Neutral-Current Electroweak Physics with SoLID, a possible positron beam, and a possible energy upgrade of JLab



The Landscape of Electroweak Physics Study



Figure updated from Erler, Ferro-Hernandez, JHEP03(2018) 196; LHeC projection (60GeV x 7 TeV, ~1000fb⁻¹) from EPJC 80 (2020) 9, 831 arxiv.org/2007.11799; (points with uncertainties comparable to or smaller than Qweak are shown, full range shown as arrows)

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The Landscape of Electroweak Physics Study (next decade)



ECCE Detector Proposal and Analysis Notes

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SLC

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Neutral-Current Effective Couplings in (Low Energy) Electron Scattering



- A new set of notation $g_{AV,VA,AA}^{eq}$ introduced in 2013 <u>Erler&Su, Prog. Part. Nucl. Phys. 71</u>, 119 (2013)
- Example: In PVES, we can measure C_{1.2}

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all are 68% C.L. limit

https://arxiv.org/abs/2103.12555

SMEFT with PVES

R. Boughezal, F. Petriello and D. Wiegand, Phys.Rev.D 104 (2021) 1, 016005; 2104.03979 [hep-ph]



Caveat: LHC is sensitive to a combination of Wilson coefficients, to put it on this graph, one has to set the other coefficients to zero.

While SoLID and P2 determinations are without ambiguity.

To do:

Find a way to visualize Wilson coefficients that emphasize SoLID

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$$A_{RL}^{e^{\pm}} = \frac{\sigma_{R}^{e^{\pm}} - \sigma_{L}^{e^{\pm}}}{\sigma_{R}^{e^{\pm}} + \sigma_{L}^{e^{\pm}}} \qquad A_{d} = |\lambda| (108 \ ppm) Q^{2} [(2 \ C_{1u} - C_{1d}) + Y(y) (2 \ C_{2u} - C_{2d}) R_{V}(x)]$$

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e⁺e⁻ for Structure Function Study

Approximately:

$$A_{\text{unpol}}^{e^{+}e^{-}} = \frac{G_{F}Q^{2}}{2\sqrt{2}\pi\alpha} \frac{g_{A}^{e}}{2} Y(y) \frac{F_{3}^{\gamma Z}}{F_{1}^{\gamma}}$$

In the parton model:

$$F_1^{\gamma}(x, Q^2) = 1/2 \sum Q_q^2[q + \bar{q}]$$

$$F_3^{\gamma Z}(x, Q^2) = 2 \sum g_A^q[q - \overline{q}]$$



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What can we do with 80 days of 3uA beam on a 40cm LD2 target? (in absence of all challenges):



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Experimental challenges:

- Ebeam, luminosity, charged pion and pair production background, magnet and detector stability

Theoretical challenges:

- higher-order QED corrections



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PR12-21-006 Lepton Charge Asymmetry

- 104 PAC days
- positron beam 3uA unpolarized
- beam control (1E-4 beam energy, ? beam position, "fast switch")

 $\Delta (2C_{3u} - C_{3d})_{\text{total}} = \pm 0.053(\text{exp}) \pm 0.009(1\% \text{ QED})$ $+ 0.000 - 0.035(\text{HT, CJ15}) \approx \pm 0.060$



PAC49 report:

Issues: The PAC is pleased to see such an interesting and far-reaching proposal. At the same time, the requirements on the accelerator and theory are both daunting.

> Summary: This proposal will require a tour-de-force effort, and the PAC encourages the group to proceed with development. To allow the community better usage of the results, the proposal should include estimates of asymmetry and cross section uncertainties. At this time, our concerns about the details of having the proper beam and the optimal theory extraction of the electron-quark couplings leads us to defer the proposal in its present form.

