

# Quantum Machine Learning for High Energy Physics

## Quantum Contrastive Learning

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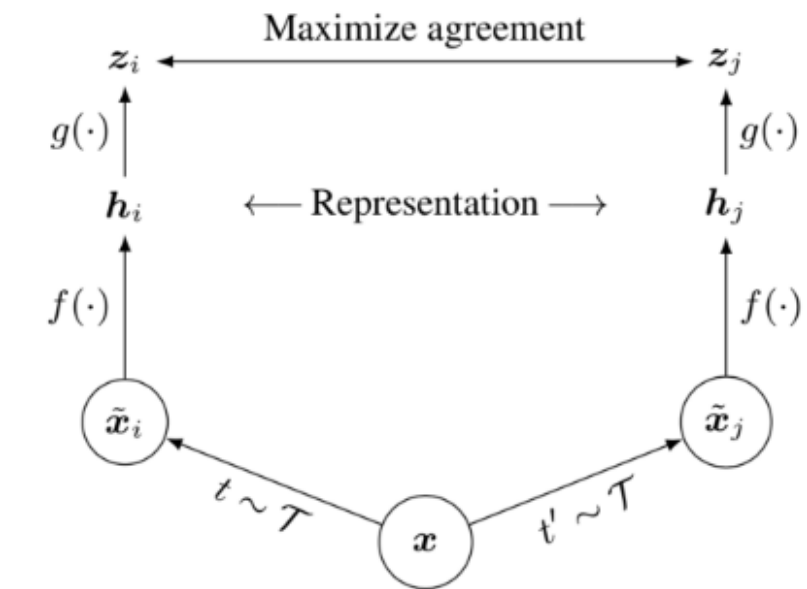
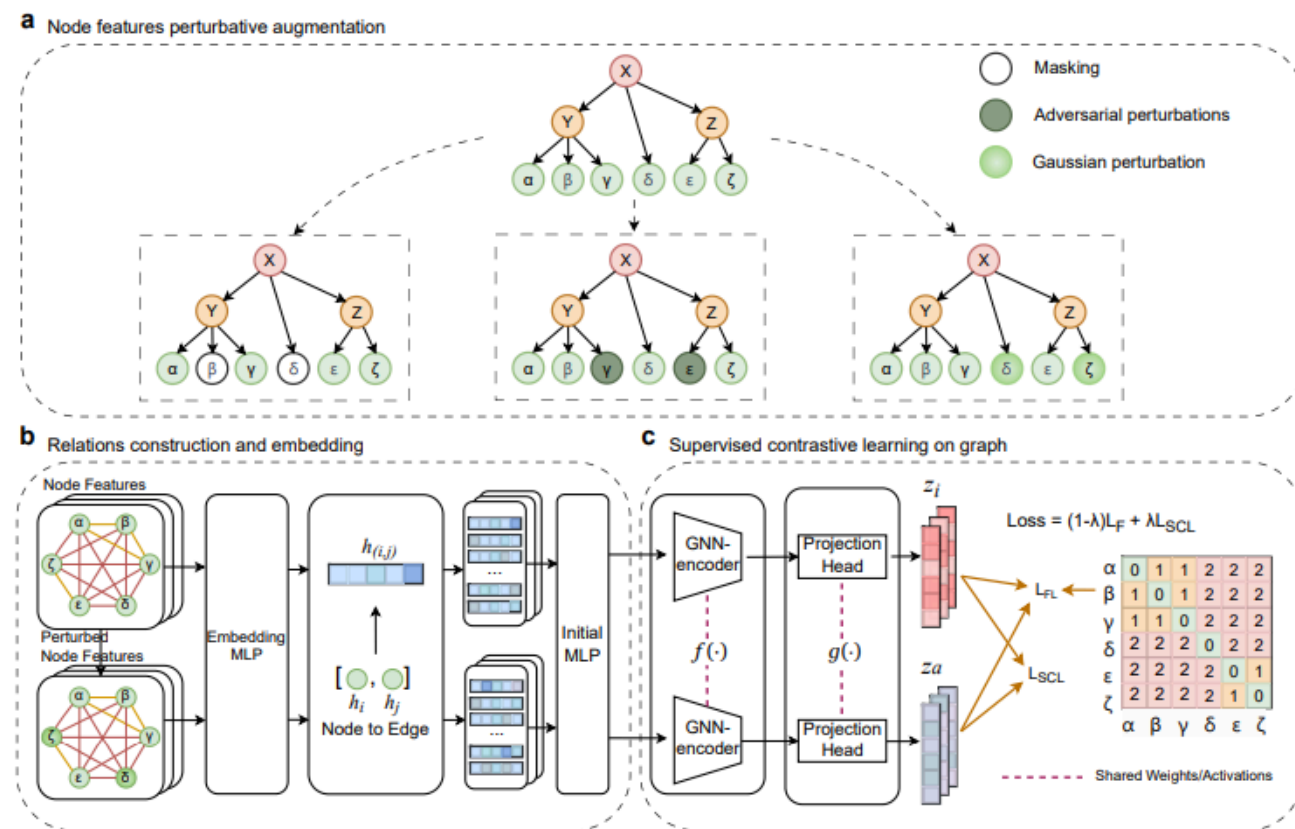
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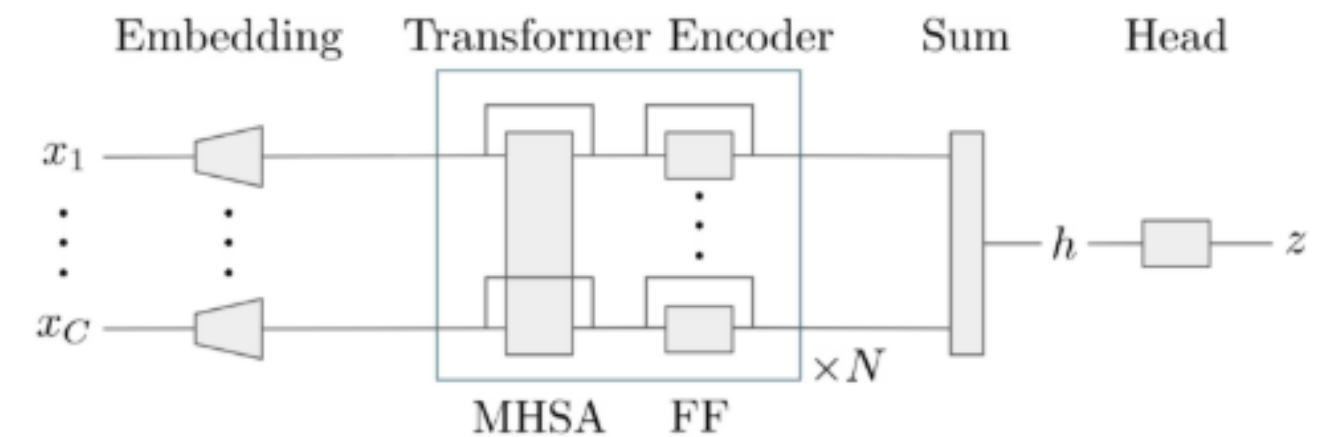
# Goal

