

Probing the  
Electroweak Symmetry Breaking  
in the TeV Region

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- why study Electroweak Symmetry Breaking Sector
- Standard Model Higgs mechanisms
- Electroweak chiral Lagrangian
- Equivalence Theorem
- Effective- $W$  approximation
- No Lose theorem
- Event structure of Signal and Backgrounds
- phenomenology

• Why Studying Electroweak Symmetry Breaking Sector

— Up to now, All experimental Data\* Agree with Standard Model

— However, we still don't know either  
or the dynamics of Symmetry Breaking  
or the origin of fermion masses

We know that

the W-bosons gain mass by "eating"  
the Goldstone Bosons.

But, we don't know whether it is due  
to the

Standard Model Higgs Mechanism  
or

Something else, e.g., technicolor model, ...

⇒ It's important to probe EWSB  
by studying the interactions  
among the Goldstone Bosons

( \*  $\alpha_s$ ,  $R_b$ ,  $R_c$ , high- $p_T$  jets, zoo-events ... )

• Standard Model Higgs Mechanism

In Standard Model, the mass of vector bosons ( $W^+$ ,  $W^-$  and  $Z^0$ ) is generated from Higgs mechanism.

This amounts to introducing a colorless complex doublet

$$\bar{\Phi} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\sigma + i\phi^0}{\sqrt{2}} \\ i\phi^- \end{pmatrix}$$

The scalar sector of the SM Lagrangian is

$$\mathcal{L}_{\Phi} = (D_{\mu}\bar{\Phi})^{\dagger}(D^{\mu}\Phi) - \lambda \left( \bar{\Phi}\Phi - \frac{v^2}{2} \right)^2$$

with

$$D_{\mu} = \partial_{\mu} - ig_1 \frac{Y}{2} B_{\mu} - ig_2 \frac{\tau^j}{2} W_{\mu}^j,$$

$$j=1,2,3$$

$$Y=-1$$

$$\text{Tr}(\tau^j \tau^k) = 2\delta_{jk}$$

$\mathcal{L}_{\Phi}$  is  $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$  invariant.

$$\begin{pmatrix} Z_0 \\ A \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta_w & -\sin\theta_w \\ \sin\theta_w & \cos\theta_w \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} W^3 \\ B \end{pmatrix}$$

$\theta_w$  is the weak mixing angle.  $(\tan\theta_w = \frac{g_1}{g_2})$

The minimum of the potential energy occurs at  $v$ , we then expand  $\sigma$  around  $v$ ,

Spontaneous Symmetry Breaking,

$$\sigma = v + H \quad (v \approx 246 \text{ GeV})$$

The vector boson masses are

$$M_W = \frac{1}{2} g v, \quad M_Z = \frac{g v}{2 \cos\theta_w} \quad (g \equiv g_2)$$

The Goldstone Bosons  $(\phi^+, \phi^-, \phi^0)$  are "eaten" by the vector bosons  $(W^+, W^-, Z^0)$ .

Which are massive, and have three polarization states.

This is how the Longitudinal  $W$ 's are generated. (They are the Goldstone Bosons.)

Since we are interested in  
Probing the Electroweak Symmetry Breaking  
by studying the interaction among  
the Goldstone Bosons, which are  
"equivalent" to the Longitudinal  $W$ 's  
in the TeV region, (Equivalence theorem)  
we will ignore the hypercharge  $U(1)_Y$   
interaction, and neglect Yukawa interactions.

⇒ We will only consider the coset space

$$\frac{SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R}{SU(2)_V} \quad (\text{Custodial Symmetry})$$

(Later, we shall discuss the full gauged effective theories.)

• Consider ungauged  $\mathcal{L}_\Phi$

$$\Phi \equiv \begin{pmatrix} \phi^0 \\ \phi^- \end{pmatrix} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\sigma + i\phi^0}{\sqrt{2}} \\ i\phi^- \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{in } \underline{2} \text{ rep. of } SU(2)$$

Since  $SU(2)$  group has a complex conjugate representation, we can construct a  $\underline{2}^*$  rep.

$$\tilde{\Phi} \equiv i\tau_2 \Phi^* = \begin{pmatrix} -i\phi^+ \\ -\frac{\sigma + i\phi^0}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$

— Define

$$M = \sqrt{2} (\Phi, -\tilde{\Phi}) = \sigma + i\tau^j \phi^j \quad \begin{matrix} j=1,2,3 \\ (\phi^3 \equiv \phi^0) \end{matrix}$$

$\swarrow$   $SU(2)_V$  Singlet       $\nwarrow$   $SU(2)_V$  triplet

$M$  manifests the  $SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$  global symmetry

$$M(x) \longrightarrow M'(x) = L M(x) R^\dagger, \quad \begin{matrix} L = e^{-i\vec{\epsilon}_L \cdot \frac{\vec{\tau}}{2}} \\ R = e^{-i\vec{\epsilon}_R \cdot \frac{\vec{\tau}}{2}} \end{matrix}$$

When  $L=R$ , then  $\begin{pmatrix} v & 0 \\ 0 & v \end{pmatrix}$  is invariant.

This is the  $SU(2)_V$  symmetry after spontaneous symmetry breaking.

— The ungauged

$$\mathcal{L}_\Phi = (\partial_\mu \Phi)^\dagger (\partial^\mu \Phi) - \lambda \left( \Phi^\dagger \Phi - \frac{v^2}{2} \right)^2$$

can be rewritten as

$$\mathcal{L}_M = \frac{1}{4} \text{Tr} (\partial_\mu M^\dagger \partial^\mu M) - \lambda \left[ \frac{1}{4} \text{Tr} (M^\dagger M - v^2) \right]^2$$

Before the symmetry breaking,  $M$  is  $SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$  invariant. When the symmetry is broken spontaneously, the symmetry is reduced to  $SU(2)_V$ , which gives one  $SU(2)_V$  singlet and one  $SU(2)_V$  triplet.

We can perform the "polar redefinition of the fields" to write

$$M \equiv \rho \Sigma, \quad \Sigma = e^{\frac{i\tau^a \pi^a}{v}}$$

$\rho = v + h$

$\rho$   $\swarrow$   $SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$       $\nwarrow$   $SU(2)_V$  singlet      $\swarrow$   $SU(2)_V$  triplet

Then  $\mathcal{L}_\Phi = \mathcal{L}_M =$

$$\mathcal{L}_\Sigma = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \rho) (\partial^\mu \rho) + \frac{1}{4} \rho^2 \text{Tr} (\partial_\mu \Sigma^\dagger \partial^\mu \Sigma) - \lambda \left( \frac{\rho^2}{2} - \frac{v^2}{2} \right)^2$$



— When the symmetry is *Spontaneously* broken from  $SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$  to  $SU(2)_V$

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma + i\phi^0 & i\sqrt{2}\phi^+ \\ i\sqrt{2}\phi^- & \sigma - i\phi^0 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\sigma = v+h} \begin{pmatrix} v+h & 0 \\ 0 & v+h \end{pmatrix} + i \begin{pmatrix} \phi^0 & \sqrt{2}\phi^+ \\ \sqrt{2}\phi^- & -\phi^0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\rho \Sigma = \rho e^{\frac{i\tau^a \pi^a}{v}} \xrightarrow{\rho = v+h} \begin{pmatrix} v+h & 0 \\ 0 & v+h \end{pmatrix} + i \begin{pmatrix} \pi^0 & \sqrt{2}\pi^+ \\ \sqrt{2}\pi^- & -\pi^0 \end{pmatrix} + i \frac{h}{v} \begin{pmatrix} \pi^0 & \sqrt{2}\pi^+ \\ \sqrt{2}\pi^- & -\pi^0 \end{pmatrix} + \dots$$

$\Rightarrow (h, \pi^a)$  are a *non-linear* function of  $(H, \phi^a)$

But,

$$h = H (1 + \dots)$$

$$\pi^a = \phi^a (1 + \dots)$$

This field redefinition does not shift the origin of the field. Therefore, the "S-matrix" will be the same.

$(\mathcal{L}_\Phi, \mathcal{L}_M \text{ and } \mathcal{L}_\Sigma \text{ all give the same } S\text{-matrix.})$

— In the heavy Higgs mass limit,  $m_H \rightarrow \infty$ ,

$$\rho \rightarrow v \quad (v = 246 \text{ GeV})$$

then

$$\mathcal{L}_\Sigma \rightarrow \frac{1}{4} v^2 \text{Tr}(\partial_\mu \Sigma^\dagger \partial^\mu \Sigma),$$

$$\Sigma = e^{i\tau^a \phi^a / v}$$

This is the **Low Energy Theorem Lagrangian**.

In the low energy,  $E < 4\pi v$ , the interactions among the Goldstone Bosons  $\phi^a$  can be obtained from this **effective Lagrangian**, which is called as

**non-linearly realized chiral Lagrangian**.

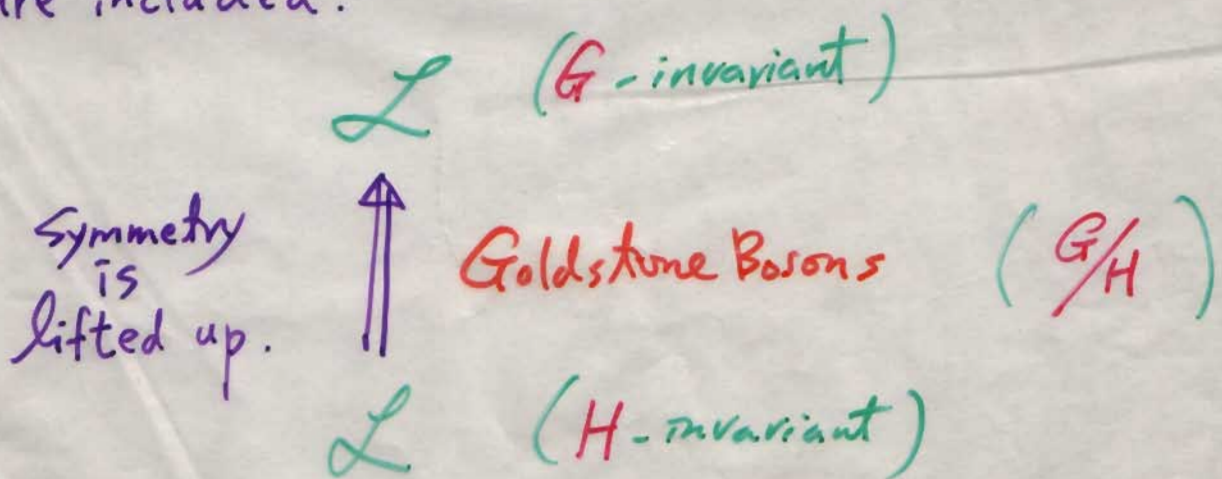
- Why nonlinearly realized Chiral Lagrangian ?

In the low energy world, we want to construct a Lagrangian  $\mathcal{L}$  that is invariant in the symmetry group  $H$  (eg.  $U(1)_{em}$ ).

If this low energy Lagrangian  $\mathcal{L}$  arises from the Spontaneous Symmetry Breaking of a larger symmetry group  $G$  (eg.  $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$ )

in the high energy world, then we want to construct  $\mathcal{L}$  so that it's also invariant in  $G$ .

This can be done if the Goldstone bosons are included.



- Electroweak Chiral Lagrangian

— Consider theories  $\mathcal{L}$  based on coset space  $\frac{G}{H}$ . These theories describe the interactions of the Goldstone Bosons that arise by spontaneously breaking a compact, connected, semisimple Lie group  $G$  down to a continuous subgroup  $H$ .

