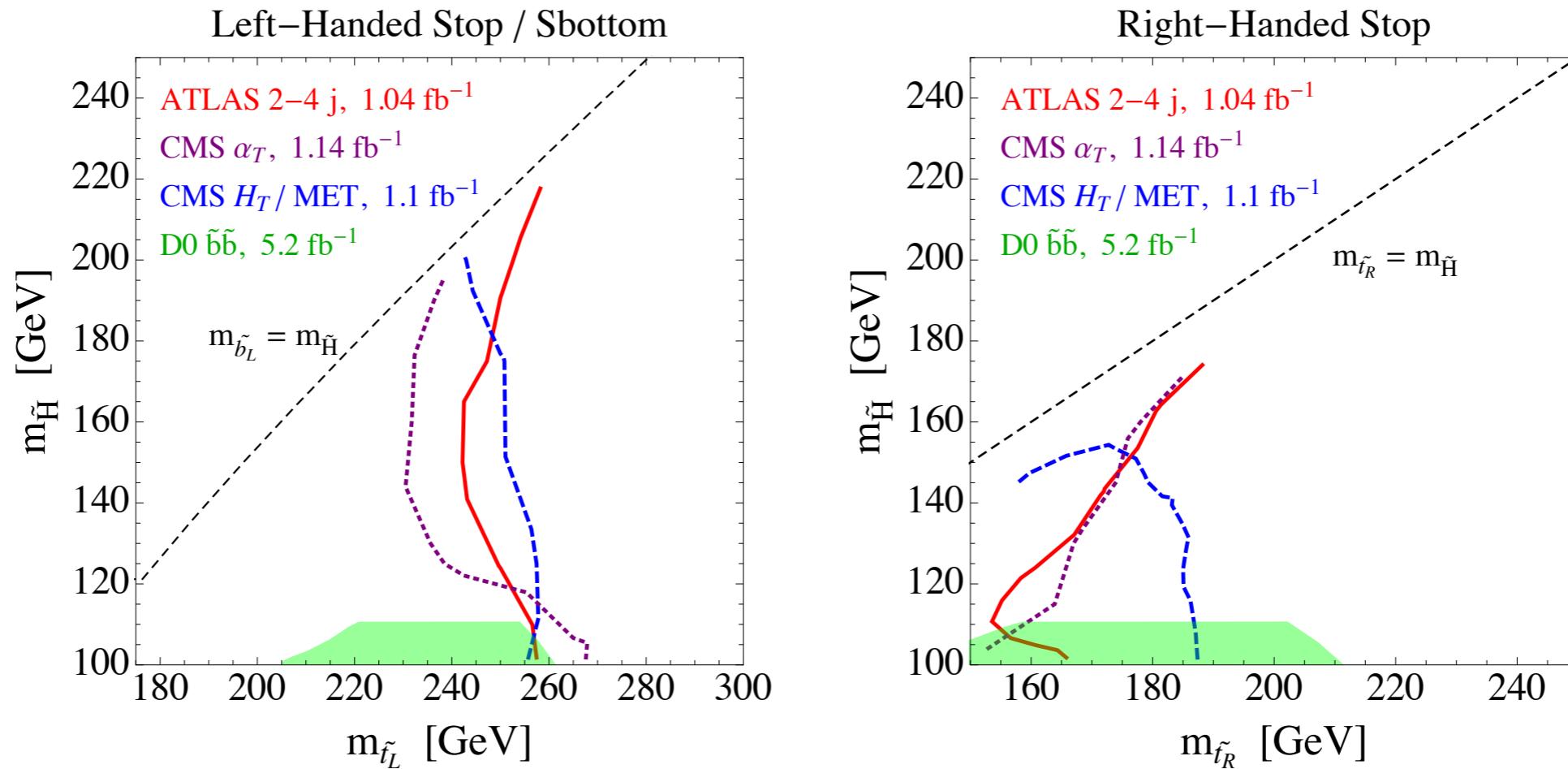


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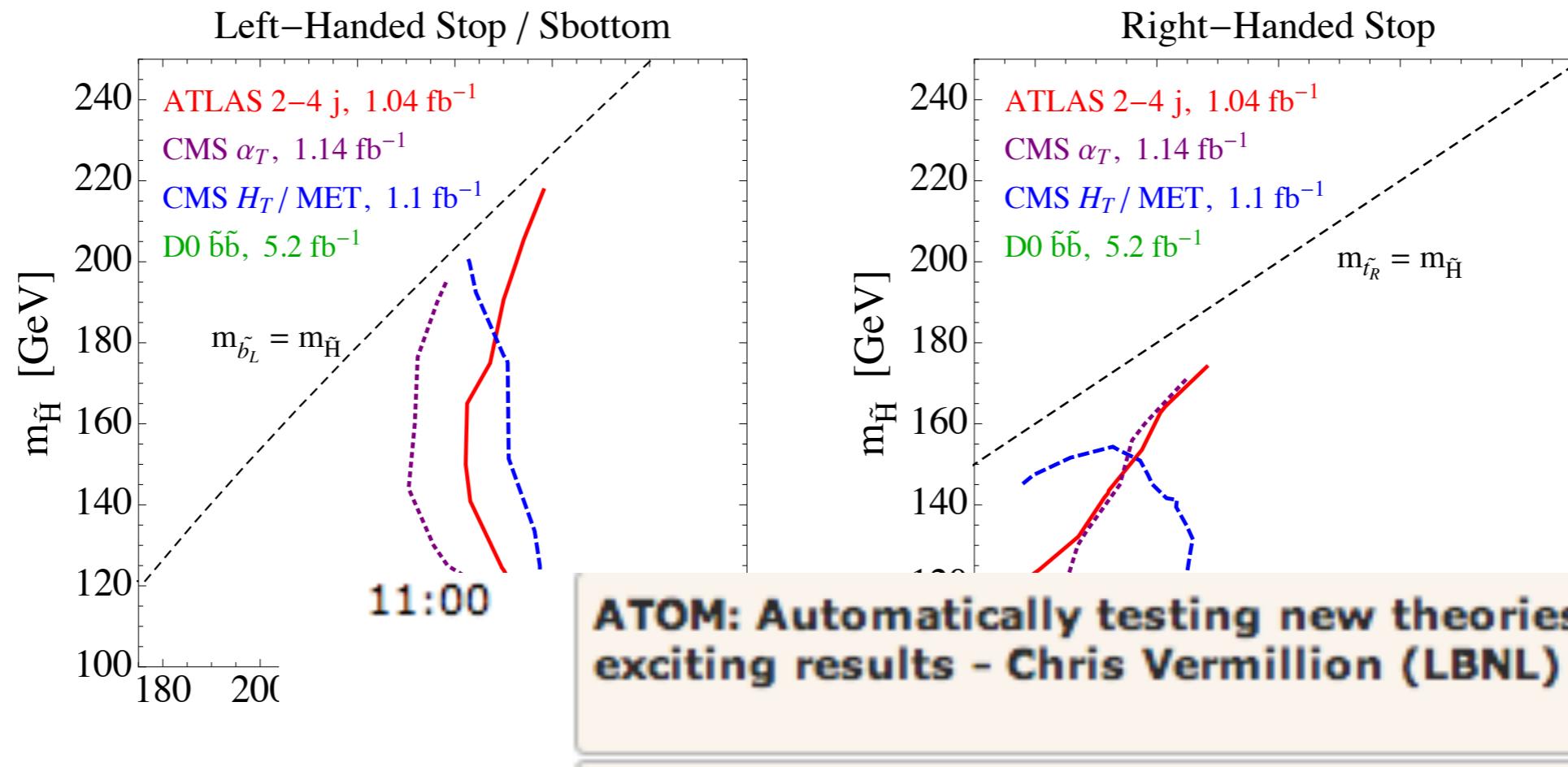


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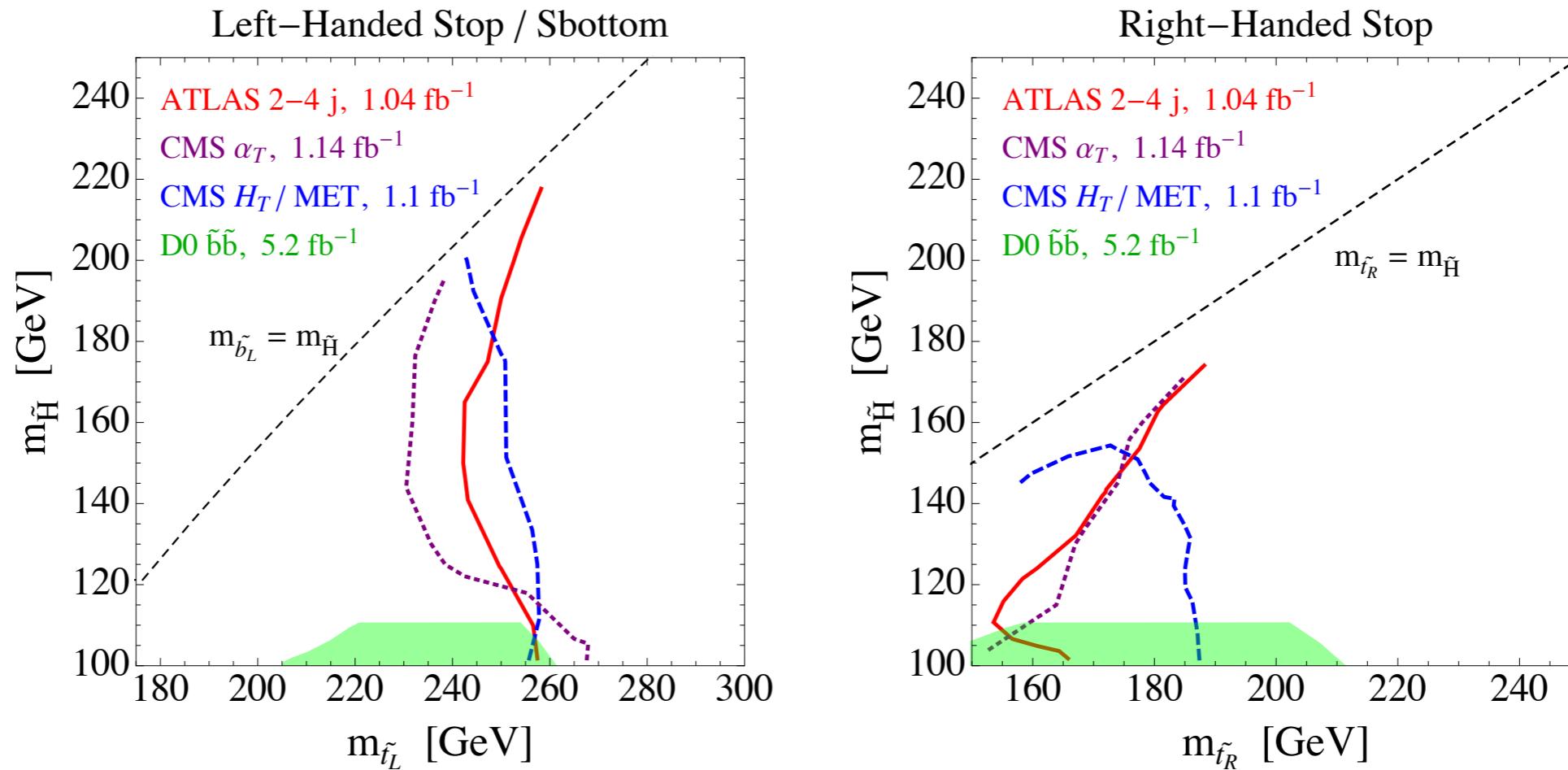


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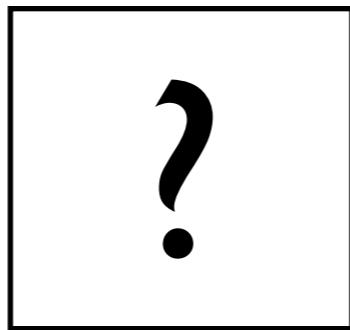


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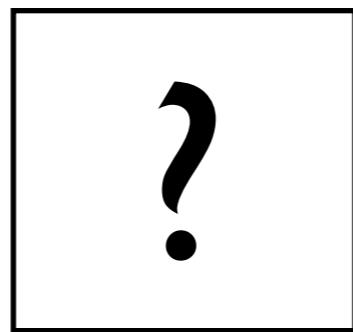
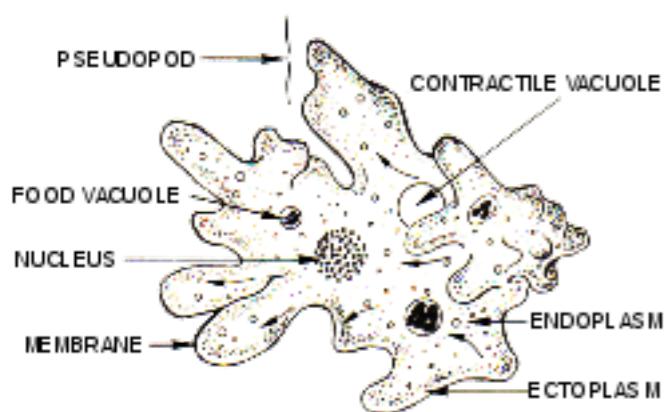


