

Four fermion two pair production from $\gamma\gamma$ collisions : from PLC to LHC

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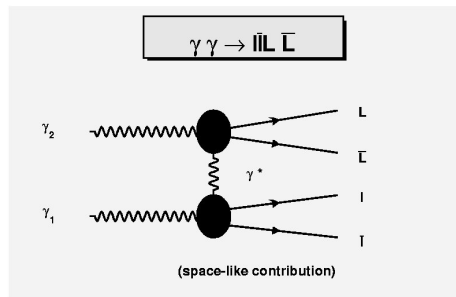
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Four fermions two pairs production

- **Total cross section computation** (cf L.N. Lipatov et al (1969), H. Chen and al. (1970)).
two identical pair production - infinite energy in $\gamma\gamma, \dots$
- **Total and differential cross section.** (cf V. G. Serbo et al. (1970 - 1985-1998...)).
different pair produced - main logarithmic approximation-polarisation of $\gamma\gamma, \dots$
- **Factorisation Formulae.** (cf. C. Carimalo thesis (1974) and Kessler).
Helicity amplitude,....

- **Motivation**

- Need for a reference process for luminosity measurement at a PLC
- QED and QCD background source to rare processes
- Only a realistic Monte-Carlo can give a correct result



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Factorisation Formulae

$$\sigma = \int_{u_{\min}}^{u_{\max}} \int_{u'_{\min}}^{u'_{\max}} \int_{t_{\min}}^{t_{\max}} \frac{d\sigma}{dt du du'} du du' dt$$

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt du du'} = \frac{uu'}{8\pi^3 s^2 t^2} ((1 + ch^2\theta)\sigma_T\sigma'_T + sh^2\theta(\sigma_T\sigma'_L + \sigma_L\sigma'_T) + ch^2\theta\sigma_L\sigma'_L)$$

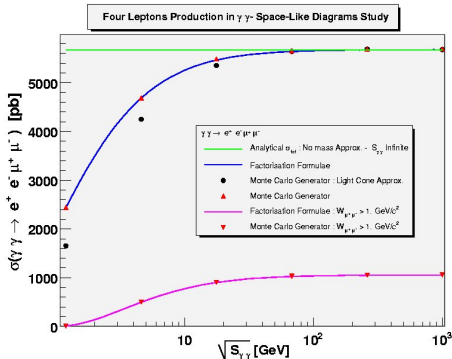
with

$$sh^2\theta = \frac{4st(t - t_{\min})(t_{\max} - t)}{(u + t)^2(u' + t)^2}$$

$$\sigma_T = \frac{4\pi\alpha^2\beta u}{(u + t)^2} \left(\beta^2 - 2 + 2\frac{2t}{u} - \frac{t^2}{u^2} + \frac{3 - \beta^4 + 2t^2/u^2}{2\beta} L \right)$$

$$\sigma_L = \frac{16\pi\alpha^2\beta t}{(u + t)^2} \left(1 - \frac{1 - \beta^2}{2\beta} L \right)$$

$$L = \ln\left(\frac{1 + \beta}{1 - \beta}\right), \beta = \sqrt{1 - \frac{4m^2}{u}}$$



- Blue line : Factorisation Formula without cuts
- Pink line : Factorisation Formula with cuts on muons
- Other results explain later in talk

Analytic formulae for two pairs $\gamma\gamma$ production at Infinite Energy

In the case of infinite energy, ie when the invariant mass goes to infinity we have :

$$\sigma = \int_{u_{min}}^{\infty} \int_{u'_{min}}^{\infty} \int_{t_{min}}^{\infty} \frac{d\sigma}{dt du du'} du du' dt$$
$$\frac{d\sigma}{dt du du'} = \frac{uu' (\sigma_T + \sigma_L)(\sigma'_T + \sigma'_L)}{4\pi^3 (u+t)^2 (u'+t)^2}$$

