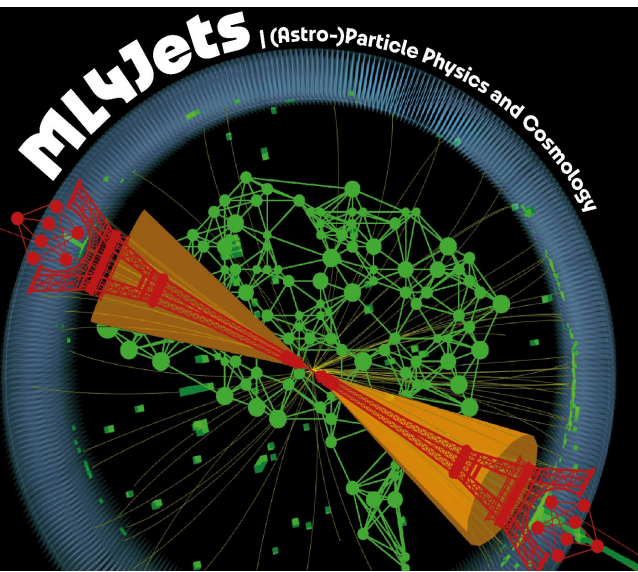


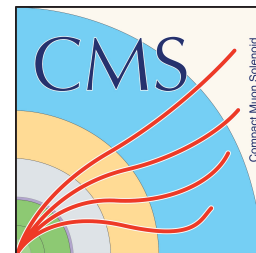
ML assisted Event Reconstruction in the CMS Phase-2 High Granularity Calorimeter Endcap



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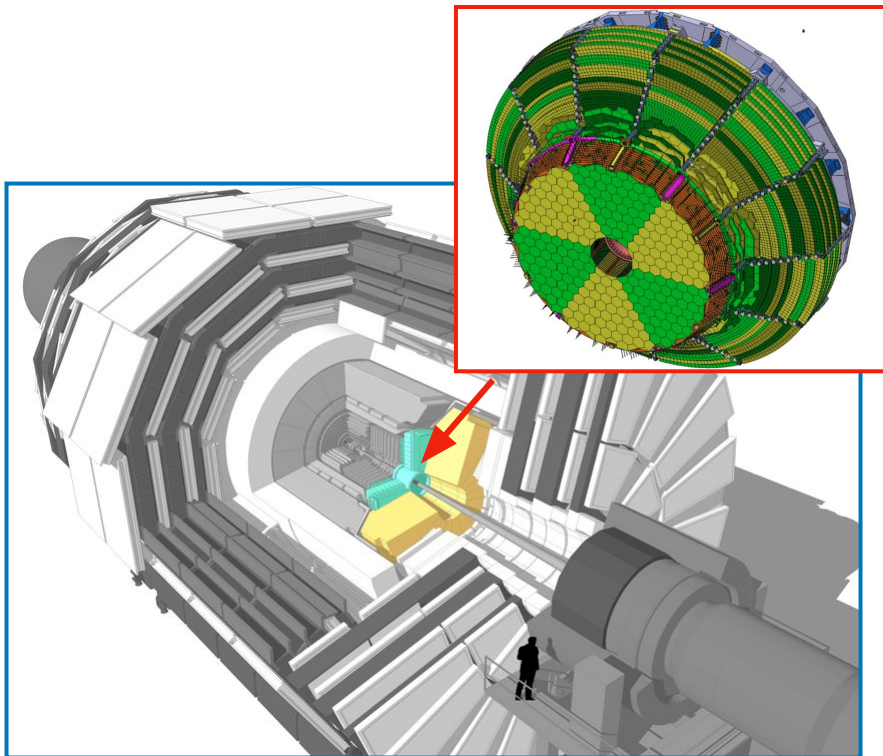


The High Granularity Calorimeter (HGCAL)

- To enhance the potential for discoveries at the LHC, CERN plans to upgrade the accelerator to the **high luminosity LHC** (HL-LHC) by 2029.
- At the end of LHC Phase 1 operations, the end-cap calorimeters will have suffered irrecoverable radiation damage.

