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Deep Learning-based Tagger for Boosted WW(*) Semi-leptonic Decays at ATLAS

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Identifying $^{(*)} \rightarrow \ell \nu q q$ from heavy particle decays at the LHC is an important but challenging problem due to overlapping lepton and jet signatures. We have developed a deep learning-based $^{(*)}$ tagger which learns from simulated calorimeter features to identify boosted $^{(*)}$ decays to semileptonic final states from $t\bar{t}$ and di-jet backgrounds in ATLAS. In this talk, we present the methods applied to the tagger development in the electron channel and some preliminary performance results on simulated ATLAS events at $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV.

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