

# Higgs Physics at the **LHeC & FCC-eh**



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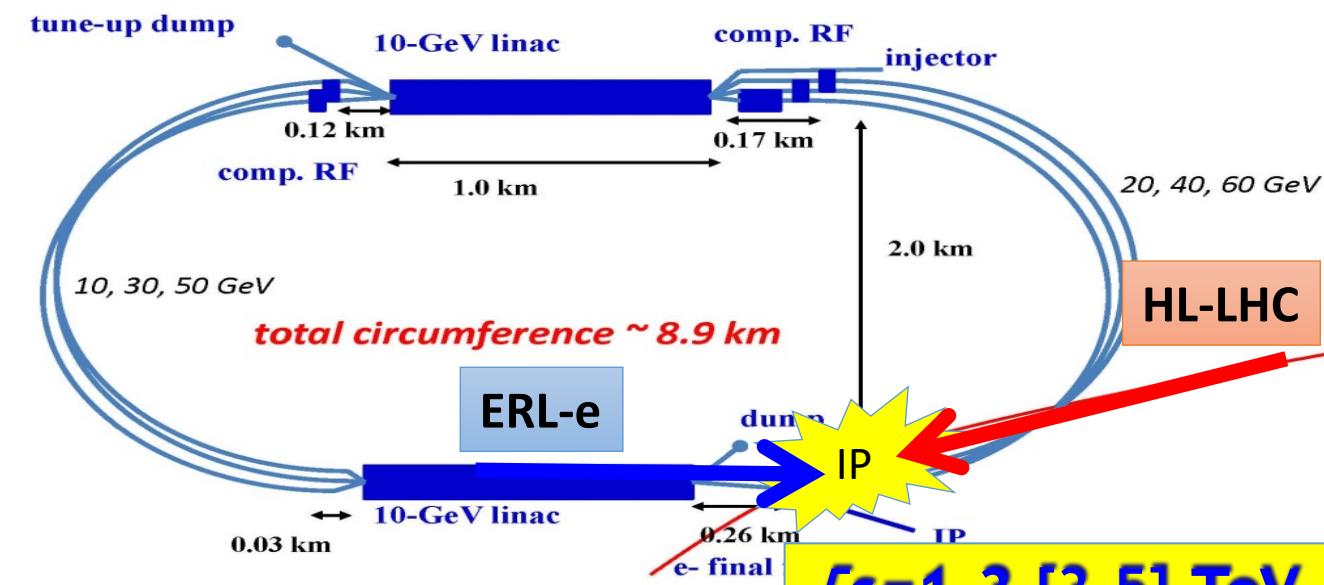
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# electrons for eh : ERL-e + HL-LHC [FCC-hh]

- Two 802 MHz Electron LINACs + 2x3 return arcs: using energy recovery in same structure: *sustainable technology with power consumption < 100 MW instead of 1 GW for a conventional LINAC.*
- Beam dump: no radioactive waste!
- high electron polarisation of 80-90%

Concurrent eh and HL-LHC operation!

Same *Twin Collider* idea holds for HE-LHC and FCC-hh

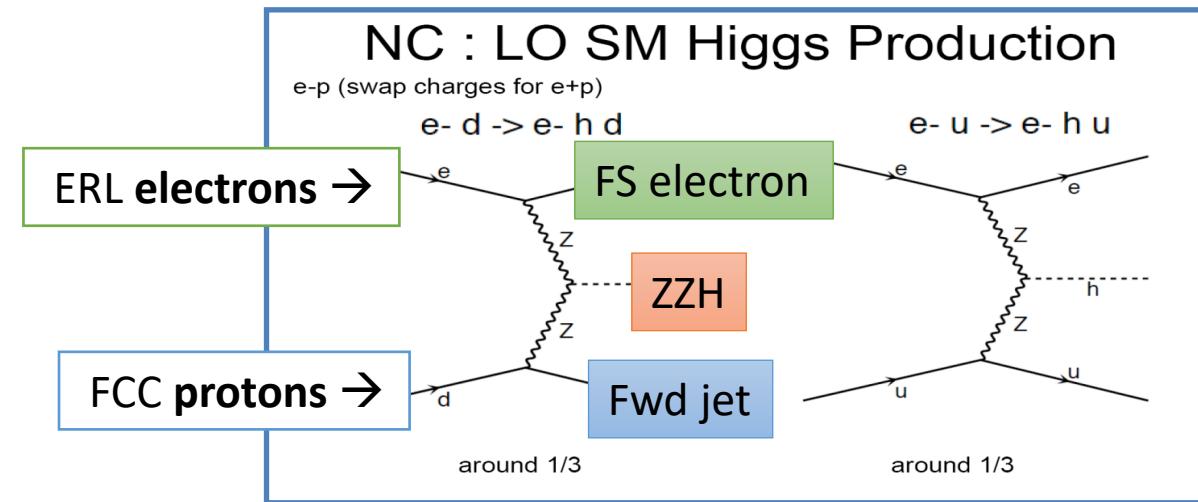
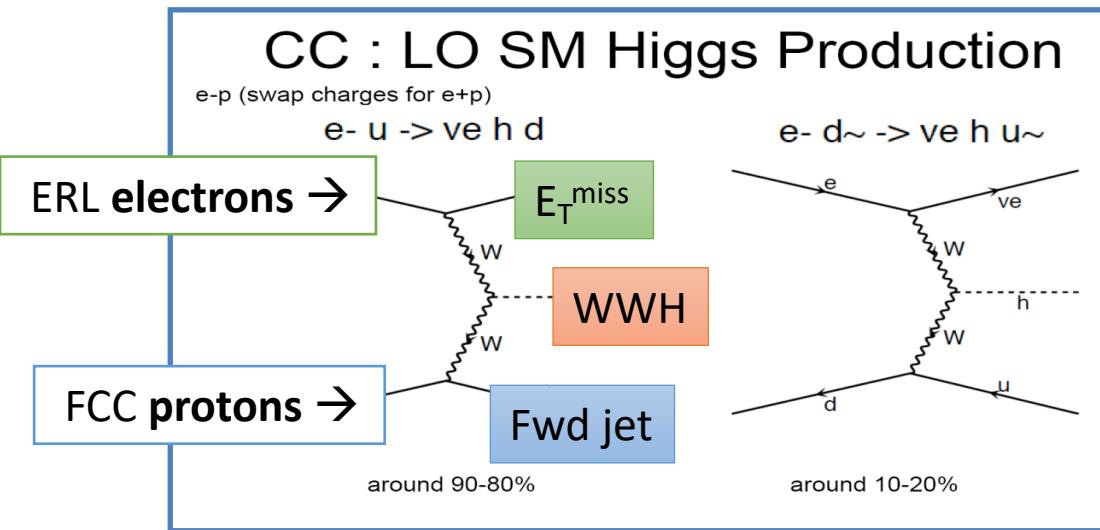


- ep peak lumi  $10^{34} \text{ cm s}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$  (based on existing HL-LHC design)
- Operation scenario: F. Bodry et al. CERN-ACC-2018-0037 [arXiv:1810.13022]
- LHeC [FCC-eh]  $L = 1000 [2000] \text{ fb}^{-1}$  total collected in 10 [20] years
- **'No' pile-up:** <0.1@LHeC; ~1@FCCeh

$\sqrt{s} = 1.3 [3.5] \text{ TeV}$

$E_e = 60 \text{ GeV}$   
 $E_p = 7 [50] \text{ TeV}$

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(LO QCD CTEQ6L1  $M_H=125$  GeV)

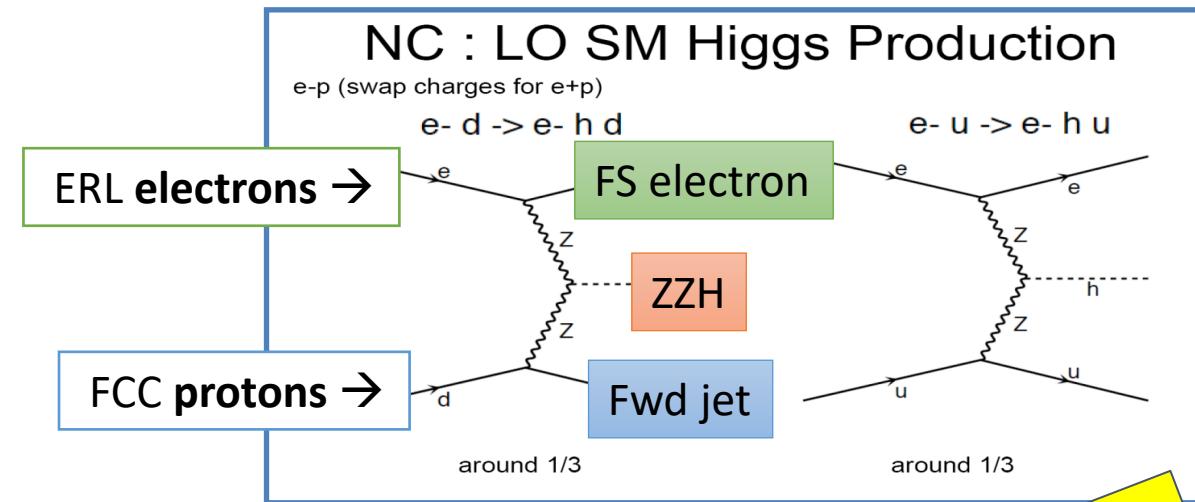
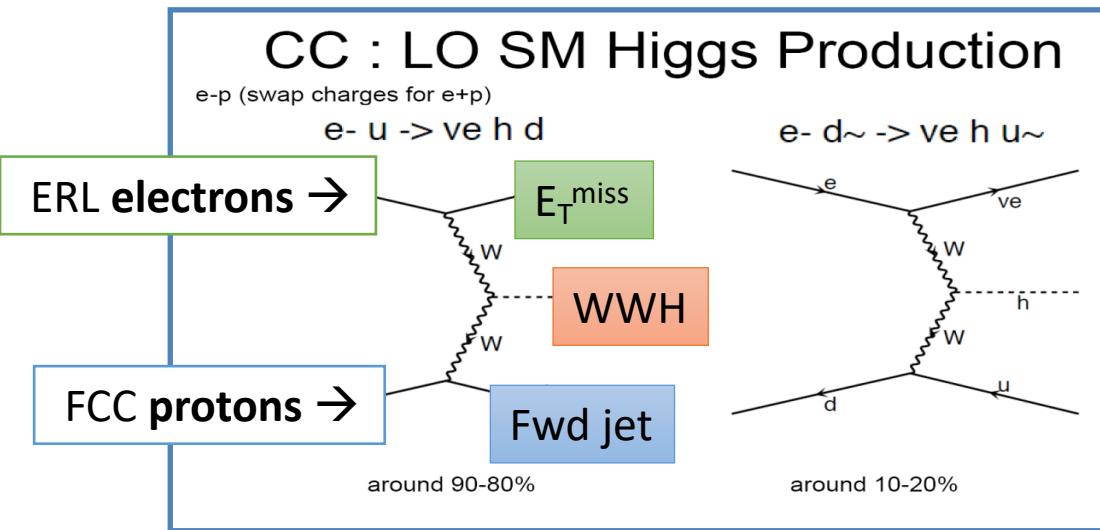
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NC DIS	21	127
P=-80%		
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NC DIS	25	148

→ In  $e p$ , direction of quark (FS) is well defined.

- Scale dependencies of the LO calculations are in the range of 5-10%. Tests done with MG5 and CompHep.
- **NLO QCD corrections are small**, but shape distortions of kinematic distributions up to 20%. QED corrections up to -5%.

[J. Blumlein, G.J. van Oldenborgh , R. Ruckl, Nucl.Phys.B395:35-59,1993]  
[B.Jager, arXiv:1001.3789]

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- NLO QCD corrections to theory predictions of 5-10%.

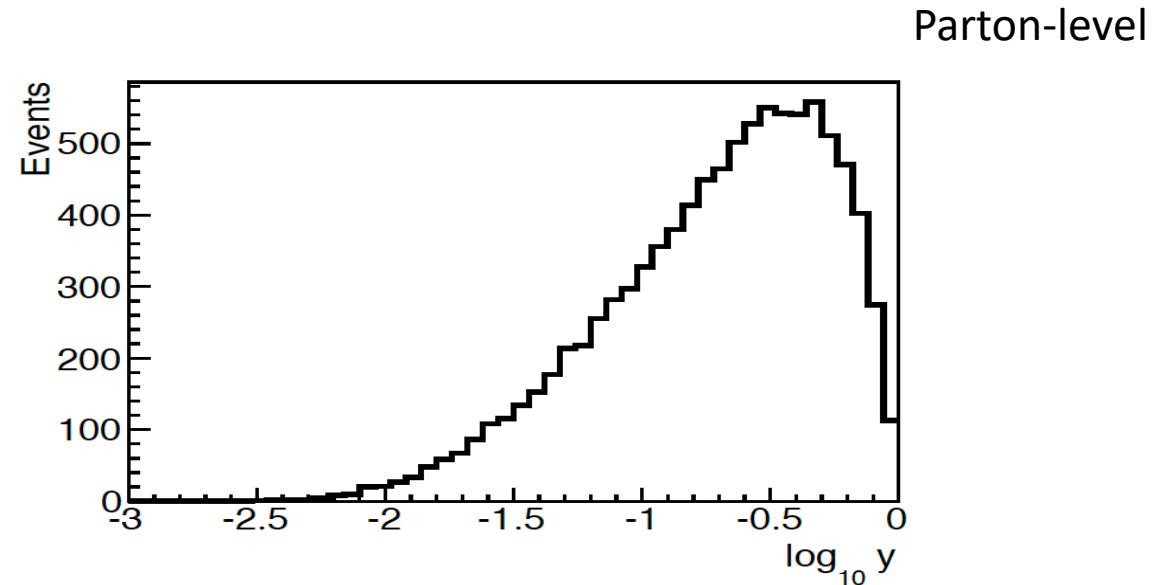
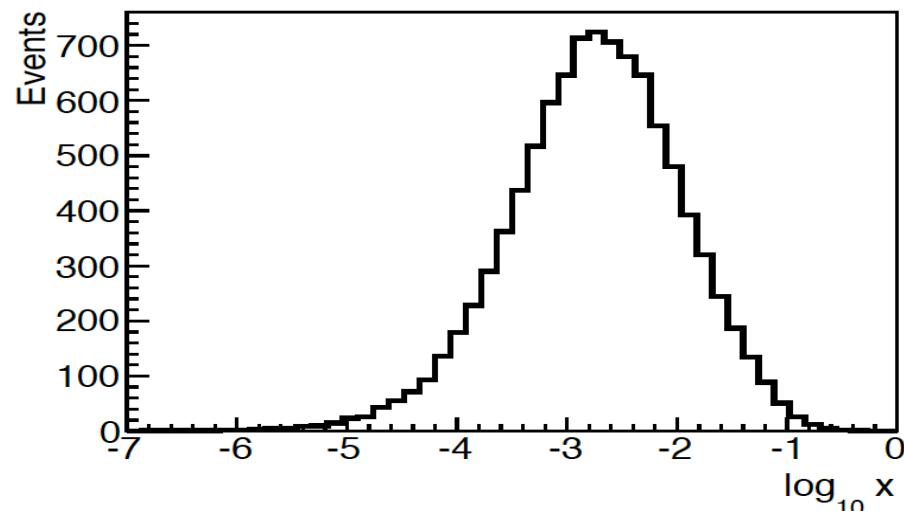
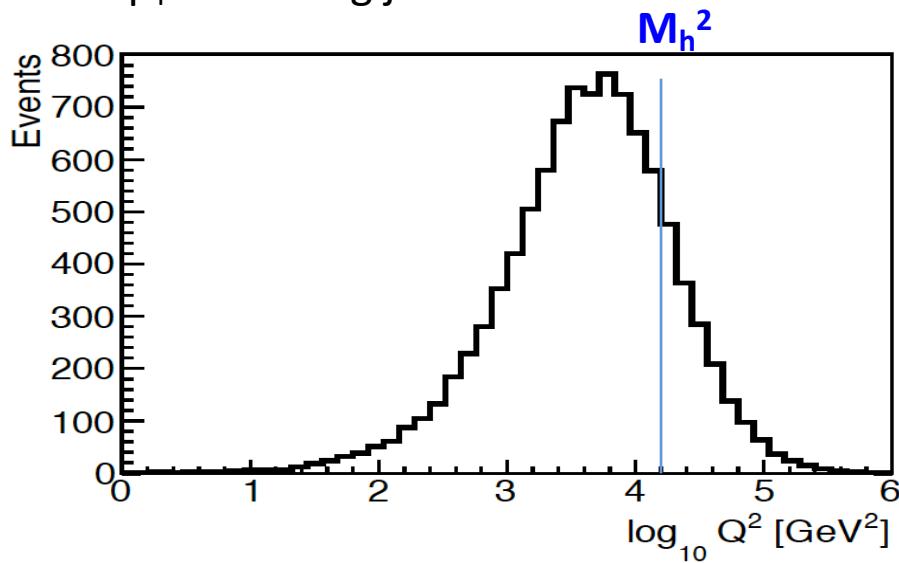
LHeC will deliver  $N^3\text{LO}$  PDFs,  $m_c$  to 3 MeV,  $m_b$  to 10 MeV and  $\alpha_s$  to  $\sim 0.1-0.2\%$

