



# Monte Carlo generators Tutorial

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# Installation

## ◆ Installation on the local machines

- ❖ Installation of PYTHIA 8 within MG5\_aMC
- ❖ Installation of MADANALYSIS 5 (including FASTJET, DELPHES and the PAD)

```
cd
cat >> .bashrc << EOF
./opt/root/root/bin/thisroot.sh
export PATH=\$PATH:/opt/lhapdf/bin
export LD_LIBRARY_PATH=\$LD_LIBRARY_PATH:/opt/lhapdf/lib
export PYTHONPATH=\$PYTHONPATH:/opt/lhapdf/lib64/python2.7/site-packages
EOF
```

Environment

```
mkdir madgraph
cd madgraph
tar zxf /opt/software/MG5_aMC_v2.6.2.tar.gz
./MG5_aMC_v2_6_2/bin/mg5_aMC
install pythia8 --source=ucl
exit
```

MG5\_aMC and  
PYTHIA 8

```
cd
mkdir madanalysis
cd madanalysis
tar zxf /opt/software/ma5_v1.6.41.tgz
mv madanalysis5/madanalysis/install/install_service.py madanalysis5/madanalysis/install/install_service.py.orig
mv madanalysis5/madanalysis/install/install_pad.py madanalysis5/madanalysis/install/install_pad.py.orig
cp -p/opt/software/install_service.py madanalysis5/madanalysis/install/
cp -p/opt/software/install_pad.py madanalysis5/madanalysis/install/
./madanalysis5/bin/ma5
install delphes
install PAD
install fastjet
quit
```

MA5, FASTJET,  
DELPHES and the  
PAD

# Getting started with MADGRAPH5\_aMC@NLO

## ◆ A first tutorial

- ❖ Get used to the MG5\_aMC syntax

- ★ Start MADGRAPH5\_aMC@NLO (*bin/mg5\_amc*) and type *tutorial*

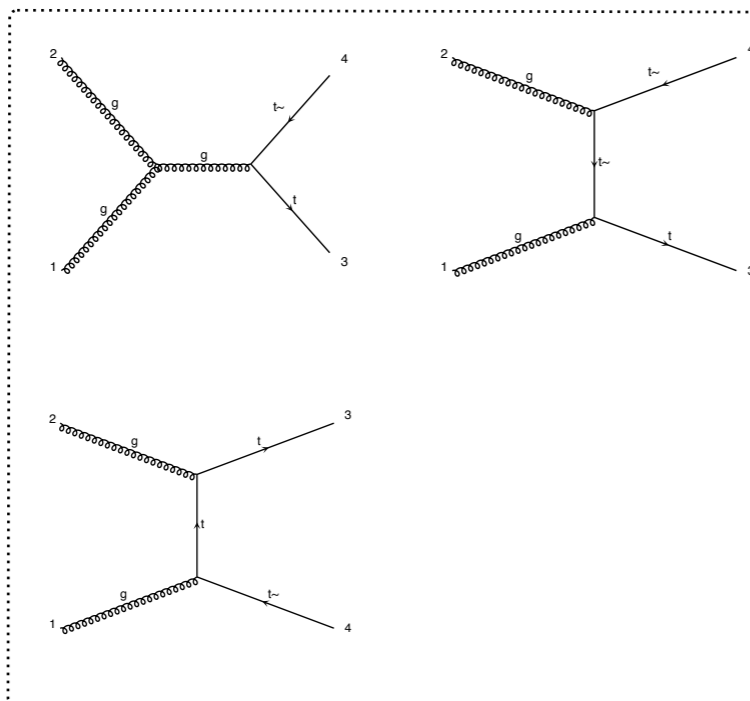
## ◆ Content of the tutorial

- ❖ Generating top-antitop events at the parton level (*generate p p > t t~*)

- ❖ Generating the code for the matrix element (after *output MY\_FIRST\_MG5\_RUN*)

- ★ Check the FORTRAN version of the matrix element:

*MY\_FIRST\_MG5\_RUN/SubProcesses/Pl\_gg\_ttx/matrix1.f*



```
C -----  
C BEGIN CODE  
C -----  
CALL VXXXXX(P(0,1),ZERO,NHEL(1),-1*IC(1),W(1,1))  
CALL VXXXXX(P(0,2),ZERO,NHEL(2),-1*IC(2),W(1,2))  
CALL OXXXXX(P(0,3),MDL_MT,NHEL(3),+1*IC(3),W(1,3))  
CALL IXXXXX(P(0,4),MDL_MT,NHEL(4),-1*IC(4),W(1,4))  
CALL VVV1P0_1(W(1,1),W(1,2),GC_10,ZERO,ZERO,W(1,5))  
C Amplitude(s) for diagram number 1  
CALL FFV1_0(W(1,4),W(1,3),W(1,5),GC_11,AMP(1))  
CALL FFV1_1(W(1,3),W(1,1),GC_11,MDL_MT,MDL_WT,W(1,5))  
C Amplitude(s) for diagram number 2  
CALL FFV1_0(W(1,4),W(1,5),W(1,2),GC_11,AMP(2))  
CALL FFV1_2(W(1,4),W(1,1),GC_11,MDL_MT,MDL_WT,W(1,5))  
C Amplitude(s) for diagram number 3  
CALL FFV1_0(W(1,5),W(1,3),W(1,2),GC_11,AMP(3))  
C JAMPs contributing to orders ALL_ORDERS=1  
JAMP(1,1)=+IMAG1*AMP(1)-AMP(2)  
JAMP(2,1)=-IMAG1*AMP(1)-AMP(3)
```

