# Summary and plans on Generators

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1st ECFA Workshop on  $e^+e^-$  Higgs/EW/Top Factories



## General Purpose Monte-Carlos are the true workhorse of phenomenology





## **SHERPA**

## It is difficult to imagine particle physics without them

## **PYTHIA**

### **HERWIG**

~85% of LHC papers cite at least one of them



# Monte Carlo Talks

### Event Shapes and Jet substructure at lepton colliders

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### Parton showers from old to new paradigms

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At the ECFA workshop on e+e- colliders Hamburg | 6 October 2022









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### Photoproduction: towards NLO accuracy

First ECFA workshop at DESY, Hamburg

Peter Meinzinger 6th October 2022 IPPP, Durham University

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# Measurements to Improve Hadronization Models

Soft physics effects may dominate theory uncertainties: no first-principles theory  $\rightarrow$  **must measure!** 

### • typical observables:

<ul> <li>event shapes</li> </ul>	$\longrightarrow dy$
<ul> <li>(trust, major, minor,)</li> <li>(differential) jet multiplicities</li> </ul>	$\longrightarrow d y$
<ul> <li>(differential jet multis,)</li> <li>single-particle distributions</li> </ul>	$\longrightarrow$ dynamics, p
(x <sub>P</sub> for charged/hadron species, dependent on primary • fragmentation functions	y quarks) $\longrightarrow dy$
<ul> <li>(especially <i>B</i> fragmentation (from SLD))</li> <li>(PDG) hadron multiplicities</li> </ul>	$\longrightarrow$ popping & m
(especially K, p,; possibly also ratios w.r.t. $\pi^{\pm}$ )	

### **Frank Krauss**

### **Missing Pieces**

- 1. Gluon fragmentation
  - $g \rightarrow QQ$  splitting tricky in parton showers
- 2. The riddle of the soft photons
  - Photons number scales with neutral hadrons
- 3. BE Effects
  - Improved algorithms needed
- 4. Color Reconnections
  - How to systematically test it in  $Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow q\bar{q}$

there is a good chance that it will become a **limiting factor** for the analysis and interpretation of precise data and their uncertainties

- vnamics
- vnamics
- popping
- /namics
- ultiplets





## Photoproduction: towards NLO accuracy Peter Meinzinger



Jet Transverse momenta

- Photoproduction, i.e, γγ → X, is an important ingredient for QCD at lepton–lepton collider phenomenology, dominant process for jet production
- Simulation in Sherpa validated against LEP and HERA data, running at MEPS@LO
- Uncertainties dominated by photon PDFs
- Extension to NLO QCD using
- MC@NLO needs some attention, but is feasible

## Event Shapes and Jet substructure at lepton colliders **Daniel Reichelt**



 $\alpha_{\rm s}$  from soft drop groomed event shapes [Larkoski, Marzani, Soyez, Thaler '14]

Fits to MC data (SHERPA MEPS@NLO w/ up to 5 jets) Higher-Order understanding of grooming => smaller error bars

### **Multi-Jet Rates**

NLO+NLL' accuracy for  $y_{34}, y_{45}, y_{56}$ **Resummation plugin to SHERPA** 



[Baberuxki, Preuss, DR, Schumann '19]

# Overview Talks

## QCD for Lepton Colliders **Daniel Reichelt**

- Review of Analytical Resummation
- Recent developments in Parton Showers
- For more detail on PS, see **Simon Plätzer** talk



### Generators: Back to the Future Andrzej Siódmok

- General overview of Monte Carlos, past and present
- Recording available on the indico page

## QED Status and Benchmarking Event Generators for Lepton Colliders **Alan Price**

- Different approaches to QED radiation
- Collinear vs Soft resummation
- Update on technical Benchmarking







