

# Higgs recoil analysis and Higgs width measurement

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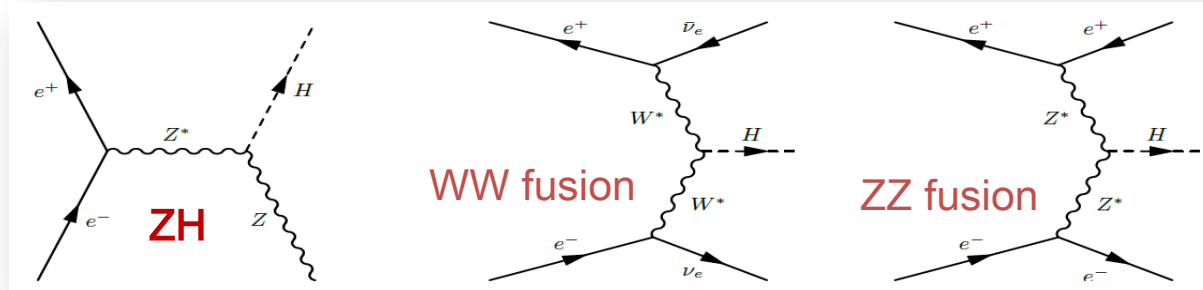
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# Recoil mass

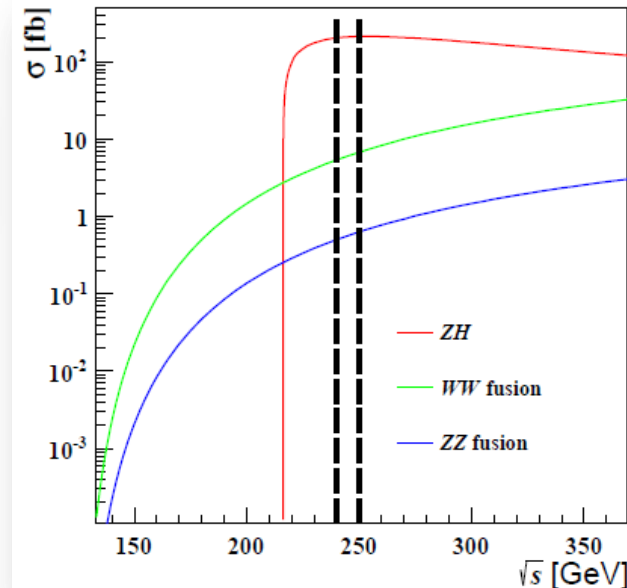
- CEPC will work at 240-250 GeV
- Higgs boson production: **ZH**(dominant), **WW fusion**, **ZZ fusion**



- Well known initial states at an  $e^+e^-$  collider
- In ZH, the leptonic decay of Z boson can be well reconstructed
- Recoil mass:

$$m_{\text{recoil}}^2 = (\sqrt{s} - E_{f\bar{f}})^2 - p_{f\bar{f}}^2 = s - 2E_{f\bar{f}}\sqrt{s} + m_{f\bar{f}}^2$$

- Higgs mass and ZH cross section can be determined in a model-independent way



# Higgs width determination

- The Higgs width is a sensitive probe for BSM.  $\Gamma_H \sim 4 \text{ MeV}$  in SM, it is impossible to make a direct measurement due to limited detector resolution
- An indirect measurement at  $e^+e^-$  collider:
  - Strategy I: with  $\sigma(ZH)$  and  $\text{BR}(H \rightarrow ZZ)$   
limited statistics ( $\text{BR}(H \rightarrow ZZ) \sim 2.3\%$  in SM)

$$\Gamma_H = \frac{\Gamma(H \rightarrow ZZ^*)}{\text{BR}(H \rightarrow ZZ^*)} \propto \frac{\sigma(ZH)}{\text{BR}(H \rightarrow ZZ^*)}$$