(C. Callan, S. Coleman, J. Wess, B. Zumino)

In our case, 
$$\frac{G}{H} = \frac{SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R}{SU(2)_V}$$

Define the matrix field

$$\xi = e^{\frac{i\phi^a \tau^a}{2v}}$$

$\left( \begin{array}{l} \tau^a \text{ is in } G, \text{ but not in } H \\ \phi^a \text{ is Goldstone Boson} \end{array} \right)$

Under the transformation in  $G$ ,

$$\xi \rightarrow \xi' = L \xi U^\dagger, \quad U = U(\xi, L, R)$$

$\uparrow$  non-linear function

$$(L \in SU(2)_L, R \in SU(2)_R, U \in SU(2)_V)$$

(When  $L=R$ , then  $U=L=R$  and the transformation linearizes.)  
 $\Rightarrow \phi^a$  transform as a triplet under  $SU(2)_{V=L+R}$

(Assume the underlying dynamics conserve Parity)

- Under Parity transformation

QCD-like int.

$$\xi \rightarrow \xi^+ \quad (\text{in } L-R)$$

$$L \rightarrow R$$

$$U^+ \rightarrow U^+ \quad (\text{in } L+R)$$

then

$$\xi^+ \rightarrow R \xi^+ U^+$$

or

$$\xi \rightarrow U \xi R^+$$

Hence

$$\xi \rightarrow \xi' = L \xi U^+ = U \xi R^+$$

Define

$$\Sigma \equiv \xi \xi = e^{\frac{i\phi^a \tau^a}{v}}$$

then

$$\Sigma \rightarrow \Sigma' = L \Sigma R^+$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Tr}(\partial_\mu \Sigma^+ \partial^\mu \Sigma) \text{ is invariant.}$$

From this, one can build the Low Energy Theorem Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{LET}} = \frac{v^2}{4} \text{Tr}(\partial_\mu \Sigma^+ \partial^\mu \Sigma)$$

- Ungauged Electroweak Chiral Lagrangian  
on  $\frac{SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R}{SU(2)_V}$  coset space

Question:

a SM

If  $\wedge$  Higgs Boson does not exist,  
what are the other possibilities  
for the spontaneous Symmetry Breaking?

This can be systematically studied by  
writing down an **Effective Lagrangian**  
(in contrast to a Fundamental Theory)  
using the **Chiral Lagrangian** approach.

}	Scalar	Resonance
	Vector	Resonance
	No	Resonance

## • Custodial Symmetry

— Before  $\mathcal{L}_\Phi$  is gauged, it has the global symmetry  $O(4)$ , which is isomorphic to  $SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$ .

The "additional" symmetry  $SU(2)_R$  is the Custodial Symmetry.

(Here, we assume fermions in one doublet have the same masses.)

— When  $\mathcal{L}_\Phi$  is gauged by  $SU(2)_L$ , and the symmetry is broken spontaneously, i.e.  $\sigma = v + H$ , then  $SU(2)_L$  is broken, but there is a vector-like symmetry  $SU(2)_V$  remained, i.e. the coset space is 
$$\frac{SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R}{SU(2)_V}$$

— When the hypercharge, i.e.  $U(1)_Y$  interaction is included, or when the Yukawa interaction is included for fermions with different masses in one doublet, then this  $SU(2)_V$  symmetry is broken. The coset space is 
$$\frac{SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y}{U(1)_{e.m.}}$$

— The "additional" symmetry  $SU(2)_R$  is the custodial symmetry which guarantee the tree level relation

$$\rho \equiv \frac{M_W^2}{M_Z^2 \cos^2 \theta_W} = 1$$

Note: The custodial symmetry is broken by

(i) hypercharge:  $g' \neq 0$

(ii) mass splitting in fermion doublet:

$$\begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix}_L \quad \& \quad m_u \neq m_d$$



• How about in a Gauge theory ?

In **Standard Model**, the gauge group is  $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$ , spontaneously broken to  $U(1)_{e.m.}$  of electromagnetism.

The minimum global symmetry is

$$G = SU(2) \times U(1)$$

$$H = U(1)$$

Define  $\Sigma = e^{i\phi^a \tau^a / v}$

under  $G$  transformation

$$\Sigma \longrightarrow e^{i\frac{\vec{\alpha} \cdot \vec{\tau}}{2}} \Sigma e^{-i\frac{Y\tau_3}{2}}$$

$\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_L$ 
 $\underbrace{\hspace{10em}}_R$

(short-hand notation)

Define  $B_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu B_\nu - \partial_\nu B_\mu) \tau_3$

$$W_{\mu\nu} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu W_\nu - \partial_\nu W_\mu - \frac{i}{2} g [W_\mu, W_\nu])$$

$$W_\mu \equiv W_\mu^a \tau^a$$

Covariant derivative

$$D_{\mu} \Sigma \equiv \partial_{\mu} \Sigma + \frac{i}{2} g W_{\mu} \Sigma - \frac{i}{2} g' B_{\mu} \Sigma \tau_3$$

Under  $G$  transformation

$$\begin{aligned} \Sigma &\rightarrow L \Sigma R^+ \\ D_{\mu} \Sigma &\rightarrow L (D_{\mu} \Sigma) R^+ \\ W_{\mu} &\rightarrow L W_{\mu} L^+ \\ B_{\mu} &\rightarrow R B_{\mu} R^+ \end{aligned} \quad (\tau_3 \rightarrow R \tau_3 R^+)$$

with

$$\begin{aligned} \left( \frac{-i}{2} g W_{\mu} \right) &\rightarrow L \left( \frac{-i}{2} g W_{\mu} + \partial_{\mu} \right) L^+ \\ \left( \frac{-i}{2} g' B_{\mu} \tau_3 \right) &\rightarrow R \left( \frac{-i}{2} g' B_{\mu} \tau_3 + \partial_{\mu} \right) R^+ \end{aligned}$$

— With these, we can now construct  
Electroweak Chiral Lagrangian

1) The lowest order term contains two derivatives,

$$\mathcal{L}^{(2)} = \frac{v^2}{4} \text{Tr} (D_\mu^\dagger \Sigma^\dagger D_\mu \Sigma)$$

In the Unitary Gauge,  $\Sigma = 1$ ,

$$\mathcal{L}^{(2)} = \frac{v^2}{4} \left( \frac{g^2}{2} W_\mu^a W_\mu^a + \frac{g'^2}{2} B_\mu B_\mu - gg' W_\mu^3 B_\mu \right)$$

This gives

$$W^\pm \text{ mass} \quad M_W = \frac{1}{2} g v$$

$$Z \quad M_Z = \frac{M_W}{\cos \theta_W}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} Z \\ A \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_W & -\sin \theta_W \\ \sin \theta_W & \cos \theta_W \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} W_\mu^3 \\ B_\mu \end{pmatrix}$$

Also, a massless photon

[  $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$  gauge invariance is  
non-linearly realized. ]

If Electroweak Symmetry Breaking (EWSB) is driven by strong interactions at TeV energies, the

Electroweak Chiral Lagrangian (EWCL) provides the most economical description of Electroweak physics below this scale.

Deviation from the Standard Model (SM), but no Higgs scalar, can be parametrized in terms of a low energy expansion.

— Here, we are considering the most difficult scenario that no new light particles exist below the TeV scale.

If this is not the case, then search for new light particles

The EWCL is constructed to respect the spontaneously broken  $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$  gauge symmetry,

using the dimensionless unitary unimodular matrix field

$$U = e^{\frac{i\pi^a \tau^a}{f}} \quad \tau^a: \text{Pauli matrices}$$

$\pi^a$ : Goldstone Boson fields  $a=1, 2, 3$

$f$ : vacuum expectation value ( $\sim 246 \text{ GeV}$ ) characterizes the symmetry breaking scale.

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \sum_n \mathcal{L}_n \frac{f^{4+a_n-D_n}}{\Lambda^{a_n}} \mathcal{O}_n(W_{\mu\nu}, B_{\mu\nu}, D_\mu U, U, F, \bar{F})$$

$$= \mathcal{L}_G + \mathcal{L}_S + \mathcal{L}_F$$

fermion int. terms

Gauge boson kinetic terms

Scalar boson int. terms  
(containing GB self-int.  
( $\mathcal{Z}$  gauge boson - GB int.)

The bosonic part of EWCL :

$$\mathcal{L}_G = -\frac{1}{2}\text{Tr}(\mathbf{W}_{\mu\nu}\mathbf{W}^{\mu\nu}) - \frac{1}{4}B_{\mu\nu}B^{\mu\nu}, \quad \text{--- gauge boson kinetic terms}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_S = \mathcal{L}^{(2)} + \mathcal{L}^{(2)'} + \sum_{n=1}^{14} \mathcal{L}_n,$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{(2)} = \frac{f_\pi^2}{4}\text{Tr}[(D_\mu U)^\dagger(D^\mu U)], \quad \text{--- universal dim-2}$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{(2)'} = \ell_0 \left(\frac{f_\pi}{\Lambda}\right)^2 \frac{f_\pi^2}{4} [\text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}\mathcal{V}_\mu)]^2, \quad \leftarrow \Delta S(T)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_1 = \ell_1 \left(\frac{f_\pi}{\Lambda}\right)^2 \frac{g g'}{2} B_{\mu\nu} \text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}\mathbf{W}^{\mu\nu}), \quad \leftarrow S$$

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = \ell_2 \left(\frac{f_\pi}{\Lambda}\right)^2 \frac{g'}{2} B_{\mu\nu} \text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}[\mathcal{V}^\mu, \mathcal{V}^\nu]),$$

$$\mathcal{L}_3 = \ell_3 \left(\frac{f_\pi}{\Lambda}\right)^2 i g \text{Tr}(\mathbf{W}_{\mu\nu}[\mathcal{V}^\mu, \mathcal{V}^\nu]),$$

$$\mathcal{L}_4 = \ell_4 \left(\frac{f_\pi}{\Lambda}\right)^2 [\text{Tr}(\mathcal{V}_\mu \mathcal{V}_\nu)]^2,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_5 = \ell_5 \left(\frac{f_\pi}{\Lambda}\right)^2 [\text{Tr}(\mathcal{V}_\mu \mathcal{V}^\mu)]^2,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_6 = \ell_6 \left(\frac{f_\pi}{\Lambda}\right)^2 [\text{Tr}(\mathcal{V}_\mu \mathcal{V}_\nu)] \text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}\mathcal{V}^\mu) \text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}\mathcal{V}^\nu),$$

$$\mathcal{L}_7 = \ell_7 \left(\frac{f_\pi}{\Lambda}\right)^2 [\text{Tr}(\mathcal{V}_\mu \mathcal{V}^\mu)] \text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}\mathcal{V}_\nu) \text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}\mathcal{V}^\nu),$$

$$\mathcal{L}_8 = \ell_8 \left(\frac{f_\pi}{\Lambda}\right)^2 \frac{g^2}{4} [\text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}\mathbf{W}_{\mu\nu})]^2, \quad \leftarrow U$$

$$\mathcal{L}_9 = \ell_9 \left(\frac{f_\pi}{\Lambda}\right)^2 \frac{g g'}{2} \text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}\mathbf{W}_{\mu\nu}) \text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}[\mathcal{V}^\mu, \mathcal{V}^\nu]),$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{10} = \ell_{10} \left(\frac{f_\pi}{\Lambda}\right)^2 \frac{1}{2} [\text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}\mathcal{V}^\mu) \text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}\mathcal{V}^\nu)]^2,$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{11} = \ell_{11} \left(\frac{f_\pi}{\Lambda}\right)^2 g \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\lambda} \text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}\mathcal{V}_\mu) \text{Tr}(\mathcal{V}_\nu \mathbf{W}_{\rho\lambda}),$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{12} = \ell_{12} \left(\frac{f_\pi}{\Lambda}\right)^2 2g \text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}\mathcal{V}_\mu) \text{Tr}(\mathcal{V}_\nu \mathbf{W}^{\mu\nu}),$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{13} = \ell_{13} \left(\frac{f_\pi}{\Lambda}\right)^2 \frac{g g'}{4} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\lambda} B_{\mu\nu} \text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}\mathbf{W}_{\rho\lambda}),$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{14} = \ell_{14} \left(\frac{f_\pi}{\Lambda}\right)^2 \frac{g^2}{8} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\lambda} \text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}\mathbf{W}_{\mu\nu}) \text{Tr}(\mathcal{T}\mathbf{W}_{\rho\lambda}),$$

custodial  
 $SU(2)_C$   
inv.

$SU(2)_C$   
non-inv.

$\mathcal{P}, \mathcal{CP}$

CP  
violating

(quartic couplings)

pure scalar  
int.

(3.6) after

taking

$g, g' \rightarrow 0$

( $f_\pi = f$ )

$$D_\mu U = \partial_\mu U + i g \underline{W}_\mu U - i g' U \underline{B}_\mu,$$

$$\underline{W}_\mu = \partial_\mu \underline{W} - \partial_\nu \underline{W}_\mu - i g [\underline{W}_\mu, \underline{W}_\nu],$$

$$\underline{B}_\mu = \partial_\mu \underline{B} - \partial_\nu \underline{B}_\mu$$

$$\underline{U} = (D_\mu U) U^\dagger,$$

$$\underline{U} = U \tau_3 U^\dagger, \quad U = e^{\frac{i\pi a_3 \tau_3}{f}}$$

$$\underline{W}_\mu = \frac{W_\mu^a \tau^a}{2}$$

$$\underline{B}_\mu = \frac{B_\mu \tau^3}{2}$$

In the non-decoupling scenario,  $\ell_n \sim \mathcal{O}(1)$

The cutoff scale

$$\Lambda = \min(M_{SB}, 4\pi f)$$

mass of the lightest new particle  $\nearrow$   $\nwarrow$   $\sim 3 \text{ TeV}$

$$\left(\frac{f}{\Lambda}\right)^2 \sim \frac{1}{16\pi^2} \sim 0.6\% \text{ for } \Lambda = \Lambda_0 \equiv 4\pi f.$$

To distinguish models of (strong) underlying dynamics, one needs to measure these  $l$ 's.

