X-Informatics Physics Use Case Part II Looking for Higgs Particle Events and Counting

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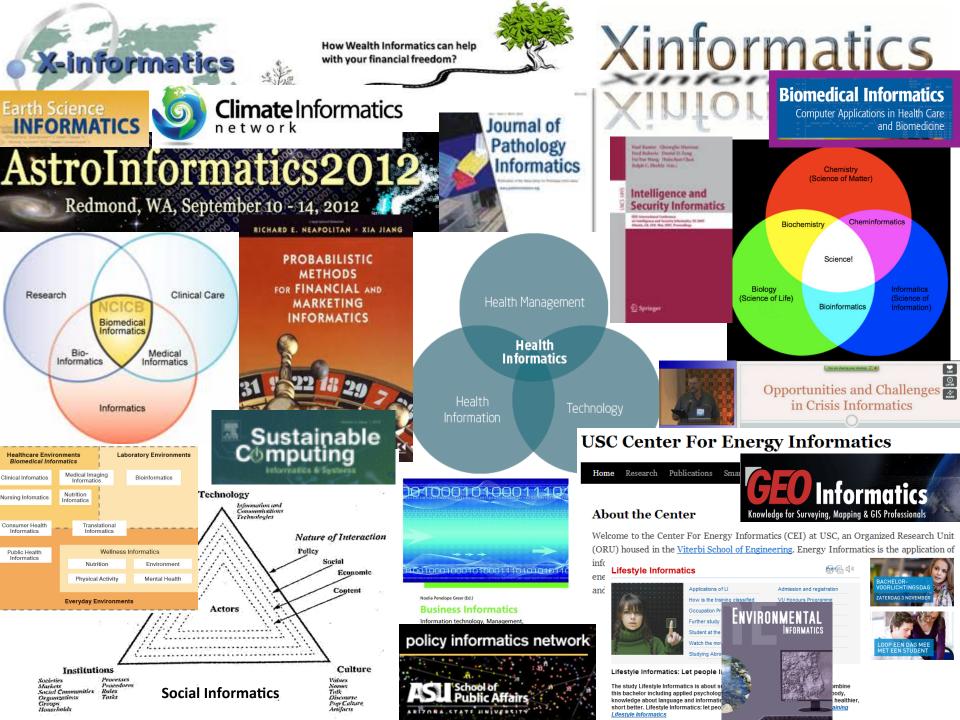
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Big Data Ecosystem in One Sentence

Use Clouds running Data Analytics Collaboratively processing Big Data to solve problems in X-Informatics (or e-X)

X = Astronomy, Biology, Biomedicine, Business, Chemistry, Climate, Crisis, Earth Science, Energy, Environment, Finance, Health, Intelligence, Lifestyle, Marketing, Medicine, Pathology, Policy, Radar, Security, Sensor, Social, Sustainability, Wealth and Wellness with more fields (physics) defined implicitly Spans Industry and Science (research)

Education: Data Science see recent New York Times articles http://datascience101.wordpress.com/2013/04/13/new-york-times-data-science-articles/



Event Counting

Event Counting

- A lot of data analysis consists of setting up a process that gives "events" as a result
 - Take a survey of what people feel; event is voting of an individual
 - Build a software system and categorize each of your data;
 event is this categorization
 - Sensor Nets; event is result of a sensor measurement
- Often results are yes/no
 - Did person vote for Candidate X or not?
 - Did event fall into a certain bin of histogram or not?
