# Post talk comments

## Comments

- Generally seemed positive.
- Main comments from Jake:
	- Consider dividing templates into energies too.
	- Some magic about the energy slice which might skip unfolding.
	- Potentially some confusion about MC/data discrepancies, still communicating.
- Started looking through tech note, still trying to understand the fit minimisation
- Planning to chat with Jake soon

# Fitting discussion

# Fitting method

- The fit uses (python) [Minuit's template fit](https://scikit-hep.org/iminuit/notebooks/template_fits.html), using Dembinski [and Abdelmotteleb](https://doi.org/10.1140/epjc/s10052-022-11019-z) method.
- D. and A.'s method approximates the [Beeston-](https://doi.org/10.1016/0010-4655(93)90005-W)[Barlow method](https://doi.org/10.1016/0010-4655(93)90005-W).
	- Henceforth, will discuss pure Beeston-Barlow, trusting the D. and A. method is sensible
- Methods can also deal with weighting the MC templates (no longer integer)
	- Currently only considering unweighted templates

#### Fitting method

- Example fit 2 bins, 2 channels
- MC sample has counts  $(8, 5)^b$ ,  $(3, 5)^o$ .
- Data has counts (6, 5)
- From MC, create  $\lambda_1^b$ ,  $\lambda_2^b$ ,  $\lambda_1^o$ ,  $\lambda_2^o$ Eqs. 17 and<br>2 of <u>BB</u> Note:  $\lambda_2^{b/o} = N^{MC} - \lambda_1^{b/o}$ 2 of [BB](https://doi.org/10.1016/0010-4655(93)90005-W)
	- Compare data:



• We want data yields  $N^DP^b$ ,  $N^DP^o$ 







List of **N<sup>temps</sup> histograms as templates**. There will be  $N^{\text{temps}}$  yields given by the fit, one for each templates

Shape:  $[(N_e, N_b, N_b, N_b)] * N^{\text{temps}}$ (Each template has the same shape as the data histogram, but there are  $N^{\text{temps}}$  in the list)

## Fitting options

• 2D histogram displays the total count of events as a function of energy and underlying process.



#### Fitting options – current

• Current idea, do  $N_e$  separate fits, each to one data histogram, shape  $(N_h, N_h, N_h)$ .



# Fitting options – free-for-all

• A valid (but poor) fitting option would be to do one fit to all data  $(N_h, N_h, N_h)$ , where each energy and process gets its own template.



# Fitting options – energy fixed

- An attempt at simultaneous energy fitting could use one data histogram, which includes energy bins:  $(N_e, N_b, N_b, N_b)$ .
- 3 templates total, each  $(N_e, N_b, N_b, N_b)$
- Bad, since this doesn't allow the energy shape to change

Relative fractions of events

fixed in by templates – bad!



# Fitting options – energy binned

- Use one data histogram, including energy bins:  $(N_e, N_b, N_b, N_b)$ . But separate templates for each energy bin.
- 3  $\times$   $N_e$  templates total, each  $(N_e, N_b, N_b, N_b)$
- Each template has non-zero values in exactly one of the indices across the first dimension ( $N_e$ ).



# Energy binned vs. separate fits

- Use 50% MC as template, 50% as "data".
	- Not done any energy weighting.
- Performed current fit (separate fits for each energy)
- Perform the energy binned (final option mentioned).
- Investigated the difference between the two: Current – E. binned Current / E. binned - 1





# Other options – energy unfolding

• In the energy fitting method, templates are picked by the same binning as the y-axis

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- In this case, beam instrumentation energy rather than interaction energy.
- The histogram could be produced from MC truth interaction energy, but split into ากลร templates via reco. 3400 Interaction energy  $\left\| \begin{matrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \end{matrix} \right\|_{\infty}$  "Artistic represer



# Other options – using the nuisances

- The fit must produce nuisances per bin of the fit for each template.
- In principle, we could try to extract these and "manually" reconstruct the energy binning





# **PFO count variation - comparison**

• Plots compare all MC events (not split by true process) vs. data events.



Dennis Lindebaum | Fit performance of GNN scores

# **Particle content**

- MC vs. data discrepancy could be caused by mismodelling of the species expected from nuclear events.
- Use a simple BDT (same BDT used for PID in the full network) to estimate proportions of particles in MC vs. data.



# **Reweighting events**



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# **After weighting**

If the re-weighting accounts to the MC/data discrepancy, the MC/reweighted difference should match the MC/data difference.

12

 $10 -$ 

6

 $\overline{2}$ 

 $12 -$ 

 $10 -$ 

 $8 -$ 

 $6 -$ 

 $\overline{2}$ 

 $\overline{0.0}$ 

PFOs in event

 $0.0$ 

 $\overline{0.2}$ 

 $\frac{1}{0.2}$ 

 $0.4$  0.6<br>Pion score

 $\overline{0.6}$ 

Abs. score

 $0.4$ 

 $\frac{1}{0.8}$ 

 $0.8$ 

 $1.0$ 

 $1.0$ 

PFOs in event



#### Upstream correction fit



Recall previously, fit of upstream energy correction had these excessive errors (left). Changing the equation fixes this: Left:  $p_2 x^2 + p_1 x + p_0$ Below:  $p_2(x - p_1)^2 + p_0$ 



# Upstream correction

- Systematic offset between Gaussian mean (black) and arithmetic mean (blue)
- Not seen in 2GeV
- Scrapers?



