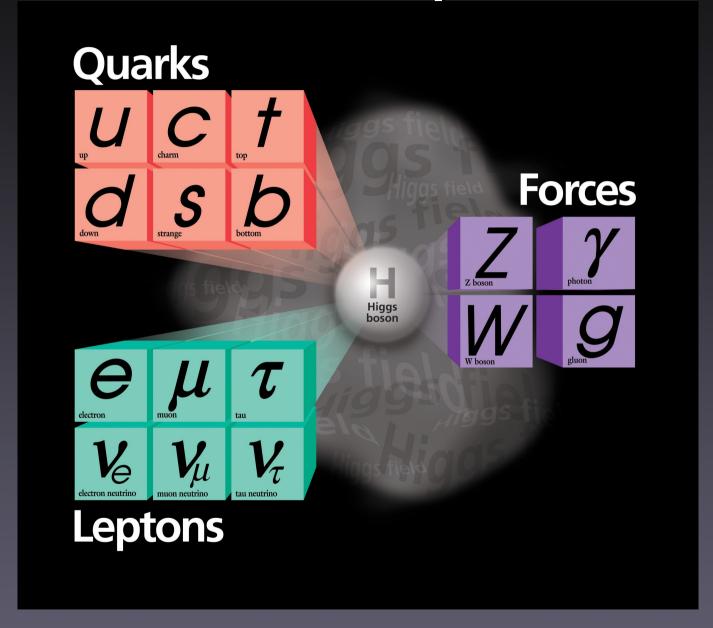




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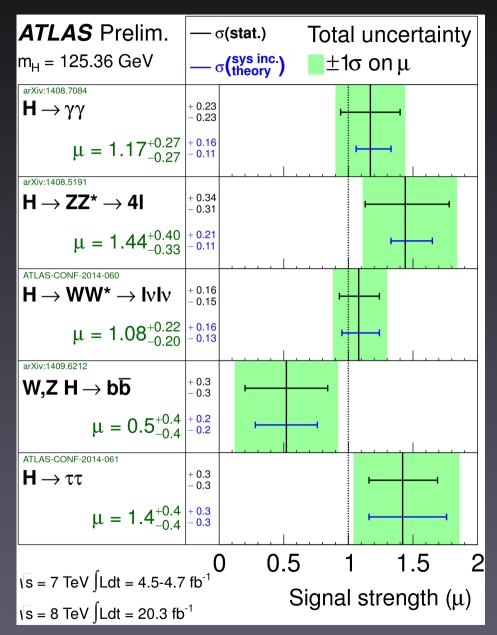


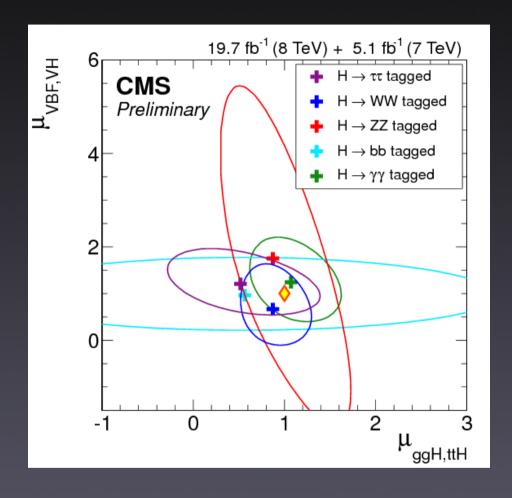




The Higgs -What do we know ...







Looks like the Standard Model Higgs Boson...





Now what?



Dark Matter

Dark Energy & Inflation

Standard Model

Electroweak
Symmetry
Breaking

Matter Asymmetry

Neutrinos



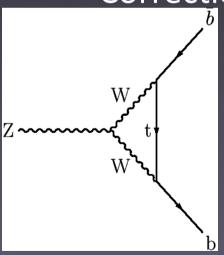


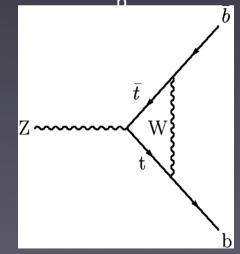
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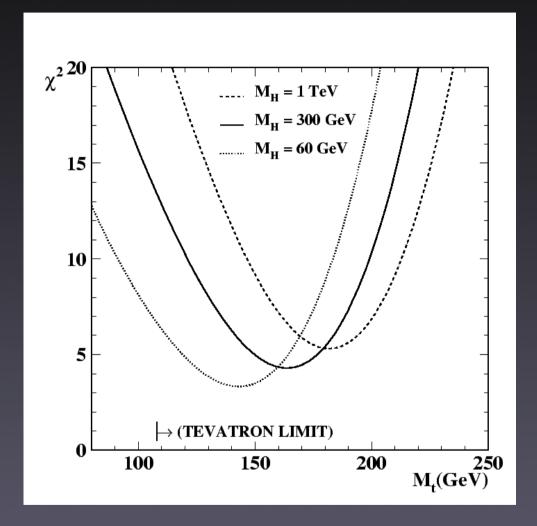


- Measuring R_b
 - $Z \rightarrow b\overline{b}$
- Even m_t >> m_z

Corrections to R_s







LEP-EWWG Plot from 1993, before Top evidence from the Tevatron.

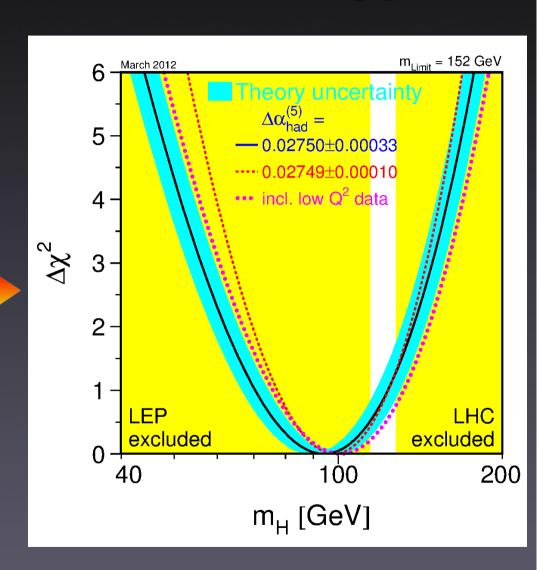


SM precision constraints the Higgs

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Measurements from LEP (and SLD, Tevatron)

 $M_{H} = 94 \text{ GeV} + 29 \text{ GeV} / - 24 \text{ GeV}$





Higgs as Window to new physics



SM Higgs Sector
Incomplete:

Fine-tuning/mass stabilization

SUSY and Friends

- New particles
- 5 or more Higgs Bosons
 - Modified Higgs couplings

Higgs Compositeness

Modified Higgs Couplings

Search for new Particles

Precisely probe Higgs Couplings

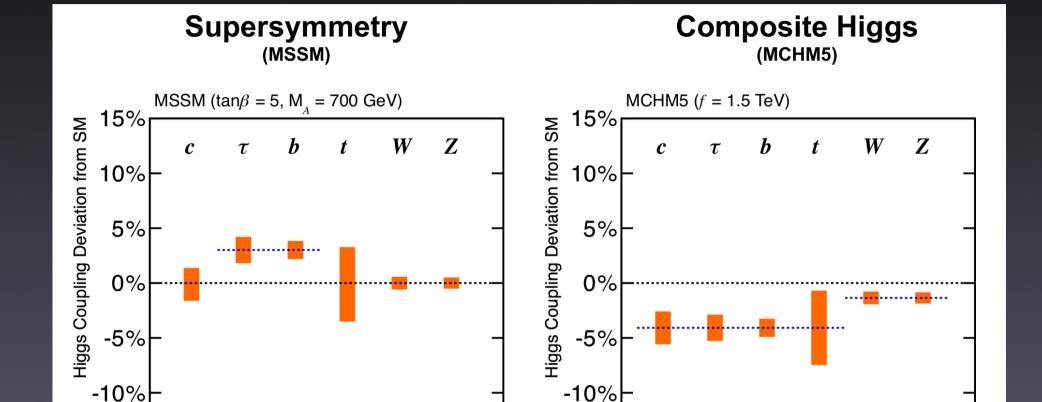




-15%

Probing new physics





ILC 250+550 LumiUP

ILC Projection [Ref. arXiv:1310.0763]

250 GeV, 1150 fb⁻¹ \oplus 550 GeV, 1600 fb⁻¹

Percent-level accuracy on Higgs Couplings essential!

-15%



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ILC Projection [Ref. arXiv:1310.0763]

250 GeV, 1150 fb⁻¹ \oplus 550 GeV, 1600 fb⁻¹



Precision for the Terascale



- To complement the LHC/HL-LHC a precision machine is required
 - Only e⁺e⁻ colliders offer the required precision (1%)
- e⁺e⁻Advantages
 - Well defined initial state and tunable E_{CMS}
 - Clean environment, no QCD backgrounds
 - All background process can be calculated with high precision
 - low radiation environment





Why a Linear Accelerator



- Basic Limitations e⁺e⁻ synchrotons
 - Synchrotron radiation loss ~ E⁴/r
 - Synchrotron cost ~ quadratically with Energy (B. Richter 1980)
 - E_{CMS}=~ 200 GeV as upper limit
- A Linear Accelerator offers a clear way to higher energy
 - Not limited by synchrotron radiation
 - Cost ~ linear with Energy
 - Polarization of both beams

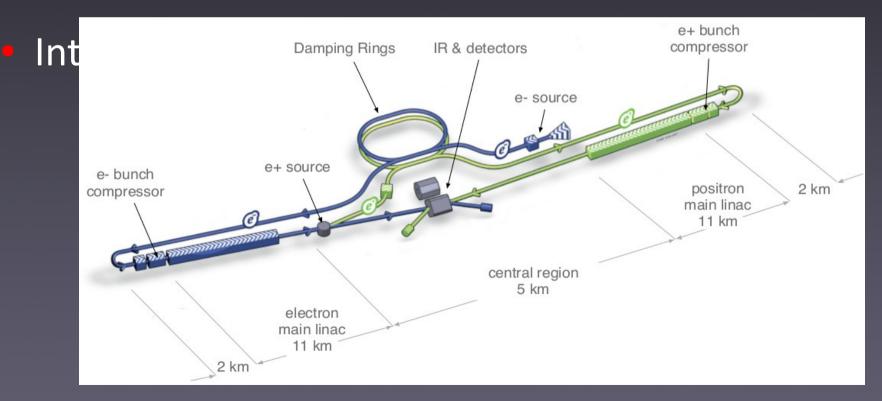




The ILC Project



- The ILC (International Linear Collider)
 - A 500 GeV (baseline) GeV e+e- Linear Collider
 - Upgrade Path to 1 TeV
 - Polarization of both beams



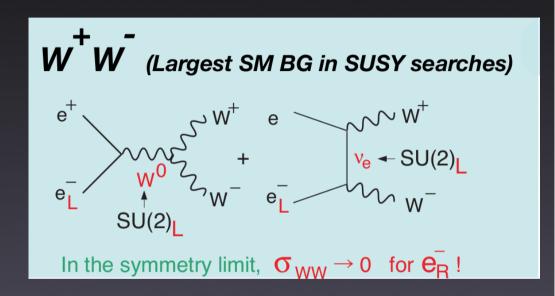


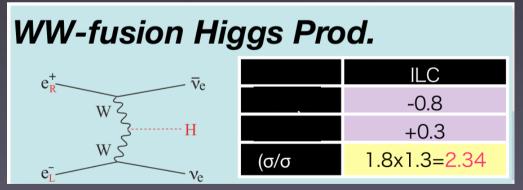


Power of polarization at the ILC



- The ILC offers polarized
 e⁺/e⁻ beams
- Baseline
 - 80 % polarization for e⁻
 - 30 % polarization for e⁺
- Upgrades possible
 - 90 % polarization for e⁻
 - 60 % polarization for e⁺
- Unique capabilities