By setting the GB-fields to zeros ("going to Unitary gauge"), one finds

$$\begin{aligned} S &= \frac{-1}{\pi} l_1 \cdot \left(\frac{\Lambda_0}{\Lambda}\right)^2 \\ \alpha T &= \frac{1}{8\pi^2} l_0 \cdot \left(\frac{\Lambda_0}{\Lambda}\right)^2 \\ U &= \frac{-1}{\pi} l_8 \cdot \left(\frac{\Lambda_0}{\Lambda}\right)^2 \end{aligned}$$

well measured by low energy data (including LEP/SLC)

$$\left(\Delta I_{\text{new}}^p = \Delta I^p - \Delta I_{\text{SM}}^p = \alpha T, \text{ for } p=1+0\right)$$

# Equivalence Theorem

Ward Identity

$$(-\partial W + M_w \phi) | \text{physical state} \rangle = 0$$

(At tree level)

$$\begin{array}{c} = -\partial W \\ = \text{wavy line} \\ k \end{array} \circ + M_w \begin{array}{c} \phi \\ \text{solid line} \end{array} \circ = 0$$

Longitudinal polarization vector of  $W$  boson

$$\epsilon_L(k) = \frac{k}{M_w} + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{M_w}{E_w}\right)$$

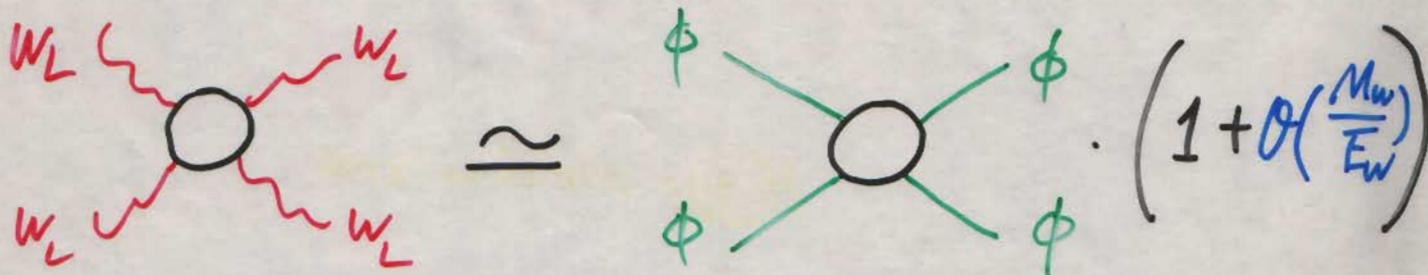
If  $M_w \ll E_w$ , then

$$(\text{Longitudinal } W) \simeq (\text{Goldstone Boson } \phi)$$

(A proof to all order,  
thanks to H.-J. He, Y.-P. Kuang and X. Li)  
I will talk more about this later.



Similarly, as  $M_W \ll E_W$  (in TeV region)



$\Rightarrow$  To probe the Electroweak Symmetry Breaking Sector, one needs to study Interactions among Goldstone Bosons, which is equivalent to study Interactions among Longitudinal W-Bosons.

Question:

How to prepare longitudinal W-boson beams?

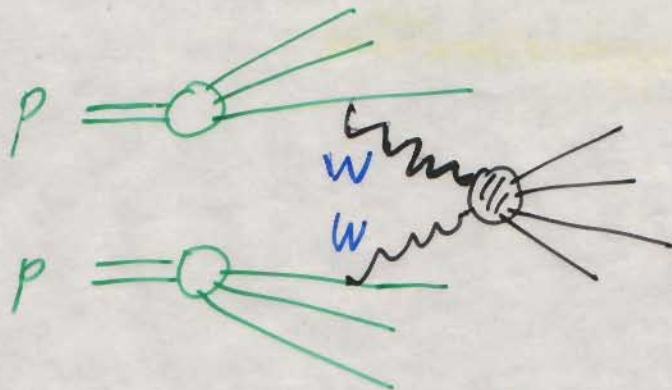
- $WW$  fusion (Prepare  $W$ -Beams)

We will adopt the **Effective- $W$**  approximation to do the calculation.

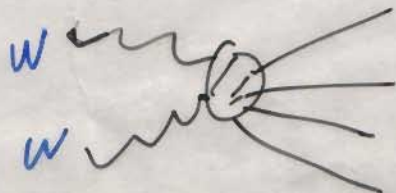
(ref. to Kane, Repko and Rolnick)  
Dawson  
...

(1) **Why?**

Consider the process

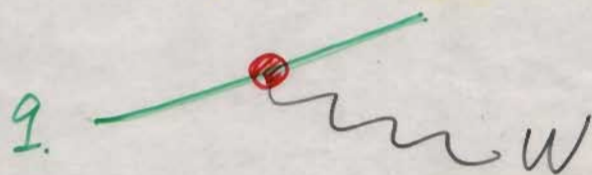


- We would like to have one scheme to do the calculation, even if the subprocess



becomes **strongly interacting.**

In other words, the  $W$ 's emitted from quarks can be treated exactly the same, no matter whether  $WW$  interaction is perturbative or not.



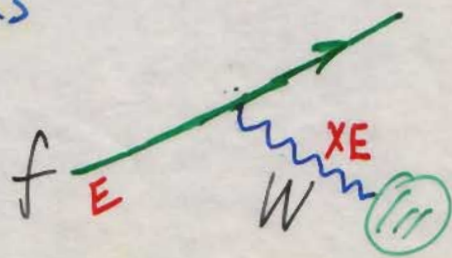
- Simplify the calculation..
- The calculation may be further simplified using the **Equivalence Theorem**

$$(W_L W_L \rightarrow W_L W_L \simeq \phi\phi \rightarrow \phi\phi)$$

(2) **What is it?**

Similar to the **effective photon approximation** for the distribution of photons in an electron,

The effective- $W$  approximation gives the structure functions of transverse and longitudinal  $W$  in a fermion  $f$  with the momentum fraction  $x$  as



$$F_{W_T}^f(x) = \frac{\alpha}{8\pi \sin^2 \theta_w} C_W^f \frac{1+(1-x)^2}{x} \ln\left(\frac{P_T^2}{m_W^2}\right),$$

$$F_{W_L}^f(x) = \frac{\alpha}{4\pi \sin^2 \theta_w} C_W^f \frac{1-x}{x}.$$

and

$$C_{W^\pm}^f = 1,$$

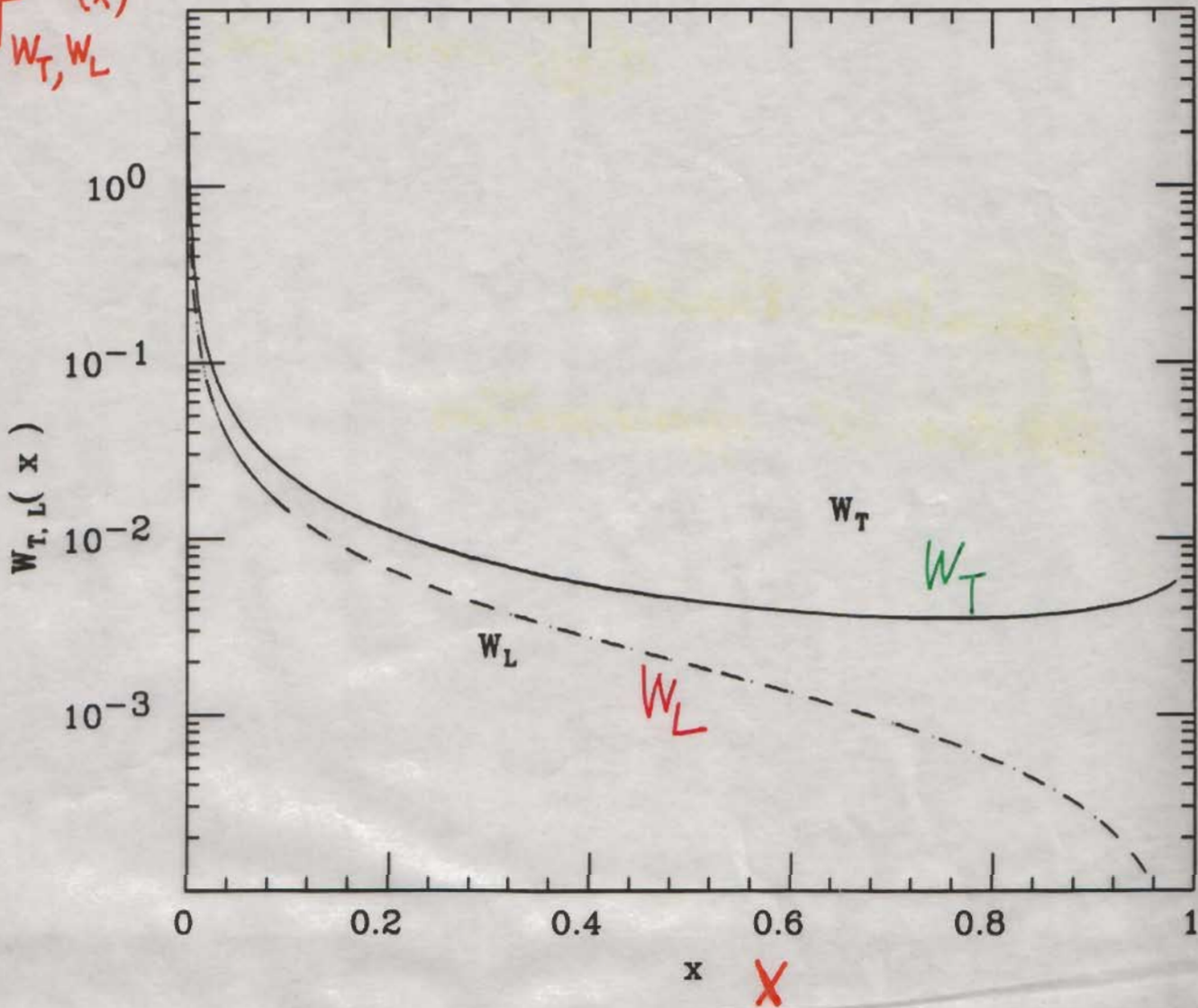
$$C_{Z^0}^f = \frac{1}{\cos^2 \theta_w} \left[ \left( T_{3L}^f - 2Q_f \sin^2 \theta_w \right)^2 + \left( T_{3L}^f \right)^2 \right].$$

- $W$ 's emitted from a fermion  $f$  should be treated as radiation.

