



WHIZARD: SM/BSM physics for LHC and ILC



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The WHIZARD Event Generator – Release 2.0.2

- ▶ Acronym: **W**, **H**iggs, **Z**, **A**nd **R**espective **D**ecays (deprecated)
- ▶ Fast Multi-Channel Monte-Carlo integration
- ▶ Very efficient phase space and event generation
- ▶ Optimized matrix elements — Very high level of Complexity:
 - $e^+e^- \rightarrow t\bar{t}H \rightarrow b\bar{b}b\bar{b}jj\ell\nu$ (110,000 diagrams)
 - $e^+e^- \rightarrow ZHH \rightarrow ZWWWW \rightarrow bb + 8j$ (12,000,000 diagrams)
 - $pp \rightarrow \ell\ell + nj, n = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, \dots$ (2,100,000 diagrams with 4 jets + flavors)
 - $pp \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0\tilde{\chi}_1^0 bbbb$ (32,000 diagrams, 22 color flows, $\sim 10,000$ PS channels)
 - $pp \rightarrow VVjj \rightarrow jj\ell\ell\nu\nu$ incl. anomalous TGC/QGC
 - Test case $gg \rightarrow 9g$ (224,000,000 diagrams)

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Old series: WHIZARD 1.95 (development stopped with 1.94)

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<http://whizard.event-generator.org>

Standard Reference for all versions: [Kilian/Ohl/JRR, 0708.4233](#)

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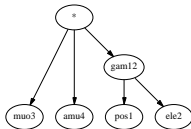
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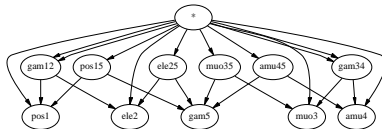
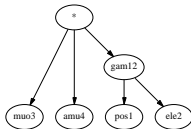
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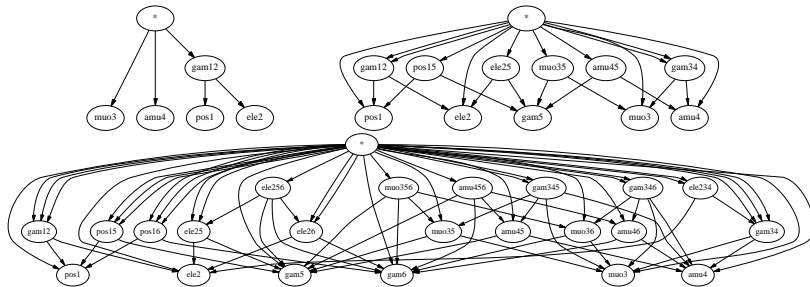
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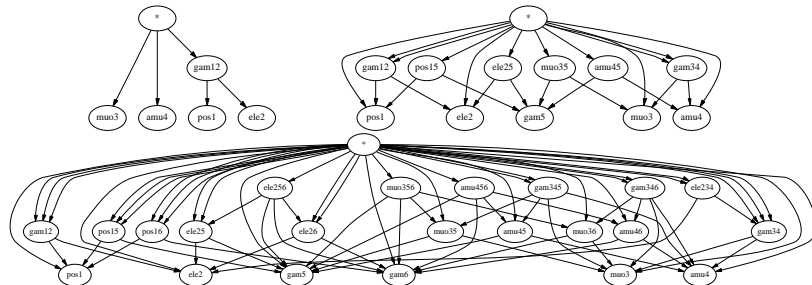
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- ▶ **NEW: Colorized DAGs:** color flow decomposition inside DAG structure, much faster code generation (being prepared for flavor sums as well)

What's new? – Technical Features

- WHIZARD 2 basically rewritten: 60,000 lines of new code!!!
- Streamlining of code: only languages `O' Caml` for `O'Mega` and `Fortran 2003` (all system calls from Fortran)
- **Standardization** by usage of `autotools`: `automake/autoconf/libtool`
⇒ easier control of distributions, regressions etc.
- Version control (`svn`) at HepForge: use of ticket system and bug tracker
- Very clean modularization by using object orientation
- WHIZARD as a shared library:
 - ▶ No core re-compilation when changing processes!!
 - ▶ Dynamical inclusion of new processes
 - ▶ Old static option still available
- Splitting amplitudes speeds up over-eager compilers
- WHIZARD works as a Shell – WHISH
- **Large test-suite for compatibility, sanity and regression checks**
- Automatic cruise control system via HUDSON
- **WHIZARD part of QA of gfortran, Intel, Portland, NAG compilers!!!**

