

# Polarimetry at the ILC

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## Polarization Measurement using Collision Data

- Comparison of the Statistical Precision for Different Methods
- Impact of Systematic Uncertainties and their Correlations

## Improvement by Constraints from Polarimeter Measurement

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# Advantages of Polarized Beams

## ▶ International Linear Collider (ILC)

- ▶  $e^-e^+$  collider with polarized beams of  $|80\%|$  and  $|30\% - 60\%|$ , respectively
- ▶ Selectable polarization sign  $\rightarrow$  choice of spin configuration

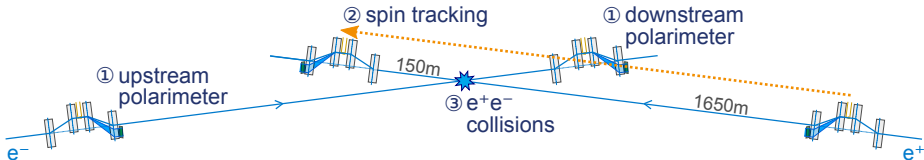
## ▶ Advantages:

- ▶ Sensitive to new observables (e.g. left-right-asymmetry)
- ▶ Reduction of background processes and simultaneously increase of signal processes
- ▶ Deep insights into the chiral structure of the weak-interaction for known and unknown particle

**All event rates depend linearly on the polarization!**  
 $\Rightarrow$  **Has to be known as precisely as the luminosity!**



# ILC Polarimetry Concept



## 1. Measurement of the time-resolved beam polarization before and after the $e^-e^+$ IP

- ▶ Via laser-Compton polarimeter

Ref.: Jenny List, Annika Vauth, and Benedikt Vormwald:

A Quartz Cherenkov Detector for Compton-Polarimetry at Future  $e^+e^-$  Colliders (<https://bib-pubdb1.desy.de/record/221054>)

A Calibration System for Compton Polarimetry at  $e^+e^-$  Colliders (<https://bib-pubdb1.desy.de/record/289025>)

## 2. Extrapolating the beam polarization to the $e^-e^+$ IP

- ▶ Via Spin Tracking

Ref.: Moritz Beckmann, Jenny List, Annika Vauth, and Benedikt Vormwald:

Spin transport and polarimetry in the beam delivery system of the international linear collider

(<http://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.1088/1748-0221/9/07/P07003/pdf>)

## 3. Determination of the luminosity-weighted averaged polarization from collision data

- ▶ Calculating the polarization from known standard model processes

⇒ Discussed in the following

# Determination of the Polarization from Collision Data

## Goal:

**General strategy for the polarization determination which yields the best precision per measurement time**

### ▶ Previous Work:

- ▶ Using the information from  $W$ -pair production

Ref.: Theses Ivan Marchesini  
(<http://pubdb.xfel.eu/record/94888>)

- ▶ Using the information from single  $W$ ,  $\gamma$ ,  $Z$  events

Ref.: Talk Graham W. Wilson  
(<https://agenda.linearcollider.org/event/5468/contributions/24027/>)

### ▶ Current Work:

- ▶ Combining all relevant processes, including all uncertainties and their correlations
- ▶ Compensating for a non-perfect helicity reversal
- ▶ Including constraints from the polarimeter measurement



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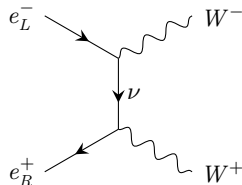
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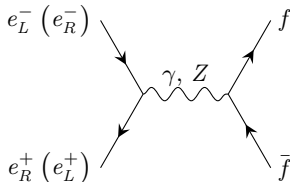


