

# FCC-he

## Update on SM Higgs Studies

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# SM Higgs Production in ep

## CC : LO SM Higgs Production

e-p (swap charges for e+p)

e- u -> ve h d

e- d -> ve h u

electrons →

$E_T^{miss}$

WWH

LHC protons →

Fwd jet

around 90-80%

around 10-20%

## NC : LO SM Higgs Production

e-p (swap charges for e+p)

e- d -> e- h d

e- u -> e- h u

electrons →

FS electron

ZZH

LHC protons →

Fwd jet

around 1/3

around 1/3

## Total cross section [fb]

(LO QCD CTEQ6L1  $M_H=125$  GeV)

c.m.s. energy	1.3 TeV LHeC	3.5 TeV FCC-he
CC DIS	109	560
NC DIS	21	127
P=-80%		
CC DIS	<b>196</b>	<b>1008</b>
NC DIS	<b>25</b>	<b>148</b>

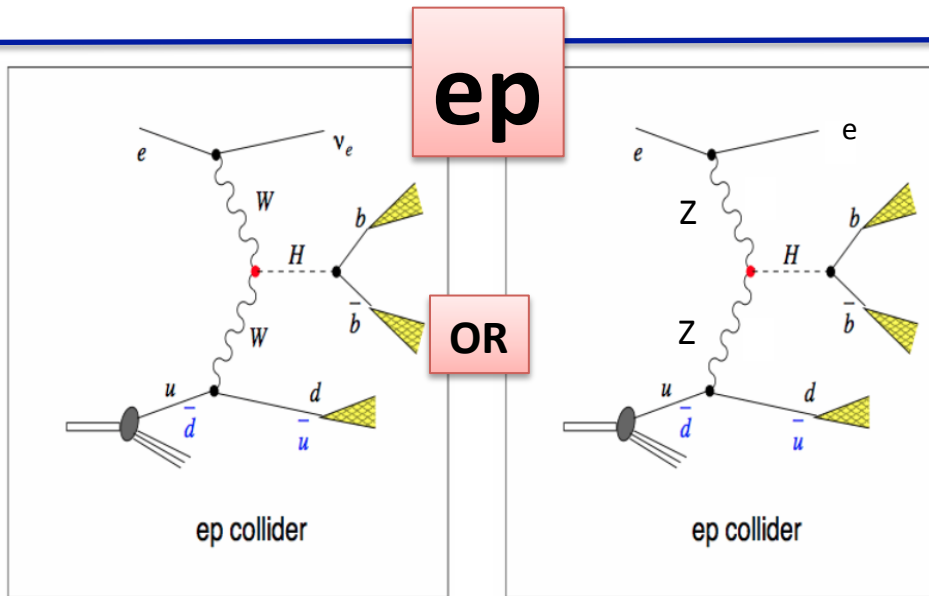
→ In ep, direction of quark (FS) is well defined.

- Scale dependencies of the LO calculations are in the range of 5-10%.
- 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]

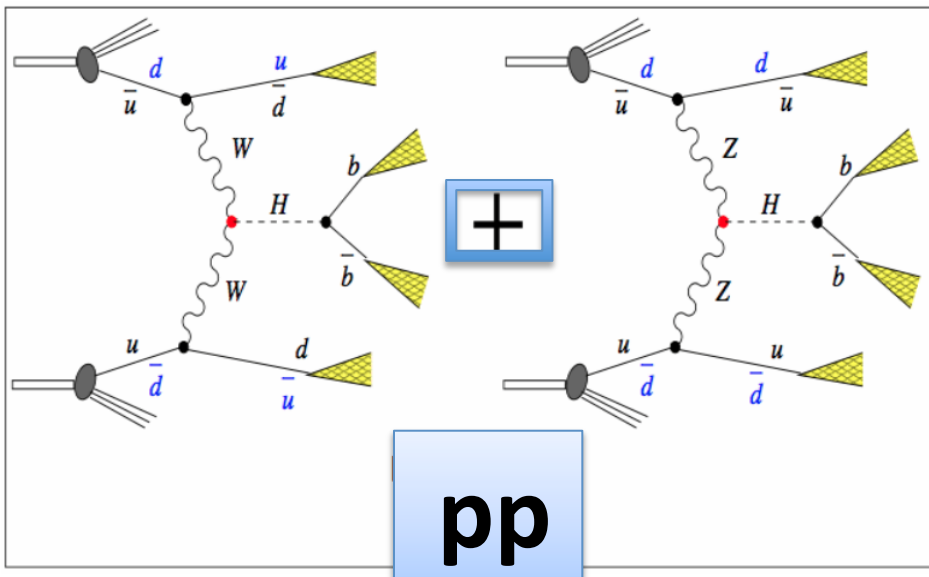
# VBF Higgs Production in ep (top)

# and pp (bottom)



ep

OR



pp

**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

**VBF: Small theoretical uncertainties!**

**pp:** Higgs production in pp comes predominantly from  $gg \rightarrow H$  :

**high rates crucial for rare decays**

LHC VBF cross section about 200 fb (about as large as at the LHeC).

**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

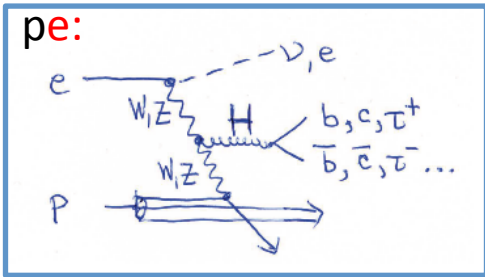
**Final Precision in pp needs accurate N<sup>3</sup>LO PDFs &  $\alpha_s$**

# Higgs in $ee$ vs $pe$

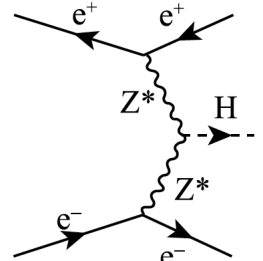
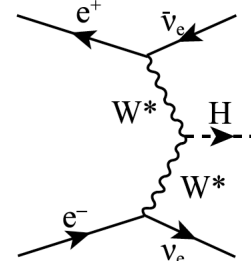
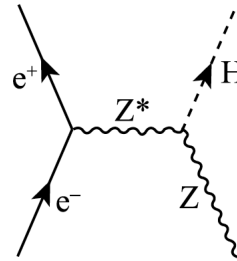
$ee$ : Dominant Higgs productions

$pe$ :

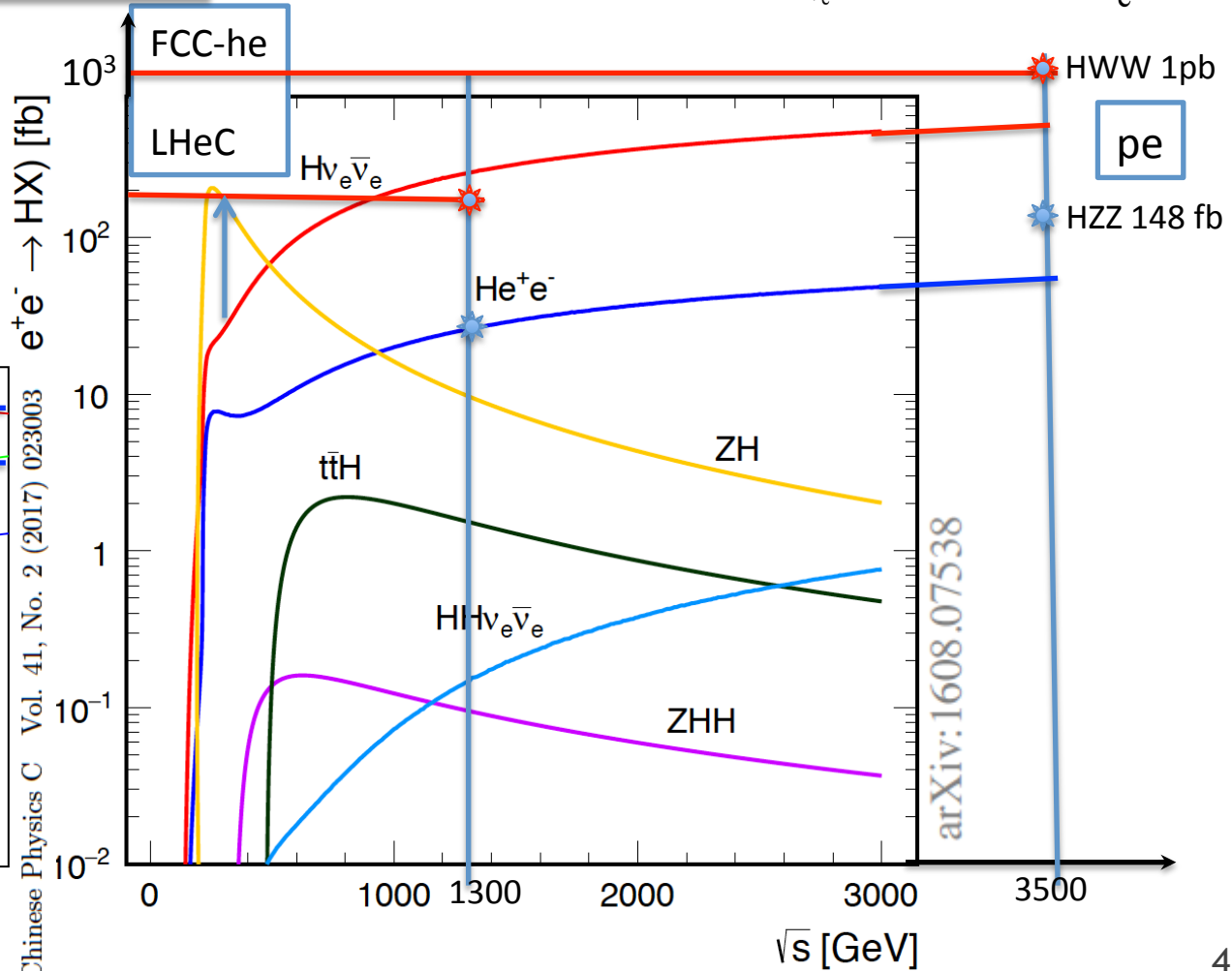
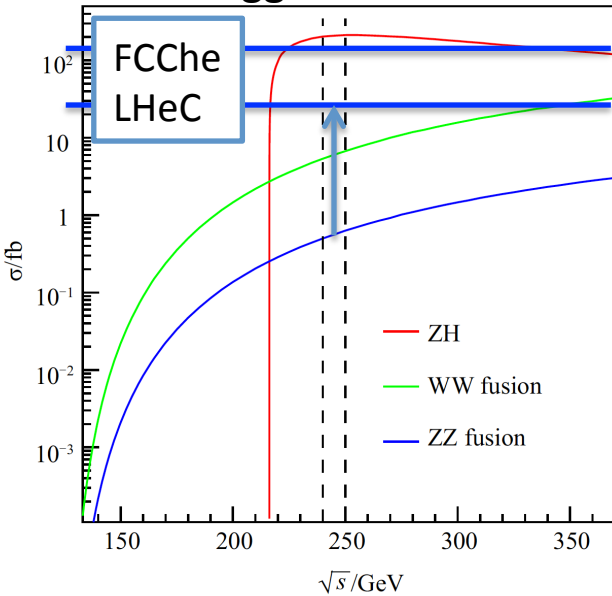
$pe$ : WW Fusion