*Learn better representations of high-energy physics data using quantum machine learning models and benchmark the model performance against pre-existing classical approaches*

## Contrastive Learning of HEP data



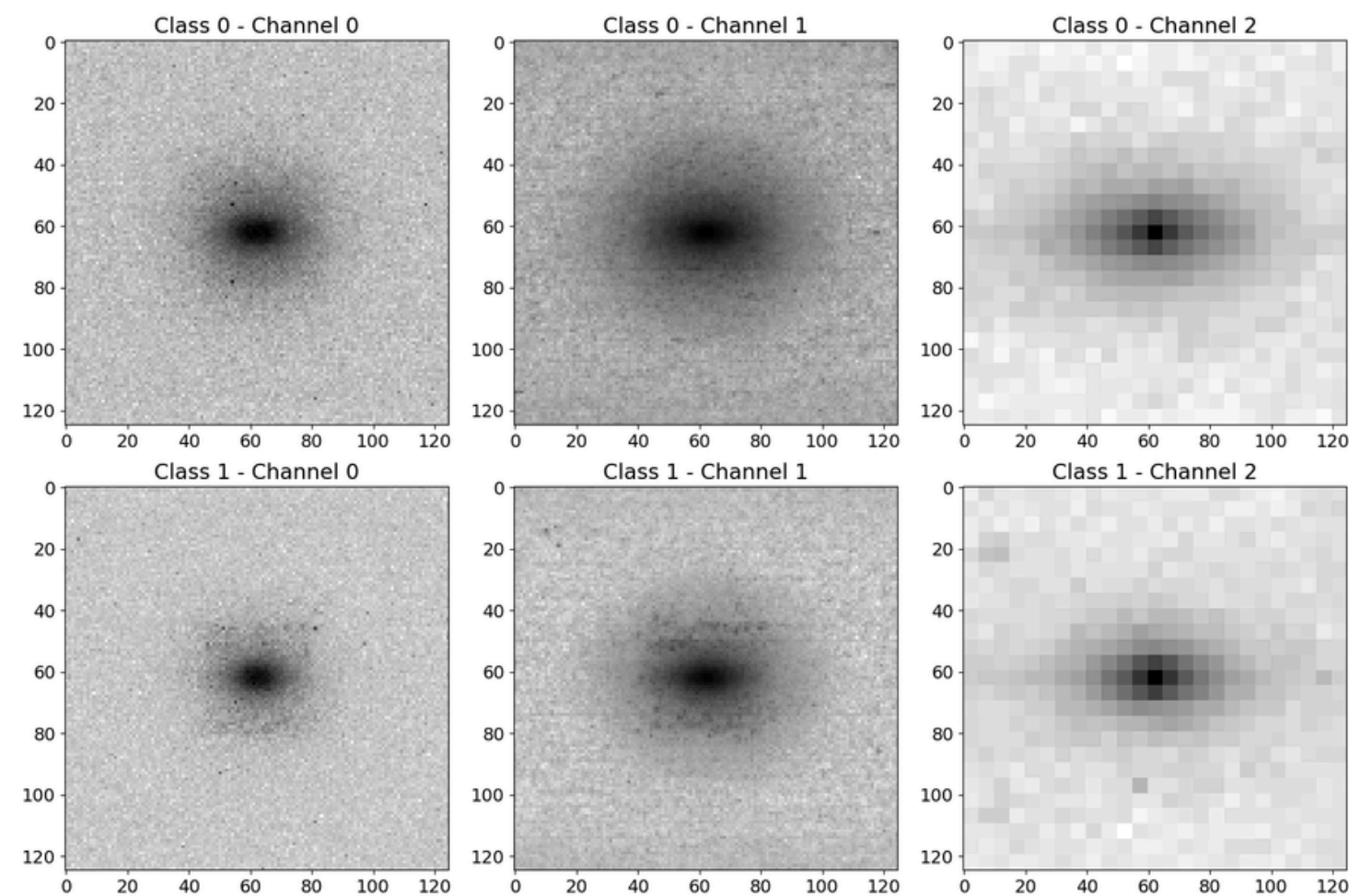
A simple framework for contrastive learning of visual representations. (Image source: Chen et al, 2020)



