



Opportunities and challenges of FCC-ee

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Future Circular Collider Feasibility Study



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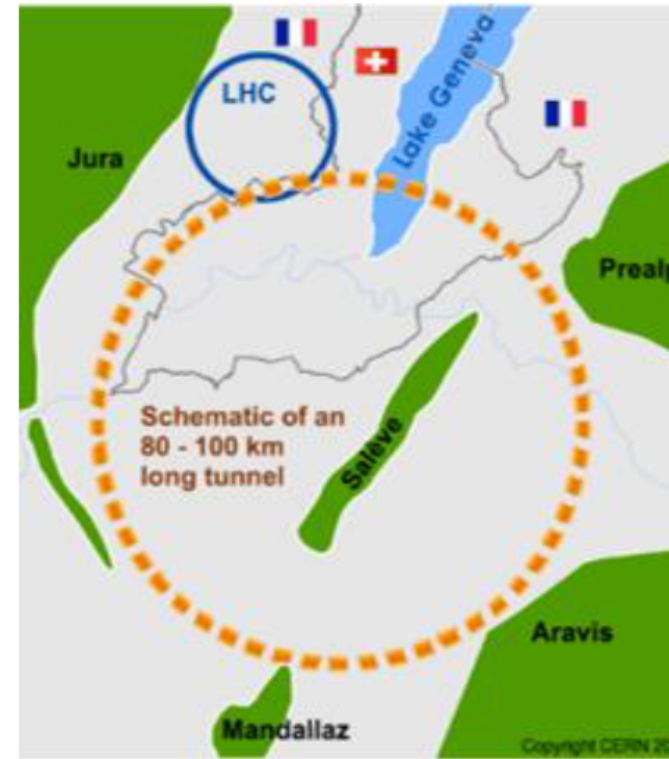
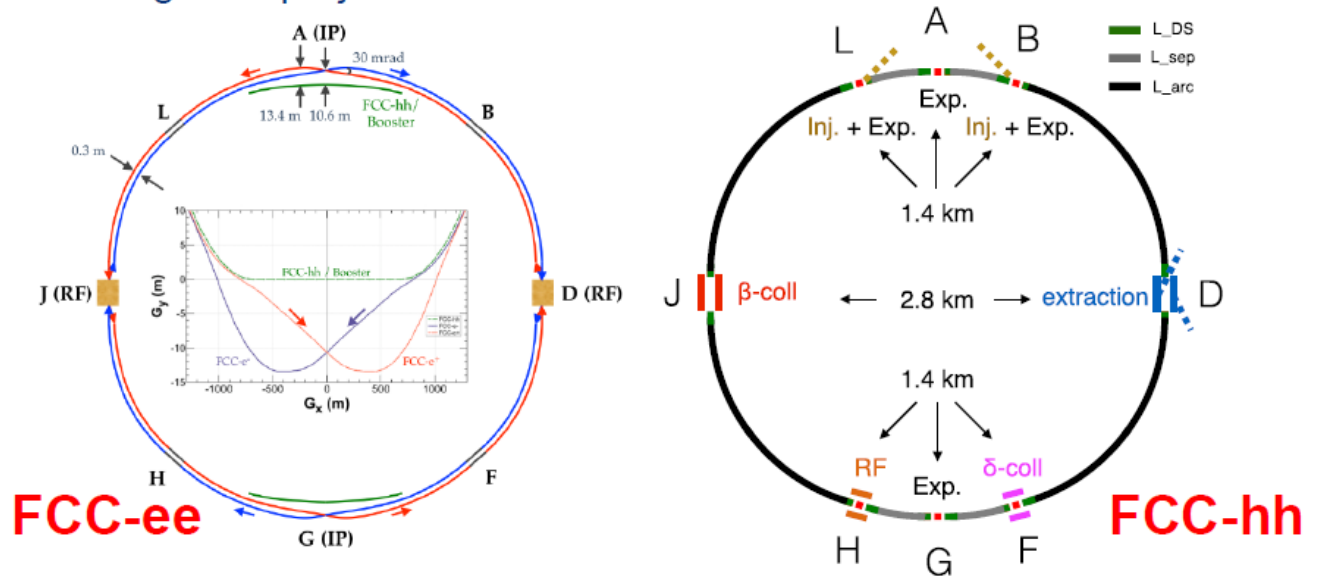
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The FCC integrated program inspired by successful LEP – LHC programs at CERN

Comprehensive long-term program, maximizing physics opportunities

- Stage 1: FCC-ee (Z, W, H, $t\bar{t}$) as Higgs factory, electroweak & top factory at highest luminosities
- Stage 2: FCC-hh (~100 TeV) as natural continuation at energy frontier, with ion and eh options
- Complementary physics
- Common civil engineering and technical infrastructures
- Building on and reusing CERN's existing infrastructure
- FCC integrated project allows seamless continuation of HEP after HL-LHC



Our marching orders from ESPP 2020:

A world map showing continents and oceans. The text is overlaid on the map, centered over Europe and Africa.

“Europe, together with its international partners, should investigate the technical and financial feasibility of a future hadron collider at CERN with a centre-of-mass energy of at least 100 TeV, and with an electron-positron Higgs and electroweak factory as a possible first stage. Such a feasibility study of the colliders and related infrastructure should be established as a global endeavour and be completed on the timescale of the next Strategy update.”

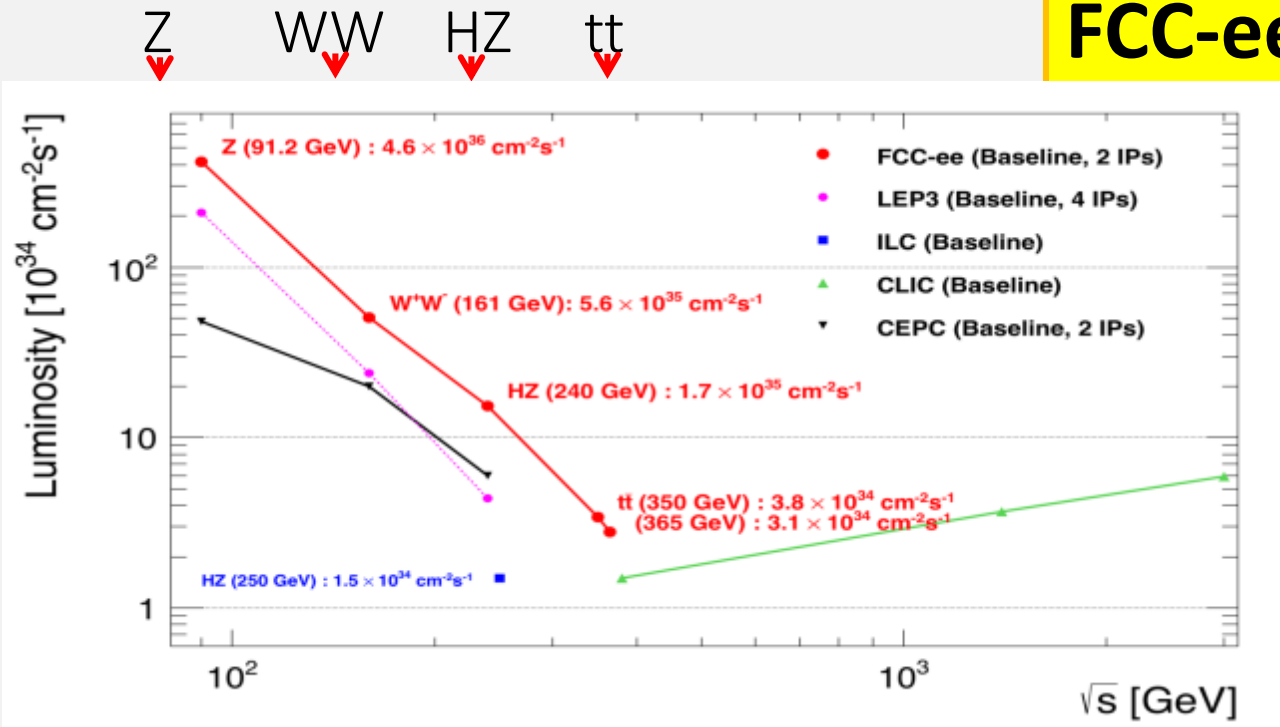
Feasibility of the colliders (ee and hh) and related infrastructure.

-- FCC is the highest priority for Europe and its international partners (Plan A)

Essential news for FCC

- June 2021 The FCC Feasibility Study (2021-2025) organization proposed to CERN council and approved unanimously
- Council documents :
 - Organisational structure of the FCC feasibility study
<http://cds.cern.ch/record/2774006/files/English.pdf>
 - Main deliverables and timeline of the FCC feasibility study
<http://cds.cern.ch/record/2774007/files/English.pdf>
- “ The focus will be on the tunnel and the first-stage collider (FCC-ee)”
- intermediate review mid 2023, delivery of Feasibility Study Report (FSR) end 2025, (first collisions 2040+)
- Stress the importance of communication towards
 - scientific community**, governments and funding agencies, industries and general public
- work has started on placement in Geneva area (France and Switzerland)
 - reduce number of surface points to 8
 - layout consistent with later choice of 2 or 4IP for the e+e- collider
- **in parallel, high field magnet R&D for FCC-hh will be carried out with high priority**

These events bring FCC-ee and FCC-hh one big step closer to reality



Event statistics :

Z peak	$E_{\text{cm}} : 91 \text{ GeV}$	$5 \cdot 10^{12}$	$e^+e^- \rightarrow Z$	LEP x $2 \cdot 10^5$
WW threshold+	$E_{\text{cm}} \geq 161 \text{ GeV}$	10^8	$e^+e^- \rightarrow WW$	LEP x $2 \cdot 10^3$
ZH threshold	$E_{\text{cm}} : 240 \text{ GeV}$	10^6	$e^+e^- \rightarrow ZH$	Never done
tt threshold	$E_{\text{cm}} : 350 \text{ GeV}$	10^6	$e^+e^- \rightarrow \bar{t}t$	Never done

E_{CM} errors:

<100 keV
<300 keV
2 MeV
5 MeV

Context: FCC technical and financial feasibility study approved as CERN 'plan A'. First stage: 'tunnel and e+e- H/ EW factory'.
 allow exploring existence of more particles with SM Couplings

Beam Energy measurement by RDP

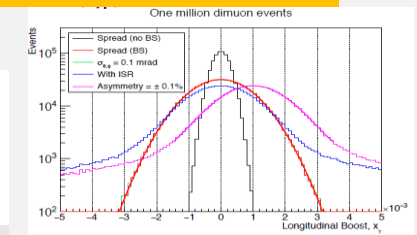
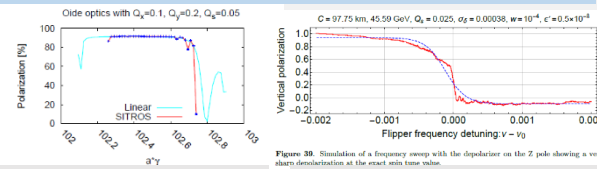
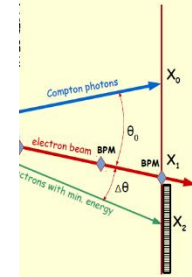


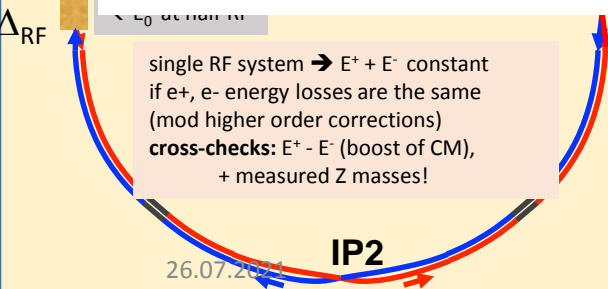
Table 15: Calculated uncertainties on the quantities most affected by the center-of-mass energy uncertainties, under the final systematic assumptions.

Quantity	statistics	ΔE_{CMabs} 100 keV	$\Delta E_{CMSyst-ptp}$ 40 keV	calib. stats. 200 keV/ $\sqrt{(N^i)}$	σE_{CM} (84) \pm 0.05 MeV
m_Z (keV)	4	100	28	1	—
Γ_Z (keV)	7	2.5	22	1	10
$\sin^2 \theta_W^{eff} \times 10^6$ from $A_{FB}^{\mu\mu}$	2	—	2.4	0.1	—
$\frac{\Delta \alpha_{QED}(M_Z)}{\alpha_{QED}(M_Z)} \times 10^5$	3	0.1	0.9	—	0.05

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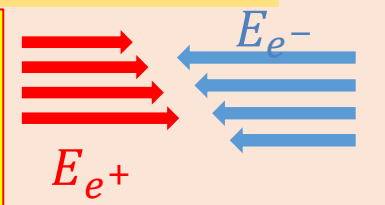
meter
& γ
 $\rightarrow P_y P_x$



$\Delta_{BS} = 0$ up to 0.62 MeV
Beamstrahlung E loss compensated by RF.

-- how do we operate it all ?

Issue from collision offset x parasitic opposite sign IP dispersion
 \rightarrow vernier scans and $D_{x,y}$ measurements
 Radiative Bhabha monitor to measure beam-beam kick of colliding particles

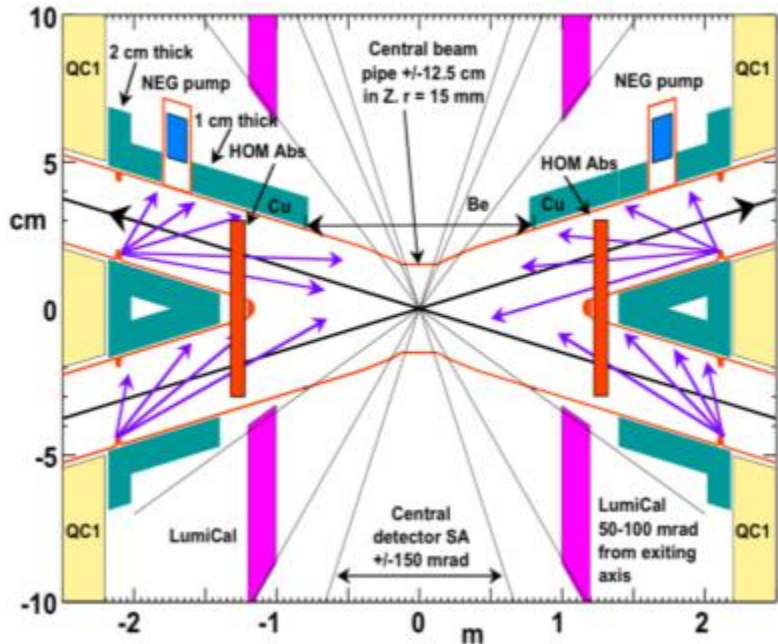


FCC EPOL group:
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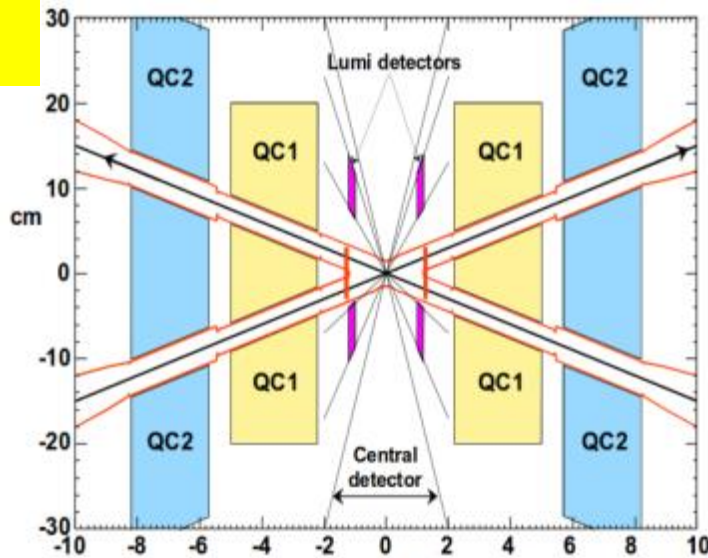


FCC-ee Interaction Region Design

A. Novokhatski, M. Sullivan, E. Belli, M. Gil Costa, and R. Kersevan, *Unavoidable trapped mode in the interaction region of colliding beams*, *Phys. Rev. Accel. Beams* **20**, 111005 (2017)

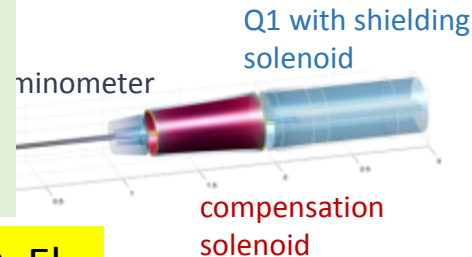


3D sketch of key IR systems over first 3 m from IP



M. Boscolo, H. Burkhardt, and M. Sullivan, *Machine detector interface studies: Layout and synchrotron radiation estimate in the future circular collider interaction region*, *Phys. Rev. Accel. Beams* **20**, 011008 (2017)

heat loads: rad Bhabha (kW), beamstrahlung (MW), res. wall (kW), HOMs, quadr. synchrotron rad.

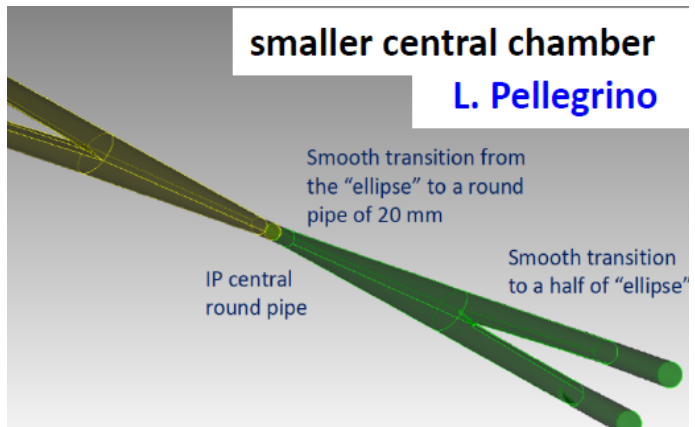


minometer

MDI limit:
100mrad

M. Boscolo, N. Bacchetta, A. Bogomyagkov, H. Burkhardt, M. Dam, D. El Khechen, M. Koratzinos, E. Levichev, M. Luckhof, A. Novokhatski, L. Pellegrino, S. Sinyatkin, M. Sullivan, et al.

