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# HERAFitter Overview

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# HERAFitter Package

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- HERAFitter is a common initiative of H1 and ZEUS collaborations to provide an open source framework containing PDF fitting tools
  - ▽ Ready platform to analyze new data and their impact within experiments
  - ▽ Can be used for benchmarking exercises (consistent tests among various theories)

- The beta release can be accessed through the HEPFORGE site:

<http://projects.hepforge.org/herafitter>

And it requires the QCDNUM package [M. Botje] for evolution

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## HERAFitter

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## H1Fitter

**Welcome to H1Fitter Project**

H1Fitter is a QCD Fit Package used to determine HERAPDFs and it is part of the HERAPDF project <https://www.desy.de/h1zeus>.

**Downloads**

The H1Fitter beta release can be accessed [here](#) upon registration. Everyone is free to register. To register, please log in (upper right corner) or create an account (firstnamelastname, example: [JohnSmith](#)) and send your request and login name to [h1fitter-help@desy.de](mailto:h1fitter-help@desy.de).

**Getting help**

Send email to [h1fitter-help@desy.de](mailto:h1fitter-help@desy.de)

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~35 downloads so far.

For beta release download we require registration to provide feedback in case of problems.

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H1FITTER: Fast QCD fit package

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Preamble

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- Example of usage:

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- Additional citations:

- "An NLO QCD analysis of inclusive cross-section and jet-production data from the zeus experiment" By ZEUS Collaboration (S. Chekanov et al.). DESY-05-050, Mar 2005. 37pp. Published in Eur.Phys.J.C42:1-16,2005. e-Print: hep-ph/0503274
    - "An Ordered analysis of heavy flavor production in deep inelastic scattering" R.S. Thorne, R.G. Roberts. RAL-TR-97-049, Sep 1997. 48pp. Published in Phys.Rev.D57:6871-6898,1998. e-Print: hep-ph/9709442
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H1FITTER  --- PDF fit program from HERA.  
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BETA-RELEASE VERSION: 0.1.0  
  
H1FITTER has been used as one of the main software packages for the  
determination of the HERAPDF1.0 set proton parton densities. HERAPDF  
is a common initiative by the H1 and ZEUS collaborations to provide  
precision QCD analyses of the combined HERA data sets.  
  
The current package includes code to fit DIS inclusive cross section  
data, Drell-Yan and inclusive jet processes (using APPLGRID and FastNLO  
interfaces). The program is distributed under the GPL v3 license, see  
LICENCE file for more details. The program was developed by the H1  
collaboration. It uses the QCD evolution package QCDNUM developed by  
M. Botje. Parts of the code were contributed by non H1 members:  
-- VFNS from R. Thorne,  
-- DY L0+k-factor calculation from A. Saproinov  
-- PDF error estimation from J. Pumplin  
-- DIS electroweak corrections from H. Spiesberger  
  
If the results obtained with the program are to be included in a scientific  
publication, please use the citations as suggested by the REFERENCES file.  
  
For support information, please visit https://znwiki3.ifh.de/H1Fitter  
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Installation and Usage Instructions
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# Functionality HERAFitter Beta Release

- Beta release contains a minimum set of tools for its use at the LHC experiments
  - ▾ It can produce out of the box HERAPDF1.0
  - ▾ Sample data file formats for DY and jets usages

## DATA:

- DIS ep
  - ▾ Inclusive
  - ▾ jets
- DY pp and ppbar
  - ▾ W, Z, cross sections
  - ▾ Zrapidity
  - ▾ W asymmetries
  - ▾ jets
- Error treatment:
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  - ▾ MC method

## Parametrisation studies:

- Standard functional form of PDFs
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## DY cross sections at LO x kfacto

