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PDF and Electroweak Precision Test at the LHC

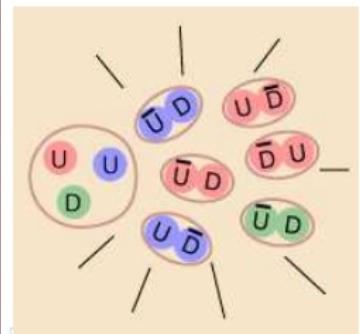
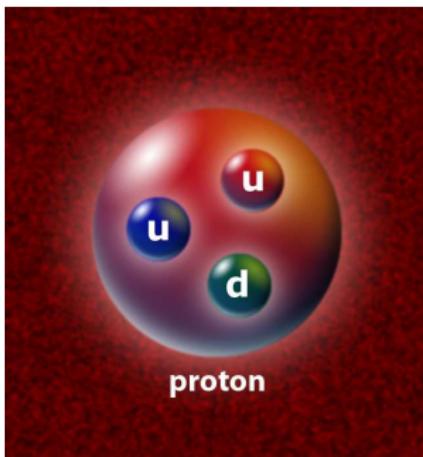
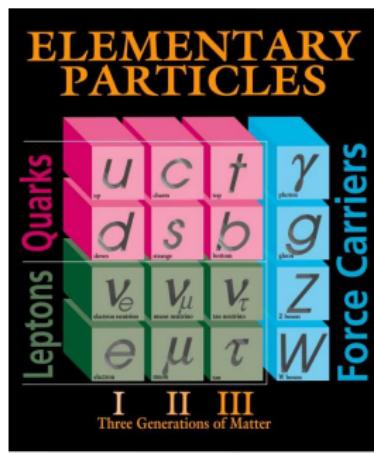
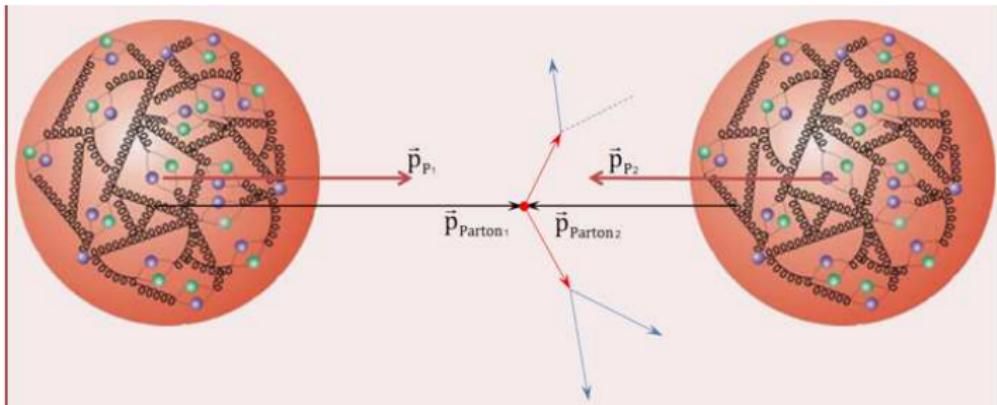
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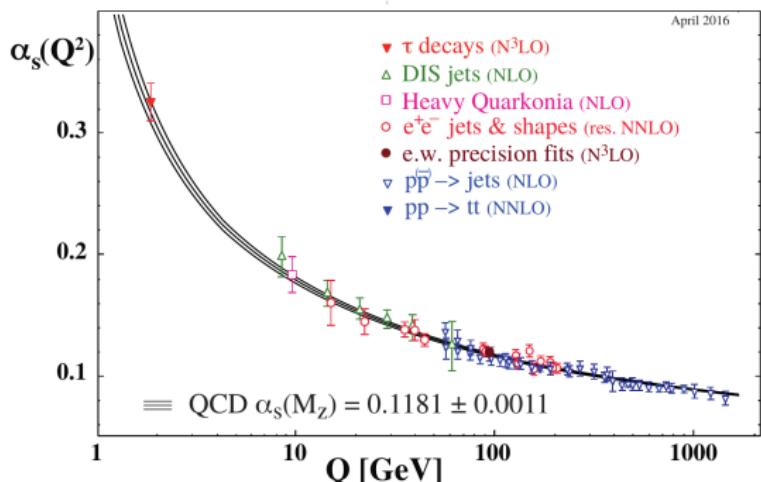
Proton is constructed by quark and gluon

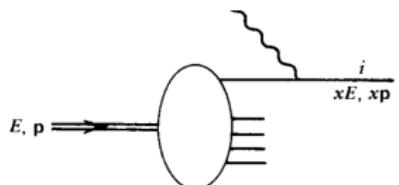
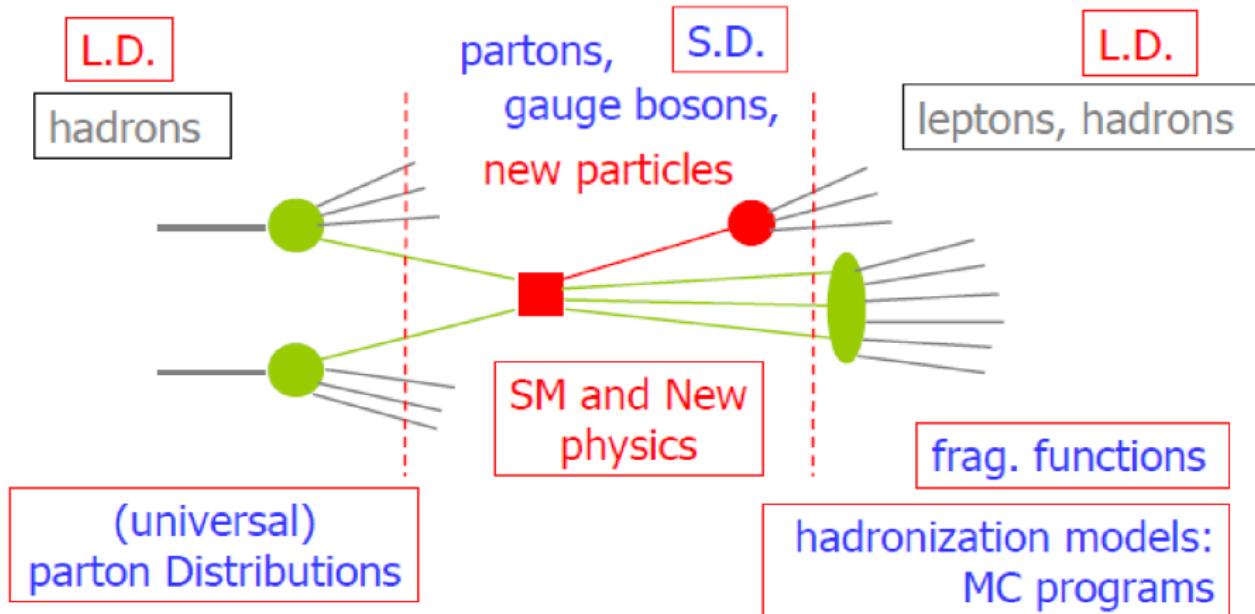


Nobel Prize 2004: Asymptotic freedom in strong interaction



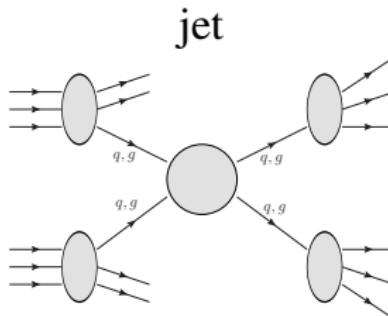
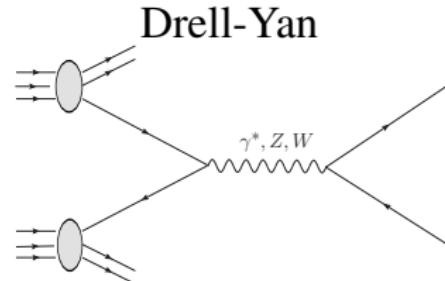
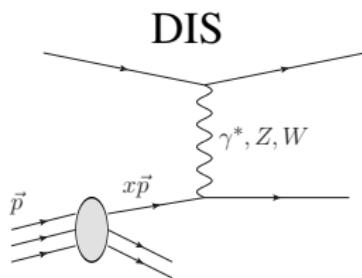
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Parton distribution function (PDF)
 $f_{j/A}(x, Q)$ describe the possibility to find a parton j , i.e. quark and gluon, in a nucleon A .

