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# General overview of the Uranie platform

Uncertainty PRACE formation session



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## In a nutshell

ROOT

Uranie

## Focusing on Uranie

Schematic workflow examples

The modular organisation

## Module description

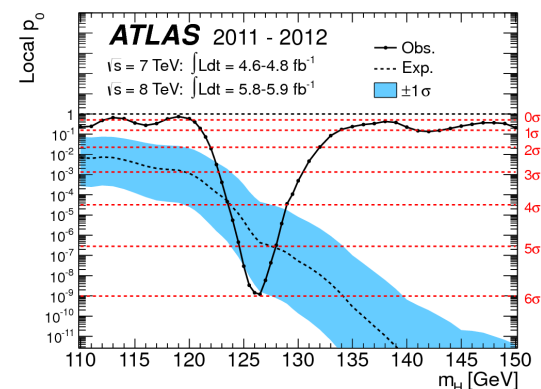
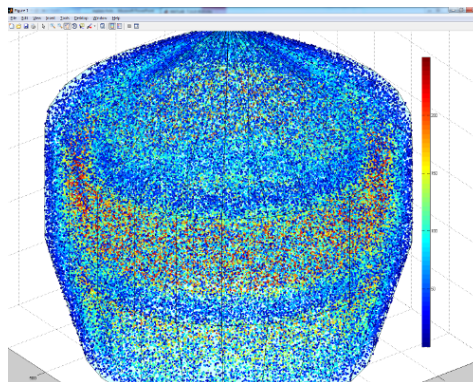
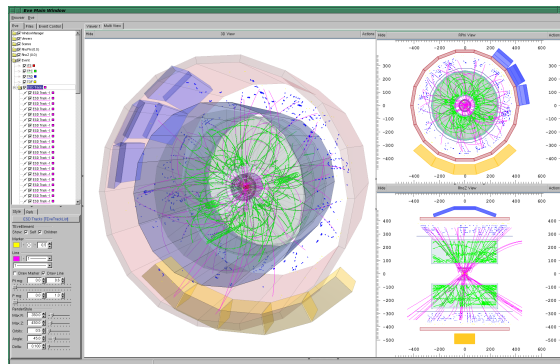
# The ROOT platform



Developed at CERN to help analyse the huge amount of data delivered by the successive particle accelerators

- Written in C++ (3/4 releases a year)
- Multi platform (Unix/Windows/Mac OSX)
- Started and maintained over more than 20 years
- It brings:
  - ➔ a C++ interpreter, but also Python and Ruby interface
  - ➔ a hierarchical object-oriented database (machine independent and highly compressed)
  - ➔ advanced visualisation tool (graphics are very important in HEP)
  - ➔ statistical analysis tools (*RooStats*, *RooFit*...)
  - ➔ and many more (3D object modelling, distributed computing interface...)

■ LGPL





## Online

- Reference guide: <https://root.cern.ch/root/html534/ClassIndex.html>
  - ➔ Details all the methods (inherited or not) of a given class
- User-guide: <https://root.cern.ch/root/html534/guides/users-guide/ROOTUsersGuideA4.pdf>
  - ➔ Description of what can be done from installation to high level usage. Nicely illustrated !
- How-to: <https://root.cern.ch/howtos>
  - ➔ Example to answer most answered questions
- A dedicated forum: <https://root-forum.cern.ch/>
  - ➔ Very reactive forum, to help people with the many different usage one can do with ROOT.

## On your machine, once installed

- User guide and manual: They are provided in markdown, ready to be compiled
  - ➔ `$ROOTSYS/documentation/users-guide` and `$ROOTSYS/documentation/primer`
- Tutorials: plenty of examples to be run
  - ➔ `$ROOTSYS/tutorials`
- Macros: place to store your own macros that you might call from anywhere
  - ➔ `$ROOTSYS/macros`

This is a structure that we acknowledge and try to follow as well

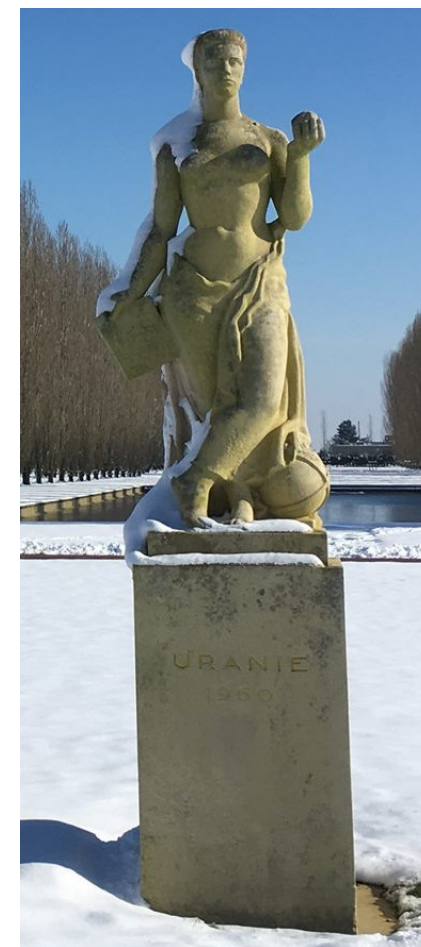
# The Uranie platform



Developed at CEA/DEN to help partners handling sensitivity, meta-modelling and optimisation problems.

