

Official CLIC multi-TeV physics benchmark processes for detector performance studies¹

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1. $e^+e^- \rightarrow WW\nu\nu/ZZ\nu\nu, W/Z \rightarrow q\bar{q}$, at 3 TeV (later 1 TeV)(initially 1 data set)
 - W/Z separation
 - particle/energy flow
 - forward region performance
2. $e^+e^- \rightarrow Z'$ resonance scan, $Z' \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$, at 3 TeV
 - beamstrahlung
 - tracking resolution at high energy
3. $e^+e^- \rightarrow HH\nu\nu, H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ for $m_H = 120$ GeV and $H \rightarrow WW$ for $m_H = 165$ GeV, at 3 TeV (2 data sets)
 - $H/Z/W$ separation
 - forward region performance
 - b tagging
 - missing E_t
4. $e^+e^- \rightarrow b\bar{b}, e^+e^- \rightarrow t\bar{t}$ at 3 TeV (2 data sets)
 - cross section, asymmetry FB, asymmetry LR
 - b -tagging at highest energy
 - jet charge
 - multi-jet/jet algorithms
 - boosted jets
5. $e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\mu}_L\tilde{\mu}_L \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-\tilde{\chi}_1^0\tilde{\chi}_1^0, e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\tau}_1\tilde{\tau}_1 \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-\tilde{\chi}_1^0\tilde{\chi}_1^0$, at high $\tilde{\mu}_L$ and $\tilde{\tau}_1$ mass (such as SUSY E'-point and K'-point), at 3 TeV (2 data sets)
 - forward region performance
 - beamstrahlung
 - τ -finding
 - precision end-point measurements

¹For the CLIC 500 GeV case, the ILC LoI benchmark list is used.