

Fair Universe Higgs Challenge Scoring and Examples

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Uncertainty Quantification Metrics

- Alternative Idea: Quantile score:
 - Method should return interval $[\mu_{16}, \mu_{84}]$
 - Corresponds to central 68% quantile of likelihood function
 - Also corresponds to interval defined by 1 standard deviation (under Gaussian uncertainty assumption)
 - Interval can also be defined with Bayesian methods that output a posterior

Uncertainty Quantification Metrics

- For N test sets and predicted $[\mu_{16}, \mu_{84}]_i, i \in [0, N]$
 - Calculate fraction of times interval contains μ_{true} to get coverage c :

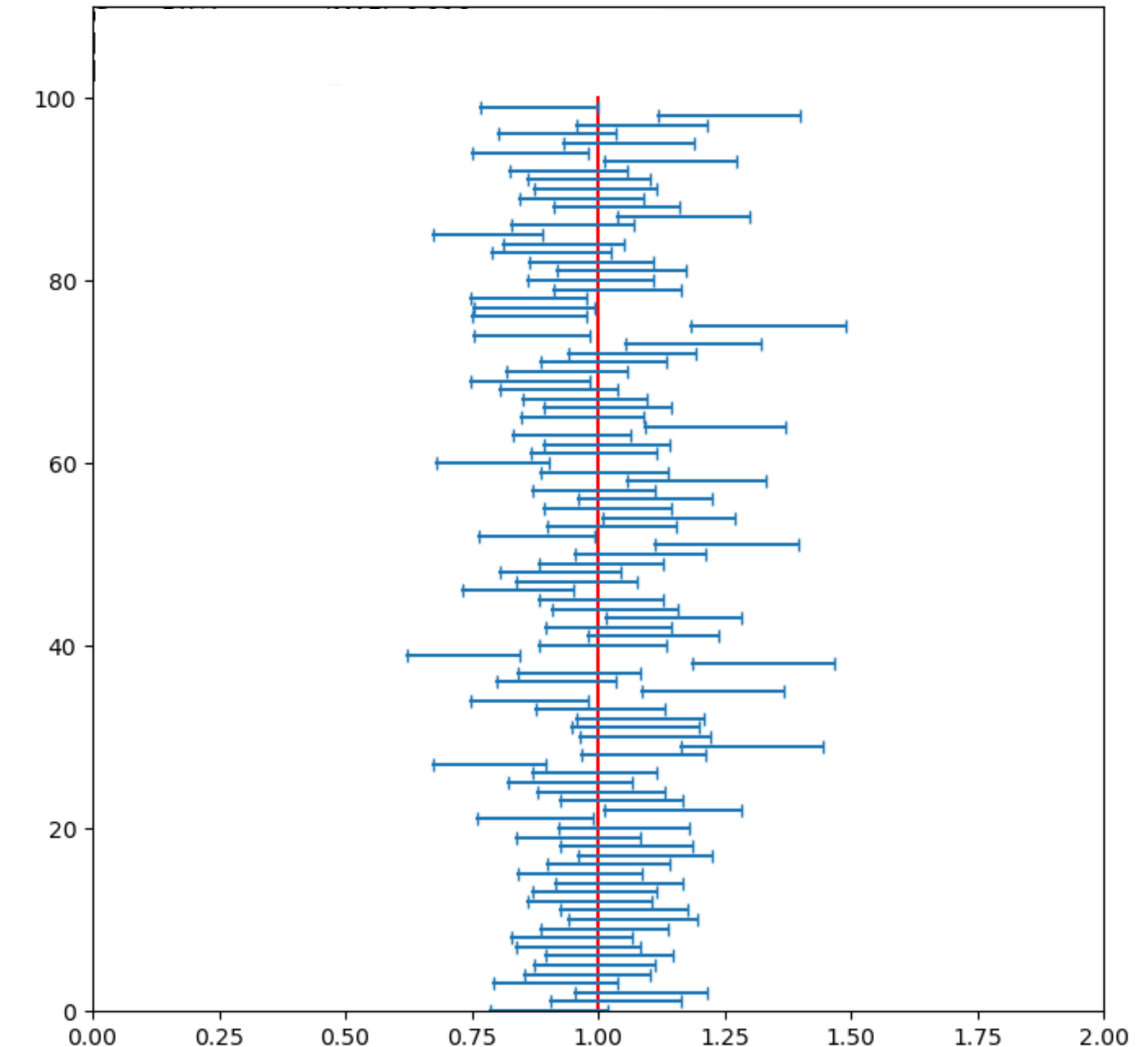
$$c = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=0}^N 1 \text{ if } (\mu_{\text{true},i} \in [\mu_{84} - \mu_{16}]_i)$$

