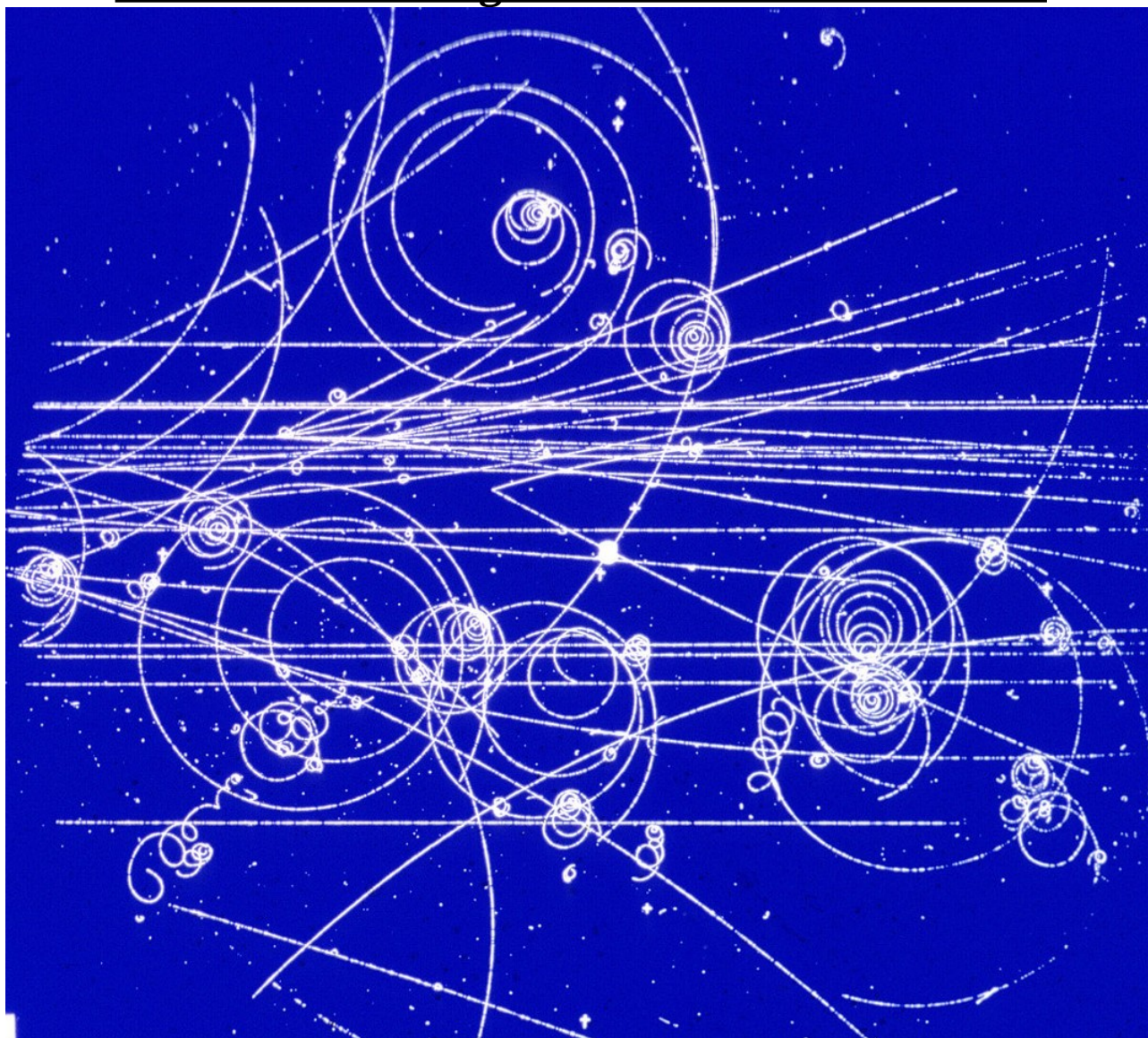


KVPY SUMMER PROJECT

TOPIC: Scattering And Simulation Softwares



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Aim: Learning basics of quantum scattering and knowing how to use various softwares for High Energy Physics.

Motivation: As a first year undergraduate student my primary motivation was exploring what is there in experimental high energy physics. I wanted to gather knowledge about what happens in the collider and how we predict various properties of particles.

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Project work:-

Learning some theory: I was not exposed to Quantum Mechanics before. So, I began to learn basics of it .

<QM>

I learnt

- Frank and Hertz experiment, Young's Double-Slit experiment[1].
- Heisenberg's uncertainty principle, principle of superposition[2].
- Schrodinger's equation[3].
- Dirac notations ('Bra' and 'ket') [4].
- Basics of Probability theory[5] and Fourier series[6].

<Particle Physics>

As it was needed in the project, I studied standard model[7] and historical account of reaching the model[8]. I studied in brief some famous groundbreaking experiments done to discover new particles.

- Discovery of pion and muon from experiments with cosmic rays[8].
- Discovery of first antiparticle positron by Anderson followed by other antiparticle discoveries[8].
- Experiment by Cowan and Reines at Savannah River nuclear reactor in South Carolina (1950) and confirmation of neutrino's existence[8].
- Discovery of strange particles[8].

I also studied

- Klein-Gordon equation[7].
- Dirac sea and how this picture (sea of electrons having negative energy states) were used as theoretical prediction of antiparticles[8,9].
- Quantum scattering, differential cross section, total cross section and its

- physical significance[10].
- Rapidity and pseudo rapidity[11,12].
- How to use Feynman diagrams to represent various processes[8,13].
- How to calculate invariant amplitude for scattering of two spinless particles from it[8,9].
- How Fermi's golden rule gives us decay rates and scattering cross sections[8].

Overview of Work: Along with reading theory, I learnt c++[14]. I learnt basics of data analysis framework root developed by Cern[15]. In ROOT, I learnt

- How to draw graphs for various functions.
- How to draw histograms with and without error bars.
- How to create and use tree[16].
- How to deal with files in root.
- Use of class TVector3 and TVorentzVector.
- How to compile and execute .C files in root (using .x and .L command).

After learning root I was given a file [data_log_udp_n0017.dat](#) to

- Create histograms for the data in each column and save them in a .root file.
- Reading histograms from .root files and save mean, rms, number of entries of each histograms in a .txt file.
- Read columns from the .dat file and add them as branches of a tree and save the tree as another .root file.
- Create histograms after reading the tree.