# Generating events

## ◆ Generating events: *launch*

- ❖ Switch on PYTHIA 8, MADSPIN and switch off MADANALYSIS 5

Description	values	other options
1. Choose the shower/hadronization program	<b>shower</b> = <b>Pythia8</b>	OFF
2. Choose the detector simulation program	<b>detector</b> = <b>Not Avail.</b>	Please install module
3. Choose an analysis package (plot/convert)	<b>analysis</b> = <b>OFF</b>	MadAnalysis5
4. Decay onshell particles	<b>madspin</b> = <b>ON</b>	onshell!OFF
5. Add weights to events for new hypp.	<b>reweight</b> = <b>OFF</b>	ON

## ◆ Investigate the content of the various cards

- ❖ Understand what they are and what they control

1. param	: param_card.dat
2. run	: run_card.dat
3. pythia8	: pythia8_card.dat
4. madspin	: madspin_card.dat

- ❖ Start the run. The web output is:

Run	Collider	Banner	Cross section (pb)	Events	Data	Output	Action
run_01	p p 6500.0 x 6500.0 GeV	<a href="#">tag_1</a>	<a href="#">504.3 ± 4.1 ± systematics</a>	10000	parton madevent	<a href="#">LHE</a>	<input type="button" value="remove run"/> <input type="button" value="launch detector simulation"/>
run_01_decayed_1	p p 6500.0 x 6500.0 GeV	<a href="#">tag_1</a>	<a href="#">504.3 ± 4.1</a>	10000	parton madevent	<a href="#">LHE</a>	<input type="button" value="remove run"/> <input type="button" value="launch detector simulation"/>
					pythia8	<a href="#">LOG HEPMC</a>	<input type="button" value="remove run"/> <input type="button" value="launch detector simulation"/>

## ◆ Continue the tutorial

# Event generation

◆ Go to the folder *MY\_FIRST\_MG5\_RUN/Events/run\_01*

❖ The hard scattering events are in the file *unweighted\_events.lhe.gz*

❖ The showered events are in the file *tag\_1\_pythia8\_events.hepmc.gz*

◆ Generate 4 samples of 10000 events (both hard and showered events)

❖ top-antitop ( $p p > t t^{\sim}$ )

❖ Drell Yan ( $p p > l^+ l^-$ )

❖ W + jets ( $p p > l^+ \nu_l$  or  $l^- \nu_l^{\sim}$ )

❖ single top in the tW mode ( $p p > t W^-$  and  $t^{\sim} W^+$ )

# Event analysis

## ◆ We will analyze those events with MADANALYSIS 5

♣ Go to <http://madanalysis.irmp.ucl.ac.be/wiki/tutorials>

### Collection of tutorials on the normal mode

Chapter 1: What is `MadAnalysis`? [⇒ https://madanalysis.irmp.ucl.ac.be/raw-attachment/wiki/tutorials/NormalMode-Tuto1.pdf](https://madanalysis.irmp.ucl.ac.be/raw-attachment/wiki/tutorials/NormalMode-Tuto1.pdf)

Chapter 2: Installation & startup [⇒ https://madanalysis.irmp.ucl.ac.be/raw-attachment/wiki/tutorials/NormalMode-Tuto2.pdf](https://madanalysis.irmp.ucl.ac.be/raw-attachment/wiki/tutorials/NormalMode-Tuto2.pdf)

Chapter 3: A first analysis with `MadAnalysis` 5 [⇒ https://madanalysis.irmp.ucl.ac.be/raw-attachment/wiki/tutorials/NormalMode-Tuto3.pdf](https://madanalysis.irmp.ucl.ac.be/raw-attachment/wiki/tutorials/NormalMode-Tuto3.pdf)

Chapter 4: Using `FastJet` [⇒ https://madanalysis.irmp.ucl.ac.be/raw-attachment/wiki/tutorials/NormalMode-Tuto4.pdf](https://madanalysis.irmp.ucl.ac.be/raw-attachment/wiki/tutorials/NormalMode-Tuto4.pdf)

♣ Four tutorials to be applied on the above event files

★ Chapter 1: basic information about MADANALYSIS 5

★ Chapter 2: Installation ➤ go directly to **page 16–22** (ignore the rest)

★ Chapter 3: **Analysis of all unweighted event files** (single top is our signal)

➤ Hard-scattering level only

➤ Use the cross sections returned by MG5\_aMC

➤ Investigate which observables could help to observe the signal

➤ **Which significance do you get?**

★ Chapter 4: **Reconstruction of the *hepmc* event files** (part I only)

# Analysis of the reconstructed events

## ◆ We will analyze the events with MADANANALYSIS 5

- ❖ Analyze the reconstructed event files as done in the third tutorial
  - Check different observables
  - Try to observe the single top signal
  - Which significance do you get?

## ◆ Make use of the MADANALYSIS5 - DELPHES interface (detector simulation)

- ❖ Start MADANALYSIS 5 in the reco mode (*bin/ma5 - R*)

```
ma5>set main.fastsim.package = delphes
ma5>set main.fastsim.detector = cms-ma5tune
ma5>import samples/TT.hepmc.gz
MA5:   -> Storing the file 'TT.hepmc.gz' in the dataset 'defaultset'.
ma5>submit
```

- ❖ Analyze the reconstructed ROOT files
  - Check different observables
  - Try to observe the single top signal
  - Which significance do you get?
  - Compare with the no-detector simulation case

# Bonus - an MSSM signal

- ◆ Generate events describing electroweakino pair-production
  - ♣ Import the MSSM model
  - ♣ Type: *define x1 = x1+ x1-; generate p p > x1 n2; output; launch*
  - ♣ Go directly to the DELPHES level with MADANALYSIS 5 and analyze those events
  - ♣ The SUSY signal is now the signal sample, the SM ones the backgrounds
- ◆ Design an analysis to observe the signal. Which significance do you get?