WHIZARD 2 – Installation

- ▶ Download WHIZARD from <http://www.hepforge.org/downloads/whizard/whizard-2.0.2.tar.gz> and unpack it
- ▶ WHIZARD intended to be centrally installed on a system, e.g. in `/usr/local`
- ▶ Create build directory, configure
 - External programs (LHAPDF, StdHEP, HepMC) might need flags to be set
- ▶ `make, make install`
- ▶ Each user can work in his/her own home directory
- ▶ Extensive test-suite: `make check` (optional during installation) Numerics tests, vertex and wave function checks, Ward identities, compatibility of amplitudes, event generation, input scripts, PDFs, color correlation, cross sections etc. etc.

```
O'Mega self tests:
make check-TESTS
PASS: test_omega95
PASS: test_omega95_bispinors
PASS: test_qed_eemm
PASS: ects
PASS: ward
PASS: compare_split_function
PASS: compare_split_module
=====
All 7 tests passed
=====
WHIZARD self tests:
make check-am
make check-TESTS
PASS: empty.run
PASS: vars.run
PASS: md5.run
XFAIL: errors.run
PASS: extpar.run
PASS: susyhit.run
PASS: libs.run
PASS: qedtest.run
PASS: helicity.run
PASS: smtest.run
PASS: defaultcuts.run
PASS: restrictions.run
PASS: decays.run
PASS: alphas.run
PASS: colors.run
PASS: cuts.run
PASS: lhapdf.run
PASS: ilc.run
PASS: mssmtest.run
PASS: models.run
PASS: stdhep.run
PASS: stdhep_up.run
=====
All 23 tests behaved as expected (1 e
=====
```

What's new? – Physics/performance features

- **Phase space improvement**: performance gain through symmetrized PS forest construction
- New modular structure: event-dependent scales in PDFs and running α_s
- One single input file steers process generation, integration, event generation, analysis [inclusions possible]
- **SINDARIN** (**S**cripting **I**ntegration, **D**ata **A**nalysis, **R**esults display and **I**nterfaces) allows for arbitrary expressions for cuts and scales etc. (examples later)
- Process libraries: processes of different BSM models can be used in parallel
- **Decay cascades including full spin correlations** (cf. later)
- Inclusive decays
- Much improved flavor sums initial + final state (e.g. jet = quark:gluon)
- **FeynRules interface** (pimp up your own model)
- **MLM jet matching** (additional package linked to `PYTHIA`)
- Improved MD5 checksums allow reusing every single bit in a safe way
- Improved graphical analysis package

WHIZARD – Overview over BSM Models

MODEL TYPE	with CKM matrix	trivial CKM
QED with e, μ, τ, γ	–	QED
QCD with d, u, s, c, b, t, g	–	QCD
Standard Model	SM_CKM	SM
SM with anomalous gauge couplings	SM_ac_CKM	SM_ac
SM with anomalous top couplings	SMtop_CKM	SMtop
SM with K matrix	—	SM_KM
MSSM	MSSM_CKM	MSSM
MSSM with gravitinos	—	MSSM_Grav
NMSSM	NMSSM_CKM	NMSSM
extended SUSY models	—	PSSSM
Littlest Higgs	—	Littlest
Littlest Higgs with ungauged $U(1)$	—	Littlest_Eta
Littlest Higgs with T parity	—	Littlest_Tpar
Simplest Little Higgs (anomaly-free)	—	Simplest
Simplest Little Higgs (universal)	—	Simplest_univ
3-site model	—	Threshl
UED	—	UED
SUSY Xdim. (inoff.)	—	SED
Noncommutative SM (inoff.)	—	NCSM
SM with Z'	—	Zprime
SM with gravitino and photino	—	GravTest
Augmentable SM template	—	Template

easy to implement new models (via FeynRules)