JetCLR - Jet classification

PASCL - Particle Decay  
Reconstruction

# Working with Jet Images



Average of jet images for each channel  
Top - Gluon, Bottom - Quark

Data-Reuploading  
circuits (DRC)

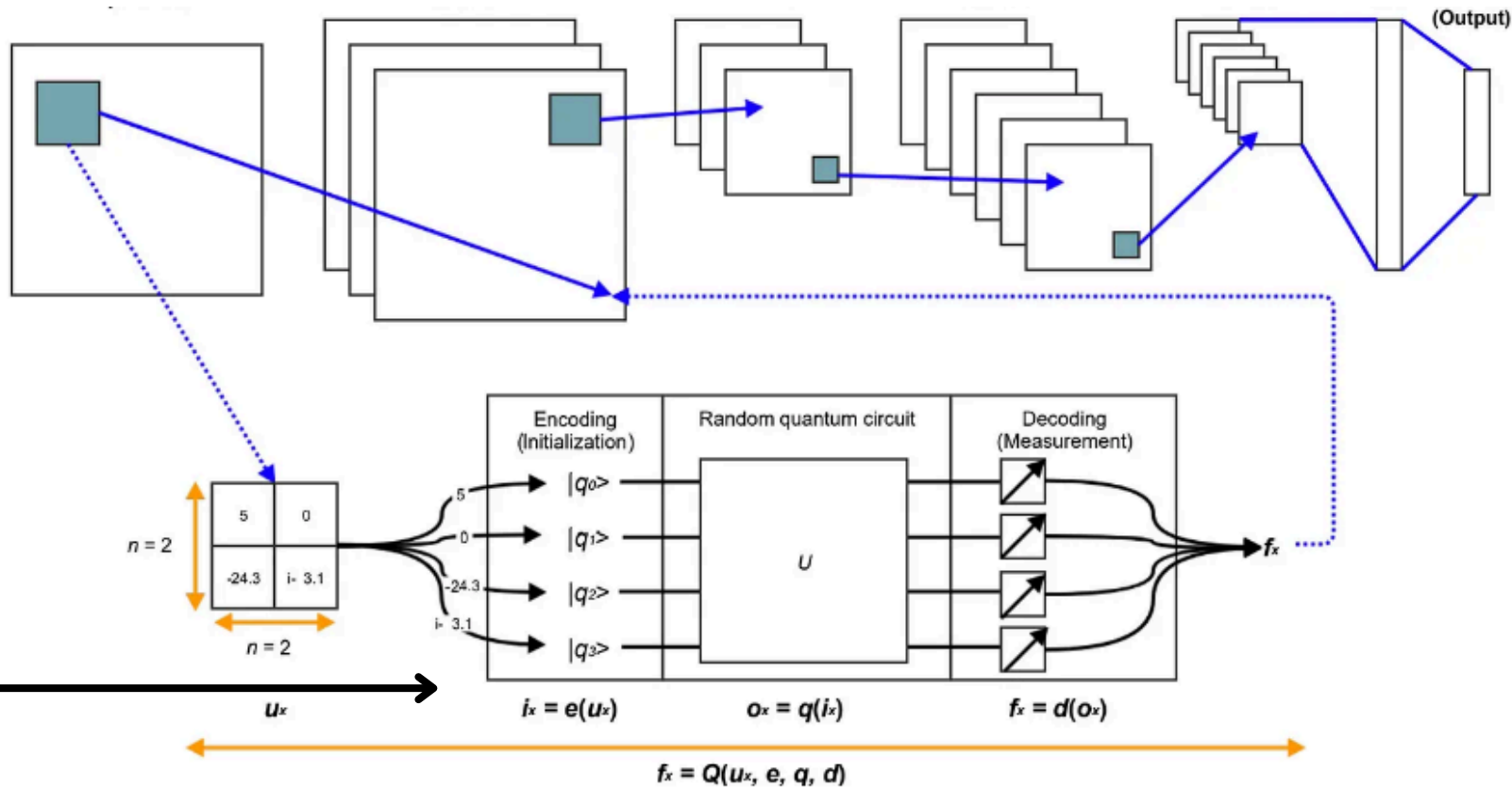
## HYBRID

- Quantum Convolution layers followed by a classical Linear layer
- Output - N-dimensional vector

