

# Impact of tau polarization for study of the MSSM charged Higgses in top quark decays at ILC

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## Outline

- Introduction
- Tau polarization
- Results of computations and simulations
- Preliminary analysis of prospects to measure  $H^\pm$  mass
- Concluding Remarks

Simulations done by means of CPsuperH and FeynHiggs for parameters;  
CompHEP, new CompHEP-TAUOLA-PYTHIA interface, TAUOLA and PYTHIA  
for event generation with decaying polarized taus including ISR/FSR and hadronization;  
SIMDET for a detector response (in progress)

In MSSM: 5 Higgs boson states

two CP-even  $h$  and  $H$ , CP-odd  $A$  (if CP is conserved) or  
three neutral Higgses without definite CP (if CP is violated)  
and two charged  $H^\pm$  bosons

In a number of scenarios charged Higgs could be rather light  
( $M_{H^\pm} < M_{top}$ )

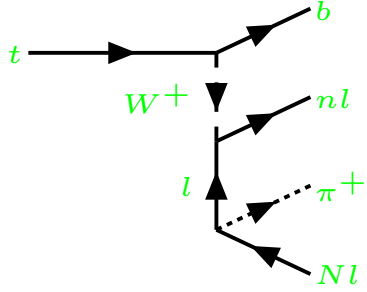
Searches at the Tevatron

masses less 150 GeV are excluded with  $BR(t \rightarrow Hb) > 0.42$  at 95% C.L.

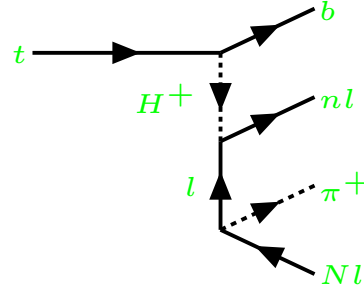
Accuracy for charged Higgs measurements is expected to be about 5 GeV  
at the LHC

Importance of tau polarization in searches for charged Higgses has been  
stressed in many studies

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diagr.1



diagr.2

In the rest frame of top  $t \rightarrow bR \rightarrow b\tau\nu_\tau \rightarrow b\nu_\tau\bar{\nu}_\tau\pi$   
 where a resonance R is W boson or charged H

