



New approaches using machine learning for fast shower simulation in ATLAS

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The ATLAS Calorimeter and shower generation



Sampling calorimeter covering $|\eta| < 4.9$





Total readout channels: ~ Number of layers: 24

System	EM Barrel	EM EC	Hadronic EC	FCAL	Tile
#Channels	110k	64k	5.6k	3.5k	9.8k

Electromagnetic (EM) Cal:

- Liquid Argon (active)
- Pb/Cu/Tungsten (absorber)

Hadronic/Tile Cal:

- Scintillating tiles (active)
- Steel (absorber)

Need for fast shower simulation: Monte Carlo Production



Data Processing, Validation and other



Successful Physics program in ATLAS depends on the availability of high statistics Monte Carlo simulated events

Geant4 requires significant resources with $\sim 75\%$ spent in shower simulation i.e. Calorimeter simulation

The increased pileup at HL-LHC will also increase the CPU requirement for the same number of hard scattered events



User Analysis

Imperative to develop fast shower simulations compared to Geant4

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Fast simulation utilizes parametrized calorimeter response



e, γ for EM interaction π^{\pm} for hadronic interaction



Poor modeling of some physics variables i.e. jet substructure Forward Calorimeter (FCal) not implemented

New approaches of fast simulation: *FastCaloSimV2*



Parametrization based approach following FastCaloSimV1





- PCA transformation to decorrelate energy deposit in each layer
- Leading PCA component is used to divide the Geant4 dataset into subsets
- Each subset represents shower with similar feature
- Longitudinal and lateral parametrization for each subset





FastCaloSimV2



Additional PCA transformation to further decorrelation



Multi-layer perceptron (MLP) for regression of energy cumulants

Parametrization of discrete energy points, spline function for interpolation



— Input

····· 2 Neurons

---- 3 Neurons —-4 Neurons

--- 5 Neurons

0.4

Energy fraction in 1st Tile Layer

0.3

0.2

Longitudinal Shower Parametrization



Excellent agreement across various energy/eta regions!

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FastCaloSimV2





Lateral shower parametrization performed in each layer and PCA divided dataset



Memory optimization:

- Utilize φ symmetry of the shower
- Use smart rebin/spline in the radial direction

Sample random hit positions from the histogram for simulation

Simulated showers generated from parametrization and compared to Geant4



simulated shower



Lateral Shower: Assign hits to cell

-0.05

0

ATLAS Simulation Preliminary $\Delta\eta$ (particle, cell)

0.05

0.1



Simulated hits assigned to cells assuming simplified cuboid geometry



-0.05

0.05

0

ATLAS Simulation Preliminary Δη(particle, cell)

0.1





Single particle simulation compared to Geant4 and FastCaloSimV1

Particles are generated on the calorimeter surface



A factor of ~10-25 times faster than Geant4

Similar performance as FastCaloSimV1 (AF2) out of the box!





Single particle events are simulated with FastCaloSimV2

Various EM shower and cluster variables are calculated and compared to Geant4



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Event Display of a FCS V2 simulated $H \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$ event





FCS V2, Η -> γγ MC

Reconstructed photon

Reconstructed track

MET

Simulated charged particle

Simulated neutral particle



New approaches of fast simulation: DNNCaloSim



Deep generative networks to generate EM showers

Networks investigated: Variational Auto Encoder (VAE) Generative Adversarial Network (GAN)

- Only photons in EM calorimeter (< 1% leakage to hadronic calorimeter)
- Energies [1, 260] logarithmically spaced
- Pseudo rapidity $0.20 < |\eta| < 0.25$
- The energy deposits are voxalized into rectangular shapes
- A total of 266 cells are considered for energy deposits
- The networks are trained with energies normalized to the energy of the incident particle





Unsupervised deep learning with variational Bayesian method



Encoder and decoder used together to maximize the negative log likelihood of the loss function

$$\begin{aligned} \text{reconstruction loss} & \text{regularizer} \\ \mathcal{L}_{\text{VAE}} &= -w_{\text{reco}} E_{z \sim q_{\theta}(z|x)} [\log p_{\phi}(x|z)] + w_{\text{KL}} K L(q_{\theta}(z|x)||p(z)) \\ &+ w_{E_{\text{tot}}} L_{E_{\text{tot}}}(x, \tilde{x}) + \sum_{i}^{M} w_{i} L_{E_{\text{i}}}(x, \tilde{x}) \\ & \text{total energy} & \text{energy fraction} \end{aligned}$$

DNNCaloSim

DNNCaloSim

Generative network with a feedback from a Discriminator network

Improve the robustness of training by calculating Wasserstein loss with a two sided gradient penalty

$$L_{\text{GAN}} = \underbrace{E}_{\hat{x} \sim p_{\text{gen}}} [D(\hat{x})] - \underbrace{E}_{\substack{x \sim p_{\text{Geant4}}}} [D(x)] + \lambda \underbrace{E}_{\hat{x} \sim p_{\hat{x}}} [(||\Delta_{\hat{x}} D(\hat{x})||_2 - 1)^2].$$
ability to identify generated shower correctly ability to identify Geant4 shower correctly penalizes by calculating Wasserstein loss

Performance in Longitudinal Shower

70

20

15

60

ATLAS Simulation Preliminary

 γ , E = 65 GeV, 0.20 < $|\eta|$ < 0.25

10⁴

10³

10²

 10^{1}

200 Showers / 1 GeV 104

10⁵

10³

10²

 10^{1}

 10^{0}

0

5

10

40

50

 χ^2 /ndf = 17.1 (VAE)

