

Towards a data-driven model of hadronization

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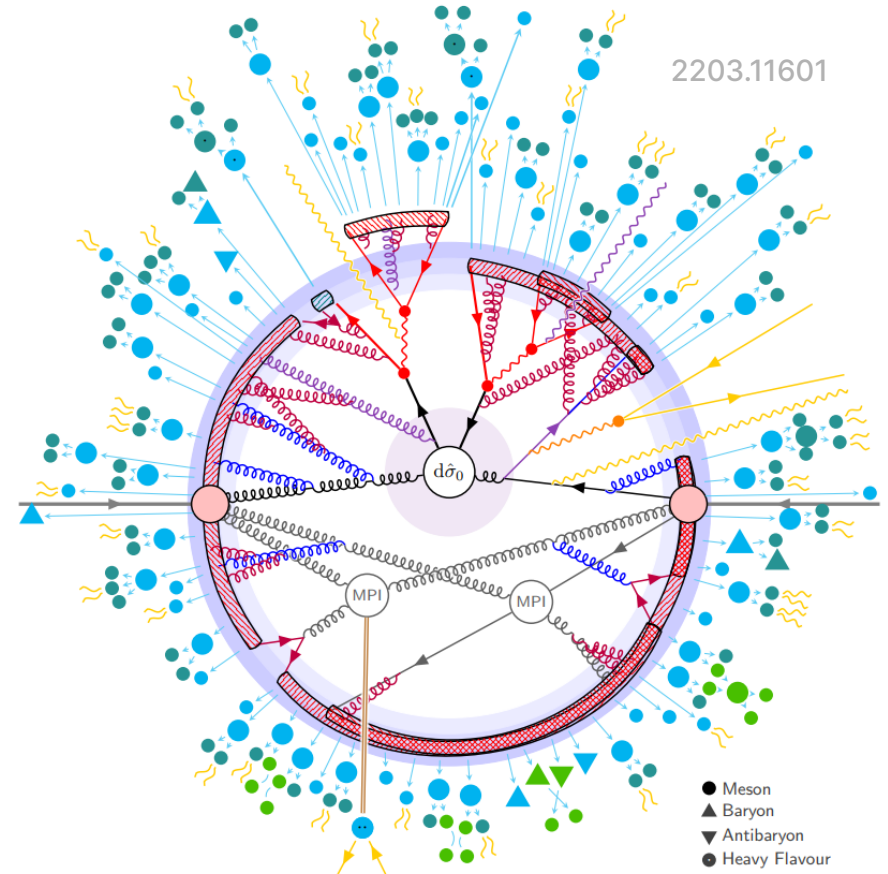
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Hadronization

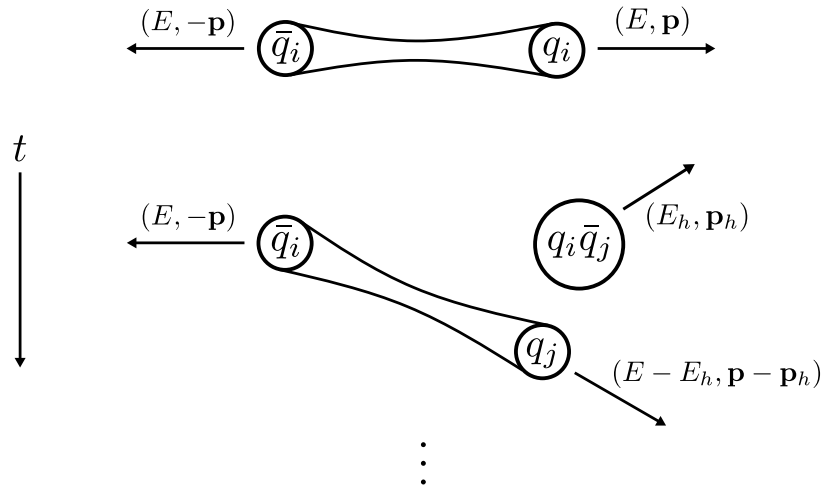
The conversion of a partonic system consisting of quarks, anti-quarks, and gluons ($q\bar{q}$, $qg\bar{q}$, gg , qqq , $qq\bar{q}\bar{q}$, $qqqgg$, ...) to a final state consisting of hadrons (h_1, h_2, \dots, h_n).



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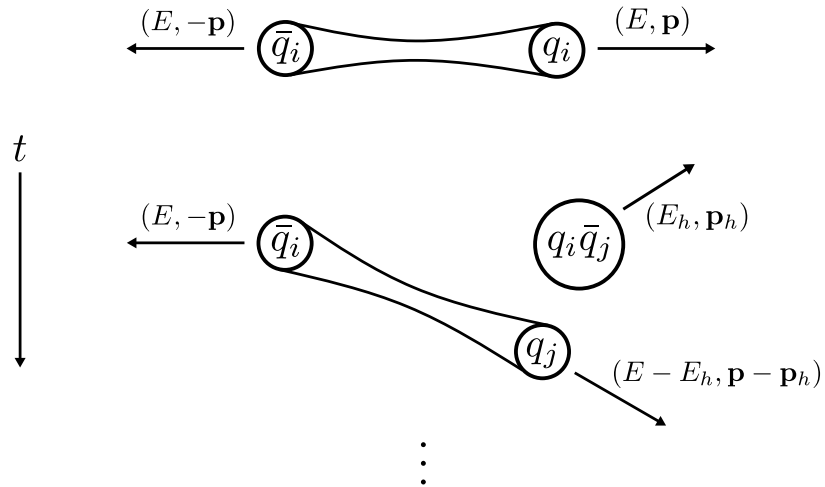
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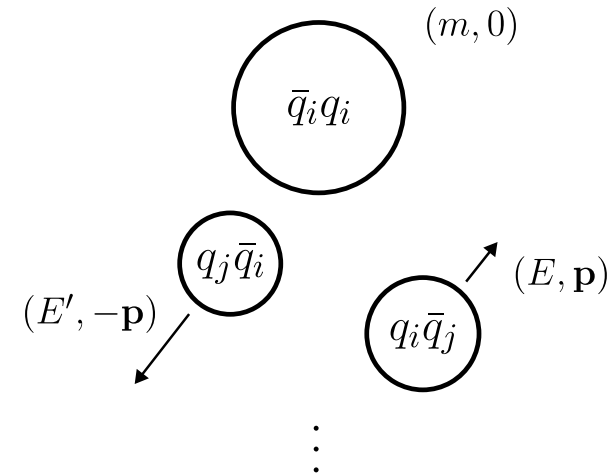
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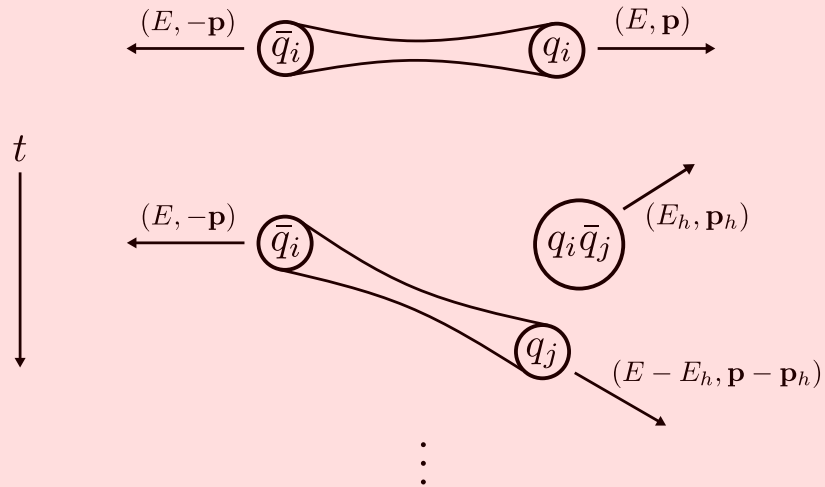
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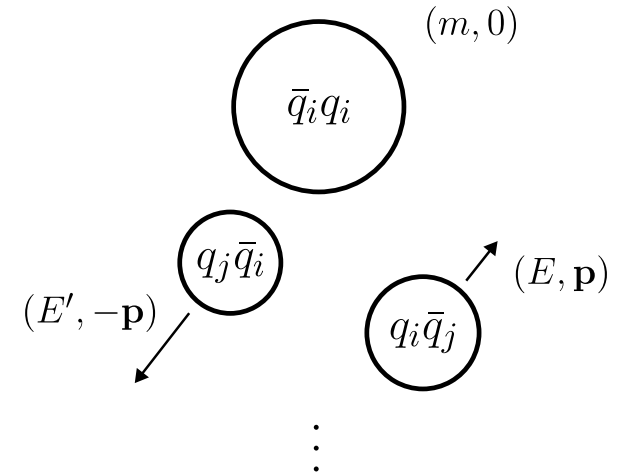
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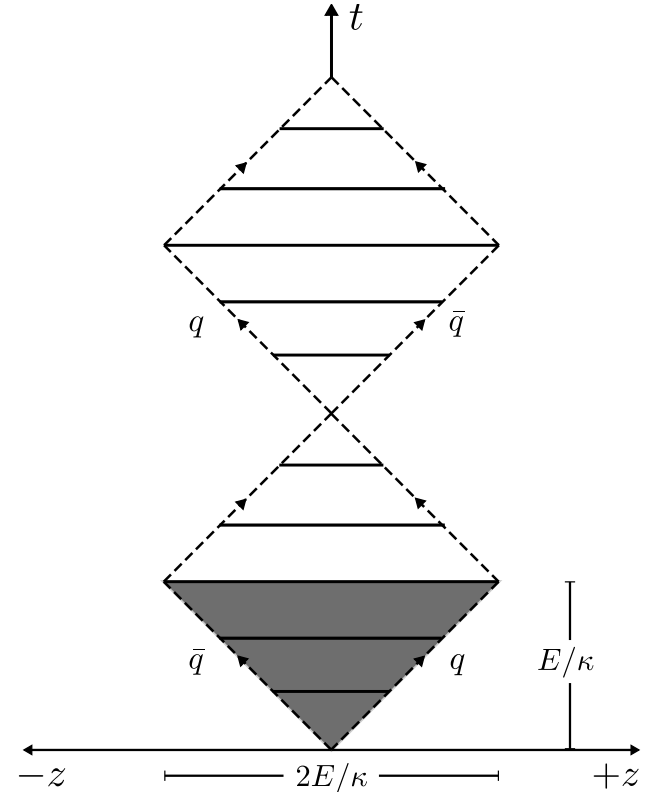
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Treat this as a semi-classical system with potential

$$V(r) = \kappa r$$

A color flux tube forms between the $q\bar{q}$ pair and in the absence of string breaks the system follows a 'yo-yo' motion



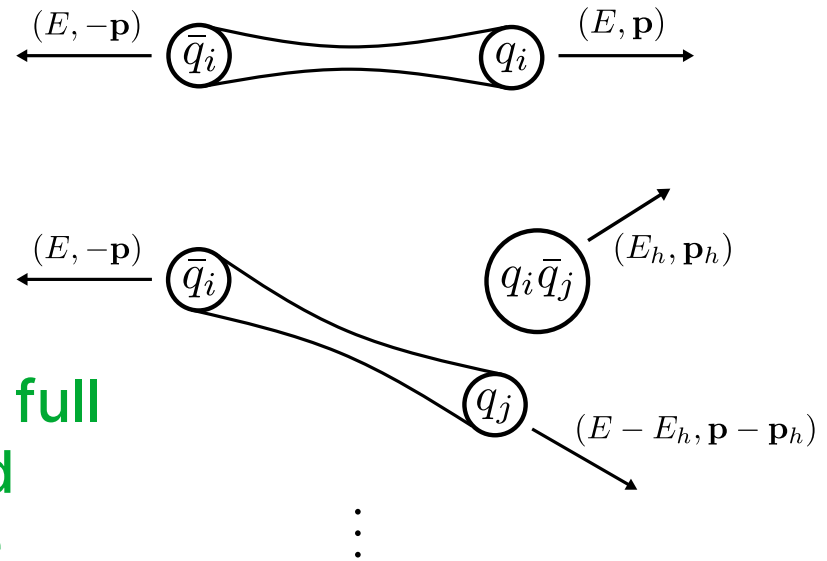
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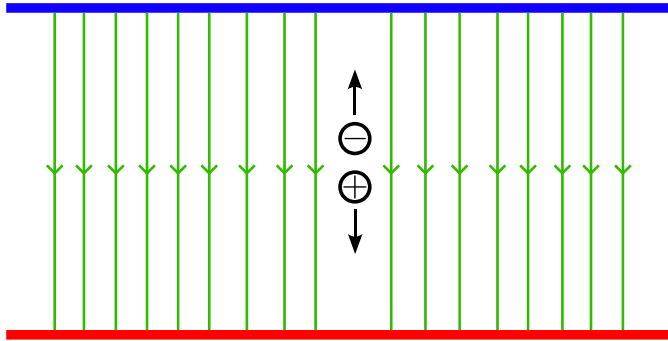
Causally disconnected fragmentations: the full hadronization event can be understood and implemented from the dynamics of a single emission



