

# ***Electroweak Radiative Corrections at High Energies***

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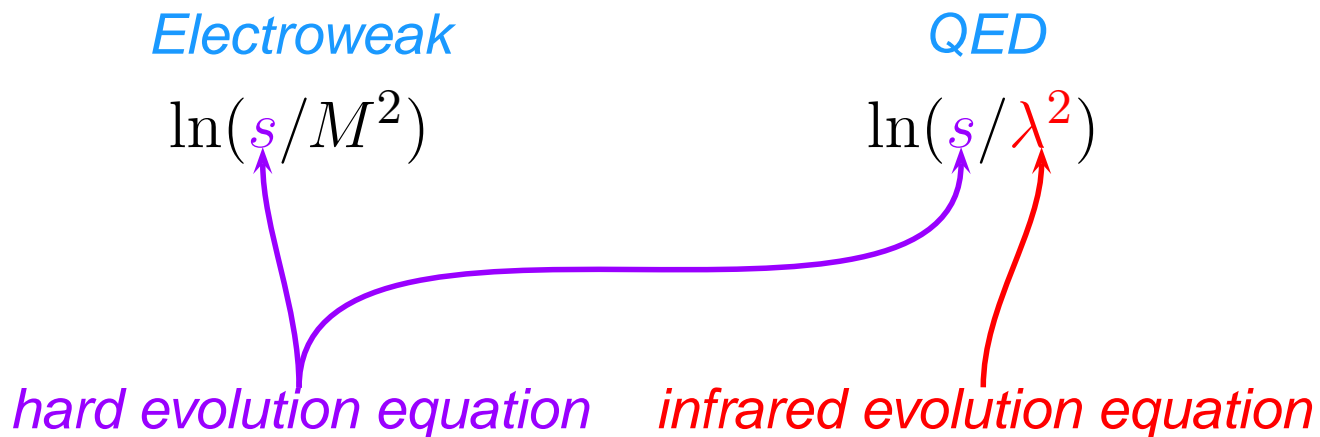
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Reduced amplitude

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \ln Q^2} \tilde{\mathcal{A}} = \chi(\alpha(Q^2)) \tilde{\mathcal{A}}$$

*Amplitude decomposition*



$$\mathcal{A} = -\frac{ig^2(Q^2)}{Q^2} \mathcal{F}^2 \tilde{\mathcal{A}}$$



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## Solution

$$\mathcal{F} = F_0(\alpha(M^2)) \exp \left\{ \int_{M^2}^{Q^2} \frac{dx}{x} \left[ \int_{M^2}^x \frac{dx'}{x'} \gamma(\alpha(x')) + \zeta(\alpha(x)) + \xi(\alpha(M^2)) \right] \right\}$$

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<i>Anomalous dimensions</i>	$\Rightarrow$	$\gamma, \quad \zeta, \quad \chi$	<i>massless approximation</i>
<i>Initial conditions</i>	$\Rightarrow$	$\xi, \quad F_0, \quad \mathcal{A}_0$	<i>expansion in <math>M^2/s</math></i>

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$$\chi^{(2)} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \textit{two-loop massless amplitudes}$$

$$\zeta^{(2)} + \xi^{(2)} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \textit{two-loop massive form factor}$$

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# Four-fermion processes

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- *Symmetric phase calculation,  $M_W = M_Z$*
- *Naïve factorization of QED logs*
- *$M_W \neq M_Z$  through one-loop result  $\Rightarrow$  5% effect*

