

Transformer-based Deep Regression Model for Estimating Missing Transverse Momentum

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Missing Transverse Momentum

- Missing transverse momentum (MET) \vec{p}_T^{miss} is defined as the negative vector sum of the transverse momenta of all reconstructed particle candidates in an event

$$\vec{p}_T^{\text{miss}} = - \sum_{i \in \text{event}} \vec{p}_{T,i}$$

- MET serves as a proxy for invisible particles like neutrinos and dark matter candidates
- Good MET reconstruction is important for the Standard Model (SM) process studies involving neutrinos and dark matter searches
- Korea-CMS Machine Learning group aims to develop a deep learning (DL) model that predicts MET!
 - Kyung Hee U.: Junghwan Goh, Junwon Oh and Seungjin Yang
 - Kyungpook National U.: Chang-Seong Moon and Bongho Tae

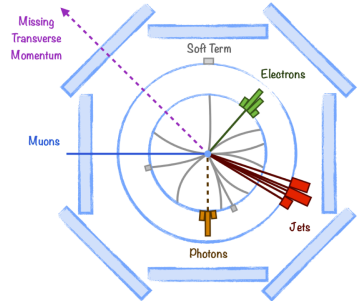
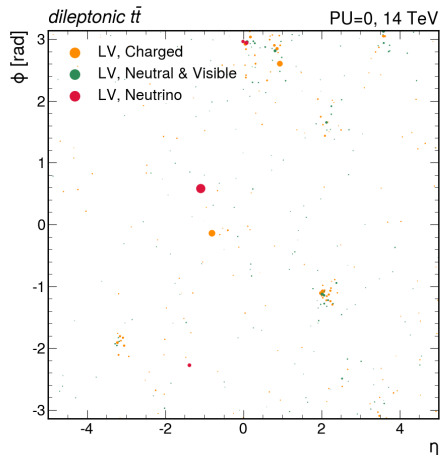
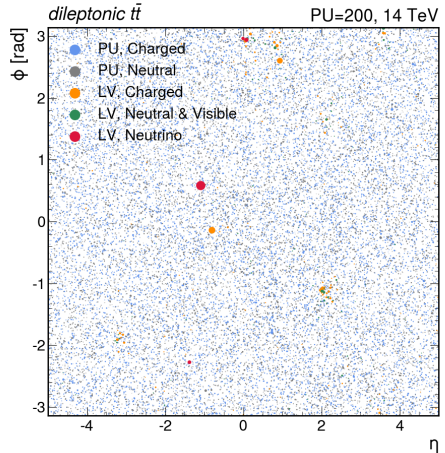


Figure: Source: Bo Liu, Missing Transverse Momentum Measurement using the ATLAS Detector

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- Pile-Up Per Particle Identification (PUPPI) is a pileup mitigation method built on the CMS Particle Flow (PF) and Charge Hadron Subtraction (CHS) algorithms
- PUPPI gives weights to particles based on the probability that they are originated from a leading vertex (LV) or pileup (PU) vertices
 - LV particles are likely to have more activity around them than PU particles
- PUPPI MET is defined as a MET calculated from PUPPI candidates

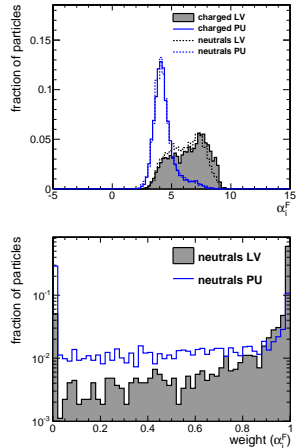


Figure: Source: D. Bertolini, et al. Pileup per particle identification

- CMS has introduced a position-wise feedforward-based MET regression network, called DeepMET
- DeepMET takes in reconstructed particles and then **predicts offsets and scales correcting particles' transverse momenta**
- While MET is an event-level observable, DeepMET solely consists of particle-wise operations, lacking the ability to capture dependencies between particles

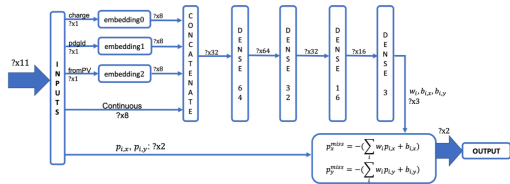
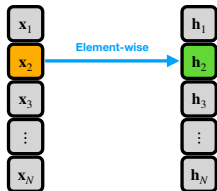
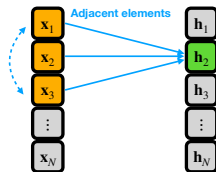


Figure: Source: Y. Feng, A New Deep-Neural-Network-Based Missing Transverse Momentum Estimator, and its Application to W Recoil.

