

Reweighting NNPDFs

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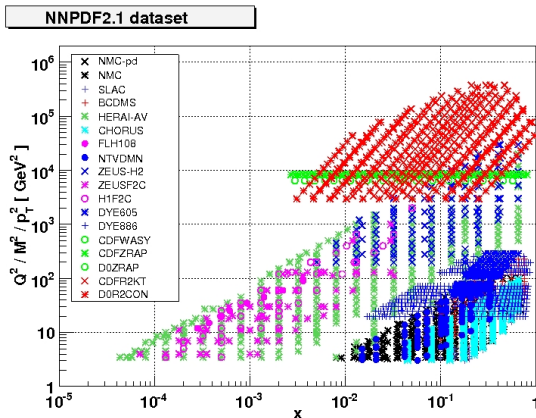
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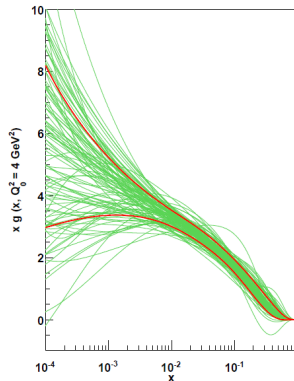
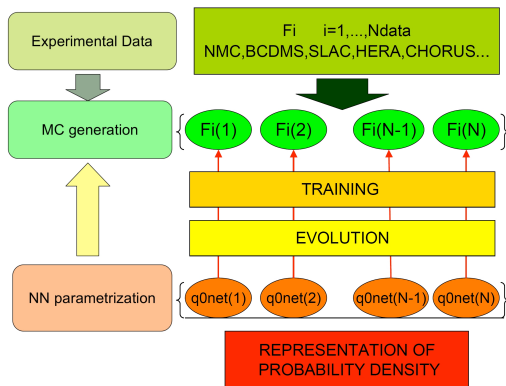
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- Fixed Target DIS
- Combined HERA-I Data
- HERA F_2^c
- Fixed Target DY
- Tevatron W and Z Production
- Tevatron Jet Production



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- Monte Carlo generation:

textbook methods to evaluate statistical properties:

$$\langle \mathcal{F}[f(x)] \rangle = \frac{1}{N_{rep}} \sum_1^{N_{rep}} \mathcal{F}[f^{(k)}(x)] \quad \sigma_{\mathcal{F}[f(x)]} = \sqrt{\langle \mathcal{F}[f(x)]^2 \rangle - \langle \mathcal{F}[f(x)] \rangle^2}$$

- Neural Network technology:

universal unbiased interpolant, very redundant parametrization

→ O(300) parameters

- LO, NLO, NNLO sets:

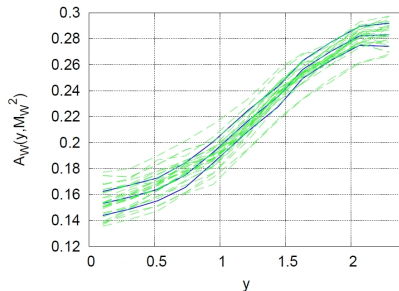
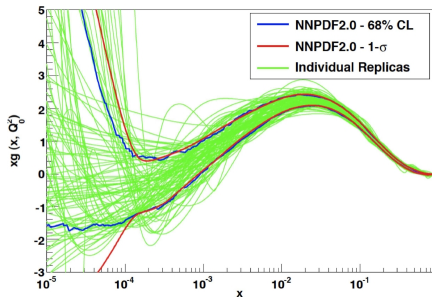
→ Heavy quarks included with FONLL-C scheme

→ Fast evolution

What if a new dataset is released?

Usually refitting on old data + new data required:
the N_{rep} replicas of a NNPDF fit give the probability density in PDFs space

→ with reweighting method new data included without refitting



Reweighting...

