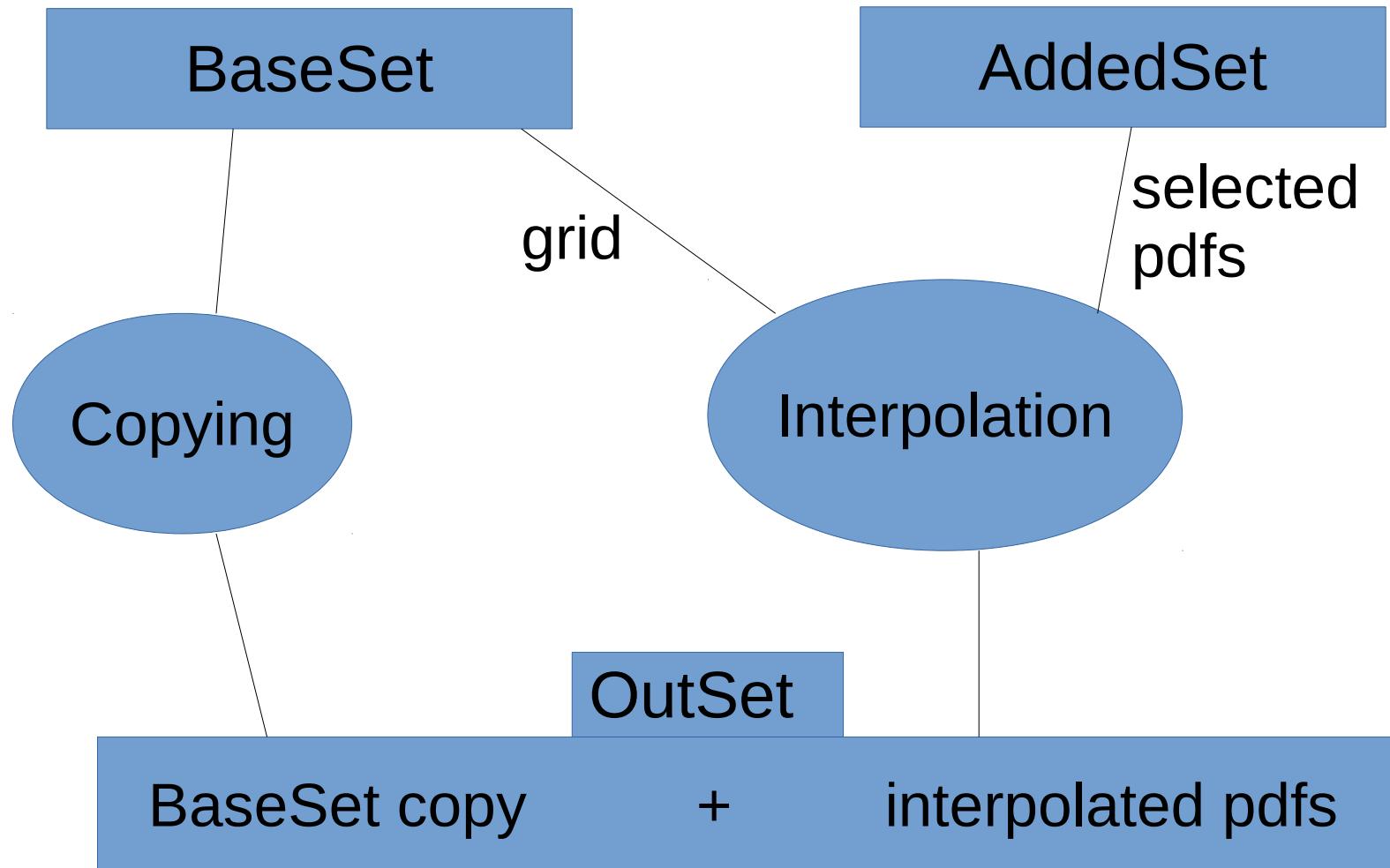


Combine utility for the process  
module in xfitter

# Structure

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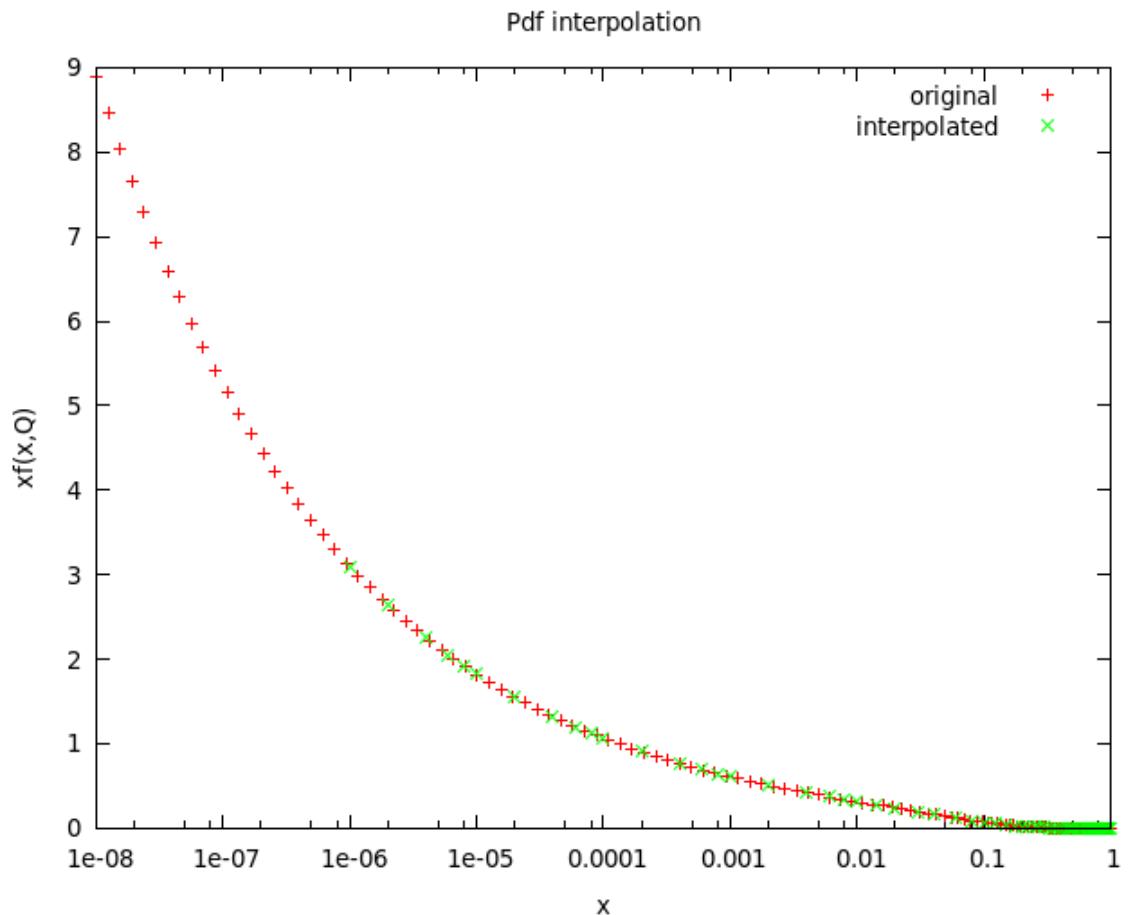
# How it works



# Syntax

Xfitter-process combine OutSet BaseSet AddedSet[:Pdfs]

- OutSet
- BaseSet contains grid
- AddedSet contains pdfs to be interpolated
- Pdfs 1,2,7...



