Electroweak Run2 prospects

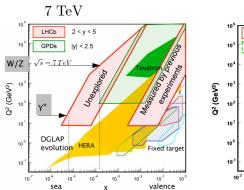


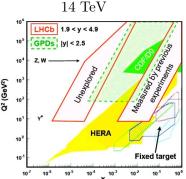
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Higher energy!

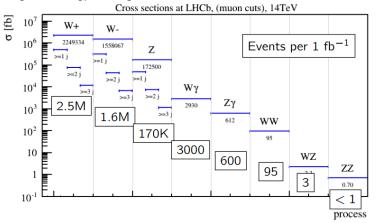




- LHCb cover a very unique region of the phase space that is not accessible for any other experiments.
- One could measure in this regime:
 - $\circ \; W$, Z cross section.
 - Drell-Yan cross section.
- This measurements would strongly constrain the PDF in the fits.

Cross section

 \Rightarrow Higher energy \Rightarrow Higher cross section:

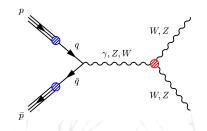


⇒ In contrast to RD the EW measurements should start much sooner as they are not statistically dominated!

What could we do?

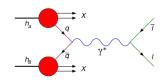
- \Rightarrow For starters we should start by measurement of Z cross section.
- ⇒ Relativity simple, you don't need much data.
- \Rightarrow Important for MC tuning.
- ⇒ More interesting: Tripple Gauge Boson Couplings:

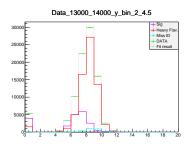
- Clear SM prediction.
- Sensitive to anomalous couplings!
- ATLAS observed a small but consistent deviation in this measurement.



Drell-Yan

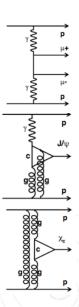
- Very clean theoretical prediction!
- Effectively you are probing the proton PDF.
- Remember that the theory error for all the Higgs calculations comes from PDFs.
- One could improve really the PDFs thanks to special kinematic region of LHCb.





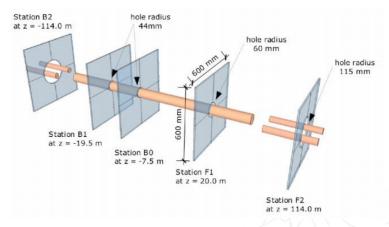
Central Exclusive Production

- Super clean theoretically.
- Signature: protons interact and go to the beam pipe undetected, in the detector you are left with couple of particles.
- Probing PDF and also thanks to DPE we have a link to Higgs Physics.



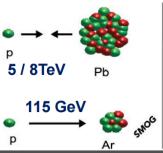
Central Exclusive Production- detector upgrade

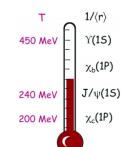
- For Run2 LHCb installed:HeRSCheL: High Rapidity Shower Counters
- They cover $5 < \eta < 8$.
- Rejecting the main background for CEP.

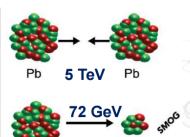


lon-lon run

- Tests of all QGP effects:
 - Colour screening.
 - Melting states.
 - Jet quenching.
 - \circ J/ψ suppression.
 - o Elliptic flow.
- Cold and hot matter effects.
- SMOG.
- etc.

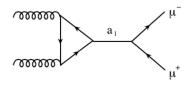


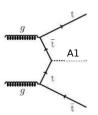




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- Competitive with ATLAS and CMS
- We have excellent resolution.
- \bullet Can problem mass around the Υs region.

top physics

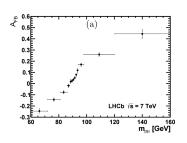
- Katharina already presented our recent measurement of top measurement in the forward region.
- with Run2 data (5 fb^{-1}):
 - $\circ~[\ell,b]$: expect $\sim 8300~t\bar{t}$, 5000~t-channel, 600~s-channel, and 180~Wt.
 - $\circ \ [\ell,\ell,b,b]$: expect $\sim 530 \ t\overline{t}$.

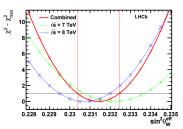
How about some precision?

• One can measure the A_{FB} in the $Z
ightarrow \mu \mu$ decays:

$$A_{FB} = \frac{\sigma(\cos \theta > 0) - \sigma(\cos \theta < 0)}{\sigma(\cos \theta > 0) + \sigma(\cos \theta < 0)}$$

- This is dependent on the vector and axial couplings $\Rightarrow \sin \theta_W^{eff}$.
- Since LEP time there is a small tension in this measurement.
- With full Run2 data and some smart ideas we might be close to LEP!





Summary

- Reach Run2 program in Electroweak measurements:
 - 1. Drell-Yan
 - 2. Ion-Ion physics
 - 3. Cross section measurements
 - 4. Triple Gauge Couplings
 - 5. top physics
 - 6. CEP
 - 7. $\sin \theta_W^{eff}$

Backup

