

# $W$ and $Z$ Pair Production In Electron-Positron Collisions

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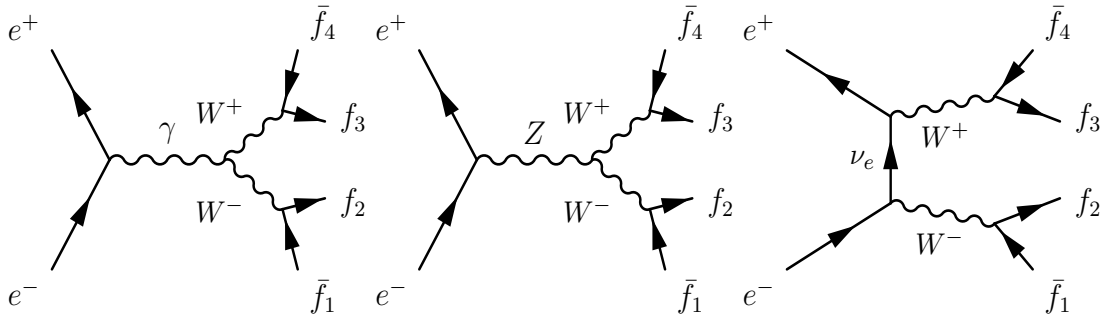
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## Outline:

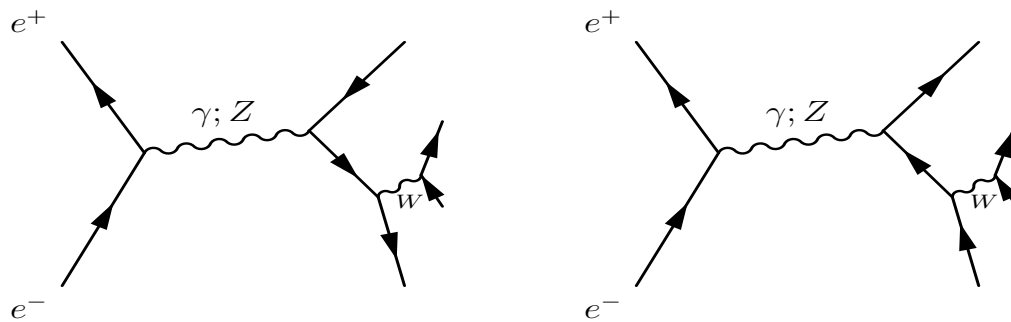
- **Introduction.**
- **Some results from LEP2.**
- **$WW$  Physics with YFSWW/KoralW.**
- **$ZZ$  Physics with YFSZZ/KoralW.**
- **Conclusions and outlook.**

⇒ **Why to investigate  $W$  and  $Z$  Pair production?**

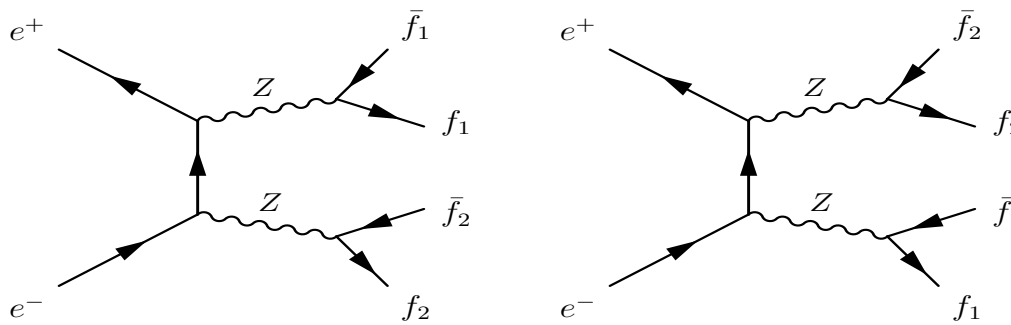
- To measure the Standard Model parameters, e.g.  $M_W$ ,  $\Gamma_W$ 
  - Before LEP2 (1995):  $\Delta M_W \approx 160$  MeV,  
while:  $\Delta M_Z \approx 2$  MeV
- To test the Standard Model, e.g. Triple-Gauge Couplings (TGC):  $WW\gamma$  and  $WWZ$   
Note: For the first time at the Born level in  $e^+e^-$  collisions
- To get better constraints on the **Higgs mass**
  - Indirectly from other SM parameters
- To search for “**new physics**”, e.g. anomalous TGCs, etc.
- $WW$  and  $ZZ$  processes – important background for **Higgs boson** searches.



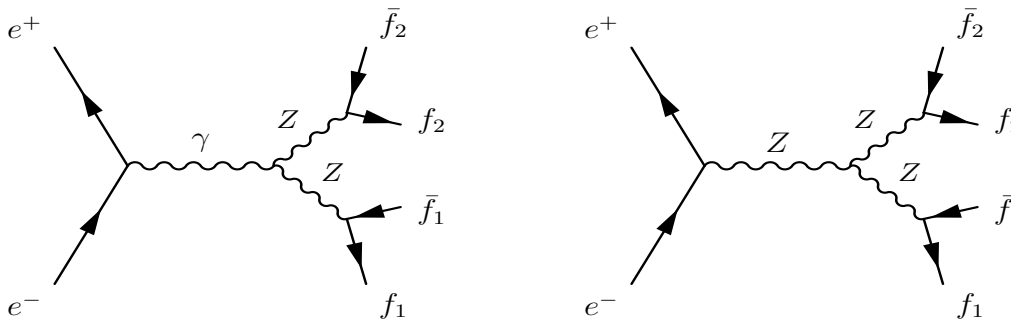
Feynman diagrams for  $W^+W^-$  Production and Decay (CC03)



Single- $W$ -Resonant diagrams of CC11 class

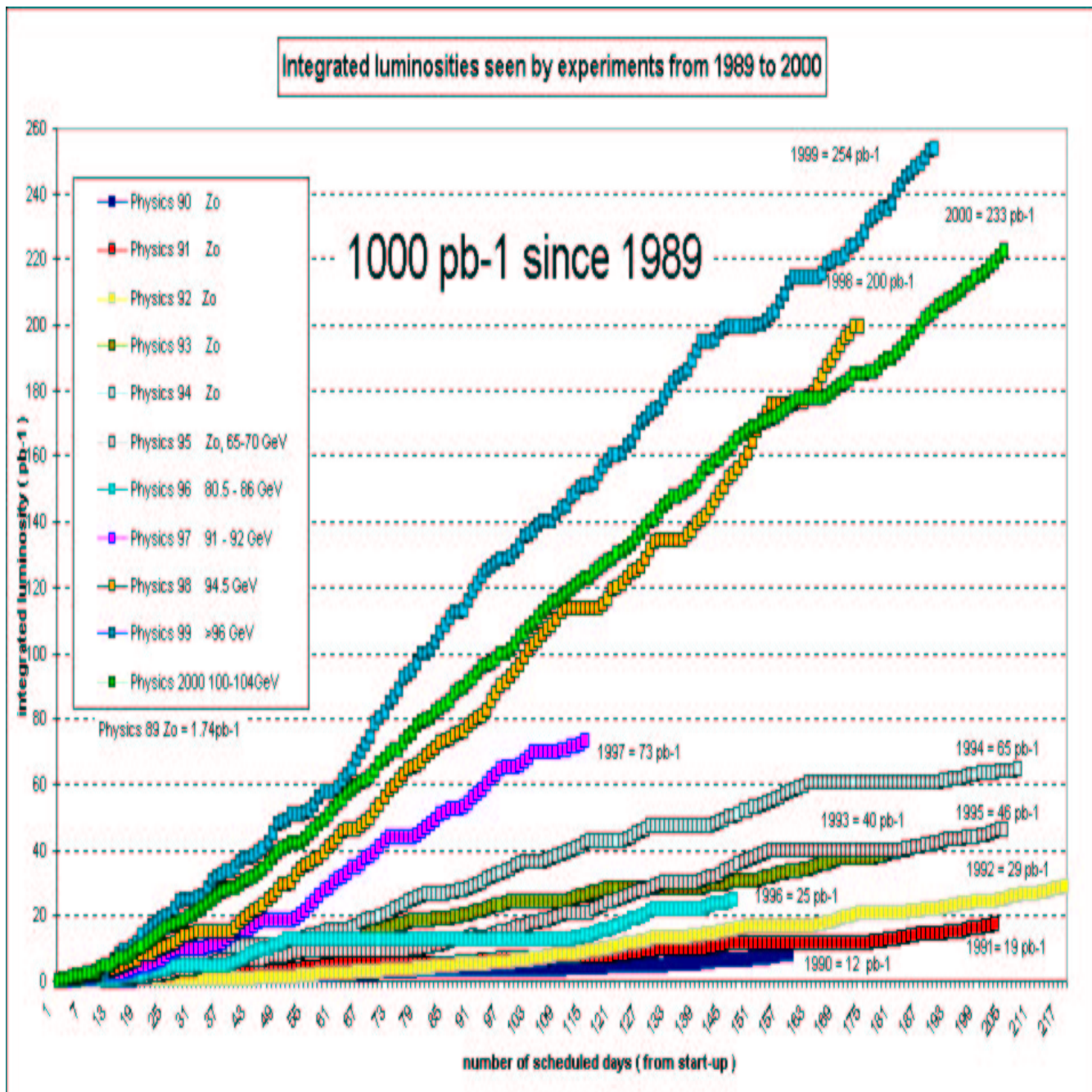


Feynman diagrams for  $ZZ$  Production and Decay (NC02)



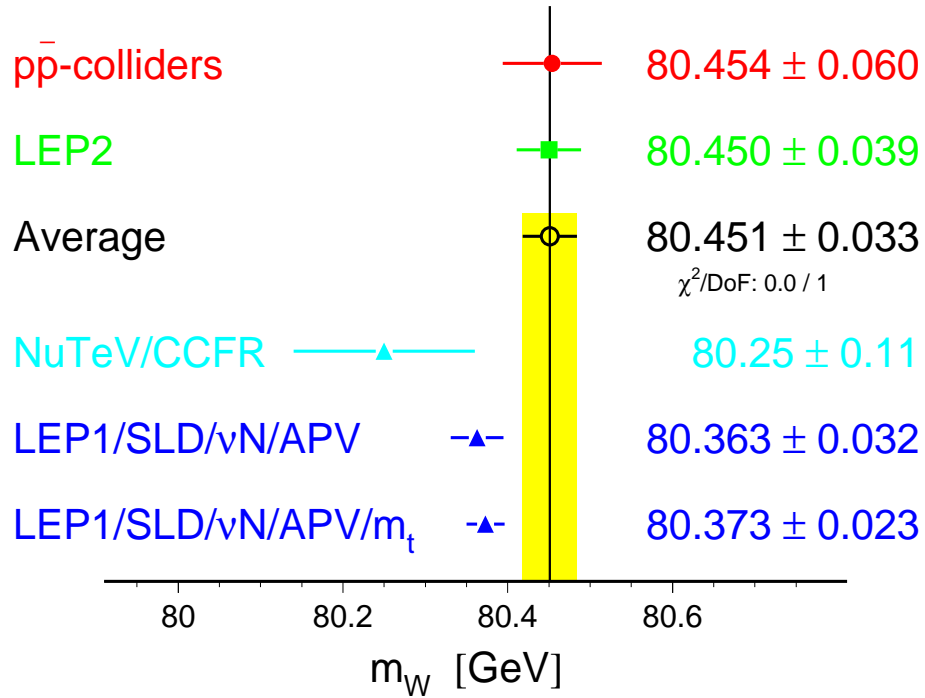
Non-SM  $ZZ$  diagrams with Anomalous TGCs

