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Omnifold uncertainties

How statistical uncertainties propagate through unbinned unfolding

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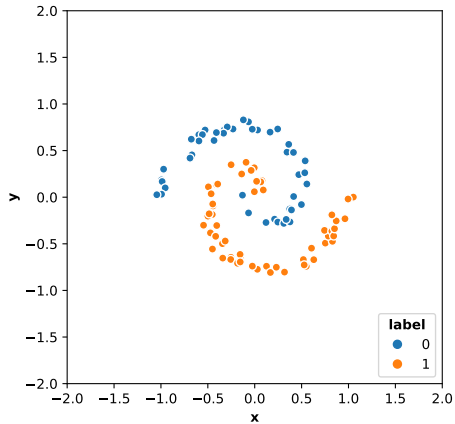
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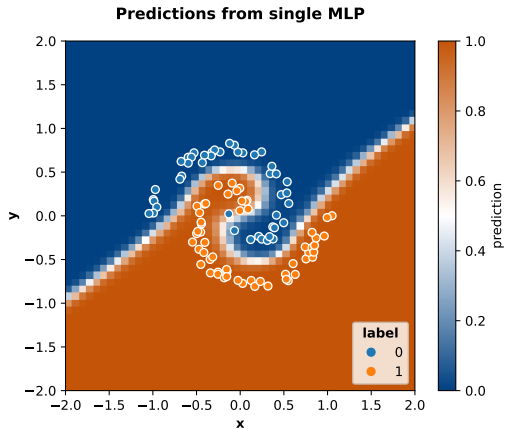
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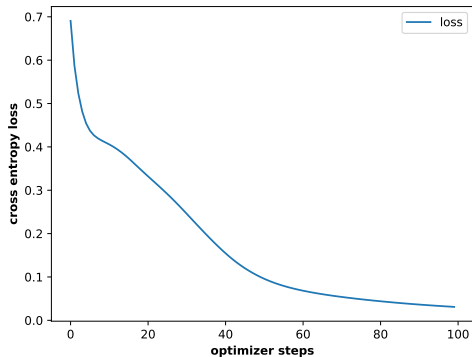
Dataset: 100 samples from 2 gaussian-smeared spirals, “0” (upper spiral / blue points) and “1” (lower spiral / orange points)

Task: classify the blue and orange points

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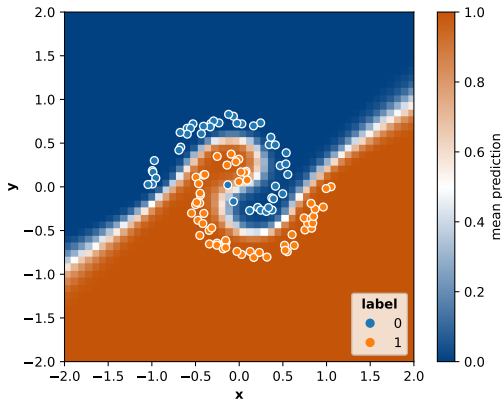
Attempt 1: A single Multi-Layer Perceptron (MLP)



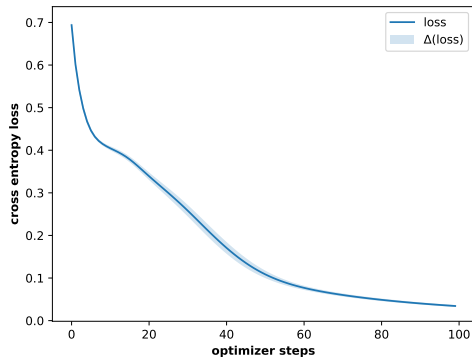
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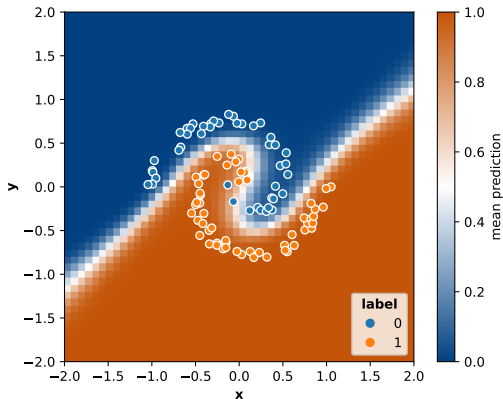
Attempt 2: 100 MLPs, each initialized differently, but sees the whole dataset



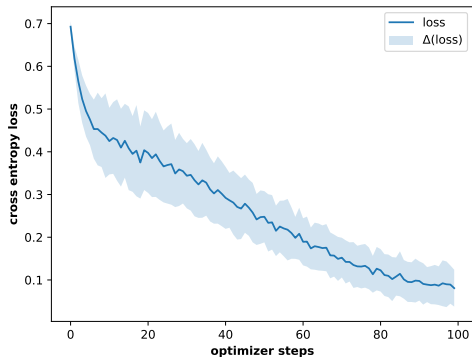
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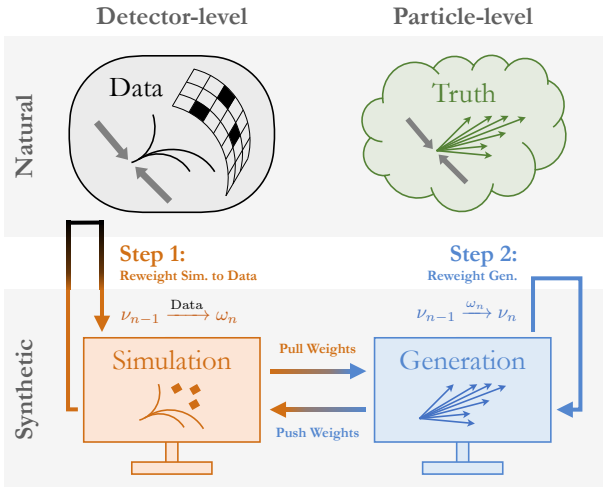


