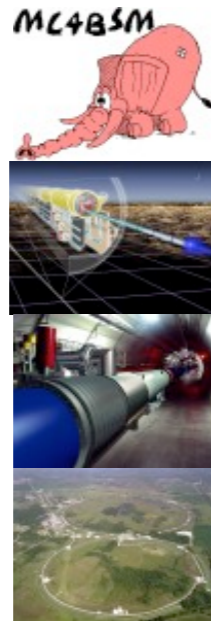


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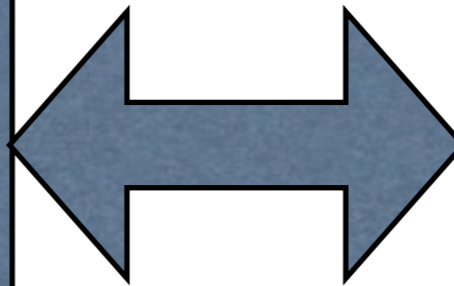
Build a Model



Identify Collider Signatures



Compute Signal Cross Sections



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Compute Backgrounds
and Optimize Cuts

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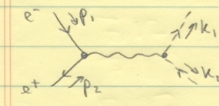
$$\mathcal{L} \rightarrow \frac{d\sigma}{d\Pi}$$

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NOTES!

2. $e^+e^- \rightarrow \phi\phi$ Cross section



$$i\mathcal{M} = (ie)^2 \bar{v}(p_2) \gamma^\mu u(p_1) \frac{-ig_{\mu\nu}}{(p_1+p_2)^2 + i\epsilon} (k_1 - k_2)_\nu$$

$$= ie^2 \frac{1}{s} \bar{v}(p_2) (k_1 - k_2) u(p_1)$$

with $s = (p_1+p_2)^2 = (k_1+k_2)^2$

$$p_1 + p_2 = k_1 + k_2 \Rightarrow k_2 = p_1 + p_2 - k_1$$

$$\bar{v}(p_2) (k_1 - k_2) u(p_1) = \bar{v}(p_2) (2k_1 - p_1 - p_2) u(p_1)$$

$\not{p}_1 u(p_1) = 0, \bar{v}(p_2) \not{p}_2 = 0$ in the limit $m_0/\sqrt{s} \rightarrow 0$

$$\Rightarrow i\mathcal{M} = i \frac{e^2}{s} \cdot 2 \bar{v}(p_2) k_1 u(p_1)$$

$$|\overline{|\mathcal{M}|^2} = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{s_1, s_2} |\mathcal{M}|^2 = \frac{e^4}{s^2} \sum_{s_1, s_2} (\bar{v}(p_2) k_1 u(p_1)) (\bar{u}(p_1) k_1 v(p_2))$$

$$= \frac{e^4}{s^2} \cdot \text{Tr} [k_1 \not{p}_1 k_1 \not{p}_2]$$

$$= \frac{4e^4}{s^2} \cdot [2k_1 \cdot p_2 k_1 \cdot p_2 - k_1^2 p_1 \cdot p_2]$$

Rewrite in terms of scattering angle:

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REAL*8 SCALEF,WTMAX
COMMON/UPPRIV/SCALEF,WTMAX,LNHIN,LNHOUT,MODE
INTEGER IREAD
COMMON/UPINFO/IREAD

C...External functions
EXTERNAL PYALPS,PYP

C...Local variables
INTEGER NEV,IE
CHARACTER*5 CGIVE
CHARACTER*30 CGIVE0

C...Maximum number of events to generate.
NEV=-1          ! -1 means all available events

C initialize HEP logical units
LNHIN=77

OPEN (LNHIN, FILE='unweighted_events.dat', ERR=90 )

C...MODE, process mode; agrees with IDWTUP code (+-1,+-2,+-3,+-4).
C IF MODE=0 (default), MODE is set automatically
C depending on the kind of MadEvent event file:
C MODE=3 for unweighed events, MODE=2 for weighted events
C If some other setting is desired, set MODE here

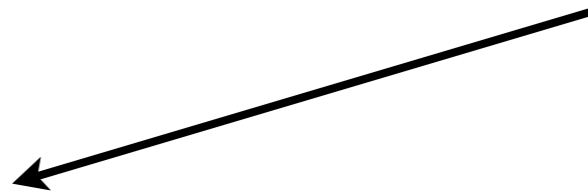
C...Only 2 and 3 work with MG-ME files, otherwise wrong cross-section

c  MODE=4
C.....4 means unweighted in and unweighted out
C.....All events accepted. XWGTUP is stored by Pythia, its average is used
C.....as a cross section.

