



Sub-GeV neutrino interactions

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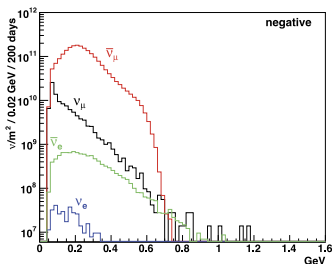
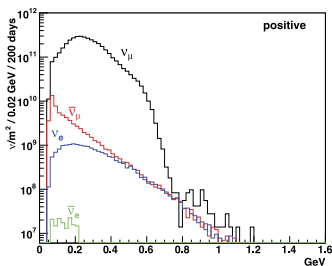
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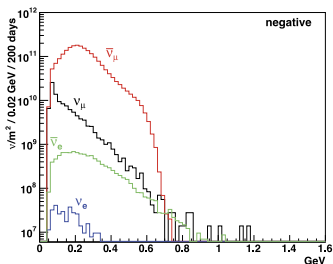
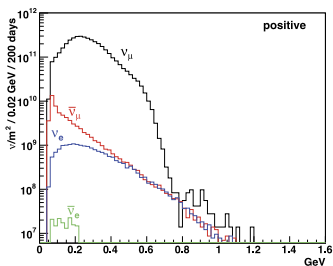
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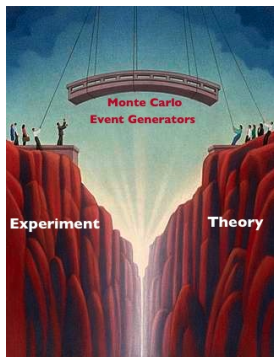
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## $\Rightarrow$ Outline

- Intro: generators, data, nuclear physics
- 0 $\pi$  and 1 $\pi$
- Comparisons with data

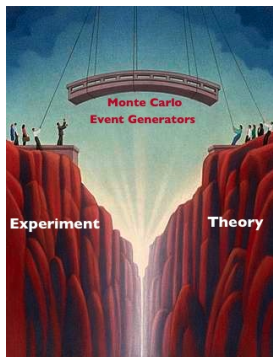
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## We don't believe in a *perfect theory* approach

- There are always things that need to be derived from measurements
- ⇒ Dealing with errors is unavoidable

## Roles of generators in oscillation physics

- Compare data and models
  - Reliability and validity region
  - ⇒ You cannot study oscillations without fully understood models
- Compare dataset against dataset
  - Data quality and data sources are increasing ⇒ tensions
  - ⇒ joint analyses
  - ⇒ comparing results from different experiments
- Global fits
  - A generator is the ideal place for global fits
    - Controls the model implementation
  - Finding the best parameters
  - Cross Section priors based on data
- Feedback for experiments
  - Drive the format of cross section releases
  - Hint toward key measurements

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## Core GENIE mission - from GENIE by-law

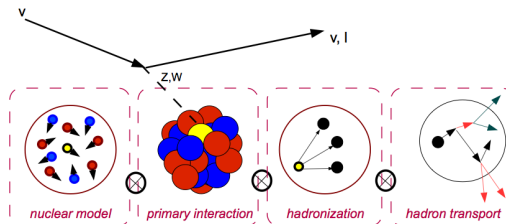
**Framework** "... provide a state-of-the-art neutrino MC generator for the world experimental neutrino community ..."

**Universality** "... simulate all processes for all neutrino species and nuclear targets, from MeV to PeV energy scales ..."

**Global fit** "... perform global fits to neutrino, charged-lepton and hadron scattering data and provide global neutrino interaction model tunes ..."

# Calculation factorisation

- no complete theory of neutrino scattering on hadrons
- ⇒ Factorisation is required
- the initial nuclear state dynamics
  - cross-sections at the neutrino-nucleon level
    - + a model of how to sum-up the nucleon-level contributions
  - hadronization - Pythia 6
  - intranuclear hadron transport
    - GENIE-grown models



- GENIE design allows **multiple combinations** of models
  - Multiple choices available for each interaction as well



# Status overview

- Well established generator
  - Used by many experiments around the world
  - Fermilab experiments are driving the momentum
    - Lot of interest from LAr experiments
- Two main efforts
  - **Model development**
    - Mostly happen during the latest releases of GENIE v2
    - growing interest from theorists wanting to supply new models
  - **Tuning**
    - ⇒ Entering the tuning phase
- The new release v3
  - Interface with the developments
  - ⇒ Tunes against public datasets
  - ⇒ Easy way to share configurations
    - Experiments can propose their own configuration for others to use

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## A complete generation needs more than a set of models

- The experimental smearing mixes all the different interaction process
- There are ad-hoc solutions in every generator that needs tuning
  - ⇒ Transition between RES and DIS interactions
    - Implications for 1 $\pi$  production

# GENIE Version 3



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- Interface with the work behind the scenes
- ⇒ “Comprehensive Model Configurations”
  - Self-consistent collections of primary process models
  - Help cooperation between collaborations
    - Unified model identifications
  - single command-line flag
    - `--tune G18_02a_00_000`
  - Complete characterisation against public data
  - Possibility to host configurations provided by experiments
- Access to tunes against datasets
  - same interface
  - Documentation:
    - Manual
    - Dedicated web page – [tunes.genie-mc.org/](https://tunes.genie-mc.org/)

# Comprehensive Model Configurations

- Configurations of interest for this talk
  - G18\_02a\_00\_000 - **New default** in v3
    - Empirical MEC
    - CCQE process is Llewellyn Smith Model
    - Dipole Axial Form Factor - Depending on  $M_A = 0.99 \text{ GeV}$
    - Nuclear model: Fermi Gas Model - Bodek, Ritchie
  - G18\_02a\_02\_11a - a genie supported **tune**
    - Started from G18\_02a\_00\_000
    - Tuned to match 1 $\pi$  and 2 $\pi$  production
    - Deuterium data
  - G16\_10j\_00\_000 - Nieves, Simo, Vacas Model
    - **Theory motivated MEC**
    - CCQE process is Nieves
    - Z-Expansion Axial Form Factor
    - Nuclear model: Local Fermi Gas Model
    - Full nuclear cascade model for FSI
- Small variations changing FSI models

