Prospects for PID at FCC with the IDEA detector

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Introduction

- The IDEA detector
- Inclusive PID studies with the IDEA detector
	- \circ Using ee \rightarrow Z \rightarrow bb with exclusive D_sK and D_s π decays
- Effect of PID in B_s \rightarrow D_sK analysis, with D_s \rightarrow ϕ π , ϕ \rightarrow KK
	- \circ Benchmark channel included in the FCC mid-term review
	- Based on studies by AC, Fabrizio Parodi and Emanuel Perez
- Effect of PID in a jet flavour-tagging algorithm
	- \circ Using ee \rightarrow ZH \rightarrow qq/gg with q = (u,d), s, c, b
	- With emphasis on strange-jet tagging
	- Based on *[Eur. Phys. J. C 82 \(2022\) 7, 646](https://link.springer.com/article/10.1140/epjc/s10052-022-10609-1)* by F. Bedeschi, L. Gouskos, M. Selvaggi
- Impact of strange tagging on benchmark physics analyses
	- \circ Measurement of V_{cs} using W decays *[Phys. Lett. B 439 \(1998\) 209-224](https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S0370269398010612?via%3Dihub)* by DELPHI
	- \circ Measurement of H \rightarrow ss [Phys. Rev. D 101 115005,](https://journals.aps.org/prd/abstract/10.1103/PhysRevD.101.115005) [arXiv:2203.07535](https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.07535)
	- \circ Background suppression in exclusive H $\rightarrow \phi \gamma$ decays [JHEP 07 \(2018\) 127](https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/JHEP07(2018)127)

Innovative Detector for Electron-positron Accelerator

Ambitious detector for exploiting the physics potential of a future circular e⁺e⁻ collider

Not necessarily the final detector choice for the real experiment

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- Double-layer of silicon micro-strips to improve momentum resolution and time-of-flight measurement

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- Pre-shower and dual-readout calorimeter with a total depth of 2 m and ~8 pion interaction lengths.

Ongoing R&D for the various sub-detector technologies, in particular for

- Pixel technology, eventually curved and with timing
- Metal coating of carbon fiber filaments for wires
- Coupling of SiPM to fibers
- Various readout and dedicated electronics

Drift chamber

- Extremely transparent, with 112 layers of stereo wires
- Gas mixture of 90% He and 10% iC4H10
- Maximum drift time 350-400 ns with σ_{xy} ~100 μ m and σ_{z} < 1 mm
- Based on R&D and experience by KLOE and MEG-II detectors

PID at colliders

- The difference in interaction in the HEP detectors is primarily used for lepton and photon identification
- For unambiguously identifying hadrons, charge and mass need to be measured, the latter by simultaneous measurements of momentum and velocity
- Mass resolution determined primarily by the accuracy of the velocity measurement, being γ >>1

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\left(\frac{\delta m}{m}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{\delta p}{p}\right)^2 + \left(\gamma^2 \frac{\delta \beta}{\beta}\right)^2
$$

- Velocity inferred by
	- \circ Measurement of the energy deposit by ionisation
	- Time-of-flight (TOF) measurement
	- Cherenkov radiation detection
	- Transition radiation detection
- Main application is classification of kaon vs pion candidates

PID studies with the IDEA detector

Possible options

- Likelihood ratio (LR) on dN/dx
- LR on velocity / TOF
- Combined LR
- Also tested standard and x2 worse resolution in dN/dx and standard and improved TOF resolution

Samples

- $e \rightarrow Z \rightarrow bb$ with exclusive D_sK and D_s π decays
- MG_aMC@NLO plus P8 for modelling the decay, parton shower and hadronization processes
- Delphes with IDEA card

The bachelor kaon and bachelor pion are selected using the D_sK and D_s π samples

dN/dx velocity

- dN/dx is being used instead of dE/dx to avoid tuning the truncated mean to suppress Landau tails
- Velocity is being used instead of TOF to have an observable independent of detector geometry

Pulls well under control for both variables

- \bullet K/ π separation in dN/dx, velocity and combined approach
- The combined separation in terms of sigmas is obtained with

Separation $[\sigma] = \sqrt{2\ln(LKRati)}$

B_s \rightarrow **D**_sK analysis: mass spectrum without PID

- Pre-selection based on Phi and D_s mass
- $pT > 1.5$ GeV for all tracks
- Vertex χ^2 < 5
- \bullet cos(θ)_B_s cos(θ)_bachelor < 0.5
- \bullet 5.33 GeV < m(B_s) < 5.41 GeV
- \bullet B/(S+B) defined in the region under the B_s peak

 $B/(S+B) = 48%$

B_s \rightarrow **D**_sK analysis: mass spectrum with dN/dx LR

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Focus on LR with velocity

- \bullet Likelihood ratio based on velocity has very low impact on signal but still reduces the inclusive $\lambda \rightarrow b\lambda$ background by a factor of 2
- Directly related to the bachelor momentum spectrum in the two samples and the momentum-dependent PID performance with velocity

