Supersymmetry and electroweak corrections at high energy

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• Diagrammatic origin:

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Detailed discussion is available:

- M. Beccaria, S. Bentvelsen, M. Cobal, F.M. Renard and C. Verzegnassi, *"Special SUSY features of large invariant mass unpolarized and polarized top-antitop production at the CERN LHC".* Phys. Rev. D71, 073003, (2005).

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in a light SUSY scenario expansion is a first step which can reveal the presence of large corrections and can be used to direct the efforts towards a full 1 loop treatment

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In other words we have compared:

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