FUTURE LINEAR COLLIDERS



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Types of particle colliders

- Hadron colliders (protons, antiprotons, ions)
 - Consist of quarks and gluons (valence and sea partons) with different energy
 - "Discovery machine"
- Lepton colliders (electrons/positrons, muons)
 - Fundamental particles
 - Precision physics at a chosen energy
- Photon colliders

Hadron and lepton colliders complement each other.

It is difficult to build a new circular electron machine because of energy loss from synchrotron radiation (bremsstrahlung). The energy loss per revolution is

$$\Delta E \propto rac{1}{m_0^4} rac{E^4}{
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m rev}$$

- Electrons have 10¹³ more losses than protons
- A higher energy needs a much larger ring
 - An upscaled version of LEP from $\sqrt{s} = 0.2$ to 1 TeV would require a circumference of 670 km!
 - The TLEP project is already talking about an 80 km ring at $\sqrt{s} = 350 \text{ GeV}$

The general consensus is that the next generation collider should be a linear e^+e^- collider.





SLAC – with the largest linear accelerator/collider to date



- In operation since 1966
- 3.2 km long

- Used as a e^+e^- collider at $\sqrt{s} = 90$ GeV
- Not used for particle physics today

Physics potential for e^+e^-

- Standard model electroweak precision physics
 - Higgs (cross-section, mass, self-coupling)
 - Top quark
- Beyond standard model physics
 - More Higgs particles
 - Supersymmetry
 - Heavy gauge bosons
 - Extra dimensions
 - ► ...

SM Higgs production cross-section

Cross-section of a specific mSUGRA model (SUSY)





ILC

- Center-of-mass energy $\sqrt{s} = 0.5 \text{ TeV}$
- 31 km long
- Superconducting niobium rf cavities for acceleration
- Accelerating gradient: 31.5 MV/m
- 369 ns bunch spacing



CLIC

- Center-of-mass energy up to $\sqrt{s} = 3.0 \text{ TeV}$
- 48 km long
- Two-beam acceleration (normal-conducting)
- Accelerating gradient: 100 MV/m
- ▶ 0.5 ns bunch spacing ⇒ more pile-up in the detector

Traditional particle acceleration

1. Static acceleration:

- Static voltage between an anode and a cathode
- ▶ Used in CRT TVs, and also in modern e⁻ sources and in klystrons
- ▶ Problem: Electric breakdown at 3 MV/m in air
- 2. Standing/travelling electric waves (radio frequency):
 - Particles can 'ride' on the wave
 - Necessary to use particle bunches
 - ► Typical acceleration: ~20–35 MV/m (more is possible, but this is inefficient)
 - Room-temperature or superconducting



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'New' concept: Two-beam acceleration

- Instead of one beam in each direction, we use two beams.
- Electromagnetic energy is extracted from a low energy, high current drive beam, which loses kinetic energy (it is decelerated). This is done by a special microwave structure called PETS (Power Extraction and Transfer Structure).
- ▶ The energy is transferred to a high energy, low current main beam for acceleration.
- ▶ This allows a quite efficient acceleration at 100 MV/m.
- We can in principle have an even higher acceleration, but are limited by the electric breakdown rate in the structures. For luminosity reasons this must be lower than 10⁻⁷ per structure.



How can this work? — Wakefields



A relativistic particle has a length contracted field. Close to the speed of light it will have a 'pancake' field.

When going through a beam pipe that is not perfectly conducting, the particle and the image current will feel the impedance of the beam pipe and produce a wake field. The field vanishes ahead of the beam due to causality.



Power Extraction and Transfer Structures

- If particle bunches go through a cavity, some of the wake field will be left behind and can ring for a short time.
- By sending bunches at the correct frequency and by including several cavities, we can build up a large field constructively.
- ► The energy in the field travels with a group velocity of 0.5*c*, and is extracted in waveguides at the end of the structure.
- ► To maximize the produced field, we need a high bunch charge and a short bunch spacing.
- In the CLIC design, the instantaneous field depends on the wakefield from 11 bunches, and corresponds to 135 MW rf power.



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- The power produced in a PETS strongly depends on the beam current, as $P \propto I^2$.
- Therefore we combine bunches to create an intense beam
 - 1 delay loop combines bunches by a factor 2
 - 1 combiner ring combines bunches by a factor 3
 - 1 combiner ring combines bunches by a factor 4
- In total we have a factor $2 \times 3 \times 4 = 24$ bunch combination



The detectors



- Two general purpose detectors that can be exchanged
- ILD and CLIC_ILD: Large calorimeters optimized for jet reconstruction (comparable to CMS)
- SiD and CLIC_SiD: Compact, cost-optimized detector with a higher magnetic field





CLIC Test Facility 3 (CTF3) - Concept

Verification and demonstration of CLIC technology

- 1 delay loop factor 2 bunch combination
- ▶ 1 combiner ring factor 4 bunch combination
- Testing of Power Extraction and Transfer Structures
- ▶ Two-beam acceleration and testing of accelerating structures in the Two-Beam Test Stand
- High energy extraction/deceleration in the Test Beam Line



CLIC Test Facility 3 (CTF3) – Pictures





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Linear colliders

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CLIC Test Facility 3 (CTF3) - Results (i)

Factor 8 bunch combination

Two-beam acceleration – 106 MV/m





CLIC Test Facility 3 (CTF3) – Results (ii)



Thank you!