

Machine Learning and Statistics in HEP

part 2



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Outline



□ Mostly Machine Learning with Statistics interludes

□ Part 1 : Overview

- What is Machine Learning?
- Specificities of ML in physics
- Useful concepts

□ Part 2 : wider and deeper

- NN on HEP data
 - various hammers and nails (including wrong ones)
- Graph NN
- Anomaly detection

□ Part 3 : even wider and deeper

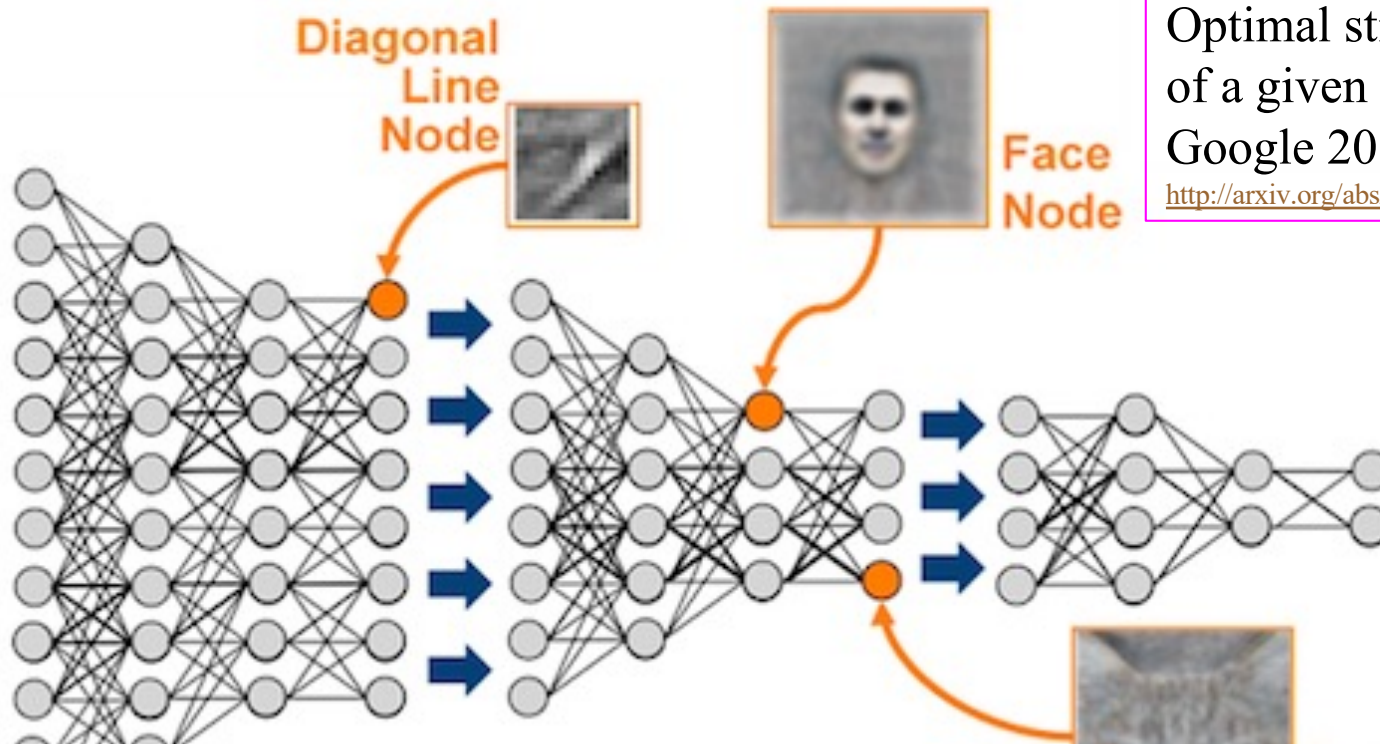
- ML training tricks
- Surrogate models
- Recommendations for ML software and tools

See CERN Inter-Experiment Machine Learning workshop May 2022



Deep Learning

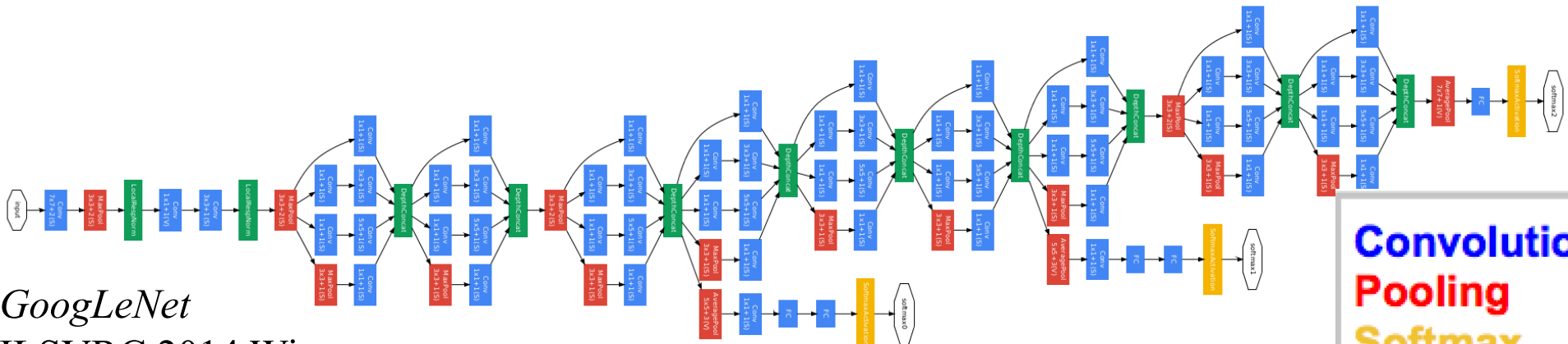
Deep Learning



Optimal stimulus
of a given neuron
Google 2012

<http://arxiv.org/abs/1112.6209>

~1950
1990 hand-written
digits
2010 deep learning
explosion



GoogLeNet
ILSVRC 2014 Winner
4M parameters

Convolution
Pooling
Softmax
Other

'Godfathers of AI' honored with Turing Award, the Nobel Prize of computing

Yoshua Bengio, Geoffrey Hinton, and Yann LeCun laid the foundations for modern AI

By James Vincent | Mar 27, 2019, 6:02am EDT



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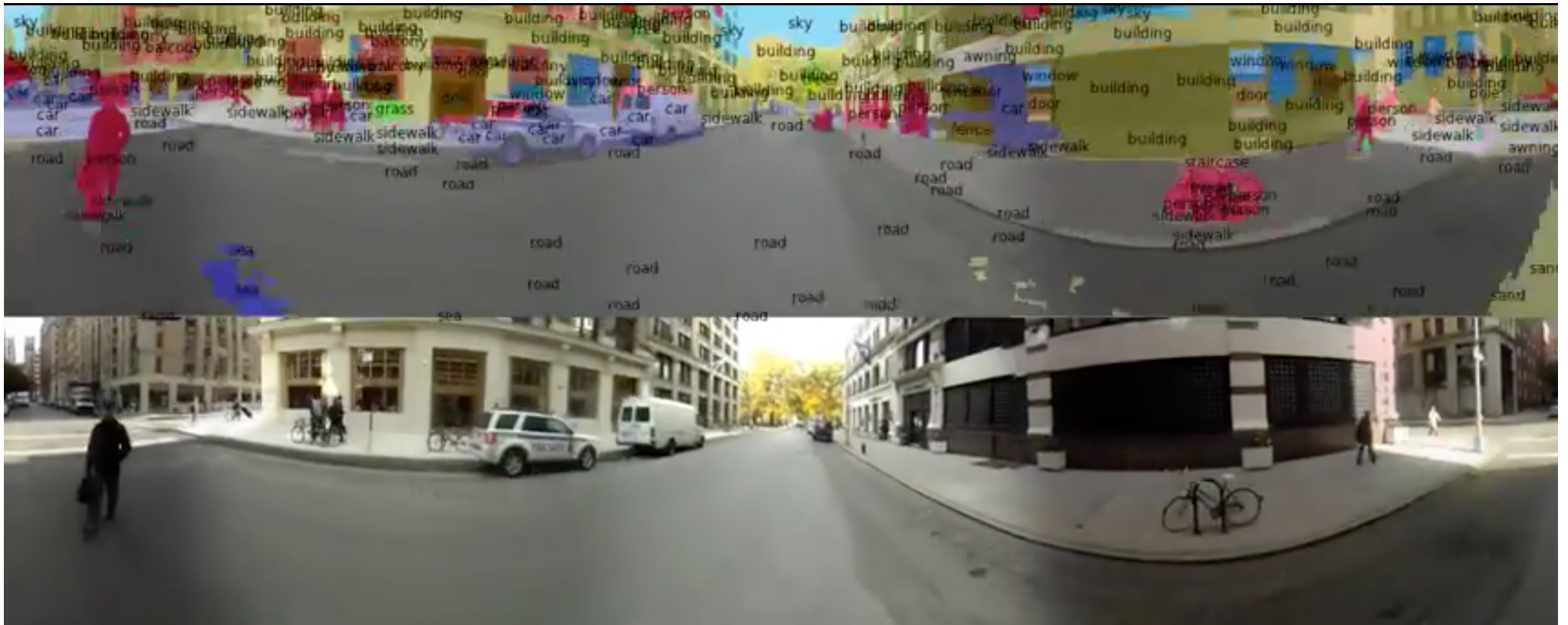
2019



HEP data are rarely images



Typical Deep Learning application



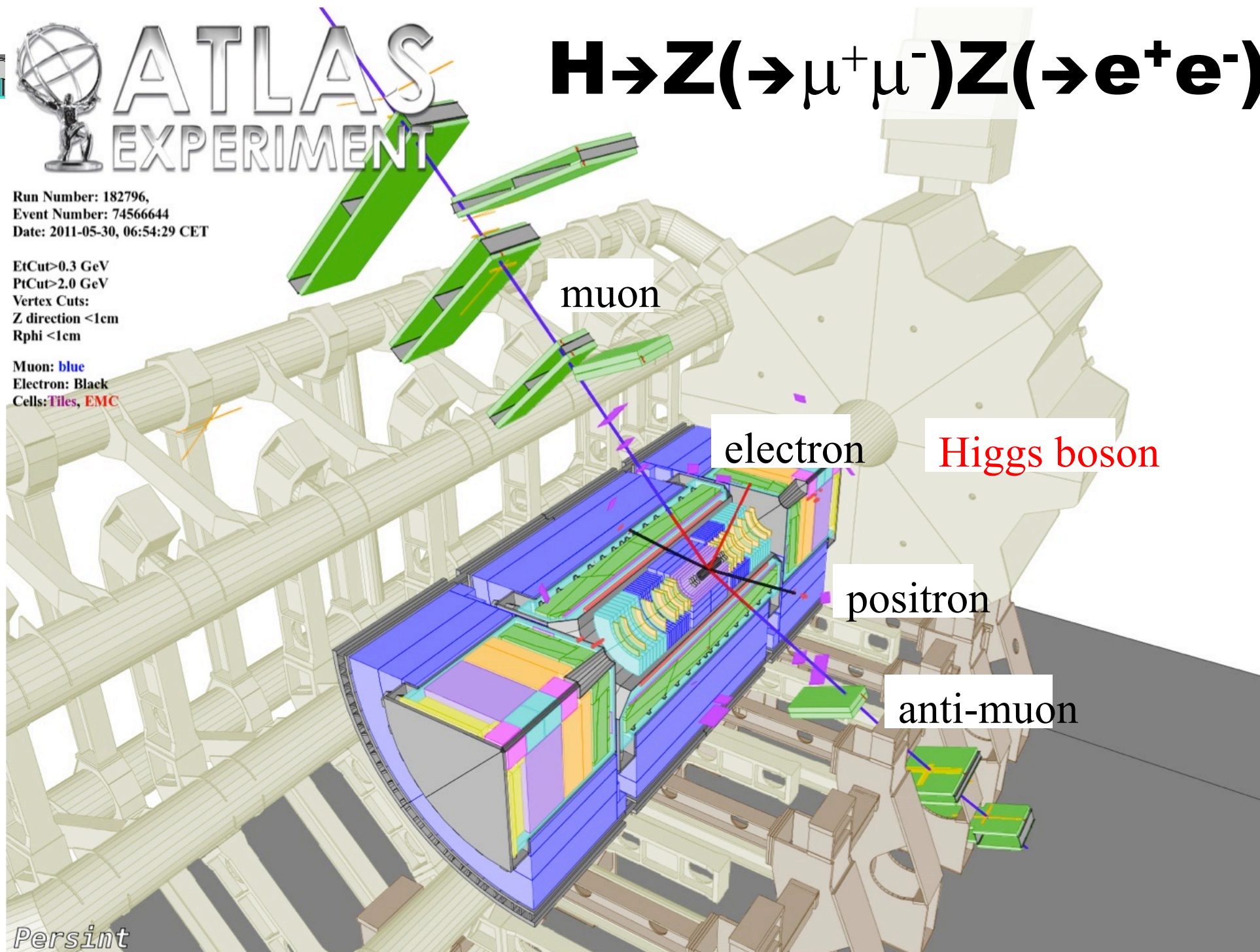


$$H \rightarrow Z(\rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) Z(\rightarrow e^+ e^-)$$

