

# CALOFLOW for *CaloChallenge*

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# Motivation

- Generating calorimeter showers with GEANT4 is **major computational bottleneck** at LHC
- Urgent need for **fast and accurate** calorimeter simulation
- Developed methods based on **normalizing flows** and applied them to *CaloChallenge* datasets

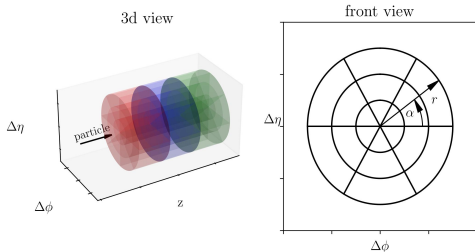
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  - Results (preliminary)

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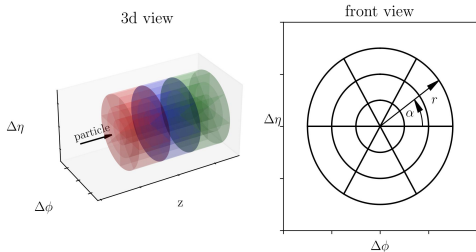
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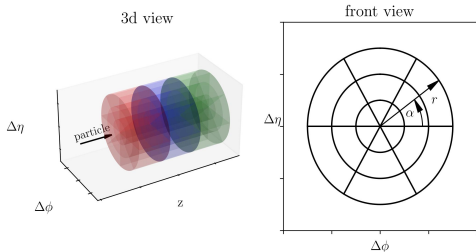
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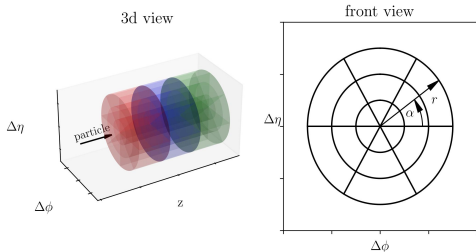
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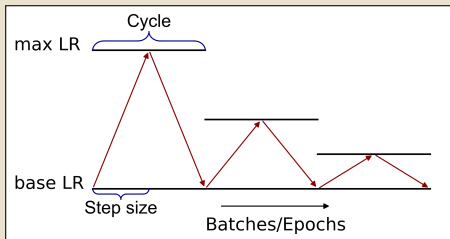
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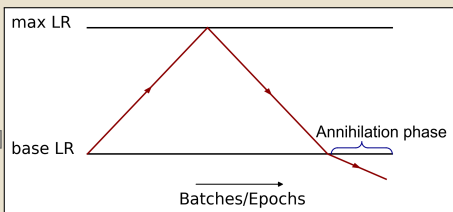
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## Cyclic LR

Regular:  
Smith [IEEE, 2017]

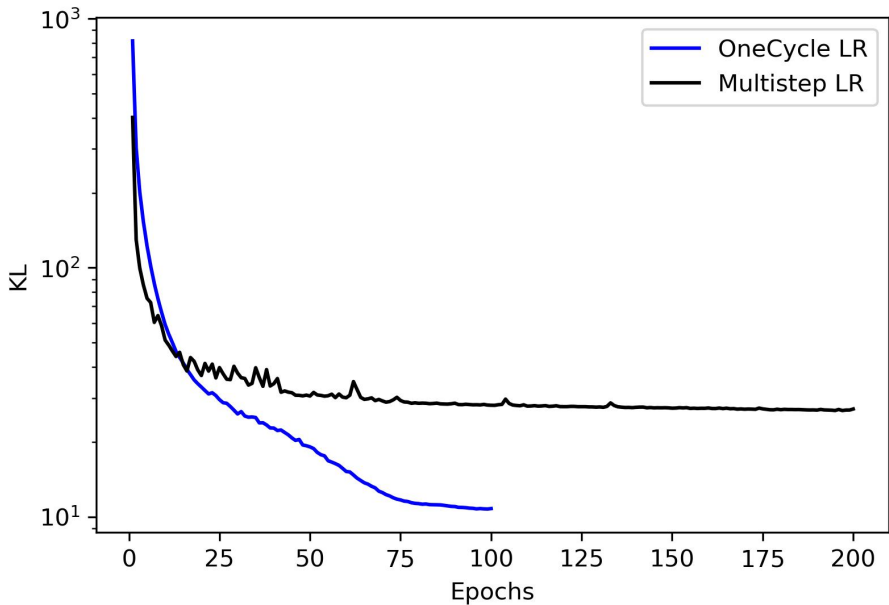


OneCycle:  
Smith et al. [SPIE, 2019]



Fewer epochs  
required for  
lower loss

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  - 1 Voxel energies  $\vec{I}$
  - 2 Incident energies  $E_{\text{inc}}$
- High-level features:
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  - 2 Layer energies  $E_i$
  - 3 Centers of energy in  $\eta$  and  $\phi$  directions + their widths

