

Machine Learning For Particle Identification

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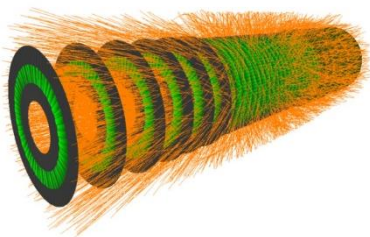
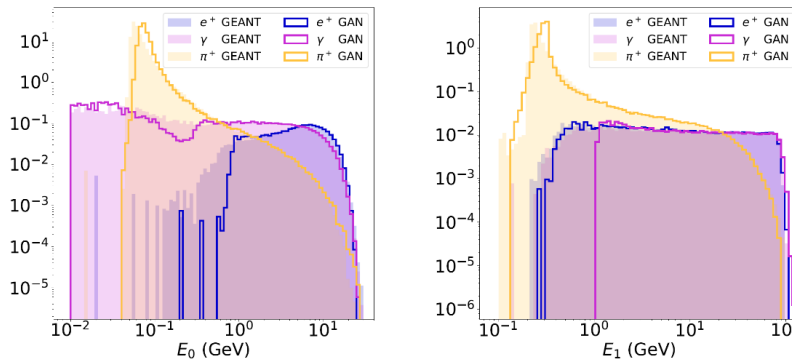
Outlines:

- Whetting Your Appetite.
- Introduction to Machine Learning.
- Motivating the Key Concepts.
- Boosted Decision Trees.
- Artificial Neural Networks.
- Integration to PandaRoot.
- Conclusion.

Whetting your Appetite:

- Why Multivariate Analysis (Machine Learning Techniques)?
 - Classification (Higgs discovery).
 - Clustering (Tracking).
 - Pattern Recognition (Tracking and Jet Images).
 - Generative Learning GAN (Simulation “GeantV”).

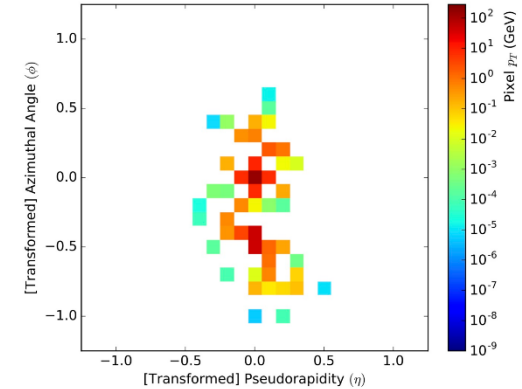
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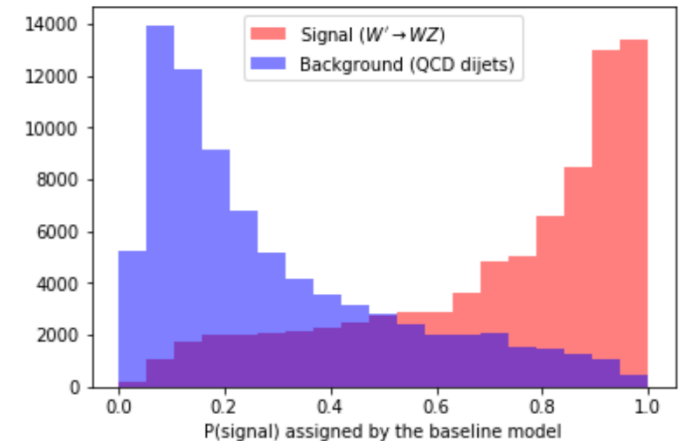
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Jet Image using CNN.



Introduction to Machine Learning:

- Machine Learning (ML) is about modeling your data.
- Developing *self-learning* algorithms to gain knowledge from data in order to make *predictions*.
- There are *three* types of ML *algorithms*:

1. Supervised Learning:

- Learn a model from labeled training data.
- Classification (discrete labels), and Regression (continuous response variable).

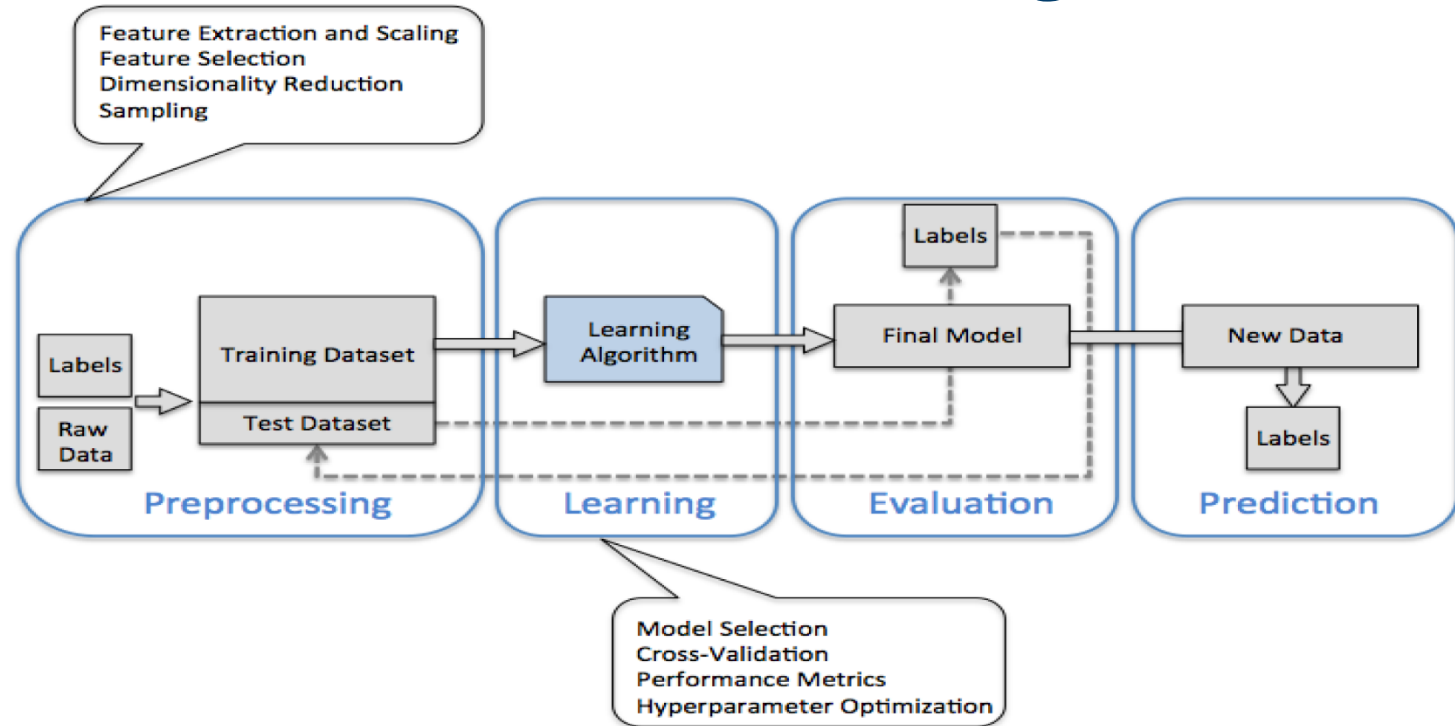
2. Unsupervised Learning:

- We deal with unlabeled data to explore its structure.
- Clustering (subgrouping), and Dimensionality Reduction (feature preprocessing.)

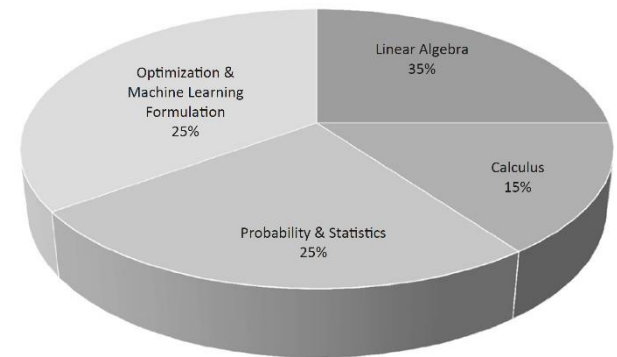
3. Reinforcement learning:

- Develop a system (agent) to improve performance via reward maximization.

Introduction to Machine Learning:




Strong grasp of the core concepts of mathematics enables one to ***select the right algorithm***. Also, it enables one to ***tune*** machine-learning/deep-learning models better.