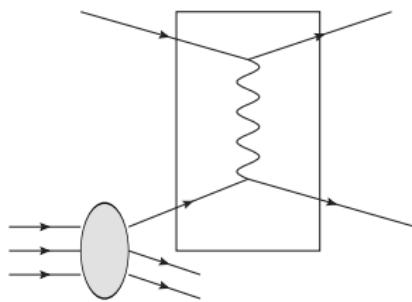
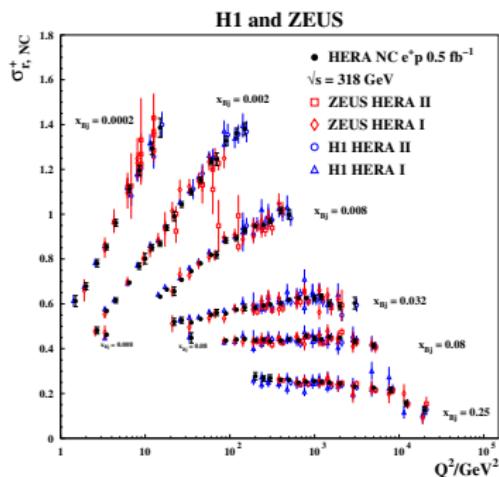
PDF $f(x, Q)$ is universal



PDF(Parton distribution function) tell us the probability to find out a parton in a proton with particular momentum fraction x and energy Q .

PDF is determined by comparing data and hard cross section

$$\sigma = f(x, Q^2, \{a\}) \otimes \hat{\sigma}$$



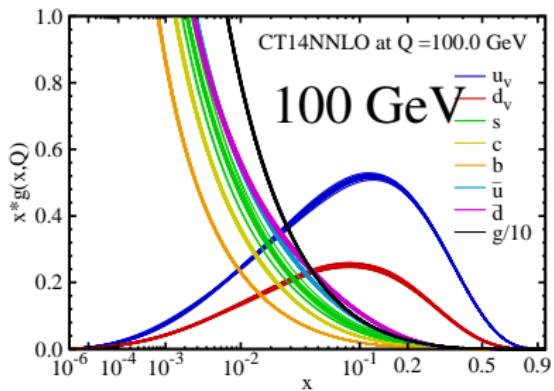
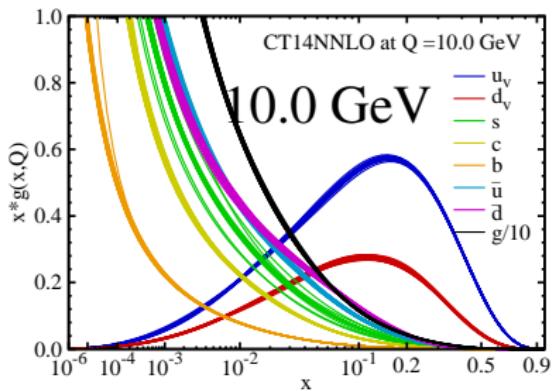
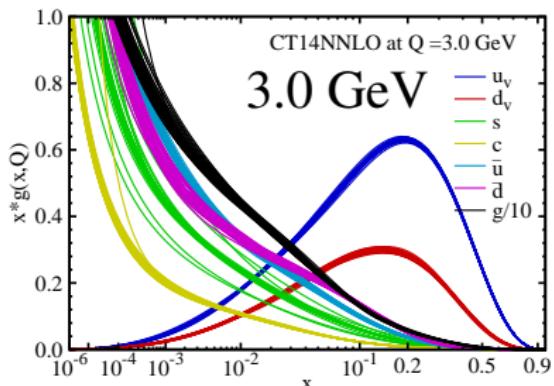
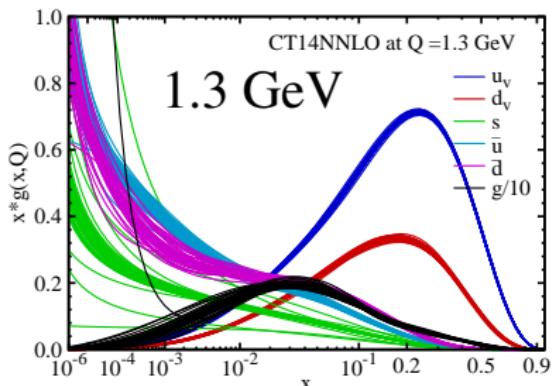
PDF
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NNLO

Hard part
LO
NLO
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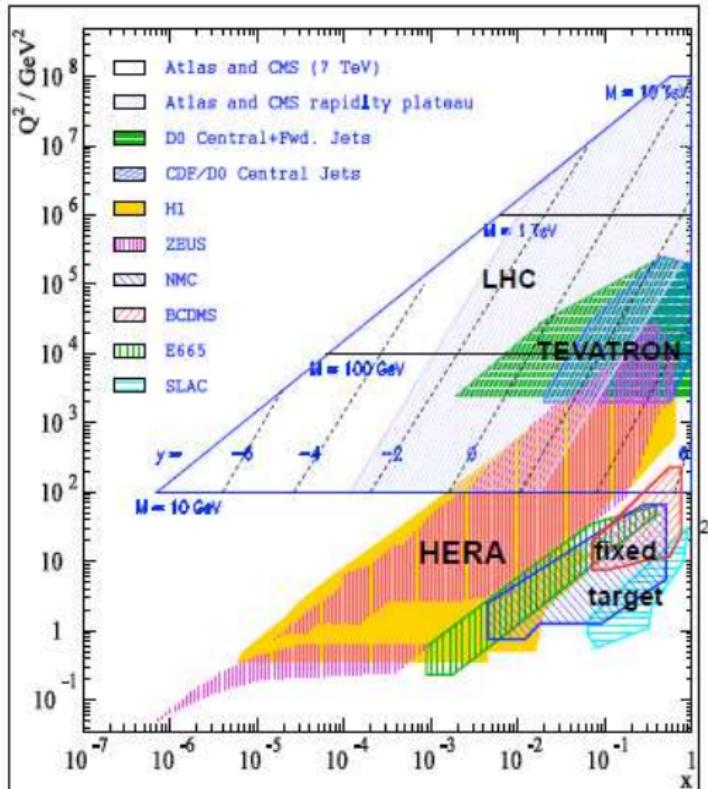
PDF evolve

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial q_i(x, \mu^2)}{\partial \ln \mu^2} &= P_{qq}^v \otimes q_i + P_{q\bar{q}}^v \otimes \bar{q}_i + P_{qq}^s \otimes \sum_k^{N_f} q_k + P_{q\bar{q}}^s \otimes \sum_k^{N_f} \bar{q}_k + P_{qg} \otimes g \\ \frac{\partial \bar{q}_i(x, \mu^2)}{\partial \ln \mu^2} &= P_{q\bar{q}}^v \otimes q_i + P_{qq}^v \otimes \bar{q}_i + P_{q\bar{q}}^s \otimes \sum_k^{N_f} q_k + P_{qq}^s \otimes \sum_k^{N_f} \bar{q}_k + P_{qg} \otimes g \\ \frac{\partial g(x, \mu^2)}{\partial \ln \mu^2} &= P_{gq} \otimes \sum_k^{N_f} (q_k + \bar{q}_k) + P_{gg} \otimes g\end{aligned}$$

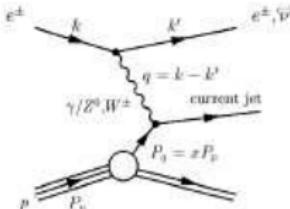
DGLAP equations tell us how the PDFs evolve from low energy scale, the input energy scale, to high energy scale, the energy scale of interaction. But it does not tell us its x-dependency. PDFs $f(x, Q_0)$ at input energy scale Q_0 is determined by Data.



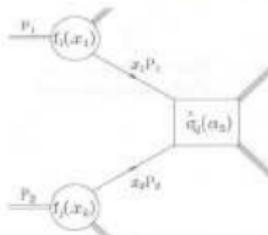
Experimental access to the proton structure



HERA: low and medium x



LHC: important constraints on $g(x)$, flavour separation



Fixed Target: high x , nuclear PDFs

Parametrization of PDFs

CT global analysis takes $Q_0 = 1.3\text{GeV} \gg \Lambda_{QCD}$, and assume

$$xf_a(x, Q_0, \{a_1, a_2, \dots\}) = x^{a_1}(1-x)^{a_2}P_a(x)$$

- $x \rightarrow 0$: $f \propto x^{a_1}$, Regge-like behavior
- $x \rightarrow 1$: $f \propto (1-x)^{a_2}$, quark counting rules
- $P(x; a_3, a_4, \dots)$: affects intermediate x ; In CT14, Bernstein polynomial is applied.

