Beyond the Standard Model at HERA II

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- High luminosity and polarization . . .
- tests of the electroweak interactions
- future searches, mainly:
- supersymmetry
 - production processes and decays
 - signatures and generic searches
 - model scenarios: R_p MSSM, GMSB

HERA II upgrade

Luminosity

focussing magnets inside detector $\rightarrow \mathcal{L}$ increased by factor ~ 3.5 expect $\int dt \mathcal{L} \simeq 1000 \text{ pb}^{-1}$ till 2006

⇒ high precision for NC / CC DIS cross sections, structure functions, parton distributions

⇒ small cross sections of rare processes accessible

• Polarization

spin rotators and polarimetry, degree of polarization up to $P_L = 0.7$

- ⇒ test helicity structure of electroweak interactions
- \Rightarrow diagnostic tool for new physics
 - Detector upgrades vertex, tracking, luminosity system

Electroweak tests

Example: charged current DIS cross section quantify agreement of data with SM by W-mass (strategies for a determination of m_W)

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dQ^{2}}\Big|_{CC} = \frac{1}{\left(Q^{2} + m_{W}^{2}\right)^{2}} \Phi(x, Q^{2}) \qquad (1)$$

$$\uparrow \text{ pdf, normalization}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\left(Q^{2} + m_{W}^{2}\right)^{2}} \frac{\frac{G_{\mu}^{2}m_{W}^{4}}{2\pi} \Phi'(x, Q^{2}) \qquad (2)$$

$$\uparrow G_{\mu} \to G_{\mu}^{SM}$$
at tree-level
$$= \frac{1}{\left(Q^{2} + m_{W}^{2}\right)^{2}} \frac{\pi\alpha^{2}}{4\left(1 - m_{W}^{2}/m_{Z}^{2}\right)^{2}} \Phi''(x, Q^{2}) \qquad (3)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\left(Q^{2} + m_{W}^{2}\right)^{2}} \frac{\pi\alpha^{2}}{4s_{W}^{4}} \Phi'''(x, Q^{2}) \times \qquad (4)$$

 $\rho_{CC}^{\rm 1-loop}$ takes account of one-loop electroweak radiative corrections

SM predictions are function of a set of independent parameters, e.g. α , m_W , m_Z , m_{top} , m_{Higgs} , ...

m_W determination: propagator mass

2-parameter fit: G_{μ} and m_W



constrained fit, fixing G_{μ} :

 $m_W = 79.9 \pm 2.2_{\text{stat}} \pm 0.9_{\text{sys}} \pm 2.1_{\text{pdf}} \qquad (e^-p)$ $m_W = 80.9 \pm 3.3_{\text{stat}} \pm 1.7_{\text{sys}} \pm 3.7_{\text{pdf}} \qquad (e^+p)$



Beware: in case of a disagreement with other measurements \rightarrow need to convince that no large systematic effects are responsible

Electroweak tests

Example: utilizing polarized beams

Charged current:

 $\sigma \propto (1 - P_L)$

- \rightarrow easy straight-line fits,
- \rightarrow limits on right-handed currents (m_{W_R})

Neutral current:

$$\frac{d^2\sigma^{\pm}}{dxdQ^2} = \tilde{\sigma}_0^{\pm} + P_L\tilde{\sigma}_L^{\pm}$$

 σ_0^\pm and σ_L^\pm are functions of lepton and quark coupling constants g_V , g_A



with 250 pb⁻¹ / beam e_L^- , e_R^- , e_L^+ , e_R^+ (assume pdf's known to within < 5% unc.) 4-parameter fit to quark coupling constants \rightarrow



Rare SM processes

- W production \rightarrow anomalous $WW\gamma$ couplings $\Delta\kappa$, λ see Proc. Future Physics at HERA '96
- Z production
- Lepton pair production from various mechanisms see Proc. Future Physics HERA '96, DIS2002
- Radiative processes $ep \rightarrow \gamma + X$ in NC, CC
- ⇒ Background for non-SM physics

Search for new physics

see Proc. Physics at HERA '91 and Future Physics at HERA '96

- Contact interactions
- Extra Z', W
- Heavy Majorana neutrinos, W_R
- Excited fermions (leptons, neutrinos, quarks; substructure)
- Large extra dimensions
- Doubly charged Higgs
- Light gluinos
- Leptoquarks
- Lepton flavor violation
- Supersymmetry (various model scenarios)



with i, j, r, s denoting flavor and L, R and $\Gamma^A = \gamma_{\mu}$, $\gamma_{\mu}\gamma_5$



Future: leptoquarks



Improved limits from higher luminosity

Virey '98

if there is an effect \rightarrow polarization may help to distinguish different types of leptoquarks



