



Frequency of e^+ helicity reversal

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Status

- with baseline design e+ with >30% polarization
- need reversal of e- AND e+ helicity for measurements

Action items from Zeuthen meeting

- justify the need for 5Hz spin flipping
- justify ability to reverse
- spin rotation @ 400 MeV design
- scheme to destroy polarization completely



Minimal Machine: Running Strategy

Physics between 200 GeV and 500 GeV

Luminosity: Year 1-4: $L_{int} = 500 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

Energy stability and precision below 0.1%

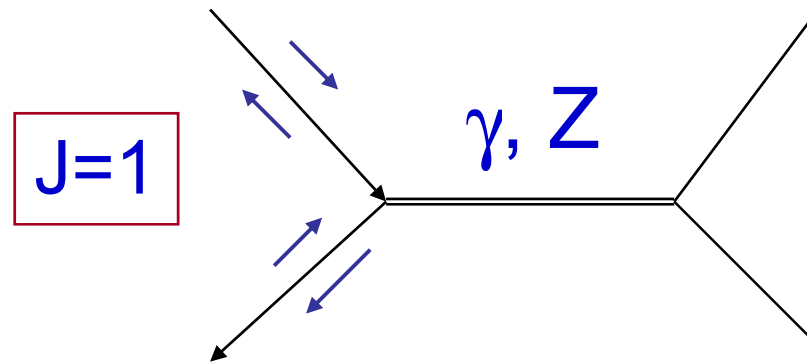
$\rightarrow ee \rightarrow HZ$	at 350 GeV (mH \approx 120 GeV)	few 10^4
$ee \rightarrow tt$	at 350 GeV	10^5
$ee \rightarrow qq (\mu\mu)$	at 500 GeV	$5 \cdot 10^5$ ($1 \cdot 10^5$)
$ee \rightarrow WW$	at 500 GeV	10^6

\rightarrow statistical uncertainties at per-mille level !!

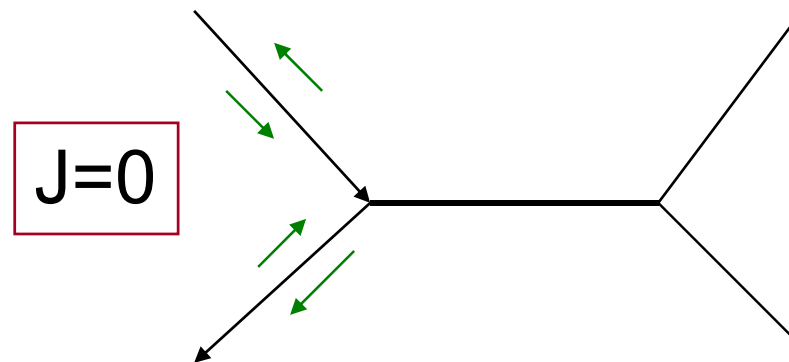
Uncertainties:
$$\Delta\sigma \propto \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \oplus \frac{\Delta L}{L} \oplus \frac{\Delta E}{E} \oplus \frac{\Delta P}{P} \longrightarrow \mathcal{O}(10^{-3})$$

Processes to be measured:

$ee \rightarrow ff, tt$
 $ee \rightarrow WW$



but not





s-channel cross sections with pol e+ beams

Can perform independent measurements

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \sigma_{++} &= \frac{1}{4} \sigma_u \left[1 + P_{e^+} P_{e^-} + A_{LR} (+ P_{e^+} + P_{e^-}) \right] \\ \sigma_{--} &= \frac{1}{4} \sigma_u \left[1 + P_{e^+} P_{e^-} + A_{LR} (- P_{e^+} - P_{e^-}) \right] \end{aligned} \right\} = 0 \text{ (SM) if both beams } \\ \text{100\% polarized}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \sigma_{-+} &= \frac{1}{4} \sigma_u \left[1 - P_{e^+} P_{e^-} + A_{LR} (- P_{e^+} + P_{e^-}) \right] \\ \sigma_{+-} &= \frac{1}{4} \sigma_u \left[1 - P_{e^+} P_{e^-} + A_{LR} (+ P_{e^+} - P_{e^-}) \right] \end{aligned} \right\}$$

