SEARCH FOR HIGGS BOSONS AT FUTURE COLLIDERS

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I $\underline{INTRODUCTION}$

(i) <u>Standard Model</u>

• Higgs potential:

$$\phi = \begin{pmatrix} \phi^+ \\ \phi^0 \end{pmatrix}$$
$$= \underbrace{\exp\left[i\vec{\Theta}\frac{\vec{\tau}}{2}\right]}_{\Rightarrow W^{\pm}, Z} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{v+H}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$$





Higgs Englert, Brout Guralnik, Hagen, Kibble

 \Rightarrow one scalar Higgs boson

$$v=1/\sqrt{\sqrt{2}G_F}pprox$$
 246 GeV

• fermions [unitary gauge]:

$$\begin{pmatrix} \nu_{e} \\ e^{-} \end{pmatrix}_{L} e_{R}^{-} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_{\mu} \\ \mu^{-} \end{pmatrix}_{L} \mu_{R}^{-} \begin{pmatrix} \nu_{\tau} \\ \tau^{-} \end{pmatrix}_{L} \tau_{R}^{-}$$
$$\begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix}_{L} u_{R} \begin{pmatrix} c \\ s \end{pmatrix}_{L} s_{R} \begin{pmatrix} t \\ b \end{pmatrix}_{L} b_{R}^{-}$$
isospin: $\pm \frac{1}{2}$ 0 $\pm \frac{1}{2}$ 0 $\pm \frac{1}{2}$ 0 $\pm \frac{1}{2}$ 0

hypercharge: $Y = 2(Q - I_3)$ [Gell-Mann-Nishijima relation]

gauge bosons: hypercharge $B_{\mu}\frac{Y}{2}$

isospin V

$$W_{\mu} = W^a_{\mu} \frac{\sigma^a}{2}$$

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$$G_{\mu} = G^a_{\mu} \frac{\lambda^a}{2}$$

$$\begin{split} W_{\mu}^{\pm} &= \frac{W_{\mu}^{1} \mp i W_{\mu}^{2}}{\sqrt{2}} \\ \begin{pmatrix} Z_{\mu} \\ A_{\mu} \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_{W} & -\sin \theta_{W} \\ \sin \theta_{W} & \cos \theta_{W} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} W_{\mu}^{3} \\ B_{\mu} \end{pmatrix} \\ & [\theta_{W} = \text{Weinberg angle}] \end{split}$$

• mass generation:

$$\mathcal{L}_{int} = |(\partial_{\mu} - gW^a_{\mu}\frac{\tau^a}{2} - g'B_{\mu}\frac{Y}{2})\phi|^2 - \sum_d g_d \bar{L}\phi d_R - \sum_u g_u \bar{L}\phi^c u_R + h.c.$$

unitary gauge:

$$\phi = \begin{pmatrix} 0\\ \frac{v+H}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix} \qquad \phi^c = i\tau^2 \phi^* = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{v+H}{\sqrt{2}}\\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow M_W = \frac{g}{2}v \qquad M_Z = \frac{\sqrt{g^2 + {g'}^2}}{2}v \qquad M_\gamma = 0$$
$$m_f = \frac{g_f}{\sqrt{2}}v$$

 $\Rightarrow SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y \rightarrow U(1)_{elm} \ [QED]$

• couplings to gauge bosons $V = W^{\pm}, Z$ and fermions:

$$g_{VVH} = 2 \frac{M_V^2}{v}$$
 $g_{ffH} = \frac{m_f}{v} \ [\leftarrow Yukawa]$

• direct search at LEP2:



 $e^+e^- \rightarrow ZH, \nu_e \bar{\nu}_e H \Rightarrow M_H > 114.4 \text{ GeV}$

• electroweak observables:



$$G_F = \frac{\pi \alpha}{\sqrt{2}M_W^2 \sin^2 \theta_W} [1 + \Delta r]$$

$$\Delta r_{Higgs} = \frac{G_F M_W^2}{8\sqrt{2}\pi^2} \frac{11}{3} \left[\log \frac{M_H^2}{M_W^2} - \frac{5}{6} \right]$$



$$M_H = 96^{+60}_{-38} \text{ GeV}$$

 $\Rightarrow M_H \lesssim$ 219 GeV (95% CL) LEP/SLC

• triviality and vacuum stability:



• GUT: hierarchy problem



 $\Delta M_{H}^{2} \sim \Lambda^{2} \sim \mathcal{O}(M_{GUT}^{2}) \gg M_{H}^{2}$ [quadratic divergence]

absorbed in counter term: $M_H^2 \rightarrow M_H^2 + \Delta M_H^2 - \frac{\delta M_H^2}{\delta M_H^2}$

 \Rightarrow unnatural fine tuning [~ 28 digits]

(ii) <u>MSSM</u>

- SUSY: fermions \leftrightarrow bosons
- no quadratic divergences
 ⇒ solution to the hierarchy problem



$$\Delta M_H^2 \sim (\tilde{m}^2 - m^2) \log \frac{\Lambda^2}{m^2} \Rightarrow \tilde{m} \lesssim \mathcal{O}(1 \text{ TeV})$$

- SUSY-GUT: $\sin^2 \theta_W = 0.2334 \pm 0.0026$ Langacker LEP: $\sin^2 \theta_W = 0.2317 \pm 0.0002$ LEP/SLC
- minimal model: 2 Higgs doubletts ϕ_1, ϕ_2

$$V_{\phi} = m_1^2 |\phi_1|^2 + m_2^2 |\phi_2|^2 - m_{12}^2 \left[\phi_1^+ \phi_2 + h.c.\right] \\ + \frac{g^2 + {g'}^2}{8} \left[|\phi_1|^2 - |\phi_2|^2\right]^2 + \frac{g^2}{2} |\phi_1^+ \phi_2|^2$$

 $ESB \rightarrow 5$ Higgs bosons:

$$\begin{array}{ll} h,H & \mbox{neutral}, \ \mathcal{CP} \ \mbox{even} \\ A & \mbox{neutral}, \ \mathcal{CP} \ \mbox{odd} \\ H^{\pm} & \mbox{charged} \end{array}$$

LO: 2 input parameters: M_A , tg $\beta = \frac{v_2}{v_1}$

$$M_{h}^{2} = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ M_{A}^{2} + M_{Z}^{2} + \epsilon - \sqrt{(M_{A}^{2} + M_{Z}^{2} + \epsilon)^{2} - 4M_{A}^{2}M_{Z}^{2}c_{2\beta}^{2} - 4\epsilon(M_{A}^{2}s_{\beta}^{2} + M_{Z}^{2}c_{\beta}^{2})} \right\}$$

• large radiative corrections:

$$\begin{split} \epsilon &= \frac{3G_F}{\sqrt{2}\pi^2} \; \frac{m_t^4}{s_\beta^2} \log \frac{m_{\tilde{t}_1} m_{\tilde{t}_2}}{m_t^2} \\ M_h &< M_Z \rightarrow \underbrace{M_h \lesssim 135 \text{ GeV}}_{\substack{\text{Haber Carena, \dots } \\ \text{Heinemeyer, \dots } \\ \text{Zhang etc.}} \end{split}$$

• modified couplings:

ϕ	g^{ϕ}_{u}	g_d^ϕ	g_V^ϕ
h	c_lpha/s_eta	$-s_lpha/c_eta$	$s_{eta-lpha}$
H	s_lpha/s_eta	c_lpha/c_eta	$c_{eta-lpha}$
A	ctgeta	${\sf tg}eta$	0

• mixing:
$$\begin{pmatrix} h \\ H \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_{\alpha} & -s_{\alpha} \\ s_{\alpha} & c_{\alpha} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} H_{1}^{0} \\ H_{2}^{0} \end{pmatrix}$$

• Yukawa couplings: tg $\beta\uparrow$ \Rightarrow $g_{u}^{\phi}\downarrow$ $g_{d}^{\phi}\uparrow$ $g_{V}^{\phi}\downarrow$

• direct search at LEP2:



 $M_{h/H}>$ 91 GeV, $M_A\gtrsim$ 91.9 GeV, $M_{H^\pm}>$ 78.6 GeV

0.5 < tgeta < 2.4 excluded [only for $m_t = 175$ GeV]

• large M_A : $h \sim H_{SM}$ [decoupling regime] $M_A \sim M_H \sim M_H \pm$

II HIGGS BOSON DECAYS

(i) Standard Model



 $BR(H \rightarrow b\overline{b}) \lesssim 85\%$ $BR(H \rightarrow \tau^{+}\tau^{-}) \lesssim 8\%$ $BR(H \rightarrow c\overline{c}) \lesssim 4\%$ $BR(H \rightarrow t\overline{t}) \lesssim 20\%$

QCD corrections large: $\sim -50\%$

Braaten, Leveille Drees, Hikasa etc.



