



# Improved Clustering in the Belle II Electromagnetic Calorimeter with Graph Neural Networks

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#### GravNet (arXiv:1902.07987) :

- End-to-end learning of representation spaces
- Adaptable to any detector geometry, easy addition of input features

#### Features:

- Each crystal hit in 9x9 grid becomes node
- Node Features: Crystal Properties, Energy, Time, Pulse Shape Discrimination arXiv:2007.09642



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\*basf2 (The Belle II Analysis Software Framework): arXiv:1809.04299 Calorimeter reconstruction in basf2: arXiV:1808.10567

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#### Summary:

- First application of GNN clustering algorithm at Belle II with:
  - Realistic detector geometry
  - Realistic beam background levels
- Improvements in energy resolution:
  - Single photons: Up to 30 % improvement with high beam background
  - Overlapping photons: Over 35 % improvement for the low energy photon in asymmetric photon pairs





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- Better Bhabha detection, SM decays such as  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \pi\pi\gamma$
- Low multiplicity searches, such as  ${\rm e^+e^-} 
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### **Algorithm Overview**



Object Condensation:

- One-shot algorithm for both detection and reconstruction of clusters (arXiv:2002.03605)
- Irregular geometry and varying input sizes in the ECL  $\rightarrow$  GNN as base algorithm

Fast Inference:

- OC introduces potential to cluster vertices from same object together
- Each vertex gets a β-value assigned
   → Vertex with highest β-value invokes potential (= condensation point)
- Condensation points carry prediction for clusters



### **Current OC Improvements**

- Network is trained on charged pions and photons between 0.05 and 2 GeV energy
- Training on 1-6 particles, inference on up to 10



- Network predicts number of clusters and respective cluster parameters
- Current GNN has only 12414 parameters



### **Results: Object Condensation**

#### Summary:

- First application of GNN object condensation at Belle II with:
  - Realistic detector geometry
  - Realistic beam background levels
- Improvements:
  - Increased efficiency over current trigger algorithm
  - Improved position resolution



#### Further Steps:

- Easy implementation of new prediction parameters
  - $\rightarrow$  Addition of particle identification
- OC can improve trigger efficiency
  - $\rightarrow$  implementation for testing on physics applications



#### **Energy Resolution**





### **Background Robustness**



