Developing reconstruction algorithms for Hyper-Kamiokande

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HK data accessibility

HK simulated data are natively available as ROOT files which require the compilation and installation of several analysis libraries.

I developed a simplified file format based on pandas dataframes to make HK simulated data Immediately available without any dependency from the HK codebase, for our internal uses.

I generated 100k electron gun events (vertex distribution homogeneus up to 1m from the Inner Detector Wall, direction isotropic, Kinetic Energy between 0 MeV and 1000 MeV).

Processed files in the new format are available here for Emanuele: /lustrehome/nfcalabria/shared/100k ranvtx ranmom 0 1000 pandas

An example script to read them is:

/lustrehome/nfcalabria/shared/read_pandas.py

If you have a ReCaS account and you are interested in accessing those files, just let me know and I'll add your username to the ACL!

Our data format

Each file contains 6 pandas dataframes:

pmts: one row per 20-inch Photomultiplier Tube (PMT). Row index identifies the pmt, it is referenced by hits column id. Columns: x, y, z: Position of the PMT (cm) dir_x, dir_y, dir_z: Direction of the PMT sensitive surface as a unitary vector. cyl_loc: location of the PMT: 0 (top cap), 1 (barrel), 2 (bottom cap)

mpmts: same as pmts, but for 3-inch PMTs

evts: list of events. Row index is referenced by hits column evt_key. Columns:

nevt, **run**: this pair identifies an event inside the file.

ntrigger: one row per trigger. Each event is divided in triggers. In this production it's always 0 (only one subevent)

hits: list of hit 20-inch PMT information. Columns:

id: references pmts dataframe row index

charge: charge collected **time:** time of detection

evt_key: references evts dataframe row index

hits2: same as hits, but for 3-inch PMTs

tracks: one row per true Monte-Carlo track. Columns:

nevt, run: the event which this true track belongs to

PID: particle type GEANT code (https://pdg.lbl.gov/2007/reviews/montecarlorpp.pdf)

id, parent_id: track id and in case of decay parent track id (root track has id == 0)

x, y, z: vertex of track (cm)

dir_x, dir_y, dir_z: direction of initial particle momentum as a unitary vector
mom: momentum (MeV)

Event display

The script file read_pandas contains a basic 3-D event display.

Instantiate reader with:

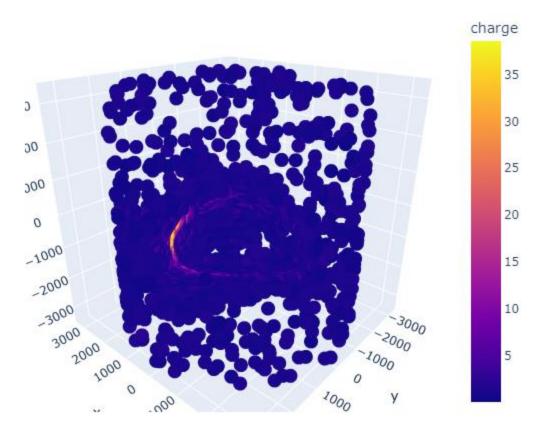
reader = HKPandasReader(file_path)

Draw charge of hit 20-inch PMTs of event (nevt, run) reader.plotEventPmtCharge(nevt, run)

Draw time of hit 20-inch PMTs of event (nevt, run) reader.plotEventPmtTime(nevt, run)

Draw charge of hit 3-inch PMTs of event (nevt, run) reader.plotEventMPmtCharge(nevt, run)

Draw time of hit 3-inch PMTs of event (nevt, run) reader.plotEventMPmtTime(nevt, run)



Current research topics on reconstruction in HK

- Port fiTQun, max-likelihood based algorithm, to HK
- Research on Convolutional Neural Networks (CNN) for reconstuction, mainly ResNet
- Research on Graph Neural Networks (GNN)