Highlights from New Physics Group Report

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Report and whitepapers

• Link to NP report (working version)

• Links to whitepapers (abstracts, drafts, etc..)
  • http://www.snowmass2013.org/tiki-index.php?page=BSM+Whitepapers
developing the stories..... the future...
“The Stories”

• Many indications that there is new physics to be discovered in searches at the energy frontier and discussed in the many white papers

• In the report, we illustrate possible scenarios and develop a comprehensive picture which motivates various facilities
  – The `discovery stories' rely heavily on the white papers

• To highlight the impact of such a discovery and the possibilities for further study, we consider
  – in each case a particular model where a discovery can be made at LHC Run 2 (14 TeV with a luminosity of 300/fb).
  – In each case, such a discovery suggests one or more natural candidate models that can be studied in more detail at future experimental facilities.
The Stories

- Cover Big Questions and ideas:
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2. SUSY with a light stop
3. Excess of leptons+missing ET events
4. R-Parity violating SUSY
5. “Only” the Standard Model
6. Dark Matter
7. Heavy Resonances Z’
8. Multiple Higgs Bosons (with Higgs WG)
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Conclusions:
- Searches and possible discovery at the LHC Run2
- After Discovery:
  - Model independent determination require high statistics (HL-LHC).
  - Lepton colliders important for further exploration e.g. measurement of properties
  - understanding the full spectrum needs higher energies (VLHC)
1+3. Simple SUSY

- In most SUSY models, the colored superpartners (gluino and squarks) are significantly heavier than the lightest supersymmetric particle (LSP) – LSP which is stable and appears in the detector as missing energy.

- Simplified analyses based on missing energy signatures show that LHC run 2 will extend the reach in searches for superpartners – chargino $\chi^\pm$ reach: $\sim$500-600 GeV, neutralino $\chi^0$: $\sim$650 GeV.

- Electro-weakino search w/ several analysis to probe higgs in the final state: Possibility to “rule out naturalness” with $\mu \sim$700 GeV ONLY using 300 fb$^{-1}$
- Probes SUSY weak-sector in the most general way
1+3. Simple SUSY

- Potential discovery Scenario
- illustrated by model 2750334 of the `pMSSM`
  - light neutralinos and charginos clustered around 200 GeV, the lightest neutralino is a mixture of bino and Higgsino and a viable dark matter candidate. Mass of lightest squark ~1.3 TeV
- e.g. LHC14 run1 discovers new physics in the jets plus MET channel with high significance and no other signal of new physics is observed.
- SUSY as the leading interpretation of the signal explored further:
  - mass diff between the colored particle and the stable neutral particle (MT2?).
  - Difficult to get more information about the spectrum.
  - Rate difficult to interpret due to an unknown number of similar states, & multiple decays.

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1+3. Simple SUSY

- Other possibilities:
  - universal extra dimensions model have extra-dimensional excitations for all SM particles that give rise to similar signals.

- A lepton collider (500 GeV) would measure the masses and spins of the gauginos, as well as the branching fractions in their transitions.

- If sleptons are not found at the 500 GeV ILC, it would suggest that the sleptons are not important for the thermal relic density of the LSP.
  - SUSY is established and the sleptons are the last major missing piece of the puzzle.

An ILC upgrade, or CLIC or a muon collider would be strongly motivated to search for these.

To observe higher mass colored super partners: need LHC33 or VLHC.
2. SUSY: Light stop

- Light stop: crucial piece in testing naturalness.
- Example: 800 GeV Stop.
  - LHC Run 2: 40 signal evt, 3.1 \(\sigma\)
  - At least 5 \(\sigma\) at HL-LHC
  - Reach scales up at higher energy pp colliders.

