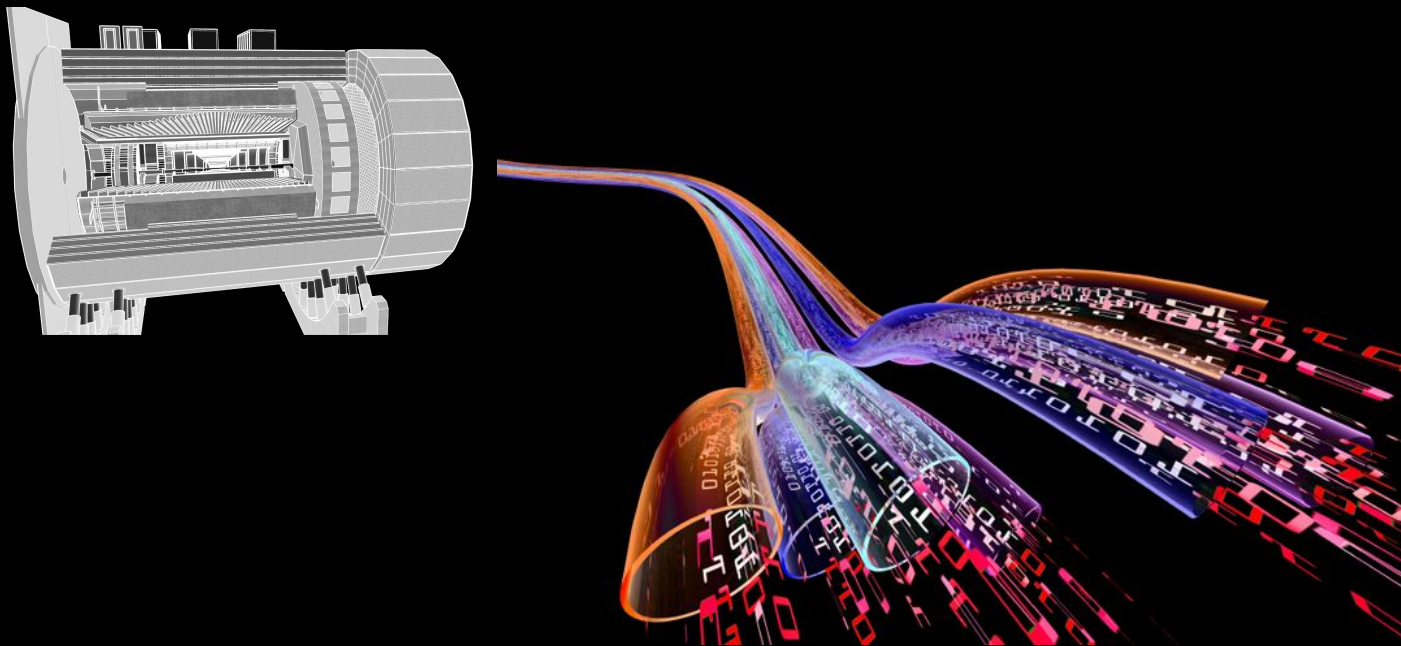


Machine Learning for High Energy (Nuclear) Physics



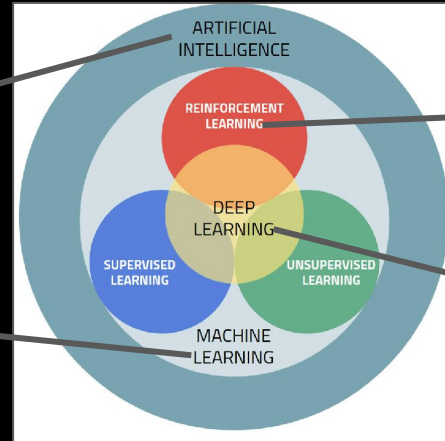
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Taxonomy

AI: The field of computer science that focuses on creating machines or software capable of intelligent behavior, emulating human cognitive functions such as learning, reasoning, problem-solving, and perception.

ML: A subset of AI that enables computers to learn from data without explicit programming

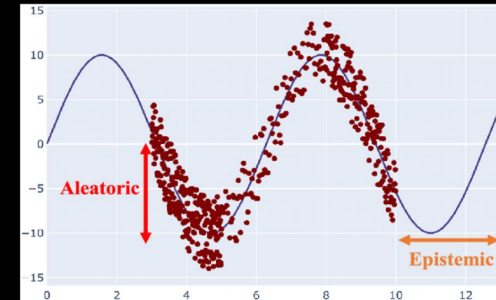


RL: Learning through trial and error, optimizing actions based on rewards

DL: A subset of ML that focuses on artificial neural networks with many layers

Uncertainty

- **Epistemic Uncertainty:** This type of uncertainty arises from a lack of knowledge which is reflected in the effectiveness of the model in describing the data. It can be reduced as more information or data becomes available, and by improving the model. It can be affected by inaccuracy.
- **Aleatoric Uncertainty:** This uncertainty is due to inherent variability or randomness in a process or system and cannot be reduced by collecting more data. For example, even if we know the probability of getting heads when flipping a fair coin, the outcome of each individual flip is still uncertain.



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Several workshops identified the scientific challenges and opportunities at the intersection between AI and high energy nuclear physics research

<https://eic.ai>

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Artificial Intelligence for the Electron Ion Collider (AI4EIC)

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Keywords: Artificial Intelligence, Deep Learning, EIC, ePIC, Machine Learning, QCD, Physics

1 Introduction

In October 2022, the second workshop on Artificial Intelligence for the Electron-Ion Collider (AI4EIC) has been held at Williams & Mary. The workshop delved into a range of active and potential application areas of AI/ML for the EIC, and it was also an opportunity to discuss some of the ongoing research activities in these areas for the recently formed ePIC Collaboration.

The event also had a strong outreach and educational component with different tutorials given by experts in AI and ML from national labs, universities, and industry as well as a backchannel satellite event during the last day of the workshop.

In Table 1 at the end of this document, we list many of the methods encountered in this work, with their respective acronyms.

As discussed in the EIC Yellow Report [1] and as further deepened during the AI4EIC workshops, AI/ML will permeate all phases of the EIC endeavor (down in Fig. 2), and will involve accelerator and detector activities.

The second AI4EIC workshop broadened the scope of its predecessor. While the initial workshop was centered on experimental applications for accelerators and detectors, the subsequent meeting pivoted towards the EIC detectors program, emphasizing applications and fostering links between theoretical and experimental aspects.



Fig. 1: EIC endeavor: A diagrammatic representation of artificial intelligence, machine learning, and deep learning is provided to facilitate readers with the corresponding acronyms utilized in the text.

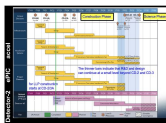
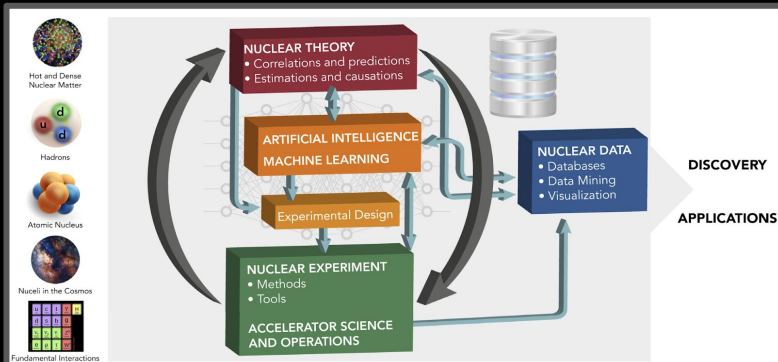


Fig. 2: EIC schedule: the Gantt chart represents different phases (design, construction, science) across various experiments (EIC, ePIC, and a potential detector-2 at EIC). Image taken from [2] and presented at October 2022.

<https://doi.org/10.1103/RevModPhys.94.031003>

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3rd AI4EIC workshop at CUA, Washington D.C.



AI/ML for ePIC and Beyond (Nov 28, morning)

- Derek Anderson (Iowa State University), Anselm Vossen (Duke University)

Calibration, Monitoring, and Experimental Control in Streaming Environments (Nov 28, afternoon)

- Yeonju Go (Brookhaven National Lab), Torri Jeske (Jefferson Lab)

AI/ML for Accelerators (Nov 29, morning)

- Kevin Brown (Brookhaven National Lab), Elena For (CERN)

AI/ML for Data Analysis and Theory (Nov 29, afternoon)

- Brandon Kriesten (Argonne National Laboratory), Vincius Mikuni (National Energy Research Scientific Computing Center)

Foundation Models and Trends in Data Science (Nov 30, morning)

- Yaohang Li (Old Dominion University), Daniel Murnane (Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory)

AI/ML in Production, Distributed ML (Nov 30, afternoon)

- David Lawrence (Jefferson Lab), Rui Zhang (UW Madison)

<https://iml-wg.github.io/HEPML-LivingReview/>

HEPML-LivingReview

A Living Review of Machine Learning for Particle Physics

Modern machine learning techniques, including deep learning, is rapidly being applied, adapted, and developed for high energy physics. The goal of this document is to provide a nearly comprehensive list of citations for those developing and applying these approaches to experimental, phenomenological, or theoretical analyses. As a living document, it will be updated as often as possible to incorporate the latest developments. A list of proper (unchanging) reviews can be found within. Papers are grouped into a small set of topics to be as useful as possible. Suggestions are most welcome.

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<https://indico.bnl.gov/event/19560/>

Key discussion points: need for more benchmarks, uncertainty quantification

Disclaimer

- ML/DL is ubiquitous in HEP and NP
- Hard to impossible to summarize multiple topics, and recent works, activities (e.g., recent AI4EIC workshop showed an impressive progress in the last year) and opportunities.
- Drawing from insights gained at the recent AI4EIC, this talk is approached from an EIC perspective, focusing on the potential synergies between the LHC and EIC. I will also make examples from LHC and present studies that use benchmark datasets from the LHC community (e.g., LHC Olympics).
- At AI4EIC, two cross-cutting needs have been underscored:
(i) Establishing Benchmarks and (ii) Uncertainty Quantification

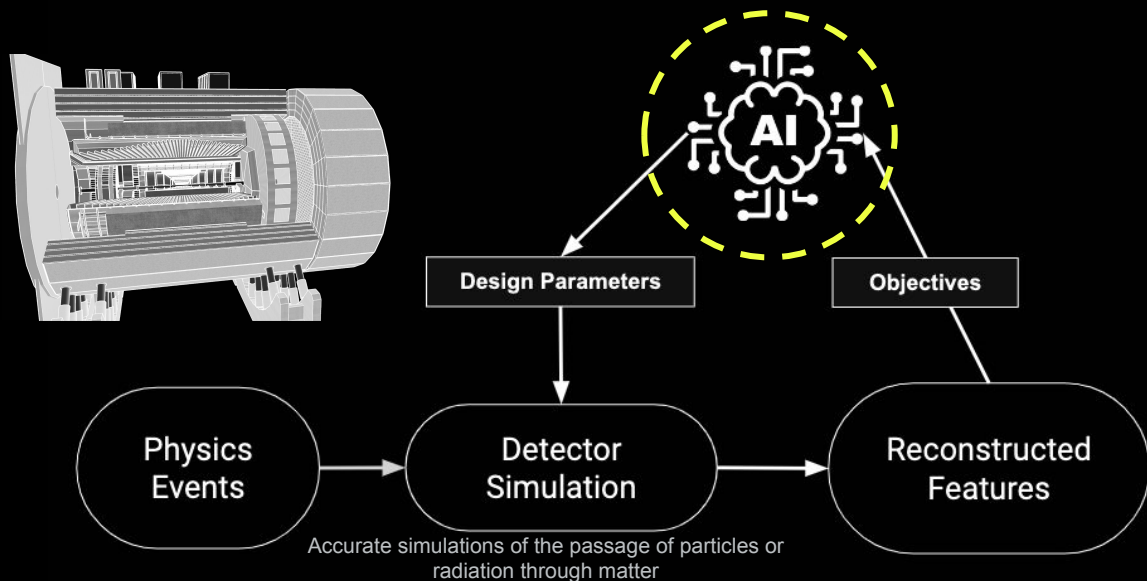
The following examples have been chosen to emphasize and explore these key topics and opportunities:

- Adaptive Experimentation / AI-assisted Optimizations
- “Holistic” analysis — full event information, and real-data
- Uncertainty Quantification (event-level) and Unfolding with Uncertainty
- Towards near real-time applications (supported by Streaming Readout)



AI-Assisted Detector Design

Hot take: every optimization problem is fundamentally a multi-objective optimization problem.



- Benefits from rapid turnaround time from simulations to analysis of high-level reconstructed observables
- The EIC SW stack offers multiple features that facilitate AI-assisted design (e.g., modularity of simulation, reconstruction, analysis, easy access to design parameters, automated checks, etc.)
- Leverages heterogeneous computing

Provide a framework for an holistic optimization of the sub-detector system
A complex problem with (i) **multiple design parameters**, driven by (ii) **multiple objectives** (e.g., detector response, physics-driven, costs) subject to (iii) **constraints**

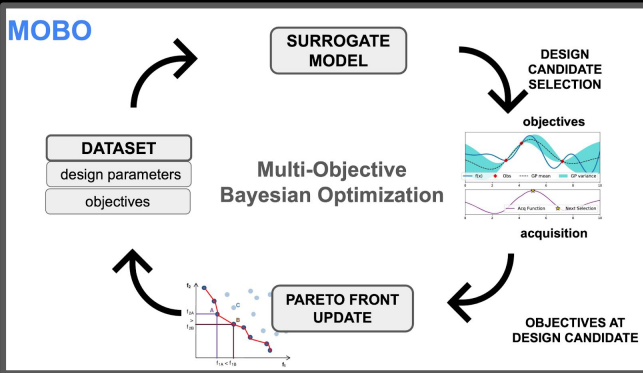
Those at EIC can be the first large-scale experiments ever realized with the assistance of AI



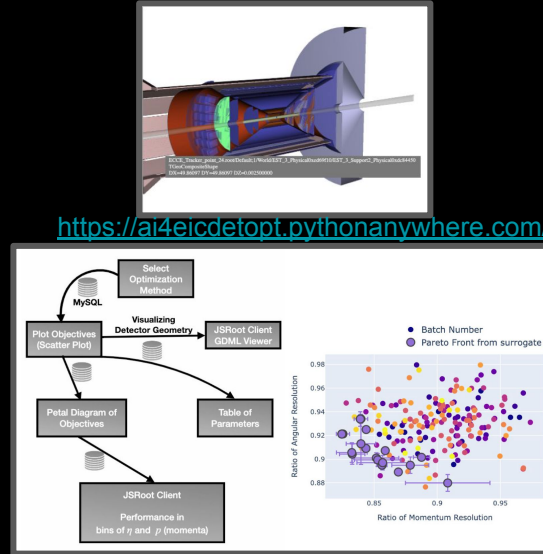
AI-Assisted Detector Design (at EIC)



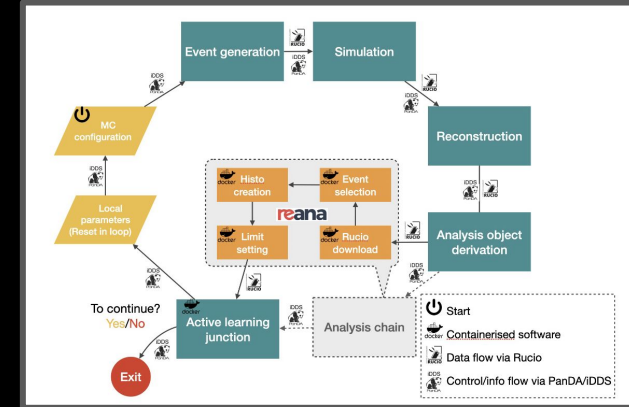
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(i) Will contribute to advance state of the art MOBO complexity to accommodate a large number of objectives and will explore usage of physics-inspired approaches



(ii) Development of suite of data science tools for interactive navigation of Pareto front (multi-dim design with multiple objectives)



(iii) Will leverage cutting-edge workload management systems capable of operating at massive data and handle complex workflows

Examining solutions on the Pareto front of EIC detectors at different values of the budget can have great cost benefits

A fractional improvement in the objectives translates to a more efficient use of beam time which will make up a majority of the cost of the EIC over its lifetime



Reconstruction/Identification

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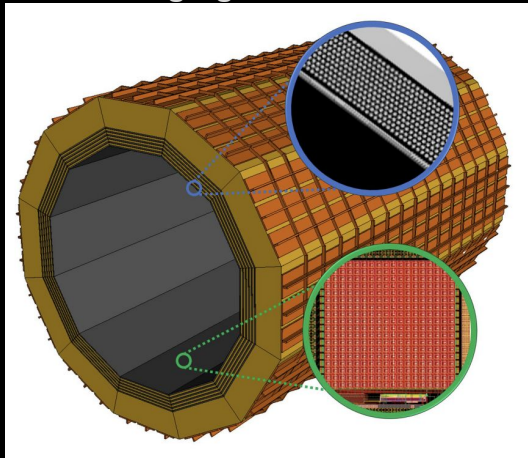
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Shower Imaging

