

Impact of polarized positrons for top/QCD and electroweak physics

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Introduction

- **Physics case for polarized e^- and e^+**
 - Comprehensive overview, hep-ph/0507011, Phys.Rept., 460 (2008)
 - See also executive summary on:
www.ippp.dur.ac.uk/LCsources/
- **Polarized beams required to**
 - Analyze the structure of all kinds of interactions
 - Improve statistics: enhance rates, suppress background processes
 - Get systematic uncertainties under control
- **Discoveries via deviations from SM predictions in precision measurements!**
 - Important in particular at $\sqrt{s} \leq 500$ GeV !

Why are polarized beams required?

- Please remember:
 - excellent e- polarization $\sim 78\%$ at SLC:
 - led to best measurement of $\sin^2\theta = 0.23098 \pm 0.00026$
on basis of $L \sim 10^{30} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
 - Compare with results from unpolarized beams at LEP:
 - $\sin^2\theta = 0.23221 \pm 0.00029$ but with $L \sim 10^{31} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
- ➡ polarization can even compensate order of magnitude in luminosity for specific observables !

But what are the precision requirements?

Reminder: requirements for precision frontier'

ICFA Parameter Group for a future LC:

● 'Scope Document no.1' (2003) and 'no.2' (2006): baseline

- ⇒ 'full luminosity of $2 \times 10^{34} \text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ '
- ⇒ 'beam energy stability and precision **below tenth of percent level.**'
- ⇒ 'Machine interface must allow measurements of **beam energy and diff. lumi spectrum with similar accuracy.**'
- ⇒ 'electron beams with polarisation of at least 80% **within whole energy range.**'

● Options:

- ⇒ '**e⁺ polarisation ~50% in whole energy range** wo sign. loss of lumi...., Reversal of helicity ... between bunch crossings.'
- ⇒ GigaZ: e⁺ polarisation+**frequent flips** essential; energy **stability+calibration accuracy below tenth of percent level.**

SB2009

- **Comparison:**

- RDR baseline: $P(e^+) \sim 30\%$ up to 45% (w/o collimator)
- $P(e^+) = 22\%$ at $\sqrt{s} = 500$ GeV
 $P(e^+) = 31\%$ at $\sqrt{s} = 200$ GeV

Is such a low degree appropriate for physics goals?

- **Concentrate on few examples**

- For new SB2009 outline
- Weight it w.r.t. LHC expectations

Physics: pol.cross sections in general

Polarized cross sections can be subdivided in:

$$\sigma_{P_{e^-}P_{e^+}} = \frac{1}{4} \left\{ (1 + P_{e^-})(1 + P_{e^+})\sigma_{RR} + (1 - P_{e^-})(1 - P_{e^+})\sigma_{LL} \right. \\ \left. + (1 + P_{e^-})(1 - P_{e^+})\sigma_{RL} + (1 - P_{e^-})(1 + P_{e^+})\sigma_{LR} \right\},$$

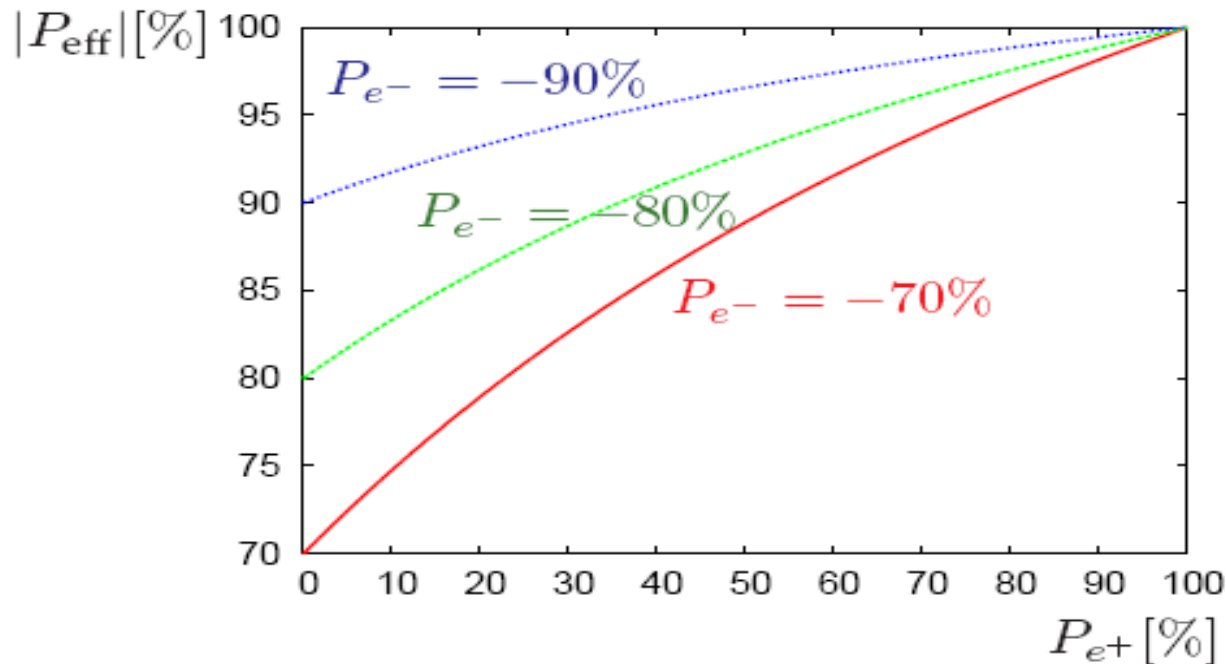
σ_{RR} , σ_{LL} , σ_{RL} , σ_{LR} are contributions with fully polarized L, R beams.