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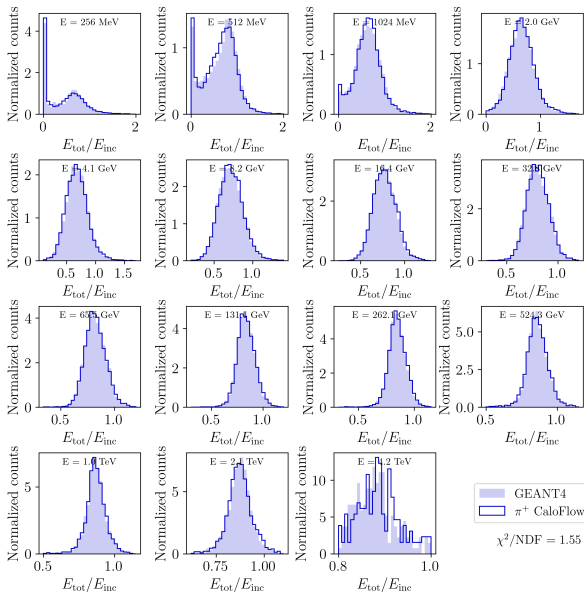
All AUC and JSD much below 1 (less is better)  $\implies$  **High-fidelity!**

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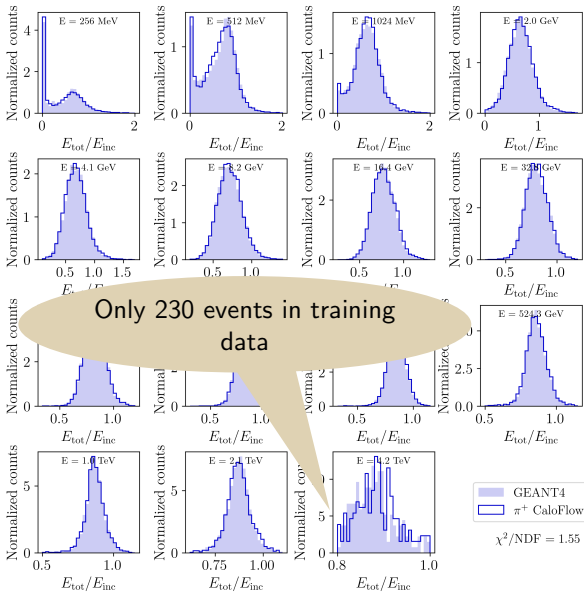
Mikuni et al. [arXiv:2206.11898]



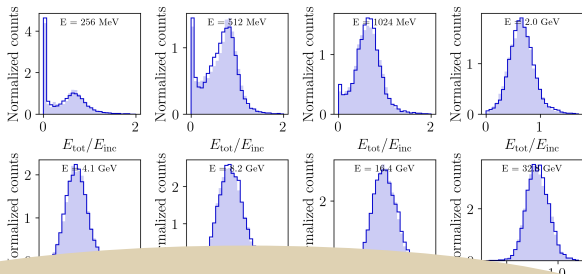
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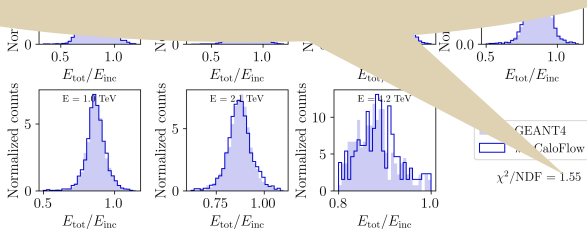
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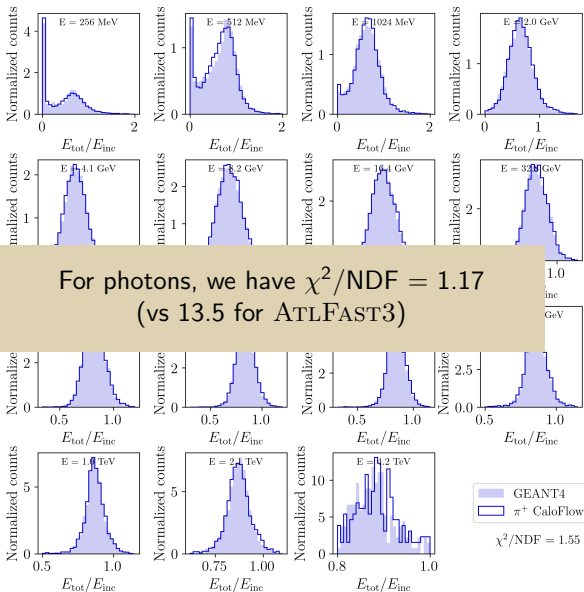
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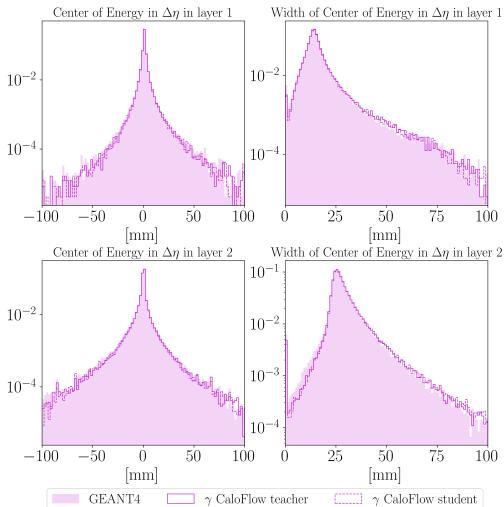
$\chi^2/\text{NDF} = 1.55$   
(vs 12.7 for ATLF3 [arXiv:2109.02551])