If $y = \{y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n\}$ is the new dataset:

$$\chi^2(y, f_k) = \sum_{i,j=1}^n (y_i - y_i[f_k]) \sigma_{ij}^{-1} (y_j - y_j[f_k])$$

and the corresponding weights are:

$$\omega_k = \mathcal{N}_\chi(\chi_k^2)^{(n-1)/2} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\chi_k^2} \quad \text{with} \quad \mathcal{N}_\chi = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N (\chi_k^2)^{(n-1)/2} e^{-\frac{1}{2}\chi_k^2}$$

The observables and their uncertainties can be recomputed like this:

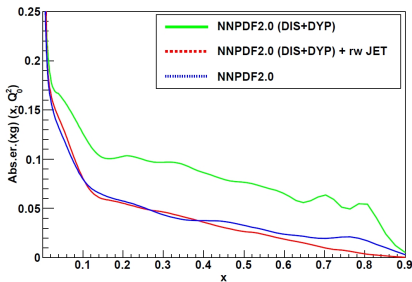
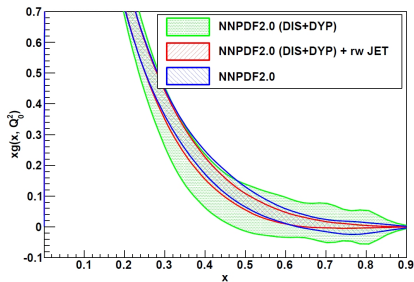
$$\langle \mathcal{F}[f_i(x)] \rangle^{RW} = \int [\mathcal{D}f_i] \mathcal{F}[f_i(x)] \mathcal{P}_{new}[f_i(x)] = \frac{1}{N_{rep}} \sum_{k=1}^{N_{rep}} \omega_k \mathcal{F}[f_i^{(k)}(x)]$$

$$\sigma_{\mathcal{F}_{new}} = \sqrt{\omega_k \frac{\mathcal{F}^2}{N} - \langle \mathcal{F} \rangle_{new}^2}$$

Does reweighting work?

- NNPDF2.0 based in DIS+DYP+JET data

→ produce a 2.0 set DIS+DYP only
→ add through reweighting JET data



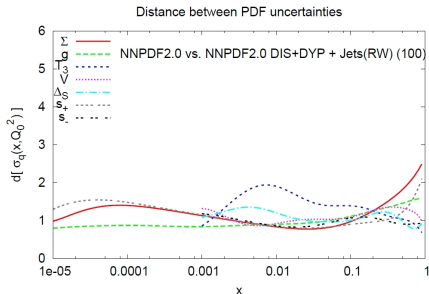
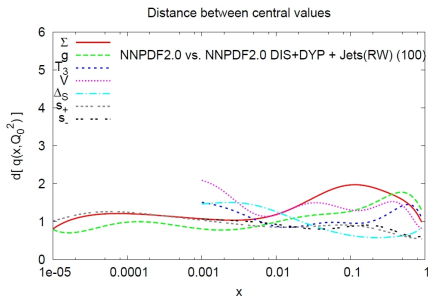
Differences within statistical fluctuations

Need to quantify statistical equivalence of two sets

→ distances between PDFs:

$$d^2\left(\langle q^{(1)} \rangle_{(1)}, \langle q^{(2)} \rangle_{(2)}\right) = \frac{(\langle q^{(1)} \rangle_{(1)} - \langle q^{(2)} \rangle_{(2)})^2}{\sigma_{(1)}^2[\langle q^{(1)} \rangle] + \sigma_{(2)}^2[\langle q^{(2)} \rangle]}$$

Average of a hundred random partitions of $N_{rep}/2$ replicas each



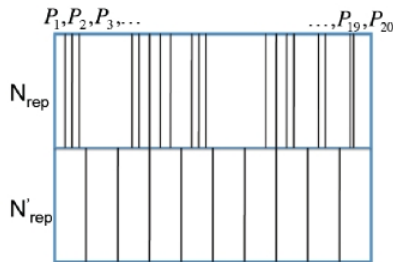
$d \sim 1 \Leftrightarrow$ equivalence

$d \sim 7 \Leftrightarrow 1\text{-}\sigma$ level

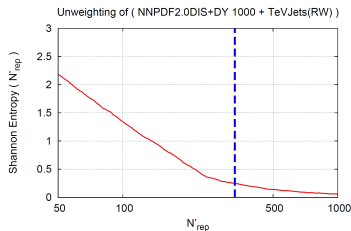
...Unweighting

$$p_k = \frac{\omega_k}{N_{rep}}$$

$$P_k \equiv P_{k-1} + p_k = \sum_{j=0}^k p_j$$



By construction new weights are all zero or positive integers:



$$\omega'_k = \sum_{j=1}^{N'_{rep}} \theta\left(\frac{j}{N'_{rep}} - P_{k-1}\right) \theta\left(P_k - \frac{j}{N'_{rep}}\right)$$