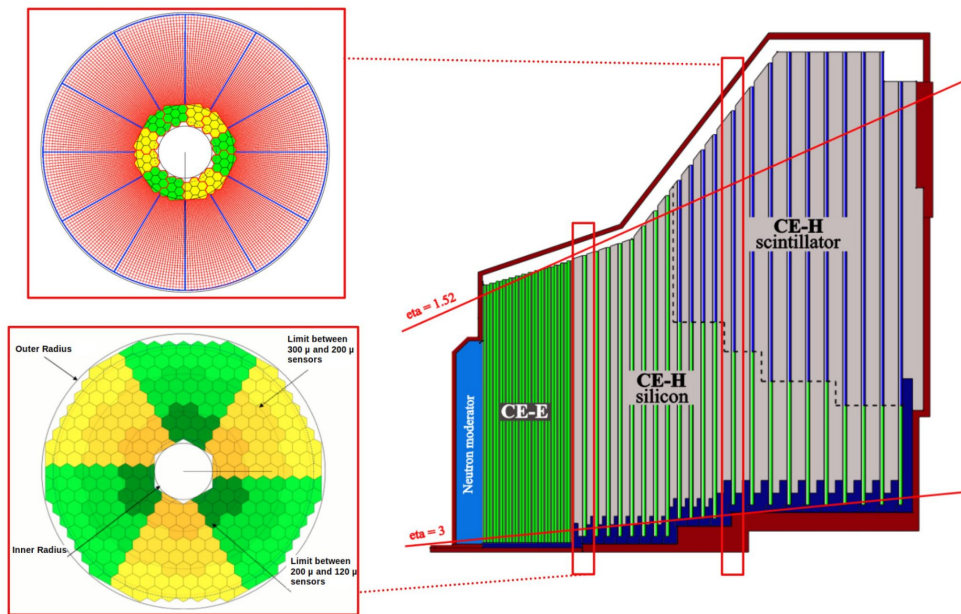
The CMS collaboration is replacing its endcap calorimeters with a new sampling

High Granularity Calorimeter.



The CMS detector and position of HGCAL

The High Granularity Calorimeter (HGCal)



- First **imaging calorimeter** to be implemented in high-energy physics.
- **Position, energy and timing** information.
- **26** layers of electromagnetic section and **21** layers of hadronic section.
- Designed for the HL-LHC target integrated luminosity of **3000 fb⁻¹**.

Longitudinal cross section of the upper half of one of the HGCal (right), mixed silicon and scintillator layers (top left) and a full silicon layer (bottom left).

Machine Learning in HGCAL

HGCAL : High granularity calorimeter designed for Particle Flow (→ combining tracker and calorimeter information)

Challenges:

- Environment from the **high pile-up** : number of interactions per bunch crossing will be increased to **140-200**.
- **6 million** read-out channels and 5D information from them.



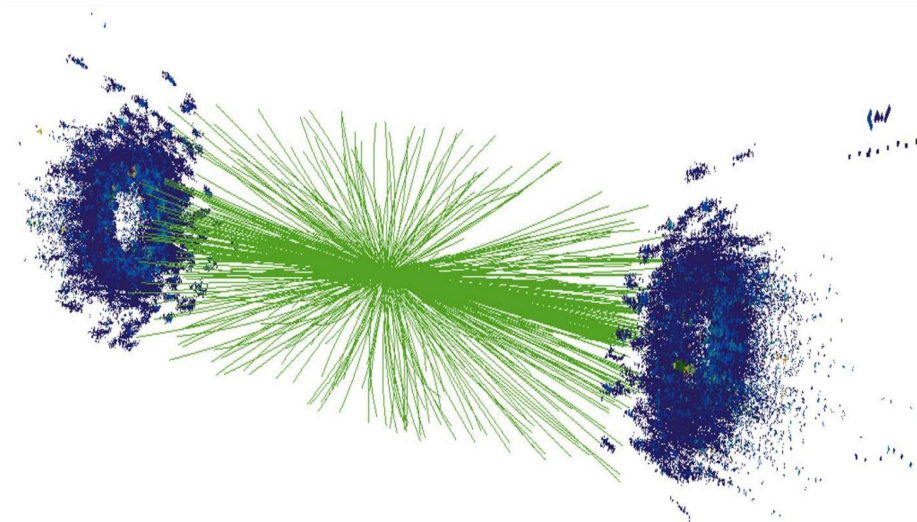
Novel **machine-learning based algorithms** to tackle these challenges!



