

The “Muon Shot:” Muons as a pathway to the frontier

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nCTEQ
nuclear parton distribution functions

nuclear CTEQ



Coordinated Theoretical-Experimental
Project on QCD

*Thanks for substantial input
from my friends & colleagues*

CFNS Workshop
26 March 2024

... past year

... lost of activity



MuIC 2023

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The First Workshop on the Muon-ion Collider

December 13–15, 2023

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**The 1st Workshop on the Muon-Ion
Collider, Dec. 13–15, Rice University**

<https://muic2023.rice.edu/>

Synergy workshop between ep/eA and pp/pA/AA physics experiments 5

29 February 2024 to 1 March 2024

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input to ESPP

proton and nuclear structure from EIC and HERA to LHeC and FCC-eh

novel QCD with high-energy DIS physics: what do we discover when breaking protons and nuclear matter in smaller pieces
Nestor Armesto, Claire Gwenlan, Paul Newman

general-purpose high-energy physics program: precision physics and searches

enabling direct discoveries and measurements in EW, Higgs and top physics with high-energy DIS collisions
Monica D'Onofrio, Uta Klein, Christian Schwanenberger

ep/eA-physics empowering pp/pA/AA-physics (LHC and FCC)

improving the ATLAS, CMS, LHCb and ALICE discovery potential with results from a high-energy DIS physics program
Maarten Boonekamp, Daniel Britzger, Christian Schwanenberger

developing a general-purpose ep/eA detector for LHeC and FCC-eh

critical detector R&D (DRD collaborations), integrate in the FCC framework, one detector for joint ep/ep/pA/AA physics
Paul Newman, Yuji Yamazaki

developing a sustainable LHeC and FCC-eh collider program

design the interaction region, power and cost, coherent collider parameters & run plan, beam optimization, ...
Oliver Bruning, Yannis Papaphilippou

- five thematic physics and technology working groups
- annual ep/eA workshops (WS)
- final thematic workshop with closing reports to inform the upcoming Strategy process with impactful information (TWS)

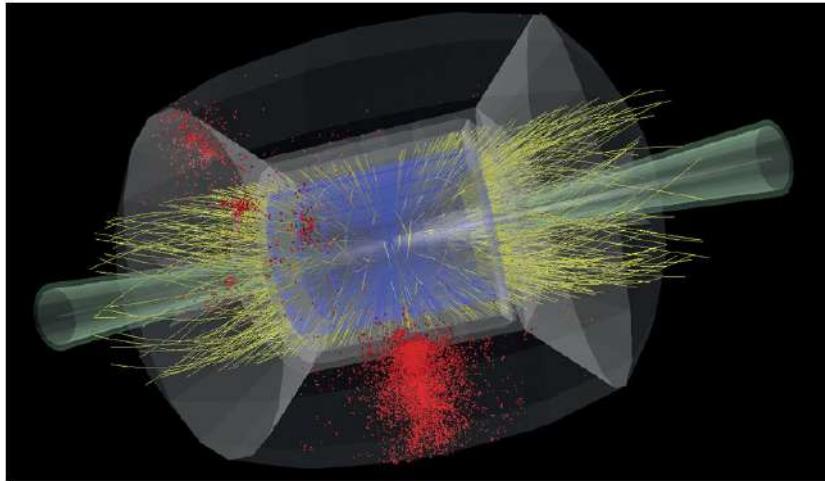
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use the search option, and
search for "lhec-fcc-eh-all" or
"ep-eA-WG" in all e-groups

Big news ...

P5 Report

SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN

August 2023



A simulation indicates that Higgs-boson decays to a b-quark pair can be reconstructed at a muon collider despite the harsh environment: the two b-jets are identifiable (red dots) among the beam-induced background. (Image: D Lucchesi et al.) Banner image shows a model of the machine-detector interface of a muon collider (Image: N V Mokhov) Find out more in the [CERN Courier](#).

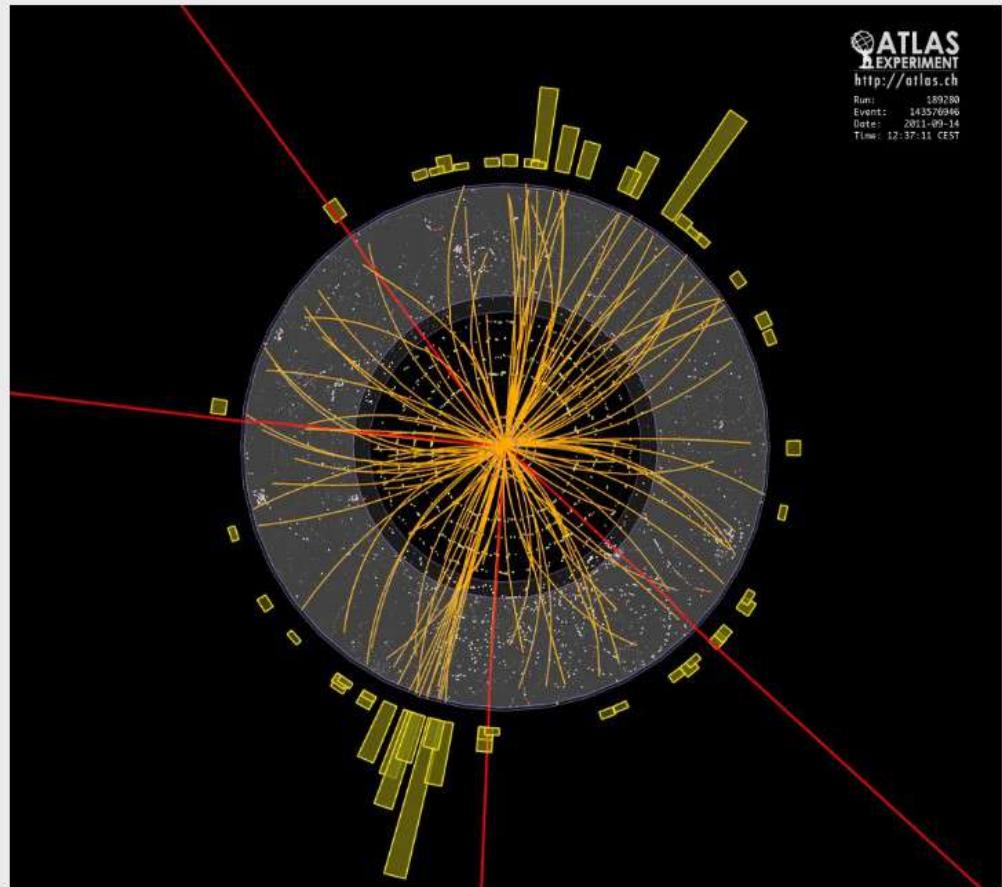
<https://www.scientificamerican.com/article/particle-physicists-dream-of-a-muon-collider/>

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Particle Physicists Dream of a Muon Collider

After years spent languishing in obscurity, proposals for a muon collider are regaining momentum among particle physicists

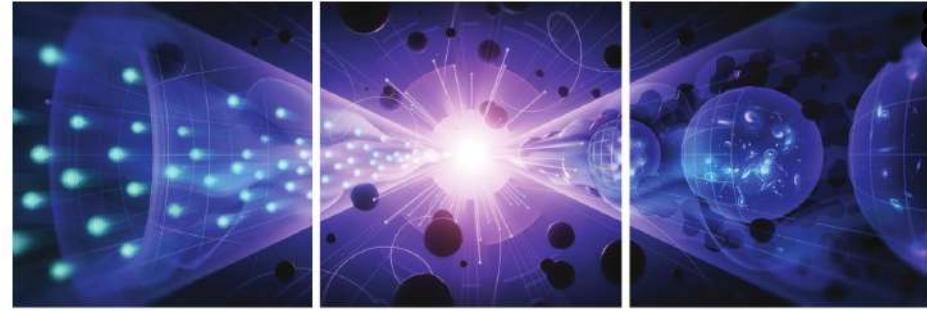
BY DANIEL GARISTO



Muons—heavier cousins of electrons—appear as red tracks in this data visualization of a muon-producing collision in the Large Hadron Collider's ATLAS detector. Credit: ATLAS/CERN

