

Summary of Third Machine Learning in High Energy Physics Summer School

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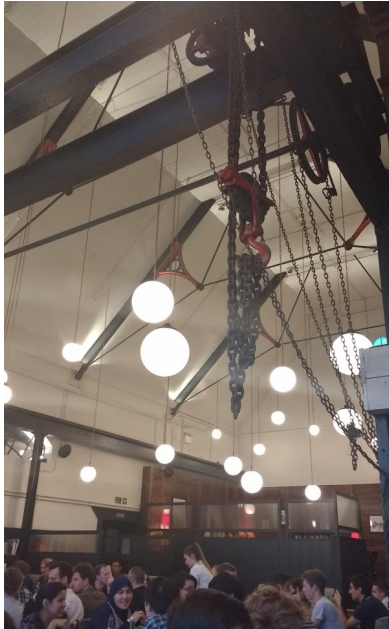
Introduction

- ▶ Third Machine Learning in High Energy Physics Summer School held at University of Reading, 17-23 July 2017
- ▶ 60 participants: PhD students and early-career postdocs
- ▶ Very broad overview of topics in machine learning
- ▶ [Indico](#) and [Github](#)
- ▶ Each day structured into lectures and hands-on sections, with topical seminars

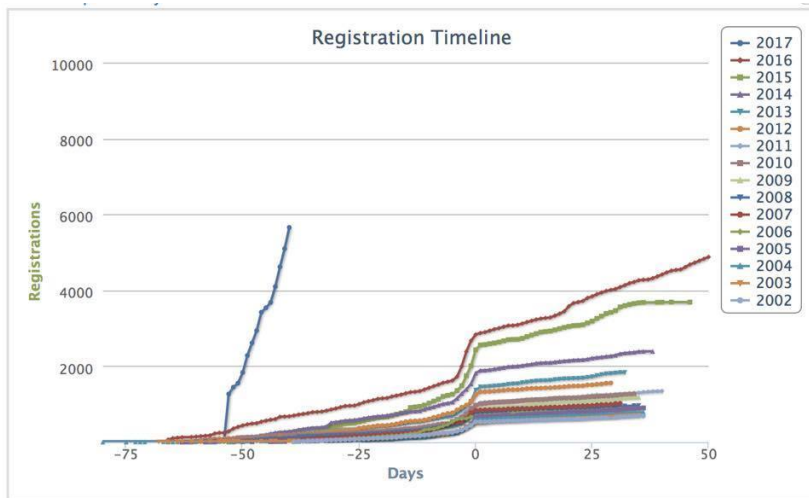
School



School Dinner at the Bel and Dragon, Reading



Machine learning - hype?



Registrations for Neural Information Processing Systems conference (0=early registration deadline) [reference](#)

Topics

- ▶ Basics: linear regression and gradient descent
- ▶ Decision trees
 - ▶ Boosting and bagging
- ▶ Neural networks
 - ▶ Convolutional NNs
 - ▶ Recurrent NNs
 - ▶ Unsupervised learning
 - ▶ Deep neural networks

Tools

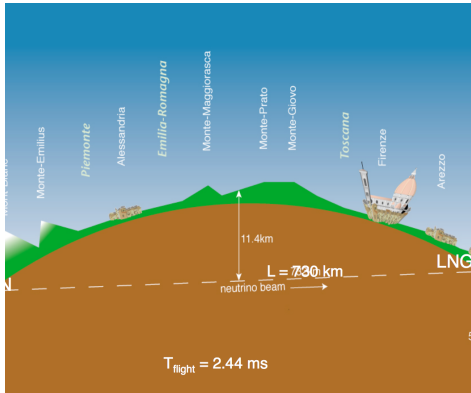


- ▶ pip, numpy, pandas, matplotlib, seaborn, jupyter, scikit-learn, keras, theano, tensorflow
- ▶ Basically, lots of python plugged together
- ▶ No ROOT/TMVA etc

Challenge

- ▶ Kaggle challenge during school
- ▶ OPERA emulsion data
- ▶ Prize: T-shirt, prestige, give talk at SHiP collaboration meeting

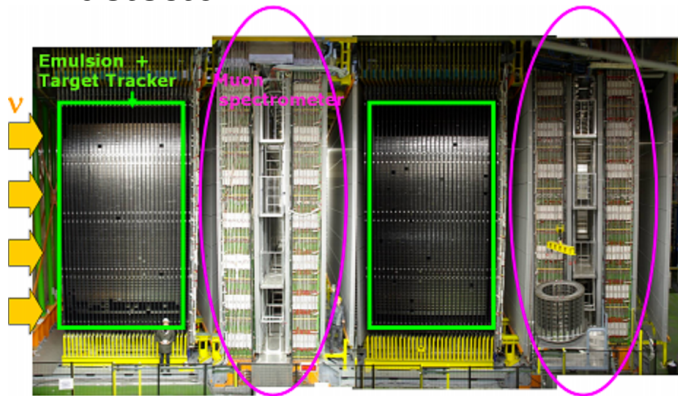
From CERN to OPERA, overview



Andrey Ustyuzhanin

- Goal: find neutrino oscillations
- Detector: photo emulsion
- Data taking: 2008-2012
- Results: $5 \nu_{\mu} \rightarrow \nu_{\tau}$ observed,
- 2015 – Nobel prize in Physics for discovery of neutrino oscillations
- <http://operaweb.lngs.infn.it>

