

# Soft Photon Resummation in SHERPA

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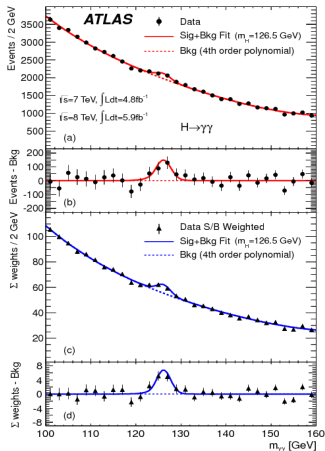
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# Overview

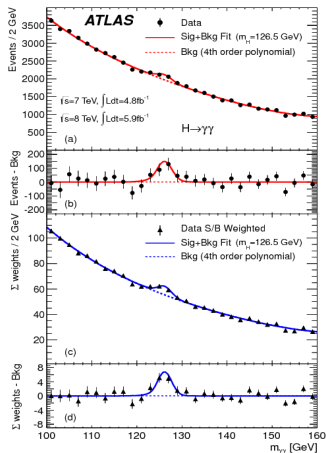
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At the FCC-ee there will be,

- $5 \times 10^{12}$  Z
- $10^8$  WW
- $10^6$  HZ  
+ 25k WW  $\rightarrow$  H
- Each Higgs will only cost  $\approx$  €255

We must not forget that an  $e^+e^-$  will precisely measure EW observables

Observable	Where from	Present (LEP)	FCC stat.	FCC syst	$\frac{\text{Now}}{\text{FCC}}$	Challenge
$M_Z$ [MeV]	Z linesh.	$91187.5 \pm 2.1\{0.3\}$	0.005	0.1	3	QED Corrections
$\Gamma_Z$ [MeV]	Z linesh.	$2495.2 \pm 2.1\{0.2\}$	0.008	0.1	2	QED Corrections
$R_f^Z = \Gamma_h/\Gamma_l$	$\sigma(M_Z)$	$20.767 \pm 0.025\{0.012\}$	$6 \cdot 10^{-5}$	$1 \cdot 10^{-3}$	12	QED Corrections
$N_\nu$	$\sigma(M_Z)$	$2.984 \pm 0.008\{0.006\}$	$5 \cdot 10^{-6}$	$1 \cdot 10^{-3}$	6	Bhabha scattering (QED)
$M_W$ [MeV]	ADLO	$80376 \pm 33\{6\}$	0.5	0.3	12	QED Corrections
$A_{FB,\mu}^{M_Z \pm 3.5\text{GeV}}$	$\frac{d\sigma}{d\cos\theta}$	$\pm 0.020\{0.001\}$	$1.0 \cdot 10^{-5}$	$0.3 \cdot 10^{-5}$	100	

Table: Adapted from Arxiv:1903.09895

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# Precision Machine $\implies$ Precise Calculations

- Initial state radiation can be calculated la Yennie-Frautschi-Suura
- YFS for FSR already in SHERPA and accurate to NNLO QCD and NLO EW

- Lets first consider virtual photon corrections in the soft limit

$$\mathcal{M}_0^0 = M_0^0$$

$$\mathcal{M}_0^1 = \alpha B M_0^0 + M_0^1$$

$$\mathcal{M}_0^2 = \frac{(\alpha B)^2}{2} M_0^0 + \alpha B M_0^1 + M_0^2$$

...

$$\mathcal{M}_0^{n_V} = \sum_{r=0}^{n_V} M_0^{n_V} \frac{(\alpha B)^r}{r!}$$

where  $B$  is the virtual infrared factor.

$$B = 2\alpha\Re \int \frac{d^4k}{k^2} \frac{i}{(2\pi)^2} \left( \frac{2p_1 - k}{2kp_1 - k^2} - \frac{2p_2 - k}{2kp_2 - k^2} \right)^2$$



Summing to infinity yields,

$$\sum_{n_V=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{M}_0^{n_V} = e^{\alpha B} \sum_{n_V=0}^{\infty} M_0^{n_V}$$