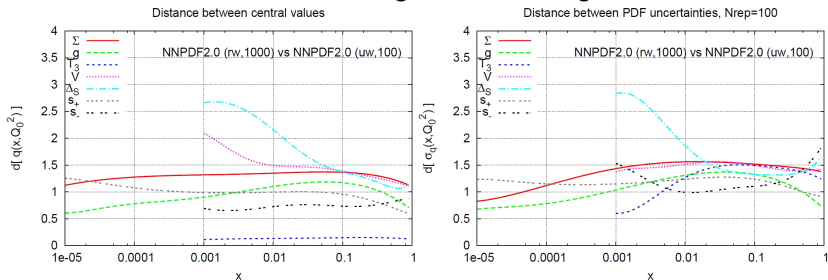
$$N_{eff} \equiv \exp\left\{\frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N \omega_k \ln(N/\omega_k)\right\}$$

Unweighted sets are as easy to use as original “unprocessed” PDF sets

Does unweighting work?

Unweighting of NNPDF2.0(DIS+DY)+rw Tevatron Inclusive Jets

Distances between reweighted and unweighted sets



No significant loss of accuracy

What if new datasets are more than one?

→ check combination and commutation properties:

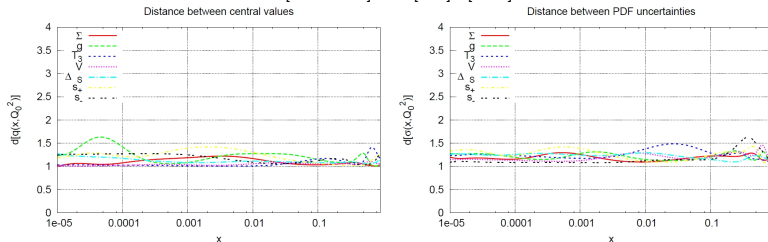
$$\hat{W}_{12} = \hat{W}_2 \hat{W}_1 = \hat{W}_1 \hat{W}_2$$
$$\hat{W} \equiv \hat{U} \hat{R} \text{ (}\hat{U}: \text{Unweighting, } \hat{R}: \text{Reweighting)}$$

combination \implies commutation
(if $\hat{W}_2 \hat{W}_1 = \hat{W}_{12}$ we have $\hat{W}_2 \hat{W}_1 = \hat{W}_1 \hat{W}_2$)

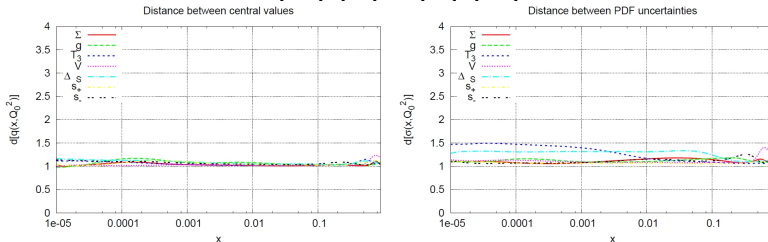
but

commutation $\not\Rightarrow$ combination
(we might have $\hat{W}_2 \hat{W}_1 = \hat{W}_1 \hat{W}_2 \neq \hat{W}_{12}$)

$$\hat{W}[\text{Jets}+\text{E605}] \text{ vs } \hat{W}[\text{Jets}]\hat{W}[\text{E605}]$$



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	(CDF+D0)	E605	(CDF+D0)+E605
Data points	186	119	305
N_{eff}	627.1	59.5	63.7

Summarizing...

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→ NNPDF2.0(DIS+DY)+rw Jets equivalent to NNPDF2.0
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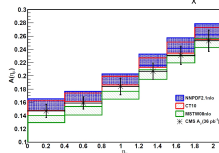
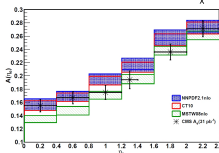
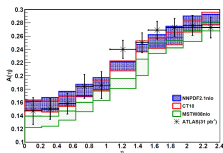
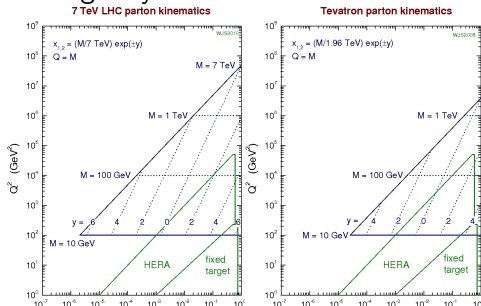
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LHC is working very well