## Concept

## Example Processes:

*W-pair production:*

$$\sigma_{LL} = \sigma_{RR} = \sigma_{RL} = 0$$

*s-channel spin-1 particle:*

$$\sigma_{LL} = \sigma_{RR} = 0$$

- ▶ Calculation of the  $P$  from polarized  $\sigma$  measurement of well known SM-process
    - Using the information of their chiral structure
  - ▶ Requirement to consider a process:
    - ▶ Theoretical very well known
      - Reduction of theoretical uncertainties
    - ▶ High absolute cross section (high rate)
      - Minimizing the statistical error
    - ▶ Large left-right-asymmetry
      - Minimizing the influence of systematic uncertainties
    - ▶ Well separable from possible BSM-effects
  - ▶ Feature of the ILC:
    - Using 4 different polarization configuration (→ signs of the polarizations)
- ⇒ Task: Providing the absolute scale calibration

## Special Case: The Modified Blondel Scheme (MBS)

► Constraints for the Modified Blondel Scheme:

- Process must fulfill:  $\sigma_{LL} \equiv \sigma_{RR} \equiv 0$
- Perfect helicity reversal:  $+|P| \longleftrightarrow -|P| \Rightarrow |P| \equiv \text{const.}$

► Unique solution:

4 possible cross section measurements:  $\sigma_{-+}, \sigma_{+-}, \sigma_{--}, \sigma_{++}$

Maximal 4 unknown quantities:  $\sigma_{LR}, \sigma_{RL}, |P_{e-}|, |P_{e+}|$

► Solve for  $|P_{e\mp}|$ :

$$\sigma_{\pm\pm} = \frac{(1\pm|P_{e-}|)}{2} \frac{(1\mp|P_{e+}|)}{2} \cdot \sigma_{RL} + \frac{(1\mp|P_{e-}|)}{2} \frac{(1\pm|P_{e+}|)}{2} \cdot \sigma_{LR}$$

► Modified Blondel-Scheme:

$$|P_{e\mp}| = \sqrt{\frac{(\sigma_{-+} + \sigma_{+-} - \sigma_{--} - \sigma_{++}) (\pm\sigma_{-+} \mp \sigma_{+-} + \sigma_{--} - \sigma_{++})}{(\sigma_{-+} + \sigma_{+-} + \sigma_{--} + \sigma_{++}) (\pm\sigma_{-+} \mp \sigma_{+-} - \sigma_{--} + \sigma_{++})}}$$

► Uncertainties are calculated via analytic error propagation





# The Unified Approach: $\chi^2$ -Method

- ▶ Desire for a more general approach:
  - ▶ Consider any process with a polarization dependence + using several processes at once
  - ▶ Compensate non-perfect helicity reversal:  $+ |P^R| \longleftrightarrow - |P^L|$
- ▶ Consider a  $\chi^2$ -Method: Using all 4 chiral cross sections

$$\chi^2 = \sum_{\text{process}} \left\{ \sum_{\pm\pm} \left[ \frac{(\sigma^{\text{data}} - \sigma^{\text{theory}})^2}{\Delta\sigma^2} \right] \right\}$$

- ▶ Compensate non-perfect helicity reversal: 4 free parameters

$$\underbrace{P_L^- = -80\%}_{\text{left-handed } e^- \text{-beam}}$$

$$\underbrace{P_R^- = 80\%}_{\text{right-handed } e^- \text{-beam}}$$

$$\underbrace{P_L^+ = -30\%}_{\text{left-handed } e^+ \text{-beam}}$$

$$\underbrace{P_R^+ = 30\%}_{\text{right-handed } e^+ \text{-beam}}$$

- ▶ Error determination via toy experiments



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# Comparison to the Previous W-Pair Study

