A photograph of a fluffy gray cat sitting behind a three-tiered orange ball track toy. The toy consists of three concentric, slightly raised circular platforms with holes for balls. A yellow ball is on the top tier, and a pink ball is on the bottom tier. Red arrows point from the text labels to specific parts of the toy. The cat's body is angled towards the right, with its head near the top tier of the toy.

A CAT

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- Theorists use computers

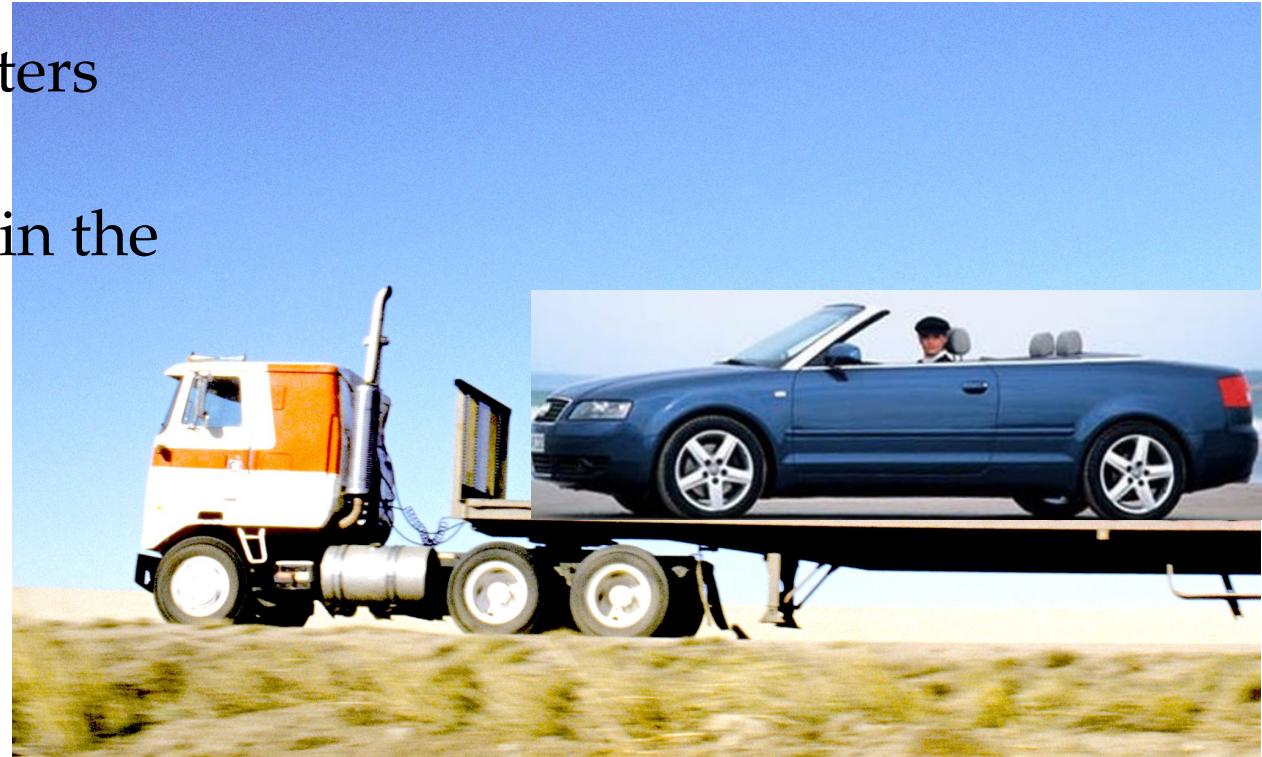
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- ...but they have to go where everybody goes



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Computational blow-up

Ben Ruijl

- Every triple gluon vertex creates 6 terms:

$$v_3 g(p_1^{\mu,a}, p_2^{\nu,b}, p_3^{\rho,c}) = -if^{abc} \left[(p_1 - p_2)^\rho g_{\mu\nu} + (2p_2 + p_1)^\mu g_{\nu\rho} + (-2p_1 - p_2)^\nu g_{\mu\rho} \right]$$

- Subgraph finding and Taylor expansions are invariant under momentum contraction, so rewrite the rule:

$$v_3 g(p_1^{\mu,a}, p_2^{\nu,b}, p_3^{\rho,c}) = -if^{abc} [p_1^\sigma t_3^{\sigma\nu\rho\mu} - p_2^\sigma t_3^{\sigma\mu\rho\nu}]$$
$$t_3^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} = g_{\mu\rho}g_{\nu\sigma} + g_{\mu\sigma}g_{\nu\rho} - 2g_{\mu\nu}g_{\rho\sigma}.$$

- Only 1024 terms for time-consuming functions

PSLQ example: analytical fit of the constants of a simple Feynman master integral

$G_3 = - 6.923045851761356912505617580735083517934776380710381211965$
027340374259906629690752260190170757759667710437231193300883
722208056019674982728156634698268149690892037534175775971788
180127966594635252125674083055745802190643143656847114850255
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885484197167310554001916363917752886054220736698992644253827
491022344104861934092733258757240487753611243309219763024210

.....