 - Note event might have a result (cost of Hotel stay or Mass of Higgs) which is histogrammed; the decision as to which bin to go into is a yes/no decision

Generate a Physics Experiment with Python

```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
testrand = np.random.rand(42000)
Base = 110 + 30* np.random.rand(42000)
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index = (1.0 - 0.5* (Base-110)/30) > testrand
gauss = 2 * np.random.randn(300) +126
Sloping = Base[index]
NarrowGauss = 0.5 * np.random.randn(300) +126
total = np.concatenate((Sloping, gauss))
NarrowTotal = np.concatenate((Sloping, NarrowGauss))
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Python Resources

http://www.enthought.com/products/epdgetstart.php
 Python distribution including NumPy and SciPy with plot

package matplotlib

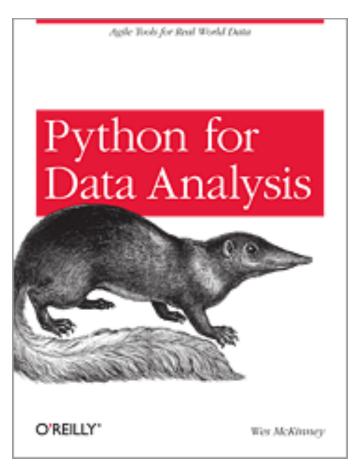
Also pandas and iPython

Python for Data Analysis
 Agile Tools for Real World Data
 By Wes McKinney

Publisher: O'Reilly Media

Released: October 2012

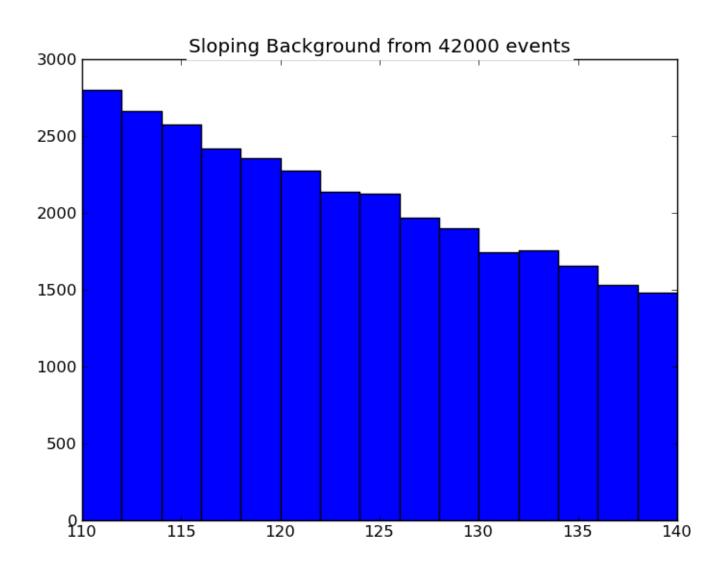
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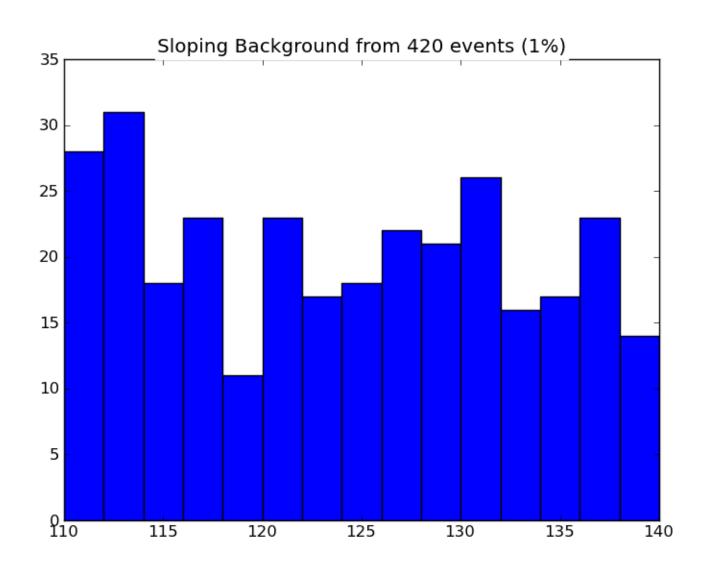
Examples of Event Counting

With Python examples of Signal plus Background

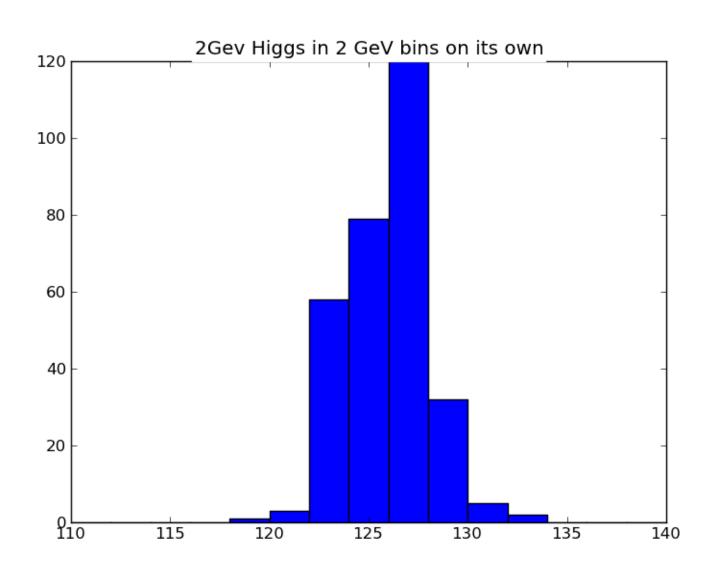
Sloping



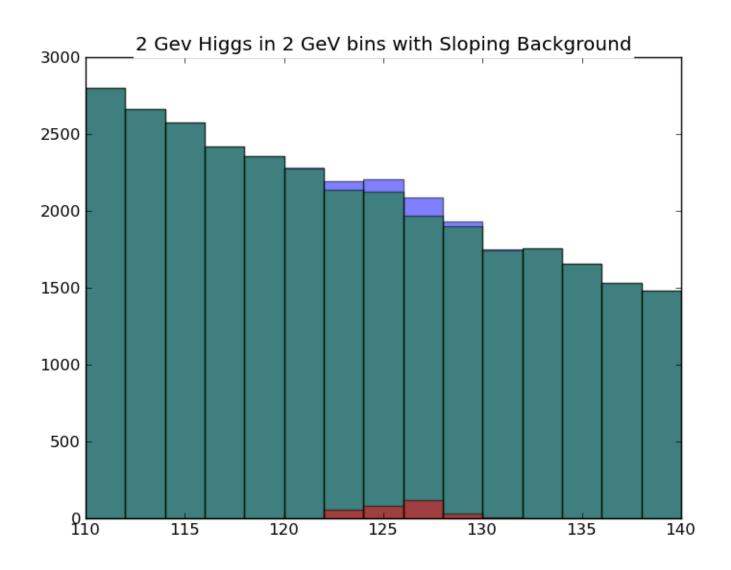
Sloping 1% Data



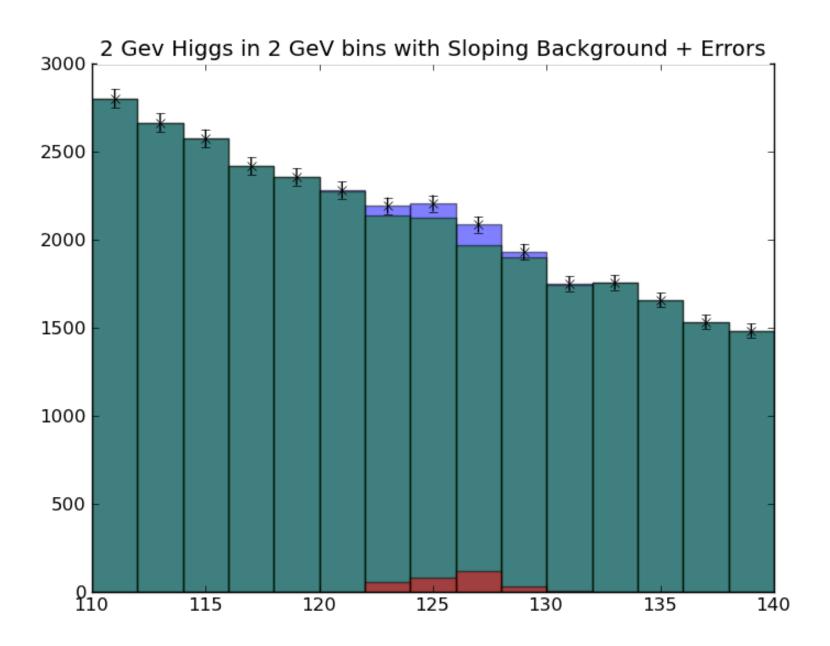
Higgs on its own



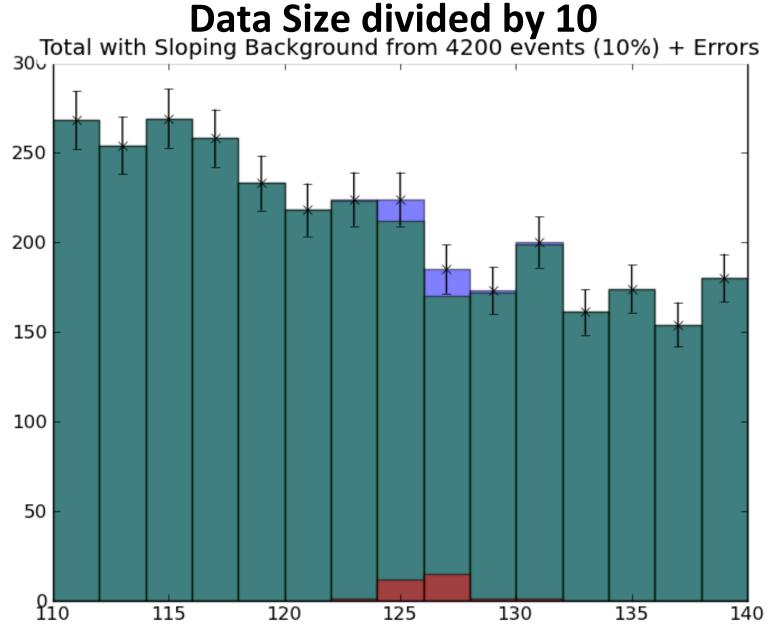