$P_T = 100 \text{ GeV}$

$F_{W_T, W_L}(x)$

$W_T$ - and  $W_L$ - Structure Function :  $P_{per} = 100 \text{ GeV}$



$$F_{W_T}(x) = \frac{\alpha_w}{8\pi} \frac{1+(1-x)^2}{x} \ln\left(\frac{P_T^2}{m_w^2}\right), \quad \alpha_w = \frac{\alpha}{\sin^2\theta_w}$$

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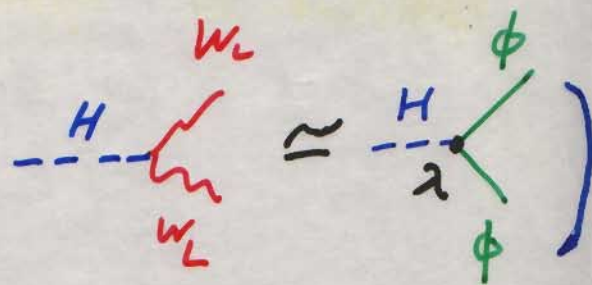
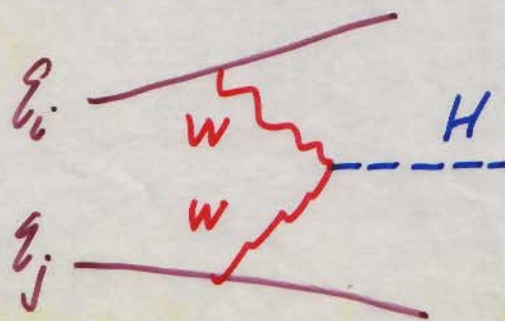
- For heavy Higgs,  $m_H \gtrsim 800 \text{ GeV}$ , its production is dominated by

Longitudinally polarized  $W$ 's fusion. ( $m_t \sim 150 \text{ GeV}$ )

$$\Gamma(H \rightarrow W_L W_L) \gg \Gamma(H \rightarrow W_T W_T)$$

$$\sim \frac{1}{m_H} \left( \frac{m_H^2}{v^2} \right)^2 \quad \sim \frac{1}{m_H} (g)^2$$

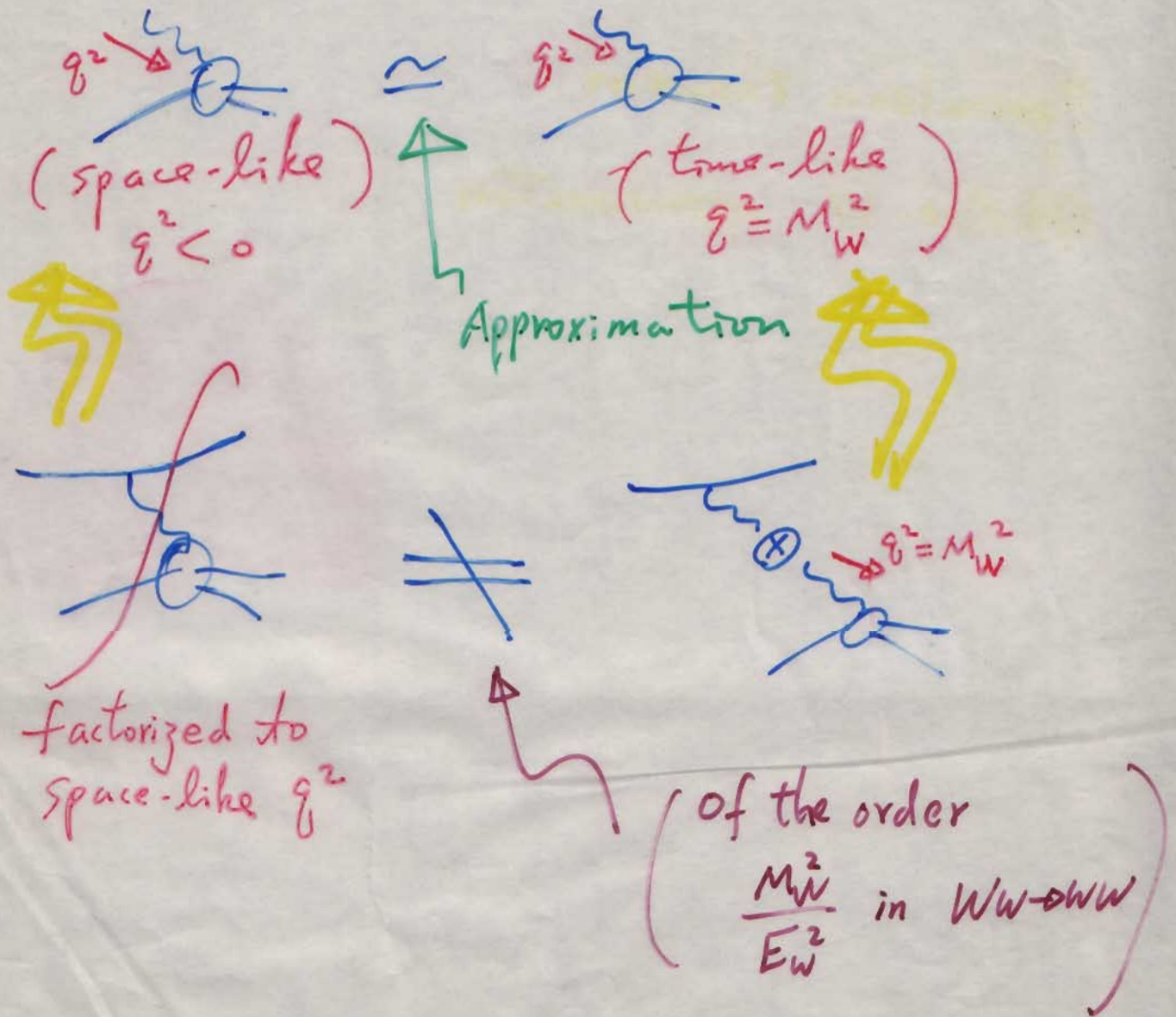
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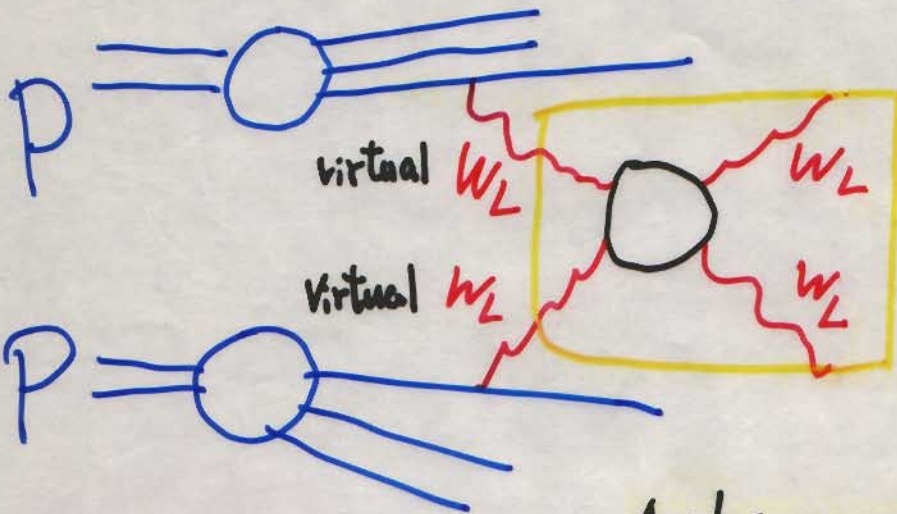
$$\sigma(q_i q_j \rightarrow q_i q_j H) \approx \sum_{\lambda=L,T} \int_0^1 dx_1 F_{W_\lambda}^{q_i}(x_1) \int_0^1 dx_2 F_{W_\lambda}^{q_j}(x_2) \cdot \hat{\sigma}(W_\lambda W_\lambda \rightarrow H)$$

Effective-W Approximation

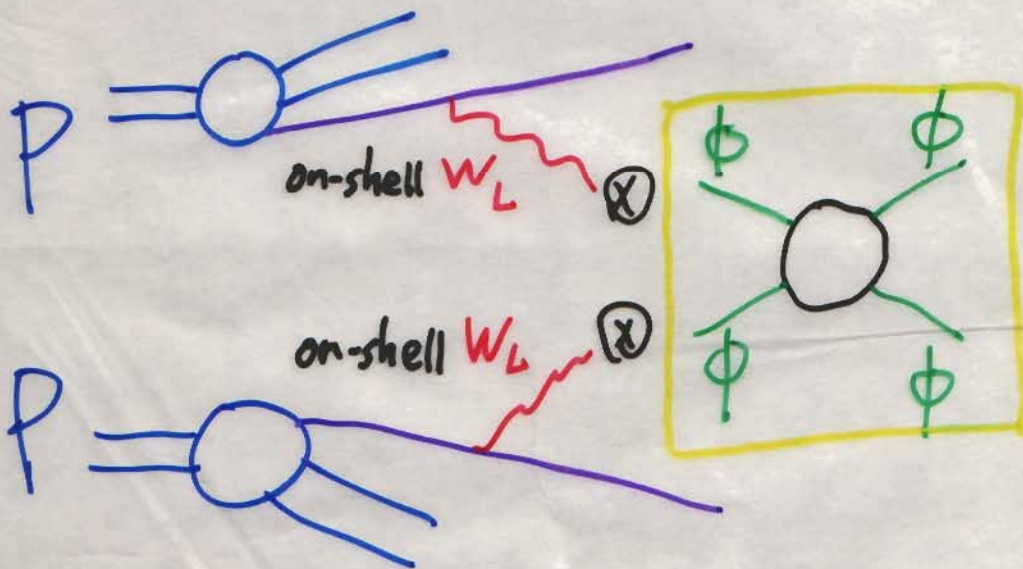
Note that when applying the effective-W approximation, assumption has been made about the dynamics of the hard part process:



# Event signature of Signal

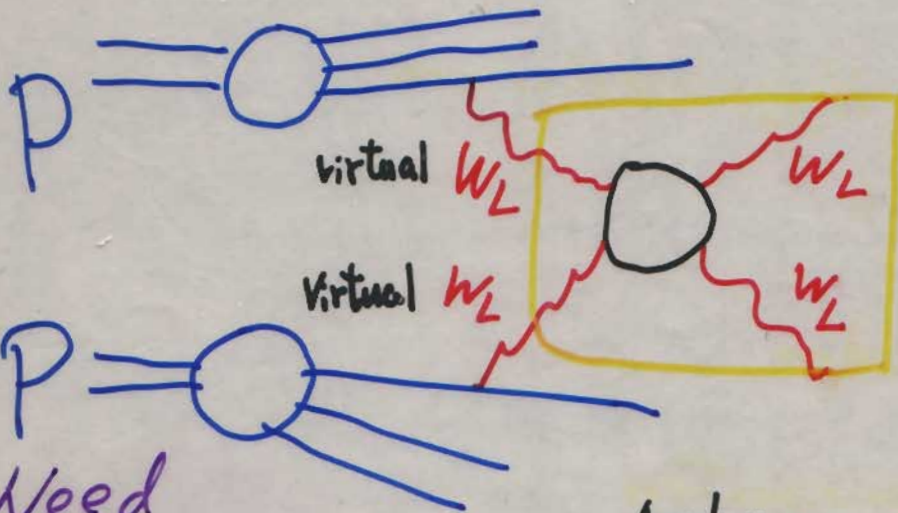


Applying Effective- $W$  Approximation  
and Equivalence Theorem





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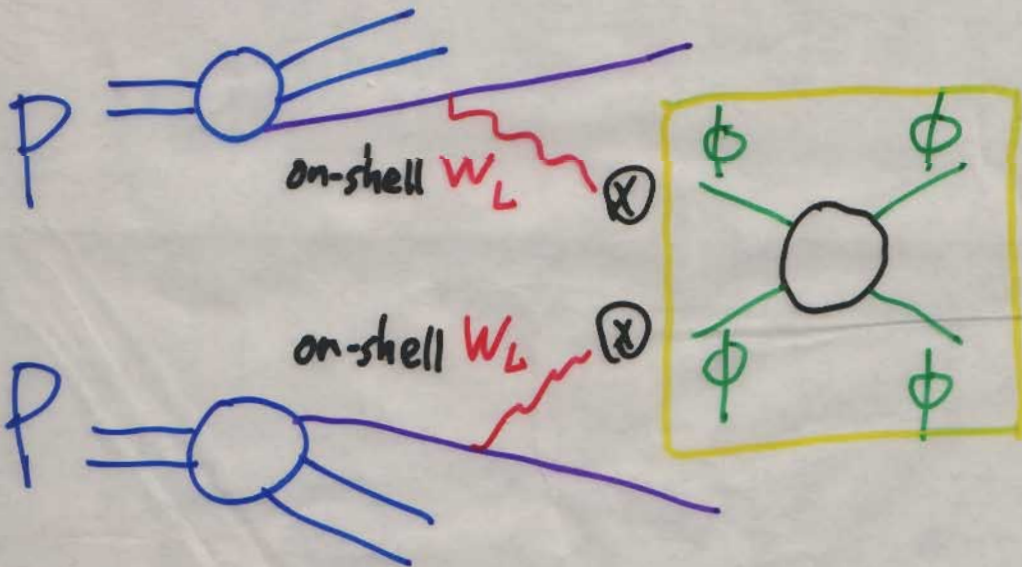


$\Delta \approx$   
Tool

Need  
 $E_W \gg M_W$   
(TeV region)