[E. Boos et al., arXiv:hep-ph/001.3789]

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# DIS Kinematics at FCC-eh @ $\sqrt{s}=3.5$ TeV

MadGraph scale:  $p_T$  of leading jet



$$q = (k - k'), q^2 = -Q^2$$

$$s = (k + P)^2$$

$$(xP + q)^2 = m^2, P^2 = M_p^2$$

if( $Q^2 \gg x^2 M_p^2, m^2$ ):

$$q^2 + 2xPq = 0$$

$$x = \frac{Q^2}{2Pq}$$

$$Q^2 = sxy$$

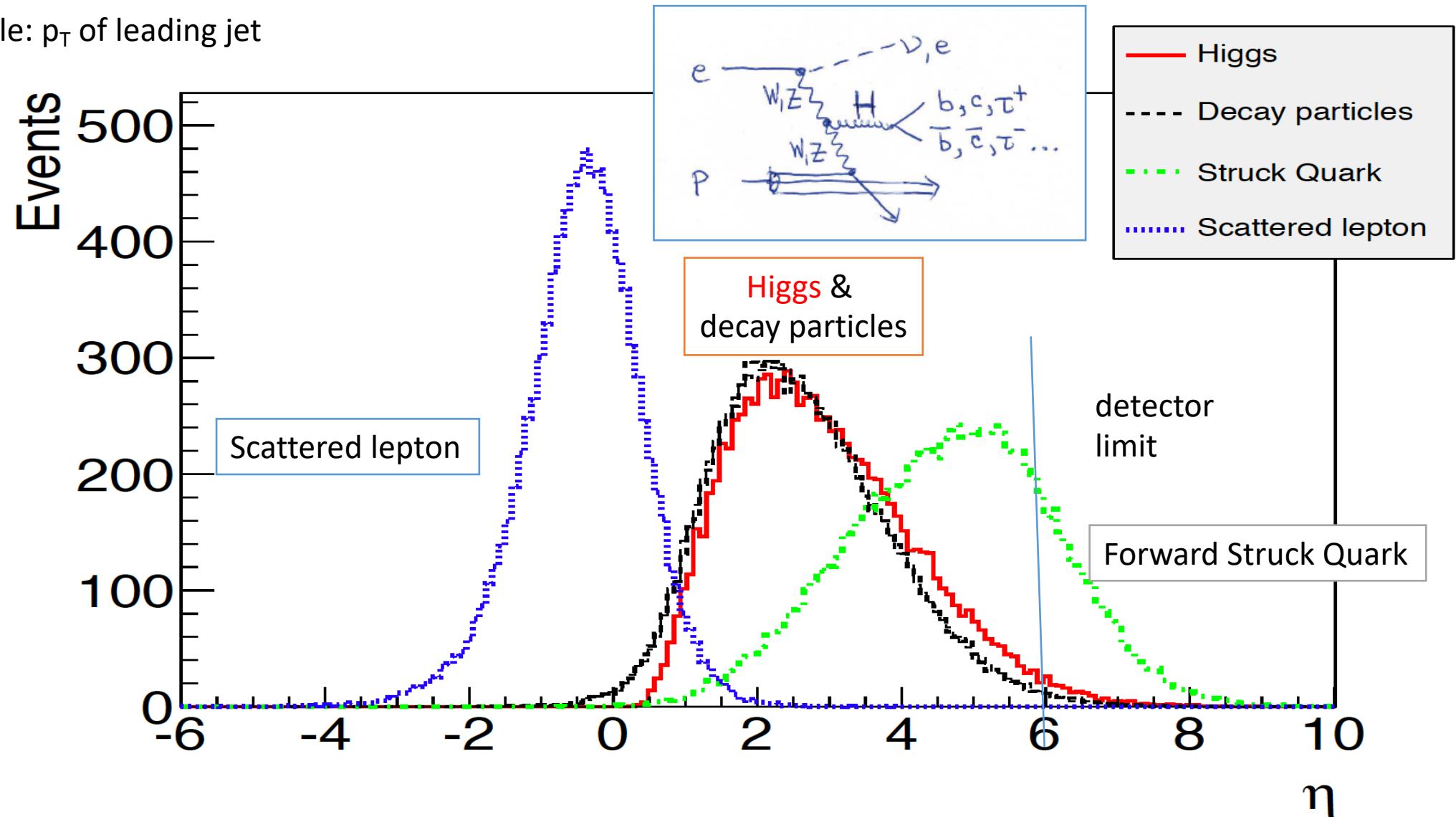
relation to pp LO QCD  
 $x_{1,2} = (M/\sqrt{s}) \exp(\pm y)$

$$Q^2 \sim M^2$$

# $\eta$ Distributions at FCC-eh

Parton-level

MadGraph scale:  $p_T$  of leading jet



Higgs decay particles (here to WW), struck quark and scattered lepton are well separated in detector acceptance.

# Analysis Framework and Detector

## Event generation

- SM or BSM production
  - CC & NC DIS background
- by MadGraph5/MadEvent



- Fragmentation
  - Hadronization
- by PYTHIA (modified for ep)



- Fast detector simulation  
by Delphes  
→ test of LHeC detector



S/B analysis → cuts or BDT

- Calculate cross section with tree-level Feynman diagrams (any UFO) using pT of scattered quark as scale (CDR  $\hat{s}$ ) for ep processes with **MadGraph5**; parton-level x-check CompHep
- Fragmentation & hadronisation uses ep-customised Pythia.
- **Delphes ‘detector’**  
→**displaced vertices and signed impact parameter distributions** → studied for LHeC and FCC-eh SM Higgs; and for extrapolations [PGS for CDR and until 2014]
- ‘Standard’ GPD LHC-style detectors used and further studied based on optimising Higgs measurements, i.e. vertex resolution a la ATLAS IBL, excellent hadronic and emmag resolutions using ‘best’ state-of-the art detector technologies (no R&D ‘needed’)
- Analysis requirements fed back to ep detector design →

# Higgs in eh: *cut* based results

Masahiro Tanaka, Masahiro Kuze,  
Tokyo Tech 2017

Example of samples:

Unpolarised (P=0) samples  $E_e = 60 \text{ GeV}$

$E_p = 7 \text{ TeV}$

LHeC

	$\sigma (\text{pb})$	Nsample	$N/\sigma (\text{fb}^{-1})$
Signal CC:H->bb	0.113	0.2M	1760
CC <sub>jjj</sub> no top	4.5	2.6M	570
CC single top	0.77	0.9M	1160
CC Z	0.52	0.6M	1160
NC Z	0.13	0.15M	1140
PA <sub>jjj</sub>	41	14M	350

$E_p = 50 \text{ TeV}$

FCC

	$\sigma (\text{pb})$	Nsample	$N/\sigma (\text{fb}^{-1})$
Signal CC:H->bb	0.467	0.15M	321
CC <sub>jjj</sub> no top	21.2	1.95M	92
CC single top	9.75	1.05M	108
CC Z	1.6	0.15M	94
NC Z	0.33	0.15M	455
PA <sub>jjj</sub>	262	12.9M	49

Delphes ep-style detector  
+ flat parton-level b-tagging  
for  $|\eta| < 3.0$

conservative HFL tagging:

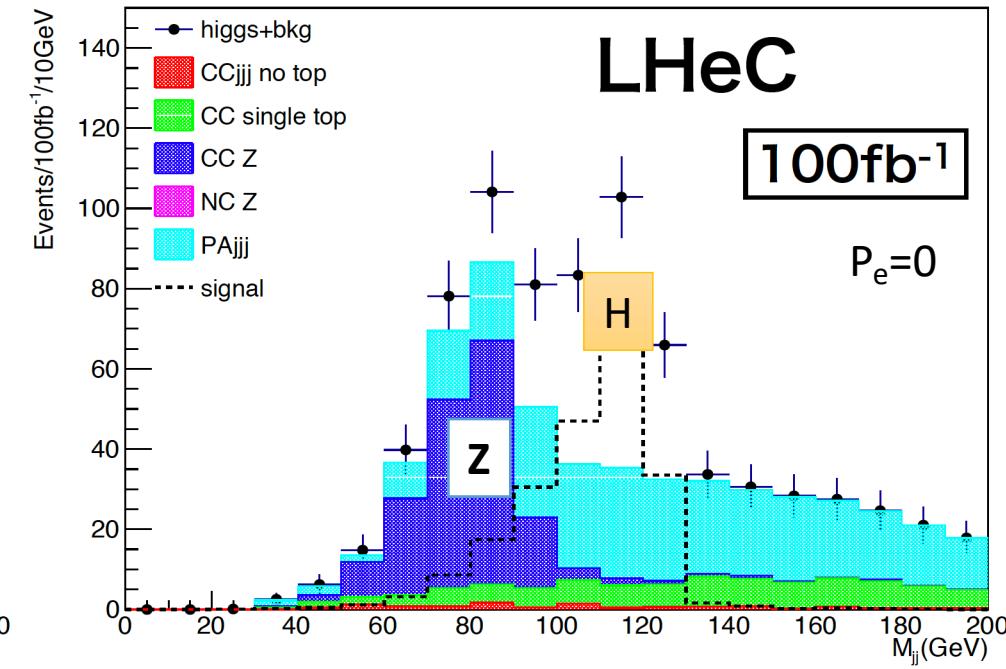
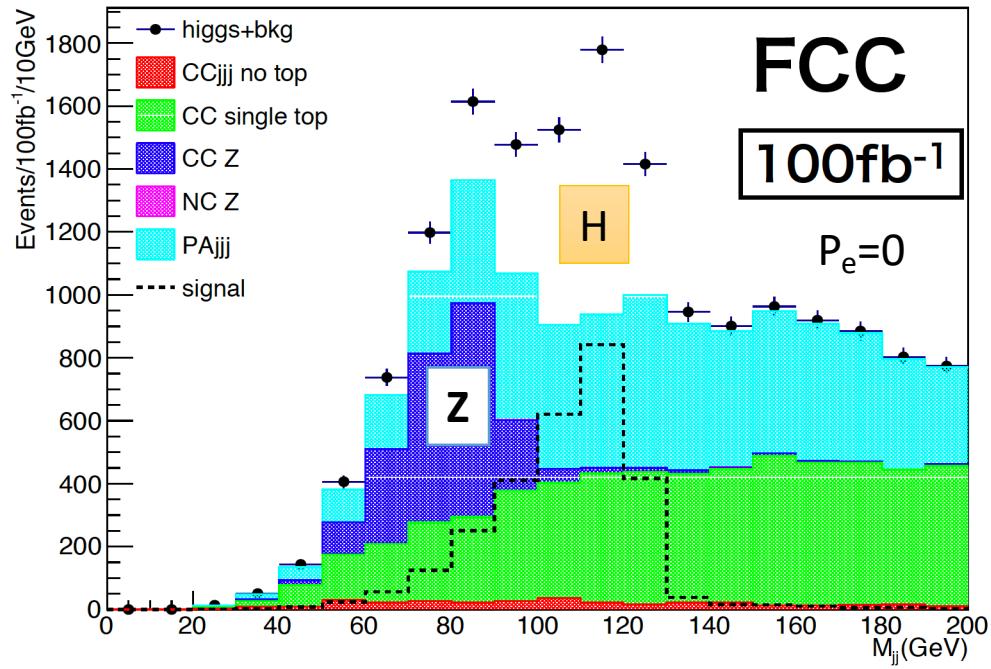
**b: 60%, c: 10%, udsg: 1%**

CAL coverage  $|\eta| < 5$  LHeC [ $< 6$  FCC-eh]

**H $\rightarrow$ bb:**  
**S/N>1 using**  
*conservative light*  
**misID and**  
*simple cuts*  
 $\rightarrow$  confirmed  
**earlier & post CDR**  
**studies**

$100 \text{ fb}^{-1}$   
 $\sim 1 \text{ year of data}$

Mass of 2 b-jets after event selection

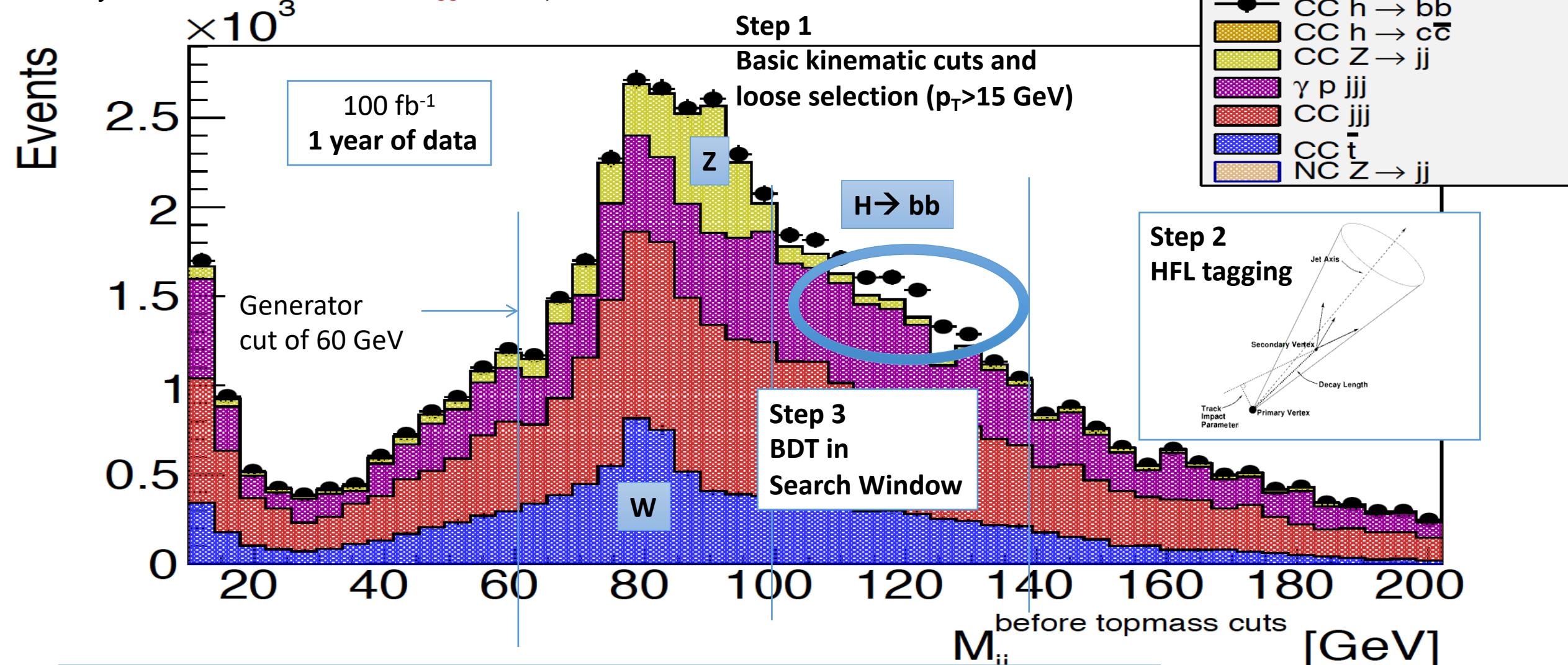


Note: plenty of single Z, W and top in ep

Higgs@LHeC: see also CDR & PRD.D82:016009,2010

# Hunting for Precision Hbb

Dijet Mass Candidates *HFL untagged* at Delphes detector level

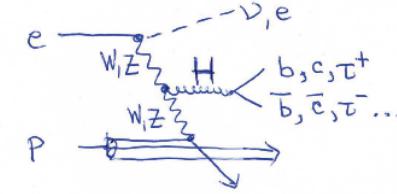


'Worst' case scenario plot : Photoproduction background (PHP) is assumed to be 100%!

PHP update: Modelled via Weiszaecker-Williams and cross-checked with Pythia.

