Fast and reliable dark matter
inference for Euclid strong lensesConor O'Riordan,
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Training data



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Testing systematics

PL only

PL + 1% MP



Allowing for 1% angular perturbations in the lens means...

80%

loss in sensitive area

0.25 dex

loss in sensitivity depth

Dark matter science in Euclid

Now: the first 100s of lenses

- First dark substructure detections
- Measuring multipoles in large lens sample
- 100s of non-detections would be in tension with CDM

Soon: the first 1000 lenses and beyond

- + First constraints on f_{sub}
- + Constraints on LOS mass function
- + ML sensitivity mapping at large scales



EuCAIFCon 2024 Weak supervision for quark/gluon tagging in CMS Open Data (Poster #81)

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Weakly-supervised quark/gluon tagging

- At LHC, High-energy quarks and gluons both lead to *jets.*
- Neural networks are good classifiers, but full supervision inherits large theory uncertainty from simulation.
- Weak supervision allows models to be trained directly on data, using **mixed quark/gluon** samples. Metodiev et al. JHEP10(2017)174





Our study: How do models rank on real data?





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A fast convolutional neural network for online particle track recognition

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Timepix4 and particle dataset

Timepix4 is a **hybrid pixel detector readout** ASIC developed by the **Medipix4 Collaboration** (CERN).

It consists of a **matrix of ~230k pixels** with 55 µm pitch. Each can measure **time-of-arrival** and **time-over-threshold** when hit.





Natural radioactivity dataset acquired with Timepix4 bump-bonded to a **500 μm** thick Silicon sensor.

Dataset size: 4000 Clusters



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Muon

Network structure and performance







Improving Two-Neutron Detection Efficiency on the NEBULA Detector using XGBoost Algorithm

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Background: multi-neutron detection is very important in nuclear physics

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- In the field of nuclear physics, **multi-neutron detection** plays a critical role in revealing specific nuclear properties around neutron drip line
 - > Neutron drip line: The boundary beyond which atomic nuclei are unbound
 - Invariant method: All decay products are required

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Multi-neutron decay: Many drip line nuclei or resonances have more than one decay neutron

Four-neutron resonance states ^[1]



First observation of ²⁸O^[2]



Duer, M., Aumann, T. et al. Nature 606, 678–682 (2022).
 Kondo, Y., Achouri et al. Nature 620, 965–970 (2023).

CrossTalk events and XGBoost method



> Two-neutron Efficiency curve

• Within a smaller relative energy range, the detection efficiency for two-neutron is significantly improved.

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• This performance is very helpful for enhancing the detection of multi neutrons.





CrossTalk

Two-

neutron

Different numbers of features

- Using the same number of features as conventional methods, XGBoost methods do not have obvious advantages.
 After adding other features including relative energy.
- After adding other features including relative energy, XGBoost demonstrates its ability to classify in high-dimensional spaces..



Leaf node

(The classification mark score)