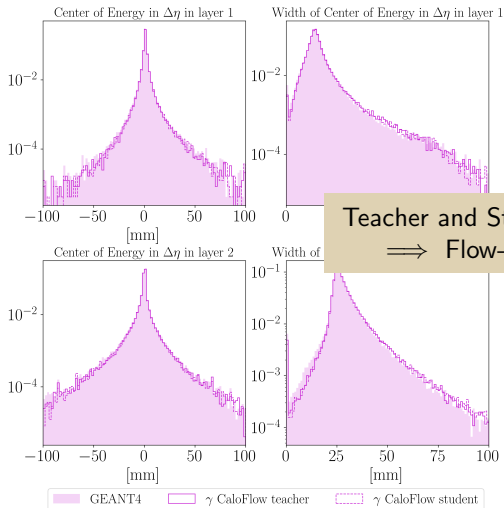
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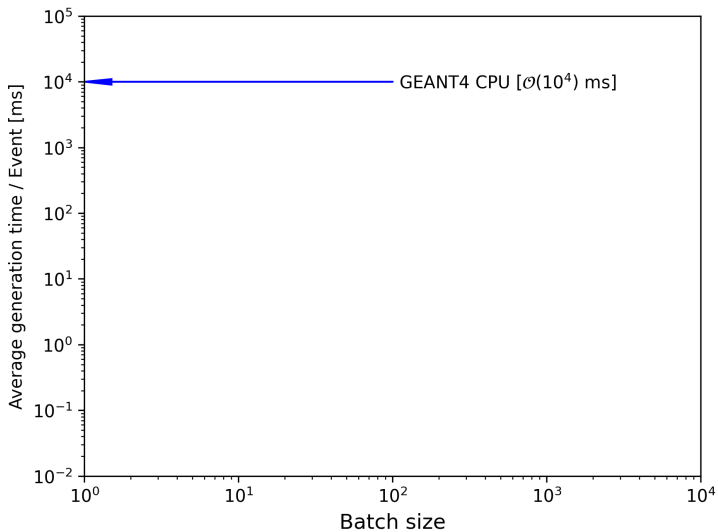
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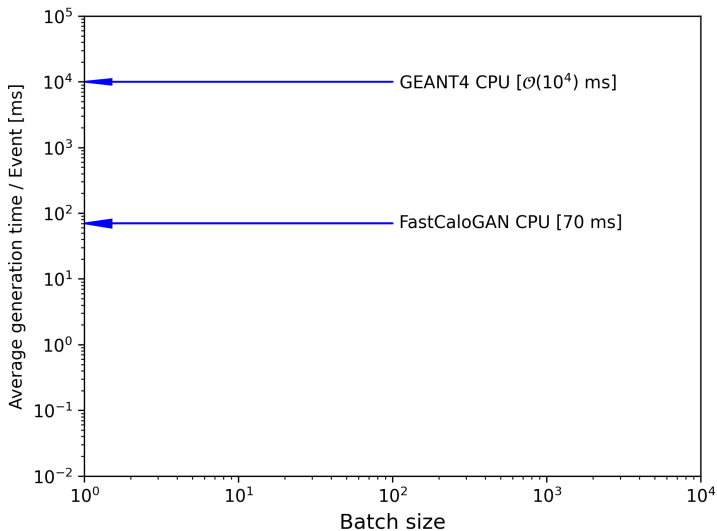
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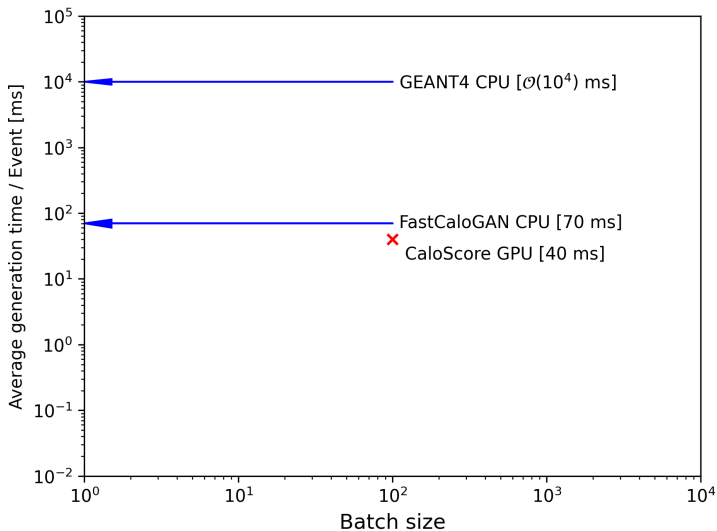