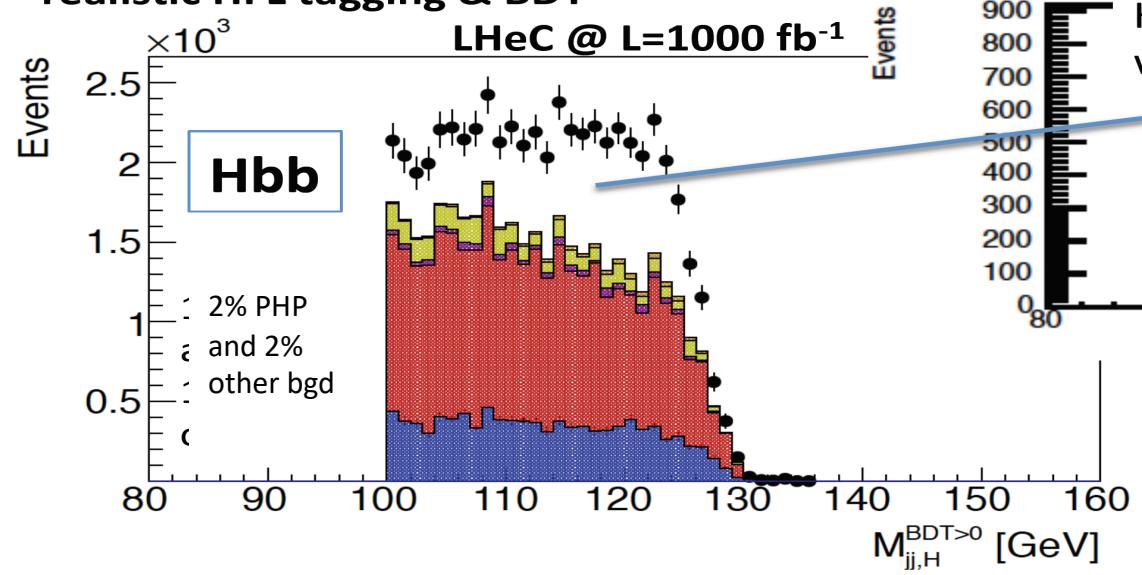
→ addition of small angle electron taggers will reduce PHP to ~1-2%

# Higgs in ep – clean S/B, no pile-up



→ further improvements using BDT

**realistic HFL tagging & BDT**



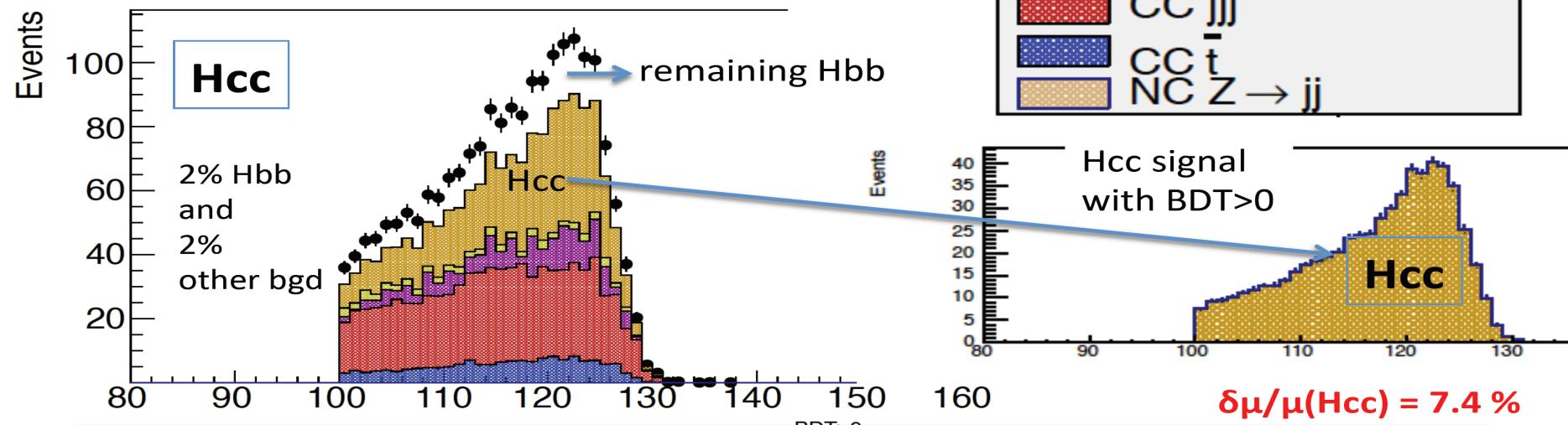
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Hbb signal with  $\text{BDT}>0$

$$\mu = \sigma / \sigma_{\text{SM}}$$

$$\delta\mu / \mu(\text{Hbb}) = 0.8\%$$

Hbb



& Izzy Harris BSc  
2017

Assuming  
ATLAS  
light  
jet misID efficiencies

→ Main systematic checks: variations of background contribution and tagging efficiencies

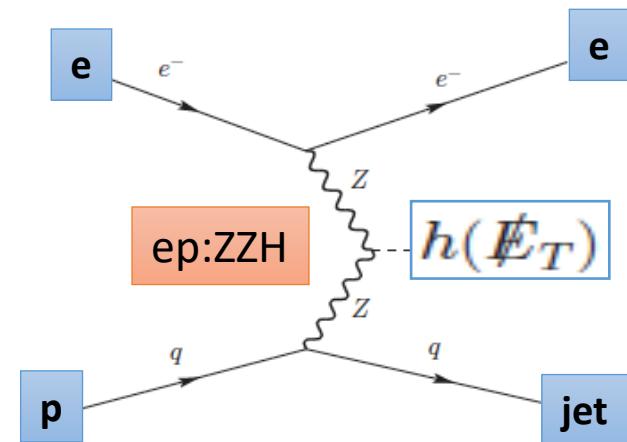
# Branching for invisible Higgs

Values given in case of  $2\sigma$  and  $L=1 \text{ ab}^{-1}$

Delphes detectors	LHeC [HE-LHeC] 1.3 [1.8 TeV]	FCC-eh 3.5 TeV
LHC-style	4.7% [3.2%]	1.9%
First 'ep-style'	5.7%	2.6%
+BDT Optimisation	5.5% (4.5%*)	1.7% (2.1%*)

LHeC parton-level, cut based <6% [Y.-L.Tang et al. arXiv: 1508.01095]

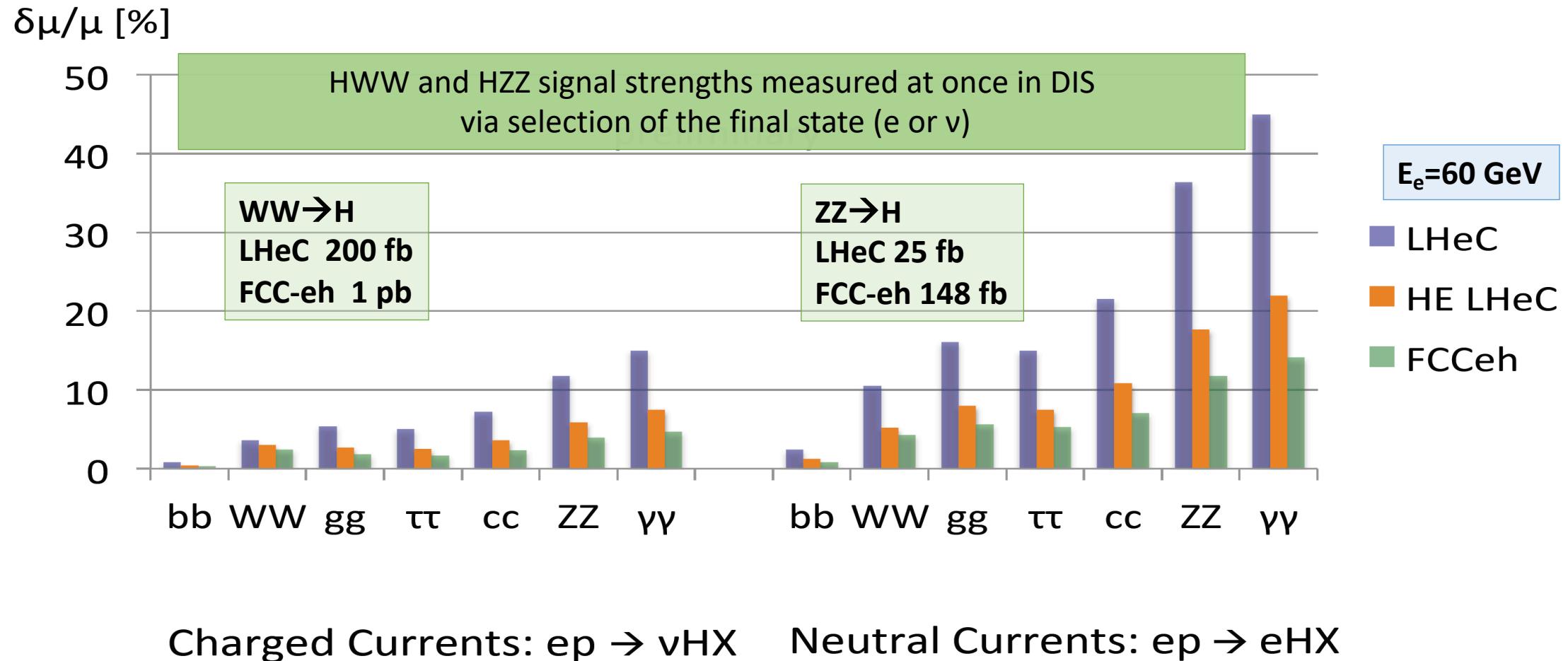
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PORTAL to Dark Matter ?

- ✓ Uses ZZ fusion process to estimate prospects of Higgs to invisible decay using *standard cut/BDT analysis techniques*
- ✓ Full MG5+Delphes analyses, done for 3 c.m.s. energies → very encouraging for a measurement of the **branching of Higgs to invisible in ep down to 5% [1.2%] for 1 [2]  $\text{ab}^{-1}$  for LHeC [FCC-eh]**
- ✓ A lot of checks done: We also checked LHeC  $\leftrightarrow$  FCC-he scaling with the corresponding cross sections (\* results in table) : Downscaling FCC-he simulation results to LHeC would give 4.5%, while up-scaling of LHeC simulation to FCC-he would result in 2.1% → all well within uncertainties of projections of ~25%
- ➔ further detector and analysis details have certainly an impact on results ➔ enhance potential further

# SM Higgs Signal Strengths in ep



Charged Currents:  $\text{ep} \rightarrow \nu \text{HX}$     Neutral Currents:  $\text{ep} \rightarrow e \text{HX}$

→ NC and CC DIS together over-constrain Higgs couplings in a combined SM fit.

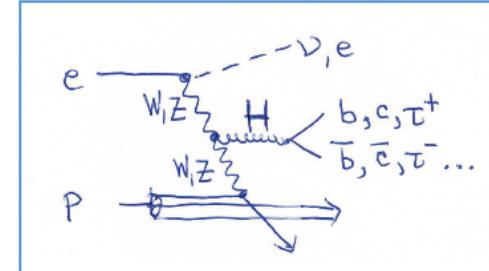
# ... and Consistency Checks of EW Theory

→ similar tests possible using various cms energy CLIC machines, however, in ep, we could perform them with one machine

$$\frac{\sigma_{WW \rightarrow H \rightarrow ii}}{\sigma_{ZZ \rightarrow H \rightarrow ii}} = \frac{\kappa_W^2}{\kappa_Z^2}$$

$$\frac{\kappa_W}{\kappa_Z} = \cos^2 \theta_W = 1 - \sin^2 \theta_W$$

- Dominated by  $H \rightarrow bb$  decay channel precision
- Very interesting consistency check of EW theory



- Values for  $\cos^2 \Theta$  given here are the PDG value as central value **0.777** and uncertainty from ep Higgs measurement prospects

LHeC: **± 0.010**

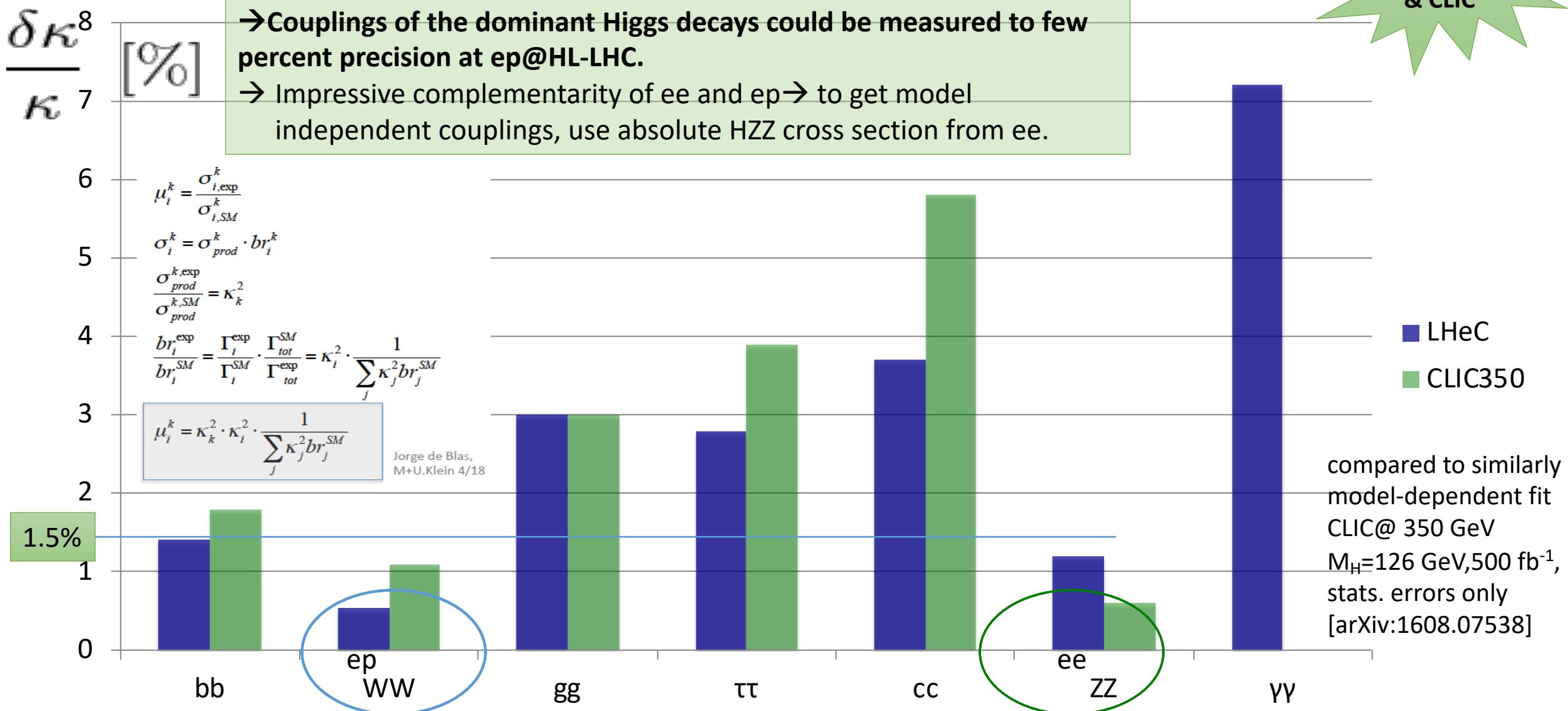
HE-LHeC **± 0.006**

FCC-eh **± 0.004**

- Another nice test: **How does the Higgs couple to 3<sup>rd</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> generation quark?**  
b is down-type and c is up-type

$$\frac{\sigma_{WW \rightarrow H \rightarrow cc}}{\sigma_{WW \rightarrow H \rightarrow bb}} = \frac{\kappa_c^2}{\kappa_b^2}$$

# Model-dependent Coupling Fit



# SM Higgs Couplings & $\delta\sigma_{\text{Higgs}}(\text{pp})$



Update of LHeC ES submission CERN-ACC-2018-0084

## 4.2. Determination of Higgs Couplings in pp and ep

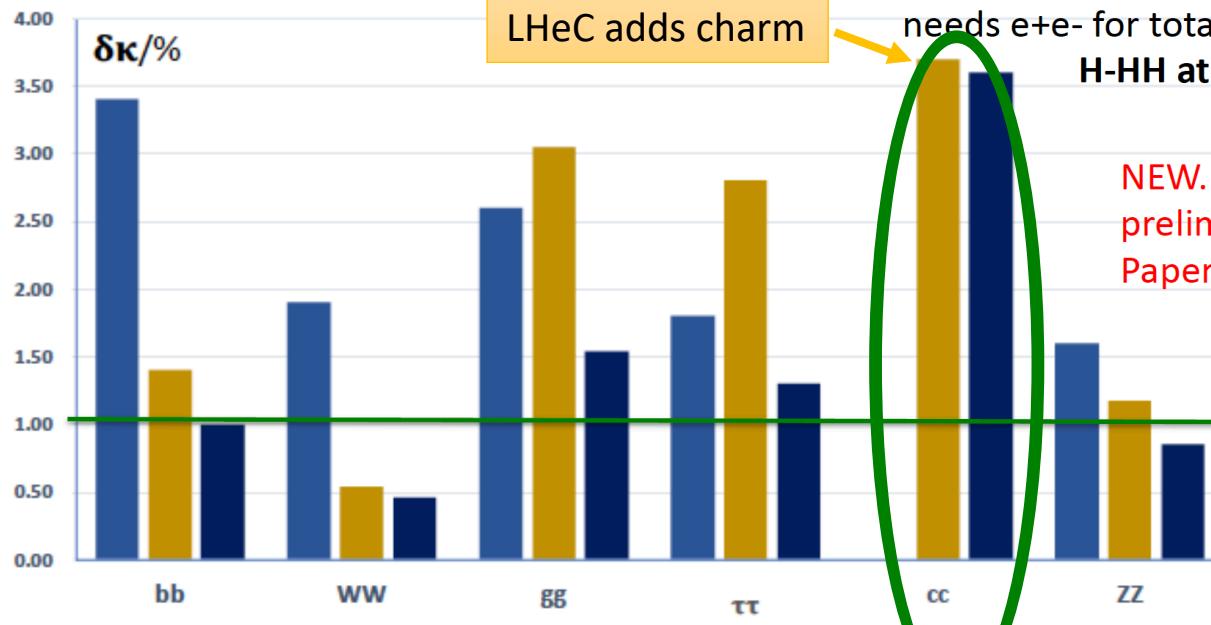
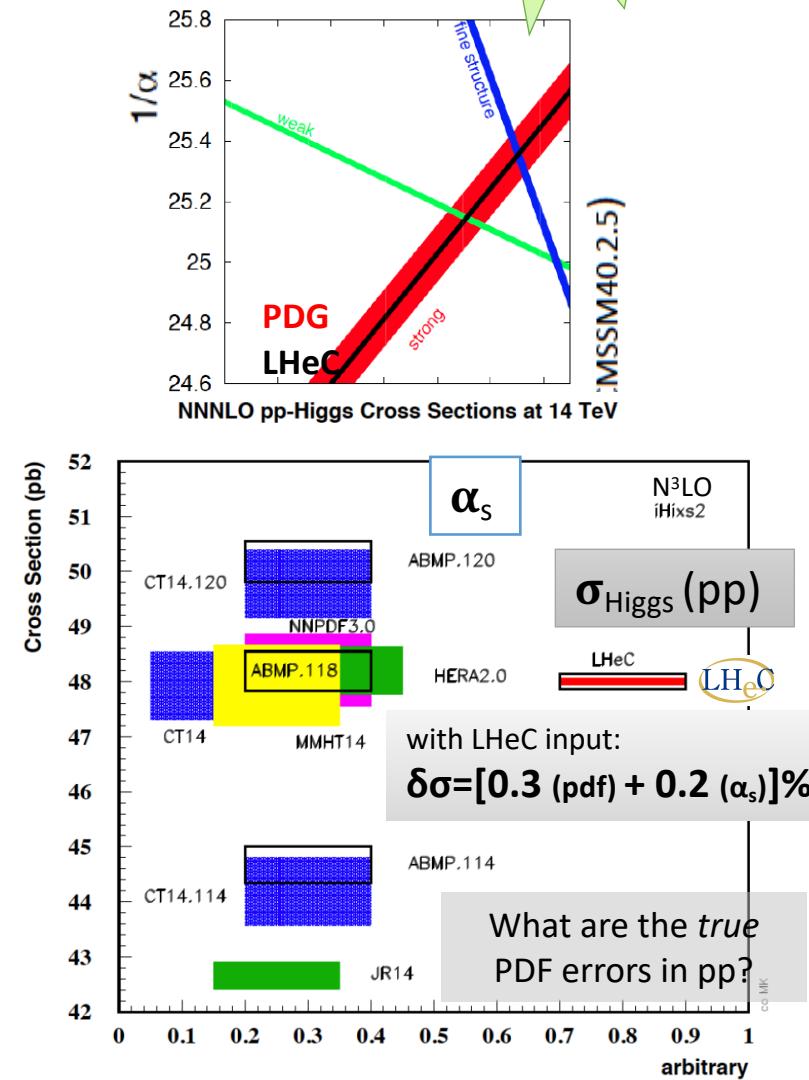