But : execution time needs to be kept at the **minimum** (especially for software trigger)



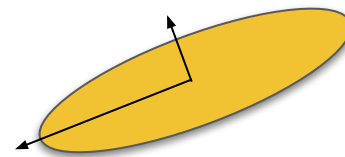
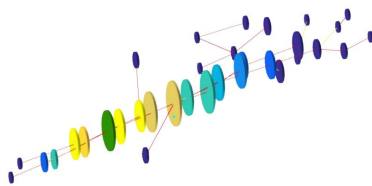
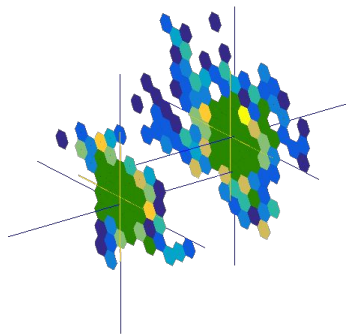
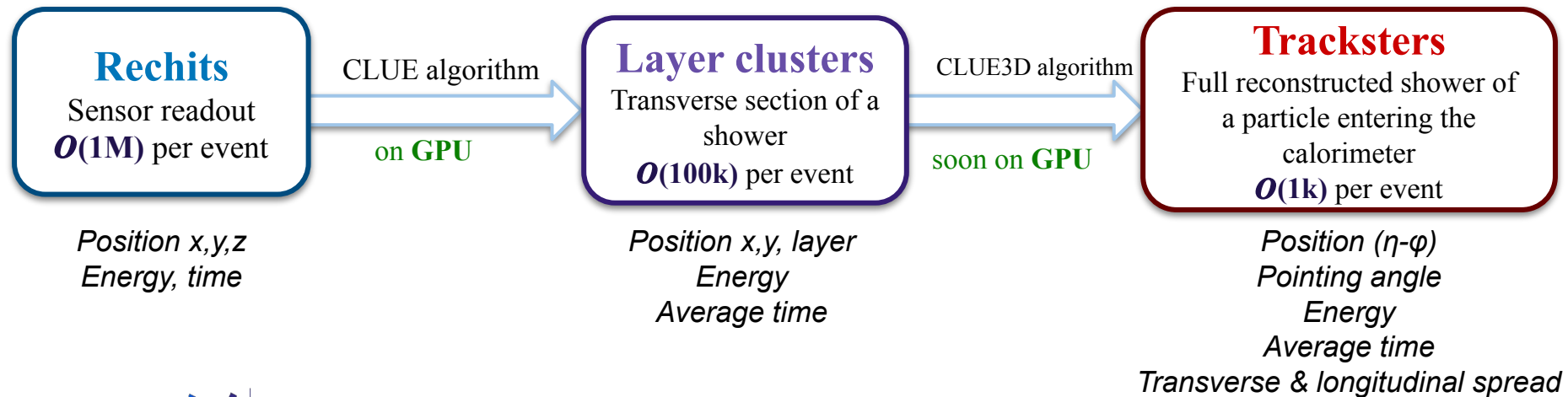
Hybrid approach : combining Machine Learning and traditional algorithms (highly optimized on GPUs)



