

NuGraph

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Introduction

CNN-based networks reshaped event reconstruction for neutrino physics



- GNN proved to be promising for track reconstruction at the LHC
 - naturally sparse
 - no image pre-processing
 - flexible structure







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NuGraph2 Paper Reference [arXiv:2403.11872]

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Graph neural network for neutrino physics event reconstruction

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Preprocessed training data set and trained model available on Zenodo - https://zenodo.org/records/12169756



MicroBooNE Open Samples – Overview

- Inspired by FAIR principles (findable, accessible, interoperable, reusable data)
- Samples available under <u>"cc-by" license</u>. Template text for acknowledgment is provided. - requesting resulting software products to be made available
- Two formats: targeting LArTPC and broader data & computer science communities - **art/ROOT** is the same format as used by the collaboration.
- - Files are stored on persistent **dCache** pool area and made accessible with **xrootd**
 - HDF5 include a reduced subset of the art/ROOT information in a simplified format for usage by non-experts. • Files stored on **Zenodo**, providing citable DOI (digital object identifier) & versioning.
- Extensive documentation and tutorials are also made public.
 - Notebooks show how to access the data, demonstrate useful applications, define reference performance metrics

| Sample | DOI | HDF5 | | | artroot | | |
|--------------------------------|------------------------|----------|---------|--------|-----------|------------|--------|
| | | N events | N files | size | N events | N files | size |
| Inclusive, NoWire | 10.5281/zenodo.8370883 | 753,467 | 18 | 195 GB | 1,046,139 | 24436 | 6.4 TB |
| Inclusive, WithWire | 10.5281/zenodo.7262009 | 24,332 | 18 | 44 GB | 24,332 | 720 | 136 GB |
| Electron neutrino, NoWire | 10.5281/zenodo.7261921 | 89,339 | 20 | 31 GB | 89,339 | 2151 | 761 GB |
| Electron neutrino, WithWire | 10.5281/zenodo.7262140 | 19,940 | 20 | 39 GB | 19,940 | 540 | 170 GB |





Graph Construction



Main inputs to the GNN are the Hits

- hits are Gaussian fits to waveforms
- features: wire, peak time, integral, RMS
- currently using Hits associated to the neutrino interaction by Pandora
- Within each plane hits are connected in a graph using Delaunay triangulation
 - fully connected graph
 - both long and short distance edges
 - connect across unresponsive wire regions
- Hit associations to 3D SpacePoints create "nexus" connections across graphs in each plane
 - Currently defined by "Space Point Solver"
 - SPs are not connected among themselves
 - No input features for SPs















Network architecture

- NuGraph2's architecture is an iterative message-passing network.
- Each message-passing iteration consists of two phases:
 - Planar block: pass messages internally in each plane.
 - Nexus block: pass messages up to 3D nexus nodes to share context information.
- Messages are based on a categorical embedding:
 - Each semantic category is provided with a separate set of embedded features, which are convolved independently.
 - Context information is exchanged between different particle types via a categorical cross-attention mechanism.



Planar block

Nexus block







Decoders

- The last step at the end of the message passing network are the decoder steps
- Paper describes two node classifications decoders:
 - Semantic: classify each hit by particle type
 - Filter: separate hits from neutrino interaction from background
 - Output both class-wise scores from the semantic decoder and a binary score from the filter decoder
 - Same learned features are used as input to all decoders
 - Different loss functions weighted based on per-task variance (arXiv:1705.07115)
- Work in progress on more decoders: neutrino flavor, vertex regression, object condensation

NuGraph2

 x_i^{out}







Performance on Simulation: Filter

- Decoder trained to separate neutrinoinduced hits from background (noise or cosmic-induced hits)
 - Pandora slicing tends to prioritize completeness over purity
- Performance metrics:
 - recall and precision: ~0.98