Figure 4: PRELIMINARY Uncertainties of coupling constant determinations using the kappa framework at the LHC in the six most frequent decay channels from the combination of ATLAS and CMS prospects at HL-LHC (blue,  $3 \text{ ab}^{-1}$ ), the LHeC (gold,  $1 \text{ ab}^{-1}$ ) and the combination of  $pp$  and  $ee$  (dark blue).



# Stand-alone ep $\kappa$ Coupling Fits

→ Assuming SM branching fractions weighted by the measured  $\kappa$  values, and  $\Gamma_{\text{md}}$  (c.f. CLIC model-dependent method)

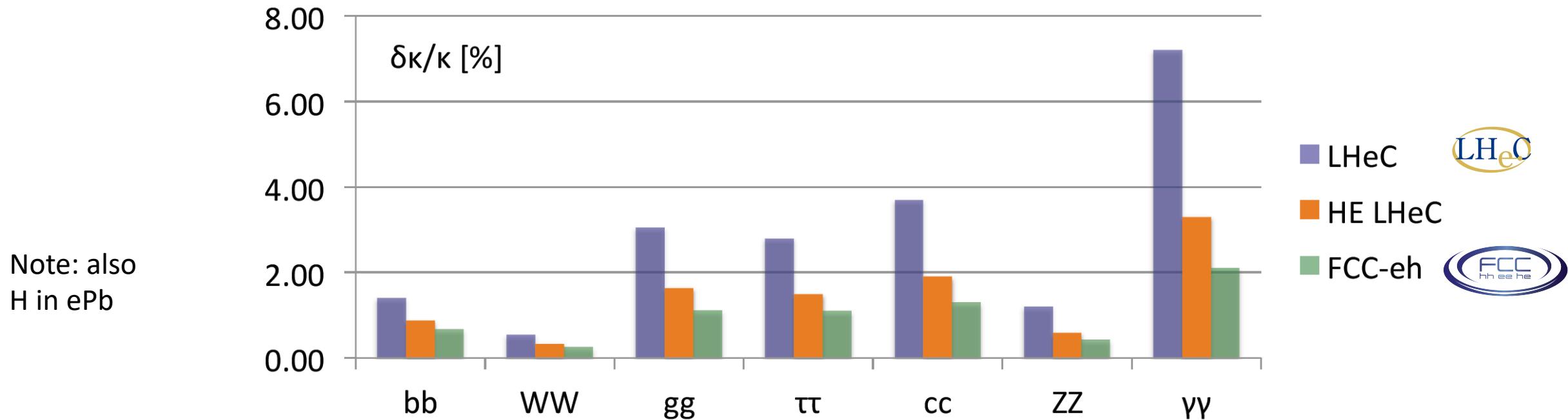


Figure 4.12: Determination of the  $\kappa$  scaling parameter uncertainties, from a joint SM fit of CC and NC signal strength results for the FCC-eh (green,  $2 \text{ ab}^{-1}$ ), the HE LHeC (brown,  $2 \text{ ab}^{-1}$ ) and LHeC (blue,  $1 \text{ ab}^{-1}$ ).

**Very high precision due to CC+NC DIS in clean environment in luminous, energy frontier ep scattering**

# Higgs @ HL-LHC, ee and FCC-eh

within kappa framework; statistical errors only

FCC-eh

Collider	HL-LHC	ILC <sub>250</sub>	CLIC <sub>380</sub>	FCC-ee			FCC-eh
Luminosity (ab <sup>-1</sup> )	3	2	0.5	5 @ 240 GeV	+1.5 @ 365 GeV	+ HL-LHC	2
Years	25	15	7	3	+4	—	20
$\delta\Gamma_H/\Gamma_H$ (%)	SM	3.8	6.3	2.7	<b>1.3</b>	1.1	SM
$\delta g_{HZZ}/g_{HZZ}$ (%)	1.3	0.35	0.80	0.2	<b>0.17</b>	0.16	0.43
$\delta g_{HWW}/g_{HWW}$ (%)	1.4	1.7	1.3	1.3	<b>0.43</b>	0.40	0.26
$\delta g_{Hbb}/g_{Hbb}$ (%)	2.9	1.8	2.8	1.3	<b>0.61</b>	0.55	0.74
$\delta g_{Hcc}/g_{Hcc}$ (%)	SM	2.3	6.8	1.7	<b>1.21</b>	1.18	1.35
$\delta g_{Hgg}/g_{Hgg}$ (%)	1.8	2.2	3.8	1.6	<b>1.01</b>	0.83	1.17
$\delta g_{H\tau\tau}/g_{H\tau\tau}$ (%)	1.7	1.9	4.2	1.4	<b>0.74</b>	0.64	1.10
$\delta g_{H\mu\mu}/g_{H\mu\mu}$ (%)	4.4	13	n.a.	10.1	<b>9.0</b>	3.9	n.a.
$\delta g_{H\gamma\gamma}/g_{H\gamma\gamma}$ (%)	1.6	6.4	n.a.	4.8	<b>3.9</b>	1.1	2.3
$\delta g_{Htt}/g_{Htt}$ (%)	2.5	—	—	—	—	2.4	<b>ttH</b> 1.7
BR <sub>EXO</sub> (%)	SM	< 1.8	< 3.0	< 1.2	< 1.0	< 1.0	n.a.

➔ Combine the complementary measurements for best physics outcome!

Higgs-inv.: 1.2%  
HH ~20%

# Top Yukawa Coupling @ LHeC

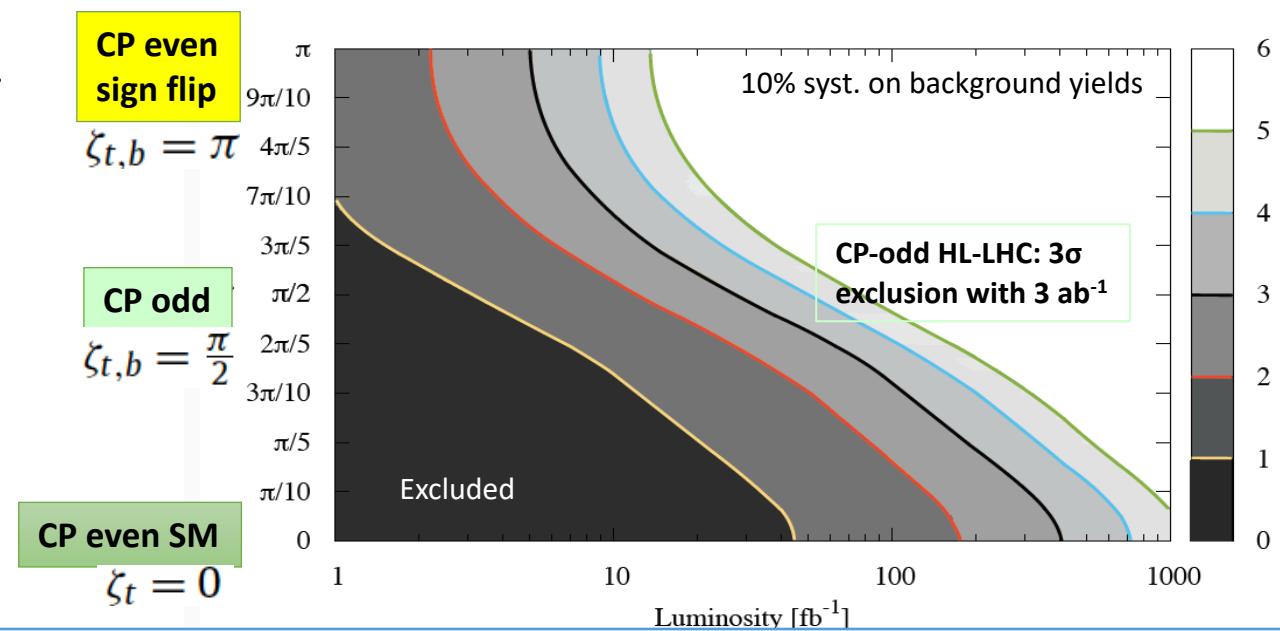
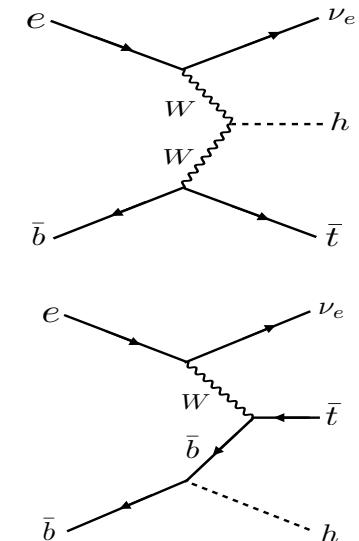
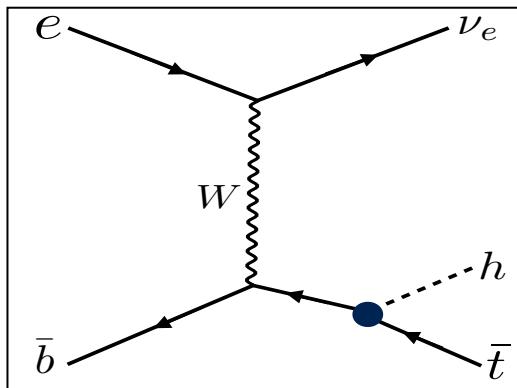
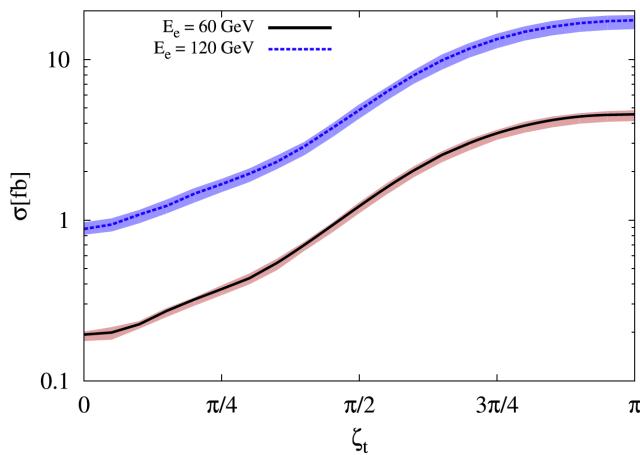
B.Coleppa, M.Kumar, S.Kumar, B.Mellado, PLB770 (2017) 335

**SM:**  $\mathcal{L}_{\text{Yukawa}} = -\frac{m_t}{v} \bar{t} t h - \frac{m_b}{v} \bar{b} b h,$

**BSM:** Introduce phases of top-Higgs and bottom-Higgs couplings

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} = & -\frac{m_t}{v} \bar{t} [\kappa \cos \zeta_t + i \gamma_5 \sin \zeta_t] t h \\ & -\frac{m_b}{v} \bar{b} [\cos \zeta_b + i \gamma_5 \sin \zeta_b] b h.\end{aligned}$$

**Enhancement** of the DIS cross-section as a function of phase

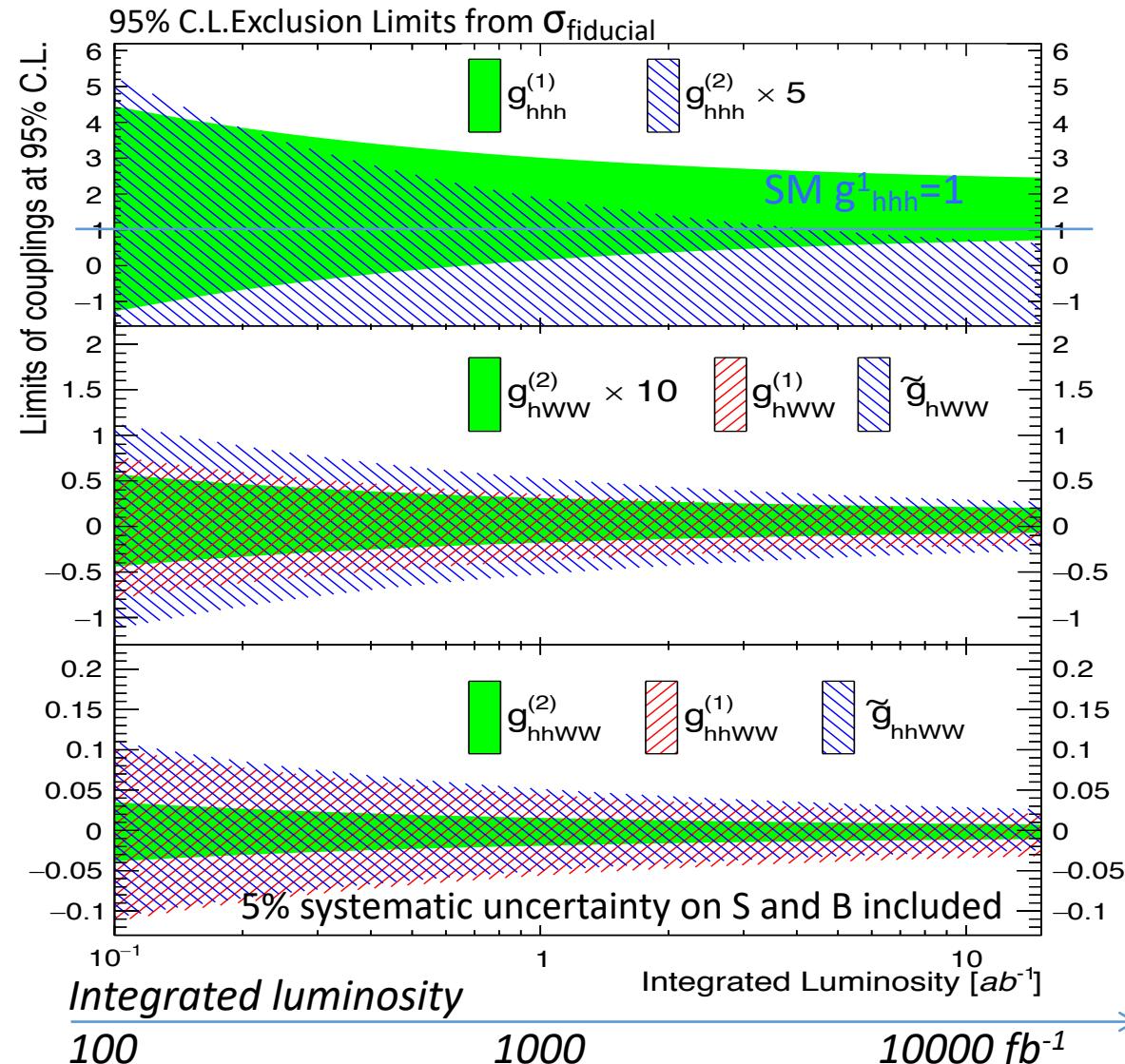


Observe/Exclude non-zero phase to better than  $4\sigma$

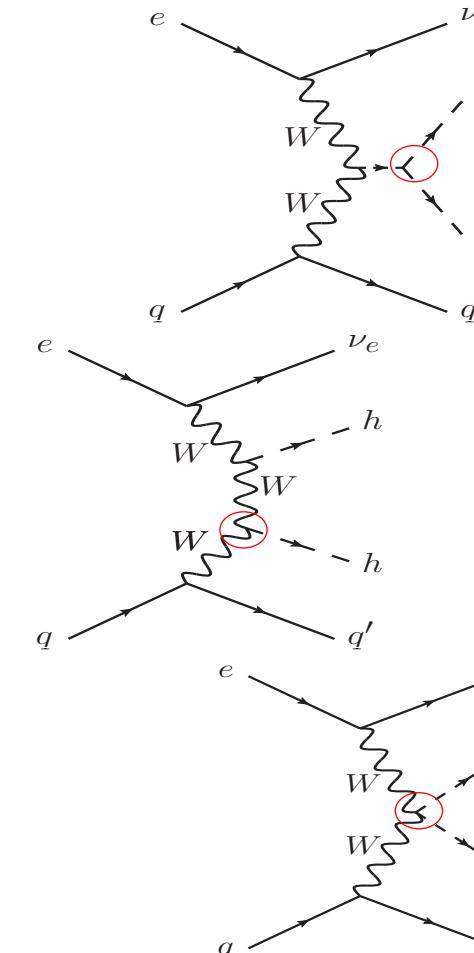
→ With Zero Phase: Measure ttH coupling with **17% accuracy at LHeC** → **extrapolation to FCC-eh: ttH to 1.7%**

# Double Higgs Production

Encouraging FCC-eh cut-based study; full Delphes-detector simulation;  
conservative HFL tagging



FCC-eh  $g_{hhh} \sim 20\%$  in ep



$1\sigma$  for SM  $hhh$  for  $E_e$   
 $60$  ( $120$ ) $\text{GeV}$  and  $10\text{ab}^{-1}$

$$g_{hhh}^{(1)} = 1.00^{+0.24(0.14)}_{-0.17(0.12)}$$

Probing anomalous  
couplings within Higgs  
EFT: limits are obtained  
by scanning one of the  
non-BSM coupling  
while keeping other  
couplings to their SM  
values.

