



SBND Analysis using ML Reconstruction Chain

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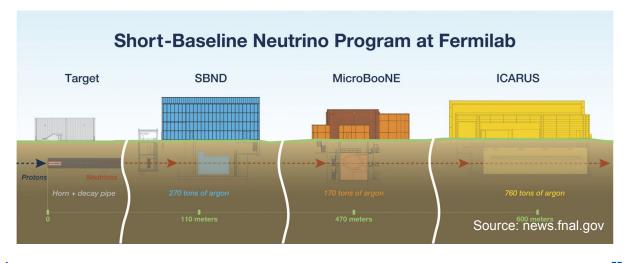
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From neutrinos searches to SBND

- **SBND**'s proximity (110 m) to the source (BNB) implies we'll collect *a large number* of neutrinos.
- We are here to measure the *un-oscillated* flux for the SBN (Short-Baseline Neutrino) program; cross section and BSM searches will also be studied.





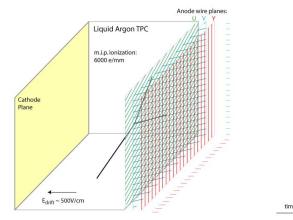
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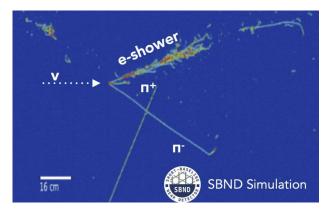
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Source: https://lar.bnl.gov/wire-cell/

From SBND to particle identification

- SBND is a LArTPC (Liquid Argon Time Projection Chamber), where charged particles passing through argon ionizes electrons.
- As the electrons drift toward the anode, the location, arrival time, and the deposited charge is recorded on the wire planes.
 - 2D images formed on the three wire planes will be used to construct 3D images later.



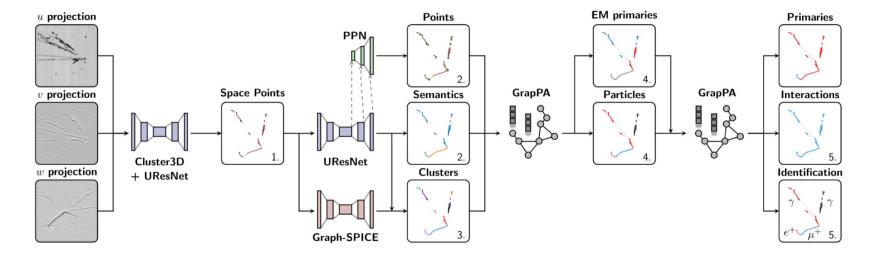




ML Reconstruction Chain

• The Scalable Particle Imaging with Neural Embeddings (SPINE) will be employed.

SPINE



F. Drielsma: <u>arXiv:2102.01033</u>

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Training and samples

- Multi-particle vertex multi-particle rain (**MPVMPR**) sample has 3 generators:
 - Out-of-time rain (MPR): trains for out-of-time cosmic activity
 - In-time rain (MPR): trains for in-time cosmic activity
 - Vertex (MPV): trains for neutrino activity
- 278k training, validation samples + ~50k testing samples

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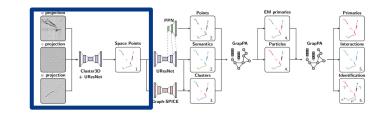
MPV v01 parameters (source: NPML talk by B. Carlson)

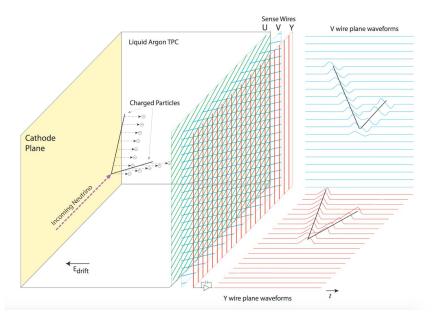




From images to space points

- Tomographic reconstruction:
 - Reconstruct the **space points** created by particles passing through the LArTPC
 - Create a 3D image of an object by combining three 2D images taken from wire planes using <u>Cluster3D.</u>
 - Spurious or false signals (e.g. electronic noises) will be identified and "deghosted" using <u>UResNet</u>.





