MCTruthClassifier

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#### Introduction

MCTruthClassifier is an athena tool to classify the truth particles according with their origin. Based on the truth particle classification the tool provides classification of Inner Detector and combined muon tracks, egamma electrons (including forward electrons), egamma photons and jets. The tool works with AOD or ESD formats.

# Truth particles classification

To classify truth particles the tool defines their origin and provide simple classification based on this. The following attributes are designated to each truth particle after classification:

- · the particle type
- · the particle origin
- the particle outcome process (or the particle final state).

The tool can be used to classify electrons, muons, taus and photons. Hadrons have their type classified as B-C-S-Light mesons or barions but no origin or outcome is provided. Neutrinos and nuclear fragments (pdgid >  $10^8$ ) are not classified. For these particles the tool just inform the user that the truth particle is hadron of a particular type, neutrino or nuclear fragment, but origin and outcome process are not defined. The particles with barcode > $10^6$  classified as none primary. All other particles classified as generator particles. The electrons, muons, taus and photons subdivided into three main categories:

- Isolated (or prompt) it is signal particle, for example electrons from Z boson decay Z->ee,
- None Isolated which originated from decay of the charmed or b-flavored mesons and baryons (as exception decay of J/ψ included)
- Background all the rest including bb and cc mesons decays

If the classification algorithm is failed or there is no original vertex, the particle is classified as Unknown (electron, muon, tau or photon). Here is an example how to use the tool for truth particles classification.

```
using namespace MCTruthPartClassifier;
// define output tool variable
std::pair<ParticleType,ParticleOrigin> res;
ParticleDef partDef;
for ( pitr = genEvent->particles_begin(); pitr != genEvent->particles_end(); ++pitr){
  const HepMC::GenParticle* thePart = (*pitr);
 // call truth particle classification
 res=m_truthClassifier->particleTruthClassifier(thePart);
 ParticleType iTypeOfPart = res.first;
 ParticleOrigin iPartOrig
                                = res.second;
 // define truth particle final state
 ParticleOutCome iPartOutCome = m_truthClassifier->getParticleOutCome();
 // just to print results
 std::cout<<" pdg "<<thePart->pdg_id()<<" particle type</pre>
                                                                 "<<partDef.sParticleType[iType0fPart]</pre>
                                         <<" particle origin
                                                                 "<<partDef.sParticleOrigin[iPartOrig]
                                         <<" particle outcome "<<partDef.sParticleOutCome[iPartOutCome]<<std::endl;</pre>
 // additional useful methods provided by tool
 // to get pointer to the mother
 HepMC::GenParticle* theMother = m_truthClassifier->getMother();
 // to get mother pdg id
 int motherPDG = m_truthClassifier->getMotherPDG();
 // to get mother barcode
 int motherBarcode = m_truthClassifier->getMotherBarcode();
} // end cycle for pitr
```

In case of  $\tau$  lepton additional method return to the user all particle in decay chain of  $\tau$  lepton (excluding photons conversions):

#### ID track classification

The ID track classification is based on element link between track and truth track which provided by athena. From the truth track the pointer to the truth particle can be defined. The method getGenPart(trkPntr) used to find truth particle associated with the track. In additional the tool checks  $\Delta R$  cone between the track and truth particle. For TRT only tracks, when  $\eta$  not measured the tool check  $\Delta \phi$ . The TRT only tracks defined as a tracks with the number of silicon (Pixel and SCT) hits less than 3 (default value which can be changed inside user jobOptions file or by the method setNumOfSiHitsCut(NumOfSiHits) either one time in initializing or just inside the looping over all track). In case if  $\Delta R < 0.2$  (or  $\Delta \phi < 0.2$  for TRT only tracks) the track classified as Unknown and origin set to Undefined. The default values of the cone  $\Delta R < 0.2$  (or  $\Delta \phi < 0.2$ ) can be changed inside user jobOptions file or by methods setdeltaRMatchCut(m\_deltaRMatch) and setdeltaPhiMatchCut(deltaPhi). The method getProbTrktoTruth() return to the user the probability of the track association with the truth particle.