Tracking	Calorimeter
PID detector	Jet Reco

Imaging Calorimeter



Hybrid Concept

Monolithic Silicon Sensors AstroPix

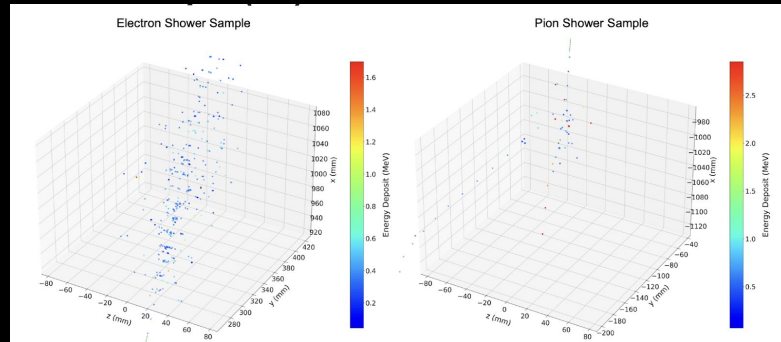
Scintillating fibers embedded in Pb (Pb/ScFi similar to GlueX Barrel Ecal)

"Sandwiched" 6 layers of AstroPix and 5 layers of Pb/ScFi (~1X0) followed by a large chunk of Pb/ScFi

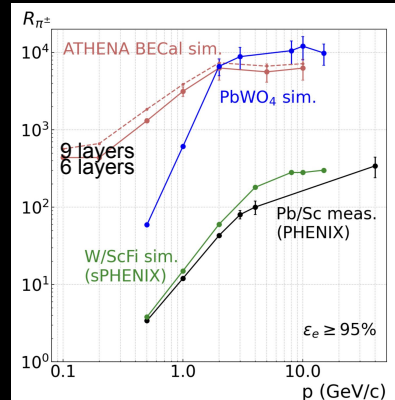
Total thickness ~43 cm (~21 X0)

Large amount of data (3D shower imaging)

shower examples



ML model: Sequential CNN + MLP



red: imaging detector and ML
blue, green and the black: other technology
and traditional cut-based strategy

ML with shower imaging significantly improves e/π rejection compared to traditional E/p cut — **impact on DIS**

Separation of γ 's from π^0 at high momenta (40 GeV/c) and precise position reconstruction of γ 's (<1 mm at 5 GeV) — **DVCS and γ physics**

Tagging final state radiative γ 's from nuclear/nucleon elastic scattering at low x to benchmark **QED internal corrections**

PID of low energy μ that curl in the barrel ECal — **J/ ψ reconstruction and TCS**

Improving PID, providing a space coordinate for **DIRC reconstruction**

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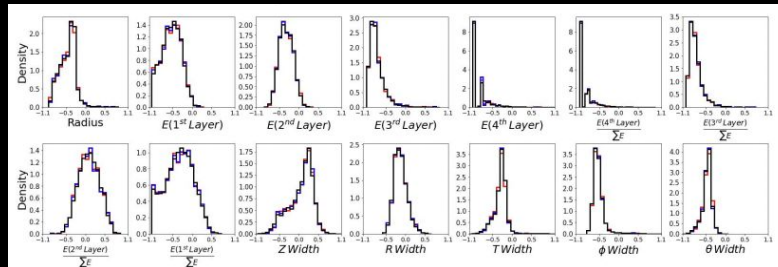
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Tracking	Colorimeter
PID-detector	Jet Reco

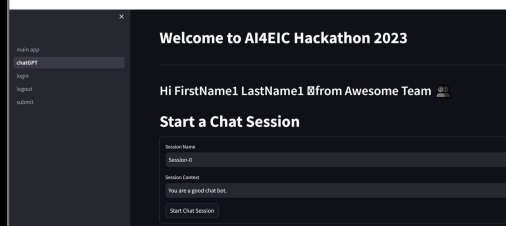
Figure 1 consists of four schematic diagrams labeled (A) through (D).
 (A) A 3D perspective view of the BCAL barrel, which is a long cylinder. The outer diameter is labeled as 390 cm, and the inner diameter is labeled as 180 cm. The label "BCAL" is placed on the side of the cylinder.
 (B) A top half cutaway of the BCAL. It shows a horizontal beamline passing through a central "30-cm target". Above the target is a "65 cm" gap, and then a blue rectangular block labeled "BCAL" with a length of "390 cm". The angle between the beamline and the top surface of the BCAL is labeled as 126° . The angle between the beamline and the bottom surface of the BCAL is labeled as 11° . The text "BCAL top half cutaway" is written below the diagram.
 (C) An end view of the BCAL, showing a circular arrangement of 48 modules. The radius from the center to the inner edge of the modules is labeled as 65 cm. The width of one module is labeled as 25 cm. The text "48 modules" and "BCAL end view" are included.
 (D) A single module end view, showing a trapezoidal shape. The top width is 11.77 cm, the bottom width is 8.51 cm, and the height is 22.46 cm. The text "single module end" and "(D)" are included.

Shower Features

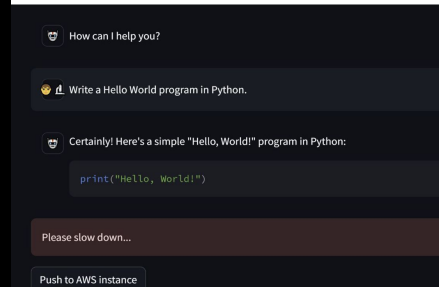


- Large Language Model prompt-engineering: write the whole code with ChatGPT

Creating a Session and Setting the Context



Pushing Code to AWS



- Participants had (basically) no access to the files, nor to the code editor
- ChatGPT-based solutions significantly outperformed (human-based) expected solutions! Beginner-level were able to submit excellent solutions

n/y GlueX/BCAL + Large Language Model

Training	Colorimeter
Model selection	Jet Reco

main app
chatGPT
login
logout
submit

AI4EIC Hackathon 2023

Welcome to the AI4EIC Hackathon 2023. Navigate to the different pages of the hackathon.

	Team#	Team Name	Username	Name of User	Q1 Score	Q2 Score	↓ Total Score
6	Team2	Jets3	hcharles	Charles Hughes	99.935	99.777	199.712
5	Team2	Jets3	aderek	Derek Anderson	99.935	99.777	199.712
4	Team2	Jets3	kdmitrii	Dmitrii Kalinkin	99.935	99.777	199.712
10	Team3	SPIN 2023 Local Organization Committee	ssimon	Simon Schneider	99.9325	99.7735	199.706
9	Team3	SPIN 2023 Local Organization Committee	mmatthew	Matthew McEneaney	99.9325	99.7735	199.706
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15	Team5	404 Brain Not Found	gsimon	Simon Gardner	99.919	99.7565	199.6755
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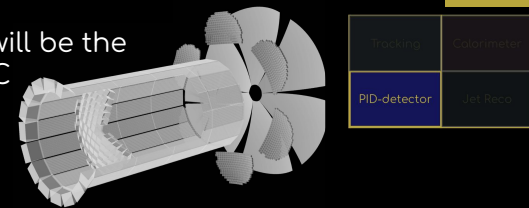
What happens when we combine physicists to LLM “assistance”:

- Great results: high performance (well beyond expectations, particularly for problem 2 with increased complexity)
- Several winners within statistical uncertainties using different approaches
- Absolute winner selected by minimum number of prompts and time of submission
- What’s next: analysis of these data/solutions

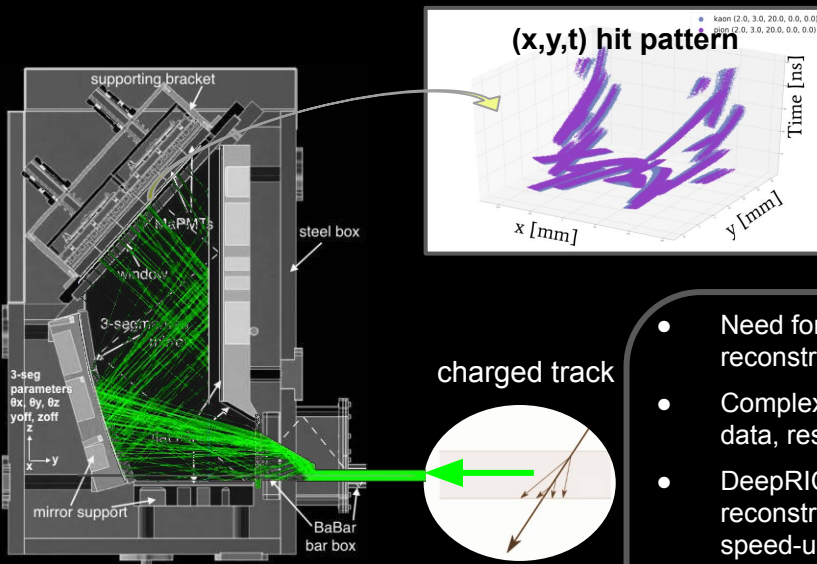


PID with Cherenkov

Cherenkov detectors will be the backbone of PID at EIC

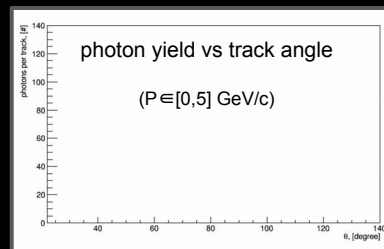
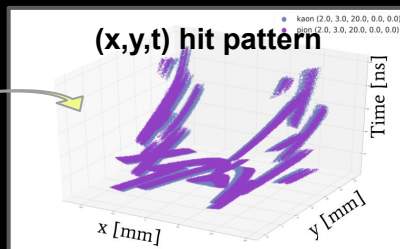


DIRC at GlueX is instrumental for PID



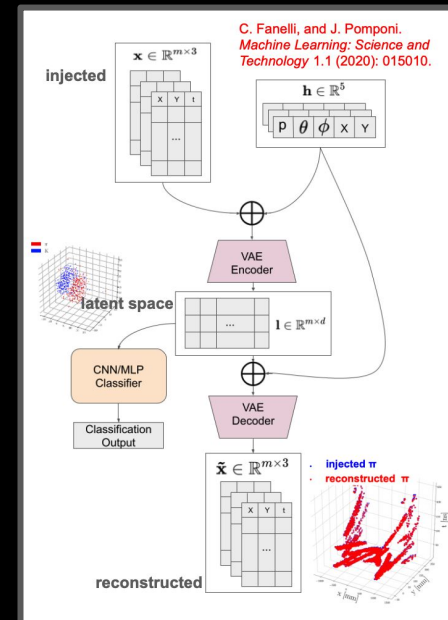
charged track

Cherenkov photons



- Need for faster and accurate simulations and reconstruction
- Complex hit patterns (DIRC is the most complex), sparse data, response vs kinematics
- DeepRICH: same reconstruction performance of best reconstruction algorithm with ~4 orders of magnitude speed-up in inference time on GPU
- Possibility to learn at the event-level (full event) rather than at the track/particle level, and using real data. E.g., two tracks with overlapping patterns in the optical box
- Bonus: fast simulation from generative models

DeepRICH



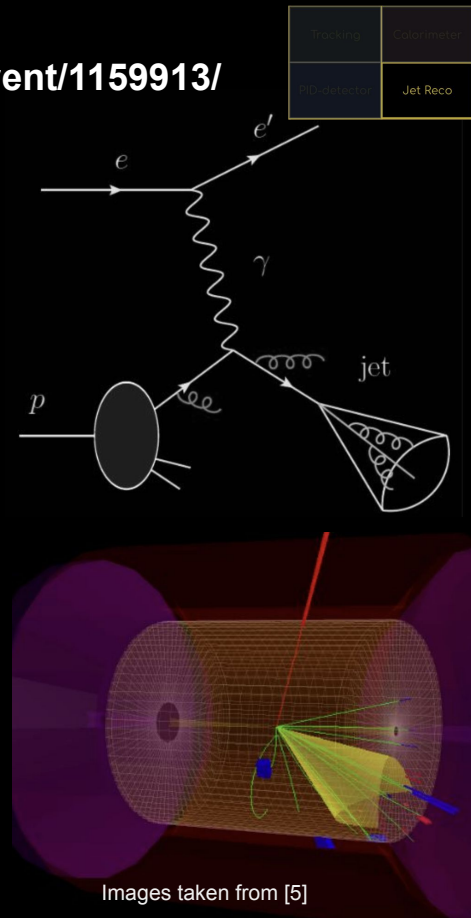
Jet Reconstruction

ML4Jets

<https://indico.cern.ch/event/1159913/>

A highly dynamic research area, with an abundance of ML/DL-based activities

- Jet classification in HEP has improved with ML/DL, especially DNN-based models in Run 2 at 13 TeV LHC [1,2]. Typical jet momenta range is $p_T \sim 100\text{-}1000$ GeV.
- The EIC, with up to 140 GeV CoM energy, will feature jets in its science program, with $p_T \sim 10\text{-}30$ GeV. **EIC jets have lower energy and increased sparsity compared to LHC.**
- In EIC context, ML/DL already “helps” determine DIS kinematic variables (see next) and extract quantum correlation functions. The key question is the improvement ML-based algorithms can offer. Due to non-perturbative modeling, biases may arise in simulated data for ML training.
- ML leverages **full event information** and can **train on experimental data** for jet flavor classification and hard process determination. This has been proposed for spin physics and nuclear matter studies [3].



Images taken from [5]

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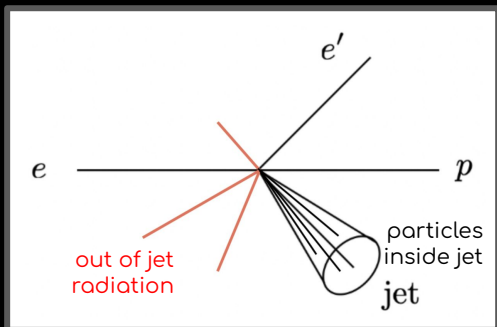
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Jet Reconstruction

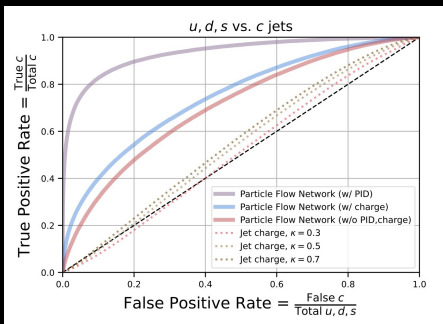
Training	Validation
Phenomena	Jet Reco



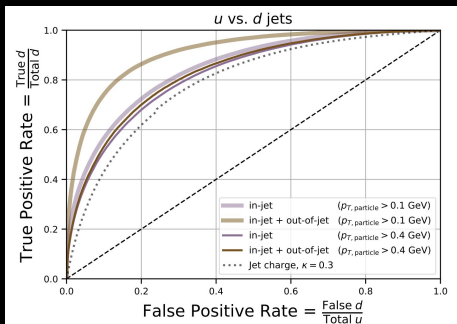
IR jet flavor definition
relevant for
non-perturbative QCD
effects

Use real data for training

ML performance vs
energy weighted jet charge



Include out-of-jet



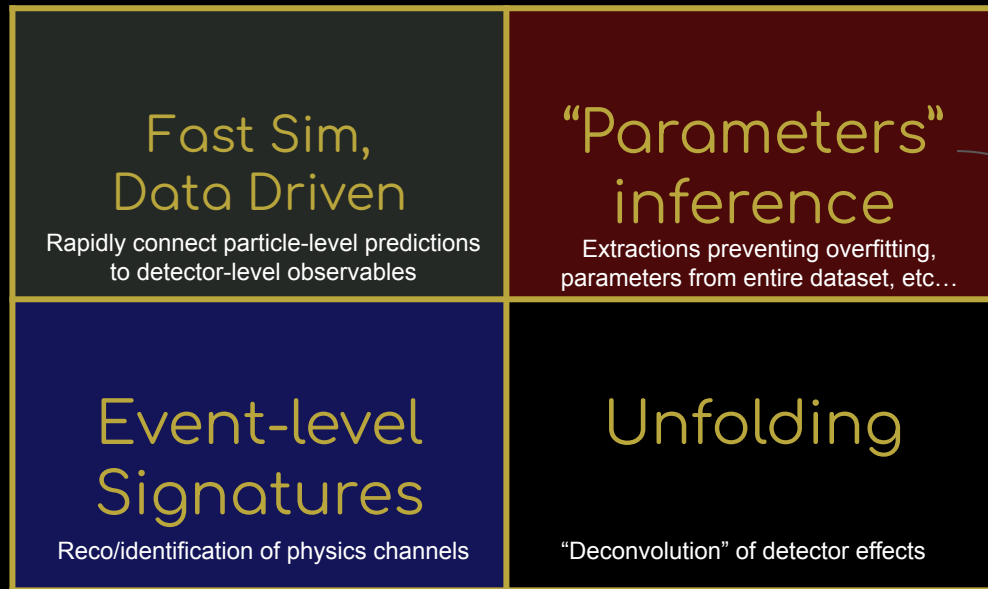
Potential impact:

- Strengthening constraints on transverse momentum dependent PDFs
 - E.g., charm-tagged jets can increase sensitivity to collinear strange quark PDF in charged current events
 - Di-jet with charm and anti-charm can constrain the gluon TMD
 - New opportunities for gluon helicity distributions, parton-in-photon PDF
- Enhancing sensitivity to transverse single spin asymmetries (TSSA) (incoming protons have different transverse spin)

$$A_{UT} = \frac{d\sigma^{\uparrow} - d\sigma^{\downarrow}}{d\sigma^{\uparrow} + d\sigma^{\downarrow}}$$
- Elucidating cold nuclear matter effects



Theory/Experiment Connections



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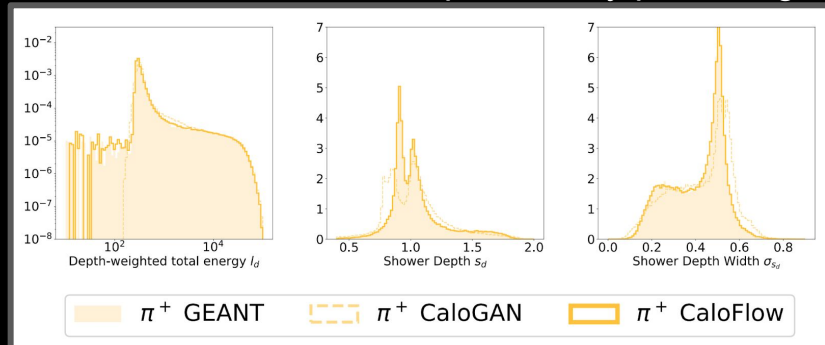
Fast Simulations

Fast, Data-driven	Control Modeling
Fast and Accurate	Fast and Accurate

- The ATLAS Collaboration in AtI Fast3 (AF3) utilizes FastCaloGAN
- Parameterized calorimeter simulation - 500x faster than Geant4 in calorimeter



- Generative models have gotten much better, flow models particularly promising



Geant4 vs. Simulations

AUC / JSD		DNN	
		vs. CALOGAN	vs. CALOFLOW
e^+	unnormalized	1.000(0) / 0.993(1)	0.847(8) / 0.345(12)
	normalized	1.000(0) / 0.997(0)	0.869(2) / 0.376(4)
γ	unnormalized	1.000(0) / 0.996(1)	0.660(6) / 0.067(4)
	normalized	1.000(0) / 0.994(1)	0.794(4) / 0.213(7)
π^+	unnormalized	1.000(0) / 0.988(1)	0.632(2) / 0.048(1)
	normalized	1.000(0) / 0.997(0)	0.751(4) / 0.148(4)

- AUC = 1 means easily distinguishable, AUC = 0.5 means not distinguishable
- JSD ~ 0 means labels are similarly distributed; JSD ~ 1 largest divergence

[1] AtI Fast3: The Next Generation of Fast Simulation in ATLAS. Comput Softw Big Sci 6, 7 (2022)

[2] AtI Fast3 ICHEP <https://cds.cern.ch/record/2815171/files/ATL-SOFT-SLIDE-2022-253.pdf>

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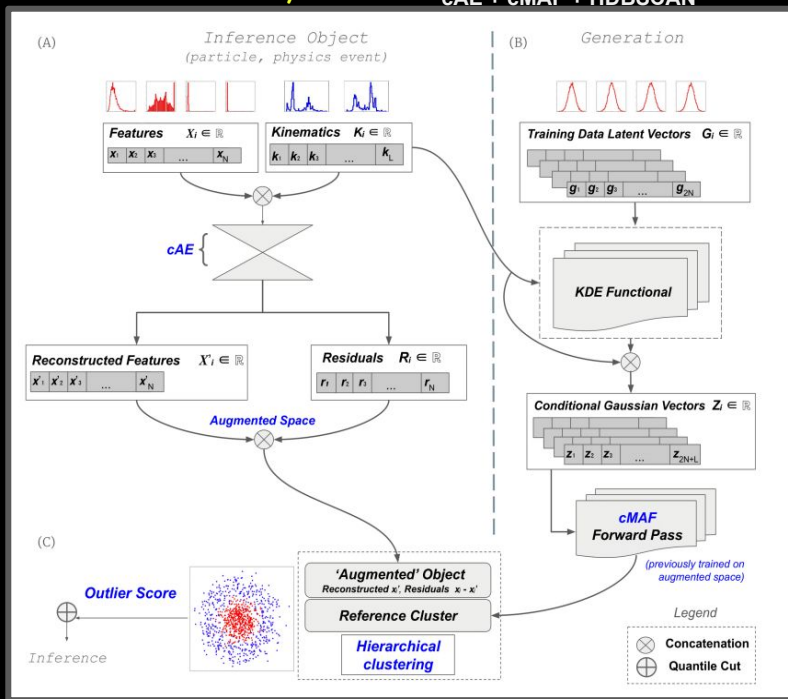
Data-driven Learning

Relies less on simulations,
e.g., one-class classification (OCC) /
anomaly-detection (AD)

Fast, Data-driven	Model-agnostic
Fast training	Fast inference

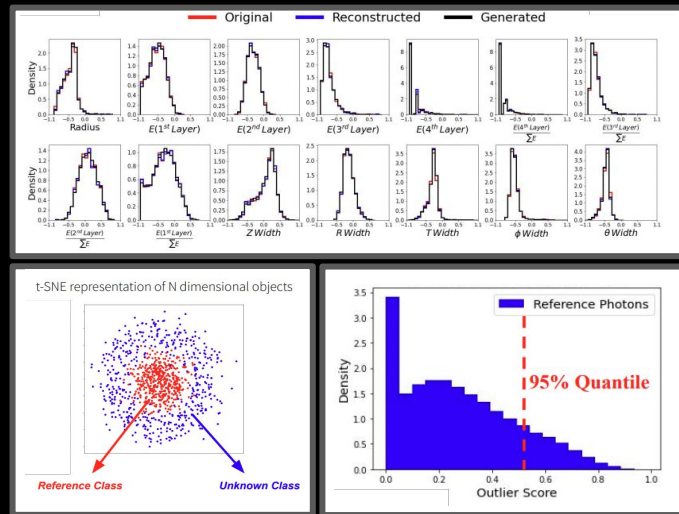
Flux+Mutability

cAE + cMAF + HDBSCAN



Agnostic to “anomalous” signal, requires one reference sample with high-purity

Generate “reference cluster” (30 dims) conditioned to some kinematics variable (e.g., measured shower energy or jet p_T)



Applied to:

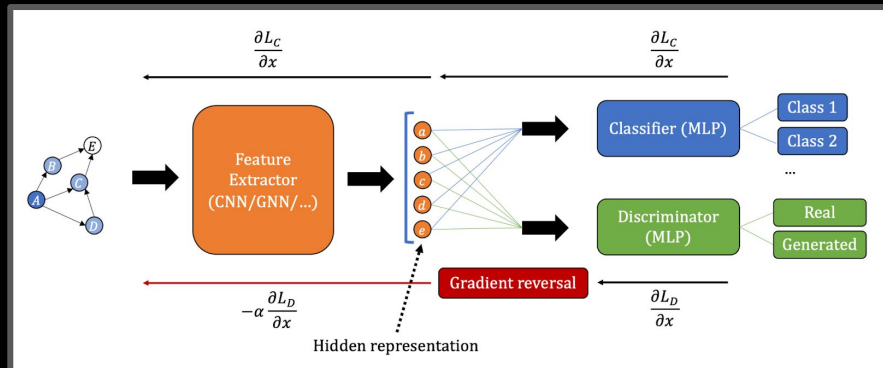
- (1) γ/n separation in BCAL (OCC);
- (2) BSM/SM Di-jet separation for LHC (AD) – outperformed or on par with other methods, but with no assumption on signal

Extensions: Data Quality Control / AD

Λ -hyperon tagging in CLAS12

Fast Sim. Data Driven Learning	Parameters inference
Event-level Signatures	Cross-sections inference

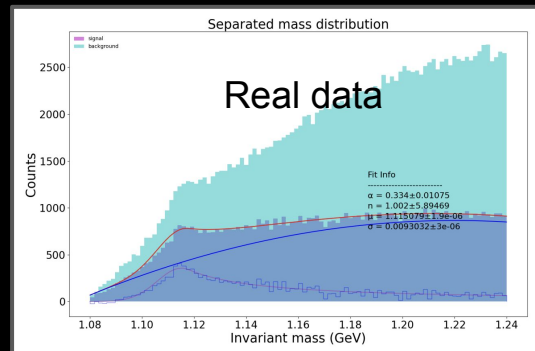
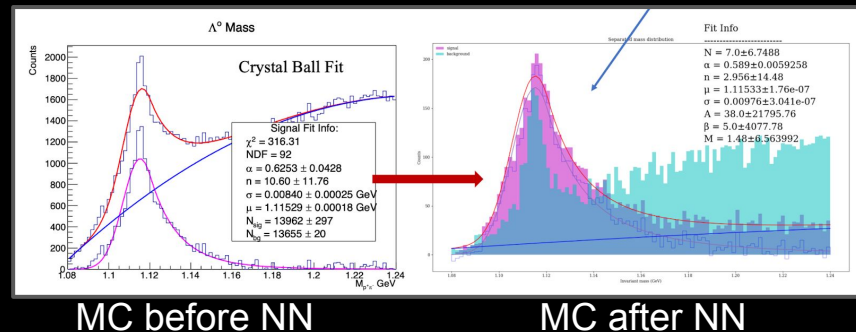
Domain-Adversarial GNN



Reverse gradient from discriminator loss during backpropagation

- MC: good accuracy >80%, 0.9 AUC, good signal efficiency with background significantly reduced
- Improved S/B on real data by ~30%. Purity improves by factor 1.8.
- Potential improvement from adding detector data as inputs. Similar studies can be used for EIC

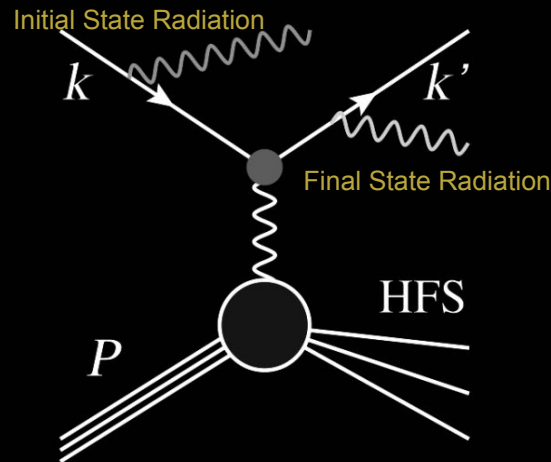
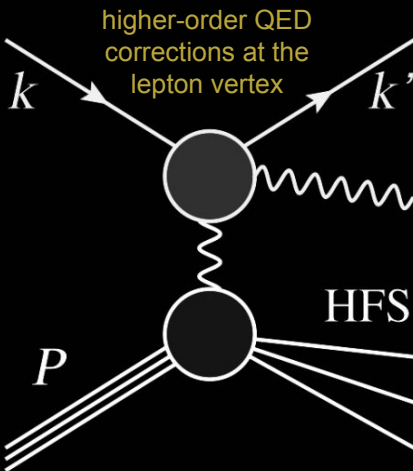
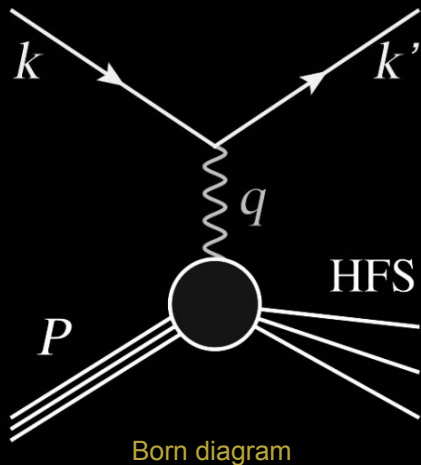
Domain-Adversarial GIN



Deep Inelastic Scattering

Fast Sim. Data-Driven Learning	"Parameters" inference
Event-level Signatures	Cross-sections inference

DIS is governed by the four-momentum transfer squared of the exchanged boson Q^2 , the inelasticity y , and the Bjorken scaling variable x .



These kinematic variables are related via $Q^2 = s \cdot x \cdot y$, where s is the square of the center-of-mass energy.

$$s = (k + P)^2, \quad Q^2 = -q^2, \quad y = \frac{q \cdot P}{k \cdot P}, \quad \text{and} \quad x = Q^2 / (s y).$$

DIS
Kinematics



DIS kinematics: Traditional Methods

Fast Sim Data-Driven Learning	Parameters inference
Event-level Signatures	Cross-sections inference

Summary of basic reconstruction methods

- Conservation of momentum and energy over constrain the DIS kinematics and leads to a freedom to calculate x , Q^2 , y from measured quantities
- Each method has advantages and disadvantages, and no single approach is optimal over the entire phase space. Each method exhibits different sensitivity to QED radiative effects
- Once (real) higher-order QED effects are considered, various methods yield different results and the calculated quantities for Q^2 , y and x are not representative for the $\gamma/Z + p$ scattering process at the hadronic vertex.

Method name	Observables	y	Q^2	$x \cdot E_p$
Electron (e)	$[E_0, E, \theta]$	$1 - \frac{\Sigma_e}{2E_0}$	$\frac{E^2 \sin^2 \theta}{1-y}$	$\frac{E(1+\cos \theta)}{2y}$
Double angle (DA) [6, 7]	$[E_0, \theta, \gamma]$	$\frac{\tan \frac{\gamma}{2}}{\tan \frac{\gamma}{2} + \tan \frac{\theta}{2}}$	$4E_0^2 \cot^2 \frac{\theta}{2} (1-y)$	$\frac{Q^2}{4E_0 y}$
Hadron (h , JB) [4]	$[E_0, \Sigma, \gamma]$	$\frac{\Sigma}{2E_0}$	$\frac{T^2}{1-y}$	$\frac{Q^2}{2\Sigma}$
ISigma ($I\Sigma$) [9]	$[E, \theta, \Sigma]$	$\frac{\Sigma}{\Sigma + \Sigma_e}$	$\frac{E^2 \sin^2 \theta}{1-y}$	$\frac{E(1+\cos \theta)}{2y}$
IDA [7]	$[E, \theta, \gamma]$	y_{DA}	$\frac{E^2 \sin^2 \theta}{1-y}$	$\frac{E(1+\cos \theta)}{2y}$
$E_0 E \Sigma$	$[E_0, E, \Sigma]$	y_h	$4E_0 E - 4E_0^2 (1-y)$	$\frac{Q^2}{2\Sigma}$
$E_0 \theta \Sigma$	$[E_0, \theta, \Sigma]$	y_h	$4E_0^2 \cot^2 \frac{\theta}{2} (1-y)$	$\frac{Q^2}{2\Sigma}$
$\theta \Sigma \gamma$ [8]	$[\theta, \Sigma, \gamma]$	y_{DA}	$\frac{T^2}{1-y}$	$\frac{Q^2}{2\Sigma}$
Double energy (A4) [7]	$[E_0, E, E_h]$	$\frac{E-E_0}{(xE_p)-E_0}$	$4E_0 y (xE_p)$	$E + E_h - E_0$
$E\Sigma T$	$[E, \Sigma, T]$	$\frac{\Sigma}{\Sigma + E \pm \sqrt{E^2 + T^2}}$	$\frac{T^2}{1-y}$	$\frac{Q^2}{2\Sigma}$
$E_0 E T$	$[E_0, E, T]$	$\frac{2E_0 - E \mp \sqrt{E^2 - T^2}}{2E_0}$	$\frac{T^2}{1-y}$	$\frac{Q^2}{4E_0 y}$
Sigma (Σ) [9]	$[E_0, E, \Sigma, \theta]$	$y_{I\Sigma}$	$Q_{I\Sigma}^2$	$\frac{Q^2}{4E_0 y}$
$e\Sigma$ ($e\Sigma$) [9]	$[E_0, E, \Sigma, \theta]$	$\frac{2E_0 \Sigma}{(\Sigma + \Sigma_e)^2}$	$2E_0 E (1 + \cos \theta)$	$\frac{E(1+\cos \theta)(\Sigma + \Sigma_e)}{2\Sigma}$