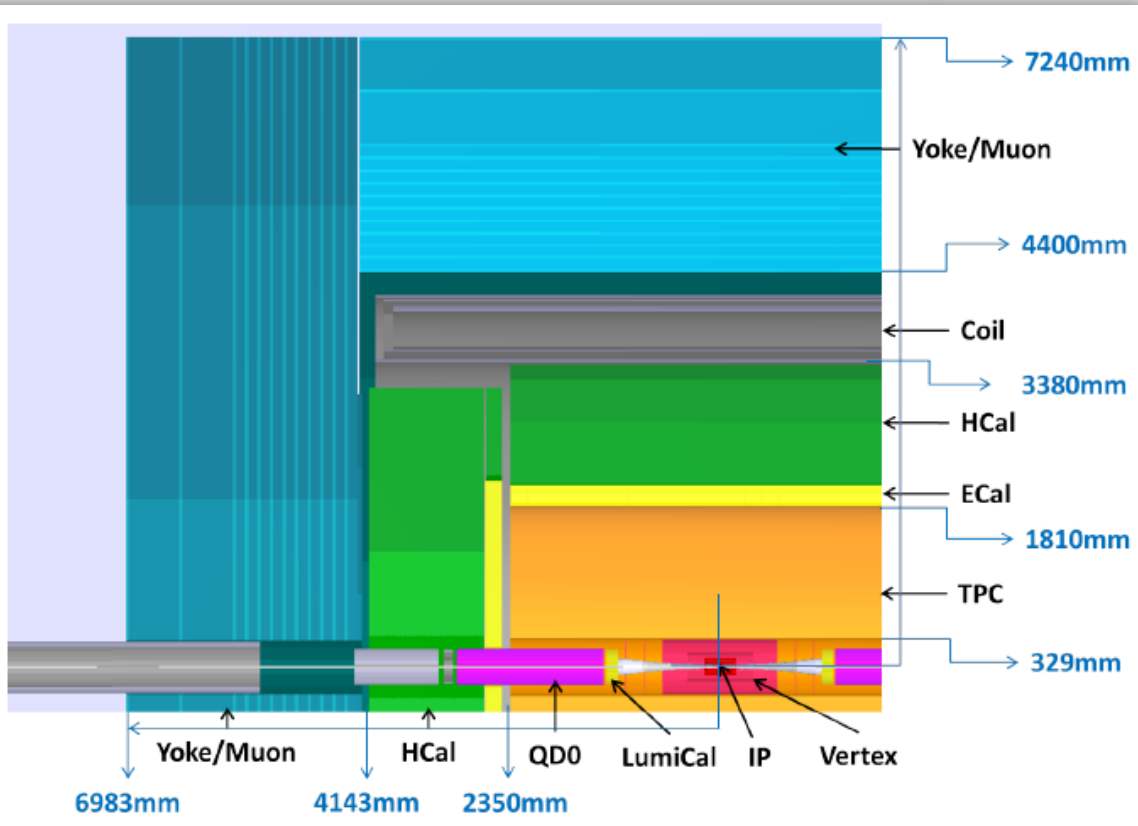
- Strategy II: with a series of measurements including  $\sigma(ZH)$ ,  $\sigma(\nu\bar{\nu}H)$ ,  $H \rightarrow bb$ ,  $\sigma(ZH, H \rightarrow bb)$ ,  $\sigma(ZH, H \rightarrow WW)$

$$\Gamma_H = \frac{\Gamma(H \rightarrow bb)}{\text{BR}(H \rightarrow bb)}$$

$$\sigma(\nu\bar{\nu}H \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}bb) \propto \Gamma(H \rightarrow WW^*) \cdot \text{BR}(H \rightarrow bb) = \Gamma(H \rightarrow bb) \cdot \text{BR}(H \rightarrow WW^*)$$

$$\Gamma_H \propto \frac{\Gamma(H \rightarrow bb)}{\text{BR}(H \rightarrow bb)} \propto \frac{\sigma(\nu\bar{\nu}H \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}bb)}{\text{BR}(H \rightarrow bb) \cdot \text{BR}(H \rightarrow WW^*)}$$

# CEPC conceptual detector



## Expected performance

Parameter	$\epsilon(\%)$
Charged reconstruction ( $E > 10$ GeV)	99.5
Muon identification ( $E > 10$ GeV)	98.5
Electron identification ( $E > 10$ GeV)	99.5
Photon tagging ( $E > 1$ GeV)	98
Jet energy resolution	3~4
b-tagging	90
c-tagging	60

- Basically follow the design of ILD
- Modification:
  - ✓ Return Yoke: reduced by 1 m (not push-pull operation)
  - ✓  $L^*$  reduced to 1.5 m (3.5m for ILD)

# Monte Carlo Simulation

Generator: Whizard 1.95 (with **ISR**, Luminosity:  $5\text{ab}^{-1}$ ,  $M_H=125\text{ GeV}$ )

