

A Simple Tutorial on ParticleNet

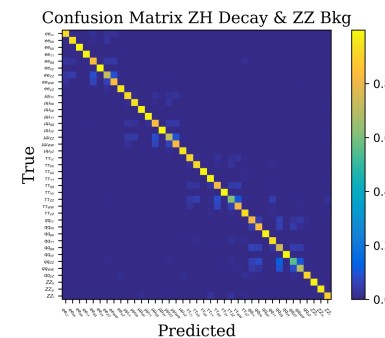
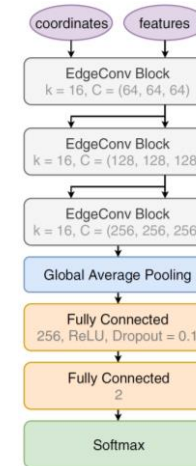
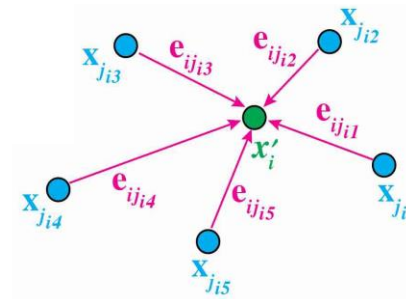
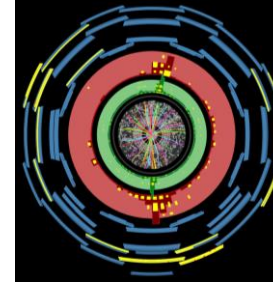
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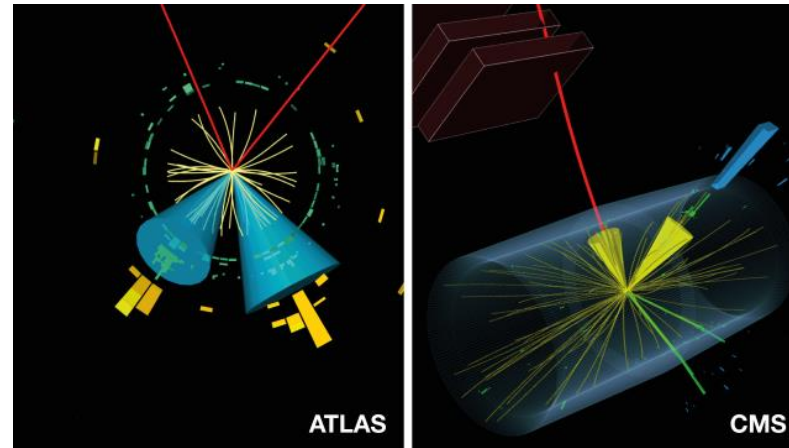
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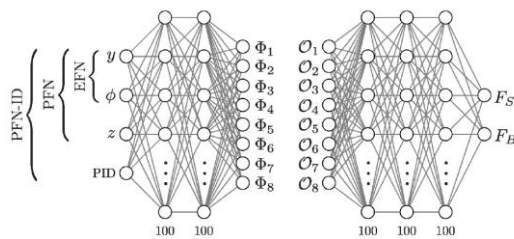


A little background knowledge-Jets

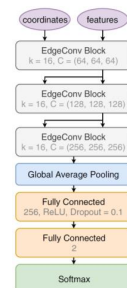
- Jets are ubiquitous at colliders, especially for hadron colliders.
- Jets are collimated sprays of particles initiated by quarks or gluons.



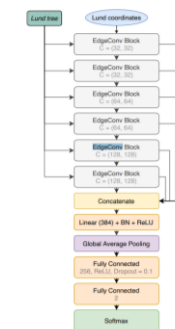
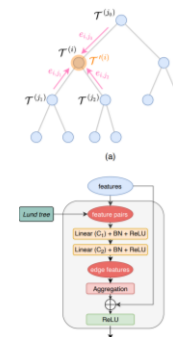
- Jet tagging: identifying the hard scattering particle that initiates the jet.
- The rise of machine learning (ML) has brought lots of new progresses to jet tagging.