## Data Augmentation

- Random Horizontal flips
- Random Vertical flips
- Random Rotations
- Z-score Normalization

## Encoder - Quantum Convolutional NN

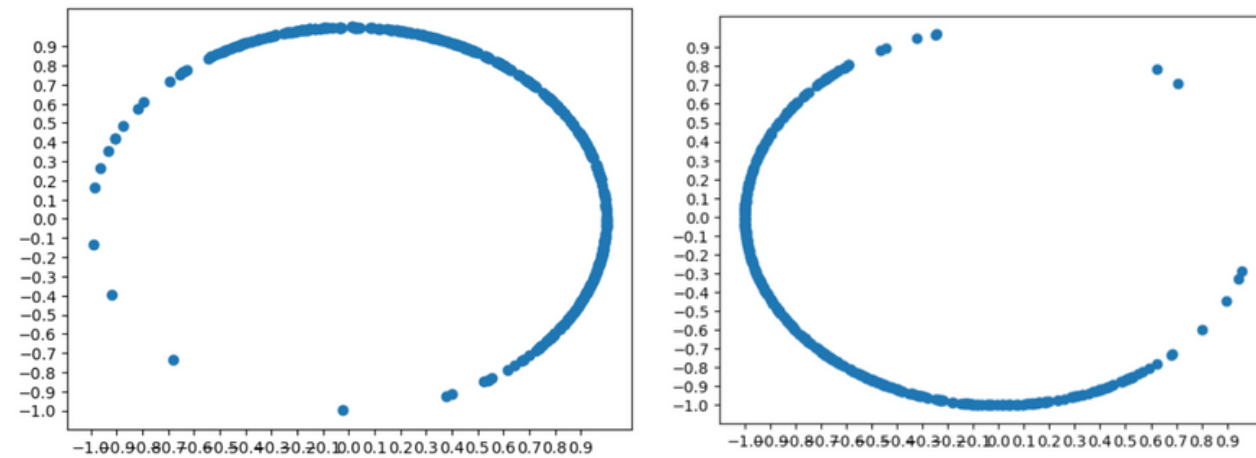


## FULLY-QUANTUM

- Quantum Convolution layers followed by a parameterised quantum circuit
- Output - 2<sup>n</sup>-dimensional quantum state vector