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Report Released



Decipher
the
Quantum
Realm

Elucidate the Mysteries
of Neutrinos

Reveal the Secrets of
the Higgs Boson



Explore
New
Paradigms
in Physics

Search for Direct Evidence
of New Particles

Pursue Quantum Imprints
of New Phenomena



Illuminate
the
Hidden
Universe

Determine the Nature
of Dark Matter

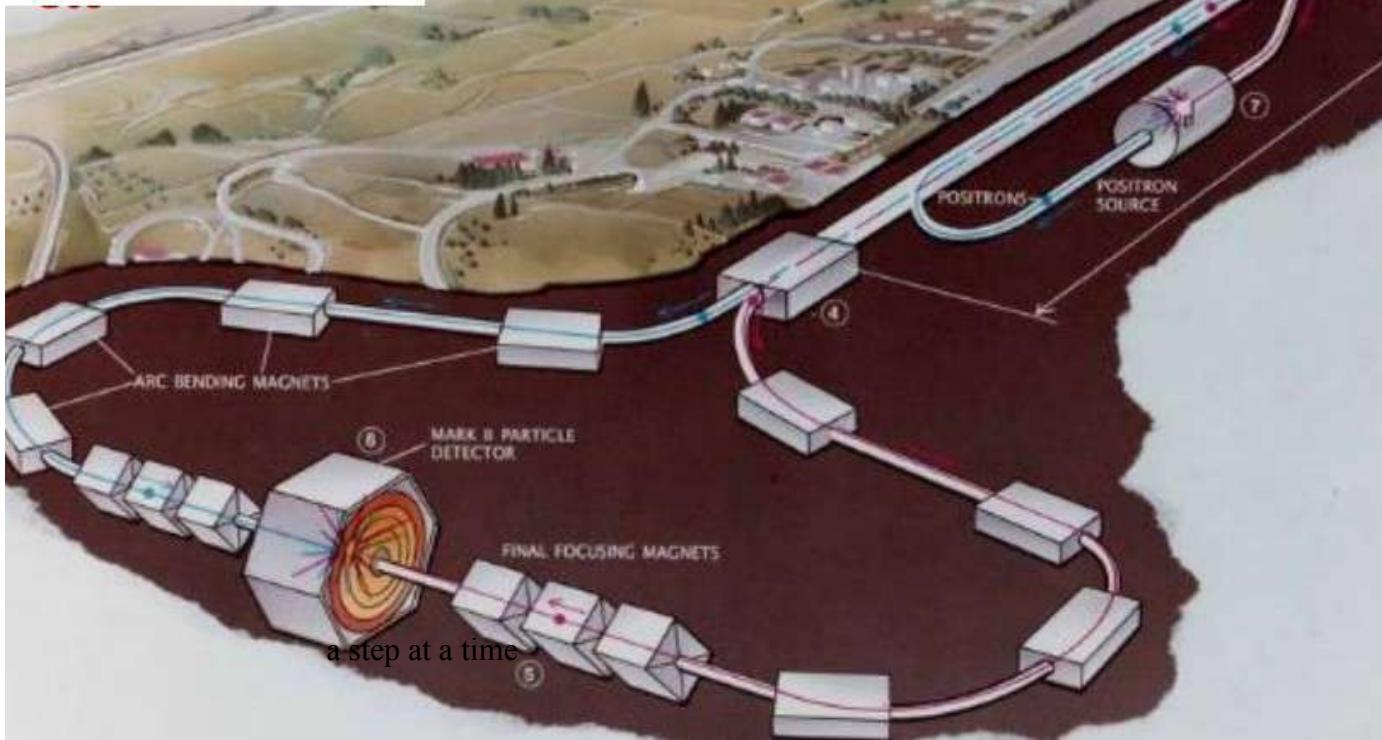
Understand What Drives
Cosmic Evolution

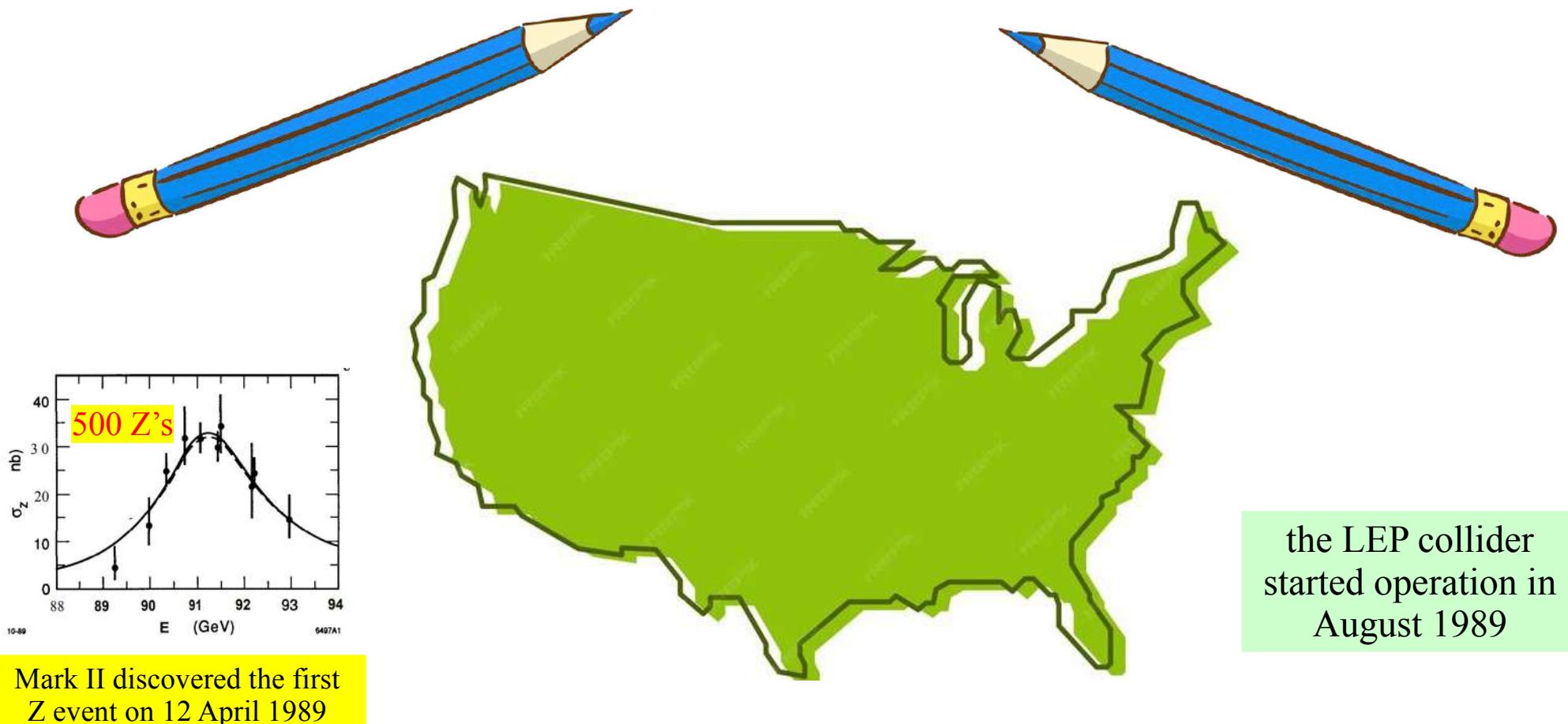
As part of this initiative, we recommend **targeted collider R&D** to establish the feasibility of a **10 TeV pCM muon collider**. A key milestone on this path is to design a muon collider demonstrator facility. If favorably reviewed by the collider panel, such a facility would open the door to building facilities at Fermilab that test muon collider design elements while producing exceptionally bright muon and neutrino beams. By taking up this challenge, the US blazes a trail toward a new future by advancing critical R&D that can benefit multiple science drivers and ultimately bring an unparalleled global facility to US soil.

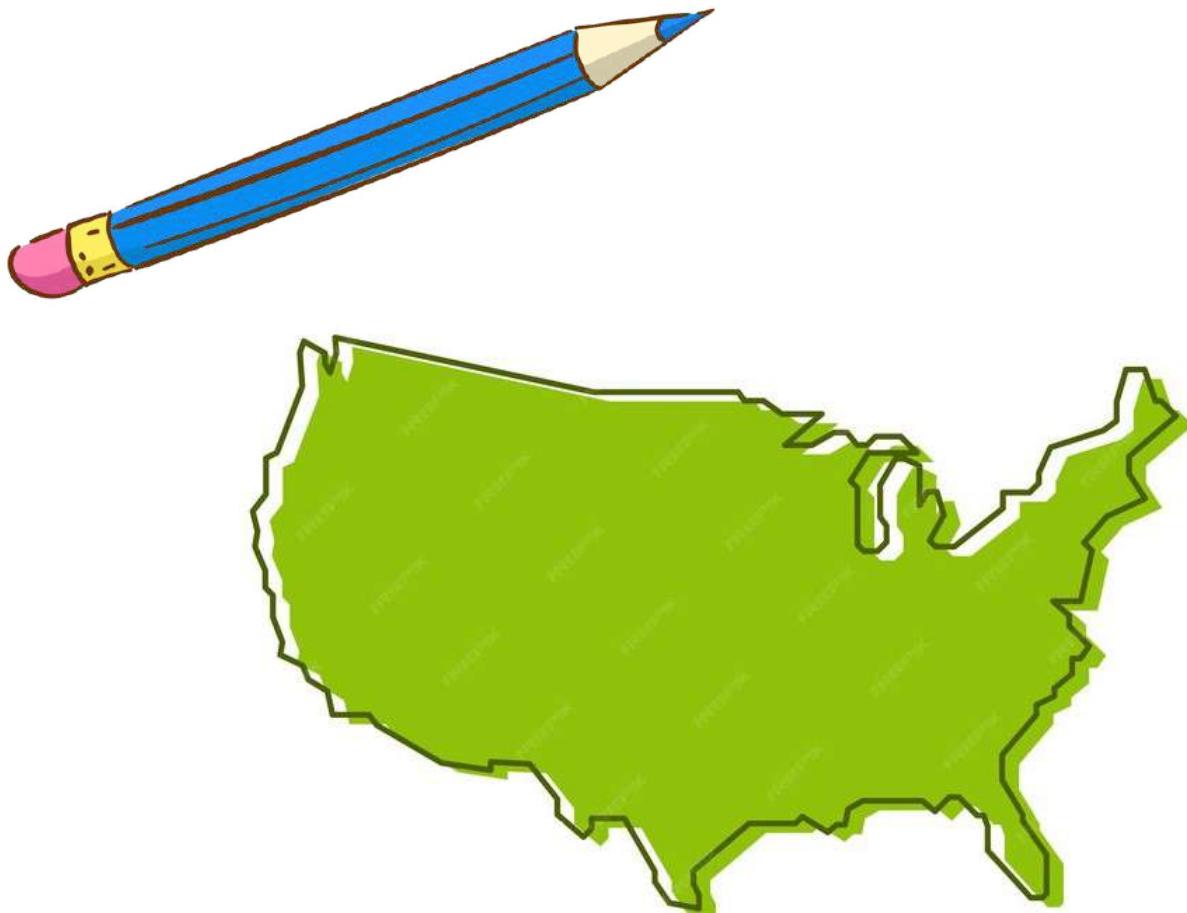
<https://www.usparticlephysics.org/2023-p5-report/>

