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Mass Reach Scaling for Future Hadron Colliders

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The primary goal of any future hadron collider is to discover new physics (NP) associated with a high mass scale, M,

beyond the range of the LHC. In order to maintain the same {\it relative} mass reach for NP, M/\sqrt{s} , as \sqrt{s} increases, Richter recently reminded us that the required integrated luminosity obtainable at future hadron colliders

(FHC) must grow rapidly, $\sim s$, in the limit of naive scaling. This would imply, \eg, a ~ 50 -fold increase in the required integrated luminosity when going from the 14 TeV LHC to a FHC with $\sqrt{s} = 100$ TeV, an increase that would

prove quite challenging on many different fronts. In this paper we point out, due to the scaling violations associated

with the evolution of the parton density functions (PDFs) and the running of the strong coupling, α_s , that the actual luminosity necessary in order to maintain any fixed value of the relative mass reach is somewhat greater than this

scaling result indicates. However, the actual values of the required luminosity scaling are found to be dependent upon the

detailed nature of the NP being considered. Here we elucidate this point explicitly by employing several specific

benchmark examples of possible NP scenarios and briefly discuss the search impact in each case if these luminosity goals

are not met.

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