Standard Model
s-channel

$$P_{e^+} = 0 \quad \sigma_u = \frac{1}{2} (\sigma_+ + \sigma_-)$$

$P_{e^+} > 0$: enhancement $\sim (1 + P_{e^-} P_{e^+})$
 For (80%, ~30%):
 25% gain in effective luminosity

$$\sigma_u = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma_{+-} + \sigma_{-+}}{1 + |P_{e^-} P_{e^+}|}$$



s-channel asymmetries with pol e+ beams

s-channel measurements

$$\sigma_{-+} = \frac{1}{4} \sigma_u \left[1 - P_{e^+} P_{e^-} + A_{LR} (-P_{e^-} + P_{e^+}) \right]$$

$$\sigma_{+-} = \frac{1}{4} \sigma_u \left[1 - P_{e^+} P_{e^-} + A_{LR} (+P_{e^-} - P_{e^+}) \right]$$

Standard Model
s-channel

Left-Right asymmetry

$$A_{LR} = \frac{\sigma_{-+} - \sigma_{+-}}{\sigma_{-+} + \sigma_{+-}} \cdot \frac{1 - P_{e^-} P_{e^+}}{-P_{e^-} + P_{e^+}}$$

P_{eff}

Error propagation

$$\rightarrow \frac{\Delta P_{eff}}{P_{eff}} < \frac{\Delta P_e}{P_e}$$



- Left-Right Asymmetry is a ‘robust’ quantity, most systematic effects cancel if

- equal luminosities delivered to + and – helicities
- equal polarization for + and – helicities

Both realized at SLC due to fast random helicity flip

$$A_{LR} = \frac{\sigma_- - \sigma_+}{\sigma_- + \sigma_+} \cdot \frac{1}{P_{e^-}} \cong \frac{N_- - N_+}{N_- + N_+} \cdot \frac{1}{P_{e^-}}$$

- ILC:

$$A_{LR} \cong \frac{N_{-+} - N_{+-}}{N_{-+} + N_{+-}} \cdot \frac{1 + P_{e^-} P_{e^+}}{P_{e^-} + P_{e^+}}$$

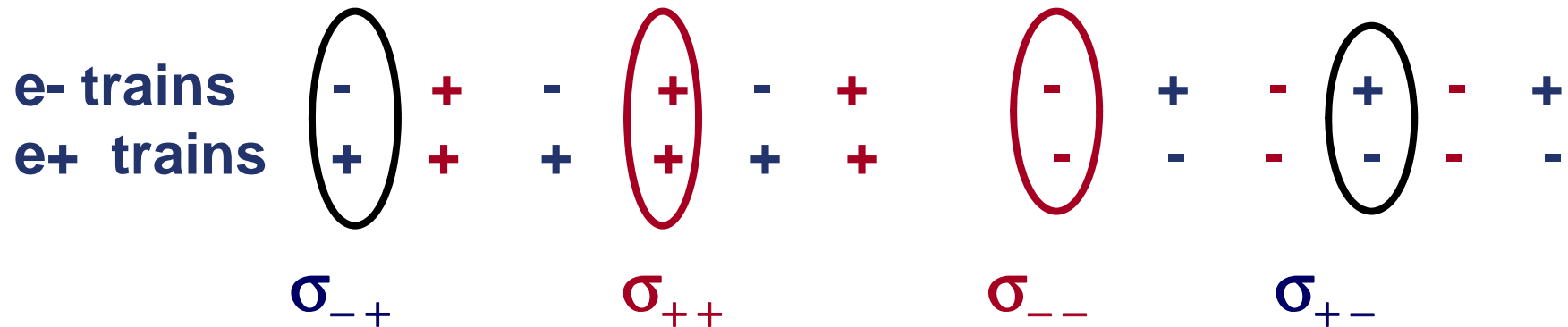
$$\sigma = \frac{N}{\varepsilon \cdot L}$$

In principle easy.... but...



e+ Helicity Reversal

e+ helicity flip less frequent than e- helicity reversal



- 50% spent to 'inefficient' helicity pairing σ_{--} and σ_{++}
gain due to xs enhancement $(1+P_{e^-}P_{e^+})$ for J=1 processes
with e+ pol is lost!!
- Have to combine σ_{-+} and σ_{+-} measured in different runs
with different luminosities



