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Near-future, **Future Colliders** and Futuristic

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•/ Adapted from Frank Simon's original art work.







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Near future

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Experimental point of view



The story of collider physics in the last 60 years is marked by the accelerators eras and punctuated by key discoveries



(A) theorist's point of view





3 gauge forces



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1 scalar force

• $SU(3)_c \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$ gauge symmetries.

• Matter is organised in chiral multiplets of the fund. representation.

• The SU(2) x U(1) symmetry is spontaneously broken to U(1)_{EM}.

 Yukawa interactions lead to fermion masses, mixing and CP violation. Matter+gauge group => Anomaly free.

• (Curse of) Renormalizability = valid to "arbitrary" high scales.





 $\mathscr{L}_{SM}^{(4)} = -\frac{1}{4} F^{\mu\nu} F_{\mu\nu} + \bar{\psi} \partial \psi + (y_{ij} \bar{\psi}_L^i \phi \psi_R^j + h.c.) + |D_{\mu} \phi|^2 - V(\phi)$







EWBG Custiodial, MV MF, CPV, Flavour

Apparently accidental, but key aspects for successful phenomenology:

- Lepton and Baryon number conservation
- Custodial symmetry
- Absence of FCN interactions
- Small and hierarchical mixing among quarks
- Collective suppression of CP violation
- IR values of the parameters do not indicate any problem at high scales, including vacuum stability
- Neutrino masses can be accommodated in a natural way

All these aspects are not only difficult to explain in one go, but are also typically not respected by extensions of the SM.









 $\mathscr{L}_{SM}^{(4)} = -\frac{1}{\Delta} F^{\mu\nu} F_{\mu\nu} + \bar{\psi} \, \overline{D} \psi + (y_{ij} \bar{\psi}_L^i \phi \psi_R^j + \text{h.c.}) + |D_\mu \phi|^2 - V(\phi)$







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Yet many aspects of the SM are problematic vis-à-vis phenomenology:

- EWBG difficult because of smallness of CPV and no 1st order transition
- Nature of Dark Matter
- Unnaturally small Higgs mass
- Unnaturally small strong CP violation
- Fermion mass hierarchy

Beyond SM theories typically address one of the above problems at the time. We don't have a precise idea of where the scale of NP might reside.









Standard Model Production Cross Section Measurements





Status: June 2024

- Tangible results of an amazing experimental effort over a 10+ year span, accessing a wide range of final states, each with very different challenges.
- Theory predictions seem adeguate. (The key role of MCs is hidden in this plot).
- Comparison with SM predictions shows that we have the necessary theoretical and experimental control to move onto the next phase.













A quote

[S]He who knows the art of the direct and the indirect approaches will be victorious.



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Sun Tzu, The Art of War





$\Lambda_{BSM} \text{ is low} \\ \text{BSM direct searches}$







CMS Preliminary

Overview of CMS EXO results



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Present **Higgs couplings**

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Unique mass generation mechanism for fermions/vectors and the scalar.

 $i m_f / v$

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$$igm_W g_{\mu\nu} = 2i v g_{\mu\nu} \cdot m_W^2 / v^2$$

$$ig \frac{m_Z}{\cos \theta_W} g_{\mu\nu} = 2i v g_{\mu\nu} \cdot m_Z^2 / v^2$$

$$+ 4 \text{ point interactions.}$$

$$-3 i v \cdot m_h^2 / v^2$$

$$= \frac{m_H^2}{2}H^2 + \lambda_3 v H^3 + \frac{\lambda_4}{4}H^4 + \dots$$

$$\Phi) = -\mu^2 (\Phi^{\dagger}\Phi) + \lambda (\Phi^{\dagger}\Phi)^2 \implies \begin{cases} v^2 = \mu^2/\lambda \\ m_H^2 = 2\lambda v^2 \end{cases} \qquad \begin{cases} \lambda_3^{\rm SM} = \lambda \\ \lambda_4^{\rm SM} = \lambda \end{pmatrix}$$

In the SM gauge invariance + SSB => constrained system. Two-point functions (propagators/masses) fix the 3-point and 4-point interactions!





Present **Higgs couplings**



Since its discovery, impressive advances in our understanding of the Higgs boson's properties have been achieved. At this moment, the new scalar seems consistent with the expectations of the SM, with different degrees of precision yet order 10%, in all measured channels.