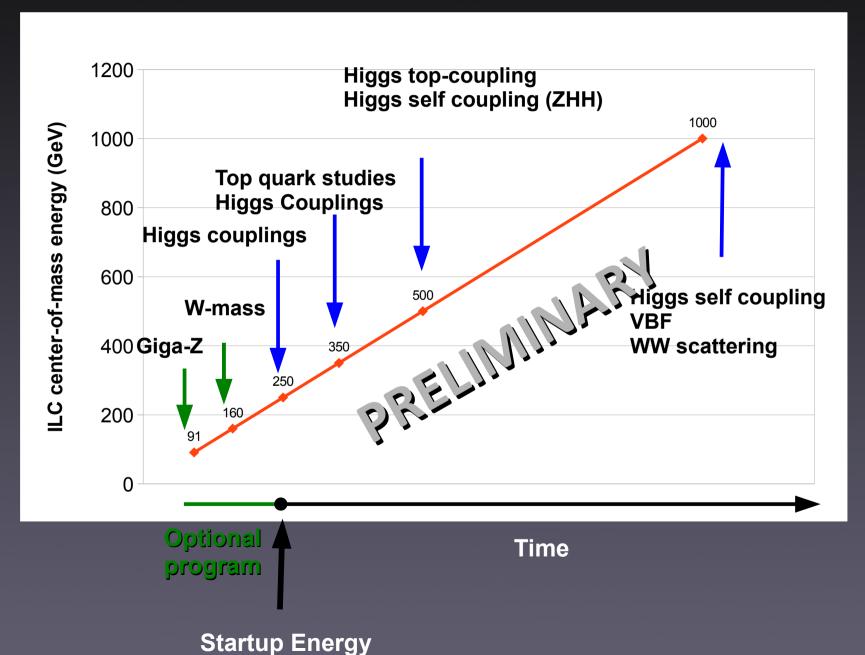




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ILC physics program







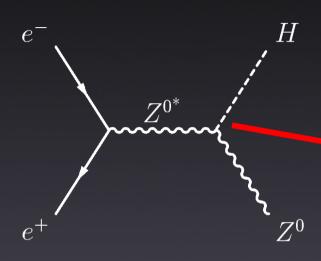
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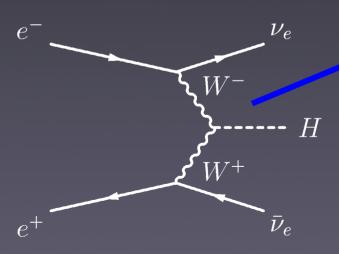


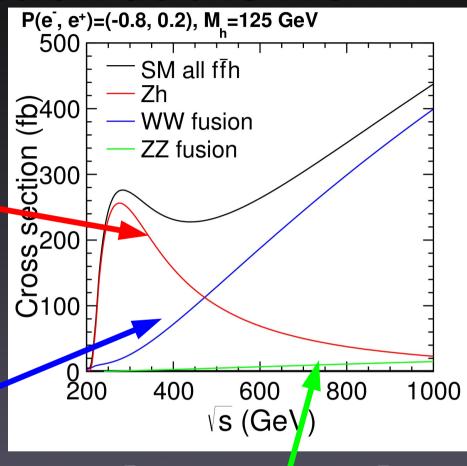
Higgs Production at the ILC

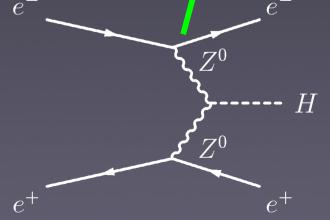
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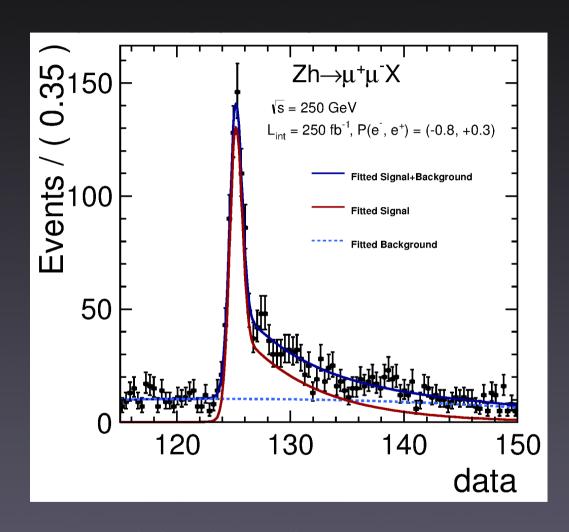




Higgs physics at the ILC



- ILC will do everything the LHC/HL-LHC does
 - Couplings, Mass, Spin
- ILC does Modelindependent measurements
- Unique at the ILC
 - Total Higgs Width
 - H→cc/gg
- Higgs-Selfcoupling



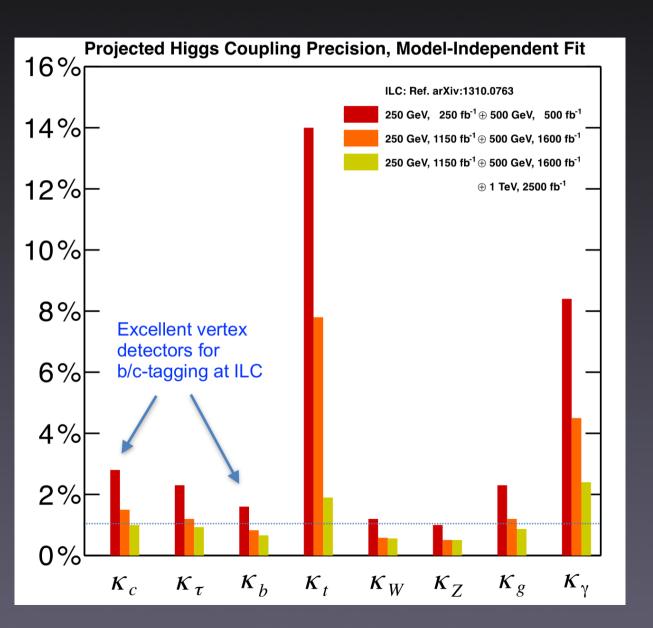
Model-independent Measurement of σ_{H7} at 250 GeV





ILC BR Measurements





- Most couplings
 - Approaching 1% accuracy
- Derived in a modelindependent way
- Accuracy on topcoupling
 - Improves with higher E_{CMS}
- H*→*γγ

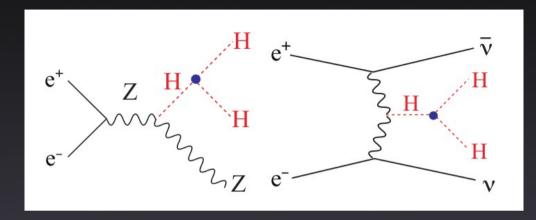




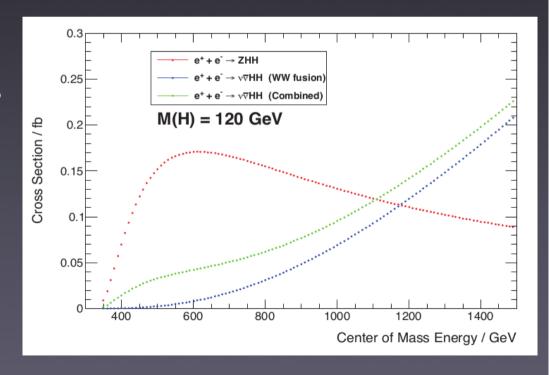
Higgs Self-coupling



 This measurement is one of the most difficult ones at both LHC and ILC



- ILC cross-section
 - 10⁴ smaller than the Higgs cross-section
- ILC will be able to establish its existence
 - But it won't be a precision result



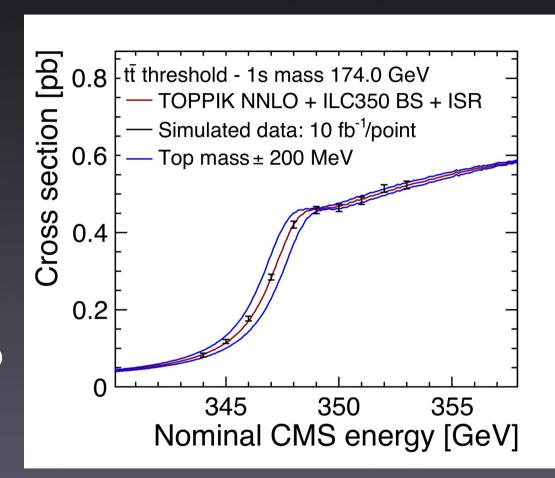




ILC – A Top Factory



- Top Threshold scans
 - $-\Delta m_{top} < 40 \text{ MeV}$
- Conversion to MS scheme
 - Measured top mass at ILC can easily be converted to MS mass
 - This yields an total error of Δm_{top}~100 MeV
 - $\overline{}$ Theory/ α_{ς} limited







Top as a window to new physics



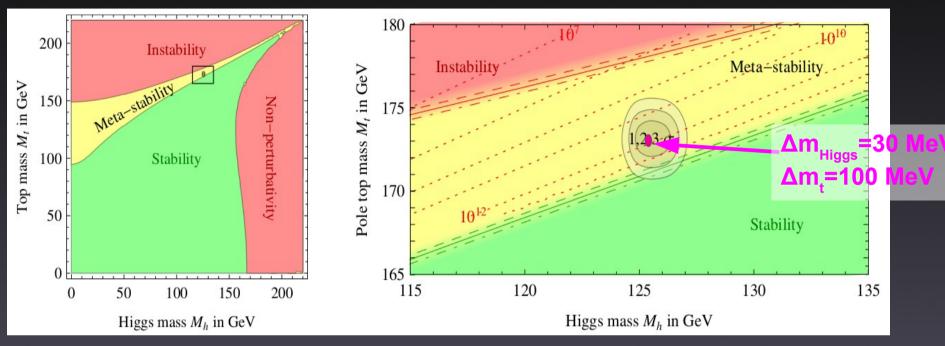
- Probing the ttZ and ttγ Vertices at the ILC with high precision
- This allows also access to (g-2)_t
 - Currently almost unconstrained
 - $(g-2)_{t} \sim m_{t}/M$
 - M being the compositeness-scale
 - Expected ILC accuracy of 0.1%
- ILC probes compositeness up to 100 TeV





Probing SM Vacuum Stability





- m_{Higgs}=125 GeV (LHC)
 - Quite close to the minimum M_{Higgs} value that ensures absolute vacuum stability within the Standard Model
- Current measurements indicate we're in a metastable universe



