

Beam Polarisation at the ILC: Physics Case and Realisation.



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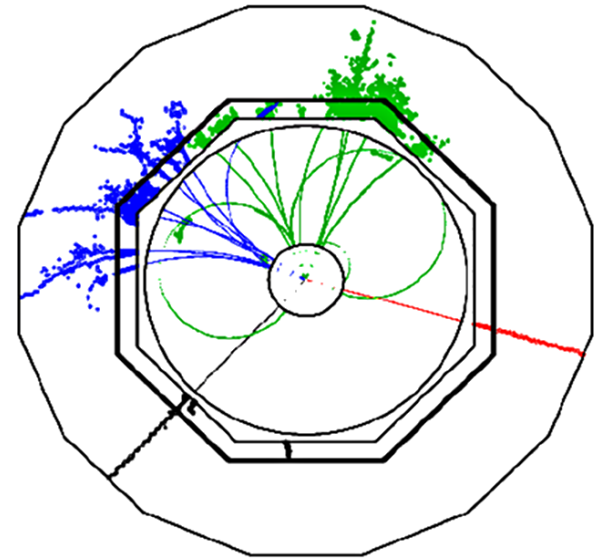
Motivation for a linear lepton collider.

Electron positron colliders

- ▶ pointlike particles
- ▶ well defined initial state
- ▶ precision machines
- ▶ discovery potential

Advantage of linear collider

- ▶ no energy loss due to synchrotron radiation
- ▶ extendable (length \rightarrow energy)



$$e^+ e^- \rightarrow HZ$$

ILC history.

Since early 90s different LC studies
TESLA (SCRF)

NLC/JLC (normal conducting)

2004 technology decision: SCRF

2004 ILC Global Design Effort founded

2007 ILC Reference Design Report

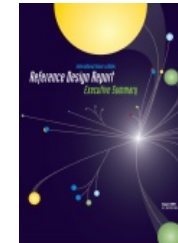
2009 LOI for detector concepts

2012/13 ILC Technical Design Report

since 2012/13: Linear Collider Collaboration

- ▶ ILC: Higgs/Top factory
[possible realisation in Japan](#)
- ▶ CLIC: multi-TeV, on longer timescale
(next energy frontier project in Europe?)

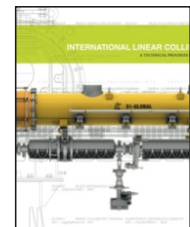
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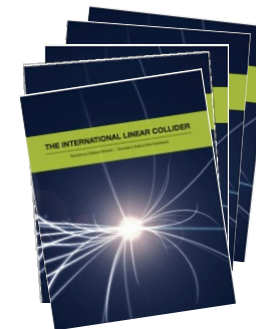
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2011



2013



ILC in Japan.

Japanese HEP community put the ILC high on their roadmap

Japanese government is interested to host ILC in Japan:

- ▶ Support for ILC in Japanese parliament (Diet) is multi-partisan
- ▶ government has started international initiative
- ▶ MEXT has assigned 50 MJPY project money to ILC

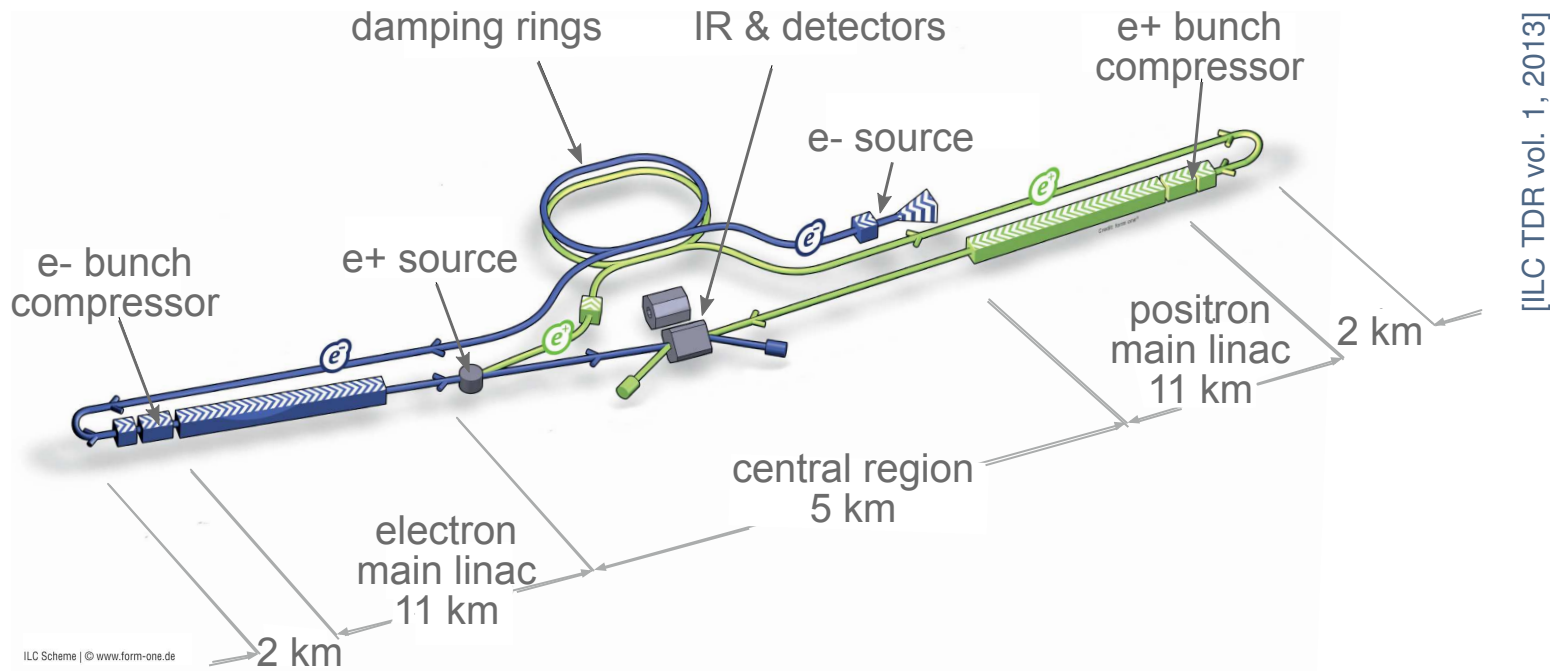
2010: two candidate sites (Sefuri and Kitakami)

August 2013: Kitakami site chosen



ILC overview.

- ▶ Planned e^+e^- collider (length ≈ 30 km)
- ▶ Energy up to $\sqrt{s} = 500$ GeV , potential upgrade to 1 TeV
- ▶ Technology: superconducting RF-cavities



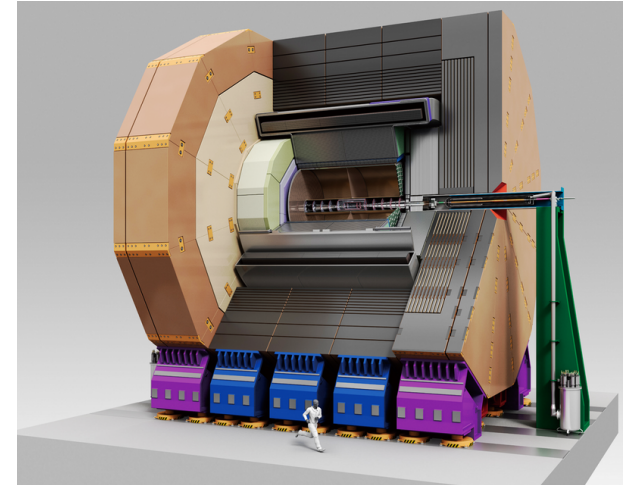
Detectors for physics measurements.

Two detector concepts: **ILD** and **SiD**

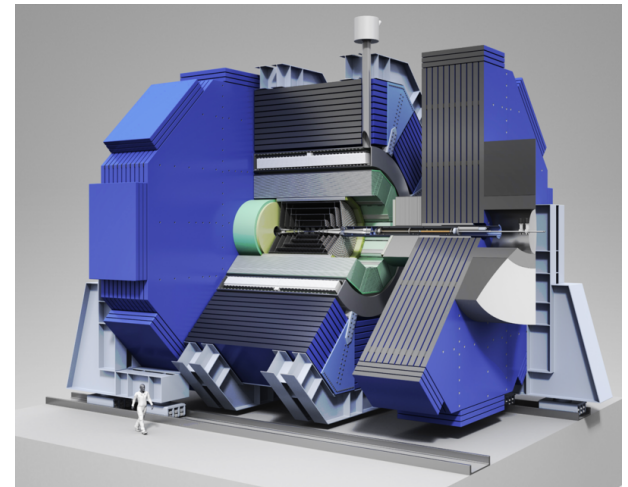
Use push-pull system at interaction region

Both detectors use **particle flow algorithm**:

- ▶ measure each particle type in the most appropriate subdetector (charged particles → tracker, photons → ECAL, neutral hadrons → HCAL)
- ▶ low material budget for the vertex detector and tracker
- ▶ high granularity calorimeters












[linearcollider.org]



Physics case for beam polarisation.

Precision physics at ILC.

- Cleanliness calculability
- Tune-able center-of-mass energy
- Polarised beams: $P(e^+) \gtrsim 30\%$, $P(e^-) \approx 80\%$
 - ▶ polarisation asymmetry as observable
 - ▶ enhanced rates and background suppression for $e_L^- e_R^+$ (Standard Model) or $e_R^- e_L^+$ (new physics searches)
 - ▶ access to chirality of new particles

	e^-	*	e^+	h_{e^-}	h_{e^+}	cross section
J=1				-1	+1	σ_{LR}
J=1				+1	-1	σ_{RL}
J=0				+1	+1	σ_{RR}
J=0				-1	-1	σ_{LL}

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ILC physics program.

Polarisation benefits for major physics studies:

Energy	Reaction	Physics Goal
91 GeV	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow Z$	ultra-precision electroweak
160 GeV	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow WW$	ultra-precision W mass
250 GeV	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow Zh$	precision Higgs couplings
350 - 400 GeV	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow t\bar{t}$	top quark mass and couplings
	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow WW$	precision W couplings
	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}h$	precision Higgs couplings
500 GeV	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow f\bar{f}$	precision search for Z'
	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow t\bar{t}h$	Higgs coupling to top
	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow Zh\bar{h}$	Higgs self-coupling
	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}\tilde{\chi}$	search for supersymmetry
	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow AH, H^+ H^-$	search for extended Higgs states
700 - 1000 GeV	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}hh$	Higgs self-coupling
	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}VV$	composite Higgs sector
	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}t\bar{t}$	composite Higgs and top
	$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \tilde{t}\tilde{t}^*$	search for supersymmetry

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polarisation asymmetry as observable

SM: $e_R^+ e_L^-$ enhance rates / suppress BG

opposite polarisations enhance luminosity

NP: $e_L^+ e_R^-$ enhance rates / suppress BG

Top electroweak coupling.