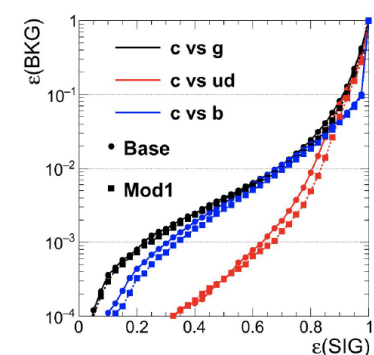
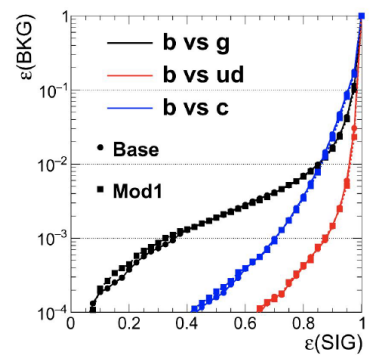
It appears that beam pipe might be smaller than CDR (20mm diameter vs 30) → better b/c tagging eff. (85% for 1% contamination)



Performance (smaller beampipe / closer vtx)

b-tagging

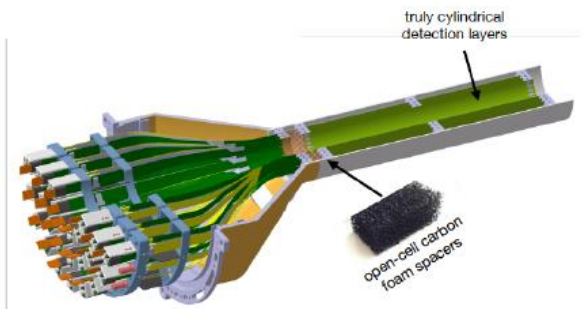
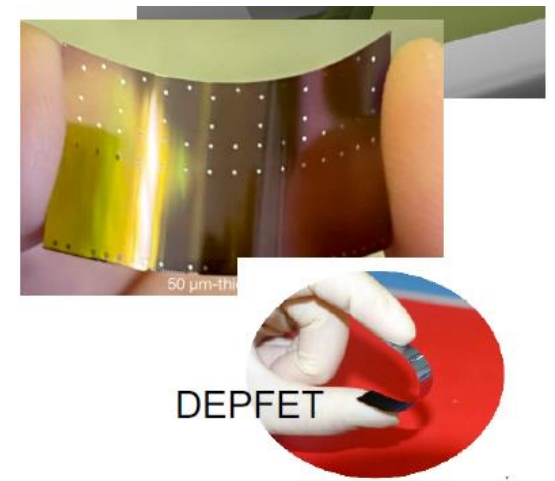
c-tagging



Mod1: additional vertex layer @1 cm

- Effect is small in b-tagging:
 - Effect is significant in c-tagging, as expected
 - Gain ~ 10-30% background rejection (vs. gluon and light)
 - possibly explore thinner beam-pipe (to limit MS)

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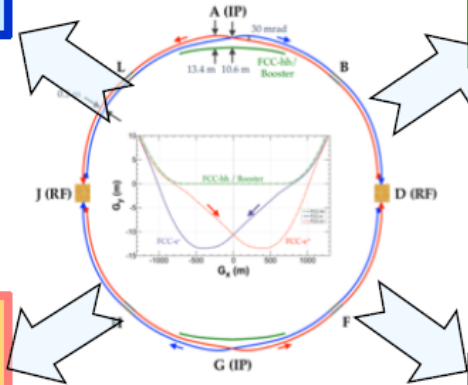
1st layer of tracker inside vacuum? (sketch from ALICE upgrade)

"Higgs Factory" Programme

- At two energies, 240 and 365 GeV, collect in total
 - 1.2MHZ events and 75k WW → H events
- Higgs couplings to fermions and bosons
- Higgs self-coupling (2-4 σ) via loop diagrams
- Unique possibility: measure electron coupling in s-channel production $e^+e^- \rightarrow H$ @ $\sqrt{s} = 125$ GeV

Ultra Precise EW Programme &

- Measurement of EW parameters with factor ~ 100 improvement in *statistical* precision wrt current WA
- 5×10^{12} Z and 10^8 WW
 - $m_Z, \Gamma_Z, \Gamma_{inv}, \sin^2\theta_W^{eff}, R_\ell^Z, R_b, \alpha_s, m_W, \Gamma_W, \dots$
 - 10^6 tt
 - $m_{top}, \Gamma_{top},$ EW couplings
- Indirect sensitivity to new phys. up to $\Lambda=70$ TeV scale



Heavy Flavour Programme

- Enormous statistics: 10^{12} bb, cc; 1.7×10^{11} $\tau\tau$
- Extremely clean environment, favourable kinematic conditions (boost) from Z decays
- CKM matrix, CP measurements, "flavour anomaly" studies, e.g. $b \rightarrow s\tau\tau$, rare decays, cLFV searches, lepton universality, PNMS matrix unitarity

Feebly Coupled Particles - LLPs

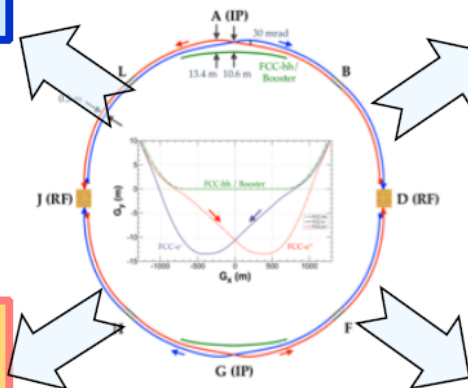
- Intensity frontier: Opportunity to directly observe new feebly interacting particles with masses below m_Z :
- Axion-like particles, dark photons, Heavy Neutral Leptons
 - Signatures: long lifetimes - LLPs

"Higgs Factory" Programme

- Momentum resolution of $\sigma_{pT}/p_T^2 \simeq 2 \times 10^{-5} \text{ GeV}^{-1}$ commensurate with $\mathcal{O}(10^{-3})$ beam energy spread
- Jet energy resolution of 30%/√E in multi-jet environment for Z/W separation
- Superior impact parameter resolution for c, b tagging

Ultra Precise EW Programme

- Absolute normalisation (luminosity) to 10^{-4}
- Relative normalisation (e.g. $\Gamma_{\text{had}}/\Gamma_{\ell}$) to 10^{-5}
- Momentum resolution "as good as we can get it"
 - Multiple scattering limited
- Track angular resolution $< 0.1 \text{ mrad}$ (BES from $\mu\mu$)
- Stability of B-field to 10^{-6} : stability of v_s meast.



Heavy Flavour Programme

- Superior impact parameter resolution: secondary vertices, tagging, identification, life-time measts.
- ECAL resolution at the few %/√E level for inv. mass of final states with π^0 s or γ s
- Excellent π^0/γ separation and measurement for tau physics
- PID: K/ π separation over wide momentum range for b and τ physics

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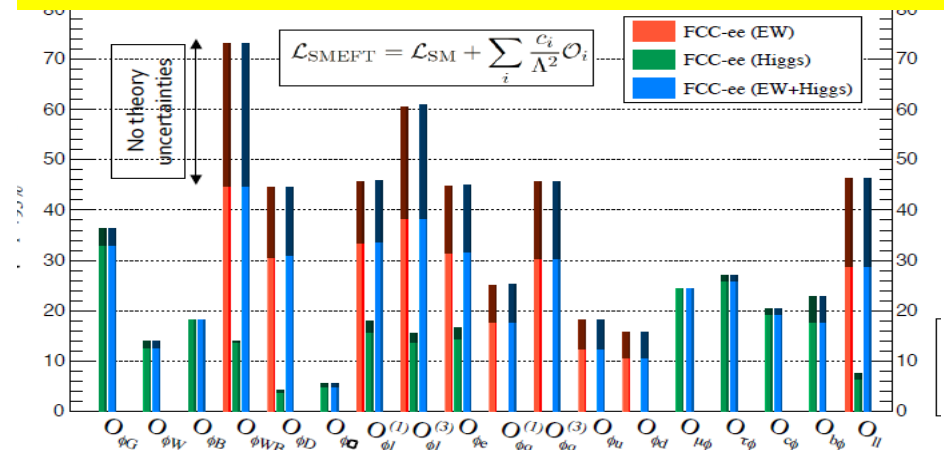
- Benchmark signature: $Z \rightarrow \nu N$, with N decaying late
- Sensitivity to far detached vertices (mm \rightarrow m)
 - Tracking: more layers, continuous tracking
 - Calorimetry: granularity, tracking capability
 - Large decay lengths \Rightarrow extended detector volume
 - Hermeticity

The Challenge

Observable	present value \pm error	FCC-ee Stat.	FCC-ee Syst.	Comment and leading exp. error
m_Z (keV)	91186700 ± 2200	4	100	From Z line shape scan Beam energy calibration
Γ_Z (keV)	2495200 ± 2300	4	25	From Z line shape scan Beam energy calibration
$\sin^2 \theta_W^{\text{eff}} (\times 10^6)$	231480 ± 160	2	2.4	from $A_{\text{FB}}^{\mu\mu}$ at Z peak Beam energy calibration
$1/\alpha_{\text{QED}}(m_Z^2) (\times 10^3)$	128952 ± 14	3	small	from $A_{\text{FB}}^{\mu\mu}$ off peak QED&EW errors dominate
$R_\ell^Z (\times 10^3)$	20767 ± 25	0.06	0.2-1	ratio of hadrons to leptons acceptance for leptons
$\alpha_s(m_Z^2) (\times 10^4)$	1196 ± 30	0.1	0.4-1.6	from R_ℓ^Z above
$\sigma_{\text{had}}^0 (\times 10^3)$ (nb)	41541 ± 37	0.1	4	peak hadronic cross section luminosity measurement
$N_\nu (\times 10^3)$	2996 ± 7	0.005	1	Z peak cross sections Luminosity measurement
$R_b (\times 10^6)$	216290 ± 660	0.3	< 60	ratio of $b\bar{b}$ to hadrons stat. extrapol. from SLD
$A_{\text{FB},0}^b (\times 10^4)$	992 ± 16	0.02	1-3	b-quark asymmetry at Z pole from jet charge
$A_{\text{FB}}^{\text{pol},\tau} (\times 10^4)$	1498 ± 49	0.15	<2	τ polarization asymmetry τ decay physics
τ lifetime (fs)	290.3 ± 0.5	0.001	0.04	radial alignment
τ mass (MeV)	1776.86 ± 0.12	0.004	0.04	momentum scale
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$\alpha_s(m_W^2) (\times 10^4)$	1170 ± 420	3	small	from R_ℓ^W
$N_\nu (\times 10^3)$	2920 ± 50	0.8	small	ratio of invis. to leptonic in radiative Z returns
m_{top} (MeV/ c^2)	172740 ± 500	17	small	From $t\bar{t}$ threshold scan QCD errors dominate
Γ_{top} (MeV/ c^2)	1410 ± 190	45	small	From $t\bar{t}$ threshold scan QCD errors dominate
$\lambda_{\text{top}}/\lambda_{\text{top}}^{\text{SM}}$	1.2 ± 0.3	0.10	small	From $t\bar{t}$ threshold scan QCD errors dominate
ttZ coupling	$2106.13885 \pm 30\%$	0.5 - 1.5%	small	From $\sqrt{s} = 365$ GeV run

Precision EW measurements:

is the SM complete?



-^ EFT D6 operators (some assumptions)

-^ **Higgs and EWPOs are complementary**

-^ top quark mass and couplings essential!

(the 100km circumference is optimal for this)

<-- systematics are preliminary 'book keeping'

→ aim at reducing to same level as stat. errors

<-- more HF observables to be added

<-- complemented by high energy FCC-hh

Theory work is critical and initiated

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$\alpha_s(m_Z)$
NC lept. Univ

N_ν

δ_b vtx

G_F from taus
CC lept. Univ

High Energy Physics - Phenomenology

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Theory Requirements and Possibilities for the FCC-ee and other Future High Energy and Precision Frontier Lepton Colliders

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The future lepton colliders proposed for the High Energy and Precision Frontier set stringent demands on theory. The most ambitious, broad-reaching and demanding project is the FCC-ee. We consider here the present status and requirements on precision calculations, possible ways forward and novel methods, to match the experimental accuracies expected at the FCC-ee. We conclude that the challenge can be tackled by a distributed collaborative effort in academic institutions around the world, provided sufficient support, which is estimated to about 500 man-years over the next 20 years.

Comments: Input to the European Strategy Particle Physics 2018-2020

Subjects: **High Energy Physics - Phenomenology (hep-ph)**; High Energy Physics - Theory (hep-th)

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also arxiv: *1809.01830, 1905.05078 (workshops) 1906.05379*

Conclusions

- A. Following ESPP, CERN has now launched the second phase FCC study, the FCC technical and financial feasibility study
- B. The first stage of the FCC (FCC-ee) is a machine offering great physics opportunities at Z,W,H, and top, and heavy flavour (esp. b, τ) factory.
- C. High luminosity, precise ECM, clean environment and effective MDI (10mm beam pipe)
- D. The challenges arise to match systematics to the statistical precisions
- E. This will require a systematic ‘case studies’ of measurements
leading to detector (accelerator and theory) requirements
- F. a proactive preparation is necessary with everybody together
 - accelerator design and running mode
 - detector concepts (up to four)
 - theoretical calculations
 - analysis tools and methods
- G. History has shown that systematic errors are usually statistics limited.

Appendix : documentation

- **FCC-Conceptual Design Reports:**

- Vol 1 – Physics
- Vol 2 – FCC-ee,
- Vol 3 – FCC-hh,
- Vol 4 – HE-LHC
- 1338 authors

A public presentation of the CDR was given on 4-5 March 2019 at CERN <https://indico.cern.ch/event/789349/>

+ FCC Phys. Workshop Jan 20 <https://indico.cern.ch/event/838435/>

FCC Phys workshop Nov 9-13 2020 <https://indico.cern.ch/event/932973/>

FCC week 28/06-02/07/2021 <https://indico.cern.ch/event/995850/>

→ many further details can be found there!

- Preprints since 15 January 2019 on <http://fcc-cdr.web.cern.ch/> and INSPIRE
- **CDRs published in European Physical Journal C (Vol 1) and ST (Vol 2 – 4)**
- **ESPP summaries: FCC-integral, FCC-ee, FCC-hh, HE-LHC** <http://fcc-cdr.web.cern.ch/>
- FCC-ee «Your questions answered» <https://arxiv.org/abs/1906.02693v1>
- “Circular vs linear, another story of complementarity” [arXiv:1912.11871v2](https://arxiv.org/abs/1912.11871v2)
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SPARES

Double ring e^+e^- collider + injector ~100 km
 follows footprint of FCC-hh, except around IPs

Asymmetric IR layout & optics to limit
 synchrotron radiation towards the detector
 -- also separates detector from injector

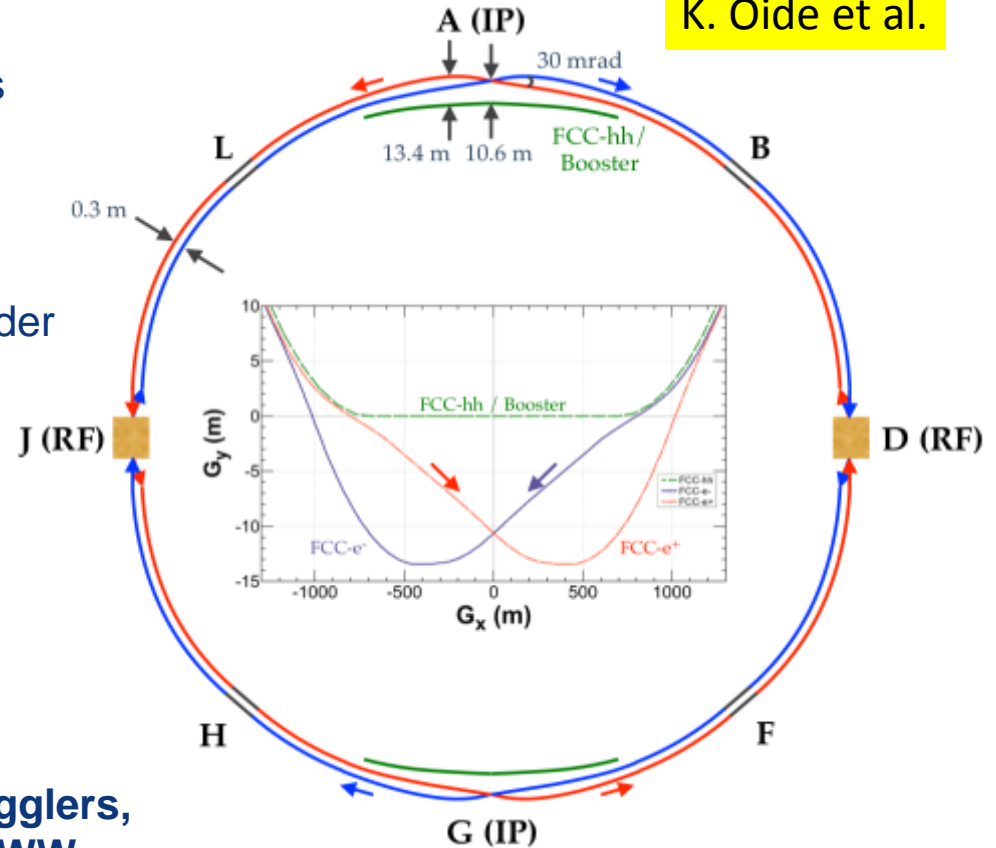
Presently 2 IPs (alternative layout with 4 IPs under
 study), **large horizontal x-ing angle 30mrad**,
crab-waist optics

synchrotron radiation power 50 MW/beam
at all beam energies; tapering of arc magnet
 strengths to match local energy

common RF for $t\bar{t}$ running

top-up injection: booster in collider tunnel

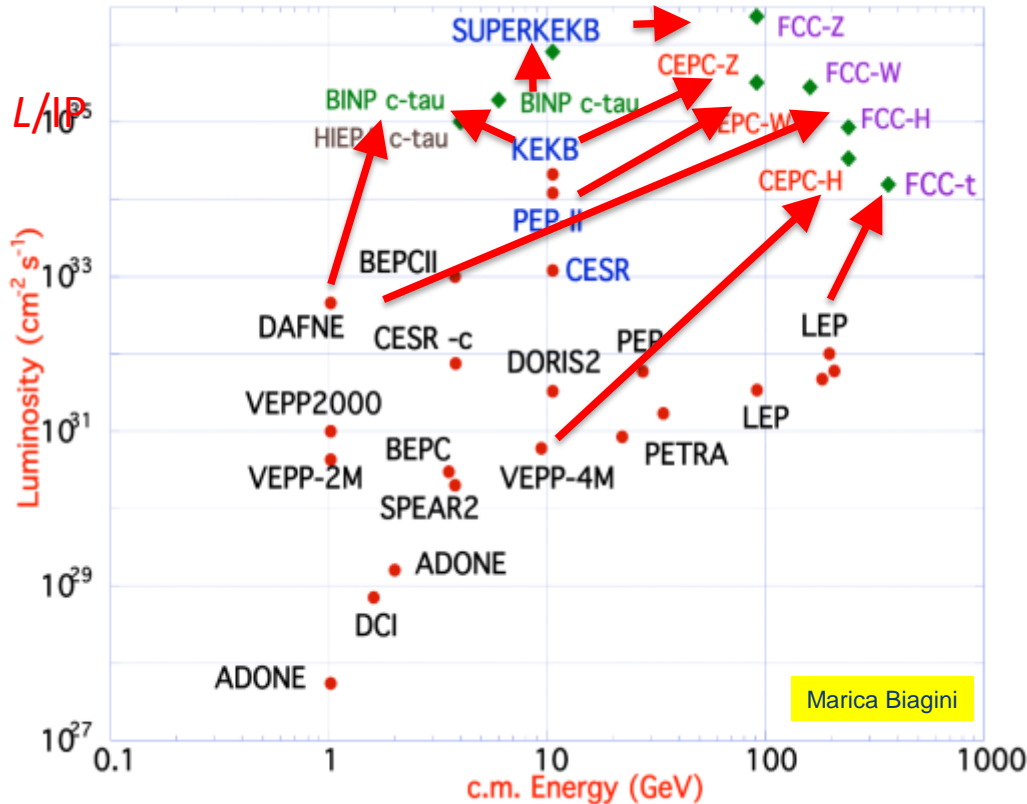
**Beam Polarization and energy calibration, wigglers,
 polarimeters, depolarization kicker for Z and WW**





