

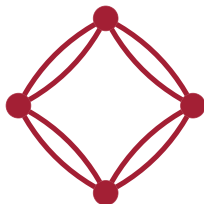
Energy Flow Polynomials for Jet Substructure

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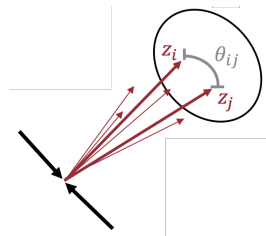


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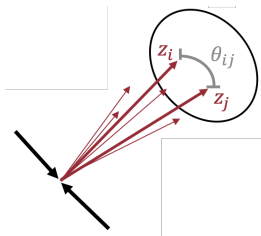


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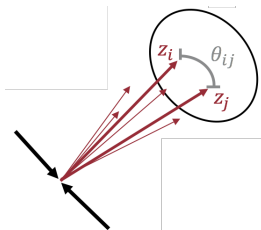


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e.g.

“fly-swatter”


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“bowtie”

Multigraph/EFP Correspondence

Multigraph \longleftrightarrow **EFP**

	\longleftrightarrow \longleftrightarrow	z_{i_j} $\theta_{i_k i_l}$
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	$=$	$\sum_{i_1=1}^M \sum_{i_2=1}^M \sum_{i_3=1}^M \sum_{i_4=1}^M z_{i_1} z_{i_2} z_{i_3} z_{i_4} \theta_{i_1 i_2} \theta_{i_1 i_3} \theta_{i_1 i_4}$
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N	Number of vertices	\longleftrightarrow	N -particle correlator
d	Number of edges	\longleftrightarrow	Degree of angular monomial
χ	Treewidth + 1	\longleftrightarrow	Optimal VE Complexity

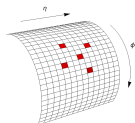
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- **Angular expansion***: Approx. angular part of \mathcal{S} with polynomials of θ_{ij}
- Simplify: Identify unique analytic structures that emerge as EFPs

Similar emergent multigraphs in M. Hogervorst *et al.* [1409.1581](https://arxiv.org/abs/1409.1581) and B. Henning *et al.* [1706.08520](https://arxiv.org/abs/1706.08520)

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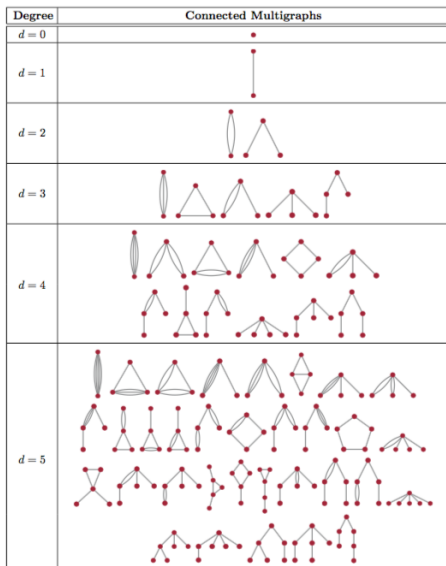
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Organization of the Energy Flow Basis

- Need to select EFP subset \mathcal{G}
 - Determine \mathcal{G} by truncating in d
 - Finite # of EFPs at each d
- [OEIS A050535](#):
 - # of multigraphs with d edges
 - # of EFPs of degree d
- [OEIS A076864](#):
 - # of connect. multigraphs with d edges
 - # of prime EFPs with degree d

Maximum degree d		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Prime EFPs	A076864	1	1	2	5	12	33	103	333	1183	4442	17576
	Cumul.	1	2	4	9	21	54	157	490	1673	6115	23691
All EFPs	A050535	1	1	3	8	23	66	212	686	2389	8682	33160
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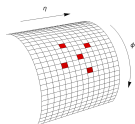


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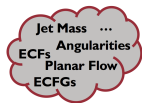


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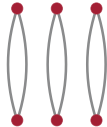
Angularities: $\lambda^{(\alpha)} = \sum_{i=1}^M z_i \theta_i^\alpha$ using p_T -centroid axis