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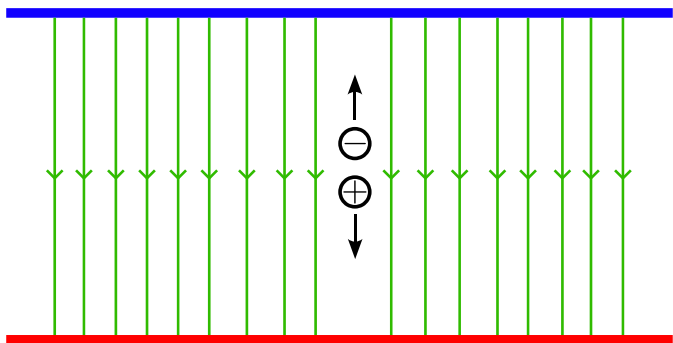
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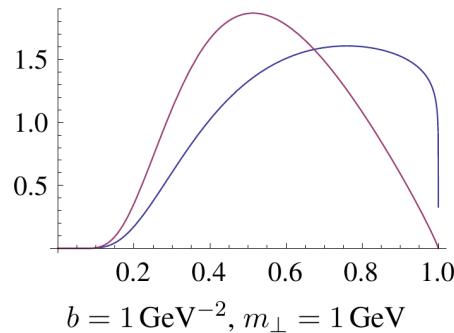
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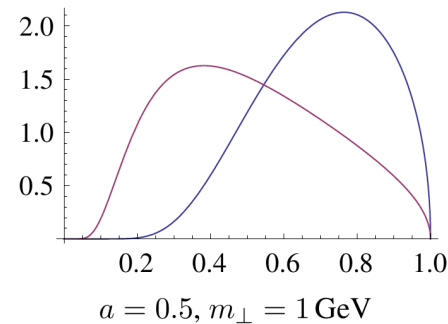
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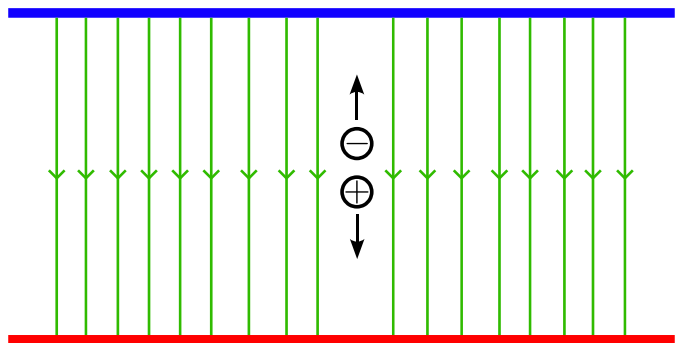
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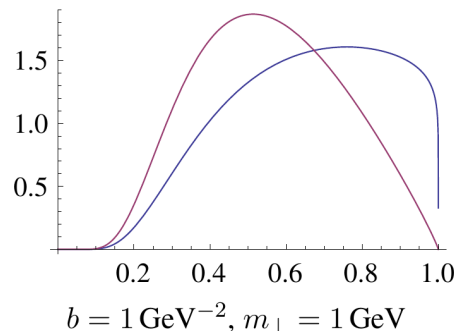
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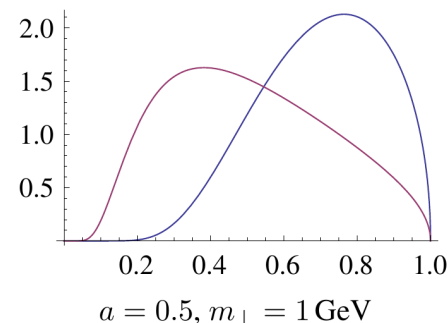
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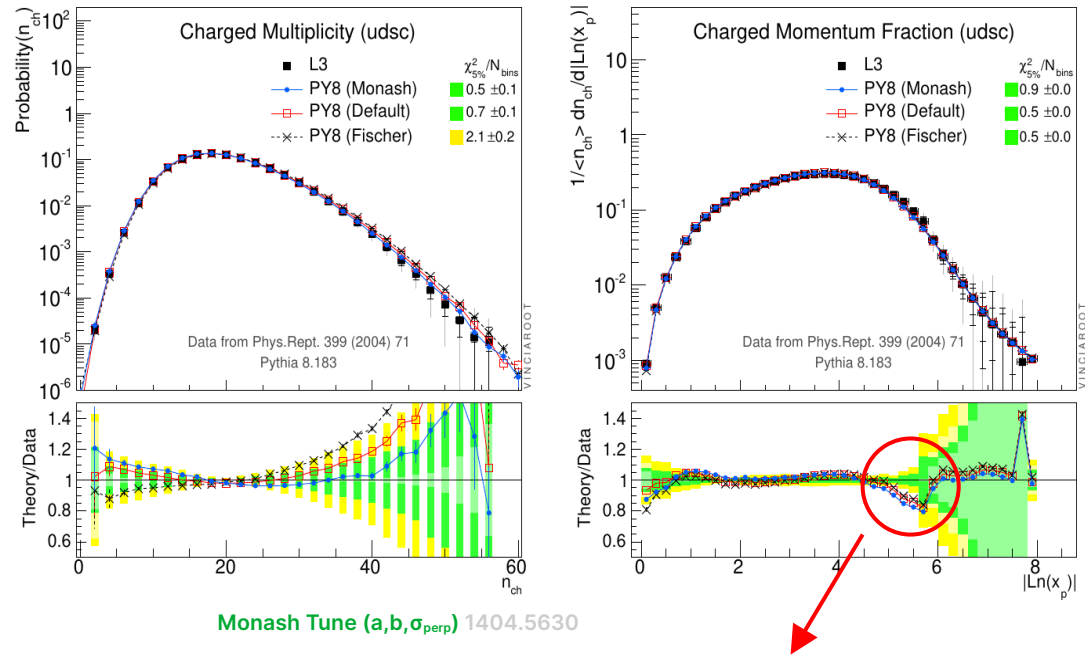


Tuning

Model parameters must be tuned on experimental observables.

Hadronization parameters a, b , and σ_{pT} are tuned using event shape variables + multiplicity and momentum fraction distributions from LEP (L3).

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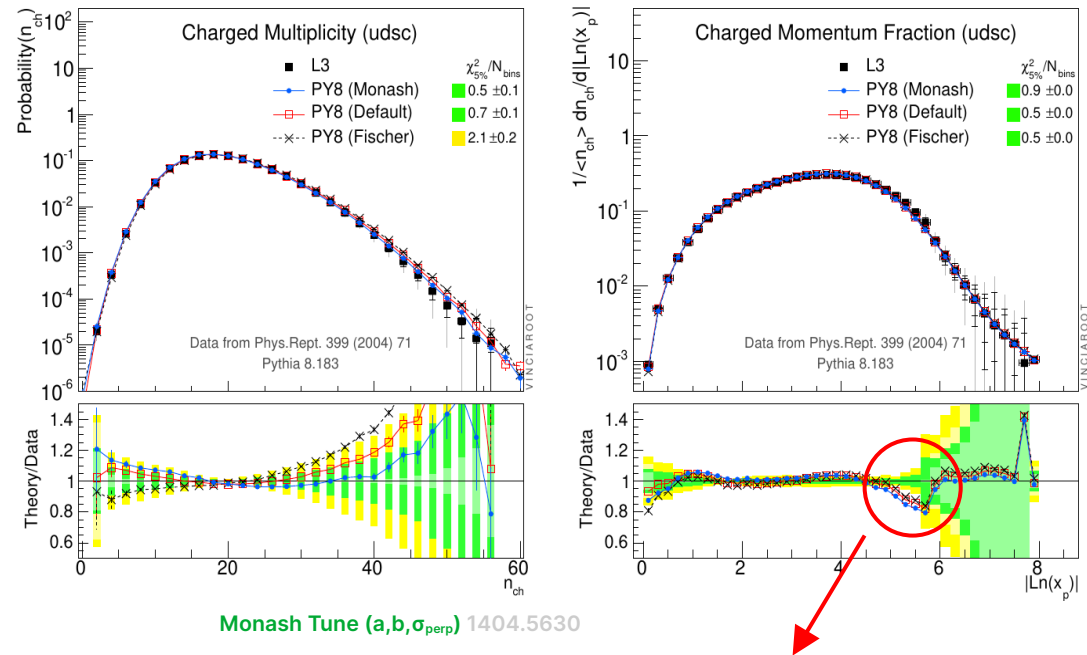
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Promotes two lines of investigation:

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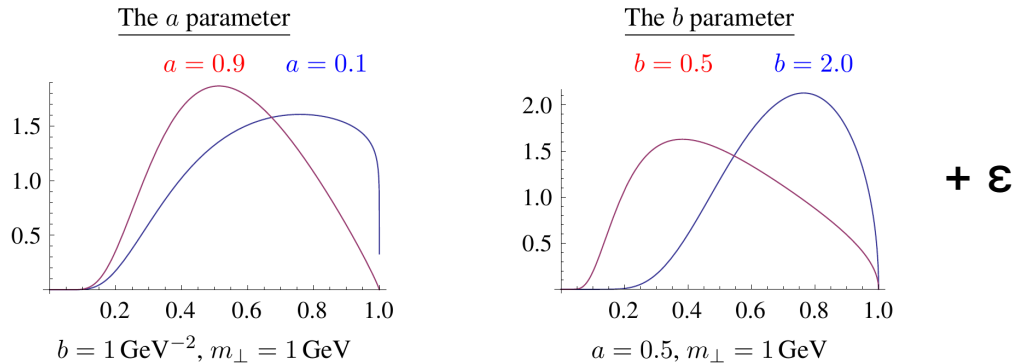
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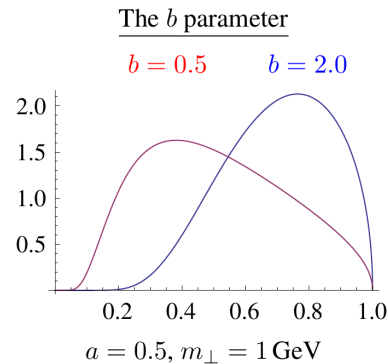
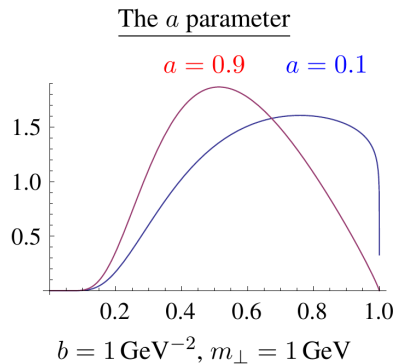
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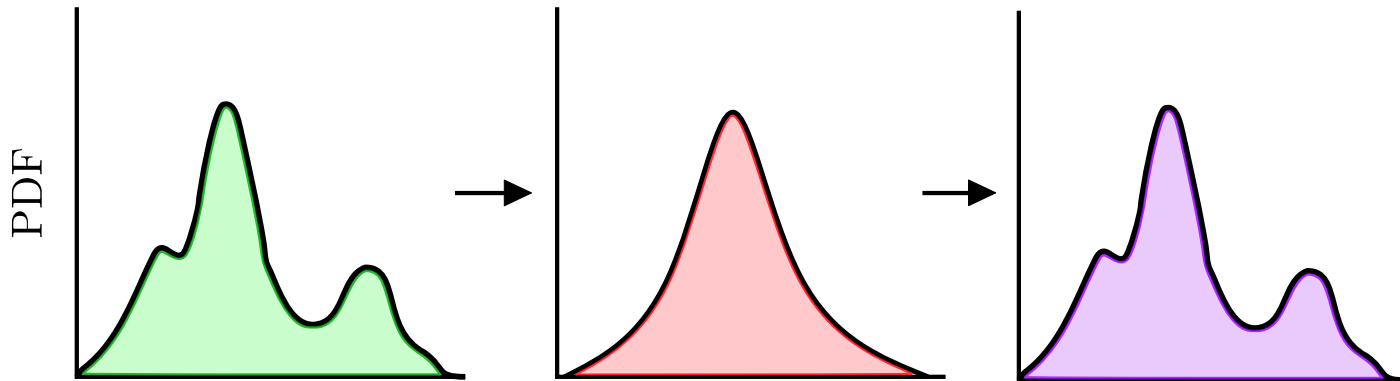
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A) A ML model of hadronization

To make any headway we need a tool which will allow us to efficiently sample probability distributions whose analytic form is unknown.

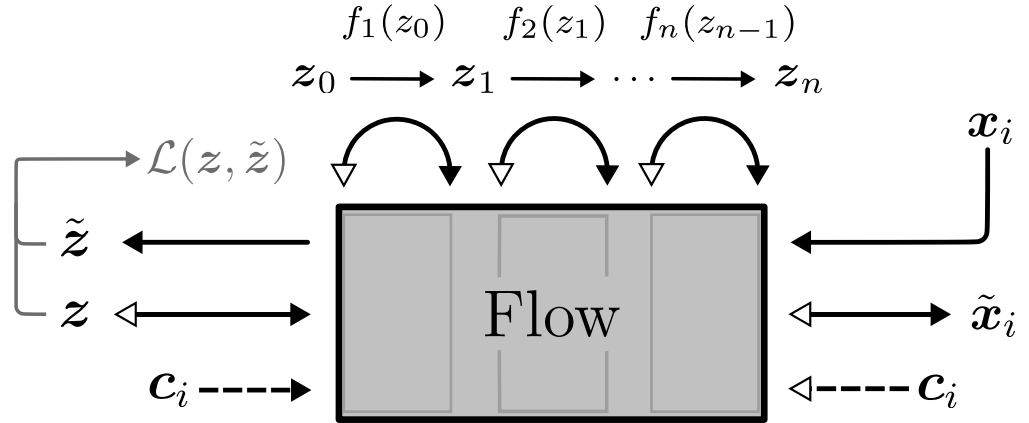
Generative machine learning algorithms are the perfect tool



Invertible neural networks (INN)

a.k.a normalizing flow

Learn a composition of n independent bijective transformations that relate a probability distribution $p_Z(z)$ on latent space Z to the target distribution $p_X(x)$ on target space X .