Here  $g_{(\dots)}^{(i)}, i = 1, 2$ , and  $\tilde{g}_{(\dots)}$  are real coefficients corresponding to the CP-even and CP-odd couplings respectively, of the  $hhh$ ,  $hWW$  and  $hhWW$  anomalous vertices.

# Wrap Up

- LHeC [FCC-eh] could measure the dominant Higgs couplings, including ttH, to 0.6-17 [0.2-1.7] % precision [CC+NC DIS, no pile-up, clean final state..]  
→ *LHeC would add charm to HL-LHC*
- Striking synergy of ep ( $>\sim 1$  TeV) and ee (250-350 GeV) and pp for Higgs coupling measurements!
- ep would empower the physics potential of pp (non-resonant searches, EW, Higgs..) through **high precision QCD measurements: flavour separated PDFs at  $N^3LO$ ,  $\alpha_s$  to per mille ...**
- **Higgs measurements in ep are self consistent experimentally and theoretically based on DIS cross sections with very small systematic uncertainties**
- **Combining pp with ep, a very powerful Higgs facility can be established at the HL-LHC already in the 30ties or later at the FCC-hh.**

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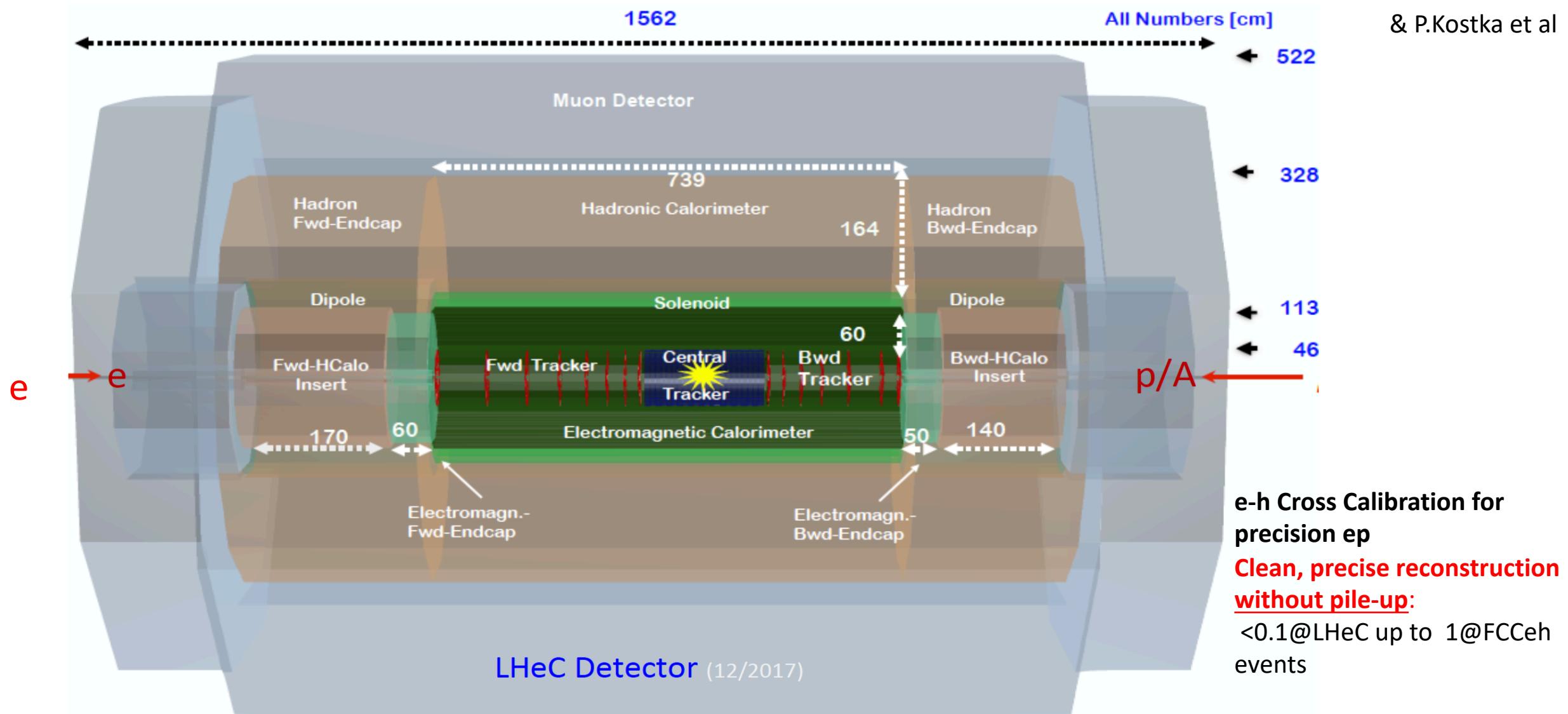
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# **Additional material**

# Detector for LHeC/HE-LHC/FCC-eh

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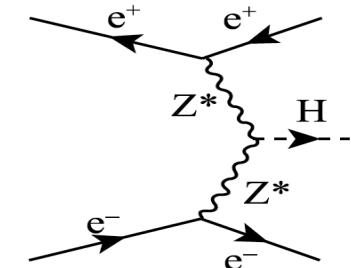
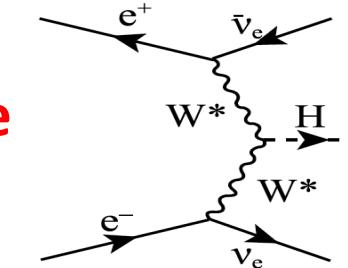
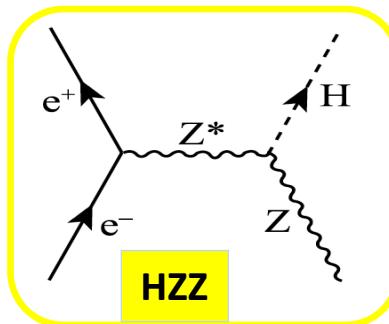
Length x Diameter: LHeC (13.3 x 9 m<sup>2</sup>) HE-LHC (15.6 x 10.4) FCCeh (19 x 12) m<sup>2</sup>

ATLAS (45 x 25) CMS (21 x 15): [LHeC < CMS, FCC-eh ~ CMS size]

If CERN decides that the HE LHC comes, the LHeC detector should anticipate that

# Higgs in ee vs ep

**ee** Dominant Higgs productions:



**ep vs ee- Higgs cross sections**

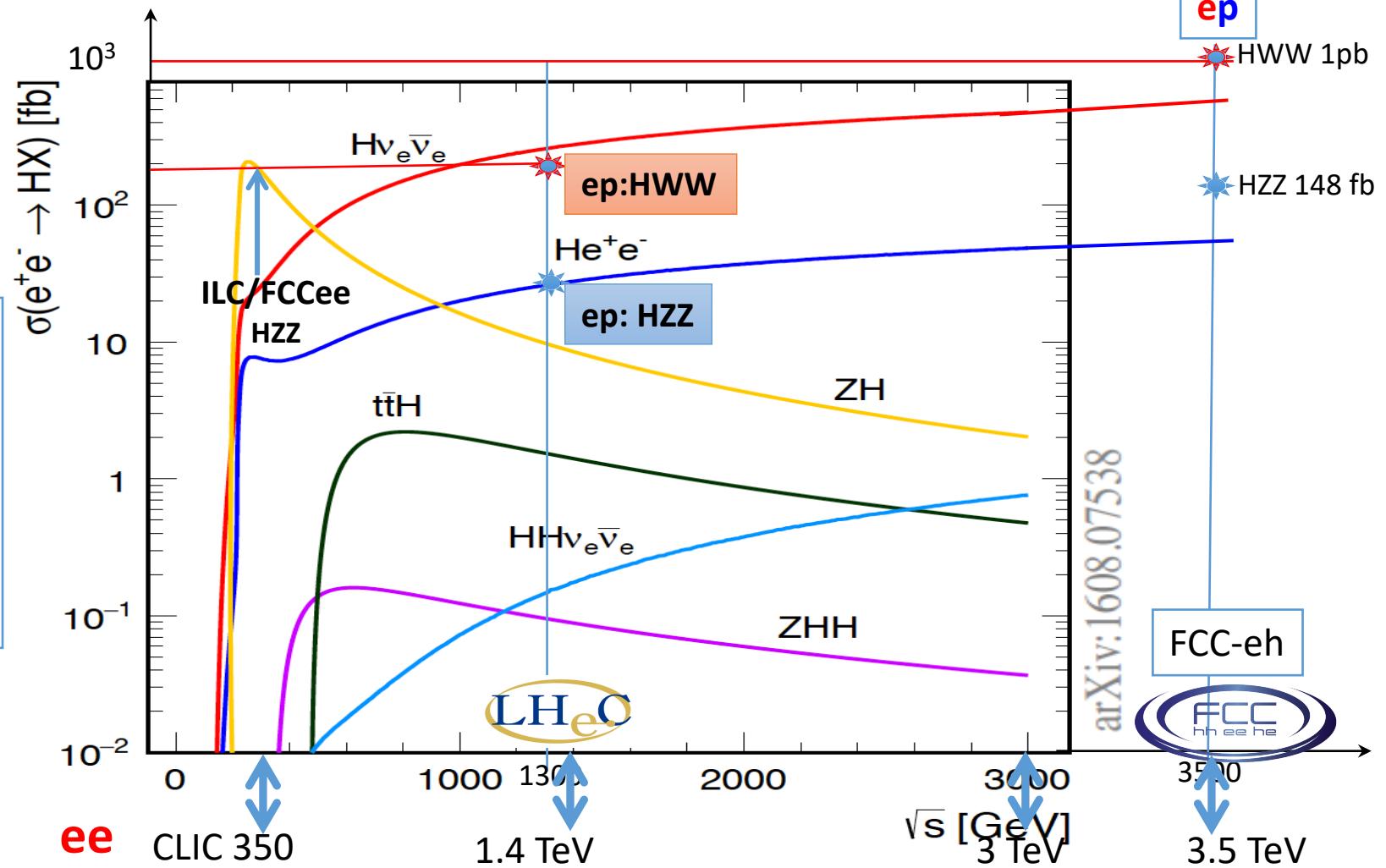
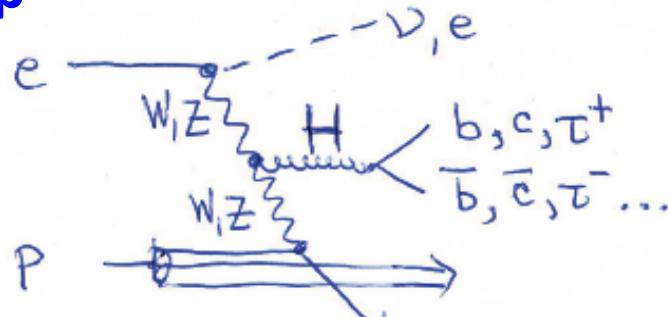
**ep:CC DIS WW Fusion**



**ep: NC DIS ZZ Fusion**

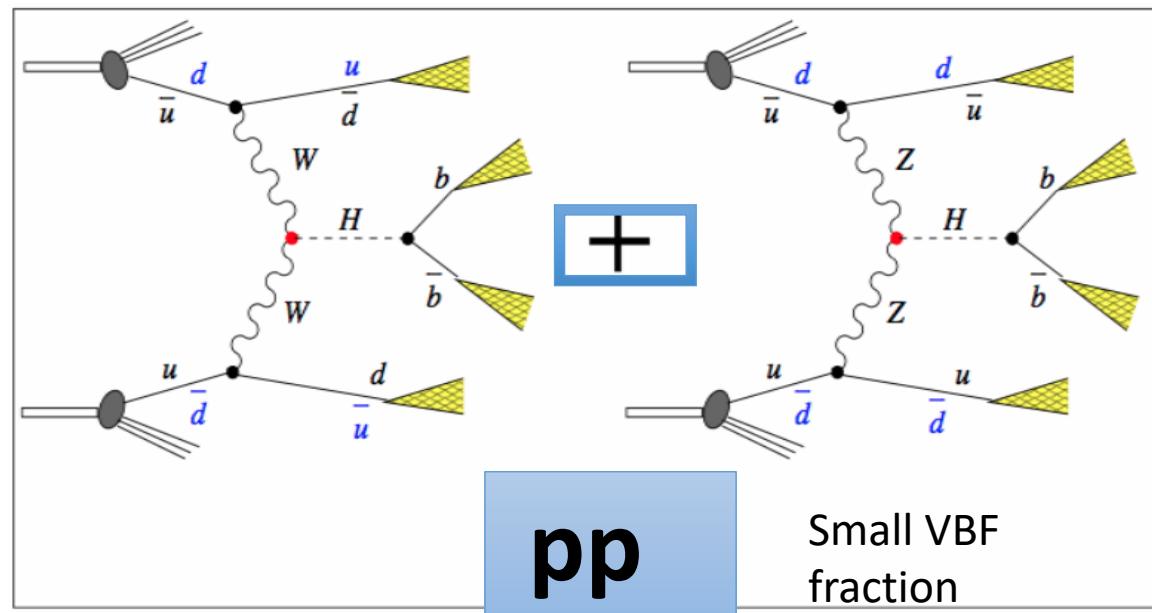
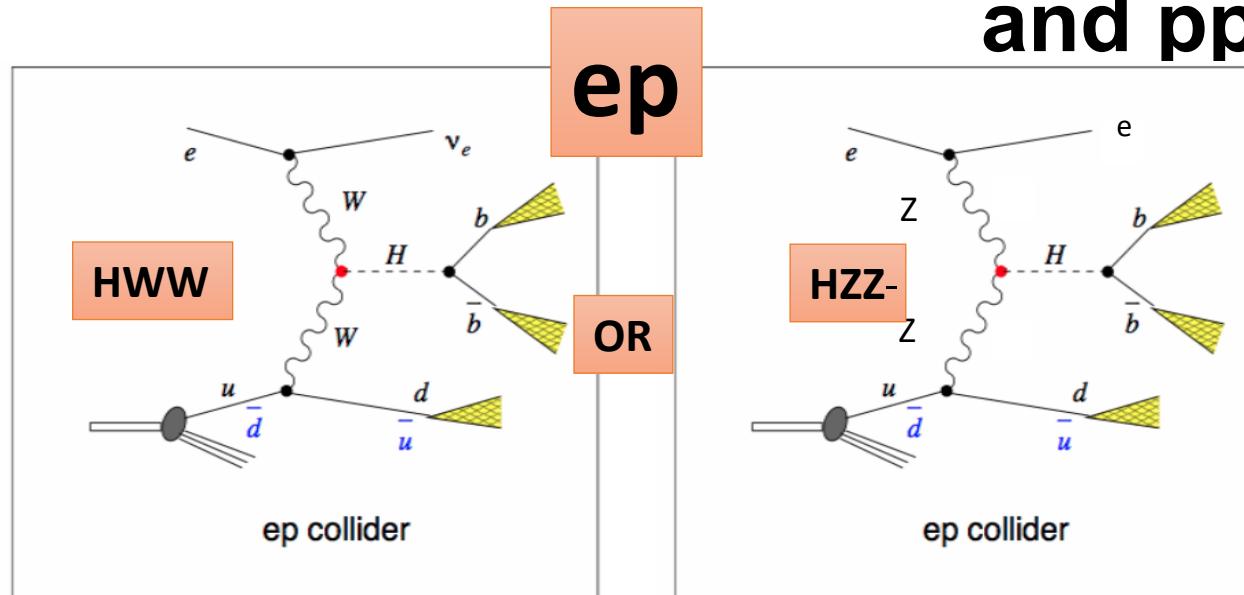