Performance on Simulation: Semantic

- Decoder trained to classify each neutrino-induced hit according to particle type
- Use five semantic categories:
 - MIP: Minimum ionizing particles (muons, charged pions)
 - HIP: Highly ionizing particles (protons)
 - EM showers (primary electrons, photons)
 - Michel electrons
 - Diffuse activity (Compton scatters, neutrons)
- Performance metrics:
 - recall and precision: ~0.95
 - consistency between planes around 98%
 - compared to ~70% without 3D nexus edges



| | | MIP | HIP | shower Assigned label | michel | diffuse |
|--------------------|----------------------|--------|--------|--------------------------|--------|---------|
| | d∎- | 0.99 | 0.074 | 0.066 | 0.26 | 0.08 |
| preci | HIP - | 0.0069 | 0.91 | 0.016 | 0.022 | 0.034 |
| SION | True label shower | 0.0026 | 0.0071 | 0.88 | 0.15 | 0.072 |
| (purit | michel | 0.0011 | 0.0013 | 0.015 | 0.52 | 0.029 |
| $\mathbf{\hat{s}}$ | diffuse | 0.0018 | 0.011 | 0.026 | 0.048 | 0.78 |



Vertex Decoder

- We also developed a vertex decoder regressing the 3D vertex position
 - Average 3D distance from truth:
 - NG: 6.2 cm
 - Pandora MCC9: 16.9 cm
 - Already better on average, but need to improve position pin-pointing
- Work in progress:
 - Need to consider different approaches wrt pure regression, as e.g. it does not constrain the vertex to hit positions in 2D (for CC interactions)
 - Tested different approaches for aggregating hit information into event-level, now moving to NuGraph3 (see next slide)





Performance on Simulation: Event Display

• Filter successfully rejects hits that are not from the neutrino interaction, including cosmic tracks that are close to it



(a) Filter truth

(b) Filter prediction



Performance on Simulation: Event Display

simple topology and also in higher multiplicity events.



(c) Semantic truth, filtered by truth

Semantic classification correctly classifies hits classes both in events with a

(d) Semantic prediction, filtered by prediction



Integration in LArSoft

- NuGraph2 is integrated in the software framework for LArTPC experiments, LArSoft
- Model compiled with JIT and run using the libtorch C++ library.
 - Integrated a package for Delaunay triangulation as well.
- Enables running in production workflows for LArTPC experiments!
- server (NuSonic: <u>arXiv:2009.04509</u>)

| TimeTracker printout (sec) | Min | Avg | Max | Median | |
|--|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|-------|
| Full event | 0.0450458 | 3.36097 | 87.7468 | 0.237533 | 1 |
| source:RootInput(read) | 0.000725606 | 0.00255304 | 0.019421 | 0.00131291 | 0.0 |
| reco:nuslhits:NuSliceHitsProducer | 0.0411265 | 0.116099 | 0.55599 | 0.0900547 | 0. |
| reco:sps:SpacePointSolver | 0.000110578 | 2.48479 | 85.3879 | 0.000217748 | 1 |
| reco:NuGraph:NuGraphInference | 4.7356e-05 | 0.74844 | 5.22709 | 8.83935e-05 | 1 |
| [art]:TriggerResults:TriggerResultInserter | 1.4952e-05 | 2.38511e-05 | 6.7179e-05 | 2.1032e-05 | 9.5 |
| end_path:rootOutput:RootOutput | 2.915e-06 | 4.5257e-06 | 1.9485e-05 | 3.9445e-06 | 2.1 |
| end_path:rootOutput:RootOutput(write) | 0.000867838 | 0.008697 | 0.0783238 | 0.00176224 | 0. |

- Inference results are stored in the Event record for usage in downstream reconstruction and analysis. Inference module takes 0.75 s per event event on CPU, including graph construction

Currently exploring more flexible integration methods based on NVIDIA Triton inference







D. Caratelli and M. Fang NuGraph2 for Track/Shower Separation

NuGraph2 "shower" label significantly improves the Pandora classification out of the box • ~95% accuracy on track identification $\sim 20\%$ improvement on shower classification



Collaboration with







Status of NuGraph applications

- MicroBooNE
 - Ongoing integration in "MCC10" reconstruction workflow
- ICARUS
 - First training completed! Thanks to S. Seo and interns R. Campos and E. Novello
- DUNE
 - Several ongoing developments:
 - Tau neutrino reconstruction
 - Proton decay reconstruction
 - Supernova pointing







Network Explainability

- developments.

M. Voetberg, https://indico.fnal.gov/event/66124/contributions/301004/attachments/182262/250229/exatrkx%20workshop%20-%20graph%20explanations-1.pdf



Explainability: Goal is to "open the black box" to build confidence and drive

- "Standard" tools for GNN interpretability (e.g. GNNExplainer) struggle with our network

Testing network's ability to separate hip and mips from other hits

Rapidly trained, seeing loss plateau as soon as probe 2, converged by 3.

