Physics Landscape



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The Standard Model and the Questions Hadron Colliders can (maybe) answer



- Is **QCD** describing the data at highest energies?
 - Are the calculations adequate?
- What is the origin of electroweak symmetry breaking?
 - Is there a Higgs boson?
- Is the CKM matrix the only source of CP violation?
- What is the **Dark Matter**?
 - Is it produced it at colliders?
- Are there new dimensions of space?
 - Or e.g. extended gauge sectors, leptoquarks,...?

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Is there anything that no one has thought of?

Outline

- Testing Particle Production
 - Jets, W's and Z's, top quarks

Electroweak Symmetry Breaking

- W boson mass
- Top quark mass
- Higgs boson search

Beyond the Standard Model

- Supersymmetry
- Beyond SUSY

Conclusions



Tevatron and LHC





Tevatron:

- pp collider operating since 1985, "Run 2" since 2001
- $-\sqrt{s}$ =1.96 TeV, dataset collected 9 fb⁻¹
- LHC:
 - pp collider operating since March 2010 at high energy
 - $-\sqrt{s}=7$ TeV, dataset collected 6.5 pb⁻¹

Production of Particles

Luminosity and Cross Sections

- Single most important quantity
 - Drives our ability to detect new processes

$$L = \frac{f_{rev} n_{bunch} N_p N_p}{4 \pi \sigma_x \sigma_y}$$

Rate of physics processes per unit time directly related:



6 Luminosity Uncertainty: 6% (Tevatron), 11% (LHC)

Physics Cross Sections



- JLdt=1 fb⁻¹ at LHC competitive with 10 fb⁻¹ at Tevatron for high mass processes
- $\int_{7}^{1} \text{Ldt} = 100 \text{ pb}^{-1}$ already interesting in some cases

Jet Cross Sections





Inclusive jets: processes qq, qg, gg



- Highest E_T probes shortest distances
 - Tevatron: $r_q < 10^{-18}$ m
- Tests perturbative QCD at highest energies
- Also sensitive to new physics creating dijet resonance



- Cross section measured over 7 orders of magnitude
- Data well described by Standard Model prediction up to masses of 1.3 TeV



W Transverse mass (GeV)

110

120

M(µ⁺µ⁻) [GeV]

 $\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$

W and Z production

Tevatron

- Data precision: 6% (lumi), 2% (syst.+stat.)
- Theory precision (NNLO QCD): 2%

LHC

- Initial results also agree with theory





May be able to use this process to normalize luminosity

Top Quark Production and Decay

Mainly produced in pairs via the strong interaction



Br(t →Wb) ~ 100% Decay via the electroweak interactions 1st W decays to: Final state is characterized by the decay of the W boson jets τ μe iets lepton+jets I, a 2nd W decays to: all-jets v**, q** t 4 H lepton+jets dilepton 0

Different sensitivity and challenges in each channel Lepton+jets is has best sensitivity

The Top Cross Section

Basic selection:

- -1 high p_T electron or muon
- Large missing E_T
- At least 3 jets





 Good agreement between all measurements (precision 6%) and between data and theory

Electroweak Symmetry Breaking



The Electroweak Precision Data

Precision measurements of

- muon decay constant and $\boldsymbol{\alpha}$
- Z boson properties (LEP,SLD)
- W boson mass (LEP+Tevatron)
- Top quark mass (Tevatron)



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W Boson Mass





World average: M_w =80399 ± 23 MeV Ultimate precision: Tevatron: 15-20 MeV LHC: unclear (5 MeV?)

Top Quark Mass Results

- Many measurements agree
 - CDF and D0
 - Different techniques and decay channels
- Most precise measurement in lepton+jets channel
 - Dominant jet energy scale uncertainty determined within top sample
- Precision: δm_{top}/m_{top}=0.6%!



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Prediction from LEP1, SLD, M_W , Γ_W : 178.9 ^{+11.7}_{-8.6} GeV/c²

Implications for the Higgs Boson

Relation: M_W vs m_{top} vs M_H

 $m_{\rm H} = 89^{+35}_{-26} \, {\rm GeV}$



Higgs Production: Tevatron and LHC



dominant: gg -> H, subdominant: HW, HZ, Hqq

Higgs Boson Decay

- Depends on Mass
- M_H<130 GeV/c²:
 - bb dominant
 - WW* and $\tau\tau$ subdominant
 - γγ small but useful
- M_H>130 GeV/c²:
 - WW dominant
 - ZZ cleanest



Tevatron Discovery Channels







M(H)>125 GeV: WW M(H)<125 GeV: WH and ZH





- Higgs causes peak in dijet mass
- Analyses make use of full event correlations to improve separation from background
 - Event Probability Discriminant (e.g. Neural Network,...)