$pe$ : ZZ Fusion



vs CEPC Higgs cross sections



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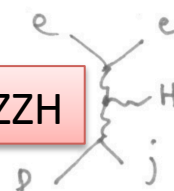


# Kinematics and $M_H$ : ee vs pe

ee: ZZH



ep:ZZH



$$j_e := (e+j)$$

$x_{Ep}$ : quark in DIS carries fraction  $x$  of initial proton energy

$$(p_e^- + p_e^+)^2 = S = (p_H + p_Z)^2 = M_H^2 + M_Z^2 + 2(E_H E_Z - \vec{p}_H \cdot \vec{p}_Z)$$

$$p_e^+ = (E_e, -E_e, \vec{0}_\perp), p_e^- = (E_e, E_e, \vec{0}_\perp)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow 2E_e &= E_H + E_Z \\ \vec{p}_H &= -\vec{p}_Z \end{aligned}$$

$$S = M_H^2 + M_Z^2 + 2(E_Z \cdot (2E_e - E_Z)) + 2p_Z^2$$

$$S = M_H^2 + M_Z^2 - 2M_Z^2 + 4E_e \cdot E_e$$

$$S = M_H^2 - M_Z^2 + 2\sqrt{s} \cdot E_e$$

$$\rightarrow M_H^2 = S + M_Z^2 - 2\sqrt{s} \cdot E_e$$

ee:  $x=1$  no PDF or form factor involved

$$(p_e + p_p)^2 = S = 4E_e E_p x M_H^2 + M_{j_e}^2 + 2(E_H \cdot E_{j_e} - \vec{p}_H \cdot \vec{p}_{j_e})$$

$$p_e = (E_e, -E_e, \vec{0}), p_p = (x E_p, x E_p, \vec{0})$$

$$E_e + x E_p = E_H + E_{j_e} ; (\vec{p}_H + \vec{p}_{j_e})_z = x E_p - E_e$$

$$\begin{aligned} S &= M_H^2 + M_{j_e}^2 + 2 E_{j_e} \cdot (E_e + x E_p - E_{j_e}) - 2 \vec{p}_{j_e} \cdot [x E_p - E_e] \\ &= M_H^2 + M_{j_e}^2 - 2 M_{j_e}^2 + 2 E_{j_e} (E_e + E_p) - 2 \vec{p}_{j_e} \cdot (E_p - E_e) \end{aligned}$$

$$\rightarrow M_H^2 = S + M_{j_e}^2 - 2(E_e \cdot x p) \cdot E_{j_e} + 2(x p - E_e) \cdot \vec{p}_{j_e}$$

for  $x E_p = E_e$ ,  $j_e = Z$  this is equivalent to  $M_H$  in  $e^+e^-$

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$\rightarrow x$  in DIS can be determined via electron angle and energy or inclusive hadron kinematics or combinations of it

# Some ILC Results

$$\sqrt{s} = 500 \text{ GeV}$$

4-jet channel:  
Signal eff. ~67%  
and sample purity 4%  
→ pre-selection  
required trained NN

Process	$\epsilon$ (%)	$\sigma_{\text{eff}}$ (fb)
$ZH \rightarrow q\bar{q}H$	67.27	31.08
$ZH \rightarrow \ell^+\ell^-H$	1.48	0.10
$q\bar{q}$ (5 flavors)	6.76	290.96
$t\bar{t}$	4.26	24.79
$W^+W^-$	5.00	391.07
$ZZ$	12.30	70.11
<i>Total Bckg</i>		747.03

<https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ex/9912041v1>

see also ILC reference design report :

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/0709.1893.pdf>

SMALL signal cross sections  
similar like in ep!

Table 2: Hadronic channel preselection efficiencies and effective cross-sections.

$$ZH \rightarrow \ell^+\ell^-H, \ell = e, \mu : \quad (\Delta M_H)_{\text{stat}} \simeq 160 \text{ MeV}, \quad \left( \frac{\Delta g_{ZZH}}{g_{ZZH}} \right)_{\text{stat}} \simeq 3.8\%,$$

$$\text{hadronic:} \quad ZH \rightarrow q\bar{q}H : \quad (\Delta M_H)_{\text{stat}} \simeq 50 \text{ MeV}, \quad \left( \frac{\Delta g_{ZZH}}{g_{ZZH}} \right)_{\text{stat}} \simeq 0.7\%,$$

assuming  $\int \mathcal{L} dt = 500 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  of integrated luminosity.

## IMPORTANT LESSONs:

It was found very important to use sophisticated tools like various Neural Networks and kinematic fitting of the Higgs mass;

And: it is crucial to reach high luminosity and excellent detector performance!

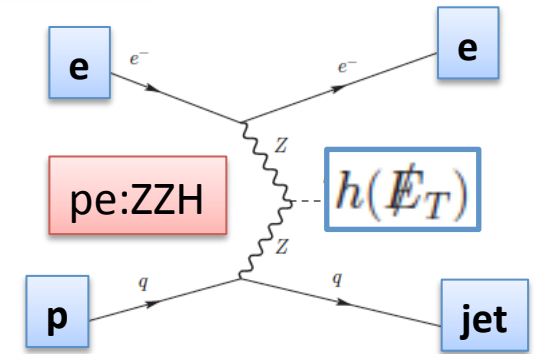
→ certainly very interesting to follow up for pe as well, but obviously non-trivial

# Branching for invisible Higgs

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

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




- ✓ Uses ZZH fusion process to estimate prospects of Higgs to invisible decay using *standard cut/BDT analysis techniques*
- ✓ Results for full MG5+Delphes analyses look very encouraging for a measurement of the branching of Higgs to invisible in ep down to 1.7% to 1.2% for 1 to 2  $\text{ab}^{-1}$
- ✓ 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%  $\rightarrow$  all well within uncertainties of projections of  $\sim 25\%$
- employ further synergies within LHC community and HL-LHC&FCC study group  $\rightarrow$  further detector and analysis details have certainly an impact on results

# LHeC@HL-LHC: Higgs rates @ 1 ab<sup>-1</sup>

**Baseline:** For first time a realistic option of an 1 ab<sup>-1</sup> ep collider (stronger e-source, stronger focussing magnets) and excellent performance of LHC (higher brightness of proton beam) → full MG5 + Pythia + Delphes feasibility studies

→ used for extrapolations to FCC-he

$\sqrt{s} = 1.3 \text{ TeV}$	LHeC Higgs		CC ( $e^-p$ )	NC ( $e^-p$ )	CC ( $e^+p$ )
		Polarisation		-0.8	-0.8
	Luminosity [ab <sup>-1</sup> ]		1	1	0.1
	Cross Section [fb]		196	25	58
	Decay	BrFraction	$N_{CC}^H e^-p$	$N_{NC}^H e^-p$	$N_{CC}^H e^+p$
 <p><i>pp</i>: perfect Higgs factory for gluon-induced rare decays</p>	$H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$	<u>0.577</u>	113 100	13 900	3 350
	$H \rightarrow c\bar{c}$	0.029	5 700	700	170
	$H \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$	0.063	12 350	1 600	370
	$H \rightarrow \mu\mu$	0.00022	50	5	–
	$H \rightarrow 4l$	0.00013	30	3	–
	$H \rightarrow 2l2\nu$	0.0106	2 080	250	60
	$H \rightarrow gg$	0.086	16 850	2 050	500
	$H \rightarrow WW$	0.215	42 100	5 150	1 250
	$H \rightarrow ZZ$	0.0264	5 200	600	150
	$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	<u>0.00228</u>	450	60	15
$H \rightarrow Z\gamma$	0.00154	300	40	10	