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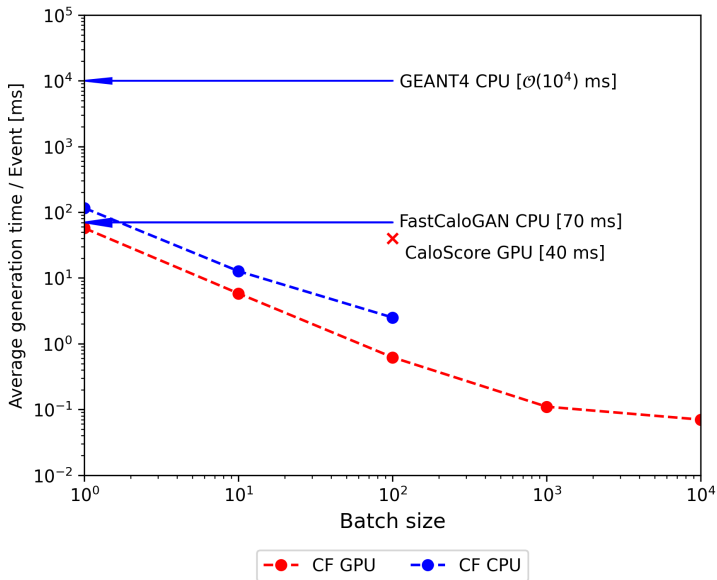




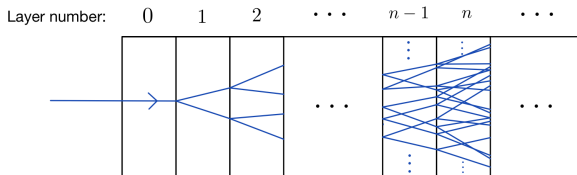
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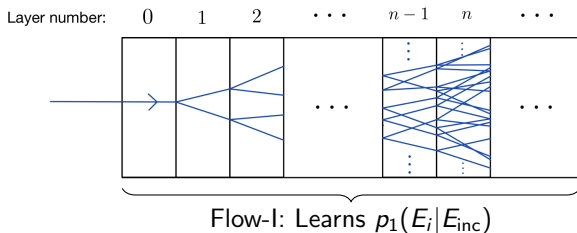


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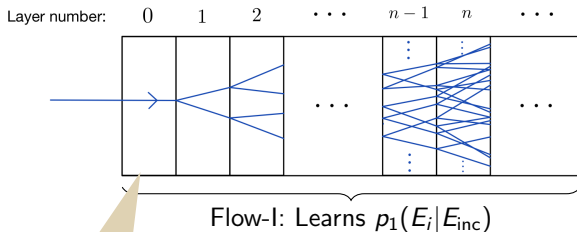


- DS 2 has  $\mathcal{O}(10)$  more voxels than DS 1
- DS 3 has  $\mathcal{O}(100)$  more voxels than DS 1
- Training time  $\propto N_{\text{voxels}} \implies$  Inefficient to directly apply CALOFLOW!
- Here we need **ICALOFLOW**!

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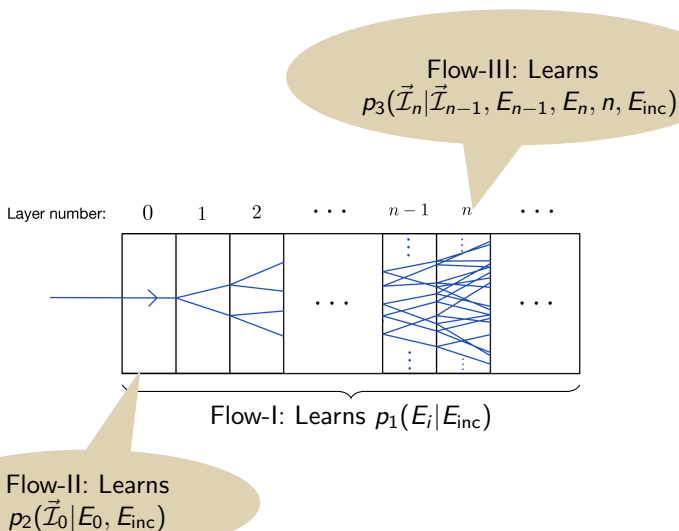


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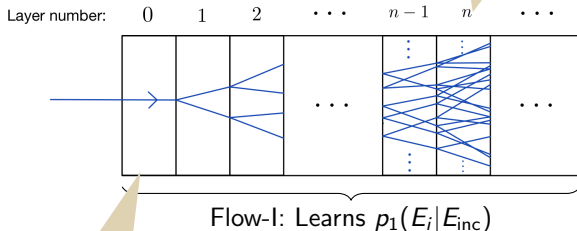
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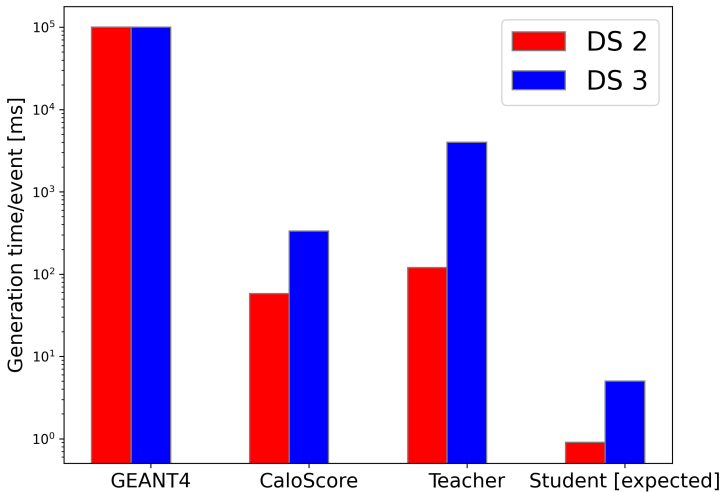
Flow-III is trained simultaneously over  $\vec{\mathcal{I}}_n$  for  $n > 0$ . Saves on memory footprint.