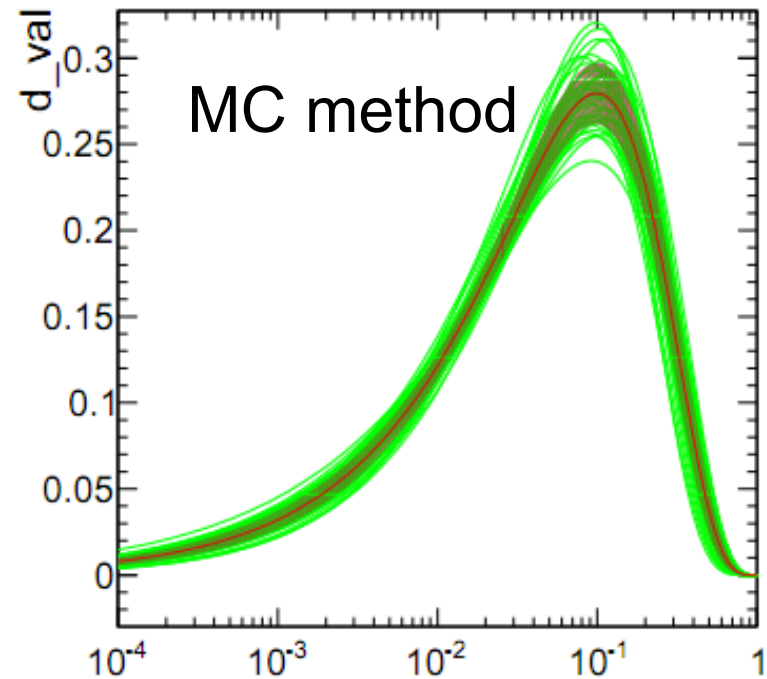
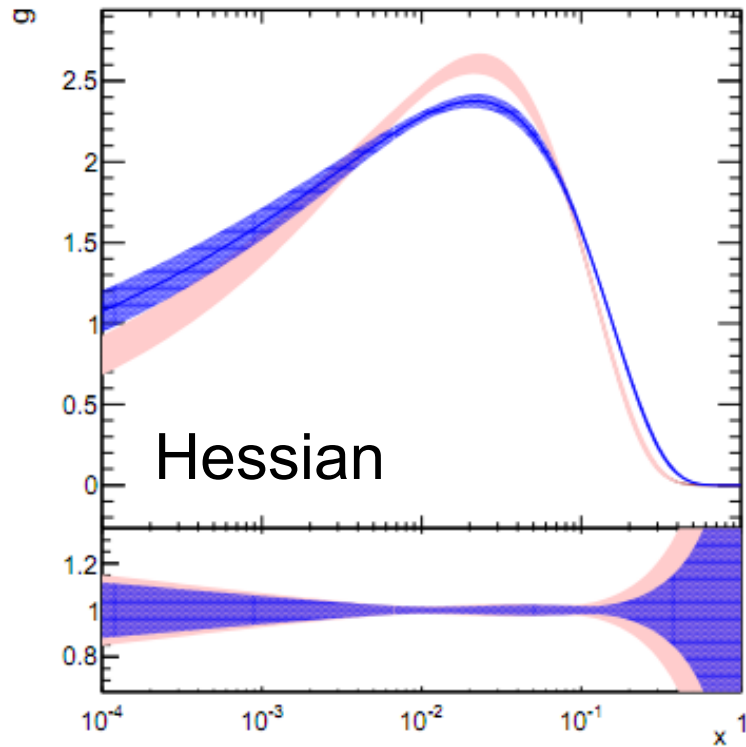
## Output:

- PDFs at predefined scales
- LHAPDF grids
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DIS(pol)	✓
RT(st)	✓
RT(kfact)	✓
DY	✓
Jets ep	✓
Jets pp,ppbar	✓
Param studies	✓
Error band	✓
MC errors	✓
LHAPDF grids	✓
Drawing Tools	✓