# LEP Integrated Luminosity

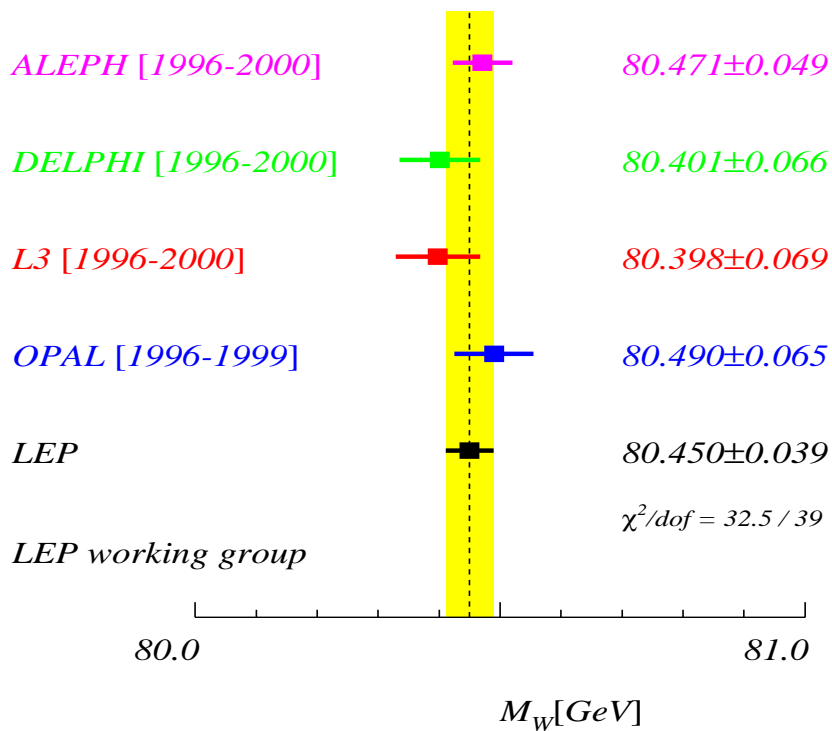


**LEP2:  $\sim 800 \text{ pb}^{-1}$**

## W-Boson Mass [GeV]

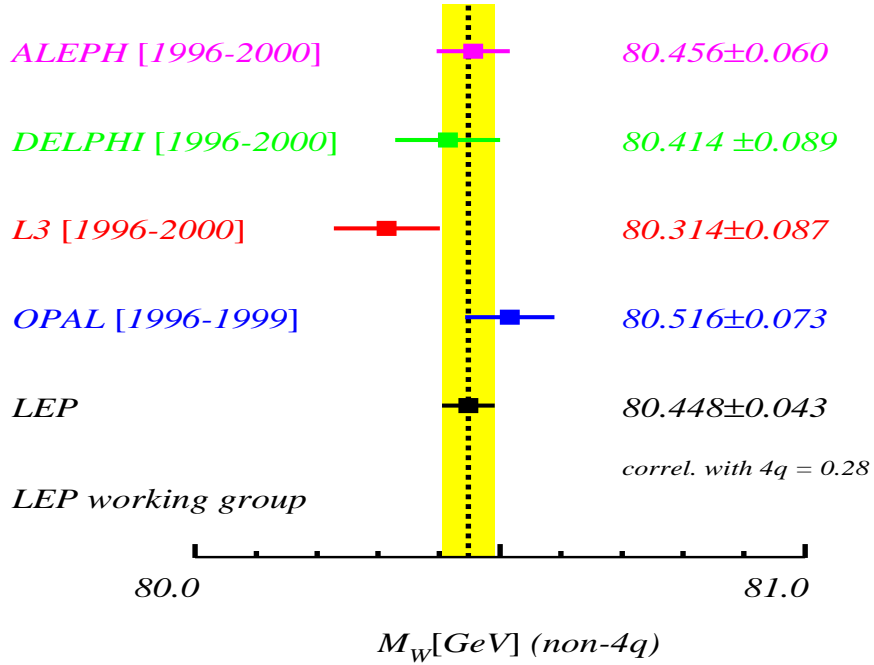


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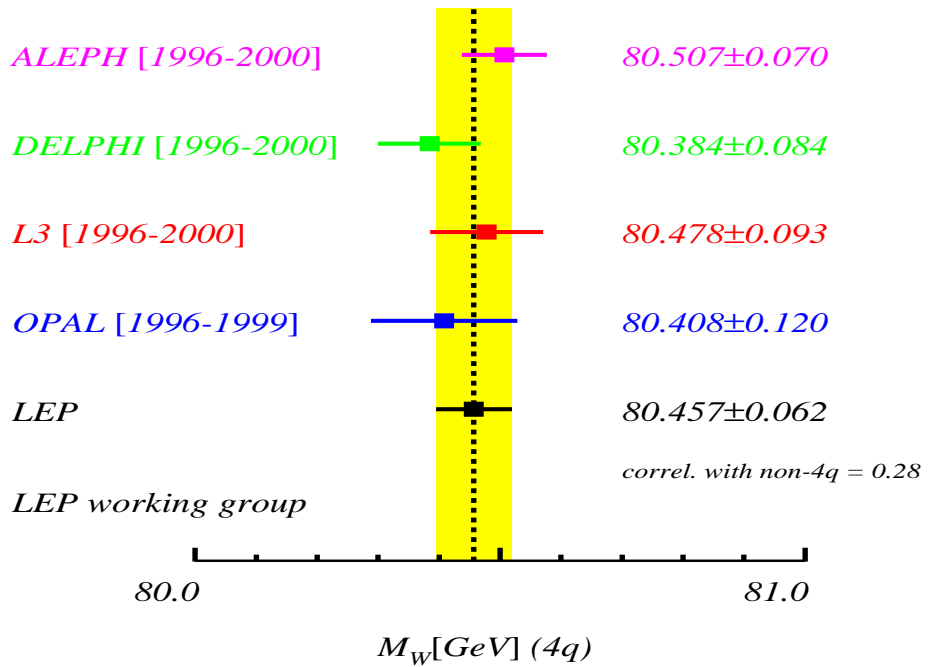
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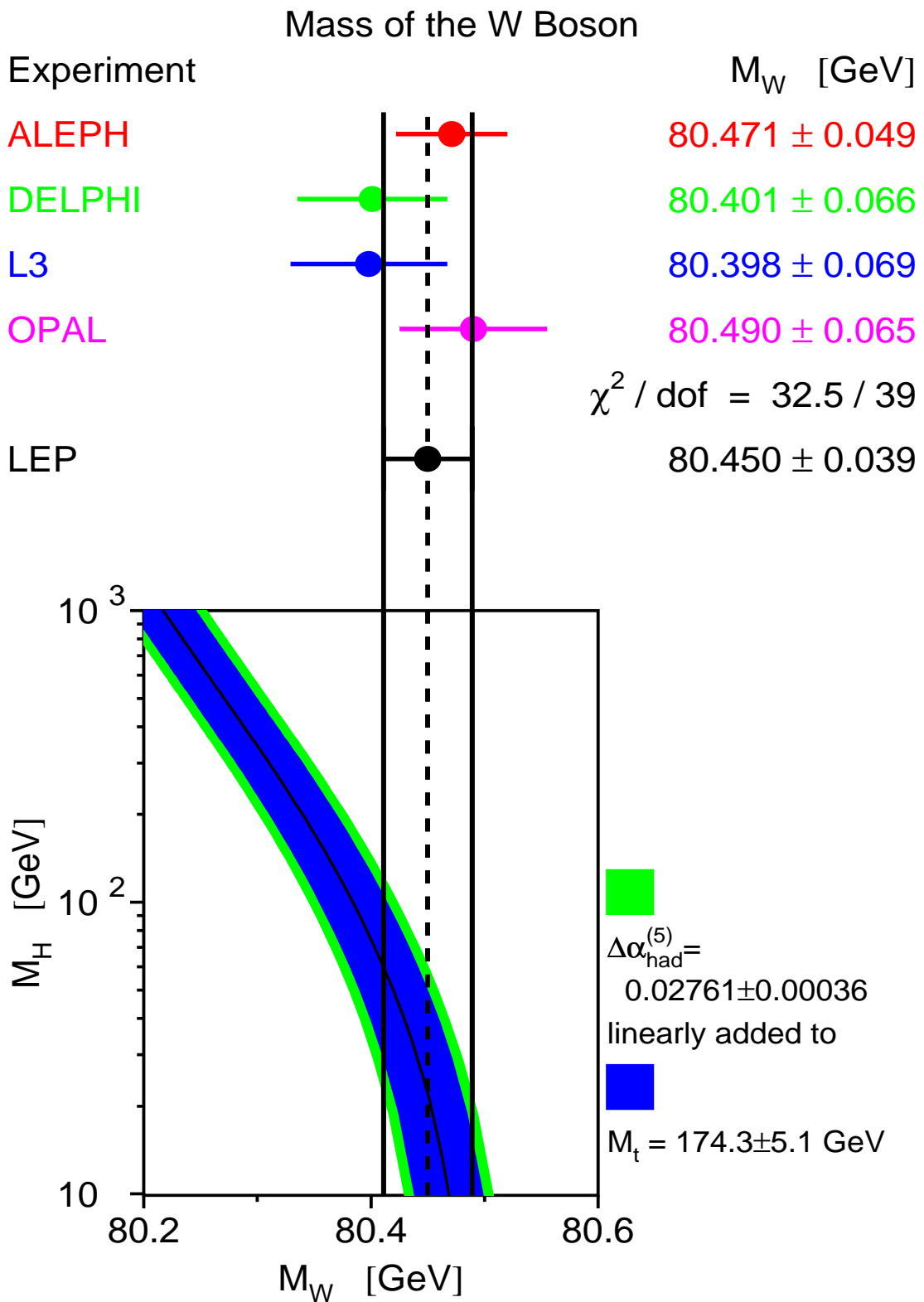
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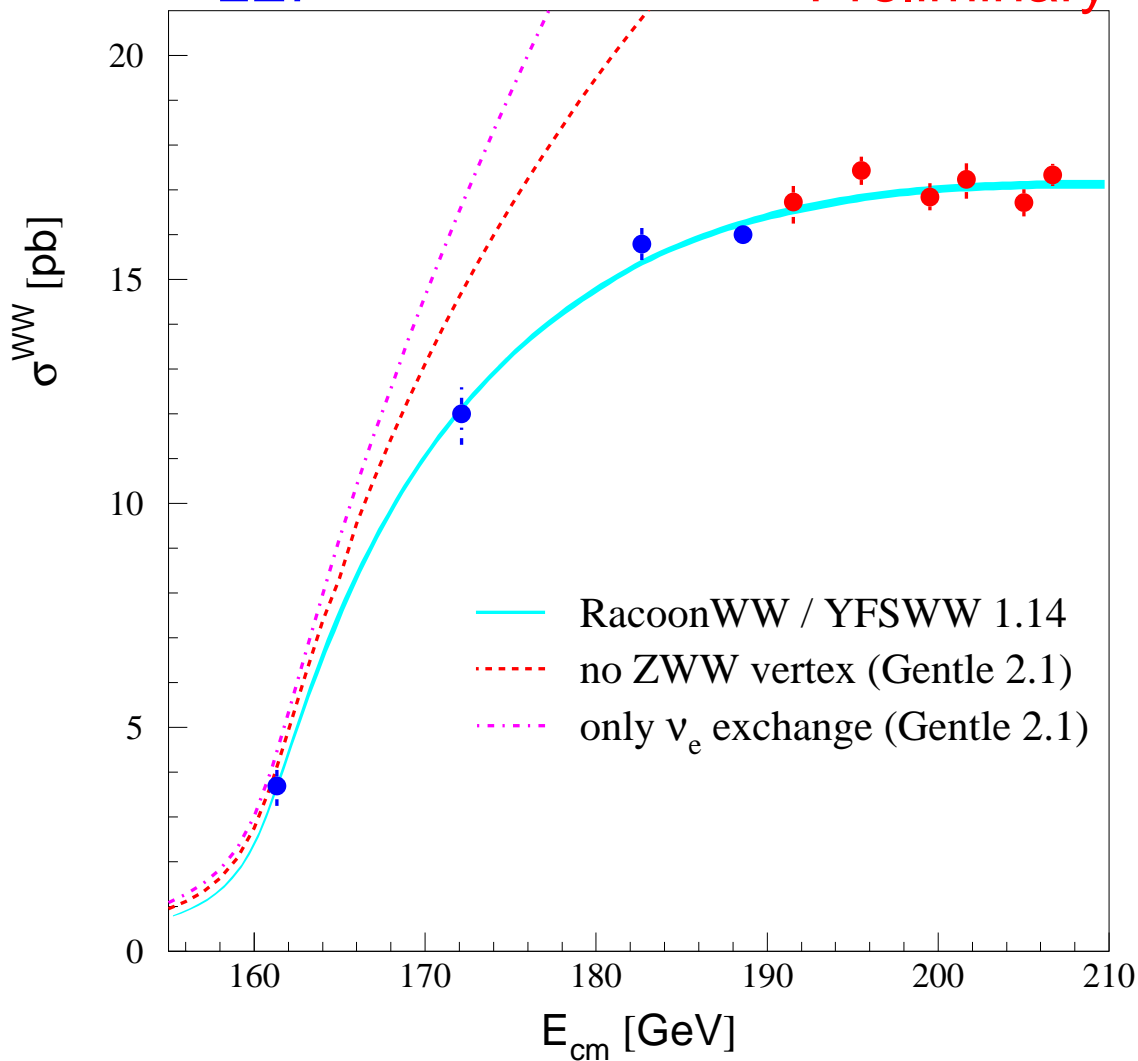