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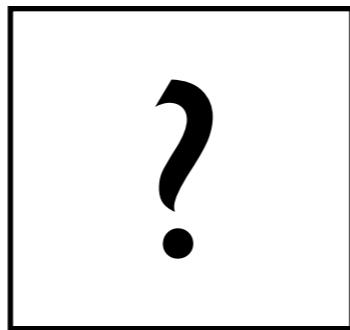
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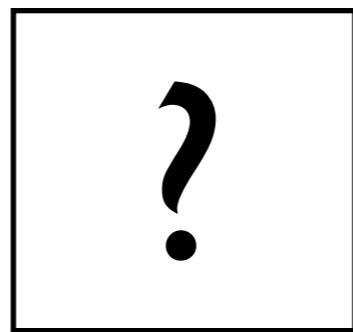
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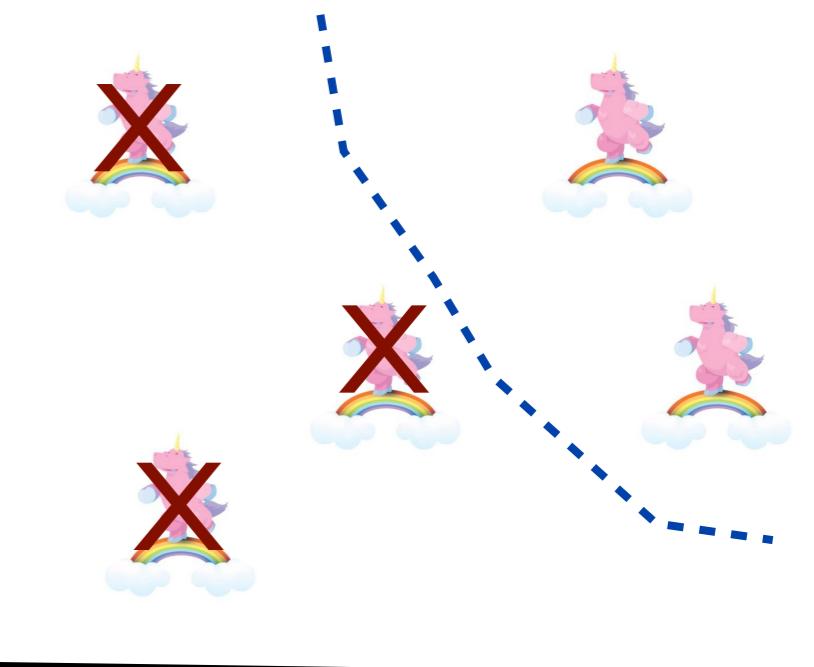
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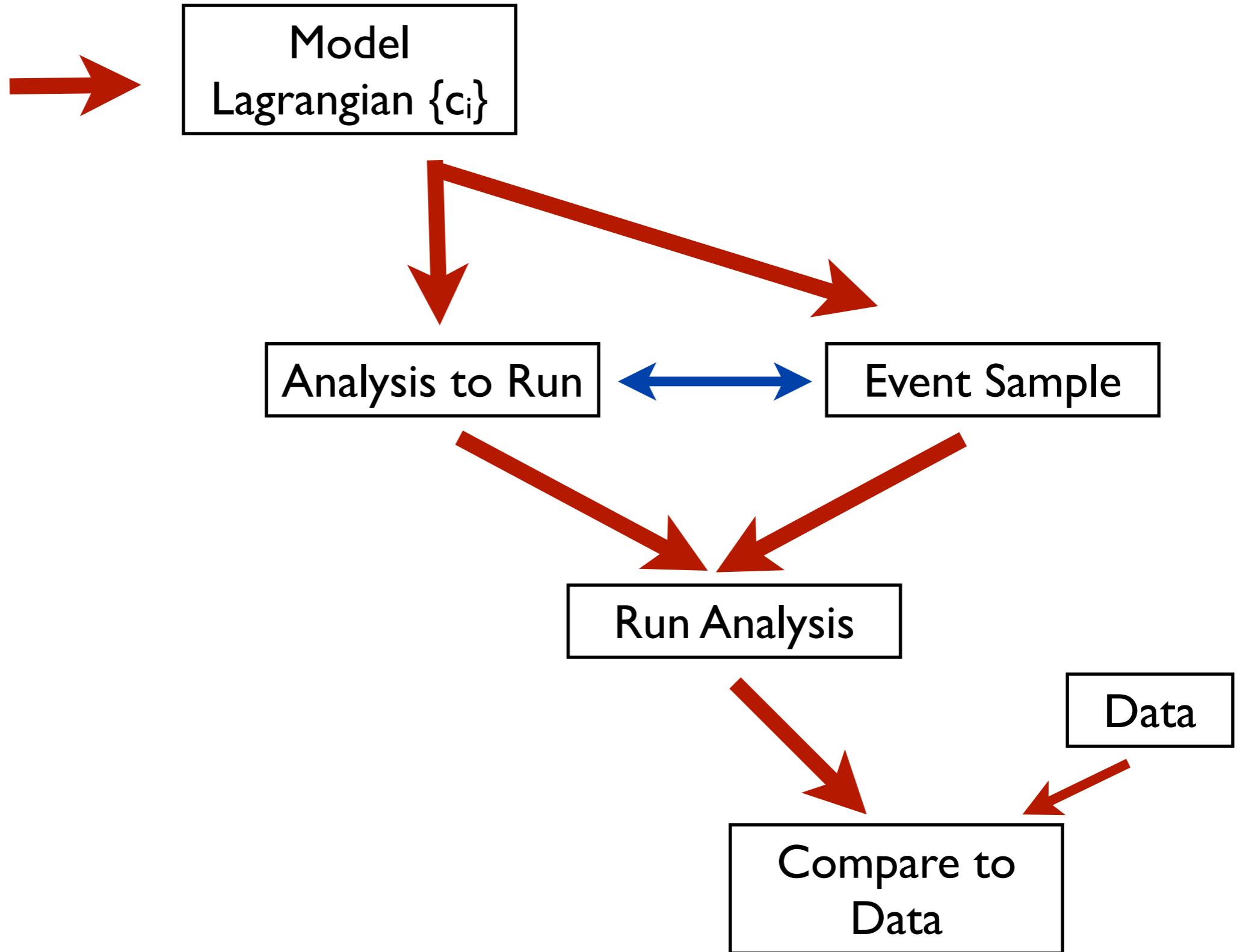
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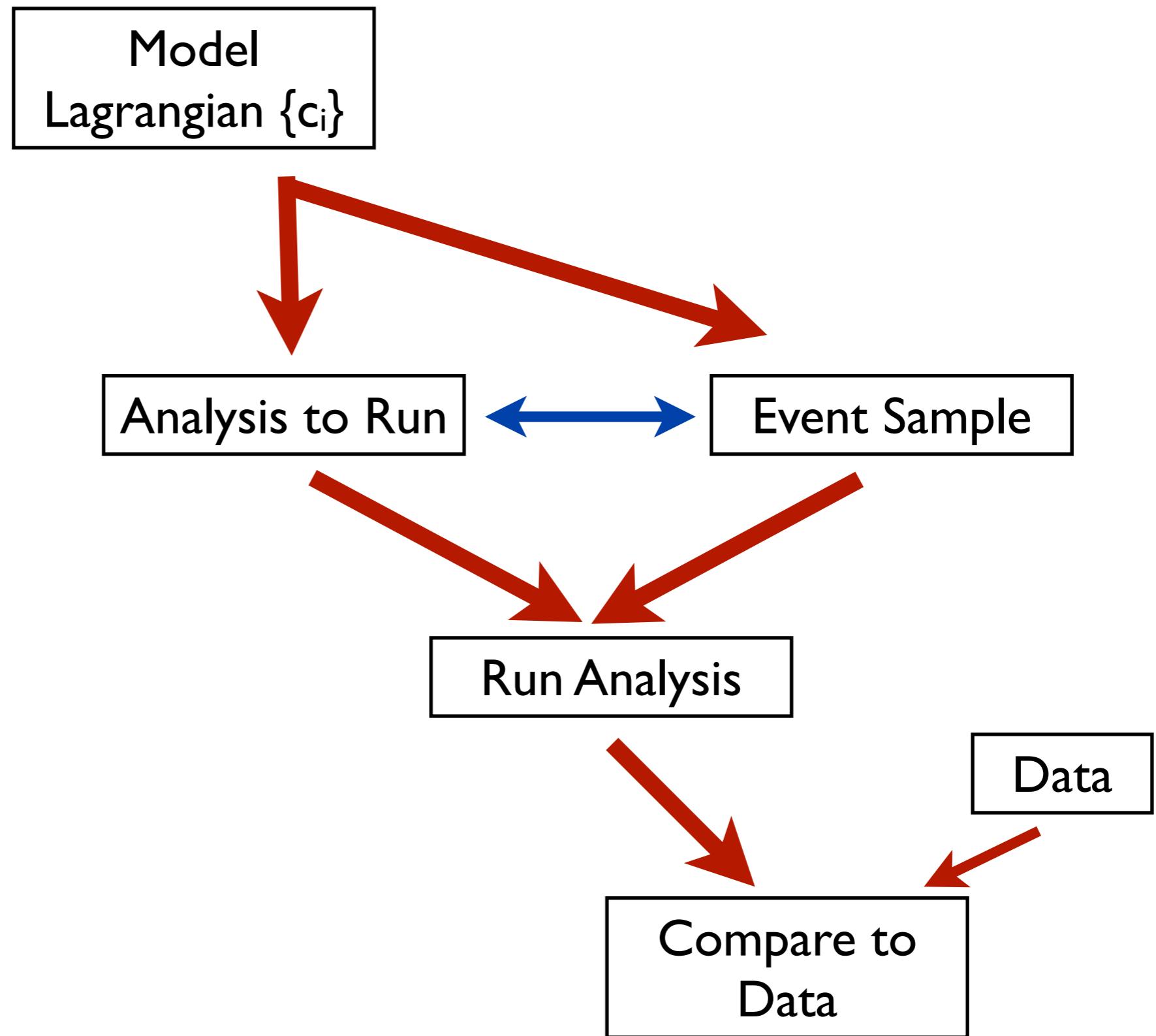
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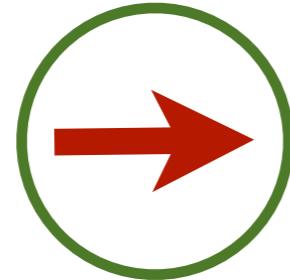


Exclusion
plots in $\{c_i\}$









Model Lagrangian
 $\{c_i\}$

Analysis to Run

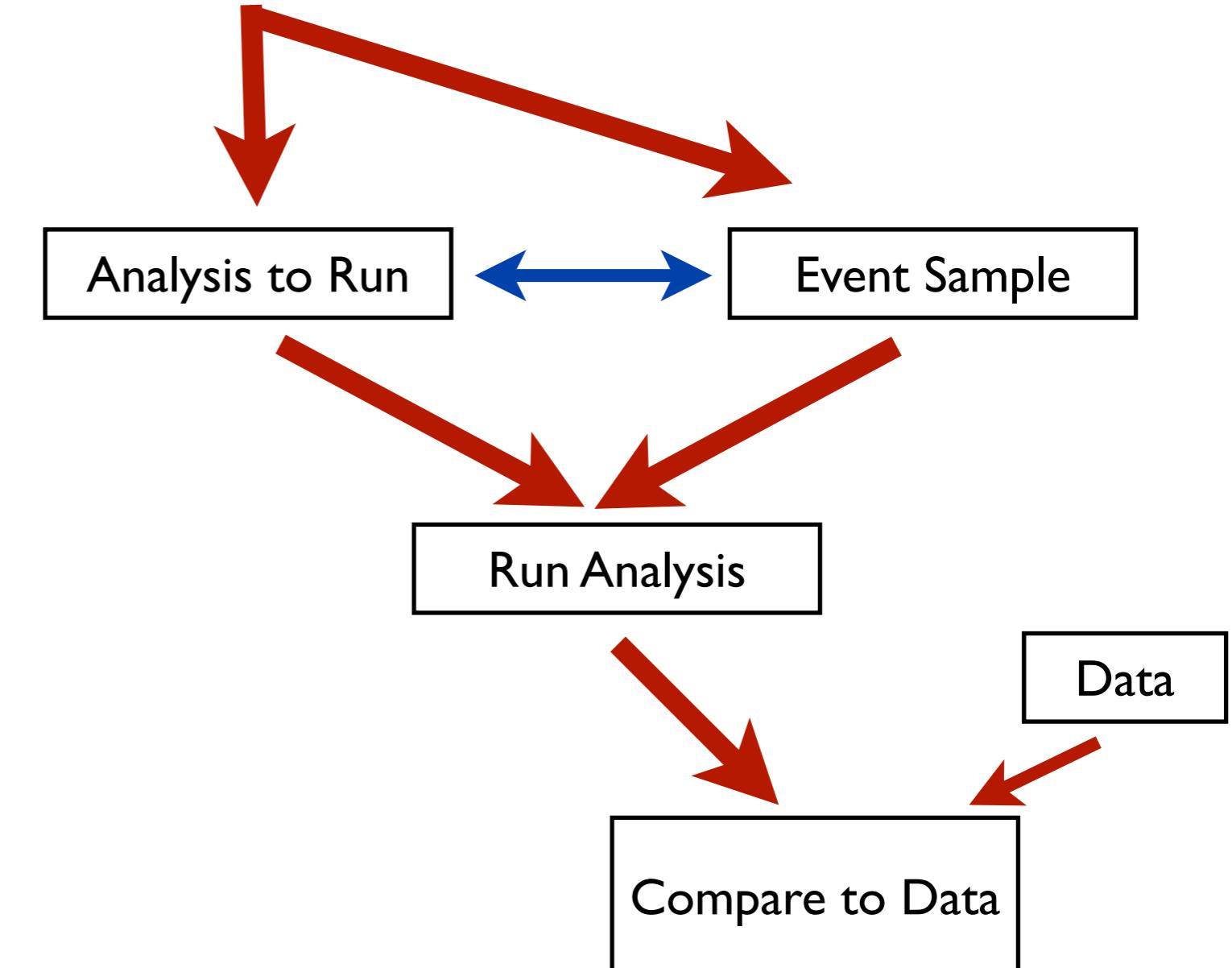
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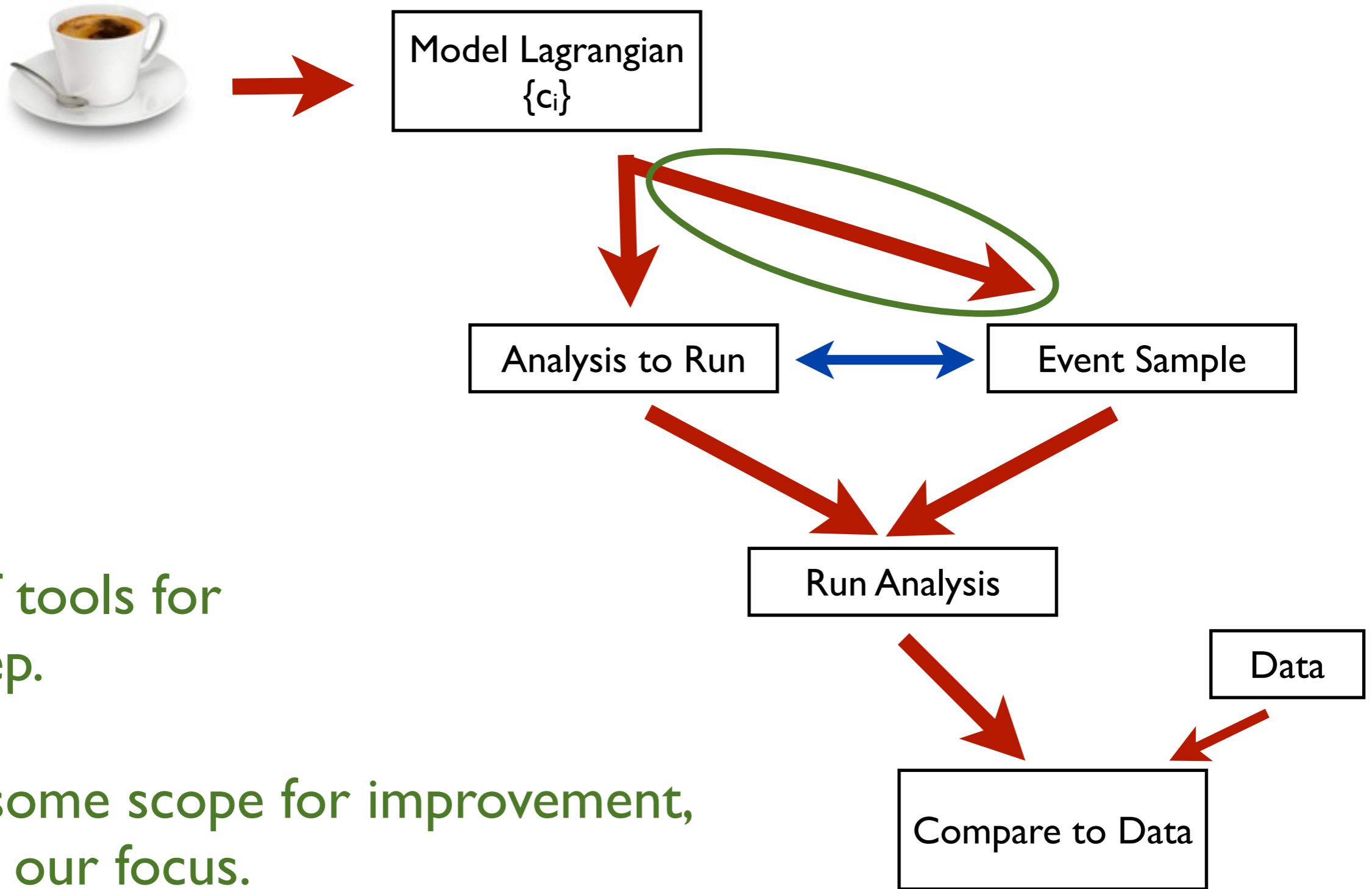
Run Analysis