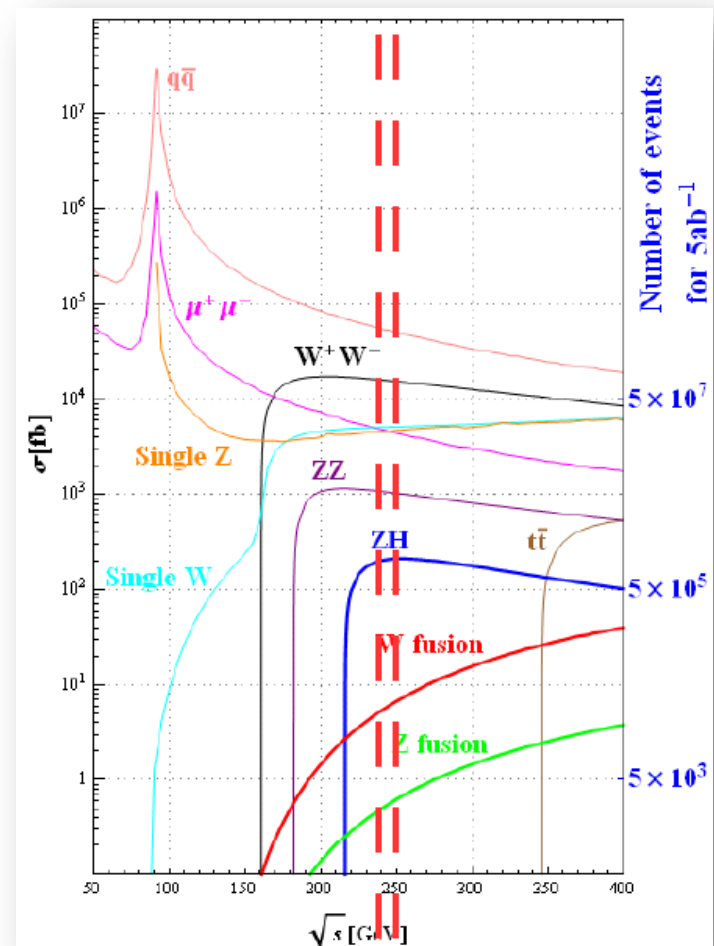
Background: 2-fermion (lepton or quark pairs)

4-fermion (WW, ZZ, Single W and Single Z)

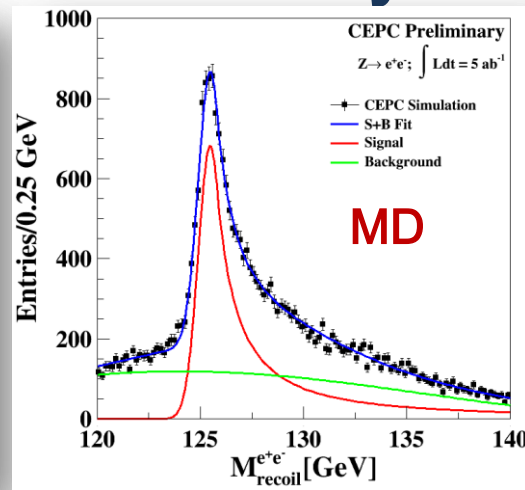
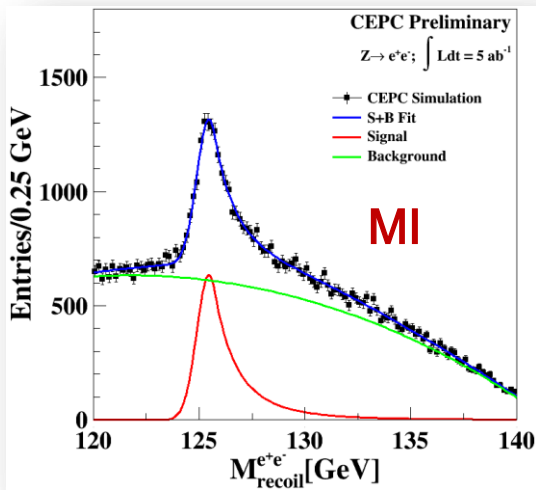
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Simulation: Mokka

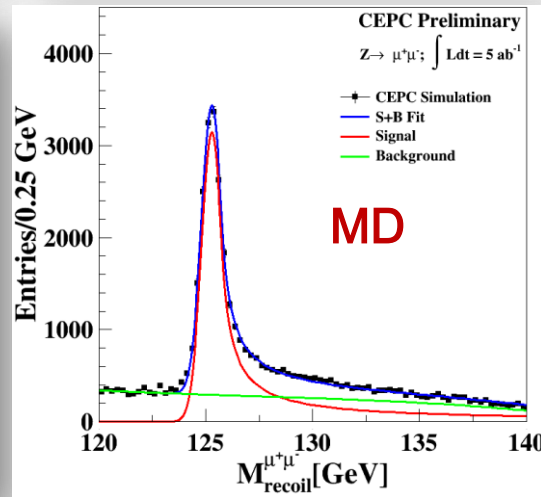
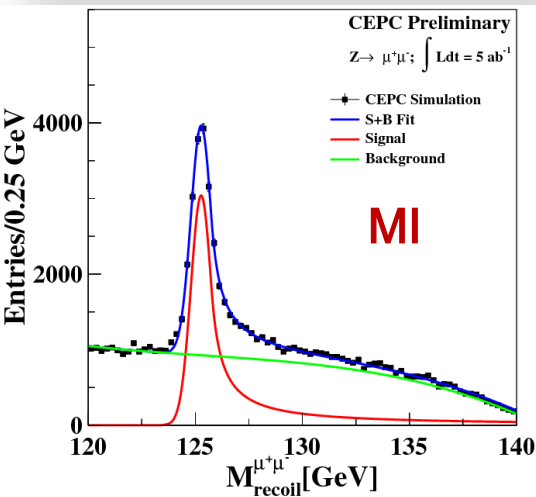
Reconstruction: Arbor



