

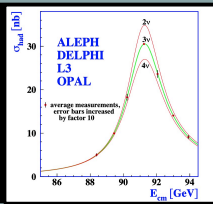
# Invisible decays of Z boson: recent improvements and future

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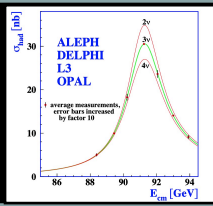


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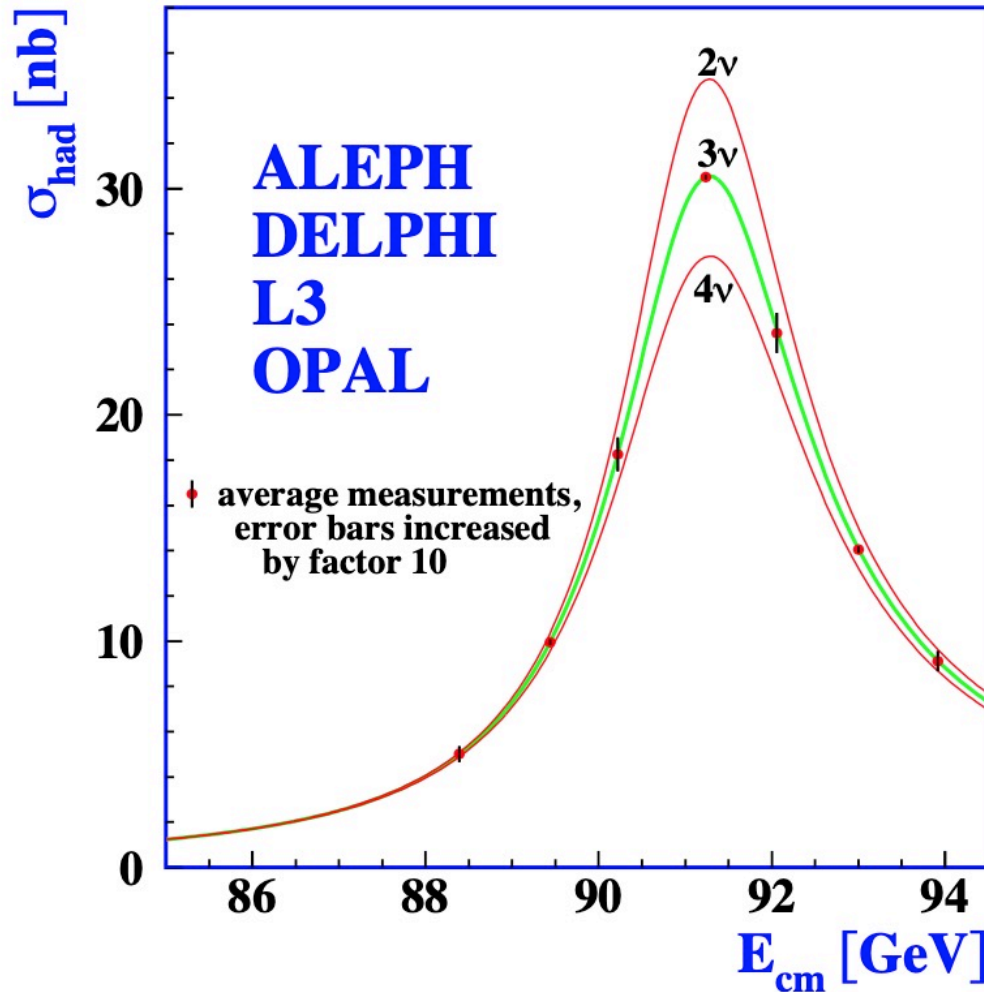


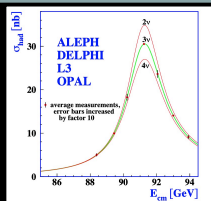
1. Neutrino counting at LEP (ADLO 2005)
2. Improvement 2020 by P. Janot and S.J.
3. Prospects at FCC-ee

# Invisible Z width from Z peak cross section at LEP



Very simple basic idea:





# Effective no. of neutrinos $N_\nu$ parametrises invisible Z decay width $\Gamma_{\nu\nu}$



Combination of measurements of four LEP experiments(2005):

$$N_\nu = 2.9840 \pm 0.0082$$

$\sim 2\sigma$  deviation from the SM value  $N_\nu = 3$

$N_\nu$  was determined using formula exploiting best measured observables:

$$N_\nu \left( \frac{\Gamma_{\nu\nu}}{\Gamma_{\ell\ell}} \right)_{\text{SM}} = \left( \frac{12\pi}{m_Z^2} \frac{R_\ell^0}{\sigma_{\text{had}}^0} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} - R_\ell^0 - 3 - \delta_\tau$$

$\sigma_{\text{had}}^0$  = hadronic cross section at the Z peak upon removing QED effects:  
almost 100% detector acceptance, **luminosity error dominates**.

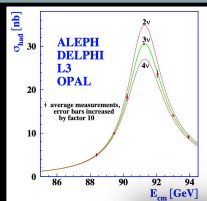
$R_\ell^0$  = ratio of hadronic to leptonic branchings:  
just ratio of event rates easy to measure, QED corrected.

$(\Gamma_{\nu\nu}/\Gamma_{\ell\ell})_{\text{SM}} = 1.99125 \pm 0.00083$  Standard Model prediction

$\delta_\tau \simeq -2.263 \times 10^{-3} \pm 0$ , well known correction due to finite  $\tau$  lepton mass

Lumi error  $\delta\mathcal{L}/\mathcal{L} \simeq 6.1 \cdot 10^{-4}$  propagates into dominant  $\delta N_\nu \simeq 7.5 (\delta\mathcal{L}/\mathcal{L}) \simeq 0.0046$ .

# Quick derivation (P. Janot)



□ **Hadronic peak cross section  $\sigma_{had}^0$  is most sensitive to  $N_\nu$**

◆ Number is about 3, but not quite

$$N_\nu = 2.9840 \pm 0.0082$$

●  $2\sigma$  deficit : Dark matter, RH $\nu$ , ... ?

□ **Practically**

$$\Gamma_Z = \underbrace{\Gamma_{ee} + \Gamma_{\mu\mu} + \Gamma_{\tau\tau}}_{\sim 3 + \delta\tau} + \Gamma_{had} + N_\nu \Gamma_{\nu\nu}$$