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 - We now have the tool for calculation, can do FOM study [target position/ scattering angle/ (x,Q2,y)]:
 - develop the physics case (TPE in DIS?); multi-stage approach?
 - calculation of A^{e+e-} LO and NLO over a wide range of (x,Q²), optimize kinematics separately for:
 - TPE study (test NLO calculations, need NLO>>LO)
 - electroweak study (need NLO<<LO), measure C_{3α};
 - possibly study NLO at 11 GeV and C_{3q} at 22 GeV?
 - Proposal focusing on testing TPE DIS calculation possible (2024?), and <u>e+@22</u> GeV in the (far) future.

Summary of Challenges and Why They Exist?

- With a positron beam, the best physics impact comes from comparison between e+ and escattering, rather than measuring the same observable (e.g. Apv) as electrons
- If positron vs. electron comparison is our goal, then all systematic effect related to the beam need to be controlled to high precision
- Frequent ("weekly") and fast switch between e+ and e- beams is required to control differences in beam and run conditions → impact on positron beam design. We need the systematic uncertainty small enough to match statistical uncertainties (from the high luminosity)
- Measurements where signal is tiny (EW physics) will be extremely difficult

– We have not even looked into particle background effects on the detector, trigger, and DAQ system.

There is no well established calculation nor experimental test of TPE (QED NLO) in DIS.
 All previous (SLAC) data indicated zero but with poor precision;

 HERA data provided only slight constraint on QED NLO in DIS – "without the QED NLO term, the fit quality isn't very good";

– We could consider a "phased" approach: study DIS TPE with 11 GeV and see if it's realistic to study EW physics with 22 GeV (?)

Past Experiment – BCDMS

1983 CERN, using polarized μ + vs. μ - beams:





a measurement for the electron is highly desired

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Past Experiments – SLAC, HERMES, OLYMPUS (elastic), HERA

• D.L. Fancher et al, Phys.Rev.Lett.37, 1323 (1976)

13.5-GeV beams at **Stanford Linear Accelerator Center**, compared electron and positron inelastic scattering in $1.2 < Q^2 < 3.3$ (GeV/c)², 2 < v < 9.5 GeV. Found "e+/e- cross section ratio = 1.0027 ± 0.0035 (including stat and syst effects), with no significant dependence on Q² or v. This result has appreciably smaller errors to fine TPE effects in electron or muon scattering."

Note: Ae+e- ~ 1E-4, Coulomb ~ 1E-5 to 1E-4, QED NLO ~1E-4 for these kinematic settings.

• A. Airapetian et al., JHEP 05 (2011) 126 – HERMES inclusive paper; G. Schnell p.v.:

Overall normalization of DIS xsection was at 8% level.

• B.S. Henderson et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 118 (2017) 092501 OLYMPUS

"The relative luminosity between the two beam species was monitored using tracking telescopes of interleaved gas electron multiplier and multiwire proportional chamber detectors at 12°, as well as symmetric Moller or Bhabha calorimeters at 1.29°. The uncertainty in the relative luminosity between beam species of 0.36% was achieved."

Note: 0.36% luminosity control is not going to help us

• V. Andreev et al. (H1 Collaboration), Eur. Phys. J. C 78 (2018) 9, 777

luminosity $\sim 2\%$ with partial cancellations, measured e- and e+ DIS cross sections.

Note: At HERA energy, QED NLO is relatively small

SLAC 1976 Proton Inelastic Measurement



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Q^2 $(\text{GeV}/c)^2$	Y ₊	Y_	Y_+/Y
1.3-1.8	227054 ± 784	$227\ 010\pm729$	1.0002 ± 0.0047
1.8-2.3	287029 ± 804	285228 ± 780	1.0063 ± 0.0039
2.3-2.8	167359 ± 579	$167~997\pm583$	0.9962 ± 0.0049
2.8-3.3	$20\ 148\pm210$	19766 ± 214	1.0191 ± 0.0150
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E	Q ²	E	ν	Х
13.5	1.5	5.7	7.8	0.10
13.5	2.05	7.8	5.7	0.19
13.5	2.55	9.7	3.8	0.36
13.5	3.05	11.6	1.9	0.86

