

ECFA Higgs/Top/EW Factory WG 1 - Physics Potential



Higgs Top Electroweak

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The report...

Today:

- Where we stand
- Some examples

Focus topic: 2 fermion final states

4.3 FOCUS TOPIC: 2-fermion final states

Editors: Adrian Irlles – EXP: Adrian Irlles, Daniel Jeans, Manqi Ruan, THEORY: Emanuele Bagnaschi, Alessandro Vicini, Juergen Reuter, Ayres Freitas, Bernie Ward

4.3.1 Introduction

Editors: All

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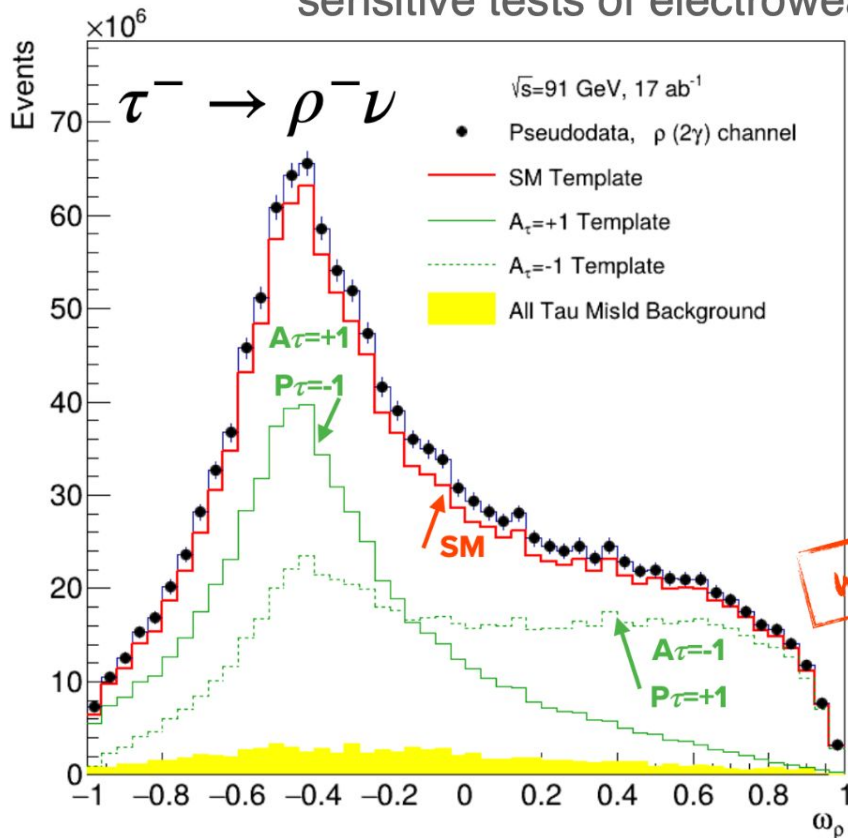
Full simulation studies

- Asymmetries on Z-pole
- Higher energies...
 - e.g., 4-fermion operators, etc.
- ...

→ see overview two days ago [Daniel Jeans, [link](#)]

New studies: τ polarization at FCC-ee

Probe of the vector and axial couplings of the Z. One of the most sensitive tests of electroweak parameters, including $\sin^2\theta_W$.



$$\mathcal{A}_e(LEP) = 14.98 \pm 0.48(stat) \pm 0.09(syst)$$

$$\mathcal{A}_\tau(LEP) = 14.39 \pm 0.35(stat) \pm 0.26(syst)$$

- As a first approach: extraction of Polarization via LogLikelihood fit of the 'optimal variable'
 - Eventually, full analysis in bins of $\cos \theta$
- For now only statistical uncertainties in the fit

$$N_i = B_i + S \times \left(\frac{1 + \mathcal{P}_\tau}{2} \Gamma_i^P + \frac{1 - \mathcal{P}_\tau}{2} \Gamma_i^M \right)$$

Statistical uncertainty from fit for 17 ab^{-1} (just 1 exp, 1 year, only one decay mode): **(15.000 + 0.007)%**

Extrapolating to full statistics, full set of final states and decay modes: <<0.01%

3.1 FOCUS TOPIC: ZH production and angular studies

Editors: Ivanka Brozovic, Chris Hays, Markus Klute, Sandra Kortner, Cheng Li, Ken Mimasu, Gudrid Moortgat-Pick

