#### Introduction: Complementary searches for new physics with LHCb

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Direct searches BSM and forward production measurements.

Four Experimental/Theory talks (Monday afternoon, Wednesday morning):

- Top: Rhorry Gauld (Pheno.), Cedric Delaunay (Th.)
- Jets: Will Barter (Exp.), German Rodrigo (Th.)
- Long lived particles: Pieter David (Exp.), Matthew Strassler (Th.)
- Higgs: Clara Matteuzzi (Exp.), Florian Domingo (Th.)

In this talk:

- LHCb specificities.
- Complementarity domains and niches.
- Highlights of experimental objects and triggers wrt. GPDs.

### Complementarity with GPDs

Detector configuration

Unique capabilities in the forward region:

- Tracking and vertexing
- Muon and hadron identification.
- b-jets identification.

Direct searches and production measurements:

- Luminosity penalty of a factor 8, 3.2  $fb^{-1}$  up to now,  $\sim$  50  $fb^{-1}$  for upgraded LHCb.
- $\bullet\,$  Low pile-up condition  $\mu\sim 2$
- Complementarity domains: Forward coverage 2 < η < 5 Low p<sub>T</sub> triggers.

# tracking, ECAL, HCAL, muon, hadron PID



## Complementarity with GPDs

Some examples

EW, softQCD, charmonium production measurements:

- W and Z boson production in the forward region. JHEP 06 (2012) 058, JHEP 01 (2013) 111, JHEP 02 (2013) 102
- Charmonium production down to 0 p<sub>T</sub>. JHEP 02 (2013) 041,JHEP 06 (2013) 064, ERJ C 71 (2011) 1645
- Charged particles multiplicities in the forward region. ERJ C 72 (2012) 1947

#### Search for $\Phi_0 \rightarrow \tau \tau$ , JHEP 05 (2013) 132

- Model independent search, limit on forward Higgs production.
- MSSM in  $m_{h^0}^{max}$  scenario limits not as stringent as GPD.



# LHCb Trigger



#### HLT 1:

- Displaced tracks.
- Single and Di- $\mu$ , displaced or prompt.
- Single-e high p<sub>T</sub>.
- Few technical and dedicated lines.

HLT 2:

- ${\, \bullet \, }$  Inclusive selections for B, D, e,  $\mu.$
- Exclusive selections

Few words on the Topological trigger LHCb-PUB-2011-002:

- 2, 3 or 4 displaced track vertices + MVA selection: efficient and pure on exclusive B decays.
- $\bullet\,$  Act as a b-jet trigger.  $\epsilon_{b-jet}\sim$  30% for  $p_T>15\,\,GeV.$
- Already used in  $A_{b\bar{b}}^{FC}$  analysis LHCb-CONF-2013-001

• High pile up condition in GPD  $\rightarrow$  high- $p_T$  trigger thresholds.

from A. Hoecker, M. Pierini, "Trigger for SUSY in ATLAS/CMS"

	ATLAS	CMS
Single- $\mu$	$p_T > 24 \ GeV$	$p_T > 24 \text{ GeV}$ , $p_T > 40 \text{ GeV}$ not isolated
$Double extsf{-}\mu$	$p_T > 13, 13$ GeV or $p_T > 18, 8$ GeV	$p_T > 17,8  GeV  (p_T > 13,8  GeV  parked)$

In LHCb combination of prompt and displaced muons with low p<sub>T</sub>, m<sub>μμ</sub> thresholds.
HLT2 inclusive μ-lines:

	Prompt	Detached
Single- $\mu$	$p_{T} > 10  GeV$	$p_{T} > 1.3 \text{ GeV} (IP > 0.5 mm, IP\chi^2 > 200)$
$Double$ - $\mu$	${\sf m}_{\mu\mu}>$ 4.8 GeV	${f m}_{\mu\mu}>$ 2.95 GeV $(DLS>5)$

HLT2 reconstruction getting closer and closer to offline reconstruction.

- Possibility to build more complex objects allowing lower thresholds on single/double-µ.
- Thresholds will remain similar in Run II.

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## (b-)Jets

• Several flavour of jet based trigger in GPDs balance thresholds with multiplicity.

from A. Hoecker, M. Pierini, "Trigger for SUSY in ATLAS/CMS"

	ATLAS	CMS
Single-jet	$p_T > 360 \ GeV$	$p_T > 320  GeV$
Multi-jet	$4(5)  imes p_T > 80(55) \ GeV$	$4  imes p_T > 80(50 \text{ parked}) \text{ GeV}$
Multi-jet and b-tag	$4 \times p_T > 45$ GeV and a b-tag	-

• More on jet reconstruction at LHCb in Will Barter's talk.

