ECFA Higgs/top/EWK study: status & plans



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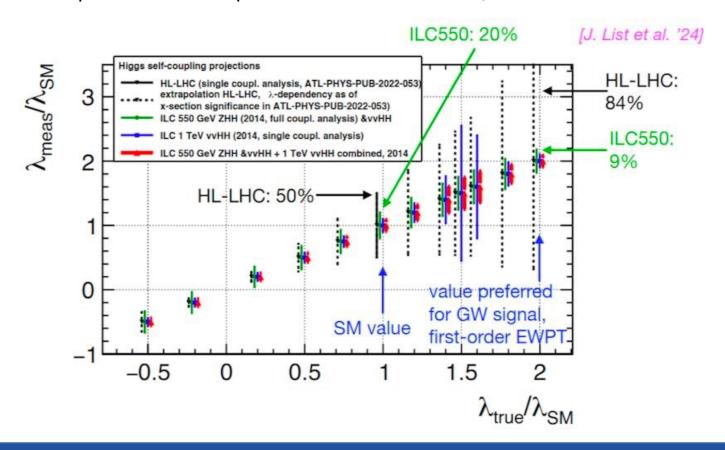


- ◆ 3rd ECFA workshop took place last week https://indico.in2p3.fr/event/32629/overview
- ◆ More than 200 participants [in person]
- 120 talks plus two online overflow sessions this week https://indico.cern.ch/event/1459975/
- Lively discussions especially in parallel sessions
- Thanks to everyone who contributed
- Special thanks to subgroup conveners for all their work preparing the programme

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Higgs self-coupling:

- ongoing work on models that can deviate significantly from SM predictions for otherwise allowed points
 - plus developments in experimental sensitivity!

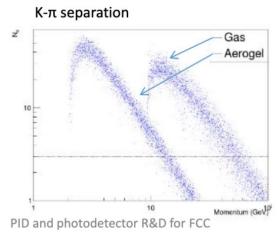


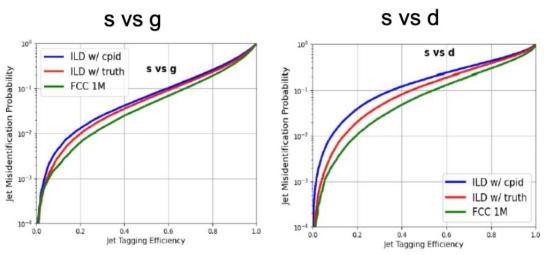
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A lot of developments in **flavour tagging**

ILC Simulation - Unsorted Sample - 20 Epochs b tagging let Misidentification Probability b vs q **LCFIPlus** Jet Tagging Efficiency ILC Simulation - Unsorted Sample - 20 Epochs 100 c tagging et Misidentification Probability c vs q **LCFIPlus** Jet Tagging Efficiency

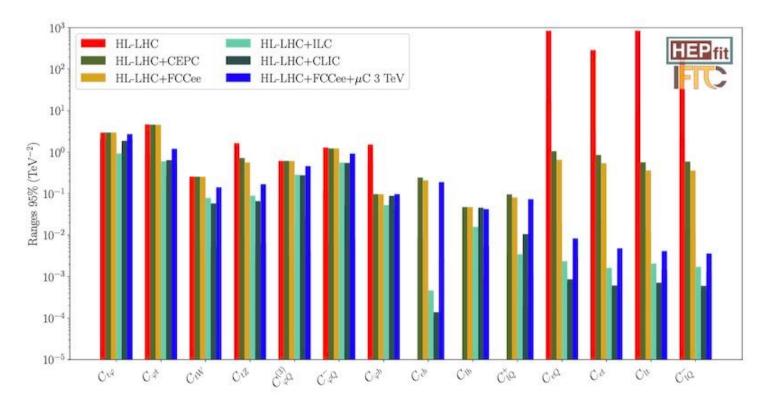
ParticleTransformer on ILD full simulation – significant performance improvement over previous-generation tools Much work towards strange-tagging, including new detector options





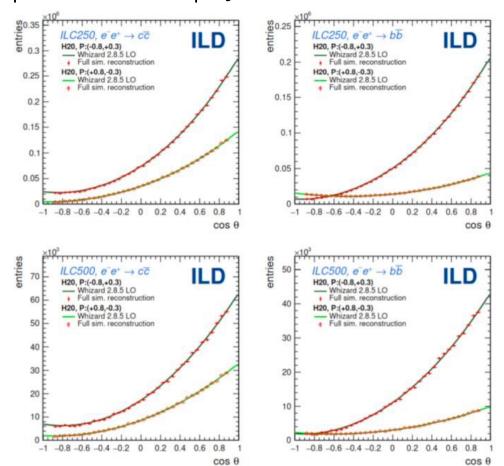
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Top – new/updated global fitting of top and bottom operators Preliminary results: excellent bounds on operators affecting EW interactions of the top quark



