LHC WG1 - VH update

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Updates on VH signal modeling @ 13.6 TeV

• Updates for VH processes @ 13.6 TeV using vh@nnlo [R. Harlander, S.Y.Klein, L. Simon]

- csv files for all initial state processes available at this link
- invited authors to give a report at upcoming LHC WG1 VH sub-group meeting
- updated PDF set: LUXqed17_plus_PDF4LHC15_nnlo_100 for photon-induced contribution and PDF4LHC21_40 for the remaining contributions
- 7 point scale variations: Q/3 <= muF, muR <= Q*3, where Q is the invariant mass of the VH system
- inclusion of ggZH and photon induced contribution with updated CoM energy and PDF set
- MC integration error also included for completeness in CSV but negligible
- following the prescription for scale uncertainty provided here: <u>https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/LHCPhysics/LHCHWG136TeVxsec</u>
- currently working on comparing these results to interpolated VH cross-section results provided here <u>WG1</u>
 <u>Updated Higgs Cross Sections</u>
- Several additional contributions on ggZH@NLO currently being worked out and discussed at LHC VH meeting (<u>https://indico.cern.ch/event/1197425/</u>) but no convergence on updated CoM and PDF's available yet following up with authors