$$= -\frac{449}{96} - \frac{1}{6}\pi^2 - \frac{1}{2}\zeta(3)$$

Stefano Laporta

Number-theoretic methods MC, QMC

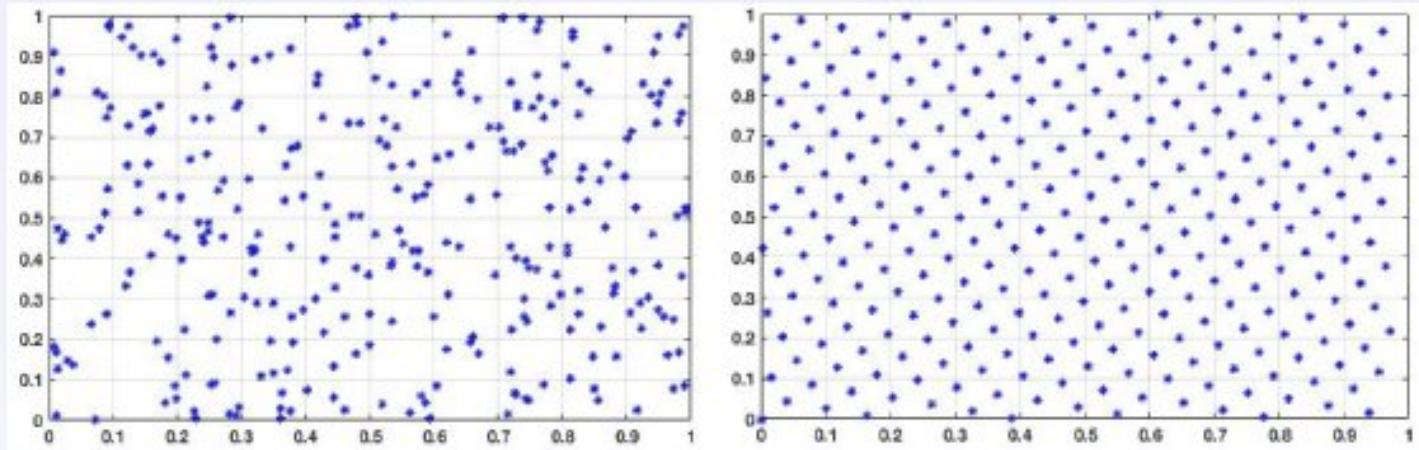
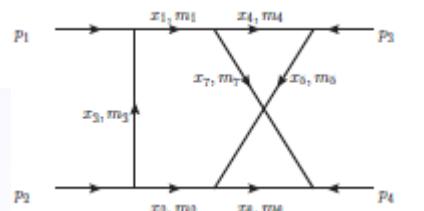


Figure: [MC-QMC] (left) 300 random points; (right) 300 points of 2-dimensional lattice constructed with generator vector $z = (1, 129)$

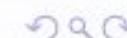


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200M	0.0853513985005	3.47 e-10	0.591
350M	0.0853513981538	4.28 e-14	1.115
Exact:	0.0853513981538		

