



NNPDF Status and Future Plans

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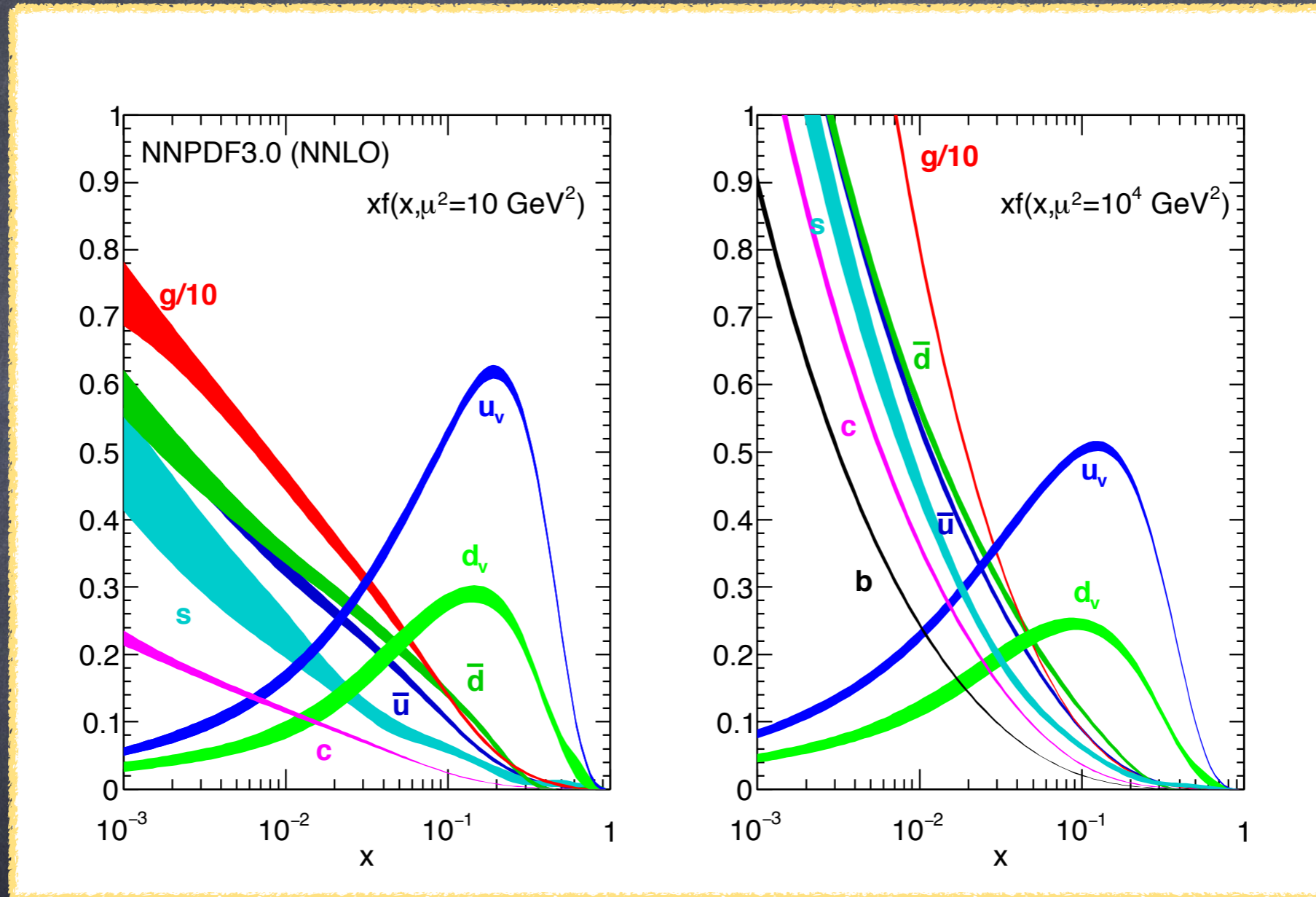
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NNPDF3.0

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- New PDF set released last November
- LO, NLO and NNLO sets with different values of α_s and different datasets available from LHAPDF

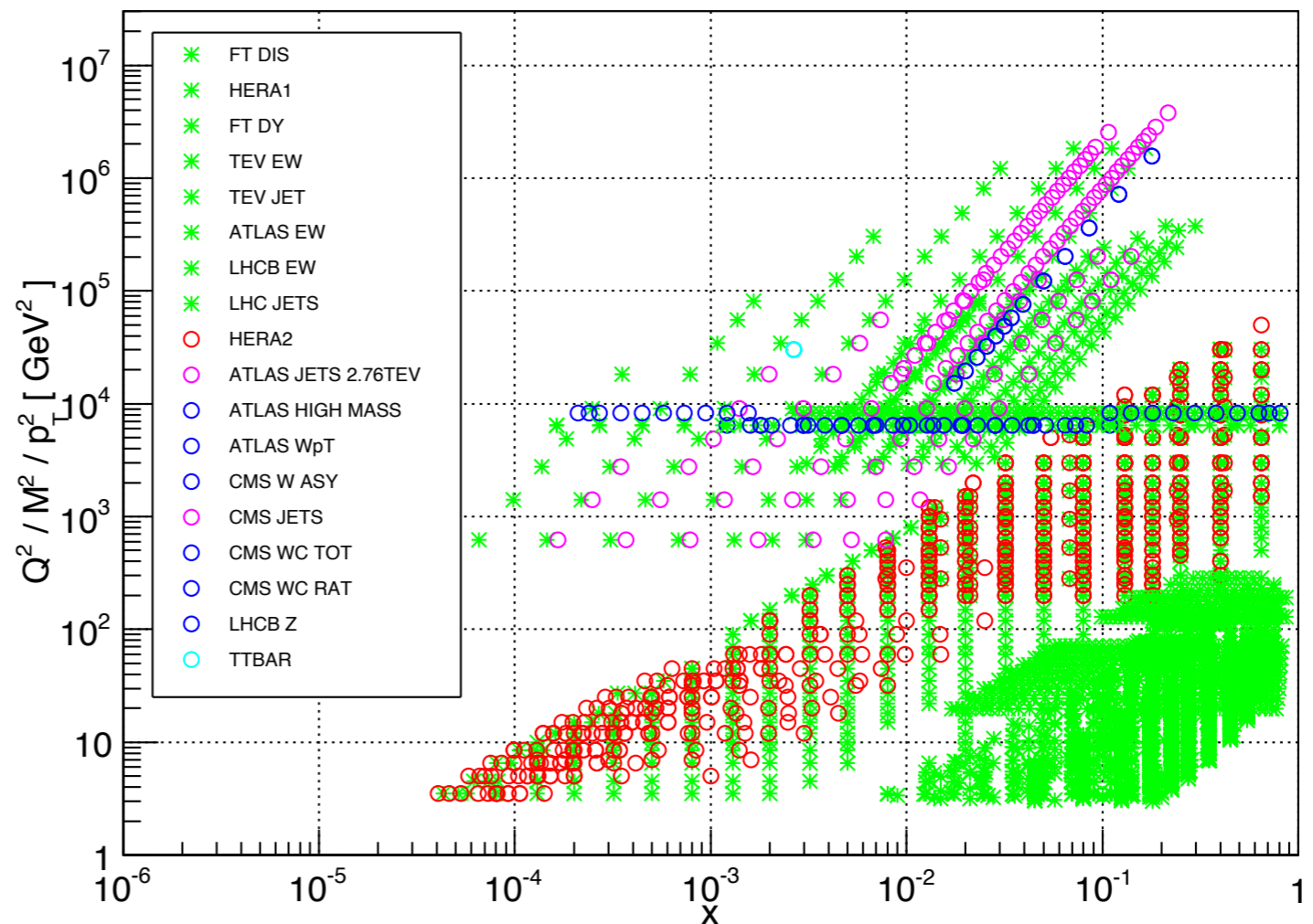
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NNPDF3.0 Dataset

New in NNPDF3.0

- HERA: HERA II ZEUS+H1 structure functions, HERA charm production
- ATLAS: 2.76TeV Jets, high-mass Drell-Yan, W pT, top total cross section
- CMS: W muon asymmetry, double- differential Drell-Yan, jets, W+c, top total cross section
- LHCb: Z rapidity

NNPDF3.0 NLO dataset



Total Dataset: 4276/4078 (NLO/NNLO)

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NPDF3.0 Dataset

- **New code**, completely rewritten in C++: focus on **efficiency** and **modularity**; easier to include new data and to upgrade theory
- Optimisation of the Genetic Algorithm: **new mutation strategy** exploiting NN structure in order to obtain better fits in a shorter amount of time
- **Generalised PDF parametrisation**: fits can now be performed in any arbitrary input PDF basis
- **Lookback stopping**: improved cross-validation which prevents the fit from stopping too early while still protecting against over-learning
- Optimisation of **positivity constraints** covering a wider range of observables over a larger kinematic range
- First PDF set validated by a **Closure Test**

NNPDF3.0

Closure Testing

Validation and optimisation of fitting strategy by fitting to pseudo-data generated using known PDFs

Define underlying physical law based on chosen PDF set (MSTW, NNPDF, CT etc.)