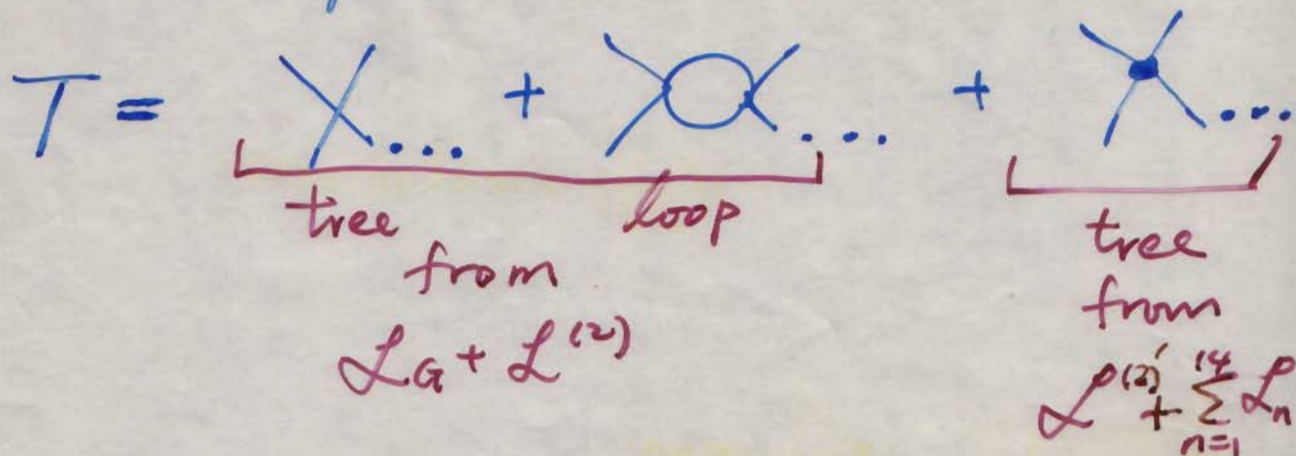


Applying Effective- $W$  Approximation  
and Equivalence Theorem



$\Delta \approx$   
Goal

Given the amplitude

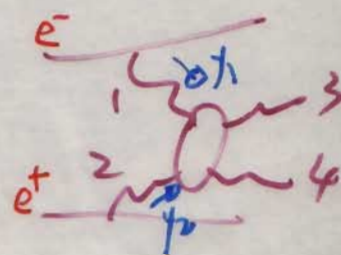
$$T = \underbrace{\text{tree} \dots + \text{loop} \dots}_{\mathcal{L}_0 + \mathcal{L}^{(2)}} + \underbrace{\text{tree} \dots}_{\mathcal{L}^{(2)} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathcal{L}_n}$$


The diagram shows the decomposition of the transition amplitude  $T$ . The first part,  $\mathcal{L}_0 + \mathcal{L}^{(2)}$ , is enclosed in a red bracket and contains a tree-level diagram (a vertex with three external lines) and a loop-level diagram (a circle with four external lines). The second part,  $\mathcal{L}^{(2)} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \mathcal{L}_n$ , is also enclosed in a red bracket and contains a tree-level diagram with a blue dot at the vertex.

one can calculate rates

$$\mathcal{O} = \int dx_1 F_{w_1}(x_1) dx_2 F_{w_2}(x_2) \hat{\sigma}(w_1 w_2 \rightarrow w_3 w_4)$$

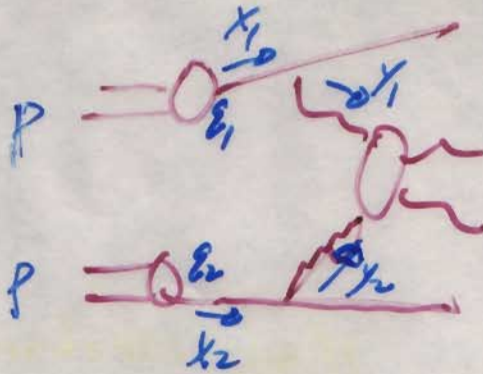
for LC



where

$$\hat{\sigma}(w_1 w_2 \rightarrow w_3 w_4) = \int d\Phi_2 \underbrace{|T|^2}_{\text{keep terms up to } \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{\Lambda_0^2}, \frac{1}{\Lambda^2}\right)}$$

At LHC

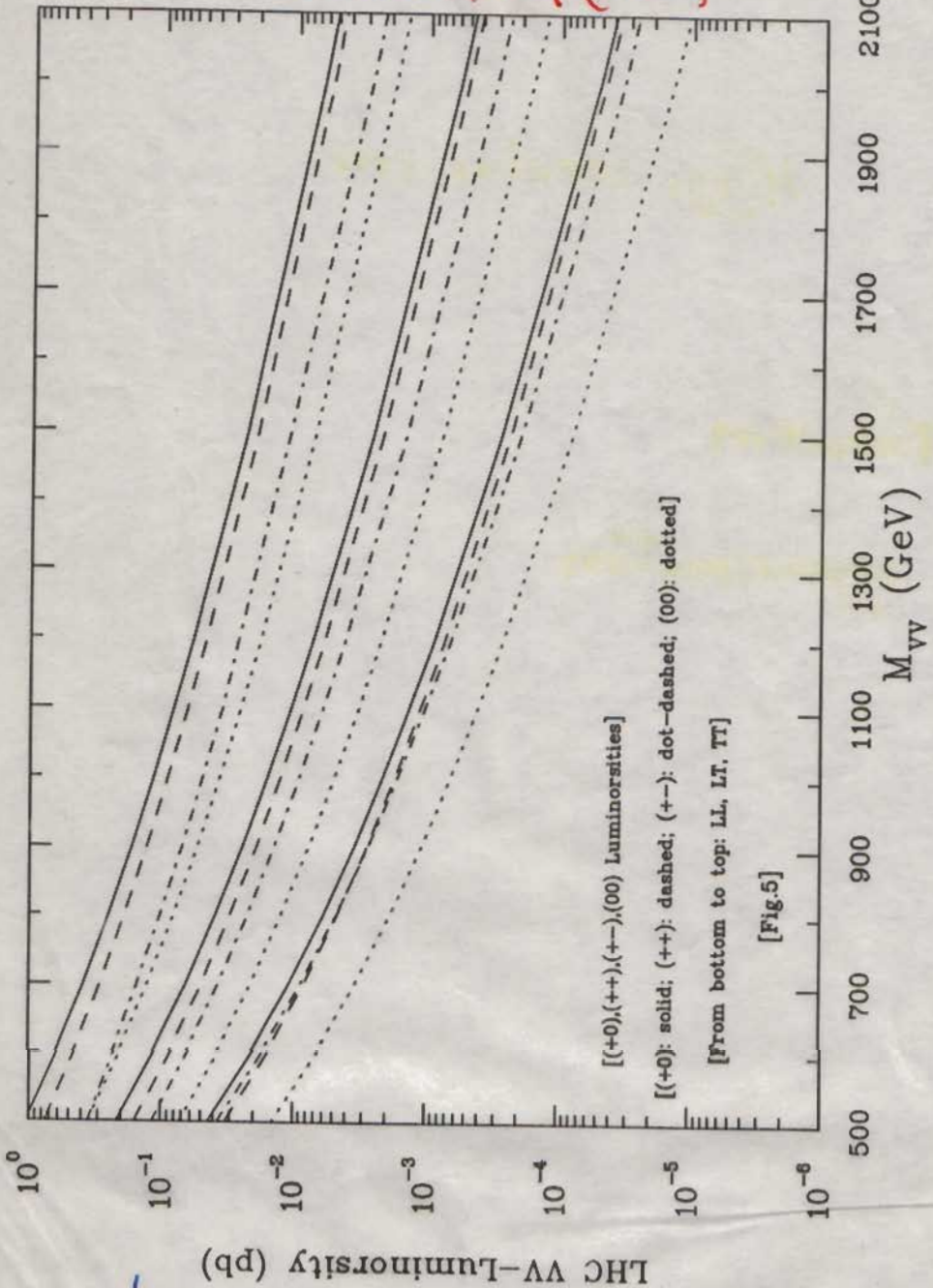


$$\sigma = \int dx_1 dx_2 f_{\epsilon_1}(x_1) f_{\epsilon_2}(x_2) \cdot \int dy_1 F_{w_1}(y_1) dy_2 F_{w_2}(y_2) \cdot \hat{\sigma}(w_1 w_2 \rightarrow w_3 w_4)$$

$$\equiv \int dM_{ww}^2 \underbrace{\frac{d\mathcal{L}_{ww}}{dM_{ww}^2}}_{\text{Effective-}W \text{ parton luminosity}} \hat{\sigma}(M_{ww}^2)$$

Effective- $W$  parton  
luminosity

$$\frac{d\mathcal{L}}{dM_{W^+W^-}^2}$$



$W^+Z$   
 $W^+W^-$   
 $W^+Z$

} TT

} LT

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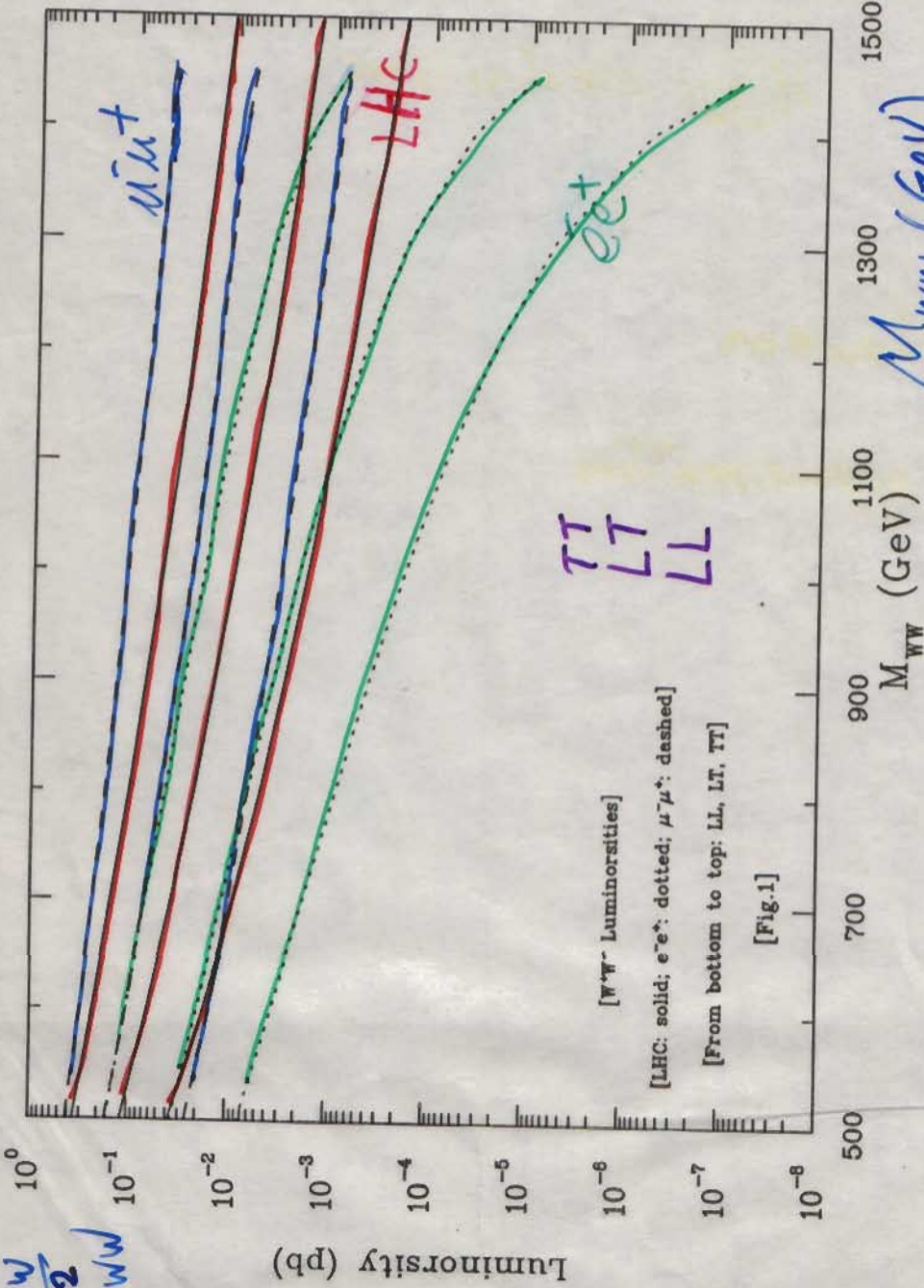
$$\frac{\mathcal{L}(W\bar{W})}{\mathcal{L}(W^+W^-)} \sim \frac{1}{(3 \text{ to } 5)}$$

LHC

(PP, 14 TeV)

$$\frac{d\sigma_{WW}}{dM_{WW}}$$

pb



(4 TeV), FNAL  
 $\bar{u}u^+$

PP  
(14 TeV)

(1.5 TeV), LC  
 $e^+e^-$

1500  
1300  
1100  
900  
 $M_{WW}$  (GeV)

$W^+W^-$

[Fig.1]

- Phenomenology

Given the above tools, one can calculate signal and background rates for interesting processes at various colliders.

Much work was done for selecting kinematic cuts for suppressing backgrounds and enhancing signal-to-background ratio.

"Real" Work  
(hard Calculation)

is needed to do phenomenology.



