

SECOND • ECFA • WORKSHOP on e^+e^- Higgs / Electroweak / Top Factories

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M_W @ future e^+e^- colliders

Topics:

- Physics potential of future Higgs and electroweak/top factories
- Required precision (experimental and theoretical)
- EFT (global) interpretation of Higgs factory measurements
- Reconstruction and simulation
- Software
- Detector R&D

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W-boson mass measurements vs. prediction from μ decay

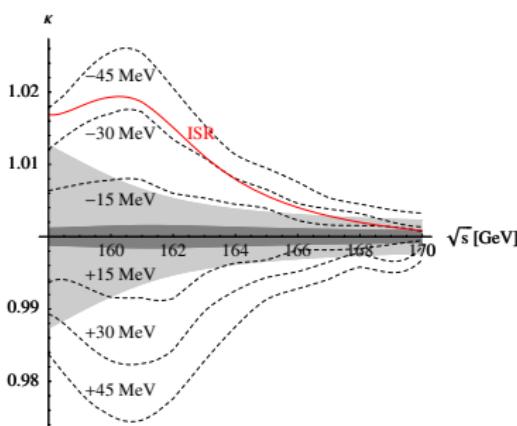
ILC: Baak et al., 1310.6708

FCC-ee: Freitas et al., 1906.05379

	experimental accuracy			theory uncertainty			
	σ_{WW} @ threshold	intrinsic	parametric	current	source	prospect	prospect
ΔM_W [MeV]	13	200 LEP2	3–6 ILC	0.5–1 FCC-ee	3	$\alpha^3, \alpha^2 \alpha_s$	1 1(0.6) $\Delta \alpha_{had}$

complicated reconstructions basically counting experiments M_W calculated from μ decay

Sensitivity of σ_{WW} to M_W : Beneke et al. '07



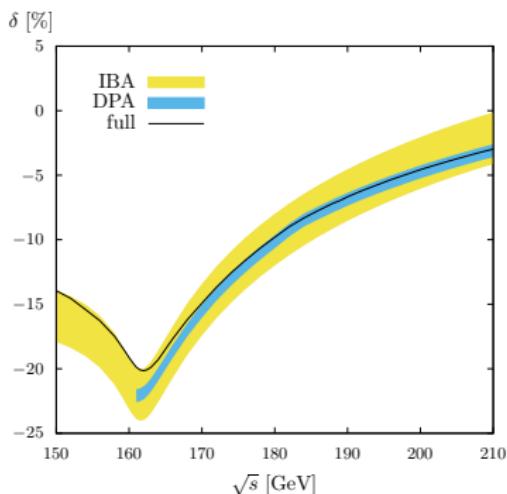
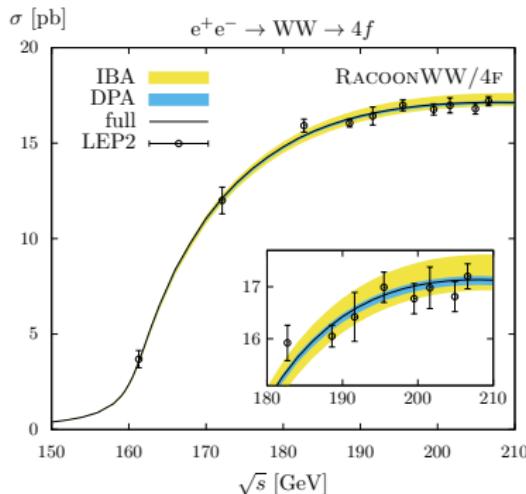
$$\kappa = \frac{\sigma_{WW}(s, M_W + \delta M_W)}{\sigma_{WW}(s, M_W)}$$

$$\Delta \kappa = 0.1\% (0.02\%) \leftrightarrow \delta M_W = 1.5 (0.3) \text{ MeV} \text{ for } \sqrt{s} = 161 \text{ GeV}$$

\Rightarrow FCC-ee requires $\Delta_{TH} \sim 0.02\%$ in σ_{WW}

Shaded areas / ISR curve:
some uncertainties of NLO(EFT) calculation,
improveable via full NLO($e^+e^- \rightarrow 4f$) and NNLO(EFT)

State-of-the-art prediction of σ_{WW} in LEP2 energy range Denner, S.D., 1912.06823



- ▶ IBA = based on leading-log ISR and universal EW corrections ($\Delta \sim 2\%$)
 ↳ shows large ISR impact near threshold (also by GENTLE)
- ▶ DPA = “Double-Pole Approximation” (leading term of resonance expansion)
 ↳ $\Delta \sim 0.5\%$ above threshold, not applicable at threshold RacoonWW, YFSWW
- ▶ “full” = full NLO prediction for $e^+e^- \rightarrow 4f$ via charged current Denner et al. '05
 + leading-log improvements for ISR beyond NLO
 ↳ $\Delta \sim 0.5\%$ everywhere

