

Application of the jet charge in electroweak and Higgs physics

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Jet charge definition



Transverse-momentum-weighting scheme:

$$Q_J = \frac{1}{(p_T^j)^{\kappa}} \sum_{i \in jet} Q_i (p_T^i)^{\kappa}, \ \kappa > 0$$



K: To regulate the sensitivity of the soft gluon radiation

R.D. Field and R.P. Feynman, NPB136,1(1978)

Jet charge definition

Jet charge is not an Infrared-safe quantity

The collinear radiation









W.J.Waalewijn, PRD86(2012)094030 $Q_q
eq (1-z)^k Q_q$

The jet charge can be defined only at the hadron level

It depends on the knowledge of the Fragmentation functions

Jet charge definition

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D. Krohn, M. D. Schwartz, T. Lin, W.J. Waalewijn, PRL 110(2013)21,212001

Parton shower and hadronization can not wash out the primordial quark charge information

jet charge @ LEP

ALEPH Collaboration, PLB 259,377 (1991)

 $T = \max_{\vec{n}} \left(\frac{\sum_{i} |p_i \cdot \vec{n}|}{\sum_{i} |p_i|} \right)$

Jet charge asymmetry & forward-backward asymmetry (a)

$$\sigma_{FB}^{f} = \frac{\sigma_{F}^{f} - \sigma_{B}^{f}}{\sigma_{F}^{f} + \sigma_{B}^{f}}$$

Average charges

$$\langle Q_F^f \rangle = q^f A_{FB}^f, \quad \langle Q_B^f \rangle = -q^f A_{FB}^f$$

$$\langle Q^f_{FB}\rangle = 2q^f A^f_{FB}$$

The electroweak properties of the Z boson

$$\sin^2 \theta_W(M_Z^2) = 0.23 \pm 0.0034 (\text{stat}) \pm 0.001 (\text{sys}) \pm 0.0038 (\text{the})$$



Jet charge @ LHC

$$\langle Q_k^q \rangle = \frac{1}{\sigma_{q-jet}} \int d\sigma_{q-jet} Q_\kappa(\sigma_{q-jet})$$

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Perfect agreement between theory and data

Probing the Zbb coupling with jet charge

Electroweak Precision measurement

		Measurement with	Systematic	Standard Model	Pull	Phys Rept A27 (2006) 257-A5A
Ļ	(5)	Total Error	Error	High-Q ² Fit		1 hys.Rept. 427 (2000) 257-454
	$\Delta \alpha_{ m had}^{(5)}(m_{ m Z}^2)$ [59]	0.02758 ± 0.00035	0.00034	0.02767 ± 0.00035	0.3	
	$m_{\rm Z} \; [\text{GeV}]$	91.1875 ± 0.0021	(a)0.0017	91.1874 ± 0.0021	0.1	
	$\Gamma_{\rm Z}$ [GeV]	2.4952 ± 0.0023	(a)0.0012	2.4965 ± 0.0015	0.6	LEP: 1989-2000
	$\sigma_{\rm had}^0$ [nb]	41.540 ± 0.037	(a)0.028	41.481 ± 0.014	1.6	
	R_{ℓ}^0	20.767 ± 0.025	(a)0.007	20.739 ± 0.018	1.1	
	$A_{ m FB}^{0,\ell}$	0.0171 ± 0.0010	(a)0.0003	0.01642 ± 0.00024	0.8	
-	+ correlation matrix Table 2.13					
Γ	$\mathcal{A}_{\ell}(P_{\tau})$	0.1465 ± 0.0033	0.0015	0.1480 ± 0.0011	0.5	IP 5
Г	\mathcal{A}_{ℓ} (SLD)	0.1513 ± 0.0021	0.0011	0.1480 ± 0.0011	1.6	
Γ	$R_{ m b}^0$	0.21629 ± 0.00066	0.00050	0.21562 ± 0.00013	1.0	ALEPH OPAL SWITZERLAND
	$R_{ m c}^0$	0.1721 ± 0.0030	0.0019	0.1723 ± 0.0001	0.1	
	$A_{ m FB}^{ m 0,b}$	0.0992 ± 0.0016	0.0007	0.1037 ± 0.0008	2.8	I III
T	$A_{ m FB}^{ m 0,c}$	0.0707 ± 0.0035	0.0017	0.0742 ± 0.0006	1.0	IP 3
	\mathcal{A}_{b}	0.923 ± 0.020	0.013	0.9346 ± 0.0001	0.6	
	\mathcal{A}_{c}	0.670 ± 0.027	0.015	0.6683 ± 0.0005	0.1	13 DELPHI
-	+ correlation matrix Table 5.11					IP 2 SPS IP 8 PR
	$\sin^2 heta_{ ext{eff}}^{ ext{lept}} \left(Q_{ ext{FB}}^{ ext{had}} ight)$	0.2324 ± 0.0012	0.0010	0.23140 ± 0.00014	0.8	FRANCE GENEVA AIRPORT
	$m_{\rm t} \; [{\rm GeV}] \; ({\rm Run-I} \; [212])$	178.0 ± 4.3	3.3	178.5 ± 3.9	0.1	CERN MEYRIN
Γ	m_W [GeV]	80.425 ± 0.034		80.389 ± 0.019	1.1	
	Γ_W [GeV]	2.133 ± 0.069		2.093 ± 0.002	0.6	
-	 correlation given in Section 8.3.2 					8