FCC-ee Collider Parameters

parameter	Z	WW	H (ZH)	ttbar
beam energy [GeV]	45	80	120	182.5
beam current [mA]	1390	147	29	5.4
no. bunches/beam	16640	2000	393	48
bunch intensity [10^{11}]	1.7	1.5	1.5	2.3
SR energy loss / turn [GeV]	0.036	0.34	1.72	9.21
total RF voltage [GV]	0.1	0.44	2.0	10.9
long. damping time [turns]	1281	235	70	20
horizontal beta* [m]	0.15	0.2	0.3	1
vertical beta* [mm]	0.8	1	1	1.6
horiz. geometric emittance [nm]	0.27	0.28	0.63	1.46
vert. geom. emittance [pm]	1.0	1.7	1.3	2.9
bunch length with SR / BS [mm]	3.5 / 12.1	3.0 / 6.0	3.3 / 5.3	2.0 / 2.5
luminosity per IP [$10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$]	230	28	8.5	1.55
beam lifetime rad Bhabha / BS [min]	68 / >200	49 / >1000	38 / 18	40 / 18



B-factories: KEKB & PEP-II:
double-ring lepton colliders,
high beam currents,
top-up injection

DAFNE: crab waist, double ring

SuperB-factories, S-KEKB: low β_y^*

LEP: high energy, SR effects

VEPP-4M, LEP: precision E calibration

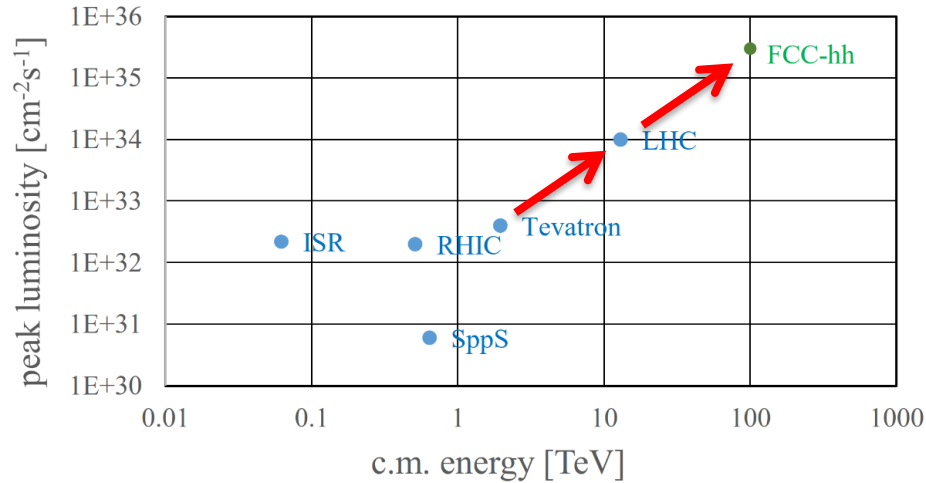
KEKB: e^+ source

HERA, LEP, RHIC: spin gymnastics

combining successful ingredients of several recent colliders

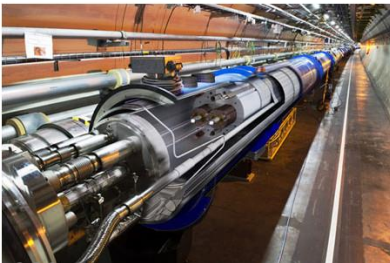
→ highest luminosities & energies

FCC-hh: highest collision energies



- **order of magnitude performance increase** in both **energy & luminosity**
- **100 TeV cm collision energy** (vs 14 TeV for LHC)
- **20 ab^{-1} per experiment collected over 25 years** of operation (vs 3 ab^{-1} for LHC)
- similar performance increase as from Tevatron to LHC

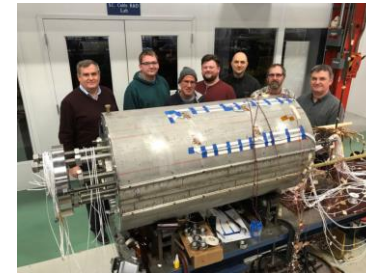
from
LHC technology
8.3 T NbTi dipole



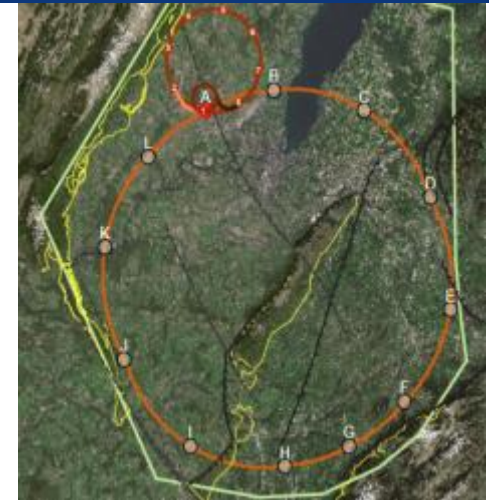
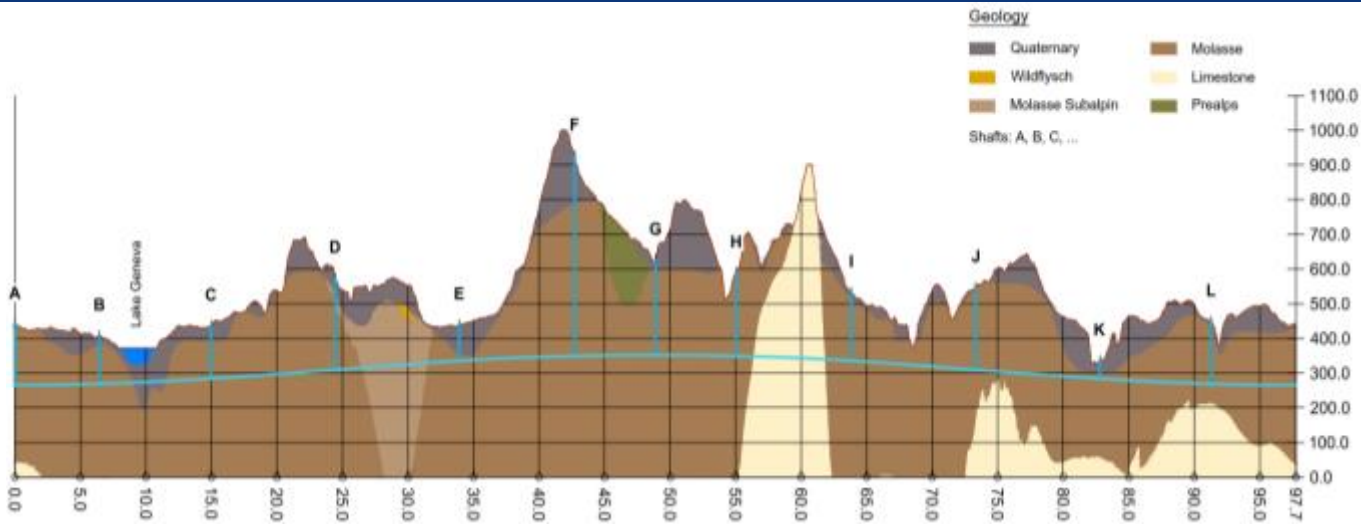
via
HL-LHC technology
12 T Nb₃Sn quadrupole



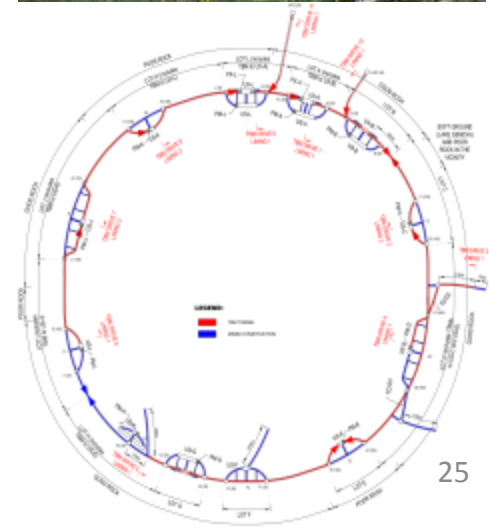
• **key technology: high-field magnets**

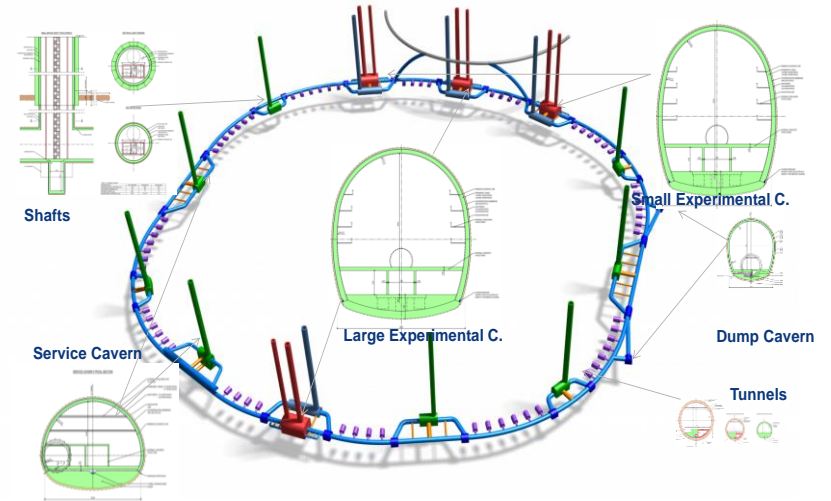
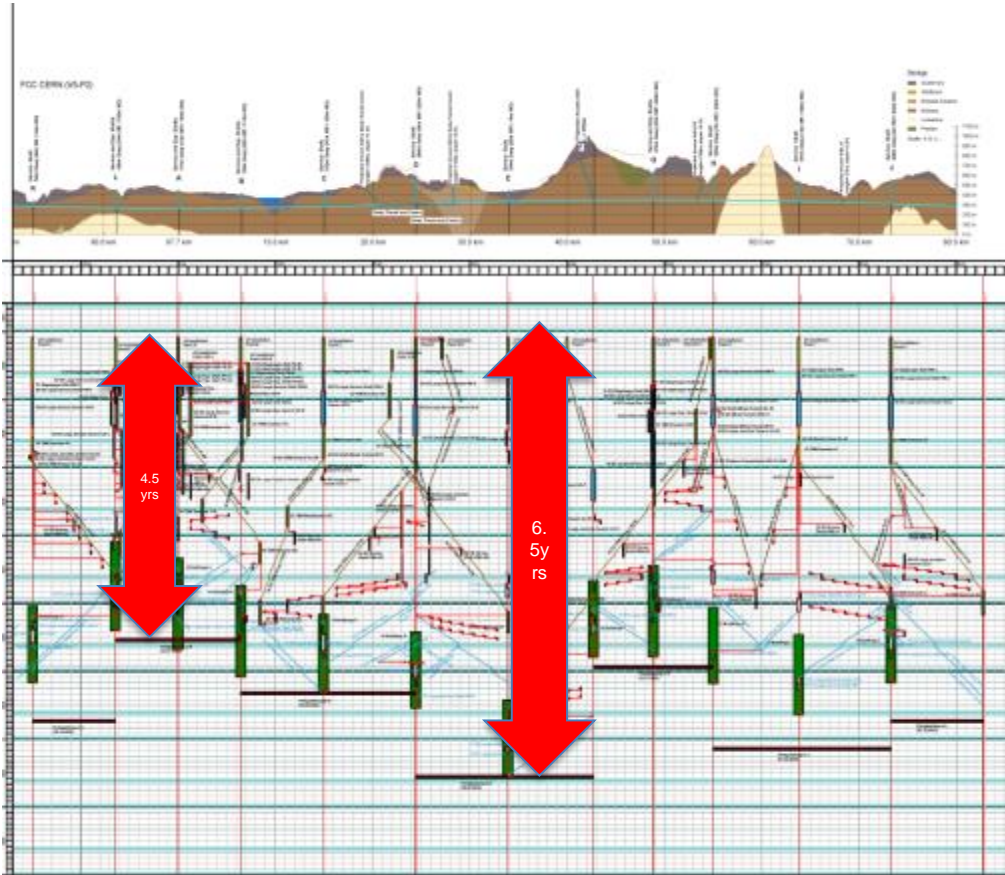


FNAL dipole demonstrator
14.5 T Nb₃Sn



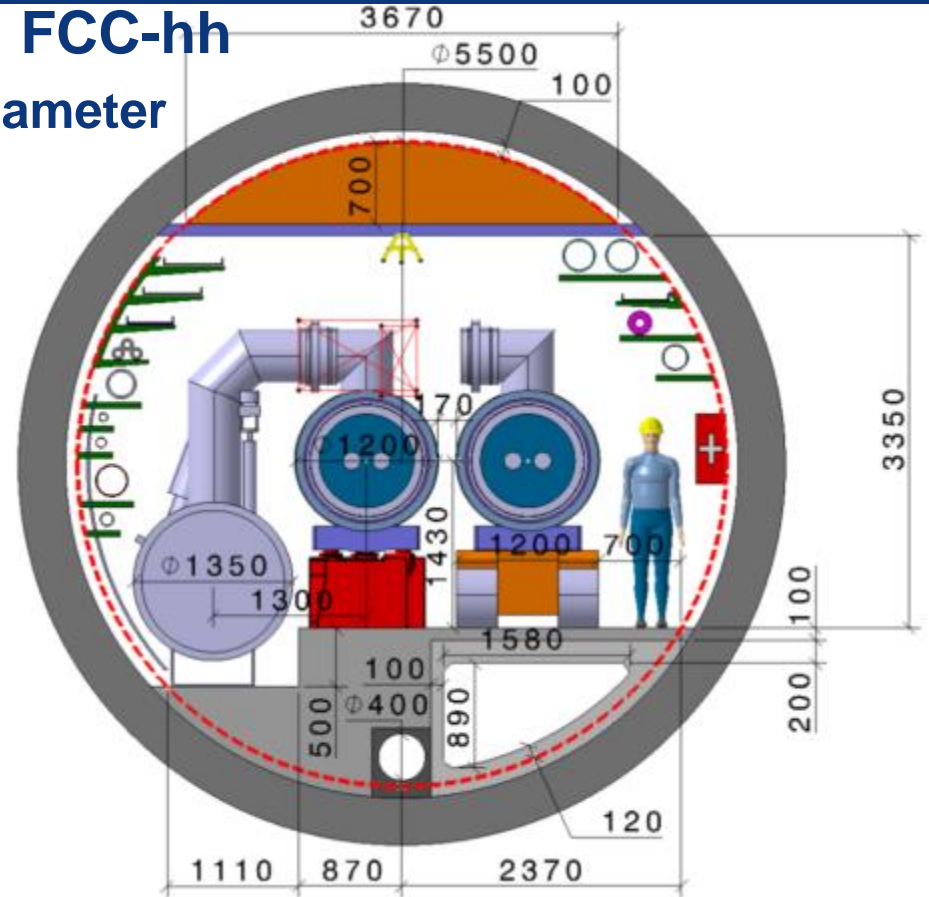
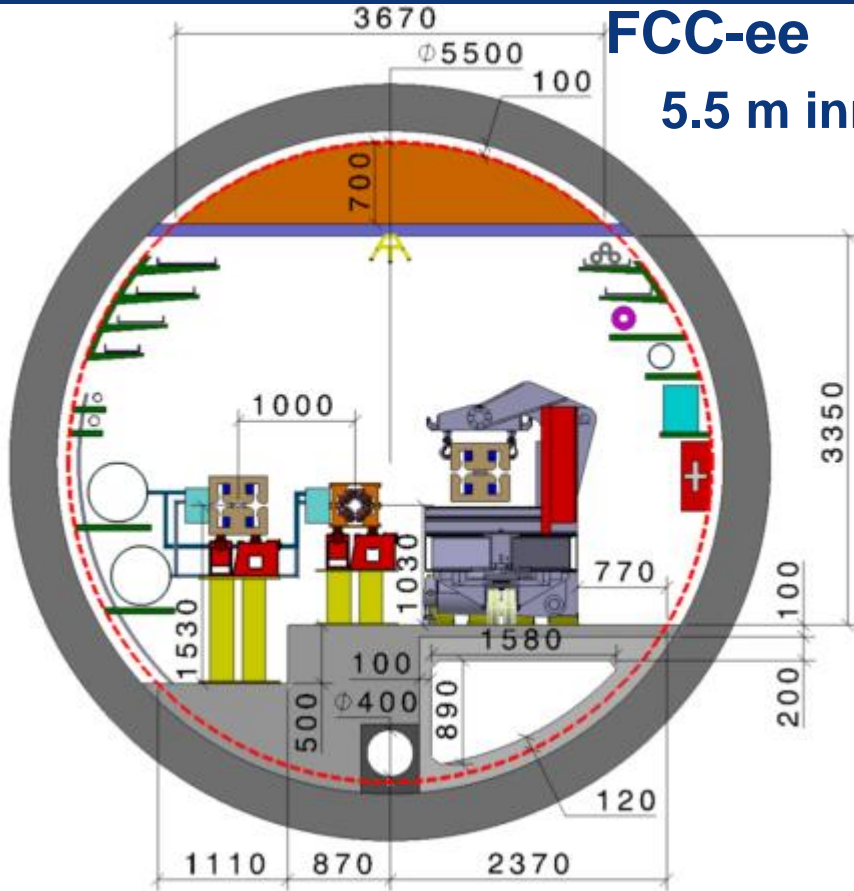
- **Present baseline position was established considering:**
 - lowest risk for construction, fastest and cheapest construction
 - feasible positions for large span caverns (most challenging structures)
- **More than 75% tunnel in France, 8 (9) / 12 access points in France.**
- **next step review of surface site locations and machine layout**



