



# The neural *z*-Vertex Trigger for the Belle II Detector

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 $B\bar{B} \Rightarrow \sqrt{s} = 10.58 \text{ GeV}$ 

 $\blacksquare$  Instantaneous luminosity of  $L=0.8\cdot 10^{36}~{\rm cm}^{-2}{\rm s}^{-1}$ 

 $\Rightarrow$  40 times higher than the world record reached by KEKB.

 $\Rightarrow 50$  times larger data sample



### The Belle II Detector





- CDC: Provides track information for the trigger.
- $\Rightarrow$  15000 sense wires in 9 superlayers
- $\Rightarrow\,$  Config. AUAVAUAVA "A"  $\doteq\,$  Axial, "U" and "V"  $\doteq\,$  stereo





- Undesired scattering processes (Touschek, Beam-Gas scattering, etc) ⇒ background
- Background events not from collision point (z = 0)
- Higher luminosity  $\Rightarrow$  higher background (factor  $\sim$  **30**)
- Data prod. rate  $\gg$  transfer + record capacity  $\Rightarrow$  L1 Trigger



- Filter out events with vertex (*z*<sub>0</sub> ≠ 0)
- $\Rightarrow$  Goal: High resolution z-vertex trigger ( $\sigma \leq 2 \text{ cm}$ )
- $\Rightarrow$  Cut at  $\pm 3\sigma$ 
  - Trigger latency (~ 5  $\mu s$ )



Which information is available for triggering?

- a) Identification numbers of active track-segments (TS-IDs)
- $\Rightarrow$  Position of priority wire
- b) Drift times of priority wires



- Belle II: Present z-vertex trigger uses only TS-IDs (Hough transformation)
- No time for full track reconstruction !!!



- Significantly better results expected from neural networks (MLP) using drift times
- $\Rightarrow\,$  Parallelism of MLP computations suitable for L1 trigger



### Multi Layer Perceptron



- a) TS  $\hat{=}$  Input-Neurons
- b) Drift times  $\hat{=} t_k$  Input values
- $\Rightarrow$  Hidden layer:  $n_{\text{hidden}} = 3 \cdot n_{\text{input}}$
- $\Rightarrow$  Input:  $I_i = \sum_{k=0}^{n_{\text{input}}} w_{ik} t_k$
- $\Rightarrow$  Output:  $a_i = \tanh(I_i)$
- $\Rightarrow \text{ Output neuron:} \\ z_{\text{Out}} = a(\sum_{i=0}^{n_{\text{hidden}}} w_{\text{Out},i} \cdot a(I_i))$ 
  - Real vertex from simulation:  $z_{\text{True}}$



- Modify  $\mathbf{w} \Rightarrow z_{\mathsf{Out}} \rightarrow z_{\mathsf{True}}$
- Cost function (MSE):

$$E(\mathbf{w}) \equiv \frac{1}{N_{\text{train}}} \sum_{j=1}^{N_{\text{train}}} \left( z_{\text{True}}^j - z_{\text{Out}}^j \right)^2$$









 $\blacksquare \ {\rm Decompose \ events \ in \ single} \\ {\rm tracks} \Rightarrow$ 

#### CDC Phase Space:

- $\bullet \ \phi \ \in [0^\circ, 360^\circ]$
- $\bullet \ \ \theta \ \in [17^\circ, 150^\circ]$
- Whole CDC phase space too much input for a single MLP
- $\begin{array}{l} \Rightarrow \ \, {\rm Divide \ it \ in \ sectors:} \\ \Delta \phi \sim 1^\circ, \ \Delta \theta \sim 6^\circ \\ \Delta p_{\rm T} \sim 0.05\text{-}0.6 \ {\rm GeV}/c \end{array}$
- $\Rightarrow \sim 2 \cdot 10^6 \; {\rm sectors}$ 
  - Find the sectors which are firing!





Train a MLP for each specific sector!

- Illuminate uniformly each sector
- $\Rightarrow$  Look for active TS
  - Select TS which are active in more than 15% of the events
- $\Rightarrow$  16-28 Input neurons





 $\Rightarrow$  Drift times of selected TS  $\Rightarrow$  Input values for MLP.



Test of the MLP after training:

⇒ Compare MLP output with true value! (simulated tracks)

To evaluate the performance consider:











Network resolution as a function of polar angle  $\theta$ :





$$\theta \in [56^{\circ}, 62^{\circ}] \Rightarrow \text{ vary } p_{\mathsf{T}}$$







 Mix background hit patterns into the single tracks events (Touschek, Coulomb and Radiative Bhabha).















- The MLP reaches a significantly better resolution than the present Belle II *z*-vertex trigger. ☺
- $\blacksquare$  Background leads to an average resolution loss of  $\sim 25\%$
- $\Rightarrow$  With and without background: Resolution significantly better than required (< 2 cm).  $\textcircled{\sc op}$ 
  - Parallelism inherent to the computations makes the MLP suitable for L1 trigger ⇒ realizable in FPGA. ☺
  - The number of required MLPs ( $\sim 2 \cdot 10^6 = 10$  Gb) is a challenge for the hardware implementation.
  - Next step: Decomposition of a specific event in separate tracks? (Look-Up-Table, 2D Trigger of Belle II?)







## Multi Layer Perceptron



How does it work?



Input I<sub>Out</sub> for output neuron:

 $I_{\mathsf{Out}} = \sum_{i=0}^{n_{\mathsf{hidden}}} w_{\mathsf{Out},i} \cdot a(I_i)$ 

- CDC-Track Segments (TS) = Input-Neurons (Input Layer)
- Input values  $t_k \stackrel{}{=} \mathsf{Drift}$  times
- Neurons in the middle layer  $n_{\text{hidden}} = 3 * n_{\text{input}}$  (Hidden Layer)
  - Connection weights  $w_{ik}$
- Activation function  $a_i = \tanh(I_i) \in [-1, 1]$
- Input  $I_i$  for a neuron i:  $I_i = \sum_{k=0}^{n_{input}} w_{ik} t_k$
- Output of the output neuron:  $z_{\mathsf{Out}} = a(I_{\mathsf{out}}) \in [-1,1]$





- From each simulated event: real vertex position on the z axis:  $z_{\text{True}} \Rightarrow$  needs only to be scaled to [-1, 1].
- Training means to iteratively modify all weights w, in order for z<sub>Out</sub> to converge to z<sub>True</sub> using a training algorithm (*i*RPROP<sup>-</sup>).
- The *i*RPROP<sup>-</sup> algorithm evaluates at each iteration (training) step the Mean Squared Error function:

$$E(\mathbf{w})\equiv rac{1}{N_{\mathrm{train}}}\sum_{j=1}^{N_{\mathrm{train}}}\left(z_{\mathrm{True}}^{j}-z_{\mathrm{Out}}^{j}
ight)^{2}$$

• Training Sample  $N_{\text{train}} = 20000$  events

$$\Delta \mathbf{w} = -\eta \frac{\partial E}{\partial \mathbf{w}} \Rightarrow \mathbf{w}_{n+1} = \mathbf{w}_n + \Delta \mathbf{w}$$
  
In  $n_{\text{total}}^{\text{weights}} = f_{\text{hidden}} \left( n_{\text{input}}^2 + 2n_{\text{input}} \right) + 1 \sim 900 - 3000$ 













(a) No Background

(b) Pure Background







- Main Achievement: Measurement of time dependent violation of CP symmetry in the *B*-Meson system
- $\Rightarrow$  Proof of CKM-theory (SM)  $\Rightarrow$  Nobel Prize 2008