The probability distribution for the random variable $x = f(z)$ is given by

$$p_X^f(x) = p_Z(z) |\det J_f(z)|^{-1}$$

$$J_f = \partial f / \partial x$$

For n iterative transformations:

$$p_X^F(x) = p_Z(z_0) \prod_{i=1}^n |\det J_{f_i}(z_{i-1})|^{-1}$$

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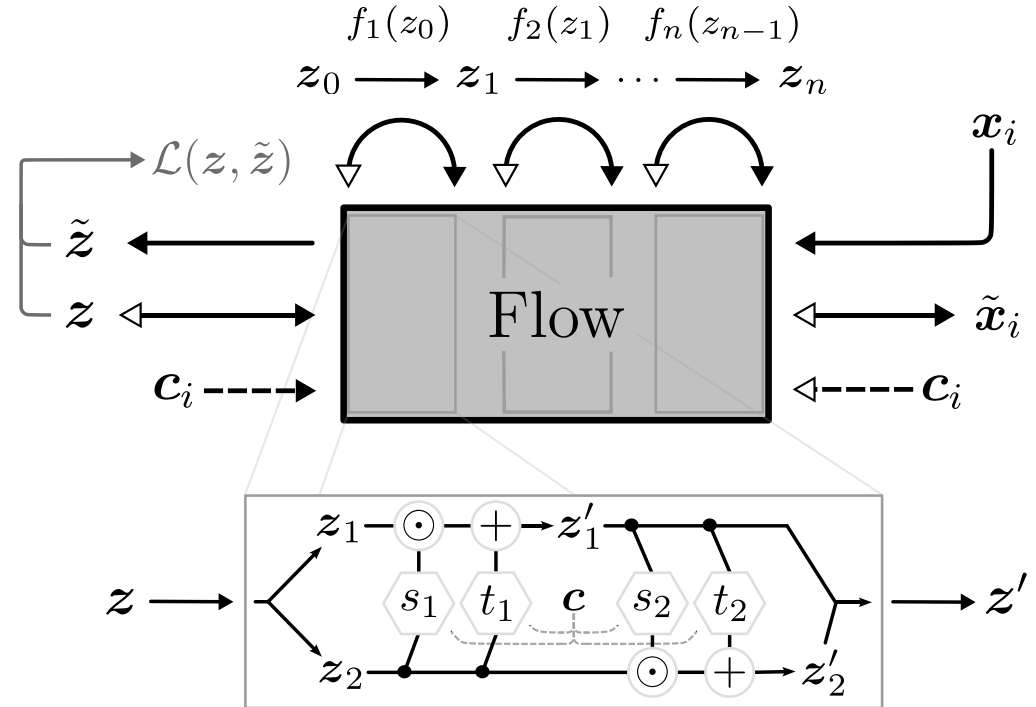
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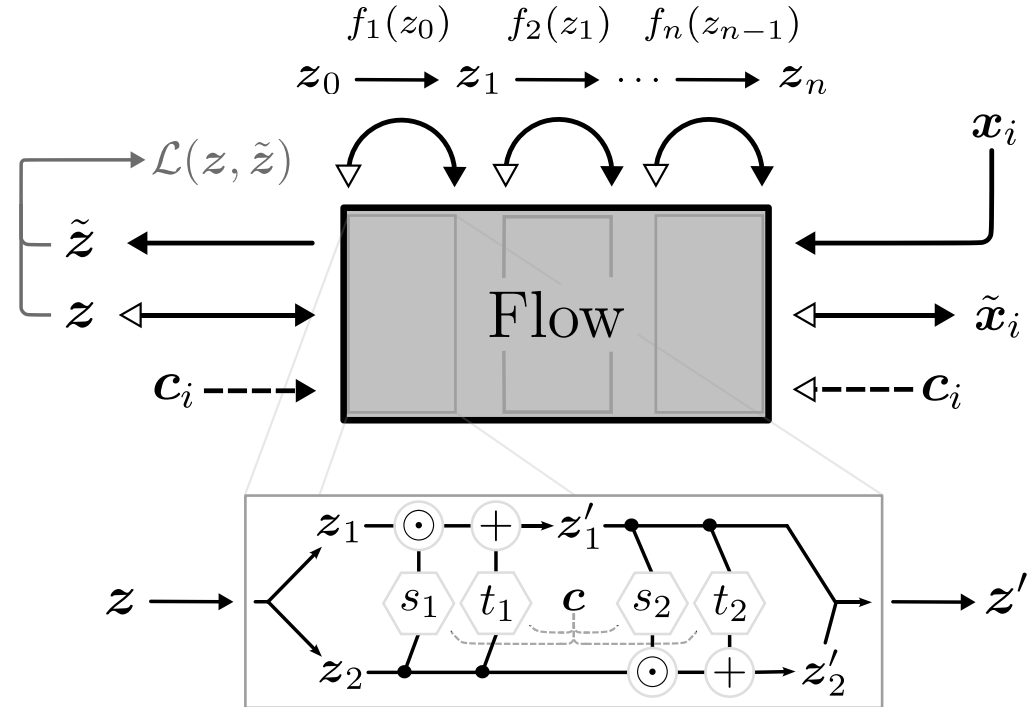
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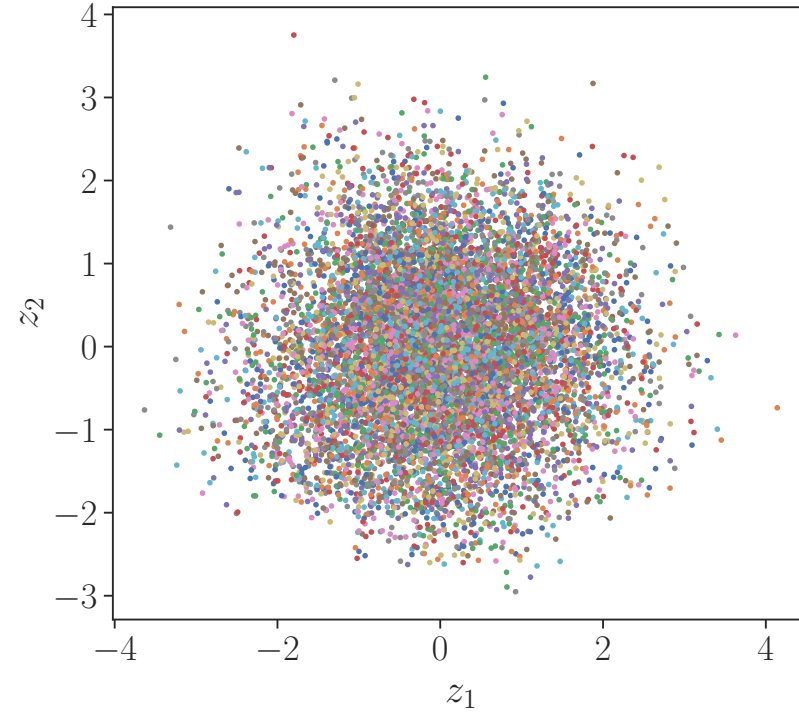
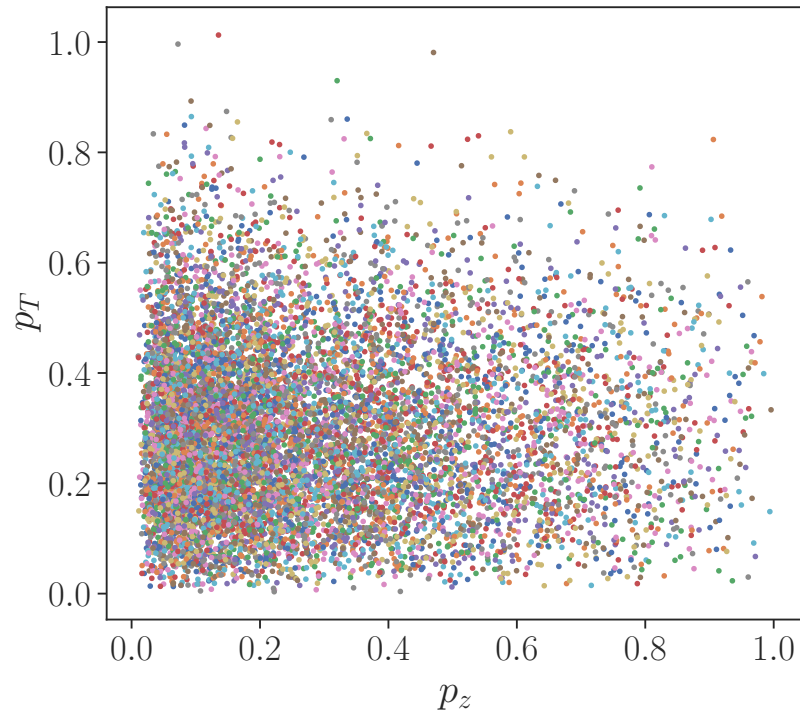
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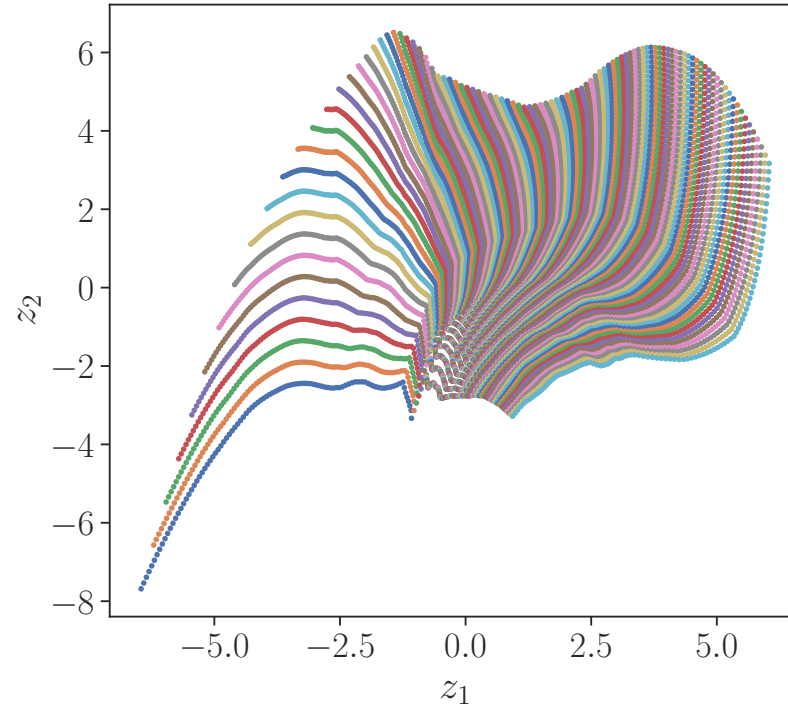
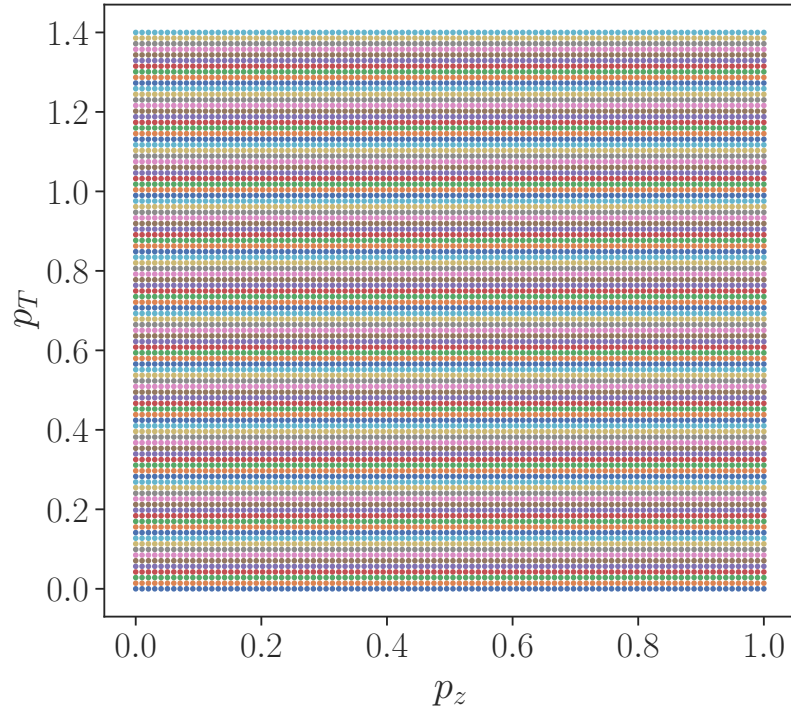
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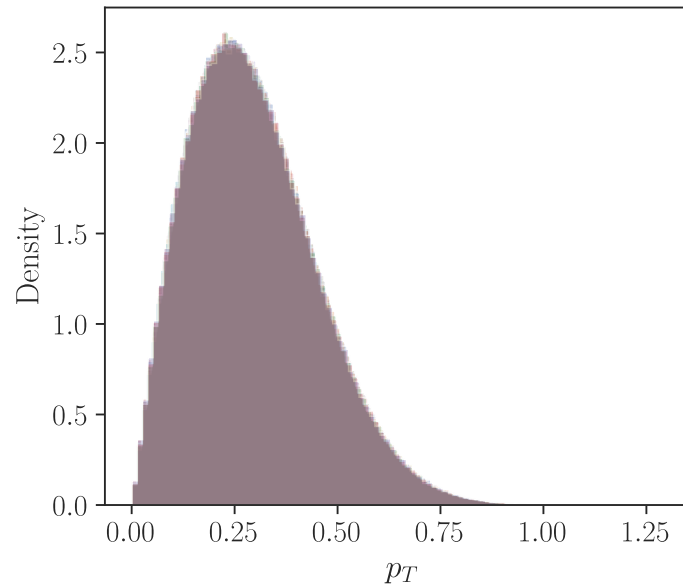
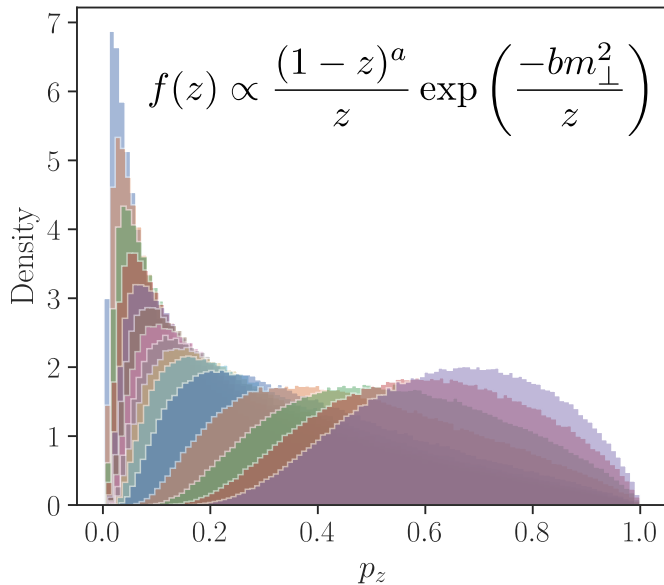


