

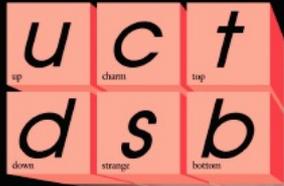
The unique opportunity of a multi-TeV Muon Collider

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Standard Model of Particle Physics

Quarks



Forces



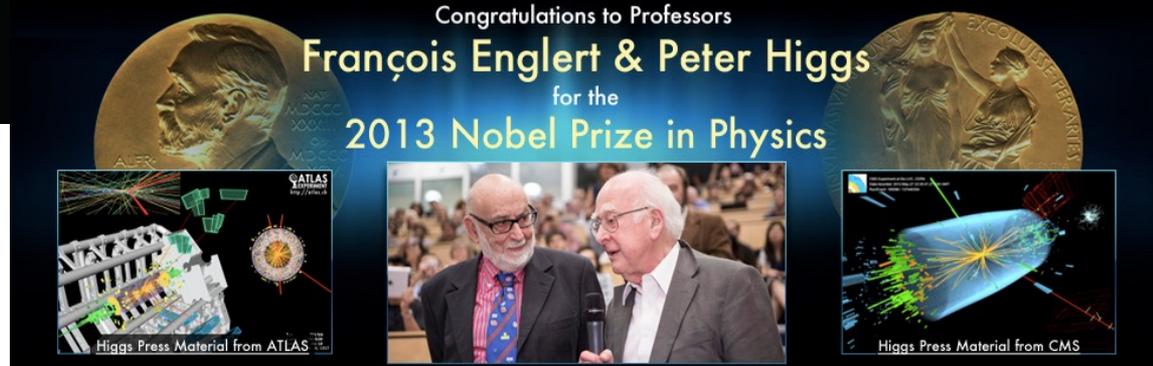
H
Higgs boson



Leptons

- Extremely precise measurements and confirmation of SM with great accuracy
- No signal of Beyond Standard Model evidence or SUSY

after 10 years from
the Higgs boson
discovery



"for the theoretical discovery of a mechanism that contributes to our understanding of the origin of mass of subatomic particles, and which recently was confirmed through the discovery of the predicted fundamental particle, by the ATLAS and CMS experiments at CERN's Large Hadron Collider"

Particle Physics: open questions

Several fundamental questions unexplained:

- ✓ the details of the evolution of the early universe
- ✓ the origin of the matter-antimatter asymmetry of the universe
- ✓ the nature of dark matter and dark energy
- ✓ the origin of neutrino masses
- ✓ the origin of the electroweak scale
- ✓ and the origin of flavor dynamics

The answers must lie in physics beyond the SM (BSM physics)

BSM physics quest

Two options for search and discovery:

- ✓ **direct search** for new phenomena in physics beyond the SM (BSM physics): many proposals for experiments to directly
- ✓ **precision measurements** of SM processes to reveal discrepancies between theory and experiment that can indicate BSM physics, potentially at even higher mass or energy scales than can be observed directly
 - i.e. use the Higgs Boson as a Tool for Discovery

LHC Run3 just restarted in 2022

HL-LHC will be devoted to:

- precisely measure the properties of the Higgs Boson more precisely
- probe the boundaries of the SM further
- possibly observe new physics or point in a particular direction for discovery

Snowmass 2021 on HEP planning exercise

[Report](#) (2023)

of the 2021 U.S. Community Study
on the Future of Particle Physics
(Snowmass 2021)

organized by the APS Division of Particles and Fields
FERMILAB-CONF-23-008 SLAC-PUB-17717

Community Summer Study and Workshop
University of Washington in Seattle
July 17 – 26, 2022

New colliders: ultimate tools to extend Energy Frontier program into the next two decades
Combined strategy of precision measurements and high-energy exploration, exploiting
future lepton colliders starting at energies as low as the Z-pole up to a few TeV

**It will be crucial to find a way to carry out experiments at higher energy scales,
directly probing new physics at the 10 TeV energy scale and beyond.**

The EF supports a fast start for the construction of an e^+e^- **Higgs Factory**
(linear or circular), and a **significant R&D program for multi-TeV colliders (hadron and muon)**.
A Higgs Factory will require an immediate, vigorous, and targeted **accelerator and detector
R&D program**, while the study towards multi-TeV colliders will need **significant and long-term
investments in a broad spectrum of R&D programs for accelerators and detectors**.

Finally, the U.S. EF community has expressed renewed interest and ambition to develop
options for an energy-frontier collider that could be sited in the U.S.,
while maintaining its international collaborative partnerships and obligations with CERN.

2020 Update of the European Strategy for Particle Physics

19 June 2020

[10.17181/CERN.JSC6.W89E](https://cds.cern.ch/record/10.17181/CERN.JSC6.W89E)

- Ensure Europe's continued **scientific and technological leadership**
- **Strengthen the unique ecosystem of research centres in Europe**



- **An electron-positron Higgs factory is the highest-priority next collider.**

For the longer term, the European particle physics community has the **ambition to operate a proton-proton collider** at the highest achievable energy.

These compelling goals will require **innovation and cutting-edge technology**:

- ✓ ramp up R&D on advanced accelerator technologies, in particular **high-field superconducting magnets, including high-temperature superconductors**
 - ✓ investigate the **technical and financial feasibility of a future hadron collider at CERN** with a centre-of-mass energy of at least **100 TeV** and **with an electron-positron Higgs and electroweak factory as a possible first stage**
 - ✓ the ILC in Japan would be compatible with this strategy
- The European particle physics community must **intensify accelerator R&D** and sustain it with adequate resources. **A roadmap should prioritise the technology**

EU Strategy → Accelerator R&D Roadmap

European Strategy Update – June 19, 2020:

High-priority future initiatives [..]



In addition to the high field magnets the **accelerator R&D roadmap** could contain:

[..] an **international design study** for a **muon collider**, as it represents a **unique opportunity** to achieve a **multi-TeV energy domain** beyond the reach of e^+e^- colliders, and potentially within a *more compact circular tunnel* than for a hadron collider. The **biggest challenge** remains to produce an intense beam of cooled muons, but *novel ideas are being explored*.

CERN Laboratory Directors Group (LDG) established an Accelerator R&D roadmap to define a route towards implementation of the goals of the 2020 ESPPU bringing together the capabilities of CERN and the LNLs to carry out R&D and construction and operation of demonstrators

The compelling physics reach justifies establishment of an international collaboration to develop fully the muon collider design study and to pursue R&D priorities, according to an agreed upon work plan.

To facilitate implementation of the European Strategy LDG decided (July 2 2020) to:
Agree to start building the collaboration for international muon collider design study

→ **International Muon Collider Collaboration kick-off virtual meeting**

(>260 participants) <https://indico.cern.ch/event/930508/>

July 3rd, 2020



International Collaboration

Project Leader: *Daniel Schulte*

Objective:

In time for the next European Strategy for Particle Physics Update, the Design Study based at CERN since 2020 aims to **establish whether the investment into a full CDR and a demonstrator is scientifically justified.**

It will **provide a baseline concept**, well-supported performance expectations and assess the associated key risks as well as cost and power consumption drivers.

It will also **identify an R&D path to demonstrate the feasibility of the collider.**

Scope:

- Focus on the high-energy frontier and two energy ranges:
 - **3 TeV** if possible with technology ready for construction in 10-20 years
 - **10+ TeV** with more advanced technology, **the reason to choose muon colliders**
- Explore synergies with other options (neutrino/higgs factory)
- Define **R&D path**

Web page: <http://muoncollider.web.cern.ch>

Input to EU Strategy of Particle Physics

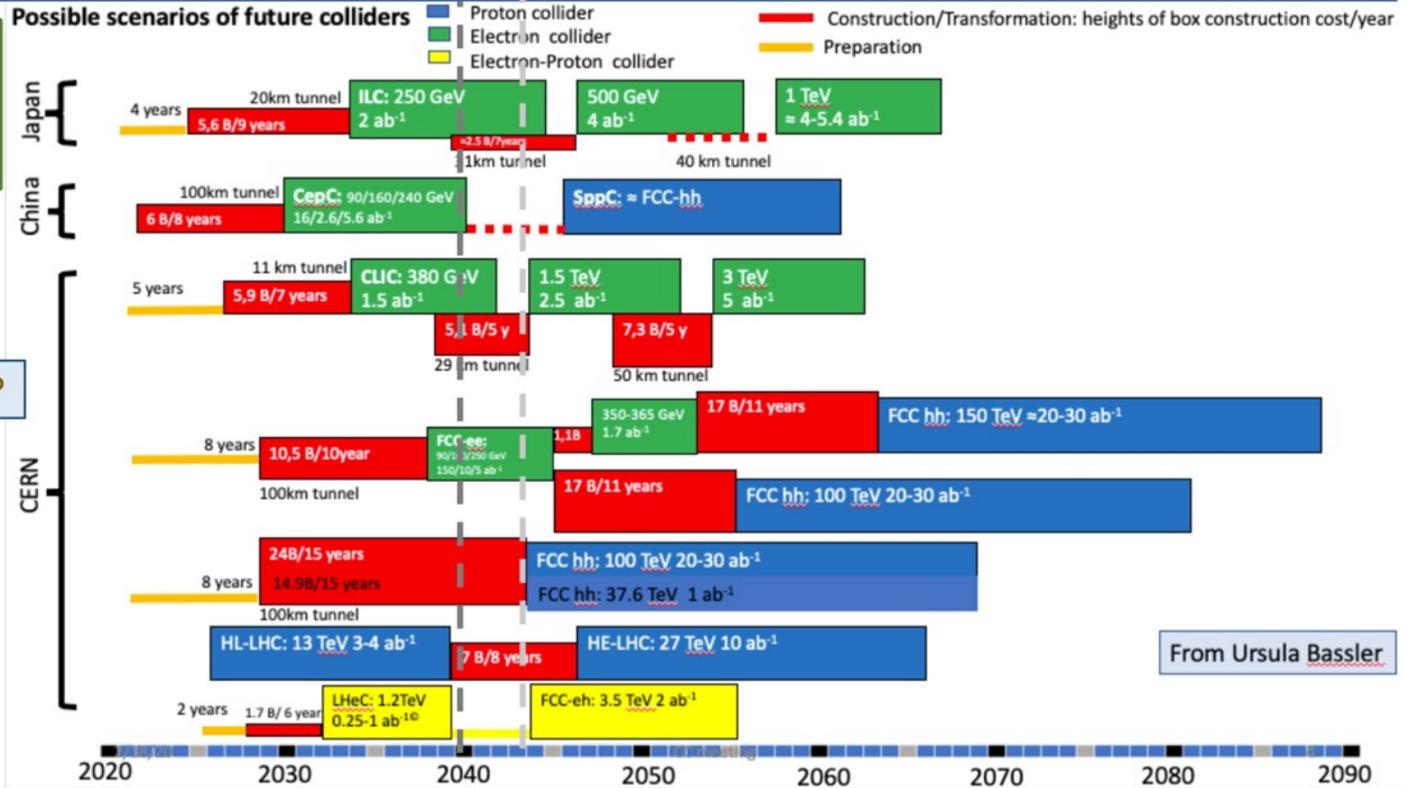


2020 Strategy Update

Halina Abramowicz

High-priority future initiatives

Map of possible future facilities submitted as input to the Strategy Update



Where is the muon collider?

From Ursula Bassler

Input Document to EU Strategy Update - Dec 2018:

“Muon Colliders,” [arXiv:1901.06150](https://arxiv.org/abs/1901.06150)
by CERN-WG on Muon Colliders

J.P. Delahaye et al.

Long-term future: a multi-TeV collider

Snowmass 2021

- For the next decade and beyond

- 2025-2030:

- Develop an initial design for a first stage TeV-scale Muon Collider in the US (pre-CDR)
 - Support critical detector R&D towards EF multi-TeV colliders

- 2030-2035: Demonstrate principal risk mitigation and deliver CDR for a first-stage TeV-scale Muon Collider

- After 2035:

- Demonstrate readiness to construct and deliver TDR for a first-stage TeV-scale Muon Collider
 - Ramp up funding support for detector R&D for EF multi-TeV colliders

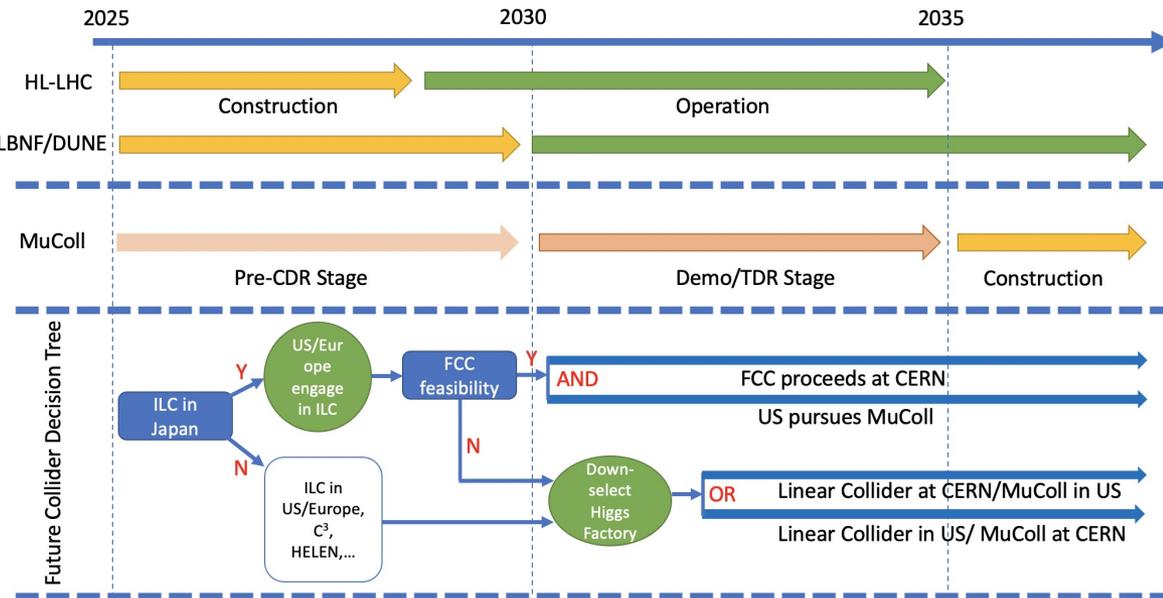
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Muon Collider Forum Report

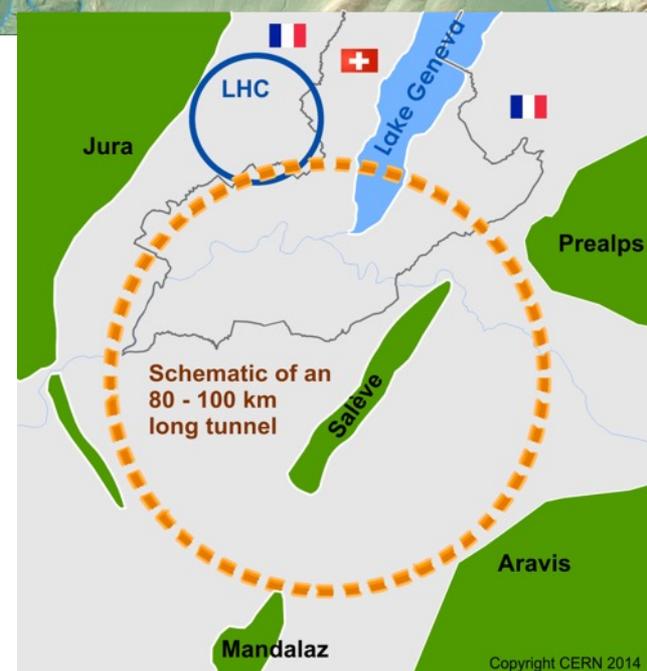
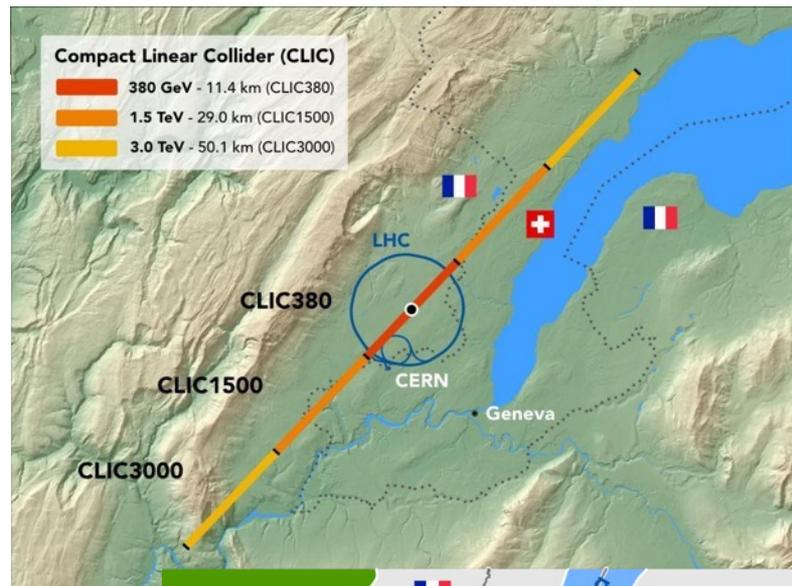
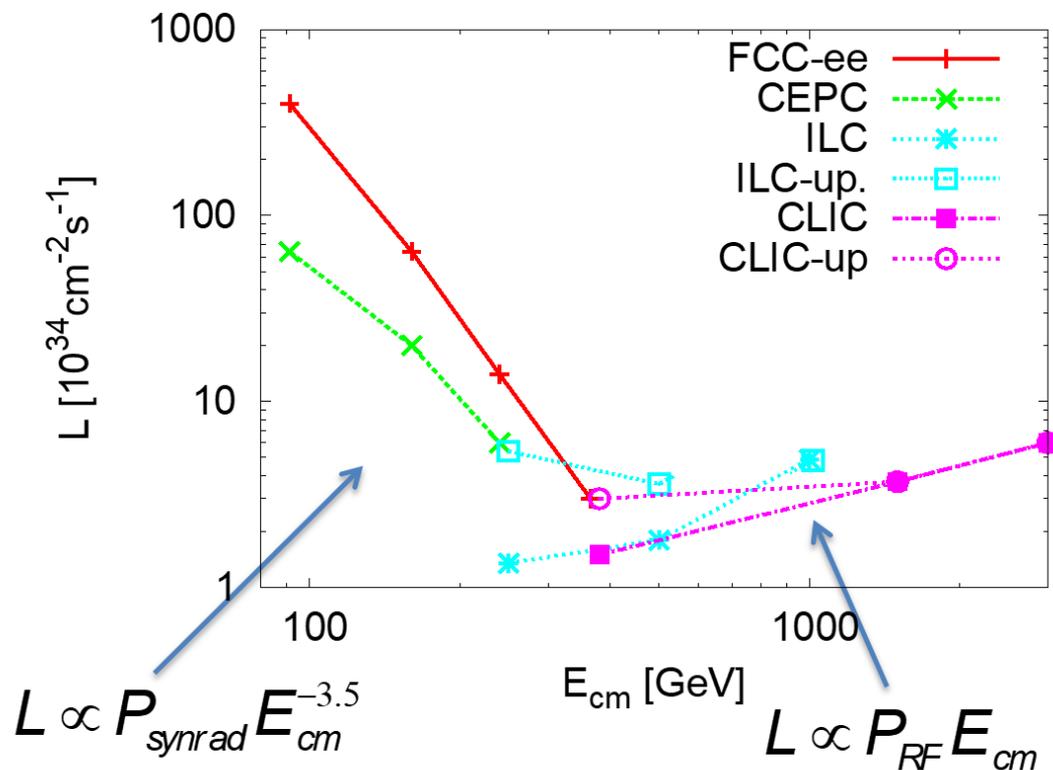
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Forum Conveners:

K.M. Black, S. Jindariani, D. Li, F. Maltoni, P. Meade, D. Stratakis

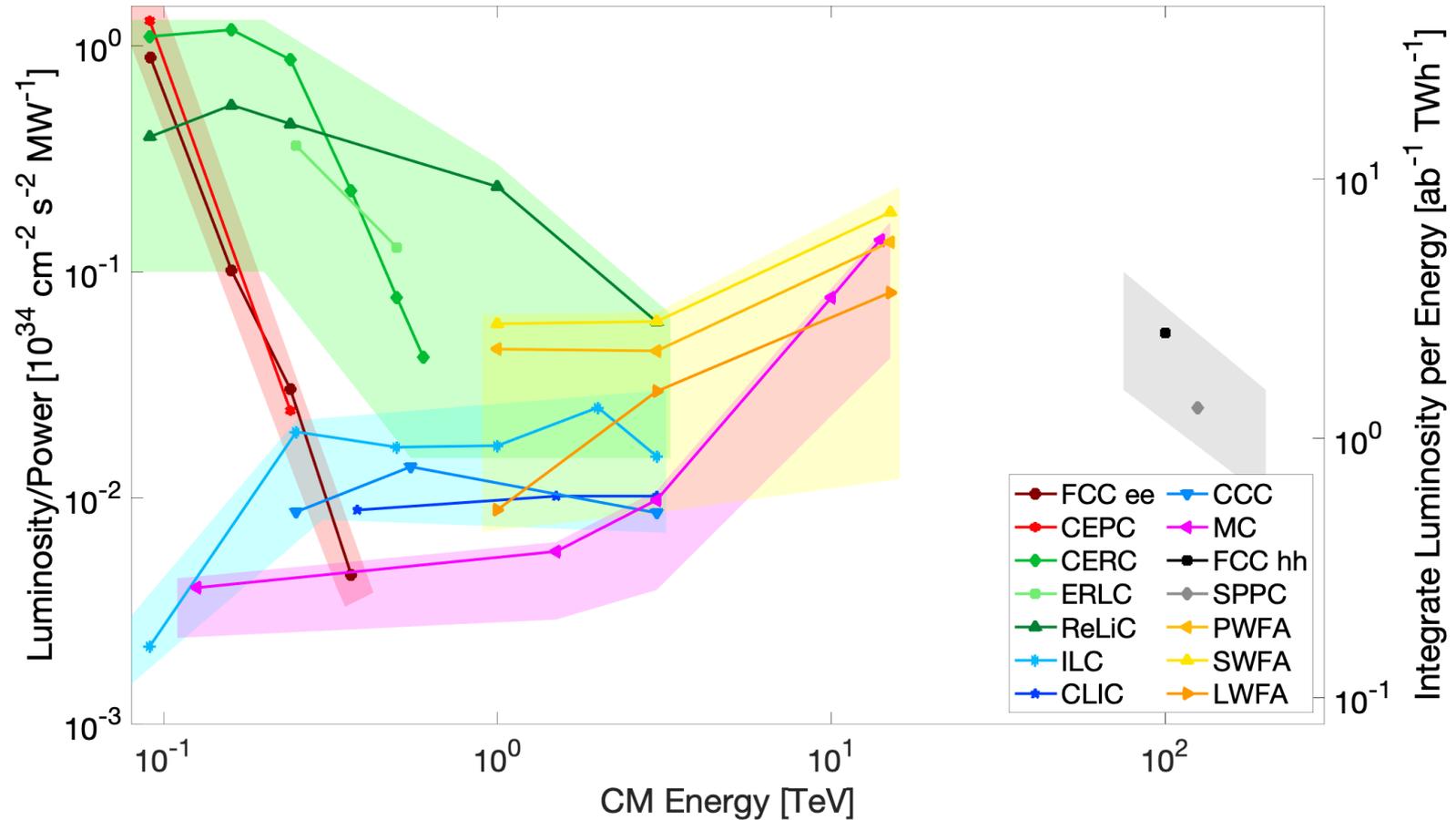
Linear vs Circular lepton e^+e^- collider

Luminosity per facility



CLIC at 3 TeV has been optimised over decades:
18 GCHF, 590 MW power consumption

Energy efficiency of present and future colliders



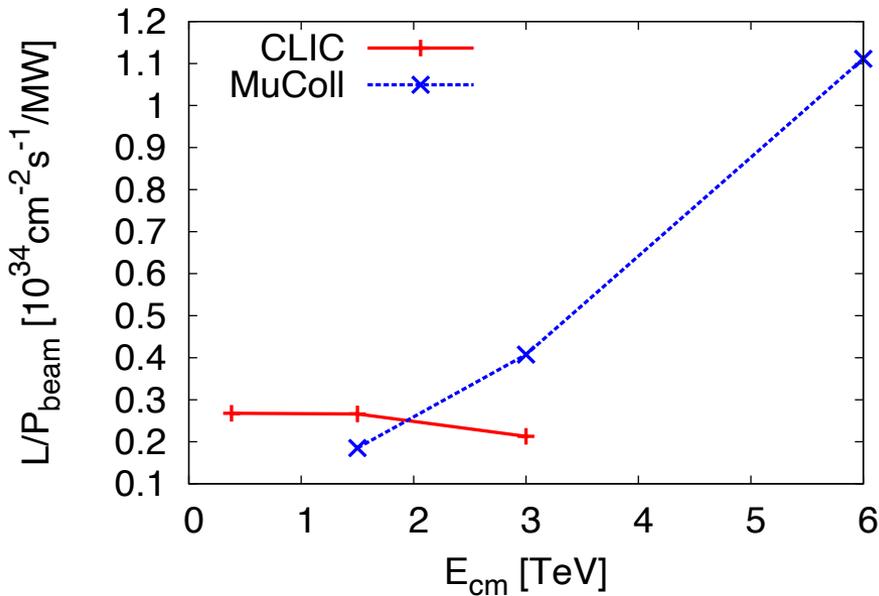
The effective energy reach of hadron colliders (LHC, HE-LHC and FCC-hh) is approximately a factor of seven lower than that of a lepton collider operating at the same energy per beam.

Why a multi-TeV Muon Collider?

cost-effective and unique opportunity

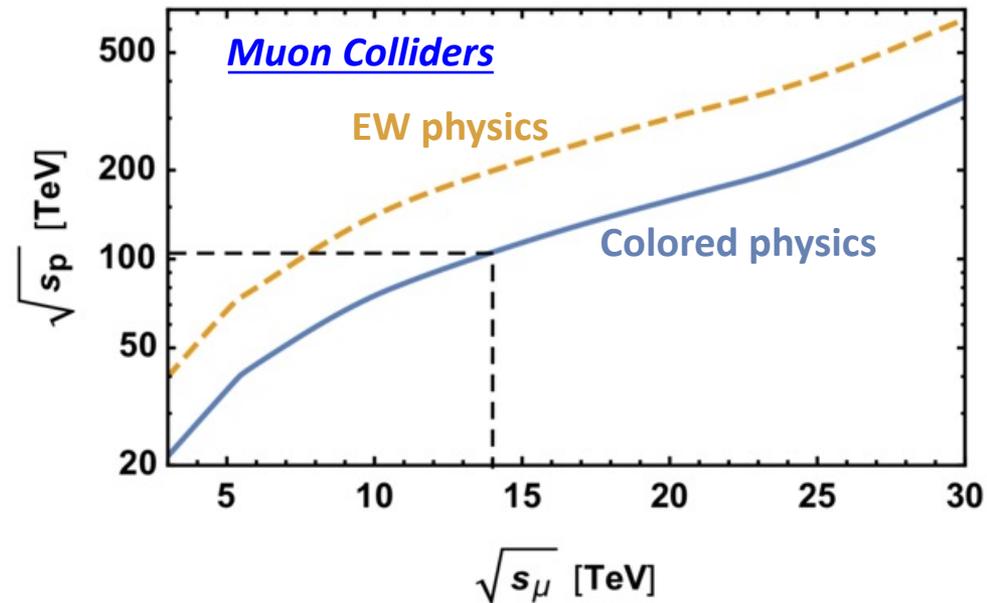
for lepton colliders @ $E_{cm} > 3$ TeV

Energy Efficiency



sufficient luminosity required

Energy at which $\sigma_{pp} = \sigma_{\mu\mu}$



Strong interest to reuse existing facilities and infrastructure (i.e. LHC tunnel) in Europe

A unique facility

Jan 2021 **nature physics**

Muon colliders to expand frontiers of particle physics

K.Long, D.Lucchesi, M.Palmer, N.Pastrone, D.Schulte, V. Shiltsev

an idea over 50 years old has now the opportunity to become feasible

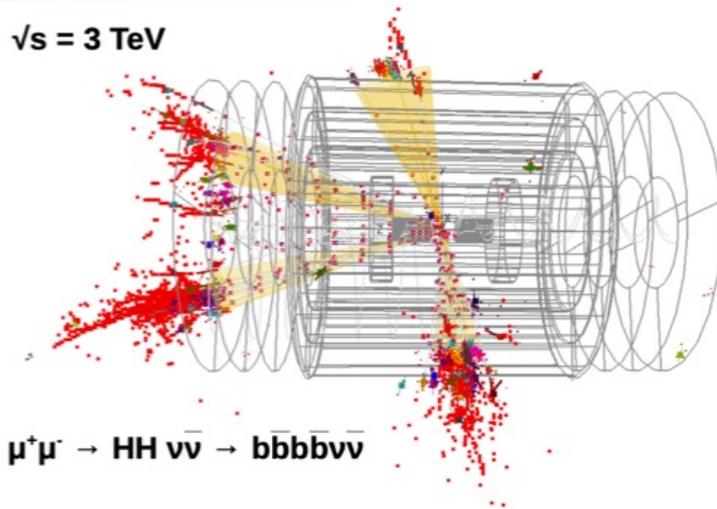
ESPP Input document: [Muon Colliders](#)

Muons – fundamental particles – leptons ~ 200 times heavier than electron decay with lifetime at rest of $2.2 \mu\text{s}$

Overwhelming physics potential:

- Precision measurements
- Discovery searches

$\sqrt{s} = 3 \text{ TeV}$



Challenging Facility Design:

- Key issues/risks
- R&D plan - synergies

cost effective → need real study to confirm cost
power efficient → need a more detailed study
compact site → more with better ramping magnets

Different physics benchmark simulated with Beam-Induced Background at 3 TeV to demonstrate feasibility and physics potential reach

Physics potential

A dream machine to probe unprecedented energy scales and many different directions at once!

Direct searches

Pair production, Resonances, VBF, Dark Matter, ...

High-rate measurements

Single Higgs, self coupling, rare and exotic Higgs decays, top quarks, ...

High-energy probes

Di-boson, di-fermion, tri-boson, EFT, compositeness, ...

Muon physics

Lepton Flavor Universality, $b \rightarrow s\mu\mu$, muon $g-2$, ...

Muon Collider can be the game changer!

Great and growing interest in the theory community

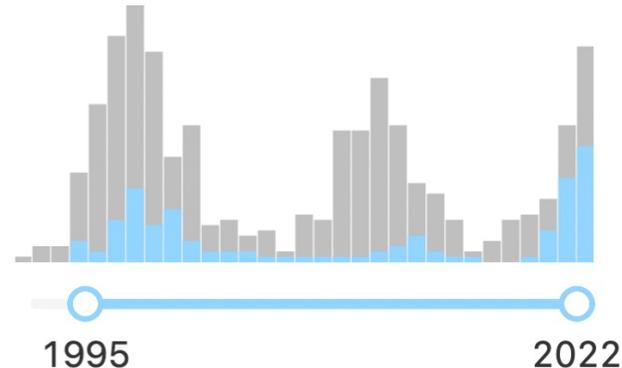
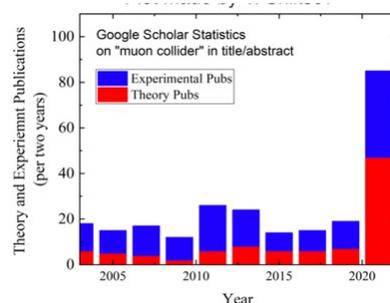
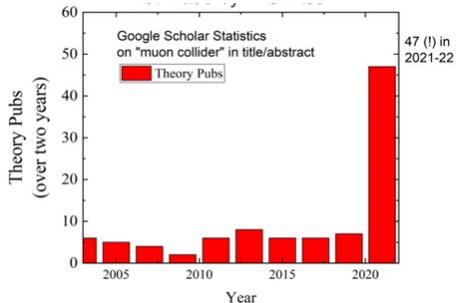
→ many papers recently published, as:

The Muon Smasher's Guide,

<https://doi.org/10.48550/arXiv.2103.14043>

Strong and crucial synergies to design the machine and the experiment to reach the physics goals with energy and luminosity allowing % precision measurements

→ **Physics benchmarks steer machine parameters and experiment design**



Muon Collider interest

IMCC Annual Meeting 2022



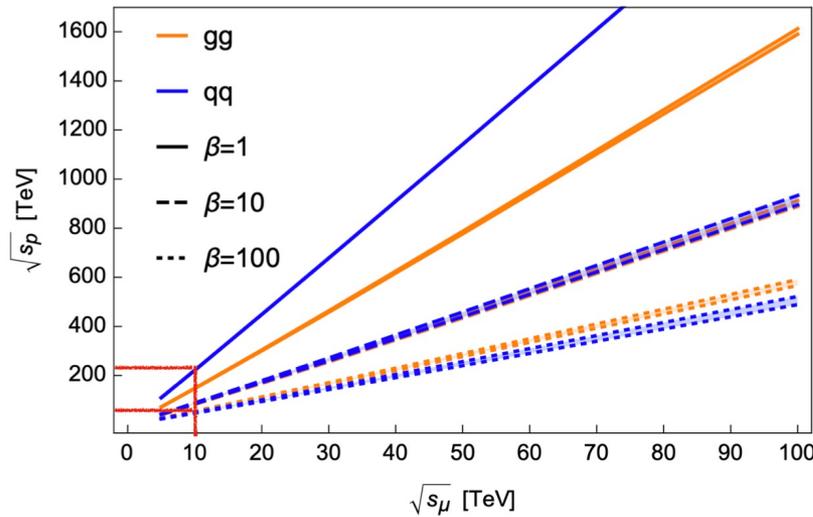
A new interest in a muon collider 2022 papers (including Snowmass)

1. K.M. Black et al., "Muon Collider Forum Report," : [2209.01318 \[hep-ex\]](#)
2. Arakawa et al. , "Probing Muon \$g-2\$ at a Future Muon Collider et al. " e-Print: [2208.14464 \[hep-ph\]](#)
3. Brendt et al. , "NLO Electroweak Corrections to Multi-Boson Processes at a Muon Collider, e-Print: [2208.09438 \[hep-ph\]](#)
4. Yang et al. , "Shining light on the electroweak 't Hooft-Polyakov magnetic monopoles: the high-energy muon collider" , e-Print: [2208.02188 \[hep-ph\]](#)
5. Lu et al., "Unraveling the Scotogenic Model at Muon Collider", e-Print: [2207.07382 \[hep-ph\]](#)
6. J. De Blas et al., "The physics case of a 3 TeV muon collider stage", [arXiv:2203.07261 \[hep-ph\] \(pdf\)](#).
7. Inan et al., "Probe of axion-like particles in vector boson scattering at a muon collider" [2207.03325 \[hep-ph\]](#)
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9. Azatov et al., "New Physics in
10. Han et al. " BSM Higgs Produ
11. Senol et al. " Model-independ
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24. Tao Han, Tong Li, Xing Wang. "Axion-Like Particles at High Energy Muon Colliders", [arXiv:2203.05484 \[hep-ph\] \(pdf\)](#).
25. Tao Han, Zhen Liu, Lian-Tao Wang, Xing Wang. "WIMP Dark Matter at High Energy Muon Colliders", [arXiv:2203.07351 \[hep-ph\] \(pdf\)](#).
26. D. Ally, L. Carpenter, T. Holmes, L. Lee, P. Wagenknecht. "Strategies for Beam-Induced Background Reduction at Muon Colliders", [arXiv:2203.06773 \[physics.ins-det\] \(pdf\)](#).
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28. D. Stratakis, N. Mokhov, M. Palmer, N. Pastrone, T. Raubenheimer, C. Rogers, D. Schulte, et al. "A Muon Collider Facility for Physics Discovery", [arXiv:2203.08033 \[physics.acc-ph\] \(pdf\)](#).
29. Nazar Bartosik, Karol Krizka, Simone Pagan Griso, Chiara Aimè, Aram Apyan, et al. "Simulated Detector Performance at the Muon Collider", [arXiv:2203.07964 \[hep-ex\] \(pdf\)](#).
30. K. Black, T. Bose, S. Dasu, H. Jia, S. Lomte, C. Vuosalo. et al. "Prospects for the Measurement of the Standard Model Higgs Pair Production at the Muon Colliders", [arXiv:2203.08874 \[hep-ex\] \(pdf\)](#).
31. Matthew Forslund, Patrick Meade. "High Precision Higgs from High Energy Muon Colliders", [arXiv:2203.09425 \[hep-ph\] \(pdf\)](#)
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Excitement building up on many innovative aspects from accelerators, to detectors, to an "unexpected" physics reach. A growing interest in the community has allowed to put efforts in identifying the key

- 1] technologies that make a muon collider possible.
- 2] physics motivations that make a muon collider worth it

Muon Collider physics potential



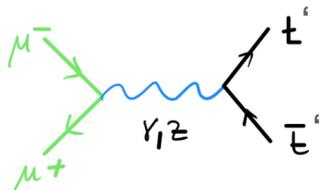
muC@10 TeV ~ pp@70 TeV

Simple/Naive/Rough estimate based on parton-parton luminosity for a generic $2 \rightarrow 2$ scattering.