Top quark production at ILC through electroweak processes

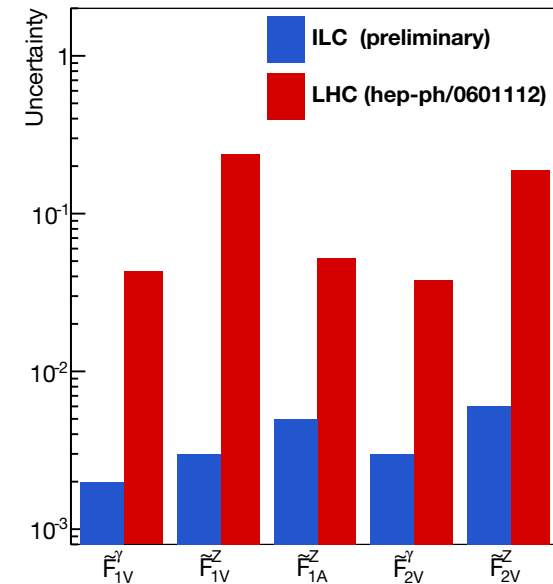
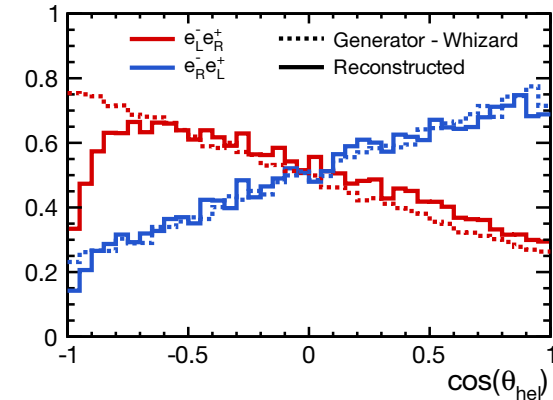
no competing QCD production

→ small theoretical errors

Polarised beams allow to test chiral structure at $t\bar{t}X$ vertex

- ▶ cross sections
- ▶ forward-backward asymmetry
- ▶ helicity angle distribution

→ precision on form factors sensitive to new physics

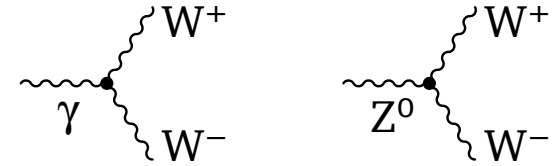


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Trilinear gauge boson couplings (TGC)

Current experimental status
on charged TGCs in WW production:

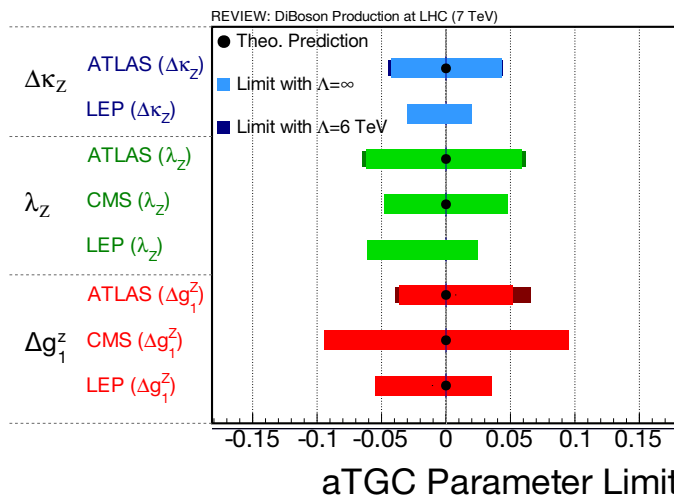
few percent precision from single parameter fits (LEP & LHC)



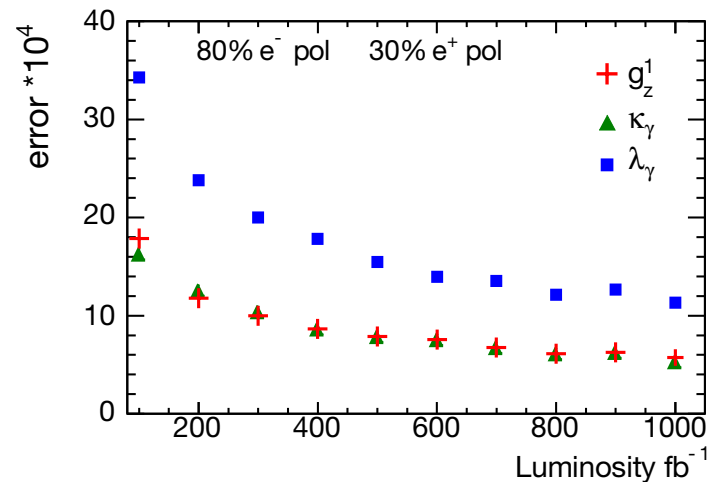
Study of WWZ and $WW\gamma$ at ILC:

Beam polarisation increases sensitivity to deviations from the standard model & allows to disentangle couplings

→ resolutions of few 10^{-4} in simultaneous fit



[hep-ex/1406.7731]

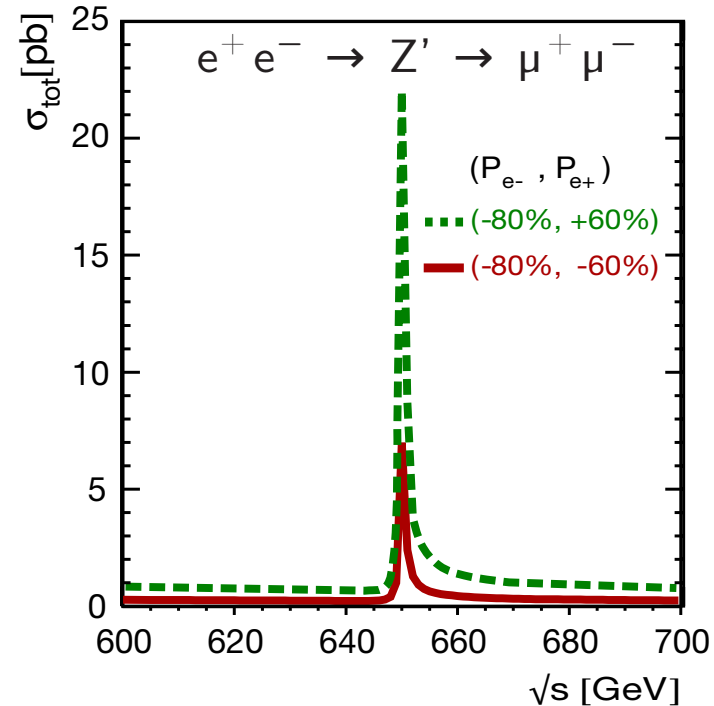
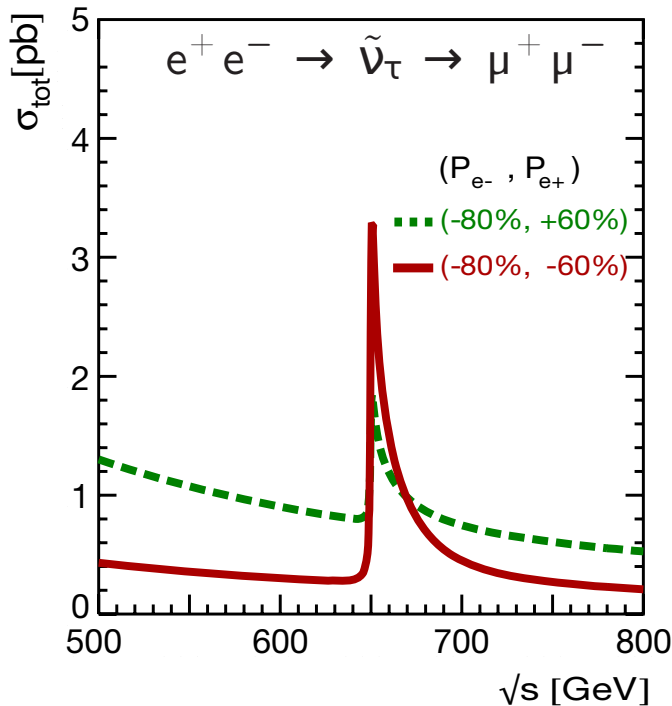
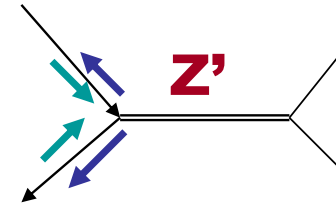
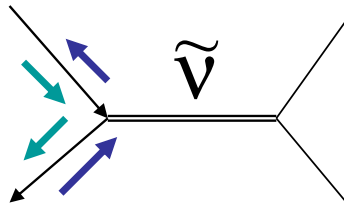


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Model distinction.

Polarisation can improve distinction between physics models.

Example: R-parity violating SUSY (spin 0) or Z' (spin 1)?



[hep-ph/0509099]

Precision observables.

What if nothing beyond the standard model is found?

$\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}$ can be crucial quantity to reveal effects of new physics

LEP:

$$\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}(A_{\text{FB}}^b) = 0.23221 \pm 0.00029$$

SLC:

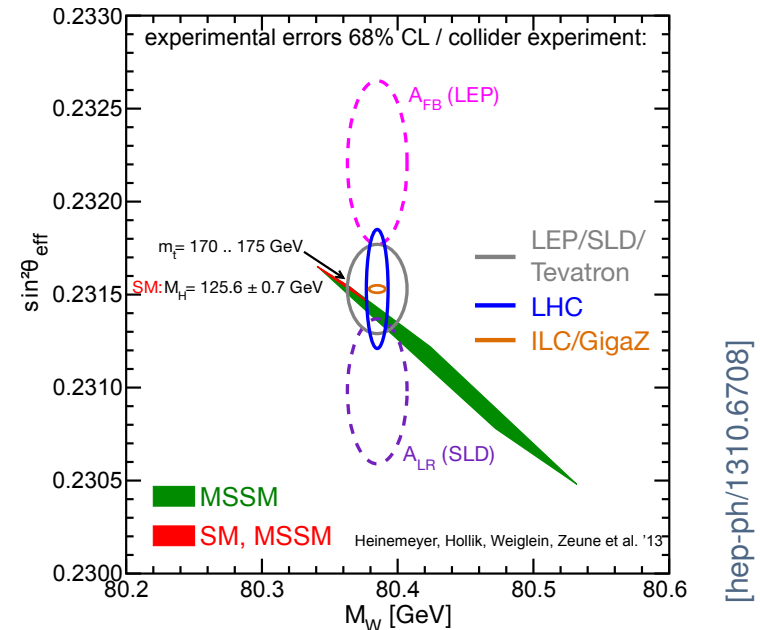
$$\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}(A_{\text{LR}}) = 0.23098 \pm 0.00026$$

World average:

$$\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}} = 0.23153 \pm 0.00016$$

Goal ILC “GigaZ” ($\sqrt{91}$ GeV):

$$\Delta \sin^2 \theta = 1.3 \cdot 10^{-5}$$



Precision measurement via left-right cross-section asymmetry

$$A_{LR} = \sqrt{\frac{(\sigma_{RR} + \sigma_{RL} - \sigma_{LR} - \sigma_{LL})(-\sigma_{RR} + \sigma_{RL} - \sigma_{LR} + \sigma_{LL})}{(\sigma_{RR} + \sigma_{RL} + \sigma_{LR} + \sigma_{LL})(-\sigma_{RR} + \sigma_{RL} + \sigma_{LR} - \sigma_{LL})}}$$

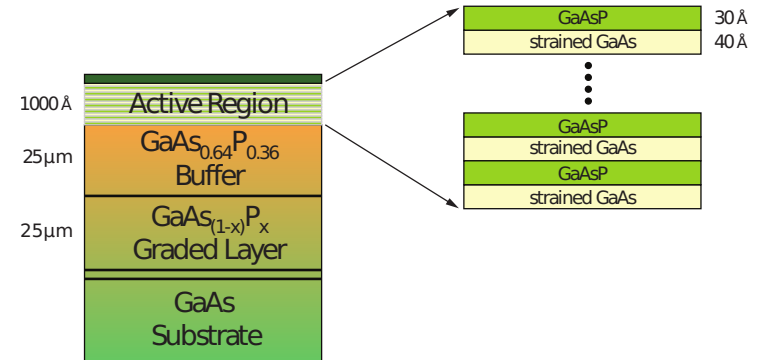
Realisation at the ILC.

