



Brainstorm | Next Reconstruction Priorities

- Open discussion on future physics + reconstruction priorities will be part of this week's Physics

Readiness WS

- Scheduled for Wednesday, Sep. 17th at 1:40 UK time

- ☞ So want to brainstorm some possible priorities/to-do's from reconstruction side

Some thoughts:

- PID development/integration (eg. upcoming TIC discussion)
- Evolution of PF/eID after baseline
 - › Expanding topoclustering (clustering across calorimeters)
 - › Integration of PFA α and eID
- Generalized resonance reconstruction

More thoughts:

- Expansion of kinematic/inclusive algorithms
 - › Eg. The “Reaction Hypothesis” floated on Aug. 4th
 - › Tighter integration of central & FF/FB regions
- Timeframe integration
- Background impact on holistic reconstruction



Clustering Inventory | First Steps (1/2)

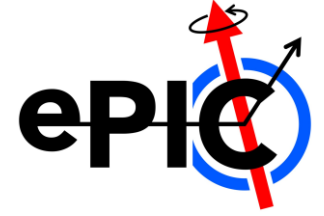
- **By itself:** not necessarily a *physics + reconstruction* priority, **but tangentially related**
 - Some degeneracies in our suite of calorimeter clustering algorithms
 - › Eg. Dima noted duplication b/n ImagingClusterReco and ClusterRecoCoG in [EICrecon#1658](#)
 - › And *some* similarities between ImagingTopocluster and CalorimeterIslandCluster
 - Some areas we might be able to improve
 - › Eg. CalorimeterTruthClustering might need an update (cf. [EICrecon#2072](#))
- **So now starting inventory of clustering**
 - ☞ Building on some slides I did for the June ORNL Calorimeter workfest (in backup)

Clustering Inventory | First Steps (2/2)



Algorithm	Description
Island Clustering	Clusters hits into continuous deposits of energy; incl. distance metric, adjacency matrix, and cluster splitting
Imaging Topocluster	Clusters hits into continuous deposits of energy across several layers; incl. distance metric
HEXPLIT	Divides hits into sub-hits based on overlap in previous layers
Truth Clustering	Groups reconstructed hits by contributions' MC particles
Cluster Reco CoG	Calculates weighted sum of hit energy, barycenter
Cluster Shape Calculation	Calculates cluster radius, eccentricity, etc.
Imaging Cluster Reco	Calculates weighed sum of hit energy, barycenter across several layers
Energy-Position Merger	Merges energies of one set of clusters with positions of another
Truth Energy-Position Merger	Same as above, but with truth info
Track-Based Merge/Splitter (PF)	Merges nearby clusters if E/p with a matched track is below tolerance, splits clusters between multiple tracks if need be

Tracking | Could Talk Be Divided?



- Last portion of 1st day dedicated to discussion of systematics
 - Scheduled for Wednesday, September 17th at 3:15 pm UK time
 - Includes talk on tracking
 - › See agenda on left, and charge below
- **Would it make sense to move some of tracking talk to the reconstruction block?**

as you know, we are investigating possible sources of systematic uncertainty that we should account in the analyses. In order to evaluate them in the most educated way, we need your help.

Can you please help us with the following points/questions:

- Uncertainty on electron polar angle due to misalignment of detector planes.
- Uncertainties due to Material map.
- Are detector efficiencies correctly reproduced by current simulation? Do they account for Impact of Noise, beam backgrounds?
- Reconstruction code efficiency for raw yield.

	Follow up on electron reconstruction	Win Lin
		13:40 - 14:00
14:00	Secondary Vertexing	Bishoy Dongwi et al.
		14:00 - 14:20
	Reconstruction Priorities Discussion	Derek Anderson
		14:20 - 14:40
	Afternoon Break	
15:00		14:45 - 15:15
	Comments from inclusive plus BSM/EW	Juliette Mamméi et al.
		15:20 - 15:25
	Comments from SIDIS	Anselm Vossen et al.
		15:25 - 15:30
	Comments from Exclusive, Diffractive and Tagging	Stephen Kay et al.
		15:30 - 15:35
	Comments from Jets and HF	Rongrong Ma et al.
		15:35 - 15:40
	Luminosity Monitor	Alex Smith
		15:40 - 16:00
16:00	Advice from tracking	Shujie Li
		16:00 - 16:25
	Discussion	
		16:25 - 17:00
17:00		



