

New xFitter developments: master (+ other branches to be merged in master)

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xFitter development workflow

- Regular xFitter meetings (biweekly):
 - discussing development process
 - discussing ongoing physics analyses
 - → on demand dedicated meeting between main analysers
- Using CERN services for code development and support:
 - ▶ **Gitlab**: https://gitlab.cern.ch/fitters/xfitter
 - ★ revision control, code review
 - ★ public access to read the code
 - ▶ JIRA: https://its.cern.ch/jira/projects/XFITTER
 - issue tracking
- Using Hepforge to store data:
 - 52 datasets with corresponding theoretical predictions available at: http://xfitter.hepforge.org/data.html
 - recently experienced problems due to updates (transfer of new data sets not working): at the moment looking for alternatives





Developments in repository: branches

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https://gitlab.cern.ch/fitters/xfitter/branches
heavy-quark differential predictions \rightarrow o- ala8d549 fixed bin order 2 days ago
                                                              Y master default protected
                     !!! theory interface !!! \rightarrow
                                                              -o- c3e56115 · Merge branch 'fix removeNotNeedeTypdef' into 'master' · 2 days ago
                                        Ivan's talk 
ightarrow Y PionCeres

    75664c0b · Resolve *Info" name conflict between latest versions of ROOT and pdf2yaml.h · 2 days ago

                                        Ivan's talk -> Y test_ceres
                                                              -o- 8f258a55 · Compile LHAPDF evolution only if it is enabled · 3 days ago
                                                              y Z3Dfifs
                                                              -o- 8f369c7d · Patch force additive flag · 5 days ago
     new ABMP PDF parametrisation →

    6fbf57f6 · fixed compilation errors (added cmath headers) · 2 weeks ago

              LO predictions for DY AFB \rightarrow
                                                              -o- d806db75 · commented out new PDF plots; fixed typo · 2 weeks ago
                                                              Y Hathorsingletop
           single top NNLO predictions \rightarrow

    91330cc5 · Update ReactionHathorSingleTop.h · 2 weeks ago

                                                              Y spline
      extenison of theory expression \rightarrow
                                                              -o- 8cd664a9 · fixed typo · 1 month ago
```

Recent developments in repository: pull requests

https://gitlab.cern.ch/fitters/xfitter/merge_requests

fix for bug with new ROOT \rightarrow remove not needed typedef, which causes naming ambiguity with ROOT TError.h (Info)

improvement for MC replica method → Improve toys

!128 · opened 1 month ago by Alexander Glazov

Fix inconsistent treatment of uncertainties when using DataToTheo

!127 · opened 1 month ago by Ivan Novikov

improvement to installation script ightarrow Update install-xfitter to install without /cvmfs

!125 · opened 1 month ago by Oleksandr Zenaiev

new option for uncertainty treatment

New flag for datasets ForceAdditive to force all systematic uncertainties to be additive 1123 · opened 3 months ago by Alexander Glazov

update to latest ApplGrid version → Update applgrid

!124 · opened 3 months ago by Oleksandr Zenaiev

Hot fix rotate

!122 · opened 3 months ago by Alexander Glazov

Dependent Parameters

Fix asl dependence for ci

!121 · opened 3 months ago by Ivan Novikov Y test_ceres

bug fix → Fix compilation error for certain lhapdf version
!118 · opened 5 months ago by Alexander Glazov

 $!119 \cdot \text{opened 5}$ months ago by Alexander Glazov

New interface for parameters, parameterisations, decompositions, evolutions + APPLgrid reaction

update to PDF rotation code \rightarrow

Theory interface

- A new interface for theoretical predictions:
 - to facilitate developments of new calculations
 - to simplify integration of new tools
 - ... without modifying the core xFitter code
- Developed since 2016, in December 2017 merged into master
- In 2018 and 2019 actively tested and used in physics analyses (by both xFitter team and external users)
- Current status
 - implemented for vast majority of existing theory & data
 - available in master, correspondingly updated data files available at Hepforge with '-thexp' name suffix
 - still need extensive testing and your feedback!

