

# NuWro status

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## Outline:

- General information
- Developments since NuInt17
  - Nucleon cascade model
  - Event reweighting
  - New MEC model
  - Validation program
- Plans for the future



## NuWro team

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Inspiration and motivation:  
Danka Kiełczewska



## A short history



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### WroNG – Wrocław Neutrino Generator of events for single pion production

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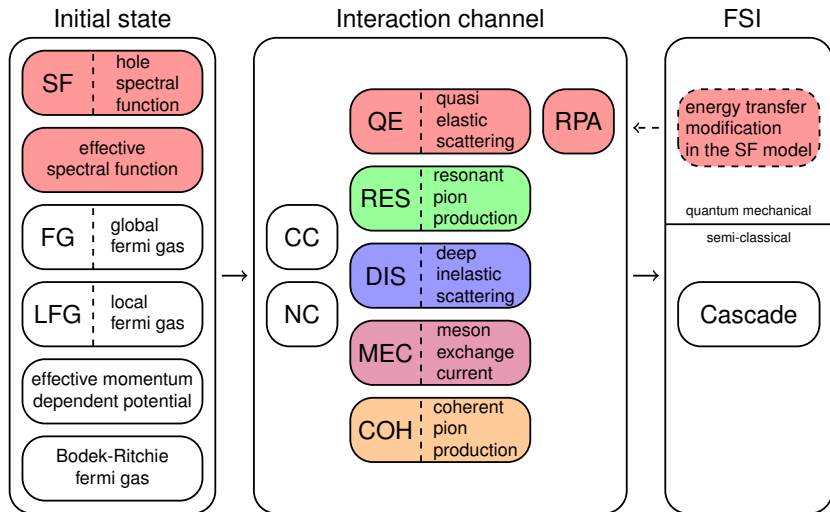
We constructed a new Monte Carlo generator of events for neutrino CC single pion production on free nucleon targets. The code uses dynamical models of the DIS with the PDFs modified according to the recent JLab data and of the  $\Delta$  excitation. A comparison with experimental data was done in three channels for the total cross sections and for the distributions of events in invariant hadronic mass.

The first presentation at NuInt04 in Gran Sasso.

Since then, a long way...



## NuWro blueprint



# Intranuclear cascade



## Intranuclear cascade Kajetan Niewczas

- **Propagates particles** through the nuclear medium
- **Semi-classical** – includes Pauli blocking, nucleon-nucleon correlation effects

- **Probability** of passing a distance  $\lambda$ :

$$P(\lambda) = e^{-\lambda/\tilde{\lambda}}$$

where mean free path

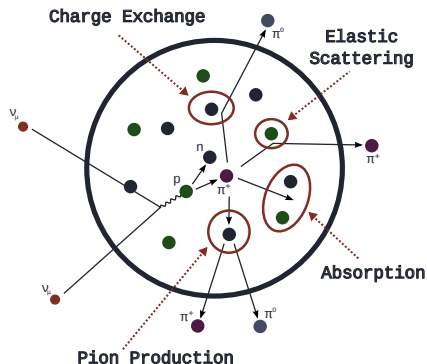
$$\tilde{\lambda} \equiv (\rho\sigma)^{-1}$$

$\rho$  - local density

$\sigma$  - cross section

- Implemented for **nucleons** and **pions**

T. Golan, C. Juszczak, J.T. Sobczyk,  
Phys.Rev. C86 (2012) 015505



from T. Golan



## Nucleon cascade – technicalities

- Based on **Metropolis et al.** algorithm  
N. Metropolis et al., Phys. Rev. 110 (1958) 185-203 and 204-219
- Propagation and interactions of **on-shell nucleons**
- Nuclear **potential** from **LFG**:  $V(r) = E_F(r) + E_B$  (nucleons leaving nucleus loose energy)
- Total and elastic **free NN cross sections** fitted to **PDG2016**  
M. Tanabashi et al. (Particle Data Group), Phys. Rev. D98 (2018) 030001
- Fraction of  $1\pi$  production in overall cross section from **Bystricky et al.**  
J. Bystricky et al., J. Physique 48 (1987) 1901
- Nuclear effects on the top of all that.





## Nucleon cascade – in-medium modifications

- **V.R. Pandharipande, S. Pieper** corrections to the **elastic** cross section
  - Reduced relative nucleon velocity and available phase space
  - Potential obtained from Urbana  $v_{14}$  + TNI Hamiltonian

V.R. Pandharipande, S. Pieper, Phys. Rev. C45 (1992) 791-798

- **Inelastic** cross section modification:  $\sigma_{NN}^* = (1 - 0.2\rho/\rho_0)\sigma_{NN}^{\text{free}}$

Y. Zhang, Z. Li, and P. Danielewicz, Phys. Rev. C75 (2007) 034615

- Nucleon-nucleon **correlations** effects:
  - “Effective” nuclear density due to nucleon-nucleon correlations
  - Correlation function taken from ab initio nuclear matter calculations

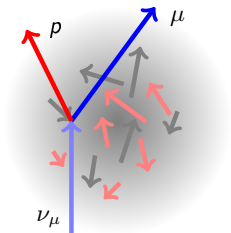


## Nucleon cascade – transparency

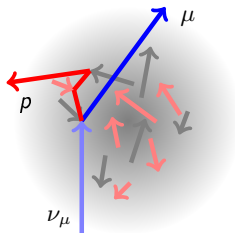
Nuclear transparency  $T$  is the **probability** for a knocked-out **proton** to **escape** the nucleus **without significant reinteraction** (soft reinteraction cannot be identified experimentally).