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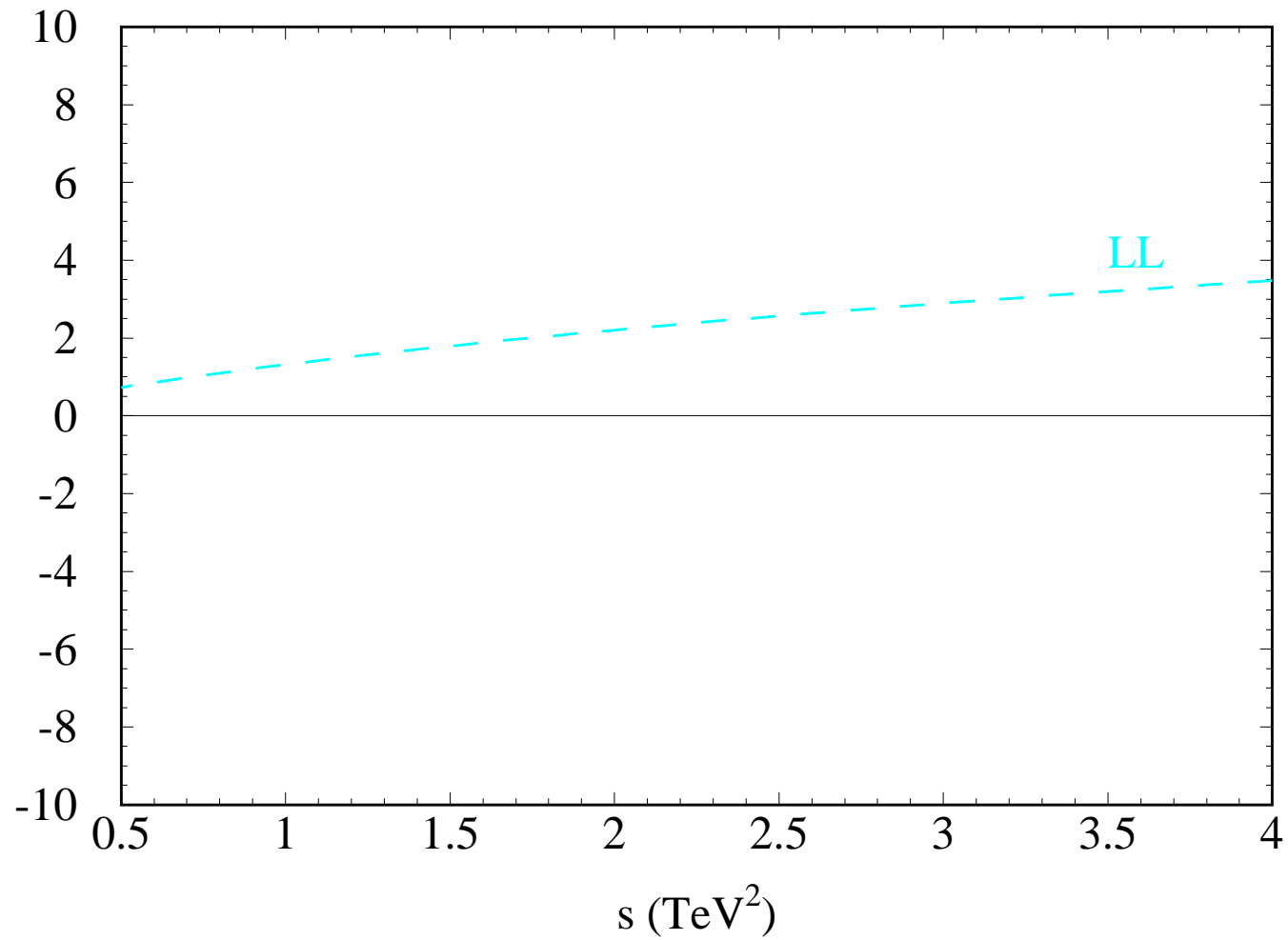
- *Approximation: Higgs boson of zero hypercharge,  $M_H = M_W = M_Z$*
- *No mixing  $\xi_{\lambda=0}^{(2)} = \xi_{\lambda=M}^{(2)}$   $\Rightarrow$  naïve factorization of infrared logs*
- *Mixing effects are suppressed by  $\sin^2 \theta_W$   $\Rightarrow$  20% error,  $M_H \neq M_W$  effect is negligible*

