

fastNLO v2.0 tableformat

Proposal for an ultra-flexible format to store any fastNLO-like table in x-space.

Original idea:

- later include non-pert. corrections and data (incl uncertainties) in the same table
- later include new physics processes in the same table

Maybe better and more flexible:

- ability to pass more than one table to code
- this allows to use separate files for (LO,NLO), (data, non-pert), (new physics)
- this e.g. allows to supply different new physics tables, depending on which model you want to compute
- the point: it does not matter if certain contributions are in the same physical table - the code combines logically all supplied tables (if they are consistent)

--> this is probably not realistic

Order of PDF linear combinations and subprocesses

- DIS
 1. Delta - contributes from order(α_s^0)
 2. Gluon - contributes from order(α_s^1)
 3. Sigma - contributes from order(α_s^2)
- hadron-hadron (using notation from older slides, corresponding to order in NLOJET++)
 1. H1 (=gg)
 2. H4
 3. H5
 4. H6
 5. H7
 6. H2 (Qg)
 7. H3 (gQ)

in 2->2 processes we have 6 subprocesses and PDF #6 is (Qg+gQ)

1234567890	Block A1 - fastNLO version (blocks A1 & A2 & A3 together are the "table header")
Itabversion	int: table version No. * 10000 (v2.0 -> 20000)
ScenName	string: Scenario Name
Ncontrib	int: No. of Contributions available in this table (includes No. of multiplicative contributions, but not number of data blocks)
Nmult	int: No. of multiplicative contributions
Ndata	int: No. of data blocks (can only be 0 or 1)
NuserString	int: No. of subsequent user strings
# for i=1,NuserString	

UserString(i)	string(NuserString): strings including user information - not interpreted by official fastNLO code
# endfor (i)	
NuserInt	int: No. of subsequent user integer variables
# for i=1,NuserInt	
UserInt(i)	int(NuserInt): integer variables including user information - not interpreted by official fastNLO code
# endfor (i)	
NuserFloat	int: No. of subsequent user float variables
# for i=1,NuserFloat	
UserFloat(i)	dbl(NuserInt): float variables including user information - not interpreted by official fastNLO code
# endfor (i)	
Imachine	machine readable scenario descriptions to follow (0:no, 1:yes)
# if Imachine = 1	
... to be defined ...	(so far use only: Imachine=0)
# endif	
1234567890	Block A2 - Scenario Description (blocks A1 & A2 together are the "table header")
lpublunits	int: negative power of ten for x-sect units in published paper
NScDescript	int: No. of subsequent strings for Scenario Description (<=30)
# for i=1,NScDescript	
ScDescript(i)	string(NscDescript): strings which will be printed during the 1st call of the usercode. Proposed format: - 1st: "dsigma_dpT_dy-(nb_GeV)" - 2nd: hep-ex No. of publication - 3rd: Collaboration - Description of Process - Table No. where corresponding data results are listed - Fig. No. where corresponding data points are plotted - e.g. jet algorithm and parameters used - detailed cuts ... (note: converted v1.4 tables have always exactly 3 strings)
# endfor (i)	
Ecms	dbl: center-of-mass energy of collider

ILOord	int: The order of alphas of the LO contribution
NObsBin	int: total No. of Observable Bins in Scenario
NDim	int: No. of Dimensions in which Observable is presented -> e.g. for inclusive pp jets: y is dim=2, pT is dim=1 -> e.g. for DIS jets: Q2 is dim=2, pT is dim=1
# for i=1,NDim	
DimLabel(i)	string(NDim): Labels what the Dimensions are (30 char)
# endfor(i)	
# for i=1,NDim	
IDiffBin(i)	int: Flag =1 (differential distribution) =2 (binned distribution) in i-th dimension (do we have one bin value / or two bin boundaries?)
# endfor	
## for i=1,NObsBin	
# for j=1,NDim	
LoBin[i][j]	dbl: Bin Center (IDiffBin=1) or lower boundary (IDiffBin=2) in j-th dimension
*** if IDiffBin(j)=2: UpBin[i][j]	dbl: upper bin boundary in j-th dimension (if j-th dimension is binned)
# endfor(j)	
## endfor(i)	
# for i=1,NObsBin	
BinSize(i)	dbl: bin size by which the cross section per bin was divided to obtain the (multi-)differential result
# endfor	
INormFlag	int: normalization flag =0: the results from this table are the final cross sections >0: the results from this table should be normalized =1: each distribution (in lowest dim.) is normalized by its own integral (or, more general: by a sum of contiguous bins from the same table) =2: each distribution is normalized by a single external value - or by a sum of contiguous bins =3: each distribution is normalized bin-by-bin by a second distribution - or by a sum of