# WW Total Cross Section

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Preliminary



YFSWW: S. Jadach, W.P., M. Skrzypek, B.F.L. Ward, Z. Wąs



**People:**

S. JADACH, W. PŁACZEK, M. SKRZYPEK, B.F.L. WARD, Z. WĄS

**MC Programs    Papers**

**KoralW:**

Comput. Phys. Commun. **94** (1996) 215  
 Phys. Lett. **B372** (1996) 289;  
 Comput. Phys. Commun. **119** (1999) 272  
 Comput. Phys. Commun. **125** (2000) 8  
 Comput. Phys. Commun. **140** (2001) 475

**YFSWW3:**

Phys. Rev. **D54** (1996) 5434  
 Phys. Lett. **B417** (1998) 326  
 Phys. Rev. **D61** (2000) 113010  
 Comput. Phys. Commun. **140** (2001) 432  
 CERN-TH/2000-337, hep-ph/0007012  
 → submitted to Phys. Rev. **D**

**YFSZZ:**

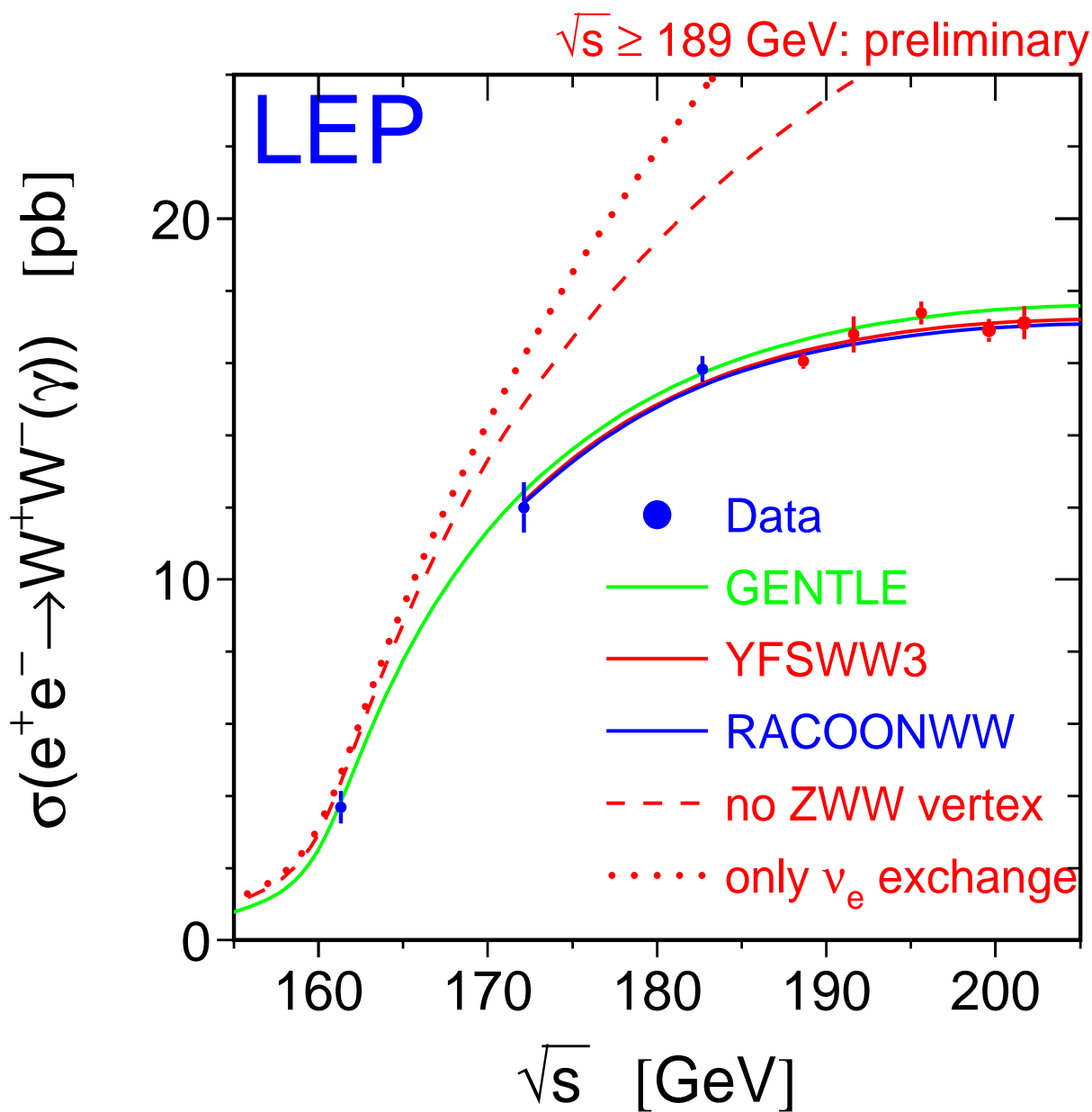
Phys. Rev. **D56** (1997) 6939

→ **Programs available at:**

<http://cern.ch/placzek>

**LEP2 Needs  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha)$  Corrections!**

$\mathcal{O}(\alpha^1)$  Genuine EW Corr.  $\sim 1-2\%$  at LEP2 Energies



GENTLE: No  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^1)$  EW Corrections (D. Bardin *et al.*)

YFSWW3 and RACOONWW: Include  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^1)$  EW Corrections

⇒ EXPERIMENTALLY:

W-pairs observed through 4f final states + radiative photons

● GENERAL PROCESS:

$$e^+ + e^- \longrightarrow f_1 + \bar{f}_2 + f_3 + \bar{f}_4 + n\gamma, \quad (n = 0, 1, \dots)$$

⇒ THEORETICALLY: also LOOP corrections necessary!

● Exclusive Yennie-Frautschi-Suura Exponentiation:

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma = & \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \int \prod_{j=1}^4 \frac{d^3 q_j}{q_j^0} \left\{ \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{d^3 k_i}{k_i^0} \tilde{S}(\{p\}, \{q\}, k_i) \Theta \left( \frac{2k_i^0}{\sqrt{s}} - \epsilon \right) \right\} \\ & \times \delta^{(4)} \left( p_1 + p_2 - \sum_{j=1}^4 q_j - \sum_{j=1}^n k_j \right) e^{Y(\{p\}, \{q\}; \epsilon)} \\ & \times \left[ \bar{\beta}_0^{(m)}(\{p\}, \{q\}) + \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\bar{\beta}_1^{(m)}(\{p\}, \{q\}, k_i)}{\tilde{S}(\{p\}, \{q\}, k_i)} + \dots \right], \end{aligned}$$

where

$\tilde{S}(\{p\}, \{q\}, k)$  — Soft-Photon Radiation Factor

$Y(\{p\}, \{q\}; \epsilon)$  — YFS FormFactor

$\bar{\beta}_n^{(m)}(\dots)$  —  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^m)$  YFS Residuals for n Real Photons

EW Loop Corrections enter through  $\bar{\beta}$ -functions.

