# STANDARD MODEL IS BEST MODEL (WORKING TITLE)

2	William Kennedy DiClemente
3	A DISSERTATION
4	in
5	Physics and Astronomy
6	Presented to the Faculties of The University of Pennsylvania
7	in Partial Fulfillment of the Requirements for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy
8	2018 Last compiled: December 12, 2018
9	
0	I. Joseph Kroll, Professor, Physics
1	Supervisor of Dissertation
3	Joshua Klein, Professor, Physics
4	Graduate Group Chairperson
5	<u>Dissertation Committee</u>
6	(Committee Prof. 1), Professor, Physics
7	(Committee Prof. 2), Associate Professor, Physics
8	(Committee Prof. 3), Professor, Physics
9	(Committee Prof. 4), Professor, Physics
0	I. Joseph Kroll, Professor, Physics

Standard	Model.	IS	REST	MODEL.	(WORKING	TITLE

22	COPYRIGHT
23	2018
24	William Kennedy DiClemente

25 All rights reserved.

# Acknowledgements

- 27 I'd like to thanks the Ghosts of Penn Students Past for providing me with such an amazing thesis
- 28 template.

# ABSTRACT STANDARD MODEL IS BEST MODEL (WORKING TITLE) William Kennedy DiClemente J. Kroll

This is the abstract text.

# Contents

35	Acknowledgements	iii
36	Abstract	iv
37	Contents	v
38	List of Tables	vii
39	List of Figures	viii
40	Preface	ix
41	1 Introduction	1
42	2 Theoretical Framework	2
43	2.1 Introduction to the Standard Model	2
44	2.2 Electroweak Mixing and the Higgs Field	2
45	3 LHC and the ATLAS Detector	3
46	3.1 The Large Hadron Collider	3
47	3.2 The ATLAS Detector	3
48	3.2.1 The Inner Detector	3
49	3.2.1.1 Pixel Detector	3
50	3.2.1.2 Semiconductor Tracker	3
51	3.2.1.3 Transition Radiation Tracker	3
52	3.2.2 The Calorimeters	4

	$\frac{\mathrm{C}}{\mathrm{C}}$	ONTENTS	vi
53		3.2.2.1 Liquid Argon Calorimeters	4
54		3.2.2.2 Tile Calorimeters	4
55	4	Alignment of the ATLAS Inner Detector	5
56		4.1 Effects of Misalignment	5
57		4.2 The Alignment Method	5
58		4.3 Momentum Bias Corrections	5
59		4.4 Alignment of the IBL	6
60		4.5 Alignment Monitoring	6
61	5	$WZ$ production @ $\sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$	7
62	6	Same-sign $WW @ \sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$	8
63	7	Prospects for same-sign $WW$ at the HLLHC	9
64	8	Conclusion	10
65	Bi	bliography	11

# List of Tables

List	of	<b>Figures</b>
	$\mathbf{O}_{\mathbf{I}}$	

68 3	.1	General cut-away vi	${ m ew}$ of the ATLAS	detector	4
------	----	---------------------	------------------------	----------	---

# Preface

70 This is the preface. It's optional, but it's nice to give some context for the reader and stuff.

69

71

Will K. DiClemente Philadelphia, February 2019

Introduction

72

73

The Standard Model  $(SM)^1$  has been remarkably successful...

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Here's a footnote.

# Theoretical Framework

77 (Some example introductory text for this chapter)...

#### 78 2.1 Introduction to the Standard Model

- 79 Modern particle physics is generally interpreted in terms of the Standard Model (SM). This is a
- 80 quantum field theory which encapsulates our understanding of the electromagnetic, weak, and strong
- 81 interactions...

75

76

#### 82 2.2 Electroweak Mixing and the Higgs Field

- When the theory of the electroweak interaction was first developed [1, 2], the W and Z bosons were
- predicted to be massless (a typical mass term in the Lagrangian would violate the SU(2) symmetry).
- 85 However, these were experimentally observed to have masses...

# LHC and the ATLAS Detector

#### 88 3.1 The Large Hadron Collider

89 The Large Hadron Collider (LHC) [3] is...

#### 90 3.2 The ATLAS Detector

86

87

91 ATLAS is a general-purpose particle detector...

#### 92 3.2.1 The Inner Detector

93 The Inner Detector serves the primary purpose of measuring the trajectories of charged particles...

#### 94 3.2.1.1 Pixel Detector

The Pixel detector consists of four cylindrical barrel layers and three disk-shaped endcap layers...