Electron source.

Requirements: 1312 bunches of $3 \cdot 10^{10}$ electrons at 5 Hz
with polarisation $>80\%$

Polarisation, charge & lifetime already reached at SLC in the past

photocathodes with GaAs/GaAsP
strain-compensated superlattice
at least 85% polarisation,
quantum efficiency typically $>0.4\%$



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Primary challenges at ILC:

- ▶ long bunch train → laser system development
 - ▶ high RF-power on the normal-conducting pre-accelerator
- both demonstrated in R&D prototypes

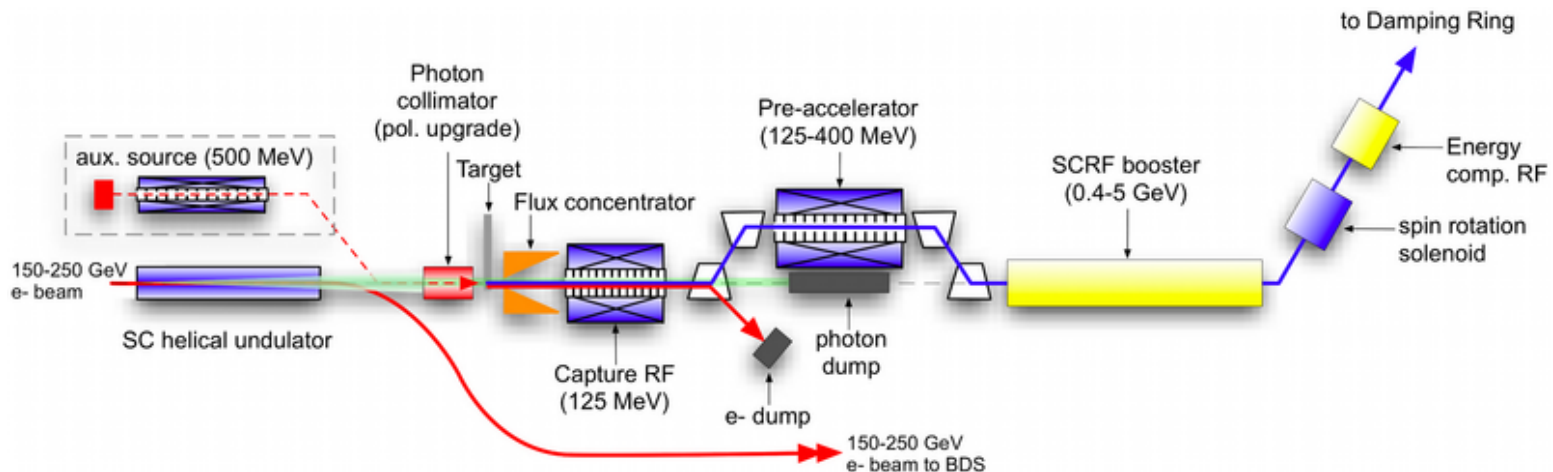
Positron source.

Electromagnetic showers to generate positrons:
multi-MeV photon beam onto thin metal target

alternative: e^- driven source (“300 Hz scheme”), but no polarisation

Options for generation of the photons:

- ▶ Compton backscattering
- ▶ **Helical undulator** - generates circularly polarised photons, which in turn generate longitudinally polarised positrons
147 m long undulator, space reserved for upgrade



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Positron source (2).

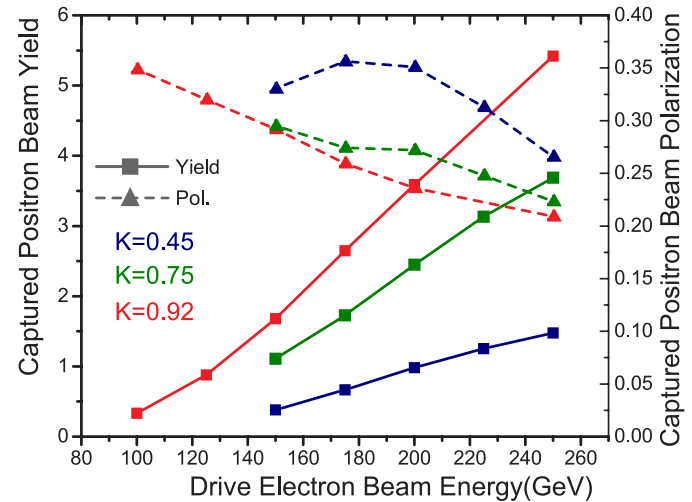
Positron yield

- ▶ requirement $Y = 1.5 e^+ / e^-$
- ▶ polarisation and yield strongly coupled to e^- beam energy
- ▶ below 150 GeV: “10 Hz scheme” with dedicated drive beam
(tuning of undulator and collimator parameters - possible to go to 120 GeV without this)

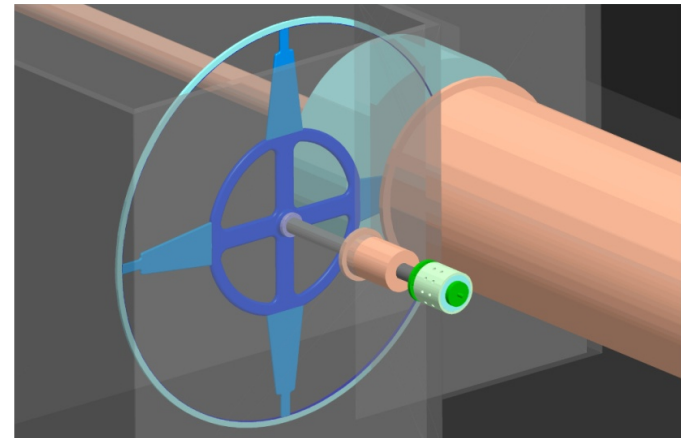
Polarisation upgrade

- ▶ nominal design $\sim 30\% e^+$ pol
- ▶ for 60%: 73.5 m longer undulator & photon beam collimation

R&D work remains (e.g. target design, photon collimator)



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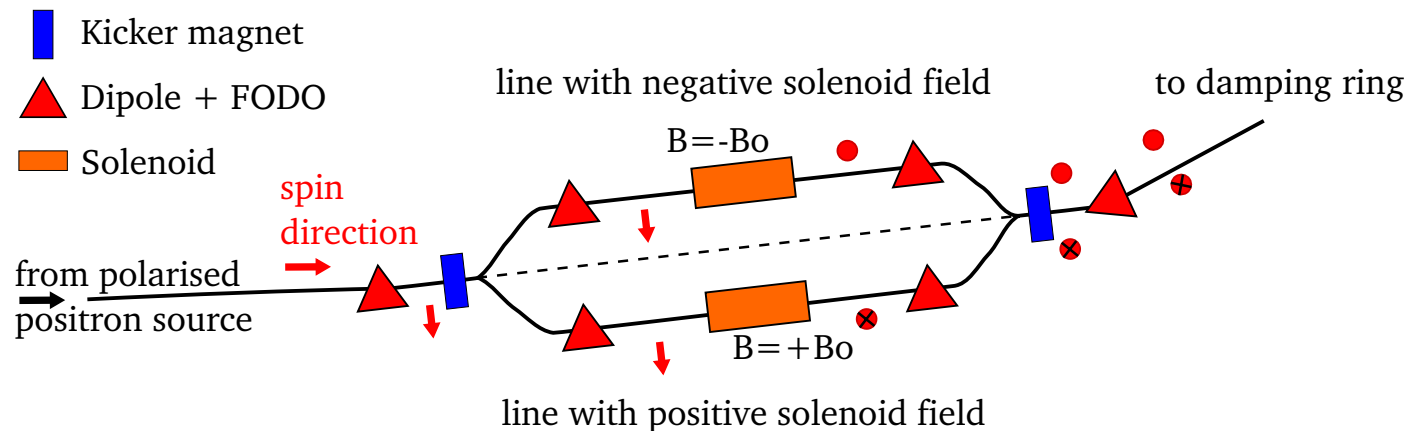
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Spin rotators.

Spin rotators before / after damping rings to preserve polarisation

Fest helicity reversal → cancellation of time-dependent effects

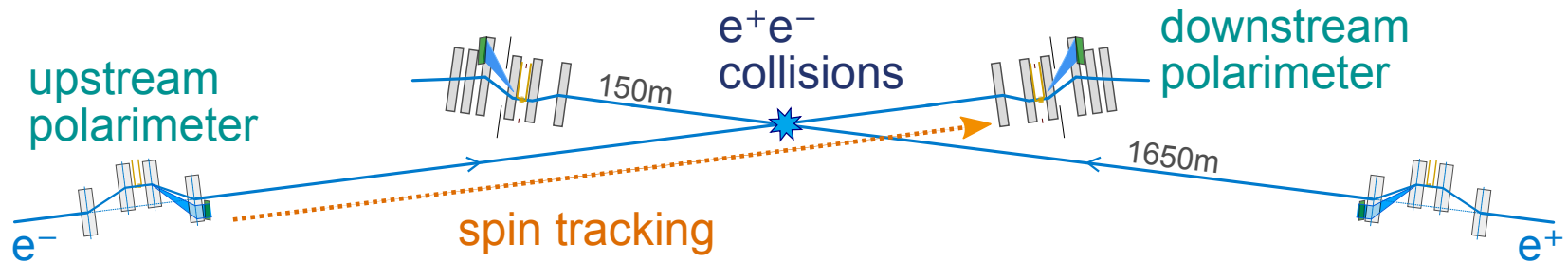
- Electron polarisation: switch at source by changing laser polarity
- Positron polarisation:
 - ▶ depends on direction of undulator windings
 - ▶ helicity reversal: use spin flipper near the damping ring
 - ▶ beam is kicked into one of two parallel transport lines



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Polarimetry concept.