For Carbon experimental measurements:  $T \simeq 0.60$  [D. Abbott *et al.*, PRL 80 (1998), 5072]

~ 60% events without FSI



~ 40% events with FSI



## Data from $(e, e'p)$ experiments

In NuWro computations experimental setup is reproduced.

Exclusive QE proton knockout  
at **fixed kinematics**:

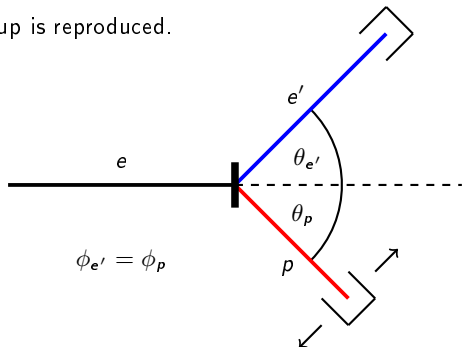
- beam:  $E_e$
- electron:  $E_{e'}, \theta_{e'}, \phi_{e'}$
- proton:  $E_p, \theta_p, \phi_p$

With provided:  $\frac{\Delta p}{p}, \Delta\theta, \Delta\phi$

**Cuts** on "missing" variables:

- energy:  $E_m = \omega - T_{p'} - T_{A-1}$
- momentum:  $\vec{p}_m = \vec{p}_{p'} - \vec{q}$

$$E_m < 80 \text{ MeV}, \quad |\vec{p}_m| < 300 \text{ MeV}/c$$



**Transparency:**

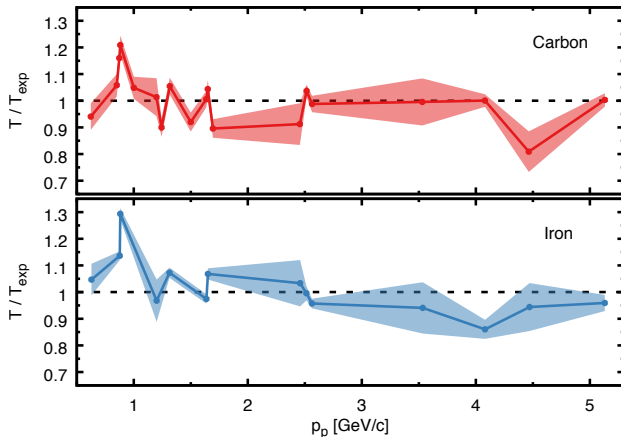
$$\langle T \rangle_{\theta_p} = \frac{\sigma_{\text{exp}}}{\sigma_{\text{PWIA}} c_A} \frac{1}{c_A}$$

$\sigma_{\text{PWIA}}$  - expected value without FSI  
(model dependent)

$c_A$  - correlation factor



## Nuclear transparency in NuWro

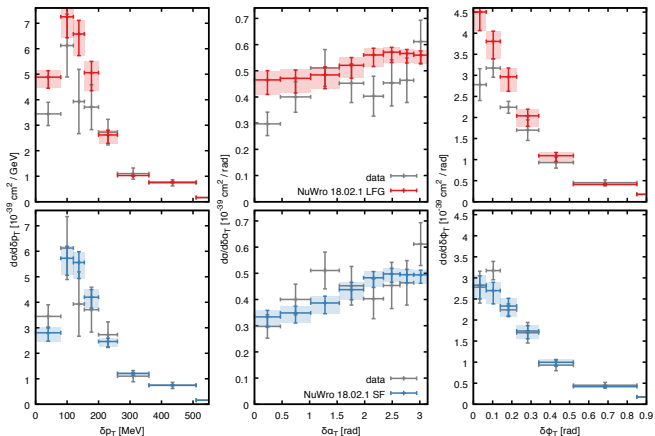


Simulations done for **NC**  $\nu_e$  scattering **on protons** with **Spectral Function**.

