

HPS Software Review: Offline Data Analysis

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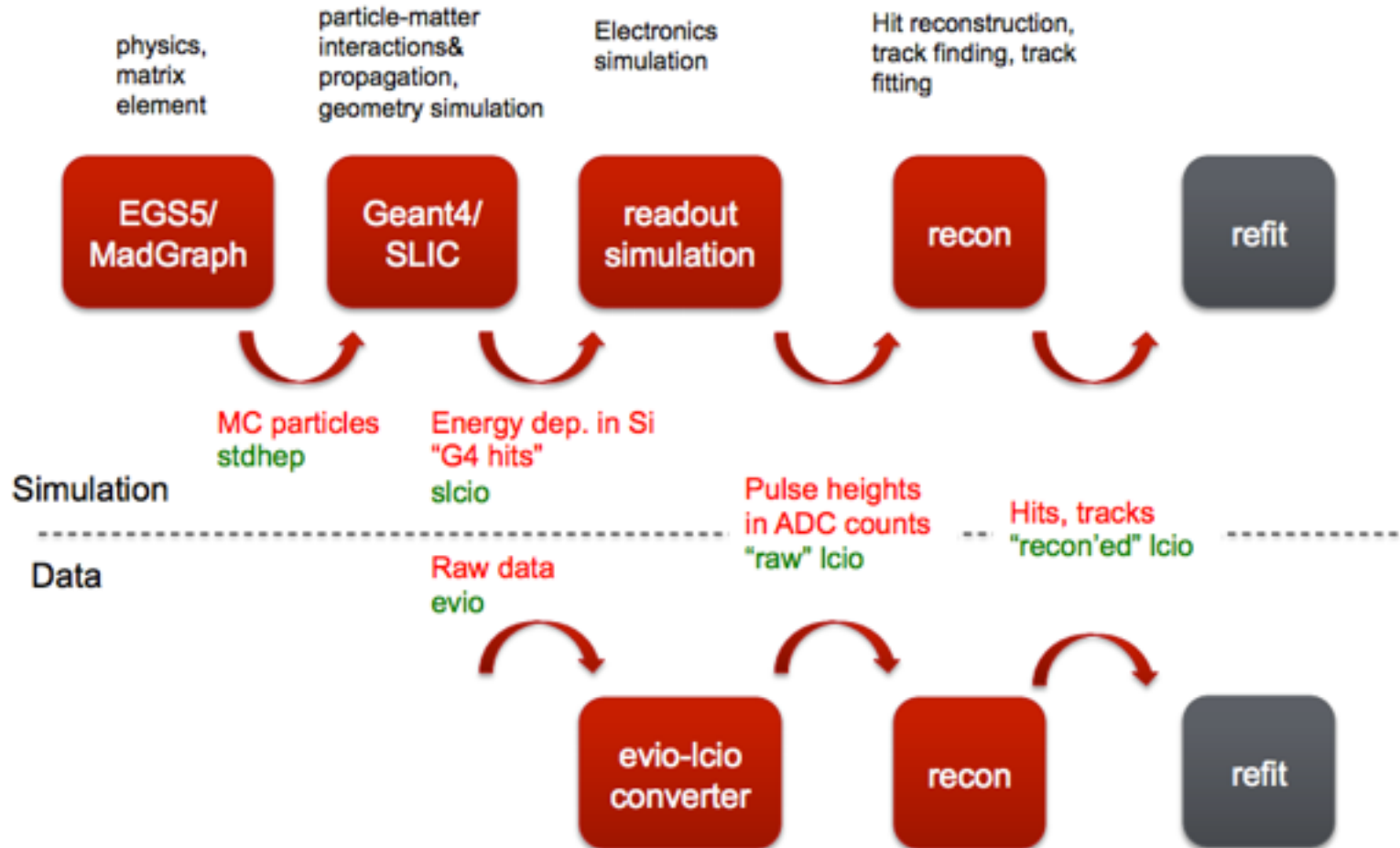
Data Analysis Working Group