For every proton flavor:

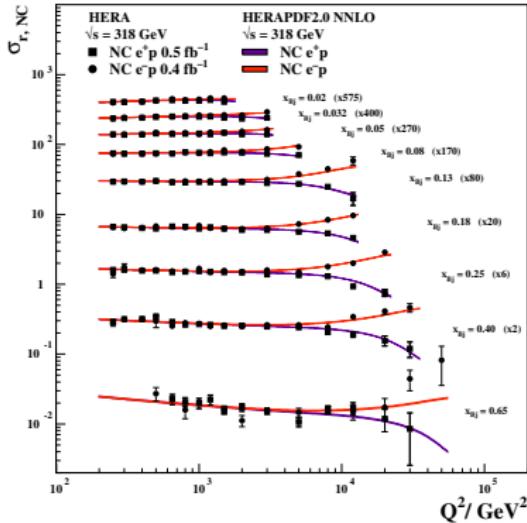
$$g, \quad u_v, \quad d_v, \quad s, \quad \bar{u}_s = u_s, \quad \bar{d}_s = d_s$$

Where $u = u_v + u_s$, and $d = d_v + d_s$.

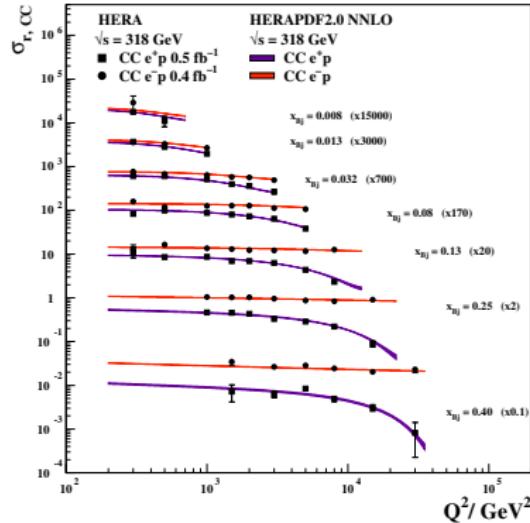
In total, there are about 28 shape parameters used in CT14.

HERA I+II

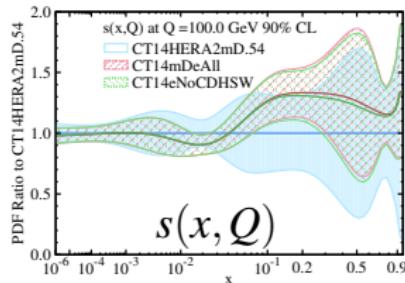
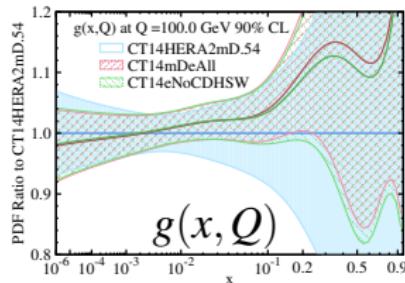
H1 and ZEUS



H1 and ZEUS



There are 3287 data point from HERA I+II data, after the criteria $Q > 2 \text{ GeV}$ and $W^2 > 12.5 \text{ GeV}^2$, 1120 points are included in global analysis. It constraint PDF from $10^{-4} < x < 0.6$. The HERA I+II is one of the most firm foundation of global analysis of PDF now a day.



CDHSW F_2^p and F_3^p

Z. Phys. C49 (1991) 187-224

CT14HERA2mD.54:
CT14HERA2 without DIS data
but HERA.

CT14mDeAll:
CT14HERA2mD.54 + all DIS.

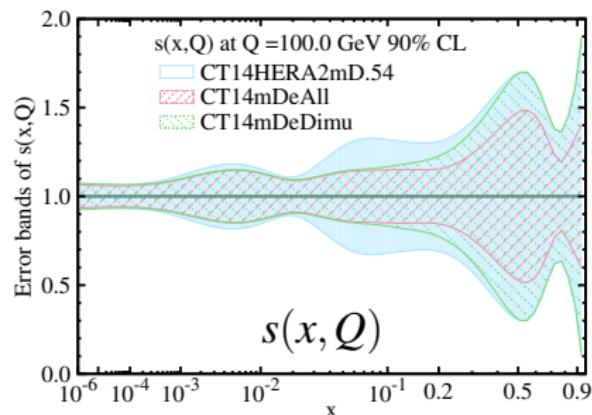
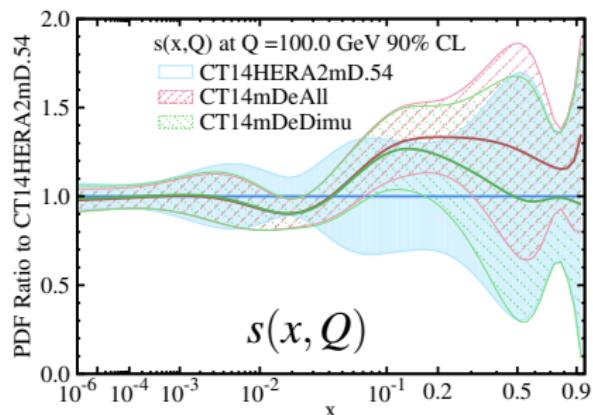
CT14eNoCDHSW:
Including CDHSW and HERA
data for DIS only.

Arguement about it.
EPJC12, 243 (2000)

arXiv: 1907.12177

Di-muon

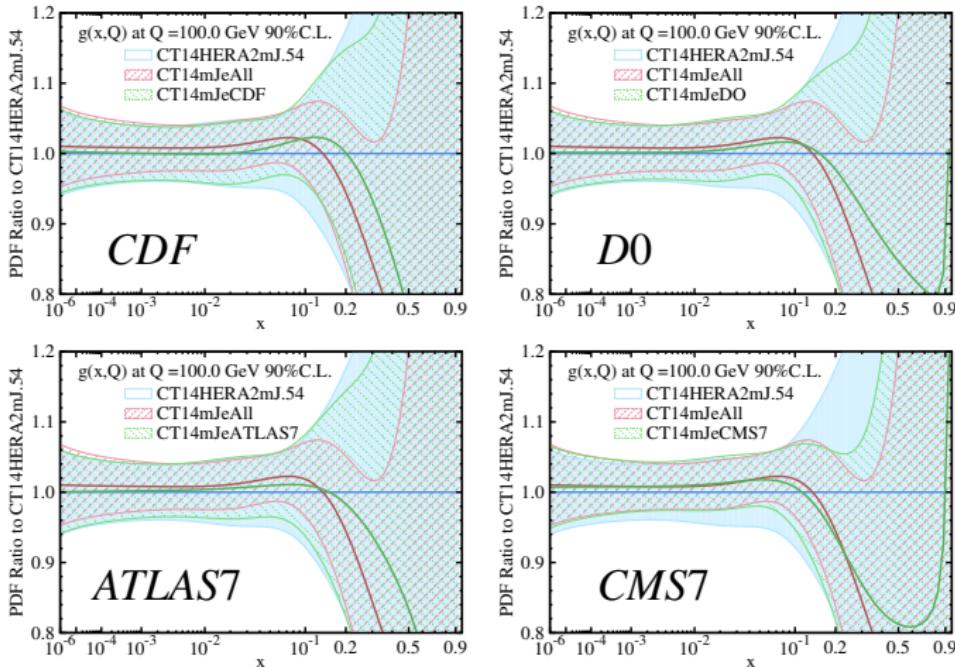
NuTeV $\nu\mu\mu$ and $\bar{\nu}\mu\mu$ SIDIS: D. A. Mason, Ph.D. thesis, Oregon U. (2006)
CCFR $\nu\mu\mu$ and $\bar{\nu}\mu\mu$ SIDIS: PRD64, 112006 (2001)



CT14mDeDimu: CT14HERA2mD.54 + di-muon.

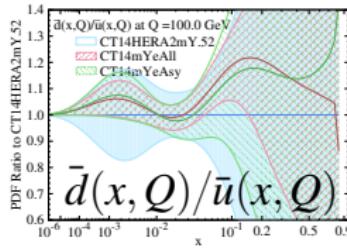
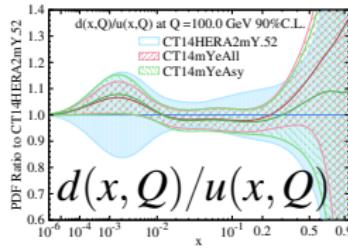
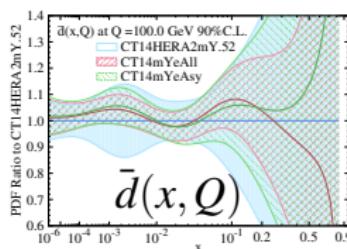
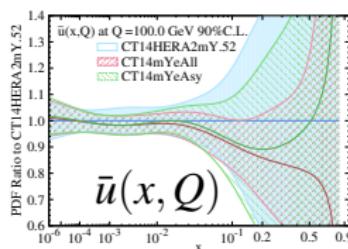
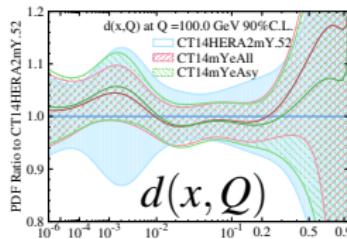
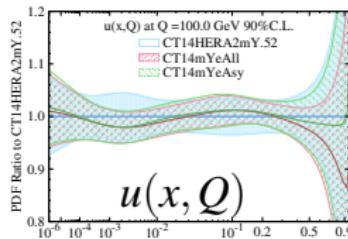
The NuTeV and CCFR di-muon data solely constrain strange PDFs for $0.01 < x < 0.4$.

