

Extensions of MadGraph5_aMC@NLO for QCD studies

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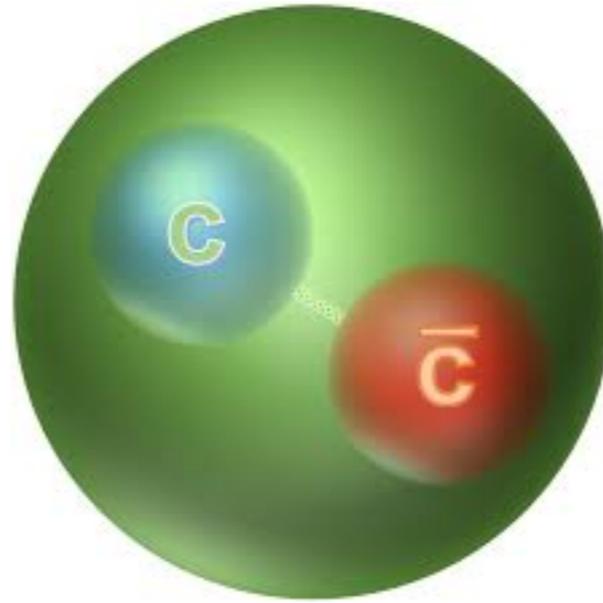
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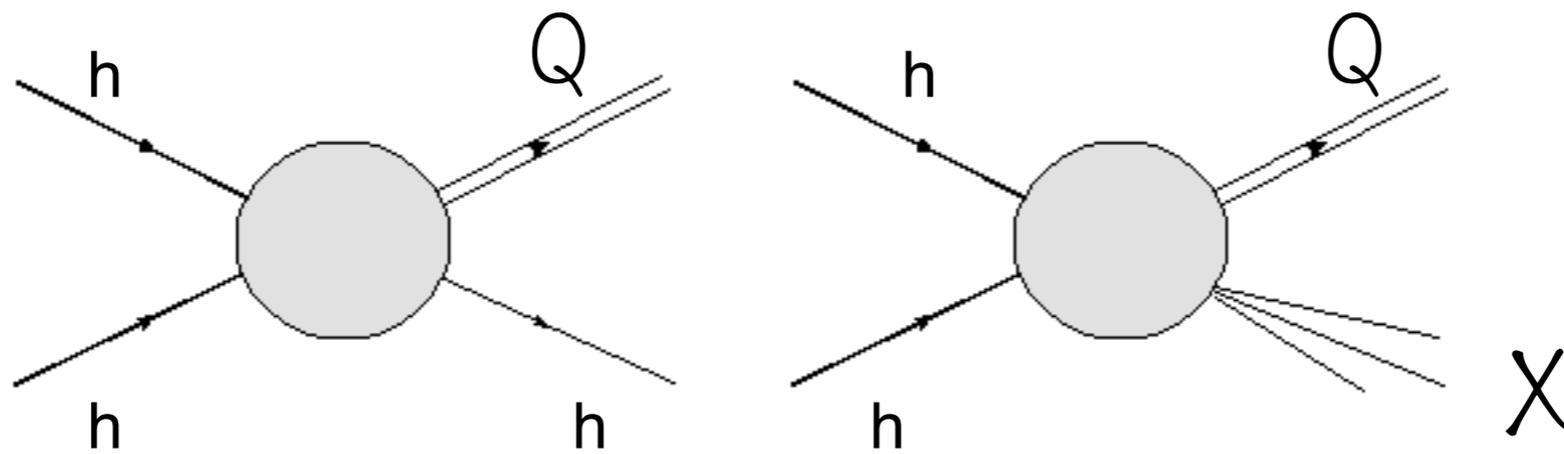
Outline

Extensions fall under the umbrella of automation programs in MadGraph5_aMC@NLO (MG5) and include the two broad categories:

- Quarkonium production
- Asymmetric collisions
 - A. Photoproduction induced reactions in electron-hadron
 - B. Hadron A + Hadron B induced reactions



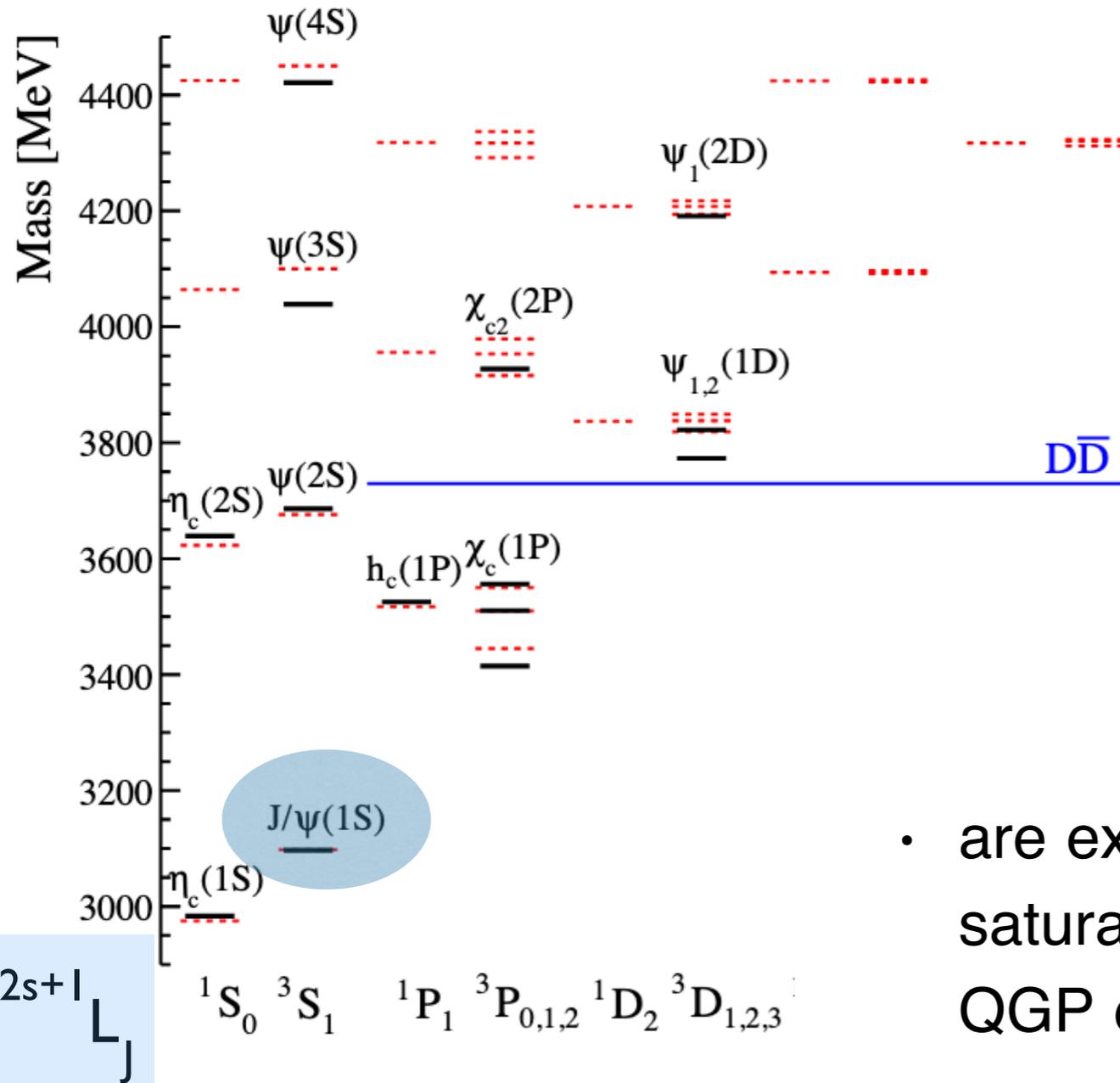
Quarkonium production



Introduction - why quarkonia?

