Novel computational techniques in particle physics

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Expectation vs. Reality

After more than 100 fb⁻¹ no direct evidence of New Physics

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SM Calculator

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Why Happy?

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- ★ Optimist: New Physics around the corner.
- \bigstar SM tested with incredible scrutiny
- + Possibility to make big discovery by small group of people
- Creativity: New ideas what to look for/how to make use of what we have might make a huge impact
- \bigstar Lots of room for New Physics in small deviations from SM

\bigstar High precision calculations and simulations crucial

LHC Master formula

$\sigma_{\text{had}} = \sum_{ij} \int \mathrm{d}x_1 \,\mathrm{d}x_2 \,f_i(x_1, \mu_{\text{F}}) \,f_j(x_2, \mu_{\text{F}}) \times \sigma_{ij}(x_1 P_1, x_2 P_2, \mu_F) + \mathcal{O}(\Lambda/Q)$

Hard Process

LHC Master formula

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Importance of QCD corrections (example WZ)

[Grazzini, Kallweit, Rathlev, MW '16]

NNLO crucial for accurate description of data

Explosion of NNLO results

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NNLO corrections

♦ All 2→1 and 2→2 colour-singlet processes known

process	status	comment
pp→Z /γ*(→ℓℓ/νν)	v)	validated analytically + FEWZ
$pp \rightarrow W(\rightarrow \ell \nu)$ single bos	on 🗸	validated with FEWZ, NNLOjet
pp→H	1	validated analytically (by SusHi)
рр→үү	1	validated with 2γNNLO
pp→Zγ→ℓℓγ photon	\checkmark	[Grazzini, Kallweit, Rathlev '15]
pp→Zγ→ννγ processes	\checkmark	[Grazzini, Kallweit, Rathlev '15]
pp→₩γ→ℓνγ	1	[Grazzini, Kallweit, Rathlev 'I 5]
pp→ZZ	\checkmark	[Cascioli et al.'14]
pp→ZZ→ℓℓℓℓ	\checkmark	[Grazzini, Kallweit, Rathlev '15], [Kallweit, MW '18]
pp→ZZ→ℓℓℓ''ℓ'	\checkmark	[Grazzini, Kallweit, Rathlev '15], [Kallweit, MW '18]
pp→ ΖΖ →ℓℓν"ν"	\checkmark	[Kallweit, MW '18]
pp→ZZ/WW→ℓℓvv massiv	e 🗸	[Kallweit, MW '18]
pp→WW process	ses 🗸	[Gehrmann et al. '14]
pp→ WW →ℓv ℓ'v'		[Grazzini, Kallweit, Pozzorini, Rathlev, MW '16]
pp→WZ		[Grazzini, Kallweit, Rathlev, MW '16]
pp→WZ→ℓvℓℓ		[Grazzini, Kallweit, Rathlev, MW '17]
pp→ ₩Z →ℓ'v'ℓℓ	1	[Grazzini, Kallweit, Rathlev, MW '17]
рр→НН	(🗸)	not in public release

Public, automated NNLO framework

https://matrix.hepforge.org/

- → actively developed at MPP, e.g.:
 - tt, bb, HH by Javier Mazzitelli; v2 release: NLO EW, NLO gg, VH, ...; resummation; ...

3y at NNLO

First (only) $2 \rightarrow 3$ process computed at NNLO QCD

[Kallweit, Sotnikov, MW, '20]

in full agreement with [Chawdhry, Czakon, Mitov, Poncelet '19]

- two-loop five-point function [Abreu, Page, Pascual, Sotnikov '20]
- fast and efficient on-the-fly evaluation

→ implemented in MATRIX (to be released)

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Resummation

NNLO+Resummation

MATRIX+RadISH [Kallweit, Re, Rottoli, MW '20] https://matrix.hepforge.org/matrix+radish.html

- ★ automated for colour-singlet (all 2→1 and 2→2)
- state-of-the-art accuracy for various observables:
 - ◆ p⊤ of colour singlet at NNLO+N³LL
 - * p⊤ of jet (jet-veto) at NNLO+NNLL
 - * 2-D pT-singlet & pT-jet at NNLO+NNLL
- remarkable agreement with data from almost non-perturbative region to high p_T of Zγ