Gravitinos in WHIZARD

JRR, PhD

```
*** Checking polarization vectorspinors: ***
p.ueps ( 2)= 0: passed at 86%
p.ueps ( 1)= 0: passed at 86%
.....
*** Checking the irreducibility condition: ***
g.ueps ( 2): passed at 95%
.....
g.ueps (-2): passed at 95%
g.veps ( 2): passed at 95%
.....
g.veps (-2): passed at 95%
*** Testing vectorspinor normalization ***
ueps( 2).ueps( 2)= -2m: passed at 100%
ueps( 1).ueps( 1)= -2m: passed at 100%
.....
*** Majorana properties of gravitino vertices: ***
f_sgr + gr_sf = 0: passed at 84%
slr_grf + slr_fgr = 0: passed at 88%
.....
v2lr_fgr + v2lr_grf = 0: passed at 77% [expected 0.000E+00, got 0.633E-12]
*** Testing the gravitino propagator: ***
Transversality:
p.pr.test: passed at 66% [expected 0.000E+00, got 0.437E-10]
p.pr.ueps ( 2): passed at 86%
.....
p.pr.ueps (-2): passed at 86%
p.pr.veps ( 2): passed at 79% [expected 0.000E+00, got 0.342E-12]
.....
p.pr.veps (-2): passed at 79% [expected 0.000E+00, got 0.342E-12]
Irreducibility:
g.pr.test: passed at 78% [expected 0.000E+00, got 0.471E-12]
g.pr.ueps ( 2): passed at 92%
.....
g.pr.veps (-2): passed at 87%
```