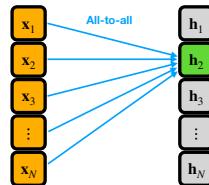
Perceptron, Convolution and Attention



(a) Perceptron

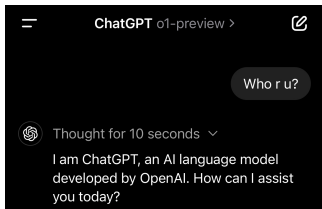


(b) Convolution

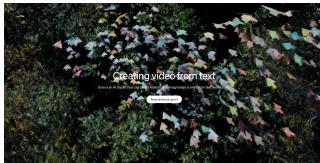


(c) Attention

- In DL, an input data is represented as an array of vectors
- **Perceptron** acts on each element of the input, ignoring the arrangement of input elements → DeepMET
- **Convolution** computes the weighted sum of adjacent input elements with sliding filters, capturing local patterns in the input data → needs to consider detector resolution and require very deep networks
- **Attention** assigns input-driven weights to input elements, enabling it to **capture both local and global patterns** → Our approach!



(a) A dialog with ChatGPT



(b) Sora: Creating video from text

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- ChatGPT and Sora build on the transformer architecture

Transformer

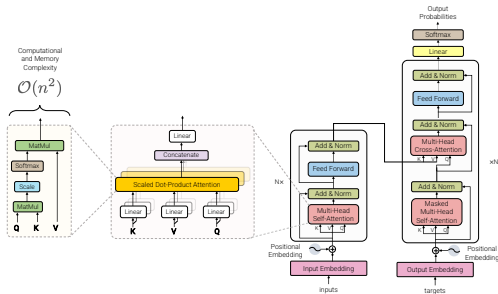
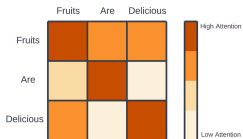


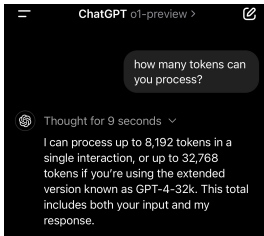
Figure: Credit: Tay, Yi, et al. "Efficient Transformers: A Survey."

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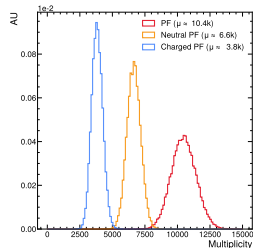
Quadratic Complexity of Attention



(a) Attention matrix



(b) A dialog with ChatGPT



(c) PF candidate multiplicity (14 TeV, PU200)

- An attention has $O(n^2)$ complexity
- To avoid out-of-memory, ChatGPT-4o has about 8k input token limit
- In the hash environment of 200 pileup, a DL model have to deal with an average of 10k particles!

Beyond Transformers

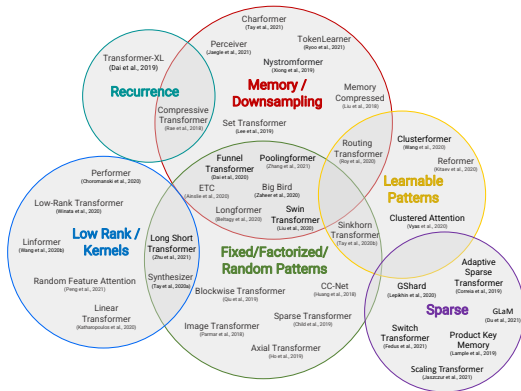


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- Make it sparse, make it block-diagonal, make it small and so on...