$$\frac{1}{\Gamma} \frac{d\Gamma}{dy_\pi} = \frac{1}{x_{max} - x_{min}}$$

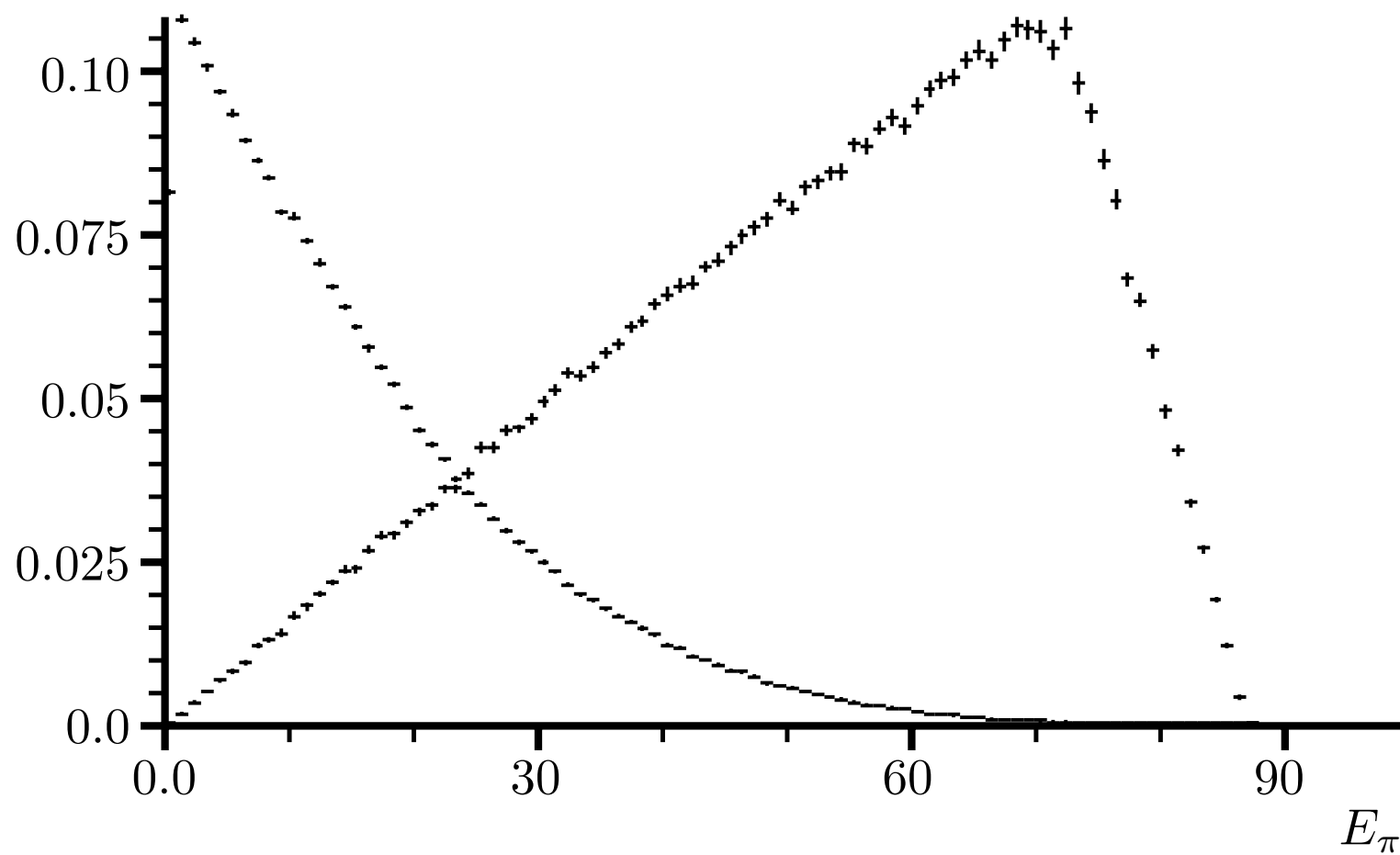
$$\begin{cases} (1 - P_\tau) \log \frac{x_{max}}{x_{min}} + 2P_\tau y_\pi \left( \frac{1}{x_{min}} - \frac{1}{x_{max}} \right), & 0 < y_\pi < x_{min} \\ (1 - P_\tau) \log \frac{x_{max}}{y_\pi} + 2P_\tau \left( 1 - \frac{y_\pi}{x_{max}} \right), & x_{min} < y_\pi \end{cases}$$

$$\text{where } y_\pi = \frac{E_\pi^{top}}{M_{top}}, \quad x_{min} = \frac{E_\tau^{min}}{M_{top}}, \quad x_{max} = \frac{E_\tau^{max}}{M_{top}}, \quad E_\tau^{min} = \frac{M_R^2}{2M_{top}}, \quad E_\tau^{max} = \frac{M_{top}}{2}$$

$P_\tau = -1$  for W boson and  $P_\tau = 1$  for charged Higgs

(M.Nojiri; E.B.,U.Martyn, G.Moortgat-Pick, M.Sachwitz, A.Sherstnev, P.Zerwas for  
 stau production and decay)

