

Simulating Noise Waveforms in the Belle II Calorimeter Using GANs

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~1200 collaborators, ~600 authors

- ~500 students, ~450 “Physicists”,
~230 technical staff

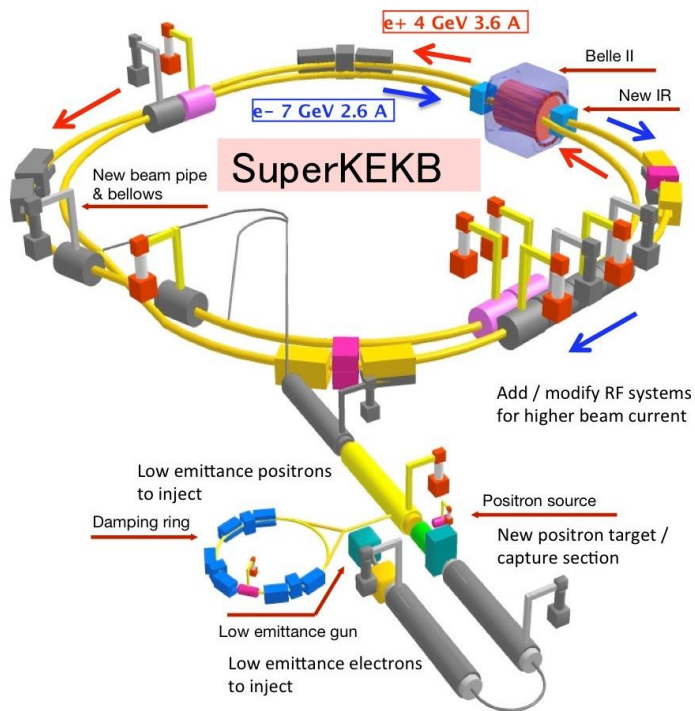
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Collider Experiment at SuperKEKB

SuperKEKB is an e^+e^- collider operating at $\sqrt{s} = 10.58 \text{ GeV}$ (4 & 7 GeV beams respectively).

As of 2020, it is the highest **luminosity** collider *ever!*



Luminosity \propto intensity of beam.

$$N = \sigma L$$

N = Number of collisions

σ = Cross section

L = Luminosity

More luminosity
= more events
= more physics*



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General-purpose detector — Built like an onion around **interaction point (IP)**

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Also, a 1.5T magnet!

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This project is interested in the **ECL waveforms**

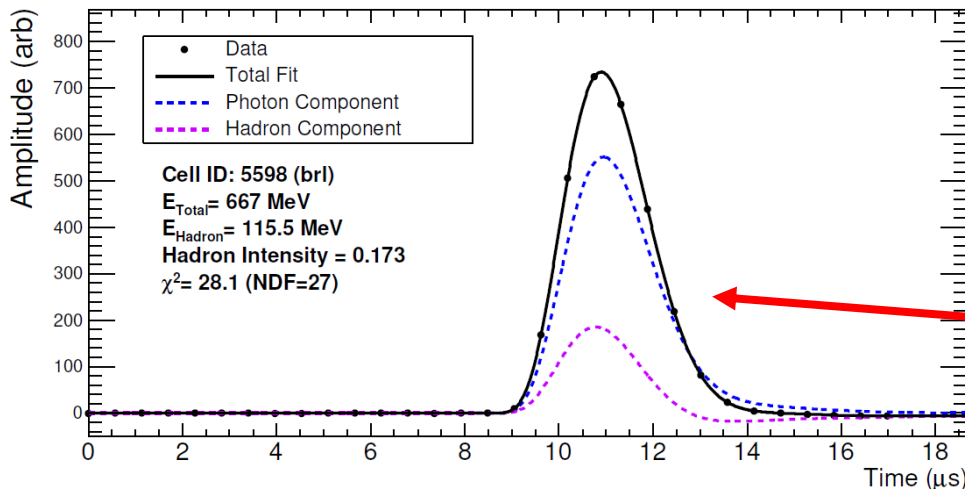
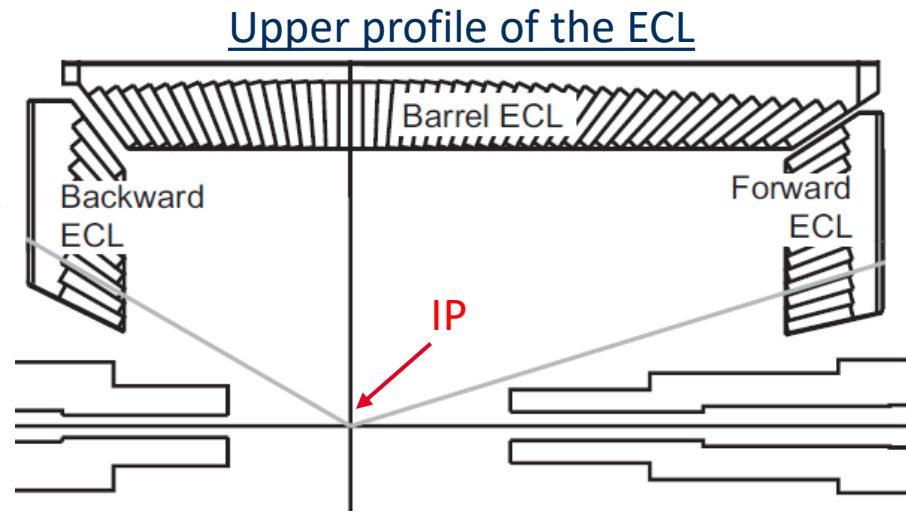
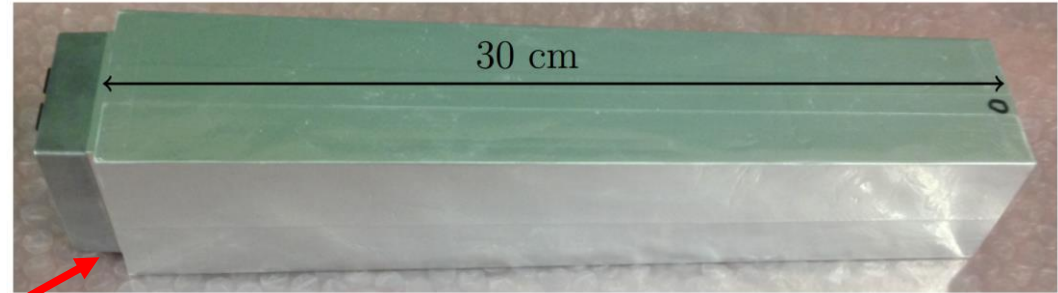


Electromagnetic Calorimeter (ECL)

ECL is responsible for:

- **Measuring particle's energies** through energy depositions.