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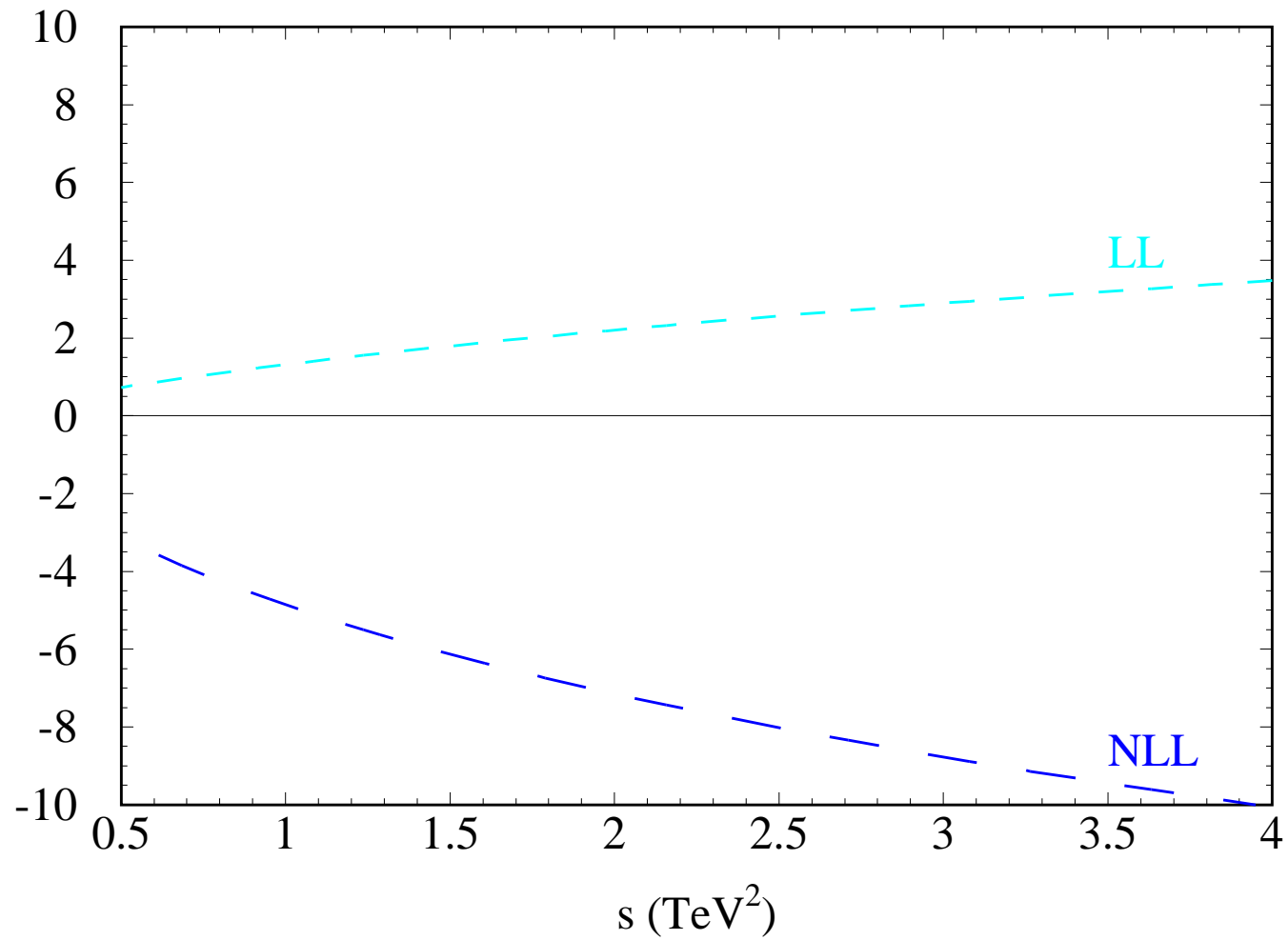
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