Supported by embedding space analysis

(See below for track separation)





Injecting Physics Domain Knowledge: Augmented Features

- It turns out that GNNs are not aware of the structural role of nodes
 - They do not learn the graph structure
 - GNNs do not distinguish graphs that are isomorphic according to the Wesfeiler-Lehman test
- Adding the graph structural information (e.g. triangles, circles) may help with classification
 - This can be implemented by a structure-aware message passing which contains structural information about the nodes
- Add structural and non-local features to nodes improves the network performance across the board:
 - Features: Δ time, Δ wire between 2 closest nodes, distance to closest node D_{min}, edge multiplicity N_e
 - ~5% (relative) improvement for the Michel category

Work by V. Grizzi, H. Meidani (UIUC)





NuGraph3

- A. Aurisano @ NPML:

NuGraph3 Concept

- GNN-based particle flow reconstruction using NuGraph2 as starting point
- Similar to Pandora, consider series of reconstruction stages
- Each stage connects elements from stage before to produce higher level objects
 - Reconstruction chain expressible as a hierarchical graph with each level representing a reconstruction stage
- Avoid lossy serial steps by keeping many plausible reconstruction hypotheses and resolving them simultaneously
 - Expressible through fuzzy membership
 - Nodes on level L-1 can be connected to more than one node on level L
- Hierarchical message passing iteratively improves the particle tree reconstruction by choosing a reconstruction hypotheses using information from all stages simultaneously



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- https://indico.phys.ethz.ch/event/113/contributions/836/attachments/516/1110/aurisanoNuGraph3NPML.pdf

Hierarchical Message Passing



- To test hierarchical message passing, added an event layer with a single node
- Message passing with learned edge weights between nexus nodes and the event node allows for lightweight and smart aggregation

- NuGraph2 consisted of planar and nexus nodes connected in a pseudohierarchical fashion
- Nexus nodes primarily provided a way for enforcing consistency between semantic segmentation in each view
- Predicting event-level information was only possible through an aggregation layer (LSTM, transformer, etc)









Clustering

- Utilize **object condensation** to cluster together ٠ detector hits into particle instances (2002.03605).
- Materialize object condensation embedding inside ٠ model to explicitly generate particle nodes.
- Currently performing this step during **instance** ٠ decoder forward pass.
- Naive implementation is not well-optimized, so ٠ currently optimizing for memory overhead, speed and performance.
- Ultimately plan to materialize instances inside ٠ core message-passing loop, so particle instance nodes can replace nexus nodes as the intermediate step in the hierarchy.

0.6 0.4 0.2 10k

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V Hewes, https://indico.fnal.gov/event/66124/contributions/301002/attachments/182891/251280/2024-10-03%20NuGraph3.pdf





Quantify clustering performance in terms of Adjusted Rand Index (ARI)

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0 = random clustering1 = perfect clustering

True instance labels

Predicted instance labels



Recent developments...







Multi-modal network — Adding PMT detector information

Graph Architectures



Figure 3. Graph Architecture B

The blue graph represents the original graph, which consists of connected nodes from Wires U, V, and Y. Each particle hit in the wire is aggregated to a nexus node and finally an event.

- Graph A aggregates the optical hits to one of the 32 PMTs which is further aggregated to one flash representing the interaction.
- Graph B directly connects the hits to the event node.

Results

- After incorporating the optical data, the model was trained successfully and yielded similar results to the original one.
- Although improvement were expected, this opens the door for experimenting with different hyperparameters and graph connections to maximize performance.

Figure 5. Comparing the Filter Recall (Efficiency). The plot to the right is with the optical data, and the one to the left is without it.

Potential usage for "interaction" decoder, e.g. for DUNE ND.

Domain Adaptation

Particles and the overall event looks the same in different detectors. Image credit: M. Toups

- Step one: correct classification of particles in both detectors.
- Future: perform domain adaptation on other levels of the hierarchy and types of tasks.
- Could be useful for combining DUNE near and far detectors? A. Ciprijanovic, https://indico.fnal.gov/event/66124/contributions/301008/attachments/182275/250251/Exa.TrkX%20meeting%20-%20DA.pdf

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ICARUS 40 cm

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