In case of a vector particle only (LR) and (RL) configurations contribute:

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\sigma_{P_{e^-}P_{e^+}}} &= \frac{1 + P_{e^-}}{2} \frac{1 - P_{e^+}}{2} \sigma_{RL} + \frac{1 - P_{e^-}}{2} \frac{1 + P_{e^+}}{2} \sigma_{LR} \\ &= (1 - P_{e^-}P_{e^+}) \frac{\sigma_{RL} + \sigma_{LR}}{4} \left[1 - \frac{P_{e^-} - P_{e^+}}{1 - P_{e^+}P_{e^-}} \frac{\sigma_{LR} - \sigma_{RL}}{\sigma_{LR} + \sigma_{RL}} \right] \\ &= \underline{(1 - P_{e^+}P_{e^-}) \sigma_0 [1 - P_{\text{eff}} A_{LR}]}, \end{aligned}$$

Effective polarization

Effective polarization:
$$P_{\text{eff}} = \frac{P_{e-} - P_{e+}}{1 - P_{e+}P_{e-}}$$



- (80%, 60%): $P_{\text{eff}} = 95\%$, (90%, 60%): $P_{\text{eff}} = 97\%$, (90%, 30%): $P_{\text{eff}} = 94\%$
- (80%, 22%): $P_{\text{eff}} = 87\%$, (90%, 22%): $P_{\text{eff}} = 93\%$

Relation between P_{eff} and A_{LR}

- How are P_{eff} and A_{LR} related?

$$A_{LR} = \frac{1}{P_{\text{eff}}} A_{LR}^{\text{obs}} = \frac{1}{P_{\text{eff}}} \frac{\sigma_{-+} - \sigma_{+-}}{\sigma_{-+} + \sigma_{+-}},$$

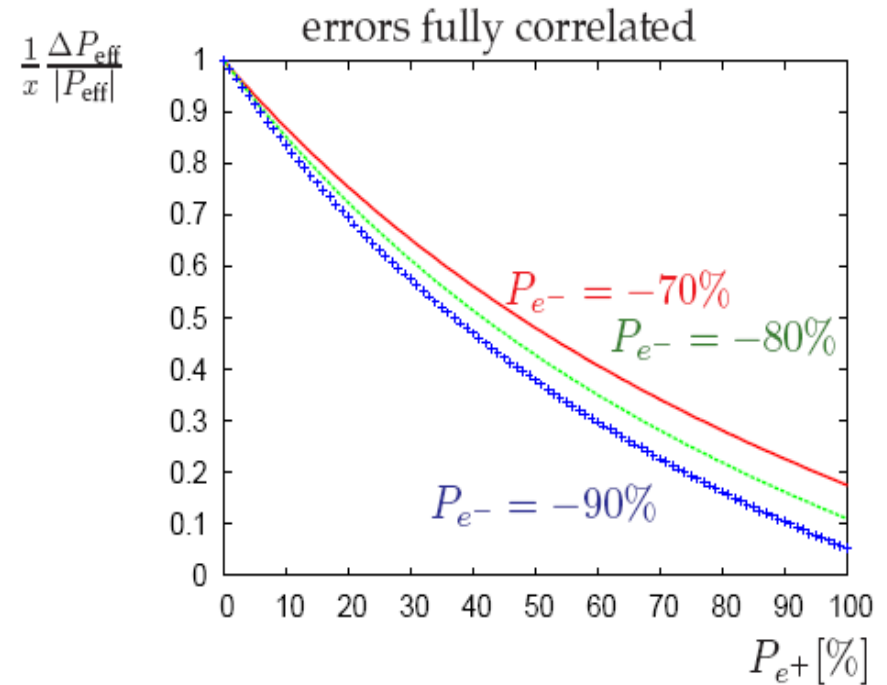
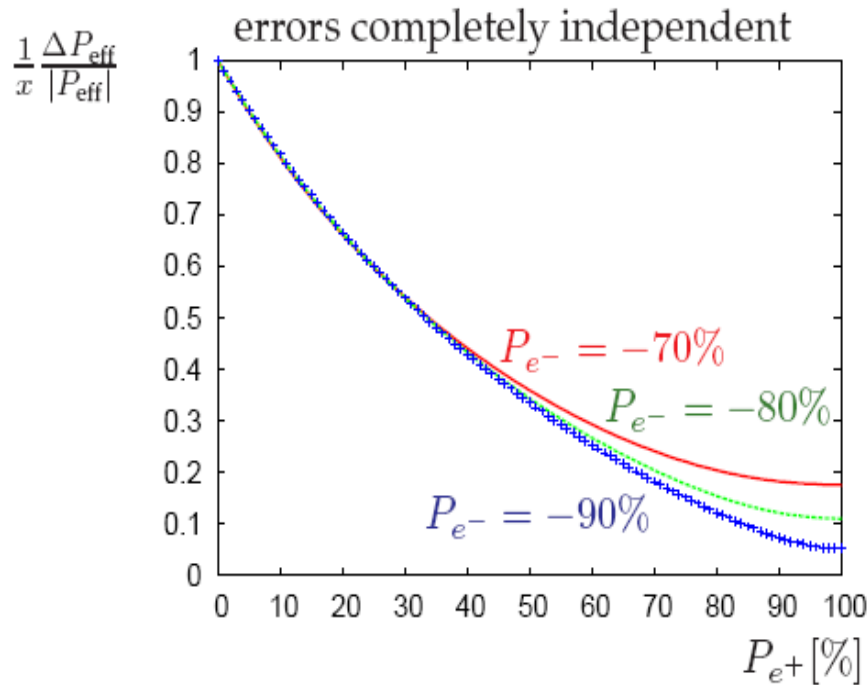
That means: $\left| \frac{\Delta A_{LR}}{A_{LR}} \right| \sim \left| \frac{\Delta P_{\text{eff}}}{P_{\text{eff}}} \right|$

- With pure error propagation (and errors uncorrelated), one obtains:

$$\frac{\Delta P_{\text{eff}}}{P_{\text{eff}}} = \frac{x}{(|P_{e^+}| + |P_{e^-}|) (1 + |P_{e^+}| |P_{e^-}|)} \sqrt{(1 - |P_{e^-}|^2)^2 P_{e^+}^2 + (1 - |P_{e^+}|^2)^2 P_{e^-}^2}$$

With $x \equiv \Delta P_{e^-} / P_{e^-} = \Delta P_{e^+} / P_{e^+}$

Gain in accuracy due to $P(e^+)$



(80%,60): $P_{\text{eff}} = 95\%$ (90%,60%): $P_{\text{eff}} = 97\%$ (90%, 30%): $P_{\text{eff}} = 94\%$
 $\Delta A_{\text{LR}}/A_{\text{LR}} = 0.3$ $\Delta A_{\text{LR}}/A_{\text{LR}} = 0.27$ $\Delta A_{\text{LR}}/A_{\text{LR}} = 0.5$

• (80%,22%): $\Delta A_{\text{LR}}/A_{\text{LR}} = 0.64$ (90%,22%): $\Delta A_{\text{LR}}/A_{\text{LR}} = 0.64$

→ NO gain with only polarized e^- !