◆ Divide by  $\Gamma_{\ell\ell}$

$$\sim 3 + \delta\tau$$

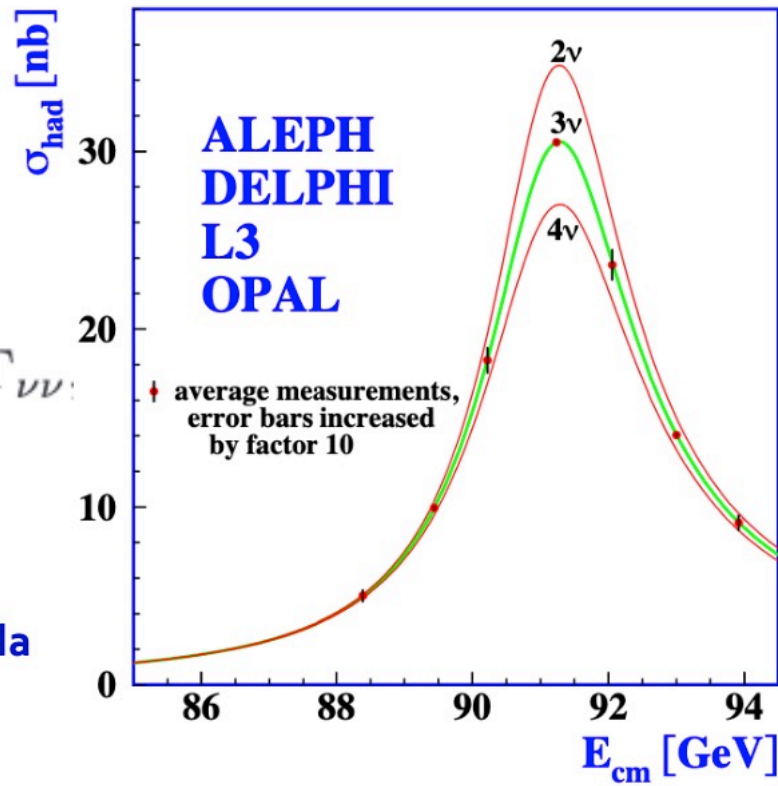
$$R_\ell^0 = \frac{\Gamma_{had}}{\Gamma_{ll}}$$

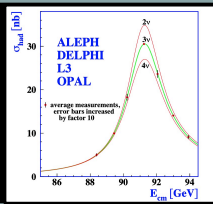
◆ Take  $\Gamma_Z / \Gamma_{\ell\ell}$  from Breit-Wigner formula

$$\sigma_{had}^0 = \frac{12\pi}{m_Z^2} \frac{\Gamma_{ee}\Gamma_{had}}{\Gamma_Z^2}$$

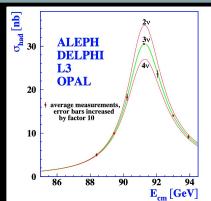
◆ And get to the expression

$$N_\nu \left( \frac{\Gamma_{\nu\nu}}{\Gamma_{\ell\ell}} \right)_{SM} = \left( \frac{12\pi}{m_Z^2} \frac{R_\ell^0}{\sigma_{had}^0} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} - R_\ell^0 - 3 - \delta_\tau$$





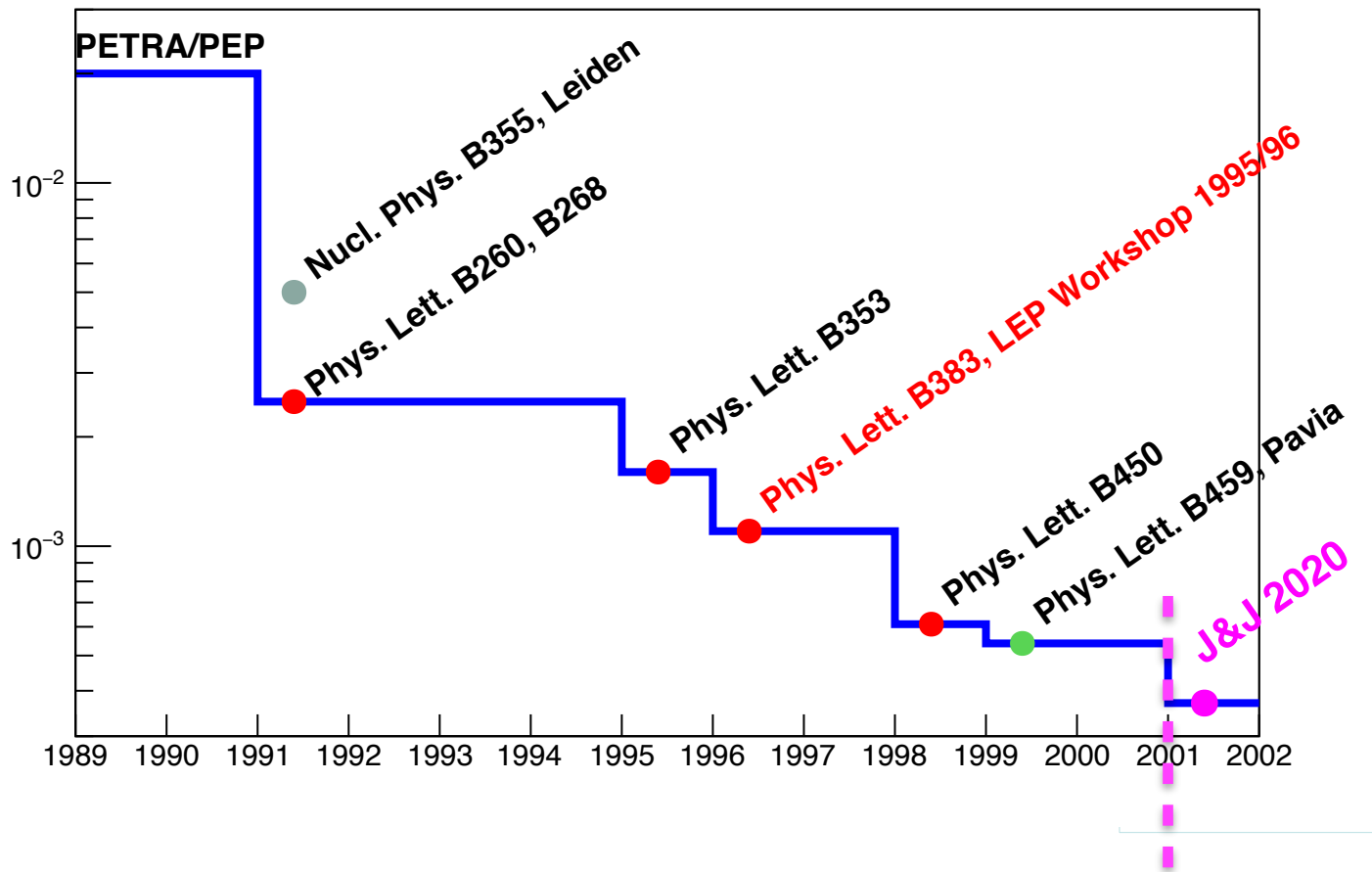
# A Little bit of history: Theoretical error of the luminosity at LEP era and its composition