Generate random pseudo-data using underlying law and experimental covariance matrix

Perform (NN)PDF fit

Compare results obtained from fit to underlying law

PDFs with Threshold Resummation

M. Bonvini, S. Marzani, J. Rojo,
LR, M. Ubiali et al, arXiv:1507.01006

Motivation

- **Logarithmic contributions** in fixed order perturbative calculations become large in some kinematic regions, thus **spoiling** the perturbative expansions
- **Large- x** resummation: logarithmic enhancement appears close to threshold, $x \rightarrow 1$
- Resummed calculations provide the **state of the art** accuracy for many processes at LHC
- Inconsistent use of fixed order PDFs with resummed partonic cross sections can lead to inaccurate predictions
- One needs **resummed PDFs** to be able to provide a consistent calculation

PDFs with Threshold Resummation

Threshold Resummation in a nutshell

$$\sigma(x, Q^2) = x \int_x^1 \frac{dz}{z} \mathcal{L}\left(\frac{x}{z}, Q^2\right) \frac{\hat{\sigma}(z, Q^2, \alpha_s)}{z}$$

Convolution integral diagonalised in Mellin space

$$\sigma(N, Q^2) = \mathcal{L}(N, Q^2) \sigma_0(N, Q^2) C(N)$$

Double logarithmic enhancement due to soft gluon emission

$$C(N) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_s^n \sum_{k=0}^{2n} c_{nk} \ln^k N + \mathcal{O}(1/N)$$

N-soft approximation

Exponentiation

$$C(N) = g_0(\alpha_s) \exp \left[\frac{1}{\alpha_s} g_1(\alpha_s \ln N) + g_2(\alpha_s \ln N) + \alpha_s g_3(\alpha_s \ln N) + \dots \right]$$

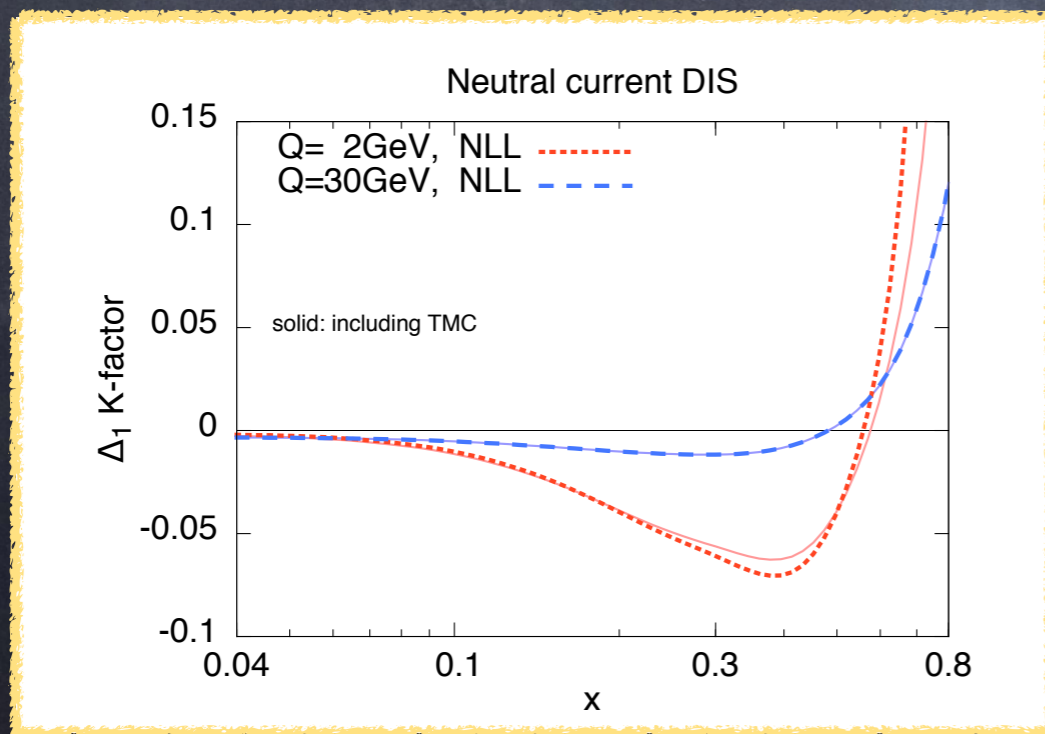
The functions g_i resum $\alpha_s^n \ln^n N$ to all orders

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- TROLL (TROLL Resums Only Large-x Logarithms) computes threshold-enhanced terms up to N³LL' accuracy (<http://www.ge.infn.it/~bonvini/troll/>)
- Consistent match with fixed order
- TROLL delivers $\Delta_j K_{N^k LL}$

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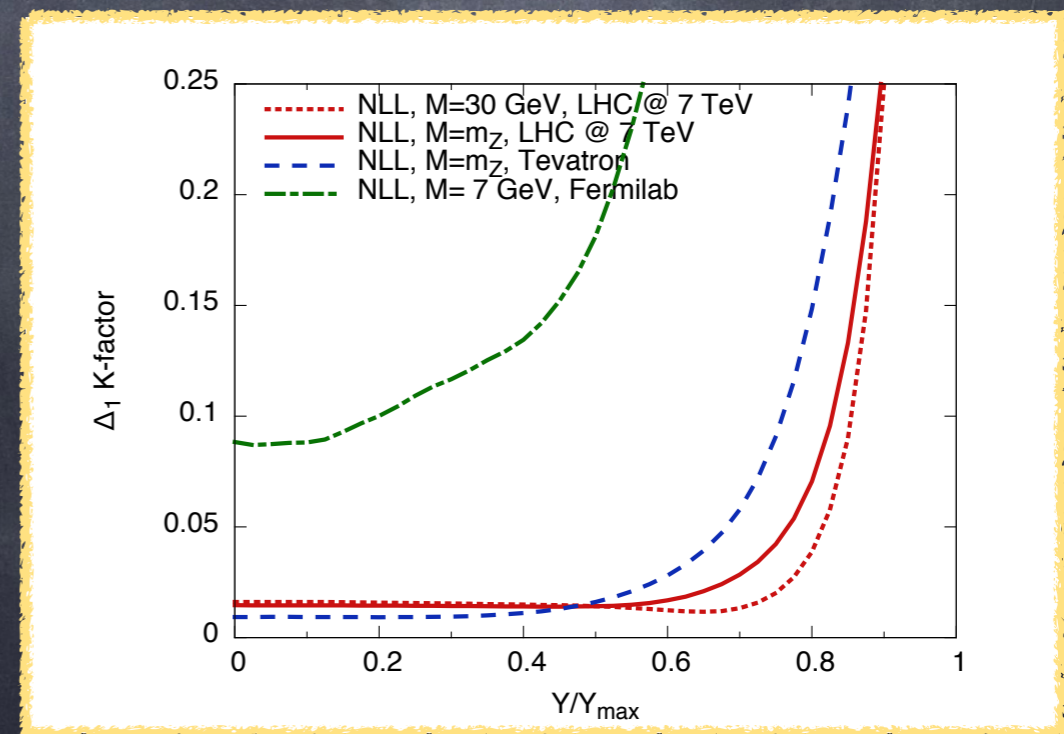
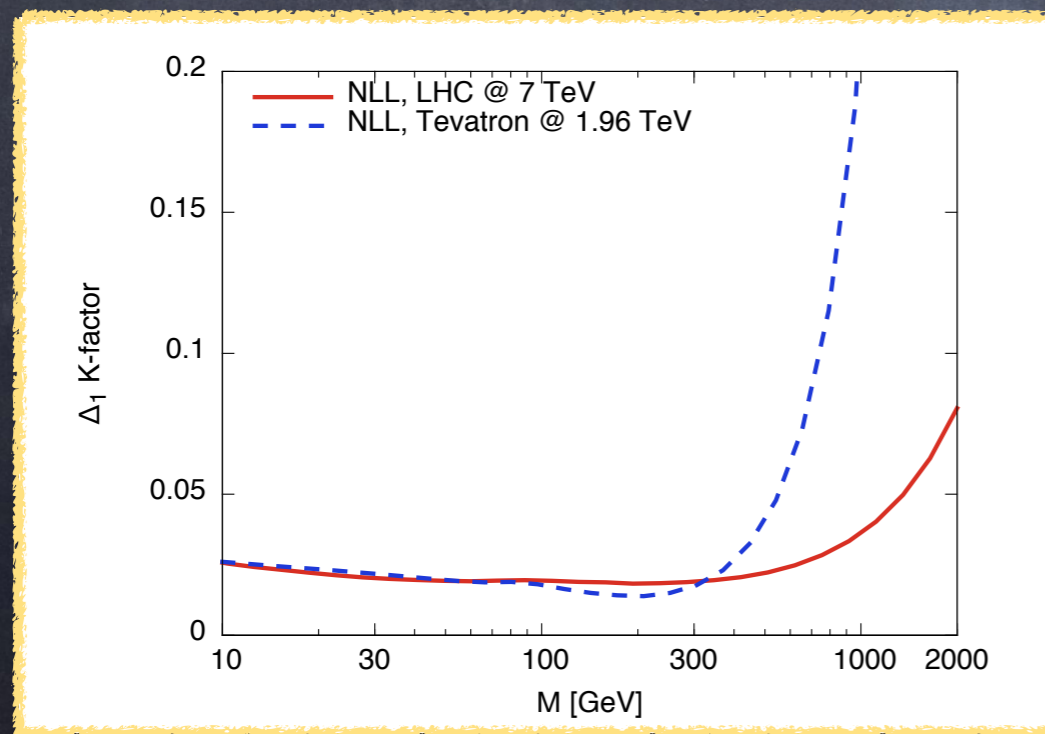
Target Mass Corrections at
Next to Leading Twist