Calorimeter Reconstruction Inventory

ORNL Calorimeter Workfest

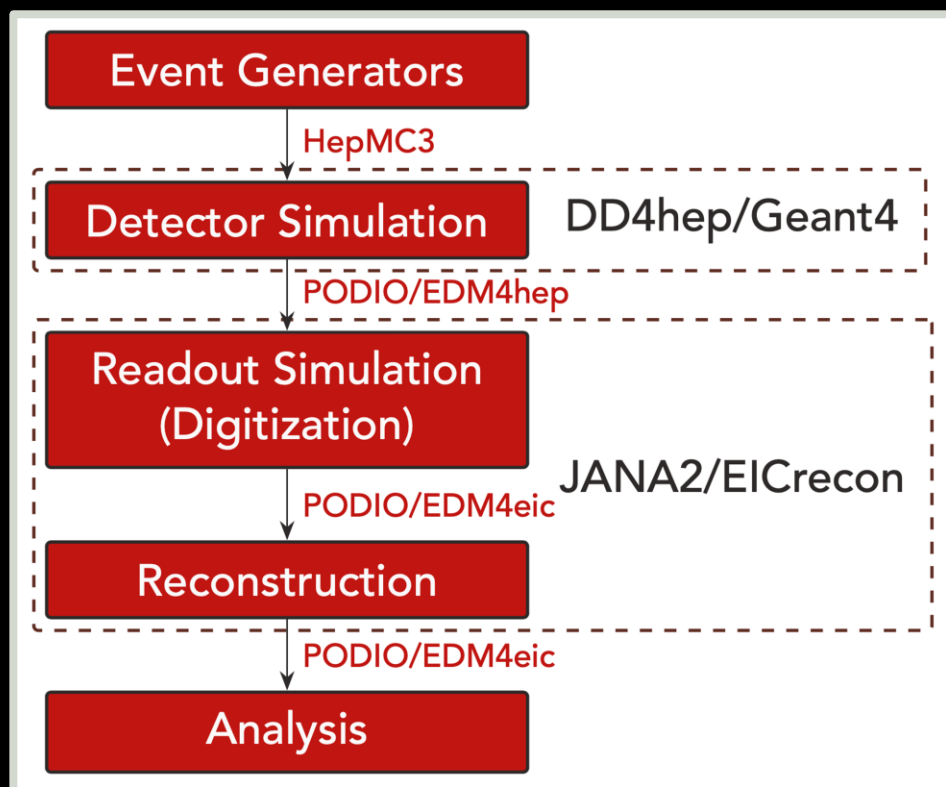
Derek Anderson (ISU)

June 4th, 2025





Overview | EICrecon Structure



From [Dima's slides](#) on 06.02

Algorithms

- Process data
- As generic as possible
 - › not constrained to a particular geometry or detector
- Aim for minimal dependencies
 - › e.g. JANA2 independence required

Data Model

- EDM4eic + EDM4hep, managed by PODIO
- Defines overall flow of simulation + reconstruction

Factories

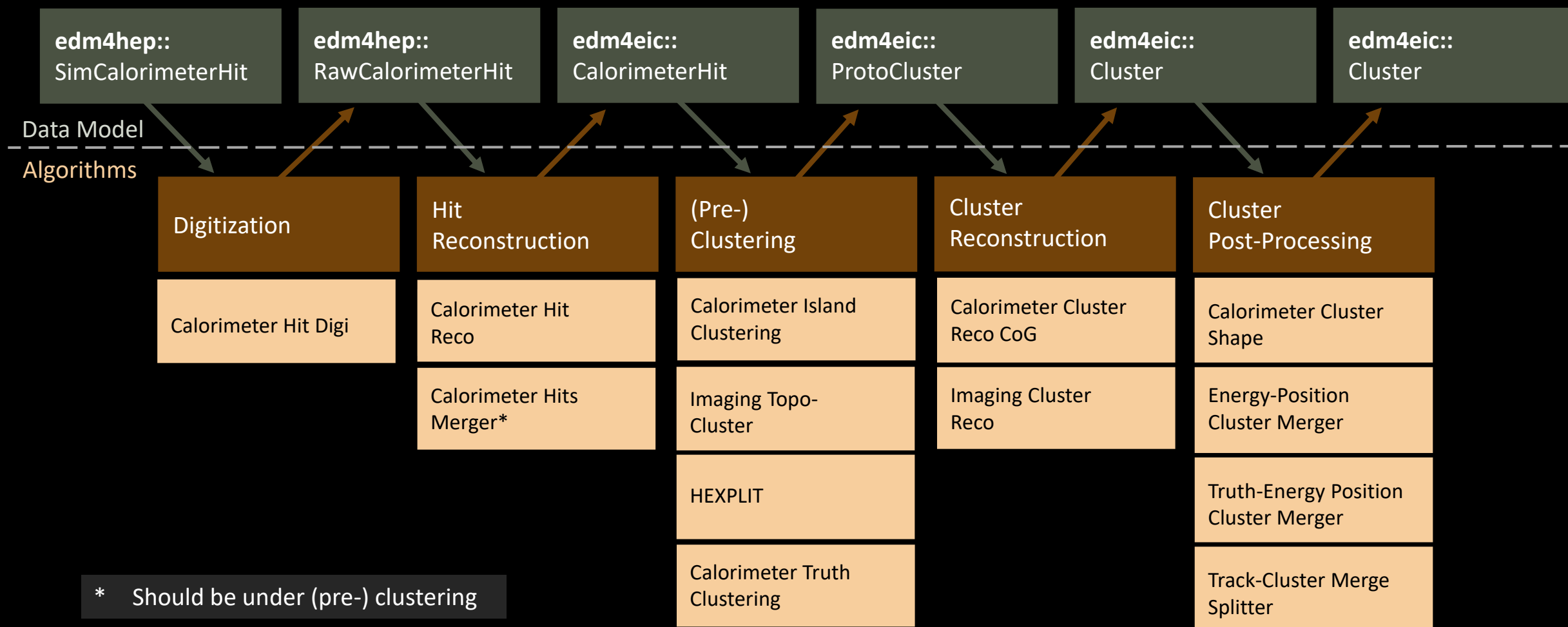
- Lightweight interface between interface between an algorithm and JANA2