Charmonium hierarchy

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Quarkonia: bound states of heavy c, b , quarks¹

50 years since J/ψ discovery

In high-energy facilities, they

- offer complementary information on quarkonium production mechanisms and fundamentals of QCD
- are expected to underpin the search for gluon saturation at the EIC + provide constraints on QGP dynamics.

¹bound states analogous to those of e^+e^- (positronium)

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- Other mechanisms:**
- Colour Singlet Model (CSM) ¹
 - Colour Evaporation Model (CEM)

¹ coincident with the LO term in the NRQCD expansion for S wave states

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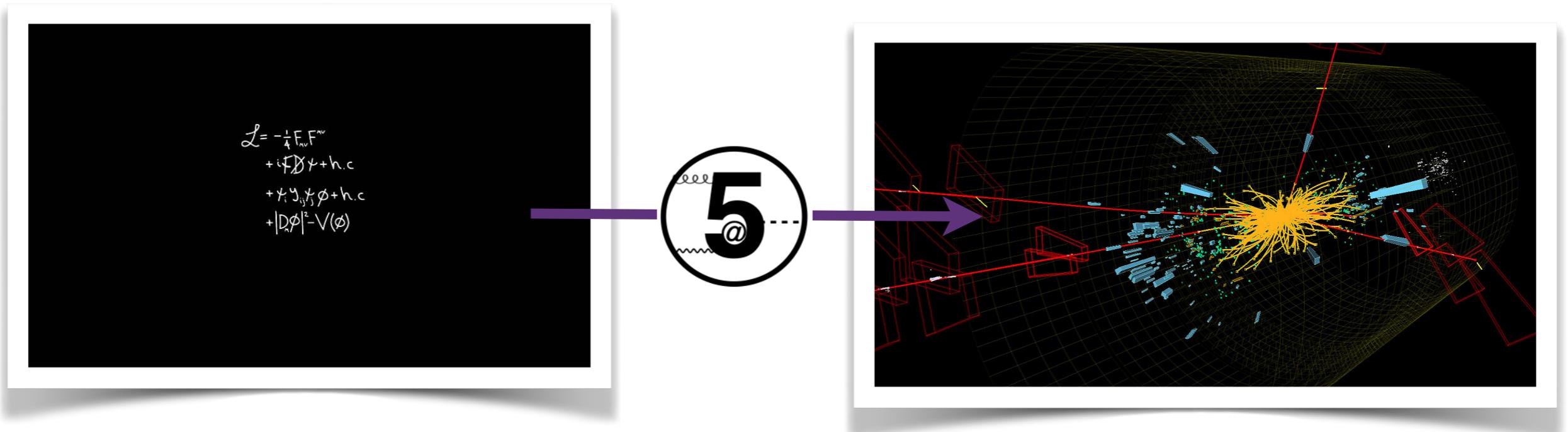
Motivated:

Tool	Features
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• MadOnia Artoisenet, Maltoni, Stelzer JHEP 02 (2008) 102	<p>(Deprecated) module within MadGraph4 - was not ported to current version (v5)</p> <p>Single quarkonium production phenomenology</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Helac-Onia Shao Comput.Phys.Commun. 184 (2013) Comput.Phys.Commun. 198 (2016)	<p>One or more S-wave and/or P-wave heavy quarkonia production based on tree-level helicity amplitudes</p> <p>Limited to LO, not immediately extendable to NLO (no NLO matrix element or no phase space integrator for NLO)</p>



MadGraph5_aMC@NLO

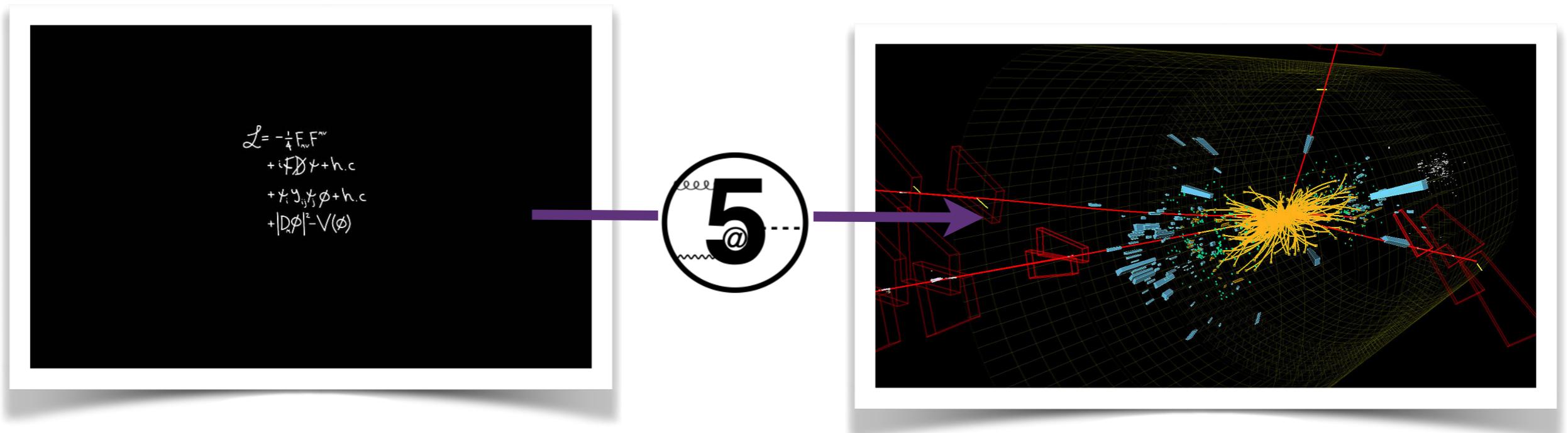
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Technical: e.g. multi-channeling phase space adaptation needed for quarkonia

*Final state IR divergence cancellation issues (different NRQCD Fock states contribute)

**Feynman integral reduction to master integral basis using standard tools fails

*famous resolution of non-cancelling IR divergences through mixing of P

wave states with relevant S wave states at $O(v^2)$

Immediate goal:

Produce automation of quarkonium in MG5 at LO

...with NLO in sight

To date:

- Finalising a version of MG5 enabling cross section computations with quarkonium @LO allowing:

LO cross section computations with an arbitrary number of **S-wave** quarkonia and associated particles

- Colour projectors $\mathcal{C}_1 = \delta_{ij}/\sqrt{N_c}$ $\mathcal{C}_8 = \sqrt{2}T_{ij}^c$
- Spin projectors $\bar{v}(p_2, \lambda_2)\Gamma_S u(p_1, \lambda_1)$
- Internal and external helicity summations

$$\begin{aligned} S &= 0, \gamma_5; 1, \not{\epsilon}(P) \\ P &= p_1 + p_2 \\ M^2 &= P^2 \end{aligned}$$

Metacode: implement new quarkonium formalism via extension of existing .py that produces .f code to perform numerical manipulations

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- `g g > b.b~(1|1S08)` } single
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- `g g > b.b~(1|1S01) b.b~(1|1S01)` } multiple
- `g g > b.b~(1|1S01) c.c~(1|1S01)` } ..similarly for spin triplet

MadGraph5_aMC@NLO + quarkonia cont.

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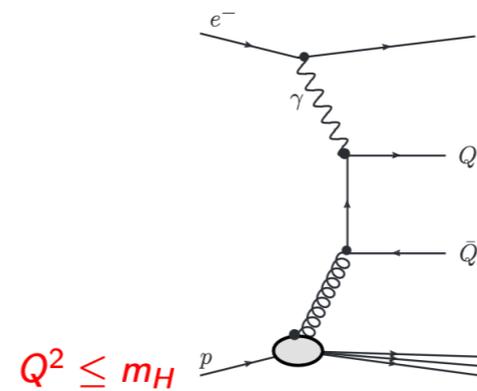
Phase space adaptation & implementation into **NLOAccess**
(see later)

Plan to release 'onia' branch of MG5 v3.x

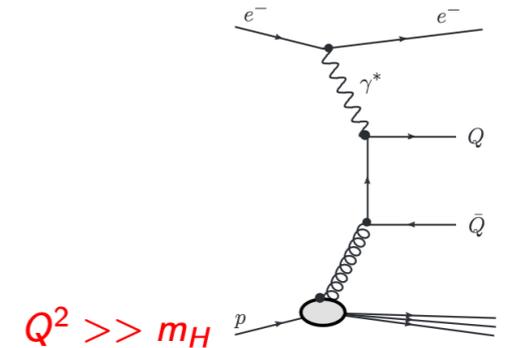
Asymmetric collisions

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I) Photoproduction :
Photon is nearly on mass shell.