Inclusive Jet



Jet data have dominant constraint on gluon, especially for $0.02 < x < 0.5$. Among the jet data from Tevatron and LHC Run 1, the CMS 7 TeV jet data dominate the constraint.

W charge asymmetry A_{ch}



D0 A_{ch}^μ : PRD77, 011106 (2008)

ATL 7 WZ: PRD85, 072004 (2012)

CMS 7 A_{ch}^e : PRL109, 111806 (2012)

CMS 7 A_{ch}^μ : PRD90, 032004 (2014)

CT14HERA2mY.54:

CT14HERA2 without DY

CT14mYeAll:

CT14HERA2mY.54 + all DY.

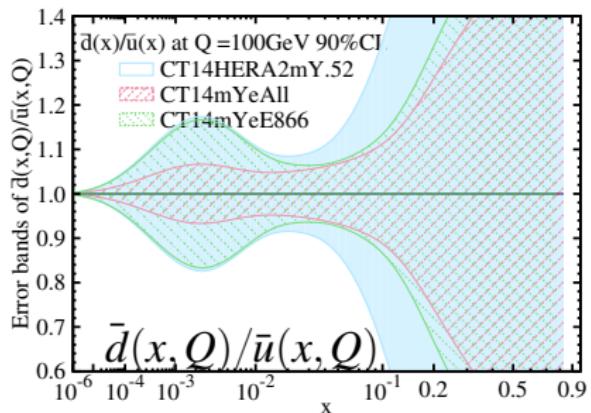
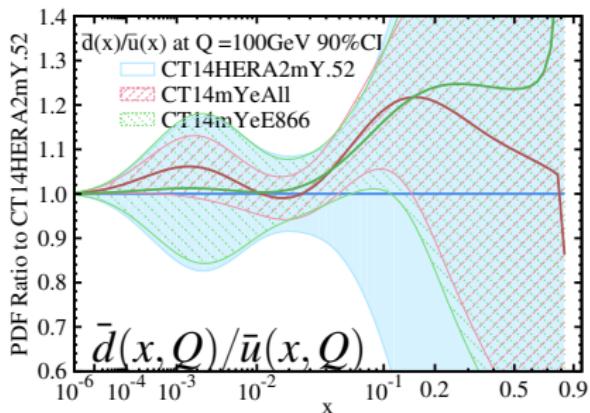
CT14mYeAsy:

CT14HERA2mY.54 + A_{ch} .

Asymmetry data play a dominant role among DY data.

E866 $\sigma_{pd}/(2\sigma_{pp})$

PRD64, 052002 (2001)



CT14mYeE866: CT14HERA2mY.54 + E866.

The E866 data solely dominate the constraint for $\bar{d}/\bar{u}, 0.01 < x < 0.2$.

Weak mixing angle $\sin^2 \theta_W$

LEP/SLD: PR427, 257 (2006)

$$\sin^2 \theta_W = 0.23153 \pm 0.00016$$

Tevetron: PRD97 (2018) no11, 112007

$$\sin^2 \theta_W = 0.23148 \pm 0.00027(\text{Stat.}) \pm 0.00005(\text{syst.}) \pm 0.00018(\text{PDF.})$$

CMS: EPJC78 (2018) no.9, 701

$$\begin{aligned} \sin^2 \theta_W &= 0.23101 \pm 0.00036(\text{Stat.}) \pm 0.00018(\text{syst.}) \\ &\quad \pm 0.00016(\text{theo.}) \pm 0.00031(\text{PDF.}) \end{aligned}$$

For pp collider LHC, the PDF uncertainty for a $q\bar{q} \rightarrow Z$ is non-negligible.

⇒ We reduce the PDF uncertainty for $\sin^2 \theta_W$ by updating PDF through A_{FB} and A_{\pm} in DY process $f\bar{f} \rightarrow Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow f\bar{f}$!

Please also see Siqi Yang's talk on Thur.

Reduce PDF uncertainty for $\sin^2 \theta_W$ by A_{FB}

Samples:

- * Pseudo-data: CT14NNLO+ResBos, \sim LHC Run 2, (130 fb^{-1}
500 M in full phase space)
- * Theory: central and error sets CT14NNLO+ResBos

$\sin^2 \theta_w$:

- * Pseudo-data: $\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2345$
- * Theory: $\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$

ATLAS acceptance:

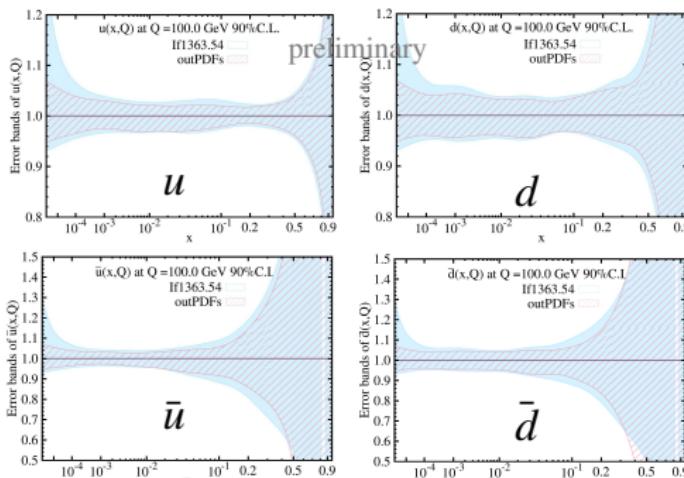
- * lepton $p_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$
- * CC: both lepton $\eta < 2.5$ (double luminosity for $ee + \mu\mu$)
- * CF: one lepton $\eta < 2.5$ the other $2.5 < \eta < 5.0$ (only for CF)
- * Z pole: $M = [80, 100] \text{ GeV}$
- * sideband: $M = [60, 80] + [100, 130] \text{ GeV}$

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Update PDF by both Z-pole and sideband region

average A_{FB} at Z pole (preliminary)

Update using CC+CF	Statistical unc.	PDF unc.	central
Theory prediction in CC+CF			
Before update	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$	0.00007	0.00117
after update	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$	0.00007	0.00053(54.7%)
Theory prediction in CC			
Before update	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$	0.00008	0.00083
after update	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$	0.00008	0.00042(49.4%)
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Before update	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$	0.00017	0.00198
after update	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$	0.00017	0.00092(53.5%)

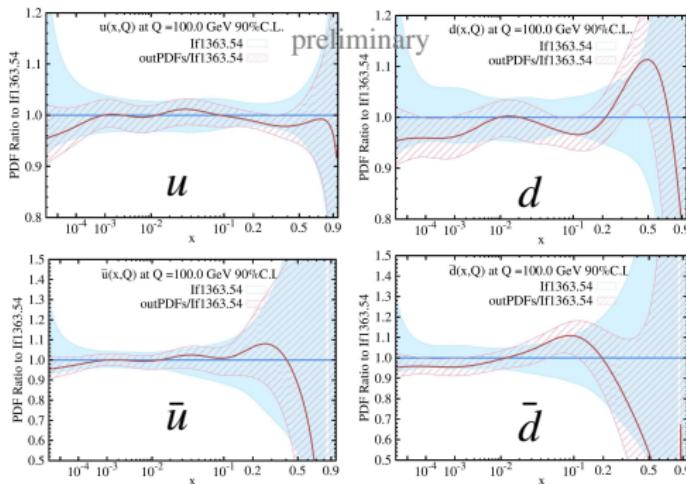


54.7% reduction on PDF uncertainty for A_{FB} for the combined CC+CF case.

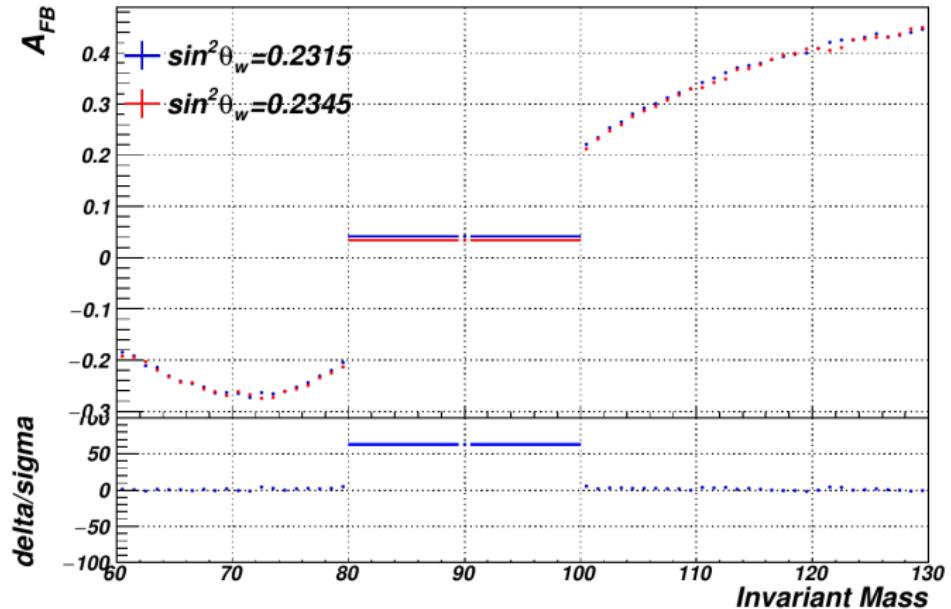
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Central PDF receive large impact from the pseudo A_{FB} data, and bias the predicted $\sin^2 \theta_w$.