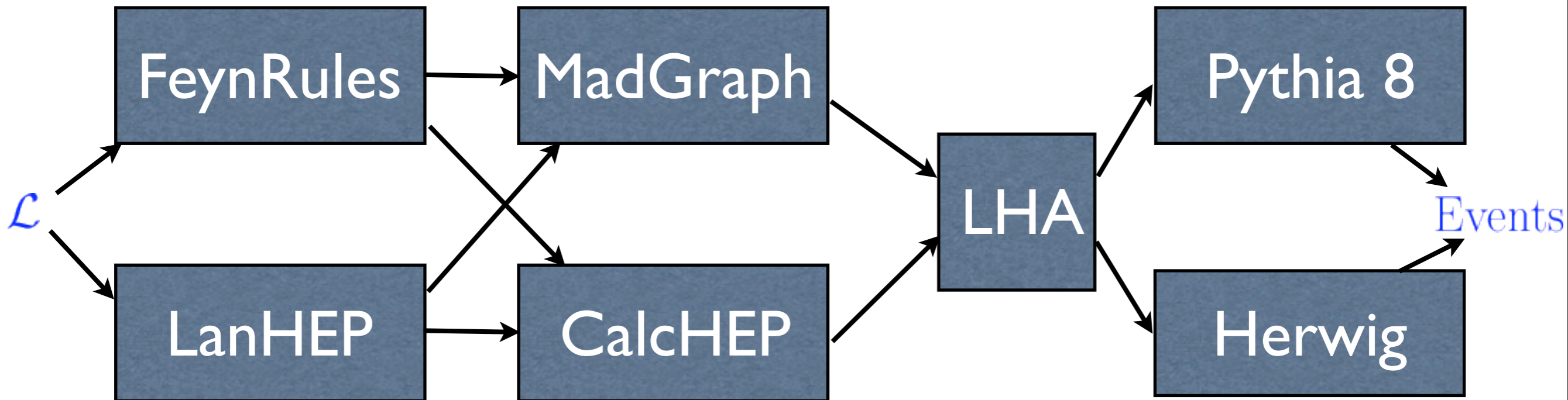
c  MODE=3
C.....3 means unweighted in and unweighted out
C.....All events accepted. XWGTUP ignored by Pythia. XSECUP is used
C.....as a cross section. For MG-ME reads run constants from weighted
C.....events fole (fort.77) and events from unweighted events file (fort.
78)

c  MODE=2
C.....Means weighted in and unweighted out
C.....Events selected according to maximum weight. XSECUP=(weights sum) is
C.....used as a cross section. For MG-ME reads run constants and events
from
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FORTRAN!!!