NNPDF2.2 dataset:
 NNPDF2.1+ATLAS,
 CMS, D0 W lepton
 asymmetry data
 → NNPDF2.1 only: good
 description of LHC+D0
 data but not optimal
 ($\chi^2/N_{dat} = 2.22$)



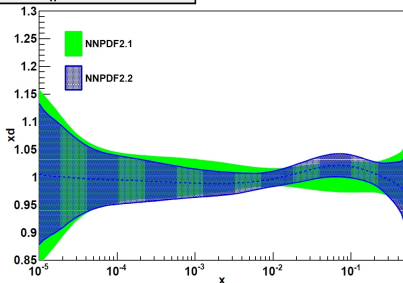
$$A_W^I = \frac{dW_{I+}/d\eta_I - dW_{I-}/d\eta_I}{dW_{I+}/d\eta_I + dW_{I-}/d\eta_I} \sim \frac{u(x_1, M_W^2) \bar{d}(x_2, M_W^2) - d(x_1, M_W^2) \bar{u}(x_2, M_W^2)}{u(x_1, M_W^2) \bar{d}(x_2, M_W^2) + d(x_1, M_W^2) \bar{u}(x_2, M_W^2)}$$

After reweighting $\chi^2/N_{dat} = 0.81$
 $N_{eff} = 1000 \rightarrow N_{eff}^{RW} = 181$

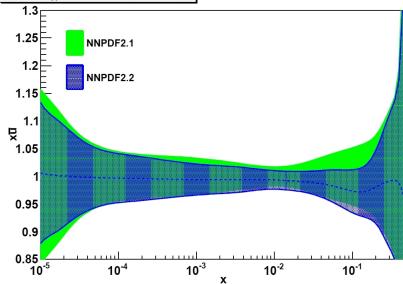
Impact mainly in two regions:

- $x \sim 10^{-3} \rightarrow$ up to 20% uncertainties reduction
- $x \sim 10^{-2} - 10^{-1} \rightarrow$ up to 30% uncertainties reduction

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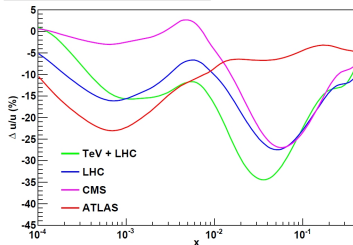
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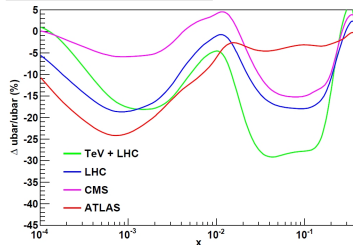
Very significant constraint

Percentage uncertainty reduction

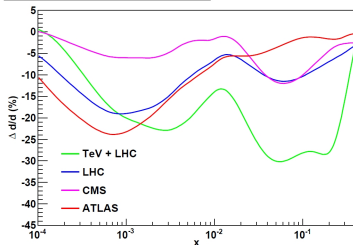
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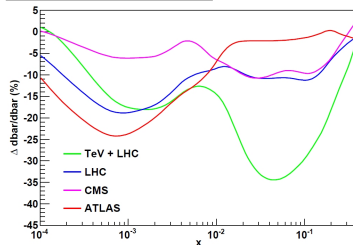
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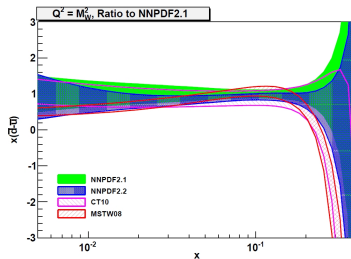
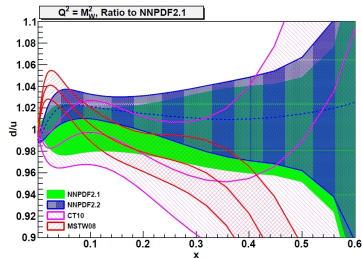
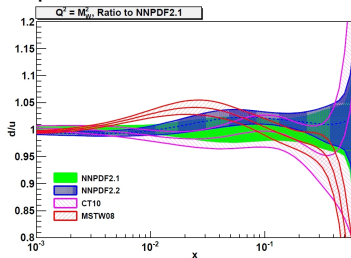
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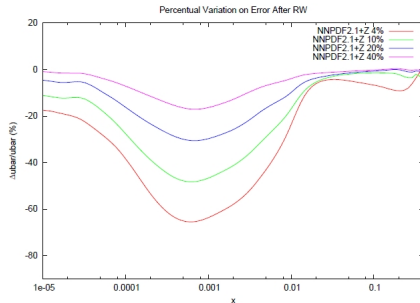
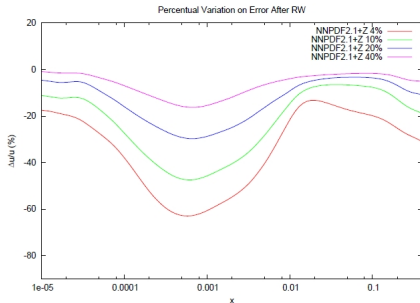


