

Lectures on Brane World Scenarios

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Fine-tuning (naturalness) problem in the Standard Model

Standard model: gauge theory $SU(3)_c \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$

quarks & leptons & Higgs

Non-zero Higgs VEV determines the vacuum

$$SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y \rightarrow U(1)_{em}$$

W, Z bosons get masses of order **100 GeV**

Serious problem: SM vacuum is not stable under quantum corrections

$$\Delta m_H^2 = H \text{ --- } \text{---} \text{---} \text{---} H^\dagger \sim -\Lambda_{new}^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle H \rangle \sim m_H^2 &= (m_H^{tree})^2 + \Delta m_H^2 \\ &\sim (m_H^{tree})^2 - \Lambda_{new}^2 \end{aligned}$$

If new physics scale \gg electroweak scale

For example $\Lambda_{new} = M_{Planck} \sim 10^{19} \text{ GeV}$

$$\langle H \rangle = (m_H^{tree})^2 - \Lambda_{new}^2$$
$$\rightarrow \mathcal{O}(M_W^2) = \mathcal{O}((10^{19} \text{ GeV})^2) - \mathcal{O}((10^{19} \text{ GeV})^2)$$

Fine-tuning is needed!

In order to solve this problem

I) New Physics **without quadratic divergence** in quantum corrections

\rightarrow **Supersymmetry**

$$\Delta m_H^2 = \text{---} \circlearrowleft \overset{t}{\text{---}} \quad -\Lambda^2 \quad + \quad \overset{\tilde{t}}{\text{---}} \circlearrowleft \text{---} \quad +\Lambda^2$$

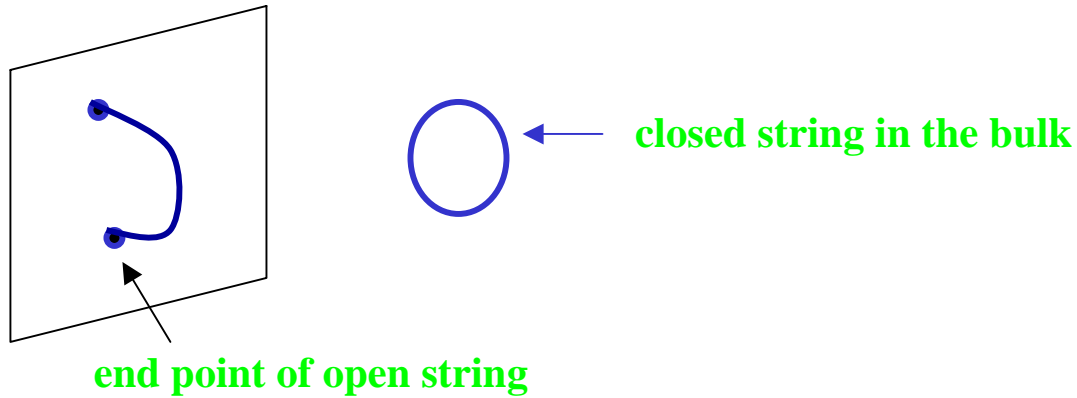
II) New Physics scale is close to the electroweak scale $\Lambda_{new} \sim \mathcal{O}(1 \text{ TeV})$

\rightarrow **Brane World Scenario**

Brane World Scenario

String Theory : classical solution (Polchinski '95)

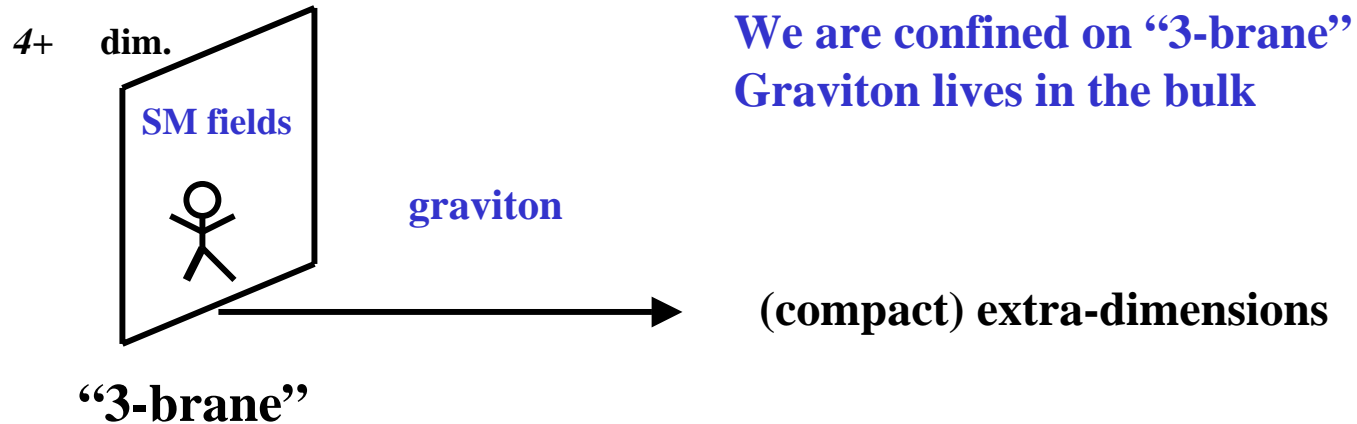
D-brane: $D+1$ dim. object embedded in higher dim. space time



Open string \rightarrow fermion, boson, gauge on D-brane

Closed string \rightarrow graviton in the bulk

Phenomenological model



Beyond the standard model → **Brane World Scenario**
4+ dimensions

New property
"geometry"

Typical Scenario: **Large (flat) Extra Dimensions** (Arkani-Hamed-Dimopoulos-Dvali, '98)
Warped (small) Extra Dimensions (Randall-Sundrum, '99)

Large Extra Dimension Scenario

Solution to fine-tuning problem without SUSY

Low scale gravity model in 4+ dimensions $\Lambda_{new} = M_{4+\delta} \sim \mathcal{O}(1\text{TeV})$

$$\begin{aligned} S_{4+\delta} &= (M_{4+\delta})^{2+\delta} \int d^4x d^\delta y \sqrt{-g_{4+\delta}} R_{4+\delta} \\ &= M_{Planck}^2 \int d^4x \sqrt{-g_4} R_4 \end{aligned}$$

$$M_{Planck}^2 = M_{4+\delta}^{2+\delta} V_\delta$$

V : volume of extra-dim.