Tools For  $e^+e^-$ 



- Dedicated  $e^+e^- \to f\bar{f}$   $f = \mu, \tau, q$  event generator
- initial-final state interferences
- Non-soft QED complete up to 3rd order LO, NLO 2nd order, in the initial and final states
- Very precise, theory error is <0.1%
- Recently, heroic effort to rewrite to C++
- other processes e.g HZ
- Improved treatmeant of NLO-EW corrections
- BHLUMI: did not change from LEP but it was used to reanalyse LEP data[Jadach and Janot, Phys. Letters B803 (2020) 135319]

• Resumed (exponentiated) multi photon effects at the AMPLITUDE level (CEEX scheme) keeping (exponentiated)

• Next steps, adding CEEX  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^3 L^3)$  corrections, while maintaining the soft limit. Also port the resummation to

# KORALW, YFSWW

[S. Jadach, W. Placzek, M. Skrzypek, B.F.L. Ward, Z. Was]

- into KandY
- squared level (EEX)
- Tauola, JETSET
- [Eur.Phys.J.C 80 (2020) 6, 499]

## • Dedicated $e^+e^- \rightarrow W^+W^- \rightarrow f_1f_2f_3f_4$ event generators, now merged

Resumed (exponentiated) multi photon effects at the AMPLITUDE

Includes Coulomb corrections, "Naive" QCD corr, CKM, FSR Photos,

Next steps, adding CEEX style resummation, theoretical work done





[Denner, A., Dittmaier, S., Roth, M., & Wackeroth, D.]

- generator
- ISR resummed via Collinear resummation
- Includes Coulomb corrections
- Important check for WW physics => Two independent MC

## RacoonWW

## • Dedicated $e^+e^- \to W^+W^- \to 4f$ and $e^+e^- \to W^+W^- \to 4f\gamma$ event



- Dedicated  $e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-, \mu^+\mu^-, \gamma\gamma$
- ISR by collinear resummation at LL and matched to NLO QED
- Final state photons are fully exclusive
- Future work to include NNLO QED and NLO EW effects

## BabaYaga [Balossini, Bignamini, Carloni Calame, Lunardini, Montagna, Nicrosini, Piccinini]

- NLO for both QCD and EW.
- ISR via collinear resummation. LL pdfs but NLL on the way
- single photon emission from ISR.
- Beam dynamics via CIRCE interface
- NLO EW calculations at lepton collisions with beam polarisations
- Planned improvement to multi-photon emissions: PS + YFS

# WHIZARD

[Kilian, Ohl, Reuter, Brass, Bredt, Kreher, Rothe, Stienemeier, Strieg]]

Photon kinematics: Inclusive in ISR, exact in hard process and optional



## Madgraph5 aMC@NLO [Alwall, Frederix, Frixione, Hirschi, Maltoni, Mattelaer, Pagani, Shao, Stelzer, Torrielli, Zaro, Zhao]

- NLO for both QCD and EW.
- ISR via collinear resummation. State of the art NLL
- Photon kinematics: Inclusive in ISR, exact in hard process
- Beam dynamics simulation based on GuineaPig results
- NLO+NLL predictions completed.



- Two options for QED radiation
  - Dipole shower combined with LL electron PDF
  - Automised YFS (EEX) resummation for  $e^+e^-$
  - NNLO QED and NLO EW corrections to decays
- Next steps: Automise NLO-EW + YFS corrections, include photon splittings  $\gamma \rightarrow ff$
- Photoproduction see Peter Meinzinger
- Importantly, independent YFS MC from the Krakow MC  $\bullet$
- One Author dedicated to  $e^+e^-$  (funding dependent)

## Sherpa

[Bothmann, Chahal, Höche, Krauss, Napoletano, Price, Schönherr, Schumann, Siegert]



- MC are far from being ready for future lepton colliders
  - But, we still have a lot of time. Personally, I believe we will reach the required perturbative accuracy
  - Hadronization will be a bottle neck
- Recent developments for  $e^+e^-$  physics gives us a lot to be hopeful for

# Outlook