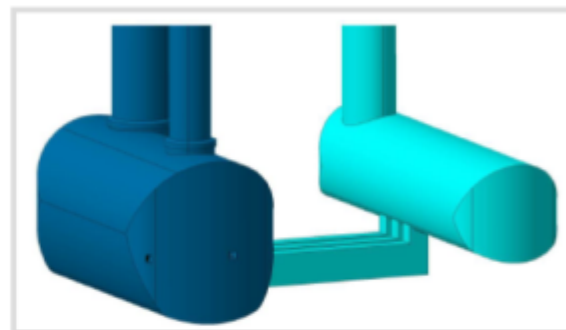
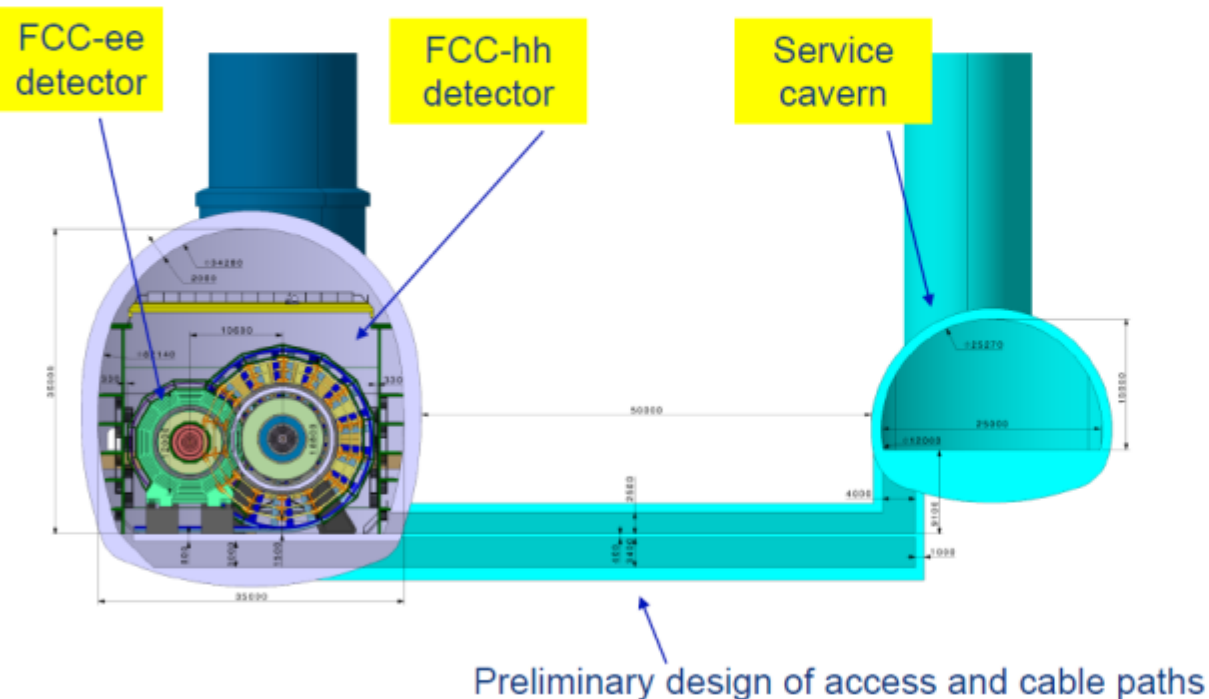


- Total construction duration 7 years
- First sectors ready after 4.5 years

FCC-tunnel integration in arcs



Distance between detector cavern and service cavern 50 m.
 Strayfield of unshielded detector solenoid < 5mT.



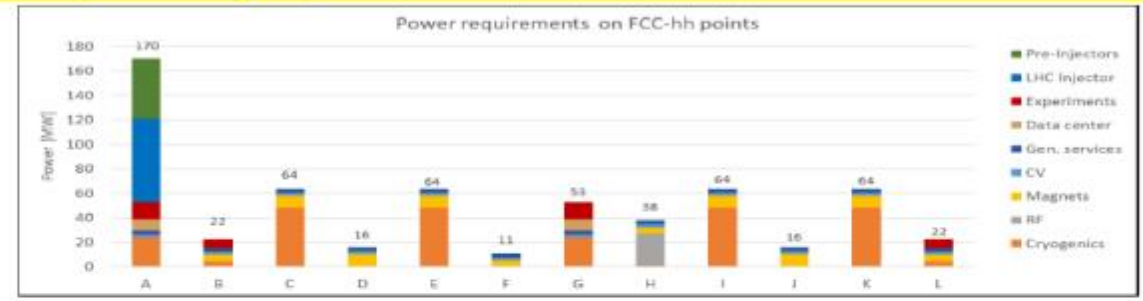
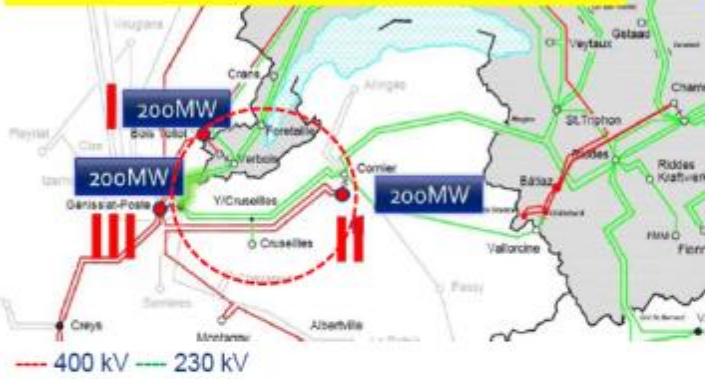
FCC-ee el. power consumption [MW]

Beam energy (GeV)	45.6 Z	80 W	120 ZH	182.5 ttbar
RF (SR = 100)	163	163	145	145
Collider cryo	1	9	14	46
Collider magnets	4	12	26	60
Booster RF & cryo	3	4	6	8
Booster magnets	0	1	2	5
Pre injector	10	10	10	10
Physics detector	8	8	8	8
Data center	4	4	4	4
Cooling & ventilation	30	31	31	37
General services	36	36	36	36
Total	259	278	282	359

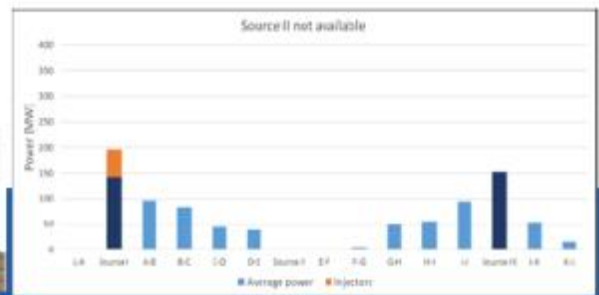
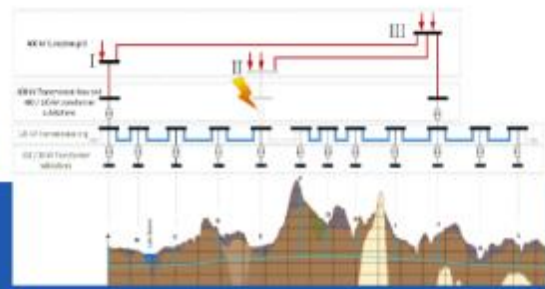
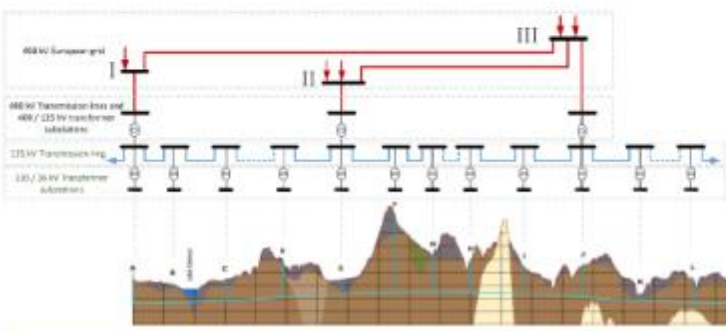
Supply and distribution of electrical energy

Additional 200 MW available for FCC at each of the three 400 kV sources.

Per-point power requirements as input for infrastructure-optimized conceptual design. (Peak FCC-ee 260 - 340 MW, total FCC-hh 550 MW)



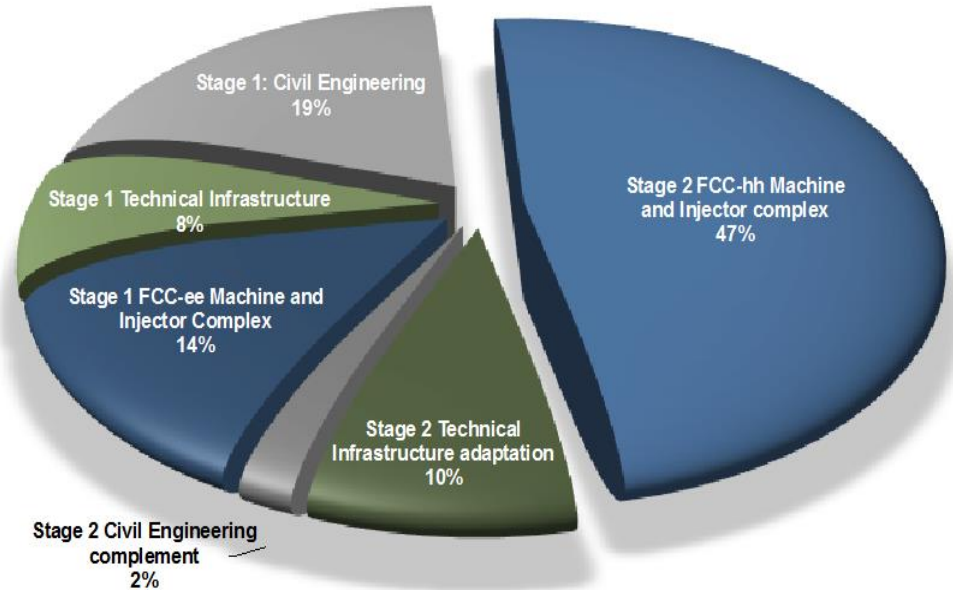
If one power source goes down fall back to „degraded mode“: FCC remains cold, vacuum preserved, controls on, RF off, no beam (“standby”). All FCC points supplied from 2 other 400 kV points, through the power transmission line.



3 x 400 kV connections
+ 135 kV underground power distribution (NC)

FCC-integrated cost estimate

Domain	Cost in MCHF
Stage 1 - Civil Engineering	5,400
Stage 1 - Technical Infrastructure	2,200
Stage 1 - FCC-ee Machine and Injector Complex	4,000
Stage 2 - Civil Engineering complement	600
Stage 2 - Technical Infrastructure adaptation	2,800
Stage 2 - FCC-hh Machine and Injector complex	13,600
TOTAL construction cost for integral FCC project	28,600



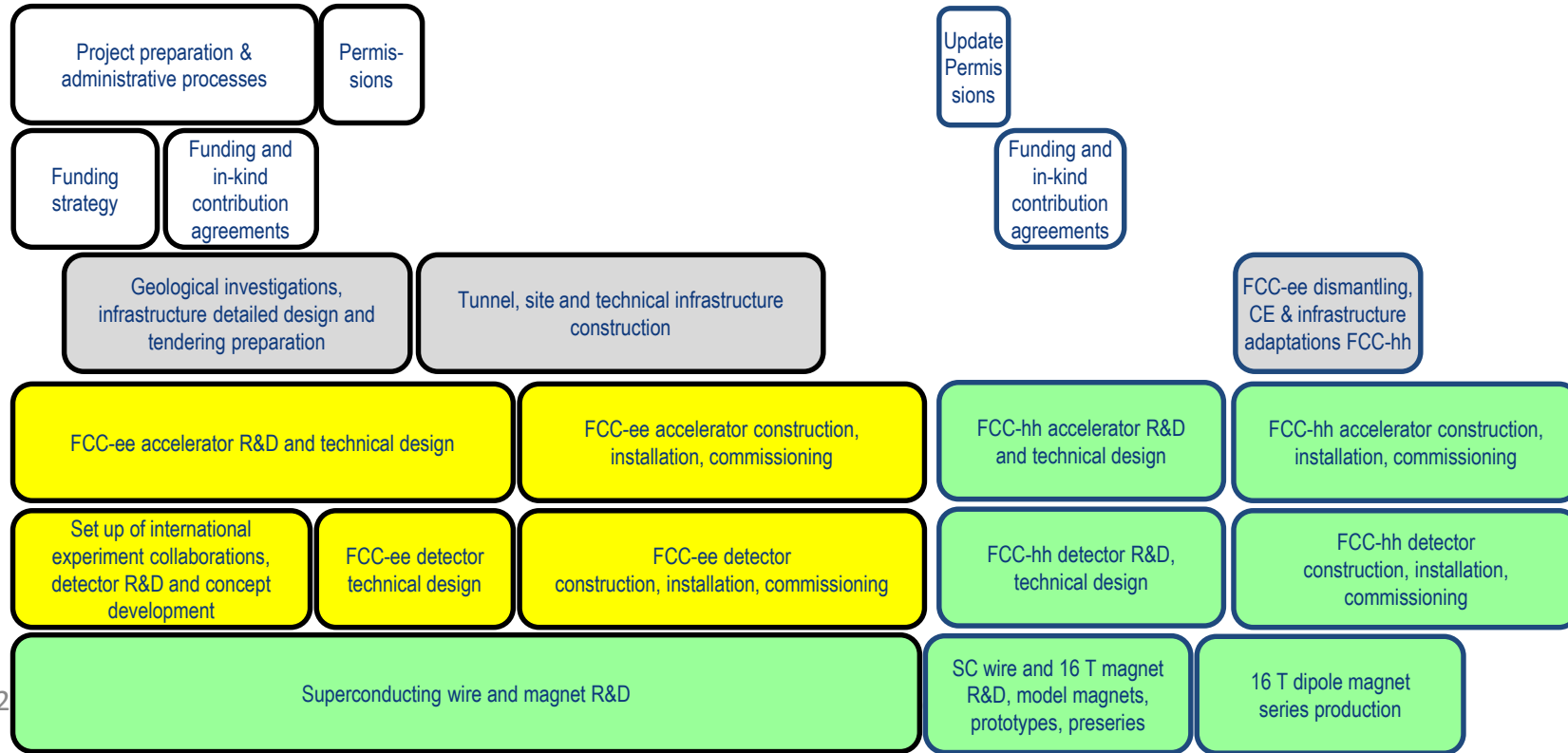
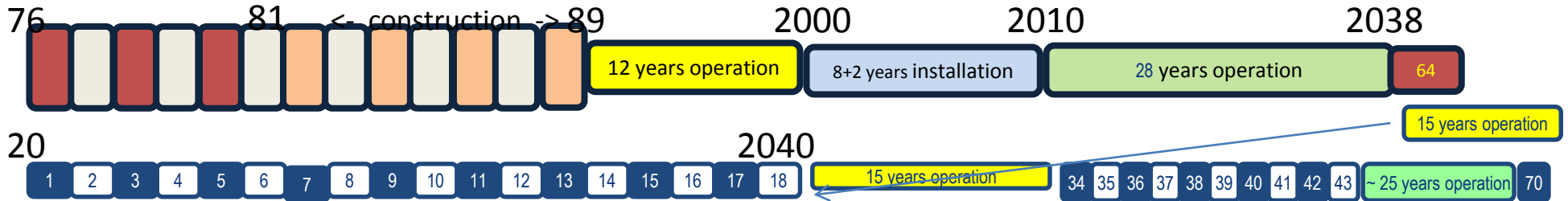
Total construction cost FCC-ee (Z, W, H) amounts to 10,500 MCHF & 1,100 MCHF (tt).

- Associated to a total project duration of ~20 years (2025 – 2045)

Total construction cost for subsequent FCC-hh amounts to 17,000 MCHF.

- Associated to a total project duration of ~25 years (2035 – 2060) (FCC-hh stand alone 25 BCHF)

FCC-INT timeline, compared with LEP/LHC



CHALLENGE 1 : why do we need a new accelerator after the LHC?

Particle physics has arrived at an important moment of its history

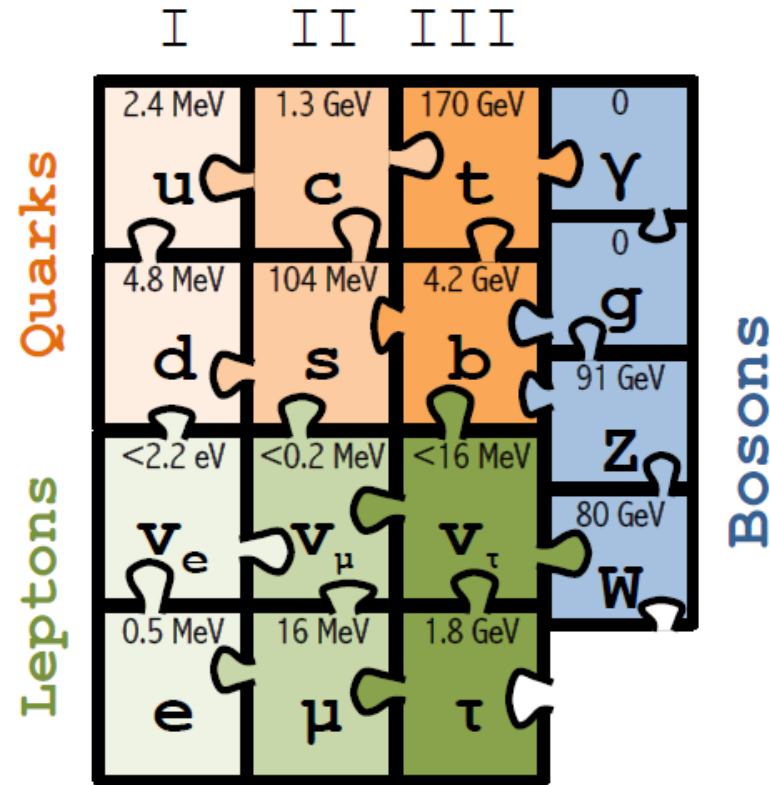
The expression 'Standard Model' appeared in 1976 after the discoveries of

- neutrino Neutral currents (Z boson exchange) in 1973 and
- Charmed particles (BNL, SLAC) in 1974-76

since then we have been discovering all the particles that have **electric charge** or **QCD charge**, or **weak isospin** (SM couplings) by increasing accelerator energies.