Plugin

- Defines what sequence of algorithms (incl. parameters + inputs/outputs) to run
- Currently grouped into 2 categories
 - › **detector**: NHCAL, FHCAL, BHCAL, EEEMCAL, BIC, etc.
 - › **global**: tracking, event-wise PID, particle reco



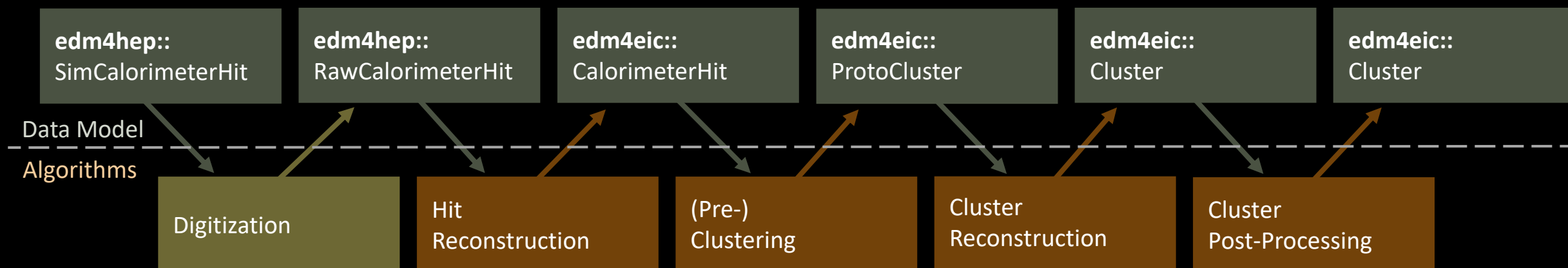
Overview | General Calorimeter Workflows



* Should be under (pre-) clustering



Algorithm Details | Digitization



Calorimeter Hit Digi: used by every calorimeter

Gist

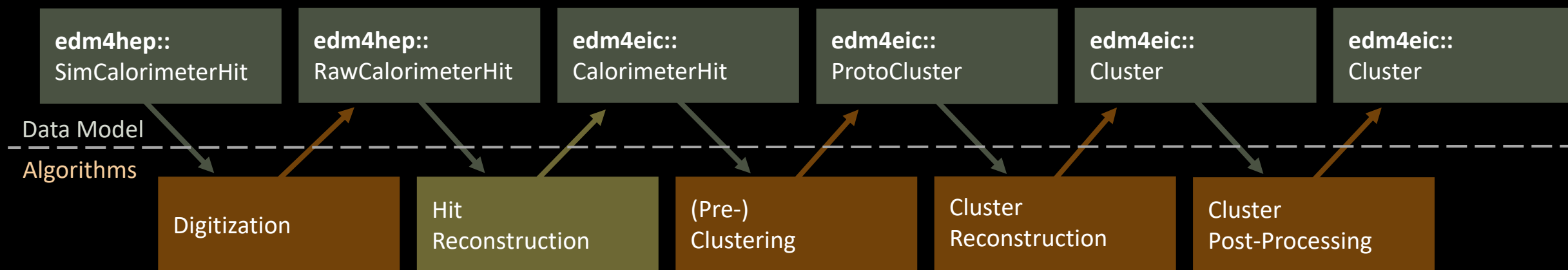
1. Sums hits over specified fields
2. Smears summed energy by parameterized resolution & converts to ADC
3. Determines & smears time of hit

Inputs/Outputs

- **Inputs:**
 - › SimCalorimeterHit
- **Outputs:**
 - › RawCalorimeterHit,
 - › Sim-RawCalorimeterHit Association



Algorithm Details | Hit Reconstruction



Calorimeter Hit Reco: used by every calorimeter

Gist

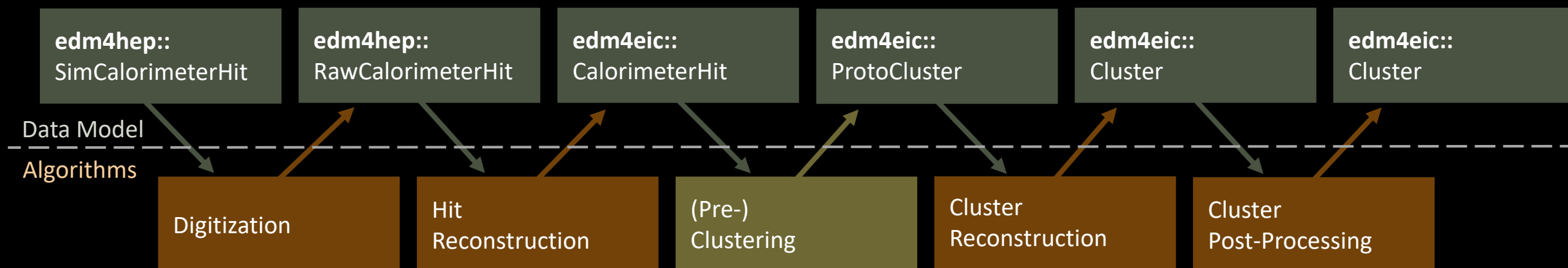
1. Convert ADC value to energy & TDC to time
2. Can be used to mock-up dead channels by adjusting sampling fraction

Inputs/Outputs

- **Inputs:**
 - › RawCalorimeterHit
- **Outputs:**
 - › CalorimeterHit



Algorithm Details | (Pre-) Clustering (1/5)