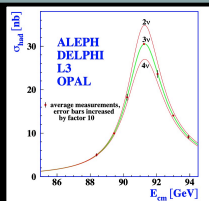


# Milestones in LEP lumi TH error



Evolution of luminosity theoretical error at LEP1





# LEP lumi TH milestones

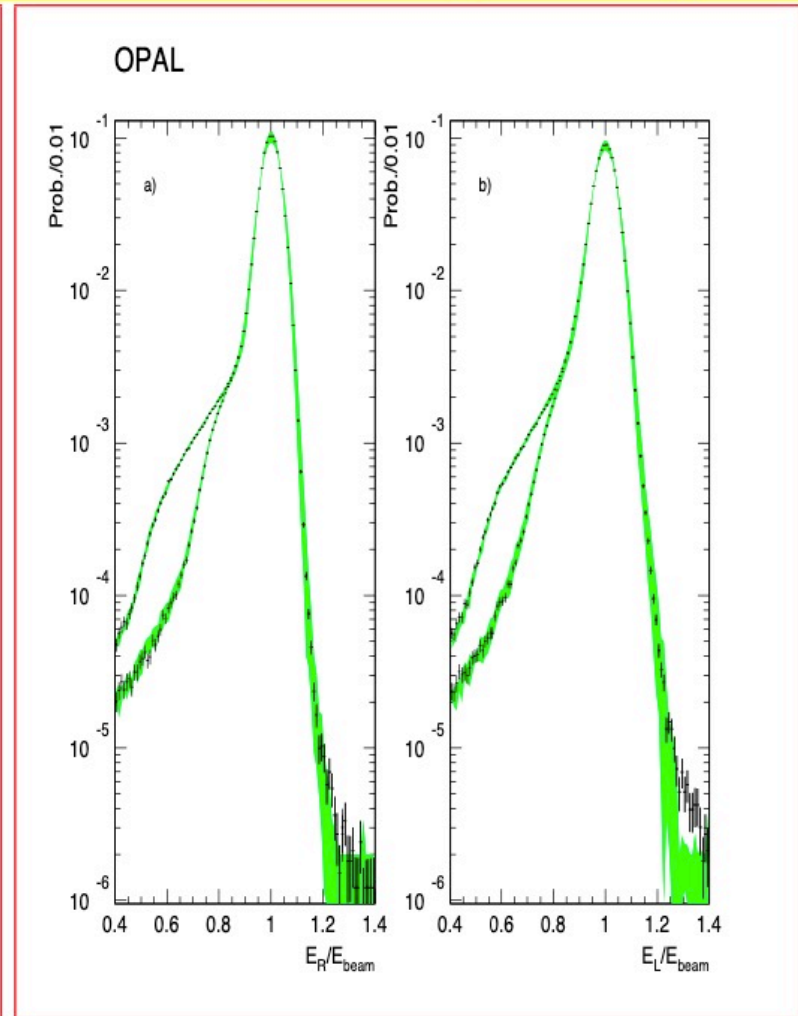
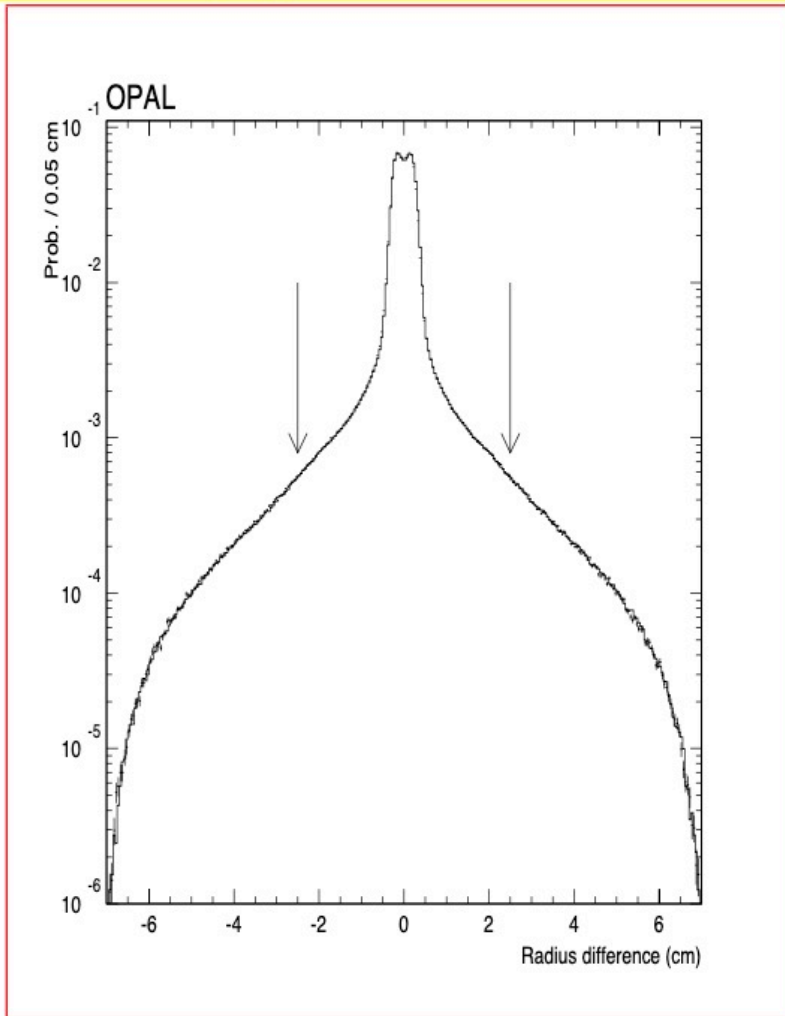


## Main TH precision improvements marked in red:

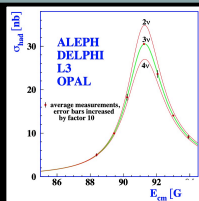
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**New calculation of missing light real and virtual pairs**



Extraordinary agreement of OPAL data vs. BHLUMI MC, collinearity and energy distrs.



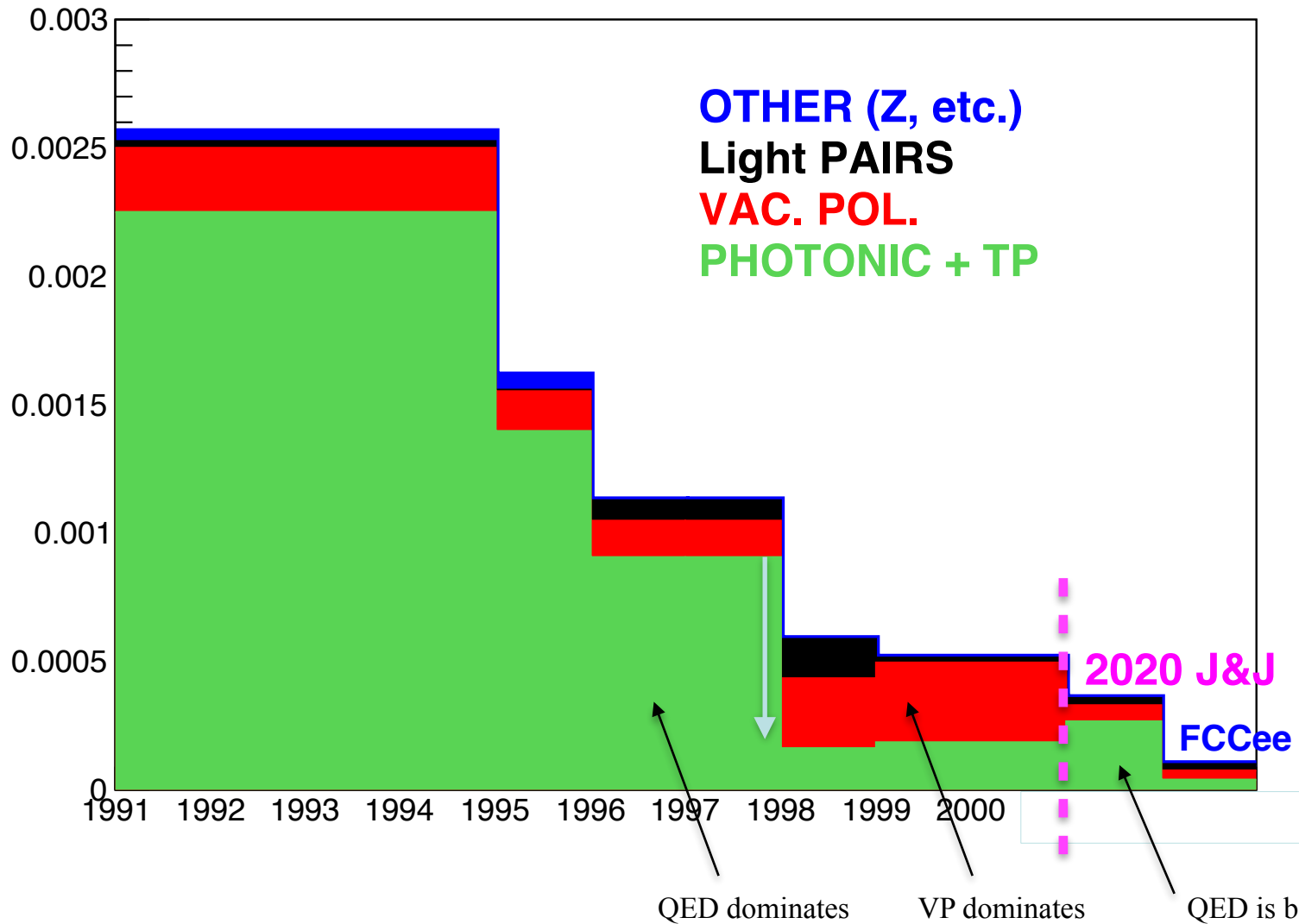
BHLUMI 4.04 Monte Carlo was used by all four LEP experiments. Not only controls luminosity normalization  $d\sigma/\sigma = 0.06\%$ , but also perfectly agrees with all experimental spectra, with NO "TUNING" to experimental data! (Only one bug in 1995.)