- Calculate average interval width w :

$$w = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=0}^N \mu_{84,i} - \mu_{16,i}$$

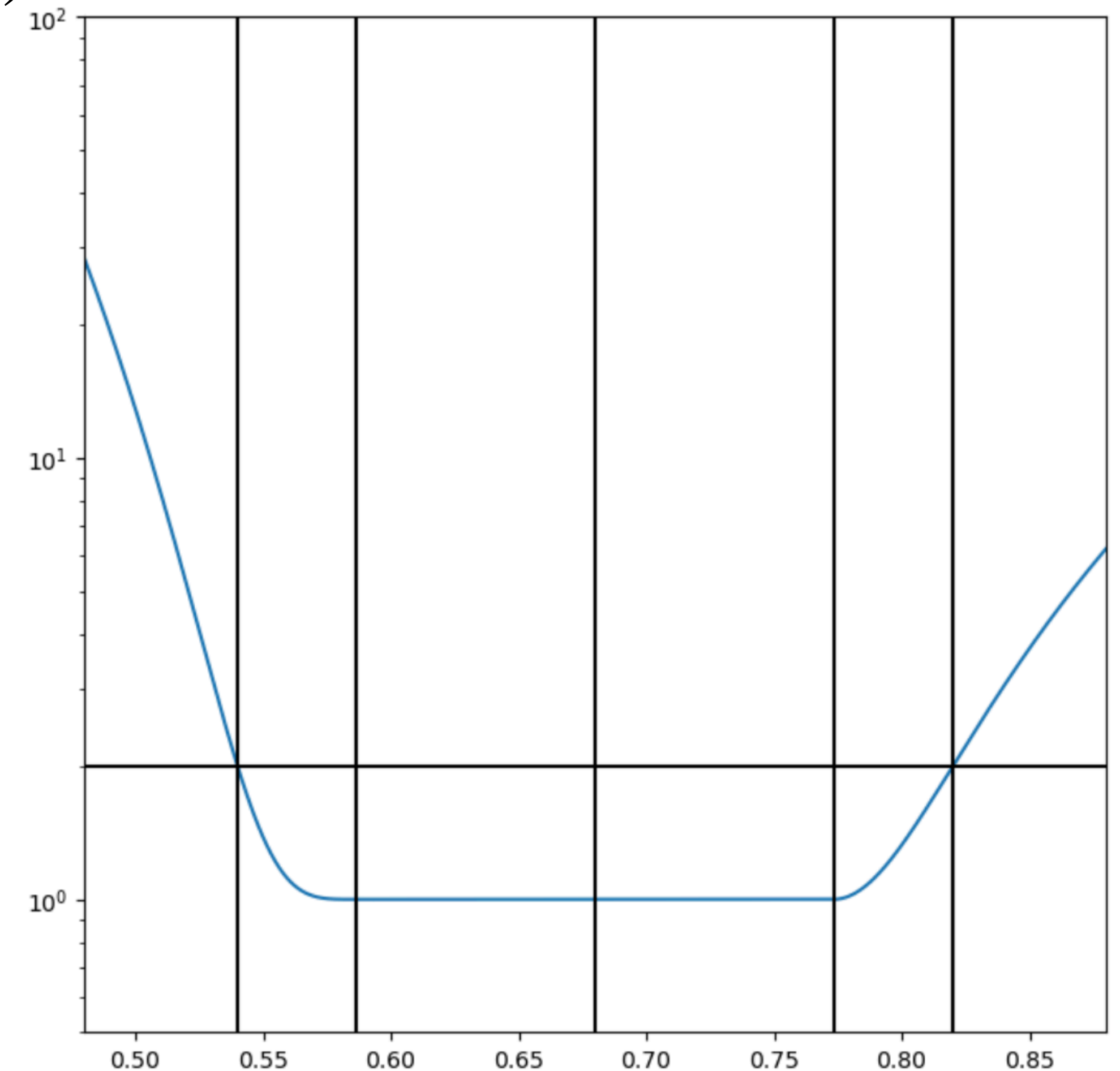
- Combine both values for score s :