OPERA detector



OPERA ECC brick

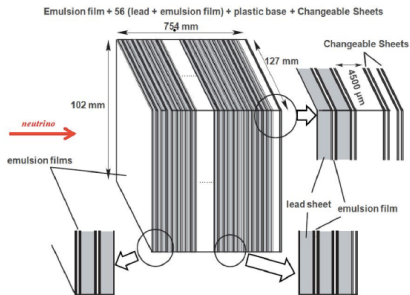
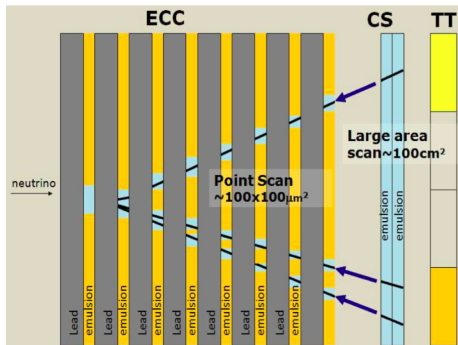
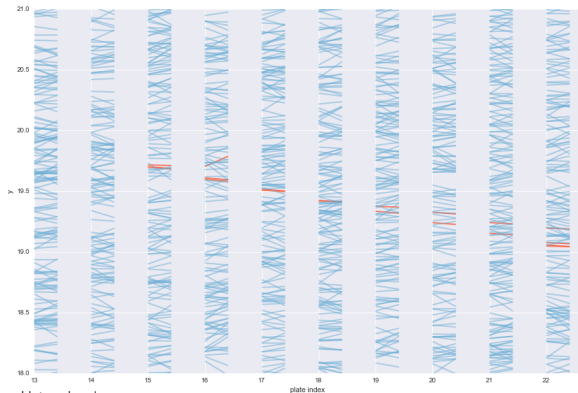


Figure 2.4 – Schematic structure of an ECC brick.



Brick structure



Andrey Ustyuzhanin

Atomic track
element: **base**track

- x,
- y,
- z,
- TX,
- TY,
- x^2

Given

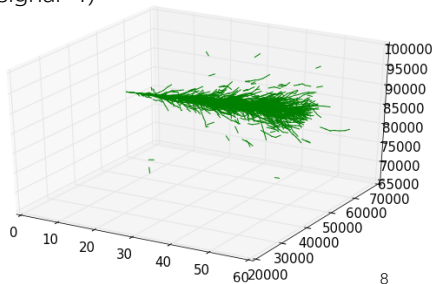
Data Background: 1 brick, $\sim 10^6$ base tracks (signal=0)

MC Signal: simulation of pure EM showers
(100 events, 10^2 - 10^3 basetracks per shower) (signal=1)

DS_1_train.csv, DS_1_test.csv,

Origin of the mother-particle is known (x, y, z,
TX, TY, \chi²)

**DS_1_electron_train.csv,
DS_1_electron_test.csv**



Challenge

Develop algorithm that can

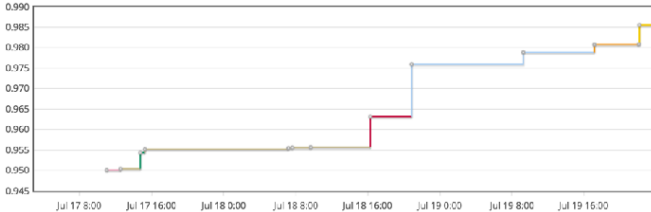
- detect electromagnetic shower basetracks within a brick basetracks (in test sample we have only description of the track (x, y, z, TX, TZ) for every track and set of mother-particles)
- Figure of Merit: ROC AUC

Hosted at: Kaggle, <https://inclass.kaggle.com/c/dark-matter-signal-search-episode-1>, requires valid account!

Competition deadline: 19-July-2017 23:59 UTC+0

Prize: memorable prizes + talk on Thursday

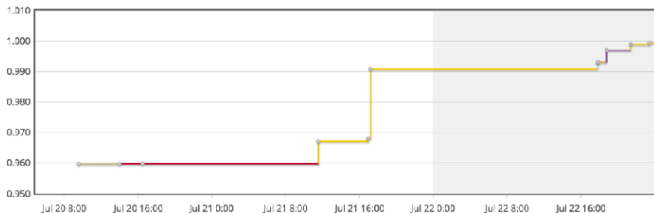
Dark Matter Search-1



69 players
13 external
~600 submissions

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1	—	Benda Xu	0.98556	3	Wed, 19 Jul 2017 22:09:06
2	—	Miha Zgubic	0.98122	23	Wed, 19 Jul 2017 22:29:42
3	—	Konstantin	0.98099	4	Wed, 19 Jul 2017 23:33:12
4	↑1	Georgy Chebanov	0.97063	5	Wed, 19 Jul 2017 02:52:52
5	↑1	Dzianis Sivets	0.96933	7	Wed, 19 Jul 2017 16:54:05 (-3.9h)