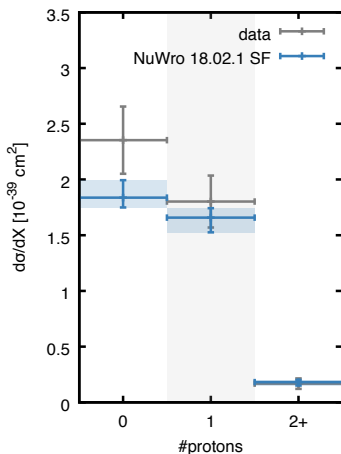
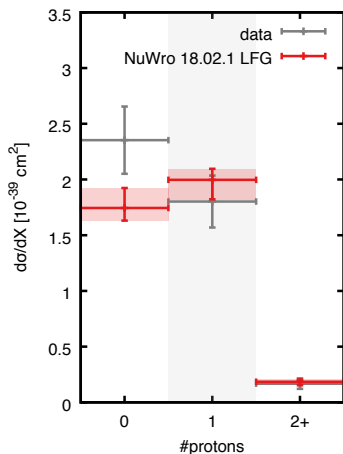
Data/MC agreement within  $\sim 30\%$ , typically much better



## Impact of mean free path uncertainty: single transverse variables



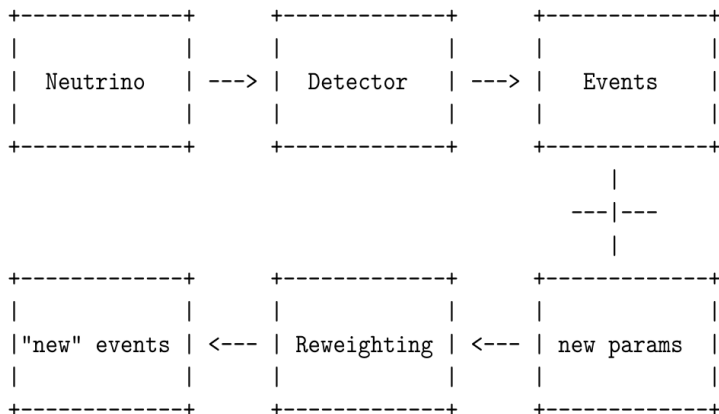
## Impact of mean free path uncertainty: proton multiplicity



# Event reweighting



## Event reweighting Cezary Juszczak and Tomek Golan

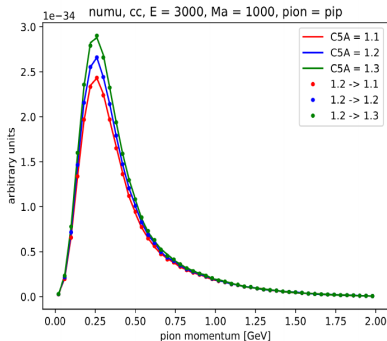


It is critical in time consuming detector simulations.

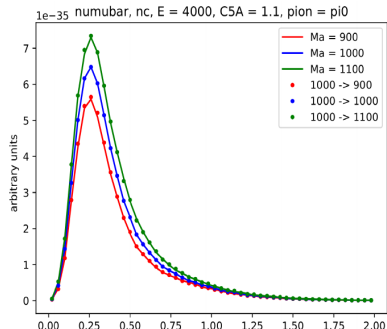




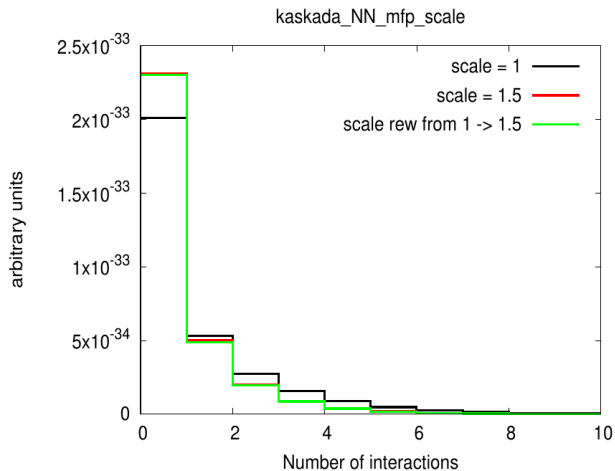
## Event reweighting - RES examples



A completely new setup based on the work done by Luke Pickering and Patrick Stowell.



## Event reweighting - nucleon FSI



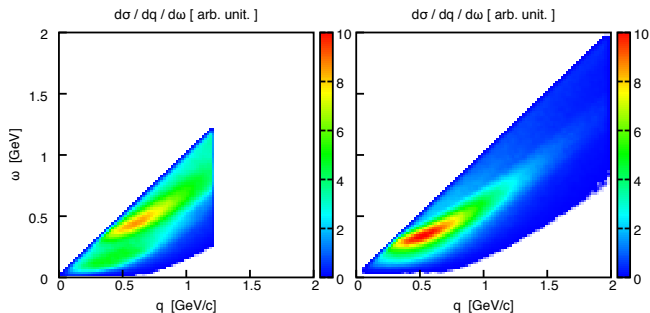
Mean free path is scaled by 1.5 on every step.



# New MEC model



## New MEC model: SuSAv2 Kajetan Niewczas



$E_\nu = 3$  GeV, carbon target.

- Using tables from Guillermo Megias.
- Other models: Nieves, Marteau, TE.