## Study by Ivan Marchesini:

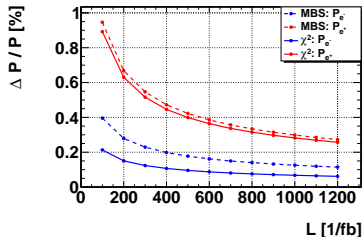
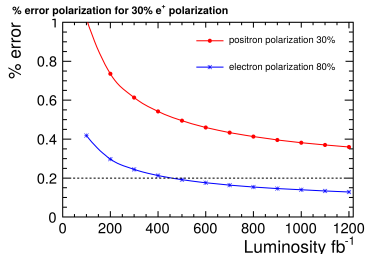
- ▶ Using  $e^-e^+ \rightarrow W^+W^- \rightarrow q\bar{q}l\nu$
- ▶ Statistical uncertainties only
- ▶ Consider equal absolute polarizations (MBS)
- ▶ Including full background study

## Adjustment of the current study:

- ▶ Limited to  $e^-e^+ \rightarrow W^+W^- \rightarrow q\bar{q}l\nu$
- ▶ Forced equal absolute polarizations ( $|P^L| \equiv |P^R|$ )
- ▶ Including same background estimation and selection efficiency

## Comparison:

- ⇒  $\chi^2$ -method yields better precision under same conditions than the MBS



# Comparison to Previous Single $W^\pm, \gamma, Z$ Study

## Study by Graham W. Wilson

- Using 4 Processes simultaneously:

$$e^- e^+ \rightarrow \nu \bar{\nu} \gamma; \quad e^- e^+ \rightarrow \nu \bar{\nu} Z$$

$$e^- e^+ \rightarrow e^+ \nu W^- \rightarrow e^+ \nu \mu^- \bar{\nu}$$

$$e^- e^+ \rightarrow e^- \bar{\nu} W^+ \rightarrow e^- \bar{\nu} \mu^+ \nu$$

- Consider equal absolute polarizations  
2 Parameters:  $P_{e^-}, P_{e^+}$
- Consider deviations: 4 Parameters

$$P_{e^\pm}^L = -|P_{e^\pm}| + \frac{1}{2}\delta_\pm$$

$$P_{e^\pm}^R = |P_{e^\pm}| + \frac{1}{2}\delta_\pm$$

parameters		$\Delta P/P, \mathcal{L} = 2ab^{-1}$	
#	$P$	Previous	Current
2	$P_{e^-}$	0.07%	0.051%
	$P_{e^+}$	0.22%	0.21%
4	$P_{e^-}$	0.085%	0.088%
	$\delta_{e^-}$	0.12%	0.19%
	$P_{e^+}$	0.22%	0.23%
	$\delta_{e^+}$	0.32%	0.56%

$\mathcal{L}$  equally distributed between  $\sigma_{\pm\pm}$

Statistical precision only

## Comparison to Current analysis

- Differences:

**Previous:** Constraint on  $\delta$ :  $\Delta\delta < 10^{-3}$

**Current:** direct fit of  $P_{e^\pm}^{L,R}$

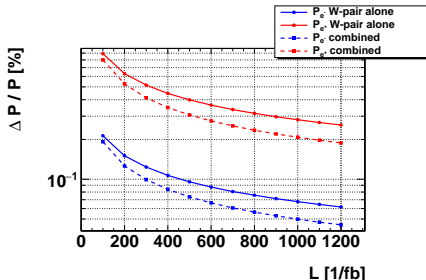
- Very similar precision even without additional constraint on  $\delta$



# Combining W-Pair + Single $W, Z, \gamma$

## Combined vs. W-Pairs alone

- ▶ W-Pair yields only enough information for 2 parameter fit  $P_{e-}, P_{e+}$
  - ▶ Large improvement  
→ due to additional processes
  - ▶ Combined: fit of 4 parameters is possible  $P_{e-}^L, P_{e-}^R, P_{e+}^L, P_{e+}^R$
- ⇒ Compensation for a non-perfect helicity reversal



$$\Delta P/P, \mathcal{L} = 2ab^{-1}$$

	single $W, Z, \gamma$	Combined
$P_{e-}$	0.088%	0.079%
$\delta_{e-}$	0.19%	0.18%
$P_{e+}$	0.23%	0.16%
$\delta_{e+}$	0.56%	0.51%