 $\mu = 1.05 \pm 0.06 = 1.05 \pm 0.03$ (stat.) ± 0.03 (exp.) ± 0.04 (sig. th.) ± 0.02 (bkg. th.).

Need to explore 2nd and 1st fermion generation and Higgs potential.







The Higgs future Couplings at HL-LHC









HL-LHC projections **Higgs self-coupling**



Current limits on k_{λ} and k_{2V}



Future

[De Blas et al., 2020]



Future limits on k_{λ}





HL-LHC projections **Higgs potential**



order phase transition in a generic EFT.







HL-LHC projections **VV** scattering

Access to longitudinally polarized W[±]W[±]jj is challenging at the LHC \rightarrow

Cross-section is very small (less than 10% of the total W[±]W[±]jj scattering cross-section)



Considering all channels, and both experiments we could get at 5 sigma level for LL at 3 iab.









The precision goal



Hubble 1990



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JWT 2022





Theoretical challenges of the HL-LHC Status





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Precision @ HL-LHC GUUL Resummation

LL, NLL,...

Parton Showers

PDF's LO,NLO,...Evolution Fits









Precision calculations for the LHC Status: PDF's



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- Complete N3LO PDF's evolution not available yet. Non-singlet evolution available at 4 loops already.
- Error budget with many sources. MHO uncertainties yet to be included in the final assessment.
- Reaching 1% will be very challenging.
- Room for a breakthrough from lattice?









The lattice frontier α_S and PDF's



Using Lattice QCD, one can combine input from well-measured QCD quantities -- like for example the proton mass, or a meson decay constant -- with the perturbative expansion of a short distance observable that does not need to be directly observable (like the quark anti-quark force). The advantage of this approach is that the experimental input comes from the hadron spectrum with a negligible uncertainty.







$$\mathfrak{M}\left(\nu, z_{3}^{2}\right) = \int_{-1}^{1} dx \, C\left(x\nu, \mu^{2} z_{3}^{2}\right) f\left(x, \mu^{2}\right) + \mathcal{O}\left(z_{3}^{2} \Lambda^{2}\right) \qquad C\left(\xi, \mu^{2} z_{3}^{2}\right) = e^{i\xi} - \frac{\alpha_{s}}{2\pi} C_{F} \int_{0}^{1} dw \left[\frac{1+w^{2}}{1-w}\log\left(z_{3}^{2} \mu^{2} + 4\frac{\log\left(1-w\right)}{1-w} - 2\left(1-w\right)\right]\right]$$

This formula allows to relate collinear PDFs to quantities which are computable in lattice QCD simulations, through a factorized expression similar to those relating collinear PDFs to physical cross sections. It can be used in a fitting framework, to extract PDFs from lattice data, performing the same kind of analysis which is usually done when considering experimental data.











Theoretical challenges of the HL-LHC

Reach the 1% goal for the HL-LHC

GUUU • Very fast progress in conceptual • A variety of approaches as well as technical aspects. available, both analytical and numerical. Tight and consolidated community, with high Analytically historically momentum. matching the FO accuracy. • Considering the status of 20 • NNLO+PS will be the new years ago seems clear that standard. (N3LO+PS already NNLO will be completed and being explored) N3LO will start to become • Having a NLL and beyond PS, available for $2 \rightarrow 2$ (see 3-loop is being explored now. To be $q\bar{q} \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ results) seen. • Mixed QCD-EW being included. • Not clear whether one can reach 1%. **Fixed Order** Resum LO, NLO,... LL, NLL,... QCD/EW PS





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- PDF determination from fitting large set of data. Final quality depends on measurements.
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Future colliders Reach in Higgs couplings