	contiguous bins =-1: result from this table is already a denominator to normalize another table For INormFlag=2 or =3: a second instance of the usercode will be called to compute the denominator For INormFlag=-1 one could include additional cross checks to avoid nonsense
*** If INormFlag=2 or =3: DenomTable	string: Name of 2nd Table which includes calculation for Denominator
*** If INormFlag>0:	
# for i=1,NObsBin	
IDivLoPointer(i)	int: pointer to lower bin in same or second table used to compute the sum by which i-th bin will be divided
IDivUpPointer(i)	int: pointer to upper bin in same or second table used to compute the sum by which i-th bin will be divided
# endfor(i)	
	Block B - All Contributions in Sub-Blocks 01, 02, 03, ...
1234567890	Block B01 - First Contribution
IXsectUnits	int: negative powers of ten for x-sect units (note: although allowed by tableformat v1.5, we never use different x-sect units within one scenario)
IDataFlag	int: Flag =1 for data block =0 for theory contributions
IAddMultFlag	int: Flag =0 for additive =1 for multiplicative contribution (multiplicative contributions are only numbers w/o dependence on alpha_s, PDFs, scales, etc.) e.g. hadronization corrections
IContrFlag1	int: type of contribution 1: fixed order - all 1 contributions can be added/multiplied - relative order in IContrFlag2 (1=LO, 2=NLO, ...) 2: SM corrections -> more info in IContrFlag2 (1=thresh.cor., 2=e/w, ...) - relative order in IContrflag3 3: "New Physics" corrections -> more info in IContrFlag2 (1=QuarkComp, 2=ADD-LED, 3=TeV-1-ED, ...) - more in IContrFlag3 (1=interference w/ LO term, 2=pure LO NP term, 3= interference w/ NLO, 4= pure NLO NP term)

IContrFlag2	int: flag - contributions with identical IContrFlag2 belong to the same calculation/model
IContrFlag3	int: additional flag to define contributions (for future use)
NContrDescr	int: No. of strings to describe contribution
# for i=1,NContrDescr	
CtrbDescript(i)	string(NContrDescr) (30 char): Description of Contribution "LO"
# endfor(i)	
NCodeDescr	int: No. of strings to describe Code used in calculation
# for i=1,NCodeDescr	
CodeDescript(i)	string(NCodeDescr) (30 char): describe code that was used for computation
# endfor(i)	
# if IDataFlag==1	if block consist only of data: can only appear once
	(structure for data block is not yet final - see text file for draft)
Nuncorrel	int: No. of uncorrelated uncertainty sources
# for i=1,Nuncorrel	
UncDescr(i)	string: description of i-th uncorrelated uncertainty source
# endfor(i)	
Ncorrel	int: No. of correlated uncertainty sources
# for i=1,Ncorrel	
CorDescr(i)	string: Description of i-th correlated source
# endfor(i)	
## for i=1,NObsBin	(the bin boundaries must coincide with the definitions in block A2)
Xcenter(i)	dbl: bin center in last dimension - if n/a set to bin middle
value(i)	dbl: cross section in units specified in block A2
# for j=1,Nuncorrel	
UnCorLo(i)(j)	dbl: lower uncertainty from j-th uncorrelated source to i-th data point
UnCorHi(i)(j)	dbl: upper uncertainty from j-th uncorrelated source to i-th data point

# endfor(j)	
# for j=1,Ncorrel	
CorrLo(i)(j)	dbl: lower uncertainty from j-th correlated source to i-th data point
CorrHi(i)(j)	dbl: upper uncertainty from j-th correlated source to i-th data point
# endfor(j)	
## endfor(i)	comment: store all uncertainties as <u>_absolute_</u> - not in percent
NErrMatrix	int: No. of error matrices available
## for i=1,NerrMatrix	
# for j=1,(NObsBin^2)	
matricelement(i)(j)	dbl: j-th element of i-th correlation matrix
# endfor(j)	
## endfor(i)	
>>> end of block B	
# endif (IDataFlag)	
# if IAddMult=1	if block consists only of of (NObsBin) factors which are multiplied to the observable bins (block can appear multiple times - for different corrections)
Nuncorrel	int; No. of uncorrelated uncertainty sources
# for i=1,Nuncorrel	
UncDescr(i)	string: description of i-th uncorrelated uncertainty source
# endfor(i)	
Ncorrel	int: No. of correlated uncertainty sources
# for i=1,Ncorrel	
CorDescr(i)	string: description of i-th correlated uncertainty source
# endfor(i)	
## for i=1,NObsBin	
fact(i)	dbl: multiplicative factor for combined theory result
# for j=1,Nuncorrel	
UnCorLo(i)(j)	dbl: lower uncertainty from j-th uncorrelated uncertainty source
UnCorHi(i)(j)	dbl: upper uncertainty from j-th uncorrelated uncertainty source