EW : $\beta \sim 1$

QCD : $\beta \sim (\alpha_s/\alpha)^2 \sim 100$

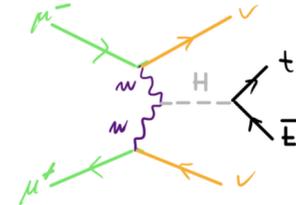
O(10) TeV muon collider energy allows to have two colliders in one:



$$\sigma_s \sim \frac{1}{s}$$



$$\sigma_s \sim \frac{1}{M^2} \log^n \frac{s}{M}$$



Large production rates,
SM coupling measurements
Discovery light and weakly interacting

Energetic final states
(either heavy or very boosted)

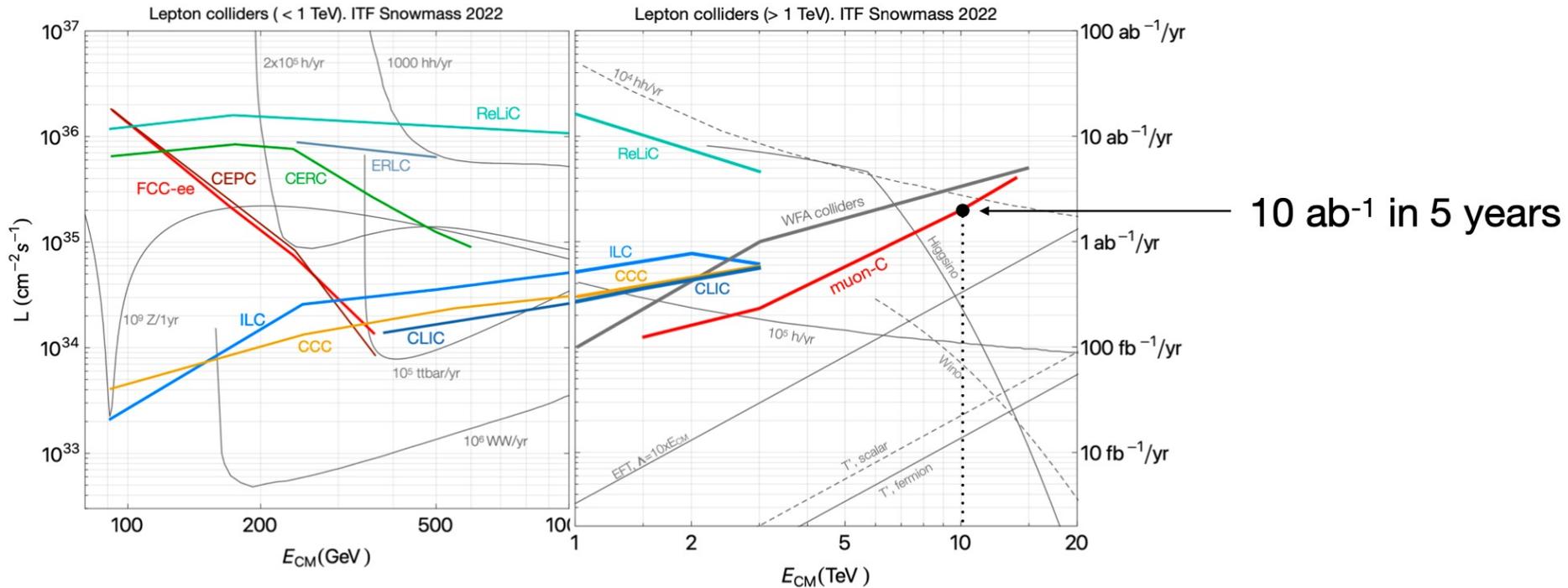
A completely new regime opening for a multi-TeV muon collider

Different physics being probed in the two channels

Luminosity vs Energy @ 10 TeV

Report of the Snowmass 2021 Collider Implementation Task Force

$$\hat{\mathcal{L}} = 10 \text{ ab}^{-1} \left(\frac{E_{\text{cm}}}{10 \text{ TeV}} \right)^2$$



A O(10TeV) Muon Collider would radically change the way we do collider physics, opening the exploration of EW phenomena at higher scales through an hybrid direct/indirect approach in a clean environment

Direct research: *s*-channel pair production

[arXiv:2203.07256](https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.07256)

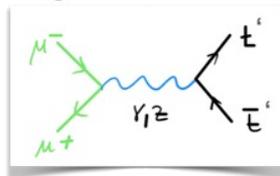
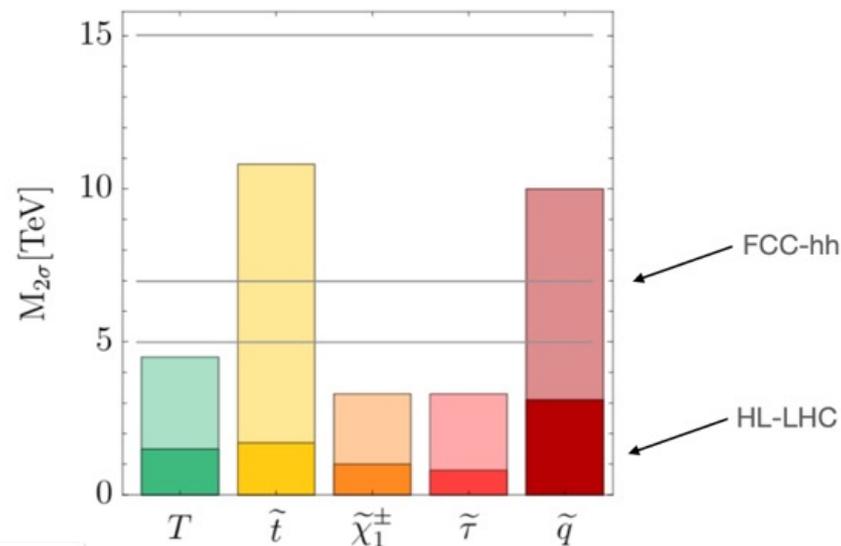
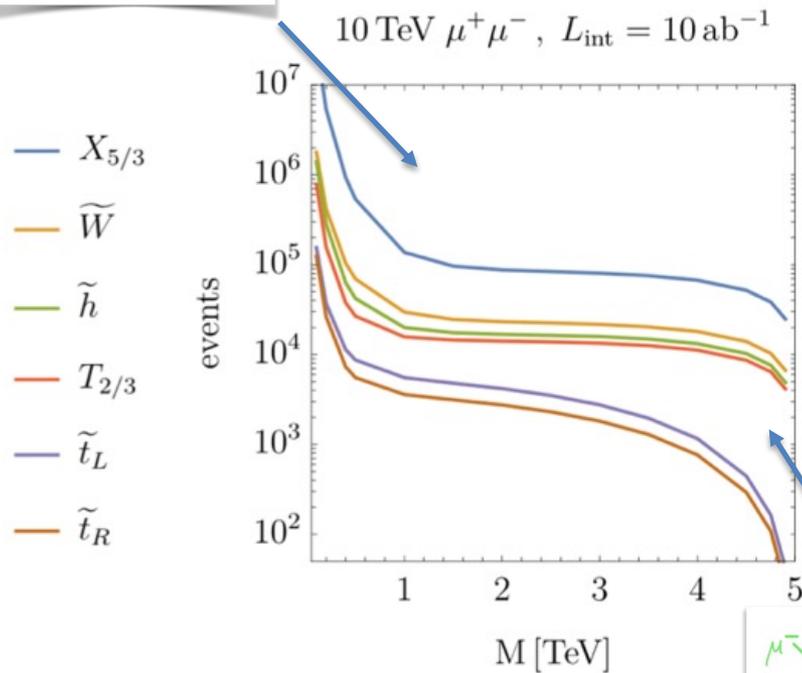
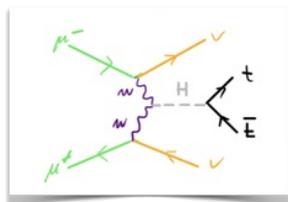
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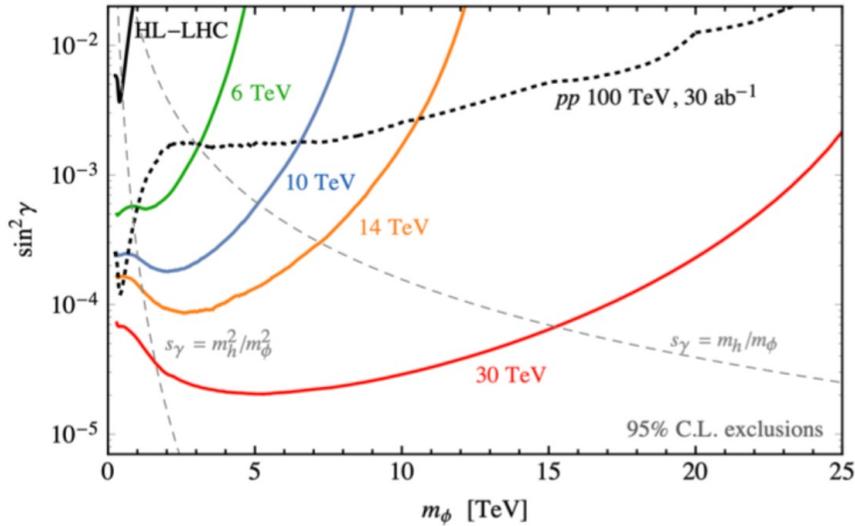
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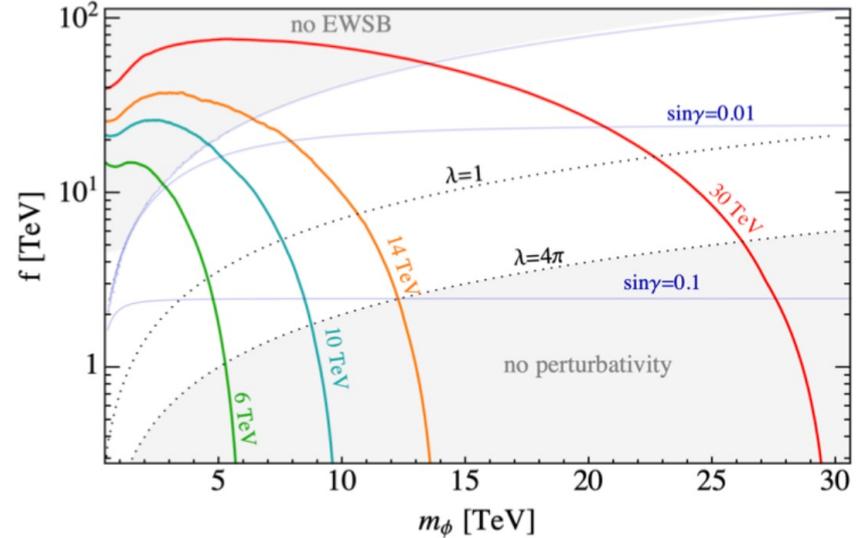
A few months of run could be sufficient for a discovery

Direct research: VBF scalar singlet production

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Exclusion contour for a scalar singlet of mass m_ϕ mixed with the Higgs boson with strength $\sin \gamma$.



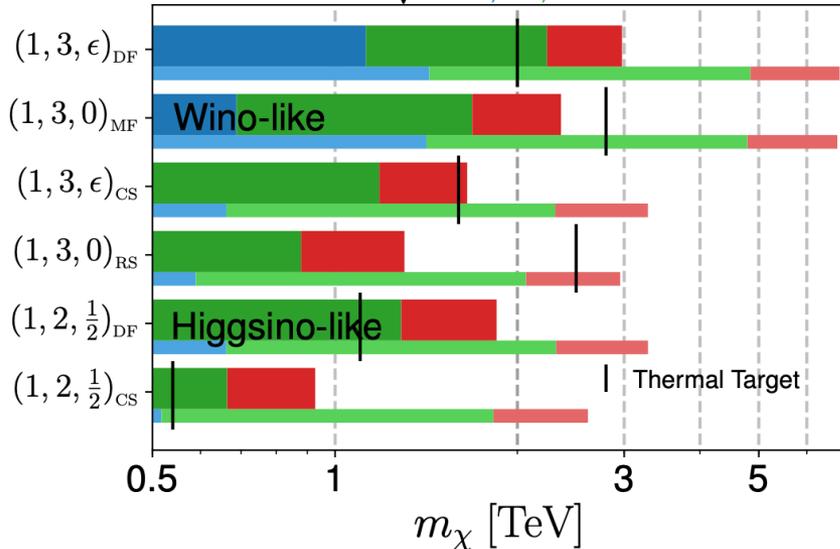
Reach in terms of the scale f in the Twin Higgs model

[Buttazzo et al., 1807.04743]

Direct research: minimal DM

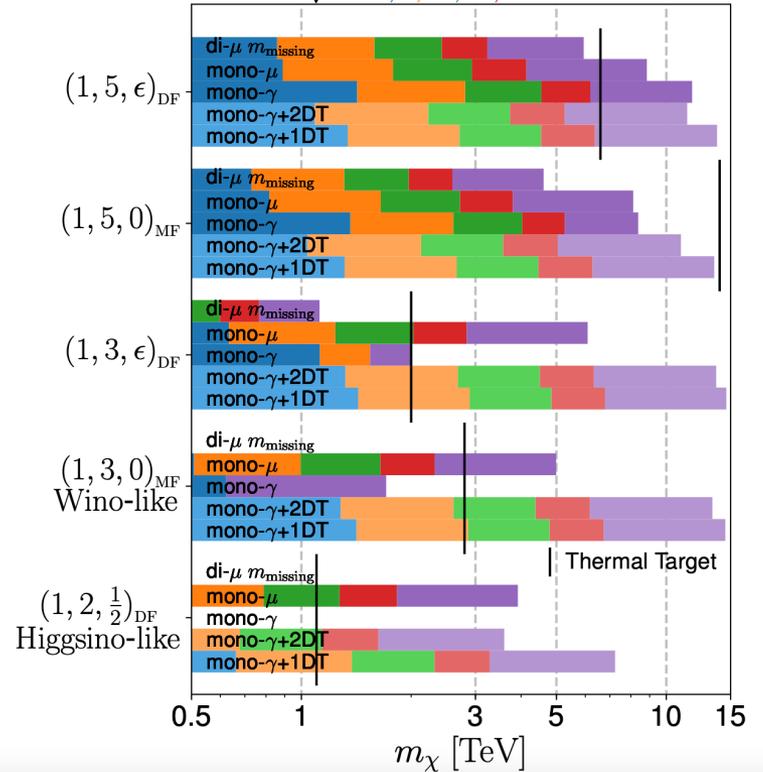
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Electroweak DM 2σ reach
 $\sqrt{s} = 3, 10, 14$ TeV



2σ exclusion of DM masses with horizontal (thick) bars for combined channels and various muon collider running scenarios by the different color codes. The thin bars are the estimation of the mono-photon plus one disappearing track search. The vertical bars indicate the thermal mass targets for the corresponding WIMP DM.

