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Errata

Erratum: Possibility of detection of Higgs boson and precise test of the standard model in e^-e^+ annihilation at $\sqrt{s} = M_Z$: Energy distributions for signal and background [Phys. Rev. D 42, 1418 (1990)]

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The right-hand side of Eq. (19) should be multiplied by a factor 3 for f = c and b quarks. The seventh line on p. 1420 should read as follows: The parameter α is

 $\alpha = 1$ for down and up particles .

Equation (27a) should read

$$n_{2}^{(d)}(x) = [2(1+\beta)\beta^{2}/3(1-\beta)^{3}][3(1-\beta)x^{2}-8x^{3}]\theta(x_{0}-x)\theta(x) -[(1+\beta)/6\beta](1-x)[1+x-2(1+3\beta)x^{2}]\theta(1-x)\theta(x-x_{0}) .$$
(27a)

Thus the following corrections are necessary in Figs. 3-8:

(i) Figures 3-6 should be replaced by corrected ones.

(ii) In Figs. 7 and 8(a) the scales of the vertical axis should read 1.2×10^{-33} cm², and 3.0×10^{-34} cm², respectively. (iii) Figures 8(b) and 8(c) should be replaced by corrected ones.

However, our conclusions do not need modification.





FIG. 3. (a) Double-energy distributions of the background and the signal with $M_H = 20$ GeV. We have cut off the region $x_- + x_+ \le 1 - \delta_H^2$. (b) Those types of behavior on the diagonal line x = x'.



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FIG. 8. The single-energy distribution of the background. $x_0 = (1-\beta)/(1+\beta)$. It should be noticed that different scales are used for $x < x_0$ and $x_0 < x$, because x_0 is very small. SP denotes the spin-correlation effect. (b) f = b and (c) $f = \tau$.