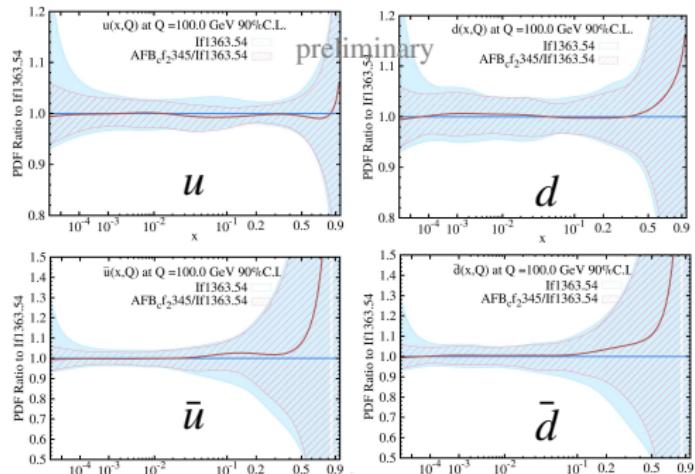
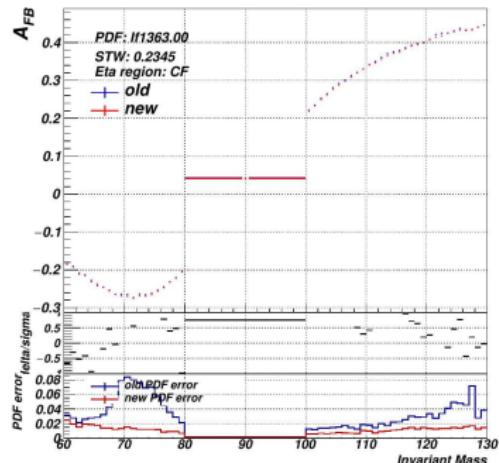


Z-Pole mass region is sensitive to the $\sin^2 \theta_w$, the inclusion of Z-Pole mass region for PDF update bias the $\sin^2 \theta_w$ prediction.
 $\implies \sin^2 \theta_w$ should be determined by measurement but not PDF!

Update PDF by sideband CF region

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Update using CF		Statistical unc.	PDF unc.	central
Theory prediction in CC+CF				
Before update	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$	0.00007	0.00117	0.01846
after update	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$	0.00007	0.00084(28.2%)	0.01844
pseudo-data	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2345$	0.00007	-	0.01490
Theory prediction in CC				
Before update	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$	0.00008	0.00083	0.00873
after update	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$	0.00008	0.00062(25.3%)	0.00874
pseudo-data	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2345$	0.00008	-	0.00695
Theory prediction in CF				
Before update	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$	0.00017	0.00198	0.04197
after update	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$	0.00017	0.00143(27.8%)	0.04175
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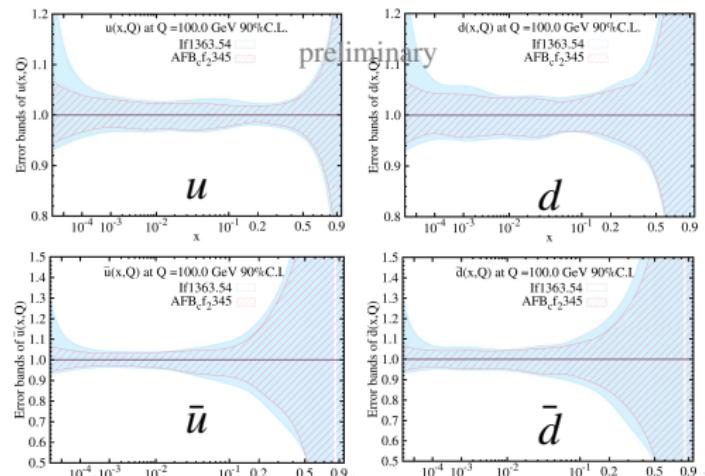
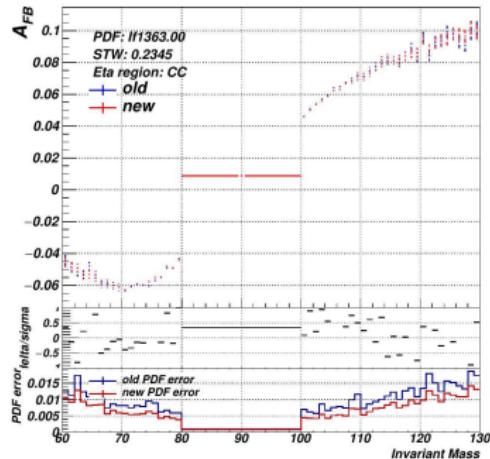


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Before update	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$	0.00007	0.00117	0.01846
after update	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$	0.00007	0.00087(25.6%)	0.01839
pseudo-data	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2345$	0.00007	-	0.01490
Theory prediction in CC				
Before update	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$	0.00008	0.00083	0.00873
after update	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2315$	0.00008	0.00067(19.3%)	0.00869
pseudo-data	$\sin^2 \theta_w = 0.2345$	0.00008	-	0.00695
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Bin size:

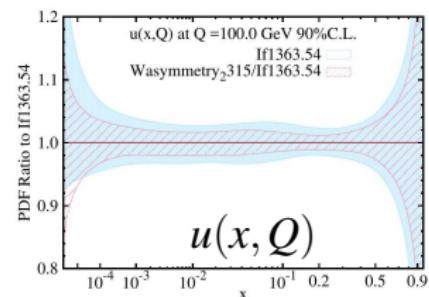
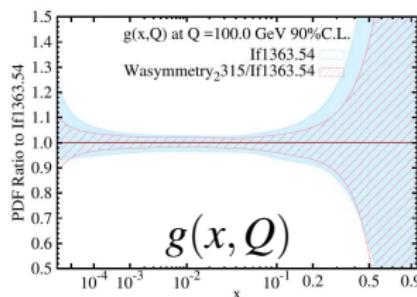
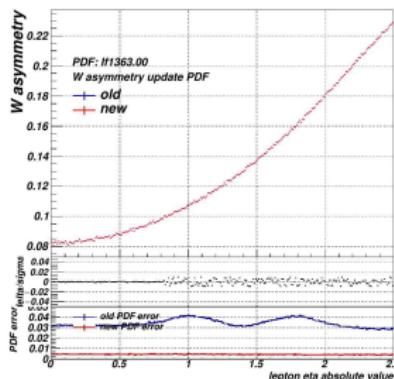
- * 0.1 bin size used.

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Update using CC	Statistical unc.	PDF unc.	central
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Before update	0.00007	0.00117	0.01846
after update	0.00007	0.00081(30.8%)	0.01846
Theory prediction in CC			
Before update	0.00008	0.00083	0.00873
after update	0.00008	0.00061(26.5%)	0.00873
Theory prediction in CF			
Before update	0.00017	0.00198	0.04196
after update	0.00017	0.00139(29.8%)	0.04197

- * Less sensitive to energy spectrum
- * Larger cross section
- * Negligible correlation to weak mixing angle
- * PDF unc. reduced by 30% for A_{\pm} .