Composed of **8736 CsI(Tl) crystals** arranged in a cylinder around the IP.



Crystal PMT measurements are **digitized in 31-length waveforms** and fit.



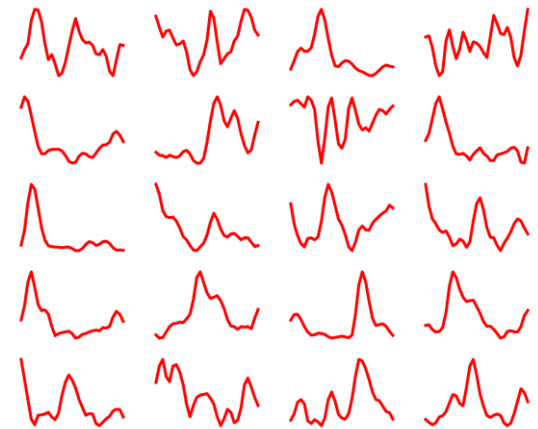
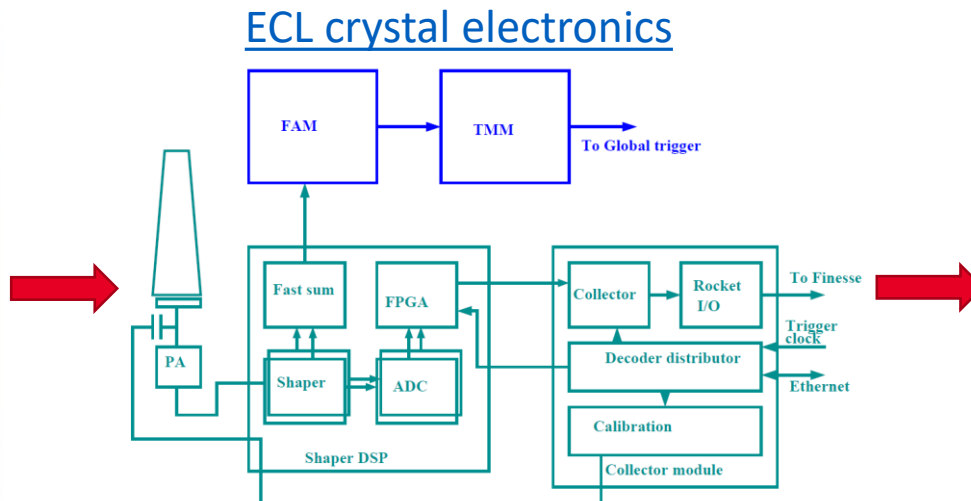
Motivation for GAN Simulation

With **great luminosity** comes **great responsibilities** (background)

↳ How to accurately represent **background** during **simulation**?

Take random **snapshots** of the detector (**triggers**)
→ **overlay** them onto simulation (BGOOverlay)!