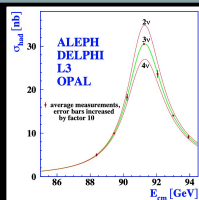
# Evolution of components in TH lumi (BHLUMI) error



## Components of luminosity theoretical error at LEP1



# Recent revival of the interest in Bhabha luminometry and $N_\nu$ measurements



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FCC-ee oriented studies  
have triggered new interest  
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number of light neutrino species

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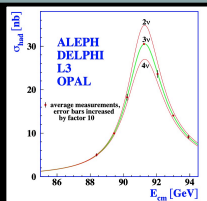
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Improved Bhabha cross section at LEP and the number of light  
neutrino species <sup>☆</sup>

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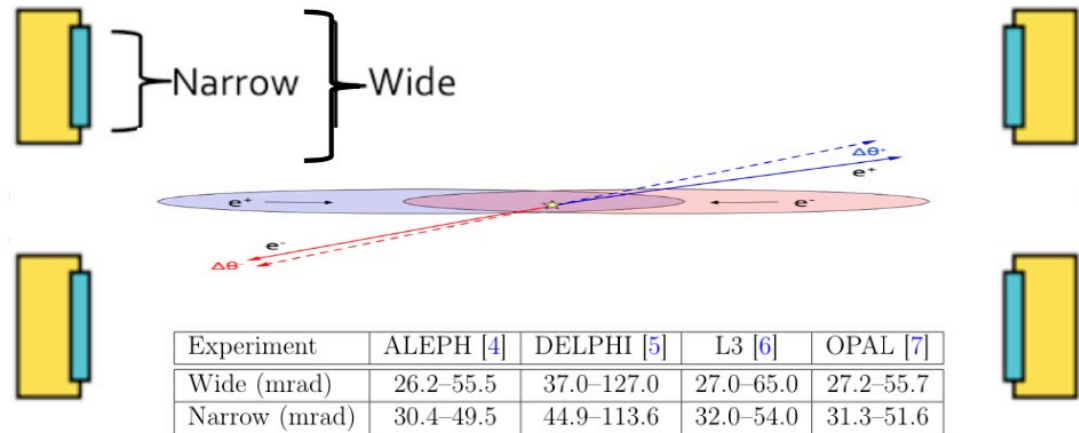
# Beam-beam effect in LEP data

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## Beam-induced effect on $N_\nu$ (qualitatively)

□ Luminosity measured from the low-angle Bhabha rate  $e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-$



◆ Outgoing  $e^\pm$  focused by the Lorentz force from the opposite bunch

● May miss the acceptance

- Reduces the accepted Bhabha cross section (wrt published values)
- Increases the integrated luminosity (wrt to published values)
- Decreases the measured peak cross section (wrt to published values)

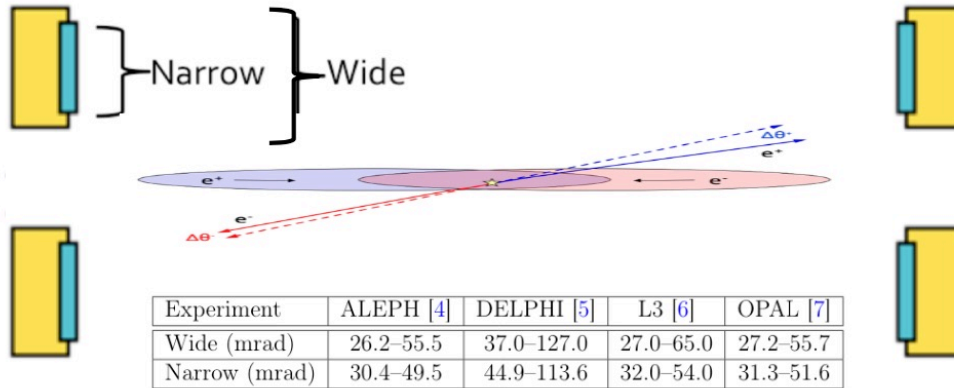
Note:  $R_\ell$  is not affected by luminosity changes

→ Increases the number of light neutrino species (wrt ... )

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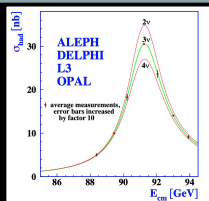


- ◆ Outgoing  $e^\pm$  focused by the Lorentz force from the opposite bunch
  - May miss the acceptance

$$\delta N_\nu \simeq -(7.465 \pm 0.005) \times \frac{\Delta L}{L} \Big|_{91.2 \text{ GeV}} \simeq 0.00720 \pm 0.00041$$

- ◆ A more recent / precise prediction of  $(\Gamma_{\nu\nu}/\Gamma_{\ell\ell})_{\text{SM}}$  adds 0.00063
  - And reduces very slightly the uncertainty on  $N_\nu$

$$N_\nu = 2.9840 \pm 0.0082 \quad \Rightarrow \quad N_\nu = 2.9918 \pm 0.0081$$



# New study by P. Janot and S.J.

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Correcting LEP 1990-95 data for low angle Bhabha of ALEPH, DELPHI, L3 and OPAL for realistic event selection, emulating all eight variants of small angle Bhabha LEP detectors.