# Recoil mass analysis: $Z \rightarrow e^+e^-$ or $\mu^+\mu^-$



Model-Independent: only information from Z boson decays  $\rightarrow$  an inclusive measurement

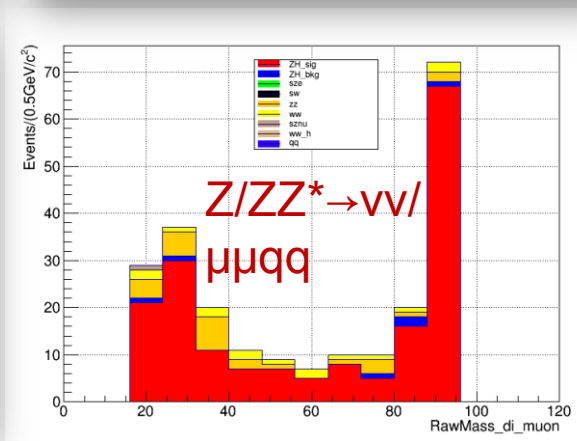
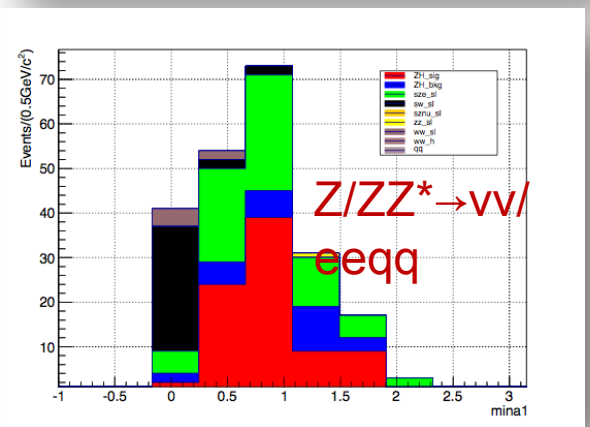
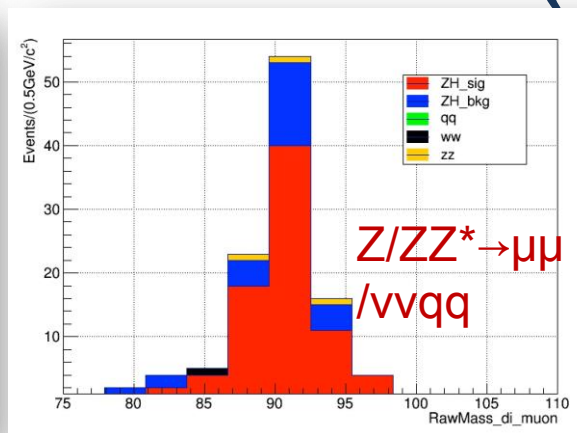
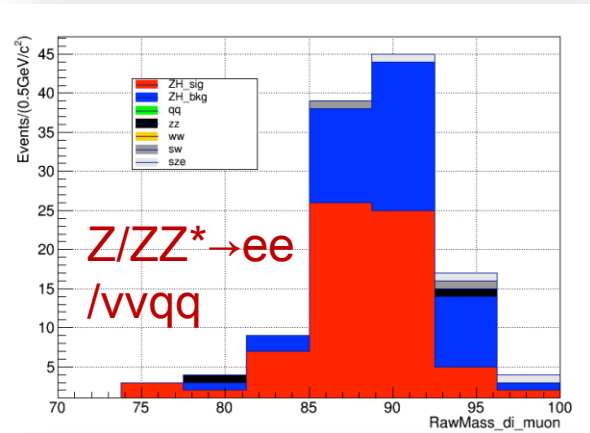