$$V_\delta = (2\pi R)^\delta \text{ (compactified on } T^\delta \text{)}$$

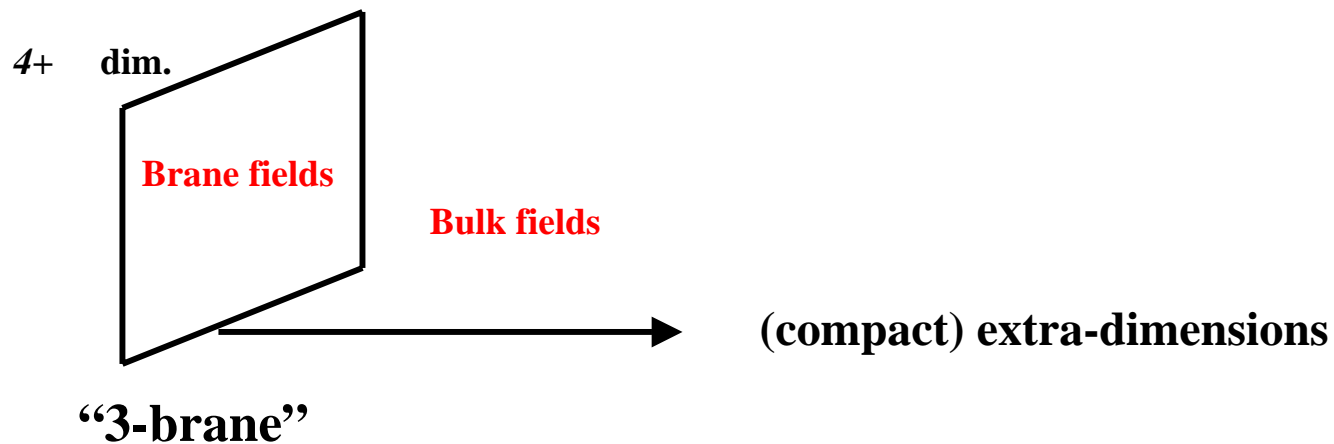
For $M_{4+\delta} \sim 1\text{TeV}$

| δ | r | | |
|----------|--------------|----------|----------------------------|
| 1 | 10^{13} cm | excluded | |
| 2 | 10^{-1} mm | allowed | $\leftarrow r < 218 \mu m$ |
| 3 | 10^{-6} mm | allowed | |

General picture of Brane World Scenario

Setup: 4+ dimensional model \leftarrow compact extra-dimensions

some 3-branes



4 dimensional description

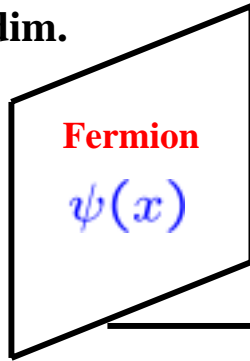
brane fields

infinite tower of Kaluza-Klein modes of bulk fields

characteristic couplings between brane and bulk fields

Toy model

4+ dim.



“3-brane”

Massless Bulk boson

$$\phi(x, y_1, y_2, \dots, y_\delta)$$

(compact) extra-dimensions
on the manifold T^δ ← dimensional box

$$V_\delta = \prod_{i=1}^{\delta} (2\pi R_i)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{brane} &= \bar{\psi}(x) i \gamma^\mu \partial_\mu \psi(x) \\ &- g \bar{\psi}(x) \psi(x) \phi(x, y_1 = 0, y_2 = 0, \dots, y_\delta = 0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}_{bulk} &= (\partial_M \phi)^\dagger (\partial^M \phi) \\ &= (\partial_\mu \phi)^\dagger (\partial^\mu \phi) + \sum_{i=1}^{\delta} (\partial_{y_i} \phi)^\dagger (\partial^{y_i} \phi) \end{aligned}$$

Equation of motion

$$\partial_M \partial^M \phi = \left(\partial_\mu \partial^\mu - \sum_{i=1}^{\delta} \partial_{y_i}^2 \right) \phi = 0$$

Plane wave: $\phi = \tilde{\phi}(x) e^{ik_1 y_1} e^{ik_2 y_2} \dots e^{ik_\delta y_\delta}$

Compact extra-dimensions on T^δ

$$\rightarrow \phi(x, y_1, y_2, \dots, y_\delta) = \phi(x, y_1 + 2\pi R_1, \dots, y_\delta + 2\pi R_\delta)$$

$$\rightarrow k_i = \frac{n_i}{R_i} ; n_i = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$$

$$\partial_M \partial^M \phi \rightarrow \left(\partial_\mu \partial^\mu + \sum_{i=1}^{\delta} \left(\frac{n_i}{R_i} \right)^2 \right) \tilde{\phi}(x) = 0$$

Kaluza-Klein modes:

$$m_{n_1, n_2, \dots, n_\delta}^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{\delta} \left(\frac{n_i}{R_i} \right)^2$$

Example: 5(=4+1) dim. model (compact 5-th dim. on S^1)

$$\mathcal{L}_{brane} = \bar{\psi}(x) i \gamma^\mu \partial_\mu \psi(x) - g \bar{\psi}(x) \psi(x) \phi(x, y=0)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{bulk} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \phi) (\partial^\mu \phi) - \frac{1}{2} (\partial_y \phi)^2$$

KK mode expansion:

$$\phi(x, y) = \phi_{odd}(x, y) + \phi_{even}(x, y)$$

$$\phi_{odd}(x, y) = \sum_{n=1} \phi_{odd}^{(n)}(x) \sin\left(\frac{n}{R}y\right)$$

$$\phi_{even}(x, y) = \phi_{even}^{(0)}(x) + \sum_{n=1} \phi_{even}^{(n)}(x) \cos\left(\frac{n}{R}y\right)$$

4 dimensional description

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} &= \int_0^{2\pi R} dy \mathcal{L}_{bulk} \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(\pi R) \sum_{n=1} \left[(\partial_\mu \phi(x)_{odd}^{(n)})^2 - \left(\frac{n}{R}\right)^2 (\phi(x)_{odd}^{(n)})^2 \right] \\ &+ \frac{1}{2}(2\pi R) (\partial_\mu \phi(x)_{even}^{(0)})^2 \\ &+ \frac{1}{2}(\pi R) \sum_{n=1} \left[(\partial_\mu \phi(x)_{even}^{(n)})^2 - \left(\frac{n}{R}\right)^2 (\phi(x)_{even}^{(n)})^2 \right]\end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{brane} = \bar{\psi} i \gamma^\mu \partial_\mu \psi - g \bar{\psi} \psi \left(\phi_{even}^{(0)} + \sum_{n=1} \phi_{even}^{(n)} \right)$$

After rescaling

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1} \left[(\partial_\mu \phi(x)_{\text{odd}}^{(n)})^2 - \left(\frac{n}{R}\right)^2 (\phi(x)_{\text{odd}}^{(n)})^2 \right] \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu \phi(x)_{\text{even}}^{(0)})^2 \\ &+ \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1} \left[(\partial_\mu \phi(x)_{\text{even}}^{(n)})^2 - \left(\frac{n}{R}\right)^2 (\phi(x)_{\text{even}}^{(n)})^2 \right]\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_{\text{brane}} &= \bar{\psi} i \gamma^\mu \partial_\mu \psi \\ &- \bar{\psi} \psi \left(\frac{g}{\sqrt{2\pi R}} \phi_{\text{even}}^{(0)} + \sum_{n=1} \frac{g}{\sqrt{\pi R}} \phi_{\text{even}}^{(n)} \right)\end{aligned}$$