## MC programs used by LEP collaborations

	ALEPH	DELPHI	L3	OPAL
1990	BABAMC (0.320%)	2.01 (0.300%)	2.01 (0.250%)	2.01 (0.300%)
1991-92	2.01 (0.210%)			later scaled to 4.04
Fall 92	2.01 (0.160%)			
1993	4.04 (0.061%)	4.02 (0.170%)	4.04 (0.061%)	4.04 (0.054%)
1994-95		4.03 (0.061%)		

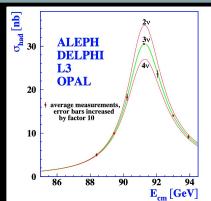
## Eight luminosity detectors used at LEP

Expt / LumiCal	Period	Narrow (mrad)	Wide (mrad)
ALEPH LCAL [5]	01/90 → 08/92	57 – 107	43 – 125
DELPHI SAT [6, 7]	01/90 → 12/93	56.0 – 128.6	52.7 – 141.8
L3 BGO [8]	01/90 → 12/92	31.2 – 65.2	25.2 – 71.2
OPAL FD [9]	01/90 → 12/92	65.0 – 105.0	55.0 – 115.0
ALEPH SiCAL [10]	09/92 → 12/95	30.4 – 49.5	26.1 – 55.9
DELPHI STIC [11]	01/94 → 12/95	43.6 – 113.2	37.2 – 126.8
L3 SLUM [12]	01/93 → 12/95	32.0 – 54.0	27.0 – 65.0
OPAL SiW [13]	01/93 → 12/95	31.3 – 51.6	27.2 – 55.7

## Bhabha event selections in LEP

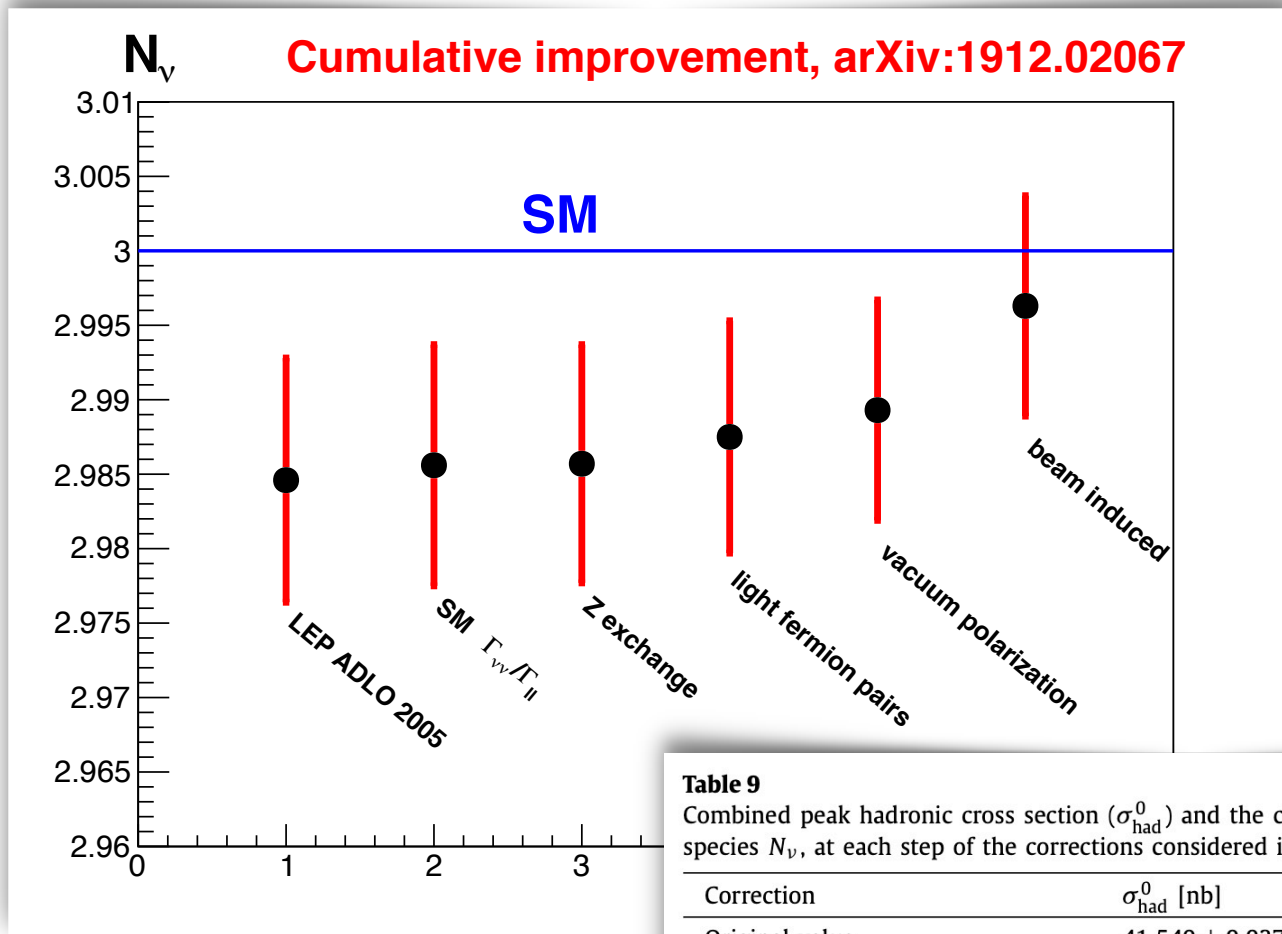
Experiment	ALEPH [16]	DELPHI [17, 18, 35]	L3 [8, 36]	OPAL [9, 37, 19]
$E_{1,2}^{\min}/E_{\text{beam}}$	> 0.44	> 0.65	> 0.40	> 0.45 (→ 92)
$E_{1,2}^{\max}/E_{\text{beam}}$			> 0.80	> 0.50 (93 →)
$\frac{(E_1 + E_2)}{2E_{\text{beam}}}$	> 0.60 (→ 93)	–	–	> 0.67 (→ 92)
	> 0.78 (in 94)			> 0.75 (93 →)
	> 0.84 (in 95)			
$\Delta\phi$ (mrad)	< 175 (→ 8/92) < 525 (9/92 →)	< 350	< 175	< 350 (→ 92) < 200 (93 →)
$\Delta\theta$ (mrad)	–	–	–	– (→ 92) < 10 (93 →)

All the above was implemented in the mixture of new C++ and old F77 code on top of BHLUMI 4.x. Corrections due to improvements in the BHLUMI matrix element were calculated using MC samples of 160M events generated at seven energies  $\sqrt{s} = 88.471, 89.444, 90.216, 91.227, 91.959, 93.00, 93.710$  GeV.



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including beam-beam VPDJ effect

