

Higgs BR study at 250 and 350 GeV

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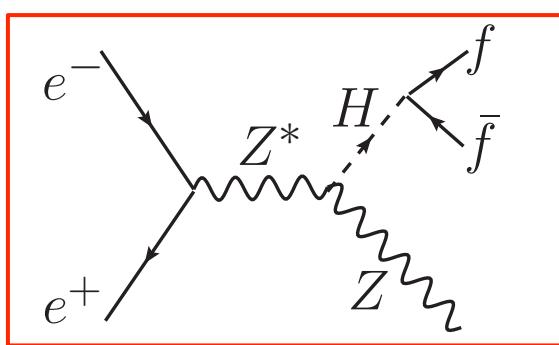
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Higgs Branching ratios study

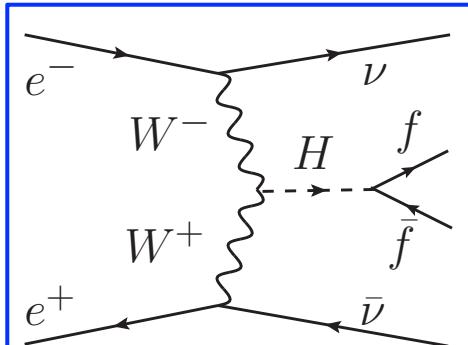
Zh BRs measurement is an important task on ILC

250 GeV: Zh (Higgs-strahlung) dominant ($\sigma_{\text{Zh}} \times \text{BR}$)

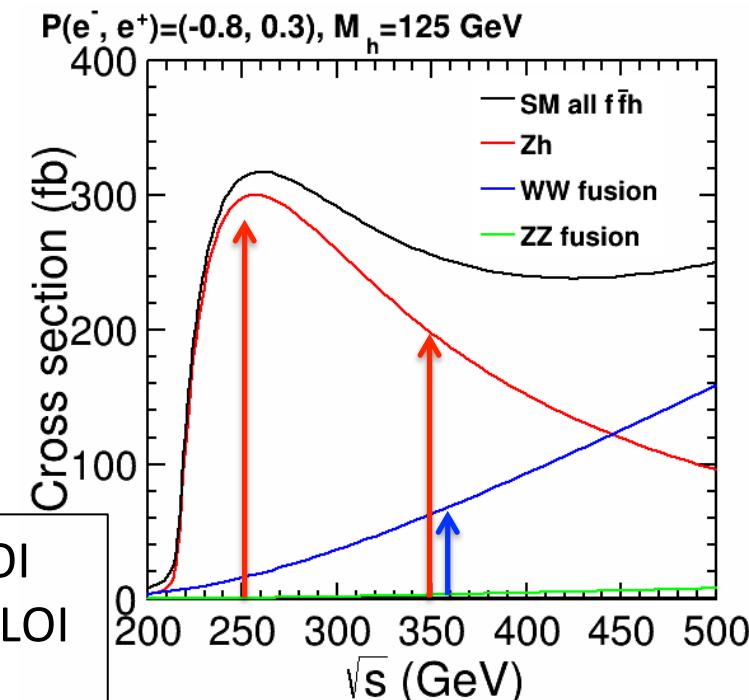
350 GeV: Zh + WW-fusion ($\sigma_{\text{Zh}} + \sigma_{\text{WW}} \times \text{BR}$)



Zh (Higgs-strahlung)



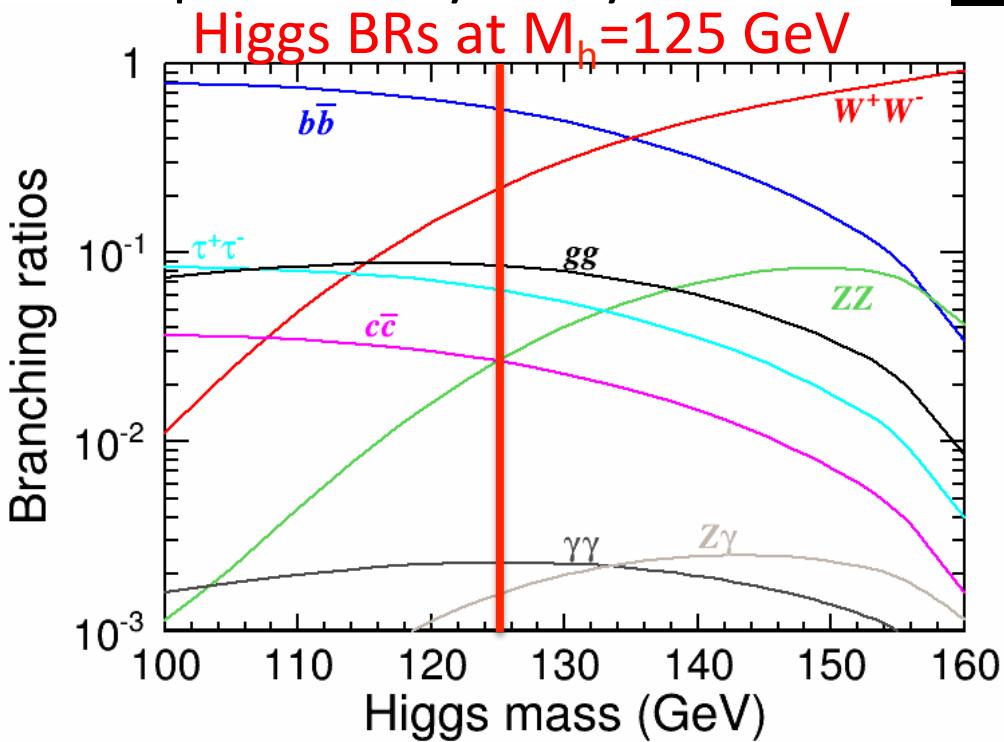
WW-fusion



- Zh with $M_h = 120$ GeV (250, 350 GeV): done at LOI
- vvh with $M_h = 120$ GeV @500 GeV: done at post LOI
- $M_h = 125$ GeV at 1 TeV: done at DBD
- 250 and 350 GeV are on-going (re-do post DBD)