Model-Dependent: SM assumption  $\rightarrow$  reduced background and improved  $m_H$  precision








with a 0.16% beam energy spread

Channel	$\Delta\sigma(ZH)/\sigma(ZH)$	$\Delta m_H$ (MI)	$\Delta m_H$ (MD)
$e^+e^-$	1.49%	19.2 MeV	13.1 MeV
$\mu^+\mu^-$	0.92%	6.5 MeV	5.4 MeV

# Measurement of $ZH(H \rightarrow ZZ^*)$



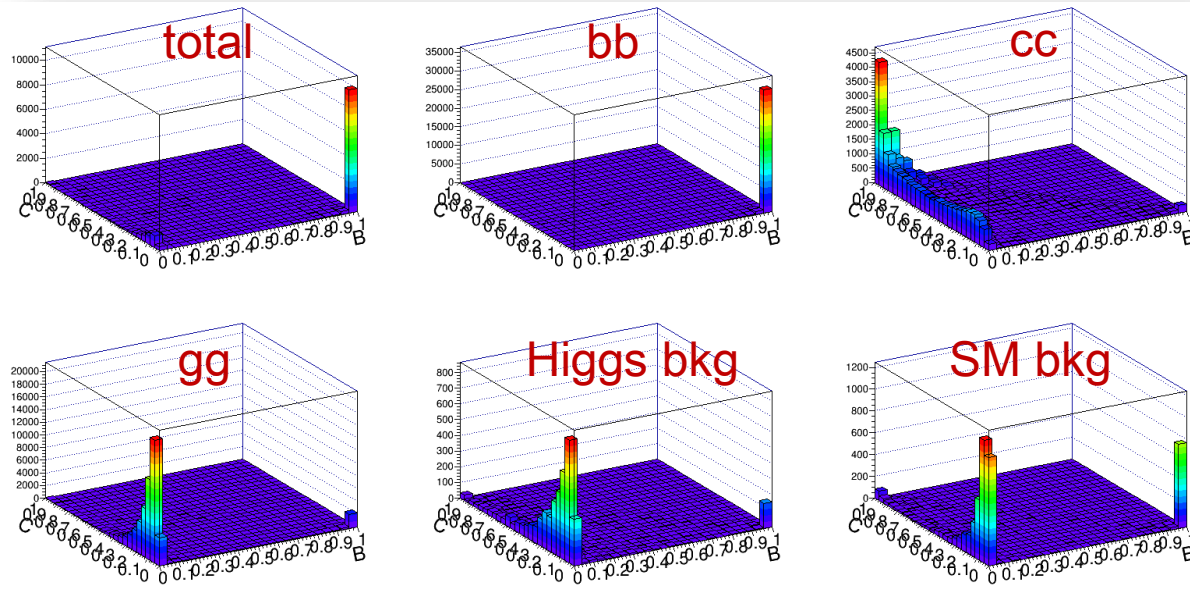
	Z→ll	taus	vv	qq
$ZZ^* \rightarrow 4q$	888	444	3.10k	9.24k
vv+qq	508	254	1.77k	5.29k
ll+qq	170	85	596	1.78k
4v	73	36	254	756
ll+vv	49	24	170	508
4l	8	4	28	86
X+tau	120	60	418	1.25k

	Limited accuracy ~ > 50%		Await for tau finder
	H→invisible ~ 40%		Extrapolated from TLEP
	Full simulated		Await for Jet Clustering
			Not Covered yet

Final state	$\Delta\sigma(ZH, H \rightarrow ZZ^*)/\sigma(ZH, H \rightarrow ZZ^*)$
ee + qq + vv	12.7%
$\mu\mu$ + qq + vv	7.0%
$\mu\mu$ + $\mu\mu$ + qq	19.9%
ee + $\mu\mu$ + qq	15.5%
<b>Combined</b>	<b>5.4% (TLEP: 4.3%)</b>



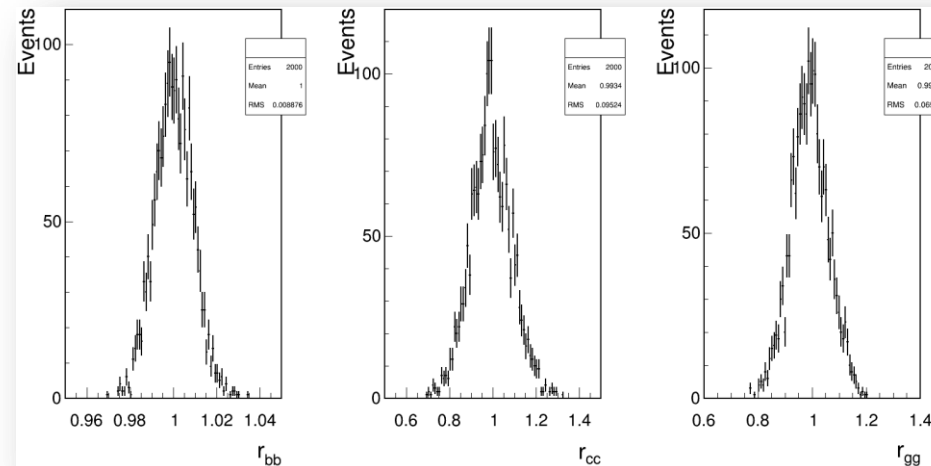
# Measurement of ZH(H→bb)