Problem: requires too much data & bandwidth

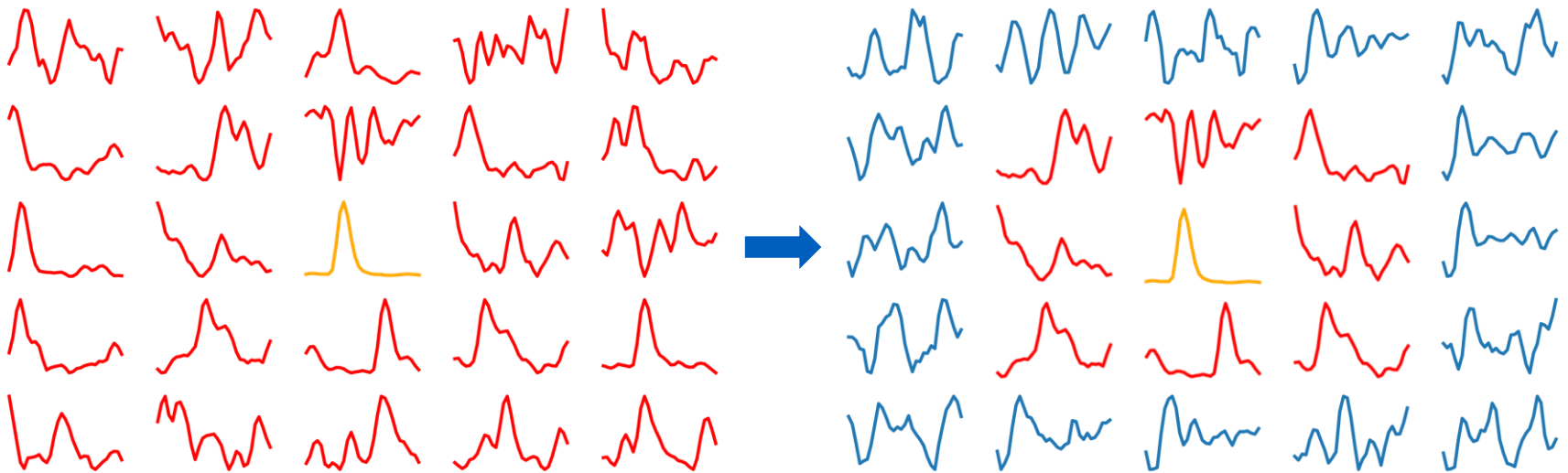


General Simulation Strategy

Only **keep** interesting **waveforms** and **simulate** the rest

↳ “high energy”, correlated background

e.g. a **high energy** waveform and its **neighbours** are **saved**



Data (real) noise waveforms

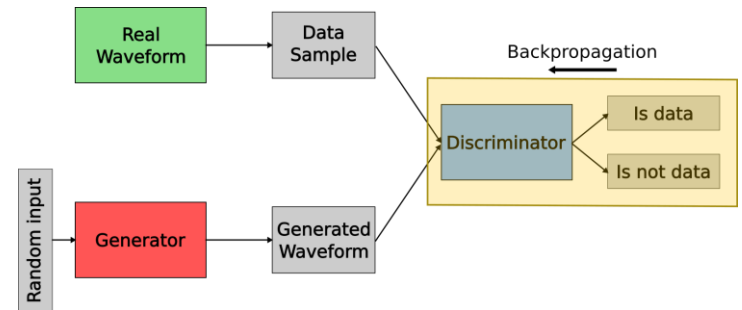
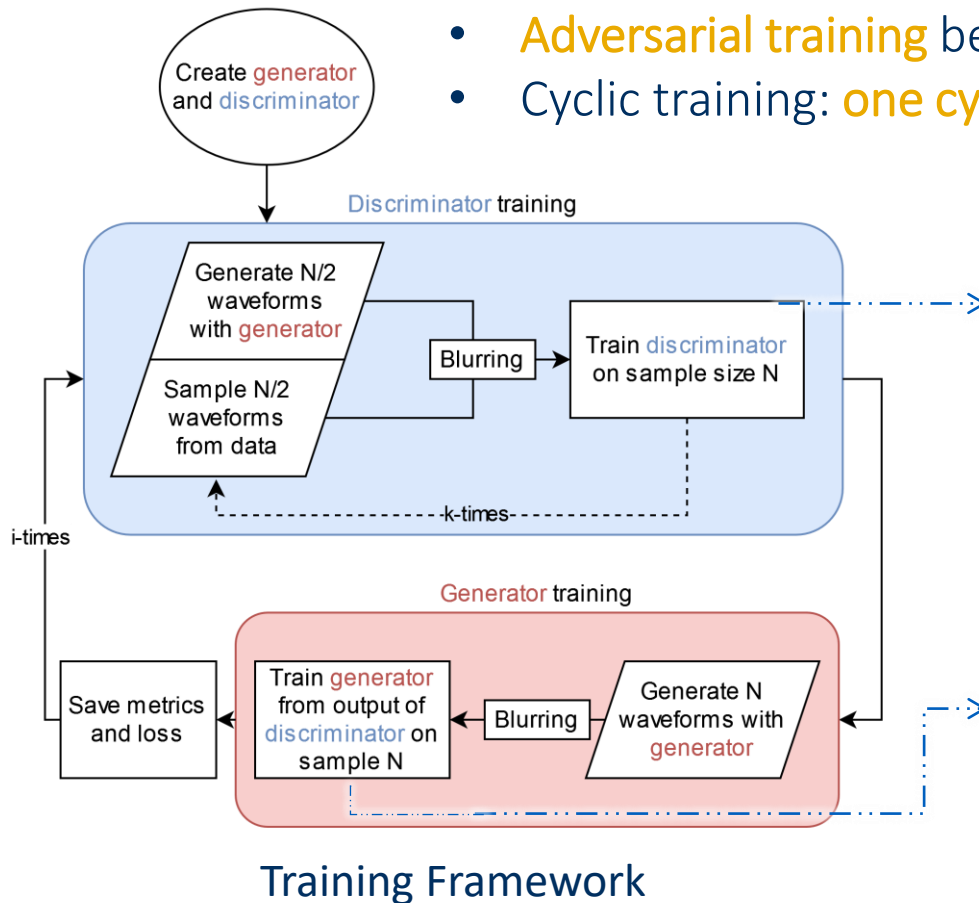
(partly) Simulated noise waveforms



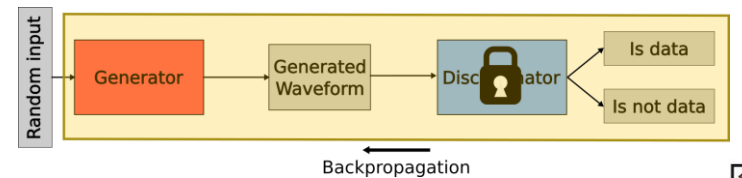
Simulate Using a GAN

GANs are **Generative Adversarial** trained neural **Networks**.

- **Generator** generates ECL waveforms
- **Discriminator** distinguishes real from generated waveforms
- **Adversarial training** between the networks
- Cyclic training: **one cycle** is called an **epoch**



Training the discriminator

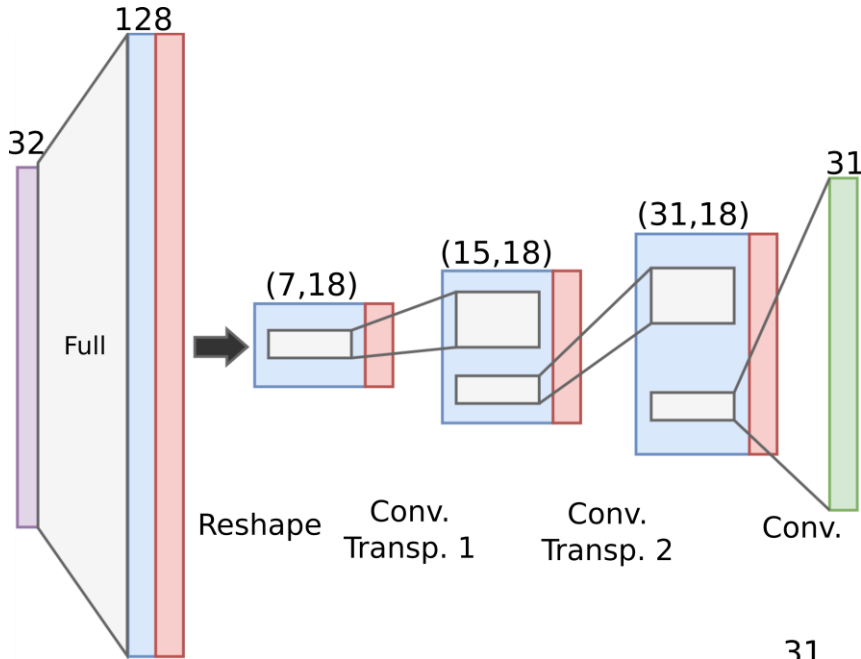


Training the generator



The Neural Networks

- Purple: input vectors
- Blue: neuron layers
- Red: leaky ReLU activations
- Yellow: dropout layers
- Green: output layers