$\lambda^{(4)} =$  $-\frac{3}{4} \times$ 

C.F. Berger, T. Kucs, and G. Sterman, [hep-ph/0303051](#)

S.D. Ellis, *et al.*, [1001.0014](#)


A.J. Larkoski, J. Thaler, and W. Waalewijn, [1408.3122](#)


$\lambda^{(6)} =$  $-\frac{3}{2} \times$  $+\frac{5}{8} \times$ 

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$$e_N^{(\beta)} = \sum_{i_1}^M \cdots \sum_{i_N=1}^M z_{i_1} \cdots z_{i_N} \prod_{k < \ell \in \{1, \dots, N\}} \theta_{i_k i_\ell}^\beta$$

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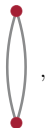
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Geometric Moments:
$$\mathbf{C} = \sum_{i=1}^M z_i \begin{pmatrix} \Delta y_i^2 & \Delta y_i \Delta \phi_i \\ \Delta y_i \Delta \phi_i & \Delta \phi_i^2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \text{Pf} = \frac{4 \det \mathbf{C}}{(\text{Tr } \mathbf{C})^2}$$

using p_T -centroid axis

$$\text{Tr } \mathbf{C} = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{---},$$


$$4 \det \mathbf{C} = \text{---} - \frac{1}{2} \times \text{---}$$



L.G. Almeida, et al., [0807.0234](#)

J. Thaler and Lian-Tao Wang, [0806.0023](#)

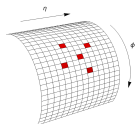
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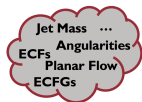


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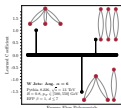
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Spanning Substructure with Linear Regression

Linear Models

$$\mathcal{S} \simeq \sum_{G \in \mathcal{G}} s_G \text{EFP}_G, \quad \mathcal{S} : \text{IRC-safe observable}, \quad \mathcal{G} : \text{set of EFPs}$$

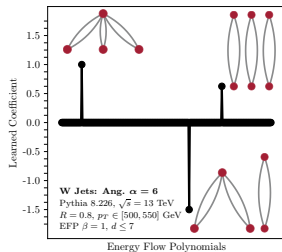
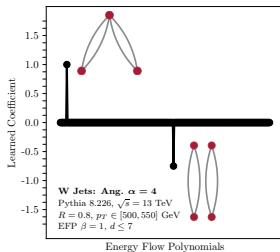
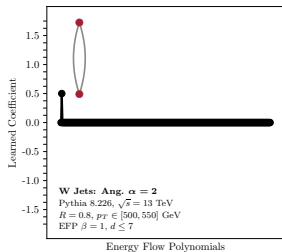
- Machine learn $\{s_G\}$ with a linear model
- Linear models:
 - Convex with few/no hyperparameters to tune
 - Achieve global optimum via closed form solution or convergent iteration
 - Cannot have a simpler model (1 parm./input) sensitive to all inputs
 - Many potential methods to analyze learned model

See Ch. 3 and 4 of C. Bishop *Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning*

Confirming Analytic Relationships

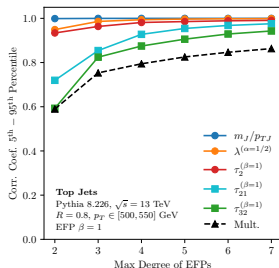
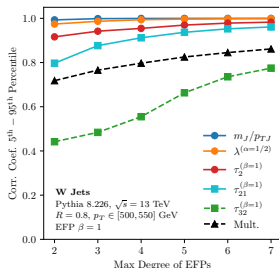
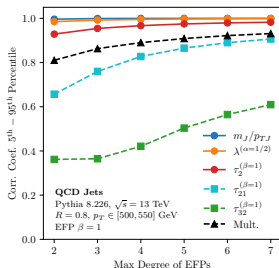
$$\lambda^{(2)} = \frac{1}{2} \times \text{Diagram 1}, \quad \lambda^{(4)} = \text{Diagram 2} - \frac{3}{4} \times \text{Diagram 3}$$

$$\lambda^{(6)} = \text{Diagram 4} - \frac{3}{2} \times \text{Diagram 5} + \frac{5}{8} \times \text{Diagram 6}$$



