

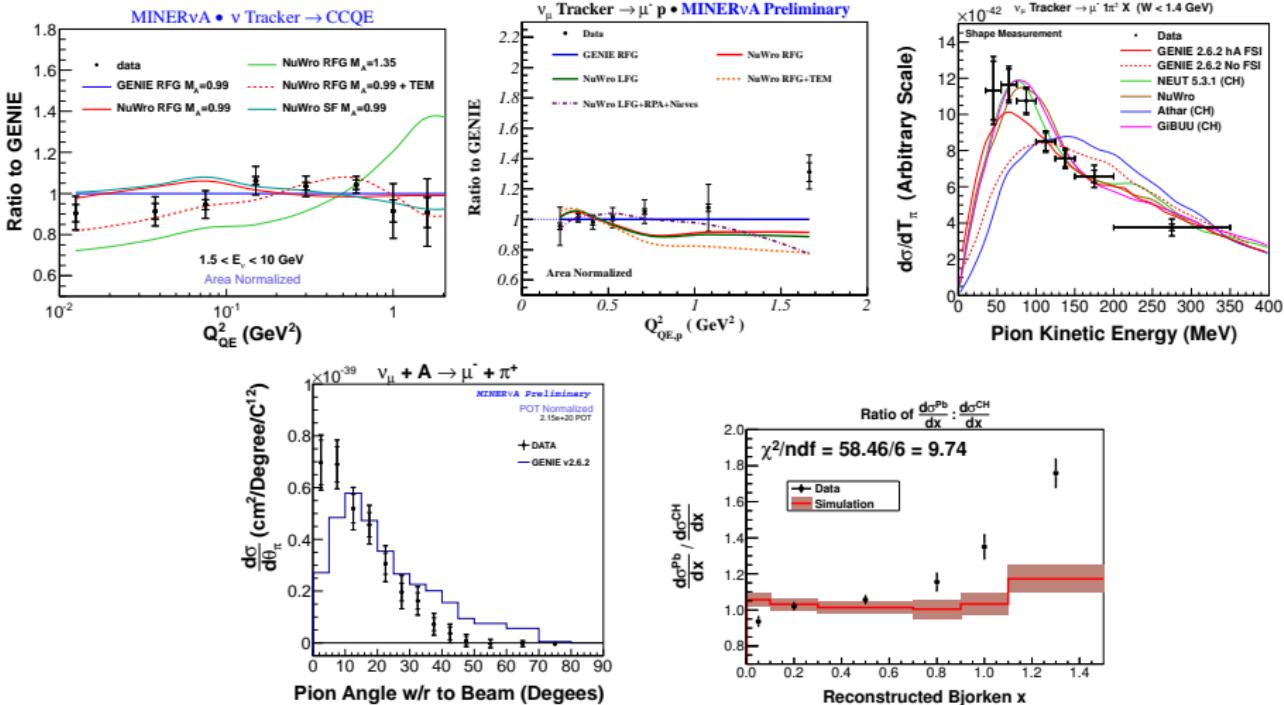
MINER ν A

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MINER ν A status



MINER ν A and the Red Queen



“Now, here, you see, it takes all the running you can do, to keep in the same place.”

MINER ν A's distinguishing features

- ▶ Data
- ▶ Small collaboration
- ▶ GAUDI
- ▶ Co-ordination with MINOS
- ▶ Many ~equally-important analyses
- ▶ Lots of legacy code

Production scripts

- ▶ All offline processing driven by ProductionScripts
- ▶ Have to handle all combinations of beam config, MINOS det config, presence/absence of ArgoNeuT, full/empty water target, full/empty helium target, MINOS simulation, job submission
- ▶ Grew organically, so can be difficult to modify

Data handling 1

- ▶ Technologies: ifdh, dCache (mostly SFA), FTS, SAM
- ▶ Migrated to using dCache instead of bluarc for processing in last few months
 - ▶ Highly nontrivial
 - ▶ Relied heavily on data handling review with CD in April

Data handling 2

- ▶ Using FTS, but not all features
- ▶ SAM: Use DB functionality but not file delivery yet

Grid usage

- ▶ Use cases:
 - ▶ Production
 - ▶ User analyses
 - ▶ Monitoring processing(!)
- ▶ Challenge in setting priorities, monitoring whether it's working

Other things

- ▶ ifbeam DB, NuConDB