Introduction to the 12th General Meeting of the LHCHXSWG

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Outline



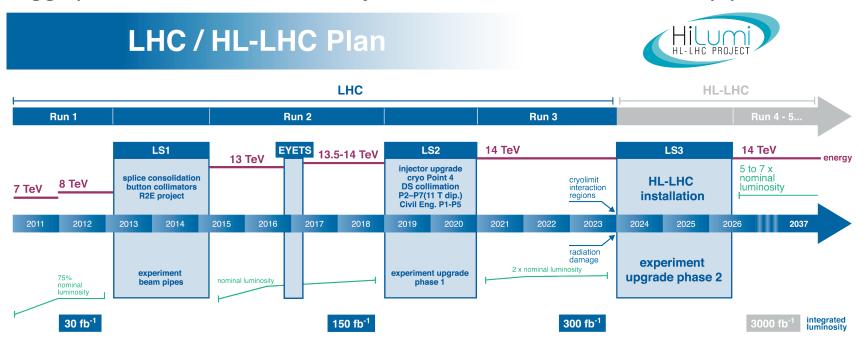
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Introduction



- A lot of work was carried out during the last couple of years in view of the LHC Higgs Run 2 analyses and summarized in Yellow Report 4 (YR4)
- Higgs precision measurement just started and will last many years



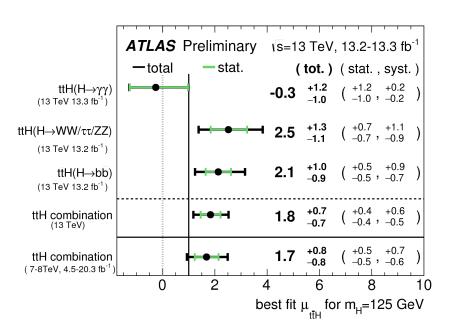
- LHC is performing well in 2016 and seems that uncertainties should decrease steadily
- Maximum instantaneous luminosity ~1.4 x 10³⁴ cm⁻²s⁻¹, above the design performance



Systematic uncertainties



Many measurements start to be already now to be limited by systematic uncertainties



Example ttH (results at 13 TeV)

CMS has similar results

- In many case the collaboration between experimentalists and theorists is mandatory to address these issues and reduce systematic uncertainties
- Areas where improvements are more crucial should be identified



Status of YR4



- Yellow Report 4 is now really at the final stage of editing
- Being submitted to the arXiv these days
- It contains all that was planned for the Run 2 Higgs analyses
- WG2: in Run 1 main experimental results were for μ- and κ-frameworks. Different options to move forward being explored by the experiments. Some more work is needed to come to final convergence. Probably experiments will continue with μ and κ fits for some more time



Discussions on organization since last meeting



- During the last meeting in January we had some discussions about some possible reorganization of the LHCHXSWG
- After lengthy discussions, given that the management of the two collaborations is not in favour of formal changes, it was decided not to formally change the management layers
- The agreed (informal) changes will be the following:
 - SC members will be appointed as contacts to the WGs, participate in the meetings and report to the SC
 - WG conveners will be more independent in their decisions
 - Subgroups may dynamically evolve, according to the needs as will emerge from the discussions during the next 3 days
- Keep the LHCHXSWG current structure:
 - WG1: SM cross sections and BR
 - WG2: H(125) properties
 - WG3: BSM Higgs bosons



Current organization



- Steering Committee (recently appointed members in red)
 - Daniel de Florian (Theo), Christophe Grojean (Theo), Gino Isidori (Theo), Bill Murray (ATLAS), Marco Pieri (CMS), Laura Reina (Theo), Pierre Savard (ATLAS)
 - Welcome to the new members and thanks to the outgoing members:
 - Fabio, Markus and Sasha
 - Chiara and Rei will also leave after the completion of YR4
 - Sasha's replacement for CMS will come soon
- WG and subgroup conveners conveners
 - Now that the SC is almost complete we can start replacing all WG conveners whose term is ending:
 - With them will also review all subgroups and make the needed replacements among the conveners
- TAC (recently appointed members in red):
 - Sally Dawson, Stefan Dittmaier, Nigel Glover, Fabio Maltoni, Alex Pomarol Clotet, Gavin Salam, Carlos Wagner, Michelangelo Mangano
 - Welcome to the new members and thanks to the outgoing members:
 - Lance and Zoltan



Some points to be discussed this week

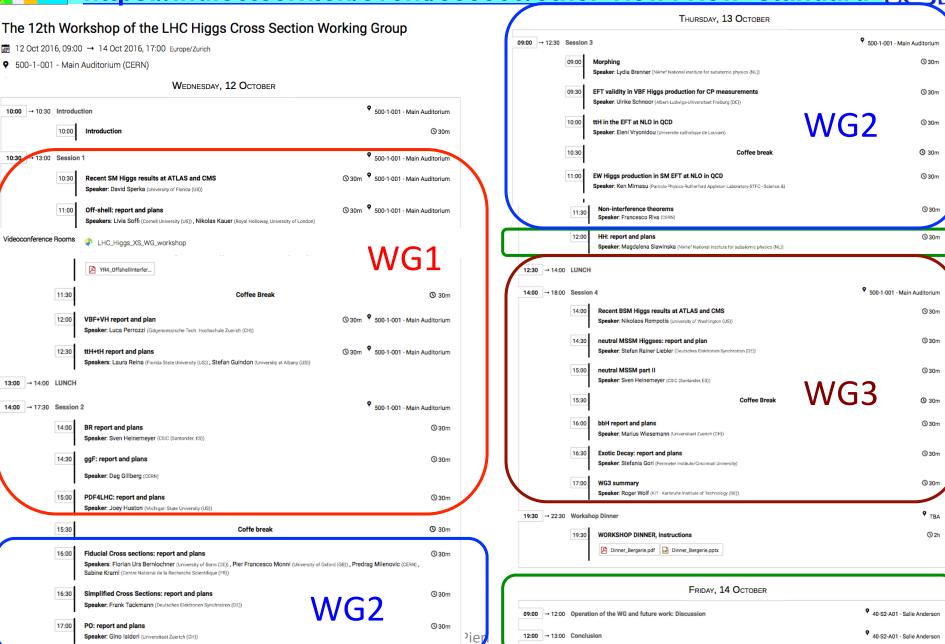


- Status and need of different subgroups:
 - Review the status of all groups and replace where necessary the outgoing conveners
 - Do we want to hibernate some of them in the cases where the results in YR4 are deemed sufficient?
- Shall we add to our tasks more Higgs background studies?
- Do we want to have formal WG2 subgroups?
- In future, do we want to aim at more YRs or promote the presentation of results as internal notes/official reports?
- When shall we have next general meeting?



Agenda of the meeting:

https://indico.cern.ch/event/555360/other-view?view=standard UCSD





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If there are any changes compared to the registration, please let us know as soon as possible.

Please pay to Chiara or Marco 35 Eur or 40 Sfr whenever possible On Thursday 13th

Let's meet at the entrance of the Hostel at 7:00 sharp, to car-pool and leave.

Instructions:

- 1) from CERN go to Saint Genis, at the first big round-about go left direction Thoiry.
- 2) Take the first exit "St Genis Sergy". At the round about go straight towards the mountains, leaving the Holiday Inn on your right.
- 3) At the end of the road there is a T cross. Turn right, and then immediately (i..e ~10 meters) left (direction Gex)
- 4) Take the second road on your left (i.e. ~400 meters after), called Chemin de Baizenas (a panel will indicate the bergerie/restaurant).
- 5) Continue straight up towards the mountains for about 500 meters.
- 6) The chalet is on your right.



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