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Precision luminosity measurement at hadron colliders

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Public defense presentation

Outline of the presentation

- ‣ Introduction & motivation
- Monitor (BCM1F-utca) for the Compact Muon Solenoid (CMS) experiment at the Large Hadron Collider (LHC)
- ‣ Luminosity measurement with the new Beam Conditions ‣ Beam-beam effects in the luminosity calibration ‣ Absolute luminosity scale calibration
- of BCM1F-utca for 2022 data set

high magnetic field and large radius \rightarrow high energy $E = E_{beam1} + E_{beam2} = 13.6$ TeV \rightarrow smaller scales, heavier particles → discovery of the Higgs boson

Large Hadron Collider

n_TOF - Neutrons Time Of Flight // HiRadMat - High-Radiation to Materials // Neutrino Platform

Large Hadron Collider

- ‣ DIY accelerator: bending, focusing, accelerating components
- beams divided into groups crossing each other resulting in billions of collisions per second
- many other elements providing high quality beams and diagnostic tools

Beau **Paris**

LHC experiments

Luminosity

- ‣ 'collisions' too general for the field of particle physics
- ‣ need for quantity that describes the efficiency of the collider independently of a process $R = \mathscr{L}_{inst} \cdot \sigma_{ev}$
- ‣ can be maximized with machine parameters *Nb*

‣ high integrated luminosity makes the observation significant *T*

$$
\mathcal{L}_{inst} = \sum_{i}^{N_b} \frac{n_{1,i} n_{2,i} f_{\text{rev}}}{4 \pi \sigma_x \sigma_y}
$$

$$
\mathscr{L}_{int} = \int_{0} \mathscr{L}_{inst} dt
$$

Luminosity calibration

- beams are moved across each other by discrete separation steps
- the convolved transverse beam size can be extracted from the measured visible rate:
- van der Meer (vdM) scans are performed every year to obtain the detector-specific visible cross-section
- Iuminosity is a product of the colliding bunch-pair parameters:

$$
\mathscr{L}_{inst}^{vdM} = \sum_{i}^{N_b} n_{1,i} n_{2,i} f_{\text{rev}} \iiint_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \rho_{1,i}(x, y, s, -s_0) \rho_{2,i}(x, y, t)
$$

- two scans in a pair for each of transverse directions and full overlap area
- the absolute head-on luminosity can be computed from the measured bunch parameters, and compared to the measured rate to infer the calibration constant:

- luminometer calibration can be used to measure luminosity at any conditions
- evaluation of biases from beam-related systematic effects such as the orbit drift, beam-beam interaction, etc.
	- calibration accuracy affected apply corrections
	- estimate systematic uncertainties down to 0.1%
- extended scan program used with multiple scans for dedicated studies as well as wide range of beam instrumentation

Luminosity calibration

$$
\sigma_{vis} = \frac{R_0^{vis}}{\mathcal{L}_{inst}^{vdm}} = 2\pi \frac{R_0^{vis}}{n_1 n_2} \Sigma_x \Sigma_y \longrightarrow \mathcal{L}_{inst}^{phys} = \frac{R}{\sigma_{vis}}
$$

When the beams are brought into collision

• expectation: high energy collisions between two protons, $p+p = Higgs$ signatures

 \cdot reality (for ~99.999..% of beam particles): the trajectory is changed due to the electromagnetic interaction with the opposing beam

Beam-beam interaction

- ‣ Beams are collections of charges that interact electromagnetically
- BB parameter ξ describes the linearized force for small amplitude particles
- ‣ single particle trajectory changed depending on its amplitude due to non-linear force

- as a result, there is a tune spread in the beam Δ*Q* ∼ *ξ*
- ‣ COherent Multibunch Beam-beam Interactions (COMBI) code used to model

$$
F_{\perp} = \pm \frac{Ne^2(1+\beta_{rel}^2)}{4\pi\epsilon_0 r} \left(1 - \exp\left[-\frac{r^2}{2\sigma^2}\right]\right),
$$

Motivation of the thesis

- ‣ A well-designed luminometer is needed with minimized detectorrelated systematic effects
- ‣ Accurate luminosity calibration requires a thorough understanding of the beam-related systematic effects to correct for the biases:
	- ‣ motivates detailed studies of corrections and uncertainties related to beam-beam (BB) interaction @ multiple locations
	- experimental validation for simulation models for the effects on the luminosity