Data

Compare to Data

Leave this part
to the model
builders...

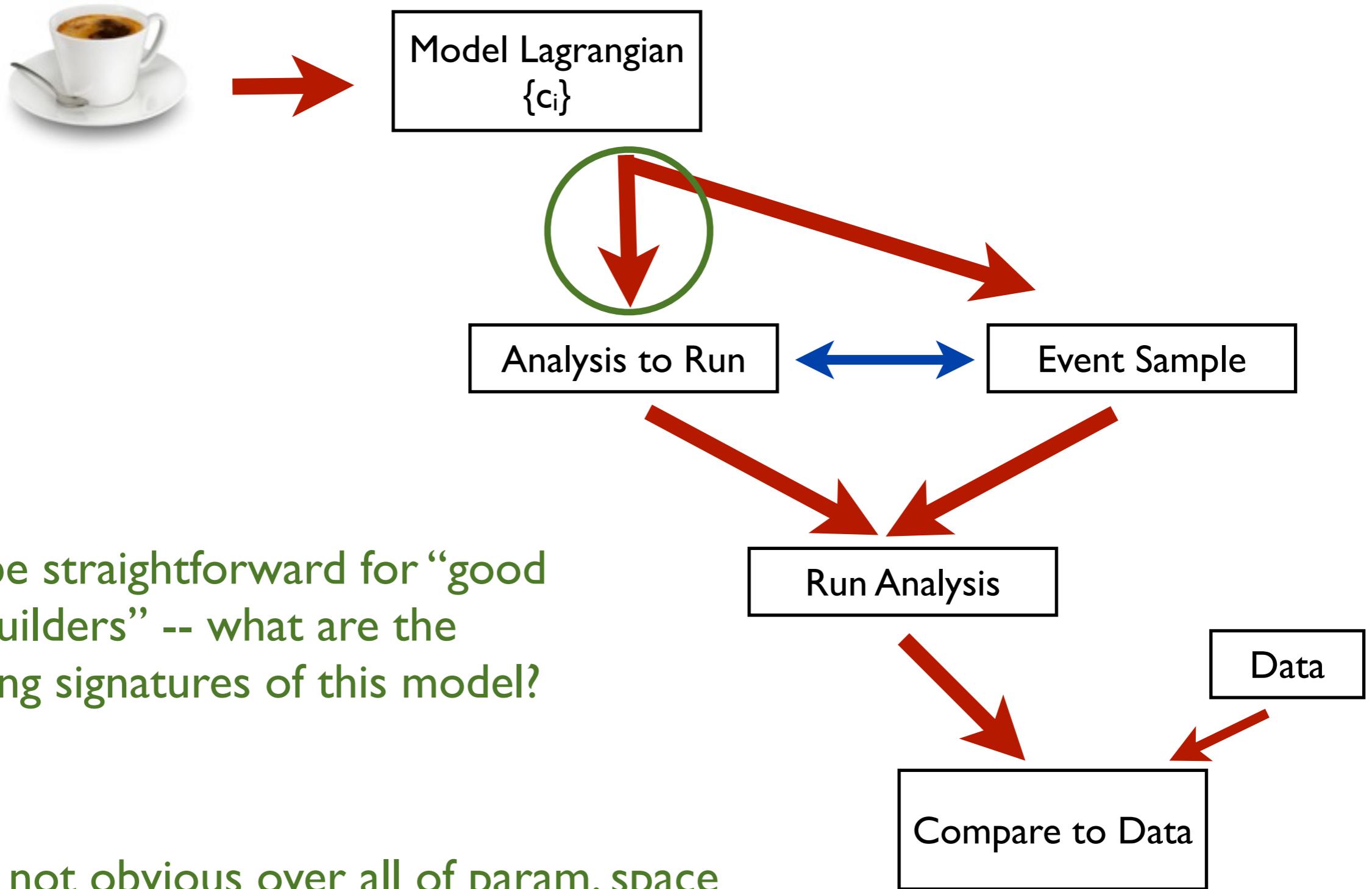




Lots of tools for
this step.

Surely some scope for improvement,
but not our focus.

What events to generate? More later...

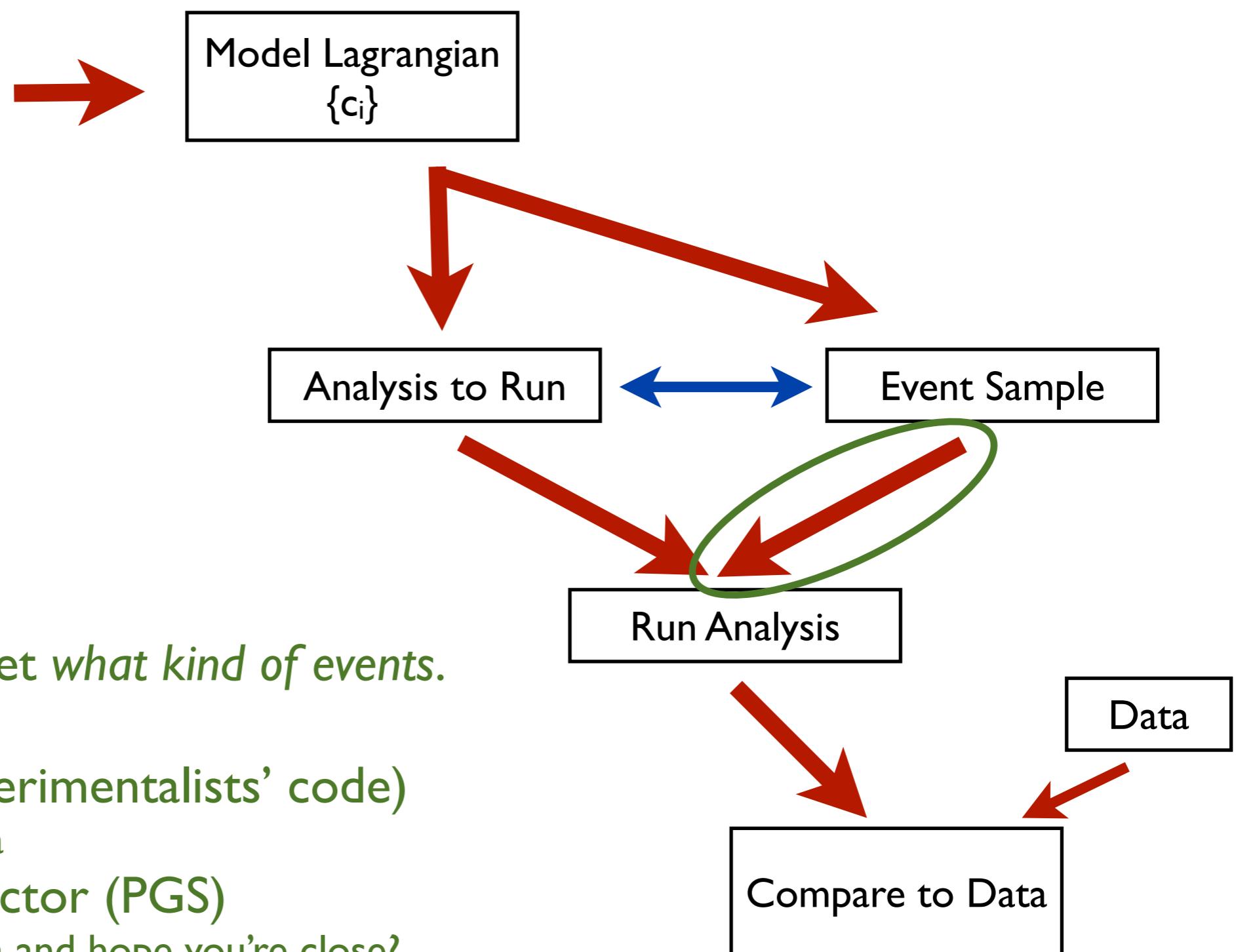


Should be straightforward for “good model builders” -- what are the interesting signatures of this model?

But...

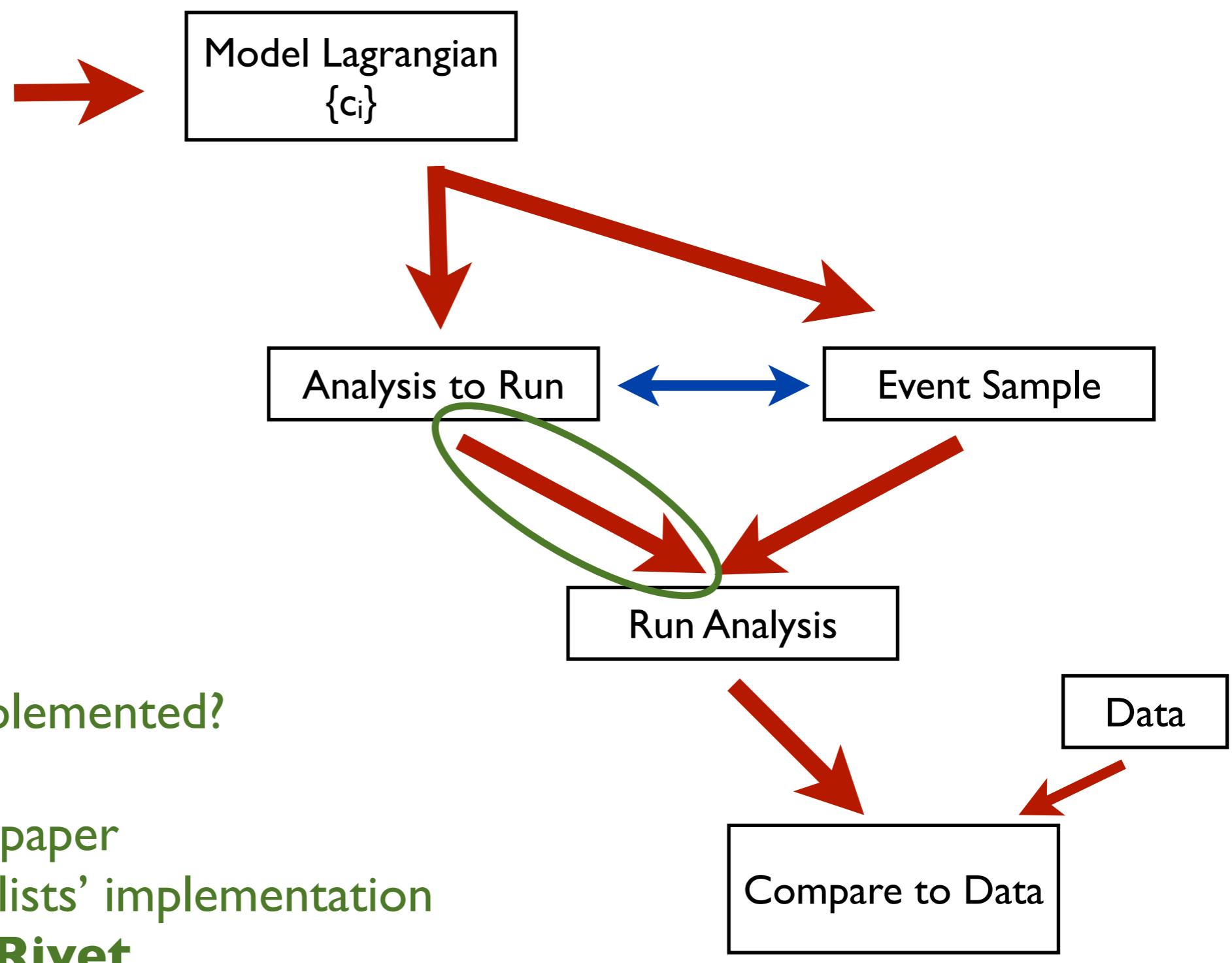
- Maybe not obvious over all of param. space
- Even “good theorists” might miss things!
 - On top of signature, ideal to have encyclopedic knowledge of past analyses
 - ... weed out “bad model builders” more easily

