

Convolution Neural Networks in Nucleon Decay Searches in Liquid Argon Time Projection Chambers

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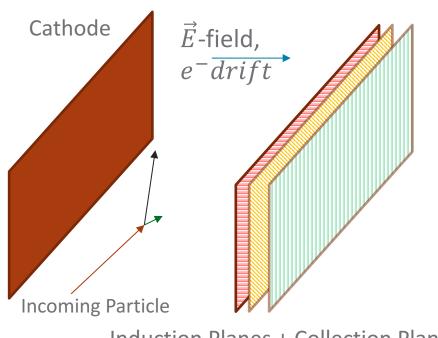
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Liquid Argon Time Projection Chambers (LArTPCs)



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Induction Planes + Collection Plane

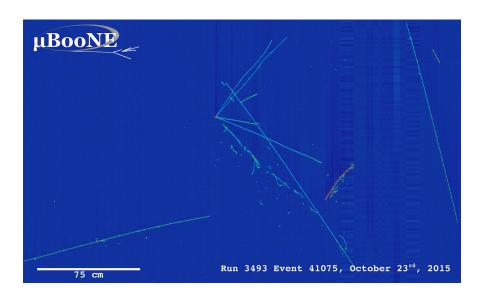


Image courtesy of MicroBooNE collaboration https://www-microboone.fnal.gov/



LArTPC Data From 3-Planes

Planes at an angle to each other μBooNB Time Particle tracks project onto wire planes Wire



On Using 3 Planes

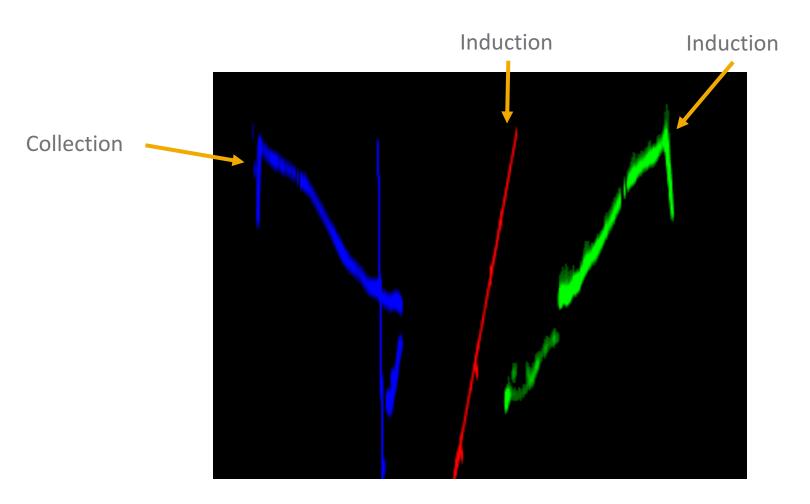
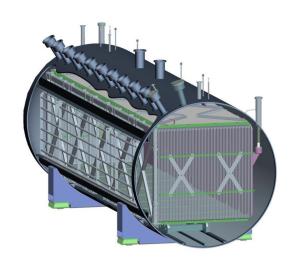


Image-like, but not quite. Image courtesy of LArSoft and Maze package.



MicroBooNE

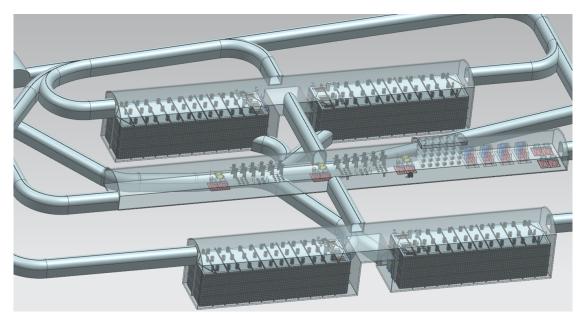
- 170 Tonne LArTPC
 - Current generation scale TPC
 - Part of short baseline program
- 3 planes
 - 2 Induction planes @ 3256 wires
 - 1 Collection Plane @ 3600 wires
- Readout window
 - 9600 digitizations (or time ticks) total
 - 4.8 ms (~3x drift length of TPC)
 - Additionally records optical data via PMTs for T0
- Image courtesy of: https://www-microboone.fnal.gov/public/aboutdetector.html





