

Towards end-to-end particle flow in high granularity detectors

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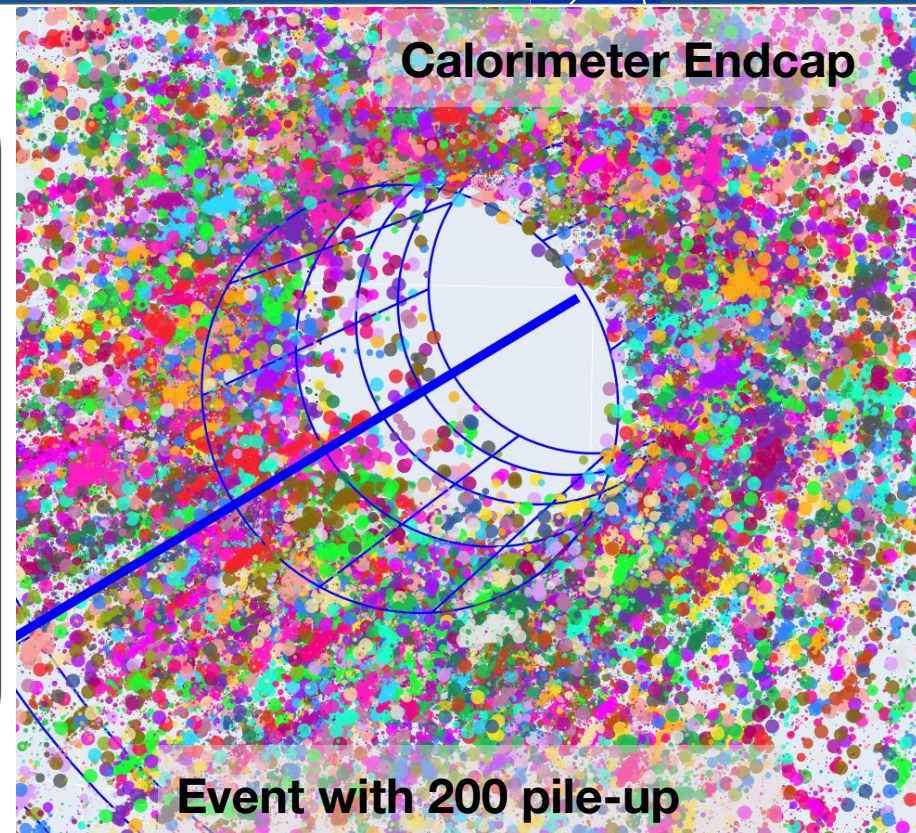
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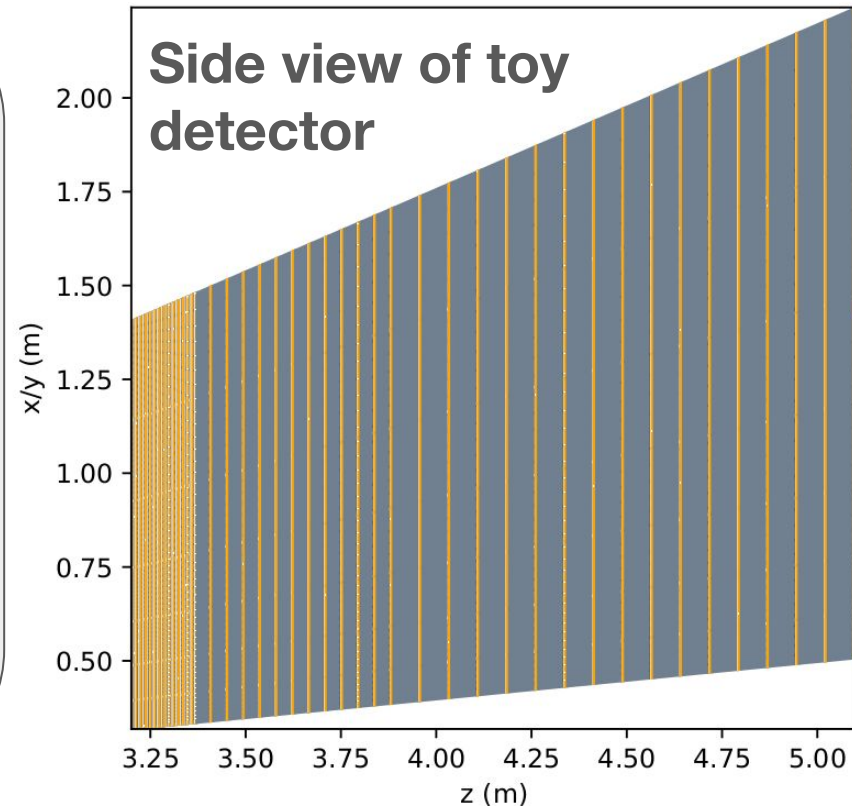
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- New Highly Granular Calorimeters pose challenges due to their more complex events
(~250k hits, ~5k showers / endcap)
- Track information can improve clustering performance in high pile-up environments
- Particle ID and correction factors for energies can be learnt on top of clustering
- “Precluster” algorithms speed up training time and inference time