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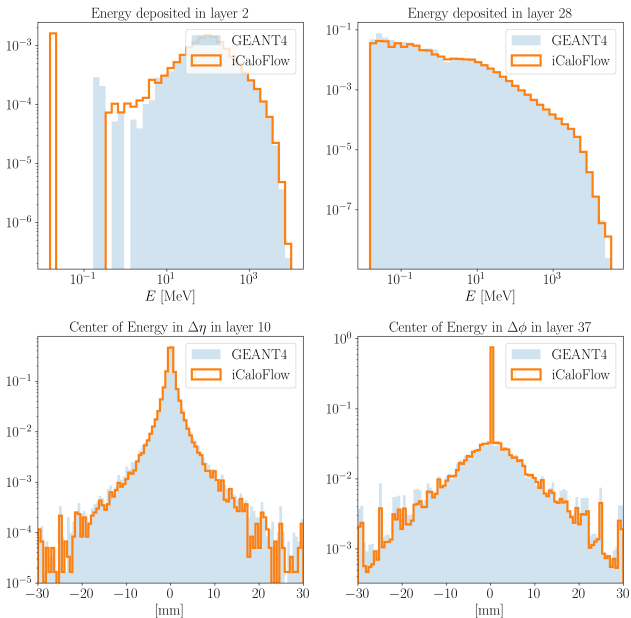


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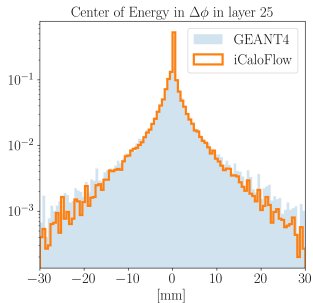
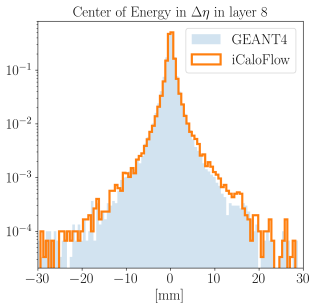
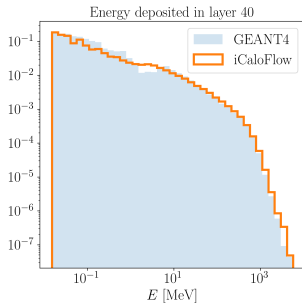
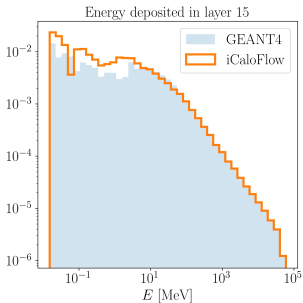
AUC / JSD		DNN based classifier GEANT4 vs. ICALOFLOW (teacher)
DS 2	low-level	0.823(3)/ 0.263(6)
	high-level	0.860(2)/ 0.329(5)
DS 3	low-level	0.8892 / 0.4112
	high-level	0.9306 / 0.5239

In comparison, CALOSCORE has AUC = 0.98 for low-level features in both DS.

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## (2) ICALOFlow on DS 2 & 3

- Inductively learn each layer (Good for high dim)
- Promising results for teacher (MAF)
- Future work: Train student model to speed up sample generation

# Backup

# Dataset 1

- 1 Voxelized version of ATLAS detector config with  $\eta \in [0.2, 0.25]$
- 2 Used to train **FastCaloGAN** of AtI Fast3 [2109.02551, Comput.Softw.Big Sci.]
- 3 **121000** photon showers & **120230** charged pion showers

10.5281/zenodo.6368338

	Number of voxels	Number of layers
$\gamma$	368	5
$\pi^+$	533	7

CALOFLOW algorithm works well here!

## Datasets 2 and 3

100k electron showers  
in simulated detector

### Dataset 2

- 1 45 calorimeter layers
- 2 144 voxels per layer
- 3  $144 \times 45 = 6480$  voxels!
- 4  $\mathcal{O}(10)$  more voxels than DS 1

10.5281/zenodo.6366271

### Dataset 3

- 1 45 calorimeter layers
- 2 900 voxels per layer
- 3  $900 \times 45 = 40500$  voxels!
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Here we need inductive CALOFLOW (**iCALOFLOW**)!

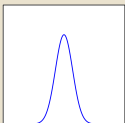


# Normalizing flows in generative modelling

## Basic idea

Efficient coordinate transformations (Think tractable Jacobian!)