Run Number: 182796,
Event Number: 74566644
Date: 2011-05-30, 06:54:29 CET

EtCut>0.3 GeV
PtCut>2.0 GeV
Vertex Cuts:
Z direction <1cm
Rphi <1cm

Muon: blue
Electron: Black
Cells: Tiles, EMC



An image, not the data

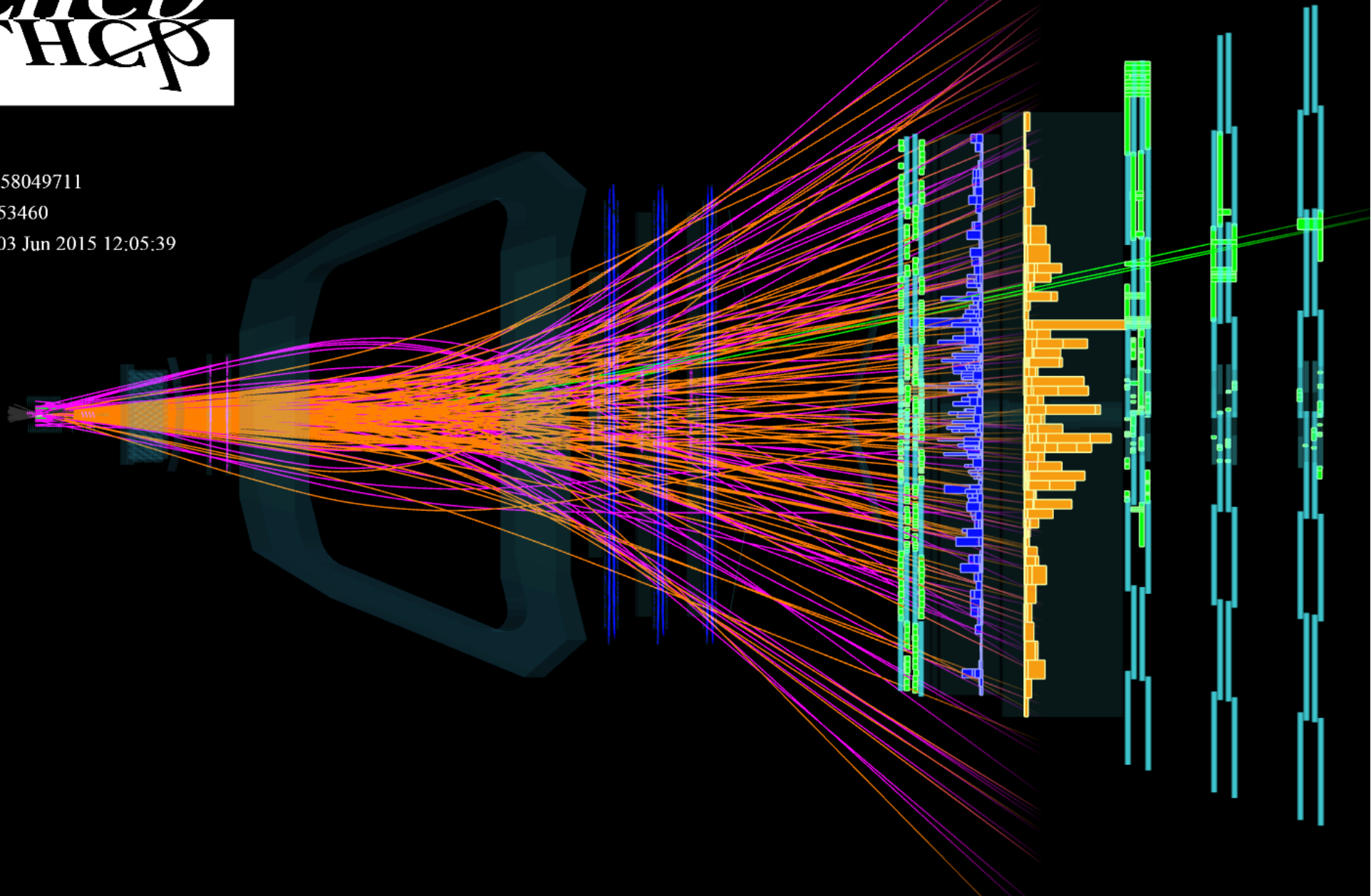
Katharina Mueller, EPS HEP 2019



Event 58049711

Run 153460

Wed, 03 Jun 2015 12:05:39



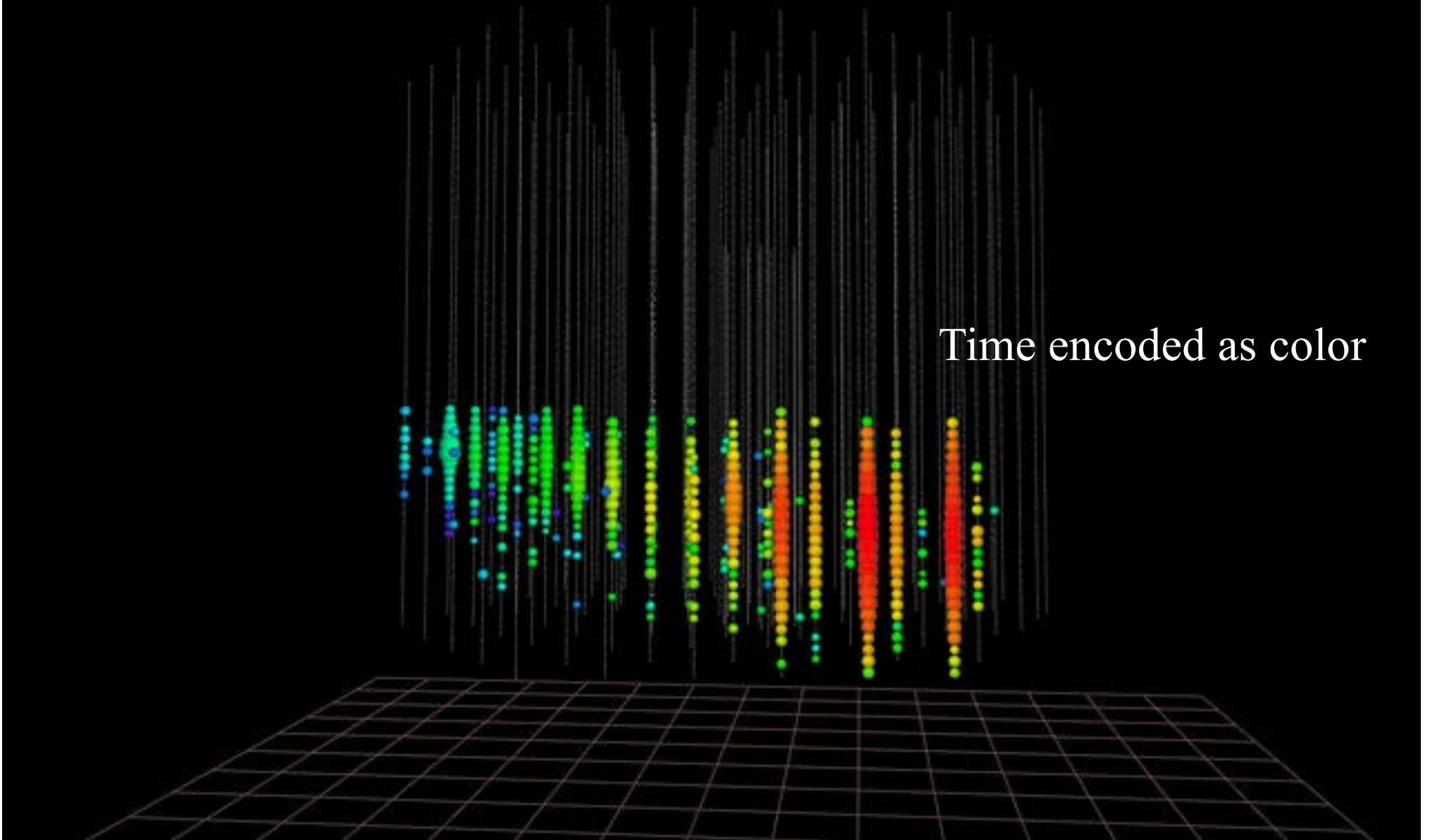
An image, not the data

IceCube-170922A 22 September 2017

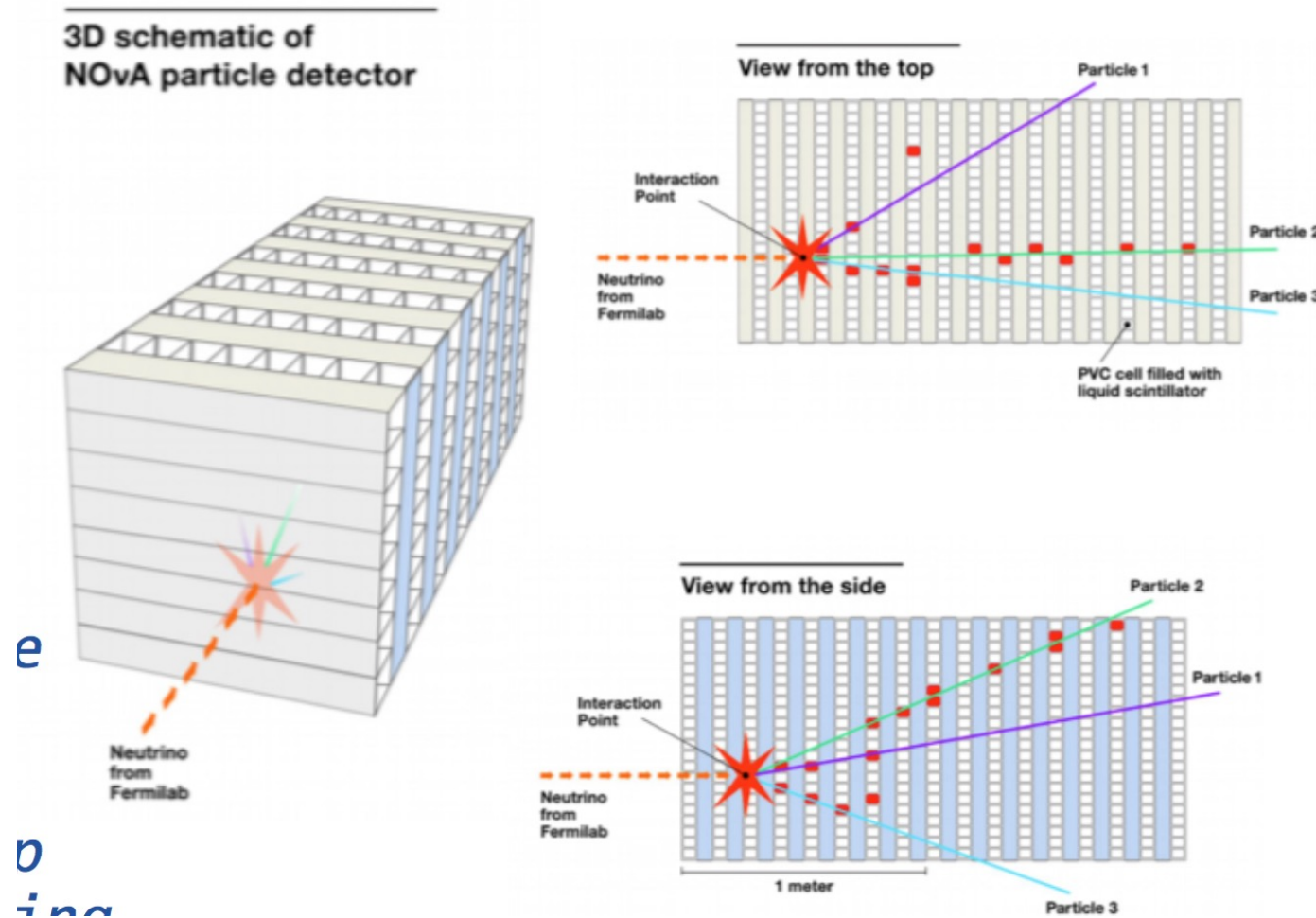
Blazar TXS 0506+056



Time encoded as color

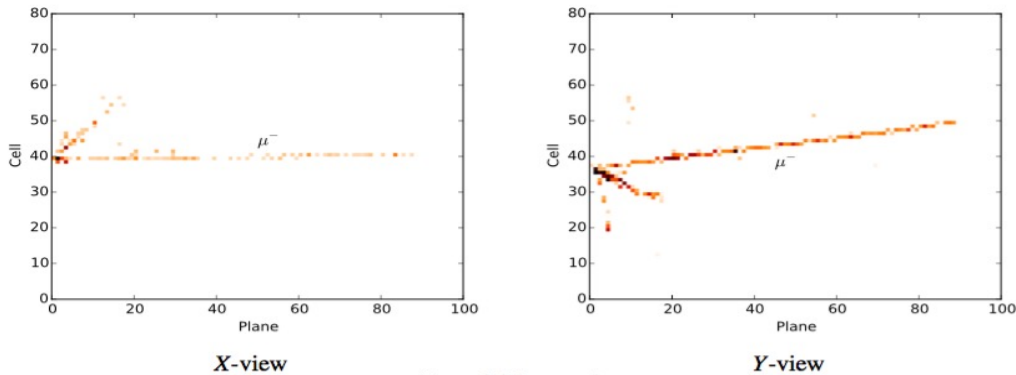


An exception : NOVA

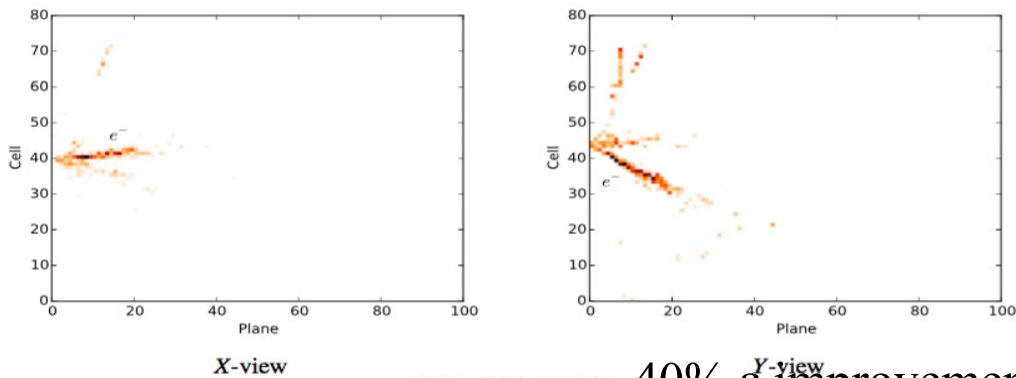


NOVA (2)

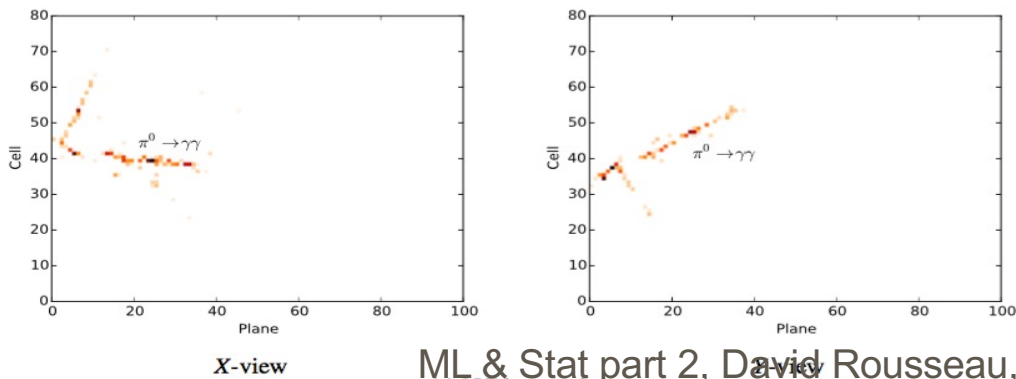
arXiv 1604.01444 Aurisano et al



(a) ν_μ CC interaction.



(b) ν_e CC interaction. ^{Y-view} 40% ϵ improvement

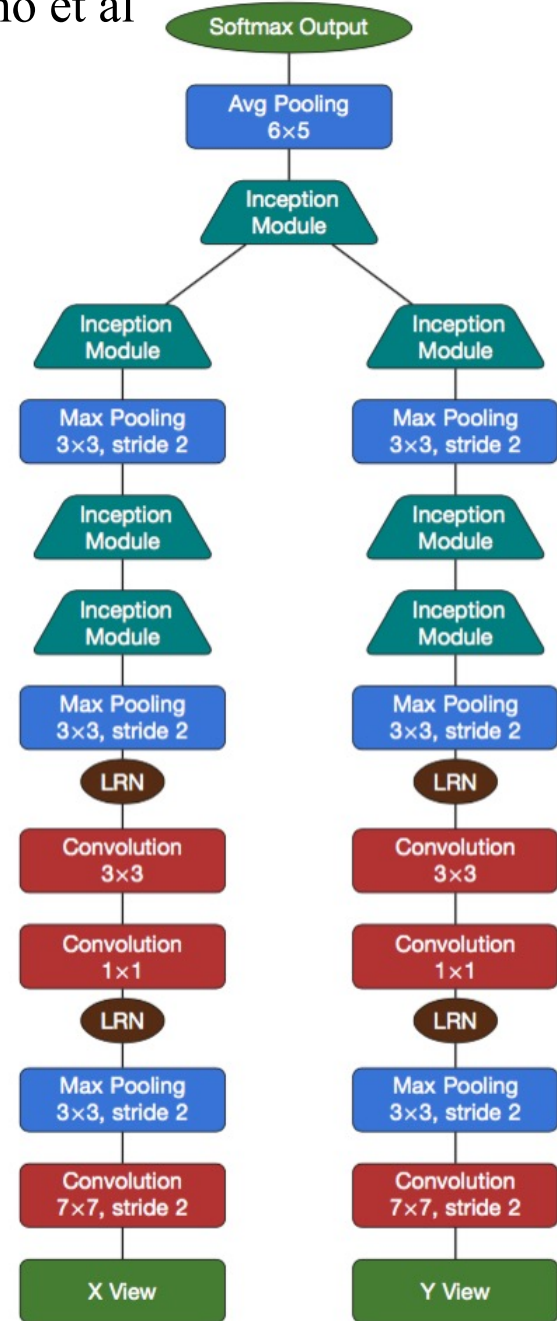


(c) NC interaction.

