#### Analysis of 6-jet mode in ZHH

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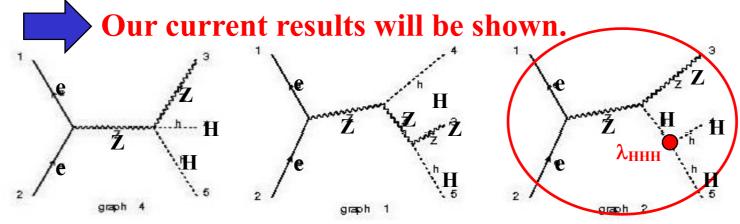
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### Introduction

#### **ZHH analysis**

- ZHH has the information of Higgs self-coupling.
  - $\succ \ \lambda_{HHH} = 6 v \lambda \longleftrightarrow M_{H}^{2} = 2 \lambda v^{2}$
  - > Necessary to confirm the Higgs mechanism.
- Analysis mode: ZHH→qqHH
  - > Higgs mass: 120 GeV
    - $\checkmark$  Higgs mainly decays into bb with ~70% branching ratio.
  - > Integrated luminosity: 2 ab<sup>-1</sup>



# Signal v.s. Background

Many background processes contaminate into qqHH analysis.

# of events at 2  $ab^{-1}$ qqHH: 135.2ab 270.4 **B.G.** processes • tt : 583.6fb • 1,200,000 • ZtZ : 395.78fb • 790,000  $(ZZ \rightarrow bbbb : 9.05 fb)$ (18,000)• ZH : 62.1fb • 120,000 • tbtb : 1.2fb • 2,400 • ZZZ: 1.2fb • 2,400

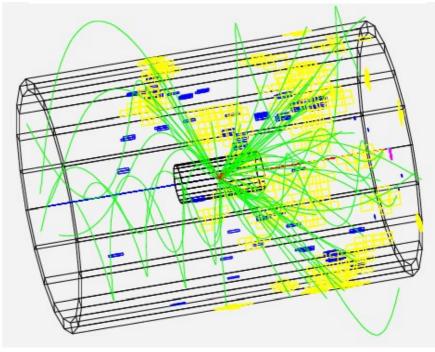
Powerful B.G. rejection is necessary to derive signal significance.

# Simulation study

#### **Simulation procedure**

- Event generation
  - > MadGraph
  - > Hadronization is done by Pythia
  - > ISR, FSR, beamstrahlung, and beam energy spread are ignored.
- Detector simulation
  - > Quick-sim for GLD
- Analysis
  - > ROOT based analysis

#### Event display of a $HH\nu_{\mu}\nu_{\mu}$ event



## Reconstruction of Higgs mass

At first, masses of Higgs and Z were reconstructed.

#### **Higgs mass reconstruction**

- All the events are reconstructed as 6-jet events.
- Jet-pairs are selected by minimizing the  $\chi^2$  function.

$$\chi^{2} = \frac{({}^{\text{rec.}}M_{H1} - {}^{\text{true}}M_{H})^{2}}{\sigma_{H1}^{2}} + \frac{({}^{\text{rec.}}M_{H2} - {}^{\text{true}}M_{H})^{2}}{\sigma_{H2}^{2}} + \frac{({}^{\text{rec.}}M_{Z} - {}^{\text{true}}M_{Z})^{2}}{\sigma_{H2}^{2}}$$

$$\begin{cases} \bullet {}^{\text{rec.}}M_{H1, H2} : \text{Reconstructed Higgs mass} \\ \bullet {}^{\text{rec.}}M_{Z} : \text{Reconstructed Z mass} \\ \bullet {}^{\text{true}}M_{H} : 120\text{GeV} \\ \bullet {}^{\sigma_{H1, H2}, \sigma_{Z} : 40 \text{ MeV (tentatively used)} \\ \end{cases}$$
The distribution of the reconstructed Higgs mass was investigated with B.G. events.