#### 96 3.2.1.2 Semiconductor Tracker

- 97 The Semiconductor Tracker uses the same basic technology as the Pixels, but the fundamental unit
- 98 of silicon is a larger "strip"...

#### 99 3.2.1.3 Transition Radiation Tracker

100 The Transition Radiation Tracker is the outermost component of the ID...

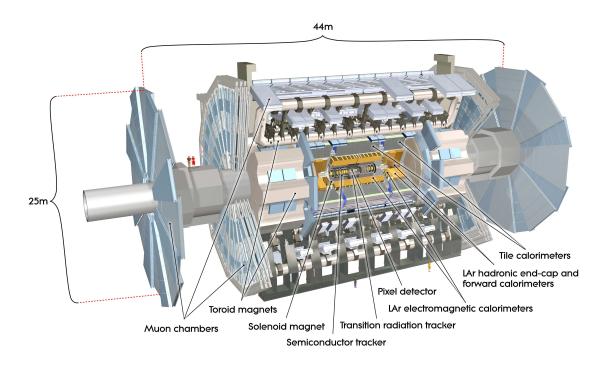


Figure 3.1: General cut-away view of the ATLAS detector [4].

#### 101 3.2.2 The Calorimeters

- 102 ATLAS includes two types of calorimeter system for measuring electromagnetic and hadronic show-
- ers. These are the Liquid Argon (LAr) calorimeters and the Tile calorimeters. Together, these cover
- the region with  $|\eta| < 4.9...$

#### 105 3.2.2.1 Liquid Argon Calorimeters

106 The Liquid Argon system consists of...

#### 107 3.2.2.2 Tile Calorimeters

108 The Tile calorimeter provides coverage for hadronic showers...

# Alignment of the ATLAS Inner Detector

In order for the subdetectors of the ID to operate at their designed precisions, it is essential that 111 the locations of the sensors be known as precisely as possible. Differences between the expected and 112 actual positions of a sensor can result in displaced particle hits and degrade track reconstruction 113 quality. These misalignments can occur for any number of reasons, including but not limited to elemnts shifting during maintenance periods or cycles in ATLAS's magnetic field, or simply small 115 movements during normal detector operations. Since it is not practical to physically realign hundreds 116 of thousands of detector elements to  $\mu$ m precision by hand, an iterative track-based alignment 117 algorithm is used to determine the physical positions and orientations of these elements [5]. The 118 effects of misalignments and the steps taken to correct and monitor them are detailed in this chapter.

#### 4.1 Effects of Misalignment

121 Hello world!

120

109

110

#### 122 4.2 The Alignment Method

123 Hello world!

#### 24 4.3 Momentum Bias Corrections

125 Hello world!

# 126 4.4 Alignment of the IBL

127 Hello world!

# 128 4.5 Alignment Monitoring

129 Hello world!

CHAPTER 5

131

WZ production @  $\sqrt{s} = 13$  TeV

# CHAPTER 6 Same-sign $WW @ \sqrt{s} = 13 \text{ TeV}$

134	Chapter 7
135	Prospects for same-sign WW at the
136	HLLHC

137

138

# Conclusion

139 Here's where you wrap it up.

#### 140 Looking Ahead

141

Here's an example of how to have an "informal subsection".

# Bibliography

```
    [1] S. L. Glashow, The Renormalizability of Vector Meson Interactions, Nucl. Phys. 10 (1959)
    107–117. 2.2
```

- [2] A. Salam and J. C. Ward, Weak and Electromagnetic Interactions, Nuovo Cimento 11 (1959)
   568–577. 2.2
- [3] L. R. Evans and P. Bryant, LHC Machine, JINST 3 (2008) S08001.
   https://cds.cern.ch/record/1129806. This report is an abridged version of the LHC Design
   Report (CERN-2004-003). 3.1
- [4] ATLAS Collaboration, The ATLAS Experiment at the CERN Large Hadron Collider, JINST 3
   (2008) S08003. 3.1
- 153 [5] ATLAS Collaboration Collaboration, Alignment of the ATLAS Inner Detector Tracking System
  154 with 2010 LHC proton-proton collisions at  $\sqrt{s} = 7$  TeV, Tech. Rep. ATLAS-CONF-2011-012,
  155 CERN, Geneva, Mar, 2011. https://cds.cern.ch/record/1334582. 4