# Technical updates

- New Git Repository - <https://github.com/GENIE-MC>
  - Contributions are welcome through this new channel
  - Thanks to HEPForge for the many years of support
- Reweight is now a detached and independent repository
- Website - <http://www.genie-mc.org/>
- Updated manual hosted on a dedicated DocDB
- Code
  - System handles multiple configurations
  - Updated XML file structure  $\Rightarrow$  safer and with no redundancies
  - Files re-organisation

## Tuning

- Why tuning?
  - Constraint parameters
  - Provide specific tunes for experiments
    - Liquid Argon tune
- Expected Output:
  - Parameter sets from data from various experiments
  - with estimated systematic errors
    - Parameter covariance matrix
    - ⇒ No official support until v4
- Numerical methodology
  - Old problem in High Energy Physics
    - CPU demanding
  - Solution found in the **Professor** suite
    - <http://professor.hepforge.org>
  - Numerical assistant
    - Developed for ATLAS experiment



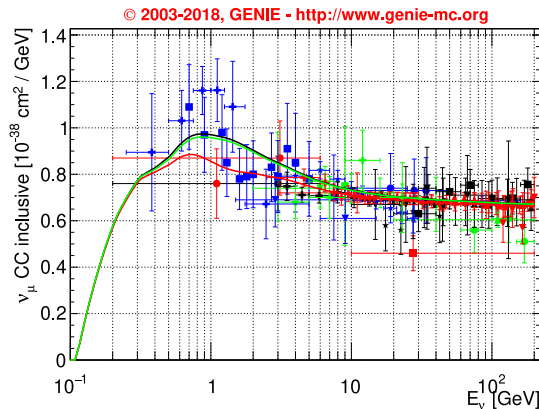
# Database and validation

- Comparing GENIE predictions against public datasets
  - Modern Neutrino Cross Section measurement
    - nuclear targets
    - MiniBooNE, T2K, MINERvA
  - Historical Neutrino Cross Section Measurement
  - Measurements of neutrino-induced hadronic system characteristics
    - e.g. Forward/backward hadronic multiplicity distributions
  - Measurements of hadron-nucleon and hadron-nucleus event characteristics
    - FSI tuning
    - For pion, kaons, nucleons and several nuclear targets
    - Spanning hadron kinetic energies from few tens MeV to few GeV
  - Semi-inclusive electron scattering data
    - electron-nucleus QE data
    - electron-proton resonance data

- ⇒ Validation based on **neutrino, electron and hadron beam** simulations
- We are not limited to simulate only neutrinos

What generators can do depends on the available datasets

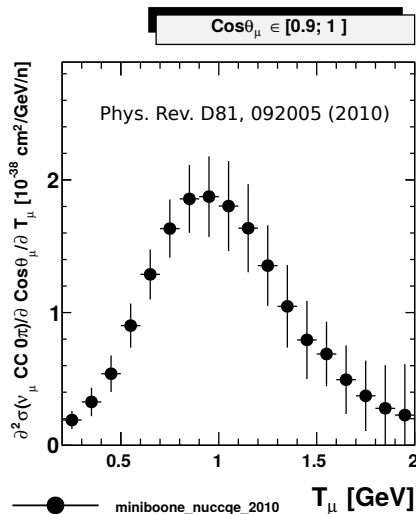




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- “Only” statistical errors

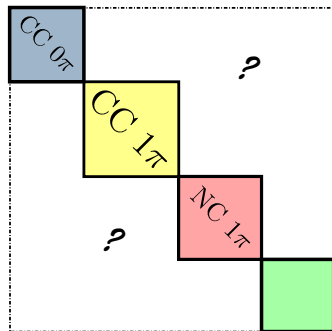
- Ignore nuclear effects
- Poor statistical interpretation
- Poor model discrimination power

- Functions of experimental observables
- flux-integrated
- Usually differential cross-sections
  - 1D, 2D
- Organised by topology, not process
- Higher statistics
- More statistically robust
  - ⇒ See Fermilab neutrino seminar by Mikael Kuusela - 2017/04/13
- Sometimes incomplete
- Helped the development of new models
  - 2p/2h



## Future of datasets - a personal view

- One big covariance matrix per experiment
- Correlation between datasets
- Differential cross sections,  $\dim > 2$
- No data releases with this format
  - SBND is thinking about a solution
- It is usually a big effort but ...
  - dedicated experiments



