Experimental Physics at Lepton Colliders

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Part II

- Part 1:
	- Scientific motivation
	- Future e+e- colliders in broad strokes
	- Detectors at future e^+e^- and $\mu^+\mu^-$ colliders
- **• Part 2:**
	- Higgs physics
	- Electroweak precision
	- Top quark physics
	- Into the unknown

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Overview

A two-part story

Disclaimer

- The point of the following discussions is not to compare projects in the sense of drawing performance projections shown here.
- but to illustrate certain features of measurements and facilities
- I am focussing on e+e- colliders, only few remarks about $\mu^+\mu^-$

conclusions which one should be built - that is a multi-facetted question which extends beyond

• The numerical results may not always be perfectly up-to-date - again, the goal is not to compare,

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Higgs Factories and beyond

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- 240 250 GeV: the minimum energy for a Higgs factory
- $\bullet \sim$ 350 GeV: Additional production mode, also still access to ZH
- Higher energies: More processes
- 125 GeV, and extreme luminosity: A possibility to measure electron Yukawa coupling

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- \Rightarrow can be made model-independent in combination with the measurement of the HZ coupling in recoil

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• H->bb: A difficult channel at LHC, a "simple" measurement in e+e-

of Higgs produced: ~4,000,000 ~400 significance: 5.4σ 5.2σ

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• Low backgrounds, and highly capable detectors enable observations of final states that are hard or impossible at LHC

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Interpreting Higgs Measurements *A Word on Fits*

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- \approx In EFT fits W and Z are connected, there the width can be well constrained also without WW fusion

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Accessing the Couplings to First Generation Leptons

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Requiring extreme luminosities of circular colliders

- The only chance to access couplings to first generation: Study of s-channel Higgs production in e+ecollisions
	- Requires high luminosities and very small energy spread at 125.1 GeV

Requires special monochromatization to

and 3 years may reach a result

Directly measuring the Coupling to the Top Quark **Coupling 19**

A higher-energy exclusive

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• Direct access to the top Yukawa coupling provided by ttH final state: requires energy ≥ 500 GeV (ideal ~ 550 GeV - 1.5 TeV) For p*s* = 485 GeV, a reduction of 3% in p*s*, the uncertainty of the top Yukawa would be twice $p = E(0 \cap \Omega)$ ideal $E(D \cap \Omega)$ if $E(D \cap \Omega)$

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ILC: Δ g_{ttH}/g_{ttH} ~ 6.3% with 4 ab⁻¹ @ 500 GeV would be \sim 3% ω 550 GeV (and \sim 13% @ 485 GeV: achieving design energy critical!)

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• Direct access to the top Yukawa coupling provided by ttH final state: requires energy ≥ 500 GeV (ideal ~ 550 GeV - 1.5 TeV) For p*s* = 485 GeV, a reduction of 3% in p*s*, the uncertainty of the top Yukawa would be twice $p = E(0 \cap \Omega)$ ideal $E(D \cap \Omega)$ if $E(D \cap \Omega)$

CLIC: Δ gttH/gttH ~ 2.9% with 2.5 ab⁻¹ @ 1.4 TeV

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Full potential unfolds in the multi-TeV region through growing σ of VBF process:

- \Rightarrow 10% measurement feasible
- \Rightarrow Significant observation also of ZHH channel in lowerenergy running (up to \sim 1.5 TeV)

 σ_{SM} **ZHH @ 500 GeV** $\overline{\sigma}$ vvHH @ 1 TeV cross section depends non-**SM** linearly on λ, measurements BSM @ 1TeV | BSM @ 500GeV $2 \vdash$ at different energies / of different processes lift 2.5 3
 $\lambda / \lambda_{\text{SM}}$ 1.5 0.5 $\overline{2}$ 0

Indirect Measurement of the Self Coupling

Interplay of different energies key. With optimised running, and increased L_{int} at 240 GeV and 365 GeV 20% may be doable.

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Accessible via particle loops

Model-dependent: assumptions required for interpretation!

Overall precision limited, \sim 33% at FCC-ee combined with HL-LHC (which provides \sim 50%)

Higgs Physics at Muon Colliders *Brief overview*

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- ZΗ -----
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Overall Precision Perspective

Including muon colliders

• An EFT fit, performed for Snowmass

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precision reach on effective Higgs couplings from SMEFT global fit $| ILC/C ³ 250GeV ₂ |
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| ILC/C ³ +350GeV _{0.2} +500GeV ₄ \n |
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MuC 125GeV_{0.02}+10TeV₁₀ subscripts denote luminosity in ab^{-1} , $Z & WW$ denote Z-pole & WW threshold δ g $^{\rm cc}_{H}$ $\delta g_H^{\rm bb}$ $\delta g^{\mu\mu}_H$ δ g $^{\tau\tau}_{H}$ $\delta\Gamma_H$

Electroweak Precision

A Playground for Circular Colliders

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Electroweak Measurements

Cross sections and asymmetries

Lineshapes and Thresholds

• Lineshapes, cross sections, asymmetries provide access to a wide range of electroweak precision

measurements, putting the Standard Model to extremely stringent tests

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The things to explore

FCC-ee Electroweak Projections

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N.B.: Flavour physics introduces specific detector requirements such as PID, typically not front-andcenter in Higgs Factory detector designs

The Top Quark

A new arena at 350 GeV and above

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The Top Quark Mass (and other parameters) *Possibilities & Precision*

- The accelerator side: Requires sufficient collision energy for top pair production
	- So far thoroughly studied for ILC, CLIC, threshold studies common for CLIC, FCC-ee, ILC

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Extraction of the mass in theoretically well-defined mass definition (1S, PS): can directly be used in precision calculations, minimal conversion uncertainties to MSbar mass etc.

measurement of a "MC mass": Interpretation

uncertainties of several 100 MeV

The Top Quark Mass

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Electroweak Couplings of the Top Quark

Access via cross section and asymmetries

• At Linear Colliders:

- Using different beam polarisations
- Measuring cross section, A_{FB}, and helicity angle (some studies)
- Particularly powerful with two (or more) energy points

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Dark Sector Searches - an FCC-ee example

mass vs mixing2 - unique phase space covered by FCC-ee

Corrections to SM suppressed by 1/(mass scale)2 \Rightarrow Sensitivity grows with s

Into the Unknown

Indirect and direct exploration of the highest energy scales

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Lepton colliders: Full collision energy available for new particles -> Sensitivity up to kinematic limit.

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Conclusions

Wrapping up

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- An e+e- machine running from the Z-pole up to 365 GeV precision Higgs, Top, Electroweak.
- Followed by a \sim 100 TeV hadron collider exploration of the highest energy scales, measurement of the self-coupling of the Higgs.
- **CLIC** is studied as "Option B" in case FCC cannot go forward.

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CERN is currently studying the feasibility of the **Future Circular Collider**:

The Way Forward

Strategies and Timescales - taken from last year's Snowmass Meeting

• Indicative timelines as discussed July '22 in Snowmass @ Seattle

resource realism varies - most developed for CERN projects

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There are very exciting questions in high energy physics - a new e+e- collider may answer

some of them!

Global large projects = long time scales - but contributions are needed now to make them

happen.

This will be *your* **HEP facility!**

Extras Lecture 2

FCC-ee Time Line to Physics

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Making a new facility happen

