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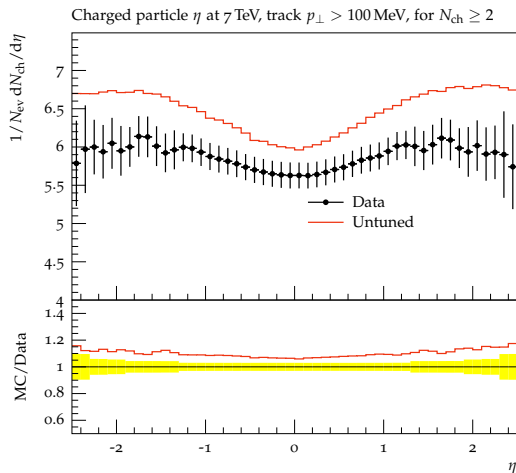
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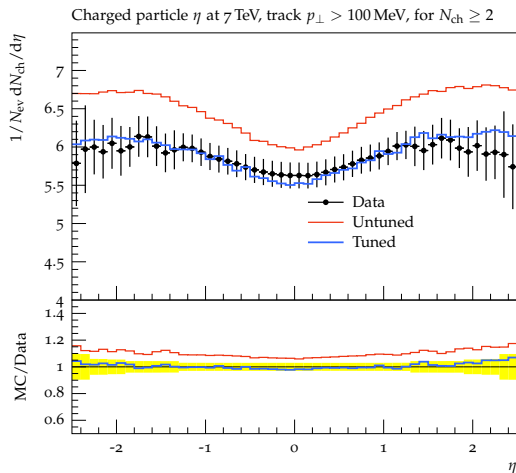
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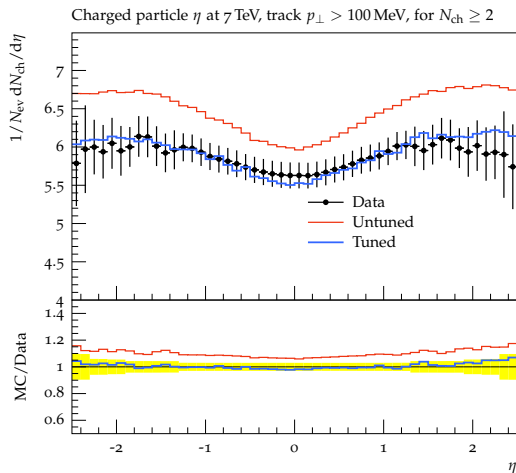
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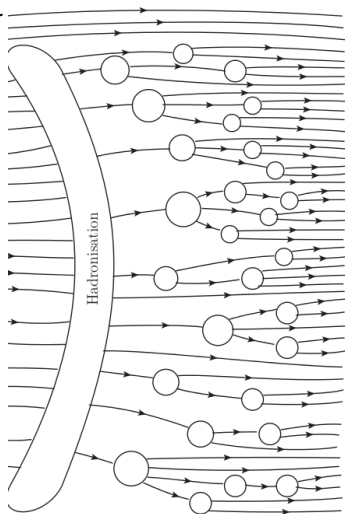
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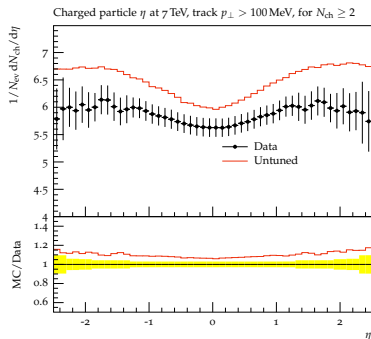
In the following: how to compare MC with data, how to get from red to blue

- Analysis tool for MC events, generator agnostic via HepMC
- Provides most relevant methods for multi particle final states:
 - Cuts
 - Jets
 - Boson finders
 - Event shapes
 - ...
- Writes out histogram (YODA format)
- Strong ties to HepData
- Implementation and validation of new (data) analyses provided by experiment
- Easy to write new analyses for signal and background estimates from MC



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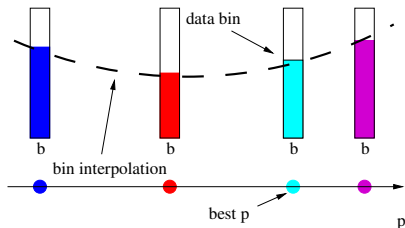
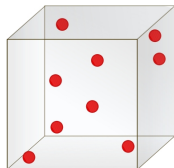
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- Random sampling: N parameter points in n -dimensional space
- Run generator and fill histograms (e.g. Rivet)
- For each bin:
 - Don't care about actual dependence on parameters
 - Polynomial approximation
- Construct overall (now trivial) $\chi^2(\vec{p}) \approx \sum_{bins} \frac{(D_b - I_b(\vec{p}))^2}{error^2}$
- and numerically *minimise* with `iminuit`



PROFESSOR 2

- <http://professor.hepforge.org>, release 2.1.3
- Complete rewrite
- Parametrisation now in C++ (Eigen)
 - Usage in other codes ([arXiv:1511.05170](https://arxiv.org/abs/1511.05170) [hep-ph], [arXiv:1506.08845](https://arxiv.org/abs/1506.08845) [hep-ph])
- Python bindings (through cython) for flexibility:

```
1 import professor2 as prof
# X ... parameter points, e.g. 3-dimensional
3 # Y ... corresponding values
l=prof2.lpol(X,Y, order=5)
5 print l.val([0, -.5, 13])
```

- HepMC to Rivet to YODA to Professor tool chain of course still supported with set of scripts
- Much improved command line
- Parametrisations stored in text files
- Added derivatives