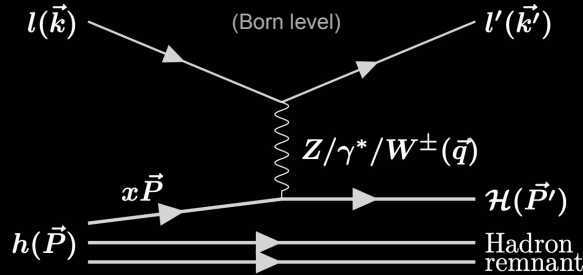
Table 1. Summary of basic reconstruction methods that employ only three out of five quantities: E_0 (electron-beam energy), E and θ (scattered electron energy and polar angle), Σ and γ (longitudinal energy-momentum balance, $\Sigma = \sum_{\text{HFS}} (E_i - p_{z,i})$, and the inclusive angle of the HFS). Alternatively, the A4 method makes use of the HFS total energy E_h . Shorthand notations are used

Table taken from Arratia et al., NIM-A 1025 (2022): 166164



Deeply Learning DIS

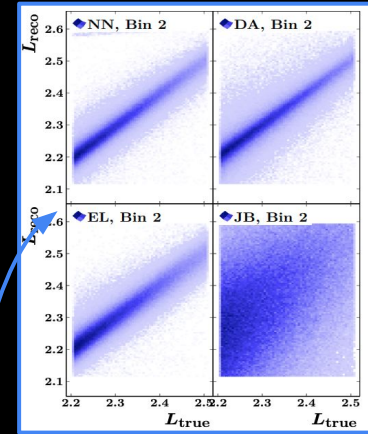
DIS fundamental process @EIC



DIS beyond the Born approximation has a complicated structure which involve QCD and QED corrections

- Use of DNN to reconstruct the kinematic observable x , Q^2 , y in the study of neutral current DIS events at ZEUS and H1 experiments at HERA.
- The performance compared to electron, Jacquet-Blondel and the double-angle methods using data-sets independent of training
- Compared to the classical reconstruction methods, the DNN-based approach enables significant improvements in the resolution of Q^2 and x

Example in one specific bin



Bin	Events	Resolution of $\log x$, $\times 10^3$		Resolution of $\log Q^2/1 \text{ GeV}^2$, $\times 10^3$	
1	301780	NN: 70	EL: 83	NN: 35	EL: 35
		JB: 180	DA: 103	JB: 203	DA: 62
2	350530	NN: 69	EL: 82	NN: 40	EL: 43
		JB: 167	DA: 96	JB: 192	DA: 64
3	138456	NN: 98	EL: 130	NN: 55	EL: 53
		JB: 138	DA: 100	JB: 150	DA: 77
4	74844	NN: 67	EL: 84	NN: 44	EL: 46
		JB: 117	DA: 77	JB: 138	DA: 63
5	31043	NN: 64	EL: 91	NN: 36	EL: 41
		JB: 102	DA: 73	JB: 117	DA: 53
6	11475	NN: 53	EL: 79	NN: 33	EL: 36
		JB: 83	DA: 61	JB: 100	DA: 45
7	3454	NN: 50	EL: 69	NN: 36	EL: 38
		JB: 74	DA: 55	JB: 93	DA: 42
8	624	NN: 36	EL: 55	NN: 33	EL: 37
		JB: 67	DA: 45	JB: 95	DA: 41

Table 4: Resolution of the reconstructed kinematic variables in bins of x and Q^2 . The resolution for x and Q^2 is defined as the RMS of the distributions $\log(x) - \log(x_{\text{true}})$ and $\log(Q^2) - \log(Q^2_{\text{true}})$ respectively.

First application of DL for regression of DIS kinematics

M. Diefenthaler, A. Farhat, A. Verbytskyi, Y Xu. "Deeply learning deep inelastic scattering kinematics." EPJ C 82.11 (2022): 1064.

Input Features

Fast Sim. Data-Driven Learning	"Parameters" inference
Event-level Signatures	Cross-sections inference

- Define variables to characterize the strength of QED radiation

$$p_T^{\text{bal}} = 1 - \frac{p_{T,e}}{T} = 1 - \frac{\Sigma_e \tan \frac{\gamma}{2}}{\Sigma \tan \frac{\theta}{2}} \quad \text{and} \quad p_z^{\text{bal}} = 1 - \frac{\Sigma_e + \Sigma}{2 E_0}.$$

Benchmark: input features and H1 MC dataset of paper NIM-A 1025 (2022): 166164*



7 features to help indicate QED radiation in the event

- The values of p_T^{bal} and p_z^{bal} .
- The energy, η , and $\Delta\phi$ of the reconstructed photon in the event that is closest to the electron-beam direction, where $\Delta\phi$ is with respect to the scattered electron.
- The sum ECAL energy within a cone of $\Delta R < 0.4$ around the scattered electron divided by the scattered-electron track momentum.
- The number of ECAL clusters within a cone of $\Delta R < 0.4$ around the scattered electron.

+ additional 8 features

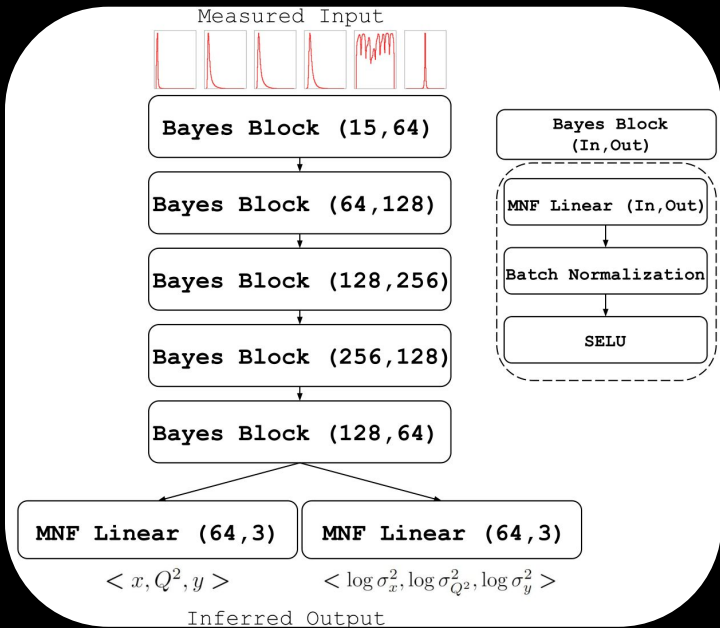
- Scattered-electron quantities $p_{T,e}$, $p_{z,e}$ and E .
- HFS four-vector quantities T , $p_{z,h}$ and E_h .
- $\Delta\phi(e, h)$ between the scattered electron and the HFS momentum vector.
- The difference $\Sigma_e - \Sigma$.

Tot. 15 input features

Dataset	Training Events	Validation Events	Testing Events	Size on Disk
H1	8.7×10^6	1.9×10^6	1.9×10^6	8 GB

*M. Arratia, D. Britzger, O. Long, B. Nachman, et al., "Reconstructing the kinematics of deep inelastic scattering with deep learning", NIM-A 1025 (2022): 166164





$$\mathcal{L}_{Tot.} = \mathcal{L}_{Reg.} + \gamma \mathcal{L}_{Phys.} + \beta \mathcal{L}_{NF.}$$

Learn the Posterior over the weights

$$\mathcal{L}_{MNF.} = \mathbb{E}_{q(\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{z}_T)} [-KL(q(\mathbf{W}|\mathbf{z}_{T_f})||p(\mathbf{W})) + \log r(\mathbf{z}_{T_f}|\mathbf{W}) - \log q(\mathbf{z}_{T_f})]$$

Access epistemic (systematic) uncertainty through sampling MNF [1] layers

Learn the regression transformation

$$\mathcal{L}_{Reg.} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_i \sum_j \frac{1}{2} (e^{-s_j} \|\mathbf{v}_j - \hat{\mathbf{v}}_j\|^2 + s_j), \quad s_j = \log \sigma_j^2$$

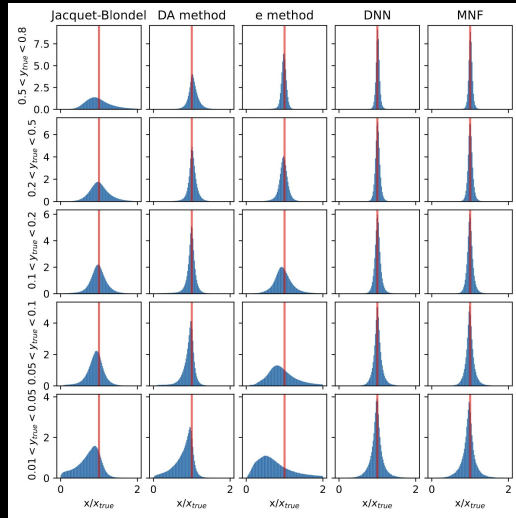
Access aleatoric (statistical) as a function of regressed output [2]

Constrain the physics

$$\mathcal{L}_{Phys.} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_i \log \hat{Q}_i^2 - (\log s_i + \log \hat{x}_i + \log \hat{y}_i)$$

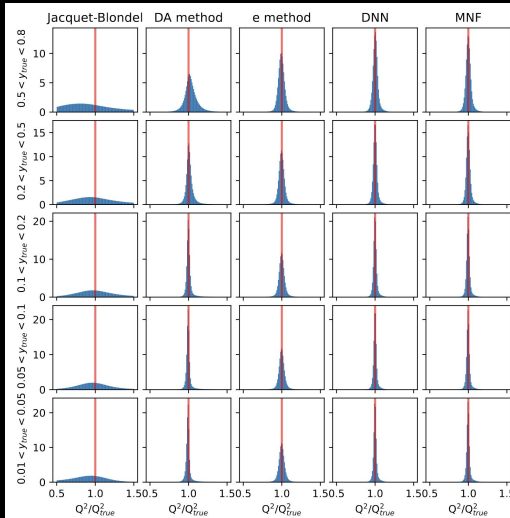


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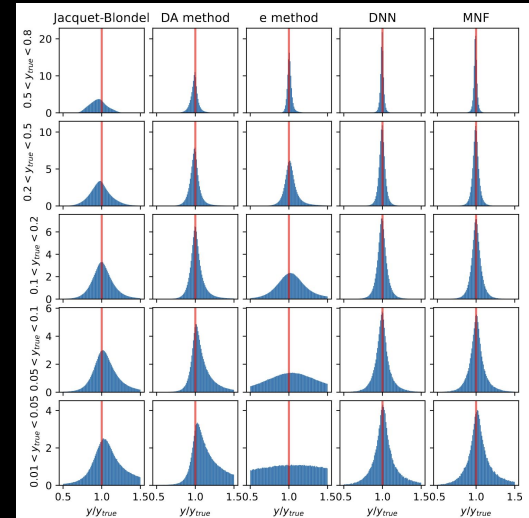
Y Bin	DA Method	DNN RMS	Aleatoric
(0.5, 0.8)	0.147955	0.061922	0.057942
(0.2, 0.5)	0.134833	0.075418	0.061706
(0.1, 0.2)	0.145530	0.097903	0.071238
(0.05, 0.1)	0.175290	0.132783	0.082945
(0.01, 0.05)	0.252723	0.184589	0.115453

Table 2: Aleatoric RMS Comparisons - X



Y Bin	e Method	DNN RMS	Aleatoric
(0.5, 0.8)	0.056694	0.044052	0.041349
(0.2, 0.5)	0.055787	0.037505	0.032280
(0.1, 0.2)	0.054219	0.033230	0.029640
(0.05, 0.1)	0.053403	0.032501	0.029411
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Table 3: Aleatoric RMS Comparison - Q²



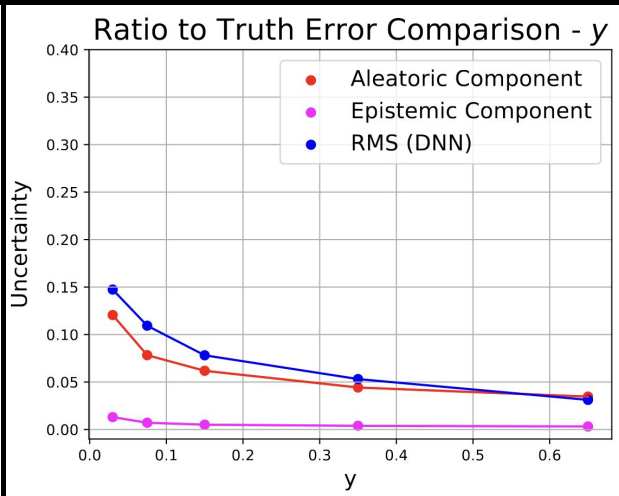
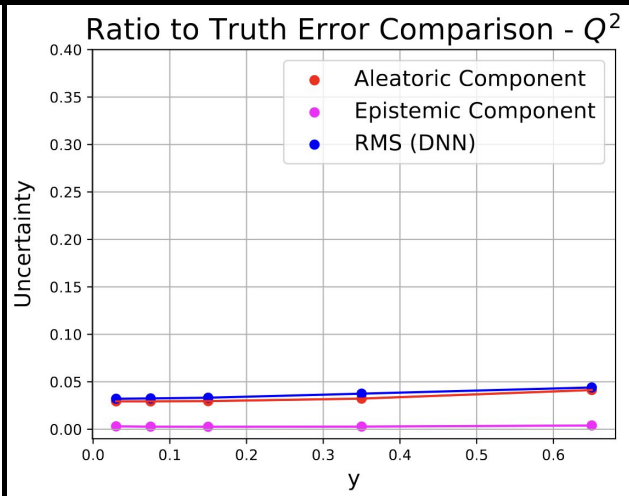
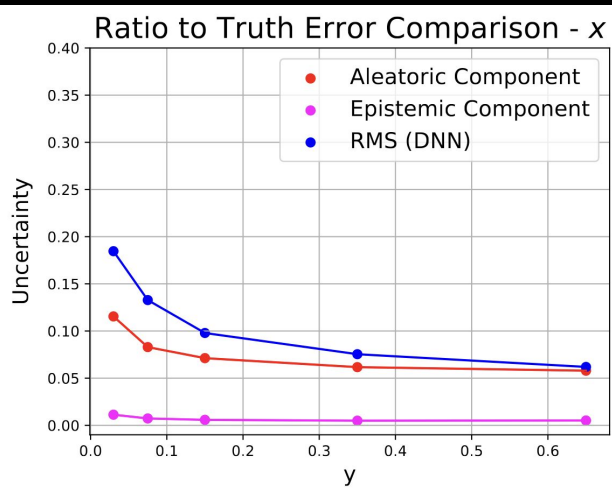
Y Bin	DA Method	DNN RMS	Aleatoric
(0.5, 0.8)	0.060537	0.031194	0.034643
(0.2, 0.5)	0.082115	0.053126	0.044249
(0.1, 0.2)	0.098631	0.078143	0.061840
(0.05, 0.1)	0.127276	0.109309	0.078276
(0.01, 0.05)	0.158493	0.147391	0.120546

Table 4: Aleatoric RMS Comparison Y

- Performance similar to DNN
- Closure test on aleatoric when epistemic is negligible and distribution is gaussian

Comparison between DNN and BNN

Fast Sim. Data-Driven Learning	Parameters' inference
Event-level Signatures	Cross-sections inference