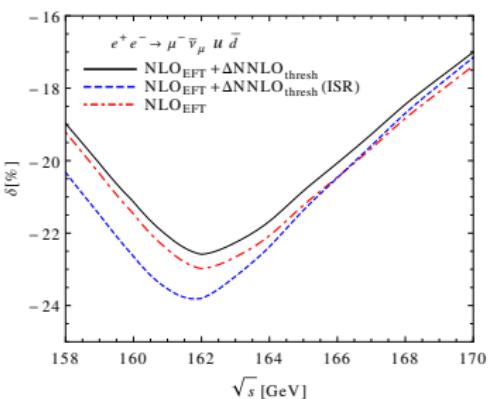
Improvements for σ_{WW} @ threshold via EFT

Beneke et al. '07; Actis et al. '08

EFT provides expansion of σ_{WW} for $\beta = \sqrt{1 - 4M_W^2/s} \sim \sqrt{\Gamma_W/M_W} \sim \sqrt{\alpha}$:

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma_{WW} &= C\alpha^2\beta \left[1 + c^{(0)}\beta \right. && \text{LO} \\ &\quad + \alpha \left(\frac{c_1^{(1)}}{\beta} + c_2^{(1)} \ln \beta L_e + c_3^{(1)} L_e + c_4^{(1)} + c_5^{(1)}\beta \right) && \text{NLO} \\ &\quad \left. + \alpha^2 \left(\frac{c_1^{(2)}}{\beta^2} + \frac{c_2^{(2)}}{\beta} + c_3^{(2)} \ln^2 \beta L_e^2 + c_4^{(2)} \ln \beta L_e^2 + \dots \right) + \dots \right] && \text{NNLO} \\ &&& \underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_{\text{leading NNLO parts known}} \end{aligned}$$

↓
required
for FCC-ee



ISR enhancement factor $L_e = \ln(m_e/M_W)$

Resummation of leading $(\alpha L_e)^n$ and subleading $\alpha(\alpha L_e)^{n-1}$ ISR necessary!

Theory issues in scan of $\sigma_{WW}(s)$ over WW threshold

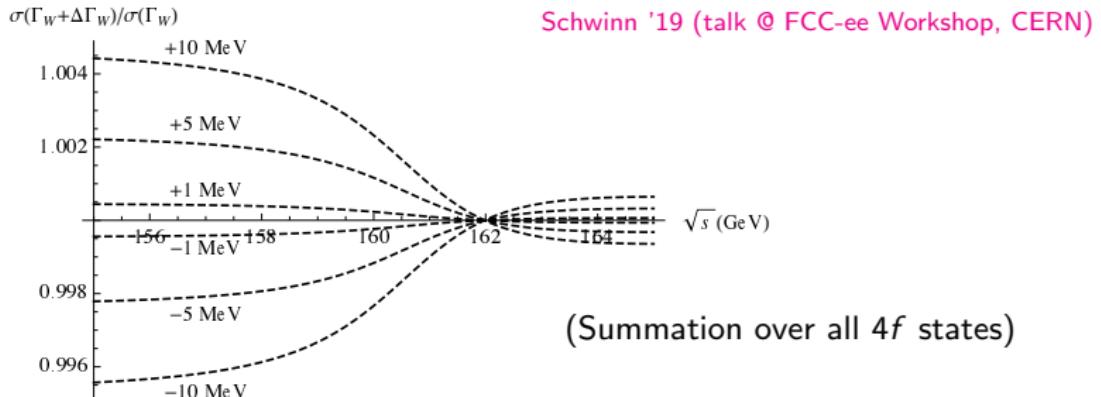
- ▶ Definition of σ_{WW} via 4f final states
 - ▶ e^\pm final states: separation or inclusion of single-W channels?
→ TH precision versus EXP accuracy
 - ▶ Hadronic final states: separation of multi-jet events (2j,3j,4j,...)
→ TH precision versus EXP accuracy
- ▶ Required for the best achievable theory prediction for σ_{WW} :
 - ▶ Full NLO $e^+e^- \rightarrow 4f$ prediction for each 4f type
(interferences with ZZ and forward- e^\pm channels)
 - ▶ full NNLO EFT calculation (only leading terms available)
 - ▶ leading 3-loop Coulomb-enhanced EFT corrections
 - ▶ matching of all fixed-order $e^+e^- \rightarrow 4f$ and threshold-EFT ingredients
 - ▶ convolution of matched and corrected XS with higher-order ISR

→ Estimate of theory uncertainty:
 $\Delta \sim 0.01\text{--}0.04\%$ for σ_{WW} @ threshold [Freitas et al., 1906.05379](#)

Improved M_W prediction from μ decay

- ▶ Massive 3-loop computations (vacuum graphs, self-energies)

Γ_W determination from energy scan @ WW threshold:



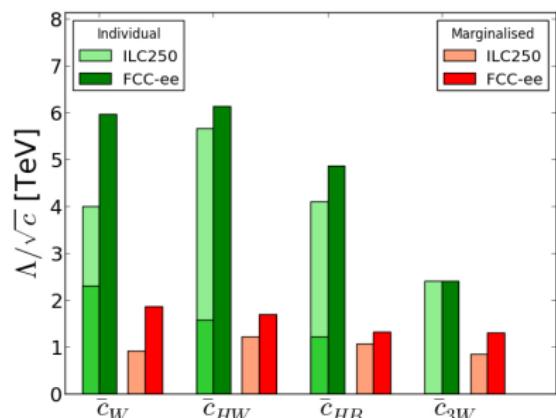
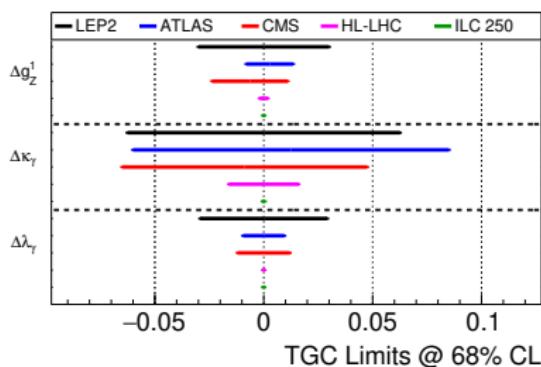
Simultaneous fit of M_W and Γ_W by scan of σ_{WW} :

- ▶ FCC-ee study: [1703.01626](#)
2-point fit (15 ab^{-1}): $M_W = 0.41 \text{ MeV}$, $\Gamma_W = 1.1 \text{ MeV}$
- ▶ CEPC study: [1812.09855](#)
3-point fit (2.6 ab^{-1}): $M_W = 1 \text{ MeV}$, $\Gamma_W = 2.8 \text{ MeV}$

WW production beyond LEP2 energy range

- Ideal for precision study of anomalous TGCs
(no formfactors for damping required)
- SMEFT framework:
sensitivity to dim-6 operators complementary to Higgs analyses **Ellis, You '15**

Bambade et al. '19



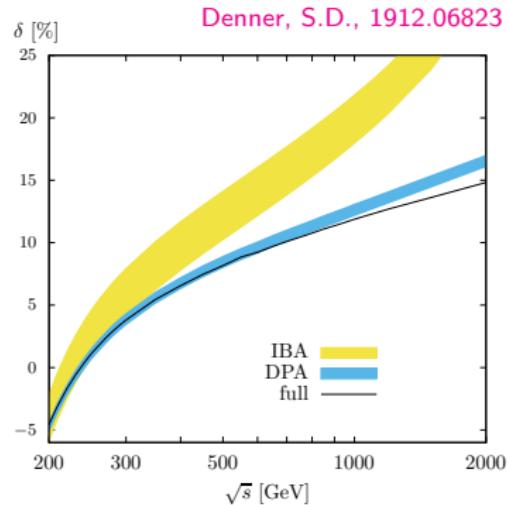
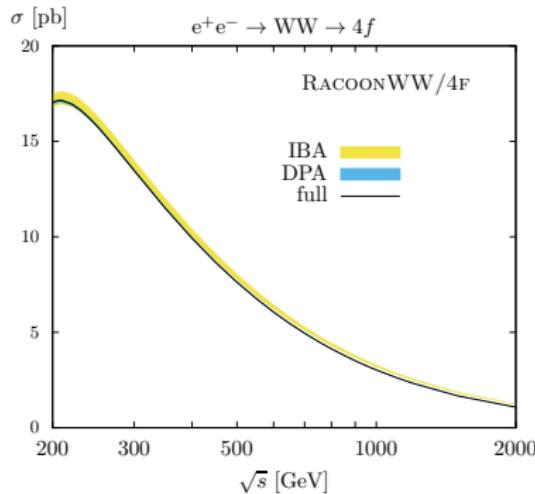
- Impact of $\Delta \kappa_\gamma$ on $d\sigma_{WW}$:

	\sqrt{s}/GeV	200	250	500
$\Delta \kappa_\gamma$		0.05	0.004	0.001
$d\sigma_{WW}(\kappa_\gamma)/d\sigma_{WW}^{\text{SM}} - 1$		3%	$\sim 0.5\%$	$\sim 0.5\%$

↪ SM precision limits reach in TGCs for moderate \sqrt{s} !

WW production beyond LEP2 energy range

Fixed-order NLO + leading-log ISR prediction:



Note: large non-universal weak corrections + sizeable off-shell effects

Achievable precision:

- ▶ by full NLO for $e^+e^- \rightarrow 4f$ + leading NNLO corrections + ISR resummation
- ▶ estimate: $\Delta \sim 0.5\%$ in distributions ($\sim 1\%$ in tails) up to $\sqrt{s} \sim 1$ TeV