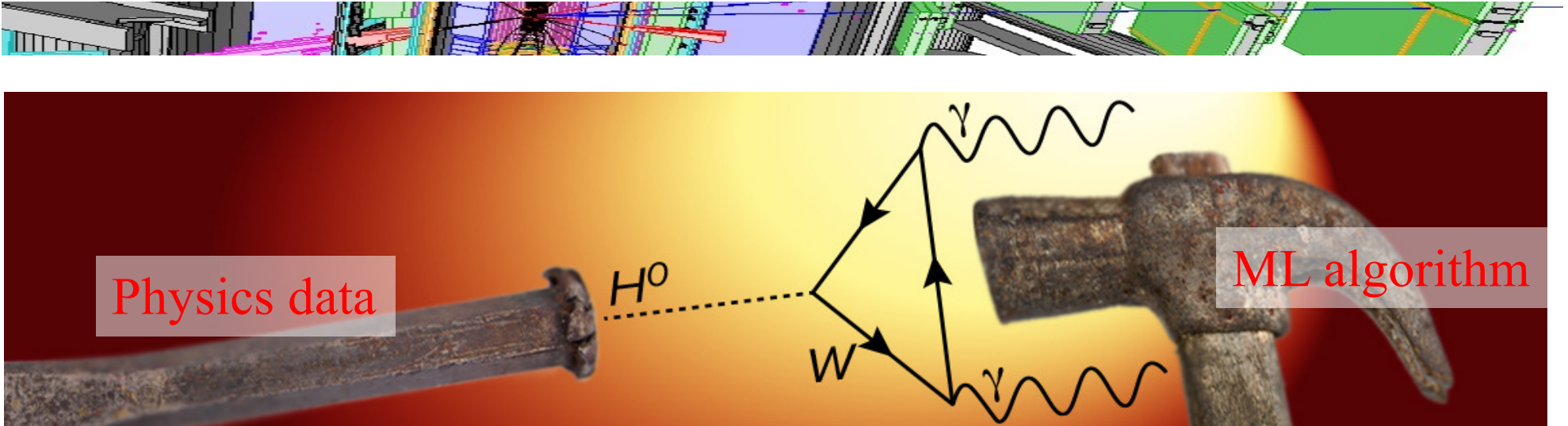
Neutrino interaction classification

Using Convolutional Neural Network (GoogleNet)

Actually used in physics results 1703.03328 and 1706.04592



Hammer and Nail



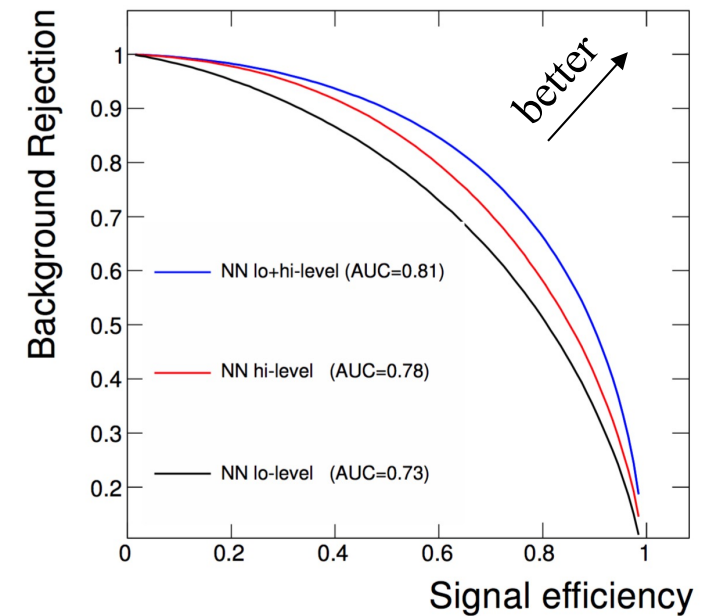
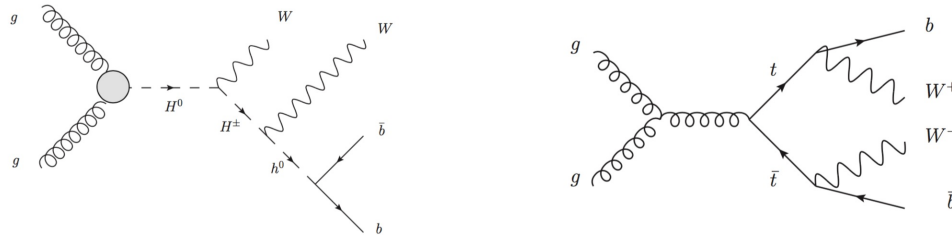
H&N, Weizmann

□ If it does not fit:

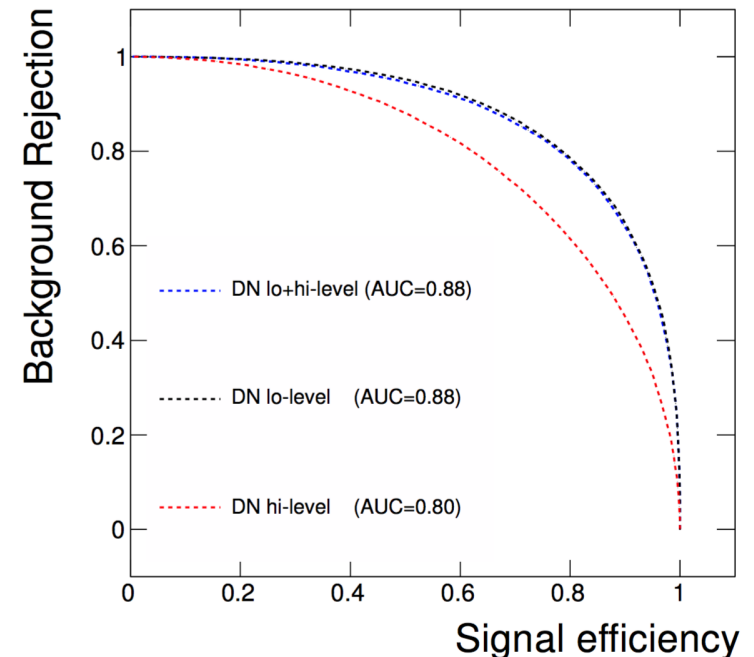
- Reshape the nail : feature engineering
- Reshape the hammer : Neural Network architecture

Deep learning for analysis

1402.4735 Baldi, Sadowski, Whiteson

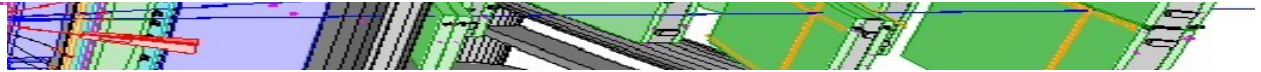


- ❑ MSSM at LHC : $H^0 \rightarrow WWbb$ vs $t\bar{t} \rightarrow WWbb$
- ❑ Low level variables:
 - 4-momentum vector
- ❑ High level variables:
 - Pairwise invariant masses
- ❑ Deep NN outperforms NN, and does not need high level variables
- ❑ DNN learns the physics ?

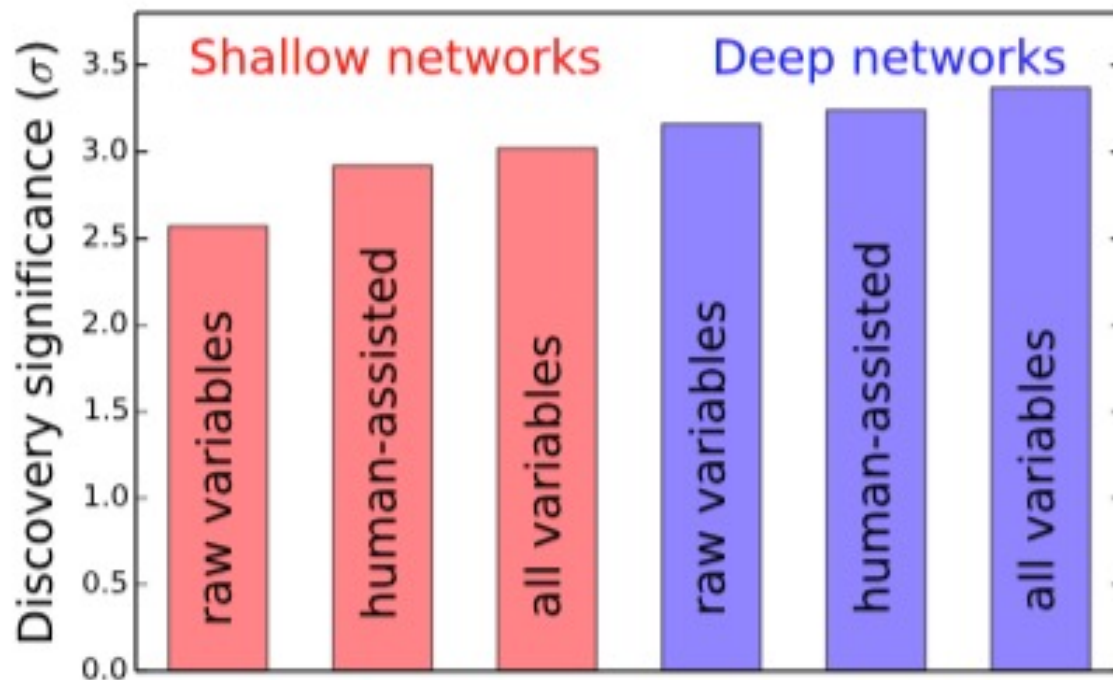


Deep learning for analysis (2)

1410.3469 Baldi Sadowski Whiteson



- H tautau analysis at LHC: $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$ vs $Z \rightarrow \tau\tau$
 - Low level variables (4-momenta)
 - High level variables (transverse mass, delta R, centrality, jet variables, etc...)



- Here, the DNN improved on NN but **still needed high level features**
- Both analyses with Delphes fast simulation
- $\sim 100\text{M}$ events used for training ($\gg 100 \times$ full G4 simulation in ATLAS)

DL for analysis (3)

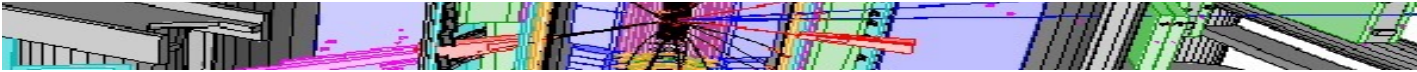


- ❑ Few published LHC analyses using DL
- ❑ Recent trend is to feed more (up to 20) variables to classifiers, even low level ones (2/3-vectors of particles) (see recent ATLAS/CMS ttH papers)
- ❑ A few NN in top and Higgs physics but no clear advantage wrt BDT
- ❑ Not completely clear why, but best guess is the lack of statistics (Baldi et al used $\sim 100\text{M}$ events)
- ❑ We'll still need clever variables building like:
 - $M_T(\mathbf{a}) = \sqrt{2|\vec{p}_T^a||\vec{p}_T^{\text{miss}}| (1 - \cos \Delta\phi(\vec{p}_T^a, \vec{p}_T^{\text{miss}}))}$
 - $M_{T2}(\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}) = \min_{\vec{p}_{T1}^{\text{miss}} + \vec{p}_{T2}^{\text{miss}} = \vec{E}_T^{\text{miss}}} \left(\max \left[M_T(\vec{p}_T^a, \vec{p}_{T1}^{\text{miss}}), M_T(\vec{p}_T^b, \vec{p}_{T2}^{\text{miss}}) \right] \right)$
→ well suited for pair production of $X \rightarrow Y(\text{vis.}) + Z(\text{inv.})$
 - $MHT = | - \sum_{\text{jets}} \vec{p}_T^j |$
- ❑ Neural Net more relevant if large number of unstructured variables (examples later)
- ❑ Also developments for physics aware NN, who know that they are dealing with 4-momenta (Lorentz-invariant NN arXiv:2208.07814.)

End to end Learning



End to end learning



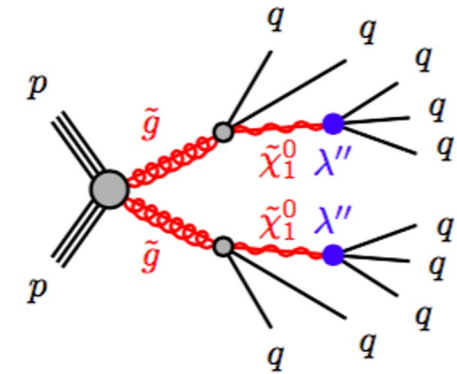
Bhimji et al, 1711.03573

❑ Train directly for signal on « raw » event ?

❑ Start from RPV Susy search

ATLAS-CONF-2016-057

❑ Fast Simulated events with Delphes

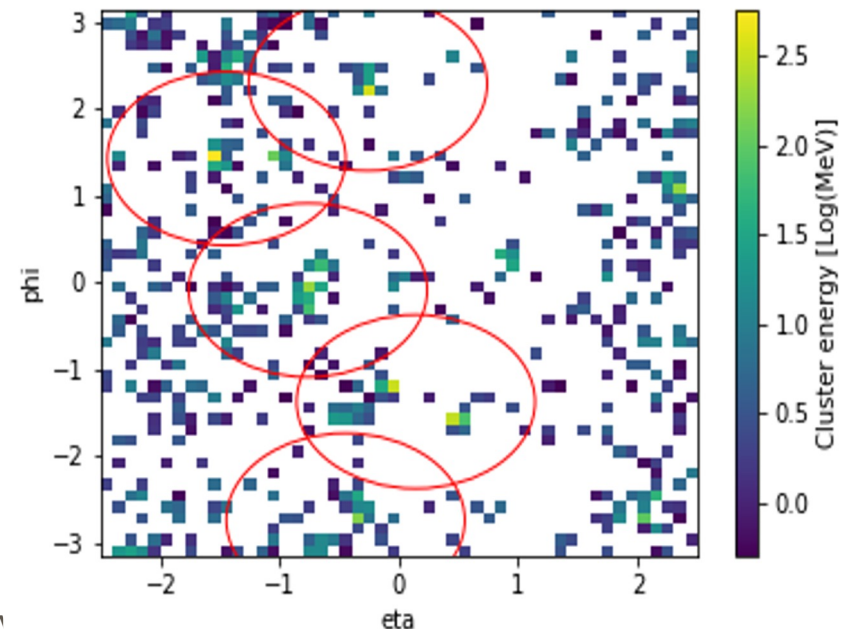


(b) gluino cascade decay

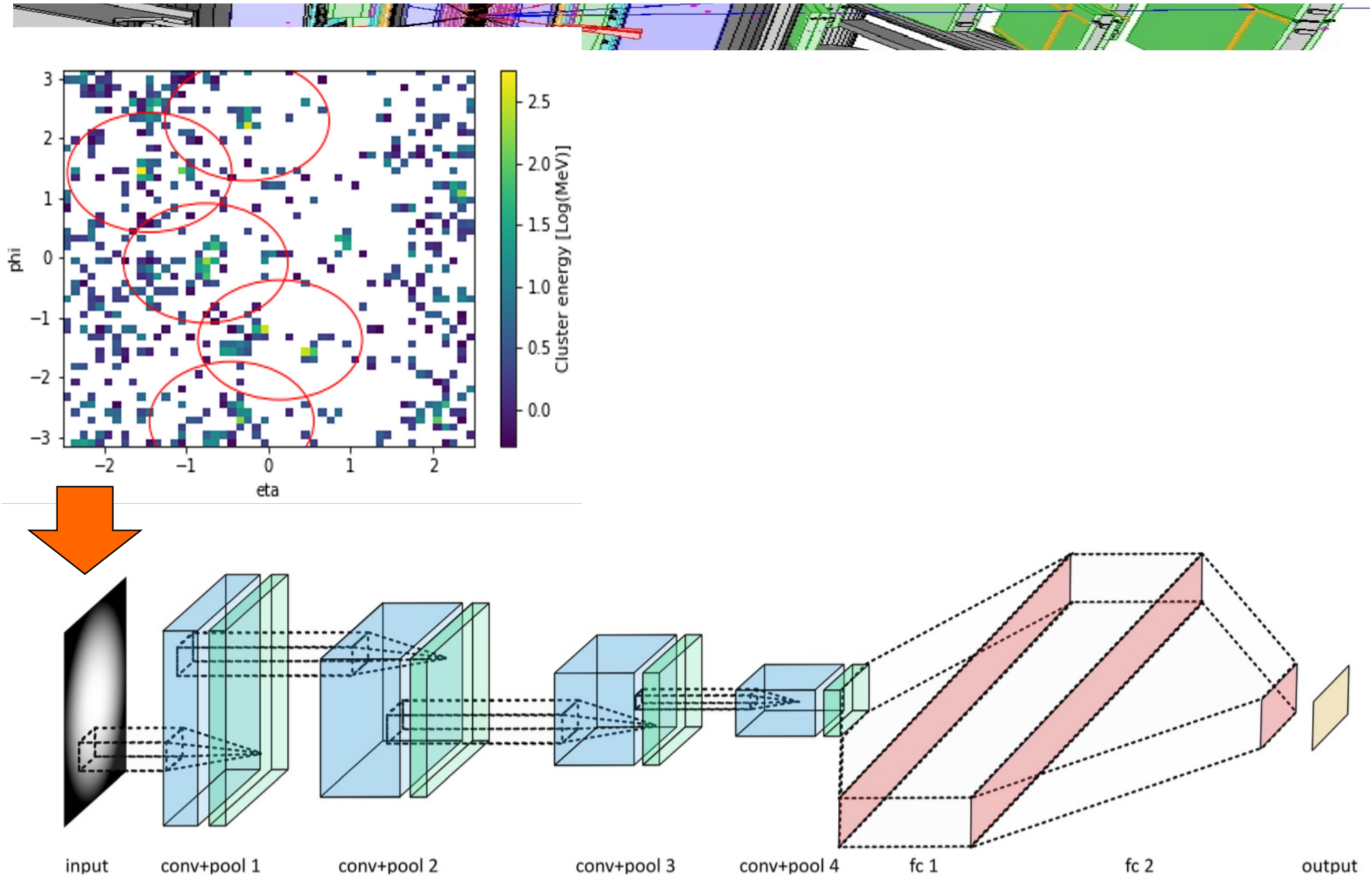
❑ Project energies on 64x64 $\eta \times \phi$ grid

❑ Compare with usual jet Reconstruction and physics Analysis variables such as:

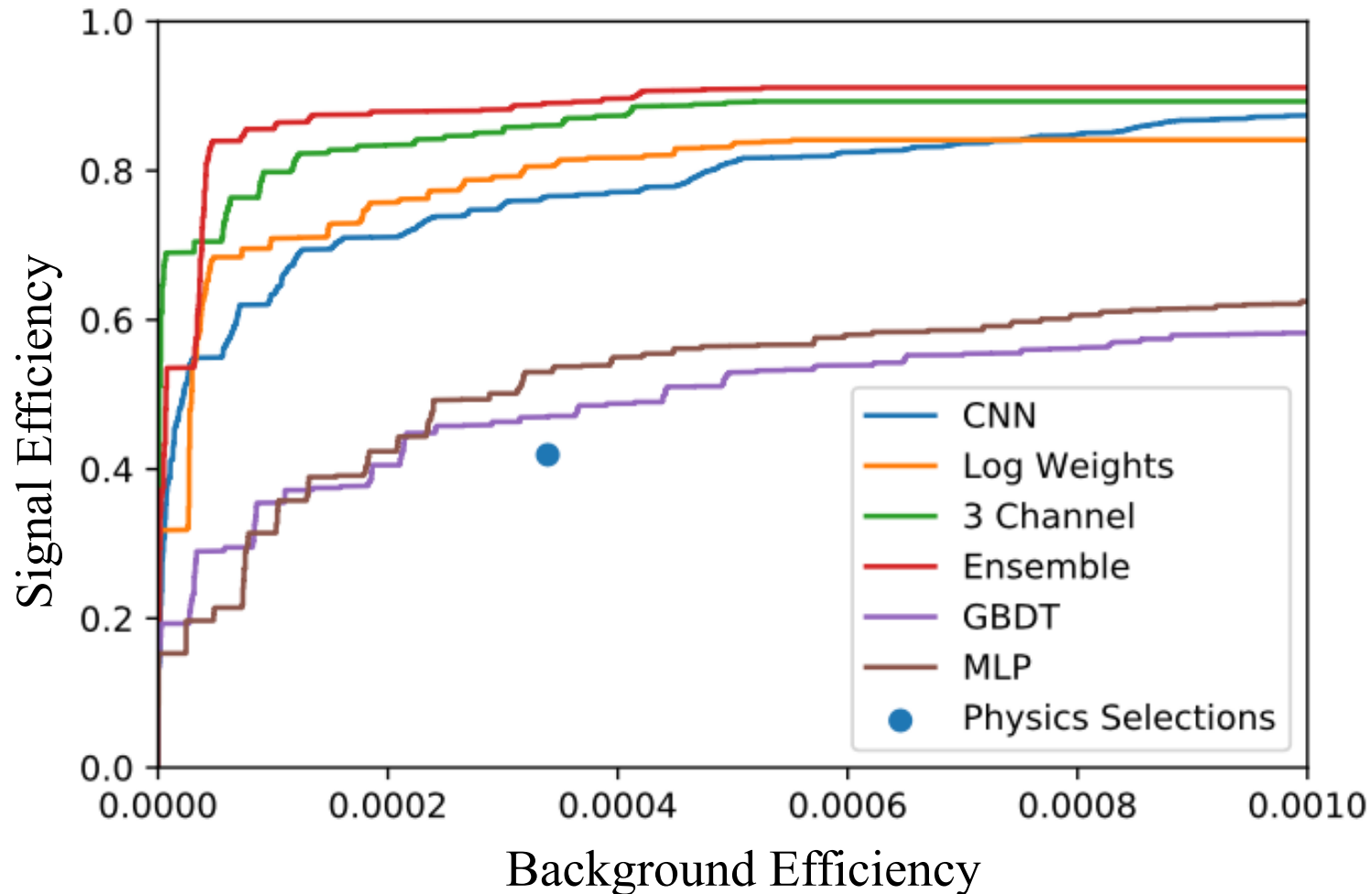
$$M_J^\Sigma = \sum_{\substack{p_T > 200 \text{ GeV} \\ |\eta| \leq 2.0}}^4 m^{\text{jet}}$$



End to end learning (2)



End to end learning (3)



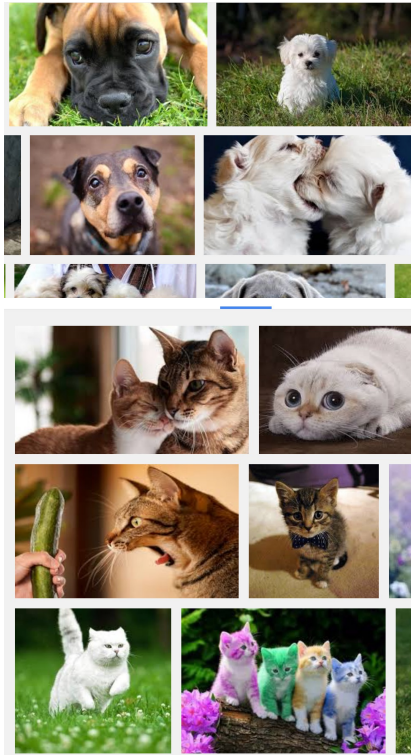
- >x2 gain over BDT/shallow network using physics variable and 5 leading jet 4-momenta
- → CNN extract information from energy grid which is lost in the jets ?

Jet Images

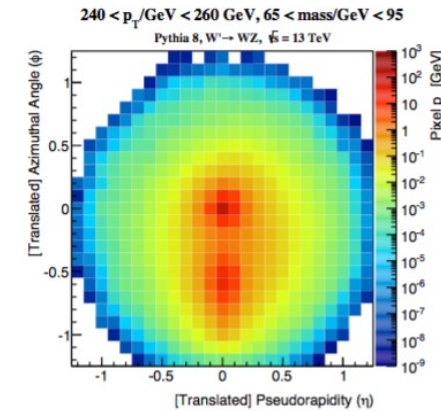


[arXiv 1511.05190](https://arxiv.org/abs/1511.05190) de Oliveira, Kagan, Mackey, Nachman, Schwartzman

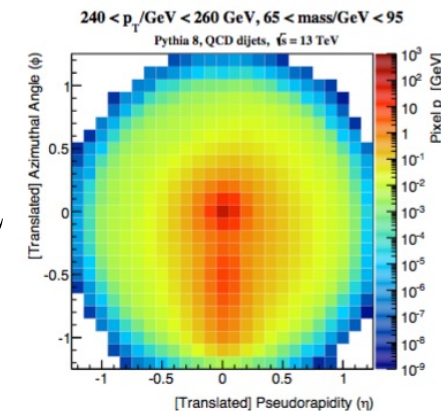
- ❑ Distinguish boosted W jets from QCD
- ❑ Particle level simulation
- ❑ Average images:



Boosted $W \rightarrow qq$ jet

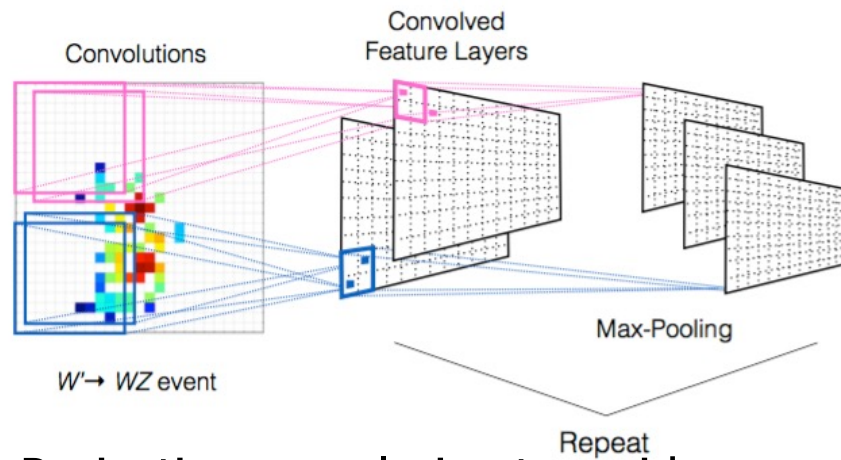


QCD

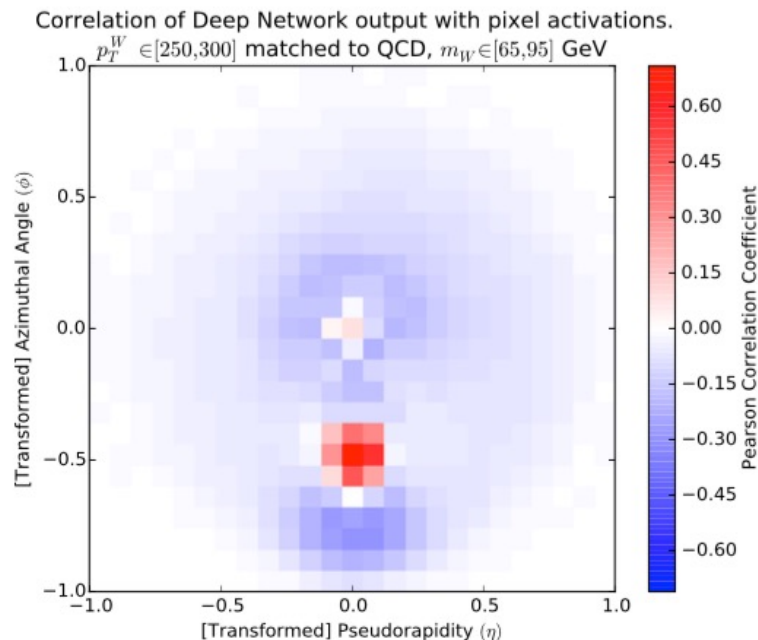
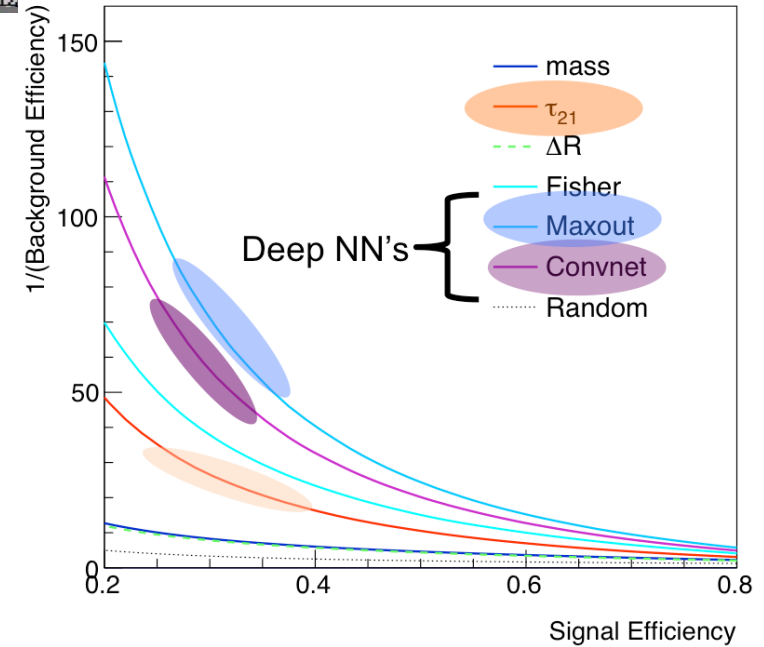


Jet Images : Convolution NN

arXiv:1511.05190

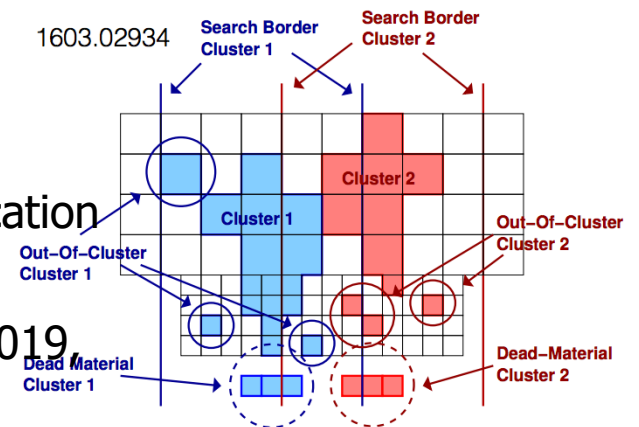


- Projection on calorimeter grid
- Variables build from CNN outperform the more usual ones



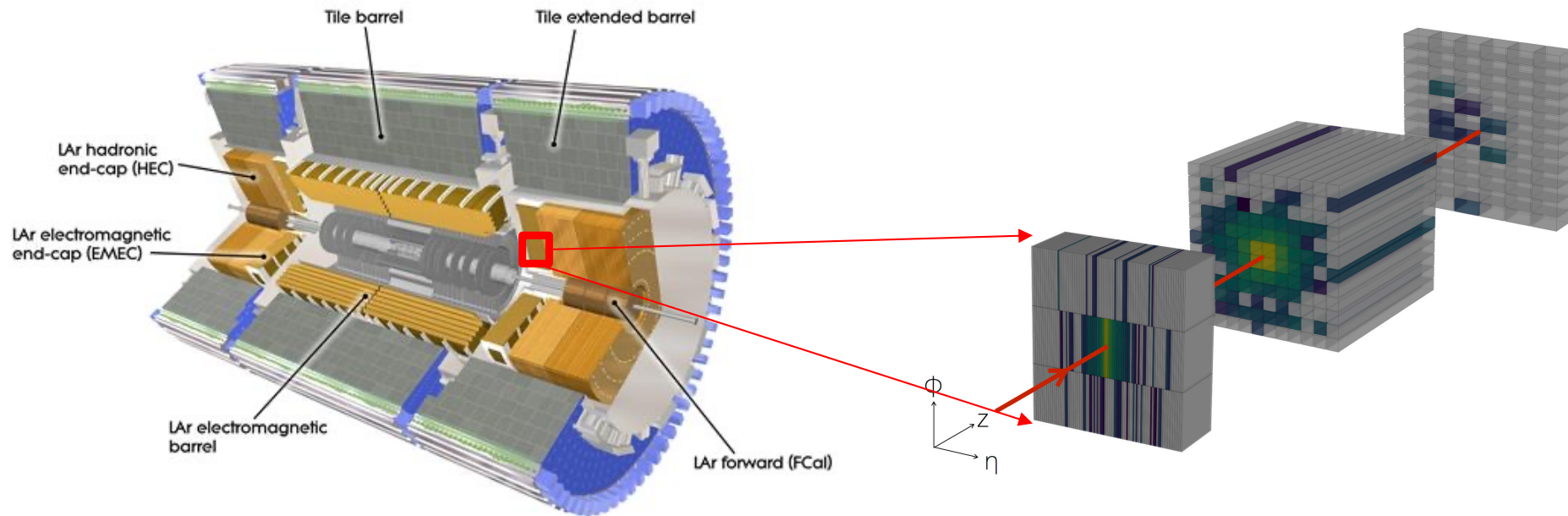
- What the CNN sees (the "cat" neurone")
- Also with proper detector and pileup simulation ATL-PHYS-PUB-2017-017
- 3 Dimension ?