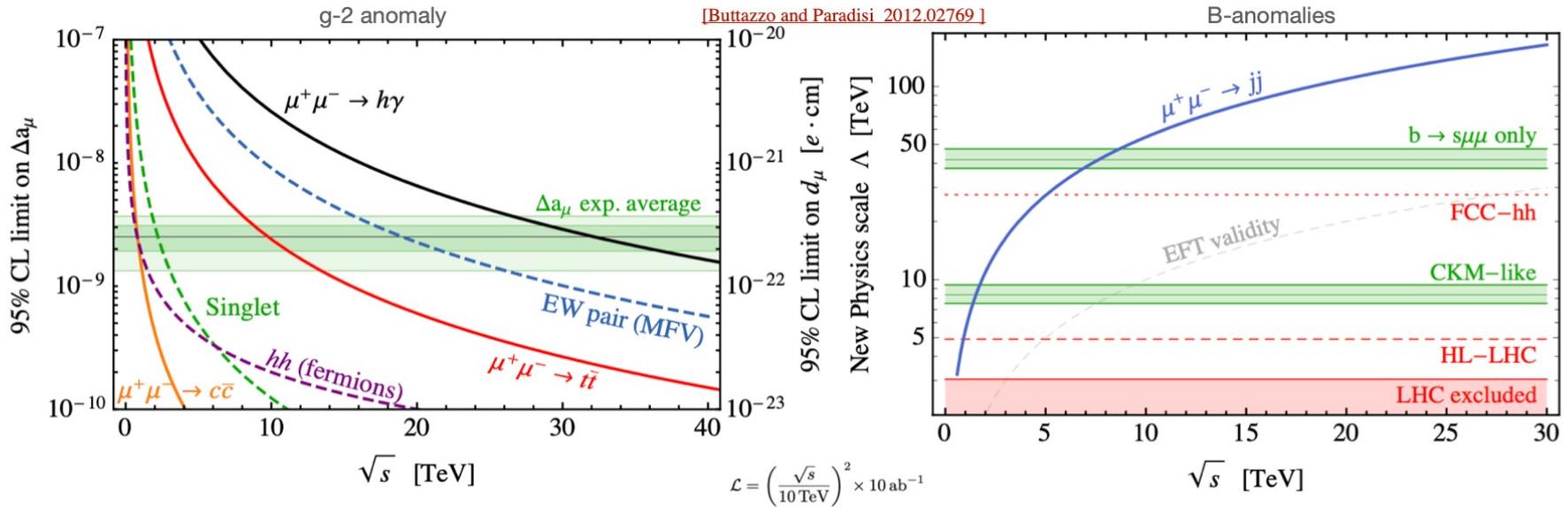
Fermion DM 2σ reach
 $\sqrt{s} = 3, 6, 10, 14, 30$ TeV



2σ exclusion of fermion DM masses with horizontal bars for individual search channels and muon collider energies by the different colors. The vertical bars indicate the thermal mass targets.

Anomalies: g-2 and B-anomalies: EFT scenarios

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Reach on the muon g-2 from high-energy measurements (solid lines), and from direct searches for new particles in explicit models (dashed lines).

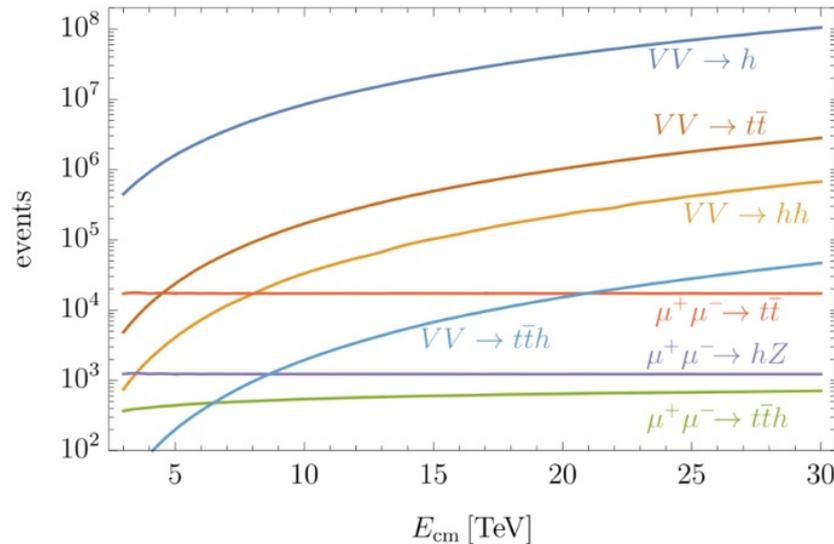
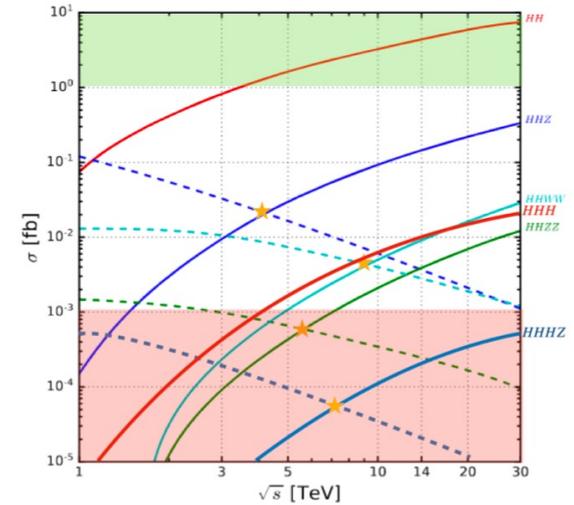
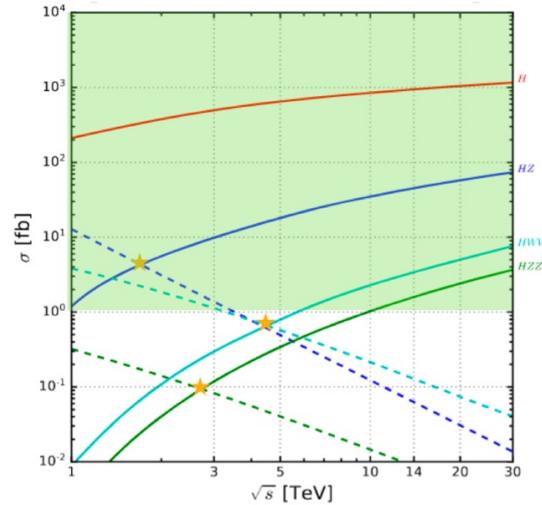
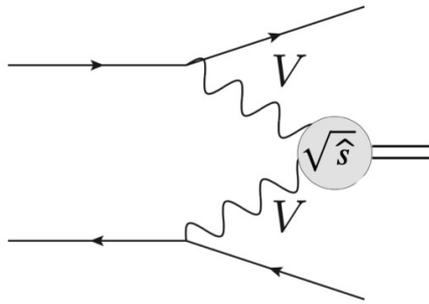
See also [Arakawa et al. 2208.14464]

Reach from $\mu\mu \rightarrow jj$ (solid line) on the scale Λ of semi-leptonic interactions that can account for the B-anomalies.

See also: [Azatov et al. 2205.13552]

Precision physics: Vector Boson Collider

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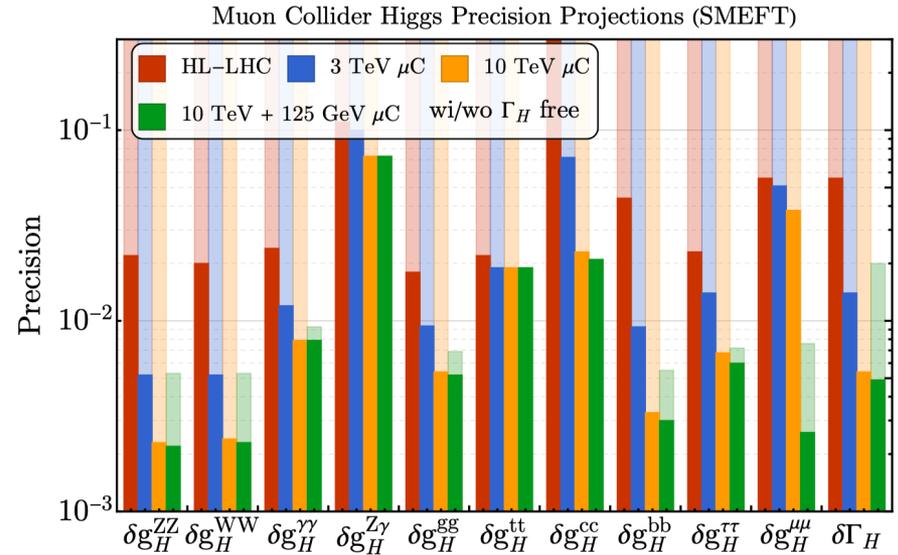
Higgs precision physics

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Higgs coupling sensitivities k-framework

	HL-LHC	HL-LHC +10 TeV	HL-LHC +10 TeV + ee
κ_W	1.7	0.1	0.1
κ_Z	1.5	0.4	0.1
κ_g	2.3	0.7	0.6
κ_γ	1.9	0.8	0.8
κ_c	-	2.3	1.1
κ_b	3.6	0.4	0.4
κ_μ	4.6	3.4	3.2
κ_τ	1.9	0.6	0.4
$\kappa_{Z\gamma}^*$	10	10	10
κ_t^*	3.3	3.1	3.1

* No input used for μ collider



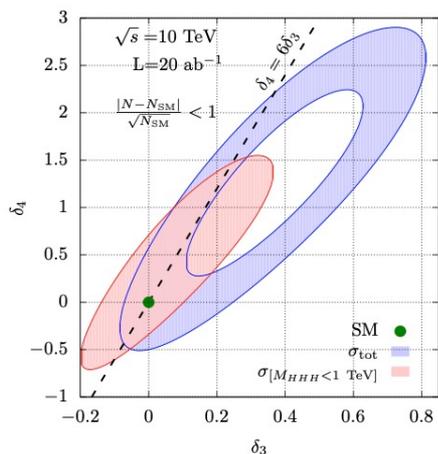
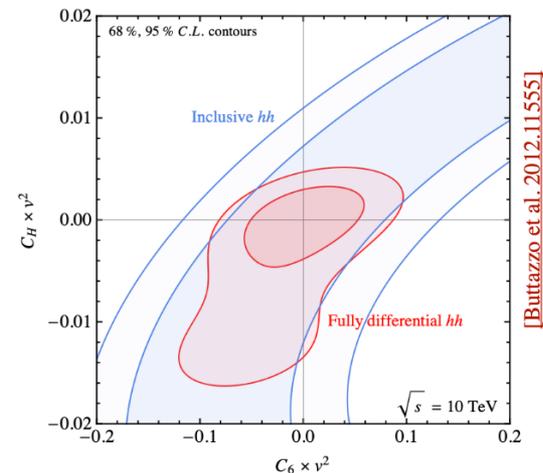
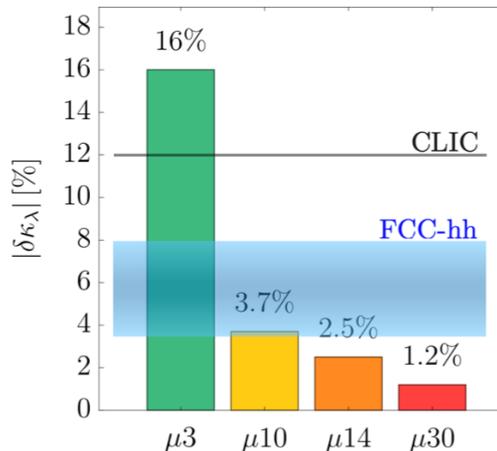
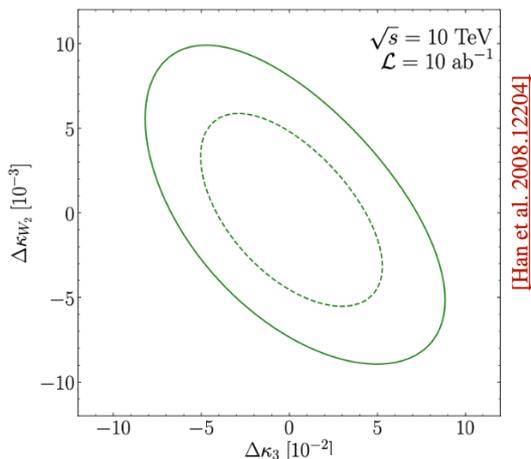
1σ sensitivities (in %) from a 10-parameter fit in the k-framework at a 10 TeV muon collider with 10 ab^{-1} , compared with HL-LHC. The effect of measurements from a 250 GeV $e+e-$ Higgs factory is also reported.

Higgs potential shape

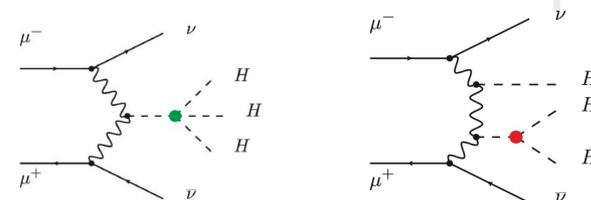
Reach on the trilinear coupling (and more) extremely competitive

[arXiv:2203.07256](https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.07256) Muon Collider Physics Summary

Higgs trilinear self-couplings



3 Higgs final state



Quadrilinear determination extremely challenging at any collider, due to limited sensitivity.

ILC $\sim [-10, 10]$
 CLIC $\sim [-5, 5]$
 FCC $\sim [-2, 4]$

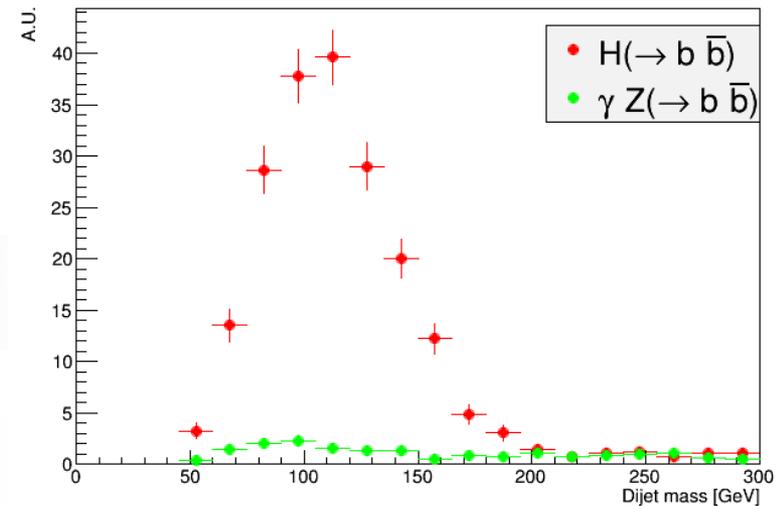
Very preliminary study points to the possibility of setting competitive bounds at a muon collider.

$H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ @ 1.5 TeV

JINST 15 (2020) 05, P05001

D. Lucchesi et al.

$\mu^+\mu^- \rightarrow H\nu\bar{\nu} \rightarrow b\bar{b}\nu\bar{\nu}$ + beam-induced background fully simulated



Higgs $b\bar{b}$ Couplings Results

- The instantaneous luminosity, \mathcal{L} , at different \sqrt{s} is taken from MAP.
- The acceptance, A , the number of signal events, N , and background, B , are determined with simulation.

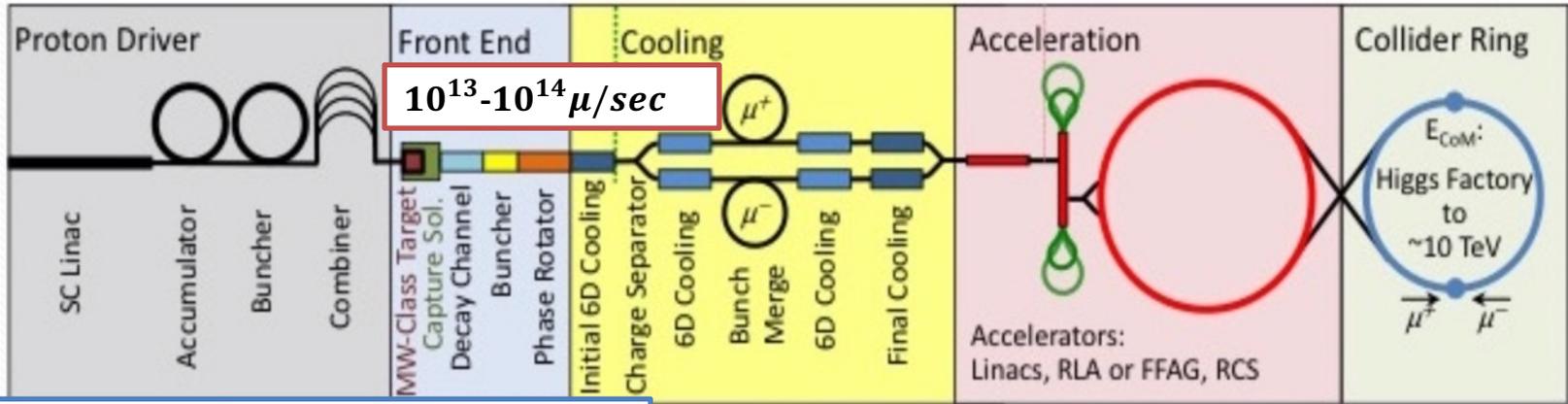
\sqrt{s} [TeV]	A [%]	ϵ [%]	\mathcal{L} [cm ⁻² s ⁻¹]	\mathcal{L}_{int} [ab ⁻¹]	σ [fb]	N	B	$\frac{\Delta\sigma}{\sigma}$ [%]	$\frac{\Delta g_{Hbb}}{g_{Hbb}}$ [%]
1.5	35	15	$1.25 \cdot 10^{34}$	0.5	203	5500	6700	2.0	1.9
3.0	37	15	$4.4 \cdot 10^{34}$	1.3	324	33000	7700	0.60	1.0
10	39	16	$2 \cdot 10^{35}$	8.0	549	270000	4400	0.20	0.91

	\sqrt{s} [TeV]	\mathcal{L}_{int} [ab ⁻¹]	$\frac{\Delta g_{Hbb}}{g_{Hbb}}$ [%]
Muon Collider	1.5	0.5	1.9
	3.0	1.3	1.0
	10	8.0	0.91
CLIC	0.35	0.5	3.0
	1.4	+1.5	1.0
	3.0	+2.0	0.9

CLIC numbers are obtained with a model-independent multi-parameter fit performed in three stages, taking into account data obtained at the three different energies.