# Reconstructed M<sub>H</sub> distribution

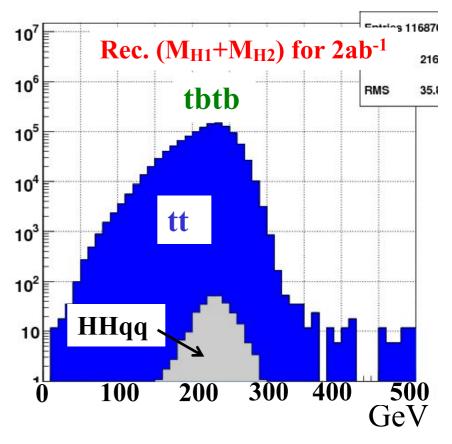
A large number of B.G. events contaminate in the signal region.

- tt and tbtb were considered as B.G. in this study.
- As the first step, rough selection cut was applied.



**Selection cut** 

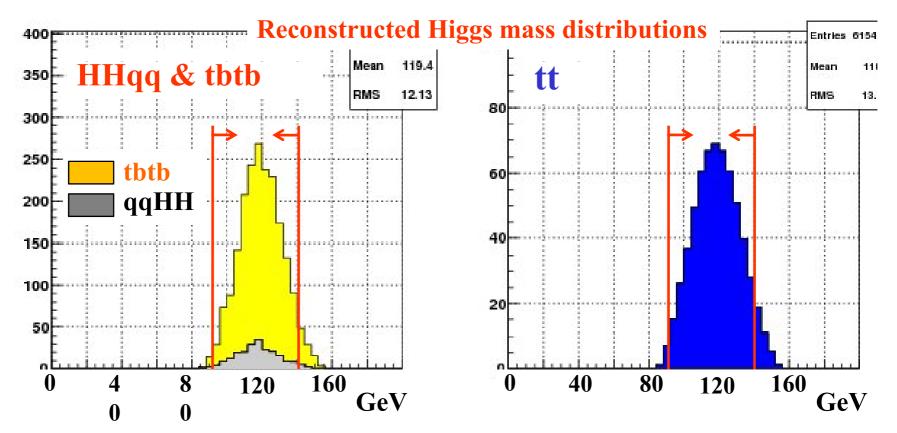
- $\chi^2$  cut
- Higgs and Z mass cut
- Missing energy cut
- Lepton track cut
- b-tag cut



## Higgs & Z mass cut

Reconstructed masses of Higgs and Z were chosen after selection of  $\chi^2 < 20$ .

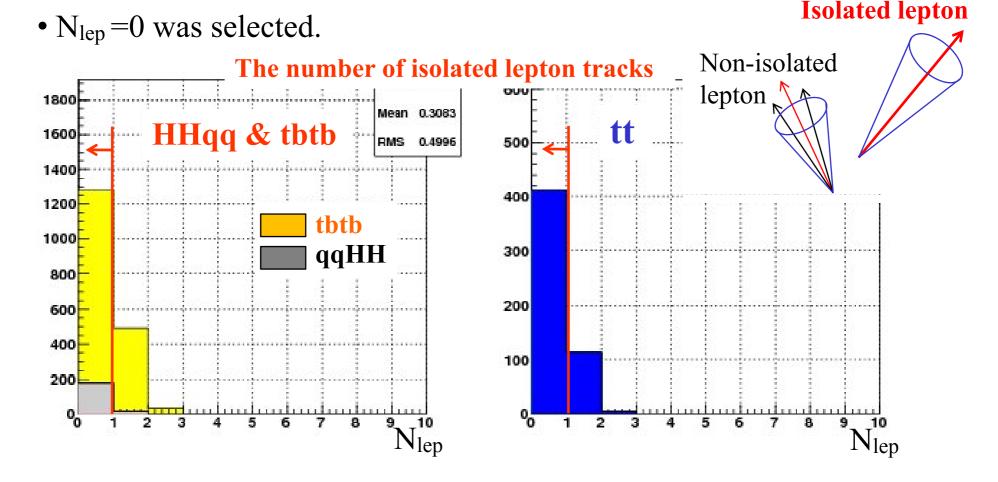
- $90 \text{GeV} < M_{\text{H1,2}} < 140 \text{GeV}$
- $60 \text{GeV} < M_Z < 110 \text{GeV}$



### Isolated lepton tracks

# of isolated lepton tracks was checked after the mass selection.

• The total energy within 20 deg. around the lepton tracks was used to select the isolated lepton tracks.