(Professor vs. Rick Field)



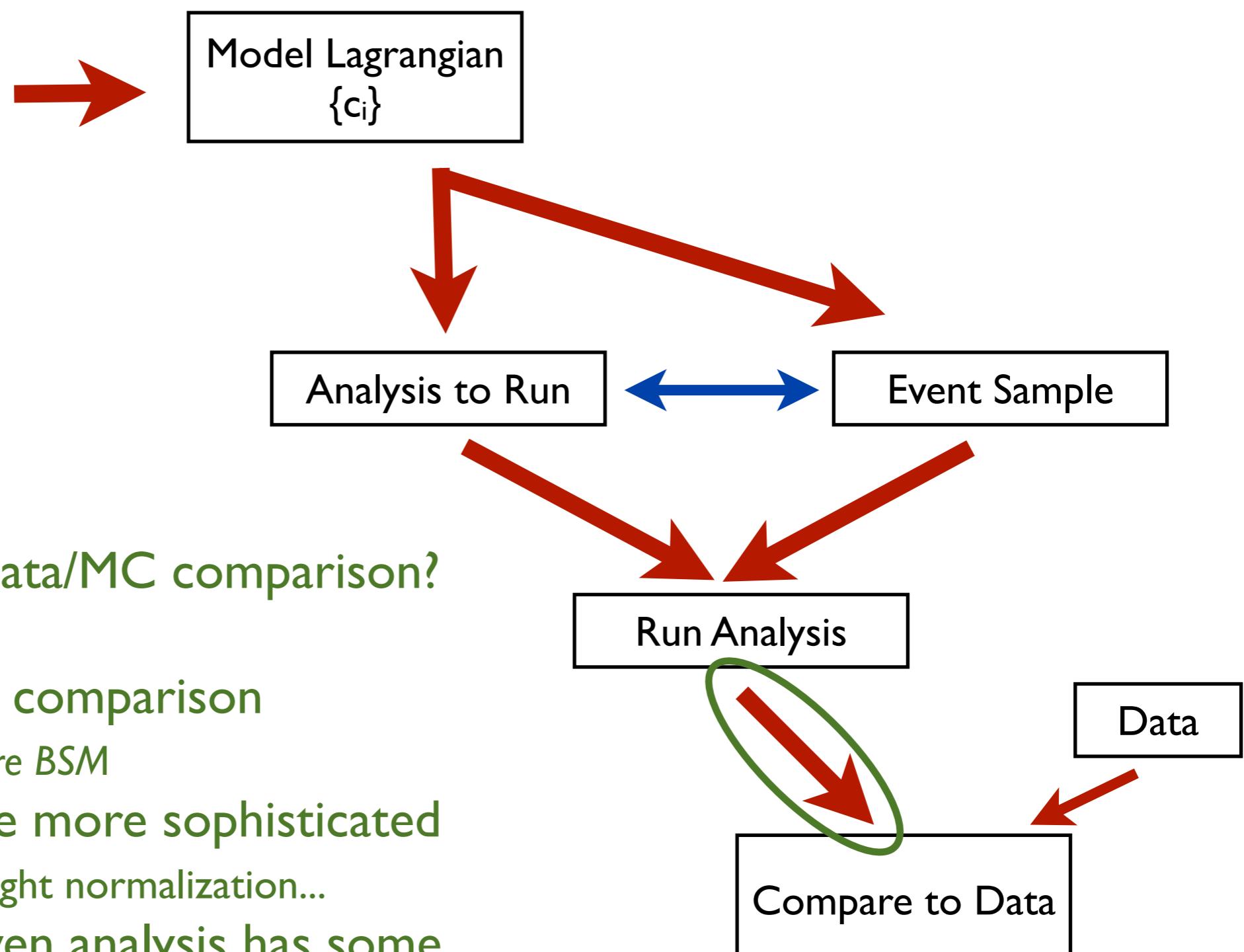
Haven't addressed yet *what kind of events*.

- Full detector (experimentalists' code)
 - compare to raw data
- Semi-realistic detector (PGS)
 - compare to raw data and hope you're close?
- Particle-level
 - compare to unfolded data OR parameterize efficiencies



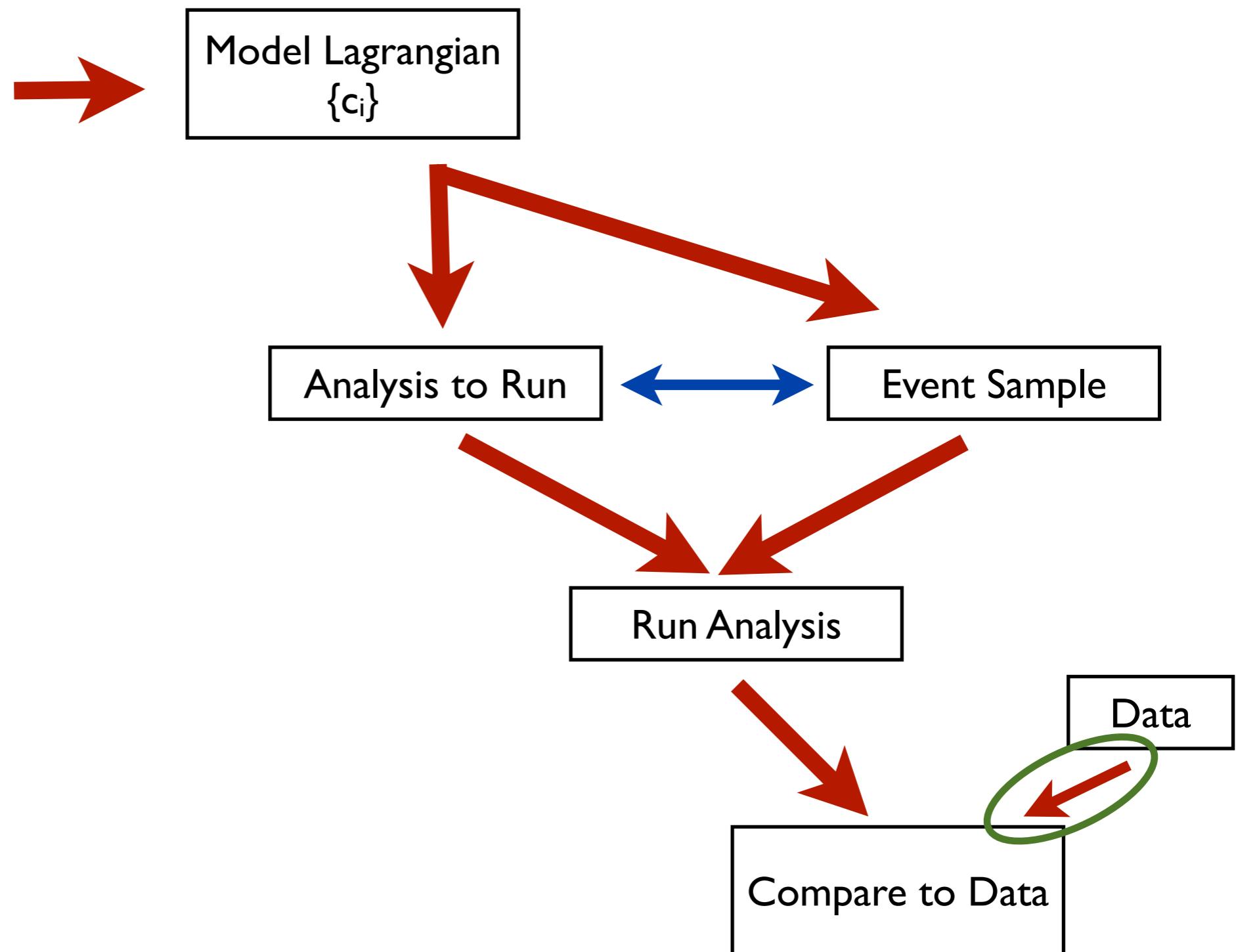
How is analysis implemented?

- Hand-code from paper
- Use experimentalists' implementation
- **Standardize: Rivet**



What is the right data/MC comparison?

- Simple, crude: χ^2 comparison
 - Works if MC is *pure BSM*
- Can steadily make more sophisticated
 - shapes, etc. need right normalization...
- In general, any given analysis has some accompanying statistical analysis
 - **RooStats provides a framework here...**



Hepdata, Rivet

The ATOM Model

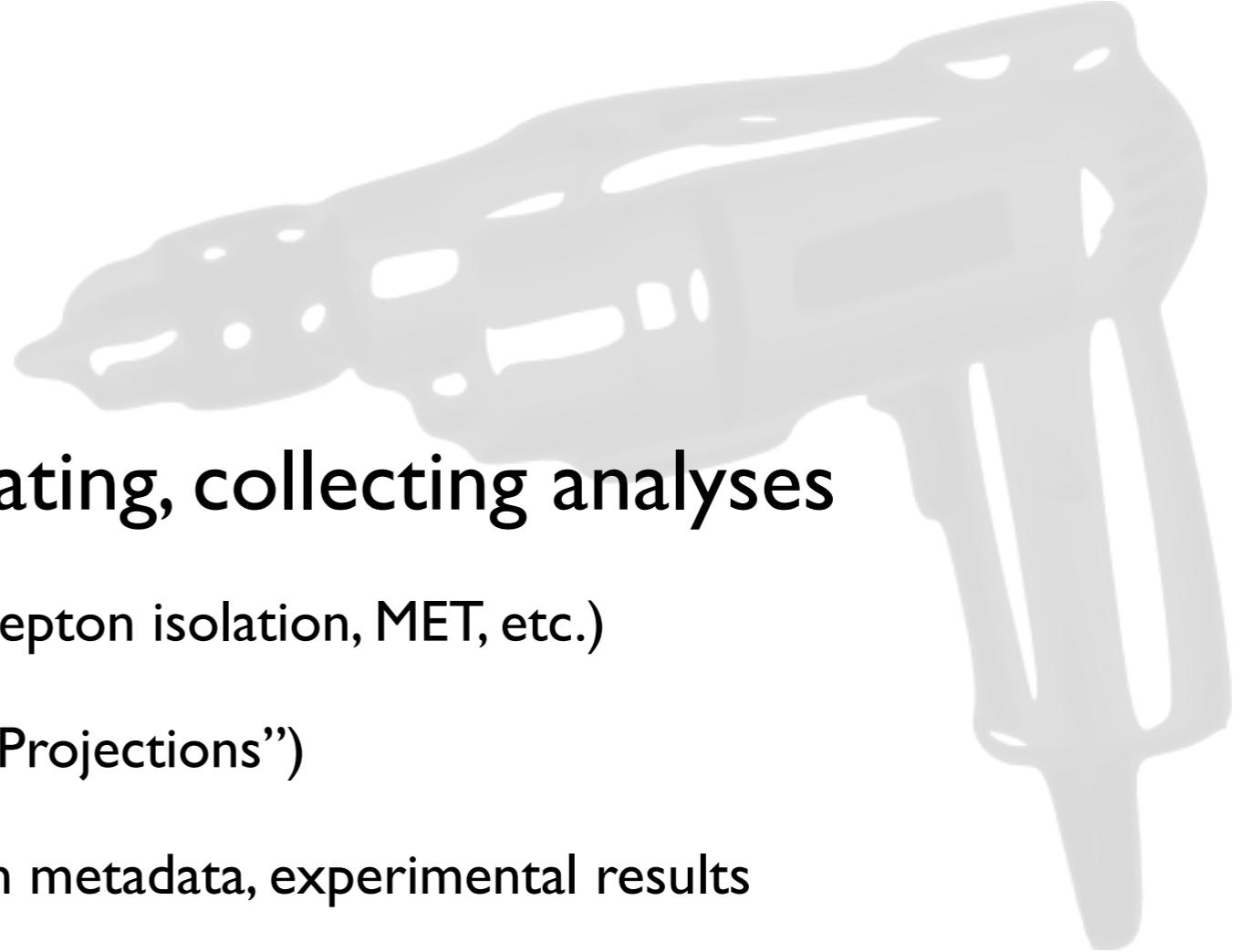
Basic idea: use existing (and growing Rivet library) to automatically run all available analyses.

Throw everything at the wall, see what sticks.

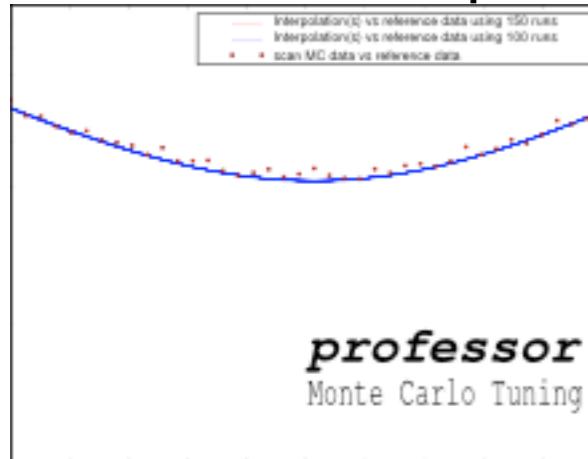
Other than publishing data and writing or validating Rivet analysis, no experimentalist input.

