

Studies of Strong Symmetry
Breaking

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Strong Vector Boson Scattering

For a heavy Higgs $H \rightarrow W^+W^-, ZZ$, up to $M_H = 1 \text{ TeV}$
 $V_L V_L$ fusion is detectable

At TeV scale $V_L V_L \rightarrow V_L V_L$ could serve as
a probe of a dynamical symmetry breaking
by TeV scale interactions.

strongly interacting bosons:

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{YM}} + \mathcal{L}_G \leftarrow \text{Goldstone fields}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_G = \mathcal{L}_0 + \underbrace{\sum_{\text{dim}=4} \mathcal{L}_i + \dots}_{\text{expansions in powers of the energy for scattering amplitude}}$$

↑
generates M_W, M_Z

Chiral Lagrangian Model

$SU(2)_{L+R}$ symmetry unbroken.

$$\rightarrow \sum_{\text{dim}=4} \mathcal{L}_i \text{ (10 terms)} \rightarrow 2 \text{ terms}$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{(4)} = L_1 [\text{Tr} D_\mu U D^\mu U^\dagger]^2 + L_2 [\text{Tr} D_\mu U D^\nu U^\dagger]^2$$

where U : $SU(2)$ matrix field of the G. fields
 D_μ : SM covariant derivative.

L_1 and L_2 free parameters of the model.

Quasi-elastic 2-2 Amplitudes at high energies
 $\rightarrow A(s, t, u)$ s, t, u Mandelstam Variables

$$A(s, t, u) = \frac{s}{16\pi^2} + \frac{1}{4\pi^2} (2L_1 s^2 + L_2 (t^2 + u^2)) + \dots$$

If $\mathcal{L} \rightarrow \mathcal{L}_{YM} + \mathcal{L}_0 \Rightarrow A(s, t, u) \rightarrow \frac{s}{16\pi^2}$

a_{IJ} scattering length with isospin I and angular momentum J .

The only non-zero channels predicted by the leading order ($\mathcal{L}_{YM} + \mathcal{L}_0$) are:

$$a_{00} = \frac{s}{16\pi^2} \quad \text{higgs-type resonance}$$

$$a_{11} = \frac{s}{96\pi^2} \quad \text{p-type resonance}$$

if $\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{YM} + \mathcal{L}_0 + \mathcal{L}^{(4)}$

$$M_V^2 = \frac{v^2}{4(L_2 - 2L_1) - \frac{1}{18(4\pi)^2}} \quad \text{and} \quad \Gamma_V = \frac{M_V^3}{96\pi v^2}$$

$V =$ vector resonance (p-like)

Energy limit at $\sqrt{s} = \mathcal{O}(1 \text{ TeV})$

K-Matrix unitarization

M.S. Chmowicz
(hep-ph/9812215)

$a_{IJ} \nearrow$ when $s \nearrow$
 \rightarrow conflict with unitarity

Partial wave unitarity : $\text{Im}(a_{IJ}^{-1}) = -1$

" unitary a_{IJ} is completely specified by specifying it's real part "

At leading term ($\mathcal{L}_{YM} + \mathcal{L}^0$)

$$\text{Re}(a_{00}^{-1}) = \frac{16\pi r^2}{s}$$

$$a_{00} = \frac{s}{16\pi r^2} \left(1 - i \frac{s}{16\pi r^2} \right)^{-1}$$

K-Matrix Model \rightarrow PYTHIA 6.

$$W_L Z_L \longrightarrow W_L \bar{Z}_L \longrightarrow l^+ l^- j j$$

(A. Miagkov)