3.1.1 CP-odd coupling studies

Models of CP violation in the Higgs sector

Editor: Gudrid Moortgat-Pick

CP studies at the LHC

Editor: Sandra Kortner

HZZ CP studies at the FCC

Editors: Andrei Gritsan, Nicholas Pinto, Valdis Slokenbergs

CP studies at the CEPC

Editor: Qiyu Sha

CP tests with polarised beams

Editor: Cheng Li

HVV CP studies at the ILC with $\sqrt{s} = 1$ TeV

Editor: Ivanka Bozovic

CP studies in $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$

Editor: Kazuki Sakurai

3.1.2 CP-even coupling studies

Impact of additional Higgs bosons

Editor: Sven Heinemeyer

Coupling measurements at the LHC

Editor: Sandra Kortner

$H \rightarrow ZZ$ coupling sensitivity at CLIC

Editor: Ivanka Brozovic

3.1.3 Entanglement sensitivity

Entanglement in $H \rightarrow VV$

Editor: Juan Antonio Aguilar Saavedra

Entanglement in $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$

Editor: Kazuki Sakurai

Focus topic: ZH production and angular studies

Topics being discussed:

- Reconstruction of production and decay angles
- CP-violation in H-Z coupling
- Higgs couplings in HZ production
- CP-odd observables
- Global context, CP-conserving SMEFT,...

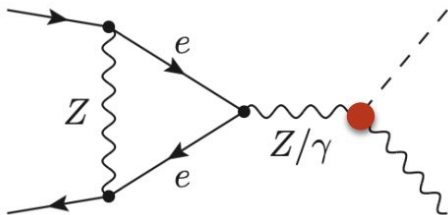
Many areas of work:

- Pheno
- MC
- Reco
- ...

New studies: CP-odd in ZH

CP-odd operators do appear at LO

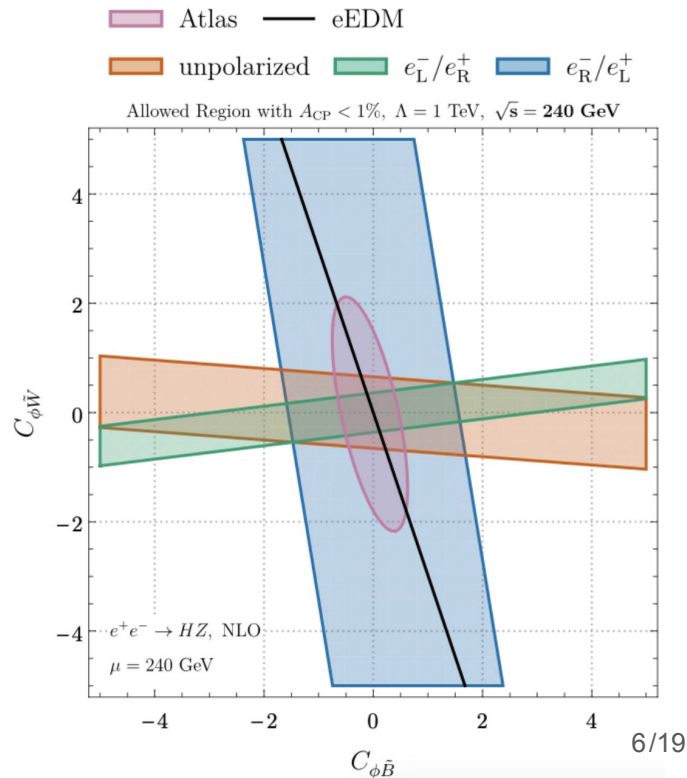
$$\mathcal{A}(e^+e^- \rightarrow HZ) \propto \mathcal{A}_{CP\text{-even}} + i\mathcal{A}_{CP\text{-odd}}$$



Use the fact that NLO integrals have imaginary parts, and study only the p_t distribution of the Z

We define a CP violating asymmetry to study the sensitivity to each operators.

$$A_{CP,i} \equiv \frac{C_i(\mu)}{\Lambda^2} \frac{|\Delta_{i,\text{weak}}^{(\text{NLO})}(\cos\theta < 0) - \Delta_{i,\text{weak}}^{(\text{NLO})}(\cos\theta > 0)|}{\sigma_{SM,\text{NLO}}^W}$$



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Study CP-odd HZZ couplings using transversely polarized beams at ILC

Gudrid Moortgat-Pick [\[link\]](#)

Experiments Processes \sqrt{s} [GeV] Luminosity [fb^{-1}] ($ P_- , P_+ $)	95% C.L. (2σ) limit						
	ATLAS $H \rightarrow 4\ell$ 13000 139	CMS $H \rightarrow 4\ell$ 13000 137	HL-LHC $H \rightarrow 4\ell$ 14000 3000	CEPC HZ 240 5600	CLIC W -fusion 3000 5000	CLIC Z -fusion 1000 8000	ILC $HZ, Z \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$ 250 5000 (90%, 40%)
$\tilde{c}_{HZZ} (\times 10^{-2})$	[-16.4, 24.0]	[-9.0, 7.0]	[-9.1, 9.1]	[-1.6, 1.6]	[-3.3, 3.3]	[-1.1, 1.1]	[-1.1, 1.0]
$f_{CP}^{HZZ} (\times 10^{-5})$	[-409.82, 873.58]	[-123.78, 74.91]	[-126.54, 126.54]	[-3.92, 3.92]	[-16.66, 16.66]	[-1.85, 1.85]	[-1.85, 1.53]
\tilde{c}_{ZZ}	[-1.2, 1.75]	[-0.66, 0.51]	[-0.66, 0.66]	[-0.12, 0.12]	[-0.24, 0.24]	[-0.08, 0.08]	[-0.08, 0.07]