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A Brief Introduction on ParticleNet

Based on Huilin Qu(the author of ParticleNet)'s report:

[New approaches for jet tagging with machine learning \(June 18, 2021\) · Indico of IHEP \(Indico\)](#)

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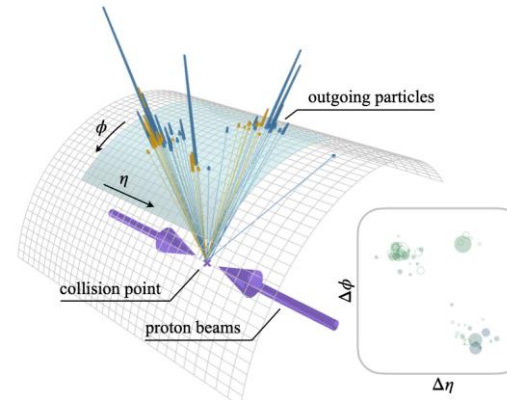
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Point cloud

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

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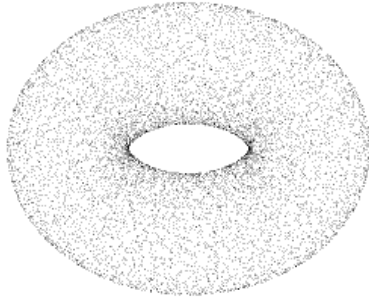
Jet (particle physics)

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A **jet** is a narrow cone of **hadrons** and other particles produced by the **hadronization** of a **quark** or **gluon** in a **particle physics** or heavy **ion** experiment. Particles

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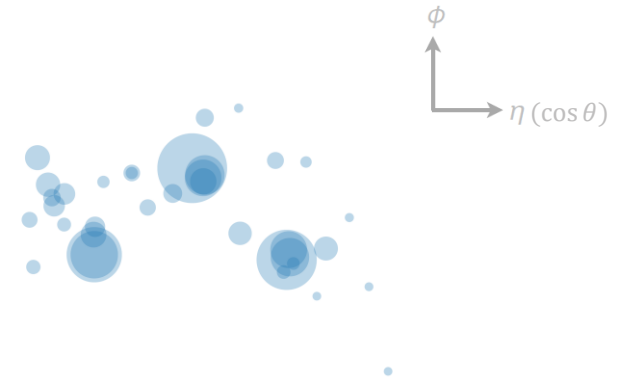
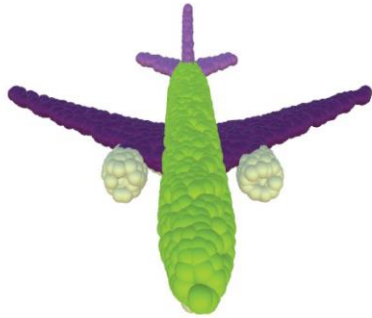
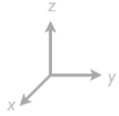
Jet (Particle cloud)

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A **jet (particle cloud)** is a set of particles in [space](#). Particle clouds are generally created by clustering a large number of particles measured by [particle detectors](#), e.g., ATLAS and CMS. which measure

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• Point clouds VS Particle clouds



■ Point cloud

- points are intrinsically *unordered*
- points are distributed in space
 - spatial coordinates (3D xyz) encode geometric structure information

■ Particle cloud

- particles are intrinsically *unordered*
- particles are distributed in space
 - spatial distribution (2D coordinates in the $\eta(\cos \theta)$ - ϕ space) reflects radiation patterns

But particles have more features:

- energy/momenta/displacement/particle ID/etc.
- more interesting than a plain point cloud!

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• The architecture of ParticleNet

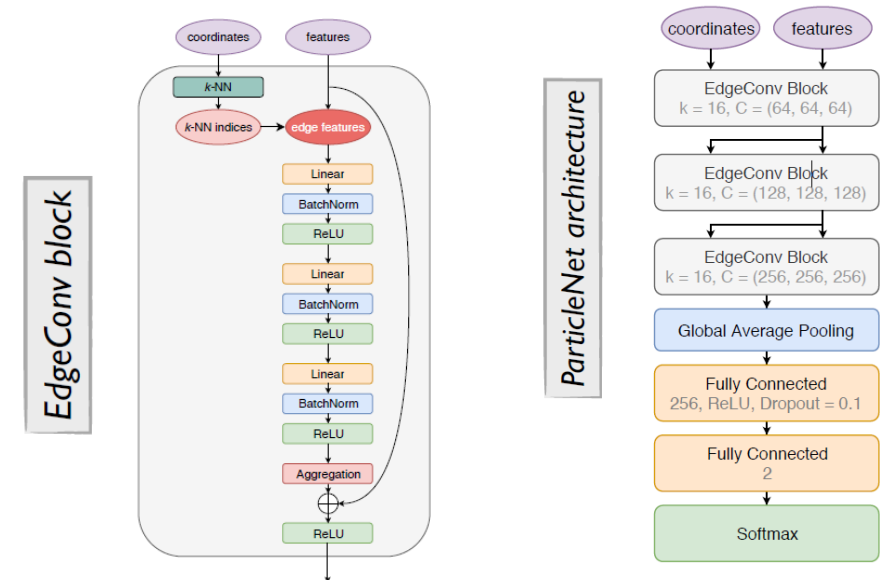
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■ ParticleNet