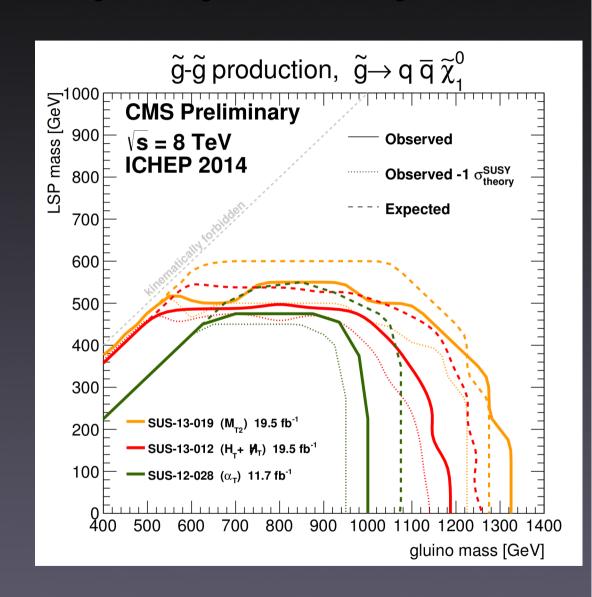


In Search for Supersymmetry



- Supersymmetry (SUSY)
 - Still very popular
 - Comes in many flavors
- Rich SUSY spectrum expected at the TeV scale
- Direct Searches at the LHC
 - No evidence so far



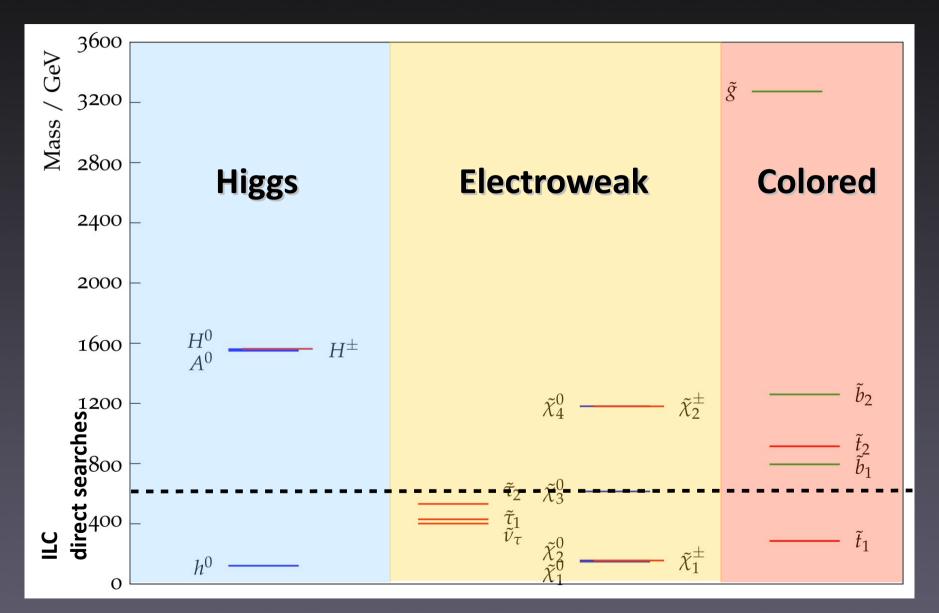






A potential SUSY spectrum



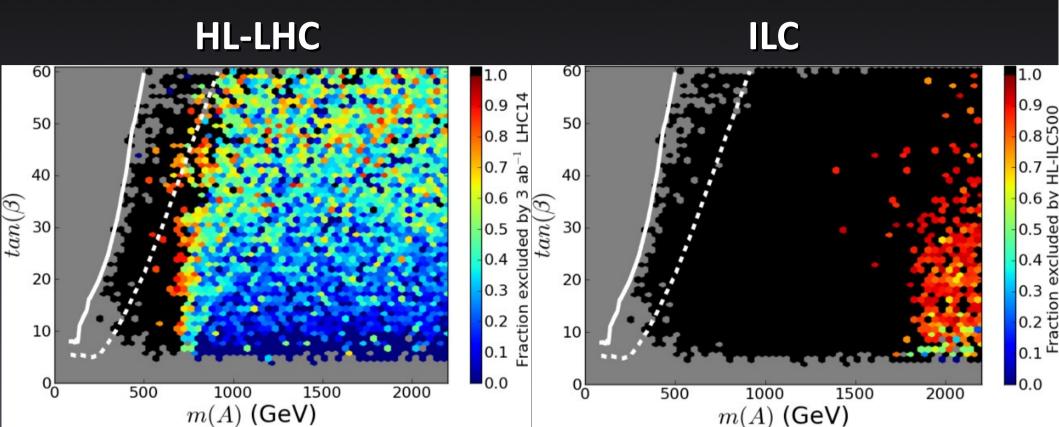




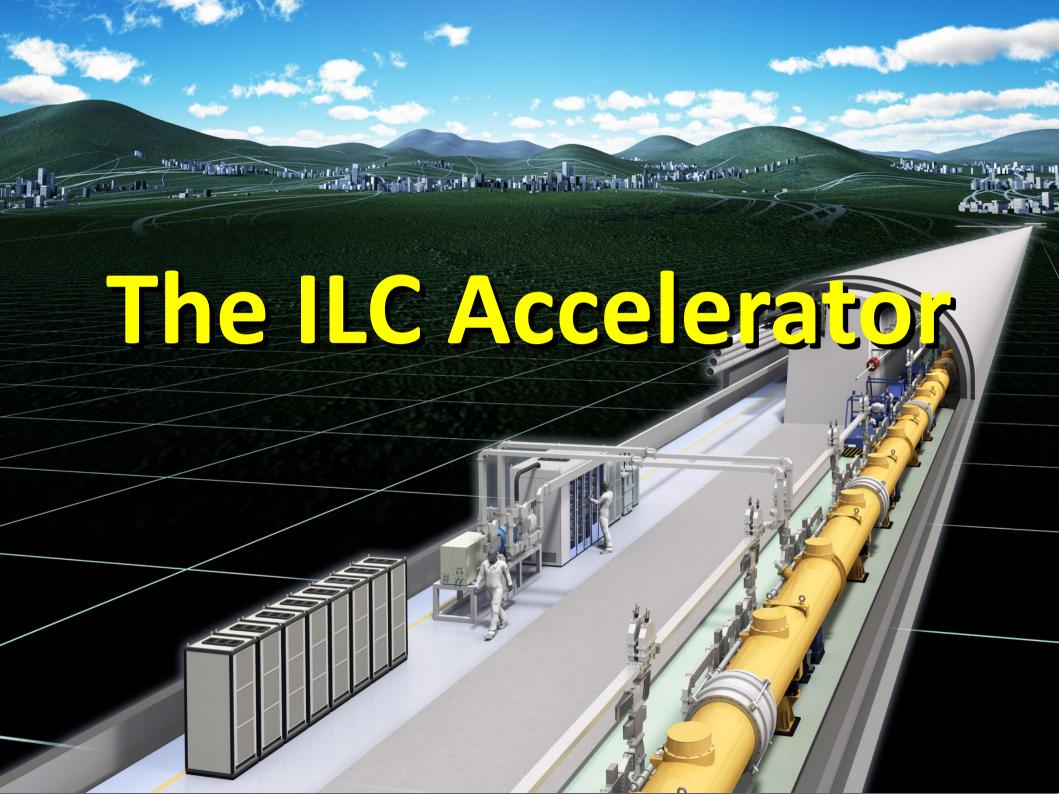


What's left for the ILC





- For the pMSSM
 - A lot of room left even after HL-LHC
- ILC is required to exclude the parameter space or it will discover SUSY, even if HL-LHC does not





The ILC Machine



- 500 GeV Linear collider
 - 31 km long
- Acceleration
 - 7400 superconducting Cavitationin850 Cryo Modules
 - Gradient 31.5 MV/m
 - 1.3 GHz RF
 - 163 MW power consumpti
- Beam parameters









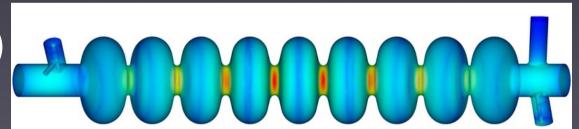
Why going cold?



High RF ->Beam-power efficiency



- low-loss cavities
- Ease of RF power generation
 - low frequency (1.3 GHz)
 - Long pulse / fill time (1 ms / 0.6 ms)



- Emittance preservation
 - Large cavity iris





TDR Machine parameters



			Baselin	e 500 Ge\	/ Machine	1st Stage	<u>L Upgrade</u>	E _{CM} U	pgrade
Centre-of-mass energy	Есм	GeV	250	350	500	250	500	A 1000	B 1000
Collision rate	f _{rep}	Hz	5	5	5	5	5	4	4
Electron linac rate	f _{linac}	Hz	10	5	5	10	5	4	4
Number of bunches	nb		1312	1312	1312	1312	2625	2450	2450
Bunch population	N	×10 ¹⁰	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.74	1.74
Bunch separation	∆ <i>t</i> b	ns	554	554	554	554	366	366	366
Main linac average gradient	G _a	MV m ⁻¹	14.7	21.4	31.5	31.5	31.5	38.2	39.2
Estimated AC power	P _{AC}	MW	122	121	163	129	204	300	300
Electron polarisation	P-	%	80	80	80	80	80	80	80
Positron polarisation	P+	%	30	30	30	30	30	20	20
IP RMS horizontal beam size	σ_{x}^{*}	nm	729.0	683.5	474	729	474	481	335
IP RMS veritcal beam size	$\sigma_{_{y}}*$	nm	7.7	5.9	5.9	7.7	5.9	2.8	2.7
Luminosity	L	$\times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$	0.8	1.0	1.8	0.8	3.6	3.6	4.9
Fraction of luminosity in top 1%	L0.01 /L		87.1%	77.4%	58.3%	87.1%	58.3%	59.2%	44.5%
Number of pairs per bunch crossing	N _{pairs}	×10 ³	62.4	93.6	139.0	62.4	139.0	200.5	382.6
Total pair energy per bunch crossing	E _{pairs}	TeV	46.5	115.0	344.1	46.5	344.1	1338.0	3441.0



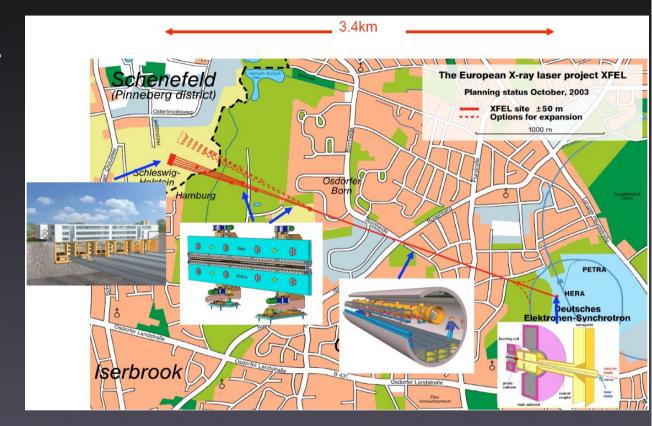


The European XFEL



- Free Electron Laser
 - Photon energy 0.3- 24 keV
 - Pulse duration ~10 100 fs
 - Pulse energy few mJ
- Superconducting linac. 17.5 GeV
 - 10 Hz (27 000 b/s)
- 5 beam lines / 10

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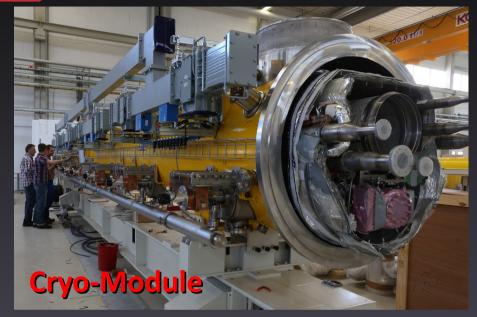
The European XFEL
Built by Research Institutes
from 12 European Nations