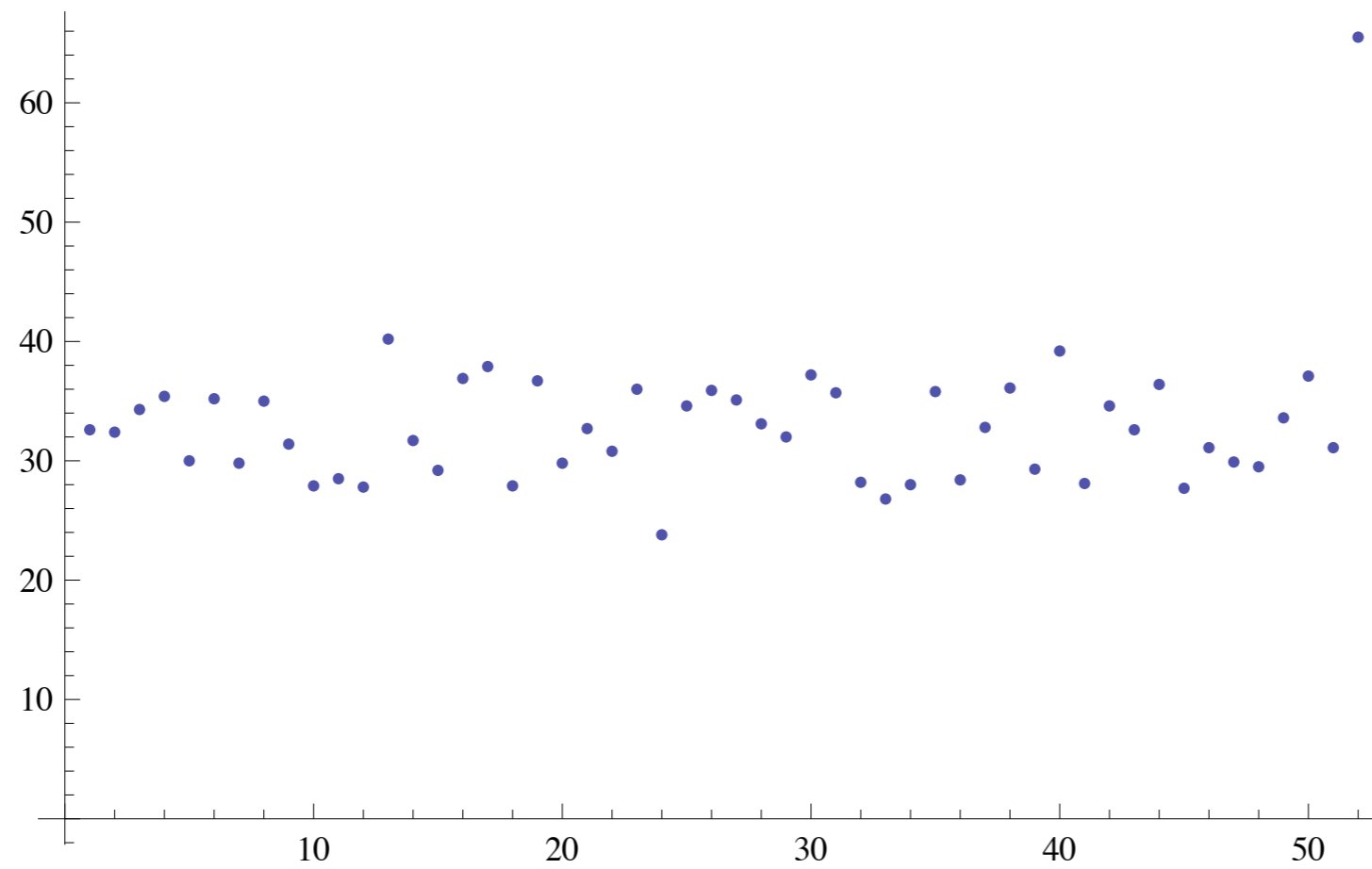


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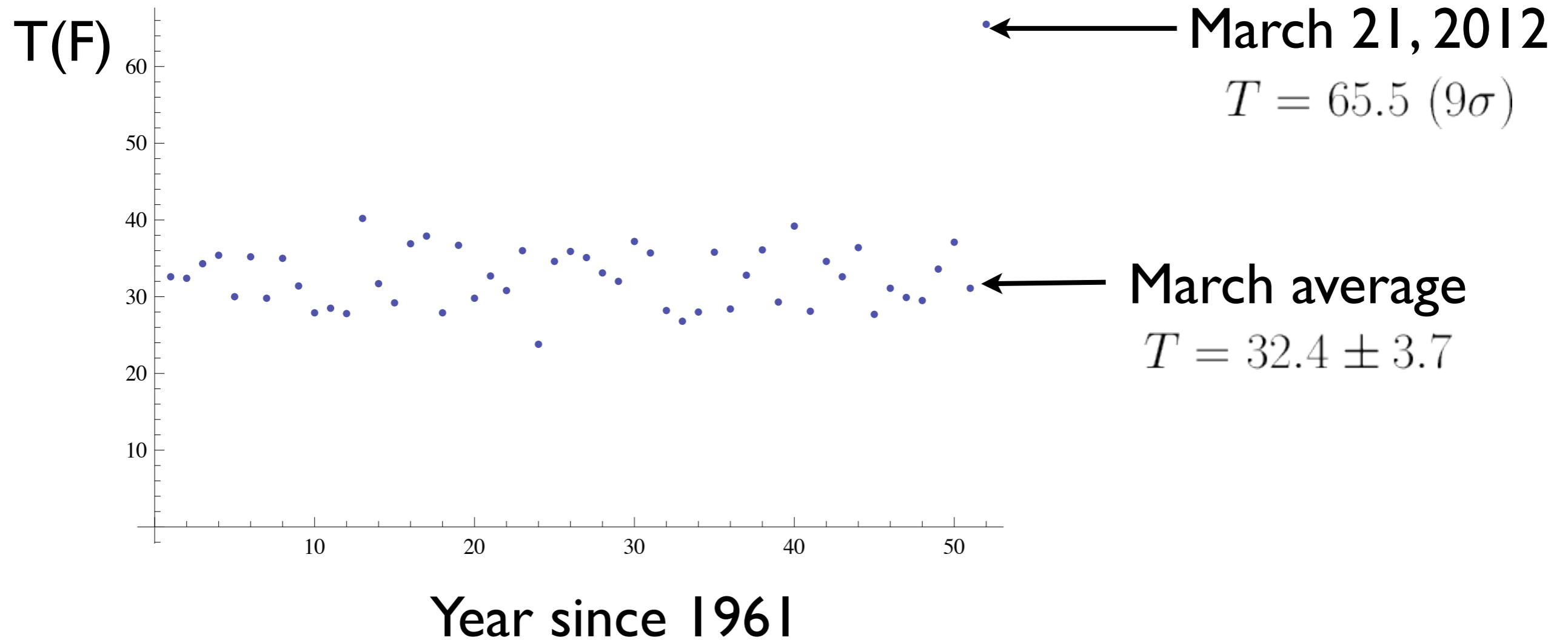