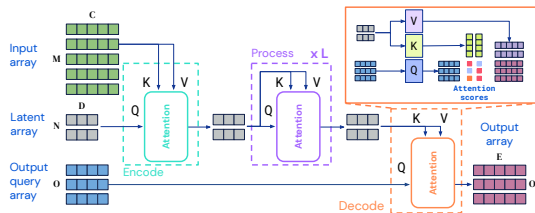
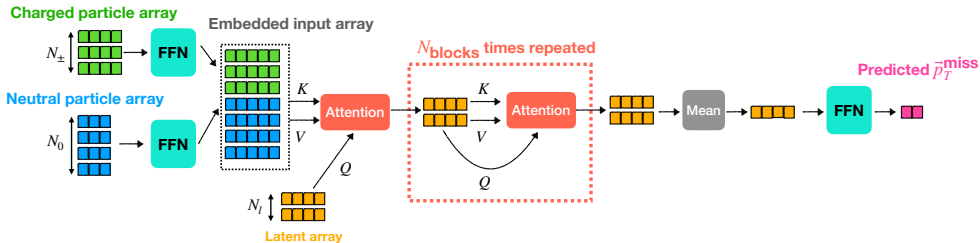


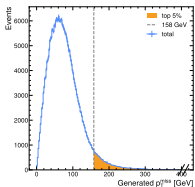
Figure: Source: DeepMind, Perceiver IO: A General Architecture for Structured Inputs & Outputs

- A Perceiver contains a cross-attention between an input array and a trainable latent array
- The latent array with k latent vectors is assumed to be shorter than the input array with N vectors
- The Perceiver consists of a single $O(kN)$ attention and several $O(k^2)$ attentions
- The Perceiver achieves the state of the art results in many data domains

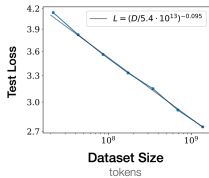


- Charged particle: $(p_x, p_y, \eta, \text{IsRecoPU})$
 - IsRecoPU is a boolean bit indicating whether a particle is associated with a pileup vertex or not
- Neutral particle: (p_x, p_y, η)
- A model with $N_l = 128$ and $N_{\text{blocks}} = 4$ is trained

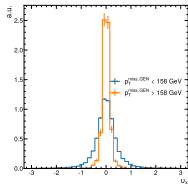
Revisiting Target Variables



(a) p_T^{miss} distribution



(b) Source: J. Kaplan, et al. Scaling Laws for Neural Language Models.

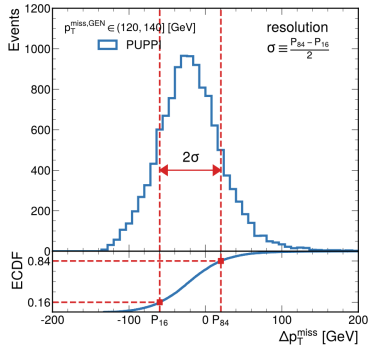
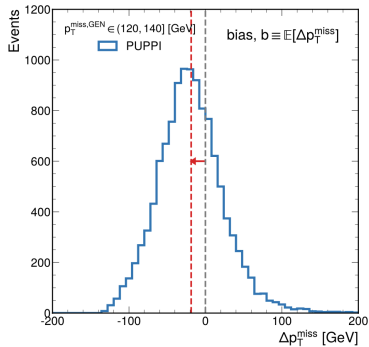


(c) New target variable distribution

- There is huge imbalance in p_T^{miss}
- Unfortunately, the performance of the Transformer follows a power law, where the parameters, dataset size and computations are considered as variables
- Change of target variables from $(p_x^{\text{miss}}, p_y^{\text{miss}})$ to

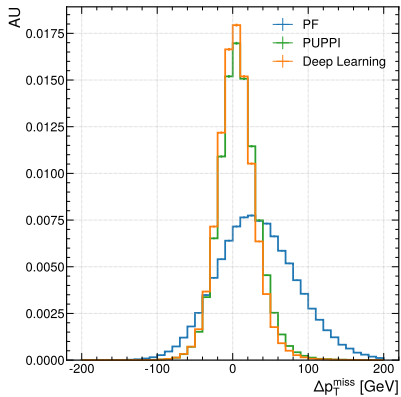
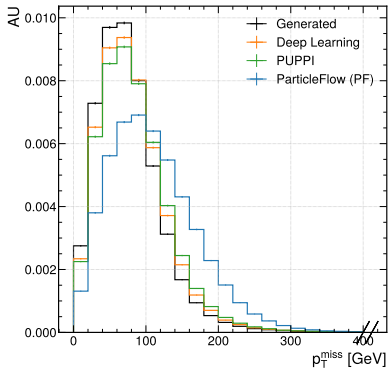
$$\vec{v}^* = \frac{\vec{p}_T^{\text{miss,GEN}} - \vec{p}_T^{\text{miss,REC}}}{p_T^{\text{miss,REC}}} = (v_x, v_y)$$