Linear Regression and IRC-safety

- $m_J/p_{T,J}$: IRC safe - no Taylor expansion due to square root
- $\lambda^{(\alpha=1/2)}$: IRC safe - no simple analytic relationship
- $\tau_2^{(\beta=1)}$: IRC safe - algorithmically defined
- $\tau_{21}^{(\beta=1)}$: Sudakov safe - safe for 2-prong jets and more
- $\tau_{32}^{(\beta=1)}$: Sudakov safe - safe for 3-prong jets and more
- Multiplicity: IRC unsafe



Part I Conclusions

- EFPs:
 - Energy correlators with angular structures indexed by multigraphs
 - Linearly span the space of IRC-safe observables
 - Encompass many existing classes of substructure observables
- Linear regression:
 - Linear models are the easiest and most tractable kind of model
 - Convex with few/no hyperparameters
 - Global optimum via closed form solution or convergent iteration
 - Many potential tools to analyze what's learned
 - Works with EFPs to match onto many IRC-safe observables

Part II - Linear Jet Tagging with EFPs



Linear Classification with EFPs

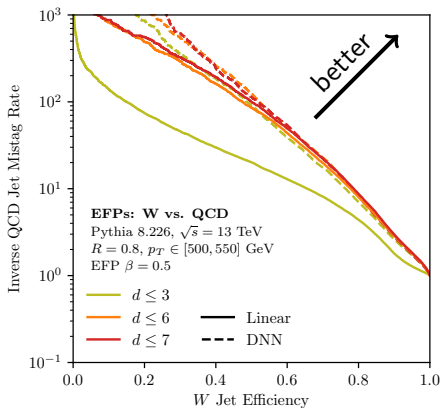
Linear Classification Overview

- Fit a decision plane, determined by a vector w
 - Fisher's linear discriminant (LDA): closed-form solution
 - Logistic regression: Convex, iterative solution
- Decision threshold t is determined by distance from the plane
- \mathcal{G} is finite set of graphs corresponding to the inputs
 - Organization by d is natural (equivalent to the order of the expansion)
 - Organization by N or χ also possible, (where is the information?)

$$\text{Classifier} = \begin{cases} \left(t + \sum_{G \in \mathcal{G}} w_G \text{EFP}_G \right) \geq 0, & \text{signal} \\ \left(t + \sum_{G \in \mathcal{G}} w_G \text{EFP}_G \right) < 0, & \text{background} \end{cases}$$

Linear Classification with EFPs

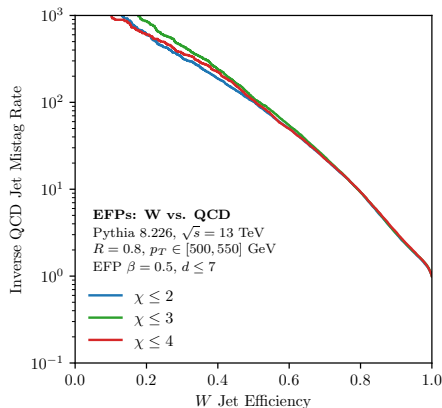
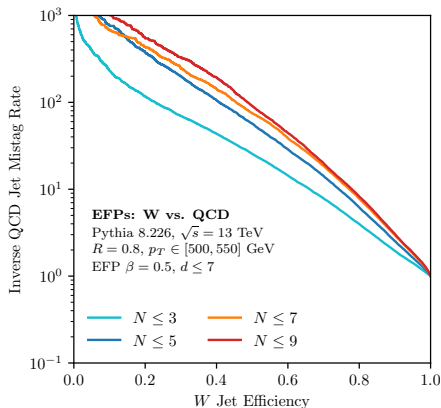
- W vs. QCD jet classification (quark/gluon and top tagging in backup)



- 300k training samples
- Linear: Fisher's linear discriminant
 - num. params. = num. EFPs < 1000
 - 100k test samples
- DNN: Dense neural net
 - (100 node fully-connected layer) $\times 3$
 - $\sim 120k$ parameters
 - 50k validation, 50k test samples



Which EFPs are Important?