some perspective

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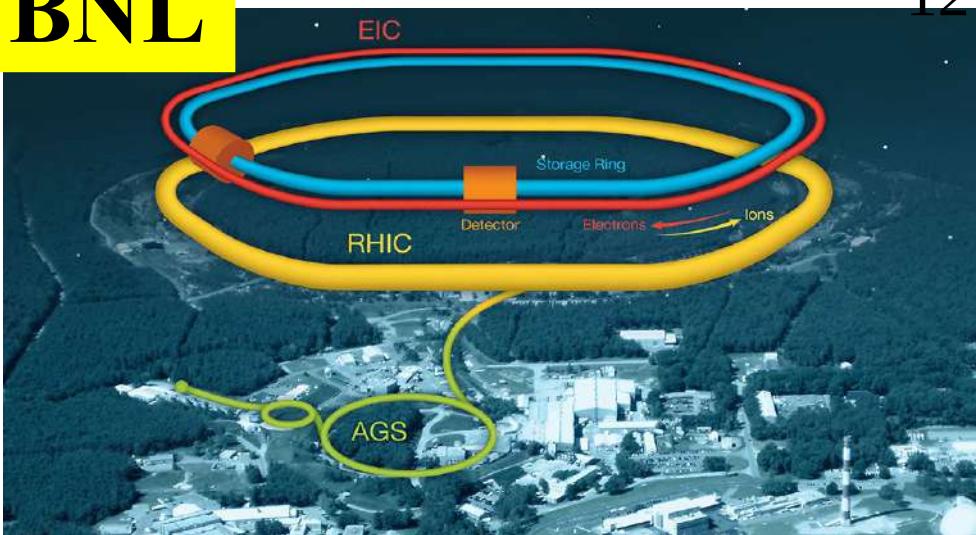
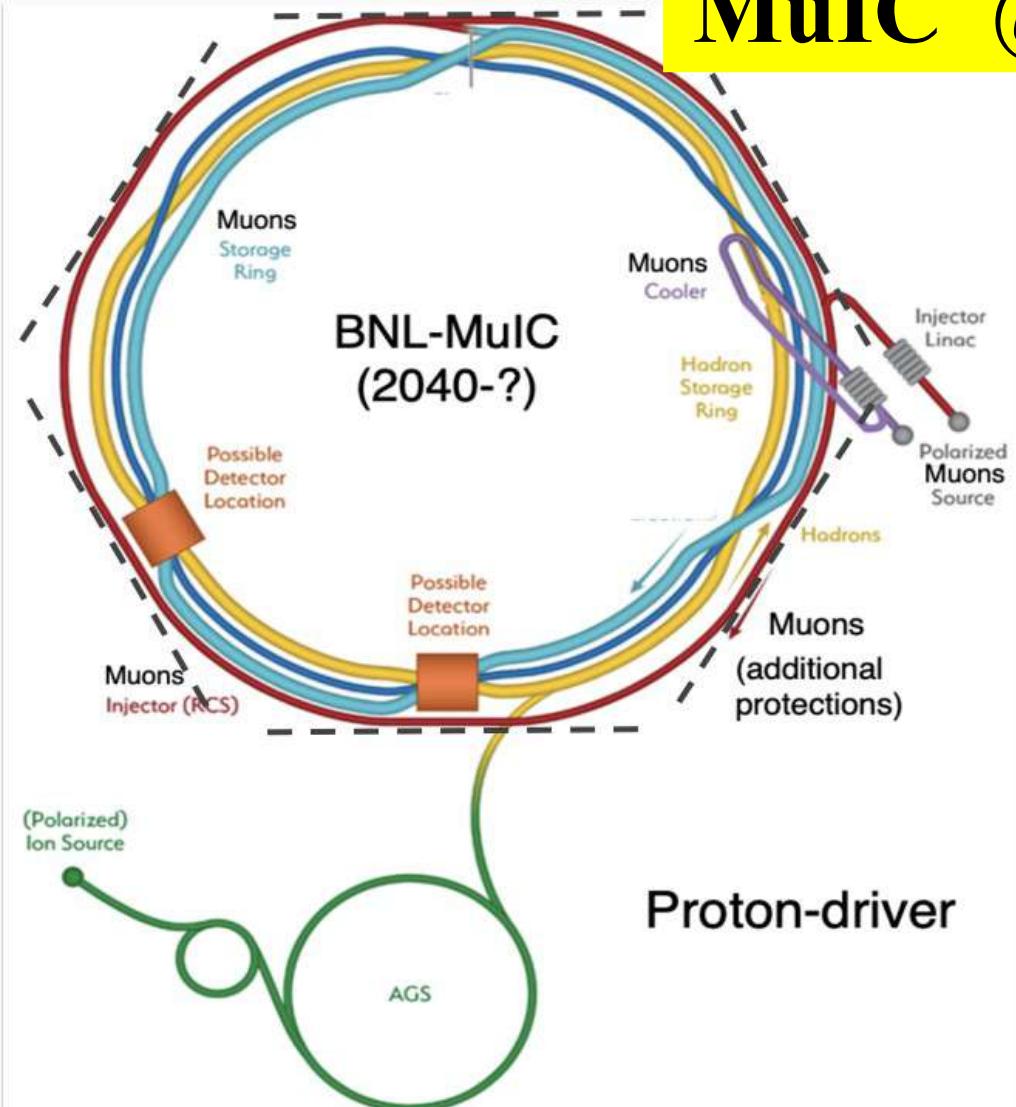






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MuIC @ BNL



The First Workshop on the Muon-ion Collider
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Building synergies between the HEP and NP communities

Maria Chamizo-Llatas
BNL / SBU

Brookhaven National Laboratory
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

The first international workshop on muon-ion colliders, December 13-15, 2023 [f](#) [i](#) [t](#) [@BrookhavenLab](#)

Energy Configurations and Luminosity

Parameter	BNL options:				MuIC	MuIC2	LHmuC	LHC option
$\sqrt{s_{\mu p}}$ (TeV)	0.33	0.74	1.0		→ 2.0		6.5	← \sqrt{s}
$L_{\mu p}$ ($10^{33} \text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$)	0.07	2.1	4.7				2.8	← Estimate of lumi
Int. Lumi. (fb^{-1}) per 10 yrs	6	178	400				237	
Staging options	Muon				Proton		Muon	Proton
Beam energy (TeV)	0.1	0.5	0.96	0.275	→ 1.0		1.5	7
N_b (10^{11})	40	20	20	3			20	2.2
f_{rep}^{μ} (Hz)	15	15	15			12		← Beam energies
Cycles per μ bunch, N_{cycle}^{μ}	1134	1719	3300			3300		
$\epsilon_{x,y}^*$ (μm)	200	25	25	0.3			25	2.5
$\beta_{x,y}^* @ \text{IP}$ (cm)	1.7	1	0.75	5			0.5	15
Trans. beam size, $\sigma_{x,y}$ (μm)	48	7.6	4.7	7.1			3	7.1

