

Data Science @ LHC Update

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Outline



- Data Science Workshop
- IML Working Group Update
- EPlanet Follow-up





Data Science @LHC Workshop







UF Data Science at LHC



1st Data Science at LHC Workshop: Nov 9-13 <u>cern.ch/DataScienceLHC2015</u>

- 200+ participants (registration closed at 200)
- Experts in machine learning and HEP
- Presentations from all LHC experiments
- Exciting developments in modern machine learning and their HEP applications
- Practical Tutorials (TMVA, Deep Learning)

We Were Actively Involved

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· Better than using only social

TMVA

UF Some DS'15 Highlights











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Deep Learning





Computer Vision (CV) Benchmarks

First super-human result in 2015*

* Google/Microsoft 4.9%







Deep Learning Neural Networks:

- Tremendous performance improvement
 - Training more complex models
 - Increased Depth
 - Enlarged Width
 - Feedback/Convolution
 - Novel activation functions
 - Effective strategies against over-fitting
 - Regularization









New **tutorials** at DS'15: **Deep Learning**, **TMVA** new features, others

- Tutorials based on RootBooks were successful ⁽²⁾
 - others less so
 - Users got tangled up in setup, dependencies, versions

RootBooks:

- dedicated servers for this tutorial were supplied by OpenStack (1 user/core)
- Very (!) positive feedback from participants



From Twitter





- New **TMVA features** were premiered at DS'15
 - with RootBooks
 - Data Loader (modularity)
 - Feature Importance
 - Interfaces to R and Python
- Very positive response to new features at the workshop
 - We also expanded ML tutorials for EPlanet trip to Brazil and setup a dedicated server in UERJ
 - Second Rootbook server in Latin America



Useful Ideas



New ideas/problems discussed/solved at DS'15

- **Deep Learning** applications in HEP
- Handling of **negative event** weights from MC
 - Not all algorithms are suitable (boosting)
- Use of Matrix Element Methods (MEM)s as input/combination to Deep learning
- Dark Knowledge
 - Use of simpler ML architectures that learn from trained complex ones
 - runtime, online, hardware, e.t.c.





LHC Machine Learning Working Group (IML) Update







IML: Inter-experimental LHC Machine-Learning working group

- Exchange of HEP-ML expertise and experience among LHC experiments
- ML Forum for LHC-related development and discussions
- ML software development and maintenance
- Current and future ML R&D in HEP
- Exchange between HEP and ML communities
- Education (Tutorials)







Following fruitful/positive discussion with management of the LHC experiments

- IML Working Group will become official Jan. 1, 2016
- Stay tuned for more details
- Website: <u>http://iml.cern.ch</u>
 - Latest meeting Dec. 4 <u>https://indico.cern.ch/event/463561/</u>
 - Next meeting in January
 - Forum/Mailing-list
 - <u>https://groups.cern.ch/group/lhc-machinelearning-</u> wg/default.aspx
 - Please join if you are interested in ML topics





EPlanet Trip Follow-up

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EPlanet trip to Brazil (see Lorenzo's talk) Mini-course in UERJ covered fundamentals of machine learning:

- Classification theory, practice, classic methods (decision trees, neural networks, regression), ensemble methods
- As well as advanced topics:
 - Feature selection, deep learning, multi-objective regression

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA	IML Meeting Dec. 4	
15:20 - 15:35	Machine Learning Challenges in HEP: HiggsML lessons 15' Speaker: David Rousseau (LAL-Orsay, FR) @ P tr151104_davidRou	2-
15:40 - 15:50	Machine Learning Challenges in HEP: LHCb challenge lessons 10' Speaker: Andrey Ustyuzhanin (Yandex School of Data Analysis (RU)) © Ustyuzhanin_FoP	2-
15:55 - 16:10	Machine Learning Challenges in HEP: Ideas for new challenges 15' Speakers: Dr. Sergei Gleyzer (University of Florida (US)), Josh Bendavid (California Institute of Technology (US)) @ ML_Challenges_Se	2-
16:10 - 16:30	Machine Learning Challenges in HEP: Upcoming Tracking Challenge 20 ^o Speaker: Andreas Salzburger (CERN) @ ML-Tracking-Chall	2-
16:35 - 16:45	Machine Learning Challenges and Problem Statements in HEP 10 [,] Speakers: Tim Head (Ecole Polytechnique Federale de Lausanne (CH)), Dr. Gilles Louppe (New York University (US)) tim-gilles-challeng	<i>Q</i> -
16:50 - 17:05	Introduction to BEAT: a new platform for challenges 15' Speakers: Dr. Sebastien Marcel (Idiap), Dr. André Anjos (Idiap), André dos Anjos (University of Wisconsin) @ beat.pdf @ BEAT Platform Sign @ BEAT Platform Web	Q-
17:05 - 17:20	ChaLearn for HEP competitions 15' Speaker: Isabelle Guyon (ClopiNet)	2-
17:20 - 17:40	Update on Cross-Validation in TMVA 20' Speakers: Thomas James Stevenson (University of London (GB)), Adrian Bevan (University of London (GB))	R-

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Follow-up project (IML)

Using **deep learning** in connection with **matrix element method** analysis

- Yet unexplored and high-potential area identified at DS'15
 - Andre Snajder (UERJ faculty)
 - Sandro Fonseca (UERJ faculty) + students/researchers
 - Build upon existing **experience** in UERJ with MEMs and basic ML
 - We will use this project to evaluate deep learning NN in TMVA and other tools

- Identify what needs to improve



Summary



- Very **successful** Data Science at LHC workshop in November
- IML LHC Machine Learning WG actively expanding adding formal structure
- Very **successful** EPlanet Mini-Course with a special emphasis on Machine Learning
- Started mutually beneficial **follow-up** projects in machine-learning in HEP between Brazilian researchers and us (via IML)