Higgs BR study in ILC

- Determine absolute Higgs BR (σ_{Zh} model independent measurement)
- Complementary study with LHC in Higgs hadronic decay channel



High precision measurement in
Higgs hadronic decay channel

$h \rightarrow bb$ obtain best precision in ILC
with largest BR, B-tagging

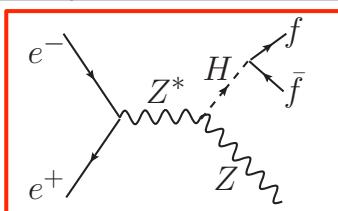
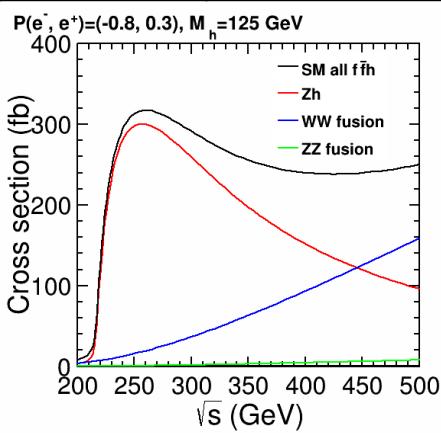
$h \rightarrow cc, gg$ are expected to measure
in ILC

| BR | M _h | bb | cc | gg | π | WW | ZZ | $\gamma\gamma$ | Z γ | $\mu\mu$ |
|---------|----------------|-------|------|------|-------|-------|------|----------------|------------|----------|
| Pythia | 120 GeV | 65.7% | 3.6% | 5.5% | 8.0% | 15.0% | 1.7% | 0.3% | 0.1% | 0.03% |
| LHCXSWG | 125 GeV | 57.8% | 2.7% | 8.6% | 6.4% | 21.6% | 2.7% | 0.2% | 0.2% | 0.02% |

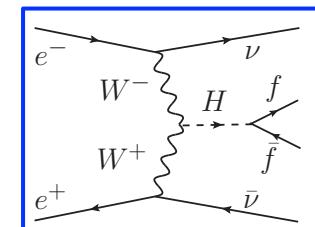
Signal ($M_h=125$ GeV) and BGs

| E_{cm} | 250 GeV | 350 GeV |
|--------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Signal | $\sigma (-0.8, +0.3)$ | $\sigma (-0.8, +0.3)$ |
| vvh | 77.5 | 98.7 |
| qqh | 210.2 | 138.9 |
| eeh | 10.9 | 10.2 |
| $\mu\mu h$ | 10.4 | 6.9 |
| $\tau\tau h$ | 10.4 | 6.9 |
| Total | 319.4 | 261.5 |

| SM BGs | 250 GeV | 350 GeV |
|----------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Signal | $\sigma (-0.8, +0.3)$ | $\sigma (-0.8, +0.3)$ |
| 2f | 1.2×10^5 | 7.2×10^4 |
| 4f | 4.1×10^5 | 3.1×10^4 |
| 6f | Not considered | 1.4×10^2 |
| 1f_3f | 1.3×10^6 | 1.6×10^6 |
| aa_2f/4f | 5.8×10^5 | 9.6×10^5 |
| tt | None | 827.3 |



Zh: Hiroaki Ono
250, 350 GeV



vvh (WW-fusion): Felix Müller (DESY)
350 GeV

250 and 350 GeV analysis

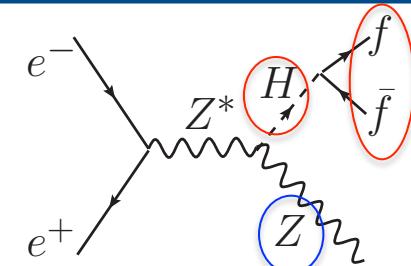
Higgs mass: **125 GeV**

$E_{cm}=250 \text{ GeV}$: $L=250 \text{ fb}^{-1}$, $P(e^-, e^+) = (-0.8, +0.3)$

$E_{cm}=350 \text{ GeV}$: $L=330 \text{ fb}^{-1}$, $P(e^-, e^+) = (-0.8, +0.3)$

Events are categorized by Z decay: $e^+e^- \rightarrow vvh, qqh, llh$

Major SM BGs: $ee \rightarrow WW/ZZ$ (2f, 3f, 4f, aa, and 6f, tt for 350 GeV)



Jet clustering and flavor tagging

Felix apply kt jet clustering
for $\gamma\gamma \rightarrow \text{hadron BG}$



Event selection and background reduction

Felix implements MVA cuts



Estimate σBR accuracy with flavor templates, Missing mass

Evaluate σBR with flavor template fitting

Felix will add Missing mass
for WW-fusion evaluation

vvh analysis procedure (H.Ono)

Apply **forced two-jet clustering** after the LCFIPlus vertex tag

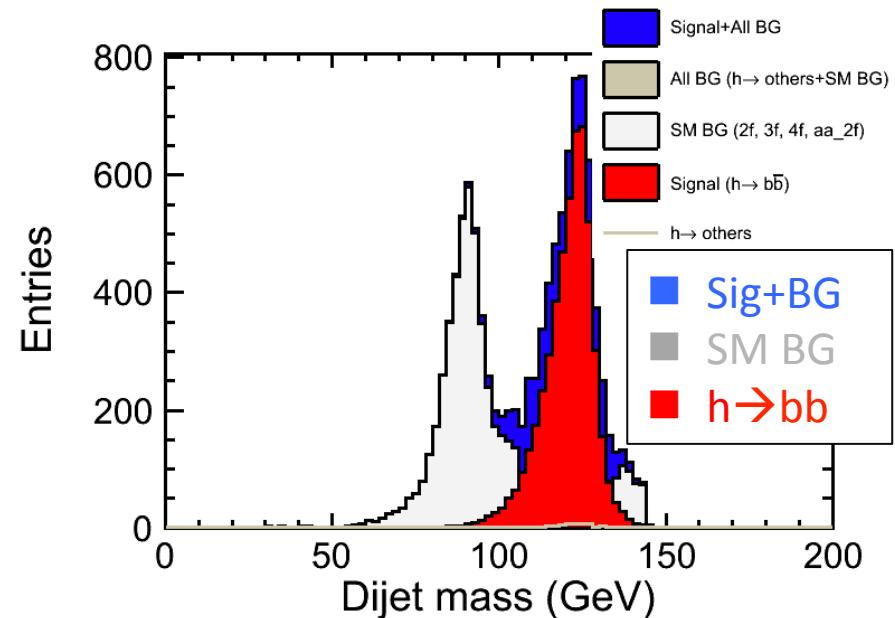
vvh cut flow 250 GeV (for 350 GeV)