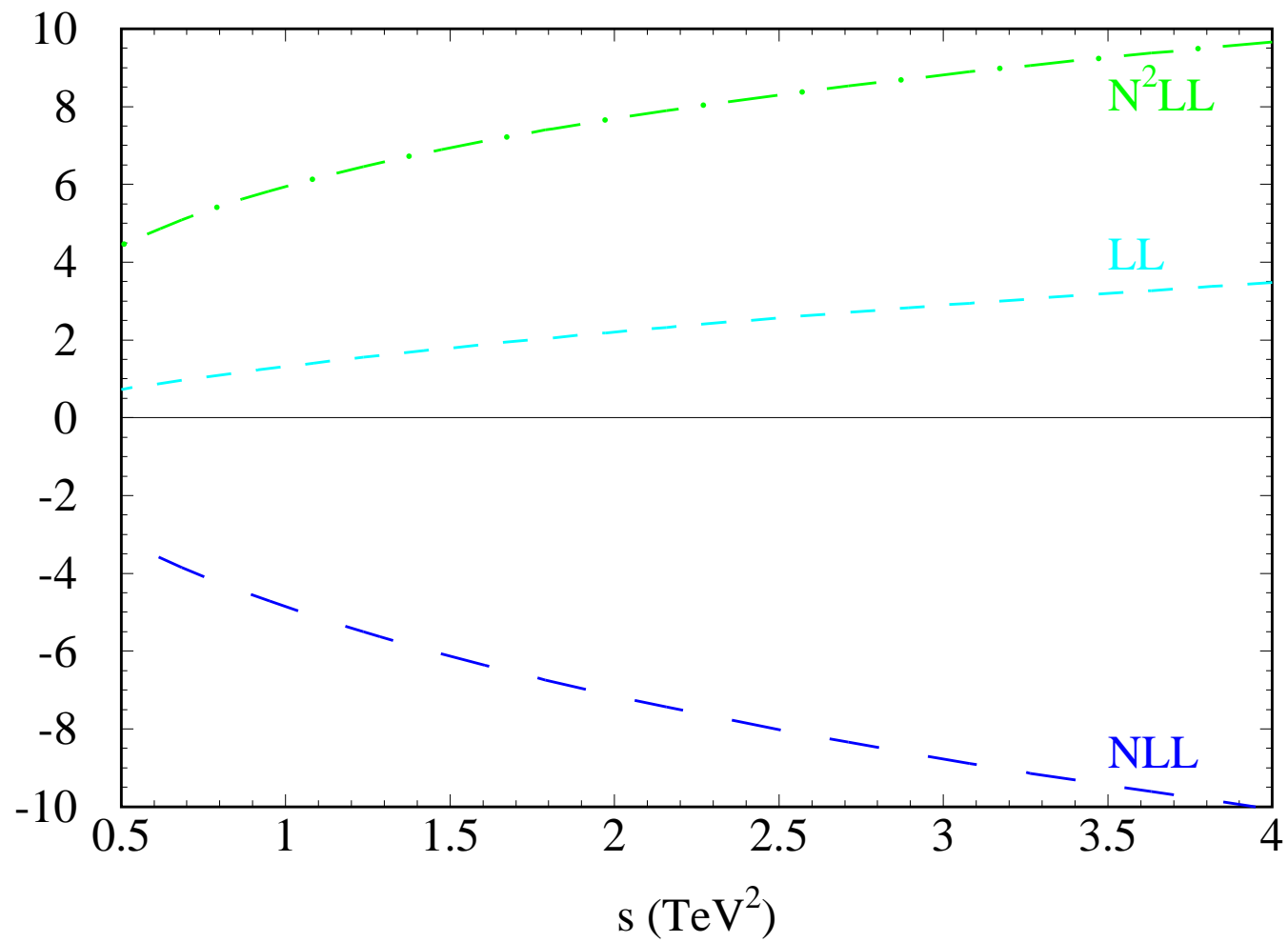
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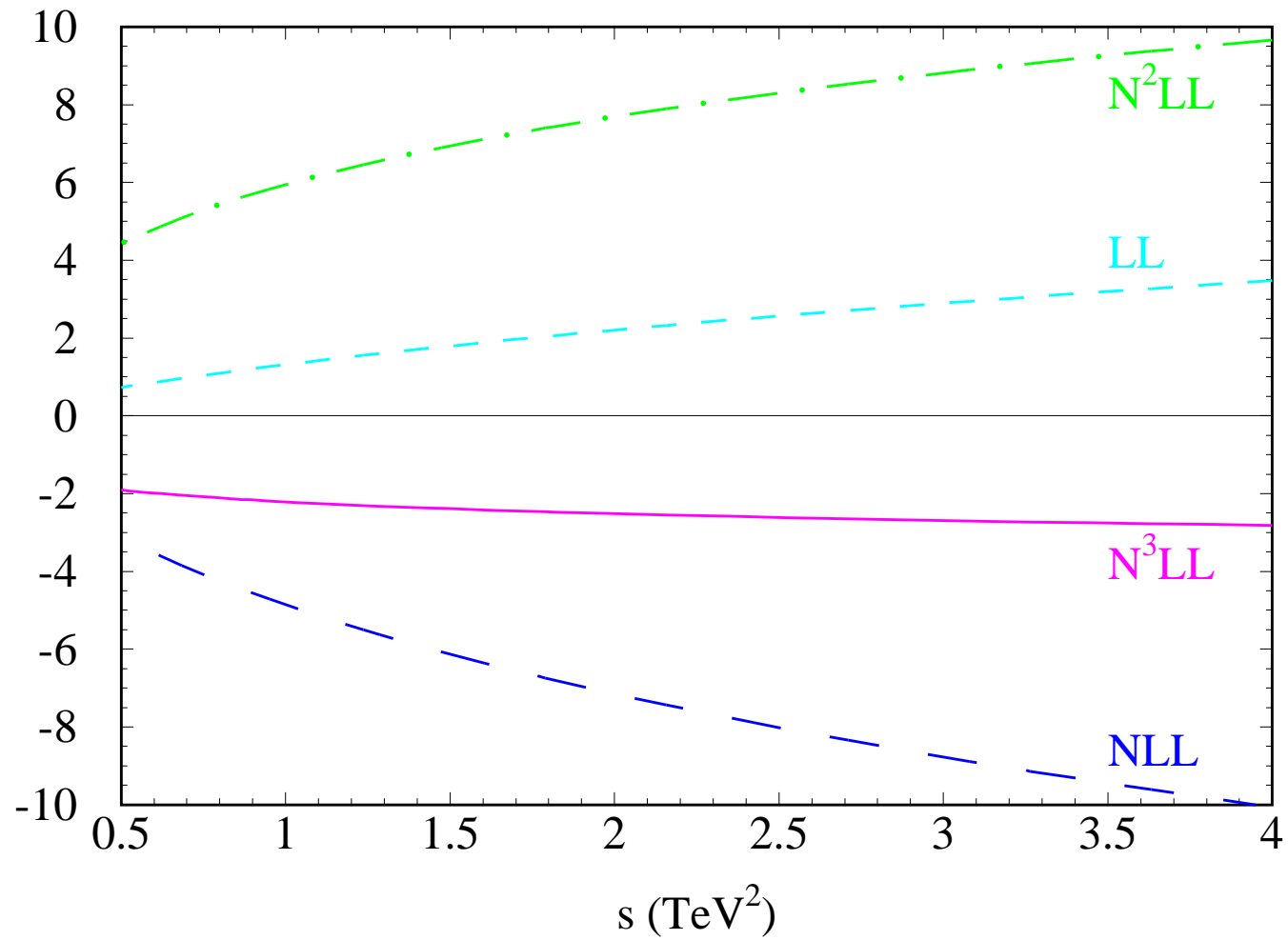


