

MC Simulation of the  
Constrained Markovian Evolution  
*Loops and Legs 2004*

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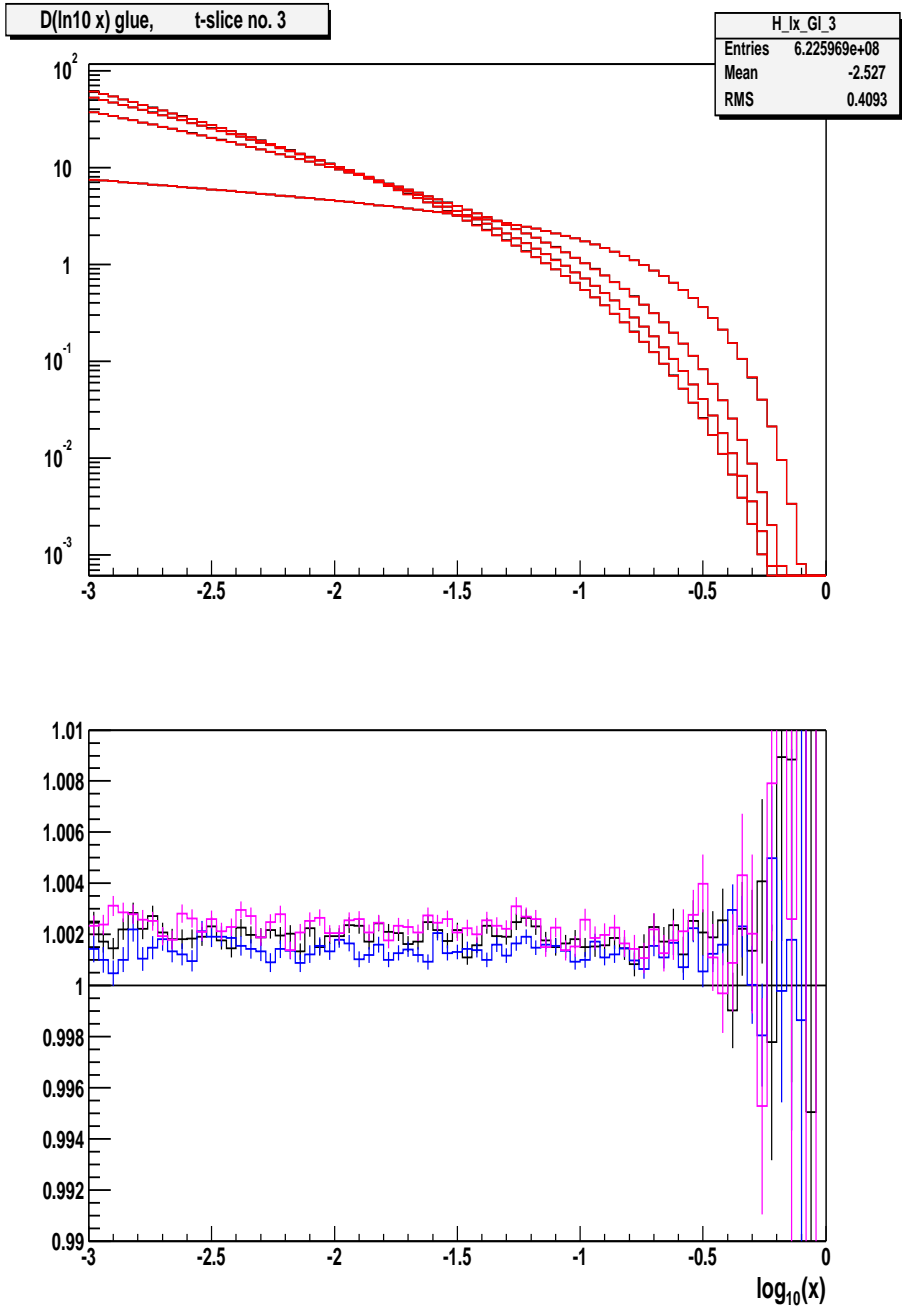
Solution for energy parton distributions  $xD(x)$  more convenient!

Why? Kernels obey sum rules:  $\sum_X \int dz z \mathcal{P}_{XK}(z) = 1$ .