See also GraphNN application to CMS HGCAL, Arabella Martelli, EPS-HEP 2019 and [arXiv:1902.07987](https://arxiv.org/abs/1902.07987)



id Rousseau, ICFA 2023 TIFR Mumbai, Feb 2023

Detectors are complex 3D objects

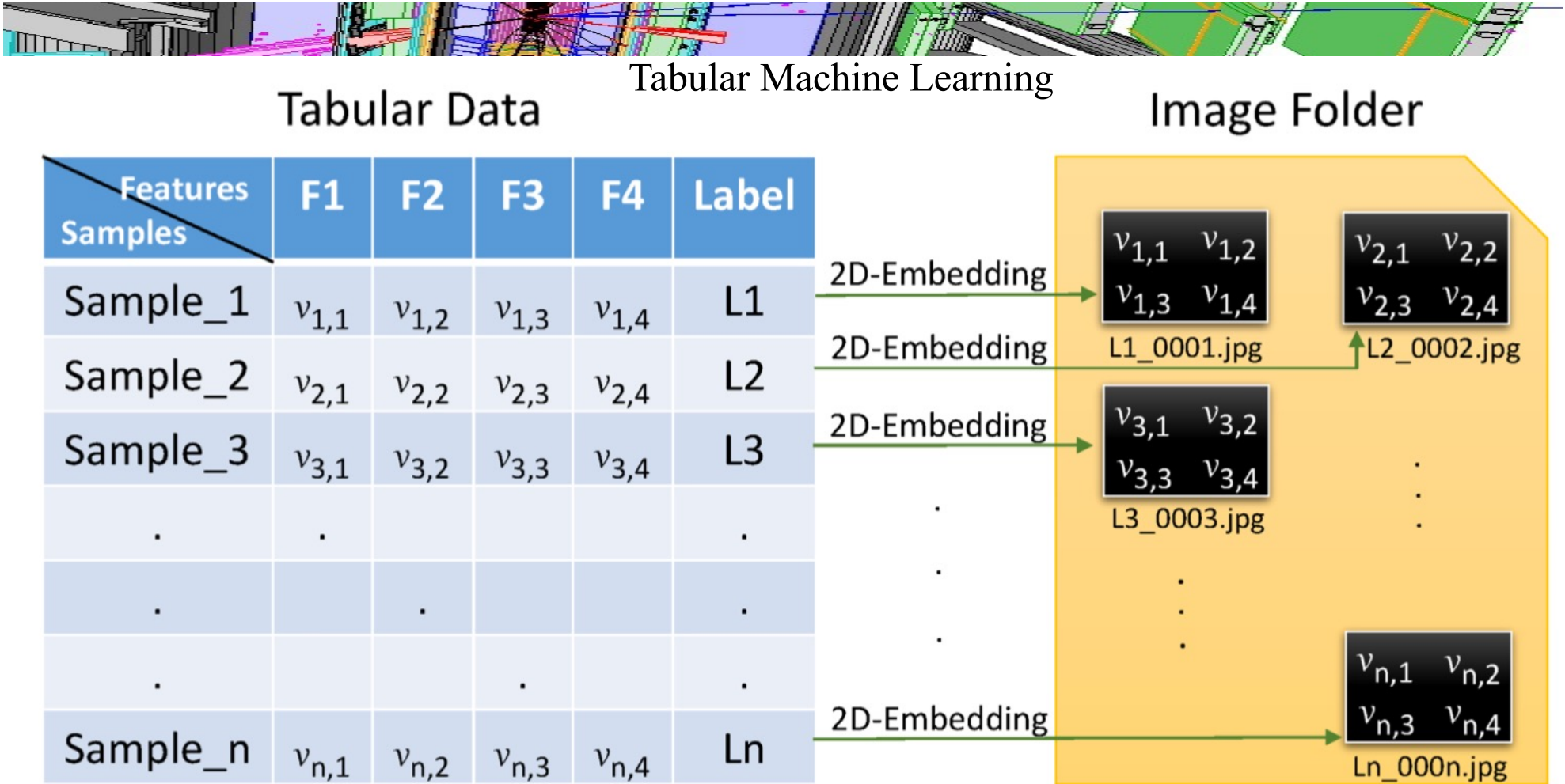


Not good ideas : SuperTML and Abstract images



Don't do this at home

SuperTML : principle



...then analyse image with fine tuned a
pre-trained CNN (on cats and dogs)

Super TML on HiggsML dataset



HiggsML : public Higgs Machine Learning challenge dataset
with a few 4-momentum features

103.706	2.618
50.754	0.602
51.627	310.982
33.558	-1.251
2.047	617.204
2.606	0.945
495.832	-0.693
134.523	1.986
1.973	686.787
93.708	2.214
-1.12	426.564
0.0	0.191
2.238	39.975
4.582	500.637
3	-1.552

(a) SuperTML image example for Higgs Boson data. Each feature is given equal importance in this example.

160.937	68.768
103.235	3.473
42.014	44.704
2.078	2.039
0.725	164.546
0.879	1.414
48.146	0.501
36.918	0.103
-1.916	125.157
-999.0	-3.011
1.158	46.226
-999.0	-999.0
-999.0	-999.0
-999.0	46.226
1	-999.0

(b) SuperTML image example for Higgs Boson data. Features are given different sizes according to their importance.

SuperTML results



Table 3. Comparison of AMS score on Higgs Boson. The first two rows are winners in the Higgs Boson Challenge.

Methods	AMS
DNN by Gabor Meli	3.806
XGBoost	3.761
SuperTML_EF(224x224)	3.979
SuperTML_VF (224x224)	3.838

No Way!
Overtraining ?

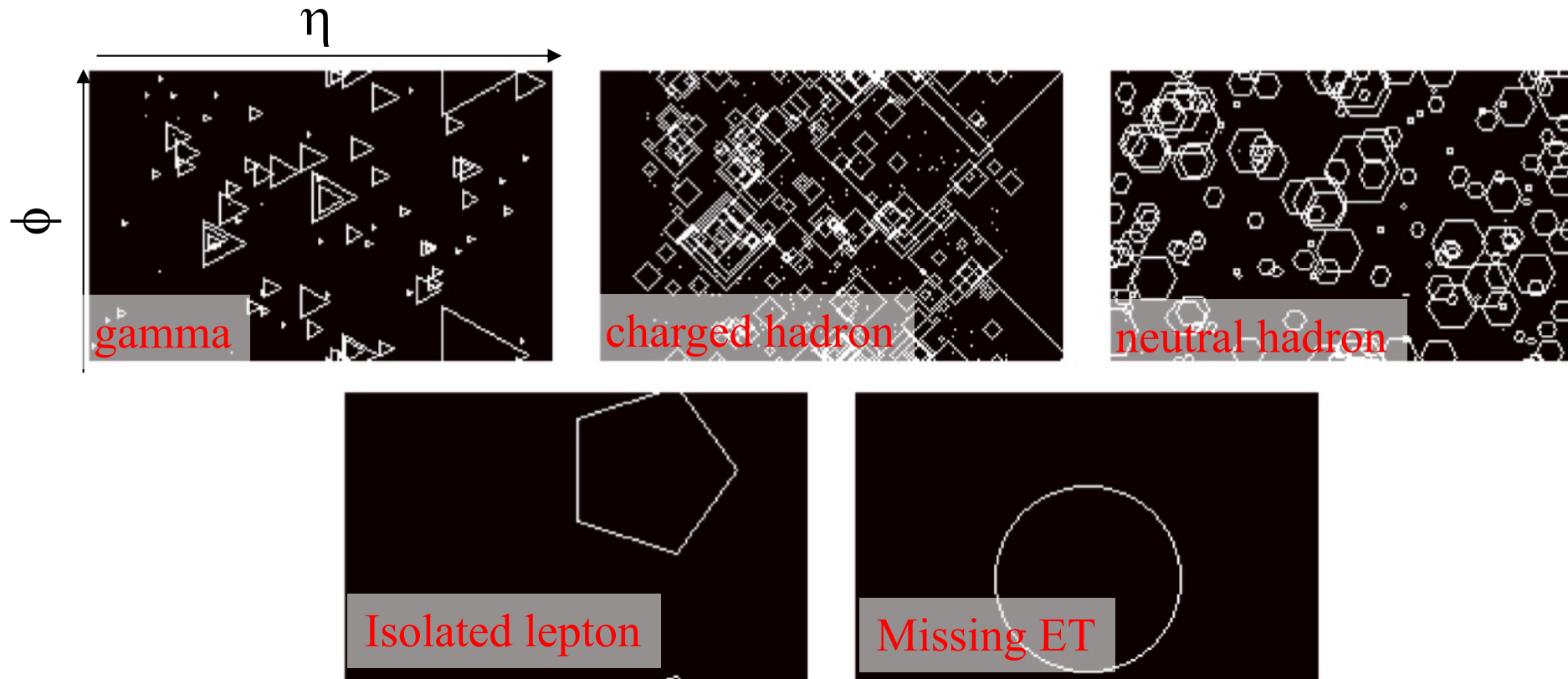
Giles Strong (CMS) tried to reproduce their results without success, contacted them with little success.

- ➔ this was published in a Computer Vision conference
- ➔ Lesson : do not believe whatever appear on arXiv

Abstract Images



[arXiv:1708.07034](#) [arXiv:1807.00083](#)



$t\bar{t}$ event in CMS

- ❑ → does not work too well
- ❑ Unsurprisingly.... two bad examples of forcing data into one hammer (Convolution Neural Network)
- ❑ The physicist' expertise should help the CNN, not obscure it

Graph Neural Networks

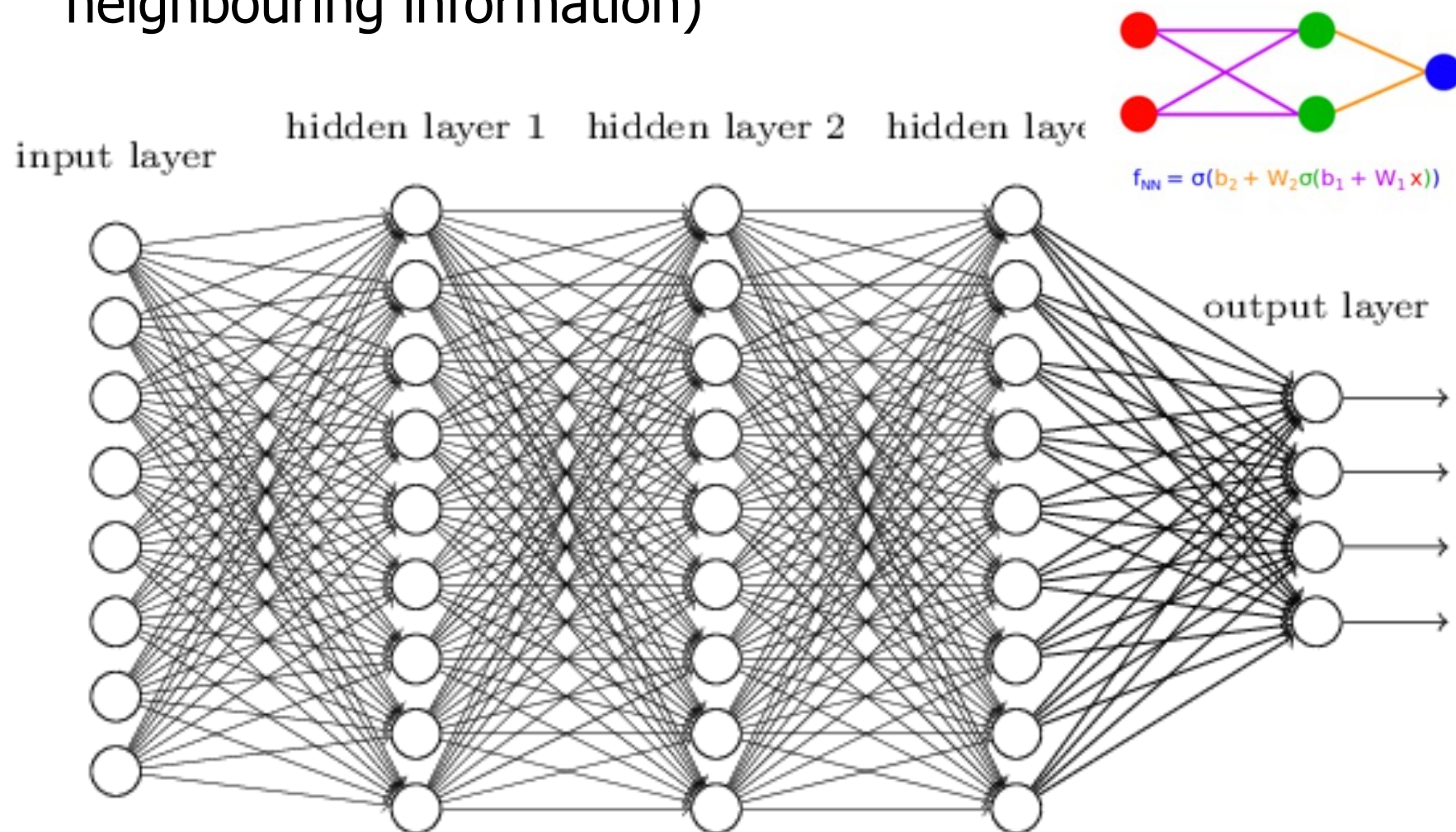


Graph Neural Networks



Marco Battaglia IML 2020

- ❑ « Classical » NN : a structure less vector or matrix is transformed from layer to layer (Convolution NN : use neighbouring information)

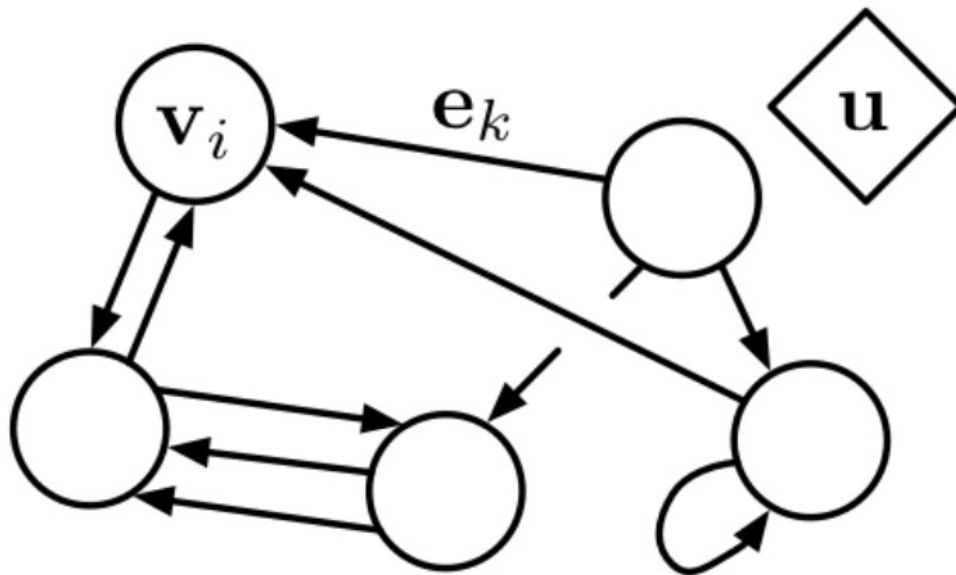


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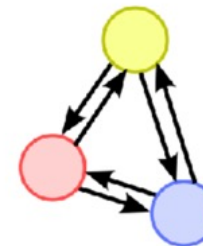
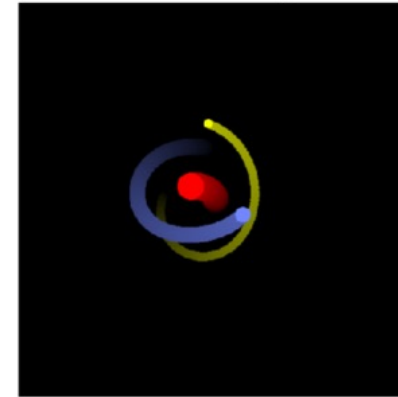


□ Now some structure:

- v_i : nodes
- e_k : edges
- u : global



n-body

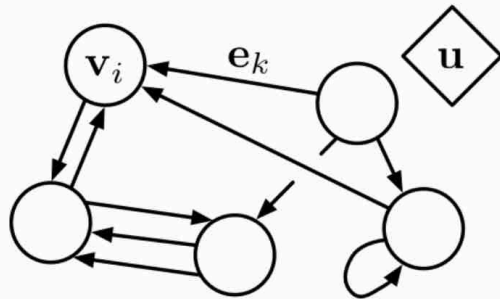


Nodes: bodies

Edges: gravitational forces

Global : potential energy

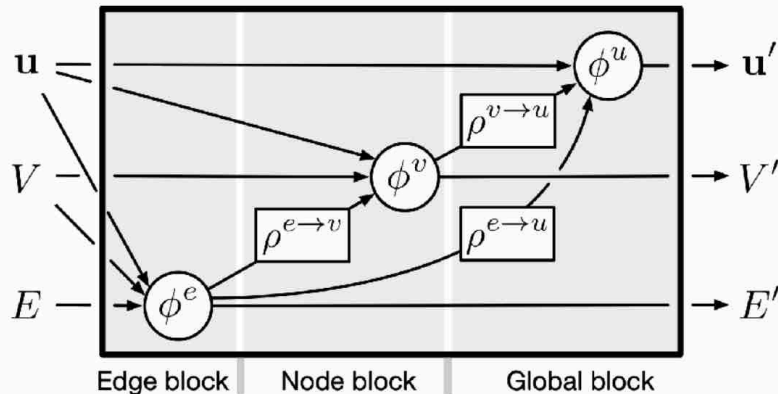
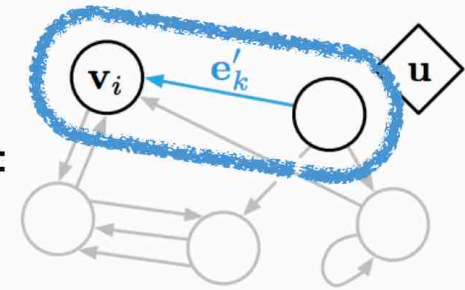
GNN (3)



Edge block

For each edge, e_k, v_{s_k}, v_{r_k}, u , are passed to an “edge-wise function”:

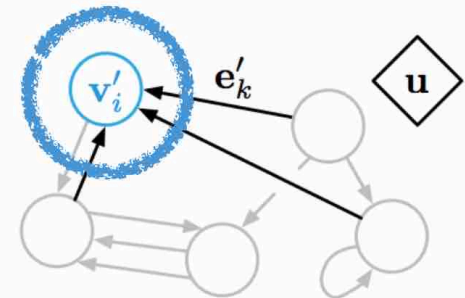
$$e'_k \leftarrow \phi^e(e_k, v_{r_k}, v_{s_k}, u)$$