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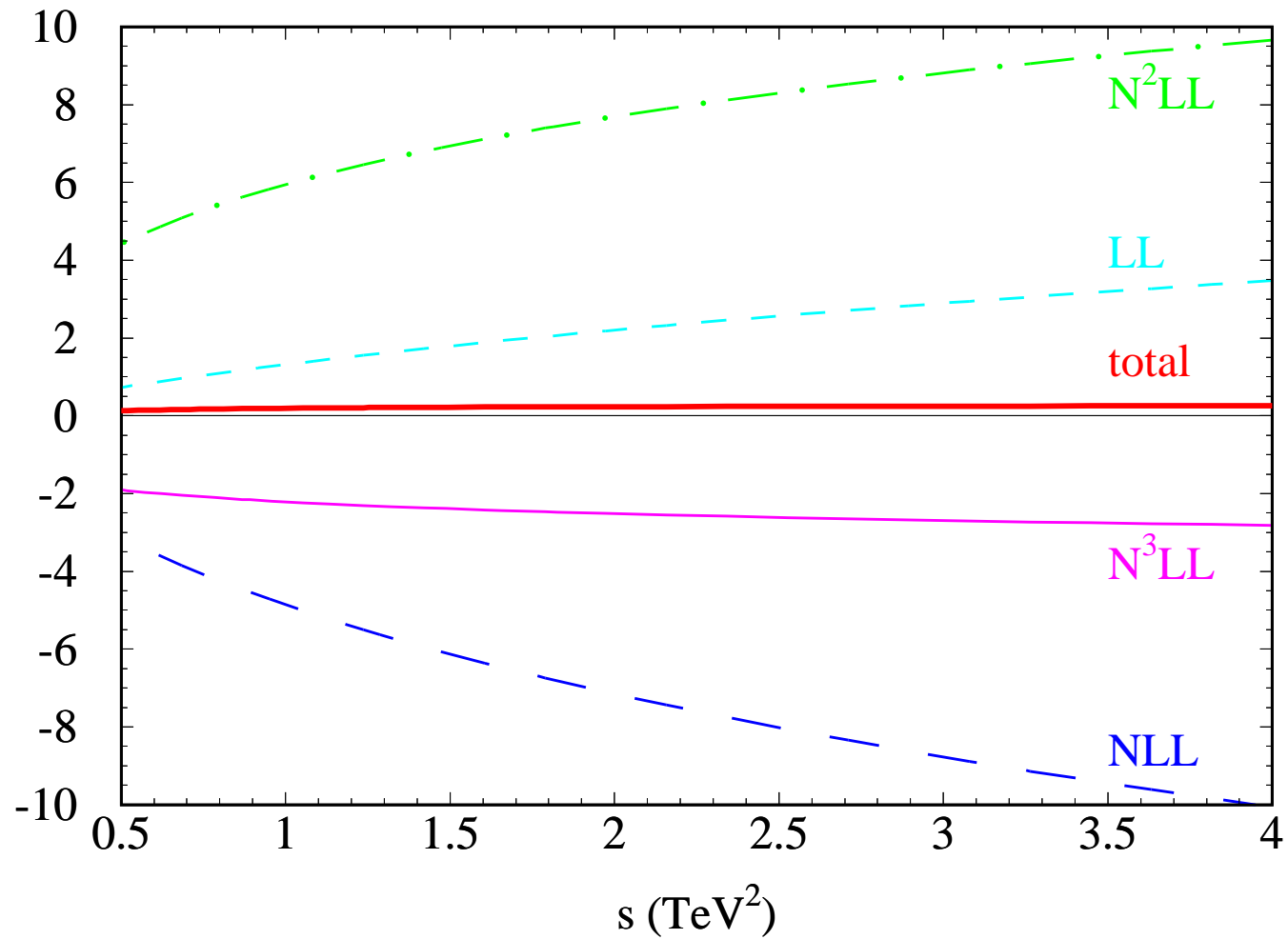