Characteristic features: KK mode mass n/R

universal coupling

Large Extra Dimension Scenario

Phenomenology

- $M_{4+} \sim \mathcal{O}(1 \text{ TeV})$
- many graviton Kaluza-Klein modes

$$G_{\mu\nu}(x^\mu, y^1, y^2, \dots, y^n) = \sum_n g_{\mu\nu}^{(\vec{n})}(x^\mu) \chi^{(\vec{n})}(\vec{y})$$

$$\chi^{(n)} \propto e^{i\frac{\vec{n}\cdot\vec{y}}{r}}, \quad \left(m_{KK}^{(\vec{n})}\right)^2 = \frac{|\vec{n}|^2}{r^2} \quad \text{If 6 dim.} \rightarrow \frac{1}{r} \sim 10^{-4} \text{ eV}$$

Phenomenology of Extra-dimension Scenario

= Phenomenology of **graviton Kaluza-Klein modes**

Construction of effective action in 4D

1. 4D Lagrangian

4+ dim. Graviton \rightarrow 4D graviton in 4D

KK gravitons

KK gravi-scalars

KK gravi-vectors

2. Feynman rules

4D reduction of 4+ dim. Einstein's Eqs.

$$\square_{4+\delta} G_{MN} = -\frac{T_{MN}}{(M_{4+\delta})^{2+\delta}}$$

$$G_{MN} = \left[\begin{array}{c|c} G_{\mu\nu}^{(n)} & V_{\mu j}^{(n)} \\ \hline V_{\mu i}^{(n)} & H^{(n)}\delta_{ij} + S_{ij}^{(n)} \end{array} \right]$$

KK graviton $(\square + \hat{n})G_{\mu\nu}^{(n)} = \frac{1}{\bar{M}_P} \left[-T_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{\partial_\mu \partial_\nu}{\hat{n}^2} \right) T_\lambda^\lambda \right]$

KK gravi-scalar $(\square + \hat{n})H^{(n)} = \frac{\sqrt{\frac{3(\delta-1)}{\delta+2}}}{\bar{M}_P} T_\mu^\mu$

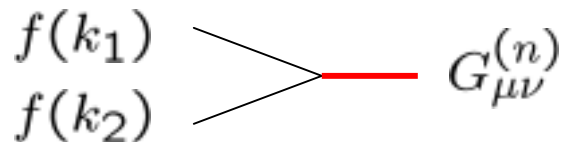
Vector $(\square + \hat{n})V_{\mu j}^{(n)} = 0$

Scalar $(\square + \hat{n})S_{ij}^{(n)} = 0$

Feynman rules

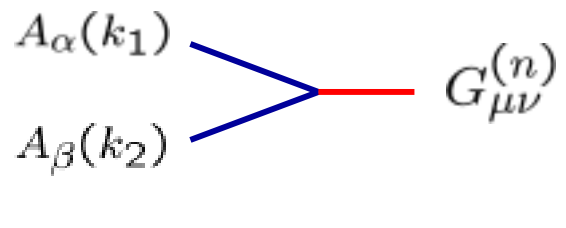
$$T^{\mu\nu} = 2 \frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial g_{\mu\nu}} - g^{\mu\nu} \mathcal{L}$$

ex) QED + KK graviton



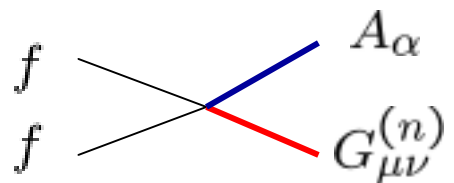
A Feynman diagram showing two incoming scalar lines labeled $f(k_1)$ and $f(k_2)$ merging into a single outgoing red line representing a graviton $G_{\mu\nu}^{(n)}$.

$$-\frac{i}{4\bar{M}_P} [(k_1 + k_2)_\mu \gamma_\nu + (\nu \leftrightarrow \mu)]$$




A Feynman diagram showing two incoming photon lines labeled $A_\alpha(k_1)$ and $A_\beta(k_2)$ merging into a single outgoing red line representing a graviton $G_{\mu\nu}^{(n)}$.

$$-\frac{1}{\bar{M}_P} \left[\frac{1}{2} \eta_{\mu\nu} (k_{1\beta} k_{2\alpha} - (k_1 k_2) \eta_{\alpha\beta}) + \eta_{\alpha\beta} k_{1\mu} k_{2\nu} \right. \\ \left. + \eta_{\mu\alpha} (\eta_{\nu\beta} (k_1 k_2) - k_{1\beta} k_{2\nu}) - \eta_{\mu\beta} k_{1\nu} k_{2\alpha} \right. \\ \left. + (\mu \leftrightarrow \nu) \right]$$



A Feynman diagram showing an incoming scalar line f and an incoming photon line f merging into two outgoing lines: a blue line representing a photon A_α and a red line representing a graviton $G_{\mu\nu}^{(n)}$.

$$-\frac{ieQ}{2\bar{M}_P} [\gamma_\mu \eta_{\nu\alpha} + (\mu \leftrightarrow \nu)]$$



A Feynman diagram showing a red line representing a graviton propagator between two vertices. The left vertex is labeled $G_{\mu\nu}^{(n)}(k)$ and the right vertex is labeled $G_{\alpha\beta}^{(n)}(k)$.

$$\frac{iP_{\mu\nu\alpha\beta}}{k^2 - m^2}$$

$$P_{\mu\nu\alpha\beta} = \frac{1}{2} (\eta_{\mu\alpha} \eta_{\nu\beta} + \eta_{\mu\beta} \eta_{\nu\alpha} - \eta_{\mu\nu} \eta_{\alpha\beta}) \\ - \frac{1}{2m^2} (\eta_{\mu\alpha} k_\nu k_\beta + \eta_{\nu\beta} k_\mu k_\alpha + \eta_{\mu\beta} k_\nu k_\alpha + \eta_{\nu\alpha} k_\mu k_\beta) \\ + \frac{1}{6} \left(\eta_{\mu\nu} + \frac{2}{m^2} k_\mu k_\nu \right) \left(\eta_{\alpha\beta} + \frac{2}{m^2} k_\alpha k_\beta \right)$$

Detection of Extra-dimension @ future colliders

→ **detection of KK graviton**

direct → **KK graviton emission**

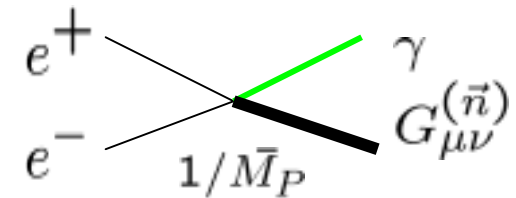
indirect → **KK graviton mediated process**

First detection of spin 2 particle !