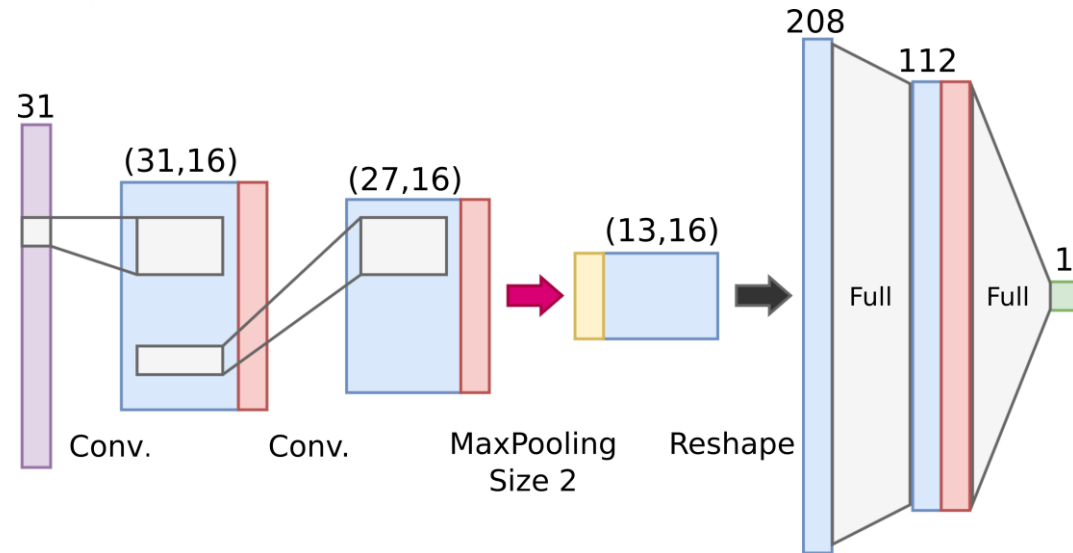


Generator:
1D deep convolutional neural network (D-CNN) used to generate waveforms



Discriminator:

Another **1D D-CNN** to evaluate (data or generated waveform?)



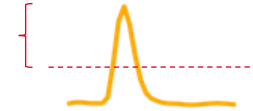
Measuring the Quality of Waveforms

Characterize waveforms using 4 metrics

For waveform: $\mathbf{S} = S_i = s_1 \dots s_{31}$

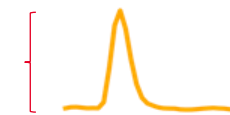
1. ΔA_{avg} (Average Amplitude Difference):

$$\frac{1}{31} \sum_{i=1}^{31} |S_i - \bar{S}|$$



2. ΔA_{max} (Maximum Amplitude Difference):

$$\max(\mathbf{S}) - \min(\mathbf{S})$$



3. f (Power Spectrum, Discrete Fourier Analysis)

4. χ^2 (from straight line):

$$\chi^2 = \mathbf{DC}^{-1} \mathbf{D}$$

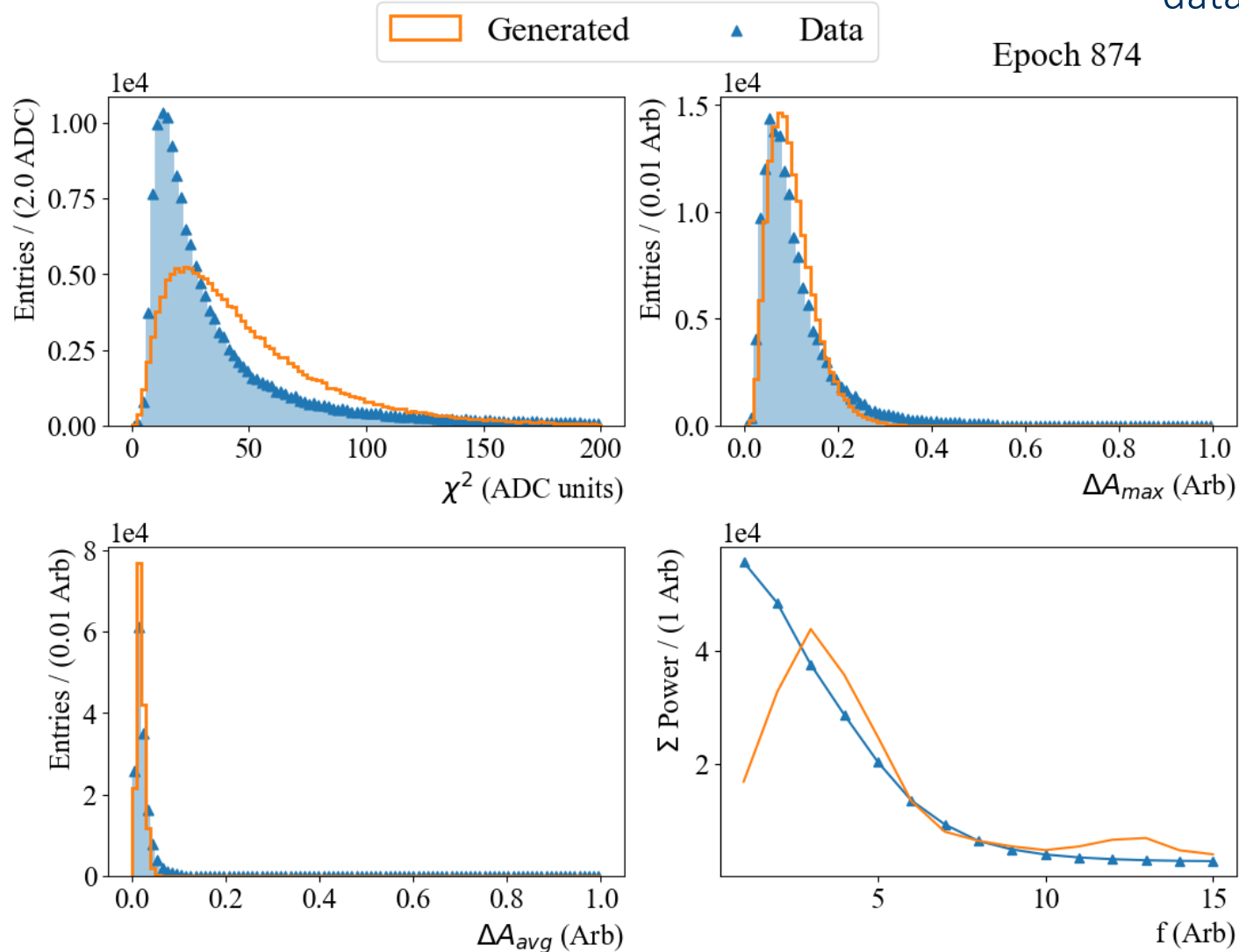
$$\mathbf{D} = \mathbf{S} - \mathbf{G}$$

where \mathbf{C} is the autocovariance matrix of \mathbf{S} , and \mathbf{G} is a straight line.