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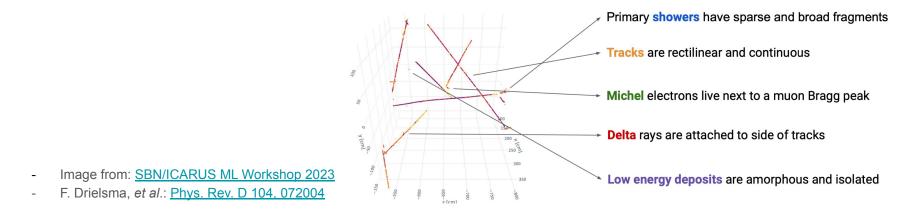
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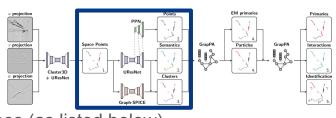
L. Dominé and K. Terao: <u>PhysRevD.102.012005</u>



From space points to fragments

- <u>UResNet</u> \rightarrow Locates and names the space points:
 - Semantic Segmentation: Classify the points into five classes (as listed below)
 - <u>PPN</u> identifies "points of interest": Identify start and end points.
- <u>Graph-SPICE</u> \rightarrow **Clusters** points into particle fragments (and later into particles)
 - \circ For the tracks/showers that *share the same vertex* \rightarrow **Dense clustering** by Graph-SPICE
 - For the *breaking tracks* (e.g. cathode crosser) or *shower fragments* \rightarrow **Aggregation** (later)

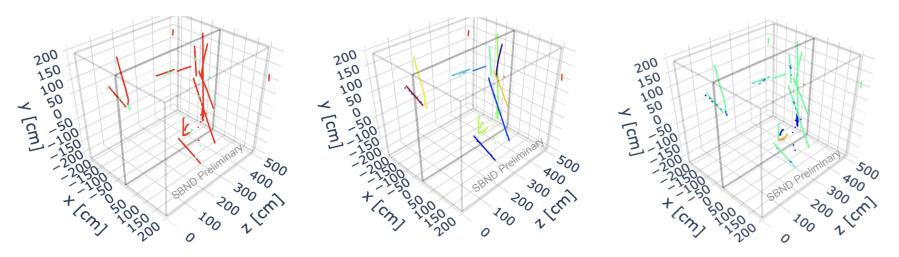




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From fragments to particles

- We utilize <u>GrapPA</u> to do aggregation tasks:
 - Aggregate fragments (broken tracks & shower fragments) into **particles**.
 - Aggregate particles into the original **interactions**.
 - Classify particles into five species (photons, electrons, muons, pions, or protons)



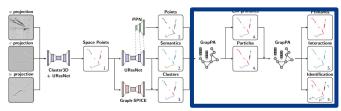
Interactions (from the same parent or others)

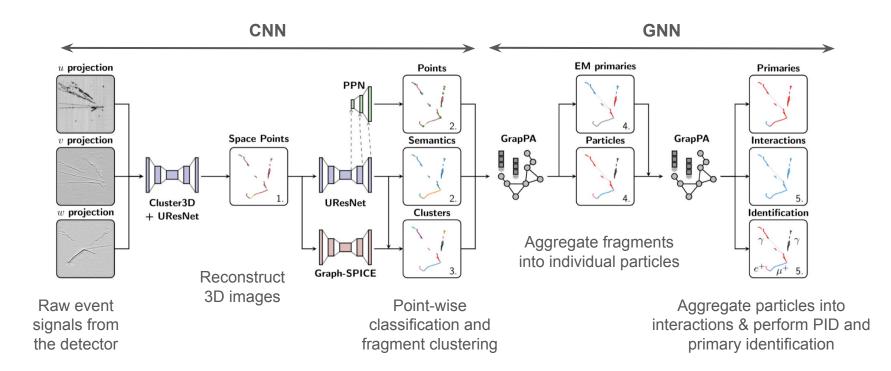
Particle types (five species)