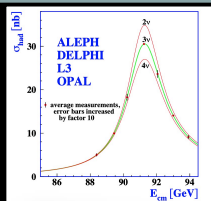


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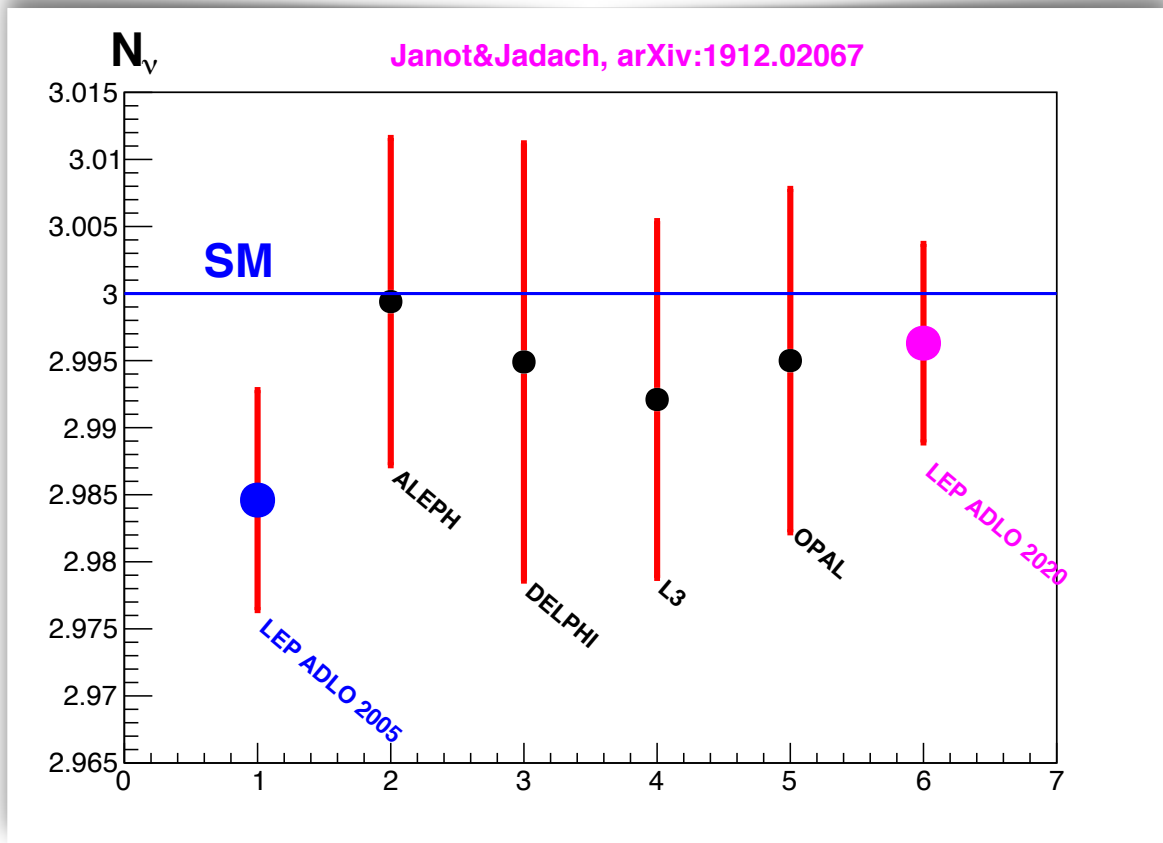
**Table 9**

Combined peak hadronic cross section ( $\sigma_{\text{had}}^0$ ) and the corresponding number of light neutrino species  $N_\nu$ , at each step of the corrections considered in this letter.

Correction	$\sigma_{\text{had}}^0$ [nb]	$N_\nu$
Original value	$41.540 \pm 0.037$	$2.9846 \pm 0.0082$
New $(\Gamma_{\nu\nu}/\Gamma_{\ell\ell})_{\text{SM}}$	$41.5400 \pm 0.0372$	$2.9856 \pm 0.0081$
Z exchange	$41.5390 \pm 0.0369$	$2.9857 \pm 0.0080$
Light fermion-pairs	$41.5292 \pm 0.0353$	$2.9875 \pm 0.0078$
Vacuum polarization	$41.5196 \pm 0.0324$	$2.9893 \pm 0.0074$
Beam-induced	$41.4802 \pm 0.0325$	$2.9963 \pm 0.0074$



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**Collaborations-wise**

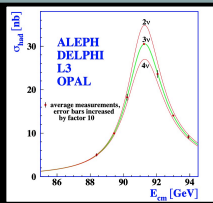
- ALEPH :  $N_\nu = 2.9994 \pm 0.0122$ ,
- DELPHI :  $N_\nu = 2.9949 \pm 0.0163$ ,
- L3 :  $N_\nu = 2.9921 \pm 0.0133$ ,
- OPAL :  $N_\nu = 2.9950 \pm 0.0128$ ,

**Combined new**  
 $N_\nu = 2.9963 \pm 0.0074$ ,

**Old ADLO 2005 value**  
 $2.9840 \pm 0.0082$

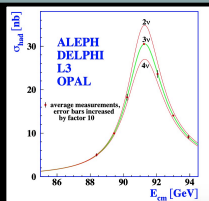
$\sigma_{had}^0 = 41.4802 \pm 0.0325$  nb,  
 $\Gamma_Z = 2.4955 \pm 0.0023$  GeV.





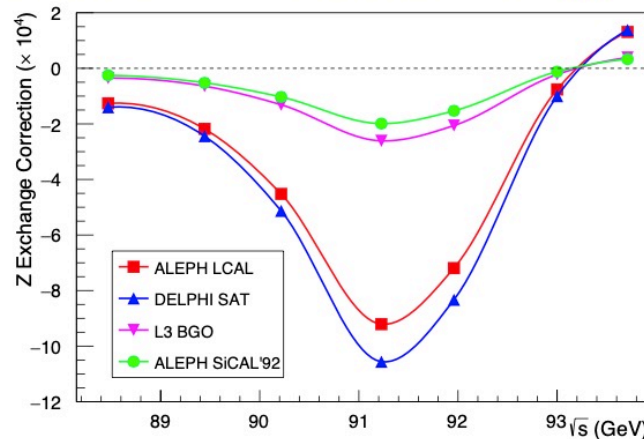
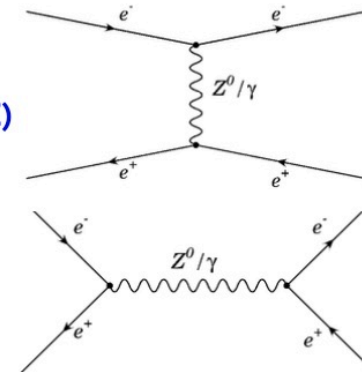
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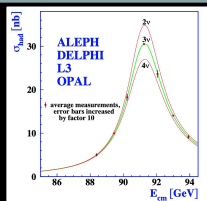
# Update of Z-exchange correction



## QED corrections to Z exchange

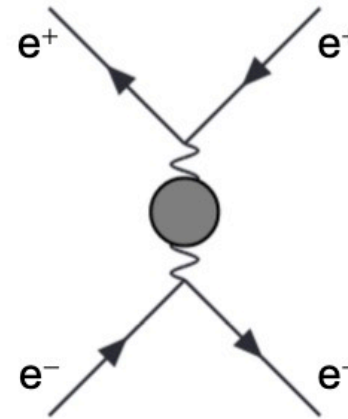
- **QED corrections to Z-exchange were not state of the art until 1994**
  - ◆ BHLUMI 2.01 contained Born-level diagrams
  - ◆  $O(\alpha)$  corrections of the order of 50% (implemented in BABAMC)
    - Need higher-orders, implemented in only BHLUMI 4.04
      - Early LEP data (until 1992) need to be corrected
      - Except for OPAL (correction already included)
  - ◆ Higher-orders reduce the Bhabha cross section until 1992:





# Vacuum polarization

- **Appears in t-channel photon propagator**
  - ◆ **Dressed with a loop of lepton or quarks**
    - **Hadronic part obtained from  $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons})$**
    - **Recent progress from huge data samples with ISR**
      - **At B and  $\Phi$  factories**
  - ◆ **Recent code made available by Fred Jegerlehner in 2019**
    - **Uncertainty reduced by a factor 4**
    - **Bhabha cross section reduced too**
      - **Reduction in units of  $10^{-4}$  :**

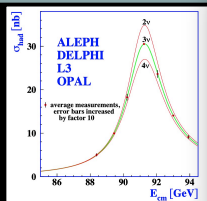


**Table 6**

Vacuum polarization correction relative to the Bhabha cross section at the Z peak (switching off the Z boson contribution) in the LumiCals of the four LEP experiments, as a function of time. Each entry value, expressed in units of  $10^{-4}$ , corresponds to the change between the 2019 evaluation of the vacuum polarization in the  $t$ -channel photon propagator, and the default function proposed in the BHLUMI versions used in the LEP experiments' publications at the time. When relevant, the entries also include non-soft  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^2 L_e^2)$  corrections implemented only in BHLUMI 4.0. Statistical uncertainties are negligible and are not quoted in the table. The numbers display the quasi-linear excursion of the correction when varying  $\sqrt{s}$  from 88.471 GeV (subscript) to 93.710 GeV (superscript).