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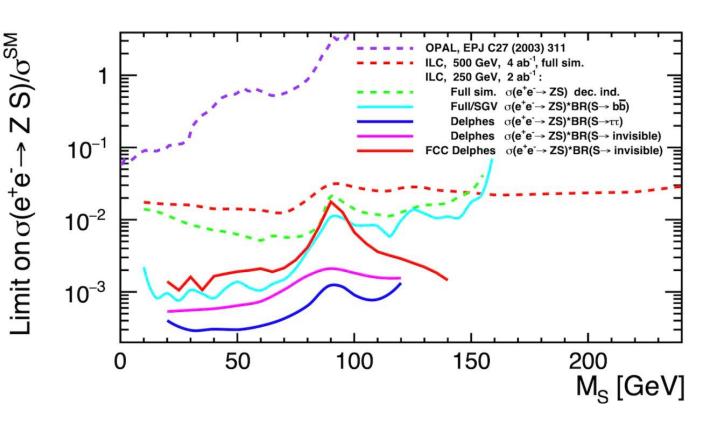
Two-fermion production – new results achieving per-mil level statistical uncertainties and reduced experimental systematics – sensitive probe for new physics



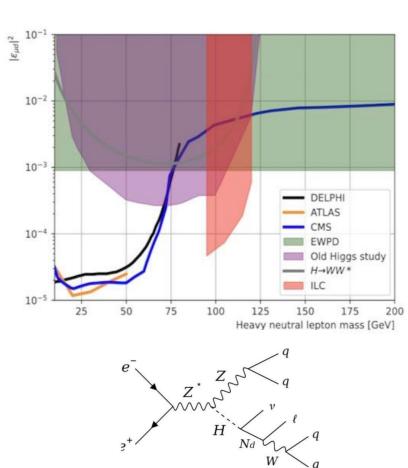
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Searches: many new/updated studies



Scalar-strahlung e+e--> ZS, S-> various final states



Heavy Neutral Leptons

Report Planning

Now: try to capture the huge amount of activity in a useful report

◆ Concept: a synoptic outline of the physics case and the ECFA study activities, drawing particular attention to the work that has spanned projects, concepts, and WGs, helping to strengthen and build the e⁺e⁻ community.

The report should:

- be self-contained and reasonably comprehensive
 (but not ab initio and not extensively repeating material from previous reports)
- and be concise enough that it's a document that people can actually read
- Activities encouraged to write individual notes/papers
 - -> report will largely summarise and reference them

taking shape in Overleaf

Report Planning

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5	1	Intro	duction
6		1.1	Physics Landscape Overview
7		1.2	Higgs Factories Overview
8			1.2.1 Runplans
9	2	Con	amon Developments
10	_	2.1	Software Ecosystem
11		2.2	Generators
12		2.3	Beamstrahlung & Luminosity Spectra
13		2.4	FOCUS TOPIC: Luminosity
14		2.5	Technical Benchmarks
15		2.6	Simulation
16		2.7	Reconstruction
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17	3		elopments in Higgs Physics
18		3.1	FOCUS TOPIC: ZH production and angular studies
19			3.1.1 CP-odd coupling studies
20			3.1.2 CP-even coupling studies
21			3.1.3 Entanglement sensitivity
22			Focus Topic: $H \rightarrow ss$
23		3.3	Other rare Higgs couplings
24			3.3.1 Higgs-electron Yukawa
25		27.70	3.3.2 Flavour-violating Higgs decays
26		3.4	Focus Topic: Higgs self-coupling
27			3.4.1 Introduction
28			3.4.2 Progress in theory
29			3.4.3 Progress in single-Higgs approach
30			3.4.4 Progress in di-Higgs approach
31	4	Dev	elopments in Electroweak Physics & QCD
32		4.1	Focus Topic: W boson mass measurement
33		4.2	Precision W-boson coupling measurements
34		4.3	Focus Topic: 2-fermion final states
35			4.3.1 Introduction
36			4.3.2 Theoretical and phenomenological aspects
37			4.3.3 Experimental aspects
38		4.4	Other Z-boson and neutrino interactions
39			4.4.1 Electron couplings from transversely polarized beams
40			4.4.2 Flavour changing Zecays
41			4.4.3 Zoson decays in models with right-handed neutrinos
42			4.4.4 Four-fermion interactions with neutrinos
43			4.4.5 Neutrino anomalous magnetic moment
44		4.5	Focus Topic: WWdiff
45		4.6	FOCUS TOPIC: Fragmentation and hadronisation
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46	5		elopments in Top Physics
47		5.1	Focus Topic: TTthresh
48			5.1.1 Top quark properties from the threshold scan
49			5.1.2 Top quark couplings in the SMEFT
50		5.2	FOCUS TOPIC: EXtt (?)
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52		6.1	Model independent: Global SMEFT fits
53			6.1.1 Interpretation in terms of particular scenarios
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54		6.2	Analyses in specific models
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56		7.1	Phenomenological Introduction
57			7.1.1 General motivation for BSM
58			7.1.2 Possible scenarios with focus on direct signatures
59			7.1.3 Possible search strategies
60			7.1.4 Expected search landscape after HL-LHC
61		7.2	Focus topic: Exotic scalar searches
62		7.3	Focus topic: Long lived particles
63			7.3.1 Heavy Neutral Leptons
64		7.4	Focus topic: Exotics top decays
65		7.5	Further topics
66			7.5.1 Heavy Neutral Leptons
67			7.5.2 Dark Photons (?)
68			7.5.3 SUSY searches
69			7.5.4 Dark Matter
70			7.5.5 Exotic Z decays (?)
71			7.5.6 Exotic Higgs boson decays (including invisible)
72			7.5.7 Two-particle angular correlations in the search for new physics
73		7.6	Detector and running option considerations
74			7.6.1 Role of polarization
75			7.6.2 Key detector design issues
76			7.6.3 Key challenges in systematics
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78			Flavour landscape at the time of Higgs factories
79		0.1	8.1.1 Challenges in lattice QCD for for precise predictions
80		82	Focus Topic: CKM elements from W decays
		0.2	FOCUS TOPIC: $B o K$ = $and B o K^{(*)}vv$
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9 New Detector Technologie



