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# Track recosntruction with ACTS in ATHENA software

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#### Track reconstruction algorithm — ACTS

- Kalman-filter (KF) type track finding/fitting
  - B field map, material map, track seeds fed to KF model for predicted track calculation
  - Track parameters at event vertex: momentum, local position
  - Track parameters at detector surfaces: momentum, local position, pathlength



## Hybrid tracking system

- Full geometry of (baseline-2) hybrid tracking systems implemented
  - Canyonland version: Silicon + MPGD
  - Death valley version: LGAD TOF layers added to barrel tracking
  - Material map included in each version



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Single particle events, n [0.0, 0.1)

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# Ongoing: track reconstruction with realistic seeding

- A good seeding algorithm
  - It finds at least one seed for each particle that should be found
  - It doesn't find many seeds which do NOT correspond to particles
  - It doesn't find many seeds per particle
- ACTS seeding tool
  - Use triplet of hits for seed finding
  - All hits used in ATHENA for seed finding
- Plug-in to juggler and configure to ATHENA environment
  - Developed by YueShi Lai
  - Currently testing the performance with single pion events



https://acts.readthedocs.io/en/v9.0.0/ core/seeding.html

#### Efficiency, fake rate, duplicate rate

- A well reconstructed track: tracks can be associated to a generated particle by mathcing the momentum algorithm (association criteria: Δp/p within 10%, Δφ within 50mrad, Δθ within 10mrad)
- A track that is not associated to any simulated particle is considered to be a fake track.
- Duplicate tracks occur when multiple tracks are associated to the same generated particle.



From Xiaocong Ai's presentation, TrackML detector, ATLAS B field

#### Truth seeding vs realistic seeding

Counts



#### **Realistic seeding**

For 1GeV tracks at mid-rapidity: high efficiency, ~10% duplicate tracks with realistic seeding

For 1GeV tracks at forward-rapidity: low efficiency, bad reconstruction for track momentum

# **Ongoing: primary vertex reconstruction**

AdaptiveMultiVertexFinder (AMVF)

https://acts.readthedocs.io/en/v9.0.0/howto/ setup\_and\_run\_vertexing.html

- Existing tool from ACTS (other vertex finders available too)
- Current status: a draft plug-in version to juggler PrimaryVertexFinder.cpp, need to compile with latest ACTS version and test



Slides by Bastian Schlag: <u>https://indico.cern.ch/event/902131/contributions/3797615/subcontributions/</u> 302749/attachments/2007646/3353484/vertexing\_updates.pdf#search=bastian

# **Ongoing: B0 tracker**

- Require new cylindrical geometry from ACTS
  - Detector geometry already setup in DD4HEP
  - Not symmetric about the global z-axis, which is not supported by ACTS
  - Implement this new geometry into ACTS code

![](_page_10_Figure_5.jpeg)

https://wiki.bnl.gov/athena/index.php/FarForward

# Ongoing: improving data structure for reconstructed track 12

#### Output structure: eicd data structure

- Basic track parameters in TrackParameters
- More info added:
  - Hits associated to tracks
  - Track projection, path length, etc.

https://eicweb.phy.anl.gov/EIC/eicd/-/ blob/master/eic\_data.yaml

in	eic::TrackParameters: Description: "ACTS Bound Track parameters"			
	Author: "W. Armstrong, S. Joosten"			
	Members:			
	- eic::Index	ID	// Unique track ID.	
	- eic::FloatPair	loc	// Tracking location	
	- eic::FloatPair	locError	// Error on the location	
	- eic::Direction	direction	// Track direction (theta, phi) [rad, 0-pi and	
	-pi->pi]			
S	- eic::Direction	directionError	<pre>// Error on the direction [rad]</pre>	
	- float	qOverP	// [e/GeV]	
	- float	qOverPError	// Error on qOverP	
	- float	time	// Track time [ns]	
	- float	timeError	// Error on the time	
	- float	charge	<pre>// Assumed track charge, units of [e]</pre>	
	eic::Trajectory:			
	Description: "Trajectory"			
	Author: "W. Armstrong, S. Joosten"			
	Members:			
	- eic::Index	ID	// Unique trajectory ID	
	- eic::Index	trackID	// Corresponding track ID	
	<ul> <li>eic::VectorXYZ</li> </ul>	р	<pre>// 3-momentum at the vertex for the trajectory</pre>	
	- float	charge	// Charge of the particle trajectory	
	VectorMembers:			
	<ul> <li>eic::TrajectoryPoint points</li> </ul>		<pre>// Points along this trajectory</pre>	
	eic::Track:	eic::Track:		
	Description: "Track information"			
	Author: "W. Armstrong, S. Joosten"			
	Members:			
	- eic::Index	ID	// Unique track ID, same as the ID in the	
177	corresponding TrackParameters			
<u>a/-/</u>	<ul> <li>eic::VectorXYZ</li> </ul>	р	// Track momementum	
aml	- float	charge	// Charge of particle trajectory	
	- float	length	<pre>// Track length from first to last hit[mm]</pre>	
	- float	TOF	<pre>// Time of flight from first to last hit [ns]</pre>	

## Summary

#### Current status

- Detector geometry all setup with material map
- Truth seeding works well with a few outstanding issues in single track event
- Cross-check tracking performance in DIS events
- Including synchrotron radiation
- Ongoing
- Realistic seeding underway
- Primary vertexing being developed
- B0 tracker and forward tracking
- eicd data structure and JUGGLER version control
- Athena-ACTS bi-weekly meeting on Monday 9:30am EST
  - Subscription: <u>https://lists.bnl.gov/mailman/listinfo/eic-athena-trk-recon-l</u>
  - Indico page: https://indico.bnl.gov/event/14537/