1. $30 < P_t < 100$ GeV (150 GeV)
2. $|P_z| < 60$ GeV (130 GeV)
3. NPFOs > 30
4. $100 < E_{\text{vis}} < 150$ GeV (120< E_{vis} <200)
5. $80 < M_{\text{miss}} < 120$ GeV (230 GeV)
6. Thrust > 0.8 (No thrust for 350 GeV)
7. $-\log_{10}(Y_{34}) > 2.0$
8. $-\log_{10}(Y_{23}) > 1.5$
9. $110 < M_{\text{vis}} < 140$ GeV
10. LR>0.35 (0.5)

LR inputs

Missing mass, NPFOs
 $-\log_{10}(Y_{12})$, $\cos\theta_{\text{thrust}}$, Thrust, M_h

Visible mass with b-tagging



Significance: $S/\sqrt{S+B} = 51.2$ (67.3)
Efficiency ($h \rightarrow 2j$) = 39.7% (46.3%)

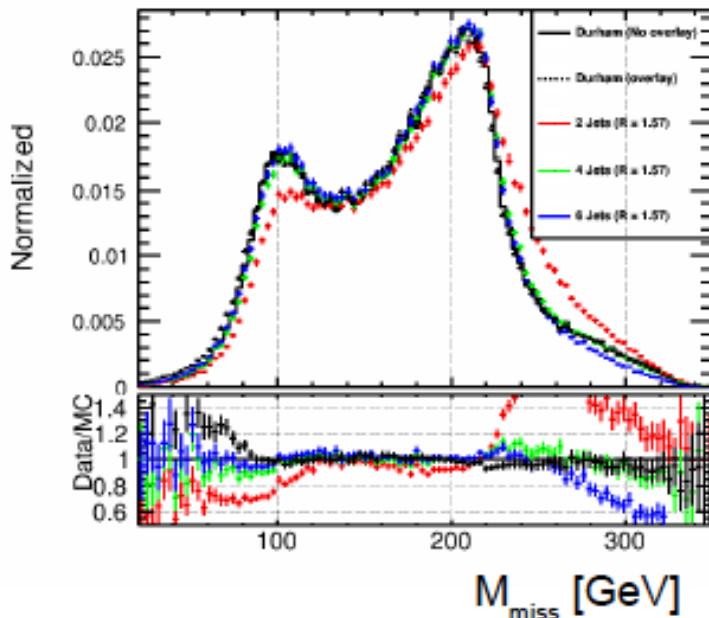
Reconstruction Strategy vvh @350 GeV Felix Müller

- > **vvh → 2 Jets + Missing Mass**
- > FastJetProcessor to remove $\gamma\gamma$ -overlay
 - kt algorithm, R value 1.5, 4 exclusive jets
- > Uncluster the 4 jets and use Durham to cluster the particles in 2 jets
- > Use LCFIPlus for flavor tagging
- > Evaluate flavor likeness X_i of the event ($i=b,c,bc$)

$$X_i = \frac{x_{i1}x_{i2}}{x_{i1}x_{i2} + (1-x_{i1})(1-x_{i2})}$$

with x_i the flavor tag of the single jets

- > Event selection with cut analysis and BDT
- > Template fit to the flavor likeness of the Higgs di-jets



Missing mass distribution
kt jet clustering is optimized

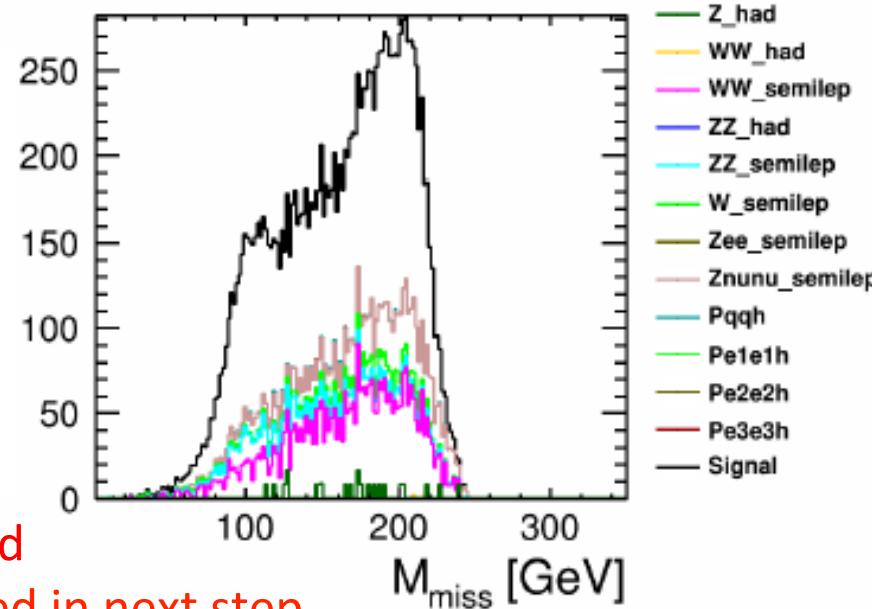
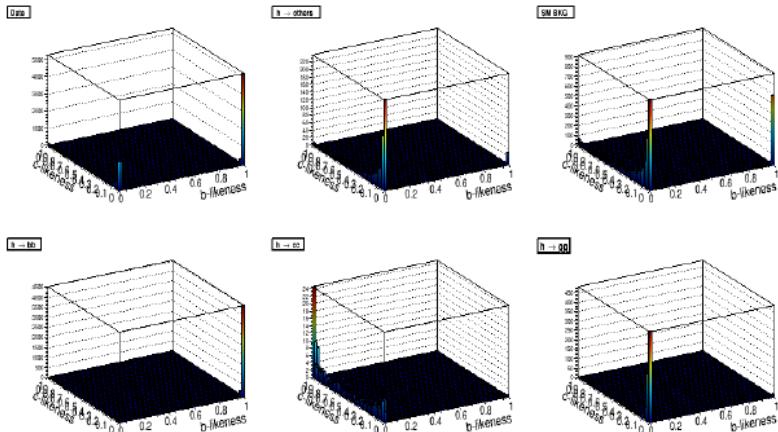
- Cuts optimized for significance and for equal sensitivity to Higgs strahlung and WW fusion (~39% signal left for both processes)
- BDT variables:
 - All cut parameters, Longitudinal P, global $\cos(\Theta)$, thrust, thrust axis, jet masses, jet momenta, jet angles