- Simulation of calorimeter endcap closely inspired by the CMS HGCAL
 - simpler geometry
 - slightly more readout channels
 - comparable complexity of events
- Covering $1.5 < \eta < 3.0$
- Silicon sensors rectangular in η and φ
- Tracks added in front of calorimeter
 - functionally like 'hits in front of calorimeter'
 - include blurred true momentum
 - no fake tracks
- Standalone simulation with GEANT4



Dynamic Graphs

[GravNet Architecture](#)

- Learn coordinates in latent **GravNet Space**
- Build edges to nearest neighbors
- Exchange information
- Significantly faster than comparable DGCNN

Object Condensation

[Object Condensation Loss](#)

- Learn coordinates and confidence in **Cluster Space**
- Build repulsive and attractive potentials scaled with confidence
- Minimize potentials

Dynamic Graphs

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Large architectures leading to long training times (weeks)

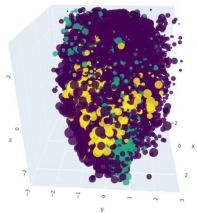
Clustering Loss

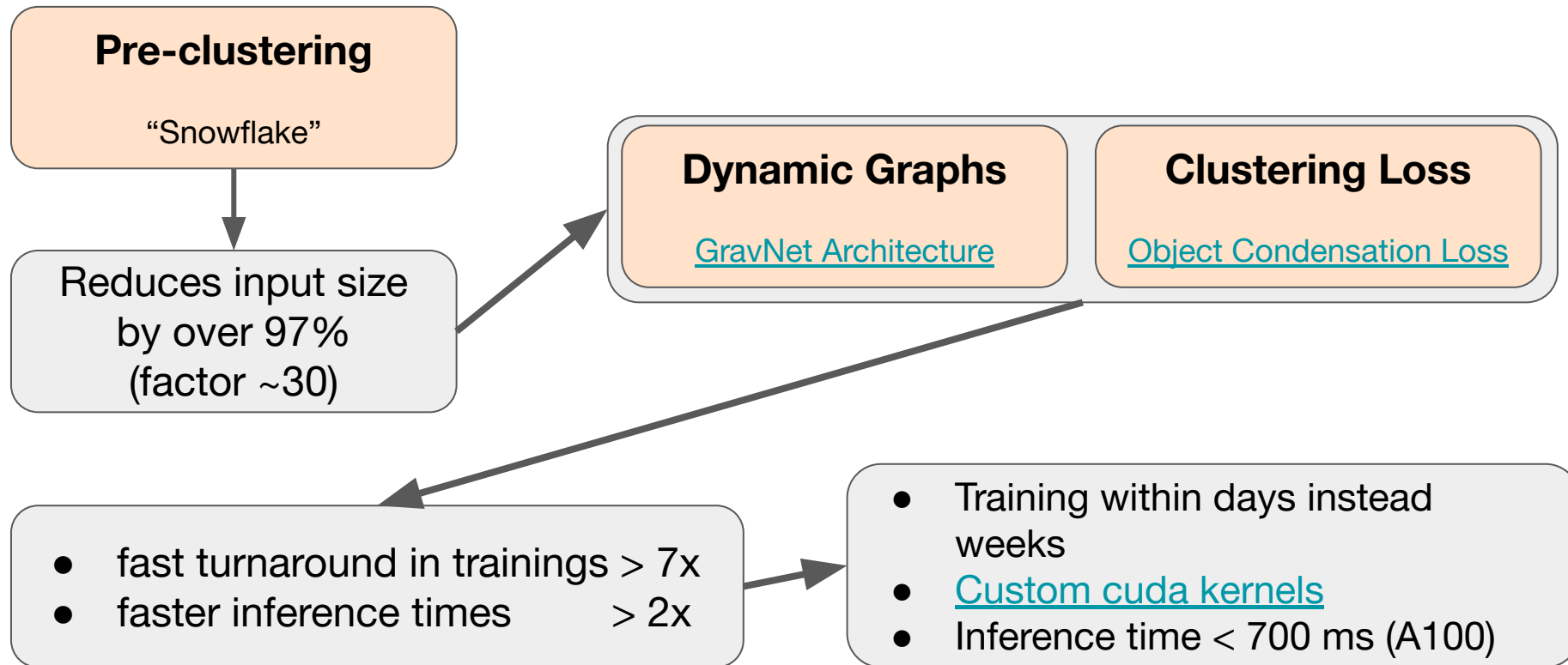
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Full 200 pile-up events too big to train (memory constraints)

Slow trainings only possible with incomplete data (30° slices of pile-up)

Presentation at [Connecting The Dots](#)

