## Herwig 7

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## Recent History of Herwig

• HERWIG 6.5 last Fortran (2002), minor updates 2013.

[Corcella et.al., hep-ph/0204123]

• Herwig++ 1.0. First C++ version,  $e^+e^-$  only.

[SG, A. Ribon, P. Stephens, M.H. Seymour, B.R. Webber, JHEP 0402 (2004) 005]

• Herwig++ 2.0β– Herwig++ 2.7

[SG et.al., Herwig++ 2.0 β Release Note, hep-ph/060206]

[SG et al., Herwig++ 2.0 Release Note, hep-ph/0609306]

[M. Bähr et al., Herwig++ 2.1 Release Note. 0711.3137]

[M. Bähr et al., Herwig++ 2.2 Release Note. 0804.3053]

[M. Bähr et al., Herwig++ 2.3 Release Note. 0812.0529]

[SG et al., Herwig++ 2.5 Release Note. 1102.1672]

[J. Bellm et al., Herwig++ 2.7 Release Note. 1310.6877]

from simple *pp* collisions up to fully-fledged LHC event generation. Many 'in-house' NLO matched calculations. Now,

 $\tau$ (Herwig++)  $\approx \tau$ (fHERWIG)  $\gtrsim 15$  years .

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Want best of both worlds.

Parton shower for soft+collinear radiation (intra jet).

Hard, large angle radiation from matrix elements (hard jets).

Higher accuracy from higher orders, mostly NLO QCD corrections.

#### Herwig 7

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New major release Herwig++ 3.0 aka Herwig 7.

Evolution of fHERWIG/Herwig++ subsumed as "7 > 6.5". "Better than fHERWIG in every aspect plus more".

"NLO for all hard processes."

[J. Bellm et.al., Eur.Phys.J. C76 (2016), 196]

[Herwig 7.1 Release Note, arXiv:1705.06919]

#### Matchbox in Herwig 7



- Workinghorse of all NLO efforts in Herwig 7.
- Interfaces to various programs.
- Formalism and code to generate matched/merged events.

#### What's in Matchbox?

- Matching/merging formalism completely generic.
- Two showers
  - Angular ordered shower.
  - Catani–Seymour dipoles.
- Two matching formalisms
  - MC@NLO like.
  - POWHEG like.
- Many interfaces to (automatic) NLO programs.
- Automatic CS subtraction terms.
- Improved phase space.

## ME Interfaces to Herwig

#### Everything pre-installed and called internally from Herwig!

- Amplitude level
  - Hand-coded MEs
  - Hjet++ [F. Campanario, T. Figy, S. Plätzer, M. Sjödahl]
  - MadGraph5
  - Colour correlations with ColourFull
- Squared amplitude level
  - GoSam
  - OpenLoops
  - NJet
  - VBFNLO
- Some ME already built-in
  - Important SM processes
  - BSM internally with specified model
  - UFO interface
  - Spin correlations in 2- and 3-body decays.

[MadGraph, SG, S. Plätzer, J. Bellm]

[GoSam & J. Bellm, SG, S. Plätzer, C. Reuschle]

[OpenLoops & J. Bellm, SG, S. Plätzer]

[NJet & S. Plätzer]

[S. Plätzer, M. Sjödahl]

[VBFNLO & J. Bellm, SG, S. Plätzer ]

<sup>[</sup>M. Gigg, P. Richardson, EPJ C51 (2007) 989]

#### Two parton showers

#### Angular ordered shower

[SG, P. Stephens, B. Webber, JHEP 0312 (2003) 045]

- Angular ordering from  $\tilde{q}$
- Phase space somewhat focused on collinear region
- No full coverage
- Colour coherence by construction
- $\times$  two NLO matching schemes.

Merging with dipole shower.