- Based on an analysis of Higgs decaying to 2 jets
- Precision extracted from a template fit on flavor tagging information

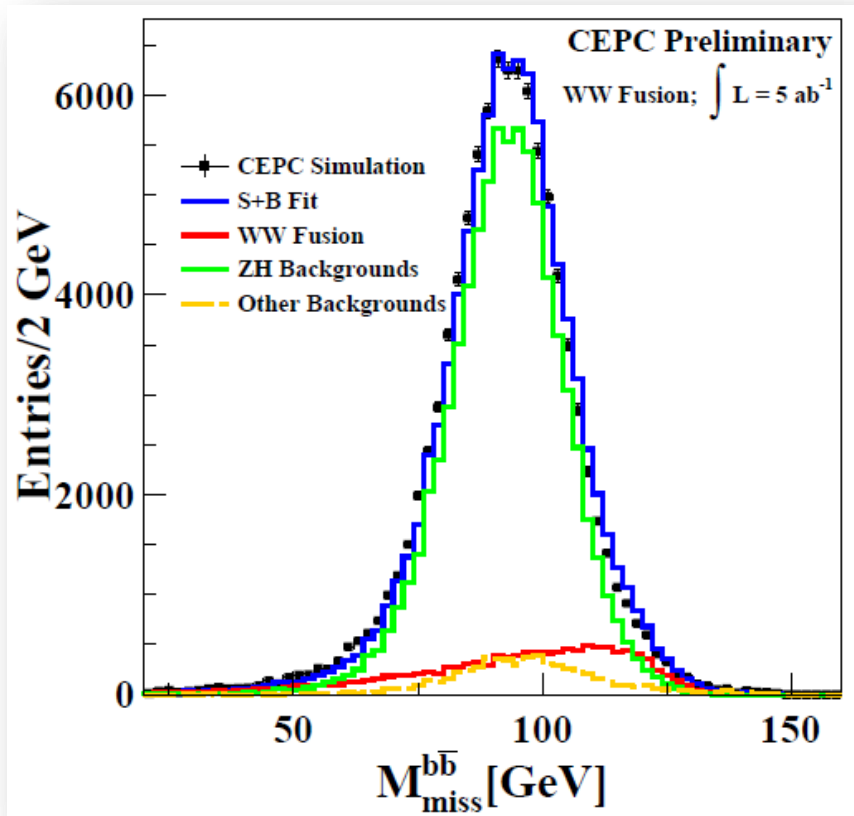
$Z \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

$Z \rightarrow$	$\Delta\sigma(\text{ZH}, \text{H} \rightarrow \text{bb}) / \sigma(\text{ZH}, \text{H} \rightarrow \text{bb})$
$e^+e^-$	1.3%
$\mu^+\mu^-$	0.9%
$\nu\nu$	0.3%
$qq$	0.4%
<b>Combined</b>	<b>0.2%</b>