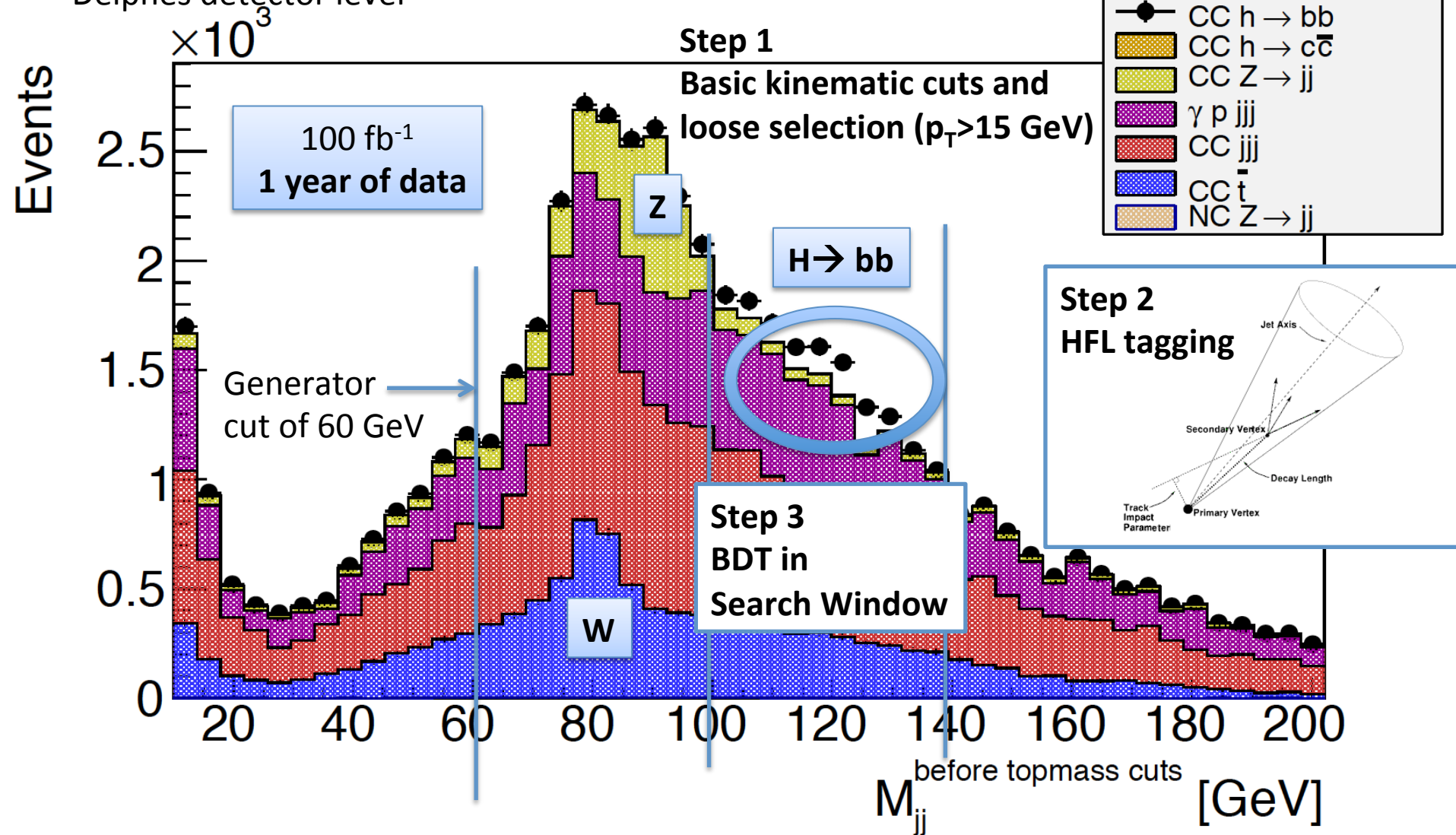
Ultimate polarised e-beam of 60 GeV and LHC 7 TeV p-beams, 10 years of operation

→ Decay to bb is dominating decay mode : **58%**

Higgs decay to charm is factor 20 less likely than Hbb

# Dijet Mass Candidates *HFL* *untagged*

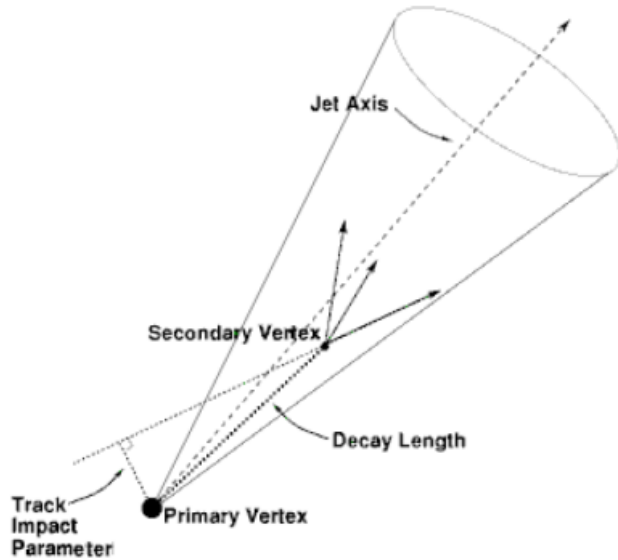
Delphes detector level



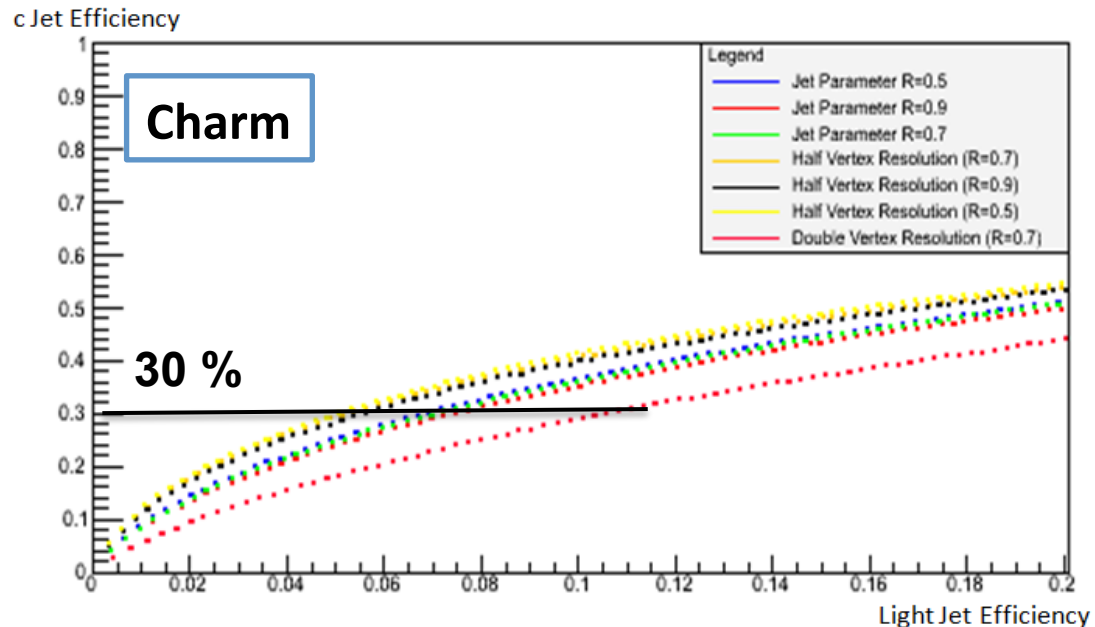
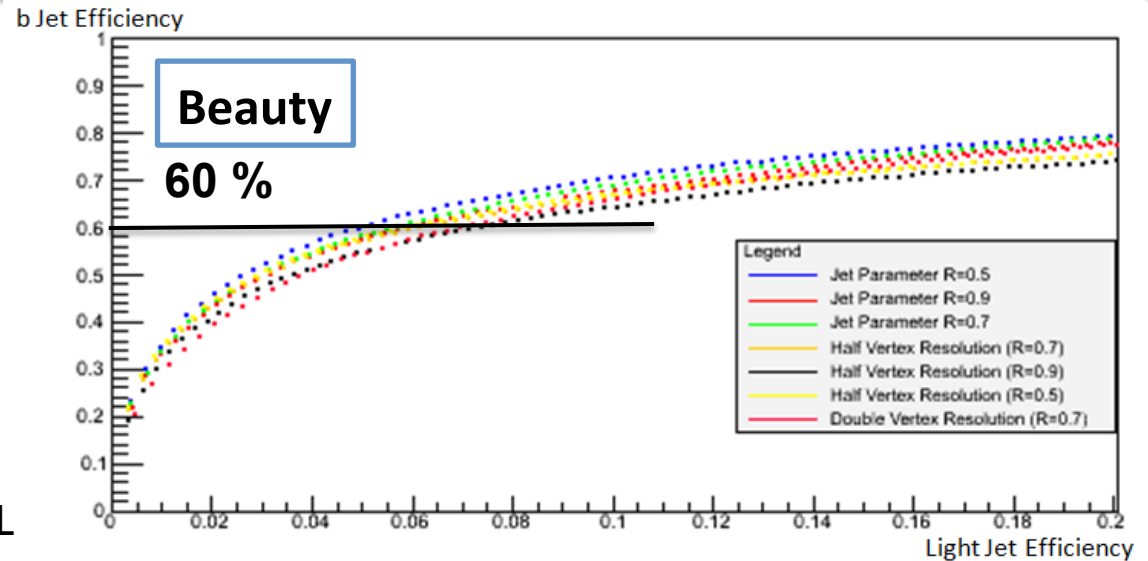
**'Worst' case scenario plot** : Photoproduction background (PHP) is assumed to be 100%!  
 $\rightarrow$  However, addition of small angle electron taggers will reduce PHP to  $\sim 1-2\%$