Inami,... S.,... etc.

QCD corrections large: $\sim +70\%$



 $BR(H
ightarrow \gamma \gamma, Z \gamma) \lesssim 2 imes 10^{-3}$



(ii) <u>MSSM</u>

- modification due to additional MSSM factors \Rightarrow suppression of $\phi^0 \rightarrow VV, t\bar{t}$
- large SUSY–QCD corrections to $\phi^0 \rightarrow b\overline{b}$



• new decay modes: $H \to hh, AA, ZA, A \to ZH,$ $H^{\pm} \to W^{\pm} + h/A$



• new decay modes into SUSY particles: $\phi \rightarrow \tilde{\chi} \tilde{\chi}, \tilde{q} \overline{\tilde{q}}$



HDECAY



HDECAY



SUSY Decays



HDECAY

• if kinematically possible \rightarrow important

III <u>HIGGS SEARCH @ LHC</u>

Higgs boson production in SM/MSSM:

• Gluon fusion: $pp \rightarrow gg \rightarrow h/H/A$



QCD corrections: $\sim 10 \dots 100\%$

• W/Z fusion: $pp \to W^*W^*/Z^*Z^* \to h/H$



QCD corrections: $\sim 10\%$

Han, Valencia, Willenbrock

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Catani, de Florian, Grazzini, Nason

• Higgs-strahlung: $pp \rightarrow W^*/Z^* \rightarrow W/Z + h/H$



QCD corrections: $\sim 30\%$

Han, Willenbrock

• Bremsstrahlung: $pp \rightarrow t\bar{t}/b\bar{b} + h/H/A$



QCD corrections: $t\overline{t}\phi$: ~ +20%

Dawson, . . .

 $bar{b}\phi$: $\sim+(50-100)\%$

Dittmaier, Krämer, S.



Beenakker, Dittmaier, Krämer, Plümper, S., Zerwas

$t\bar{t}b\bar{b} \quad [t\bar{t}H \to t\bar{t}b\bar{b}]$

 $Q^2 = m_t^2$, CTEQ5L, $p_T(b) > 25 \text{ GeV}$, $|\eta| < 2.4$, $\Delta R(b,b) < 0.4$



Standard Model



<u>MSSM</u>





(i) Standard Model

• search strategy:

 \Rightarrow coverage of full mass range



• accuracies: $\delta M_H/M_H \sim 10^{-3}$, $\delta \Gamma/\Gamma \sim 10\%$, ratios of couplings: $\gtrsim 10\%$



(ii) <u>MSSM</u>

coverage of full MSSM parameter plane



• $\delta M_H/M_H \sim 10^{-3}$, $\delta \mathrm{tg}\beta/\mathrm{tg}\beta \sim (5-10)\%$



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IV <u>HIGGS SEARCH @ LC</u>

• Higgs boson production analogous to LEP2



- discovery of Higgs bosons up to $M_H \lesssim 0.7 \sqrt{s}$
- Higgs-strahlung $e^+e^- \rightarrow ZH$: Z monoenergetic $\Rightarrow M_H^2 = s - 2\sqrt{s}E_Z + M_Z^2$ \Rightarrow reconstruction from recoil mass



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 $\Rightarrow \delta BR/BR \sim$ few % \Rightarrow Test $g_f \propto m_f$

• top Yukawa coupling: $e^+e^- \rightarrow t\bar{t}H$





$\vee \underline{SUMMARY}$

• Higgs boson crucial ingredient of SM and MSSM \Rightarrow Higgs boson searches belong to major endeavours at LHC and LC

• LHC will find at least one Higgs boson [light scalar]

profile of the Higgs bosons can be studied partially
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 \rightarrow completed @ LC with much higher accuracy

• LHC: problematic distinction SM \leftrightarrow MSSM for large $M_A \rightarrow$ can be solved @ LC

\Rightarrow We need both colliders

 close collaboration of experimentalists and theorists necessary