# Master equation for Markovian solution

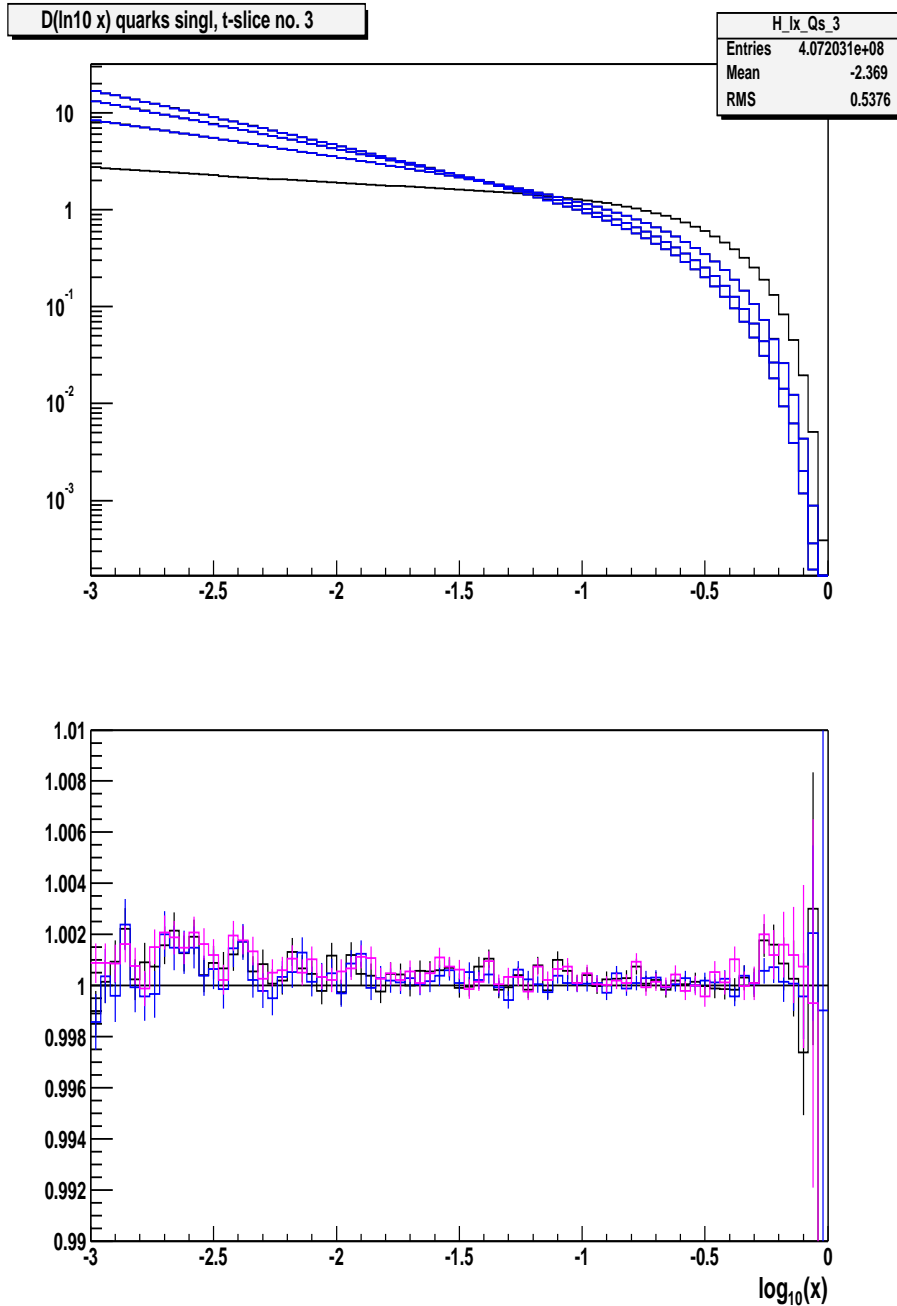
$$\begin{aligned}
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 &\quad \times \bar{\omega}(\tau_{n+1}, x_{n+1}, K_{n+1} | \tau_n, x_n, K_n) \quad \leftarrow \text{spillover} \\
 &\quad \times \prod_{i=1}^n \bar{\omega}(\tau_i, x_i, K_i | \tau_{i-1}, x_{i-1}, K_{i-1}) \quad \leftarrow \text{normal step} \\
 &\quad \times \delta(x - x_0 \prod_{i=1}^n z_i) x_0 D_{K_0}(\tau_0, x_0) \bar{w}_P \bar{w}_\Delta \quad \leftarrow \text{MCweight}
 \end{aligned}$$

