Notes on the FSRoot Package

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Abstract

FSRoot is a set of utilities to help manipulate information about different Final States (FS) produced in particle physics experiments. The utilities are built around the CERN ROOT framework. This document provides an introduction to FSRoot.

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1 Installation and Initial Setup

Instructions for installation and initial setup:

- (1) Download the source:
 - > git clone https://github.com/remitche66/FSRoot.git FSRoot
- (2) Set the location of FSRoot in your login shell script (e.g. .cshrc):

```
setenv FSROOT [xxxxx]/FSRoot
```

(3) Also probably add the FSRoot directory to \$DYLD_LIBRARY_PATH and \$LD_LIBRARY_PATH. This allows you to compile code including FSRoot functions. For example:

```
setenv DYLD_LIBRARY_PATH $DYLD_LIBRARY_PATH\:$FSROOT
setenv LD_LIBRARY_PATH $LD_LIBRARY_PATH\:$FSROOT
```

(4) There is usually a .rootrc file in your home directory that ROOT uses for initialization. Add lines like these to .rootrc, which tell ROOT the location of FSRoot:

```
Unix.*.Root.DynamicPath: .:$(FSROOT):$(ROOTSYS)/lib:
Unix.*.Root.MacroPath: .:$(FSROOT):
```

(5) Now when you open ROOT, the FSRoot utilities should be loaded and compiled – you should see a message saying "Loading the FSRoot Macros" along with the output of the compilation. The loading and compiling is done in the file rootlogon.C. This file also sets up default styles, which are not essential. Since these might conflict with styles you have defined elsewhere, it could be worthwhile to tweak or remove these.

2 Basic Operations: the FSBasic directory

2.1 Basic Conventions

Some FSRoot operations on variables within a ROOT TTree assume a particular format within the tree.

Four-vectors are assumed to take the form:

```
[AB]EnP[CD], [AB]PxP[CD], [AB]PyP[CD], [AB]PzP[CD]
```

where [CD] is a particle label (often "1", "2", "3", "2a", etc., but also "CM" or "B" or other) and [AB] labels the type of four-vector (for example, "R" for raw or "K" for kinematically fit or "MC" for Monte Carlo, etc.). The FSRoot code does not assume anything about the conventions for [AB] – they can be anything up to two characters long (or nothing). The final state utilities described in Sec. 3 require the final state particles appear in a given order and assume a numbering convention for [CD], described in Sec. 3.1. The utilities described in this section do not assume a specific form for [CD] – they can be anyting one or two characters long (but not empty).

Variable names for run numbers, event numbers, and the χ^2/dof from a kinematic fit are also hardcoded in a very limited number of places (like in the functions that rank combinations within an event by χ^2/dof described in Sec. 3.5):

```
Run, Event, Chi2DOF
```

Maybe a future version of FSRoot could make these formats customizable.

2.2 Basic Histogram Utilities: the FSHistogram class

Basic histogram functions are provided by the FSHistogram class in the FSBasic directory. Like many other functions within FSRoot, the functions within the FSHistogram class are static member functions, so there is never a need to deal with instances of FSHistogram.

The basic functionality is through the FSHistogram::getTH1F and FSHistogram::getTH2F classes. Here are example uses that can be run from either the ROOT command line or from a macro (see Examples/Intro/intro.C). The first draws a 1d histogram and the second draws a 2d histogram. The third argument is the variable to plot; the fourth holds the number of bins and bounds.

Cuts can be added in the fifth argument:

The variable and cut arguments can contain shortcuts. For example, MASS(I,J) is expanded into the total invariant mass of particles I and J, where I and J are not necessarily numbers (they are the [CD] in Sec. 2.1). Characters in front of MASS (for example) are prepended to the variable names (the [AB] in Sec. 2.1). This is all done in the function FSTree::expandVariable, which can also be used on its own to explicitly see what it is doing. See FSTree::expandVariable for more options beyond MASS (for example, RECOILMASS, MOMENTUM, COSINE, etc.). Examples:

Histograms are automatically cached so they are made only once. To save histograms at the end of a session, use the function:

```
> FSHistogram::dumpHistogramCache();
```