# NuWro validation



## Motivation

- An ultimate goal: a complete NuWro validation tool with all relevant experimental data.
- Statistical analysis will be included.
- An attempt to identify and understand tensions in the data.
- Identification of areas of necessary/possible improvements.
- Most of work was done for the  $CC0\pi$  data with attempts to fit MEC contribution rescaling (motivated by GENIE MINERvA fit).

A NuWro version 17.09 is used (LFG+RPA). Future NuWro upgrades will be compared to the same data set.

Work in progress.



## NuWro 17.09

### CCQE

- LFG
- RPA based on K. Graczyk, JTS, Eur.Phys.J. C31 (2003) 177-185
- $M_A = 1.03$  GeV

### RES

- $W < 1.6$  GeV
- Smooth (linear) transition to DIS at  $W \in (1.3, 1.6)$  GeV
- LFG
- Explicit  $\Delta$  plus BKGR added incoherently C. Juszczak, J. Nowak, JTS, Nucl. Phys. Proc. Suppl. 159 (2006) 211-216
- For nuclear target reactions a fraction of events is subtracted motivated by Oset et al studies JTS, J. Żmuda, Phys.Rev. C87 (2013) 065503
- $\pi$  angular distribution from ANL and BNL papers.



## NuWro 17.09

### DIS

- $W > 1.6$  GeV
- Inclusive cross sections from Bodek-Yang model
- Hadronization with PYTHIA fragmentation functions J. Nowak, PhD thesis.
- No shadowing, anti-shadowing, EMC nuclear effects.

### MEC

- Nieves et al model
- Implementation by J. Żmuda with five tabularized response function.
- Nucleons modeled with phase space model JTS, Phys.Rev. C86 (2012) 015504
  - 85% initial p-n pairs
  - Uniform distribution in nucleon CMF.





## NuWro 17.09

### COH

- Berger-Sehgal model.

### Cascade model

- Pions, nucleons.
- 0.2 fm steps.
- For pions Oset et al model T. Golan, C. Juszczak, JTS, Phys.Rev. C86 (2012) 015505.
- For nucleons in-medium modification of NN cross sections v.R.  
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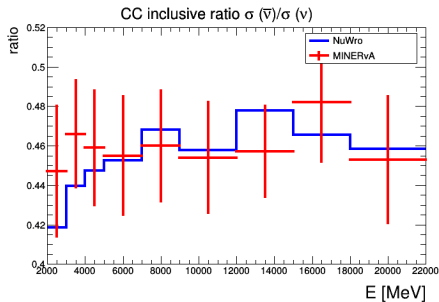
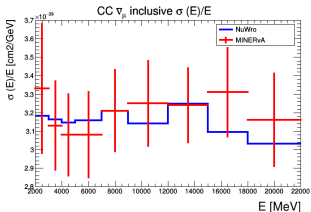
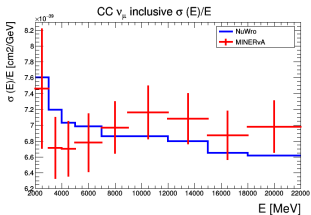


# NuWro validation

## Inclusive data



# MINERvA inclusive $\nu_\mu$ , $\bar{\nu}_\mu$ , and their ratio Phys.Rev. D95 (2017) 072009

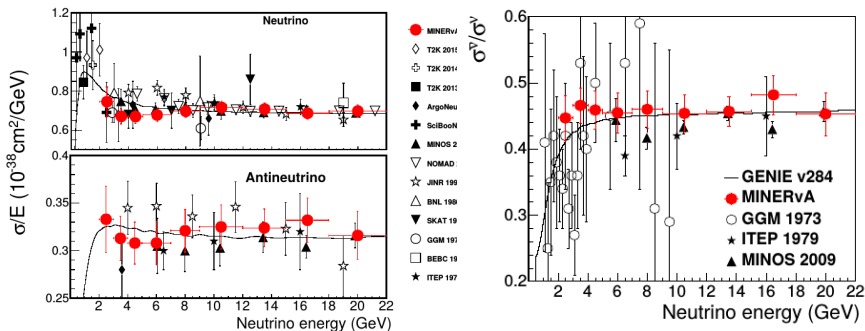


- The agreement is fair.
- MINERvA results are consistent with the previous measurements, see the next slide.