KK graviton emission process

Emitted KK graviton \rightarrow non-interacting & stable particle
 \rightarrow **missing energy event**

Example: $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma + \text{nothing}$

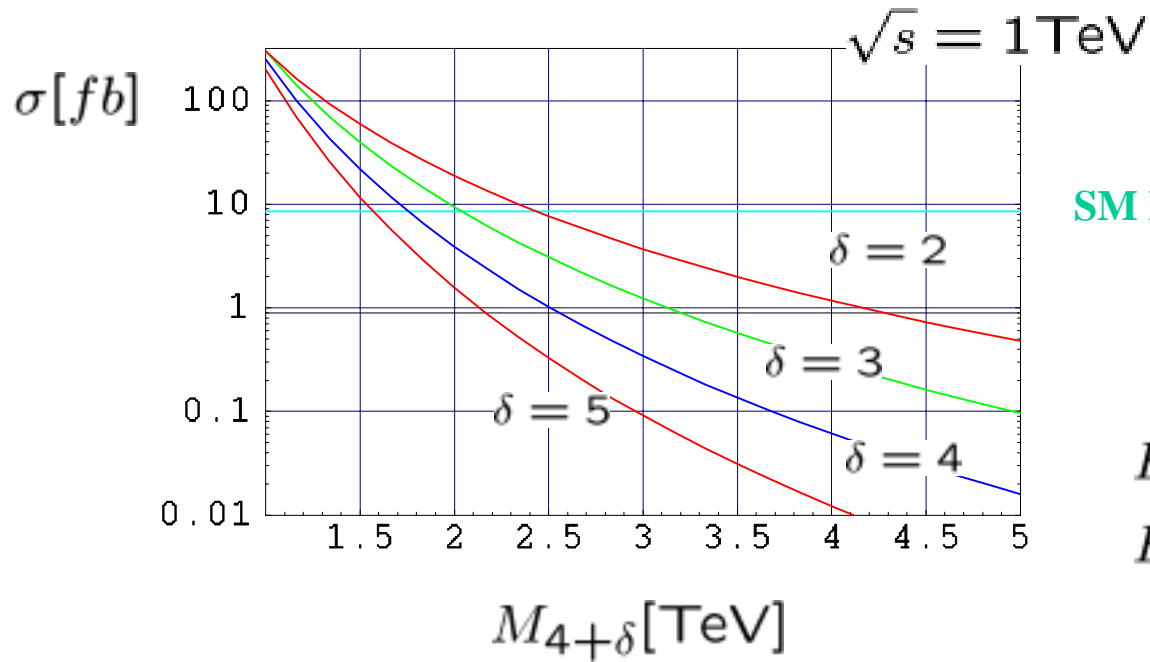


SM background: $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma\bar{\nu}\nu$

Each process is suppressed by $1/\bar{M}_P^2$
But \times of KK modes $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{M_{4+\delta}^2}$

Result

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma + E_{\text{missing}}$$

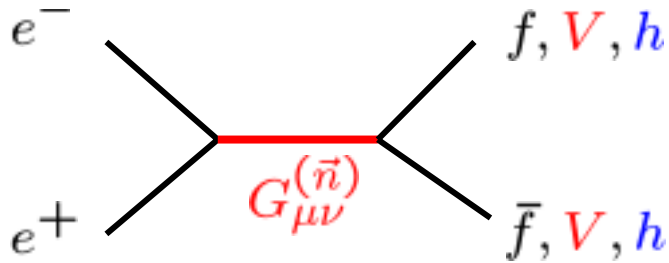


$$E_\gamma < 450 \text{ GeV}$$

$$E_{T,\gamma} > 300 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\sigma \propto \left(\frac{\sqrt{s}}{M_{4+\delta}} \right)^{\delta+2}$$

Virtual KK graviton mediated process



$$\sum_{\vec{n}} \frac{1}{s - \left(m_{KK}^{(\vec{n})}\right)^2} \rightarrow \infty \quad (\text{for } \delta \geq 2)$$

Need regularization

Naïve: Cut Off by $m_{KK}^{MAX} \sim M_{4+\delta}$

$$\boxed{\frac{4\pi\lambda}{M_S^4}} = -\frac{8\pi}{M_P^2} \sum_{\vec{n}} \frac{1}{s - \left(m_{KK}^{(\vec{n})}\right)^2}; \quad \lambda = \pm 1$$

$$\mathcal{M} = \frac{4\pi\lambda}{M_S^4} T_{\mu\nu}(p_1, p_2) T^{\mu\nu}(p_3, p_4)$$

Calculations of some processes

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} f\bar{f} \\ \gamma\gamma, W^+W^-, ZZ \\ hh \end{array}$$

$$\sum_{spin} |\mathcal{M}|^2 = \sum |\mathcal{M}_{SM} + \mathcal{M}_G|^2 = \sum (|\mathcal{M}_{SM}|^2 + \mathcal{M}_{IF} + |\mathcal{M}_G|^2)$$

Interference: $\sum \mathcal{M}_{IF} = \sum \mathcal{M}_{SM}^\dagger \mathcal{M}_G + h.c. \propto \lambda$

Only KK graviton: $\sum |\mathcal{M}_G|^2 \propto \lambda^2$

$$\mathcal{M} = \frac{4\pi\lambda}{M_S^4} T_{\mu\nu}(p_1, p_2) T^{\mu\nu}(p_3, p_4)$$

Results I: total cross section

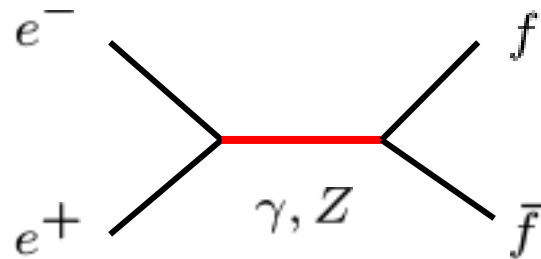
← new physics evidence

II: angular dependence of cross section

← effects due to **spin 2 particle** exchange

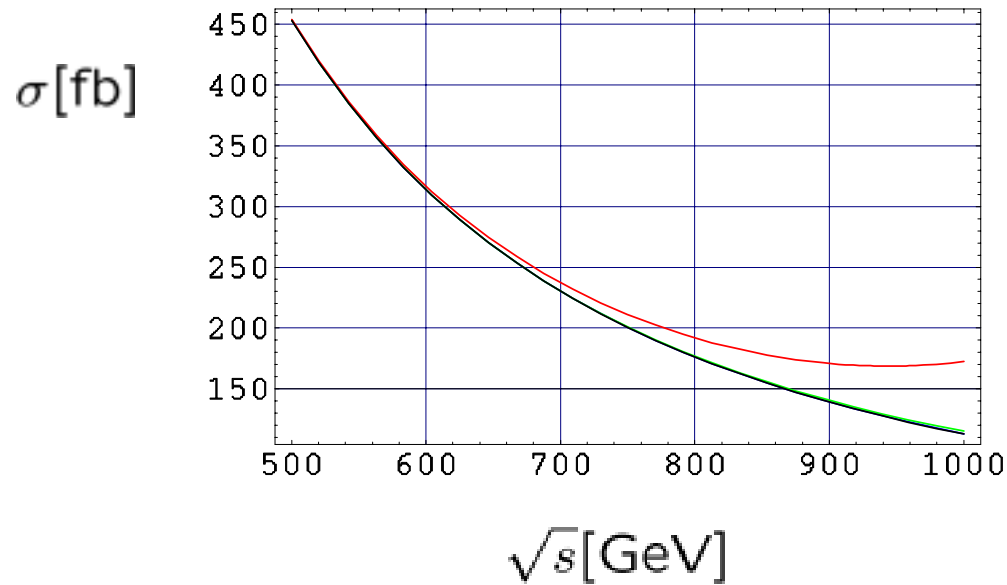
$e^+e^- \rightarrow f\bar{f}$ processes

SM background



($f \neq e$)