Slow helicity reversal

- measure N_{+-} and N_{-+} in different runs with different P_{e+} and P_{e-} and different luminosities L_{+-} and L_{-+}

→ Additional uncertainty for averaged effective polarization

→ Additional (systematic) uncertainty for combination of runs

$$\sigma_{-+ / +-} = \frac{(N_{-+ / +-}^S - N_{-+ / +-}^{Bgr})}{L_{-+ / +-}} = \frac{N_{-+ / +-}}{L_{-+ / +-}} = f(P_{e+}^{-+ / +-}; P_{e-}^{-+ / +-})$$

$$A_{LR} = \frac{N_{-+} \cdot \langle 1 - P_{e-}^{+-} P_{e+}^{+-} \rangle L_{+-} - N_{+-} \cdot \langle 1 - P_{e-}^{-+} P_{e+}^{-+} \rangle L_{-+}}{N_{-+} \cdot \langle -P_{e-}^{-+} + P_{e+}^{-+} \rangle L_{+-} + N_{+-} \cdot \langle -P_{e-}^{+-} + P_{e+}^{+-} \rangle L_{-+}}$$



Slow helicity reversal

unpolarized cross section:

$$\sigma_u \sim \frac{N_{-+} \langle -P_{e^-}^{+-} + P_{e^+}^{+-} \rangle L_{+-} + N_{+-} \langle -P_{e^-}^{-+} + P_{e^+}^{-+} \rangle L_{-+}}{\langle -P_{e^-}^{+-} + P_{e^+}^{+-} \rangle L_{+-} \cdot \langle 1 - P_{e^-}^{-+} P_{e^+}^{-+} \rangle L_{-+} + \langle -P_{e^-}^{-+} + P_{e^+}^{-+} \rangle L_{-+} \cdot \langle 1 - P_{e^-}^{+-} P_{e^+}^{+-} \rangle L_{+-}}$$

- systematic errors have to be known and small
 - time dependent intensity/polarisation tolerances
 - $P_{e^-} \cdot P_{e^+} \Leftrightarrow$ need to understand correlations
- Need long-term stability at the level of (few) 10^{-3}



Fast helicity reversal

→ 'unbiased' combination of all runs

$$A_{LR} = \frac{N_{-+} - N_{+-}}{N_{-+} + N_{+-}} \cdot \frac{\langle 1 - P_{e^-} P_{e^+} \rangle}{\langle -P_{e^-} + P_{e^+} \rangle}$$

$$\sigma_u \sim \frac{N_{+-} - N_{-+}}{L \cdot \langle 1 - P_{e^+} P_{e^-} \rangle}$$

Polarization measurement possible with $\Delta P_{e^+,e^-} \sim 0.25\%$



Pro's and con's for fast reversal

Pro's

- Higher effective luminosity
- Control of systematic effects
- Smaller error for eff. polarization
- High flexibility for new physics beyond the Standard Model \leftrightarrow results from LHC
- Essential for GigaZ (random heli choice minimizes systematic effects)