After integrating on the invariant mass of each pair we find :

$$\sigma = \frac{8\alpha^4}{\pi} \int_0^{\infty} f(t, m) f(t, m') dt$$

where

$$f(t, m) = \frac{1}{3t} \left(1 + \frac{1}{2}v \left(5 - \frac{1}{v^2} \right) \ln \left(\frac{1+v}{1-v} \right) \right)$$
$$v = \sqrt{\frac{t}{t+4m^2}}$$

If we make the following variable change :

$$t = \frac{(1-z)^2 u a y^2}{(1-zy^2)^2 - y^2(1-z)^2}, z = \frac{m-m'}{m+m'}$$

we obtain an easier integrable expression :

$$\sigma = \frac{8\alpha^4}{\pi} \int_0^1 c(y, z) g(y, z) g(y, -z) dy$$

with

$$c(y, z) = \frac{1}{18mm'(1-z^2)y^3}$$

$$g(y, z) = a(y, z) + b(y, z) \ln \left(\frac{(1+y)(1-zy)}{(1-y)(1+zy)} \right)$$

$$a(y, z) = 1 - zy^2$$

$$b(y, z) = \frac{y^2 ((5-y^2)z^2 - 8z + 5) - 1}{2(1-z)y}$$

We obtain finally :

$$\sigma = \frac{4\alpha^4}{9\pi mm'} \left\{ \frac{19}{16} \left[2 \left(\frac{1}{u} - u \right) \ln(u) \left(\frac{1}{u} + u \right) \left(2 + \ln^2(u) \right) \right] + \left[\frac{25}{4} + \frac{19}{32} \left(\frac{1}{u} - u \right)^2 \right] \text{Poly}(u) \right\}$$

with

$$\text{Poly}(u) = \ln^2(u) \ln \left(\frac{1+u}{1-u} \right) - 2 \ln(u) (Li_2(u) - Li_2(-u)) + 2 (Li_3(u) - Li_3(-u)), \quad u = \frac{m'}{m}$$

where $\text{Poly}(u) = \text{Poly}(1/u)$ can be shown explicitly. When the two masses are very different (ie $m \gg m'$), we obtain :

$$\sigma \simeq \frac{28\alpha^4}{27m^2\pi} \left(\ln^2(u^2) - \frac{103}{21} \ln(u^2) + \frac{485}{63} \right)$$

in agreement with Serbo et al. computation.

When masses are equal $m = m'$ we get :

$$\sigma = \frac{2\alpha^4}{m^2\pi} (2z + 1) \left(\frac{175}{36} \zeta(3) - \frac{19}{18} \right)$$

For identical masses we put z equal to zero, and we have to divide by a factor two in order to take in account the effect of identical particles. This result coincides with the well-known formula for identical pair production.

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Monte-Carlo Generator-Helicity Amplitudes

- Monte-Carlo generator status :**
 Fully integrated in ROOT (cf R. Brun et al.)
 old version (cf old PHOTON Conference) \implies
 new version
 Language : Fortran \implies C++
 Integration : Vegas \implies FOAM (cf S. Jadach)

- Computation :** helicity amplitude - only space-like diagrams - use impact factor method

$$M = \frac{1}{i} \sum^{\text{helicity}} L_{\mu} R_{\nu} g^{\mu\nu}, g^{\mu\nu} =$$

$$\frac{1}{2} T^{+\mu} T^{-\nu} + \dots, T^{+} = \frac{k_{\gamma 1}}{\omega} T^{-} = \frac{k_{\gamma 2}}{\omega}$$

The dominant term at low angle is :

$$I = |M|^2 \sim L_{++} R_{--} =$$

$$\frac{1}{4} L_{\mu} T^{+\mu} L_{\nu}^{*} T^{+\nu} R_{\alpha} R_{\beta}^{*} T^{-\alpha} T^{-\beta}$$