### We finally have a way to use these datasets

- Statistically coherent
- Complete error analysis

# Neutrino interactions at few GeV - A crash course



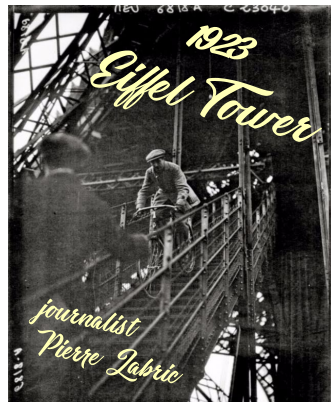
- Multiple topologies

- 0 $\pi$
- 1 $\pi$
- ...
- DIS

⇒ It might be easier if it wasn't for the nucleus

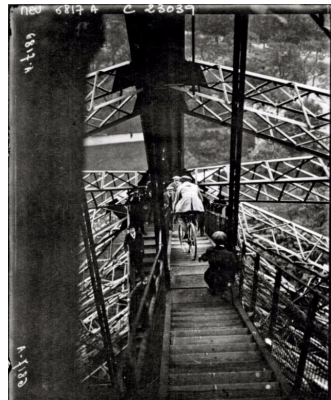
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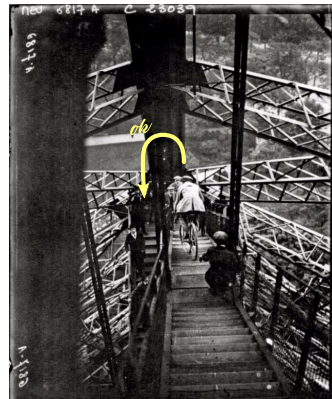
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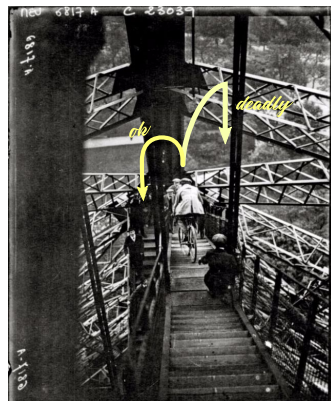
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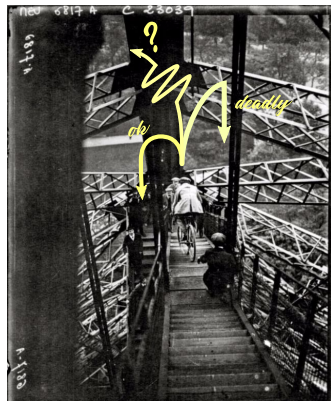
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- Reality
  - wheel size is too close to the step size
  - ⇒ Not a clear trajectory
    - He could make it (luck?)
    - He could fell (how?)
  - ⇒ Information required



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**All we know** is that it is going to be **painful**

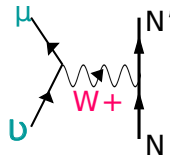
# Difficult Multi-Scale problems - Neutrino interactions

- $E_\nu \sim 0.3 - 5.0$  GeV
  - $m_\Delta - m_N \sim 250$  MeV
  - Binding energy  $\sim 30$  MeV in  $^{12}\text{C}$
  - Different interaction types
    - Quasi-Elastic and Inelastic
    - No clean separation because of nuclear effect
  - Problem ignored for the longest time
    - Charged lepton people told we were ignoring too much
  - Gradually and painfully we are learning
- ⇒ I'll tell you the story of 0 $\pi$  interactions
- Better data
  - Relevant in the ESSnuSB case
- ⇒ Mention a bit of the 1 $\pi$  puzzle

## CC Quasi-Elastic - $0\pi$ on single nucleons

$$\frac{d\sigma^{\text{QES}}}{dQ^2} = \frac{G_F^2 \cos^2 \theta_C M^2 \kappa^2}{2\pi E_\nu^2} \left[ A(q^2) + \left( \frac{s-u}{4M^2} \right) B(q^2) + \left( \frac{s-u}{4M^2} \right)^2 C(q^2) \right]$$

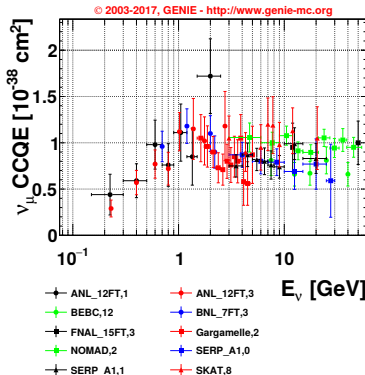
- Theoretically well understood
  - One diagram
- A, B and C are form factors
  - They have to be measured
  - B and C are known from e-N scattering
  - A to be extracted from  $\nu$  data
- Axial Form factor
  - Dipole standard parameterization
  - $A(Q^2) = g_A \left( 1 + \frac{Q^2}{M_A^2} \right)^{-2}$



- $g_A = 1.26$  from neutron  $\beta$  decay
- fitted based on  $\partial\sigma/\partial Q^2$  data

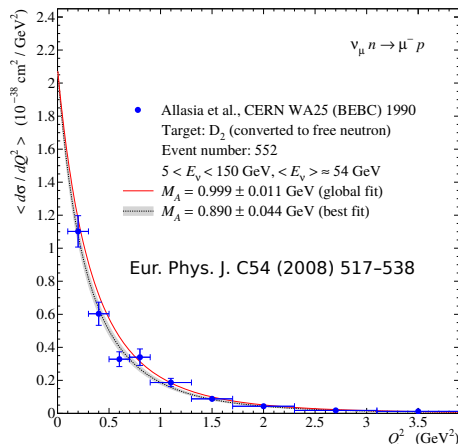
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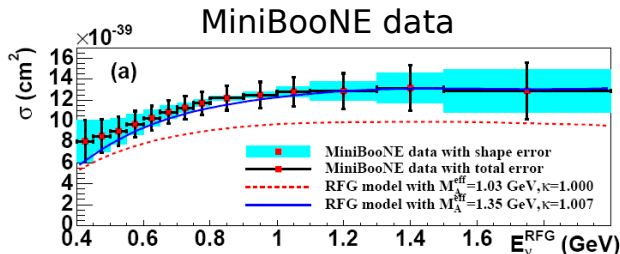


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- Critical parameter:  $M_A$ 
  - $M_A \sim 1$  GeV
- Note the energy range



## $0\pi$ on heavy nuclei



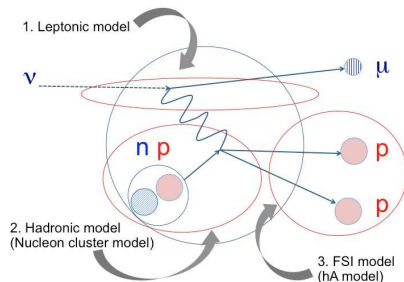
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- On heavy nuclei things got complicated
- MiniBooNE  $\Rightarrow$  first evidence
  - Carbon target
- Possible explanation from enhanced  $M_A$   
 $\Rightarrow$  incompatibility with "historical" datasets