Muon Collider parameters + BNL/EIC and LHC proton beam parameters

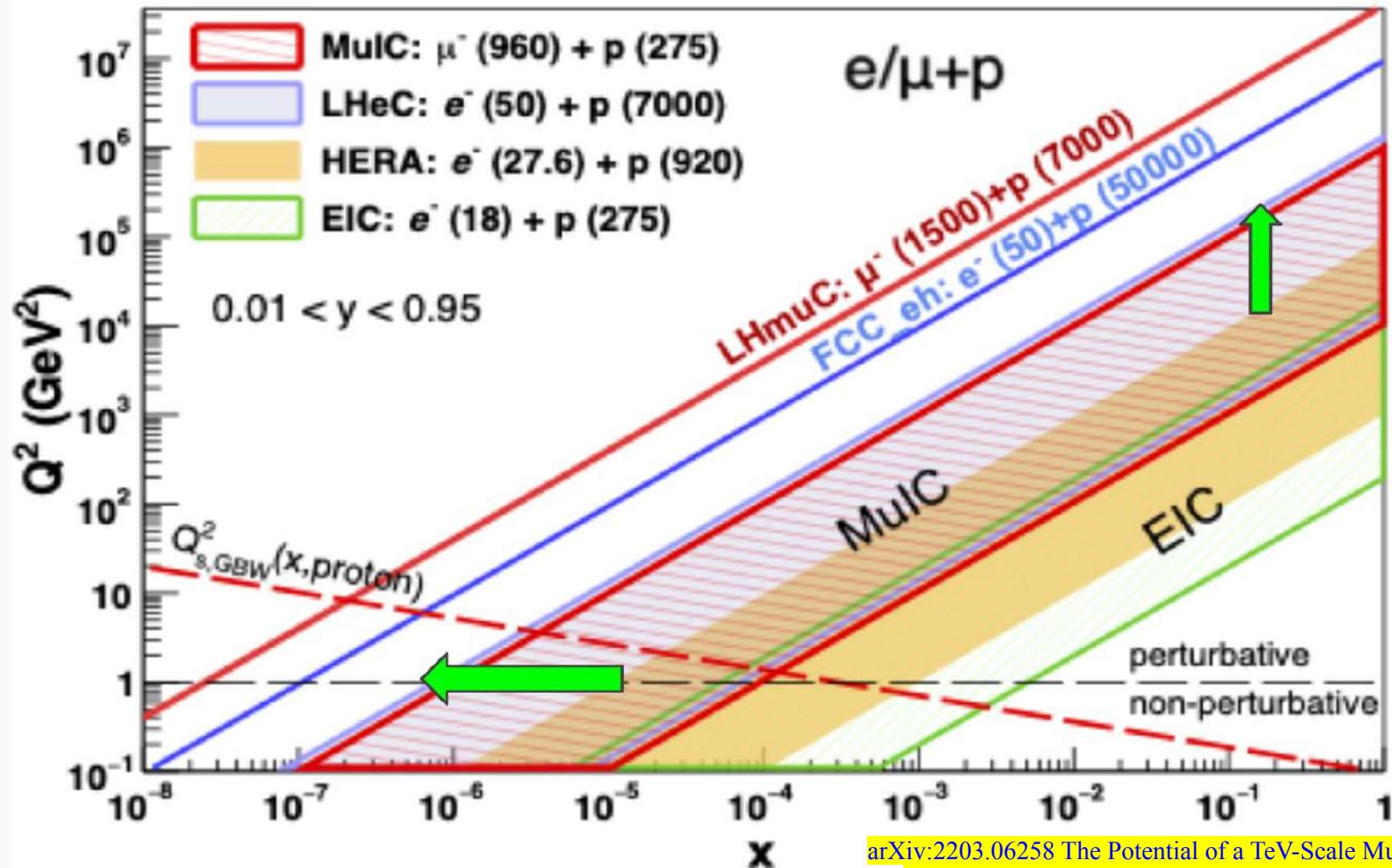
Acosta et al. -- Potential of a TeV Scale Muon-Ion Collider

Upgrade
hadron ring

$$\mathcal{L}_{\mu p} = \frac{N^{\mu} N^p}{4\pi \max[\sigma_x^{\mu}, \sigma_x^p] \max[\sigma_y^{\mu}, \sigma_y^p]} \min[f_c^{\mu}, f_c^p] H_{hg},$$

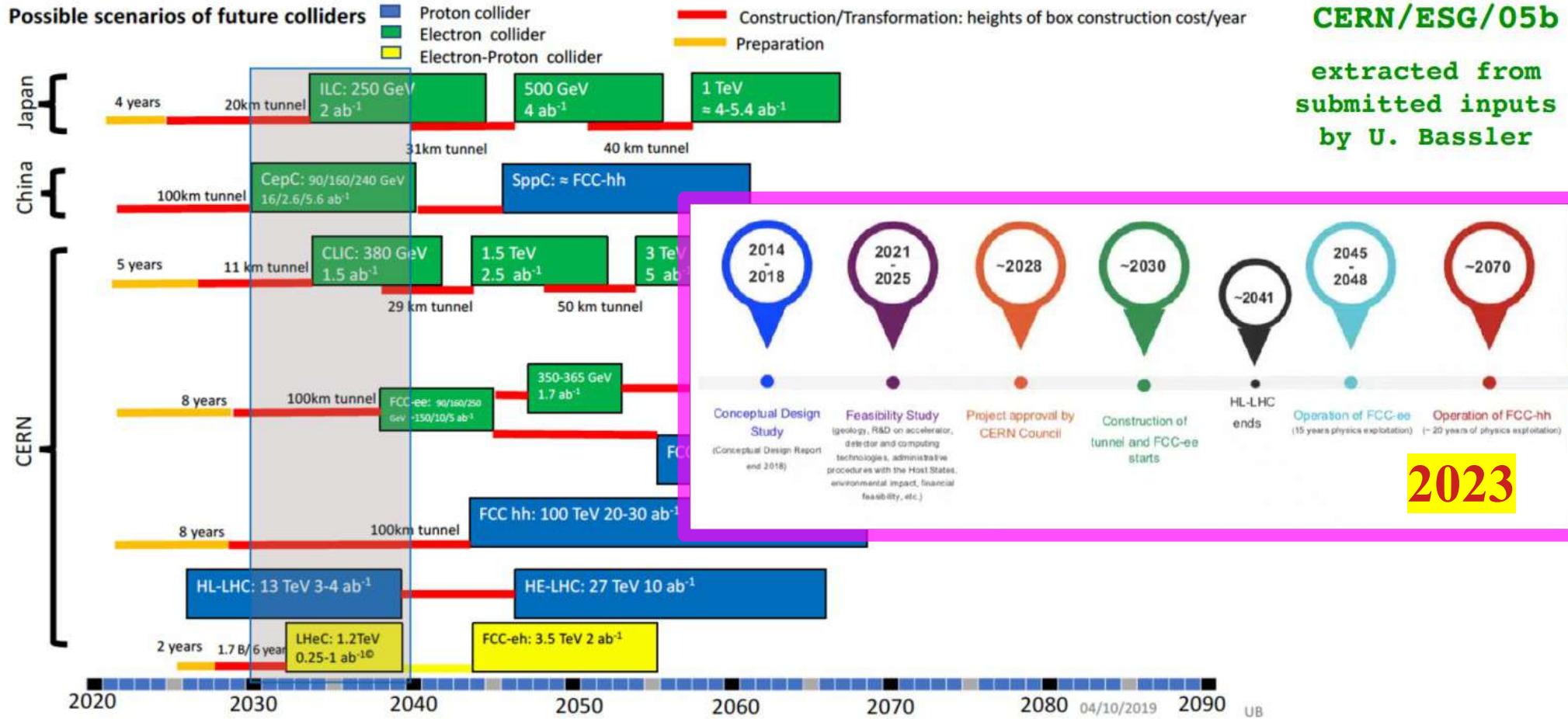
$$\sigma_{x,y}^{\mu,p} = \sqrt{\epsilon_{x,y}^* \beta_{x,y}^* m^{\mu,p} / E^{\mu,p}}$$

D. Acosta



Contemporary Facilities

Timeline of Future Colliders in European Strategy 2020



Complementary Facilities

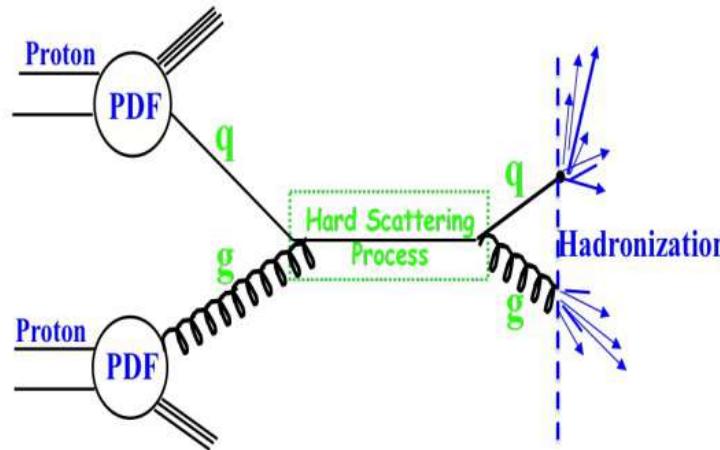
... why essential

Need for multiple colliders

We need multiple colliders (ee, eh, hh) to test

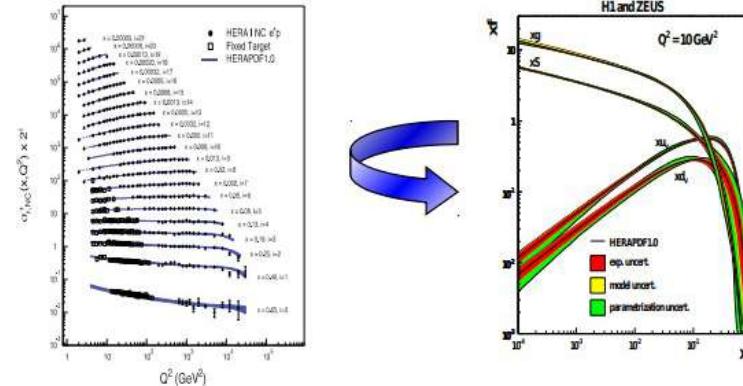
E. Aschenauer

Factorization



Universality

Example: Measure PDFs at HERA at $\sqrt{s}=0.3$ TeV:



Predict pp and compare to measurements at $\sqrt{s}=0.2, 1.96 & 7$ TeV

p-p

- ❑ probe has complex structure
- ❑ no simple access to parton kinematics
- ❑ Gluons can be accessed directly via qg & gg