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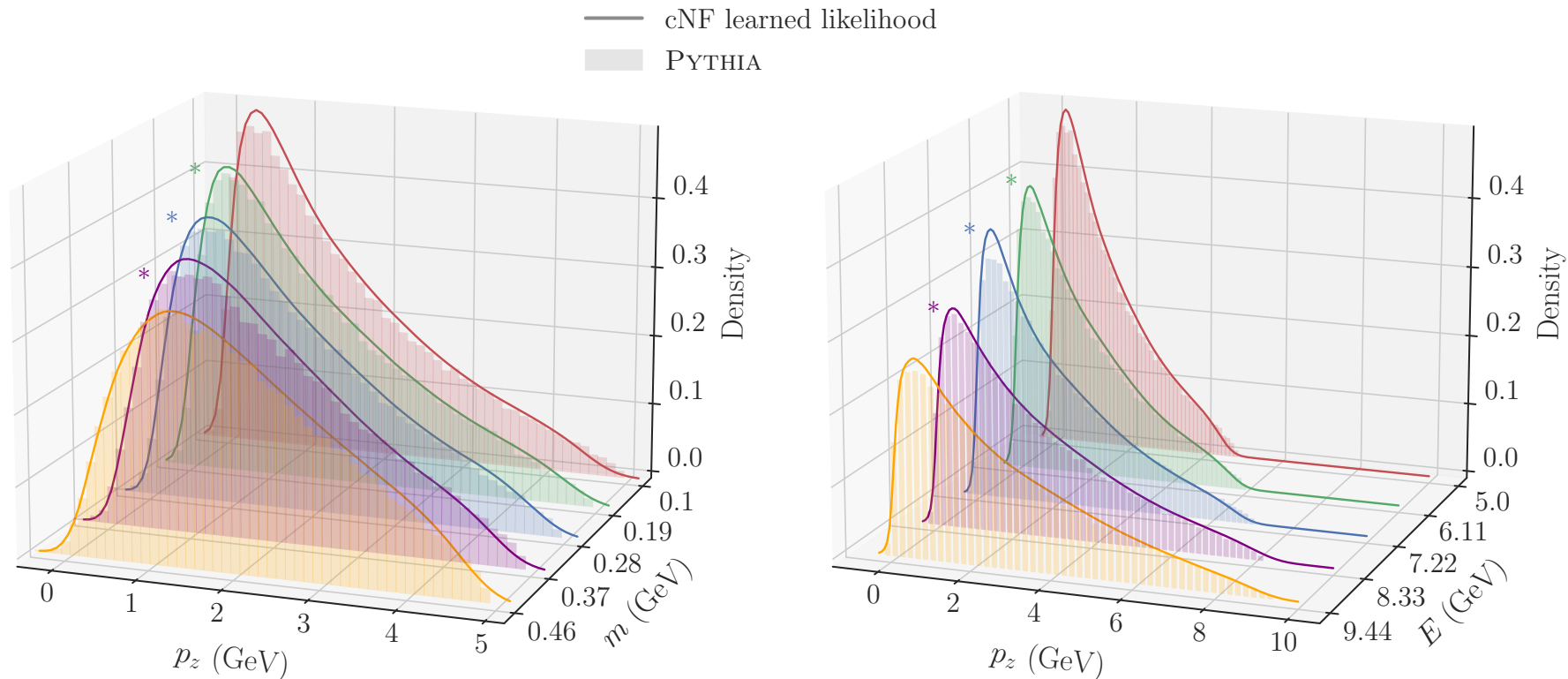
Training data

The implementation of full hadronization event using single emission kinematics requires an independent p_T sampling followed by a p_T -dependent sampling of p_z sampling (due to the dependence of $f(z)$ of transverse mass).

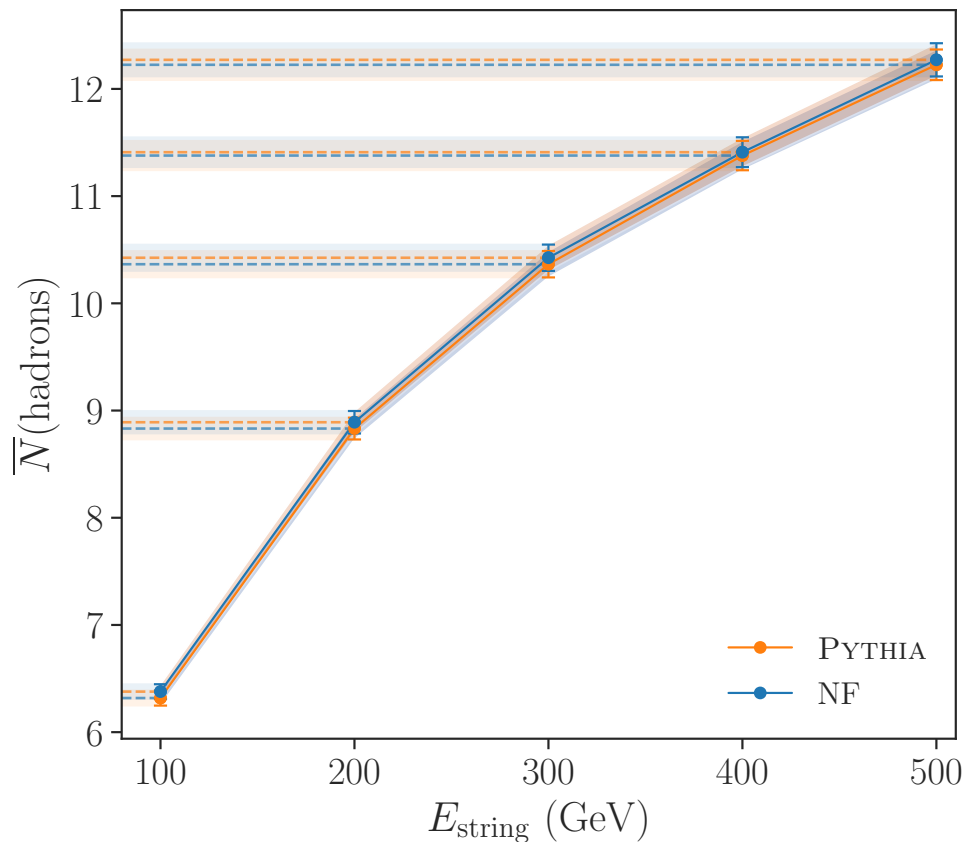
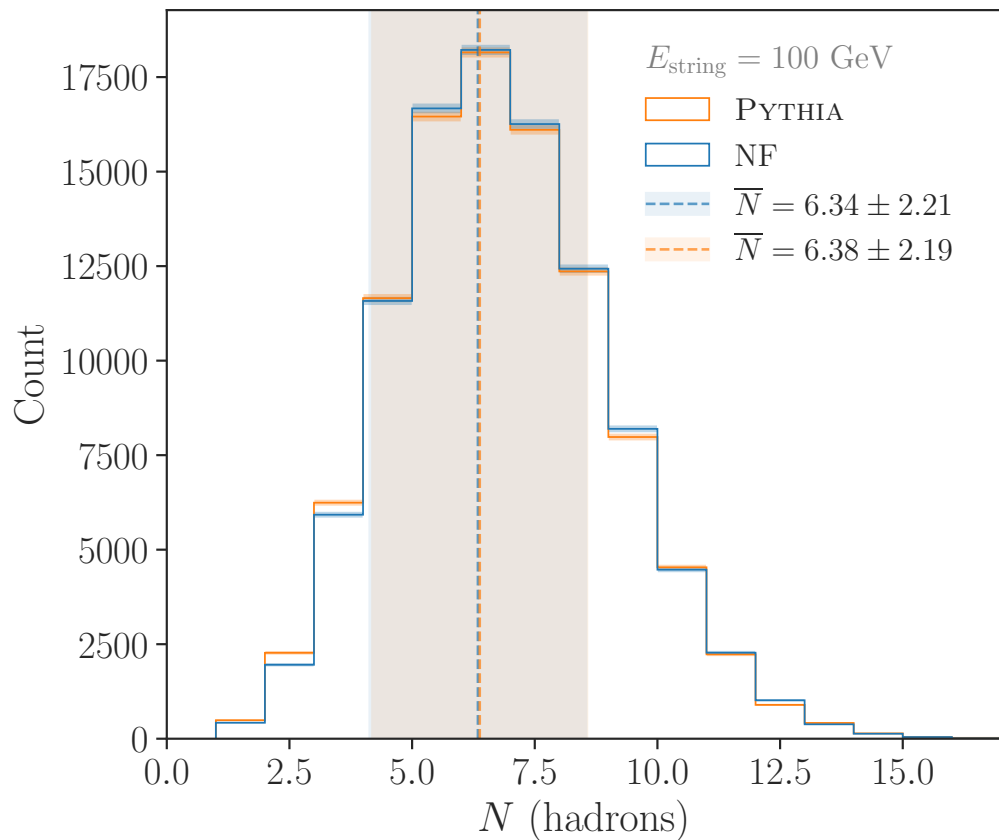


Generate Pythia $q\bar{q} \rightarrow h$ events, first with no p_T kicks at different values of the hadron mass, record p_z . Generate events again, with kicks turned on, record p_T .