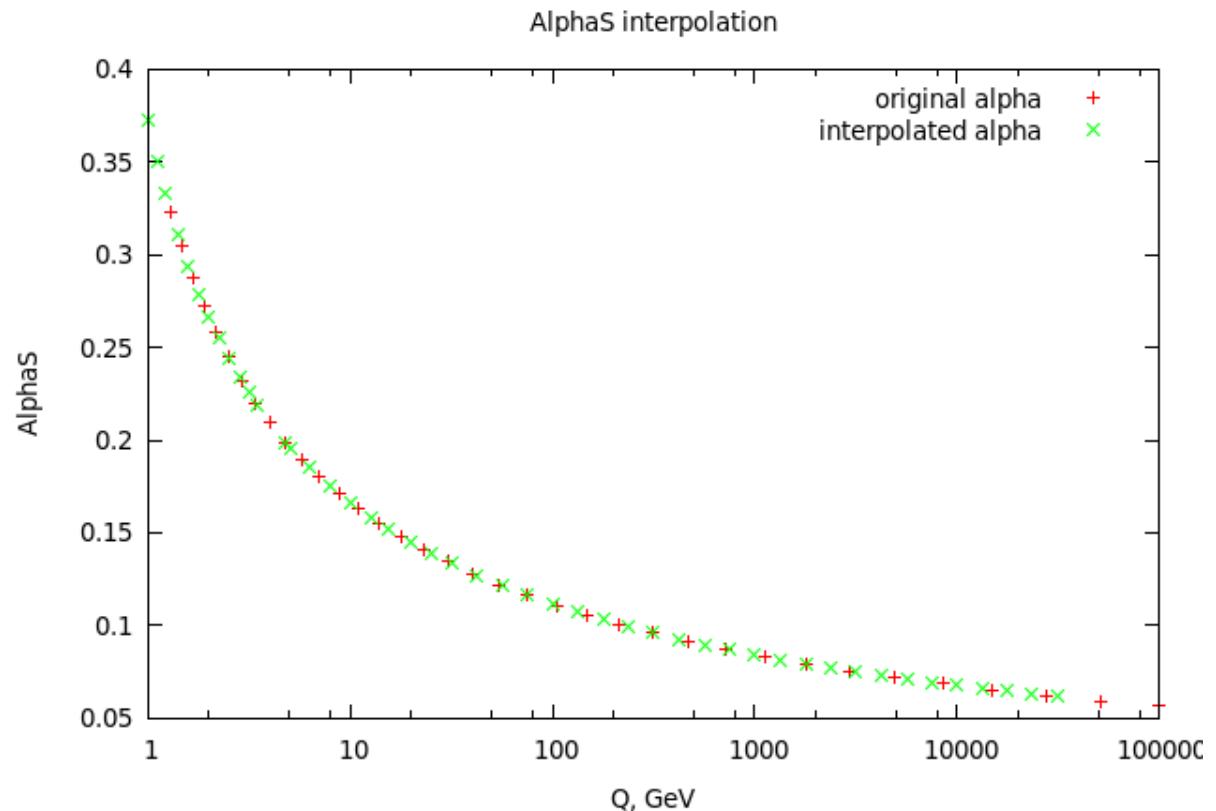
# Implementation

## combine.c & interpolation.cc

- Combine.c contains the function combine(args)
  - Declaration of variables
  - Parsing of command line arguments
  - Loading pdfsets and initializing of new pdfs
  - Filling the new pdfs with the values resulting from the interpolation
  - Saving new pdfset (or OutSet) to file
  - Memory cleaning
- Interpolation.cc contains the function interpolation(args) uses the LHAPDF function  $xfxQ(x, Q, \text{flavours})$

# Current status

- Increase NumMembers node value in Info file
- Add to interpolated pdf hesh original parameters:  
MCharm, MBottom, AlphaS\_MZ ...
- If AlphaS\_Type: ipol
  - interpolation of  
Alphas values  
on new Q grid
  - The function  
`alphas_ipol(args)`  
described in  
`interpolation.cc`  
uses the LHAPDF  
function `AlphaS()`



# Current status

- Add >1 sets:
  - Xfitter-process combine OutSet BaseSet AddedSet1[:pdfs]  
AddedSet2[:pdfs] ...
- Few functions are described separately in  
combine.c:
  - Argument parser
  - Initialization of new pdfs
  - Changing Info and pdf hash

# Summary

- To take pdfs from only one or more pdfsets and interpolate them
- To increase NumMembers in Info file
- To append some parameters to pdf hash
- To interpolate alphas on new grid if AlphaS\_Type = ipol

**Thanks for attention!**