European XFEL Construction







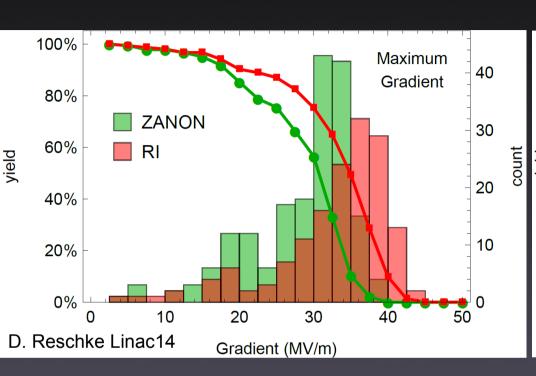


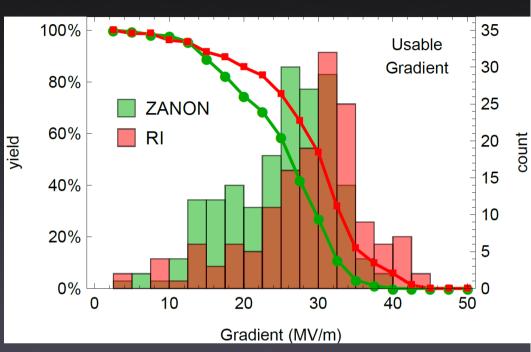




Cavity Status







Close to	
ILC-Style	
production	

	Tests	Maximum E _{acc} [MV/m]	Usable E _{acc} [MV/m]
Total	339	30.4 ± 7.6	26.6 ± 7.6
EZ	185	28.4 ± 7.1	24.8 + 7.0
RI	154	32.4 ± 7.6	28.6 ± 7.9

XFEL = a 1/10 ILC Prototype TODAY

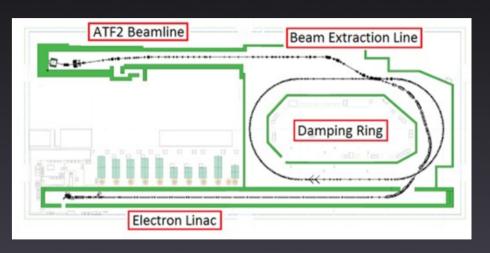
ILC requires 31.5 MV/m



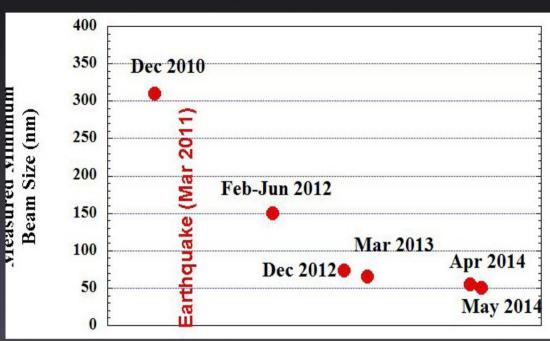


Achieving Beamspot sizes





ATF2 Test Facility at KEK



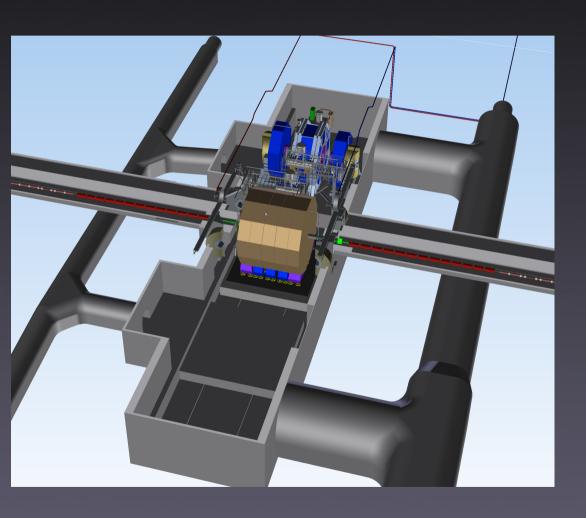
- World Record : 44 nm beam spot size
 - Design goal 37 nm (~ ILC specifications)
- Reproducibility
 - ~32 hrs recovery from 3 wk shutdown





ILC Interaction Region





ILC

- 1 Interaction Region
- 2 Detectors
- Push-Pull
 - Detectors mounted on movable platforms
 - Sharing of beam time
 - Switching time ~ 48 hours
- Push-Pull allows

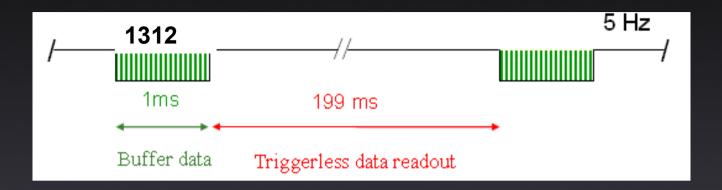






ILC Environment





- ILC environment is very different compared to LHC
 - Bunch spacing of ~ 554 ns (baseline)
 - 1312 bunches in 1 ms
 - 199 ms quiet time
- Occupancy dominated by beam background & noise
 - ~ 1 hadronic Z (e⁺e⁻ \rightarrow Z \rightarrow qq) per train ...
- Readout during quiet time possible

DESY



ILC Detector Requirements



- Exceptional precision& time stamping
 - Single Bunch resolution
- Vertex detector

-
$$\delta_{r\phi}$$
 4 μ m precision $\mu m/p \sin^{(\frac{3}{2})}(\theta)$

Tracker

$$\sigma(1/p) \sim 2.5 \times 10^{-5}$$

• Calo<u>rimeter</u> 4%, $E_{Jet} > 100 \; GeV$

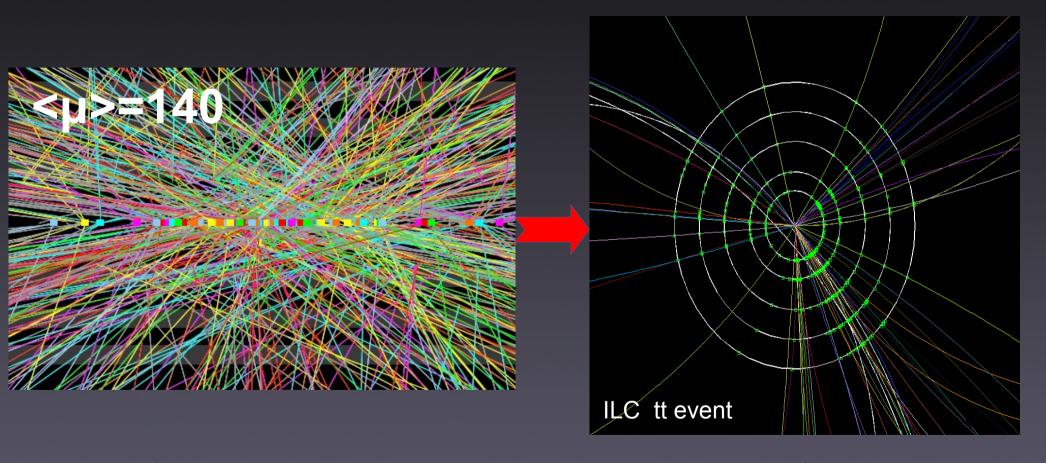
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From HL-LHC to ILC





Moving from 140 interactions per crossing to ~1 event/train





Comparison with LHC



- Calorimeter granularity
 - Need factor ~O(100) better than LHC
- Vertex Detector Pixel size
 - Need factor ~ O(20) smaller than LHC
- Material budget, central tracking
 - Need factor ~ O(10) less than LHC
- Material budget, forward tracking

Requirements for Timing) Data hateland Radiation hardness are very modest compared to LHC





The PFA Approach



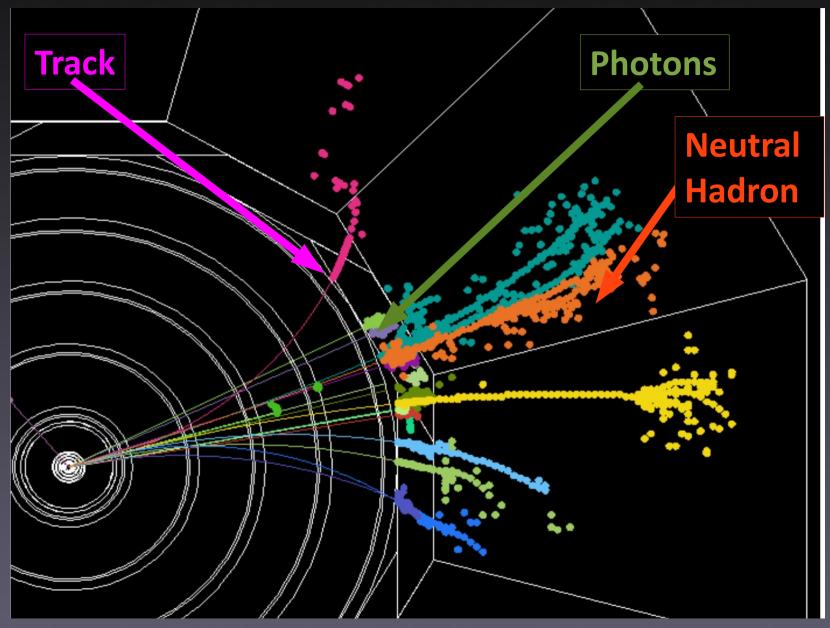
- PFA = Particle Flow Algorithm
- Combining all available reconstruction information
 - Momentum (Tracker), Energy (Calorimetry), Particle type (PID)
 - Reconstruction of each particle's four-vector
- Key ideas
 - Charged particles: Tracking resolution >> Calorimetry
 - Typical Jet :
 - 60 % charged particles, 30 % photons, 10% neutrals
- PFA is key to desired Jet Energy Resolution





PFA Reconstruction



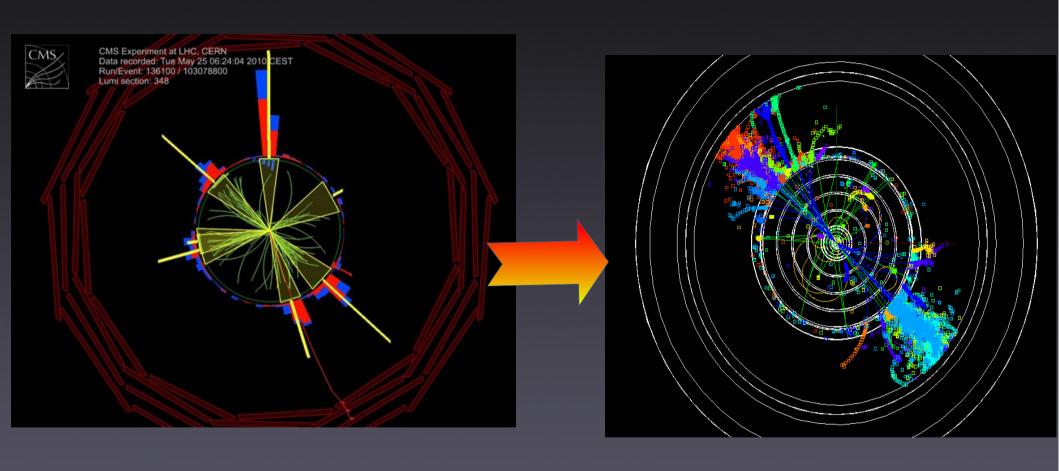






Calorimetry from LHC to ILC





LHC Today

ILC

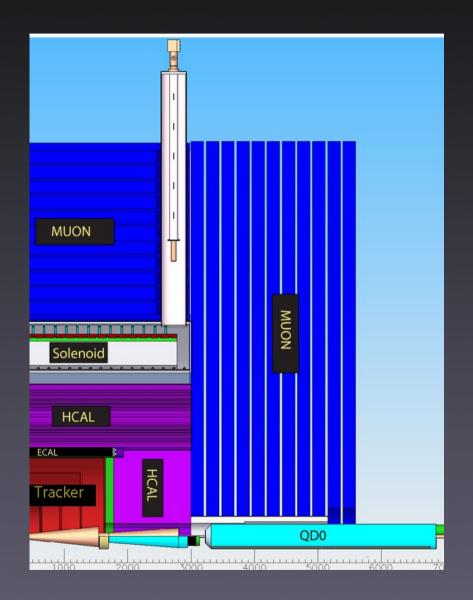




ILC Detectors



- PFA has been used at LEP,
 HERA and LHC
- Novel Approach at the ILC
 - PFA drives design of the detector
- Consequences
 - Calorimetry inside the Solenoid
 - Highly GranularCalorimetry

