

# C<sup>3</sup>, a “Cool” Route to the Higgs Boson and Beyond

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### **C<sup>3</sup>: An Advanced Concept for a High Energy e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> Linear Collider**

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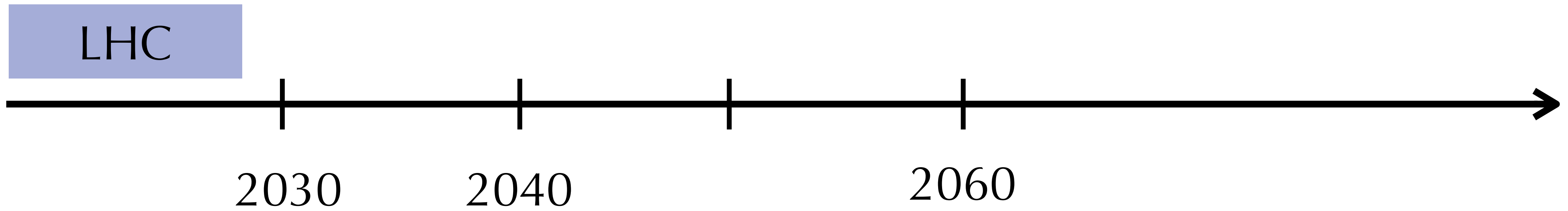
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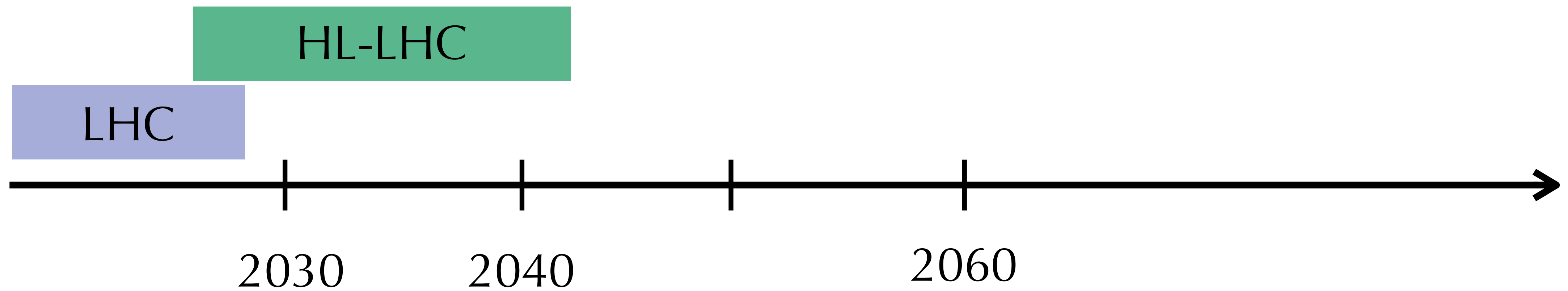
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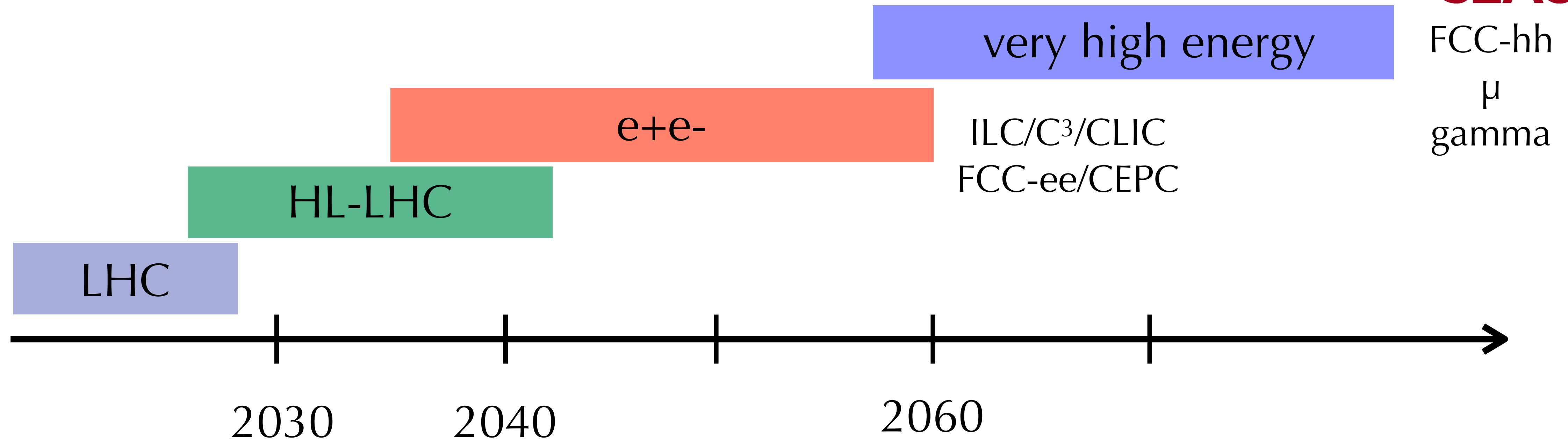
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**HL-LHC as a Higgs factory: 170M Higgs bosons - 120k HH pairs for 3/ab**

**Phase-2 HL-LHC detector upgrades are being built**



# What's next?

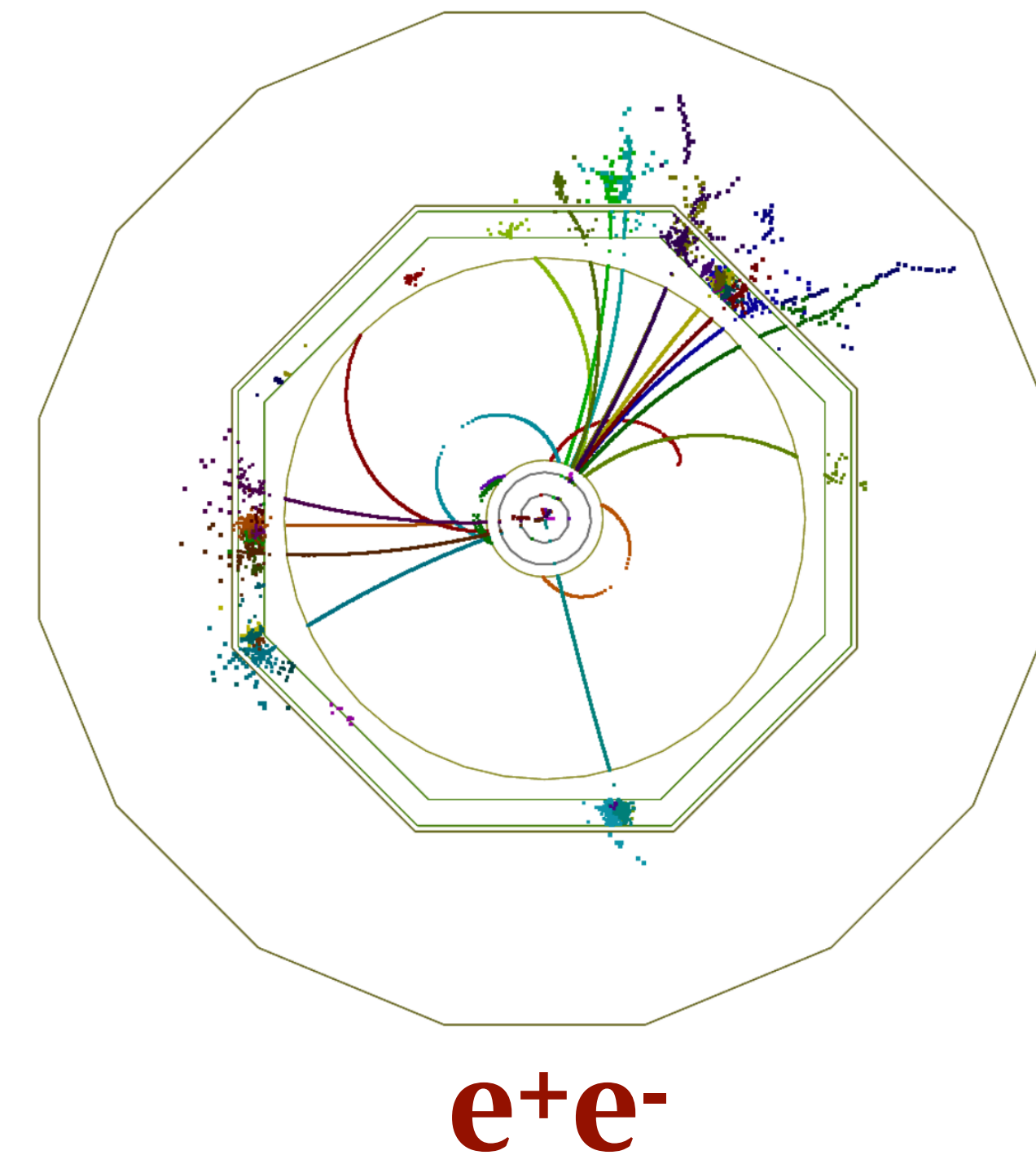
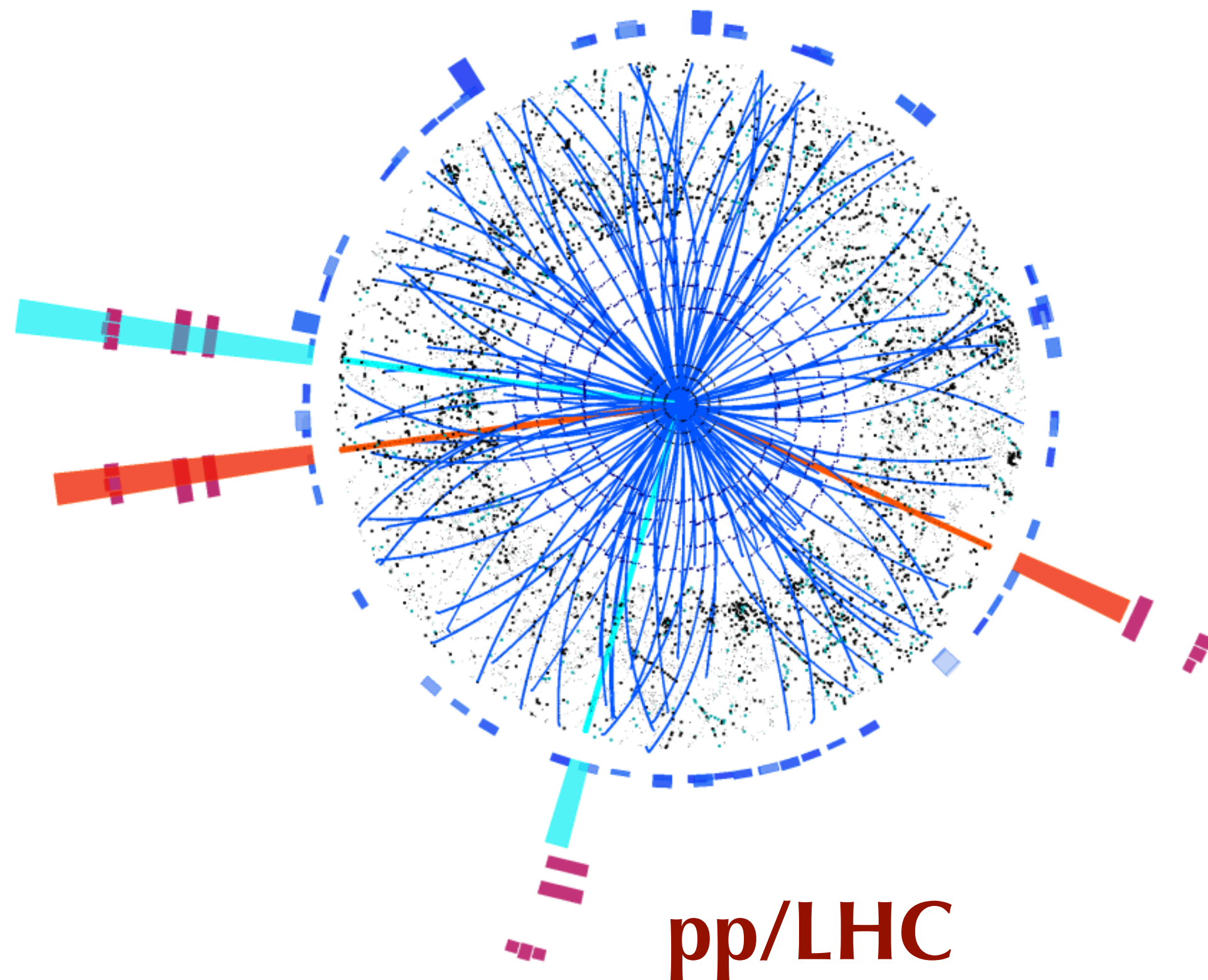