$$t- \rightarrow \nu_\tau, \bar{\nu}_\tau, \pi, b$$

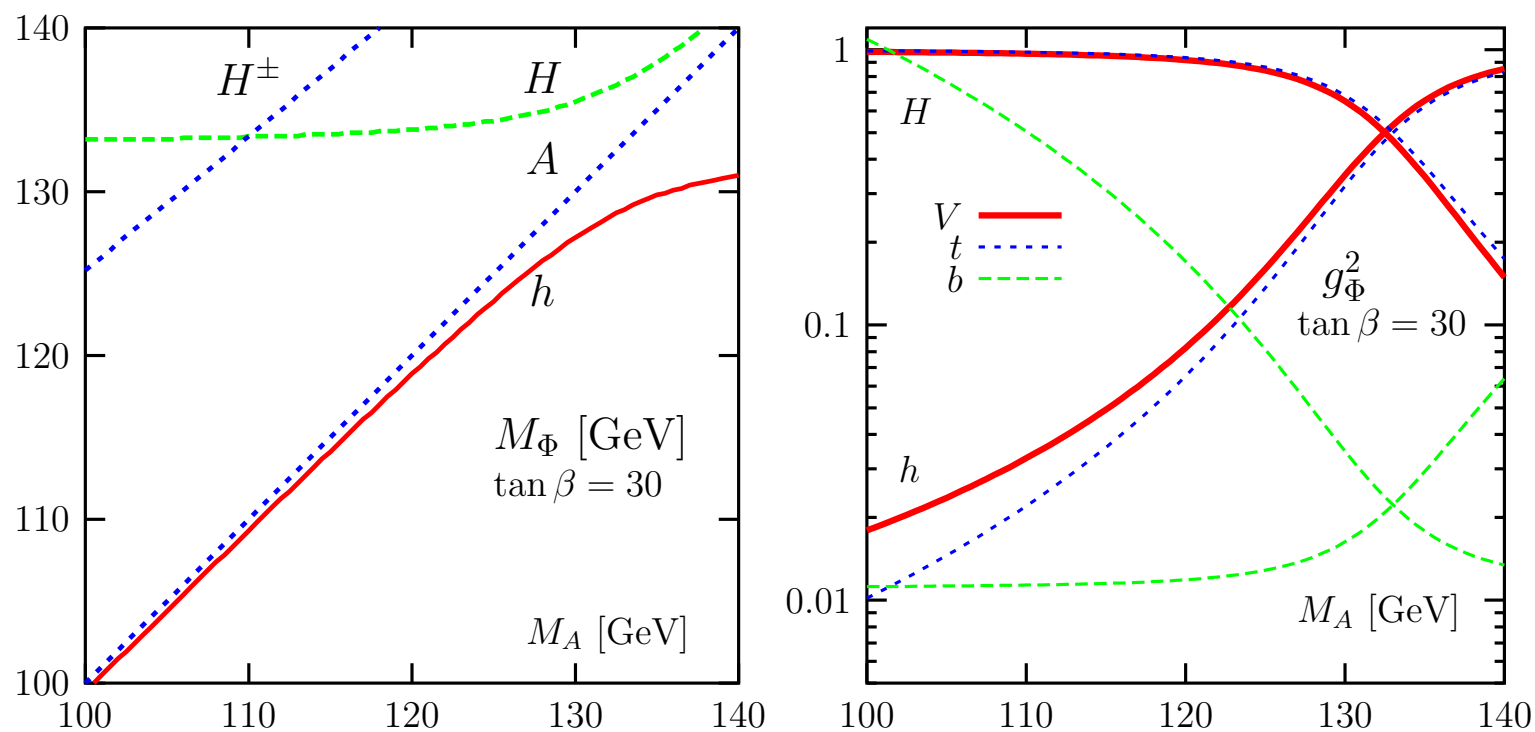


Normalized pion energy spectrum in top decays for  $M_{H^\pm} = 160$   
(CompHEP)

Intense coupling regime - masses of neutral Higgs bosons are close to the critical point. (Charged Higgs lighter than Top)

The masses of the MSSM Higgs bosons (left) and the normalized couplings as a function of  $M_A$  and  $\tan\beta = 30$ . For the  $b$ -quark couplings, the values  $10 \times g_{\Phi bb}^{-2}$  are plotted.

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Two scenarios with  $\tan \beta = 50$ ,  $\mu = 500$  and  $\mu = -500$

The dominant SUSY corrections for large  $\tan \beta$

$$\mathcal{L} \simeq \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}M_W} \frac{\bar{m}_b(Q) \tan \beta}{1+\Delta m_b} [V_{tb} H^+ \bar{t}_L b_R(Q) + \text{h.c.}]$$

$$\implies \Gamma_{MSSM} \simeq \frac{\Gamma_{QCD}^{imp.}}{(1+\Delta mb)^2}$$

$$\Delta_b = \frac{\Delta h_b}{h_b} \tan \beta \sim \frac{2\alpha_S}{3\pi} \frac{\mu M_{\tilde{g}}}{\max(m_{\tilde{b}_1}^2, m_{\tilde{b}_2}^2, M_{\tilde{g}}^2)} \tan \beta + \Delta_b^{\tilde{t}\tilde{\chi}^+}$$

$$\Delta_b^{\tilde{t}\tilde{\chi}^+} \sim \frac{h_t^2}{16\pi^2} \frac{\mu A_t}{\max(m_{\tilde{t}_1}^2, m_{\tilde{t}_2}^2, \mu^2)} \tan \beta$$

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Simulations are performed for  $e^+e^-$  collisions at 500 GeV cms  
and for 500  $fb^{-1}$  integrated luminsity