# HFL Tagging

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- Realistic and conservative HFL tagging within Delphes realised, and dependence on vertex resolution (nominal 10  $\mu\text{m}$ ) and anti-kt jet radius studied
- Light jet rejection very conservative, i.e. factor 10 worse than ATLAS
- **used in full LHeC analysis and for FCC-eh extrapolations**



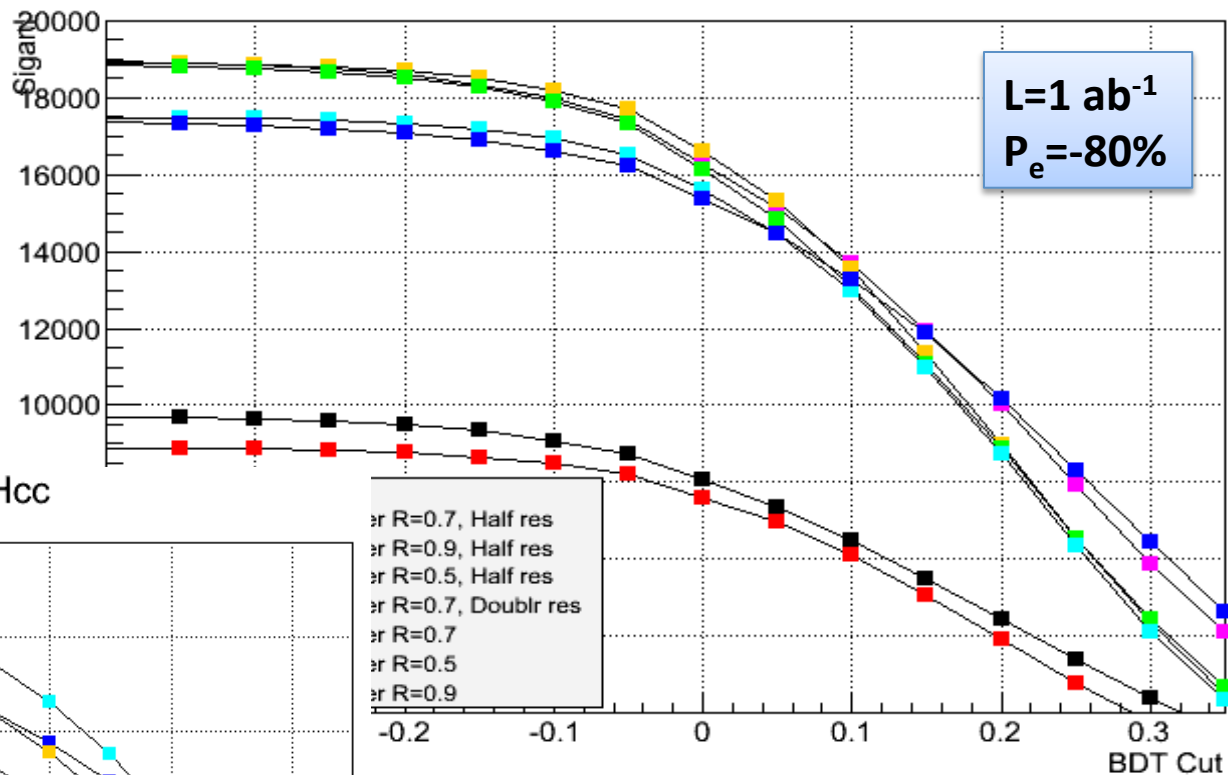


# BDT Results for Higgs @ LHeC

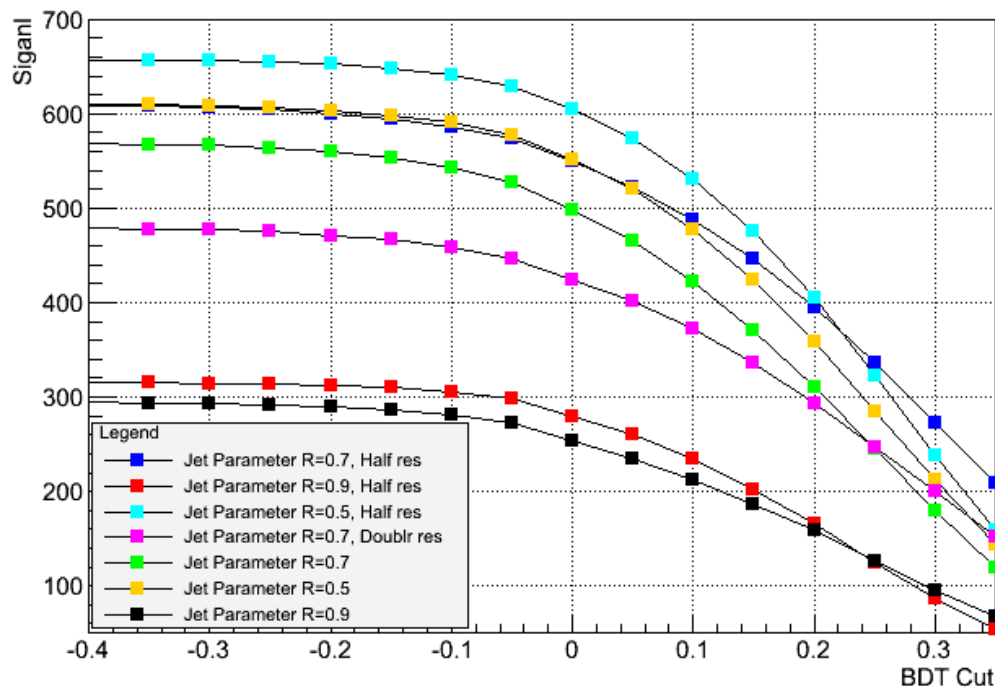
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Signal Events Hbb

Hbb : Clear sensitivity to chosen jet radius; rather robust w.r.t. vertex resolution in range of 5 to 20  $\mu\text{m}$