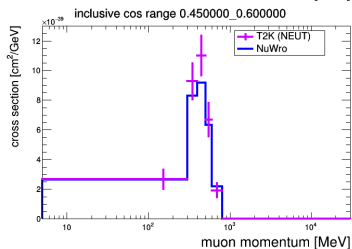
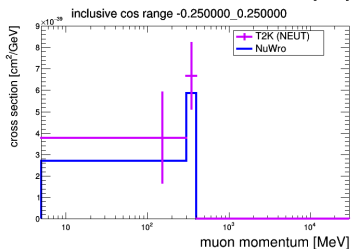
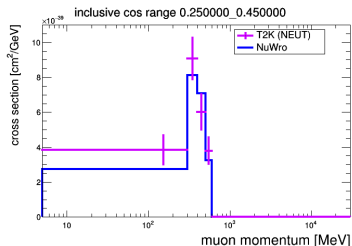
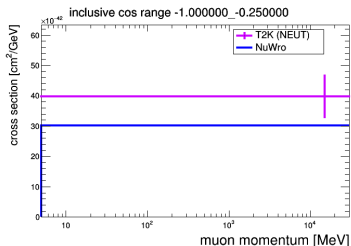
MINERvA inclusive  $\nu_\mu$ ,  $\bar{\nu}_\mu$ , and their ratio

Comparison with the previous experiments

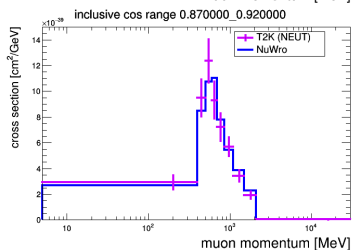
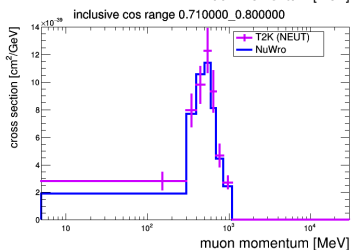
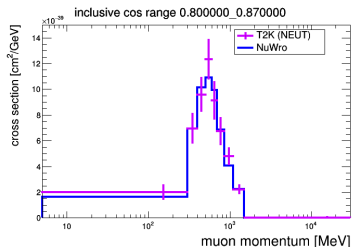
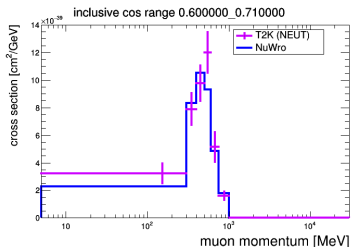


## T2K CC inclusive muon double differential cross section on carbon

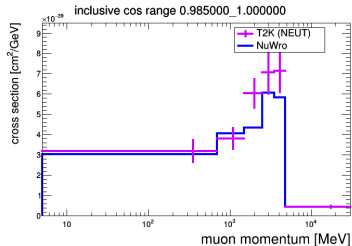
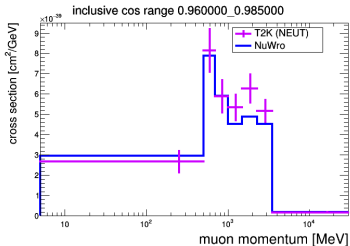
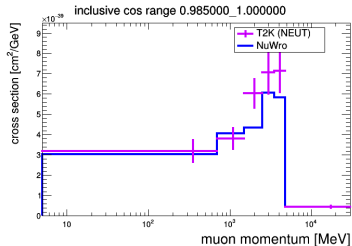
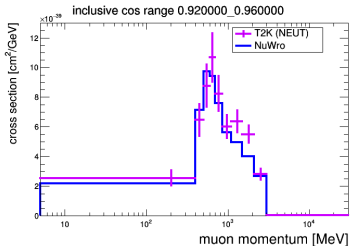
Phys. Rev. D98, 012004 (2018)



## T2K CC inclusive muon double differential cross section (cont)



## T2K CC inclusive muon double differential cross section (cont 2)



In general the agreement is good. In forward bins and large muon energies NuWro seems to underestimate cross section.

## MINERvA recoil energy Phys.Rev.Lett. 116 (2016) 071802

An attempt to resolve kinematics completely.

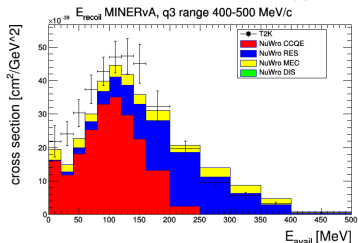
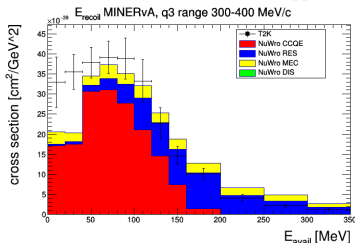
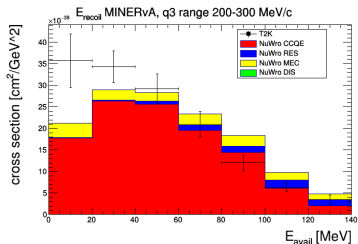
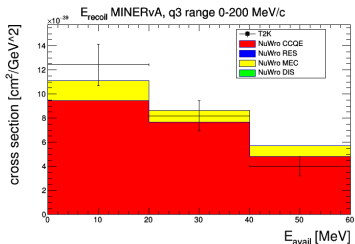
- Calorimetric measurement of hadronic energy.
- MC (GENIE) dependent estimate of energy and momentum transfers  $q_0$  and  $q_3$ .
- Allows to single out and study region of low  $q_3$  and “available energy”  $E_{avail}$  (close to  $q_0$ ).
- Double differential cross section reported.