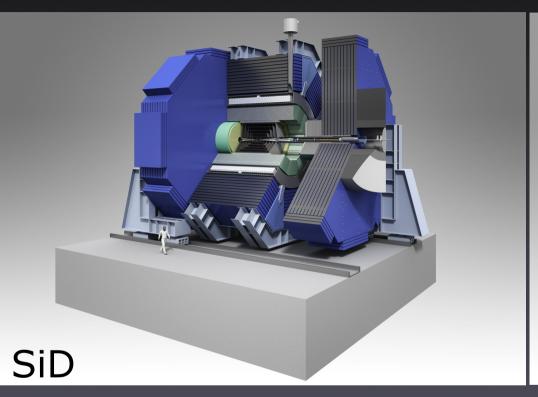






SiD & ILD







SiD

- $-r_{\text{Tracker}}=1.25 \text{ m}$
- B = 5 T

- All-silicon tracking

ILD

$$- r_{\text{Tracker}} = 1.8 \text{ m}$$

$$-B = 3.5 T$$

Time Projection





Two Tracking Approaches



- All-silicon Tracking
 - SiD's choice
- Tracking system
 - 5 layer pixel Vertex detector
 - 5 layer Silicon strip tracker
- Few highly precise hits
 - Max 12 hits
- Low material budget
- Concept proven by CMS

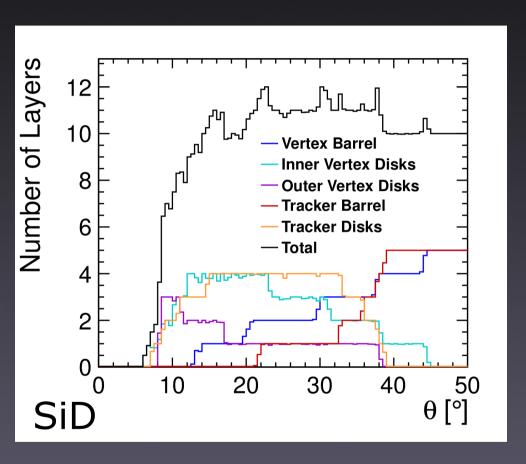
- Gaseous Tracking
 - ILD's choice
- Tracking System
 - 3 double layer Vertex detector
 - Intermediate silicon layers
 - TPC
- Max number of hits
 - 228
- High hit redundancy
- Classical approach

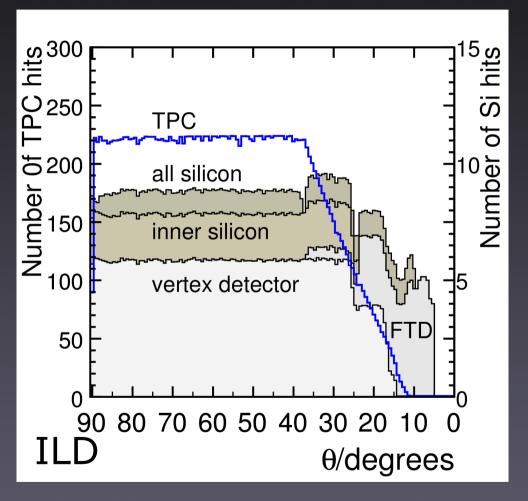




Available Hits





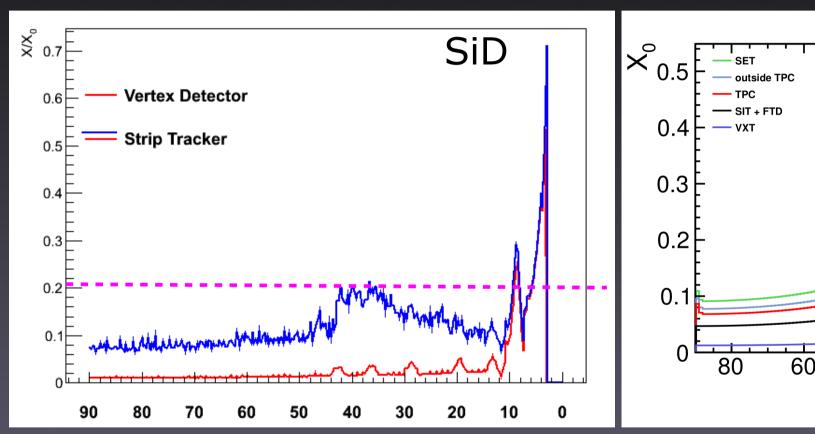


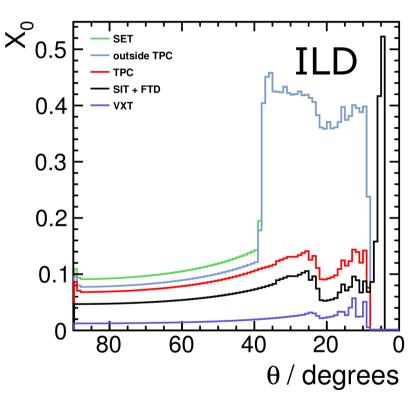




Material Budget







Both concepts have very aggressive goals for the material budget





Calorimetry- Designed for PFA



- Both detectors are designed for PFA
- All calorimetry located inside the coil
 - Limits maximum calorimeter depth
- Calorimeter layout
 - Sampling calorimeter
 - Very compact
 - Highly Granular
 - "Imaging the shower"
- ECAL





The SiD Detector



SID Rationale

- A compact, cost-constrained detector designed to make precision measurements and be sensitive to a wide range of new phenomena
- Design choices
 - Compact design with 5 T field.
 - Robust silicon vertexing and tracking system with excellent momentum resolution
 - Highly granular Calorimetry optimized for Particle Flow
 - Time-stamping for single bunch crossings.

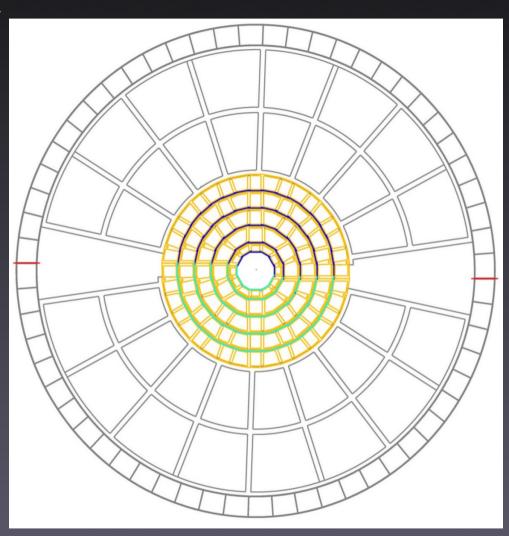




Vertex Detector



- Many potential technology choices
 - No baseline selected yet
 - Technology "not there" yet
- Requirements
 - <3 µm hit resolution</p>
 - $\overline{}$ Pixel sizes of O(20 μ m)
 - $\sim 0.1 \% X_0 per layer$
 - < 130 μW/mm²
 - Single bunch timing cern ceresolution



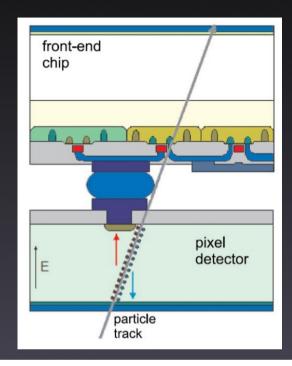


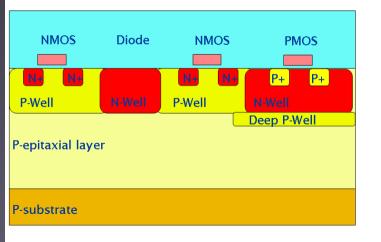


Vertex Detector Pixels



- LHC-Style Hybrid Pixels
 - Too much material
 - Bump-bonding
 - Rad-hard and speed not needed
 - "large pixels (100 µm)"
- Monolithic Pixels are prime candidate
 - Fully integrated electronics





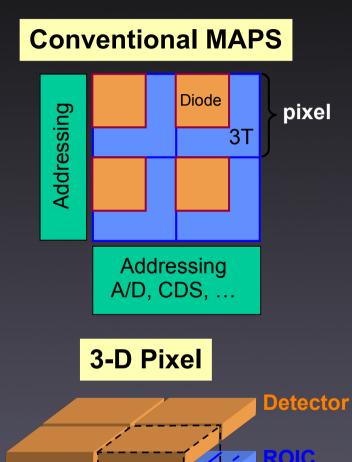


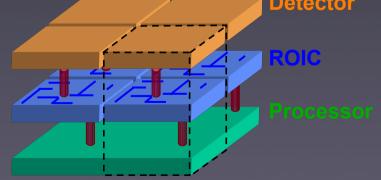


3D Pixels



- The ultimate dream of any pixel designer
 - Fully active sensor area
 - Independent control of substrate materials for each of the tiers
 - Fabrication optimized by layer function
 - In-pixel data processing
 - Increased circuit density due to multiple tiers of electronics





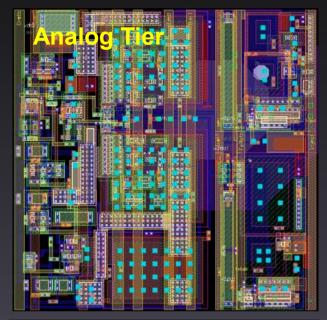


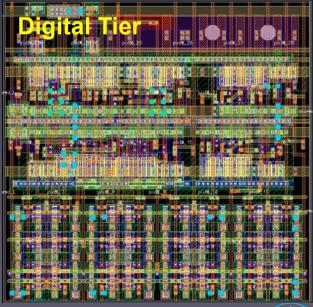


3D Process Developments



- Changes continue in the world of 3D electronics. Process improvements are being made. Although we have had some successes there is still much to learn as this field begins to mature. (R. Yarema)
- Problems encountered
 - Design Tools aren't "there" yet
 - Transistor models "weak"
 - Processing issues
 - Long turn-around times