ILC polarimetry: per mille level precision by combining

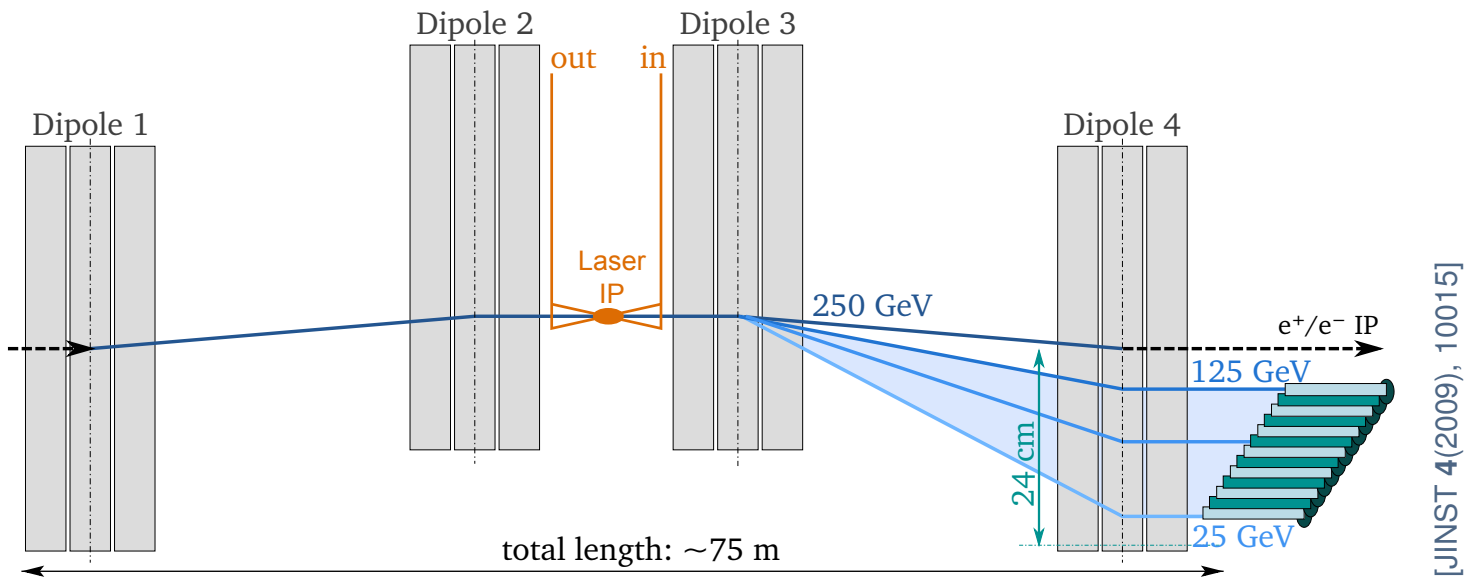


- Compton polarimeter measurements upstream and downstream of the e^+e^- interaction point
- Spin tracking studies to relate these measurements to the polarization at the e^+e^- interaction point
- Long-term average determined from e^+e^- collision data as absolute scale calibration

Compton polarimeters.

- ▶ $\mathcal{O}(10^3)$ Compton scatterings/bunch
- ▶ Energy spectrum of scattered e^+/e^- depends on polarisation
- ▶ Magnetic chicane: energy distribution \rightarrow position distribution
- ▶ Measure number of e^+/e^- per detector channel

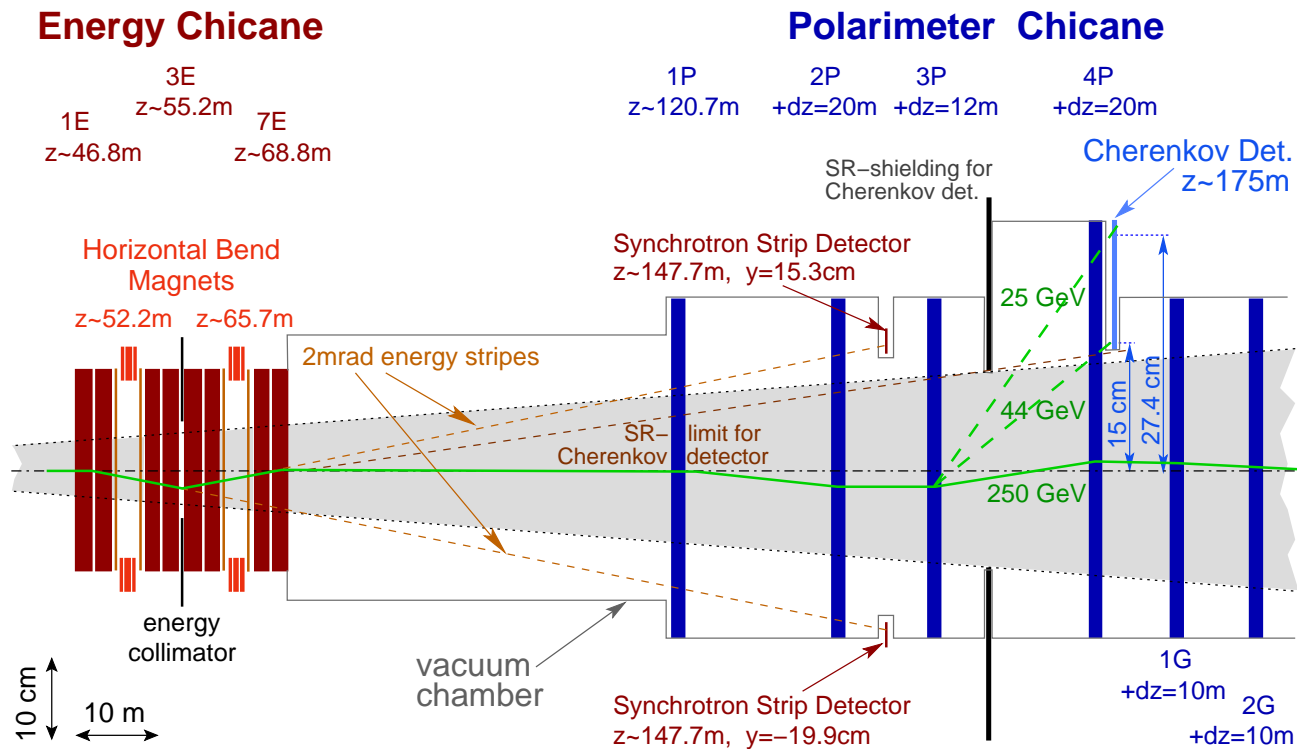
Upstream polarimeter:



Compton polarimeters (2)

Downstream Polarimeter

- ▶ located at secondary focus
- ▶ 6-magnet chicane kicks Compton e^\pm out of synchrotron fan



Polarimeter detectors.

Simple, robust, fast: Cherenkov detectors

- ▶ Cherenkov light emission proportional to number of electrons
- ▶ independent of electron energy (once relativistic)
- ▶ successfully used in best polarimeter sofar at SLC
- ▶ gas or quartz option for Cherenkov medium

Goal: total uncertainty $\Delta P / P \approx 0.25\%$, of which

- ▶ laser: 0.1 %
- ▶ analysing power (i.e. asymmetry at $\mathcal{P} = 1$): 0.2 %
- ▶ detector linearity: 0.1 %

Cross-calibration of Polarimeters.

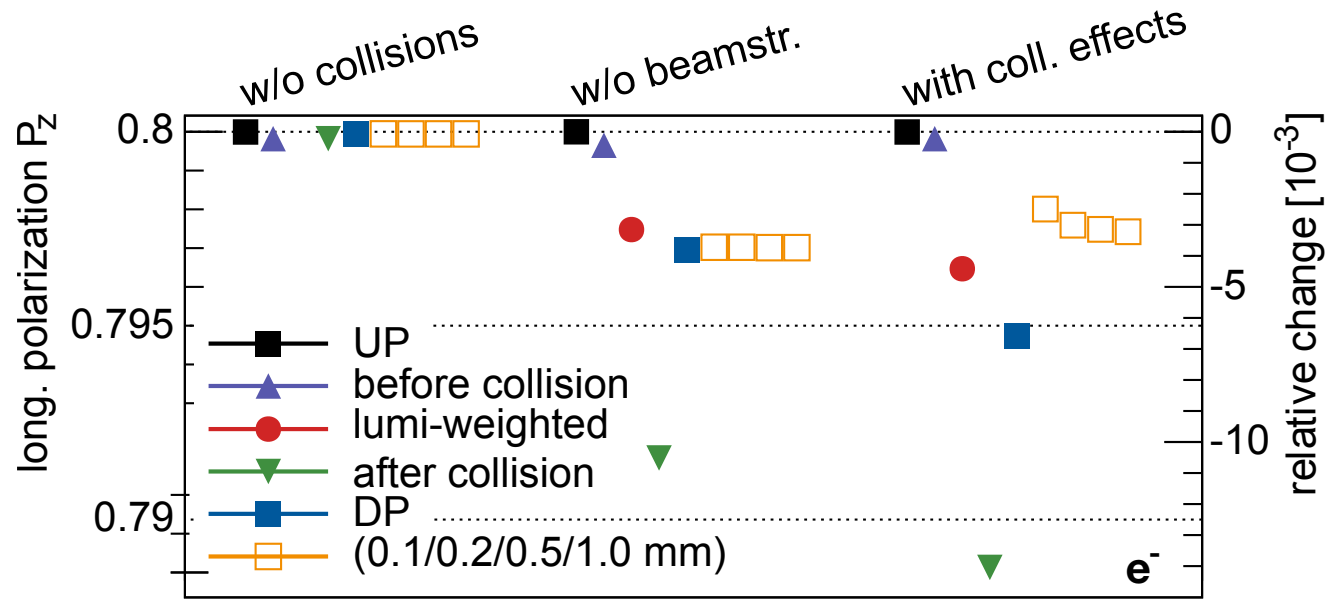
Polarimeter locations 1650 m before and 150 m after the IP

Spin tracking studies to understand spin transport in-between

Without collisions: cross-calibration of polarimeters

	effect on $P[10^{-3}]$
Beam and detector alignment at polarimeters ($\Delta\theta_{bunch} = 50$ mrad, $\Delta\theta_{pol} = 25$ mrad)	0.72
Beam parameter variations (10 % in emittances)	0.03
Bunch rotation to compensate crossing angle	< 0.01
Longitudinal precession in detector magnets	0.01
Emission of synchrotron radiation	0.005
random misalignments (10 μm)	0.35
Total	0.80

Collision Effects.



- ▶ beamstrahlung (energy loss, radiative depolarisation):
difference downstream measurement vs. $\langle P \rangle_{IP}$ increases
- ▶ energy loss limits refocusing of the beam:
laser spot at the polarimeter affects measurement

Polarisation Average from Collision Data.