Search for supersymmetry

production processes



- $eq \rightarrow e\tilde{q}\tilde{\chi}_i^0$ $eq \rightarrow e\tilde{q}'\tilde{\chi}_i^{\pm}$
- $\gamma g \to \tilde{t}\overline{\tilde{t}}$

with R_p violation also resonant production



Search for supersymmetry

decays \rightarrow signatures $\tilde{q} \rightarrow eq$ with R_p $\tilde{q}_L \rightarrow q \tilde{\chi}_i^0, q' \tilde{\chi}_i^{\pm}$ $\tilde{e}_L \rightarrow e \tilde{\chi}_i^0, \nu \tilde{\chi}_i^{\pm}$ $\tilde{q}_R \rightarrow q \tilde{\chi}_i^0$ $\tilde{e}_R \rightarrow e \tilde{\chi}_i^0$ heavier $\tilde{\chi}^{0,\pm}$ cascading to

$$\begin{aligned} &\tilde{\chi}_i^0 \to f\bar{f}\tilde{\chi}_{i-1}^0, \quad f\bar{f}'\tilde{\chi}_j^\pm \\ &\tilde{\chi}_i^\pm \to f\bar{f}'\tilde{\chi}_j^0 \end{aligned}$$

MSSM: lightest supersymmetric particle (LSP) $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ is stable

MSSM+ \mathbb{R}_p : LSP decays with R_p violation

 $\begin{array}{lll} \tilde{\chi}_{1}^{0} & \rightarrow & e^{-}u\bar{d}, \ e^{+}d\bar{u}, \ \nu d\bar{d} \\ \tilde{\chi}_{1}^{+} & \rightarrow & e^{+}d\bar{d}, \ \nu u\bar{d} \end{array} \quad \text{via } \lambda_{111}'$

 \Rightarrow signatures are combinations of

maybe also τ , γ , Z (= $\ell^+\ell^-$), W (= $\ell\nu$), b- and c-jets

Generic search ?

motivation: very time-consuming to perform dedicated searches for every specific model may overlook the unexpected new

problem: if a number of outstanding, seemingly atypical events is found: how to evaluate unbiased statistical significance?

example: SLEUTH, see D0: hep-ex/0006011

- choose kinematical variables (like $\not\!\!\!E_T$, p_T 's)
- define regions about data points (after variable transformation to obtain uniform background)
- calculate probabilities of background fluctuating up to (or above) the observed number of events
- find interesting regions
- interpretation: badly modeled background or new physics

requires precise SM predictions including higherorder corrections

Deriving limits

measurements provide limits on $\sigma \cdot B$

interpretation within specific models

e.g. MSSM: $\sigma B(\tilde{m}) \longrightarrow$ mass limits e.g. MSSM + R_p : $\sigma B(\tilde{m}, \lambda') \longrightarrow$ exclusion plots mass vs. coupling (depending on additional parameters) e.g. mSUGRA with REVVSB, independent parameters: $m_0, m_{1/2}, \operatorname{sign}\mu, \tan\beta, (\lambda'_{ijk})$ $\sigma B(m_0, m_{1/2}, \tan\beta, \lambda') \longrightarrow$ exclusion plots e.g. $m_0 \operatorname{VS.} m_{1/2}$ (with $\tan\beta$ and λ' as parameters)

other models ?

MSSM: mass limits



compare recent limits from LEP2 ALEPH, hep-ex/0112011:



Supersymmetry with R_p violation

Motivation: consider fermion mass generation in the MSSM

Yukawa superpotential

$$W_{\mathbf{Y}} = \lambda_{ij}^E H L_i E_j^c + \lambda_{ij}^D H Q_i D_j^c + \lambda_{ij}^U \bar{H} Q_i U_j^c + \mu H \bar{H}$$

with superfields $L \to \begin{pmatrix} \nu_L \\ e_L \end{pmatrix}$, $H \to \begin{pmatrix} H^0 \\ H^- \end{pmatrix}$ + superpartners

L and H have same weak isospin and hypercharge \rightarrow additional term suggested

$$W_{\mathcal{R}_p} = \lambda_{ijk} L_i L_j E_k^c + \lambda'_{ijk} L_i Q_j D_k^c + \lambda''_{ijk} D_i^c D_j^c U_k + \mu' H L$$

$$\uparrow \qquad \uparrow \qquad \uparrow$$

$$lepton number$$

$$violation$$

$$\lambda'' = 0 avoids p decay$$

Analogy $W_Y \leftrightarrow W_{\mathbb{R}_p}$ may even suggest relation between coupling constants ?

$$\lambda'_{ijk} = \lambda'_i \ \lambda^D_{jk}$$
 with $\lambda'_i = O(1)$ (5)

flavor alignment

Consequences of R_p violation

⇒ neutrino masses radiatively generated



mass matrix $(m_{\nu})_{ij} = m_{\nu}^D \lambda'_i \lambda'_j$ with m_{ν}^D from loop factor, $\propto 1/m_{\tilde{q}}^2$ framework for ν -mixing and ν -masses