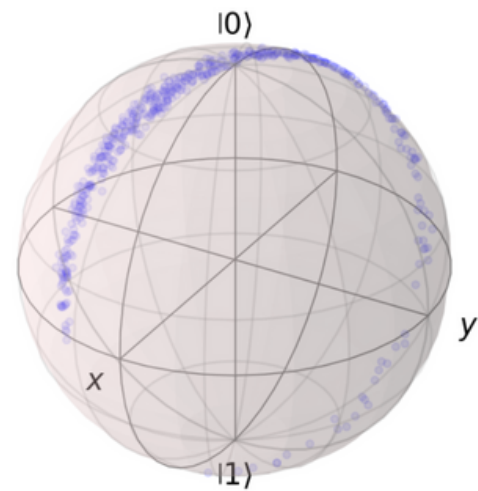
# MNIST

Downstream Classification Accuracy > 90%

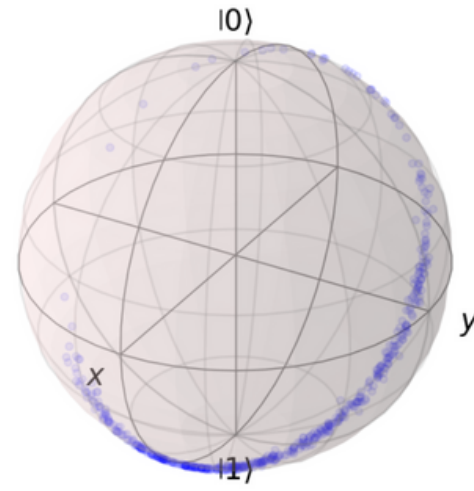


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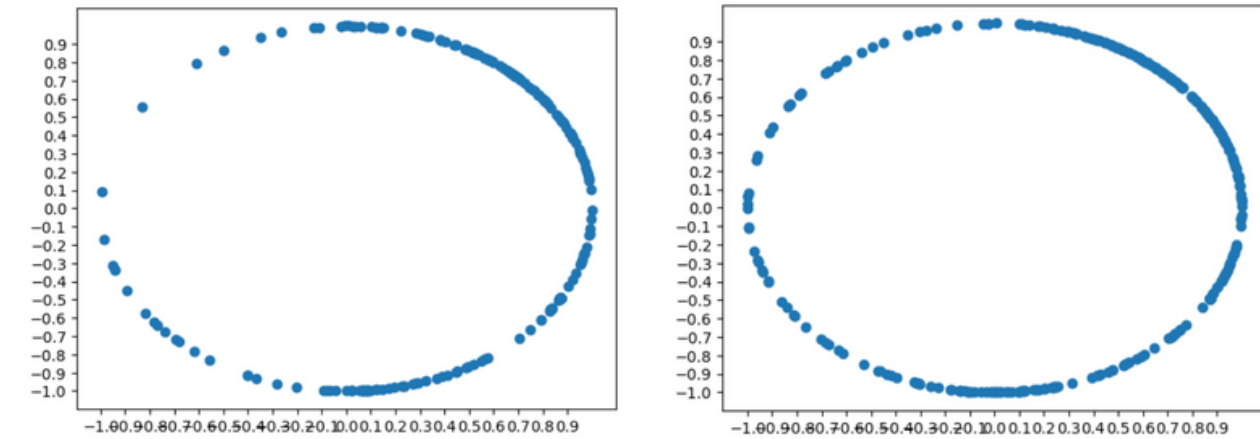
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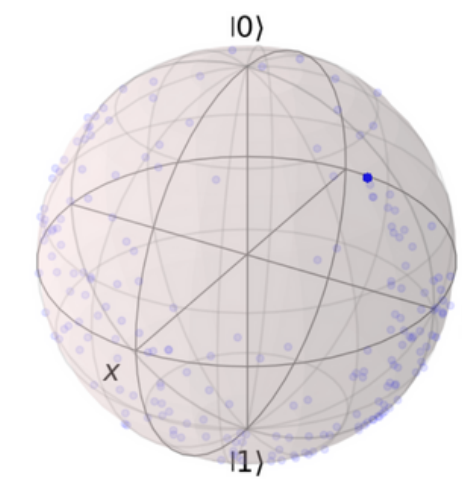
# Quark Gluon

Downstream Classification Accuracy - 50-60 %

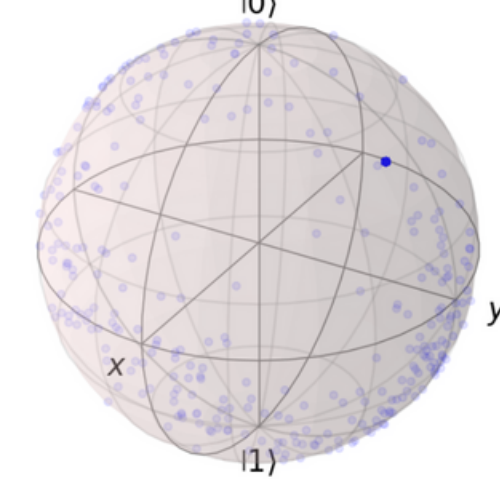


Quark

Gluon



Quark



Gluon

## Key Learnings

- Data augmentations play more significant role than earlier assumed
- Jet images (that we use) are probably a less than good candidate for quantum contrastive learning



# Jets as Graphs

## Jet Observables

### Original

$p_{T,\alpha}^{(i)}, y_{\alpha}^{(i)}, \phi_{\alpha}^{(i)}$

← feature vector for each particle

### Derived (Roy's work from last year's GSoC)

Transverse Mass Per Multiplicity ( $m_{\alpha,T}^{(i)}$ )

$$m_{\alpha,T}^{(i)} = \sqrt{m_{\alpha}^{(i)^2} + p_{\alpha,T}^{(i)^2}}$$

Energy Per Multiplicity ( $E_{\alpha}^{(i)}$ )