# Functionality HERAFitter Beta Release



▽ MC method

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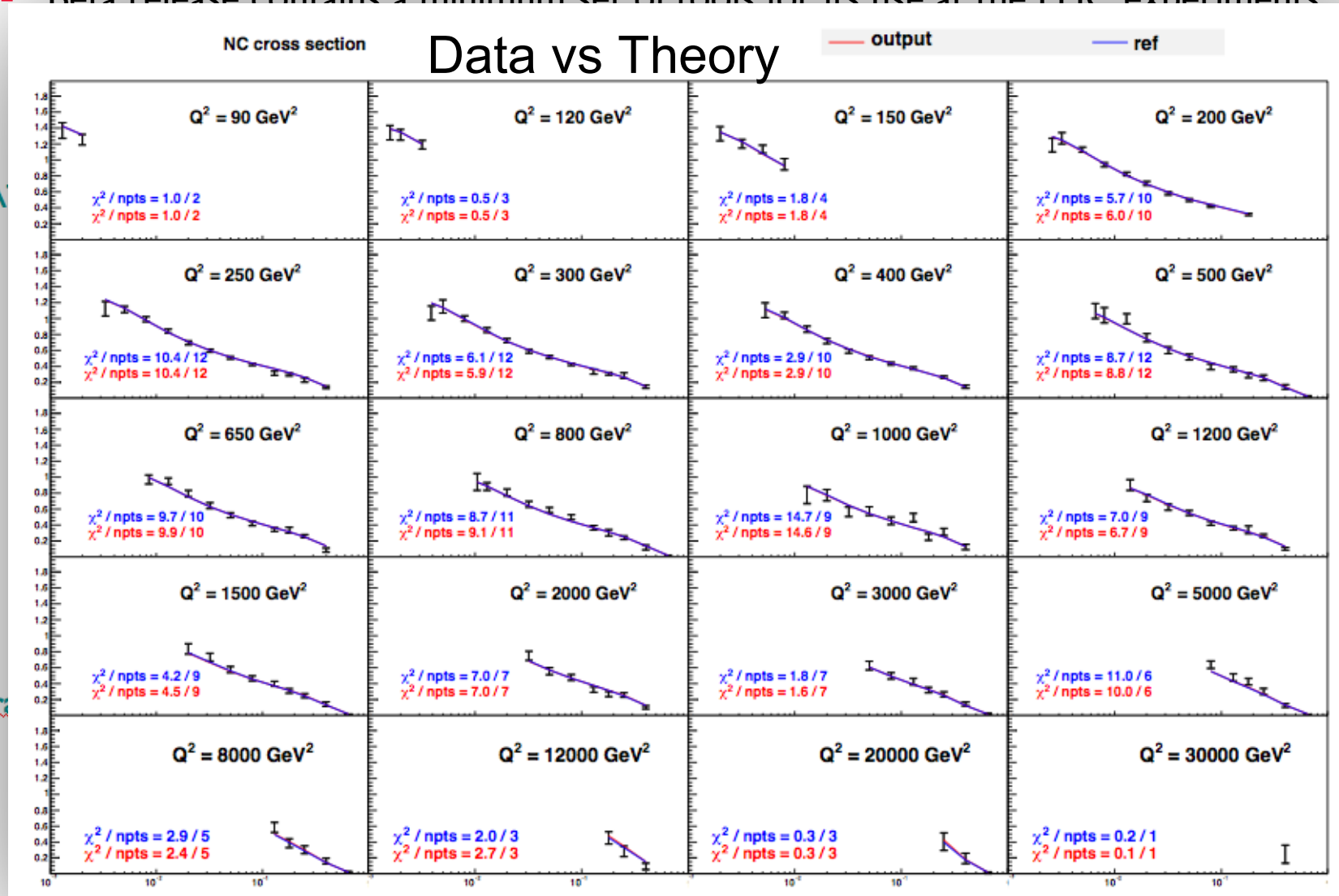
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# HERAFitter After Beta Release

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- HERAFitter User's interaction

- ∇ Weekly developer's meeting (<https://znwiki3.ifh.de/HIFitter/HIFitter/HIFitterInternal/FitForumMeetings>)
- ∇ Monthly users's meeting (<https://znwiki3.ifh.de/HIFitter/HIFitter/HERAFitterMeetings>)

- Mailing lists:

- ∇ hlfitter-help -- for immediate help on HERAFitter 0.1.0
- ∇ herafitter-user -- for broad discussion among all users
- ∇ hlfitter-devel -- for developers discussion (also by invitation)

- Timescale:

- ∇ 15.09.2011 Package released (blessed by both HI and ZEUS collaborations)
- ∇ 21.09.2011 Package presented in ATLAS community (ATLAS-Germany meeting, Goettingen)
- ∇ 12.10.2011 Package presented in CMS community (CMS meeting, CERN)
- ∇ 19.10.2011 First HERAFitter User's Meeting
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For discussions:

- define developers
- define concrete coding rules
- advisable to provide readme for each module
- define timescale and deliverables for stable release

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# Organisation since beta-release

- H1fitter codes are stored in the DESY svn repository

<https://svnsrv.desy.de/k5viewvc/h1fitter/trunk/>

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branches/	<a href="#">175</a>	6 months
releases/	<a href="#">374</a>	3 months
tags/	<a href="#">176</a>	6 months
trunk/	<a href="#">467</a>	6 days

- The development of the code is performed in the trunk
  - Code development model:
    - ▽ More external developers with commit rights ⇒ stricter code validation.
    - ▽ Modularity to allow simultaneous code development
    - ▽ Report developments at the regular weekly/monthly meetings.