$E_{cm} = 350 \text{ GeV}, L = 250 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

| | condition | BG | Signal | Signf |
|-------------------------|------------------------|------------|---------|-------|
| Expected | | 15042827,7 | 24663,1 | 6,4 |
| isolated leptons | #iso lep = 0 | 12579833,8 | 21924,6 | 6,2 |
| Transverse P | $240 > P_{t,vis} > 30$ | 887408,9 | 18526,5 | 19,5 |
| Visible Mass | $135 > m_{vis}$ | 277267,9 | 17636,8 | 32,5 |
| Angle between jets | $0.27 > \cos \alpha$ | 147209,6 | 16411,2 | 40,6 |
| # charged tracks > 1GeV | $N_{chd} > 26$ | 44616,3 | 11306,0 | 47,8 |
| max. jet mass | $135 > M_{j,max} > 40$ | 26375,8 | 10166,5 | 53,2 |
| Durham minus | $Y_{12} > 0.05$ | 24821,5 | 10117,7 | 54,1 |
| BDT | BDT > -0.02 | 6777,3 | 9538,1 | 74,7 |
| LOI Study | | 11092,0 | 9543,0 | 66,4 |

Improve the signal significant with MVA (BDT)

- The expected behavior is visible in the missing mass distribution
 - A peak at the Z mass from the Higgs strahlung events
 - A sharp cutoff at 350 GeV- M_{higgs} from the WW fusion events
- A large tail to higher missing masses was removed by rejecting isolated leptons (the tail originated from Higgs decaying into W or tau) (see plot on page 3)
- Using missing mass in the fitting procedure has yet to be implemented



Flavor template fitting is now tested

→ Missing mass will be implemented in next step

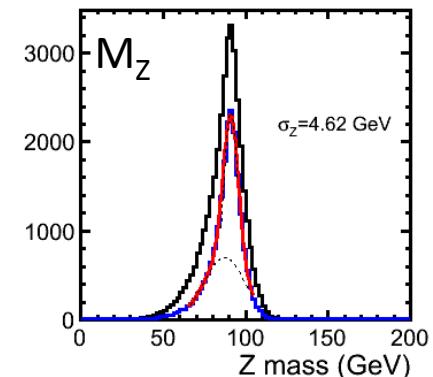
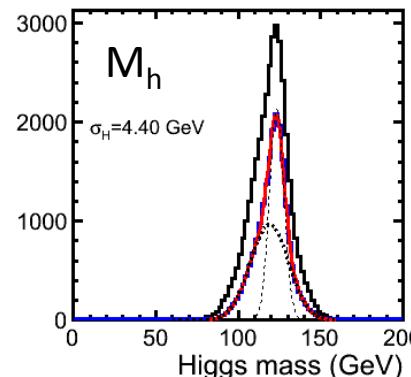
qqh analysis procedure

Apply **forced four-jet clustering** and select **minimum χ^2 jets pair**

$$\chi^2 = \left(\frac{M_{12} - M_Z}{\sigma_Z} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{M_{34} - M_H}{\sigma_H} \right)^2$$

qqh selection at 250 GeV

1. $\chi^2 < 10$
2. # of chd trk > 4
3. $-\text{Log}_{10}(Y_{34}) < 2.7$
4. Thrust < 0.9
5. $|\cos\theta_{\text{thrust}}| < 0.90$
6. $85 < M_Z < 100 \text{ GeV}$
7. $120 < M_h < 135 \text{ GeV}$
8. # of Isolep < 2
9. Likelihood > 0.30



LR inputs

1. Thrust
2. # of PFOs
3. $-\text{Log}_{10}(Y_{23})$
4. Minimum jets angle in four jets
5. M_h

Signal significance = 25.8
Efficiency($h \rightarrow 2j$) = 34.0%

ee/ $\mu\mu h$ analysis procedure

Select di-lepton, then apply forced two-jet clustering

μ/e selection

$10 < E_{\text{PFO}} < 100 \text{ GeV}$ @ 250 GeV
 $(10 < E_{\text{PFO}} < 160 \text{ GeV}$ @ 350 GeV)

Calorimeter Edep information

- $E_{\text{ecal}}/E_{\text{total}} < 0.5, E_{\text{total}}/P < 0.4$ (μ)
- $E_{\text{ecal}}/E_{\text{total}} > 0.9, 0.7 < E_{\text{total}}/P < 1.2$ (e)