- customized graph neural network architecture for jet tagging with the point cloud approach, based on Dynamic Graph CNN (DGCNN) [[Y. Wang et al., arXiv:1801.07829](#)]
- explicitly respects the permutation symmetry of the point cloud

■ Key building block: EdgeConv

- treating a point cloud as a graph: each point is a vertex
 - for each point, a local patch is defined by finding its k-nearest neighbors
 - designing a permutation-invariant "convolution" function
 - define "edge feature" for each center-neighbor pair: $e_{ij} = h_{\Theta}(x_i, x_{ij}) = \bar{h}_{\Theta}(x_i, x_{ij} - x_i)$
 - same h_{Θ} for all neighbor points, and all center points, for symmetry
 - aggregate the edge features in a symmetric way: $x'_i = \square_{j=1}^k h_{\Theta}(x_i, x_{ij}) = \frac{1}{k} \sum h_{\Theta}(x_i, x_{ij})$

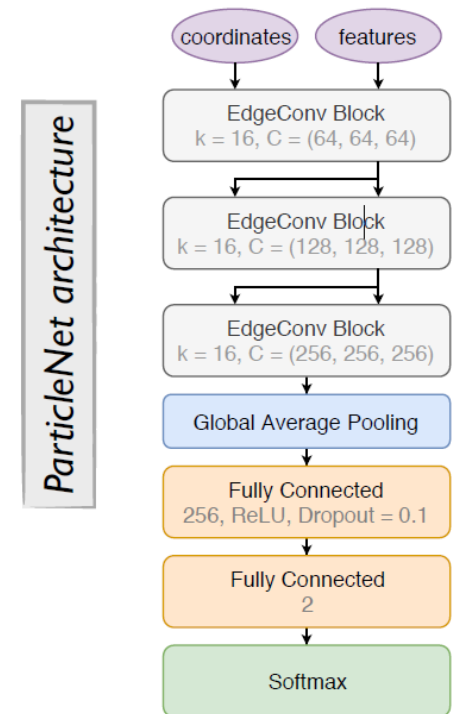
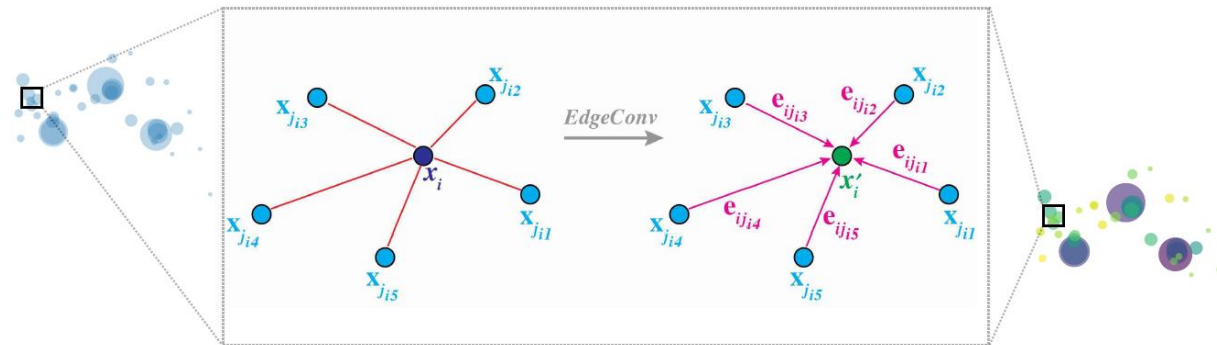
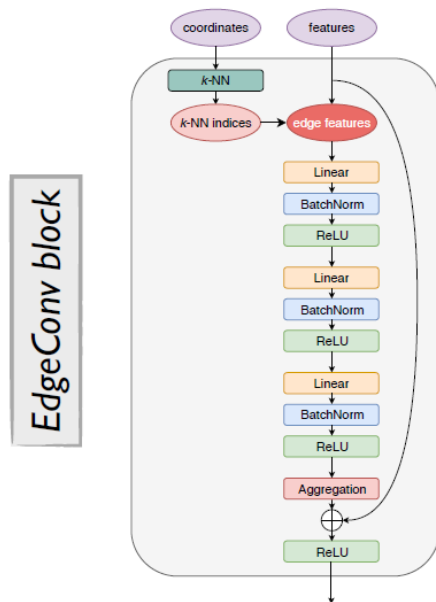


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- EdgeConv can be stacked to form a deep network
 - learning both local and global structures, in a hierarchical way



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• Performance of ParticleNet

- Performance comparison on the top tagging benchmark dataset.

