

# Measurement of the Effective Weak-mixing Angle $\sin^2 \theta_{eff}^l$ in $p\bar{p} \rightarrow Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow l^+l^-$

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➤ Weak-mixing Angle  $\sin^2 \theta_W$

➤ One of the SM fundamental parameters

- Spontaneous symmetry breaking to produce  $Z$  and  $\gamma$
- Relationships between other electron-weak parameters

$$\sin^2 \theta_W = \left( \frac{e}{g} \right)^2 = 1 - \frac{M_W^2}{M_Z^2}$$

➤ Precise test of SM

➤ Effective Weak-mixing angle  $\sin^2 \theta_{eff}^l$

➤ Absorb high order effect

$$\sin^2 \theta_{eff}^l = \text{Re}[k_e(s, t, \sin^2 \theta_W)] \sin^2 \theta_W$$

➤ Effective Weak-mixing angle measurements

➤ The worst one among all electroweak fundamental parameters

Parameters	Relative uncertainty from experiment
Fine structure constant $\alpha$	$\sim 10^{-8}$
Fermi-constant $G_F$	$\sim 10^{-5}$
Z boson mass $M_Z$	$\sim 10^{-5}$
Weak-mixing angle $\sin^2 \theta_W$	Best single measurement: $\sim 10^{-3}$
	LEP/SLD combine: $6 * 10^{-4}$

➤ Over  $3\sigma$  difference between LEP and SLD

$$\sin^2 \theta_{eff}^l = 0.23098 \pm 0.00026(SLD)$$

$$\sin^2 \theta_{eff}^l = 0.23221 \pm 0.00029(LEP)$$

➤ Other independent measurement needed

➤ Overview

➤ 2017,  $8.6fb^{-1}$  RunIIb  
Muon Channel  
Precision:0.00064  
Best muon channel to date

➤ 2011,  $1.1fb^{-1}$  RunIIa  
+ $3.9fb^{-1}$  RunIIb  
Electron Channel  
Precision:0.0010

➤ D0 combination  
Precision:0.00040  
Best single experiment to date  
Best light-quark measurement



➤ 2008,  $1.1fb^{-1}$  RunIIa  
Electron Channel  
Precision:0.0019  
First hadron measurement

➤ 2015,  $1.1fb^{-1}$  RunIIa  
+ $8.6fb^{-1}$  RunIIb  
Electron Channel  
Precision:0.00047  
Best single channel to date  
First time close to LEP/SLD