CompHEP including ISR and beamsrahlung with polarized  $\tau$   
 $e^+e^- \rightarrow t\bar{t} \rightarrow \tau\nu_\tau b\bar{b} + 2jets$

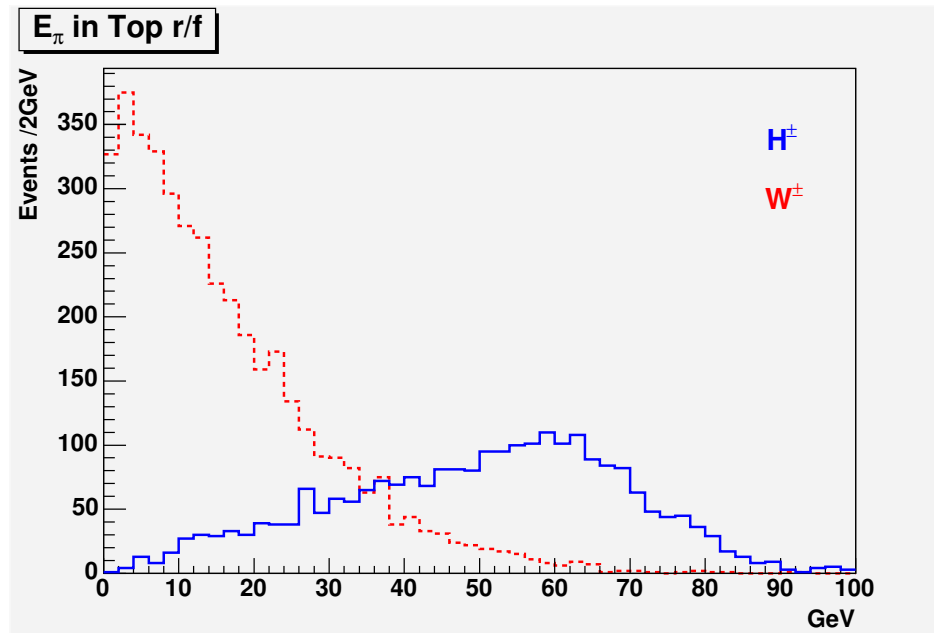
Polarized  $\tau$  decays with TAUOLA using new CompHEP-TAUOLA  
interface

All other stages by means of PYTHIA using standard CompHEP-PYTHIA  
interface

Distributions are given in the reconstructed top rest frame using the recoil  
mass technique

No detector effects and systematics yet

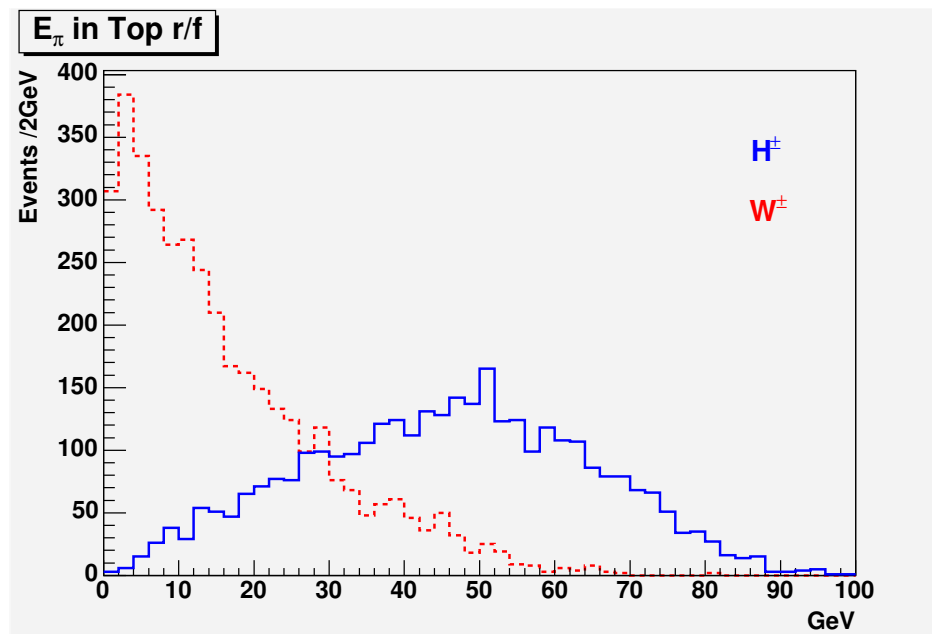
$\pi$ -meson energy spectrum for the MSSM point (intense coupling regime)  
 $\tan \beta = 30$  ( $M_A = 130$  GeV),  $M_{H^\pm} = 146$  GeV with  $Br(t \rightarrow H^+ b) = 6.2\%$





