# Jet observables for Higgs measurements

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Recently observed clear excesses in 3 independent channels:

- 2 Photons
- 4 Leptons (electrons/muons)
- 2 Leptons (electrons/muons) + MET

#### Need cross correlation between many channels:



assumed: 
$$\Gamma_{H} = \Sigma_{SM} \Gamma_{i}$$
  $\Gamma_{i} \sim g_{d}^{2}$ 

Every measurement affected by production and decay



Uncertainty of all coupling measurements driven by total width, i.e. channel with largest BR: H-> bb Hbb difficult but can use new techniques, i.e. Jet substructure!





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# Observables for measuring the CP of the Higgs boson in Hjj

- For light Higgs with 125 GeV CP can be measured using angular correlations of tagging jets in Gluon Fusion with 2 additional jets
   [Plehn, Rainwater, Zeppenfeld PRL 88 (2002)]
- Event shape observables can be used to measure CP of Higgs [Englert, MS, Takeuchi 1203.5788]

Interaction:

Gluon-Fusion

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{\alpha_s}{12\pi v} H G^a_{\mu\nu} G^{a\,\mu\nu} + \frac{\alpha_s}{16\pi v} A G^a_{\mu\nu} \tilde{G}^{a\,\mu\nu}$$
For tagging jets with  $|p_z^J| \gg |p_{x,y}^J|$ 

$$\mathcal{M}_{\text{even}} \sim J_1^{\mu} J_2^{\nu} \left[ g_{\mu\nu}(q_1 \cdot q_2) - q_{1\nu} q_{2\mu} \right]$$

$$\sim \left[ J_1^0 J_2^0 - J_1^3 J_2^3 \right] \mathbf{p}_T^{J_1} \cdot \mathbf{p}_T^{J_2} \sim 0 \text{ for } \Delta \phi_{jj} = \pi/2$$

 $\mathcal{M}_{\mathrm{odd}}$  contains Levi-Civita tensor which is 0 if two of momenta linearly dependent, i.e. if  $\Delta \phi_{jj} = 0$  or  $\Delta \phi_{jj} = \pi$ 

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#### Tagging jets approach:



### Event shapes

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# Obvious correlation between thrust and $\Delta\Phi_{jj}$



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### Event selection cuts

two tagging jets:  $p_{T,j} \ge 40 \text{ GeV}$ , and  $|y_j| \le 4.5$ 

$$m_{jj} = \sqrt{(p_{j,1} + p_{j,2})^2} \ge 600 \text{ GeV}$$

two taus, hard and central:

$$p_{T,\tau} \ge 20 \text{ GeV}, \text{ and } |y_{\tau}| \le 2.5$$

 $|m_{\tau\tau} - m_H| < 20 \text{ GeV}$ 

I. Use event shapes with constituents: (theorist's approach)

$$p_{T,i} \ge 1 \text{ GeV} \quad |\eta_i| \le 4.5$$

II. reduce pileup sensitivity, use  $p_{T,j} \ge 40 \text{ GeV}$ , if  $2.5 \le |y_j| \le 4.5$ , and  $p_{T,j} \ge 10 \text{ GeV}$ , if  $|y_j| \le 2.5$ .

#### (compromise between theory and experiment)

### GF vs WBF



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### Distributions CP-odd vs CP-even



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### Matrix element method: automized approach to perform hypothesis discrimination

- Often used for leptonic (clean) final state (incl. Tevatron)
  - [Kondo (1988); Campbell, Giele, Williams (2012); Gainer, Freytas (2012); Madweight; ...]

Example: Hjj with Higgs decay to photons



- Method separates GF vs WBF and reduces backgrounds
- Possible to loosen WBF-cuts in 8 TeV analysis to increase statistics and significance for CP measurements

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Fat jet: R=1.2, anti-kT



microjets R=small, kT



Build all possible shower histories

signal vs background hypothesis based on:

- Emission probabilities
- Color connection
- Kinematic requirements
- b-tag information



Higgs has to decay:  

$$He^{-S} = 16\pi^2 \frac{\Theta(|m_{b\bar{b}} - m_H| < \Delta m_H)}{4m_H \Delta m_H} \qquad \Delta m_H = 10 \text{ GeV}$$

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Mass window

 $\Delta m_H = 10 \text{ GeV}$ 







Wrapping up all factors gives weight for shower history

$$\chi = \frac{\sum_{ISR/Hard} \left( \sum_{i} ISR_{i} \times \sum_{j} Signal_{j} \right)}{\sum_{ISR/Hard} \left( \sum_{i} ISR_{i} \times \sum_{j} Backg_{j} \right)}$$

Here  $Signal_1 = H_H H_{split} e^{-S_{split}} H_{bbg} e^{-S'_b} e^{-S''_b} e^{-S'_g} H'_{bbg} e^{-S'_b} e^{-S'_g}$ 

Need to convert the shower history into analytic expression



Conceptional difference compared to Higgs:

- Splitting functions for massive emitter and spectator
- Full matrix element for top decay

$$\chi(\{p,t\}_N) = \frac{P(\{p,t\}_N|\mathbf{S})}{P(\{p,t\}_N|\mathbf{B})} = \frac{\sum_{\text{histories}} H_{ISR} \cdots \sum_{\text{histories}} |\mathcal{M}|^2 H_{\text{top}} e^{-S_{t_1}} H_{tg}^s e^{-S_g} \cdots}{\sum_{\text{histories}} H_{ISR} \cdots \sum_{\text{histories}} H_g^b e^{S_g} H_{ggg} \cdots}$$

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## Results for Higgs boson:

$$\chi(\{p,t\}_N) = \frac{P(\{p,t\}_N | \mathbf{S})}{P(\{p,t\}_N | \mathbf{B})}$$



imperfect b-tagging (60%,2%) no b-tag required

### Results for top quarks:



microjets: kT, R=0.2, pT>5 GeV

Shower deconstruction can be used to measure parameter of the theory, e.g. W mass.

Significance for different hypotheses for Mw:





## Conclusions

- To confirm it is Higgs boson its couplings and quantum numbers have to be measured
- Measuring hadronic decays and Higgs production in (partly) hadronic final states is paramount for this program
- New methods and observables can help
- Sensitive observables can be constructed in automized way

   Event Deconstruction
- > Jets in Higgs physics will be active field for long time to come