$e^+e^- \rightarrow \tau\bar{\tau}$



$M_S = 2\text{TeV}$

$M_S = 3\text{TeV}$

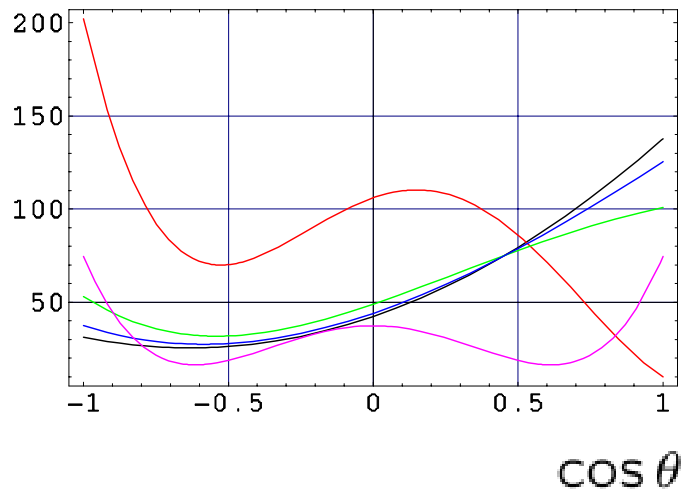
$M_S = 4\text{TeV}$

$M_S = \infty$

Angular dependence of cross section

$$\frac{d\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tau\bar{\tau})}{d\cos\theta} [\text{fb}] \quad \text{at } \sqrt{s} = 1\text{TeV}$$

$\lambda = +1$



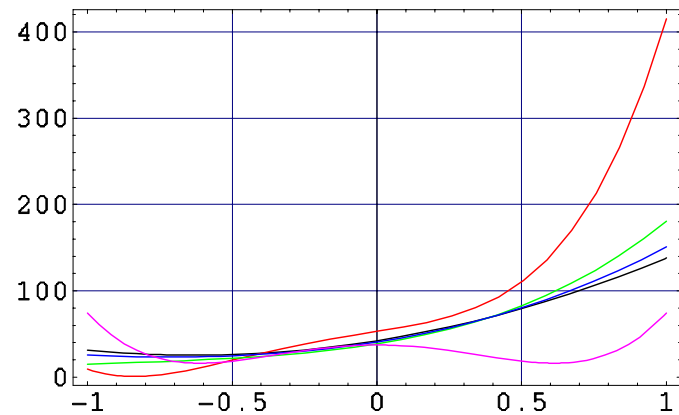
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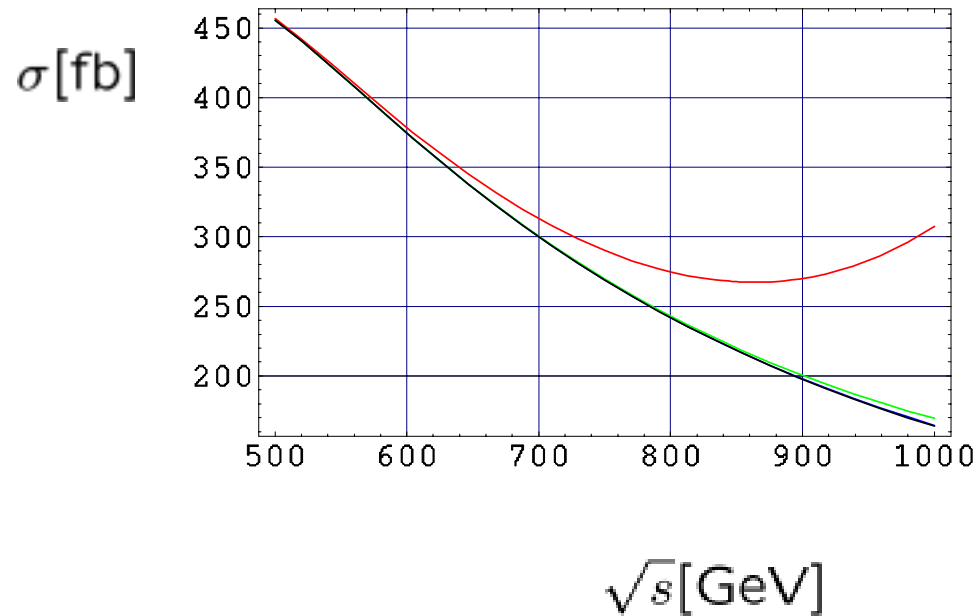
$M_S = \infty$

$\lambda = -1$



$$e^+e^- \rightarrow t\bar{t}$$

$$\lambda = +1$$



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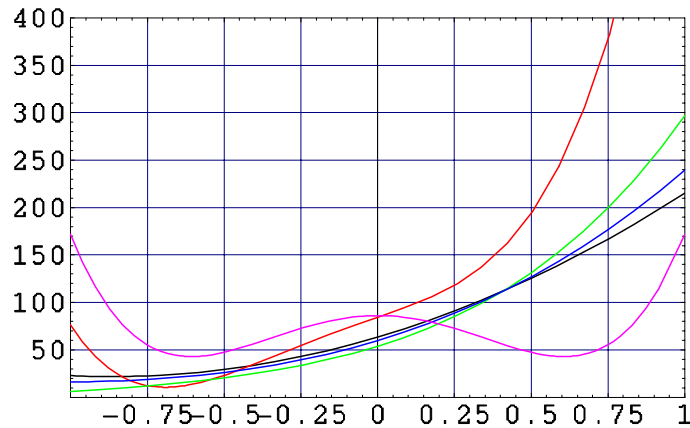
$$M_S = \infty$$

$$m_t = 175 \text{ GeV}$$

Angular dependence of cross section

$$\frac{d\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow tt)}{d\cos\theta} [\text{fb}] \quad \text{at } \sqrt{s} = 1\text{TeV}$$

$$\lambda = +1$$



$\cos\theta$

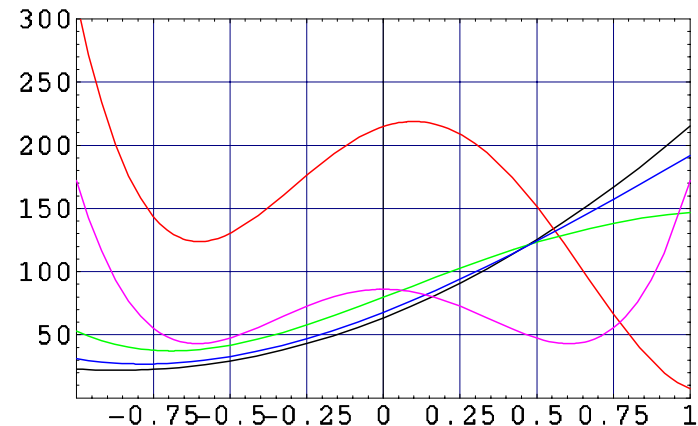
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$$\lambda = -1$$