**Theoretical Predictions needed in terms of Monte Carlo Event Generator !**

⇒ **PROBLEMS:**

- CC03 set of Feynman diagrams **Not Gauge-Invariant**;  
At least CC11 needed for **Gauge Invariance**  
→ **In practice, full  $e^+e^- \rightarrow 4f$  process to be considered**
- $\sim 80$  different  $4f$  channels
- Complicated Peaking behaviour in  $8 + 3n$  dim. Phase Space
- Large number of Feynman diagrams  
# of Feynman graphs/channel ( $WW$ -type,  $m_f = 0$ )

**BORN** 9 — 56

**1-LOOP** 3,579 — 15,948

- Problem of including **Finite  $W$  boson Width** in  $4f$  processes in **Gauge-Invariant way**  
→ **Practical solution – Complex-Mass Scheme:**

$$M_V^2 \longrightarrow \tilde{M}_V^2 = M_V^2 + iM_V\Gamma_V$$

$$\sin^2 \theta_W \longrightarrow \sin^2 \tilde{\theta}_W = 1 - \frac{\tilde{M}_W^2}{\tilde{M}_Z^2}$$

**Problems:**

- \* Also Space-like propagators acquire Width (Non-Physical)
- \* CP structure of process may be Changed (Complex Couplings)

→ **Computing Problems** – a few examples:

- **BORN:** e.g. KoralW ( $m_f \neq 0$ )

**Source code:**  $\sim 0.5\text{M Lines}$  →  $\sim 20\text{MB}$

**Exec. code:**  $\sim 10\text{MB}$

**Compilation time:**  $\sim 0.5\text{h on fast PC}$

- **1-LOOP:** Rough estimate – multiply by 100

**Source code:**  $\sim 50\text{M Lines}$  →  $\sim 2\text{GB}$

**Exec. code:**  $\sim 1\text{GB}$

**Compilation time:**  $\sim 50\text{h on fast PC}$

→ **Very Slow event generation!**  $\sim 100 \times$  Born

**EFFICIENT APPROXIMATIONS NEEDED !**

⇒ OUR SOLUTION:

TWO MC EVENT GENERATORS



**YFSWW3**

**Simplified Process**  
(Double- $W$  Resonant)



**KoralW**

**Full Process**  
(All  $4f$  Channels)



**As Much Rad. Corr.**  
**As Possible (Needed)**



**Simplified Rad. Corr.**  
**(ISR, Coulomb, ...)**

$\delta_{WW}^{NL}$

- \*  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha)$  NL EW Corr.
- \*  $\gamma$  Radiation from  $WW$
- (in YFS Expon. Scheme)

**WW-Process**

- \* YFS  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^3)$  LL ISR
- \* Coulomb Correction
- \* "Naive" QCD Corr.
- \* Full CKM Matrix
- \*  $W$  BRs with Rad Corr.
- \* Anomalous TGCs
- \* FSR by PHOTOS
- \*  $\tau$  Decays by TAUOLA
- \* Hadronization by JETSET
- \* Semi-An. Code: KorWan

$\delta_{4f}$

- \* Non-WW  $4f$  Contrib.
- \* YFS  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^3)$  LL ISR

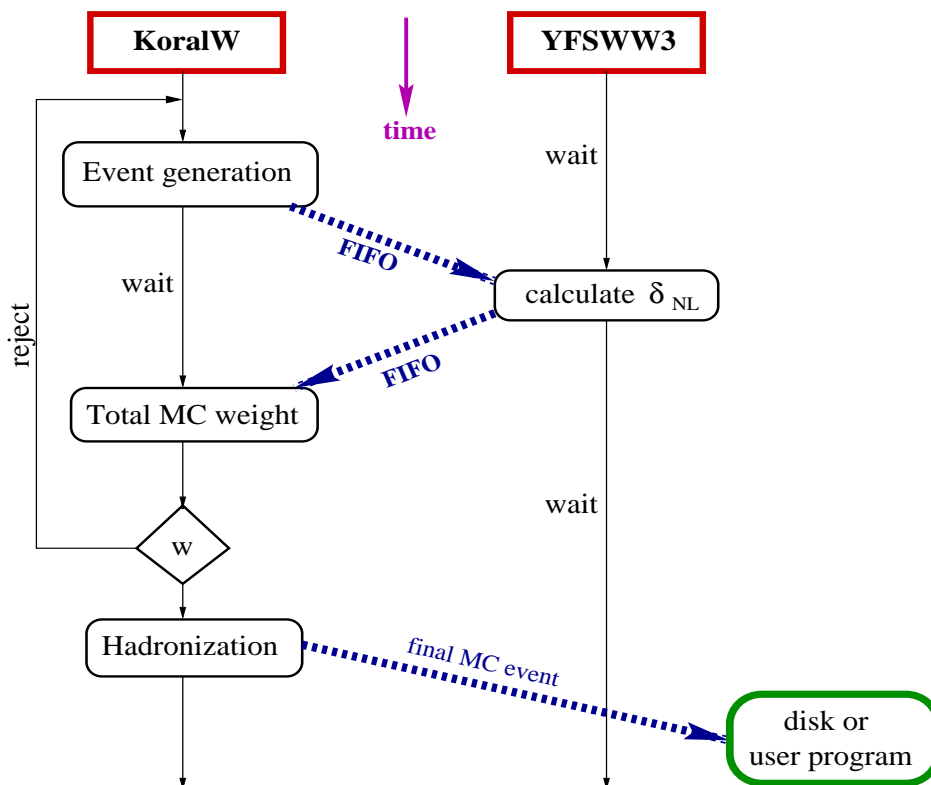
⇒ TWO POSSIBILITIES:

1.  $\sigma_{Y/K} = \sigma_Y \oplus \delta_{4f}$  ← When  $\delta_{WW}^{NL} > \delta_{4f}$
2.  $\sigma_{K/Y} = \sigma_K \oplus \delta_{WW}^{NL}$  ← When  $\delta_{4f} > \delta_{WW}^{NL}$

⇒ NEW:

Concurrent realization of  $\sigma_{K/Y}$ : CMC KoralW&YFSWW3

Based on Unix FIFO special file (named pipe) mechanism



→ Works effectively as a single MC event generator!

## $4f$ Physics with KoralW

- Two independent, efficient MC Presamplers for general  $4f$  Phase Space  
 → Multibranch MC Algorithms ( $\sim 50$  Main Branches)
- Two dedicated MC Presamplers for  $W$ -Pair and  $Z$ -Pair Production and Decay
- YFS MC Algorithm for Arbitrary number of ISR Photons (with Non-Zero  $p_T$ )
- Fully-Massive  $4f$  Born Matrix Element generated with GRACE System, MINAMI-TATEYA Collaboration, J. Fujimoto *et al.*  
 (→ It can be easily replaced by any other M.E. – due to modularity of KoralW)



WW Physics with YFSWW

Double-Resonant Graphs (CC03) – Non Gauge-Invariant!

⇒ POSSIBLE SOLUTION:

Leading-Pole Approximation (LPA):

$\frac{\Gamma_W}{M_W} \sim \frac{1}{40}$  is Important Expansion Parameter!

- Matrix Element (For Gauge-Invariant set of Feynman graphs) can be decomposed:

$$\mathcal{M} = \sum_i T_i(\dots, p_j, \dots, p_k, \dots) M_i(\dots, p_j \cdot p_k, \dots)$$

$T_i$  ← Spinor and Lorentz-Tensor Structure of M.E.  
(External Wave-Functions, etc.)

$M_i$  ← Lorentz-Scalar Functions  
(e.g. describe finite-range  $W$ -propagation)

⇒ TWO APPROACHES:

a) R. G. Stuart, Nucl. Phys. **B498** (1997) 28 and Refs. therein

$M_i$  Expanded about Complex Poles (Laurent series)  
corresponding to Unstable Particles (here:  $W$ s)

$T_i$  Untouched by Laurent expansion!

→ LPA: Only Leading-Pole terms kept!

IMPLEMENTED IN YFSWW:  $LPA_a$  ← RECOMMENDED

b) Yellow Report CERN 96-01, Vol. 1, p. 79 and Refs. therein<sup>a</sup>

The Whole Matrix Element  $\mathcal{M}$  expanded about poles!  
(Connection to On-Shell  $WW$  Production and Decay)

→ LPA: Only Leading-Pole terms kept!

IMPLEMENTED IN YFSWW:  $LPA_b$  ← for tests

● NUMERICAL DIFFERENCES :

Level	$LPA_a/LPA_b - 1$
Born	Several per cent
$\delta_{ISR}$	A few per mille
$\delta_{WW}^{NL}$	$\leq 0.1\%$

⇒ Born:  $LPA_a$  Very close to CC11 (Min. Gauge-Invariant set of Feynman diagrams)

<sup>a</sup>See also: W. Beenakker, F.A. Berends and A.P. Chapovsky, Nucl. Phys. **B548** (1999) 3

- Photon Radiation Off Internal  $W$ s

→ Decomposition of  $W$  Propagator:

$$(Q' = Q - k)$$

$$\frac{1}{Q^2 - M^2} \frac{1}{Q'^2 - M^2} = \frac{1}{2kQ' + k^2} \frac{1}{Q'^2 - M^2} - \frac{1}{Q^2 - M^2} \frac{1}{2kQ - k^2}$$

⇒ Gauge-Invariant decomposition of Radiative Corr. into Factorizable (separately in Production and Decays) and Non-Factorizable (Interferences between different stages)

- Non-Factorizable Corrections Approximated with Screened Coulomb Ansatz: A.P. Chapovsky and V.A. Khoze, Eur. Phys. J. **C9** (1999) 449. → Sufficient for LEP2
- Radiation in  $W$  Decays generated by PHOTOS (Z. Was *et al.*) → up to two photons
- Radiative Correction at  $WW$  Production stage:
  - \* Full YFS FormFactor for  $e^+e^- \rightarrow W^+W^-$
  - \* YFS MC Algorithm for Photon Radiation from  $WW$ -state (WSR)
  - \* Interferences between ISR and WSR properly included
  - \*  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha)$  NL Electroweak Corrections based on:
    - J. Fleischer, F. Jegerlehner and M. Zralek, Z. Phys. **C42** (1989) 409,
    - K. Kołodziej and M. Zralek, Phys. Rev. **D43** (1991) 3619,
    - (For On-Shell  $WW$  Production)