- Sub-group of the software group; created to organize and coordinate the work required to go from having data on disk→publishable physics result
- Charges to the group:
 - *Data production & distribution*: analysts get the data they need in a timely fashion
 - *Data quality*: quickly verify that data is physics quality
 - *Physics analysis*: guide physics analyses through to publication; serve as “first line of review”; develop and maintain common physics analysis tools

Data & Simulation Production

- data production: evio(raw hits)→lcio (clusters,tracks,vertices..etc)
 - this is hps-java...code exists and is constantly being refined
 - automated scripts for submitting jobs to batch & bookkeeping exist; exercised for test run
- simulation production: multi-step process
 - event generation (MadGraph), beam overlay (EGS)
 - detector simulation (slic/GEANT4)
 - readout simulation (hps-java)
 - reconstruction (hps-java...just like data)
 - all of the above steps are in good shape (see previous talks by Takashi, Sho); currently writing scripts to automate & link each of these steps.
 - this is “phase-0” of the mock data challenge
- All of the data & sim production will take place at JLAB (see Homer’s talk for resources)
- Data Production Manager: overseer of data and simulation production
 - currently: **Sho Uemura**

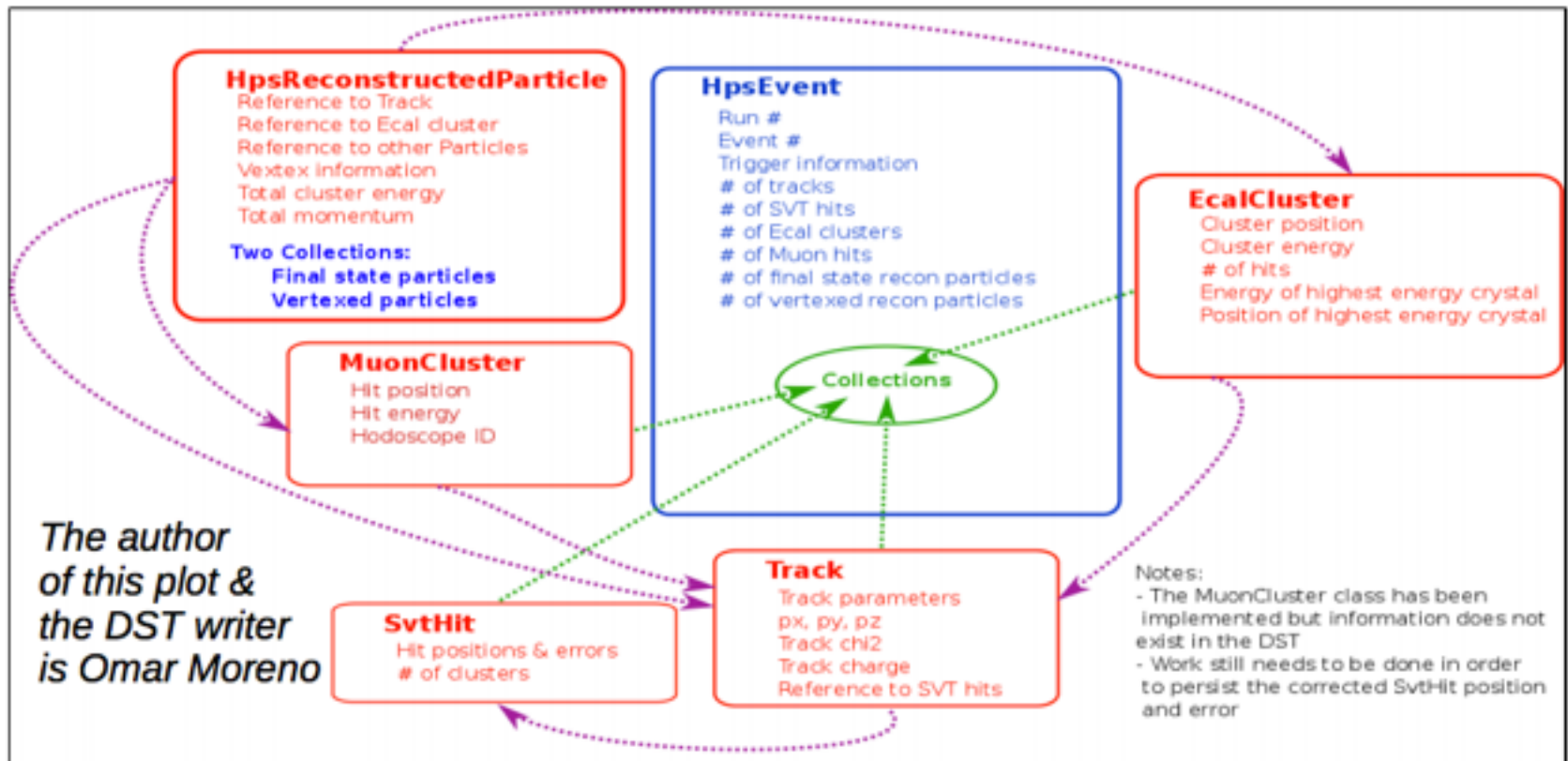
Data & Simulation Production: Processing Chain