Pol. in top/qcd:

Unique access to top ew properties

- **Process: $e^+ e^- \rightarrow t \bar{t}$ (test of couplings $t \rightarrow \gamma, Z$)**

$$\Gamma_{t\bar{t}\gamma,Z}^{\mu} = ie\{\gamma^{\mu}[F_{1V}^{\gamma,Z} + F_{1A}^{\gamma,Z}\gamma^5] + \frac{(p_t - p_{\bar{t}})^{\mu}}{2m_t}[F_{2V}^{\gamma,Z} + F_{2A}^{\gamma,Z}\gamma^5]\}$$

- **Studies at threshold:**

$$v_t = (1 - \frac{8}{3}\sin^2\theta_W) \text{ via } A_{LR}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta A_{LR}/A_{LR} \sim \Delta P_{eff}/P_{eff}$$

→ up to per mille level

- **Can be improved via polarized beams:**

⇒ (80%,0)→(80%,60%): factor 3!

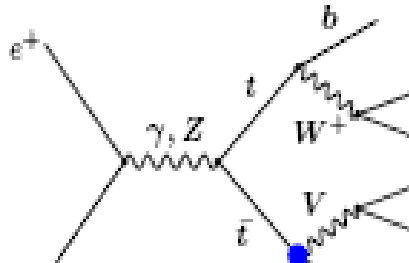
(80%,0) → (80%,30%): factor 2

(80%,0) → (80%,22%): factor 1.6

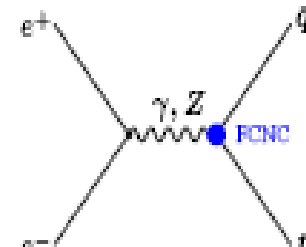
Form factor	SM value	$\sqrt{s} = 500 \text{ GeV}$		$\sqrt{s} = 800 \text{ GeV}$	
		$p = 0$	$p = -0.8$	$p = 0$	$p = -0.8$
F_{1V}^Z	1	0.019			
F_{1A}^Z	1	0.016			
$F_{2V}^{\gamma,Z} = (g-2)^{\gamma,Z}_t$	0	0.015	0.011	0.011	0.008
$\text{Re } F_{2A}^{\gamma}$	0	0.035	0.007	0.015	0.004
$\text{Re } d_t^{\gamma} [10^{-19} \text{ e cm}]$	0	20	4	8	2
$\text{Re } F_{2A}^Z$	0	0.012	0.008	0.008	0.007
$\text{Re } d_t^{Z} [10^{-19} \text{ e cm}]$	0	7	5	5	4
$\text{Im } F_{2A}^{\gamma}$	0	0.010	0.008	0.006	0.005
$\text{Im } F_{2A}^Z$	0	0.055	0.010	0.037	0.007
F_{1R}^W	0	0.030	0.012		
$\text{Im } F_{2R}^W$	0	0.025	0.010		

Flavour changing neutral couplings

- Single top:
→ more sensitive



- top pairs+decays:
→ better for
disentangling



• Results:

vector couplings:

$(80\%, 0) \rightarrow (80\%, 45\%)$: ~ 1.7

tensor couplings:

$(80\%, 0) \rightarrow (80\%, 45\%)$: ~ 1.8

	unpolarized beams	$ P_{e-} = 80\%$	$(P_{e-} , P_{e+}) = (80\%, 45\%)$
	$\sqrt{s} = 500 \text{ GeV}$		
$BR(t \rightarrow Zq)(\gamma_\mu)$	6.1×10^{-4}	3.9×10^{-4}	2.2×10^{-4}
$BR(t \rightarrow Zq)(\sigma_{\mu\nu})$	4.8×10^{-5}	3.1×10^{-5}	1.7×10^{-5}
$BR(t \rightarrow \gamma q)$	3.0×10^{-5}	1.7×10^{-5}	9.3×10^{-6}
	$\sqrt{s} = 800 \text{ GeV}$		
$BR(t \rightarrow Zq)(\gamma_\mu)$	5.9×10^{-4}	4.3×10^{-4}	2.3×10^{-4}
$BR(t \rightarrow Zq)(\sigma_{\mu\nu})$	1.7×10^{-5}	1.3×10^{-5}	7.0×10^{-6}
$BR(t \rightarrow \gamma q)$	1.0×10^{-5}	6.7×10^{-6}	3.6×10^{-6}

What in top-Higgs physics?

- ttH couplings:**

- Interplay between $(1-P_e \cdot P_{e+})$ and $(1-P_{\text{eff}} A_{LR})$: *(A. Juste in 2005)*

(-80%,+60%): $\sigma(\text{ttH})^{\text{Pol}} / \sigma(\text{ttH}) \sim 2.1 \longrightarrow g_{\text{ttH}}^{\text{Pol}} / g_{\text{ttH}} \sim 45\%$

(-80%,0%): $\sim 1.4 \longrightarrow \sim 19\%$

- ‘My’ Personal estimates:

(-80%,+30%): $\sim 1.7 \longrightarrow \sim 31\%$

(-80%,+22%): $\sim 1.6 \longrightarrow \sim 27\%$

- Study was done at $\sqrt{s}=500$ GeV**

- since $A_{LR} \sim \text{constant}$ up to $\sim 1\text{TeV}$: factors also valid at ~ 800 GeV

\longrightarrow more detailed studies absolutely desirable!!!

Triple gauge couplings in WW

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\mathcal{L}^{WWV}}{ig_{WWV}} = & g_1^V V^\mu (W_{\mu\nu}^- W^{+\nu} - W_{\mu\nu}^+ W^{-\nu}) - \kappa_V W_\mu^- W_\nu^+ V^{\mu\nu} - \frac{\lambda_V}{m_W^2} V^{\mu\nu} W_\mu^{+\rho} W_{\rho\nu}^- \\ & + ig_4^V W_\mu^- W_\nu^+ (\partial^\mu V^\nu + \partial^\nu V^\mu) \\ & + ig_5^V \varepsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} [(\partial_\rho W_\mu^-) W_\nu^+ - W_\mu^- (\partial_\rho W_\nu^+)] V_\sigma \\ & - \frac{\tilde{\kappa}_V}{2} W_\mu^- W_\nu^+ \varepsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} V_{\rho\sigma} - \frac{\tilde{\lambda}_V}{2m_W^2} W_{\rho\mu}^- W^{+\mu}_\nu \varepsilon^{\nu\rho\alpha\beta} V_{\alpha\beta}, \end{aligned}$$

CP conserving
and CP-violating
couplings

- Access to triple gauge couplings:
 - Example: rotate to ‘optimal observables’
 - use transversely polarized beams as well