$$E_{avail} \equiv \sum_{\text{kinetic energy}} \text{proton}, \pi^{\pm} + \sum_{\text{energy}} \pi^0, \gamma, e^{-}.$$

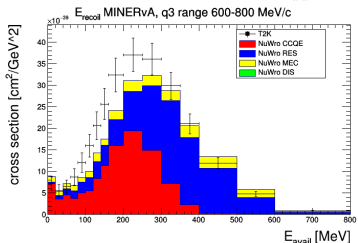
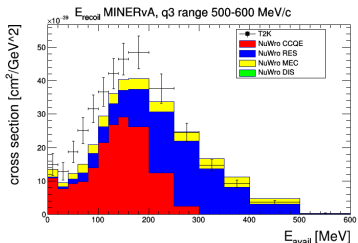




## MINERvA recoil energy



## MINERvA recoil energy (cont)



- No MEC rescaling is adopted.
- NuWro results seems to be systematically shifted towards larger values of  $E_{\text{avail}}$ .

# NuWro validation

## Pion cascade



## Pion cascade

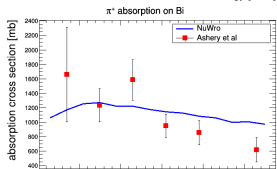
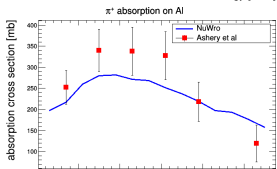
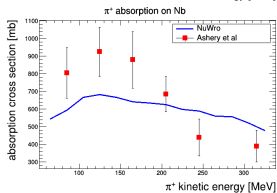
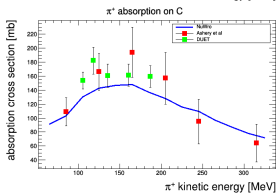
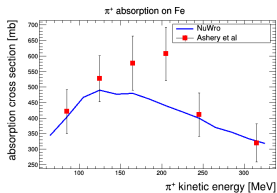
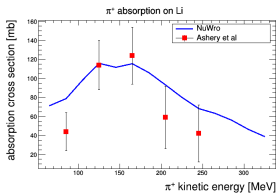
NuWro cascade performance is confronted with Ashery et al (various nuclei) *Phys. Rev. C*23 2173 (1981) and new DUET data *Phys. Rev. C*95 (2017) 045203 on Carbon target only.

Three types of macroscopic reactions:

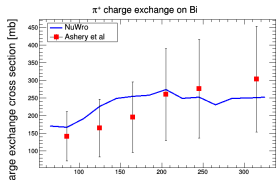
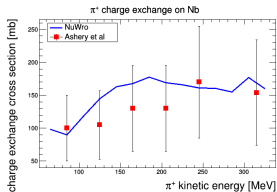
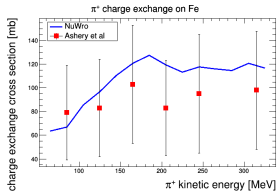
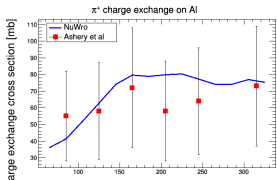
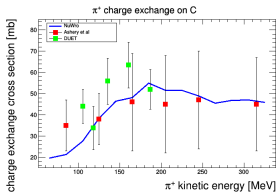
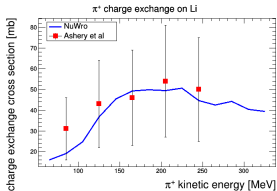
- Pion (always  $\pi^+$ ) absorption.
- Charge exchange  $\pi^+ \rightarrow \pi^0$ .
- Inelastic (any other process excluding an elastic one).
  - An obvious issue: how to treat soft inelastic events?



## Pion cascade



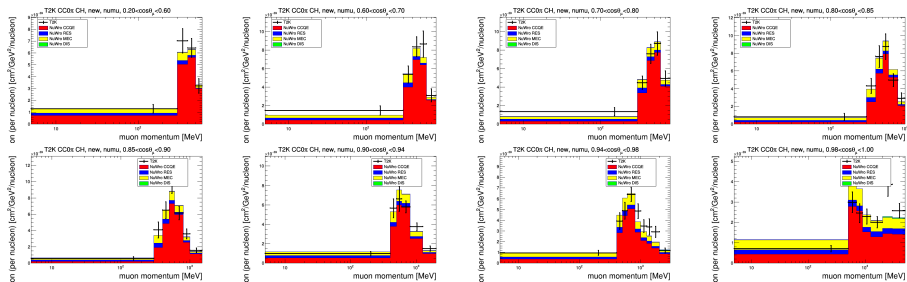
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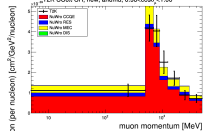
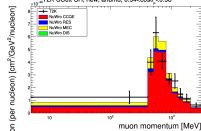
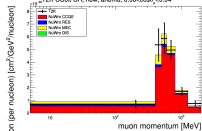
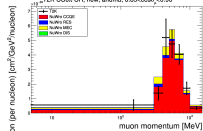
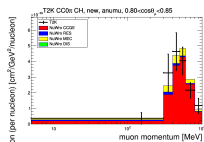
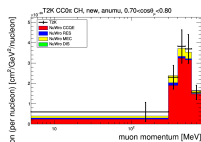
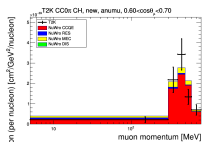
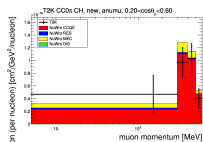
NuWro validation