Primaries or not





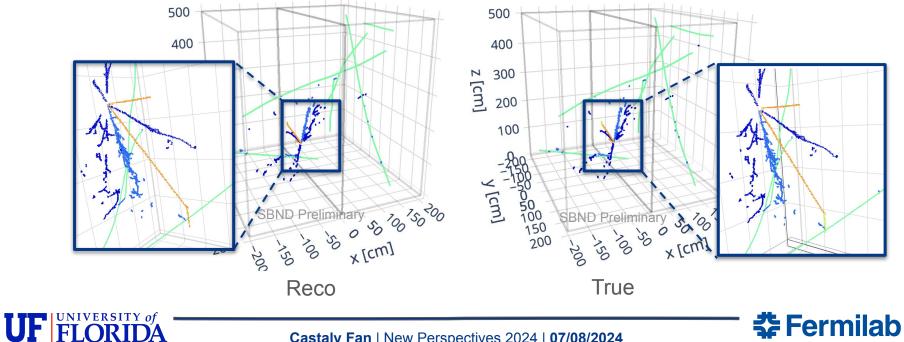




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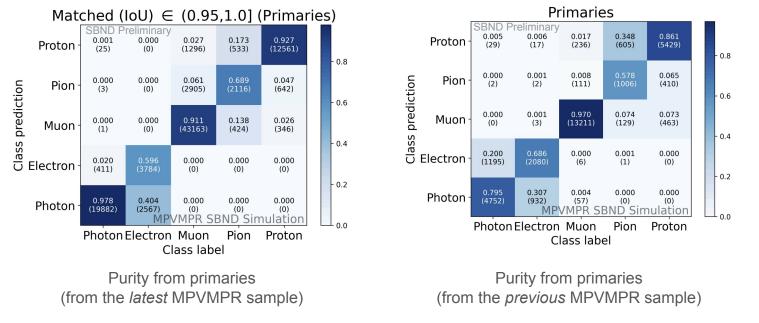
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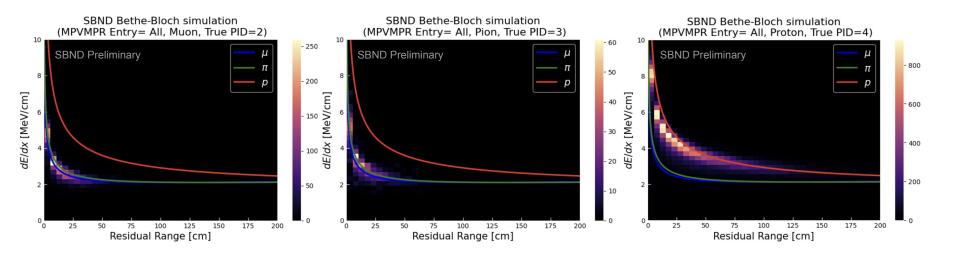
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Example: dE/dx analysis

- The *dE/dx vs. residual range* plots among muons and pions:
 - SPINE achieved a great performance: They are basically matched the predicted curves.
 - Muons and pions have similar dE/dx profiles, but still distinguishable even with a tiny difference.
 - The discernible shift on proton's plot comes from the ADC-MeV conversion factor for now.





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Summary

SPINE

- SPINE is an ML reconstruction framework for event reconstruction, which is currently employed for ICARUS will be widely employed for SBND analyses.
- The reconstruction chain utilizes cutting-edge CNN and GNN to reconstruct the events.
- Particle and interaction types can be identified with high performance.
 - It's "scalable" (performance won't be affected by data amount/complexity)
 - And also, an "end-to-end" structure (a single integrated system)
- Resources
 - SPINE's github page: <u>DeepLearnPhysics/SPINE</u>
 - Useful resources: <u>ML workshop 2023</u>
 - Original paper: <u>arXiv:2102.01033</u>
 - More about UResNet: <u>PhysRevD.102.012005</u>
 - More about GrapPA: Phys. Rev. D 104, 072004
 - SBND overview: <u>NPML conference slides</u>