Predictions from bootstrap ensemble (100 models)

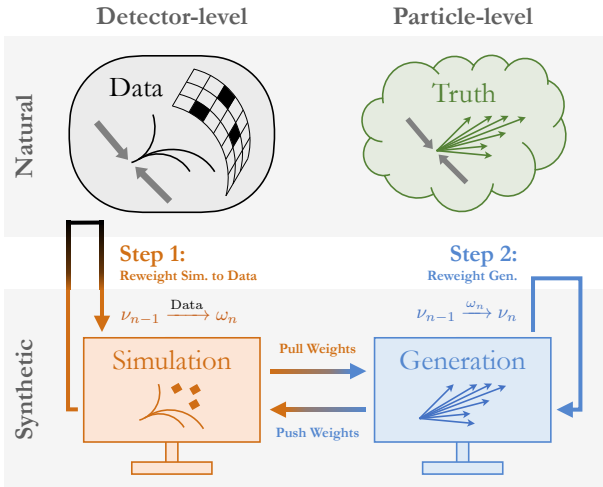


Attempt 3: 100 MLPs, each sees different bootstrap sampling of the dataset

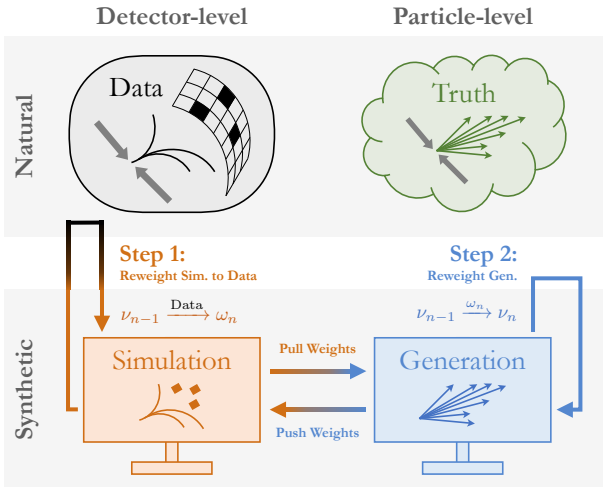




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$$\lambda_{\beta}^{\kappa} = \sum_{\text{const} \in \text{jet}} \overbrace{\left(\frac{p_{T,\text{const}}}{p_{T,\text{jet}}} \right)^{\kappa}}^{\text{soft/hard radiation}} \times \overbrace{r(\text{const}, \text{jet})^{\beta}}^{\text{collinearity sensitive}}$$

$$r(\text{const}, \text{jet}) = \sqrt{(\eta_{\text{jet}} - \eta_{\text{const}})^2 + (\phi_{\text{jet}} - \phi_{\text{const}})^2}$$

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- ❖ **Jet girth:** $g = \lambda_1^1 = \frac{\sum_{\text{trk} \in \text{jet}} p_{T,\text{trk}} \Delta R}{p_{T,\text{jet}}}$, measure of jet broadening
- ❖ **Thrust** $\lambda_2^1 = \frac{\sum_{\text{trk} \in \text{jet}} p_{T,\text{trk}} \Delta R^2}{p_{T,\text{jet}}}$, related to jet mass
- ❖ **Momentum dispersion** : $p_T^D = \lambda_0^2$
- ❖ Done for both inclusive jets and hard-core component of the inclusive jets
- ❖ Hard-core component calculated by vector summing constituents with $p_T > 2.0 \text{ GeV}/c$



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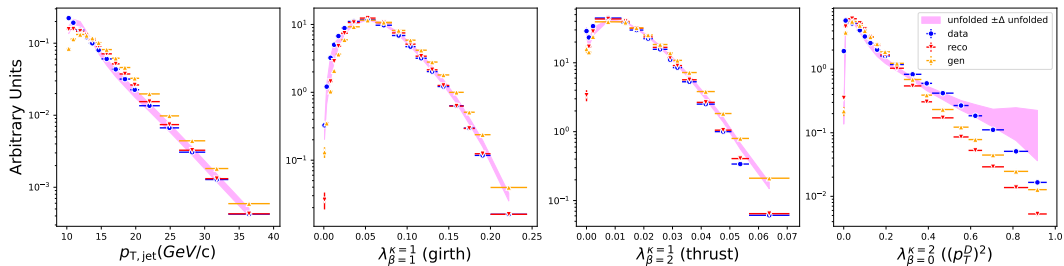
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Bootstrapped Omnifolding : Mean Model Prediction



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- ❖ Bootstrapped ensembling results in better predictions which depend on phase space distribution of the features
- ❖ Omnifolded weights from bootstrapped ensemble results in smoothing of sample-weights distributions
- ❖ Unfolded distributions from bootstrapped omnifold show uncertainties that increase with decrease in data statistics
- ❖ Need to run bigger ensembles to get better convergence of histograms with iterations