# **Proton Structure in the LHC Era**

Welcome and Remarks from the Analysis Centre

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### WELCOME ...

- to the third "PDF school" of the Analysis Centre after 2008 and 2009.
  - Schools organised by the Analysis Centre were always considered one of the strong points of the Alliance "Physics at the Terascale".
- ... to three days of lectures, tutorials, and discussions.
  - Plus a PROSA meeting (Tuesday, 8:00 pm).
- > ... to Hamburg ...
  - Maybe you have some time and good wheather to enjoy the city?
  - I assume that of those not based in Hamburg most have already been to Hamburg (and DESY) before. Who is here for the first time?



### **ALLIANCE "PHYSICS AT THE TERASCALE"**

### From the Alliance proposal (2007):

In order to optimally place German particle physics in an increasingly global environment, it is now the right moment to create new and improved structures for particle physics in Germany.

The Strategic Helmholtz Alliance 'Physics at the Terascale' is a structured research network comprising 18 universities, 2 Helmholtz institutes and 1 Max Planck Institute. The Alliance acts as a tool for a more effective collaboration, in particular between experimentalists and theorists.



# THE ANALYSIS CENTRE

#### **Physics at the Terascale**

	Physics Analysis	Grid Computing	Detector Science	Accelerator Science				
oals	Data Analysis  • Understanding LHC Detectors  • Physics at the LHC  • The path to the ILC	Improved Grid  • Virtualization  • Application-driven monitoring  • Development of NAF tools	ILC Detectors  • Vertex Detector  • Tracking  • Calorimetry	Optimizing the ILC  • Acceleration Technology  • Sources  • Beam Dynamics				
Scientific Goals	Analysis Tools	Data Storage + Retrieval • Mass storage	• Forward Detectors  (s)LHC Detectors • Vertex Detectors					
Scie	Theory/Phenomenology • Monte Carlo Generators • Precise Predictions • New Models	Data Access	Tracking     Trigger     Luminosity Monitor					
Work Packages	Analysis Network     Alliance Working Groups     Monte Carlo Stroup     Virtual Theory Institute	Virtual Computing Centre • Tier 2 • National Analysis Facility • High performance network	Virtual Detector Lab  • VLSI & Electronics  • Support Sensor Design & Characterization  • Detectors Systems Support	Advancing Accelerator Science				
	Analysis Centre at DESY	N&D on Grid Tools:  • Mass storage	Dolodoro Cysterno Capport					
		Ollaborative & Interactive tools User friendliness	R&D Projects	R&D Projects				
	Training and Exchange	Grid Training						
	Backbone Activities  Management – Young Investigator Groups - Fellowships – Equal Opportunities – Outreach – Interim Professorships							



### THE ANALYSIS CENTRE

- 1. Member support (MC, statistics, PDFs, etc.)
- 2. "Education": Schools, workshops, ...
- 3. Networking; definition and exploitation of synergies
- 4. Contributions to the LHC programme

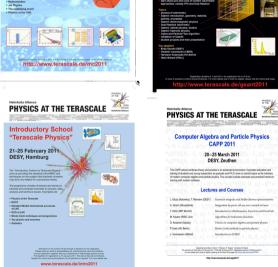


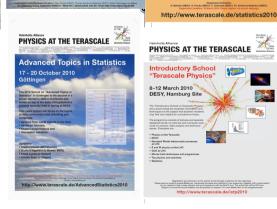
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#### **OTHER ACTIVITIES**

- Analysis Centre seminar on relevant issues, somewhat orthogonal to standard seminars.
- Workshops on any topic of relevance and interest.
- "Theorist of the week" programme at DESY and elsewhere.
- Analysis Centre studentships allowing students to enrich their CVs with one more topic they have worked on for a limited time, supported by the Analysis Centre
- Guest support
- **>** ...



### **FUTURE OF THE ALLIANCE**

- The "Terascale Alliance" comes to an end in 2012.
- During the past 5.5 years, HGF has supported the Alliance with 25 MEU.
- Future support much diminshed, will finally become part of DESY base funding.
- School and workshop programme will continue, largely funded by DESY.
- Your wishes and input vital please let us know what you think we should organise!!!



