MadGraph5 Tutorial

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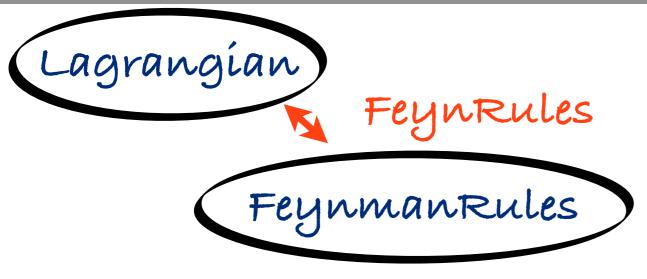
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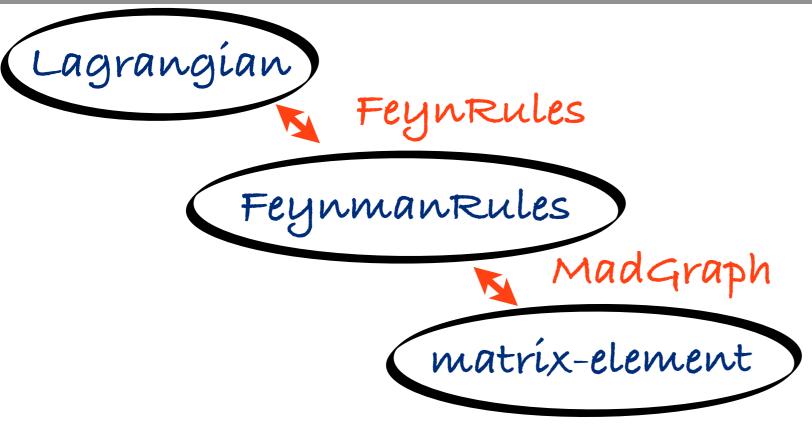
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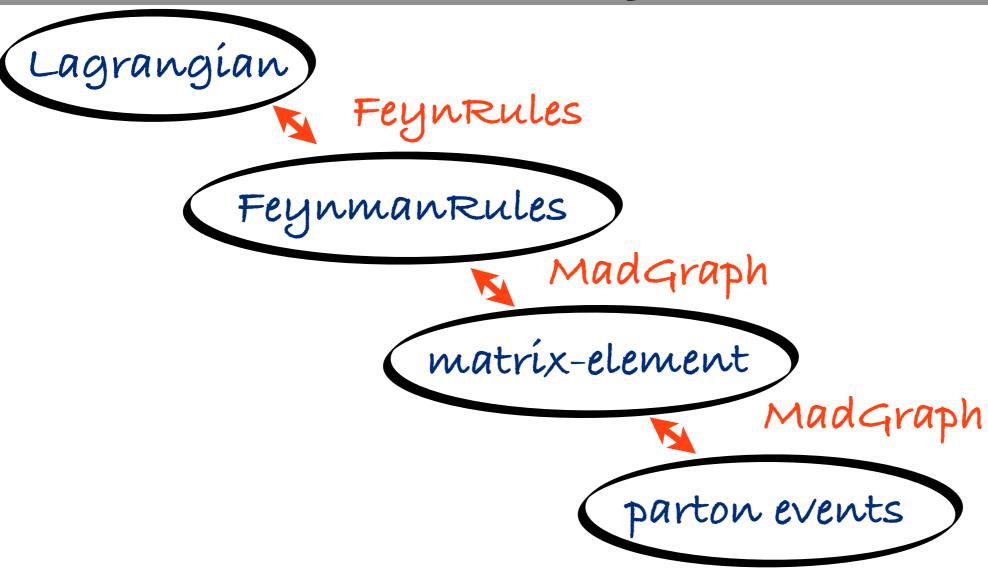