Rates & distributions  
of  
Signal & Backgrounds  
are needed.

M. Chanowitz

• No Lose Theorem

- If Light Higgs Boson exists,  
LHC can find it.
- If Light Higgs Boson does not exist,  
the self-interactions of  $W_L$ 's  
become strong in the TeV region,  
and can be observed in  $W_L W_L$  two-body  
interactions via leptonic decays  
of  $W_L$ 's.

{ In particular,  $W^+ W^+$  mode is favored  
because the Standard Model background  
(SM)  
is small.



Event rates per LHC year  
for  $W_L W_L$  fusion signals

(in Gold-plated mode)

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$ZZ(2\ell 2\nu)$	1.8	29	17	14	4.7	4.4	5.0	4.5	3.6
$W^+W^-$	12	27	18	13	6.2	5.5	5.8	4.6	3.9
$W^\pm Z$	4.9	1.2	1.5	1.2	4.5	3.3	3.2	3.0	2.9
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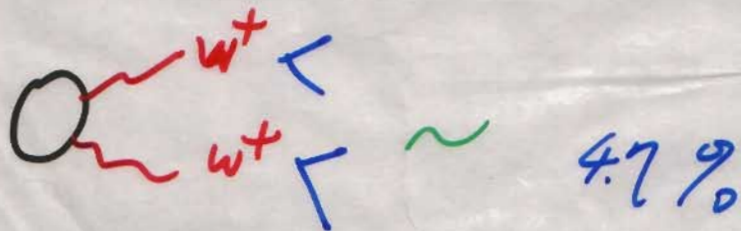
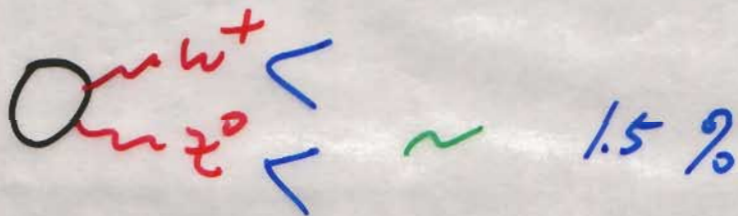
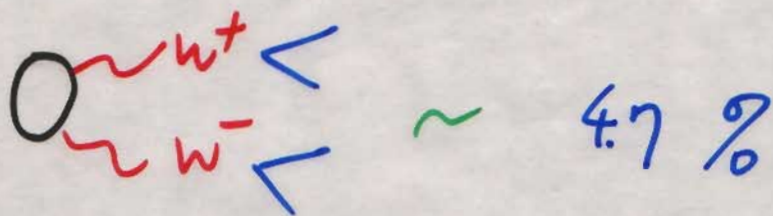
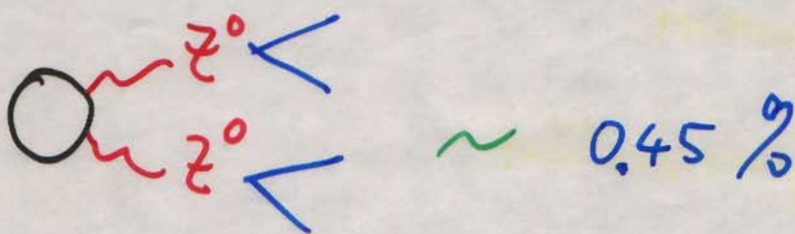
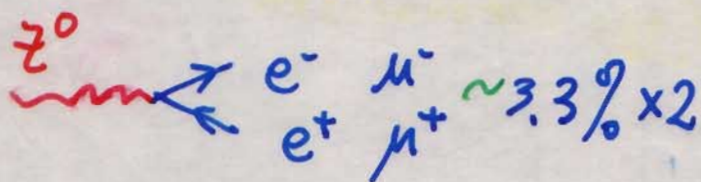
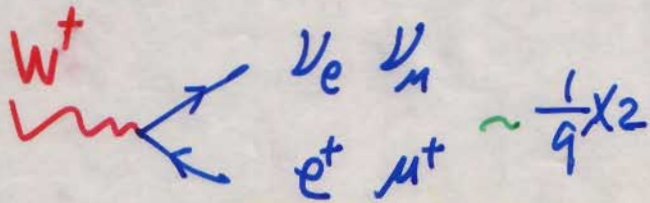
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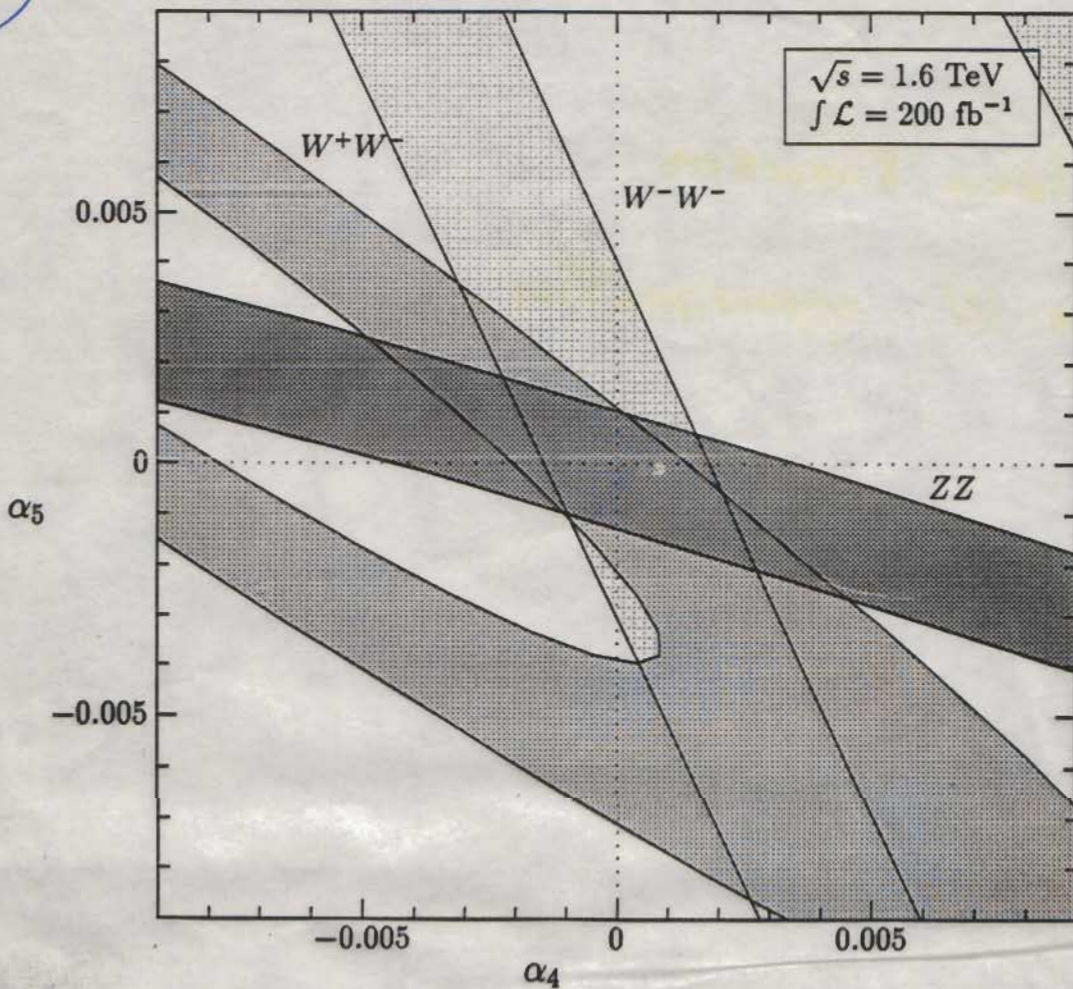
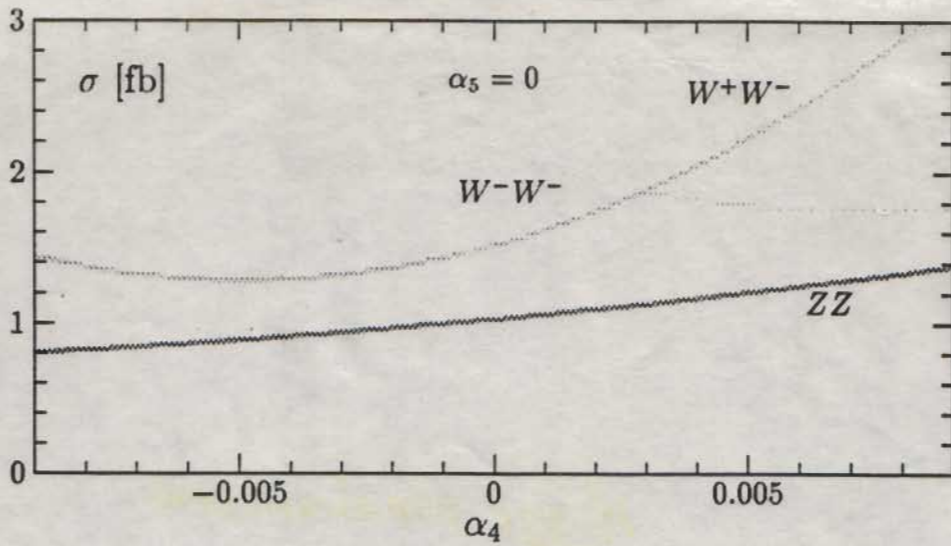
• Branching Ratio

"Gold-Plated" modes



LC  
 (1.6 TeV)  
 $e^-e^+$

$l_{4,5}$



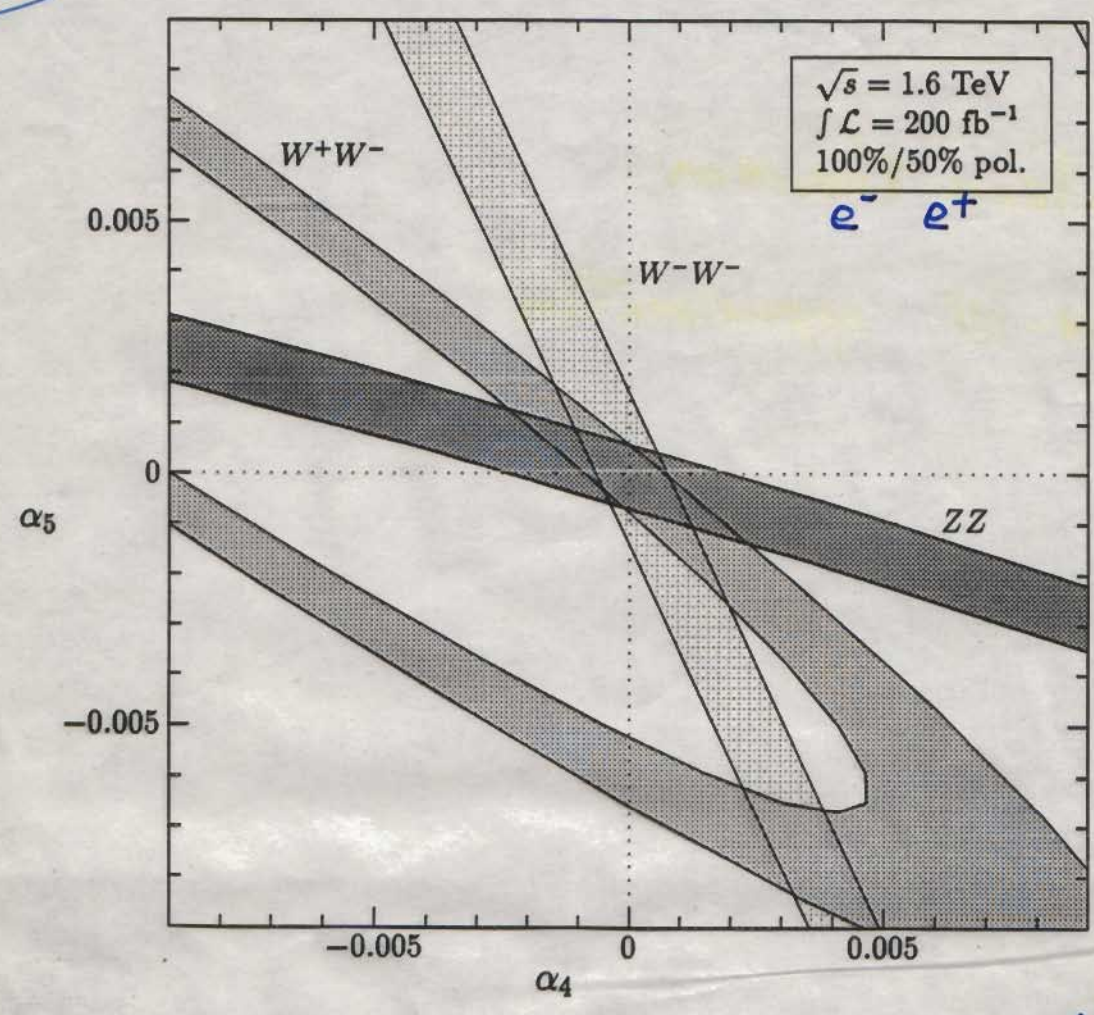
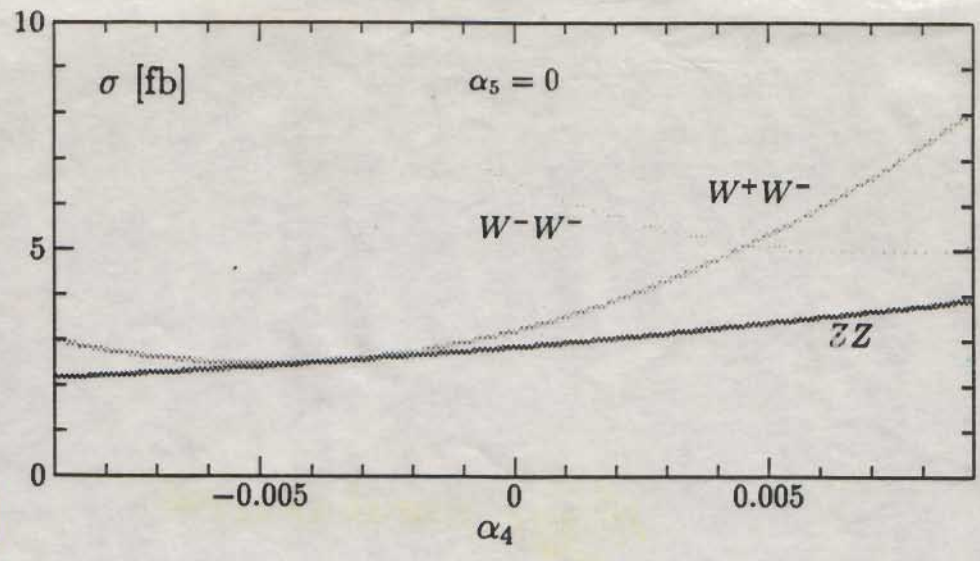
$$\alpha_i = \frac{l_i}{16\pi^2}$$