Precision luminosity measurement requirements

- single largest source of experimental uncertainty in the most precise SM measurements
- for example top quark pair production in the latest CMS publication, the 2.3% luminosity unc. dominates the total experimental uncertainty of 2.5% from other sources

 $R = \mathscr{L}_{inst} \cdot \sigma_{ev}$

will become even more important at HL-LHC ■ 1% target for absolute Higgs couplings

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- **→ Beam Radiation Instrumentation and** Luminosity (BRIL) Project has the mandate of providing CMS with the luminosity measurement
- **→ 9 luminosity measurements**
- **→ BCM1F** is one of them
	- dedicated, standalone luminometer, operates independently from central CMS data acquisition system
	- sub-bunch crossing time resolution (< 1 ns), enables the measurement of beam-induced background

CMS experiment luminometers

- ➔ Good performance achieved in Run 2 with the detector prototype:
	- mixed sensor types were used: diamonds and Silicon
	- signal-noise separation and response linearity much better for the Silicon sensors
	- stable operation, but data quality was limited
- ➔ Upgraded during Long Shutdown 2 for LHC Run 3:
	- new Silicon diodes
		- titanium circuit for active cooling to -20℃

BCM1F-utca luminometer

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ASIC:

- radiation-hard
- < 10 ns peaking time
- $~\sim$ 10 ns FWHM

Sensors:

- 290 um thick
- 1.7×1.7 mm² area
- AC-coupled

‣ionizing particle generates electrons and holes

BCM1F-utca luminometer

new derivativebased peak finding algorithm

Detector assembly

- ‣ laboratory tests for best-quality components
- ‣ each C-shape pair forms a ring around the beam pipe at a radius of 7 cm
- ‣ total of 48 channels (4x12)
- **integration on a common carbon fiber carriage** with the Pixel Luminosity Telescope (PLT) and Beam Conditions Monitor for Losses (BCML1)

diamond sensor (BCML1)

Nov.

April

2021

Detector installation

- installation behind the CMS pixel detector, on both ends
- ‣ commissioning of
	- new front-end during the 2021 LHC pilot beam test
	- new back-end during the 2022 LHC ramp up
- online operations

Measurement with BCM1F

- ➔ Detector configuration optimized to measure background
- ➔ Additional out-of-time hit count requires corrections
- ➔ BCM1F has been operational including the the LHC commissioning period for Run 3

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Beam-beam effects on luminosity

- Distinctive BB effects:
	- ‣ deflection induces change in the orbit
	- ‣ optical distortion induces changes in the beam widths (dynamic-beta)
	- ‣ amplitude-dependent changes - arbitrary distribution \rightarrow need for the lumi. integrator, COMBI development
- At the LHC opposite effects on luminosity
- Beam-separation dependent corrections
- Overall effect on the calibration constant slightly negative (sign and magnitude are tune-dependent)

beam size envelope

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\sigma = \sqrt{\beta^* \times \epsilon_g}.
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Beam-beam effects on luminosity calibration

‣ LHC working group effort including all experiments and accelerator experts

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- Extensions of this work:
	- ‣ Poster at IPAC'23
	- ‣ Talk at EPS'23

Contents

Multi-collision study for vdM calibration

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- Starting point: correction model parametrizing the beam-beam effects on luminosity $\mathscr{L}/\mathscr{L}_0(\Delta,\xi,\mathcal{Q}_x,\mathcal{Q}_y)$
- ‣ contribution from the additional collisions at interaction points (IPs) other than the scanning IP not considered previously
	- simulation campaign to evaluate them
- ‣ additional collision = additional betatron tune shift
	- separation-dependent effect on luminosity depends on the collision configuration

Impact of multi-IP effects on luminosity calibration

- ‣ Luminosity bias correction model based on the single-IP parametrization dependent on beams separation Δ , BB parameter and tunes $\mathscr{L}/\mathscr{L}_0(\Delta,\xi,\mathcal{Q}_x,\mathcal{Q}_y)$
- effective multi-IP tune shift ΔQ_{mIP} can be used to obtain the equivalent σ_{vis} bias
- ‣ simple scaling law derived from strongstrong simulations:

 $\Delta Q_{\text{mIP}} = -0.5 \times \xi \times N_{\text{NSIP}}$

- valid for all LHC IPs
- ‣ verified in simulation for vdM regime (*ξ* < 0.01)

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Beam-beam experiment results