## Wish list beyond HL-LHC:

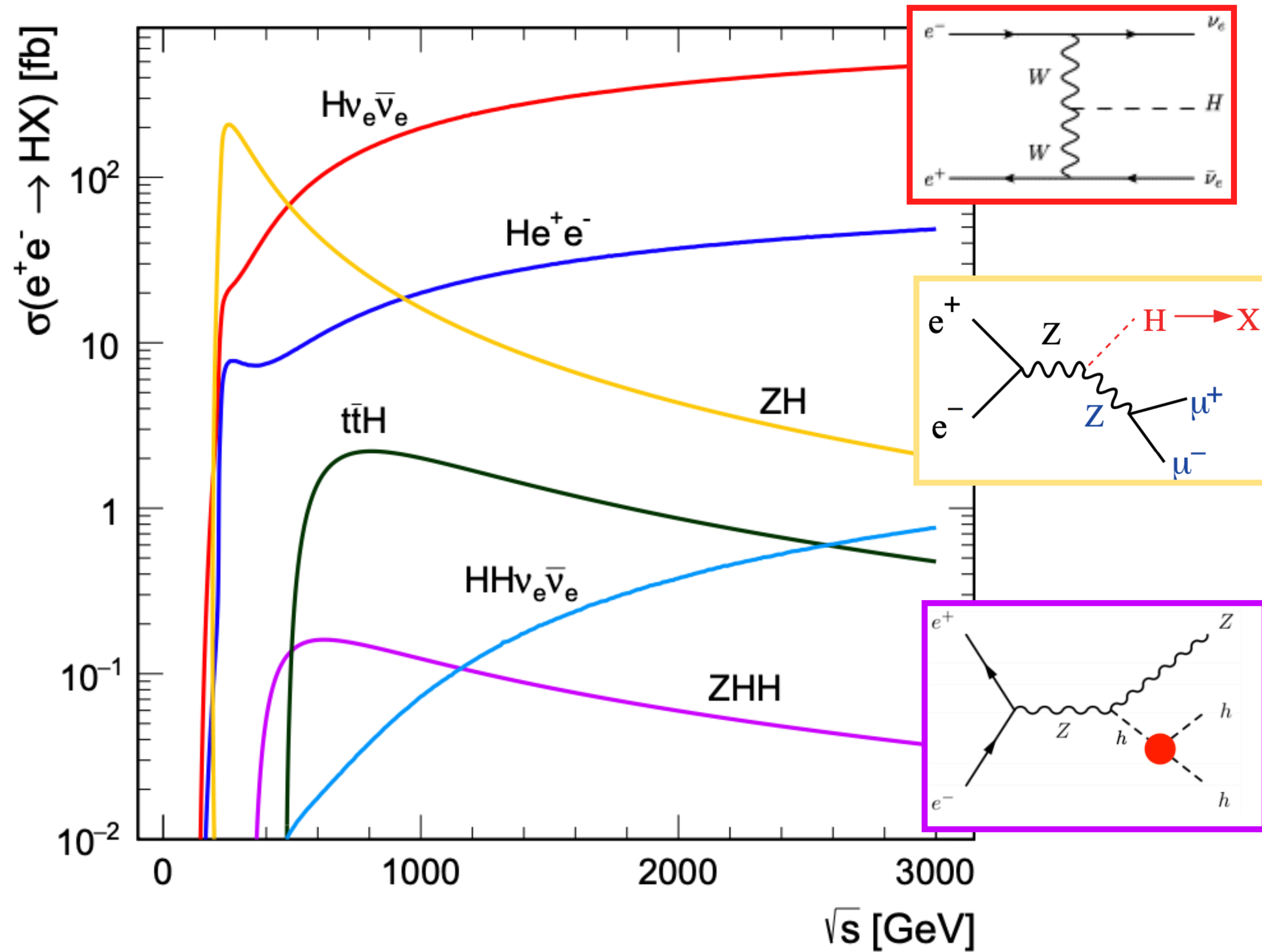
1. Establish Yukawa couplings to light flavor  $\implies$  needs precision
2. Establish self-coupling  $\implies$  needs high energy

# Why $e^+e^-$ ?

- Initial state well defined & polarization  $\implies$  High-precision measurements
- Higgs bosons appear in 1 in 100 events  $\implies$  Clean experimental environment and trigger-less readout



# Higgs at $e^+e^-$

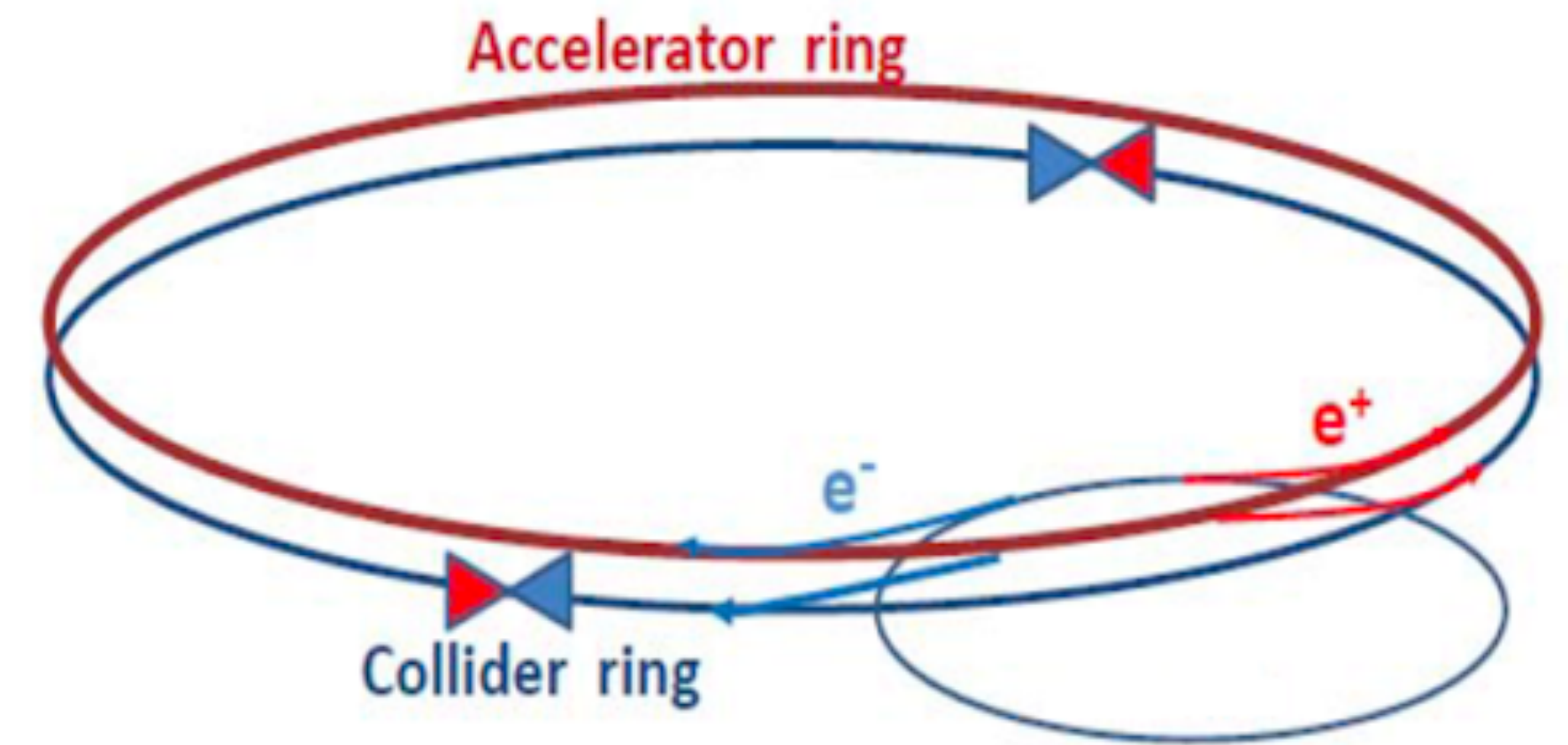
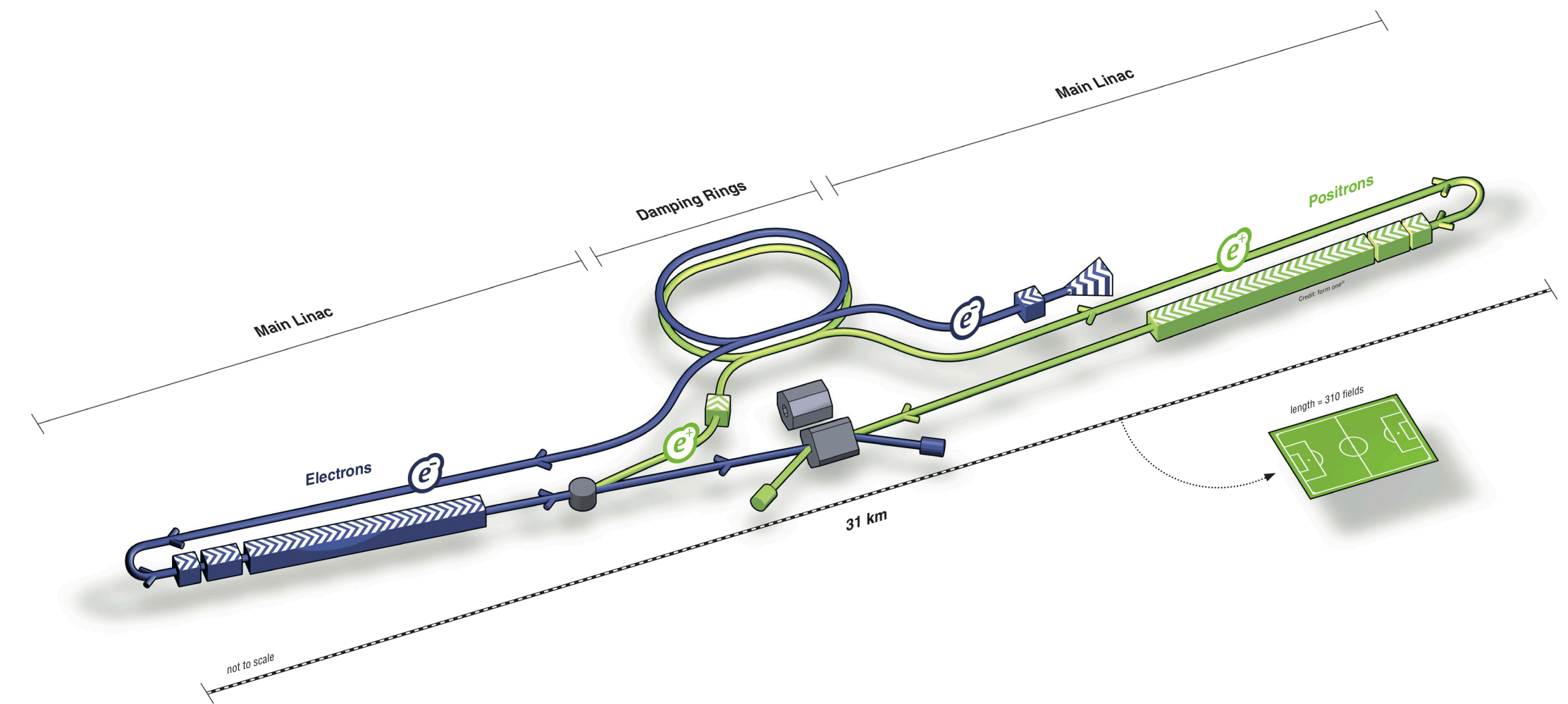