Validation: single emission kinematics



Validation: global observable (hadron multiplicity N)



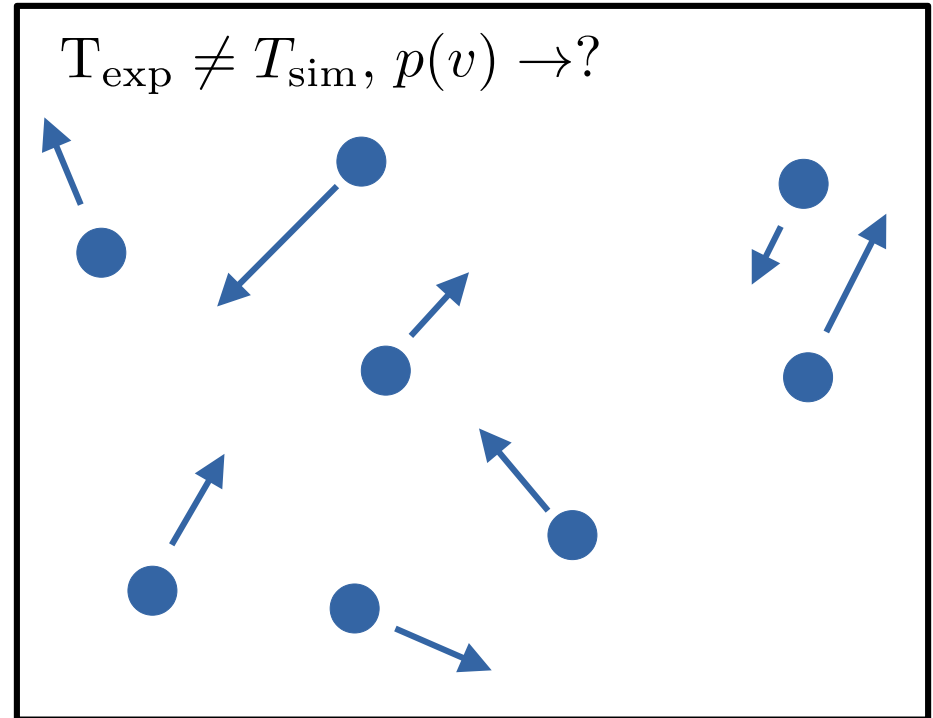
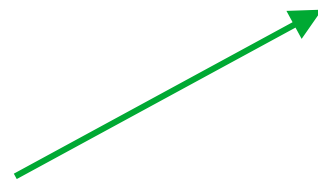
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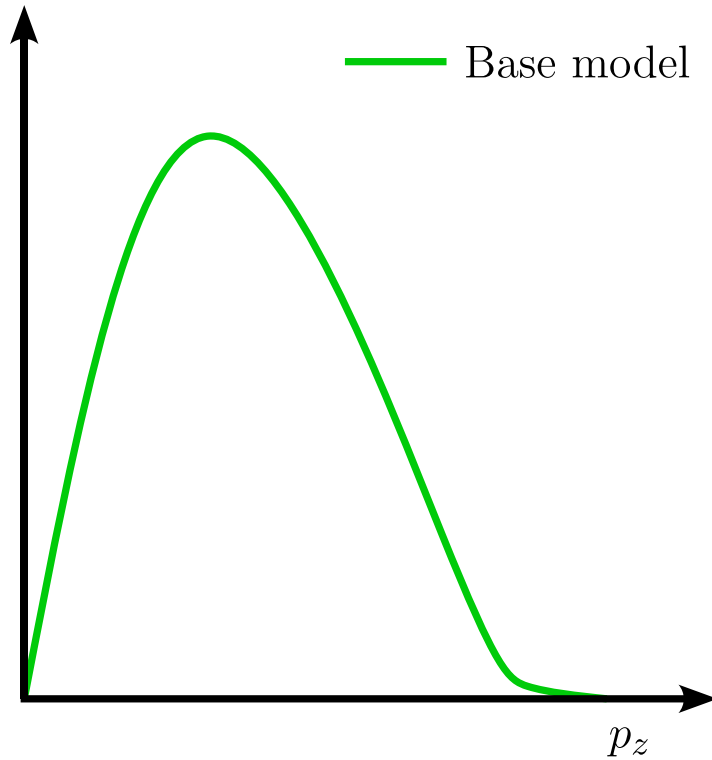
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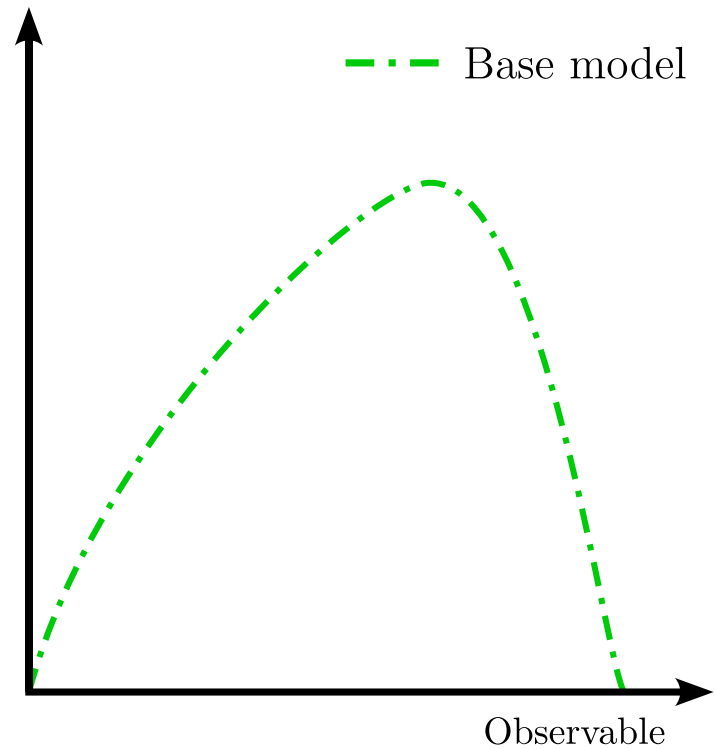
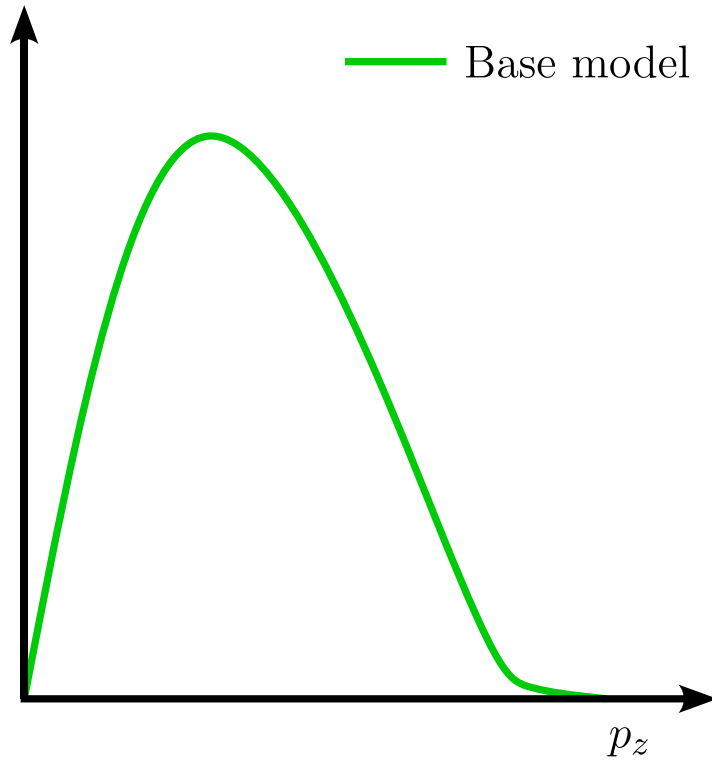
2) Fine tune

a) Perturb the p_z and p_T single emission distributions, generate and compare global observable distributions, iterate

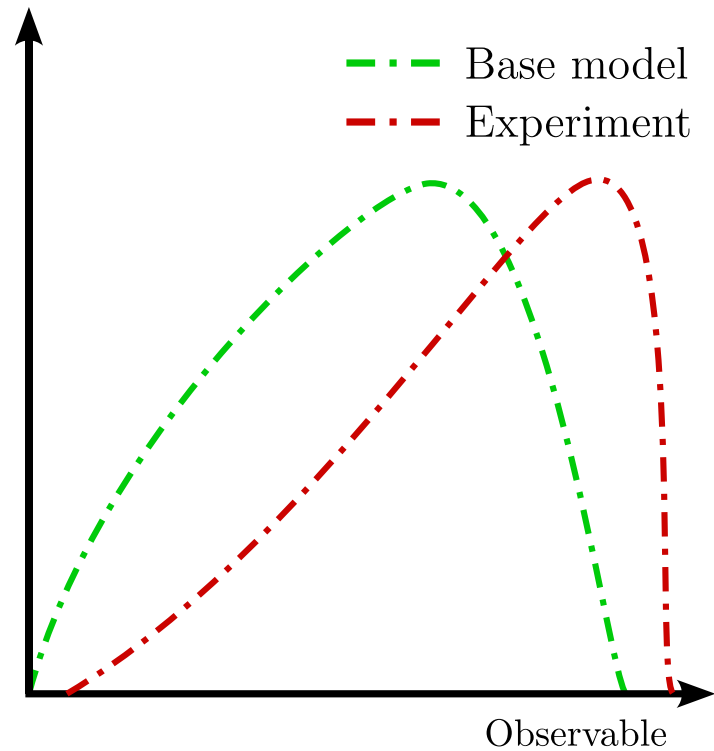
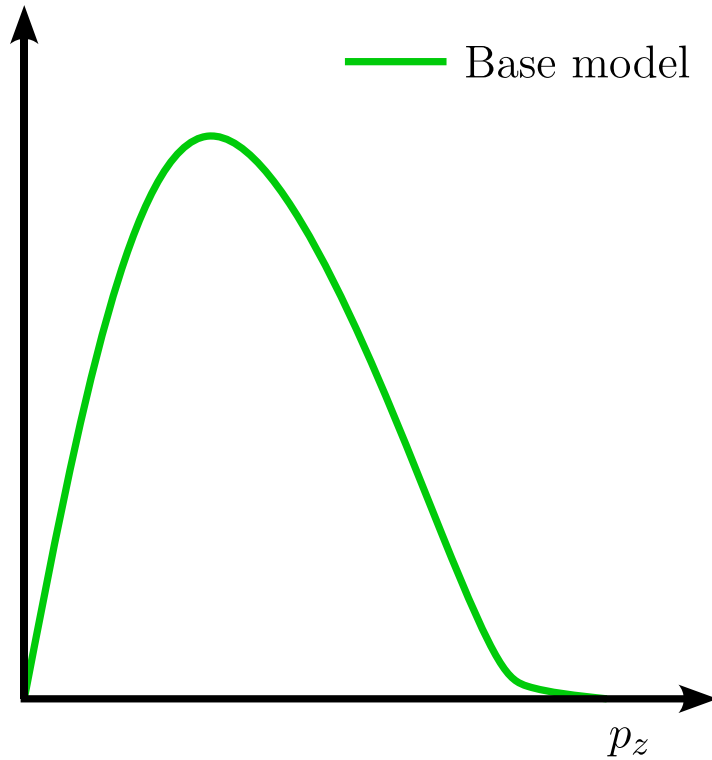
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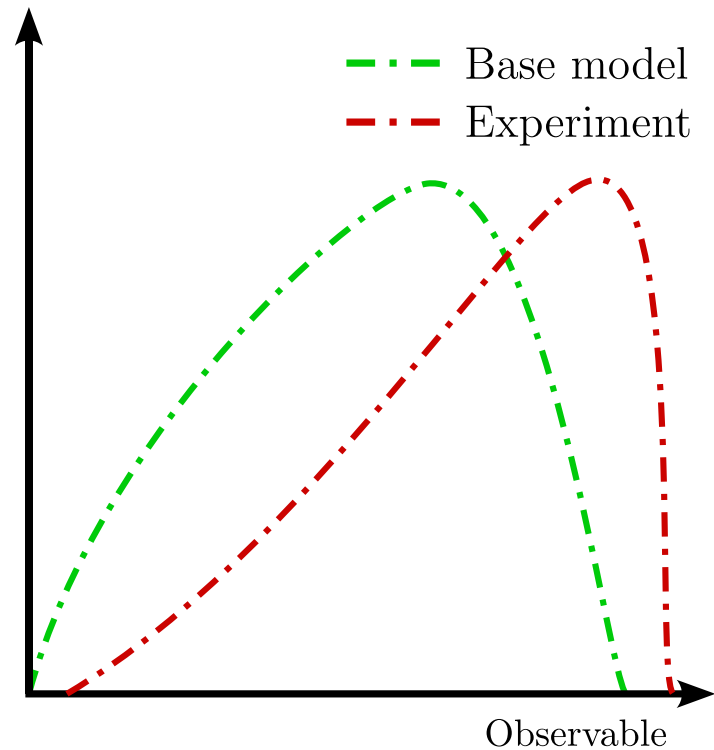
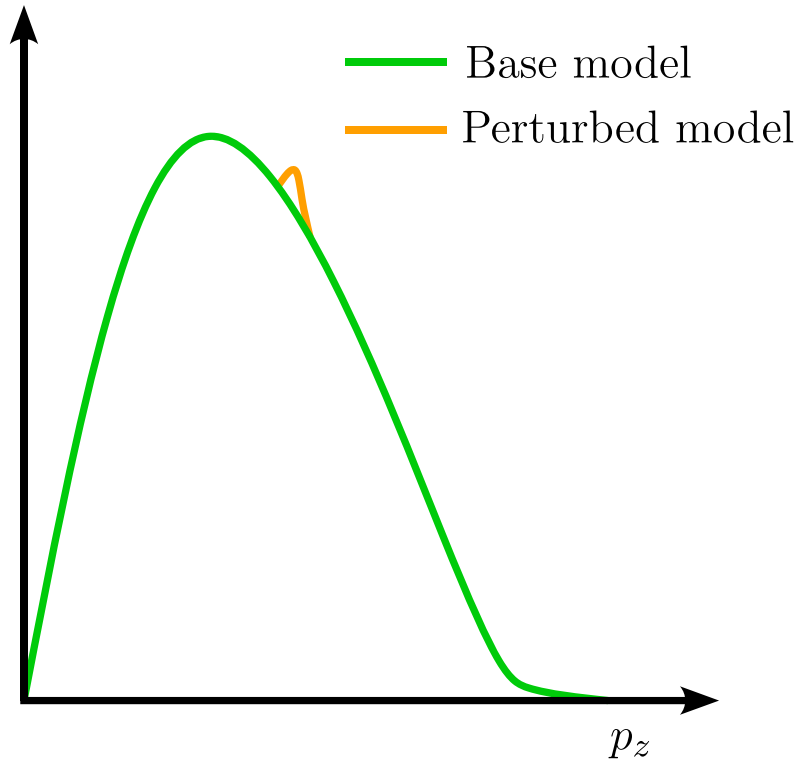
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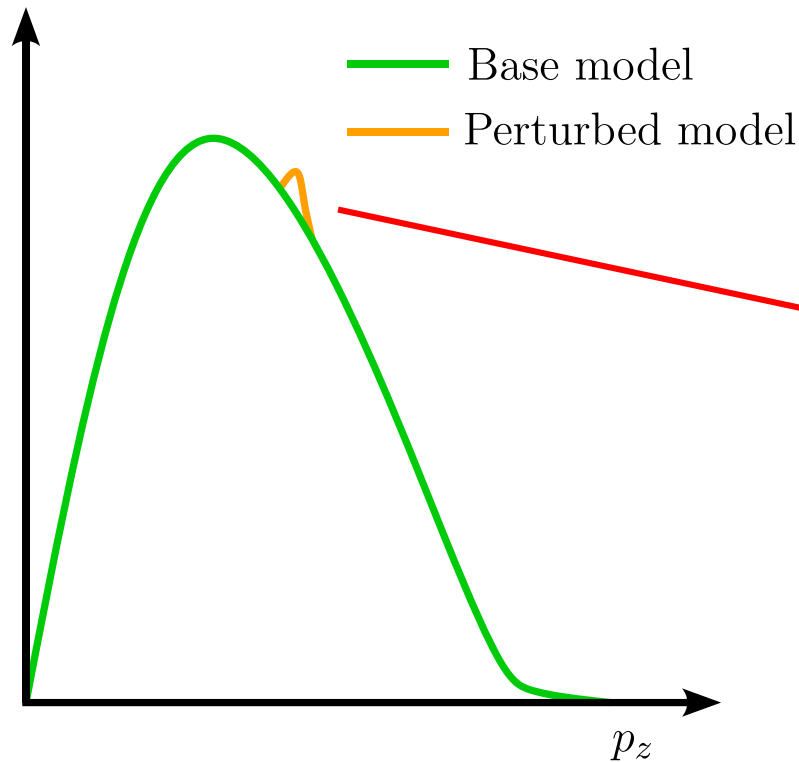
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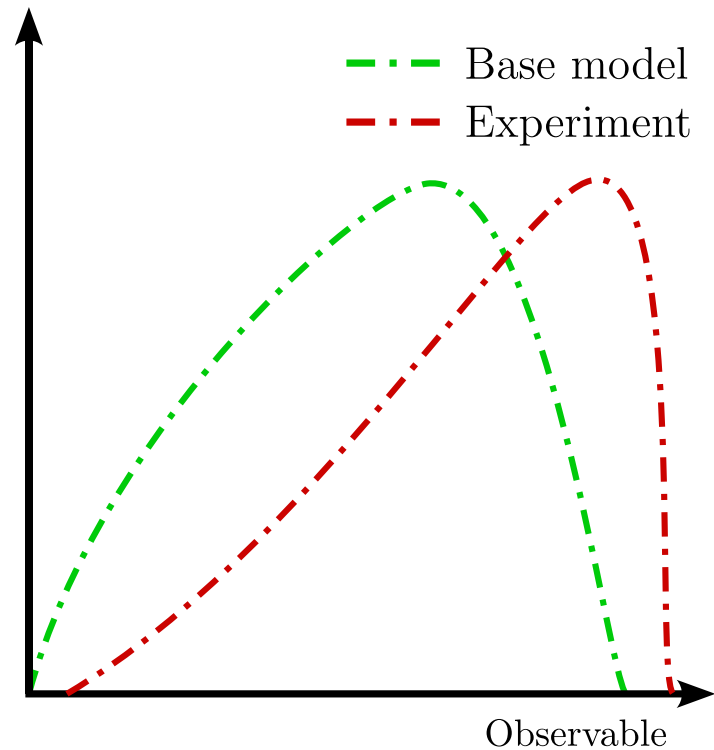
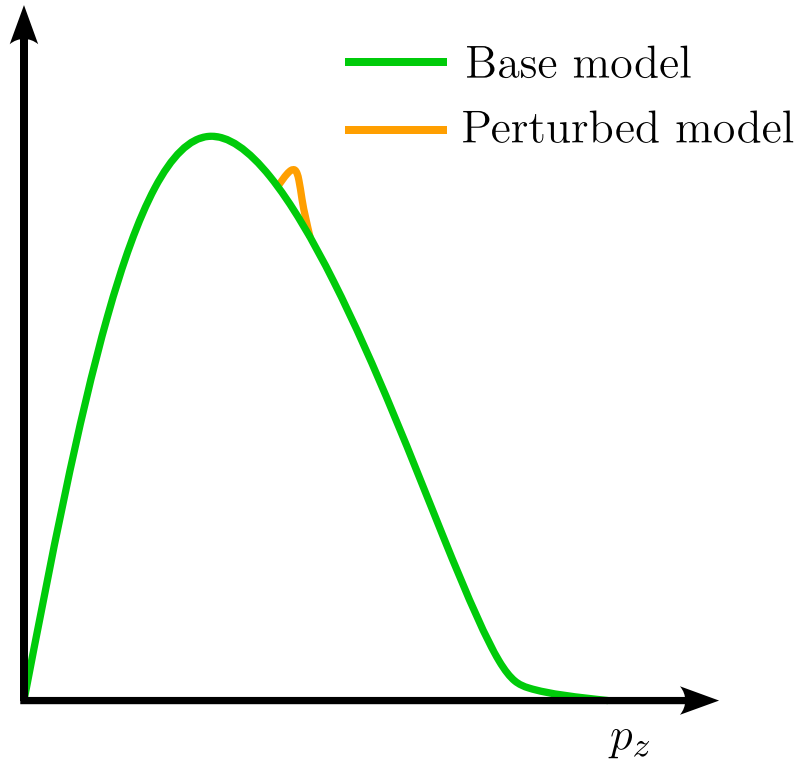