Dark Matter Search-2

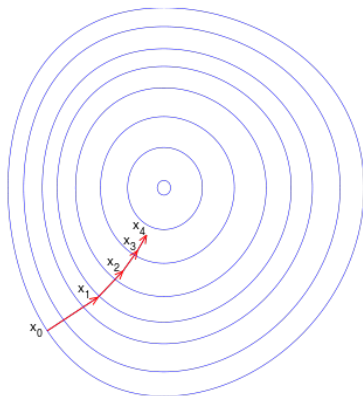
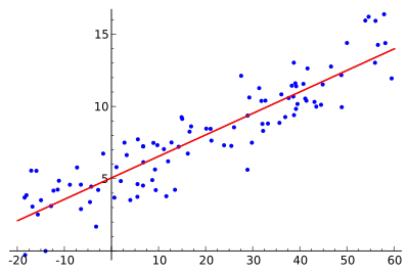


32 teams
34 players
9 external
193 submissions

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1	—	denaas	0.99927	9	Sat, 22 Jul 2017 23:26:47
2	—	Kangaroo	0.99720	5	Sat, 22 Jul 2017 23:51:31 (-0.7h)
3	—	Konstantin	0.99695	3	Sat, 22 Jul 2017 22:52:23
4	—	MZ	0.99356	8	Sat, 22 Jul 2017 23:03:56 (-0.1h)
		<ul style="list-style-type: none">Miha ZgubicAlex Mason			
5	—	JonahPhilon	0.98836	14	Sat, 22 Jul 2017 21:05:33 (-1.4h)
6	—	FraP	0.98282	7	Sat, 22 Jul 2017 23:38:37
7	—	Taka	0.97923	15	Sat, 22 Jul 2017 21:06:33 (-1.5h)
8	—	byzhang	0.97847	2	Sat, 22 Jul 2017 23:07:23

Basics: linear regression and gradient descent

- ▶ Building blocks for neural networks
- ▶ Surprisingly powerful
- ▶ Extensive literature about different gradient descent methods (stochastic, [momentum](#))

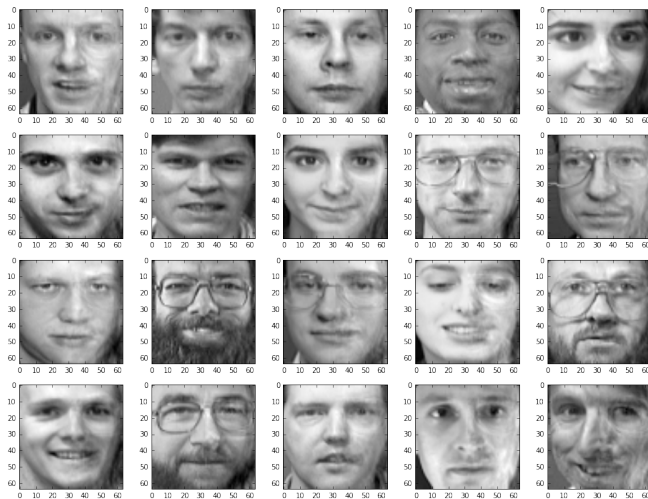


Linear regression and gradient descent for faces: demo

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git clone https://github.com/yandexdataschool/mlhep2017.git
cd mlhep2017
jupyter-notebook day1/seminar2/1.2.1\ Linear\ models\ \ (Faces\).ipynb
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Linear regression and gradient descent for faces: demo

- ▶ Using the left half of a face to predict the right half

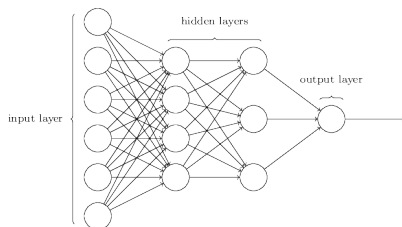


Boosted decision trees

- ▶ Covered in depth during the school, but already pervasive in HEP
- ▶ Will not discuss here



Neural networks: one-slide introduction

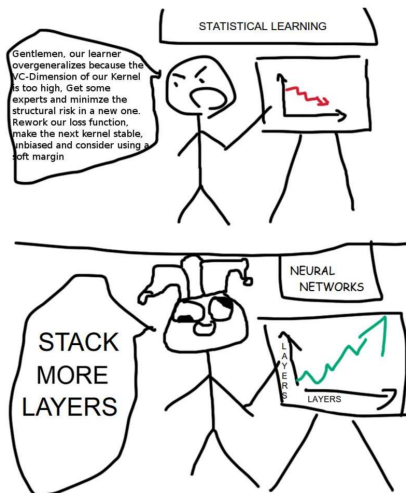


- ▶ Neuron is a real-valued function: $f(x_i) = \sigma(w_i x_i + b)$
 - ▶ x : input, w : weight, σ : activation function (tanh, sigmoid, ReLU)
- ▶ Neural network is a network of functions with one or more output discriminants
- ▶ Initialise weights randomly
- ▶ Train = changing w and b to minimise e.g. mean squared error wrt output discriminant