Status of Zbb couplings





Excluded by off-Z pole data

 $\mathcal{L} = \bar{b}\gamma_{\mu}(\kappa_V g_V - \kappa_A g_A \gamma_5) bZ_{\mu}$

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Large deviation of the Zbb coupling
The degeneracy of the Zbb coupling

Zbb couplings@ colliders

A. Lepton colliders:

S. Gori, Jiayin Gu, Lian-Tao Wang, JHEP 04(2016) 062 Bin Yan and Shu-Run Yuan, work in progress

B. LHC Zh production and Z boson rare decay:

Bin Yan, C.-P. Yuan, PRL127(2021)5,051801

Hongxin Dong, Peng Sun, Bin Yan and C.-P. Yuan, PLB829(2022)137076

C. HERA and EIC with polarized lepton beam:

Bin Yan, Zhite Yu and C.-P. Yuan, PLB822(2021)136697 Hai Tao Li, Bin Yan and C.-P. Yuan, PLB833(2022)137300 Zhuoni Qian and Bin Yan, work in progress







Zbb couplings@EIC

Bin Yan, Zhite Yu and C.-P. Yuan, PLB822(2021)136697



Single-Spin Asymmetry (SSA):

$$A_e^b = \frac{\sigma_{b,+}^{\text{tot}} - \sigma_{b,-}^{\text{tot}}}{\sigma_{b,+}^{\text{tot}} + \sigma_{b,-}^{\text{tot}}}$$

+/-: right/left-handed lepton

- 1. <u>Photon-only</u> diagrams will cancel in SSA
- 2. Leading contribution: γ -Z interference
- 3. Only sensitive to the vector component of the Zbb coupling

DIS cross section



Zbb couplings @EIC



Single-Spin Asymmetry:

 $A_e^b = \frac{\sigma_{b,+}^{\text{tot}} - \sigma_{b,-}^{\text{tot}}}{\sigma_{b,+}^{\text{tot}} + \sigma_{b,-}^{\text{tot}}}$

vector component of the Zbb coupling

Is it possible to probe the axial-vector component at the EIC?

Average jet charge weighted Single-Spin Asymmetry (WSSA):

$$A_e^{bQ} = \frac{\sigma_{b,+}^Q - \sigma_{b,-}^Q}{\sigma_{b,+}^Q + \sigma_{b,-}^Q} \qquad \qquad \sigma_{b,\pm}^Q = \int dp_T^j \frac{d\sigma_{b,\pm}^{\text{tot}}}{dp_T^j} \langle Q_J \rangle_b(p_T^j)$$

$$\langle Q_J \rangle_b(p_T^j) = \sum_{q=u,d,c,s,b} \left[f_J^q(p_T^j, \epsilon_q^b) - f_J^{\bar{q}}(p_T^j, \epsilon_q^b) \right] \langle Q_J^q \rangle_b(p_T^j)$$





Zbb couplings @EIC



Probing the Higgs properties with jet charge

Discriminating VBF and gluon fusion Higgs production



1. The rapidity gap and the invariant mass of the two jets

V.D. Bargeer, K.m.Cheung. T. Han, J. Ohnemus and D. Zeppenfeld, 1991 N. Kauer, T. Plehn, D. L. Rainwater and D. Zeppenfeld, 2001

2. Soft gluon radiation effects

V. Rentala, N. Vignaroli, H.N. Li, Zhao LI and C.-P. Yuan, 2013 P. Sun, C.-P. Yuan and F. Yuan, 2016, 2018

Discriminating W-boson fusion, Z-boson fusion and gluon fusion Higgs production





Separating the W boson's contribution from the VBF Higgs production is an important task for determining the Higgs gauge coupling

The key observable: Jet Charge

- W: opposite sign for the two jet charges
- Z: same or opposite sign for the two jet charges
- G: the sign of the jet charge is arbitrary



Jet charge asymmetry



$$h \to 4\ell/2\ell 2v_\ell$$



$$\overline{A}_{Q}^{\text{tot}} = \frac{f_{W} \langle Q^{-} \rangle_{W} + f_{Z} \langle Q^{-} \rangle_{Z} + f_{G} \langle Q^{+} \rangle_{G}}{f_{W} \langle Q^{+} \rangle_{W} + f_{Z} \langle Q^{-} \rangle_{Z} + f_{G} \langle Q^{+} \rangle_{G}}$$
$$R_{h} = \frac{\mu(gg \to h \to WW^{*})}{\mu(gg \to h \to ZZ^{*})} = \frac{\kappa_{W}^{2}}{\kappa_{Z}^{2}}$$
$$\kappa_{V} = \frac{g_{hVV}}{g_{hVV}^{SM}}$$

The limits from Rh and jet charge asymmetry are not depending on the assumption of the Higgs width

Summary

A. The jet charge is a useful observable for both the QCD and new physics searches;

B. We proposed to use jet charge weighted single-spin asymmetry to probe the Zbb anomalous couplings;

C. We demonstrated that the jet charge can be used to discriminate Higgs production mechanisms and probe the Higgs couplings.

Jet charge asymmetry



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