

## Direct measurement of the trilinear Higgs self-coupling in $e^+e^- \rightarrow ZH$ .

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A method to measure “directly” the trilinear Higgs self-coupling  $\lambda$  in a single Higgs production process is proposed. Time-reversal-odd (T-odd) quantities in the process  $e^+e^- \rightarrow ZH, Z \rightarrow f\bar{f}$  are computed from the absorptive part of the electroweak one-loop amplitude. They are essentially up-down asymmetries of the final fermion  $f$  with respect to the  $ZH$  production plane. The T-odd asymmetries directly measure  $\lambda$ , because the tree-level diagram for a final-state interaction between the  $ZH$  contributes linearly to them.

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