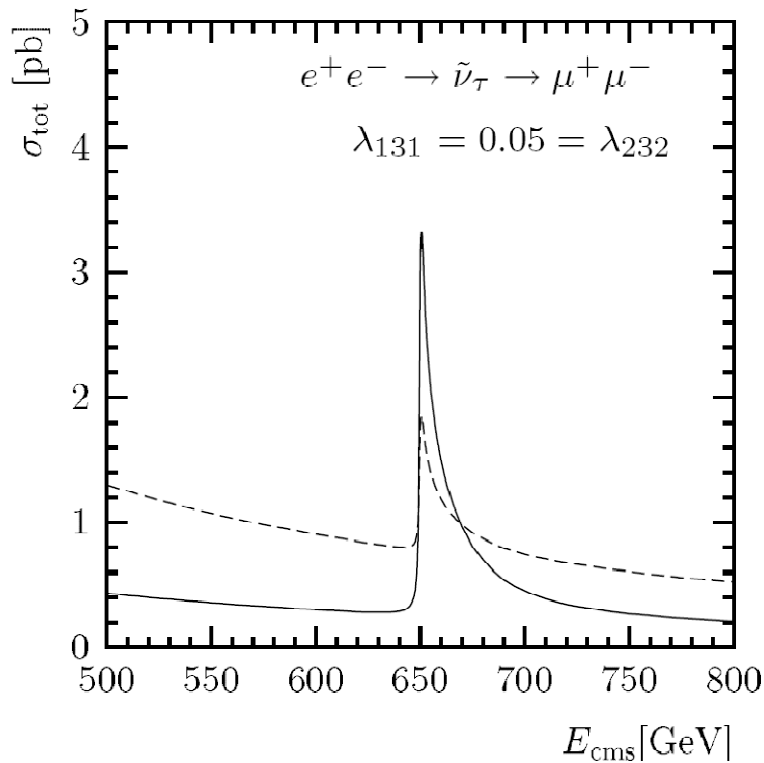
Con's

- More easy
- Stability of machine (RDR) should allow slow reversal:
Remaining systematic errors should be small, polarisation and lumi can be monitored and measured with high accuracy

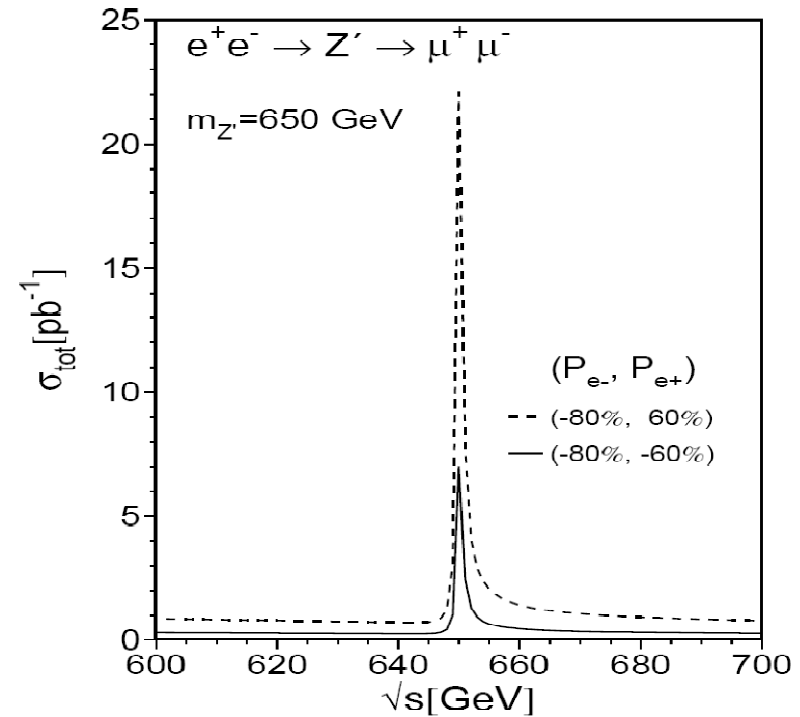


Disentangle new physics with $e^+ pol$

Enhance/suppress new physics \rightarrow differentiate models



$J=0$ (*s*-channel sneutrino)