1989-1999: top mass predicted (LEP, mostly Z mass&width)
top quark discovered (Tevatron)
t'Hooft and Veltman get Nobel Prize 1999



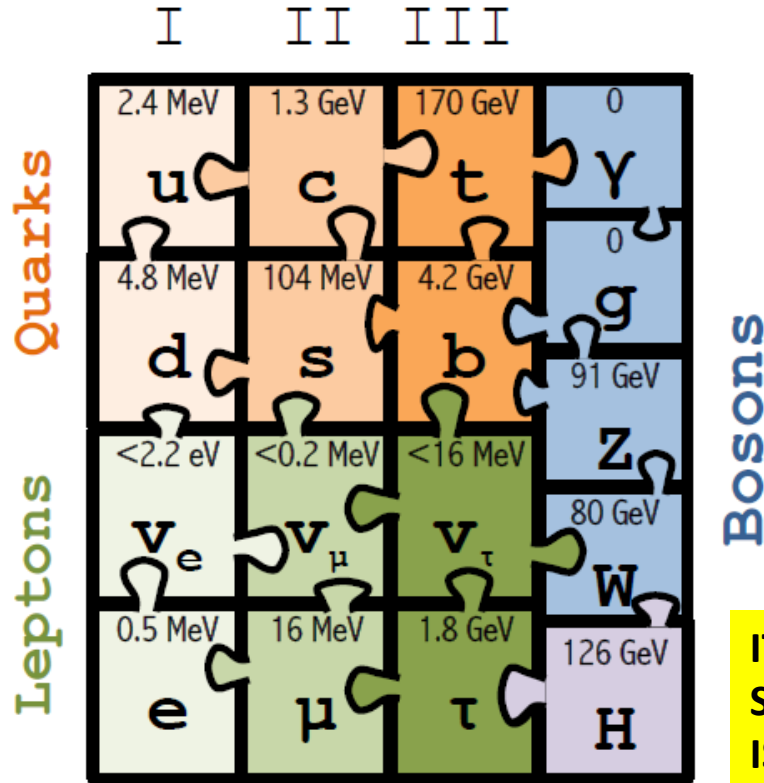
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1997-2013 Higgs boson mass cornered (LEP H, M_Z etc +Tevatron m_t , M_W)

Higgs Boson discovered (LHC)

Englert and Higgs get Nobel Prize 2013

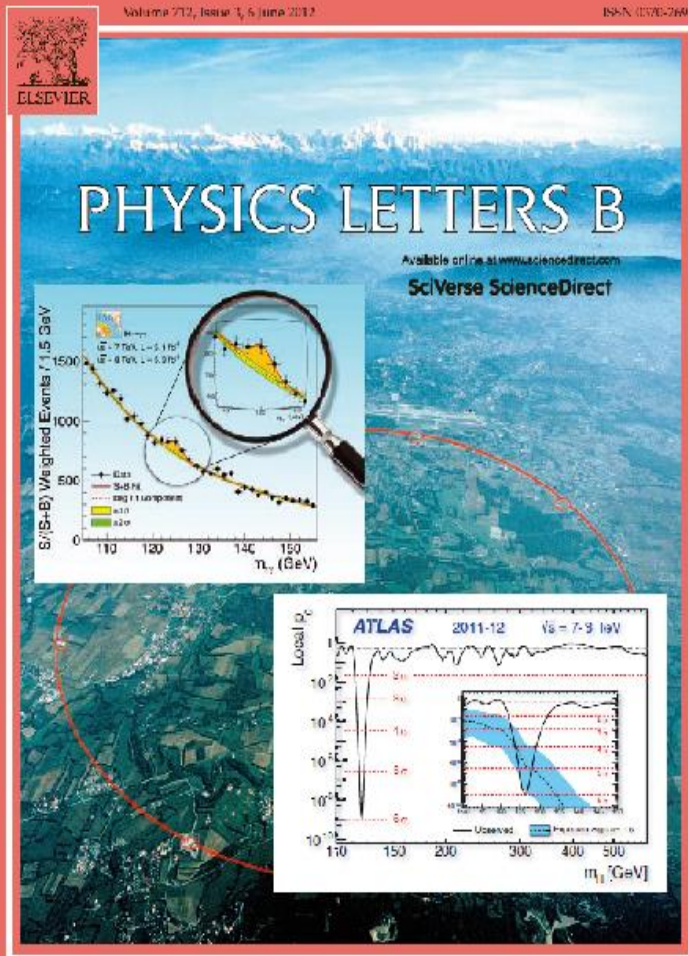


NB in fact we know from oscillations and cosmology that all 3 neutrino masses are less than ~0.1 eV

IT LOOKS LIKE THE STANDARD MODEL IS COMPLETE.....

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EIGHT YEARS AGO ALREADY




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Finding the Higgs boson



The Standard Model is a very consistent and complete theory.

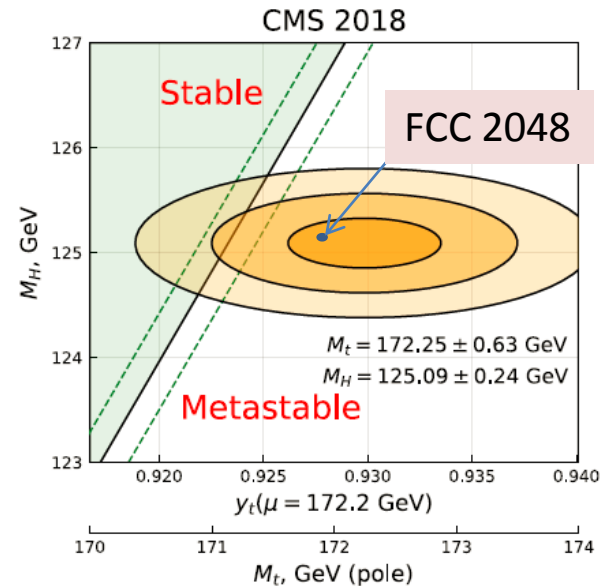
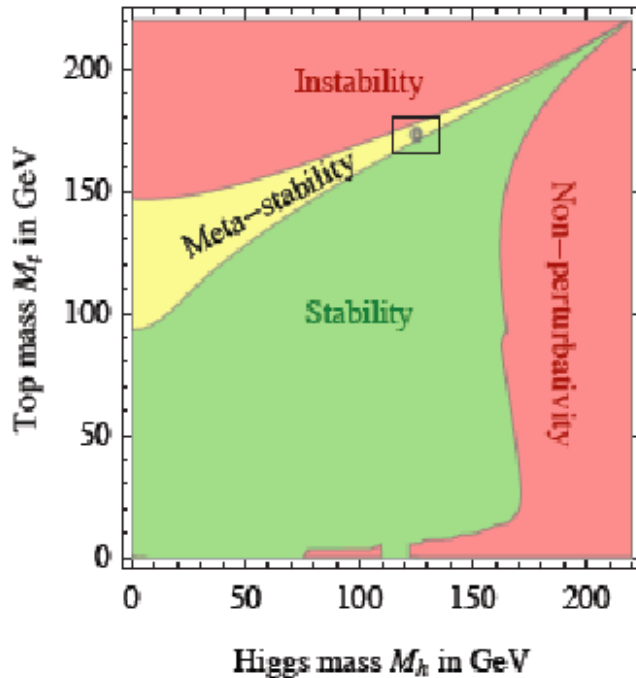
It explains all known collider phenomena and almost all particle physics (except ν 's)

– this was beautifully verified at LEP, SLC, Tevatron and the LHC.

-- the EWPO radiative corrections predicted top and Higgs masses

assuming SM *and nothing else*

we can even extrapolate the Standard Model all the way to the the Plank scale :



Asymptotic safety of gravity and the Higgs boson mass

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Abstract

There are indications that gravity is asymptotically safe. The Standard Model (SM) plus gravity could be valid up to arbitrarily high energies. Supposing that this is indeed the case and assuming that there are no intermediate energy scales between the Fermi and Planck scales we address the question of whether the mass of the Higgs boson m_H can be predicted. For a positive gravity induced anomalous dimension $A_\lambda > 0$ the running of the quartic scalar self interaction λ at scales beyond the Planck mass is determined by a fixed point at zero. This results in $m_H = m_{\min} = 126$ GeV, with only a few GeV uncertainty. This prediction is independent of the details of the short distance running and holds for a wide class of extensions of the SM as well. For $A_\lambda < 0$ one finds m_H in the interval $m_{\min} < m_H < m_{\max} \simeq 174$ GeV, now sensitive to A_λ and other properties of the short distance running. The case $A_\lambda > 0$ is favored by explicit computations existing in the literature.

Key words:

Asymptotic safety, gravity, Higgs boson mass

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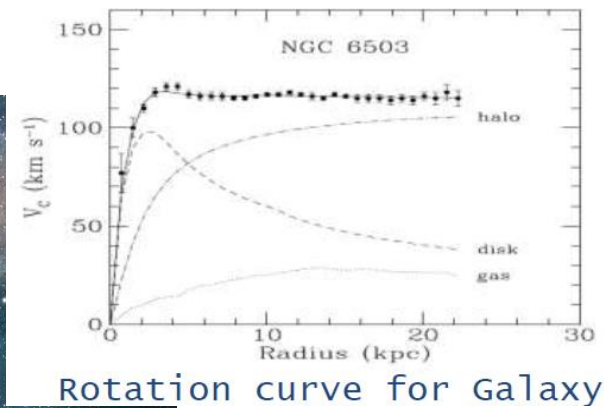
Detecting the Higgs scalar with mass around 126 GeV at the LHC could give a strong hint for the absence of new physics influencing the running of the SM couplings between the Fermi and Planck/unification scales.



We cannot explain:

Dark matter

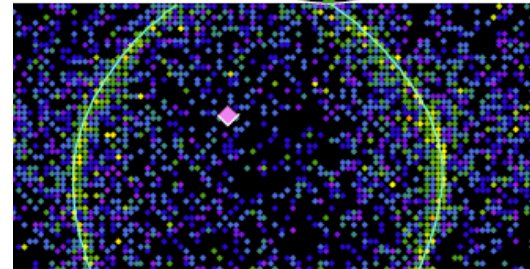
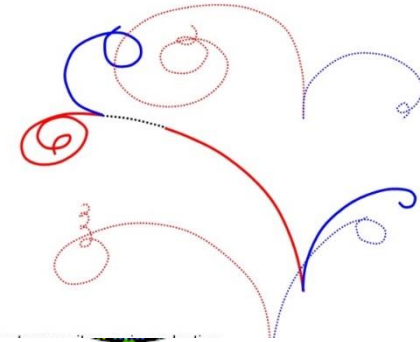
Standard Model particles constitute only 5% of the energy in the Universe



Where is antimatter gone?

What makes neutrino masses?

- Not a unique solution in the SM --
- Dirac masses (why so small?)
- Majorana masses (why not Dirac?)
- Both (the preferred scenarios, see-saw...)?
- heavy right handed neutrinos?



Is it the end?

Certainly not!

- Dark matter
- Baryon Asymmetry in Universe
- Neutrino masses

these facts require
particle physics explanations.

To which, one can add many
theoretical questions on the SM

are experimental proofs that there is more to understand.

We must continue our quest, but HOW?

Direct observation of new particles (but not only!)

New phenomena (ex: Neutral currents, neutrino oscillations, CP violation..)

Deviations from precise predictions

(ref. Uranus to Neptune, Mercury's perihelion,
top and Higgs predictions from LEP/SLC/Tevatron/B factories, g-2, etc...)

The Physics Landscape

We are in a fascinating situation: where to look and what will we find?

For the first time since Fermi theory, WE HAVE NO SCALE

The next facility must be versatile with **as broad and powerful reach as possible**,
as there is **no precise target**

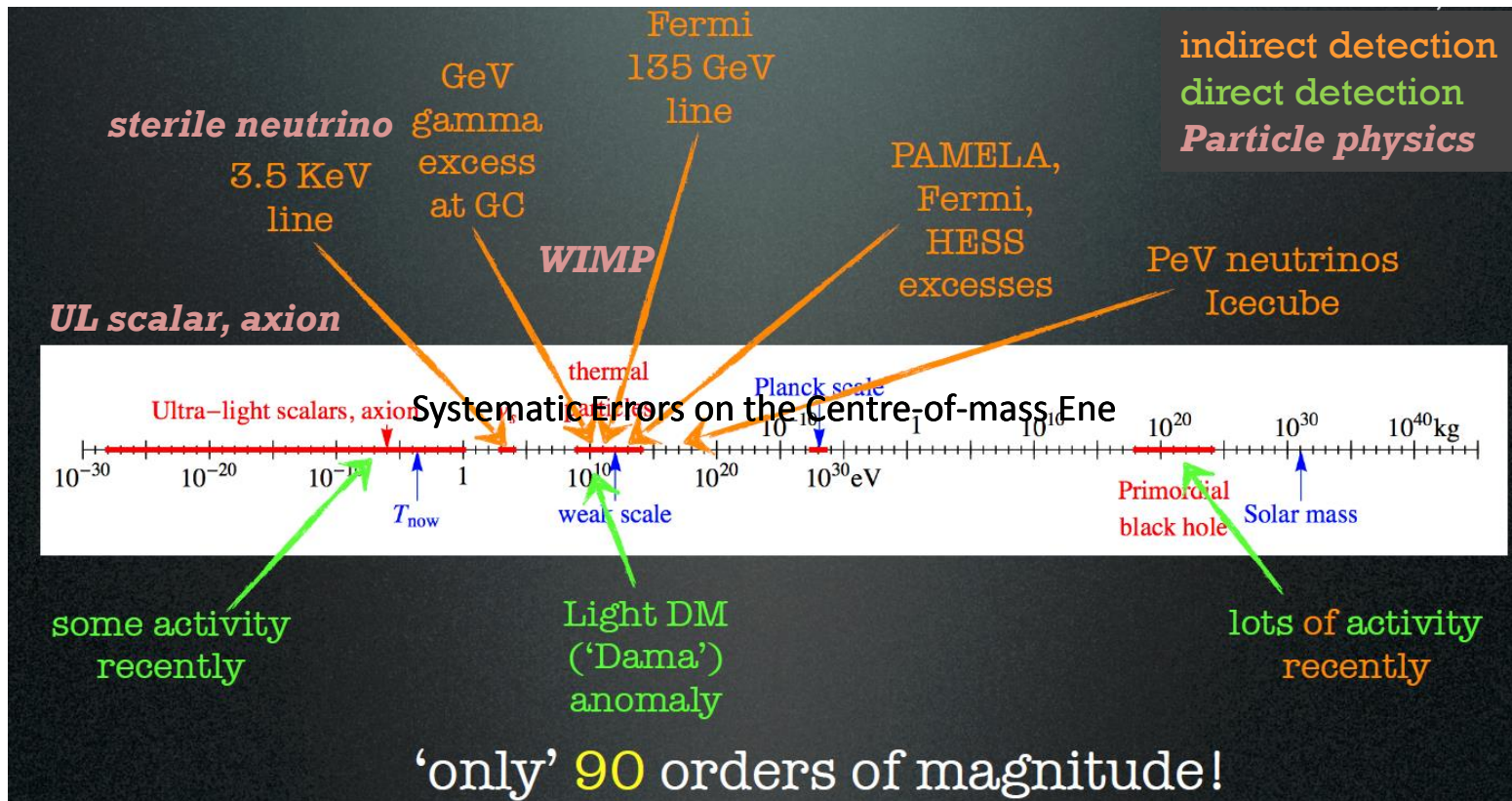
→ more Sensitivity, more Precision, more Energy

**FCC , thanks to synergies and complementarities, offers
the most versatile and adapted response to today's physics landscape,**



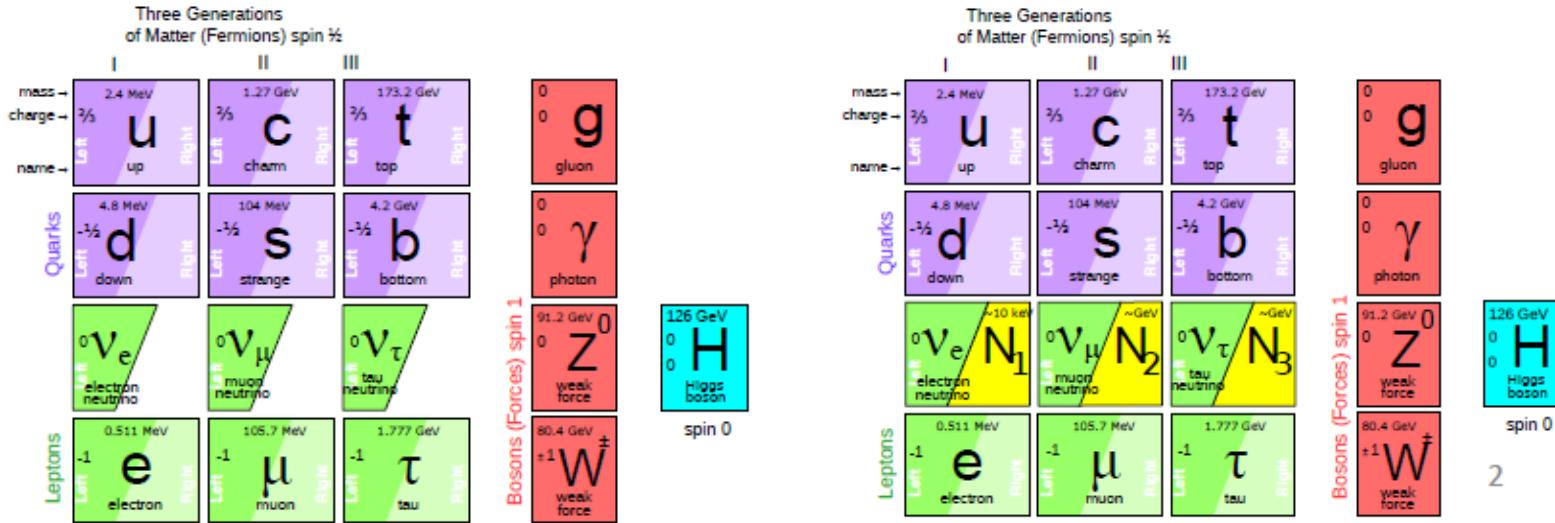
Dark Matter exists. It is made of very long lived neutral particle(s).