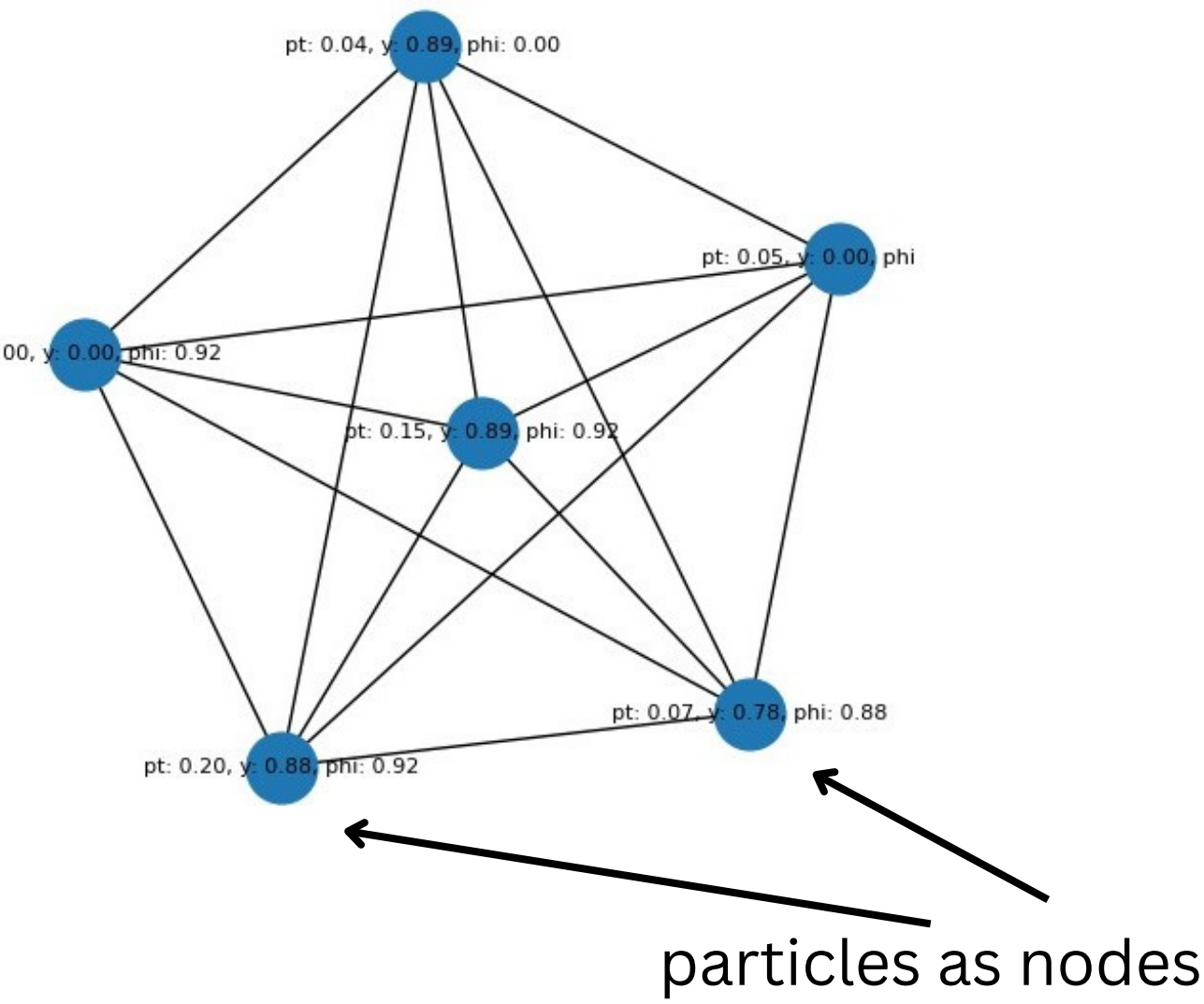
$$E_{\alpha}^{(i)} = m_{\alpha,T}^{(i)} \cosh y_{\alpha}^{(i)}$$

Kinematic Momenta Components Per Multiplicity ( $\vec{p}_{\alpha}^{(i)} = (p_{x,\alpha}^{(i)}, p_{y,\alpha}^{(i)}, p_{z,\alpha}^{(i)})$ )

$$p_{x,\alpha}^{(i)} = p_{T,\alpha}^{(i)} \cos \phi_{\alpha}^{(i)}$$

$$p_{y,\alpha}^{(i)} = p_{T,\alpha}^{(i)} \sin \phi_{\alpha}^{(i)}$$

$$p_{z,\alpha}^{(i)} = m_{T,\alpha}^{(i)} \sinh y_{\alpha}^{(i)}$$



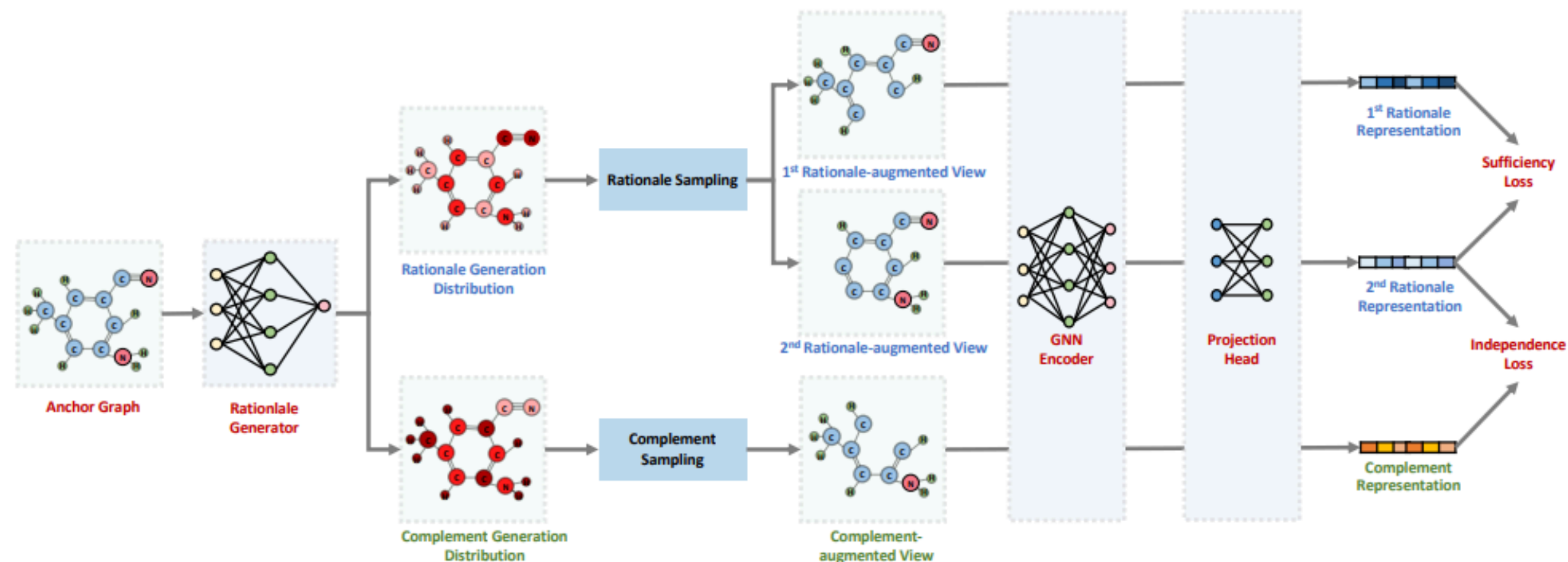
## *Let Invariant Rationale Discovery Inspire Graph Contrastive Learning, Li et al.*