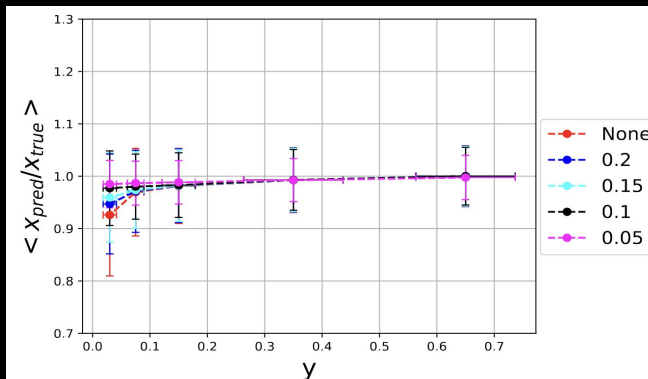
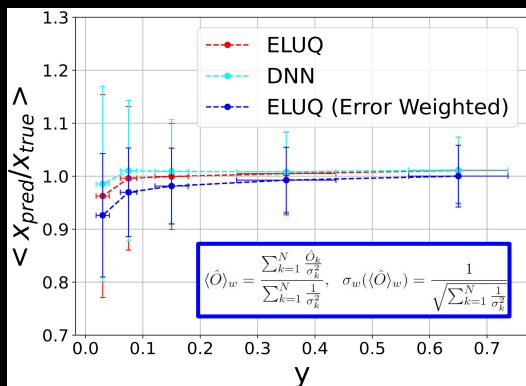
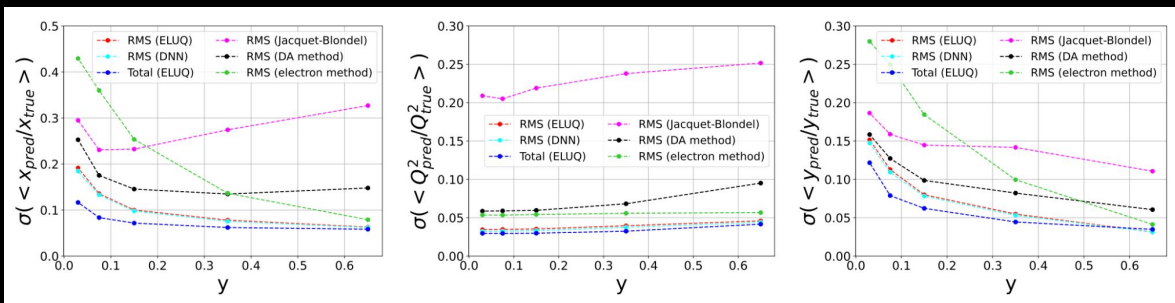
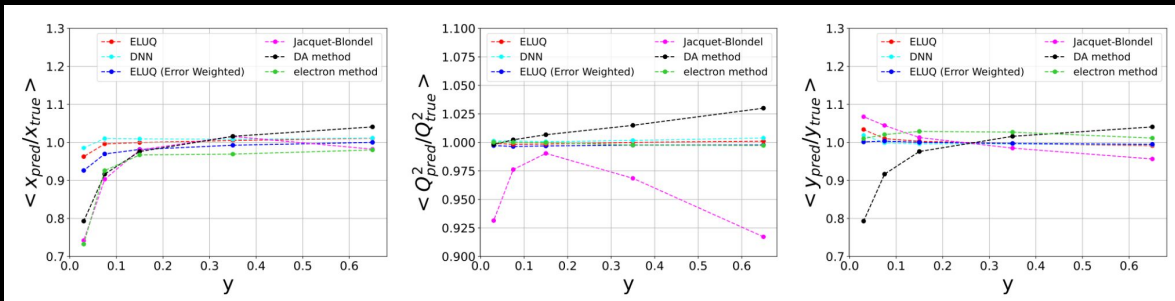


- The RMS (MNF) roughly coincide with that of DNN as seen previously
- The RMS (DNN) for x and y is larger at low y given the distributions are broader
- The epistemic is systematically smaller than aleatoric component.
- At large y , for x and y the total uncertainty (epistemic+aleatoric) close to RMS of DNN

ELUQuant

DNN and ELUQ “outperform other methods over a wide kinematics range”
NIM-A 1025 (2022): 166164

The RMS resolution for y and x increase at lower y , even for the DNN reconstruction.
... This results ... may be attributed to further acceptance, noise, or resolution effects that deteriorates the measurement of the HFS^o



- A “simple” DNN does not have per se uncertainty at the event level. In the plots we use the RMS from final distributions.
- Removing events with large relative event-level uncertainty (with respect to the network prediction) improve the ratio to truth and reduce inaccuracy
- Notice these cuts do not use any information at the ground truth level
- We know that ELUQuant is sensitive to anomaly detection. Performance studies are underway.

Fast Sim. Data-Driven Learning	“Parameters” inference
Event-level Signatures	Cross-sections inference

Time performance

- This is great, but what about computing time?

Inference Parameter	value
Number of Samples (N)	10k
Batch Size	100
Inference GPU Memory	~ 24GB
Inference Time per Event	~ 20ms

Inference specs of ELUQuant

Training Parameter	value
Max Epochs	100
Batch Size	1024
Decay Steps	50
Decay Factor (γ)	0.1
Physics Loss Scale (α)	1.0
KL Scale (β)	0.01
Training GPU Memory	~ 1GB
Network memory on local storage	~ 7MB
Trainable parameters	611,247
Wall Time	~ 1 Day

Inference specs of ELUQuant

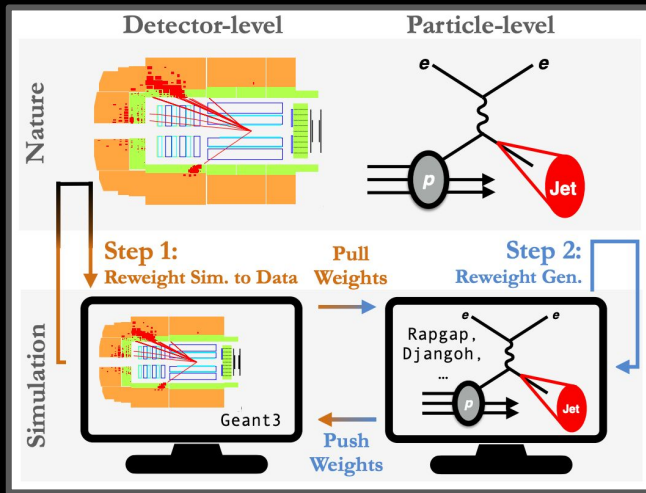
- In computational terms, ELUQuant at inference showed an impressive rate of 10,000 samples/event within a 20 milliseconds on an RTX 3090.
- Can we do faster than this?
 - Several ways. A rapid, streamlined approach is distilling this knowledge in a simpler but faster network (we explored a DNN with 450k parameters) called in the following “Fast UQ”, obtaining an effective inference time of 7-8us/event using batch ~0.5M events

Unfolding

Unfolding

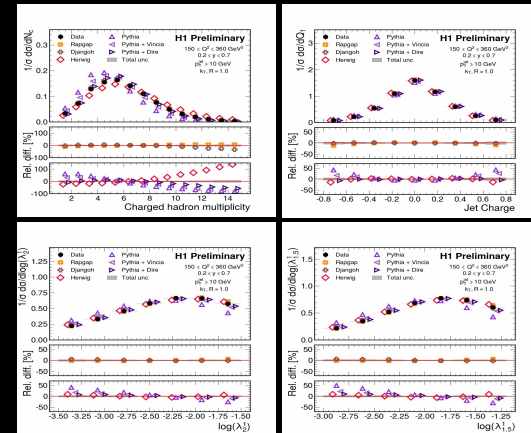
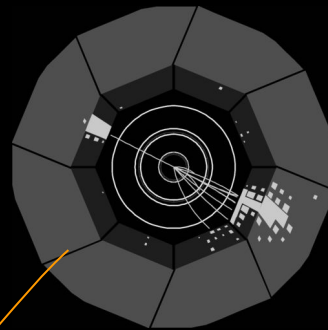


OmniFold



Using ML for differential cross section measurements (OmniFold and otherwise). These tools for recent measurements with DIS from HERA data and the same tools could be used at the EIC.

Lepton-jet correlation in DIS at H1



- First example of ML-assisted unfolding (MultiFold method): enables simultaneous and unbinned unfolding in high dimensions.
- This development will allow us to do unbinned cross-section measurements.

[1] A. Andreassen, P. T. Komiske, E. M. Metodiev, B. Nachman, and J. Thaler *Phys. Rev. Lett.* **124**, 182001 (2020)

[2] V. Andreev et al. (H1 Collaboration), "Measurement of Lepton-Jet Correlation in Deep-Inelastic Scattering with the H1 Detector Using Machine Learning for Unfolding" *Phys. Rev. Lett.* **128**, 132002



IBU²: Invertible Bayesian Unfolding with Uncertainty

Benchmark: datasets of OmniFold (1911.09107) for jet physics, pp $\sqrt{s}=14$ TeV, Herwig (nature) and Pythia (synthetic) — DELPHES for CMS fast sim

Fast Sim. Data Driven Learn	"Parameter's" inference
Event-level Signatures	Unfolding

- Learns an invertible mapping between injected and reconstructed events (bonus: fast and accurate generation of data)
- Utilizes Bayesian Networks (cf. ELUQuant)
- Allows to unfold a measured event and get posterior (with uncertainty)
- Further treated by MCMC

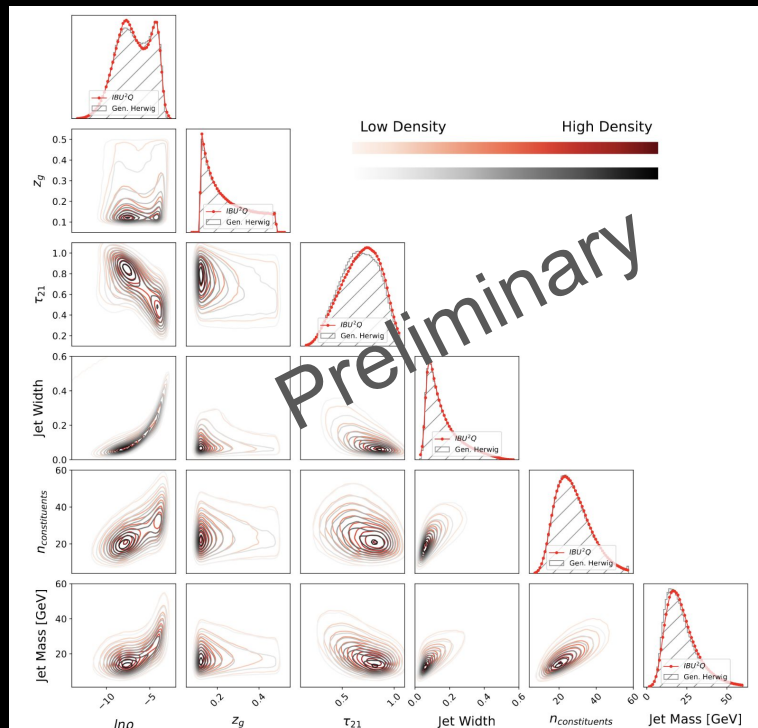
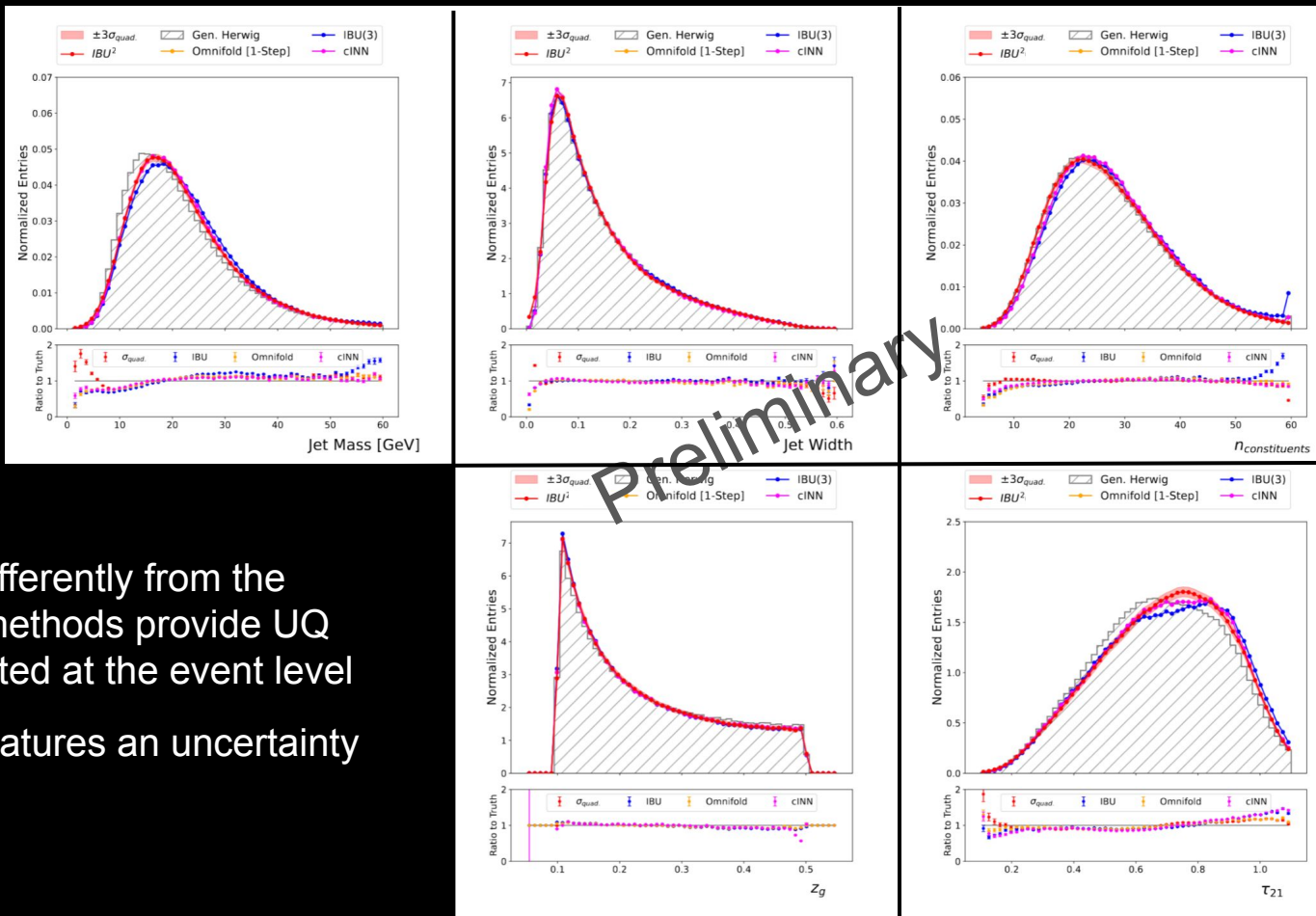


Figure 4: Full 600k events now.

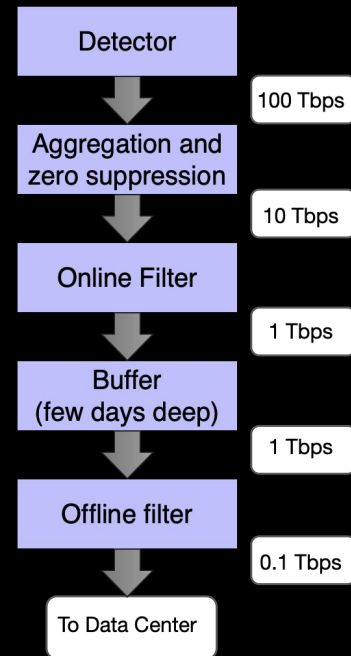
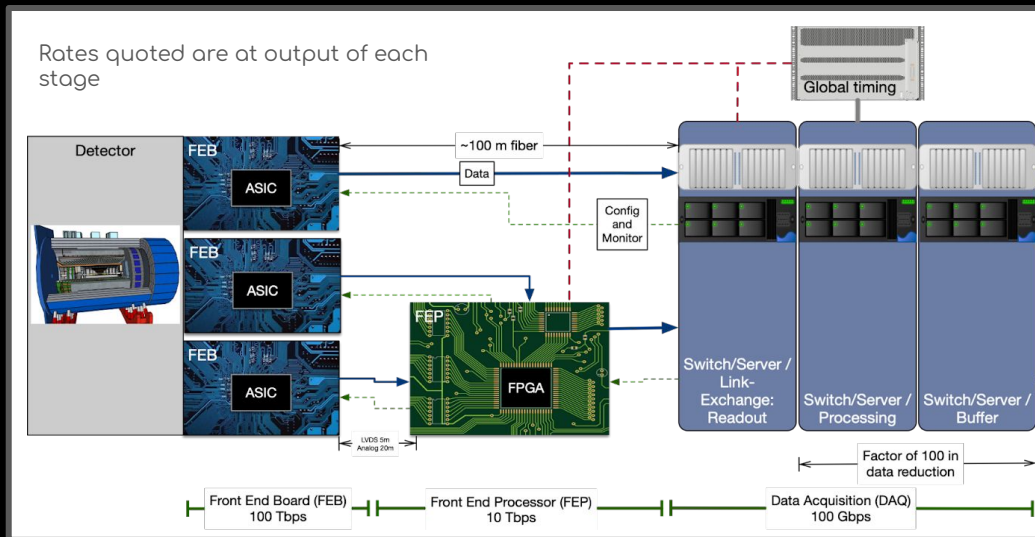




- IBU² differently from the other methods provide UQ calculated at the event level
- IBU² features an uncertainty band

AI/ML in Streaming Readout

- SRO quickly becoming the new standard readout paradigm for modern NP and HEP experiments.
- A triggerless streaming architecture gives much more flexibility to do physics (max data preservation, diverse topologies). Data flow unimpeded in parallel channels, organized in multi-dimensions and time.
- Manageable event rates at EIC (500 kHz).



