The DQM4hep project.

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Data quality monitoring software

in a nutshell ...

Main goals of DQM systems in HEP

- Evaluate data quality and alert users of possible anomalies
 - Are the data what you expect ?
 - Are the data comparable to a previous set of data ?
 - Online: quick feedback from (sub) detector
- Online and offline monitoring
 - Distributed system (TCP/IP)
 - Qtest automation
 - Event display
 - Visualization interface (Desktop, Web)

Data is the central concept in such systems. But ...

- Existing framework highly dependent on event data model
- Leads to duplicated software
- ullet Test-beam setup o ad-hoc software solution

Development of a generic DQM software for any HEP experiment



The DQM4hep framework

Central ideas

Plugin system

- User's logic encapsulated in Plugins
- Plugin libraries loaded at runtime
 ⇒ Plug user's logic in the framework
- Plugin is non-intrusive
 - No class inheritance
 - No in-class definition (e.g ClassDef)

Abstract event data model (EDM)

- ullet No event data model o abstracted and user defined
- Event streamer implemented as Plugins

Online analysis framework fully based on astract EDM and plugin system!



The DQM4hep framework

Online VS offline

Online

- Interface to DAQ systems
 - DAQ data transfert (EventSource and EventStreamer)
 - DAQ run control commands/state/config (RunControlInterface)
- Online data processing
 - DAQ data monitoring (AnalysisModule)
 - Slow control monitoring (StandaloneModule)
 - DAQ data re-processing from file (EventReader)

Offline

- · General purpose data monitoring
 - Data quality assertion and reporting (qtest, qreport)
 - Comparison with reference data (Chi2, Kolmogorov, etc...)
- + common visualization tools



The DQM4hep building blocks

Monitor elements and QTests

Monitor element

- Holds two TObject objects (ROOT)
 - The main monitor object: TH1, TGraph, scalars, etc ...
 - An optional reference object

Quality test

- Implements the logic to test a monitor element
- Output a quality report (quality, flag, message, ...)
- Examples:
 - Expect rms of distribution to be below a threshold
 - Fit a gaussian on a graph and check if mean is within range
 - Perform Kolmogorov/Pearson test using a reference



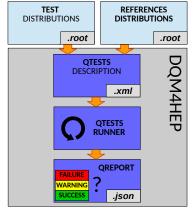
Assessing data quality

The quality test runner

- Runs a series of quality tests
- Output quality test reports
 - Shown in shell
 - Write in ison file
- XML input description
 - Configure quality tests to run
 - Describe monitor objects to read
 - Reference objects to attach (optional)
- Currently available gtests:
 - Kolmogorov test
 - Chi2 test
 - Exact ref compare test
 - Fit property within expected
 - Property below, within, above expected

Possible shell output:

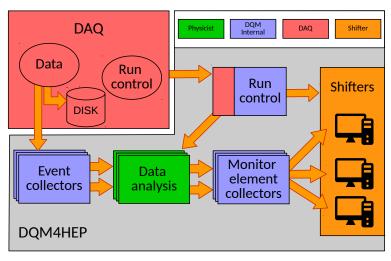
NAME	QTEST	STATUS	QUALITY	MESSAGE
DblGaus_Mean15_RMS2_RMS5	MeanAround15Short	SUCCESS	0.998484	Expected 15, got 15.0019
Gaus_Mean10_RMS2	MeanAround10Long	SUCCESS	0.997348	Expected 10, got 10.0133
Gaus_Mean10_RMS2_bck	MeanAround10Short	FAILURE	0.388153	Expected 10, got 5.6458





The DQM4hep online architecture

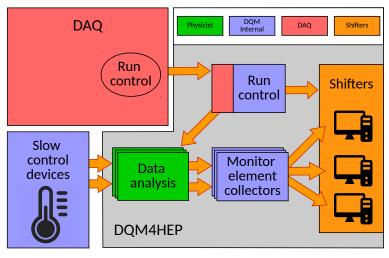
DAQ data monitoring





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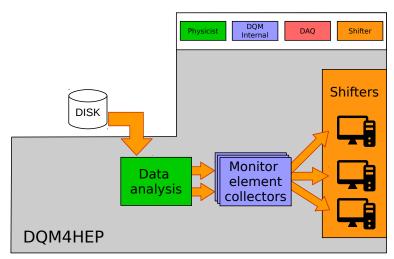
Slow control data monitoring





