Introduction

• The LHC (and other) experiments have released “simplified” data to the “public” (or trusted outreach individuals):
  – for educational purposes
  – to respond to requests from funding agencies
  – to respond to public “demand” for “real data” from the LHC

• Theorists are also interested in having access to data or results in various forms
  – for validating new particle generator models
  – for checking models of new physics for constraints from current analyses
  – potentially, for looking at features of the data not seen by current analyses

• Premise: these demands for our data will increase over time
Points for Discussion

In this session, we will hear an overview of current outreach efforts, and the current status of DPHep and the Rivet effort

What we would like to know:

• What sort of outreach has been done, and what is in your “public” format?
• What would theorists like if they were to be handed “real” data?
• Are these two things compatible?
  – could we envision having one format that satisfies outreach to the public and to our colleagues?
  – could we envision one format in common use by all of the experiments?
Additional Information