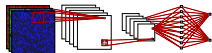


- High- N EFPs are important for classification performance
- Great classification performance with just $\chi = 2$ EFPs!

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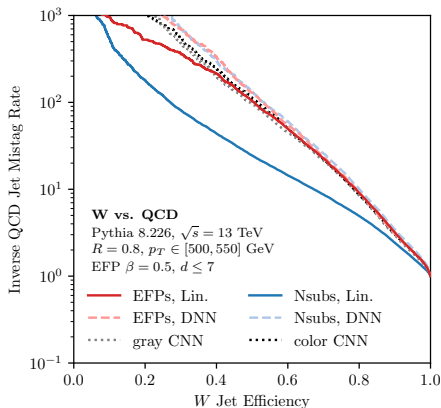


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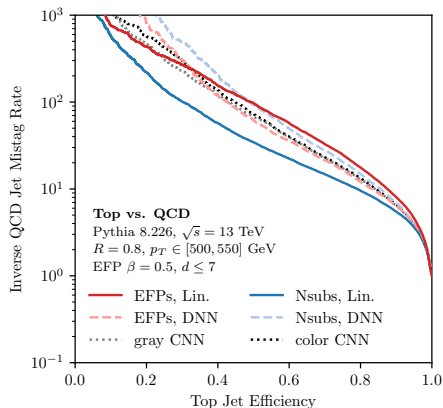
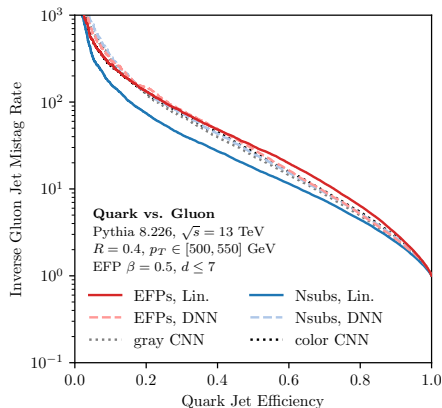


- Linear and DNN same as before
- CNN: Convolutional neural net
 - 33×33 jet images
 - $(48 \text{ filters}) \times 3$
 - gray: p_T channel only
 - color: p_T and mult. channels
 - $\sim 80k$ parameters

(Linear classification with EFPs) \sim (MML) for $\varepsilon_s \gtrsim 0.5$!

N -subjettiness: [1011.2268](#), N -subjettiness basis: [1704.08249](#), NN Review: [1709.04464](#)

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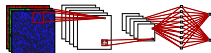