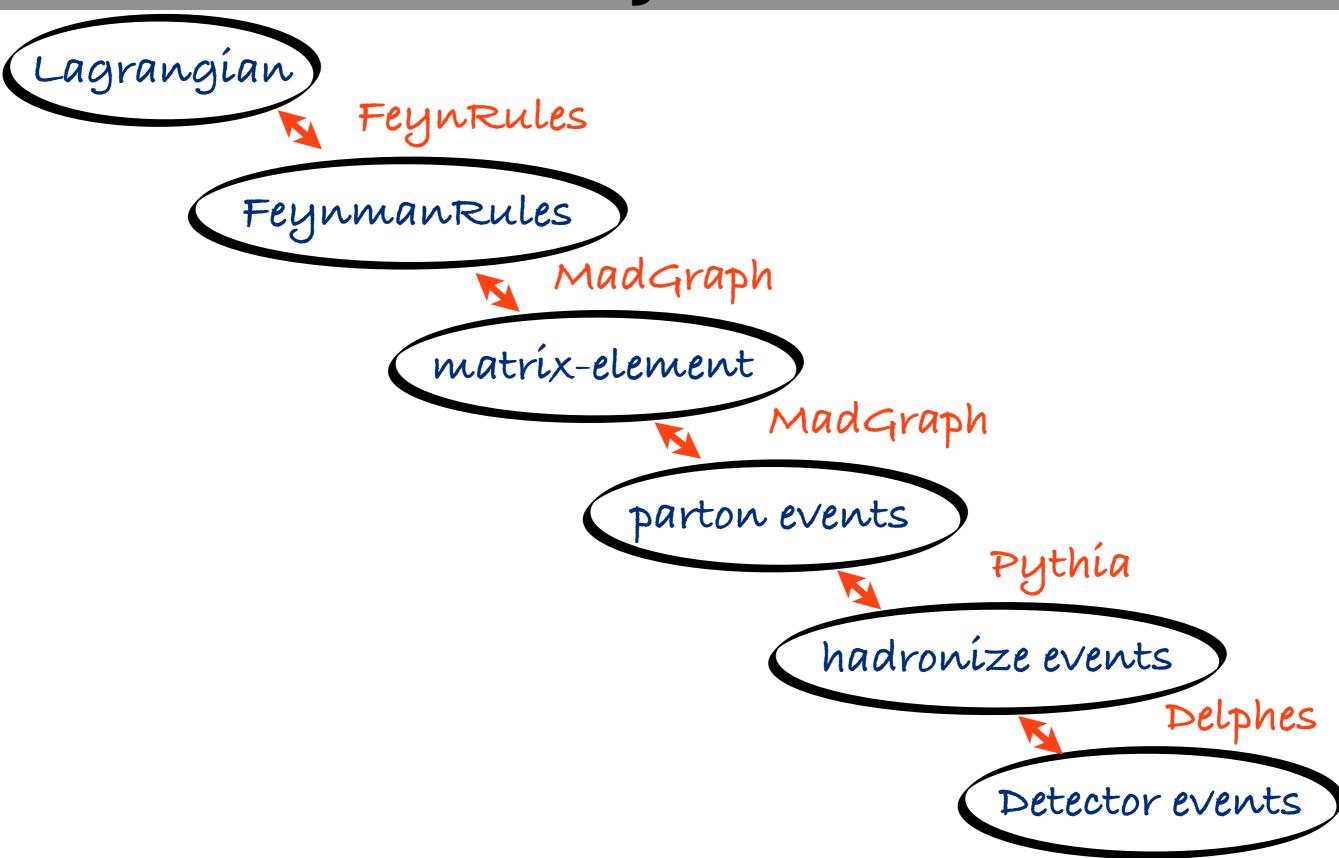


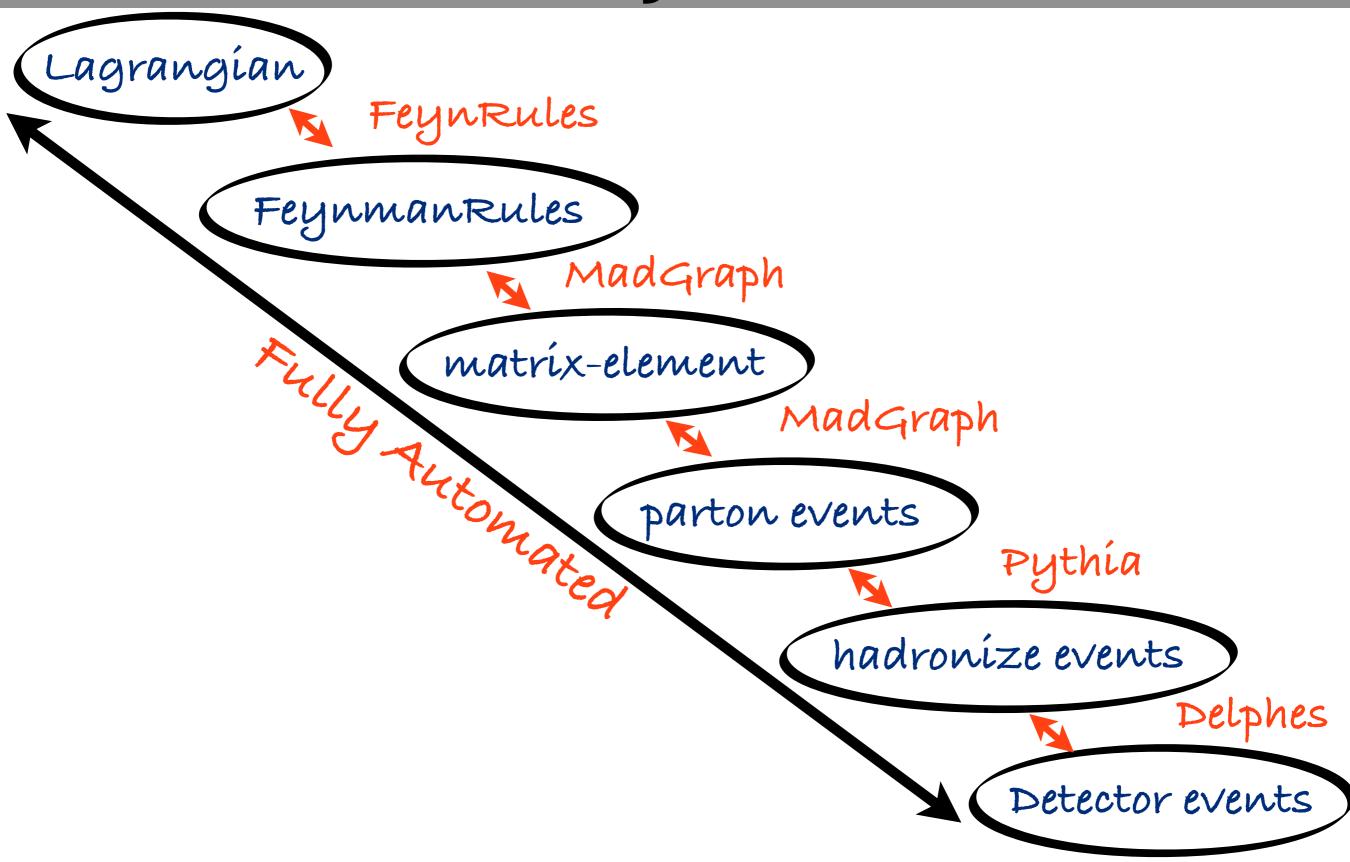






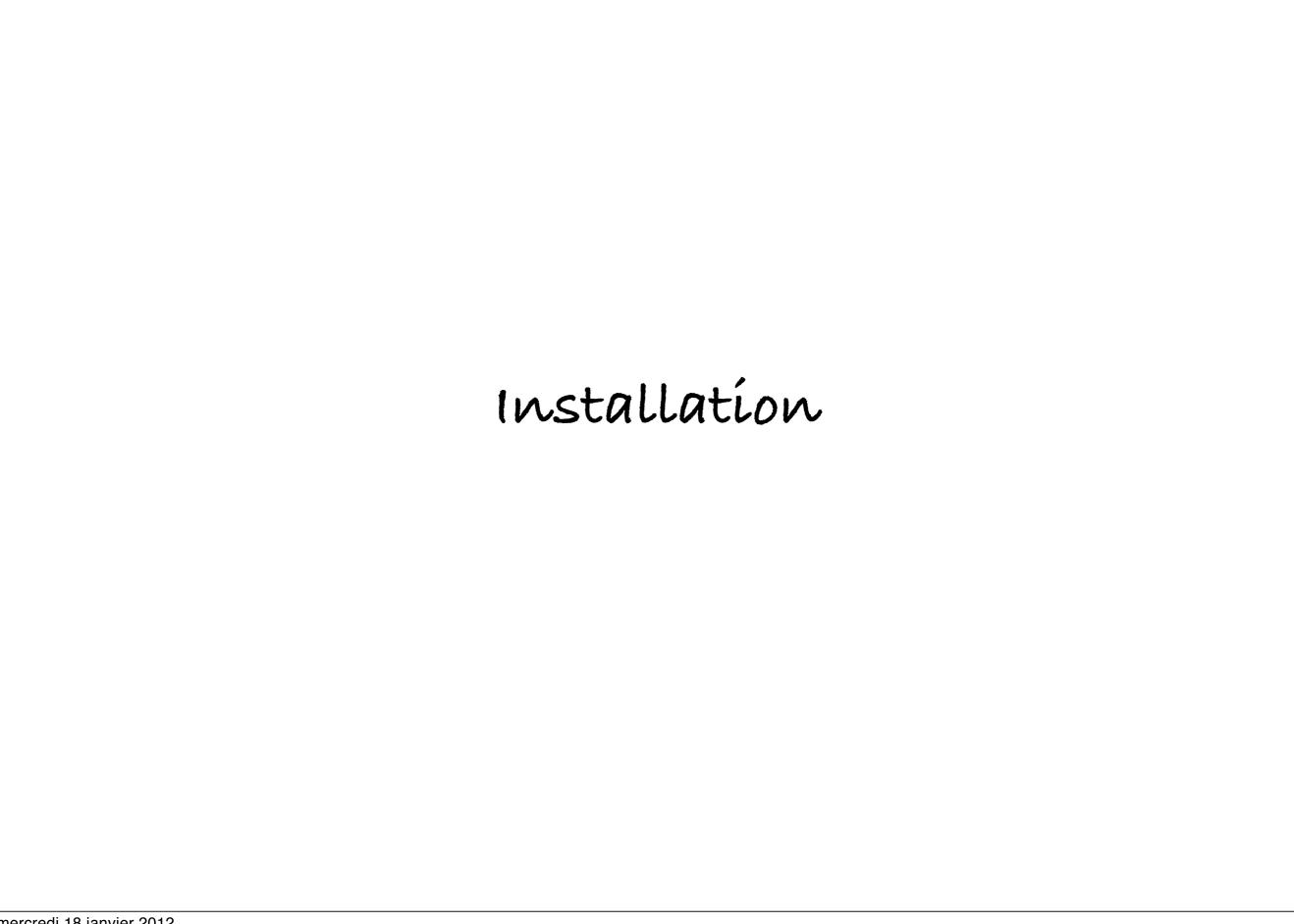






PLAN

- ☐ How to install
- □ 2 Common situation
- 1 Full chain
- □ Focus on MG5 command / behavior



Requirements

D Python 2.6 (default on mac 10.6)

For Madevent Output