# Tests: Proton $\rightarrow$ gluon



Upper plot shows gluon distribution  $x D_G(x, Q_i)$  evolved from  $Q_0 = 1$  GeV to  $Q_i = 10, 100, 1000$  GeV obtained from QCDnum16 and EvolMC1, while lower plot shows their ratio. The horizontal axis is  $\log_{10}(x)$ . Starting distribution is complete proton at  $Q = 1$  GeV.

# Tests: Proton $\rightarrow$ quarks



# Proton composition at 1 GeV

This is what we took for the introductory exercise:

$$xD_G(x) = 1.9083594473 \cdot x^{-0.2}(1-x)^{5.0},$$

$$xD_q(x) = 0.5 \cdot xD_{\text{sea}}(x) + xD_{2u}(x),$$

$$xD_{\bar{q}}(x) = 0.5 \cdot xD_{\text{sea}}(x) + xD_d(x),$$

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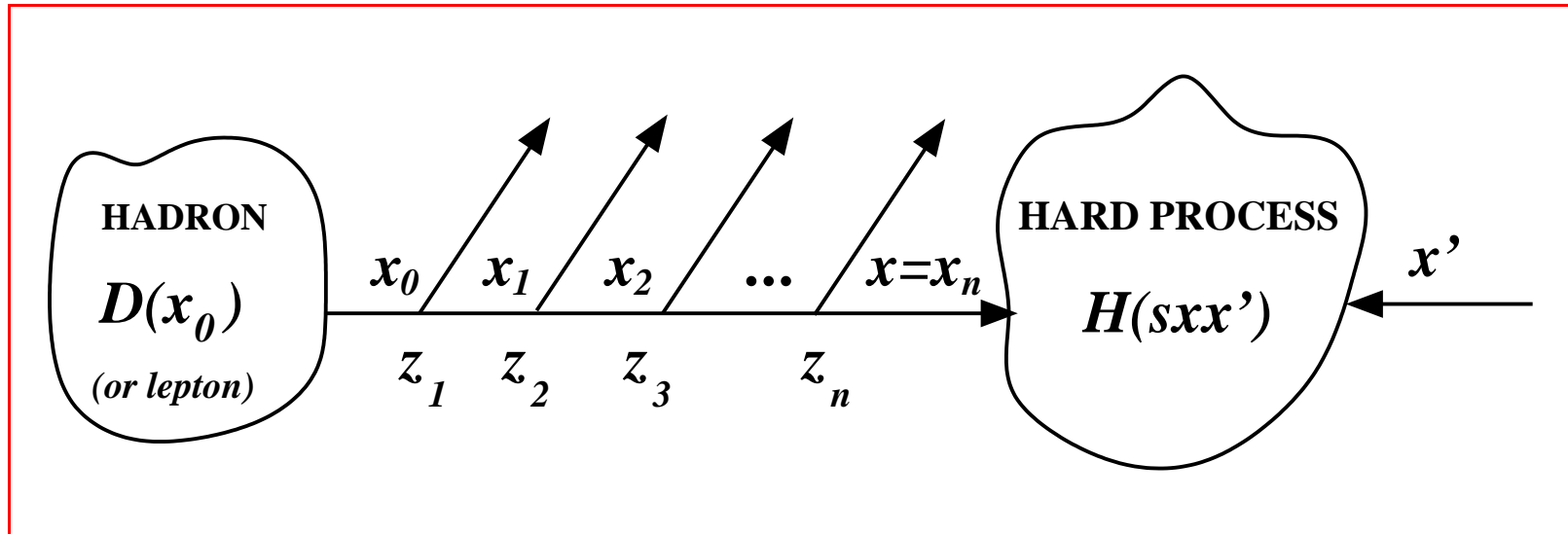
$$xD_{2u}(x) = 2.1875000000 \cdot x^{0.5}(1-x)^{3.0},$$