Plausible candidates:

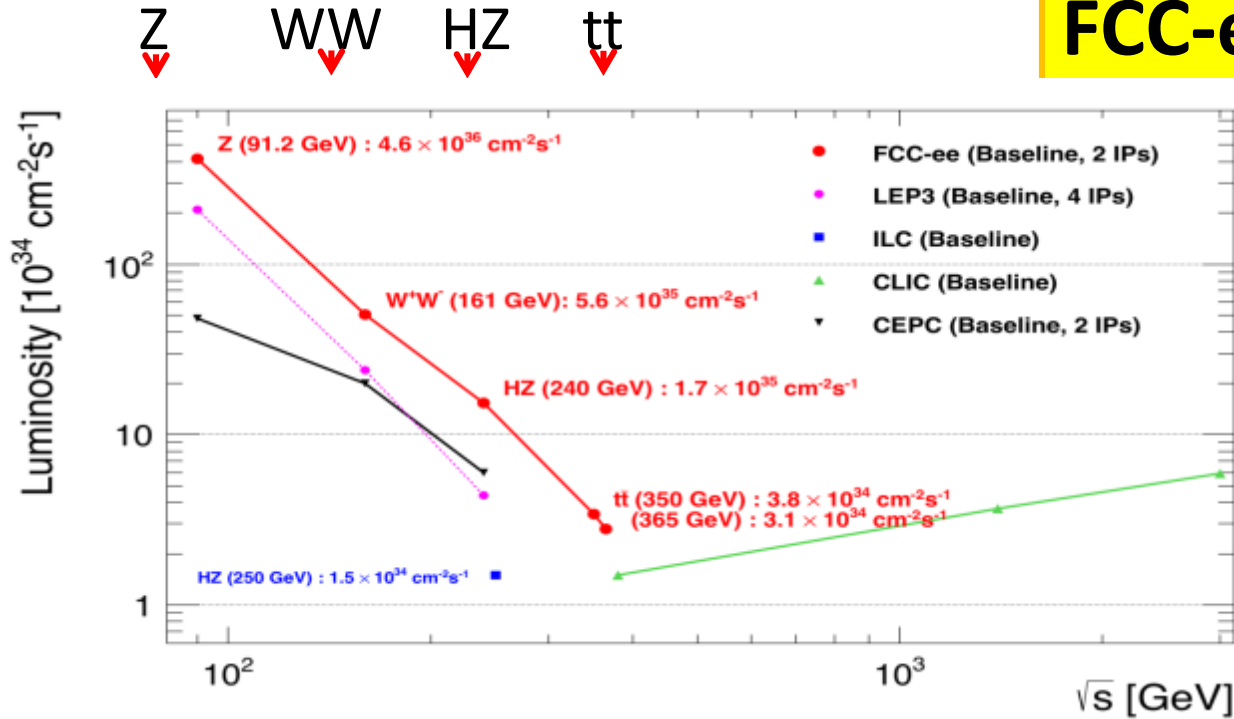


Cirelli

at least 3 pieces are still missing



Since 1998 it is established that neutrinos have mass (oscillations) and this very probably implies new degrees of freedom
 ➔ «sterile», very small coupling to known particles
 completely unknown masses (eV to ZeV), nearly impossible to find.
 but could perhaps explain all: DM, BAU, ν-masses


Event statistics :

Z peak	$E_{\text{cm}} : 91 \text{ GeV}$	$5 \cdot 10^{12}$	$e^+e^- \rightarrow Z$	LEP x 10^5
WW threshold	$E_{\text{cm}} : 161 \text{ GeV}$	10^8	$e^+e^- \rightarrow WW$	LEP x $2 \cdot 10^3$
ZH threshold	$E_{\text{cm}} : 240 \text{ GeV}$	10^6	$e^+e^- \rightarrow ZH$	Never done
tt threshold	$E_{\text{cm}} : 350 \text{ GeV}$	10^6	$e^+e^- \rightarrow \bar{t}t$	Never done

E_{CM} errors:
<100 keV
<300 keV
2 MeV
5 MeV

FCC-ee run plan

Table 2.1: Run plan for FCC-ee in its baseline configuration with two experiments. The number of WW events is given for the entirety of the FCC-ee running at and above the WW threshold.

from the CDR

Phase	Run duration (years)	Center-of-mass Energies (GeV)	Integrated Luminosity (ab^{-1})	Event Statistics
FCC-ee-Z	4	88-95	150	3×10^{12} visible Z decays
FCC-ee-W	2	158-162	12	10^8 WW events
FCC-ee-H	3	240	5	10^6 ZH events
FCC-ee-tt	5	345-365	1.5	10^6 $t\bar{t}$ events

1. Obviously this is a working assumption; order of Z,W and H points can be changed, this will all be decided close to turn on.
2. $e^+e^- \rightarrow H$ ($\text{ECM} = m_H$) unique, not in the schedule so far.
3. Transverse polarization \rightarrow precision beam energy.
 Longitudinal possible (for both beams) but not in CDR by choice

Physics at FCC-ee

1. HIGGS FACTORY

Higgs provides a very good reason why we need e+e- (or $\mu\mu$) collider

2. ELECTROWEAK PRECISION (10^{-3} today $\rightarrow 10^{-5}$)

Z + WW + top required!

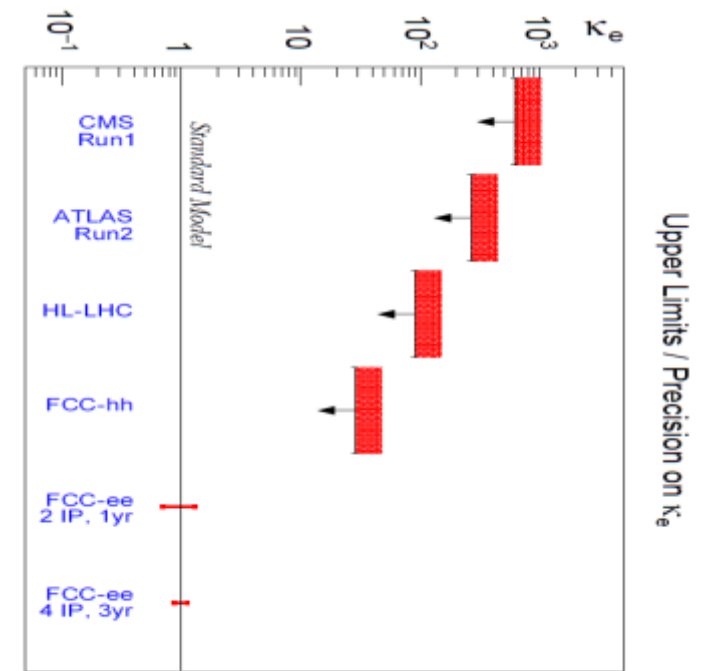
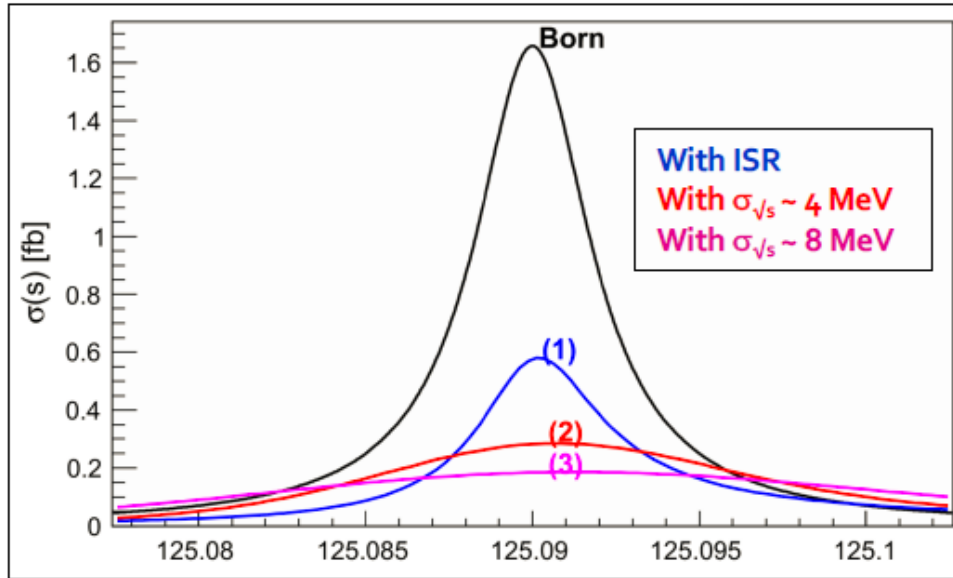
This is a test of the completeness of the SM
existence of weakly interacting new particles

3. Z FACTORY ($5 \cdot 10^{12}$ Z)

High statistics for Heavy Flavours and Search for Feebly Coupled Particles
The place for 'direct discovery'

+ comments on the synergy and complementarity of FCC-ee hh and eh

Something unique!



HUGE CHALLENGE

$e^+e^- \rightarrow H$ @ 125.xxx GeV requires

-- Higgs mass to be known to <5 MeV from 240 GeV run (CEPC group almost there)

-- **Huge luminosity**

-- **monochromatization** (opposite sign dispersion using magnetic lattice) to reduce σ_{ECM}

-- **continuous monitoring and adjustment of E_{CM}** to MeV precision (transv. Polar.)

-- an extremely sensitive event selection against backgrounds

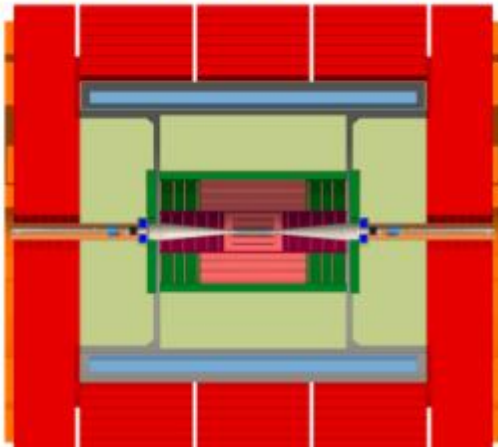
26.0 -- a generous lab director to spend 3 years doing this and neutrino counting

Detectors can be done and work for the FCC-ee but physics optimization remains to be done.

Two integration, performance and cost estimates:

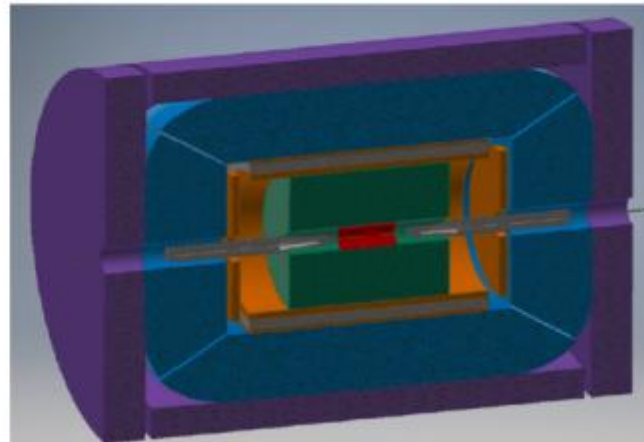
- Linear Collider Detector group at CERN has undertaken the adaption of CLIC-SID detector for FCC-ee
- IDEA, detector specifically designed for FCC-ee (and CEPC)

“CLIC-detector revisited”



SiD at ILC, CLD at FCC-ee

“IDEA”



IDEA at FCC-ee & CEPC

- Vertex detector: ALICE MAPS
- Tracking: MEGz
- Si Preshower
- Ultra-thin solenoid (2T)
- Calorimeter: DREAM
- Equipped return yoke

The Z peak

Is the most unique, most challenging and (once you get used to it) the most promising part of the program!

Trivia:

$L = 230 \text{ /cm}^2 \text{ /s}$ and 35 nb of Z cross section corresponds to 80 kHz of events with typ. 20 charged and 20 neutral particles (all to be preciousy and fully recorded, stored, reconstructed)

3 years at $10^7 \text{ s /year} = 2.4 \cdot 10^{12}$ evts per exp.

Processing time 1ms/evt \rightarrow 240 years of processing.... + Monte Carlo.



FCC-ee discovery potential and Highlights

Today we do not know how nature will surprise us. A few things that FCC-ee could discover :

EXPLORE 10-100 TeV energy scale (and beyond) with Precision Measurements

-- ~20-100 fold improved precision on many EW quantities (equiv. to factor 5-10 in mass)

$m_Z, m_W, m_{\text{top}}, \sin^2 \theta_w^{\text{eff}}, R_b, \alpha_{\text{QED}}(m_Z), \alpha_s(m_Z, m_W, m_\tau)$, Higgs and top quark couplings

model independent «fixed candle» for Higgs measurements, ee-H coupling.

DISCOVER a violation of flavour conservation or universality and unitarity of PMNS @10⁻⁵

-- ex FCNC ($Z \rightarrow \mu\tau, e\tau$) in $5 \cdot 10^{12}$ Z decays and τ BR in $2 \cdot 10^{11}$ $Z \rightarrow \tau\tau$

+ flavour physics (10^{12} bb events) ($B \rightarrow s \tau\tau$ etc..)

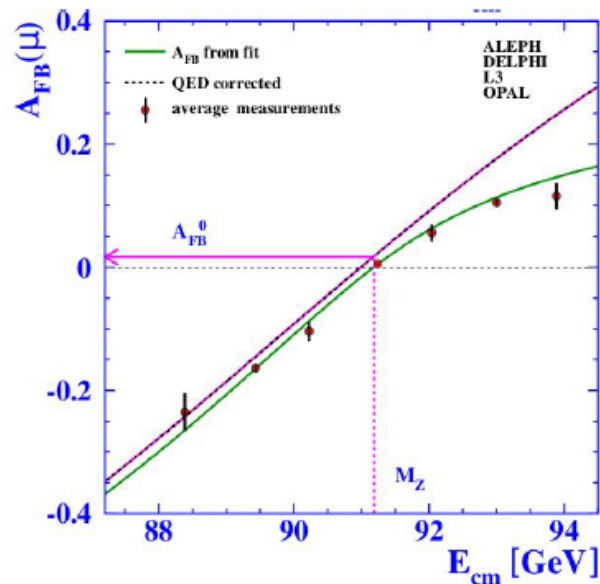
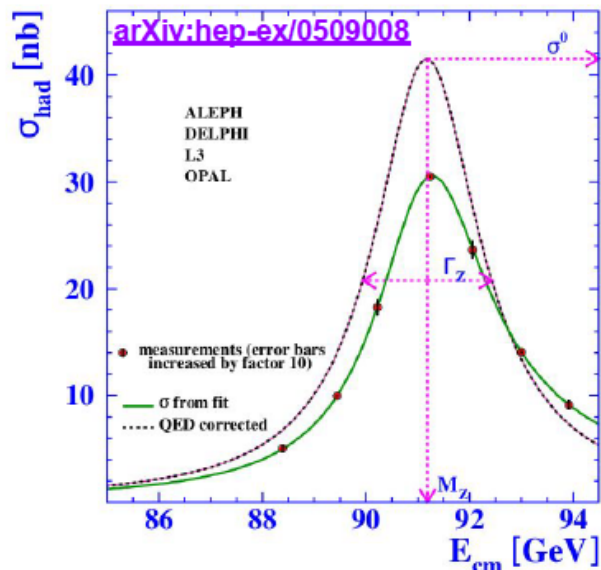
DISCOVER dark matter as «invisible decay» of H or Z (or in LHC loopholes)

DISCOVER very weakly coupled particle in 5-100 GeV energy scale

such as: Right-Handed neutrinos, Dark Photons, ALPS, etc...

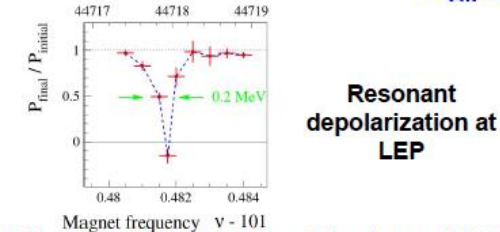
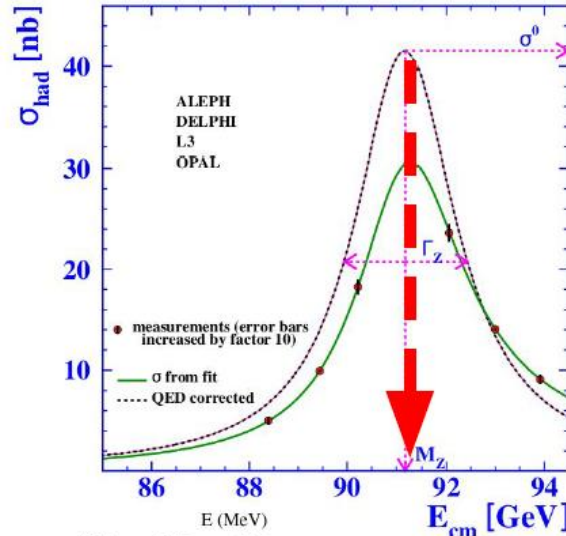
+ and many opportunities in – e.g. QCD (α_s @ 10^{-4} , fragmentations, $H \rightarrow gg$) etc....

