

pMSSM McMC code

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Overview

- https://github.com/mmrowietz/pMSSM_McMC
- Completely python2 based (if print statements are rewritten, it should work in python3)
- Output stored in ROOT trees
- (very) simplistic interfaces to external tools *SPheno*, *superiso*, *FeynHiggs*

How to run

- Get the code and numpy
- Install *SPheno*, *superiso*, *FeynHiggs* and compile the executables
- in `mcmc.py`, set `homedir` to code location

```
25 homedir = "/nfs/dust/cms/user/mrowietm/python_scan/pMSSM_McMC/"
26 packagedir = homedir+"packages/"
27 spnexe = packagedir+"SPheno-4.0.4/bin/SPheno"
28 fhexe = packagedir+"FeynHiggs-2.16.1/bin/FeynHiggs"
29 sisoexe = packagedir+"superiso_v4.0/slha.x"
30 #sisochi2exe = packagedir+"superiso_v4.0/slha_chi2.x" #use all of the non-controversial low-energy resul
31 sisochi2exe = packagedir+"superiso_v4.0/slha_chi2_reduced.x"#use only branching ratios in superiso chi2.
```

- execute `mcmc.py` with following required inputs:
 - `"-m <runmode>":` choices=["new","resume"]
 - `"-o <output directory>"`
 - `"-i <input root file>"` if run mode is resume, give path to input root file with chain to resume
- optional inputs:
 - `"-n <number of points to run>"` (default = 1000): Number of points that the McMC runs for.
 - `"-c <chain index>"` (default=1): Index given to chain to uniquely identify it.
 - `"-s <save interval>"` (default=300): Save progress and move it to output directory after every save interval worth of points. Prevent complete loss if job crashes

Scan ranges

- Scan ranges are set at the top of mcmc.py

```
12 #set up the parameter ranges
13 parameter_ranges = {}
14 for parameter in ["mu", "M1", "M2"]:
15     parameter_ranges[parameter] = (-4000, 4000)
16 for parameter in ["M3", "Mq1", "Mq3", "Mu1", "Mu3", "Md1", "Md3"]:
17     parameter_ranges[parameter] = (0, 10000)
18 for parameter in ["Ml1", "Mr1", "Ml3", "Mr3", "Mh3", ]:
19     parameter_ranges[parameter] = (0, 4000)
20 for parameter in ["At", "Ab", "Al"]:
21     parameter_ranges[parameter] = (-7000, 7000)
22 parameter_ranges["tb"] = (2, 60)
23
24 width_coefficient = 0.1 #the width coefficient of the gaussian for the mcmc step.
```

- Do our tools work up to high scales needed for 100 TeV collider?

Output branches

- Tree branches are defined in tree_branches dictionary
- numpy is used to interface python types to ROOT types
- numpy container value needs to be set in MCMC loop

```
37 #containers for the tree branches. Numpy arrays are used as an interface between python types and the root branches
38 tree_branches = {}
39 tree_branches["slha_file"]={"container":TString(),"dtype":"TString"}
40 tree_branches["likelihood"] = {"container":np.zeros(1,dtype = float),"dtype":"D"}
41 tree_branches["iteration_index"] = {"container":np.zeros(1,dtype = int),"dtype":"I"}
42 tree_branches["accepted_index"] = {"container":np.zeros(1,dtype = int),"dtype":"I"}
43 tree_branches["chain_index"] = {"container":np.zeros(1,dtype = int),"dtype":"I"}
44 tree_branches["mtop"] = {"container":np.zeros(1,dtype = float),"dtype":"D"}
45 tree_branches["mbottom"] = {"container":np.zeros(1,dtype = float),"dtype":"D"}
46 tree_branches["alpha_s"] = {"container":np.zeros(1,dtype = float),"dtype":"D"}
47 tree_branches["mhiggs"] = {"container":np.zeros(1,dtype = float),"dtype":"D"}
48 for param in parameter_ranges.keys():
49     tree_branches[param] = {"container":np.zeros(1,dtype=float),"dtype":"D"}
50 tree_branches["superiso_chi2_stdout"]={"container":TString(),"dtype":"TString"}
51 tree_branches["superiso_stdout"]={"container":TString(),"dtype":"TString"}
52 tree_branches["chi2"]={"container":np.zeros(1,dtype=float),"dtype":"D"}
53 tree_branches["chi2_ndf"]={"container":np.zeros(1,dtype=int),"dtype":"I"}
```