II) Deep-Inelastic-scattering (DIS):
Photon is off mass shell.



- Hadron-Hadron induced reactions

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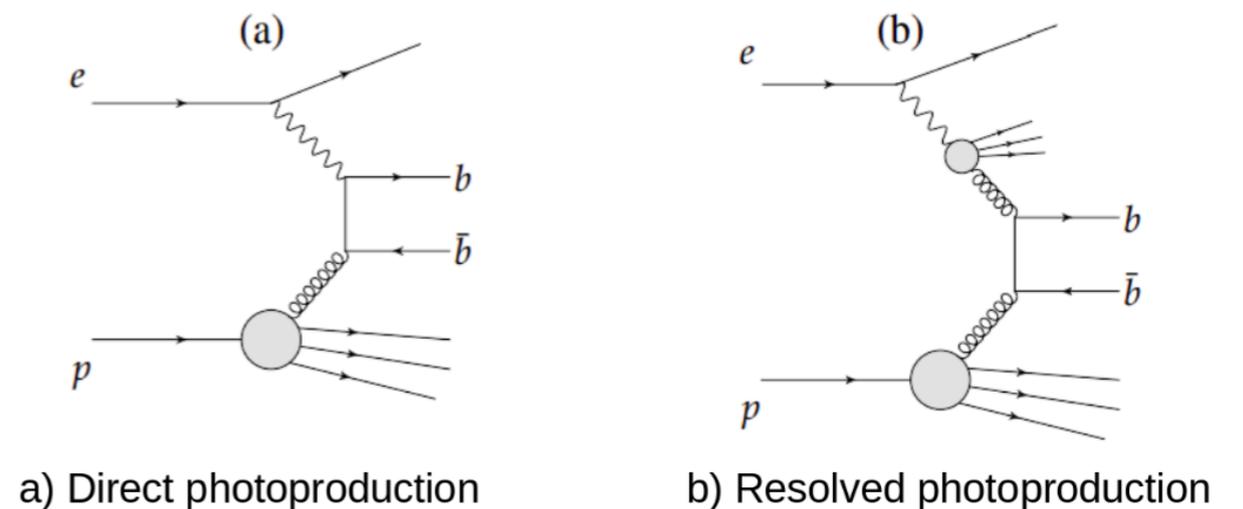
- Need for reliable simulation tool for upcoming eA studies at the EIC to facilitate strategy and accomplishment of future measurements
- Single-usage codes such as FMNR not automated and possible adaptations of Helac-Onia would limit analyses to LO in short term
- NLO invaluable at the EIC --> make extensions within MG5

Currently in MG5 (symmetric AA collisions):

$$\sigma_{AA \rightarrow X} = \sum_{i,j} \int dx_i dx_j f_i^A(x_i, \mu_F; \text{LHAID}) f_j^A(x_j, \mu_F; \text{LHAID}) \hat{\sigma}_{ab \rightarrow X}(x_i, x_j, \mu_F, \mu_R)$$

Two classes of extension:

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Considered direct + resolved photoproduction

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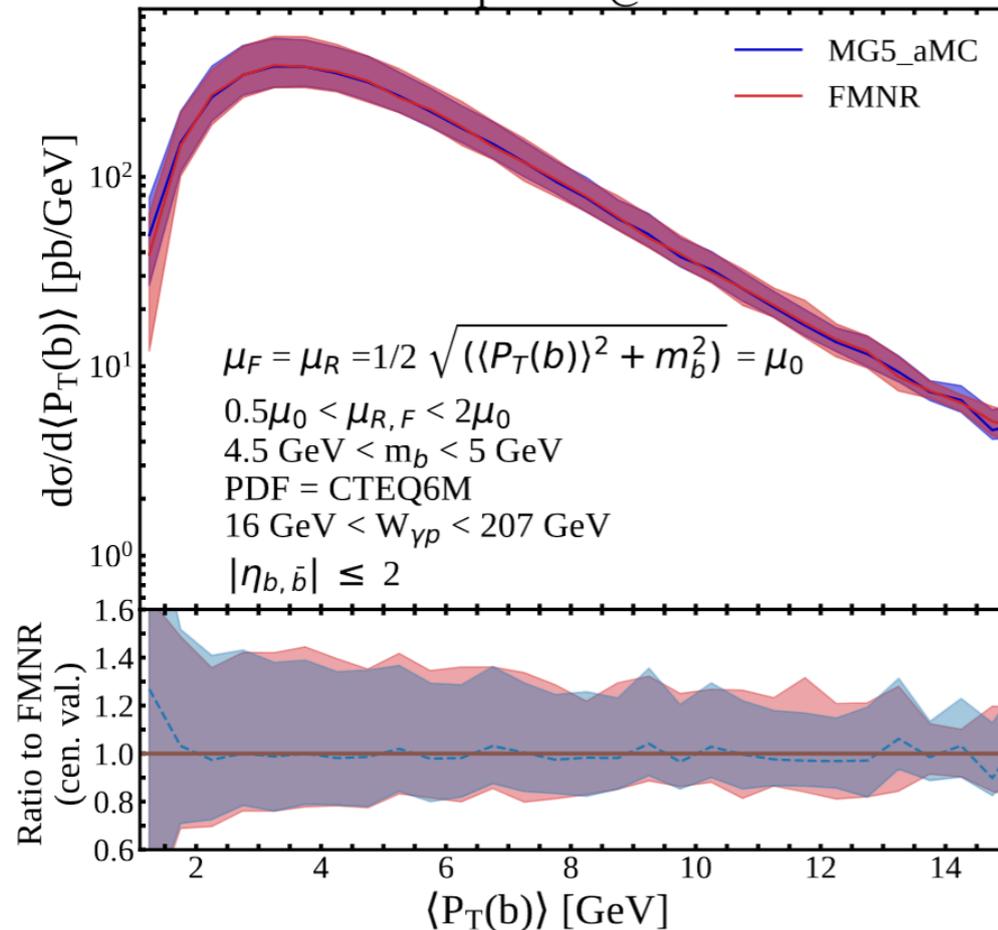
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Bottom production validation