- Written in C++ (~2 releases a year), based on ROOT
- Multi platform (developed on Unix and tested on Windows)
- It brings simple data access:
  - ➔ Flat [ASCII](#) file, [XML](#), [JSON](#) ...
  - ➔ [TTree](#) (internal ROOT format)
  - ➔ [SQL](#) database access
- Provides advanced visualisation tools (on top of ROOT's one)
- Allows some analysis to be run in parallel through various mechanism
  - ➔ simple [fork](#) processing
  - ➔ shared-memory distribution ([pthread](#))
  - ➔ split-memory distribution ([mpirun](#))
  - ➔ through graphical card ([GPU](#))
- Main purpose is tools for:
  - ➔ construction of design-of-experiment
  - ➔ uncertainty propagation
  - ➔ surrogate models generation
  - ➔ sensitivity analysis
  - ➔ optimisation problem
  - ➔ reliability analysis

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## Unit Testing Report

### General description:

- ROOT version: 5.34.36
- 11 modules / 246 classes  
~ 134 000 lines of code
- Compilation using CMAKE

	DataServer	Launcher	Relauncher	Sampler	Sensitivity	Optimizer	reOptimizer	Modeler	UncertModeler	reLiability	XMLProblem
Status	PASSED	PASSED	PASSED	PASSED	PASSED	PASSED	PASSED	PASSED	PASSED	PASSED	PASSED
Duration											
Num. test	328	112	39	176	115	139	46	429	53	2	13
Total Failures	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Num. Errors	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Num. Failures	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Start	2018-01-09 20:15:10	2018-01-09 20:16:38	2018-01-09 20:31:36	2018-01-09 20:32:26	2018-01-09 20:33:03	2018-01-09 20:59:22	2018-01-09 21:11:42	2018-01-09 21:38:09	2018-01-09 22:09:47	2018-01-09 22:09:51	2018-01-09 22:09:51
End	2018-01-09 20:16:38	2018-01-09 20:31:35	2018-01-09 20:32:26	2018-01-09 20:33:03	2018-01-09 20:59:19	2018-01-09 21:11:40	2018-01-09 21:38:07	2018-01-09 22:09:45	2018-01-09 22:09:50	2018-01-09 22:09:51	2018-01-09 22:12:45

### Regularly tested:

- 7 Linux platforms and Windows 7 every night
- ~ 1500 unitary tests with CPPUNIT
- ~ 83% coverage with GCOV (without logs)
- Memory leak check with VALGRIND

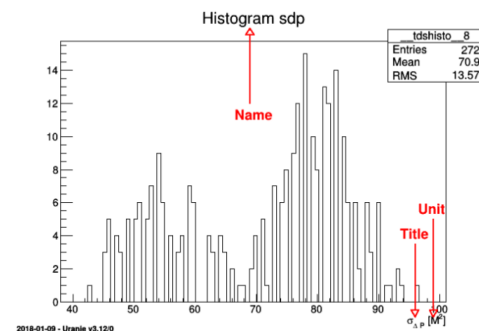
- Name + title: constructor defined from the name and the title of the variable

```
TAttribute *psdp = new TAttribute("sdp", "#sigma_{#Delta P}");
psdp->setUnity("M^{2}");
```

A pointer **psdp** to a variable "**sdp**" is available with title being  $\#sigma_{\#Delta P}$ . The command **setUnity()** precises the unit. In this case, by default, the field **key** is identical to the field **name**. We will use the ability given by ROOT to write LaTeX expressions in graphics to improve graphics rendering without weighing down the manipulation of variables: as a matter of fact, we can plot the histogram of the variable **sdp** by:

```
tdsGeyser->addAttribute("newx2", "x2", "#sigma_{#Delta P}", "M^{2}");
tdsGeyser->draw("newx2");
```

The result of this piece of code is shown in Figure II.3



### Documentation: 3 different levels

2 using DocBOOK, generating both PDF and HTML formats.

- Methodological reference (~ 60 pages)
- User manual: ~ 550 pages
  - ~ 250 pages: describing methods and their options.
  - ~ 250 pages: use-case macros (~ 100 examples)

Developer's guide using DOXYGEN (HTML only)

- describing methods from comments in the code

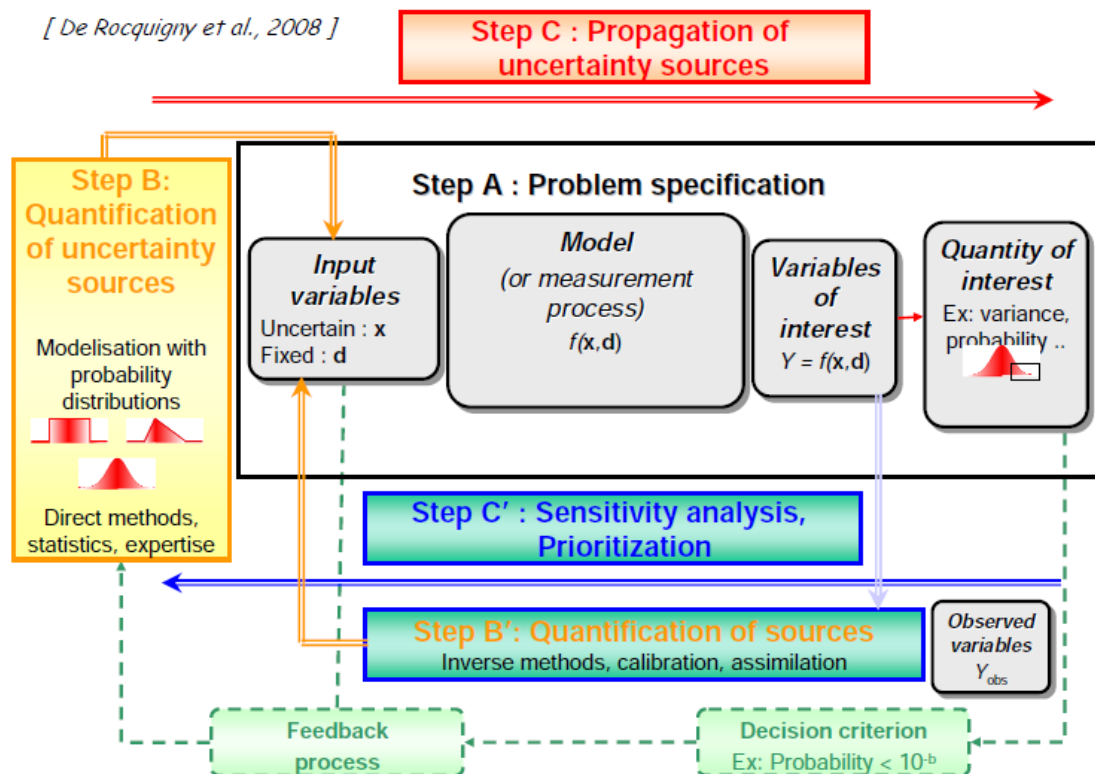


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## Main steps:

- A: problem definition
  - ➔ Uncertain input variables
  - ➔ Variable/quantity of interest
  - ➔ Model construction
- B: uncertainty quantification
  - ➔ Choice of pdfs
  - ➔ Choice of correlations
- B': quantification of sources
  - ➔ Inverse methods using data to constrain input values and uncertainties
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- C': sensitivity analysis
  - ➔ Uncertainty source sorting



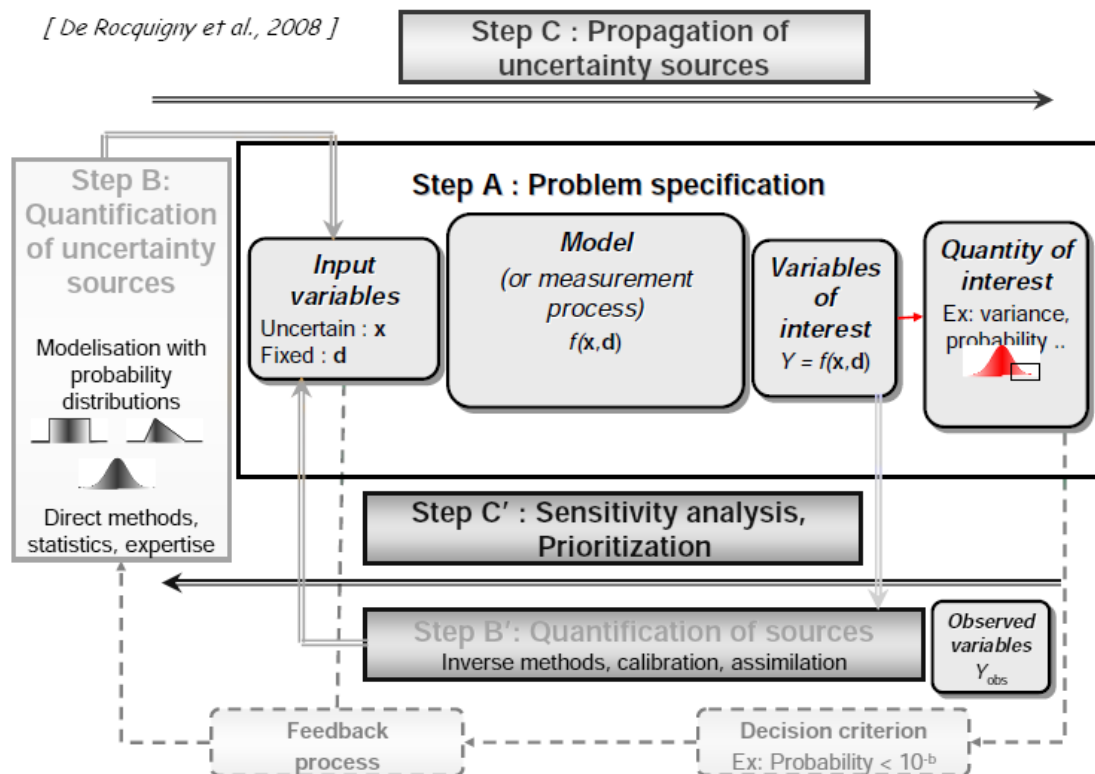
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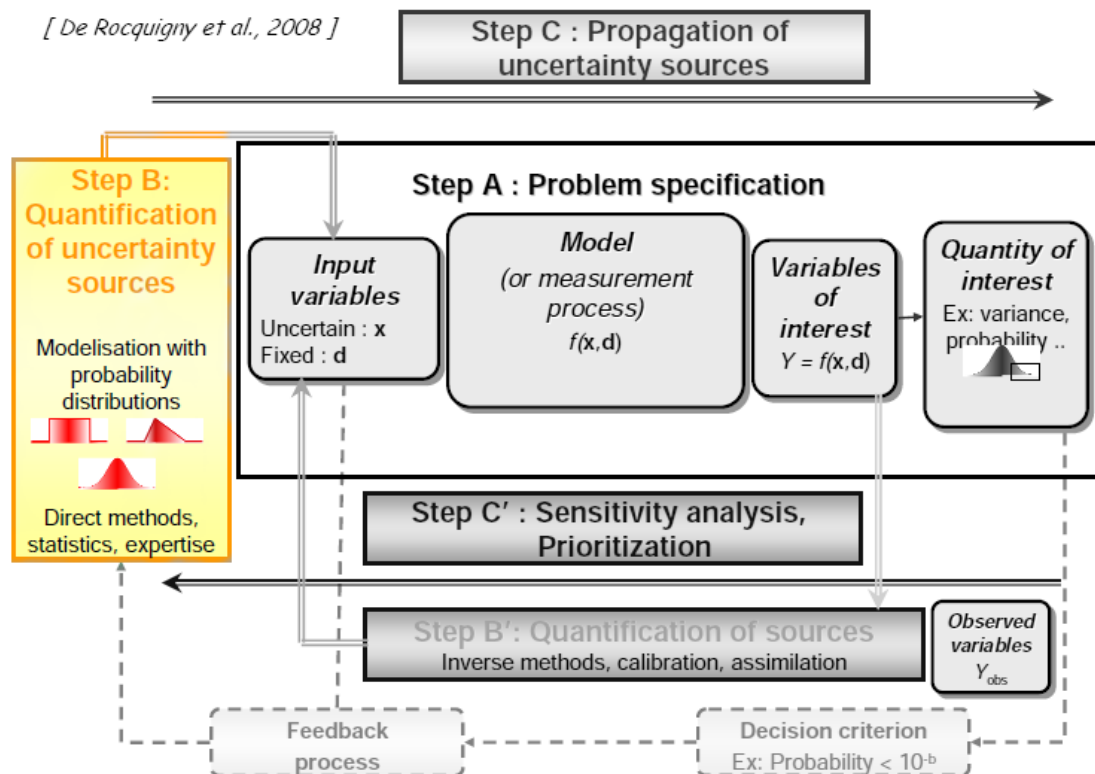