$H \rightarrow WW^{(\star)} \rightarrow I^+I^-vv$

- Higgs mass reconstruction impossible due to two neutrinos in final state
- Make use of spin correlations to suppress WW background:
 - Higgs is scalar: spin=0
 - leptons in H → WW^(*) → I⁺I⁻vv are collinear

Main background: WW production







$\textbf{H} \rightarrow \textbf{WW}^{(*)} \rightarrow \textbf{I}^{+}\textbf{I}^{-} \nu \nu \textbf{ (I=e,}\mu)$

Event selection:

- 2 isolated e/μ :
 - p_T > 15, 10 GeV
- Missing $E_T > 20 \text{ GeV}$
- Veto on
 - Z resonance
 - Energetic jets (against top)

Separate signal from background

- Use discriminant to enhance sensitivity
- Many varieties:
 - "Neural Network", "Boosted Decision Tree", "Likelihood",... (see literature)
- Basically combine many
 variables into one to exploit as
 much information as possible



No Higgs Signal found ⇒Set limits on cross section

Tevatron Higgs Limit



- Combine CDF and DØ analyses from all channels at low and high mass
 - Exclude m_H =158-175 GeV/c² at 95% C.L.
- 25 − m_H=120 GeV/c²: limit/SM ≈ 1.5

LHC Higgs Prospects with 1 fb⁻¹



- ATLAS and CMS can jointly exclude the mass range 140-200 GeV with 1 fb⁻¹
 - Using WW, ZZ and diphoton decay
 - Competitive with Tevatron at ~7 fb⁻¹ at high mass
 - May be better if more sophisticated analyses techniques deployed (like at Tevatron)

What if there is no Higgs?

- In the SM the Higgs boson prevents unitarity violation of WW cross section
- Without the Higgs: $\sigma(pp \rightarrow WW) > \sigma(pp \rightarrow anything)$
 - => illegal!
 - At √s=1.2 TeV!



⇒Something has to be found at the LHC: Higgs boson or something else

Beyond the Standard Model

New Physics beyond the SM

Supersymmetry

- Strong theoretical prejudices for SUSY being true
- However, we need to keep our eyes open

Other theories

- Extra spatial dimensions:
 - "Solve" hierarchy problem by making gravity strong at TeV scale
- Extra gauge groups: Z', W'
 - Occur naturally in GUT scale theories
- Leptoquarks:
 - Would combine naturally the quark and lepton sector
- ????

What's Nice about SUSY?

- Radiative corrections to Higgs acquire SUSY corrections: ---
 - No/little fine-tuning required
- Unification of forces possible
- Dark matter candidate exists:
 - lightest neutral gaugino
- Changes relationship between m_W, m_{top} and m_H:
 - Also consistent with precision measurements of M_W and m_{top}
- SUSY particles must be near EWK scale (~TeV) to actually solve these problems





- SM particles have supersymmetric partners:
 - Differ by 1/2 unit in spin
 - **Sfermions** (squark, selectron, smuon, ...): spin 0
 - gauginos (chargino, neutralino, gluino,...): spin 1/2
- No SUSY particles found as yet:
 - SUSY must be broken: breaking mechanism determines phenomenology
 - More than 100 parameters even in "minimal" models!

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Generic Squarks and Gluinos

- Squark and Gluino production:
 - Signature: jets and E_T^{miss}
- Strong production
 - Large cross section, depending on mass of gluino and squarks





Missing E_T for multi-jet events



Supersymmetry Parameter Space



LHC SUSY Searches and Reach



Searches in many modes

- 1, 2, 3, 4 jets with 0, 1, 2 leptons
- Specific searches with b-jets
- Completely different SUSY scenarios...