- Will be a spectacular success for SUSY, naturalness.
- Many more to explore, more superpartners to discover.
- MET, discovery of dark matter at the same time!
2. SUSY: Light stop

- After Discovery: understanding the light stop
- Want to measure its mass, spin, mixing angles
  - Initial estimate from production rate with model assumptions.
  - Model independent determination require high statistics (HL-LHC).
- stop-Higgs coupling: The couple that ensures naturalness. Need VLHC.
- The rest of (natural) spectrum: light electroweak-inos, sleptons.
- Example: explored in the joint ILC-LHC study of the stau co-annihilation model.
  - neutralino in the model accounts for the observed amount of the Dark Matter in the Universe. The top squark in this model has multiple decay channels
  - HL-LHC has a chance to see soft leptons from the gaugino transitions in the cascades.
  - At 500 GeV ILC sleptons & lighter gauginos are accessible, and their mass and quantum numbers will be measured. Measuring tau polarization can get higgsino fraction of the lightest neutralino.

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4. RPV SUSY

Naturalness suggests light superpartners to be produced at the TeV scale
• natural values m(stop) and m(gluino) are ruled out by LHC run1
If R-parity is not conserved, then
  – missing energy is no longer a generic signature of SUSY at colliders.
  – Dark matter would be explained by a particle other than the LSP.
Case 1: stop as a 3rd generation lepton quark stop → τ+b
• LHC run2 reach: 3 sigma for stop masses up to 1.3 TeV.
Case 2: stop → top+χ_0 & χ_0→jjj
• LHC run2 reach: 3 sigma for stop masses around 0.9 TeV.

Daniel Duggan, Jared Evans, James Hirschauer, Ketino Kaadze, Amit Lath, David Kolchmeyer, and Matthew Walker.
4. RPV SUSY

After Discovery:

• HL-LHC can increase the significance ~5 sigma and help disentangle plausible other interpretations

• e.g. for Case1,
  – double higgs decay $hh \rightarrow \tau \tau bb$. spin-1 third generation LQ etc.

• HL-LHC needed to probe SUSY interpretation in other ways (study associate channels)
  – looks for sbottoms, electroweakinos (lighter than stop), gluino pair production…

• Lepton colliders:
  – able to probe the electroweakino sector essentially without loopholes for and neutralino masses up to half the center of mass energy.
  – In this scenario, the 500 GeV ILC will probe a significant region of the parameter space

• Higher energy lepton colliders such as 1 TeV ILC, CLIC, or muon colliders will further extend the reach.

• Remaining colored superpartners can be explored only at LHC33 or a VLHC.
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Conclusions:

- Searches and discovery at the LHC Run2 or HL-LHC or higher energy colliders
- After Discovery:
  - Property determination require high statistics
  - Lepton colliders are complementary to the LHC and necessary to resolve/understand different couplings and other properties
6. Dark Matter (WIMPs)

- Connection to Cosmic and Intensity Frontiers
- Signature: jet+MET, photon+MET

- Results for Effective Field Theories:
  - useful when facility does not have the necessary center-of-mass energy to produce on-shell mediators.

Mass scale of the unknown interaction $M_*$

WIMP-nucleon cross section limits

Results for on-shell mediators: $Z'$

Expected limits on coupling $g'_{Z}$

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6. WIMPs

- Lepton colliders:
  - signatures: photon+missing energy
  - advantages:
    - polarization of the initial state may be controlled
      - distinguish between the WIMP signal and the backgrounds, which may have distinct polarization-dependent couplings.
    - sensitivity to WIMP mass through its effect on the observed photon total energy

- Coupling Scenarios considered for the studies:
  - equal: couplings are independent of the helicity of the initial state,
  - helicity: couplings conserve helicity and parity, and
  - anti-SM: WIMPs couple only to right-handed electrons (left-handed positrons)
    - highest power to disentangle the SM backgrounds from WIMP production

7. Heavy resonances (Z’)

- Typical example of new force beyond the Standard Model.
- Common in many fundamental theories: string compactification, extra-dimension, GUTs...
- Hadron Colliders $X \rightarrow ll, jj, \text{ttbar}$
  - LHC Run 2: ~5 TeV
- lepton colliders: $X \rightarrow \text{di-muons}$

**LHC Run 2 Sensitivity**

**Lepton Colliders**
7. Heavy resonances

- After the discovery (e.g. $Z'@3\text{TeV}$)
- LHC and ILC can give complementary information.
  - combining the measurements can be very valuable in distinguishing different models.
- Discovery of $Z'$ leads to many new implications which can lead to further searches at colliders.