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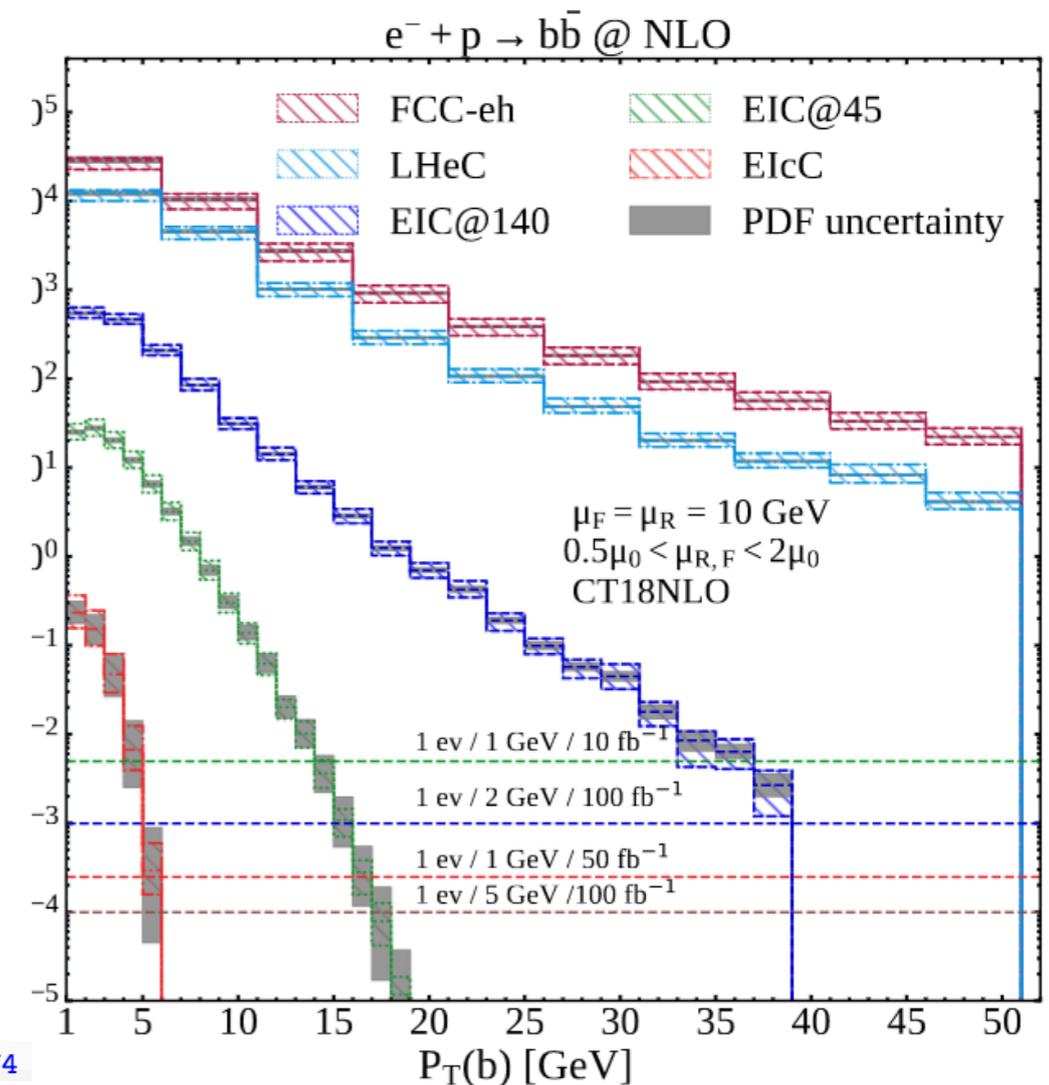
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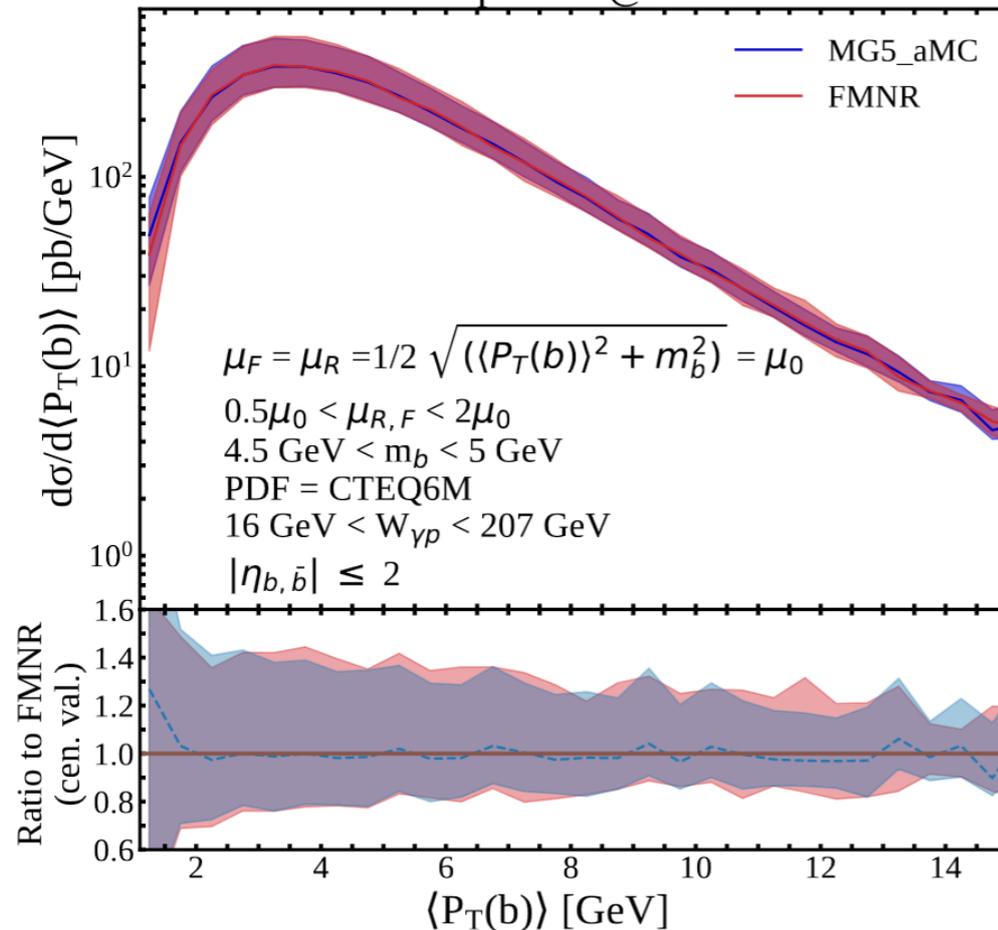
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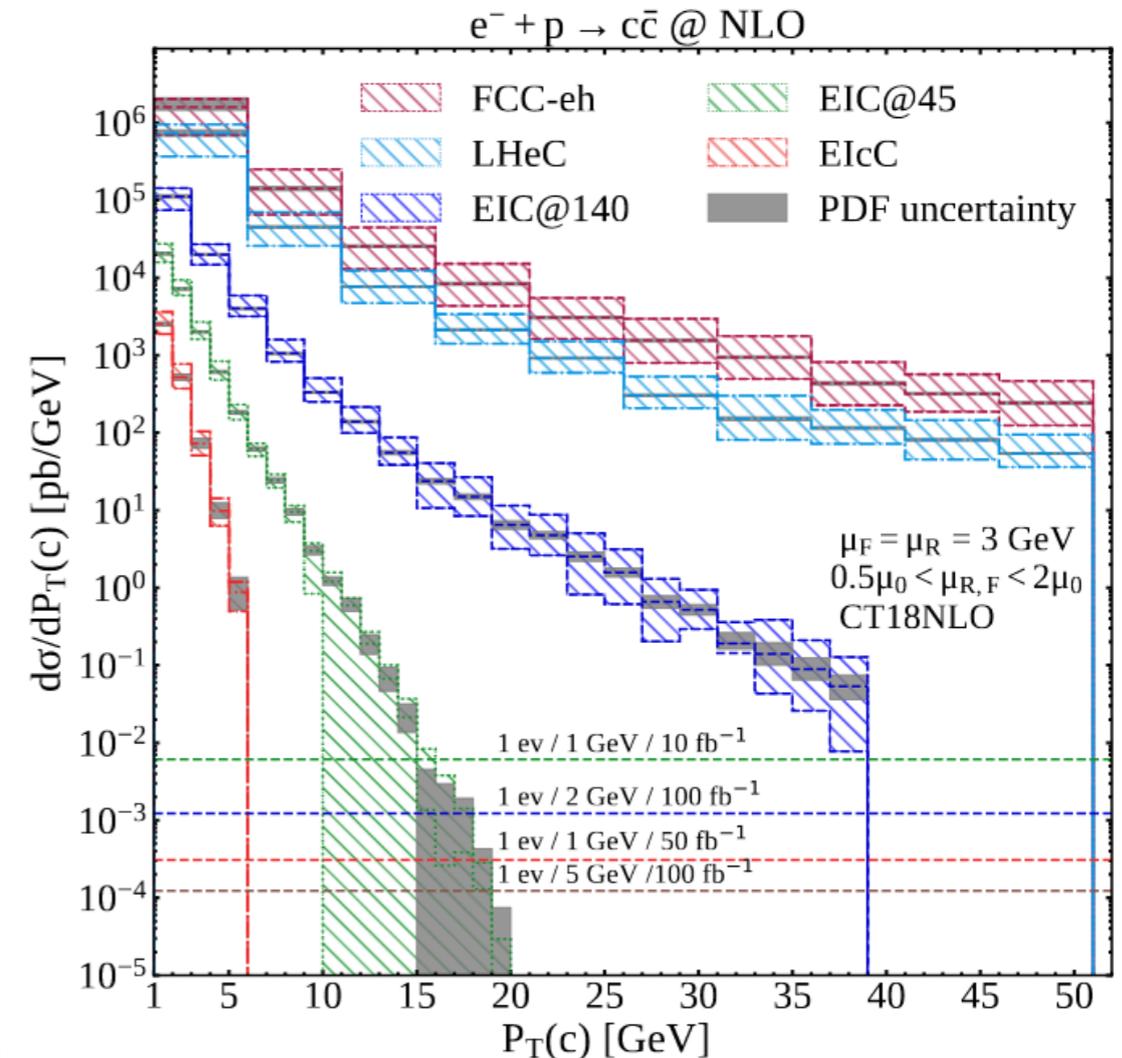