Results published on JINST as [Detector and Physics Performance at a Muon Collider](#)

proton (MAP) vs positron driven muon source

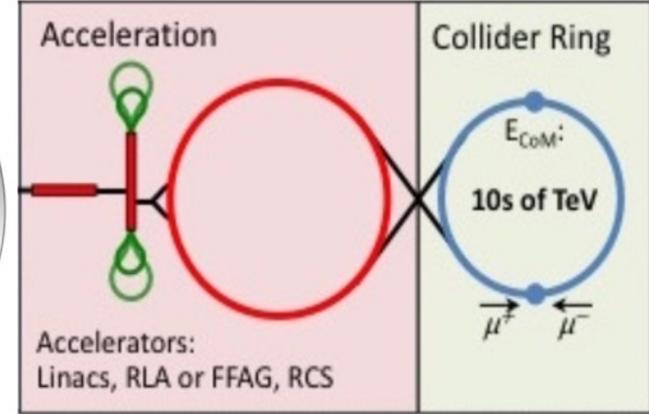
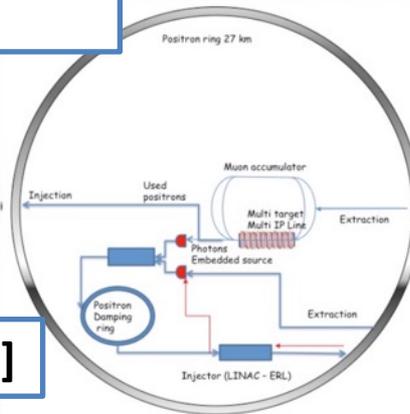


MUON JINST collection

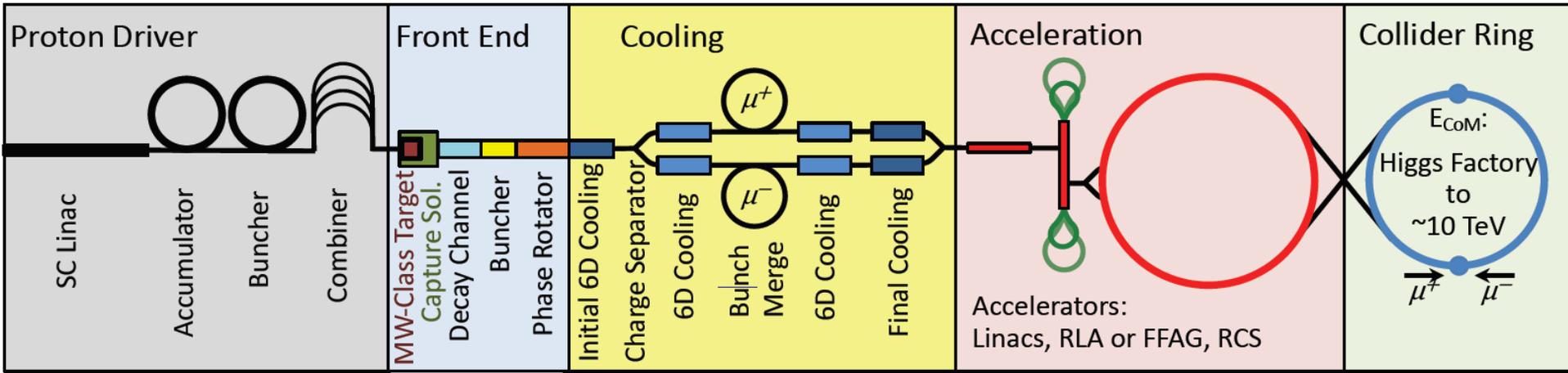
LEMMA

e+ source

[arXiv:1905.05747v2](https://arxiv.org/abs/1905.05747v2) [physics.acc-ph]



Proton-driven Muon Collider Concept



Short, intense proton bunches to produce hadronic showers

Pions decay into muons that can be captured

Muon are captured, bunched and then cooled

Acceleration to collision energy

Collision

MICE ionization cooling experiment

U.S. Muon Accelerator Program (MAP)



<http://map.fnal.gov/>

- Recommendation from 2008 Particle Physics Project Prioritization Panel (P5)
- Approved by DOE-HEP in 2011 → Ramp down recommended by P5 in 2014

AIM: to assess feasibility of technologies to develop muon accelerators for the Intensity and Energy Frontiers

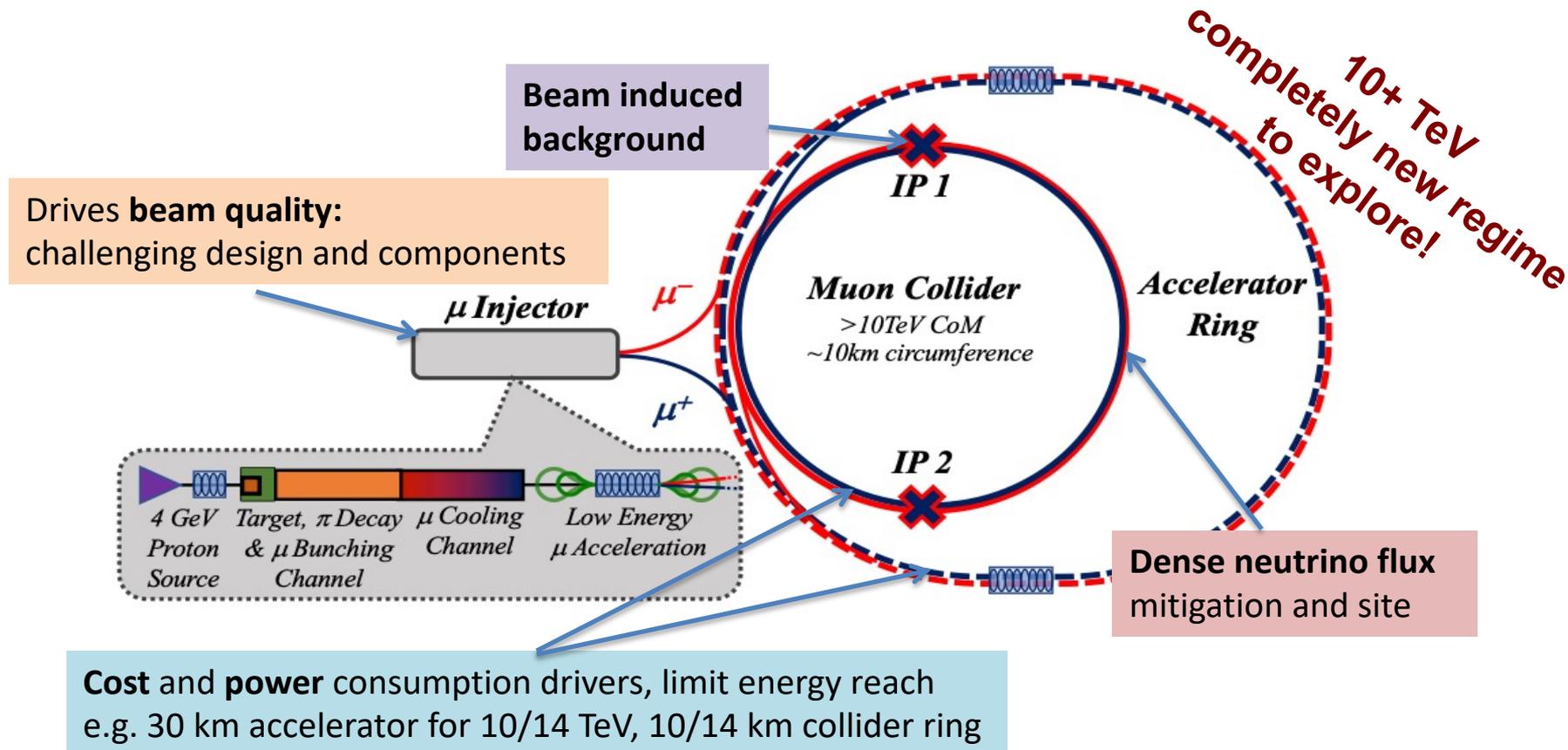
International Design Study facility

Proton driver production as baseline

- Focus on two energy ranges:

- 3 TeV technology ready for construction in 10-20 years

- 10+ TeV with more advanced technology



Luminosity and parameters goals

Target integrated luminosities

$$\mathcal{L} = (E_{\text{CM}}/10\text{TeV})^2 \times 10 \text{ ab}^{-1}$$

@ 3 TeV ~ 1 ab⁻¹ 5 years

@ 10 TeV ~ 10 ab⁻¹ 5 years

@ 14 TeV ~ 20 ab⁻¹ 5 years

Note: currently consider 3 TeV and either 10 or 14 TeV

- Tentative parameters achieve goal in 5 years
- FCC-hh to operate for 25 years
- Might integrate some margins
- Aim to have two detectors

Now study if these parameters lead to realistic design with acceptable cost and power

Tentative target parameters Scaled from MAP parameters

Comparison:
CLIC at 3 TeV: 28 MW

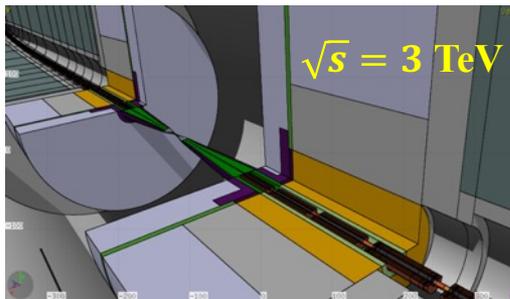
Parameter	Unit	3 TeV	10 TeV	14 TeV
L	10 ³⁴ cm ⁻² s ⁻¹	1.8	20	40
N	10 ¹²	2.2	1.8	1.8
f _r	Hz	5	5	5
P _{beam}	MW	5.3	14.4	20
C	km	4.5	10	14
	T	7	10.5	10.5
ε _L	MeV m	7.5	7.5	7.5
σ _E / E	%	0.1	0.1	0.1
σ _z	mm	5	1.5	1.07
β	mm	5	1.5	1.07
ε	μm	25	25	25
σ _{x,y}	μm	3.0	0.9	0.63

Machine Detector Interface

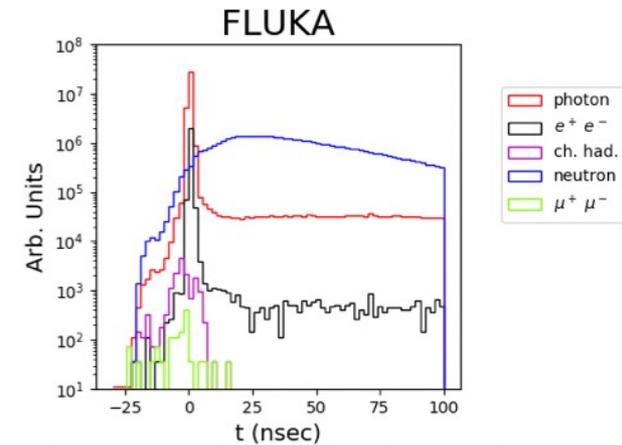
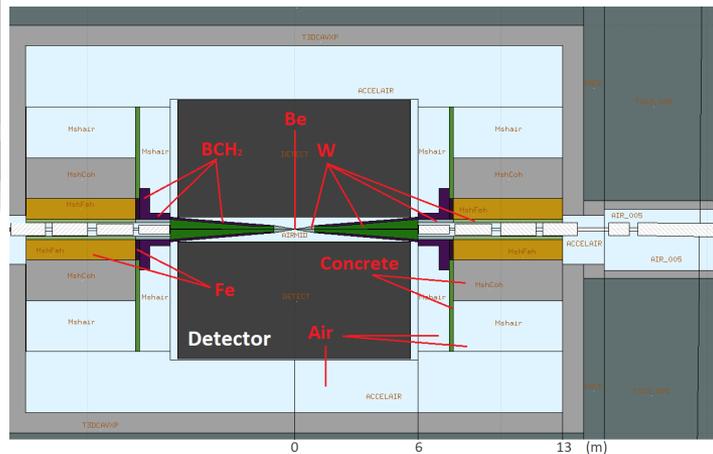
Advanced assessment of beam-induced background at a muon collider

F. Collamati, C. Curatolo, D. Lucchesi, A. Mereghetti, P. Sala *et al.* 2021 [JINST 16 P11009](#)

Study Beam-Induced Background @ $\sqrt{s} = 1.5$ and 3 TeV, using MAP lattice – nozzle optimized at 1.5 TeV



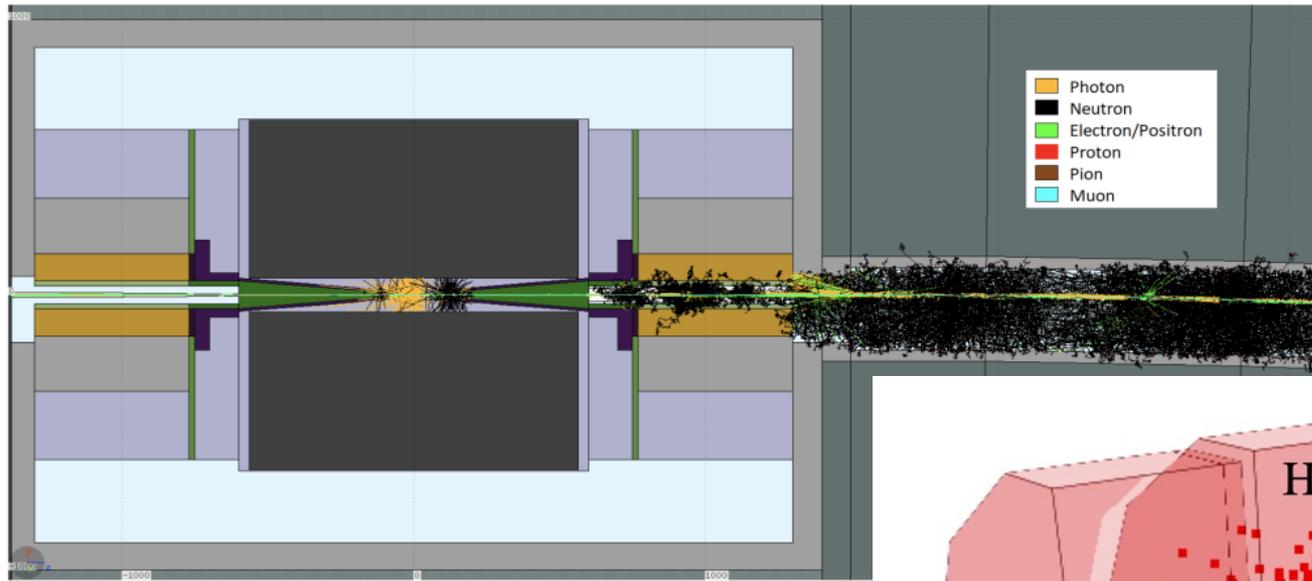
LineBuilder + FLUKA simulation



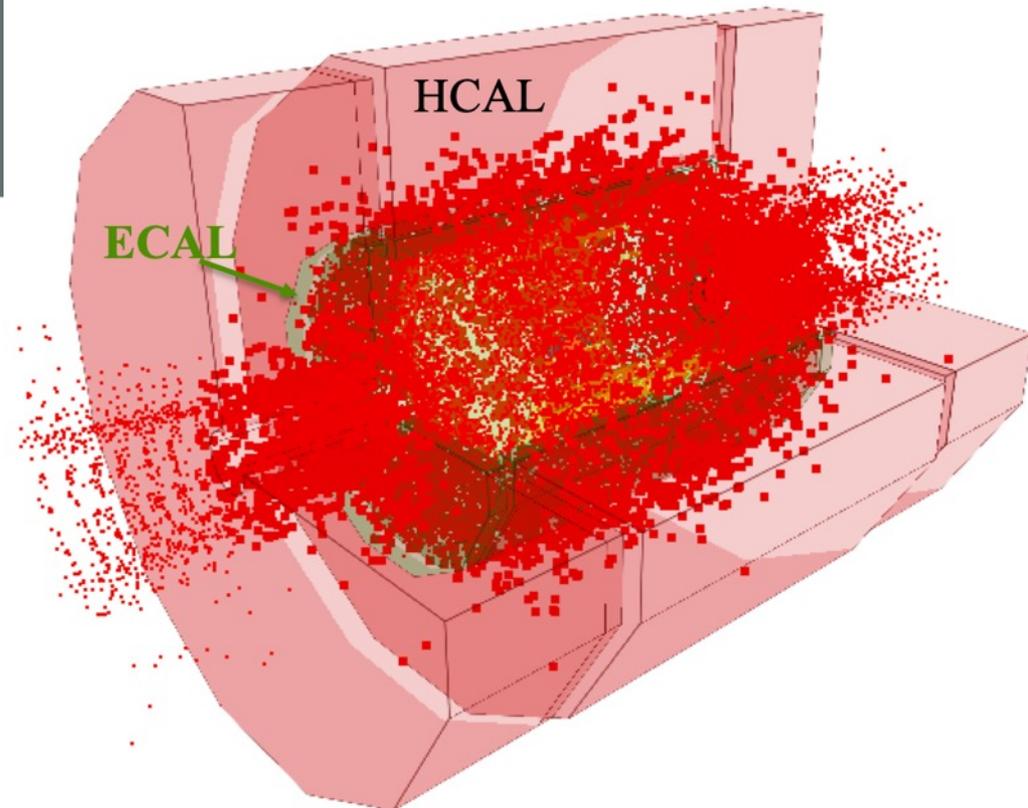
➔ first lattice and MDI studies @ 10 TeV by CERN

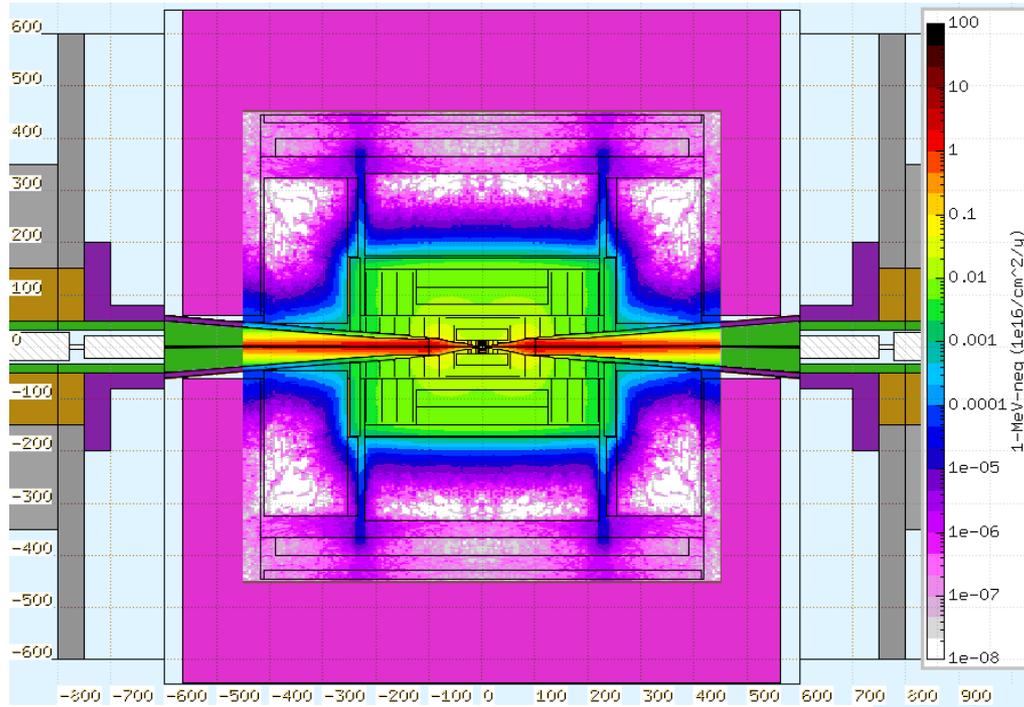
The machine elements, MDI and interaction region must be properly designed and optimized @ each collider energy