➤ All D0 RunII weak-mixing angle measurements

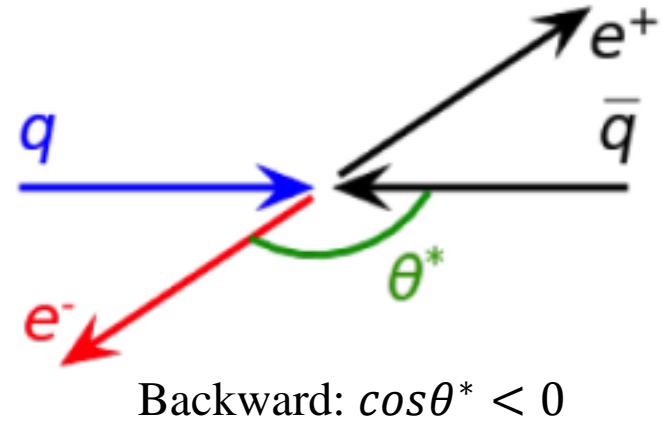
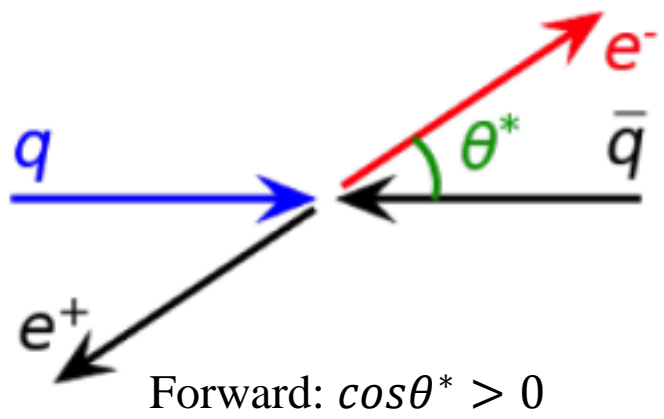
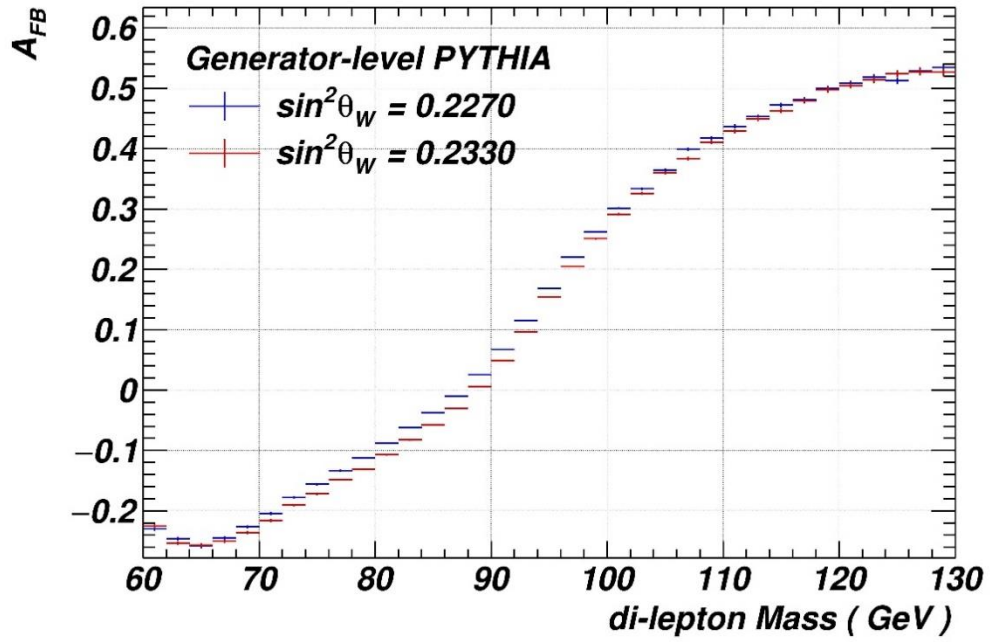
➤ Strategy

➤ Measured from raw  $A_{FB}(M_{ll})$

$$A_{FB} = \frac{N_F - N_B}{N_F + N_B}$$

$$M_{ll}^2 = 2E_1E_2(1 - \cos\theta_{12})$$

- Statistical dominated
- PDF uncertainty
- Systematic uncertainty:  
Lepton energy calibration



➤  $1.1fb^{-1}$  electron channel measurement (2008)

➤ First hadron measurement

- Tevatron RunIIa, 35K events
- Measured by observing  $A_{FB}(M_{ll})$
- PDF:CTEQ6L
- Simple higher-order correction(ZGRAD2)

$$\begin{aligned}\sin^2 \theta_{eff}^l &= 0.2326 \pm 0.0019 \\ &= 0.2326 \pm 0.0018(stat.) \pm 0.0003(syst.) \pm 0.0005(PDF)\end{aligned}$$

	$1.1fb^{-1}$ results	Theoretical expectation for $10fb^{-1}$ *
$\sigma_{stat}$	0.0018	0.0005
$\sigma_{syst}$	0.0003	0.00007
$\sigma_{PDF}$	0.0005	0.00007
$\sigma_{Total}$	0.0019	~0.0005

\*arXiv:hep-ex/0011009

➤  $5fb^{-1}$  electron channel measurement (2011)