DUNE

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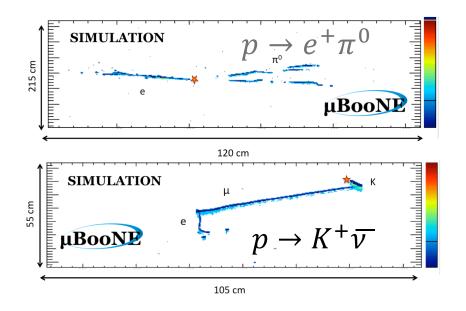
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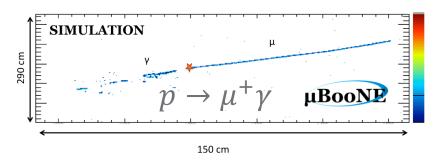
- 4x 17.1 kTonne LAr
- Single Phase design
 - 150 Anode Plane Assemblies (APAs)/module
 - 200 Cathode Plane Assemblies
 - 2560 Channels/APA, 1 collection, 2 induction
- Next generation long-baseline LArTPC
- Image courtesy of: http://lbnf.fnal.gov/.



Proton Decay

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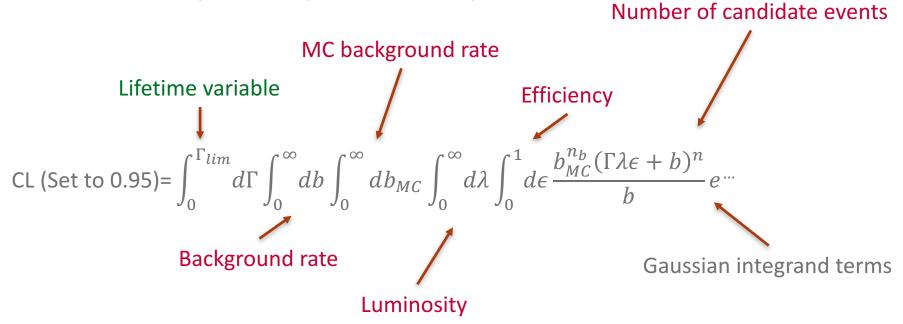
- Candidate decay processes from Bueno paper
 - (https://doi.org/10.1088/1126-6708/2007/04/041).
- PDK lifetime can limit GUT scale models.
 - SUSY favorite: $p \to K^+ \bar{\nu}$

Images courtesy of MicroBooNE collaboration and Elena Gremallini



NDK Measurement Goal

Our standard Bayesian analysis for rare decays:

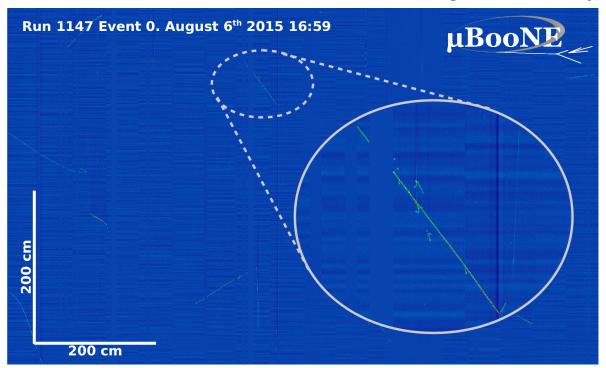


Formula courtesy of B. Viren, dissertation



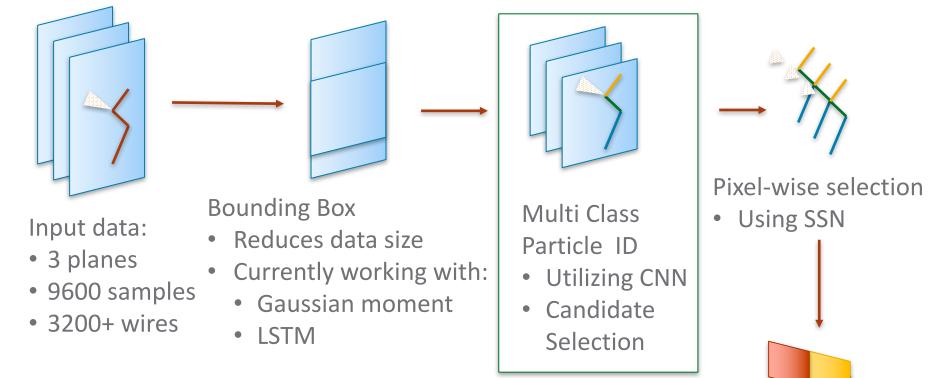
Backgrounds

- MicroBooNE
 - Primary background: cosmics
 - Roughly 11 cosmics per readout window
- DUNE
 - Primary background: atmospheric nu's
 - 1 Background, Mt⁻¹ y ⁻¹





NDK Measurement Strategy using CNNs



Proton Decay Branch Lifetime



Final Cuts

Charge Deposition Sum



Previous Work on CNNs in LArTPCs

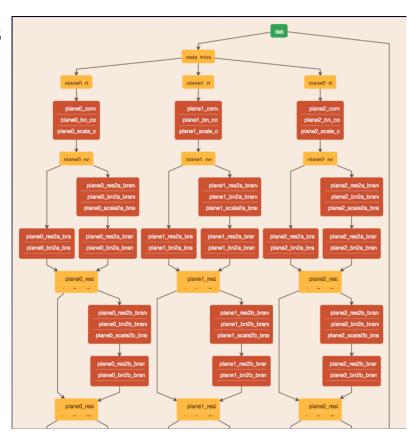
- DL work done by Nevis/MIT group for uBooNE
 - https://arxiv.org/abs/1611.05531
 - Aimed at the Neutrino LEE analysis
 - Provides:
 - Caffe-based framework
 - OpenCV based image pre-processing
 - 3-plane treatment
 - Single particle identification
 - Semantic segmentation





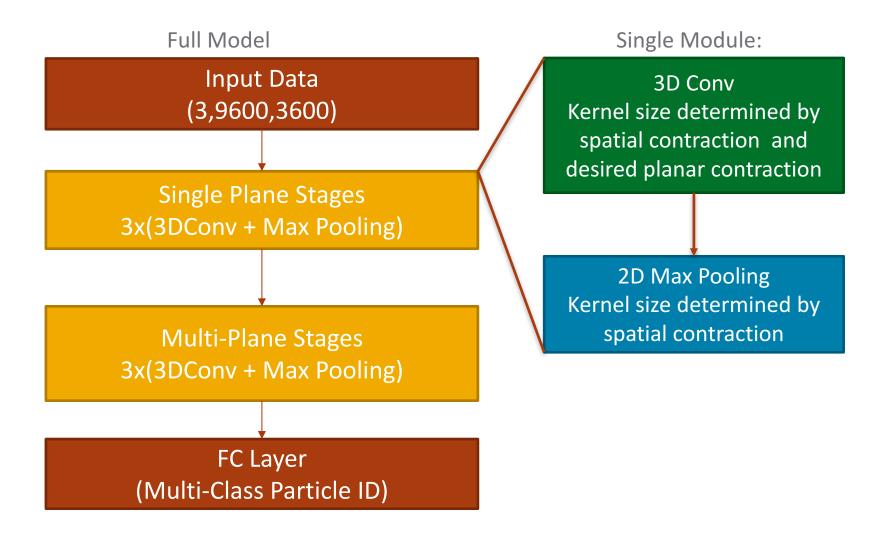
Siamese Towers

- Break 3 plane data into 3 sub-networks
- Concatenate output filters after several modules
- Perform more traditional analysis after concatenation
- Used in:
 - uBooNE LEE Analysis
 - NOVA
 - https://arxiv.org/abs/1604.01444