- Computation of square amplitude :**

dominant term only :

$$L_{++} = 4\omega \left(l_{+} P_{l_{\gamma}}(\vec{x}) + \bar{l}_{+} P_{l_{\gamma}}(x) \right) +$$

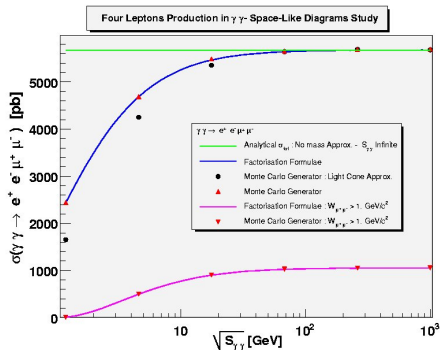
$$8 \vec{l}_{+} \cdot \vec{l} (x(1-x) + \vec{x}(1-x)) - 8 \frac{m^2}{l_{-} \bar{l}_{-}}$$

($l_{+}, \bar{l}_{-}, \vec{l}$: lepton light cone variable)

- $P_{l/\gamma}(x)$ is the lepton spectrum distribution :

$$P_{l/\gamma}(x) = \frac{2m^2 x}{\omega^2 \beta_{-}^2} + \frac{1}{\omega l_{-}} (x^2 + (1-x)^2)$$

and $x = 1 - \frac{l_{+}}{\omega}$ is the fraction of the photon energy taken by the quasi-real lepton l .



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LHC results : $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow e^+e^-\mu^+\mu^-$

Cross Section Computation :

$$\sigma = \int_{Z_{min}}^{Z_{max}} dz_2 \int_{Z_{min}}^{Z_{max}} dz_1 \int_{Z_{min}}^{Z_{max}} \frac{dy}{y} f_{\gamma/p}(y) f_{\gamma/p}\left(\frac{z^2}{y}\right) \sigma_{\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \bar{l}lQ\bar{Q}}$$

$$f_{\gamma/p}(y, \mu^2) = f_{\gamma(el)/p}(y) + f_{\gamma(inel)/p, Q^2}(y)$$

$y = \frac{E_\gamma}{E_{beam}}$ and Q^2 is the resolution scale at which the proton is probed.

Photon content of proton used :

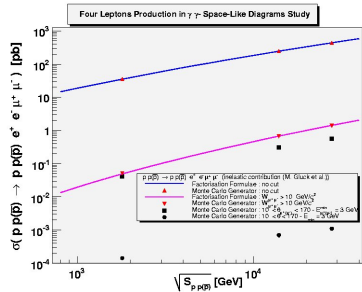
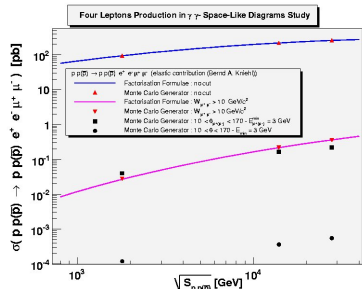
- elastic contribution (Bernd A. Kniehl)
- inelastic contribution (M. Glück et al),

Results : clear signature (pseudo pair)

$\sigma_{CUT}^{LHC} = 100. - 0.1 \text{ fb}$ (depending on CUTS)

if $L(LHC) = 100 \text{ fb}^{-1} \rightarrow N_{evt} \leq 10^4 - 10$
(need realistic simulation for bkg rejection \Rightarrow conclusion)

Use Roman pot (silicon detector) in ATLAS/LHC to tag proton(s)



LHC results : $\gamma g \rightarrow e^+ e^- b\bar{b}(t\bar{t})$

- Cross section :**

$$-\sigma_{\gamma g \rightarrow \bar{l}lQ\bar{Q}} = \frac{1}{8} 4e_Q^2 \frac{\alpha_s}{\alpha} \frac{1}{2} \sigma_{\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \bar{l}lQ\bar{Q}}$$

Initial gluon color average $\rightarrow \frac{1}{8}$, quark color

$\rightarrow 4$ and symmetrisation $\rightarrow \frac{1}{2}$

- Gluon content of the proton used : CTEQ6

- Photon content of the proton used : elastic

(Bernd A. Kniehl) and inelastic (M. Glück et al).