## Combined vs. Single Boson

- ▶ The 4 processes Single  $W^\pm$ , Single  $Z$ , Single  $\gamma$  yields a large analysis power
- ▶ Combined precision dominated by single boson processes



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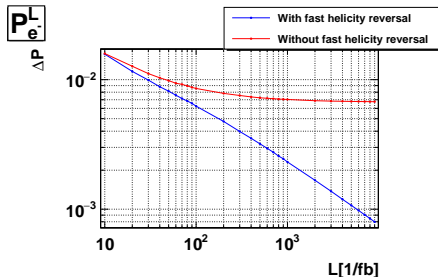
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# Systematic Uncertainties and their Correlations

Systematic quantity	related to:
Integrated luminosity $\mathcal{L}$	accelerator
Selection efficiency $\varepsilon$	detector
Background estimate $B$	theory



## Remark:

A non-perfect helicity reversal has close to no influence on the precision due to compensation of the unified approach

## ► Uncertainties influenced by

- Detector calibration and alignment
  - Machine performance
  - etc.
- ⇒  $\Delta\mathcal{L}$ ,  $\Delta\varepsilon$  are time dependent

## ► Correlations:

- Data sets taken concurrently
  - Generate correlations
- ⇒ Lead to cancellation of systematic uncertainties

## ⇒ Fast helicity reversal

- Fast switch between  $\sigma_{\pm\pm}$  measurements e.g. train-by-train
- ⇒ Faster than changes in calibrations, alignments, etc.

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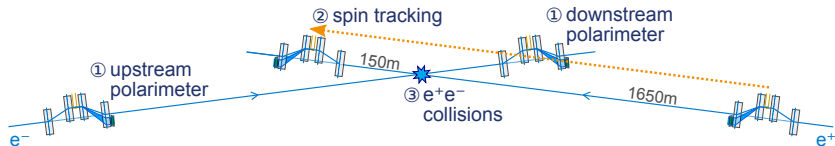
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## Consider Polarimeter Information



## Simplified approach: (as a first step)

- ▶ Assume polarimeter measure directly at IP (neglect spin transport)
- ▶ Use nominal polarimeter uncertainty  $\Delta P/P = 0.25\%$ :
- ▶ Toy polarimeter measurement:

Gaus-smear

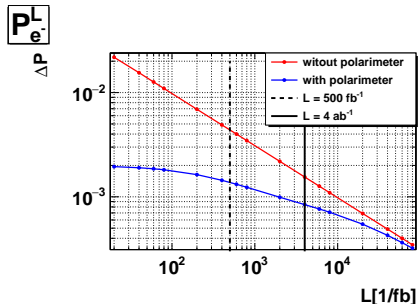
- ▶ Mean:  $P_{e^-} = 80\%$ ,  $P_{e^+} = 30\%$
- ▶ Width:  $\Delta P$

## Implementation

$$\chi^2_{+} = \sum_P \left[ \frac{(P_{e^{\pm}}^{L,R} - \mathcal{P}_{e^{\pm}}^{L,R})^2}{\Delta \mathcal{P}^2} \right]$$

- ▶  $P_{e^{\pm}}^{L,R}$ : 4 fitted Parameter
- ▶  $\mathcal{P}_{e^{\pm}}^{L,R}$ : Polarimeter measurement
- ▶  $\Delta \mathcal{P}$ : Polarimeter uncertainty

## Impact of the Polarimeter Constraint



## For idealized situation:

- ▶ Better polarization precision, especially for lower integrated luminosities
- ▶ More robust against large Poisson fluctuations in the cross section measurement

## Next step: add more realism

- ▶ Spin tracking including misalignments in the BDS
- ▶ Include impact of collision effect
- ▶ Use upstream and downstream polarimeter separately