Introduction Common Developments Developments in Higgs Physics Developments in Electroweak Physics & QCD

Developments in Top Physics Global Interpretations **Direct Searches for New Particles** Flavour

New Detector Technologies

Timeline

20/10	Deadline for physics studies to submit 2-page summary
◆ 20/10 – 10/11	Compilation and editing by WG1 subgroup conveners / nominated editors, and WG2/3 editors (as well as coordinators & chief editors) 10/11 is the deadline for WG1 subgroup conveners finish their part!
◆ 10/11 – 27/11	Editing by WG1 coordinators, WG2/3 editors & coordinators, and chief editors.
	27/11 is deadline for complete draft to be handed over to chief editor.
◆ 27/11 − 18/12	Editing by chief editors only
♦ 18/12	Circulation of version 1 to contributors and R-ECFA
◆ 17/1	Deadline to receive comments on version 1
4 24/1	Deadline to receive final results/plots from contributors
February	Incorporation of comments, final results, and references
4 21/2	Final version to R-ECFA
◆ 7–8/3	R-ECFA approval during country visit followed by submission to arXiv

WG1 Physics Programme: 2-page summaries

- Physics studies are asked to provide a 2-page summary as input to the report
- Must use template: https://www.overleaf.com/read/sqtfdqjvdnqd#386e64
- ◆ What's expected: a brief self-contained description plus results, as a table / 1 or 2 plots.
- ◆ Each study should upload a zip file of the full source plus a pdf by 20th October! Upload location: https://indico.cern.ch/event/1455398/



It's fully understood that results may not be final by 20th October, but this deadline is necessary to allow the report to be prepared. There will be an opportunity to update the results (latest 24th January; see timeline).

WG2 Physics Analysis Tools

- WG2 report sections adopt a more top-down approach. ... but the spirit is the same: all help and additional input is very welcome.
- Editors for the broad topics span projects for maximum coverage, and will solicit input for their sections. But you are also welcome to contact them with offers of text and help!:

Topic

Software Ecosystem Generators Technical Benchmarks Beamstrahlung & Luminosity Spectra Thorsten Ohl, Daniel Schulte Simulation Reconstruction

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Coordinated overall by WG2 coordinators, Patrizia, Dirk & Fulvio

WG3 Detector Technologies

- ◆ WG3 acts as a bridge between DRDs and HTE factory detector concepts
- Detector technologies chapter will (very!) compactly summarize the main R&D directions, challenges, and recent results specifically towards HTE factory detectors
- ◆ As with WG2, WG3 chapter adopts a more top-down approach
- ◆ In particular, trying to avoid duplication with other reports towards ESPPU

Topic

Experimental conditions

Discussion on the evolution of detector concepts from linear to circular Mid-term R&D plans towards HTE factories, from DRD collaborations

- Vertex & Tracking
- Calorimetry & PID
- Integration, Mechanics & Cooling

Organised by WG3 coordinators, Felix, Giovanni & Mary-Cruz

The next phase

- We have seen a huge amount of activity and many beautiful results over the course of the ECFA Study
- ◆ It's a challenge to capture all this in a useful and readable report in a short timescale
- ◆ The next 2 months will be very intensive involving a lot of interaction among contributors, conveners, editors!

◆ Thanks to everyone involved, in advance!!!

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Focus Topics Expert Teams

- Focus topic definitions have been developed by 'expert teams' from across projects, driven by the WG1 coordinators & conveners (next slide)
- ◆ Note: expert team members participating as 'consultants' not necessarily active in topics at the moment!

Expert Teams

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