Require track from IP

- $\sigma_{d0}, \sigma_{z0}, \sigma_{r0}$

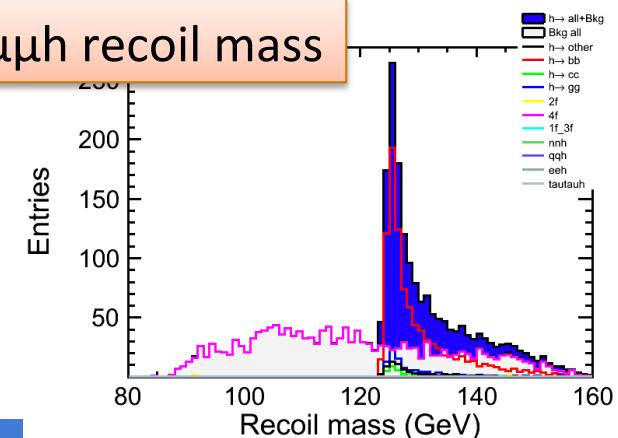
If # of candidates greater than two,
select lepton pair whose mass
as close as Z mass

eeh: Signif = 16.9, Eff = 44.1%

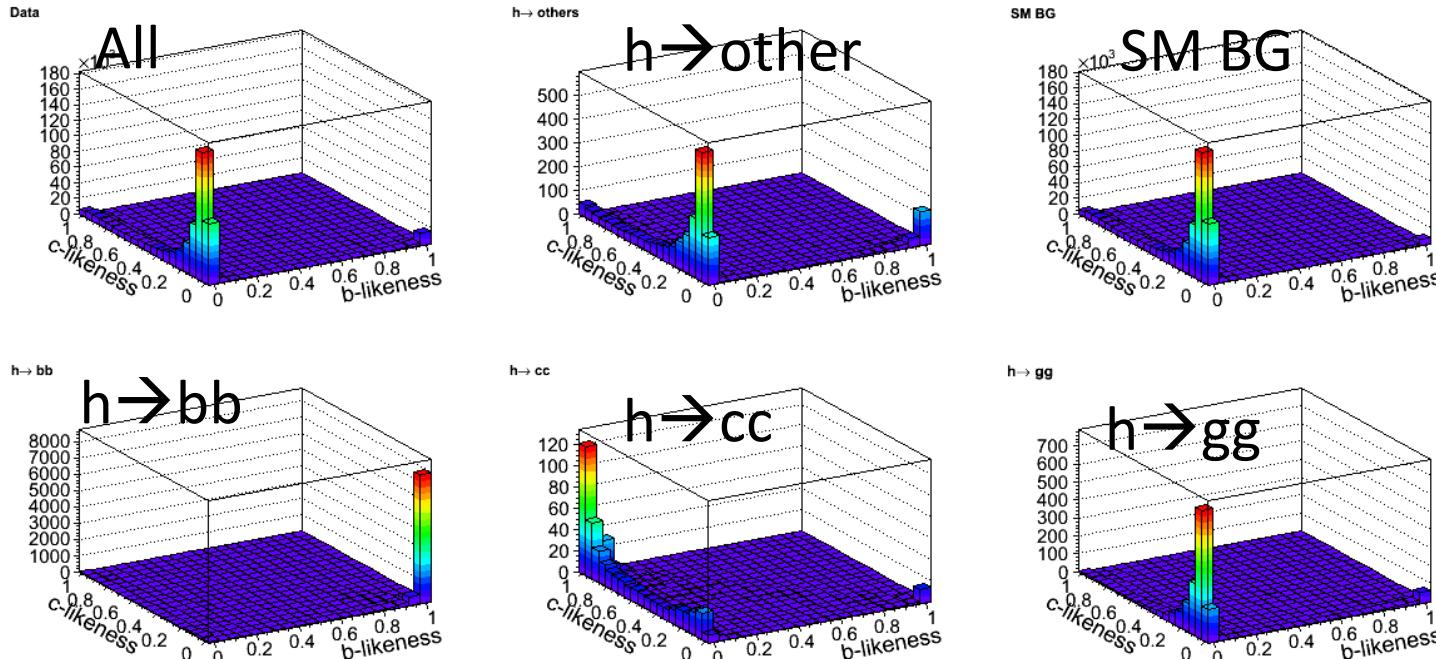
$\mu\mu h$: Signif = 25.1, Eff = 60.8%

- # of e/μ candidate ≥ 2
- Selected isolated leptons = 2
- $E_{\text{vis}} > 200 \text{ GeV}$
- NPFOs > 30
- Thrust > 0.8 (Thrust < 0.8 at 350 GeV)
- $|\cos\theta_Z| < 0.9$
- $70 < M_{\parallel} < 110 \text{ GeV}$
- $100 < M_{jj} < 150 \text{ GeV}$
- $120 < M_{\text{recoil}} < 160 \text{ GeV}$

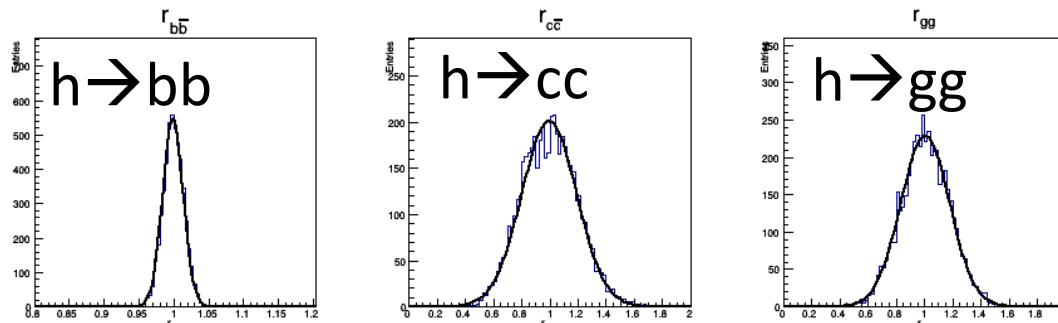
$\mu\mu h$ recoil mass



3D template fitting



Apply 5,000 times template fitting Toy MC → Extract accuracy of $\sigma \times \text{BR}$



$$\sigma \text{BR}(s) = r_s \times \sigma \text{BR}^{\text{SM}}(s)$$

$$\frac{\Delta \sigma \text{BR}(h \rightarrow s)}{\sigma \text{BR}} = \frac{\Delta r_s}{r_s}.$$