- ZH is dominant at **250 GeV**
- Above **500 GeV**
  - $H\nu\nu$  dominates
  - $ttH$  opens up
  - HH production accessible with ZHH



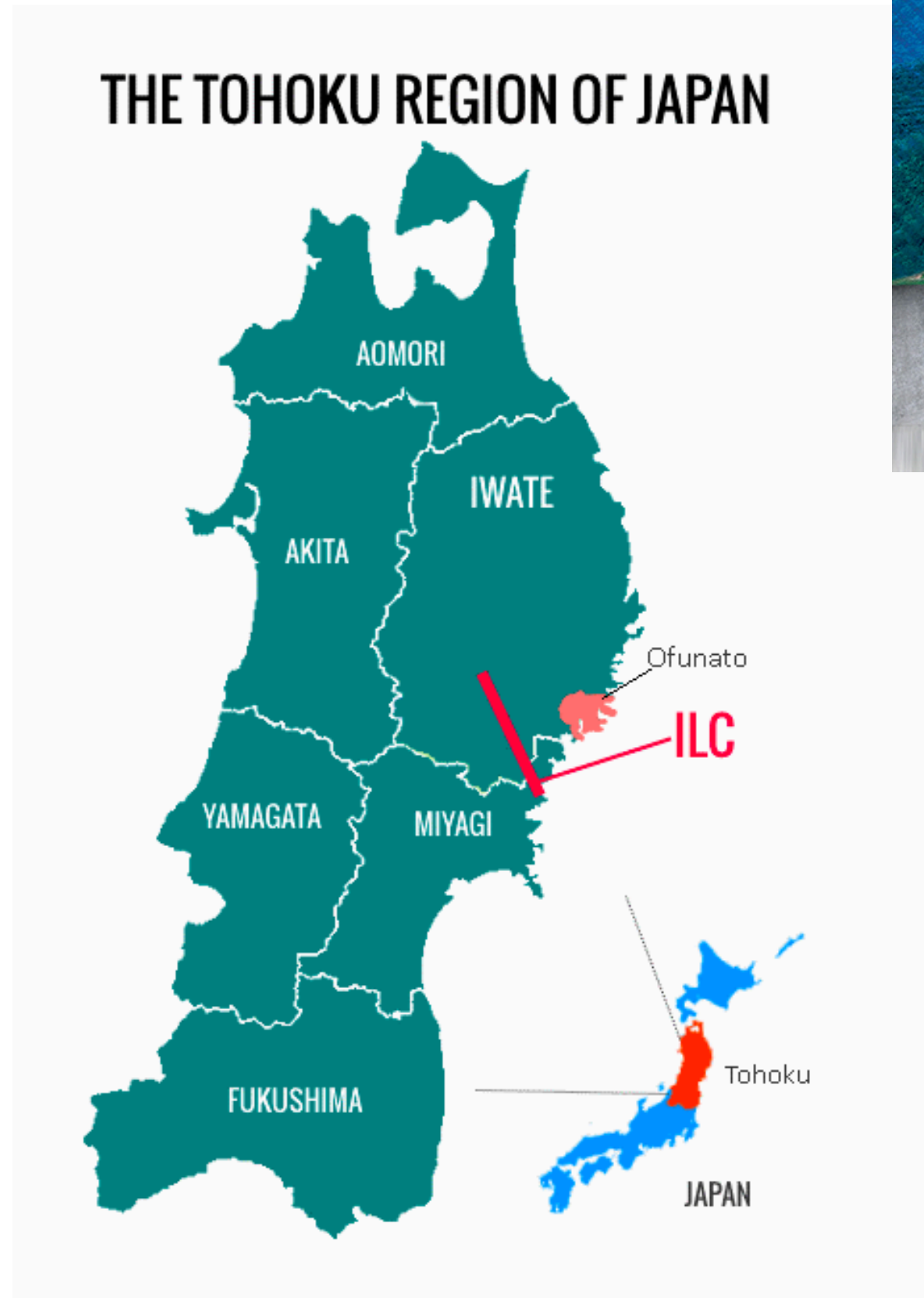
# Linear vs. Circular

- **Linear**  $e^+e^-$  colliders: ILC, C<sup>3</sup>, CLIC
  - Reach higher energies ( $\sim$  TeV), and can use polarized beams
  - Relatively low radiation
  - Collisions in bunch trains
- **Circular**  $e^+e^-$  colliders: FCC-ee, CEPC
  - Highest luminosity collider at Z/WW/Zh
  - limited by synchrotron radiation above 350– 400 GeV
  - Beam continues to circulate after collision

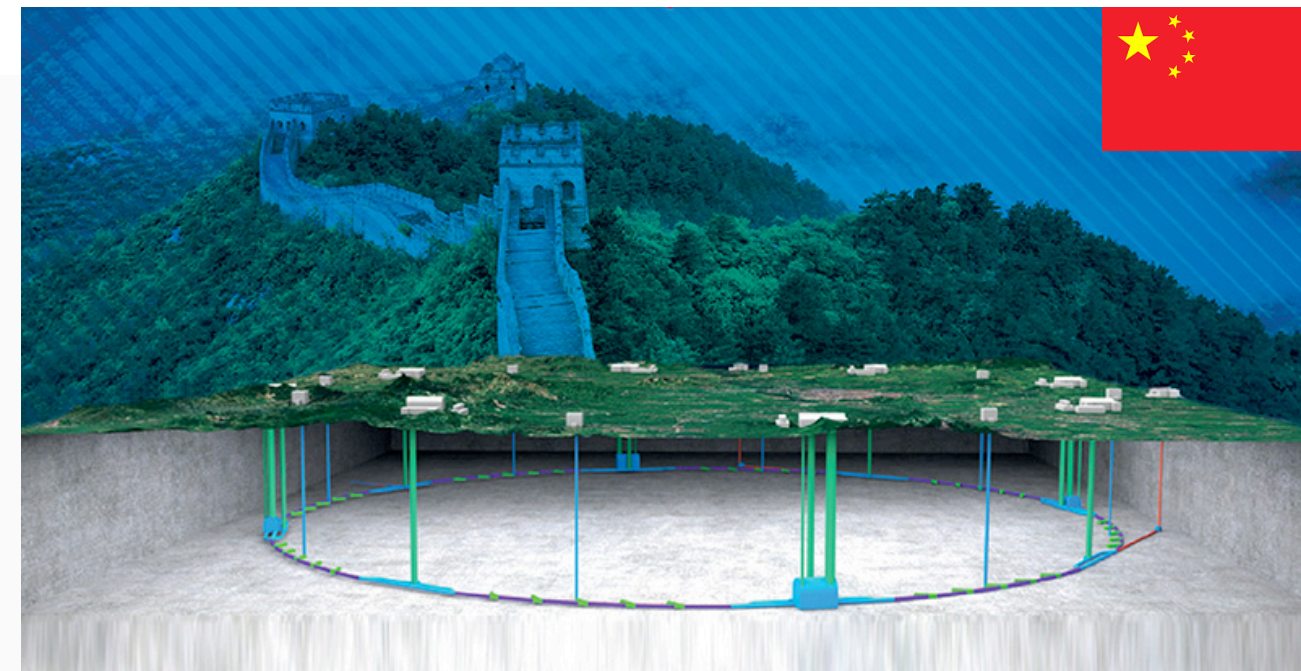




# Various proposals ...



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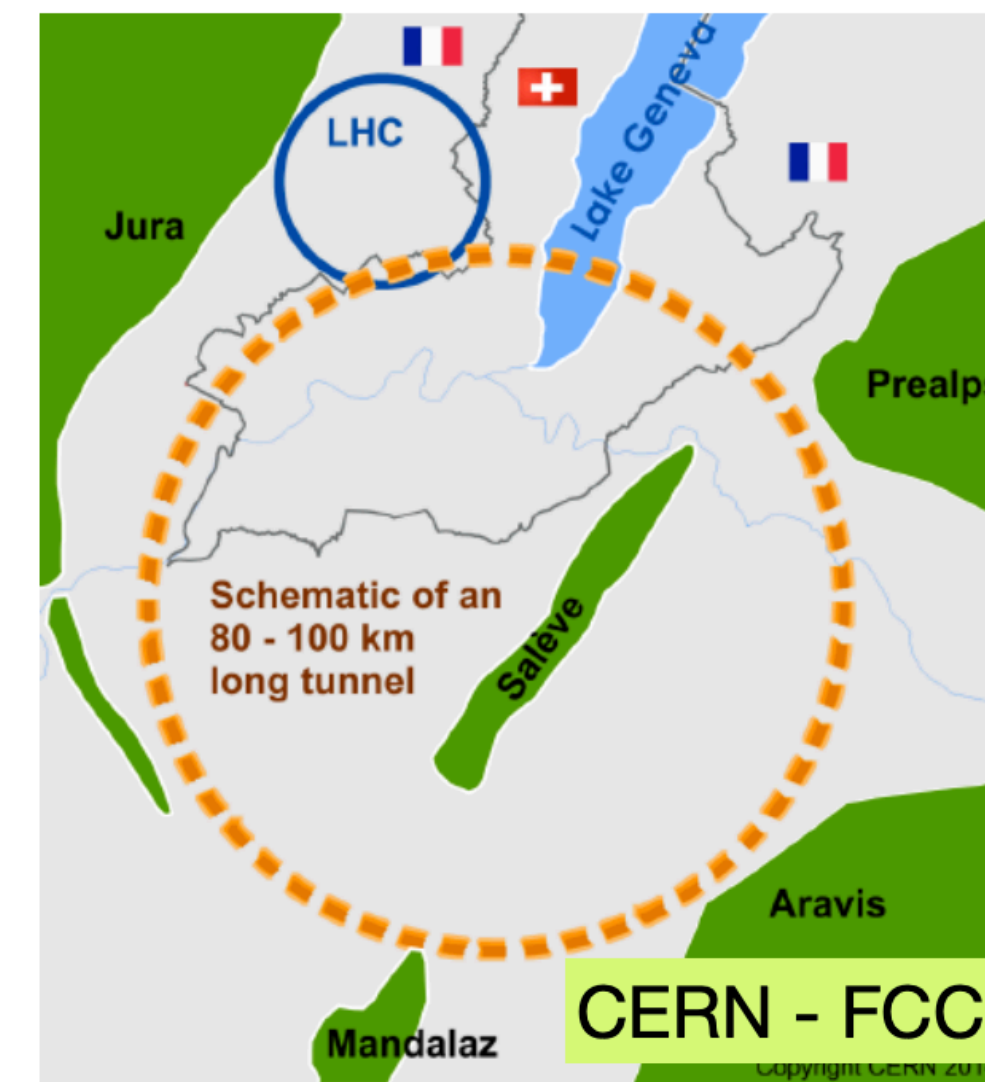
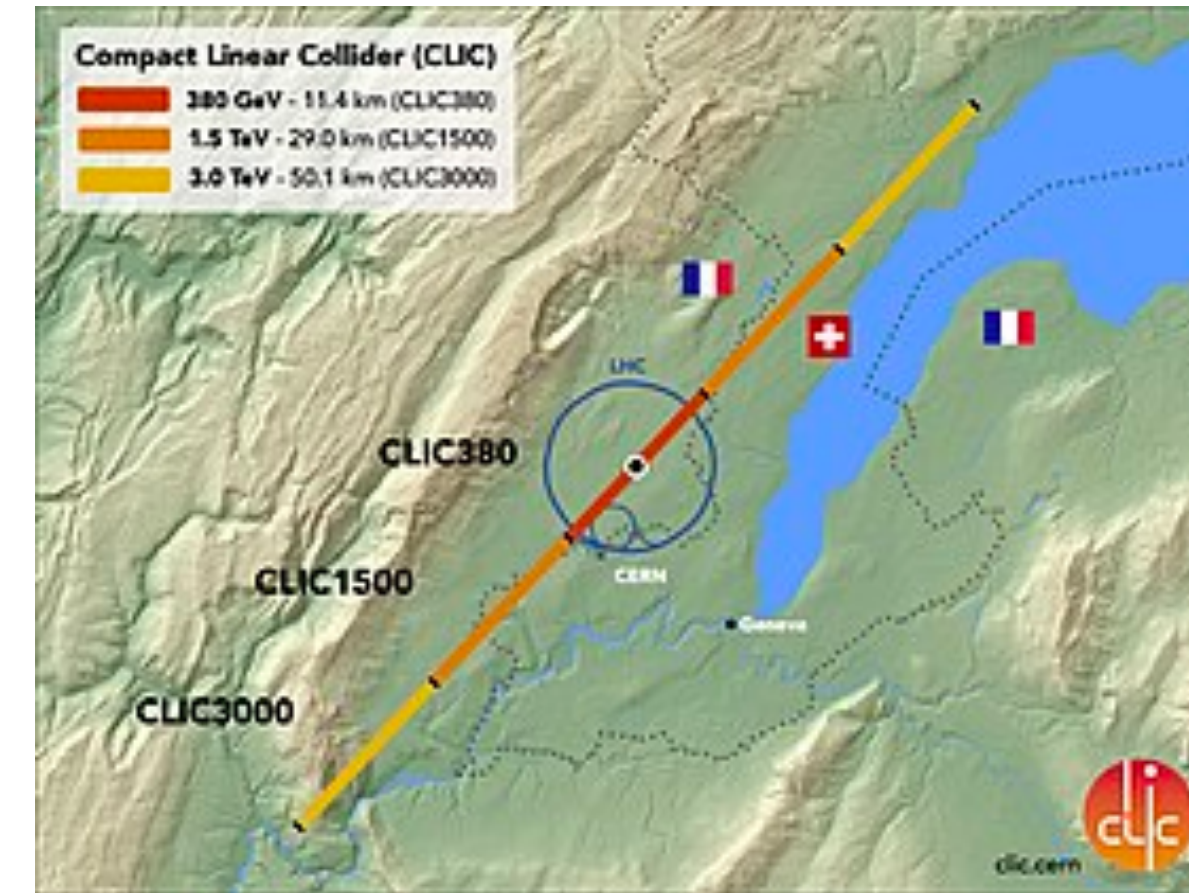