Calorimeter Hits Merger: used by NHCal, BHCal (sort of), FHCal Insert

Gist

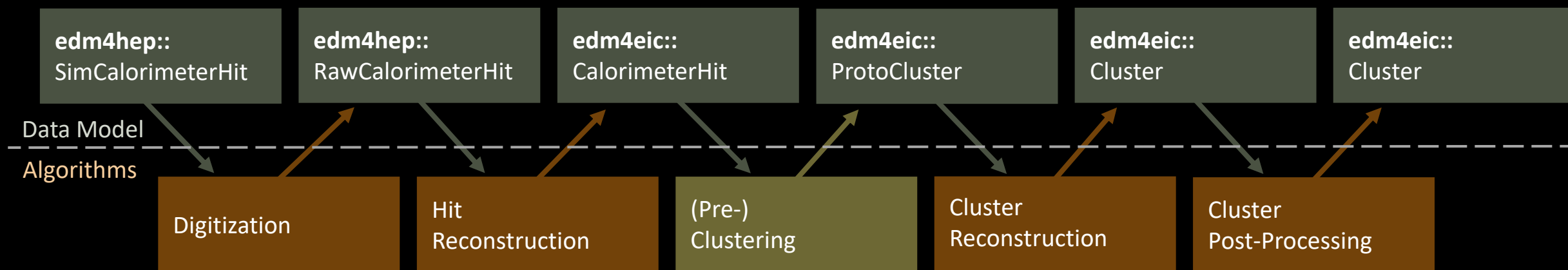
1. Merges rec calo hits based on provided transformations
2. Energy is summed, and hit position/relations set to that of "reference cell"

Inputs/Outputs

- **Inputs:**
 - › CalorimeterHit
- **Outputs:**
 - › CalorimeterHit



Algorithm Details | (Pre-) Clustering (2/5)



Calorimeter Island Clustering: used by every calorimeter except BIC (Imaging)

Gist

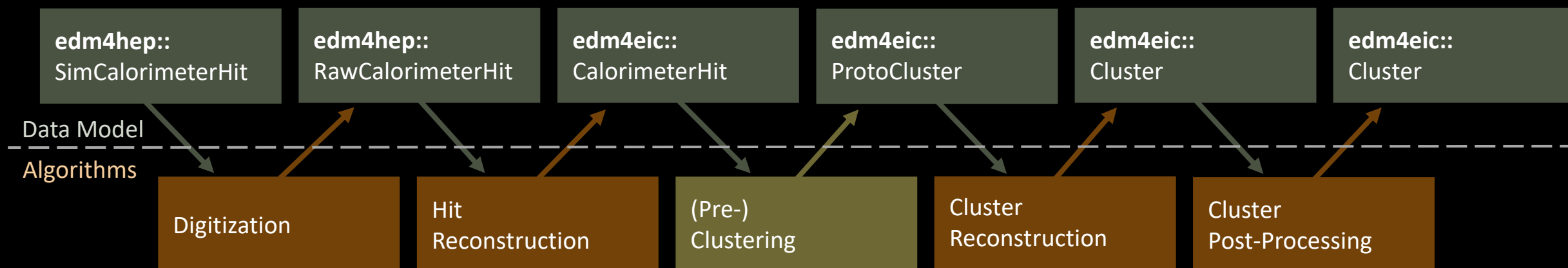
1. Combines hits into continuous deposits of energy
2. Identifies neighbors based on either selected distance metrics or based on “adjacency matrix” (cell ID comparisons)

Inputs/Outputs

- **Inputs:**
 - › CalorimeterHit
- **Outputs:**
 - › ProtoCluster



Algorithm Details | (Pre-) Clustering (3/5)



Imaging Topo Cluster: used by BIC, FHCAL Insert, ZDC (HCal)

Gist

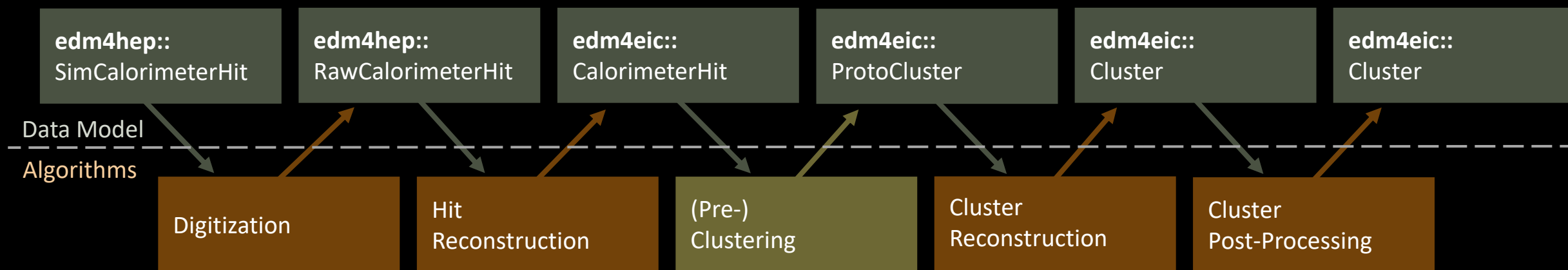
1. Combines hits into continuous deposits of energy across layers of a radially segmented calo
2. Identifies neighbors based on selected distance metric
3. Likely can merge with island clustering...