NB Not only a «Higgs Factory»! «Z factory» and «top» are important for ‘discovery potential’



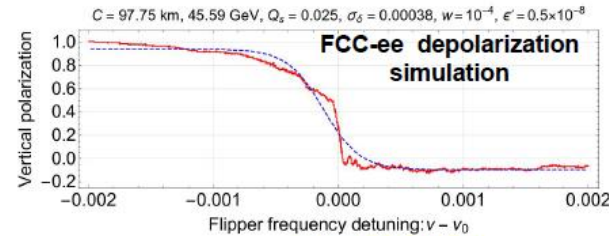
- Expected precisions in a nutshell:
 - $\approx 10^{-4}$ on cross sections (aimed luminosity uncertainty); possibility to reduce it by an order of magnitude using the measured $\sigma(ee \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)$ as reference
 - $\approx 10^{-6}$ statistical uncertainties ($\approx 1/\sqrt{N}$) on relative measurements like forward-backward charge asymmetries
 - Ultimate uncertainties typically dominated by systematics; precious value of "Tera" Z samples to study / constrain many of those uncertainties

Z lineshape: mass



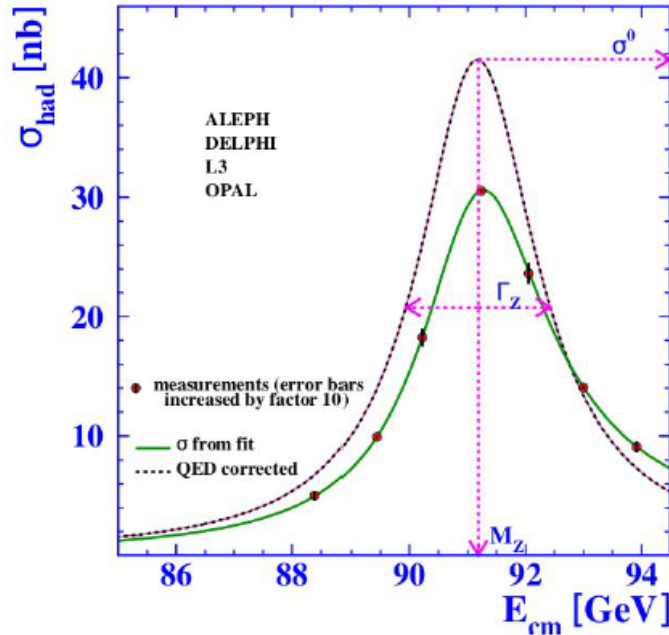
J. Alcaraz, 23 Oct 2020, FCC-ee Z lineshape and EW HF

- m_Z : position of Z peak
- Beam energy measured with extraordinary precision ($\Delta\sqrt{s} \approx 100$ keV) using resonant depolarization of transversely polarized beams (method already used at LEP, much better prepared now, calibrations in situ with pilot bunches, no energy extrapolations, ...)
- Beam width/asymmetries studied analyzing the longitudinal boost distribution of the $\mu\mu$ system



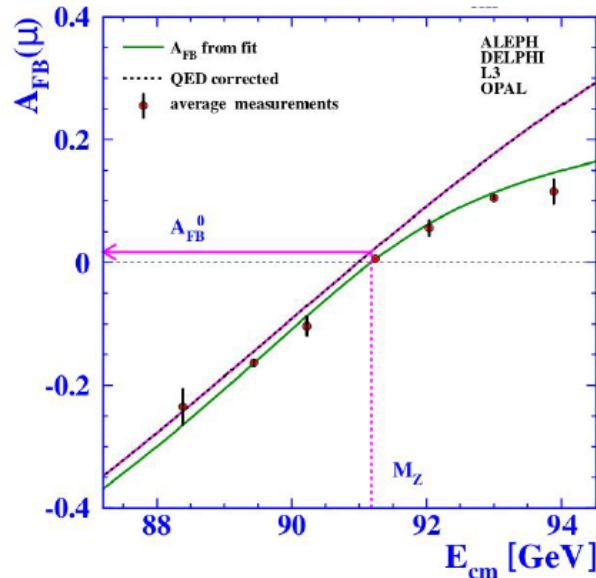
[arXiv:1909.12245](https://arxiv.org/abs/1909.12245)

$$R_1 = \Gamma_{\text{had}} / \Gamma_1$$



- Relative measurement, independent of luminosity: aiming for a 10^{-5} precision
- Extremely sensitive to new physics deviations (Q, T parameters: deviations of custodial symmetry)
- $\alpha_s(m_Z^2)$ modifies the hadronic partial width $\rightarrow R_1$ provides an ultra-precise measurement
- **Studies to define detector requirements to ensure negligible systematic uncertainties on acceptance (a priori more critical on leptons)**

$\sin^2\theta_W^{\text{eff}}$ and $\alpha_{\text{QED}}(m_Z^2)$



- $\sin^2\theta_W^{\text{effective}}$: g_V/g_A coupling ratio \rightarrow forward-backward charge asymmetries (most precise in $\mu\mu$ in final state)
- $\alpha_{\text{QED}}(m_Z^2)$: off-peak/peak evolution of the asymmetry (due to interference with γ^* exchange)
- Measurement approaching the ultimate statistical sensitivity: 3×10^{-6}
- 3 energy points ($\approx 88, 91.2, 94$ GeV)
- **Studies to establish the experimental/theoretical needs (energy resolutions, exact angular description at this level of precision, ...)**

A new low impedance FCC-ee IR beam pipe

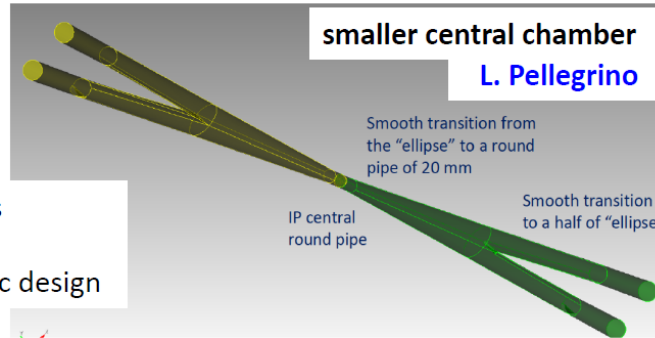
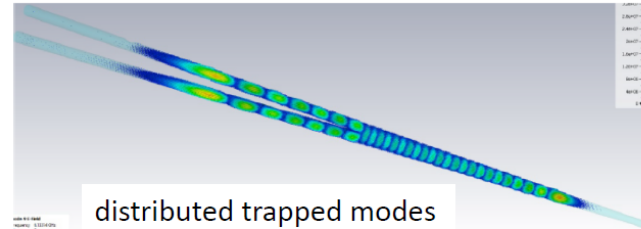
A. Novokhatski

Impact on heat load, wake fields, trapped modes has been evaluated with a new smaller central pipe and smooth geometry

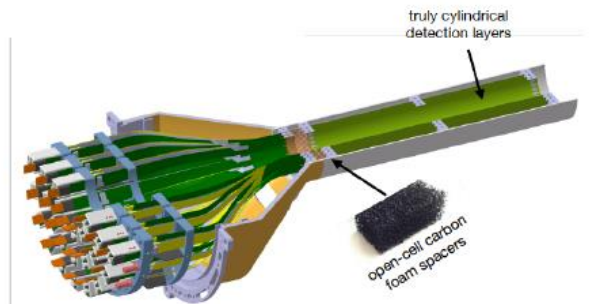
We need only cooling of the beam pipe and no HOM absorber

- A small loss factor and small heating power is found
- Double effect of smoothing the geometry with a smaller central pipe produced almost 10 times smaller heating power
- Heating power is **260 W** (two beams), main part will go away from IP
- Distributed trapped modes produce less than **200 W** (two beams)

This is the CAD design used for wake fields calculations,
Work has started for a feasible and realistic design



M.Boscolo, 13/11/2020



between vertex detector and beam pipe desing much progress in sight!

Systematic errors

-- a common mistake that was often made in 'studies' in the past is to underestimate the creativity of a 100% dedicated team to deconstruct a delicate systematic errors problem .
→ systematic uncertainties were grossly overestimated

example: in the 1986 LEP yellow report Z mass (width) errors were given as 50(20) MeV
In reality the total final errors were 2 (2) MeV. (i.e. close to the statistical ones)
As a consequence we argued in the 1988 yellow report (polarization at LEP) that we should have longitudinal polarization to measure ALR (and $\sin^2 \theta_W^{\text{eff}}$ to ± 0.00035) (spin rotators etc..) because we could not measure $\sin^2 \theta_W^{\text{eff}}$ better than ± 0.0008 (syst) otherwise. (final LEP: ± 0.00016 without longitudinal polarization) (CERN 86-02, 88-06)
In the end LEP measured the Z mass 800 times better than the W.A. of 1986!

- This conservative behaviour can have considerable consequences on detector design or on the running plan e.g. (to scan or not to scan, longitudinal polarization or not...etc.)

Unless otherwise specified we would advocate the use of statistical errors (with appropriate selection efficiencies and background subtractions) as the best way to assess the physics potential of a facility.

It is however important to concentrate on finding the potential 'show stoppers' or 'stumbling blocks', to guide the detector R&D and detector requirements , and **Strong support for theoretical calculations will be needed if the program is to be successful**

Low Energy: the realm of FCC-ee

Highest luminosities at 91, 160 and 350 GeV

Transverse pol. at 91 and 160 GeV \rightarrow Ecm calibration

m_Z (100 keV) Γ_Z (25 keV), m_W (<500 keV), $\alpha_{\text{QED}}(m_Z)$ ($3 \cdot 10^{-5}$) and $\sin^2\theta_w$ at 310^{-6}

Complete set of EW observables can be measured

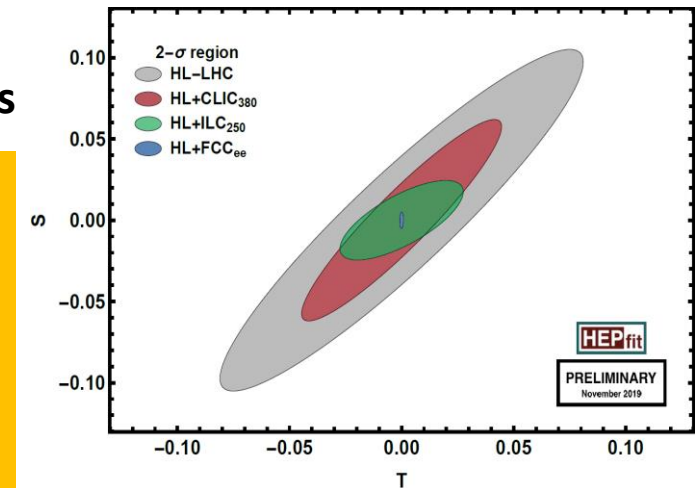
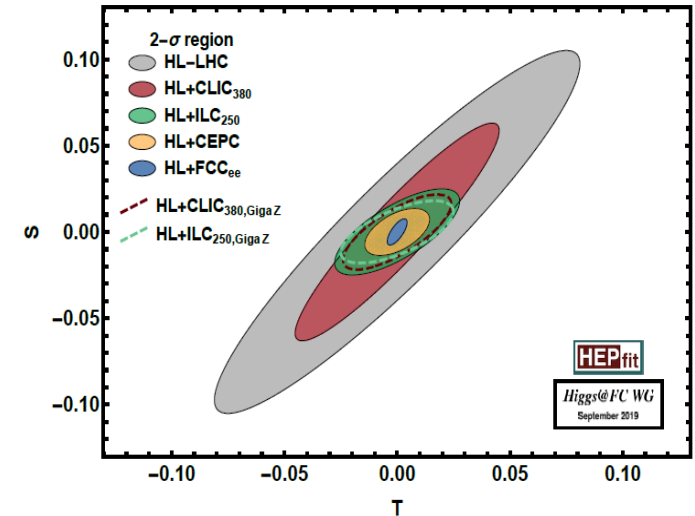
Precision unique to FCC-ee + new physics sensitivity

\rightarrow a lot more potential to exploit with good detector design than present treatment suggests

The reach for new physics depends on which new physics:

- $1/\Lambda^2$ new physics \rightarrow 30-70 TeV
- Heavy Neutrino \rightarrow 500-1000 TeV
- new non-degenerate doublet etc....

Challenge is to test specific models and include all information including flavour



Tau physics at FCC-ee

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Tau lepton properties and lepton universality measurements at the FCC-ee

Thematic Areas:

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τ -lepton properties and Lepton Universality

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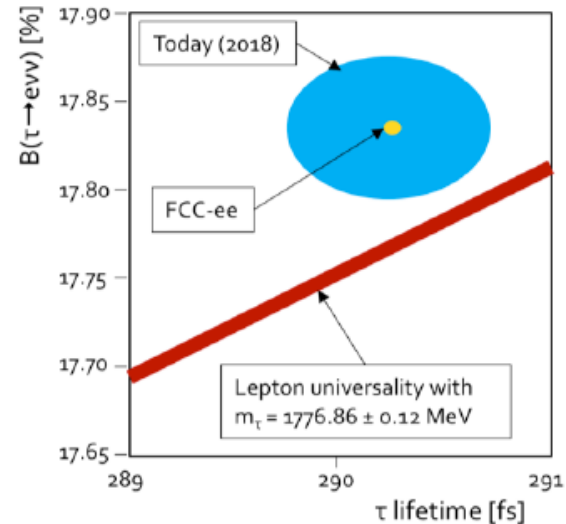
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- a) Mass
- b) Lifetime
- c) Leptonic branching fractions



Tau Mass (i)

- ◆ Current world average: $m_\tau = 1776.86 \pm 0.12 \text{ MeV}$
- ◆ Best in world: BES3 (threshold scan) $m_\tau = 1776.91 \pm 0.12 \text{ (stat.) } ^{+0.10}_{-0.13} \text{ (syst.) MeV}$
- ◆ Best at LEP: OPAL $m_\tau = 1775.1 \pm 1.6 \text{ (stat.) } \pm 1.0 \text{ (syst.) MeV}$

◆ Prospects for FCC-ee:

- 3 prong, 5 prongs, (perhaps even 7 prongs?)
- Statistics 10^5 times OPAL: $\delta_{\text{stat}} = 0.004 \text{ MeV}$
- Systematics:

- ◆ At FCC-ee, E_{BEAM} determined to better than 0.1 MeV (~ 1 ppm) from resonant spin depolarisation
 - Negligible effect on m_τ
- ◆ Control of mass scale
 - Suggest to exploit $10^9 J/\psi \rightarrow \mu\mu$ from Z decays as reference, with $m(J/\psi)$ known to 0.006 MeV (2 ppm) from KEDR

- ◆ Reduce uncertainty from parametrisation of spectrum edge by use of theoretical spectrum checked against high statistics data
- ◆ Cross checks using 5-prongs

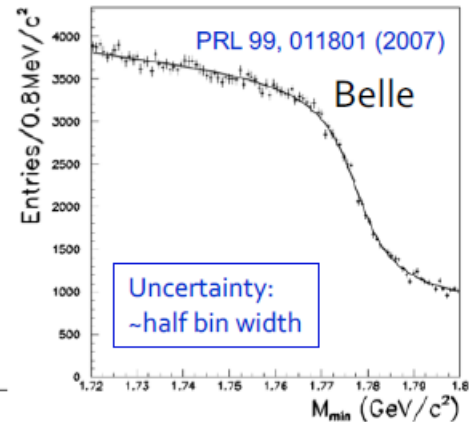
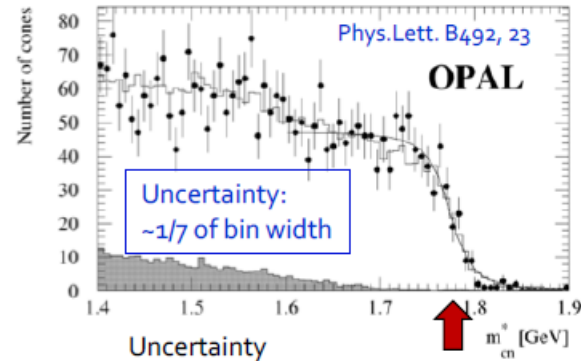
□ Overall systematics:

- ◆ Study to be performed to shed more light on this. Improvement with respect to current measurements seems possible. Sugg

$\delta_{\text{syst}} \lesssim 0.04 \text{ MeV}$ **Don't be shy! 0.004**

⇒ Key: precise control of momentum scale also in dense, multi-prong topologies

$$\text{Pseudo-mass: } M_{\text{min}} = \sqrt{M_{3\pi}^2 + 2(E_{\text{beam}} - E_{3\pi})(E_{3\pi} - P_{3\pi})}$$



- ◆ Current world average: $\tau_\tau = 290.3 \pm 0.5 \text{ fs}$
- ◆ Best in world (Belle): $\tau_\tau = 290.17 \pm 0.53_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.22_{\text{syst}} \text{ fs}$
 - Large statistics: 711 fb^{-1} @ $Y(4s)$: $6.3 \times 10^8 \tau^+\tau^-$ events

◆ Prospects at FCC-ee

- Small beam-pipe radius (15 mm): Vertex detector with $3 \mu\text{m}$ space points at 18, 38, 58 mm [DELPHI: $7.5 \mu\text{m}$ @ 63, 90, 109 mm]
- Impact parameter resolution ~ 5 times better than at LEP for relevant momenta
 - ◆ DELPHI: $a = 20 \mu\text{m}$, $b = 65 \mu\text{m}$
 - ◆ Belle: $a = 19 \mu\text{m}$, $b = 50 \mu\text{m}$
 - ◆ FCC-ee: $a = 3 \mu\text{m}$, $b = 15 \mu\text{m}$
- Assume same alignment uncertainty as Belle:
 - ◆ $0.25 \mu\text{m}$, i.e. factor 30 improvement wrt DELPHI.
 - ◆ Possible systematics on flight distance method: $1.3/30 \text{ fs}$

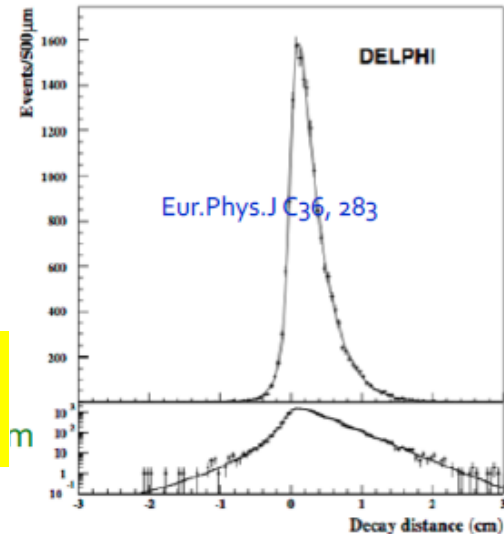
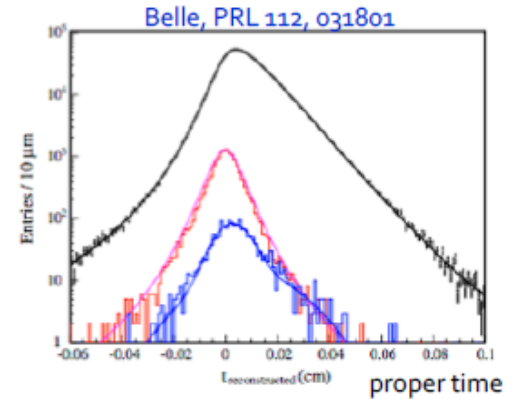
$$\delta_{\text{syst}} = 0.04 \text{ fs} \quad ; \quad \delta_{\text{stat}} = 0.001 \text{ fs}$$

Don't be shy! 0.001

- ◆ Further prospects: lifetime can be measured with different systematics in many modes
 - 1v1: impact parameter difference, miss distance
 - 1v3: flight distance
 - 3v3 (4×10^9 events): flight distance sum

This corresponds to knowing the radius of the vtx det to $\pm 5 \text{ nm}$

⇒ Key: Careful design and precise control of vertex detector



The Flavour Factory

Progress in flavour physics wrt SuperKEKB/BELLEII requires $> 10^{11}$ b pair events, FCC-ee(Z): will provide $\sim 10^{12}$ b pairs. “Want at least 5 10^{12} Z...”

