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## Mean field models

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## Inclusive cross section?



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## Inclusive ${ }^{12} \mathrm{C}\left(e, e^{\prime}\right)$ cross sections <br> PRD 94, 013012 (2016)






## Comparison with $\mathrm{CCO} \pi$ data

## $\mathrm{T} 2 \mathrm{~K} \mathrm{CCO} \pi \nu_{\mu}-\mathrm{C}_{8} \mathrm{H}_{8}$






- Recently implemented the SuSAv2 1p1h and 2p2h models in GENIE using hadron tensors.
- Based on implementations of the Valencia 2p2h (NEUT/GENIE)
- Exactly reproduces the inclusive predictions of the models




## SuSAv2-MEC implementation in GENIE: Validation plots (T2K CCO $\pi$ )

T2K CC0 $\pi \nu_{\mu}-{ }^{12} \mathrm{C}$ data vs. SuSAv2-MEC GENIE


## Introduction to the spectral function approach

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## Comparisons to C(e,e') data



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Comparison of SuSAv2-MEC ${ }^{\text {Genie }}$ with Nieves ${ }^{\text {Genie }} 2 \mathrm{p} 2 \mathrm{~h}$ arXiv:1905.085





Differences in np/pp separation are mostly related to the treatment of 2 p 2 h direct/exchange interference terms (absent in Nieves model) $\rightarrow$ strongly affects $\mathrm{np} / \mathrm{pp}$ ratio by a factor $\sim$ 2 (PRC94:054610,2016) $\Rightarrow$ Implications in nucleon multiplicity and hadron $E_{\text {reco }}$

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## What do MC neutrino event generators need?

Information about the hadrons?


Elastic scattering (difficult)


Quasielastic scattering
(difficult)


2 N knockout
(very difficult)


Single pion production
(very difficult)


Two pion production
(impossible?)


Impossible

# How do generators predict hadron kinematics? (Much more detail tomorrow) 

- Start with the inclusive prediction
- Pick random initial-state nucleon momentum and binding energy based on some spectral function
- Conserve energy / momentum at the vertex to predict hadron kinematics (under impulse approximation)
- Add an FSI cascade to deal with all the stuff that we missed out

This is not the same as this

$$
\int \frac{d \sigma_{C C Q E}}{d p_{\mu} d \theta_{\mu} d p_{p} d \theta_{p} d \theta_{\mu p}}
$$

(They do it differently in NuWro, at least for the Spectral Function approach)
Factorization of the cross section in the absence of FSI:
Algorithm $\quad \frac{\mathrm{d}^{6} \sigma^{\text {PWIA }}}{\mathrm{d} \omega \mathrm{d}|\mathbf{q}| \mathrm{d} E_{m} \mathrm{~d} \mathbf{p}_{m}}=\frac{G_{F}^{2} \cos ^{2} \theta_{C}|\mathbf{q}|}{4 \pi E_{\mathbf{k}}^{2} E_{\mathbf{p}} E_{\mathbf{p}^{\prime}}} P_{(n)}\left(E_{m}, \mathbf{p}_{m}\right) L_{\mu \nu} \widetilde{H}^{\mu \nu} \delta\left(\omega+M-E_{m}-E_{\mathbf{p}^{\prime}}\right)$
Spectral function formalism yields:

$$
\sigma^{\text {PWIA }}=\int_{V} \frac{\mathrm{~d}^{6} \sigma^{\text {PWIA }}}{\mathrm{d} \omega \mathrm{~d}|\mathbf{q}| \mathrm{d} E_{m} \mathrm{~d} \mathbf{p}_{m}}\left[\mathrm{~d} \omega \mathrm{~d}|\mathbf{q}| \mathrm{d} E_{m} \mathrm{~d} \mathbf{p}_{m}\right]
$$

In NuWro, the invariant variables are: $\Omega_{\mu}^{*}, E_{m}, \mathbf{p}_{m}$.
Additionally, $E_{m}, \mathrm{p}_{m}$ are sampled from the spectral function.
Therefore, NuWro calculates

$$
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One exception: Exclusive A(e,e'p)A-1


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## Observation/Assumption:

The effect of the optical potential accounts almost only for 'hard' rescattering events.

So the MC can take care of this but the model should take into account the real part of the potential to give A good inclusive cross section


$$
\omega(\mathrm{MeV})
$$



Figure and results by K. Niewczas and JM. Udias

## Intermediate momenta and distortion






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Quantum mechanical elastic distortion

1. Shifts the peak to the correct position
2. Distributes peak strength to the tails

This is not a 'hard' scattering
(this is important for later)
The dispersion relation of the outgoing nucleon is determined in the potential this leads to a 'broadening' of the energymomentum relation.

MF: The energy is the quantum number and $\mathrm{k}_{\mathrm{N}}$ is only asymptotically defined. PW: The outgoing nucleon has fixed $\mathrm{k}_{\mathrm{N}}$
$\omega(\mathrm{GeV})$

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