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This perturbation can, in principle, be linked to a change in the parameters of the INN affine coupling blocks i.e. the weights in one of the scale or translation MLPs

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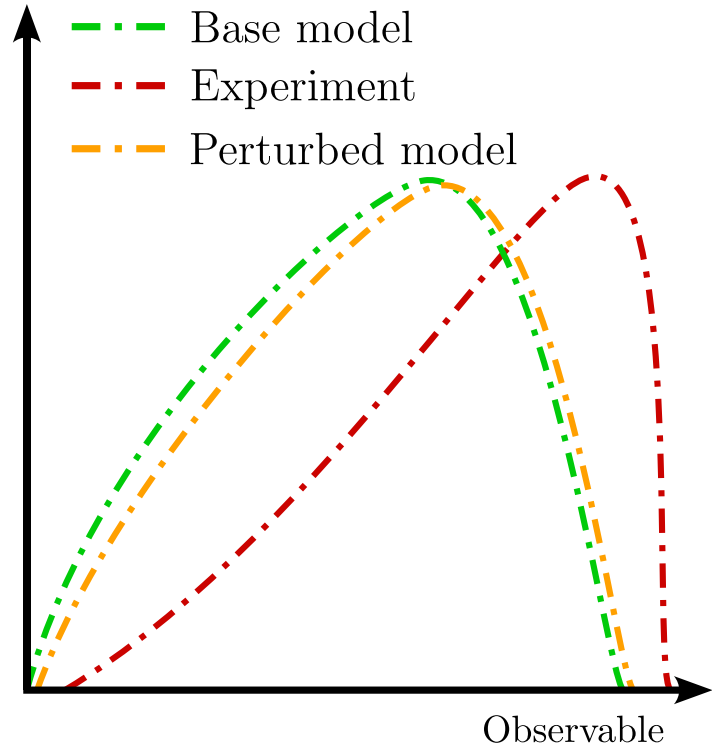
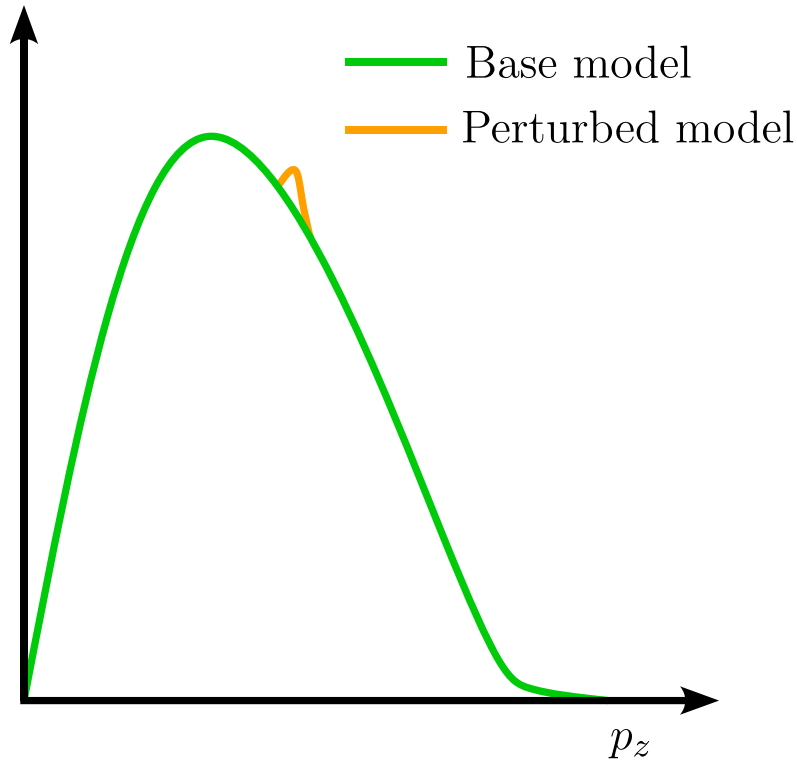
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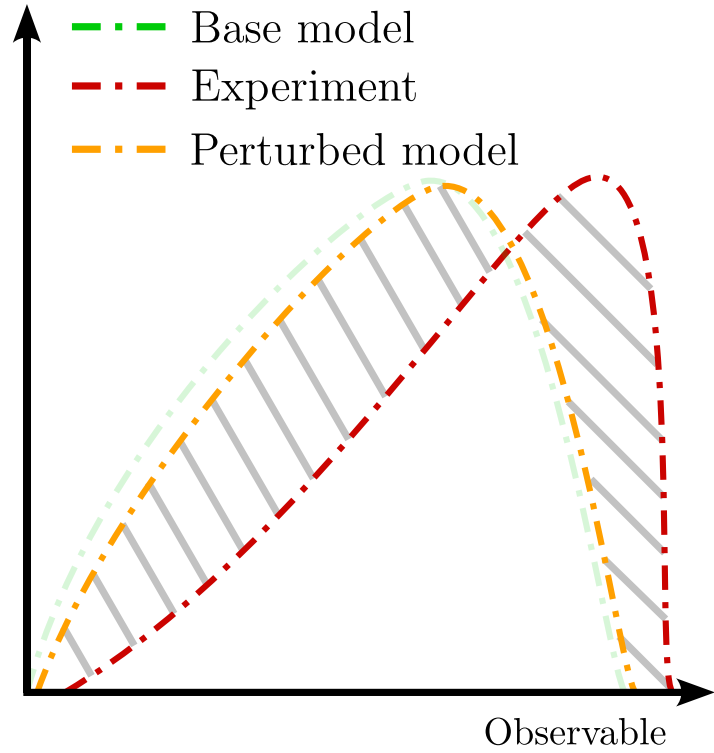
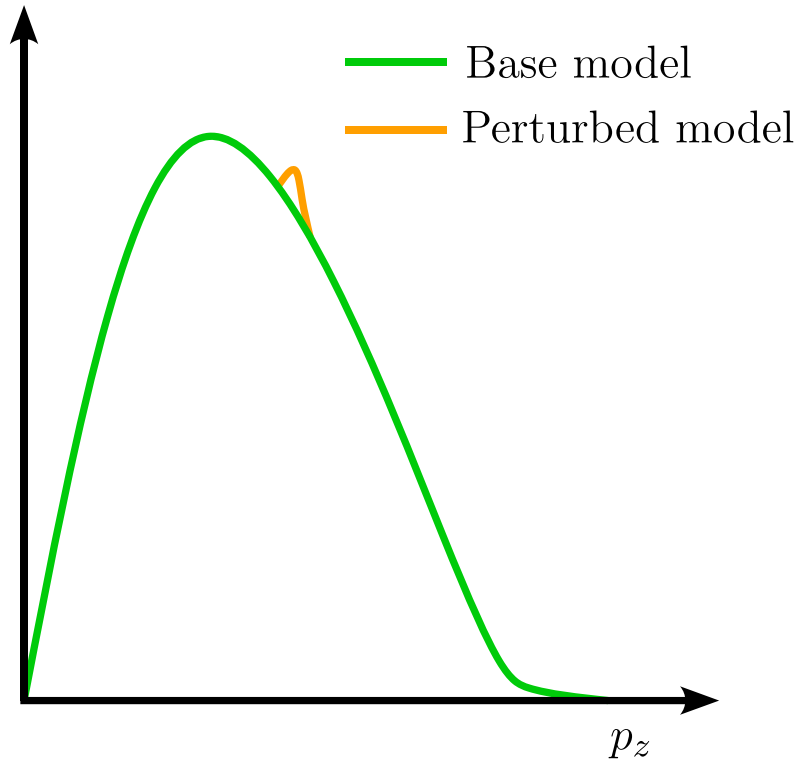
The solution:

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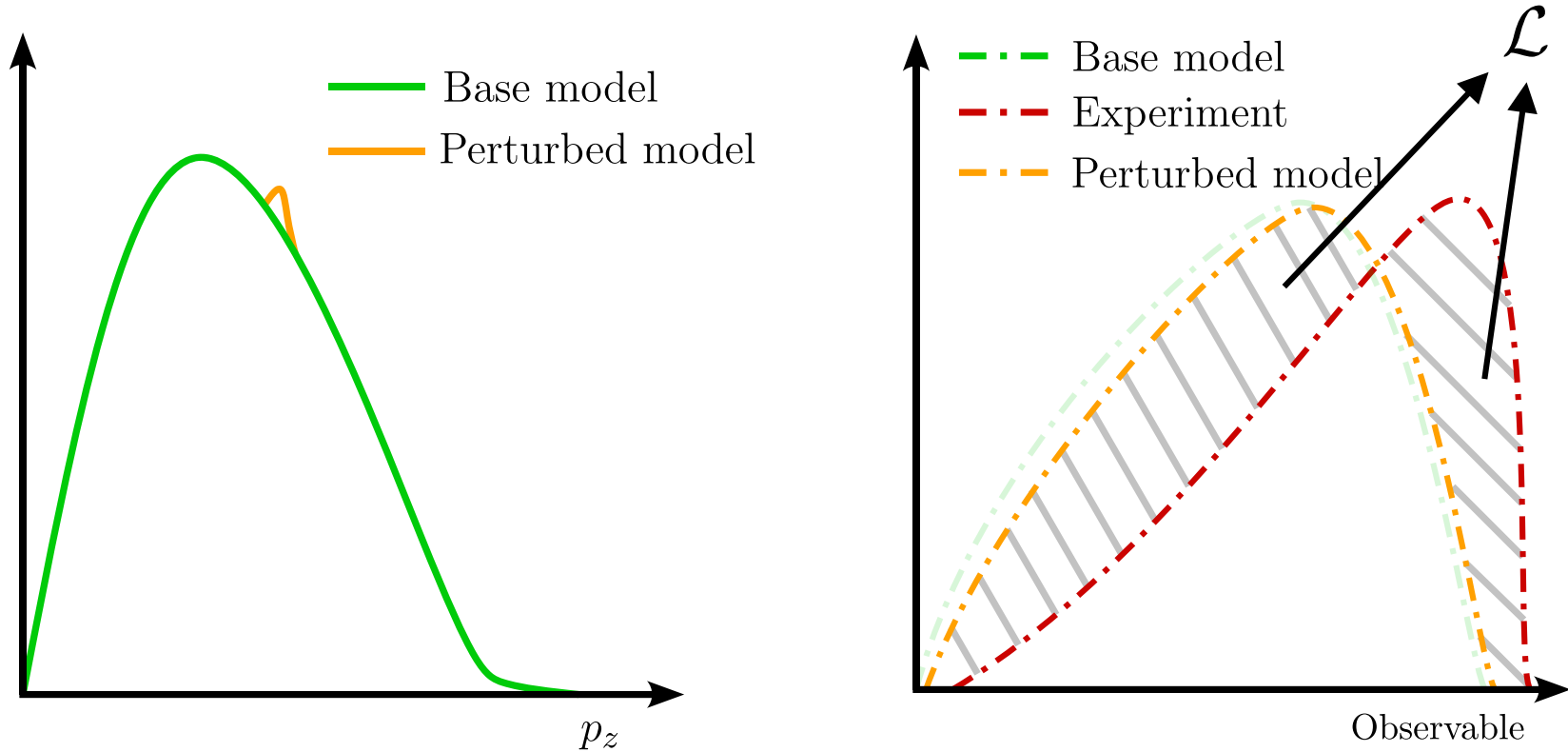
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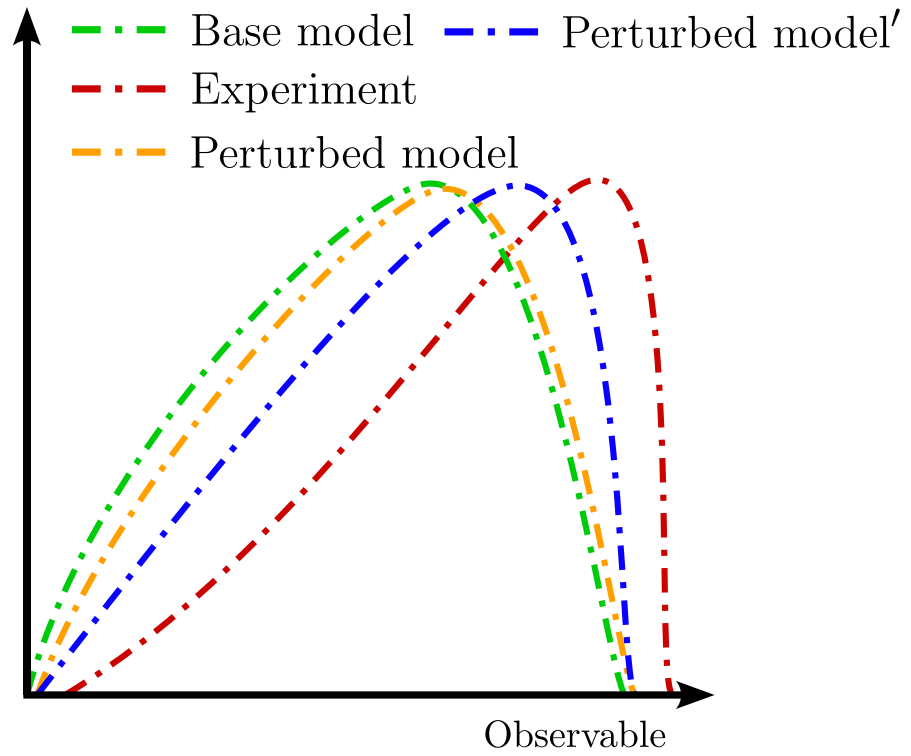
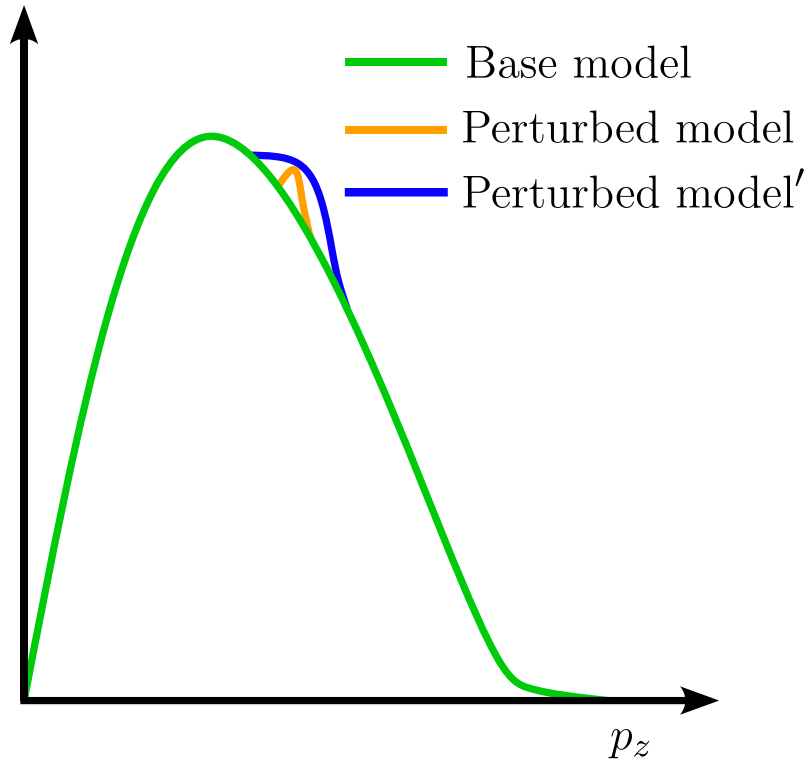
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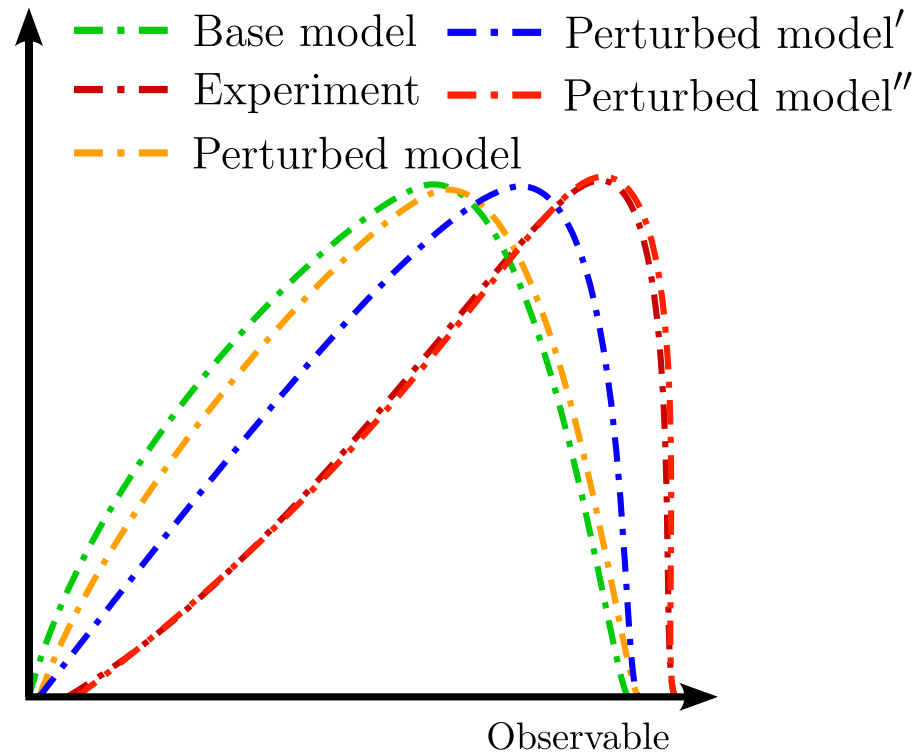
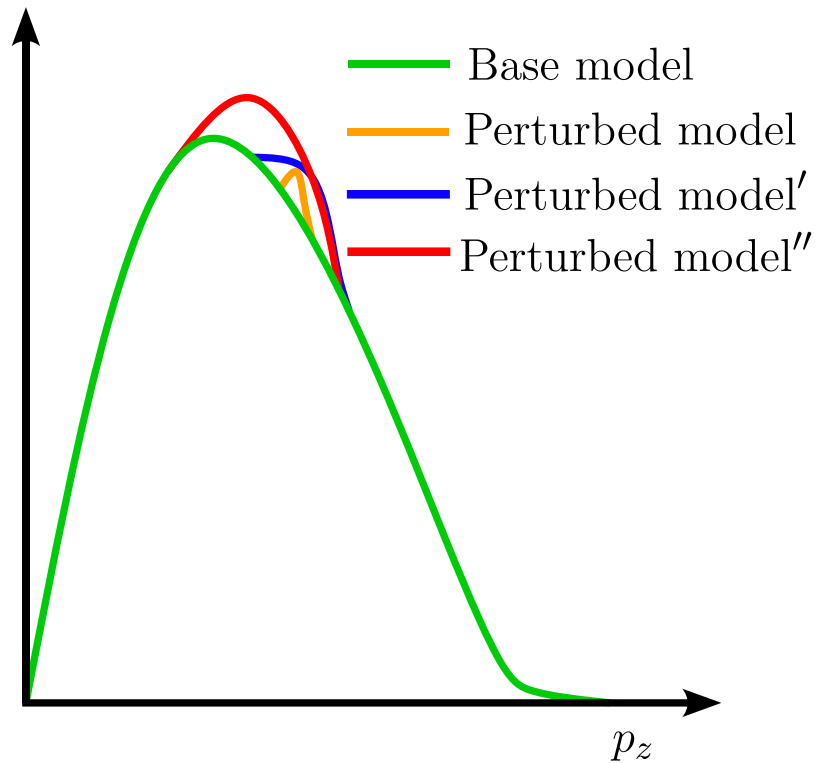
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Toy example

Three ingredients:

1. Event level observables Y^{sim} from base model simulated hadronization events
2. (p_z, p_T) values for all fragmentations in each simulated hadronization event
3. Event level observables Y^{exp} from experimental distributions