$\sqrt{s} = 500 \text{ GeV}$	$\text{Im } g_1^L$	$\text{Im } \kappa^L$	$\text{Im } \lambda^L$	$\text{Im } g_5^L$	\tilde{h}_-	\tilde{h}_+	$\text{Im } \lambda^R$	$\text{Im } g_5^R$
No polarization	2.7	1.7	0.48	2.5	11	—	3.1	17
$(P_{e^-}, P_{e^+}) = (\mp 80\%, 0)$	2.6	1.2	0.45	2.0	4.5	—	1.4	4.3
$(P_{e^-}, P_{e^+}) = (\mp 80\%, \pm 60\%)$	2.1	0.95	0.37	1.6	2.5	—	0.75	2.3
$(P_{e^-}^T, P_{e^+}^T) = (80\%, 60\%)$	2.6	1.2	0.46	2.0	3.7	3.2	0.98	4.4

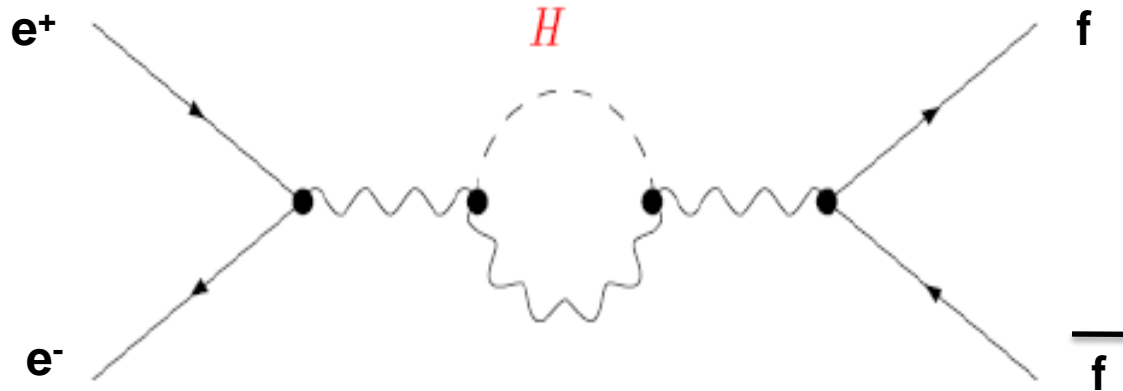
- gain factor of 1.8 when (80%,0) → (80%,60%), (80%,22%) ...?

- Access to \tilde{h}_+ with $P_T(e^-)P_T(e^+)$: → (80%,30%) ~0.5 (80%,60%)

→ (80%,22%) ~0.4 (80%,60%) Can be compensated
with $P_{e^-}=90\%$!

Why indirect searches at a e^+e^- Z-factory?

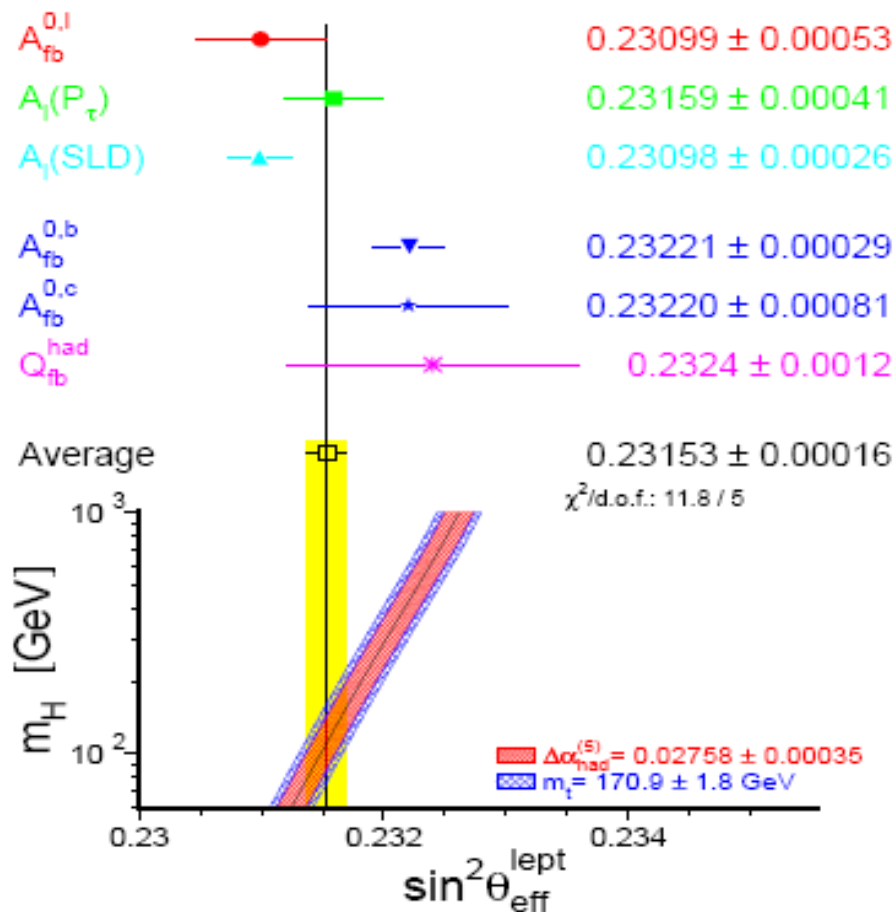
- Electroweak precision physics



- Sensitivity to quantum effects of new physics

- All states contribute, including the ones that are too heavy to be produced directly
- Probing the underlying physics and the properties of new particles

Experimental situation



LEP:

$$\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}(A_{\text{FB}}^b) = 0.23221 \pm 0.00029$$

SLC:

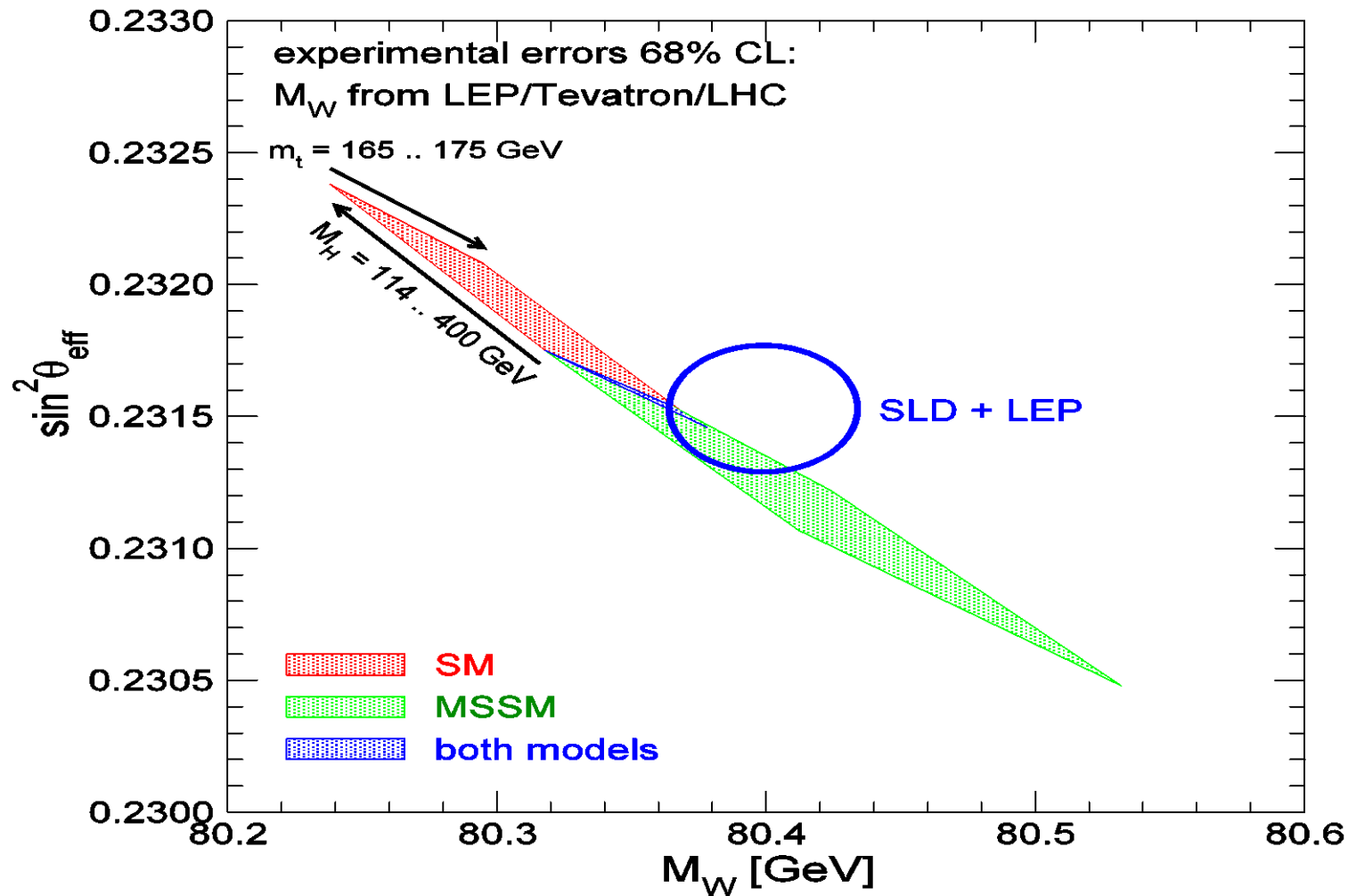
$$\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}(A_{\text{LR}}) = 0.23098 \pm 0.00026$$

World average:

$$\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}} = 0.23153 \pm 0.00016$$

➡ Large impact of discrepancy between the two most precise measurements

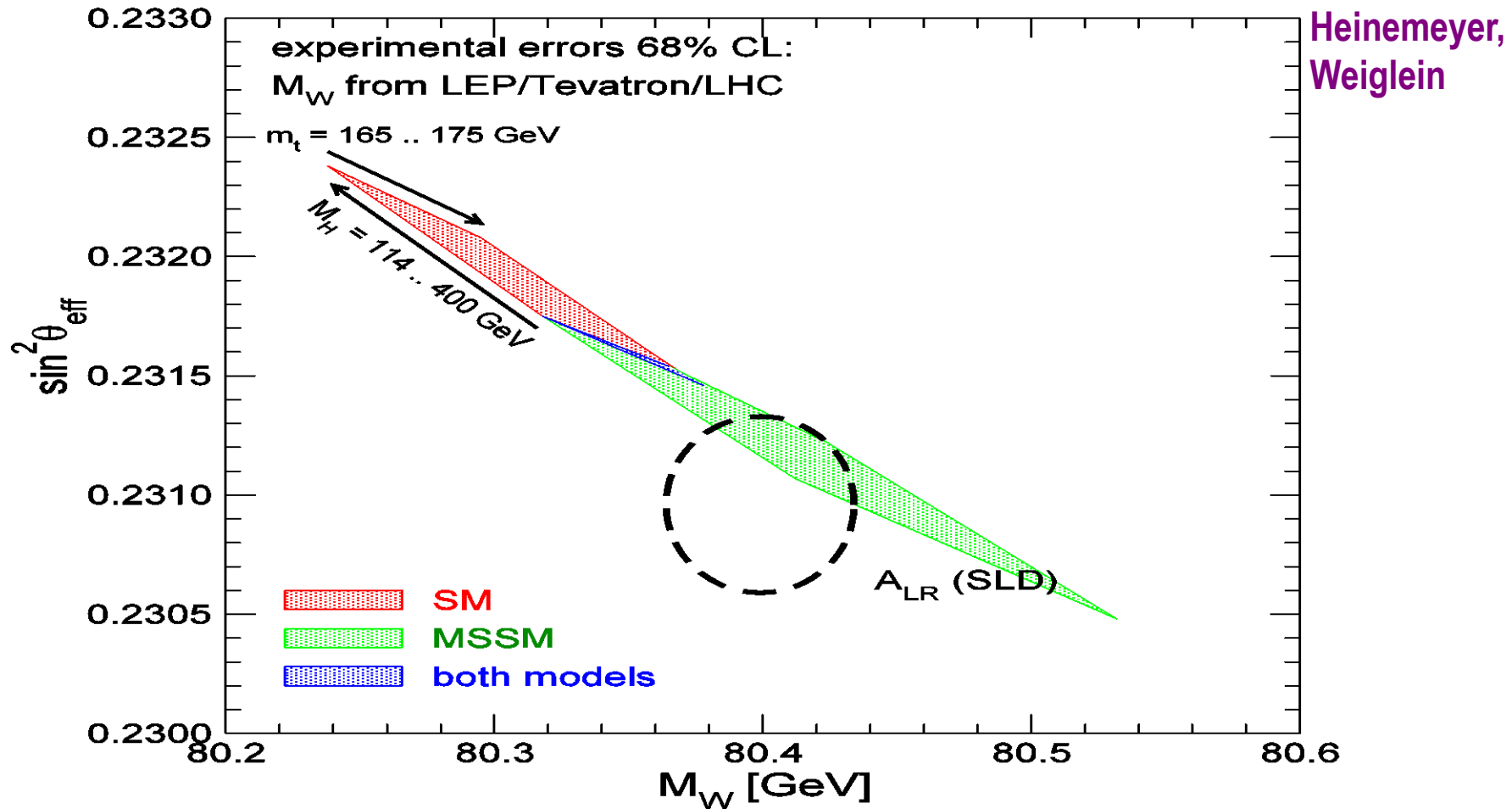
M_W vs. central value $\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}$