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## ● Specific of longitudinal polarization

● *equivalence theorem*:  $\sigma(W_L^+ W_L^-) \Leftrightarrow \sigma(\phi^+ \phi^-)$

● *Yukawa enhanced logs*  $\propto (m_t^2/M_W^2)$

# Results

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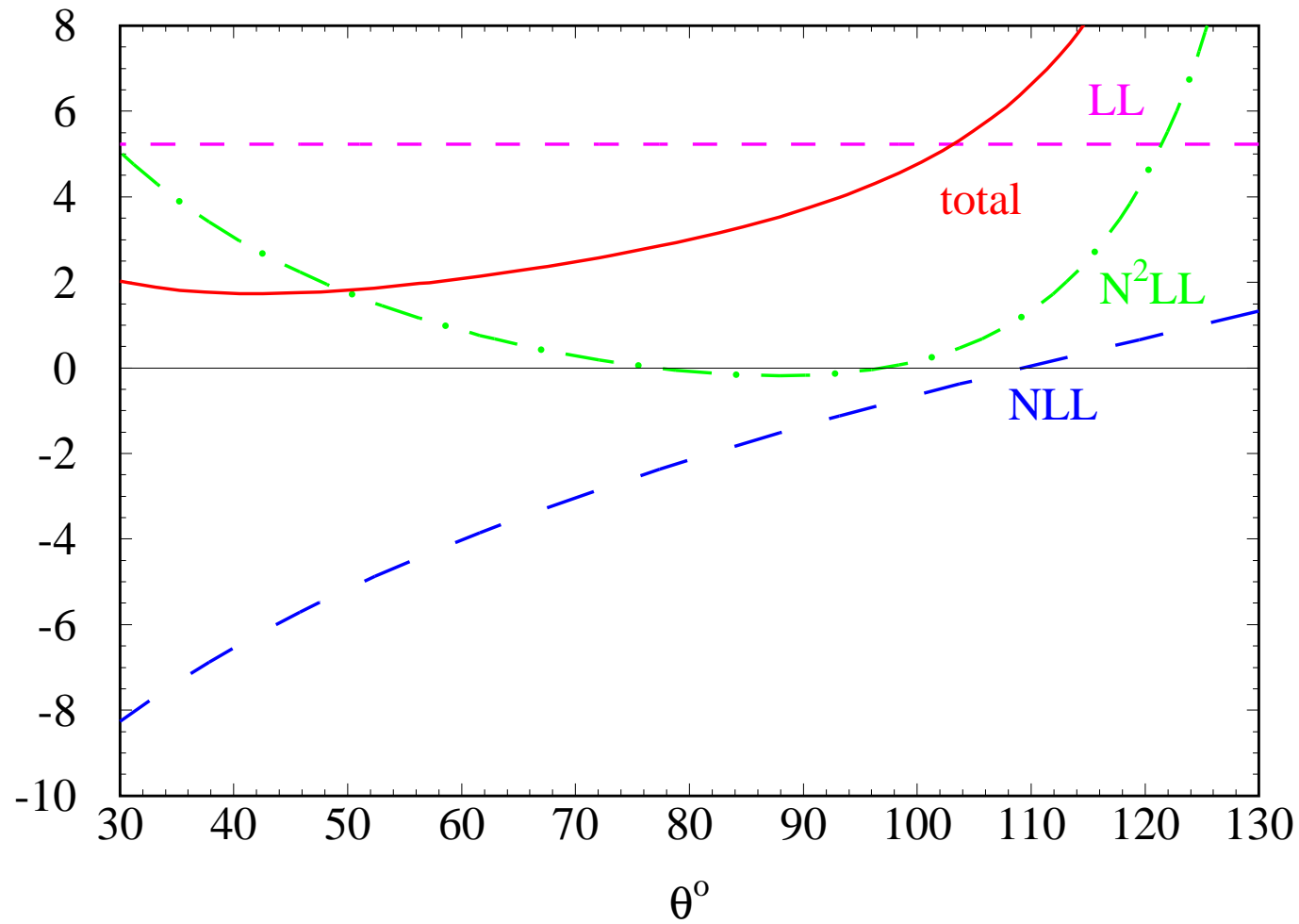
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$s = 1 \text{ TeV}^2$

# Application to LHC

## ① One-loop

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- *QED endpoint subtraction plus real radiation*

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- *Sudakov*

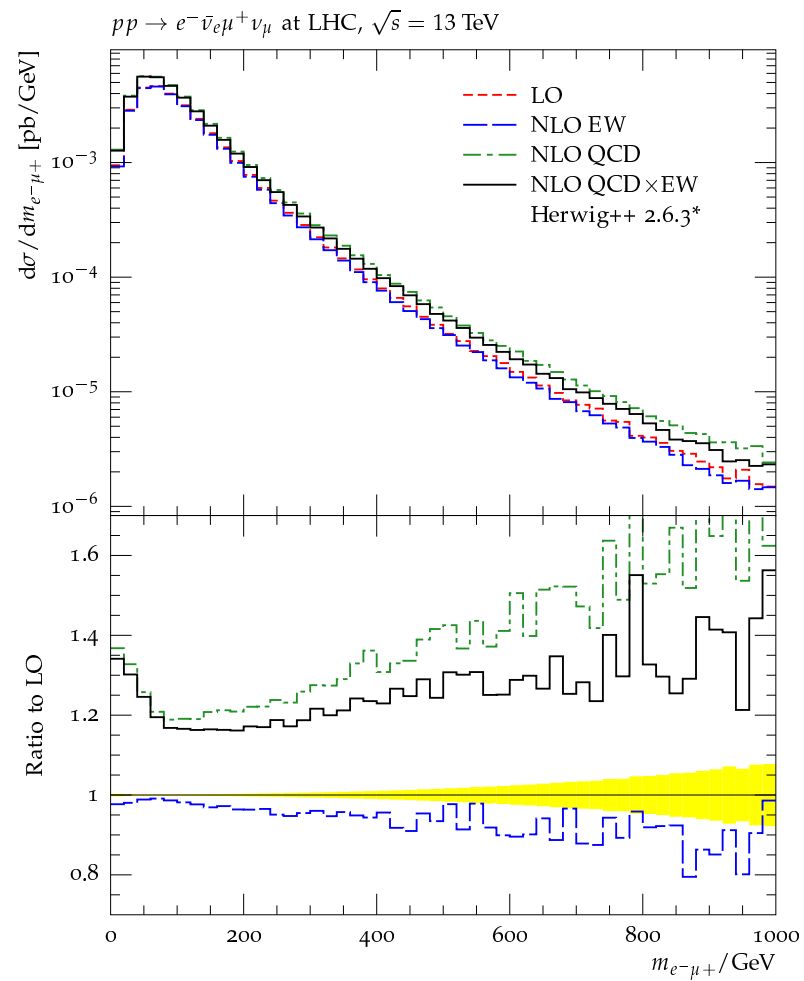
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## ③ Event generator implementation