New studies: ZZH anomalous couplings

$$\mathcal{L}_{ZZH} = M_Z^2 \left(\frac{1}{v} + \frac{a_Z}{\Lambda} \right) Z_\mu Z^\mu h + \frac{b_Z}{2\Lambda} Z_{\mu\nu} Z^{\mu\nu} h + \frac{\tilde{b}_Z}{2\Lambda} Z_{\mu\nu} \tilde{Z}^{\mu\nu} h$$

$$Z_{\mu\nu} = \partial_\mu Z_\nu - \partial_\nu Z_\mu$$

$$\tilde{Z}_{\mu\nu} = \epsilon_{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} Z^{\sigma\rho}$$

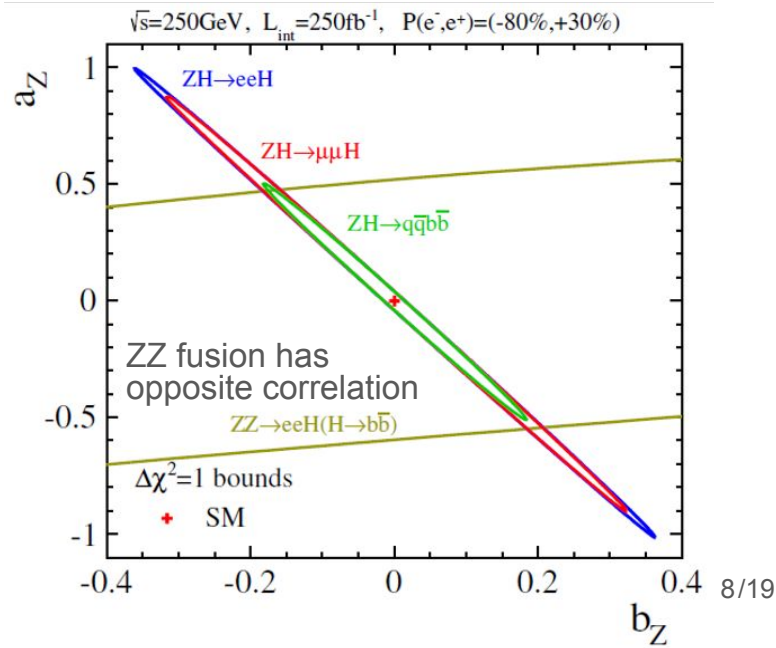
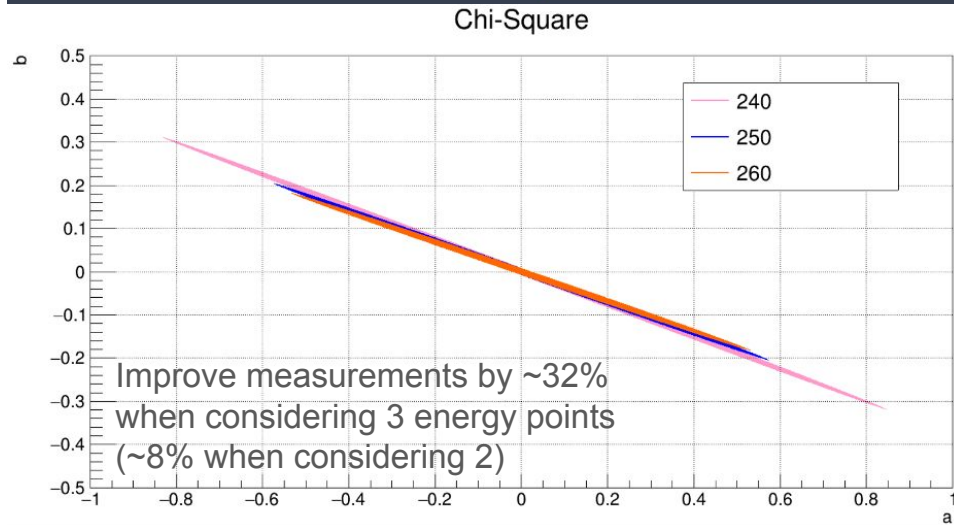
$\Lambda \sim 1 \text{ TeV}$