Hypothesis -

Discriminatory information ----> Rationale (Causal part) (Here - a subset of nodes in the graph)

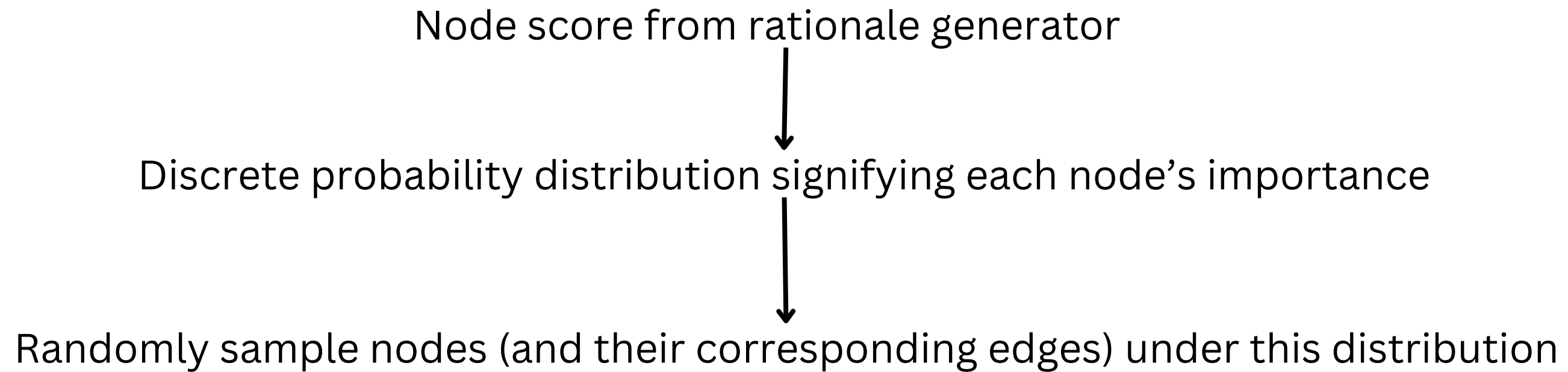
Perform augmentation to **highlight** rationale

- Encoder trains predominantly on the rationally important part leading to better representations
- Spurious Correlations (Non-Causal part) are ignored!



Non-Causal part

# Augmentation and Rationale Generation



## IRC Safety

*“Symmetries, Safety, and Self-Supervision” - Barry et al. (JetCLR paper)*

Infrared safe       $\eta' \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\eta, \frac{\Lambda_{\text{soft}}}{p_T}\right)$       and       $\phi' \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\phi, \frac{\Lambda_{\text{soft}}}{p_T}\right)$        $\Lambda_{\text{soft}} = 100 \text{ MeV}$

Collinear safe       $p_{T,a} + p_{T,b} = p_T$        $\eta_a = \eta_b = \eta$   
 $\phi_a = \phi_b = \phi$