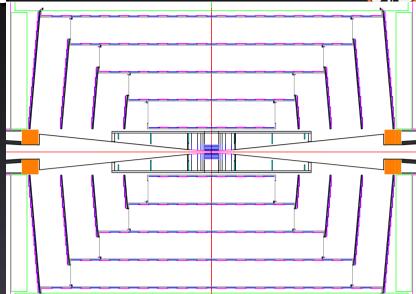


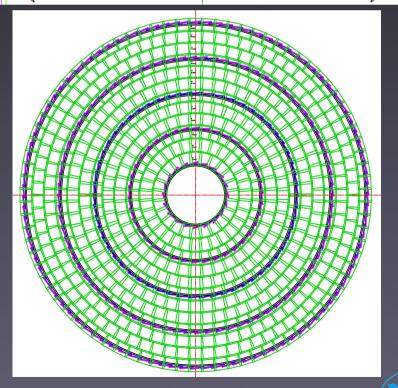
Silicon Strip Tracker

· SID

- All silicon tracker
 - Using silicon micro-strips
 - Double metal layers
- 5 barrel layers and 4 disks
- Cooling
 - Gas-cooled
- Material budget less than 20 % X_o in

the active area



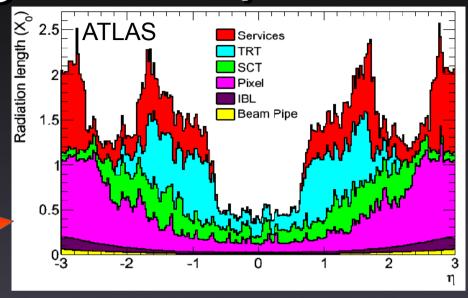


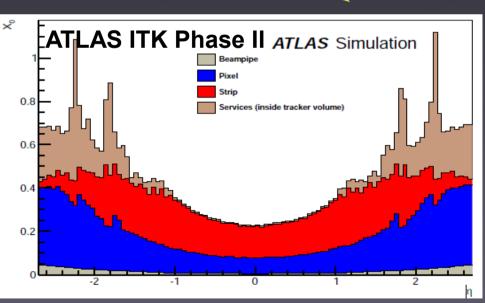


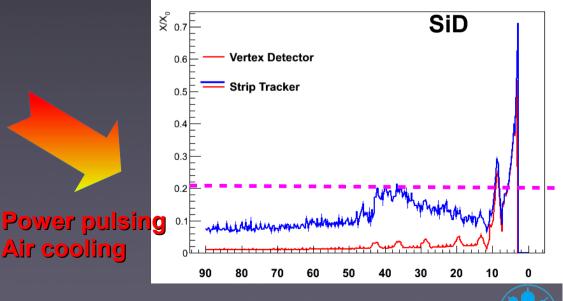
Comparing with LHC/HL-LHC



R&D on Services, Mechanics, Cooling



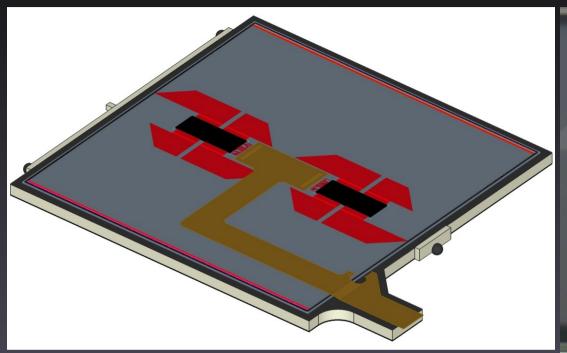


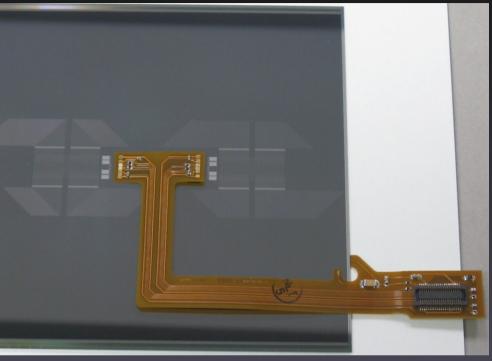




Tracker Module







- Silicon Tracker module
 - 25/50 µm strip pitch
 - Double metal layers
 - Two KPiX readout ASICS per sensor

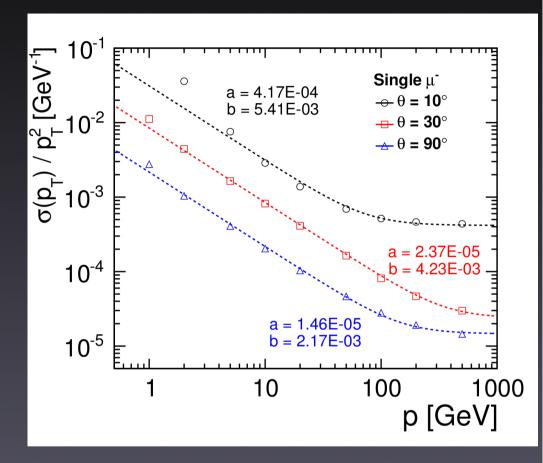




SiD Tracking Performance



- SiD tracking is integrated
 - Vertex and Tracker
 - 10 Hits/track coverage for almost entire polar angle
- Tracking system
 - Achieves desired $\Delta p_T/p_T$ resolution of 1.46 \cdot 10⁻⁵
 - >99 % efficiency over most of the phase space



$$\frac{\sigma(p_T)}{p_T^2} = a \oplus \frac{b}{p \sin \theta}$$
Multiple scattering resolution



Calorimetry



- SID ECAL
 - Tungsten absorber
 - 20+10 layers
 - 20 x 0.64 + 10 x 1.30 X
- Baseline Readout using Baseline readout

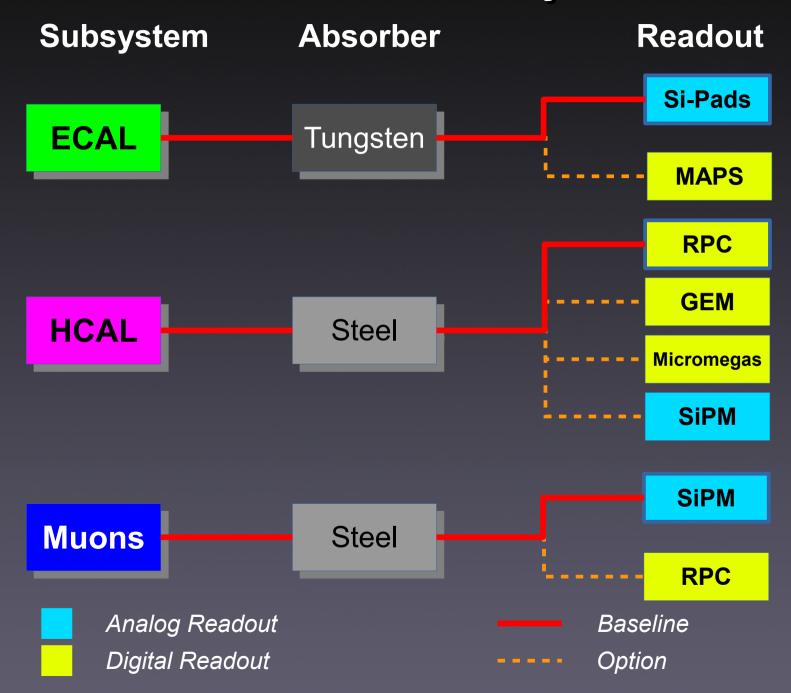
- SiD HCAL
 - Steel Absorber
 - 40 layers
 - 4.5 **∧**,
- Sidanse eticed badeline choices for its Calorimeter
 - Options are being considered
- Lots of test beam activities (past, present and future)





Calorimetry Tree





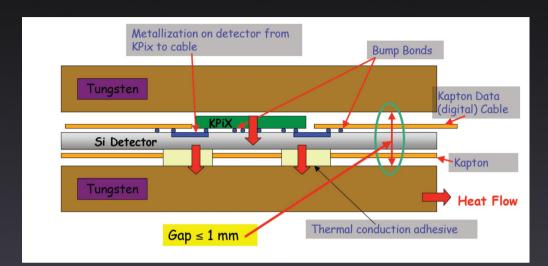


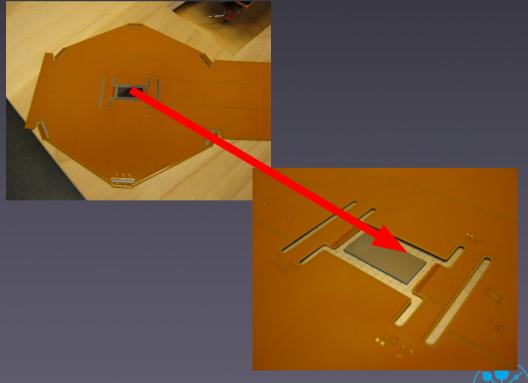


The SiW ECAL



- One ECAL Si sensor
 - 1024 hexagonal pixel
 - Readout by 1 KPiX
- KPiX and cable bumpbonded to the sensor
- Analog Readout
 - Deposited charge
- Aim: minimize gap size
- Tungsten plates used as







HCAL Baseline

G10 board

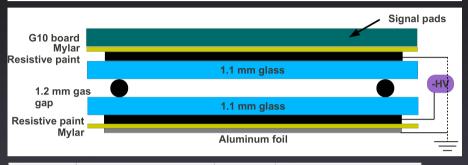
1.2 mm gas gap

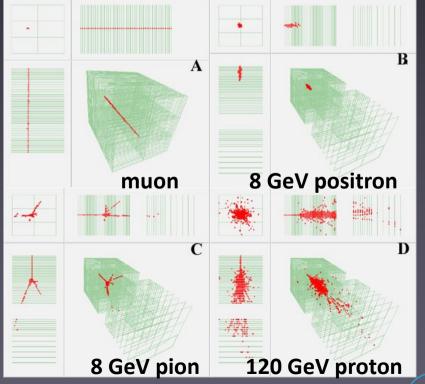
1.1 mm glass

Resistive paint
Mylar

Aluminum foil

- Digital HCAL
 - Counting shower particles
 - N_{particles} ~ Energy
- Using Glass RPCs
 - 1 x 1 cm²
- 1 m³ prototype built
 - 500.000 channels
- Largest Calorimeter by cern cern channel so far

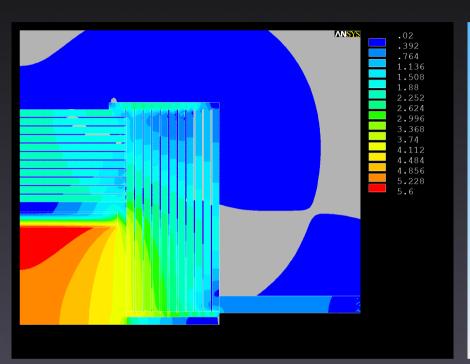


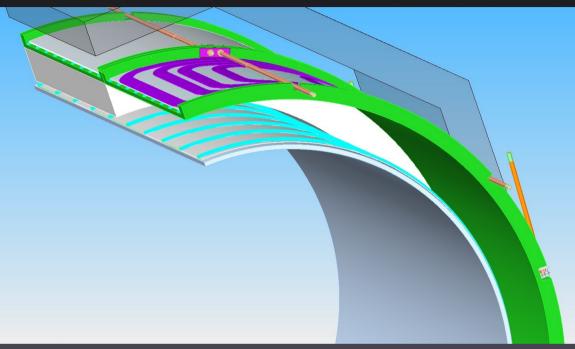




Magnet







- The 5 T coil builds on the CMS experience
 - Especially on the CMS Conductor
- Engineering challenges are well understood
 - Advances in computing ease the design