- New releases stored under “releases” branch:

- Together with the bug-fixes releases

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Parent Directory		
h1fitter-0.1.0/	<a href="#">355</a>	4 months
h1fitter-0.1.1/	<a href="#">374</a>	3 months

- Possibility to decouple modules and store them in branches (ex: Dipole models)

# New developments since beta-release

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- Data file storage (published Tevatron, LHC data) <https://znwiki3.ifh.de/HIFitter/HIFitter/downloads/datatables>
- New heavy flavour schemes:
  - RT optimal as in MSTW (see G. Watt's talk)
  - ACOT as in CTEQ (see F. Olness's talk)
  - FONLL as in NNPDF (see J. Rojo's talk)
  - FFNS and BMSN as in ABM (see R. Placakyte's talk)
- Developments in the top area: ttbar cross section (see S. Naumann's talk)
- Slightly modified code flow from the beta-release (see K. Nowac's and A. Saprosov's talk)
  - Adjusted wrappers around interfaces
  - Removal of redundancy between NC and CC codes
- Possibility to link to LHAPDF
- Additions to HERAFitter package: HERAAverager
  - Used for combining the measurements
- To be included:
  - Addition of the NNPDF reweighting tool (see A. Guffanti's talk)
  - Additions from ZEUS:
    - ▽ Offset method in estimating the uncertainties
    - ▽ Diffractive fits
    - ▽ Photon PDFs
    - ▽ C++ wrappers

# Summary

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- Successful download of beta-release HERAFitter package so far
  - Multi-platform usage of the package: ATLAS, CMS, theory groups
- Successful organisation of the HERAFitter meetings:
  - Developers - weekly meetings
  - Users - monthly meetings
- Further development of the package towards the stable release:
  - Modular addition of the heavy flavour schemes with the support of Theory groups

Feedback from the user community is very much appreciated!