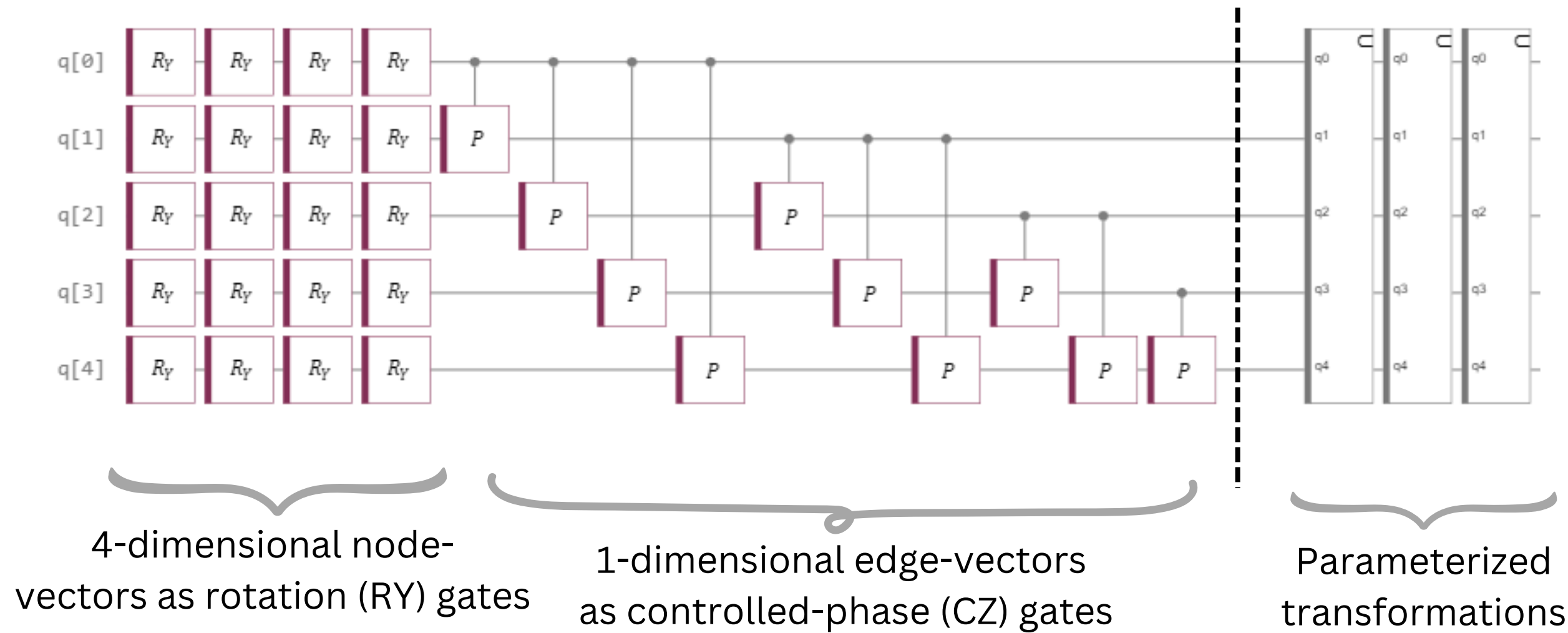
# Quantum Rationale Generator

## QNN

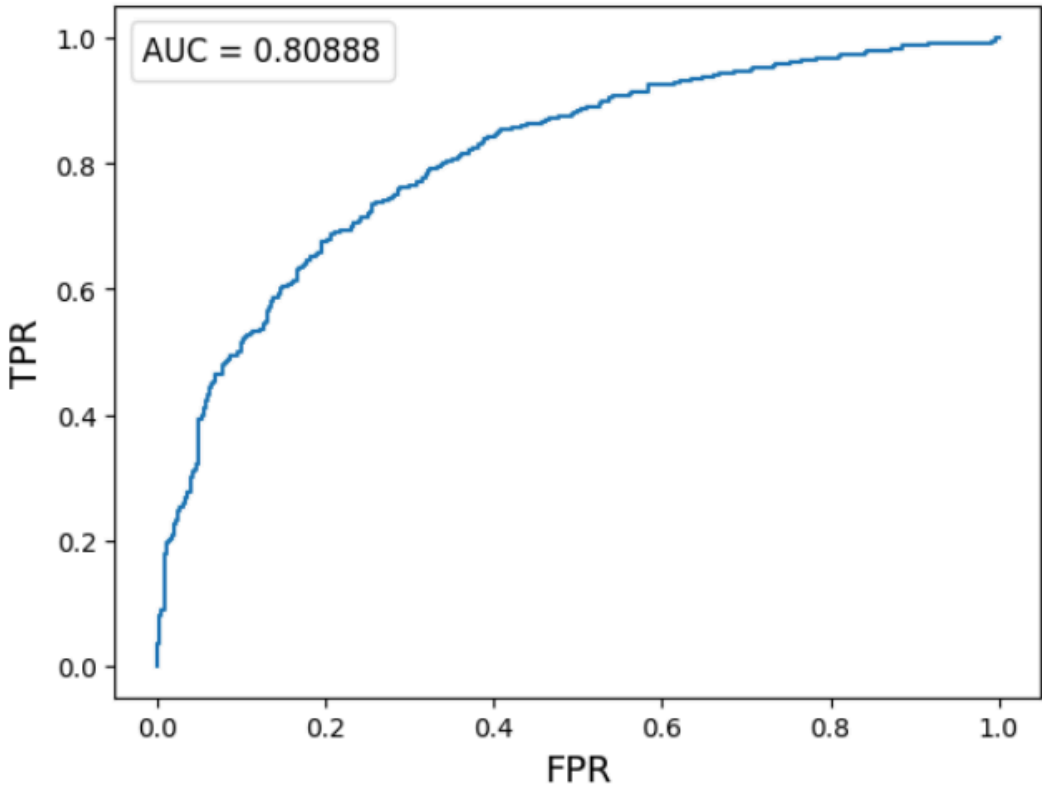
- Angle embedding node vectors (1 qubit per node)
- Use entangling layers for parameterization
- Output probability distribution over basis states
- Select probabilities of basis states with hamming weight 1 (For eg. 001, 010, 100) and normalize

Backbone - ParticleNet, 10000 samples, 10 particles

	Classical RG	Quantum RG
Trainable parameters	1073	45
AUC	0.752	0.758



Test Accuracy ~ 73%





## In Progress...

- Gathering results for various model (different backbones) and data configurations
- Trying to work out the theoretical explanation for the performance of QRG and comparing it with the classical counterpart.

**Thank you!**