

# Genie

v3.4.0



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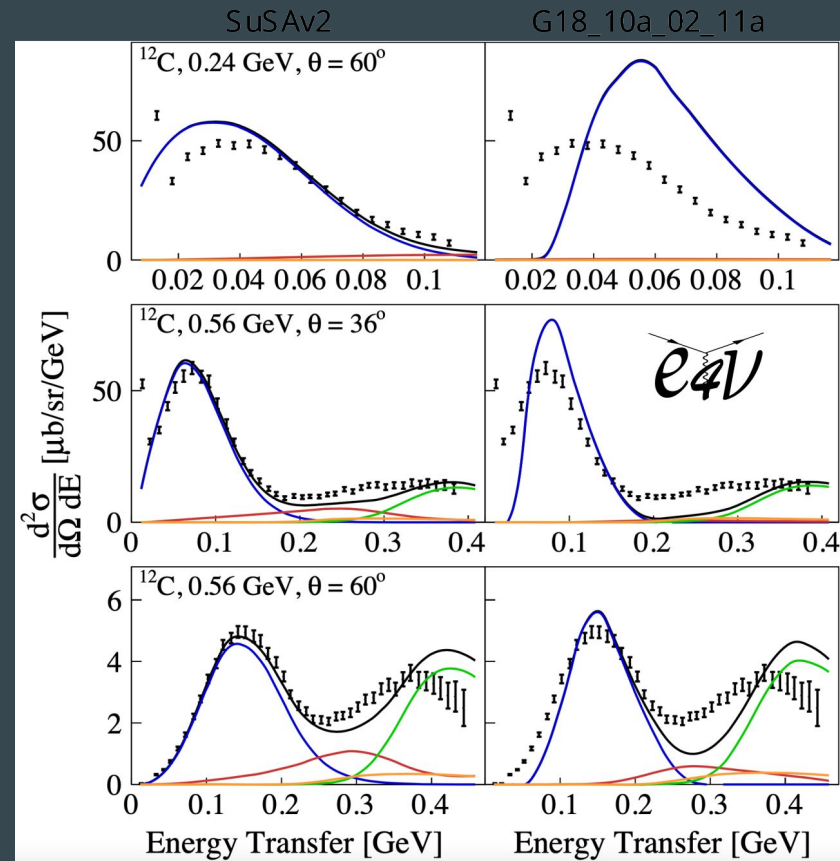


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# SuSAv2 - electron scattering

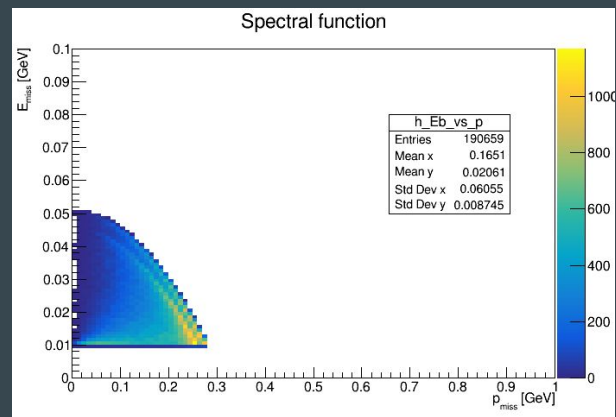
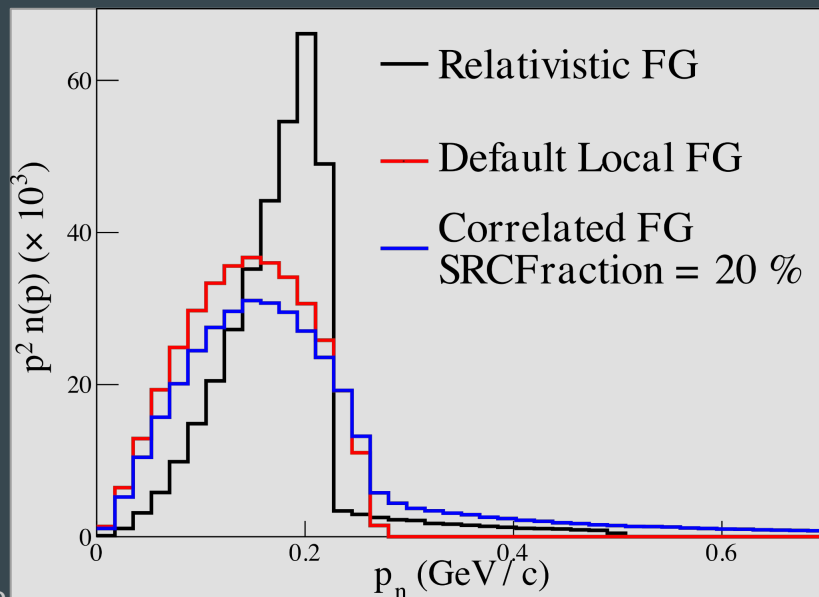
- Consistent with neutrino version
- Benchmarked against inclusive ( $e, e'$ ) data
  - by members of the  $e4\nu$  collaboration
- Improvement with respect to G18\_10a\_02\_11a
  - Which is not a tune used electrons
  - Rosenbluth + Empirical MEC (with no tuning)
- Contributors:
  - Afroditi Papadopoulou
  - Alon Sportes