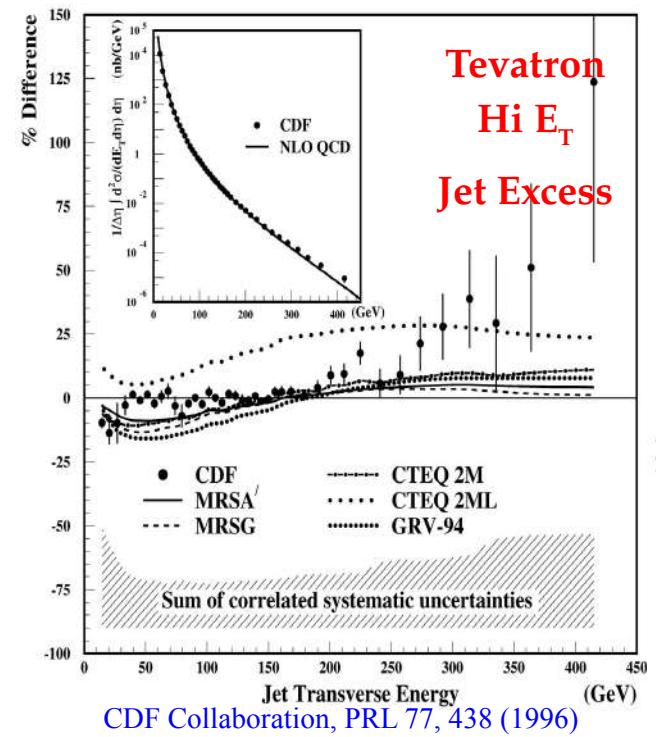
e-h

- ❑ Point-like probe gives good resolution
- ❑ High precision & access to partonic kinematics through scattered lepton
 - ❑ initial and final state effects can be cleanly disentangled
 - inclusive measurements of structure functions only sensitive to initial state

e.g. Tevatron + HERA

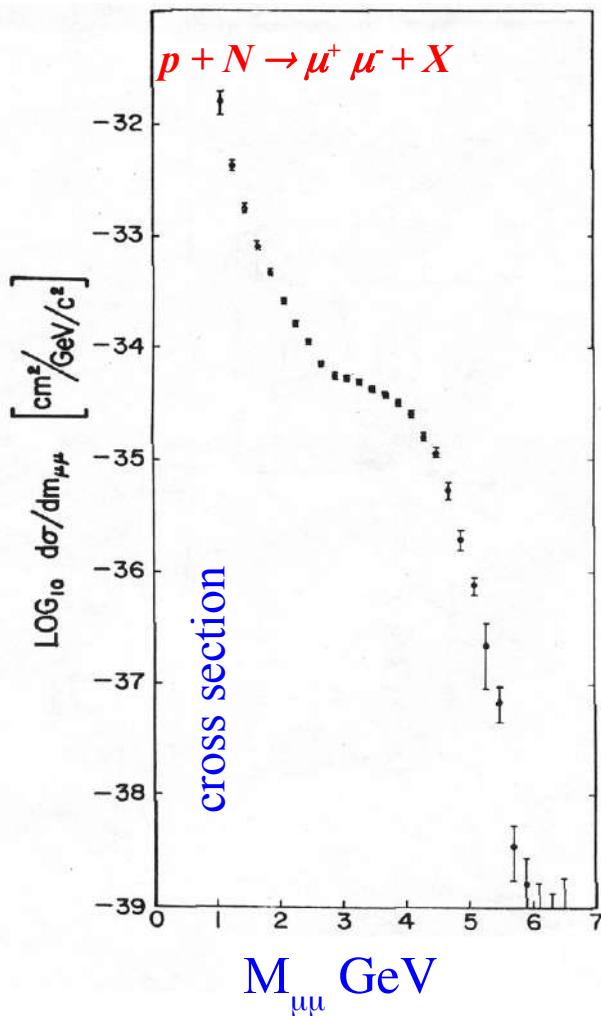
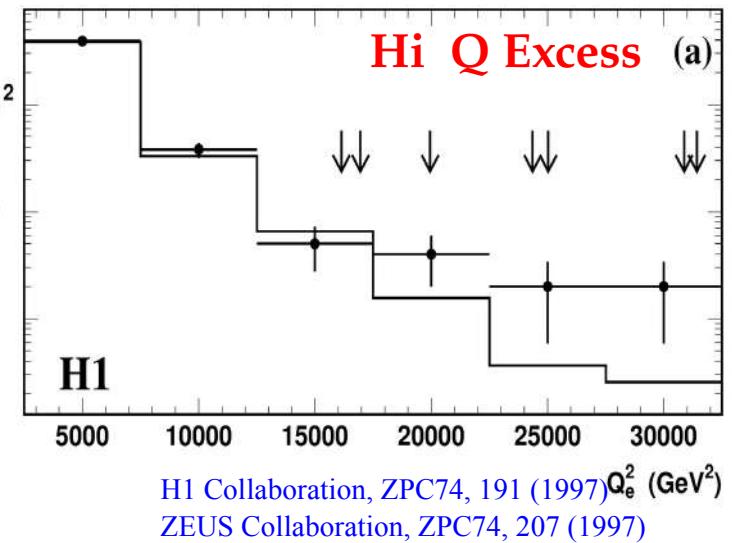
Can you find the Nobel Prize

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beware circular arguments

... I can probably
absorb these effects
into the PDFs



RESEARCH
PARTICLE PHYSICS

High-precision measurement of the W boson mass with the CDF II detector

CDF Collaboration†‡, T. Aaltonen^{1,2}, S. Amerio^{3,4}, D. Amidei⁵, A. Anastassov⁶

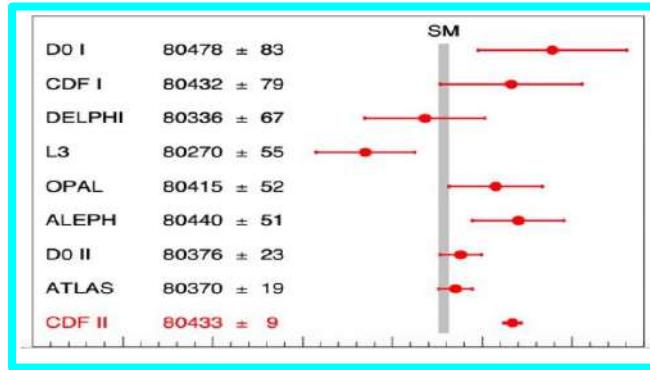


Table 2. Uncertainties on the combined M_W result.

Table 1. Uncertainties on W mass measurements, in MeV.

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	CDF (e)	CDF (μ)	DØ(e)
Energy Scale	130	60	260
Resolution	140	120	70
Background	50	50	30
Fitting	20	20	30
PDF	100	100	70
p_T^W and und. evt.	120	145	120
Width	-	-	20
Total Sys.	250	240	307
Statistical	150	200	160
Total (Stat + Sys)	290	300	346

CSS Resummation

Strange PDF

PDF Precision

2022

Source	Uncertainty (MeV)
Lepton energy scale	3.0
Lepton energy resolution	1.2
Recoil energy scale	1.2
Recoil energy resolution	1.8
Lepton efficiency	0.4
Lepton removal	1.2
Backgrounds	3.3
p_T^Z model	1.8
p_T^W/p_T^Z model	1.3
Parton distributions	3.9
QED radiation	2.7
W boson statistics	6.4
Total	9.4

What can Mu do for You

LHeC Whitepaper

CERN-ACC-Note-2020-0002
Geneva, July 28, 2020



The Large Hadron-Electron Collider at the HL-LHC

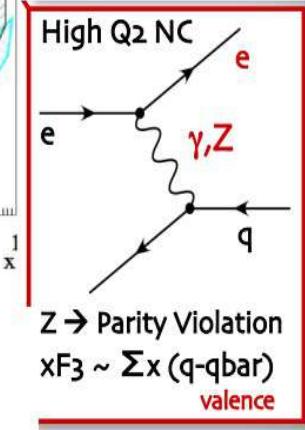
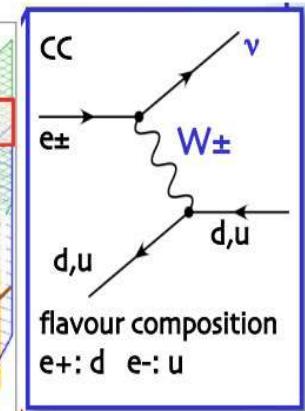
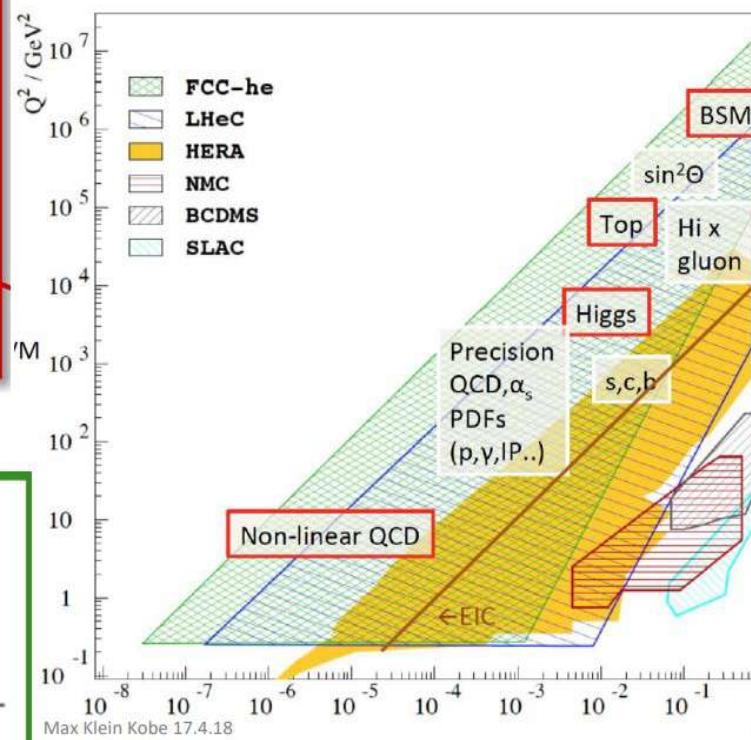
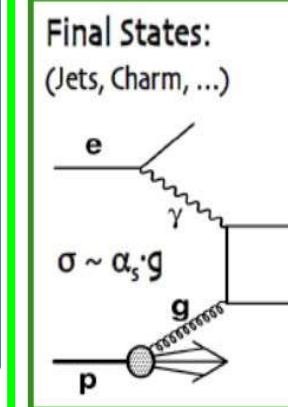
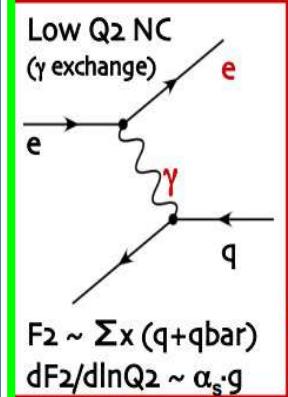
LHeC and FCC-he Study Group



<https://arxiv.org/abs/2007.14491>

Where does the information come from?