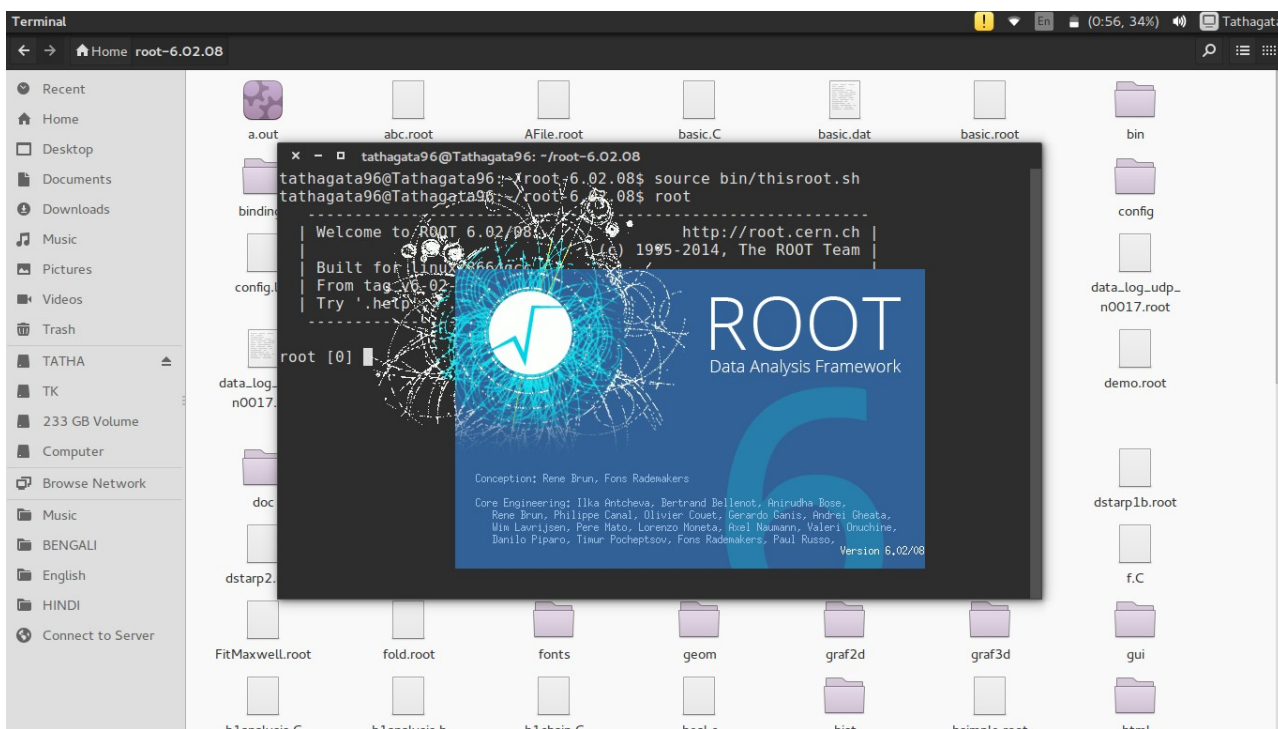
Then I learnt basics of MCFM([Monte Carlo for FeMtobarn processes](#)) and used it to get cross-section of scattering of two protons.

Detailed Work:

<Using ROOT>

ROOT is a data analysis framework which provides us with various tools particularly useful for physics (like drawing graphs, histograms, vector transformations, geometry).

After successful installation (see <https://root.cern.ch/drupal/content/installing-root-source>) root can be opened through terminal



Running root

In ROOT , I learnt

1) Drawing graph of a function

This can be done by typing command

TF1 f("Function_name", "f(x)", xmin, xmax)

and then with the command `f.Draw()` as shown


```

Terminal
Home root-6.02.08

tathagata96@Tathagata96: ~/root-6.02.08
tathagata96@Tathagata96:~/root-6.02.08$ source bin/thisroot.sh
tathagata96@Tathagata96:~/root-6.02.08$ root

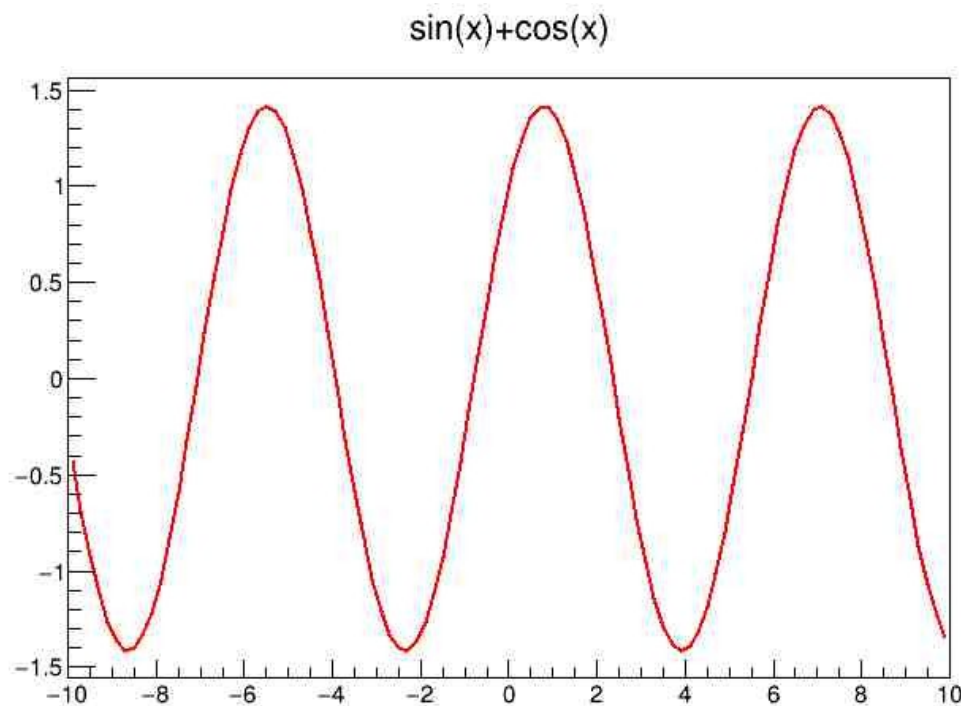
Welcome to ROOT 6.02/08                                     http://root.cern.ch
(c) 1995-2014, The ROOT Team
Built for linuxx86_64gcc
From tag v6-02-08, 13 April 2015
Try '.help', '.demo', '.license', '.credits', '.quit'/'.'q'

root [0] TF1 f("Function","sin(x)+cos(x)",-10,10)
(TF1 f) @0x7f62bbaa7018
root [1] f.Draw()
Info in <TCanvas::MakeDefCanvas>: created default TCanvas with name c1
root [2] Info in <TCanvas::Print>: pdf file /home/tathagata96/PROJECT/unnamed.pdf has been created
Info in <TCanvas::Print>: file ./c1.jpg has been created
Info in <TCanvas::Print>: file /home/tathagata96/PROJECT/sincos.jpg has been created

```

Drawing a graph: root prompt command

This produces the graph below



Graph of $\sin(x)+\cos(x)$ in range $[-10,10]$ as produced through Root

There are various modes of drawing graph. Polar graphs can be drawn (using [TGraphPolar](#)), 2D and 3D graphs can be drawn.