	Accuracy	AUC	$1/\epsilon_b$ at $\epsilon_s = 50\%$	$1/\epsilon_b$ at $\epsilon_s = 30\%$
ResNeXt-50	0.936	0.9837	302 ± 5	1147 ± 58
P-CNN	0.930	0.9803	201 ± 4	759 ± 24
PFN	...	0.9819	247 ± 3	888 ± 17
ParticleNet-Lite	0.937	0.9844	325 ± 5	1262 ± 49
ParticleNet	0.940	0.9858	397 ± 7	1615 ± 93

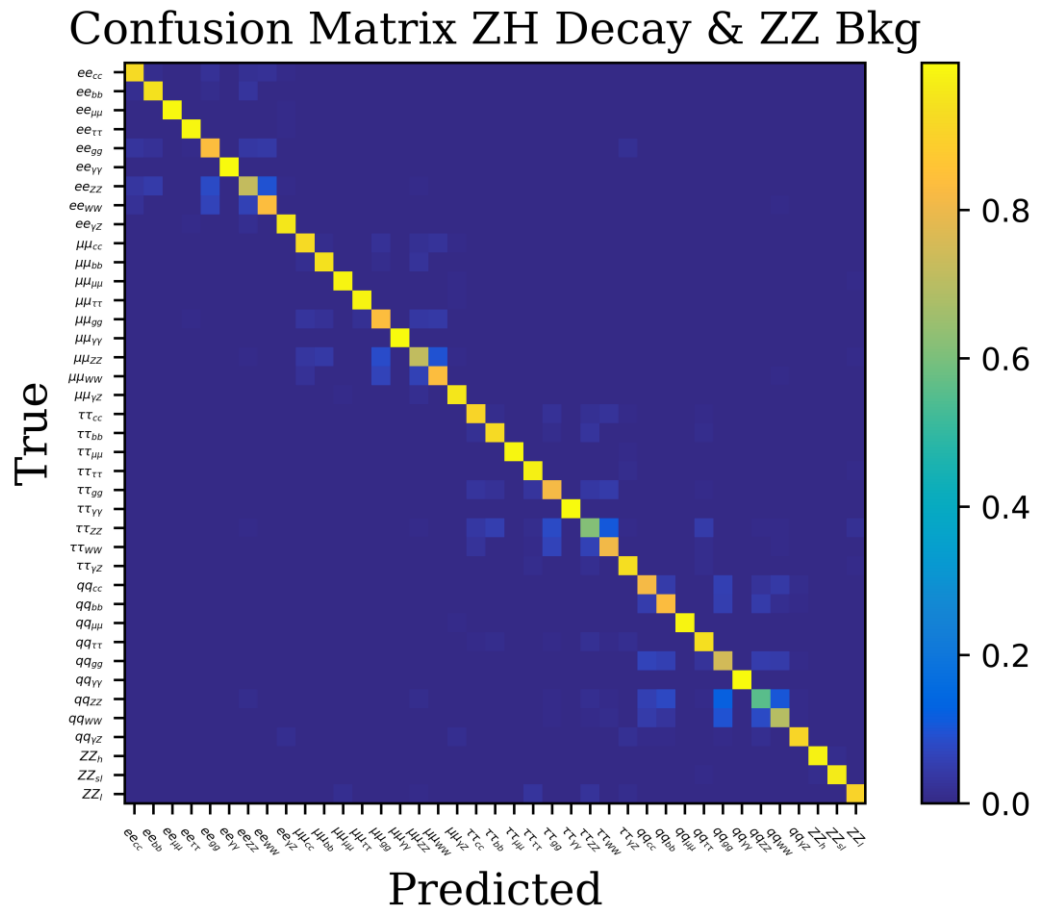
- Performance comparison on the quark-gluon tagging benchmark dataset.