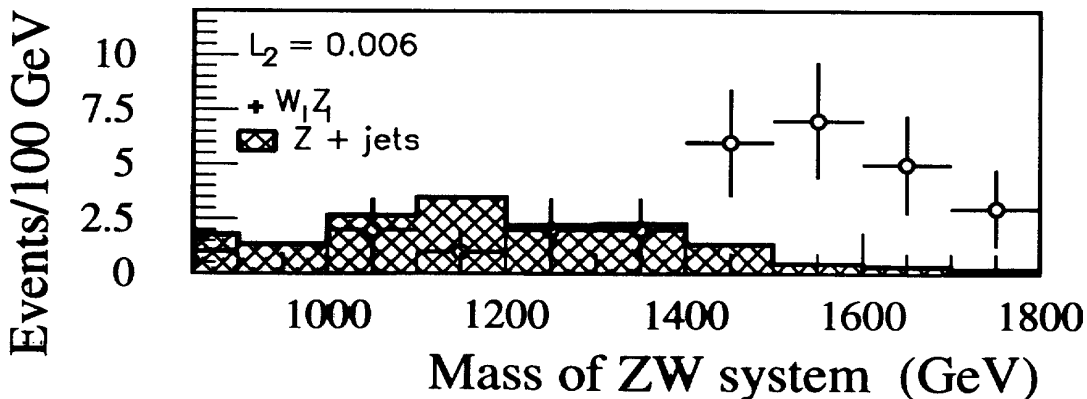
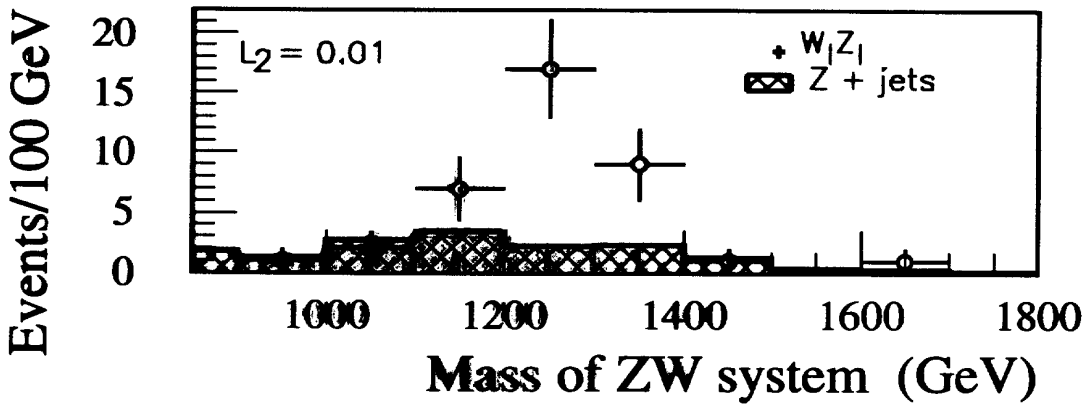
PYTHIA 5.7 + $N_L V_L$ scattering

$$L_1 = 0, L_2 = 0.01, \sigma_{\text{tot}} \text{BR} = 2.8 \text{ fb}, M_P = 1.2 \text{ TeV}/c^2$$

$$L_1 = 0, L_2 = 0.006, \sigma_{\text{tot}} \text{BR} = 1.5 \text{ fb}, M_P = 1.5 \text{ TeV}/c^2$$

Background { - Continuum WZ production
 - QCD from Z + jets

| | $M_P = 1.2 \text{ TeV}$ | | $M_P = 1.5 \text{ TeV}$ | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------|-------------------------|------------|
| | $W_L Z_L$ | Z + jets | $W_L Z_L$ | Z + jets |
| Central jets cut | 284 | 2187 | 145 | 1781 |
| $M_{jj} = M_W \pm 15 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ | 101 | 154 | 46 | 82 |
| Leptonic cuts | 70 | 84 | 36 | 47 |
| Forward jet tagging | 14 | 3 | 8 | 1.3 |