# Intrinsic systematic studies of parton shower uncertainties within one framework. [J. Bellm *et.al.*, EPJC76 (2016) 665]

#### **Dipole shower**

[S. Plätzer, SG, EPJC72 (2012) 2187]

- Catani-Seymour dipoles
- NLO Matching inspired
- evolution in  $p_{\perp}$
- full phase space
- Colour coherence

Not many serious studys of DIS with LHC-era event generators Not many HERA results available in Rivet Would give important insights also for current LHC studies Use VBF-type processes as template for DIS type physics

#### VBF example



 $W^+W^-$  + 2 jets NLO (VBFNLO+Herwig 7):

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$$y^* = y_3 - \frac{y_1 + y_2}{2}$$

- Shower mostly forward.
- $\mu_R, \mu_F$  ren./factorization scales.
- $\mu_Q$  shower scale.
- All varied by factor 2.

Extrapolation between central (hard) and forward (shower) region.

[M. Rauch, S. Plätzer, EPJC 77 (2017) 293]

#### **VBF** example





[VBSCAN (M. Rauch), to appear]

New approach in Herwig++/Matchbox. [S. Plätzer, JHEP 1308 (2013) 114]

Idea: Approximation of Sudakov " $\Delta \approx 1 - \int BP$ " violates parton shower unitarity. Replace *BP* by full LO matrix element also in reweighting of events.

Leads to unified NLO matching and (LO/NLO)-merging prescription [J. Bellm, SG, S. Plätzer, EPJC 2018]

#### Unitarized Merging

#### Consider parton shower acting on Born ME,

$$PS[B_0] = \Delta^0_{\mu} B_0 + PS[P_1 \Delta^1_0 B_0] ,$$

iterate once,

$$PS[B_0] = \Delta^0_\mu B_0 + \Delta^1_\mu P_1 \Delta^0_1 B_0 + PS[P_2 \Delta^1_2 P_1 \Delta^0_1 B_0] ,$$

replace

$$P_1 B_0 o rac{lpha_S(q_1)}{lpha_S(q_0)} B_1 \;,$$

etc., but induces unitarity violation in Sudakov weights, so

$$\Delta^1_\mu pprox 1 - P_1 B_0 
ightarrow 1 - rac{lpha_{\mathcal{S}}(q_1)}{lpha_{\mathcal{S}}(q_0)} B_1 \; .$$

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#### Unitarized Merging

Z+jets, W+jets.



<sup>[</sup>J. Bellm, SG, S. Plätzer, EPJC 2018]

 $Z(0^*, 1^*, 2) \rightarrow Zj@NLO$  in hard region. Soft region very stable.  $W(0^*, 1^*, 2)$  describes jet correlations. Still large MPI content.

#### $eq \rightarrow eq$ at LO and with NLO-merging vs H1 data.



[H1, EPJC12 (2000) 595]

#### Stabilization with higher orders.

#### MPI model

Multiple partonic interactions will become important in photo production events ( $Q^2 \rightarrow 0$ ). (Note: no photon pdf in latest LHAPDF!)

In Herwig: hard MPI = multiple QCD 2  $\rightarrow$  2 processes soft MPI = production of soft particles (flat in *y*, narrow in  $p_{\perp}$ ) soft diffraction (with a hard tail...)

Good results for Min Bias and UE observables.

[M. Bähr, SG, M.H. Seymour, JHEP 0807 (2008) 076]

[SG, C. Röhr, A. Siodmok, EPJC72 (2012) 2225]

[SG, F. Loshaj, P. Kirchgaeßer, EPJC77 (2017) 156]

[SG, P. Kirchgaeßer, S. Plätzer, EPJC78 (2018) 99]

#### Overlap function



 $\Rightarrow$  Two main parameters:  $\mu^2$ ,  $p_t^{\min}$ .

#### Extending into the soft region

Continuation of the differential cross section into the soft region  $p_t < p_t^{\min}$  (here:  $p_t$  integral kept fixed)



#### Colour Reconnection — idea

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Possible rearrangement of colour lines with  $P_{\text{reco}}$ .