	Accuracy	AUC	$1/\epsilon_b$ at $\epsilon_s = 50\%$	$1/\epsilon_b$ at $\epsilon_s = 30\%$
ResNeXt-50	0.821	0.8960	30.9	80.8
P-CNN	0.818	0.8915	31.0	82.3
PFN	...	0.8911	30.8 ± 0.4	...
ParticleNet-Lite	0.826	0.8993	32.8	84.6
ParticleNet	0.828	0.9014	33.7	85.4
P-CNN (w/ PID)	0.827	0.9002	34.7	91.0
PFN-Ex (w/ PID)	...	0.9005	34.7 ± 0.4	...
ParticleNet-Lite (w/ PID)	0.835	0.9079	37.1	94.5
ParticleNet (w/ PID)	0.840	0.9116	39.8 ± 0.2	98.6 ± 1.3

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- Performance of ParticleNet

- Classify Higgs decays on CEPC (Event Level).



How to run ParticleNet

- First thing to do:
Login to IHEP cluster and do:

```
cp -r /scratchfs/bes/wangshudong/ParNet_tuto/ /PATH/TO/YOUR/SPACE/ParNet_tuto/
```

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- **Weaver**

- *Weaver* aims at providing a streamlined yet flexible machine learning R&D framework for high energy physics (HEP) applications. [Github-Repo \(old ver.\)](#)

- **Set up your environment (you can use mine)**

- [Install Miniconda \(if you don't already have it\)](#)
- [Set up a conda environment and install the required packages](#)
- On IHEP cluster, simply type commands below to use my conda env (you don't even need to do this, see page 15):

```
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#this conda env only support training using CPU, since most of you
#don't have access to GPU cluster
source "/cefs/higgs/wangshudong/miniconda3/etc/profile.d/conda.sh"
conda activate weaver
```

- **Prepare your configuration files**

To train a neural network using *Weaver*, you need to prepare:

- A [YAML data configuration file](#) describing how to process the input data.
- A [python model configuration file](#) providing the neural network module and the loss function.
- *Let's move to codes now*

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- **Start running! (general case)**

- The [train.py](#) script is the top-level script to run for training a neural net, getting prediction from trained models, and exporting trained models to ONNX for production.
- Examples for training, inference and model exportation are shown below:

- **Training**

```
python train.py --data-train '/path/to/train_files/**/*.root' \  
--data-test '/path/to/train_files/**/*.root' \  
--data-config data/ak15_points_pf_sv.yaml \  
--network-config networks/particle_net_pf_sv.py \  
--model-prefix /path/to/models/prefix \  
--gpu '0,1,2,3' --batch-size 512 --start-lr 5e-3 --num-epochs 20 --optimizer ranger \  
--log logs/train.log
```

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- Prediction/Inference

```
python train.py --predict --data-test '/path/to/test_files/**/*.root' \  
  --data-config data/ak15_points_pf_sv.yaml \  
  --network-config networks/particle_net_pf_sv.py \  
  --model-prefix /path/to/models/prefix_best_epoch_state.pt \  
  --gpus '0,1,2,3' --batch-size 512 \  
  --predict-output /path/to/output.root
```

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- Start running! (for this tutorial only)

```
cd /PATH/TO/YOUR/SPACE/ParNet_tuto/weaver  
source subjob.sh #submit to cluster  
OR  
source weaver_e2e2h_9c1s_cpu.sh #run on login node
```

Then just wait!

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- **Dataset**

- The dataset prepared for today's tutorial:

The production mode $\mu\mu H$ for the Higgs boson at 240 GeV are studied here, 9 decay modes are used, which are $H \rightarrow c\bar{c}$, $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$, $H \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$, $H \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$, $H \rightarrow gg$, $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$, $H \rightarrow ZZ^*$, $H \rightarrow WW^*$ and $H \rightarrow \gamma Z$, respectively.

For each process, 100 events are generated with WHIZARD 1.9.5 and fed to PYTHIA6 for hadronization, where decays of most intermediate particles, such as W , Z , τ , etc., are also simulated by PYTHIA6 according to its default configuration.

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The momentum resolution of charged tracks is: $\frac{\sigma(p_t)}{p_t} = 2 \times 10^{-5} \oplus \frac{0.001}{p \sin^{3/2} \theta} [\text{GeV}^{-1}]$

The energy resolution of photons is: $\frac{\sigma(E)}{E} = 0.03 \oplus \frac{0.50}{\sqrt{E/(\text{GeV})}}$

The energy resolution of neutral hadrons is: $\frac{\sigma(E)}{E} = 0.01 \oplus \frac{0.20}{\sqrt{E/(\text{GeV})}}$

All the reconstruction efficiencies are assumed to be 100% in the simulation. For impact parameters and particle identification (PID, only e, μ, γ), they are taken directly from the truth of generation.