Inputs/Outputs

- **Inputs:**
 - › CalorimeterHit
- **Outputs:**
 - › ProtoCluster



Algorithm Details | (Pre-) Clustering (4/5)



HEXPLIT: used by FHCAL Insert, ZDC (HCal)

Gist

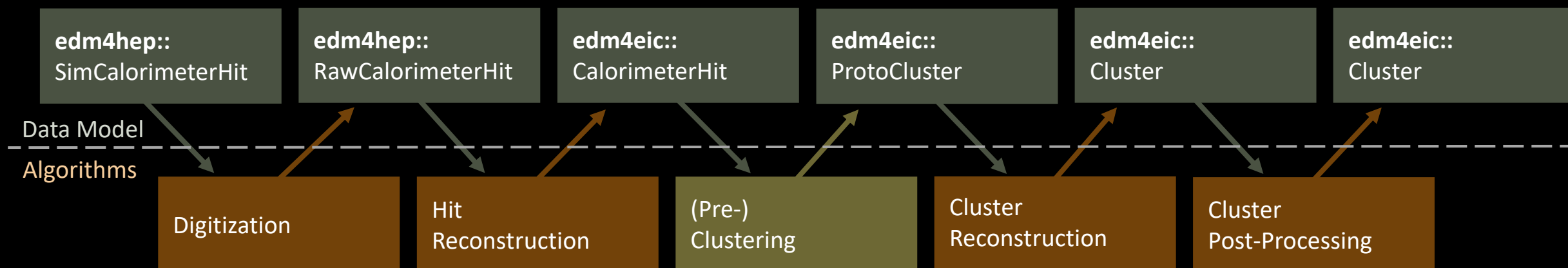
1. Divides hits into “subhits” based on the overlap of hits in previous layers
2. Divides energy proportional to overlap

Inputs/Outputs

- **Inputs:**
 - › CalorimeterHit
- **Outputs:**
 - › CalorimeterHit



Algorithm Details | (Pre-) Clustering (5/5)



Calorimeter Truth Clustering: used by every calorimeter

Gist

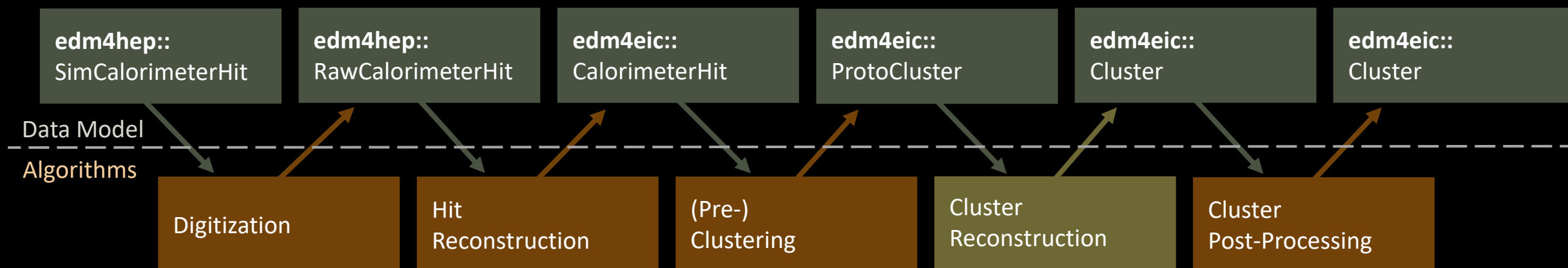
1. Groups hits into clusters based on “first” contributing particle
 - ☞ Nominally should get a cluster of all hits caused by particle
2. Needs update to match how sim-rec associations are handled

Inputs/Outputs

- **Inputs:**
 - › CalorimeterHit
 - › SimCalorimeterHit
- **Outputs:**
 - › ProtoCluster



Algorithm Details | Cluster Reconstruction (1/2)



Calorimeter Cluster Reco CoG: used by every calorimeter except BIC (Imaging)

Gist

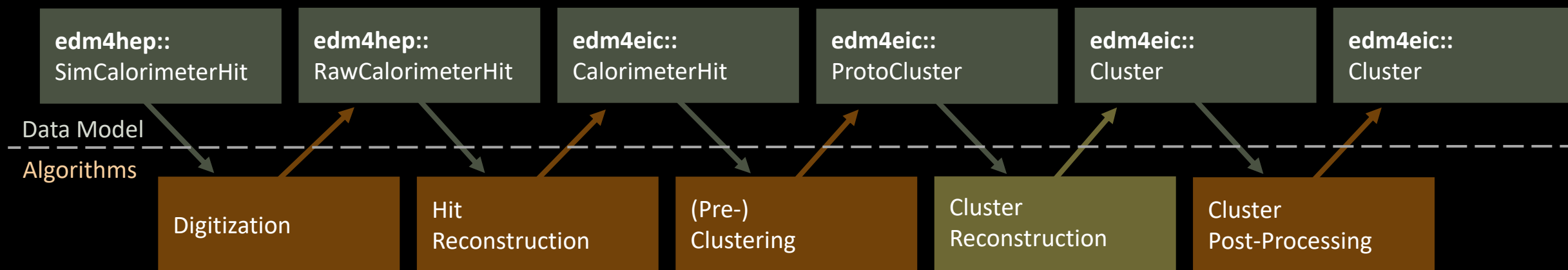
1. Reconstructs cluster w/ energy set to be weighted sum of hits
2. Position set to be barycenter of cluster using selected weighting scheme
3. Associates cluster to primary particles