➤ Mid-term estimation

- Tevatron RunIIa+part of RunIIb, 160K events
- Measured by observing  $A_{FB}(M_{ll})$
- PDF:CTEQ6L

$$\begin{aligned}\sin^2 \theta_{eff}^l &= 0.2309 \pm 0.0010 \\ &= 0.2309 \pm 0.0008(stat.) \pm 0.00029(syst.) \pm 0.00048(PDF)\end{aligned}$$

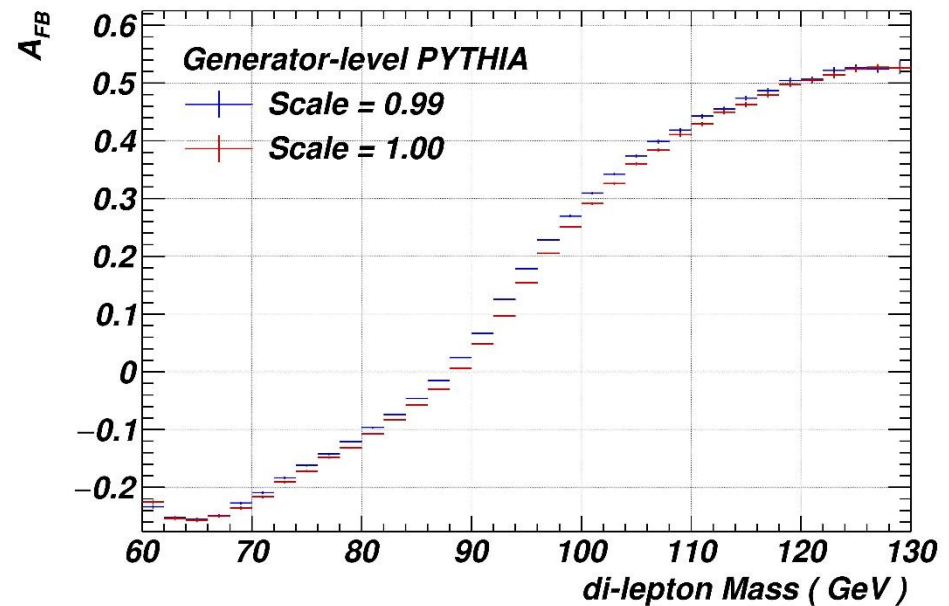
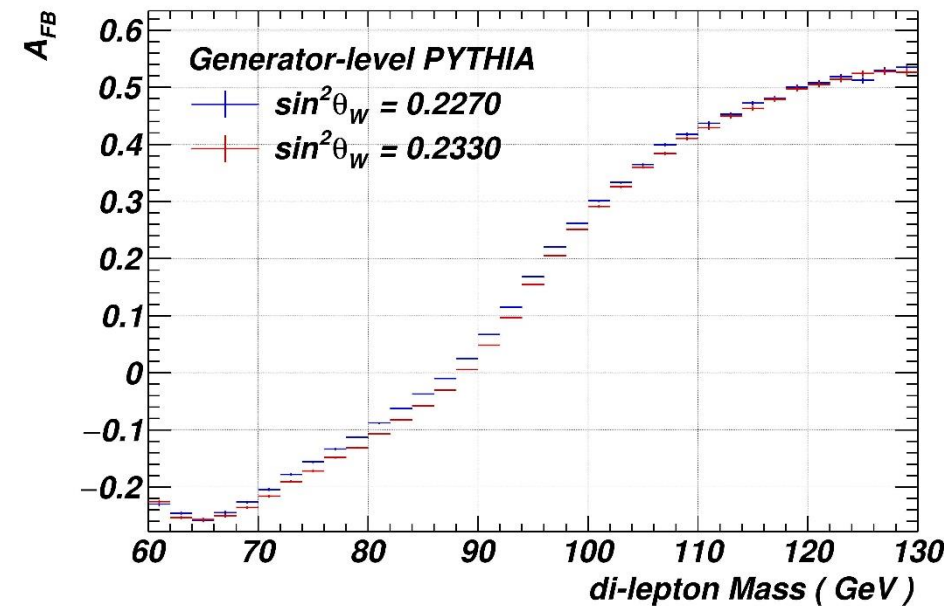
	$5fb^{-1}$ results	Theoretical expectation for $10fb^{-1}$	Expectation for $10fb^{-1}$ using $5fb^{-1}$ results
$\sigma_{stat}$	0.0008	0.0005	$> 0.0006$
$\sigma_{syst}$	<b>0.00029</b>	<b>0.00007</b>	<b>0.0003</b>
$\sigma_{PDF}$	0.00048	0.00007	$\sim 0.00048$
$\sigma_{Total}$	0.0010	$\sim 0.0005$	$\sim 0.00085$