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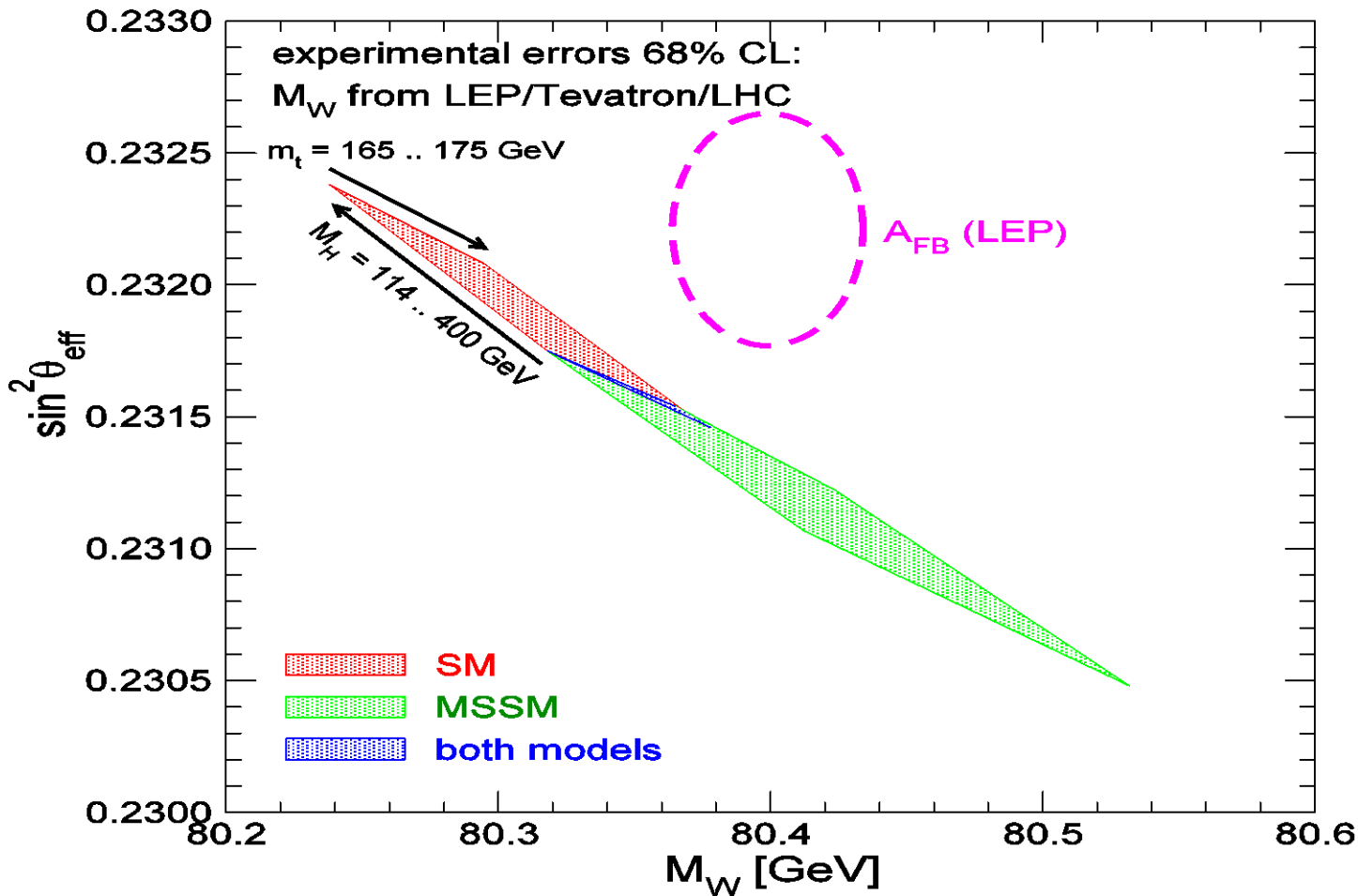
→ Consistent with SM and SUSY

M_W vs. $A_{LR}(SLD)$ -value $\sin^2\theta_{eff}$



→ not consistent with the SM

M_W vs. $A_{FB}(LEP)$ -value $\sin^2\theta_{eff}$



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→ neither consistent with the SM nor SUSY

• precise $\sin^2\theta_{eff}$ -measurement has the potential to rule out both models