$$W_L^+ W_L^+ \longrightarrow W_L^+ W_L^+ \longrightarrow l^+ \nu l^+ \nu$$

Non resonant channel but complementary with resonant WZ

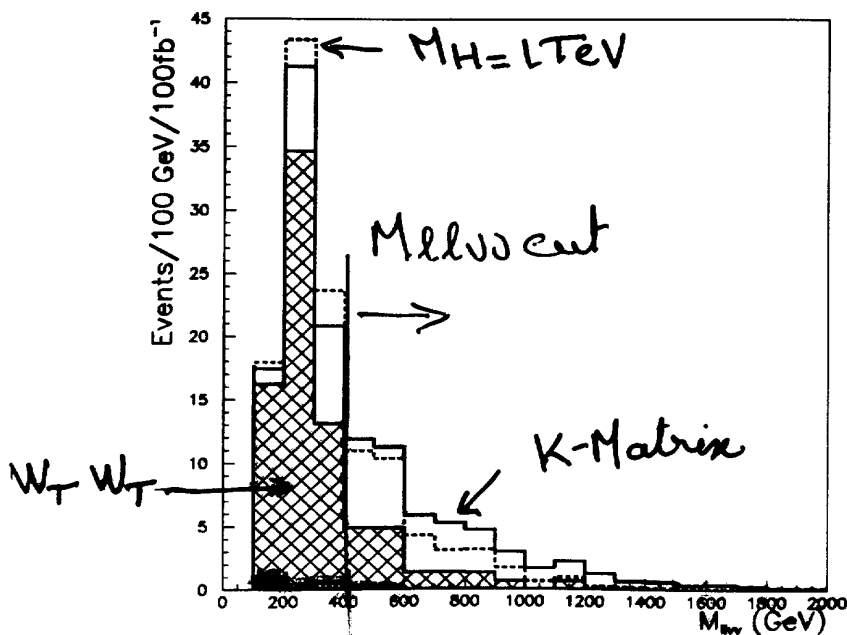
$$W_L^+ W_L^+ \begin{cases} \text{C-channel of } M_H = 1 \text{ TeV } \sigma \times \text{BR} = 1.33 \text{ fb} \\ \text{K-Matrix Model } \sigma \times \text{BR} = 1.12 \text{ fb} \\ \text{chiral Lagrangian Model } L_1 = 0, L_2 = 0.006, \sigma \times \text{BR} = 0.684 \\ L_1 = 0, L_2 = 0.01, \sigma \times \text{BR} = 0.379 \end{cases}$$

Backgrounds $\begin{cases} W_T W_T \text{ from } WW \text{ bremsstrahlung } \mathcal{O}(\alpha^2) \\ \text{gluon exchange and } W \text{ bremsstrahlung } \mathcal{O}(\alpha_s \alpha) \\ W e \bar{e}, \text{ continuum } WZ \end{cases}$

Cuts

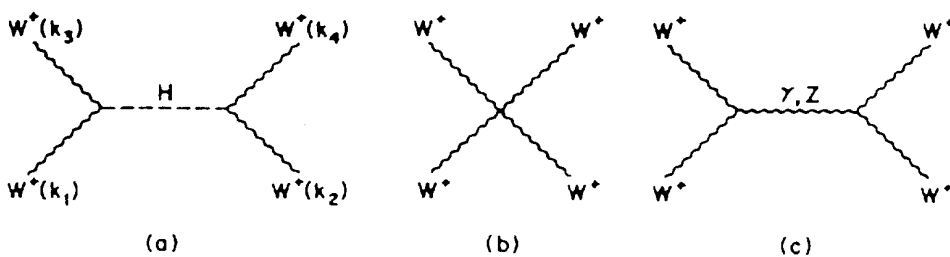
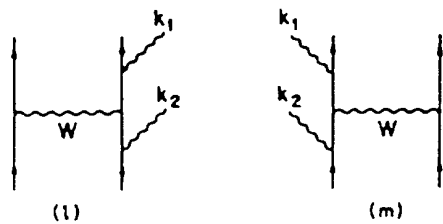
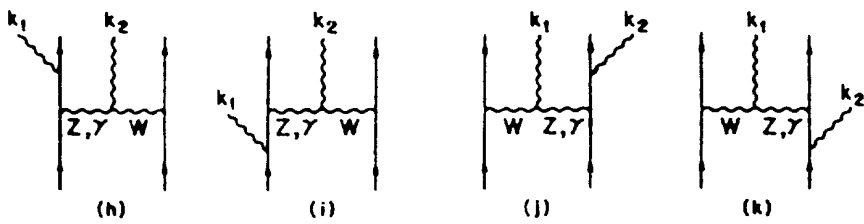
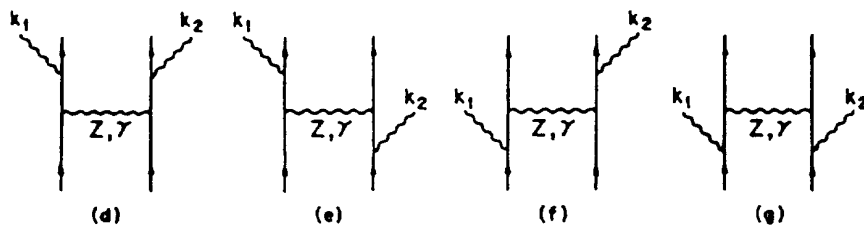
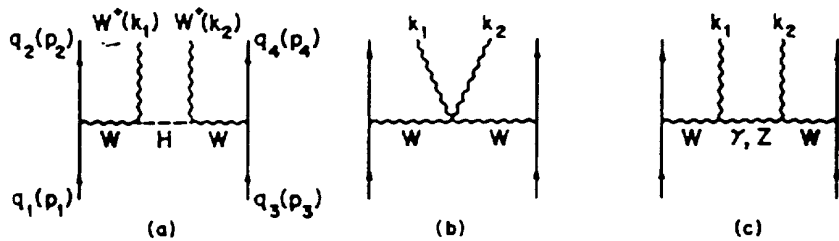
$$\begin{cases} 2l^+ & p_T > 40 \text{ GeV and } |m| < 1.75 \\ \cos(\phi_{l_1} - \phi_{l_2}) < 0.5, & M_{ll} > 100 \text{ GeV} \\ 3 \text{ jets with 1 forward and 1 backward} \\ p_T(\text{j-fow.}) < 150 \text{ GeV and } p_T(\text{j-backw.}) < 90 \text{ GeV} \end{cases}$$

