

Status of ILD analyses

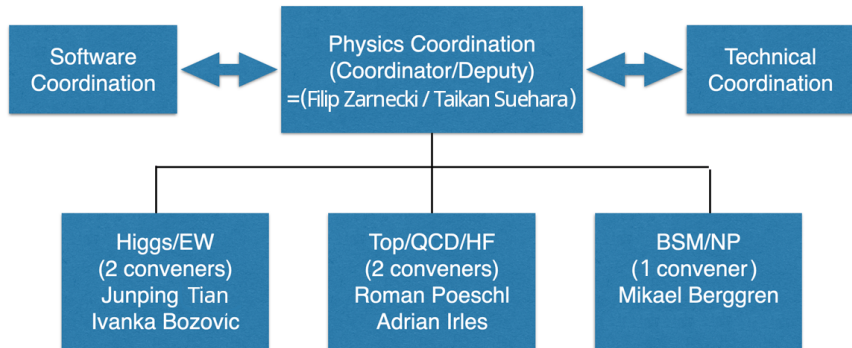
Report from ILD Physics Working Group

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on behalf of the Physics WG conveners



ILD meeting at LCWS2023
May 17, 2023

Group structure from April 1, 2023



Many thanks to Keisuke Fujii for his leading role, over the last years, in coordinating ILD physics activities and shaping of the ILD physics program

Many thanks to Taikan for joining the group management team



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But we also need to take “secondary” targets into account

- physics case for the e^+e^- Higgs Factory in general
contribute to the ECFA Higgs/EW/Top factory study
- challenges to use ILD at other colliders
defined recently as one of our priorities

Analysis highlights

Measurement of $\text{Br}(H \rightarrow Z\gamma)$ at the 250 GeV ILC, E.S. Antonov and A.G. Drutskoy, Published in JETP Lett. 117 (2023) 3, 177-183, [arXiv:2212.07889](https://arxiv.org/abs/2212.07889)

After weighting and applying all cuts the M_Δ distributions is obtained for $\mathcal{P}_{e^-e^+} = (-0.8, +0.3)$ with 2 ab^{-1} integrated luminosity.

The **signal distribution** was described by the convolution of Breit-Wigner and Gaussian functions + additional wide Gaussians to describe both tails:

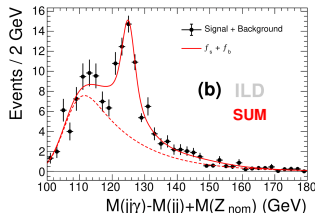
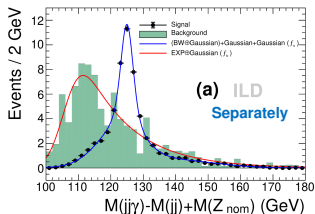
$$F_S(m) = f_1 \text{BW} \otimes G_1 + (1-f_1) \times [f_2 G_2 + (1-f_2) G_3]$$

The **background distribution** is described by:

$$F_B(m) = \exp(-m/\tau) \otimes G_4$$

The fit yields **60 ± 13 signal events for 2 ab^{-1} with single polarization.**

This corresponds to uncertainty of **22%**.

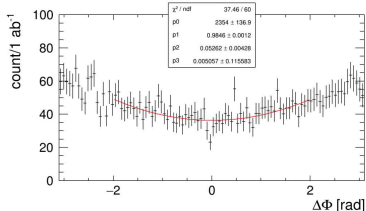


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Probing CPV mixing in the Higgs sector at an e^+e^- collider at around 1 TeV,
N. Vukasinovic, I. Bozovic, G. Kacarevic

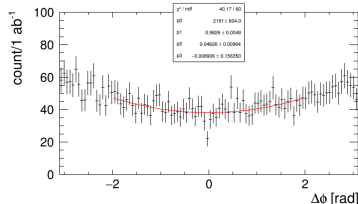
$\Delta\Phi$ reconstructed, corrected, local fit

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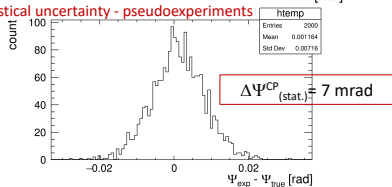


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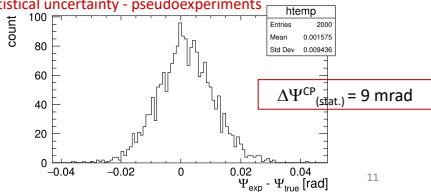
$$\Psi_{CP}=0.0016 \text{ mrad}, |\Psi_{\text{true}}-\Psi_{CP}|=1.6 \text{ mrad}$$