B_s \rightarrow **D**_sK analysis: mass spectrum with combined likelihood

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As proven in previous slide, the PID based on combined likelihood is only marginally improving over dN/dx because of the bachelor momentum

TOF resolution

Standard – 30 ps Improved – 10 ps 30 30 k/pi separation [o] k/pi separation [o] 25 dN/dx dN/dx 25 **TOF TOF** dN/dx+TOF (LKRatio) dN/dx+TOF (LKRatio) 20 20 15 15 10 10 5 0_0 $\overline{2}$ 3 5 8 9 10 °o $\overline{2}$ 3 5 6 8 \overline{g} 10 6 $\overline{7}$ p [GeV/c] p [GeV/c]

Away from nominal IDEA: 10 ps TOF resolution

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$B/(S+B) = 29\%$

With 30 ps TOF resolution $B/(S+B) = 33\%$

Away from nominal IDEA: x2 dN/dx worse resolution

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$B/(S+B) = 24\%$

With baseline dN/dx resolution B/(S+B) = 19%

PID studies with ZH

Charged pion and kaon tracks at θ = 90 $^{\circ}$ in the IDEA drift chamber detector

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- Architecture based on GNN as in the ParticleNet tagging algorithm $-$ *[Phys. Rev. D 101 056019](https://journals.aps.org/prd/abstract/10.1103/PhysRevD.101.056019)*
- Most effective discrimination against b-jets
- Mis-tag rate against ud and g substantially larger
- Rejection against g more effective due to higher particle multiplicities
- PID-related variables playing a crucial role for s-jet tagging

- PID yields one order of magnitude of reduced mis-tag rate
- PID with a 3 ps resolution yields some additional improvement, close to the ideal PID case obtained by using MC truth information
- Great example of detector design choice on observable of interests for physics analyses

● Impact on flavour tagging by introducing an additional fourth layer at 1 cm from the interaction point

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Interlude on jet flavour classification

Impact of strange tagging on physics analyses $-$ **V_{cs}**

Momentum distribution of highest-momentum particle in s, c, d u-jets when particles are charged kaons, on the left, or charged pions, on the right

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Impact of strange tagging on physics analyses – V_s

With ~100 W bosons collected, two measurements based on hadronic branching ratios and tagging the jet flavour with also PID from RICH counters of $|V_{c,s}|$ were performed by DELPHI

 $BR(W \rightarrow$ hadrons) = $0.660^{+0.036}_{-0.037}$ (stat) ± 0.009 (syst) $|V_{cs}|$ = 0.90 \pm 0.17(stat) \pm 0.04(syst)

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r^{(cs)} = \frac{\Gamma(W^+ \to c\bar{s})}{\Gamma(W^+ \to \text{hadrons})} = 0.46^{+0.18}_{-0.14} \text{(stat)} \pm 0.07 \text{(syst)}
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|V_{cs}| = 0.94^{+0.32}_{-0.26} \text{(stat)} \pm 0.13 \text{(syst)}
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The former measurement comes with more assumptions, the latter could be substantially improved with larger-statistics tagger calibration at the Z pole Lett. B 439 (1998) 209-2241

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Impact of strange tagging on physics analyses $- H \rightarrow ss$

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J_F = \frac{\sum\limits_{H} \mathbf{p}_H \cdot \mathbf{\hat{s}} \, R_H}{\sum\limits_{H} \mathbf{p}_H \cdot \mathbf{\hat{s}}}
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Colour contours represent the best limit on signal strength μ for the process H \rightarrow ss after applying a strange-jet tagger based on a jet-flavour variable plus PID from the simulated IDEA drift chamber

Impact of strange tagging on physics analyses $- H \rightarrow \phi \gamma$

BRs as predicted by the SM Measurement by ATLAS

 $\mathcal{B}(H \to \phi \gamma) = (2.31 \pm 0.11) \times 10^{-6}$ $\mathcal{B}(H \to \rho \gamma) = (1.68 \pm 0.08) \times 10^{-5}$ $\mathcal{B}(H \to \phi \gamma) < 5.0 \times 10^{-4}$ $\mathcal{B}(H \to \rho \gamma) < 10.4 \times 10^{-4}$

Conclusions and Outlook

IDEA detector is in Delphes with PID-related variables. Allows studies on performance, expected physics reach, and back to detector layout optimisation and technology choices.

Some literature on the topic exist and something new has been included in the FCC mid-term report. Much more is obviously possible and welcome.

Full potential of strange-flavour tagging at a future circular lepton collider to be studied. In addition, ML architectures for jet flavour classification still evolving.

More methods to be developed and studied such as

- Estimate of systematic uncertainties to strange-flavour tagging
- Reconstruction of in-flight decays
- Holistic tagging including beauty, charm, tau and strange, with impact from gluon spitting
- Complementarity of PID techniques for charged hadron identification