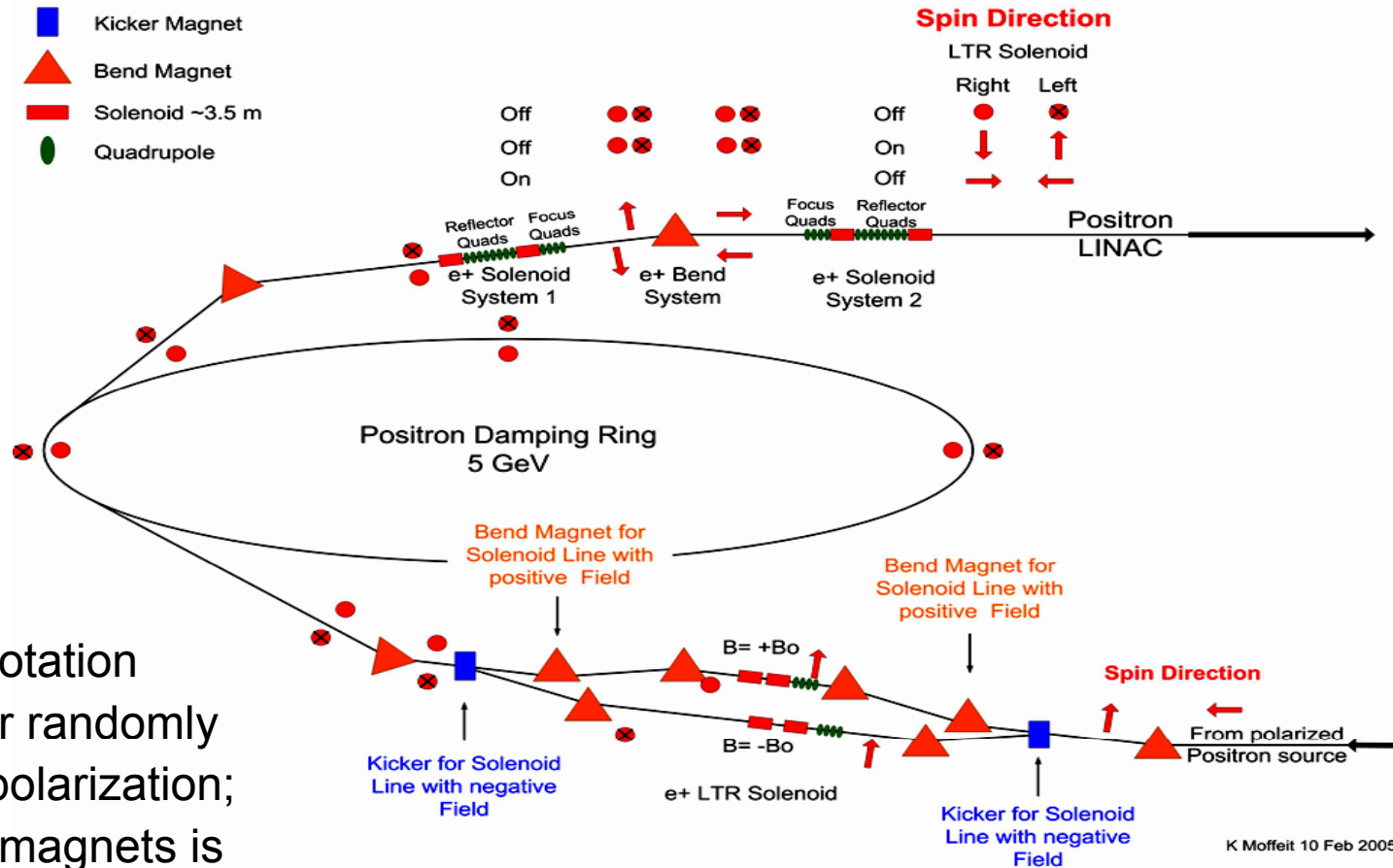


$J=1$ (Z')