# Measurement of $\nu\nu H(H \rightarrow b\bar{b})$

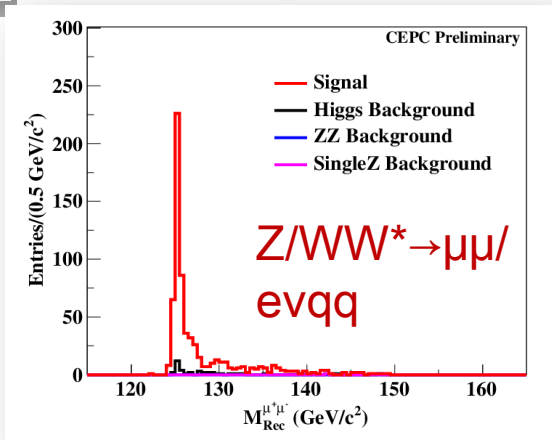
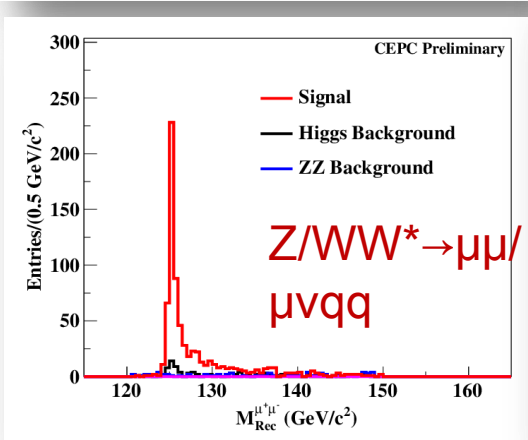
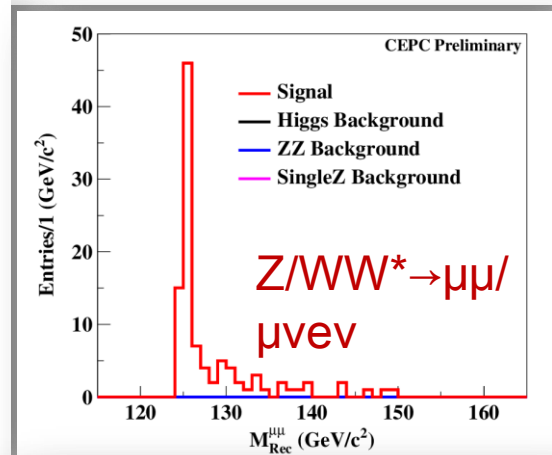
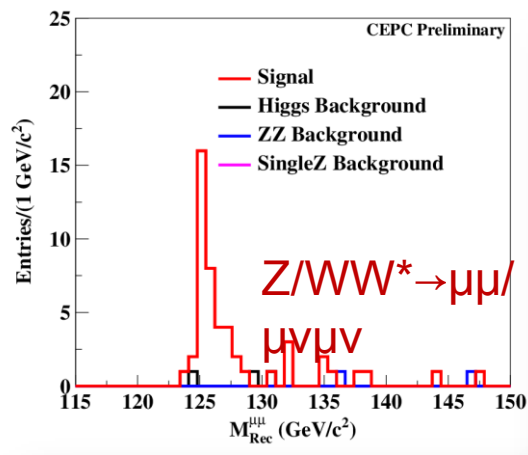
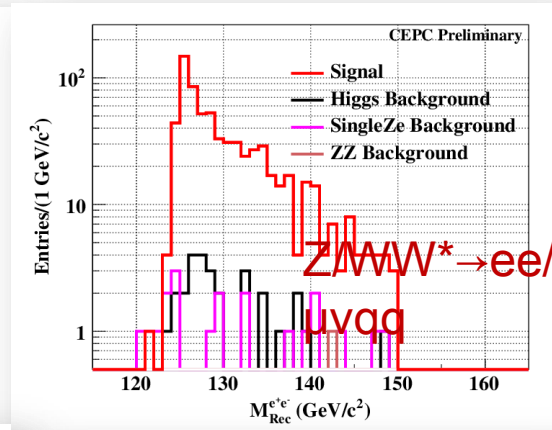
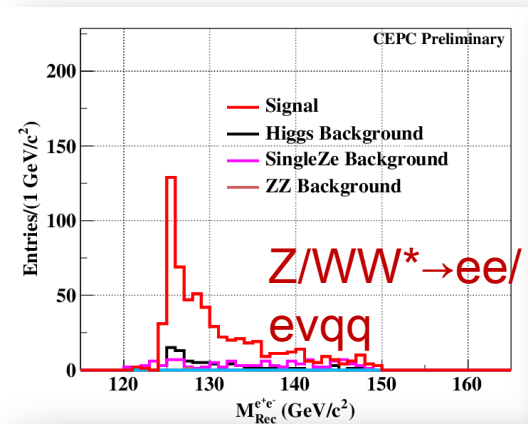
- $\sigma(\nu\nu H)/\sigma(ZH) \sim 10^{-2}$
- Recoil mass of 2 jets: limited discriminating power
- main background:  $ZH(Z \rightarrow \nu\nu, H \rightarrow b\bar{b})$  (interference ignored)



$$\Delta\sigma(\nu\nu H, H \rightarrow b\bar{b})/\sigma(\nu\nu H, H \rightarrow b\bar{b}): 2.8\%$$

Fast simulated, consistent with preliminary full simulation

# Measurement of ZH(H→WW\*)



	Z→ll	taus	vv	qq
WW*→4q	6.91k	3.45k	19.74k	69.1k
lv+qq	4.53k	2.27k	12.94k	45.3k
lv+lv	745	377	2.13k	7.45k
X+tau	3.2k	1.60k	9.14k	32.0k