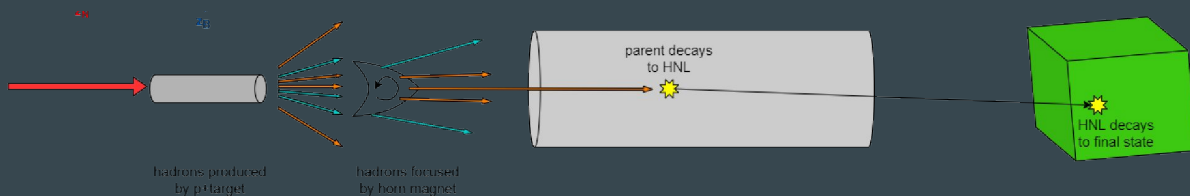
(blue) QE, (red) MEC, (green) RES and (orange) DIS

# Initial state: Correlated Fermi Gas

- Attempt to model the high energy tail
  - Measured at electron scattering
    - [Phys. Rev. C 68, 014313](#)
  - expected from two-nucleon short range correlations
- Implementation inspired by
  - <https://arxiv.org/abs/1710.07966>
- Final result: extension of the Local FG
  - Fraction of nucleons are above Fermi momentum
- In v3.4.0 we also added the possibility for the binding energy to be a function of the nucleon momentum
  - We call it spectral-function-like approach
  - It's not a full implementation of the spectral function
    - It just populates the space
      - A reweight module can use this as an input to proper SF distribution
- Contributor
  - Afroditi Papadopoulou
  - Steven Dolan and Laura Munteanu



# Heavy neutral lepton



- neutrino mass eigenstates with masses  $O(\text{MeV})$ 
  - In our implementation  $m_4 < m_K$
  - Lagrangian implemented according to [Eur. Phys. J. C 81, 78 \(2021\)](#)
    - With caveats for some decay channels: [link](#) to code review for details
      - The link contains all the instructions to run etc
- HNL are produced in same beam as SM neutrinos
  - Use dk2nu flux files as simulation input
- HNL decay to some appropriately selected decay channel
  - Particle stack constructed appropriately
    - Probe is the decaying HNL particle
- Decay vertex assigned along HNL trajectory inside detector
  - Detector ROOT geometry used as simulation input
- Provides tools for POT accounting
  - usually intended to generate weighted events
- This is a huge amount of work
  - Started from a MINERvA development
  - That has been generalised to be used by other experiments

# AR23\_20i\_00\_000 - SBN/DUNE tune

- Nuclear model: Local Fermi gas with Spectral function like approach
  - And correlated tail fraction set to 12 %, instead of the 20 %
  - The emission of the correlated nucleon is disabled
- CC 1p1h: Valencia model with z-expansion for the nucleon form factor
- CC 2p2h: SuSAv2 model
- Photon emission from nuclear de-excitation from Argon nuclei enabled
  - According to Marley distribution

# AR20i\_00\_000 - SBN/DUNE tune

- The rest of the configuration is similar to G18\_10a\_02\_11b
- The parameters for pion production are tuned according to free nucleon data
  - The tune was done using  $M_A$  as a nuisance parameter (not used in this 1p1h configuration)

TABLE I: Complete list of models used for the G18\_10a\_02\_11a tune in GENIE v3 [5].