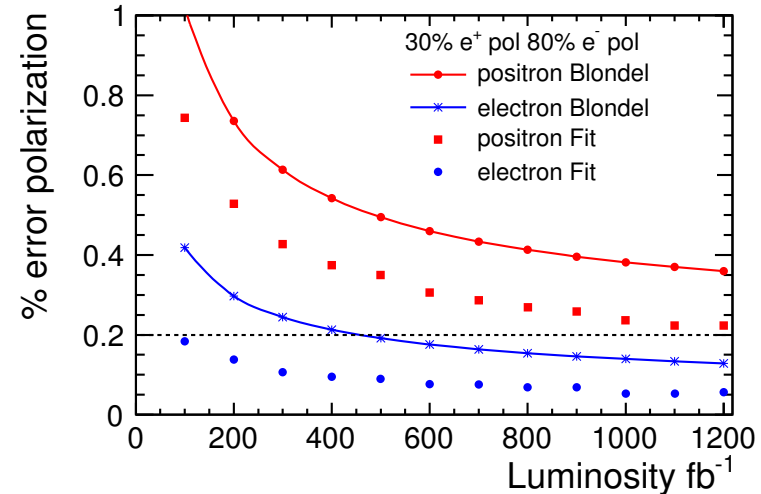
Direct extraction from collision data:
any abundant, well-known, polarisation dependent process

$$\langle | P_{e^\pm} | \rangle_{IP} = \sqrt{\frac{(\sigma_{-+} + \sigma_{+-} - \sigma_{--} - \sigma_{++})(\pm\sigma_{-+} \mp \sigma_{+-} + \sigma_{--} - \sigma_{++})}{(\sigma_{-+} + \sigma_{+-} + \sigma_{--} + \sigma_{++})(\pm\sigma_{-+} \mp \sigma_{+-} - \sigma_{--} + \sigma_{++})}}$$

(assumes $P_+(e^-) = -P_-(e^-)$ and $P_+(e^+) = -P_-(e^+)$)

Methods studied so far

- ▶ total cross-sections:
 WW at 500 GeV and 1 TeV
- ▶ single-differential cross-sections:
 WW at 500 GeV and 1 TeV
- ▶ double-differential cross-sections:
 WW at 1 TeV

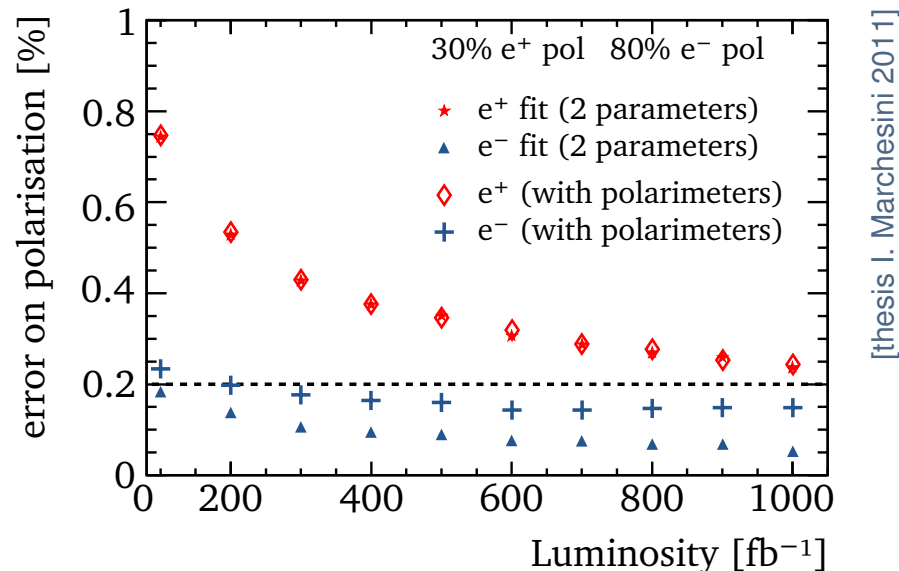


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Impact of Polarimeter Precision.

What happens if $P_+(e^-) \neq -P_-(e^-)$ and $P_+(e^+) \neq -P_-(e^+)$?

- ▶ let all P vary independently $\Rightarrow \delta P / P$ in *percent regime*
- ▶ better: difference to $\pm \delta P / P|_{pol} = 0.25\%$ with polarimeters
- ▶ limits ultimate precision on $P(e^-)$!



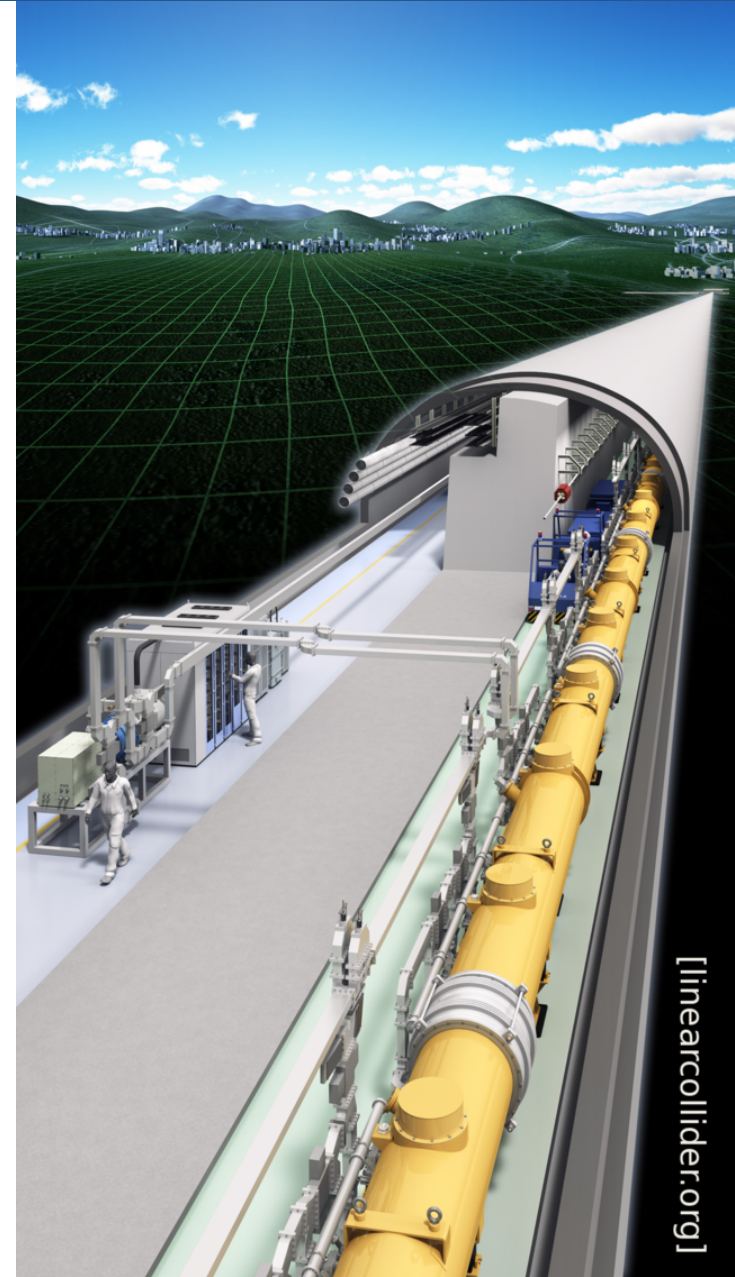
→ need polarimetry at permille-level and fast helicity reversal

Conclusion.

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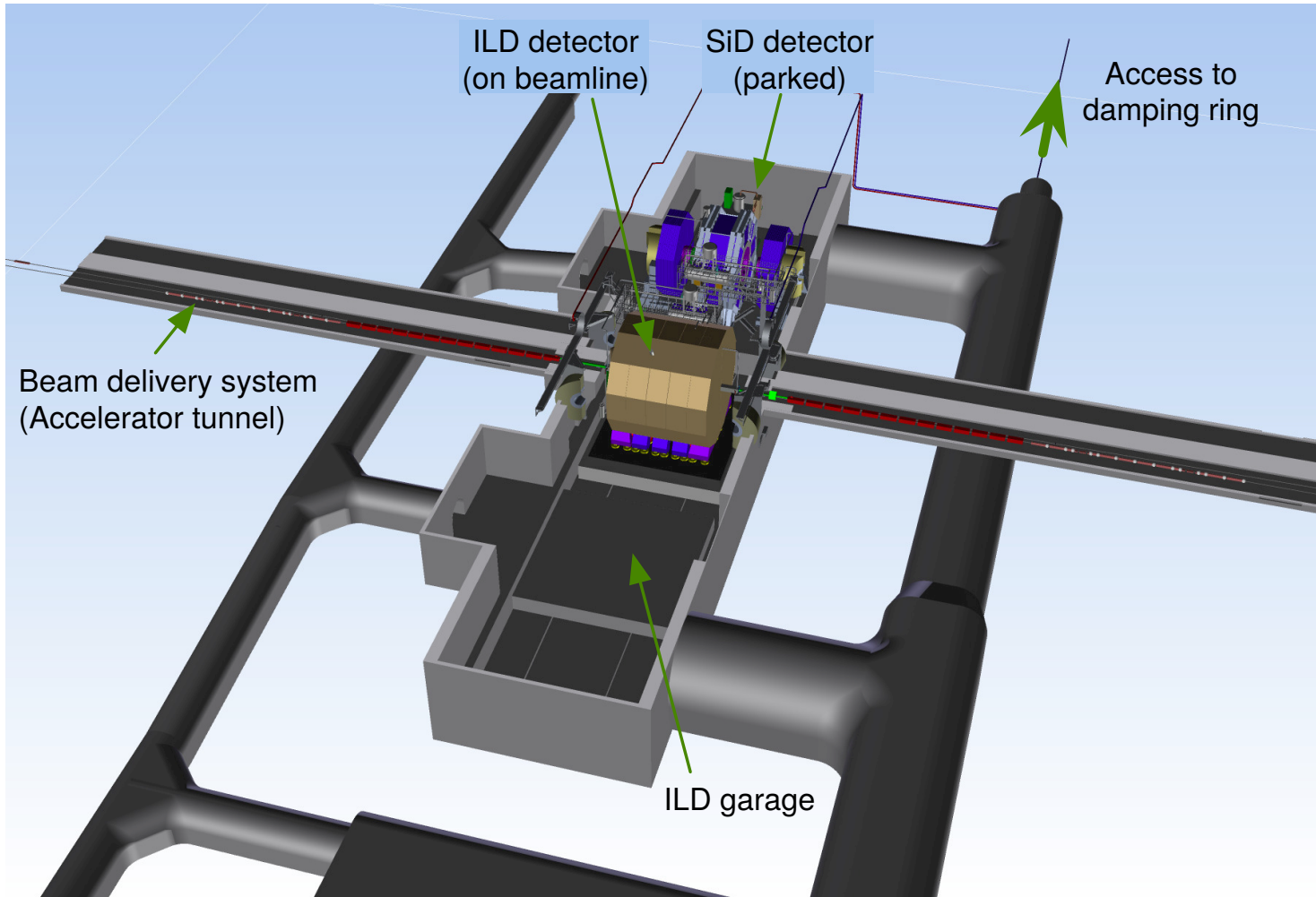
- ▶ Beam polarisation is a key ingredient for ILC physics studies
- ▶ Polarised electron and positron sources more R&D on e^+ source necessary, no show-stoppers
- ▶ Permille-level polarimetry from a combination of
 - ▶ up- and downstream polarimeters
 - ▶ spin tracking, collision effects
 - ▶ scale calibration from $e^+ e^-$ data
- ▶ Site for ILC selected, government negotiations ongoing