SRO will further the convergence of online and offline analyses, with the possibility of incorporating AI/ML for fast reconstruction and calibrations, allowing for a rapid turnaround of physics data and results

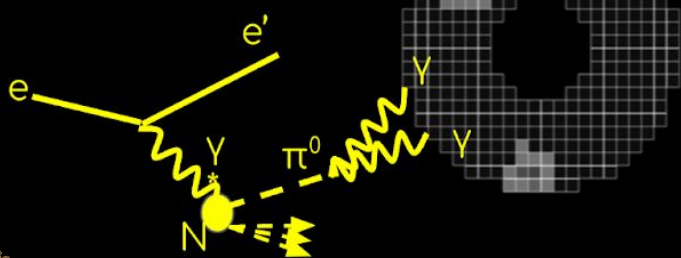
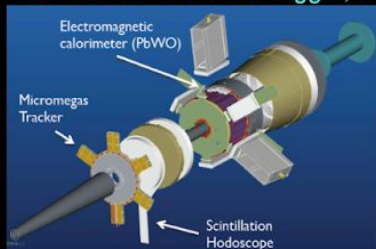
Prototype experiments for next-gen SRO

ML deployed on stream of real data

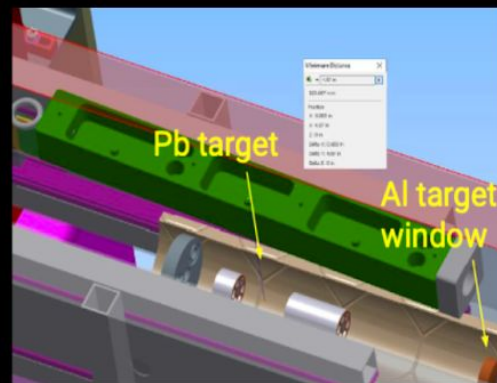
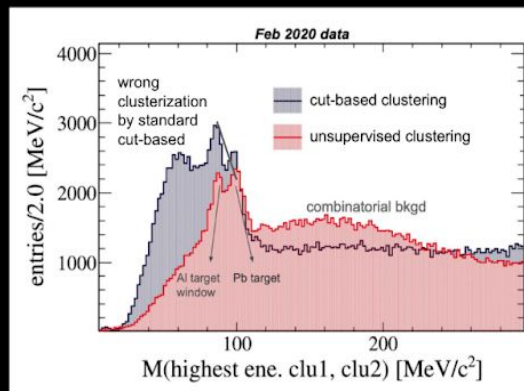
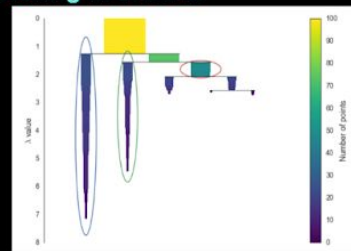
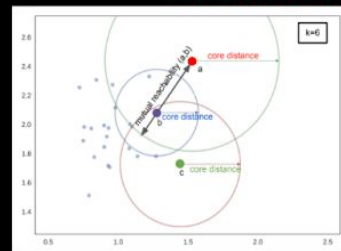
CLAS + EPSCI @JLab

- CLAS12 SRO setup
- TriDAS SR back end
- JANA2 reconstruction framework

The CLAS12 Forward Tagger, JLab

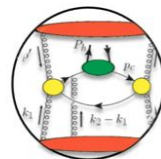
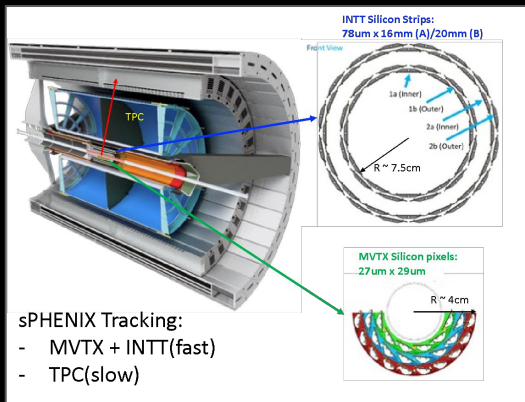


Hierarchical clustering in JANA2



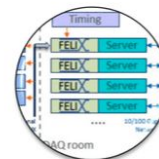
Hierarchical clustering VS traditional clustering of energy deposited by photons; Al robust against variations in experimental conditions* (uncalibrated data in SRO)

AI/ML in SRO



NP Physics

- Diverse topology
- Stringent sys. Ctrl
- Max data preservation



Streaming DAQ

- New physic capability accessible only via streaming DAQ
- Adopted for sPHENIX and EIC
- Require data reduction computationally



Real-time AI

- Specialized AI algorithm for reliable and high-performance data reduction
- Novel hardware emerging for high-throughput AI computing
- See also JH QNP22 [\[link\]](#)

Physics need → Streaming DAQ → Opportunity for real-time AI → Enhanced physics program

Talk by J. Huang @ QNP2022 AI/ML for SRO

FastML: Fast Data Processing and Autonomous Detector Control for sPHENIX and Future EIC Detectors

Identify D/B hadrons with real-time ML

- Topology of D/B decays
- Monitor collision vertex
- Feedback for improvement

The challenges:

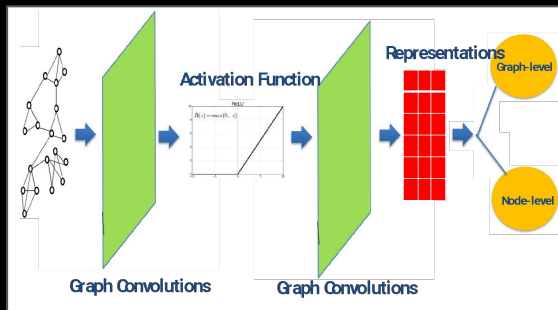
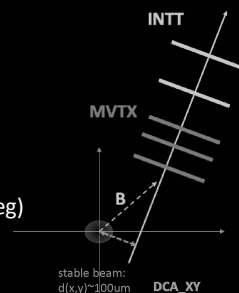
Very high p+p collision rate: ~3MHz

Low rate of rare signals: ~150Hz (beauty for eg)

Limited DAQ trigger bandwidth: ~15 kHz

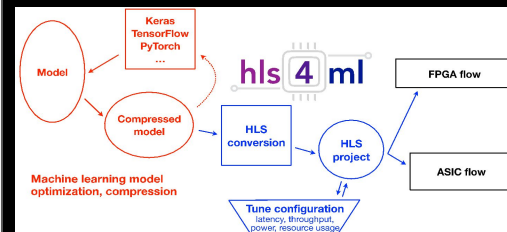
(or 0.5% of p+p collisions)

No effective conventional triggers available



Intelligent Experiment Through Real-Time AI
(DOE FOA funded 2022-2023)

Collaboration of NP, HEP and CS:
LANL, MIT, FNAL, NJIT, ORNL, UNT, CCNU



Courtesy of Ming Liu (LANL)

[1] Huang, Yi, et al. "Efficient Data Compression for 3D Sparse TPC via Bicephalous Convolutional Autoencoder." 2021 20th IEEE (ICMLA). IEEE, 2021.

[2] F. Fahim, et al., "HLS4ML" arXiv:2103.05579 (2021)

[3] C. Dean, Autonomous selection of physics events: A RHIC demonstrator for EIC physics — AI4EIC2023 [talk](#)

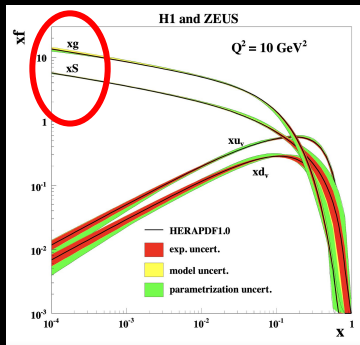
Conclusions

- AI/ML can be integrated into virtually every facet of the data processing pipelines of HEP/NP experiments
- Next generation QCD experiments like EIC are being designed during the AI revolution, and can take advantage of AI/ML since the design and R&D phase. The EIC detector(s) may be the first large-scale detectors optimized with machine learning.
- Hadronic physics will increasingly benefit from ML; when it comes to study non-perturbative effects, ML allows a “holistic” approach (full event information) and can be trained on real data
- Next generation QCD experiments will take full advantage of SRO and AI using heterogeneous computing:
 - Near real-time analysis / control (e.g., intelligent / autonomous detectors). A common theme is applying AI-methods with well-understood UQ (both systematic and statistic).
 - If we understand the uncertainties and biases, near real-time analysis with SRO can result in a paradigm shift for next generation QCD experiments, with faster turnaround time to produce scientific results.



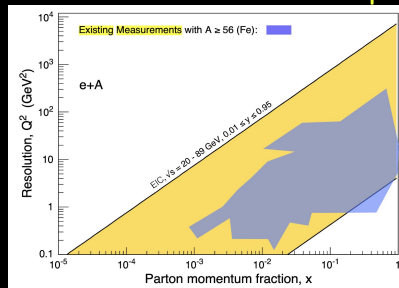
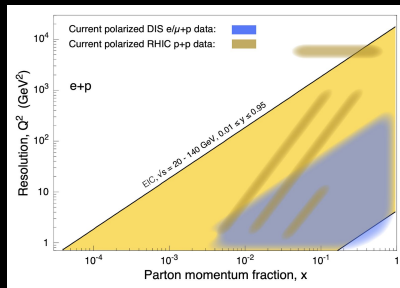
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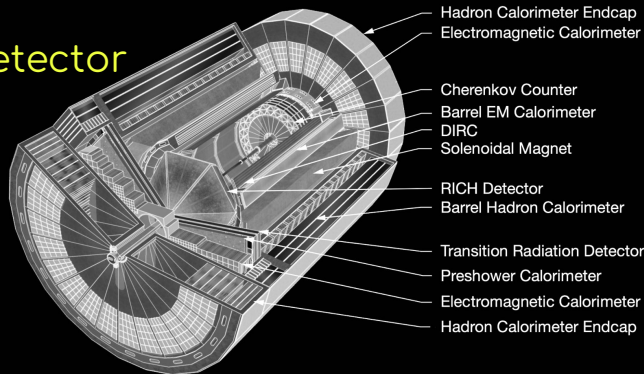
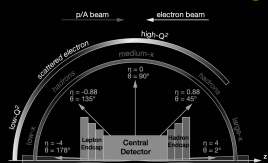


Without gluons there would be no nucleons, no atomic nuclei, ...

EIC Science Landscape

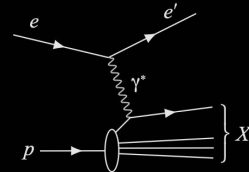


EIC detector

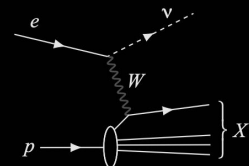


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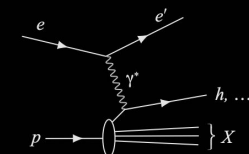
Neutral-current Inclusive DIS: $e + p/A \rightarrow e' + X$; for this process, it is essential to detect the scattered electron, e' , with high precision. All other final state particles (X) are ignored. The scattered electron is critical for all processes to determine the event kinematics.



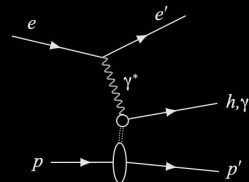
Charged-current Inclusive DIS: $e + p/A \rightarrow \nu + X$; at high enough momentum transfer Q^2 , the electron-quark interaction is mediated by the exchange of a W^\pm gauge boson instead of the virtual photon. In this case the event kinematic cannot be reconstructed from the scattered electron, but needs to be reconstructed from the final state particles.



Semi-inclusive DIS: $e + p/A \rightarrow e' + h^{\pm,0} + X$, which requires measurement of *at least one* identified hadron in coincidence with the scattered electron.



Exclusive DIS: $e + p/A \rightarrow e' + p'/A' + \gamma/h^{\pm,0}/VM$, which require the measurement of *all* particles in the event with high precision.



Tracking

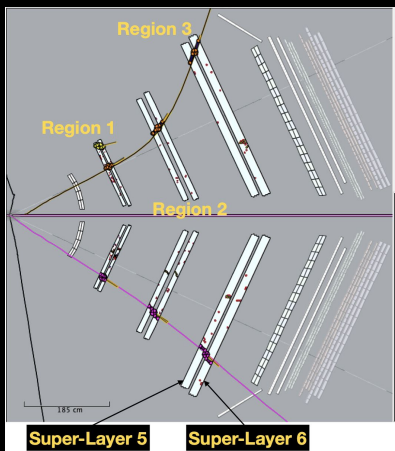
The CLAS spectrometer investigates nucleon and meson structures using a solenoid-torus magnetic field for wide acceptance, precise tracking, and efficient charged particle separation with background suppression.

Tracking	Background
Hit detection	Hit Rate

Tracking in NP experiments poses unique challenges:

- (1) Compared to HEP, low track multiplicities and large curvatures (lower P and relatively large, non-uniform magnetic fields)
- (2) Typically represents the most substantial CPU resource usage*

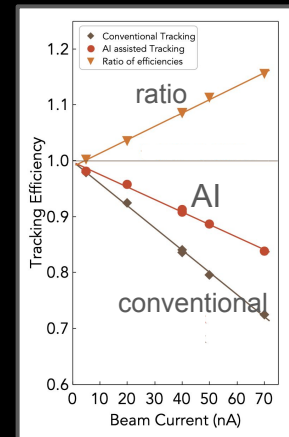
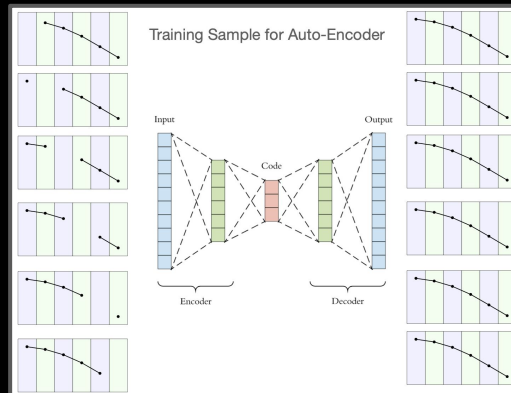
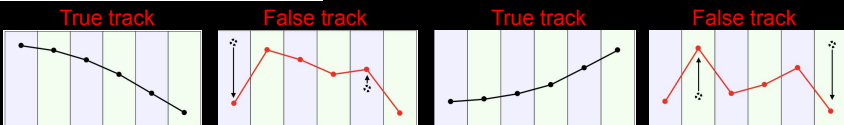
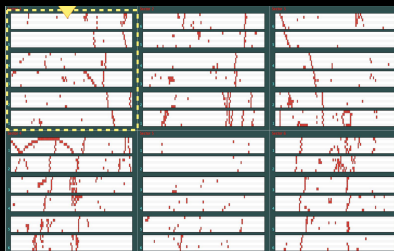
CLAS12 Tracking



Tracks detected by DCs in toroidal field:

- Each sector has 3 regions
- Each region has 2 Super-Layers
- Super-Layer has 6 layers
- Each Layer has 112 wires

Sector 1



AI-assisted tracking in CLAS12/JLab:

- Track classification
- Missing segment generation
- Denoising drift chamber data

Implemented in the CLAS SW stack as a service. AI-assisted tracking provided a 6 times code speedup.

They also implement a Level 3 trigger for identifying electron candidates from raw information from DC and ECAL

[1] G. Gavalian, et al. "Using Artificial Intelligence for Particle Track Identification in CLAS12 Detector." arXiv preprint arXiv:2008.12860 (2020).

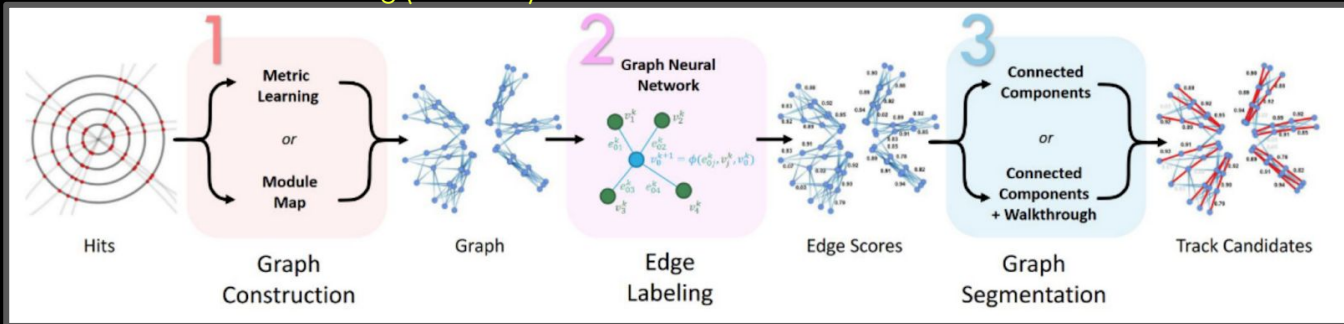
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Tracking

experiment independent ML-based tracking in HEP

Tracking	Calibration
Hit detection	Track Fitter

Accelerated GNN tracking (IRIS-HEP)

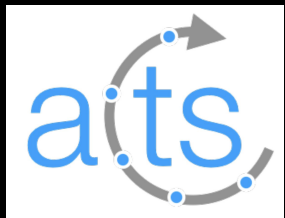


Use **Graph Neural Network (GNN)** to reconstruct tracks

Embedding : Use all the hits in the detector to build a graph

Filtering : Neural-Network predicts if nodes should be connected (can also use a connection map)

ACTS: a common tracking software



Features: (i) Tracking geometry description, (ii) simple event data model, (iii) most track reconstruction algorithms, (iv) example framework with python bindings, (v) performance evaluation algorithms

Provides a testing environment for new tracking algorithms, open detector data (based on the TrackML challenge)

<https://github.com/acts-project/acts>

Towards end-to-end pipelines for tracking.