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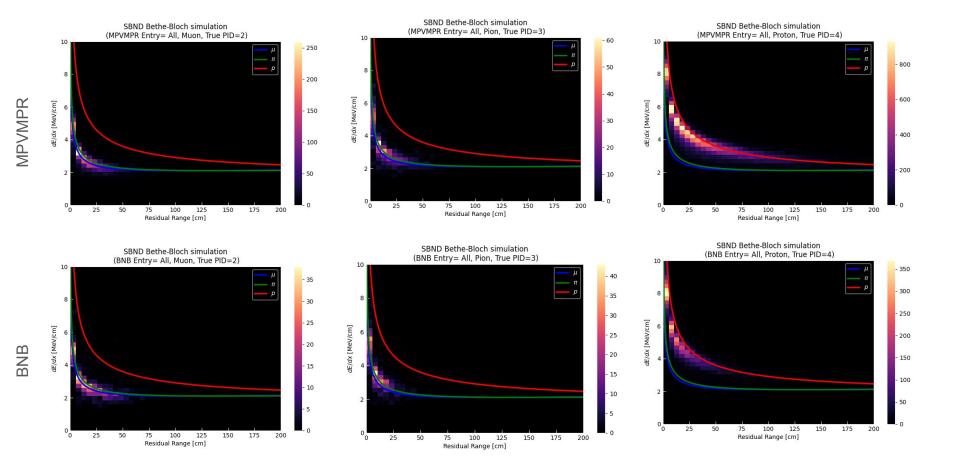
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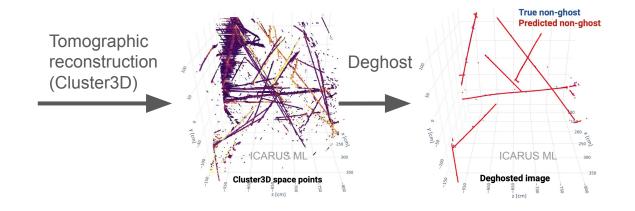
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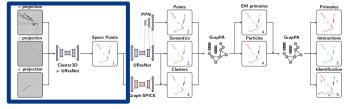
Tomographic Reconstruction

- "Ghosts":
 - spurious or false signals (e.g. electronic noises) arise from matching plane images.
- Deghost:

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- \circ Classify each voxel into two categories i.e. ghost and non-ghost \rightarrow Identify and then bust them!
- How? **UResNet** neural network will be used; it can help semantic segmentation too.



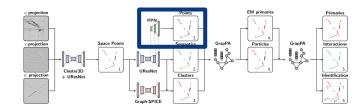


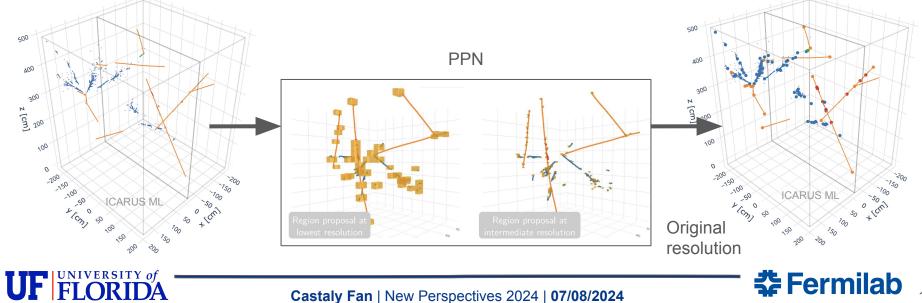


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Point Proposal Network (PPN)

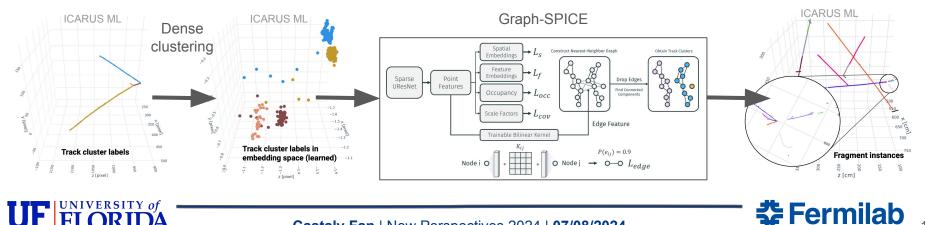
- **PPN** identifies "points of interest"
 - Using a UResNet.
 - Labels start and end points of tracks, deltas, and start points of showers.