**ep**



# VBF Higgs Production in ep (top)

and pp (bottom)

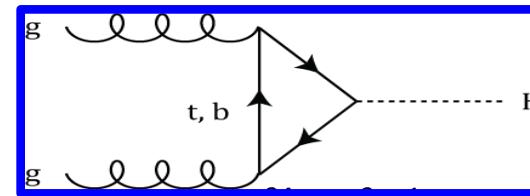


**ep:** Higgs production in ep comes uniquely from either CC or NC DIS via VBF

**Clean bb final state, S/B >1**  
**e-h Cross Calibration for Precision ep**  
**Clean, precise reconstruction and easy distinction of ZZH and WWH without pile-up:**

<0.1@LHeC up to 1@FCCeh events

**pp:** Higgs production in pp comes predominantly (~80%) from  $gg \rightarrow H$  : high rates crucial for rare decays

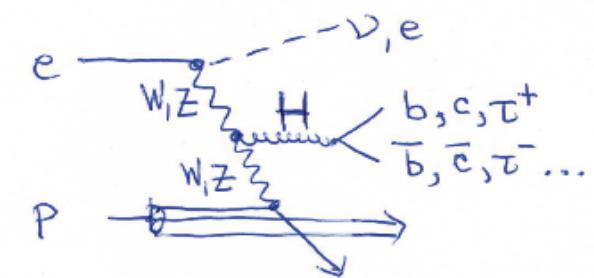
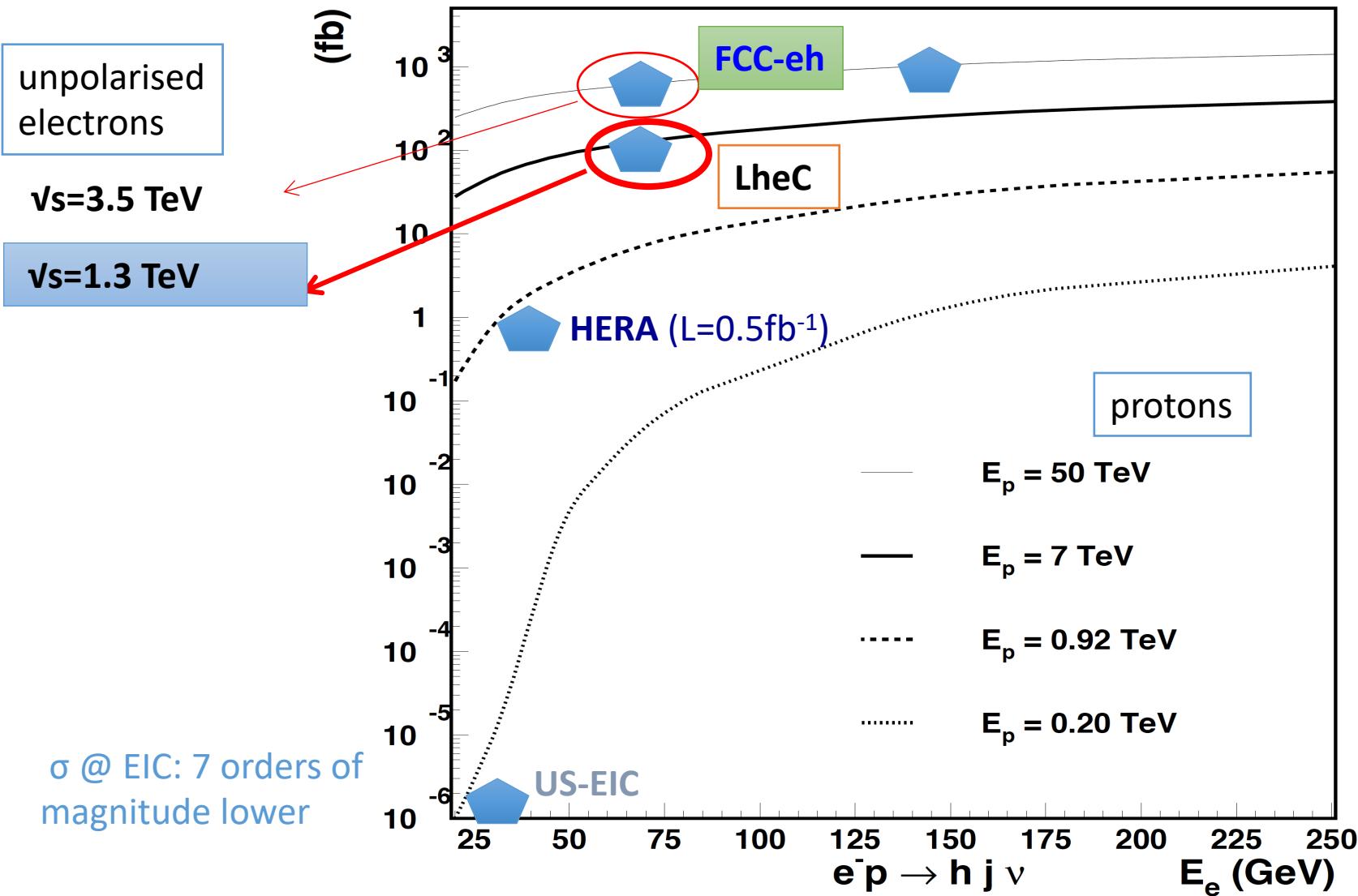


Pile-up in pp at  $5 \cdot 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$  is 150@25ns  
FCC-hh: pile-up 500-1000 (!)

S/B very small for bb

**Final precision in pp needs accurate N<sup>3</sup>LO PDFs &  $\alpha_s$**

# SM Higgs in ep



Higgs in eA @FCC-ePb

$\sigma_{\text{Higgs}} [\text{fb}]$

eff. 'Ep' = 19.7 TeV

$E_e [\text{GeV}]$	$P_e = 0$	-0.8
20	105	190
30	153	276
50	242	436
60	282	507

LHeC / FCC-eh: Sizeable Higgs rates in charged current (CC) DIS for  $L=100-1000 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

# Further Estimates of Higgs Prospects

- Use LO Higgs cross sections  $\sigma_H$  for  $M_H=125$  GeV, in [fb], and branching fractions  $BR(H \rightarrow XX)$  from Higgs Cross Section Handbook
- Apply further branching,  $BR(X \rightarrow FS)$  in case e.g. of  $W \rightarrow 2$  jets and use acceptance (Acc) estimates based on MG5, for further decay
- Use reconstruction efficiencies,  $\epsilon$ , achieved at LHC Run-1, see e.g. prospect calculations explored in arXiv:1511.05170
- Use fully simulated LHeC BDT  $H \rightarrow bb$  and  $H \rightarrow cc$  & FCC-eh  $H \rightarrow WW^*$  and exotic Higgs search results as baseline for S/B ranges; use fully simulated cut-based FCC-eh & LHeC  $H \rightarrow bb$  results for further bench-marking
- Use fully simulated Higgs to invisible for 3 c.m.s. scenarios as guidance for extrapolation uncertainty
- Estimate Higgs events per decay channel for certain Luminosity in  $[fb^{-1}]$  and cross section in [fb]

$$N = \sigma_H \bullet BR(H \rightarrow XX) \bullet BR(X \rightarrow FS) \bullet L$$

- Calculate uncertainties of signal strengths w.r.t. SM expectation

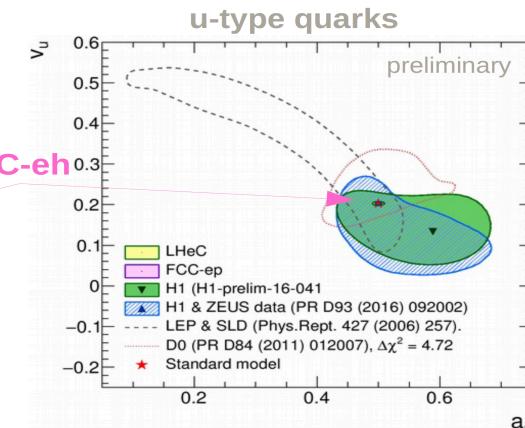
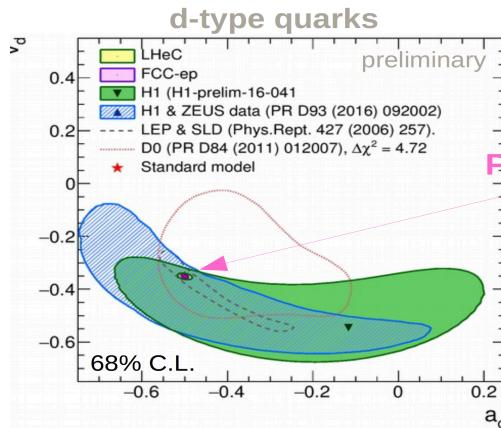
$$\frac{\delta\mu}{\mu} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \bullet f \quad \text{with} \quad f = \sqrt{\frac{1 + 1/(S/B)}{Acc \bullet \epsilon}}$$

$$\mu = \frac{\sigma}{\sigma_{SM}}$$

# Electroweak precision observables at FCC eh

- Electroweak precision measurements at FCC-eh

## Precision measurements of couplings to light quark families



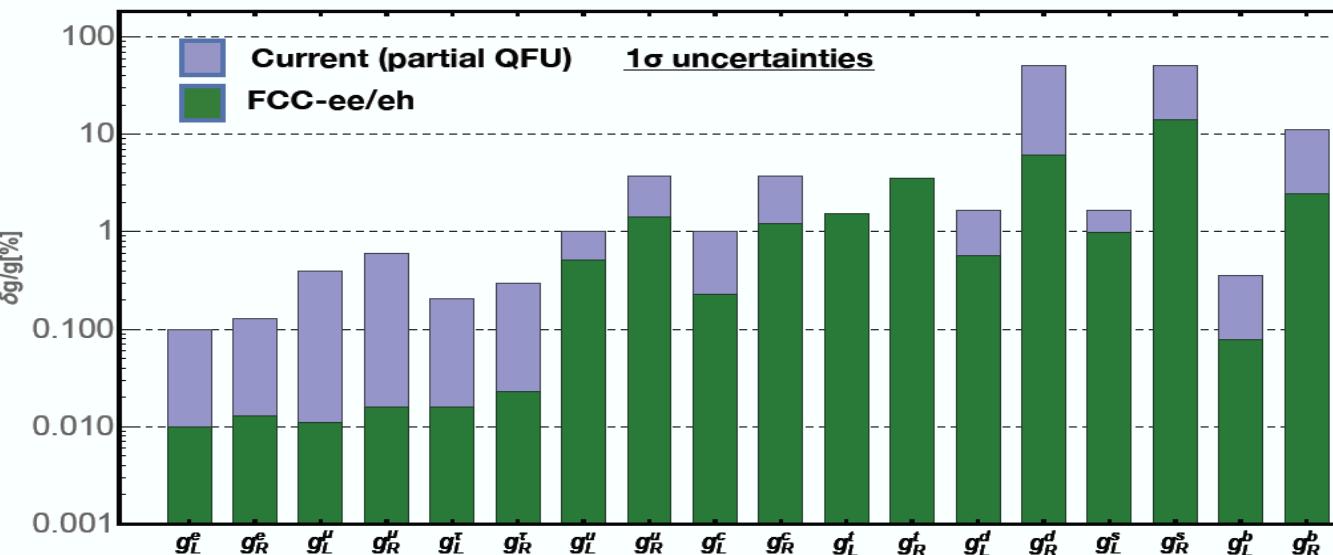
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Observable	Uncertainty	(Relative uncertainty)
$g_V^u$	0.0022	(1.1%)
$g_A^u$	0.0031	(0.6%)
$g_V^d$	0.0049	(1.4%)
$g_A^d$	0.0049	(0.97%)

- Global fit to electroweak precision measurements at FCC-ee + FCC-eh



Talk by J deBlas  
FCC Week 2018



No Fermion flavour universality assumed

Independent info about all 3 SM fermion families

# Double Higgs Production at FCC-eh

**“Probing anomalous couplings using di-Higgs production in electron-proton collisions”** by Mukesh Kumar, Xifeng Ruan, Rashidul Islam, Alan S. Cornell, Max Klein, Uta Klein, Bruce Mellado,

Physics Letters B 764 (2017) 247-253 [arXiv:1509.04016]

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} + \mathcal{L}_{hhh}^{(3)} + \mathcal{L}_{hWW}^{(3)} + \mathcal{L}_{hhWW}^{(4)}.$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{hhh}^{(3)} = \frac{m_h^2}{2v} (1 - \overset{\text{SM}}{g_{hhh}^{(1)}}) h^3 + \frac{1}{2v} g_{hhh}^{(2)} h \partial_\mu h \partial^\mu h, \quad (2)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{hWW}^{(3)} = -g & \left[ \frac{g_{hWW}^{(1)}}{2m_W} W^{\mu\nu} W_{\mu\nu}^\dagger h + \frac{g_{hWW}^{(2)}}{m_W} (W^\nu \partial^\mu W_{\mu\nu}^\dagger h + \text{h.c.}) \right. \\ & \left. + \frac{\tilde{g}_{hWW}}{2m_W} W^{\mu\nu} \widetilde{W}_{\mu\nu}^\dagger h \right], \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{hhWW}^{(4)} = -g^2 & \left[ \frac{g_{hhWW}^{(1)}}{4m_W^2} W^{\mu\nu} W_{\mu\nu}^\dagger h^2 + \frac{g_{hhWW}^{(2)}}{2m_W^2} (W^\nu \partial^\mu W_{\mu\nu}^\dagger h^2 + \text{h.c.}) \right. \\ & \left. + \frac{\tilde{g}_{hhWW}}{4m_W^2} W^{\mu\nu} \widetilde{W}_{\mu\nu}^\dagger h^2 \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

FCC-eh  
SM(P=-0.8)  
 $\sigma(HH)=430 \text{ ab}$   
in VBF!

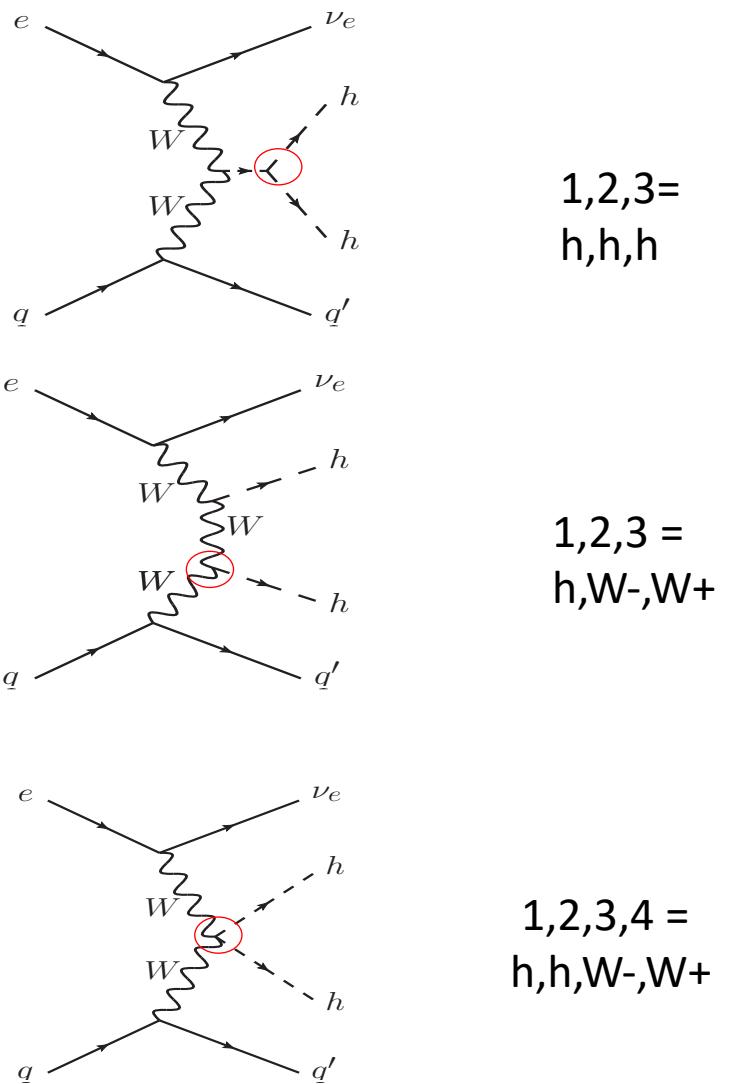
→ All other  $g$  coefficients are anomalous couplings to the  $hhh$ ,  $hWW$  and  $hhWW$  anomalous vertices  
→ those are 0 in SM