$\Delta\sigma\text{BR}/\sigma\text{BR}$ results ($M_h=125$ GeV)

350 GeV vvh is still Zh and WW -fusion inclusive

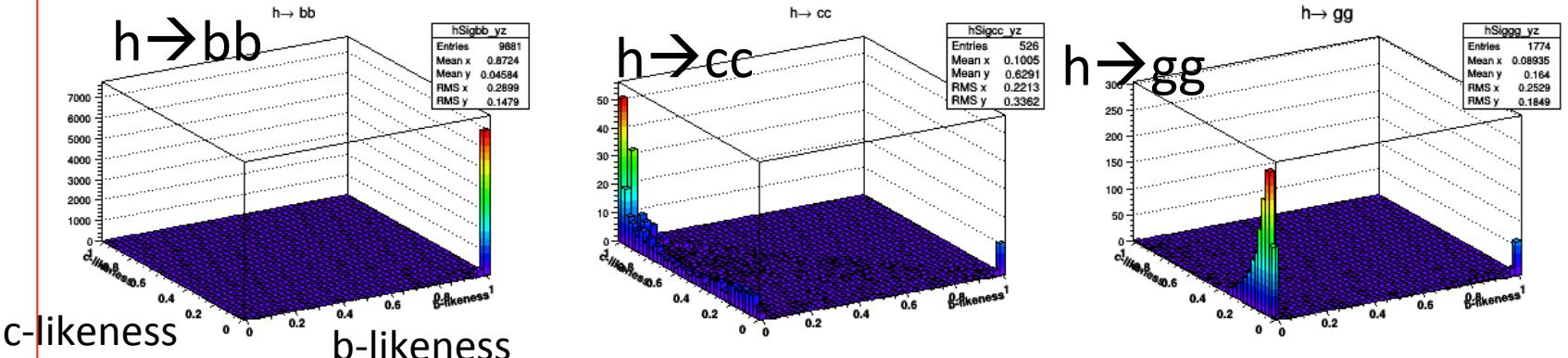
| Update results | 250 GeV | | | 350 GeV | | |
|---|--------------------------|------------------------------------|-------|------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| | L (fb^{-1}) | 250 fb^{-1} P(-0.8, +0.3) | | 330 fb^{-1} P(-0.8, +0.3) | | |
| $\Delta\sigma\text{BR}/\sigma\text{BR}$ | bb | cc | gg | bb | cc | gg |
| vvh | 1.6% | 14.8% | 9.7% | 1.2% | 10.9% | 6.7% |
| qqh | 1.6% | 24.0% | 18.4% | 1.5% | 15.0% | 13.2% |
| eeh | 4.4% | 57.4% | 36.3% | 6.5% | >100% | >100% |
| $\mu\mu h$ | 3.4% | 34.0% | 22.3% | 4.6% | 65.7% | 30.9% |
| Combined | 1.0% | 11.6% | 7.6% | 0.9% | 8.8% | 5.0% |
| Extrapolation | 1.1% | 8.0% | 6.8% | 0.9% | 6.5% | 5.2% |

- eeh @ 350 GeV only ~10 events remains with $h \rightarrow cc$ samples
- Extrapolation only consider the signal difference between LOI and DBD sample

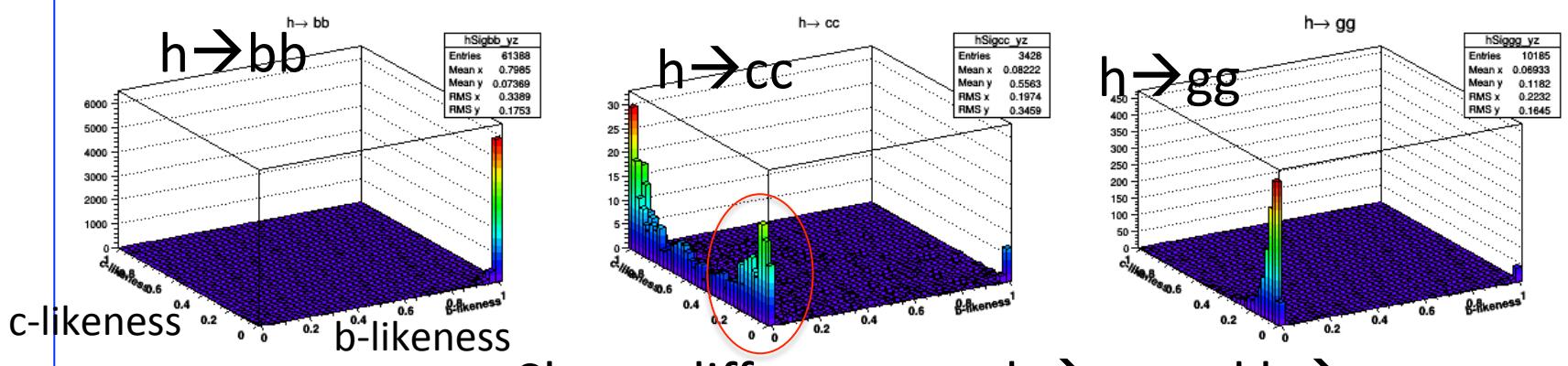
Difference between LCFIPlus and LCFIVTX

$E_{cm}=250$ GeV, qqh

LCFIPlus (with qq91_v02_p01)



LCFIVTX



Shape difference on $h \rightarrow cc$ and $h \rightarrow gg$
LCFIVTX: Broader distribution on $h \rightarrow cc$

LCFIPlus and LCFIVTX

Prepare 3D templates processed both LCFIPlus and LCFIVTX for same $M_h=125$ GeV samples with same cut conditions.
Apply template fitting with two types of flavor packages