Evaluation Metrics: Bias and Resolution

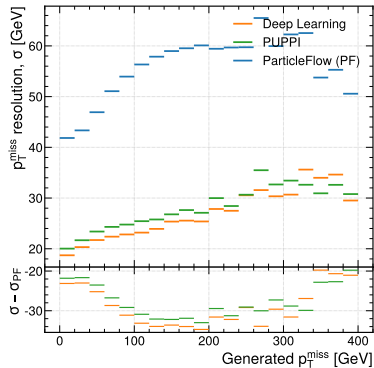
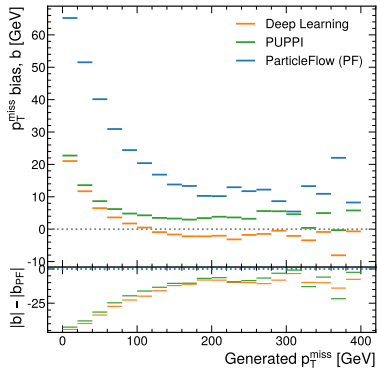


- Residual: $\Delta \mathcal{O} = \mathcal{O}^{\text{REC}} - \mathcal{O}^{\text{GEN}}$
 - \mathcal{O} denotes a component of \vec{p}_T^{miss}
- Bias: $b[\mathcal{O}] = \mathbb{E}[\Delta \mathcal{O}]$
- Resolution: $\sigma[\mathcal{O}] := \frac{P_{84}[\Delta \mathcal{O}] - P_{16}[\Delta \mathcal{O}]}{2}$
 - P_k denotes k -th percentile

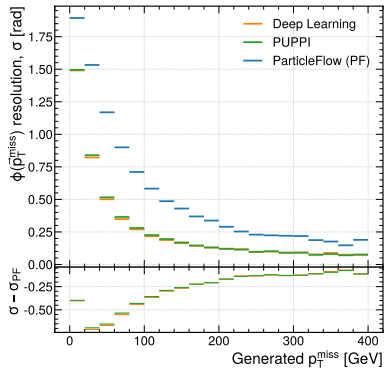
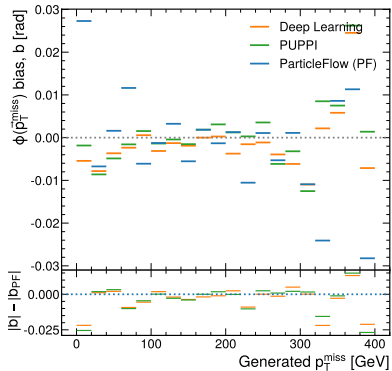
Results (1)



Results (2)



Results (3)



- We aim to develop an attention-mechanism-based MET reconstruction model
- We deploy the Perceiver architecture to incorporate about 10k particles into the attention mechanism
- Perceiver shows smaller bias and resolution than the PUPPI MET
- We plan to refine network architectures and test various physics processes including dark matter candidates

Thanks! :)

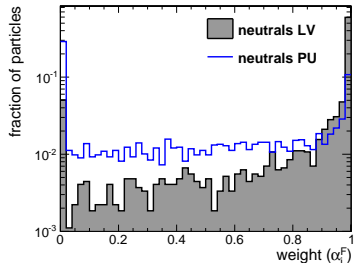
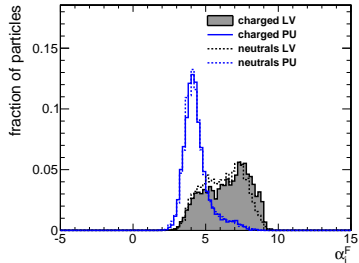
- Calculate a local shape variable α that quantifies how much of a particle i is likely to have originated from parton shower-like radiation (or leading vertex, LV) or pileup-like radiation (or pileup vertices, PU)

$$\alpha_i = \log \sum_{j \in \text{event}} \frac{p_T^j}{\Delta R_{ij}} \times \Theta(R_{\min} \leq R_{ij} \leq R_0)$$