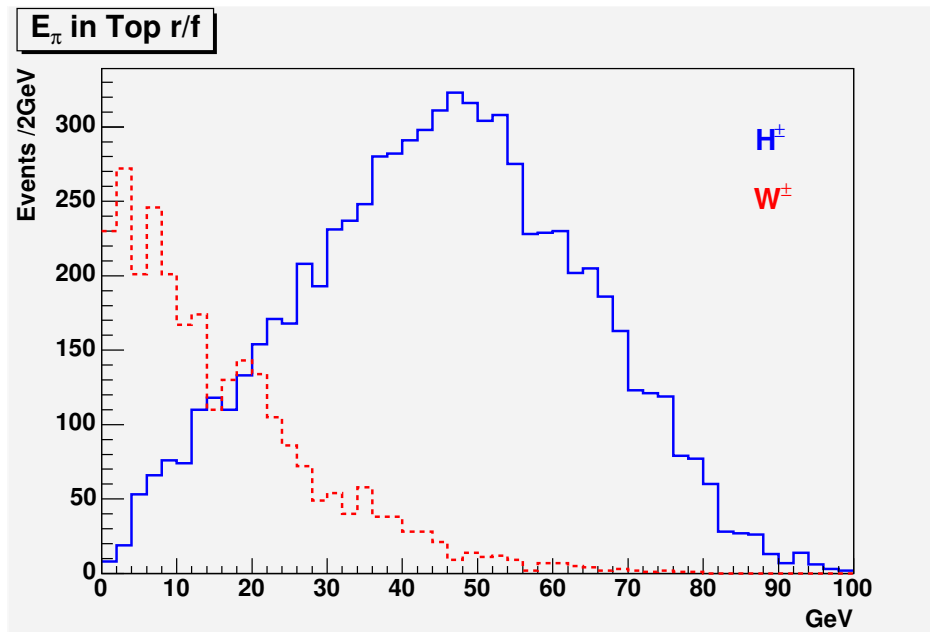
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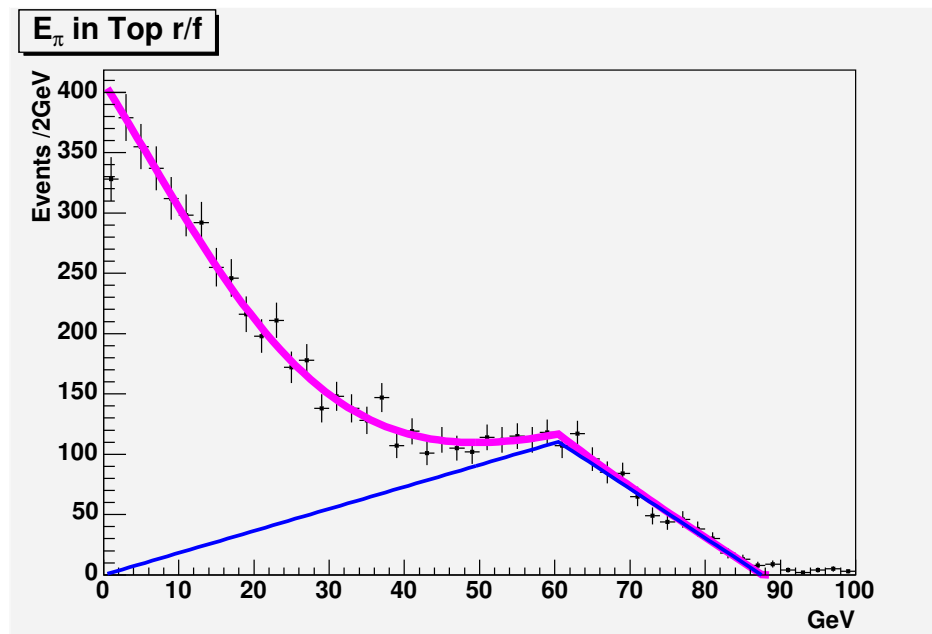