NNLO+PS

- seminal approaches for NLO+PS many years ago (POWHEG, MC@NLO)
- first NNLO+PS for simple $2 \rightarrow 1$ processes
 - MiNLO+reweighting [Hamilton, Nason, Zanderighi '12, + Re '13], [Karlberg, Hamilton, Zanderighi '14]
 - Geneva [Alioli, Bauer, Berggren, Tackmann, Walsh, Zuberi '13], [Alioli, Bauer, Berggren, Tackmann, Walsh '15]
 - * UNNLOPS [Höche, Prestel '14]

- MINNLOPS: new approach with enormous potential [Monni, Nason, Re, MW, Zanderighi '19], [Monni, Re, MW '20]
 - NNLO corrections extracted from analytic resummation formula

 $d\sigma^{(\text{sing})} \sim d\sigma^{(0)}_{c\bar{c}} \times \exp\left[-S_c(b)\right] \times \left[HC_1C_2\right]_{c\bar{c};a_1a_2} \times f_{a_1}f_{a_2}$

- physically sound (no new unphysical scale)
- * applicable beyond $2 \rightarrow 1$ processes (even beyond colour-singlet)
- numerically efficient

MiNNLO_{PS} for $2 \rightarrow 1$ (color singlet)

MiNNLO_{PS} extension to $2 \rightarrow 2$ (Z γ)

\rightarrow PhD project of Daniele Lombardi (first on-the-fly 2 \rightarrow 2 NNLO+PS computation)

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MiNNLO_{PS} ongoing $2 \rightarrow 2$ campaign

[Lombardi, MW, Zanderighi 'in preparation]

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[Buonocore, Lombardi, Rottoli, MW, Zanderighi 'started]

MiNNLO_{PS} Higgstrahlung & SMEFT

→ new PhD student Silvia Zanoli implemented Higgstrahlung

→ inclusion of SMEFT effects with new PostDoc Darren Scott:

* in $H \rightarrow bb$ decay at NNLO+PS (computed at NLO [Cullen, Pecjak, Scott '19])

in all diboson processes

NLO+PS for loop-induced

→ started with Gabriel Koole (shared PhD student with BSM Group of Uli Haisch)

- + formally NNLO (α_s^2) correction, but enhanced by gluon luminosities
- effectively only LO accurate, NLO correction (α_s^3) very large [Grazzini, Kallweit, MW, Yook '18]
- + $q\bar{q} \rightarrow 4\ell$ NNLO+PS generator must be supplemented by $gg \rightarrow 4\ell$ NLO+PS generator
- Include BSM/SMEFT effects (in particular in the Higgs diagram → see talk by Uli !)

MiNNLO_{PS} extension to heavy quarks

→ started about one year ago with PostDoc Javier Mazzitelli

[Mazzitelli, Monni, Nason, Re, MW, Zanderighi 'in preparation]

• Extension to $t\bar{t}$ production more complicated due to final state radiation!

$$d\sigma^{(\text{sing})} \sim d\sigma^{(0)}_{c\bar{c}} \times \exp\left[-S_c(b)\right] \times [HC_1C_2]_{c\bar{c};a_1a_2} \times f_{a_1}f_{a_2}$$

$$d\sigma^{(\text{sing})} \sim d\sigma^{(0)}_{c\bar{c}} \times \exp\left[-S_c(b)\right] \times [\text{Tr}(\mathbf{H}\Delta)C_1C_2]_{c\bar{c};a_1a_2} \times f_{a_1}f_{a_2}$$

Effects coming from soft emissions from the FS contained in operator Δ

MiNNLO_{PS} extension to heavy quarks

[Mazzitelli, Monni, Nason, Re, MW, Zanderighi 'in preparation]

MiNNLO_{PS} extension to jets

- → planned with new PostDoc Markus Ebert, who is an expert in Soft Collinear Effective Theory (SCET)
- → exploit SCET factorization formula of jet resolution variable (N-jettiness)
- → various important processes (H+jet, Z+jet, W+jet, γ+jet)
- → path towards N³LO+PS matching

Summary

- ★ with the completion of SM, particle physics entered new era: the SM is a beautiful theory that works spectacularly at colliders, but is incomplete
- vast progress in SM predictions within our group; new members will further push activities; development of cutting-edge technologies:
 - ♦ NNLO 2→3
 - ✤ analytic resummation
 - NNLO+PS
 - * ..
- * we live in data driven times (progress from experiment), but theory crucial to interpret data and to enhance sensitivity to anomalies

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