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medium & large-x gluon

quark-flavour separations

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~3000 Data Points

Accuracy competitive with global fit, except for large-x gluon

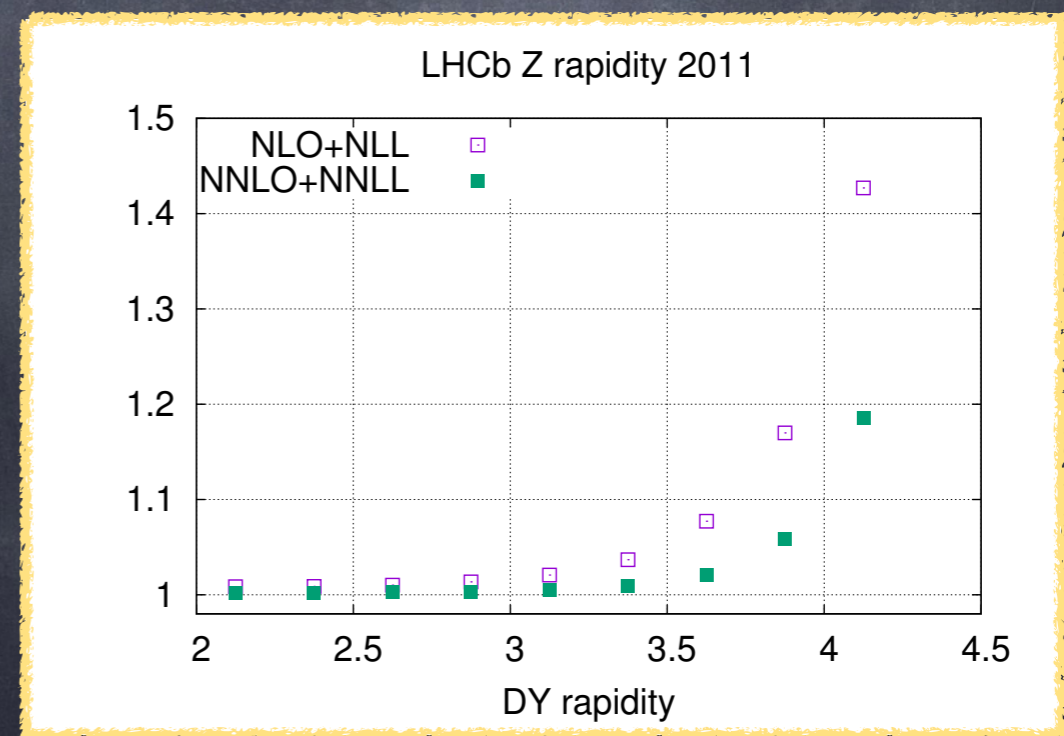
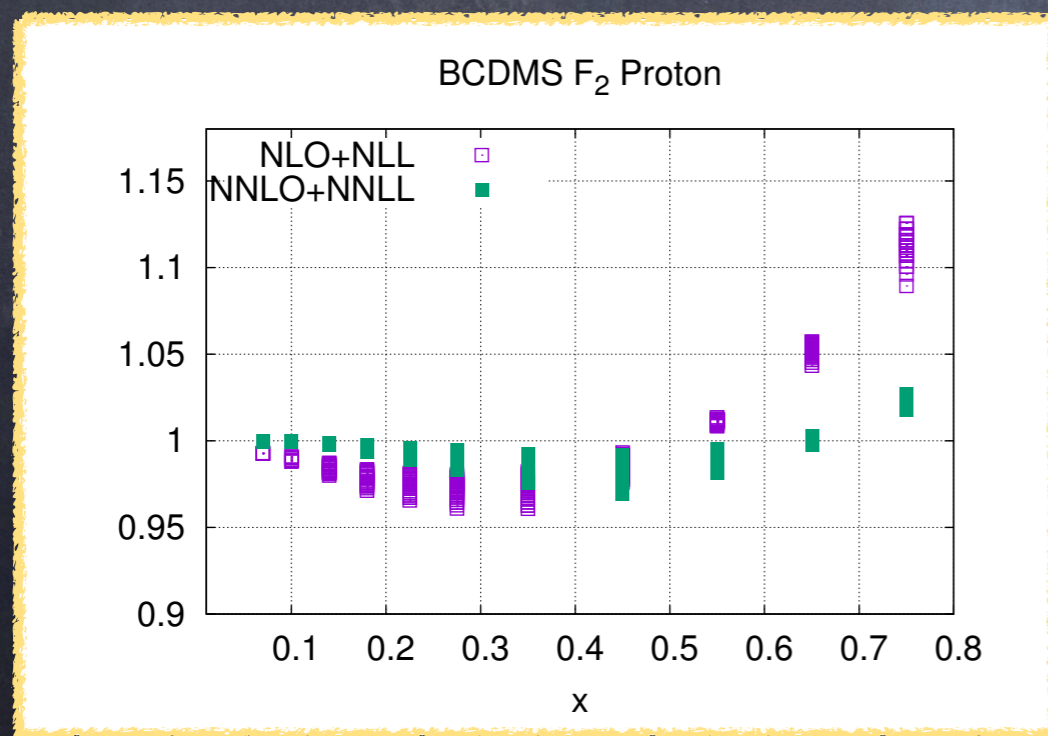
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K-factors

- Effect of resummation included supplementing fixed order computation with K -factors