**YFSWW3 ↔ KoralW**

(CC09/CC10/CC11 channels)

$\sqrt{s} = 161 \text{ GeV}$		$\sigma_{WW} [fb]$		$\delta_{4f} [\%]$		$\delta_{WW}^{NL} [\%]$
Final state	Program	Born	ISR	Born	ISR	
$u\bar{d}\mu^-\bar{\nu}_\mu$	YFSWW3	156.670 (16)	122.832 (08)	—	—	-1.41 (4)
	KoralW	156.601 (24)	122.836 (11)	0.29	0.25	—
	(Y-K)/Y	0.04 (2)%	0.00 (1)%	—	—	—

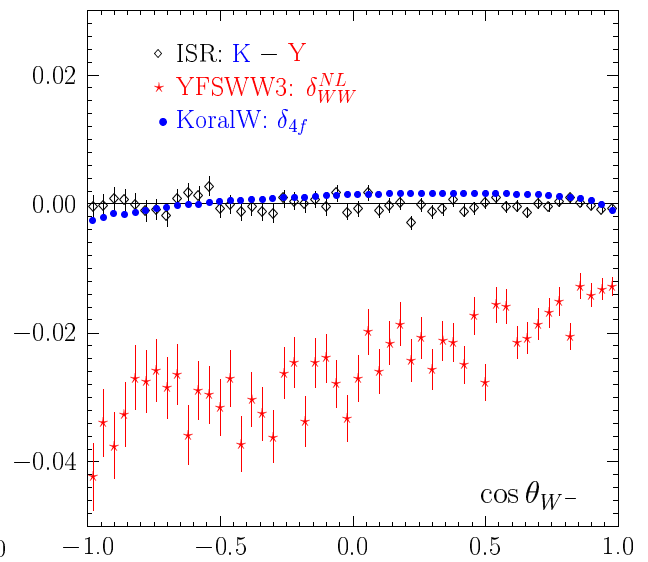
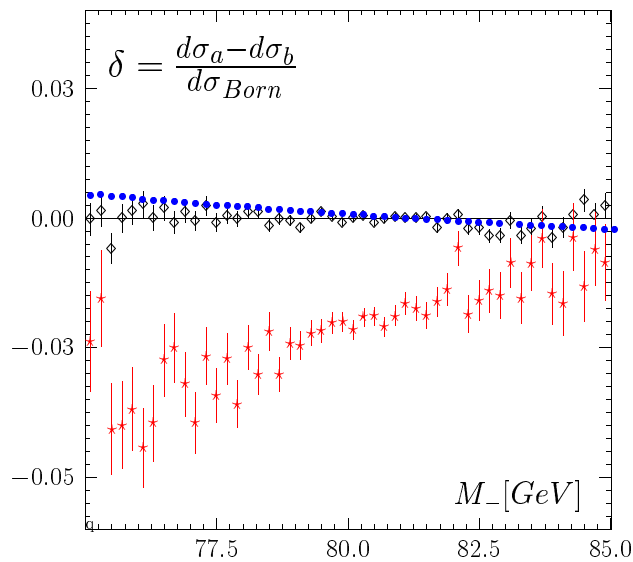
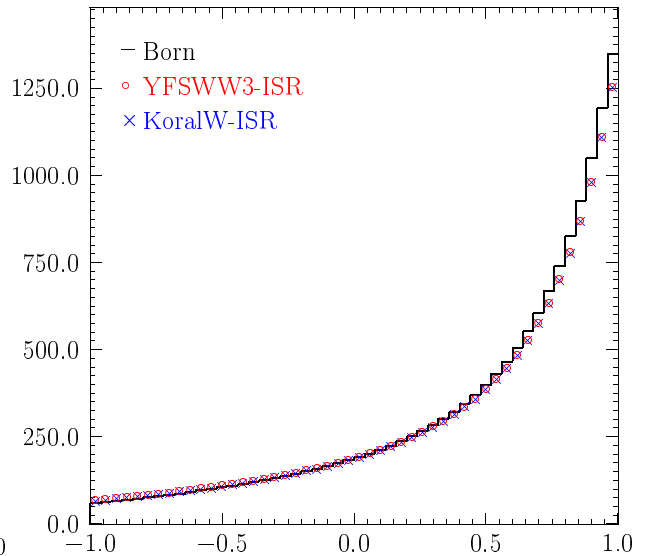
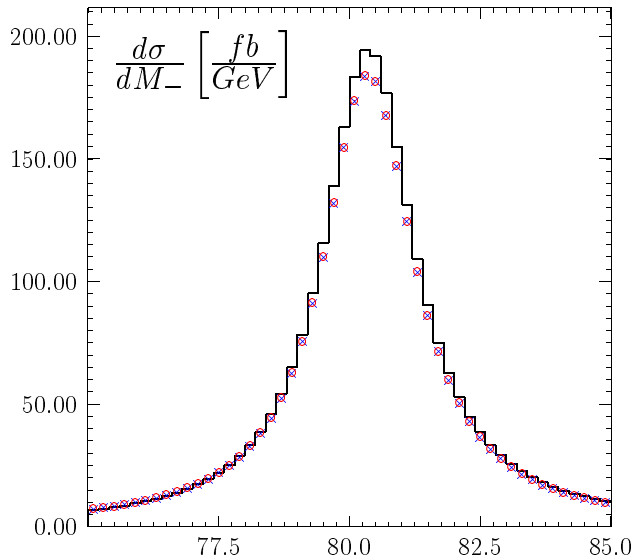
$\sqrt{s} = 200 \text{ GeV}$		$\sigma_{WW} [fb]$		$\delta_{4f} [\%]$		$\delta_{WW}^{NL} [\%]$
Final state	Program	Born	ISR	Born	ISR	
$\nu_\mu\mu^+\tau^-\bar{\nu}_\tau$	YFSWW3	219.793 (16)	204.198 (09)	—	—	-1.92 (4)
	KoralW	219.766 (26)	204.178 (21)	0.041	0.044	—
	(Y-K)/Y	0.01 (1)%	0.01 (1)%	—	—	—
$u\bar{d}\mu^-\bar{\nu}_\mu$	YFSWW3	659.69 (5)	635.81 (3)	—	—	-1.99 (4)
	KoralW	659.59 (8)	635.69 (7)	0.073	0.073	—
	(Y-K)/Y	0.02 (1)%	0.02 (1)%	—	—	—
$u\bar{d}s\bar{c}$	YFSWW3	1978.37 (14)	1978.00 (09)	—	—	-2.06 (4)
	KoralW	1977.89 (25)	1977.64 (21)	0.060	0.061	—
	(Y-K)/Y	0.02 (1)%	0.02 (1)%	—	—	—

$\sqrt{s} = 500 \text{ GeV}$		$\sigma_{WW} [fb]$		$\delta_{4f} [\%]$		$\delta_{WW}^{NL} [\%]$
Final state	Program	Born	ISR	Born	ISR	
$u\bar{d}\mu^-\bar{\nu}_\mu$	YFSWW3	261.368 (23)	292.029 (18)	—	—	-4.95 (4)
	KoralW	261.348 (17)	291.979 (19)	-0.51	-0.51	—
	(Y-K)/Y	0.01 (1)%	0.02 (1)%	—	—	—

$\delta_{WW}^{NL}$  much bigger than  $\delta_{4f}$  !

YFSWW3 ↔ KoralW

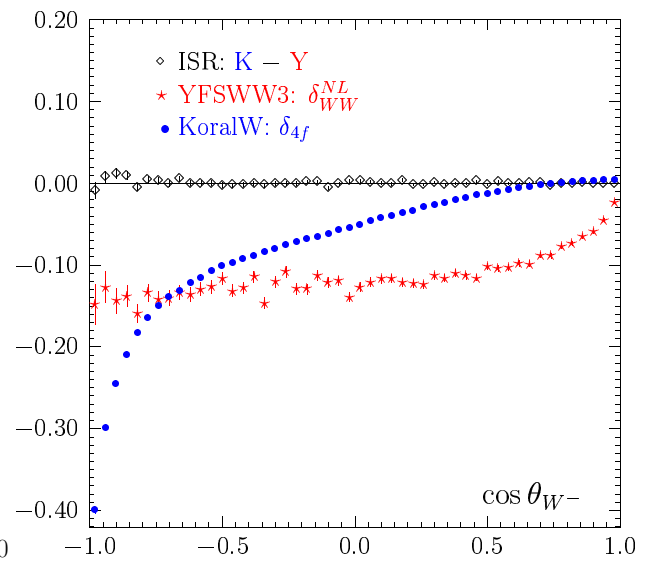
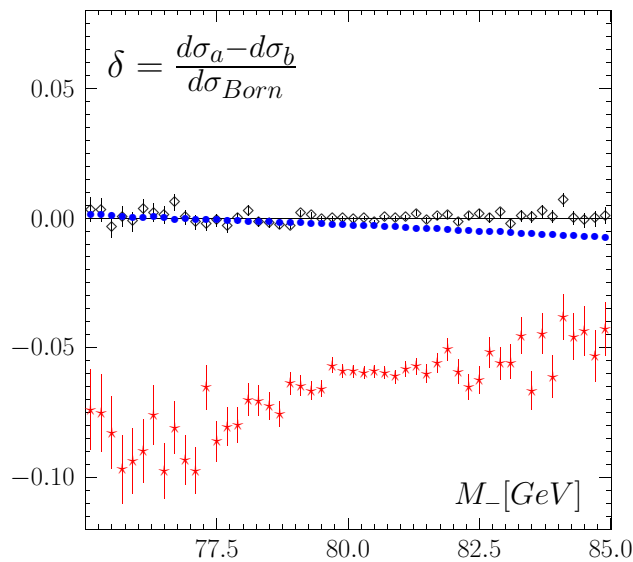
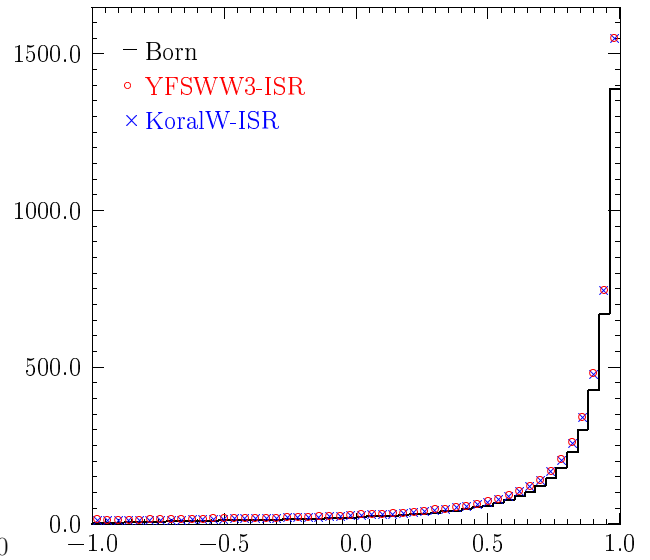
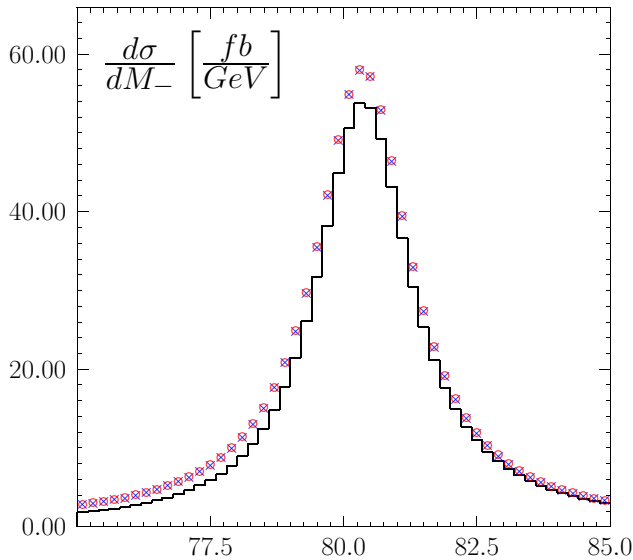
$$e^+e^- \longrightarrow W^+W^- \longrightarrow u\bar{d}\mu^-\bar{\nu}_\mu$$