Example: LHC SUSY cascade decays, Input File

```

model = MSSM

process dec_su_q = su1 => u, neu2
process dec_neu_sl2 = neu2 => SE12, e1

process susybg = u,U => SU1, su1
process full = u, U => SU1, u, e1, SE12

compile

?slha_read_decays = true
read_slha("spslap_decays.slha")

integrate (dec_su_q, dec_neu_sl2) { iterations = 1:1000 }

sqrts = 14000
beams = p, p => lhpdf

integrate (susybg) { iterations = 5:10000, 2:10000 }
integrate (full)

n_events = 10000

$title = "Full process"
$description =
  "$p + p \to u + \bar{u} + \bar{u} + \tilde{u}_1 + u + \tilde{e}_{(12)}^+ + e^- $"
$xmlabel = "$M_{\rm inv}(ue^-) $"
histogram inv_mass1_full (0,600,20)

simulate (full) {
  $sample = "casc_dec_full"
  analysis =
    record inv_mass1_full (eval M / 1 GeV [combine[u,e1]])
}

write_analysis
$analysis_filename = "casc_dec"
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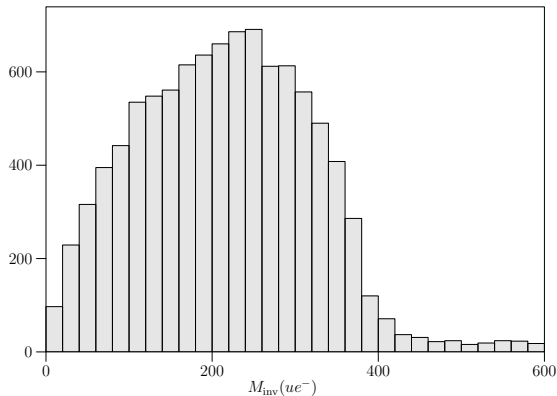
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Example: LHC SUSY cascade decays

$$p + p \rightarrow \tilde{u} + \tilde{u}^* \rightarrow \tilde{u}_1^* + u + \tilde{e}_{12}^+ + e^-$$

► Full process:

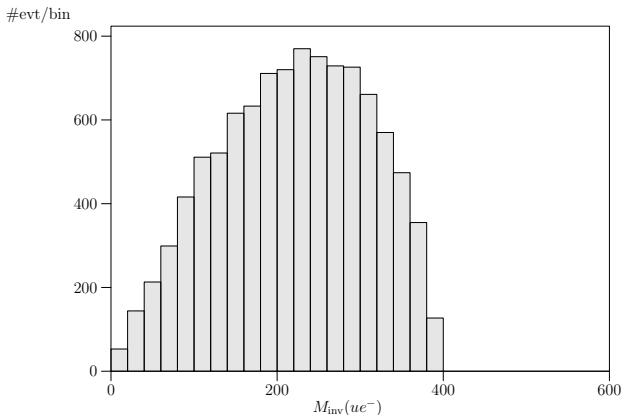
#evt/bin



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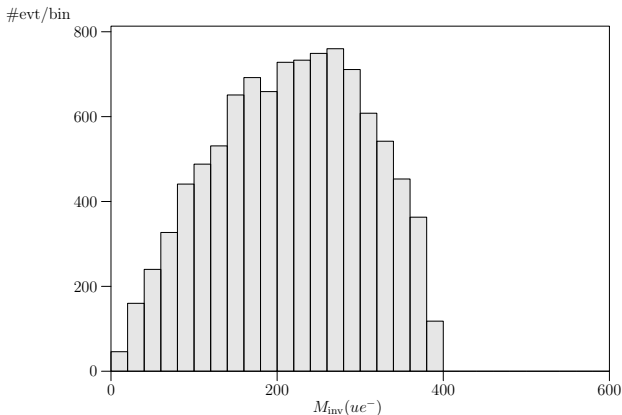
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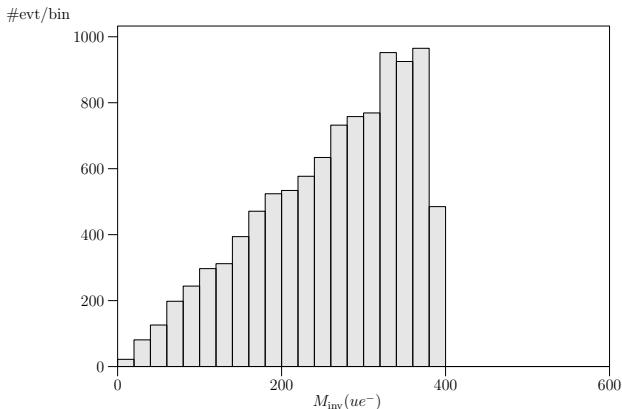
- **Factorized process w/ classical spin correlations:**



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$$p + p \rightarrow \tilde{u} + \tilde{u}^* \rightarrow \tilde{u}_1^* + u + \tilde{e}_{12}^+ + e^-$$

- **Factorized process w/ no spin correlations:**



ILC features

- ▶ ISR (soft-collinear all orders, hard-collinear 3rd order)
- ▶ p_T distributions from ISR radiation (2.0.3)
- ▶ Beamstrahlung of lepton beams (CIRCE1, also updated designs; 2.0.3)
- ▶ Photon collider spectra (CIRCE2, also updated designs; 2.0.3)
- ▶ WHIZARD LEPTON COLLIDER NEWS:
 - ▶ SiD Letter of Intent
 - ▶ 2nd big “SLAC data sample”
 - ▶ Muon collider initiative
 - ▶ Physics cases/theory studies mostly in the past

WHIZARD 2.1 – Outlook

- ▶ Lots of internal technical improvement and tuning
- ▶ Arbitrary Lorentz structures (beware of color!)
- ▶ Generalized color structures
- ▶ Automatic integration of decays
- ▶ \Rightarrow Calculation of Dark Matter annihilation
- ▶ Much improved (analytical) helicity selection rules
- ▶ Parton shower (complete ISR/FSR; by S. Schmidt)
- ▶ \Rightarrow MLM/CKKW(-L) mixing inside WHIZARD
- ▶ Underlying event (by H.-W. Boschmann)
- ▶ NLO interface (BLHA); automatic generation of dipole subtraction

Summary / Outlook

- ▶ WHIZARD 2 released

Ready for the LHC era



- ▶ Huge improve-/enhancement of versatile, successful tool
- ▶ Focus on BSM physics, but not only: lots of QCD, NLO, etc.
- ▶ Steered via the HepFORGE page:
<http://projects.hepforge.org/whizard>
- ▶ Focus on LHC recently, but:
- ▶ Old and new ILC workhorse: ISR, beamstrahlung, etc.