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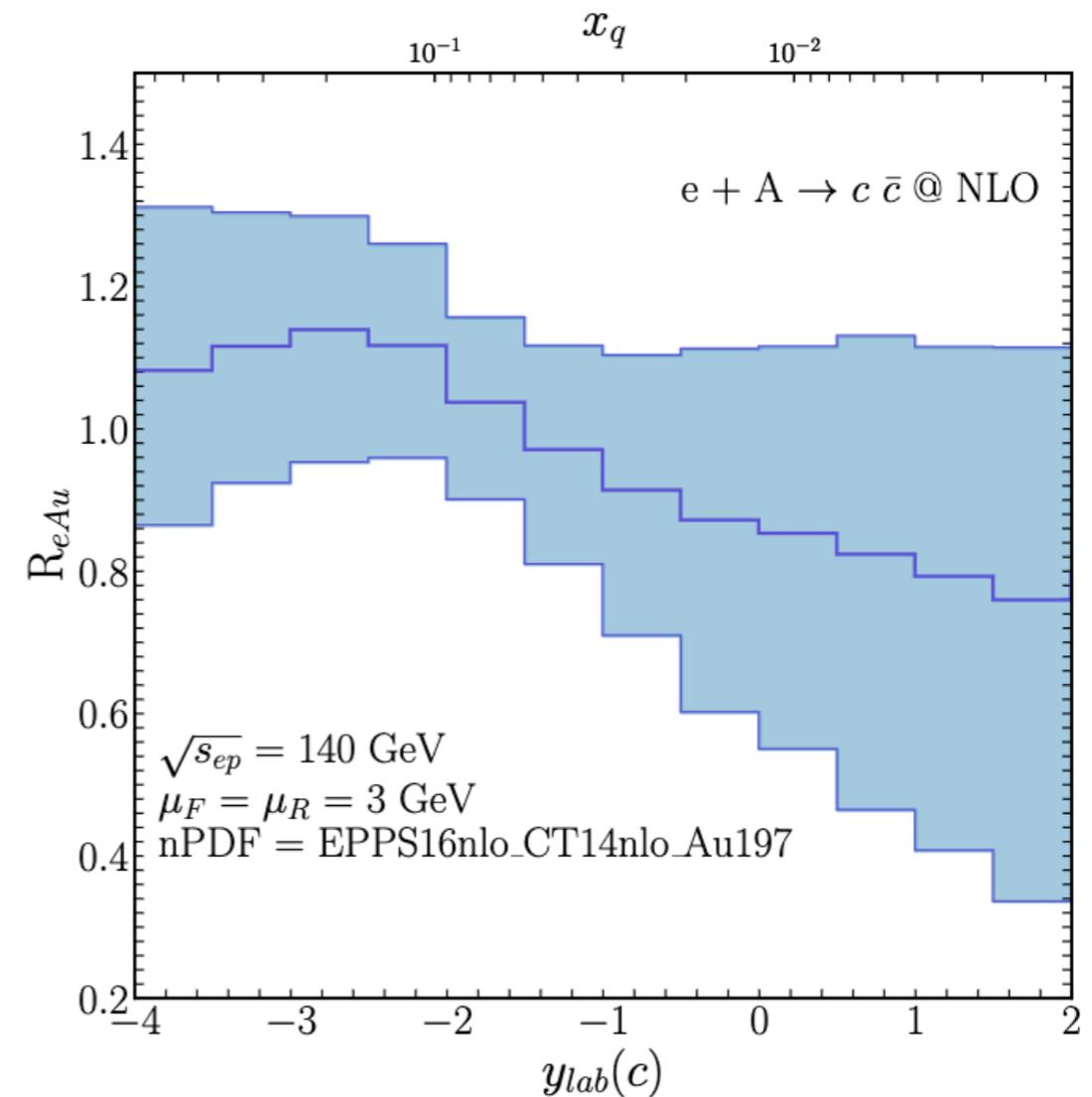
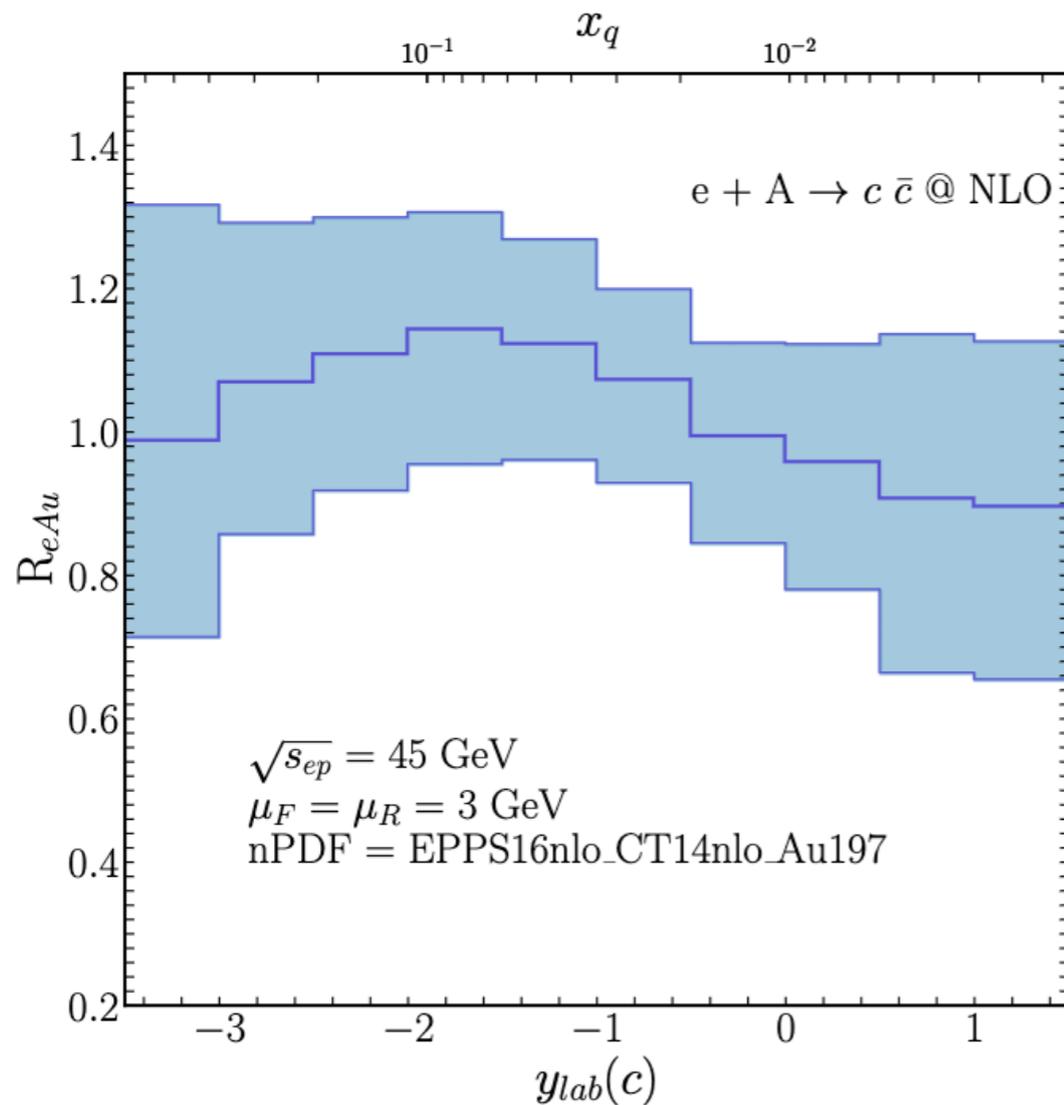
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Nuclear modification factor at the EIC for two energy configurations