## ➤ Systematic uncertainty

### ➤ Lepton calibration

- Affects  $A_{FB}(M_{ll})$  same with  $\sin^2 \theta_W$  does
- Very sensitive

$$\frac{\delta M}{M} / \sigma_{\sin^2 \theta_W} \sim 0.01\% / 0.00003$$





➤  $9.7fb^{-1}$  electron channel measurement (2015)

- First high precision measurement
- Best electron channel measurement to date

- Tevatron RunII, ~560K events
- Measured by observing  $A_{FB}(M_{ll})$
- PDF: NNPDF2.3/3.0

- Improved by novel electron calibration method\*

$$\begin{aligned}\sin^2 \theta_{eff}^l &= 0.23137 \pm 0.00047 \\ &= 0.23137 \pm 0.00043(stat.) \pm 0.00009(syst.) \pm 0.00017(PDF)\end{aligned}$$

	$9.7fb^{-1}$ results	Theoretical expectation for $10fb^{-1}$	Expectation for $10fb^{-1}$ using $5fb^{-1}$ results
$\sigma_{stat}$	0.00043	0.0005	> 0.0006
$\sigma_{syst}$	0.00009	0.00007	0.0003
$\sigma_{PDF}$	0.00017	0.00007	~0.0002
$\sigma_{Total}$	0.00047	~0.0005	~0.00085

➤  $8.6fb^{-1}$  muon channel measurement (2017)