#### Diffractive final states

Strictly low mass diffraction only. Allow  $M^2$  large nonetheless.  $M^2$  power-like, *t* exponential (Regge).

 $pp \rightarrow (\text{baryonic cluster}) + p$ .

Hadronic content from cluster fission/decay  $C \rightarrow hh...$ Cluster may be quite light. If very light, use directly

 $pp \rightarrow \Delta + p$ .

Also double diffraction implemented.

 $pp \rightarrow (cluster) + (cluster) \qquad pp \rightarrow \Delta + \Delta$ .

Technically: new MEs for diffractive processes set up.

#### Tuned results

#### ATLAS Min Bias 7 TeV.

[ATLAS, New.J.Phys. 13 (2011) 053033]



Similar to previous results, "harder part of Min Bias".

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## Rapidity based colour reconnection

Colour singlets not only from  $q\bar{q}$  but also from qqq states



But, baryonic clusters would typically be much heavier

$$M_{ijk} + M_{lmn} > M_{il} + M_{jm} + M_{kn}$$

would always/often be reconnected into mesonic clusters.

## Rapidity based colour reconnection

"Closeness" of quarks not based on invariant mass but on proximity in momentum space.



# Consider other quarks' movement based on their rapidity in reference clusters' CM frame.

#### Results



#### Idea seems to work.

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#### [ALICE, EPJ C75 (2015) 226]



Strangeness difficult.  $g \rightarrow s\bar{s}$  splitting.

Results

#### [ALICE, EPJ C75 (2015) 226]



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Today's event generators are very sophisticated tools.

NLO, Matching, Merging, MPI well under control

DIS still immature, but huge potential ( $\rightarrow$  VBF)

First steps with ion collisions are being made





**3-6 month** fully funded studentships for current PhD students at one of the MCnet nodes. An excellent opportunity to really understand and improve the Monte Carlos you use!

Application rounds every 3 months.



MCnet projects Pythia+Vincia Herwig Sherpa MadGraph "Plugin" – Ariadne+HEJ CEDAR – Rivet+Professor +Contur+hepforge+...



on Monte Carlo Event Generators for Large Hadron Collider



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# **Extra Slides**

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#### Matching MC and NLO on one slide

Solution: subtract doubly counted terms.

$$\langle O \rangle_{\rm NLO} = BO(0) + \bar{V}O(0) + \int_0^1 dx \, \frac{O(x)R(x) - O(0)A(x)}{x}$$
$$\langle O \rangle_{\rm PS} = BO(0) \left[ 1 - \int_\mu \frac{dx}{x} P(x) \right] + \int_\mu dx O(x) B \frac{P(x)}{x}$$

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Result ("MC@NLO master formula")

$$\begin{split} \langle O \rangle_{\text{MC@NLO}} = &O(0) \left[ B + \bar{V} + \int_0^1 dx \, \frac{BP(x) - A(x)}{x} \right] \\ &+ \int dx \, O(x) \frac{R(x) - BP(x)}{x} \; . \end{split}$$

Note:  $(O(0)B \otimes \text{parton shower})$  adds back subtracted terms  $\Rightarrow$  NLO result is exactly reproduced after parton shower.

#### "Classic" MC and NLO

#### Implemented as subtractive matching in MC@NLO package

[Frixione, Webber, JHEP 0206:029,2002.]

[Frixione, Nason, Webber, JHEP 0308:007,2003.]

# With modified Sudakov form factor as POWHEG/POWHEG-box

[Nason, hep-ph/0409146; Nason, Ridolfi hep-ph/0606275]

[Frixione, Nason, Ridolfi, 0707.3081, 0707.3088; Frixione, Nason, Oleari, 0709.2092]

Both methods/packages used with Herwig++ as well.

Number of processes implemented independently into Herwig++ with truncated shower.

In view of "NLO revolution": can we go beyond?