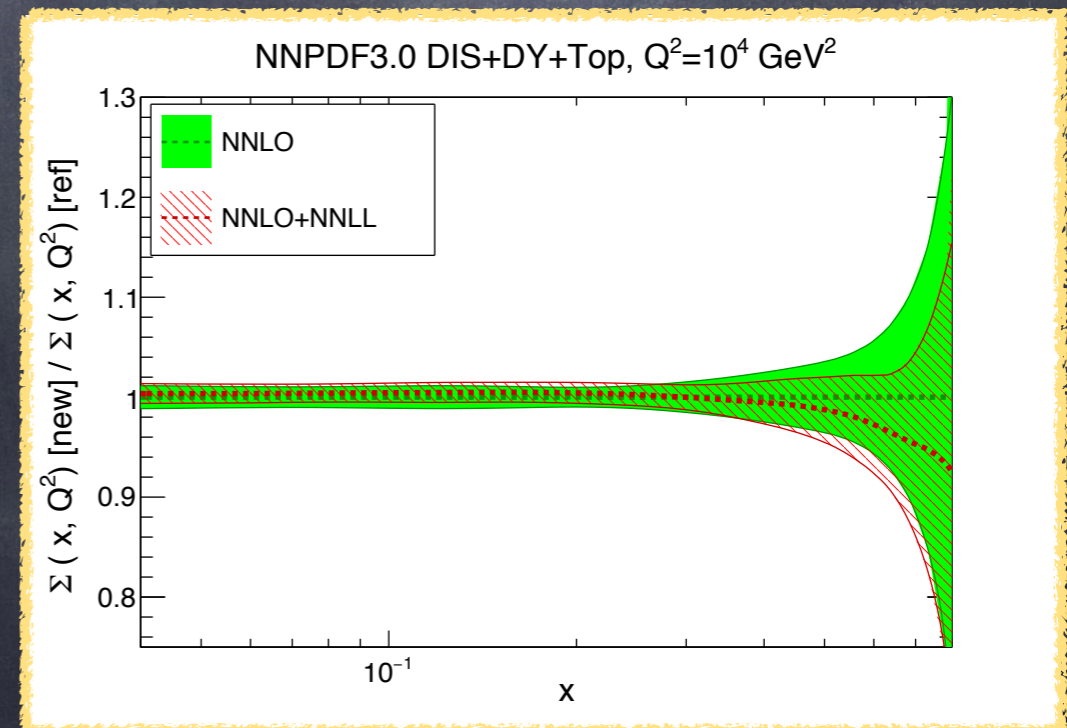
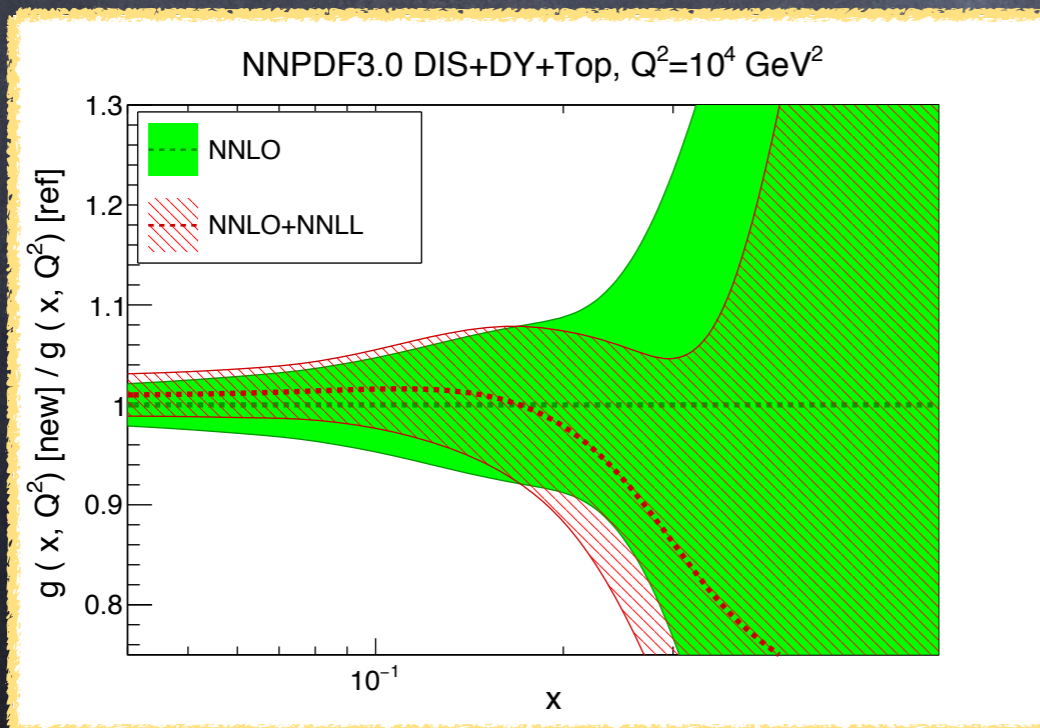
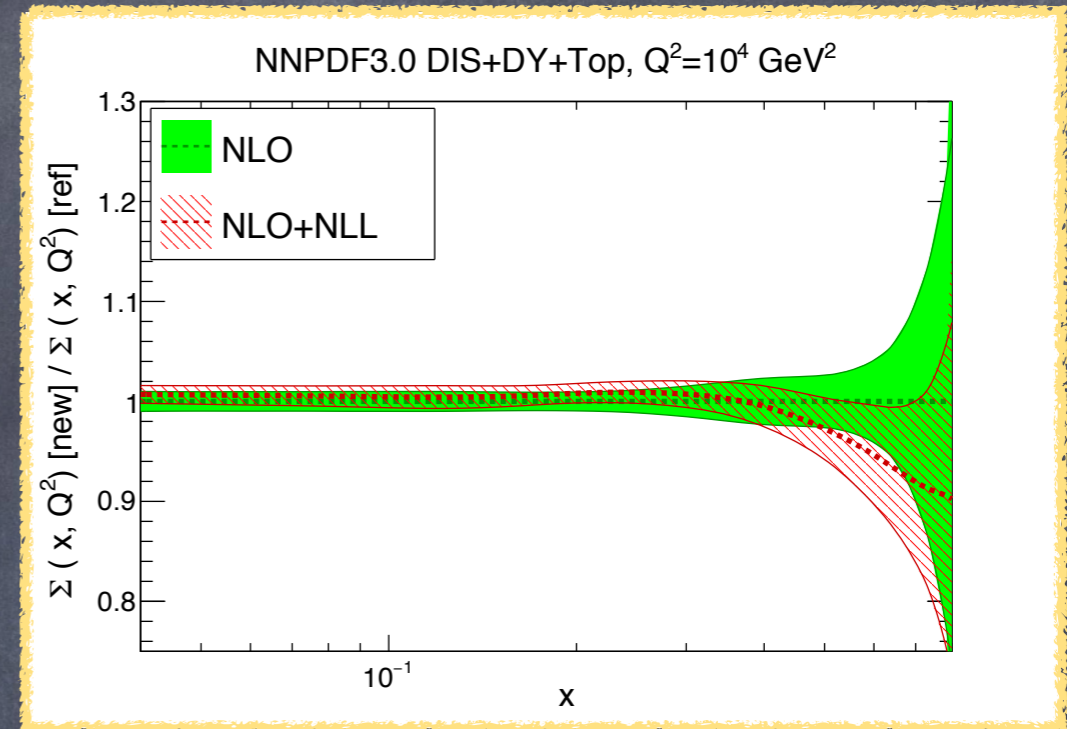
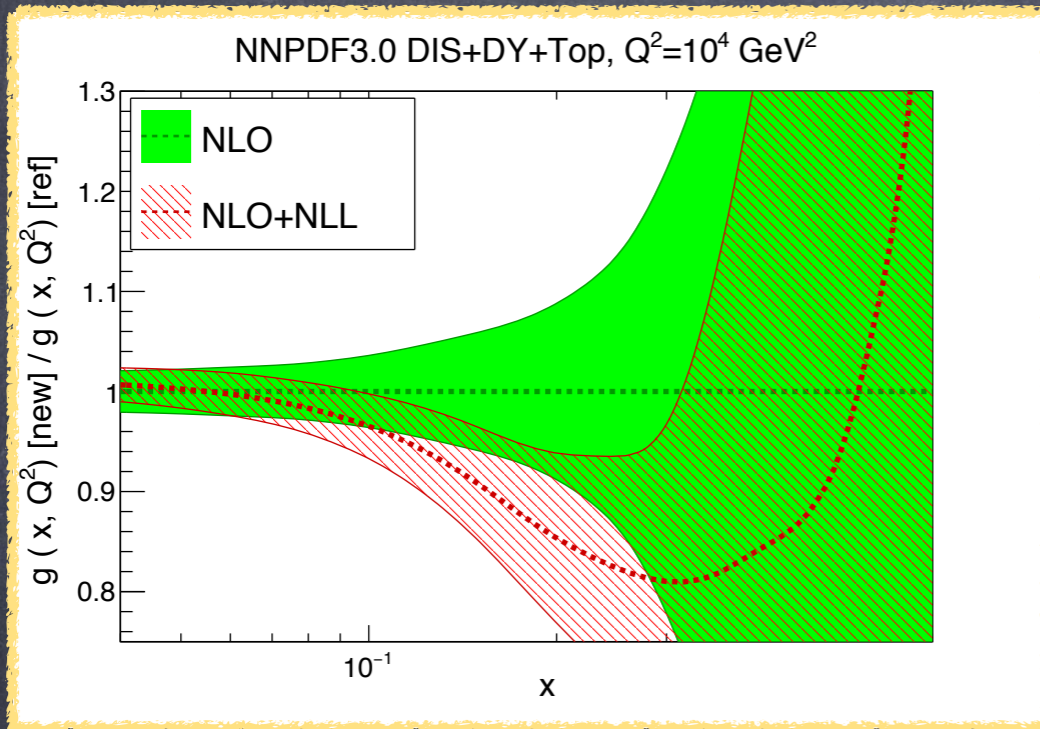
$$K^{N^k LO+N^k LL} = \frac{\sigma^{N^k LO+N^k LL}}{\sigma^{N^k LO}}$$