⇒ **Exciting times ahead!**

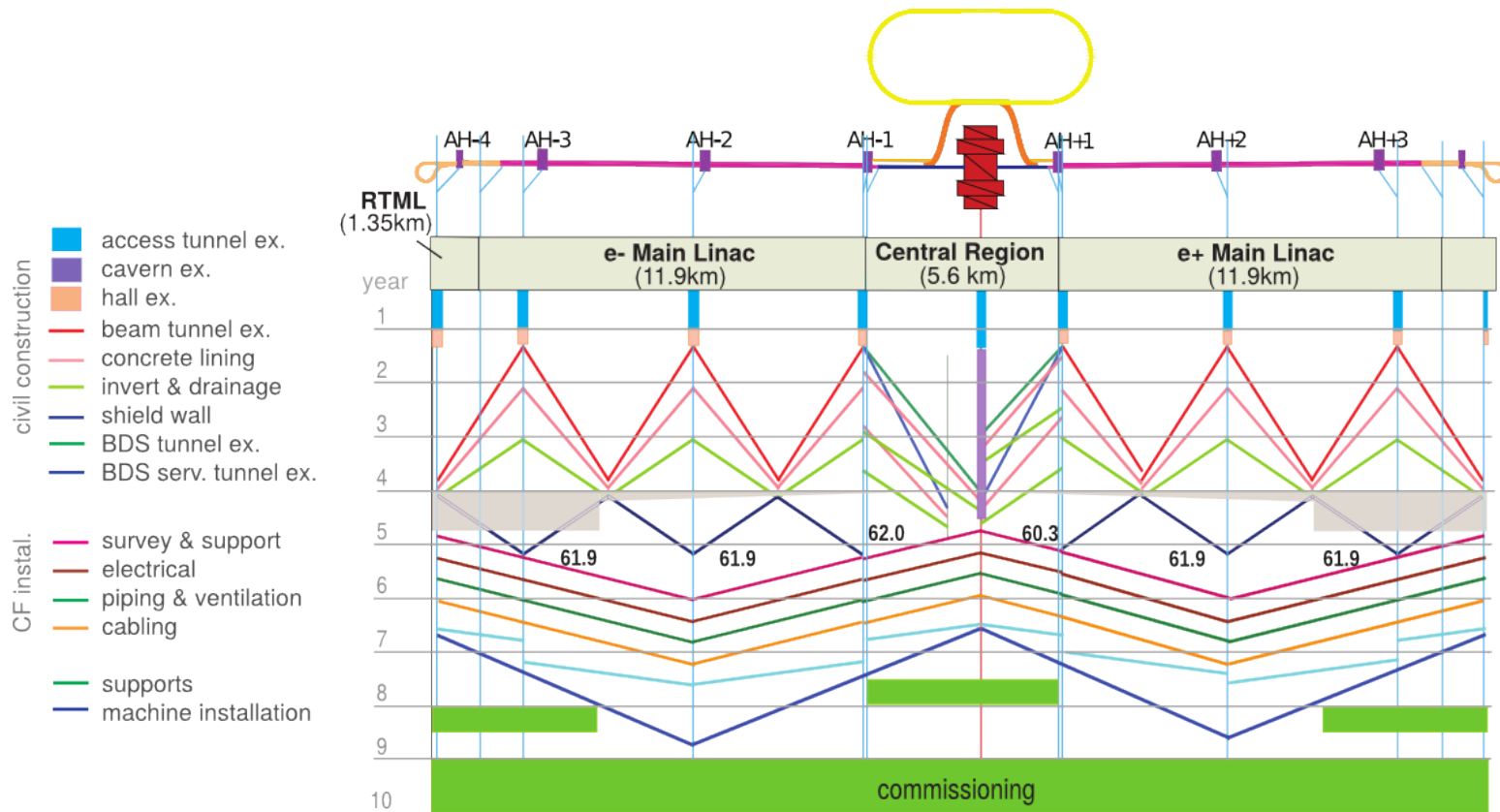


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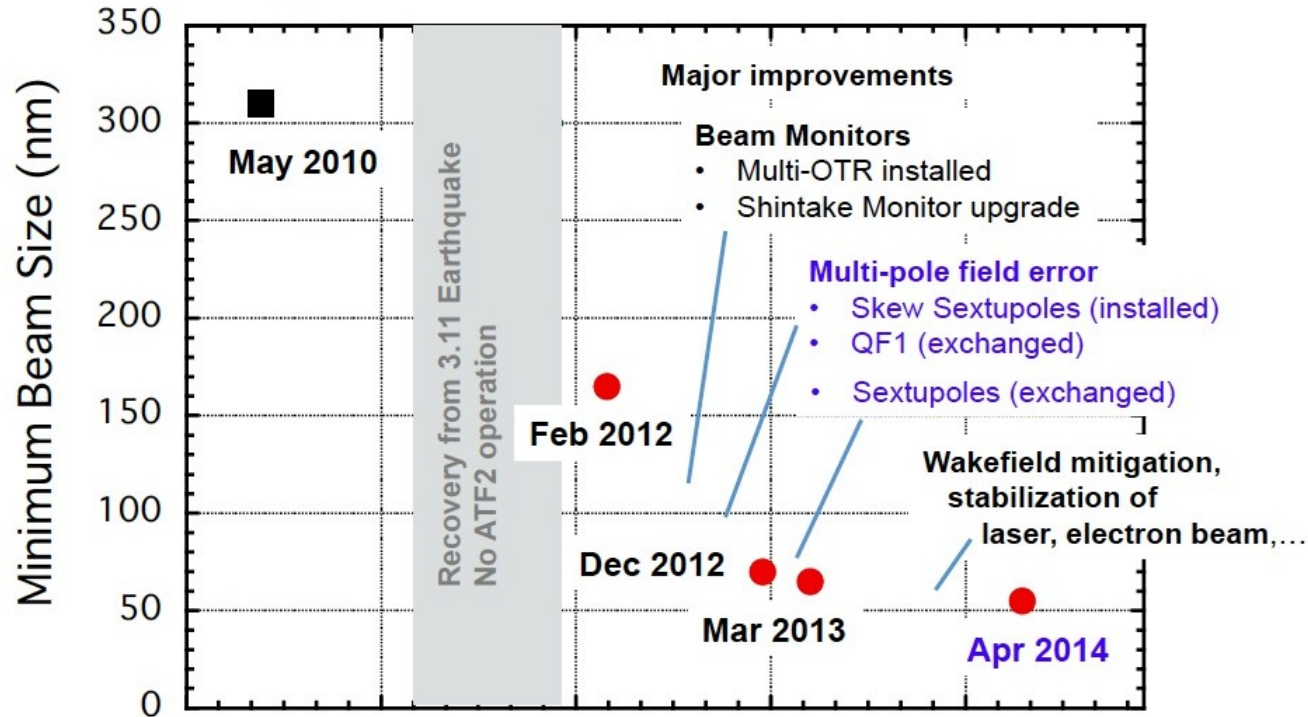
Push-Pull concept.



Possible construction schedule.



Beam size.



[AFT2]

44 nm reached in July 2014

(different beam energy

→ 37 nm at ATF will correspond to < 5 nm at ILC)

Sin Theta.

Connection between A_{LR} and $\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}$:

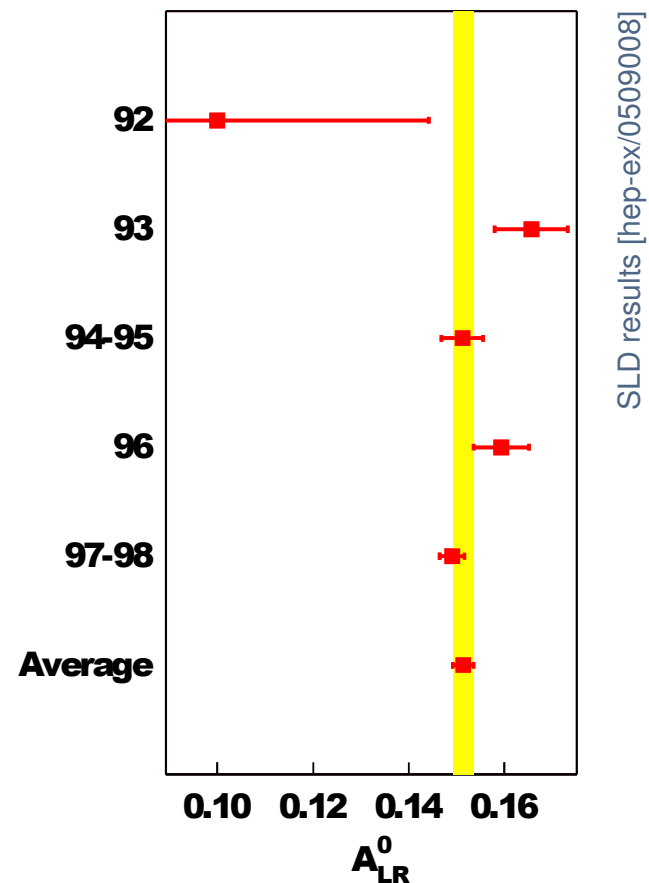
$$A_{LR} = \frac{1}{\langle \mathcal{P}_{\text{eff}} \rangle} \frac{\sigma_L - \sigma_R}{\sigma_L + \sigma_R} = \frac{2v_e a_e}{v_e^2 + a_e^2}$$

$$\frac{v_e}{a_e} = 1 - 4 \sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}$$

$$\mathcal{P}_{\text{eff}} = \frac{\mathcal{P}_{e^+} + \mathcal{P}_{e^-}}{1 + \mathcal{P}_{e^+} \mathcal{P}_{e^-}}$$

With positron polarisation:

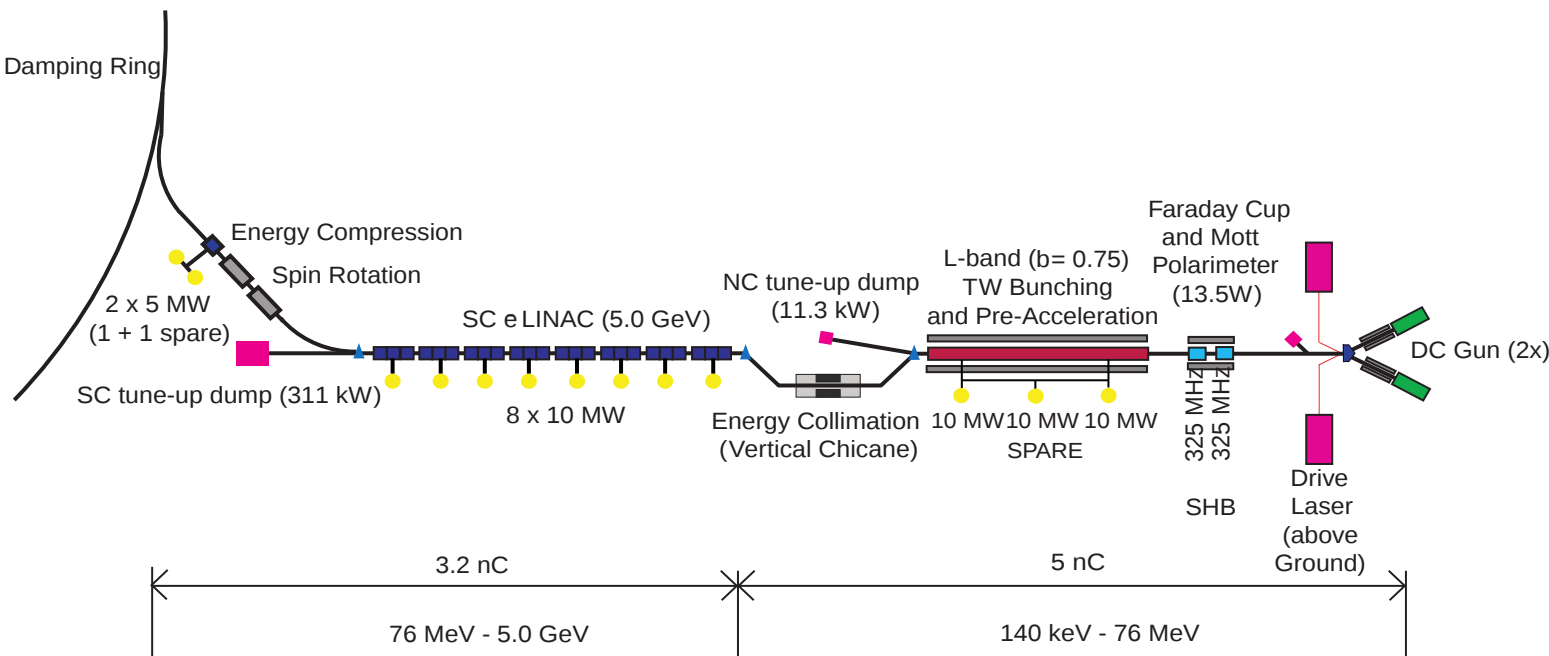
$$A_{LR} = \sqrt{\frac{(\sigma_{RR} + \sigma_{RL} - \sigma_{LR} - \sigma_{LL})(-\sigma_{RR} + \sigma_{RL} - \sigma_{LR} + \sigma_{LL})}{(\sigma_{RR} + \sigma_{RL} + \sigma_{LR} + \sigma_{LL})(-\sigma_{RR} + \sigma_{RL} + \sigma_{LR} - \sigma_{LL})}}$$



Electron source parameters.