Goal is not to be 100% correct, but to start with a black-box, automated approach, and see how well you can do.

Rivet/Professor



- Rivet: Framework for creating, collecting analyses
 - Common set of tools (FastJet jets, lepton isolation, MET, etc.)
 - Efficiently re-uses measurements (“Projections”)
 - Simple way to store an analysis with metadata, experimental results
 - **Designed to run at particle level: comparison needs unfolding!**
- Professor: Framework for MC tuning, using Rivet
 - “Interpolating functions” describe MC observables as $f(\text{tune})$



Built for MC tuning. Do we get analysis reuse for free?

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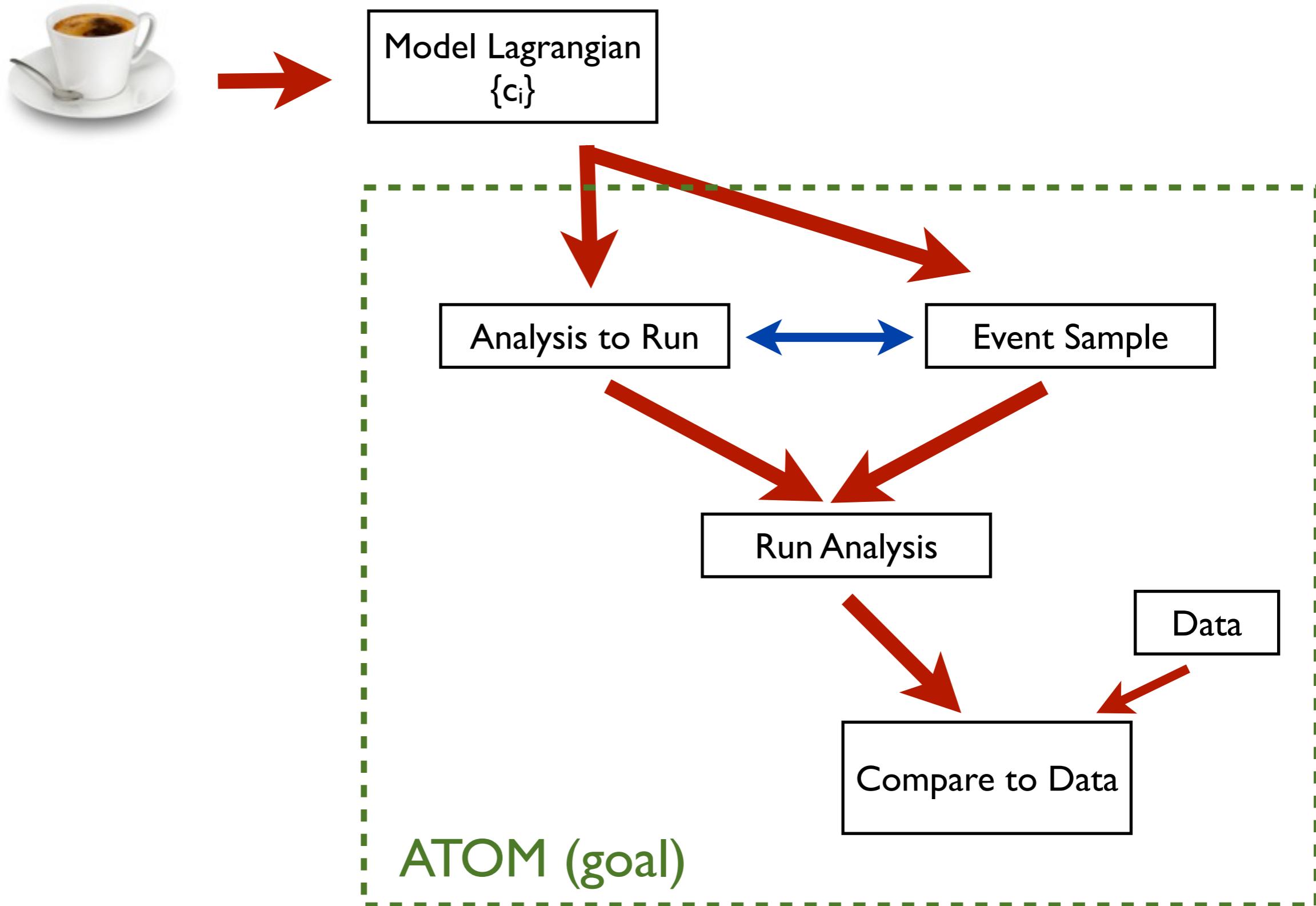
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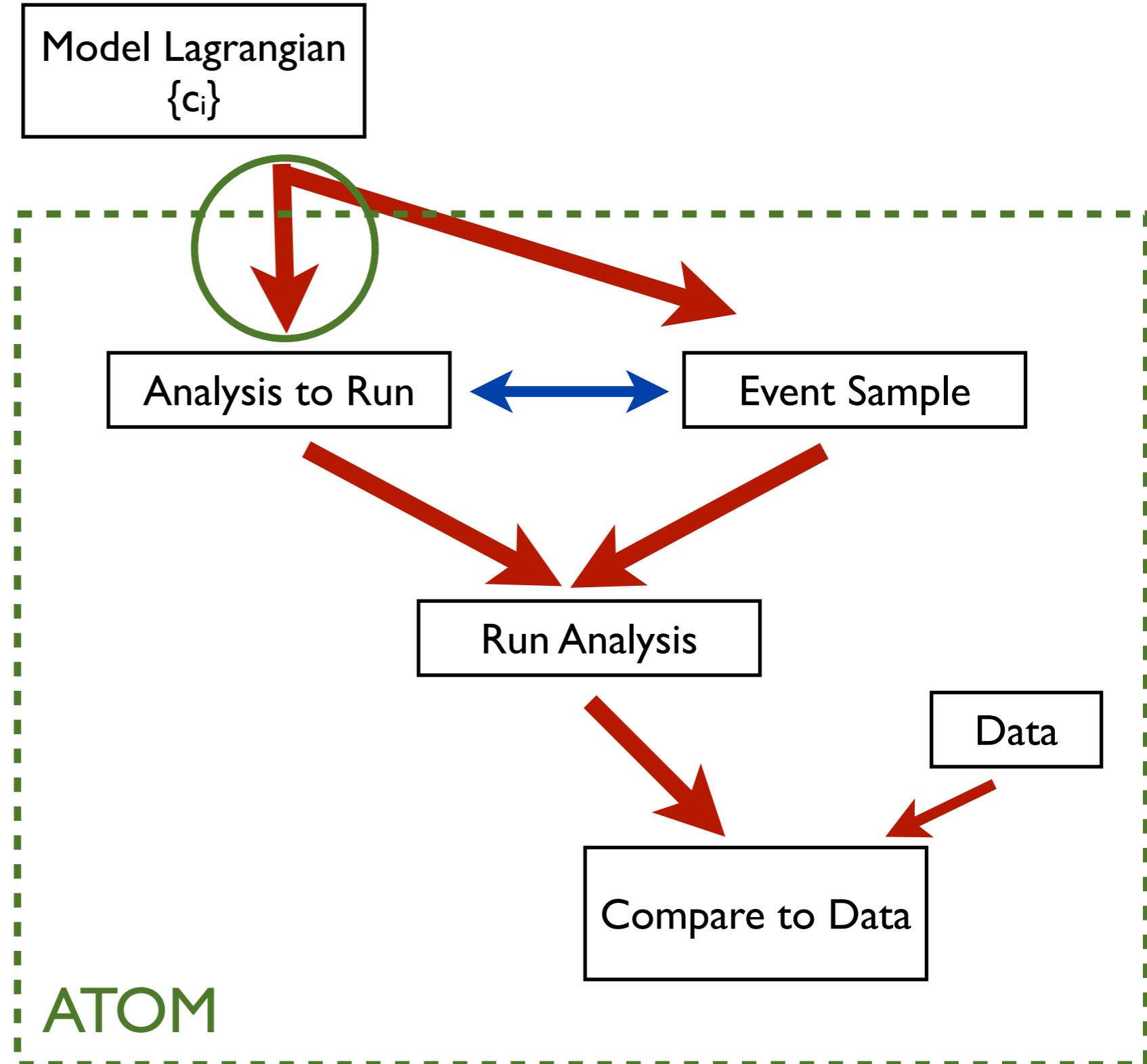
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Analysis selection trivial
-- just try all of them!

Rivet makes this *feasible*
and *efficient*.

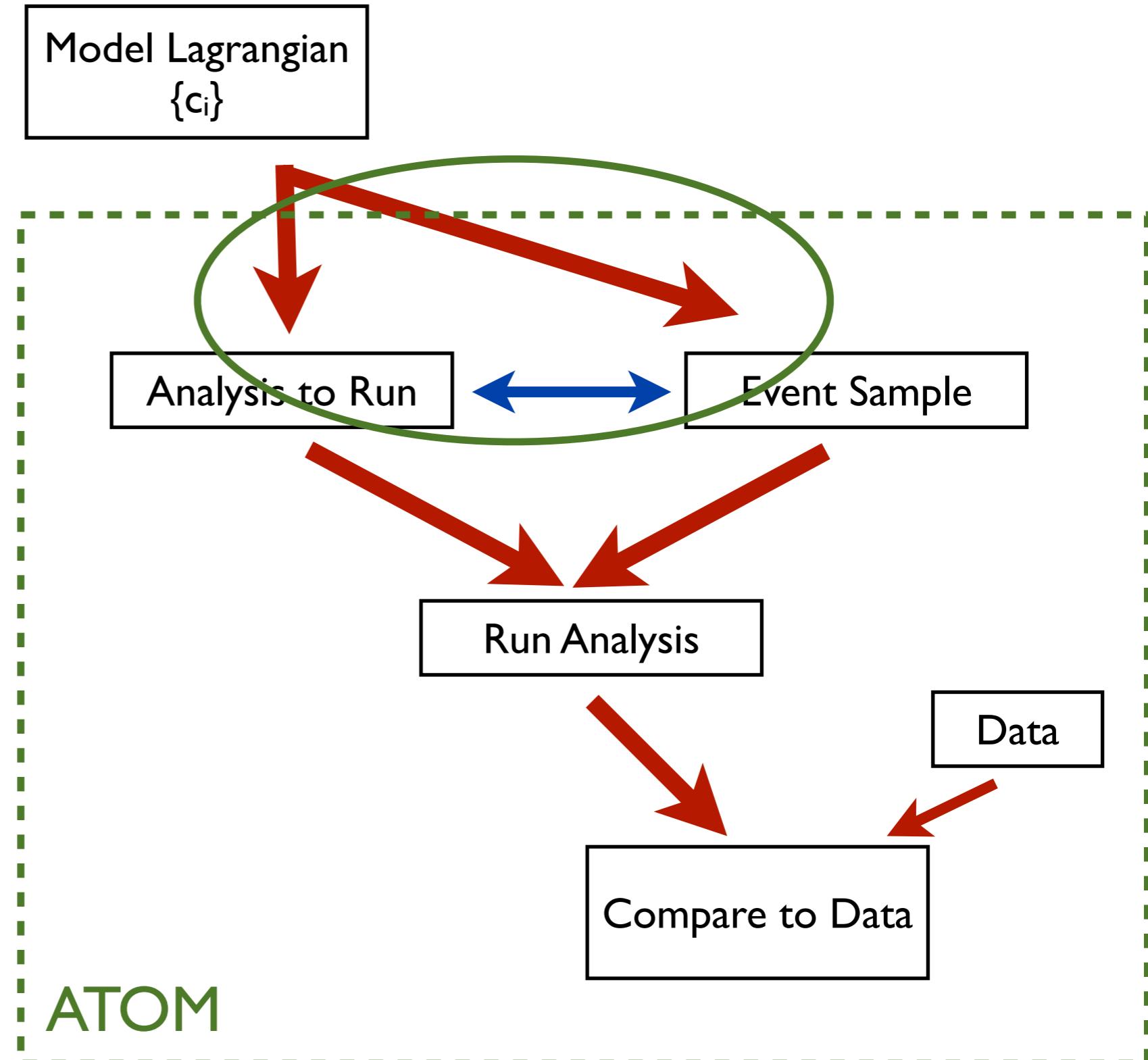


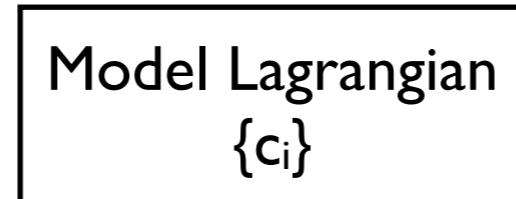


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But...