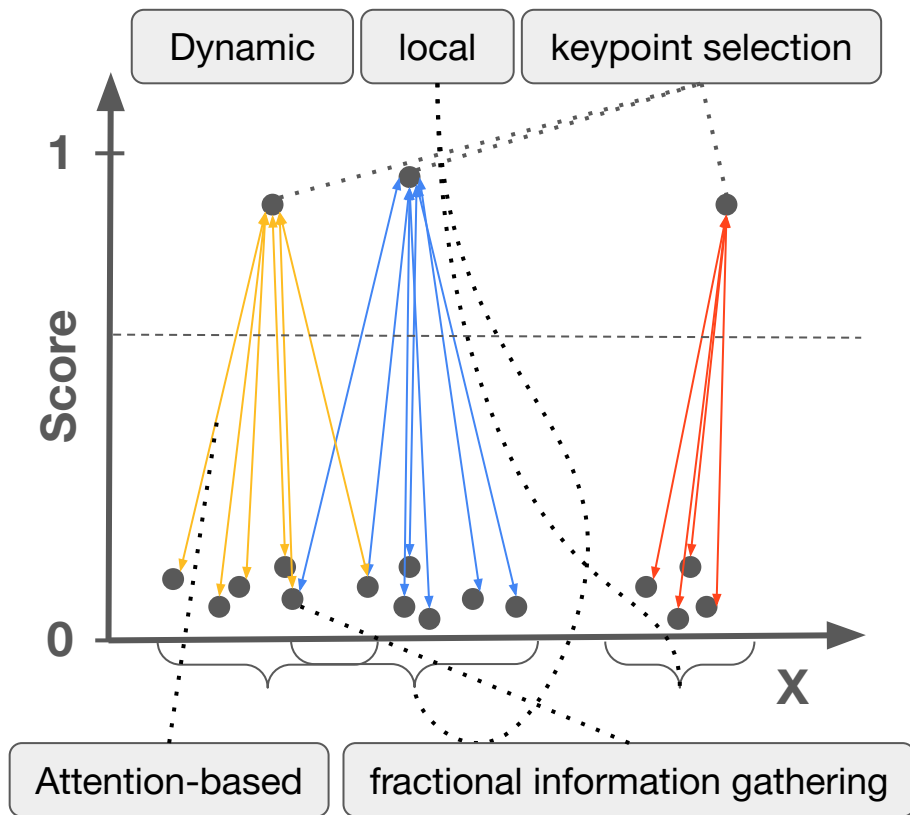
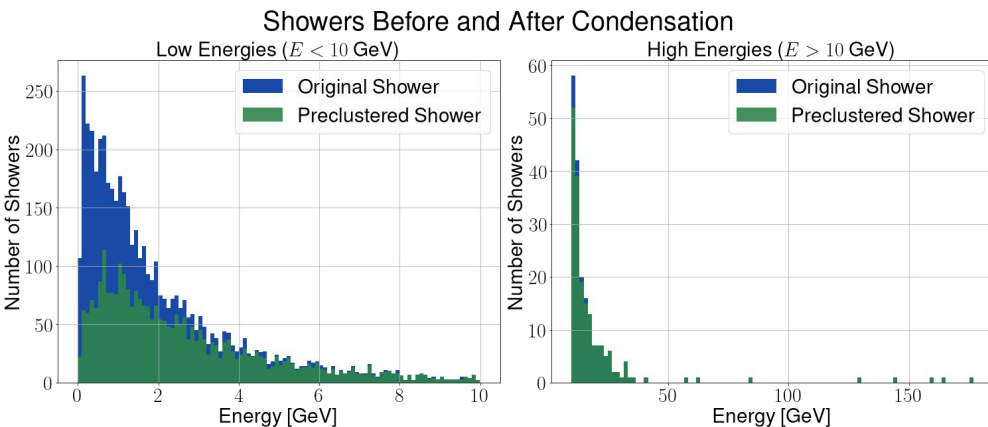




“Snowflake Preclustering”

Key Points:

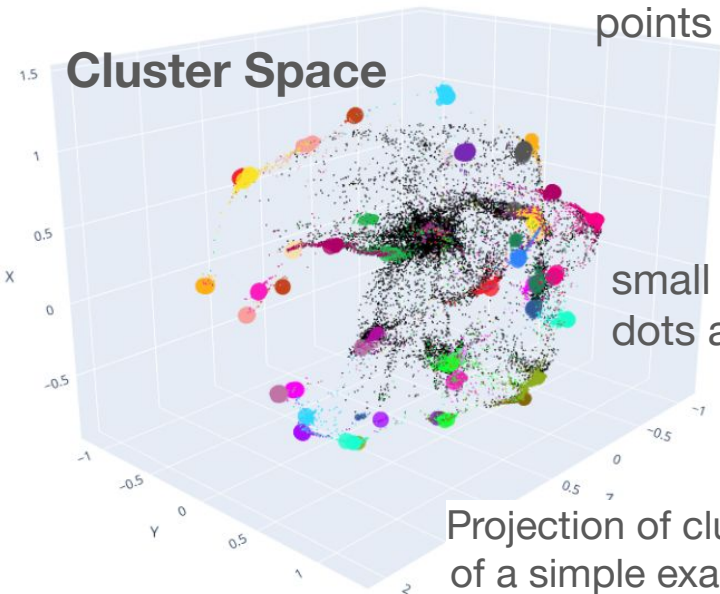
- Reduce input data by condensing information into representative points
- Keep at least one point for every shower with $E > 5$ GeV
- Reduction from ~ 270 k hits to 7k hits!