Inputs/Outputs

- **Inputs:**
 - › ProtoCluster
 - › Sim-Rec Hit Associations
- **Outputs:**
 - › Cluster
 - › Sim-Rec Cluster Assoc.s



Algorithm Details | Cluster Reconstruction (2/2)



Imaging Cluster Reco: used by BIC

Gist

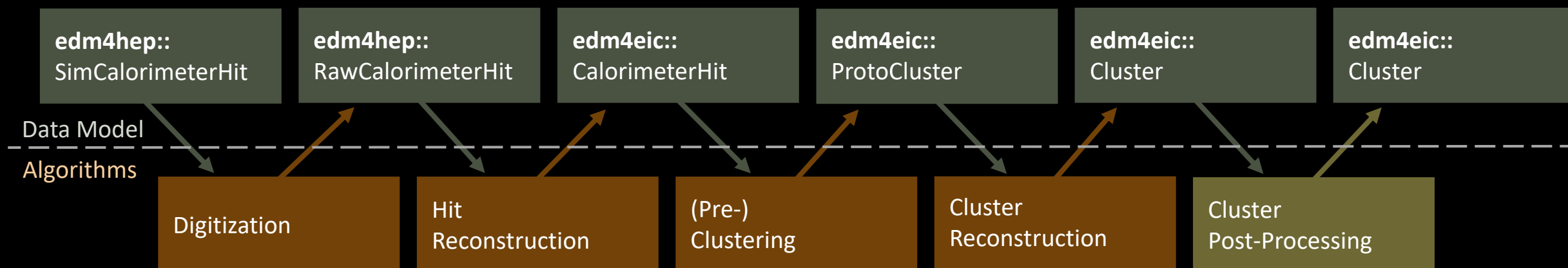
1. Same functionality as Cluster Reco CoG
2. But also performs weighted sum/barycenter calculation over all hits in a given layer of a radially segmented calorimeter

Inputs/Outputs

- **Inputs:**
 - › ProtoCluster
 - › Sim-Rec Hit Associations
- **Outputs:**
 - › Cluster (x2)
 - › Sim-Rec Cluster Assoc.s



Algorithm Details | Cluster Post-Processing (1/4)



Calorimeter Cluster Shape: used by every calorimeter

Gist

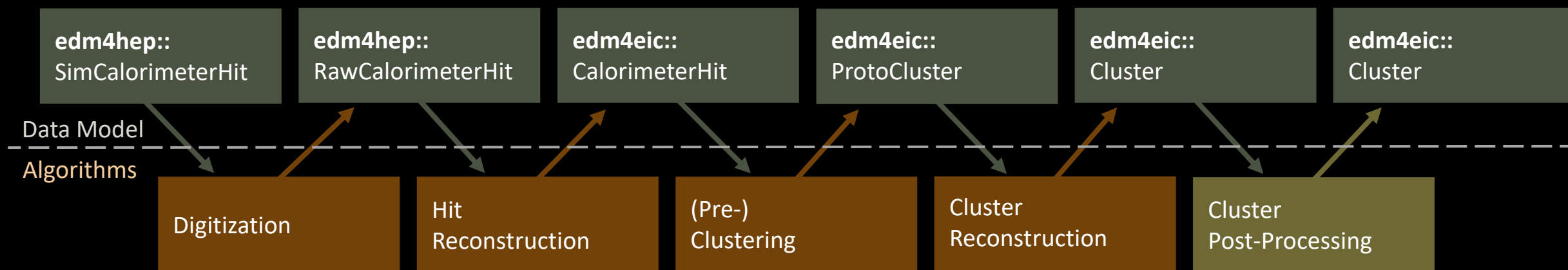
1. Computes cluster shapes (radius, eccentricity, etc.) on reconstructed clusters
2. Outputs copy of clusters + associations but now with shapes

Inputs/Outputs

- **Inputs:**
 - › Cluster
 - › Sim-Rec Cluster Assoc.s
- **Outputs:**
 - › Cluster
 - › Sim-Rec Cluster Assoc.s



Algorithm Details | Cluster Post-Processing (2/4)



Energy-Position Cluster Merger: used by BIC

Gist

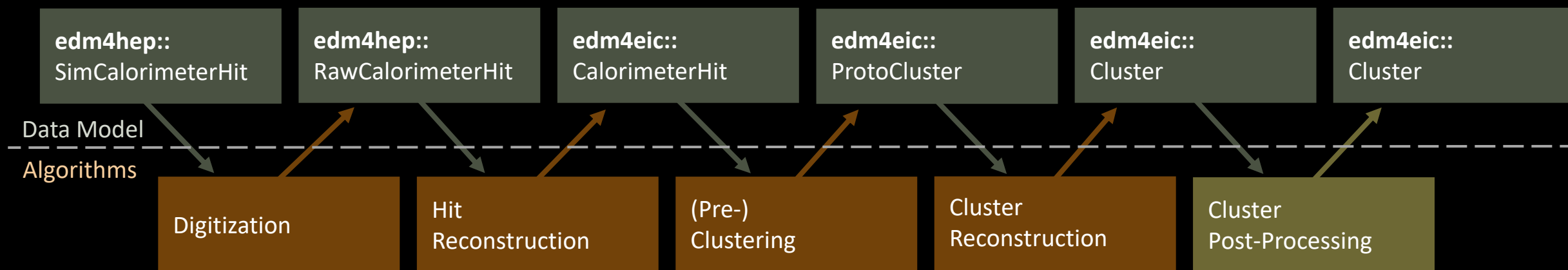
1. Merges energy of a cluster with the position of another
2. Clusters matched based on eta-phi distance