Actual Wide Higgs plus Sloping Background



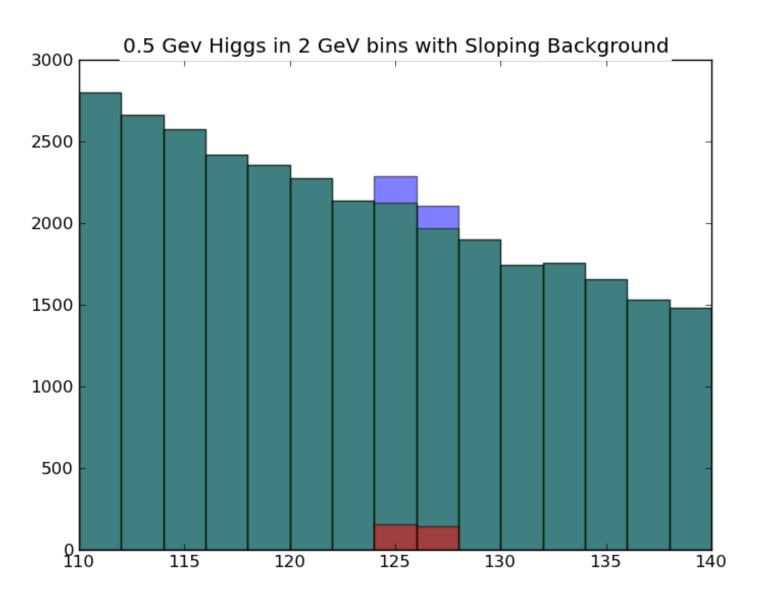
Actual Wide Higgs plus Sloping Background with errors



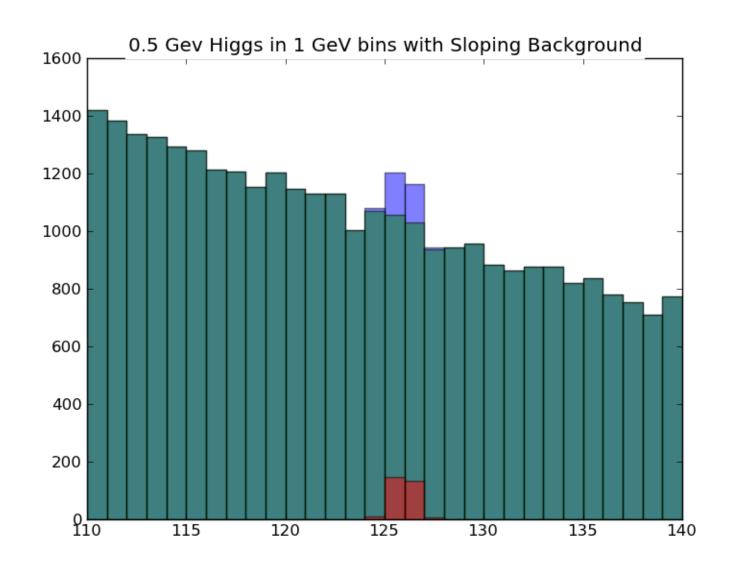
Actual Wide Higgs plus Sloping Background
Data Size divided by 10



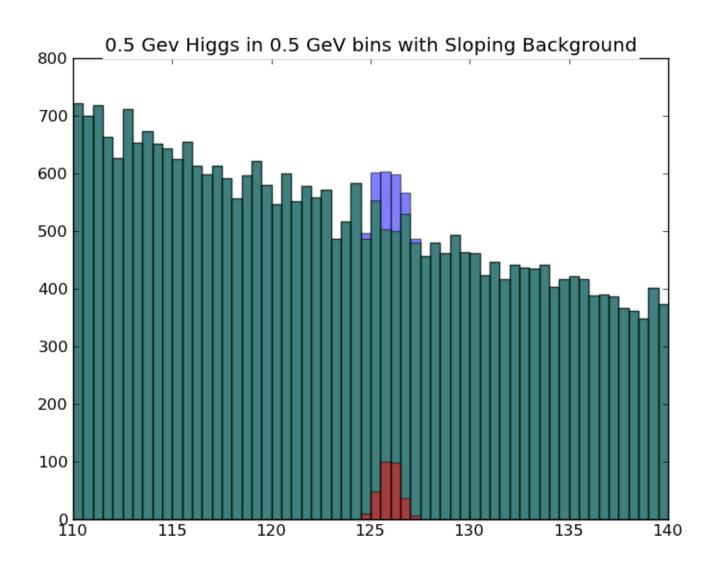
Narrow Higgs plus Sloping Background 2 GeV Bins



Narrow Higgs plus Sloping Background 1 GeV Bins



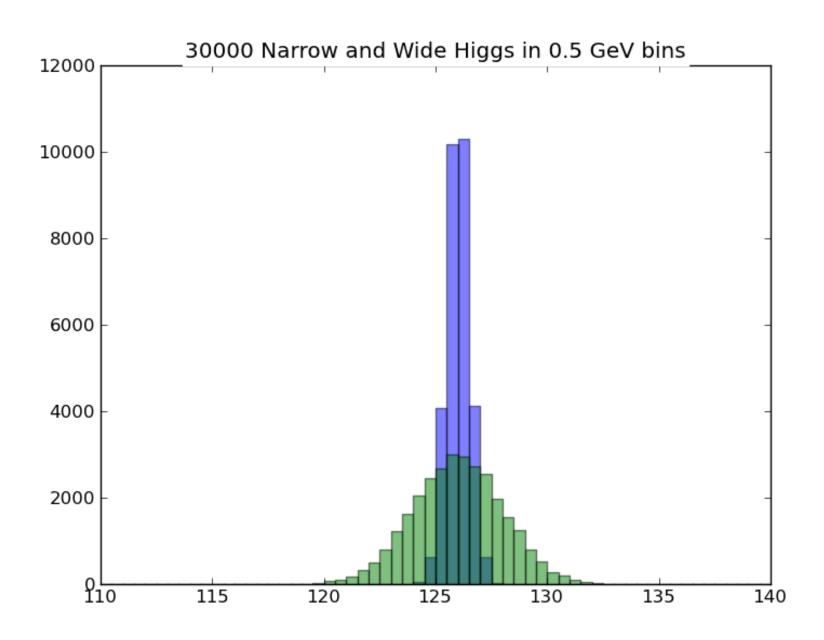
Narrow Higgs plus Sloping Background 0.5 GeV Bins



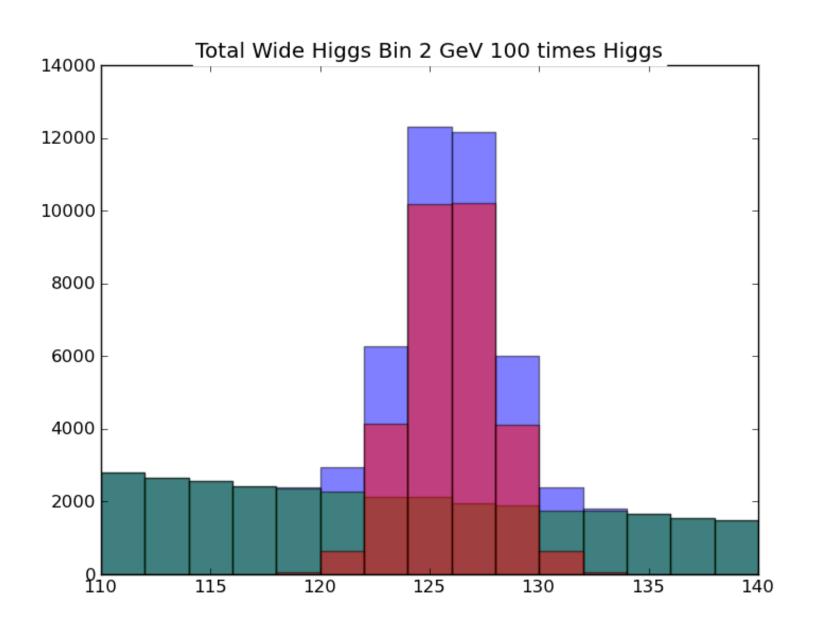
What Happens if more Higgs produced

- gaussbig = 2 * np.random.randn(30000) +126
- gaussnarrowbig = 0.5 * np.random.randn(30000)+126
- totalbig = np.concatenate((Sloping, gaussbig))

30,000 Higgs (Real Width and Narrow)