- ‣ dedicated experiment at the LHC aimed at validation of the correction strategy used in the vdM calibration
- ‣ methodology using the witness IP with configuration changes at other location and optimized phase advances
- ‣ first measurement of the impact of BB effects on the luminosity at the LHC
- scaling law with BB parameter verified
	- ‣ very good agreement with simulation
	- stat. uncertainties could be rendered negligible if experiment could be repeated at nominal energy (both luminosity & *σvis* several times larger)

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BCM1F-utca vdM calibration corrections

- Detector specific
	- ‣ high sensitivity to beam background
	- measured in superseparation ≈ 7*σ*
- Beam-related
	- ‣ bunch-charge: per bunch (FBCT) measurement normalised to full beam current (DCCT) + ghosts & satellite corrections
	- beam position: lengthscale, linear & residual drifts corrections
	- ‣ non-factorisation of the transverse distributions
	- ‣ beam-beam effects

→ new corrections shift the result with respect to the past by $+1\%$

Integration of 2022 luminosity

- ‣ Non-linearity estimated from comparisons to other reliable systems
	- ‣ assumption needed on a perfect luminometer (3 independent CMS systems used)
	- ‣ BCM1F-utca non-linearity measured below 0.1%/SBIL

Relative linearity across SBIL 4-11 [Hz/ub] with reference to **Remus**

BCM1F-utca compared to other available CMS luminom. for total 2022 data sample (HFET, DT, PCC…)

‣ Very good overall 2022 data quality

Dedicated beam-beam corrections

- **•** equivalent of the calibration constant $\sigma_{vis}^{emit.}$ from
	- emittance scans with reference to σ_{vis} measured in vdM calibration
	- ‣ COMBI upgrades are useful to produce dedicated corrections - minimising the associated extra systematic from per bunch differences

emittance scan is a transverse beam separation scan in physics conditions, primarily designed to measure emittance

Impact of beam-beam on measured linearity

Independent measurement \rightarrow further studies needed for precise measurement

- main contributions to the measured non-linearity:
	- ‣ apparent BB-induced slope removed with COMBI simulation
	- ‣ intrinsic detector response inefficiencies
	- ‣ possible additional biases from non-factorisation
- ‣ challenging fit quality
- ‣ operational limitations to be improved in the future

perfectly linear luminometer = flat response across SBIL

Final BCM1F-utca calibration results

- ‣ Overview of all the contributions to the final systematic uncertainty
- preliminary result already at 1.3%
	- \cdot in the past typically $> 2\%$
- can be directly combined with Run 2 data samples
- ‣ possible further improvement with extended analysis of non-factorisation and detector data
- ‣ demonstration that BCM1F-utca can be used as the primary luminometer

*indicates differences with respect to the CMS LUM PAS 2022

Conclusions (1/2)

- ➔ The upgraded BCM1F was built, installed and commissioned successfully
- ➔ Since the beginning of LHC Run 3, it has proven to be robust and reliable, the configuration was optimised, with the focus of employing the new peak finding algorithm
- ➔ It has continuously provided CMS and LHC with:
	- online beam-induced background, and luminosity measurements
	- regular emittance scans allow for independent, non-destructive transverse-profile and orbit-shift measurements on a bunch-bybunch basis
- ➔ BCM1F-utca performance was investigated to achieve the best precision in luminosity measurement:
	-
- corrections for both vdM and nominal physics conditions were derived
- first vdM calibration was performed at the end of 2022 resulting in a luminosity measurement with a very competitive systematic uncertainty of 1.3%

Conclusions (2/2)

- ‣ Extensive simulations of BB effects on the luminosity led to a much better understanding, minimising the related systematic uncertainty on absolute luminosity calibrations
- Improved corrections by accounting for the multiple collisions
	- ‣ additional ~0.4% correction for typical *ξ* = 0.003
	- methodology applicable to all LHC experiments
- ‣ Dedicated BB experiment at the LHC allowed to validate some key aspects of the simulation model
	- ‣ first measurement of the BB-induced biases on luminosity at the LHC
	- \rightarrow agreement with the simulation to the level of 0.1%
- ‣ Beam-beam simulation model improvements allow for dedicated corrections at the physics conditions
	- ‣ possible to remove the apparent beam-beam induced slope for measuring intrinsic detector non-linearities in an independent way
	- valuable for HL-LHC studies with high pile-up
- The results apply to any current and future hadron colliders, for example FCC-hh

Backup - motivation

top quark pair production cross section systematic uncertainty table

Z boson **iction cross** uncertainty

The new BCM1F-utca peak finding algorithm

- **→ New peak finding algorithm designed to differentiate** the overlapping pulses to maintain the detection efficiency at high pileup:
	- derivative calculated with a smooth noise-robust

differentiator (N=7):