p_μ p_ν

Affect angular distributions

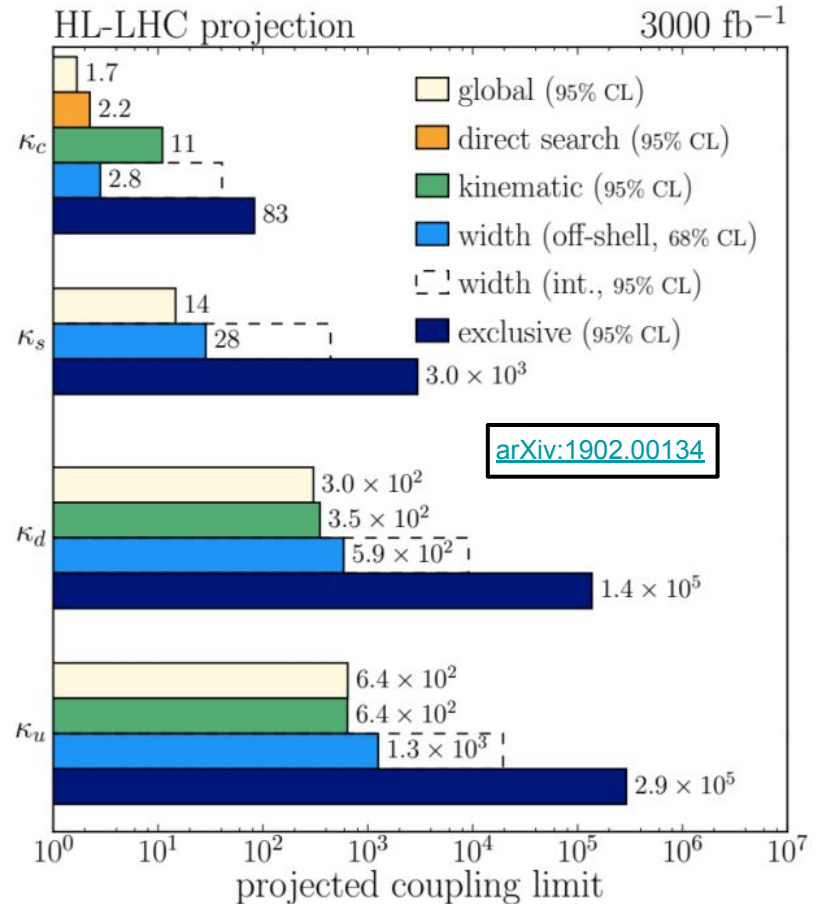
Only rescales SM cross-section

“The (SMEFT) new Lorentz structures induced by BSM theories lead to different angular distributions and energy dependence”



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Focus Topic: $H \rightarrow s\bar{s}$



Light Yukawas out of reach at (HL-)LHC.
 (Nearly) within reach at e^+e^- collider:

- Need strange jet tagging!
 - Which needs excellent particle identification and machine learning

→ see also overview at Virtual Overflow Session next week Wednesday afternoon & Thursday afternoon [Caterina Vernieri, [Wed. link](#), [Thu link](#)]

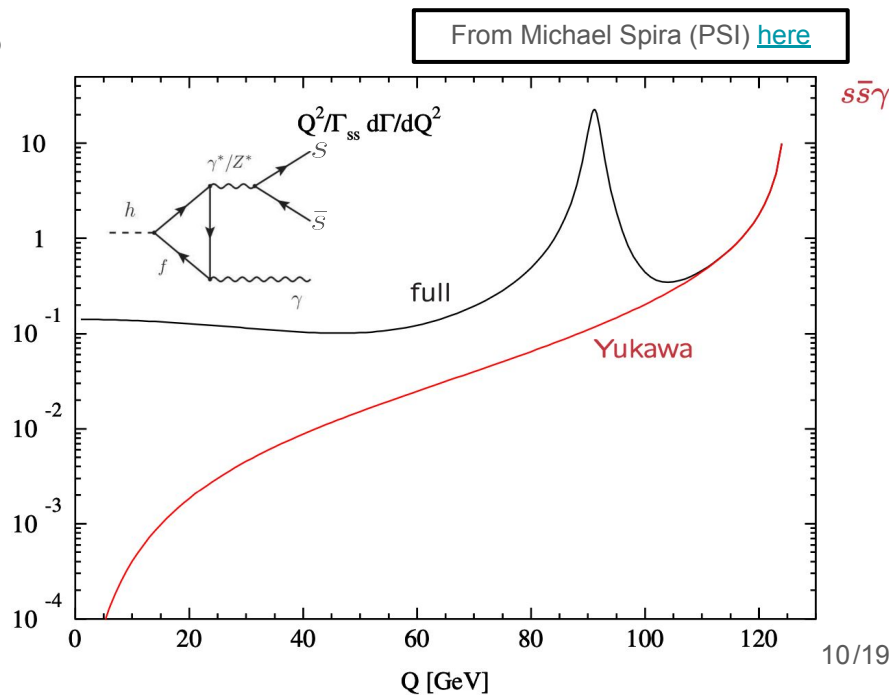
New developments for $H \rightarrow s\bar{s}$ (and not only for this...)

