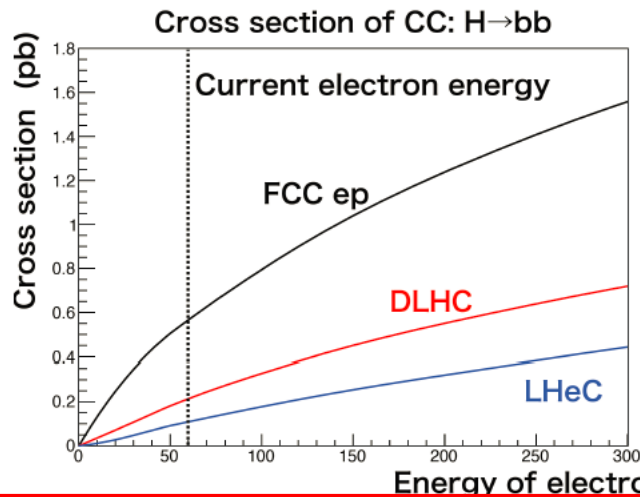


SM Higgs into HFL Summary

- Assume a 60 GeV polarized electron beam and 1000 fb⁻¹ (~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)

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LHeC (~15,000 H→bb events)

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	LHeC (E _p = 7 TeV √s ~1.3 TeV)	DLHC (E _p = 14 TeV √s ~1.8 TeV)	FCC ep (E _p = 50 TeV √s ~ 3.5 TeV)
κ (Hbb)	0.5%	0.3%	0.2%
κ (Hcc)	4%	2.8%	1.8%

as explained in the following this is incorrect.

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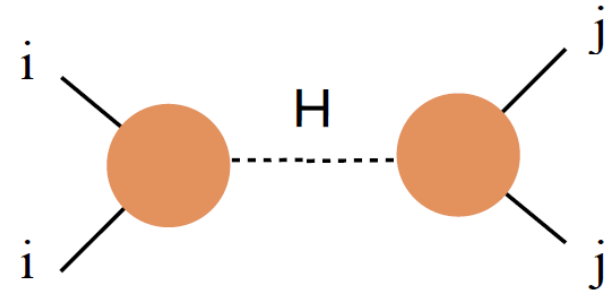
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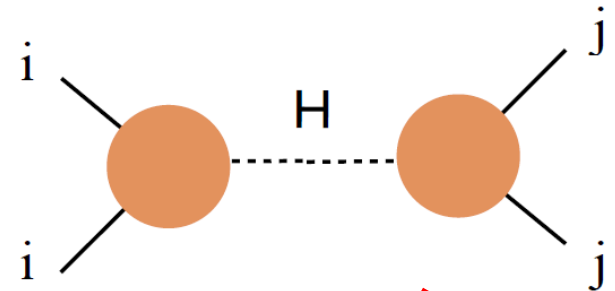
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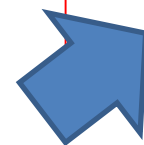
(typos, should be: μ_{ij} and divided)

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It is important to remember that $\Gamma_{\text{tot}} = (\sum \kappa_i^2 \Gamma_i^{\text{SM}}) + \Gamma_{\text{inv}} + \Gamma_{\text{exo}}$

$$\mu_{ij} = \kappa_i^2 \kappa_j^2 \cdot (\Gamma_{\text{tot}}^{\text{SM}} / \Gamma_{\text{tot}})$$

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$$\partial \Gamma_{\text{tot}} / \partial \kappa_j^2 = \Gamma_j^{\text{SM}}$$

$$\partial \mu_{ij} / \partial \kappa_j^2 = \mu_{ij} / \kappa_j^2 - \mu_{ij} / \Gamma_{\text{tot}} \cdot \partial \Gamma_{\text{tot}} / \partial \kappa_j^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} d\mu_{ij} / \mu_{ij} &= [d\kappa_i^2 / \kappa_i^2 \cdot (1 - \Gamma_i^{\text{SM}} / \Gamma_{\text{tot}}^{\text{SM}})] + [d\kappa_j^2 / \kappa_j^2 \cdot (1 - \Gamma_j^{\text{SM}} / \Gamma_{\text{tot}}^{\text{SM}})] \\ &= d\kappa_i^2 / \kappa_i^2 \cdot (1 - B_i^{\text{SM}}) + d\kappa_j^2 / \kappa_j^2 \cdot (1 - B_j^{\text{SM}}) \end{aligned}$$

When extracting the final state coupling (assuming the initial state coupling has been measured) one gets

$$\Delta \kappa_j^2 / \kappa_j^2 = (\Delta \mu_{ij} / \mu_{ij} \oplus \Delta \kappa_i^2 / \kappa_i^2 \cdot (1 - B_i^{\text{SM}})) / (1 - B_j^{\text{SM}})$$

so, in the case of the WH-strahlung to bb final state: j=b, i=w $B_b=0.58$, $B_w=0.21$

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1. From ep W-strahlung of the Higgs to bb one cannot extract κ_b without assumptions, unless both the Higgs total width and W couplings have been extracted from another process.
2. This could be done at FCC-ee, or at another e+e- or mu+mu- collider, with finite precision.
3. Even in that case the error propagation must take into account the fact that the b partial width is 58% of the total Higgs decay width.
4. However from a ratio with another process with the same initial (final) state one can extract a ratio of final (initial) couplings with possibly smaller uncertainties.
5. Under a strong assumption that only the b couplings are varied from the SM the uncertainty still must include
 - the relative error on the cross-section measurement (stats + syst)
 - the relative uncertainty on the cross-section prediction
(luminosity, pdfs, EW process, applicability of pdfs obtained in DIS to Higgsstrahlung, etc...)
 - (-- the effect of the error in the initial state coupling)
 - all multiplied by a factor $1/(1-B_b^{\text{SM}}) = 1/(1-0.58) = 2.39$ which represents the cancellation in sensitivity to b coupling due to the unavoidable normalization to the total width.

My recommendation

→ express the measurement quality as uncertainty on μ_{wb}

Then it can be included usefully in a global fit of Higgs couplings, with a strong impact I believe.