Large colorful points are **condensation points**

Showers are defined by **spheres** around condensation points

Cluster Space

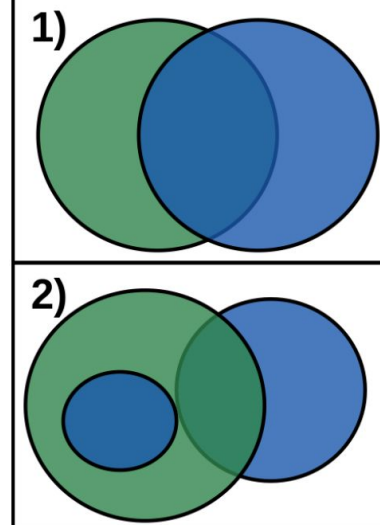


small black dots are **noise**

Projection of cluster space of a simple example event

Matching is performed based on showers' **intersection over union (IoU)** with a preference to matching on tracks

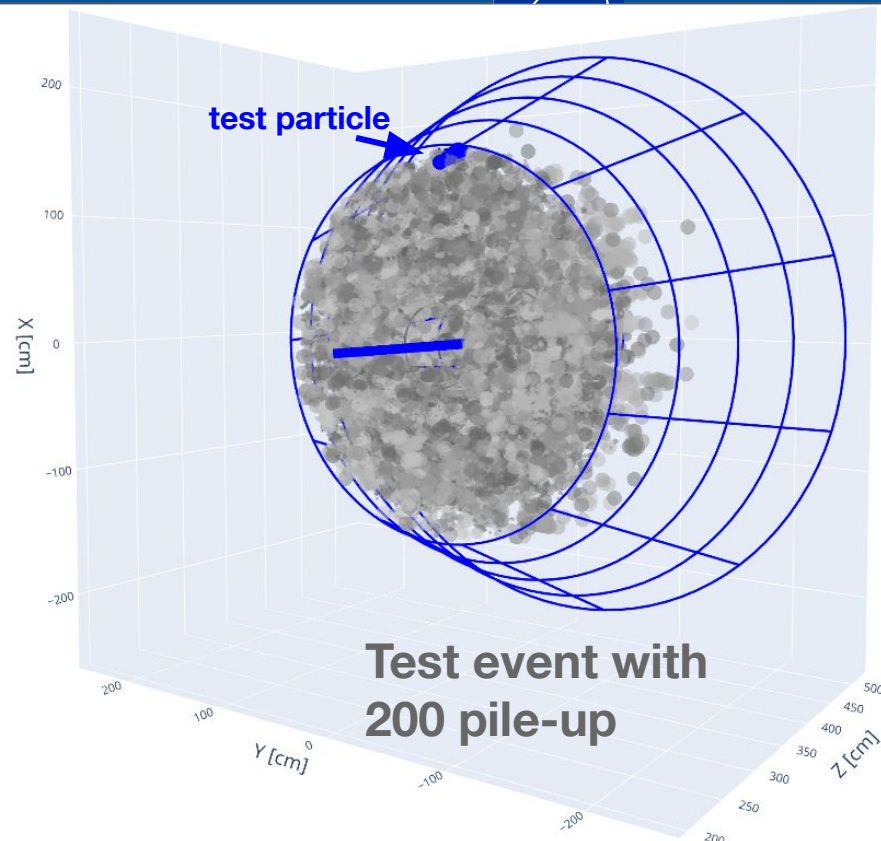
1. Showers matched if **IoU** > threshold
2. Two bad candidates for matching. Shower might be matched if it shares a track