kappa-0	HL-LHC	LHeC	HE	LHC		ILC			CLIC		CEPC	FC	C-ee	FCC-ee/eh/hh
			S 2	S2′	250	500	1000	380	15000	3000		240	365	
<i>к</i> _W [%]	1.7	0.75	1.4	0.98	1.8	0.29	0.24	0.86	0.16	0.11	1.3	1.3	0.43	0.14
κ _Z [%]	1.5	1.2	1.3	0.9	0.29	0.23	0.22	0.5	0.26	0.23	0.14	0.20	0.17	0.12
к _g [%]	2.3	3.6	1.9	1.2	2.3	0.97	0.66	2.5	1.3	0.9	1.5	1.7	1.0	0.49
κ _γ [%]	1.9	7.6	1.6	1.2	6.7	3.4	1.9	98 *	5.0	2.2	3.7	4.7	3.9	0.29
$\kappa_{Z\gamma}$ [%]	10.	—	5.7	3.8	99*	86*	85 *	120*	15	6.9	8.2	81*	75 *	0.69
κ_c [%]	—	4.1	—	—	2.5	1.3	0.9	4.3	1.8	1.4	2.2	1.8	1.3	0.95
κ t [%]	3.3	—	2.8	1.7	—	6.9	1.6	—		2.7	—	—	—	1.0
к _b [%]	3.6	2.1	3.2	2.3	1.8	0.58	0.48	1.9	0.46	0.37	1.2	1.3	0.67	0.43
κμ [%]	4.6	—	2.5	1.7	15	9.4	6.2	320*	13	5.8	8.9	10	8.9	0.41
κ_{τ} [%]	1.9	3.3	1.5	1.1	1.9	0.70	0.57	3.0	1.3	0.88	1.3	1.4	0.73	0.44







ECFA Higgs/Top/Electroweak Factory Study Joint effort of linear and circular collider communities



3 Developments in Higgs Physics

3.1	FOCUS TOPIC: ZH production and angular studies .							
	3.1.1 CP-odd coupling studies							
	3.1.2 CP-even coupling studies							
	3.1.3 Entanglement sensitivity							
3.2	Focus Topic: $H \rightarrow ss$							
3.3	Other rare Higgs couplings							
	3.3.1 $H \rightarrow ee \dots \dots$							
	3.3.2 Flavour-violating Higgs decays							
3.4	FOCUS TOPIC: Higgs self-coupling							
	3.4.1 Introduction							
	3.4.2 Progress in theory							
	3.4.3 Progress in single-Higgs approach							
	3.4.4 Progress in di-Higgs approach							

Developments in Electroweak Physics & QCD	5 Developments in Top Physics
4.1 FOCUS TOPIC: 2-fermion final states	5.1 FOCUS TOPIC: TTthresh
 4.1.1 Precision 2-boson coupling measurements	5.1.1 Top quark properties from the threshold scan 5.1.2 Top quark couplings in the SMEFT 5.2 Focus Topic: EXtt (?)
4.2.2 Z boson decays in models with right-handed neutrinos . 4.2.3 Four-fermion interactions with neutrinos	6 Global Interpretations
 4.3 Photon interactions	7.1 Phenomenological Introduction
4.4 Precision W-boson coupling measurements	7.1.2 Possible scenarios with focus on direct signatures .
4.5 FOCUS TOPIC: W boson mass measurement	7.1.3 Possible search strategies
4.6 FOCUS TOPIC: WWdiff	7.1.4 Expected search landscape after HL-LHC
4.7 FOCUS TOPIC: BCfrag/gsplit	7.2 Focus topic: Exotic scalar searches



7.3	Focus	topic: Long lived particles						
7.4	Focus	topic: Exotics top decays						
7.5	Furthe	er topics						
	7.5.1	Heavy Neutral Leptons .						
	7.5.2	Dark Photons (?)						
	7.5.3	SUSY searches						
	7.5.4	Dark Matter						

8 Flavour

8.1	Flavou	Ir landscape	at the time	of Higgs	factories
	8.1.1	Challenges	in lattice Q	CD for fo	r precise

- 8.2 FOCUS TOPIC: CKM elements from W decay
- 8.3 FOCUS TOPIC: $B \to K^* \tau^+ \tau^-$ and $B \to K^{(*)} v \bar{v}$









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Future collider example: FCC-ee





FCC-ee runs













FCC-ee runs





in each detector:

- 10⁵ Z / sec
- 10⁴ W pairs / hour
- 1500 H / day
- 1500 top pairs / day





EWPO FCC-ee

- Experimental precision of the typical EWPO attainable at FCC-ee runs.
- Improvements in precision typically at level of 2-3 orders of magnitude.
- Sensitivity to NP goes up to10-100 TeV scale
- $5 \cdot 10^{12}$ Z bosons would allow the electroweak precision tests, the KM consistency checks and flavour physics in general, including the study of rare decays, and the search for feebly-interacting particles.
- $5\cdot 10^9\,$ Z bosons would enough to meet the needs for the HZ run.