| | $M_H = 1 \text{ TeV}$ | K-Matrix | $L_2 = 0.006$ | $L_2 = 0.01$ | W_{TT} |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|----------|---------------|--------------|----------|
| all cuts | 42.6 | 50.3 | 17.1 | 11.8 | 76 |
| $M_{ll} > 400 \text{ GeV}$ | 21.0 | 34.8 | 8.2 | 5.1 | 44.5 |



Barger and al.

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Technicolor

* Minimal classical technicolor

New QCD with new quantum number Technicolor

→ Technifermions

chiral symmetry $SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R$ broken

by $q\bar{q}$ condensate → Goldstone bosons π_T ($SU(2)$)

→ Longitudinal d.o.f of W and Z

⇒ massive W, Z

→ Broken $SU(2) \times U(1)$

$M_W \Rightarrow f_{\pi_{QCD}} \rightarrow F_{\pi_T} = v = 246 \text{ GeV}$

* Extended Technicolor (ETC)

To generate correct fermion masses!

- Global symmetry gauge group G_{ETC} embeds
TC, color, $U(1)$

- Breaking $G_{ETC} \Rightarrow$ heavy ETC bosons
which couple to l, q and technifermions \Rightarrow masses

* Walking TC

Absence of FCNC!

α_{TC} is required to run slowly (walk)

* Top color assisted Technicolor (TC2)

Large top quark mass!

Top mass arises mostly from new
top-color interaction

Walking TC requires several representations of TC family \rightarrow Multiscale TC. (K. Lane and I)

\Rightarrow Technihadron resonances accessible at LHC energies (ω_T ($I=0, J=1$), ρ_T ($1, 1$)...

ie $q\bar{q}' \rightarrow \rho_T^\pm \rightarrow \pi_T^\pm \pi_T^0$

where $|\pi_T\rangle = \sin\chi |W_L\rangle + \cos\chi |\pi_T\rangle$

Eichten, Lane and Wormesley

$\rightarrow \Gamma(\rho_T \rightarrow ff) \propto m_\rho^4$

$\Gamma(\pi_T \rightarrow qq') \propto (m_q + m_{q'})^2$

$\frac{d\sigma}{d\hat{t}}(qq' \rightarrow \rho \rightarrow \pi\pi) \propto m_\rho^4$

etc
⋮

Implemented in PYTHIA 6. with default

Values:

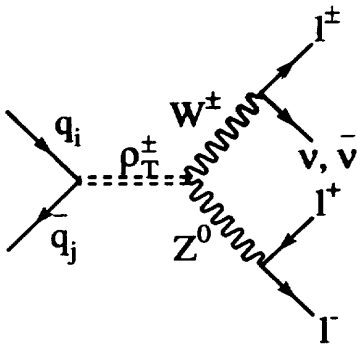
$N_{TC} = 4$

$\sin\chi = 1/3$

$F_T = F_\pi \cdot \sin\chi = 82 \text{ GeV}$

$Q_U = e, Q_D = 0$

$$p_T^\pm \longrightarrow W^\pm Z^0 \longrightarrow l^\pm \nu l^+ l^-$$



Background

WZ continuum production $\sigma = 0.3 \text{ pb}$

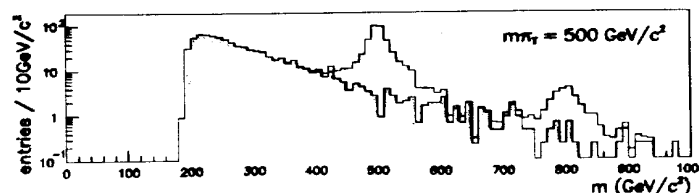
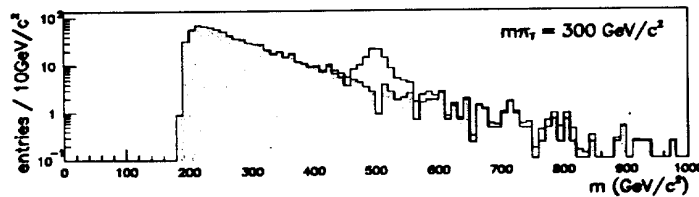
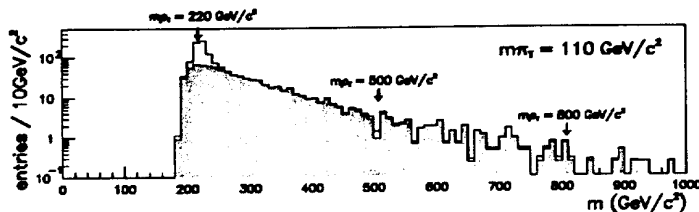
Cuts

3 leptons ($E_T > 5 \text{ (e)}, 6 \text{ (}\mu\text{)}$)

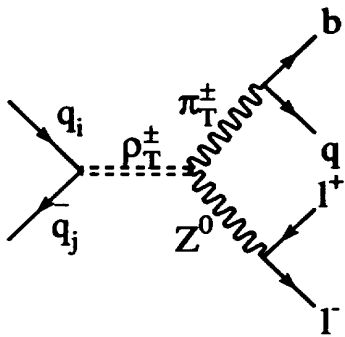
$P_T(W, Z) > 40 \text{ GeV}$

$|\cos \hat{\theta}_{(P_T, WZ)}| < 0.8$

| M_{P_T} | $M_{\pi\pi}$ | Γ_{P_T} | $BR(P_T^\pm \rightarrow WZ)$ | $\sigma \times BR \text{ (pb)}$ | S/\sqrt{B} | $\sigma \times BR \text{ (fb)}$ for S/\sqrt{B} |
|------------|--------------|----------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|---|
| <u>220</u> | <u>110</u> | 0.93 | 0.13 | 0.16 | <u>31.6</u> | 0.025 |
| 500 | 110 | 67.1 | 0.014 | $1.04 \cdot 10^{-3}$ | 0.7 | $7.4 \cdot 10^{-3}$ |
| <u>500</u> | <u>300</u> | 4.47 | 0.21 | $1.3 \cdot 10^{-2}$ | <u>14.7</u> | $0.4 \cdot 10^{-2}$ |
| <u>500</u> | <u>500</u> | 1.03 | 0.87 | $5.4 \cdot 10^{-2}$ | <u>64.2</u> | $0.42 \cdot 10^{-2}$ |
| 800 | 110 | 130.2 | 0.013 | $1.5 \cdot 10^{-4}$ | 0.3 | $2.5 \cdot 10^{-3}$ |
| 800 | 300 | 52.4 | 0.032 | $3.6 \cdot 10^{-4}$ | 1.2 | $1.5 \cdot 10^{-3}$ |
| <u>800</u> | <u>500</u> | 7.6 | 0.22 | $2.5 \cdot 10^{-3}$ | <u>10.9</u> | $1.2 \cdot 10^{-3}$ |



$$\rho_T^\pm \longrightarrow \pi_T^\pm Z^0 \longrightarrow bql^+l^-$$



Backgrounds

- * $b\bar{b}$
- * $Z + \text{jets}$ ($qq \rightarrow gZ, ZZ$
 $qg \rightarrow WZ$)
- * WZ