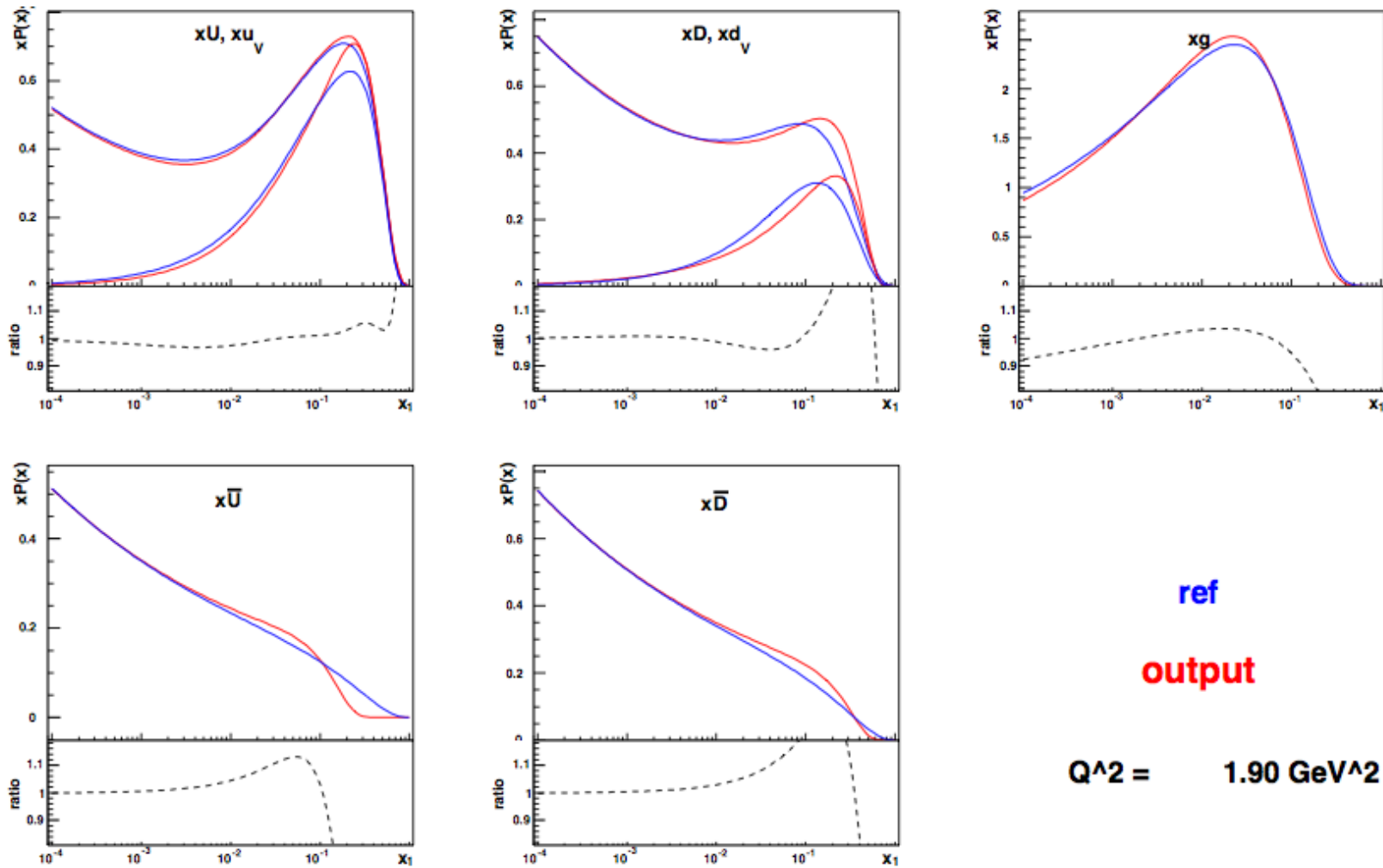
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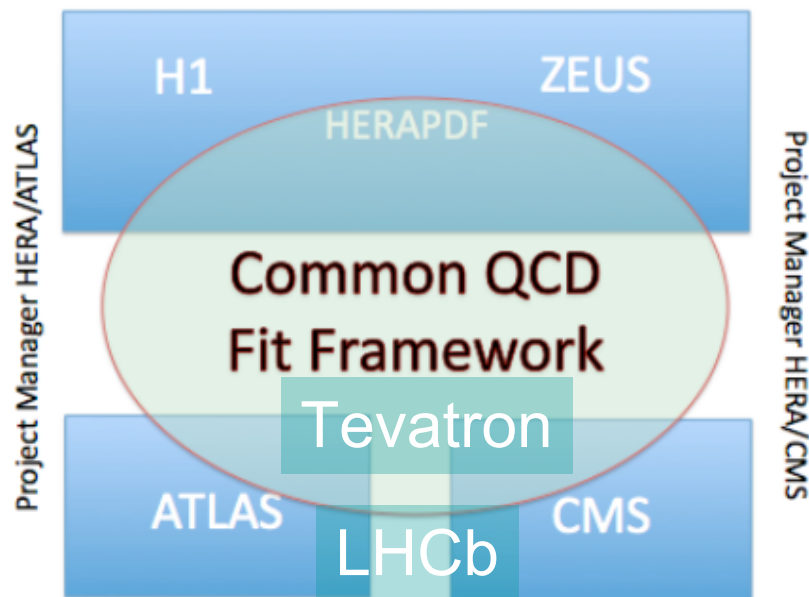


# Motivation for HERAFitter

- QCD Fits within experiments proved to be a very useful tool to understand data.
- Ready platform to analyse new data and their impact.
- Feedback PDFs, their uncertainties into data analysis.
- The idea is to benefit from the learned experience and continue developing the HERAFitter

- A common initiative of H1 and ZEUS:
  - ▾ HERAFitter is a set of PDF fitting tools jointly developed by the H1 and ZEUS collaborations for determination of the parton density functions.  
(currently the package is just a wrapper around H1fitter, no ZEUSfitter released at this moment)

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# Structure of the h1 fitter