[Interim FCC feasibility report, 2024]

Observable]	presen	t	FCC-ee	FCC-ee	Cor
	value	±	error	Stat.	$\mathbf{Syst.}$	lea
$m_{\rm Z}~({\rm keV})$	91186700	±	2200	4	100	From Z line Beam energy
$\Gamma_{\rm Z}~({\rm keV})$	2495200	±	2300	4	25	From Z line Beam energy
$\sin^2 heta_{ m W}^{ m eff}(imes 10^6)$	231480	±	160	2	2.4	From $A_{FB}^{\mu\mu}$ Beam energy
$1/lpha_{ m QED}(m m_Z^2)(imes 10^3)$	128952	±	14	3	small	From $A_{\rm F}^{\mu}$ QED&EW error
$R^{Z}_{\ell} (\times 10^{3})$	20767	±	25	0.06	0.2-1	Ratio of hadrons Acceptance
$lpha_{ m s}({ m m_Z^2})~(imes 10^4)$	1196	±	30	0.1	0.4-1.6	
$\sigma_{ m had}^0~(imes 10^3)~(m nb)$	41541	±	37	0.1	4	Peak hadronic cr Luminosity me
$N_{\nu}(\times 10^3)$	2996	±	7	0.005	1	Z peak cro Luminosity me
$R_b (\times 10^6)$	216290	±	660	0.3	< 60	Ratio of $b\bar{b}$ Stat. extrapol.
$A_{FB}^{b}, 0 \; (\times 10^{4})$	992	±	16	0.02	1-3	b-quark asymmetry From
$\mathrm{A_{FB}^{pol, au}}$ (×10 ⁴)	1498	±	49	0.15	<2	au polarisation $ au$ dec
au lifetime (fs)	290.3	±	0.5	0.001	0.04	Radial
au mass (MeV)	1776.86	±	0.12	0.004	0.04	Mome
$\overline{\tau}$ leptonic $(\mu\nu_{\mu}\nu_{\tau})$ B.R. (%)	17.38	±	0.04	0.0001	0.003	e/µ/hadron
m_W (MeV)	80350	±	15	0.25	0.3	From WW three Beam energy
$\Gamma_{ m W}~(m MeV)$	2085	±	42	1.2	0.3	From WW three Beam energy
$lpha_{ m s}({ m m}_{ m W}^2)(imes 10^4)$	1010	±	270	3	small	
$N_{\nu}(imes 10^3)$	2920	±	50	0.8	small	Ratio of invis. in radiative
m_{top} (MeV)	172740	±	500	17	small	From $t\bar{t}$ three QCD error
$\Gamma_{\rm top}~({ m MeV})$	1410	±	190	45	small	From tt thre QCD error
$\lambda_{ m top}/\lambda_{ m top}^{ m SM}$	1.2	±	0.3	0.10	small	From $t\bar{t}$ three QCD error
ttZ couplings		±	30%	0.5 - 1.5 %	small	From $\sqrt{s} = 36$



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Global fits FCC-ee

Coupling	HL-LHC	FCC-ee (240–365 GeV) 2 IPs / 4 IPs
κ_W [%]	1.5^{*}	0.43 / 0.33
$\kappa_Z[\%]$	1.3^{*}	0.17 / 0.14
$\kappa_{g}[\%]$	2^*	0.90 / 0.77
κ_{γ} [%]	1.6^{*}	1.3 / 1.2
$\kappa_{Z\gamma}$ [%]	10^{*}	10 / 10
κ_c [%]	—	1.3 / 1.1
κ_t [%]	3.2^{*}	3.1 / 3.1
κ_b [%]	2.5^{*}	$0.64 \ / \ 0.56$
κ_{μ} [%]	4.4^{*}	3.9 / 3.7
$\kappa_{ au}$ [%]	1.6^{*}	0.66 / 0.55
BR_{inv} (<%, 95% CL)	1.9^{*}	0.20 / 0.15
BR_{unt} (<%, 95% CL)	4*	1.0 / 0.88



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precision reach on effective couplings from SMEFT global fit





Global fit FCC-ee





[Interim FCC feasibility report, 2024]



precision reach on effective couplings from SMEFT global fit



precision reach on effective Higgs couplings from SMEFT global fit















Higgs self-coupling FCC-ee (and FCC-hh)



 k_{λ} can be constrained by two measurements and provide competitive info.