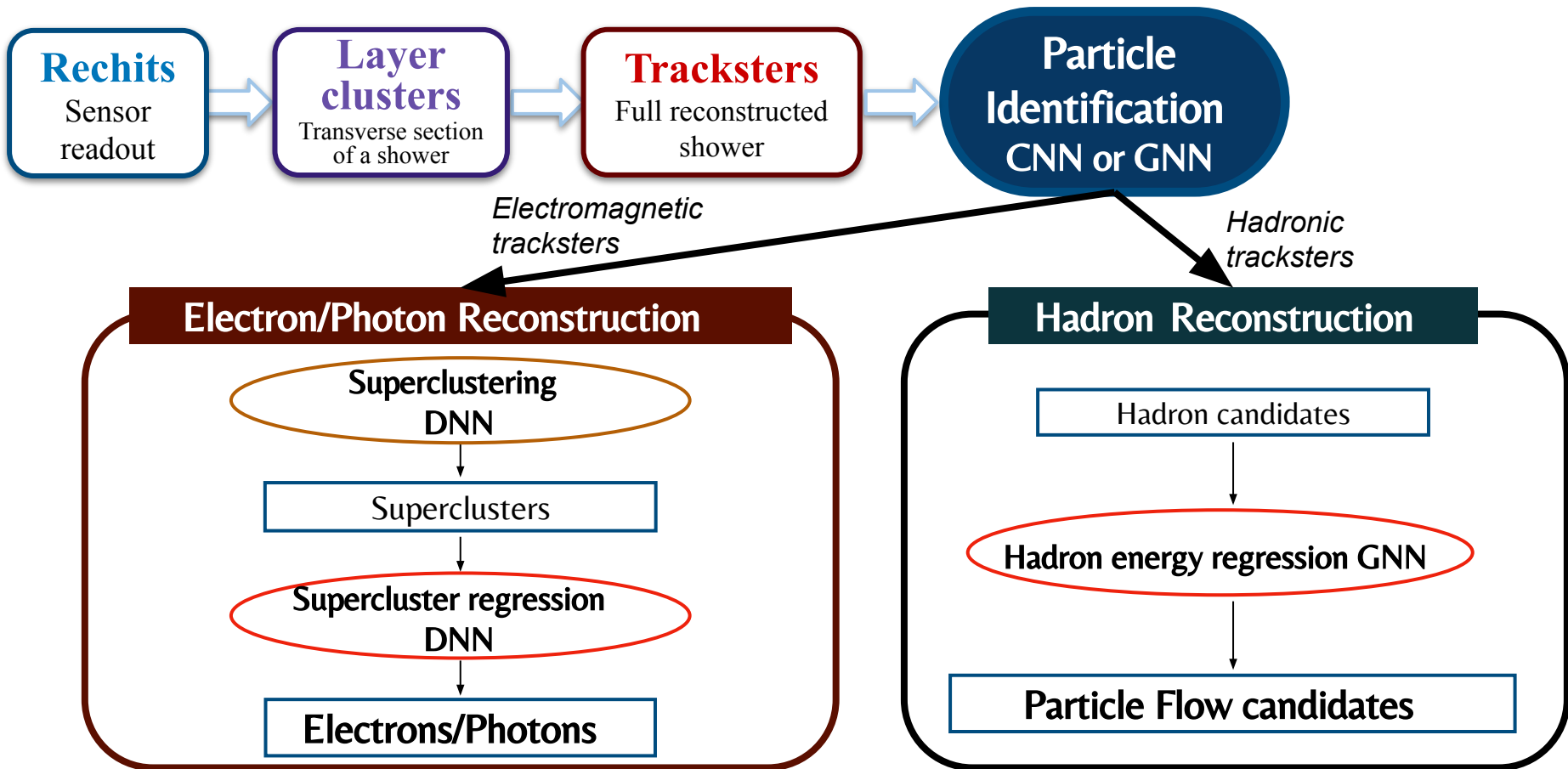
Simulated event display of HGCAL at 200 pileup

Reconstruction in HGICAL : TICL framework

TICL : The **I**terative **CL**ustering is a new framework is designed to fully exploit the high spatial resolution and precise timing information provided by HGICAL



Reconstruction in HGCAL : TICL framework



Particle identification

Aim : **separate tracksters between hadrons and electron/photon**

Electromagnetic objects are used to seed a dedicated electron track reconstruction

(Gaussian Sum Filter, time consuming)

→ need to keep the number of electron seeds from HGAL under control.

Different approaches developed in HGAL

Classical approach

Compute **high-level features** :

- Energy fraction in hadronic compartment
- Longitudinal & transverse spread of shower

Simple but limited performance

Layer cluster approach

Feed all layer clusters to a **CNN** or a **GNN**:

- layer cluster position x,y,z
- layer cluster energy E

$O(100)$ inputs per trackster

Good tradeoff between network size and performance

Reconstructed hits approach

Feed all the **raw detector hits** to a **GNN** :

