Updated reference x-sections ttH status report

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Status of computations

- With respect to the presentation of April:
 - tH numbers unchanged, can be considered as final.
 - For tH in the t-channel: scale/scheme uncertainties are slightly larger than other results in literature, but consistent with YR4. Relative position of 4FS and 5FS change: effect of PDF4LHC combination?

$\sqrt{s} [\text{TeV}]$	$m_H \; [\text{GeV}]$	σ [fb]	δ_{μ}	$\delta_{ m PDF}$	δ_{lpha_s}		
13.0	124.60	76.17	$^{+6.5}_{-15.0}$	1.8	1.2	(4FS: 68.25) New numbers (PDF4LHC21))
13.0	125.00	76.04	$^{+6.4}_{-15.9}$	1.8	1.2		

$M_{\rm H}[{ m GeV}]$	$\sigma_{tH+\bar{t}H}$ [fb]	$K_{\rm QCD}$	Scale+FS [%]	$\alpha_S[\%]$	PDF [%]	PDF+ α_S [%]	$\sigma_{tH} [{\rm fb}]$	$\sigma_{\bar{t}H}$ [fb]	YR4/13To//	
125.0	74.25	1.20	+6.5 -14.9	± 1.2	± 3.5	± 3.7	48.89	25.42		

Pagani et al, 2006.10086 (NNPDF31)

Accuracy	Channel	\mathbf{FS}	tHj
		4FS	$68.1(1)^{+2.7(+4.0\%)}_{-4.5(-6.6\%)} \stackrel{+0.4(+0.5\%)}{_{-0.4(-0.5\%)}}$
$\rm NLO_{QCD}$	t-ch.	5 FS	$71.3(1)^{+5.2(+7.2\%)}_{-1.7(-2.4\%)} \begin{array}{c} +0.3(+0.5\%) \\ -0.3(-0.5\%) \end{array}$
		$5FS_{4-5}^{scale}$	$71.3(1)^{+5.2(+7.2\%)}_{-7.7(-10.9\%)} \begin{array}{c} +0.3(+0.5\%) \\ -0.3(-0.5\%) \end{array}$





- NNLO QCD + NNLL soft + complete NLO EW. First individual results available
- Out of the 3 set of numbers (two NNLL+NLO+EW, and the NNLO+EW), we want to have a single reference cross section
 - NNLL I Broggio et al, 1907.04343;
 NNLL II Kulesza et al, 2001.030301;
 NNLO Catani et al, 2210.07846
- Two possibilities discussed:
 - Use the NNLO+EW, but with proper referencing also to the resummation results, which are useful to estimate MHOU
 - Obtain the NNLO+NNLL+EW prediction with proper additive matching
- The two NNLL collabs. volunteered to provide the ingredients for the matched predictions







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\sigma_{\rm NNLO+NNLL} = \sigma_{\rm NNLO} + \sigma_{\rm NNLL} - \sigma_{\rm NNLL} |_{\rm NNLO}
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• First results (thanks A. Kulesza; only QCD, only scale unc.)



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Outlook

- Complete the combination for ttH and provide final reference numbers
- Write ttHWG note, possibly published on some journal