- Results**

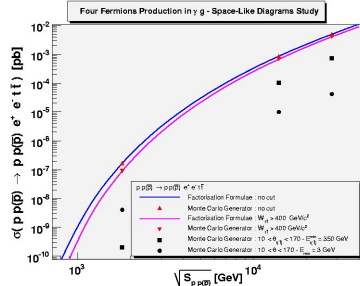
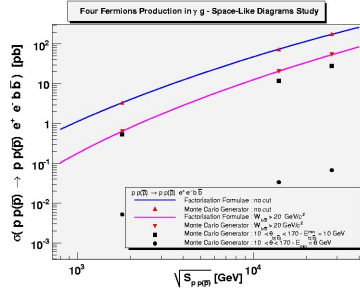
$$\sigma_{CUT}^{e^+e^-t\bar{t}} \leq 0.1 \text{ fb (very low)}$$

$$\sigma_{CUT}^{e^+e^-b\bar{b}} = 1 \text{ pb} - 10 \text{ fb (depending on CUTS)}$$

$$\text{if } L(LHC) = 100 \text{ fb}^{-1} \Rightarrow N_{\text{evt}} \leq 10^5 - 10^3$$

(also needed realistic simulation for bgk rejection \Rightarrow conclusion)

-Also use Roman pots (silicon detectors) in LHC to tag proton



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Mixed QED and QCD : dealing with color structure in $\gamma g \rightarrow q\bar{q}Q\bar{Q}$

What we want :

$$M = \sum_{u=1}^{24} C'_u{}^{(\text{Color})} T_u = \sum_{u=1}^8 C'_u T_u^{(\text{Space})} + \sum_{u=9}^{24} C'_u T_u$$

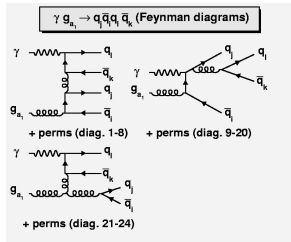
$$M = F_1^{(\text{Col.})} \sum_{u=1}^8 T_u^{(\text{Space})} + F_2^{(\text{Col.})} \sum_{u=1}^{24} \alpha_u T_u + F_3^{(\text{Col.})} \sum_{u=1}^{24} \alpha'_u T_u$$

$$\sigma = \frac{1}{8} |F_1|^2 \sigma_{QED} + \frac{1}{8} |F_2|^2 \sigma_{\text{"QED''}} + \frac{1}{8} |F_3|^2 \sigma_{3g}$$

$$\sigma_{QED} \sim \left| \sum_{u=1}^8 T_u^{(\text{Space})} \right|^2, \sigma_{\text{"QED''}} \sim \left| \sum_{u=1}^{24} \alpha_u T_u \right|^2 \sigma_{3g} \sim \left| \sum_{u=1}^{24} \alpha'_u T_u \right|^2$$

How we proceed : (6 independent color structures) :

$$\begin{aligned} C_1 &= \bar{u}^l T^c u_k \bar{u}^j T^c T^{a_1} u_i \quad (\text{same way for } C_2, C_3, C_4, C_5 \text{ and } C_6) \\ &= (T^c T^{a_1})_f^e (T^c)_h^g \left((1_i^j)_e^f + (8_i^j)_e^f \right) \left((1_k^l)_g^h + (8_k^l)_g^h \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (T^{a_1})_e^f \left((1 \otimes 8_{ik}^{jl})_{bf}^{eb} + (8_s^{jl})_{bf}^{eb} - (8_a^{jl})_{bf}^{eb} \right) \end{aligned}$$