 $\frac{5(f_1-f_{-1})+4(f_2-f_{-2})+f_3-f_{-3}}{32h}$

- designed to provide noise suppression at high freq. with efficient implementation into a digital system.
- peak detection based on the derivative threshold level crossing,
- further noise separation based on the low value of the signal derivative, and by applying the amplitude cut off.
- \rightarrow The amplitude spectrum is a Landau distribution with the most probable value corresponding to the energy loss of the minimum-ionizing particle. The low amplitude Gaussian noise contribution removed with back-end thresholds.

BCM1F-utca measurements

- ➔ luminosity measurement is based on the sum of counts within a colliding BCID,
- ➔ zero counting algorithm is used:

$$
\mu = -\ln [p(0)] = -\ln [1 - p(n \neq 0)] = -\ln \left[1 - \frac{N_h}{N_l}\right]
$$

- ➔ BCM1F has been the main online luminometer since the beginning of the LHC commissioning period for Run 3,
- BIB particles are measured by different BCM1F channels, based on their location with reference to the CMS IP and the particle arrival time,
- based on the BCM1F background measurements are used to assess beam conditions \rightarrow guarantee safe operation for the other CMS subsystems.
- Real-time feedback of the beam conditions prevalent close to the CMS experiment to the LHC.
- Additionally, per-bunch orbit displacement and transverse widths can be measured with high accuracy in beams separation scans.

Backup - simulation studies

‣ phase advance luminosity changes different for scanning and the witness IP

1.5 1.0 BB bias [%] 0.5 0.0 -0.5 -1.0

• COMBI Model development needed to study the impact of crossing-angle configurations

• Additional beam-beam induced bias in the configuration with the crossing-angle, non-negligible even at high *β**

Simulation model benchmark experiment

- Test specifically designed to measure BB effects
- idea to use one of the IPs as 'the witness' (observer) to enable observations of beam-beam induced luminosity shifts
- phase advance between IP1 & IP5 optimized for maximizing the effect on luminosity at the witness IP at injection energy $(1 \rightarrow 3\%)$
	- lattice validated up to 1∘
- dedicated physics time in 2022 LHC commissioning, BB experiment valuable for all LHC experiments
- multiple instruments were used to measure the BB effects:
	- luminosity from ATLAS and CMS luminometers
	- tune spectra (Q_x, Q_y)
	- transverse beam sizes σ with synch. light monitors and wire scanners
	- orbit at the IPs with BPMs

BB experiment: results (2)

- ‣ observations of BB-induced changes during a separation scan
	- ‣ very clear on the mean tunes extracted from the spectra
- observed scaling with the number of collision supports the multi-IP modeling strategy
- ‣ overall good agreement of all beam-beam tests with expectations
- ‣ quality of the results can be improved by optimized scan program

- ‣ beam width changes caused by moving IP1 from fully separated to head-on position, as measured by synchrotron light monitor and compared to COMBI
- the most significant effect in B2V with smallest uncertainty (from phase advance set point)
- ‣ phase advances could be further optimized for the observations at the synch. light monitor
	- ‣ potentially useful to reduce systematic error in standard operation

Backup - BB experiment results (3)

BACKUP - coherent modes

‣ Tune spectra show coherent modes beam-beam interaction additionally couples bunches

> $min. \rightarrow max.$ phase = phase optimisation

- ‣ effective suppression of coherent modes
	- ‣ easier analysis of the spectra

BACKUP - beam-beam experiment

- ‣ optics requirement for high crossing-angle at IP2 reduces the observable effect,
	- ‣ phase advances not optimised giving different results for different observer IP,
- ‣ most of the observations on luminosity in agreement with predictions within 1%.

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Luminosity changes during a separation **Scan**

Outlook

- ‣ BCM1F-utca performance
	- application of the per channel efficiency corrections from amplitude analysis
	- simulation studies of prompt background source for afterglow components
	- ‣ automatisation and centralisation of performance tools
- ‣ Simulations
	- ‣ dedicated corrections for emittance scans with trains
	- ‣ insights for HL-LHC
	- ‣ dedicated corrections for non-factorisation scans
- ‣ BB Experiment
	- better precision needed for verification of correction dependence on the separation steps
	- ‣ optimising the phase advances for all BSRT observations
	- ‣ detailed consideration of the systematic effects