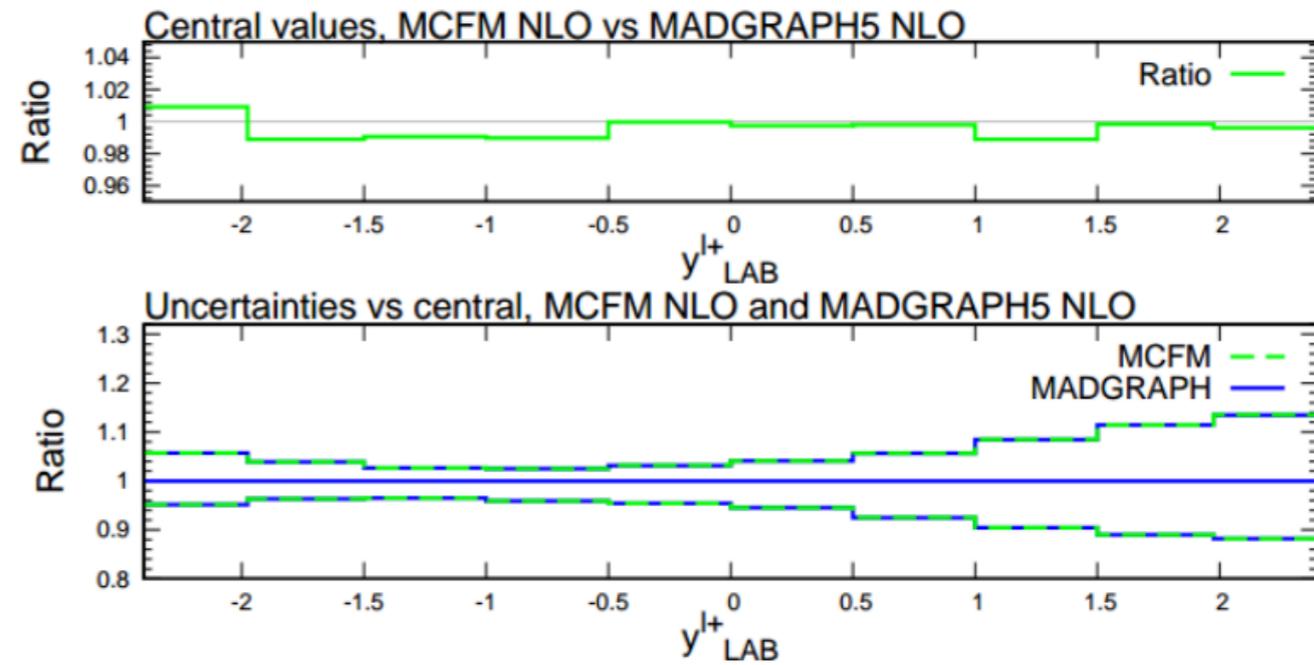
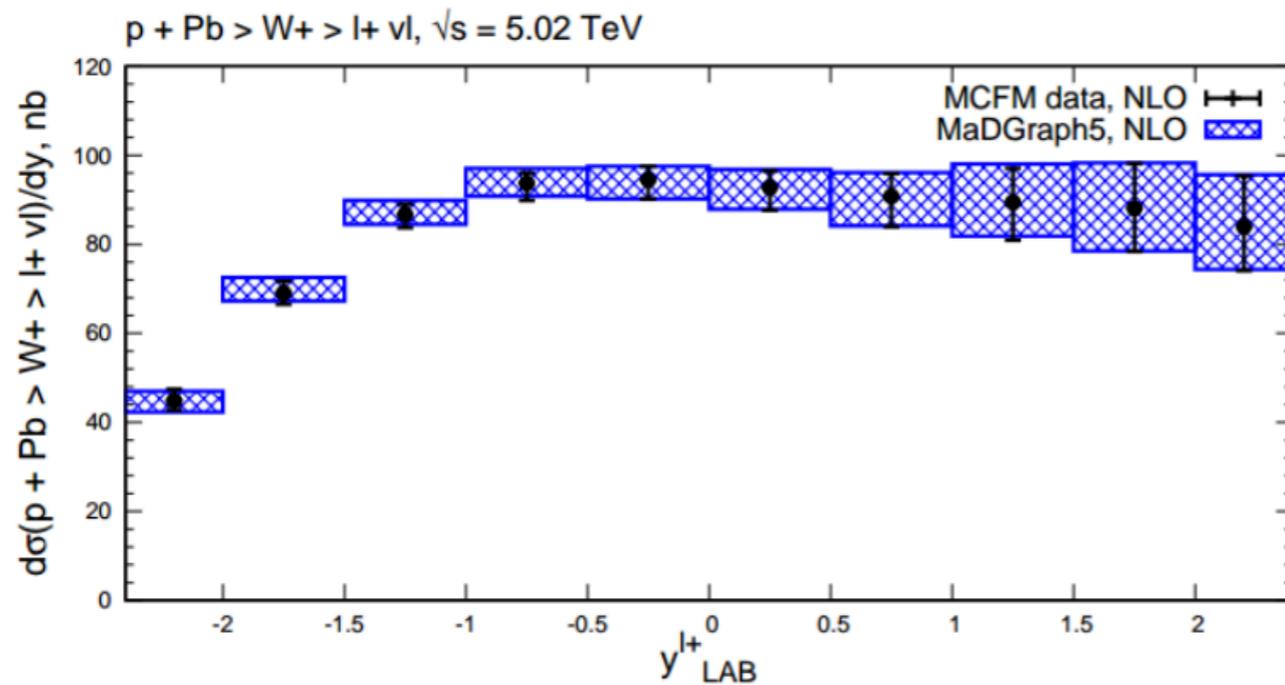
Hadron A + Hadron B in MG5