- hit position x,y,z
- hit energy E

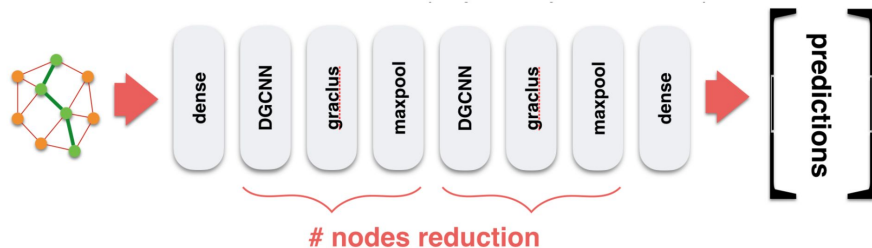
$O(10k)$ inputs per trackster

Time consuming

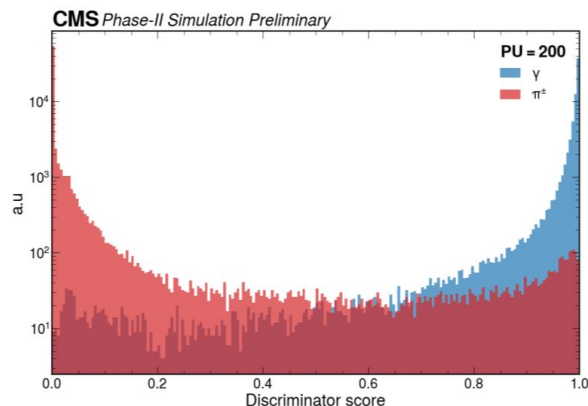
Lets the network learn about the structure of a shower

Particle identification using GNN

Graph neural network using edge convolution and greedy clustering based pooling (Dynamic reduction Network)
Input as point cloud, dynamically learns the graph structure



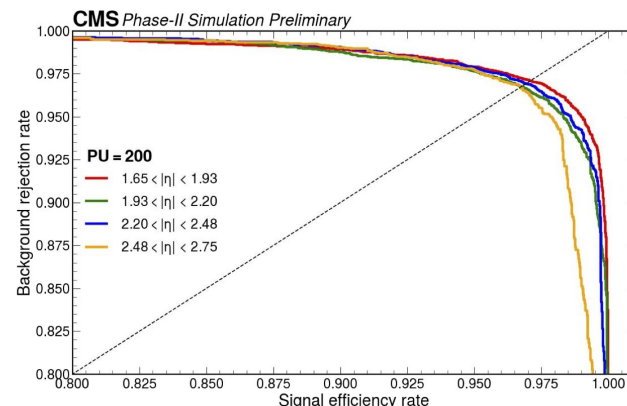
Dataset : unconverted photons & early showering pions (10GeV-1TeV energy) with 200 pileup



Discriminator score

ROC curve

Source : [CMS DP-2022/002](#)
[arXiv:2003.08013](#)



Good separation of pions versus photons.

Performance is better at lower η due to reduced pileup contamination of tracksters

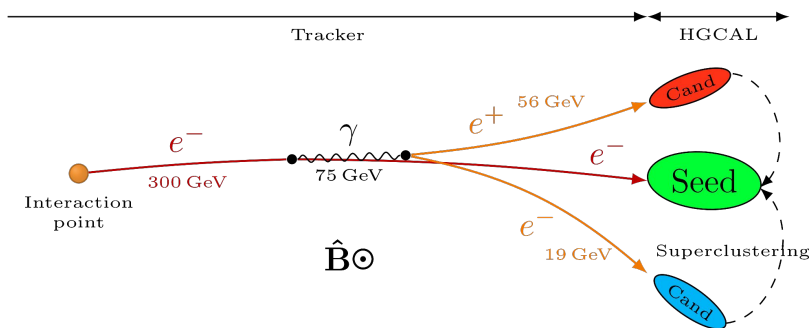
Electron superclustering

An electron emits several **bremstrahlung photons** whilst travelling through the tracker

→ Several particles enter the calorimeter, spread in ϕ due to the magnetic field.