This can be generalised to  $n_R$  real photons such that,

$$\sum_{n_V=0}^{\infty} \left| \mathcal{M}_{n_R}^{n_V + \frac{1}{2} n_R} \right|^2 = e^{2\alpha B} \sum_{n_V=0}^{\infty} \left| M_{n_R}^{n_V + \frac{1}{2} n_{R\text{real}}} \right|^2$$

For a single photon emission we have,

$$\frac{1}{2(2\pi)^3} \sum_{n_V=0}^{\infty} \left| M_1^{n_V+\frac{1}{2}} \right|^2 = \tilde{S}(k) \left| M_0^{n_V+\frac{1}{2}} \right|^2 + \sum_{n_V=0}^{\infty} \tilde{\beta}_1^{n_V+1}(k)$$

- Factorisation of real emissions occurs at the amplitude squared level
- Eikonal term  $\tilde{S}(k) = -\frac{\alpha}{4\pi^2} \left( \frac{p_1}{p_1 k} - \frac{p_2}{p_2 k} \right)^2$
- $\tilde{\beta}_{n_R}^{n_V+n_R}$  complete IR finite squared matrix element for born process plus  $n_V$  virtual and  $n_R$  photons

For  $n_R$  photons summed over all virtuals,

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left( \frac{1}{2(2\pi)^3} \right)^{n_R} \left| \sum_{n_V=0}^{\infty} M_{n_R}^{n_V + \frac{1}{2} n_R} \right|^2 \\
 &= \tilde{\beta}_0 \prod_{i=1}^{n_R} \left[ \tilde{S}(k_i) \right] + \sum_{i=1}^{n_R} \left[ \frac{\tilde{\beta}_1(k_i)}{\tilde{S}(k_i)} \right] \prod_{j=1}^{n_R} \left[ \tilde{S}(k_j) \right] \\
 &+ \sum_{\substack{i,j=1 \\ i \neq j}}^{n_R} \left[ \frac{\tilde{\beta}_2(k_i, k_j)}{\tilde{S}(k_i) \tilde{S}(k_j)} \right] \prod_{l=1}^{n_R} \left[ \tilde{S}(k_l) \right] + \dots \\
 &+ \sum_{i=1}^{n_R} \left[ \tilde{\beta}_{n_R-1}(k_1, \dots, k_{i-1}, k_{i+1}, \dots, k_{n_R}) \tilde{S}(k_i) \right] + \tilde{\beta}_{n_R}(k_1, \dots, k_{n_R})
 \end{aligned}$$

# Master Equation

This gives us our cross section

$$\sigma = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \int d\Phi_q e^{2\alpha B + 2\alpha \tilde{B}} \prod_{j=1}^n \tilde{S}(k_j) \theta(\Omega; k_j) \left[ \tilde{\beta}_0(p_1, p_2; q_1, \dots, q_{n'}) \right. \\ \left. + \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{\tilde{\beta}_1(p_1, p_2; q_1, \dots, q_{n'}, k_j)}{S(k_j)} \right. \\ \left. + \sum_{\substack{j,l=1 \\ j \neq l}}^n \frac{\tilde{\beta}_2(p_1, p_2; q_1, \dots, q_{n'}, k_j, k_l)}{S(k_j)S(k_l)} + \dots \right]$$

The exponentiation of real emissions gives a factor

$$\tilde{B} = -\frac{1}{8\pi^2} \int \frac{d^3k}{k^0} \Theta(\Omega, k) \left( \frac{p_1}{p_1 k} - \frac{p_2}{p_2 k} \right)^2$$