# Summary

- ▶ Polarization provides a deep insight in the chiral structure of the standard model and beyond
  - ⇒ A permille-level precision of the luminosity-weighted average polarization at the IP is required
- ▶ New unified approach combing all suitable cross sections and the polarimeter measurement
  - ⇒ Higher analysis power by consider various processes
  - ⇒ Further improvement of precision due to polarimeter constraint
- ▶ Unified approach also compensate a non-perfect helicity reversal due to direct fit of:

$$P_{e^-}^L, \quad P_{e^-}^R, \quad P_{e^+}^L, \quad P_{e^+}^R$$

- ▶ A fast helicity reversal improves the polarization precision due to cancellation of systematic uncertainties











# Backup Slides



## Polarization at a $e^-e^+$ Collider

- ▶ Helicity is the projection of the spin vector on the direction of motion
- ▶ In case of massless particles, helicity is equal to chirality
- ▶ If  $E_{\text{kin}} \gg E_0 \rightarrow m_e \approx 0$

	$e^-$	$e^+$	
$\sigma_{RR}$			$J_\Phi = 0$
$\sigma_{LL}$			
$\sigma_{RL}$			$J_\Phi = 1$
$\sigma_{LR}$			

- ▶ For a bunch of particles the polarization is defined as:

$$P := \frac{N_R - N_L}{N_R + N_L}$$



## Laser-Compton Polarimeters

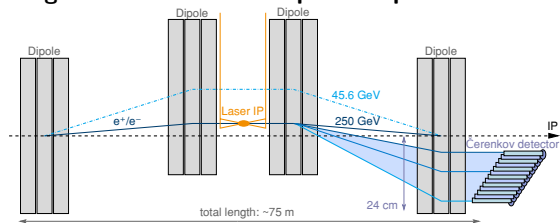
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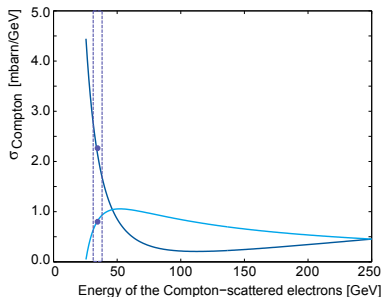
## Magnetic chicane of the upstream polarimeters



- ▶ Compton scattering of the beam with a polarized Laser
- ▶  $\mathcal{O}(10^3)$  particles per bunch ( $2 \cdot 10^{10}$ ) are scattered
- ▶ Magnetic chicane: energy spectrum  $\Rightarrow$  spatial distribution

- ▶ Energy spectrum measurement:  $\Rightarrow$  Counting the scattered particles at different positions
- ▶ Design of the magnetic Chicane:
  - ▶ Laser-bunch interaction point moves with beam energy  $\rightarrow$  position of the Compton edge stays the same
  - ▶ Orbit of the non-scattered particles is unaffected by the magnetic chicane

## Differential Compton Cross Section



## Energy dependence:

$$\frac{d\sigma_C}{dy_C} = \frac{2\pi r_e^2}{x_C} (a_C + \lambda \mathcal{P} \cdot b_C); \quad y_C := 1 - \frac{E'}{E}$$

$e^-$  Polarization:  $\mathcal{P}$ ; Laser Polarization:  $\lambda$

DarkBlue:  $\lambda \mathcal{P} = +1$

Cyan:  $\lambda \mathcal{P} = -1$

Calculating  $\mathcal{P}_i$  of the  $i$ -th channel with asymmetry  $A_i$ , analysing power  $\Pi_i$

$$A_i := \frac{N_i^- - N_i^+}{N_i^- + N_i^+}; \quad \Pi_i = \frac{\mathcal{I}_i^- - \mathcal{I}_i^+}{\mathcal{I}_i^- + \mathcal{I}_i^+}; \quad \mathcal{I}_i^\pm := \int_{E_i - \Delta/2}^{E_i + \Delta/2} \frac{d\sigma_C}{dy_C} \Big|_{\lambda \mathcal{P} = \pm 1} dy_C$$