# 0 $\pi$ on heavy nuclei - Solution

- MiniBooNE is a Cherenkov detector
  - Not able to see nucleons
- MiniBooNE dataset is a **CCQE-like** sample
- genuine CCQE
- Multi-nucleon Emission
  - np-nh
  - Leading contribution is 2p-2h (2 particles - 2 holes)

## 2p-2h scheme

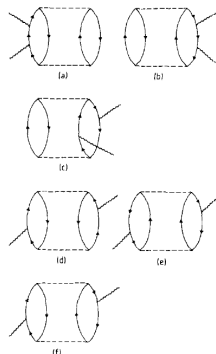




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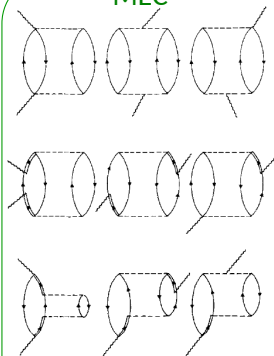
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### NN correlations



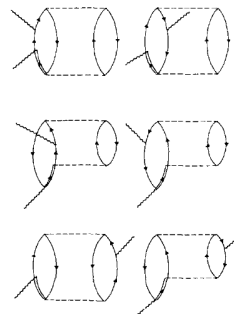
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### MEC



49 diagrams

### NN correlation-MEC interference



56 diagrams

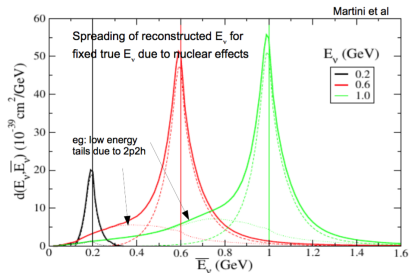
Difficult to have a complete model  
Different approaches include different diagrams

# Effect of MEC on energy reconstruction

- CCQE is a 2-body reaction
  - $E_\nu$  is just a function of lepton momentum and angle
- MEC is not a 2-body reaction
  - low energy tails in reconstructed energy distributions
- MEC also relevant for CP searches
  - np-nh is different for  $\nu/\bar{\nu}$

⇒ MEC is important to achieve precise measurements

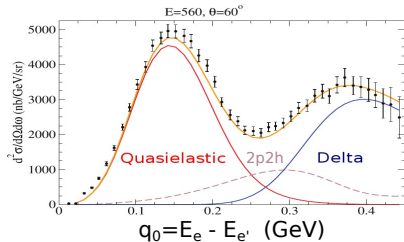
$$E_\nu = \frac{m_p^2 - (m_n - E_b)^2 - m_\ell^2 + 2(m_n - E_b)E_\ell}{2(m_n - E_b - E_\ell + p_\ell \cos\theta_\ell)}$$



Martini et al.

## Something not entirely new

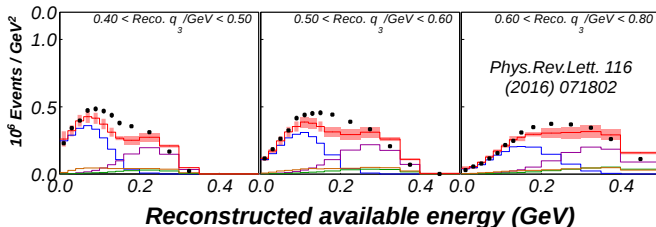
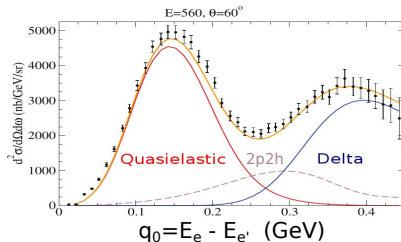
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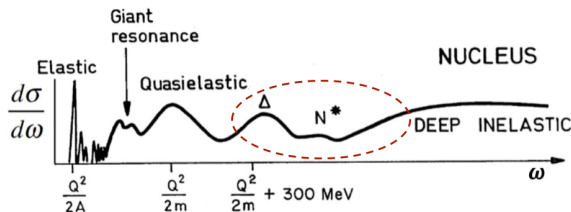
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- In neutrino experiments
  - flux convoluted distributions
  - function of the visible energy

⇒ MINERvA and NOvA



## From Resonances to DIS

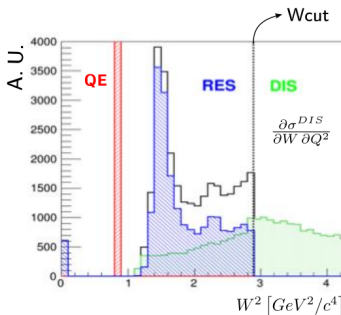
- Two resonance models:
  - Rein-Sehgal model [*D.Rein et. al., Annals Phys. 133 (1981)*]
  - Berger-Sehgal Model [*Bodek, A. et al. Nucl.Phys.Proc.Suppl. hep-ex/0308007*]
  - ⇒ Include mass for the final state lepton



- None of the RES models includes interference
- ⇒ A non-resonant background needs to be added
- DIS also contributes to RES production after hadronization
- Different models must be merged together
- ⇒ avoiding **double counting**
- **Data only from  $\nu_\mu$  interactions**

# Shallow Inelastic Scattering region in GENIE

$$\frac{d^2\sigma^{INEL}}{dQ^2 dW} = \frac{d^2\sigma^{RES}}{dQ^2 dW} + \frac{d^2\sigma^{DIS}}{dQ^2 dW}$$



- RES contribution stops at  $W = W_{cut}$   
→ Rein-Sehgal or Berger-Sehgal models

$$\frac{d^2\sigma^{RES}}{dQ^2 dW} = \sum_K \left( \frac{d^2\tilde{\sigma}^{RES}}{dQ^2 dW} \right)_K \cdot \Theta(W_{cut} - W)$$