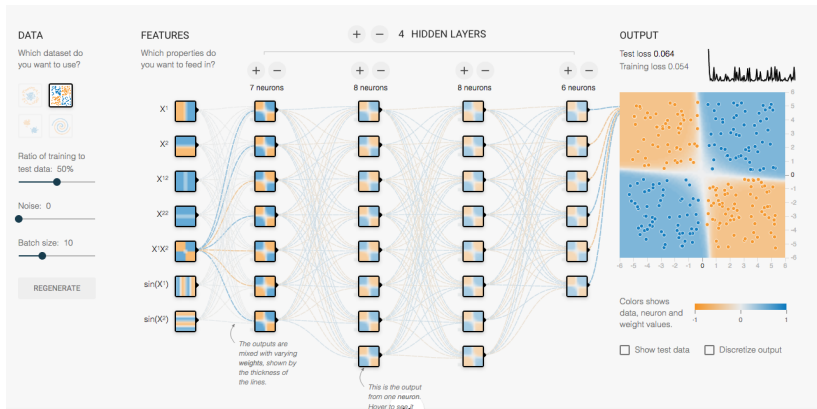
Neural networks: slightly more detail

Key choices

- ▶ Activation function
- ▶ Cost function
- ▶ Algorithm to minimise weights and biases wrt cost function
- ▶ Number of layers



Neural networks in the browser?



[Tensorflow playground](#)

Pattern recognition using pre-trained neural network

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Convolutional neural networks

- State of the art for image recognition, if you train it well

real: deer;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: deer;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



airplane
score: 1.000



real: dog;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: truck;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: deer;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: horse;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: horse;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: bird;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: automobile;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: cat;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: bird;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: deer;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: horse;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: automobile;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: deer;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: horse;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



airplane
score: 1.000



real: cat;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: deer;
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with score: 1.000



real: dog;
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real: cat;
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real: automobile;
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real: dog;
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real: bird;
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real: horse;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: bird;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: frog;
predicted: airplane
with score: 1.000



real: automobile;
predicted: airplane

real: truck;
predicted: airplane

real: truck;
predicted: airplane

real: cat;
predicted: airplane

real: truck;
predicted: airplane

real: dog;
predicted: airplane

real: deer;
predicted: airplane

Generative Adversarial Networks

Generator

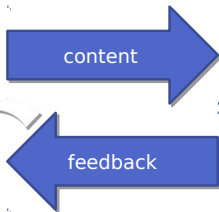


Generate image
(should be plausible)

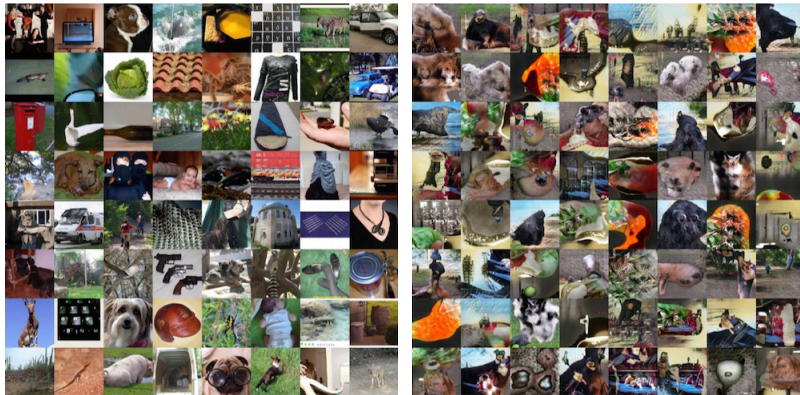
Discriminator



Tell if image is plausible
(image) \rightarrow $P(\text{fake})$



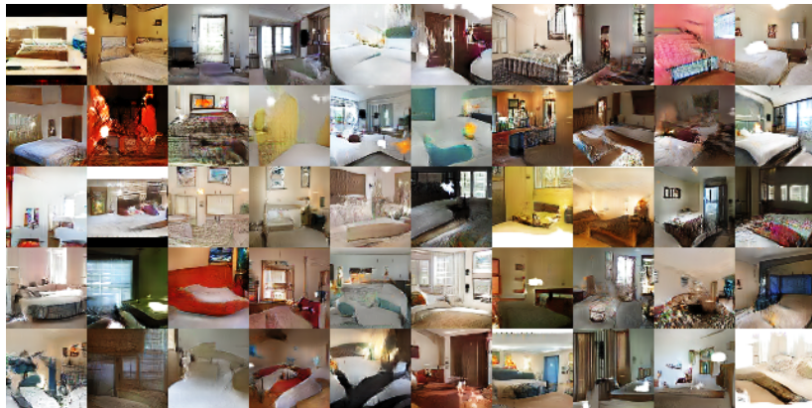
Generative adversarial networks in action