- precision of CKM matrix elements
- Push forward searches for FCNC, CP violation and mixing
- Study rare penguin EW transitions such as $b \rightarrow s \tau^+ \tau^-$, spectroscopy (produce b-baryons, B_s ...)
- Test lepton universality with 10^{11} τ decays (with τ lifetime, mass, BRs) at 10^{-5} level, LFV to 10^{-10}
- all very important to constrain / (provide hints of) new BSM physics.

need special detectors (PID); a story to be written!

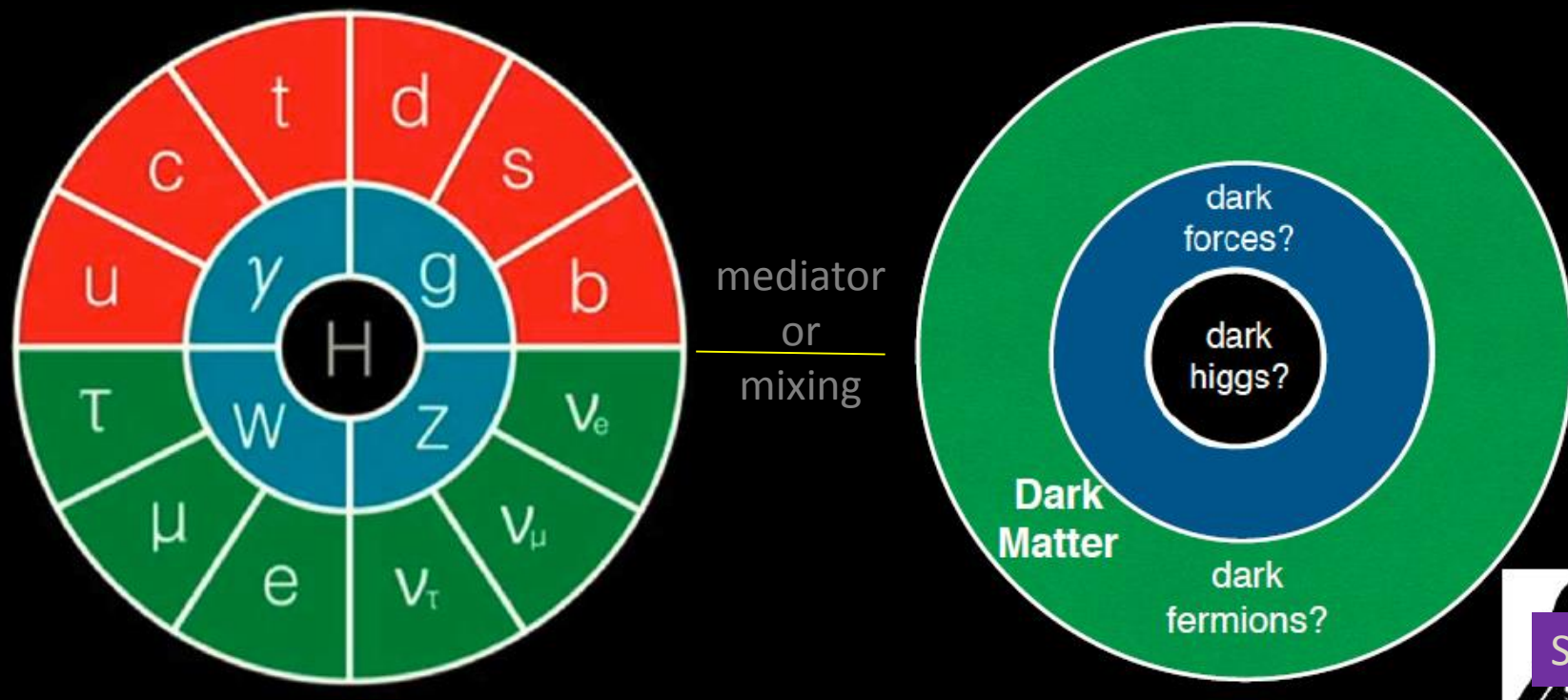
The 3.5×10^{12} hadronic Z decay also provide precious input for QCD studies

High-precision measurement of $\alpha_s(m_Z)$ with R_ℓ in Z and W decay, jet rates, τ decays, etc. : $10^{-3} \rightarrow 10^{-4}$
huge \sqrt{s} lever-arm between 30 GeV and 1 TeV (FCC vs ILC), fragmentation, baryon production

Testing running of α_s to excellent precision

Dark Sector at Z factory

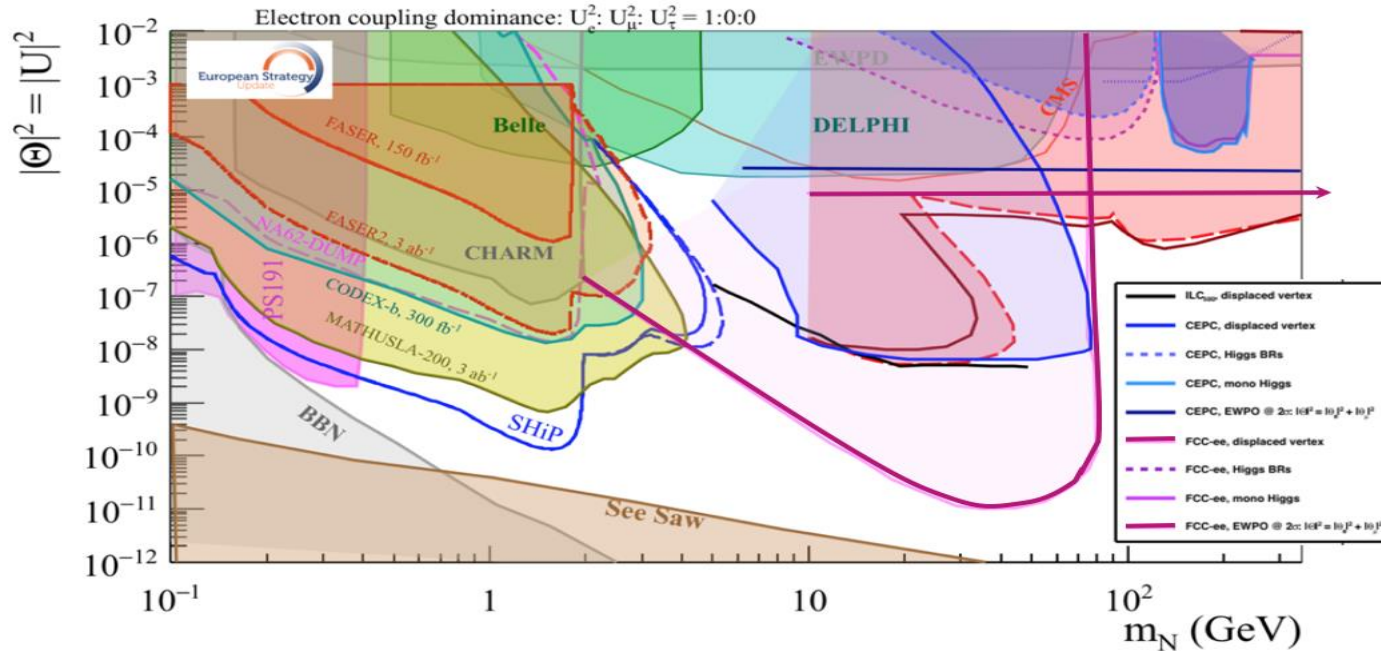
With the Higgs discovery SM works perfectly, yet we need new physics to explain the baryon asymmetry of the Universe, the dark matter etc... without interfering with SM rad. corr.



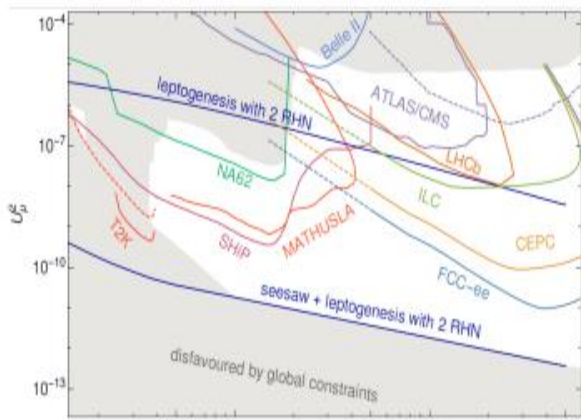
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Dark photons, axion like particles, sterile neutrinos, all feebly coupled to SM particles

This picture is relevant to Neutrino, Dark sectors and High Energy Frontiers.
 FCC-ee (Z) compared to the other machines for right-handed (sterile) neutrinos
 How close can we get to the ‘see-saw limit’? can we improve acceptance and reach?



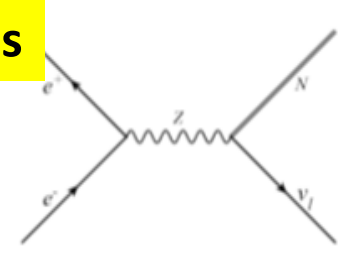
-- the purple line shows the reach for observing **heavy neutrino decays** (here for 10^{12} Z)
 -- the horizontal line represents the sensitivity to **mixing of neutrinos** to the dark sector, using EWPOs (G_F vs $\sin^2\theta_W^{\text{eff}}$ and m_Z , m_W , tau decays) which extends sensitivity to 10^{-5} mixing all the way to very high energies (500-1000 TeV at least). arxiv:2011.04725



tau life-time and branching ratios

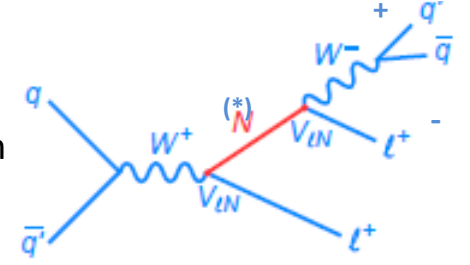
Heavy neutrinos

FCC-ee Z

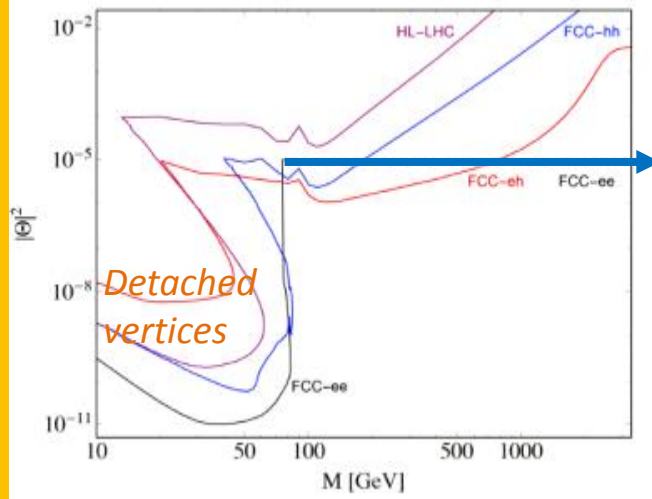


or $l^{\pm} \nu$

FCC-hh



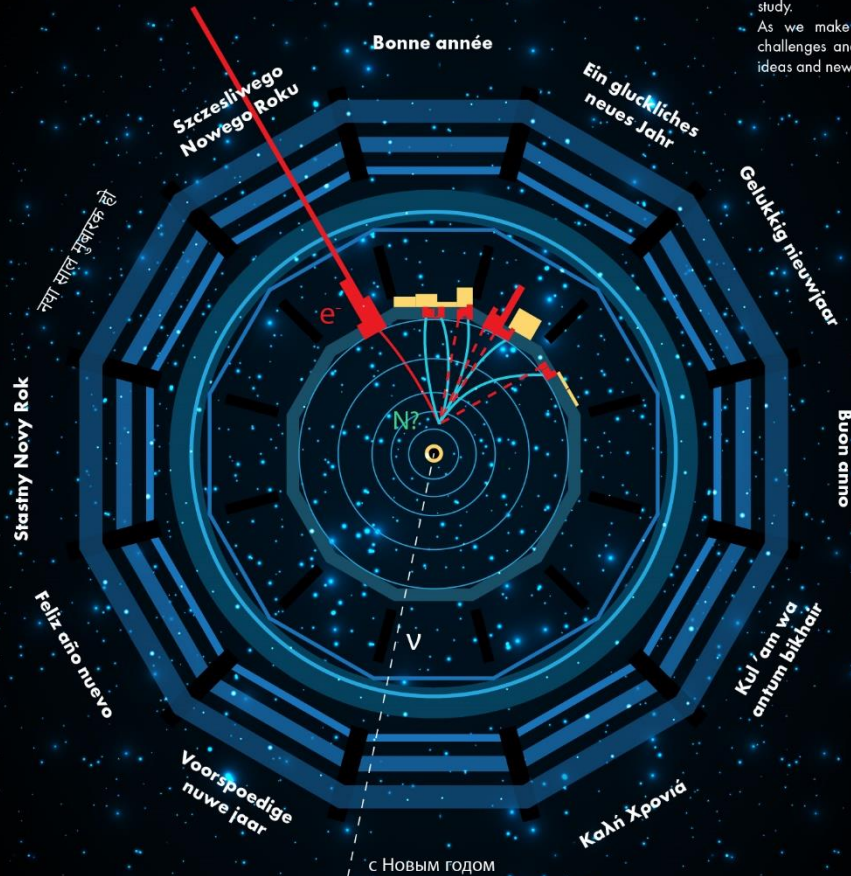
- FCC-ee**
- EWPO, G_F , τ , N_ν : sensitivity 10^{-5} up to v. high Masses
- high sensitivity to single $N(\rightarrow l_2^{\pm} W)$ in Z decay
- FCC-hh**
- production in $W \rightarrow l_1^{\pm} + N(\rightarrow l_2^{\pm} W)$ (LNV+LFV) with initial and final lepton charge and flavour
- FCC e-p**
- production in CC $e^{\pm} p \rightarrow X N(\rightarrow l^{\pm} W)$ high mass
- ee-hh/ep complementarity:**
- indirect/direct discovery + studies of FNV and LFV!**





After years of pioneering and enthralling work, the FCC collaboration was rewarded in 2020 with a positive recommendation by the European Strategy of Particle Physics to continue with the preparation of a technical & financial feasibility study.

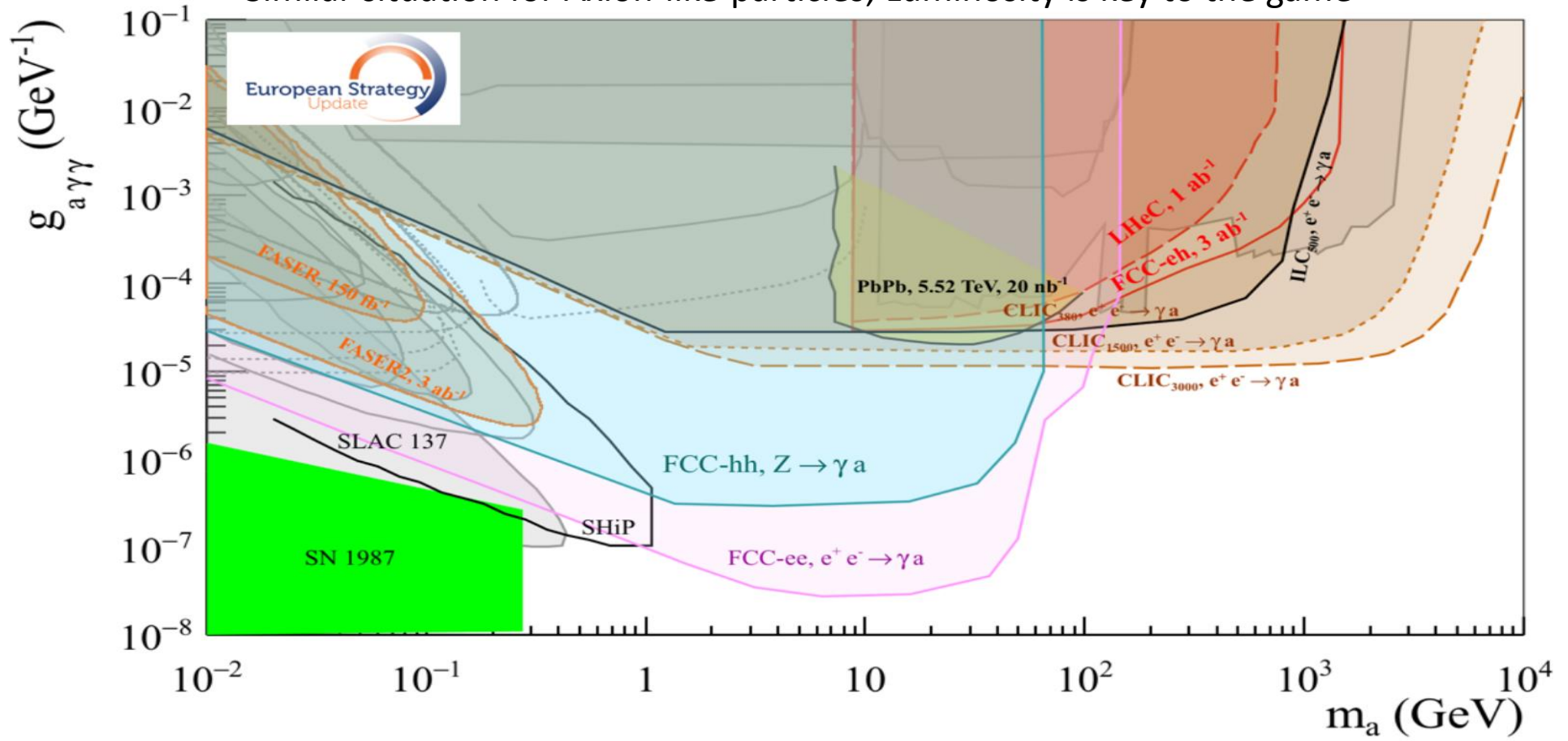
As we make this bold step, we face new challenges and opportunities, calling for fresh ideas and new collaborations.



*Happy New Year and
Best Wishes for 2021 !*

Glimpse of Future discovery? Artistic rendering of the production and decay of a long-lived Heavy Neutral Lepton at FCC-ee.

Similar situation for Axion-like-particles; Luminosity is key to the game



Complementarity with High energy lepton collider,
 Much more left to explore at FCC-ee-Z and FCC-hh!