LHC Run 2

Lepton Colliders
8. Multiple Higgs Bosons

- A strongly motivated scenario! Naturalness often implies extended Higgs sector.
- Two Higgs doublet models provide an effective description for many such EWSB extensions
- Two Higgs Doublet models are a complicated model-space
  - 3 important parameters: $\alpha, \beta, g_{Hhh}$ (Choose MSSM-like $g_{Hhh}$ to simplify)
  - Cross section and branching ratios still complicated functions of $\alpha, \beta$

- heavy neutral $H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4l$
- sensitivity for LHC14 and HL-LHC

Blue: 300/fb w/ 50 PU green 3000/fb w/ 140 PU red: existing limit.

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8. Multiple Higgs Bosons

- 2HDM results: $A \rightarrow ZH \rightarrow llbb/\tau\tau$
- LHC14 reach

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9. Heavy Quarks

- vector like quark searches charge 2/3, 5/3
  - $T \rightarrow Wb, tH, tZ; B \rightarrow bZ, bH, tW$

- Sensitivity for heavy top partners:
  - LHC14: ~1.5 TeV, LHC33: ~ 2-2.5 TeV
10. Compositeness

- sensitivity to new interactions between quarks at a large characteristic energy scale $\Lambda$.
- probe quarks via dijets signature, and leptons via dilepton signature
  - Evidence for contact interactions appear as an enhancement of dijet production with large dijet invariant mass and angle relative to the beam axis.
10. Compositeness

- If a deviation from QCD production is seen at the LHC14 then a facility with higher energy will be needed to directly produce the new heavy particle that mediates the interaction of the quark constituents.

- $Z'$ mediator would appear as a dijet resonance
- e.g., an exclusion of $\Lambda > 18$ TeV would correspond to excluding a $Z'$ with mass 1200 GeV, $g_{Z'}=0.12$.

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\frac{g_{Z'}^2}{36M_{Z'}^2} = \frac{2\pi}{\Lambda^2}.
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Our Plan for this week

• Collect input on the NP report
  – identify missing pieces, if any, of the stories; include the feedback and input from community and finalize the report

• Wednesday July 31\textsuperscript{st}, 8:30-10:00am
  – Discussion: overlap session with CF, IF

• Friday Aug 2\textsuperscript{nd}, 8:30-noon:
  – Discussion of the report

• Saturday Aug 3\textsuperscript{rd}, 8:30-10:00am
  – Discussion: public response to input on NP report

We would like to encourage you to read the report and come prepared with comments and questions.
Backup
5. “only” the Standard Model

- Many unresolved questions, many reasons to go forward.
- Higgs boson. We need to measure all its properties precisely.
- Naturalness. Fundamental concept underlying our understanding of quantum field theory. Test it as much as we can.
  - LHC Run 2: $O(0.01)$, 100 TeV VLHC $O(0.0001)$.
- Dark Matter.
  - \[ m_{\text{WIMP}} \leq 2 \text{ TeV} \left( \frac{g_{\text{eff}}^2}{0.3} \right) \]
  - Need Higher energy to explore fully the WIMP scenario.
- Little Hierarchy
  - Precision measurements, flavor, seems to indicate NP is heavier, perhaps $\gtrsim 10 \text{ TeV}$. 
5. “only” the Standard Model

- Fully explore several exciting new physics scenarios.
- Supersymmetry.
  - New spacetime symmetry. Unification....
- Composite Higgs models.
  - Natural extension. Compositeness works (e.g. QCD).
- It is plausible that we are still very close to discovery.
- HL-LHC and ILC essential to cover all possible parameter space
- VLHC extend the reach.