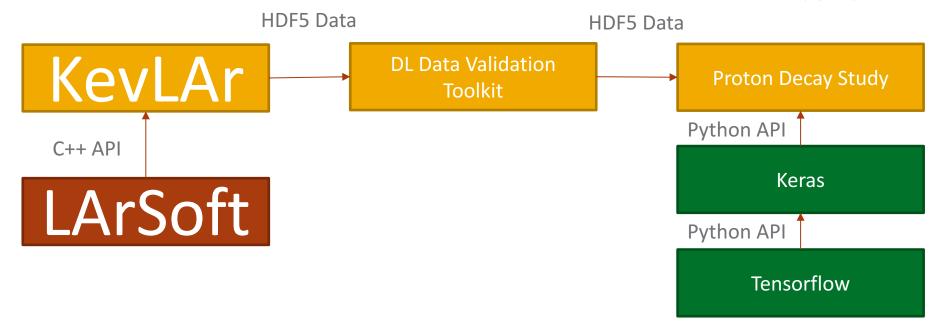
Network Architecture





Software

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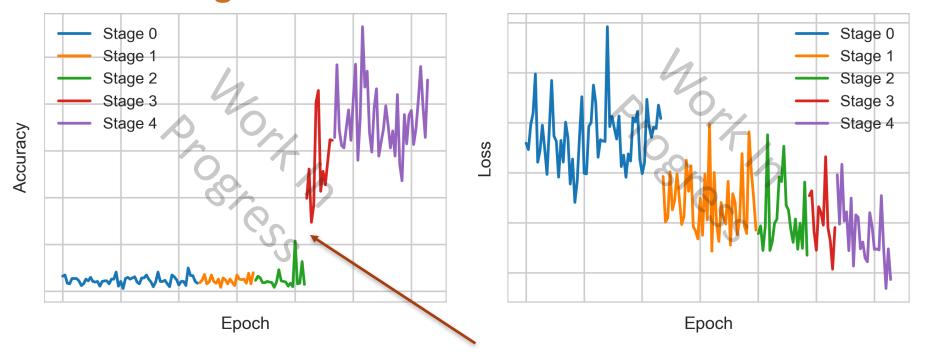


- http://larsoft.org/
- https://github.com/HEP-DL/kevlar
- https://github.com/HEP-DL/dl data validation toolset
- https://github.com/HEP-DL/proton decay study
- https://keras.io/
- https://www.tensorflow.org/



Work-In-Progress Results

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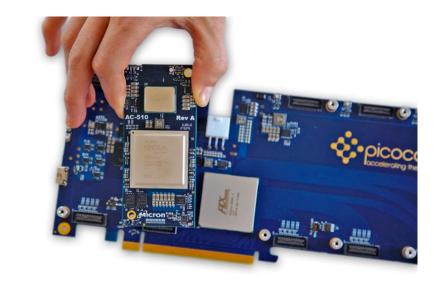
Stage where network goes from 1 plane to 3 planes

- Train by pre-training subsets of the network
- Stage 0 is the input, FC layer and 1st module
- Stage 1 is input, FC layer and 1st and 2nd modules, etc...



Inline/Neartime Analysis Work

- PNNL has a partnership with Micron
 - Working on developing architecture on FPGAS for inline triggering and analysis
 - Micron has provided Xilinx Vertex7 based FPGAs with hybrid memory cubes
 - Critical for identifying out-ofbeamspill events using CotS components
 - Currently Work in Progress







Conclusion

- Working on identifying PDK in LArTPCs
 - 2 experiments
 - uBooNE
 - DUNE
- Creating methods common to both experiments
 - Both experiments have VERY LARGE datasets
 - Both experiments have backgrounds that motivate using CNNs
- Working on maximizing usage of multi-planar data using network architecture
 - Accuracy jump when moving to 3 planes shows that utilizing all planes is necessary
 - Requires architecture that supports all 3 planes
- Developing architecture on Micron FPGAs.
- More results to come!



Thanks to the other ML Groups!

- Working with other FNAL-based experiments and groups
 - uBooNE
 - K. Terao, T. Wongjirad et al.
 - DUNE
 - A. Radovic et al. (neutrino oscillations)
 - J. Hewes, G. Karagiorgi (n-nbar oscillations)
 - NOVA
 - F. Psihas and collaborators

And Many others!