Compact Muon Solenoid Experimental challange

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- Where to look for "New Physics"?
 femtobarns & teraelectronovolts
- Requied features of accelerators & detectors

 nanoseconds & microns
- CMS trigger and data acquisition – GIPS's, TIPS's & petabytes
- Problems of designing and planning – long, long years ...



Particle physics today

The Standard Model precisely describes both electroweak and strong interactions. No significant deviation from its predictions was observed so far.

<u>But:</u>

- it has ~20 free parameters
- particle masses are generated by Higgs mechanism, not explained within the Standard Model
- Higgs particle was not observed so far
- Standard Model does not explain
 - existence of 3 generations of fermions
 - mixing between different generations

Strategy for the near future:

- find Higgs particle or exclude its existence in the region allowed by theory (~1 TeV)
- look for deviations from the Standard Model
- search for new particles (~50 GeV ~5 TeV)

Needed tools

- accelerator
 - high energy
 - wide energy range
 - high luminosity
- detectors
 - universality (e, γ , μ , jets, missing energy)
 - granularity (large number of particles)
 - speed (high luminosity)

Large Hadron Collider

Livingston plot



Fast increase in performance of accelerators is possible because of ever new technologies.

Superconducting magnets installed in the existing LEP tunnel will make possible proton-proton collisions with the energy \sqrt{s} =14 TeV.

The Large Hadron Collider (LHC)



	Beams	Energy	Luminosity
LEP	e⁺ e⁻	200 GeV	10 ³² cm ⁻² s ⁻¹
	рр	14 TeV	10 ³⁴
LUC	Pb Pb	1312 TeV	10 ²⁷

The LHC machine and the experiments are under design and construction. The observation of first collisions is expected in 2005



Magnets

ATLAS A Toroidal LHC ApparatuS







experiment	cost	magnet	cost
ATLAS	475 M CHF	toroid	200 M CHF
CMS	475 M CHF	solenoid	120 M CHF

The choice of magnetic field configuration determines the characteristic of the experiment.

A Toroidal LHC ApparatuS (ATLAS)



Compact Muon Solenoid





CMS layout and detectors



Puzzle

18 superimposed pp collisions,

as seen by internal part of CMS silicon central tracker. Among them 4 muons from a higgs decay.



Find 4 straight tracks.

Solution

Reconstructed tracks of $p_t > 2$ GeV.

Among them well visible 4 muons from the higgs decay.



The solution is possible if detector occupancy ~1%

- \rightarrow microstrip area ~1mm²
- \rightarrow >10⁷ readout channels

CMS and other experiments

detector	channels	occupancy	event size
pixels	80 000 000	0.01 %	100 kB
microstrips	16 000 000	3 %	700 kB
preshower	512 000	10 %	50 kB
calorimeter	125 000	5 %	50 kB
muon detector	1 000 000	0.1 %	10 kB
Total event size			1 MB





Event selection

During 10 years of LHC running about 10¹⁷ pp collisions will be produced.

An observation of ~10 "exotic" events could be a discovery of "New Physics".

However, one has to find these **10** events among **10**¹⁷ of non interesting ones.

Searching for a needle in a hay stack?

- typical needle 5 mm³
- typical hay stack 50 m³

needle : hay stack = $1 : 10^{10}$

Searching for "New Physics" at LHC is like searching for a needle in one million of hay stacks.

The trigger is a function of :



Event data & Apparatus Physics channels & Parameters

Since the detector data are not all promptly available and the function is highly complex, T(...) is evaluated by successive approximations called :

TRIGGER LEVELS

(possibly with zero dead time)

CMS trigger and data acquisition



Tera : 10¹²; Peta 10¹⁵; IPS : Instruction Per Second; LAN : Local Area Network





Technology & DAQ trends



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Summary

"New Physics" searches require reaching very high energies and searching for extremaly rare phenom	g 14 TeV nena σ~fb
Coincidence of these two requirements on a challenge for modern technologies in computing and telecommunication	reates
<u>high energy:</u>	
 large number of produced 	~100/event
 precise measurement in large dynamic range 	~100µ/10m
<u>searching for new phenomena:</u>	
 very high frequency of interactions 	~1 GHz
 pile-up of many interations 	10-20
 small signal to background ratio 	1:10 ¹¹ - 1:10 ¹⁶
resulting technological requirements:	
 steering of large volume data flow 	500 Gbits/s
 event analysis in real time 	
	selection 1:10 ⁷
 gigantic computing power 	5 TIPS
 huge mass storage 	1 PB/year

Those requirements are fulfilled by ATLAS and CMS experiments. This give us a hope for discovery of "something new" at LHC. - The number of institutions participating to a LHC experiment is of the order of the number of authors in the UA1 experiment

- The 'Slow Control' data rate of an LHC experiment (temperature, voltages, status etc.) is comparable the current LEP experiment readout rate

- During one second of CMS running, the data volume transmitted through the readout network is equivalent to the amount of data that is moved in one day by the present CERN network system (FDDI, ethernet, local nets)

- The data rate handled by the CMS event builder (\approx 500 Gbit/s) is equivalent to the amount of data exchanged by world telecoms (today)

- The total number of processors in the CMS event filter equals the number of workstations and personal computers running today at CERN (\approx 4000. How many failures per day?).

- The laboratory computing power available to UA1 in 1980 was comparable to that of a modern desktop computer.

- The physicists and engineers who will lead and run the experiment in 200x are now students.

Maybe some of them are here today listening to this lecture?