“easy” base  
distribution

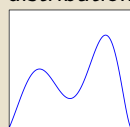


$\Leftrightarrow$

bijection transformation

$\Leftrightarrow$

“target”  
distribution



$$p(x) = \pi(f(x)) \left| \det \frac{\partial f(x)}{\partial x} \right|$$

density estimation,  $p(x)$



sample generation



# Normalizing flows in generative modelling

- Rational Quadratic Splines (RQS) chosen as transformations

Durkan et al. [arXiv:1906.04032], Gregory/Delbourgo [IMA J. of Num. An., '82]

- NFs learn parameters  $\theta$  of a composition of RQS

Dinh et al. [arXiv:1410.8516], Rezende/Mohamed [arXiv:1505.05770]

- Autoregressive architecture (MAF/IAF) ensures triangular Jacobian for fast evaluation

## MAF (Teacher)

Papamakarios et al. [arXiv:1705.07057]

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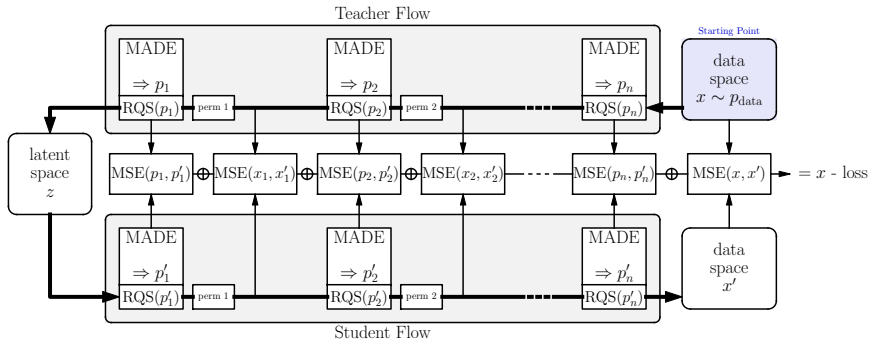
## IAF (Student)

Kingma et al. [arXiv:1606.04934]

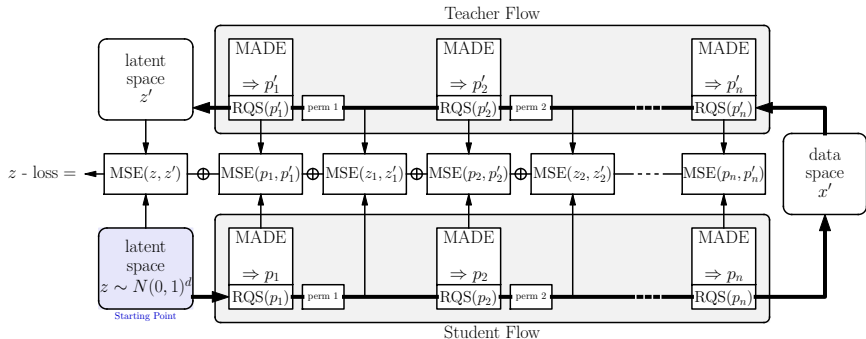
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van den Oord et al. [arXiv:1711.10433]

# PDD (x-loss)



# PDD (z-loss)



# Training time

		Number of training epochs (Training time)	
		Teacher	Student
$\gamma$	flow-I	100 (46 min)	-
	flow-II	100 (77 min)	100 (360 min)
$\pi^+$	flow-I	100 (52 min)	-
	flow-II	100 (119 min)	150 (658 min)

# Main updates to CALOFLOW

## (1) Unit-space definition

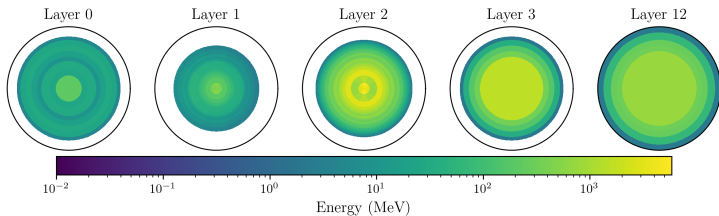
- Layer energies transformed to  $\vec{u} \in [0, 1]^{M_{\text{layers}}}$
- $u_0 = \frac{\sum_{i=0}^{M_{\text{layers}}} E_i}{E_{\text{inc}}}$  is sometimes  $> 1$
- **Solution: Rescale by  $\max(u_0)$**

## (2) $\pi^+$ flow-I noise level

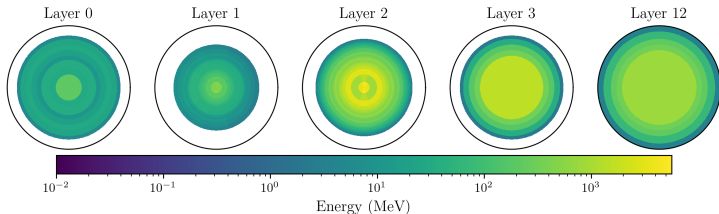
- Higher noise level  $\rightarrow$  Poor performance learning  $\pi^+$  layer energies
- **Solution: Use lower noise level for  $\pi^+$  flow-I**