# Code updates



#### App order:

- 1. Normalisation
- $2.$ **Beam quaility**
- $3.$ **Beam scraper**
- 4. **Photon correction**
- 5. Selection
- 6. Reweight
- 7. Upstream correction
- 8. Toy parameters
- 9. Analysis inputs
- 10. Analyse

#### NEW order:

- 1. Normalisation
- 2. Beam quality
- 3. Beam scraper
- 4. (Per event) Photon correction
- 5. Event selection (maybe swap before photon correction?)
- 6. GNN results/PFO selection
- 7. Reweight
- 8. Upstream correction
- 9. Toy parameters
- 10. Analysis inputs
- 11. Analyse

# Weighting schemes

- Chatted with Jake
- Recommended start with simple event by event weights, not Geat4Reweight
- 6.6-6.8 in his technote show a series of ideas
- Find some distribution about i.e. the leading energy proton
- Create weights from these histograms

# Weighting schemes

Figure 36: Efficiencies of other events (to be selected as other) as functions of leading-momentum  $\pi^+$ momentum in various incident  $\pi^+$  kinetic energy regions.



# Analysis fitting!

# MC-MC fits (Asimov)

- In principle, an Asimov fit fits the data with itself.
- There are still some effects which change the values used:
	- Energy binning by reconstructed vs. true interaction energies
	- Beam reweighting (this shouldn't happen in a true Asimov fit, but we can test a small effect from difference between beam with and without the MC training sample)

## Reconstructed slicing, no weights



- When using reconstructed slicing with no weighting, the templates and data exactly match
- Excellent agreement expected

## Reconstructed slicing, weighted



• Same samples for each, but slight differences due to beam weights applied to the templates.



# True slicing, no weights



- Now templates are constructed from true energies, data from reco.
- No reweighting



# True slicing, no weights



- Templates binned in true energy
- Templates reweighted

# Energy binning

# Choose set of fixed bins

- Plan to construct a set of bins before running more robustness type tests
	- Fix the bins now, for consistency
- Update required for variable widths
- We want at least *N* events per bin, and minimise the number of events this makes invalid



# Energy width optimisation

- I spent way too much effort on this…
	- But it was too fun a challenge to ignore!
- Consider projecting along the  $E_{init} = E_{int}$  line
- The perpendicular distance is proportional to the bin width
- Let's calculate the number of events in/excluded by some bin edges…



### Optimisation strategy

• We can calculate a loss:

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$$
L = \begin{cases} m^{1.5} \times e^{\frac{5*(i-6000)}{6000}}, & i \geq 4000 \\ \infty, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}
$$

- $\bullet$  *i*=number of valid events in bin
- $m$ =number of events excluded from  $E_{init}$ ,  $E_{int}$  in same bin
- View current bins against this loss



#### Optimisation strategy

• Given some upper bin edge



# First bin optimisation

- Naïvely, I applied the same rules to the first bin.
- Picks out the tangent of -1 gradient
- Actually want tangent of infinite gradient.
	- I was aiming for this from the start, but I didn't account for silly coding!





#### Results

- Can tune the parameters
- Target number of bins via the target count per bin.
- First bin occupancy
- Importance of missing events vs. having many
- Probably should relax the target count addition to make the minimum less deep (do some calculus!)

# Other considerations

- Missing events bias against high cross-section interactions in energy slice version
	- $P(\text{selected event}) \alpha \int_{\Delta E} P(\Delta E) P(\text{interact in } \Delta E) \alpha \ 1/\sigma$
	- $\Delta E(E_{init}; \text{bins})$  runs over possible energy range before first bin boundary
- Likely less important for thin slice version of the analysis (particles probably start interacting instantly, can add an arbitrarily small initial bin)
- Thin slice method should be reassessed (but perhaps post-thesis worthy result…)

- Current binning has too many bins for nice unfolding.
- Small bins to fit, large bins to unfold?



- Assume detector has process invariant response.
- $P(E_{reco} | E_{true})$
- Unfolding inverts this to estimate:  $P(E_{true}|E_{reco})$



- This is performed on histograms. Either:
	- Interacting yields produced *post*-fit
	- Incident yields *pre*-fit (one could try constructing this via moving fractions of histograms around)

- We want to find  $E_{true,i}$  which is the true energy of the process,  $i$  we want to measure
- As such we now have multiple "causes", dependent on the  $\{\sigma_i\}$



- $\bullet$   $P(E_{true, i} | E_{reco, j})$  to unfold *post*-classification
- Assume detector-independent:  $P(E_{true}|E_{reco})$  $P(E_{true,i}|E_{reco,i})$

$$
= \int_{E_{true}} P(E_{true} | i) P(E_{reco,j} \in i)
$$

Unfolded with no knowledge of process<sup>3200</sup>

 $\int_{E true}$  $P(E_{true} | E_{reco}) \times$  $P(E_{true} | i) P(E_{reco,j} \in i)$ 

- $P(E_{true} | i)$  depends on  $\sigma_i$ .
- This cannot be determined from MC alone, since it is based on the actual cross-section.
- Factorising out means this could be iteratively improved, in principle.



• Probability that an event classified as  $j$  is actually process  $i$ 

Ignore this

term!

• For unfolding *pre*-fitting, this is summed over, so can be ignored:  $P(E_{true,i}|E_{reco})$ 

$$
= \sum_{j} P(E_{true,i} | E_{reco,j})
$$

• For unfolding *post*-fitting, we assume  $P(E_{reco,i} \in i) = \delta_{i,i}$