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BASIC WORK CYCLE

- 1 Define and sample M -times from d -dimensional parameter space \mathcal{P}
- 2 For each of the M points \vec{p}_i : evaluate exact $f(\vec{p}_i)$

N.b. this step is trivially parallelisable

- 3 Fit **polynomial** $l(\vec{p})$ through
[[$(\vec{p}_1, f(\vec{p}_1))$], [$\vec{p}_2, f(\vec{p}_2)$], ..., [$\vec{p}_M, f(\vec{p}_M)$]]

e.g. $l(p_1, p_2) = \alpha_0 + \beta_1 p_1 + \beta_2 p_2 + \gamma_{11} p_1^2 + \gamma_{12} p_1 \cdot p_2 + \gamma_{22} p_2^2$

Store **coefficients** in text file

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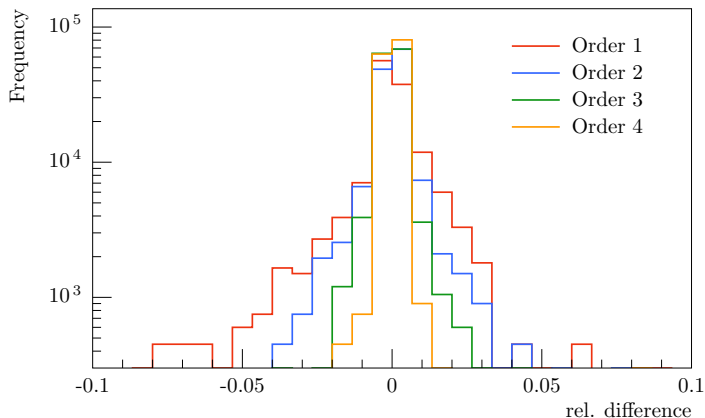
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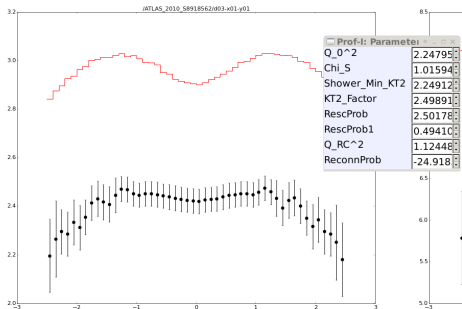
- $I(\vec{p})$ fast, analytical \rightarrow suitable for numerical applications
- Fitting against data
cheap, can bias
minimisation e.g. if $f(\vec{p})$
known to be imperfect
(AMBT2 and AUET2)

$$\chi^2(\vec{p}) = \sum_b^{\text{Nbins}} w_b \cdot \left(\frac{I_b(\vec{p}) - D_b}{\Delta(\vec{p})} \right)^2$$

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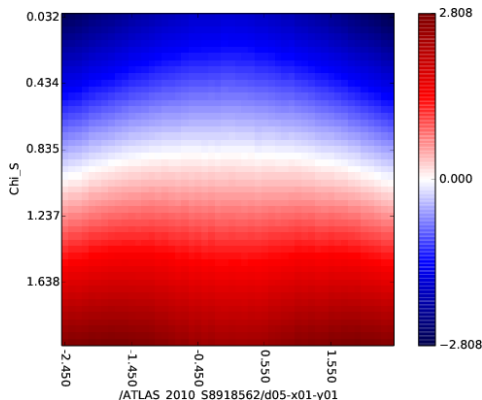
- Interactive parametrisation explorer



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- Sensitivity and correlation analysis cheap \rightarrow find parameters that do nothing \rightarrow reduce dimensionality

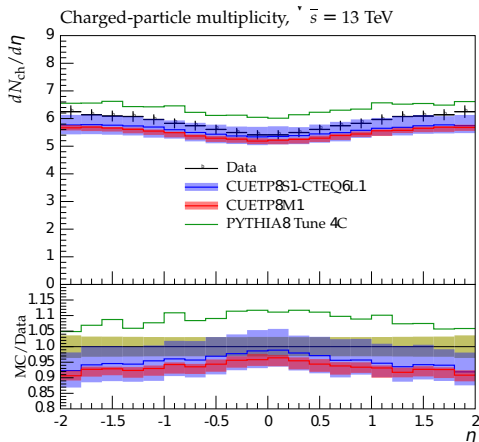


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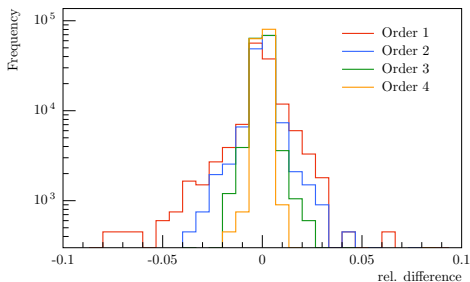
- Can exploit χ^2 valley to get error-tunes <http://inspirehep.net/record/1407839>

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- $I(\vec{p})$ fast, analytical \rightarrow suitable for numerical applications
- Validation of parametrisation allows to catch errors early on
- Improve quality by
 - Throwing and exact evaluation for more points
 - Using higher order polynomials



TECHNICALITIES

- Core functionality (parametrisation) written in C++
- Allows for usage in programs such as `GFitter`
- Arbitrary polynomial order and first derivative automatically
- Dependency: Eigen3 ($\geq v2.6$)
- Platform independent storage of parametrisation (ASCII)
- Tuning system: set of factorised python scripts (via cython)
- Minimisation done using `iminuit` <https://github.com/iminuit/>
- ROOT support via YODA

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- Current version: Professor 2.1.3
- Bootstrap script
- Exhaustive documentation with videos