- Re-iteration of the fits to ensure convergence



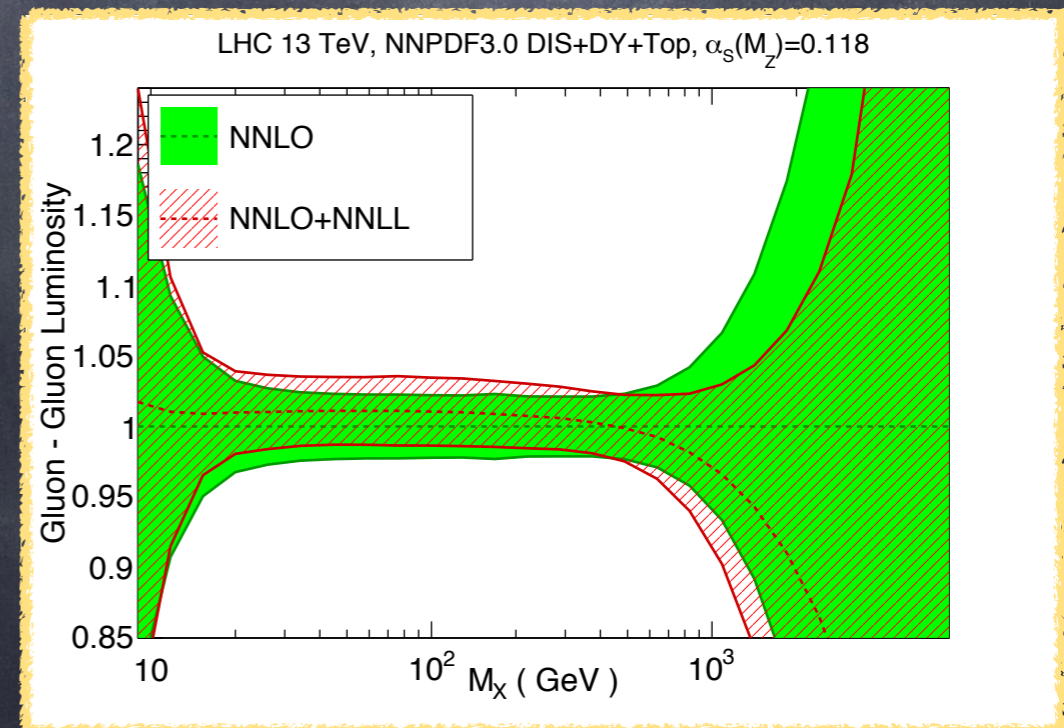
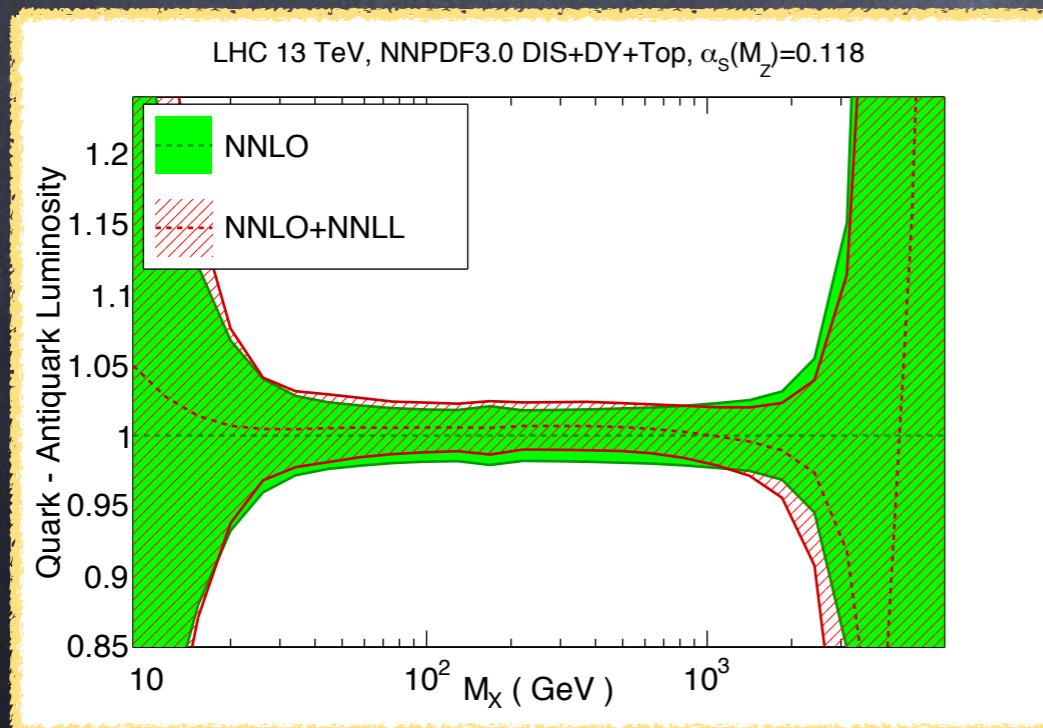
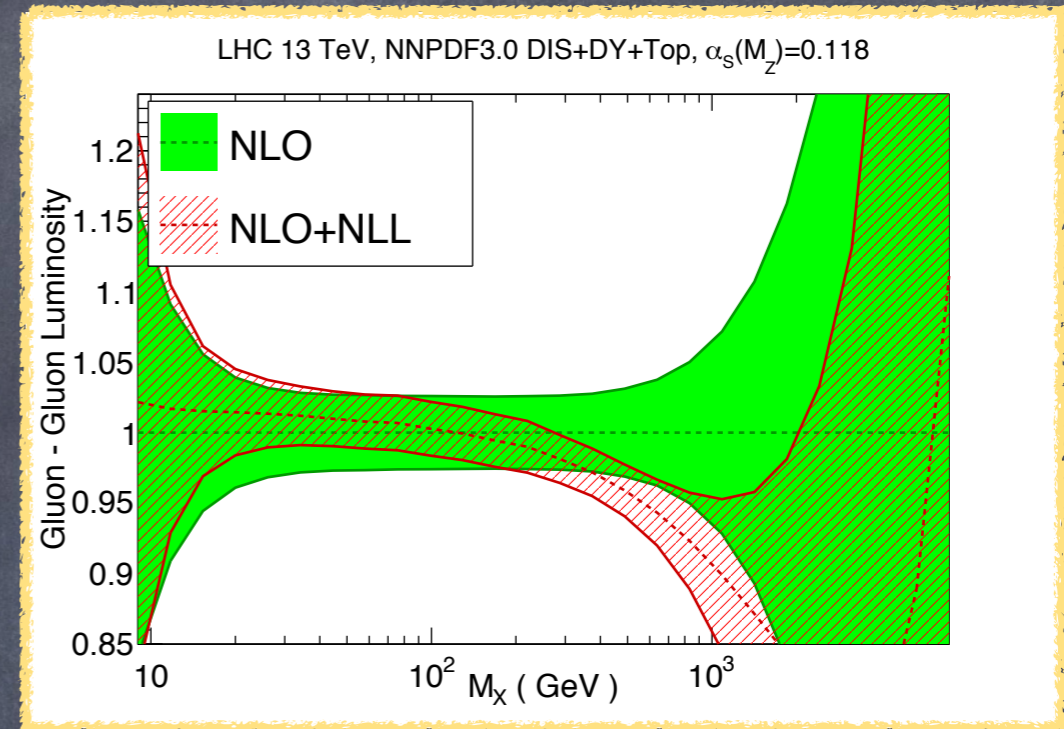
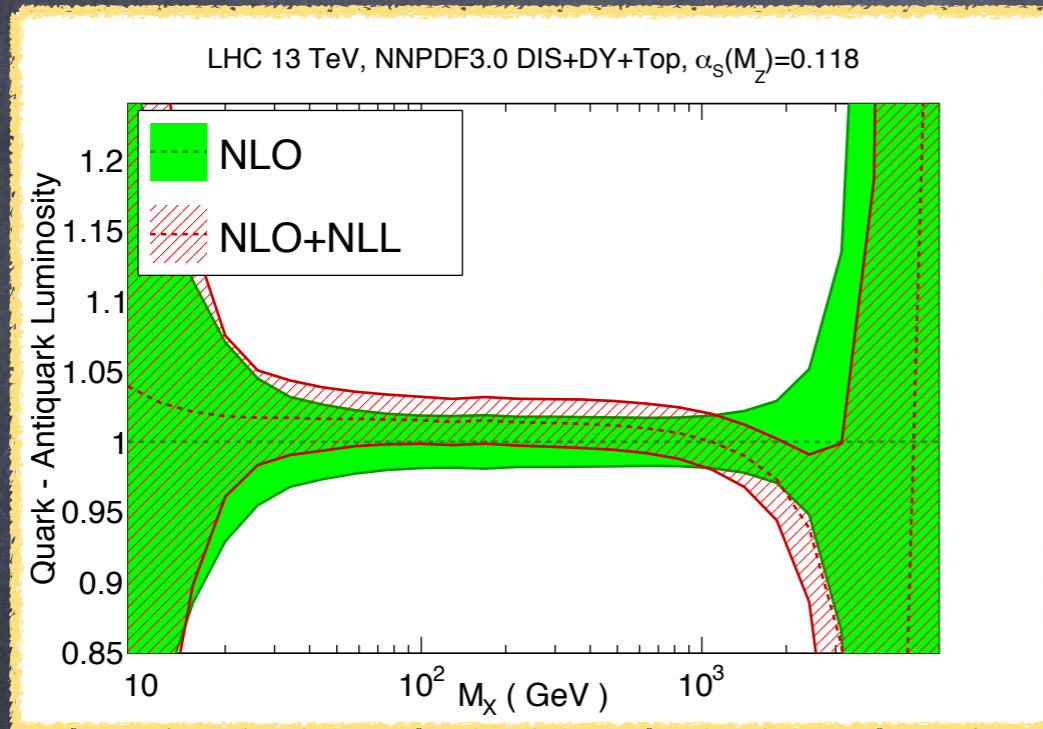
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Comparison with Baseline Fits



