Primary Vertex identification using deep learning in the ATLAS Experiment

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- Current vertexing algorithms are iterative by nature
- Motivations for ML
 - Fast and accurate predictions
 - Parallel training of events
 - Integration of new variables
 - Fine tuning for future upgrades/projects



Simulation of Top-Antitop Pair Production at HL-LHC [Link]









5. Use sorted/binned index and length padding on d and covariance matrix values

Kernel Density Estimation



- Track's Gaussian Probability Density $\mathbb{P}(r) = \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{|\Sigma|}} \exp\{\alpha\}$ $\alpha = -\frac{1}{2} \left((d - d_0), (z - z_0) \right)^T \Sigma^{-1} \left((d - d_0), (z - z_0) \right)$ KDE-A = $\Sigma_{\text{tracks}} \mathbb{P}(r)$ KDE-B = $\Sigma_{\text{tracks}} \mathbb{P}(r)^2$
 - KDEs are composed of 12,000 bins
 - Current analytical KDE production:
 - Evaluates the Gaussian PDF for all particle track
 - ~50 million evaluations per track per event



From ATLAS Public Note [1]





Example of Tracks to KDE Output (1)





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PV-Finder (US LUA)

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Example of Tracks to KDE Output (2)





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Target Truth Information [1]





Model	Efficiency	False Positive Rate (# / event)
PV-Finder UNet++	94.2%	1.5
PV-Finder UNet	88.7%	2.6
AMVF	93.9%	0.8

- Trained using all KDEs produced from the combinatorial method
- Efficiency = # reconstructed vertices # truth vertices
 Prior work poted in pubpote [1]
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Training on predicted KDE-A

- Using prior outputs from tracks to KDE
- ~3 days of training
- Efficiency: ~ 62%
- False Positive Rate: 5.5
 - Only improvements from here with more information





- Machine learning provides a viable avenue for primary vertex identificaiton
- NN-KDE network trained on one feature (KDE-A) is performing well
- Upcoming Work:
 - Train NN-KDE on other KDEs (KDE-B-z, KDE-A-x, KDE-A-y)
 - Training UNet and UNet++ architectures on NN-KDEs
 - Compare preliminary efficiency with AMVF [1]

Thanks for listening!



- Ananya's prior work on tracks to KDE
 - Link to Gitlab
 - Link to Google Doc Documentation
- LHCb PVFinder
 - Link to Gitlab
- ATLAS PV Finder
 - Link to Gitlab



- [1] ATLAS. "Primary Vertex identification using deep learning in ATLAS". In: (2023). ATL-PHYS-PUB-2023-011.
- [2] ATLAS Collaboration. "Development of ATLAS Primary Vertex Reconstruction for LHC Run 3". In: (2019). ATL-PHYS-PUB-2019-015.

Backup

Tracks



- Gathering charged particle measurements readout from the detector
- Calculate trajectory estimation
- Used as inputs for reconstruction efforts and analysis



Reconstructed Track Data

Clean, Merged, Split, Fake Prior Results







- Global approach to vertex finding and fitting
- Finds and fits tracks based on compatibility to different primary vertices
- Limitations
 - 1 Parallelization
 - 2 Time scale increases non linearly with number of PVs





- Total Events: 51000
- Input Features: $d_0, z_0, \sigma(d_0), \sigma(z_0), \sigma(d_0, z_0)$ (~ 1000 tracks per event)
 - *z*₀ ∈ [-240mm, 240mm]
- Output Label: KDE-A (12,000 Bins)
- How should we make it easier for the neural network to learn?
 - Padding input features make it all the same length
 - Splitting KDE-A bins

Masking



- A mask is used to identify valid tracks that should contribute to the final result (not padded value)
- The masking matrix, f2, is then multiplied with the output of the neural network to either
 - 1 Zero out outputs of the neural network that do not have any track data associated with it
 - 2 Contribute values that will be summed to produce the predicted KDE bins









- Currently working with mean square error loss
 - Will try out weighted mean square error loss to capture the peaks of the KDE better
- Plateus for the first ~ 50 100 epochs then drops exponentially

• MSE =
$$\frac{1}{n} \sum (\text{KDE}_{\text{pred}} - \text{KDE}_{\text{truth}})^2$$







KDE to Hists Efficiency











