Simultaneous Track Finding and Track Fitting with Deep Neural Network at BESIII

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Outline



Background and motivation

- BESIII MDC Tracking
- GNN approaches

• Model structure

- Point cloud data
- PointNet and PointNet++
- Clustering and fitting network

• Current results

• Performance

• Next step

- Remain problems and future work
- BESIII tracking dataset for ML
- Summary







BESIII MDC Track Reconstruction



- Track finding
 - Template matching
 - Mathematical transformation (Hough transform, Conformal mapping, Legendre transform)
- Track fitting
 - Least squares fitting
 - Kalman filter





- Why Machine Learning
 - Limited computing resource
 - e.g. HL-LHC
 - Improve traditional tracking algorithms
 - Low transverse momentum
 - Large dip angle
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 - Promising results have been shown [1]
 - Charged particle tracking
 - Secondary Vertex Reconstruction
 - Pileup Mitigation
 - Calorimeter Reconstruction
 - Particle-Flow Reconstruction



Graph Neural Networks on Track Reconstruction

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- ML for tracking
 - Classification of signal and noise
 - Clustering of signal (track finding)
 - Fitting of tracks
- GNN pipeline [2]



- Pros: Graphs can capture inherent sparsity of much ^{0.20} physics data
- Cons: Graph construction is needed, poor result on clustering, originally for pixel detector









Point Cloud and Graph



- Point cloud data
 - Unordered point set as input
 - Invariance under geometric transformations
- Graph data
 - particle tracking data is naturally represented as a graph by identifying hits as nodes and particle trajectories as edges.







| High Energy Physics Data | Papers | Classification ML Method |
|-----------------------------|--------|----------------------------------|
| Jet image | 3.57% | Deep neural networks |
| Event image | 10.71% | Convolutional neural networks |
| Sequences | 7.14% | Recurrent neural networks |
| Trees | 3.57% | Recursive neural networks |
| Graphs | 59.52% | Graph neural networks |
| Sets | 15.48% | Point clouds base networks |



PointNet



- Point cloud data
 - Unordered point set as input
 - Invariance under geometric transformations
- PointNet [3] drawbacks: does not capture local structures
- PointNet++ [4]: added hierarchical structure to capture local features









Track Finding and Track Fitting Neural Network

- PointNet model on BESIII (Main Drift Chamber data)
 - Input data: Hits(wirePos_r, wirePos_phi, rawDriftTime)
 - Output:
 - 1. track index prediction for each hit (clustering)
 - 2. track parameters for each predicted track (fitting)
- Model:





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• Clustering evaluation:

 $\begin{array}{l} \text{hit efficiency} \ = \ \frac{N_{accurately \ predicted \ hits}}{N_{total \ hits \ in \ one \ physical \ track}} \\ \text{hit purity} \ = \ \frac{N_{accurately \ predicted \ hits}}{N_{total \ hits \ on \ one \ predicted \ hits}} \\ \text{track efficiency} \ = \ \frac{N_{tracks \ reconstructed}}{N_{total \ physical \ tracks}} \end{array}$



- Clustering results (Model No.: baseline_polar):
 - Training data set: 120k events $(J/\psi >\rho\pi)$
 - Test set (15k events):
 - Hit eff: 96.41%
 - Hit purity: 94.7%
 - Track eff: 97.17%



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Performance – Track Fitting



- Resolution:
 - Transverse momentum: 14.84 MeV
 - Spatial resolution: 2.448 cm









- Remain problems and future work
 - Clustering problem
 - Physics Inform
 - Integrate into BESIII Offline Software System
 - Network Structure Optimization
- BESIII tracking dataset for Machine Learning
 - Inspired by TrackML dataset[5]
 - Goals:
 - Easier development for different ML methods
 - Performance evaluation under the same dataset
 - Suggestion and try out are welcome!





Summary

- We propose a novel neural network approach for drift chamber tracking
 - An end-to-end multi-trajectory tracking
 - Hit clustering and track estimation simultaneously
- Preliminary performance of this work is promising





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