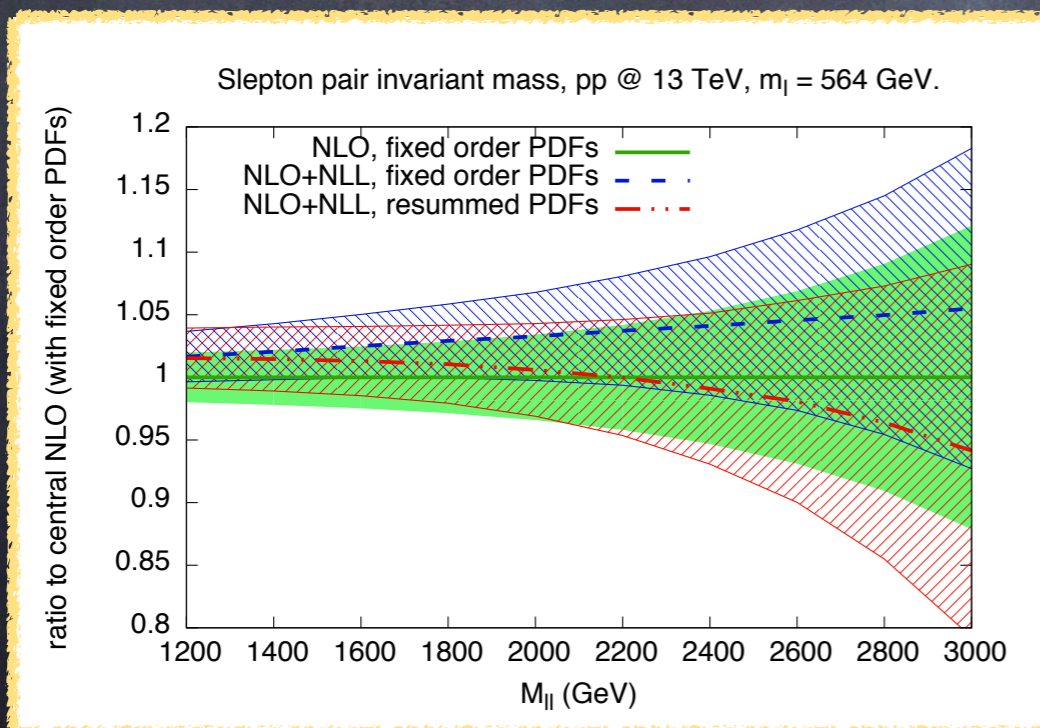
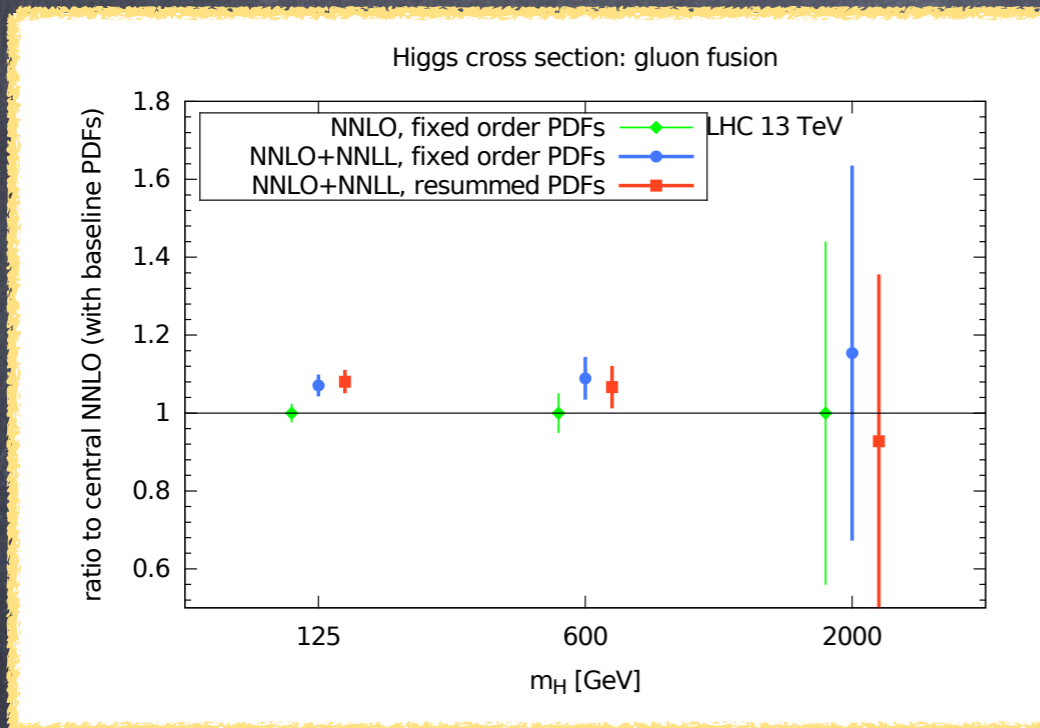
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Phenomenology