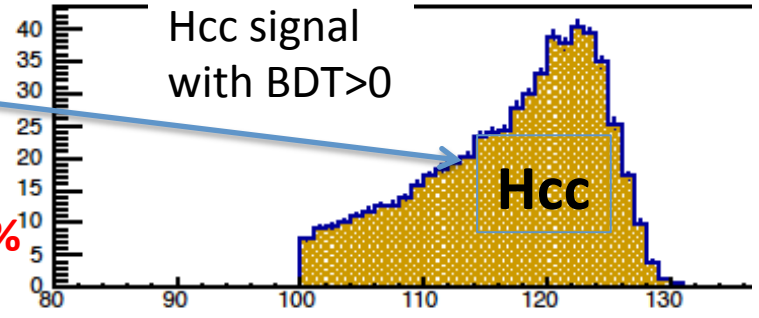
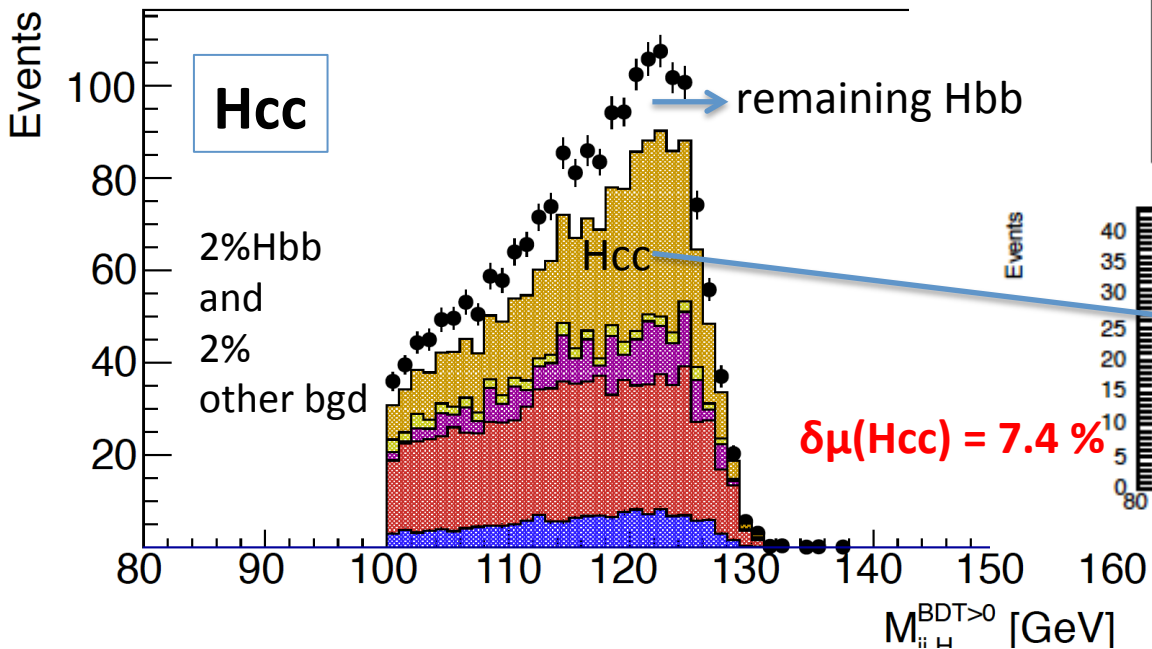
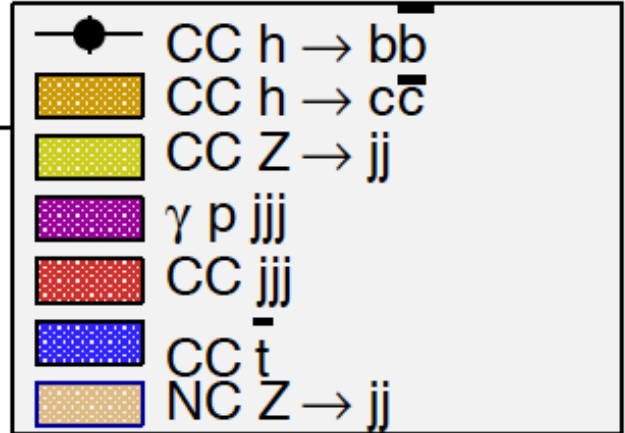
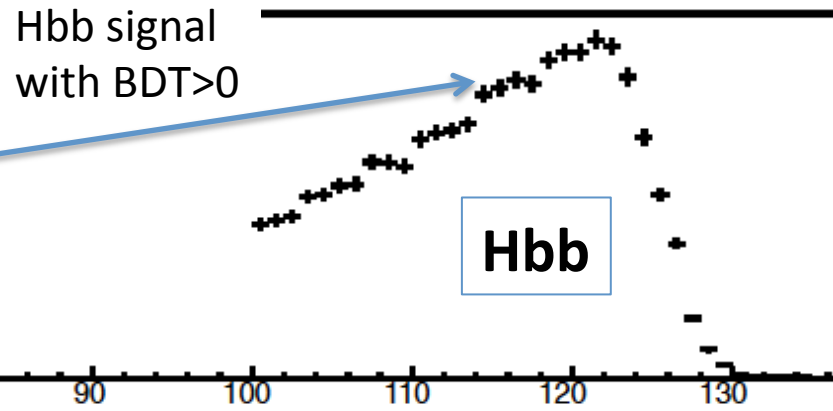
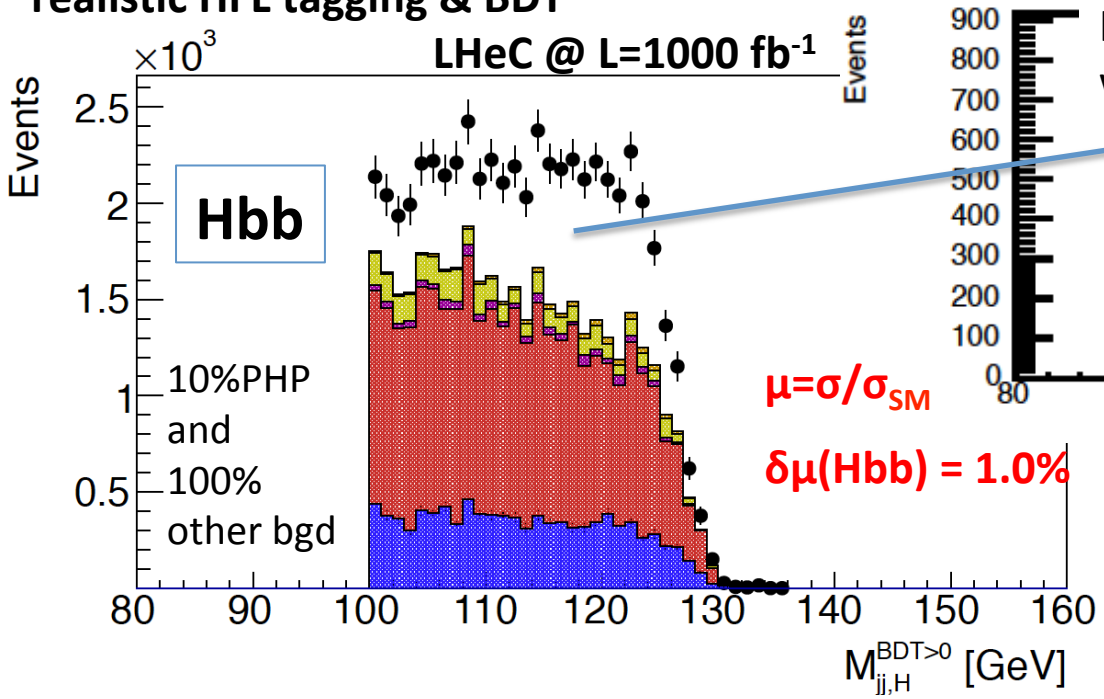


Signal Events Hcc



Hcc : High sensitivity to vertex resolution (nominal 10  $\mu\text{m}$ ) and jet radius  
 $\rightarrow$  expect about 400-600 Hcc candidates

realistic HFL tagging & BDT



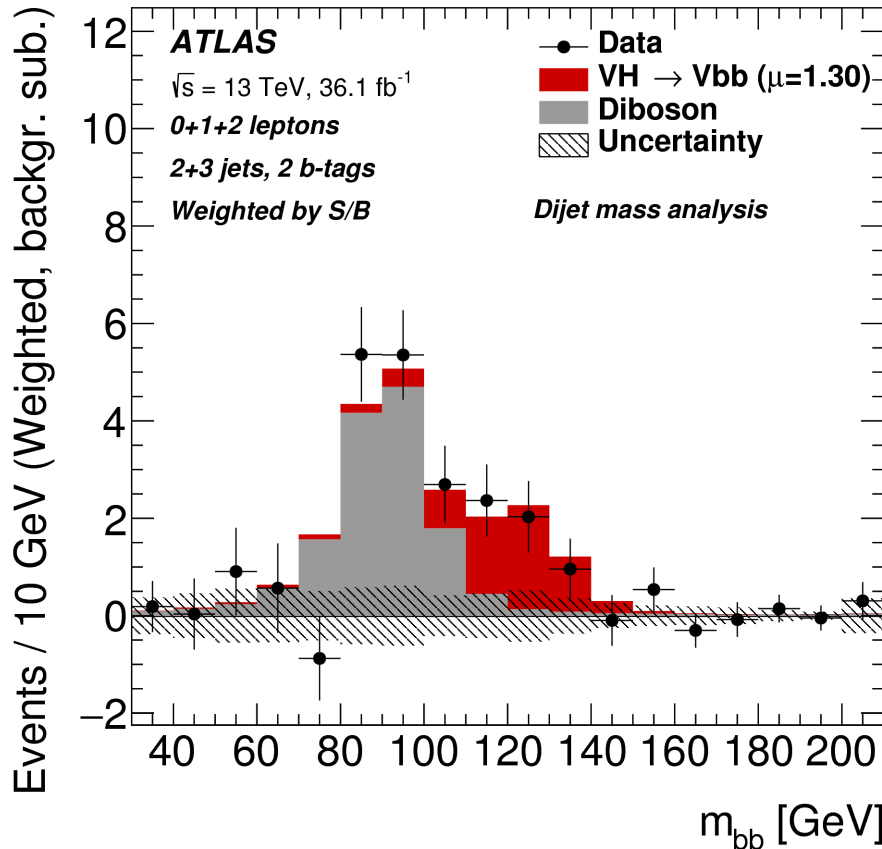


# LHC: First $3\sigma$ Hbb Evidence!

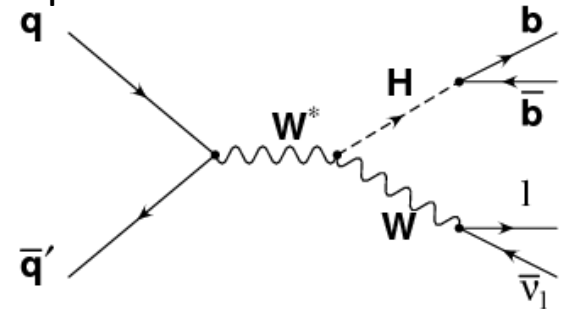
ATLAS, Aug 2017, sub. to JHEP

<https://arxiv.org/abs/1708.03299>

- use Higgs  $\rightarrow$  bb in associated production with a W or Z boson
- explore various final states (e.g.  $Z \rightarrow \nu\nu$ ,  $W \rightarrow l\nu$ ,  $Z \rightarrow ll$  categories)
- Run-I and II combined, S/B-weighted categories :  $\mu=0.9\pm0.28$ (stat+syst)



Example:

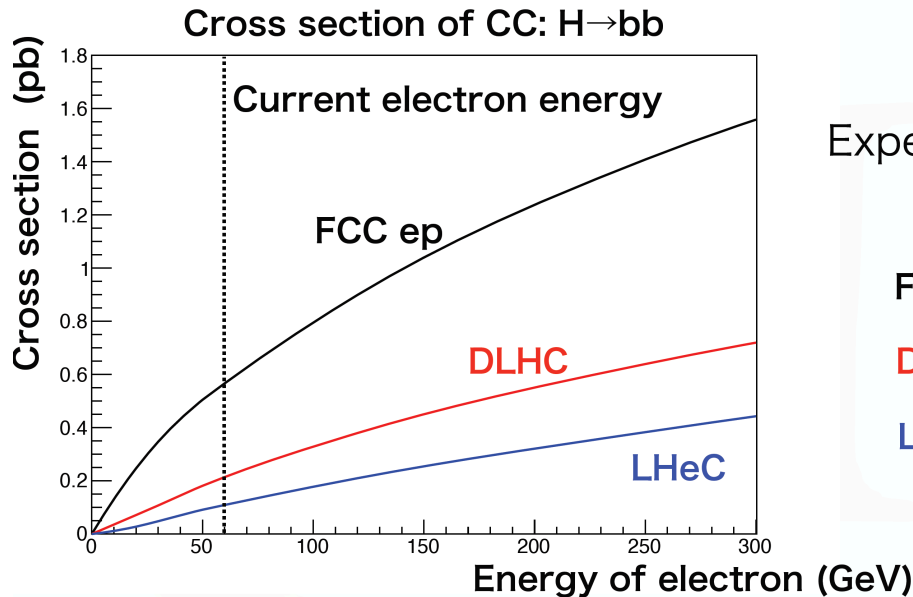


- ✓ Encouraging result for HL-LHC prospects
- ✓ **Very encouraging for prospects in ep that we can handle S/B  $\sim 10^{-3}$  processes with sophisticated analysis techniques**