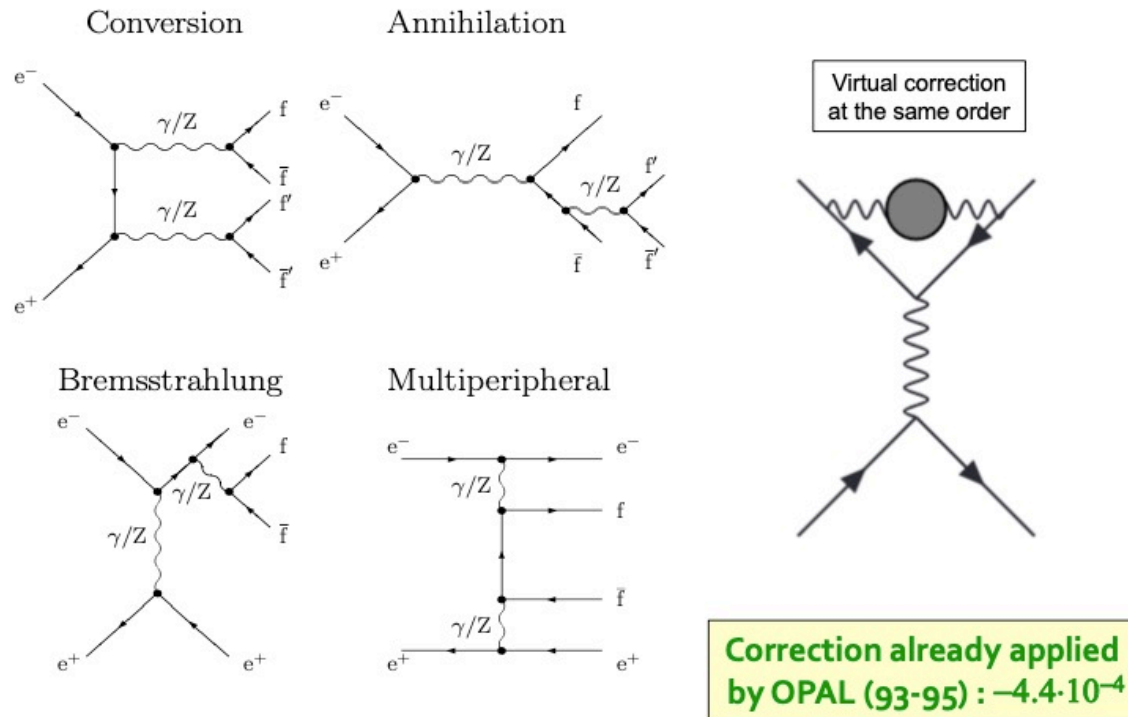
Experiment	ALEPH	DELPHI	L3	OPAL
01/90 → 08/92	$-2.00_{+0.21}^{-0.18}$	$-1.02_{+0.18}^{-0.18}$	$+1.57_{+0.10}^{-0.09}$	$-4.60_{+0.04}^{-0.03}$
09/92 → 12/92	$+1.22_{+0.12}^{-0.12}$			
01/93 → 12/93		$-4.62_{+0.07}^{-0.06}$		
01/94 → 12/94	$-2.12_{+0.09}^{-0.08}$	$-3.86_{+0.12}^{-0.11}$	$-2.36_{+0.11}^{-0.09}$	$-2.24_{+0.10}^{-0.09}$
01/95 → 12/95				

Vacuum polarisation of Fred Jegerlehner (2019) was cross-checked with the private vacuum-polarisation code from the DHMZ team (Michel Davier, Andreas Hoecker, Bogdan Malaescu, Zhiqing Zhang) and the KNT team (Alexander Keshavarzi, Daisuke Nomura, Thomas Teubner)



# Light fermion-pair production

- Four-fermion final state may be accepted by Bhabha selection

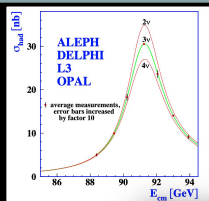


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- Only OPAL corrected its data. Others included fermion pair corrs. in the error budget.
- Now we do the same as OPAL for all luminosity LEP data.
- Real pair emissions using FERMISV MC (Leiden) and KORALW MC (Krakow)
- Virtual pair corrs. added using S. Actis et.al. Phys.Rev.D78 (2008) 085019.



# Light fermion pairs



Table 7: Light fermion-pair correction relative to the Bhabha cross section selected by the LumiCals of the four LEP experiments, as a function of time. Entry values sum up real and virtual corrections, and are expressed in units of  $10^{-4}$ . The corrections are found to be independent of the centre-of-mass energy (within statistical uncertainties). The indicated uncertainties combine statistical uncertainties and an estimate of the systematic effect of the detector granularity and the clustering procedure. The latter is taken to be equal to the half the difference between the correction obtained with the detector/clustering emulation and that obtained with the electron and positron exact energies and directions.

Experiment	ALEPH	DELPHI	L3	OPAL
01/90 → 08/92	$-3.58 \pm 0.06$	$-4.99 \pm 0.06$	$-3.43 \pm 0.04$	$-4.51 \pm 0.09$
09/92 → 12/92	$-3.00 \pm 0.06$			
01/93 → 12/93		$-3.91 \pm 0.05$	$-3.77 \pm 0.07$	$-4.72 \pm 0.17$
01/94 → 12/94	$-3.52 \pm 0.08$			( $-4.40$ already applied in [13])
01/95 → 12/95	$-4.38 \pm 0.08$			

- Only OPAL corrected data. Others included fermion pair corrs. in error budget.
- Now we do the same as OPAL for all luminosity LEP data.
- Real pair emissions using FERMISV MC (Leiden) and KORALW MC (Krakow)
- Virtual pair corrs. added using S. Actis et.al. Phys.Rev.D78 (2008) 085019.

# Summary on new LEP luminosity TH error

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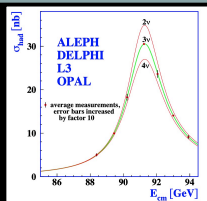
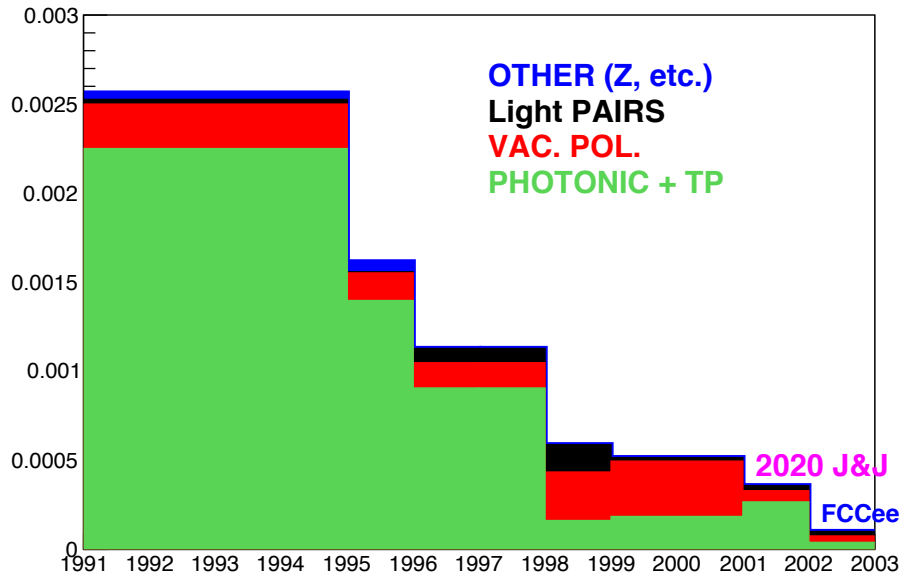


Table 3: Inspired from Refs. [28, 29, 25]: Summary of the theoretical uncertainties for a typical LEP luminosity detector covering the angular range from 58 to 110 mrad (first generation) or from 30 to 50 mrad (second generation). The total uncertainty is the quadratic sum of the individual components.