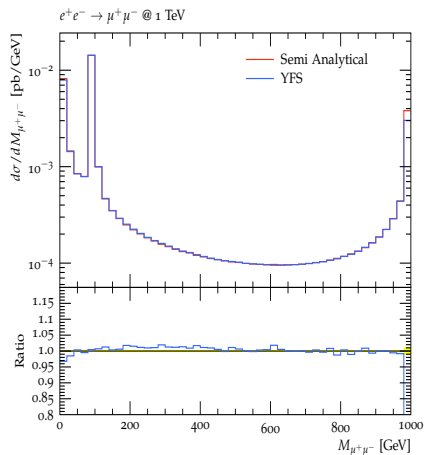
# The Algorithm

- The infrared singularities in the Eikonal's  $\tilde{S}(k)$  are excluded by a cut-off  $k^0 > \epsilon \frac{\sqrt{s}}{2}$
- $\tilde{\beta}$  are infrared finite and are calculated perturbatively *order by order*
  - Non trivial for other methods e.g Structure function
- Photons are explicitly created
  - Allows us to calculate properties of soft photons
  - Algorithm is very MC friendly- computation is quite fast

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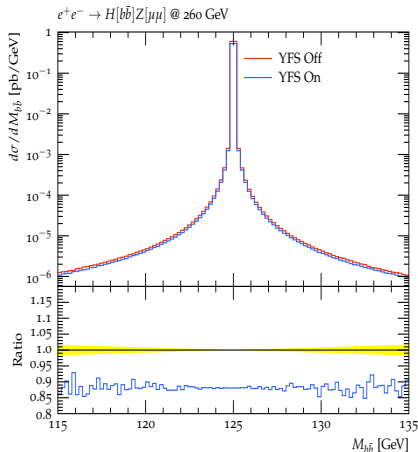
- 1 First the phasespace is rearrange by a change of variable  $v = 1 - \frac{s'}{s}$
- 2  $v$  is then generated by standard Monte-Carlo Methods e.g Importance Sampling
- 3 If  $v < \epsilon$  no photons are generate. For  $v \geq \epsilon$  the multiplicity is generated according to a Poissonian distribution with average 
$$\mu = \frac{2\alpha}{\pi} \log\left(\frac{s}{m_e^2}\right) \log\left(\frac{v}{\epsilon}\right)$$
- 4 The  $n$  photon momenta are distributed according to the Eikonal  $\tilde{S}$  and then rescaled to ensure 4-momentum conservation
- 5 The perturbative parts can be calculated separately using ME generator
- 6 Give everything to the master equation to calculate the cross section

- There is a known issue with the integration limits. Cause a notable deviation. Will be fixed soon
- It can interface with other SHERPA modules e.g ME Generator, PS, Hadronization, UFO...
- On the perturbative side there is a small numerical stability issue from the loop providers (due to small lepton masses)
- However some higher order corrections have been hard coded for  $e^+e^- \rightarrow f\bar{f}$

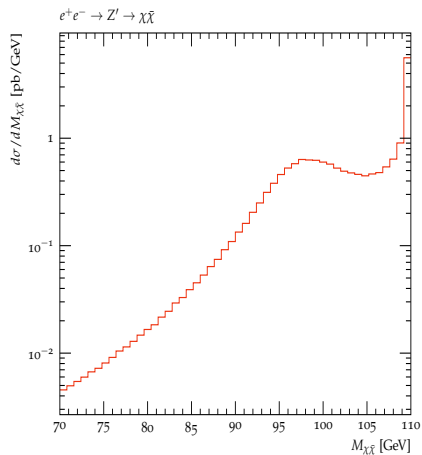


- There is a Analytical formula for  $e^+e^- \rightarrow f\bar{f}$  Known to  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^2)$
- Comparison is done at  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha)$





- This is very preliminary
- Fixed order calculation just to test YFS
- Deviation is to be expected, nothing too impressive. The higher order corrections are more important



- Exaggerated  $Z'$  model!  
Just to test interface
- If you have a realistic UFO for  $e^+e^-$  I would to test it

# Conclusion and Outlook

- 1 A very good description of higher order QED effects is needed for precision physics
- 2 YFS is fully compatible with SHERPA other tools, in particular ME
- 3 Devation and Loop problem needs to be solved- deviation wont be too tricky
- 4 For linear collider beam polarisation will be needed. Interface to existing software will not be difficult

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# Comparison to Data