Inputs/Outputs

- **Inputs:**
 - › Cluster (x2)
 - › Sim-Rec Cluster Assoc.s (x2)
- **Outputs:**
 - › Cluster
 - › Sim-Rec Cluster Assoc.s



Algorithm Details | Cluster Post-Processing (3/4)



Truth Energy-Position Cluster Merger: used by BIC

Inputs/Outputs

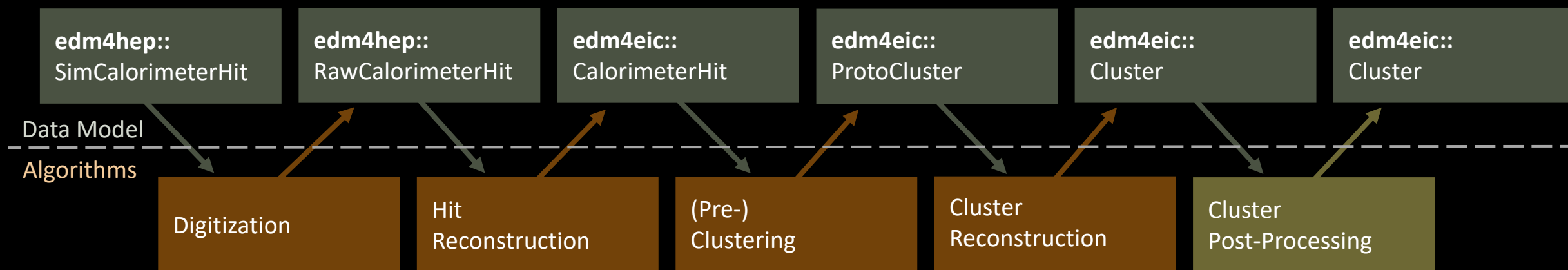
- **Inputs:**
 - › MC particles
 - › Cluster (x2)
 - › Sim-Rec Cluster Assoc.s (x2)
- **Outputs:**
 - › Cluster
 - › Sim-Rec Cluster Assoc.s

Gist

1. Same as previous energy-position cluster merger, but does so based on truth information



Algorithm Details | Cluster Post-Processing (4/4)



Track-Cluster Merge/Splitter: used by NHCAL, EEEMCAL, BHCAL, LFHCAL, FEMC

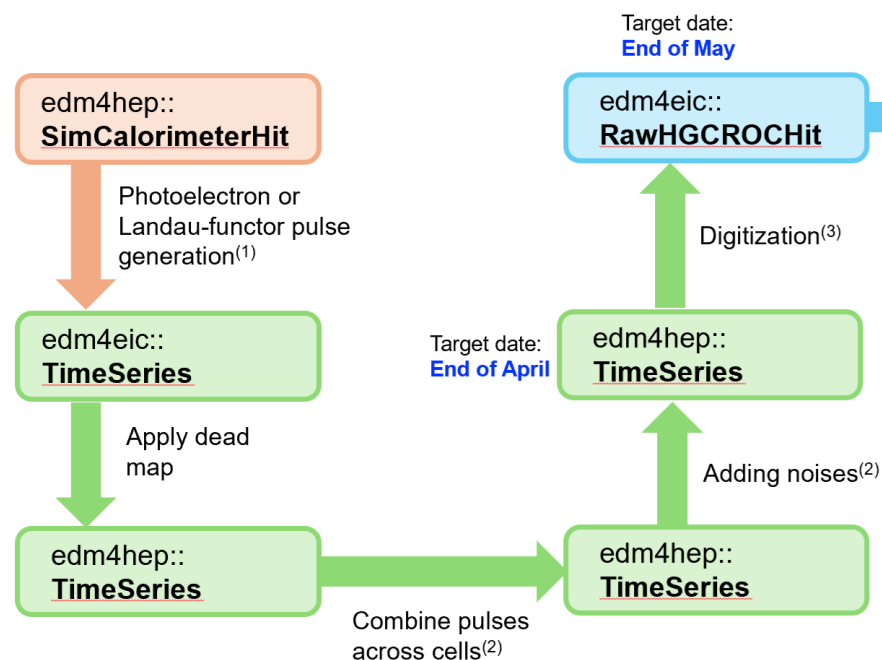
Gist

1. Sums all clusters within a provided window based on if E/p of projected track falls within provided tolerance
2. Then divides clusters if multiple tracks pointing to same one
 - ☞ Energy attenuated proportional to track momentum