Statistical uncertainty - pseudoexperiments



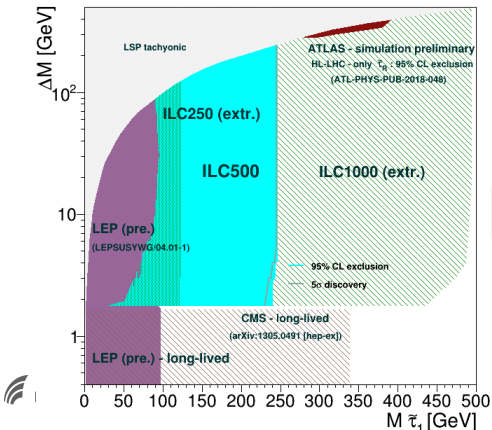
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Evaluating the ILC SUSY reach in the most challenging scenario: $\tilde{\tau}$ NLSP, low ΔM , lowest cross-section, M.T. Núñez Pardo de Vera, M. Berggren, J. List, [arXiv:2203.15729](https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.15729)

Contribution to Snowmass 2021



At ILC discovery and exclusion are almost the same

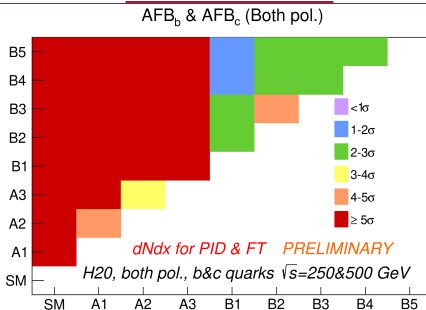
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Experimental prospects for indirect BSM searches in $e^+e^- \rightarrow q\bar{q}$, $q = c, b$ processes at ILC, Jesús P. Márquez Hernández

GHU's Models ILC250+500



The 500 GeV results are an estimation using 2*syst. uncertainties & same preselection ef. than the 250 GeV case

Accessing **higher energies** is a key factor to discriminate these models!

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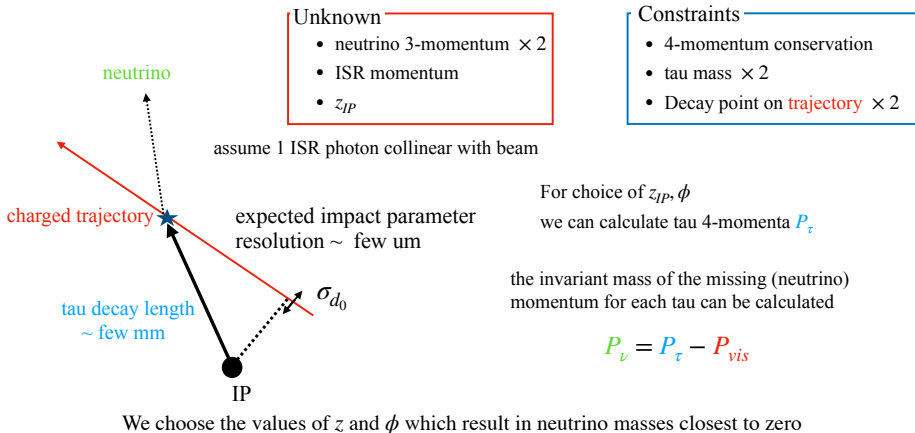
Measuring the tau polarisation at the ILC, Keita Yumino, Daniel Jeans

Unknown

- neutrino 3-momentum $\times 2$
- ISR momentum
- z_{IP}

Constraints

- 4-momentum conservation
- tau mass $\times 2$
- Decay point on trajectory $\times 2$



assume 1 ISR photon collinear with beam

expected impact parameter resolution \sim few μm

tau decay length \sim few mm

σ_{d_0}

IP

We choose the values of z and ϕ which result in neutrino masses closest to zero

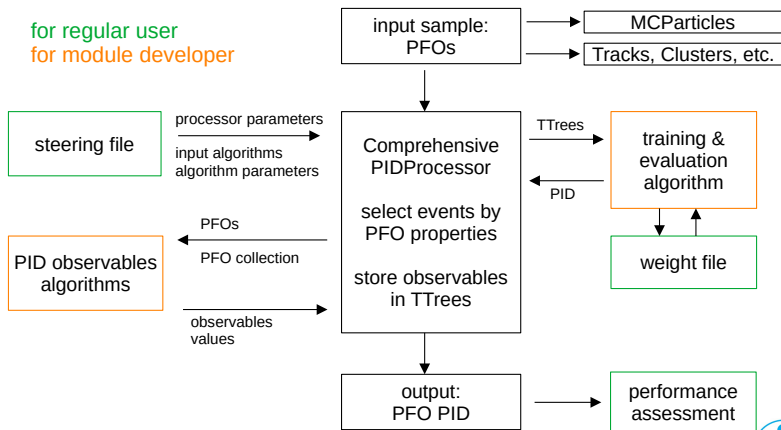
For choice of z_{IP}, ϕ
we can calculate tau 4-momenta P_τ

the invariant mass of the missing (neutrino) momentum for each tau can be calculated

$$P_\nu = P_\tau - P_{vis}$$

Analysis highlights

Comprehensive Particle Identification Framework for Future e^+e^- Colliders, Uli Einhaus



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Track 1 + 2

- Tuning Pythia8 for future e^+e^- colliders (Zhijie Zhao)
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Track 2

Analysis and reconstruction of e^+e^- processes, event simulation, precision calculation, physics performance

- A Particle Identification Framework for Linear Colliders
(Ulrich Einhaus)
- Evaluating Detector and Physics Limitations on Center-of-Mass Energy Determination in e^+e^- Colliders Using Dileptons
(Graham Wilson)
- High level reconstruction with DNN for Higgs factories
(Taikan Suehara)
- Measuring tau polarisation at the ILC (Keita Yumino)
- Modeling Center-of-Mass Energy Precision using Dimuons and Bhabhas at ILC (Brendon Madison)
- Reconstruction of long-lived particles at the ILD (Jan Klamka)

see [presentation by A.Robson](#) for more details

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Focus topics

Topics, that have not been covered in detail yet, interesting for all.
The goal is to encourage communication and collaboration between different projects, exchange expertise, attract new people...