Fragmentation and hadronization impact taggers, and thus measurements

- See Wednesday plenary talk by Loukas Gouskos

Strange-Yukawa interpretation of $BR(H \rightarrow s\bar{s})$?

- “strong and weak Dalitz decays do not pose a severe problem on the determination of the strange Yukawa coupling”
- “necessity to define $BR(H \rightarrow s\bar{s})$ on the theory side \Rightarrow LHC Higgs WG”



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Expected sensitivity (%) of $\sigma(\text{ZH}) \cdot \text{BR}(H \rightarrow jj)$ at 68% CL

$L = 10.8\text{ab}^{-1}$

Alexis Maloizel [[link](#)]

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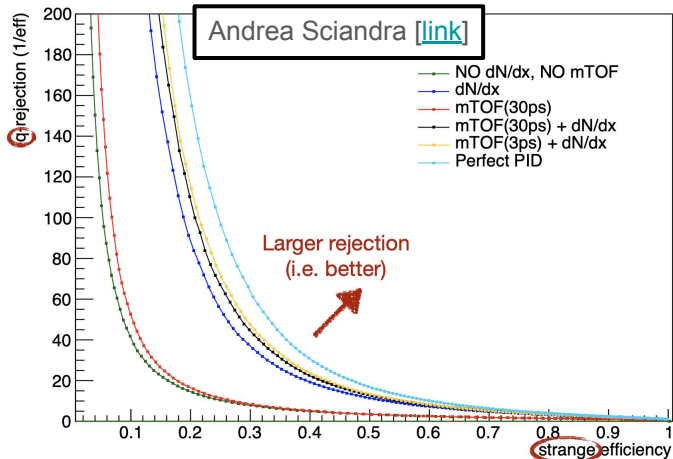
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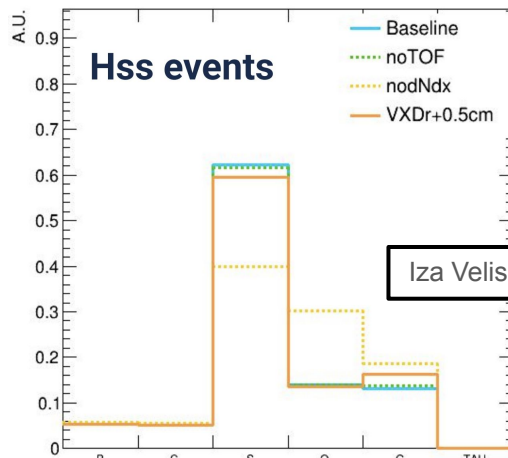
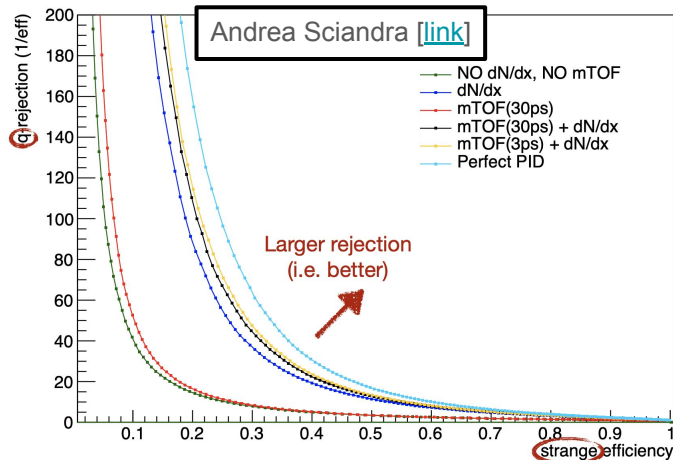
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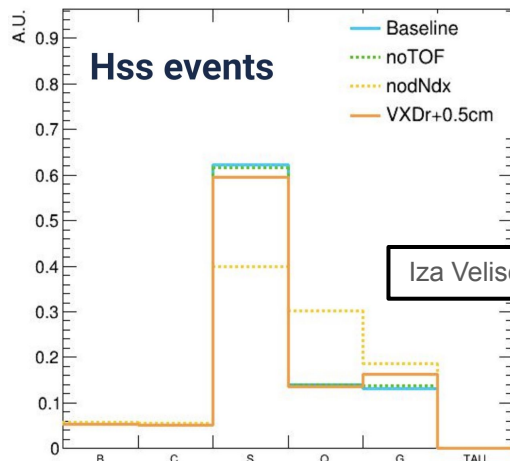
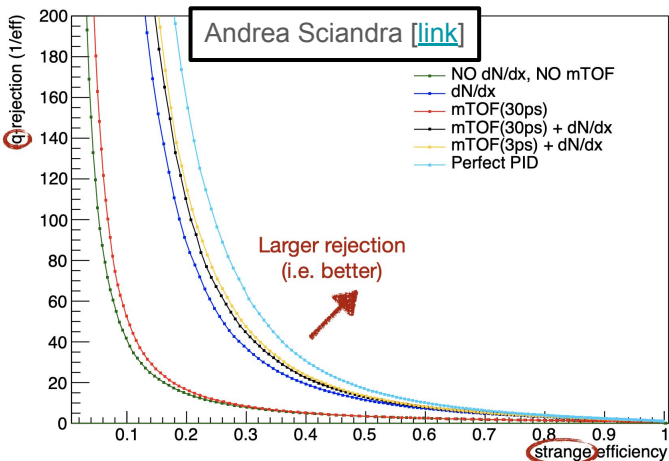
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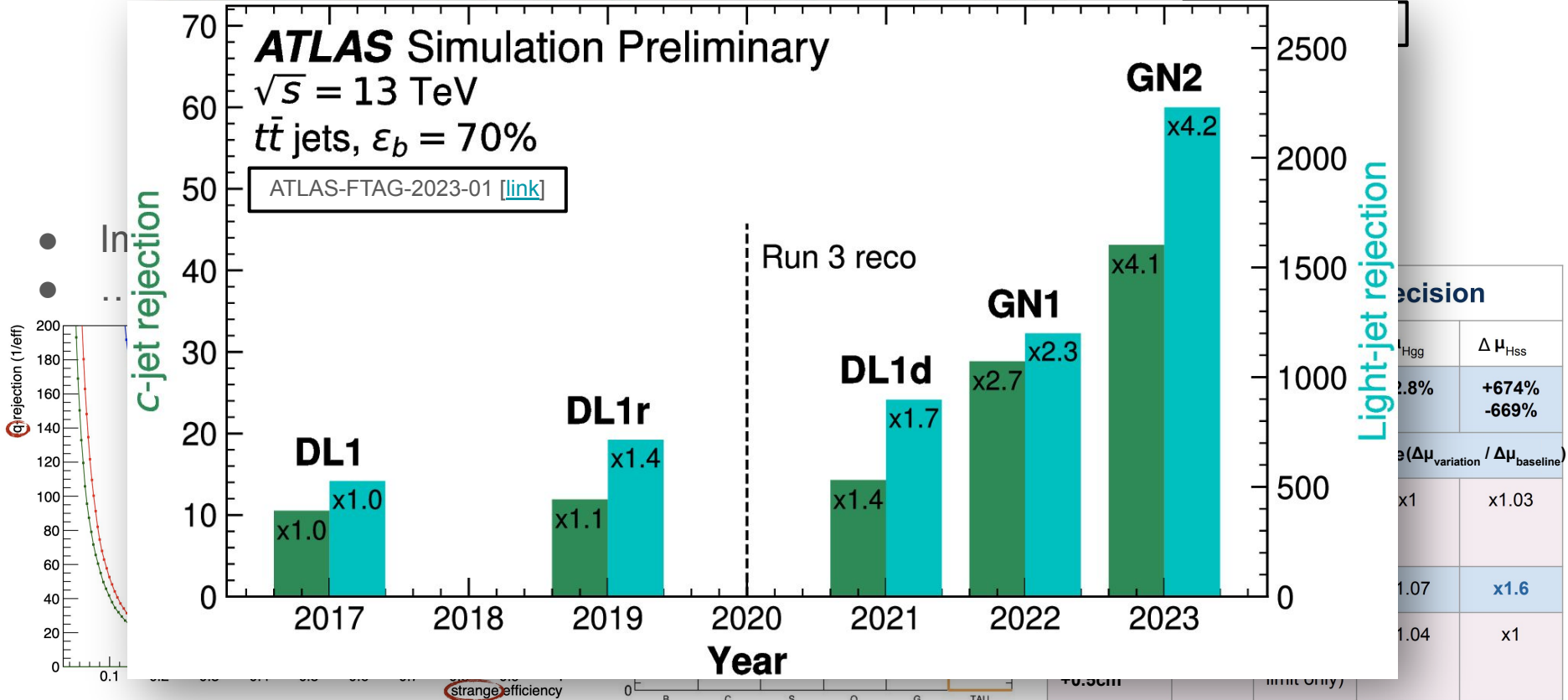