30,000 Higgs (Real Width) + Background



Simplification with flat background

- import numpy as np
- import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
- Base = 110 + 30* np.random.rand(42000)
- # Base is set of observations with an expected 2800 background events per bin
- # Note we assume here flat but in class I used a "sloping" curve that represented experiment better
- gauss = 2 * np.random.randn(300) + 126
- # Gauss is Number of Higgs particles
- simpletotal = np.concatenate((Base, gauss))
- # simpletotal is Higgs+Background
- plt.figure("Total Wide Higgs Bin 2 GeV")
- values, binedges, junk = plt.hist(simpletotal, bins=15, range =(110,140), alpha = 0.5, color="green")
- centers = 0.5*(binedges[1:] + binedges[:-1])
- # centers is center of each bin
- # values is number of events in each bin
- #:-1 is same as :Largest Index-1
- # binedges[:-1] gets you lower limit of bin
- # 1: gives you array starts at second index (labelled 1 as first index 0)
- # binedges[1:] is upper limit of each bin
- # Note binedges has Number of Bins + 1 entries; centers has Number of Bins entries
- errors =sqrt(values)
- # errors is expected error for each bin
- plt.hist(Base, bins=15, range =(110,140), alpha = 0.5, color="blue")
- plt.hist(gauss, bins=15, range =(110,140), alpha = 1.0, color="red")
- plt.errorbar(centers, values, yerr = errors, ls='None', marker ='x', color = 'black', markersize= 6.0)

Uniform Background