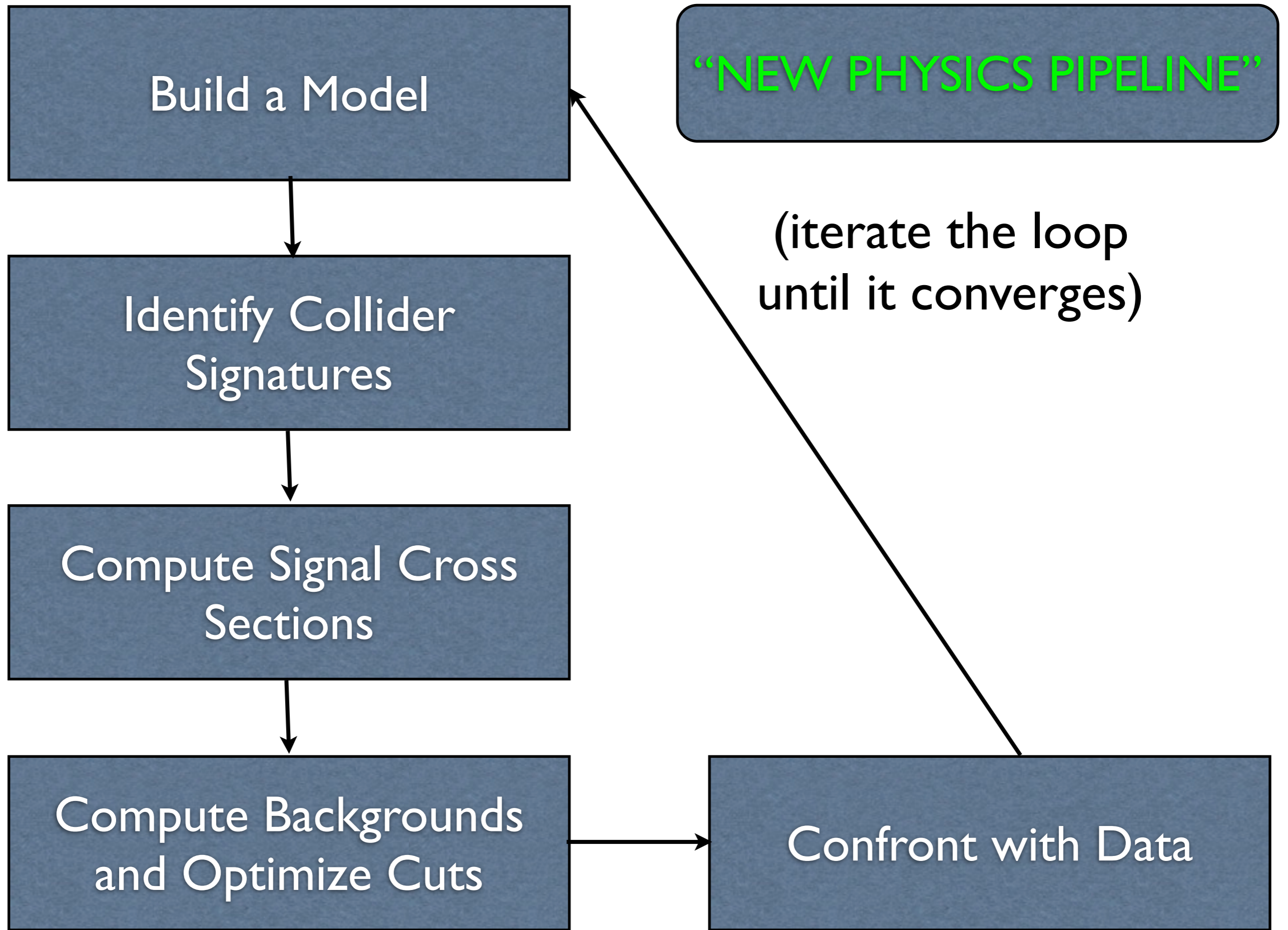
[+ many others - apologies if I missed your favorite generator]