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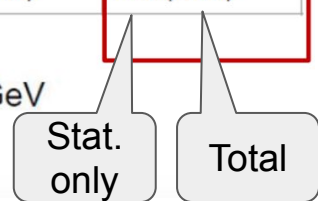
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Other topics: FCC-ee Higgs mass measurement

at 240 GeV, 10.8 ab⁻¹

	Final state	Muon	Electron	Combination
Nominal configuration	Nominal	3.92(4.74)	4.95(5.68)	3.07(3.97)
Crystal ECAL to Dual Readout	Categorized	3.92(4.74)	4.95(5.68)	3.10(3.97)
Nominal 2 T → field 3 T	Degradation electron resolution			3.24(4.12)
	Magnetic field 3T	3.22(4.14)	4.11(4.83)	2.54(3.52)
IDEA drift chamber → CLD Si tracker	Silicon tracker	5.11(5.73)	5.89(6.42)	3.86(4.55)
Impact of Beam Energy Spread	BES 6% uncertainty	3.92(4.79)	4.95(5.92)	3.07(3.98)
	Disable BES	2.11(3.31)	2.93(3.88)	1.71(2.92)
Perfect (=gen-level) momentum resolution	Ideal resolution	3.12(3.95)	3.58(4.52)	2.42(3.40)
	Freeze backgrounds	3.91(4.74)	4.95(5.67)	3.07(3.96)
	Remove backgrounds	3.08(4.13)	3.51(4.58)	2.31(3.45)

- we want to get down to $\Delta m_H \sim \Gamma_H \sim 4 \text{ MeV}$ to allow for electron Yukawa at $\sqrt{s} = 125 \text{ GeV}$
- as expected, tracking resolution highly impacts m_H precision
- light tracker/ **high B field** highly preferable

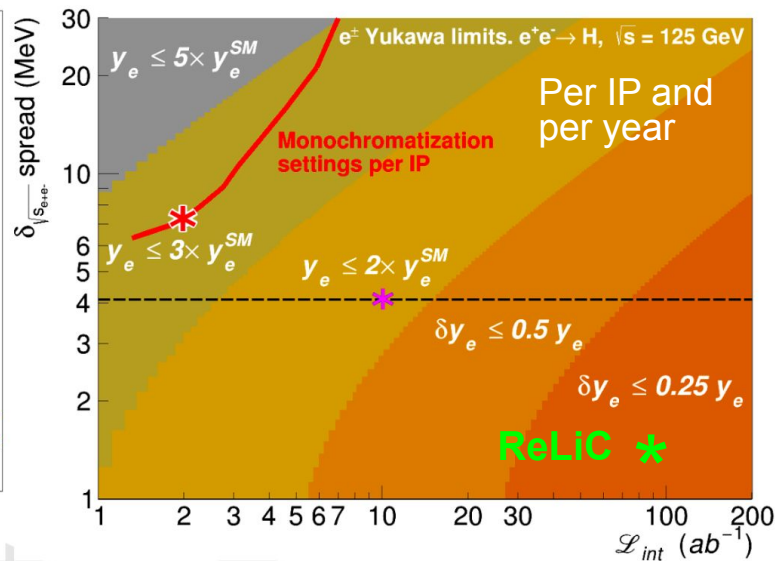
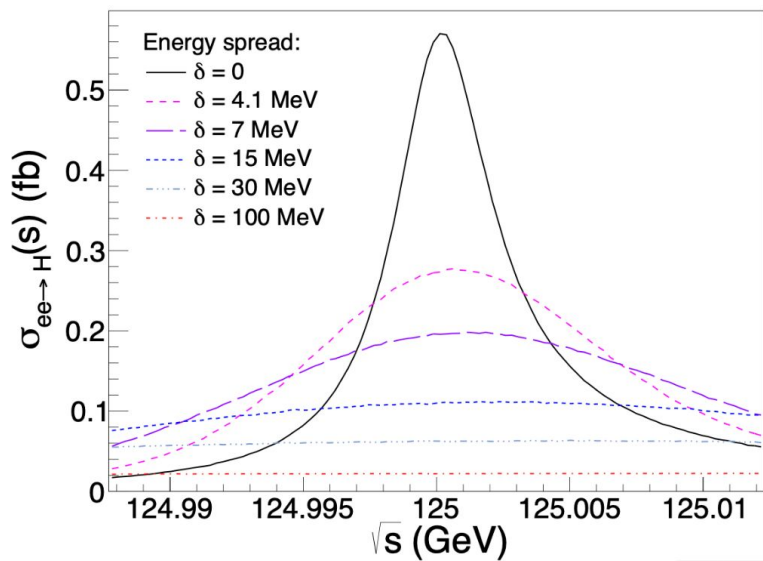


Other topics: electron Yukawa

Is the Higgs mechanism responsible for defining all of our chemistry, *i.e.*, the mass of the electron?