Sample: $Z \rightarrow q\bar{q}h$ 250 GeV, $L=250 \text{ fb}^{-1}$, $P(-0.8, +0.3)$

| qqh 250 GeV | LCFIPlus | LCFIVTX |
|--------------------------|----------|---------|
| $h \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ | 1.6% | 1.6% |
| $h \rightarrow c\bar{c}$ | 24.0% | 26.9% |
| $h \rightarrow g\bar{g}$ | 18.4% | 22.9% |

BCtag variable definition is different:
LCFIVTX: C-tag trained with b background
LCFIPlus: BCtag=Ctag/(Btag+Ctag)

Preliminary results

B-tagging performance looks comparable with both processor

No optimization was applied for LCFIVTX for new DBD samples

Degradation of $h \rightarrow c\bar{c}$ on DBD sample will not caused by LCFIPlus

Different flavor-likeness definition

qgh @ 250 GeV

Current

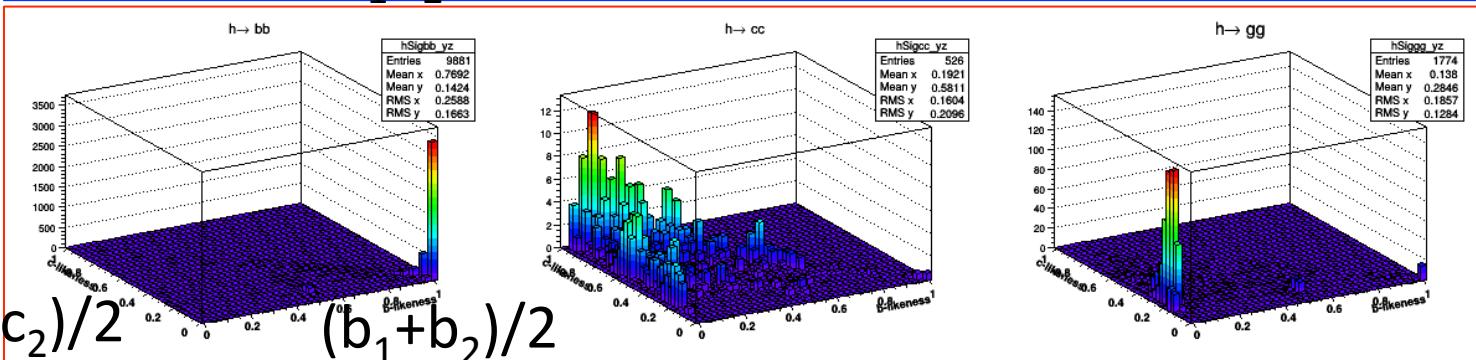
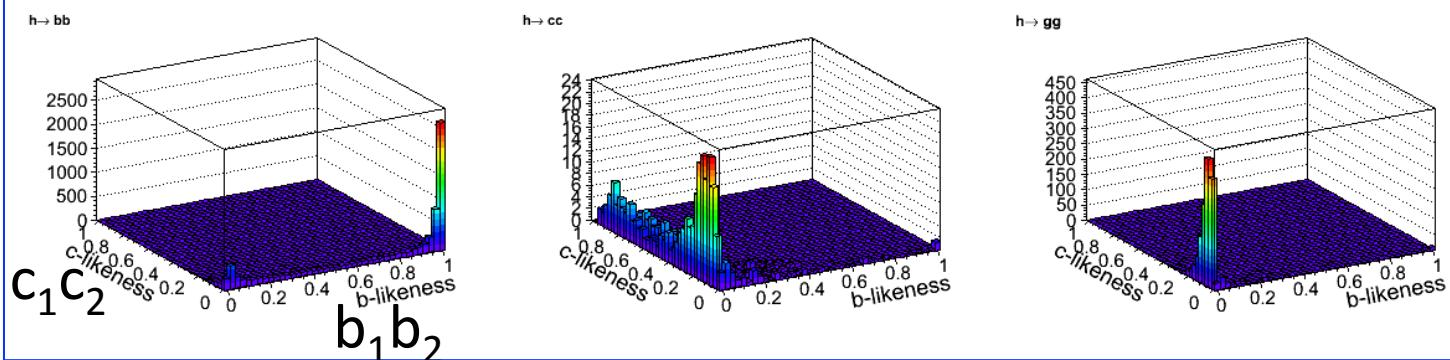
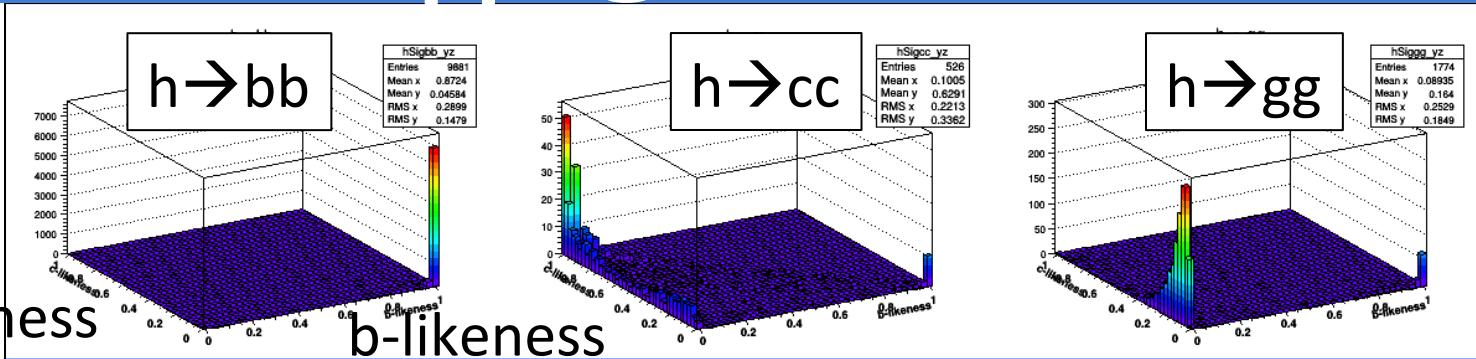
c-likeness