- $\hat{s}, \hat{t}$  *dependent K-factors*

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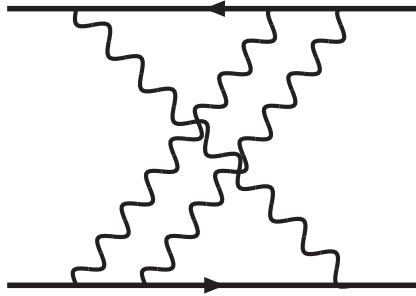




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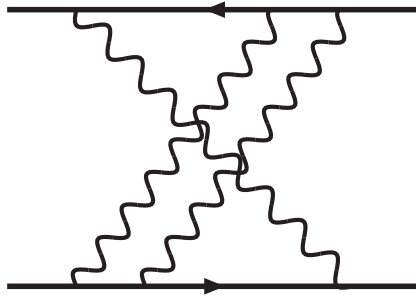


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Leading order in  $m_e^2/s$



*Infrared matching*

$$m_e, \lambda \Rightarrow d = 4 - 2\epsilon$$

# Infrared matching

- 1 For a given amplitude  $\mathcal{A}$  construct an auxiliary amplitude  $\bar{\mathcal{A}}$  with the same structure of IR singularities
- 2 Compute the matching term for  $\lambda, m_e = 0$

$$\delta\mathcal{A} = [\mathcal{A}(\epsilon) - \bar{\mathcal{A}}(\epsilon)]_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0}$$

- 3 Compute the auxiliary amplitude  $\bar{\mathcal{A}}$  for  $\lambda, m_e \rightarrow 0$
- 4 The amplitude  $\mathcal{A}$  in the limit  $\lambda, m_e \rightarrow 0$  is given by

$$\mathcal{A}(\lambda, m_e) \Big|_{\lambda, m_e \rightarrow 0} = \bar{\mathcal{A}}(\lambda, m_e) \Big|_{\lambda, m_e \rightarrow 0} + \delta\mathcal{A}$$

# How to construct $\bar{\mathcal{A}}$ ?

- Factorization, exponentiation, nonrenormalization

→ *the auxiliary amplitude*

$$\bar{\mathcal{A}}^{(2)} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \mathcal{A}^{(1)} \right)^2 + 2 \left[ \mathcal{F}^{(2)} - \frac{1}{2} \left( \mathcal{F}^{(1)} \right)^2 \right]$$

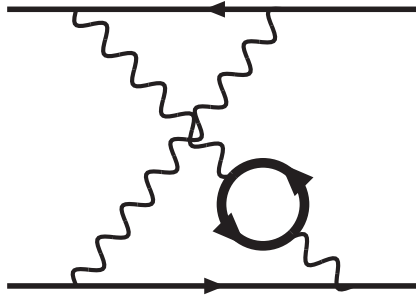
$$\begin{aligned}
\delta_0^{(2)} = & 8\mathcal{L}_\epsilon^2 + \left(1 - x + x^2\right)^{-2} \left[ \left(\frac{4}{3} - \frac{8}{3}x - x^2 + \frac{10}{3}x^3 - \frac{8}{3}x^4\right) \pi^2 + \left(-12 + 16x - 18x^2 + 6x^3\right) \ln(x) \right. \\
& + \left(2x + 2x^3\right) \ln(1 - x) + \left(-3x + x^2 + 3x^3 - 4x^4\right) \ln^2(x) + \left(-8 + 16x - 14x^2 + 4x^3\right) \ln(x) \\
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& \left. - 8\text{Li}_2(1 - x)) \right] \mathcal{L}_\epsilon + \frac{27}{2} - 2\pi^2 \ln(2) + \left(1 - x + x^2\right)^{-2} \left( \left(\frac{83}{24} - \frac{125}{24}x + \frac{13}{4}x^2 + \frac{19}{24}x^3 - \frac{25}{24}x^4\right) \right. \\
& \times \pi^2 + \left(-9 + \frac{43}{2}x - 34x^2 + 22x^3 - 9x^4\right) \zeta(3) + \left(-\frac{11}{90} - \frac{5}{24}x + \frac{29}{180}x^2 + \frac{23}{180}x^3 - \frac{49}{480}x^4\right) \pi^4 \\
& + \left[-\frac{93}{8} + \frac{231}{16}x - \frac{279}{16}x^2 + \frac{93}{16}x^3 + \left(-\frac{3}{2} + \frac{13}{4}x - \frac{7}{12}x^2 - \frac{11}{8}x^3\right) \pi^2 + \left(12 - 12x + 8x^2 \right. \right. \\
& \left. \left. - x^3\right) \zeta(3) \right] \ln(x) + \left[\frac{9}{2} - \frac{43}{8}x + \frac{17}{8}x^2 + \frac{29}{8}x^3 - \frac{9}{2}x^4 + \left(\frac{x}{4} + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{5}{24}x^3 + \frac{19}{48}x^4\right) \pi^2 \right] \ln^2(x) \\
& + \left(\frac{67}{24}x - \frac{5}{4}x^2 - \frac{2}{3}x^3\right) \ln^3(x) + \left(\frac{7}{48}x + \frac{5}{96}x^2 - \frac{x^3}{12} + \frac{43}{96}x^4\right) \ln^4(x) + \left\{ 3x + 3x^3 + \left(\frac{7}{6}x \right. \right. \\
& \left. \left. - \frac{73}{24}x^2 + \frac{15}{8}x^3\right) \pi^2 + \left(-6 + 6x - x^2 - 4x^3\right) \zeta(3) + \left[-8 + \frac{21}{2}x - \frac{45}{4}x^2 + x^4 + \left(1 - \frac{x}{6} + \frac{x^2}{12} \right. \right. \right. \\
& \left. \left. \left. - \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^4}{8}\right) \pi^2 \right] \ln(x) + \left(6 - 11x + \frac{35}{4}x^2 - \frac{15}{8}x^3\right) \ln^2(x) + \left(\frac{2}{3} + \frac{x}{12} - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{5}{24}x^4\right) \ln^3(x) \right\} \\
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& \left. \left. - \frac{23}{4}x^2 + \frac{9}{8}x^3\right) \ln(x) + \left(\frac{7}{2} - \frac{41}{8}x + \frac{31}{8}x^2 + \frac{3}{8}x^3 - \frac{13}{16}x^4\right) \ln^2(x) \right] \ln^2(1 - x) + \left[\frac{3}{8}x + \frac{1}{6}x^2 \right. \\
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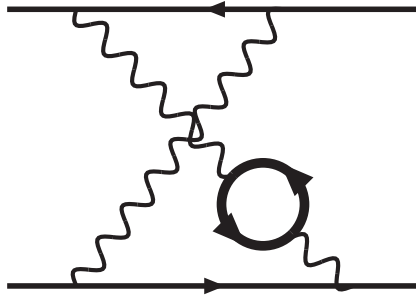