Reduce PDF uncertainty for $\sin^2 \theta_W$ by A_{FB} and A_{\pm} combined

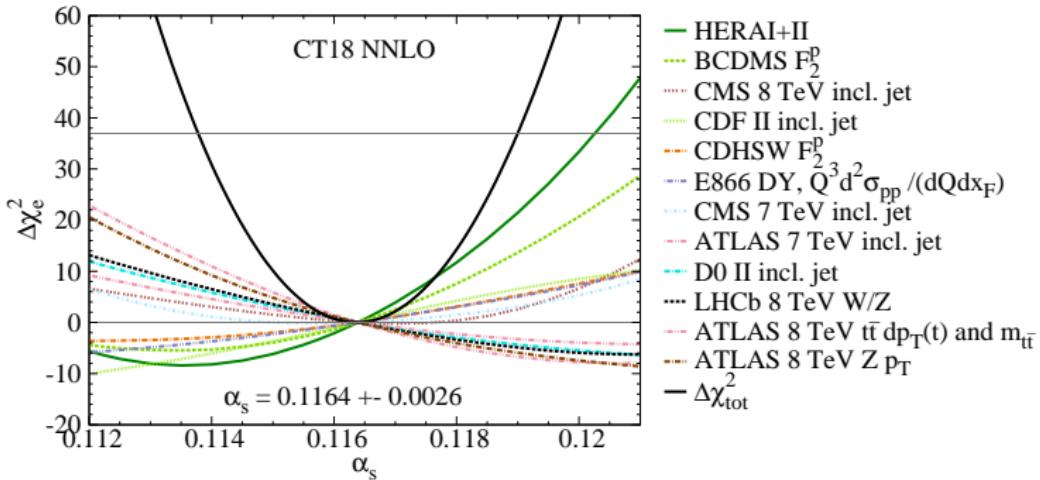
Update PDF by A_{FB} and A_{\pm} combined (preliminary)	
Theory prediction in CC	PDF unc.
Before update	0.00156
After update	0.00077(50.6%)
Theory prediction in CF	
Before update	0.00079
After update	0.00035(55.7%)

Overall PDF unc. reduced by 56% by both A_{FB} and A_{\pm} .

Update PDF by A_{FB} (preliminary)			
bin size unc.	Update by CC event	Update by CF event	Update by CC+CF event
Before update	0.00079	0.00079	0.00079
After update(1 GeV)	0.00057(27.8%)	0.00056(29.1%)	0.00048(50.6%)
After update(2 GeV)	0.00060(24.0%)	0.00060(24.0%)	-
After update(5 GeV)	0.00065(17.7%)	0.00062(21.5%)	-
Update PDF by A_{\pm} (preliminary)			
After update(0.1)	0.00055(30.4%)		
After update(0.2)	0.00063(20.2%)		

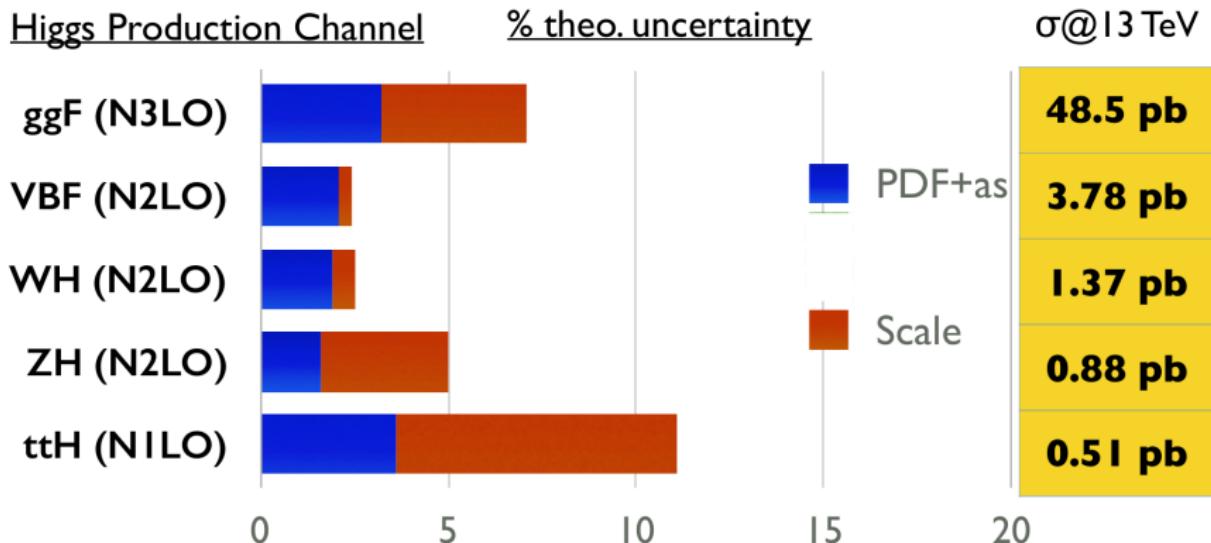
- * Larger bin size: lower sensitivity
- * Smaller bin size: larger systematic uncertainties

Study of physical parameter through global analysis: $\alpha_s(M_z)$



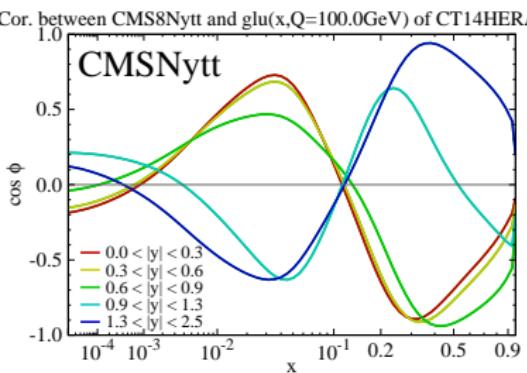
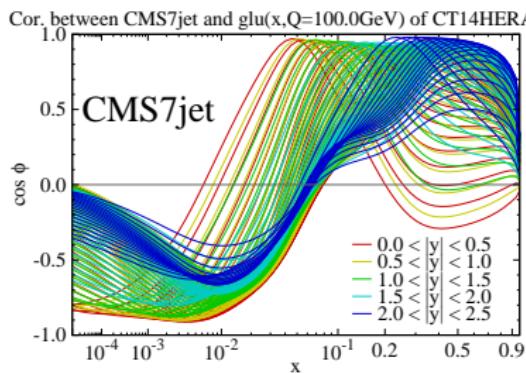
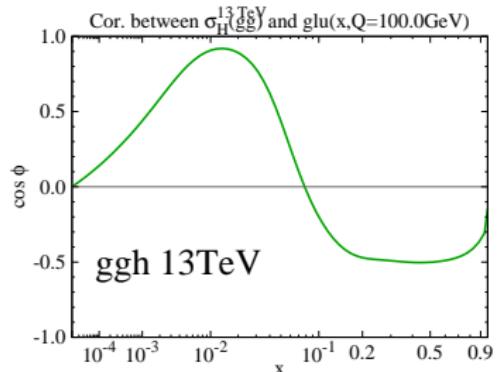
- The global fitting of $\alpha_s(M_z)$ value need to change all the $\alpha_s(M_z)$ value at the same time.
- The fixed target F_2 data and HERA DIS data prefer smaller α_s value.
- The ATLAS 8TeV Z p_T , ATLAS 7 TeV incl. jet data, bring the central value of $\alpha_s(M_z)$ from $0.115^{+0.006}_{-0.004}$ (CT14) to 0.1164 ± 0.0026 (CT18).

PDF uncertainty in Higgs production

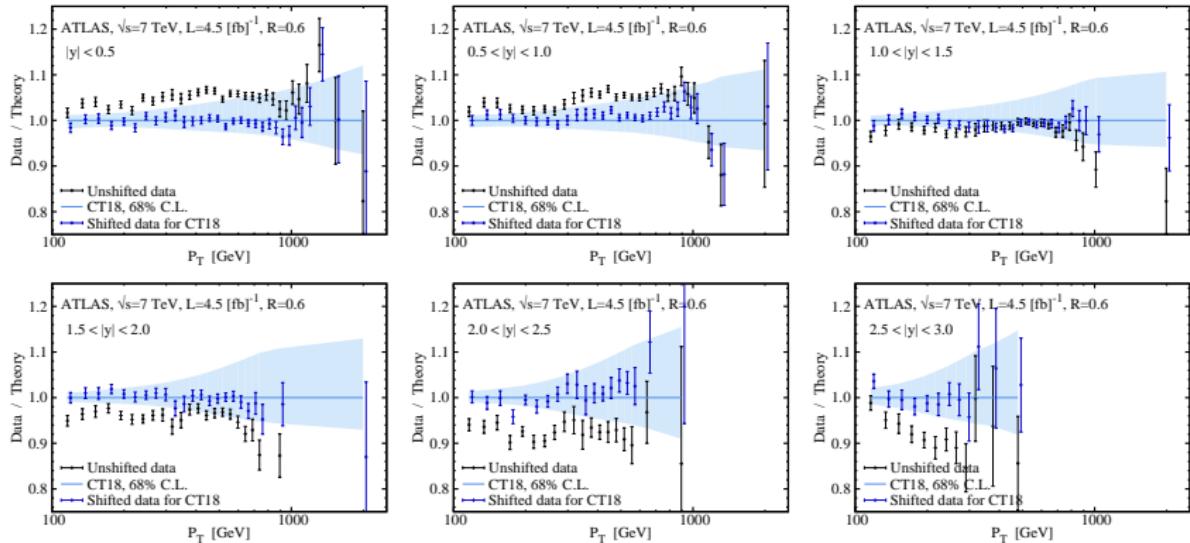


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Correlation between Higgs production and gluon PDF through gluon fusion