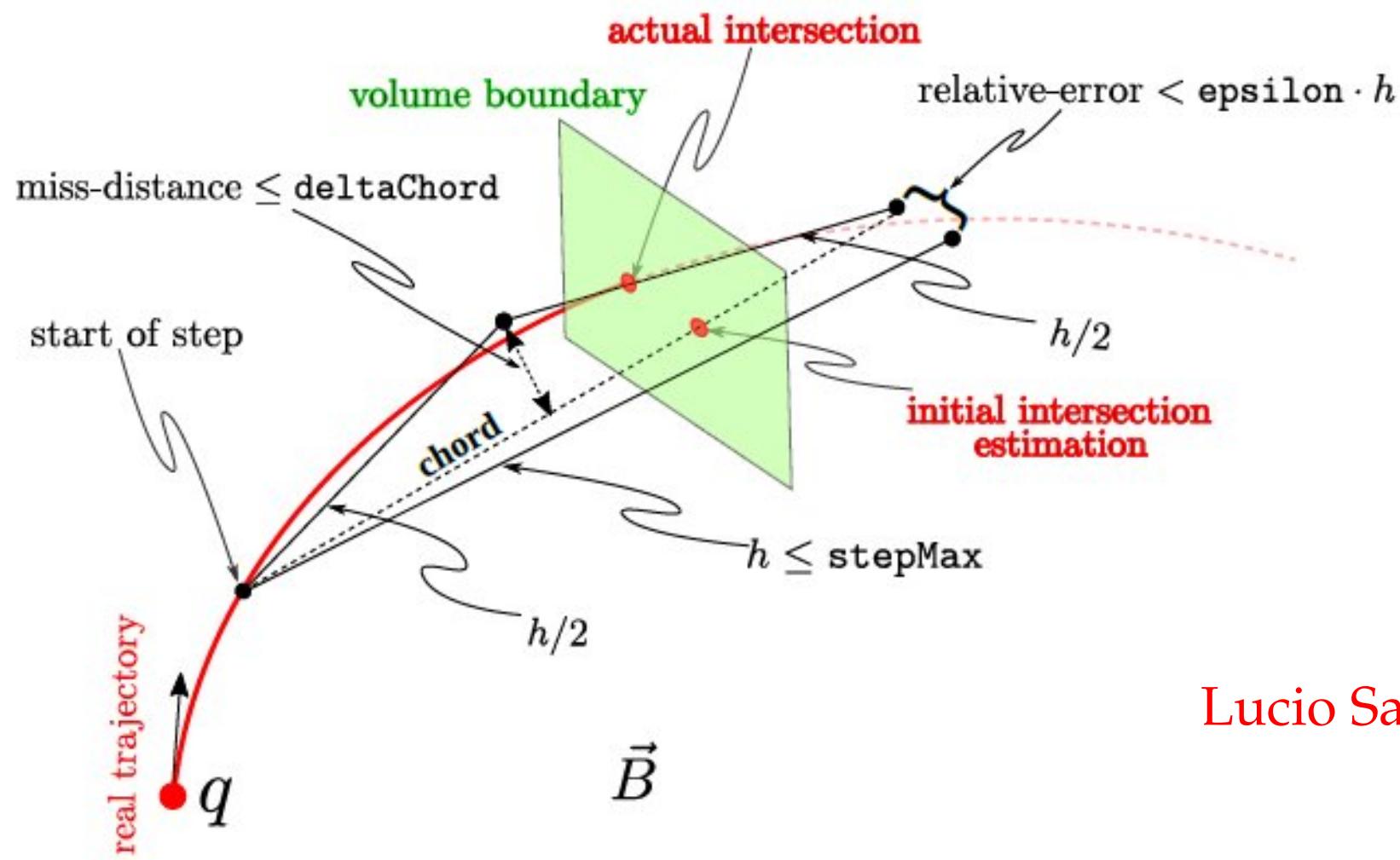
Elise de Doncker

Table: [2lb] Performance of LR integration with tanh transformation for 2-loop box diagrams on (Kepler-20) GPU, on system with Intel(R) Xeon(R) E5-2670, 2.6 GHz dual



Geant4: particle transport

Transportation of a charged particle q along a step of length h proposed by a physics process:

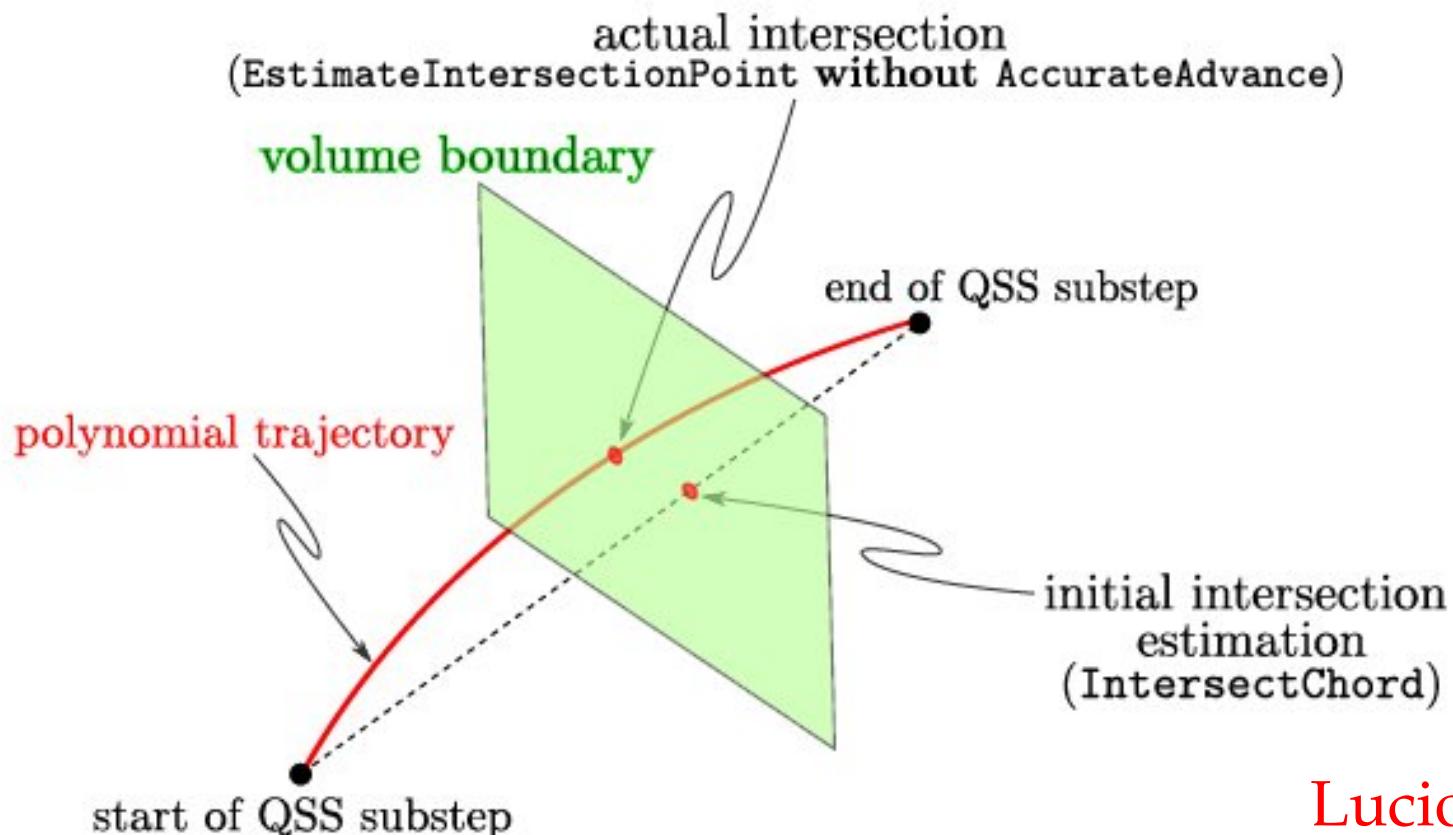


Lucio Santi

⇒ a total of 11 RHS evaluations involved for the 4th order Runge-Kutta.

Detection of boundary crossings

Cheaper particle transport until the crossing point using QSS polynomial dense output instead of iterative procedures:



Lucio Santi

- QSS dense output not fully exploited yet for boundary crossing detection \Rightarrow main goal driving our current work.

ACTIVE LEARNING

Ricardo Vilalta

DB new



Target
Domain
(unlabeled data)

Active
Learning

What examples need labeling to guarantee a hypothesis
with small predictive error?

Expert
labels
(few)
examples



Learning
System

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CollierLink

Hiren Patel

Three features -

2. Automatic code generation, compilation, and relinking

$$\int \frac{d^d k}{(2\pi)^d} \frac{(k^2 + k.p + k.q + p.q)^2}{(k+p)^2 [(k+q)^2 - m^2] k^2}$$

```
myIntegral = LoopIntegrate[(k.k + k.p + k.q + p.q)^2, k, {k+p, 0}, {k+q, m}, {k, 0}] /.
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$$\{p.p \rightarrow m^2, q.q \rightarrow 0, p.q \rightarrow \frac{1}{2} (m^2 - t)\}$$

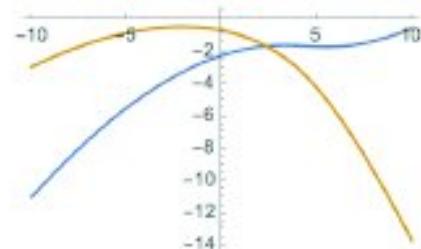
$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{3}{4} PVA[0, 0] + \frac{1}{4} PVA[0, m] + \left(\frac{m^2}{4} + \frac{1}{2} (m^2 - t) \right) PVB[0, 0, 0, 0, m] + \\ & \left(-\frac{m^2}{4} + \frac{1}{2} (m^2 - t) \right) PVB[0, 0, m^2, 0, 0] + \frac{1}{4} (m^2 - t) PVB[0, 1, 0, 0, m] + \\ & \frac{1}{4} (m^2 - t) PVB[0, 1, m^2, 0, 0] + \frac{1}{4} (m^2 - t)^2 PVC[0, 0, 0, m^2, t, 0, 0, 0, m] \end{aligned}$$