To read in the cache at the beginning of a session:

```
> FSHistogram::readHistogramCache();
```

To clear a cache from memory during a session:

```
> FSHistogram::clearHistogramCache();
```

To see more verbose output during a session:

```
> FSControl::DEBUG = true;
```

2.3 Basic Tree Utilities the FSTree class

The FSTree class is also located in the FSBasic directory and provides basic utilities to operate on trees. Besides the static FSTree::expandVariable member function mentioned in Sec. 2.2, the most useful function is for skimming trees. For example:

This will take the tree named inputTreeName from the file inputFileName, loop over all events and select only those that pass the cut on Chi2DOF, then output the selected events to the file named outputFileName in a tree with the same name as the input tree. The shortcuts mentioned in Sec 2.2 can also be used here, for example:

3 Final State Operations: the FSMode directory

3.1 Mode Numbering and Conventions

```
A "final state" (also called "mode") is made from a combination of: \Lambda(\to p\pi^-), \bar{\Lambda}(\to \bar{p}\pi^+), e^+, e^-, \mu^+, \mu^-, p, \bar{p}, \eta(\to \gamma\gamma), \gamma, K^+, K^-, K^0_S(\to \pi^+\pi^-), \pi^+, \pi^-, \pi^0(\to \gamma\gamma).
```

As strings, these final state particles are given as: $\Lambda(\to p\pi^-) \equiv {\tt Lambda}, \ \bar{\Lambda}(\to \bar{p}\pi^+) \equiv {\tt ALambda}, \ e^+ \equiv {\tt e^+}, \ e^- \equiv {\tt e^-}, \ \mu^+ \equiv {\tt mu^+}, \ \mu^- \equiv {\tt mu^-}, \ p \equiv {\tt p^+}, \ \bar{p} \equiv {\tt p^-}, \ \eta(\to \gamma\gamma) \equiv {\tt eta}, \ \gamma \equiv {\tt gamma}, \ K^+ \equiv {\tt K^+}, \ K^- \equiv {\tt K^-}, \ K_S^0(\to \pi^+\pi^-) \equiv {\tt Ks}, \ \pi^+ \equiv {\tt pi^+}, \ \pi^- \equiv {\tt pi^-}, \ \pi^0(\to \gamma\gamma) \equiv {\tt pi0}.$

In a TTree, the final state particles should be listed in the order they are given above. The numbering for the [CD] (Sec. 2.1) starts at "1". For final state particles that decay $(\Lambda(\to p\pi^-) \equiv \text{Lambda}, \bar{\Lambda}(\to \bar{p}\pi^+) \equiv \text{ALambda}, \eta(\to \gamma\gamma) \equiv \text{eta}, K_S^0(\to \pi^+\pi^-) \equiv \text{Ks}, \pi^0(\to \gamma\gamma) \equiv \text{pi0}),$ the four-momenta of the decay particles are listed using "a" and "b" in the same order as above or ordered by energy for identical particles.

For example, for the final state $\gamma K^+ K_S^0 \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^- \pi^0$, the four-momenta are:

```
EnP1 PxP1 PyP1 PzP1
                          (for the gamma)
EnP2 PxP2 PyP2 PzP2
                          (for the K+)
EnP3 PxP3 PyP3 PzP3
                          (for the Ks)
EnP3a PxP3a PyP3a PzP3a
                          (for the pi+ from Ks)
EnP3b PxP3b PyP3b PzP3b
                          (for the pi- from Ks)
EnP4 PxP4 PyP4 PzP4
                          (for the pi+)
EnP5 PxP5 PyP5 PzP5
                          (for one pi-)
EnP6 PxP6 PyP6 PzP6
                          (for the other pi-)
EnP7 PxP7 PyP7 PzP7
                          (for the pi0)
                          (for the higher energy gamma from pi0)
EnP7a PxP7a PyP7a PzP7a
EnP7b PxP7b PyP7b PzP7b
                          (for the lower energy gamma from pi0)
```

Every final state can be specified in three different ways:

(1) pair<int,int> modeCode: a pair of two integers (modeCode1, modeCode2) that count the number of particles in a decay mode.

```
modeCode1 = abcdefg
    a = \# gamma
    b = \# K+
    c = \# K-
    d = \# Ks
    e = # pi+
    f = # pi-
    g = # pi0
modeCode2 = abcdefghi
    a = # Lambda
    b = # ALambda
    c = \# e +
    d = \# e -
    e = # mu +
    f = \# mu
    g = \# p+
    h = \# p-
    i = # eta
```

- (2) TString modeString: a string version of modeCode1 and modeCode2 in the format "modeCode2_modeCode1". It can contain a prefix (for example, "FS" or "EXC" or "INC" or anything longer) that isn't used here, but can help with organization elsewhere.
- (3) TString modeDescription: a string with a list of space-separated particle names (for example "K+ K- pi+ pi- pi-"). The final state particles can appear in any order.

```
For example, the final state \gamma K^+ K^0_S \pi^+ \pi^- \pi^- \pi^0 has modeCode1 = 1101121, modeCode2 = 0, modeString = "0_1101121", modeDescription = "gamma K+ Ks pi+ pi- pi- pi0".
```

3.2 Mode Information: the FSModeInfo class

Information about an individual final state is carried by the FSModeInfo class. Here are examples of a few of its basic member functions:

The FSModeInfo class also handles particle combinatorics within a given final state through the modeCombinatorics member function. This is done using placeholders like "[pi+]", "[pi-]", "[K+]", "[k+]", "[pi0]", etc., which are replaced by particle indices. While the modeCombinatorics function is rarely used explicitly by the user, it can be useful for cross-checking that the behavior of the combinatorics is what you want. For example:

The modeCuts member function uses the results of modeCombinatorics to combine combinatorics into a single string using the keywords "AND" and "OR":

```
> cout << mi.modeCuts("OR((ABC[K+]+DEF[K-])>0)") << end1;
    // ==> "(((ABC2+DEF4)>0)||((ABC3+DEF4)>0)||((ABC2+DEF5)>0)|"
> cout << mi.modeCuts("AND((ABC[K+]+DEF[K-])>0)") << end1;
    // ==> "(((ABC2+DEF4)>0)&&((ABC3+DEF4)>0)&&((ABC2+DEF5)>0))"
```

Note that most of the functionality of the FSModeInfo class is rarely used explicitly. It is more often combined with other functions and used in higher-level classes (like FSModeHistogram), often producing large strings (used only internally), like:

The FSModeInfo object also contains a list of "categories" that are used by the FSModeCollection class (next section) for organization. The display method shows information about a given mode, including a list of categories, some of which are added by default. In the following, the first use of display will show the default list of categories; the second will also show the added categories:

```
> mi.display();
  // ==>
               1_220111
                                      K- pi+ pi- pi0 eta
  // ==>
                             Hadronic HasGammas HasEtas HasKaons
  // ==>
                             HasPions HasPiOs 1Eta4K2Pi1PiO 8Body
  // ==>
                             4Gamma CODE=1_220111 CODE1=220111 CODE2=1
> mi.addCategory("TEST1");
> mi.addCategory("TEST2");
> mi.display();
  // ==>
               1_220111
                           K+ K+ K- K- pi+ pi- pi0
                             Hadronic HasGammas HasEtas HasKaons
  // ==>
                             HasPions HasPiOs 1Eta4K2Pi1PiO 8Body
  // ==>
                             4Gamma CODE=1_220111 CODE1=220111 CODE2=1
                             TEST1 TEST2
  // ==>
```

3.3 Collections of Modes: the FSModeCollection class

A list of final states (FSModeInfo objects) is managed by the FSModeCollection class. Every final state is associated with a list of "categories". The FSModeCollection class uses these categories to produce sublists.

- 3.4 Histograms for Multiple Modes: the FSModeHistogram class
- 3.5 Operations on Multiple Trees: the FSModeTree class
- 4 Fitting Utilities: the FSFit directory

The fitting utilities (contained in the directory FSFit) work, but are still under development. See the examples in the directory Examples/Fitting to get the general idea.