CEPC 240 GeV



250/550 GeV  
... > TeV

CLIC 380/1500/3000 GeV



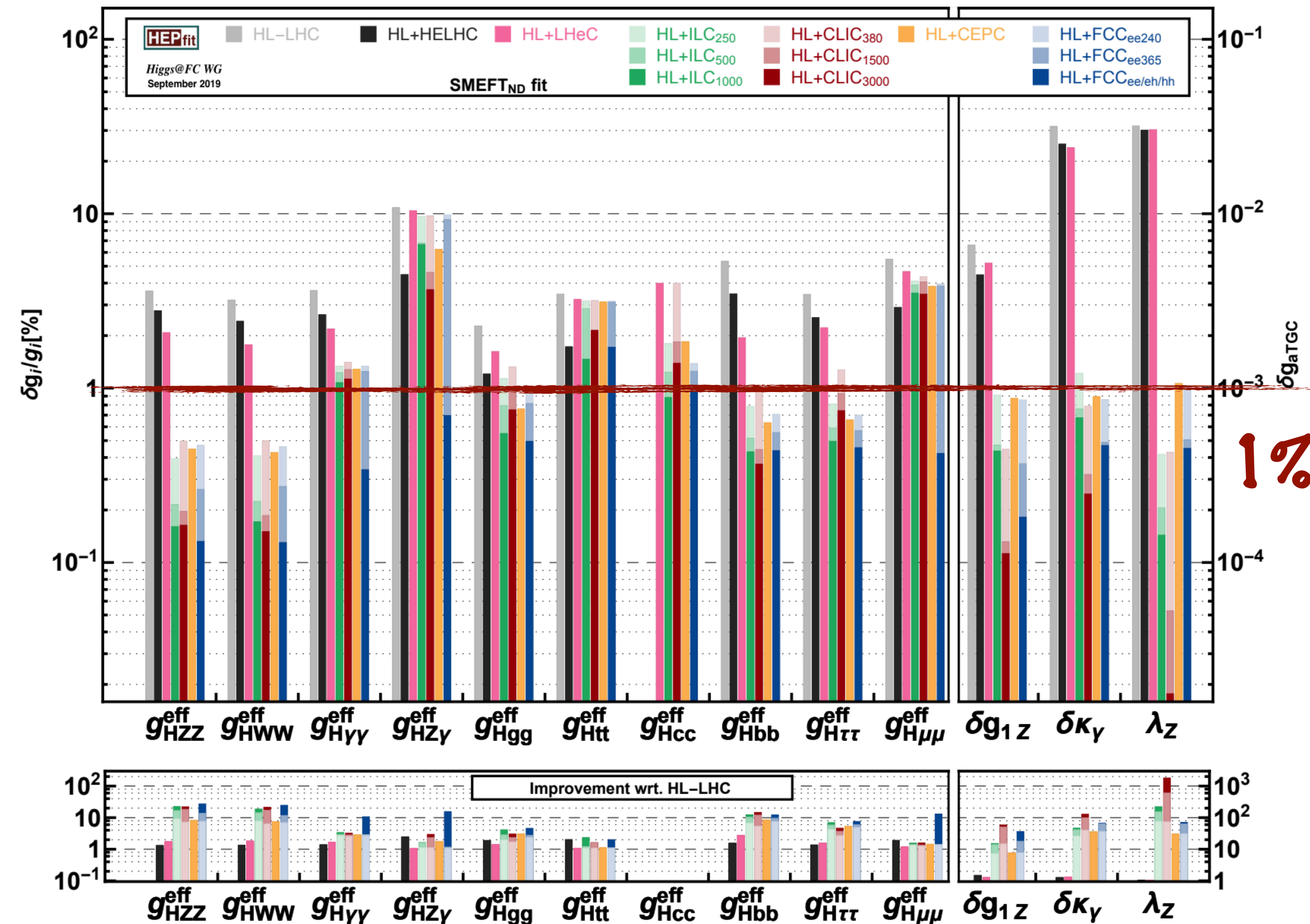
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240/365 GeV



# Higgs couplings at future colliders



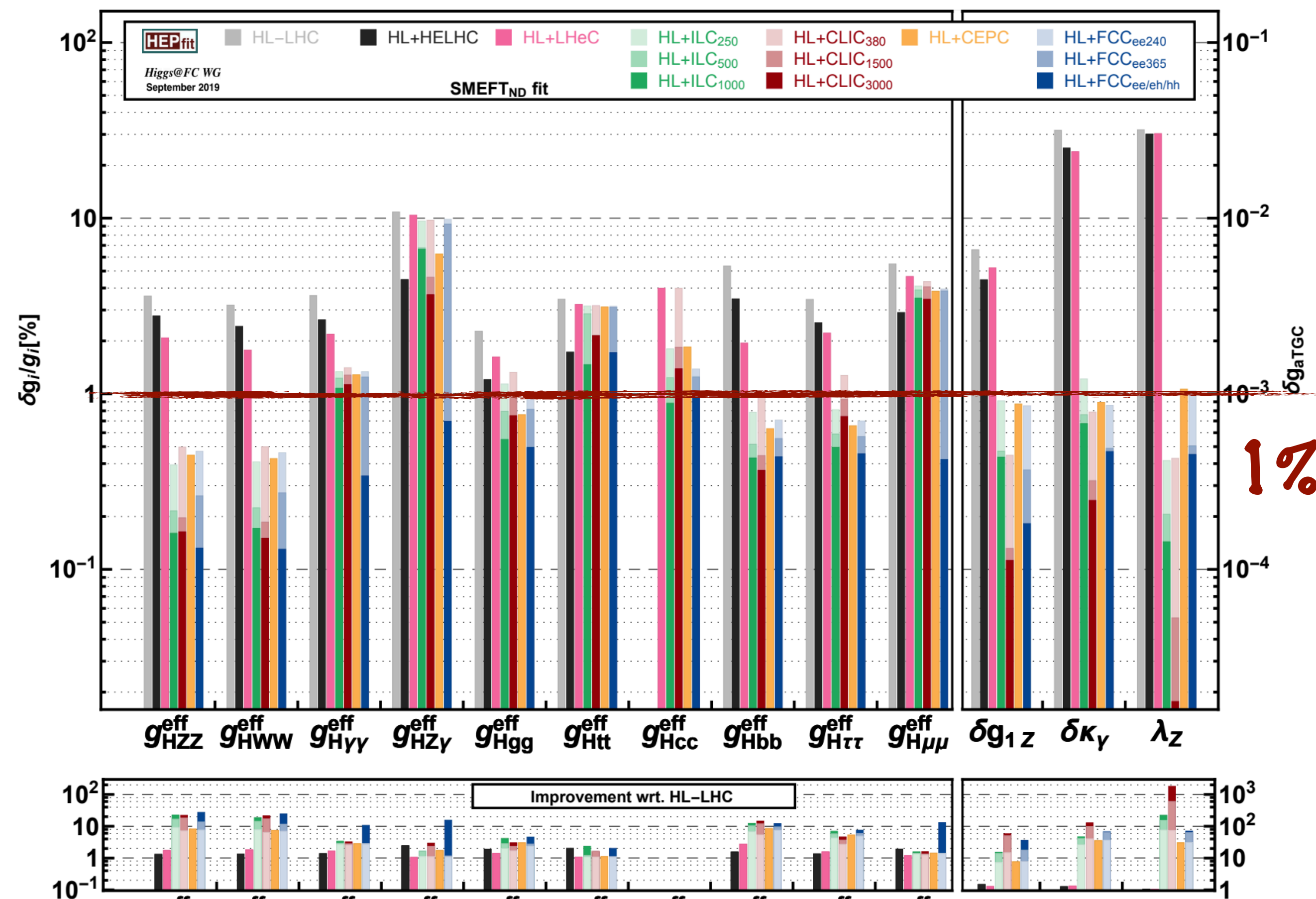
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***Complementarity between HL-LHC and future colliders (depending on their timeline) will be the key to explore the Higgs sector***