Kalman Filter remains a powerful tool to completely “throw” away... GPU-accelerated KF

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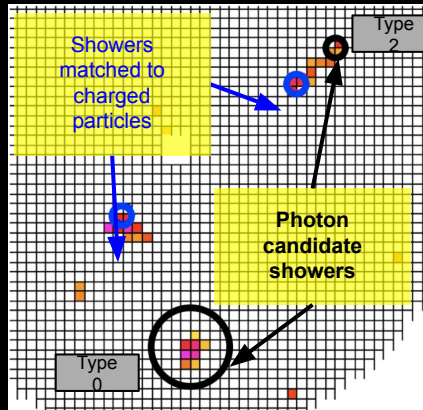
Neutral showers

GlueX explores the nature of confinement by studying exotic hybrid mesons

Training	Colorimeter
Hit detection	Jet Reco

Separation of electromagnetic and hadronic interactions (i.e., low energy vs split-offs) in the GlueX FCAL (2800 PbWO4 modules)

Trained on $\omega \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 (\gamma\gamma)$ (true photons and charged particles interacting with FCAL)

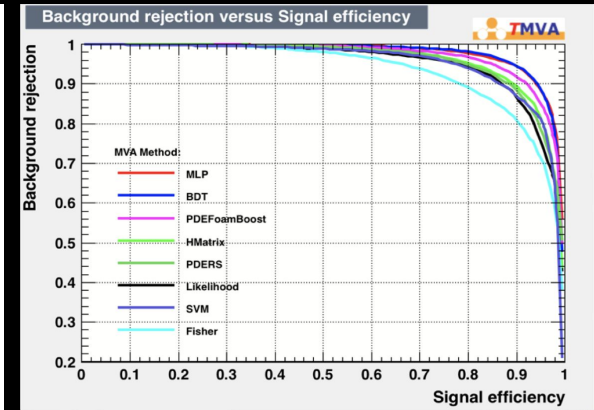
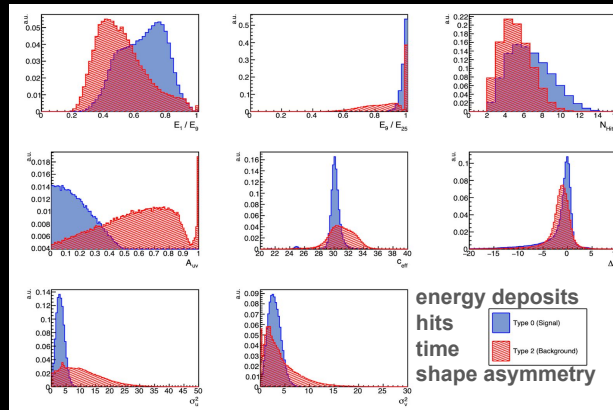


Showers classified as:

Type 0 (true photon showers from hadron decays, e.g., π^0)

Type 1 (from charged particles colliding with FCAL)

Type 2 (all other types of showers, e.g., split-offs of a Type 1 or background noise)



- MLP selected due to ease of implementation within GlueX SW framework
- Thorough data/MC comparison (agreement within statistical precision) — Bkgd reduction of 60% and signal retention of 85% on inclusive π^0 data.

Goal: distinguish **Type 0** from **Type 2**



Electron Identification

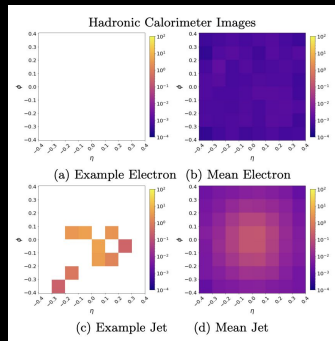
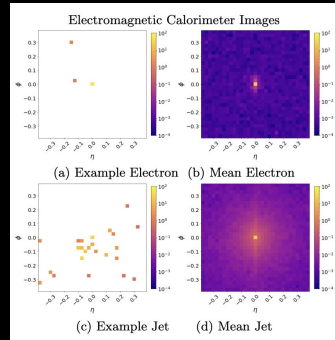
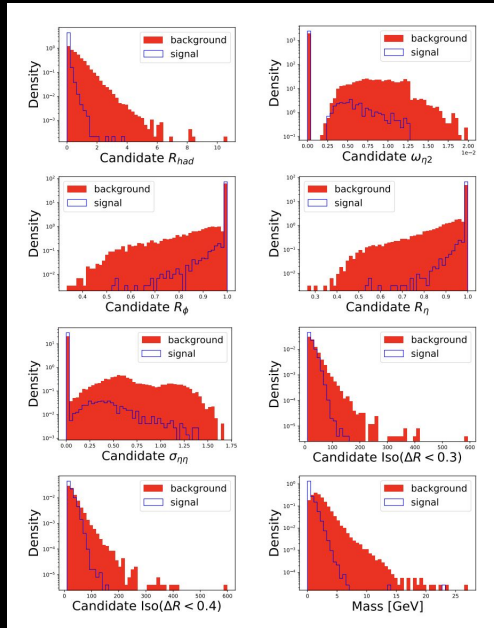
Training	Colorimeter
Diff. detected	Jet Rec'd

Performance of deep networks like CNN reveal there is information in low-level image that is not captured by the suite of high-level features built by physicists

“Learning to identify electrons”

Aim is to identify new high-level features that bridge the gap between existing performance and superior performance of CNN

Search done through energy flow polynomials (EFP)

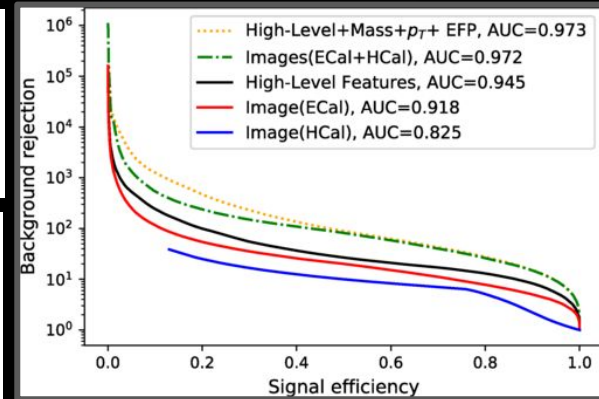
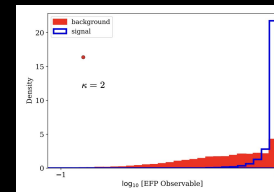
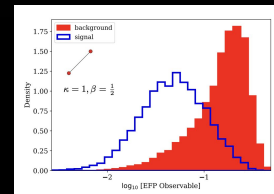


~Les Houches Angularity

$$= \sum_{a,b=1}^N z_a z_b \theta_{ab}^{\frac{1}{4}}$$

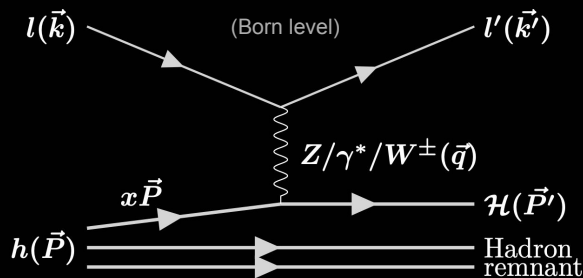
~p_T^D

$$= \sum_{a=1}^N z_a^2$$



Deeply Learning DIS

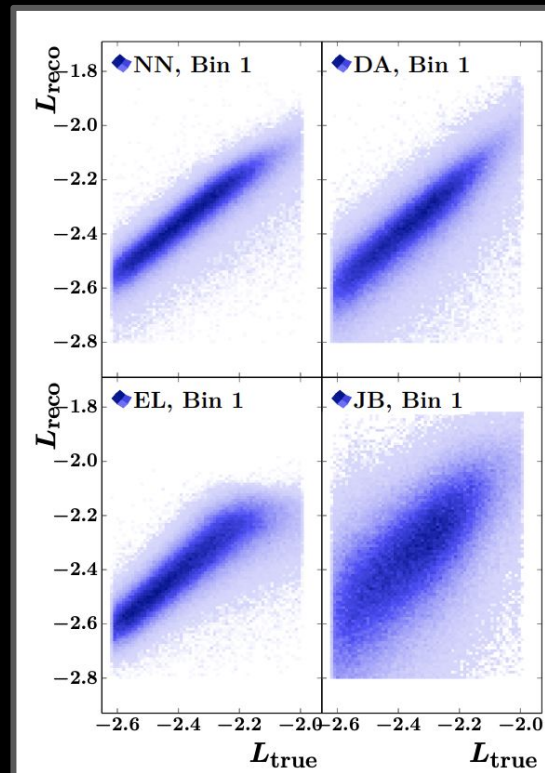
DIS fundamental
process @EIC



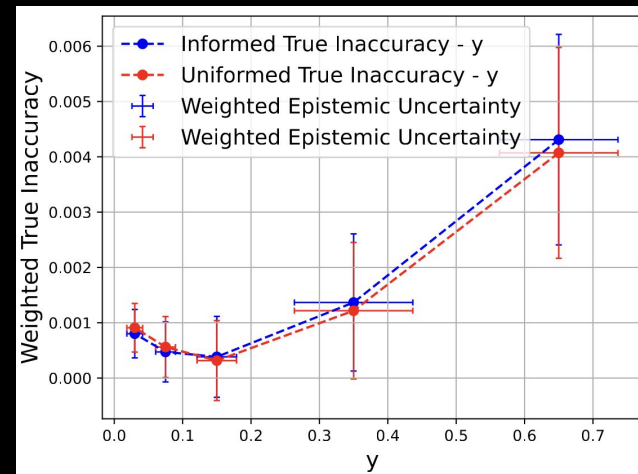
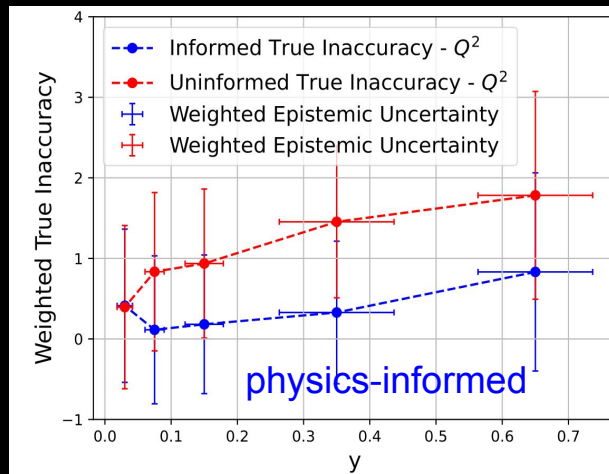
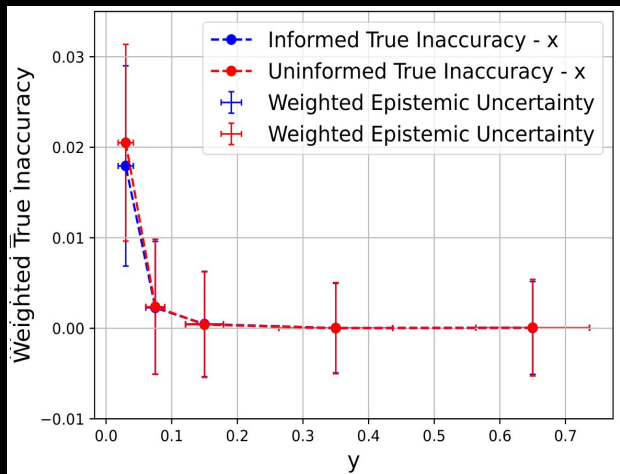
DIS beyond the Born approximation has a complicated structure which involve QCD and QED corrections

- Use of DNN to reconstruct the kinematic observable Q^2 and x in the study of neutral current DIS events at the ZEUS experiment at HERA.
- The performance compared to electron, Jacquet-Blondel and the double-angle methods using data-sets independent of training
- Compared to the classical reconstruction methods, the DNN-based approach enables significant improvements in the resolution of Q^2 and x

Example in one
specific bin



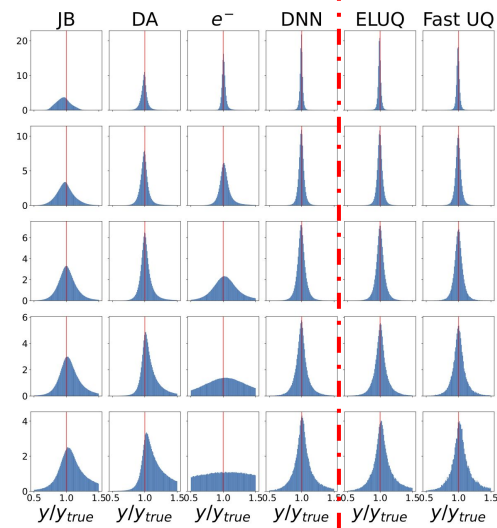
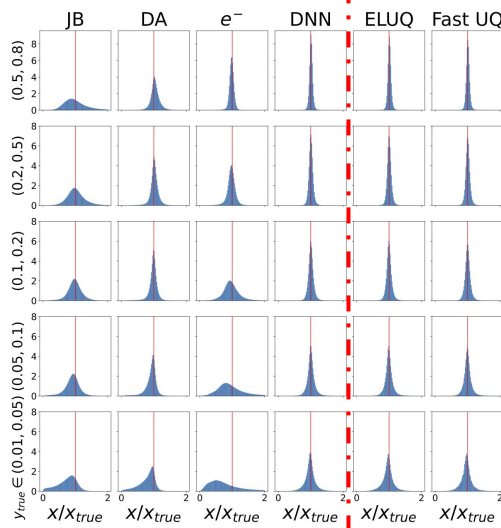
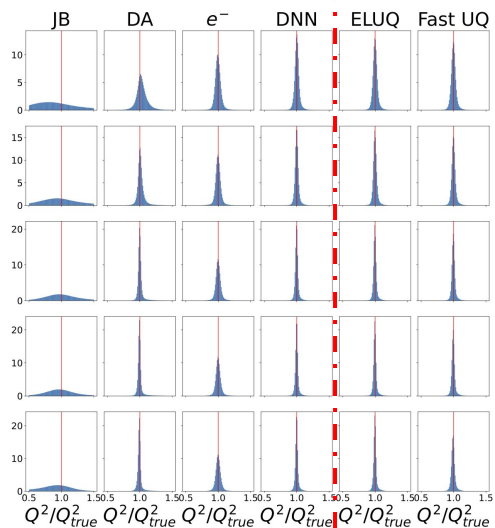
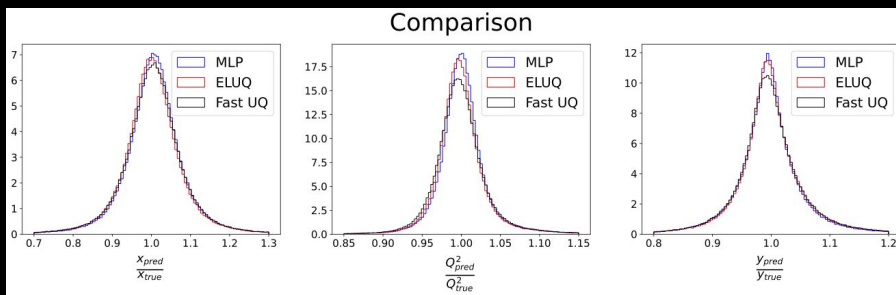
ELUQuant: Physics-informed term