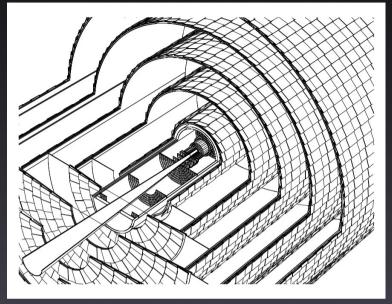


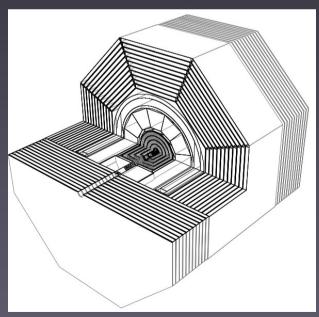


Simulation & Reconstruction Sir



- Full Simulation & Reco
 - Including full beam backgrounds
- Simulation
 - **Detailed GEANT4 detector** simulation
 - Including "dead areas"
- Full Reconstruction
 - Digitization, Tracking, Particle Flow, Flavor Tagging





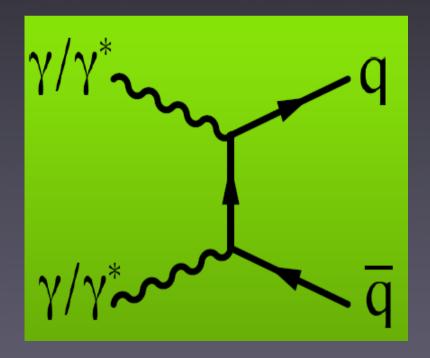




Simulating backgrounds



- Pair background
 - ~ 400k/ BX @ 1 TeV
 - Very forward
- $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \text{hadrons}$
 - 4.1 events per BX @ 1 TeV
 - 1.7 events per BX at 500 GeV
 - More central
- Overlays these over "physics events"

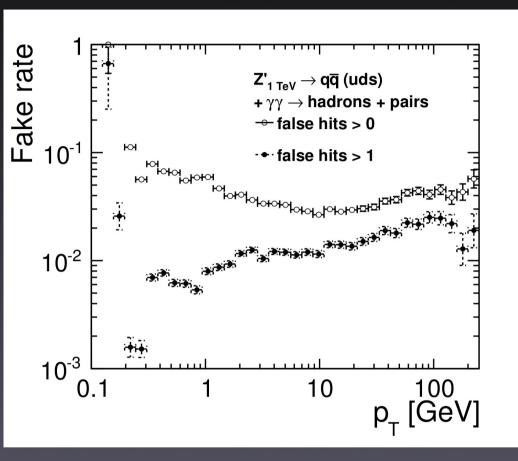


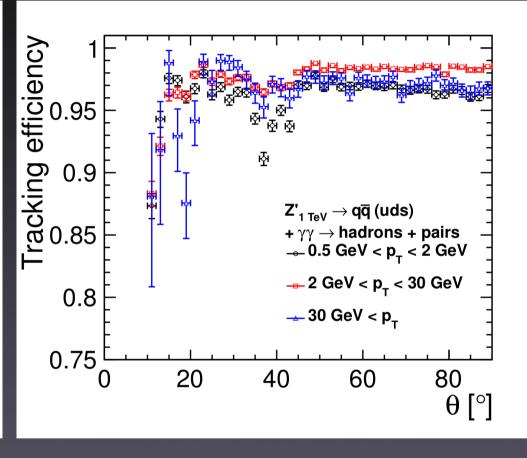




Robustness vs. backgrounds Sile







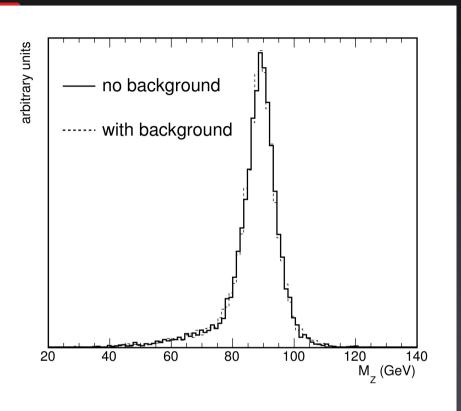
- $Z' \rightarrow uds$ at 1 TeV with one bunch crossing of background overlaid
- Demonstrates robustness of SiD Tracking

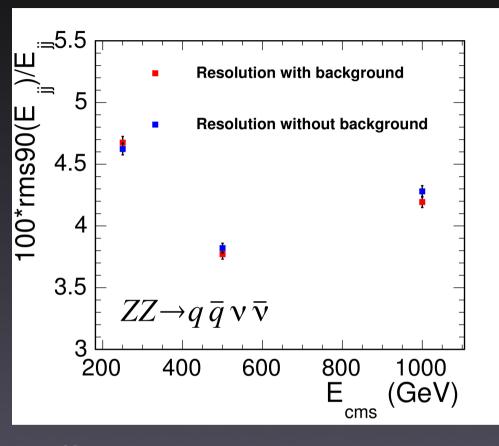




Performance: PFA







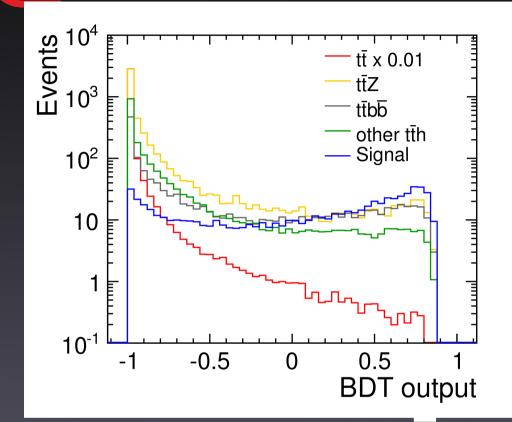
- SiD PFA performance is excellent
 - Fulfills ILC physics goals
- Robust against backgrounds
 - Driven by all-Silicon approach and single-bunch time-

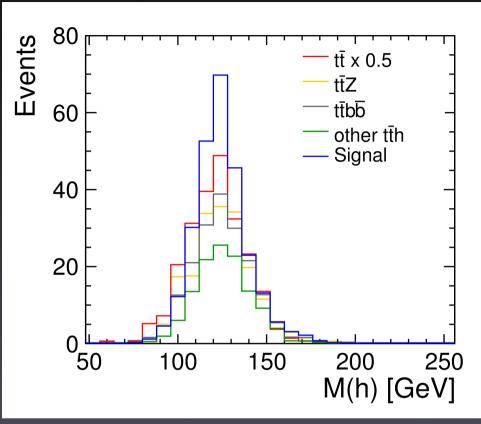




Top-Yukawa Coupling







- Measuring Y_{top} at $\sqrt{s}=1$ TeV
 - Using six and eight jet final states with four b jets
 - Stressing PFA and b-tagging
 - Combined measurement: $\Delta Y_{top} = 4.5 \%$





SiD Costing



- SiD assumes common unit costs
 - As agreed by both SiD and ILD
- Assuming "almost everything beyond the platform" is machine cost
- Follows machine costing model
- Costs in 2008 US-S
 - M&S: 315 M\$
 - Contingency: 127 M\$
 - Effort: 748 MY

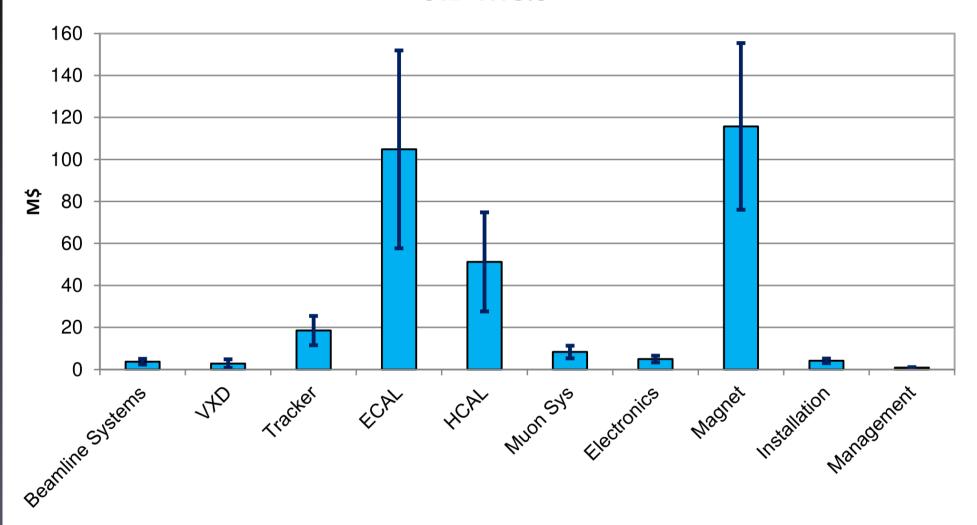




Costing M&S









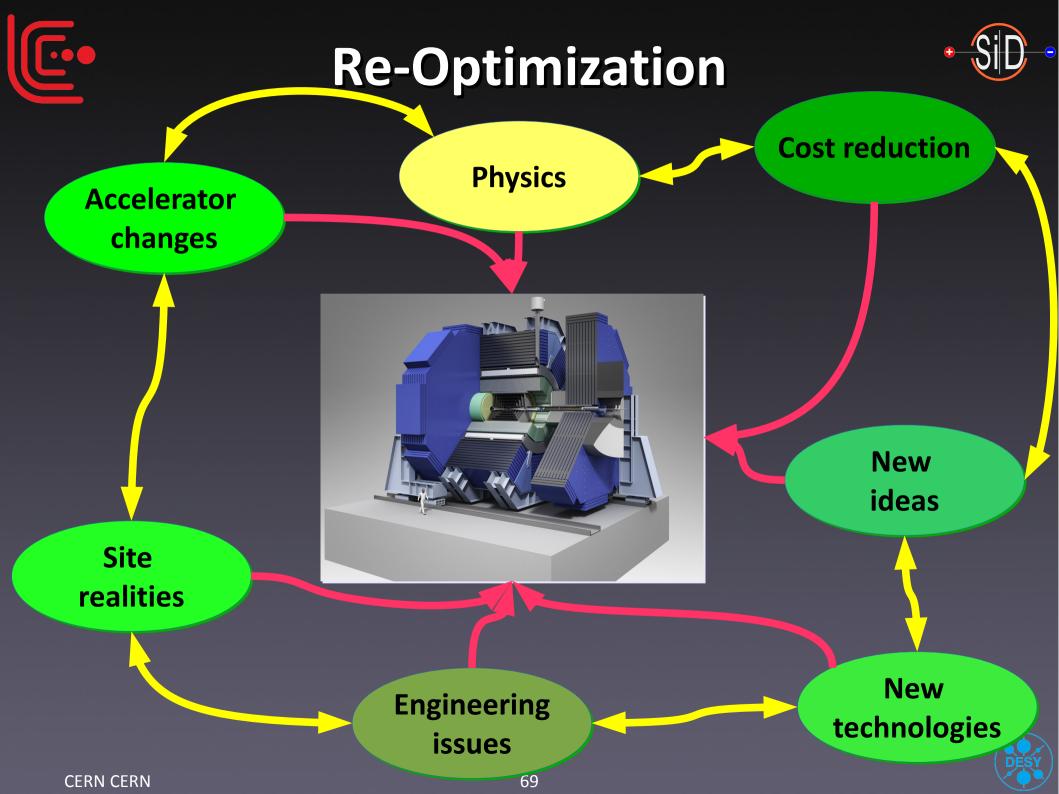


Current Activities



- Site-Specific Studies
 - Realizing SiD in Japan
- Subsystem R&D
- Re-optimizing the Detector
 - DBD Detector does good physics
 - Can we do better?
- Making SiD ready to become a collaboration
 - Forming a consortium is a first step towards a more formal organization