<https://blog.openai.com/generative-models/>

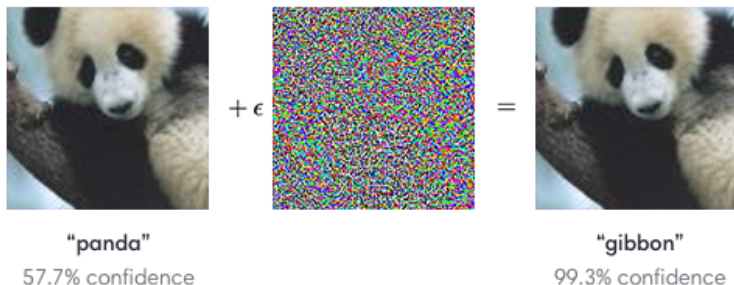
Generative adversarial networks in action

- ▶ Direct applications to event generation and detector simulation discussed in e.g. [ACAT talk](#)



Attacking with adversarial examples

- ▶ Not too relevant for HEP, but interesting for e.g. self-driving cars
- ▶ Attacker can craft an image that looks identical to a human but fools an NN



<https://blog.openai.com/adversarial-example-research/>, [arxiv:1412.6572](https://arxiv.org/abs/1412.6572)



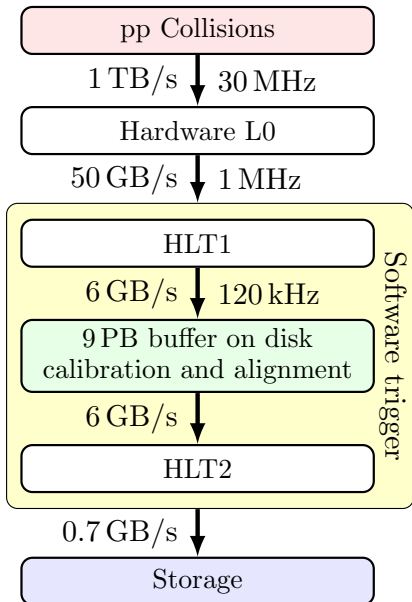
Machine Learning in the LHCb Trigger and Beyond

Mike Williams

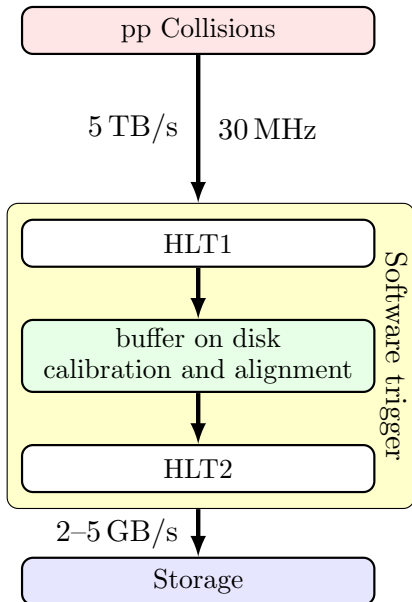
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LHCb Trigger Run 2

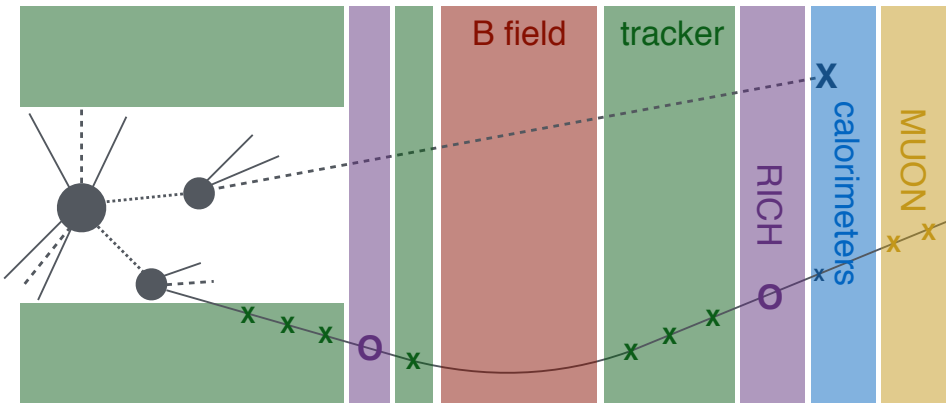


LHCb Trigger Run 3



HLT1

HLT1 has 25k physical cores (>50k logical cores) and access to all raw data, but cannot afford to do full event reconstruction. Choose to do charged-particle tracking with a threshold of $p_T > 0.5$ GeV (included PV making).

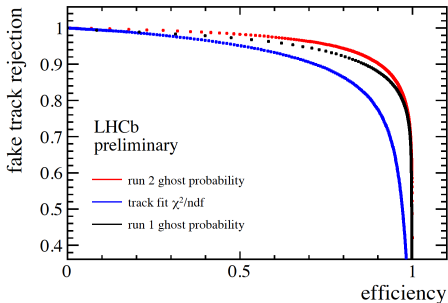
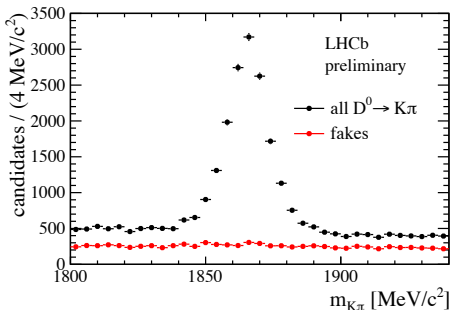


LHCb builds VELO segments first, then extends these to the next station, then beyond the B field to the final station before Kalman filtering all tracks.