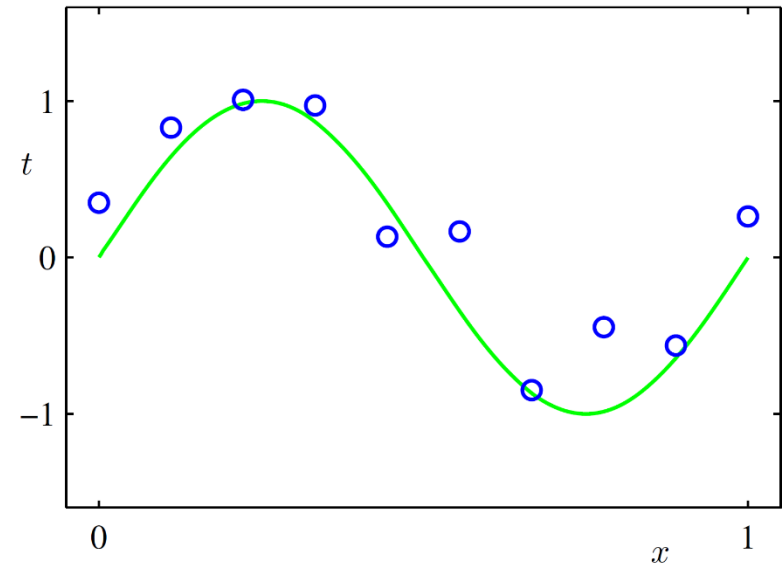


Motivating the Key Concepts:

- A simple *regression* problem.
- We observe a real-valued input variable (x), and we wish to *predict* the value of a real-valued target variable (t).
- The *green* curve shows the function $\sin(2\pi x)$ used to generate the data.
- The *blue* points are obtained by adding Gaussian noise.
- Fit the data using a *polynomial* function:

$$y(x, \mathbf{w}) = w_0 + w_1x + w_2x^2 + \dots + w_Mx^M = \sum_{j=0}^M w_jx^j$$

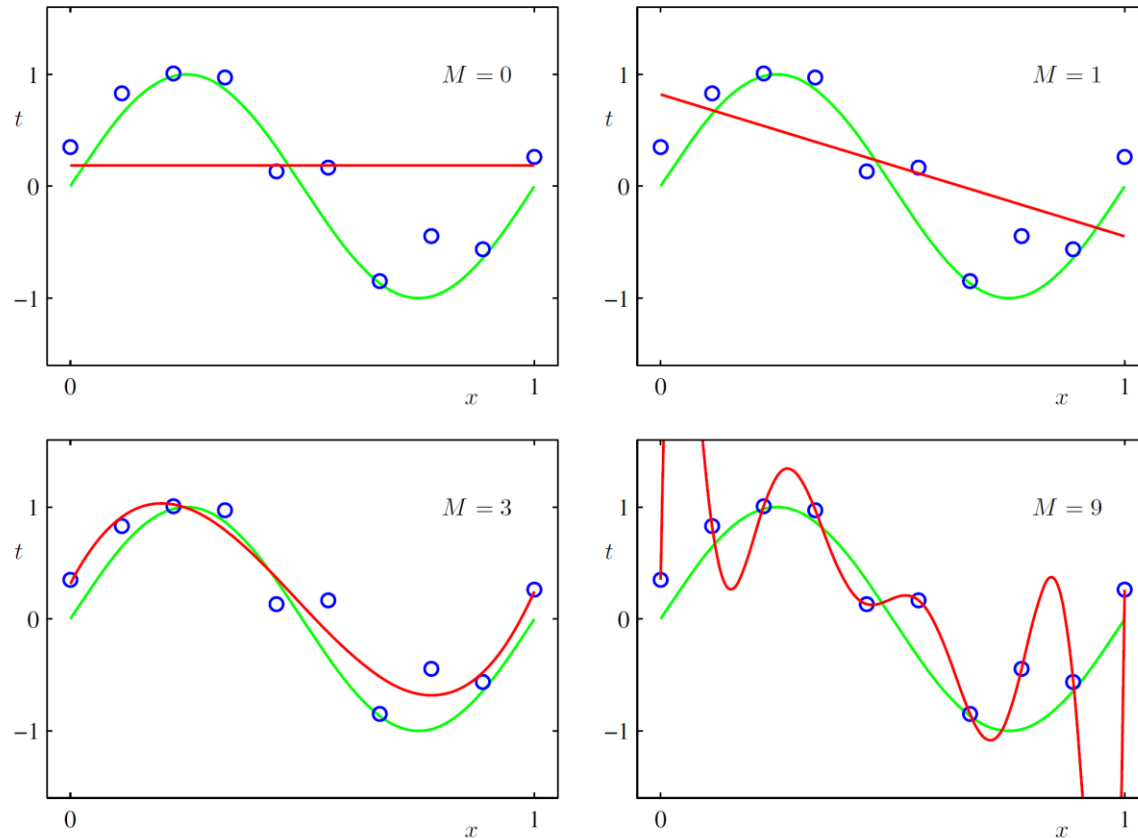
- Polynomial degree M  (*model selection*).
- **Weights** can be determined by fitting polynomial to the training data, by *minimizing* an *error function*.



Motivating the Key Concepts:

- One common choice is the *root-mean-square*.

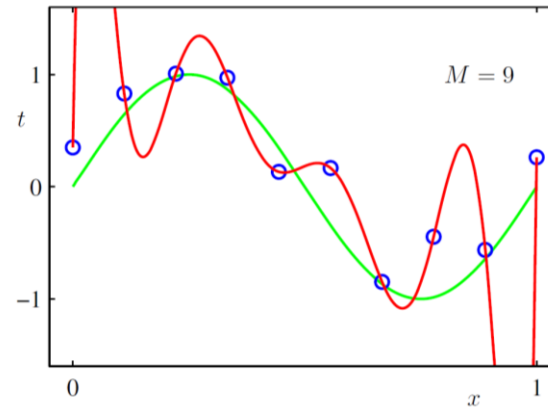
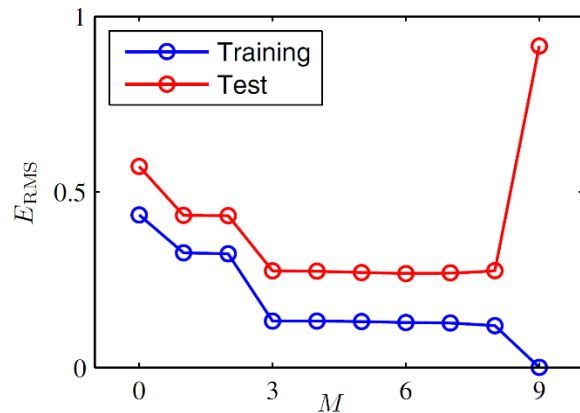
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Over-fitting

- But how the weights of the model can be computed. *Probability* theory comes to rescue.

Motivating the Key Concepts:

- Given (x) , assume that the target variable (t) has a Gaussian distribution:

$$p(t|x, \mathbf{w}, \beta) = \mathcal{N}(t|y(x, \mathbf{w}), \beta^{-1}) \quad \beta^{-1} = \sigma^2$$

- Determine the unknown parameters by *maximum likelihood method*.

$$p(\mathbf{t}|\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{w}, \beta) = \prod_{n=1}^N \mathcal{N}(t_n|y(x_n, \mathbf{w}), \beta^{-1})$$

$$\ln p(\mathbf{t}|\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{w}, \beta) = -\frac{\beta}{2} \sum_{n=1}^N \{y(x_n, \mathbf{w}) - t_n\}^2 + \frac{N}{2} \ln \beta - \frac{N}{2} \ln(2\pi).$$

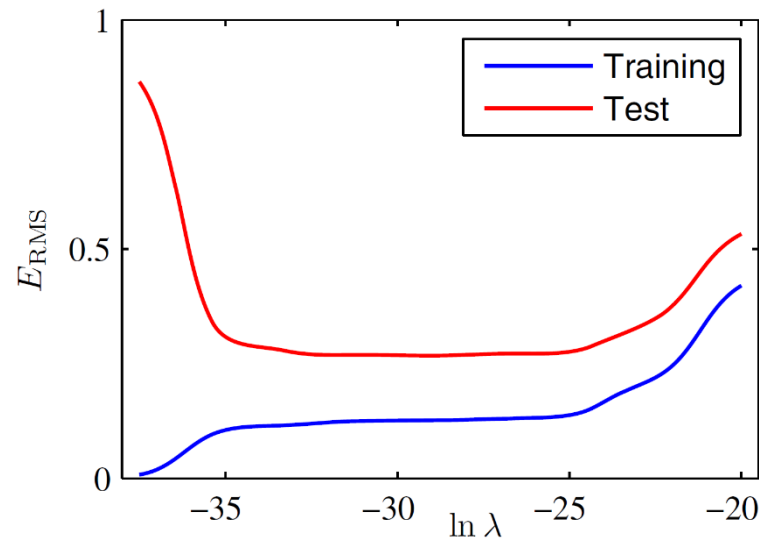
- By maximizing with respect to (w) , we obtain the desired solution (w_{ML}) .
- Finally make new predictions.

Motivating the Key Concepts:

- Back to over-fitting issue, one technique to control it is called *regularization*.
- Regularization involves adding *penalty term* to the error function.