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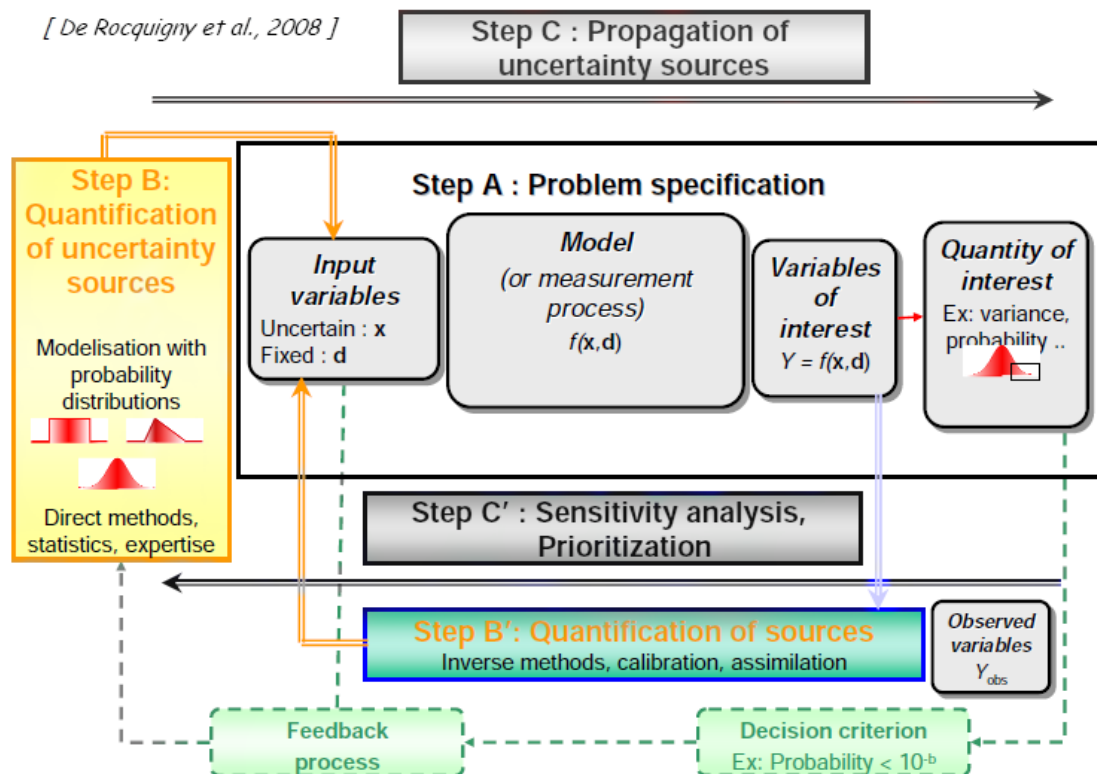
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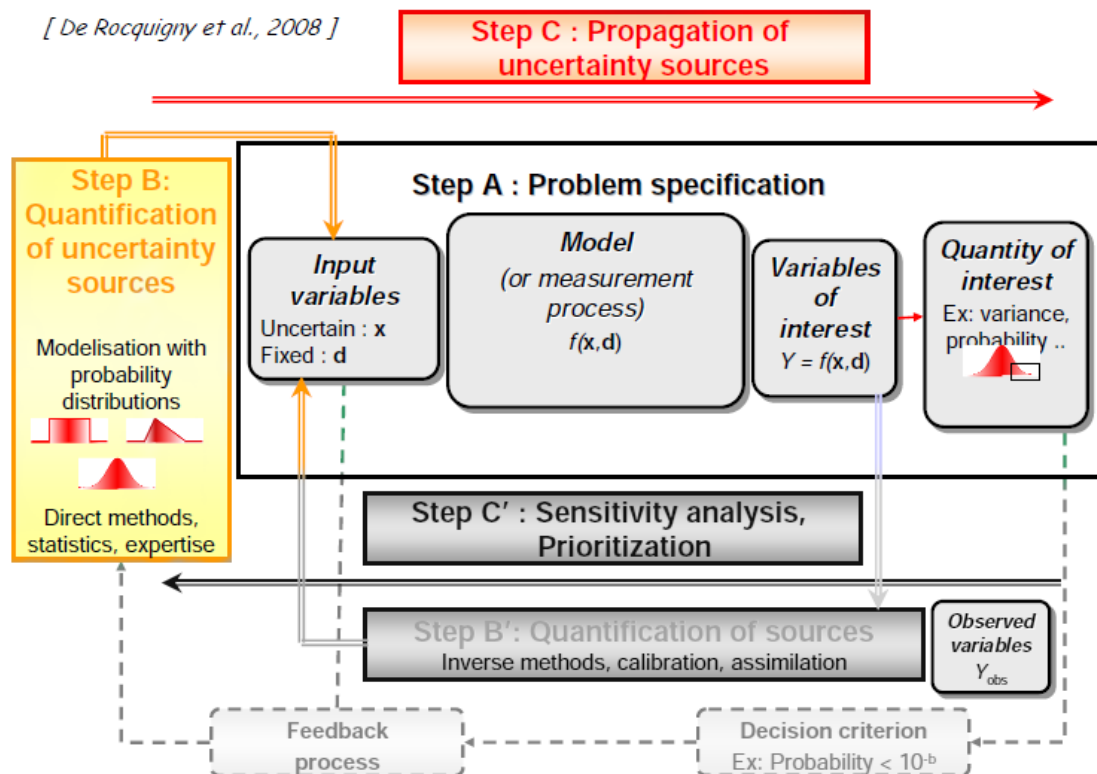