Beam Induced Background



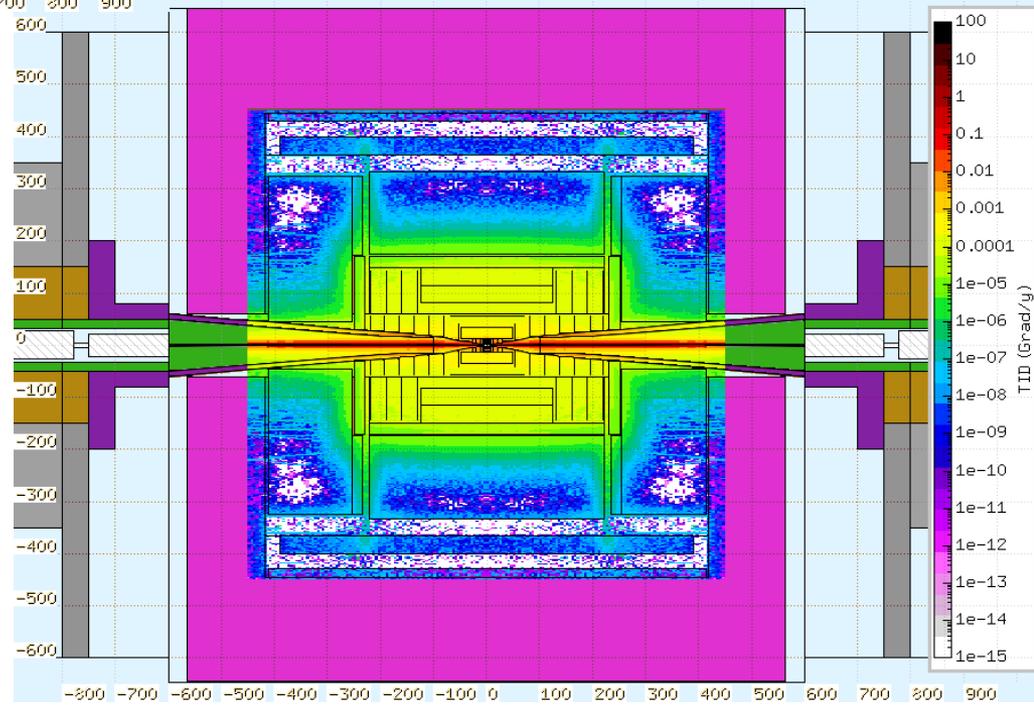
FLUKA simulation





*1 MeV n_{eq}
fluence/year @ 3 TeV*

TID/year @ 3 TeV

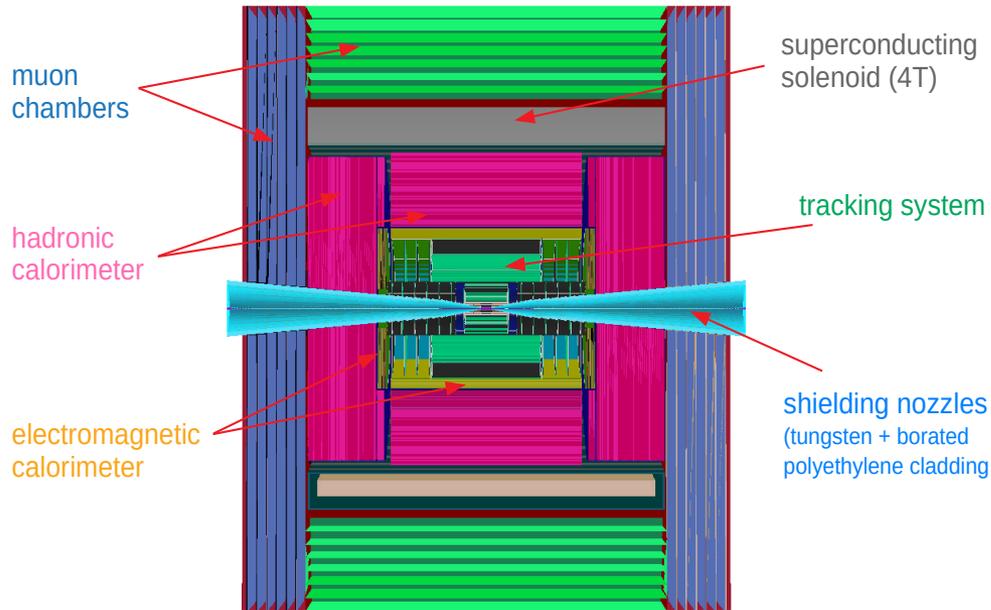


Detector studies @ $\sqrt{s} = 1.5 \text{ TeV}$

[arXiv:2203.07964](https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.07964) Simulated Detector Performance at the Muon Collider

[arXiv:2203.07224](https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.07224) Promising Technologies and R&D Directions for the Future Muon Collider Detectors

Synergies with AIDAInnova EU project



- CLIC Detector technologies adopted with important tracker modifications to cope with BIB
- Detector design optimization at $\sqrt{s}=1.5$ (3) TeV

Vertex Detector (VXD)

- 4 double-sensor barrel layers $25 \times 25 \mu\text{m}^2$
- 4+4 double-sensor disks $25 \times 25 \mu\text{m}^2$

Inner Tracker (IT)

- 3 barrel layers $50 \times 50 \mu\text{m}^2$
- 7+7 disks "

Outer Tracker (OT)

- 3 barrel layers $50 \times 50 \mu\text{m}^2$
- 4+4 disks "

Electromagnetic Calorimeter (ECAL)

- 40 layers W absorber and silicon pad sensors, $5 \times 5 \text{ mm}^2$

Hadron Calorimeter (HCAL)

- 60 layers steel absorber & plastic scintillating tiles, $30 \times 30 \text{ mm}^2$

R&D Detector

LGAD
ECAL PbF2 CRILIN
HCAL-gas
mu_picosec

TO BE IMPROVED
TUNED at higher \sqrt{s}

B = 3.57 T to be
studied and tuned

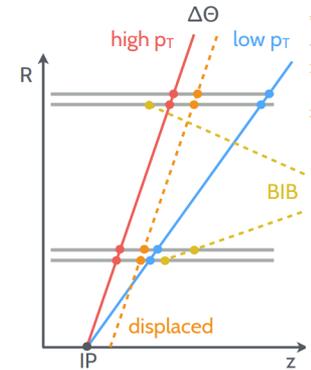
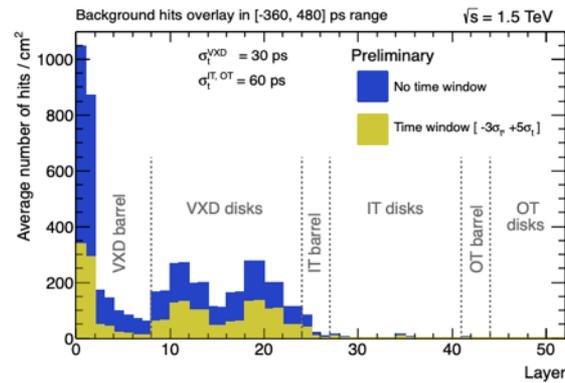
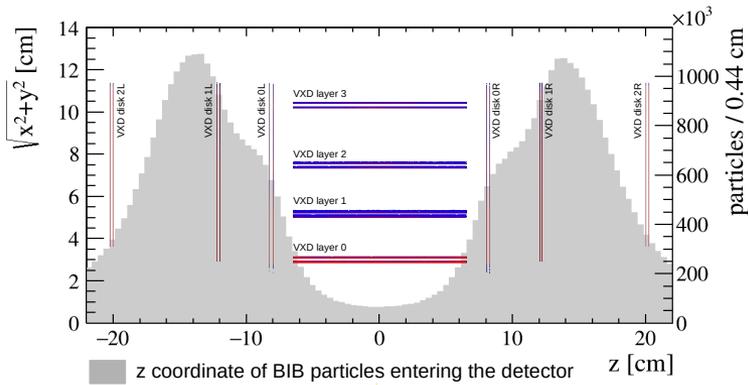
Full simulation available on [public repository](#)

Quite advanced conceptual design for 1.5 TeV and 3 TeV

➔ More R&D on technologies required @ 10+ TeV

Tracker detector @ 1.5 TeV

Max radiation tolerance NIEL: 0.5×10^{16} neq/cm²/year
 Max radiation tolerance TID: 300 Mrad/year



- Vertex detector properly designed to not overlap with the BIB hottest spots around IR
- Timing window applied to reduce hits from out-of-time BIB
- Granularity optimized to ensure $\lesssim 1\%$ occupancy
- Realistic digitization in progress \rightarrow BIB suppression based on cluster shape
- If primary vertex could be known before \rightarrow effective angular matching of hit doublets
- To be tuned in presence of secondary vertices or long-lived particles

Calorimeters and Muon detectors

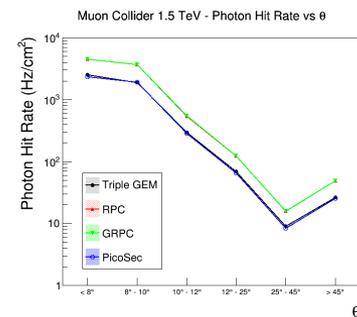
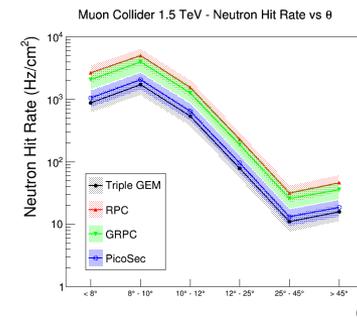
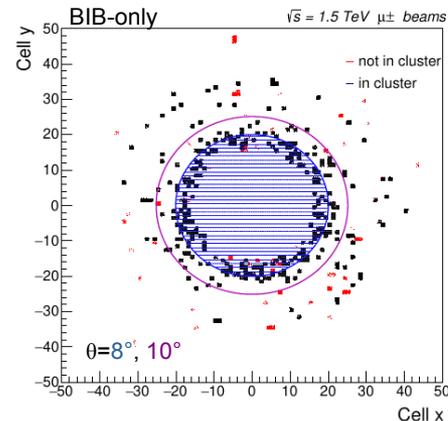
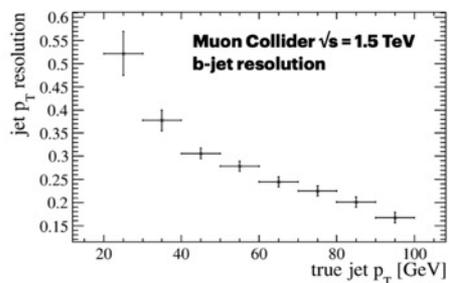
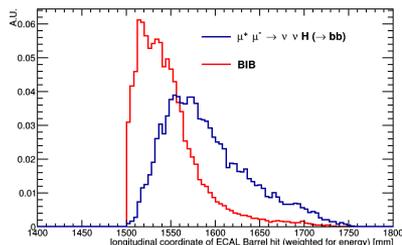
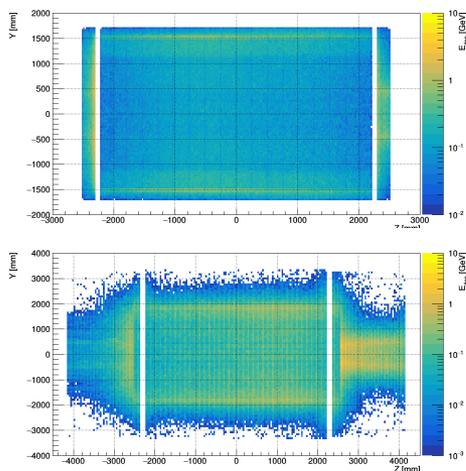
timing and longitudinal measurements play a key role in the BIB suppression

Muon System

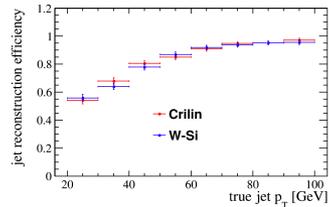
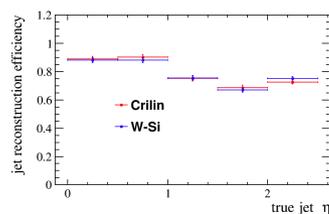
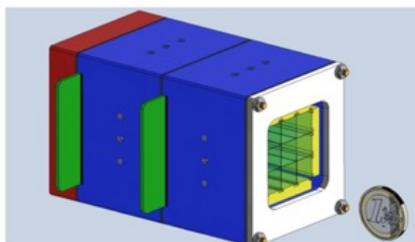
Low BIB contribution, concentrated in the low-radius endcap region

Calorimeters

BIB deposits large amount of energy in both ECAL and HCAL



Investigating new technologies for R&D



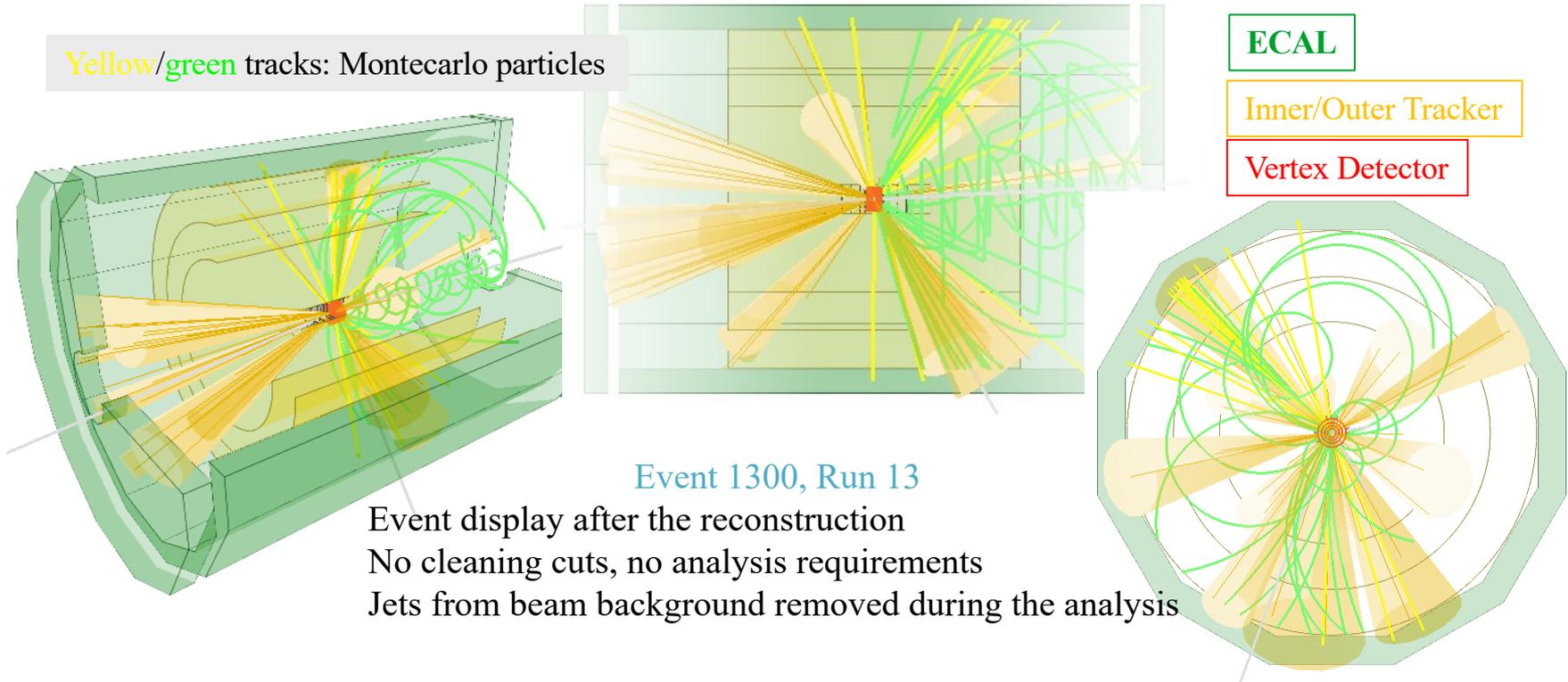
Innovative and computationally efficient event-reconstruction approaches are needed

High Precision Measurements

Donatella Lucchesi et al.