They need to be reconnected to the parent electron, to:

- seed tracker electron reconstruction
- collect all the electron energy, minimizing pileup contribution

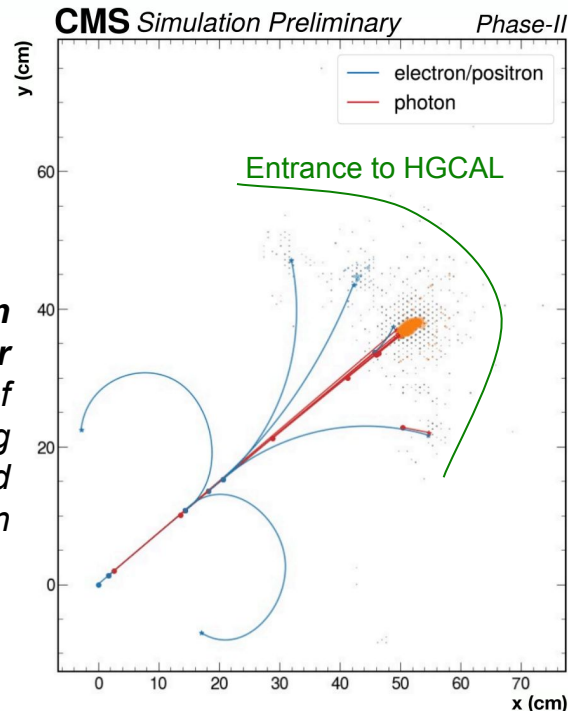


Schematic view of an electron undergoing bremsstrahlung

Input: tracksters of the event

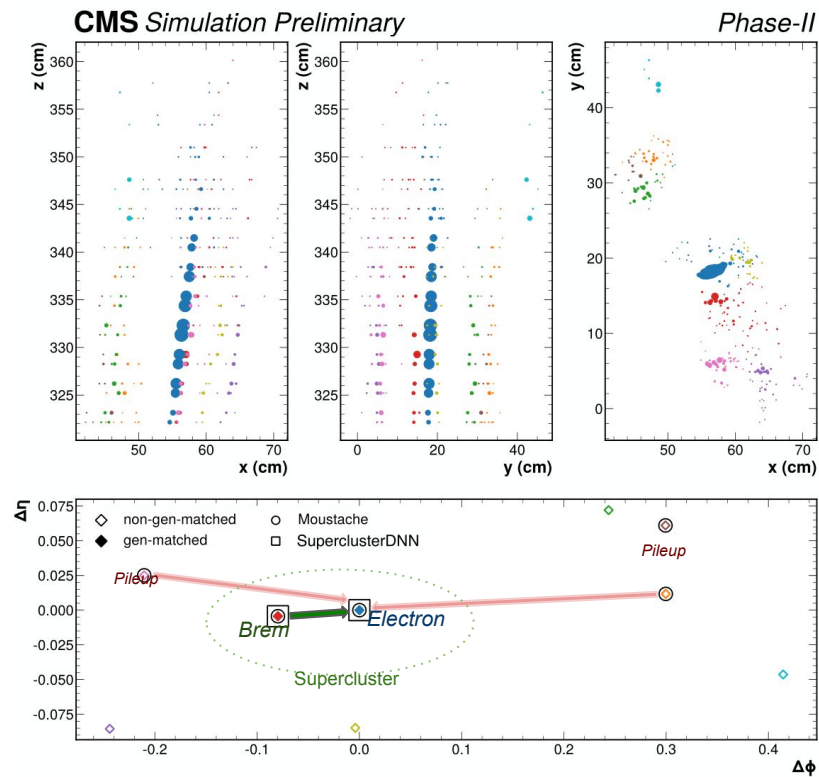
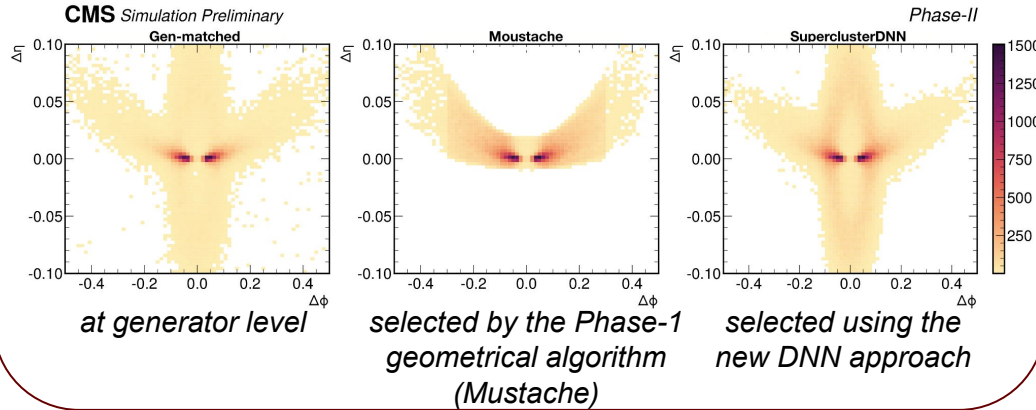
Output : superclusters = collection of tracksters representing a calorimeter electron with all its brem deposits