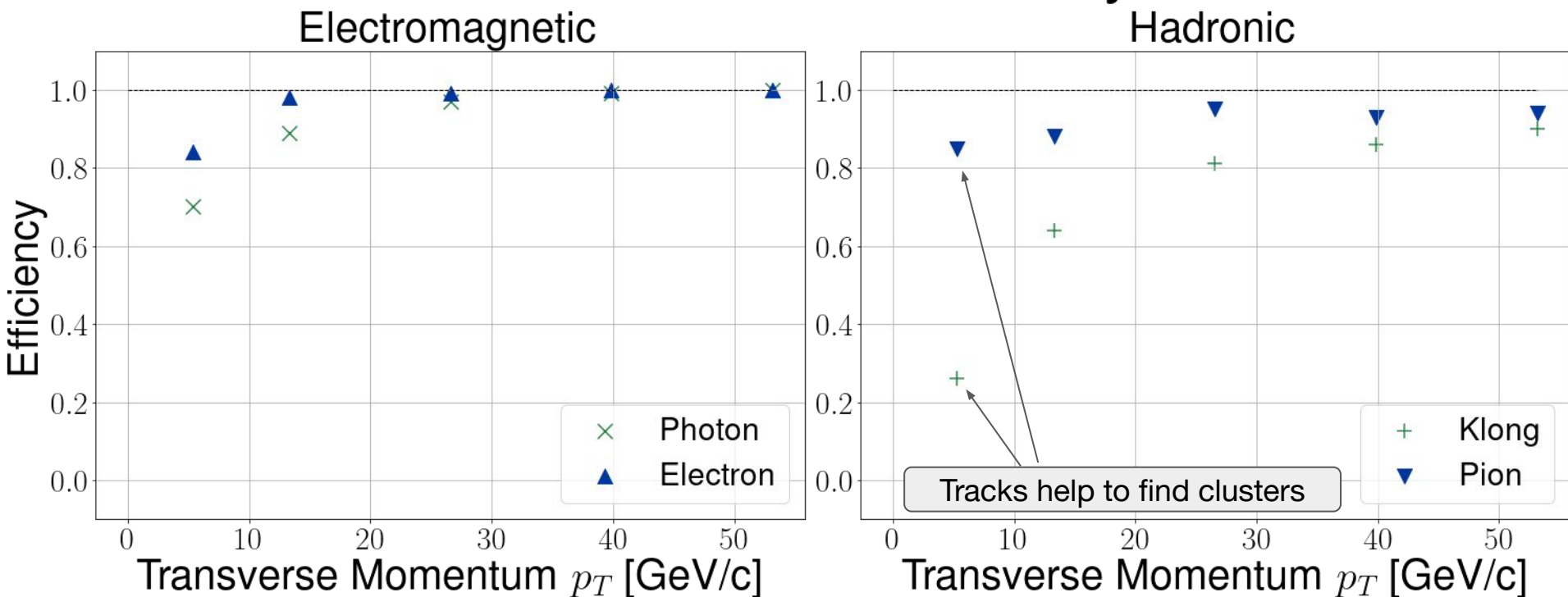
Strict matching criteria lead to better resolution at the cost of efficiency

Test data sets contain

- Single Photon, Electron, Pion, or K-long
- Random azimuthal direction at $\eta = 2.0$
- Monochromatic energies
 - $E = 20 \text{ GeV}$ $p_T = 5.3 \text{ GeV}/c$
 - $E = 50 \text{ GeV}$ $p_T = 13.3 \text{ GeV}/c$
 - $E = 100 \text{ GeV}$ $p_T = 26.6 \text{ GeV}/c$
 - $E = 150 \text{ GeV}$ $p_T = 39.9 \text{ GeV}/c$
 - $E = 200 \text{ GeV}$ $p_T = 53.2 \text{ GeV}/c$
- Overlay of 200 minimum bias proton-proton collisions at 14 TeV, simulated with PYTHIA
- Gaussian noise representing detector noise



Reconstruction Efficiency



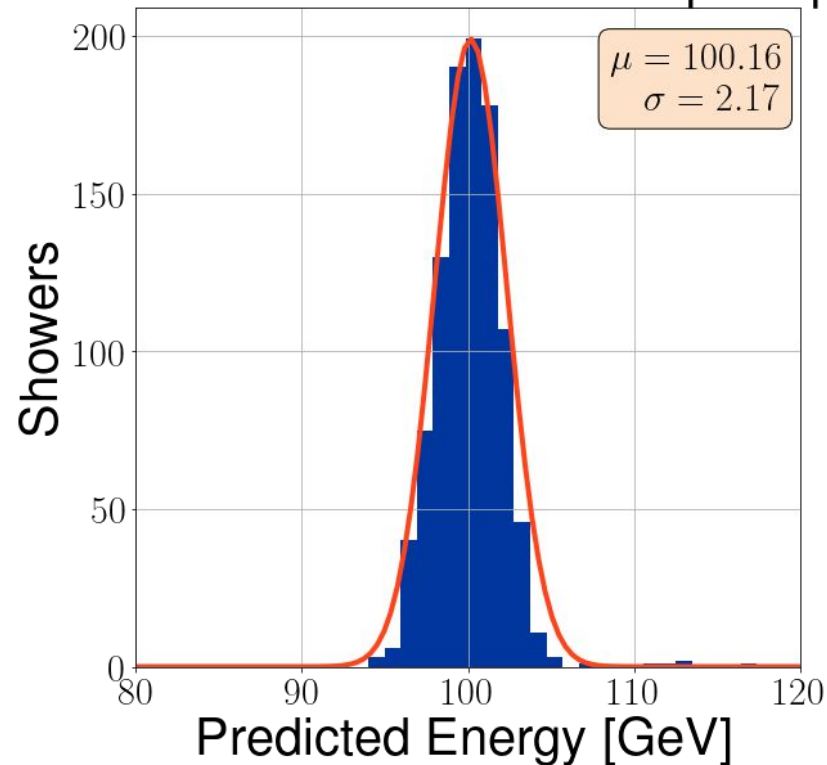
Response:

$$\frac{\mu(E_{\text{pred}})}{E_{\text{true}}}$$

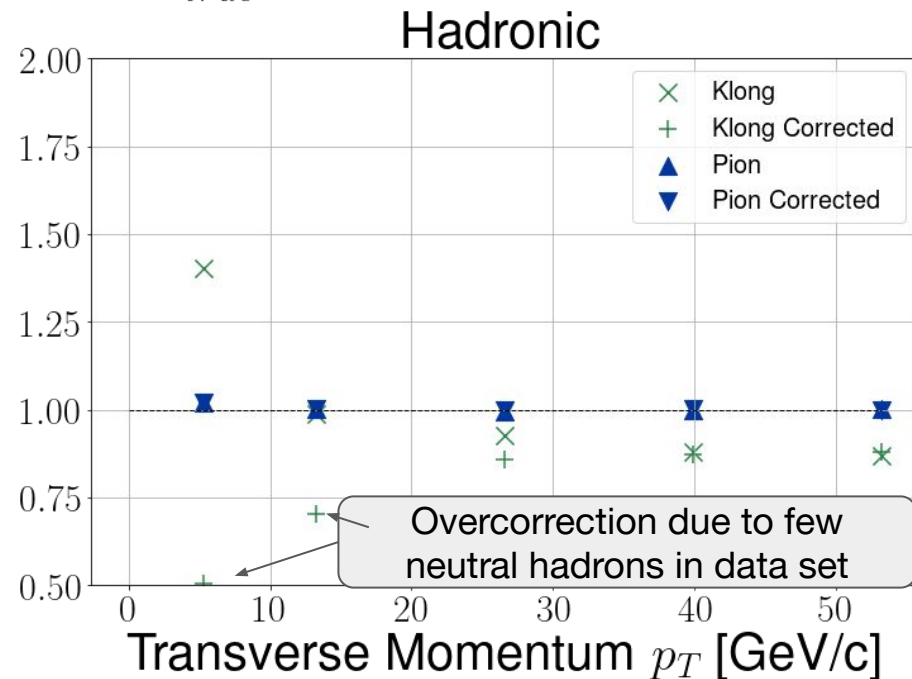
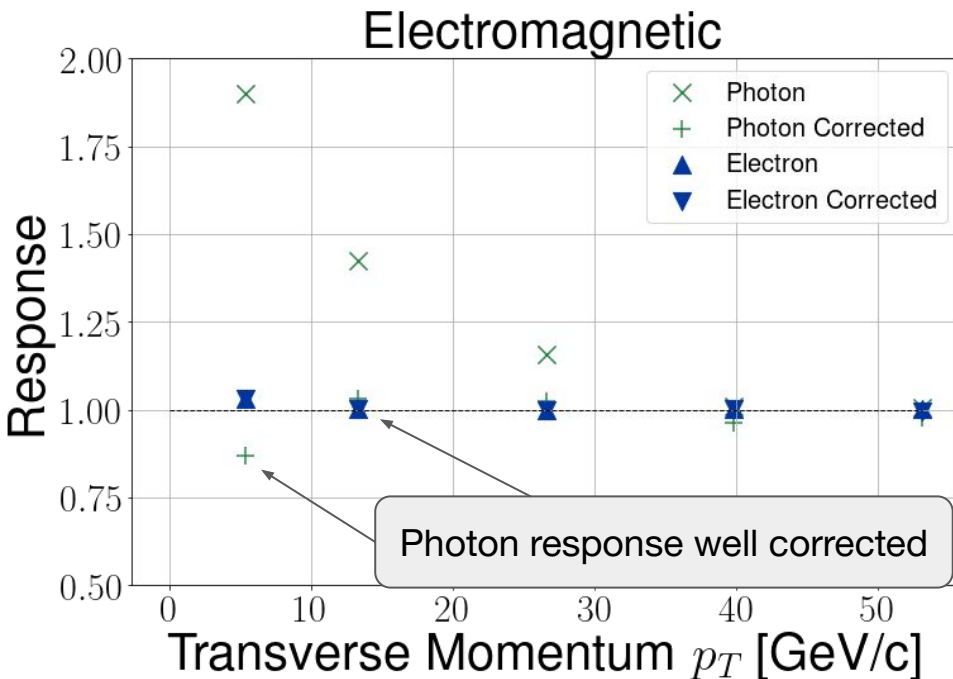
Resolution:

$$\frac{\sigma(E_{\text{pred}})}{\mu(E_{\text{pred}})}$$

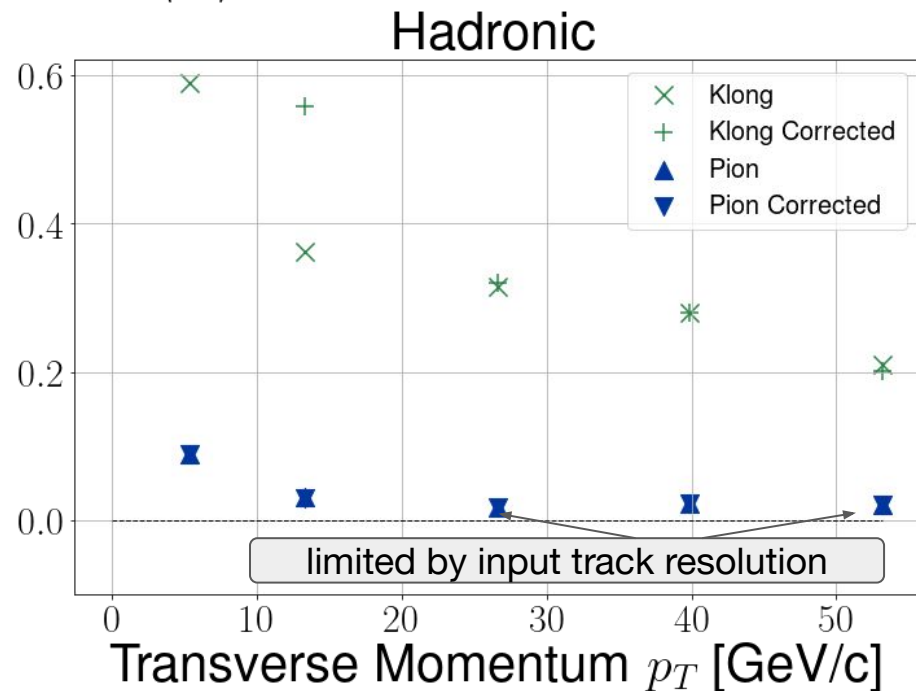
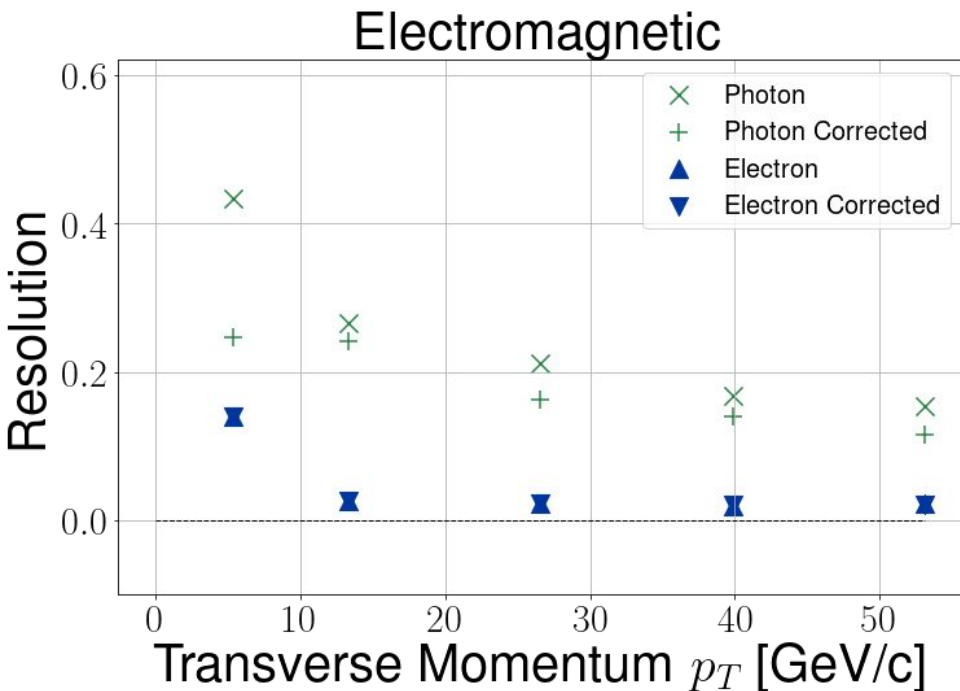
Electrons 100 GeV in 200 pile-up