$\mu^+ \mu^- \rightarrow Hx \rightarrow b\bar{b}x$ with Beam-Induced Background at 3 TeV

Yellow/green tracks: Montecarlo particles



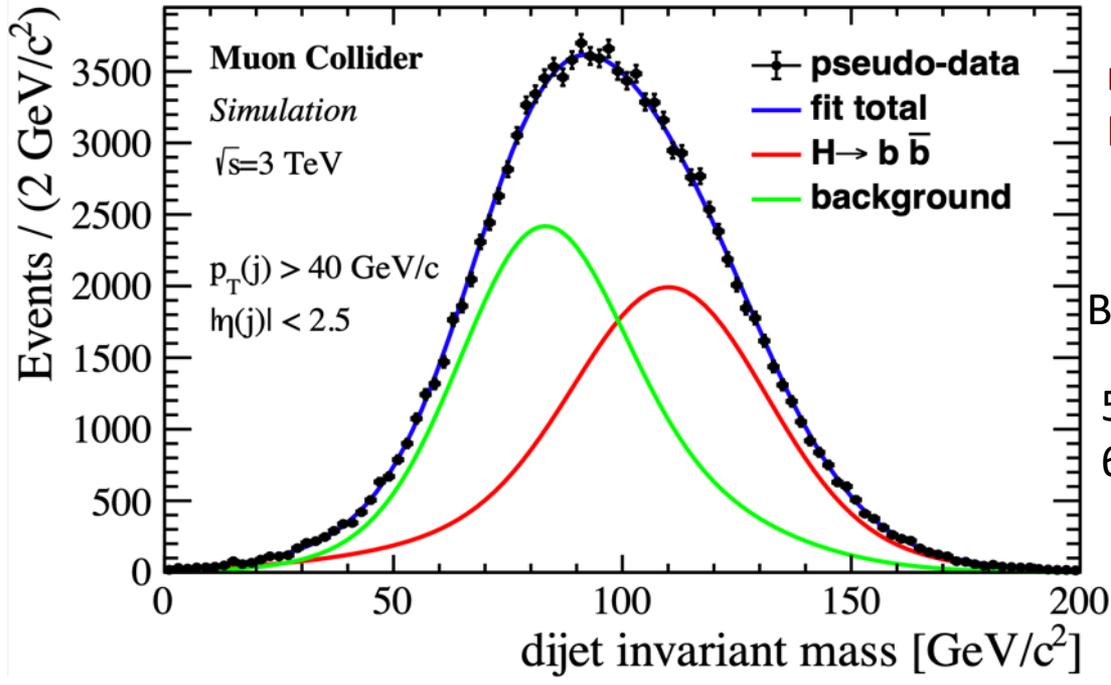
Event 1300, Run 13
Event display after the reconstruction
No cleaning cuts, no analysis requirements
Jets from beam background removed during the analysis

Different physics benchmark simulated with Beam-Induced Background at 3 TeV to demonstrate feasibility and physics potential reach

[arXiv:2203.07261](https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.07261) The physics case of a 3 TeV muon collider stage
[arXiv:2203.07964](https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.07964) Simulated Detector Performance at the Muon Collider

$\mu+\mu-\rightarrow H(\rightarrow b\bar{b})+X$

@ 3 TeV - 1 ab⁻¹



relative statistical uncertainty on $H\rightarrow b\bar{b}$ cross section of 0.75% found

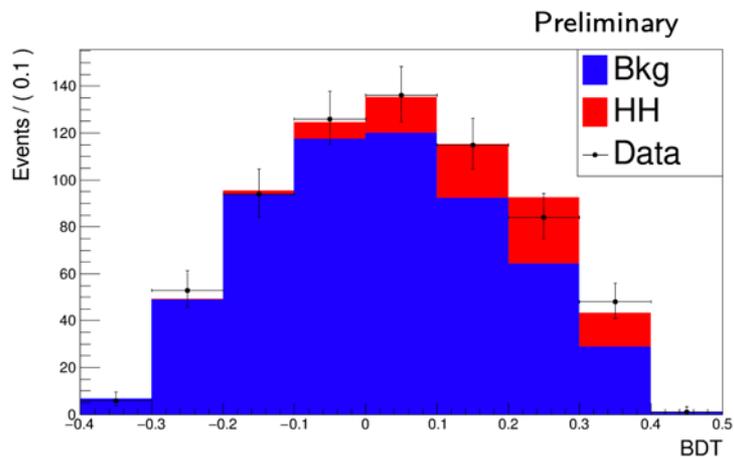
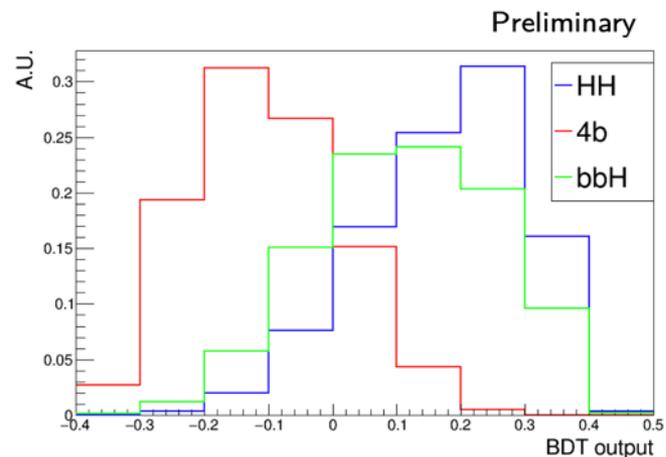
Background $\mu+\mu-\rightarrow qq+X$ (with $q=b$ or c)

59.5k signal events and 65.4k background events expected

WHIZARD+Pythia8 simulation @ 3 TeV

50 HH and 432 background

Uncertainty on $HH\rightarrow b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$ cross section of about 30% found



Accelerator R&D Roadmap

Bright Muon Beams and Muon Colliders

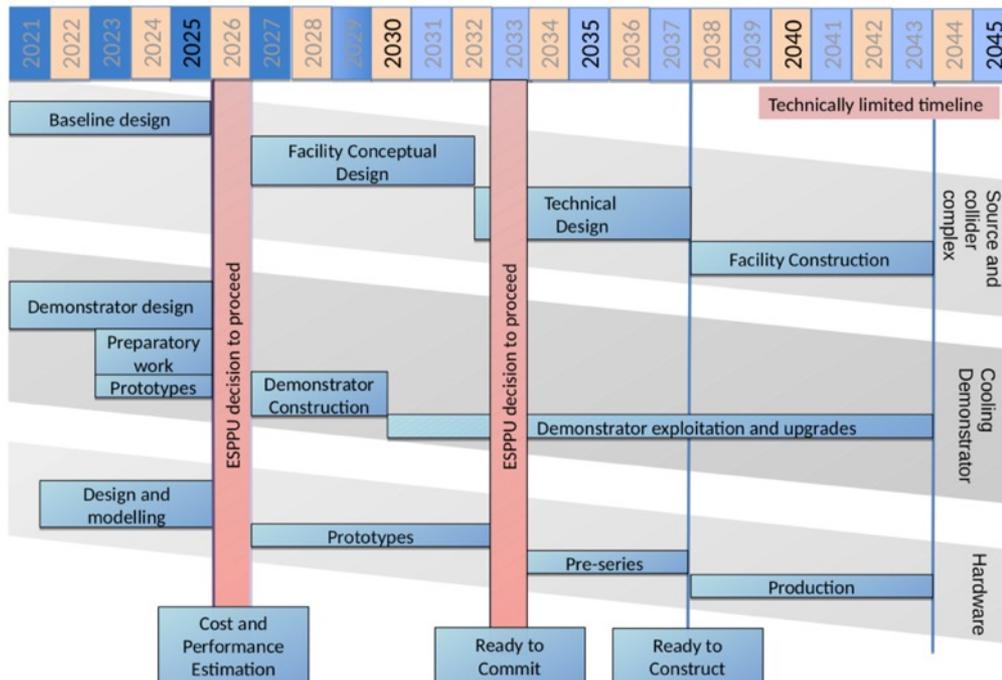
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Associated members: A. Grudiev, R. Losito, D. Lucchesi



Intense preparation and review activities in 2021:
3 [Community Meetings](#) (May, July, October) and
a dedicated [Muon Collider Physics and Detector Workshop](#)

presented to CERN Council in December and
published <https://arxiv.org/abs/2201.07895>
now under implementation by LDG + Council...



*Technically limited
timeline*

**A 3 TeV muon collider could be
ready by 2045,
as reviewed by the Roadmap**

International Context

- **Laboratory Directors' Group (LDG) initiated a muon collider collaboration July 2, 2020**
- **CERN Medium Term Plan 2021-2025** - dedicated budget line – ~2MCHF/year
mainly to cover machine up to MDI activities
- **International Design Study based at CERN → MoC signed by Funding Agencies/several Institutes**
the project encompasses physics, machine, detector and Machine Detector Interface
- **European LDG Accelerator R&D Roadmap → implementation after Council Dec 2021**
dedicated Muon Beams Panel - but also synergies in High field magnets, RF and ERL
- **European ECFA Detector R&D Roadmap → implementation after Council Dec 2021**
Muon collider @ 10 TeV is one of the targeted facilities emerging from the EPPSU
- **US Snowmass'21 Muon Collider Forum since 2021 – [Muon Collider Forum Report](#) Sept 2022**
- **Snowmass/P5 process in the US → ready by Fall 2023**
- **HORIZON-INFRA-2022-DEV-01-01 EU project MuCol approved July 2022 and January 2023**
Research infrastructure concept development for design study → supported by TIARA

Project Leader:
Daniel Schulte

Collaboration Meeting of the Muon Collider Study @ CERN
October 11-14, 2022 <https://indico.cern.ch/event/1175126/>

Accelerator R&D Roadmap

Bright Muon Beams and Muon Colliders

International Design Study Collaboration GOAL

In time for the next European Strategy for Particle Physics Update, aim to **establish whether the investment into a full CDR and a demonstrator is scientifically justified**

The Panel endorsed this ambition and concludes that:

- the MC presents enormous potential for fundamental physics research at the energy frontier
 - ➔ it is the future direction toward high-energy, high-luminosity lepton collider
 - ➔ it can be an option as next project after HL-LHC (i.e. operation mid2040s)
- at this stage the panel did not identify any showstopper in the concept and sees strong support of the feasibility from previous studies
- it identified important R&D challenges

The panel has identified a development path that can address the major challenges and deliver a 3 TeV muon collider by 2045

Key Challenge Areas

- **Physics potential** evaluation, including **detector concept and technologies**
- Impact on the environment
 - **Neutrino flux mitigation** and its impact on the site (first concept exists)
 - **Machine Induced Background** impact the detector, and might limit physics
- **High-energy systems** after the cooling (acceleration, collision, ...)
 - Fast-ramping magnet systems
 - High-field magnets (in particular for 10+ TeV)
- **High-quality muon beam production**
 - Special RF and high peak power
 - Superconducting solenoids
 - Cooling string demonstration (cell engineering design, demonstrator design)
- **Full accelerator chain**
 - e.g. proton complex with H⁻ source, compressor ring → test of target material

High energy complex requires known components
→ synergies with other future colliders

Plan

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Scenarios

Aspirational		Minimal	
[FTEy]	[kCHF]	[FTEy]	[kCHF]
445.9	11875	193	2445

~70 Meu/5 years

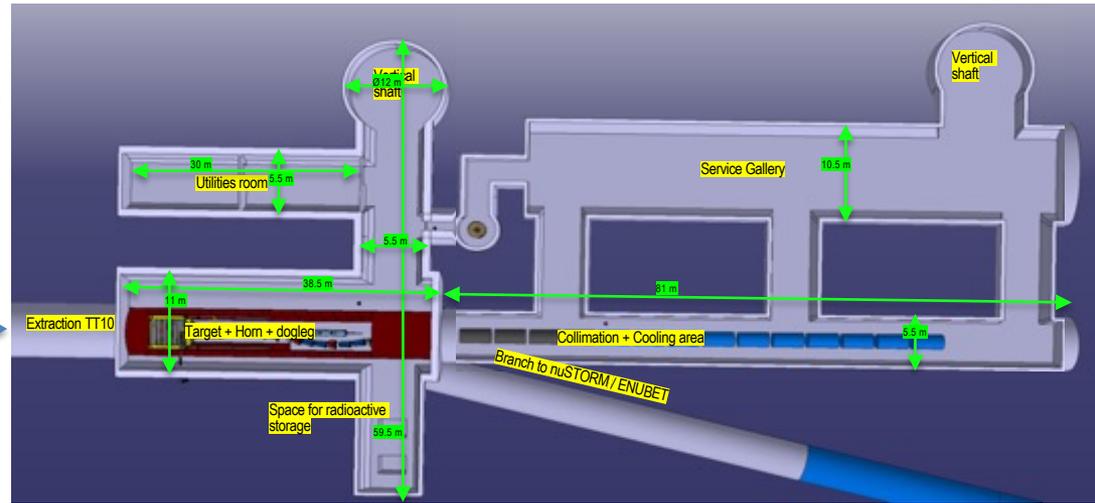
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MC.SITE	2021	2025	Site and layout	15.5	300	13.5	300
MC.NF	2022	2026	Neutrino flux mitigation system	22.5	250	0	0
MC.MDI	2021	2025	Machine-detector interface	15	0	15	0
MC.ACC.CR	2022	2025	Collider ring	10	0	10	0
MC.ACC.HE	2022	2025	High-energy complex	11	0	7.5	0
MC.ACC.MC	2021	2025	Muon cooling systems	47	0	22	0
MC.ACC.P	2022	2026	Proton complex	26	0	3.5	0
MC.ACC.COLL	2022	2025	Collective effects across complex	18.2	0	18.2	0
MC.ACC.ALT	2022	2025	High-energy alternatives	11.7	0	0	0
MC.HFM.HE	2022	2025	High-field magnets	6.5	0	6.5	0
MC.HFM.SOL	2022	2026	High-field solenoids	76	2700	29	0
MC.FR	2021	2026	Fast-ramping magnet system	27.5	1020	22.5	520
MC.RF.HE	2021	2026	High Energy complex RF	10.6	0	7.6	0
MC.RF.MC	2022	2026	Muon cooling RF	13.6	0	7	0
MC.RF.TS	2024	2026	RF test stand + test cavities	10	3300	0	0
MC.MOD	2022	2026	Muon cooling test module	17.7	400	4.9	100
MC.DEM	2022	2026	Cooling demonstrator design	34.1	1250	3.8	250
MC.TAR	2022	2026	Target system	60	1405	9	25
MC.INT	2022	2026	Coordination and integration	13	1250	13	1250
			Sum	445.9	11875	193	2445

Demonstrator and test facilities

(Muon production) and Cooling Demonstrator @ CERN

**Strong synergies with
nuSTORM and ENUBET**

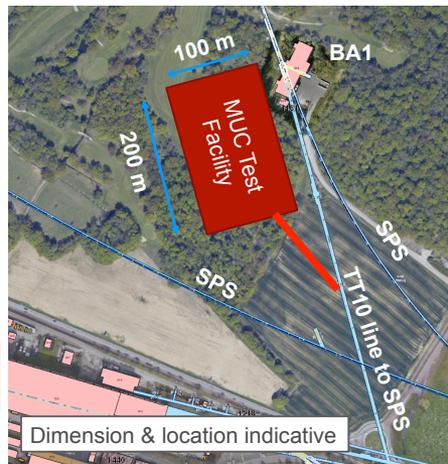
First attempt to design a site
Great opportunity to contribute



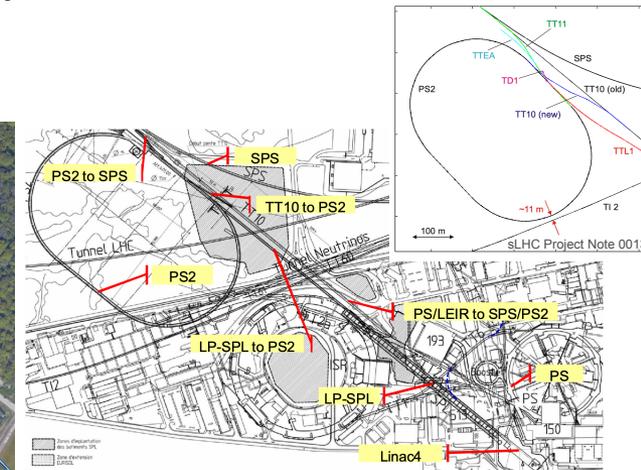
It could be close to TT10, and inject beam from PS
It would be on molasse,
no radiation to ground water

Test facilities for enabling technologies:
RF, Magnets, Target materials.....