**An alternative to ILC for a linear  $e^+e^-$  collider...**

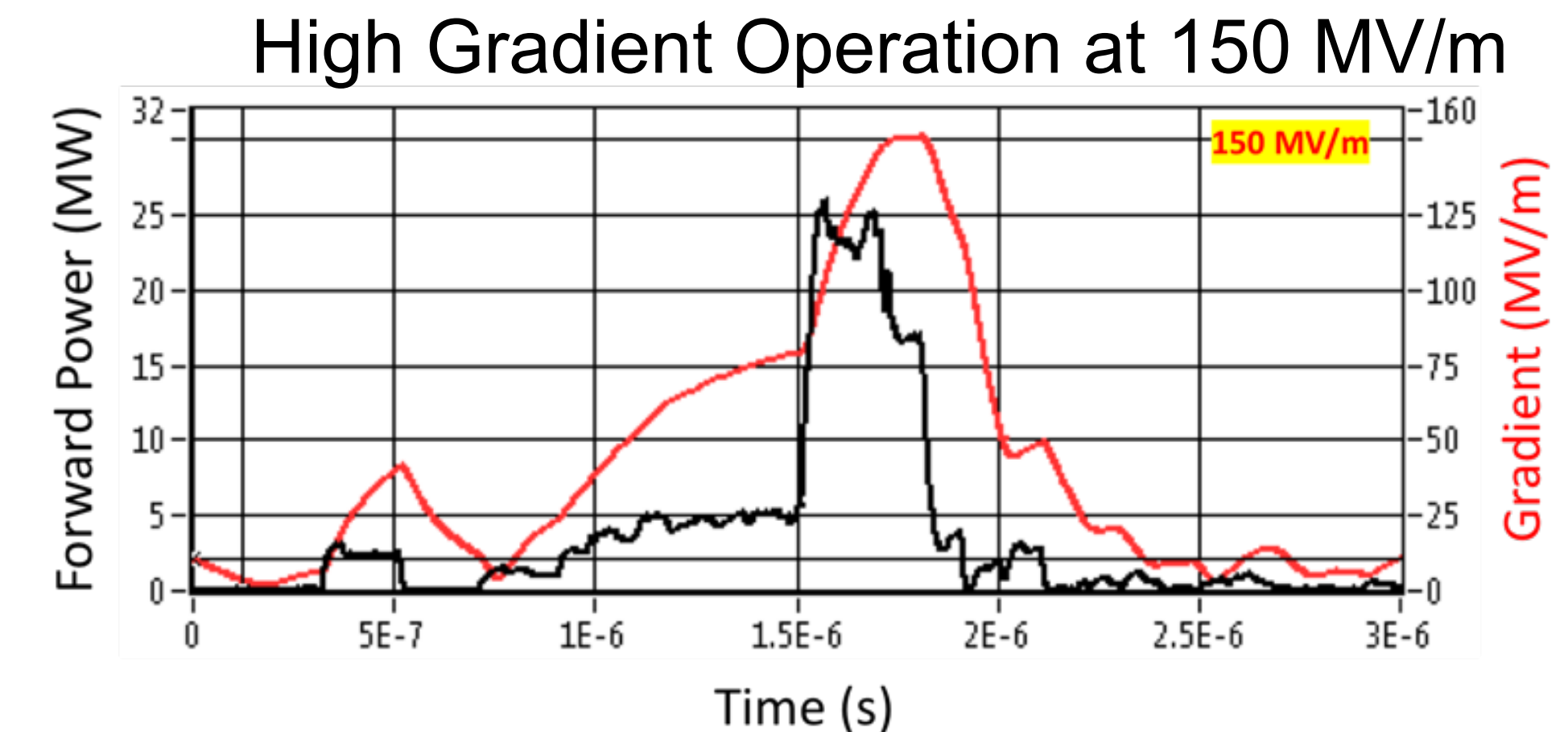
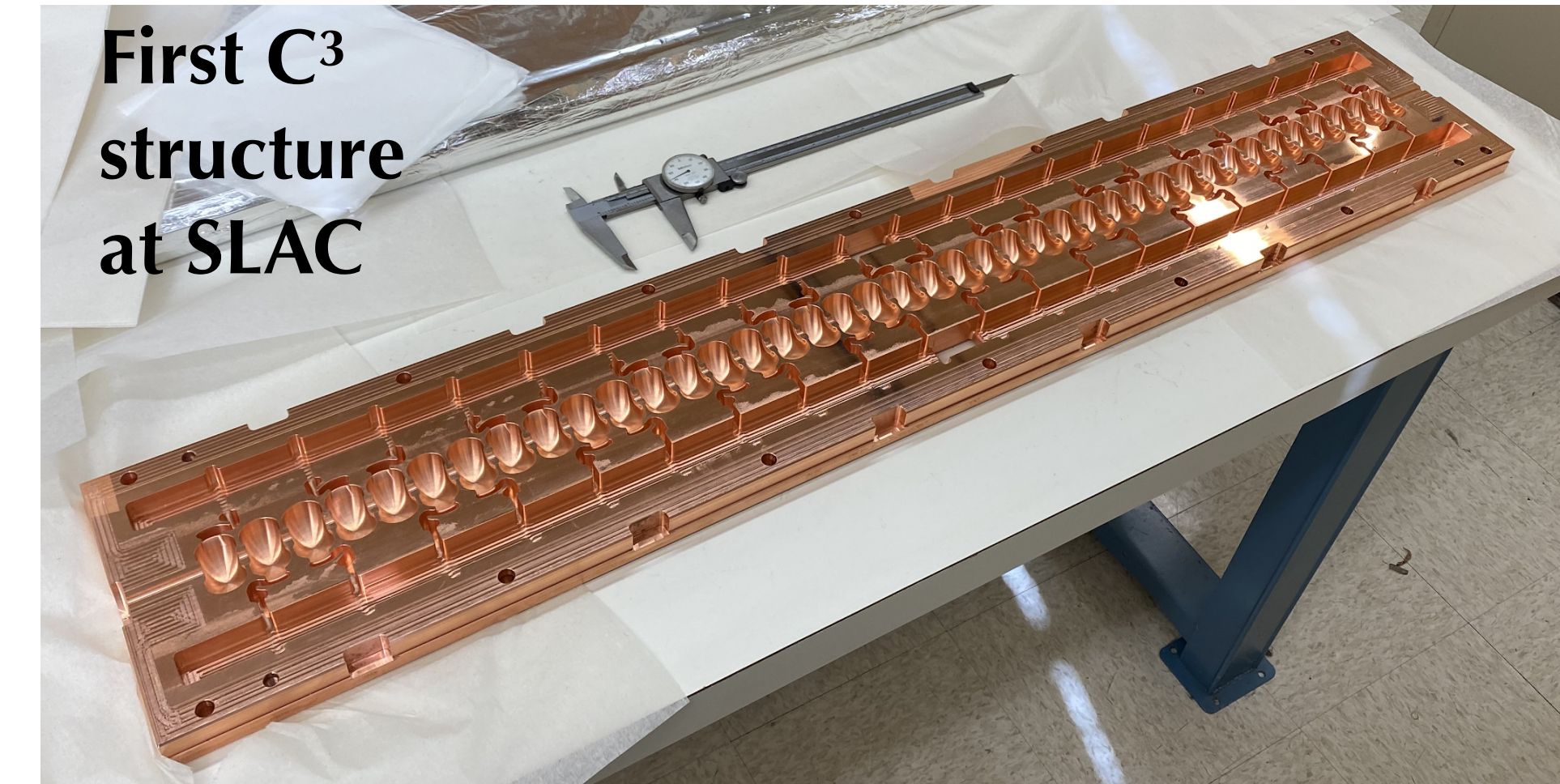




# - Cool Copper Collider



- C<sup>3</sup> is based on a new SLAC technology
- dramatically improving efficiency and breakdown rate
- distributed power to each cavity from a common RF manifold
- operation at cryogenic temperatures (LN2 ~80K)
- robust operations at high gradient: 120~MeV/m
- scalable to multi-TeV operation





# Why 550 GeV?



We propose **250 GeV** with a relatively inexpensive upgrade to **550 GeV** on the same 8 km footprint.

- 550 GeV will offer an orthogonal dataset to cross-check a deviation from the SM predictions observed at 250 GeV
- O(20%) precision on the Higgs self-coupling would allow to exclude/demonstrate at  $5\sigma$  models of electroweak baryogenesis
- From 500 to 550 GeV a factor 2 improvement to the top-Yukawa coupling

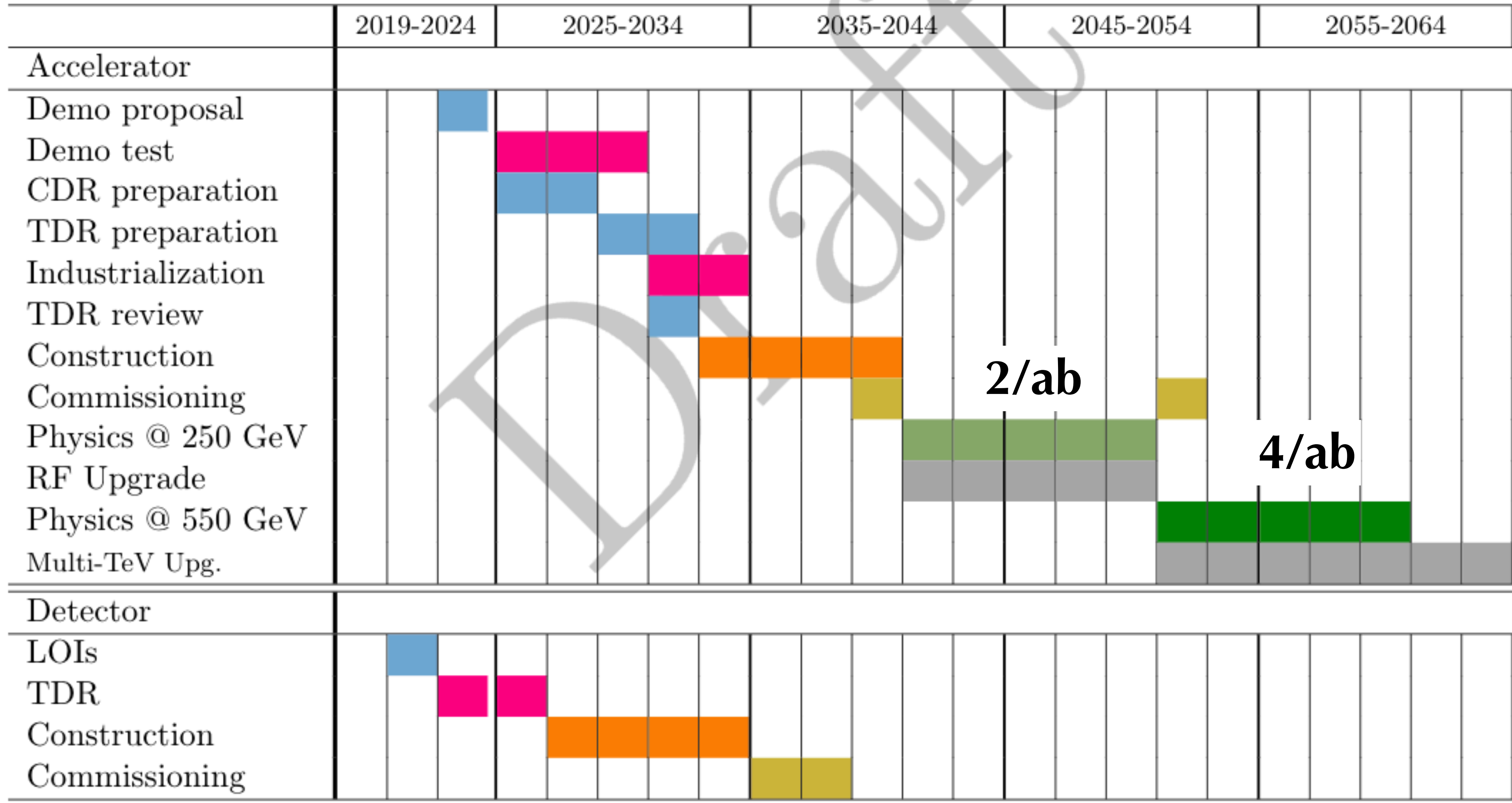
Collider Luminosity Polarization	HL-LHC $3 \text{ ab}^{-1}$ in 10 yrs -	C <sup>3</sup> /ILC 250 GeV $2 \text{ ab}^{-1}$ in 10 yrs $\mathcal{P}_{e^+} = 30\%$ (0%)	C <sup>3</sup> /ILC 500 GeV $+ 4 \text{ ab}^{-1}$ in 10 yrs $\mathcal{P}_{e^+} = 30\%$ (0%)
$g_{HZZ}$ (%)	3.2	0.38 (0.40)	0.20 (0.21)
$g_{HWW}$ (%)	2.9	0.38 (0.40)	0.20 (0.20)
$g_{Hbb}$ (%)	4.9	0.80 (0.85)	0.43 (0.44)
$g_{Hcc}$ (%)	-	1.8 (1.8)	1.1 (1.1)
$g_{Hgg}$ (%)	2.3	1.6 (1.7)	0.92 (0.93)
$g_{H\tau\tau}$ (%)	3.1	0.95 (1.0)	0.64 (0.65)
$g_{H\mu\mu}$ (%)	3.1	4.0 (4.0)	3.8 (3.8)
$g_{H\gamma\gamma}$ (%)	3.3	1.1 (1.1)	0.97 (0.97)
$g_{HZ\gamma}$ (%)	11.	8.9 (8.9)	6.5 (6.8)
$g_{Htt}$ (%)	3.5	-	3.0 (3.0)*
$g_{HHH}$ (%)	50	49 (49)	22 (22)
$\Gamma_H$ (%)	5	1.3 (1.4)	0.70 (0.70)