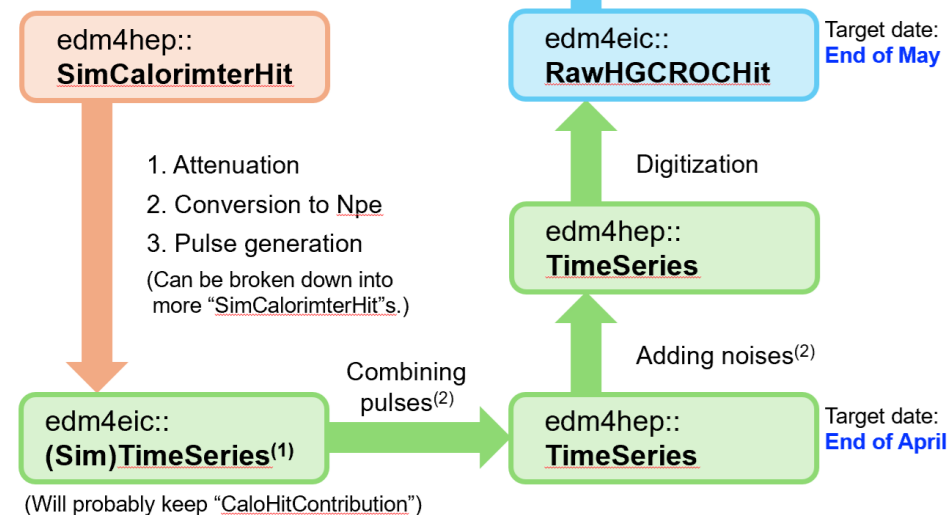
Inputs/Outputs

- **Inputs:**
 - › ProtoCluster
 - › TrackSegment
- **Outputs:**
 - › ProtoCluster

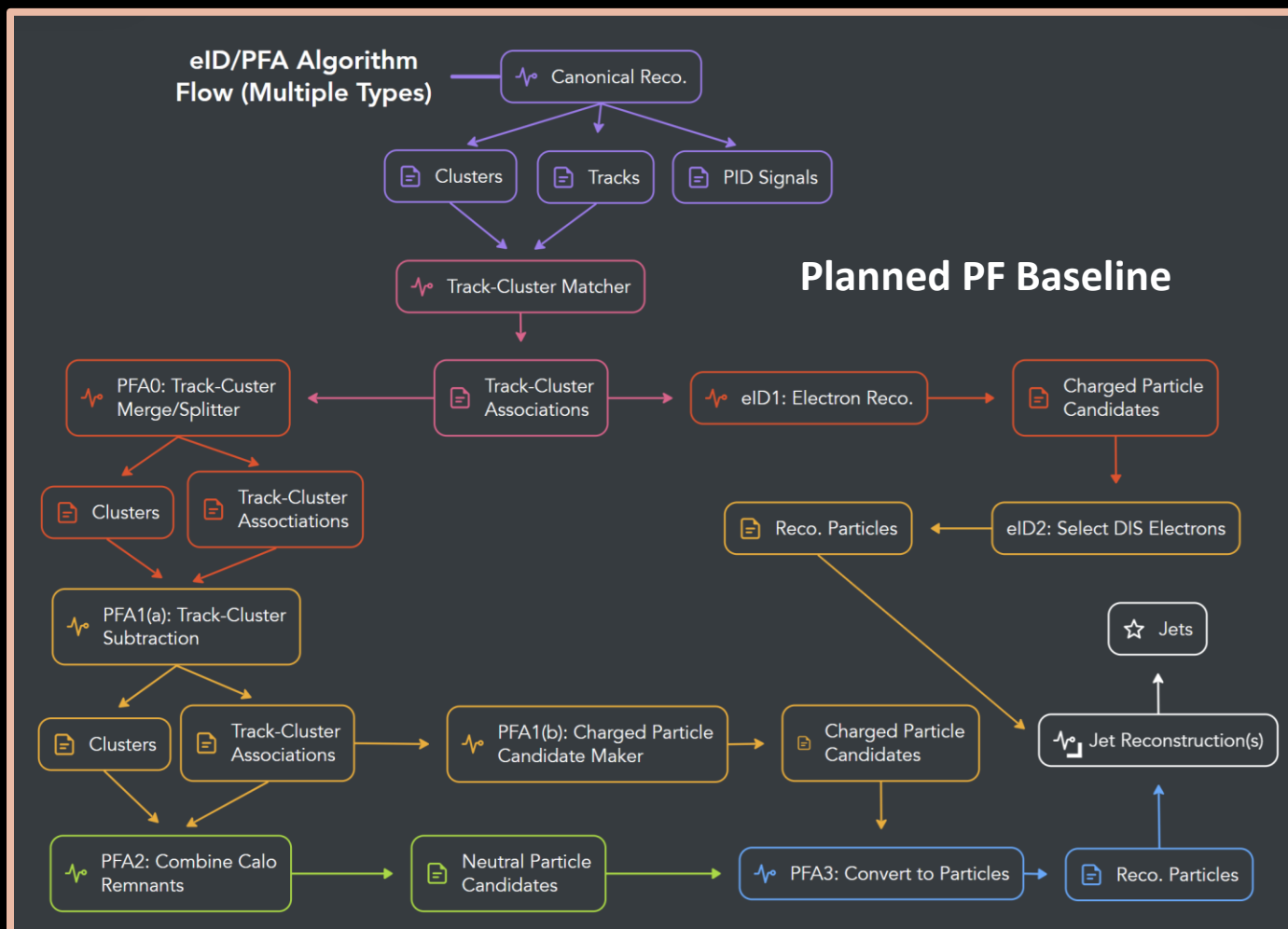
Ongoing Work | Enhancing Digitization



Planned BIC Digitization Chain



Ongoing Work | Particle Flow





Thanks!