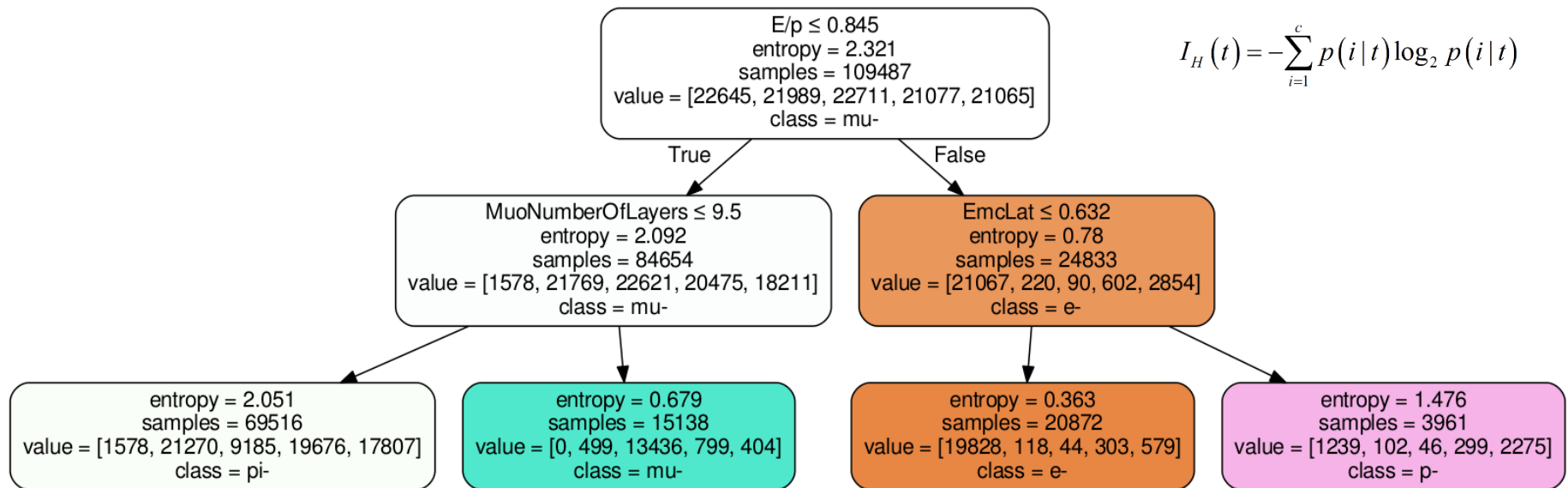
$$\tilde{E}(\mathbf{w}) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^N \{y(x_n, \mathbf{w}) - t_n\}^2 + \frac{\lambda}{2} \|\mathbf{w}\|^2$$

- λ governs the relative importance of the regularization term compared to the error term.



Boosted Decision Trees (BDT):

- Idea: *break down the data* by making decisions based on the features in the training set.
- The splitting is done by maximizing the **Information Gain** $IG(D_p, f) = I(D_p) - \sum_{j=1}^m \frac{N_j}{N_p} I(D_j)$
- BDT** is an **ensemble method**. The key concept behind **boosting** is to focus on training samples that are hard to classify.



Boosted Decision Trees (BDT):

- Two event generators are used for training.

1. *BoxGenerator*:

- **momentum range:** (0.2 - 5) GeV.
- **phi range:** 0 - 360°.
- **theta range:** 0 - 180°.
- **particle species:** [e^{\mp} , π^{\mp} , μ^{\mp} , k^{\mp} , p^{\mp}]. One particle per event.

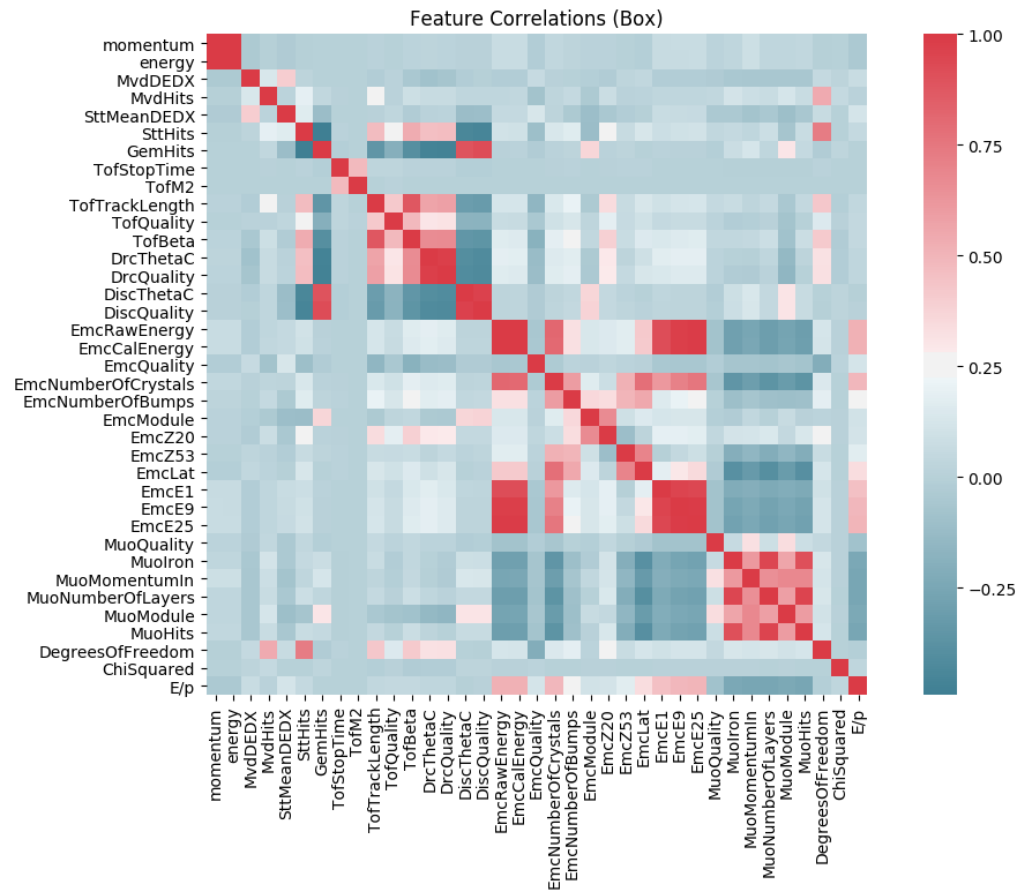
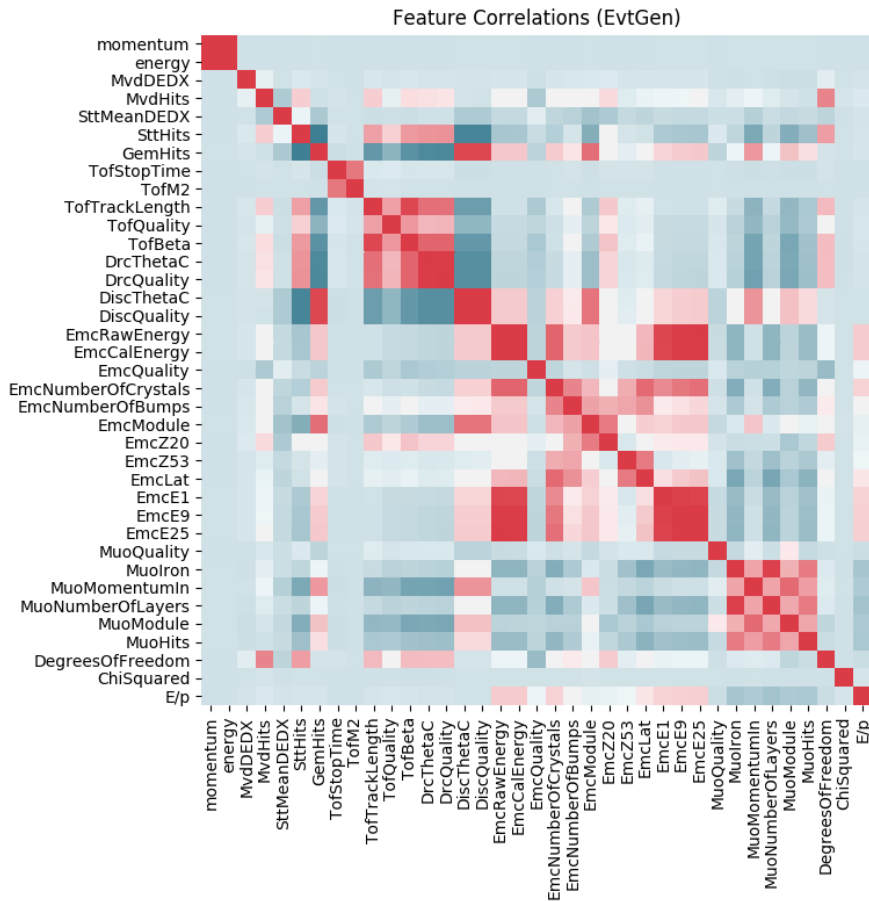
2. *EvtGen*:

- $p\bar{p} \rightarrow X\bar{X}Y\bar{Y}$, where X, and $Y = e^{\mp}, \pi^{\mp}, \mu^{\mp}, k^{\mp}, p^{\mp}$
- **Beam momentum:** 15 GeV/c.