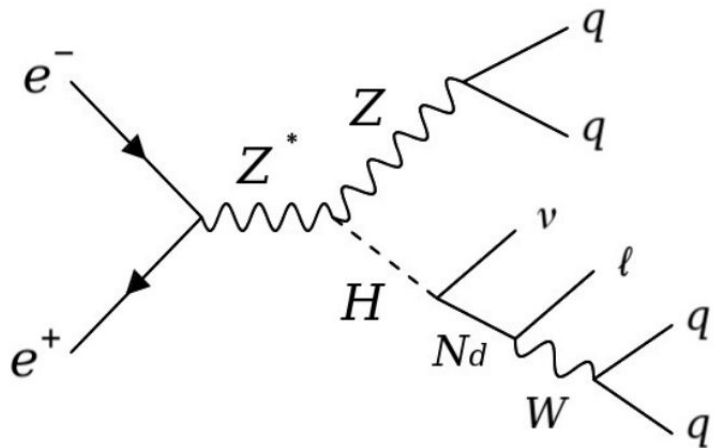
David D'Enterria (FCC-ee)
and Vladimir N Litvinenko
(ERL) [\[link\]](#)

FCC-ee monochromatization

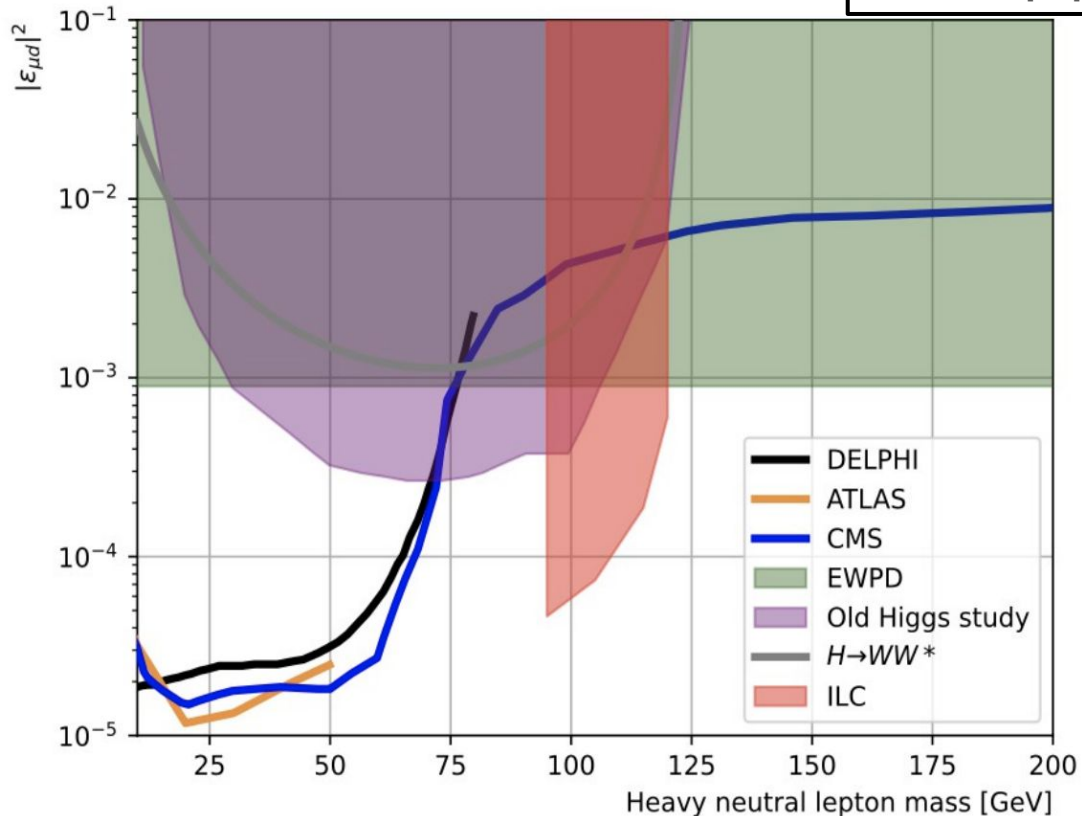


Other topics: Heavy neutral leptons in Higgs decays

Simon Thor [\[link\]](#)



- ILC full detector simulation
- $m_Z < m_{N_d} < m_H$
- $\text{BR}(H \rightarrow \nu N_d) \text{BR}(N_d \rightarrow \ell W) < 0.1$ (at 2σ)
- 25x higher significance compared to HL-LHC



Summary

- Lots of interesting results produced over the last year(s)
 - People are assigned and are writing their reports
- Several new and interesting results shown in this workshop
- Quite some crunch time ahead of us!

Please join our WG1 overflow session next week
Wednesday afternoon & Thursday afternoon (virtual only)

[[Wed. link](#), [Thu link](#)]

<https://gitlab.in2p3.fr/ecfa-study/ECFA-HiggsTopEW-Factories/-/wikis/WG1-HTE>

