Two-Photon Physics at



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1. Photon-Photon scattering

- Exclusive hadronic final states
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2. Electron-Photon DIS

- Lepton pairs and $F_{2,{
 m QED}}^{\gamma}$
- ullet The structure function $F_2^\gamma(x,Q^2)$

Analysis topics in Two-Photon events at LEP

	λλ sc	cattering		e	 scattering
	untagg	ed events		singly	tagged events
	exclusive	lepton	$\gamma\gamma ightarrow$ hadrons	lepton	$\gamma^\star \gamma o {\sf hadrons}$
	hadronic f.s.	pairs		pairs	
4	$\mathrm{D}^*(2010)^{\pm}$		hadron flow		
			hadron flow		F_2^γ
					hadron flow
_	$ m K^0_S m K^0_S$ $, \eta^\prime(958)$	еμт	$\sigma(W_{\gamma \gamma})$	e, μ	
	$a_2(1320), f_2(1720)?$			$F_{2,{ m QED}}^\gamma$	
	$\eta_{ m c}(1{ m S}),\chi_{ m c2}(1{ m P})$				
0			$rac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}\eta^{\mathrm{jet}}} rac{\mathrm{d}\sigma}{\mathrm{d}\mathrm{E}_{\mathrm{T}}^{\mathrm{jet}}}$	eμτ	F_2^γ
				$F_{2,{ m QED}}^\gamma$	hadron flow
	preliminary		published	pres	ented

Photon-photon scattering



Exchange of two quasi-real photons (γ)

$$egin{aligned} m{Q}_i^2 &=& 2m{E}_im{E}_i'(1-\cos{ heta}_i) pprox m{0} \ m{W}^2 &=& m{s}_{\gamma\gamma} = \left(\sum_hm{E}_h
ight)^2 - \left(\sum_hm{p}_h
ight)^2 \end{aligned}$$

At $\sqrt{s_{e\,e}} = 130 \ {
m GeV}$, for $W^2 > 4 \ {
m GeV}^2$ and $Q_i^2 < 1 \ {
m GeV}^2$: $\sigma({
m e}^+ {
m e}^-
ightarrow {
m e}^+ {
m e}^- + hadrons) pprox 14 \ nb pprox 40 \cdot \sigma({
m e}^+ {
m e}^-
ightarrow (\gamma, {
m Z}^0)
ightarrow hadrons)$

$\mathrm{D}^*(2010)^\pm$ production at LEP1











Electron-Photon Scattering



$$egin{array}{lll} rac{d^2\sigma_{e\gamma
ightarrow eX}}{dxdQ^2} &= rac{2\pilpha^2}{x\,Q^4}\cdot \ igg[ig(1+(1-y)^2)\,F_2^\gamma(x,Q^2) - \underbrace{y^2F_{
m L}^\gamma(x,Q^2)}_{
ightarrow 0} igg] \ Q^2 &= 2\,E_{
m b}\,E_{
m tag}\,(1-\cos heta_{
m tag}) \gg P^2 \ x &= rac{Q^2}{Q^2+W^2+P^2} \ y &= 1-rac{E_{
m tag}}{E_{
m b}}\,\cos^2(rac{ heta_{
m tag}}{2})\,\ll 1 \end{array}$$

The production of lepton pairs



















The W – $W_{ m vis}$ correlation



The inclusion of the Forward Region significantly improves the correlation







Results on F_2^γ ('pointlike')



$\mathrm{d}F_2^\gamma/\mathrm{d}\ln Q^2$ for $\mathrm{n_f}$ = 4 = (udsc)



Conclusions

Two-Photon physics is a very active field at LEP with good prospects for LEP2

- Photon-Photon scattering
 - 1. A number of resonances have been measured.
 - 2. The flow of hadronic energy has been compared to Monte Carlo models.
 - 3. NLO calculations of jet production agree nicely with the data.
- Electron-Photon DIS
 - 1. There is in good agreement with QED predictions and the measured $F_{2,\rm QED}^{\gamma}$ structure function and the ratio $F_{\rm B}^{\gamma} / F_2^{\gamma}$.
 - 2. The F_2^{γ} structure function was measured for 7.5 $\langle Q^2 \rangle <$ 135 GeV². The systematic errors have a large contribution from the imperfect description of the hadronic final state by the QCD inspired Monte Carlo models.

Outlook

What can we expect from LEP on Two-Photon physics in the future

- Photon-Photon scattering
 - 1. More resonances (see list).
 - 2. Jet production for the direct component alone.
 - 3. Determination of the gluon content of the photon in jet production.

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Electron-Photon DIS

1. P^2 dependence of $F_{2,{
m QED}}^\gamma$.

- 2. Azimuthal correlations in hadronic final states.
- 3. F_2^γ for 20 $<\!Q^2<$ 1000 ${
 m GeV^2}.$
- 4. Double tag events.
- 5. . . .

The LEP2 programme has just started

http://wwwcn1.cern.ch/~nisius/talks/MUNC200397/index.html