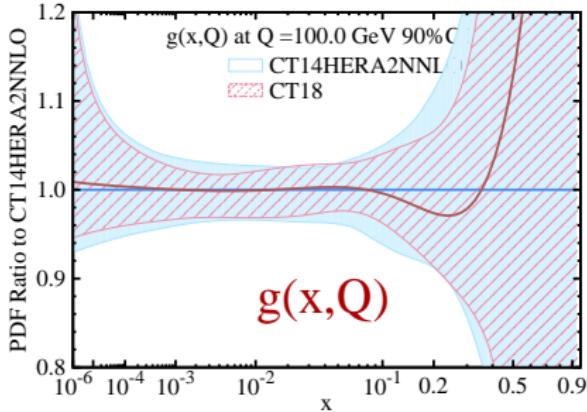
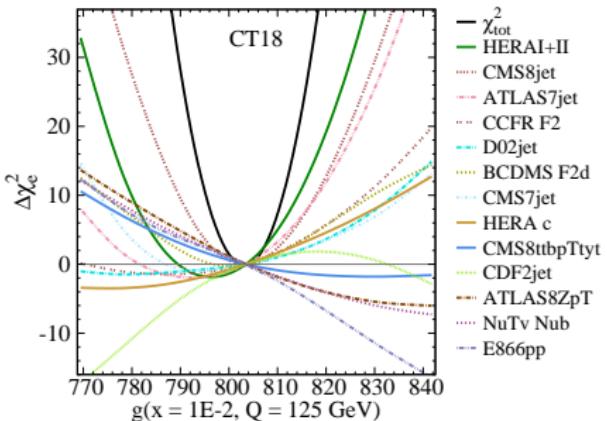
De-correlation for incl. jet



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- The corr. error "jes16" and "jes62" of ATLAS 7 TeV incl. jet data are de-correlated according to Table 6 of 1706.03192. Its χ^2/Npts reduces from 2.34 to 1.68 for CT14HERA2NNLO.
- Precise systematic error analysis help on the reduction of global analysis of PDFs.

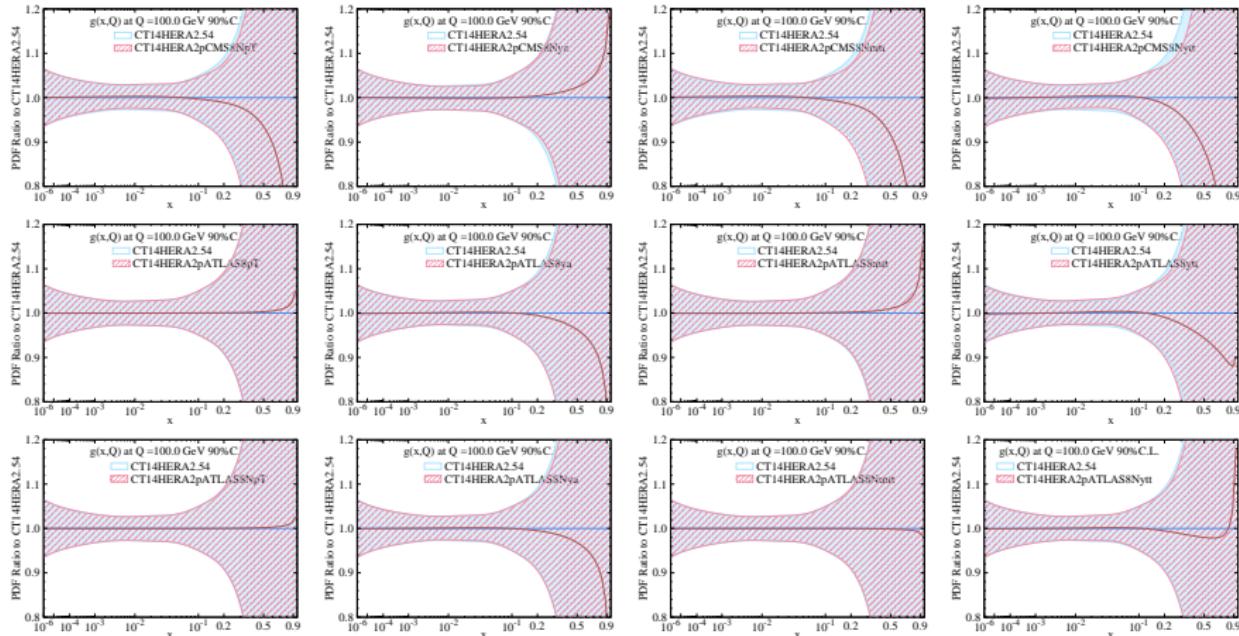
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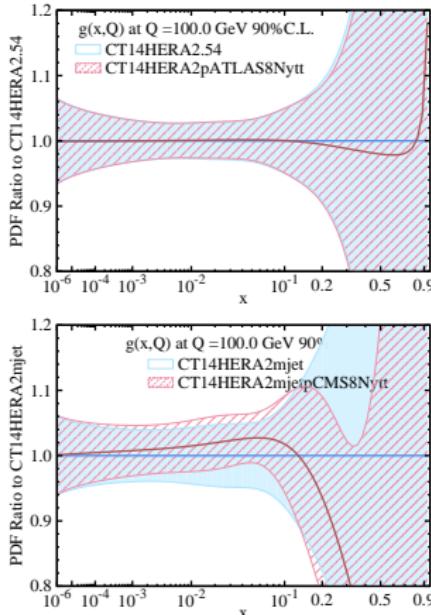
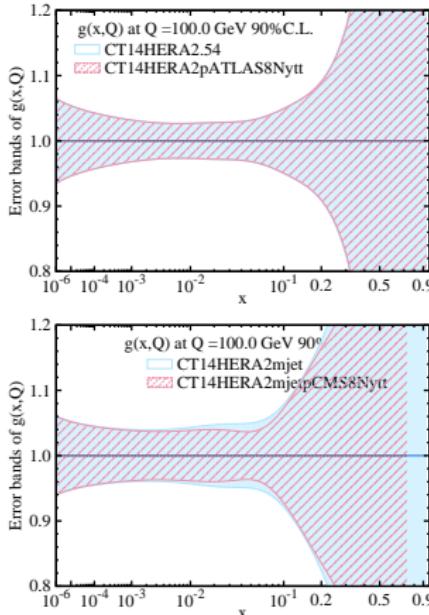
Lagrange Multiplier Scans for gluon at x around 0.01:

- ATLAS 8 TeV $Z p_T$ data prefer a slightly larger gluon PDF.
- ATLAS 7 TeV and CMS 8TeV incl. jet data prefer a slightly smaller gluon PDF.
- HERA I+II data prefer a slightly smaller gluon PDF.
- Including all the contribution in global analysis, the reduction of PDF uncertainty for $gg \rightarrow h$ production reduced by 5% comparing to CT14.

Impact of top-quark pair production on CT14HERA2



- No significant impact on the uncertainty of PDFs.
- Minor impact on gluon in large x region.

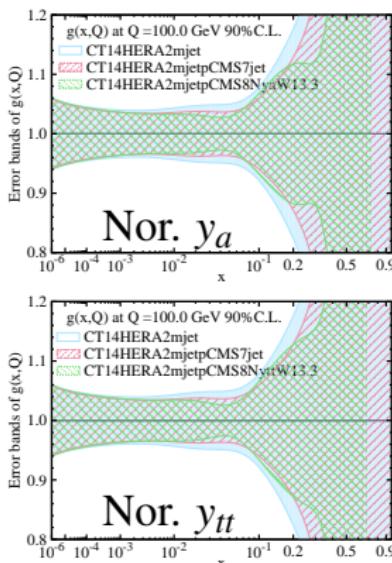
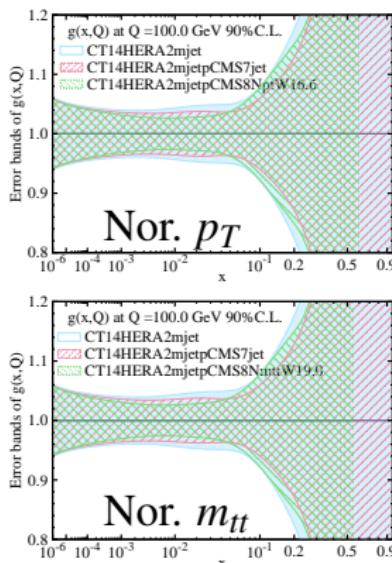


Impact from
ATLAS 8TeV
norm. $y_{tt} t\bar{t}$ data on
CT14HERA2

Impact from CMS
8TeV norm. $y_{tt} t\bar{t}$
data on
CT14HERA2mjet

- CT14HERA2mjet: CT14HERA2 without all the jet data included.
- Without the jet data included in global analysis, $t\bar{t}$ data have rather obvious impact on both central predictions and error bands of PDFs.