- Pure DIS cross section for  $W > W_{cut}$   
→ Bodek-Yang model

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^2\sigma^{DIS}}{dQ^2 dW} &= \frac{d^2\tilde{\sigma}^{DIS}}{dQ^2 dW} \cdot \Theta(W - W_{cut}) \\ &+ \underbrace{\frac{d^2\tilde{\sigma}^{DIS}}{dQ^2 dW} \cdot \Theta(W_{cut} - W) \cdot \sum_m f_m}_{\text{Non-Resonant Background: Scaled DIS}} \end{aligned}$$

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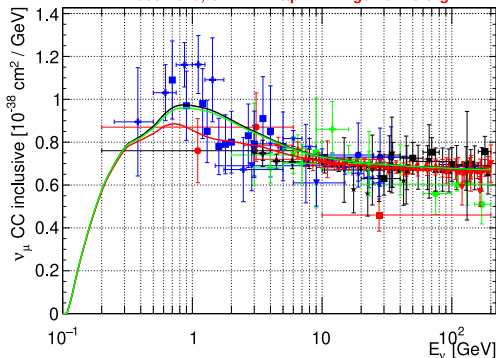
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**Have a near detector**  
And a dedicated tuning program

# Integrated cross sections - $\nu_\mu$ Inclusive

- Poor data at low energy
- Minimum energy 200 MeV
- known tensions between inclusive and 1 $\pi$  data
  - ⇒ Discrepancy at 1 GeV
    - Not statistically significant
- Details available in separate files

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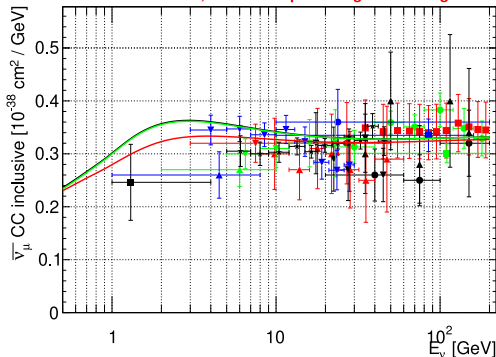


- G18\_02a - untuned
- G18\_02a tuned with  $\pi$  CC data
- G18\_10j untuned

# Integrated cross sections - $\bar{\nu}_\mu$ Inclusive

- Poor data at low energy
- Minimum energy 1 GeV
- known tensions between inclusive and 1  $\pi$  data
  - ⇒ Discrepancy at 1 GeV
    - Not statistically significant
- Details available in separate files

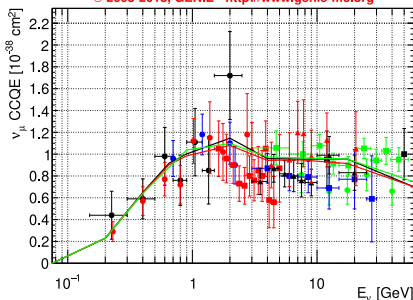
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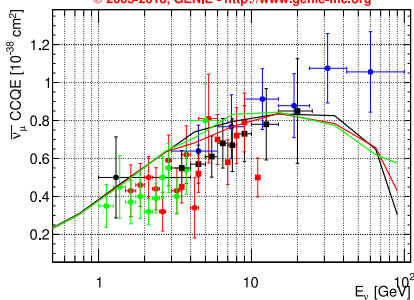
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# Integrated cross sections - CCQE(-like)

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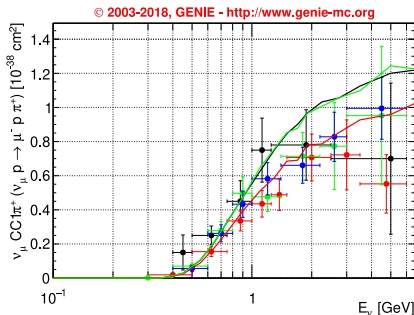
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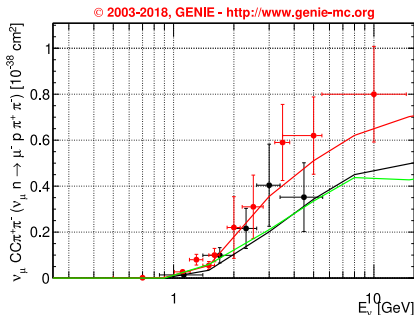
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- Same model - Llewellyn Smith
  - small difference in  $M_A$
  - tune result
- Limited low energy data

# Integrated cross sections - Pion production



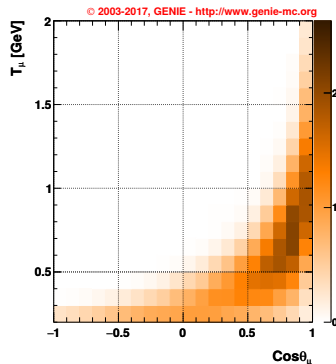
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- Same model - Berger-Sehgal
  - + GENIE SIS
  - Huge effect due to tune
- Data only for  $\nu_\mu$

# MiniBooNE CCQE ( $0\pi$ )

- Both  $\nu$  and  $\bar{\nu}$ 
  - Phys. Rev. D81, 092005 (2010)
  - Phys. Rev. D88, 032001 (2013)
- Double differential cross section
- flux integrated
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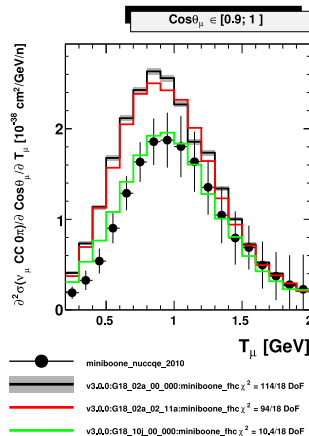


$$\partial^2 \sigma(\nu_\mu \text{ CC } 0\pi) / \partial \text{Cos}\theta_\mu \partial T_\mu [10^{-38} \text{ cm}^2/\text{GeV/n}]$$