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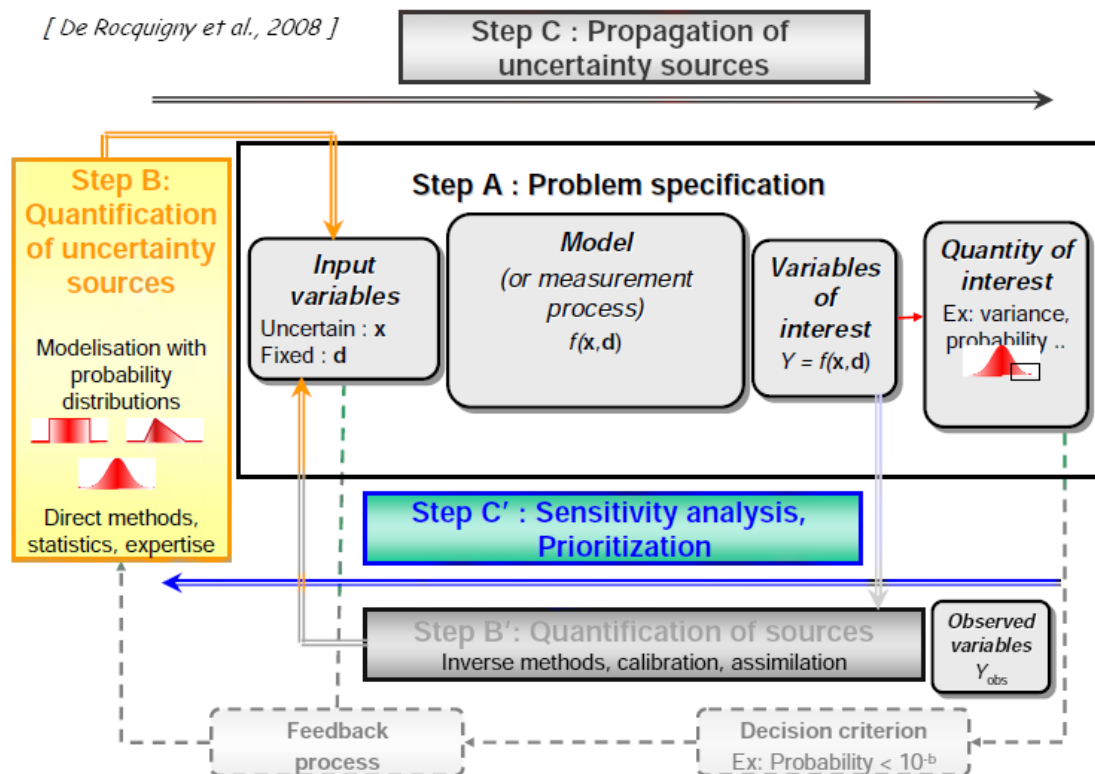
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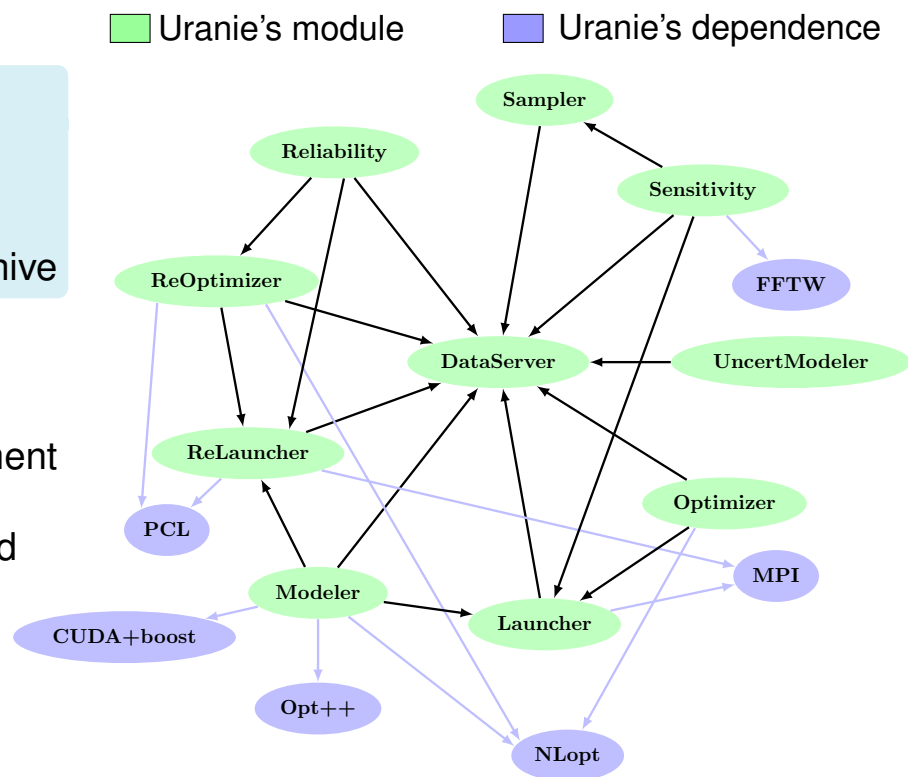
# The module point of view