# Effective Vertices

$$\Gamma_{hhh} = -6\lambda v \left[ g_{hhh}^{(1)} + \frac{g_{hhh}^{(2)}}{3m_h^2} (p_1 \cdot p_2 + p_2 \cdot p_3 + p_3 \cdot p_1) \right], \quad (6)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma_{hW-W^+} = gm_W & \left[ \left\{ 1 + \frac{g_{hWW}^{(1)}}{m_W^2} p_2 \cdot p_3 + \frac{g_{hWW}^{(2)}}{m_W^2} (p_2^2 + p_3^2) \right\} \eta^{\mu_2 \mu_3} \right. \\ & - \frac{g_{hWW}^{(1)}}{m_W^2} p_2^{\mu_3} p_3^{\mu_2} - \frac{g_{hWW}^{(2)}}{m_W^2} (p_2^{\mu_2} p_2^{\mu_3} + p_3^{\mu_2} p_3^{\mu_3}) \\ & \left. - i \frac{\tilde{g}_{hWW}}{m_W^2} \epsilon_{\mu_2 \mu_3 \mu \nu} p_2^\mu p_3^\nu \right], \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Gamma_{hhW-W^+} = g^2 & \left[ \left\{ \frac{1}{2} + \frac{g_{hhWW}^{(1)}}{m_W^2} p_3 \cdot p_4 + \frac{g_{hhWW}^{(2)}}{m_W^2} (p_3^2 + p_4^2) \right\} \eta^{\mu_3 \mu_4} \right. \\ & - \frac{g_{hhWW}^{(1)}}{m_W^2} p_3^{\mu_4} p_4^{\mu_3} - \frac{g_{hhWW}^{(2)}}{m_W^2} (p_3^{\mu_3} p_3^{\mu_4} + p_4^{\mu_3} p_4^{\mu_4}) \\ & \left. - i \frac{\tilde{g}_{hhWW}}{m_W^2} \epsilon_{\mu_3 \mu_4 \mu \nu} p_3^\mu p_4^\nu \right]. \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

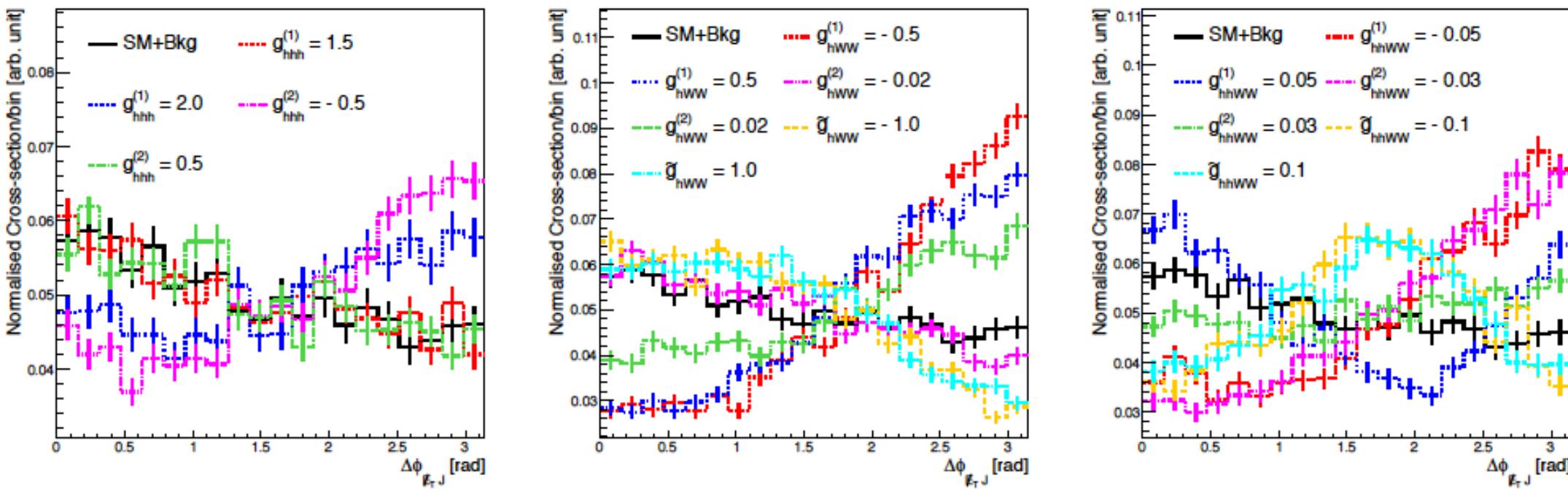


Note the dependence on momenta in non-SM vertices. This induces significant impact on scattering kinematics.

# HH@FCC-eh: Azimuthal Angle Distributions

→  $\Delta\Phi_{E_{T,\text{miss}},\text{jet}}$  between missing transverse energy and forward jet, at Delphes detector-level,  
including background : bbbbj, bbjjj, Z(bb)h(bb)j, ttj, h(bb)bbj

→ Signal: hh → bbbb decays motivated by h → bb studies.



- normalised DIS cross sections are sensitive to non-BSM vertices
- initial study published for this novel  $\Delta\Phi_{E_{T,\text{miss}},\text{jet}}$  variable
- potential for a deeper analysis and interpretation

# Event Selection using $h \rightarrow b\bar{b}$

$P_{e^-} = 0.8$ , Anti-kt jets  $R=0.4$ ,  $E_{\text{miss}} > 40 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\eta(\text{fwd jet}) > 5$ ,

$90 < m_{bb}(1), m_{bb}(2) < 125 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $m(4b) > 290 \text{ GeV}$

b-tagging for  $|\eta| < 5$  assumed to be 70% with misidentifications of 10% for charm and 1% for light quarks /gluons

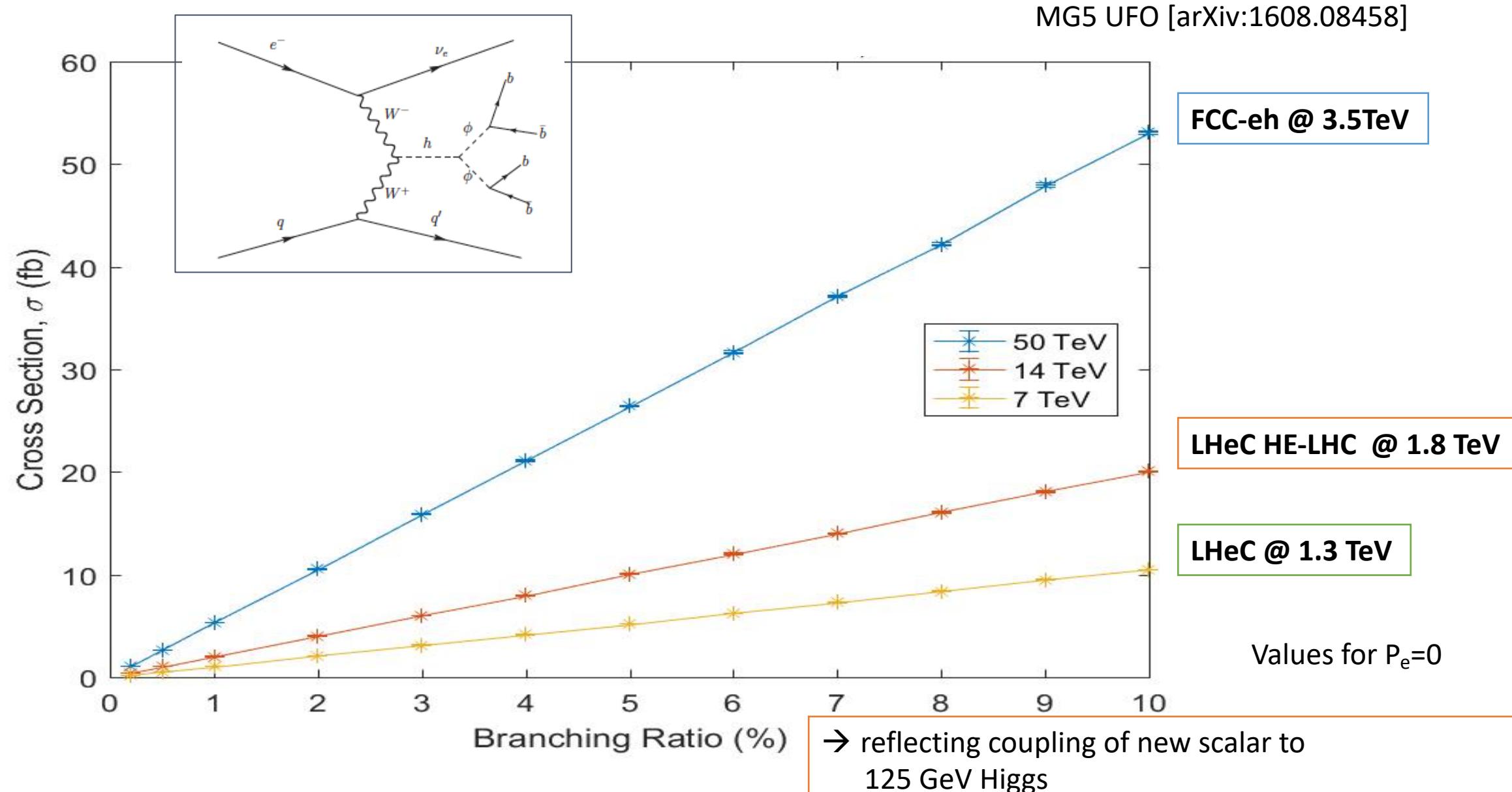
Delphes detector-level

Cuts / Samples	Signal	$4b + \text{jets}$	$2b + \text{jets}$	Top	$ZZ$	$b\bar{b}H$	$ZH$	Total Bkg	Significance
Initial	$2.00 \times 10^3$	$3.21 \times 10^7$	$2.32 \times 10^9$	$7.42 \times 10^6$	$7.70 \times 10^3$	$1.94 \times 10^4$	$6.97 \times 10^3$	$2.36 \times 10^9$	0.04
At least $4b + 1j$	$3.11 \times 10^2$	$7.08 \times 10^4$	$2.56 \times 10^4$	$9.87 \times 10^3$	$7.00 \times 10^2$	$6.32 \times 10^2$	$7.23 \times 10^2$	$1.08 \times 10^5$	0.94
Lepton rejection $p_T^\ell > 10 \text{ GeV}$	$3.11 \times 10^2$	$5.95 \times 10^4$	$9.94 \times 10^3$	$6.44 \times 10^3$	$6.92 \times 10^2$	$2.26 \times 10^2$	$7.16 \times 10^2$	$7.75 \times 10^4$	1.12
Forward jet $\eta_J > 4.0$	233	13007.30	2151.15	307.67	381.04	46.82	503.22	16397.19	1.82
$E_T > 40 \text{ GeV}$	155	963.20	129.38	85.81	342.18	19.11	388.25	1927.93	3.48
$\Delta\phi_{E_T j} > 0.4$	133	439.79	61.80	63.99	287.10	14.53	337.14	1204.35	3.76
$m_{bb}^1 \in [95, 125], m_{bb}^2 \in [90, 125]$	54.5	28.69	5.89	6.68	5.14	1.42	17.41	65.23	6.04
$m_{4b} > 290 \text{ GeV}$	49.2	10.98	1.74	2.90	1.39	1.21	11.01	29.23	7.51

Table 2: A summary table of event selections to optimise the signal with respect to the backgrounds in terms of the weights at  $10 \text{ ab}^{-1}$ . In the first column the selection criteria are given as described in the text. The second column contains the weights of the signal process  $p e^- \rightarrow hh j v_e$ , where both the Higgs bosons decay to  $b\bar{b}$  pair. In the next columns the sum of weights of all individual prominent backgrounds in charged current, neutral current and photo-production are given with each selection, whereas in the penultimate column all backgrounds' weights are added. The significance is calculated at each stage of the optimised selection criteria using the formula  $S = \sqrt{2[(S + B) \log(1 + S/B) - S]}$ , where  $S$  and  $B$  are the expected signal and background yields at a luminosity of  $10 \text{ ab}^{-1}$  respectively. This optimisation has been performed for  $E_e = 60 \text{ GeV}$  and  $E_n = 50 \text{ TeV}$ .

$$S = \sqrt{2[(S + B) \log(1 + S/B) - S]},$$

# Exotic Higgs Searches in ep



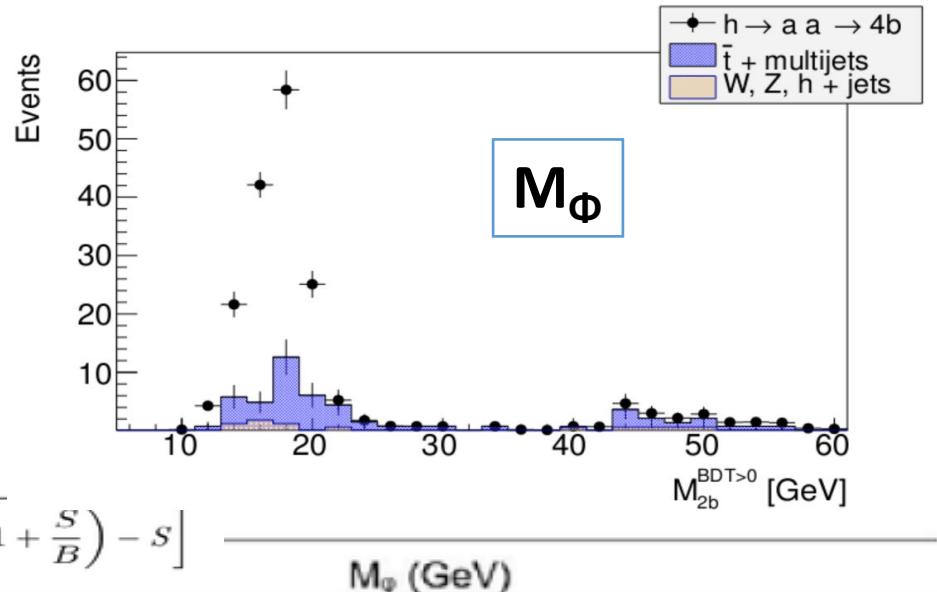
# Exotic Higgs @ FCC-eh

Example:  $h \rightarrow \phi\phi \rightarrow 4b$

$L=1 \text{ ab}^{-1}$   
 $P_e=-80\%$

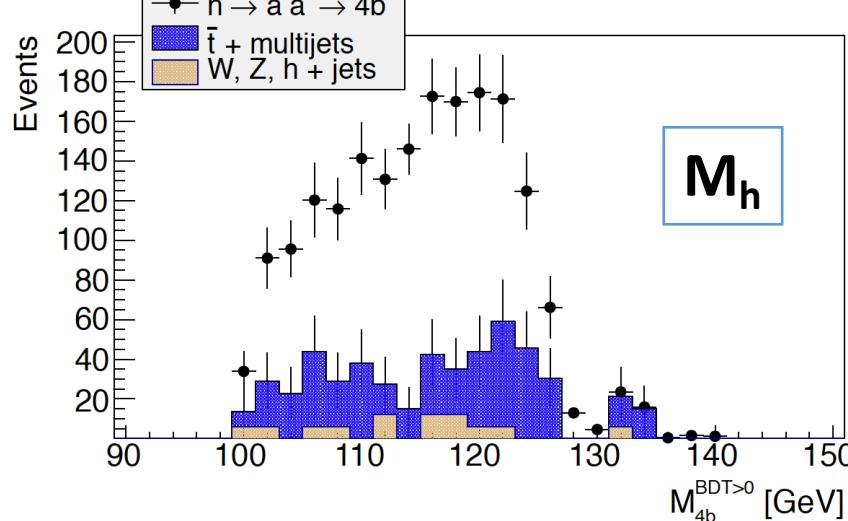
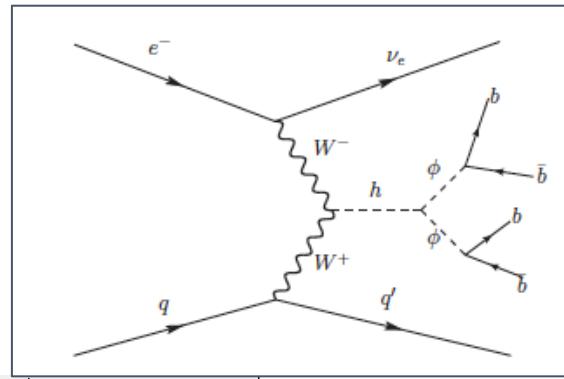
Values for BDT>0

$m_\phi = 20 \text{ GeV}$   
BR=10%



$$Z = \frac{\sqrt{2 \left[ (S+B) \ln \left( 1 + \frac{S}{B} \right) - S \right]}}{M_\phi (\text{GeV})}$$

BR (%)	20		60			
	$\sigma (\text{fb})$	$\Delta\sigma (\text{fb})$	$Z$	$\sigma (\text{fb})$	$\Delta\sigma (\text{fb})$	$Z$
0.2	0.03	0.02	1.14	0.03	0.03	1.17
0.4	0.05	0.02	2.27	0.07	0.03	2.33
0.6	0.08	0.02	3.37	0.10	0.03	3.47
0.8	0.10	0.02	4.46	0.13	0.03	4.59
1	0.13	0.03	5.54	0.17	0.03	5.71