$$s = w f(c)$$



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- Combine both values for score $s = w f(c)$
- Scaling function f :
 - Ideal coverage: 0.68 (68% interval)
 - $f = 1$ around $c = 0.68$
 - Power scaling outside of $c = 0.68$
 - Stricter penalty for undershooting



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- Scaling function f :

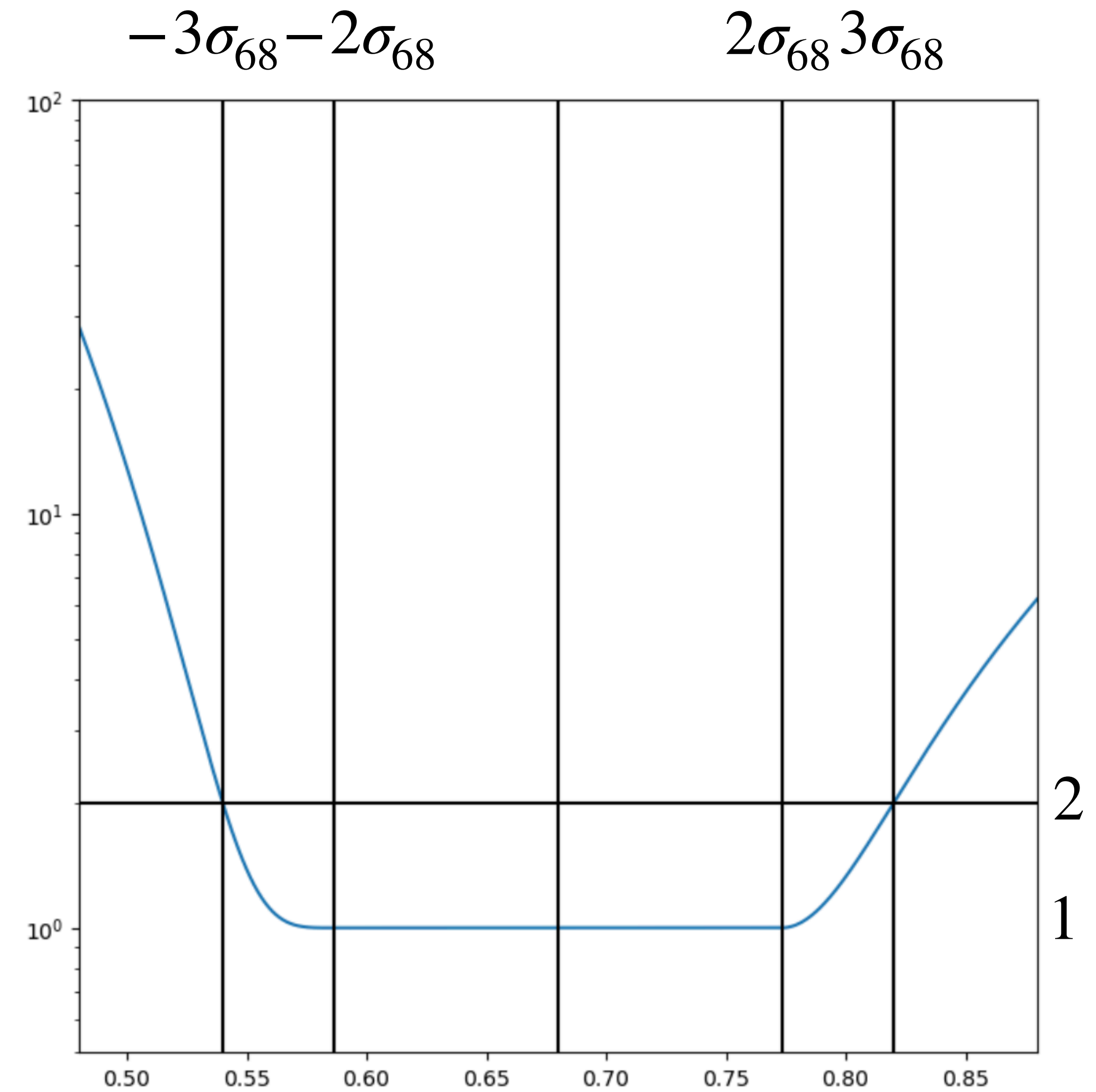
$$x \geq 0.68 - 2\sigma_{68} \text{ and } x \leq 0.68 + 2\sigma_{68} : 1.$$