#### • Inclusive b-triggers can be used as b-jet trigger.

• Jet based trigger will be investigated for Run 2.

Example of inclusive offline selections under investigation:

• Selection for 3b and 4b events adding jet info: 1(2) b-tag and  $4 \times p_{T jet} > 16(8)$  GeV, 2 b-tag and  $3 \times p_{T jet} > 11$  GeV.

# Long lived particles (LLP)

Signature: displaced heavy vertex

Benchmark channel: Hidden Valley model,  $H \to \pi_v^0 \pi_v^0 \to b \bar{b} b \bar{b}$  , where  $\pi_v^0$  is the LLP

Strassler, Zurek Phys. Lett. B651 (2007) 374

Two triggering approach:

- Displaced vertex object dedicated trigger ATLAS PRL 108 (2012) 251801  $\rightarrow$  sensitivity to low masses not to low proper time ( $c\tau_{min} \sim 1 m$ ).
- Inclusive jet trigger, CMS-PAS-EXO-12-038  $\rightarrow$  sensitivity to low proper time not to low masses.
- Displaced vertex object dedicated trigger at LHCb.
- Region of sensitivity complementary to GPDs: low mass ( $20 < m_{\pi_v^0} < 50 \text{ GeV}$ ) and low proper time ( $c\tau \sim O(cm)$ ).
- Trigger strategy for semi-leptonic and fully leptonic decay of LLP in place too.

- There are regions of the phase space not accessible to ATLAS/CMS because of the high-luminosity condition and pseudo-rapidity coverage.
- LHCb is able to cover the low mass objects flying up to O(10 cm) in the forward region.
- Hlt2 has lots of flexibility to trigger those objects.

Open questions:

- Are there signatures we might have triggered already and we should search for?
- Should we include some more specific signatures in our trigger?
- Are there production measurements in forward region we should focus on?

### Backup

## Complementarity with GPDs

Some examples

Low pile-up conditions ease exclusive production measurements:

- $J/\psi$  and  $\psi(2S)$  in 2010 JPG 40 (2013) 045001, 2011 just approved.
- Ongoing studies of hadron production.
- Program might be extended in Run II with high-y shower counters.

Top production asymmetry:

- Dilution due gg-production smaller the in central detectors.
- b-tagged jets allow to reduce the background in  $\mu + {\rm jet}$  final state
- LHCb potential investigated in Kagan *et al.*, *PRL 107 (2011) 082003* and LHCb-PUB-2013-009.



#### • HLT1:

- Single- $\mu$  prompt :  $p_T > 4.8 \text{ GeV}, p > 8 \text{ GeV}$
- Single- $\mu$  displaced :  $p_T > 1$ . GeV, p > 8 GeV, IP > 0.1 mm,  $IP\chi^2 > 16$
- $\circ~$  Double- $\mu~$  prompt :  $m_{\mu\mu}>2.7~$  GeV ,  $p_{T}>0.5~$  GeV , p>6~ GeV
- $\circ$  Double- $\mu$  displaced :  $m_{\mu\mu} > 1$  GeV,  $p_T > 1$  GeV, p > 6 GeV,  $IP\chi^2 > 3$

#### HLT2 inclusive lines:

- Single- $\mu$  prompt  $p_T > 10$  GeV.
- $_{\odot}$  Single- $\mu$  detached  $p_{T}>1.3~GeV, IP>0.5, IP\chi^{2}>200.$
- Double- $\mu$  prompt  $m_{\mu\mu} > 4.8$  GeV (recheck)
- Double- $\mu$  detached  $m_{\mu\mu}$  > 2.95 GeV,DLS > 5

	(Unprescaled) Object	Trigger Th	reshold (GeV	)
	Single Electron		80	
2	Single Isolated Electron		27	1
≥	Double Electron	(17, 8)		_
		Single e/y	20	13
	11	Double e/y	13,7	8

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	Single electron $p_{\tau}$ > 25 GeV	18 GeV	24 GeV
4	2 electrons, each p <sub>7</sub> > 15 GeV	2x10 GeV	2x12 GeV

- In LHCb combination of prompt high  $p_T$  electron and displaced tracks with low thresholds can be used.
- For  $p_T > 12 15$  GeV, good ID but poor momenta estimation (ECAL saturation).
- HLT1:
  - Single-e prompt :  $p_T > 10 \text{ GeV}, p > 20 \text{ GeV}$
  - No dedicated displaced electron lines but Single-Track displaced :  $p_T>1.~GeV, p>8~GeV,~IP>0.1~mm, IP\chi^2>16$
- HLT2:
  - Single-e high  $p_T$  :  $p_T > 10 \text{ GeV}$
  - Double-e prompt:  $p_T > 10 \text{ GeV}, m_{ee} > 20 \text{ GeV}$