*Particles are matched to their **MC truth** information.*

Boosted Decision Trees (BDT):

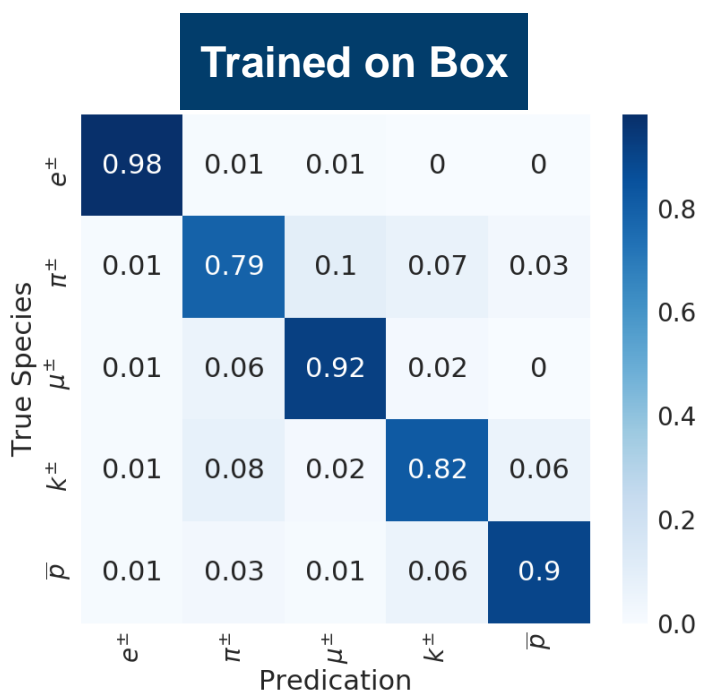
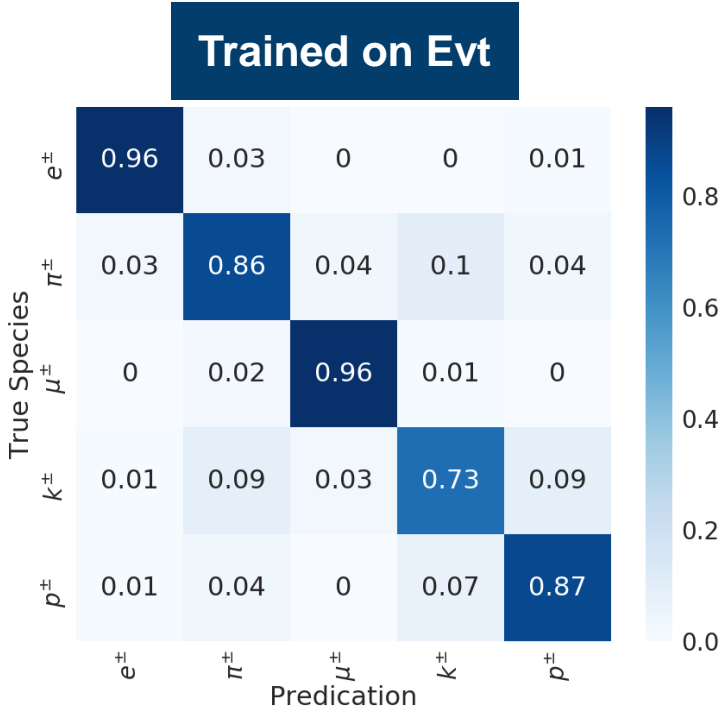
- Input Features:



Boosted Decision Trees (BDT):

- Data are organized into python *DataFrame*. Data was splitted into **training (70%)** and **testing (30%)** sets.

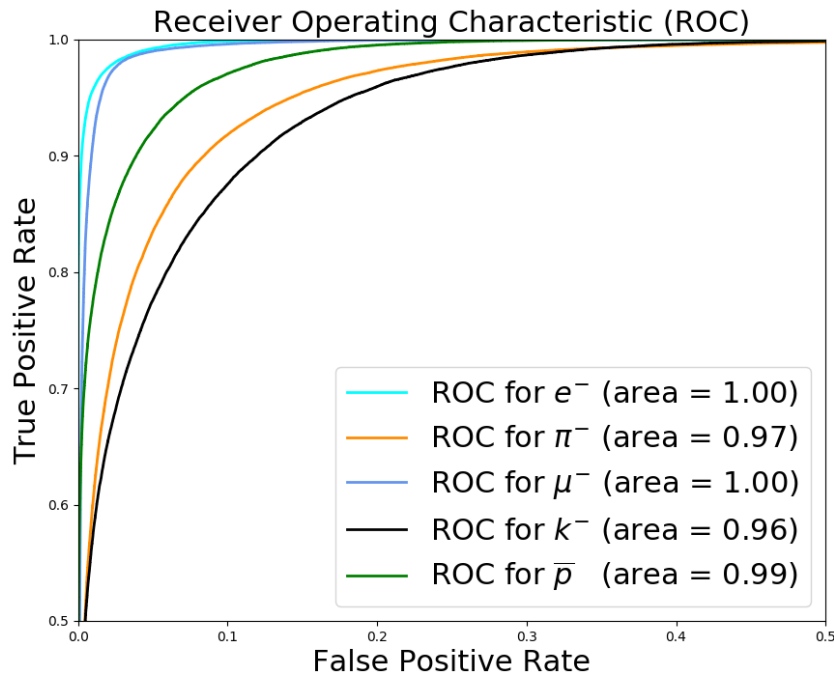
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4.14557	17.1663	-1	6.65813E-6	5	0	17	3.95565	117.048	0.991413
3.51102	12.3078	-1	0.00648225	1	0	24	0.0	0.0	2.21215
3.45948	11.9486	-1	5.4671E-6	4	0	22	2.89786	86.4262	0.29421
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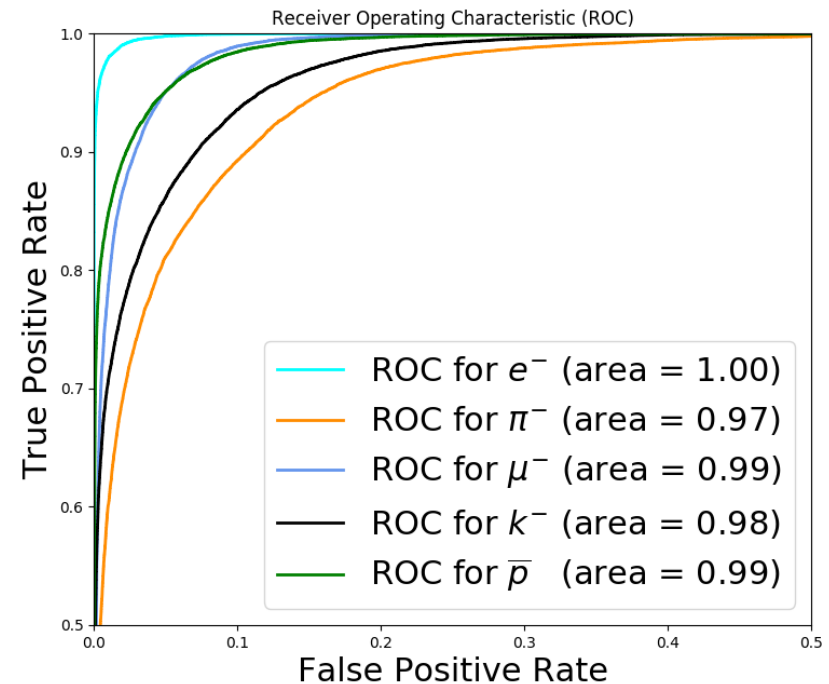
Boosted Decision Trees (BDT):

1. Receiver Operating Characteristic (ROC).

Trained on Evt



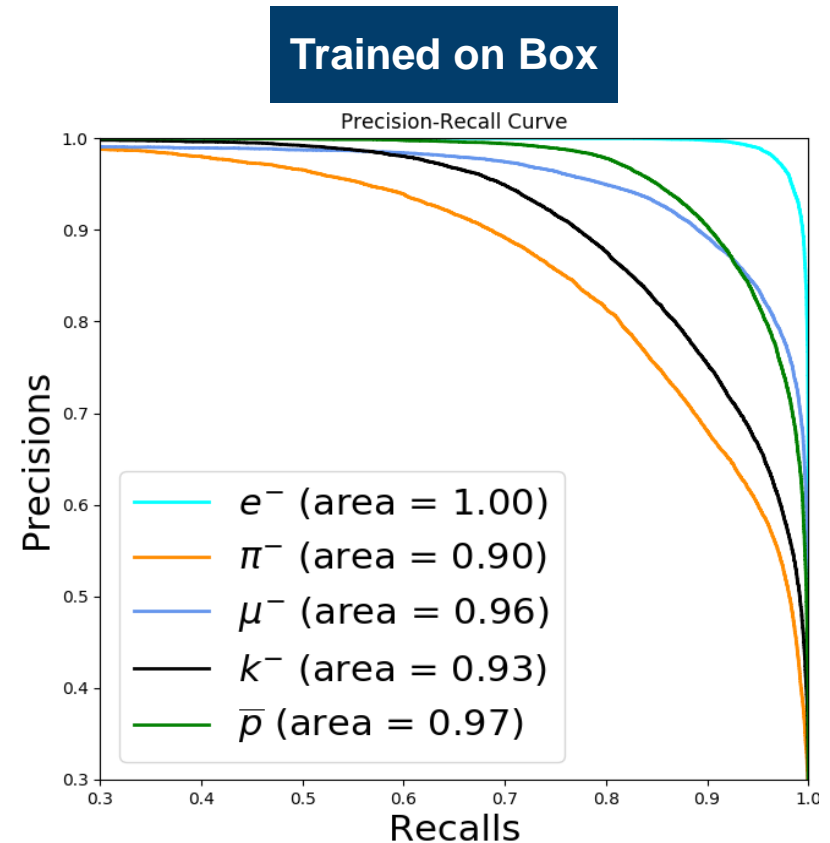
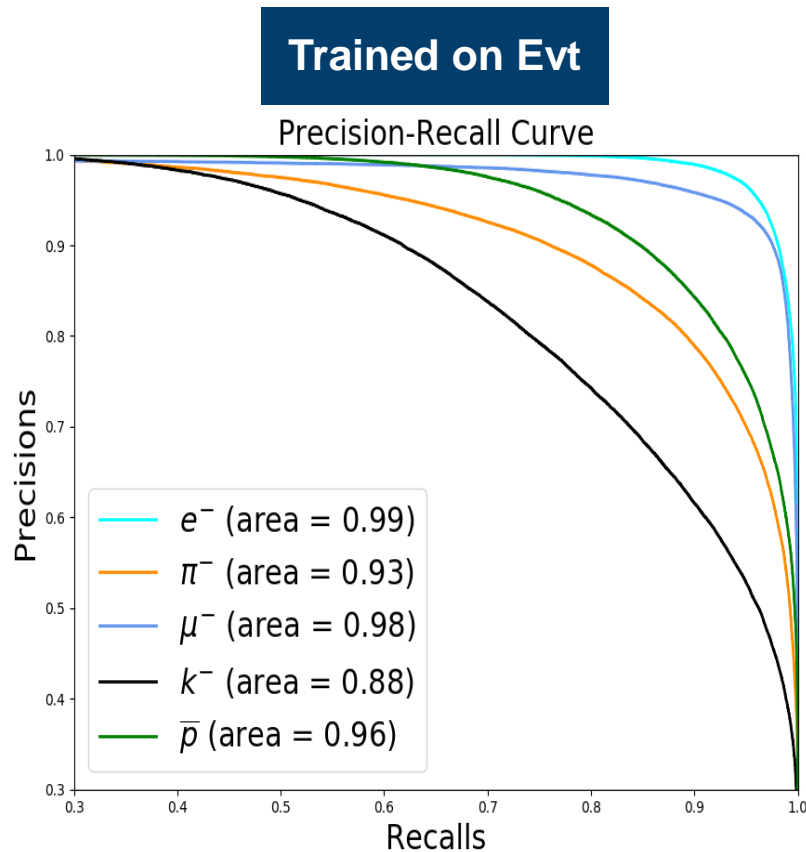
Trained on Box



