

# PDG

#### S-matrix approach to the Z

While practically all experimental analyses of LEP/SLC data have followed the 'Breit-Wigner' approach described above, an alternative S-matrix-based analysis is also possible. The Z, like all unstable particles, is associated with a complex pole in the S matrix. The pole position is process independent and gauge invariant. The mass,  $\overline{M}_Z$ , and width,  $\overline{\Gamma}_Z$ , can be defined in terms of the pole in the energy plane via [11–14]

$$\overline{s} = \overline{M}_Z^2 - i\overline{M}_Z\overline{\Gamma}_Z$$

leading to the relations

$$\begin{split} \overline{M}_Z &= M_Z / \sqrt{1 + \Gamma_Z^2 / M_Z^2} \\ &\approx M_Z - 34.1 \text{ MeV} \\ \overline{\Gamma}_Z &= \Gamma_Z / \sqrt{1 + \Gamma_Z^2 / M_Z^2} \\ &\approx \Gamma_Z - 0.9 \text{ MeV} . \end{split} \sim 100 \text{ MeV} \end{split}$$

Some authors [15] choose to define the Z mass and width via

$$\overline{s} = (\overline{M}_Z - \frac{i}{2}\overline{\Gamma}_Z)^2$$

which yields 
$$\overline{M}_Z \approx M_Z - 26 \text{ MeV}, \overline{\Gamma}_Z \approx \Gamma_Z - 1.2 \text{ MeV}.$$
  
 $Adjust kinematics$   
 $\beta_{34}(\hat{s}, \overline{m}^2, \overline{m}^2) = \beta_{34}(\hat{s}, m_3^2, m_4^2) \Rightarrow \overline{m}^2 = \frac{m_3^2 + m_4^2}{2} - \frac{(m_3^2 - m_4^2)^2}{4\hat{s}}.$ 

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Color Recombinations affect fragmentation, momentum of reconstructed objects



Magnitude of effect in hadronic environment not well known



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OPAL: final	NEW! Main Sum05	→ W	inter 2006	
Since Sum05)	Source Systematic Error on M <sub>w</sub> (MeV)			(MeV)
Final LEP Energy Calib.: reduced uncertainty on E		qqlv	9999	Combined
	QED(ISR/FSR,etc)	9	5	8
	Hadronisation	14	20	15
New 4q reco: Feduce FSI effect	Detector Syst.	14	8	10
	LEP Beam Energy	9 (14)	9 (11)	9
4q weight from 16% (9% bef Sum05) to 23%( $\delta M_W^{stat}$ (no syst) ~21 MeV, now 26 MeV → use most	Colour Reconnection	1	31 (49)	7
	Bose-Einstein Corr.	10	13 (22)	3
	Other	3	11	4
	Total Systematic	22 (28)	43 (63)	24 (28)
	Statistical	31	43 (48)	26 (27)
	Overall	38 (42)	61 (79)	35 (39)





MSTP(115):

(D=0) (C) choice of colour rearrangement scenario for process 25, pair production, when both 's decay hadronically. (Also works for process 22, production, except when the 's are allowed to fluctuate to very small masses.)

= 0 : no reconnection.

= 1 : scenario I, reconnection inspired by a type I superconductor, with the reconnection probability related to the overlap volume in space and time between the and strings. Related parameters are found in PARP(115) - PARP(119), with PARP(117) of special interest.

= 2 : scenario II, reconnection inspired by a type II superconductor, with reconnection possible when two string cores cross. Related parameter in PARP(115).

= 3 : scenario II', as model II but with the additional requirement that a reconnection will only occur if the total string length is reduced by it.

= 5 : the GH scenario, where the reconnection can occur that reduces the total string length (measure) most. PARP(120) gives the fraction of such event where a reconnection is actually made; since almost all events could allow a reconnection that would reduce the string length, PARP(120) is almost the same as the reconnection probability.

= 11 : the intermediate scenario, where a reconnection is made at the `origin' of events, based on the subdivision of all radiation of a system as coming either from the or the . PARP(120) gives the assumed probability that a reconnection will occur. A somewhat simpleminded model, but not quite unrealistic.

= 12 : the instantaneous scenario, where a reconnection is allowed to occur before the parton showers, and showering is performed inside the reconnected systems with maximum virtuality set by the mass of the reconnected systems. PARP(120) gives the assumed probability that a reconnection will occur. Is completely unrealistic, but useful as an extreme example with very large effects.



Difference between Breit-Wigner and Pole-mass small ~ 100 MeV Gluons from top radiation E ~ 1.5 GeV ??? MeV

b fragmentation not necessarily the same as @ LEP ??? MeV

Magnitude of color re-connections needs to be studied Experiments need to provide people for even simple studies

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