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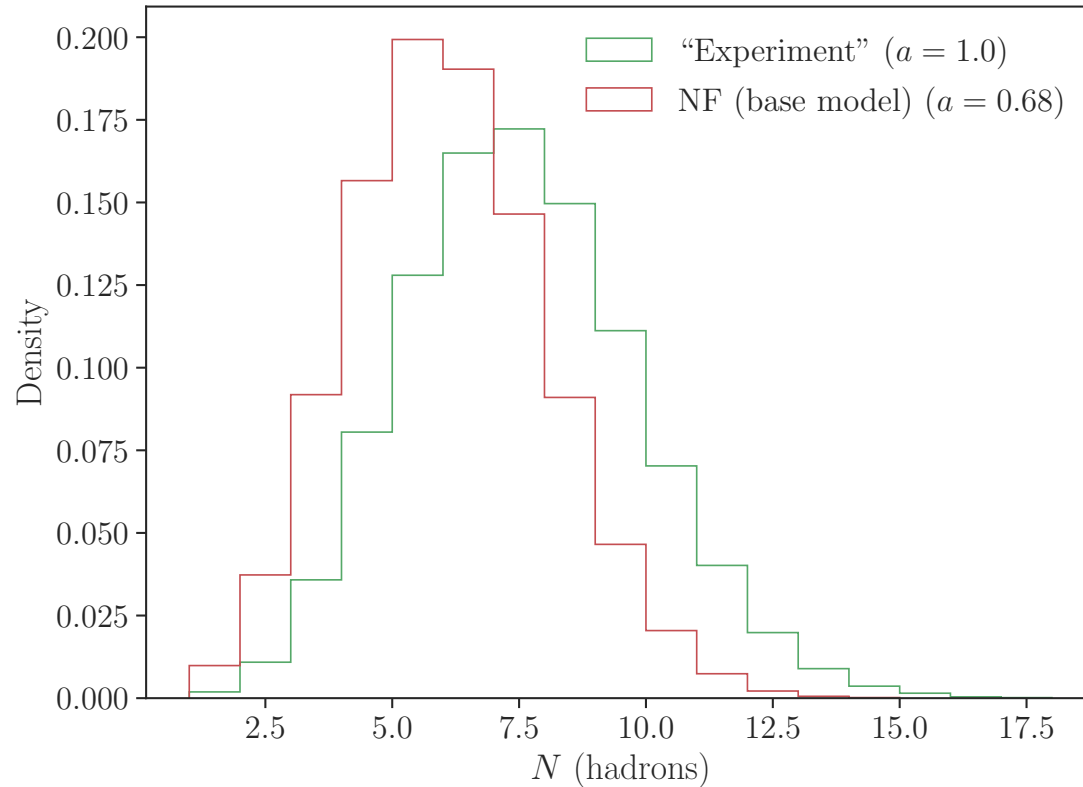
Use hadron multiplicity N as global event-level observable

$$\mathbf{X} = \begin{pmatrix} [\{p_z^{h_1}, p_T^{h_1}\}, \{p_z^{h_2}, p_T^{h_2}\}, \{p_z^{h_3}, p_T^{h_3}\}]_1 \\ [\{p_z^{h_1}, p_T^{h_1}\}, \{p_z^{h_2}, p_T^{h_2}\}, \{p_z^{h_3}, p_T^{h_3}\}, \{p_z^{h_4}, p_T^{h_4}\}, \{p_z^{h_5}, p_T^{h_5}\}]_2 \\ \vdots \\ [\{p_z^{h_1}, p_T^{h_1}\}, \{p_z^{h_2}, p_T^{h_2}\}]_n \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{Y}^{\text{sim}} = \begin{pmatrix} N_1 = 3 \\ N_2 = 5 \\ \vdots \\ N_n = 2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{Y}^{\text{exp}} = \begin{pmatrix} N_1 = 7 \\ N_2 = 3 \\ \vdots \\ N_n = 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

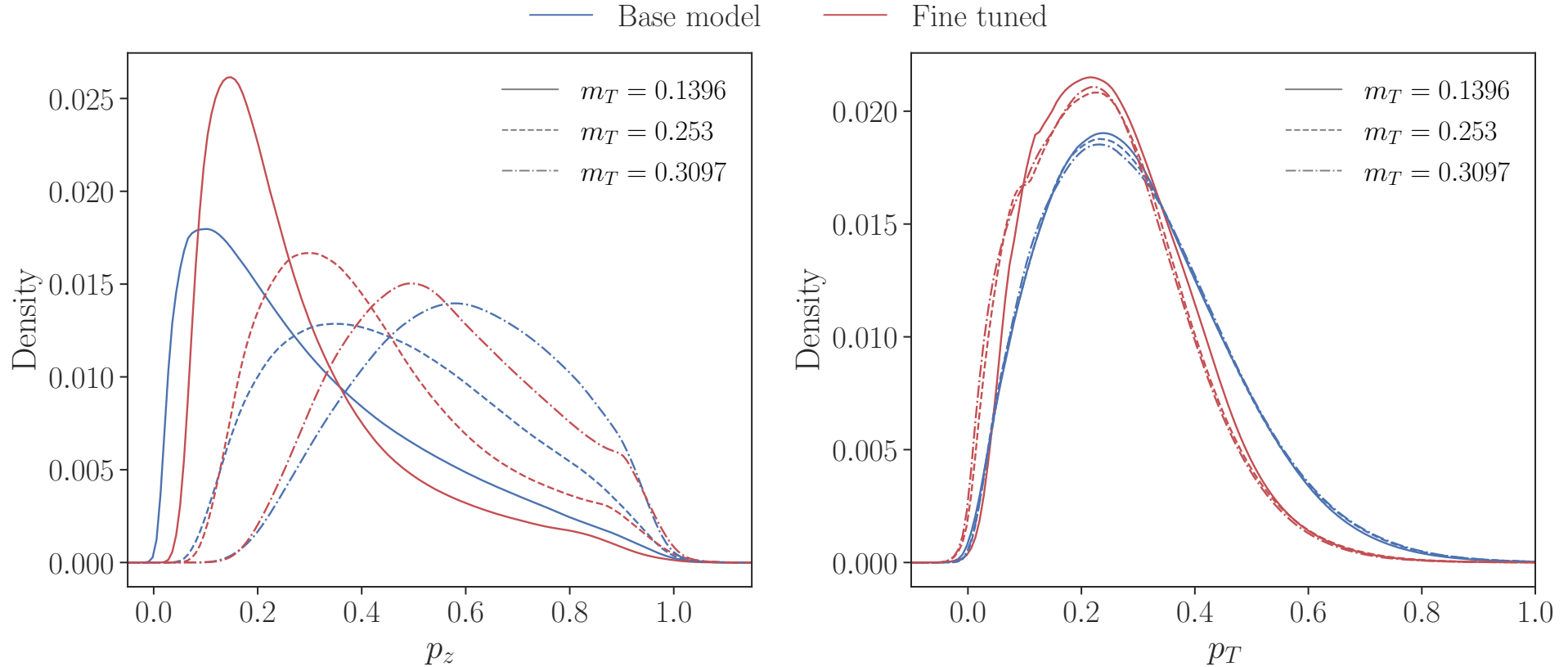
Event weights: $w = \begin{pmatrix} \prod_{i=1}^{N_1} w_i \\ \prod_{j=1}^{N_2} w_j \\ \vdots \\ \prod_{k=1}^{N_n} w_k \end{pmatrix}$ where $w_i = \frac{p_X^{F'}(p_z^{h_i}, p_T^{h_i})}{p_X^F(p_z^{h_i}, p_T^{h_i})}$,

Loss (Earth mover's distance): $\mathcal{L}_{\text{EMD}}(\mathbf{Y}^{\text{sim}}, \mathbf{w}, \mathbf{Y}^{\text{exp}})$

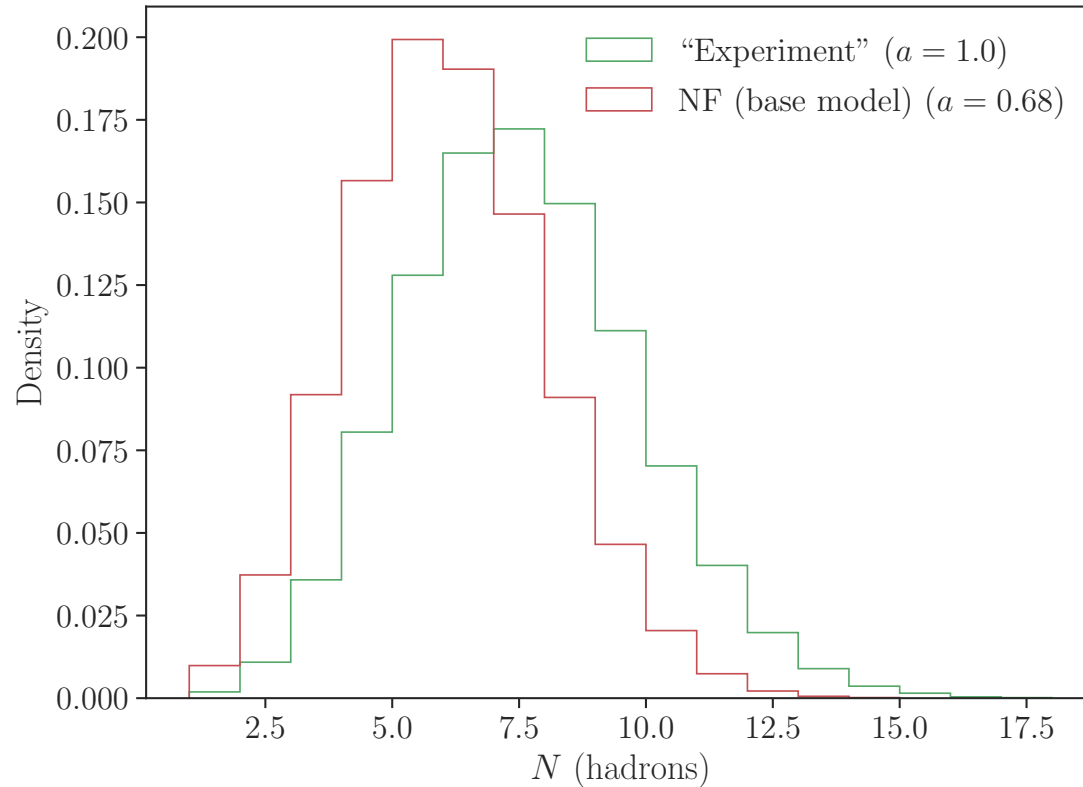
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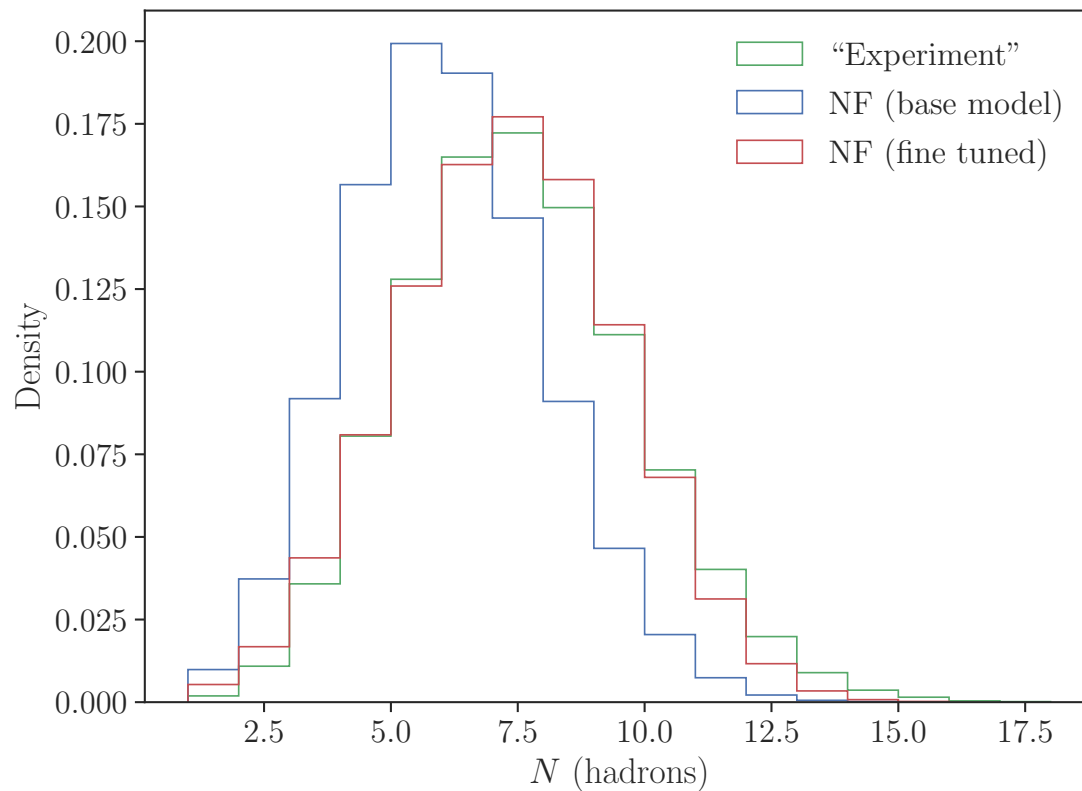
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Conclusion

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What's next: Full-fledged application ($e^+ e^-$)

