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

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A method to measure "directly" the trilinear Higgs self-coupling λ in a single Higgs production process is proposed. Time-reversal-odd (T-odd) quantities in the process $e^+e^- \to ZH, Z \to f\bar{f}$ 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 λ , because the tree-level diagram for a final-state interaction between the ZH contributes linearly to them.

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