True Positives (TP) & True Negatives (TN).
False Positives (FP) & False Negatives (FN).

Boosted Decision Trees (BDT):

2. Precision, and Recall.



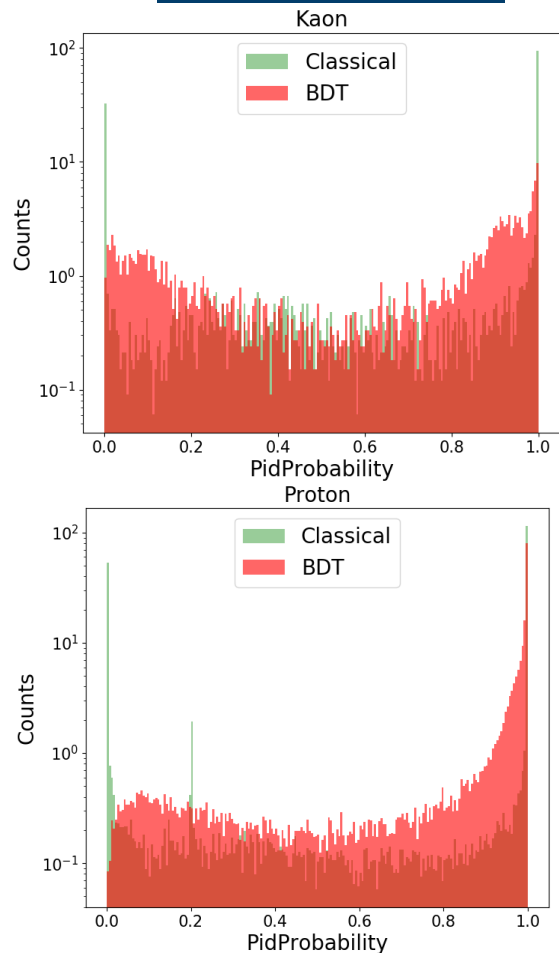
$$\text{recall} = \frac{TP}{TP + FN} \quad \text{precision} = \frac{TP}{TP + FP}$$

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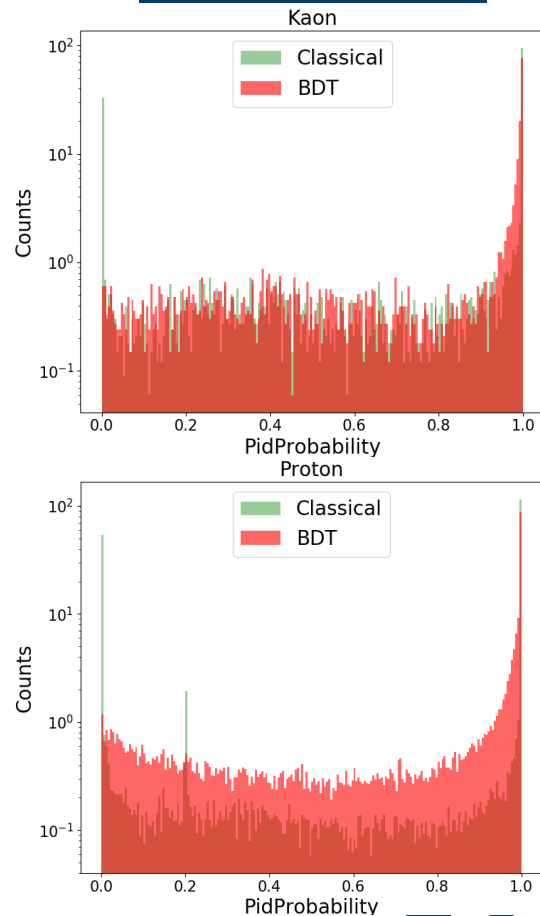
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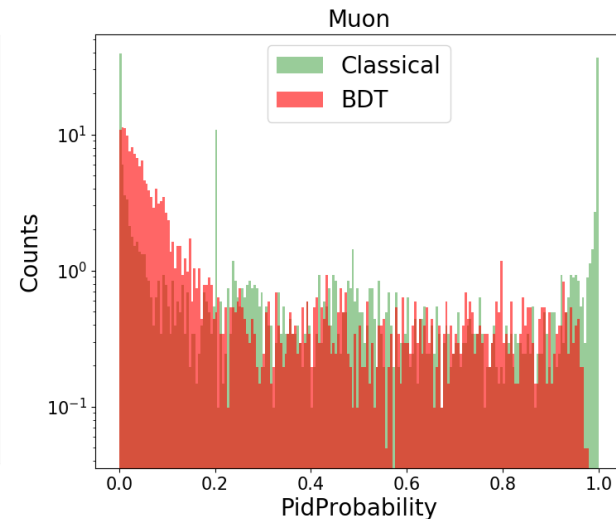
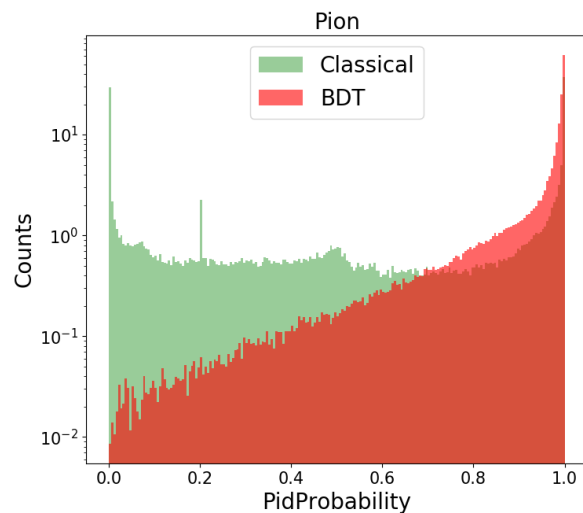
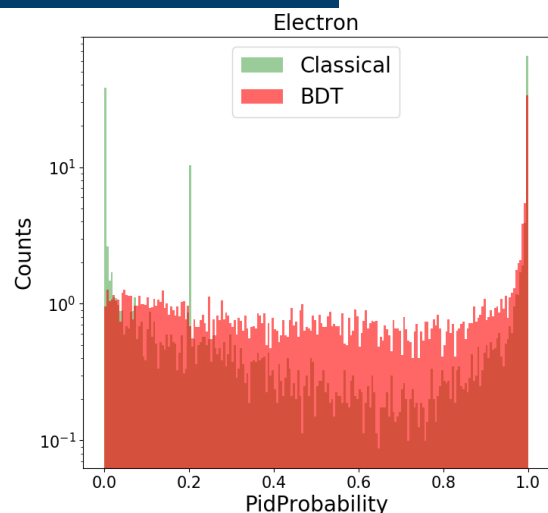
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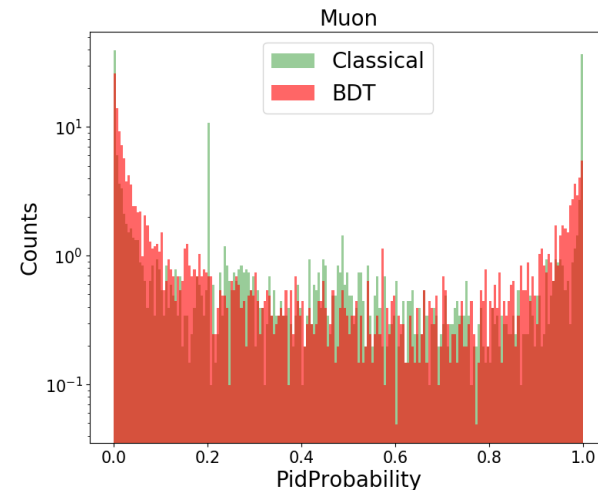
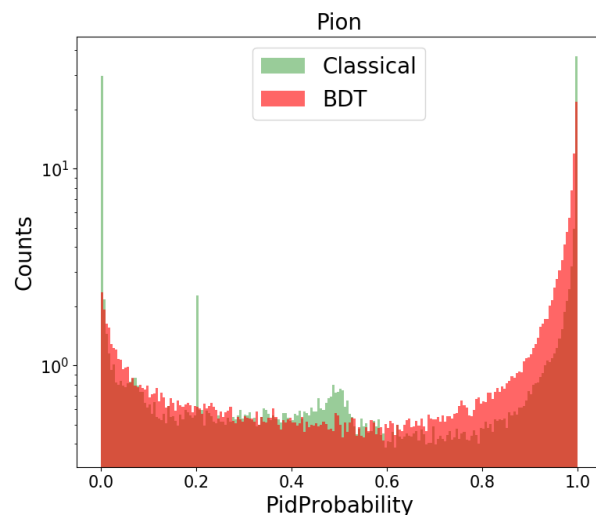
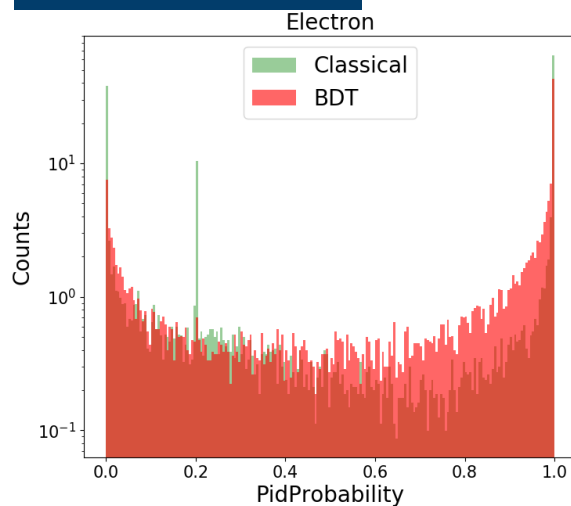
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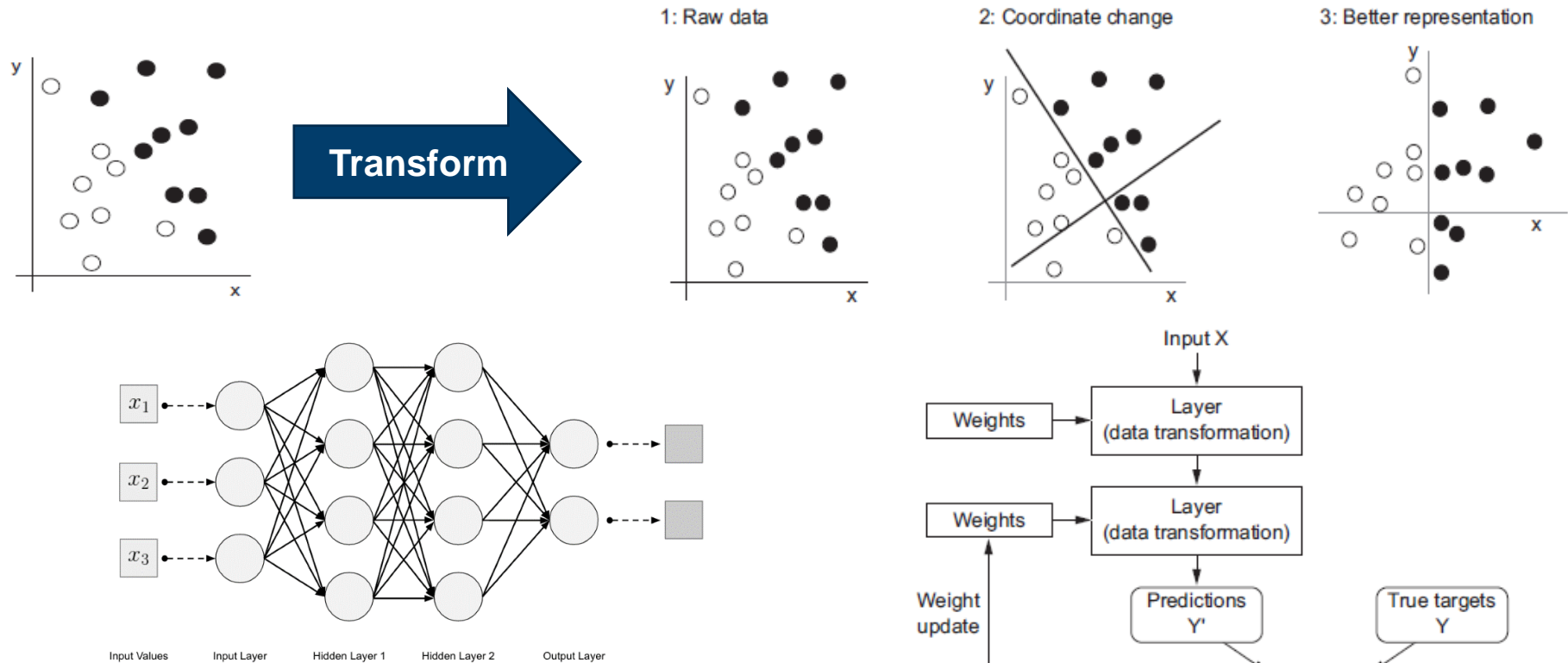
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Deep Learning:

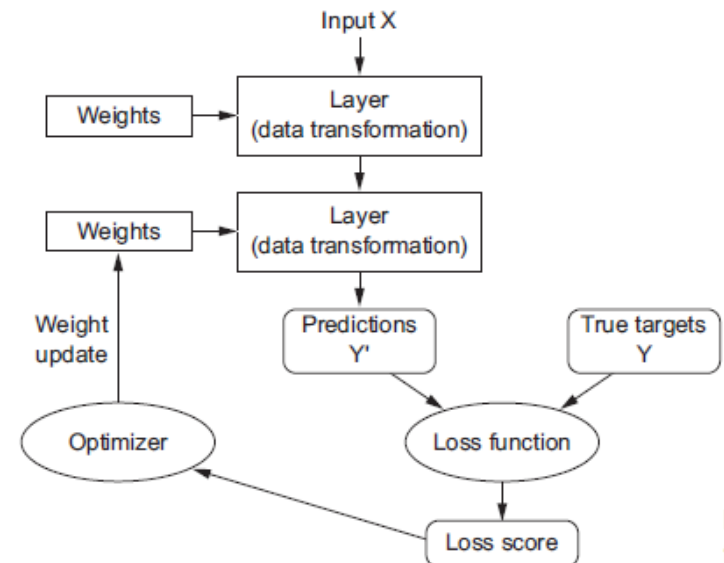
Artificial Neural Networks (ANN):

- Neural Networks is about meaningfully *transform the data*.

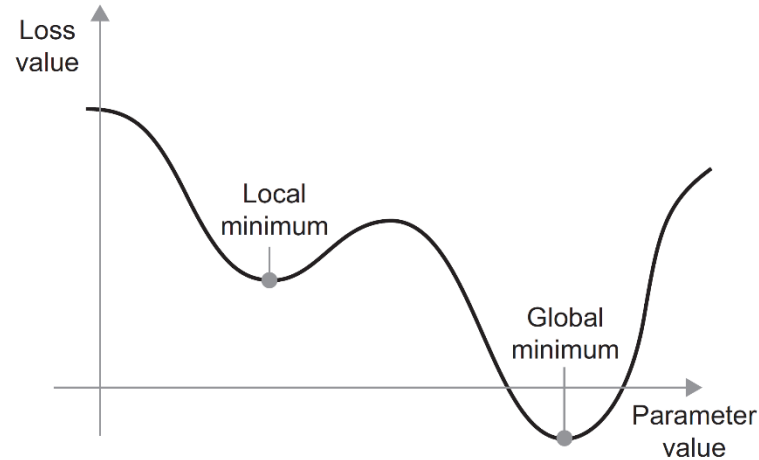
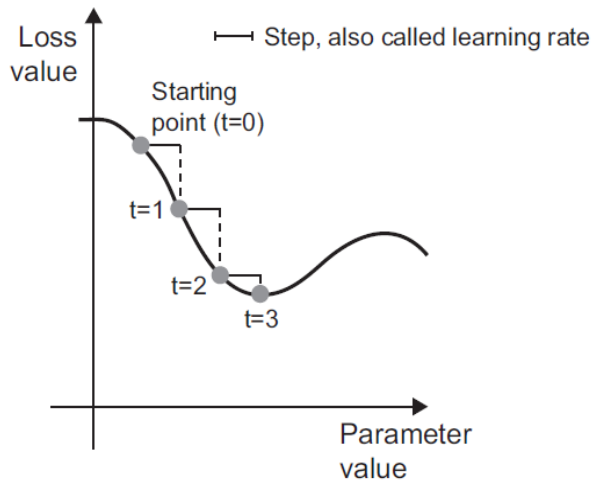


- Training loop of DNN:

- **Input data**, parameterize by **weights** (transform the data), predict and compute the **loss score**, and update (**epochs**).