```
f = CollierCompile[{t, m}, Evaluate[myIntegral]]
```

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CollierCompiledFunction[ Variables (2): {t, m}  
Denom: 3 (triangle) Rank: 1]
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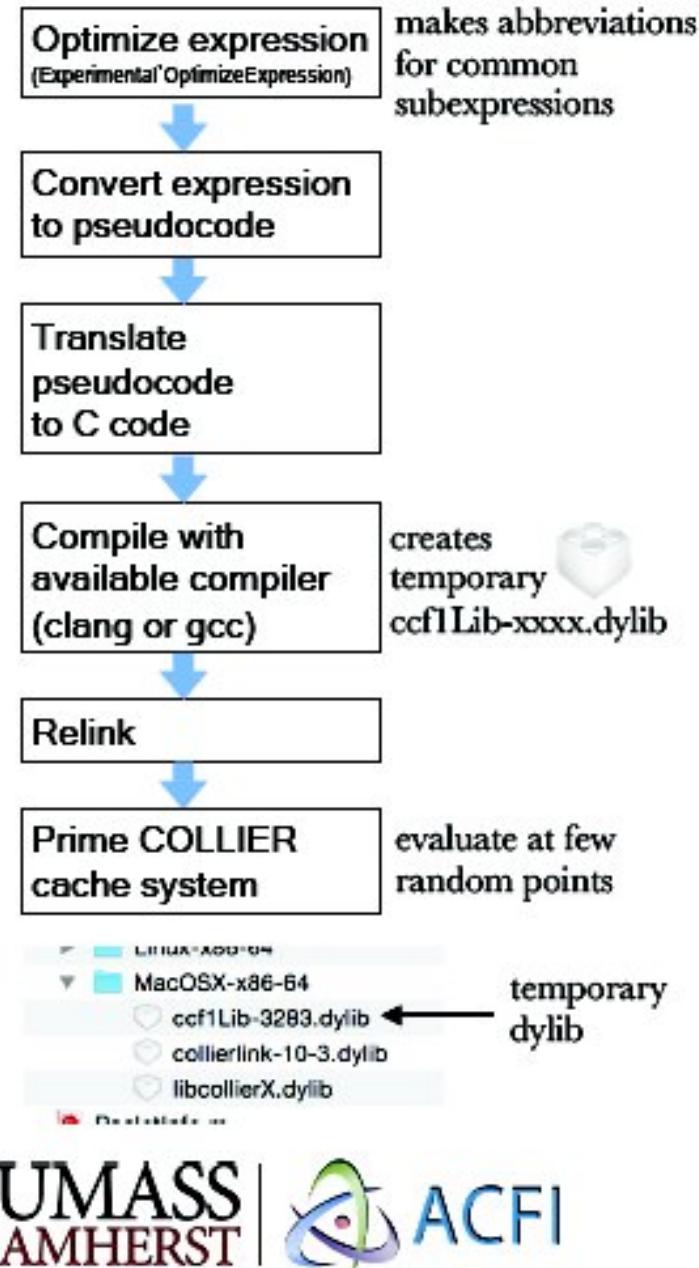
Evaluates with machine-code speed!

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Plot[{Re[f[t, 2.1]], Im[f[t, 2.1]]}, {t, -10, 10}]
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pretend
this is
many
pages
long...

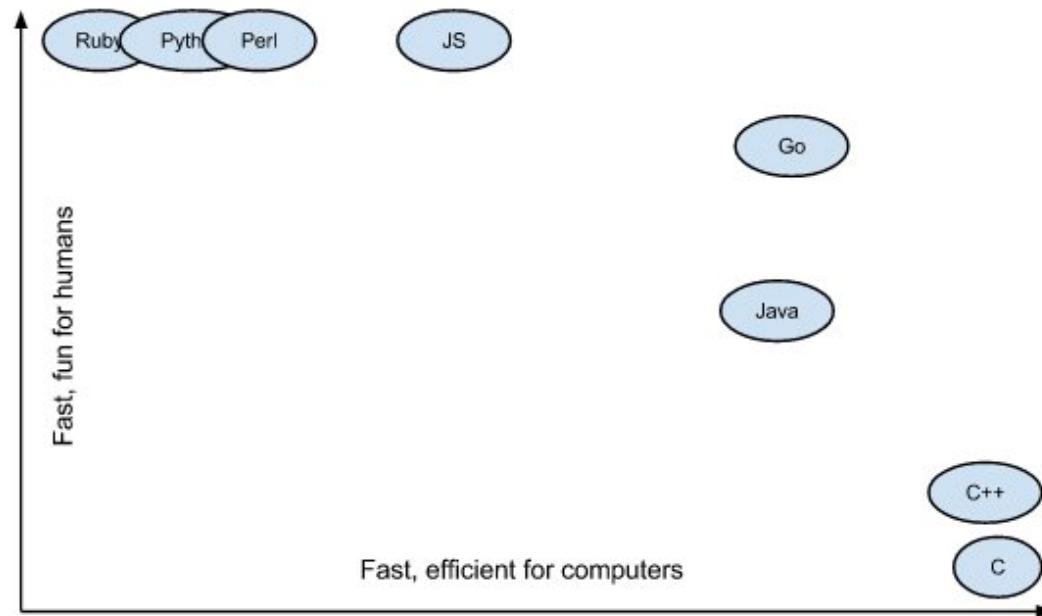
under the hood...



Conclusions

Go is great at writing small and large (concurrent) programs.

Also true for **science-y** programs, even if the amount of libraries can still be improved.



Write your next tool/analysis/simulation/software in [Go](#)?

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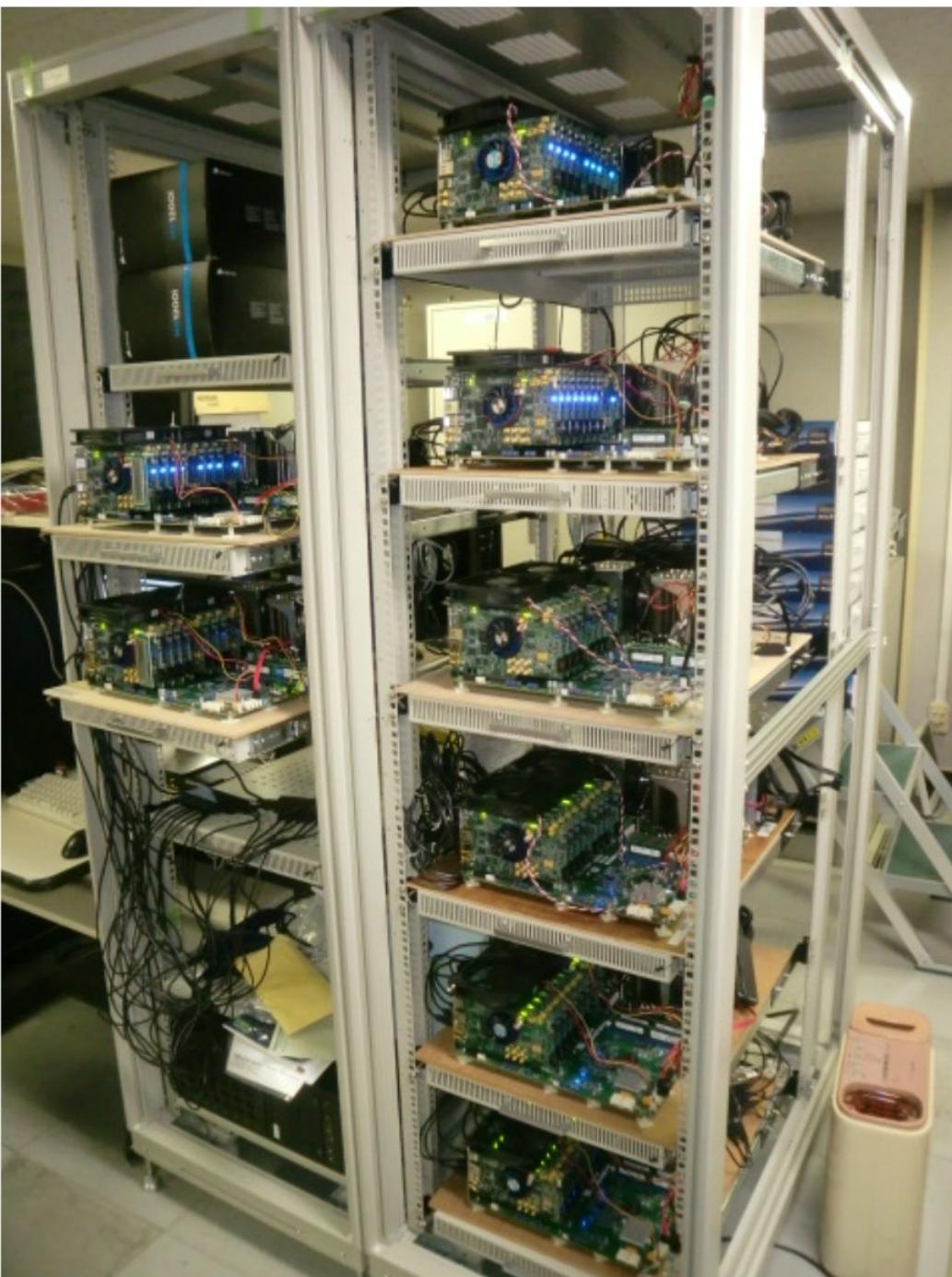
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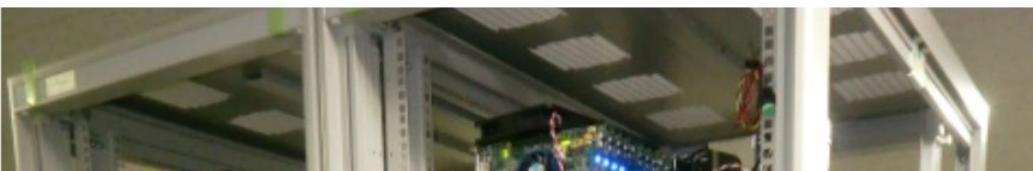
Hiroshi Daisaka



- **64 FPGA boards** (Altera ArriaV) on 8 host computers