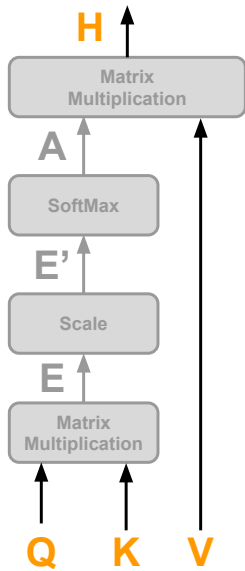
- Estimate a distribution of α_{PU} using charged particles associated with pileup vertices
- Calculate signed χ^2 for each neutral particle

$$\chi_i^2 = \frac{(\alpha_i - \bar{\alpha}_{PU})|\alpha_i - \bar{\alpha}_{PU}|}{\text{RMS}[\alpha_{PU}]}$$

- Calculate weights for neutral particles: $w_i = F_{\chi^2, \text{NDF}=1}(\chi_i^2)$
- Update neutral particles' momenta: $p_i \rightarrow w_i \times p_i$
- Remove neutral particles with w_i and $p_{T,i}$ less than thresholds



Scaled Dot-Product Attention (0)



- An array of vectors can be represented as a matrix

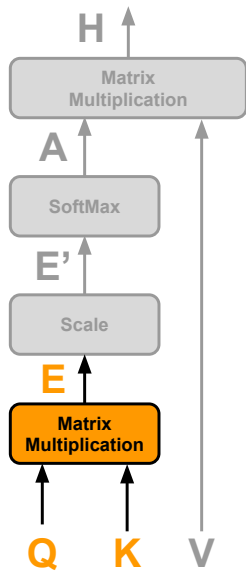
$$X = \begin{bmatrix} \vec{x}_1 \\ \vec{x}_2 \\ \vec{x}_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- An attention function takes three matrices K , V and Q as input and produces a single matrix. In general, K and V are originated from the same matrix X

$$\begin{aligned} H &= \text{Attention}(K, V, Q) \\ &= \text{Attention}(\phi_K(X), \phi_V(X), Q) \end{aligned}$$

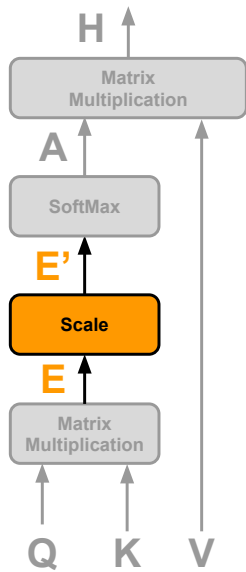
- A self-attention is a special case of attention, where Q is also came from X

Scaled Dot-Product Attention (1)



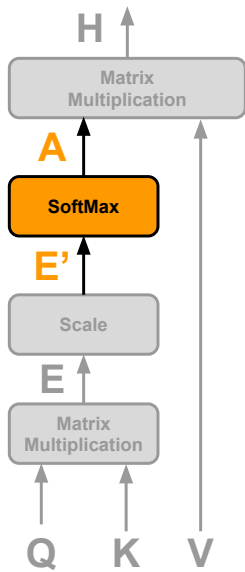
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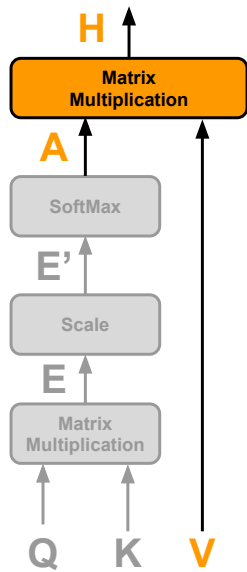
Scaled Dot-Product Attention (3)



$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{e^{E'_{11}}}{Z_1} & \frac{e^{E'_{12}}}{Z_1} & \frac{e^{E'_{13}}}{Z_1} \\ \frac{e^{E'_{21}}}{Z_2} & \frac{e^{E'_{22}}}{Z_2} & \frac{e^{E'_{23}}}{Z_2} \\ \frac{e^{E'_{31}}}{Z_3} & \frac{e^{E'_{32}}}{Z_3} & \frac{e^{E'_{33}}}{Z_3} \end{bmatrix},$$

where $Z_j = \sum_j e^{E'_{ij}}$.

Scaled Dot-Product Attention (4)



$$H = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & A_{13} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & A_{23} \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \vec{v}_1 \\ \vec{v}_2 \\ \vec{v}_3 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} \sum_i A_{1i} \vec{v}_i \\ \sum_i A_{2i} \vec{v}_i \\ \sum_i A_{3i} \vec{v}_i \end{bmatrix} .$$