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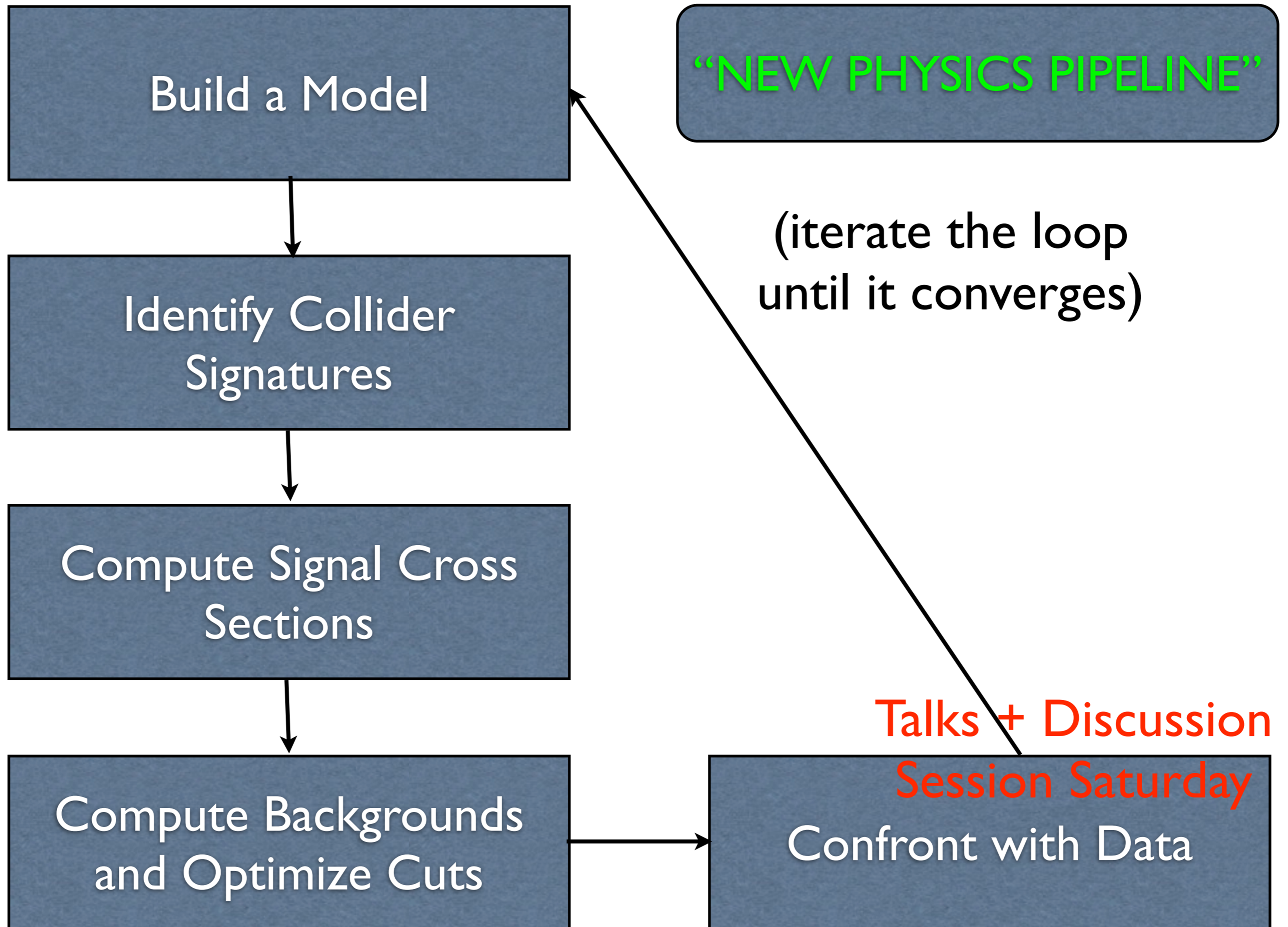
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(iterate the loop until it converges)



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