# Energy driven results at the Muon Collider

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## High energy probes

Consider the SM as an Effective Theory



Higher collider **energy**  $\rightarrow$  Higher **reach** on new physics

# High energy probes

Muon collider can **indirectly** probe energies much higher than the collision energies

$$\frac{\Delta O_{\rm BSM}}{O_{\rm SM}} \sim \frac{E^2}{\Lambda^2}$$

1% at 
$$E = 10$$
 TeV  $\implies \Lambda \sim 100$  TeV

**Caveat**: achieving percent precision requires theoretical control of EW radiation

In particular Sudakov Double Logs

$$\frac{\alpha_w}{4\pi} \log^2 \frac{E^2}{m_W^2} \sim 0.25 \text{ at } 10 \text{ TeV}$$

Double logs require **resummation** 

#### **EW Sudakov at the MuCol**

Electroweak Double Logs are **special** 

- The EW group is **non-abelian** and **spontaneously broken**:
  - Double Logs do **not cancel out** even for inclusive observables
  - Initial/final states are **not** EW **singlets**
- EW theory is **weakly coupled**
- IR cutoff ( $m_W$ ) is **physical**
- Double Logs are **extremely large** at a Muon Collider

Several different independent and calculable observables can be measured varying the level of "inclusiveness"

BN Theorem violation Ciafaloni, Ciafaloni, Comelli (2000)

### Which observables?

We consider two representative observables for which we know how to perform the DL resummation



- Two hard final particles with definite EW color
- Veto on soft/collinear EW radiation
- Inclusive on soft photons/gluons



- Two hard final particles with definite EW color
- All **radiation** is **allowed** (up to some hardness threshold)
- "Semi" since we don't sum over external legs colors

#### **IREE strategy**

Our resummation strategy is based on an InfraRed Evolution Equation (IREE)

Fadin, Lipatov, Martin, Melles, 1999

$$\lambda=E^2$$
 Born obs. 
$$\label{eq:kappa}$$
 IREE 
$$\lambda=m_W^2 ~~ \underset{\mbox{obs.}}{\mbox{Resummed}}$$

- Introduce an unphysical IR cutoff  $\lambda$ 

$$\lambda < \min \left| \frac{(k_i \cdot q)(k_j \cdot q)}{(k_i \cdot k_j)} \right|$$

• Compute derivative of the observable wrt  $\lambda$  through **diagrammatic** techniques

$$\frac{d}{d\lambda}\mathcal{O}^{\lambda} = \mathcal{K} \cdot \mathcal{O}^{\lambda}$$

• Solve the IREE with the **boundary condition** 

$$\mathcal{O}^{\lambda=E^2} \equiv \mathcal{O}^{\mathrm{Born}}$$

#### **Exclusive observables**

Exclusive on EW radiation, but inclusive on soft photons



#### **Semi-inclusive observables**



#### **Effect of Double and Single Logs**



Single-Logs (virtual only) added at fixed-order from Denner, Pozzorini (2000)

#### **Radiation for BSM**

Thanks to the large double logs processes with soft emission become as likely as processes allowed at tree-level



### **Energy Growing effects**

To recap, we considered the following 2  $\rightarrow$  2 processes

	Exclusive	Semi-Inclusive	Semi-Inclusive (charged)
Difermion	$\mu\mu \to l\bar{l} \qquad \mu\mu \to q\bar{q}$	$\mu\mu \to l\bar{l} + X \qquad \mu\mu \to q\bar{q} + X$	$\mu\mu \to l\nu + X \qquad \mu\mu \to u\bar{d} + X$
Diboson	$\mu\mu \to Zh  \mu\mu \to WW$	$\mu\mu \to Zh + X  \mu\mu \to WW + X$	$\mu\mu \to Wh + X  \mu\mu \to WZ + X$

Analytic expressions for the cross sections and Mathematica notebook for DL Resummation available

https://github.com/aglioti/muColSudakov

Some things are still WIP, will be finalized soon

#### **Results on effective operators**

**Diboson & Dilepton** 



#### **Results on effective operators**



#### **Reach on BSM models**



#### Flavor at MuCol

We can apply the same strategy on **flavor-violating** 4-fermion operators

For example, the famous **bsµµ contact interaction** can be probed by



Even in this case we can exploit the **energy growth** to probe higher new physics scales

However, no (or small) interference with SM  $ightarrow ~\delta\sigma/\sigma_{
m SM} \sim E^4/\Lambda^4$ 

NP reach is comparable with low energy precision measurements

The MuCol is also a flavor machine!

#### Flavor at MuCol



Different final states probe the parameter space in different directions

This analysis for now only contains the exclusive predictions

Adding also semi-inclusive and charged states would improve the bounds even more (WIP)

#### Flavor: high vs low energy



#### Conclusions

- A 10 TeV Muon Collider can indirectly probe New Physics up to 100+ TeV
- Large radiation effect allows to probe New Physics in a richer way compared to tree-level prediction
- This also extends to **flavor violating observables**, where the Muon Collider is competitive with other specific experiments
- Furthermore, the study of EW radiation is an amazing playground of fundamental QFT questions

A lot of physics to be done!