Node block

For each node, $\bar{e}'_i, v_i, u$, are passed to a “node-wise function”:

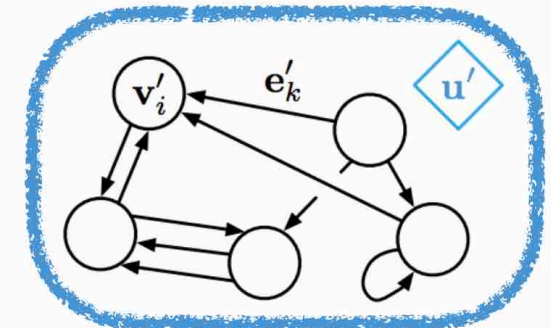
$$v'_i \leftarrow \phi^v(\bar{e}'_i, v_i, u)$$



Global block

Across the graph, $\bar{e}', \bar{v}', u$, are passed to a “global function”:

$$u' \leftarrow \phi^u(\bar{e}', \bar{v}', u)$$



Important : the number of input e and v is not predetermined

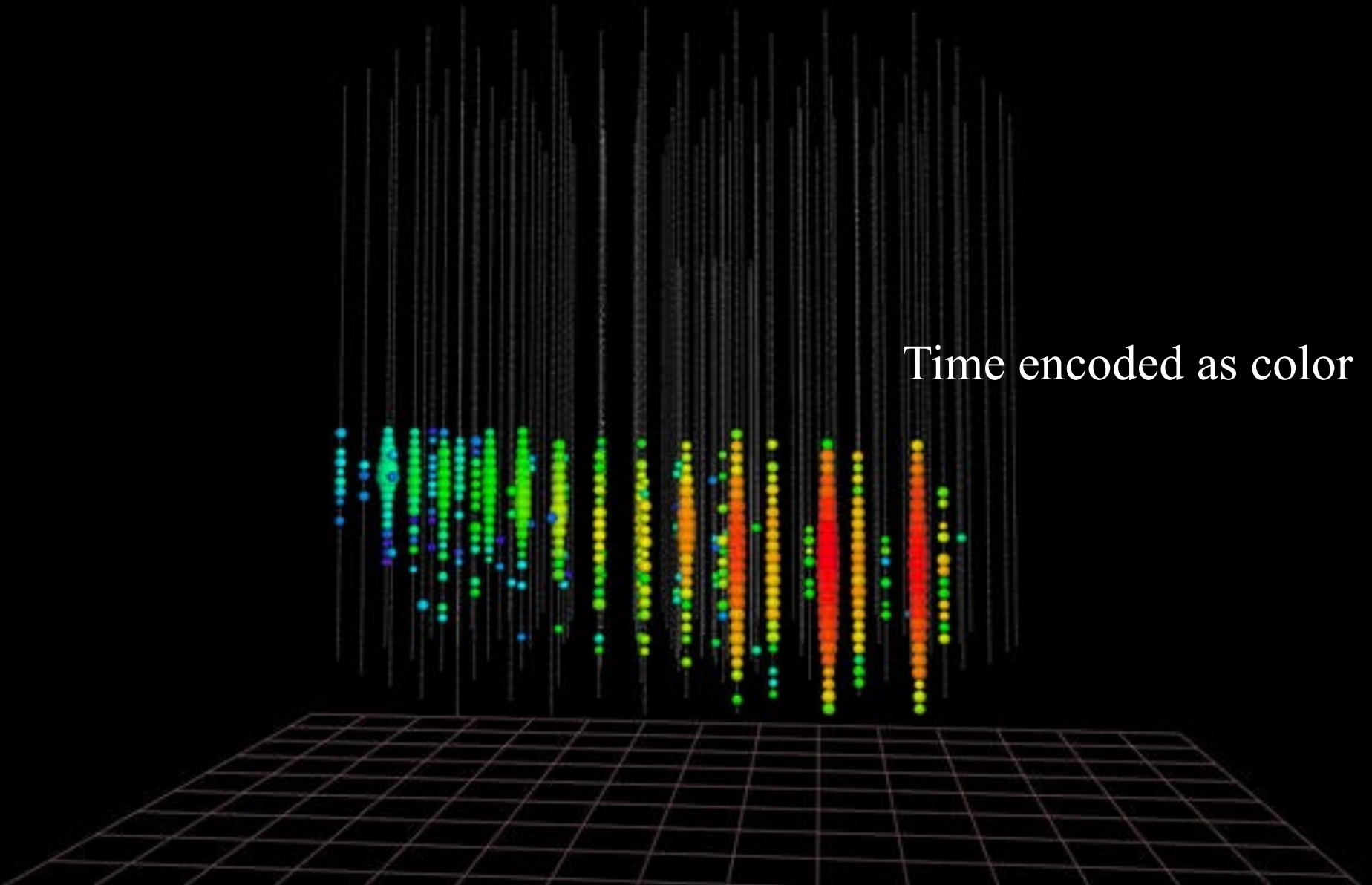
Ice Cube

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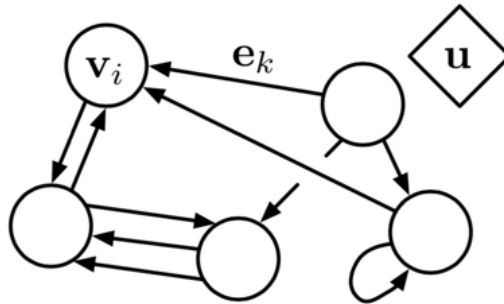
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Graph NN for Ice Cube

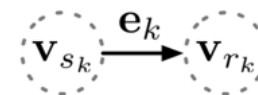


- Graph NN:
nodes, edges, and
Globals
- ...allow generalization
of neighbouring pixels

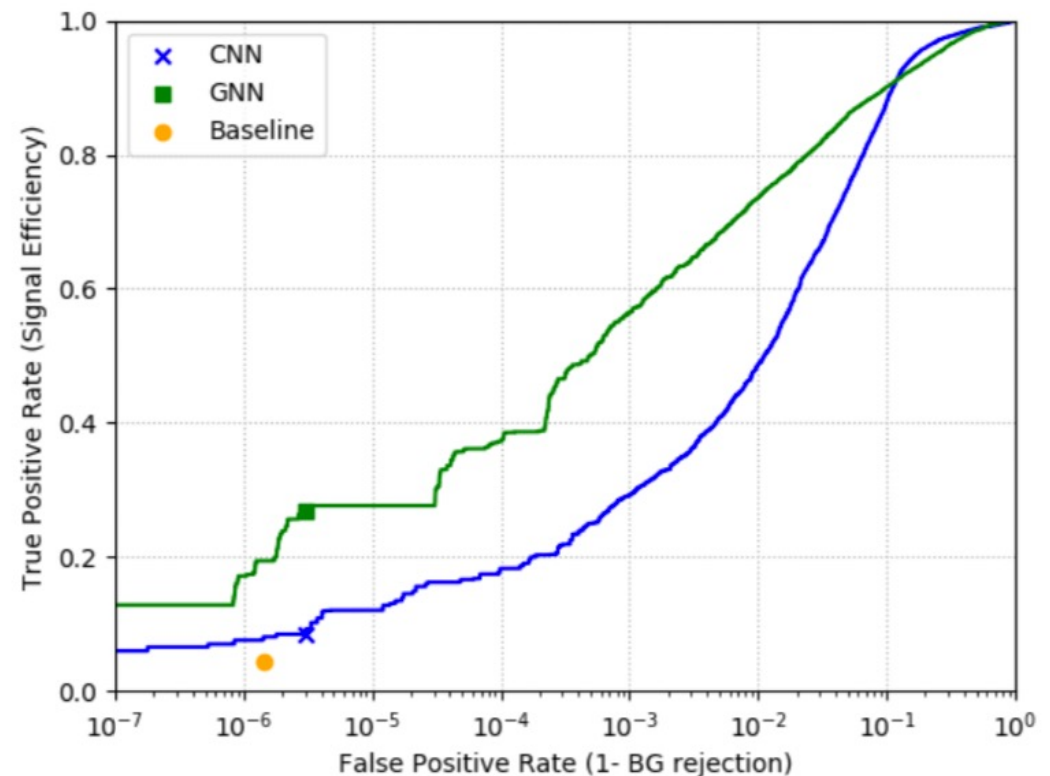


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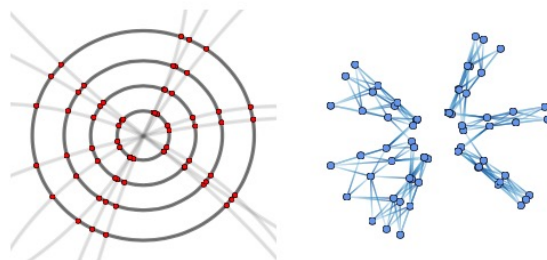
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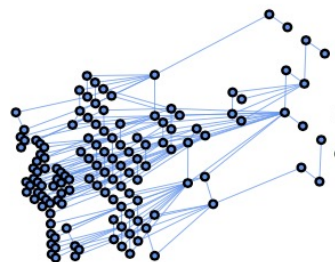
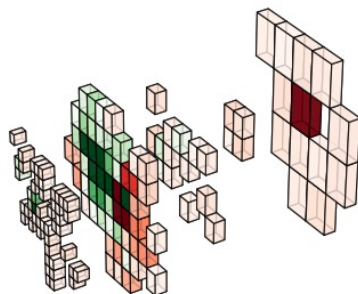
- Application to IceCube,
separating downwards
muon from neutrino from
muon from cosmic rays
- ➔ quickly growing interest in
Graph NN in HEP



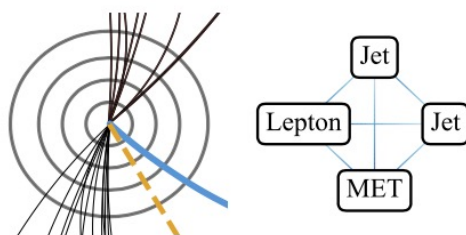
Graph on HEP data



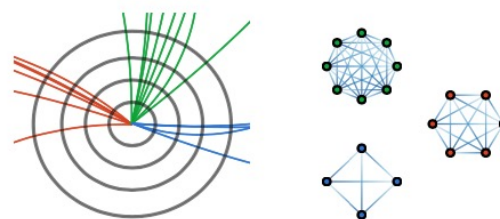
(a)



(b)



(c)



(d)

Tracking

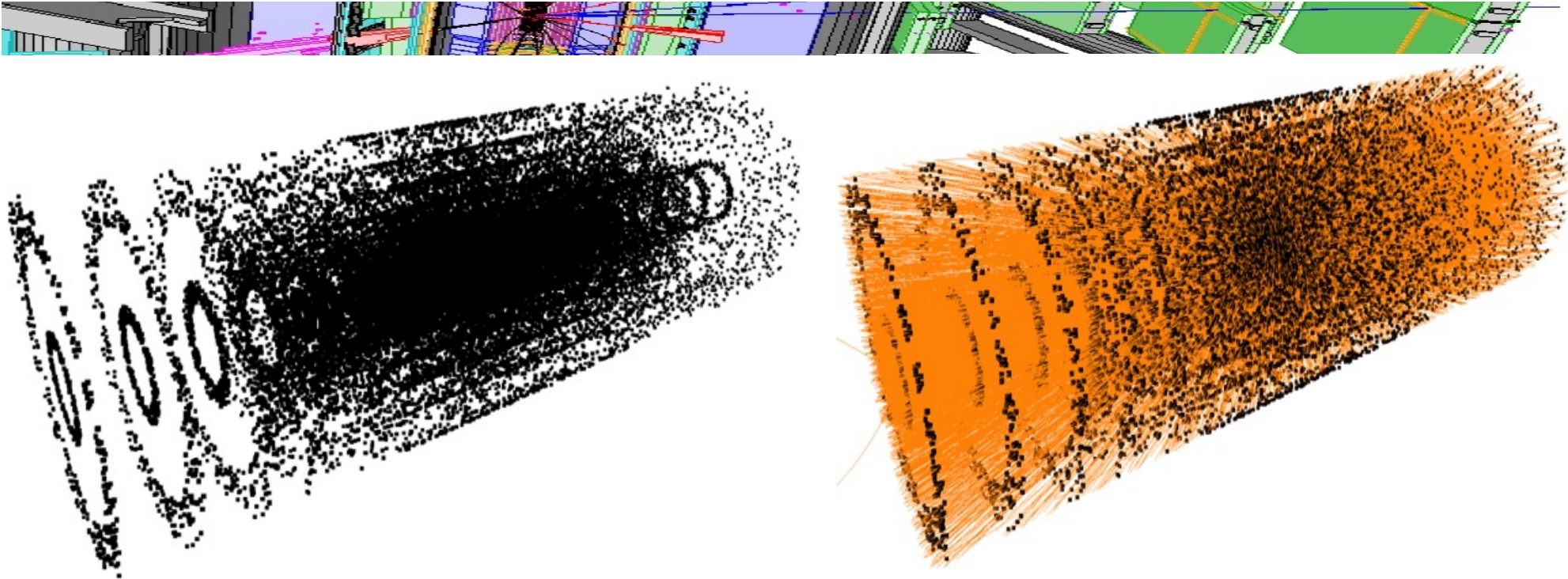


TrackML challenge



A 3D point cloud challenge from
Particle Physics on Kaggle and Codalab

TrackML

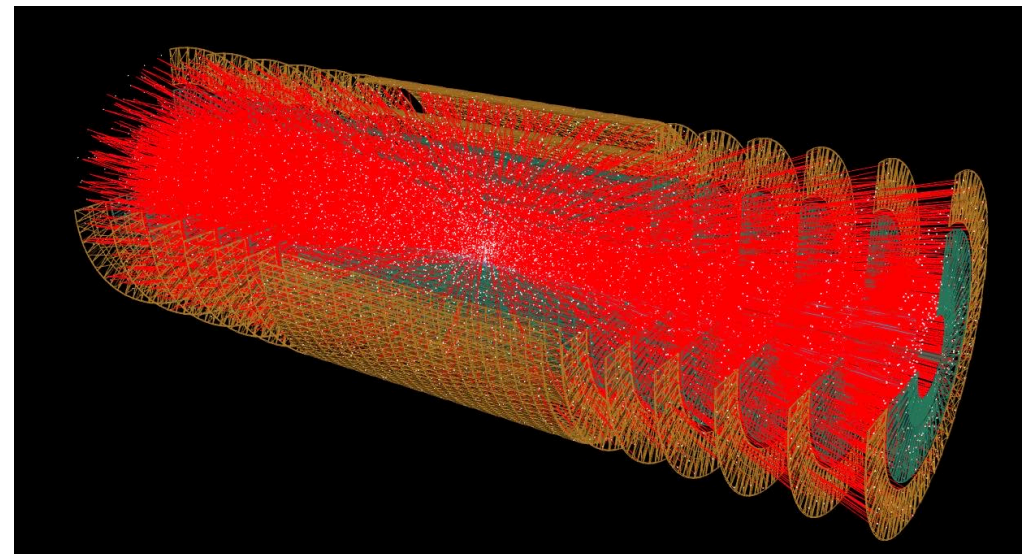
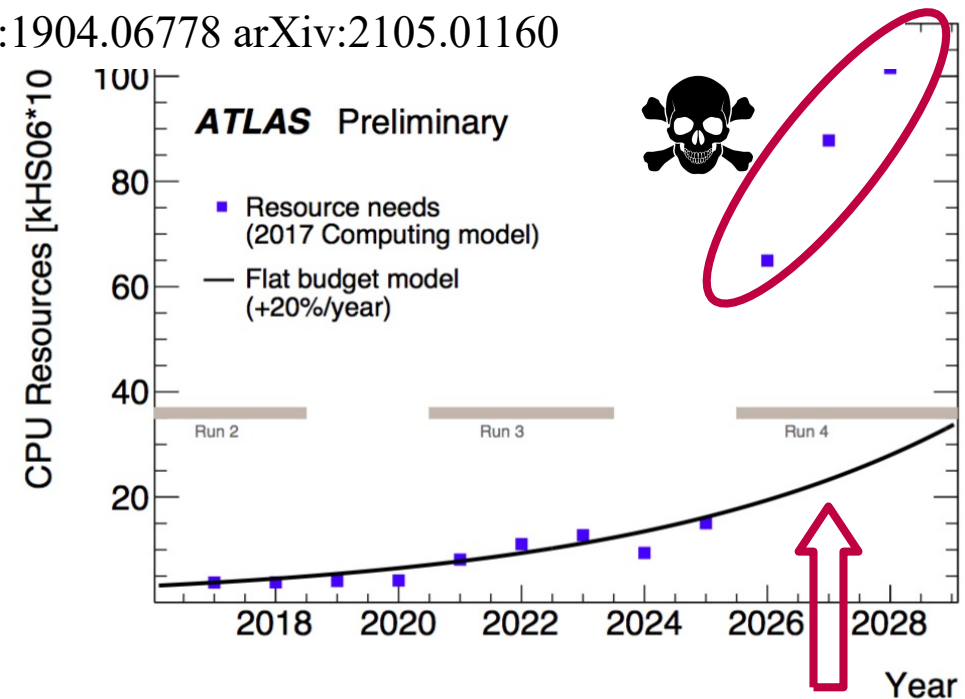