- γg color vector basis computation using tensorial representation of 8_g and

$$(1 \oplus 8)_q \otimes (1 \oplus 8)_Q = \dots \oplus (1 \otimes 8) \oplus (8 \otimes 1) \oplus 8_s \oplus 8_a \oplus \dots$$

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4 color vectors basis

$$e_{1\ ik}^{a_1 j l} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} (T^{a_1})_e^f (1 \otimes 8_{ik}^{jl})_{bf}^{eb} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \delta_k^l (T^{a_1})_i^j, \quad e_{2\ ik}^{a_1 j l} = \dots$$

$$e_{4\ ik}^{a_1 j l} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} (T^{a_1})_e^f (8_{ik}^{jl})_{bf}^{eb} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{6}} \left(\delta_i^l (T^{a_1})_k^j - \frac{1}{2} \delta_k^l (T^{a_1})_i^j \right)$$

with $\sum_{a_1, i, j, k, l} e_{n\ ik}^{a_1 j l} \left(e_p^{a_1 j l} \right)^* = \delta_n^p$ (orthonormal base)

⇒ Rotation Color Components matrix

$$M = u_{2\ ik}^{a_1 j l} (M_1 + M_2 + \dots + M_8) +$$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} u_{3\ ik}^{a_1 j l} (M_1 - M_2 \dots + M_{20}) + \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} u_{4\ ik}^{a_1 j l} (M_1 + \dots + M_{24})$$

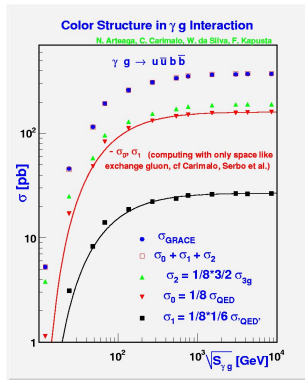
$$\sigma = \frac{1}{8} \sigma_{QED-Space} + \frac{1}{8} \frac{1}{6} \sigma_{"QED"} + \frac{1}{8} \frac{3}{2} \sigma_{3g}$$

($\frac{1}{8}$ = average gluon color, $|F_1|^2 = 1$, $|F_2|^2 = \frac{1}{6}$, $|F_3|^2 = \frac{3}{2}$)

Modification of GRACE color basis generator

- $\sigma_{QED-Space}$: space-like contribution of QED with α_S
- $\sigma_{"QED"}$: space-and-time like contribution of QED but sign -1 in front of some amplitude
- σ_{3g} : including the 3 gluons coupling contribution

$$\begin{pmatrix} u_{1\ ik}^{a_1 j l} & u_{2\ ik}^{a_1 j l} & u_{3\ ik}^{a_1 j l} & u_{4\ ik}^{a_1 j l} \\ C_1 & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & -\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \\ C_2 & 0 & 1 & \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \\ C_3 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \\ C_4 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}} & -\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \\ C_5 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \\ C_6 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$



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Mixed QED and QCD : dealing with color structure in $gg \rightarrow q\bar{q}Q\bar{Q}$

- 36 amplitudes and 12 independent color structures

- Computation of color factor C_1, \dots, C_{12} :

$$C_1 = \bar{u}^l T^{a_2} T^c u_k \bar{u}^j T^c T^{a_1} u_i$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{2} \delta_a^d \delta_g^f - \frac{1}{6} \delta_a^f \delta_g^d \right) \delta_e^b \delta_h^c \text{ (delta coefficient)}$$

$$(T^{a_1})_f^e (T^{a_2})_h^g \left((1_i^j)_b^a + (8_i^j)_b^a \right) \left((1_k^l)_d^c + (8_k^l)_d^c \right)$$

- Use tensorial representation of

$$8_g \otimes 8_g = 1 \oplus 8_a \oplus 8_b \oplus 10 \oplus \bar{10} \oplus 27$$