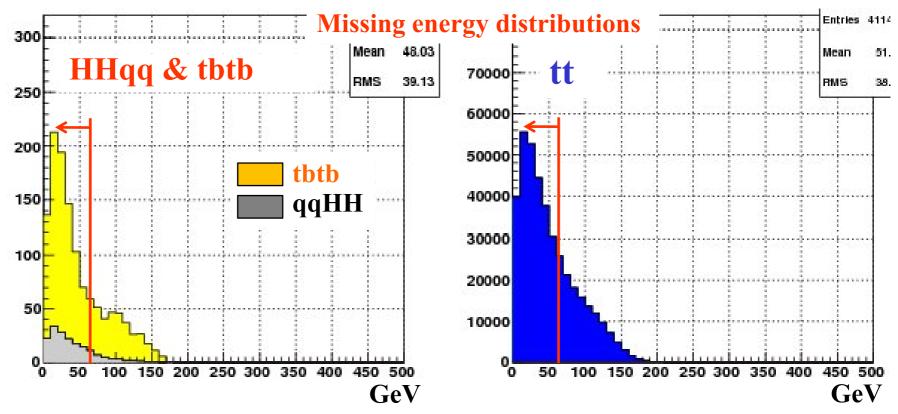


# Missing E cut

Missing energy was investigated.

- tt events have broader distribution to higher energy.
- $^{\text{miss}}\text{E} < 70\text{GeV}$  was selected.

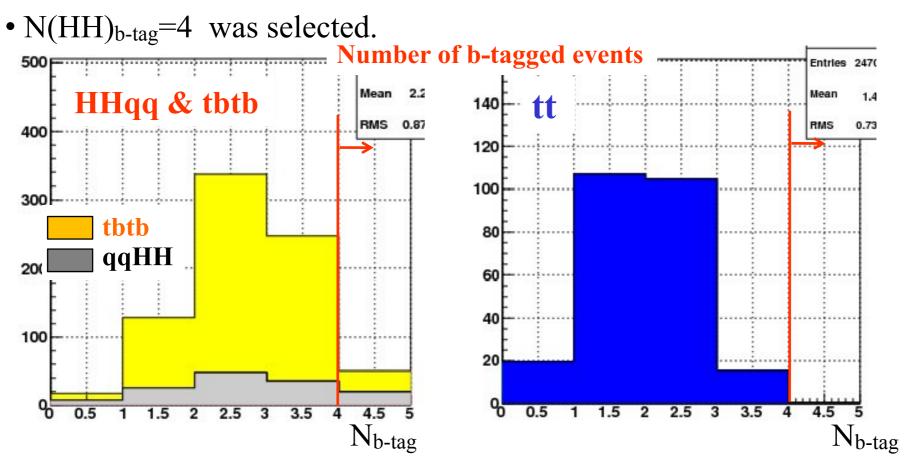
> tt: 302953, tbtb: 816



### b-tag selection for Higgs candidate

The b-tagging was applied to jets for the Higgs candidates.