Data & Simulation Production: Reco'd Icio & DSTs

- At the end of the primary processing chain → reconstructed Icio file which contains:
 - all low-level objects (SVT & ECAL ADC counts)...everything the evio file has
 - higher-level objects based on default algorithms (SVT clusters, tracks, vertices, reconstructed particles..etc).
 - this file may be accessed using Icsim/hps-java, c++ (using Icio libraries), directly in ROOT...but it has a fairly complicated structure; just a list of hits/tracks/etc
- Collaboration requested higher-level output format →DST
 - converts the recon'ed Icio to ROOT TTree, using Icio c++ libraries
 - Omar has written a “dst writer” with a default format (see next page)
 - DST is not intended to be loss-less or to used for low-level tasks like reconstruction...intended to be a light-weight dataset for high-level analysis
 - this default DST will be produced as a part of the processing chain...DST-maker is very fast and the output is a small fraction of the reconned Icio

Example DST Content



- we envision that this DST will satisfy most analysts but, if not, the “dst writer” is easily...Omar is currently the DST tzar.

- during the run:
 - if possible and appropriate, contribute to online monitoring so that it includes physics-level measurements of data quality
- after the run:
 - assess the data quality of the run...for example:
 - % of good SVT/ECAL/Muon channels
 - tracking/trigger efficiency
 - tracks/event; vertices/event etc....
 - resolutions...
- maintain run conditions & quality list
- name a Run Quality Manager to lead this effort

- Help development of analysis tools:
 - physics objects in lcsim (e.g. “particles” as combination of track, cluster, muon detector object; types of vertices; etc)
 - “good” hit/cluster/track/vertex/event definitions...multiple layers (good/better/best)
 - PID selectors
 - event generation/conversion tools (...going from MadGraph to stdhep for example...)
 - ...other stuff...
 - ...some of these things probably be best done by/in collaboration with sub-system guru