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svn



<https://svnsrv.desy.de/k5viewvc/h1fitter/trunk/>

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- ▽ Minimal coupling to external modules
- ▽ Keep essential validated modules (more for later stages)
- ▽ Includes documentation

Based on autoconfigure

# Functionalities

HI fitter	SVN
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DIS(pol)	✓
RT(st)	✓
RT(kfact)	✓
DY	✓
Jets ep	✓
Jets pp,ppbar	✓
Param studies	✓
Error band	✓
MC errors	✓
LHAPDF grids	✓
Drawing Tools	✓

## Out of the box:

- HI fitter produces central fit for HERAPDF 1.0
- DY and jet packages can be used to fit pp, ppbar data as well

### DATA:

- DIS ep
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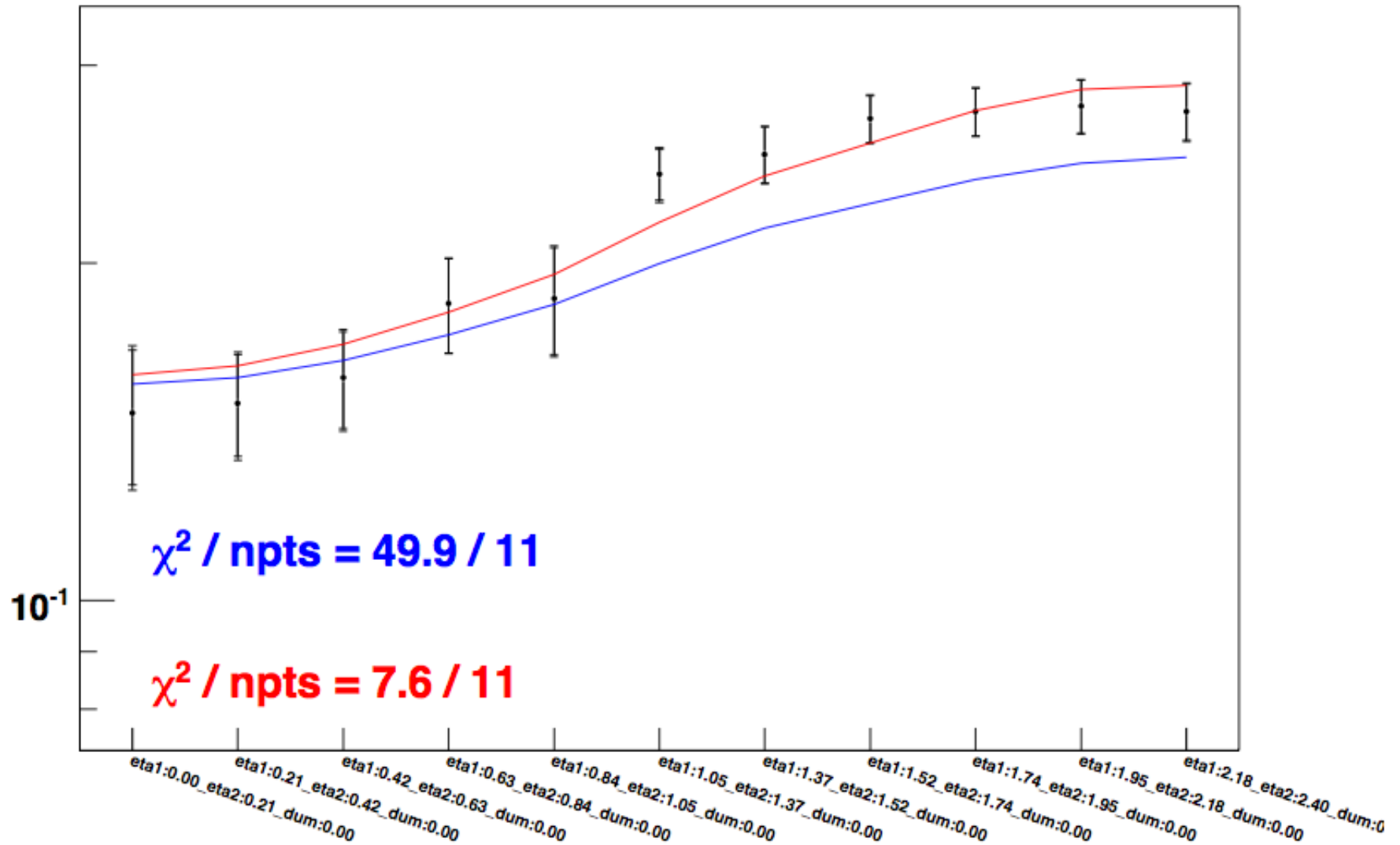
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# Example: Data vs Theory (ATLAS)