## Few dependencies:

- Compulsory: ROOT, CPPUNIT, CMAKE
  - Optional: PCL, NLOPT, OPT++\*, MPI, FFTW, CUDA
- (\*) a patched version of OPT++ is brought along in the archive

## Organised in modules:

- Some are more technical ones:
  - ➔ DataServer: data handling and first statistical treatment
  - ➔ (Re)Launcher: interfaces to code/function handling.  
Can deal with code, PYTHON-function, C++-interpreted and compiled functions
- Many are dedicated ones:
  - ➔ Sampler: creation of design-of-experiments
  - ➔ Modeler: surrogate-model generation
  - ➔ (Re)Optimizer: mono/multi criteria optimisation
  - ➔ Sensitivity: ranking inputs w.r.t impact on the output



The next following slides will discuss the content of the main dedicated modules

## **A glimpse at the main modules**



# The sampler module

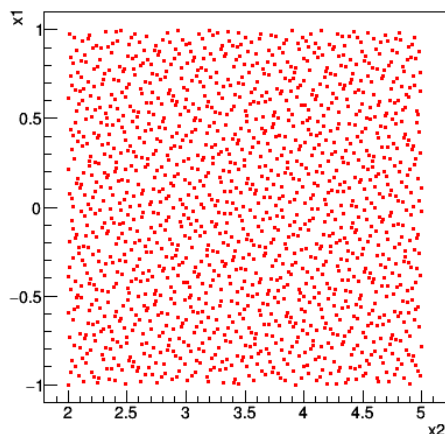


Used to generate the design-of-experiments, basis of many analysis.  
Some methods can deal with correlation as well.

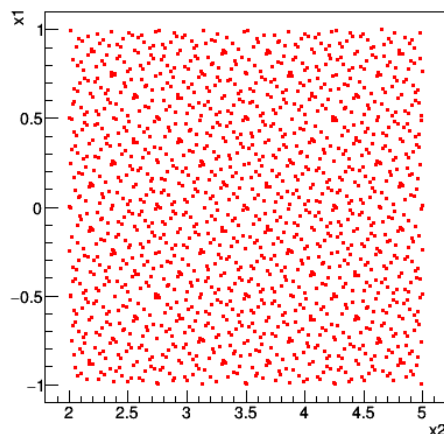
## Two main categories

- Stochastic designs:
  - ➔ Simple Random Sampling (SRS)
  - ➔ Latin Hypercube Sampling (LHS)
  - ➔ One-At-a-Time Sampling (OAT)
  - ➔ Archimedian copulas
  - ➔ Random fields...
- Deterministic designs:
  - ➔ Regular quasi Monte-Carlo: Halton/Sobol sequence
  - ➔ Sparse grid sampling: Petras
  - ➔ Space filling design

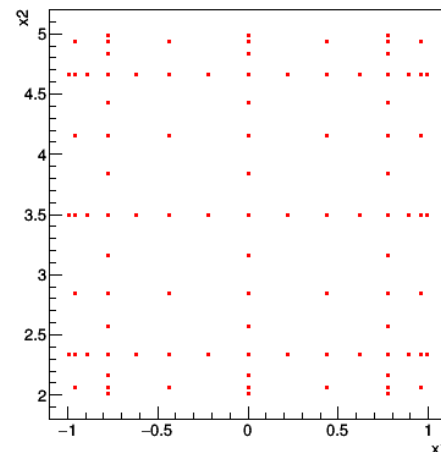
Halton Sequence



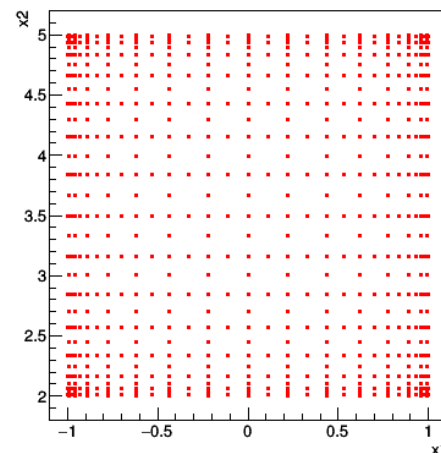
Sobol Sequence



Petras, level=7



Petras, level=20

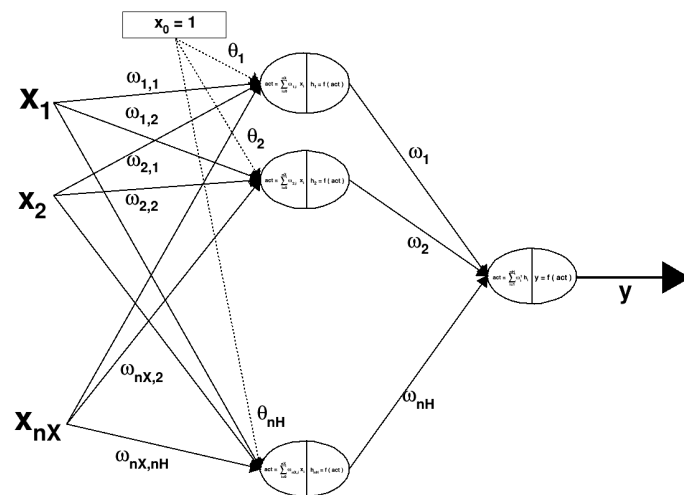
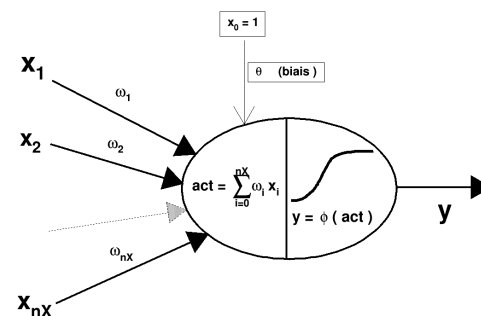
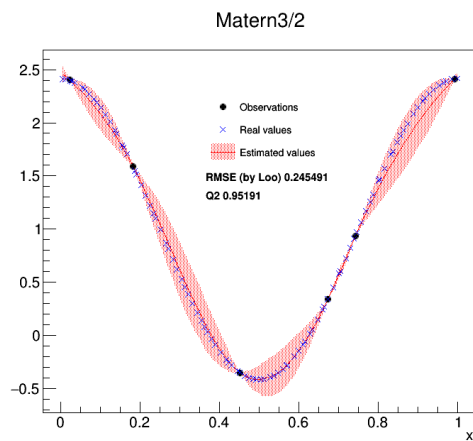
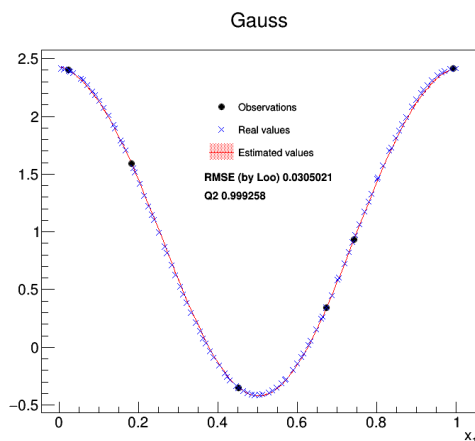