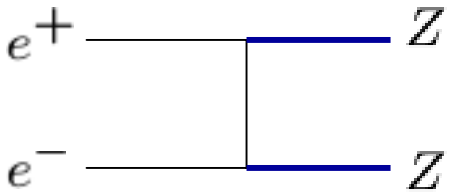


$$m_t = 175\text{GeV}$$

$e^+e^- \rightarrow VV$ processes

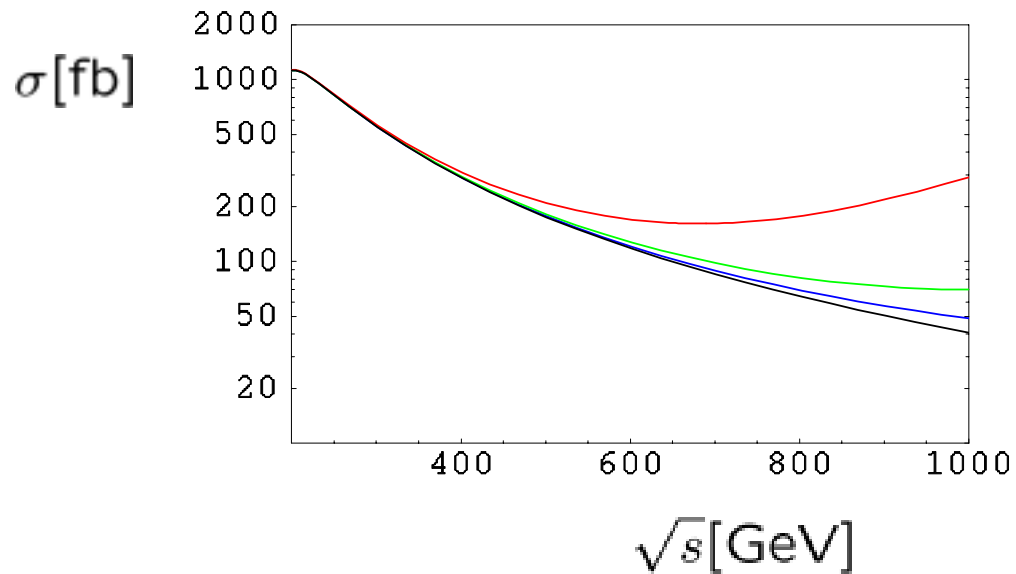
$e^+e^- \rightarrow ZZ$

SM background



+ cross

$\lambda = +1$



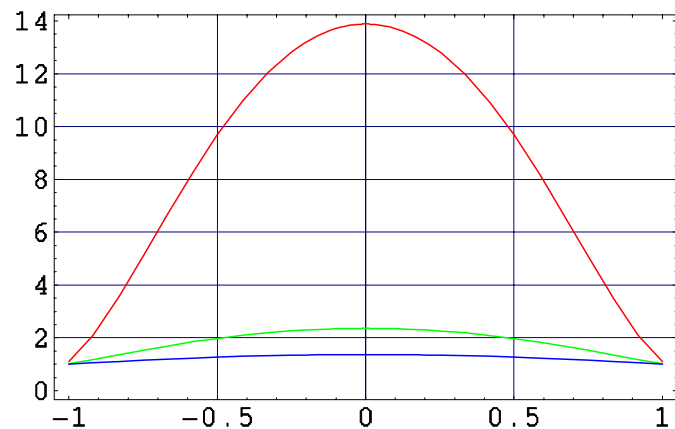
- $M_S = 2\text{TeV}$
- $M_S = 3\text{TeV}$
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- $M_S = \infty$

Angular distribution

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\cos\theta} / \frac{d\sigma}{d\cos\theta}|_{SM}$$

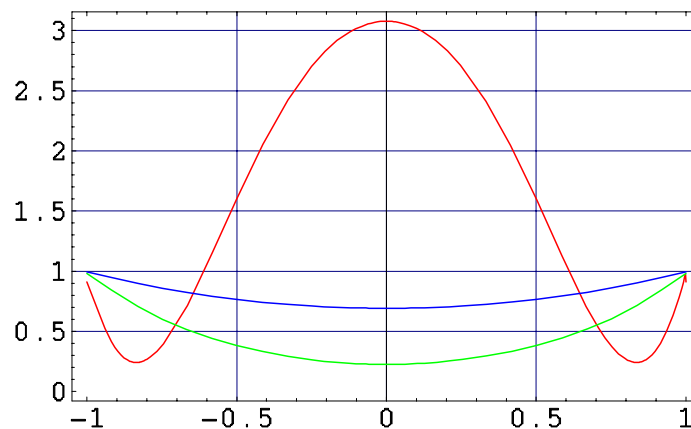
$$\sqrt{s} = 1\text{TeV}$$

$$\lambda = +1$$



$\cos[\theta]$

$$\lambda = -1$$



$$M_S = 2\text{TeV}$$

$$M_S = 3\text{TeV}$$

$$M_S = 4\text{TeV}$$

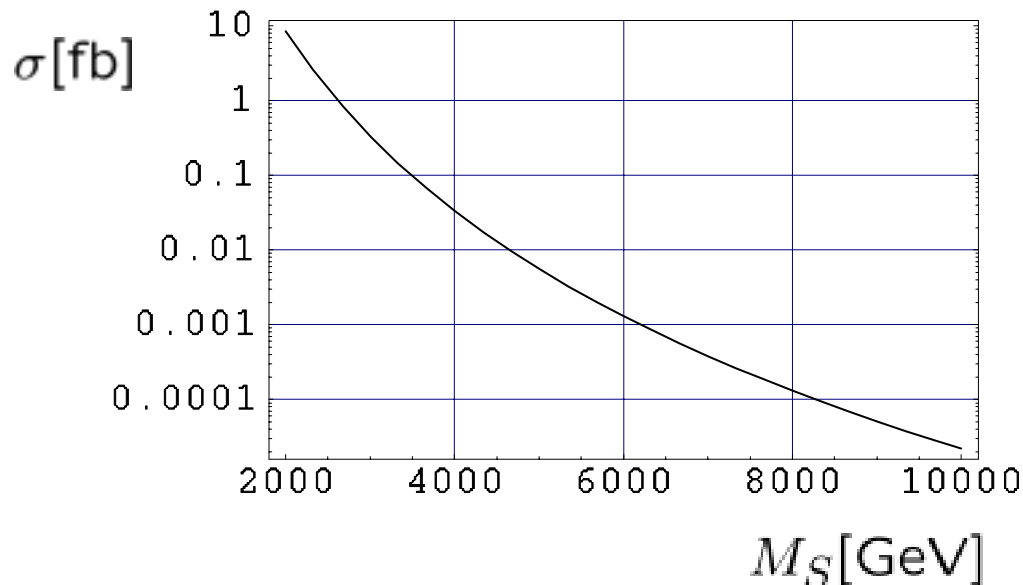
$e^+e^- \rightarrow h\bar{h}$ process

KK graviton exchange is dominant

SM background free → very interesting

if this cross section is large enough

$$\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow hh) = \frac{\pi\lambda^2}{480M_S^8} \sqrt{1 - 4\frac{m_h^2}{s}} (s^3 - 8m_h^2s^2 + 16m_h^4s)$$