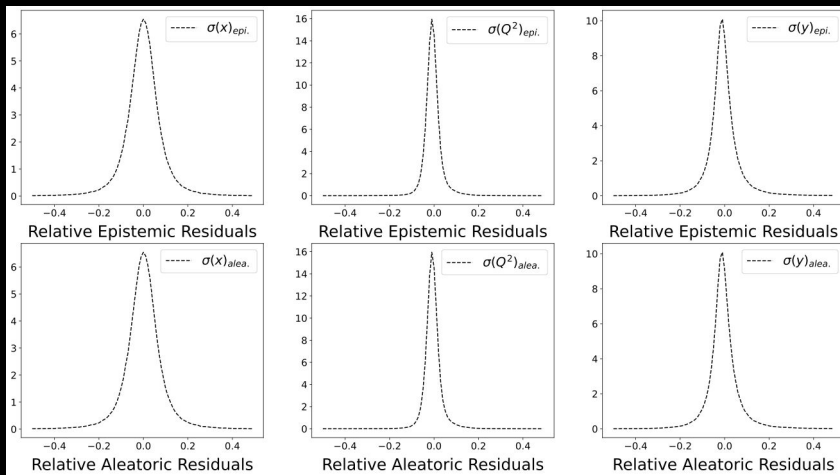
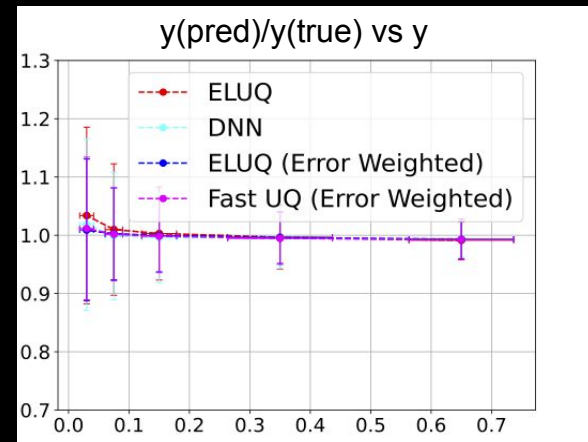
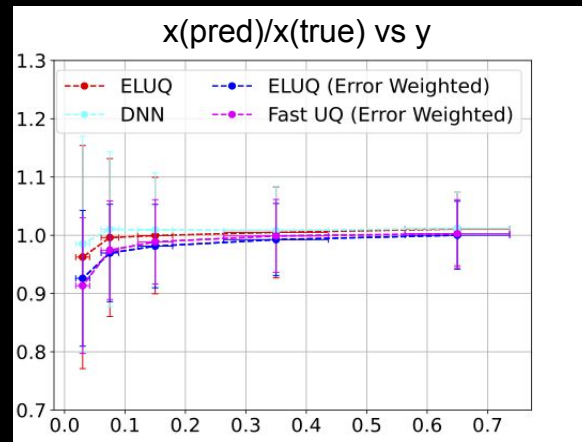
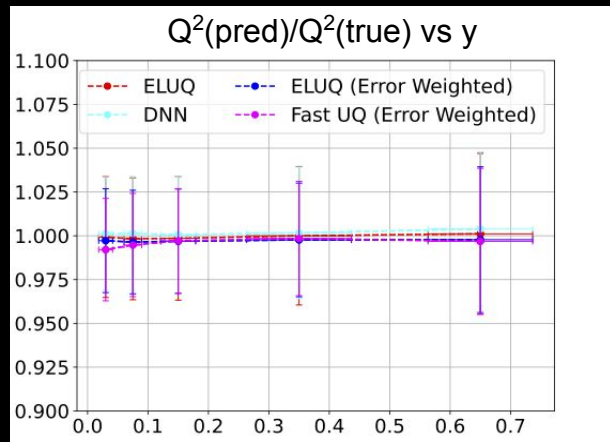
- The plots report the true inaccuracy, and the weighted epistemic uncertainty, which is larger the larger the true inaccuracy is
- The physics-informed term (blue) contributes to decrease the true inaccuracy.



ELUQuant: Towards near real-time



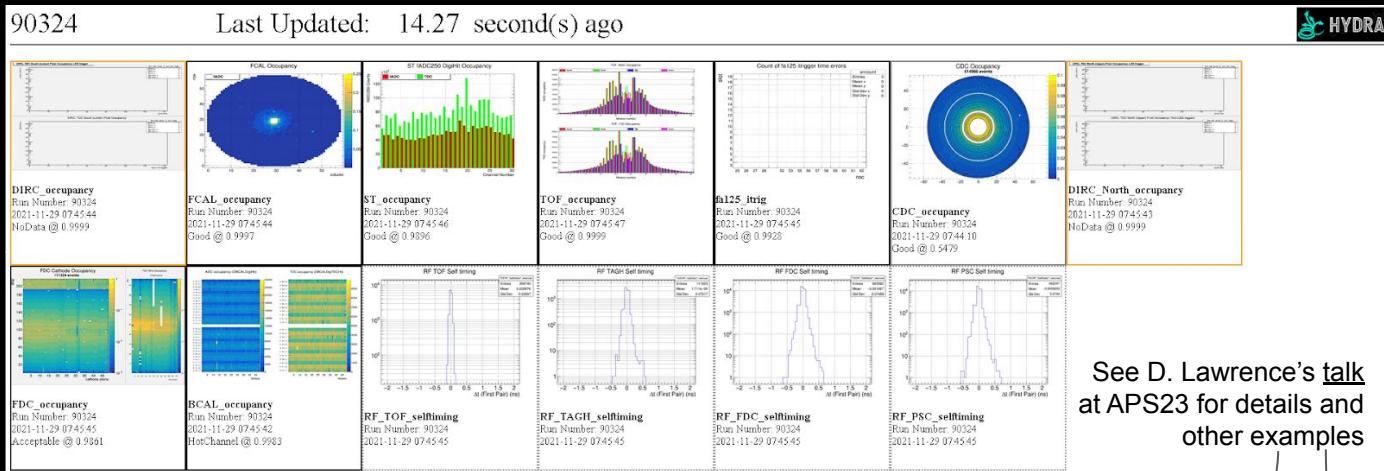
ELUQuant: Towards near real-time



ELUQuant/Fast UQ: Very similar performance at the event level, predictions on kinematics and epistemic + aleatoric uncertainties within $\sim 5\%$ on average

Towards “autonomous” experiments

- Near real-time monitoring tasks for GlueX in Hall D
- It was the online monitoring coordinator’s job to sift through hundreds of images produced in the previous 24 hours, looking for missed anomalies. This “human-in-the-loop” method was prone to errors.
- **Hydra** was created to tackle these challenges. Hydra is an AI system that leverages Google’s Inception v3 for image classification. It has been shown to perform better than humans at diagnosing problems.



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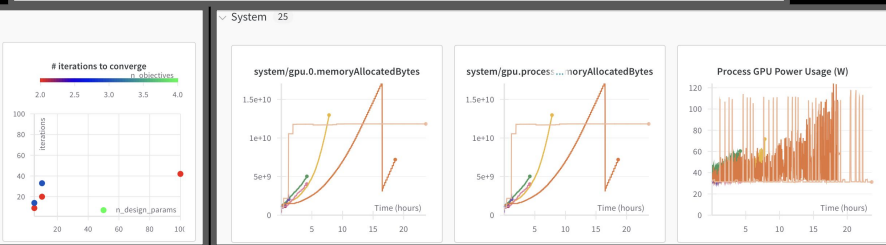
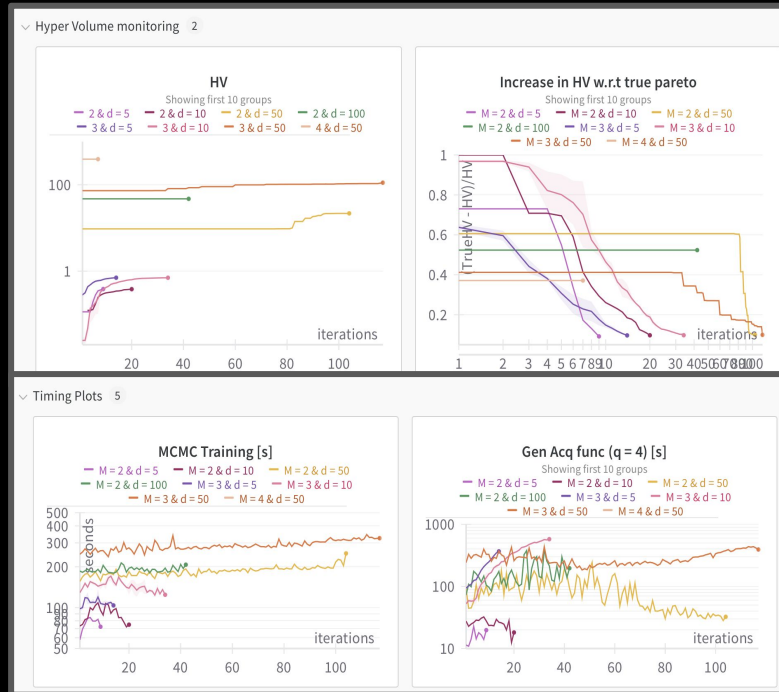
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MOBO: Scaling

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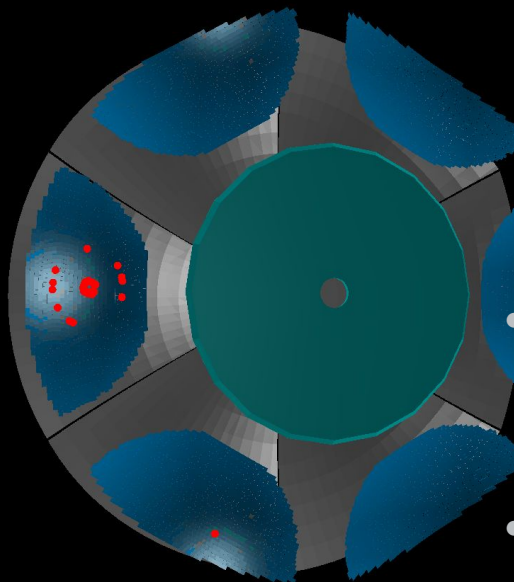
- W&B dashboard for monitoring
 - MOBO stress-testing for problems with increasing complexity (design and objectives) and known Pareto
- Multiple metrics
 - Accuracy of optimization
 - Convergence properties
 - Compute resources



Candidates for Optimization in ePIC

Considering all the constraints as ePIC is in the process of finalizing engineering designs, we can select those sub-detectors that still have tunable parameters

E. Cisbani et al 2020 JINST 15 P05009

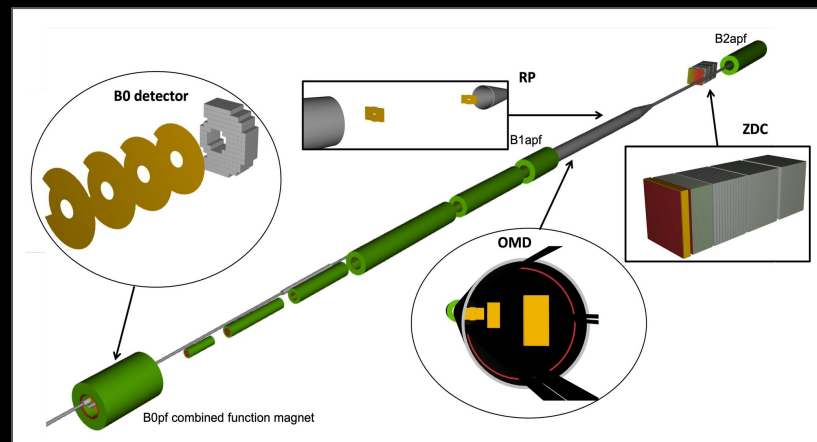


dual-RICH

- Mirror, sensor placement, gas, mirror material (lower costs material)...

- PID performance, costs, ...

- *B0 magnetic field map, distance between space (always considered even), central location of tracker*
- *Momentum resolution, acceptance*



Far-Forward

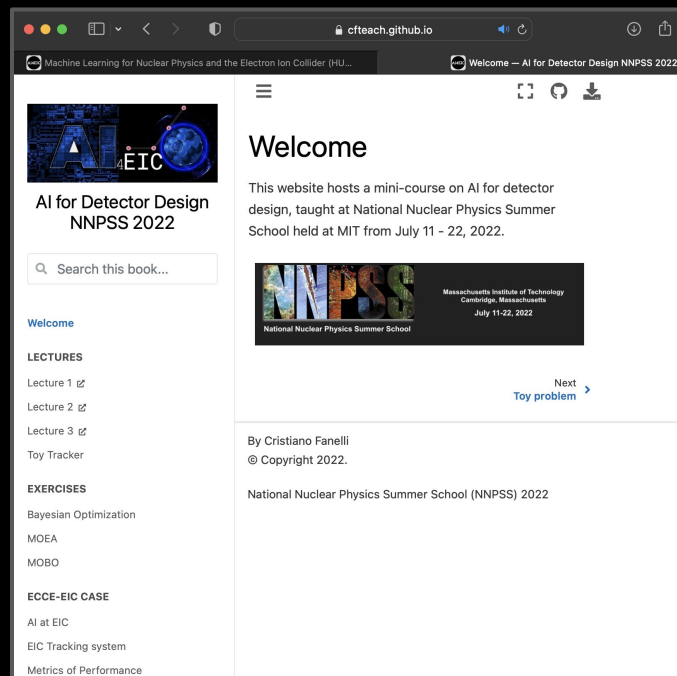
Ongoing discussion with working groups to identify potential

Documentation and Outreach

- GitBook and/or other knowledge sharing platforms will be part of the initiatives related to documentation and outreach
- Offering opportunities for experiential learning with easy access for beginners

<http://cfteach.github.io/nnpss>

<https://cfteach.github.io/HUGS23>



Assisted design of future QCD Experiments

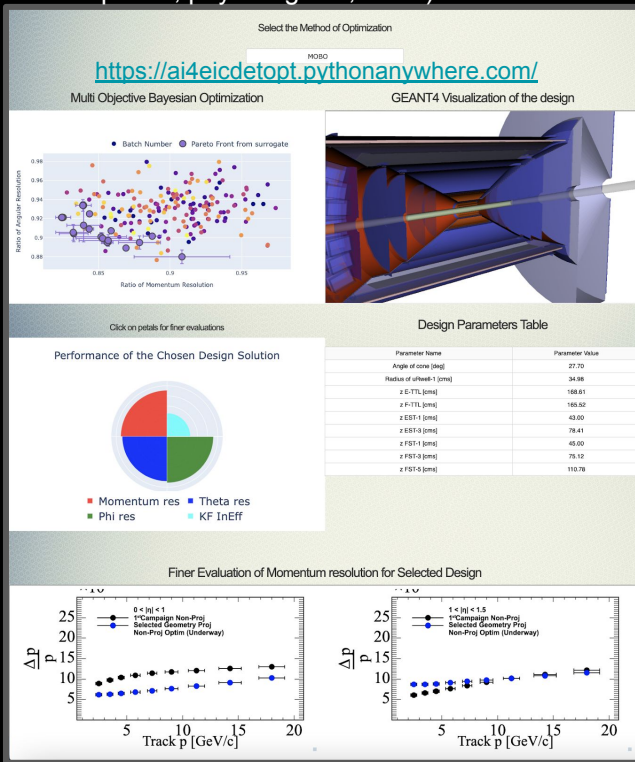
Designing detectors is a multi-objective optimization problem!

(detector response, physics gains, costs)

Take full advantage of AI to learn the Pareto front

Design space:
Multidimensional
+
Multiple Objectives!

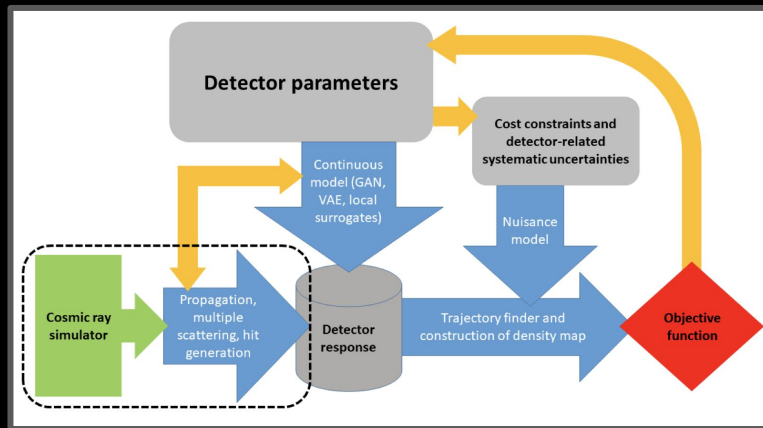
This is a problem where with AI-assistance we can outperform more conventional strategies



Differentiable surrogate model + gradient-based optimization

MODE is targeting the use of differentiable programming in design optimization of detectors for particle physics applications

End-to-end optimization pipelines with surrogate models ML require modeling of simulations, and collect reference data to train the implementations.



Conceptual layout of an optimization pipeline for a muon radiography apparatus.

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