Sensitivity beyond Tevatron with 100 pb⁻¹

Will probe masses of ~800 GeV with 1 fb⁻¹





Higgs in Supersymmetry (MSSM)

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 $\overline{)^2}^{\times} \overline{[9 + (1 + \Delta_k)^2]}$

h

g

 $\sigma \times BR_{SUSY} = 2 \times \sigma_{SM} \times \frac{\tan \rho}{(1 + \Delta_{h})}$

 $\tan\beta^2$

Tevatron

- Minimal Supersymmetric Standard Model:
 - 2 Higgs-Fields: Parameter $\tan\beta = \langle H_{u} \rangle / \langle H_{d} \rangle$
 - 5 Higgs bosons: h, H, A, H[±]
- Neutral Higgs Boson:
 - Pseudoscalar A
 - Scalar H, h
 - Lightest Higgs (h) very similar to SM
 - A is degenerate in mass with either h or H
 - Decays always into either two τ 's or two b's

Tevatron



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MSSM Higgs Boson Search: di-tau signature







- Data agree with SM backgrounds
- Limits on supersymmetric Higgs bosons
 - Exclude tanβ>30-40 for m_A<200 GeV

LHC Prospects for MSSM Higgs



- Sensitivity up to m_A=300 GeV for tanβ=40 with 1 fb⁻¹
- Improves current Tevatron sensitivity

$B_s \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ Branching Ratio

Events/0.05 GeV Standard Model prediction: 40 BR=(3.6±0.3) x 10⁻⁹ 30 A.J. Buras Phys.Lett.B 566, 115 (2003) 20 Large enhancements e.g. in 10 Supersymmetry possible 0 MSSM 4.5 H^0/A^0 $\sim \tan^6\beta/m_A^4$





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LHCb will supersede Tevatron with 200 pb⁻¹

Beyond SUSY







- Dielectron and diphoton mass distributions
 - Data agree well with Standard Model spectrum
 - Slight excesses at 450 GeV (D0 $\gamma\gamma)$ and 250 GeV (CDF ee)

Excluding Z' and Graviton

Resonance in diphoton or dielectron mass spectrum predicted in

- Z' models (ee only): Spin 1
- Randall-Sundrum graviton (ee and $\gamma\gamma$): Spin 2



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Summary

- We will find new particles at the electroweak scale at Tevatron and/ or LHC
 - Either "only" the Higgs-boson
 - Or possibly a lot more
- Hadron colliders probe fundamental forces and particles in earnest:
 - QCD thoroughly being tested:
 - Exp. precision challenges theory
 - Electroweak sector:
 - Indirect : exclude m_H>158 GeV
 - Direct: exclude 158<m_H<175 GeV
 - Searches beyond the Standard Model
 - Many direct searches ongoing probing many theoretical possibilities
 - Flavor measurements probe new physics indirectly
- Great times ahead!
 - This was merely a glimpse of the physics we can do now/soon!

2xCDF Preliminary Projection



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Backup

Many More Searches



More Supersymmetry Searches



$B_s - \overline{B}_s$ Oscillation Frequency



- CDF Measurement:
 - Prob. of stat. fluctuation: 8x10⁻⁸
 - $\Delta m_s = 17.77 \pm 0.10 \pm 0.07 \text{ ps}^{-1}$
 - $|V_{td}/V_{ts}|=0.2060\pm0.0007 +0.008 -0.006$ (th.)



Single Top Production



- 4.8σ observation of single-top production
- Uses elaborate techniques also needed for Higgs search

Prospects for Tevatron Higgs Search

Analyzed Lumi/Exp. (fb⁻¹ Expected Sensitivity o End of 2011 2.4-5.2 σ m_H (GeV/c²) With Projected Improvements

2xCDF Preliminary Projection

Problems of the Standard Model



- Large fine-tuning required:
 - m_H naturally similar to cut-off Λ
- Accounts only for 17.5^{+2.1}-1.1% of the matter on the Universe
 - No dark matter candidate
- No prediction for
 - fundamental constants, unification of forces, number of generations, mass values and hierarchy of SM particles, anything to do with gravity



Mass Unification in mSUGRA



Common masses at GUT scale: m₀ and m_{1/2}

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- Evolved via renormalization group equations to lower scales
- Weakly coupling particles (sleptons, charginos, neutralions) are lightest
- Strongly coupled particles (squarks, gluino) are heaviest

Top Mass in tt→(blv)(bqq)

- 4 jets, 1 lepton and missing E_T
 - Which jet belongs to what?
 - Combinatorics!
- B-tagging helps:
 - 2 b-tags =>2 combinations
 - 1 b-tag => 6 combinations
 - 0 b-tags =>12 combinations
- Two Strategies:
 - Template method:
 - Uses "best" combination
 - Chi2 fit requires $m(t)=m(\overline{t})$
 - Matrix Element method:
 - Uses all combinations
 - Assign probability depending on kinematic consistency with top



Precision Measurement of m_{top}





m_{top}=173.0±0.6±1.1 GeV (L=5.6 fb⁻¹)