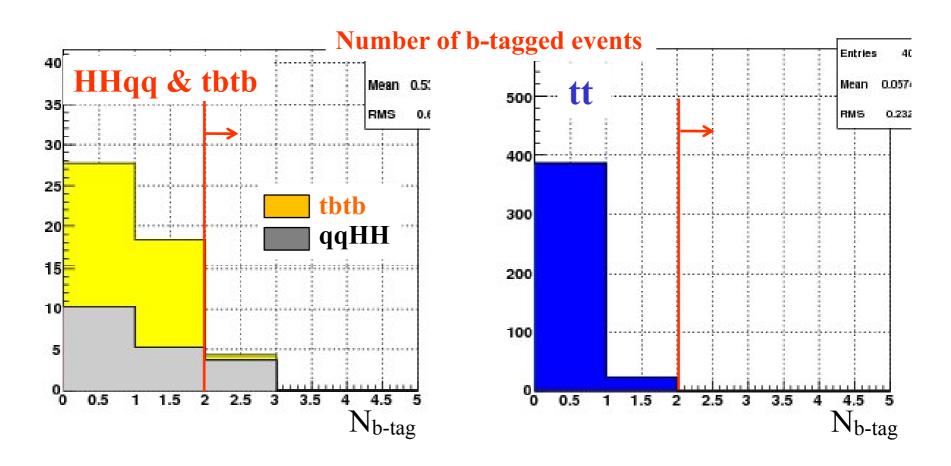
- b-tag. requirement: 3 tracks with  $3\sigma$  separation from IP.
- tt events have a peak at  $N_{b-tag}=1\sim2$ .



#### b-tag selection for Z candidate

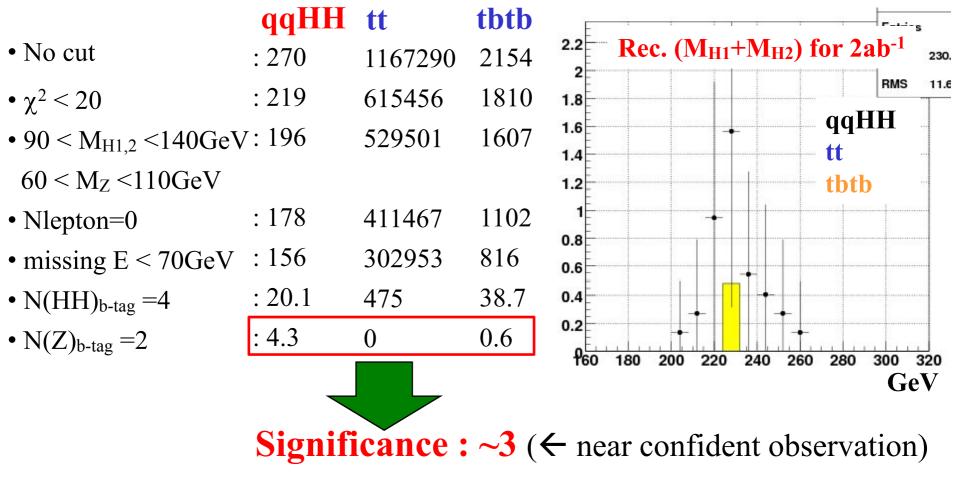
The b-tagging was applied to jets for the Z candidates.

- $N(Z)_{b-tag}=2$  was selected.
  - > tt: 0, tbtb: 0.6



#### Reduction summary & Signal significance

The reduction rate at each cut was summarized for 2 ab<sup>-1</sup>.

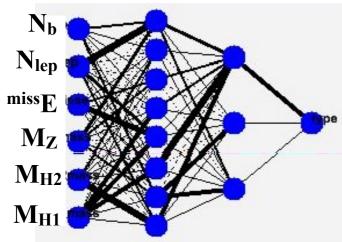


• Improvement of the b-tagging is necessary to obtain more significance.

### Neural-net analysis

The neural-net method was applied to the current analysis. Input for NN analysis Training condition

- M<sub>H1</sub>
- M<sub>H2</sub>
- $M_Z$
- miss<sub>E</sub>
- N<sub>lep</sub>
- $N_b(N(HH)_{b-tag} + N(Z)_{b-tag})$



- Hidden layer : 10
- Epoch: 100
- Training sample
  - > Signal: 10000
  - > B.G.: 50000(tt) + 4000(tbtb)
- The training condition was adopted tentatively.
  - > To be optimized.