CC0 $\pi$ /CCQE-like

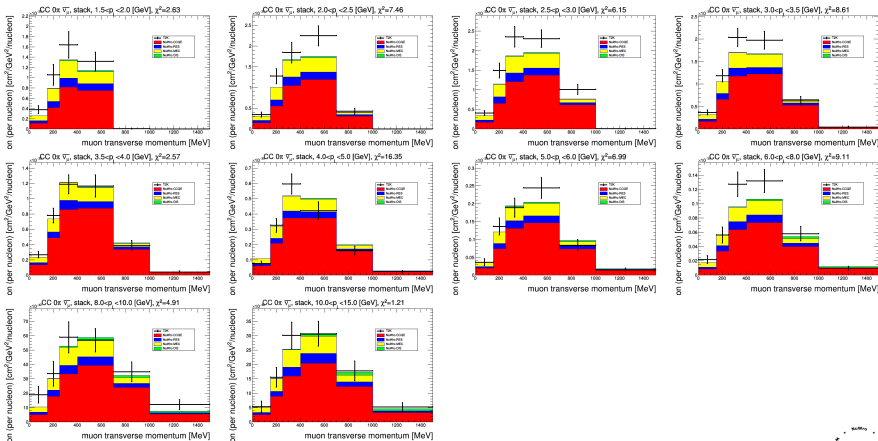


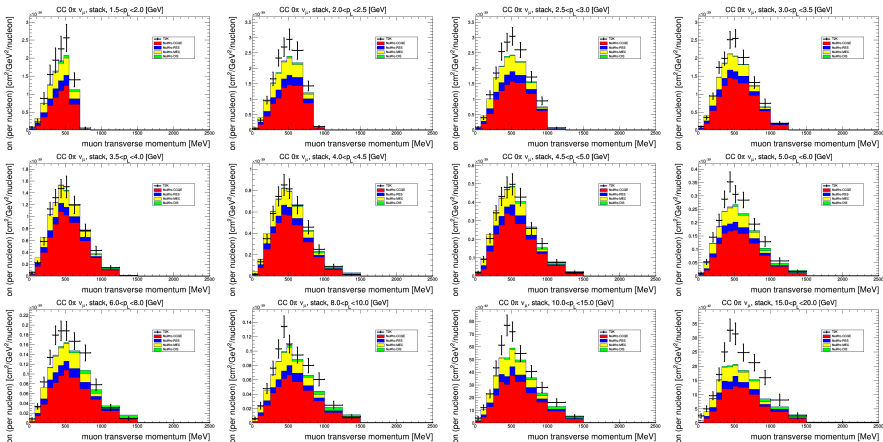
T2K  $\nu_\mu$  CC0 $\pi$  double differential cross section on CH



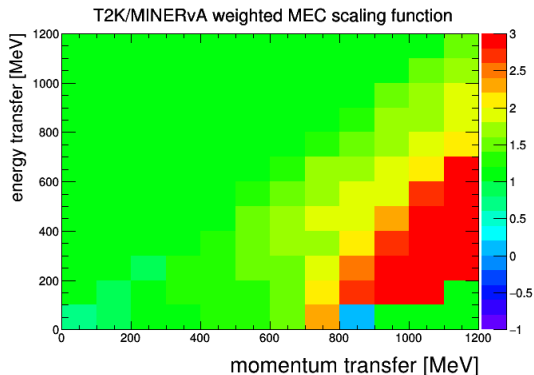
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MINERvA CC0 $\pi$   $\nu_\mu$  on CH in  $p_T, p_L$  variables

## Hypothetical MEC rescaling function



- A general observation: NuWro predictions are below the data.
- One can attempt to scale MEC contribution to arrive at a better purely phenomenological model.
  - Motivation from GENIE MINERvA tune

- For a moment the overall MEC scaling, all four experimental data sets are taken into account.
- Clearly can be done much better.
- Work in progress.