Data: minibooNE\_nuccqe\_2010

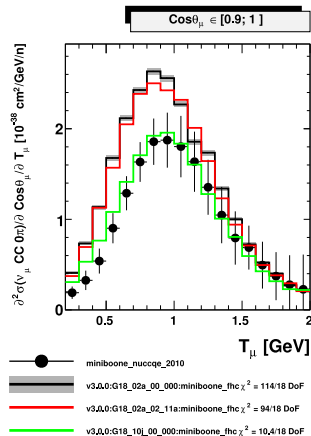
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- The same goes for  $\bar{\nu}_\mu$ 
  - $\chi^2 = 43/78$  DoF
  - w.r.t.  $\sim 80$  of G18\_02a

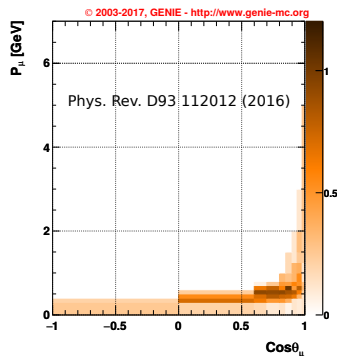




# T2K ND280 0 $\pi$

- Double differential cross section
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- No strongly preferred model
- All not completely satisfactory
  - $\chi^2 \sim 180/67$  DoF

⇒ **Tensions** between datasets

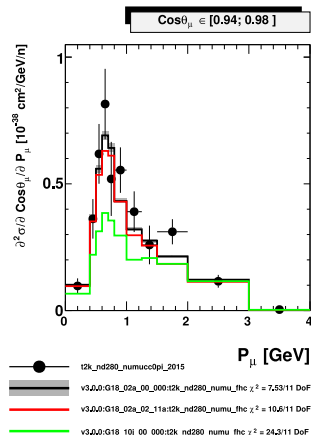


$$\frac{\partial^2 \sigma}{\partial \text{Cos}\theta_\mu \partial P_\mu} [10^{-38} \text{ cm}^2/\text{GeV}/n]$$

Data: t2k\_nd280\_numucc0pi\_2015

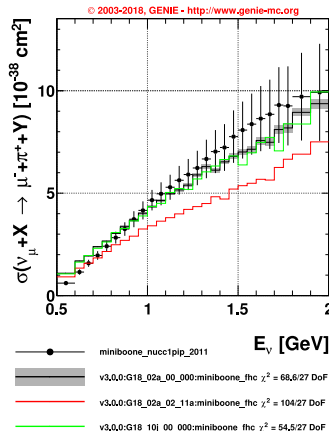
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- all models look reasonable "By eye" estimation
    - correlation is complicated
    - We can't ignore it!



# MiniBooNE 1 $\pi$

- Loads of different observables
- Missing correlations between different observables
- Untuned models seem favoured
- Complete disagreement with what MINERvA sees  
 $\Rightarrow$  1 $\pi$  puzzle
- Only  $\nu_\mu$  data  
 $\Rightarrow$  You should not care about  $\nu_\mu$  pion production



# Next steps

- More tunes can be done
  - hadronization re-tune
    - Pythia 6 and 8 (implementation is ongoing)
  - Tune of FSI
    - Both hN and hA intranuke
- Data from Liquid argon experiments
  - Part of GENIE collaboration is in SBND
  - Plan for argon tunes
- Look forward to more data
  - ESSnuSB will be a unique source of low energy data
- Release these results
  - Papers is in preparation
  - Implementation in GENIE v3



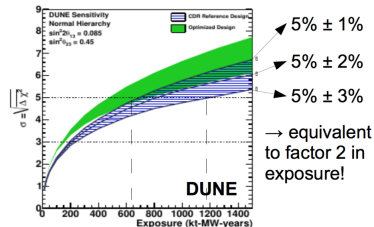
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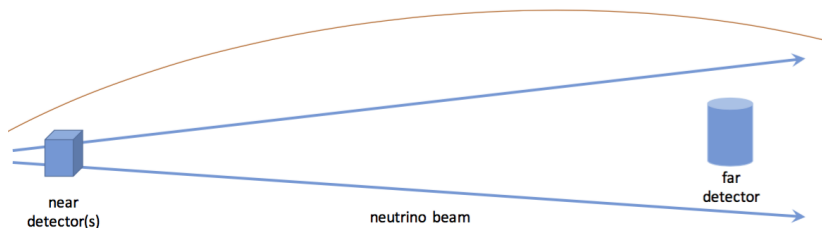
- GENIE shall serve the ESSnuSB case
  - Some models are designed for low energy regions
  - Future tunes and developments will be helpful
- Lack of data is serious
  - This will require dedicated work
  - Source of interesting physics data
  - ⇒ you better have a good near detector
- Researchers are encouraged to contact us to start a collaboration
  - New theory models
  - New experimental collaborations



## Backup slides

- Precision era in  $\nu$  experiments
  - Lepton CP violation
  - Mass hierarchy
- ⇒ Oscillation measurements
  - Appearance mode
- Relevant experiments
  - T2k, NOvA
  - DUNE, HyperK
  - ⇒ Beam energy  $\sim$  few GeV
- Total systematic at few-percent level
- CC  $0\pi$  is the important reaction
  - for DUNE  $\sim$  40% of the interactions





- A simple ratio between Near and Far spectra is not enough
    - Detectors exposed to different flux
    - “functionally identical” detectors do not exist
- ⇒ No cancellations of model dependencies
- Near flux has to be fitted at the near detector and then propagated
    - ⇒ Models required



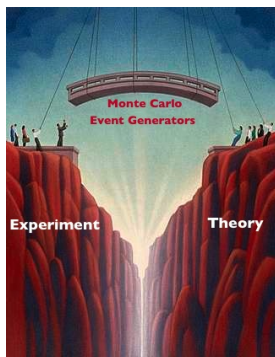
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## No spherical cows

## Generators are required for a complete prediction

- Merge theory and experimental approaches
- Obvious practicality of a single machinery