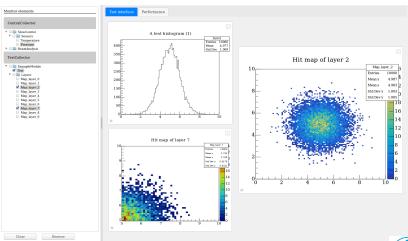
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Re-process DAQ data: file reader



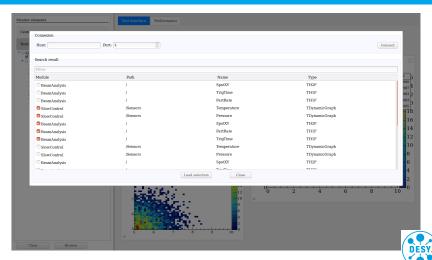


Web monitoring interface. Ongoing ...





Web monitoring interface browser. Ongoing ...



DQM4hep integration

Currently using DQM4hep

- CALICE SDHCAL online system
 - Hit map, GRPC HV/current, beam analysis, electronics performances
- CALICE AHCAL (quasi-)online system
 - Hit correlations, hit maps, SiPM currents, electronics performances

Future integration

- EUDAQ framework (+ beam telescopes)
- ILCSoft simulation data monitoring (Continuous integration)
- DREAM calorimeter (Dual-readout calorimeter)
- DAMIC experiment (Dark matter)



Ongoing work on software

Latest version is v01-04-04. Used as proof of principle.

But, suffers from many things:

- Link to DAQ run control not possible. Run started manually...
- Clumsy ROOT Qt plugin installation. ROOT full installation often needed
- No separation between online and offline tools. All are online somehow...

New version coming soon!

- Moved to web visualization tools (js + JSROOT)
- Link to DAQ run control finally implemented
- Packages split into more granular sub-packages
 - DQMCore, DQMNet, DQMOnline, DQMVisualization, etc...

Next big steps:

- EUDAQ interface (AIDA2020)
- DESY slow control (AIDA2020)



Conclusion and outlook

Conclusion:

- A generic DQM software solution is being developed
- The abstract event interface allows different experiment to use it
- · Prototypes/experiments already use it
 - CALICE SDHCAL
 - CALICE AHCAL
- Currently finishing last master-piece: the web monitoring

Outlook:

- Next major step is EUDAQ integration
 - Will bring a full community as new users!
- New integrations coming soon
 - DAMIC experiment (Dark matter)
 - DREAM Calorimeter
- Allways looking for new collaborations!



DQM4hep

URLs and contact

GitHub collaboration

https://github.com/dqm4hep

Documentation

doxygen https://dqm4hep.github.io/dqm4hep-doxygen/

Read the Docs http://dqm4hep.readthedocs.io/en/latest/

Slack channel (Announcements, help, management)

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Backups



The DQM4hep online system components

Provide monitoring of data recorded by the DAQ system.

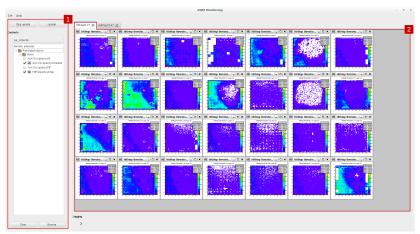
Basic sub-components:

- Run Control
 - → DQM application receiving commands/state/config from DAQ run control.
 - → Forward it to DQM applications
- Run Control Interface
 - ightarrow Interface to connect to DAQ run control, used by the DQM run control
- Event Streamer
 - → Convert DAQ event structure ↔ binary
- Event Source
 - → DQM component to be integrated into DAQ to send events to DQM
- Event Collector
 - → Collect events from event sources and re-distribute to DQM applications
- Module
 - \rightarrow Analyse data from DAQ or other data source (e.g slow control).
 - → Produces monitor elements and run quality tests
- Monitor Element Collector



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Old Qt4 GUI monitoring interface





Old Qt4 GUI monitoring browser