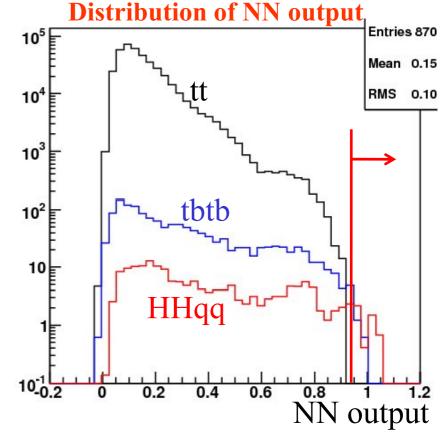
## NN output

NN output above 0.95 was selected tentatively.

#### <u>NN output > 0.95</u>

- HHqq: 4.2
- tt: 0
- tbtb: 1.8





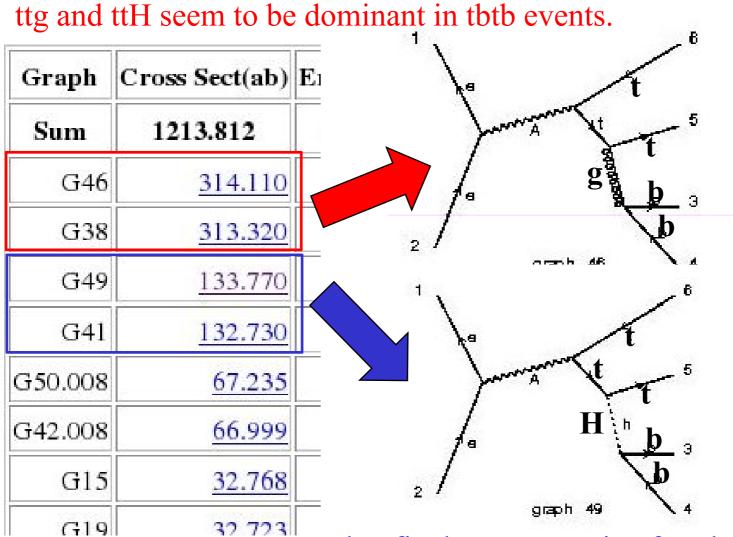
- The proper input valuables must be considered.
- The weight for the NN inputs and the number of the hidden layers should be optimized.

# Summary

- ZHH $\rightarrow$ qqHH is studied to investigate the ILC performance for Higgs self-coupling.
- The signal significance of  $\sim$ 3 was obtained by cut based and neural-net analysis.
  - > Excellent b-tagging is essential for this study.
  - > The sufficient input valuables must be considered for the neural-net analysis.
- The analysis will be done by the full simulation.

> The analysis can be done realistically, especially for the b-tagging.

### tbtb diagram in MadGraph



What final states remain after the selection cuts?

### Remaining tbtb events

The remaining tbtb events were checked after the selection cuts.

			tbtb		
	HHqq	tt	bbbjjbjj	bbbjjblv	Anything
• No cut	: 270	1167200	1119	526	2420
• $\chi^2 < 10$	: 169	409513	800	253	1382
• $90 < M_{H1,2} < 140 GeV$	7:163	393069	761	247	1336
$60 < M_Z < 110 GeV$					
• Nlepton=0	: 149	322834	761	85	947
• missing E < 70GeV	: 134	249078	707	12	726
• $N(HH)_{b-tag} = 4$	: 19	414	31	0.4	36
• N(Z) <sub>b-tag</sub> >0	: 9.1	23.5	14.9	0.1	15.7
• $N(Z)_{b-tag} = 2$	: 3.8	0	2.0	0.	0.6

• Leptonic decay mode of W is rejected effectively.

• The hadronic decay mode is the main background.

#### Isolated lepton tracks