Product

$x_1 \cdot x_2$

Sum
 $(x_1+x_2)/2$

$(c_1+c_2)/2$



Difference on h → cc distribution

Different flavor-likeness definition

Template fitting is applied with different flavor-likeness definition
Sample: $Zh \rightarrow qqh$ @250 GeV, $L=250 \text{ fb}^{-1}$, $P(-0.8, +0.3)$

| | |
|---------|--|
| Current | $x_1 x_2 / (x_1 x_2 + (1-x_1)(1-x_2))$ |
| Product | $x_1 x_2$ |
| Sum | $(x_1 + x_2) / 2$ |

| qqh 250 GeV | Current | $x_1 * x_2$ | $(x_1 + x_2) / 2$ |
|--------------------|---------|-------------|-------------------|
| $h \rightarrow bb$ | 1.6% | 1.5% | 1.5% |
| $h \rightarrow cc$ | 24.0% | 22.3% | 20.5% |
| $h \rightarrow gg$ | 18.4% | 19.9% | 16.1% |

Sum definition looks slightly improved the relative accuracy
especially on $h \rightarrow cc/gg$ channel

Summary and next steps

- Higgs σ BRs are evaluated with $M_h=125$ GeV
- Compare LCFIVTX and LCFIPlus
 - Comparable on $h \rightarrow bb$
 - LCFIPlus looks slightly better on $h \rightarrow cc, gg$
- Investigating qqh, eeh channel degradation
 - kt clustering, MVA selection
- Evaluate different polarization case
- Update 500 GeV analysis

BACKUP

Signal ($M_h=125$ GeV) and BGs

| E_{cm} | 250 GeV | | 350 GeV | |
|--------------|----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Signal | σ (-0.8,+0.3) | N (250 fb^{-1}) | σ (-0.8, +0.3) | N (330 fb^{-1}) |
| vvh | 77.5 | 19,383 | 98.7 | 32,555 |
| qqh | 210.2 | 52,546 | 138.9 | 45,837 |
| eeh | 10.9 | 2,729 | 10.2 | 3,381 |
| $\mu\mu h$ | 10.4 | 2,603 | 6.9 | 2,267 |
| $\tau\tau h$ | 10.4 | 2,598 | 6.9 | 2,262 |
| Total | 319.4 | 79,860 | 261.5 | 86,303 |
| SM BGs | | | | |
| 2f | 1.2×10^5 | 2.9×10^7 | 7.2×10^4 | 2.4×10^7 |
| 4f | 4.1×10^5 | 1.0×10^7 | 3.1×10^4 | 1.1×10^7 |
| 6f | Not considered | | 1.4×10^2 | 47,676 |
| 1f_3f | 1.3×10^6 | 3.3×10^8 | 1.6×10^6 | 5.1×10^8 |
| aa_2f/4f | 5.8×10^5 | 1.4×10^8 | 9.6×10^5 | 3.4×10^8 |

Extrapolated results ($E_{cm}=250$ GeV)

Expected accuracies by extrapolating 120 GeV results to 125 GeV w/o cut eff. diff.

| $E_{cm}=250$ GeV | $M_h=120$ GeV ($L=250$ fb $^{-1}$) | | | $M_h=125$ GeV ($L=250$ fb $^{-1}$) | | |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------|-------|--------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| $\Delta\sigma BR/\sigma BR$ | bb | cc | gg | bb | cc | gg |
| vvh | 1.7% | 11.2% | 13.9% | 1.8% | 12.9% | 11.2% |
| qqh | 1.5% | 10.2% | 13.1% | 1.6% | 11.8% | 10.5% |
| eeh | 3.8% | 26.8% | 31.3% | 4.0% | 31.4% | 25.3% |
| $\mu\mu h$ | 3.3% | 22.6% | 23.9% | 3.5% | 26.3% | 19.1% |
| Combined | 1.0% | 6.9% | 8.5% | 1.1% | 8.0% | 6.8% |

| BR | 120 GeV | 125 GeV |
|--------|---------|---------|
| BR(bb) | 65.7% | 57.8% |
| BR(cc) | 3.6% | 2.7% |
| BR(gg) | 5.5% | 8.6% |

Cross sections at $M_h=120$ and 125 GeV
are almost comparable in LOI samples
and new samples
(Lumi linker difference suppress mass diff.)

Main contribution comes from BR difference between $M_h=120$ and 125 GeV

Extrapolated results ($E_{cm}=350$ GeV)

Expected accuracies by extrapolating 120 GeV results to 125 GeV w/o cut eff. diff.

| $E_{cm}=350$ GeV | $M_h=120$ GeV ($L=250$ fb $^{-1}$) | | | $M_h=125$ GeV ($L=330$ fb $^{-1}$) | | |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|-------|-------|--------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| $\Delta\sigma/\sigma$ | bb | cc | gg | bb | cc | gg |
| vvh | 1.4% | 8.6% | 9.2% | 1.3% | 8.9% | 6.6% |
| qqh | 1.5% | 10.1% | 13.7% | 1.4% | 10.3% | 9.7% |
| eeh | 5.3% | 30.5% | 35.8% | 5.1% | 31.8% | 25.8% |
| $\mu\mu h$ | 5.1% | 30.9% | 33.0% | 4.9% | 31.8% | 23.5% |
| Combined | 1.0% | 6.2% | 7.3% | 0.9% | 6.5% | 5.2% |

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| Cross section | 120 GeV | 125 GeV |
|---------------|----------|----------|
| vvh | 105.2 fb | 98.7 fb |
| qqh | 144.4 fb | 138.9 fb |
| eeh | 11.0 fb | 10.2 fb |
| $\mu\mu h$ | 7.2 fb | 6.9 fb |

BR, Luminosity, and σ are different