Parameter	Symbol	Value	Units
Electrons per bunch (at gun exit)	N_{-}	3×10^{10}	Number
Electrons per bunch (at DR injection)	N_{-}	2×10^{10}	Number
Number of bunches	n_b	1312	Number
Bunch repetition rate	f_b	1.8	MHz
Bunch train repetition rate	f_{rep}	5 (10)	Hz
FW Bunch length at source	Δt	1	ns
Peak current in bunch at source	I_{avg}	3.2	A
Energy stability	σ_E / E	<5	% rms
Polarization	P_e	80 (min)	%
Photocathode Quantum Efficiency	QE	0.5	%
Drive laser wavelength	λ	790 ± 20 (tunable)	nm
Single bunch laser energy	u_b	5	μJ

Electron source system.



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Positron source parameters.

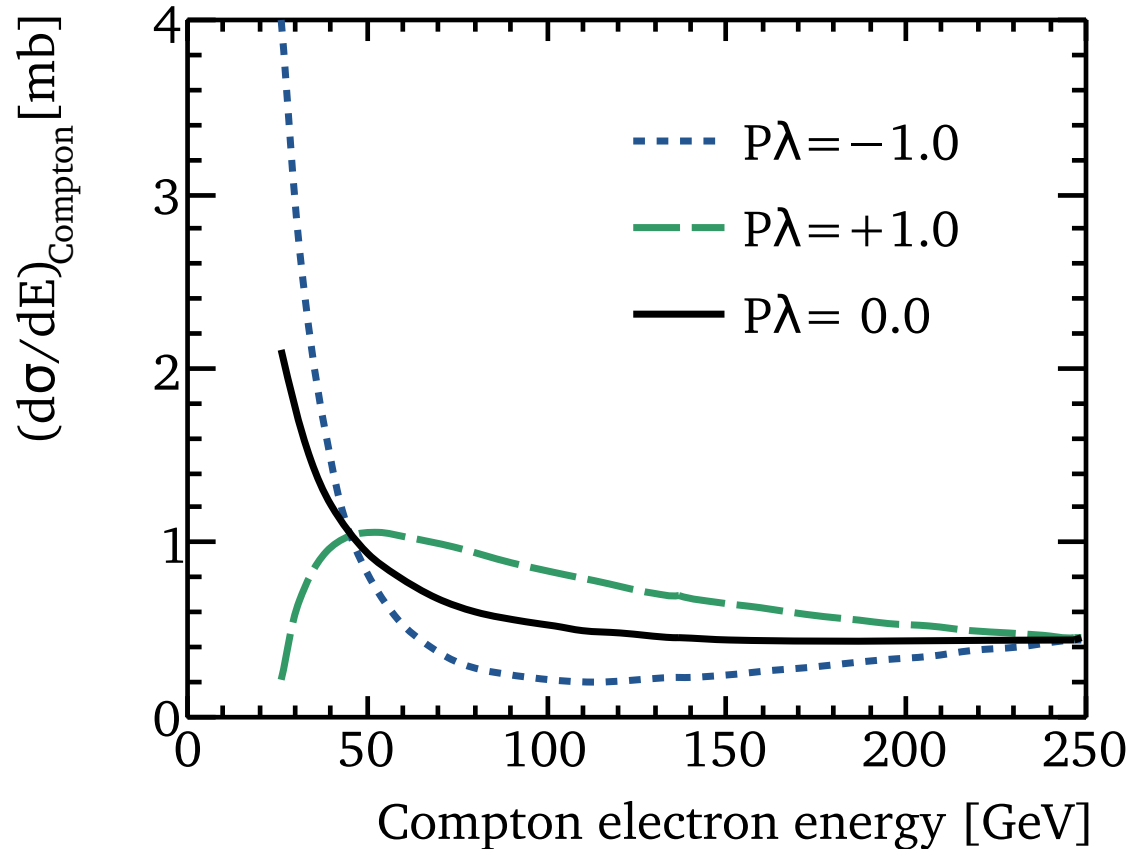
Parameter	Symbol	Value	Units
Positrons per bunch at IP	n_b	2×10^{10}	number
Bunches per pulse	N_b	1312	number
Pulse Repetition Rate	f_{rep}	5	Hz
Positron Energy (DR injection)	E_0	5	GeV
DR Dynamic Aperture	$\gamma(A_x + A_y)$	<0.07	m rad
DR Energy Acceptance	Δ	0.75	%
DR Longitudinal Acceptance	A_l	3.4×37.5	cm-MeV
Electron Drive Beam Energy [†]	E_e	150/175/250	GeV
Undulator Period	λ	1.15	cm
Undulator Strength [‡]	K	0.92/0.75/0.45	-
Undulator Type	-	Helical	-
Undulator Length	L_u	147	m
Photon Energy (1 st harm cutof)	E_{c10}	10.1/16.2/42.8	MeV
Photon Beam Power	P_γ	63.1/54.7/41.7	kW
Target Material	-	Ti-6%Al-4%V	-
Target Thickness	L_t	0.4 / 1.4	r.l. / cm
Target Absorption	-	7	%
Incident Spot Size on Target	σ_i	1.4/1.2/0.8	mm, rms
Positron Polarisation	P	31/30/29	%

[†] For centre-of-mass energy below 300 GeV, the machine operates in 10 Hz mode where a 5 Hz 150 GeV beam with parameters as shown in the table is a dedicated drive beam positron source.

[‡] K is lowered for beam energies above 150 GeV to bring the polarisation back to 30 % without adding a photon collimator before the target.

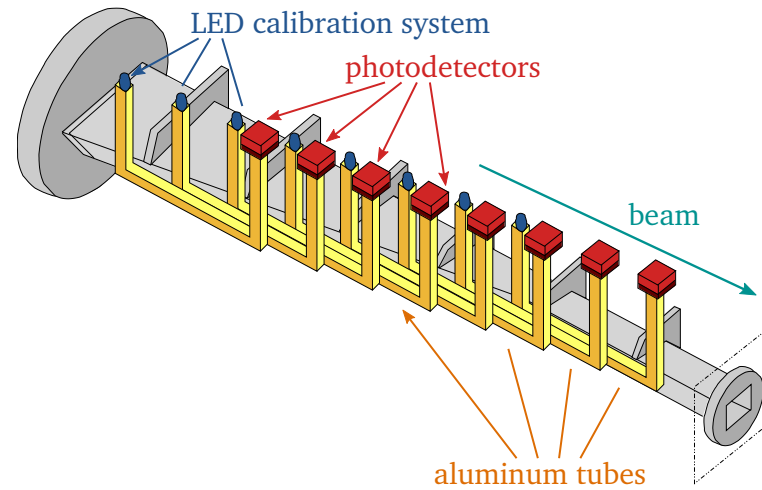
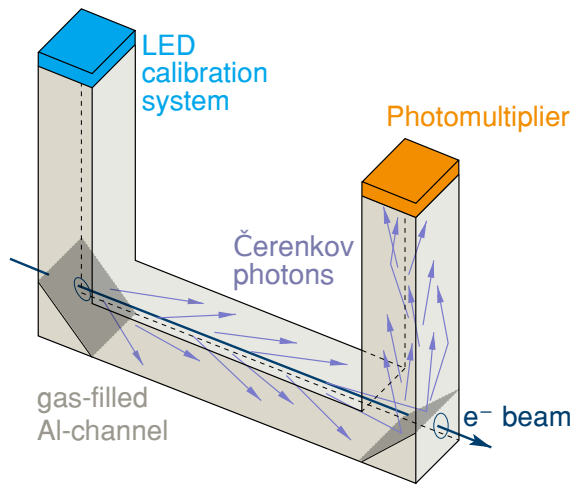
Compton cross-subsection.

$$\left(\frac{d\sigma}{dy}\right)_{\text{Compton}} = \left(\frac{d\sigma}{dy}\right)_{\text{unpol}} + \frac{2\pi r_0}{x} \cdot \lambda \mathcal{P} \cdot rx(1-2r)(2-y)$$



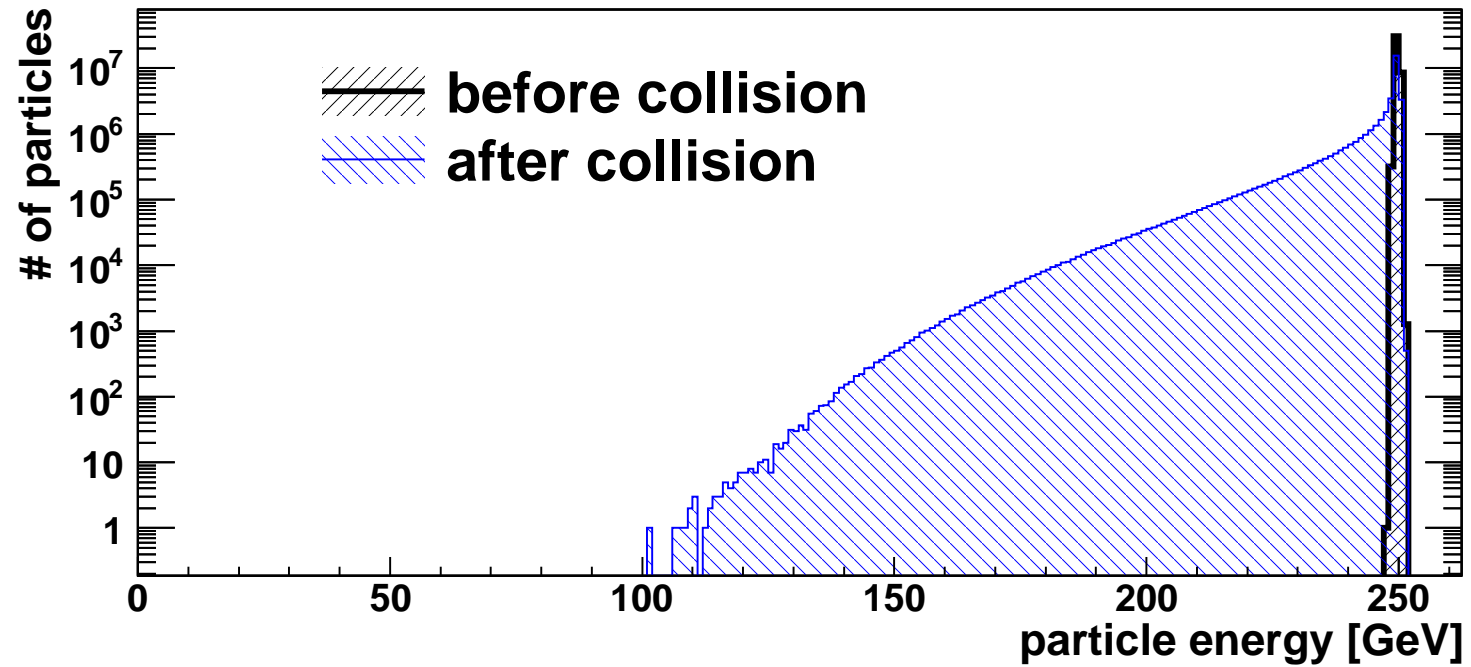
$$x = \frac{4E_0\omega_0}{m^2} \cos^2(\theta_0/2), \quad y = 1 - \frac{E}{E_0}, \quad r = \frac{y}{x(1-y)}, \quad \left(\frac{d\sigma}{dy}\right)_{\text{unpol}} = \frac{2\pi r_0}{x} \left[\frac{1}{1-y} + 1 - y - 4r(1-r) \right]$$

Polarimetry - gas detector concept.