Strong synergies with other future projects

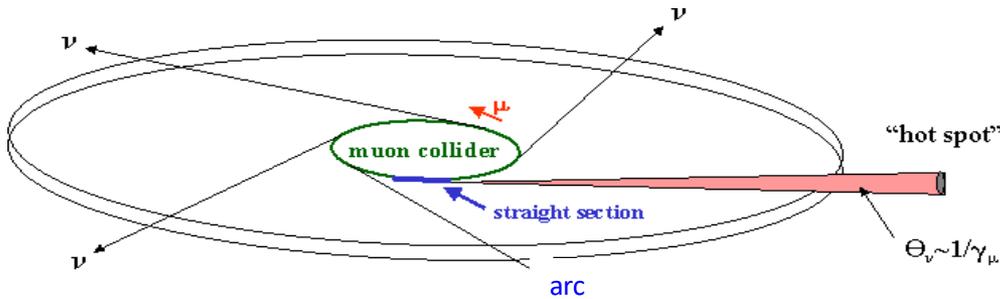


Dimension & location indicative



M. Benedikt, LHC Performance Workshop, Chamonix 2010
CERN-AB-2007-061

Neutrino Flux Mitigation

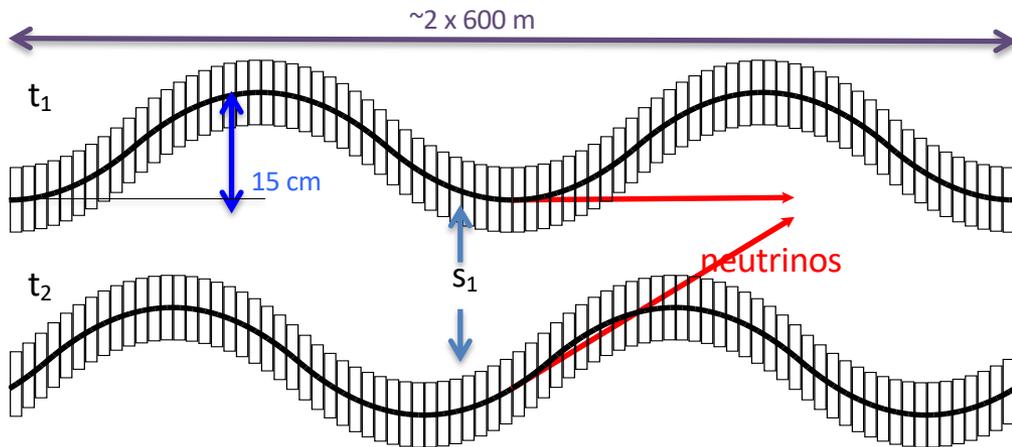


Legal limit 1 mSv/year
 MAP goal < 0.1 mSv/year
 Our goal: arcs below threshold for legal procedure < 10 μ Sv/year
 LHC achieved < 5 μ Sv/year

3 TeV, 200 m deep tunnel is about OK

Need mitigation of arcs at 10+ TeV:

idea of Mokhov, Ginneken to move beam in aperture
 our approach: move collider ring components, e.g. vertical bending with 1% of main field



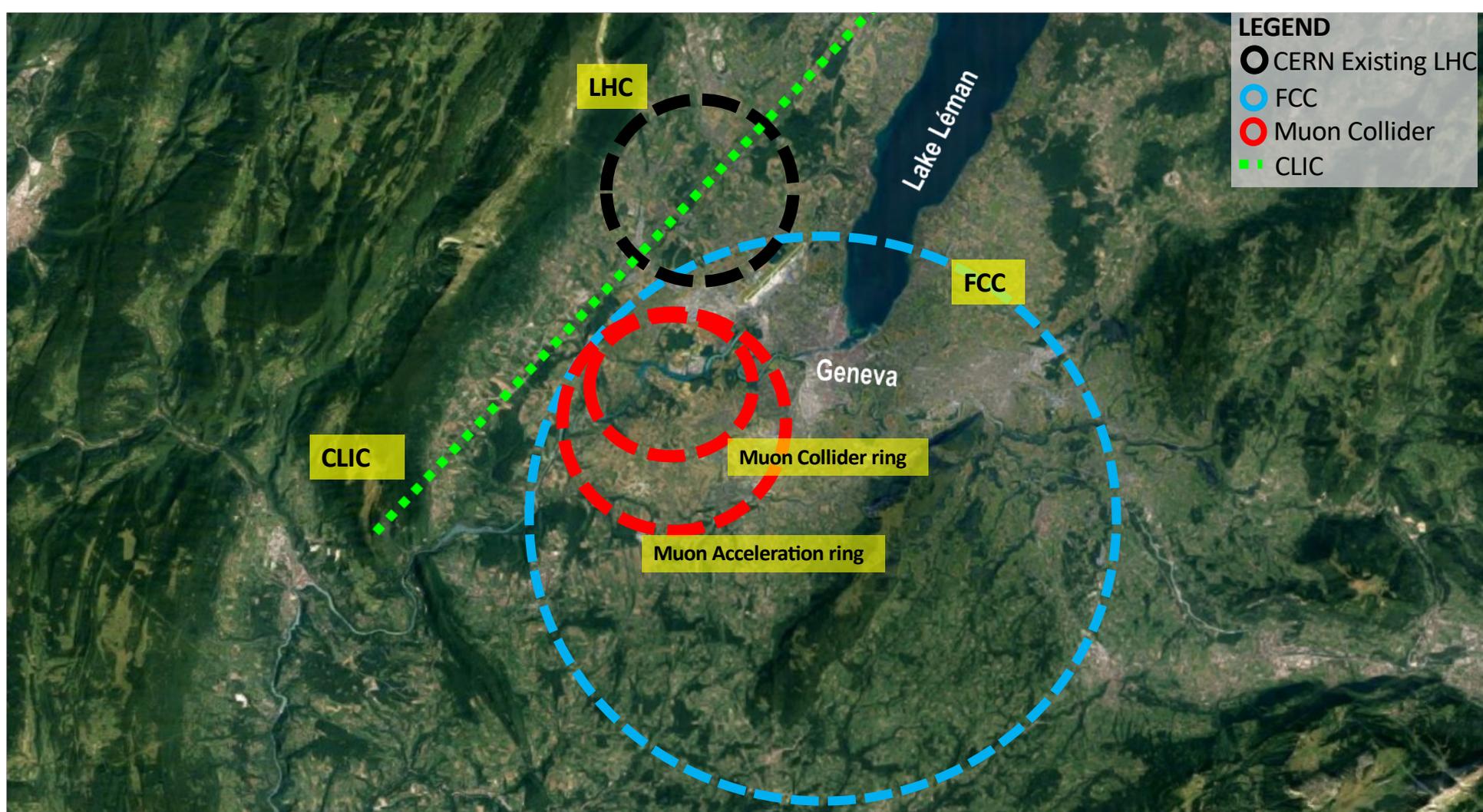
Opening angle ± 1 mrad

14 TeV, in 200 m deep tunnel comparable to LHC case

Need to study mover system, magnet, connections and impact on beam

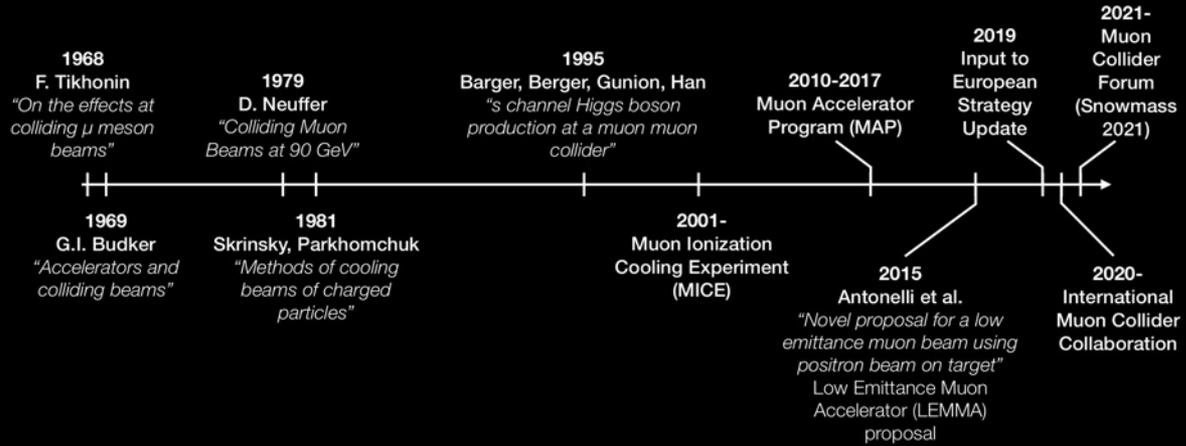
Working on different approaches for experimental insertion

Footprint possible future colliders @ CERN

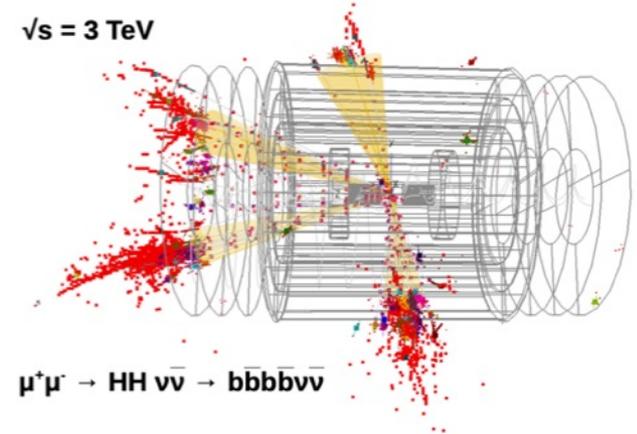


A brief history of muon colliders

(A wholly incomplete timeline)



$\sqrt{s} = 3 \text{ TeV}$



- New key technologies are becoming available
 - ➔ Time scale is becoming realistic for a multi-TeV collider
- New Physics opportunities
 - ➔ Higher energy = Higher luminosity
 - ➔ Direct searches+precision – reach physics program

Advances in detector and accelerator pair with the opportunities of the physics case

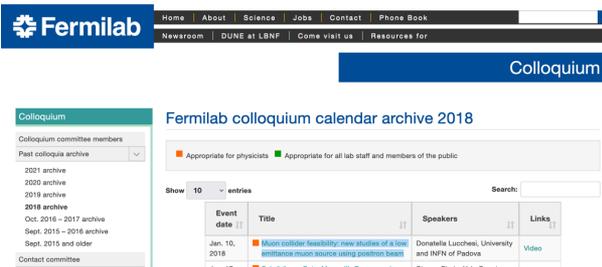
**Collaboration Meeting of the Muon Collider Study @ IJCLab
June 19-23, 2023**

A growing collaboration



<http://map.fnal.gov/>

U.S. Muon Accelerator Program (MAP)



Padova July 2018

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CERN April 2019

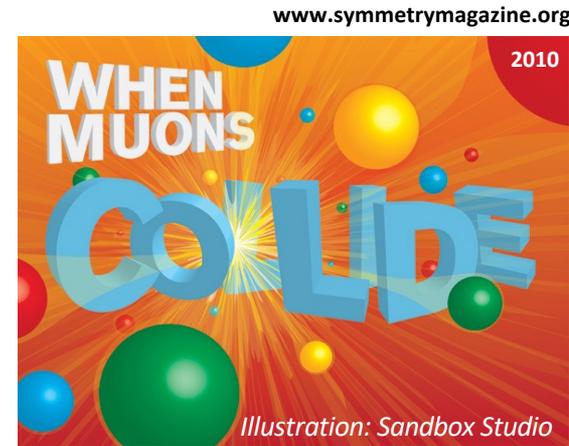
85
CERN October 2019

165
Remote March 2020

272
Remote July 2020

153-113
Remote Community May-Oct 2021

187
CERN October 2022



Thanks for the attention!

- **CERN website**
<https://muoncollider.web.cern.ch/>
- **INFN Confluence website: full simulation**
<https://confluence.infn.it/display/muoncollider>
- **International Design Study Indico @ CERN**
<https://indico.cern.ch/category/11818/>
- **Muon Collider SnowMass Forum USA**
<https://indico.fnal.gov/event/47038/>

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Design Study activities: EU project MuCol

**Total EU budget 3 Meu - 48 months -
18(+14) beneficiaries (associated)**

**HORIZON-INFRA-2022-DEV-01-01:
Research infrastructure concept development**

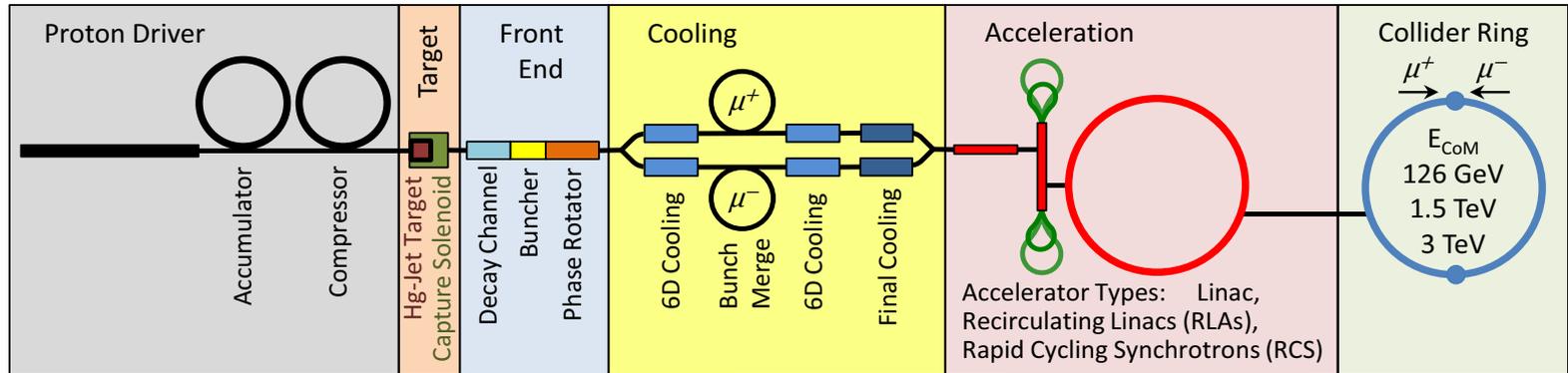
The MuCol study will produce a coherent description of a novel particle accelerator complex that will collide muons of opposite charge at the energy frontier. The study will target a centre-of-mass energy (ECM) of 10 TeV with 3 TeV envisaged as a first stage.

The main outcome of MuCol will be a report documenting the facility design that should demonstrate that:

- the physics case of the muon collider is sound and detector systems can yield sufficient resolution and rejection of backgrounds;
- there are no principle technology showstoppers that will prevent the achievement of a satisfactory performance from the accelerator or from the detectors side;
- the muon collider provides a highly sustainable energy frontier facility as compared to other equivalent colliders;
- exploiting synergies with other scientific and industrial R&D projects, a valuable platform to provide Europe a leading edge not only in terms of discovery potential, but also for the development of associated technologies.

The final report will include a thorough assessment of benefits and risks of the accelerator and detector complex, including an evaluation of the scientific, industrial and societal return beyond high-energy physics, the cost scale and sustainability of the complex and the impact arising from an implementation on the CERN site.

MAP to International Design Study



- Based on 6-8 GeV Linac Source
- H- stripping requirements similar to neutrino ones

- high power target
- π production in high-field solenoid

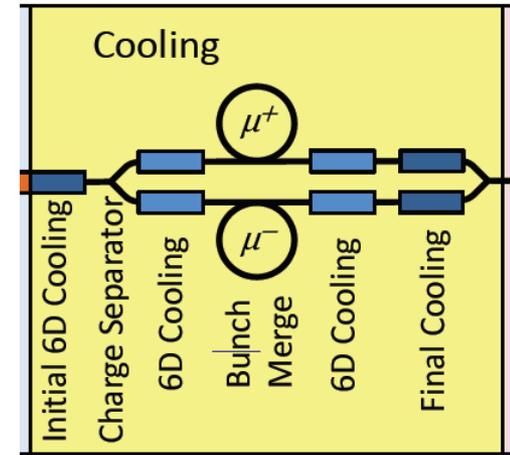
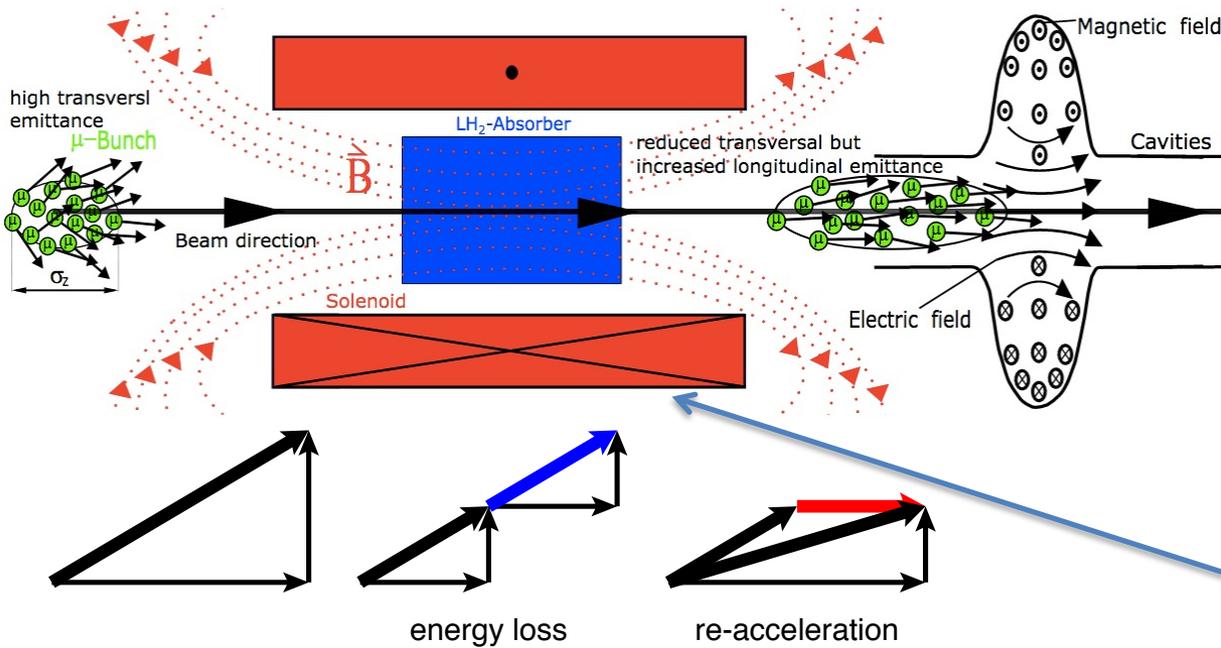
- RF cavities bunch & phase rotate μ^\pm into bunch train

- Ionization cooling 6D
- MICE

- Fast acceleration
- Use RF and SC

- μ^\pm decay background
- Critical Machine Detector Interface

Final Cooling Challenge



High field solenoids minimise beta-function and impact of multiple scattering

Energy loss = cooling

Multiple scattering = heating

$$\frac{d\epsilon_{\perp}}{ds} = -\frac{1}{(v/c)^2} \frac{dE}{ds} \frac{\epsilon_{\perp}}{E} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{(v/c)^3} \left(\frac{14 \text{ MeV}}{E} \right)^2 \beta \gamma \frac{1}{L_R}$$

Muon Collider @ FNAL option

Site filler Accelerator

- **Proton Source**
 - PIP-III → target
- **μ Cooling**
- **Linac + RLA → 65 GeV**
- **RCS 1 and 2 → 1000 GeV**
 - Tevatron-size
- **RCS 3 → 5 TeV**
 - Site filler accelerator

10 TeV collider
requires ~16 T dipoles
in RCS scenarios
With rapid-cycling
2-4 T magnets

10 TeV collider
Collider Ring ~10 km



Fermilab new formed
Future Colliders Group
is actively exploring filler option¹⁴