**Hbb expectation @ LHeC for  $36 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  ( $\frac{1}{2}$  year data):  $\delta\mu \sim 7\text{-}8\%$  with significance of  $\sim 14$**

# SM Higgs into HFL Summary

- Assume a 60 GeV polarized electron beam and 1000 fb<sup>-1</sup> (~10 years running)
- Expected number of signal events and error of coupling constant from BDT results.
- Background assumed to be known to ~2%



Expected number of signal events  
( $E_e = 60$  GeV)

FCC ep (~85,000 H→bb events)

DLHC (~35,000 H→bb events)

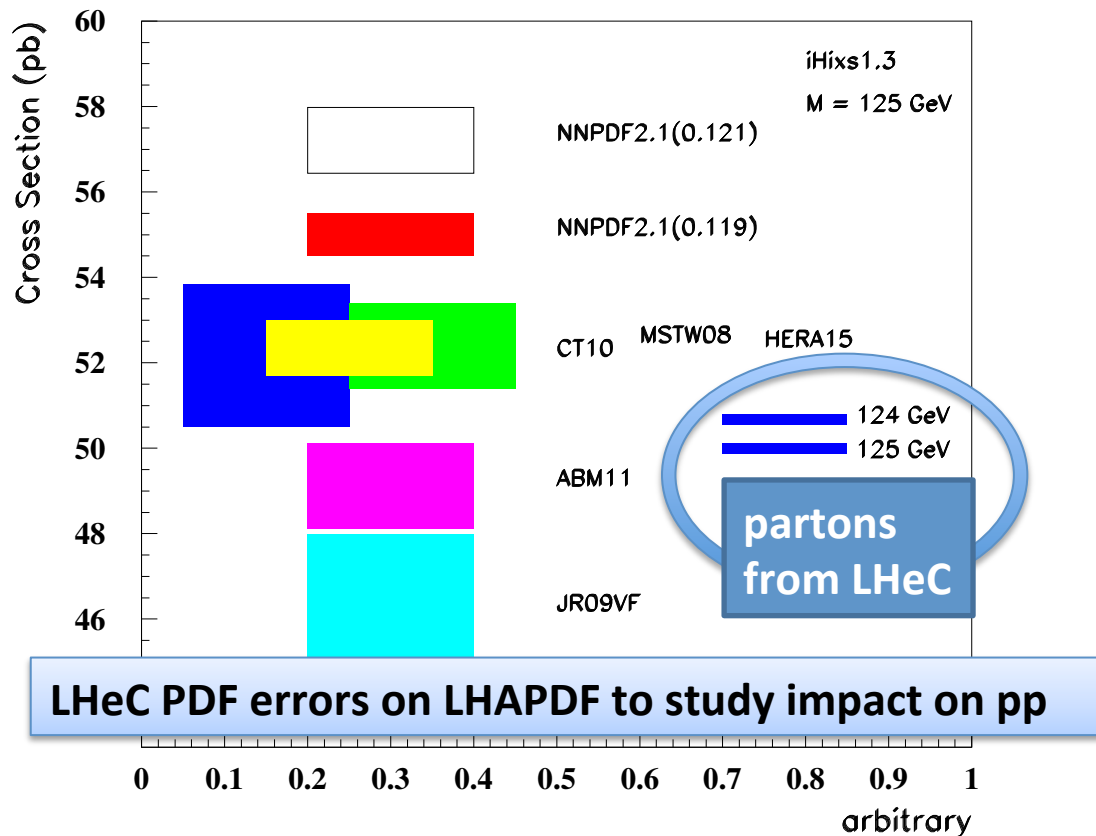
LHeC (~15,000 H→bb events)

$$\delta\kappa = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\delta\mu}{\mu}$$

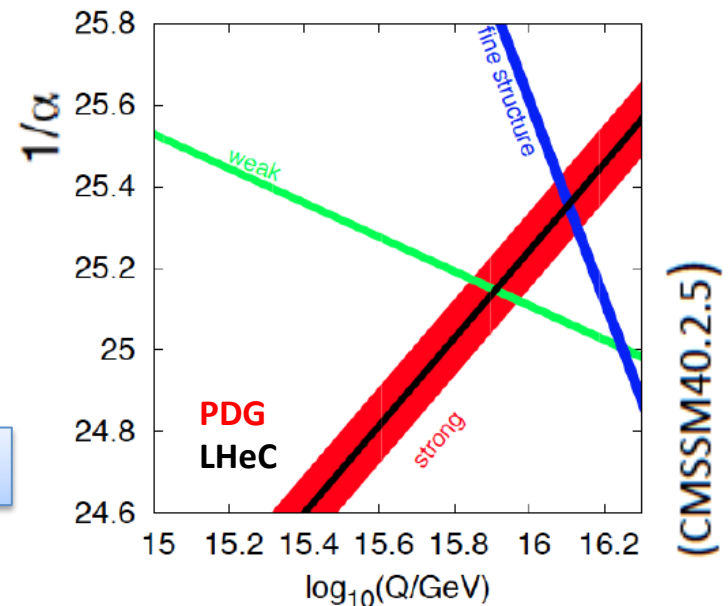
	LHeC ( $E_p = 7$ TeV $\sqrt{s} \sim 1.3$ TeV)	DLHC ( $E_p = 14$ TeV $\sqrt{s} \sim 1.8$ TeV)	FCC ep ( $E_p = 50$ TeV $\sqrt{s} \sim 3.5$ TeV)
$\kappa$ (Hbb)	0.5%	0.3%	0.2%
$\kappa$ (Hcc)	4%	2.8%	1.8%

# LHeC Precision Partons for Higgs@pp

- Using LHeC input: experimental uncertainty of predicted **LHC Higgs cross section** due to PDFs and  $\alpha_s$  is strongly reduced to  $< \sim 0.5\%$
  - *theoretically clean path to determine  $N^3\text{LO}$  PDFs* using ep DIS
  - *ALL those 'benefits' for pp within the first few years, using  $\sim 100 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  ep data*
- NNLO pp-Higgs Cross Sections at 14 TeV

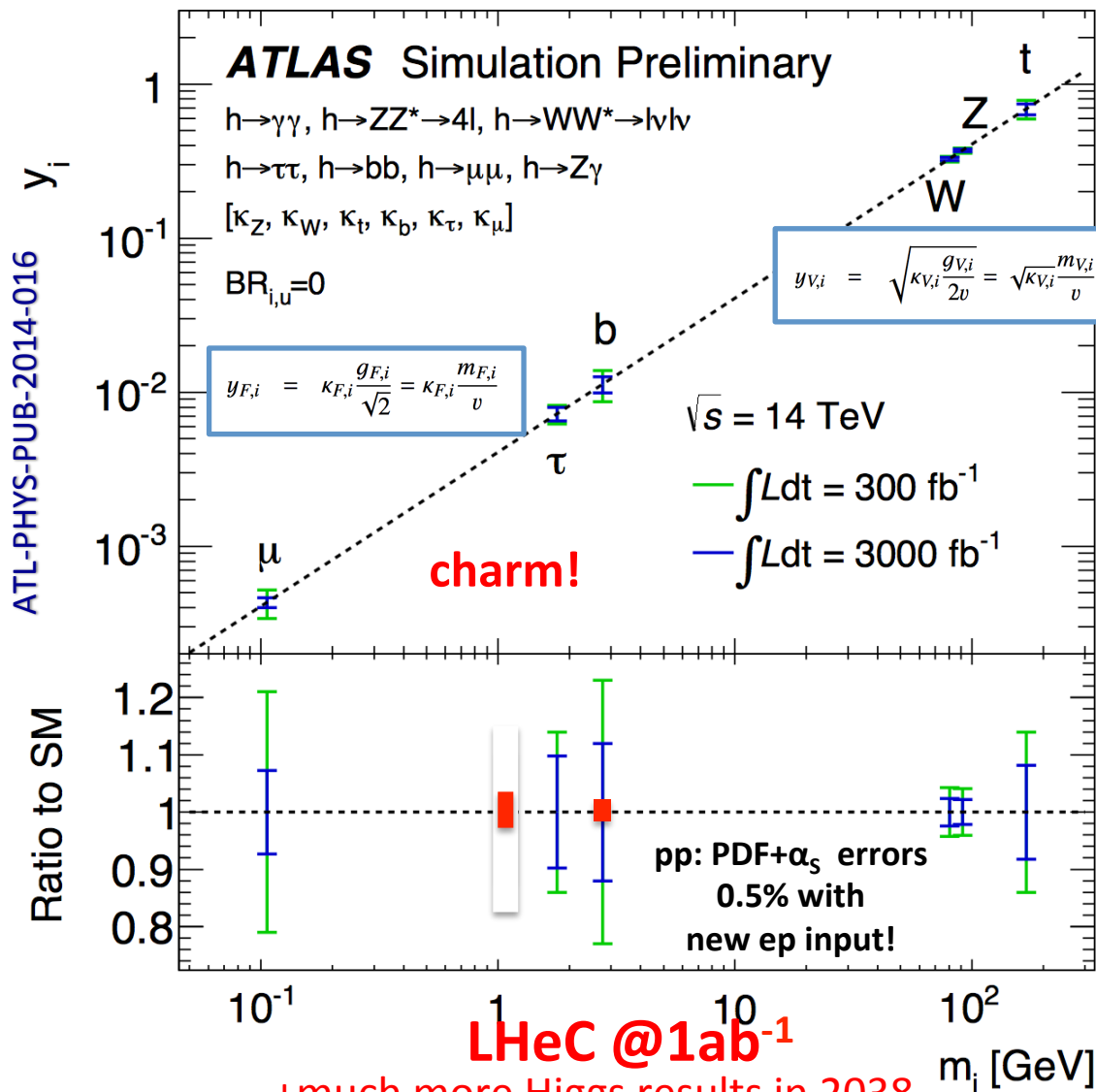


→ precision from LHeC can add a very significant constraint on the Higgs mass and challenge Lattice QCD calculations for  $\alpha_s$ :