Fake-Track Killer

Fake-track-killing neural network, most important features are hit multiplicities and track-segment chi2 values from tracking subsystems.

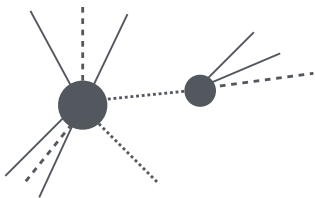
LHCb-PUB-2017-011



Run in the trigger on all tracks, so must be super fast. Use of custom activation function and highly-optimized C++ implementation (ROOT's TMVA package provides stand-alone C++ code to run the trained algorithm).

HLT1 ML Selections

About 70% of the output bandwidth from HLT1 is taken up by inclusive selections that seek to efficiently select almost any heavy flavor decay that could be of interest.

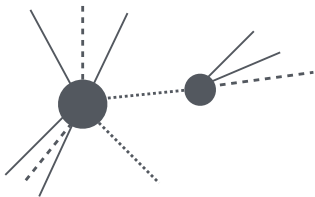


- A one-track algorithm based on the p_T and IP x^2 (track-quality criteria applied as pre-selection; there is also a version of this that only considers muons).
- A two-track (SV) algorithm based on vertex x^2 , flight distance x^2 , scalar track p_T sum, and n (small IP x^2) tracks (also has a heavy-flavor-like preselection).

The majority of the LHCb physics program uses data selected in HLT1 by these algorithms, which use MatrixNet (trained by our Yandex friends).

HLT2 Topological Trigger

About 40% of the final output bandwidth is given to inclusive selections that seek to efficiently select almost any b-hadron decay that could be of interest.

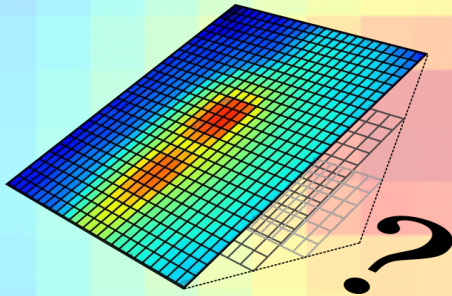


- An SV algorithm that considers 2, 3, and 4-track vertices (seeded by HLT1 ML selections).
- The ML uses corrected mass, vertex x^2 , scalar track p_T sum, flight distance x^2 , pseudorapidity (PV-SV), $\min(\text{track } p_T)$, $n(\text{small IP tracks})$, IP x^2 , $n(\text{very b-like tracks})$.
- All features are discretized in the ML for stability, robustness, etc.

V.Gligorov, MW, JINST 8 (2012) P02013.

This algorithm has run since the start of 2011, and has collected the data used by ~200 papers! It was re-tuned for Run 2 by Yandex (now based on MatrixNet, was a BDT in Run 1).

T.Likhomanenko et al [1510.00572]



Deep Learning Jet Images

Noel Dawe

MLHEP 2017
Reading, UK



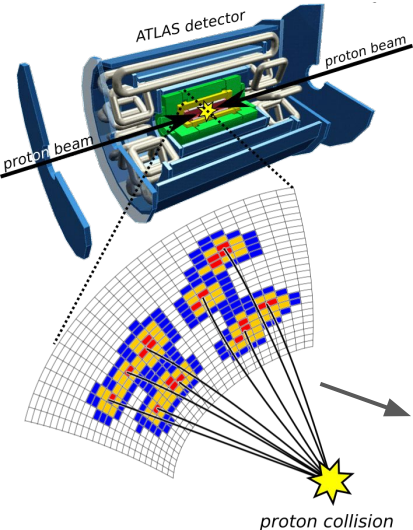
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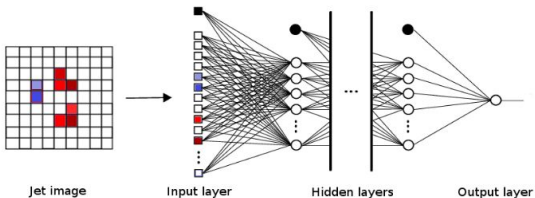
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Machine Learning Jet Substructure



Apply **deep neural networks** common in computer vision applications to distinguish different sources of jets using *“jet images”*

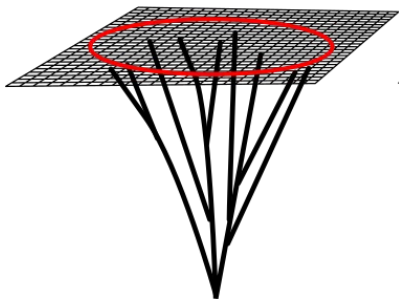


*Flattening the calorimeter
into a 2D image...*



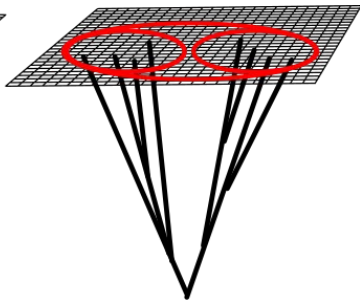
Challenge: Boosted hadronic W decays vs QCD jets