- ❑ All-silicon detector → 3D points cloud
- ❑ 100'000 points to group into 10'000 tracks of 10 points
 - → $\sim 10^{450'000}$ combinations
 - ⇒ brute force has (really) no chance
- ❑ Precision of the points : $\sim 50\mu\text{m}$ on a volume $\sim 40\text{ m}^3$
 - → $3 \cdot 10^{14}$ voxels!
 - 2D projection → $2 \cdot 10^9$ pixels !
 - ⇒ naïve image recognition algorithm have (really) no chance
- ❑ Note : trajectories are approximate arc of helices, originating from the center

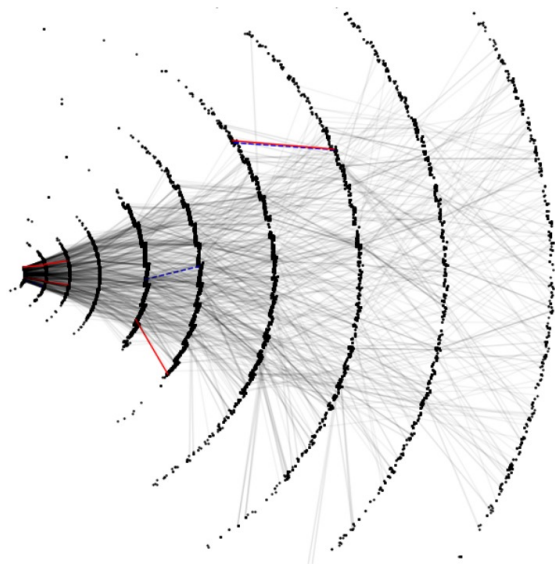
TrackML challenge

<https://sites.google.com/site/trackmlparticle/> arXiv:1904.06778 arXiv:2105.01160

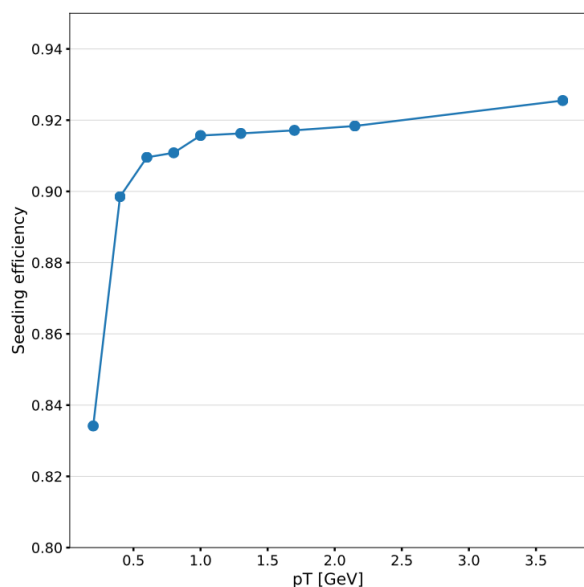
- ❑ Tracking (in particular pattern recognition) dominates reconstruction CPU time at LHC
- ❑ CPU time quadratic/exponential extrapolation (difficult to quote any number)
- ❑ Large effort within HEP to optimise software and tackle micro and macro parallelism. Not sufficient for future conditions
- ❑ >20 years of LHC tracking development. Everything has been tried?
 - Maybe no, brand new ideas from ML (i.e. Convolutional NN)
- ❑ → Tracking challenge 1st May 2018 to March 2019
- ❑ Conclusion : “ML-assisted” combinatorial tracking



Track Seeding with GNN



- Build edges between neighbour
- Then GNN trained to classify double and triplet
- High efficiency reached with subsecond computing time (also very parallelisable)
- → can be used as a filtering stage before traditional Kalman filter

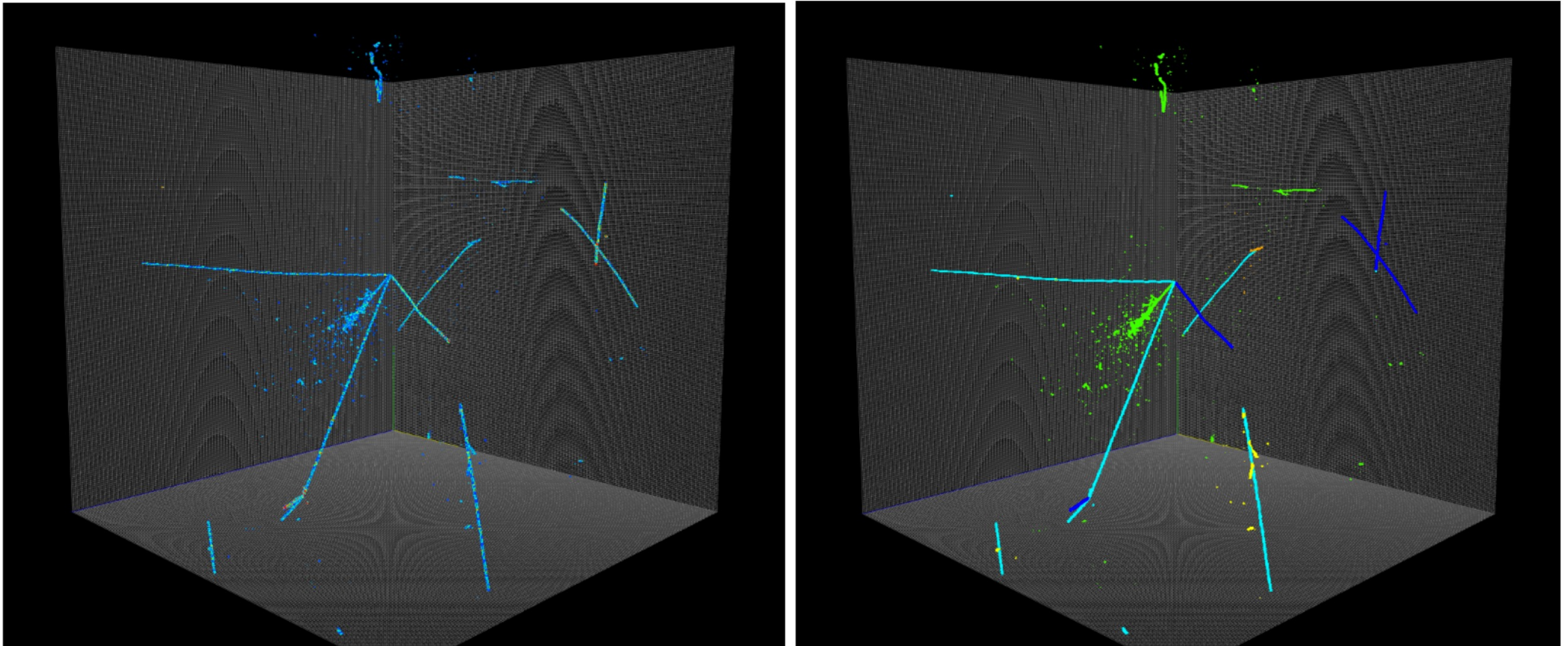


Cosmic ray in LArTPC



Simulated signal

Truth label



Full 3D information, sparse (non zero voxels $<1\%$)

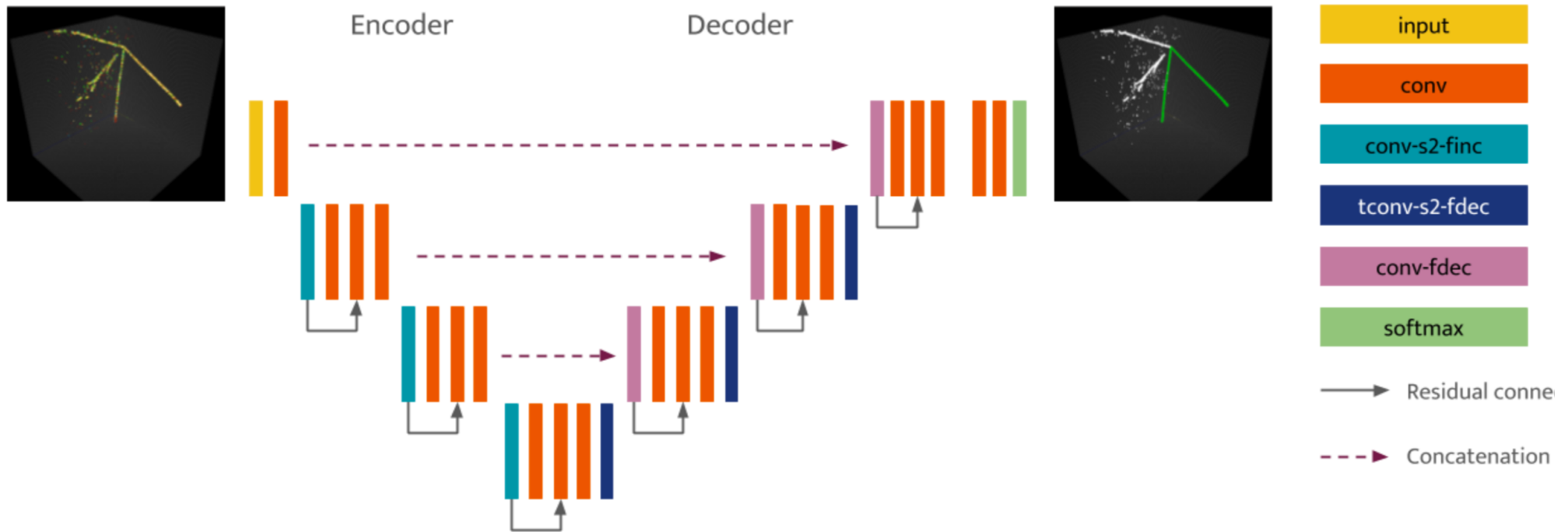
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Cosmic ray (2)



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Aparté on ML in HEP history



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NEURAL NETWORKS AND CELLULAR AUTOMATA IN EXPERIMENTAL HIGH ENERGY PHYSICS

B. DENBY

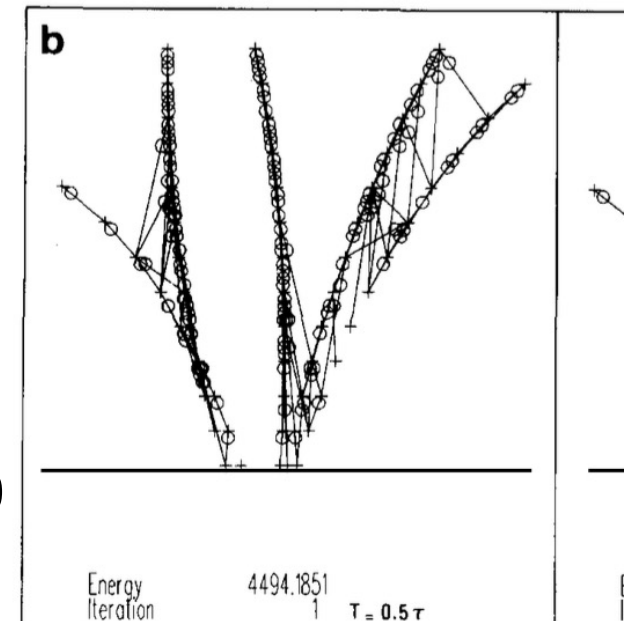
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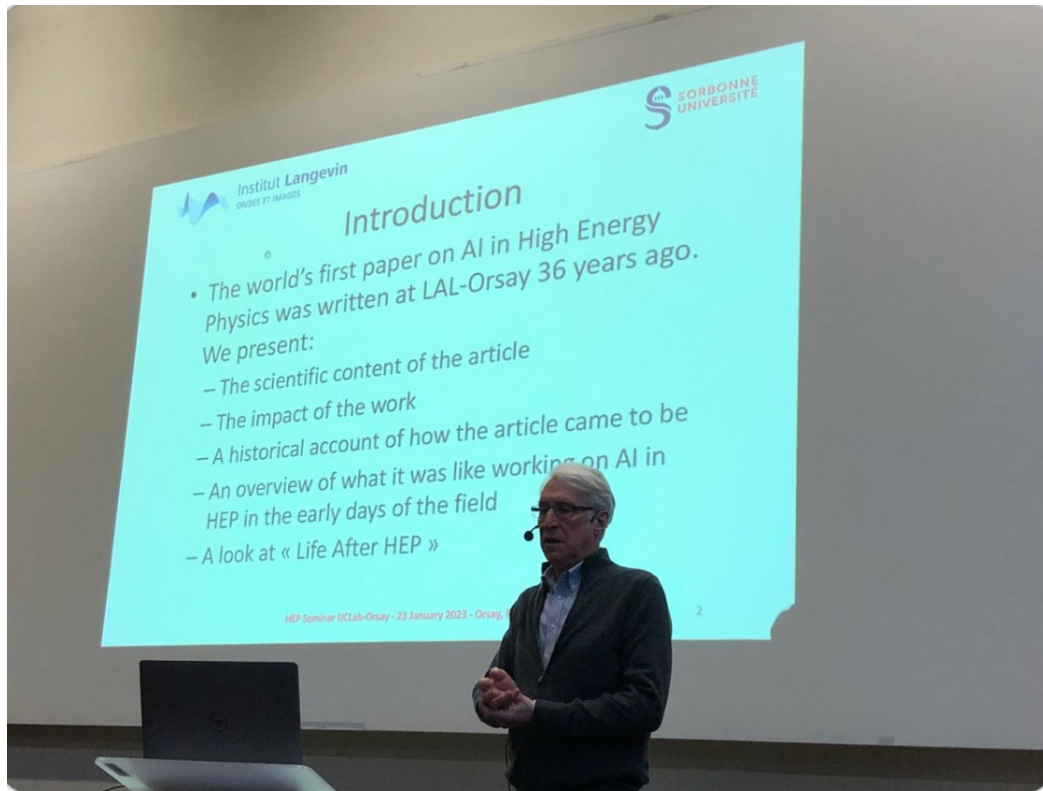
- 1987 Very first Neural Net in HEP paper known
- NN for tracking and calo clustering
- B. Denby then moved from Delphi at LEP to CDF at Tevatron. He still active outside HEP (professor at USPCI Paris): 2017 analysis of ultrasonic image of the tongue
- 1992 JetNet Carsten Peterson, Thorsteinn Rognvaldsson (Lund U.) , Leif Lonnblad (CERN) (~500 citations) really started NN use in HEP



Bruce Denby



23 Jan 2023 : Bruce Denby back at IJCLab 34 years later!



Pivotal moment



Useful to read popular science magazine!