2) Drawing histograms in root

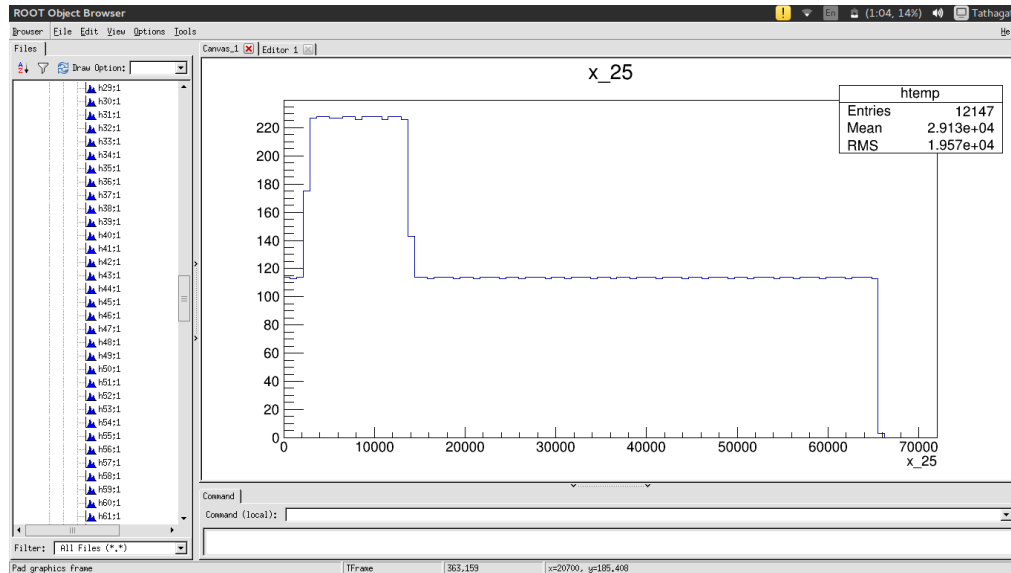
I learnt to draw 1D, 2D and 3D histograms in root using [TH1](#), [TH2](#), [TH3](#) classes.

This can be done by constructor

`TH1F h("histogram_name", "Title", number of bins, xmax, xmin)`

Histograms can be filled by `h.Fill(x,weight)` method. It can be drawn on canvas by the method `h.Draw()`

Below one such histogram is shown.



Histogram in ROOT

Besides these, I learnt

3) Creating a tree using `TTree t("name","title")` constructor.

A tree is like a data file which is more user friendly & less memory taking. We can store values of a variable in a branch of tree. Once we have the tree we can extract all the information, display the histos ,plot graphs between two or three variables and many more things.

Branch can be added to a tree using

`t.Branch("Variable_name", variable address, "Variable/Type")`

method. Filling the tree using `t.Fill()` method. As in tree file size gets compressed (compared to `.dat`) and it automatically generates histograms, it is advantageous to use tree.

4) Using classes `TVector3` and `TlorentzVector` to do calculations(such as components in a rotated coordinate) concerning three vectors and four vectors easily .

5) Compilation of c++ code using root:

The c++ code should be saved as `filename.C`

Its main function should be named `filename()`

Then we can execute the program using command `.x Filename.C` and we can compile it using `.L filename.C`

6) In root files can be saved with extension `.root`

Files can be created using constructor `TFile f("filename.root", "recreate");`

Files can be opened using `TFile f("filename.root")` constructor.

After learning basics of Root , I was given a file `data_log_udp_n0017.dat` (filled with several columns of data) to do the following works with it

(a) Importing the data file

(b) Printing all the columns/rows of this file into the terminal

(c) Creating Histograms for each column with proper labels(axes, names, etc)

(d) Storing these Histograms in a `.root` file

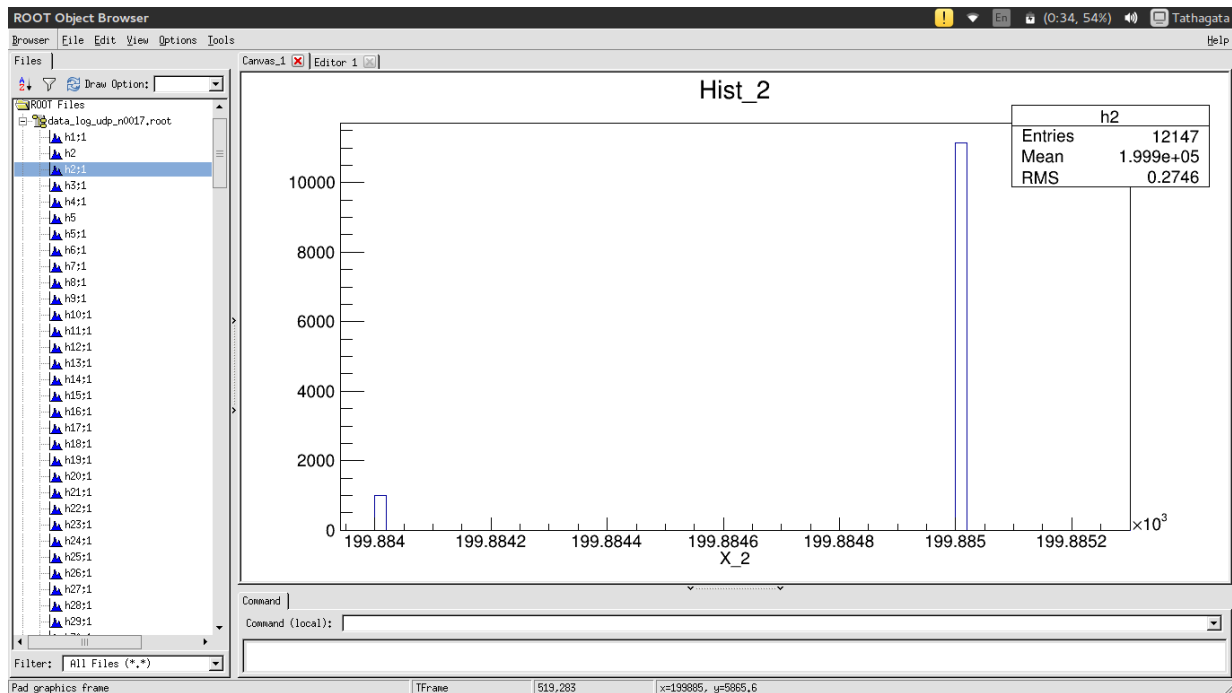
I determined the number of columns in the files using `no_columns.c` program and found it to be 62. Then I wrote the program `data_log_udp_n0017.C` which does all the above four tasks. The histograms were saved in file `data_log_udp_n0017.root`

All these files can be found in the link

https://drive.google.com/folderview?id=0B3yQpROHCwaRfm1RY0NUSVUzUzhnYkdwNTJUOFFMZERYZDIItVF9CNkFjb0ttl9MQzg0Z1U&usp=drive_web

Files can be found in the folder named `Data_File`.

One of the 62 histograms is shown on the next page.



Histogram

Next steps were:

- Importing the previously created [.root](#) file
- Reading all the histos and their statistics(mean,rms,entry)
- Putting these statistics in a [.txt](#) file for later use.

The code written to achieve these is [data_log_udp_n0017_1.C](#) and again it is shared in the folder mentioned above. New file [data_log_udp_n0017.txt](#) was created.

