

A jet

Machine learning for jets

— Highlights on established DNN techniques, facilities, and key applications

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Jets at hadron colliders



CMS Experiment at the LHC, CERN Data recorded: 2017-Oct-09 23:58:07.702464 GMT Run / Event / LS: 304738 / 935742940 / 550

Jets: collimated particle sprays

- they are streams of particles originating from quarks or gluons due to hadronisation.
- most ubiquitous objects at a hadron collider
- encodes information about QCD dynamics

Jet 1: $p_{\tau} = 2.77 \text{ TeV}$ Jet 2: $p_{\tau} = 1.74 \text{ TeV}$ Jet 3: $p_{\tau} = 1.42 \text{ TeV}$ $m_{jjj} = 7.20 \text{ TeV}$ Jet 3

Jet 1

• Jet tagging: identify the origin of the jets (quark or gluon? quark flavours?)

Jet 2

Jets at hadron colliders



• Experiments also reconstruct **large-R jets**, which can be initiated from a energetic (highly Lorentz-boosted) resonance particle

Run: 299584 Event: 563621388 2016-05-20 08:26:49 CEST M(JJ)=2.40 TeV

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Graph structure

- ✦ Graph neural networks
 - treat a jet as a permutational-invariant set of particles (or, point cloud)
 - build "edges" between particles
- Transformer networks
 - modern architectural designs; like a • full-connected graph

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Typical graph

GNNs and Transformers

- → Modern architectures do right: (DNNs that better suit the particle-format data?)
 - inductive bias: particle-format data has their intrinsic symmetries
 - permutational-invariant symmetry: GNN is better than CNN/RNN; native Transformer (w/o positional encoding)
 - Lorentz symmetry: adding "pairwise particle masses" to input features
 - let particles interact:
 - "message passing" in GNNs and attention mechanism in Transformers
 - Scale better with data and model size: Transformers!



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Applications in CMS

EdgeConv

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VH→cc search W_{lep}/Z_{lep} (merged region) PRL 131 (2023) 061801

• With merged+resolved region combined, achieve most stringent direct limit on κ_c : 1.1 < $|\kappa_c|$ < 5.5







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• First time excluding $\kappa_{2V} = 0$



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ParticleNet and its applications

Other selected applications

credit to Huilin's slides



Talk by Manqi

Transformer jet taggers in ATLAS/CMS

- → ATLAS/CMS "flagship" jet taggers have all switched to the Transformer architectures
 - much improved b-tagging performance (to reject c-jets and light jets)
 - huge progress has been made from 2016 (early Run-2) to 2024 (mid-Run3) !



Inference facility: ONNX runtime

- → Both ATLAS and CMS use ONNX runtime inference engine
 - ONNX: "Open Neural Network eXchange" format, representing a BDT/DNN model
 - support model conversion from XGBoost (BDT models), TensorFlow, PyTorch...
 - ONNX runtime: accelerate ML inferencing across a variety of platforms
 - CPU/GPU environment for model inference
 - support C++/python interface and more!
- → Helper functions in the ATLAS (athena) and CMS (cmssw) software
 - for inference of jet taggers (with low-level inputs) in central workflow
 - also support inferencing custom DNN models at analysis level



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Inference facility: SONIC

- → Inference as-a-service (laas)
 - instead of using CPU for the whole data processing workflow, certain tasks can be run more efficiently on other specialised processors (i.e. coprocessors)
- → SONIC (Service for Optimized Network):
 - is the implementation of IaaS in experimental software frameworks





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- Test delivered to run CMS's ParticleNet, DeepTau, and DeepMET algorithms
- with SONIC approach
- Improved throughputs on the large-scale tests

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- → A "general method" for resonant search with minimal requirements
 - resonance localised in a mass window
 - can be reconstructed by two hadronic large-*R* jets
- → General strategy:
 - ☆ scan on the mass spectrum → <u>apply model-independent selection</u> → purify the signal
- → With no significant evidence of new physics found at LHC, a broader search strategy will be a meaningful

Weakly-supervised approach

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Autoencoder approach



a compressed jet representation

- → A view on (variational) autoencoder for anomaly detection
 - ★ Training on SM background jet → anomalous jet will produce outlier latent scores → make selection on the score
- → Use autoencoder for anomaly detection has industry basis



Reconstruction Error Distribution

ATLAS's model-agnostic search



- → ATLAS applies full-event-level anomaly detection
- → Train "autoencoder" and select on the score
- → Search in 9 invariant masses including dijet, di-b-jet, with three anomaly regions



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Conclusion

- → We highlight recent advances in ML for jets from three aspects
 - novel algorithms (GNN and Transformers) and their applications
 - hope to shed light across experiments regarding network designs: why they are found helpful to process particle-format data
 - ATLAS/CMS's most recent developments in jet tagging (Transformers are the leading designs)
 - ParticleNet's broad application across the fields (and possibly Particle Transformer and/ or its alternatives shortly)

model inferencing facilities in ATLAS/CMS

ONNX runtime and SONIC

novel ML paradigm (model-agnostic search) at the LHC

- weakly-supervised approach and autoencoder approach
- their applications in ATLAS/CMS