GAN Performance

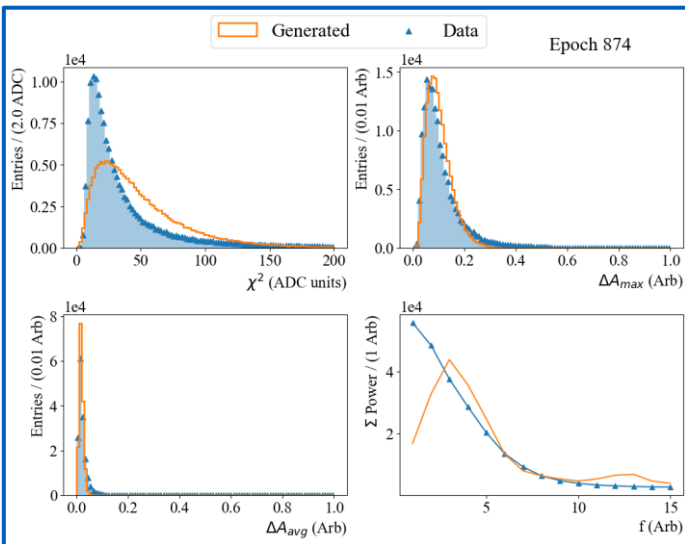
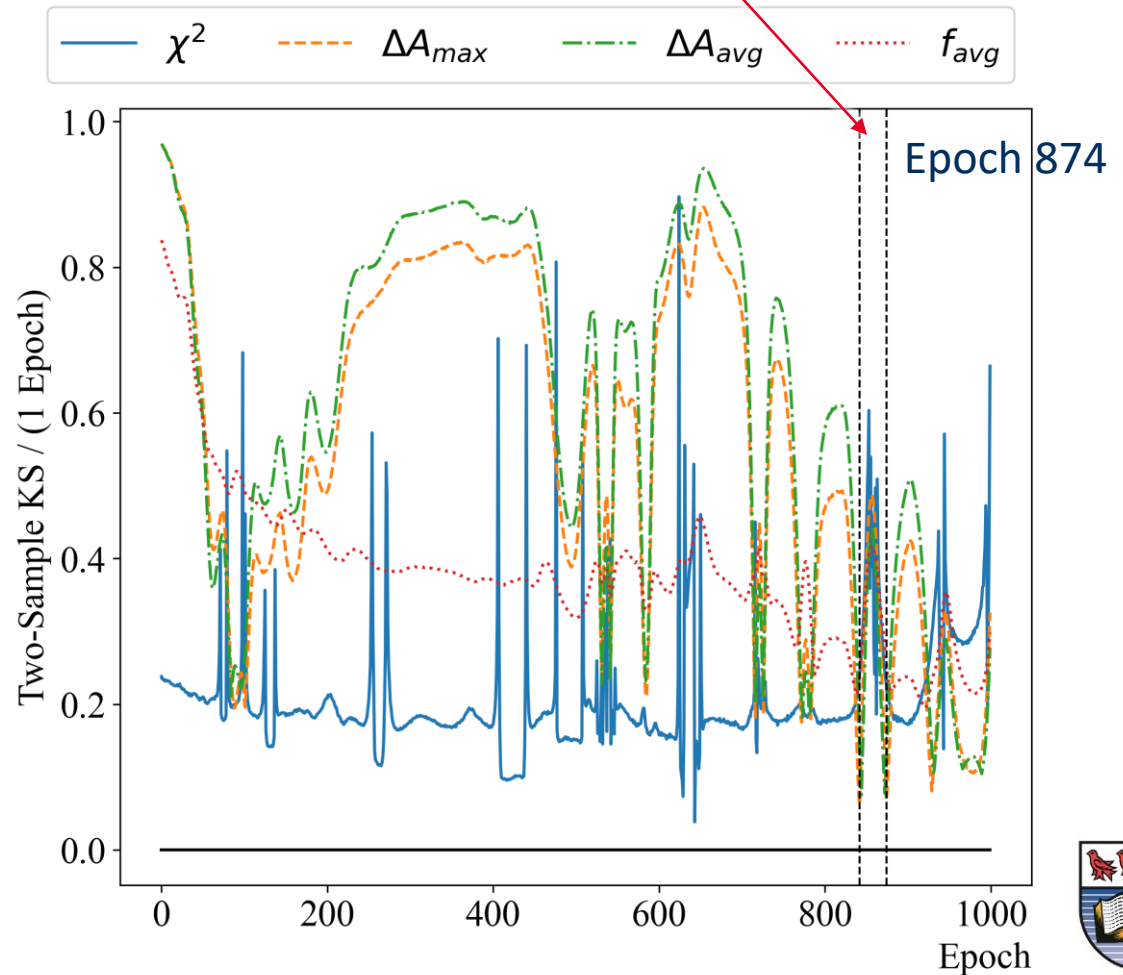
- After every epoch:
1. Generate waveforms
 2. Calculate their metrics
 3. Compare metrics of generated & data waveforms



Quantifying GAN Performance

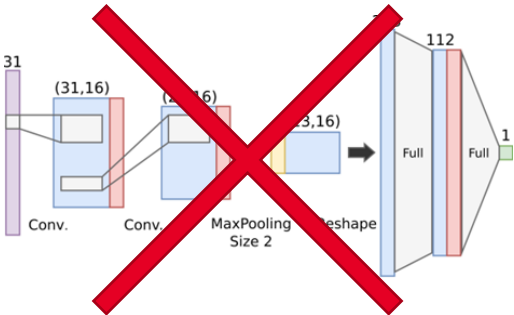
Quantify using a **two-sample Kolmogorov-Smirnov (KS2)** test. The best model is currently selected as the average **lowest KS2 result**.