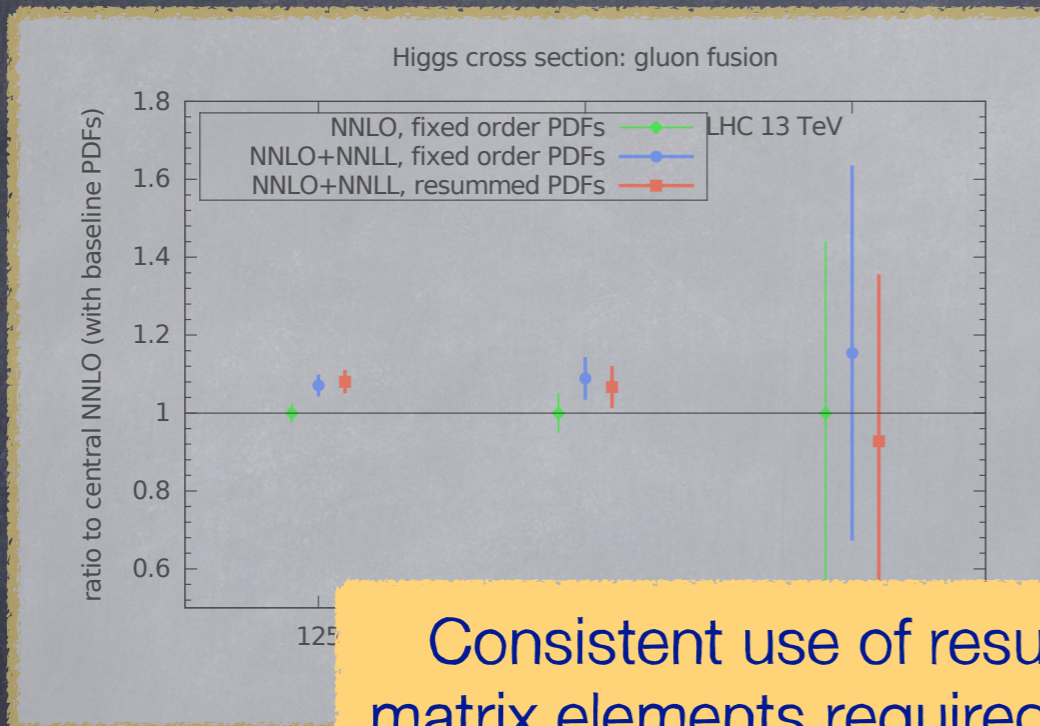


- SM Higgs not affected by resummation of PDFs
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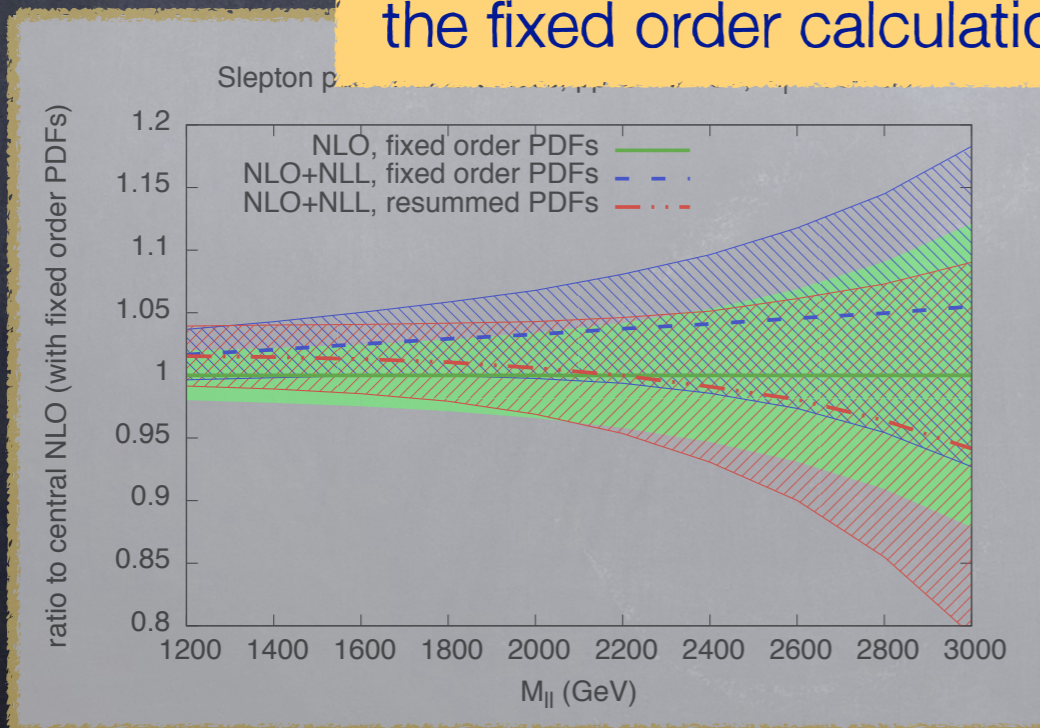
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PDFs with Threshold Resummation

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Consistent use of resummation in the PDFs and matrix elements required: resummed result closer to the fixed order calculation at large invariant masses



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PDFs with Threshold Resummation

Threshold Resummation: Summary

- First ever (global) fit of PDFs with **threshold resummation**
- PDFs **reduced in the large-x region**; at intermediate values of x quark PDFs slightly enhanced (sum rule); negligible effects at $x < 0.01$
- Inclusion of resummation in PDFs **compensates the enhancement** from resummation in partonic cross sections for when M_x is large
- Importance of using consistently the **same perturbative order** in all components when calculating hadronic cross sections: consistent resummed calculations might be closer to fixed order results
- Limitations: **larger uncertainties** do to reduced dataset. **Methodology** enables to have truly global resummed PDFs when calculations for missing processes will be available

NNPDF Developments

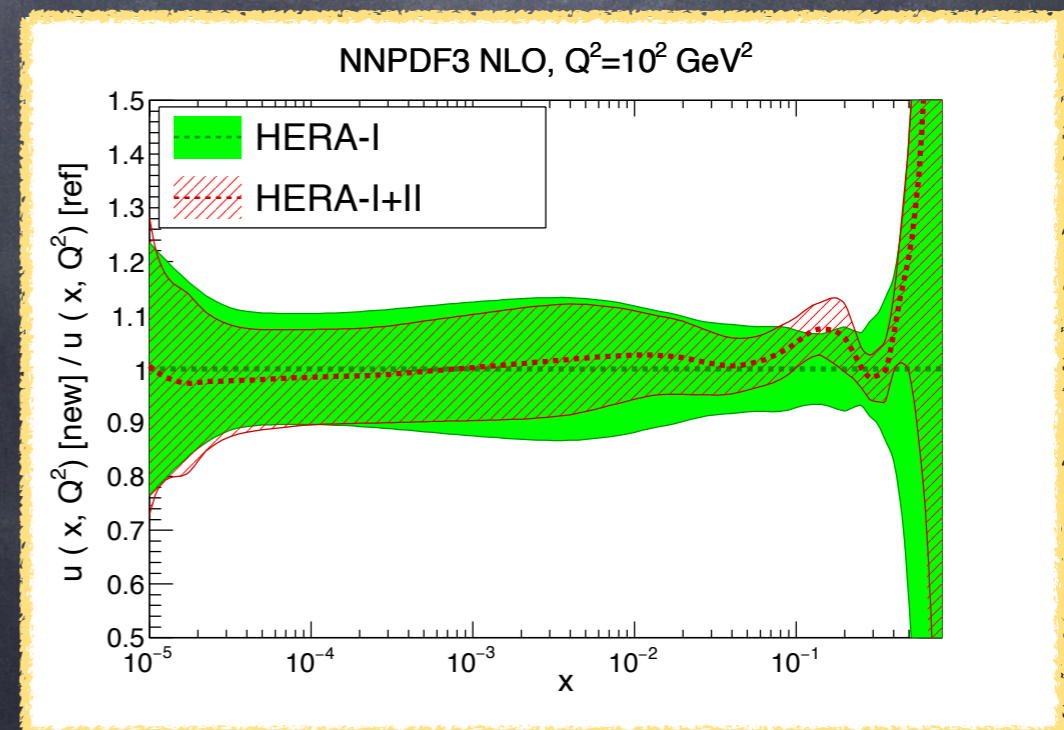
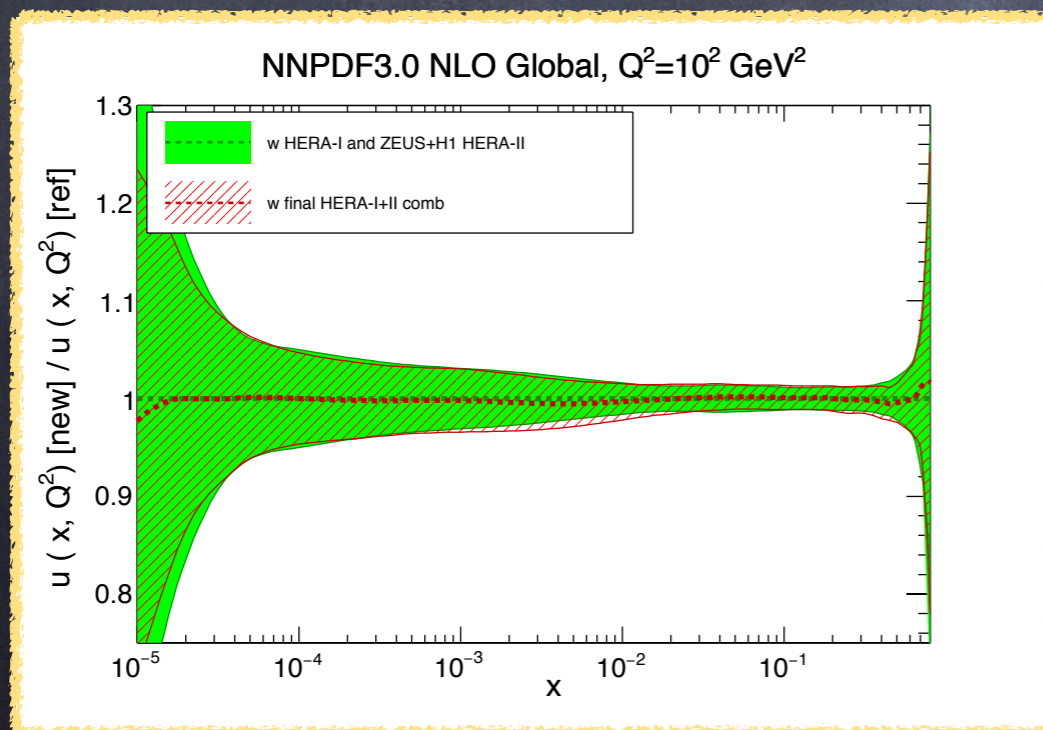
New Experimental Data