The screenshot shows a gedit text editor window titled 'data_log_udp_n0017.txt (~/.root-6.02.08) - gedit'. The file contains the following statistics for nine histograms:

```

Histogram_1
Entries = 12147.000000,Mean = 0.000000,RMS = 0.000000

Histogram_2
Entries = 12147.000000,Mean = 199884.917922,RMS = 0.274787

Histogram_3
Entries = 12147.000000,Mean = 0.000000,RMS = 0.000000

Histogram_4
Entries = 12147.000000,Mean = 199884.917922,RMS = 0.274787

Histogram_5
Entries = 12147.000000,Mean = 0.000000,RMS = 0.000000

Histogram_6
Entries = 12147.000000,Mean = 199884.915699,RMS = 0.277838

Histogram_7
Entries = 12147.000000,Mean = 0.000000,RMS = 0.000000

Histogram_8
Entries = 12147.000000,Mean = 199884.915617,RMS = 0.277948

Histogram_9
Entries = 12147.000000,Mean = 0.000000,RMS = 0.000000

```

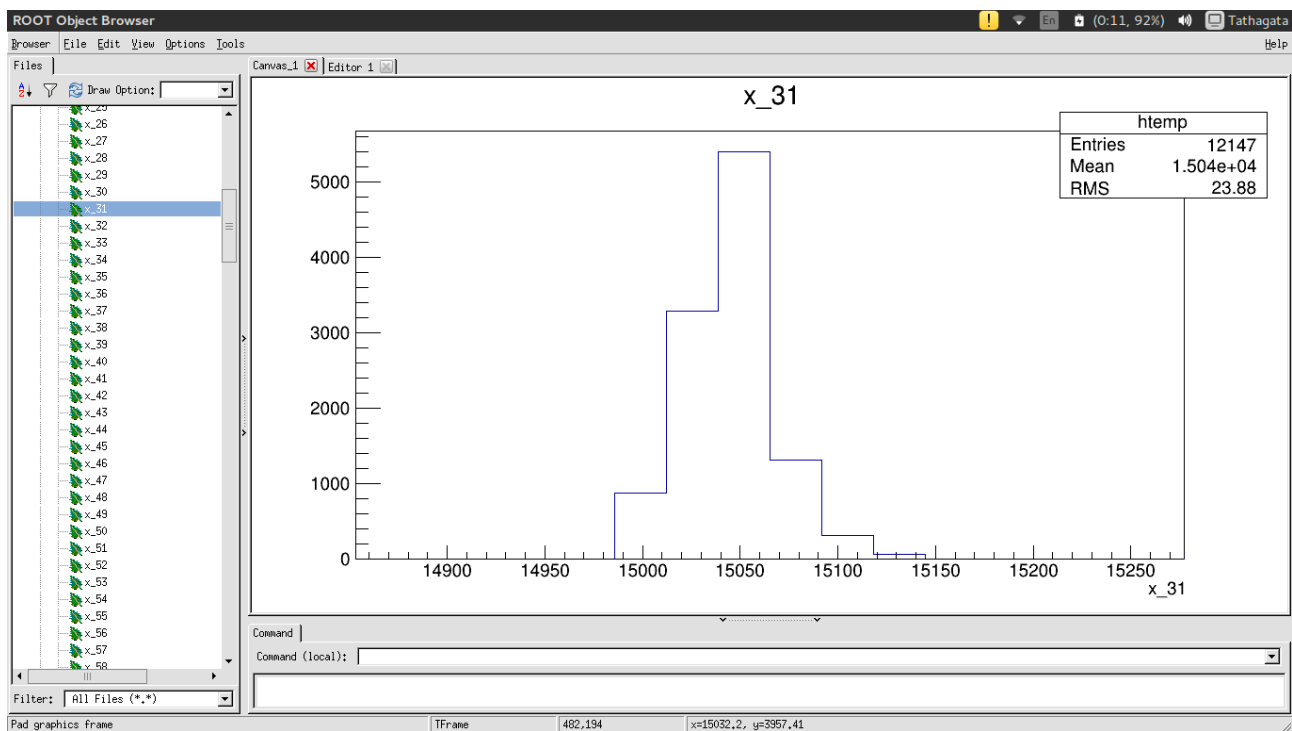
The [.txt](#) file where statistics of histograms are saved

Then next six steps were:

- (A) Creating skeleton of tree
- (B) Opening the `.dat` file and filling the tree
- (C) Printing and writing the tree
- (D) Importing the file containing tree and reading the tree
- (E) Creating skeleton of histograms
- (F) Filling histograms from the tree

To do first three steps, `data_log_udp_n0017_tree.C` was written. For the last three steps `data_log_udp_n0017_treeread.C` was written. The files are available in the link.

<https://drive.google.com/open?id=0B3yQpROHCwaRfmZvNnM0OERselZ0ZXU2aUtqX1hkU1dJUUVBaZlFjUGJMZ0NwMHBEM1RXNGM>



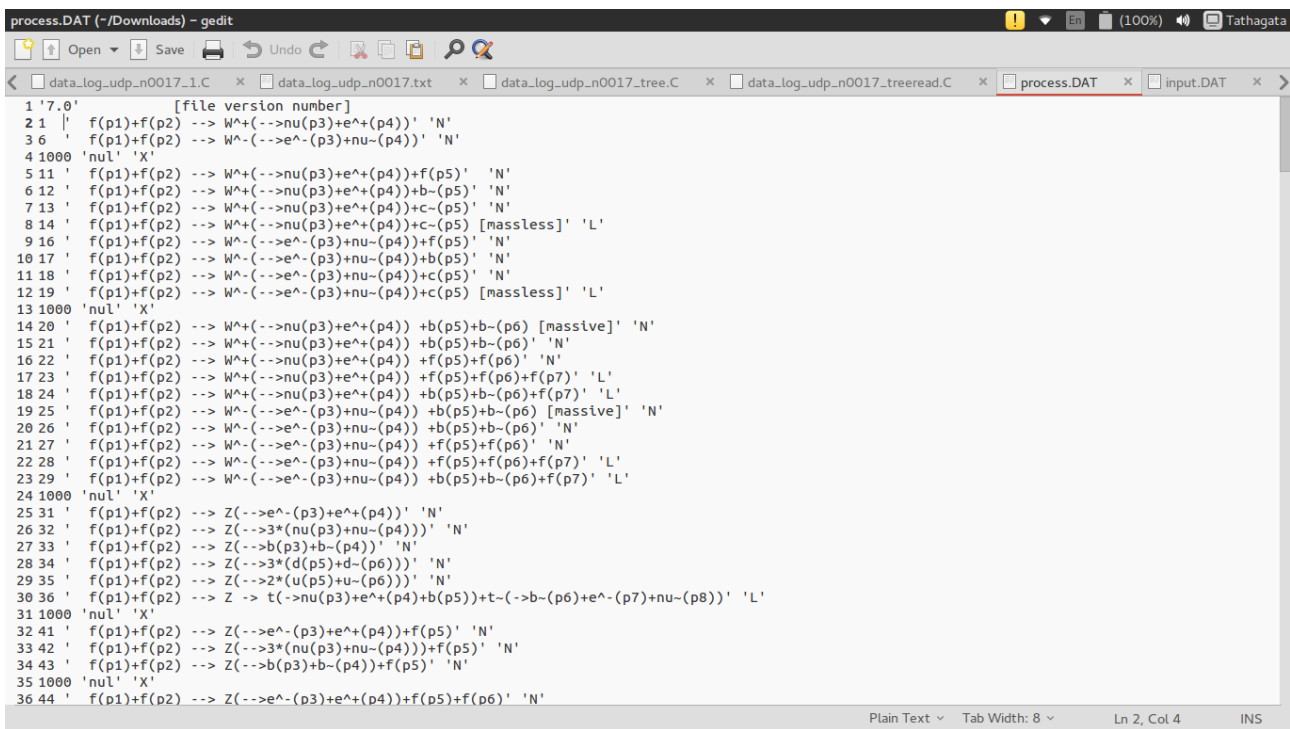
A Histogram drawn from a branch of a Tree in ROOT

<Using MCFM>

After getting used to with root I started to learn MCFM software([Monte Carlo for FeMtobarn Processes](#)). This software was reading input parameters from a file `input.dat` and it was generating various histograms for a particular scattering process(processes are given in a file `process.dat`) and it was calculating total cross section. It was giving .C (to be executed in root) , .dat and .top files as output.