$$x < 0.68 - 2\sigma_{68} : 1 + \left| \frac{x - (0.68 - 2\sigma_{68})}{\sigma_{68}} \right|^4$$

$$x > 0.68 + 2\sigma_{68} : 1 + \left| \frac{x - (0.68 + 2\sigma_{68})}{\sigma_{68}} \right|^3$$

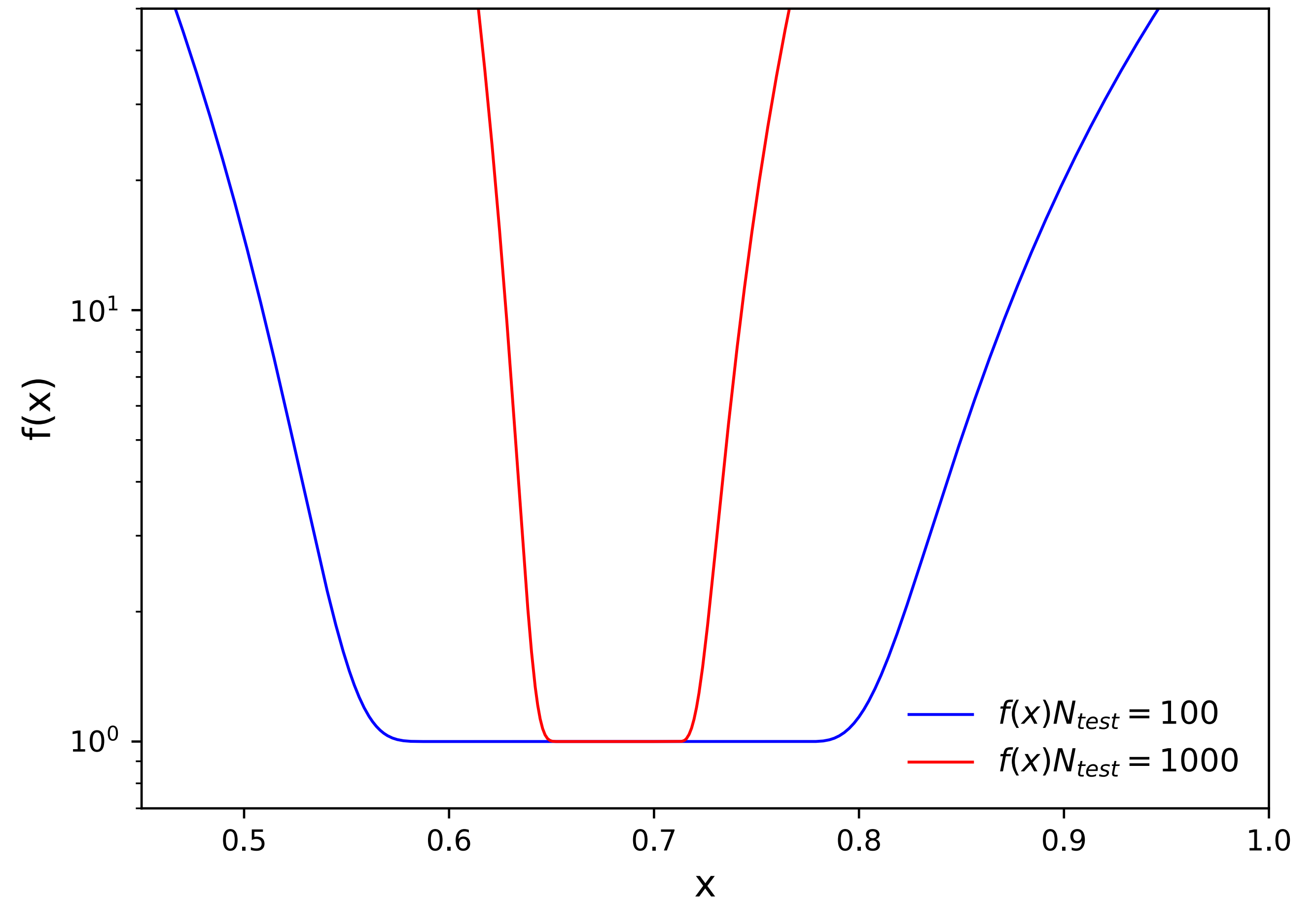
$$\text{with } \sigma_{68} = \frac{\sqrt{(1-0.68)0.68N}}{N}$$