$N_i^\pm := \# e_{\text{Compton}}$  for  $\lambda \mathcal{P} = \pm 1$ ;  $E_i$ : energy of  $i$ -th channel;  $\Delta$ : energy width

$$\Rightarrow \lambda \mathcal{P}_i = \frac{A_i}{\Pi_i} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \mathcal{P} = \langle \mathcal{P}_i \rangle$$





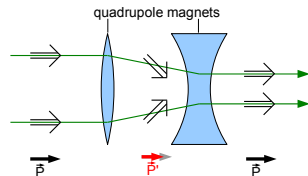
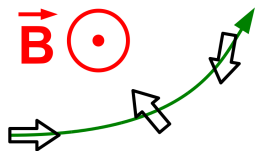
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## Spin Precession



- ▶ Polarimeters are 1.65 km and 150 m away from IP
  - Particles propagate through magnets
  - Magnets influence the spin, as well
  - Described by Thomas precession

- ▶ if  $\vec{B}_{\parallel} = \vec{E} = 0$ :

$$\frac{d}{dt} \vec{S} = -\frac{q}{m\gamma} \left( (1 + a\gamma) \vec{B}_{\perp} \right) \times \vec{S}$$

- ▶ Effects from focusing and defocusing can cancel
- ▶ For a series of quadrupole magnets  $\mathcal{P}$  described by the angular divergence  $\theta_r$

$$f(\theta_r) = |\vec{\mathcal{P}}|_{\max} \cdot \cos((1 + a\gamma) \cdot \theta_r)$$

## Systematic Polarization Uncertainty

contribution	uncertainty [ $10^{-3}$ ]
Beam and polarization alignment at polarimeters and IP ( $\Delta\vartheta_{\text{bunch}} = 50 \mu\text{rad}$ , $\Delta\vartheta_{\text{pol}} = 25 \text{ mrad}$ )	0.72
Variation in beam parameters (10% in the emittances)	0.03
Bunch rotation to compensate the beam crossing angle	< 0.01
Longitudinal precession in detector magnets	0.01
Emission of synchrotron radiation	0.005
Misalignments (10 $\mu$ ) without collision effects	0.43
Total (quadratic sum)	0.85
Collision effects in absence of misalignments	< 2.2

[Ref.:] Thesis Moritz Beckmann (<http://bib-pubdb1.desy.de/record/155874>)



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## Polarized Cross Section

- ▶ Theoretical polarized cross section:

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma(P_{e-}, P_{e+}) = & \frac{(1-P_{e-})}{2} \frac{(1-P_{e+})}{2} \cdot \sigma_{LL} + \frac{(1+P_{e-})}{2} \frac{(1+P_{e+})}{2} \cdot \sigma_{RR} \\ & + \frac{(1-P_{e-})}{2} \frac{(1+P_{e+})}{2} \cdot \sigma_{LR} + \frac{(1+P_{e-})}{2} \frac{(1-P_{e+})}{2} \cdot \sigma_{RL} \end{aligned}$$

- ▶ Measured polarized cross section:

$$\sigma(P_{e-}, P_{e+}) = \frac{N}{\varepsilon \cdot \mathcal{L}} = \frac{D - \langle B \rangle}{\varepsilon \cdot \mathcal{L}};$$

*Statistic quantity:* selected data  $D$ , number of events  $N$

*Systematic quantity:* background  $B$ , selection efficiency  $\varepsilon$ ,  
integrated luminosity  $\mathcal{L}$