- □ fortran 77 compiler
- bash
- perl 5.8 (or higher)

For C++ Output

□ c++ compiler

Note: MadGraph/MadEvent are available online

Where to find the code

For user:
 http://madgraph.hep.uiuc.edu/
 http://madgraph.phys.ucl.ac.be/
 https://launchpad.net/madgraph5

- ☐ For develloper:
 - □ install bazaar
 - □ \$> bzr branch lp:madgraph5
 - dev in https://code.launchpad.net/madgraph5

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- #> tar-xzpvf MadGraph5_v1.1.0.tar.gz
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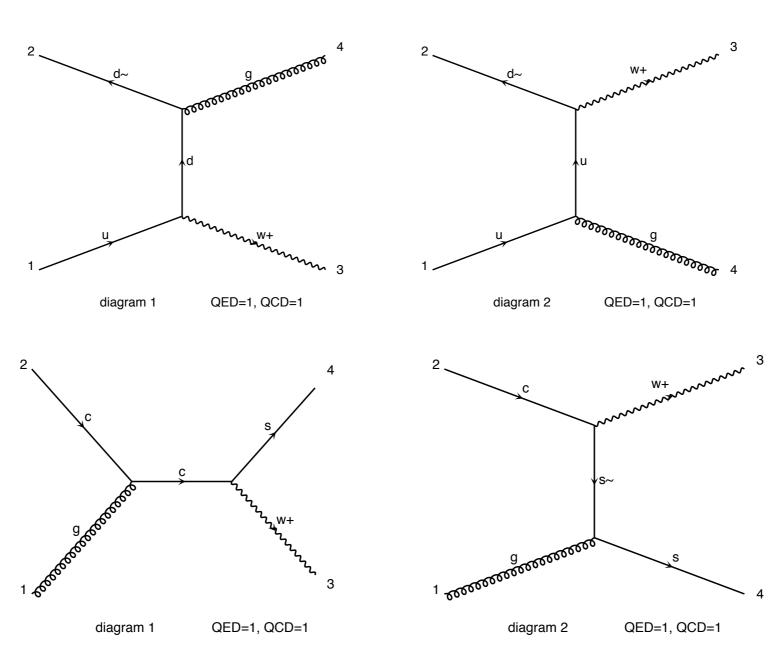
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Important to learn MG5