 - 8 FPGA boards per host
 - connected via PCIe
- **Peak performance**
 - 422 Gflops for quadruple
 - 185 Gflops for hexuple
 - 96 Gflops for octuple
- specifications of host PC
 - Intel Xeon 2687W v3(6 hosts)
2687w v4 (2hosts)
 - 128GB mem
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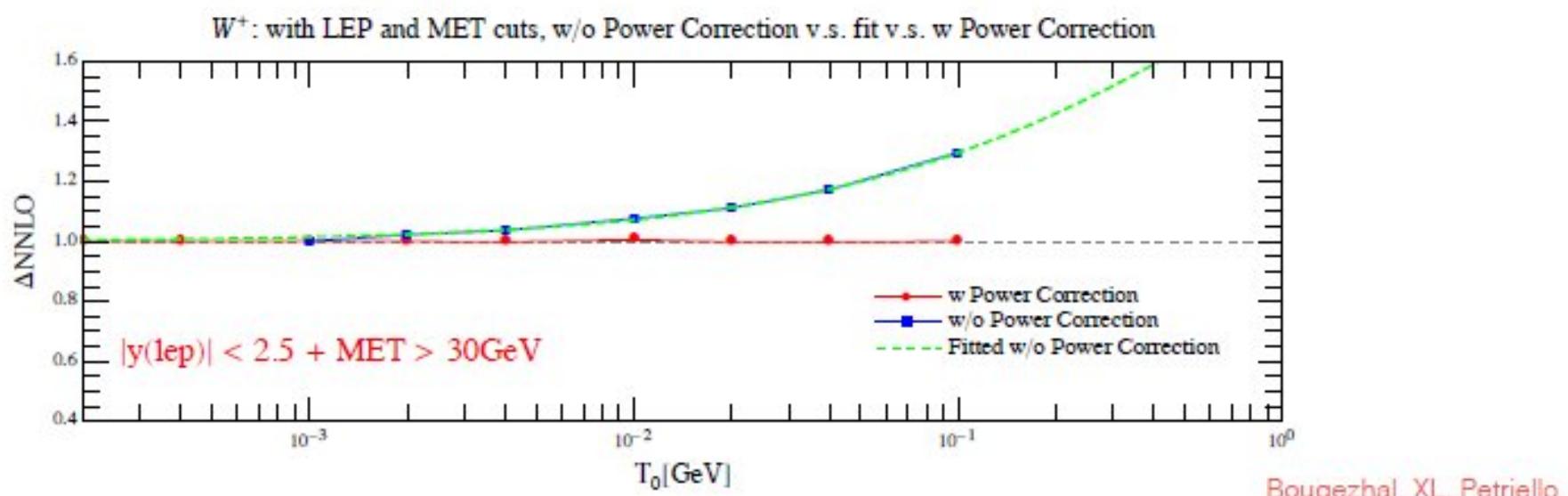
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4	 8	Kiyoshi Kato	
3	 7		tuple pole e
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Loops	Self energy	Vertex	3(6 hosts)
		Box	



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N-jettiness scheme

- Systematic to improve the convergence
 - including power corrections substantially improves the convergence



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pySecDec

pySecDec: a program to numerically evaluate dimensionally regulated parameter integrals

Stephen Jones

<https://github.com/mppmu/secdec/releases>

S. Borowka, G. Heinrich, S. Jahn, SPJ, M. Kerner, J. Schlenk, T. Zirke

Rewrite of SecDec in python & c++ using only open source software