- ▶ Cross section of the 4 polarization configurations

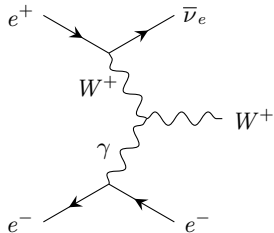
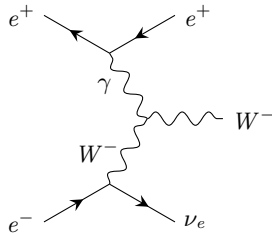
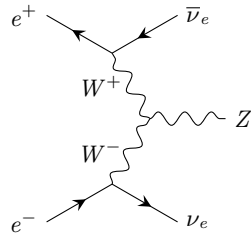
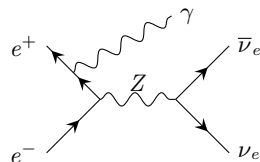
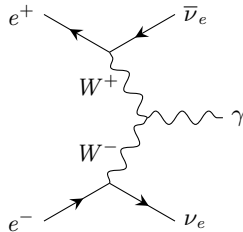
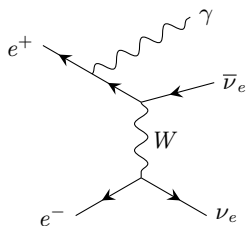
$$\sigma_{--} := \sigma(-|P_{e-}|, -|P_{e+}|)$$

$$\sigma_{++} := \sigma(+|P_{e-}|, +|P_{e+}|)$$

$$\sigma_{-+} := \sigma(-|P_{e-}|, +|P_{e+}|)$$

$$\sigma_{+-} := \sigma(+|P_{e-}|, -|P_{e+}|)$$



Previous Single  $W^\pm$ ,  $Z$ ,  $\gamma$  Study: Leading DiagramsSingle  $W^+$ Single  $W^-$ Single  $Z$ Single  $\gamma$ 

# Consider Correlated Uncertainty

## Implementing correlated uncertainty:

$$\chi^2 = \sum_{\text{process}} \sum_{i \in \pm\pm} \frac{(\sigma_i^{\text{data}} - \sigma_i^{\text{theory}})^2}{\Delta\sigma_i^2} \longrightarrow \sum_{\text{process}} (\vec{\sigma}_{\text{data}} - \vec{\sigma}_{\text{theory}})^T \Xi^{-1} (\vec{\sigma}_{\text{data}} - \vec{\sigma}_{\text{theory}})$$

$$\vec{\sigma} := (\sigma_{-+} \quad \sigma_{+-} \quad \sigma_{--} \quad \sigma_{++})^T$$

$$\Xi := \Xi_N + \Xi_B + \Xi_\varepsilon + \Xi_{\mathcal{L}}; \quad \text{e.g. } (\Xi_\varepsilon)_{ij} = \text{corr}(\vec{\sigma}_i^\varepsilon, \vec{\sigma}_j^\varepsilon) \frac{\partial \vec{\sigma}_i}{\partial \varepsilon_i} \frac{\partial \vec{\sigma}_j}{\partial \varepsilon_j} \Delta\varepsilon_i \Delta\varepsilon_j$$

## Occurrence of correlated uncertainties:

- ▶ Fast switch between  $\sigma_{\pm\pm}$
- ▶ Faster than change in e.g.  $\delta\mathcal{L}$
- $\Delta\sigma_{\pm\pm} (\Delta\mathcal{L})$  becomes correlated
- ⇒  $\text{corr}(\vec{\sigma}_i^{\mathcal{L}}, \vec{\sigma}_j^{\mathcal{L}}) \neq 0 \quad \forall i \neq j$

## Consider disadvantageous situation:

- ▶  $\varepsilon = 0.6$
- ▶  $\Delta\varepsilon/\varepsilon = 0.01$
- ▶  $\Delta\mathcal{L}/\mathcal{L} = 0.001$
- Studying the impact of correlations

# Outlook

## ▶ Open issues

- ▶ Implementing fiducial cuts for all processes → correct description of all systematics
- ▶ Including a complete background analyses

## ▶ Further Improvement

- ▶ Consider also differential cross sections
- ▶ Study the possibility to use fiducial and differential cross sections simultaneously