# $\gamma$ Shower images

Shower average photon student

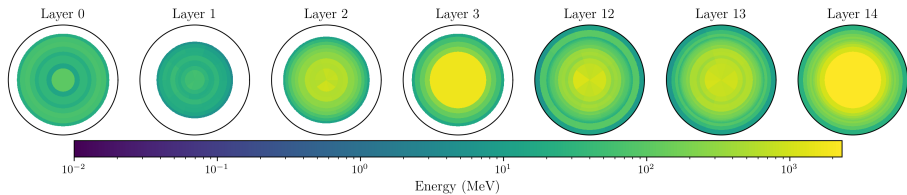


Shower average GEANT4 photon reference dataset

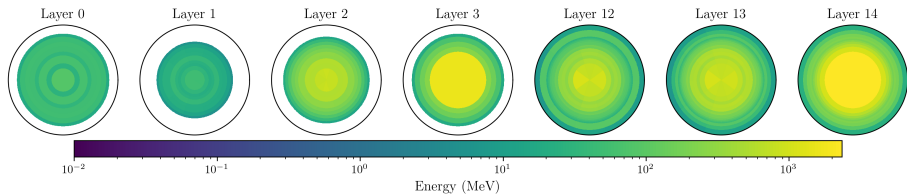


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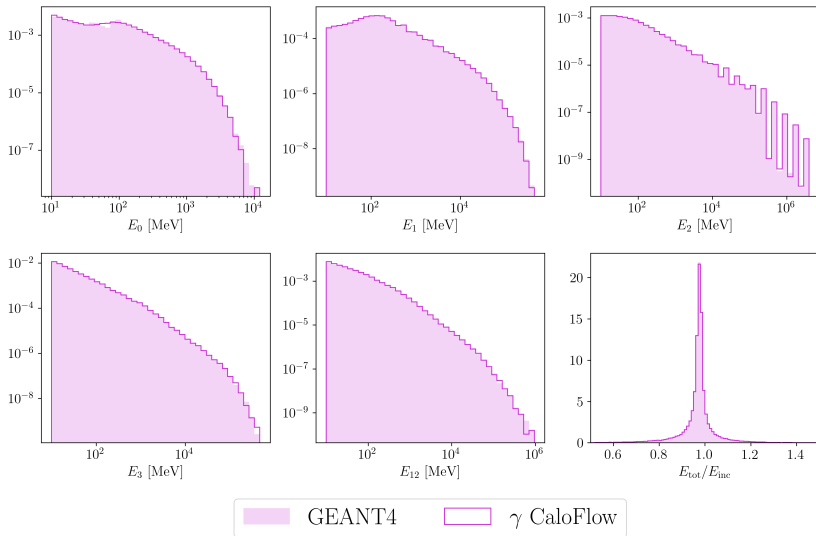


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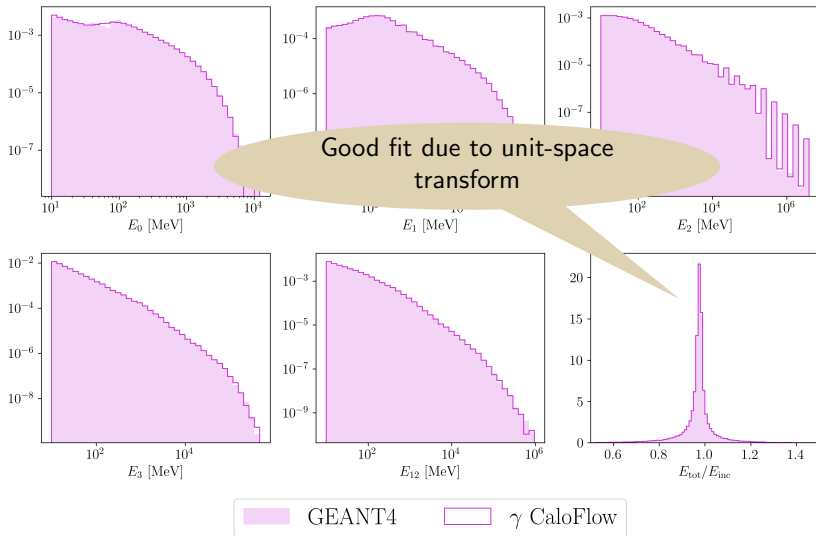