# endfor(j)	
# for j=1,Ncorrel	
CorrLo(i)(j)	dbl: lower uncertainty from j-th correlated uncertainty source
CorrHi(i)(j)	dbl: upper uncertainty from j-th correlated uncertainty source
# endfor(j)	
## endfor(i)	
>>> end of block C	
# endif (IAddMult)	
# if ((not data) and (not multiplicative)) ... continue	
IRef	int: flag if this contribution is a "standard" fastNLO table (=0) or a "reference table" (=1) which includes alphas, PDFs
IScaleDep	int: flag for scale dependence of coefficients =0: for "Born-type" coefficient with no scale dependence - as in LO, or LO corrections (some "New Physics") =1: for standard fixed-order contributions (NLO, NNLO, ...) where coefficients depend on the scale in a special way which allows a-posteriori scale variations =2: for contributions in which coefficients depend on the scale in a way which does not allow a-posteriori scale variations
Nevt	int: Number of Events (or Integration Points) used (important: in Fortran use Integer*8!!!)
Npow	int: absolute order in alphas
NPDF	int: No. of PDFs involved (only choices: 0,1,2)
# for i=1,NPDF	
NPDFPDG(i)	int: PDG code of particle for i-th PDF (special values for nuclei)
# endfor(i)	
NPDFDim	int: No. of 'Dimensions' in which PDFs are stored =0 linear (for NPDF=1) =1 half matrix (for NPDF=2 using symmetries) =2 full matrix (for NPDF=2 w/o symmetries)
NFragFunc	int: No. of Fragmentation Functions (FFs) involved

# for i=1,NFRagFunc	
NFFPDG(i)	int: PDF code of particle for i-th Fragmentation Function
# endfor(i)	
NFFDim	int: Flag how FFs are stored (to be defined ...)
NSubproc	int: No. of partonic Subprocesses - comment: this is redundant with the next flag, but still kept!)
IPDFdef1	int: 1st Flag to define PDF linear combinations corresponding to partonic subprocesses (0: not specified-see single coeff 1:e+e- 2: incl DIS, 3:hh/hh-bar-jets 4:hH different hadrons(gamma-p))
IPDFdef2	int: 2nd Flag to define PDF linear combinations if IPDFdef1 = 1 if IPDFdef1 = 2 1: NC DIS 2: direct gammaP if IPDFdef1 = 3 1: hhbar-jets if IPDFdef1 = 4 1: resolved gammaP
IPDFdef3	int: 3rd Flag to define PDF linear combinations for IPDFdef1=2, IPDFdef2=1 (NC DIS) 1: 1 subprocess (incl DIS, LO: Delta) 2: 2 subprocesses (DIS jets LO: Delta, Gluon) 3: 3 subprocesses (DIS jets NLO: Delta, Gluon, Sigma) for IPDFdef1=3, IPDFdef2=1 (hh-jets) 1: 6 subprocesses (2-->2 processes, e.g. dijet LO, thresh-cor,) 2: 7 subprocesses (2-->3 processes, e.g. dijet NLO, 3-jet LO)
IPDFCoeff (obsolete - not used!!)	int: Flag for predefined sets of PDF coefficients =0 not specified -> specify all $n \cdot 13^m$ coefficients below else: ee <1000000; ep 1000000's; pp 2000000's 1000101: incl DIS LO - 1 subproc ~ sum($e^2 q$) 1000102: incl DIS NLO - 2 subproc ~ sum($e^2 q$), g 1000103: incl DIS N^n LO - 3 subproc ~