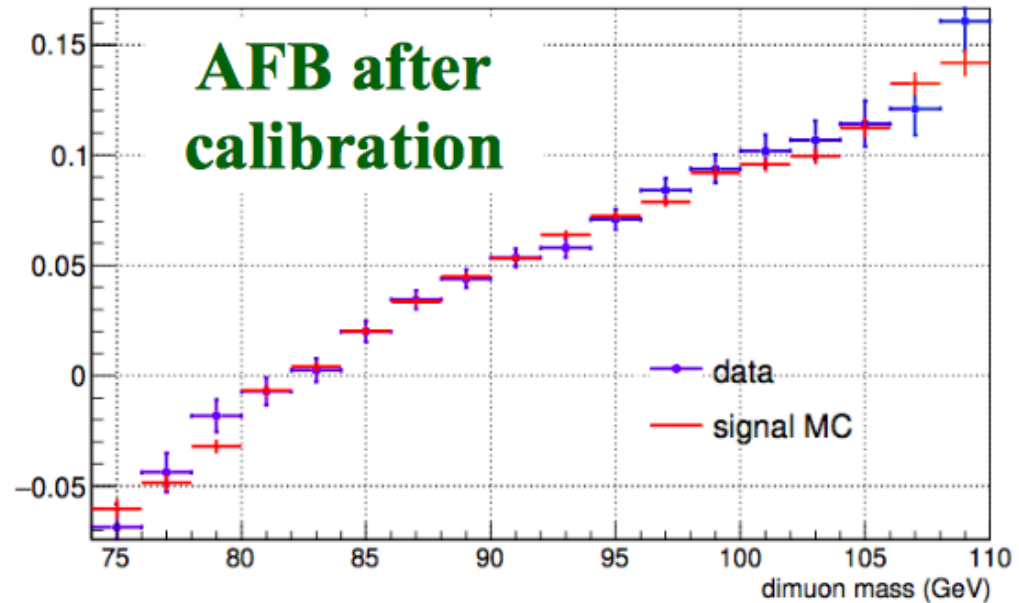
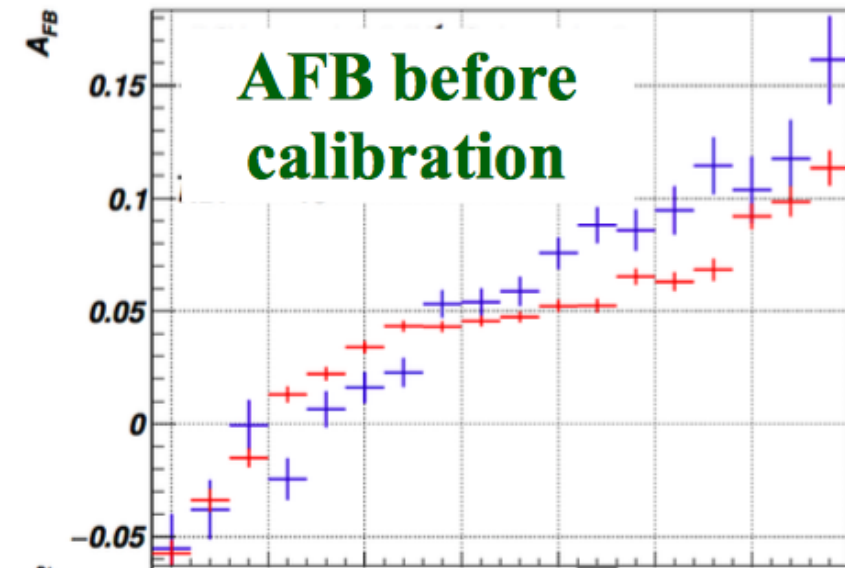
➤ Best muon channel measurement to date

- Tevatron RunIIb, ~480K events
- Measured by observing  $A_{FB}(M_{ll})$
- PDF: NNPDF3.0

$$\begin{aligned}\sin^2 \theta_{eff}^l &= 0.23016 \pm 0.00064 \\ &= 0.23016 \pm 0.00059(stat.) \pm 0.00006(syst.) \pm 0.00024(PDF)\end{aligned}$$

➤ Originally not in the plan

- Charge-dependent muon momentum scale



➤ DZero combination (2017)

$$\begin{aligned}\sin^2 \theta_{eff}^l &= 0.23095 \pm 0.00040 \\ &= 0.23095 \pm 0.00035(stat.) \pm 0.00007(syst.) \pm 0.00019(PDF)\end{aligned}$$

➤ Higher order correction

➤ Straight forward high order corrections

- ZFITTER-based form factor calculation
- ResBos vs. PYTHIA comparison

	$\Delta \sin^2 \theta_{eff}^l$
Different effective coupling for u and d quarks	+0.00008
Mass-scale dependence and complex calculation	+0.00014
Total	+0.00022

$$\Delta \sin^2 \theta_W = +0.00022 \pm 0.00004(\text{Dominated by } m_t)$$

## ➤ Summary

$$\begin{aligned}\sin^2 \theta_{eff}^l &= 0.23095 \pm 0.00040 \\ &= 0.23095 \pm 0.00035(stat.) \pm 0.00007(syst.) \pm 0.00019(PDF)\end{aligned}$$

- Best single experiment to date
- Best light-quark measurement
  
- High precision calibration
  - Both statistical uncertainty and systematic uncertainty
  
- Higher order correction
  - Straight forward higher order corrections
  - Uncertainty dominated by  $m_t$