- There are extensive comparisons between the FCC-ee plan and the C<sup>3</sup>/ILC runs that show they are rather **compatible to study the Higgs Boson**
- When analyzing Higgs couplings with SMEFT, 2 ab<sup>-1</sup> of polarized running is essentially equivalent to 5 ab<sup>-1</sup> of unpolarized running.
  - **Electron polarization is essential** for this. But, there is almost no difference in the expectation with and without positron polarization.
  - Positron polarization allows more cross-checks of systematic errors. We may wish to add it later.
  - Positron polarization brings a large advantage in multi-TeV running, where the most important cross sections are from  $e^-_L e^+_R$

coupling	2/ab-250 pol.	+4/ab-500 pol.	5/ab-250 + unpol.	1.5/ab-350 unpol
$HZZ$	0.50	0.35	0.41	0.34
$HWW$	0.50	0.35	0.42	0.35
$Hbb$	0.99	0.59	0.72	0.62
$H\tau\tau$	1.1	0.75	0.81	0.71
$Hgg$	1.6	0.96	1.1	0.96
$Hcc$	1.8	1.2	1.2	1.1
$H\gamma\gamma$	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0
$H\gamma Z$	9.1	6.6	9.5	8.1
$H\mu\mu$	4.0	3.8	3.8	3.7
$Htt$	-	6.3	-	-
$HHH$	-	27	-	-
$\Gamma_{tot}$	2.3	1.6	1.6	1.4
$\Gamma_{inv}$	0.36	0.32	0.34	0.30
$\Gamma_{other}$	1.6	1.2	1.1	0.94

# C<sup>3</sup> timeline



HL-LHC

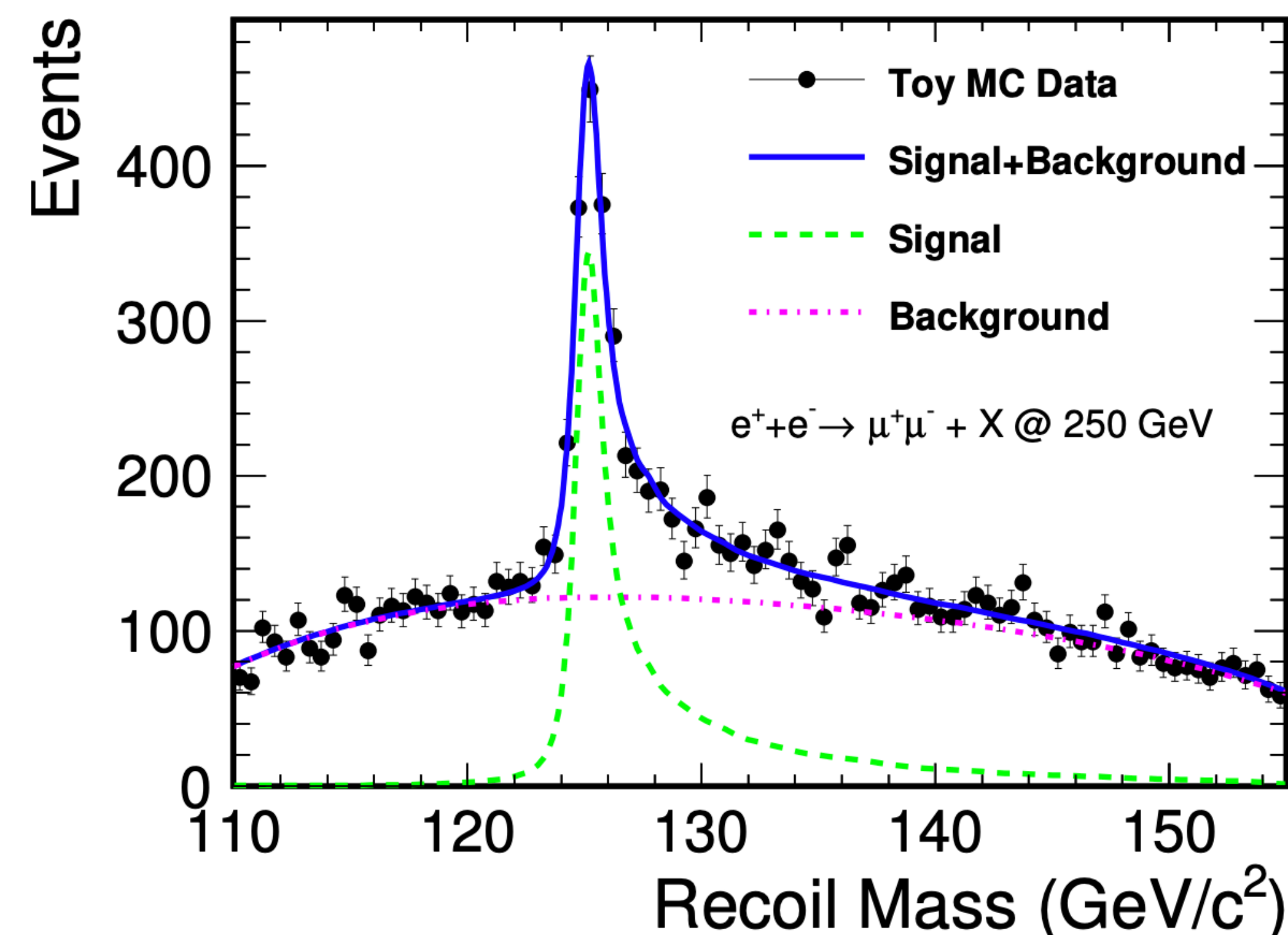
2/ab

4/ab

# Physics requirements for tracking detectors



- **ZH process:** Higgs recoil reconstructed from  $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ 
  - Drives requirement on charged track momentum and jet resolutions
  - Sets need for high field magnets and high precision / low mass trackers
  - **Bunch time structure allows high precision trackers with very low  $X_0$  at linear  $e^+e^-$  colliders**
- **Higgs  $\rightarrow$  bb/cc decays:** Flavor tagging & quark charge tagging at unprecedented level
  - Drives requirement on charged track impact parameter resolution  $\rightarrow$  **low mass trackers near IP**
    - $<0.3\%$   $X_0$  per layer (ideally  $0.1\%$   $X_0$ ) for vertex detector



***Need new generation of ultra low mass vertex detectors with dedicated sensor designs***



# Detector Design Requirements

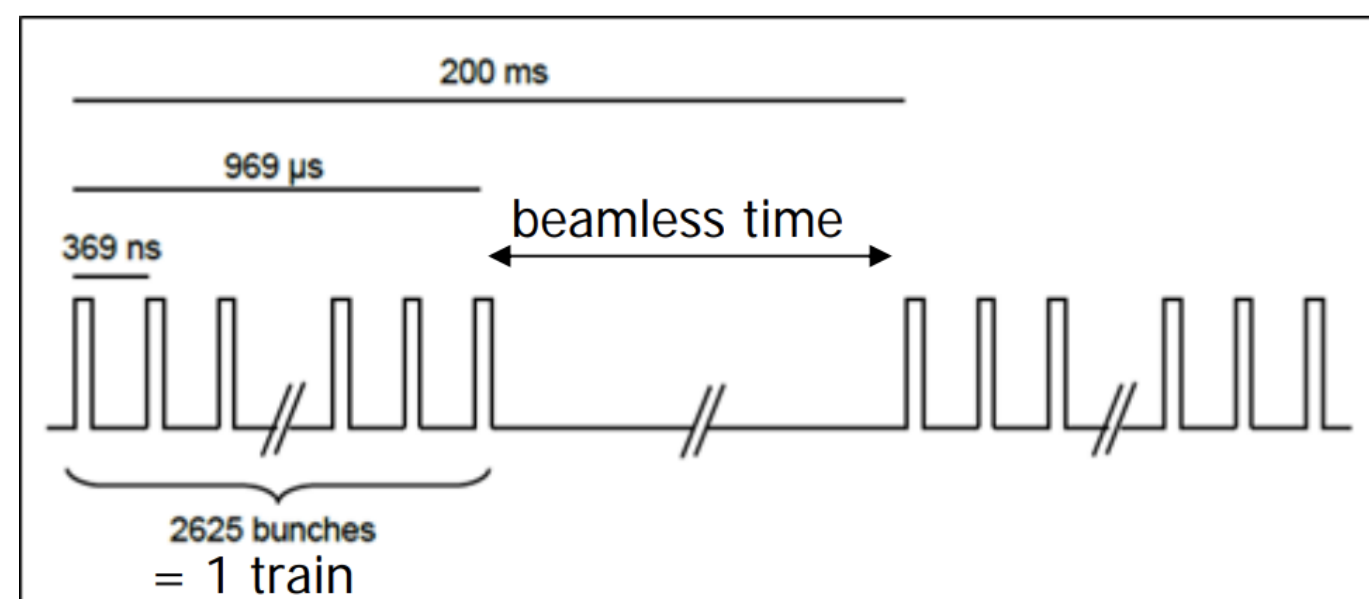
ILC timing structure: Fraction of a percent duty cycle

- **Power pulsing possible**, significantly reduce heat load
  - Factor of 50-100 power saving for FE analog power
- Tracking detectors **don't need active cooling**
  - Significantly reduction for the material budget
- **Triggerless readout** is the baseline

*C<sup>3</sup> time structure is compatible with SiD-like detector overall design and ongoing optimizations.*

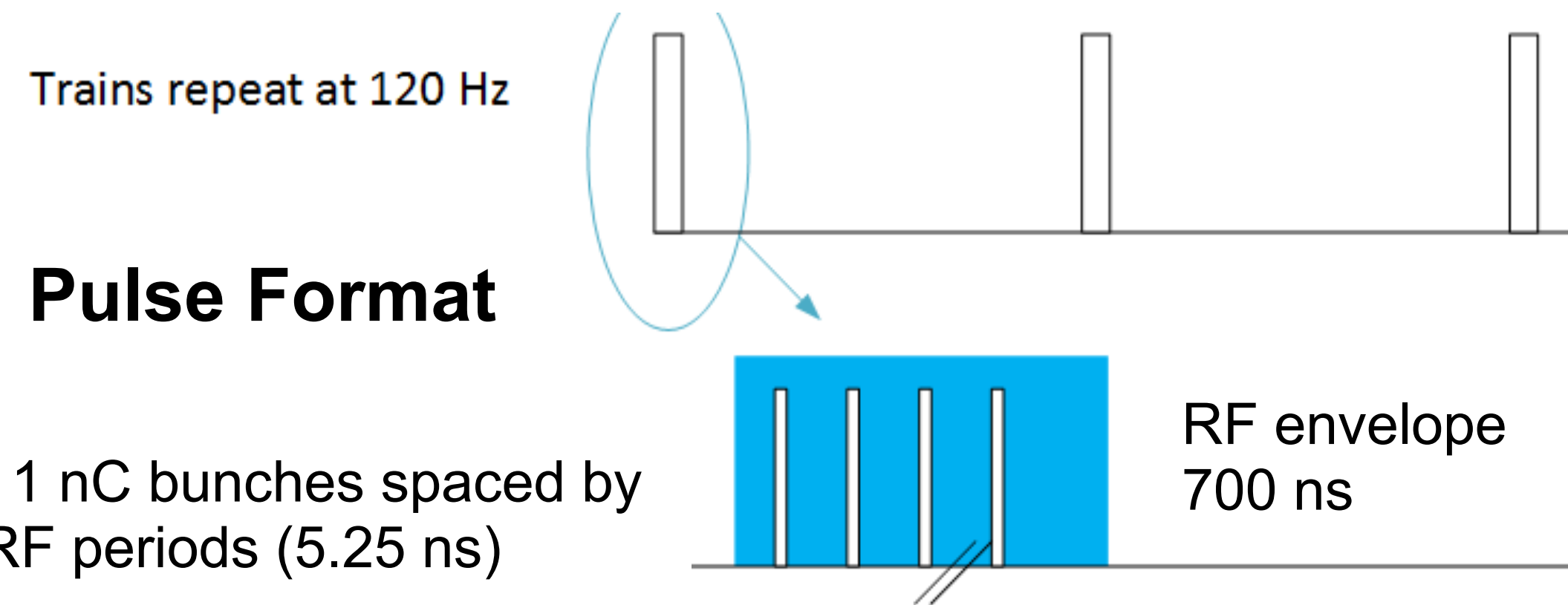
Collider	ILC	CCC
$\sigma_z$	300 $\mu\text{m}$	100 $\mu\text{m}$
$\beta_x$	8.0 mm	13 mm
$\beta_y$	0.41 mm	0.1 mm
$\epsilon_x$	500 nm/rad	900 nm/rad
$\epsilon_y$	35 nm/rad	20 nm/rad
N bunches	1312	133
Repetition rate	5 Hz	120 Hz
Crossing angle	0.014	0.020
Crab angle	0.014/2	0.020/2