- Uncertainty for the coverage assumes binomial error on coverage value distr.
- For perfect coverage: perfect score 95% of the time, good score 99% of the time



Uncertainty Quantification Metrics

- Larger N_{test} : smaller 'good' range



Uncertainty Quantification Metrics

- 3 remaining problems with $s = w f(c)$:

1. Scores can become very large

2. Lower scores winning is unintuitive

→ $s = -\ln[w f(c)]$


3. Methods that return $\mu_{16} = \mu_{84}$ always win,

since $w = 0$ → $s = \inf$

→ $s = -\ln[(w + \epsilon) f(c)]$

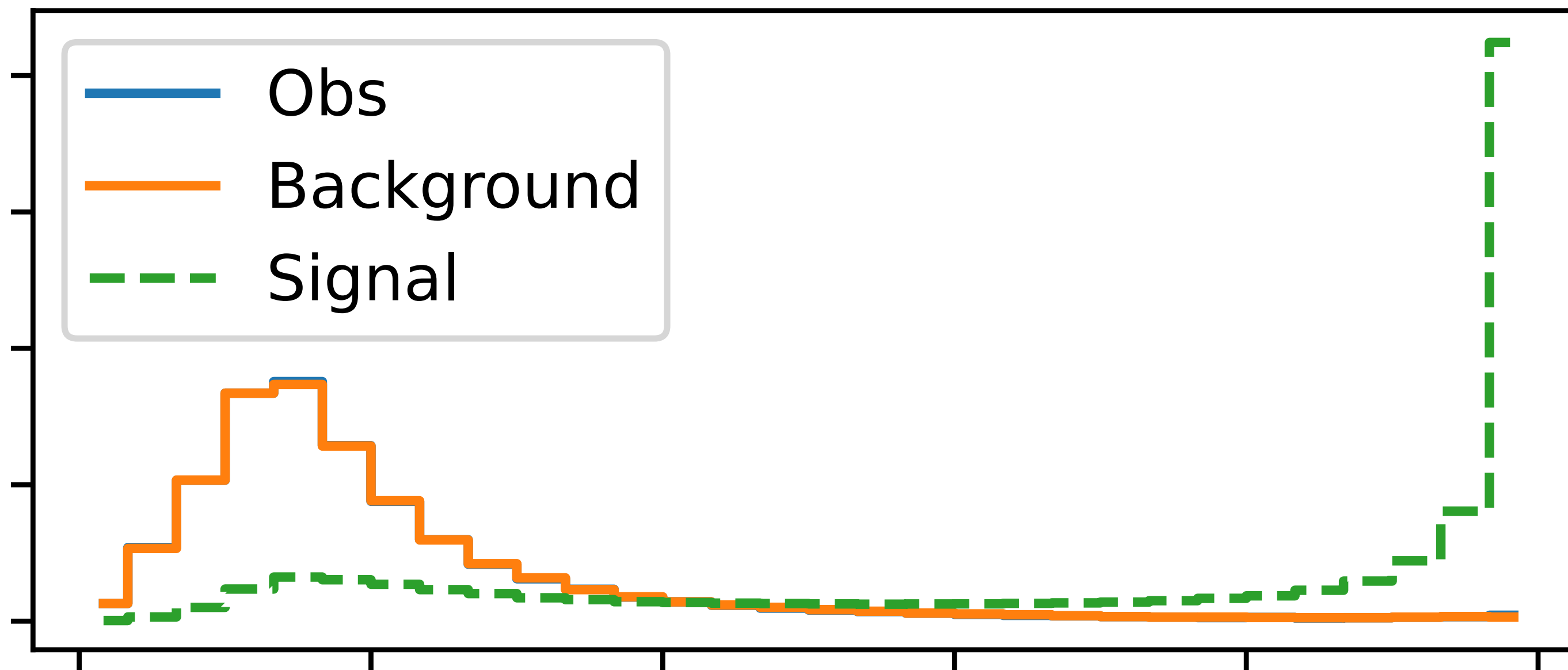
choose ϵ significantly smaller than

minimal width $\epsilon = 10^{-3}$ in the challenge

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Example: Sysaware Templates

- Train classifier on signal vs. background
- Define template histograms for signal and for background
- Apply same network to test set
- Perform Bin-wise NLL calculation to determine μ



Example: Sysaware Templates

- Train classifier on signal vs. background

```
class ClassifierNet(torch.nn.Module):
    def __init__(self, input_dim = 33, layer_widths = [n_nodes_ave,]*n_hidden_ave + [1,]):
        super(ClassifierNet, self).__init__()

        self.input_dim = input_dim
        self.layer_widths = layer_widths

        self.activation_fn = F.leaky_relu

        self.activate_final = F.sigmoid

        self.layers = []
        prev_width = self.input_dim
        for layer_width in self.layer_widths:
            self.layers.append(torch.nn.Linear(prev_width, layer_width))
            prev_width = layer_width

        self.layers = torch.nn.ModuleList(self.layers)

    def forward(self, x):
        for i, layer in enumerate(self.layers[:-1]):
            x = self.activation_fn(layer(x))
        x = self.layers[-1](x)

        if not (self.activate_final is None):
            #print(x)

            x = self.activate_final(x)
        return x
```