$M_{W^-}^{inv}, \cos \theta_{W^-} @ \sqrt{s} = 200 \text{ GeV}$

YFSWW3 ↔ KoralW

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$M_{W^-}^{inv}, \cos \theta_{W^-} @ \sqrt{s} = 500 \text{ GeV}$

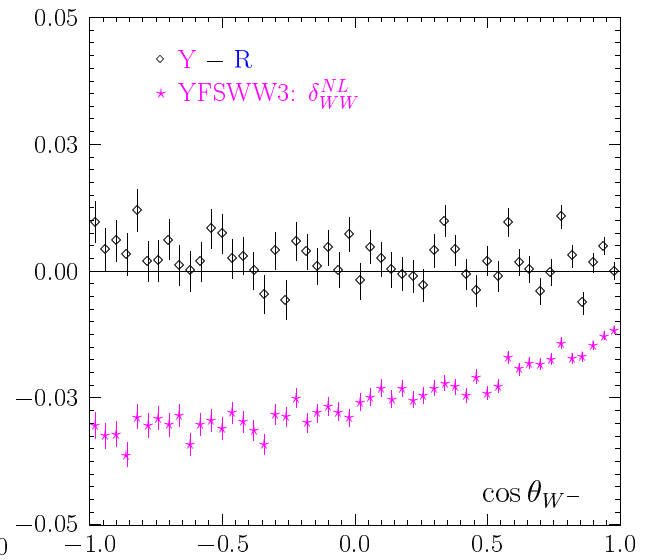
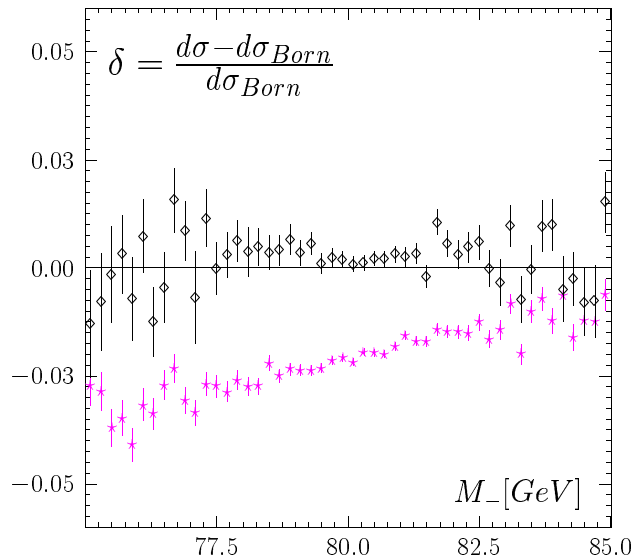
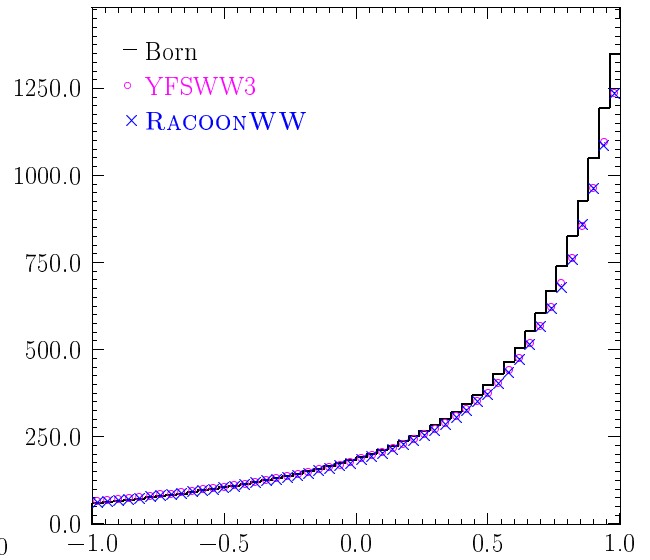
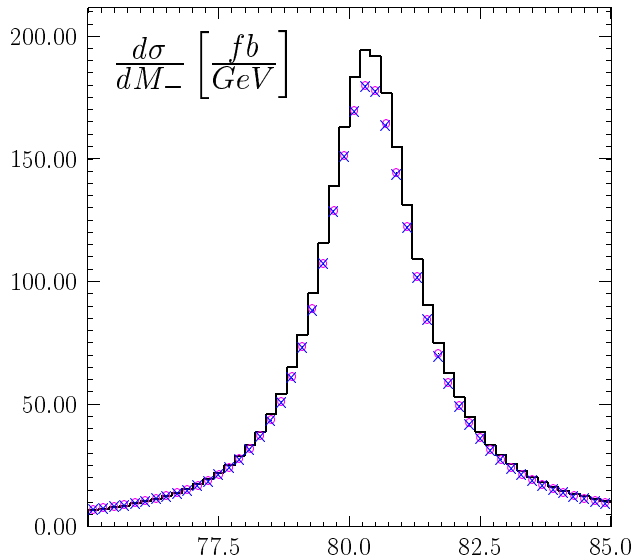
YFSWW3 ↔ RACOONWW A. Denner, S. Dittmaier,  
M. Roth, D. Wackerath  
@ LEP2 Energies

$\sqrt{s}$ [GeV]	$\sigma_{WW}$ [pb]		(Y - R)/Y [%]
	YFSWW3	RACOONWW	
168.000	9.8342 (29)	9.8392 (49)	-0.05 (6)
172.086	12.0982 (34)	12.0896 (76)	0.08 (7)
176.000	13.6360 (45)	13.6271 (66)	0.07 (6)
180.000	14.7790 (42)	14.7585 (72)	0.14 (6)
182.655	15.3584 (43)	15.3684 (76)	-0.07 (6)
185.000	15.7691 (46)	15.7716 (78)	-0.02 (6)
188.628	16.2578 (47)	16.2486 (111)	0.06 (8)
191.583	16.5523 (47)	16.5188 (85)	0.21 (6)
195.519	16.8282 (49)	16.8009 (87)	0.16 (6)
199.516	17.0099 (49)	16.9791 (88)	0.18 (6)
201.624	17.0643 (51)	17.0316 (89)	0.19 (6)
205.000	17.1213 (53)	17.0792 (89)	0.24 (6)
208.000	17.1361 (53)	17.0942 (90)	0.24 (7)
210.000	17.1229 (52)	17.0858 (91)	0.20 (7)
215.000	17.0651 (54)	17.0378 (91)	0.16 (7)