Comparison between NNPDF2.1, NNPDF2.2, CT10, and MSTW08



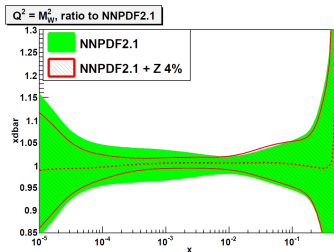
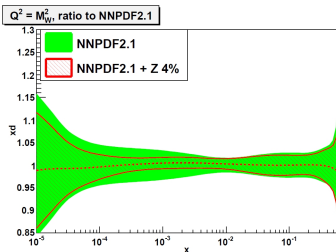
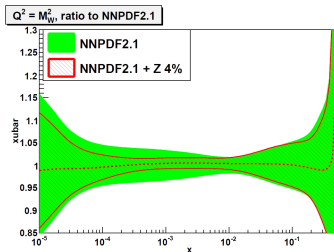
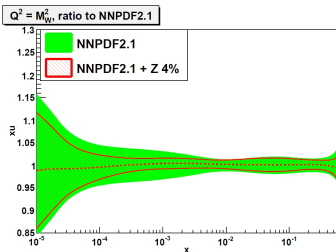
The method is useful to determine pseudo data's impact
→ possible dialogue with experimentalists

Percentual reduction of PDFs uncertainties:



$$f(p_1) + f(p_2) \rightarrow Z^0(\rightarrow e^-(p_3) + e^+(p_4))$$

Impact on up, down and respective anti-flavor PDFs



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- NNPDF2.2: first Parton Set including LHC data
- LHC is providing us precision information on PDFs
→ medium & large x gluon:

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(precision) jets **in progress**

→ light flavor separation:

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high-mass DY **in progress**
Z rapidity distributions **preliminary**
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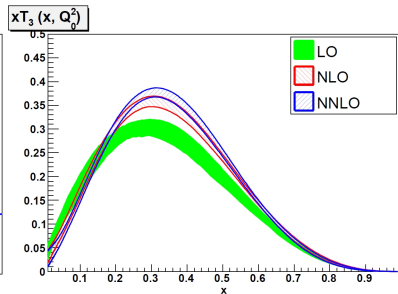
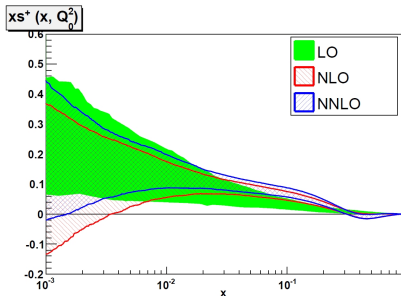
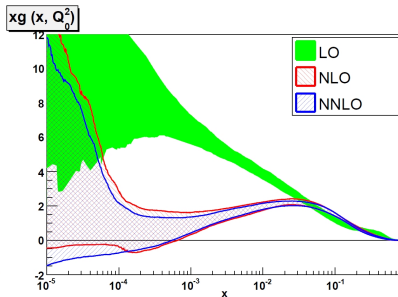
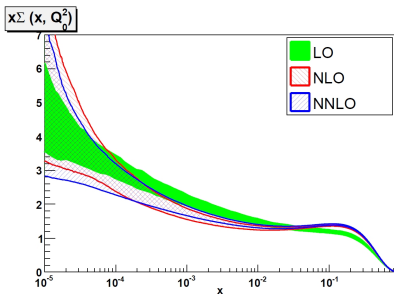
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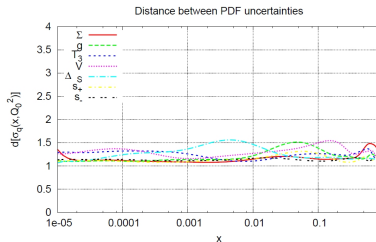
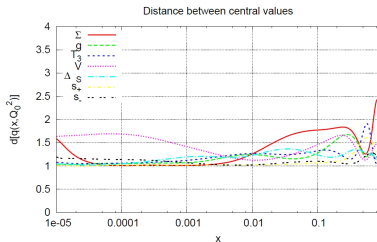
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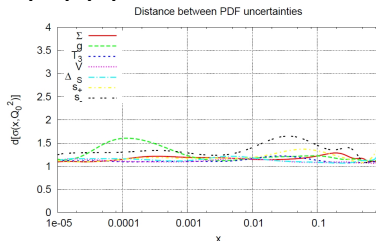
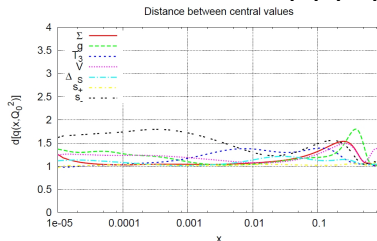