*ILC timing structure*



1 ms long bunch trains at 5 Hz  
 2820 bunches per train  
 308ns spacing

*C<sup>3</sup> timing structure*



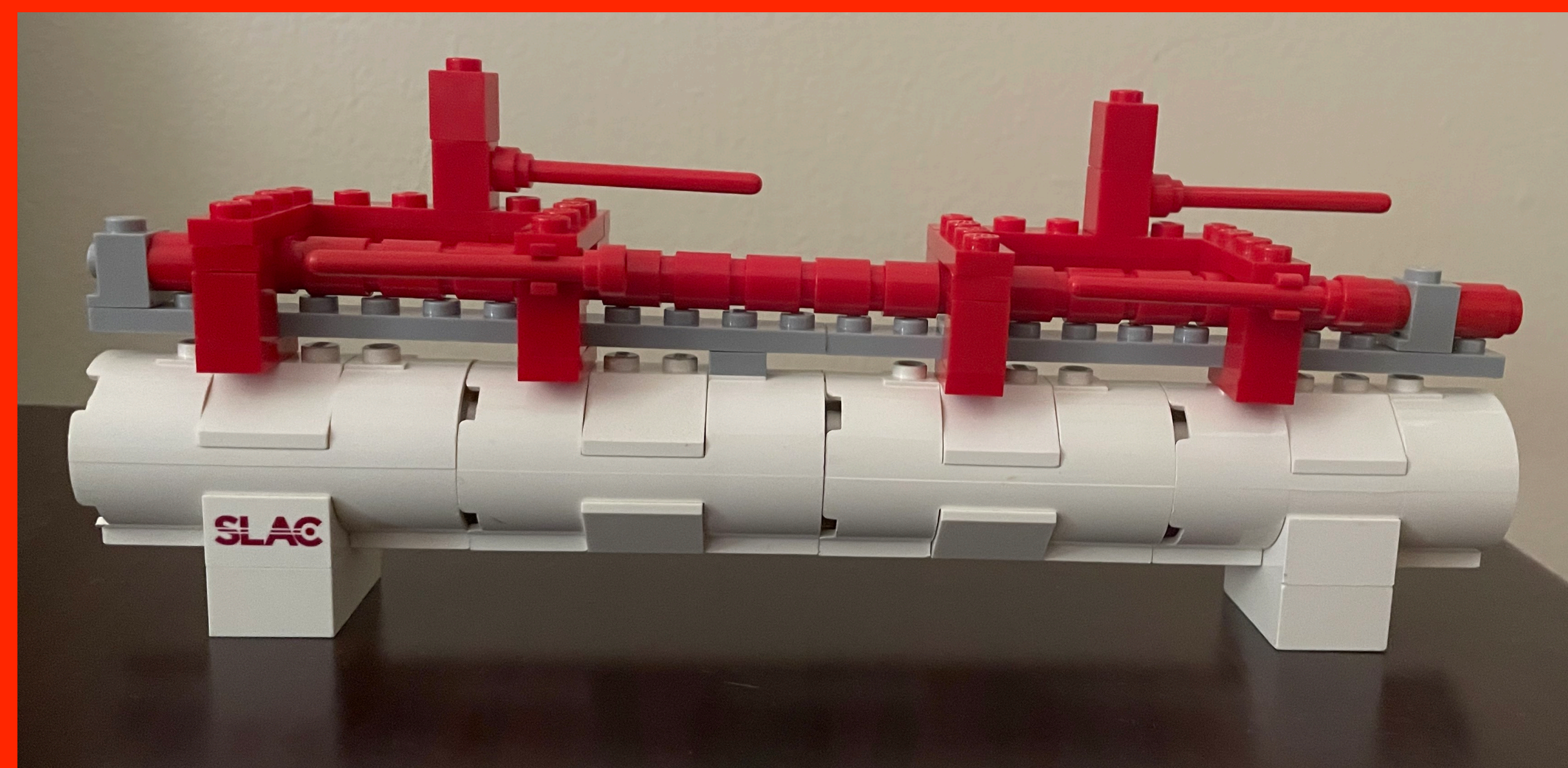
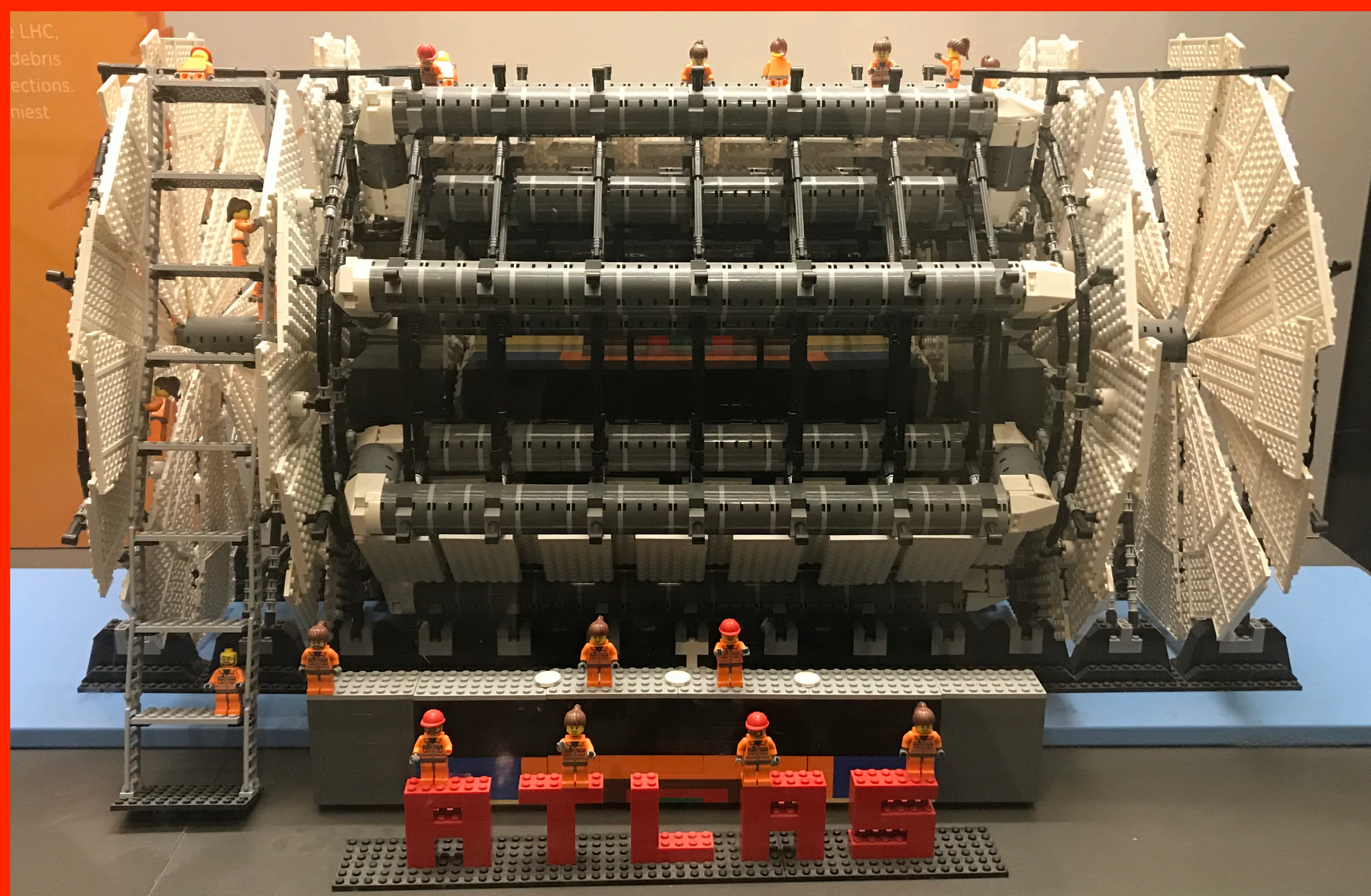
133 1 nC bunches spaced by 30 RF periods (5.25 ns)

- We are proposing a demonstration facility to carry out a “string test” of three C<sup>3</sup> cryomodules.
- This step is included in our timeline. The cost is O(100) M\$.
- This demonstration directly benefits development of compact FELs for photon science.
- The other elements needed for a linear collider - the sources, damping rings, and beam delivery system - already have mature designs created for the ILC and CLIC.
- Our current baseline uses these directly although we will look for further cost-optimizations for the specific needs of the C<sup>3</sup>
- If the machine is constructed outward from the collision point, it may be possible to do physics at an intermediate stage in the construction at 91 GeV.
- We do not consider this a part of our baseline, but we mention the possibility in case there is community interest for a Giga-Z (2 yrs) program.



- C<sup>3</sup> can provide a rapid route to precision Higgs physics with a compact 8 km footprint
  - ***Higgs physics run by 2040***
  - ***Possibly, a US-hosted facility***
- C<sup>3</sup> can be quickly and inexpensively upgraded to 550 GeV
- C<sup>3</sup> can be extended to a 3 TeV e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> collider with capabilities similar to CLIC
- With new ideas, the C<sup>3</sup> lab can provide physics at 10 TeV and beyond



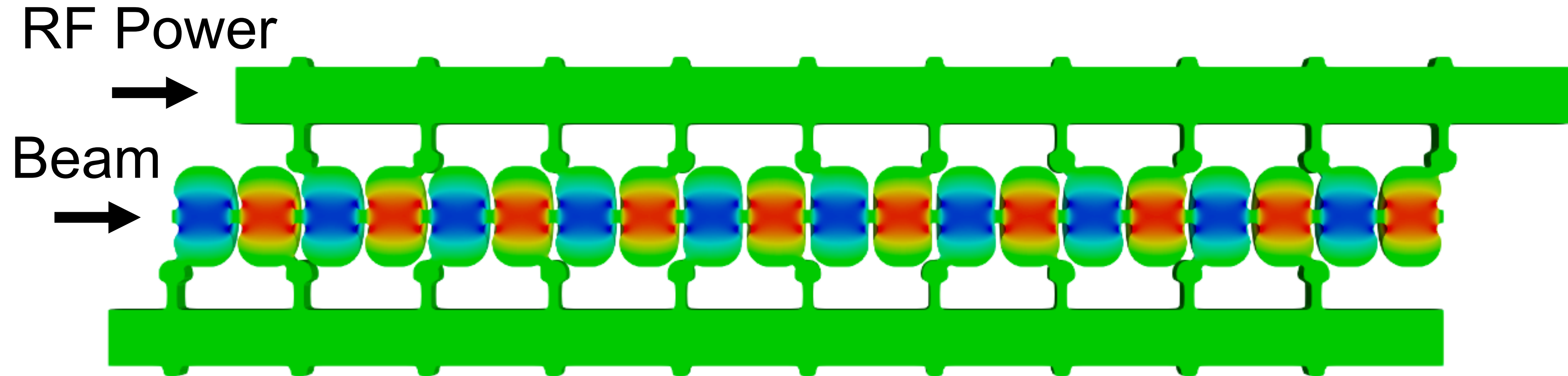


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# Breakthrough in the Performance of RF Accelerators

- RF power coupled to each cell – no on-axis coupling
- Full system design requires modern virtual prototyping



Electric field magnitude produced when RF manifold feeds alternating cells equally

- Optimization of cell for efficiency (shunt impedance)

$$R_s = G^2 / P \text{ [M}\Omega \text{ /m]}$$

- Control peak surface electric and magnetic fields
- Key to high gradient operation