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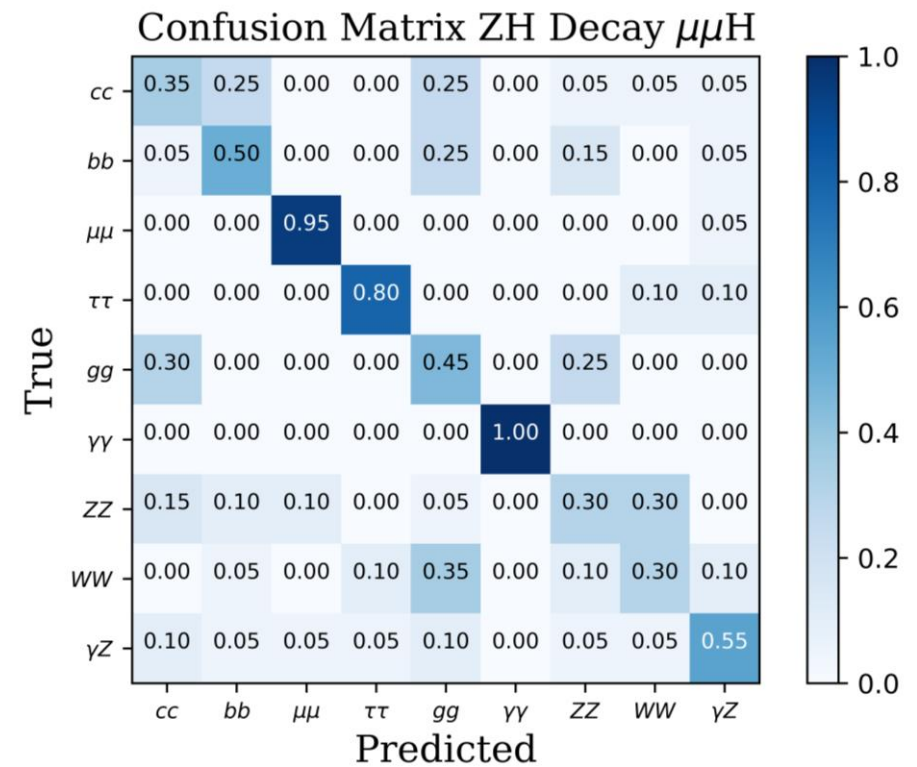
- How to plot a confusion matrix

- confusion matrix:

```
#in weaver conda environment
cd /PATH/TO/YOUR/SPACE/ParNet_tuto/weaver/pltCM
#copy confusion matrix from
#test_e2e2h_9cls_XXXXXXXX_XXXXXX.log and paste it
#in pltCM.py and add some commas
python plotCM.py
```

```
CM = np.array([[0.35, 0.25, 0.0, 0.0, 0.25, 0.0, 0.05, 0.05, 0.05],
               [0.05, 0.5, 0.0, 0.0, 0.25, 0.0, 0.15, 0.0, 0.05],
               [0.0, 0.0, 0.95, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.05],
               [0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.8, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.1, 0.1],
               [0.3, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.45, 0.0, 0.25, 0.0, 0.0],
               [0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 1.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0],
               [0.15, 0.1, 0.1, 0.0, 0.05, 0.0, 0.3, 0.3, 0.0],
               [0.0, 0.05, 0.0, 0.1, 0.35, 0.0, 0.1, 0.3, 0.1],
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```

- Result:



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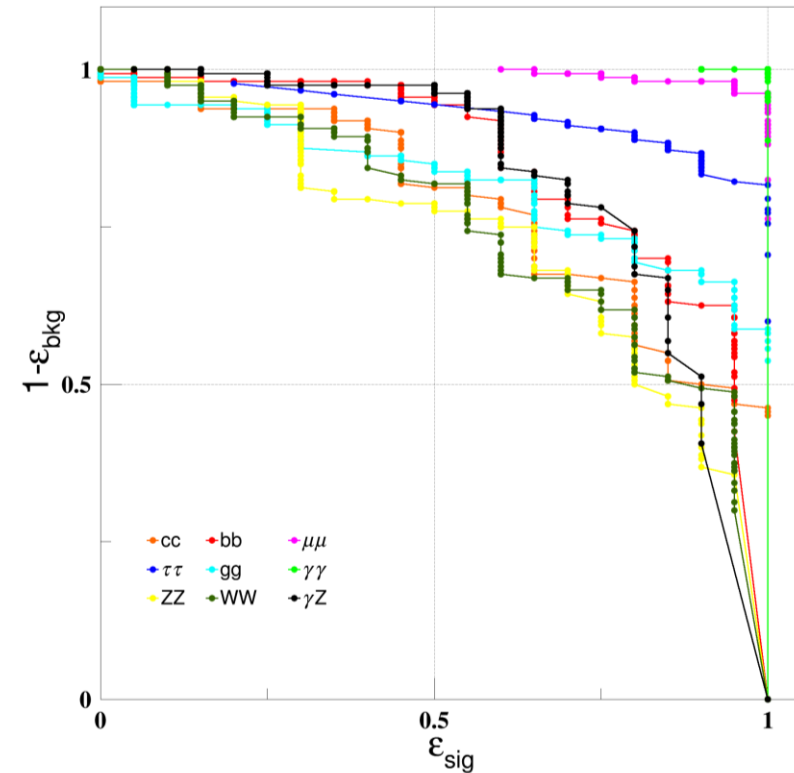
- How to plot ROC curves

- ROC curves:



```
#deactivate conda environment  
cd /PATH/TO/YOUR/SPACE/ParNet_tuto/weaver/pltROC  
vim plotROC.C #change the path in line 11 to your  
#output root file  
#use default root environment  
root plotROC.C
```

- Result:



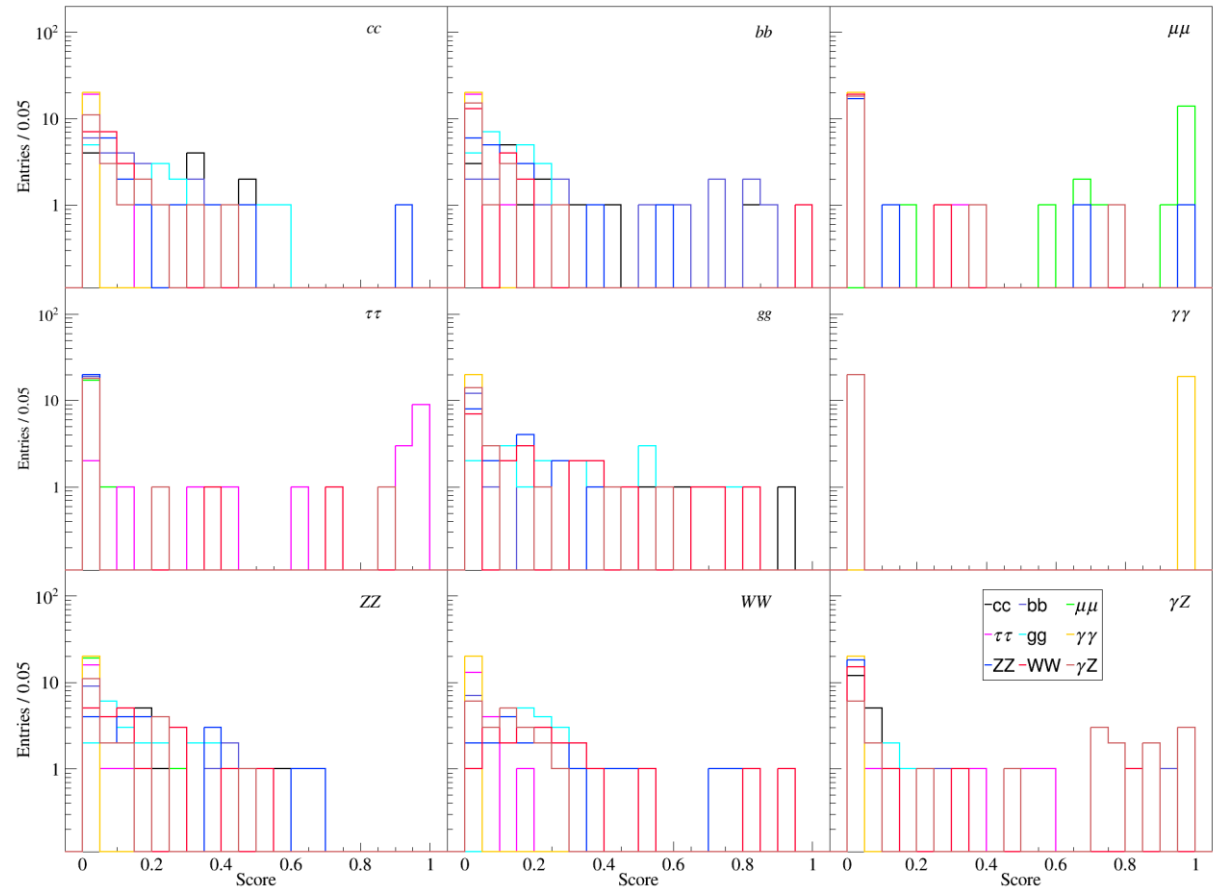
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- How to plot scores

- ROC curves:

```
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#deactivate conda environment  
cd /PATH/TO/YOUR/SPACE/ParNet_tuto/weaver/pltScore  
vim plotScore.C  
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#file  
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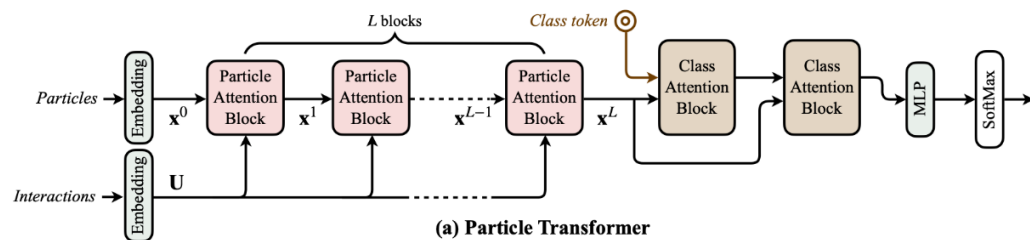
- Result:



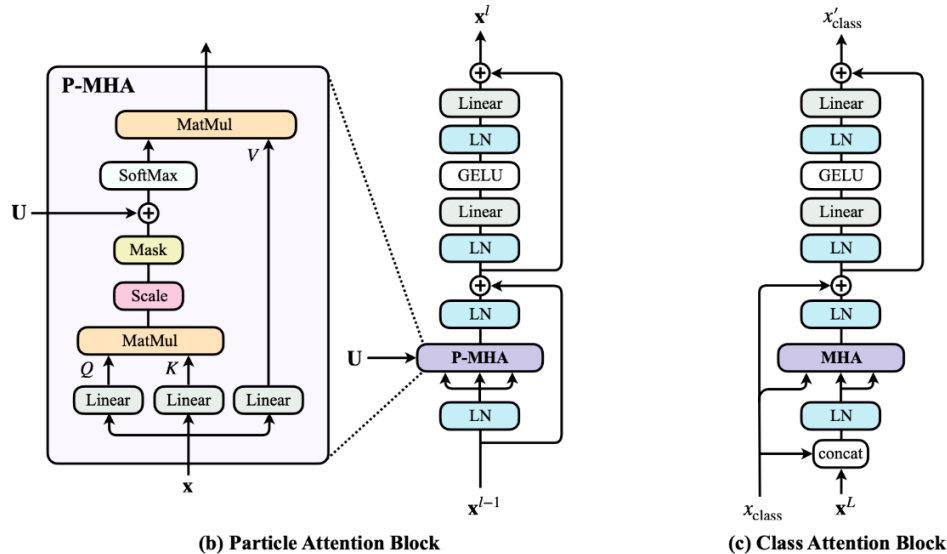
New approach: Particle Transformer

Particle Transformer (ParT)

The Particle Transformer (ParT) architecture is described in "Particle Transformer for Jet Tagging", which can serve as a general-purpose backbone for jet tagging and similar tasks in particle physics. It is a Transformer-based architecture, enhanced with pairwise particle interaction features that are incorporated in the multi-head attention as a bias before softmax. The ParT architecture outperforms the previous state-of-the-art, ParticleNet, by a large margin on various jet tagging benchmarks.



(a) Particle Transformer



(b) Particle Attention Block

(c) Class Attention Block

Github Link:

[Official implementation of "Particle Transformer for Jet Tagging". \(github.com\)](https://github.com)

Indico Link (EPD seminar):

[Jet tagging algorithm respecting Lorentz group symmetry \(September 2, 2022\) · Indico of IHEP \(Indico\)](#)

[ParticleNet](#), [PFN](#), [P-CNN](#) are also implemented in this package using *weaver* ([Github: hqucms/weaver-core](https://github.com/hqucms/weaver-core)) framework

Try new toys!