This is the epoch when the generated waveforms are **most similar to data**.

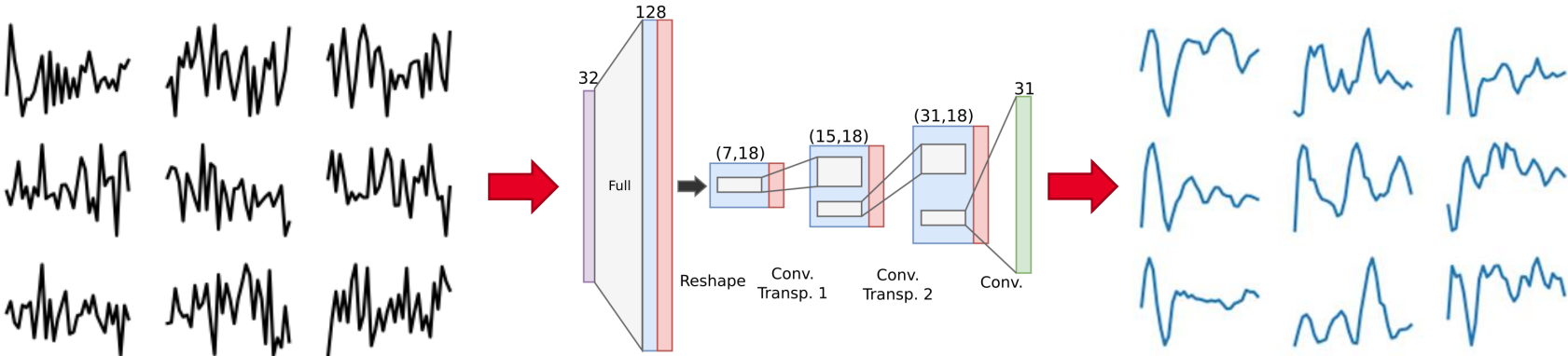


Congratulations, you now have a trained and ready to use GAN!

Discard Discriminator

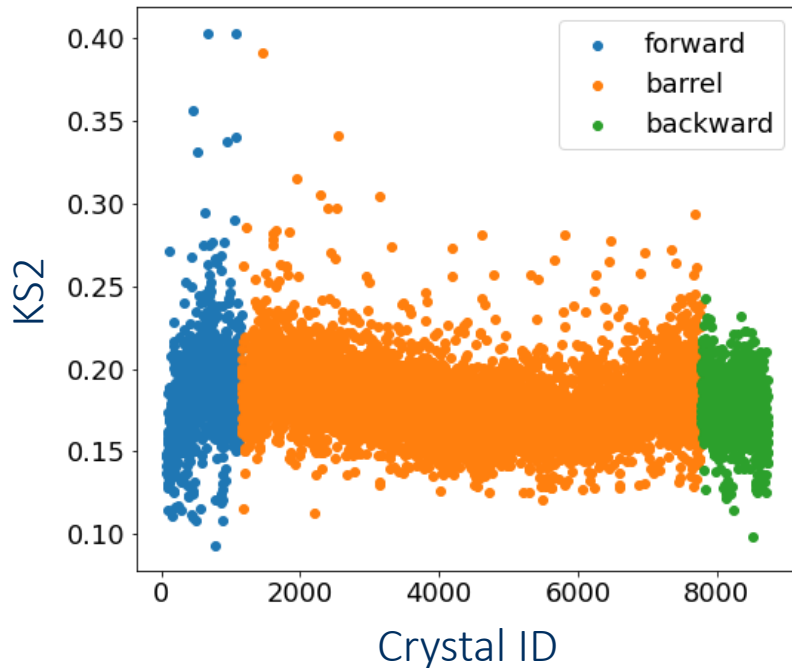


Use Generator at will

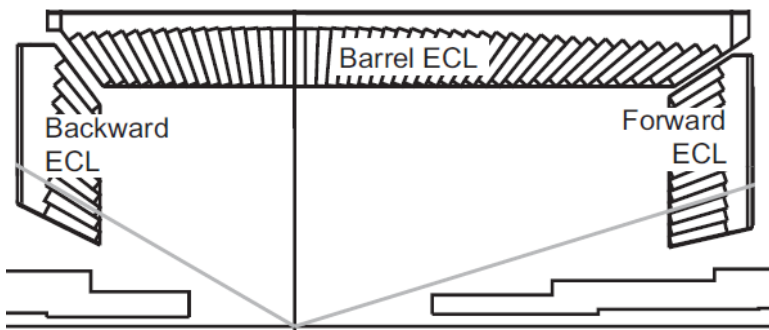
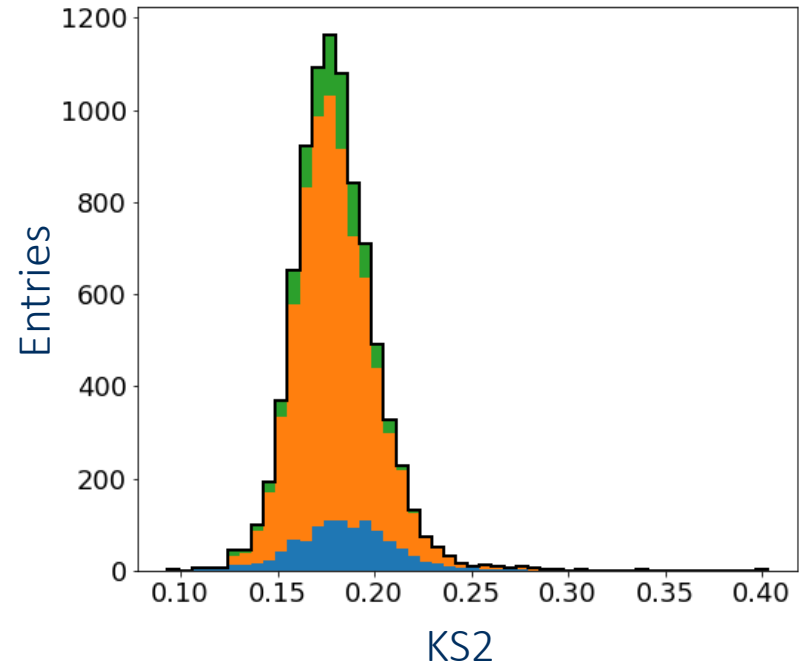


Training the Entire ECL

Best KS2 for each crystal



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Average best KS2

- GAN: 0.18
- Autoencoders: 0.21*
- Cov. Matrix Methods: >0.3**

*Matt Forbes, **Alexei Sibidanov – UVic



You Can (Soon) See this Code

The Belle II analysis framework (**basf2**) is an **open-source software**. Hundreds of collaborators have contributed to it in one capacity or another:

<https://github.com/belle2/basf2>

Note: the public code is a few months behind the current main branch for development purposes.