Background



QCD jet
quark/gluon

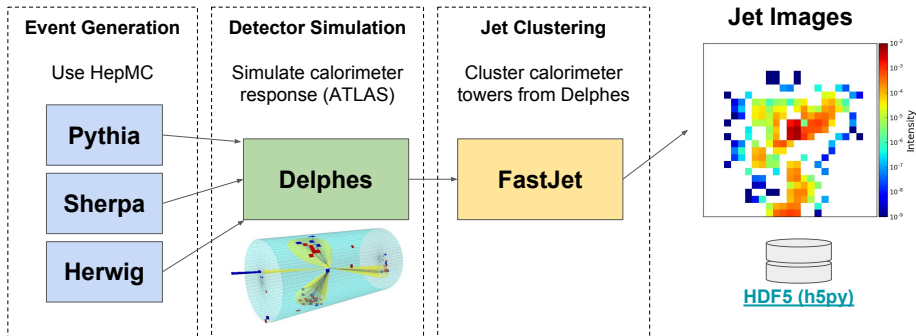
Signal



W jet

**Two subjects with
separation scaling as
 $2 m_W / p_T$**

Creating Jet Image Data



Each stage is a Python generator function that yields a numpy array

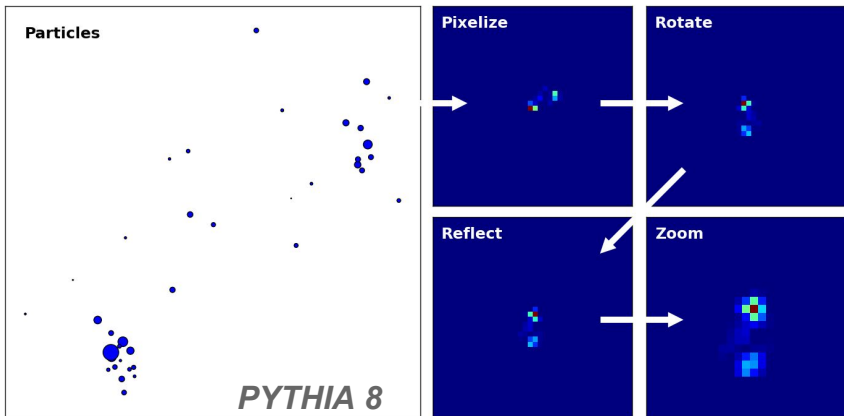
Jet images can be produced and used “on-the-fly” or saved to disk for later use

Heavy use of [Cython](#) for interfacing NumPy and the above software

See the code: <https://github.com/deepjets/deepjets>

Constructing Jet Images

- Sum transverse energy of calorimeter towers in grid of 0.1×0.1 in η - ϕ space
- Perform translations, rotations and reflections in η - ϕ space
- **Zoom the image to minimise p_T dependence**
- Crop at 25×25 pixels and normalise

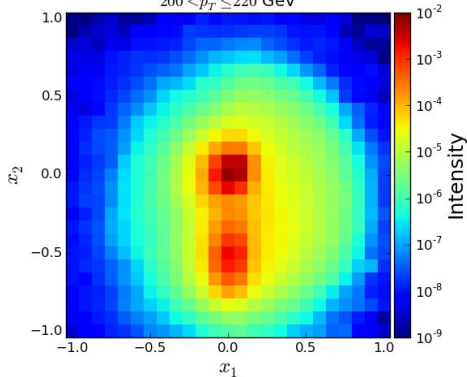



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(Images are weighted such that the p_T distribution is flat)

