

Data Science in Astroparticle Physics

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Energy and Particle Type

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- Energy:
 - Random Forest Regressor (200 trees, max. depth 15)
 - Cross validdated r²-score: 0.785 +/- 0.017 2
- Particle type:
 - Random Forest Classifier (200 trees, max. depth 15)
 - AUC: 0.827 +/- 0.003









Directional Reconstruction: Disp Method

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Simplifies 2D regression to 1D regression plus binary classification

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 True source position is somewhere on main shower axis

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- Use Random Forest Regressor to estimate distance to cog of light distribution (2 solutions)
- Use Random Forest Classifier to pick correct solution



















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Feature Selection: MRMR



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- Select features according to relevance and redundancy
- Feature set is built by iteratively adding features that fulfill the following criterion

$$\max_{x_{j} \in X-S_{m-1}} \left[I(x_{j}, c) - \frac{1}{m-1} \sum_{x_{i} \in S_{m-1}} I(x_{i}, x_{j}) \right]$$

Peng, H.C., Long, F., and Ding, C., IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence, Vol. 27, No. 8, pp. 1226–1238, 2005.

Ding, C., & Peng, H., Journal of bioinformatics and computational biology, 3(02), 185-205. (2005)







Excluding Data-MC Mismatches

- Train classifier to distinguish data and Monte Carlo
- Inspect feature importance
- Dismiss important feature
- Useful for feature selection and verification



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~ 200 neutrino candidates per day

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~ 80 neutrino candidates per day







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~ 300 neutrino candidates per day

and zenith.

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Why Unfold? The production of muons Limited acceptance from muon neutrinos is a stochastic process: Finite Unfolding resolution $\frac{dN_{\mu}}{dE_{\mu}} = \int_{E_{\mu}} dE_{\nu} \left(\frac{dN_{\nu}}{dE_{\nu}}\right) \left(\frac{dP(E_{\nu})}{dE_{\mu}}\right)$ Background Neutrino energy Physics of neutrino spectrum interaction

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Why Unfold?

$$\frac{dN_{\mu}}{dE_{\mu}} = \int_{E_{\mu}}^{\infty} dE_{\nu} \left(\frac{dN_{\nu}}{dE_{\nu}}\right) \left(\frac{dP(E_{\nu})}{dE_{\mu}}\right)$$

Fredholm integral equation of the first kind

$$g(y) = \int_{E_{min}}^{E_{max}} A(E, y) f(E) dE$$

A(E, y) also includes muon propagation and additional smearing introduced by the detector itself

$$\vec{g}(y) = \underline{A}(E, y)\vec{f}(x)$$

Generally solved as a matrix equation, matrix $\underline{A}(E, y)$ obtained from simulation

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The Dortmund Spectrum Estimation Algorithm (DSEA)



We are generally happy with a discretized version of the result. Interpret every bin as a class of event and solve with classifier

Interpret classifier output as pdf, obtain estimator for by summation over confidence distributions









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Motivation for DSEA

- Muons of the exact same energy, may create very different patterns, depending on their geometry
- Geometric information might increase accuracy
- Many existing algorithms are limited w.r.t. the number of input variables
- Spectra are returned accurately, but information on individual events is lost

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Constrained Data Analysis



DSEA: Iterative Update of Weights







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DSEA+: Adaptive Step-Width

Fixed Stepsize (DSEA)



Adaptive Stepsize (DSEA+)

$$p^{(k)} = f^{(k)} - f^{(k-1)}$$
$$f^{(k)} = f^{(k-1)} + \alpha^{(k)} p^{(k)}$$

$$lpha^{(k)} = lpha^{\eta-1}$$
 (multiplicative decay)

 $\alpha^{(k)} = \eta^{k-1}$ (exponential decay)

$0 < \eta < 1$

M. Bunse, Master thesis 2018. Bunse, Ruhe et al., Proc. of the 5th IEEE Int. Conf. on Data Science and Advanced Analytics (DSAA) 2018.









DSEA+: Comparison of Different Algorithms



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DSEA+: Preliminary Results



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DSEA+ Future Plans: Neighbourhood Relations



- Binning is somewhat arbitrary
- Events located near upper and lower bin edges might be not just somewhat different
- Events near edges may be more like events in adjacent bins
- Class label is ordinal
- Take this into account appropriatly...







Radio Image Segmentation with Random Walks L. Linhoff



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2011

2012

2013

2014

2015

2016

2017

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https://sfb876.tu-dortmund.de/PublicPublicationFiles/baack_2016a.pdf

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Stop simulating particles w.o.

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70% performance increase for **FACT** simulations

March 2017

First G-APD Cherenkov Telescope D. Baack, Technical Report, https://sfb876.tu-dortmund.de/PublicPublicationFiles/baack_2016a.pdf

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Official part of CORSIKA as of

Simulation: CORSIKA-Extension

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- Replace FILO stack with Dynamic Stack
 - Cherenkov contribution













The FACT Open Data Project

- Observations of the Crab nebula
- Point source gamma-ray simulations
- Diffuse gamma-ray simulations
- Diffuse proton simulations
- Data are available in multiple formats and at various stages of the analysis
- https://fact-project.org/data/





FACT Open Data

You can find an overview talk about the FACT open data release as PDF on github.

Crab Nebula Observations

In November 2017 the FACT Collaboration decided to make a first step into the direction of Open Data and release a sample of 17.7 hours of Crab Nebula observations measured in November 2013 available to the general public, along with simulations needed to perform analysis of this data sample.

We encourage to use this data for training, education and outreach for FACT and gamma-ray astronomy in general.

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Links

- FACT Open Data: https://fact-project.org/data/
- FACT Tools: https://github.com/fact-project/fact-tools
- aicttools: https://github.com/fact-project/aict-tools
- DSEA and DSEA+: https://sfb876.tu-dortmund.de/deconvolution/index.html