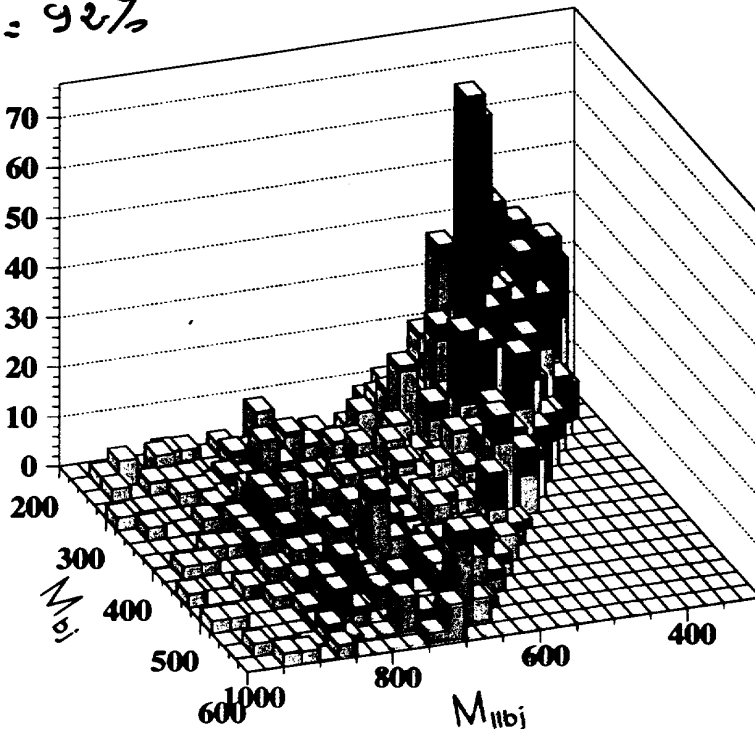
Cuts

2 leptons, $P_T(l_1) > 60 \text{ GeV}$, $P_T(l_2) > 20 \text{ GeV}$
 1 b-jet $|m_b| < 2$ and $P_T^b > 75 \text{ GeV}$
 1 non b-jet $|m_j| < 2$ and $P_T^j > 75 \text{ GeV}$ } $|\cos \hat{\theta}_{bj}| < 0.6$

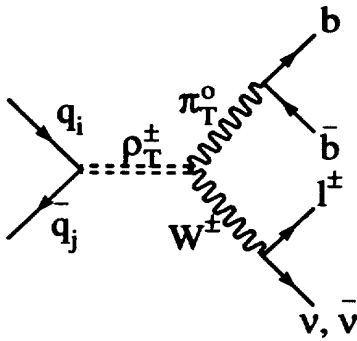
| M_{PT} | M_{π_T} | $BR(\rho_T^\pm \rightarrow Z^0 \pi_T^\pm)$ | $\sigma \times BR$ (pb) | S/\sqrt{B} | $\sigma \times BR$ (pb) for 5σ |
|------------|-------------|--|-------------------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|
| <u>500</u> | <u>300</u> | 39.8 | 0.104 | <u>11.5</u> | 0.045 |
| <u>800</u> | <u>500</u> | 38.2 | 0.018 | <u>6.1</u> | 0.015 |
| 800 | 250 | 13.0 | 0.006 | 1.67 | 0.018 |

$$BR(\pi_T^\pm \rightarrow b\bar{c}, \bar{b}c) = 92\%$$

- P_T
- $b\bar{c}$



$$\rho_T^\pm \longrightarrow W^\pm \pi_T^0 \longrightarrow l\nu b\bar{b}$$



Backgrounds

$t\bar{t}$

$Z + \text{jets}$

WZ

$W + \text{jets}$ ($q\bar{q} \rightarrow W, gW, WW, qg \rightarrow qW$)

Cuts

1 lepton $P_T^l > 30 \text{ GeV}$

2 b-jets $P_T^{b_1} > 100 \text{ GeV}$ and $P_T^{b_2} > 50 \text{ GeV}$

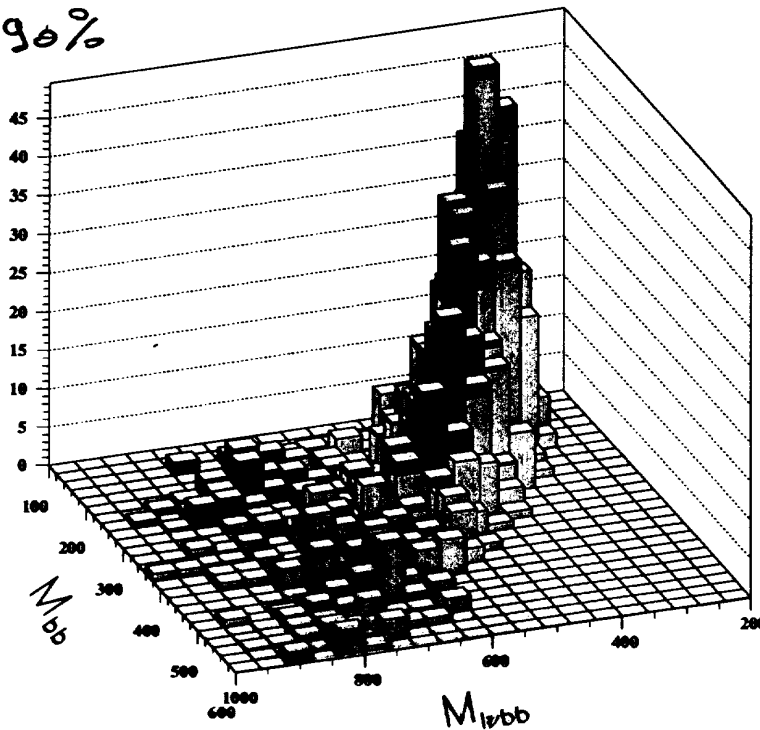
Central jet veto, No extra jet with $P_T > 40 \text{ GeV}, |\eta_j| < 2$

