## **Clustering in the calorimeter for PFA**

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### Introduction

- Primarily interested in exploring the digital hadron calorimeter option in general, with scintillator as the active material in particular.
- For digital algorithms and results for single particles, Refer to talks given at the LDC meeting: Paris, Jan 2005.
- Results are preliminary.

# Particle-Flow Algorithm (PFA)

- Charged particles in a jet are more precisely measured in the tracker
- A typical jet consists of:
  - 64% charged particles,
  - 24% photons,
  - 11% neutral hadrons.
- Use tracker for charged,
- Calorimeter for neutrals only.
- Must be able to separate charged particle energy clusters from neutrals inside a jet in calorimeter

 $\Rightarrow$  need fine 3d granularity.



# The "SD" calorimeter

#### ECal:

- 30 layers, silicon-tungsten.
- 5mm x 5mm transverse segmentation.
- HCal:

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- 34 layers, scintillator-steel
- Transverse segmentation varied from 2 to 16 cm<sup>2</sup> (average in a projective geometry).
- Magnetic field: 5T
- Support structures, cracks, noise, x-talk, attenuation, inefficiencies,... not modelled.

# **Clustering (reported in past)**

- Seeds: maxima in local density:  $d_i = \Sigma (1/R_{ii})$
- Membership of each cell in the seed clusters decided with a distance function.
- Only unique membership considered.
- Calculate centroids.
- Iterate till stable within tolerance.

## **Separability of clusters**



### Separability of clusters (contd.)

where  $S_w = S_i W_i S_i$   $S_j = \text{covariance matrix for cluster } c_i (\text{in } x, y, z)$   $W_j = \text{weight of } c_j (\text{choose your scheme})$  $S_m = \text{covariance matrix w.r.t. global mean}$ 

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## **Two (parallel)** $\pi^+$ 's in TB sim:



#### Two (parallel) π<sup>+</sup>'s in TB prototype sim: separability (J) vs. track distance for different cell sizes

![](_page_8_Figure_1.jpeg)

### **Another measure of separability**

 $B = a (\mu_i - \mu_k)^T (\{S_i + S_k\}/2)^{-1} (\mu_i - \mu_k) + b \ln\{(|(S_i + S_k)|/2)(|S_i||S_k|)^{-\frac{1}{2}}\}$ 

a,b > 0.
μ<sub>i</sub> = mean, S<sub>i</sub> = covariance of *i*-th cluster
1 st term: separation due to mean difference,
2nd term: separation due to covariance
difference

#### Two (parallel) $\pi^+$ 's in TB sim: separability (*B*) vs. track distance for different cell sizes

![](_page_10_Figure_1.jpeg)

### DHCal: Particle-flow algorithm (NIU)

E/Eaen E/Egen 2 Nominal SD 80- $\Sigma^+ \rightarrow p\pi^0$ geometry. Density-weighted clustering. 66-60. Track momentum **PFA** for charged, Cal only Calorimeter E for 20neutral particles. 10+

### DHCal: Particle-flow algorithm (NIU) Photon Reconstruction inside jets

#### Excellent agreement with Monte Carlo truth:

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### DHCal: Particle-flow algorithm (NIU) Reconstructed jet resolution

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## PFA Jet Reconstruction summary (past)

- Cone clustering in the calorimeters,
- Flexible definition of weight (energy- or density-based),
- Generalizable to form "proto-cluster" inputs for higher-level algorithms.
- Replace cal clusters with matching MC track, if any.
- Based on projective geometry.
- New clustering algorithms taking shape.

## **Current approach**

- Detector geometry optimization
- Need to make sure that one is not studying the systematics of a particular algorithm
- Develop a suite of algorithms whose common performance features could be used as a guide to detector optimization
- Just starting....

## **Algorithm essence**

Define neighborhood for a cell Calculate neighbor density D for each cell i  $\blacksquare$  If(D<sub>i</sub>==0)? else calculate  $(D_i - D_i)/d_{ii}$ where j is in the neighborhood

find max []

# Algorithm essence (contd.)

If max[] is -ve i starts a new cluster if max[] is +ve i is the parent of i if max[] == 0avoid circular loop attach to nearest j

### Single hadrons

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### Z→qq Events

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## The confusion term

- Internal to calorimeter.
- Reconstruct "gen" and "rec" clusters,
- A "gen" cluster is a collection of cells which are attached to a particular MCparticle. All detector effects are included in this cluster.
- Find centroids and match to nearest "rec" cluster, making sure that no cluster gets associated twice.
- Somewhat conservative.

## Z→qq Events

 Calculate E/Egen for each generated cluster
 Enter into histogram with weight Egen/Etotal.

![](_page_22_Picture_2.jpeg)

# **Objective goal**

We should try to factorize algorithms so the higher level ones are as independent of hardware choices as possible. Interface design started.

- This is crucial for testing of ideas across detector designs.
- It is also important for international cooperation on algorithm development.

# Work in progress

- Generalized "proto-clusters" to absorb geometry & technology details,
- Interfaces to existing pieces of code so they can be serialized in a standard manner (clean-up/ refactorization with better OO design).

# Work in progress

- Building a framework to facilitate algorithm and detector performance & geometry optimization studies.
- A number of algorithms coded, detailed evaluation underway.
- Expect to make substantial progress by Snowmass '05.