# Bound-State Effects on Top-Quark Pair Production at the LHC

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based on the papers done with Kaoru Hagiwara, Yukinari Sumino, etc.

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# Collider School on 2001.7.2-7 at KEK

My collaboration with Kaoru began from a collider school he gave to grad. students and posdocs, when I was in a second year of master course at Hiroshima Univ.



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Since then till now, I learned many things on particle physics, colliders, etc.

In addition, it has been my great pleasure to work with Kaoru on tau polarization (w/ K. Mawatari, M. Aoki), T-odd asymmetry (w/ K. Hikasa, K. Mawatari, R. Frederix, T. Yamada), ttbar bound-state (w/ Y. Sumino), etc.

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### **Top as a standard candle for BSM searches**

• Large top quark production rates at the LHC;

 $\sigma_{t\bar{t}} \simeq 1$  nb,  $\sigma_t \simeq 300$  pb,  $\sigma_{t\bar{t}h} \simeq 1$  pb.

- Regarded as a standard candle process
  [PDFs, ISR/FSR, JES, B-tag, MET, Higher-orders, Spin,,,]
- Or, perhaps, "Top as a window to BSM physics" due to its large Yukawa coupling to the Higgs boson.

### Pair production at hadron colliders







### Perturbative QCD calculation

#### **Factorization theorem:**

$$\sigma_{\mathsf{pp}\to\mathsf{t}\bar{\mathsf{t}}\mathsf{X}}(s) = \sum_{ij} \int dx_1 f_{i/p}(x_1,\mu_F) dx_2 f_{j/p}(x_2,\mu_F) \hat{\sigma}_{ij\to t\bar{t}}(\hat{s},\mu_F)$$

• Fixed order calculation:

$$\widehat{\sigma}(\widehat{s},\mu_{F}) = \alpha_{s}^{2}(\mu_{R})\widehat{\sigma}^{(0)}(\widehat{s}) + \alpha_{s}^{3}(\mu_{R})\widehat{\sigma}^{(1)}(\widehat{s},\mu_{R},\mu_{F}) + \alpha_{s}^{4}(\mu_{R})\widehat{\sigma}^{(2)}(\widehat{s},\mu_{R},\mu_{F}) + \cdots$$

NNLO : ,,, ; Bernreuther, Czakon, Mitov(12); Czakon, Fieldler, Mitov(13)



Uncertainties:	
Scales	~ 3%
pdf (at 68%cl)	~ 2-3%
α <sub>s</sub> (parametric)	~ 1.5%
m <sub>top</sub> (parametric)	~ 3%

c.f. Lumi. uncertainty  $\sim 3\%$  at LHC8TeV

• Structure of higher order corrections:



top velocity in the tt c.m. frame.

 $\beta = \sqrt{1 - 4m_t^2/m_{tt}^2}$ 

## **Coulomb Resummation**



• Green's function with QCD potential and top finite width. Fadin,Khoze (87)  $\rightarrow$  NRQCD formalism  $\begin{bmatrix} (E+i\Gamma_t) - \left\{-\frac{\nabla^2}{m_t} + V_{QCD}^{(c)}(r)\right\} \end{bmatrix} G^{(c)}(\vec{x}, E+i\Gamma_t) = \delta^3(\vec{x}) \\ \hat{\sigma}_{tot} \propto \text{Im}[G(\vec{0}, E+i\Gamma_t)] \end{bmatrix}$ 

• Scales in the system :  $m_t \gg \mu_B > E_B \simeq \Gamma_t \gg \Lambda_{QCD}$   $\begin{pmatrix} {}^1S_0 \text{ for } gg \\ {}^3S_1 \text{ for } e^+e^- \end{pmatrix}$ 

Bohr radius : $\mu_B \simeq m_t \alpha_s \simeq 20 - 30 \text{GeV}$ (typical momentum<br/>of the Coulomb gluon)Binding energy : $E_B \simeq m_t \alpha_s^2 \simeq 2 \text{GeV}$ If  $\Gamma_t > E_B$ , top-quark decays

before bound-state formation

# **Coulomb Resummation**

### Bound-state effects at hadron colliders

• Factorization formula into three parts: Beneke,F



- Effect to the total cross section is ~ 1%, but significant in the threshold region!
- The pseudo bound-state decays, through the decay of top quarks  $\Gamma_{qq} \simeq m_t \alpha_s^5 \ll 2\Gamma_t$

 $\rightarrow$  additional contribution to the usual tt events

Hagiwara,Sumino,HY (08); Kiyo et al. (08),,,

Beneke,Falgari,Schwinn(09)

K: hard vertex correction  $F_{ISR}$ : ISR[FSR] correction kernel  $\hat{\sigma}_{tot} \propto Im[G(\vec{0}, E + i\Gamma_t)]$ 



### **Differential Distributions**

Top-quark pair production near threshold

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$$\mathcal{M}_{t\bar{t}}^{(c)} \to \mathcal{M}_{t\bar{t}}^{(c)} \times \frac{\tilde{G}^{(c)}(E+i\Gamma_t,\vec{p})}{\tilde{G}_0(E+i\Gamma_t,\vec{p})}$$

Sumino, Fujii, Hagiwara, Murayama, Ng(92) [ $e^+e^-$  case]  $\rightarrow$  Sumino, HY (09) [HCs]

• Event Generator with Coulomb effects  $\rightarrow$  Events for unstable BS production



• Current status of pQCD calc. and EGs:

Many efforts toward NNLO accuracy

Coulomb correction at the amplitude level

 $\rightarrow$  momentum-space Green's func.

NLO+PS: MC@NLO, POWHEG, MG5\_aMC@NLO,,,

NLO for bWbW final-state Bevilacqua et al, Denner et al,



## Applications:

#### Top mass measurement

Possibility of measuring short distance mass at the LHC

 $M_{tt}^{\text{peak}} = 2m_t^{\text{pole}} - \Delta E|_{\text{pole}}$  $= 2m_t^{\overline{\text{MS}}} - \Delta E|_{\overline{\text{MS}}}$ 

Need many new ideas to measure it at the LHC (At the ILC,  $riangle m_t \sim$  100MeV !)

### **Bound-state signal of new particles**

Gluinonium [Hagiwara, HY(09),,,], Squarkonium [Beneke, Falgari,Schwin,Wever(08,09),,,], etc.

Additional contribution to the total cross-section [<10% for heavy gluino],

or new signals by annihilation decay



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### Summary:

Collider experiments always lead us toward

Exploring the Road to Unification.

- "QCD and Collider Physics" is therefore one of the Key Aspects for particle physicist.
- Top quark as a standard candle [or a window to new physics]. There are lots of continual and rapid developments: NNLO, Threshold and Coulomb summation, (N)NLO distributions, off-shell effects, Event Generators,,
- Be prepared for many new measurements which come soon from the LHC and from the ILC in future.