	Await for tau finder		Await for SM background
	Extrapolated from ILC		Full simulated
	Preliminary		Not covered yet

Final state	$\Delta\sigma(\text{ZH}, \text{H}\rightarrow\text{WW}^*)/\sigma(\text{ZH}, \text{H}\rightarrow\text{WW}^*)$
	1.6%
	1.6%
<b>Combined</b>	<b>1.1%</b>

# Higgs width determination

Strategy I:

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Strategy II:

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$\sigma(ZH)$	<b>0.50%</b>	
Decay mode	Cross section precision	Branching ratio precision
ZH, H→bb	<b>0.21%</b>	<b>0.54%</b>
ZH, H→WW	<b>1.6%</b> ( ILC: 1.1% )	<b>1.7%</b> ( ILC: 1.2% )
ZH, H→ZZ	<b>5.4%</b> ( TLEP: 4.3% )	<b>5.4%</b> ( TLEP: 4.3% )
vvH, H→bb	<b>2.8%</b>	-

- Higgs total width:

- ✓ Strategy I: **5.4%** ( TLEP: 4.4% )

- ✓ Strategy II: **3.3%** ( ILC: 3.1% )

**Combined: 2.8%** (with extrapolation: 2.6%)

# Summary

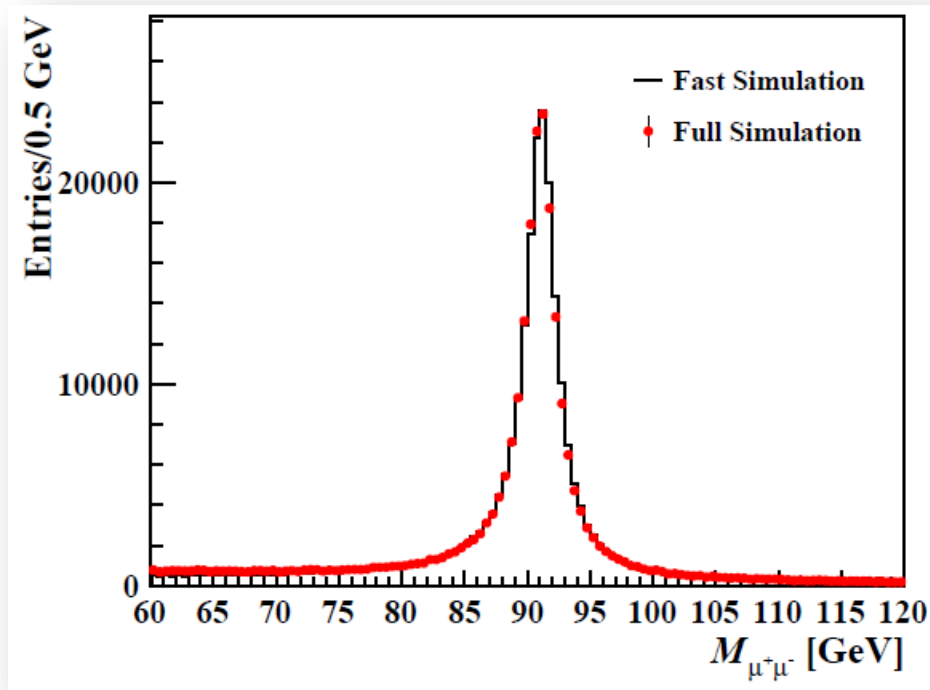
- ✓ Based on  $5 \text{ ab}^{-1}$  full simulated (part of backgrounds are fast simulated) MC samples at the CEPC, the results of benchmark analysis are presented
- ✓ Using the recoil mass method, the ZH cross section is determined in a model-independent way, with a precision of **0.50%**. Meanwhile, the precision of Higgs mass is **5.0 MeV**
- ✓ Based on the measurements of  $\sigma(\text{ZH})$ ,  $\sigma(\text{ZH}, \text{H} \rightarrow \text{bb})$ ,  $\sigma(\text{vvH}, \text{H} \rightarrow \text{bb})$ ,  $\sigma(\text{ZH}, \text{H} \rightarrow \text{WW})$ ,  $\sigma(\text{ZH}, \text{H} \rightarrow \text{ZZ})$ , the relative precision of Higgs width is determined to be **2.8%**

**Thanks for your attention!**

**BACKUP**

# Fast Simulation

- The detector responses (momentum resolution and detection efficiency) are parameterized with full simulated single particle events
- The generator particles are processed with the full simulated parameters



A validation with ZZ background sample