

Physics and Detector Working Groups

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Physics and Detector Working Group proposal

WG 1: Physics Potential

WG 2: Detector performance and MDI

WG 3: Detector R&D and Software & Computing development



WG 1: Physics Potential

Mission: Quantitatively assess the muon collider physics potential to advance knowledge by direct discoveries or precision

Targets:

- SM predictions, Monte Carlo developments and new methodologies (e.g. VV scattering, ISR, ...)
- Precision physics Higgs/EW, top, ...
- Direct searches for new (heavy and light) particles, unconventional signatures, ...

Tasks:

- Foster and collect community input on theory/pheno/Monte Carlo
- Physics analyses: from pheno projections, to full simulation, and back
 - Analyses based on full simulation and tuning of DELPHES
 - Impact on physics of Detector/Reconstruction/BIB
- Prepare common input Monte Carlo generation files



WG 2: Detector performance and MDI

Mission: Develop a set of reconstruction algorithms to demonstrate that accurate physics observables can successfully be extracted from muon collider simulated data

Targets:

- Development and optimization of detector configurations, shielding, event online selections and reconstruction algorithms to suppress beam-induced background
- Optimization of online and offline physics objects reconstruction algorithms

Tasks:

- Develop reconstruction algorithms (online and/or offline) to analyze a baseline detector output in presence of beam-induced background by using detailed realistic simulation
- Evaluate physics objects reconstruction performance based on detailed detector simulation in realistic conditions
- Evaluate detector requirements/specifications and provide feedback to WG3 (R&D)



WG 3: Detector R&D and Software & Computing development

Mission: Develop detector design, DAQ strategy, and core software

Targets:

- Evaluation of technological choices and defining R&D goals to meet physics requirements
- Development of the software and computing infrastructure to support WG1 and WG2 studies

Tasks:

- Lab measurements and test beam campaigns to evaluate viable technological solutions and progress towards meeting detector requirements and data acquisition
- Development and deployment of core simulation and reconstruction software infrastructure
 - o MT applications, container deployment, base OS choice
 - heterogeneous computing applications
- Organization of Monte Carlo production and configuration and associated storage management

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Discussion