 χ^2 /ndf = 20 (GAN)

EM Barrel 1

ATLAS Simulation Preliminary

 γ , E = 65 GeV, 0.20 < $|\eta|$ < 0.25

DNNCaloSim

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Performance in Lateral Shower

DNNCaloSim

Fast shower simulation is essential for ATLAS physics program

FastCaloSimV1 does not describe collision data adequately to be used in precision measurements

Several approaches of fast simulation is under active development

FastCaloSimV2 shows good agreement with Geant4 and is expected to be in production soon

DNNCaloSim have shown promising results as the first application of generative models and continue the development towards achieving required accuracy for physics analyses

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- Combines different
 simulation approaches
 in ATLAS into one
 framework
 - Output format is always the same independent c simulation chosen
 - Configuration is done a one central place and standardized
 - Fast and full simulation setup can be mixed and used alongside
- Compatible with multithreading and multiprocessing

Calorimeter fast simulation can be combined with full simulation of Inner Detector/Muon Systems based on physics requirements

1st PCA chain:

 G4 Inputs:
 Energy fractions f

 Energy fractions f
 Inverse

 Total energy
 error

 M inputs
 Inverse

Gaussians
PCA
PCA output data
N components

During simulation, this chain is performed back-wards:

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FastCaloSimV2

Before PCA transformation

After PCA transformation

Randomly sample hit position from the 2D histograms

Number of hits sampled in each layer for a given energy

Determine the number of hits such that the statistical fluctuation corresponds to the stochastic term of energy resolution of each layer:

$$\frac{\Delta E}{E} = \frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{E}} \oplus \beta \oplus \frac{\gamma}{E}$$

The position of each hit in global coordinates is calculated using a numeric solution

Sufficient to describe fluctuations is electromagnetic showers

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Cylindrical anodes are arranged in a rhombus-like formation for the forward calorimeters (FCal)

Significantly different geometry compared to cuboid barrel layers

Correct geometry is implemented in the FastCaloSimV2

Dedicated parametrization for FCals are foreseen

(a) Presampler

(b) Front layer

(c) Middle layer

(d) Back layer

Hyperparameter	Values		
Latent space dim.	[1,, 10 ,, 100]		
Reco. weight	$(0,\ldots,1,\ldots,3]$		
KL weight	$(0, \ldots, \mathbf{10^{-4}}, \ldots, 1]$		
$E_{\rm tot}$ weight	$[0, \ldots, \mathbf{10^{-2}}, \ldots, 1]$		
E_i weights	$[0, \ldots, 8 \times 10^{-2}, \ldots, 1]$		
	$[0, \ldots, 6 \times 10^{-1}, \ldots, 1]$		
	$[0, \ldots, 2 \times 10^{-1}, \ldots, 1]$		
	$[0, \ldots, \mathbf{10^{-1}}, \ldots, 1]$		
Hidden layers (encoder)	1, 2, 3, 4, 5		
Hidden layers (decoder)	1, 2, 3, 4, 5		
Units per layer	[180, , 200 , , 266]		
	[120, , 150 , , 180]		
	[80,, 100 ,, 120]		
	[10, , 50 , , 80]		
Activation func.	ELU [22], ReLU [22], SELU [30], LeakyReLU [31], PReLU [32]		
Kernel init	zeros, ones, random normal, random uniform, truncated normal,		
	<pre>variance scaling, glorot_normal [33]</pre>		
Bias init.	zeros, ones, random normal, random uniform, truncated normal,		
	variance scaling, glorot_normal [33]		
Optimizer	RMSprop [28], Adam [34], Adagrad [35], Adadelta [36], Nadam [37, 38]		
Learning rate	$[10^{-2}, \ldots, 10^{-4}, \ldots, 10^{-6}]$		
Mini-batch size	50, 100 , 150 , 1000		

Table 1: Summary the results of the grid search performed to optimize the hyperparameters of the VAE for simulating calorimeter showers for photons. The optimal parameter is typeset in bold font.

Values
1, 3 , 5, 10
64, 128 , 512, 1024
<pre>SELU [30] + Sigmoid, LeakyReLU [31] + {Sigmoid, Gauss, ReLU [22], Sigmoid + ReLU, clipped ReLU, softmax, softmax + ReLU}</pre>
0, 10⁻⁵ , 10 ⁻²
<pre>glorot_uniform [33], lecun_normal [47]</pre>
one-sided, two-sided
0, 10, 20
20, 10, 5, 3, 1
5×10^{-5} , 5×10^{-6} , 1×10^{-6} (training ratio 5)
5×10^{-5} , 5×10^{-6} , 1×10^{-5} , 1×10^{-7} (training ratio 3)
1×10^{-6} (training ratio 1)
64 , 1024
$\log_{10} E_{\text{cell}}, \log_{10}(E_{\text{cell}} \times 10^{10}), E_{\text{cell}}$
$\{E_{\gamma}, \log_{10}E_{\gamma}\}$ + multi-hot encoding of cell alignments

Table 2: Summary the results of the grid search performed to optimize the hyperparameters of the GAN for simulating calorimeter showers for photons. The optimal parameter is typeset in bold font. In addition to the architectures summarized in the table, generators and discriminators with differing number of hidden layers and units per layer were tested.