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Fast Computation of EFPs

Computational Complexity of ECF(G)s

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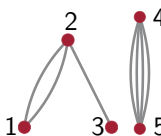
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// if N > 5, then throw error
if (_N > 5) {
    throw Error("EnergyCorrelator is only hard coded for N = 0,1,2,3,4,5");
}
```

fjcontrib – EnergyCorrelator 1.2.0

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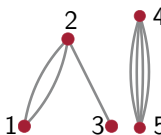


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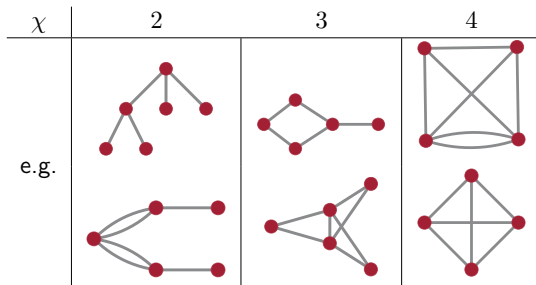


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$$= \underbrace{\sum_{i_1=1}^M z_{i_1} \left(\sum_{i_2=1}^M z_{i_2} \theta_{i_1 i_2} \right)^7}_{\mathcal{O}(M^2)}$$

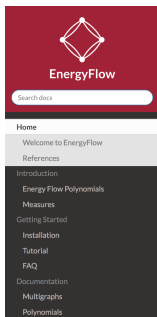
Variable Elimination (VE)

- Algorithm for finding optimal parentheses placement in EFP formula
- Reduces EFP computational complexity to $\mathcal{O}(M^\chi)$:
 - Best case (NP-hard): $\chi = \text{treewidth}(G) + 1$
 - Heuristics can be used which work excellently for our small graphs
 - $\chi = 2$ for all tree graphs, $\chi = 3$ for single-cycle graphs, $\chi = N$ for K_N



EnergyFlow Python Package

- A convenient and simple package for efficient implementation of EFPs
- Currently written in pure Python using the NumPy library
 - Need a fast, arbitrary dimension multi-array
 - We're working on a C++ implementation (not simple)



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Welcome to EnergyFlow

EnergyFlow is a Python package for computing Energy Flow Polynomials, a collection of jet substructure observables which form a complete, linear basis of IRC-safe observables.

Note: We are currently in beta. Fully tested code and site coming soon!

References

[1] P.T. Komiske, E.M. Metodiev, J. Thaler, "Energy Flow Polynomials: A complete linear basis for jet substructure." *To appear soon.*

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pip install energyflow
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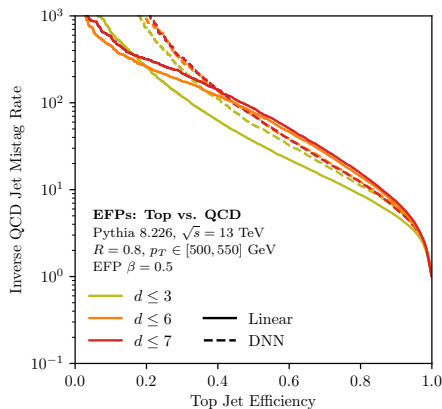
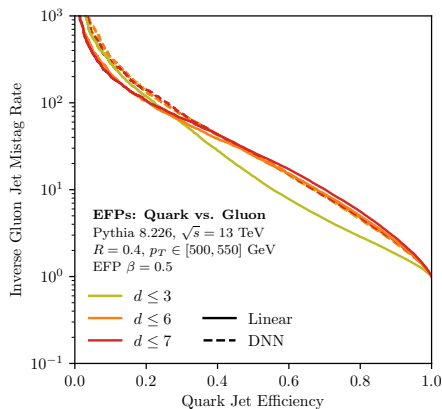
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import energyflow as ef
efps = ef.EFPSet('d<=7')
results = efps.compute(event)
```

Conclusions

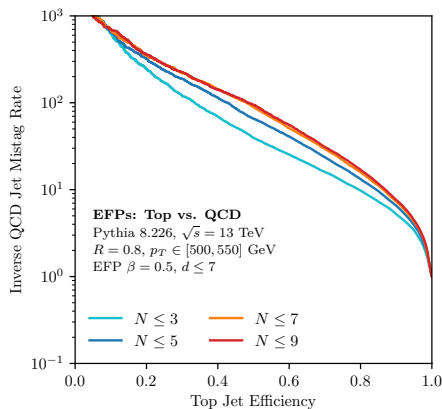
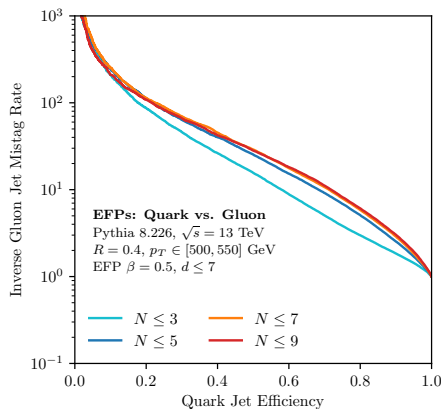
- Linear classification with EFPs very comparable to MML methods
- Linear methods \implies very nice both theoretically and experimentally
 - EFP linear structure potentially allows for theoretical calculation
 - Fully differentiable model, uncertainty/error propagation simple
 - Convex, global minimum is guaranteed
 - No/few hyperparameters
 - Interesting methods made possible by linearity
 - Lasso regression for automatic feature selection
 - PCA, orthogonal subspaces, etc.
- Efficient computation of EFPs has been achieved
 - EnergyFlow Python package [here](#), stay tuned for more
- EFPs potentially bridge MML performance & theory understanding