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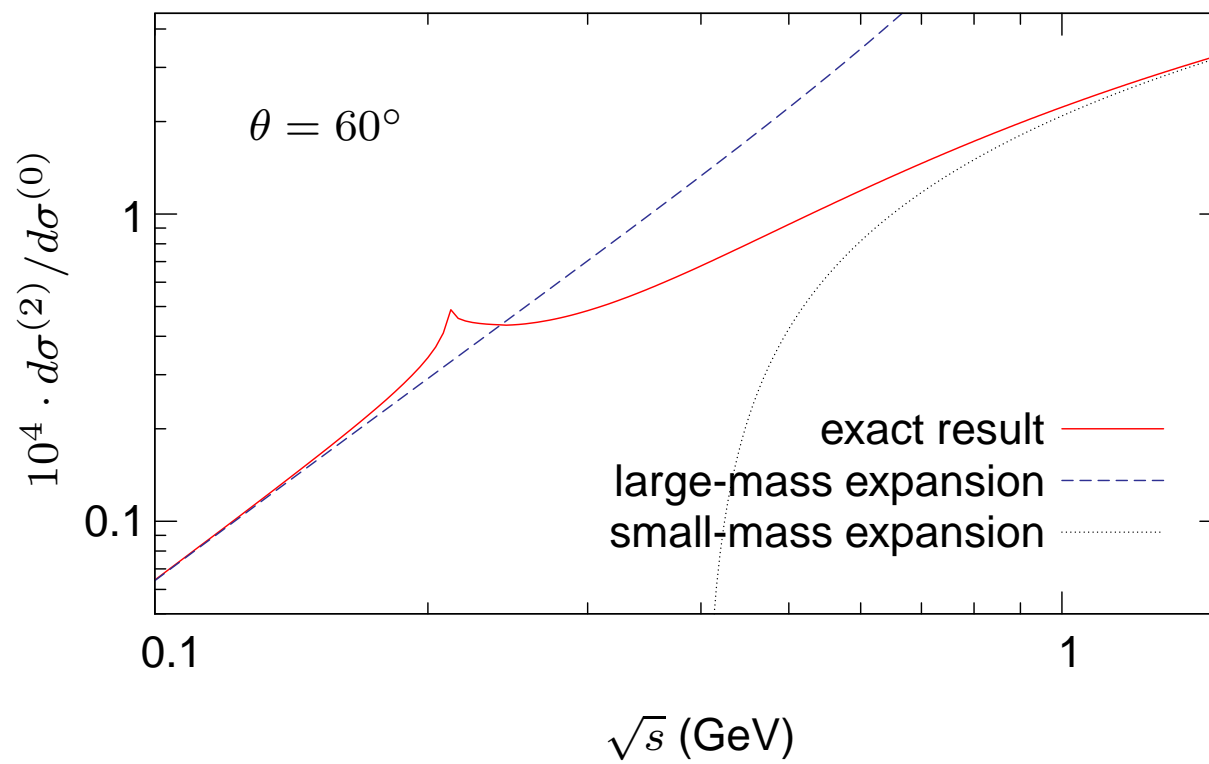
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