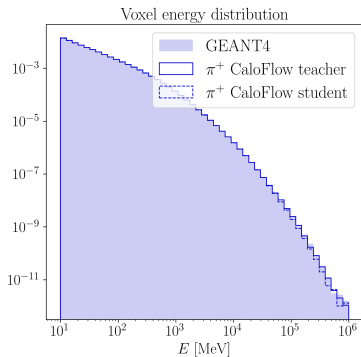
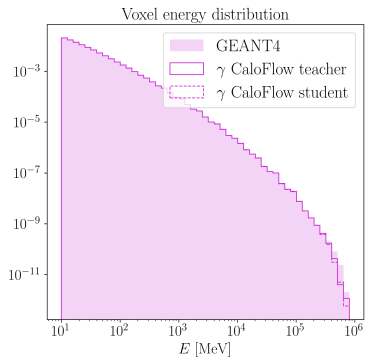
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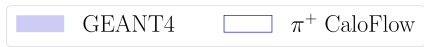
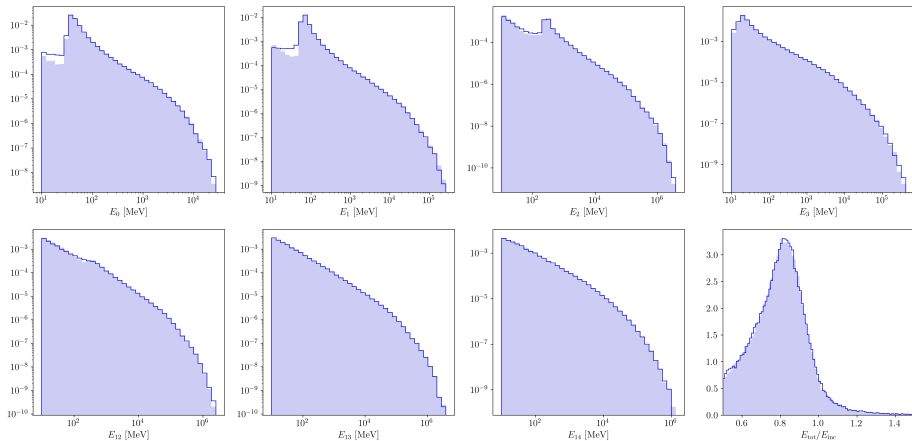
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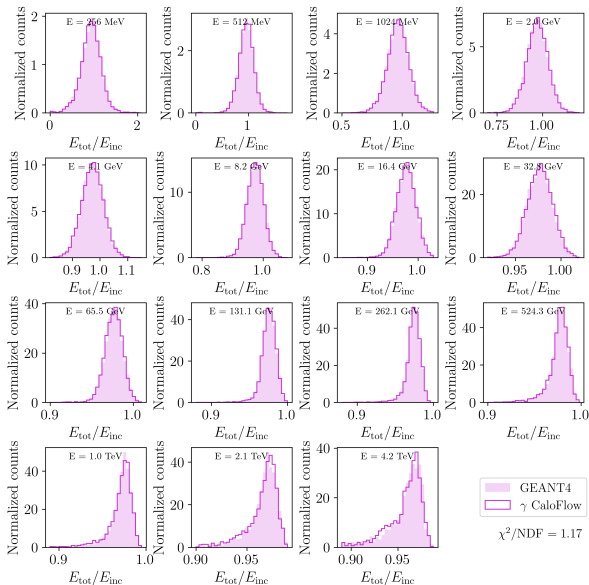
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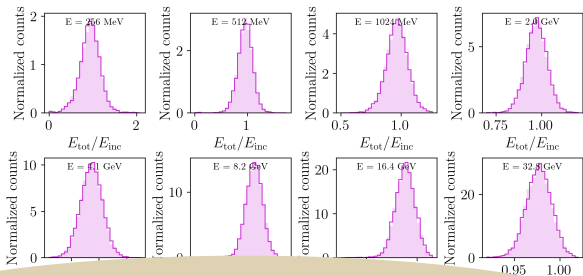
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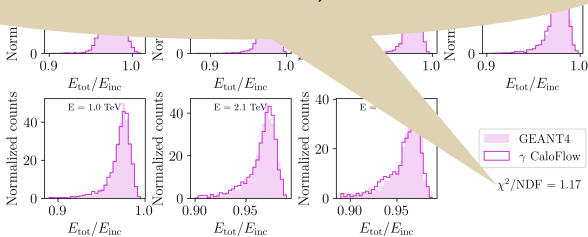
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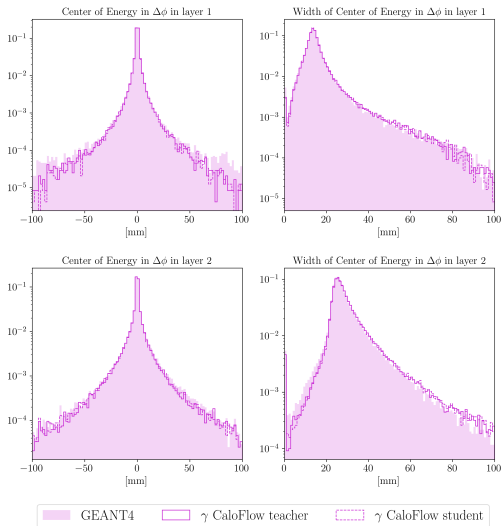
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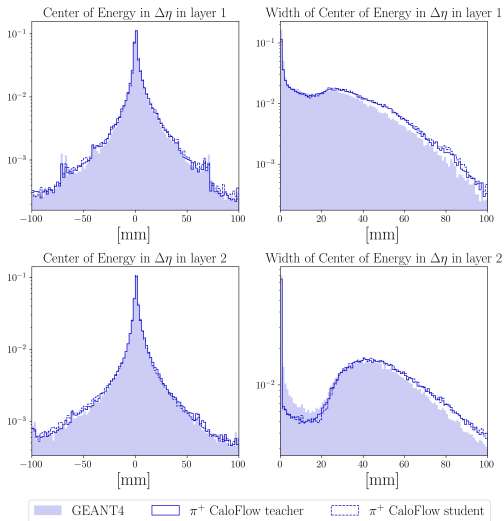
$\chi^2/\text{NDF} = 1.17$  (vs 13.5 for ATLFAST3  
[arXiv:2109.02551])



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