Additional Slides

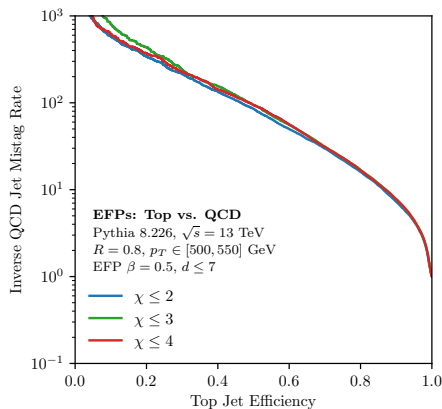
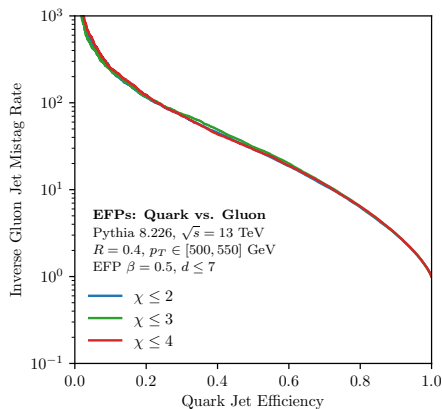
Quark/Gluon, Top Linear Classification with EFPs



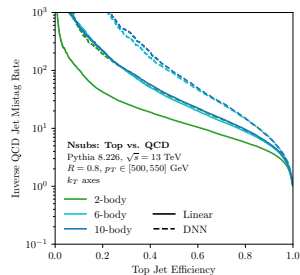
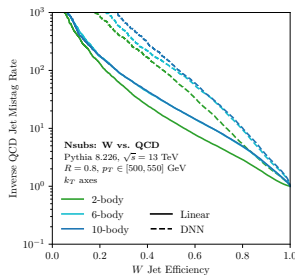
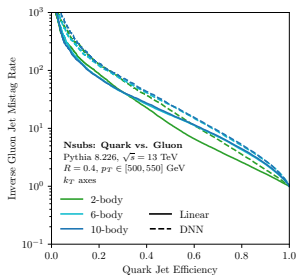
Quark/Gluon and Top Tagging N Sweep



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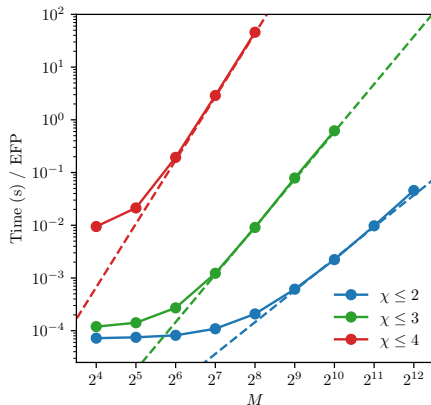


N -Subjettiness Linear/DNN Comparison



VE Timing

- Test our implementation of VE averaged over all EFPs with $d \leq 7$
- This includes prime EFPs up to $N = 8$! (Imagine $N = 8$ ECF, OMG)



N		2	3	4	5	6	7	8
χ	2	7	12	33	50	65	48	23
	3		11	42	82	80	33	
	4			2	1			

Prime EFPs with $d \leq 7$