Scalar singlet FCC-ee (and FCC-hh)



FCC Physics Opportunities : Future Circular Collider Conceptual Design Report Volume 1 Eur.Phys.J.C 79 (2019) 6, 474









Alps and $\nu'_R s$ FCC-ee

















Precision calculations for weak scale factories The workhorses





Z-pole observables. Need for NNLO EW in $2 \rightarrow 2$ scatterings and N3LO for $2 \rightarrow 1$. The current use and definition of PO's will need to be reconsidered.

Known at NLO in EW with W decays. In order to determine mW at 1 MeV needs to be known at the subpermill level. NNLO EW computation involves many scales. In addition an EFT treatment of the W threshold is necessary.

In addition ISR effects, collinear and soft need to be included.







Workhorse for H studies. Known at NLO in EW with Z decays. NNLO correct. Gives access to trilinear and top-Yukawa at one loop and quadrilinear Higgs self-couplings and others at two loops.

Known at N3LO in the NRQCD EFT approach at threshold for top mass and width determination. NLO QCD corrections for the 2->6 known. NNLO EW corrections are not known.







Precision calculations for weak scale factories QED showers



In QED the charges are scalars. No flows! -Qi * Qj can be negative emission of a photon is independent from the others and the dipole does not change. Interleaving with the much more probable QCD radiation in the case of quarks is a challenge.

However, YFS Soft resummation provides a way to resum soft contributions

$$d\sigma = \sum_{n_{\gamma}=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n_{\gamma}!} d\Phi_{Q} \left[\prod_{i=1}^{n_{\gamma}} d\Phi_{i}^{\gamma} \right] (2\pi)^{4} \delta^{4} \left(\sum_{in} q_{in} - \sum_{out} q_{out} - \sum_{i=1}^{n_{\gamma}} k_{i} \right) \left| \sum_{\substack{n_{\gamma}^{V}=0}}^{\infty} \mathcal{M}_{n_{\gamma}}^{n_{\gamma}^{V} + \frac{1}{2}n_{\gamma}} \right|^{2} d\sigma = \sum_{n_{\gamma}=0}^{\infty} \frac{e^{Y(\Omega)}}{n_{\gamma}!} d\Phi_{Q} \left[\prod_{i=1}^{n_{\gamma}} d\Phi_{i}^{\gamma} \tilde{S}(k_{i}) \right] \left(\tilde{\beta}_{0} + \sum_{j=1}^{n_{\gamma}} \frac{\tilde{\beta}_{1}(k_{j})}{\tilde{S}(k_{j})} + \sum_{\substack{j,k=1\\j < k}}^{n_{\gamma}} \frac{\tilde{\beta}_{2}(k_{j},k_{k})}{\tilde{S}(k_{j})} + \cdots \right)$$

Collinear effects captured through the residuals. Improvements necessary to also have χ to fermions splitting included at order α^2 .



NLO+NLL vs NLO+LL









Precision calculations for weak scale factories Summary of the needs

Quantity	Current precision	FCC-ee stat. (syst.) precision	Required theory input	Available calc. in 2019	Needed theory improvement ^{\dagger}
$egin{array}{l} m_{ m Z} \ \Gamma_{ m Z} \ \sin^2 heta heta_{ m eff}^\ell \end{array}$	$2.1 \mathrm{MeV}$ $2.3 \mathrm{MeV}$ $1.6 imes 10^{-4}$	0.004 (0.1) MeV 0.004 (0.025) MeV $2(2.4) \times 10^{-6}$	non-resonant $e^+e^- \rightarrow f\bar{f},$ initial-state radiation (ISR)	NLO, ISR logarithms up to 6th order	NNLO for $e^+e^- \rightarrow f\bar{f}$
m_W	$12{ m MeV}$	$0.25~(0.3){ m MeV}$	lineshape of $e^+e^- \rightarrow WW$ near threshold	NLO (ee \rightarrow 4f or EFT frame-work)	NNLO for ee \rightarrow WW, W \rightarrow ff in EFT setup
HZZ coupling		0.2%	cross-sect. for $e^+e^- \rightarrow ZH$	NLO + NNLO QCD	NNLO electroweak
$m_{ m top}$	$100{ m MeV}$	$17\mathrm{MeV}$	threshold scan $e^+e^- \rightarrow t\bar{t}$	$N^{3}LO$ QCD, NNLO EW, resummations up to NNLL	Matching fixed orders with resummations, merging with MC, $\alpha_{\rm s}$ (input)

[†]The listed needed theory calculations constitute a minimum baseline; additional partial higher-order contributions may also be required.