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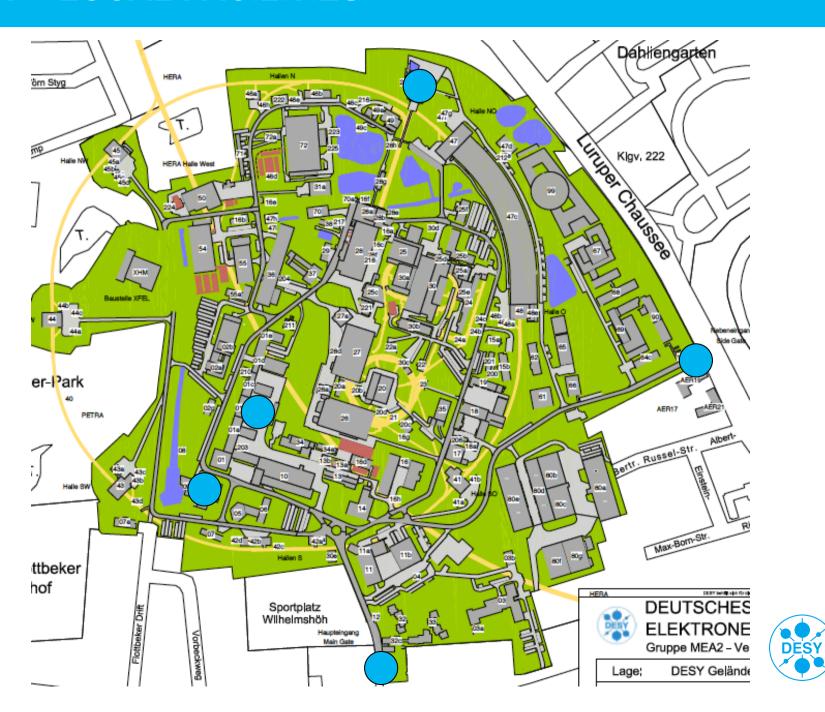
# **APC 2012**

Proton Structure in the LHC Era from Monday 22 October 2012 (08:00) to Wednesday 24 October 2012 (18:00)						: Sessions / : Talks : Breaks	
	Monday 22 October 2012		Tuesday 23 October 2012		Wednesday 24 October 2012		
AM	09:00	Lecture: QCD factorisation - Sergey Alekhin (Institute for High Energy Physics (Protvino, Russia))	09:00	Lecture and tutorial: FastNLO - Klaus Rabbertz (University of Karlsruhe) Daniel Britzger	09:30	Lecture: LHC measurements relevant for PDFs	
10:00 Lecture: PDF de		Lecture: PDF determinations and their ingredients - A. Cooper-Sarkar (Oxford)	10:30	Coffee break	10:30	Coffee break	
		Slides Amanda Cooper-Sarkar (Oxford University)		Lecture and tutorial: ApplGrid - Pavel Starovoltov (DESY) Mark Sutton	11:00	Tutorial: Including additional measurements - Krzysztof Nowak (DESY)	
	11:00	Coffee break	12:30	Lunch break	12:30	Lunch break	
	11:30	1:30 Lecture: Comparing data and theory at the LHC - judith katzy (desy)					
	12:30	Lunch break					
PM	14:00	Lecture: QCD evolution with QCDNUM - Botje Michiel (NIKHEF)	14:00	:00 Lecture and tutorial: OPENQCDRad -		Discussion of results and school closing	
	14:45	Lecture: PDF reweighting - Alberto Guffanti (University of Freiburg)		Sergey Alekhin (Institute for High Energy Physics (Protvino, Russia))			
	15:30	Coffee break	15:30	Coffee break			
	16:00	Lecture and tutorial: QCD fit tools - HERAFitter: overview and examples - Voica Radescu (DESY) Ringaile Placakyte (Desy-Atlas)	16:00	Lecture and Tutorial: Uncertainty treatment in PDFs - Alexander Glazov (DESY)			

Tuesday, 20:00 – SR 5: PROSA meeting!



# **DESY – LOCAL FACILITIES**



### OTHER PRACTICAL INFORMATION, REQUESTS

- Please keep your laptops shut during lectures this is a question of courtesy towards the speaker.
- Please fill in the feedback questionnaires we will and out on Friday they will help us to improve!
- In case of (organisational) questions, don't hesitate to ask me or our secretaries (DESY phone numbers 4453, 3429, 93429)
- Listen, work, discuss and enjoy!
- Virtual machine images available on memore sticks later (still working)
  - Hope all goes well maybe some workarounds needed here and there.



### THANKS TO ...

- > ... to your home institutes
  - ... for contributing to the budget and sending you here!
- ... to the Helmholtz Alliance
  - ... for the money and the framework!
- > ... to all lecturers and tutors
  - for their immense work!
- ... and finally to all people behind the scenery which are necessary to put things in place:
  - Secretaries, technicians, IT, ...