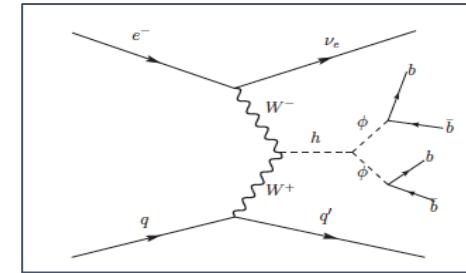
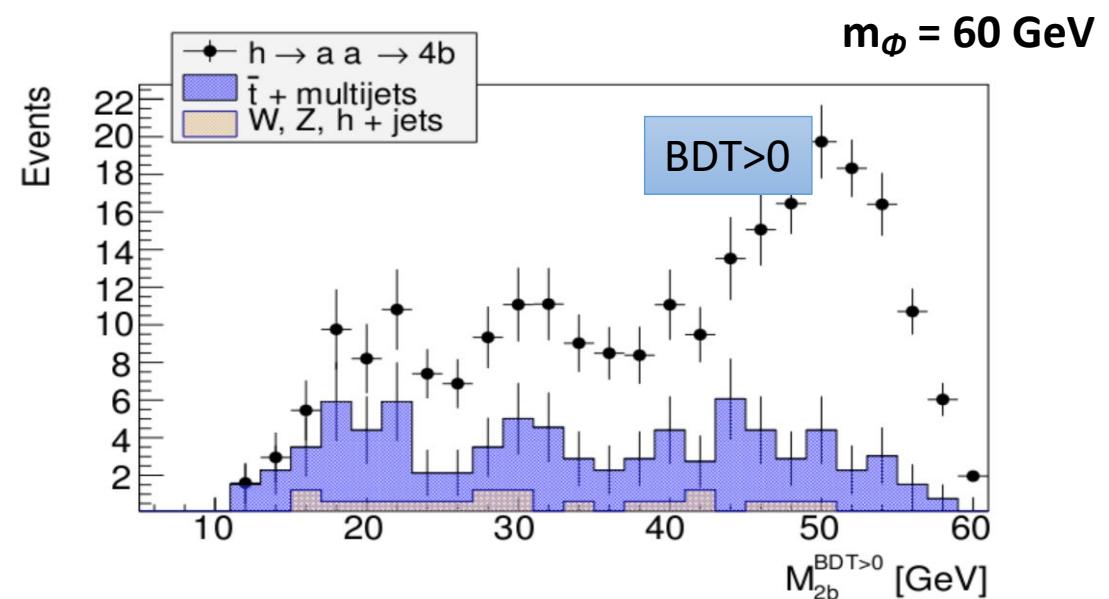
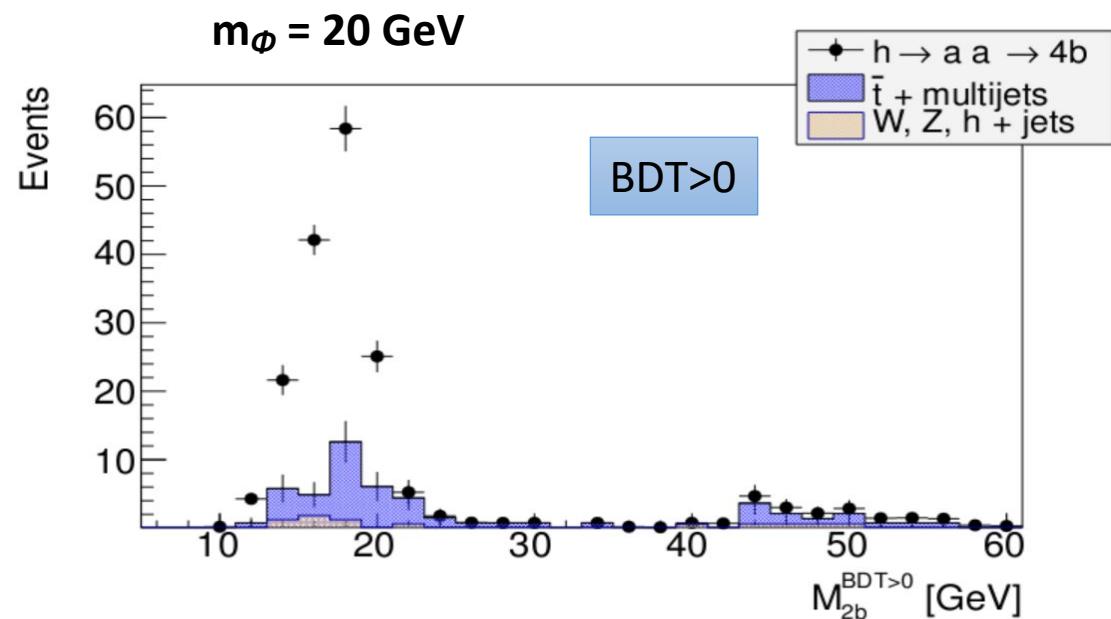
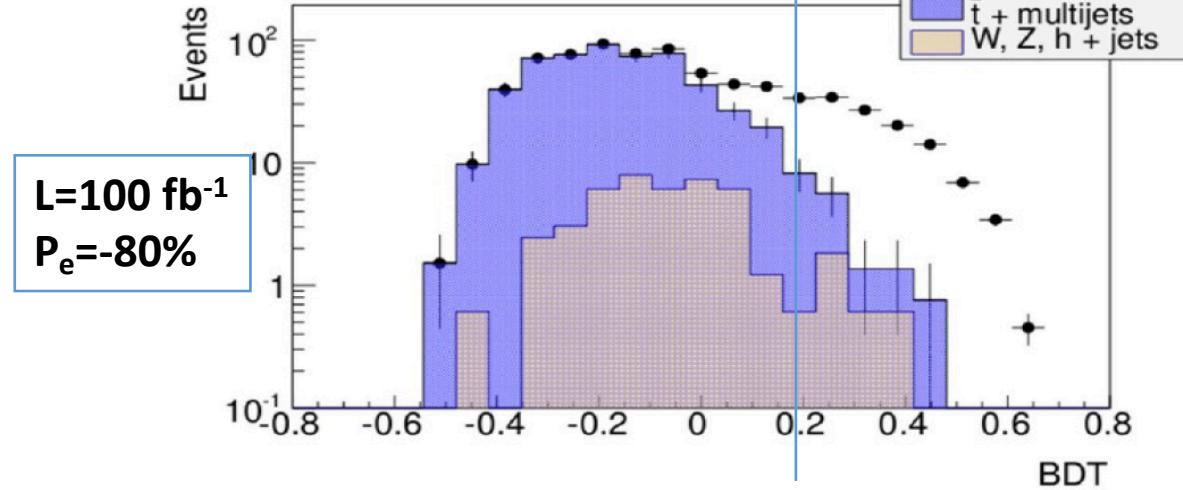
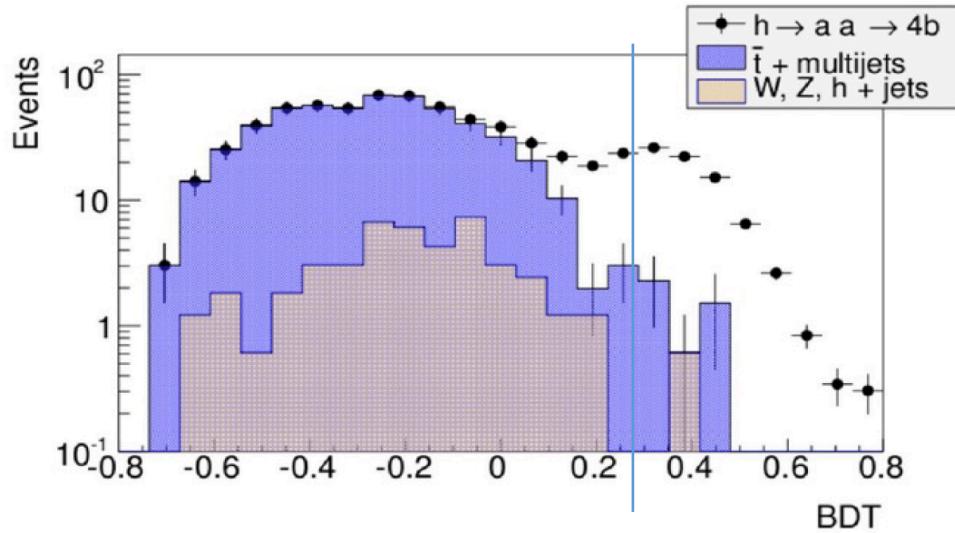


Very promising first results to discover an exotic Higgs decay into two new light scalars at FCC-eh down to a BR of 1% for  $1 \text{ ab}^{-1}$ . A BR of 10% could be discovered within 1 year ( $100 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ).

MG5 model and  
LHeC results  
[arXiv:1608.0845  
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# BDT Analysis @ BR=10%

Delphes-detector level with b-tag  $|\eta|<2.5$

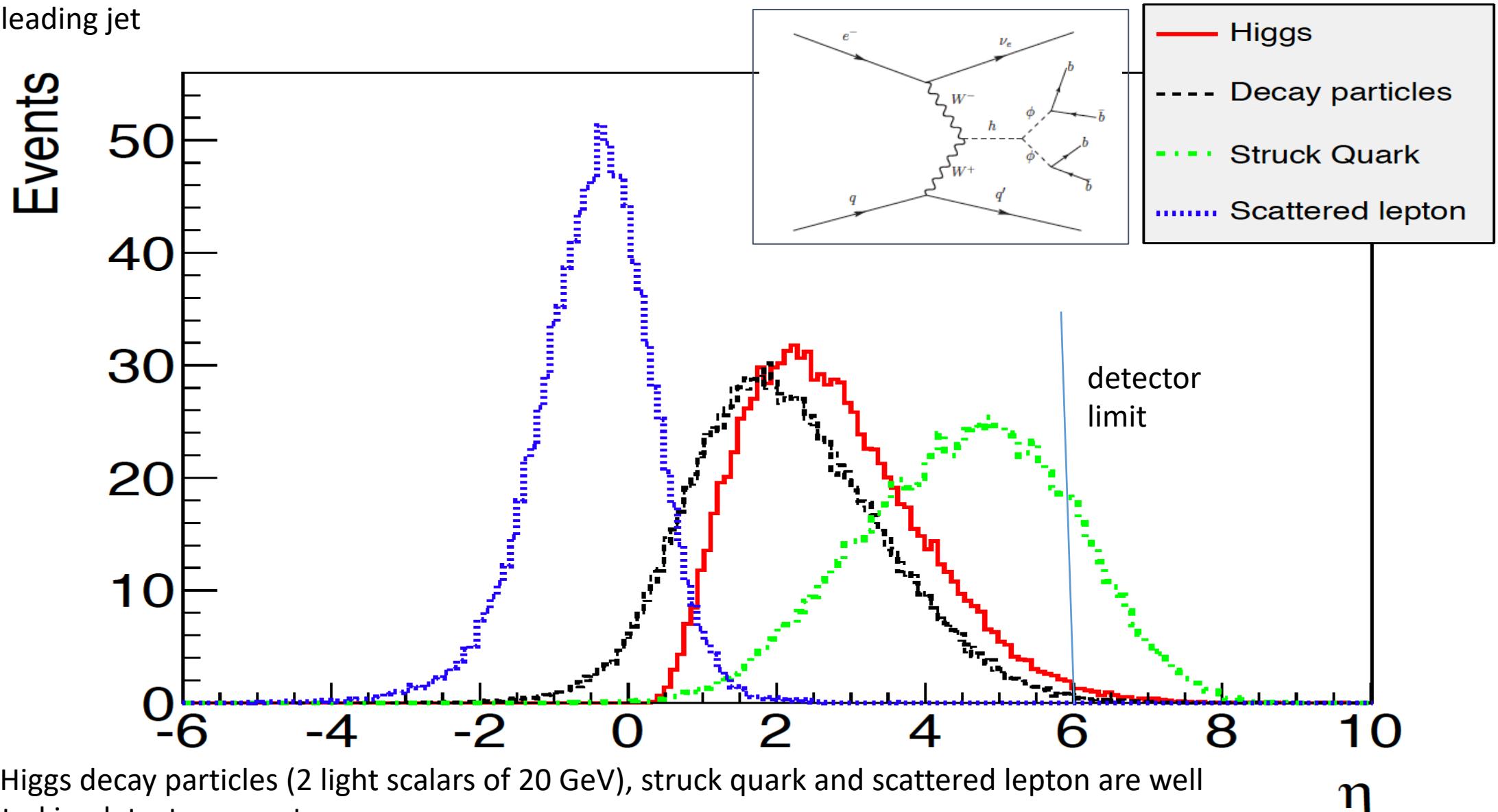


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# $\eta$ Distributions at FCC-eh

Parton-level

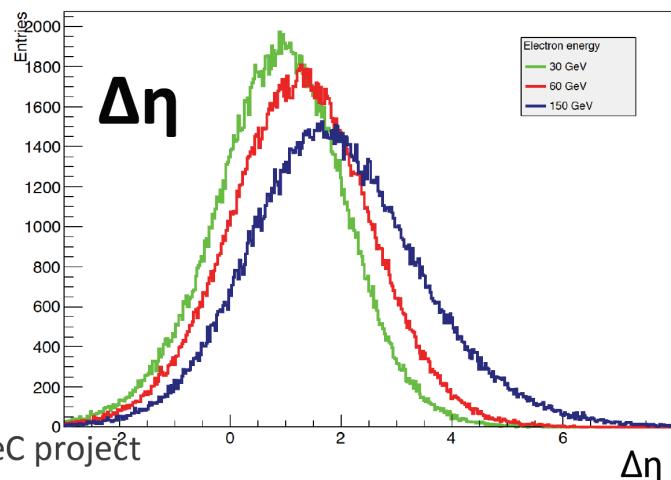
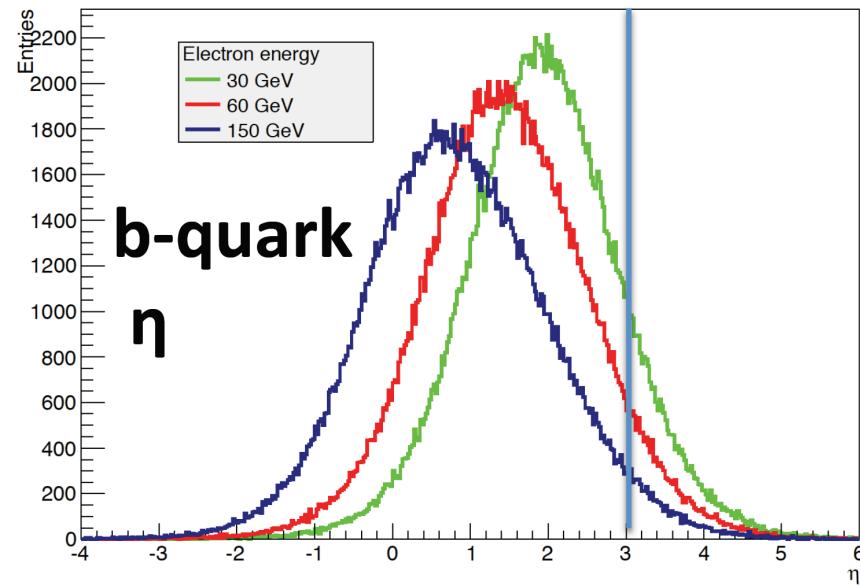
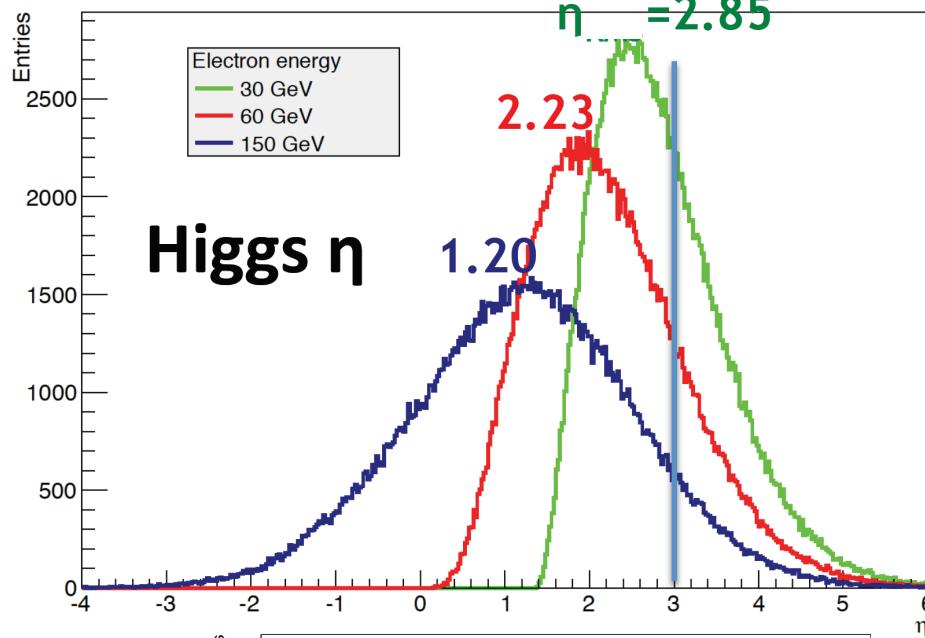
Scale:  $p_T$  of leading jet



# Higgs acceptance vs $E_e$

[after Higgs discovery  $M_H=125$  GeV,  $E_p=7$  TeV]

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- lowering of electron beam energy (more cost efficient) will challenge more detector design: worse separation between higgs and forward jet ( $\Delta\eta$  shrinks by 1 unit) and b-quarks from Higgs decay are more forward
- **stick with 60 GeV**  $E_e$ : decay products of Higgs scattered at  $\sim 28^\circ$  ( $\eta \sim 1.4$ )