Create a surrogate-model: a numerical model reproducing the behaviour of provided data

## Several possible models to be chosen:

- Polynomial regressions
- Generalised linear models
- k-nearest neighbours
- Artificial Neural Networks (ANN/MLP)
- Chaos Polynomial + ANISP
- Kriging

➔ Models can be exported in different format (C++, fortran, PMML) in order to be re-used later on.

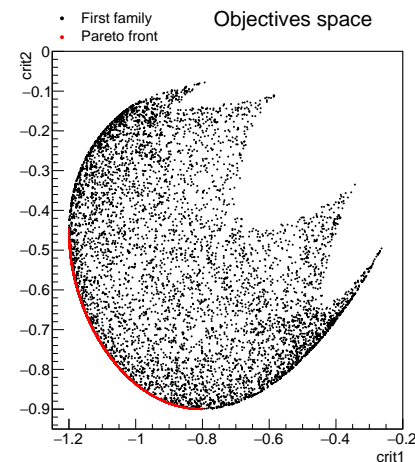
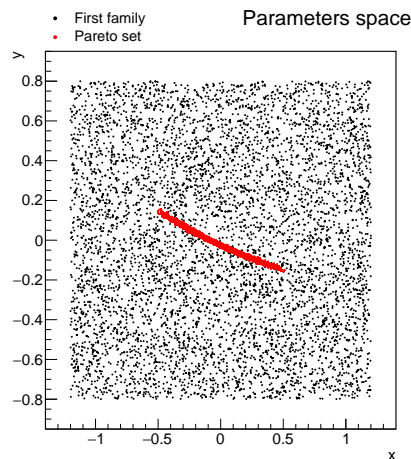
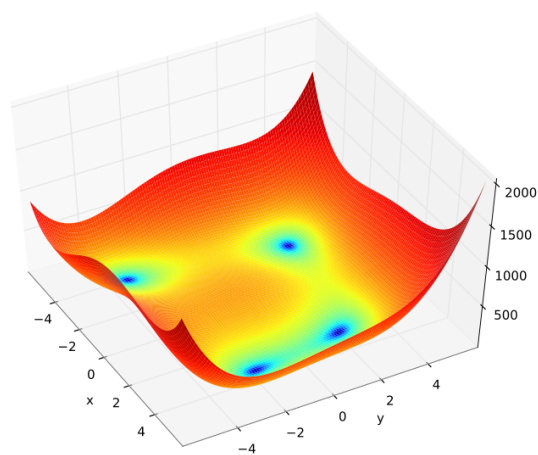
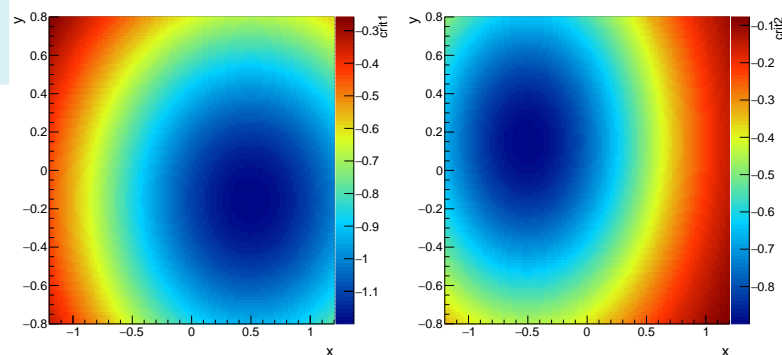


## Dealing with optimisation problem usually means:

- Single Objective (SO) or Multi Objectives (MO) to be minimised
- parameters that have an impact on objective
- possible constraint on these parameters

## Many possible implementation for this, based on:

- Minuit**: ROOT's SO optimisation library without constraint
- Opt++**: SO optimisation library with/without constraint
- NLopt**: SO optimisation library with/without constraint
- Vizir**: CEA's MO optimisation library with/without constraint, based on stochastic algorithms (*e.g.* genetic algorithms)

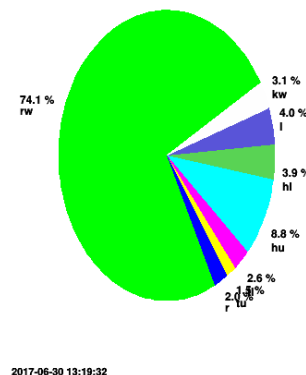


Tools to evaluate the sensitivity of the outputs of a code/function to its inputs.