Likelihood calculation: standard cases

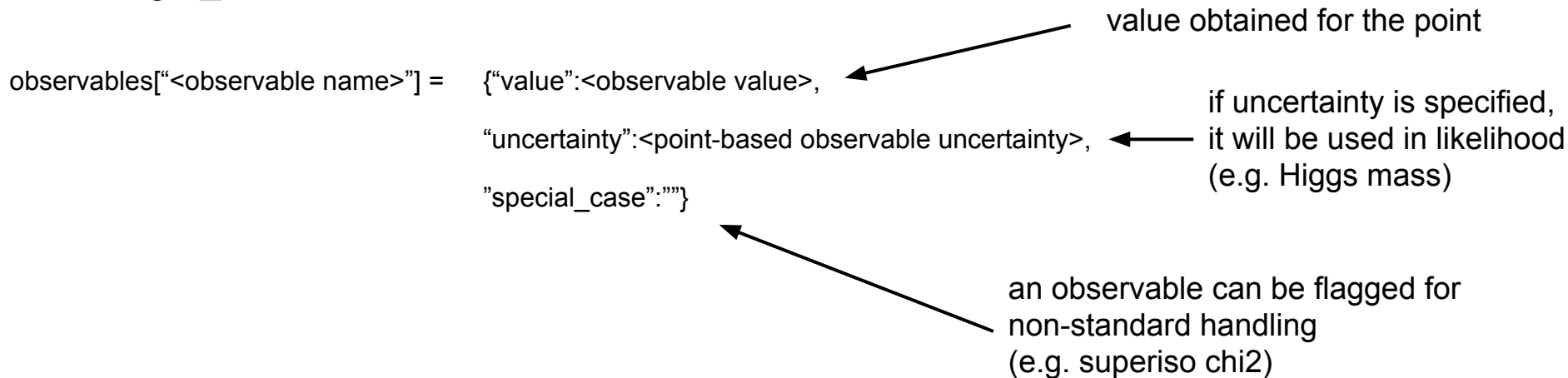
- Experimental value and uncertainties are inserted into dictionary in likelihood.py

```
6 likelihood_contributions = {}
7 likelihood_contributions["mtop"] = {"value":173.1,"uncertainty":0.9} ← symmetric uncertainty
8 likelihood_contributions["mbottom"] = {"value":4.18,"uncertainty":[0.03,0.04]} ← asymmetric uncertainty
9 likelihood_contributions["alpha_s"] = {"value":0.1181,"uncertainty":0.0011}
10 likelihood_contributions["mhiggs"] = {"value":125.26}#good practise would be to cite from where
11 #superiso gives only the SUSY contribution to amu, thus it must be compared against delta amu
12 likelihood_contributions["a_muon"]={"value":26.8E-10,"uncertainty":4.3E-10}#http://pdg.lbl.gov/
13 likelihood_contributions["BR_B_to_tau_nu"]={"value":1.44E-04,"uncertainty":0.31E-04}#http://www
14 likelihood_contributions["BR_Ds_to_tau_nu"]={"value":5.48E-02,"uncertainty":0.23E-02}#http://pd
15 likelihood_contributions["BR_Ds_to_mu_nu"]={"value":5.5E-03,"uncertainty":0.23E-03}#http://pdg.
```

- likelihood is calculated in `def get_likelihood(observables):`
- observables is dictionary containing observable values keyed by observable name (which must be the same as in likelihood_contributions dictionary)

Likelihood calculation: standard cases

- observables is dictionary containing observable values keyed by observable name (which must be the same as in likelihood_contributions dictionary)
- If observables entry contains key “uncertainty”, it will be used instead of uncertainty in likelihood_contributions (e.g. for Higgs mass)
- if observables entry contains key “special_case”, its handling has to be implemented in get_likelihood function



Likelihood calculation: how to add a new one

1. Write an interface to required tool
2. In McMC loop, extract the value for the point and add the key-value pair to observables dictionary before these lines:

```
397         _l = likelihood.get_likelihood(observables)#get likelihood
458         _l = likelihood.make_decision(observables,lastaccepted["likelihood"])#get likelihood
```

3. If necessary, implemented the contribution to the likelihood in likelihood.py
4. (Add the likelihood to the tree_branches dictionary)

McMC run loop

Slightly different code depending on runmode="new" or "resume"

```
438 finite_lh = False
439 while not finite_lh:
440     utils.clean()
441     spnerr = False
442     while not spnerr:#find a viable point
443         utils.clean()
444         candidate = generate_point(lastaccepted)#generate a point from the last point
445         spnin = utils.write_sphenno_input(candidate)#write the input for sphenno
446         spnerr = run_sphenno(spnin,devnull) #run sphenno, check if viable point
447         if not run_feynhiggs('>& /dev/null'):#run feynhiggs, replace higgs sector
448             continue
449         observables = get_observables(slhpath = "SPheno.spc") #get observables for the likelihood
450         siso_obs = run_superiso("SPheno.spc")
451         if siso_obs == -1:
452             continue
453         for obs in siso_obs:
454             observables[obs] = siso_obs[obs]
455         siso_chi2_obs = run_superiso_chi2("SPheno.spc")
456         for obs in siso_chi2_obs:
457             observables[obs] = siso_chi2_obs[obs]
458         _l = likelihood.make_decision(observables,lastaccepted["likelihood"])#get likelihood
459         finite_lh = _l != 0
```

Require a non-zero likelihood

generate candidate points until SPheno does not complain

Replace Higgs sector, try new candidate if FeynHiggs complains

Try new candidate if superiso complains

Collect information necessary to likelihood calculation, add entries to observables dictionary

Find a valid pMSSM point and make McMC decision

McMC run loop

```
458     _l = likelihood.make_decision(observables,lastaccepted["likelihood"])#get likelihood
459     finite_lh = _l != 0
460     if _l<0:
461         move +=1
462         if iter_ix == start+tend:
463             print "Made all "+str(tend)+" iterations, moving "+outname+" to storage"
464             outtree.BuildIndex("chain_index","iteration_index")
465             outtree.Write()
466             outroot.Close()
467             os.system(" ".join(["mv",outname,outdir]))
468             continue #point was not accepted
469     lastaccepted["likelihood"]=_l
470     lastaccepted["iteration_index"] = iter_ix
471     lastaccepted["accepted_index"] =lastaccepted["accepted_index"]+1
472     lastaccepted["chain_index"] = chainix
473     lastaccepted["superiso_chi2_stdout"] = observables["superiso_chi2_stdout"]["value"]
474     lastaccepted["superiso_stdout"] =observables["superiso_stdout"]["value"]
475     lastaccepted["chi2"] =observables["chi2"]["value"]
476     lastaccepted["chi2_ndf"]=observables["chi2_ndf"]["value"]
477
```

Not yet included and areas of improvement

- Run mode to start from non-random point
- Dark matter related constraints (costly in terms of computation time)
- Sampling from MCMC (oversampling, undersampling)
- Code overhaul for efficiency
- Better interface to external tools? (in-memory I/O?)