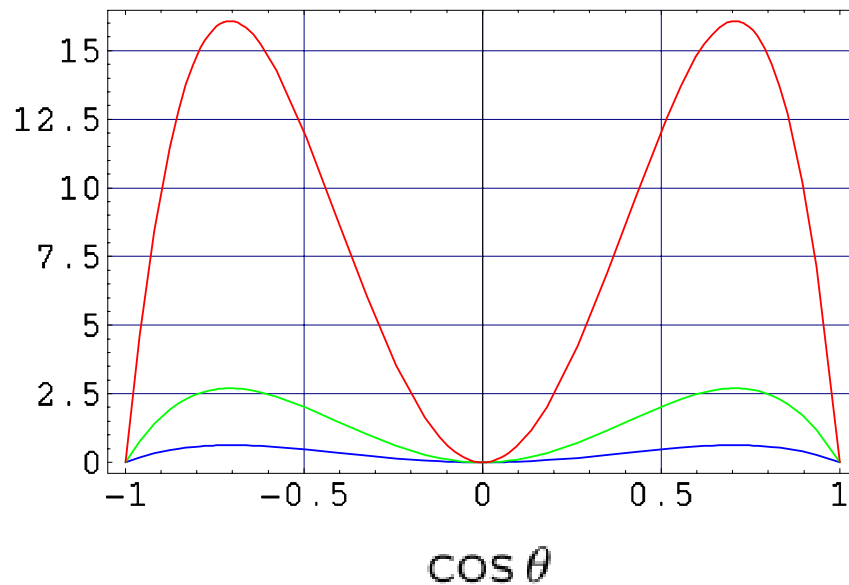
$$\sqrt{s} = 1 \text{ TeV}$$

$$m_h = 120 \text{ GeV}$$

Angular dependence of cross section

$$\frac{d\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow hh)}{d\cos\theta} [\text{fb}]$$

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$$m_h = 120\text{GeV}$$

$$M_S = 2\text{TeV}$$

$$M_S = 2.5\text{TeV}$$

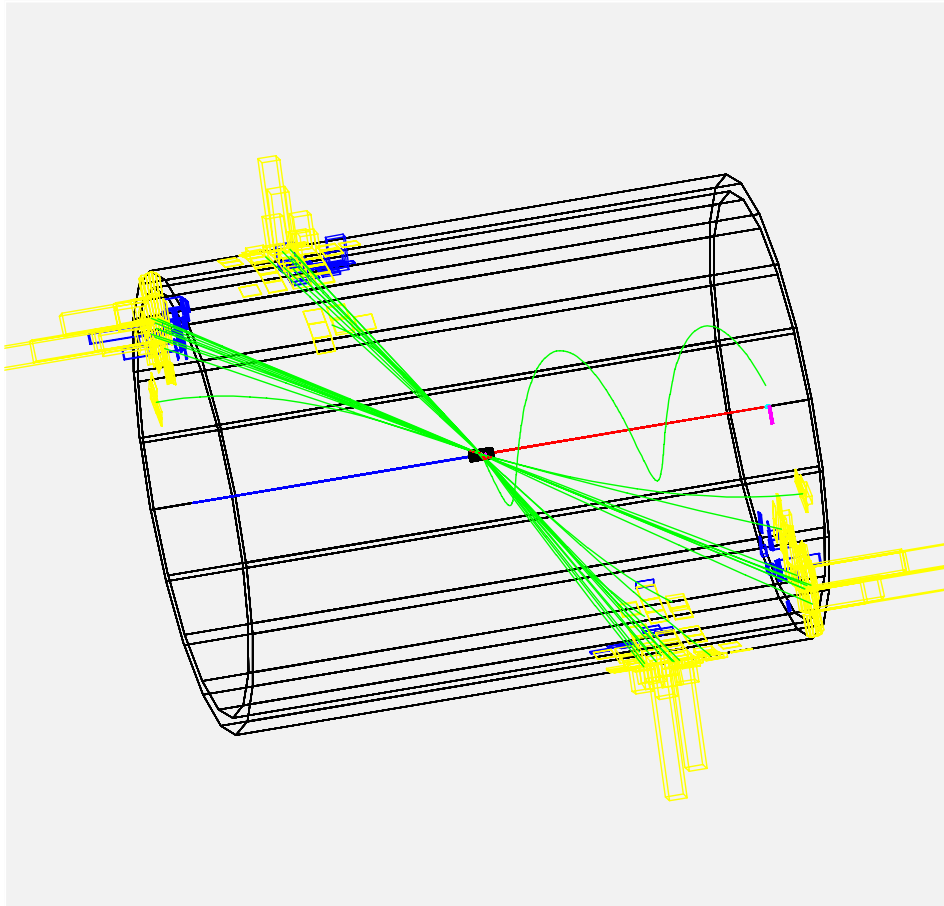
$$M_S = 3\text{TeV}$$

$$\sum |\mathcal{M}|^2 = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{4\pi\lambda}{M_S^4} \right)^2 (t-u)^2 (tu - m_h^4)$$

Results of simulation studies (VERY Preliminary!)

$e^+e^- \rightarrow hh$ process

$hh \rightarrow b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$ 4 jet events