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# Constrained Solutions class I and II



$$\int dx_0 D(x_0) \int \prod_i dz_i P(z_i) H(sx_0 \prod z_i)$$

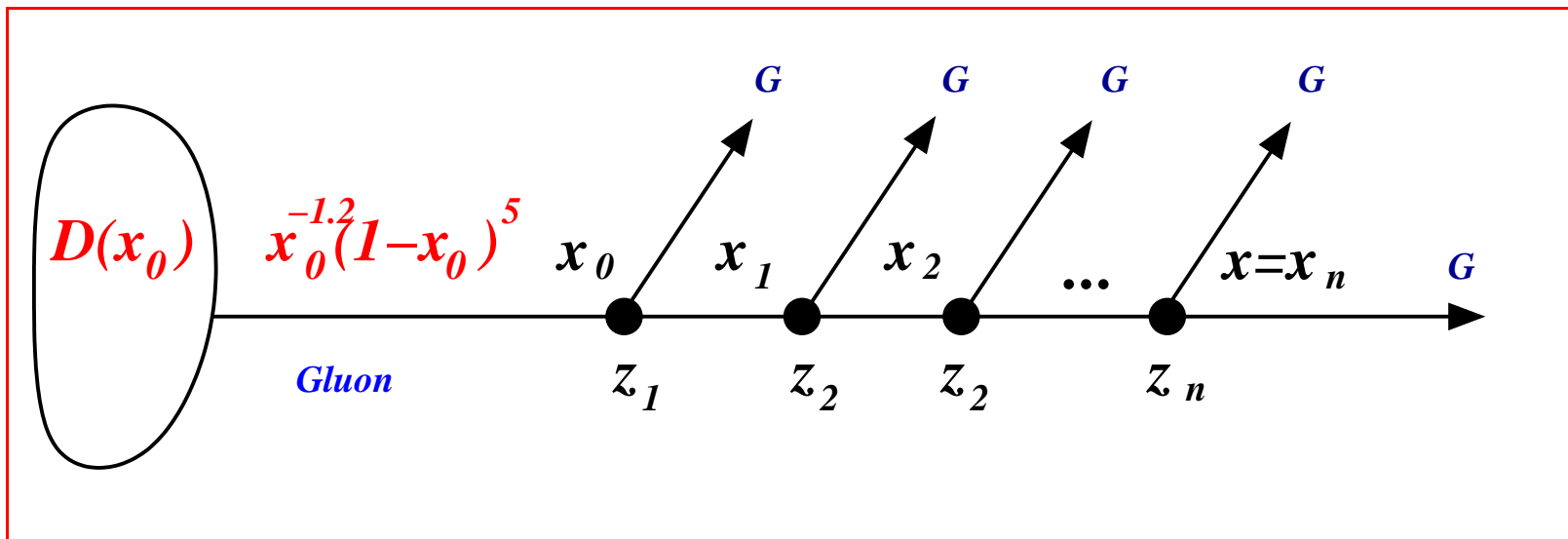
Solutions class I (more difficult because of  $\delta(\dots)$ ):

$$\int dx dx_0 D(x_0) H(sx) \int \prod_i dz_i P(z_i) \delta(x - x_0 \prod_i z_i)$$

Solutions class II (only for QCD) **NEW!**:

$$\int dx H(sx) \int \prod_i \frac{dz_i}{z_i} P(z_i) D(x / \prod_i z_i) \Theta(\prod z_i - x)$$