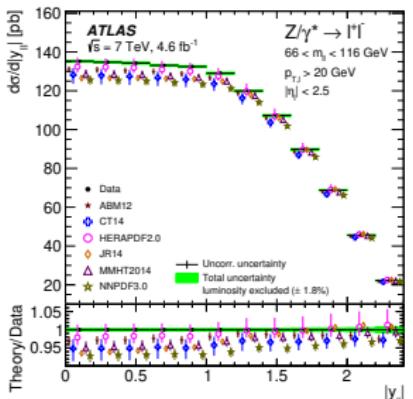
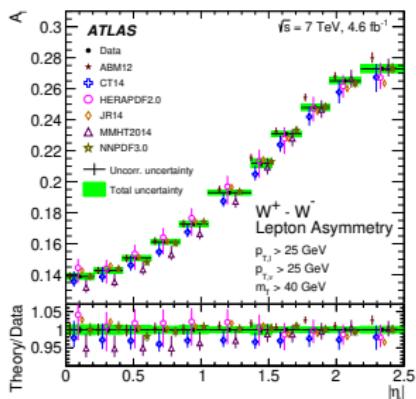
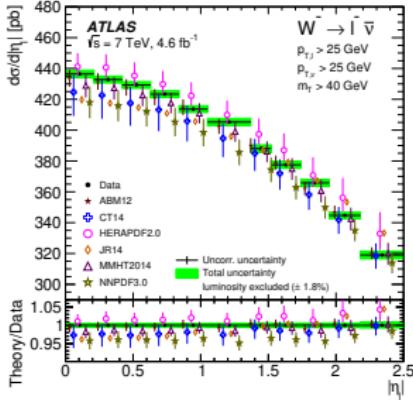
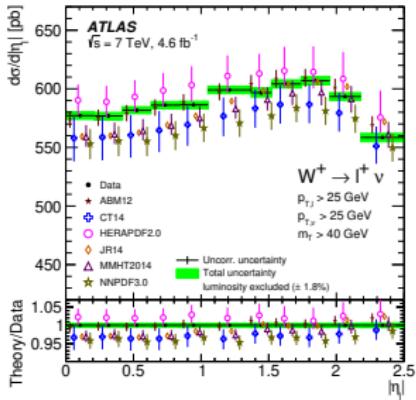
Distribution	Detector	Npts	χ^2/N
inclusive jet	CDF	72	1.50
inclusive jet	D0	110	1.03
inclusive jet	ATLAS	90	0.57
inclusive jet	CMS	133	0.93
$\frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{d\sigma}{dp_T^f}$	ATLAS, CMS	8,8	0.39, 3.88
$\frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{d\sigma}{dy_f}$	ATLAS, CMS	5,10	2.70, 2.53
$\frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{d\sigma}{dm_{t\bar{t}}}$	ATLAS, CMS	7,7	0.25, 8.67
$\frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{d\sigma}{dy_{t\bar{t}}}$	ATLAS, CMS	5,10	2.46, 3.67



The Npts of $t\bar{t}$ data is smaller by a factor of 10 than jet data.

With the assumption of a higher weight for $t\bar{t}$ data. By weighting the $t\bar{t}$ data by the ratio of Npts of CMS 7 jet(133) to Npts of $t\bar{t}$ data, Impact from weighted $t\bar{t}$ data on gluon PDF is as strong as jet data.

ATLAS 7 TeV WZ production



The statistical error of measurement is about 1%, while the uncertainty from PDF is about 5% ~ 7%.



- * In the era of LHC, PDF uncertainty used to be one of the dominant uncertainty in a measurement.
- * To reduce the uncertainty from PDF need precise SM measurements.
- * The communication between experimentalist and global fitter and the real global analysis take times
- * We need to know the SM observable which can really help on reducing the uncertainty of PDF about the region sensitive to the target measurement, and then analysis the SM observable ahead.

PDFsense

PDFsense predicts that the CMS data will have the largest impact

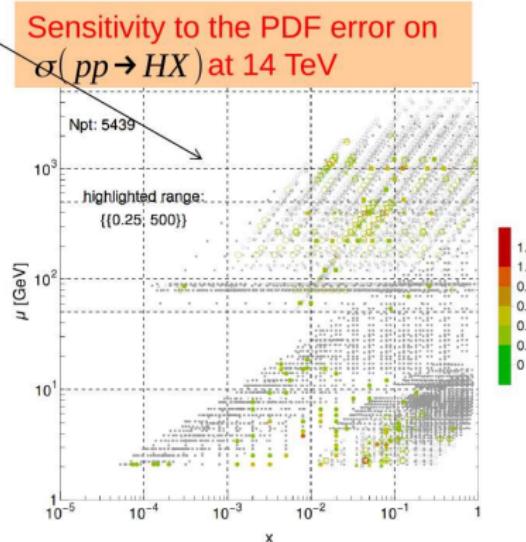
PDFSense estimates...

- ranking of strength of sensitivities of experimental data sets to PDF flavors without (re-)doing the full global fit
- impact on global fit requires both correlation and sensitivity

...kinematical distributions of sensitivities to the PDFs in the $\{x, \mu\}$ plane

for example,
HERAII, CMS
jets provide
information on
gluon and on
Higgs σ

No.	Exp. ID	N_d	Rankings															
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2	111	86	218,	0.423	C	1	C	1	C	B	1	C	2	C	1	C	1	
3	101	337	184,	0.6909						B	3	C	2	B	3	C	2	
4	104	123	169,	0.229	C	2			C	C	2	B	2	C	2	B	2	
5	102	250	141,	0.6938	C				C	3	C	3	C	3	C	3	C	3
6	109	96	115,	0.199	C	2	C	2	C	3	C	2	C	3	C	2	C	3
7	201	119	113,	0.158	C	2	C	2	C	3	C	3	C	3	C	3	C	3
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9	110	69	89.3	0.216					C	2	C	3	C	2	C	3	C	3
10	545	185	86.4	0.6779					C	3	C	3	C	3	C	3	C	3
11	108	85	82.4	0.161					C	3	C	3	C	3	C	3	C	3
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21	514	110	36.8	0.0557					C	3	C	3	C	2	C	3	C	3
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ePump

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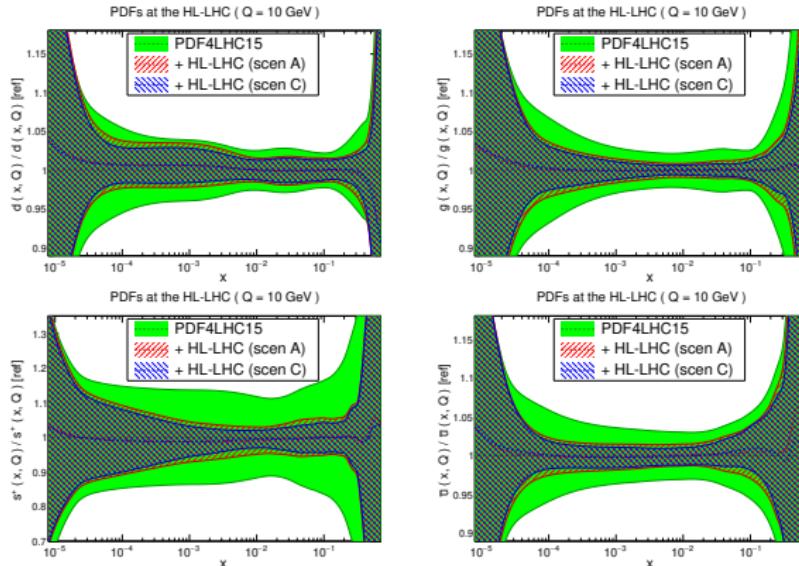
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Updated best-fit and Hessian Error PDFs

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- * Base on Hessian reweighting method, similar to ePump.
- * The prediction of PDFs at HL-LHC concerned no systematic error. Well-control systematic error is important to reach this goal.
- * Physical parameters, such like α_s and $\sin^2 \theta_w$, and PDF parametrization are fixed in reweighting method. Therefore, the PDF updated through reweighting method by the measurements which probing the phase space of PDF (in flavor and x) that has not been well constrained will not be reliable.

Summary

- * In the LHC era, the PDF uncertainty become a dominant contribution to a measurement. It is getting more crucial for precision measurement and also new physics search.
- * Precise SM measurements are key to reduce PDF uncertainty.
- * PDFsense and reweighting base methods, such like ePump and xfitter profiling, are the efficient ways to help experimentalist to find out the SM observable which can help on reducing PDF uncertainty for target measurement, and analysis the SM observable first.
- * Updated PDF obtained by the reweighting method share the fixed physical parameters and PDF parametrization, and thus is not equivalent to the PDF done by real global analysis. Extend data analysis need PDFs from real global analysis.