After installing MCFM (see <http://mcfm.fnal.gov/>) the above two .dat files can be found in MCFM/Bin folder.

`process.dat` contains lists of several scattering process. There are only two incoming



```
1 7.0 [file version number]
2 1 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^+(->nu(p3)+e^+(p4))' 'N'
3 6 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^-(->e^-(p3)+nu~(p4))' 'N'
4 1000 'nul' 'X'
5 11 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^+(->nu(p3)+e^+(p4))+f(p5)' 'N'
6 12 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^+(->nu(p3)+e^+(p4))+b~(p5)' 'N'
7 13 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^+(->nu(p3)+e^+(p4))+c~(p5)' 'N'
8 14 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^+(->nu(p3)+e^+(p4))+c~(p5) [massless]' 'L'
9 16 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^-(->e^-(p3)+nu~(p4))+f(p5)' 'N'
10 17 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^-(->e^-(p3)+nu~(p4))+b(p5)' 'N'
11 18 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^-(->e^-(p3)+nu~(p4))+c(p5)' 'N'
12 19 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^-(->e^-(p3)+nu~(p4))+c(p5) [massless]' 'L'
13 1000 'nul' 'X'
14 20 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^+(->nu(p3)+e^+(p4)) +b(p5)+b~(p6) [massive]' 'N'
15 21 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^+(->nu(p3)+e^+(p4)) +b(p5)+b~(p6)' 'N'
16 22 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^+(->nu(p3)+e^+(p4)) +f(p5)+f(p6)' 'N'
17 23 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^+(->nu(p3)+e^+(p4)) +f(p5)+f(p6)+f(p7)' 'L'
18 24 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^+(->nu(p3)+e^+(p4)) +b(p5)+b~(p6)+f(p7)' 'L'
19 25 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^-(->e^-(p3)+nu~(p4)) +b(p5)+b~(p6) [massive]' 'N'
20 26 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^-(->e^-(p3)+nu~(p4)) +b(p5)+b~(p6)' 'N'
21 27 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^-(->e^-(p3)+nu~(p4)) +f(p5)+f(p6)' 'N'
22 28 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^-(->e^-(p3)+nu~(p4)) +f(p5)+f(p6)+f(p7)' 'L'
23 29 f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^-(->e^-(p3)+nu~(p4)) +b(p5)+b~(p6)+f(p7)' 'L'
24 1000 'nul' 'X'
25 31 f(p1)+f(p2) --> Z(->e^-(p3)+e^+(p4))' 'N'
26 32 f(p1)+f(p2) --> Z(->3*(nu(p3)+nu~(p4)))' 'N'
27 33 f(p1)+f(p2) --> Z(->b(p3)+b~(p4))' 'N'
28 34 f(p1)+f(p2) --> Z(->3*(d(p5)+d~(p6)))' 'N'
29 35 f(p1)+f(p2) --> Z(->2*(u(p5)+u~(p6)))' 'N'
30 36 f(p1)+f(p2) --> Z -> t(->nu(p3)+e^+(p4))+b(p5))+t~(->b~(p6)+e^-(p7)+nu~(p8))' 'L'
31 1000 'nul' 'X'
32 41 f(p1)+f(p2) --> Z(->e^-(p3)+e^+(p4))+f(p5)' 'N'
33 42 f(p1)+f(p2) --> Z(->3*(nu(p3)+nu~(p4))+f(p5))' 'N'
34 43 f(p1)+f(p2) --> Z(->b(p3)+b~(p4))+f(p5)' 'N'
35 1000 'nul' 'X'
36 44 f(p1)+f(p2) --> Z(->e^-(p3)+e^+(p4))+f(p5)+f(p6)' 'N'
```

process.DAT

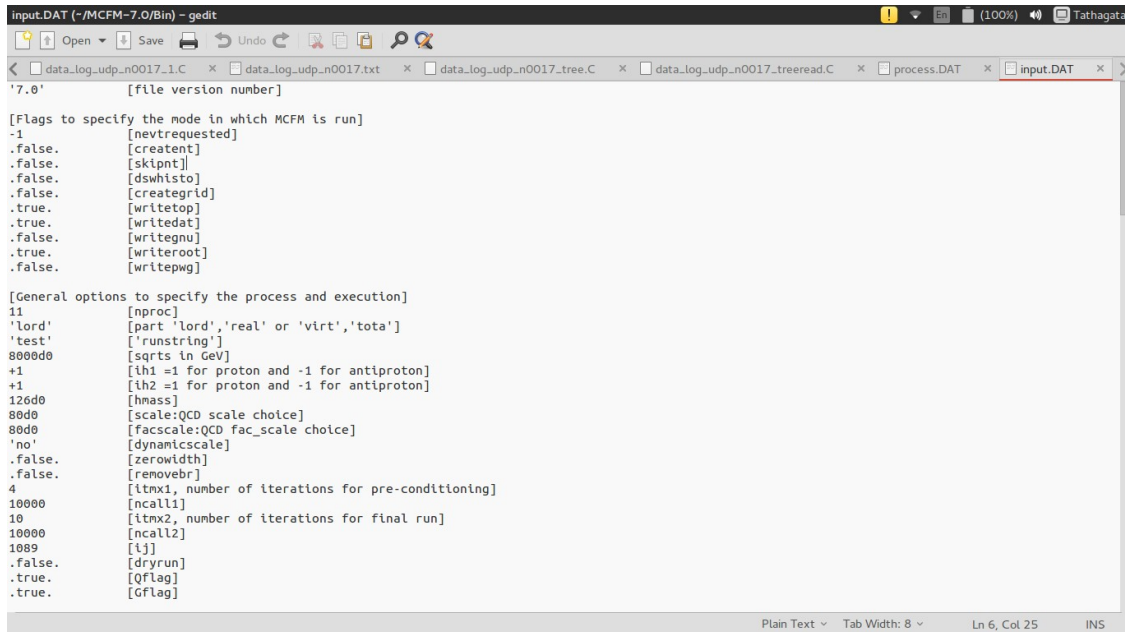
particles. We can chose them to be proton-proton (This collision is done in LHC), proton-antiproton, antiproton-antiproton. These two particles have momentum `p1` and `p2`. The various processes correspond to various possibilities of outcomes. For example process 1 is given as

$$' f(p1)+f(p2) --> W^+(->nu(p3)+e^+(p4))' 'N'$$

Here in this process after collision of two protons W^+ boson is created. Which decays leptonically into ν_e (nutrino) (momentum `p3`) and e^+ (positron) (momentum `p4`). 'N'

implies next to leading order process.