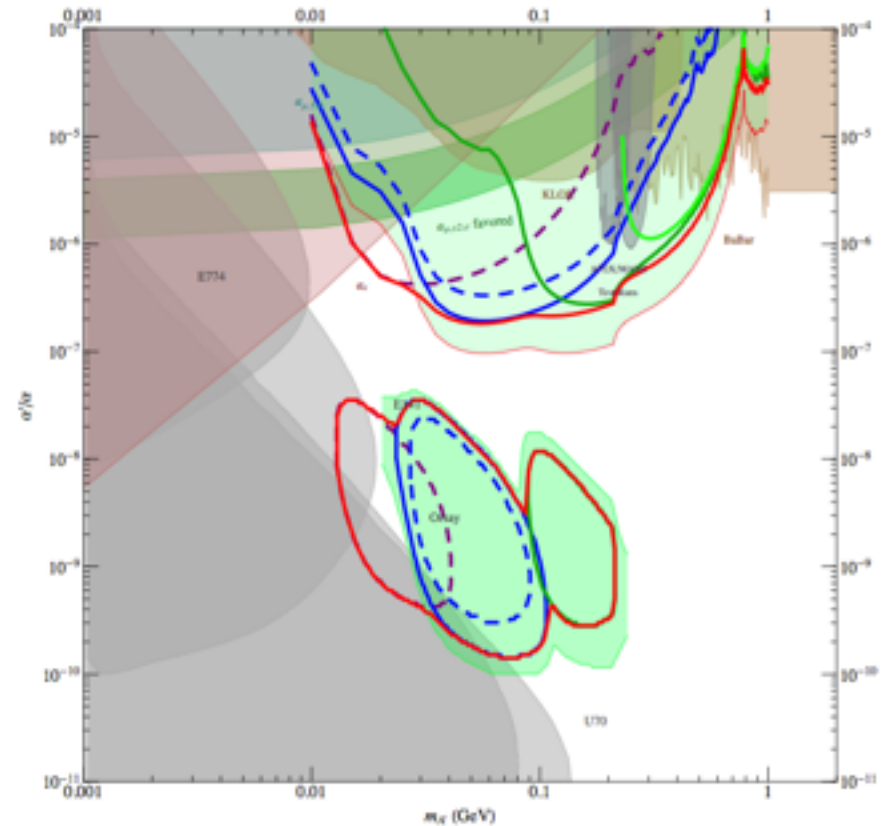
- Currently, we've got main topics important in the near-term/low energy running:
 - standard A' searches (bump-hunt & vertexing)
 - detailed study of trident events: cross-section, shapes, Rad/BH determination
- Longer term/higher energies:
 - true muonium
 - multi-leptons (complex hidden sector)
 - polarization studies
 - di-muon production asymmetries
- Physics analysis will be a team effort..."grad student wanders in the woods for years and returns with result" paradigm not a good one
 - these analyses are fairly complicated with many parts; crosschecks needed; timely result is vital → should have a clear picture of how **full** analysis of data will work **before** we have data on tape

Physics Analysis: From Proposal to Publication...

- The reach calculation in proposal was based on a primitive analysis/calculation...
- rates from MadGraph
- resolutions from simulations with detailed (but likely still sub-optimal) cuts
- signal extracted via simple cut-and-count

Good enough for a proposal, but there is a lot of work to be done to make a publishable analysis:

- track/event selection optimization
- cross-checks
- systematics
- cross-checks
- signal extraction/limit setting procedures



Physics Analysis Coordination: Mock Data Challenge

- Getting the A' search analysis work going before first data is a priority for us:
 - help identify potential issues we can address “on-the-floor” (e.g. special runs for calibrations, etc)
 - quick turnaround from data taking to publication
- at DOE reviewer’s suggestion, we’re having a mock data challenge
 - beginning-to-end analysis on a data-sized chunk (1 week, 2.2 GeV) of MC, with MC samples available for tuning
 - first large scale production
 - include some realistic conditions (some sample of noisy, dead SVT channels) but assume detector is aligned/calibrated
 - expect to have datasets ~February (although MDC is starting now), end at the summer collaboration meeting
 - expect this will get many new collaborators involved with analysis

- What sort of analysis issues:
 - track & event selection optimization
 - adding extra stuff (e.g. recoil electron [...hopefully this will be in default reconstruction by then, but maybe not...even if it is how do you use it in analysis], ecal information, better track finding/fitting etc.)
 - signal extraction
 - limit setting
 - discovery criteria
 - blinding plan

Summary

- Getting HPS results published in a timely fashion is our #1 priority
 - We have (or will soon have) framework in place to process data and produce/process simulation
 - We have plans for ensuring the data is of high quality as we are recording it, both online and offline
 - Physics analysis will soon be ramping up
 - Mock data challenge
 - Software/analysis workshops (this week at SLAC)
 - Many new collaborators eager to get involved