It includes many **advanced computing techniques**

e.g. A.I., machine learning, etc.

Used for Physics tools, computing tools, ...

You can find tools like this GAN on there!



Summary

- New and **world-class** machine learning **frameworks** are being implemented into the **Belle II analysis framework**.
- A **GAN** is developed to generate **ECL waveforms**, which are used during **simulation** to reproduce background.
- A robust and extensive system of **metrics** is used to grade the model **performances**.

Validation and testing is ongoing.

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Extra



“off the shelf” Hyper-Parameters

- **1000** training loops (**epochs**):
- Discriminator to Generator **training ratio** = 3
 - Train discriminator 3 times (three batches)
 - Train generator 1 time (one batch)
- Use **batch sizes** of **128**
 - Discriminator batch: 64 generated waveforms, 64 real waveforms
 - Generator batch: 128 generated waveforms
- Use **noisy and smooth of target labels**
 - Target label randomly reversed (0 -> 1 or 1 -> 0): 5% prob.
 - Target label randomly smoothed over (1 -> 0.7 to 1.2 or 0 -> 0 to 0.3)

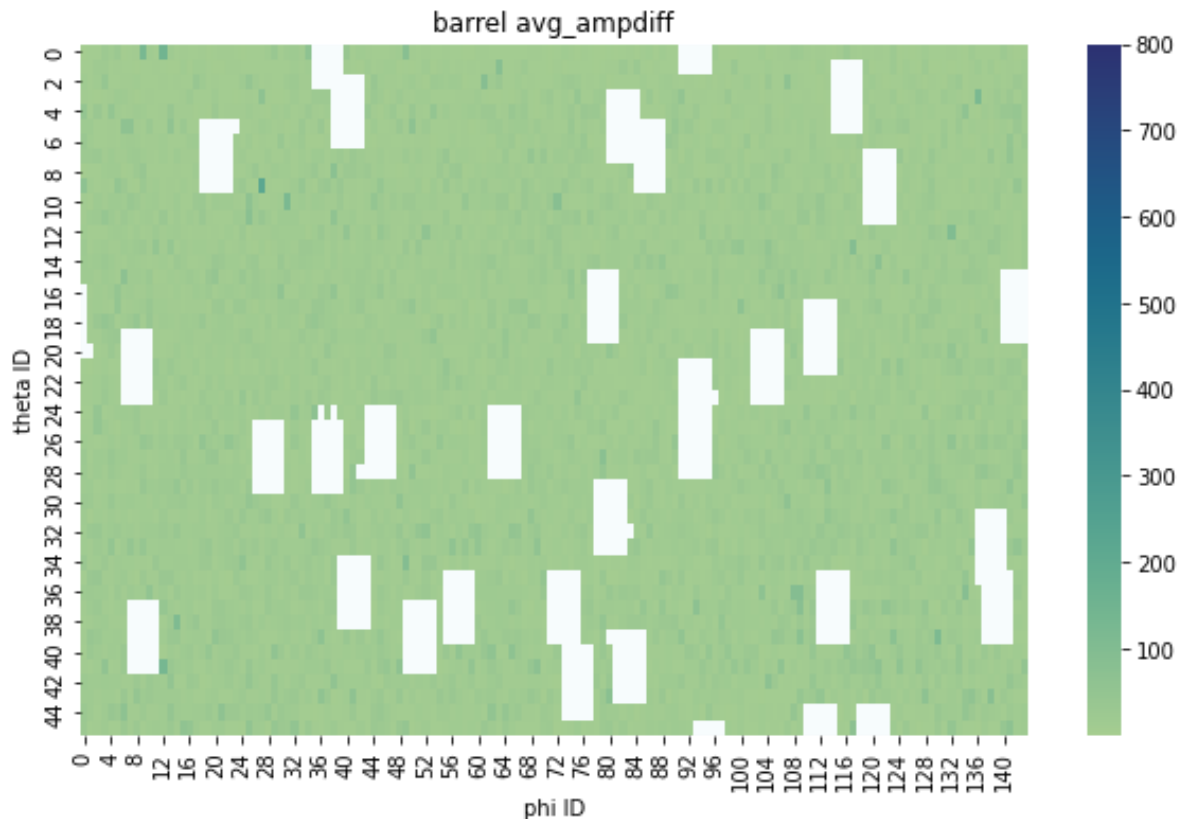


Selection Criteria for Interesting Waveforms

Select waveforms:

1. Deposit $E > 10$ MeV in crystal
2. Are a local maximum in a 5×5 region
3. Then, keep all waveforms in a 5×5 region around seed crystal
4. Then, keep all waveforms in a 7×7 region with $E > 5$ MeV

From Thomas Grammatico – UVic



Visualization of the barrel 2D waveform map left after selection criteria are applied.

The neural network will “reproduce” this map and the holes will be filled back with the data saved.



Cost & Validation

Currently, **generating 8736 waveforms** takes **7.7%** the time of a full **$B\bar{B}$** simulation (our flagship decay).

In progress: **validation** of the result by using GAN assisted simulations to perform performance **analyses**, e.g.