$$\sim 6 \times 10^{-3} \cdot l_i$$

All  $VV$  modes need to be measured.

Polarized  
 LC  
 (1.6 TeV)  
 e<sup>-</sup>e<sup>+</sup>

$l_{4,5}$



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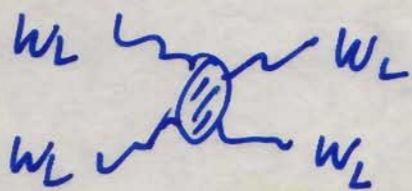
- Conclusion

To probe the Electroweak Symmetry Breaking needs to study the interactions of longitudinal  $W$ 's in the TeV region.

Even if a light ( $\lesssim 800$  GeV) SM Higgs Boson is found, one still has to check that nothing new occurs in the TeV region.

# Remarks on $m_H$ bounds

1. Partial wave analysis (Unitarity Bound)



$$|a_l^I| < 1$$

$$\Rightarrow m_H \lesssim 1 \text{ TeV}$$

2. Perturbative Expansion

$\rho$ -Parameter shift

$$\rho \approx \frac{M_W^2}{M_Z^2 \cos^2 \theta_W}$$



$$\rho \approx 1 + C_1 g^2 \ln(m_H^2) + C_2 g^4 \frac{m_H^2}{M_W^2}$$

Screening Theorem  
(one loop)

(two loops)

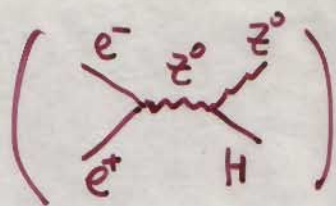
Demand perturbative expansion,

$$\Rightarrow m_H \lesssim 1 \text{ TeV}$$

• What do we know about  $m_H$ ?

1. LEP

$$m_H \gtrsim 107 \text{ GeV}$$



2. Theoretical bounds on  $m_H$ :

— Unitarity bound

— Validity of perturbative calculation

— Triviality of  $\phi^4$

Within a factor of 2

It's about

$$\lesssim 1 \text{ TeV}$$

Or, Renormalization Group Equation  
(Dynamical Symmetry breaking)

to relate  $m_H$  and  $m_t$ .

3. Radiative Corrections difficult to constrain  $m_H$ .

(Screening Theorem)

Any next-to-leading order contribution can

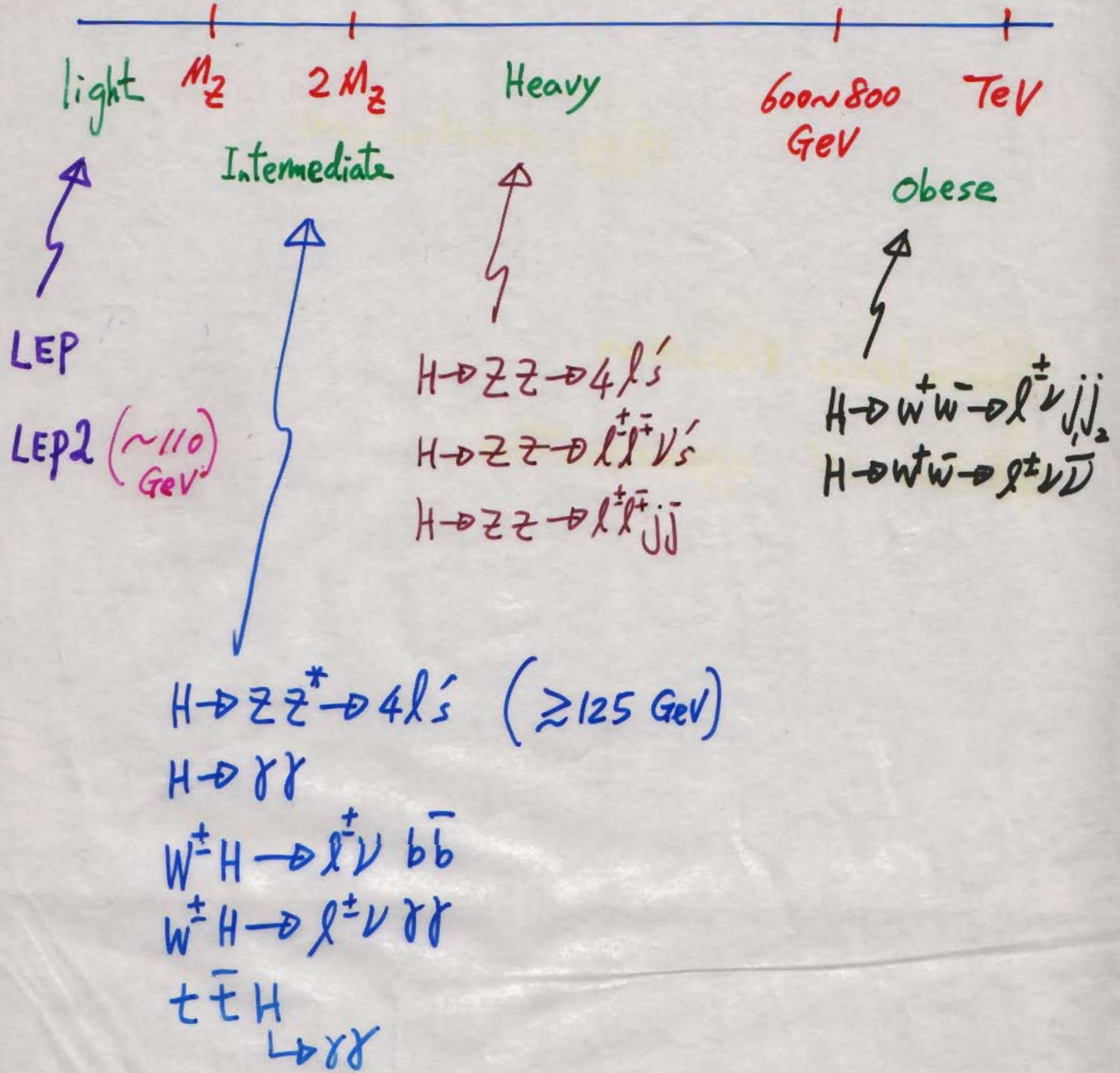
only have  $\ln(m_H^2)$  corrections, but no

$m_H^2$  corrections.



• Higgs at LHC

$m_H$



# Unitarity Bounds

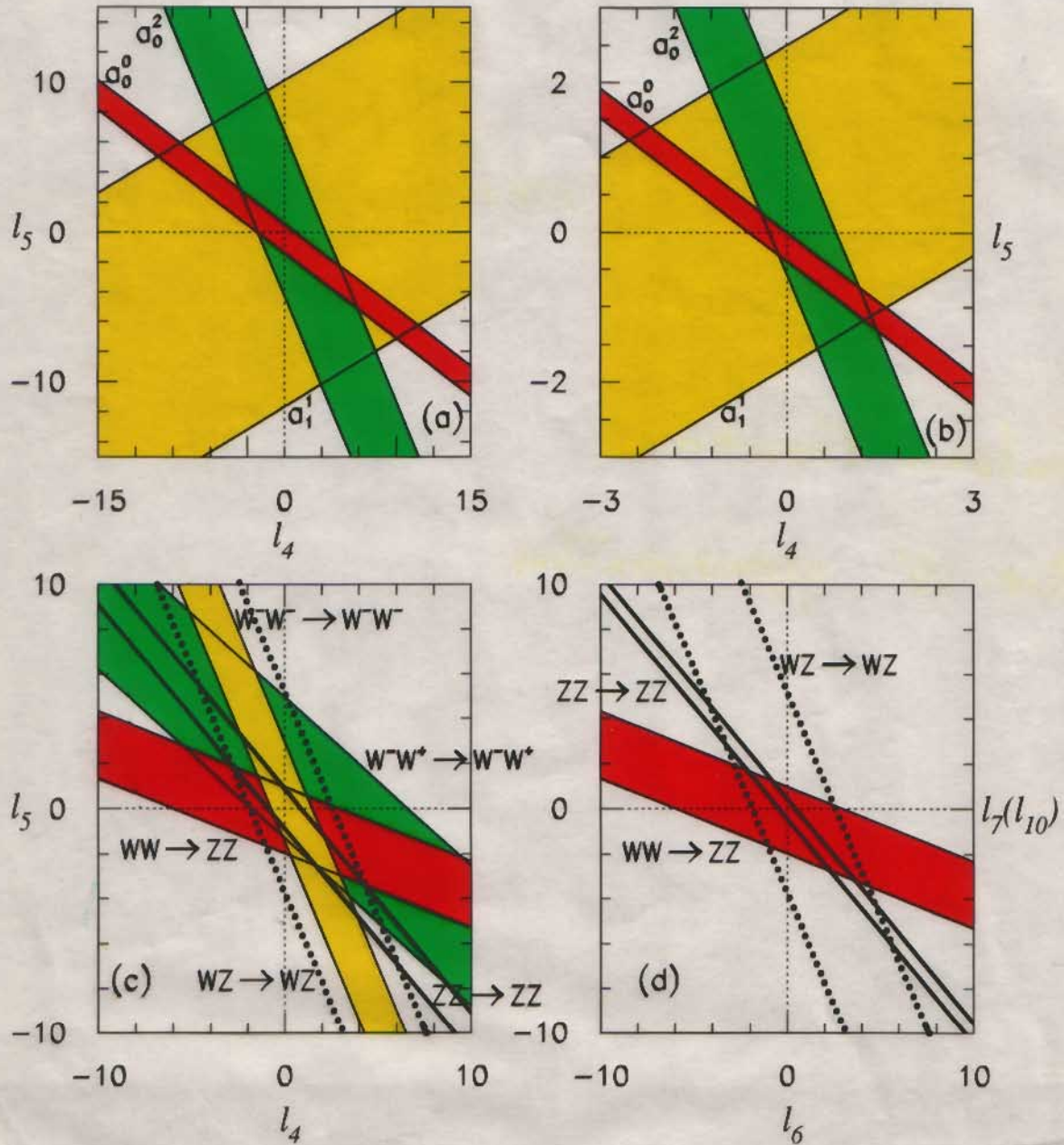
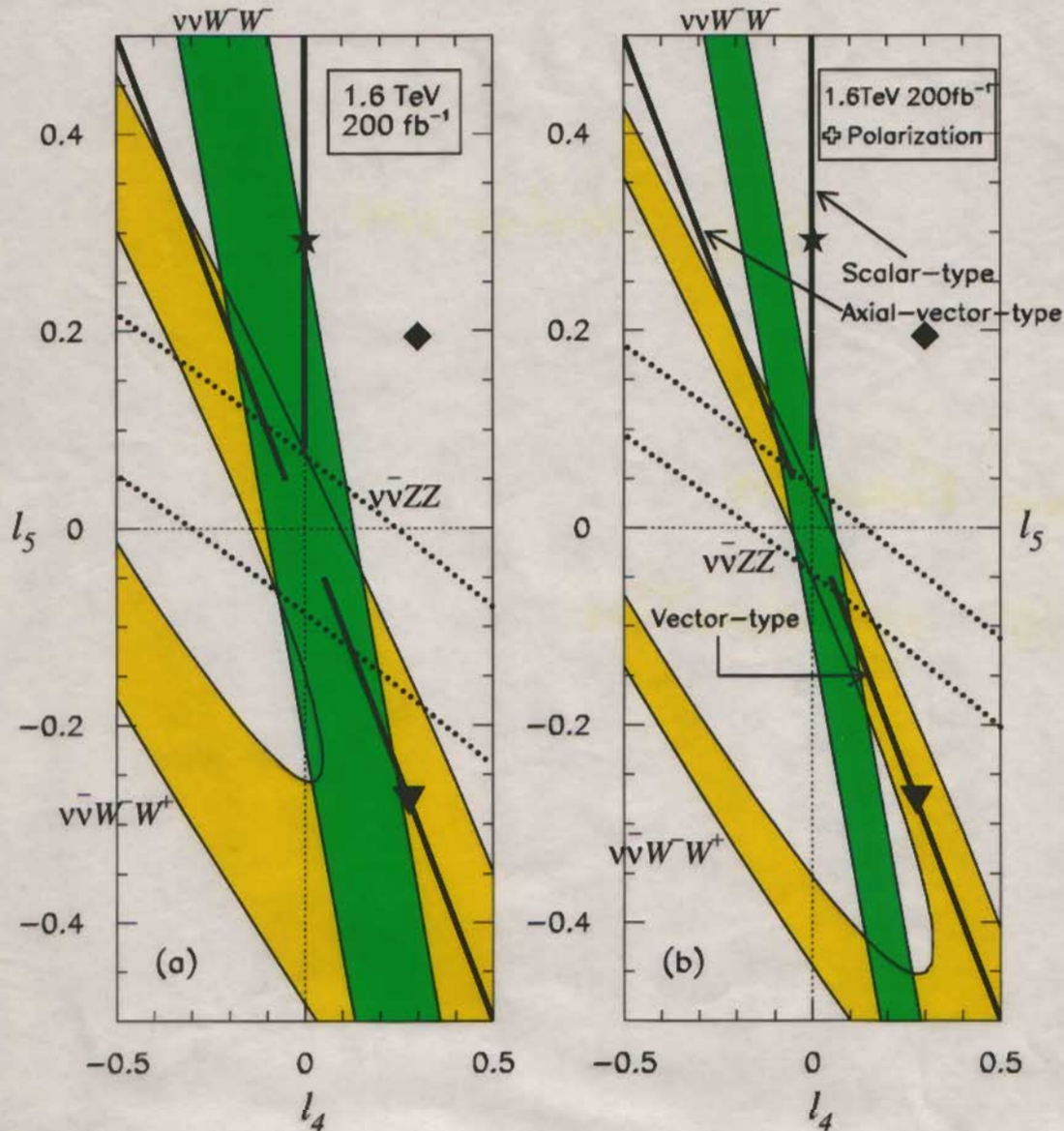