Goal

□ Wjet cross-section



List of command

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mg5> generate pp>w+j

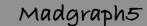
mg5> output madevent

mg5> launch
```

Note:

- □ By default QED is set to its minimal value
- □ To launch pythia/pgs, you need to install the pythia-pgs package. (They are an install command)

only 3 command It's very easy!



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- D Possibility of decay chain

$$pp > tt^{-}$$

$$(t > b w+, w+ > jj),$$

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- ☐ Minimal QED order is taken by default
 - $pp > tt \sim is the same as <math>pp > tt \sim QED = 0!$

Output Command

mg5> output OUTPUT_TYPE PATH

OUTPUT_TYPE:

- □ madevent (default)
- □ standalone
- □ standalone_cpp
- D pythias

launch command

- mg5> launch PATH [options]
 default PATH is the last created directory
 - possibility to choose to run in cluster/multi cpu mode
 - □ can launch pythia/pgs (if install)

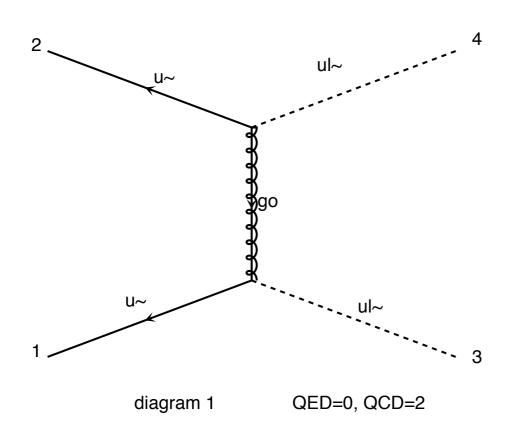
This is in addition to "old" way

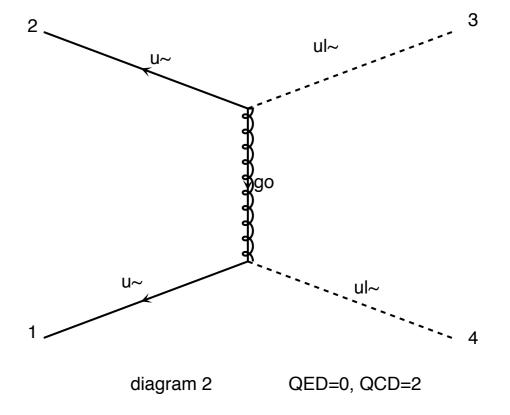
- □ \$> cd PATH
- □ \$>./bin/generate_events

MSSM Example

Goal

□ squark pair production





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```
mg5> import model mssm

mg5> define su = urur \sim ulul \sim

mg5> generate pp> susu

mg5> define sd = drdr \sim dldl \sim

mg5> add process pp> sdsd

mg5> output

mg5> launch
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import command

mg5> import MODE PATH

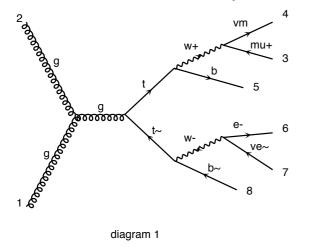
MODE

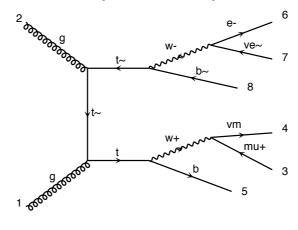
- □ model
- □ model_v4
- proc_v4
- command

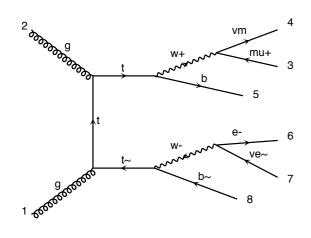
Decay chain Example

Decay Chain

Generate standalone output for those three diagrams (top quark pair production)







Advice:

help generate help output

Solution

- □ import model sm
- output standalone

Decay chain

- paranthesis are for allowing sub-level
- Decay-chain forces the particles to be onshell.
- This is defined by the BW_cut

$$|m^* - m_0| \le BW_{cut} * Width$$

The \$ command is the opposite of the decay chain. i.e the particles is forbidden to be onshell.



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install: install optional package
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The Full Chain

Objectives

☐ generate events for chromo-magnetic operator

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{(H\bar{Q})\sigma^{\mu\nu}T^AtG^A_{\mu\nu}}{\Lambda^2} + h.c.,$$

WorkSheet

- U Write the Lagrangian in FR
- □ Write the UFO (WriteUFO command)
- □ mg5> import model Chromo
- □ mg5> display interactions
- □ mg5> check full pp > tt~ NP=2
- □ mg5> generate pp > tt~ NP=2
- output
- launch

Note

- □ FeynRules creates the UFO model (see FR talk)
- U NFO model is the new type of model for MG5
- □ ALOHA creates automaticaly the HELAS routine (see talk on UFO/ALOHA)

The Full chain is automatic for BSM