$|\cos \hat{\theta}_{l\nu b\bar{b}}| < 0.6$

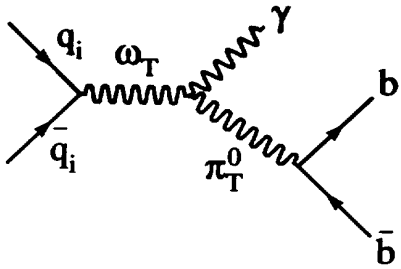
| M_p | M_{π_T} | $BR(\rho_T \rightarrow W \pi_T^0)$ | $\sigma \times BR (\text{pb})$ | S/\sqrt{B} | $\sigma \times BR (\text{pb})$ for 5σ |
|------------|-------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|---|
| <u>500</u> | <u>300</u> | 36.3 | 0.336 | <u>6.6</u> | 0.255 |
| 800 | 500 | 38.2 | 0.064 | 2.1 | 0.15 |
| <u>800</u> | <u>250</u> | 13.2 | 0.021 | <u>5.3</u> | 0.02 |

$$BR(\pi^0 \rightarrow b\bar{b}) = 90\%$$

- $t\bar{t}$
- ρ_T



$$\omega_T \longrightarrow \gamma \pi_T^0 \longrightarrow \gamma b \bar{b}$$



Backgrounds

$$q\bar{q} \rightarrow g\gamma$$

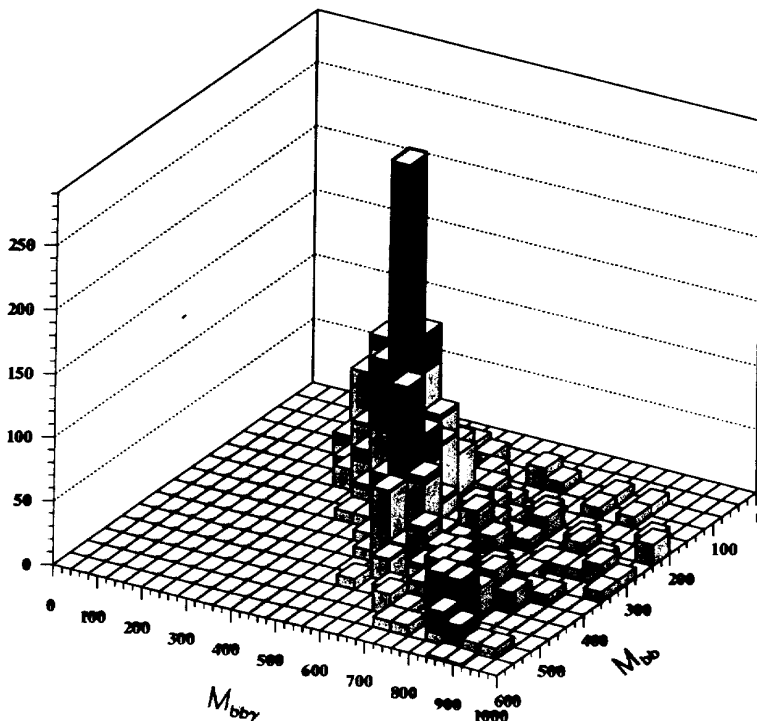
$$q\bar{q} \rightarrow q\gamma + \text{QCD}$$