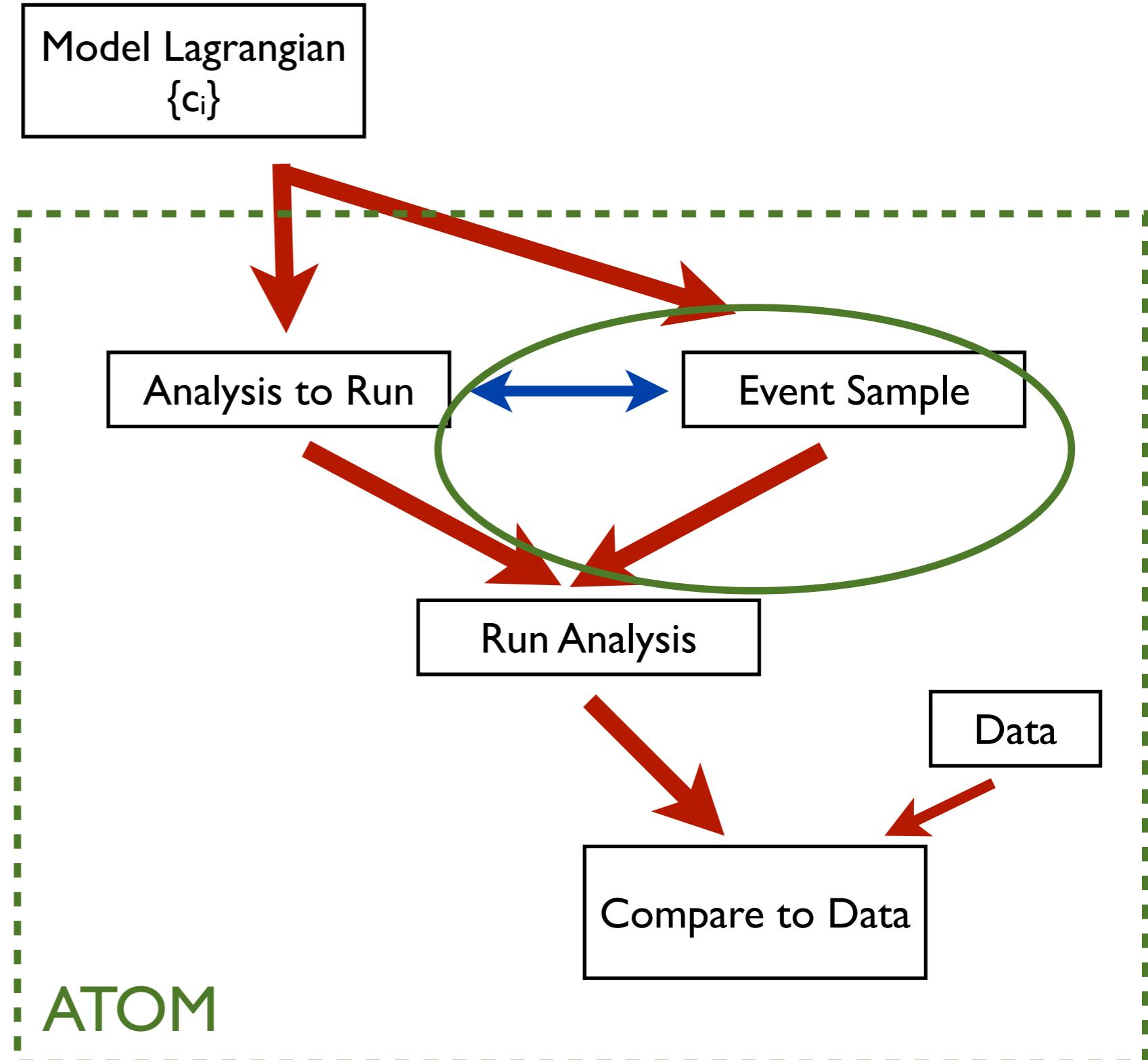
- Same events for all analyses?
- OK for many models, but not all -- apply looser version of analysis at ME level? *





Particle-level vs. detector-level

- Detector-level
“ideal” (RECAST)
- ATOM: if analysis can
be cast in terms of
particle-level data,
then maybe this is
good enough

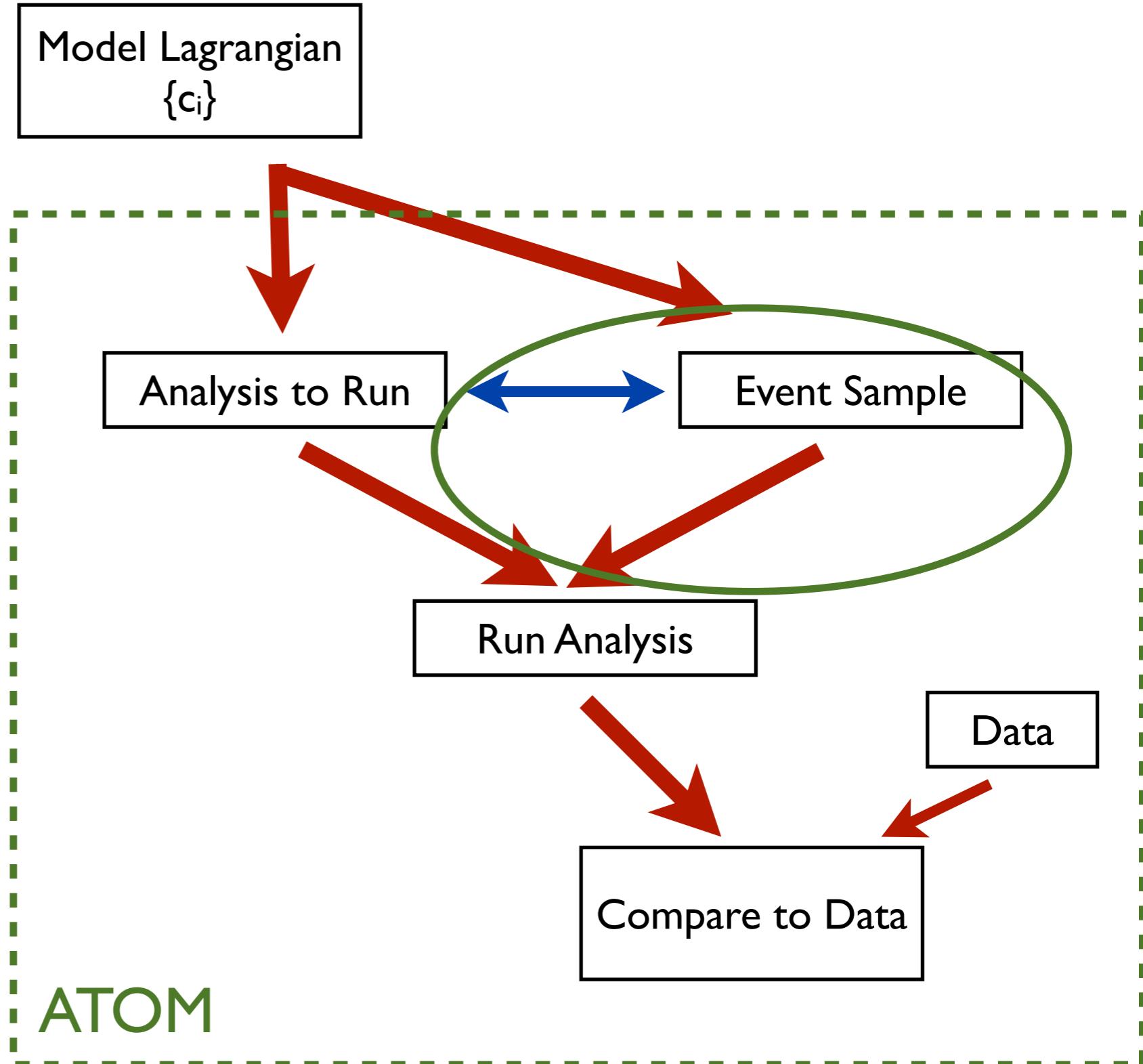


ATOM advantage: no detector sim is easier,
doesn't require experimentalist intervention



“Flags”: try to anticipate problems
Alert the user when they should be particularly wary of the results!

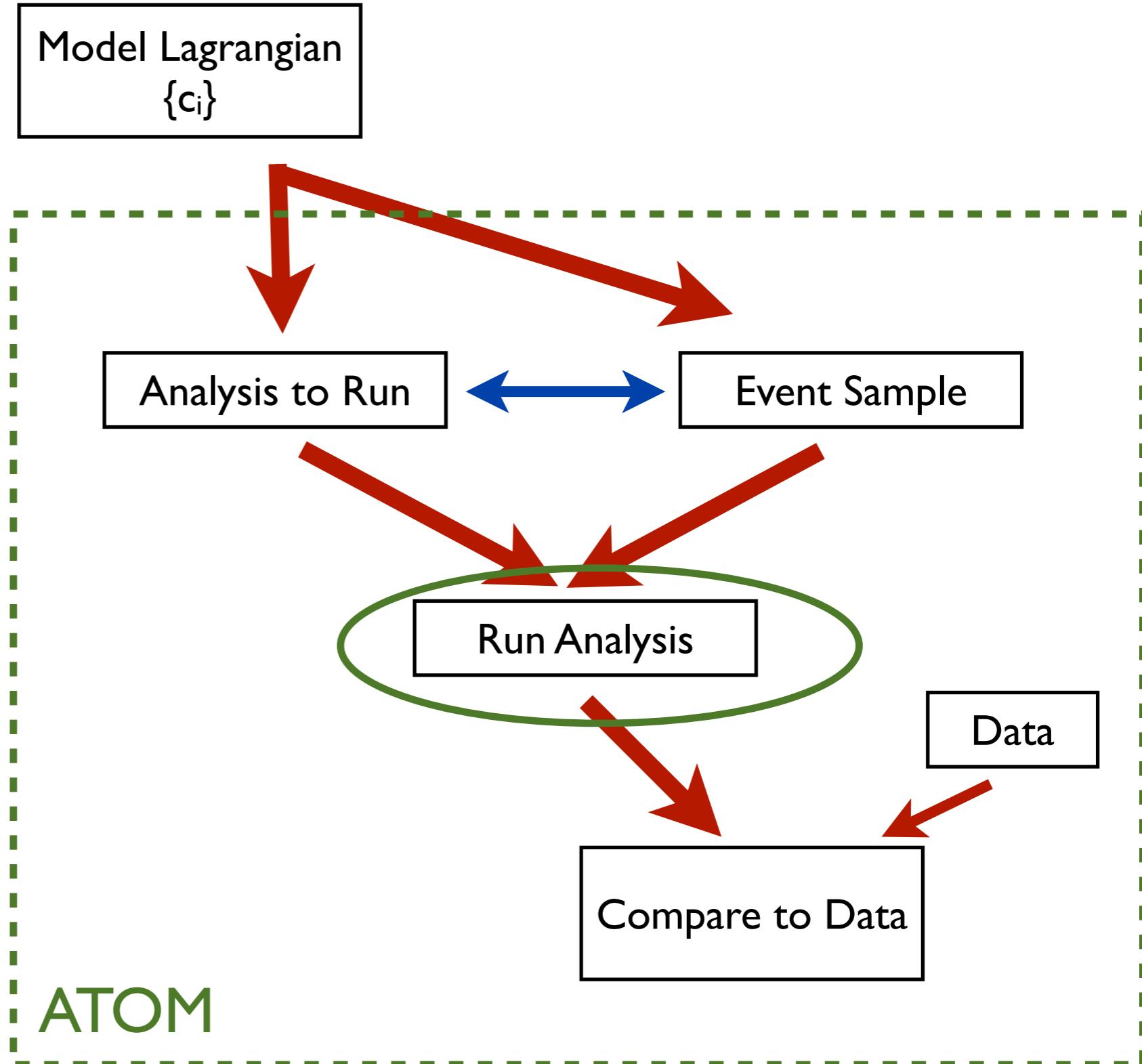
- Sensitivity to cuts
(10% shift in m_{cut} -> 50% shift in acceptance, e.g.)
 - especially if cut variable has significant systematic uncertainty
- Particularly weird signatures (very large number of jets, isolated leptons, etc.)



Lots of scope for smart flagging, but there is tension between sophistication and generality...



- RECAST: implementing analyses up to experimentalists
 - could be standardized, but not necessary
- ATOM: code is standardized via Rivet
 - “flags” either integrated into analysis or added as separate analysis



Downside: limited to what is implemented in Rivet (but this is growing)
ATOM is one of several reasons to push for Rivet to be comprehensive!

Outstanding problems

- Can we automate generating the right event sample for a given analysis?
- Can many/most/all analyses really be implemented in Rivet, acting on *particle-level* data?
- How sophisticated/useful can flags be? Can this compensate for not using detector sim., or is that hopeless?
 - To what extent does flagging require re-writing analyses?
- To what extent will collaborations support Rivet analyses and/or RECAST approach?
 - Is some sort of hybrid the right way?
- How to implement statistical comparisons? Can this be standardized?

Les Houches recommendations

Searches for New Physics: Les Houches Recommendations for the Presentation of LHC Results

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Abstract

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Some results (slides from Andreas Weiler)

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Natural SUSY Endures

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Abstract

The first 1 fb^{-1} of LHC searches have set impressive limits on new colored particles decaying to missing energy. We address the implication of these searches for naturalness in supersymmetry (SUSY). General bottom-up considerations of natural electroweak symmetry breaking show that higgsinos, stops, and the gluino should not be too far above the weak scale. The rest of the spectrum,