# Prototype IIB

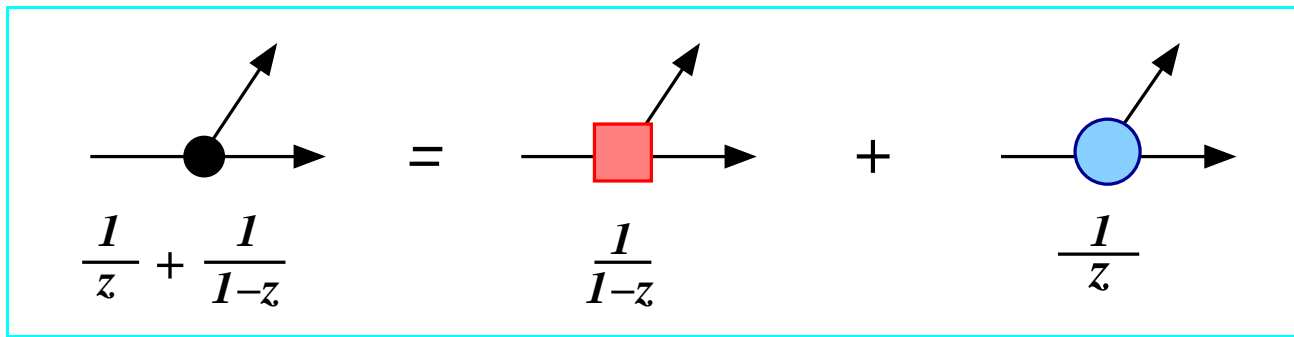


Replace  $D(x_0) \rightarrow 1/x_0 = x \prod \frac{1}{z_i}$ . Compensated by MC weight.

Must generate  $P(z_i) = 2C_A \left( \frac{1}{z_i} + \frac{1}{1-z_i} \right)$

with the constraint  $\prod_i z_i \geq x$ . Not so trivial!

Solution by the multibranching method:



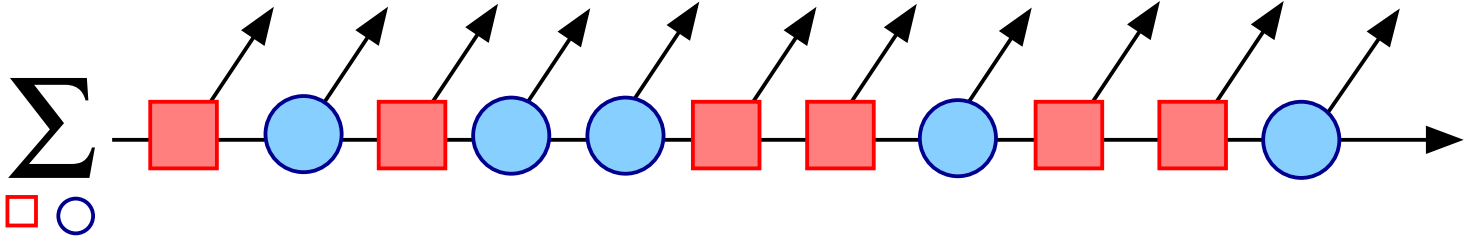


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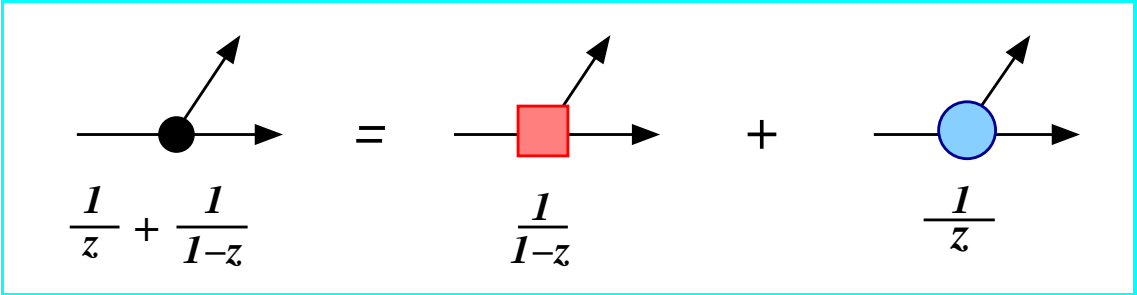
A diagrammatic equation enclosed in a cyan box. On the left, a horizontal line with an arrow pointing right has a black dot on it. An arrow points diagonally upwards and to the right from the dot. Below this is the fraction  $\frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{1-z}$ . This is followed by an equals sign. To the right of the equals sign is a horizontal line with an arrow pointing right and a red square on it. An arrow points diagonally upwards and to the right from the square. Below this is the fraction  $\frac{1}{1-z}$ . This is followed by a plus sign. To the right of the plus sign is a horizontal line with an arrow pointing right and a blue circle on it. An arrow points diagonally upwards and to the right from the circle. Below this is the fraction  $\frac{1}{z}$ .