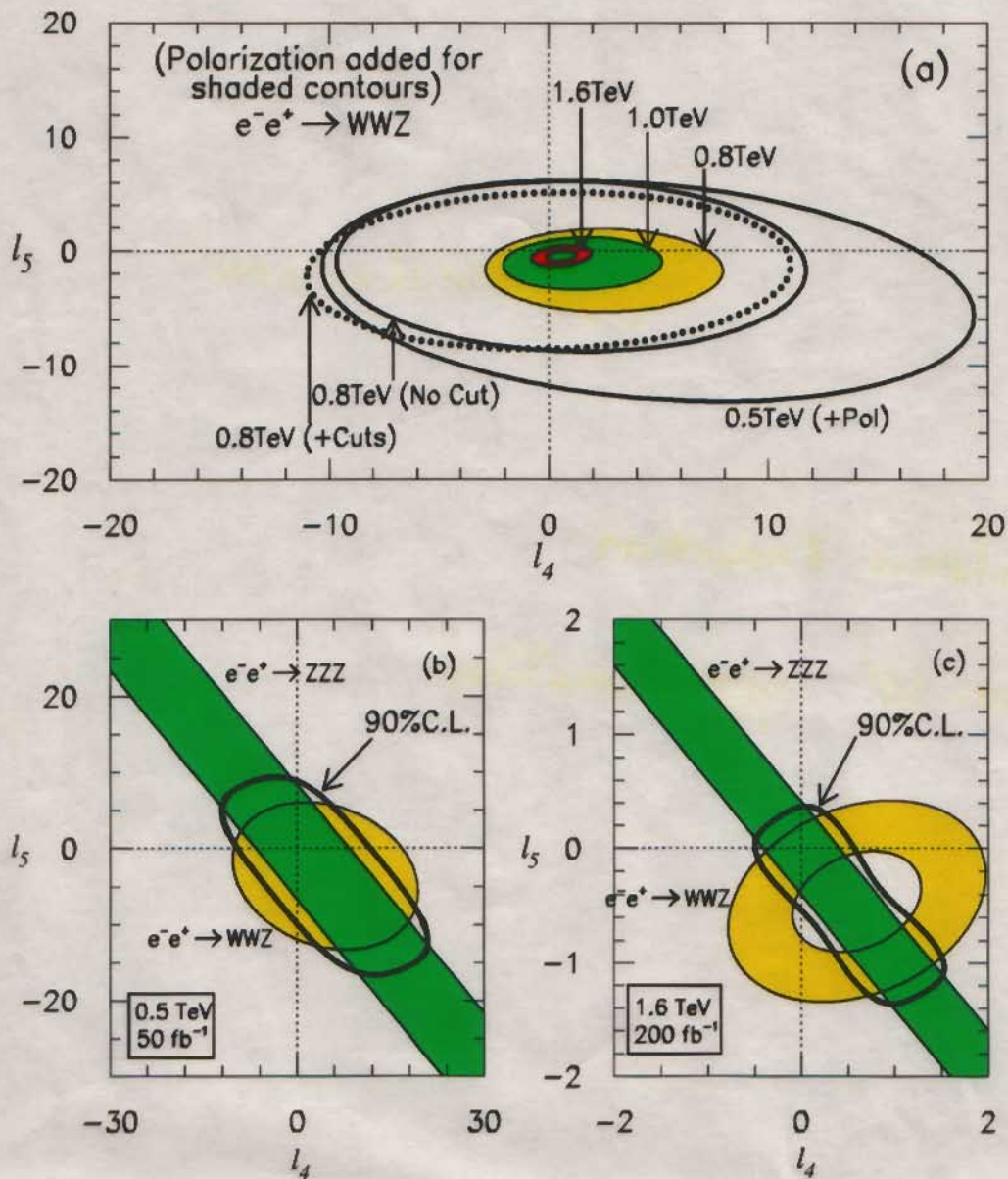
Figure 2: Unitarity bounds from  $VV \rightarrow VV$  fusions at (a) 0.8 TeV, (b) 1.2 TeV, and (c,d) 1.0 TeV. Here (a) and (b) are plotted for the partial wave  $a_l^I$  with given weak isospin, while (c) and (d) display the  $S$ -wave bounds for all physical channels by including the  $SU(2)_c$ -violating parameters  $l_{6,7,10}$  [in (d)].

unpolarized  
 $e^-, e^+$  beams

polarized beams  
 $e^-$  (90%)  
 $e^+$  (65%)



**FIGURE 2.** Determining the  $SU(2)_e$ -symmetric parameters  $l_4$ - $l_5$  at 1.6 TeV  $e^-e^+/e^-e^-$  LCs. Here the  $\pm 1\sigma$  exclusion contours are displayed. (a). unpolarized case; (b). the case with 90%(65%) polarized  $e^-$ ( $e^+$ ) beam. Contributions from three types of resonance models (scalar, vector and axial-vector) to  $(l_4, l_5)$  are shown by the thick solid lines. The different points on these solid lines correspond to different values of their couplings to the weak gauge bosons. Note that for axial-vector-type, it is also possible to have  $l_4 + l_5 = 0$  with  $l_4 \geq 0$ , i.e., similar to the vector-type case. This makes the discrimination more involved. Big-star: from a scalar; black-triangle-down: from a vector; black-lozenge: from mixed contributions of a heavy scalar and vector. (Here we typically set these heavy resonances around 2 TeV.)



**FIGURE 3.** Probing  $l_4$ - $l_5$  via  $WWZ$  and  $ZZZ$  production processes. The roles of the polarization and the higher collider energy for  $e^-e^+ \rightarrow WWZ$  are shown by the  $\pm 1\sigma$  exclusion contours in (a). The integrated luminosities used here are  $50 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  (at 500 GeV),  $100 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  (at 800 GeV) and  $200 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  (at 1.0 and 1.6 TeV). In (b) and (c), the  $\pm 1\sigma$  contours are displayed for  $ZZZ/WWZ$  final states at  $\sqrt{s} = 0.5$  and 1.6 TeV respectively, with two beam polarizations (90%  $e^-$  and 65%  $e^+$ ); the thick solid lines present the combined bounds at 90% C.L.

Does the detection of a light scalar  
imply Nothing Interesting  
in the TeV region ?

No !

- A CP-odd scalar does not couple to  $W^\pm$  and  $Z$

$\Rightarrow W_L W_L \rightarrow W_L W_L$  becomes strong  
in TeV region

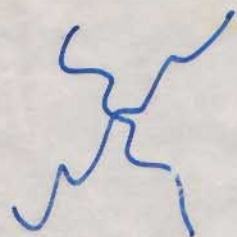
- A non-SM CP-even scalar spoils the cancellation of bad high energy behavior

$\Rightarrow \mathcal{M} \sim \frac{s}{v^2}$

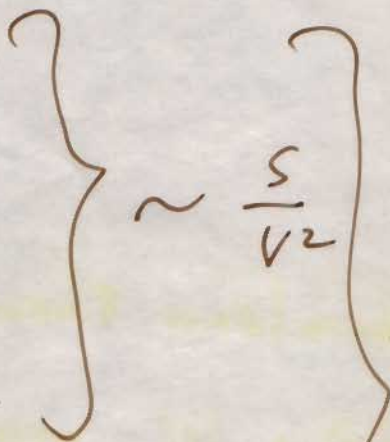
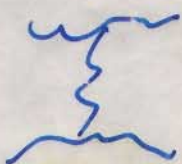
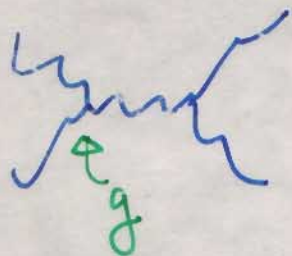
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SM

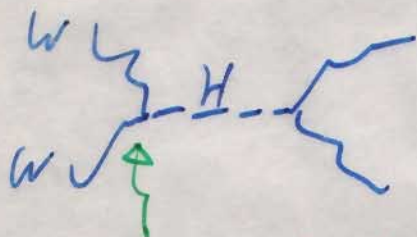
$$W_L W_L \rightarrow W_L W_L$$



$$\sim \frac{S^2}{V^4}$$



$$\sim \frac{S}{V^2}$$




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$$g M_W = \frac{1}{2} g^2 v$$

$$(v = 246 \text{ GeV})$$

$$\sim \mathcal{O}(1)$$

if the coupling of  is non-SM, then the cancellation is not exact.

$\Rightarrow$  Strong interaction in TeV.

Even if a light (below TeV) resonance

is found at LHC / LC

it remains

(Linear Collider  
 $e^+e^-$ ,  $e^+e^-$ ,  $e^+\gamma$ ,  $\gamma\gamma$ )

important to test the predictions

of the  $W_L W_L$  interactions

in the TeV region.

\* Is it (the light resonance) related to the electroweak symmetry breaking sector?

Does it play the role to unitarize the

$W_L W_L$  amplitudes in the TeV region?