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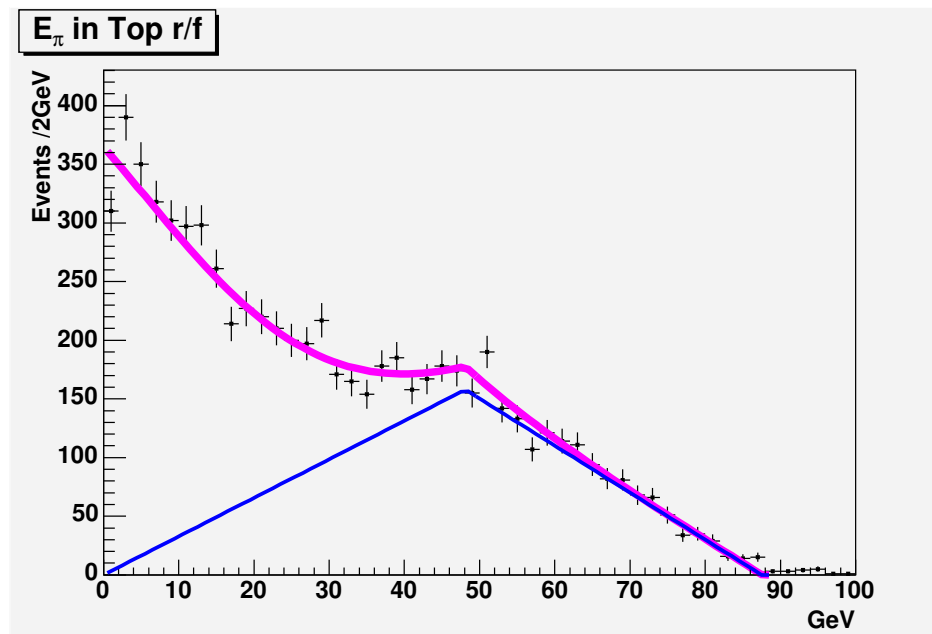
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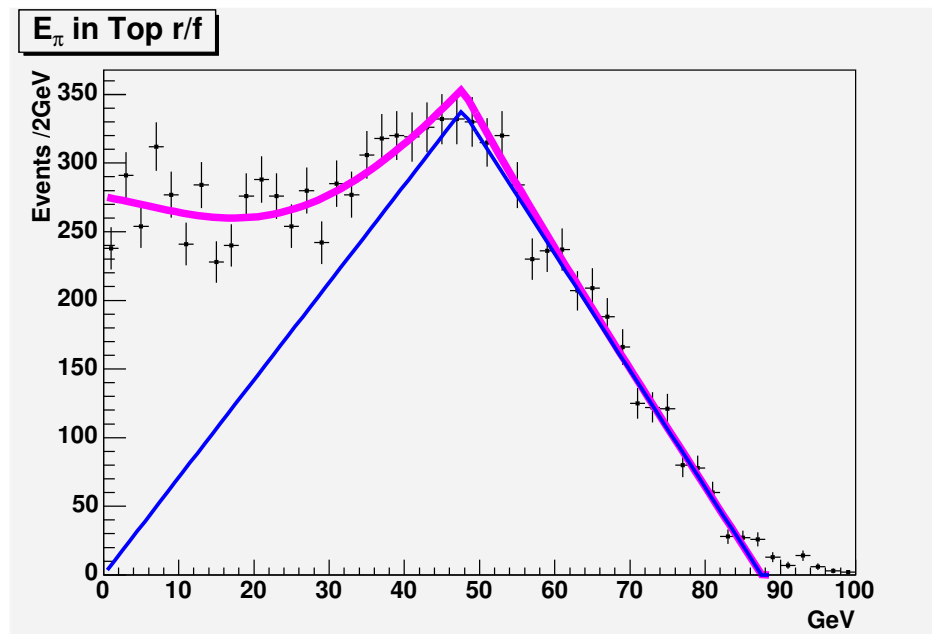
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From the signal+backgr fit  $M_{H^\pm} = 129.7 \pm 0.5 \text{ GeV}$

## Conclusions

- Tau lepton polarization is a powerful discriminative characteristic to separate the charged Higgs signal
- Examples are given for representative scenarios with rather light charged Higgses
- Fit of pion energy spectra from polarized tau decay allows to extract light charged Higgs masses with an accuracy of 0.5-1 GeV (at "theoretical" level of an analysis)