Quantity	Required	Available calc.	Needed theory
	theory input	in 2019	improvement [‡]
$\Gamma_{ m Z} \ \sin^2 heta_{ m eff}^\ell$	$\begin{array}{l} \mathrm{vertex} \\ \mathrm{corrections} \ \mathrm{for} \\ \mathrm{Z} \rightarrow \mathrm{f} \overline{\mathrm{f}} \end{array}$	NNLO + partial higher orders	N ³ LO EW + partial higher orders
$m_{ m W}$	SM corrections	NNLO +	N ³ LO EW +
	to the muon	partial higher	partial higher
	decay rate	orders	orders

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A new interest in a muon collider

P5:

In particular, a muon collider presents an attractive option both for technological innovation and for bringing energy frontier colliders back to the US. The footprint of a 10 TeV pCM muon collider is almost exactly the size of the Fermilab campus. A muon collider would rely on a powerful multi-megawatt proton driver delivering very intense and short beam pulses to a target, resulting in the production of pions, which in turn decay into muons. This cloud of muons needs to be captured and cooled before the bulk of the muons have decayed. Once cooled into a beam, fast acceleration is required to further suppress decay losses.

Each of these steps presents considerable technical challenges, many of which have never been confronted before. This P5 plan outlines an aggressive R&D program to determine the parameters for a muon collider test facility by the end of the decade. This facility would test the feasibility of developing a muon collider in the following decade.

With a 10 TeV pCM muon collider at Fermilab as the long-term vision, a clear path for the evolution of the current proton accelerator complex at Fermilab emerges naturally: a booster replacement with a suitable accumulator/buncher ring would pave the way to a muon collider demonstration facility (Recommendation 4g, 6). The upgraded facility would also generate bright, well-characterized neutrino beams bringing natural synergies with studies of neutrinos beyond DUNE. It would also support beam dump and fixed target experiments for direct searches of new physics. Another synergy is in charged lepton flavor violation. The current round of searches at Mu2e can reveal quantum imprints of new physics at the 100 TeV energy scale, beyond the reach of direct searches at collider facilities in the foreseeable future. An intense muon facility may push this search even further.

Although we do not know if a muon collider is ultimately feasible, the road toward it leads from current Fermilab strengths and capabilities to a series of proton beam improvements and neutrino beam facilities, each producing world-class science while performing critical R&D toward a muon collider. At the end of the path is an unparalleled global facility on US soil. This is our Muon Shot.



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122 pheno papers in the last 5 years







A new interest in a multi-TeV muon collider Why?



Physics: We start only now to test EW interactions but only in a very low energy regime, i.e., in their broken phase.



A new interest in a multi-TeV muon collider Why?



muons are captured



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2407.12450 Muon Collider Interim Report

<u>Technology: new generation of accelerator technologies.</u> No known showstoppers.









Key Challenges

0) Physics case

4) Drives the **beam quality** MAP put much effort in design optimise as much as possible

4 GeV Target, π Decay μ Cooling

& µ Bunching

Channel

Proton

Source

3) Cost and **power** consumption limit energy reach e.g. 35 km accelerator for 10 TeV, 10 km collider ring Also impacts **beam quality**

Channel

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Low Energy

 μ Acceleration

µ Injector













Muon collider physics The essentials #0 : physics potential





muC@10 TeV ~ pp@70 TeV

Simple/Naive/Rough estimate based on parton-parton luminosity for a generic $2 \rightarrow 2$ scattering.