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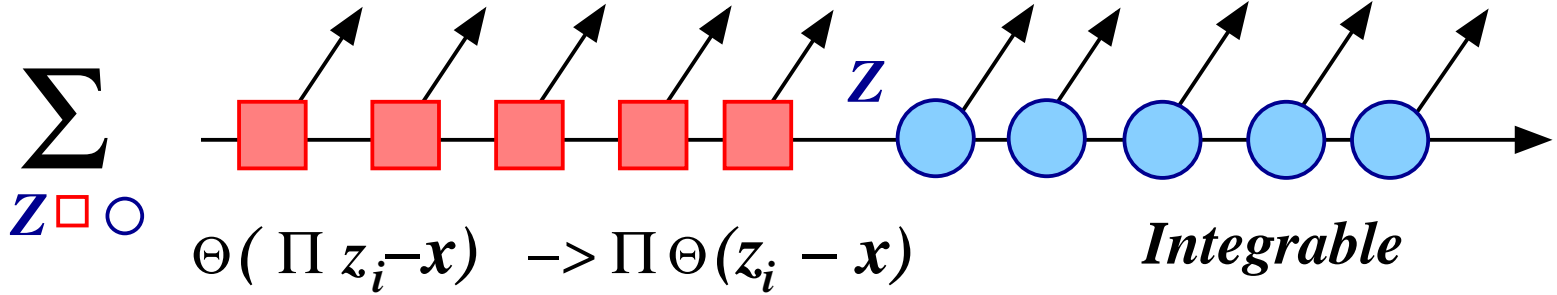