No evidence of instability in PDFs

$\hat{W}[\text{CDF}+\text{D0}]$ vs $\hat{W}[\text{CDF}]\hat{W}[\text{D0}]$



$\hat{W}[\text{D0}]\hat{W}[\text{CDF}]$ vs $\hat{W}[\text{CDF}]\hat{W}[\text{D0}]$



	CDF	D0	CDF+D0
Data points	76	110	186
N_{eff}	290.8	565.8	334.5

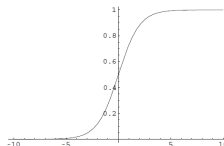
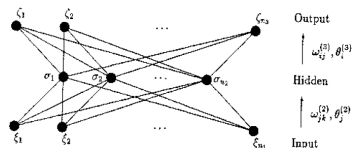
Neural Networks: a non-linear functional form

- Each neuron receives input from neurons in preceding layer and feeds output to neurons in subsequent layer
- Activation determined by weights and thresholds

$$\xi_i = g\left(\sum_j \omega_{ij} \xi_j - \theta_i\right)$$

- Sigmoid activation function

$$g(x) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-\beta x}}$$



An example of 1-2-1 NN:

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{\theta_1^{(3)} - \frac{\omega_{11}^{(2)}}{1 + e^{\theta_1^{(2)} - x\omega_{11}^{(1)}}} - \frac{\omega_{12}^{(2)}}{1 + e^{\theta_2^{(2)} - x\omega_{21}^{(1)}}}}}$$

→ distances between PDFs:

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Determination of moments more accurate increasing N_{rep} :

→ if underlying distributions are different, distance grows with $\sqrt{N_{rep}}$

$$\delta(\sigma_{(1)}, \sigma_{(2)}) \equiv \frac{d(\sigma_{(1)}, \sigma_{(2)})}{\sqrt{N_{rep}}}$$

Bayes theorem in terms of probability densities:

$$\mathcal{P}(f|y)\mathcal{D}f\mathcal{P}(y)d^n y = \mathcal{P}(y|f)d^n y\mathcal{P}(f)\mathcal{D}f$$

When fitting we don't demand data to coincide with predictions but we minimize a figure of merit. So:

$$\int \delta(\chi - \chi(y', f))\mathcal{P}(y'|f)d^n y'\mathcal{P}(f)\mathcal{D}f = \\ 2^{1-n/2}(\Gamma(n/2))^{-1}\Omega_n\chi^{n-1}e^{-\frac{1}{2}\chi^2}\mathcal{P}(f)\mathcal{D}f$$

from which

$$\mathcal{P}(f|\chi)\mathcal{D}f \propto \chi^{n-1}e^{-\frac{1}{2}\chi^2}\mathcal{P}(f)\mathcal{D}f$$

Integrating probability density over a finite volume and sending it to zero:

$$\omega'_k \propto \mathcal{P}(f_k|\chi_k) \propto \chi_k^{n-1}e^{-\frac{1}{2}\chi_k^2}$$