

Long-Term D + K Preservation: Opportunities and Challenges

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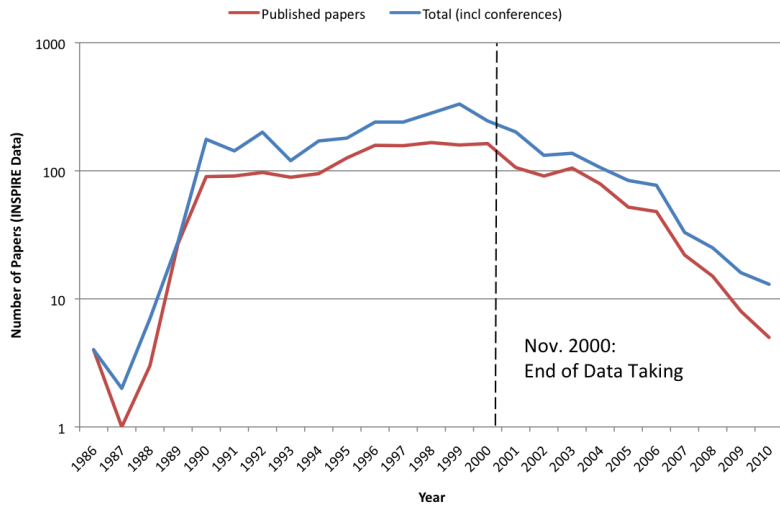


International Collaboration for Data Preservation and
Long Term Analysis in High Energy Physics

Overview

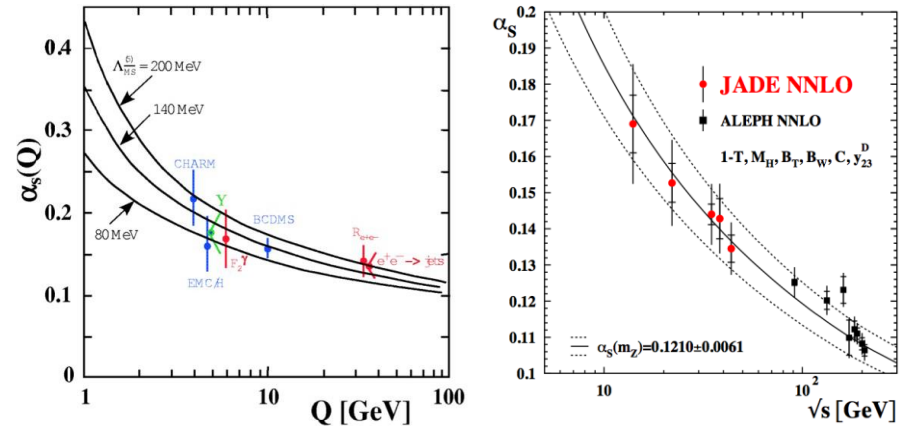
- Long-term, exa-scale data and knowledge preservation
- Involvement in the Research Data Alliance
- E-infrastructures User Forum and plans for INFRASUPP-7-2014

1 - Long Tail of Papers



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2 - New Theoretical Insights

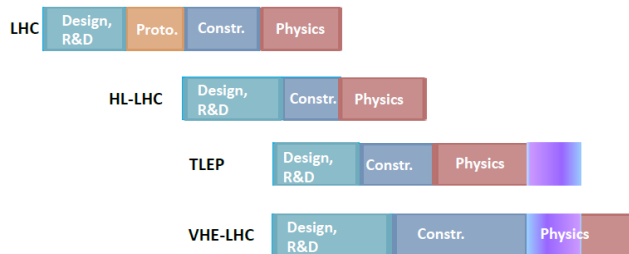
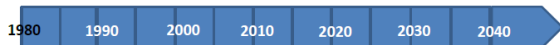


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3 - "Discovery" to "Precision"



possible long-term time line



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Use Case Summary

1. Keep data usable for ~1 decade
2. Keep data usable for ~2 decades
3. Keep data usable for ~3 decades

Volume: 100PB + ~50PB/year (+400PB/year from 2020)

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Summary

- 1. DPHEP portal: build in collaboration with other disciplines, including RDA IG**
- 2. Digital libraries: continue existing collaborations**
- 3. Sustainable “bit preservation” – certified repository as part of EINFRA-1-2014**
- 4. “Knowledge capture & preservation”: BIG CHALLENGE not addressed in multi-disciplinary way: next funding round?**
- 5. Open “Big Data”: a Big Opportunity (for RDA?)**

RDA Involvement

- CERN is involved in numerous Working and Interest Groups
- I am a member of the Technical Advisory Board and (Interim) Organisational Assembly
- See RDA as a valuable way of sharing knowledge and challenges with other disciplines and projects world-wide
- RDA outputs will help to achieve “Open Data” and other key goals

Postscript

- By far the greatest progress that we have made in “solving” long-term data preservation has been the result of **collaboration**
- We believe that we have a lot to **offer** other disciplines – as well as much to **benefit**