PHYSICS AT THE LARGE ELECTRON-POSITRON COLLIDER

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Emmy Noether (1982-1935)





May 1963: "Congressino" di Frascati

Durante infler break congressions Frascoti Touschek mi chieste re voglio prendere l'intario di preparare sperience ni une delle sesioni dritte de adone. Responso che a jensero Tomando a Rome perlo a Matthiae al priesto -Guardi 913/63 (010/5?)







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> "Also Pauli before dying was put in a room number 137"











Physics at LEP



LEP tunnel + 4 large-coverage detectors





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Upgraded JADE Room temperature coil: 0.4 T 2 layers of silicon microstrips central Jet Chamber

EM-calorimeter 588 lead-glass Cherenkov counters





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Large muon chamber system

Quantum ChromoDynamics SU(3) with coupling α_s



The starting point



Before LEP

G. Altarelli 1989

"At present, it is fair to say that the experimental support of QCD is quite solid and quantitative. The forthcoming experiments at pp colliders, at LEP, SLC, and HERA will certainly be very important with their great potential for extending the experimental investigation of the validity of QCD."

[Ann. Rev. Nucl. Part. Sci. 39 (1989) 357]

Running of the strong coupling α_s







NLO: next-to-leading order - $O(\alpha_s^2)$ NLLA: next-to-leading-logarithmic approximation





Models of hadronization







Tau decays: ALEPH

Results of jet measurements

$$lpha_s(m_{ au}^2) = 0.340 \pm 0.005_{
m exp} \pm 0.014_{
m th}$$

• Event shapes - Example: Thrust T = max

3-jet event production rate

4-jet event production rate

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Many variables can be used to describe the event shape



Fractions of events with different numbers of jets





$$y_{jk} = 4 \frac{\min\{E_j^2; E_k^2\}}{Q^2} \sin^2\left(\frac{\alpha_{jk}}{2}\right)$$



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Running of the strong coupling from electron-positron collisions



Unification of the couplings in the Minimal Supersymmetric Model



U.A. Wim de Boer Hermann Furstenau



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Brighton Conference – December 1990

LEP, the Laboratory for Electrostrong Physics, one year later

Ugo Amaldi

CERN, Geneva, Switzerland

 $\begin{array}{c} 30 \\ 20 \\ 10 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 10^5 \\ 10^{10} \\ 10^{15} \\ \mu \ [GeV] \end{array}$

Nim de Boer nn Furstenau



Unification of the couplings in the Minimal Supersymmetric Model



The simple suggestive picture of the three-fold intersection of the strengths of the electromagnetic, weak, and strong forces of Nature is a simple symbol of the Universe's deep unity in the face of superficial diversity, which is what we mean by beauty.

Electroweak interactions U(1) x SU(2) with couplings α₁ and α₂











Production rate of b quarks

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Only one result from LEP II: WW production

Elements of the W-boson spin density matrix versus the W production angle

LEP Electroweak Working Group: determination of the top-quark and Higgs masses

Moriond 1994 – LEP average:

 $m_{\rm t} = 172 \, {}^{+13}_{-14} \, {}^{+18}_{-20} \, {\rm GeV}$

Few months later CDF 12 top decays:

 $m_{\rm t} = 174 \pm 10^{+13}_{-14} \, {\rm GeV}$

Final result:

 $m_{\rm t} = 178.0 \pm 4.3 \, {\rm GeV}$

3. In search of the Standard Model Higgs

Main production channels

B-tagging is very important to fight the background

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Eventually : mass limit $M_{\rm H} = 2 E_{\rm b} = 100 \text{ GeV}$ limited by radiated energy/turn $U_0 = C_{\gamma} \frac{E_b^4}{\rho}$, 3 GeV/turn@ 100 GeV

Room temperature and superconducting accelerating cavities

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> weight for a test mass = 115 GeV

| | EXP | Channel | $M~({ m GeV})$ | w |
|----|--------|---------|----------------|------|
| 1 | ALEPH | 4-jet | 114.3 | 1.73 |
| 2 | ALEPH | 4-jet | 112.9 | 1.21 |
| 3 | ALEPH | 4-jet | 110.0 | 0.64 |
| 4 | L3 | E-miss | 115.0 | 0.53 |
| 5 | OPAL | 4-jet | 110.7 | 0.53 |
| 6 | DELPHI | 4-jet | 114.3 | 0.49 |
| 7 | ALEPH | Lept | 118.1 | 0.47 |
| 8 | ALEPH | Tau | 115.4 | 0.41 |
| 9 | OPAL | 4-jet | 112.6 | 0.40 |
| 10 | ALEPH | 4-jet | 114.5 | 0.40 |

Final analysis

Combined LEP result at M_H = 115 GeV is in excess of the "background-only" hypothesis by 1.7 standard deviations.

Lower bound (95%CL) on the SM Higgs boson mass is M_H = 114.4 GeV

The legacy of LEP to the LHC experiments

STANDARD MODEL

Hadronization models and Montecarlo programs

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Material legacy, beyond the 27 km tunnel

Microstrip and pixel silicon detectors

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