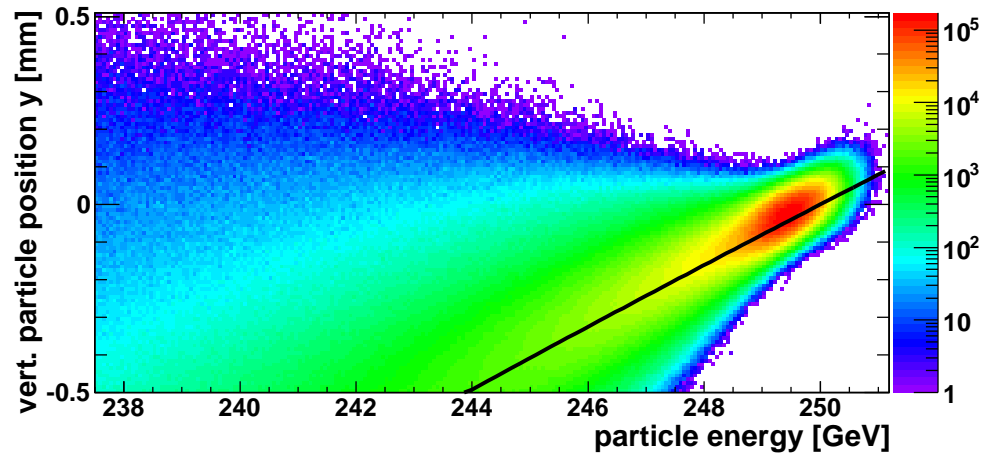
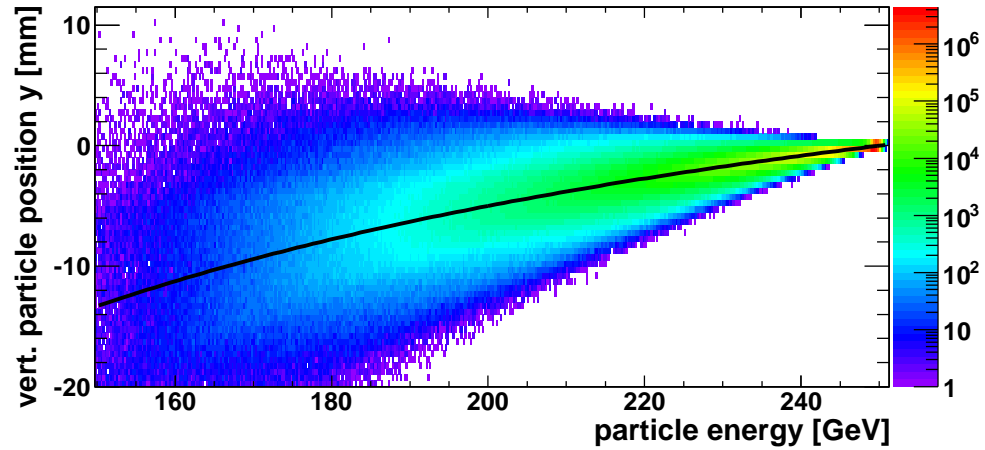


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Beam Energy Spectrum After Collision.



Downstream Polarimeter: y vs E .



Blondel scheme.

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$$\langle | \mathcal{P}_{e^\pm} | \rangle_{IP} = \sqrt{\frac{(\sigma_{+-} + \sigma_{-+} - \sigma_{--} - \sigma_{++})(\mp\sigma_{-+} \pm \sigma_{+-} + \sigma_{--} - \sigma_{++})}{(\sigma_{-+} + \sigma_{+-} + \sigma_{--} + \sigma_{++})(\mp\sigma_{-+} \mp\sigma_{+-} - \sigma_{--} + \sigma_{++})}}$$

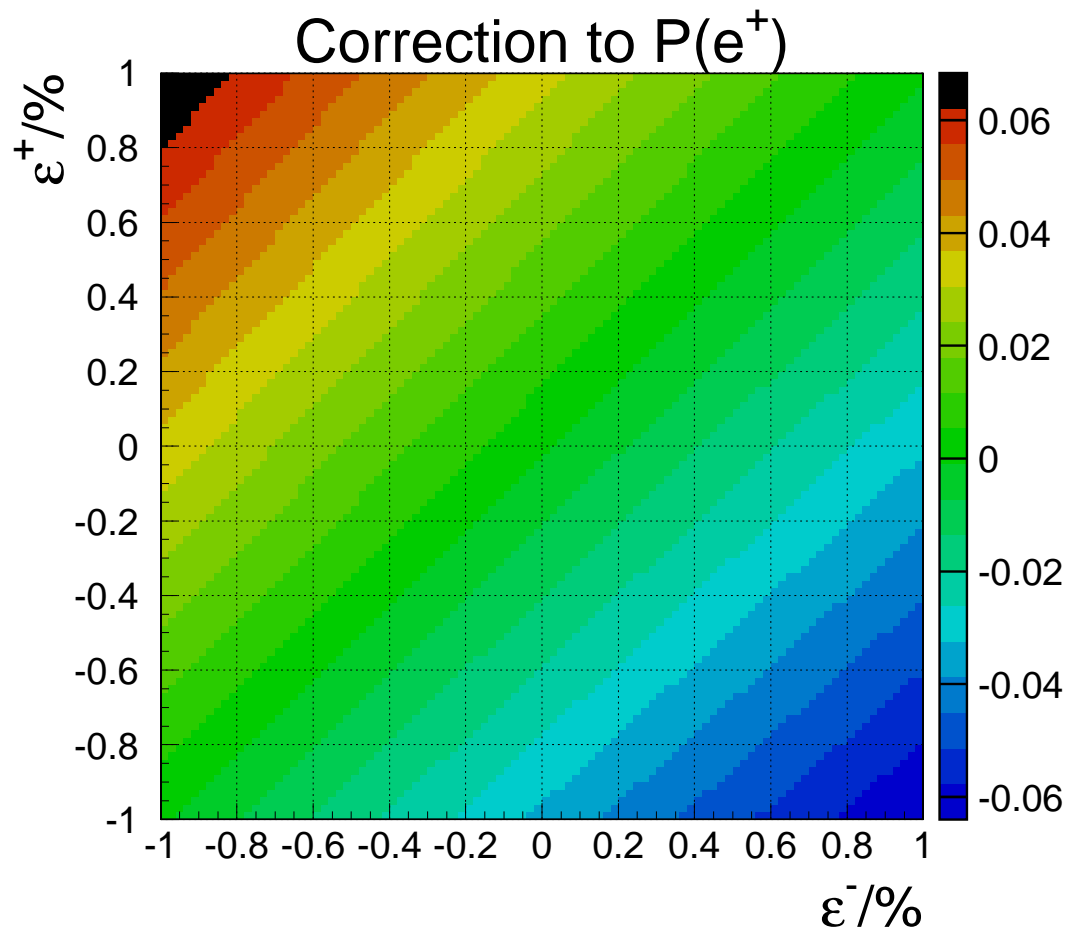
included assumption:

$$\mathcal{P}_+(e^-) = -\mathcal{P}_-(e^-) \text{ and } \mathcal{P}_+(e^+) = -\mathcal{P}_-(e^+)$$

If not: assume $|\mathcal{P}|$ equal up to $2\epsilon^\pm$
measure ϵ^\pm with polarimeters.

Correction to modified Blondel scheme.

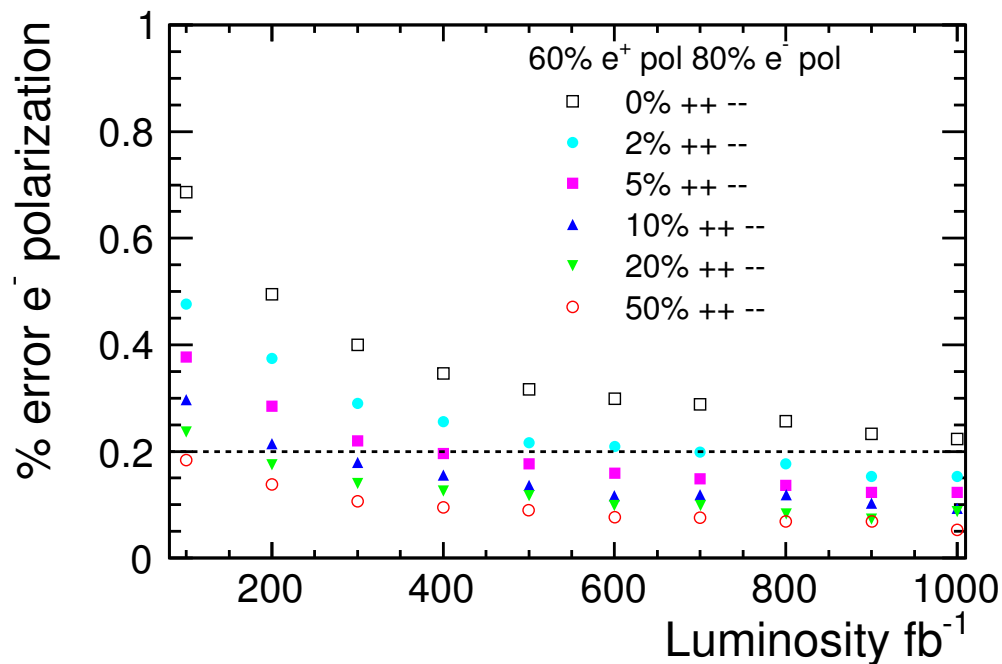
$$P_+(e^\pm) = P^\pm + \epsilon^\pm \text{ and } P_-(e^\pm) = P^\pm - \epsilon^\pm$$



Luminosity Sharing.

How much running time needed for ++ and --?

- ▶ like-sign combinations less interesting for SM physics
- ▶ 10% to 20% like-sign lumi rather close to optimum (50%)
- ▶ even 2% halves already total lumi needed for 0.2% precision



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