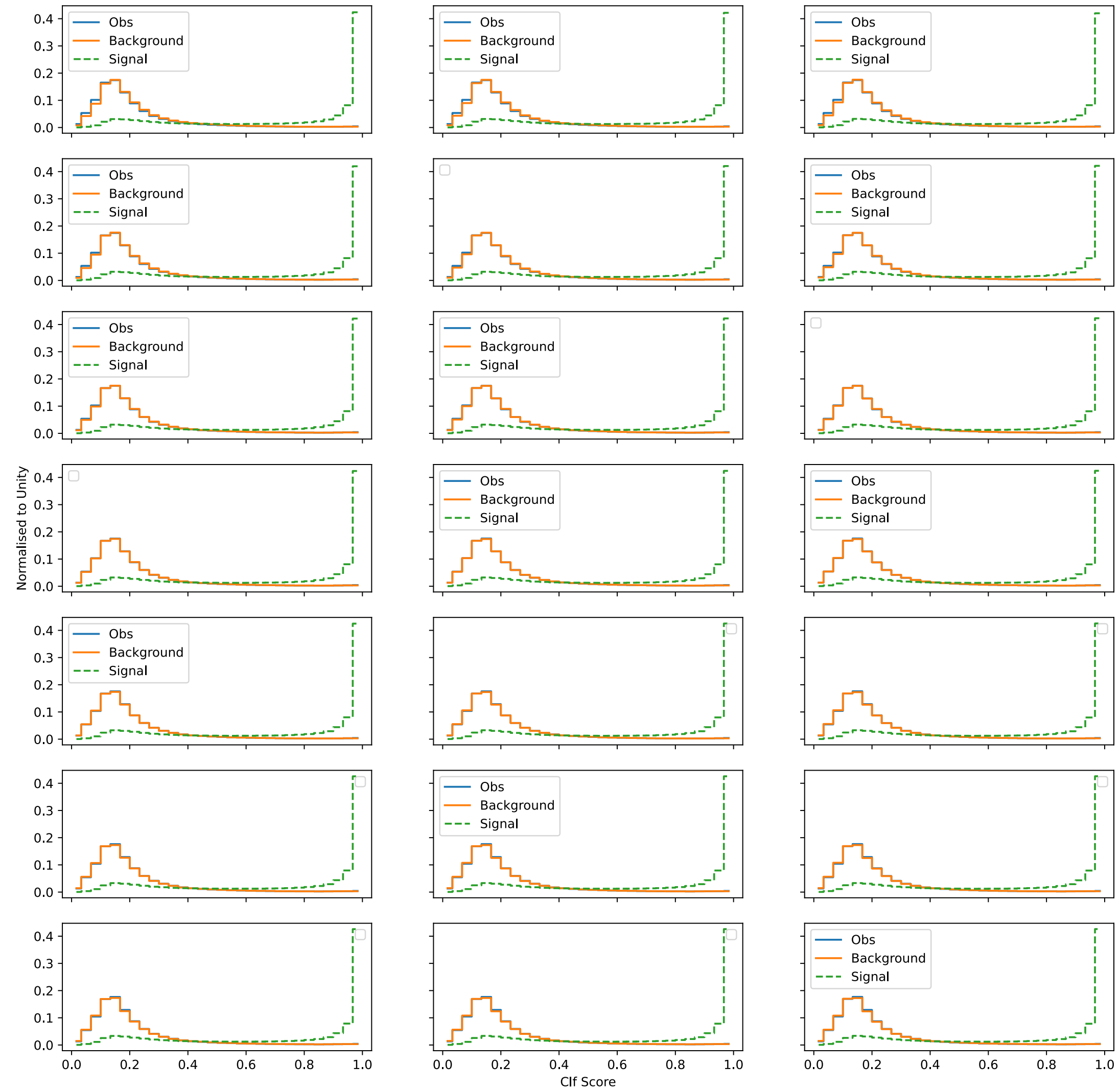
Example: Sysaware Templates

- Perform Bin-wise NLL calculation to determine μ

```
def nll_stat(N,S,B,mu):  
    from scipy.special import loggamma  
    nexp=mu*S+B  
    nll_stat = - (N* np.log(nexp) - nexp - loggamma(N) ) # Poisson  
    if np.isinf(nll_stat):  
        pass  
        #print (N, nexp)  
    return nll_stat
```