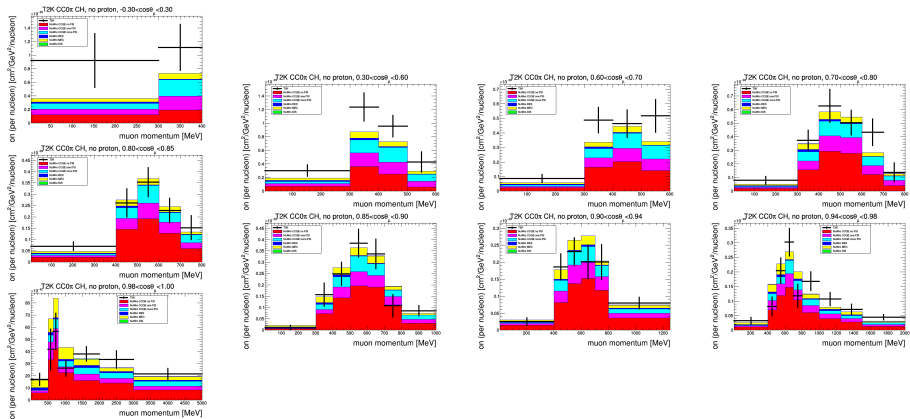
# NuWro validation

# Proton observables



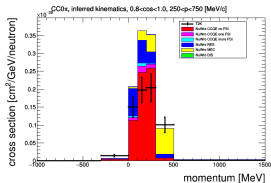
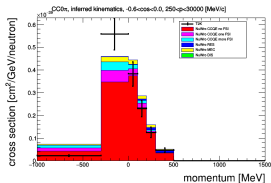
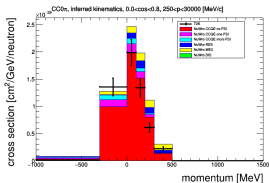
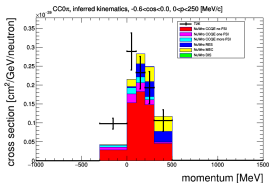
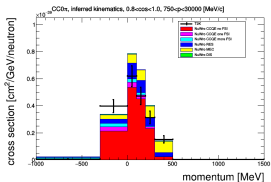
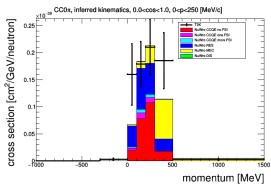
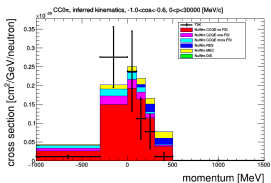
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No fine tuning to experimental data was done.



- A good agreement (given a complexity of physics).
- A very little contribution from RES.
- A lot of sensitivity to proton FSI.

## T2K proton data – “inferred kinematics” Phys.Rev. D98 (2018) 032003



# Conclusions





## Conclusions

- NuWro is under developing.
- Momentum is smaller as we lost two well trained developers.
- Future?
  - We have many ideas for a collaboration with Natalie Jachowicz' Ghent group.
  - A first NuWro workshop was organized in December 2017.



## NuWro workshop 2017 (December 3-5)

	Sunday, 03.12	Monday, 04.12	Tuesday, 05.12
9:00	Welcome	9:00 <i>Correlations in neutrino-nucleus scattering</i> <b>Natalie Jachowicz</b>	9:00 <i>NUISANCE + NuWro reweighting</i> <b>Patrick Stowell</b> <b>Luke Pickering</b>
9:05	<i>NuWro (WRONG) first years</i> <b>Jaroslav Nowak</b>	9:45 <i>Neutrino-induced pion production</i> <b>Raúl González Jiménez</b>	
9:30	<i>Discussion</i> <b>Sara Bolognesi</b>	10:30 <i>Discussion</i> <b>Federico Sánchez</b>	9:45 <i>Discussion</i> <b>Callum Wilkinson</b>
10:30	Coffee break	11:30 Coffee break	10:45 Coffee break
11:00	<i>Discussion</i> <b>Sara Bolognesi</b>	12:00 <i>Discussion</i> <b>Federico Sánchez</b>	11:15 <i>Discussion</i> <b>Callum Wilkinson</b>
12:00	<i>Neutrino SIS and DIS interactions</i> <b>Tepei Katori</b>		12:15 <i>NuWro cascade model</i> <b>Tomasz Golan</b>
12:45	Lunch break	13:00 Lunch break	13:00 Lunch break
14:45	<i>NuWro interaction models: primary vertex</i> <b>Kajetan Niewczas</b>	15:00 <i>NuWro – structure of the code</i> <b>Cezary Juszczak</b>	15:00 <i>NuWro validation (part 2.)</i> <b>Jan Sobczyk</b>
15:30	Coffee break	15:45 Coffee break	15:45 Coffee break
16:00	<i>MicroBooNE</i> <b>Raquel Castillo</b> (remotely)	16:15 <i>NuWro treatment of nuclear effects</i> <b>Tomasz Golan</b>	16:15 <i>Final discussion and NuWro next steps</i> <b>Together</b>
		17:00 <i>NuWro validation (part 1.)</i> <b>Jan Sobczyk</b>	

- The next workshop should be organized in 2019
- We consider forming a “NuWro collaboration”.
- Any volunteers?...



Thank you!

