Probing CPV mixing in the Higgs sector in VBF at 1 TeV ILC

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With the current precision of measurements by ATLAS and CMS experiments, it cannot be excluded that a SM-like Higgs boson is a CP violating mixture of CP-even and CP-odd states. We explore this possibility here, assuming Higgs boson production in ZZ-fusion, at 1 TeV ILC, with unpolarized beams. The full reconstruction of SM background and fast reconstruction of the signal is performed, simulating 8 ab⁻¹ of data collected with the ILD detector. We demonstrate that the CP mixing angle Ψ_{CP} between scalar and pseudoscalar states can be measured with the statistical uncertainty of 4 mrad at 68% CL, corresponding to $1.6 \cdot 10^{-5}$ for the CP parameter f_{CP} . This is the first result on sensitivity of an e^+e^- collider to measure f_{CP} in vector boson fusion.

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