LEP Publication in:	1994		2000		2019	
LumiCal generation	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Photonic $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^2 L_e)$	0.15%	0.15%	0.027%	0.027%	0.027%	0.027%
Photonic $\mathcal{O}(\alpha^3 L_e^3)$	0.09%	0.09%	0.015%	0.015%	0.015%	0.015%
Z exchange	0.11%	0.03%	0.09%	0.015%	0.090%	0.015%
Vacuum polarization	0.10%	0.05%	0.08%	0.040%	0.015%	0.009%
Fermion pairs	0.05%	0.04%	0.05%	0.040%	0.010%	0.010%
Total	0.25%	0.16%	0.13%	0.061%	0.100%	0.037%

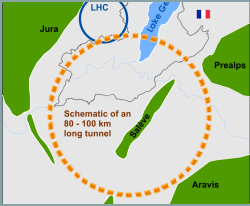
Components of luminosity theoretical error at LEP1



Pure QED dominates again as before 1998

# Low angle Bhabha (luminosity) at FCCee

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## LEP legacy, lumi TH error budget

## LEP lumi update 2018

Type of correction/error	LEP1		LEP2	
	1996	1999	1996	1999
(a) Missing photonic $O(\alpha^2)$ [4,5]	0.10%	0.027%	0.20%	0.04%
(b) Missing photonic $O(\alpha^3 L^3)$ [6]	0.015%	0.015%	0.03%	0.03%
(c) Vacuum polarization [7,8]	0.04%	0.04%	0.10%	0.10%
(d) Light pairs [9,10]	0.03%	0.03%	0.05%	0.05%
(e) Z-exchange [11,12]	0.015%	0.015%	0.0%	0.0%
Total	0.11% [12]	0.061% [13]	0.25% [12]	0.12% [13]

Type of correction / Error	1999	Update 2018
(a) Photonic $O(L_e \alpha^2)$	0.027% [5]	0.027%
(b) Photonic $O(L_e^3 \alpha^3)$	0.015% [6]	0.015%
(c) Vacuum polariz.	0.040% [7,8]	0.013% [25]
(d) Light pairs	0.030% [10]	0.010% [18,19]
(e) s-channel Z-exchange	0.015% [11,12]	0.015%
(f) Up-down interference	0.0014% [27]	0.0014%
(f) Technical Precision	-	(0.027)%
Total	0.061% [13]	0.038%

Table 1: Summary of the total (physical+technical) theoretical uncertainty for a typical calorimetric detector. For LEP1, the above estimate is valid for a generic angular range within  $1^\circ$ - $3^\circ$  (18-52 mrad), and for LEP2 energies up to 176 GeV and an angular range within  $3^\circ$ - $6^\circ$ . Total uncertainty is taken in quadrature. Technical precision included in (a).

- By the time of FCC-ee VP contribution will be merely 0.006%
- QED corrections and Z contrib. come back to front!
- Z contr. easy to master, even if rises at FCC-ee, because (28-58)->(64-86) mrad.

- Our FCC-ee forecast is 0.01% provided QED m.e. and VP are improved.

Type of correction / Error	Update 2018	FCCee forecast
(a) Photonic $O(L_e^4 \alpha^4)$	0.027%	$0.6 \times 10^{-5}$
(b) Photonic $O(L_e^2 \alpha^3)$	0.015%	$0.1 \times 10^{-4}$
(c) Vacuum polariz.	0.014% [25]	$0.6 \times 10^{-4}$
(d) Light pairs	0.010% [18,19]	$0.5 \times 10^{-4}$
(e) Z and s-channel $\gamma$ exchange	0.090% [11]	$0.1 \times 10^{-4}$
(f) Up-down interference	0.009% [27]	$0.1 \times 10^{-4}$
(f) Technical Precision	(0.027)%	$0.1 \times 10^{-4}$
Total	0.097%	$1.0 \times 10^{-4}$

# Z invisible width from peak cross section and radiative return

Present (LEP)

FCC-ee

## Peak cross section

QED err. of luminosity  $\frac{\delta\mathcal{L}}{\mathcal{L}} = \frac{\delta\sigma_{had}^0}{\sigma_{had}^0} \simeq 0.06\%$

dominates LEP exp. error  $N_\nu \simeq 2.984 \pm 0.008 \{ \pm 0.006 \}_{QED}$

$$R_{inv}^0 = \left( \frac{12\pi R_\ell^0}{\sigma_{had}^0 m_Z^2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} - R_\ell^0 - (3 + \delta_\tau), \quad R_{inv}^0 = N_\nu \left( \frac{\Gamma_{\nu\bar{\nu}}}{\Gamma_{\ell\ell}} \right)_{SM}$$

FCC-ee exp. error (syst.)  $\delta N_\nu \simeq 0.001$

Factor ~10 improvement in luminosity is needed!

$$\frac{\delta\mathcal{L}}{\mathcal{L}} \simeq 10^{-4} \rightarrow \delta N_\nu \simeq 8 \cdot 10^{-4} \quad \text{seems achievable.}$$

## Radiative return I

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}\gamma$$

$$N_\nu \simeq 2.69 \pm 0.15 \{ \pm 0.06 \}_{QED}$$

Limited by poor LEP statistics at 161GeV

Expected FCC-ee exp. error of  $\sigma_{\nu\bar{\nu}\gamma}$  not yet established, most likely:  $\delta\sigma/\sigma \simeq 0.03\% \rightarrow \delta N_\nu \simeq 0.001$

Future luminosity error 0.01% looks ok.

Estimate of h.o. QED effects using KKMC is merely 0.02% (unpublished).

Altogether  $\delta N_\nu \simeq 0.001$  seems achievable:)  
(Factor ~60 improvement in QED rather easy.)

## Radiative return II

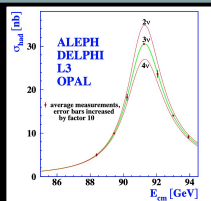
Measuring ratio 
$$R = \frac{\sigma_{\nu\bar{\nu}\gamma}}{\sigma_{\mu^+\mu^-\gamma}}$$

Luminosity error drops out!

QED uncertainty due to FSR in  $\sigma_{\mu^+\mu^-\gamma}$  rated at 0.03% (unpublished study using KKMC).

Again  $\delta N_\nu \simeq 0.001$



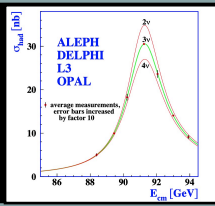


# Summary



- LEP data on luminosity and Z peak cross section are corrected using improved hadronic vacuum polarization, Z-exchange and light pair corrections.
- Invisible Z decay width derived from Z peak cross agrees now much better with the SM — 20 years old 2 sigma discrepancy is gone.
- Factor 4 or even more precise measurement of Z invisible width will be possible in FCC-ee collider.

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