- Connect truth and observables
    - event topologies and kinematics
  - Neutrino Generators are the **only access** to flux distortion due to oscillation
    - **Every observable** is a convolution of flux, interaction physics and detector effects
  - *Good Generators*
    - uncertainty validation
    - tune the *physics* models that drive the result of that convolution
- ⇒ Tuning proved to be difficult
- So far no results

Several MC Generators in use: **GENIE**, **GiBUU** , **NuWro**, **NEUT**

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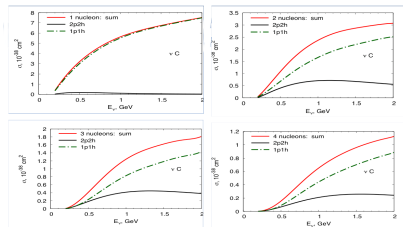
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- **Global fits**
  - Generator is the ideal place for global fits
    - We control the model implementation
    - Have access to empirical models
  - Finding the best parameters
  - Cross Section priors based on data

- What generators can do depends on the available datasets

- Characteristic events
  - 2 back-to-back nucleons
- Nuclear effect can change observed topology
  - migrations in the number of observed protons
- future LarTPCs (or gas TPCs) important role
  - Disentangle FSI from MEC
  - CC  $0\pi$  samples
  - proton multiplicity
- Important dataset that will "soon" be available

[Phys.Rev. D90 (2014) 1, 012008]



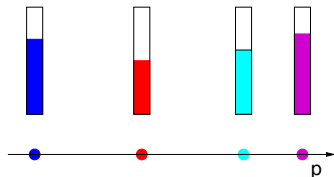
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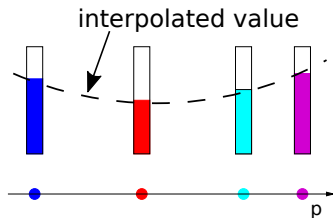


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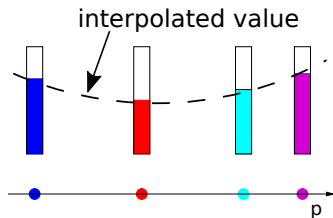
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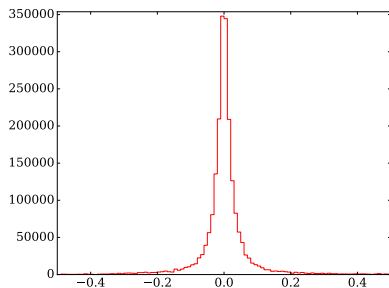
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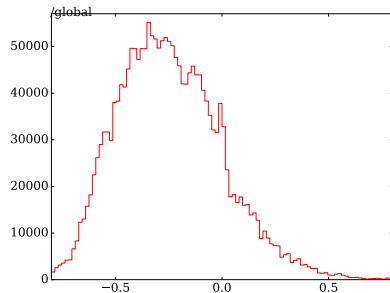
- Special thanks to H. Schulz



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Good



Bad

# RES Models: the Rein-Sehgal Model

- Most widely used model for resonance neutrino production  
[D.Rein et. al., *Annals Phys.* 133 (1981)]
- Only contains resonances up to  $W = 2\text{GeV}$
- Limit  $m_\mu = 0$
- Non-resonant background of  $I = 1/2$  added incoherently

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dQ^2 dW^2} \propto \left[ u^2 \sigma_L + v^2 \sigma_R + 2uv \sigma_s \right]$$

$u$  and  $v$  are kinematic factors

$\sigma_L$ ,  $\sigma_R$  and  $\sigma_s \rightarrow$  Helicity cross sections

Depend on:

- $F_\pm$  and  $F_0$  dynamical form factors
- Axial and vector transition form factors,  $G^{V,A}(q^2) \propto \left( \frac{1}{1 - q^2/M_{V,A}^2} \right)^2$
- Original paper values  $M_V = 0.84\text{GeV}$  and  $M_A = 0.95\text{GeV}$



# RES Models: the Berger-Sehgal Model

- Improved version of the RS model  
[Bodek, A. et al. Nucl.Phys.Proc.Suppl. hep-ex/0308007]
- Non zero  $m_\mu \Rightarrow$  Final state lepton can have + or - helicity
- Gives a suppressed cross section at small angles

$$\frac{d\sigma}{dQ^2 dW^2} \propto \sum_{\lambda=+,-} \left[ \left( c_L^{(\lambda)} \right)^2 \sigma_L^{(\lambda)} + \left( c_R^{(\lambda)} \right)^2 \sigma_R^{(\lambda)} + \left( c_S^{(\lambda)} \right)^2 \sigma_s^{(\lambda)} \right]$$

Depends on:

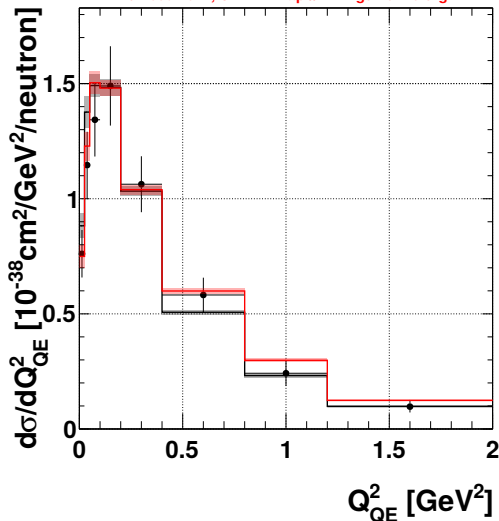
- $c_L^{(\lambda)}$ ,  $c_R^{(\lambda)}$  and  $c_s^{(\lambda)}$  are the new kinematic factors
- Six helicity cross sections that depend on dynamical form factors
- Axial and vector transition form factors also calculated using the dipole approximation