Now input parameters can be changed in the file [input.dat](#) .



```
input.DAT (~MCFM-7.0/Bin) - gedit
[file version number]
'7.0'

[Flags to specify the mode in which MCFM is run]
-1      [nevtrequested]
.false. [creatent]
.false. [skiptnt]
.false. [dswhisto]
.false. [creategrid]
.true.  [writetop]
.true.  [writedat]
.false. [writenu]
.true.  [writeroot]
.false. [writepwg]

[General options to specify the process and execution]
11      [nproc]
'lord'  [part 'lord','real' or 'virt','tota']
'test'  ['runstring']
8000d0  [sqrts in GeV]
+1      [ih1 =1 for proton and -1 for antiproton]
+1      [ih2 =1 for proton and -1 for antiproton]
126d0   [hmass]
80d0    [scale:QCD scale choice]
80d0    [facscale:QCD fac_scale choice]
'no'    [dynamicscale]
.false. [zerowidth]
.false. [removebr]
4       [itmx1, number of iterations for pre-conditioning]
10000   [ncall1]
10      [itmx2, number of iterations for final run]
10000   [ncall2]
1089    [tj]
.false. [dryrun]
.true.  [qflag]
.true.  [gflag]
```

input.DAT

For example, choosing the logical write parameters (writetop, writeroot etc) we can select whether particular type of file is to be created (.top, .C etc) or not depending on whether .true. or .false. is selected.

The parameter [\[nproc\]](#) selects particular process (in the picture , it is 11th).

[\[ih1\]](#) and [\[ih2\]](#) is selected for identity of the incoming particles (1=proton and -1=antiproton).

Since process 1 is least complicated I was told to run that process. But a there was a problem:

We(me and Mr. Ravindra Kr Verma, research scholar under my mentor) found that the generated .C file was buggy and it gave compile-time error. For example, it contained multiple declarations of ['int xbin'](#).

To fix the bug we needed to change some of its source code. As the software was written in fortran, I learnt basics of fortran[17]. As we needed to find keywords inside all .f files in all the folders of the main folder MCFM, I wrote a C program [find.c](#) that finds a given string in all files of a folder and its subfolders and if found, it writes the file names in a .txt file. Then we searched for files containing words ['xbin'](#), ['hist'](#) etc. and we found two files : [mbook.f](#) and [histofin.f](#). We modified them and the software was producing correct .C files that does not give compilation error.

Problems with the .C file and manual corrections

1. The output C file (*W_only_lord_CT10.00_80__80__test.C*) doesn't have any function, but to compile with ROOT we need 'void filename () ' at the beginning of the code. From the ROOT, to use ' .x filename.C ' we need the filename to be *W_only_lord_CT10.00_80__80__test*. However C++ does not support '.' in filename (*_CT10.00_* should be *_CT10_00_*) so we need to replace '.' by '_'. We fix this issue by renaming the C file.
2. In the line 164 (*TH1F *hist = new TH1F("id1",.....)*) 'hist' corresponds to a particular histogram but in line 166 (*id1 -> GetXaxis()-> Set.....*) 'id1' is called as 'hist'. This gives an error (*error: use of undeclared identifier 'id1'*) when compiled with ROOT. The best way to fix it is to replace 'hist' by 'id1' or 'id1' by 'hist' . We replace 'hist' by 'id1'(otherwise there would be multiple declarations of 'hist').
3. In the C file the data type 'xbin' is declared every time(line 171 onwards) as 'int xbin' and this gives error (*error: redefinition of 'xbin'*). Once we declare 'int xbin' at the top of function, we can call xbin as many times as we want inside our program.
4. At the end of the file, line 706 (*if (histos -> GetEntries() > 0) then*) 'then' should not be there. To fix this we just remove 'then'.

Steps to get modified output C file automatically

- In MCFM folder go to */src/need*
- Open the file named *histofin.f* with any editor
- Go to */src/Integrate*
- Open file *mbook.f*

To fix the first problem:

<histofin.f>

- In line 12, where integer variables are declared, add two more variables of names 'i' and 'n'. (You can choose any name)

- After line 57 (the “**end if**” statement) add the following lines:

```

i=1
n=len_trim(runname)
do
  if(i>n) exit
  if(runname(i:i)=='.') runname(i:i)='_ '
  i=i+1
end do

```

This will remove dots from file name.

- At lines 119 and 124 (previously 113 and 118) you will see two format statements named as 120 and 121 respectively. Make the 121 format statement as below:

```

121 FORMAT (/1x,
& 'void ',A,')',/1x,
& ' {' ,/1x,
& ' mcfmhisto = new TFile("", A, "", "recreate");',/1x,
& ' mcfmhisto -> cd();',/1x,
& ' int xbin;',/1X,
& ' histos = new TobjArray(0);',/1x)

```

This also contains the declaration '**int xbin**'.

- Make line 116 as following:

```

write(96,121) outfileroot(1:nlength),outfileroot(1:nlength+5)

```

To fix second problem:

<mbook.f>

- Make the lines 486-491 as below (After **IF(BOOK(N).NE.'YES') RETURN**):

```

WRITE(96,131) histoid(1:idlenght), histoid(1:idlenght),
& TITLE(N)(1:istring), NBIN(N),
& HMIN(N), HMAX(N)

131 FORMAT ( /1X,
& ' mcfmhisto -> cd();',/1X,
& ' TH1F *,A, '= new TH1F( "", A, "", "", A, "", ' ,

```


& I0, ', ', F10.5, ', ', F10.5, ');')

- Change line 522 as below(*where write statement is written*):

WRITE (96,133) histoid(1:maxlength)

- Add a format statement 150 just below of line 522 and before **WRITE (96, *) ' ' as :**

133 FORMAT(/1X, ' histos -> Add(', A, ');')

To fix the third problem:

<mbook.f>

- At line 513 where '**int xbin**' is written , delete '**int**' and make it only '**xbin**'. The declaration '**int xbin**' has been made before.

To fix fourth problem:

<histofin.f>

- Go to line 214 and where **write(96,*) ' if (histos -> GetEntries() > 0) then {'** is written.
- Delete '**then**' from it and make it **write(96,*) ' if (histos -> GetEntries() >) {'**
- Save files histofin.f and mbook.f

Final executions :

- Now go to folder MCFM and run the '*make*' command again
- From now on, after running ./mcfm, it will generate output .C file with error removed and the C file will contain a function of its own name.
- It can be executed in root using
.x filename.C or .L filename.C

The files [find.c](#), corrected [histofin.f](#) and [mbook.f](#) can be found in the following link

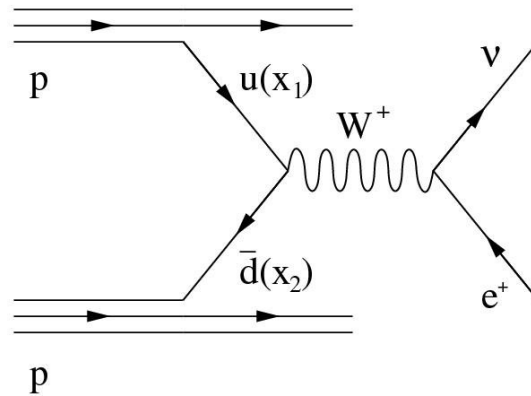
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Please note that if old .f files are replaced with the new ones provided in the link, delete [mbook.o](#) & [histofin.o](#) from the object directory, before running '[make](#)'.