Supports: Contour deformation (evaluate integrals in physical region)

Soper 99; Binoth, Guillet, Heinrich, Pilon, Schubert 05; Nagy, Soper 06; Anastasiou, Beerli, Daleo 07;
Beerli 08; Borowka, Carter, Heinrich 12; Borowka 14;

Arbitrary loops/legs (within reason)

General parameter integrals (not restricted to loop integrals)

Thomas Hahn

Loopedia

Ex.: Edge list [(1,2),(2,3),(2,3),(3,4)] or 1 2 2 3 2 3 3 4 — Nickel index e11|e

Enter your graph by its edge list (adjacency list) or Nickel index

or browse:

Loops =

Legs =

Scales =

Fulltext must contain:

must not contain:

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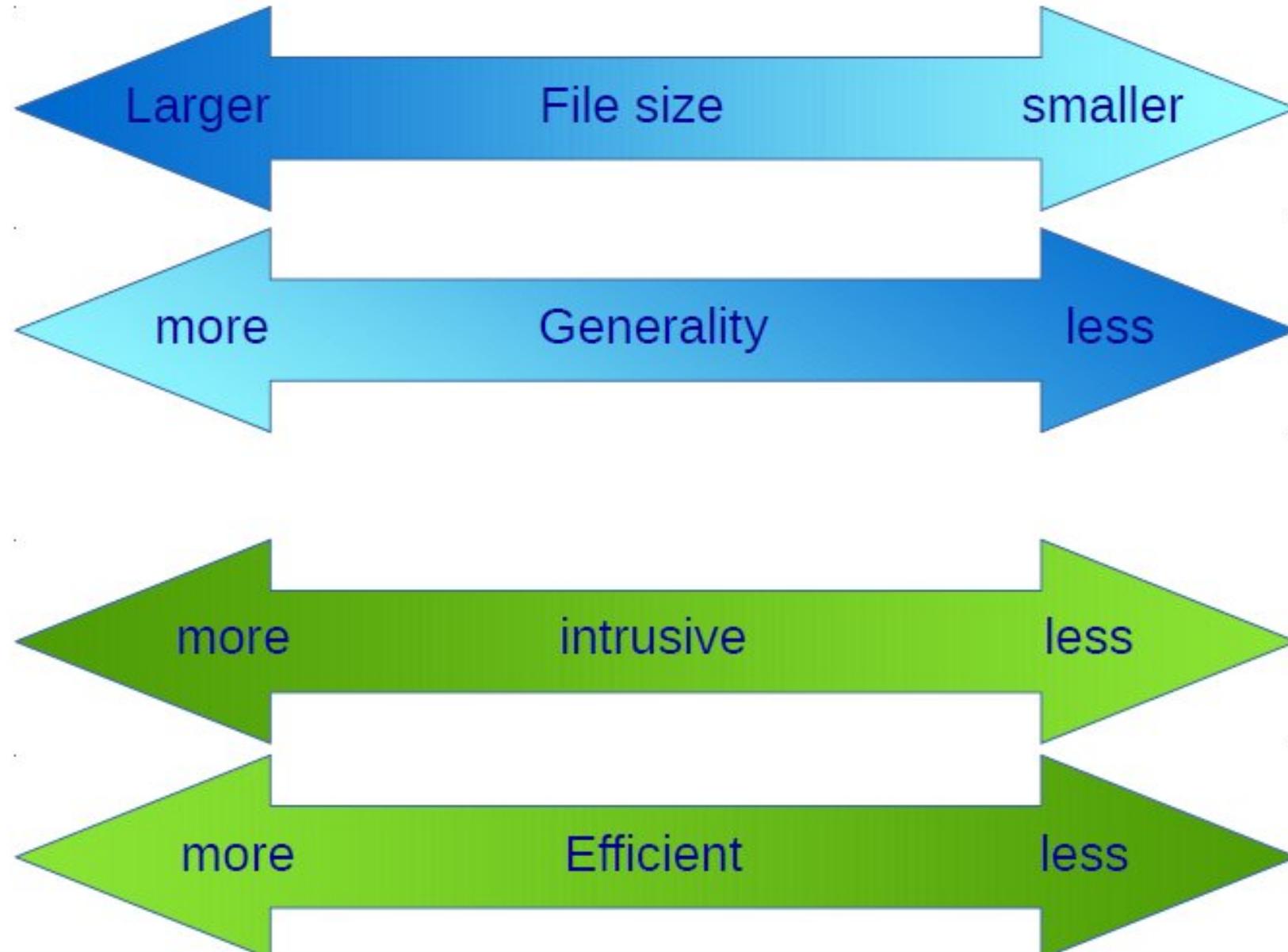
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NNLO nTuple files

- Trade offs

Daniel Maitre

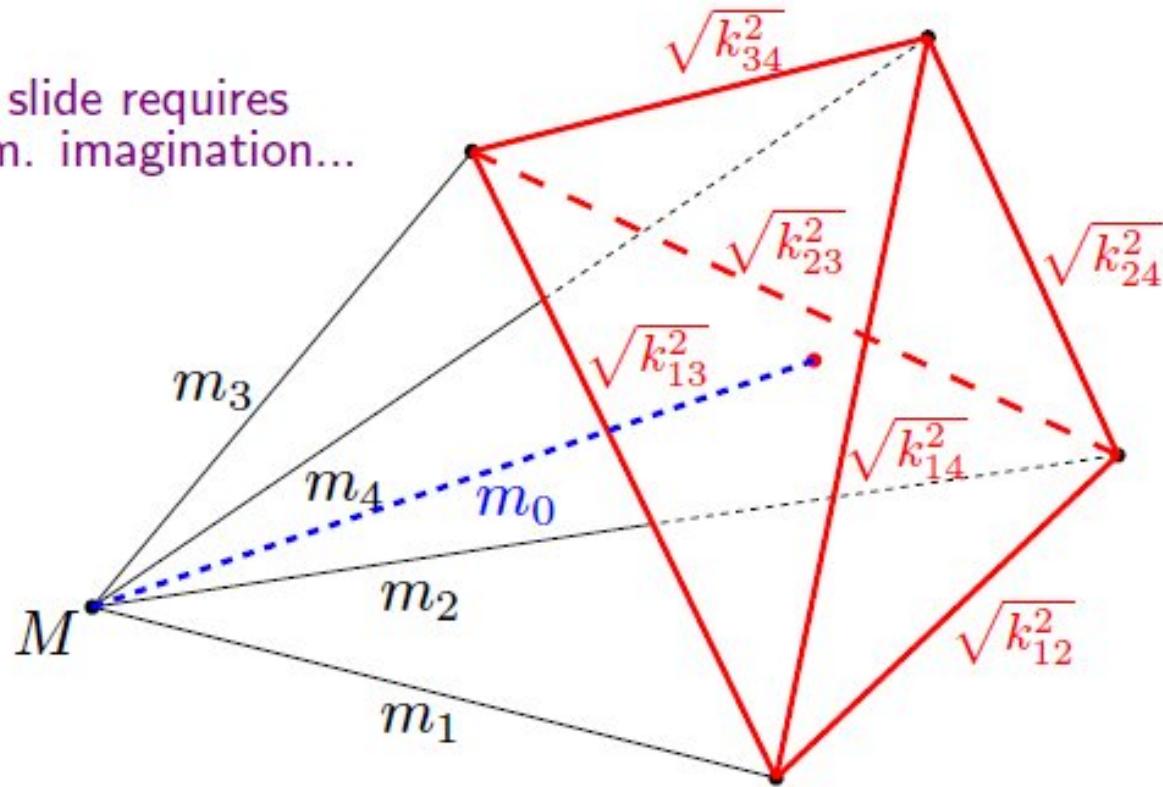


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- Computing in more formal physics

Four-point function: the basic simplex for $N = 4$

This slide requires
4-dim. imagination...



Andrei
Davydychev