Spin rotation and helicity reversal @ 5GeV

K. Moffeit et al., SLAC-TN-05-045 → fast reversal before DR (5 GeV)

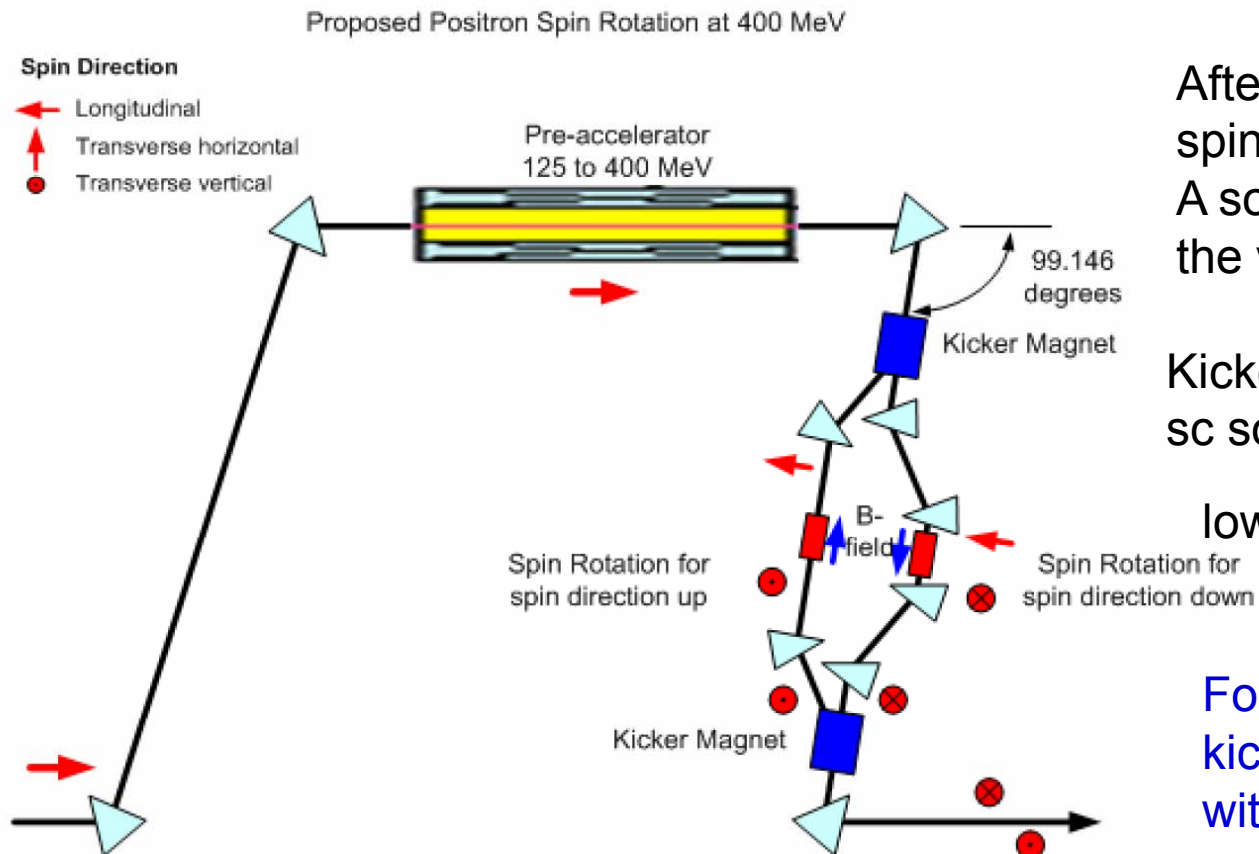


parallel spin rotation
beam lines for randomly
selecting e+ polarization;
pair of kicker magnets is
turned on between pulse-trains



Spin rotation and helicity reversal @ 400 MeV

New proposal: K. Moffeit, M. Woods, Walz, ILC-NOTE-2008-040
→ Fast reversal at ~400 MeV



After bend of 99.146 degrees spins are transverse.
A solenoid will rotate spin to the vertical:

Kicker → 2 parallel lines with sc solenoids for fast rotation

low syst. errors ↔ random kicks

For high effective lumi
kicker must be 'in phase'
with e- helicity flip

Figure 5: Layout of proposed positron spin rotation systems in the Chicane for the Pre-accelerator. Kicker magnets and parallel spin rotator beamlines allow fast polarization reversals for the positron beam.

- Has not highest priority in ILC schedule
- Is important for checks of
 - **electroweak symmetry breaking ($\sin^2\theta_W$)**
 - **Understanding of LHC results ?**
- Need all four combinations $\sigma_{+/-+}$ $\sigma_{\pm\pm}$ to determine simultaneously A_{LR} and effective polarization
- Calibration data?
 - **Gudi's talk**
 - **discussion at Warsaw meeting**



Summary

- With fast helicity reversal
 - ‘in phase’ with electrons → increase of lumi (>25%),
 - smaller systematic uncertainties
 - smaller pol error
 - best flexibility for new physics
- Large syst. uncertainties with slow helicity reversal could reduce physics output substantially
 - **Realistic stability (Lumi, Pol) in ILC ?**
- GigaZ: does not work with slow helicity flipping
- Next steps:
 - **realistic evaluation of uncertainties ⇔ take into account instabilities, fluctuations in models**
 - **Check whether 400 MeV reversal works for realistic beam**
- ideas to destroy e⁺ polarization → see Larisa



'Slow' vs. 'fast' helicity reversal

no reversal

→ **wrong strategy for measurements**

Better, but poor men solution: destroy e⁺ polarization

→ **Polarimeter needed to verify $P_{e^+} = 0$**

Better: keep e⁺ with 'slow' helicity reversal

→ **systematic bias between runs ?**

→ **larger uncertainties**

Best: Fast reversal as for electrons

- High lumi
- Small errors, controlled systematics
- Flexible to study physics beyond the Standard Model