After removing bug the software was running correctly.

<Running MCFM for process1>

The Feynman diagram for first process is given :



source: <http://inspirehep.net/record/552282/plots>

In the above picture x_1 and x_2 denotes fraction of proton momenta carried by respective partons (for first proton, it is **up quark** and for second proton it is **down antiquark**).

Proton is bound state of quarks. When a proton is accelerated at high energy its constituents (quarks) start radiating gluons. These gluons further decay into quark and anti-quark pairs (such type of quarks are called sea or virtual quarks). This newly generated anti quark (e.g \bar{d}) combine to other quark (e.g u) to produce W^+ . The W^+ further decays into neutrino and positron.

The cross section can be found by running MCFM (through terminal going to folder MCFM/Bin and the typing command `./mcfm_omp`).

For this process generated files were:

[W_only_lord_CT10_00_80__80__test.C](#), [W_only_lord_CT10_00_80__80__test.dat](#),
[W_only_lord_CT10_00_80__80__test.top](#)

The .top file was topdrawer histogram file but I was not supposed to use that. After compiling and executing .C file, three histograms were generated.

RESULTS:

The incident beam direction is taken to be positive z-axis. The component of momentum of a particle in xy plane is called its transverse momentum(P_T).

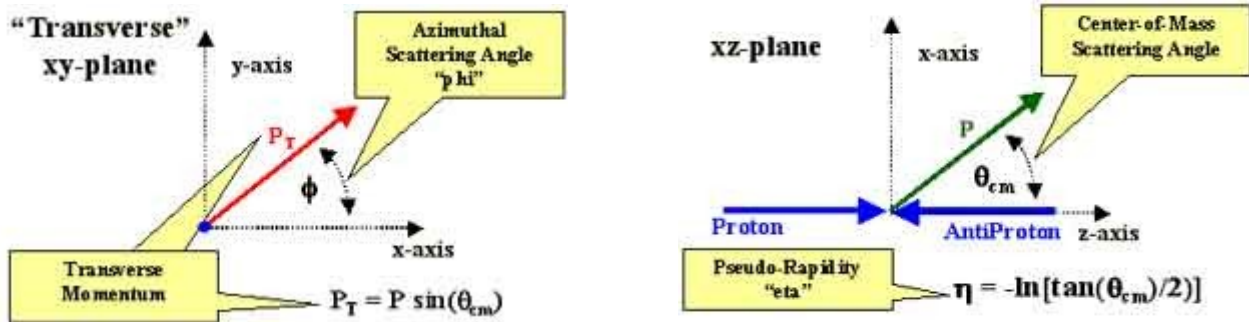


Image Source: <http://www.phys.ufl.edu/~rfield/cdf/chgjet/etaphi.html>

Rapidity y is defined as $y = \tanh^{-1}(p_z c/E)$ where E is total energy
Definition of P_T and pseudo-rapidity is clear from the picture

Proton(uud) is made of quarks(called partons). These partons share fraction of momenta of proton. The momentum sharing among these partons are given by parton distribution functions(pdf). These pdfs are determined from experiments. There are hundreds of pdfs from various experimental groups. Whenever we study a hadronic process(e.g proton proton collision) we use one of the pdfs. To see whether the pdf we are using is correct we plot the rapidity distribution. Then we match this distribution to the one determined by experiments. If both are matching then the pdf we used is all right otherwise we test other pdfs.

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Input.DAT (~Downloads/MCFM-7.0/Bin) - gedit
input.DAT x
1089      [tj]
.false.   [dryrun]
.true.    [qflag]
.true.    [gflag]

[Heavy quark masses]
173.2d0   [top mass]
4.75d0    [bottom mass]
1.5d0     [charm mass]

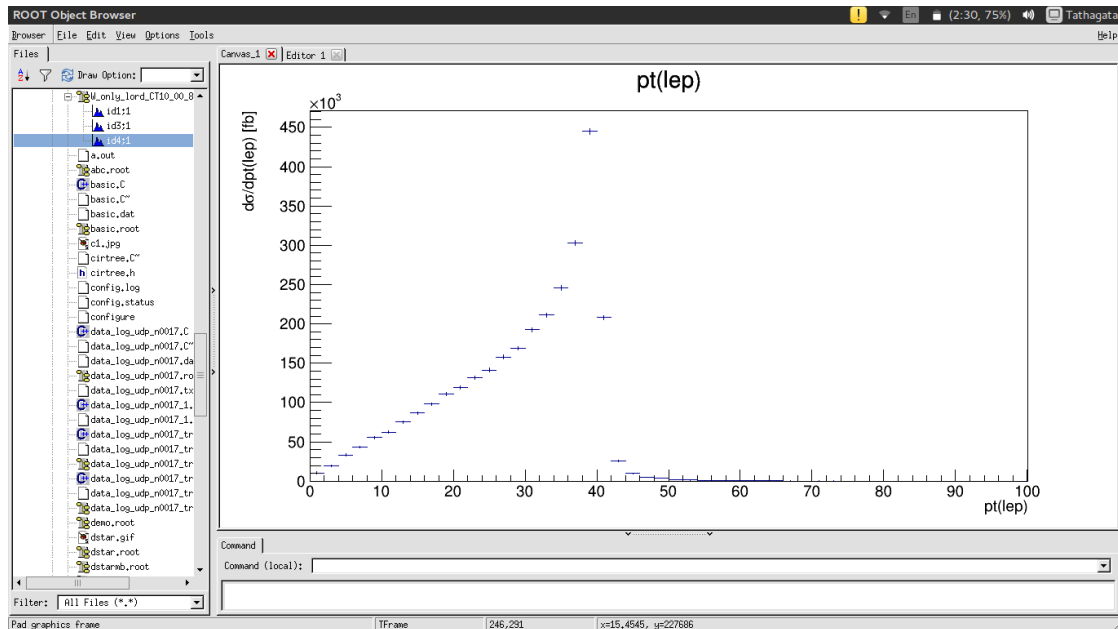
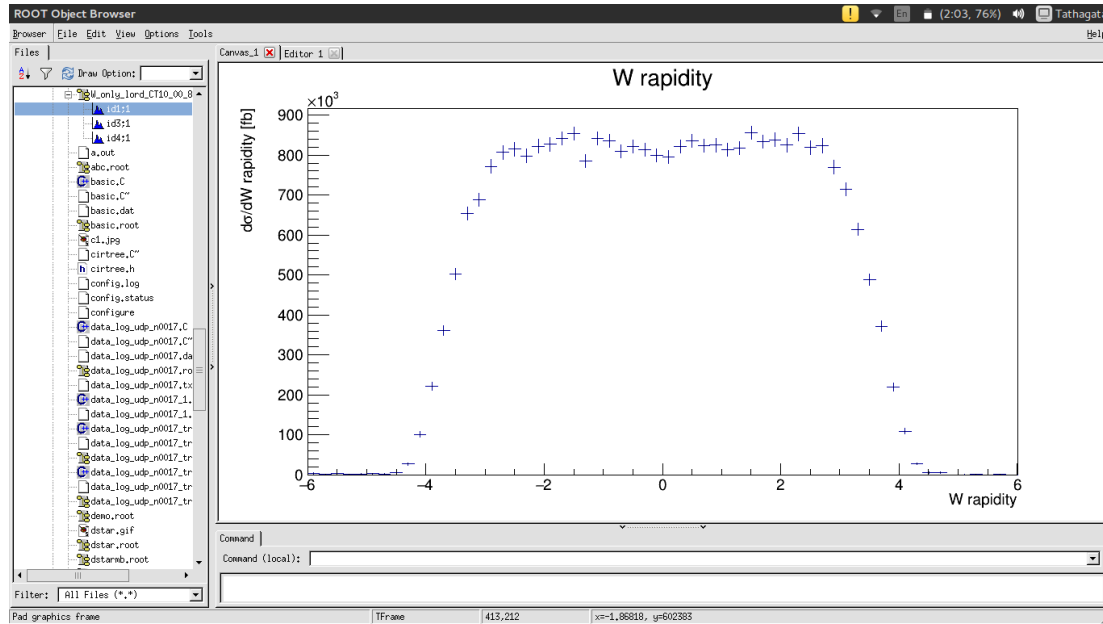
[Pdf selection]
'CT10.00' [pdlabel]
4         [NGROUP, see PDFLIB]
46        [NSEI - see PDFLIB]
'CT10'    [LHAPDF group]
-1        [LHAPDF set]