 $EW: \beta \sim 1$

 $QCD: \beta \sim (\alpha_S/\alpha)^2 \sim 100$









Muon collider physics The essentials #1 : two colliders in one

O(10) TeV muon collider energy allows to have two colliders in one:



Energetic final states (either heavy or very boosted)



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$$\sigma_s \sim \frac{1}{M^2} \log^n \frac{s}{M}$$



Large production rates, **SM** coupling measurements **Discovery light and weakly interacting**

A completely new regime opening for a multi-TeV muon collider

Different physics being probed in the two channels







Muon collider physics The essentials #2 : luminosity with energy





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arXiv:2208.06030 Collider Implementation Task Force











Muon collider physics The essentials #3 : the green side













Muon collider physics The essentials #4 : luminosity with energy



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Muon collider physics The essentials

- •A O(10 TeV) muC is in the range of what could be technically achievable. No showstopper known. Strong R&D programme is needed. Demonstrator is the next step.
- It would radically change the way we do collider physics, opening the exploration of EW phenomena at higher scales through an hybrid direct/indirect approach in a clean environment.
- •Given what we know now from the LHC + what will learn from HL-LHC what are the muC physics drivers?

Direct reach

s-channel pair production

arXiv:2203.07256 Muon Collider Physics Summary arXiv:2209.01318 Muon Collider Forum Report

Precision physics Weak boson collider

Direct reach VBF scalar singlet production

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Higgs precision physics Higgs coupling sensitivities

	HL-LHC	HL-LHC	HL-LHC
%		+10 TeV	$+10 \mathrm{TeV}$ + ee
κ_W	1.7	0.1	0.1
κ_Z	1.5	0.4	0.1
κ_{g}	2.3	0.7	0.6
κ_{γ}	1.9	0.8	0.8
κ_c	-	2.3	1.1
κ_b	3.6	0.4	0.4
κ_{μ}	4.6	3.4	3.2
$\kappa_{ au}$	1.9	0.6	0.4
$\kappa^*_{Z\gamma}$	10	10	10
κ_t^*	3.3	3.1	3.1

* No input used for μ collider

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Higgs precision physics The shape of the H potential: HH production

Reach on the trilinear coupling (and more) extremely competitive.

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Quadrilinear determination extremely challenging at any collider, due to limited sensitivity.

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How events will look at a multi-TeV muon collider?

tth production at the LHC (Fully hadronic)

In a muon collider gluons and quarks first appear at scales of order 100 GeV in the decays of W,Z,H (from either initial state or final state radiation) or from photon splitting. Multijet final states are of EW origin.

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tth production at the muC 100 TeV

 $HH \rightarrow 4b$ production at a multi-TeV muC

Precision calculations for multi-TeV lepton colliders EW resummation in the initial state

$$f_B(z,\mu^2) = \sum_A \int_z^1 \frac{d\xi}{\xi} f_A(\xi) \int_{m^2}^{\mu^2} d\mathscr{P}_{A \to B+C}(z/\xi,k_T^2)$$
$$\frac{\partial f_B(z,\mu^2)}{\partial \mu^2} = \sum_A \int_z^1 \frac{d\xi}{\xi} \frac{d\mathscr{P}_{A \to B+C}(z/\xi,\mu^2)}{dz dk_T^2} f_A(\xi,\mu^2)$$

$$\begin{split} \Delta_A(t) &= \exp\left[-\sum_B \int_{t_0}^t \int dz \, \mathscr{P}_{A \to B+C}(z)\right], \\ f_A(x,t) &= \Delta_A(t) f_A(x,t_0) + \int_{t_0}^t \frac{dt'}{t'} \frac{\Delta(t)}{\Delta(t')} \int \frac{dz}{z} \, \mathscr{P}_{A \to B+C}(z) f_A(x/z,t') \end{split}$$

New SM Physics EW showers

At very high energies, E>>v, SU(2) x U(1) is restored and evolution through EW radiation will take place. The non-abelian nature of SU(2) will make a shower look more like QCD. One the scales are down to ~v EWSB effects will start to become important again.

Summary

- •In the **near future**, i.e. for the next 25 years the LHC will be THE machine to explore Higgs physics and the TeV scale through a compelling program of challenging measurements.
- •For the **future**, i.e. after 2050, we are evaluating the options. The most mature and feasible project for CERN is an e+e- "weak-scale factory" in a new 91 Km circular tunnel and then the pp option in the 70's.
- •A futuristic collider based on accelerating muons could open a new era in HEP experiments, with an exciting physics case. The technology needs to be demonstrated.