\Rightarrow example : color singlet gluons :

$$(1^{a_1 a_2})_{bd}^{ac} = \frac{1}{24} (T^{a_1})_b^u (T^{a_2})_d^v (-\delta_b^a \delta_d^c + 3\delta_d^a \delta_b^c)$$

for the quark : $(1 \oplus 8)_q \otimes (1 \oplus 8)_Q =$

$$1 \oplus 1 \otimes 1 \oplus 1 \otimes 8 \oplus 8 \otimes 1 \oplus 8_a \oplus 8_b \oplus 10 \oplus \bar{10} \oplus 27$$

\Rightarrow exemple color singlet and 27 quark :

$$(1 \otimes 1)_{ik}^{jl}{}_{bd}^{ac} = (1_i^j)_b^a (1_k^l)_d^c$$

$$(1)_{ik}^{jl}{}_{bd}^{ac} = \frac{1}{24} (8_i^j)_b^u (8_k^l)_d^v (-\delta_b^a \delta_d^c + 3\delta_d^a \delta_b^c)$$

$$(27)_{ik}^{jl}{}_{bd}^{ac} =$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \left((8_i^j)_b^a (8_k^l)_d^c + (8_i^j)_b^c (8_k^l)_d^a + (8_i^j)_d^a (8_k^l)_b^c \right) +$$

$$(8_i^j)_d^c (8_k^l)_b^a - \frac{1}{5} (\delta_d^a (8s_{ik}^{jl})_b^c + \delta_d^c (8s_{ik}^{jl})_b^a + \delta_b^a (8s_{ik}^{jl})_d^c +$$

$$\delta_b^c (8s_{ik}^{jl})_d^a) - \frac{1}{6} (\delta_d^c \delta_b^a + \delta_b^c \delta_d^a) (8_i^j)_b^u (8_k^l)_d^v)$$

- Built program in Mathematica to contract all delta coefficients with the 13 irreducible tensors (tested in the γg case)

\Rightarrow obtention of 13 base's vectors orthonormal

$$e_1 = \frac{1}{6\sqrt{2}} \delta^{a_1 a_2} \delta_i^j \delta_k^l$$

$$e_2 = \frac{1}{24} \delta^{a_1 a_2} (3\delta_i^l \delta_k^j - \delta_i^j \delta_k^l), e_3 = \dots$$

$$e_{13} = \frac{1}{360\sqrt{3}} \left(-60(T^{a_1})_k^l (T^{a_2})_i^j - \right.$$

$$60(T^{a_1})_k^j (T^{a_2})_i^l - 60(T^{a_1})_i^l (T^{a_2})_k^j -$$

$$60(T^{a_1})_i^j (T^{a_2})_k^l +$$

$$12d^{a_1 a_2 c} \left((T^c)_k^l \delta_i^j + (T^c)_k^j \delta_i^l + \right.$$

$$(T^c)_i^l \delta_k^j + (T^c)_i^j \delta_k^l \left. \right) + 5\delta^{a_1 a_2} (\delta_i^l \delta_k^j +$$

$$\delta_i^j \delta_k^l)$$

\Rightarrow after rotation need only 12 vectors for writing the 12 C_i

- Next step : obtention of the QED-space component and modification of color GRACE

- Our Monte-carlo is ready (fully integrated in ROOT software).
- We provide a new formula for $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow 2$ pairs (no mass approximation).
- We provide an explicit orthogonal color basis for $\gamma g \rightarrow q\bar{q}Q\bar{Q}$ and $gg \rightarrow q\bar{q}Q\bar{Q}$.

- Outlook
 - Include more realistic photon fluxes in our Monte-Carlo in p p case (Q^2 dependence (cf V. Serbo et al paper $pp \rightarrow ppe^+e^-e^+e^-$))
 - Include time-like photon exchange
 - Continue to investigate $gg \rightarrow q\bar{q}Q\bar{Q}$ case.