Technology Examples



HCAL technology

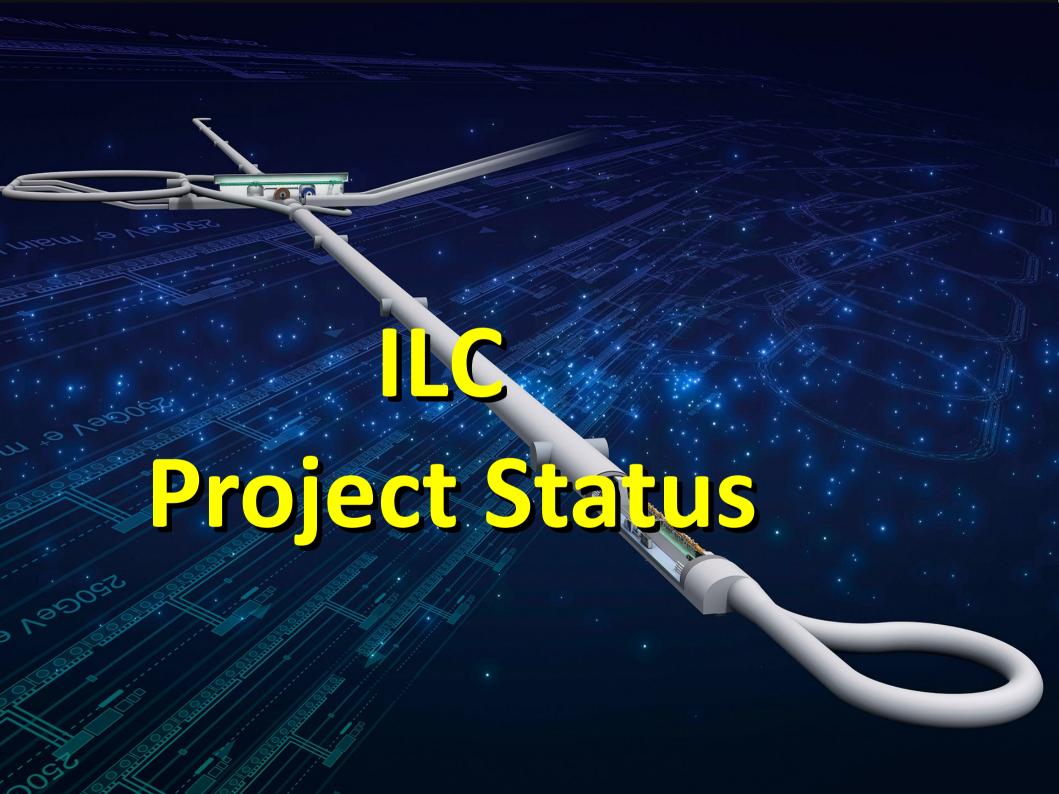
- Baseline RPC DHCAL witch 1x1 cm cell size
- SiPM technology advances
- AHCAL with 1x1 cm cell size
 - Feasible
 - Affordable

Forward tracker disks

- Baseline SAS Strips
- CMOS technology
 - As also considered for LHC
- Large area tracker disks with pixels
 - Better resolution
 - Less material
 - Less cost









Timeline

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- Fall 2012
 - Japanese HEP
 Community expresses
 interest to host the ILC
- May 2013
 - TDR is published
 - European Strategy for particle physics supports
 ILC
- August 2013



Scientific Site selection



The ILC TDR





"As compared to other projects of similar scale (ITER, LHC, ATLAS, CMS, ALMA, XFEL, FAIR, ESS, SSC) the quality of the documentation presented by the GDE team is equal or superior to that utilized to launch into a similar process."

The ILC is good to go!



- Five Volumes covering
- Physics, Accelerator & Detectors
- Culmination of eight years of effort
- Very favorable review
- Wide Community support
- Global Handover Event





Supporting the ILC - worldwide SiD

48 countries 392 Institutes 2400 signatories





ILC Site Selection



- Japan proposed two sites
 - Kitakami, Honshu
 "Northern Site"
 - Sefuri, Kyushu"Southern Site"
- Expert Panel Review on Scientific merits of each site
 - Geology, Infrastructure







ILC Site – Kitakami Mountains







Kitakami Mountains







ILC Detector and Machine experts
Visit
September 2014





Timeline (II)





Japanese Visit to Washington

- Fall 2013
 - Science Council of Japan reviews ILC
 - MEXT establishes ILC taskforce
- November 2013
 - Site-specific Studies commence
- May 2014
 - US P5 Strategy supports



Reviews ...



European Strategy for Particle Physics 2013

There is a strong scientific case for an electron-positron collider, complementary to the LHC, that can study the properties of the Higgs boson and other particles with unprecedented precision and whose energy can be upgraded. The Technical Design Report of the International Linear Collider (ILC) has been completed, with large European participation. The initiative from the Japanese particle physics community to host the ILC in Japan is most welcome, and European groups are eager to participate. Europe looks forward to a possible participation.

"Motivated by the strong scientific importance of the ILC and the recent initiative in Japan to host it, the U.S. should engage in modest and appropriate levels of ILC accelerator and detector design in areas where the U.S. can contribute critical expertise. Consider higher levels of collaboration if ILC proceeds."





Science Council of Japan



The Committee suggests that the government of Japan should (1) secure the budget required for the investigation of various issues to determine the possibility of hosting the ILC, and (2) conduct intensive studies and discussions among stakeholders, including authorities from outside high-energy physics as well as the government bodies involved for the next two to three years.

In parallel, it is necessary to have discussions with the research institutes and the responsible funding authorities of key countries and regions involved outside of Japan, and to obtain clear understanding of the expected sharing of the financial burden.





MEXT Review



MEXT's Organization for Studying ILC

based on Science Council of Japan's Recommendation





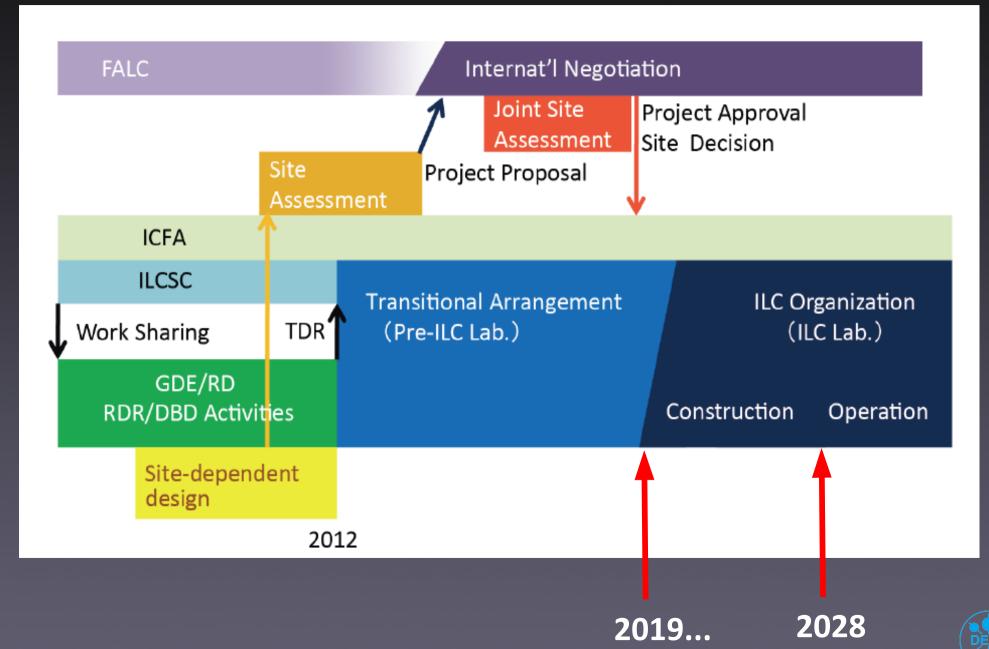
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The way forward





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Keeping updated



- Webpage: http://silicondetector.org
- We have a new sid-general mailing list
 - Easy to subscribe to
 - Send a mail with subscribe sid-all John Doe in the body to listserv@slac.stanford.edu
 - https://listserv.slac.stanford.edu/cgi-bin/wa?
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- List will be used for
 - Meeting and Workshop announcements
 - General SiD news





How to get involved



- SiD Webpage
 - http://silicondetector.org/
- Linear Collider Newsline
 - http://newsline.linearcollider.org
 - News, Announcements
- Come to the next SiD Workshop
 - Jan 12th-14th at SLAC







Summary



- A Precision machine is necessary to complement the LHC
 - ILC is the right machine to do this
- ILC Project is most advanced
 - Accelerator technology is ready for prime time
 - The European XFEL provides invaluable experience
 - ILC Detector Design have been validated
- Japanese Interest in hosting the ILC
 - Kitakami Mountain Site





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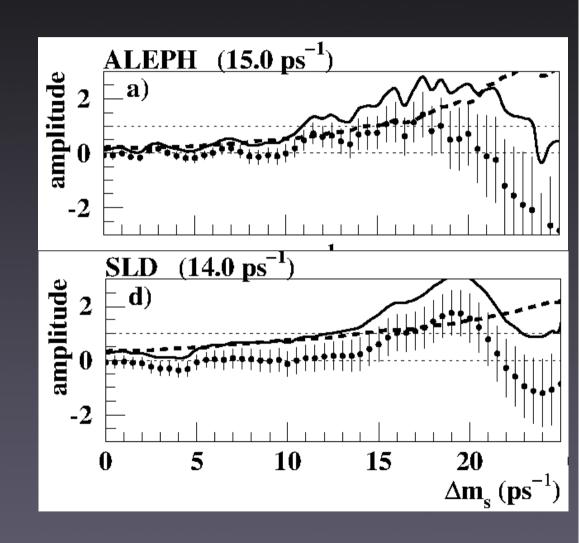




It is not just the luminosity



- B_s Oscillations
- ALEPH (LEP)
 - ~ 6 million Z's
- SLD
 - ~ 300000 Z's
- Main advantage of SLD:
 - Pixel Vertex detector
 - Much closer to the IP







Snowmass/P5



P5 Report Longer-term futuregeneration accelerators bring prospects for even better precision in Higgs properties and hence discovery potential. Circular e+eaccelerators, such as the FCC-ee project being studied at CERN

- Snowmass AcceleratorSummary
- Circular e+e- in very large tunnel (50 – 100 km)
 - Substantial
 extrapolation albeit
 from large experience
 base
 - Energy reach & luminosity are very





ICFA Statement



 ICFA endorses the particle physics strategic plans produced in Europe, Asia and the United States and the globally aligned priorities contained therein. Here, ICFA reaffirms its support of the ILC, which is in a mature state of technical development and offers unprecedented opportunities for precision studies of the newly discovered Higgs boson. In addition, ICFA continues to encourage international studies of circular colliders, with an ultimate goal of proton-proton collisions at energies much higher than those of the LHC.



The SSC ...

· SID

- SSC (1987-1993)
 - pp Collider
 - 87 km tunnel
 - 40 TeV center-of-mass energy
- Located in Waxahachie, Texas
- US Congress terminated this project in 1993
 - After about half of the tunneling was done