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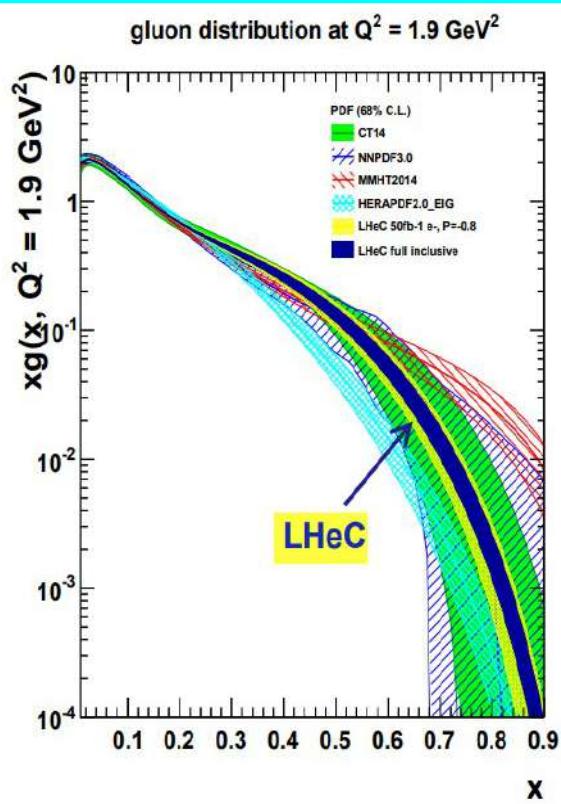


A future DIS machine would be a vast improvement on HERA in both luminosity and kinematic reach

$\times 15/120$ extension in $Q^2, 1/x$ reach vs HERA

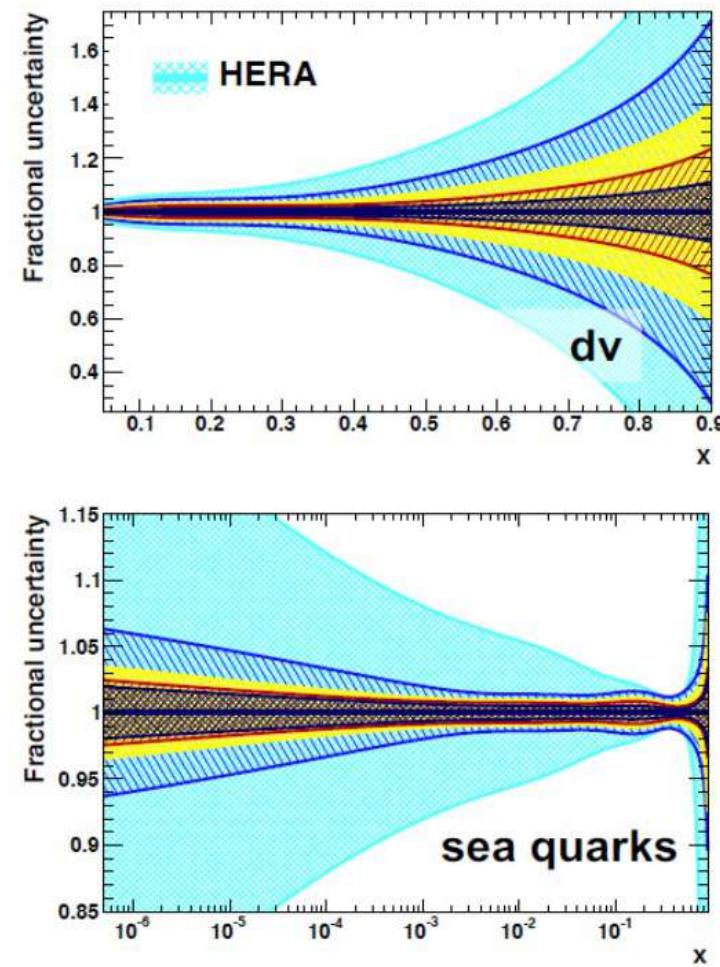
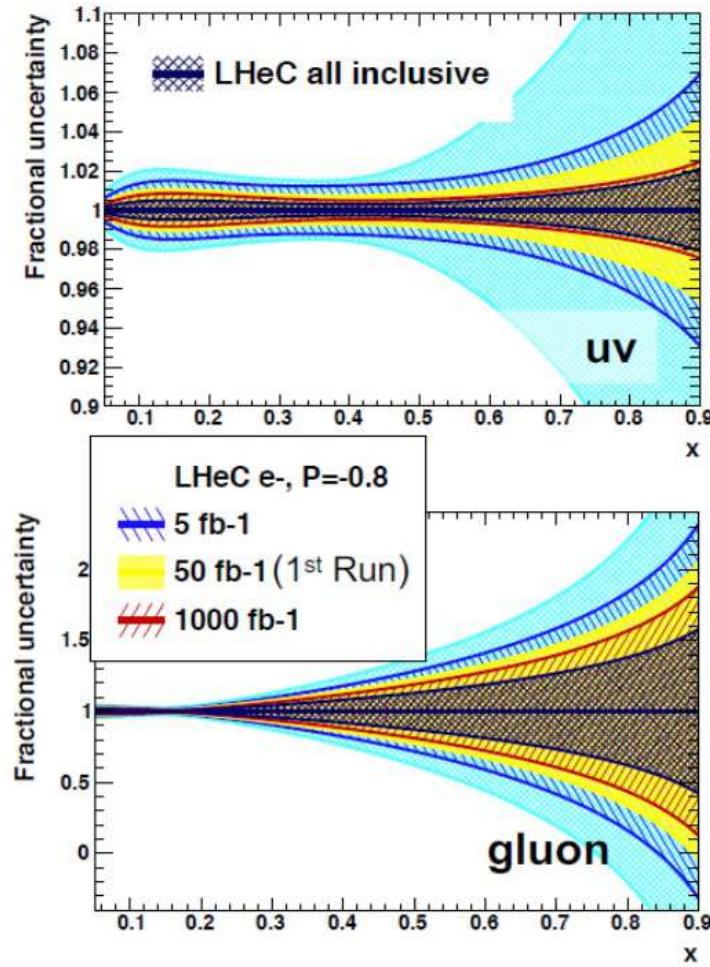
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PDF uncertainties are a limiting factor for many LHC measurements



Impact of luminosity on PDFs

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small and medium x quickly constrained ($5 \text{ fb}^{-1} \equiv \times 5 \text{ HERA} \equiv 1 \text{ year LHeC}$)

HIGGS COUPLINGS

Mangano
ICEP 2023

T. Barklow
et al.,

<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1708.08912.pdf>

HIGGS COUPLINGS

Model	$b\bar{b}$	$c\bar{c}$	gg	WW	$\tau\tau$	ZZ	$\gamma\gamma$	$\mu\mu$
1 MSSM [40]	+4.8	-0.8	-0.8	-0.2	+0.4	-0.5	+0.1	+0.3
2 Type II 2HD [42]	+10.1	-0.2	-0.2	0.0	+9.8	0.0	+0.1	+9.8
3 Type X 2HD [42]	-0.2	-0.2	-0.2	0.0	+7.8	0.0	0.0	+7.8
4 Type Y 2HD [42]	+10.1	-0.2	-0.2	0.0	-0.2	0.0	0.1	-0.2
5 Composite Higgs [44]	-6.4	-6.4	-6.4	-2.1	-6.4	-2.1	-2.1	-6.4
6 Little Higgs w. T-parity [45]	0.0	0.0	-6.1	-2.5	0.0	-2.5	-1.5	0.0
7 Little Higgs w. T-parity [46]	-7.8	-4.6	-3.5	-1.5	-7.8	-1.5	-1.0	-7.8
8 Higgs-Radion [47]	-1.5	-1.5	+10.	-1.5	-1.5	-1.5	-1.0	-1.5
9 Higgs Singlet [48]	-3.5	-3.5	-3.5	-3.5	-3.5	-3.5	-3.5	-3.5