	<p>sum($e^2 q$),g,sum(q) 1000110's: same with e/w corrections</p> <p>2000101: jets LO (6 subproc) 2000102: jets NⁿLO (7 subproc) 2000110's jet w/ e/w corrections (? subproc)</p> <p>2000201: Z LO 2000202: Z NLO 2000203: Z NNLO 2000300's same for W</p>
*** if IPDFdef1=0	if there is no predefined set for the PDF linear combinations, all single PDF coefficients will be stored here
## for k=1,NSubproc	
	to be filled
>> case NPDF=1	
>> case NPDF=2	
## endfor(k)	
	comment: as far as I see, a similar procedure is not needed for FFs
*** if NPDF>0	
## for i=1,NObsBin	
Nxtot1(i)	int: No. of x-nodes (in 1st dimension of PDF array)
# for j=1,Nxtot1(i)	
XNode1(i)(j)	dbl: x-values of nodes where PDFs are evaluated
# endfor(j)	
## endfor(i)	
*** if NPDFdim=2	if we use a full matrix to store coefficients
## for j=1,NObsBin	
Nxtot2(i)	int: No. of x-nodes in 2nd dimension of PDF array for i-th ObsBin
# for i=1,Nxtot2(i)	
Xnode2(i)(j)	dbl: x-values of nodes in 2nd dim where PDF

	are evaluated
# endfor(i)	
## endfor(j)	
*** endif (NPDFdim)	
*** endif (NPDF)	
*** if NFragsFunc =>0	
## for i=1,NObsBin	
Nztot(i)	int: total No. of z-nodes to cover FF's matrix (flexible for each Obs. Bin)
# for j=1,Nztot	
Znode(i)(j)	dbl: z-nodes at which FFs are evaluated
# endfor(j)	
## endfor(i)	
*** endif (NFragsFunc)	comment: the concept of treating FFs is not yet fully worked out
NScales	int: No. of scales involved 1st muR, then muF for all PDFs, then muF for all FFs
NScaleDim	int: No. of dimensions in which scales are stored
# for i=1,NScales	
Iscale(i)	int: pointer to dimension in which i-th scale is stored (in C++ convention) 0: scale is stored in 1st scale dimension 1: scale is stored in 2nd scale dimension
# endfor (i)	
## for i=1,NScaledim	
NscaleDescript(i)	int: No. of Description strings for i-th scale dimension
# for j=1,Nscaledescrpt(i)	
ScaleDescript(i)(j)	string: Description how "unity" in i-th scale dimension is defined e.g.: "pT of individual jet", "computed from the two highest pT jets", "fixed value - taken at 45% within the pT bin"
# endfor(j)	
## endfor(i)	

# for i=1,NscaleDim	
Nscalevar(i)	int: No. of scale variations in i-th dimension
Nscalenode(i)	int: No. of scale nodes in i-th dimension used for interpolation (must be the same for all observable bins and for all scale variations)
# endfor	
## for i=1,Nscaledim	
# for j=1,Nscalevar(i)	
ScaleFac(i)(j)	dbl: j-th scale variation factor in i-th dimension
# endfor(i)	
## endfor(j)	
#### for i=1,NObsBin	
### for j=1,Nscaledim	
## for k=1,Nscalevar(j)	
# for l=1,Nscalenode(j)	
ScaleNode(i)(j)(k)(l)	dbl: l-th node in k-th scale variation in j-th dimension for i-th observable bin (in v1.4 this was: murscale*murval)
# endfor(l)	
## endfor(k)	
### endfor(j)	
#### endfor(i)	
##### for i=1,NObsBin	
##### for j=1,Nscaledim (remove!!!)	
##### for k=1,Nscalevar(j) (repeat for each dim)	
##### for l=1,Nscalenode(j) (repeat for each dim)	
>>> the following assumes NFrags=0	to be worked out for FFs
>> case NPDFdim=0: nxmax = Nxtot(1,i)	linear
>> case NPDFdim=1: nxmax = (Nxtot(1,i)^2+Nxtot(1,i)) /2	half matrix

>> case NPDFdim=2: nxmax = Nxtot(1,i)*Nxtot(2,i)	full matrix
## for m=1,nxmax	
# for n=1,Nsubproc	
SigmaTilde(i)(j)(k)(l)(m)(n)	dbl: sigma tilde (old: buggy def.)
SigmaTilde(i)(k1)(l1)...(k[n])(l[n])(m) (n)	dbl: sigma tilde (n=NScaleDim)
# endfor(n)	
## endfor(m)	
### endfor(l)	
#### endfor(k)	
##### endfor(j)	
##### endfor(i)	
1234567890	Block B02 (second contribution) - optional
	same structure as block B01
1234567890	Block B03 (third contribution) - optional
	same structure as block B01
1234567890	Block Bnn (nn-th contribution) - optional
	same structure as block B01
1234567890	end of table
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