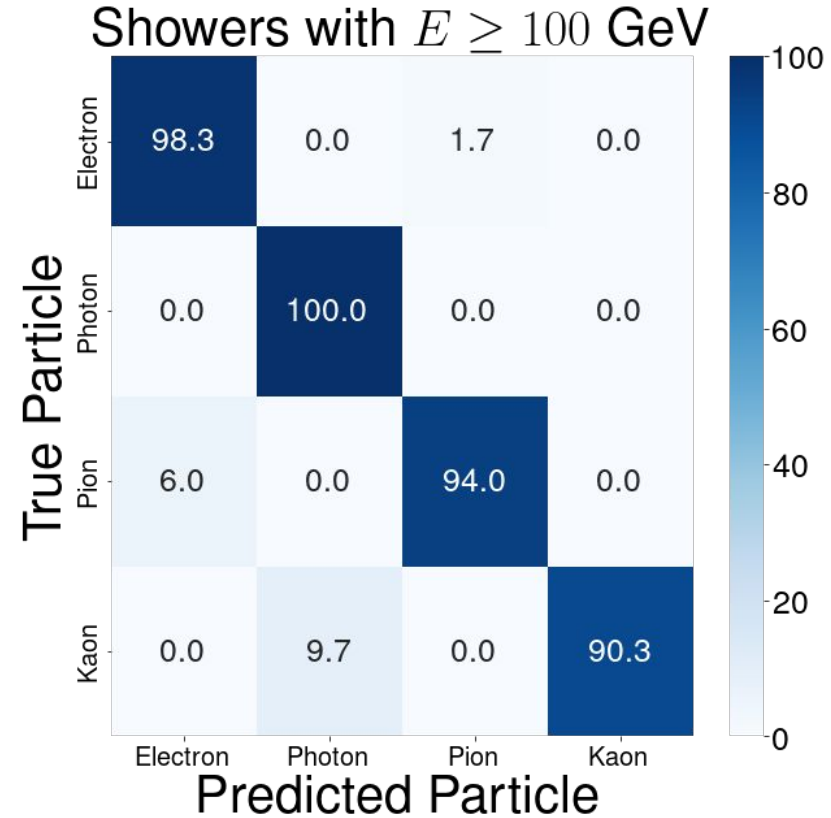
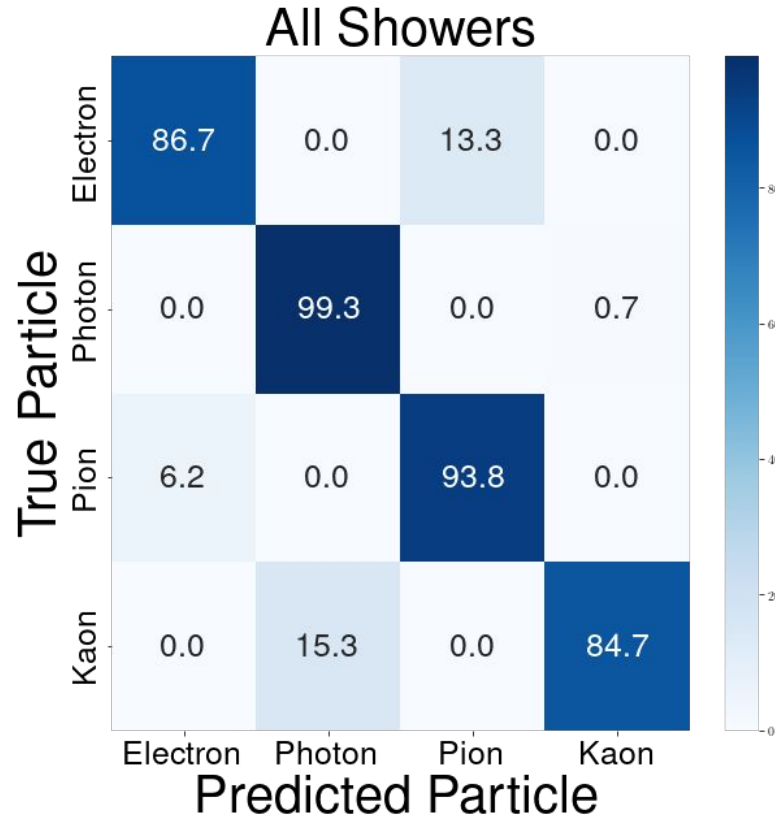


$$\text{Response} = \frac{\langle E \rangle}{E_{true}}$$



$$\text{Resolution} = \frac{\sigma(E)}{\langle E \rangle}$$





- Significant conceptual update of the end-to-end reconstruction algorithm for highly granular calorimeters
- This is the first application of the Snowflake preclustering model [publication in prep.]
 - allows much faster turn-around time while preserving necessary information
 - reducing input data dimensionality by a factor of 30
 - reduce training time by a factor of 7
 - more than double inference speed
- For the first time training with high-density full 200 PU events is possible
- For the first time, we perform a combined clustering and particle flow in high-density environments
 - Tracks significantly improve energy resolution
 - Neutrals approximately remain as before (not shown today)
 - Accurately predict particle ID

Thank you for you attention!



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