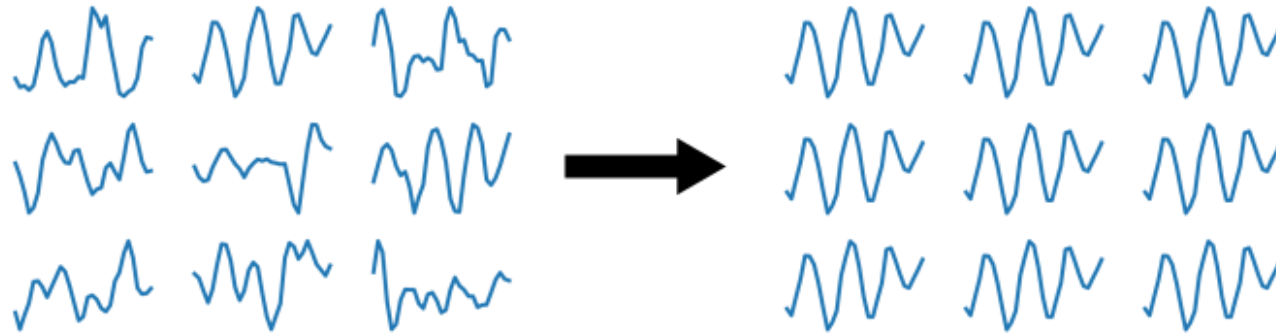
- Mass of π_0
- Extra energy in the ECL (E_{extra})
- Timing of energy depositions (clusters)
- Energy distribution of cluster energies

Preliminary analyses looks promising, needs time!

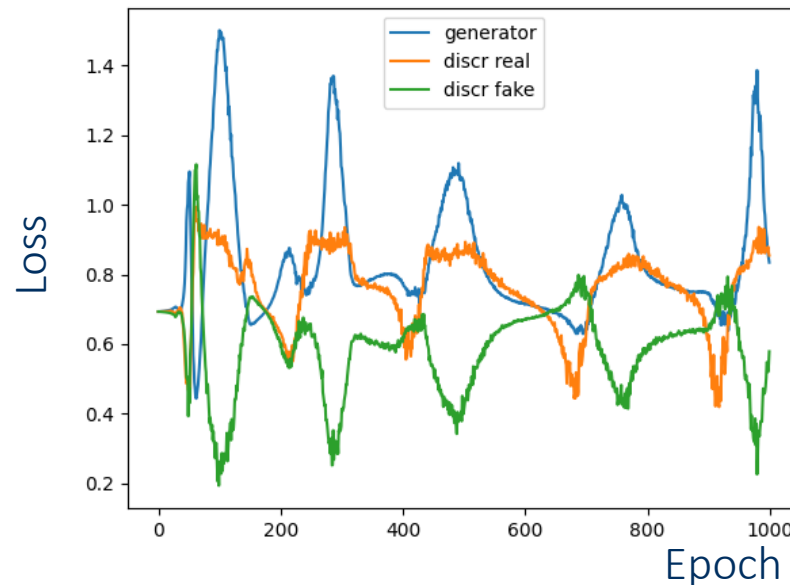


GAN Difficulties

Mode Collapse

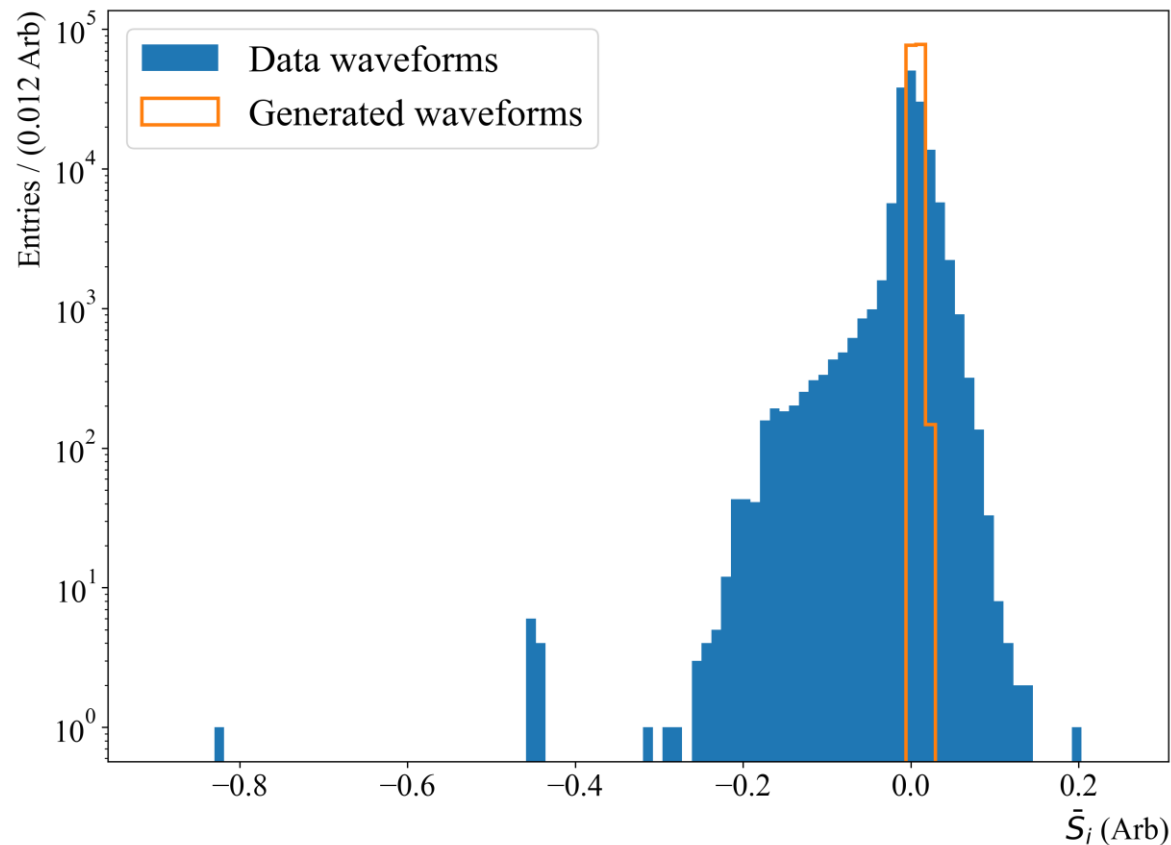


Non-convergence of loss function



Standalone GAN is not Perfect

Waveform average has structure which is not captured



Power Spectrum Unpacked

Each histogram shows the amplitude (power) of a discrete frequency bin (15 in total) for all waveforms in the sample.