Agreement within **0.3%**

## YFSWW3 ↔ RACOONWW

$$e^+e^- \longrightarrow W^+W^- \longrightarrow u\bar{d}\mu^-\bar{\nu}_\mu$$



$M_{W^-}^{inv}, \cos \theta_{W^-} @ \sqrt{s} = 200 \text{ GeV}$

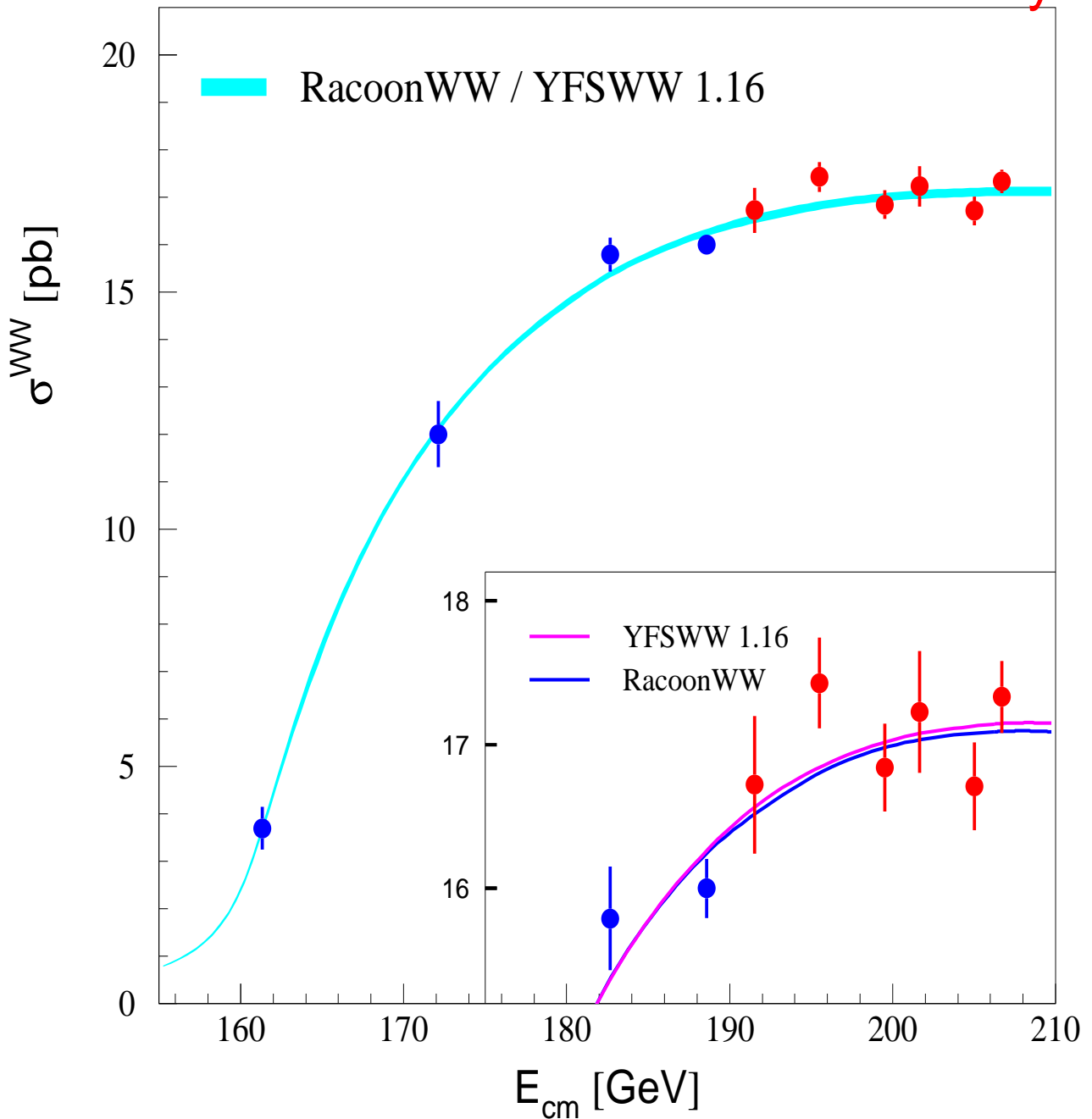


Versus LEP2 Data

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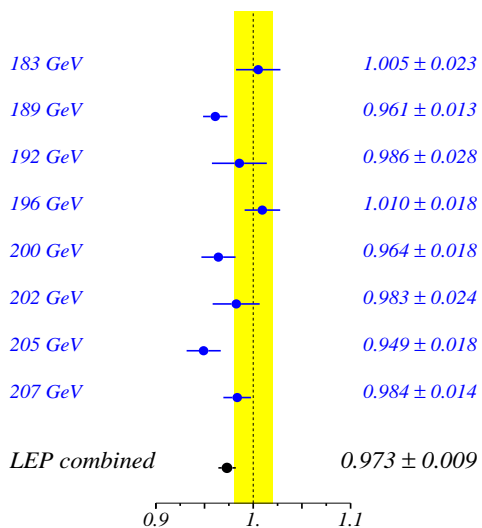


TH Precision  $\simeq 0.5\%$

## Leading Corrections Only

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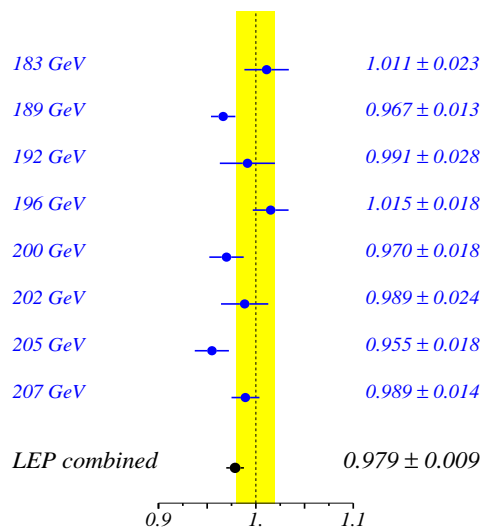
Measured  $\sigma^{WW} / \text{Gentle}$



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PRELIMINARY

Measured  $\sigma^{WW} / \text{KoralW}$

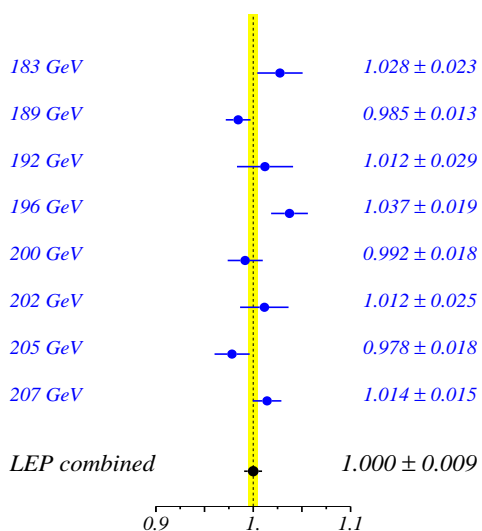


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## Including $\mathcal{O}(\alpha)$ NL EW Corrections

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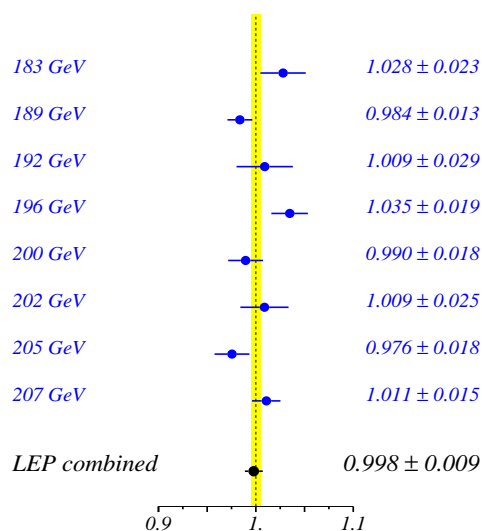
Measured  $\sigma^{WW} / \text{RacoonWW}$



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Measured  $\sigma^{WW} / \text{YFSWW}$



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**YFSWW3: Total WW Cross Section**

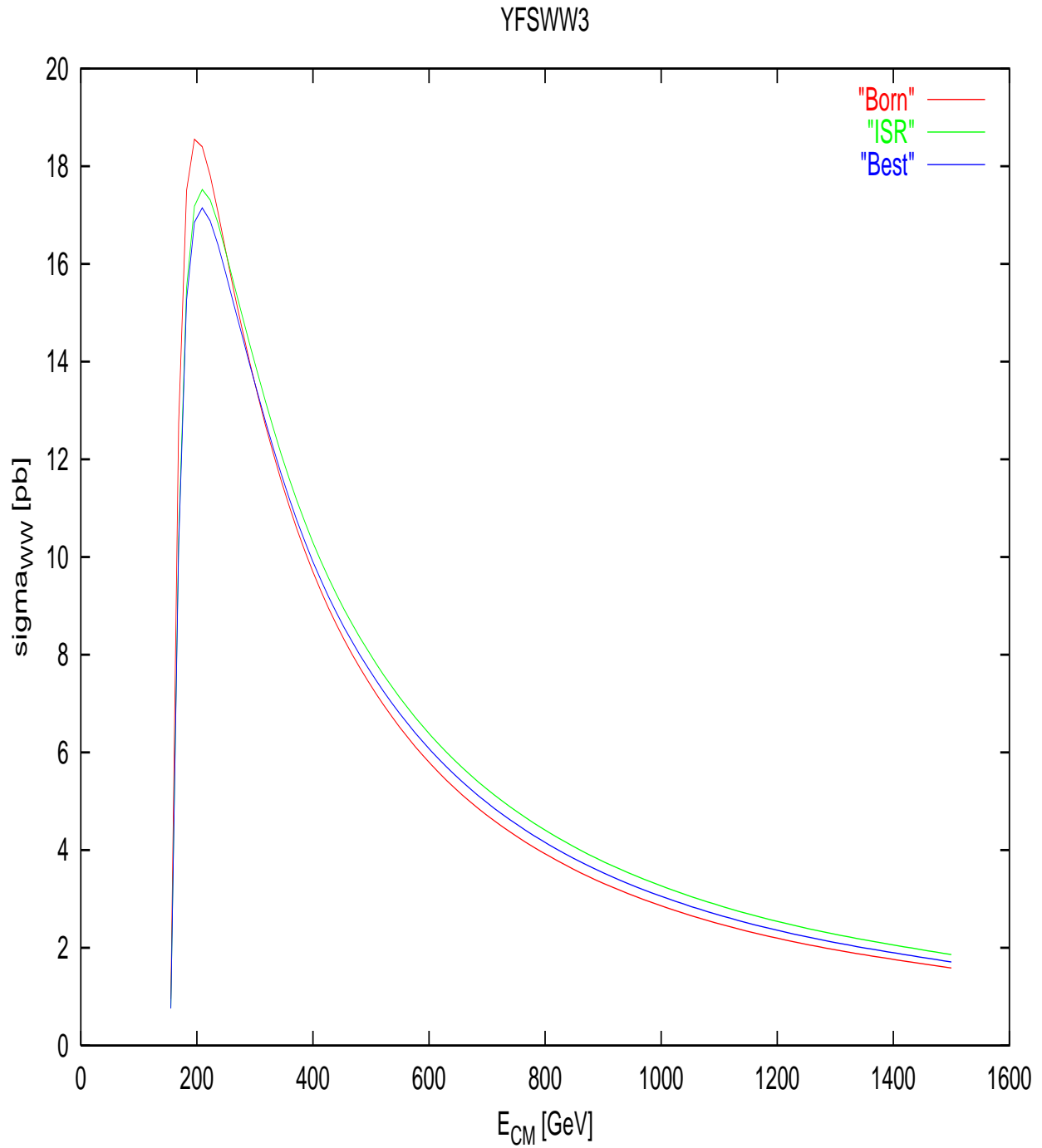
$\sqrt{s}$ [GeV]	$\sigma_{WW}$ [pb]			$\frac{\text{ISR}-\text{Born}}{\text{Born}}$ [%]	$\frac{\text{Best}-\text{ISR}}{\text{Born}}$ [%]
	Born	ISR	Best		
155.000	0.94585 (17)	0.76497 (14)	0.75444 (26)	-19.12 (3)	-1.13 (4)
157.000	1.38578 (25)	1.10298 (19)	1.08636 (42)	-20.41 (3)	-1.21 (4)
159.000	2.30412 (40)	1.79141 (30)	1.76197 (69)	-22.25 (3)	-1.28 (4)
161.000	4.4138 (7)	3.3579 (5)	3.2953 (12)	-23.92 (3)	-1.43 (5)
163.000	7.3264 (10)	5.6178 (7)	5.5198 (18)	-23.32 (3)	-1.35 (4)
165.000	9.7343 (11)	7.6385 (9)	7.5059 (23)	-21.53 (3)	-1.37 (4)
167.000	11.5788 (14)	9.2903 (10)	9.1348 (26)	-19.76 (3)	-1.35 (4)
168.000	12.3391 (14)	10.0020 (11)	9.8342 (29)	-18.94(3)	-1.35 (4)
170.000	13.6124 (15)	11.2392 (12)	11.0476 (31)	-17.43 (3)	-1.42 (4)
172.086	14.6717 (16)	12.3114 (14)	12.0982 (34)	-16.09 (3)	-1.45 (4)
176.000	16.1293 (17)	13.8760 (15)	13.6360 (38)	-13.97 (3)	-1.49 (4)
180.000	17.1207 (18)	15.0325 (16)	14.7790 (42)	-12.20 (3)	-1.48 (4)
182.655	17.5852 (19)	15.6190 (17)	15.3584 (43)	-11.18 (3)	-1.49 (4)
185.000	17.8981 (19)	16.0422 (18)	15.7691 (46)	-10.37 (3)	-1.53 (4)
188.628	18.2391 (20)	16.5540 (18)	16.2578 (47)	-9.24 (3)	-1.63 (4)
191.583	18.4179 (20)	16.8649 (18)	16.5523 (47)	-8.43 (3)	-1.70 (4)
195.519	18.5466 (19)	17.1651 (19)	16.8282 (49)	-7.45 (3)	-1.83 (4)
199.516	18.5828 (19)	17.3608 (19)	17.0099 (49)	-6.58 (3)	-1.89 (4)
201.624	18.5696 (21)	17.4284 (19)	17.0643 (51)	-6.15 (3)	-1.97 (4)
205.000	18.5162 (21)	17.4968 (20)	17.1213 (53)	-5.51 (3)	-2.03 (4)
208.000	18.4399 (21)	17.5216 (20)	17.1361 (53)	-4.98 (3)	-2.10 (4)
210.000	18.3767 (21)	17.5219 (20)	17.1229 (52)	-4.65 (2)	-2.18 (4)
215.000	18.1833 (21)	17.4773 (20)	17.0651 (54)	-3.88 (2)	-2.27 (4)
250	16.2477 (16)	16.2293(14)	15.7730 (55)	-0.11 (2)	-2.81 (4)
350	11.3812 (12)	11.9325 (12)	11.5100 (47)	4.84 (2)	-3.71 (4)
500	7.3621 (8)	7.9823 (9)	7.6091 (37)	8.42 (2)	-5.07 (4)
750	4.2885 (6)	4.7993 (6)	4.5157 (25)	11.91 (2)	-6.61 (5)
1000	2.8598 (4)	3.2679 (4)	3.0375 (20)	14.27(2)	-8.07 (5)
1250	2.0714 (3)	2.4017 (4)	2.2105 (16)	15.95 (2)	-9.23 (6)
1500	1.5865 (2)	1.8615 (3)	1.6992 (14)	17.33 (2)	-10.23 (7)

