IMPROVING THE MODELLING OF NEUTRINO ENERGY BLAS

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SYSTEMATIC UNCERTAINTIES

Systemic Parameters are defined as: Neutrino Flux ' $\Phi(E_{\nu})$ ' Cross Section ' $\sigma(E_{\nu})$ ' Detector Efficiency ' $\in (E_v)$ '

All are functions of neutrino energy - and therefore dependant upon how accurate our energy reconstruction is.

The worse our reconstruction is, the greater our systematic uncertainties, the primary uncertainty for DUNE.

So improving our neutrino energy reconstruction reduces the delimiting uncertainties of DUNE.









WHAT GOES INTO OUR MODEL

$$E_{\nu,recon} = E_{\ell} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} E_{had}; \quad E_{had,total} \approx E_{p,K} + E_{\ell} + E_{\gamma} + E_{\pi^{\pm},K} + E_{\pi^{0}}$$







TRACKING THRESHOLDS

Introducing the thresholds improves the model. Applying 90% efficiency thresholds for the charged pion momentum (80MeV) and residual kinetic energy of protons (15.6MeV).

One cut introduced is charged-current events only.

Residual kinetic energy of protons threshold causes a very minor increase to the background.

Pion peaks almost entirely eliminated - only primary offset peak remains due to chargedpion removal energies unaccounted for.





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ND GAr JUSTIFICATION





CROSS SECTION DIALS

Producing dials for our models allows for tweaking of cross section uncertainties.

The graph on the right shows a +1, 0 (central value) and -1 sigma shift of the MaCCRes Genie dial.

This works by applying a reweight to a given event - default, each event contributes a '1' to a histogram bin. Tweaking the dial, if a reweight is applicable, will increase or decrease this value of 1.







Ma Res Shift

VARIATION BETWEEN REWEIGHTS





MVCC RESONANT DIAL COMPARISONS





IMPORTANT CONTEXT







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SOFT INELASTIC SCATTERING





FUTURE TASKS

Pion Multiplicity Dials? Do they exist - if so, what effect does it have? If not, how to go about producing them.

ND LAr tracking efficiencies - whether through TDR estimations or theoretical justification

Particle IDing uncertainties and additional tracking efficiencies





ND GAR CAF STATUS



New std::vector<**SRInteraction**> in sr.common.ixn to store interactions reconstructed in GArSoft.

ND GAT CAF STATUS

- Relevant packages: GArSoft, duneanaobj, ND_CAFMAker.
- Should we revert to the previous ROOT version?
- Does this affect someone else's code?
- New GArSoft producer uses TMVA weight files. Where should these go?
- Making flatCAFs doesn't work at the moment. Why? Do we need them?

Create some CAFS



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$CAF \longrightarrow MaCh3$



Complete validations that pipeline is working and fix any remaining bugs

The MaCh3 refactor is complete for T2K branch. Need to get up to date with this in the DUNE branch and further validate

Refactor is intended to make things easier and more consistent between experiments for the core MaCh3 code

Get full CAF production into MaCh3 and include new dials