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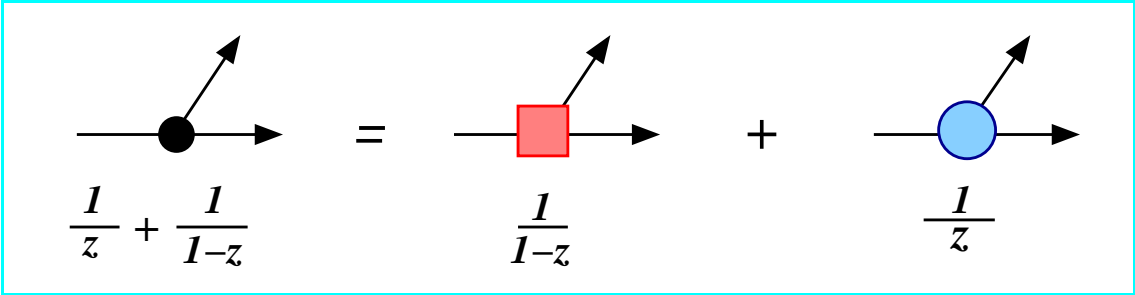
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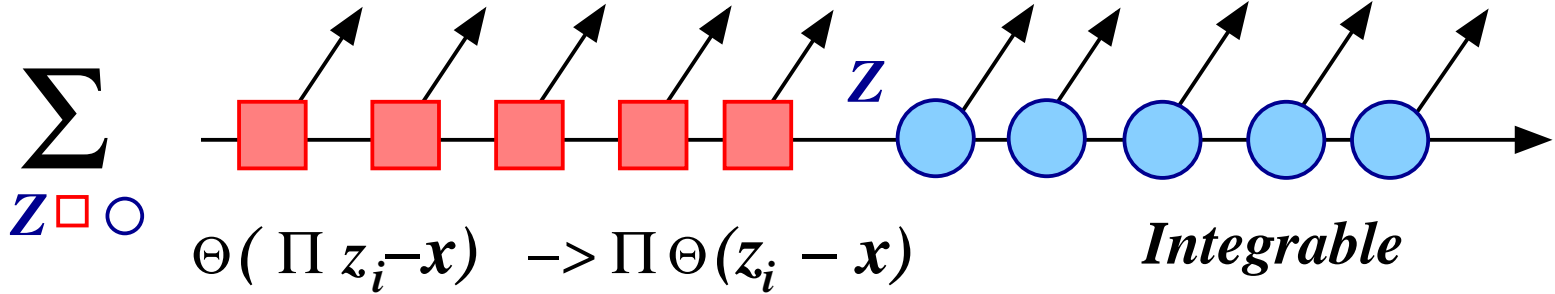
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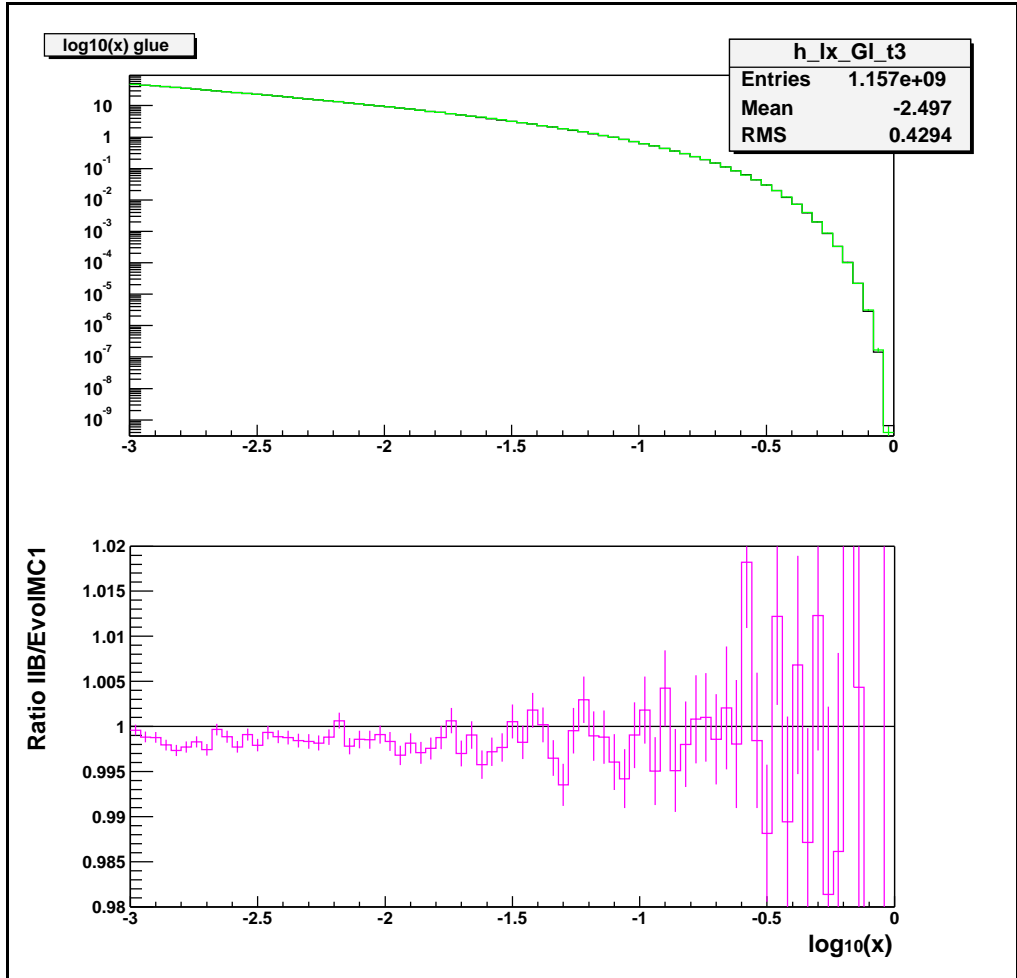


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# Testing prototype IIB



Comparison of IIB solution with the Markovian MC  $E_{\text{voIMC}}$  for pure gluonstrahlung. Two solutions and the ratio (lower plot).

**Agreement to within 0.2%**

## Short-term prospects

- More testing of IIB.
- Numerical test of solutions class I  
(several solutions found, under tests)
- Implementing transitions  $Q \rightarrow G$  and  $G \rightarrow Q$   
(at least 2 methods found)
- Adding NLL corrections  
(looks rather trivial)

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