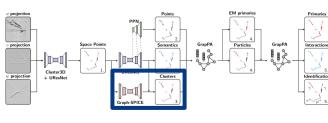


(Dense) Clustering

- But we have to know "which is which"
- → **clustering** will be required:
 - Finding connected voxels that touch each other will be necessary
 - However, some of the tracks/showers share the same vertex \rightarrow **Dense clustering**
 - Besides, it would be challenging to identify some of the *breaking tracks* (e.g. cathode crosser) or gather the *shower fragments* → <u>Aggregation</u>

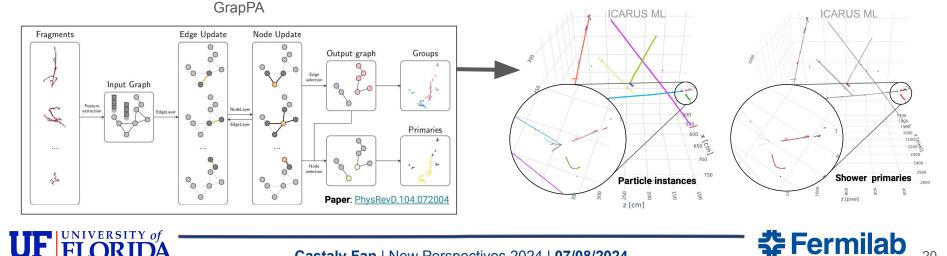


Dense) Glustering



Aggregation (for Particles)

- Now, we need to cope with the particle fragments:
 - Broken tracks & shower fragments. Ο
- **GrapPA** (Graph Particle Aggregator) can help.
 - Node features: Particle centroid, dQ/dx, PCA, covariance matrix, PPN end points, directions Ο
 - Aggregate fragments into **particles**. 0
 - Classify shower into primary/secondary. Ο



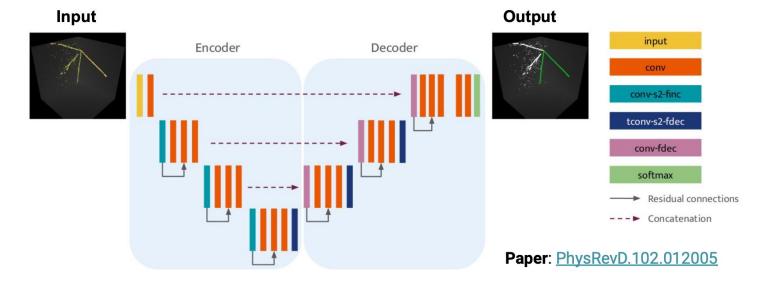
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Semantic Segmentation



Backbone (L. Dominé)

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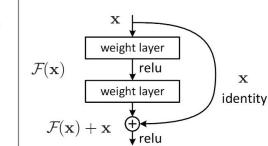
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UNet

- Downsizing -> expand receptive field
- Skip connections -> preserve resolution

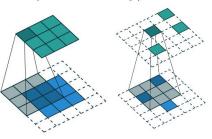


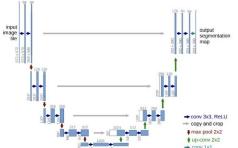
- Identity bypass + convolution -> learns residual transform
- Speeds up learning, enables deeper networks



Sparse Convolutions

- Only applies convolutions on active pixels
- Saves memory, execution speed (dramatically)





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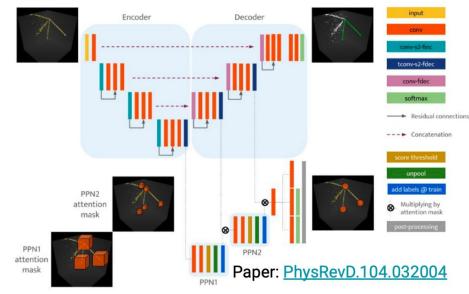
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Point Proposal Network (PPN)

Architecture (L. Dominé)

The Point Proposal Network (PPN) identifies **points of interest** using decoder features:

- Three CCN layers to progressively narrow ROI
- Last layer reconstructs:
 - Relative position to voxel center of active voxel
 - Point type
- Post-processing aggregates nearby points





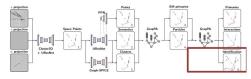


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Graph particle aggregator (GrapPA)



- Aggregates particles into interactions and identifies primaries and PID
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