[work by A. Safronov]

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MCFM: 10.1007/JHEP12(2019)034

Validation vs MCFM for CT10 + nCTEQ15 for W production at NLO



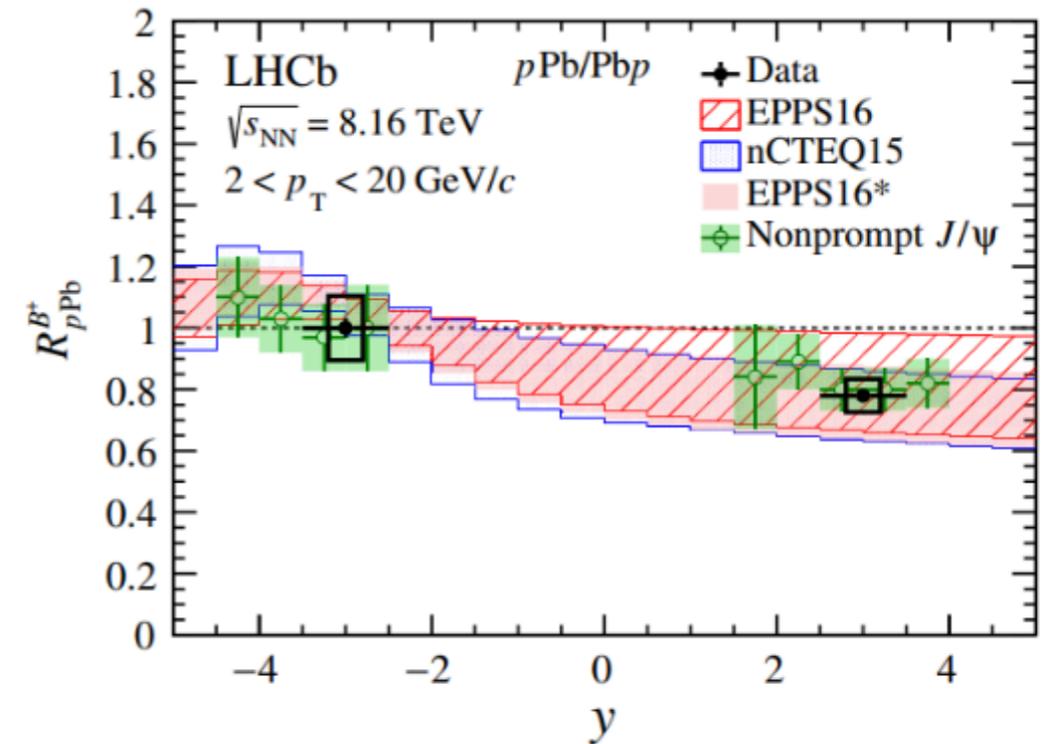
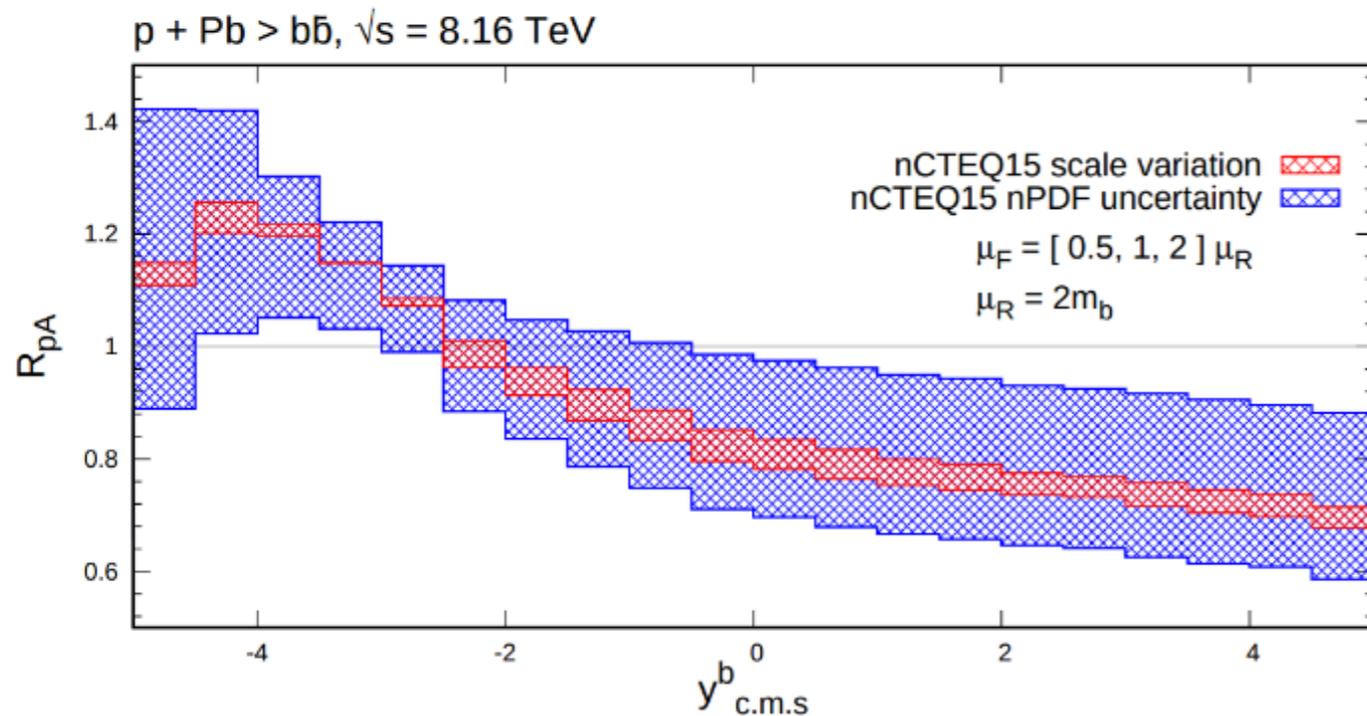
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Example: bottom quark production in pPb collision at LHC



Phys. Rev. D99 no. 5, (2019) 052011,
 arXiv:1902.05599 [hep-ex].

-to generate plot need only the two LHAPDF IDs

... scale uncertainty automatic

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Automated perturbative calculation with NLOAccess

MG5_aMC@NLO

MadGraph5_aMC@NLO is a framework that aims at providing all the elements necessary for SM and BSM phenomenology, such as the computations of cross sections, the generation of hard events and their matching with event generators, and the use of a variety of tools relevant to event manipulation and analysis. Processes can be simulated to LO accuracy for any user-defined Lagrangian, and to NLO accuracy in the case of models that support this kind of calculations -- prominent among these are QCD and EW corrections to SM processes. Matrix elements at the tree- and one-loop-level can also be obtained.

> HELAC-Onia and
MG5_aMC@NLO included

Please login to use MG5_aMC@NLO.

- a **virtual access** for automated perturbative calculations for heavy ions and quarkonia
- any code that could be compiled and launched via bash could be added
- MadGraph5 online version was only limited to LO calculation
- NLOAccess offers access for the first time to full NLO SM online calculation with MG5_aMC@NLO!

Summary & Outlook

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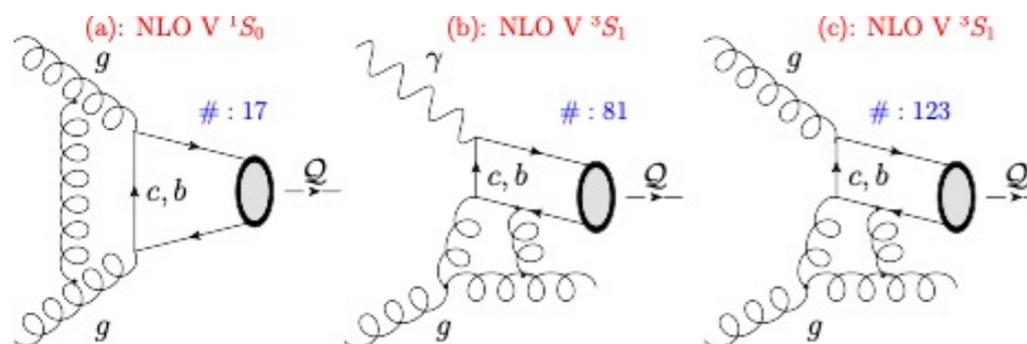
- Towards S-wave quarkonium cross sections @LO in MG5
- Photoproduction in eA collisions in MG5: https://github.com/mg5amcnlo/mg5amcnlo/tree/ep_collision
- Asymmetric hadron-hadron collisions in MG5: <https://github.com/mg5amcnlo/mg5amcnlo/tree/RPA>

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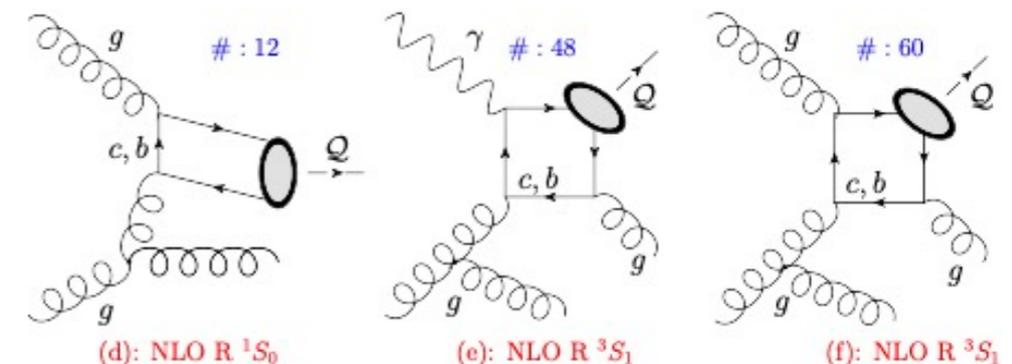
- Extension to states with leading **P wave** Fock states --> global NRQCD picture, and/or BSM. Ultimately **NLO** in mind with few caveats.

