Search for Charged Higgs Boson with Polarized Top

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Top-quark is discovered in March 2, 1995

It is my very first time of learning the quirkish words of "quark" and "top" from Prof. **Xuan-Qian Li**'s colloquium.

Top-quark: a good probe of NP

It is a common decay product of many NP resonances. It is often polarized in many NP models.

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Heavy quark



H[±]-t-b coupling in Type-II 2HDM

$$\langle \Phi_1 \rangle_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{v_1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \langle \Phi_2 \rangle_0 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{v_2}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$



Xue Gong, Zong-Guo Si, et al, Phys. Rev. D87 (2013) 035014

$\tan\beta$ measurements In the Minimal extension of the Standard Model



Charged Higgs boson decay



 $D_{\text{decay}} \equiv \frac{\Gamma(\bar{t}_L) - \Gamma(\bar{t}_R)}{\Gamma(\bar{t}_L) + \Gamma(\bar{t}_R)} = \frac{(m_t \cot \beta)^2 - (m_b \tan \beta)^2}{(m_t \cot \beta)^2 + (m_b \tan \beta)^2}$



Charged Higgs boson production

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• $H^{\pm}H^{\mp}$ production





 W^{\pm}

 $\prime A/H/h$

 H^{\pm}

• H^-t production



Charged Higgs production and decay









Top polarization in tH⁻ production





 $D_{
m decay}$



Charged Higgs production and decay









Collider simulation

Signal

$$g\bar{b} \to \bar{t}H^+ \to (W^-\bar{b})(t\bar{b}) \to (\ell^-\bar{\nu}_\ell\bar{b})(jjb\bar{b})$$
$$gb \to tH^- \to (W^+b)(\bar{t}b) \to (jjb)(\ell^-\bar{\nu}_\ell\bar{b}b)$$

Background

$$t\bar{t}b : pp \to t\bar{t}j_b \to bW^+\bar{b}W^-j_b \to j_bj_bj_bj_bj_\ell^-\bar{\nu}$$
$$t\bar{t}j : pp \to t\bar{t}j \to bW^+\bar{b}W^-j \to j_bj_bjj\ell^-\bar{\nu}.$$

Event topology:

3 b-jets + 2 non-b-jets 1 charged lepton missing energy

Discovery potential

TABLE I: Number of events of the signal and backgrounds at the 14 TeV LHC with an integrated luminosity of 100 fb⁻¹ for $m_{H^{\pm}} = 400$ GeV and three values of tan β .

aneta	1		6		40		SM backgrounds	
	tH^{-}	$\bar{t}H^+$	tH^{-}	$\bar{t}H^+$	tH^{-}	$\bar{t}H^+$	$t\bar{t}j$	$t\bar{t}b$
Inclusive rate	23310	23300	1255	1227	24660	23520	1.075×10^{7}	234000
Hard p_T cuts	11843	13466	687	719	14421	13890	2.12×10^{6}	25052
$\Delta M_{\bar{t}j_{ m extra}}$	4980	368	672	20	5680	383	39238	386
$p_T(j_{\text{extra}})$	3910	305	532	16	4375	310	14942	171
b tagging	2346	183	312	10	2625	186	299	102
Number of events	2529		322		2811		401	
S/B	6.3		0.8		7.0		_	
S/\sqrt{B}	126.3		16.1		140.3		_	
$\sqrt{S+B}$	54.1		26.9		56.7		_	

$\tan\beta$ versus top-quark polarization



 $m_{H^{\pm}} = 400 \text{ GeV}$

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