$\delta_{ISR}$

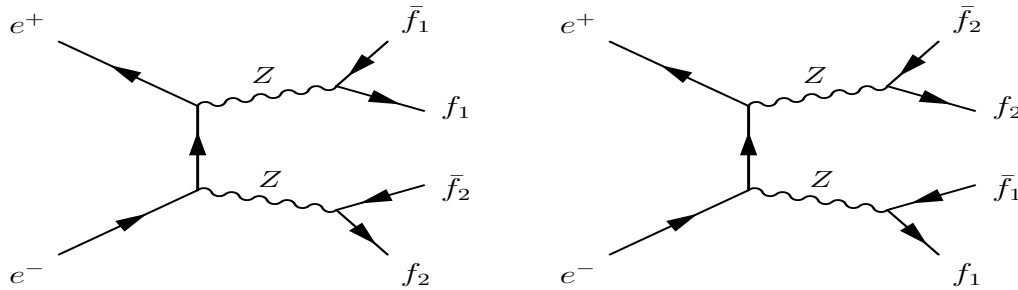
$\delta_{WW}^{NL}$

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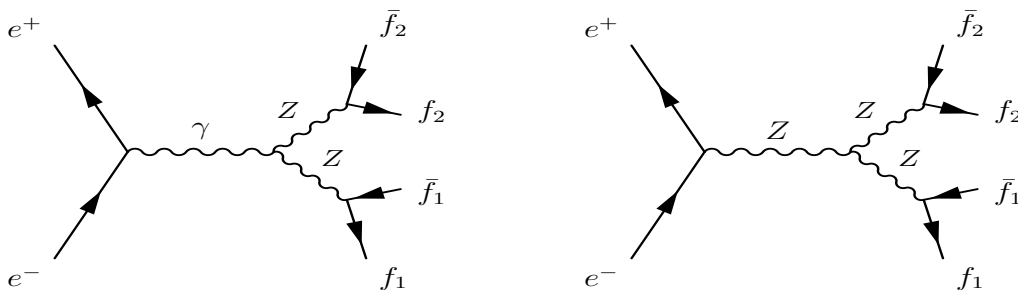
## YFSWW3: “WW Line-Shape”



## ZZ Production and Decay



Standard Model diagrams (NC02)



Non-SM diagrams with Anomalous TGCs

⇒ Two MC Event Generators:

- **YFSZZ** for **Signal ZZ Process** – including **Anomalous Triple-Gauge Couplings: ZZγ and ZZZ**
- **KoralW** for **Standard Model 4f Background**

Both include ISR Corrections in YFS Scheme (with Multiple Photons)

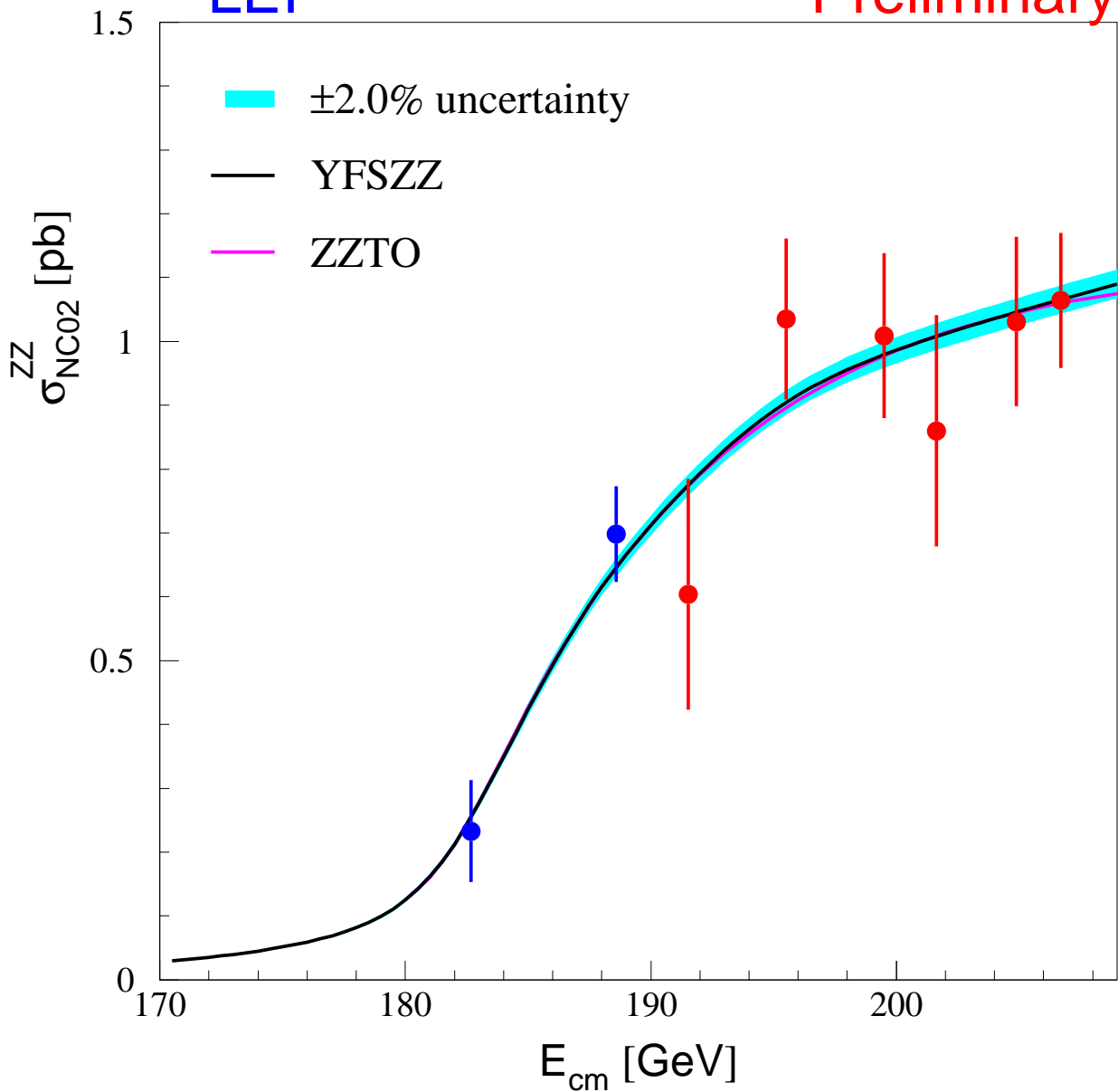
⇒ **TH Precision for  $\sigma_{ZZ}$  at LEP2 Energies  $\simeq 2\%$**

**ZZ Total Cross Section**

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**LEP**

**Preliminary**



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## CONCLUSIONS – $WW$ :

- Our Solution for  $WW$  Physics:

Two MC Event Generators

YFSWW3

KoralW

$WW$  Signal  $4f$  Background

- Works from  $WW$  Threshold to LC Energies
- Combination on Event-by-Event basis possible:
  - \* by Reweighting generated events
  - \* through Unix FIFO Pipes:
    - Concurrent MC KoralW & YFSWW3
- Good Agreement with RACOONWW ( $< 0.3\%$ ) and LEP2 Data

## & OUTLOOK – $WW$ :

- $\mathcal{O}(\alpha)$  YFS Exponentiation in  $W$  Decays (in progress)
- Non-Factorizable Corrections
- Coherent Exclusive Exponentiation (CEEX) for  $W$ -Pair Production and Decay (Expon. on Spin-Amplitude level)
- Higher-order EW Corrections for LC (Sudakov logs, etc.)
- Beamstrahlung, Beam Polarization, ...

## CONCLUSIONS – $ZZ$ :

- Our solution for  $ZZ$  Physics:

Two MC Event Generators

YFSZZ

KoralW

$ZZ$  Signal  $4f$  Background

- Good Agreement with ZZTO ( $< 1\%$ ) and LEP2 Data

## & OUTLOOK – $ZZ$ :

- Combination on Event-by-Event basis:
  - Concurrent MC KoralW & YFSZZ
- $\mathcal{O}(\alpha)$  NL EW Corrections
- $\mathcal{O}(\alpha)$  YFS Exponentiation in  $Z$  Decays
- Coherent Exclusive Exponentiation (CEEX) for  $Z$ -Pair Production and Decay (Expon. on Spin-Amplitude level)
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