- HERA II HERA II legacy data
- D0 W asymmetry
- ATLAS low-mass DY, prompt photon, W+c, Z pt, top rapidity, inclusive jets 7 TeV
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New Experimental Data: HERA II Data Impact

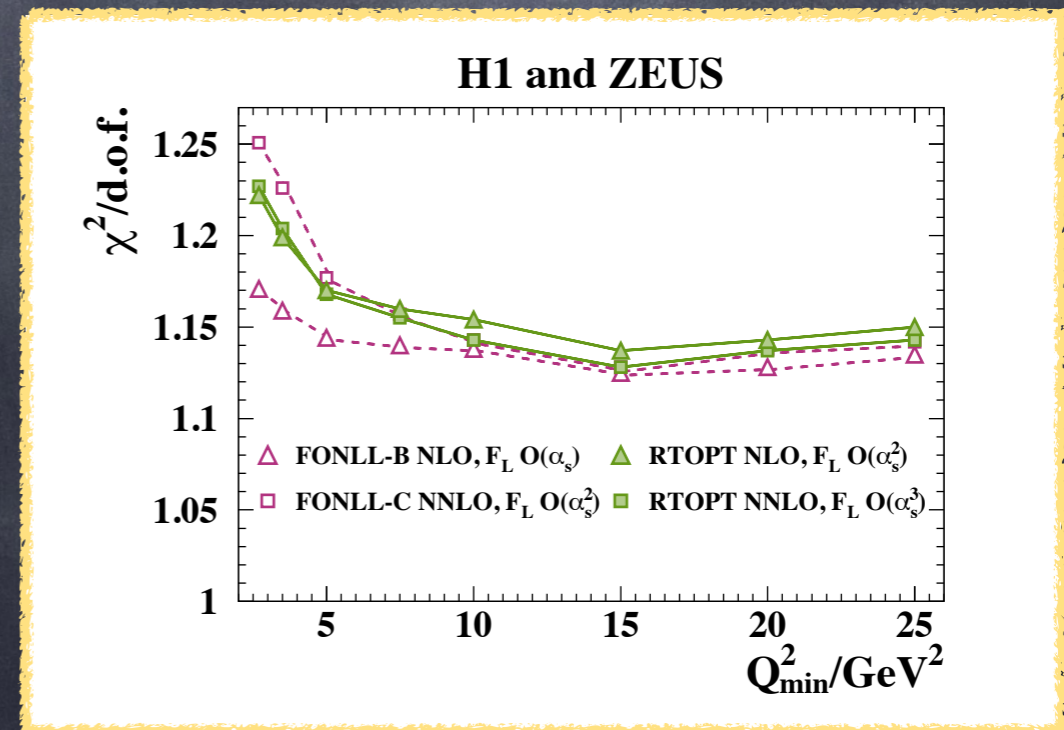
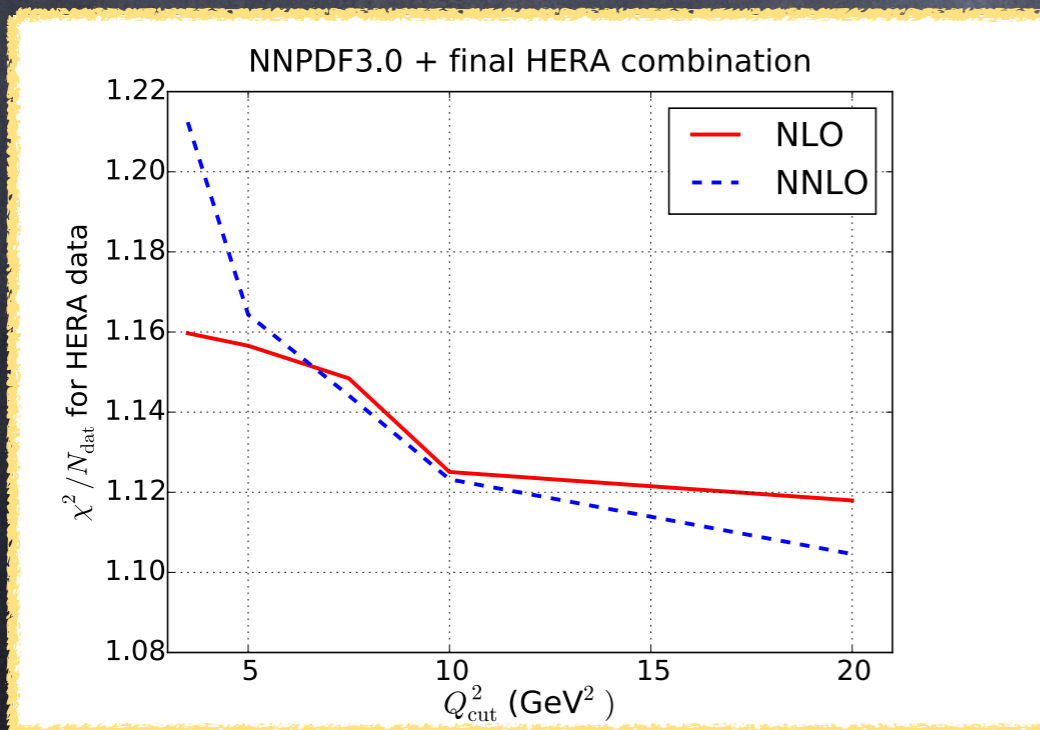
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- χ^2 vs Q_{cut}^2 may indicate the need for **small-x resummation**



NNPDF Developments

- ✓ Integration of **APFEL** in NNPDF with **APFELcomb**: straightforward inclusion in the NNPDF fits of new theory developments (resummations, IC, scale variations...)
- ✓ **NNPDF3.0res** with threshold resummation
- NNPDF3.x with **new data**, **MSbar** running masses
- NNPDF3.x with **small-x** resummation
- NNPDF3.x with **fitted charm PDF** (M. Bonvini's talk)
- NNPDF3.xQED: precision determination of the **photon PDF** from LHC data

- NNPDF4.0 (?) with **theoretical uncertainties** on PDFs

NPDF

NNPDF methodology: a short recap

- Each PDF parameterised by a **Neural Network** (NN): default 2-5-3-1 architecture, 37 parameters
- Minimisation performed using **Genetic Algorithms** (GA) to find best-fit PDFs
- Best fit through **cross-validation** method (no noise fitting)

- Capture the PDF uncertainties by using a **Monte Carlo** approach
- Monte Carlo representation of covariance matrix through **pseudo-data replicas**
- **PDF replica set** is fitted to each pseudo-data replica
- Set of PDF replicas can be used to compute any set of observables

NNPDF Plans

Heavy Quarks Treatment

- Extension of FONLL GM-VFN scheme to include $\overline{\text{MS}}$ running masses and intrinsic charm (IC)
- Moderate but not negligible effect in the pole \rightarrow $\overline{\text{MS}}$ mass when keeping the same numerical value of the charm mass fixed
- Intrinsic charm discussed in M. Bonvini's talk