(Calculations done by M. Nycz, preliminary, consistent with data)

x_min	x_max	Q ² _min	Q ² _max	sig(e-)_LO	sig(e+)_LO	sig(e-)_NLO	sig(e+)_NLO	A_LO	A_NLO
0.08	0.14	1.3	1.8	7.679204	7.677651	7.948650	7.9462437	-0.000101	-0.0001514
0.14	0.26	1.8	2.3	5.269455	5.268194	5.205612	5.2043891	-0.000120	-0.0001174
0.26	0.52	2.3	2.8	2.853423	2.852809	2.526783	2.5263637	-0.000108	-0.0000830



The general case

(done)

Anselmino et al. [arXiv:hep-ph/9401264]

based on

For PVDIS:

$$A_{RL}^{e^-} = \frac{|\lambda| \eta_{yZ}}{2y F_1^{\gamma} + \left(\frac{2}{xy} - \frac{2}{x} - \frac{2M^2 xy}{Q^2}\right) F_2^{\gamma Z} + g_V^e (2-y) F_3^{\gamma Z}}{2y F_1^{\gamma} + \left(\frac{2}{xy} - \frac{2}{x} - \frac{2M^2 xy}{Q^2}\right) F_2^{\gamma} - \eta_{yZ}} \left[g_V^e 2y F_1^{\gamma Z} + g_V^e \left(\frac{2}{xy} - \frac{2}{x} - \frac{2M^2 xy}{Q^2}\right) F_2^{\gamma Z} + g_A^e (2-y) F_3^{\gamma Z}}\right]$$
For $A^{e^+ e^-}$:
$$A_{RL}^{e^+ e^-} = \frac{\eta_{yZ} \left[|\lambda| g_V^e + g_A^e\right](2-y) F_3^{\gamma Z}}{2y F_1^{\gamma} + \left(\frac{2}{xy} - \frac{2}{x} - \frac{2M^2 xy}{Q^2}\right) F_2^{\gamma} - \eta_{yZ} \left(g_V^e + g_A^e\right) \left[2y F_1^{\gamma Z} + \left(\frac{2}{xy} - \frac{2}{x} - \frac{2M^2 xy}{Q^2}\right) F_2^{\gamma Z}}\right]}{\eta_{yZ} g_A^e \left[-|\lambda| 2y F_1^{\gamma Z} - |\lambda| \left(\frac{2}{xy} - \frac{2}{x} - \frac{2M^2 xy}{Q^2}\right) F_2^{\gamma Z} + (2-y) F_3^{\gamma Z}}\right]} \eta_{yZ} = \frac{g_F Q^2}{2\sqrt{2} \pi \alpha} \frac{M_Z^2}{M_Z^2 + Q^2}$$

Complete formula (also including *Z* terms):

- for numerator, replace $F_{1,2}^{\gamma Z} \rightarrow F_{1,2}^{\gamma Z} - 2 \eta_{\gamma Z} g_V^e F_{1,2}^Z$ and $g_V^e F_3^{\gamma Z} \rightarrow g_V^e F_3^{\gamma Z} - \eta_{\gamma Z} (g_V^e g_V^e + g_A^e g_A^e) F_3^Z$

- for denominator, replace $g_V^e F_{1,2}^{\gamma Z} \rightarrow g_V^e F_{1,2}^{\gamma Z} - \eta_{\gamma Z} (g_V^e g_V^e + g_A^e g_A^e) F_{1,2}^Z$

and $g_A^e F_3^{\gamma Z} \rightarrow g_A^e F_3^{\gamma Z} - 2 \eta_{\gamma Z} (g_V^e g_A^e) F_3^Z$

$$F_{2}^{Z} = \frac{1}{2} \sum \left(g_{V}^{q}g_{V}^{q} + g_{A}^{q}g_{A}^{q}\right)\left[q + \bar{q}\right]$$
$$F_{3}^{Z} = 2 \sum g_{V}^{q}g_{A}^{q}\left[q + \bar{q}\right]$$