*Display of an **electron travelling in the tracker** until the entrance of HG CAL, undergoing bremsstrahlung and pair-production*



Electron superclustering algorithms

Spread in η - ϕ of the bremsstrahlung clusters in the calorimeter
(overlapping multiple events, centered on the seed)



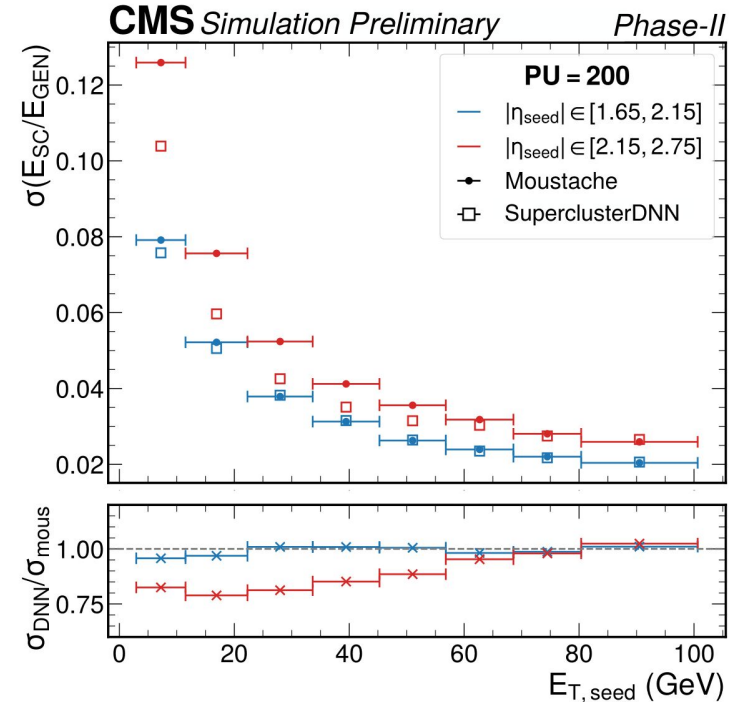
The Phase-1 algorithm uses solely η - ϕ information for superclustering.
A new **Deep Neural Network** was developed using the **imaging capabilities** of HGCal.
Inference is run on **pairs of tracksters**, using position and angular variables.
Superclusters are built iteratively, placing a threshold on the score.

Electron superclustering performance

Dataset : electrons in 200 pileup

Supercluster energy is compared to the **true Monte Carlo energy** in the calorimeter. **Energy resolution plots** are obtained, comparing the superclustering DNN to the Moustache geometric algorithm.

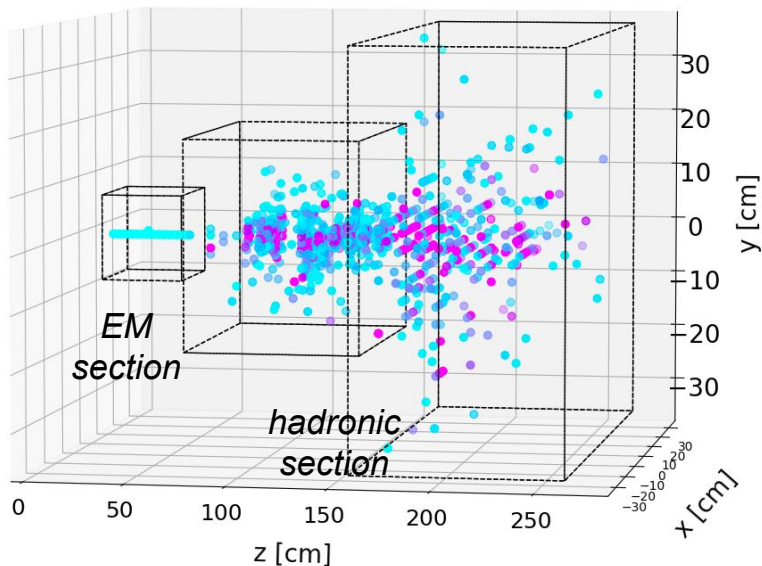
The DNN shows **improved resolution at low energy and high η** , thanks to pileup rejection.