ATLAS W asymmetry

— output — ref



# Package for pp,ppbar data: DY code

[Andrey Sapronov -SanC]

DY integration code:

Simple LO cross section formulae: DY NC:  $pp \rightarrow Z/\gamma \rightarrow e^+e^-$

$$\frac{d\sigma_\gamma^2}{dMdyd\cos\theta^*} = N_c C_{q\bar{q}}^2 \frac{8\alpha^2}{3M^3} \tau \times \sum_q e_q^2 f_q(x_1, M) f_{\bar{q}}(x_2, M) F_{q\bar{q}}(1 + \cos^2 \theta^*, \cos \theta^*)$$

DY CC:  $pp \rightarrow W^\pm \rightarrow e^\pm \nu$

$$\frac{d\sigma_{W^\pm}^3}{dMdyd\cos\theta^*} = \frac{\pi\alpha^2}{48s_W^4} M\tau \frac{(1 - \cos\theta^*)^2}{(M^2 - M_W^2)^2 + \Gamma_W^2 M_W^2} \times \sum_{qq'} V_{qq'} f_q(x_1, M) f_{q'}(x_2, M)$$

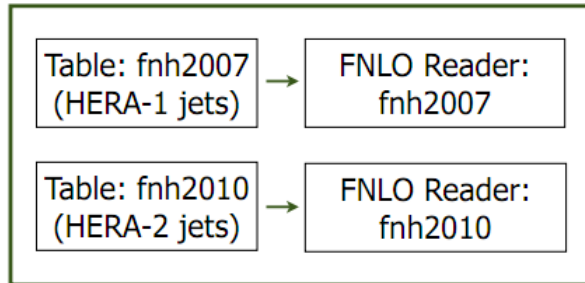
where  $\tau = \frac{M^2}{S_0}$ ,  $S_0$  - beam energy.

$F_{q\bar{q}}(1 + \cos^2 \theta^*, \cos \theta^*)$  is a linear homogenous dependence on  $1 + \cos^2 \theta^*$  and  $\cos \theta^*$ .

- Kfactors are determined from MCFM
- Cross checks of results
  - between LO x kfactors and NLO using Applgrid (HIFitter, ZEUSFitter)
  - between LO x kfactors and DY code from J. Stirling (ZEUSFitter)

# Package for jets: FastNLO in h1fitter

FastNLO, current version **CVS**



PDFs,  $\alpha_s(\mu_r)$   
 ←  
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 jet cross sections

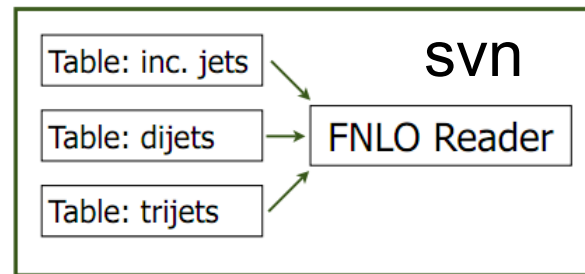


Daniel Britzger, Krzysz Nowak]

- Originally developed FasttNLOReader (C++)
- Interfaced to the HIFitter, enables DIS jet fits

new measurements, calculations

"FastNLO 2.0", under development



PDFs,  $\alpha_s(\mu_r)$   
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 jet cross sections

code	scenario independent code	DIS			pp / ppbar		
		v1.4	v2.0	v2.0+	v1.4	v2.0	v2.0+
FastNLO v1.4 (Fortran)	no	yes	no	no	yes	no	no
FastNLO v2.0 (C++)	yes	no	yes	no	no	buggy	no
FastNLO LHC (Fortran Reader)	only LHC	no	no	no	pp only	no	no
FastNLOReader (C++)	yes	no we don't need it !!!	yes	yes	not yet	not tested to come...	w/o TC to come...
APPL_grid	yes	yes	no	no	yes ? (w/o TC?)	no	no