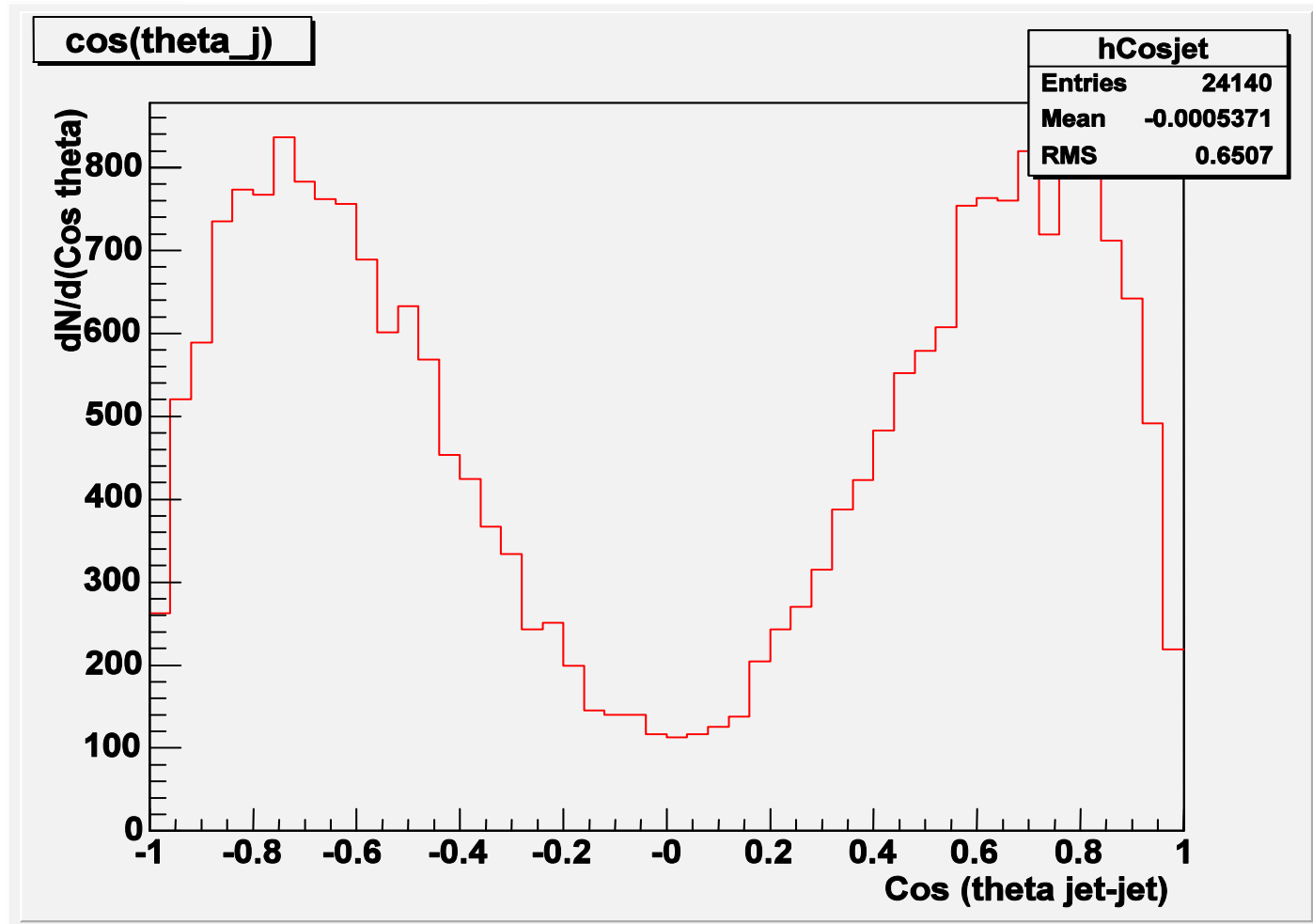


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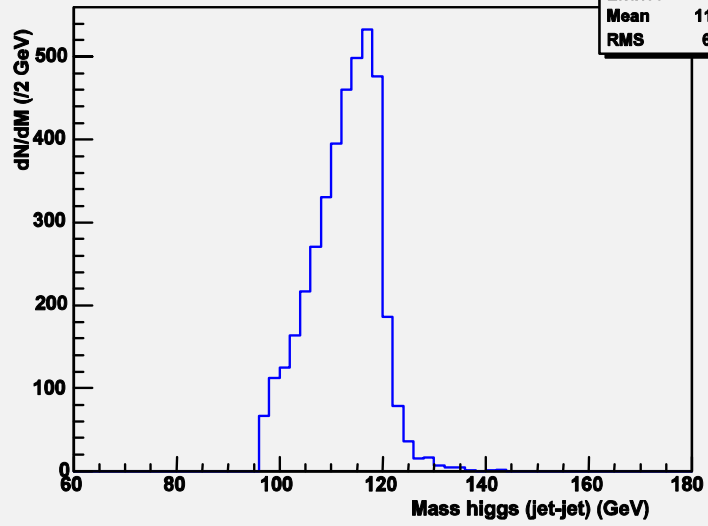
$$M_S = 2\text{TeV}$$

$$m_h = 120\text{GeV}$$

Not including SM background

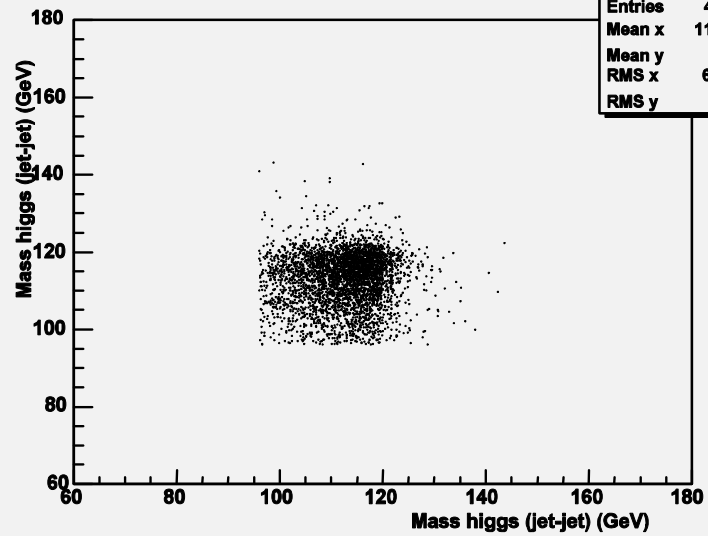


M_h Distribution



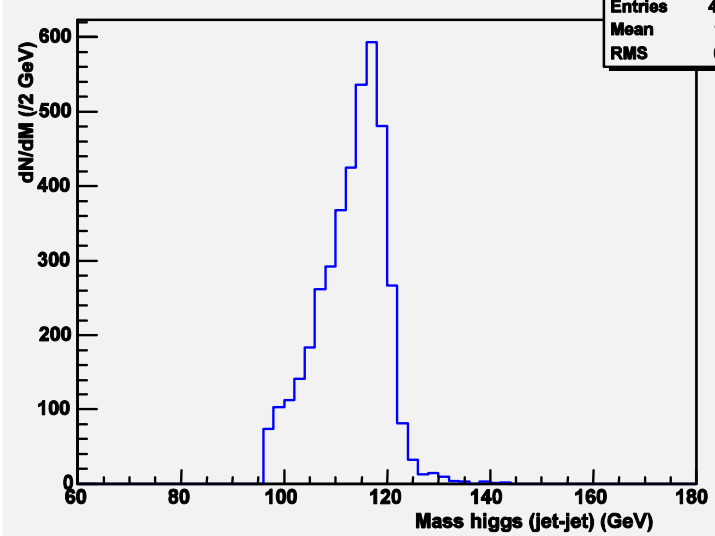
| hMassh1 | |
|---------|-------|
| Entries | 4001 |
| Mean | 112.6 |
| RMS | 6.537 |

M_h (h1 vs h2)Distribution



| hMasshh | |
|---------|-------|
| Entries | 4001 |
| Mean x | 112.6 |
| Mean y | 113 |
| RMS x | 6.537 |
| RMS y | 6.55 |

M_h Distribution



| hMassh2 | |
|---------|------|
| Entries | 4001 |
| Mean | 113 |
| RMS | 6.55 |