The Deep Neural Network allows for **better energy resolution and pileup rejection**, allowing better reconstruction efficiency and lower energy thresholds

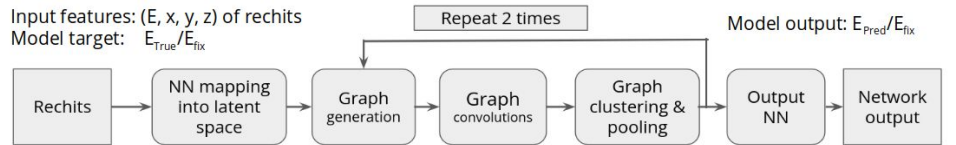
Hadron energy regression

Energy regression of hadronic shower using a Graph Neural Network. Trained on simulation and tested on test beam data (pion beam).



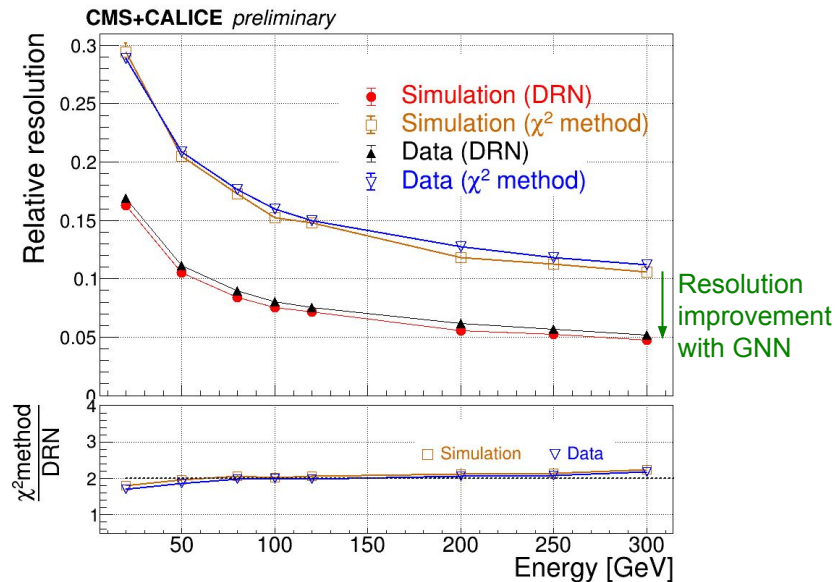
Display of the input reconstructed hits to the GNN.

Model architecture



where E_{True} is the true energy of particle, E_{fix} is reconstructed energy using detector level calibration and E_{Pred} is the energy reconstruction using DRN weights.

[Arxiv : 2003.08013v1](https://arxiv.org/abs/2003.08013v1)



Energy resolution comparing classic calibration (χ^2 method) and GNN regression, on test beam data and simulation.

→ **Significant resolution improvement.**

Future ML developments in HGCAL

Many more Machine Learning applications in HGCAL are possible. Current directions include:

- Bringing most of the **reconstruction on GPU**, for increased speed (for software trigger) and reduced hardware costs.
- Use of **timing information** for pileup rejection using ML : timing measurements at a precision of 60 ps for a single hit (of enough energy), and down to 20 ps for a full shower
- Use of the **full set of reconstructed hits** in Graph Neural Network architectures.
- **ML in Particle Flow** : associating tracks to calorimeter tracksters, ambiguity resolution...

Conclusion

HGCAL is a **high granularity** calorimeter, designed for **Particle Flow** reconstruction, combining calorimeter and tracker information.

Large **pileup** and 6M readout channels make reconstruction particularly challenging, requiring a combination of classical and ML algorithms for computing performance.

Variety of tasks where **Machine Learning** can be used : **Particle Identification**, **Electron Reconstruction**, **Energy Regression**....

**Machine learning will be a key ingredient
to the success of HGCAL reconstruction !**