Simulation domain	Model
Nuclear model	Local Fermi Gas [14]
QEL and 2p2h	Valencia [13, 15]
QEL Charm	Kovalenko [16]
QEL $\Delta S = 1$	Pais [17]
RES	Berger-Sehgal [18]
SIS/DIS	Bodek-Yang [19]
DIS $\Delta S = 1$	Aivazis-Tung-Olness [20]
Coherent $\pi$ production	Berger-Sehgal [18]
Hadronization	AGKY [21]
FSI	INTRANUKE hA [22]

# Future developments

- Getting close to the release of Minoo's model for single pion production
- upgrade for the  $\nu$ -e elastic scattering to include electron initial distribution
  - This will require a change in the data model we write in the file
  - Probably a dedicated presentation will happen at a forum
- COH single gamma production is also getting close to completion

# Take away

- Lots of new models and configurations
  - Plenty choice and we are happy to receive requests and inputs
- New models are being in the process of being merged
  - Incubators are the way we track new code
  - When things are discussed in advance it's easier to include new processes
- Tuning campaign ongoing
  - Julia will go into details tomorrow



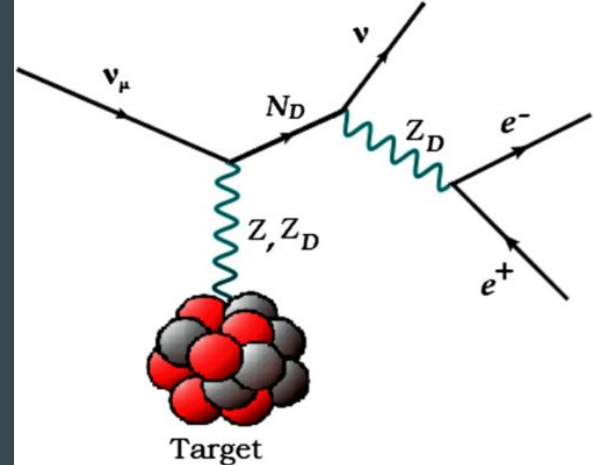


# Backup

# Dark neutrinos

$$\nu_\alpha = \sum_{i=1}^3 U_{\alpha i} \nu_i + U_{\alpha 4} N_{\mathcal{D}}, \quad \alpha = e, \mu, \tau, \mathcal{D}$$

- Model to explain EM excess
  - Main reference paper <https://doi.org/10.1103/PhysRevLett.121.241801>
- Neutrino interaction via exchange of a light dark boson ( $Z_{\mathcal{D}}$ )
  - light compared to Z and W
  - producing dark neutrino with non-zero mass ( $\nu_{\mathcal{D}}$ )
- The dark neutrino then decays
  - In either neutrinos and/or electron pairs
    - Only tree-level decays are allowed so far
      - We can add more but we need the decay amplitudes
  - The decay length is visible in our detectors!
    - varies a lot with couplings and mixings but it can be of the order of mm
- The dark boson exchanged with the nucleus can give rise to all NC scattering mechanisms
  - The main process would be the coherent production (implemented in GENIE now)
  - The second leading process would be the QE process, not implemented yet
- Contributions by Iker de Icaza (Sussex)
  - Inputs from Pedro Machado (FNAL)



$$\mathcal{L}_{\mathcal{D}} \supset \frac{m_{Z_{\mathcal{D}}}^2}{2} Z_{\mathcal{D}\mu} Z_{\mathcal{D}}^\mu + g_{\mathcal{D}} Z_{\mathcal{D}}^\mu \bar{\nu}_{\mathcal{D}} \gamma_\mu \nu_{\mathcal{D}} + e \epsilon Z_{\mathcal{D}}^\mu J_\mu^{\text{em}} + \frac{g}{c_W} \epsilon' Z_{\mathcal{D}}^\mu J_\mu^Z,$$