## Shallow Inelastic Scattering region

- In the RS model the non-resonant background is computed by introducing incoherently an extra amplitude with  $l=1/2$   
→ **not completely satisfactory approach**
- **Quark-Hadron duality** can give an alternative model to describe the non-resonant background
  - The average over resonances behaves similarly to the valence quark contribution to DIS scaling curve
  - Harari and Freund conjecture suggests the existence of a relationship between non-resonant and sea-quark contributions to structure functions [*Phys. Rev. Lett.* 20 (1969) 1395]
- **If duality is satisfied, the total resonance distribution can be described by an extrapolated DIS.**

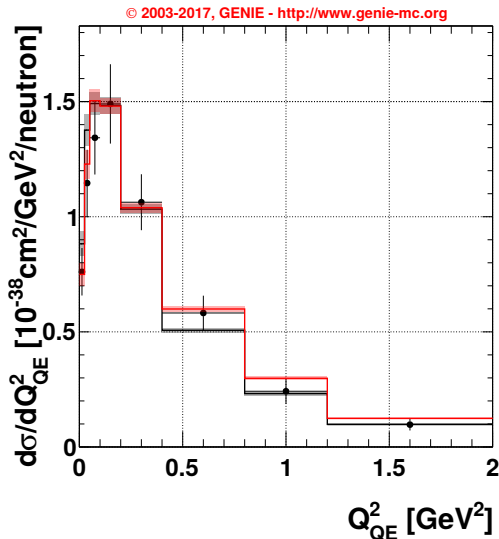
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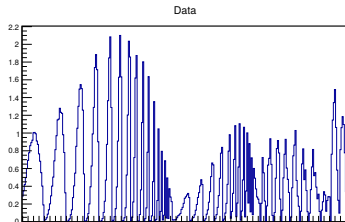
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  - Difference in terms of sigma?
    - $< 1$
    - $> 1$
  - Black  $\chi^2 = 17.5/8$  DoF
  - Red  $\chi^2 = 10.9/8$  DoF
- ⇒ Almost  $2\sigma$

- MiniBooNE  $\nu_\mu$  CCQE
  - 2D histogram
  - 137 points
  - No correlation matrix
- MiniBooNE  $\bar{\nu}_\mu$  CCQE
  - 2D histogram
  - 78 points
  - No correlation matrix
- T2K ND280  $0\pi$  (2016) V2
  - 2D histogram
  - 80 points
  - full covariance matrix
- MINERvA  $\nu_\mu$  CCQE
  - 1D histogram
  - 8 points
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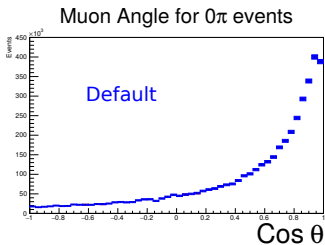


- Missing Covariance between Neutrino and antineutrino data
  - Minerva released this information!



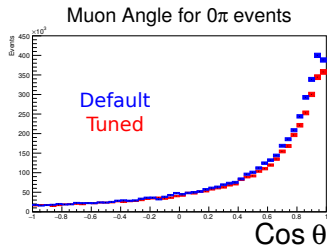
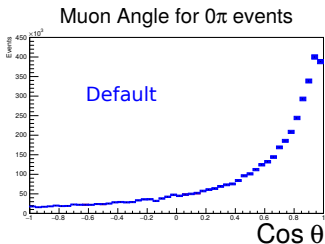
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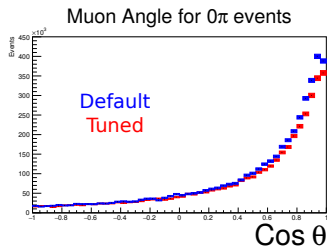
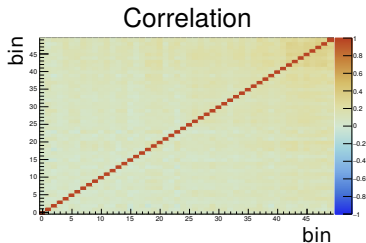




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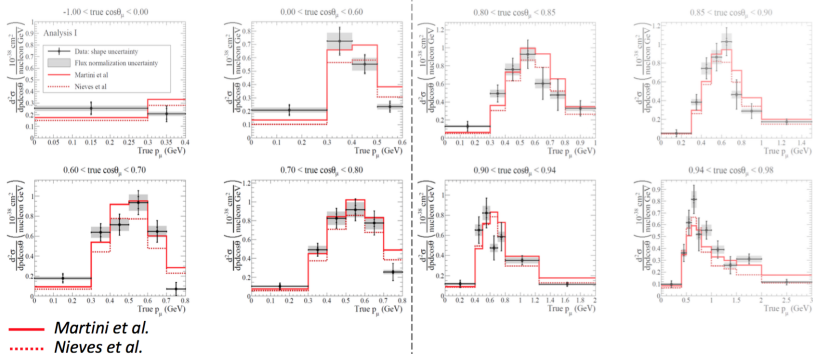


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- Propagate parameters uncertainty through the parameterization



# Model comparison

T2K collaboration: Abe et al. Phys. Rev. D 93 11012 (2016)



## Model comparison

Martini et al.

Nieves et al.

Amaro et al.

Lovato et al.

Bodek et al.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2 \sigma}{\partial \Omega \partial \epsilon'} &= \frac{G_F^2 \cos^2 \theta_c k' \epsilon' \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2}}{2 \pi^2} \left[ \frac{(q^2 - \omega^2)^2}{q^4} G_E^2 \underline{R_\tau} + \frac{\omega^2}{q^2} \underline{G_A^2 R_{\sigma\tau(L)}} + \right. \\ &\quad \left. + 2 \left( \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} + \frac{q^2 - \omega^2}{2q^2} \right) \left( \underline{G_M^2 \frac{\omega^2}{q^2}} + G_A^2 \right) \underline{R_{\sigma\tau(T)}} \pm 2 \frac{\epsilon + \epsilon'}{M_N} \tan^2 \frac{\theta}{2} G_A \underline{G_M R_{\sigma\tau(T)}} \right] \end{aligned}$$

[M.Martini, FUNFACT | Lab workshop]

## Hadronization example