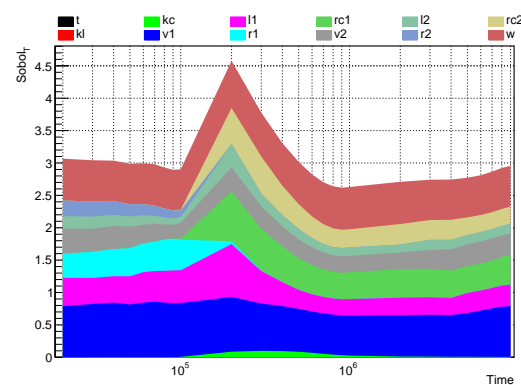
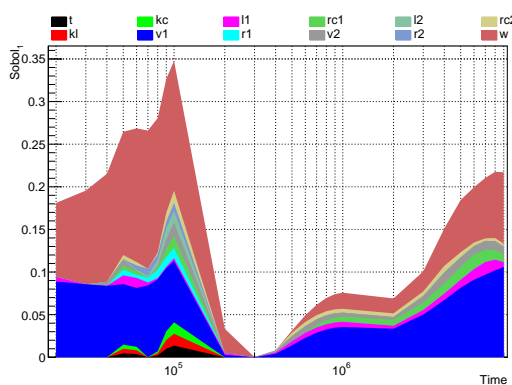
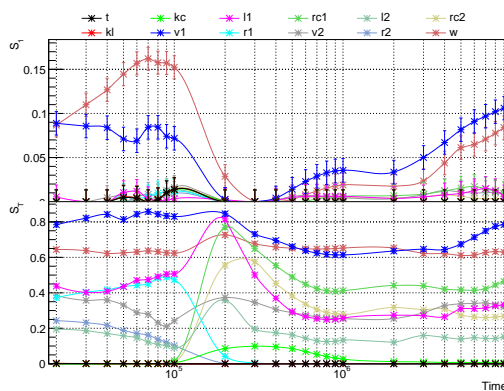
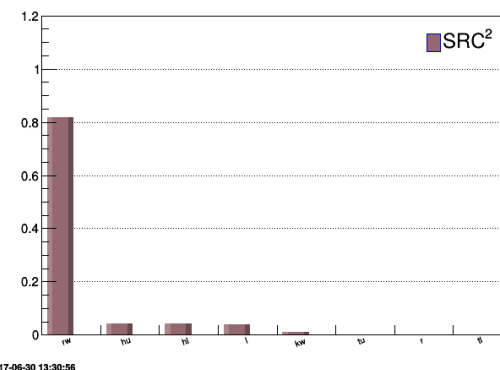
## Several kinds of methods available:

- Local: finite differences ( $\frac{\delta Y_i}{\delta X_j}(x_0)$ )
- Regression:
  - ➔ Pearson (values)
  - ➔ Spearman (ranks)
- Screening: OAT, Morris...
- Sobol indexes:
  - ➔ FAST (Fourier Amplitude Sensitivity Test)
  - ➔ RBD (Random Balance Design)
  - ➔ Sobol/Saltelli Methods

First Sensitivity Index



Flowrate



# Eyes-on: a simple example



called by

```

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void OneKrigingOnly()
{
  /*Reading a database (y vs x1) from a simple function.
  Informations are stored in the TDataServer object*/
  TDataServer *tdsObs = new TDataServer("tdsObs","observations");
  tdsObs->fileDataRead("utf-1D-train.dat");

  /*Defining a kriging model with the training database
  by defining a certain number of options */
  TGPBuilder *gpb = new TGPBuilder(tdsObs,"x1","y","maternII");
  //Find the best possible parameters by optimisation
  gpb->findOptimalParameters("ML", 20, "BFGS", 100);
  //Build the best obtained kriging model.
  TKriging *kg = gpb->buildGP();

  /*Reading now a test basis (constructed with the same dummy function)
  This is mostly for x-check and illustration purposes*/
  TDataServer *tdsEstim = new TDataServer("tdstest","base de test");
  tdsEstim->fileDataRead("utf-1D-test.dat");

  //Applying the kriging on the test basis => launching the model on every points
  TLauncher2 *lkrig = new TLauncher2(tdsEstim, kg, "x1", "yEstim:vEstim");
  lkrig->solverLoop();

  //Plotting the results
  gROOT->LoadMacro("PlottingKriging.C");
  PlottingKriging(tdsObs, tdsEstim);
}

----- OneKrigingOnly.C All L1 (C++/l Abbrev)
Loading cc-langs...done
  
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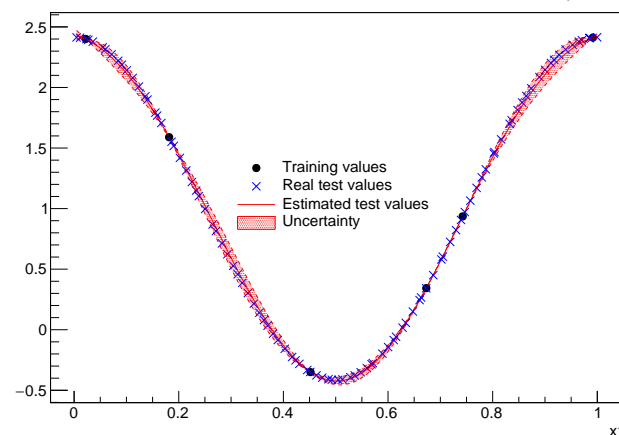
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TGPBuilder::findOptimalParameters: starting screening procedure (20 evaluations)
TGPBuilder::findOptimalParameters: starting optimisation procedure (BFGS algorithm)
!,,,,,,!,,,,
Info in <TCanvas::MakeDefCanvas>: created default TCanvas with name c1
root [2]
  
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Kriging example





# Plans for the future



## Technical improvements

- Parallelise the EGO estimation
- Porting more methods on GPU (kNN and ANN so far)
- Move to ROOT v6, to get the new C++ on the flight-compiler

## Methodological improvements

- Combine Hamiltonian Markov-chain and ANN
- Get new sensitivity indexes (Shapeley)
- Bayesian calibration (through MCMC algorithms in non linear settings)
- Test and improve many-criteria algorithms from VIZIR

## Feel free to test the platform

The code is available here: <http://sourceforge.net/projects/uranie>

- All documentations are embedded in the archive
- We give 2-3 formation sessions a year
  - ➔ Dedicated session also on specific modules once every 18 month (roughly)
- Can contact us at [support-uranie@cea.fr](mailto:support-uranie@cea.fr)

More information can be found in our recent paper (submitted to CPC):  
<http://arxiv.org/abs/1803.10656>



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