# Higgs Couplings at pp + ep

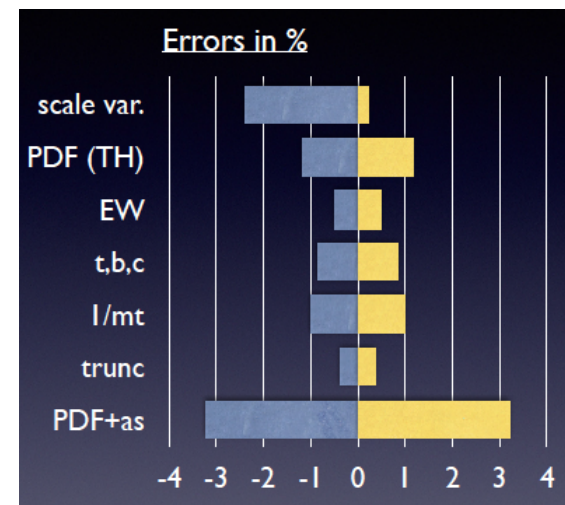
After HL-LHC and LHeC running in parallel for 10 years



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## Uncertainty on pp Higgs cross section

Giulia Zanderighi, Vietnam 9/16,  
 from C.Anastasiou et al, 1602.00695  
 who also discuss the ABM  $\alpha_s$ .



## Already with the first $\sim 100 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

- use **ep** as the 'near' detector for pp to beat the  $\alpha_s$  and PDF uncertainties from  $\sim 3\%$  to  $< \sim 0.5\%$ ,
- $\delta m_b$  to 10 MeV;  
 $\delta m_{\text{charm}}$  to 3 MeV

+much more Higgs results in 2038 ...  
 top, W, Z,  $\tau$ , ...under study

# New: 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 (c.f. appendix)
- 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,  $\varepsilon$ , achieved at LHC Run-1, see e.g. prospect calculations explored in arXiv:1511.05170
- Use fully simulated LHeC Hbb and Hcc results as baseline for S/B ranges
- Use fully simulated Higgs to invisible for 3 ep c.m.s. scenarios as guidance for extrapolation uncertainty ( $\sim 25\%$ )
- Estimate Higgs events per decay channel for certain Luminosity in [fb $^{-1}$ ]

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

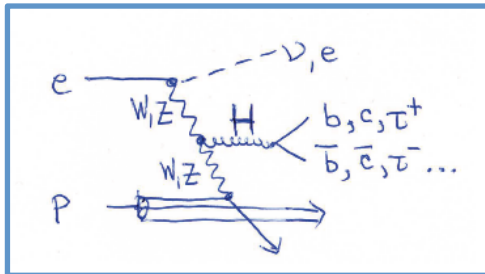
- Calculate uncertainties of signal strengths w.r.t. SM expectation  $\mu = \frac{\sigma}{\sigma_{SM}}$

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

# CC DIS WWH → H

 FCC-he L=2 ab<sup>-1</sup>

	bb	WW	gg	ττ	cc	ZZ	γγ
BR	<b>0.577</b>	<b>0.215</b>	<b>0.086</b>	<b>0.0632</b>	<b>0.0291</b>	<b>0.0264</b>	<b>0.00228</b>
δBR <sub>theory</sub>	3.2%	4.2%	10.1%	5.7%	12.2%	4.2%	5.0%
N	<b>1.15 10<sup>6</sup></b>	<b>4.3 10<sup>5</sup></b>	<b>1.72 10<sup>5</sup></b>	<b>1.26 10<sup>5</sup></b>	<b>5.8 10<sup>4</sup></b>	<b>5.2 10<sup>4</sup></b>	<b>4600</b>
f	2.86 <sub>BDT</sub>	16	7.4	5.9	5.6 <sub>BDT</sub>	8.9	3.23
δμ/μ [%]	<b>0.27</b>	<b>2.45</b>	<b>1.78</b>	<b>1.65</b>	<b>2.36</b>	<b>3.94</b>	<b>3.23</b>
$\delta\kappa = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\delta\mu}{\mu}$	0.14	0.61*	0.89	0.83	1.18	1.97	2.37



→ Sum of first 6 branching fractions that could be measured

LHeC : 0.9964 ± 0.02

**FCChE: 0.9964 ± 0.01**

pp: < 0.99 → cc? gg?

Further coupling constraints to be explored:

$$\sigma(WW \rightarrow H \rightarrow WW) \propto \kappa^4(HWW)$$

$$\sigma(WW \rightarrow H \rightarrow bb) \propto \kappa^2(HWW) \cdot \kappa^2(Hbb)$$

$$\sigma(WW \rightarrow H \rightarrow \tau\tau) \propto \kappa^2(HWW) \cdot \kappa^2(H\tau\tau)$$

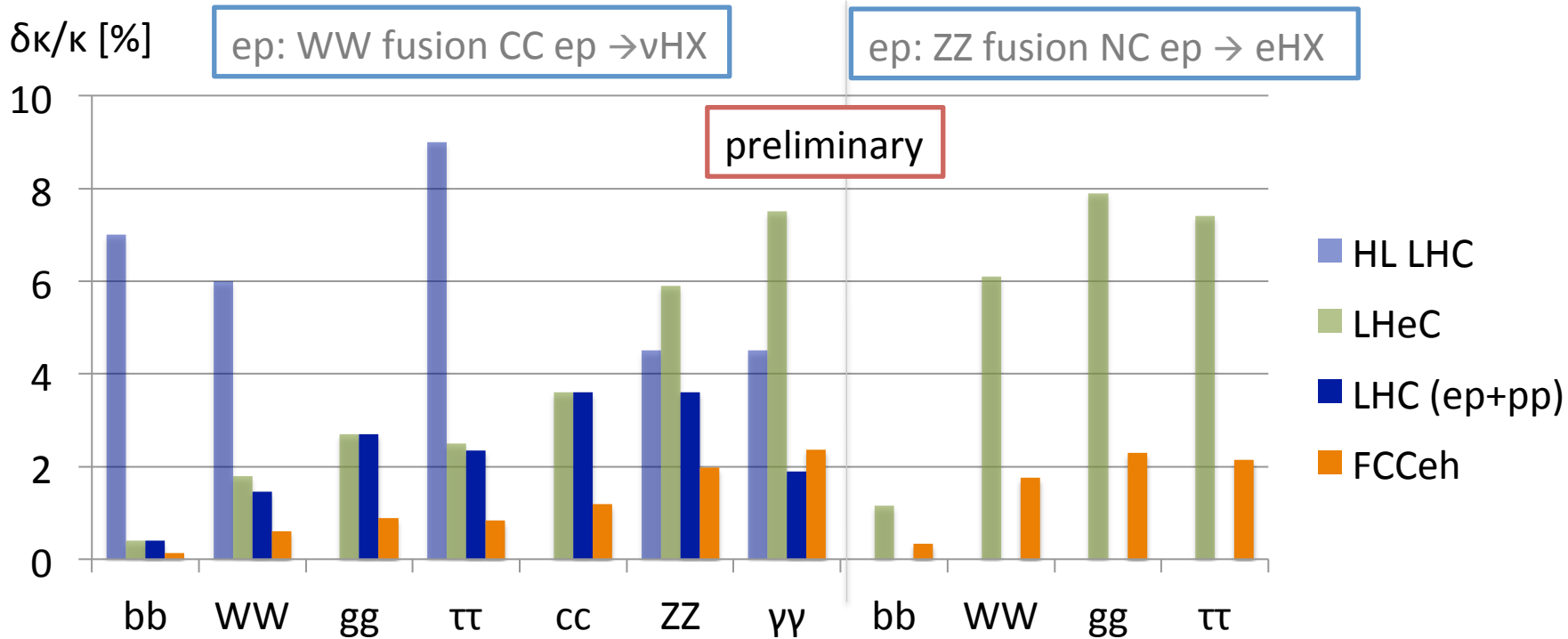
$$\sigma(WW \rightarrow H \rightarrow gg) \propto \kappa^2(HWW) \cdot \kappa^2(Hgg)$$

$$\sigma(WW \rightarrow H \rightarrow cc) \propto \kappa^2(HWW) \cdot \kappa^2(Hcc)$$

$$\sigma(WW \rightarrow H \rightarrow ZZ) \propto \kappa^2(HWW) \cdot \kappa^2(HZZ)$$

$$\text{Note: } \sigma(ZZ \rightarrow H \rightarrow WW) \propto \kappa^2(HZZ) \cdot \kappa^2(HWW)_{18}$$

# Higgs SM Coupling Prospects: $pe+pp$



**HL LHC:** ATLAS-PUB-2014-016 14 TeV  $3ab^{-1}$  – LHC has no gg, no cc, and poor bb, but rare channels as  $\gamma\gamma$

**LHeC:**  $1ab^{-1}$ , 60 GeV x 7 TeV - Work in progress. ep also provides precise:  $xg$ ,  $\alpha_s$  and PDFs to  $N^3LO$ ..

**LHC (ep+pp):** HL LHC with reduced theory uncertainty combined with LHeC –**running in parallel**

**FCCeh:**  $2ab^{-1}$ , 60 GeV x 50 TeV - Work in progress. ep also provides precise:  $xg$ ,  $\alpha_s$  and PDFs to  $N^3LO$ ..