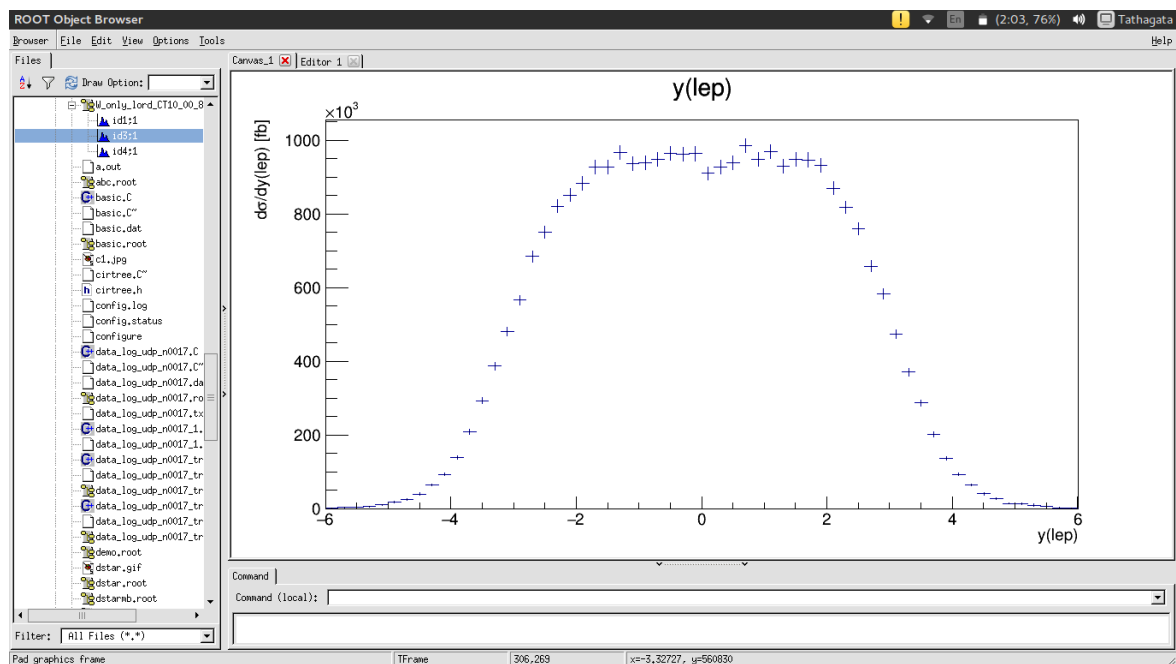
[Jet definition and event cuts]
0d0       [m34min]
14000d0   [m34max]
0d0       [m50min]
14000d0   [m50max]
0d0       [m3450min]
14000d0   [m3450max]
.true.    [inclusive]
'ankt'    [algorithm]
20d0      [ptjet_min]
0d0       [ljet_min]
2.5d0     [ljet_max]
0.4d0     [rcut_jet]
.false.   [makecuts]
0d0       [ptlepton_min]
99d0      [ljetlepton_max]
0d0,0d0   [ljetlepton_veto]
0d0       [ptmin_missing]
0d0       [ptlepton(2nd+)_min]

```

Pdf selected in MCFM can be changed in the file input.DAT file as shown

To get the histograms below we find total cross-section (as function of momentum of incoming particles or any other variable according to our purpose) . Then we differentiate it w.r.t variable in x-axis and plot histograms. These three histograms correspond to rapidity of W^+ boson, rapidity of lepton($y(\text{lep})$) and transverse momentum of one of the outgoing leptons($p_t(\text{lep})$). They represent the result corresponding to the Pdf shown in previous image.





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W_only_lord_CT10_00_80_...test.dat (-/MCFM-7.0/Bin) - gedit
process.DAT x input.DAT x W_only_lord_CT10_00_80_...test.dat x

( Cross-section is:      0.594689E+07 +/-      8712.31 )

( Contribution from parton sub-processes:
(   GG   |      0.0000   0.00%
(   GQ   |      0.0000   0.00%
(   QB   |      0.0000   0.00%
(   QG   |      0.0000   0.00%
(   QBG  |      0.0000   0.00%
(   QQ   |      0.0000   0.00%
(   QBQB |      0.0000   0.00%
(   QB   |      0.29835E+07  50.17%
(   QBQ  |      0.29634E+07  49.83%

( Run corresponds to this input file)

( [Flags to specify the mode in which MCFM is run] )
(   -1      [nevtrequested] )
(   F       [creantent] )
(   F       [sklpt] )
(   F       [dswlsto] )
(   T       [writetop] )
(   T       [writedat] )
(   F       [writegnu] )
(   T       [writeroot] )

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Scattering cross section is $0.594689\text{E}+07 \pm 8712.31$ femtobarn

CONCLUSION:

Scattering is one of the most important processes used to get details of internal structure of particles. Scattering of two protons (experiment in LHC) have many possible outcomes. Each of the outcomes can be described by many different Pdf's. It is not possible for a human to check all these possibilities. ROOT and MCFM can be used for this purpose. These softwares help us to design and carry out experiments virtually and they can show results in seconds. These softwares will help particle physicists tremendously in their journey of unravelling mysteries of nature.

Future Prospects:

As an undergraduate student, I have learnt useful things while doing this project. I was exposed to the procedures of experimental high energy physics to some extent. It has stimulated my interest in high energy physics. For the future, I will study quantum mechanics and particle physics thoroughly. It will help me to understand these processes completely, moreover I will know the complete mathematics behind these. ROOT and MCFM has other aspects (such as geometry package in ROOT). I am interested to learn them and know their practical use in experiments.

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