⇒ allows resonant squark production at HERA

$$\begin{array}{ll} e_{L}^{-}\bar{d}^{k} \to \bar{\tilde{u}}_{L}^{j}, & e_{R}^{+}d^{k} \to \tilde{u}_{L}^{j} \\ e_{L}^{-}u^{j} \to \tilde{d}_{R}^{k}, & e_{R}^{+}\bar{u}^{j} \to \bar{\tilde{d}}_{R}^{k} \end{array} \quad \text{via } \lambda'_{1jk} \end{array}$$

framework for leptoquarks with masses at the electroweak scale

⇒ generates lepton-flavor violation



may also exploit relation to λ_{ij}^D : CKM quark mixing

R_p violation: the *LLE*-term

Kon et al., hep-ph/0203262

consider *LLE*-term with $\lambda_{231} \neq 0$ contains $e - \mu - \tilde{\nu}_{\tau}$ coupling bound from τ decay: $\lambda_{231} < 0.07$ for $m_{\tilde{e}_R} = 100$ GeV

 \Rightarrow sneutrino production at HERA



final state: $\mu^+\mu^-e^-$

cross section: O(10) fb, $BR \simeq 1$ for large M_2 , μ SM-background mainly 2γ and γ, Z production



- super-Higgs mechanism active in secluded sector (broken local supersymmetry \rightarrow Goldstino-gravitino order parameter (vev) of SB: F
- coupled to messenger sector with N generations of fields with Susy mass $\propto M_m$
- gauge interactions transfer Susy breaking to observable sector

model parameters:

- $\Lambda = F/M_m$
- N
- M_m
- $tan \beta$, $sign \mu$
- C_G: Goldstino coupling



$$\Gamma(\tilde{X} \to X\tilde{G}) = \frac{\kappa m_{\tilde{X}}^5}{16\pi (C_G F)^2} \left(1 - \frac{m_X^2}{m_{\tilde{X}}^2}\right)^4$$

(κ : model-dependent mixing parameter)

mass of Goldstino: $m_{\tilde{G}} = F/\sqrt{3}M_{\text{Planck}}$ very small

⇒ LSP is Goldstino-gravitino NLSP is relevant for accelerator physics examples ("model lines") see e.g. hep-ex/0008070

• neutralino NLSP:
$$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 = \tilde{\gamma}/\tilde{Z}$$
 or \tilde{h}
 $\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \to (\gamma, Z, h) + \tilde{G}$

slepton NLSP (maybe stau):

 $\tilde{\ell} \to \ell + \tilde{G}$

squark NLSP:

 $\tilde{q} \to q + \tilde{G}$

for stop with $m_{\tilde{t}} < m_t$: $\tilde{t} \to bW + \tilde{G}$

• gluino NLSP:

$$\tilde{g} \rightarrow g + \tilde{G}$$

phenomenology and signatures classified by decay length: 5 - 4 - 4

$$c\tau \simeq \left(\frac{100\,\mu\text{m}}{\kappa}\right) \left(\frac{100\,\text{GeV}}{m_{\tilde{X}}}\right)^5 \left(\frac{\sqrt{F}}{100\,\text{TeV}}\right)^4 \left(1 - \frac{m_X^2}{m_{\tilde{X}}^2}\right)$$

• prompt decay: $c\tau$ small various signatures with $\not\!\!\!E_T$, γ , ℓ^{\pm} , jets spectrum usually harder than in conventional scenarios since \tilde{G} is essentially massless

- macroscopic decay length: $\mu m < c\tau <$ few m decay inside detector signatures with displaced vertices, tracks with kinks
- decay outside detector: $c\tau \gg m$ if NSLP is neutralino: conventional $\not\!\!E_T$ signature
 - otherwise: heavy stable charged particles

GMSB new signatures

- photons
- displaced vertices, tracks with kinks
- heavy stable charged particles

GMSB limits

searches at LEP2 and Tevatron

for example:

 $e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\ell}^+\tilde{\ell}^-$ with slepton NLSP

prompt decays to final states with 2, 4 or 6 leptons and $\not\!\!E_T$; displaced vertex; stable sleptons (independent of $\tau(\tilde{G})$)

$m_{ ilde{e}}$	>	66 GeV
$m_{ ilde{\mu}}$	>	95.2 GeV
$m_{ ilde{ au}}^{'}$	>	86.1 GeV
	AD	LO prel. (De Filippis, DIS2002)

not (yet) studied for HERA

can HERA be competitive?

Summary

- Tests of the electroweak interactions at large Q^2 : W mass and neutral current quark couplings
- Improved limits from higher luminosity
- Polarization as a diagnostic tool for new physics
- Searches for supersymmetry
- Generic searches ?
- R_p violation: LQD and LLE terms
- New signatures from GMSB ?

Maybe there is more physics Beyond the Standard Model at HERA II ?