Improvements: ATLAS 2014 conservative, no CMS. ep (LHeC/FCCeh) are overconstrained: CC+NC, ratios,  $\sum(br)=1$ ..  $\rightarrow$  joint coupling determination: especially WW and ZZ should improve

# Please take home:

- We just got a first glance on the exciting combined ep+pp Higgs potential to constrain the sum of most important SM Higgs branching fractions to  $1\pm 1\%$ , i.e. with a precision of the dominant couplings to sub-percent level.
- An ep collider would complement the most powerful pp machines by providing invaluable high precision proton structure data required for high precision PDF,  $\alpha_s$  and N<sup>3</sup>LO.
- For the FCC CDR : Quantify in a consistent way the joint Higgs coupling measurement potential
  - ➔ fix the assumptions and benchmark, e.g. add also ttH and HH
  - ➔ pp: use ep PDFs and  $\alpha_s$  to estimate error reduction
  - ➔ combined analysis of pp and ep cross sections to constrain SM (and BSM) Higgs scenario's and to design the most powerful and sustainable search complex at the energy frontier.



# Additional Sources & Thanks to

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- Much more material can be found here: LHeC and FCC-eh Workshop, September 2017, CERN <https://indico.cern.ch/event/639067/>
- **The LHeC/FCC-eh study group, <http://cern.ch/lhec>.**
- “On the Relation of the LHeC and the LHC” [arXiv:1211.5102]
- 1<sup>st</sup> FCC Physics Workshop, 16.1.-20.1.2017, CERN <https://indico.cern.ch/event/550509/>
- Higgs branching fractions and uncertainties taken from : <https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/LHCPhysics/CERNYellowReportPageBR2014>

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# Additional material

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# Analysis Framework

## 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 FCCeh detector

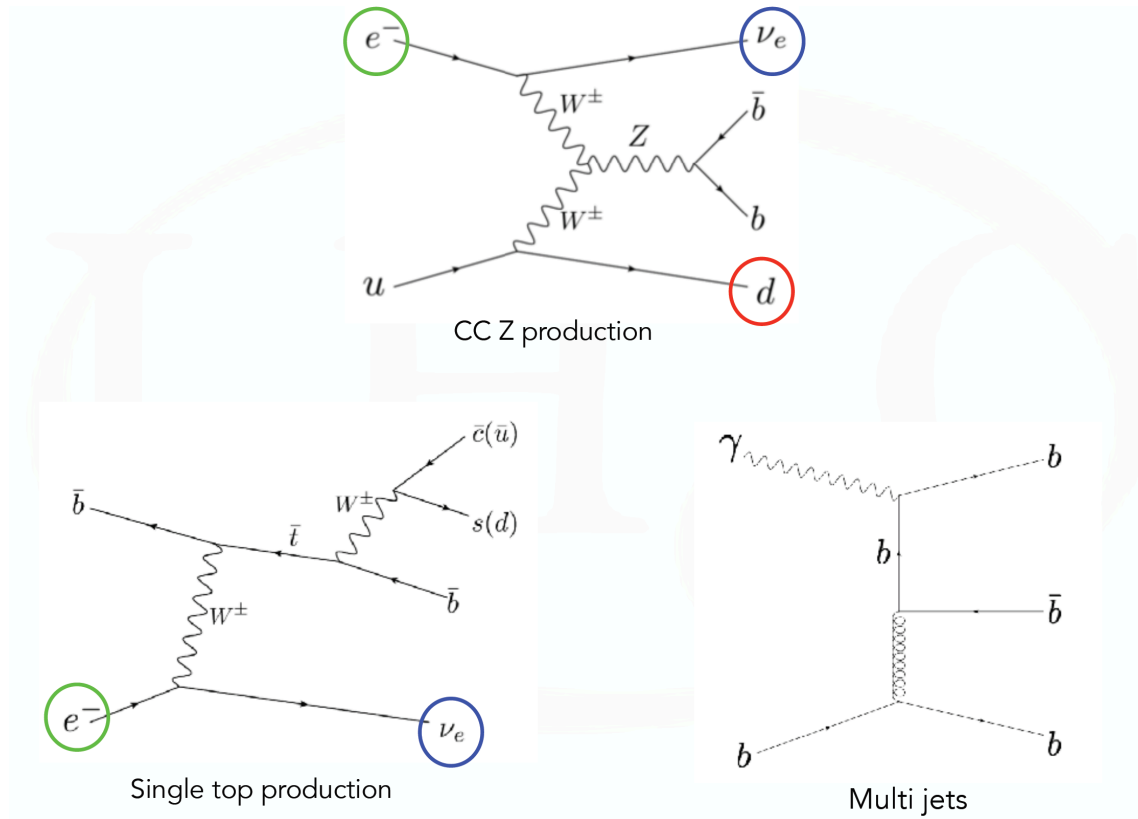


S/B analysis → cuts or BDT

- 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**
- Standard HERA tools can NOT to be used !
- **Higgs mass 125 GeV as default**
- Fragmentation & hadronisation uses **ep-customised Pythia**.
- **Delphes 'detector' → displaced vertices and signed impact parameter distributions → studied for LHeC, and used for FCC-eh SM Higgs extrapolations**
- powerful method to optimise detector tuning and S/N for various Higgs, top and BSM decays
- Ongoing : Integration of FCCeh into FCC simulation framework

# SM Higgs Decay into b-quarks

- Typical background processes



# Invisible Higgs@LHeC

relating the Higgs and the 'dark' sectors

Y.-L. Tang et al.,  
arXiv: 1508.01095

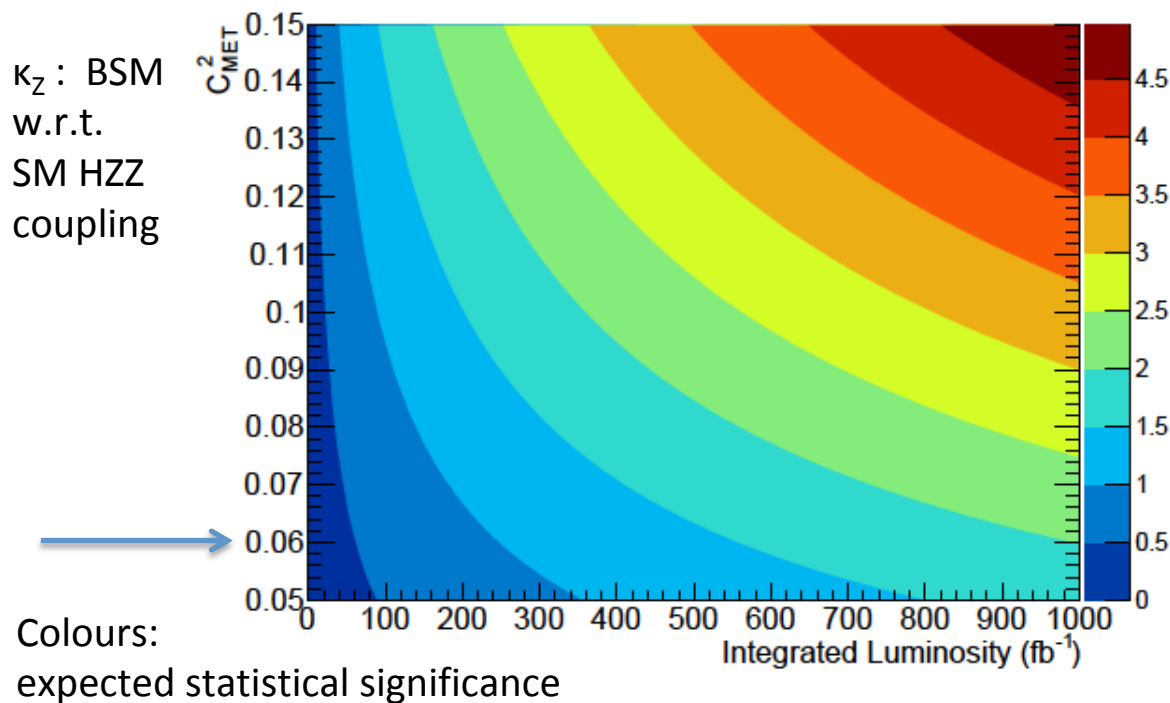
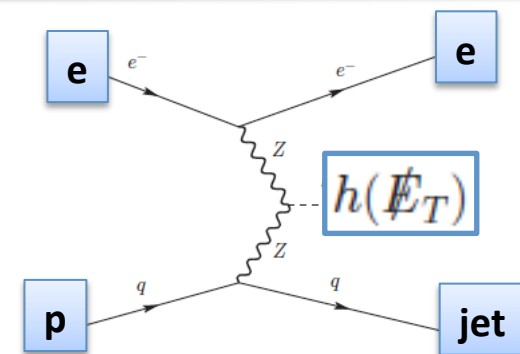
HL-LHC @ 3 ab<sup>-1</sup> [arXiv:1411. 7699]

Br( $h \rightarrow \cancel{E}_T$ ) < 3.5% @95% C.L., MVA based

For LHeC, assume : 1ab<sup>-1</sup>, P<sub>e</sub>=-0.9, cut based

Br( $h \rightarrow \cancel{E}_T$ ) < 6% @ 95 % C.L.

$$C_{\text{MET}}^2 = \kappa_Z^2 \times \text{Br}(h \rightarrow \cancel{E}_T)$$



➔ potential much enhanced for FCC-eh @ 3.5 TeV and HE-LHC-eh @ 1.8 TeV

➔ NEW studies performed on Delphes detector-level using our Madevent framework