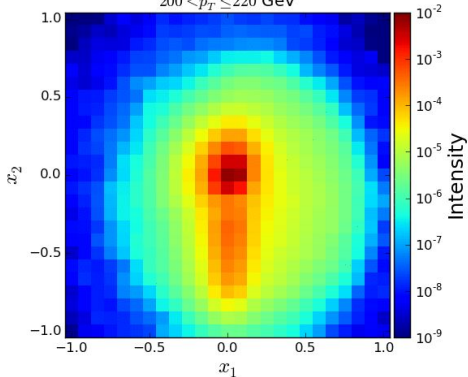
W Jets

$200 < p_T \leq 220$ GeV



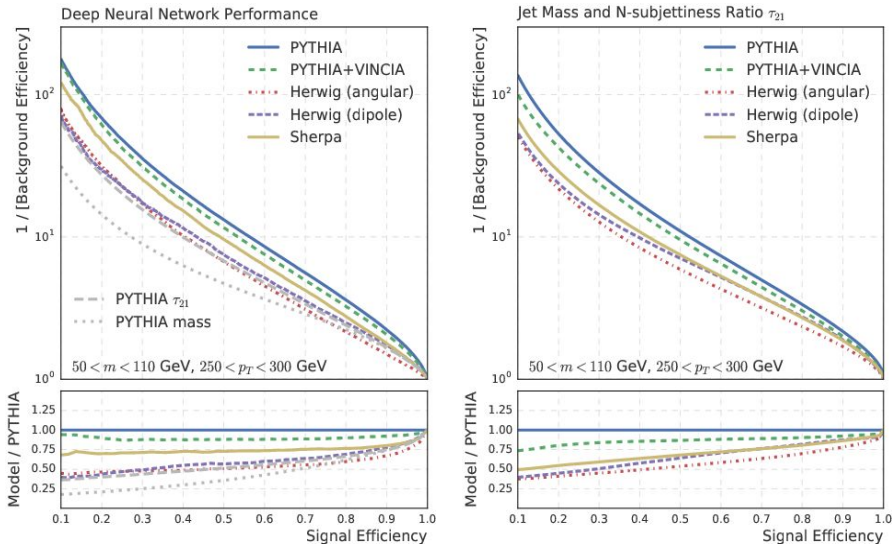
QCD Jets

$200 < p_T \leq 220$ GeV



Images zoomed by: $p_T / 2 m_W$

Comparing Generators: Network Performance



*DNN slightly outperforms traditional techniques and appears to have **uncertainties similar in size***

Do try this at home

```
ssh -X username@hepacc02.pp.rl.ac.uk  
singularity shell --nv /usr/local/scontainers/3.2.1/tf\gpu-1.2.0-cp35-cuda8-cudnn51.img  
python3.5
```

```
>>> import tensorflow as tf
```

Run e.g. [Tensorflow MNIST tutorial](#)

The slide features a dark background with glowing green geometric shapes. At the top, it reads 'NVIDIA PASCAL THE WORLD'S MOST ADVANCED GPU ARCHITECTURE'. Below this, a paragraph states: 'BeForce GTX 10-series graphics cards are powered by Pascal to deliver up to 3x the performance of previous-generation graphics cards, plus innovative new gaming technologies and breakthrough VR experiences.' Three columns of text are arranged horizontally: 'UP TO 3X FASTER PERFORMANCE', 'LATEST GAMING TECHNOLOGIES', and 'NEXT-GEN VR EXPERIENCES'. A central link reads 'LEARN MORE ABOUT PASCAL'. A small note at the bottom right says '*Up to 3X faster performance for GeForce GTX 10 Series when compared to the GTX 900 Series'. The main headline is 'IRRESPONSIBLE AMOUNT OF PERFORMANCE', followed by a paragraph: 'We packed the most raw horsepower we possibly could into this GPU. Driven by 3584 NVIDIA CUDA® cores running at 1.5GHz, TITAN X packs 11 TFLOPs of brute force. Plus it's armed with 12 GB of GDDR5X memory - one of the fastest memory technologies in the world.' At the bottom, a table compares 'GPU Architecture' (Pascal) and 'Boost Clock' (1531 MHz).

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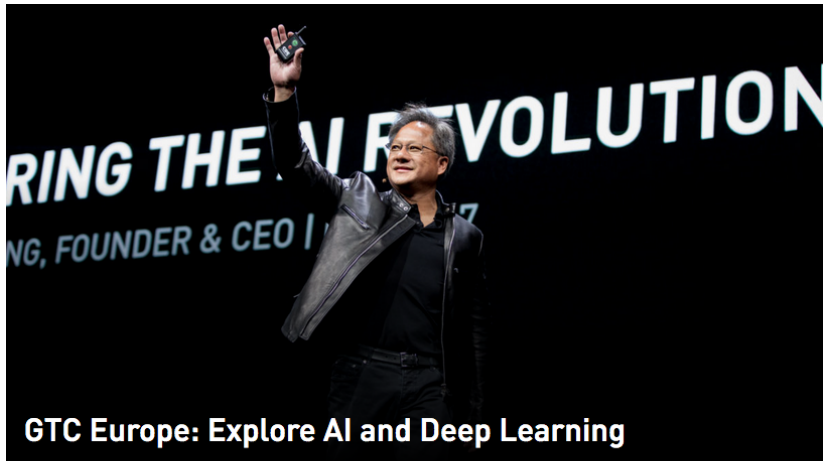
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GPU Architecture	Pascal
Frame Buffer	12 GB G5X
Memory Speed	10 Gbps
Boost Clock	1531 MHz

[Nvidia Titan X Pascal](#)



GPU-accelerated deep learning and artificial intelligence showcased at GTC Europe, Oct. 10-12 in Munich.

I am a visionary. I am a healer. I am a protector. I am a helper. I am a navigator. I am a creator.

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Conclusions

- ▶ Excellent open source toolkits and learning resources available from industry/academia
- ▶ Historically, best applications in areas where our problem domains map well onto image processing
- ▶ Promising new applications of e.g. deep neural networks, generative adversarial networks
- ▶ Need to provide convenient standard data sets if we want machine learning experts from outside HEP to work with us
- ▶ State of the art in machine learning is a moving target!