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arXiv:2402.19221

- Incorporation into EU virtual access project **NLOAccess**



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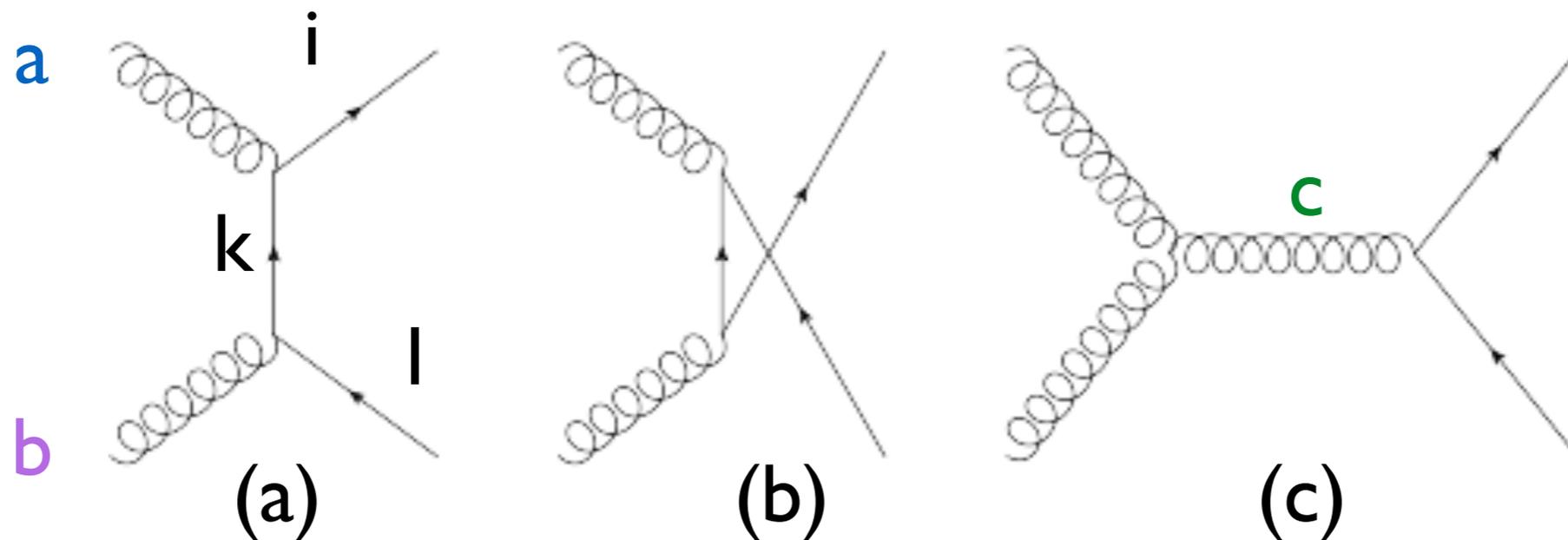


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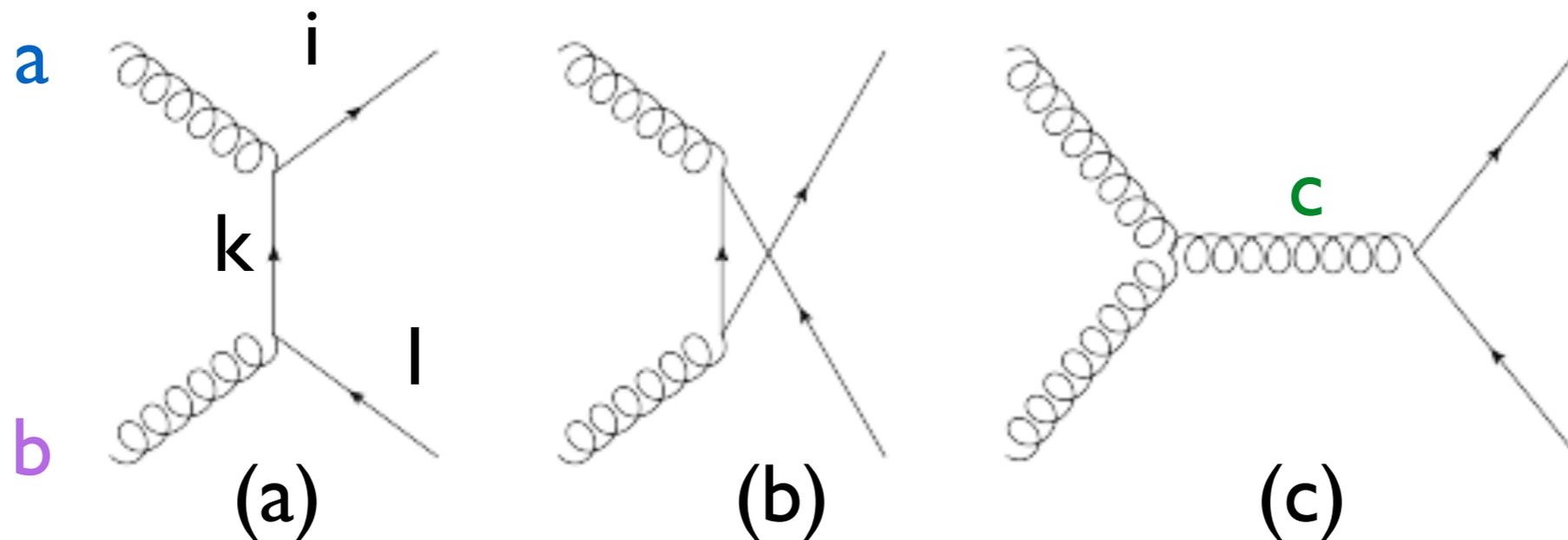
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$$\mathcal{A} = A_a + A_b + A_c$$

$$A_a = c_1 A_{11}$$

$$A_b = c_2 A_{22}$$

$$A_c = c_1 A_{31} + c_2 A_{32}$$

$$\text{JAMP}_1 = A_{11} + A_{31} \propto c_1$$

$$\text{JAMP}_2 = A_{22} + A_{32} \propto c_2$$

$$\text{CO} : c_1 = \text{Tr}(t^a t^b t^c)$$

$$c_2 = \text{Tr}(t^b t^a t^c)$$

$$|\mathcal{A}|^2 = \sum_{i,j=1,2} \text{JAMP}_i^* \langle c_i | c_j \rangle \text{JAMP}_j$$

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In public matrix element generators/event generators:

- Interfacing of e.g. HERWIG or PYTHIA with e.g. MG5_aMC¹

Facilitates complete computation \longrightarrow

Versatility and enhanced physics simulation capabilities...

...but integration complexity, computational overhead, code compatibility and increased learning requirements.

¹e.g. cross sections with quarkonium in jets