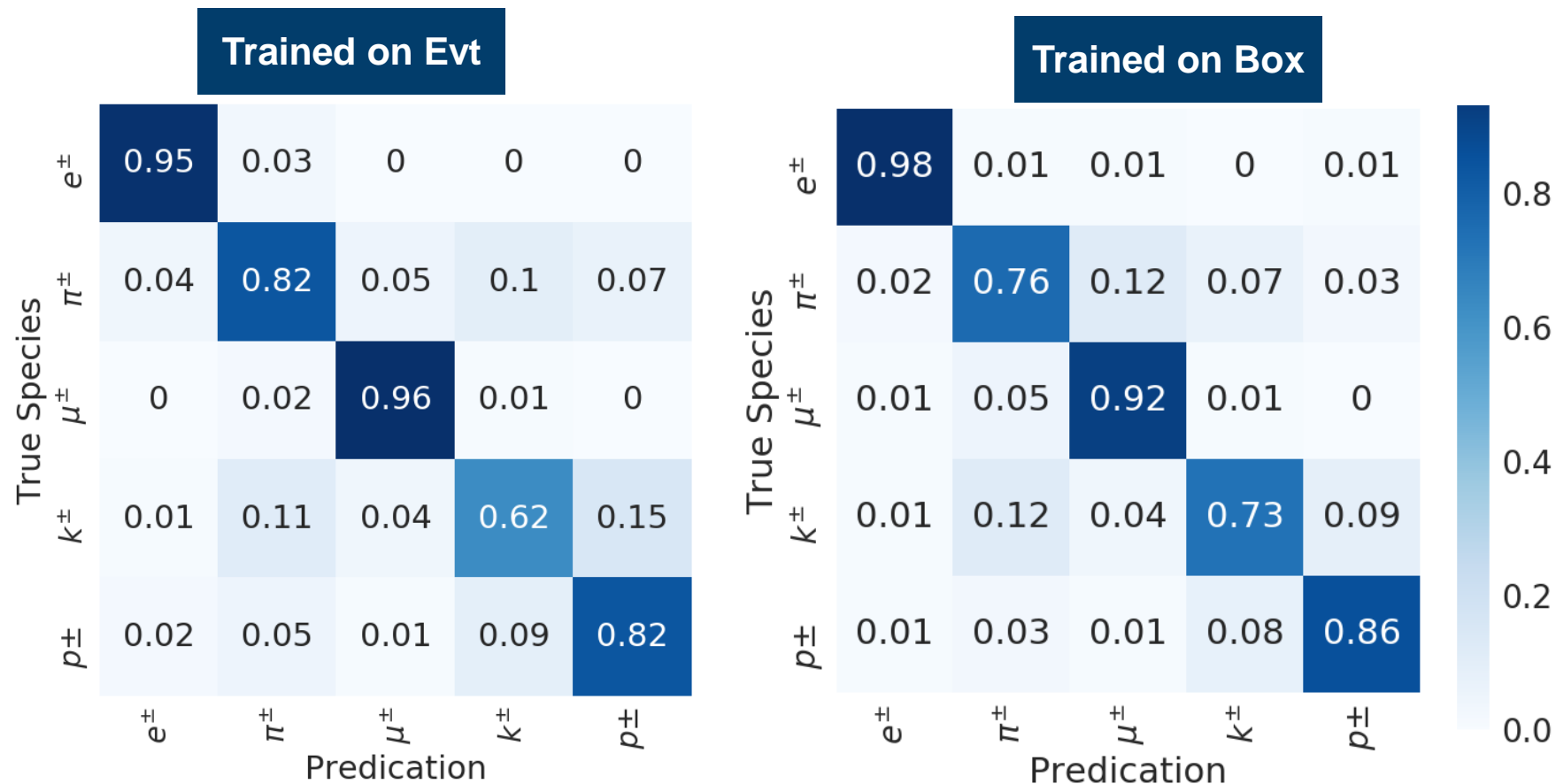


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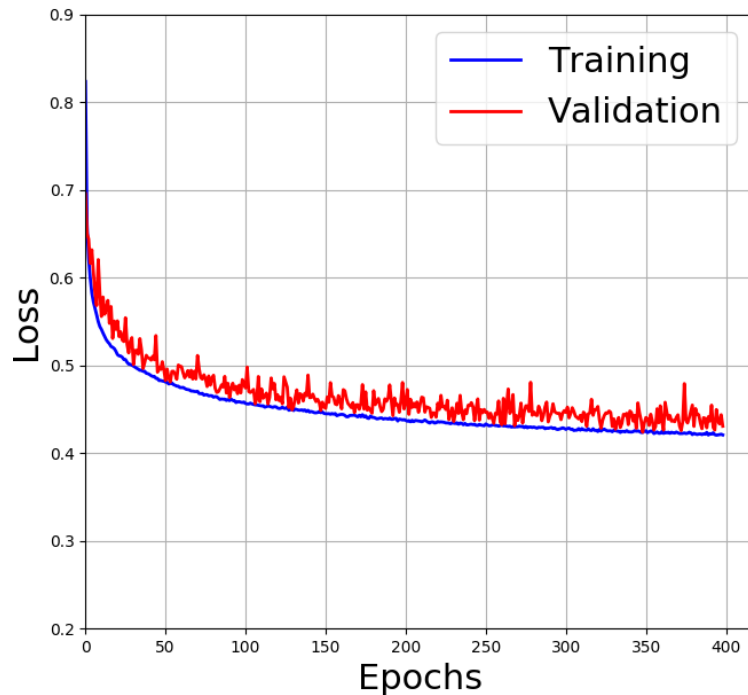
- The update step is guided by *minimizing the loss function* by calculating its *gradient*.
- Model parameters (weights) are updated through back-propagation algorithm.
- *Keras* Python Package was used.
- Keras is built on top of *tensor-flow*, and can run on GPUs.
- Deep net with *6 hidden layers*, about $\sim 50,000$ trainable parameters.
- *L2 regularization* is used to avoid *overfitting*.

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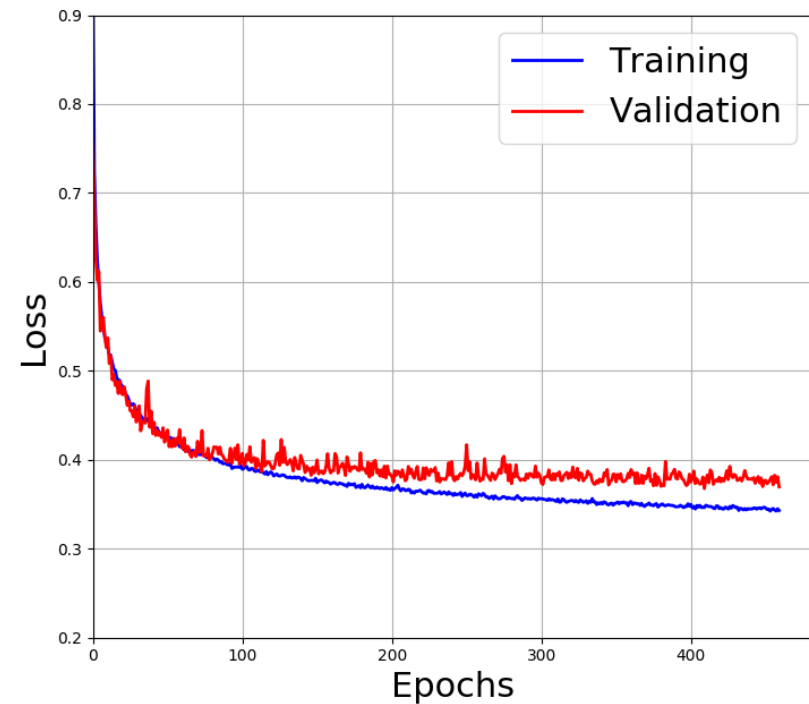


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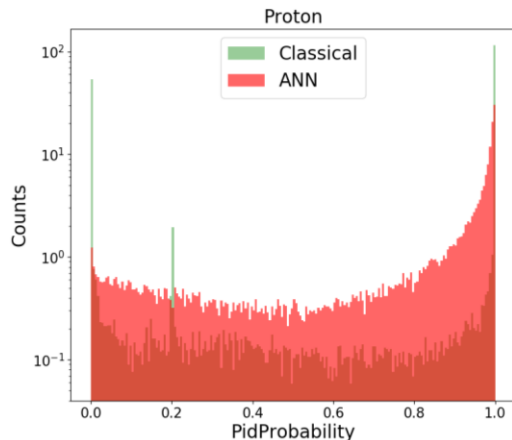
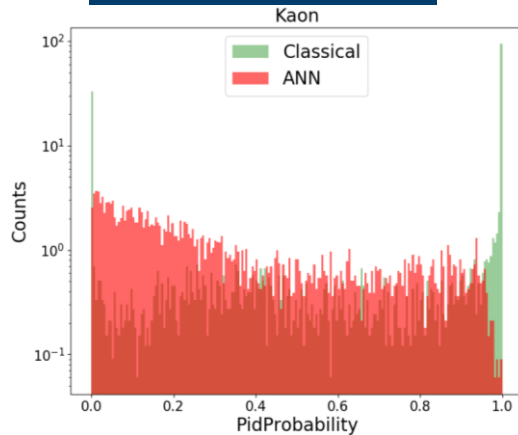