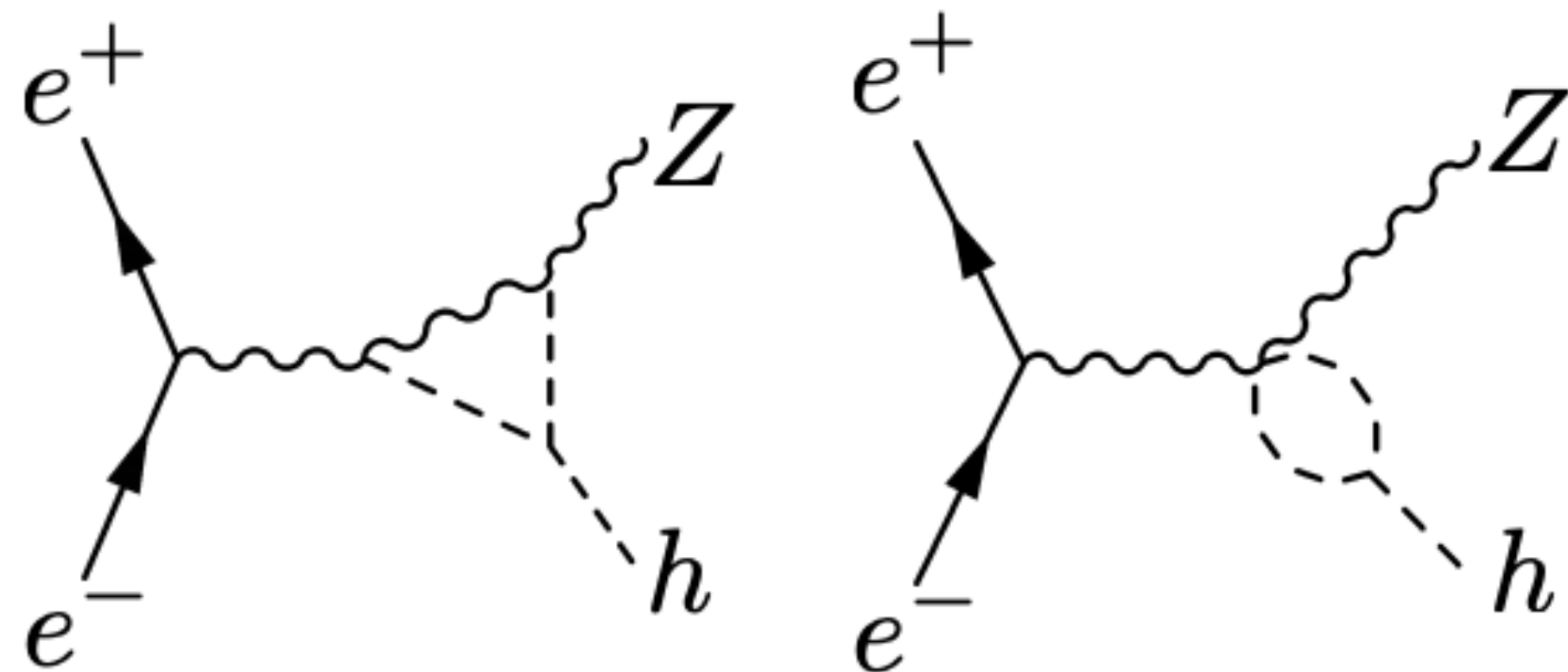
# The Higgs self-coupling at future colliders

collider	single- $H$	$HH$	combined
● HL-LHC	100-200%	50%	50%
● CEPC <sub>240</sub>	49%	–	49%
● ILC <sub>250</sub>	49%	–	49%
● ILC <sub>500</sub>	38%	27%	22%
● ILC <sub>1000</sub>	36%	10%	10%
● CLIC <sub>380</sub>	50%	–	50%
● CLIC <sub>1500</sub>	49%	36%	29%
● CLIC <sub>3000</sub>	49%	9%	9%
● FCC-ee	33%	–	33%
● FCC-ee (4 IPs)	24%	–	24%
● HE-LHC	-	15%	15%
● FCC-hh	-	5%	5%

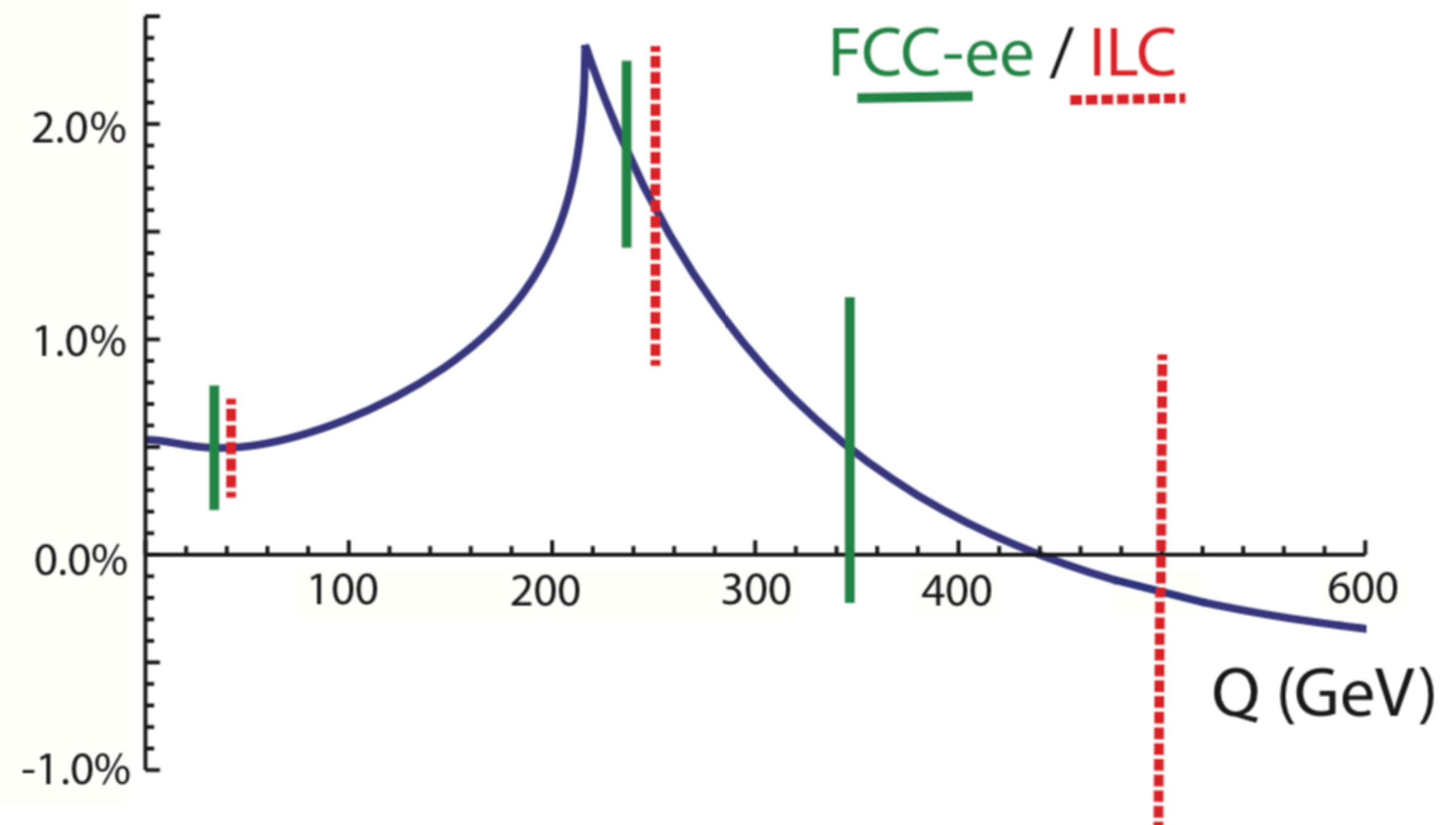
These values are combined with an independent determination of the self-coupling with uncertainty 50% from the HL-LHC.

The self-coupling could be determined also through single Higgs processes

- Relative enhancement of the  $e^+e^- \rightarrow ZH$  cross-section and the  $H \rightarrow W^+W^-$  partial width
- Need multiple  $Q^2$  to identify the effects due to the self-coupling



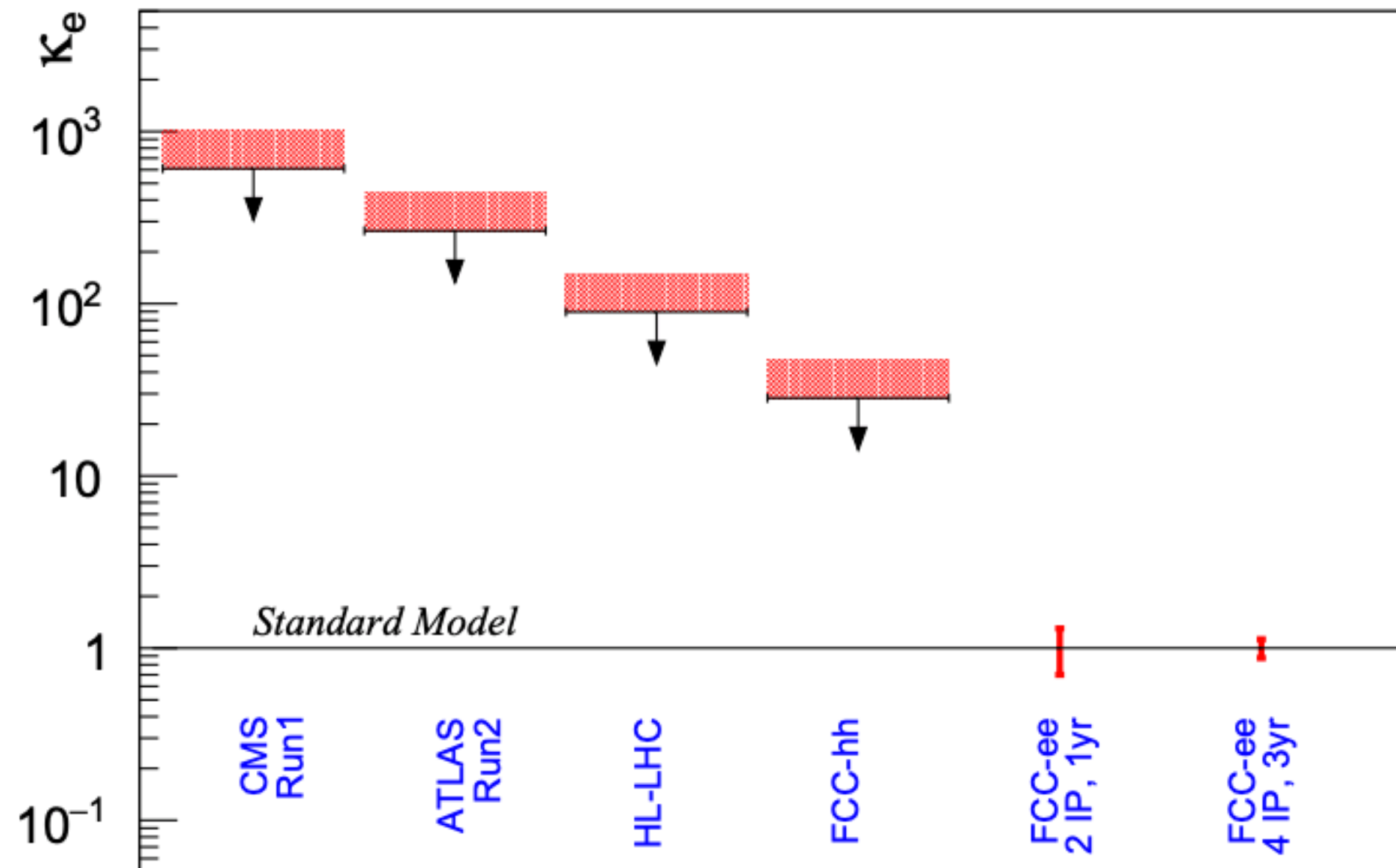
$\delta\sigma/\sigma$  or  $\delta\Gamma/\Gamma$





# Higgs at $e^+e^-$

Upper Limits / Precision on  $\kappa_e$



- Circular lepton colliders - FCC-ee - provide the highest luminosities at lower centre-of-mass energies
  - Unique opportunity to measure the Higgs boson coupling to electrons through the resonant production process  $e^+e^- \rightarrow H$  at  $\sqrt{s} = 125$  GeV
  - FCC-ee running at H pole-mass with 20/ab would produce  $O(30.000)$  H's reaching SM sensitivity
    - Requires control of beam-energy spread