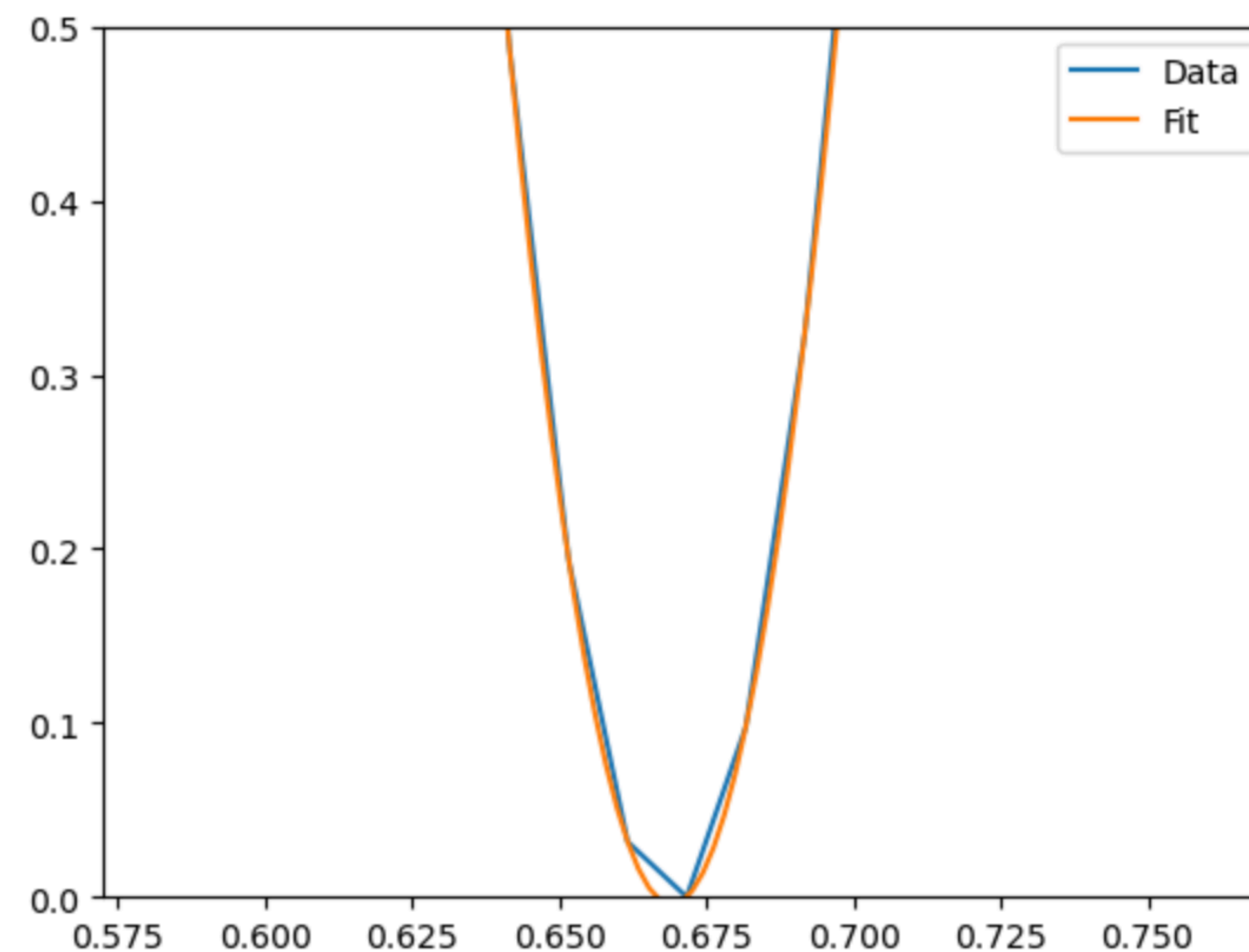
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- Sysaware modification: train network conditional on TES
- Generate template for each TES value
- Perform fit to both TES and μ



Example: Sysaware Templates

- Interval from binned NLL values:
 - Polynomial fit to NLL
 - Analytically calculate crossover point with $\text{NLL} - \min(\text{NLL}) = 0.5$



Example: Sysaware Templates

```
def ConfidenceIntervalls(mu_values, nll1D, central=1.0, epoch=100, fitrange = 0.1, do_plot=False):
    mu_values_plt = mu_values[np.abs(mu_values-central)<=fitrange]

    z = np.polyfit(mu_values[np.abs(mu_values-central)<=fitrange], nll1D[np.abs(mu_values-central)<=fitrange], 4)
    poly = np.poly1d(z)
    #1 Sigma = 0.5, 2 Sigma = 2, 3 Sigma = 4.5
    threshs = [0.5, 2.0, 4.5]
    #threshs = [0.25, 1, 2.25]
    sigmas = [1.0, 2.0, 3.0]
    ret_intersects = []
    std = 0.0

    deriv1 = poly.deriv()
    deriv2 = poly.deriv(2)

    extr = (deriv1).roots
    minimum = extr[np.argsort(np.abs(extr-central))][0]

    #assert deriv2(minimum) > 0

    for t,s in zip(threshs, sigmas):
        intersects = (poly - t).roots
        # Select 2 roots closest to central value (only needed for polynomials with order > 2)
        ret_intersects.append(intersects[np.argsort(np.abs(intersects-central))][:2])
        tmp_std = (abs(ret_intersects[-1][0] - ret_intersects[-1][1])/(s*2))
        #print(tmp_std)
        std = std + tmp_std

    std = std/len(sigmas)
    mu_values_plt = mu_values[np.abs(mu_values-central)<=fitrange]
```