```
NC DIS data file
class ReactionBaseDISNC : public ReactionTheory
                                           C++ header for NC DIS
                                                                                                              &Data
                                                                                                                Name = "HERA1+2 NCep 920
public:
                                                                                                                IndexDataset = 105
   ReactionBaseDISNC(){};
                                                                                                                Reaction = "NC e+-p"
public:
   virtual string getReactionName() const { return "BaseDISNC" ;};
   int initAtStart(const string &);
                                                                                                                TheoryType = 'expression'
   virtual void setDatasetParamters( int dataSetID, map<string, string> pars, map<string, double> parsDataset) override;
                                                                                                                TermName = 'R'
                                                                                                                TermType = 'reaction'
  //!< Initialize all EWK couplings here:
   virtual void initAtIteration() override;
                                                                                                                TermSource = 'use:hf scheme DISNC'
   virtual int compute(int dataSetID, valarray<double> &val, map<string, valarray<double>
                                                                                                                TermInfo = 'type=sigred:flav=incl:echarge=1:epolarity=0
protected:
                                                                                                                TheorExpr = 'R'
```

Theory interface: available processes

https://gitlab.cern.ch/fitters/xfitter/tree/master/reactions

	■ AFB
	■ APPLgrid
	■ BaseDISCC
	■ BaseDISNC
	■ BaseHVQMNR
	■ FFABM_DISCC
•	■ FFABM_DISNC
	■ FONLL_DISCC
	■ FONLL_DISNC

■ Fractal_DISNC
■ HVQMNR_LHCb_7TeV_beauty
■ HVQMNR_LHCb_7TeV_charm
■ Hathor
■ KFactor
■ KMatrix
RT_DISNC
■ fastNLO
■ testZMVFNS

Theory interface: selected new features (1)

- Hathor single top NNLO predictions:
 - interfaced new process which was not available in xFitter
 - calculations at NNLO using pole or MS running top guark mass
 - done by Laia Parets Peris (DESY summer student) and Katernia Lipka, ready to be merged into master

KMatrix:

- new linear algebra operation
- useful for rebinning or effects like detector resolution
- done by Lukas Materne (DESY summer student) and S.Z., in master

AFB:

- ► LO predictions for DY AFB
- dedicated physics analysis focused on PDF constraints from AFB measurements by xFitter team
- done by Juri Fiashi and S.Z., in master

Theory interface: selected new features (2)

- cbdiff:
 - extension of MNR NLO calculations for differ. heavy-quark distributions
 - ▶ new options: e.g. use MS mass, easier implementation of new data sets
 - done by S.Z., to be merged in master soon
- charm CC process in ZMVFNS, FF and FONLL:
 - dedicated physics analysis focused on future measurements at LHeC by xFitter team
 - done by S.Z. and Valerio Bertone, in master
- spline:
 - spline interpolation as new functionality in theory expression
 - useful for parameter extractions, e.g. m_t using several sets of ApplGrid tables generated with different values of m_t
 - used in CMS-PAS-TOP-18-004
 - done by S.Z., to be merged in master soon

Theory interface: example of KFactor usage

Data file:

```
TheoryType = 'expression'
TermName = 'Process1','Process2','Mask1','Mask2'
TermType = 'reaction','reaction','reaction'
TermSource = 'ReactionA','ReactionB','KFactor','KFactor'
TermInfo =
'keyA=valueA','keyA=valueA','keyA=valueA','FileName=maskA.txt','FileName=maskB.txt'
TheorExpr = 'Process1*Mask1+Process2*Mask2'
NData = 2
...
```

maskA.txt: maskB.txt: 1 0 1

- 'ProcessA' is used for 1st data point, 'Process B' for 2nd
- one can further e.g. normalise to the sum of 1st + 2nd data points etc.
- such things are done by playing with text files, not touching core code, recompiling etc.
 - ⇒ this makes xFitter very flexible and handy tool (now can be achieved even more elegant using KMatrix)

Single top reaction in xFitter (Laia Parets Peris)

Cross section and ratio dependency on PDFs

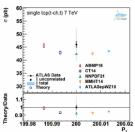
ATLAS 7 TeV, arXiv: 1406.7844

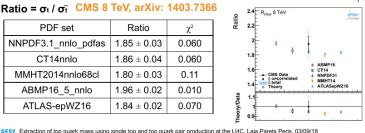
Single top quark production cross section

PDF set	σt(pb)	χ^2
NNPDF3.1_nnlo_pdfas	42.4 ± 0.3	0.33
CT14nnlo	42.9 ± 0.5	0.33
MMHT2014nnlo68cl	42.5 ± 0.3	0.56
ABMP16_5_nnlo	45.6 ± 0.7	0.030
ATLAS-epWZ16	43.4 ± 0.3	0.37

Ratio = $\sigma_t / \sigma_{\bar{t}}$ CMS 8 TeV, arXiv: 1403.7366

PDF set	Ratio	χ^2
NNPDF3.1_nnlo_pdfas	1.85 ± 0.03	0.060
CT14nnlo	1.86 ± 0.04	0.060
MMHT2014nnlo68cl	1.80 ± 0.03	0.11
ABMP16_5_nnlo	1.96 ± 0.02	0.010
ATLAS-epWZ16	1.84 ± 0.02	0.070



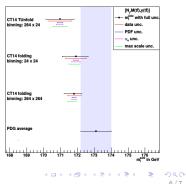


Usage of KMatrix to fit m_t from detector level data (Lukas Materne)

Results(private work)

$$m_{\mathrm{t}}^{\mathrm{pole}} = \left(171.80^{+0.47}_{-0.60}\right)\,\mathrm{GeV}$$

- largest uncertainty from response matrix variation (data)
- variation -0.34% and +0.27%
- improvement in uncertainty through finer binning: $\sim 30\%$
- improvement in uncertainty through folding: \sim 8% $(\sim 35\%)$



Summary of theory interface status

- available for majority of processes
- enabled by default now
- comes with new file parameters.yaml (replaced ewparam.txt)
- requires YAML: providing script to install it tools/install-yaml
- requires compiler version compatible with C++11 standard
- please test and report any problems! [xfitter-help@desy.de]