5 – 10 %



> 10%

NB: when the b coupling is modified, BR deviations are smaller than the square of the coupling deviation. Eg in model 5, the BR to b, c, tau, mu are practically SM-like

Table 5: Deviations from the Standard Model predictions for the Higgs boson couplings, in %, for the set of new physics models

(sub)-% precision must be the goal to ensure 3-5 σ evidence of deviations, and to cross-correlate coupling deviations across different channels

Signposts for the future

PRE-LHC



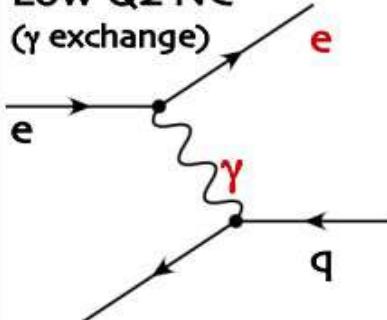
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POST-LHC



... high precision ... infer high scales

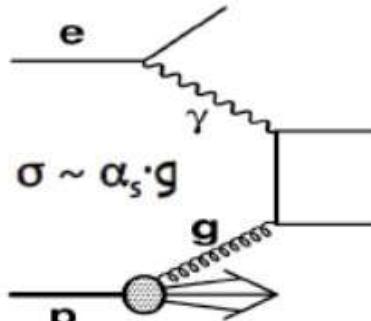
Low Q^2 NC
(γ exchange)



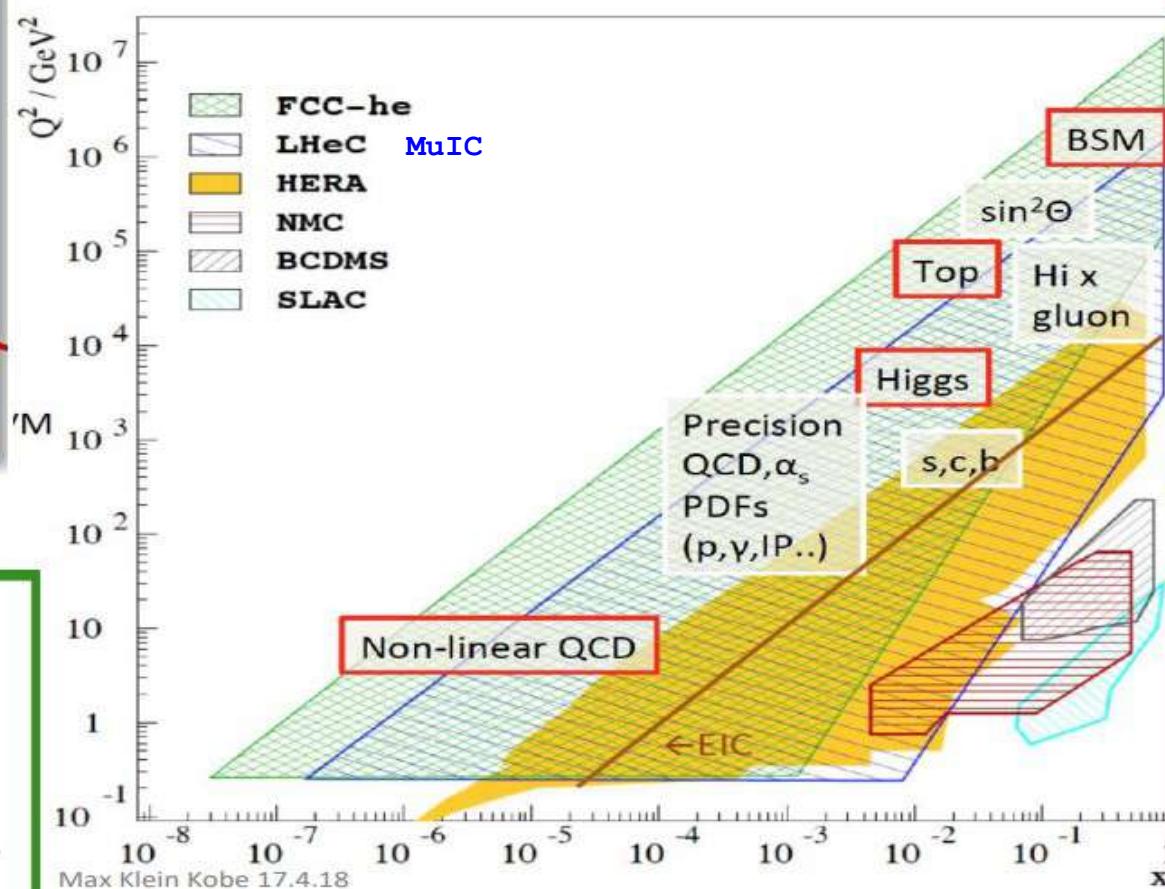
$$F_2 \sim \sum x (q + q\bar{q})$$

$$\frac{dF_2}{d\ln Q^2} \sim \alpha_s \cdot g$$

Final States:
(Jets, Charm, ...)

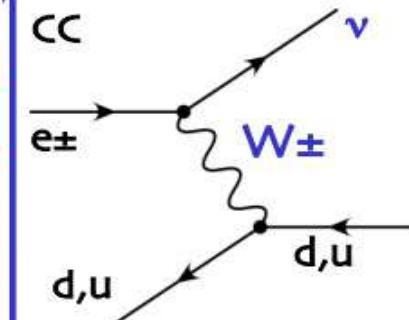


$$\sigma \sim \alpha_s \cdot g$$



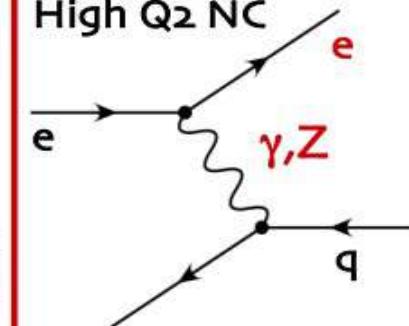
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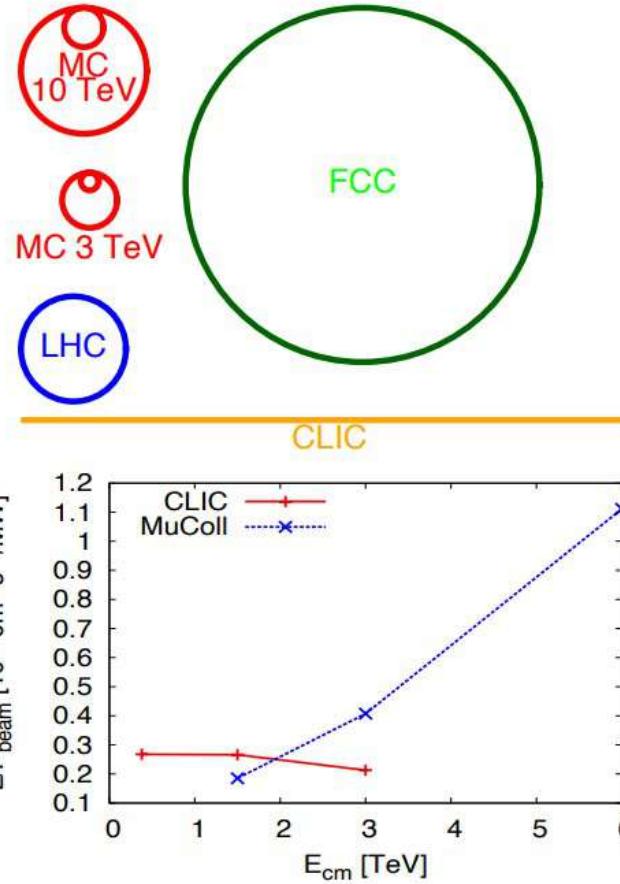
flavour composition
 $e+: d$ $e-: u$

High Q^2 NC



$Z \rightarrow$ Parity Violation
 $x F_3 \sim \sum x (q - q\bar{q})$
valence

EXTRA



Muon Collider Promises

US Snowmass Implementation Task Force: Th. Roser, R. Brinkmann, S. Cousineau, D. Denisov, S. Gessner, S. Gourlay, Ph. Lebrun, M. Narain, K. Oide, T. Raubenheimer, J. Seeman, V. Shiltsev, J. Straight, M. Turner, L. Wang et al.