We can also contribute to the identification and understanding of the FCC experimental challenges...

Proposed topics

- 1 **HtoSS** – $e^+e^- \rightarrow Zh: h \rightarrow ss$ ($\sqrt{s} = 240/250$ GeV)
- 2 **ZHang** – $e^+e^- \rightarrow Zh$: reconstruction of production and decay angles ($\sqrt{s} = 240/250$ GeV)
- 3 **Hself** – Determination of the Higgs self-coupling
- 4 **Wmass** – W mass from WW threshold and continuum ($\sqrt{s} = 161$ GeV)
- 5 **WWdiff** – Full studies of WW and $e\nu W$ ($\sqrt{s} = 240/250, 365$ GeV)
- 6 **TTthres** – Top threshold: Detector-level simulation study of $e^+e^- \rightarrow t\bar{t}$ at a typical threshold-scan energy ($\sqrt{s} = 350, 365$ GeV) and threshold scan optimisation
- 7 **LUMI** – Precision of the luminosity measurement from low-angle Bhabha scattering

Proposed topics (cont.)

- 8 **EXscalar** – New exotic scalars
- 9 **LLPs** – Long-lived particles
- 10 **EXtt** – Exotic top decays
- 11 **CKMWW** – CKM matrix elements with on-shell and boosted W decays at $\sqrt{s} \geq m_W$
- 12 **BKtautau** – $B^0 \rightarrow K^{0*} \tau^+ \tau^-$
- 13 **TwoF** – EW precision: 2-fermion final states ($\sqrt{s} = M_Z$ and beyond)
- 14 **BCfrag** – Measurement of b - and c -fragmentation functions and hadronisation rates ($\sqrt{s} = M_Z$ and beyond)
- 15 **Gsplit** – Measurement of gluon splitting to bb / cc , interplay with separating $h \rightarrow$ gluons from $h \rightarrow bb/cc$ ($\sqrt{s} = M_Z$ and beyond)

ILD response

Contact persons appointed by ILD \Rightarrow members of the topical expert teams

#	topic	lead group	ILD group	ILD contact person
1	HtoSS	HTE	Higgs/EW	Taikan Suehara
2	ZHANG	HTE (GLOB)	Higgs/EW	Ivanka Bozovic and Natasa Vukasinovic
3	Hself	GLOB	Higgs/EW	Junping Tian
4	Wmass	PREC	Higgs/EW	Graham Wilson
5	WWdiff	GLOB	Higgs/EW	Jenny List
6	TTdet	HTE	Top/HF/QCD	Marcel Vos
7	TTscan	GLOB (HTE)	Top/HF/QCD	Marcel Vos
8	LUMI	PREC	Higgs/EW	Ivanka Bozovic
9	EXscalar	SRCH	BSM	Mikael Berggren
10	LLPs	SRCH	BSM	Filip Zarnecki
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12	CKMWW	FLAV	Top/HF/QCD	Uli Einhaus
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14	TwoF	HTE	Top/HF/QCD	Adrian Irls and Roman Pöschl
15	BCfrag	FLAV (PREC)	Top/HF/QCD	Adrian Irls
16	Gsplit	PREC (FLAV)	Higgs/EW	(same expert team as 15?)

Interested ILD members are encouraged to join the effort...

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Uncovered subjects

Exotic decays ($H \rightarrow \phi\phi \rightarrow \dots$)

Reinforce study on Higgs exotic decays, in particular in relation to DM;

Also to be extended to searches/identification of new exotic scalars

Flavorful Higgs decays

$H \rightarrow sb$ flavor violation models, but also $H \rightarrow ss$ for s -quark Yukawa coupling, with improved s -tag algorithm;

Possible new developments in previously completed studies

Higgs BRs measurements

$H \rightarrow bb(cc, gg)$ with improved flavor tagging algorithms,
combined analysis of different channels

Higgs recoil mass

Better understating of systematic uncertainties,
in particular in primary Z hadronic decays;

Consider hadronic Z decay channel also in new scalar search

Anomalous TGCs

Explore the potential of constraining CP-odd aTGCs;
Understand interplay between aTGCs and other Higgs/EW measurements;

Possible advances in ongoing studies

Higgs self-coupling

Combining di-Higgs and single Higgs production measurements for more clear picture and better understating of theoretical interpretations

CPV in Higgs decays

Better tau and tau polarization reconstruction, common interpretation for Hff and HVV vertices;

Indirect BSM searches

Explore more EWPOs, other than A_{LR} , and better understand systematics;



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