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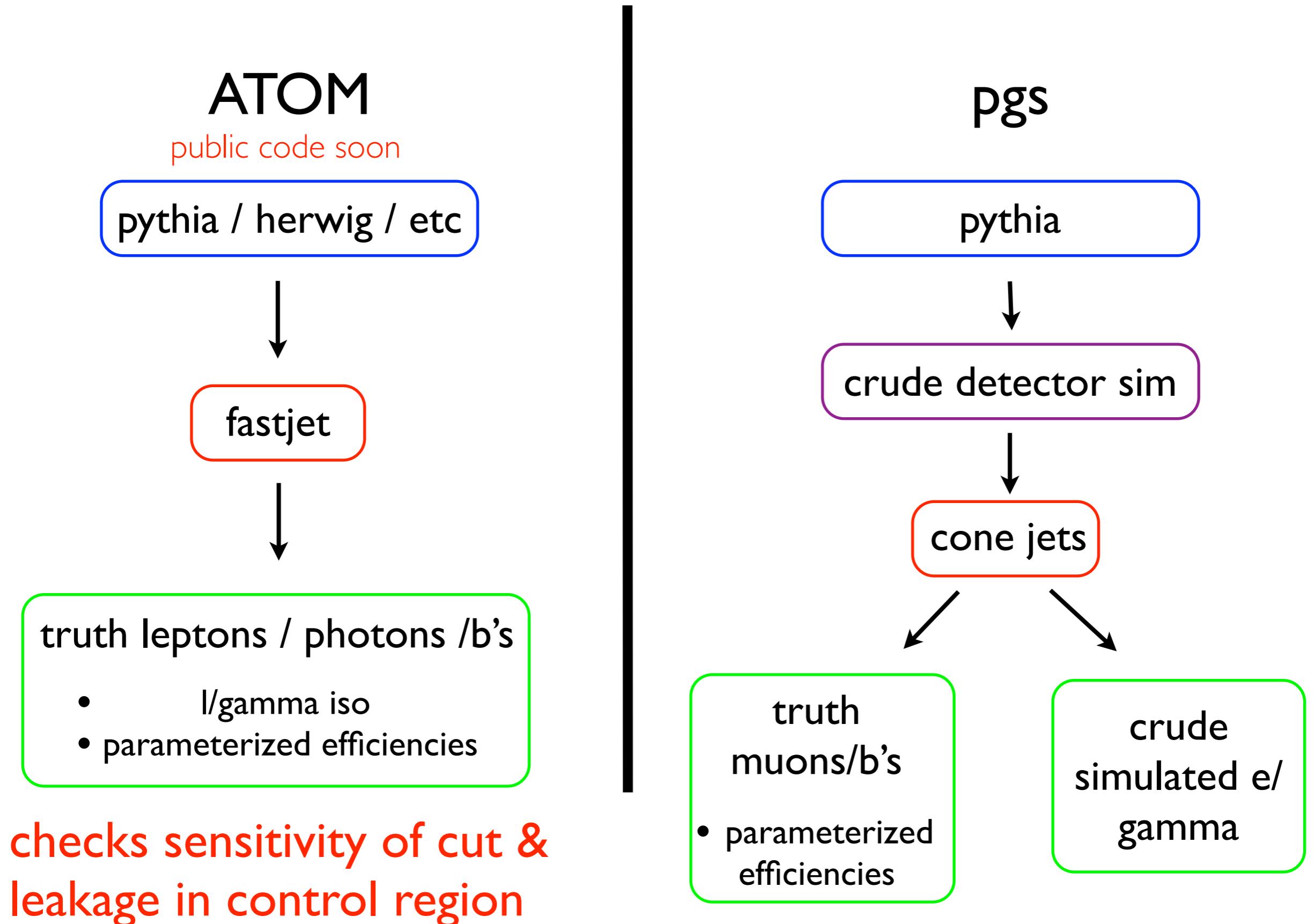
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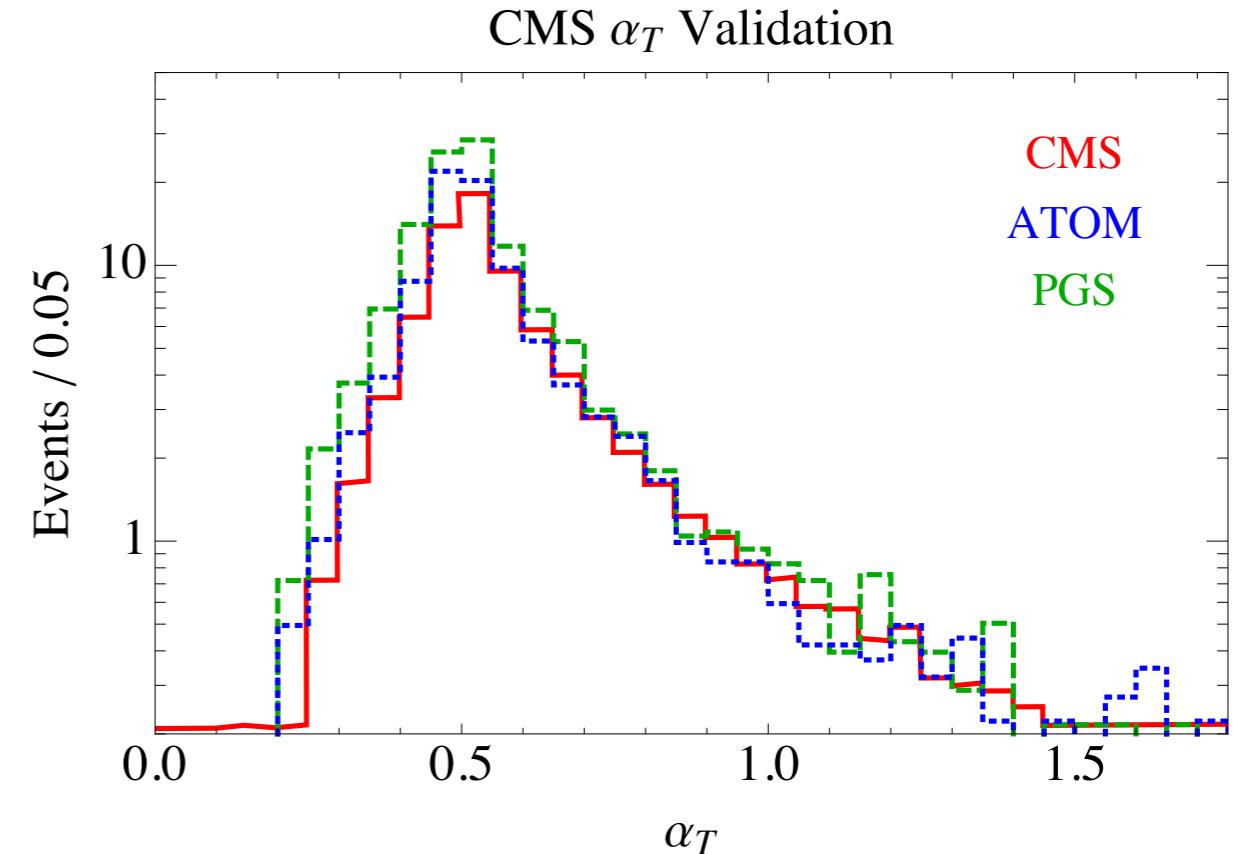
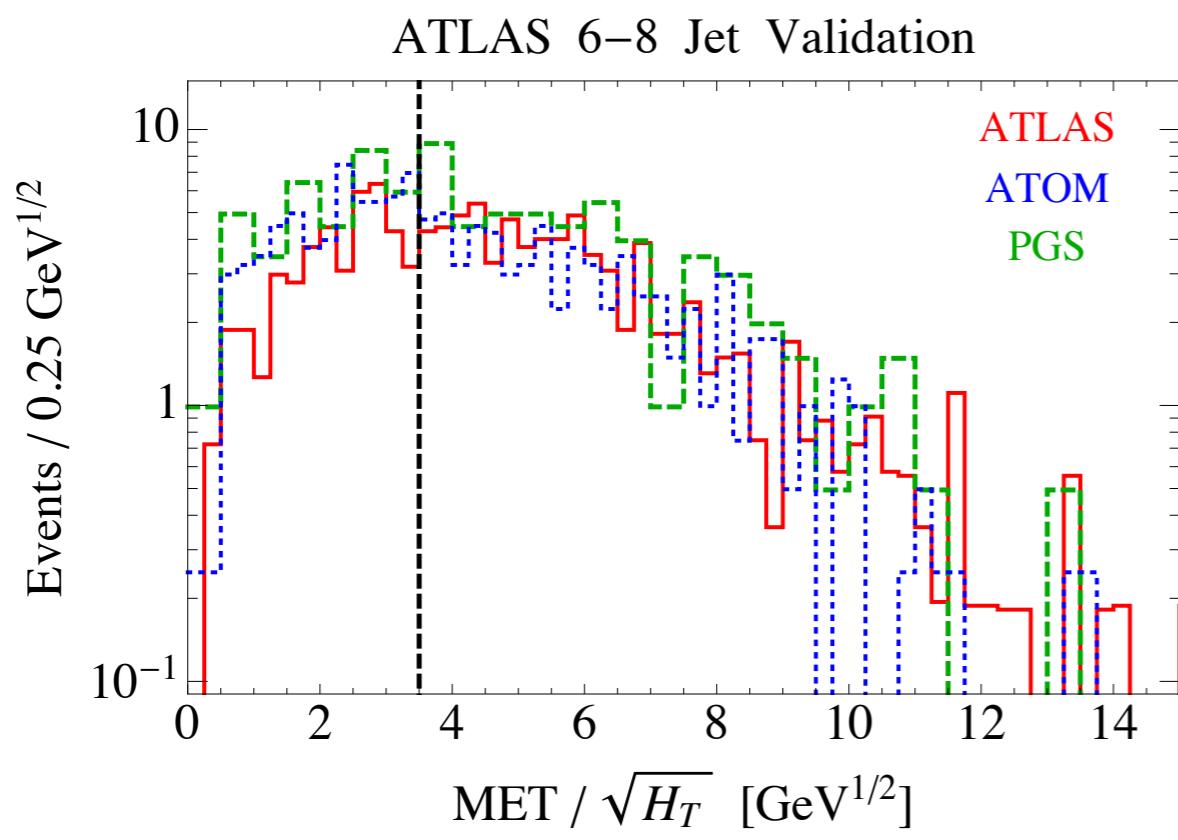


Calibration

“theorist limits”

To calibrate compare:

- 1) key kinematical distributions
- 2) limits

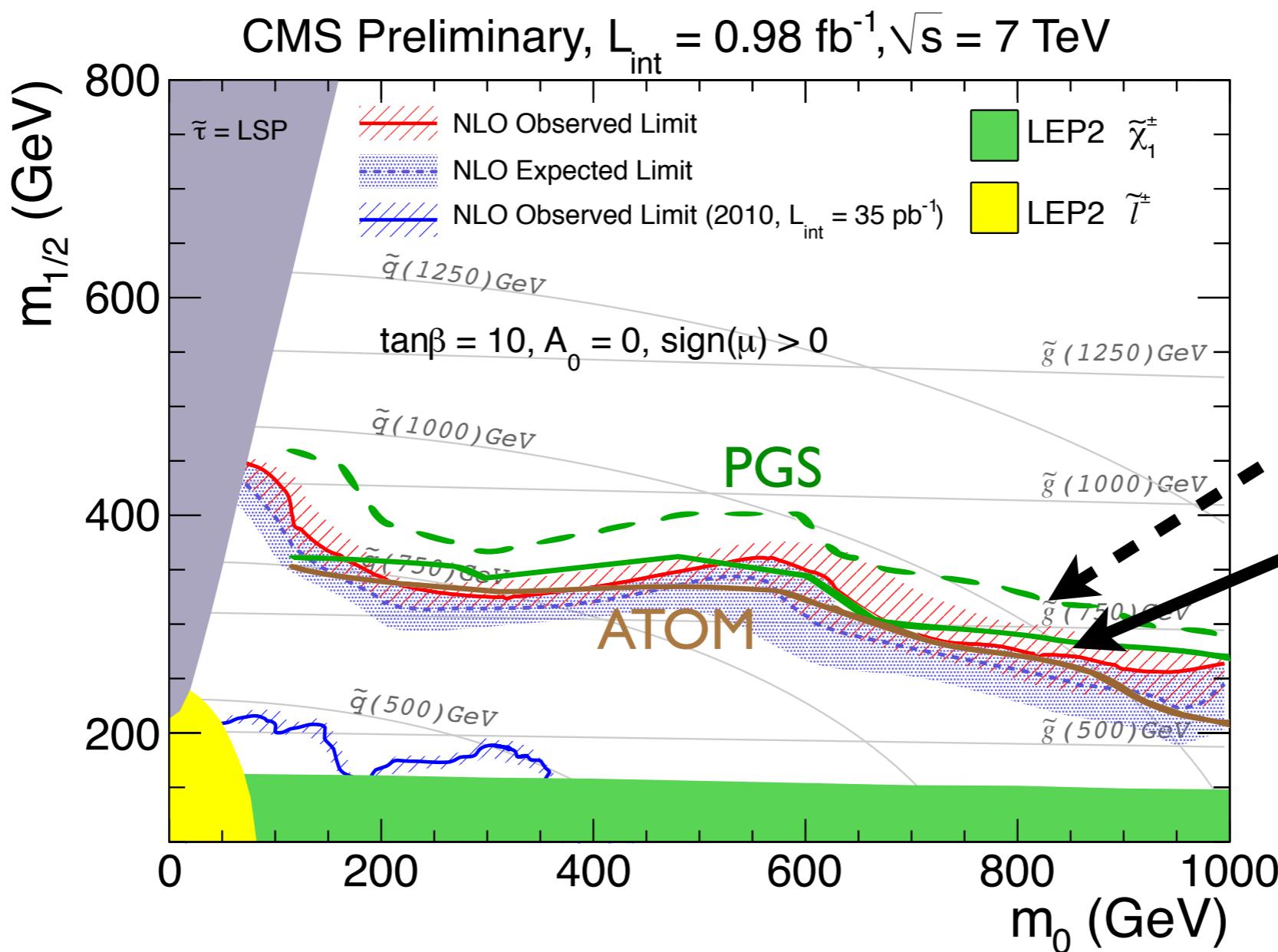


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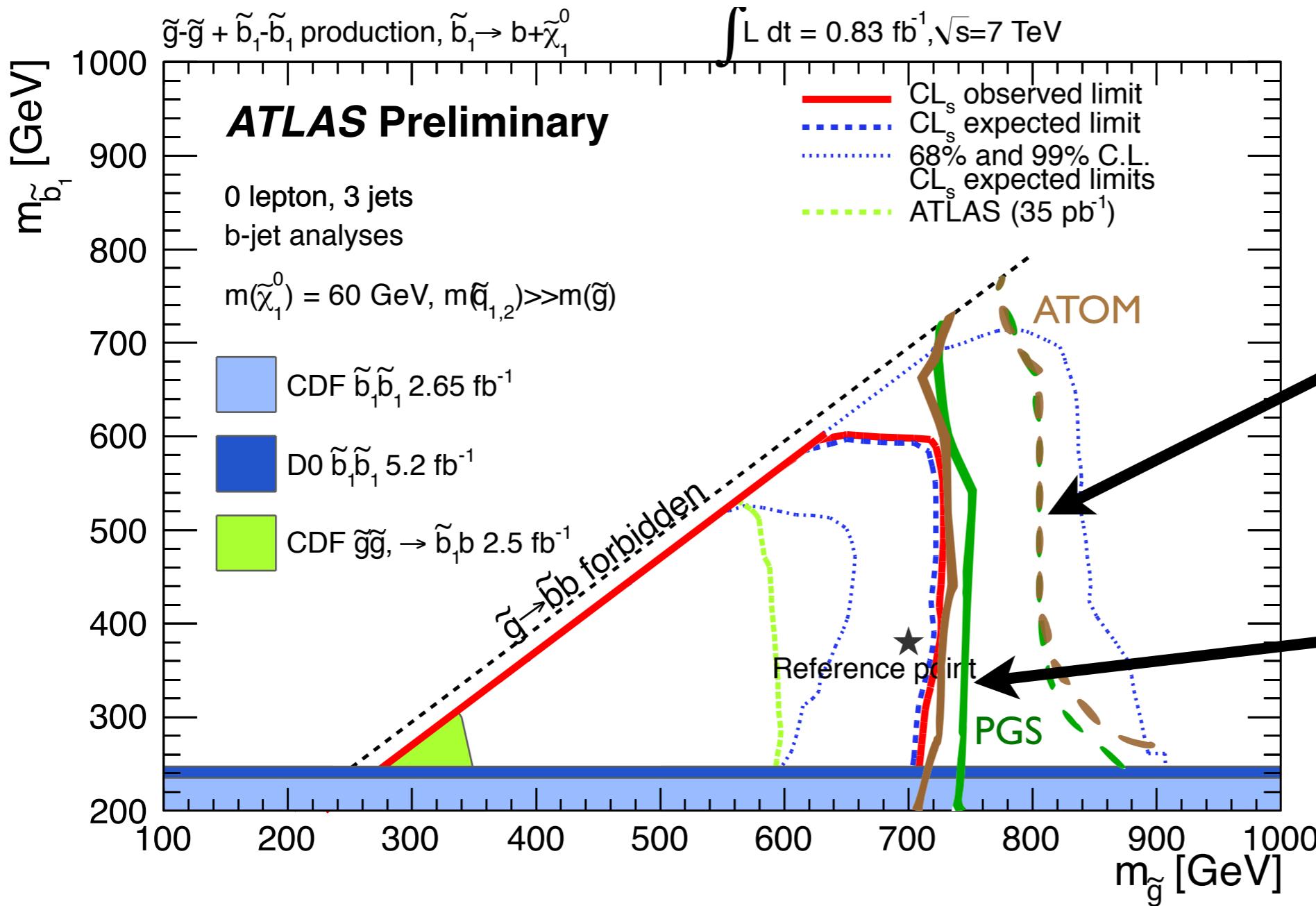
- kinematic distortions (**shape**)
 - signal $\epsilon \times \mathcal{A}$ (**normalization**)
- + compare to all available limit plots...
- ~ 50 GeV accuracy (usually better)

Compare limits

Example: Same-Sign dilepton by CMS



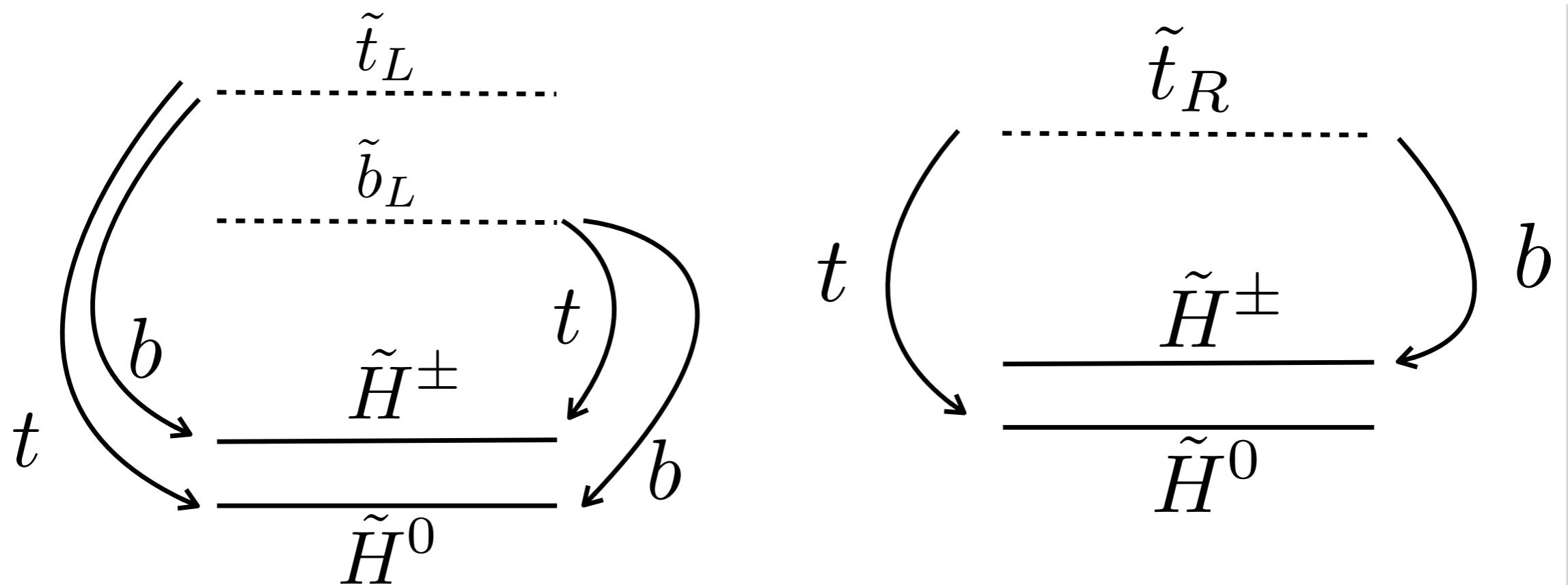
Validation using Limits



“out of the box”

eff. correction
after validation

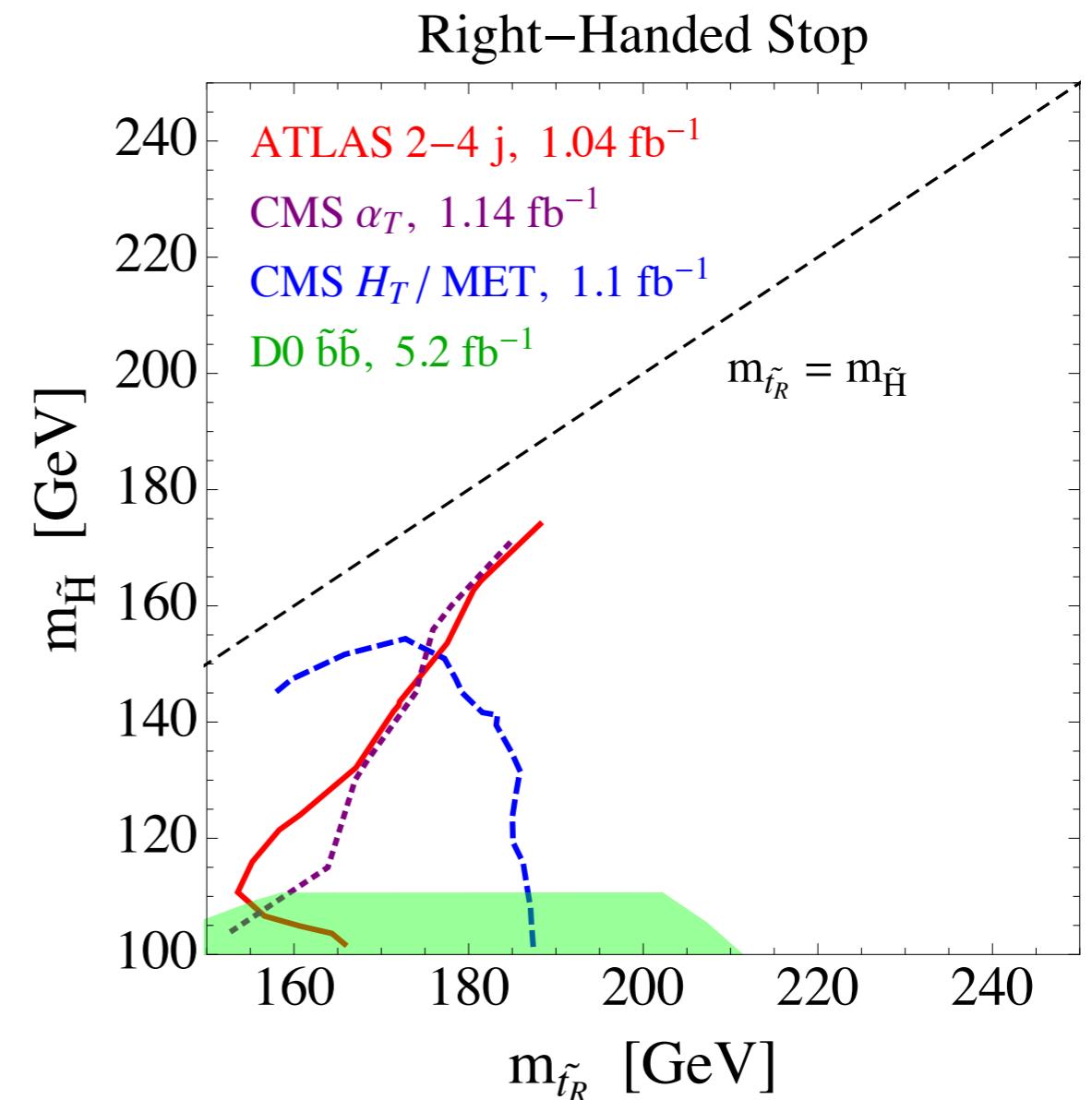
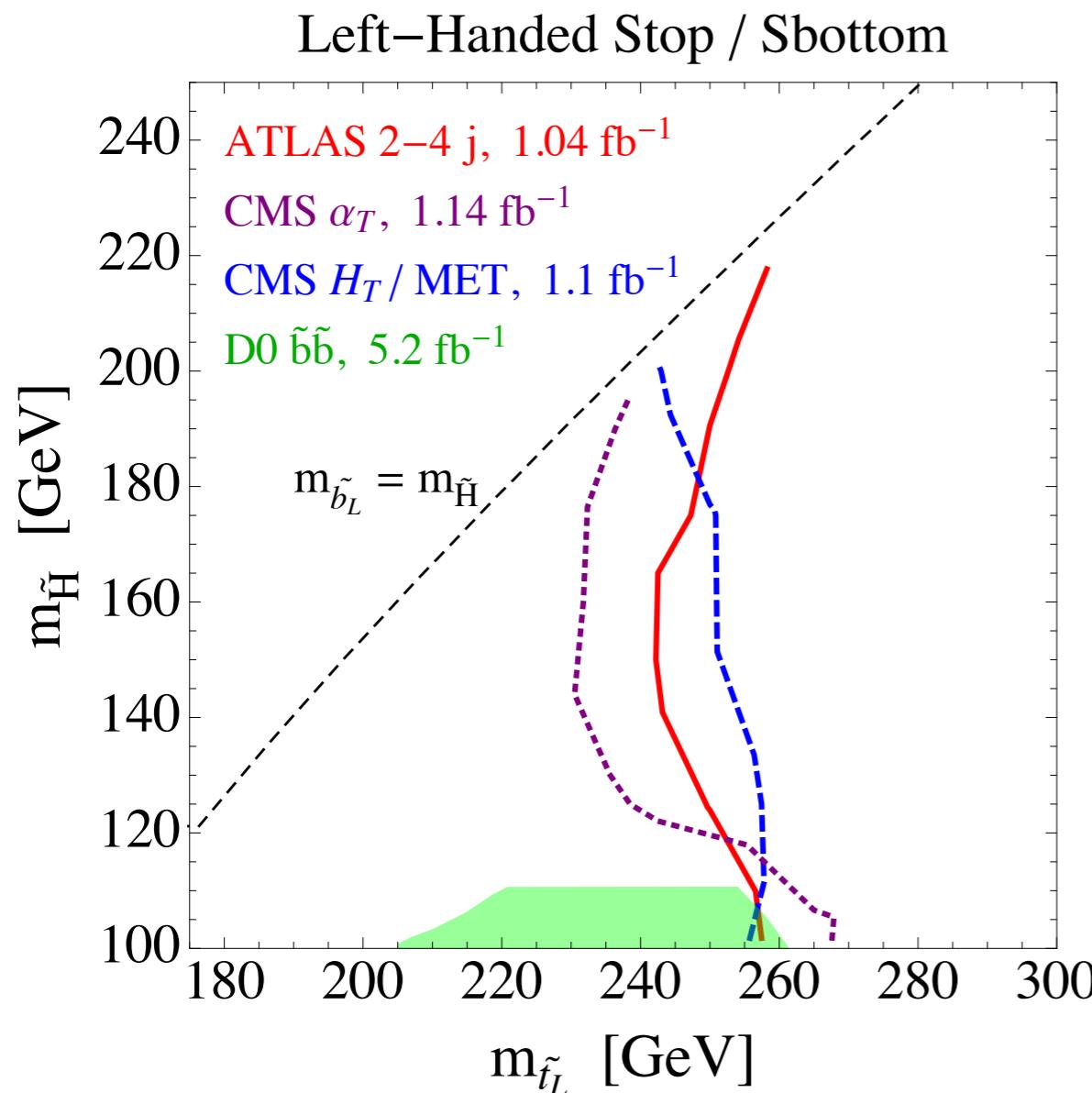
Stops (sbottom) + Higgsinos



Stops can act as “sbottom” (bjet+ χ) !

Chargino-neutralino splitting irrelevant for present searches

Stops (sbottom) + Higgsinos



LHC surpasses Tevatron:

Strongest bounds from jets + MET

Big picture

- ATOM's goal is to give the most reliable test of BSM versus existing data *while remaining self-contained and automatic.*
- This makes ATOM inherently less powerful and precise than, eg, the RECAST approach. But there is a big payoff in ease of use and applicability.
 - ATOM and RECAST are complementary strategies!
- Flags attempt to signal when ATOM results are likely unreliable. (It is not clear how powerful these will be!)
- Rivet is the simplest way I see to make analyses re-usable.

Goal: functional (but limited-scope) beta version to
~~release in the next month or two!~~ soon!

Thank you!