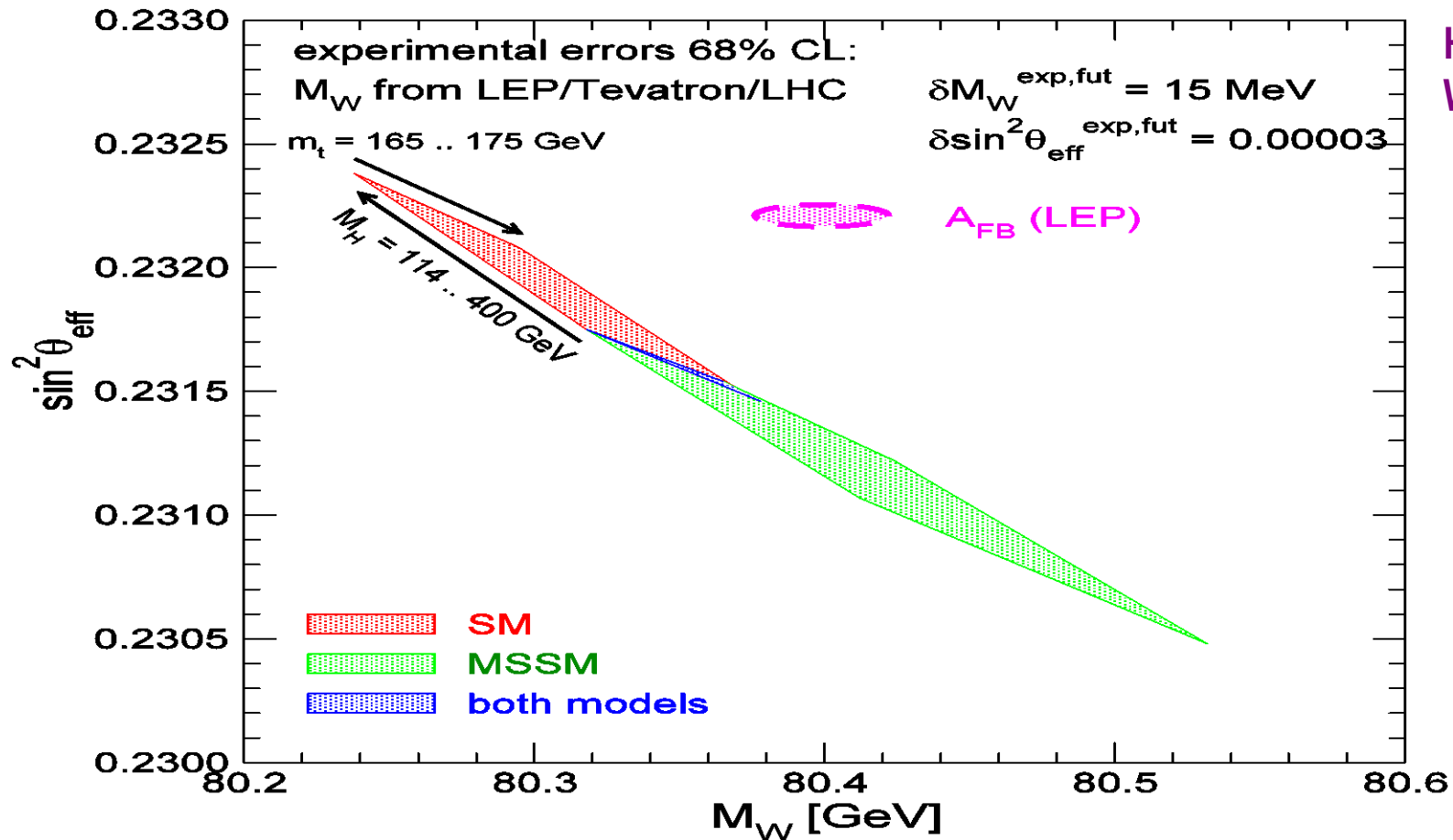
$\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}$ at the Z-factory

- Measure both A_{FB} and A_{LR} in same experiment !
 - with improved precision w.r.t. LEP and SLC
 - resolve discrepancy and interpret it w.r.t. new physics@LHC
 - Which precision should one aim for?
 - Theoretical uncertainties: $\Delta\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{th}} \sim 5 \times 10^{-5}$ (currently)
 - Uncertainties from input parameters: $\Delta m_Z, \Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}, m_{\text{top}}$
 - $\Delta m_Z = 2.1 \text{ MeV}$: $\Delta\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{para}} \sim 1.4 \times 10^{-5}$
 - $\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}} \sim 35 \text{ (5 future)} \times 10^{-5}$: $\Delta\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{para}} \sim 12 \text{ (1.7 future)} \times 10^{-5}$
 - $\Delta m_{\text{top}} \sim 1 \text{ GeV (LHC)}$: $\Delta\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{para}} \sim 3 \times 10^{-5}$
 - $\Delta m_{\text{top}} \sim 0.1 \text{ GeV (ILC)}$: $\Delta\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{para}} \sim 0.3 \times 10^{-5}$
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Possible result of a Z-factory



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→ would unambiguously rule out SM+MSSM !

What's the role of polarization?

- Statistical uncertainty of A_{LR}
 - If only polarized electrons (from source):
 - ΔA_{LR} depends mainly on polarimeter resolution $\Delta P/P \sim 0.5\%-1\%$
 - If both beams are polarized: apply

Blondel scheme: $A_{LR} = f(\sigma_{LR}, \sigma_{RL}, \sigma_{LL}, \sigma_{RR})$

- uncertainty depends on $\Delta\sigma_{LL}$, $\Delta\sigma_{LR}$, $\Delta\sigma_{RL}$, $\Delta\sigma_{RR}$ not on $\Delta P/P$!
- Some running in LL and RR required: $\sim 10\%$ of time

- Assume

- $P(e^-) = 90\%$
- Vary $P(e^+) = 22\%, 30\%, 50\%$

How many Z's are needed for $\Delta \sin^2 \theta_{eff} = 3 \times 10^{-5}$ or even 1.3×10^{-5} ?

As comparison: lumi(GigaZ) = 10^9 Z's in ~ 70 days

Required polarization & years

- Remember: currently $\Delta\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}=1.6\times 10^{-4}$
- $P(e^-)=90\%$, $\Delta P/P=0.5-1\%$ (for e^\pm)