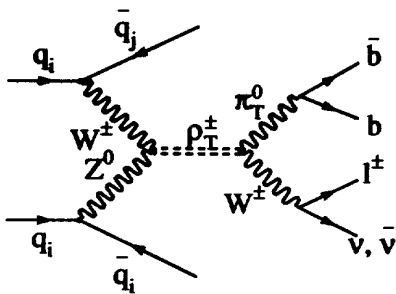
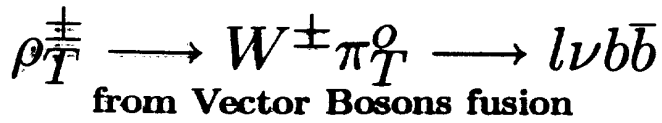
$$g\bar{g} \rightarrow g\gamma$$

Cuts

1 γ : $P_T^\gamma > 50 \text{ GeV}$ and $|\eta_\gamma| < 2$
 2 b jets $P_T > 40 \text{ GeV}$, $|\eta_b| < 2$
 $|\Delta\phi_{b_1, b_2}| > 2 \text{ radians}$

| M_{ω_T} | $\sigma (\text{pb})$ | $\sigma \times \text{BR} (\text{pb})$ | S/\sqrt{B} | $\sigma \times \text{BR}$ for $5\sigma (\text{pb})$ |
|----------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|---|
| 500 | 0.51 | 0.161 | 60 | 0.013 |
| 800 | 0.093 | 0.033 | 35 | 0.0046 |





$$m_{\rho_T} = 800 \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_{\pi_T} = 500 \text{ GeV}$$

PYTHIA + WZ π_T and

ρ_T $W\pi_T$ vertices

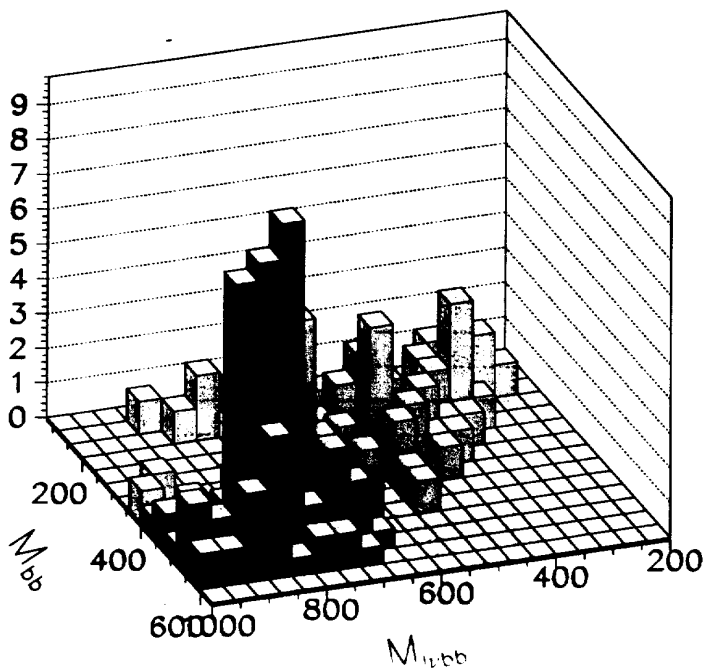
$$\sigma_{\rho_T} = f(\sin \chi)$$

Same background as $q\bar{q}$ fusion

| | ρ_T | $t\bar{t}$ | W +jets | WZ | Z +jets |
|--|----------|------------|-----------|------|-----------|
| Presel. and other cuts | 980 | 15000 | 635 | 20 | 85 |
| Central jet veto | 979 | 2078 | 175 | 10 | 36 |
| Double jet tagging | 81 | 42 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| $E(\text{Form jet}) > 500 \text{ GeV}$ | 77 | 16 | 1.5 | 0 | 0 |

$$q\bar{q} \text{ fusion } \sigma \times \text{BR}(5\sigma) = 150 \text{ fb}$$

$$WZ \text{ fusion } \sigma \times \text{BR}(5\sigma) = 71 \text{ fb}$$



Conclusion

- $V_L V_L$ scattering at TeV scale will provide clues about the nature of the Symmetry Breaking Sector
- ATLAS could be able to make good measurements of $V_L V_L$ scattering Amplitudes
- Even if there were a light Higgs boson and even if it were discovered, it would still be important to measure the VV scattering in the TeV region to probe the central prediction of the Higgs mechanism (No strong VV scattering!!)
- TC provides a dynamical means of breaking electroweak symmetry
- Many resonances predicted by multiscale TC
- They are generic resonances with many unknown parameters but ATLAS has the potential to detect them, in some cases very easily.