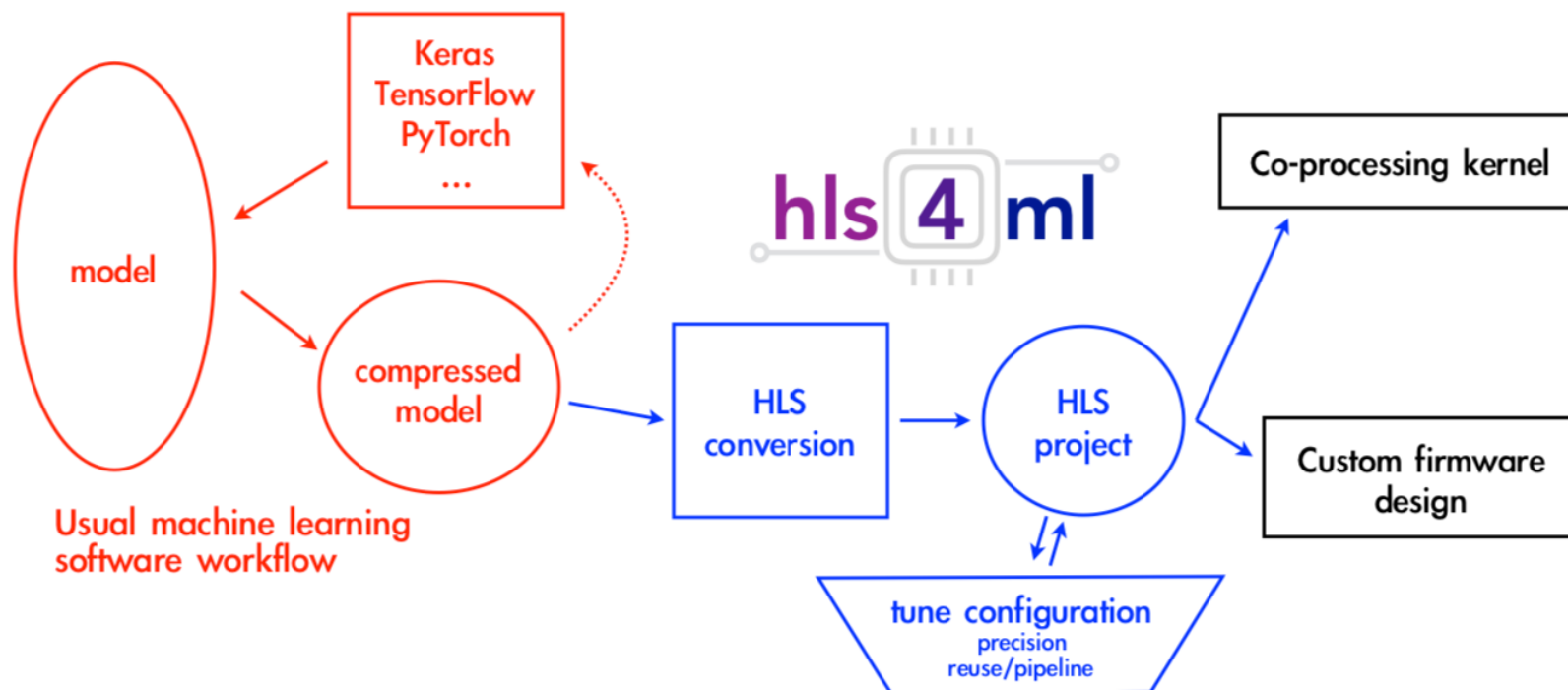
ML for trigger



ML for trigger



- ❑ Growing use of ML in triggers
- ❑ Classifiers (BDT or NN) maybe long to train but evaluation is very fast
- ❑ Can be implemented on GPU or FPGA
 - GBDT on FPGA (e.g. Yu Nakazawa, EPS-HEP 2019 conference)
 - NN on FPGA : hls4ML ([arXiv:1804.06913](https://arxiv.org/abs/1804.06913))
 - See also Sridhara Dasu's talk yesterday
- ❑ Manpower efficient, few experts can code directly for GPU or FPGA



Anomaly detection

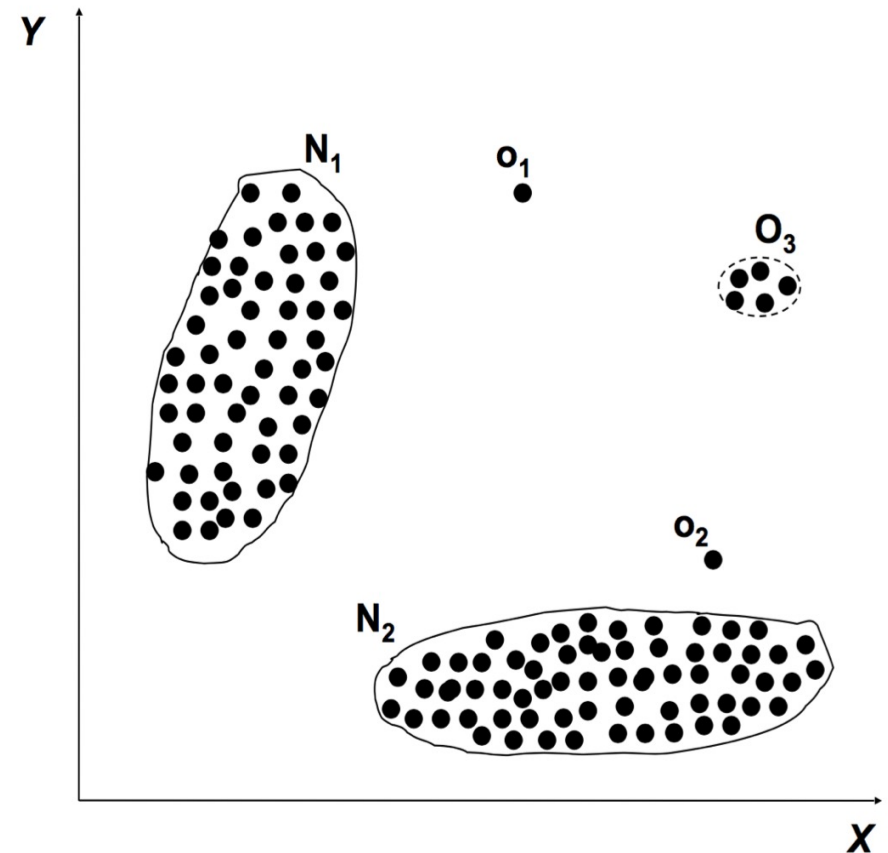


Anomaly detection



□ Three approaches:

- Supervised : model for O and N
- Semi-supervised : model for N, O is non-N
- Unsupervised : give the full data, ask the algorithm to cluster N and find the lone entries : o_1 , o_2 , O_3

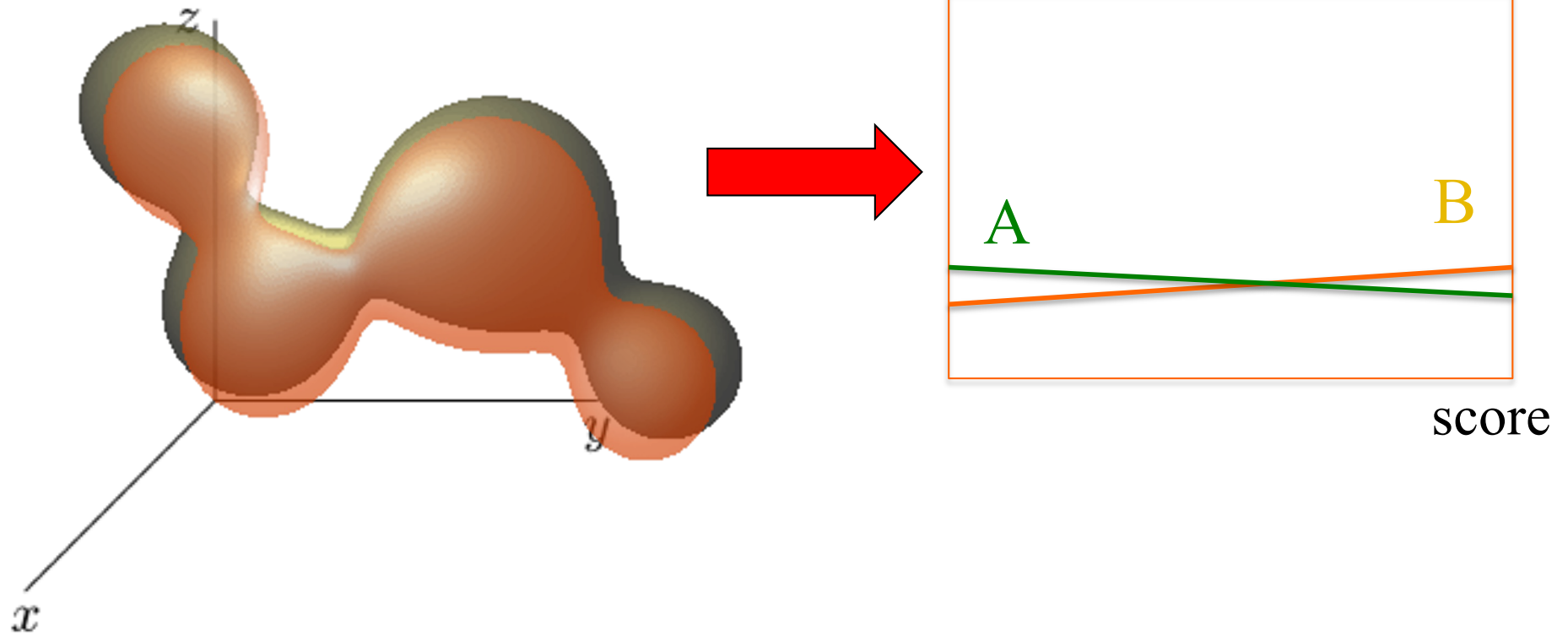


Anomaly detection: supervised



- ❑ Suppose you have two independent samples A and B, *supposedly* statistically identical. E.g. A and B could be:
 - MC prod 1, MC prod 2
 - MC generator 1, MC generator 2
 - Geant4 Release 20.X.Y, release 20.X.Z
 - Production at BNL, production at Lyon
 - Data of yesterday, Data of today
- ❑ How to verify that A and B are indeed identical ?
- ❑ Standard approach : overlay histograms of many carefully chosen variables, check for differences (e.g. KS test)
- ❑ One supervised ML approach (not the only one): ~~ask an artificial scientist~~, train your favorite classifier to distinguish A from B, histogram the score, check the difference (e.g. AUC or KS test)
 - → only one distribution to check
- ❑ Being developped for accelerator monitoring, experiment Data Quality monitoring

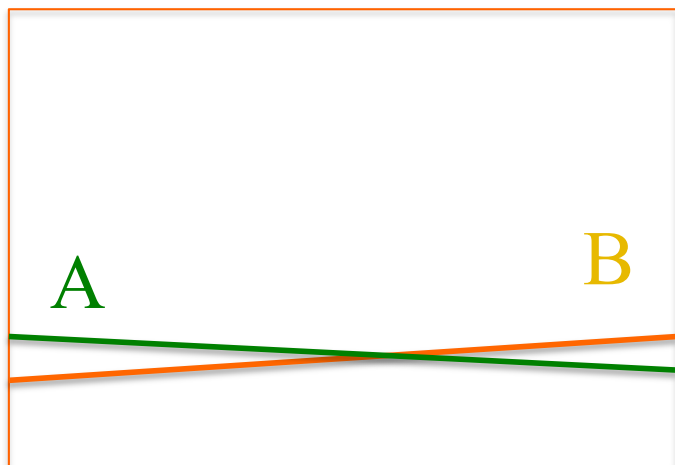
Recall what does a classifier do?



- The classifier “compresses” the two multidimensional “blobs” maximising the difference, without (ideally) any loss of information



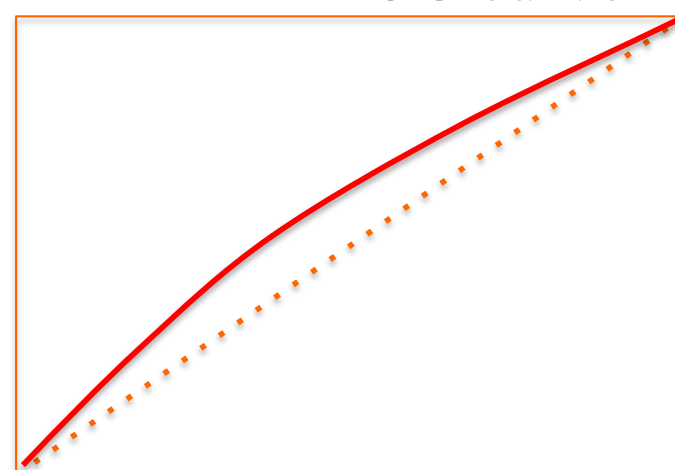
Small non-local difference



score

ϵ_A

ROC curve



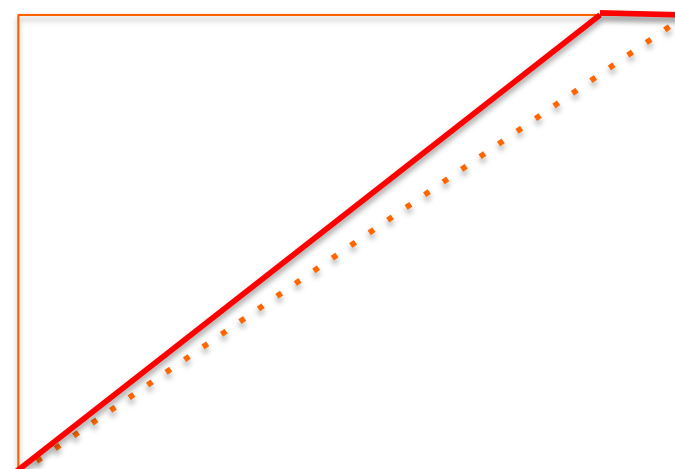
ϵ_B

Local big difference (e.g. non overlapping distribution, hole)



score

ϵ_A



ϵ_B

Anomaly Detection : Data Quality Monitoring

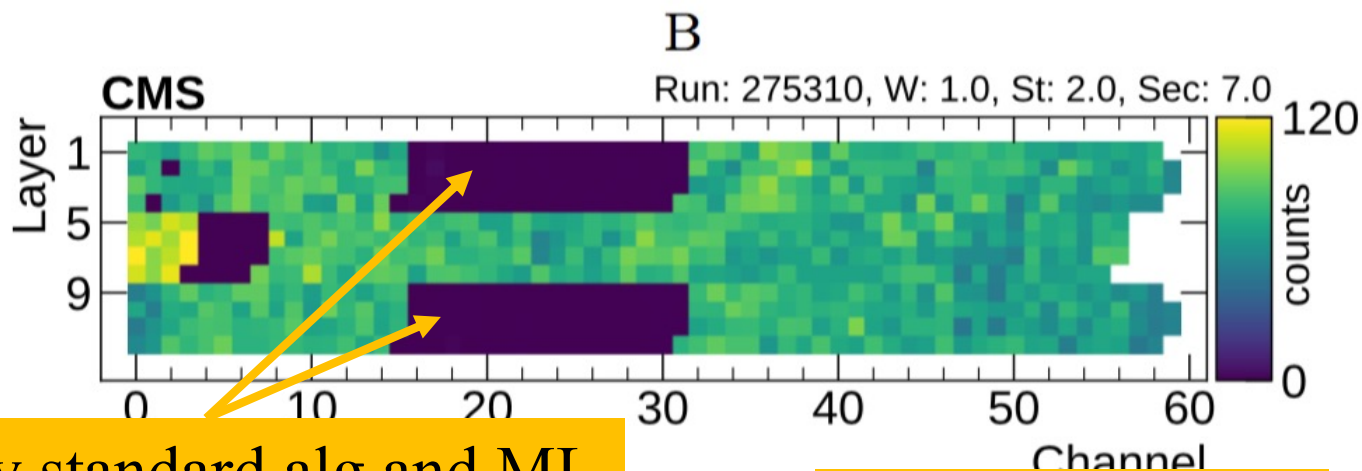


Semi-supervised: DQM application



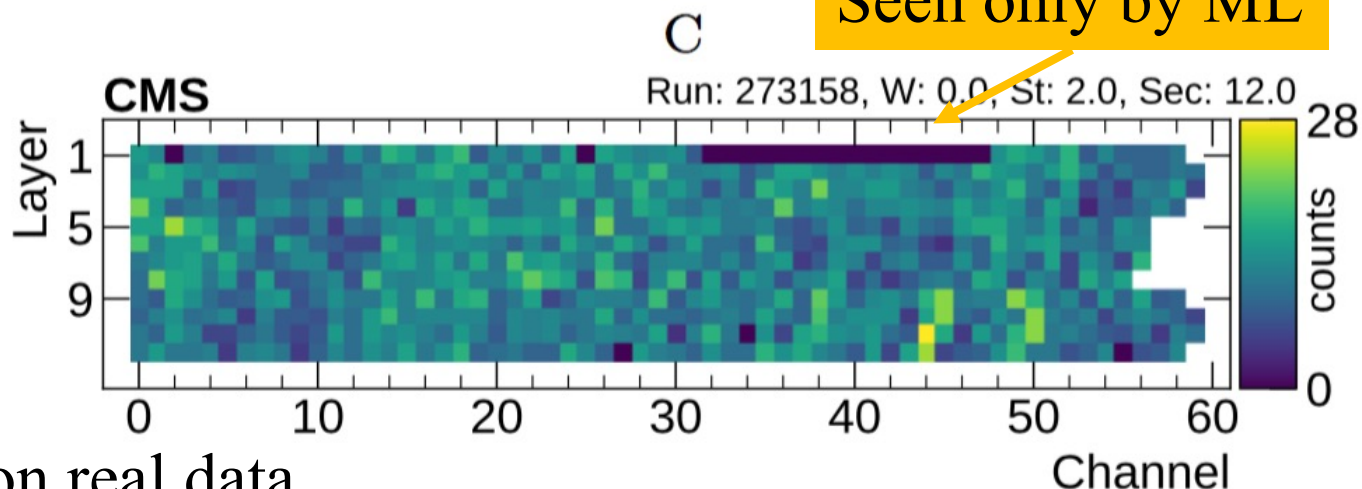
Adrian Alan Pol, CHEP 2018

- Example application CMS muon chamber monitoring (with Convolutional NN)



Seen by standard alg and ML

Seen only by ML



Demo on real data.

Application to new physics

Maurizio Pierini



End of Part 2