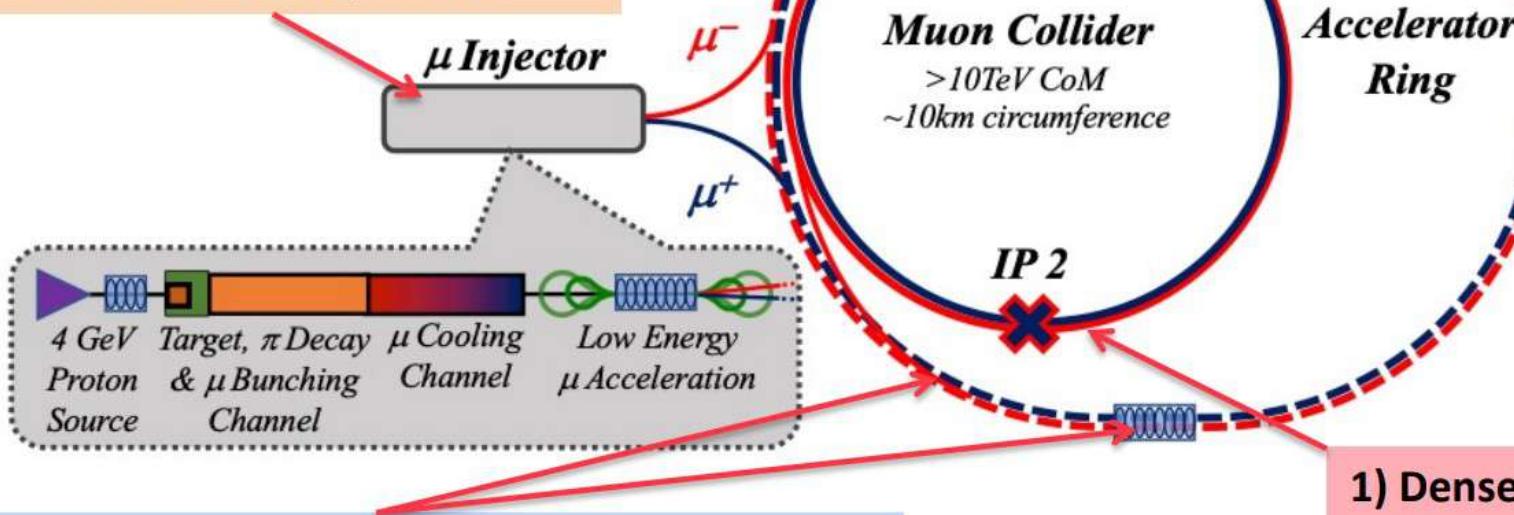
	CME [TeV]	Lumi per IP [$10^{34} \text{cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$]	Years to physics	Cost range [B\$]	Power [MW]
FCC-ee	0.24	8.5	13-18	12-18	290
ILC	0.25	2.7	<12	7-12	140
CLIC	0.38	2.3	13-18	7-12	110
ILC	3	6.1	19-24	18-30	400
CLIC	3	5.9	19-24	18-30	550
MC	3	1.8	19-24	7-12	230
MC	10	20	>25	12-18	300
FCC-hh	100	30	>25	30-50	560

Judgement by ITF, take it *cum grano salis*

Key Challenges

0) Physics case

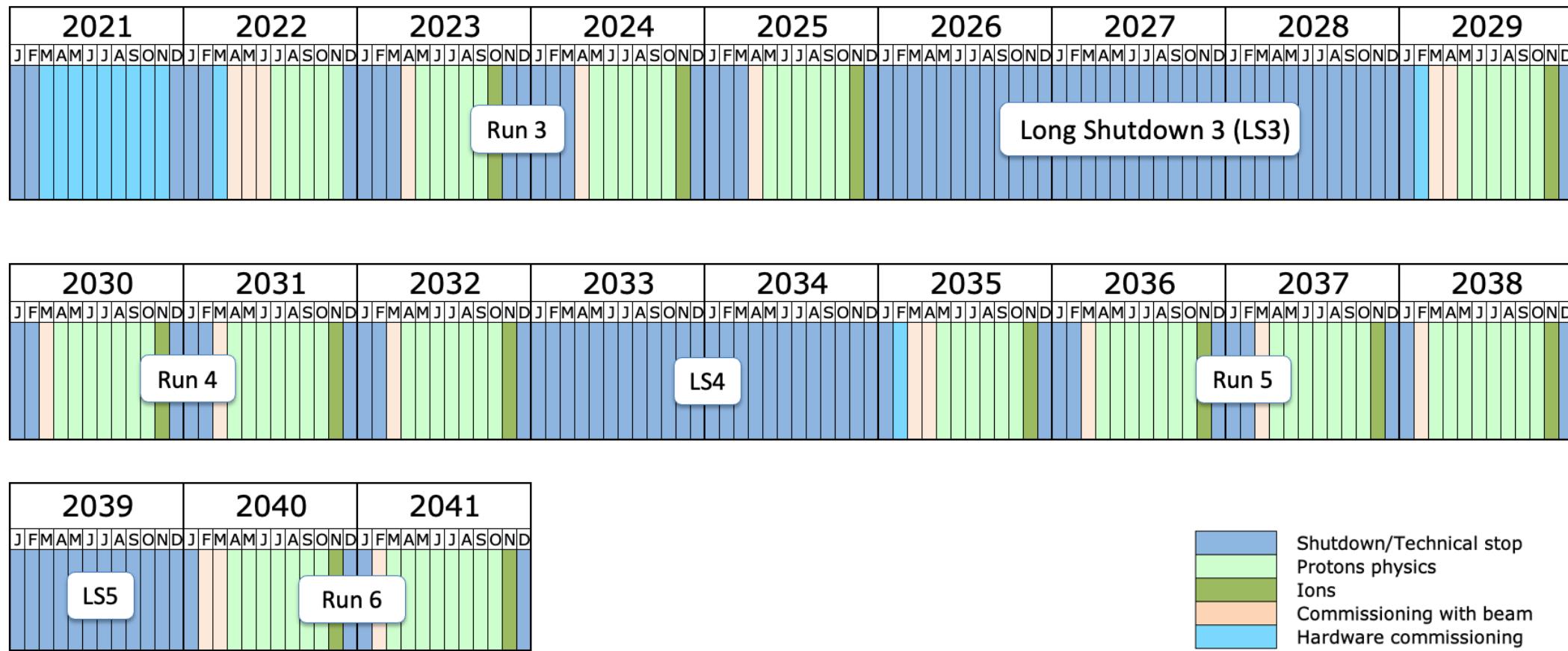
4) Drives the **beam quality**
 MAP put much effort in design
optimise as much as possible



3) Cost and **power** consumption limit energy reach
 e.g. 35 km accelerator for 10 TeV, 10 km collider ring
 Also impacts **beam quality**

2) Beam-induced background

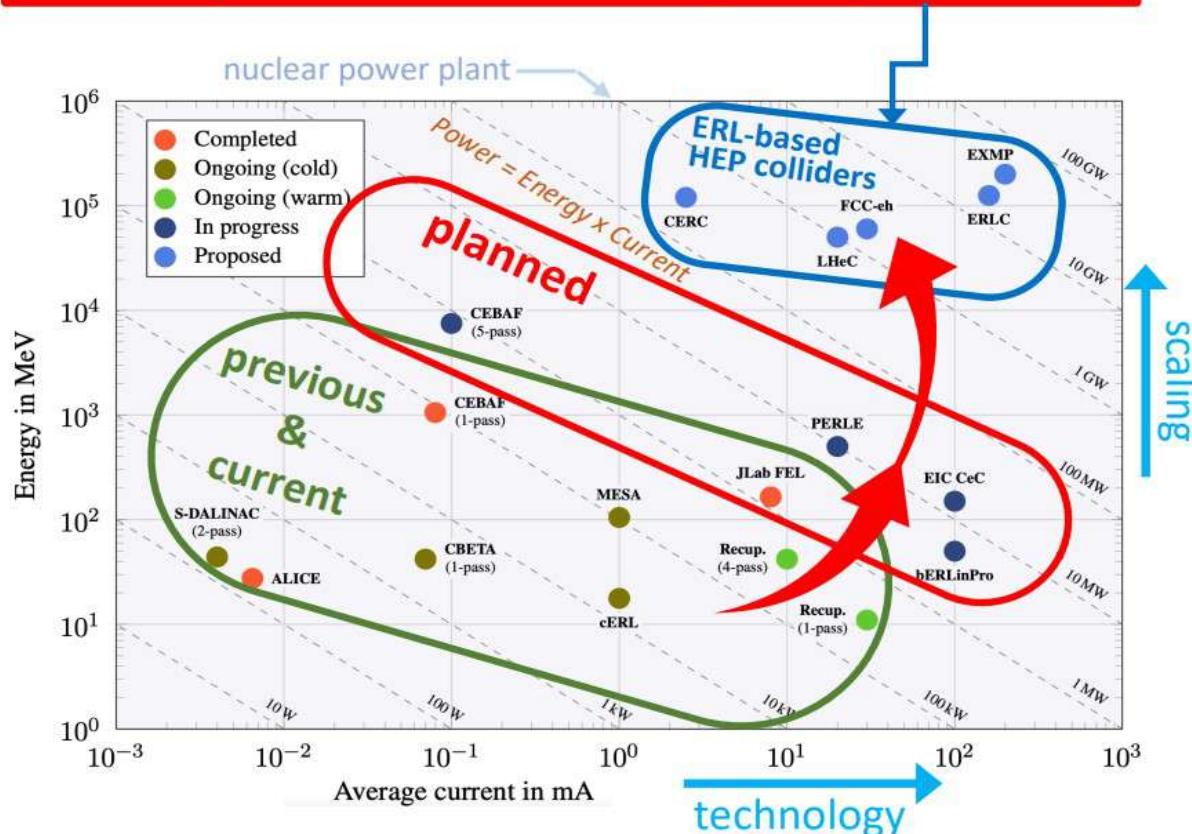
1) Dense neutrino flux
 mitigated by mover system
 and site selection



Last update: April 2023

<https://lhc-commissioning.web.cern.ch/schedule/LHC-long-term.htm>

ERL to enable high-power beams that would otherwise require one or more nuclear power plants



Future ERL-based Colliders

$H, HH, ep/eA, muons, \dots$

R&D Roadmap

bERLinPro & PERLE

essential accelerator R&D labs with ambitions overlapping with those of the particle physics community

towards high power

Energy Recovery demonstrated

great achievements on all aspects and large research infrastructures based on Energy Recovery systems have been operated successfully