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ANOMALY DETECTION IN THE TOP QUARK SECTOR WITH THE ATLAS/LHC EXPERIMENT

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INTRODUCTION

- Trying to detect anomalies (Unknown events) at the particle collision events in ATLAS experiment ;
- Application of Machine Learning methods to detect anomalies (Deep learning);
- Construction of Neural Networks;
- Treatment of the Neural Networks outputs .



MACHINE LEARNING

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STANDARD MODEL AND ISSUES

 ✓ Incredibly successful and compatible with almost all experiment results.

- Unable to explain the existence the hypothesis of dark energy and dark matter;
- Neutrino mases is predicted to be zero (false);
- Does not include gravity...







A Toroidal LHC apparatuS

➤ Detect Higgs Boson;

Detect particles that could make up dark matter.

DATASET

• To train, validate and test the models, simulated events have been used (Geant4 Monte Carlo Simulations).



Image courtesy of ATLAS experiment at the European Organization for Nuclear Research (CERN)



THE ATLAS COLLABORATION, Search for large missing transverse momentum in association with one top-quark in proton-proton collisions at s = $\sqrt{13}$ TeV with the ATLAS detector. P.5.

Features

- N multiplicity of jets
- MET Missing Transverse Energy
- 4-momentum (p_x , p_y , p_z , e)
- Ht scalar sum of objects
- Delta higher level variables

NEURAL NETWORKS

Supervised Learning

- Trainning with signal and background events;
- The aim of the Neural Network is to differentiate bkg-events and sig-events.





Semi-Supervised Learning

- Trainning only with background events;
- The Autoencoder (AE) is a neural network;
- Try to reconstruct events;
- A bad reconstruction could correspond to an anomaly

• <u>ROC AUC (area under curve)</u>: Measure of the performance of classification of a binary classification system.



• <u>CLs method:</u> Is a statistical method used to define upper limits /exclusion limits on model parameters.



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TOOLS FOR THE ANALISIS

• <u>Reconstruction Error</u>: Used to detect anomalies, is the measure of the loss when the AE tries to reconstruct events.



RESULTS - Deep Neural Network

DNN as a binary classification system:



Inês Pinto. "Anomaly detection in the top quark sector with the ATLAS/LHC experiment". Scientific Project June 25, 2022.

RESULTS - Autoencoder

DNN as a Autoencoder:



RESULTS

	AUC	
NN	0.99	
AE	0.96	

	-1σ	μ	+1 σ
NN	0.50	0.67	0.89
AE	0.55	0.78	1.15





Further Work





TOM GAULD for NEW SCIENTIST

https://www.newscientist.com/article/2267304-tom-gauld-has-a-heart-to-heart-with-dark-matter/

THANK YOU! QUESTIONS?