$$D^{(4)} = \det \|c_{jl}\|, \quad \Lambda^{(4)} = \det \|(k_{j4} \cdot k_{l4})\|,$$

$$V^{(4)} = \frac{m_1 m_2 m_3 m_4}{4!} \sqrt{D^{(4)}}, \quad \bar{V}_0^{(3)} = \frac{1}{3!} \sqrt{\Lambda^{(4)}}, \quad m_0 = m_1 m_2 m_3 m_4 \sqrt{\frac{D^{(4)}}{\Lambda^{(4)}}}$$

Carlos Inostroza

To answer this one should consider the complete family of abelian semigroups, i.e., to take into account the history of their classification:

order	# Of Semigroups	
1	1	
2	4	
3	18	
4	126	[Forsythe '54]
5	1.160	[Motzkin, Selfridge '55]
6	15.973	[Plemmons '66]
7	836.021	[Jurgensen, Wick '76]
8	1.843.120.128	[Satoh, Yama, Tokizawa '94]
9	52.989.400.714.478	[Distler, Kelsey, Mitchell '09]
10	12.418.001.077.381.302.684	[Distler, Jefferson, Kelsey, Kotthoff '16]

and find a way to implement the S-expansion procedure.

[2] John A. Hildebrant, *Handbook of finite semigroup programs*.

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Apologies for all the work that could not be properly mentioned in a 20 min. summary!

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