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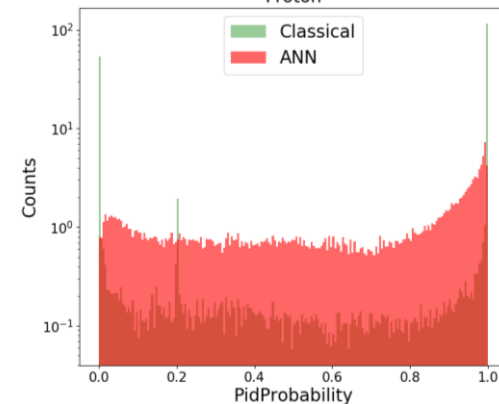
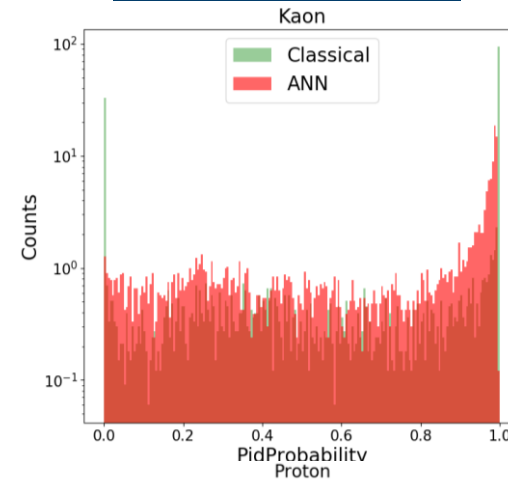
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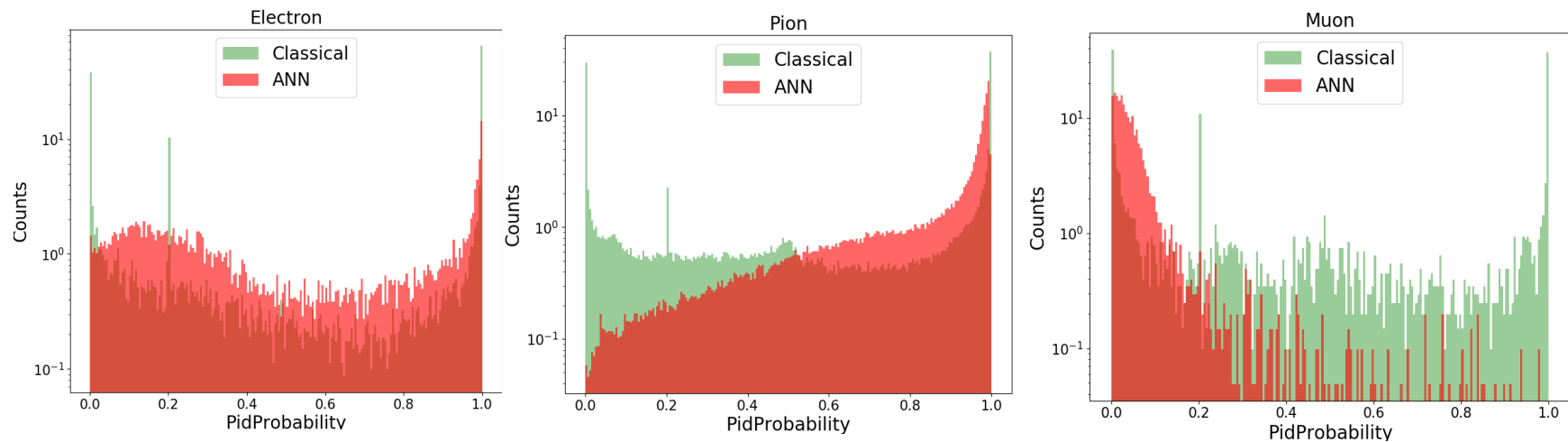
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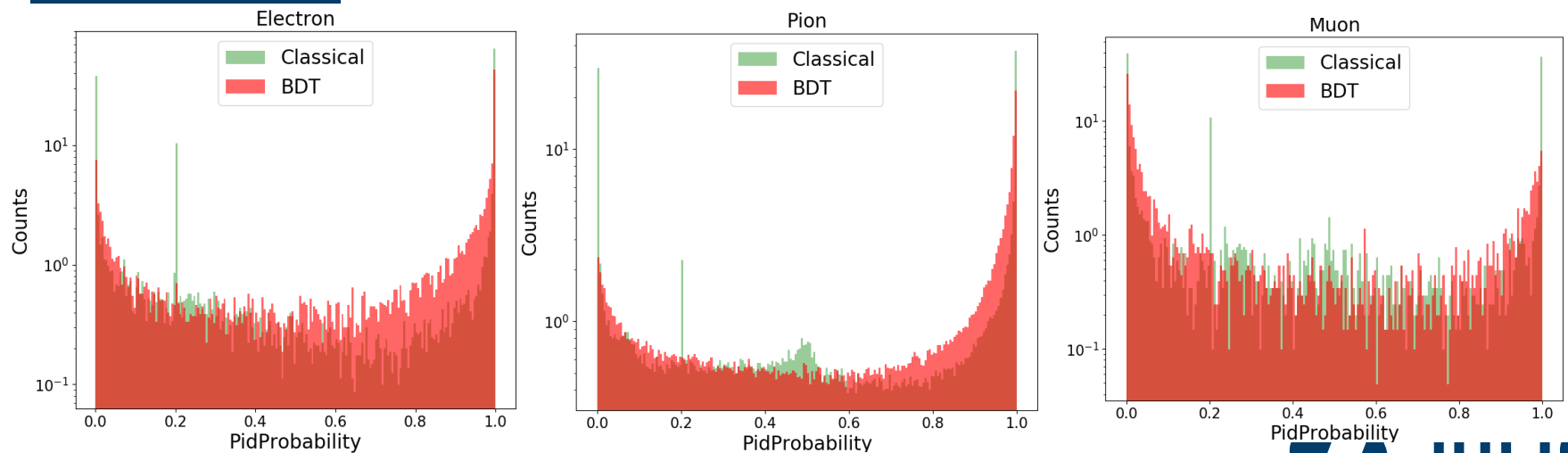
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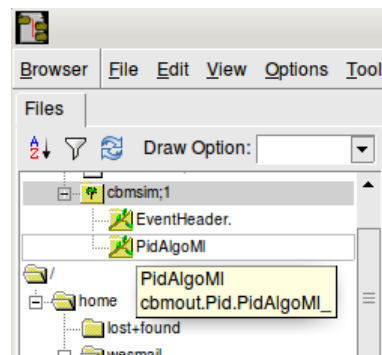
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In [1]: from sklearn.externals import joblib  
clf = joblib.load('savedRF.pkl')
```

```
In [5]: entry_to_predict_on = s_df.iloc[:,0:-1]  
particles = clf.predict_proba(entry_to_predict_on)  
List = ['e-', 'pi-', 'mu-', 'k-', 'p-']  
particles = pd.DataFrame(particles, columns=List)  
particles['event'] = s_df.loc[:, 'events']
```

Associator Task

PndPidMIAssociatorTask

output











Integration to PandaRoot:

```
FairRunAna* fRun = new FairRunAna();  
FairRuntimeDb* rtdb = fRun->GetRuntimeDb();  
fRun->SetInputFile(inPidFile);  
fRun->AddFriend("signal_ml.root");
```

```
theAnalysis->FillList(muplus, "MuonTightPlus", "PidAlgoML");  
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Integration to PandaRoot:

- https://github.com/wesmail/MLPID_For_PANDARoot
- <https://pandaatfair.githost.io/WEsmail/PandaRoot>

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To be able to use this code you have to be sure that Python interpreter is installed on your machine. If you do not have Python, Please navigate to Python website <https://www.python.org/>. It is preferable to install Python2 since we are using ROOT, and usually Python3 with ROOT have a lot of problems.

1. Having Python2 installed we can now install the necessary Python modules. The required packages are:

- ROOT (Python bindings of ROOT <https://root.cern.ch/building-root>).
- ipython
- jupyter (optional)
- scipy
- numpy
- root_numpy
- pandas
- matplotlib
- seaborn
- tensorflow (for deep learning)
- tensorboard (for deep learning)
- keras (for deep learning)

to install any of these modules use pip, e.g. `pip install ipython`. If you do not know the exact name of the module use `pip search` and to narrow the search use `grep` with `pip`, e.g. `pip search numpy | grep numpy`.

2. The second step is to copy these two files `PndPidMIAssociatorTask.cxx` and `PndPidMIAssociatorTask.h` to: `yourPandaRootDirectory/source/pid/PidClassifier/`. Then open `CMakelists.txt` and add the following lines: `PidClassifier/PndPidMIAssociatorTask.cxx` and `PidClassifier/PndPidMIAssociatorTask.h`.

You can find easily where to paste these lines. Then open `PidLinkDef.h` and add the following line:

```
#pragma link C++ class PndPidMIAssociatorTask+;
```

Finally compile PANDARoot again from the build directory.

Available Multivariate packages:

- TMVA (ROOT).
- MLlib Apache Spark.
- Sci-Kit Learn.
- TensorFlow (Deep Learning).
- Keras (Deep Learning).
- PyTorch (Deep Learning).
- DL4J (Deep Learning, Java).
- R Implementations.
- ...

Conclusion and outlook:

- *Boosted Decision Trees (BDT)* showed good performance in classifying charged particles and outperformed the classical PID methods over the specified momentum range.
- *Deep Networks* also showed also good performance in the classifying task (needs more deep investigations).
- Interface between Python and PandaRoot by ZeroMQ.
- Write a release note of what have been done (*in progress ...*).

THANK YOU

BACK UP

Boosting:

1. Draw a random subset of training samples d_1 without replacement from the training set D to train a weak learner C_1 .
2. Draw second random training subset d_2 without replacement from the training set and add 50 percent of the samples that were previously misclassified to train a weak learner C_2 .
3. Find the training samples d_3 in the training set D on which C_1 and C_2 disagree to train a third weak learner C_3 .
4. Combine the weak learners C_1 , C_2 , and C_3 via majority voting.