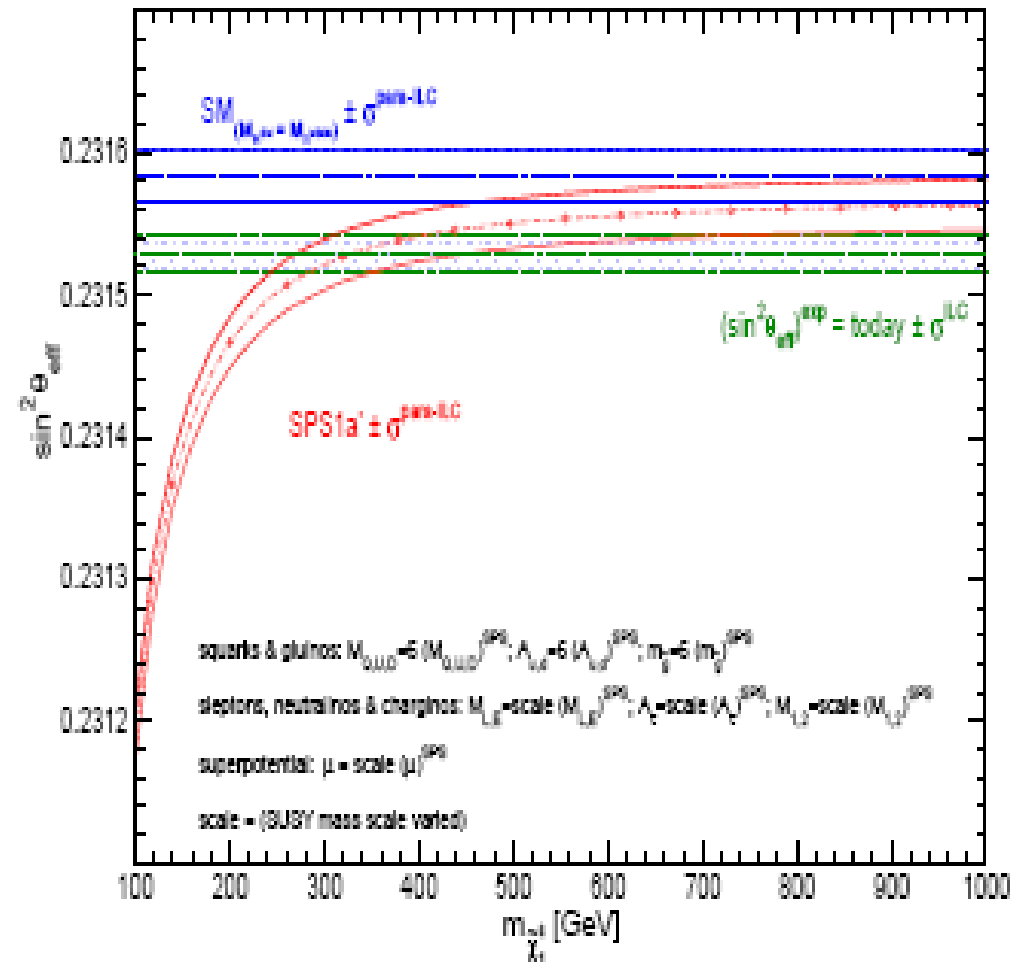
$P(e^+)$	#Z's	$\Delta\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}$	
0%	4.5×10^7	1.0×10^{-4}	No further progress
	9.0×10^8	9.8×10^{-5}	
22%	1.7×10^9	3.0×10^{-5}	3x10 ⁻⁵ : high sensitivity to new physics!
30%	7.7×10^8	3.0×10^{-5}	
50%	2.3×10^8	3.1×10^{-5}	
22%	9.1×10^9	1.3×10^{-5}	'GigaZ': full exploitation only if $m_{\text{top}}=0.1$ GeV
30%	4.1×10^9	1.3×10^{-5}	
50%	1.4×10^9	1.3×10^{-5}	

- Polarization of both beams is mandatory !

→ *GigaZ precision does need high polarization of e^\pm !*

Help in challenging LHC scenarios ?

- Assume only Higgs@LHC but no hints for SUSY:
 - Really SM?
 - Help from $\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}$?
- If GigaZ precision:
 - i.e. $\Delta m_{\text{top}} = 0.1 \text{ GeV} \dots$
 - Deviations measurable
- $\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}$ can be the crucial quantity !



What else at the Z-pole? Plans...

- Measurement of Γ_l
- Measurement of α_s
- Couplings/mixing of Z'-Z studies
- Flavour physics
- further ideas?

Summary table and gain factor

Comparison with (80%,0): estimated gain factor when

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most (80%, 60%) (80%, 30%)

Case	Effects for $P(e^-) \rightarrow P(e^-)$ and $P(e^+)$	Gain& Requirement	
Standard Model:			
top threshold	Electroweak coupling measurement	factor 3	gain factor 2
$t\bar{q}$	Limits for FCN top couplings improved	factor 1.8	gain factor 1.4
CPV in $t\bar{t}$	Azimuthal CP-odd asymmetries give access to S- and T-currents up to 10 TeV	$P_{e^-}^T P_{e^+}^T$ required	$P_{e^-}^T P_{e^+}^T$ required
W^+W^-	Enhancement of $\frac{S}{B}, \frac{\tilde{S}}{\sqrt{B}}$	up to a factor 2	factor 1.3 worse
	TGC: error reduction of $\Delta\kappa_\gamma, \Delta\lambda_\gamma, \Delta\kappa_Z, \Delta\lambda_Z$	factor 1.8	
	Specific TGC $\tilde{h}_+ = \text{Im}(g_1^R + \kappa^R)/\sqrt{2}$	$P_{e^-}^T P_{e^+}^T$ required	$P_{e^-}^T P_{e^+}^T$ required
CPV in γZ	Anomalous TGC $\gamma\gamma Z, \gamma ZZ$	$P_{e^-}^T P_{e^+}^T$ required	
HZ	Separation: $HZ \leftrightarrow H\bar{\nu}\nu$	factor 4	gain factor 2
	Suppression of $B = W^+ \ell^- \nu$	factor 1.7	
$t\bar{t}H$	Top Yukawa coupling measurement at $\sqrt{s} = 500$ GeV	factor 2.5	gain factor 1.6

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P(e+)=30%

Estimated gain factor when only

Case	Effects for $P(e^-) \rightarrow P(e^-)$ and $P(e^+)$	Gain& Requirement
Extra Dimensions: $G\gamma$ $e^+e^- \rightarrow f\bar{f}$	Enhancement of S/B , $B = \gamma\nu\bar{\nu}$, Distinction between ADD and RS models	factor 3 $P_{e^-}^T P_{e^+}^T$ required
New gauge boson Z': $e^+e^- \rightarrow f\bar{f}$	Measurement of Z' couplings	factor 1.5
Contact interactions: $e^+e^- \rightarrow f\bar{f}$	Model independent bounds	P_{e^+} required
Precision measurements of the Standard Model at GigaZ:		
Z-pole	Improvement of $\Delta \sin^2 \theta_W$	\sim factor 10
	Improvement of Higgs bounds	\sim factor 10
	Constraints on CMSSM parameter space	factor 5
CPV in $Z \rightarrow b\bar{b}$	Enhancement of sensitivity	factor 3

Summary and open studies?

- Polarized e^\pm beams required for many new precision studies
- Some effects can only be achieved with polarized e^- and e^+ :
 - access to specific triple gauge couplings
 - accuracy in ΔA_{LR} (important for many studies!)
 - precision measurements on $\sin^2\theta_{eff}$ at the Z-pole
- New strawman baseline design foresees $P(e^+) \sim 22\%$:
 - can be compensated in some cases by achieving $P(e^-) = 90\%$
 - results in some studies to practically no physics gain!
- ‘Cheap and easy’ tools for reinstallation of at least 30% should be done (e.g. via implementation of a collimator)
 - Otherwise powerful tool for some studies is lost!
- *Further ideas / proposals?*