Here is an example how to use the tool for ID track classification.

```
using namespace MCTruthPartClassifier;
std::pair<unsigned int, unsigned int> res;
ParticleDef partDef:
// loop over all tracks....
for (; trackItr != trackItrE; ++trackItr) {
  const Rec::TrackParticle* trkPtr = (*trackItr);
 // call the track particle classification
 res=m_truthClassifier->particleTruthClassifier(trkPtr);
 unsigned int iTypeOfPart = res.first;
 unsigned int iPartOrig = res.second;
 // define track particle final state
 ParticleOutCome iPartOutCome = m_truthClassifier->getParticleOutCome();
 // to get pointer to the truth particle associated with the track
   const HepMC::GenParticle* thePart = m_truthClassifier->getGenPart();
// The overloaded method getGenPart(trkPtr) can be used to get pointer
// to the truth particle without calling of classification by the method particleTruthClassifier(trkPtr)
// iust to print results
 std::cout<<" pdg "<<thePart->pdg_id()<<" particle type</pre>
                                                                 "<<pre>"<partDef.sParticleType[iTypeOfPart]</pre>
                                                                  "<<pre>"<partDef.sParticleOrigin[iPartOrig]</pre>
                                        <<" particle origin
                                        <<" particle outcome "<<partDef.sParticleOutCome[iPartOutCome]<<std::endl;</pre>
// additional useful methods provided by tool
// to get pointer to the mother
HepMC::GenParticle* theMother = m_truthClassifier->getMother();
// to get mother pdg id
 int motherPDG = m_truthClassifier->getMotherPDG();
 // to get mother barcode
 int motherBarcode = m_truthClassifier->getMotherBarcode();
 // these methods return to the user parameters which define the quality of the track association with the truth particle
  int NumOfSiHits = m_truthClassifier->getNumOfSiHits();
   if(NumOfSiHits <3) {</pre>
    // TRT only tracks
     double dPhimatch = m_truthClassifier->getdeltaPhiMatch();
                     = m_truthClassifier->getdeltaRMatch();
     double dRmatch
   // probability of the track association with the truth particle
   m_truthClassifier->getProbTrktoTruth();
} // end cycle for trkItr
```

To get additional information about background electrons which originated from the photon conversion the method checkOrigOfBkgElec(const HepMC::GenParticle\* thePart) can be used. The method define the mother of the converted photon and in the case that the mother is a background electron which originated from converted photon too it make a loop over all that process. As example look into Z->ee decay. Initial electron from Z boson decay can produce the brem photon which will converted into the pair of electrons. One from these electrons also can produce the brem photon which will converted into the pair of electrons and etc. The method checkOrigOfBkgElec will loop over all that process to classify initial electron, muon or photon.

## Egamma electrons classification

The tool can be used for egamma electron classification both author AuthorElectron/AuthorSofte and AuthorFrwd. In case of the egamma electron author AuthorElectron/AuthorSofte there is a track matched by egamma algorithm to the egamma electron and classification based on the available track information (see section ID track classification). In case of forward electron there is no track associated to the egamma electron. Therefore the tool extrapolate truth particles (charged with p<sub>T</sub> > 1 GeV and all neutral) into the calorimeter using standard athena tool ExtrapolateToCalo. The match is done using as a reference position the barycentre of the cluster in the EM middle layer. All truth particles are extrapolated to this layer and the choice of the best match is defined as following

within a cone ΔR<0.15 (tunable by the job options) the leading (with highest p<sub>T</sub>) is preferred for classification of reconstructed egamma forward electron;

Here is an example how to run the tool for egamma electron classification.

```
using namespace MCTruthPartClassifier;
std::pair<unsigned int, unsigned int> res;
ParticleDef partDef;
 for (; elecItr != elecItrE; ++elecItr) {
 const Analysis::Electron* elec= (*elecItr);
 res=m_truthClassifier->particleTruthClassifier(elec);
 unsigned int iTypeOfPart = res.first;
 unsigned int iPartOrig = res.second;
  std::cout<<" egamma elec  type "<< partDef.sParticleType[iTypeOfPart]</pre>
                    origin "<<partDef.sParticleOrigin[iPartOrig]<<std::endl;</pre>
 // to get pointer to the truth particle associated with the reconstructed electron
   const HepMC::GenParticle* thePart = m_truthClassifier->getGenPart();
  // to get pointer to the mother of the truth particle associated with the reconstructed electron
 HepMC::GenParticle* theMother = m_truthClassifier->getMother();
 if(!(elec->author()&egammaParameters:: AuthorFrwd)) continue;
 // additionally only for forward electrons only .....
 // get pointers to all particles matched to egamma forward electron
  std::vector<const HepMC::GenParticle*> PhtPartPtr= m truthClassifier->getEGPartPntr():
  // get dR cone values for all particles matched to egamma forward electron
 std::vector<float> PhtPartdR= m_truthClassifier->getEGPartdR();
  // get types and origin or all particles matched to egamma forward electron
  std::vector<std::pair<ParticleType,ParticleOrigin> > PhtPart= m_truthClassifier->getEGPartClas();
  // loop over all particles matched to egamma forward electron
  for(int i=0; i< (int) PhtPartPtr.size(); i++){</pre>
   const HepMC::GenParticle* thePhtPart=PhtPartPtr[i];
   <<" part type "<<partDef.sParticleType[PhtPart[i].first]</pre>
              <<" part origin "<<partDef.sParticleOrigin[PhtPart[i].second]<<std::endl;</pre>
   }
```

# Egamma photons classification

To classify egamma photon the tool extrapolate truth particles (charged with p<sub>T</sub> > 1 GeV and all neutral) into the calorimeter using standard athena tool.

ExtrapolateToCalo. On the first step the tool is looping over all truth stable particles (status code equal 1) with barcode less than 200000, excluding neutrino. It means that G4 particles (which are borne in the detector during the simulation) are not included. The match is done using as a reference position the barycentre of the cluster in the EM middle layer. All truth particles are extrapolated to this layer and the choice of the best match is defined as follows:

- within a narrow elliptical cone (default value Δη×Δφ=0.025 ×0.050, tunable in the job option file) the photon with highest p<sub>T</sub> (leading photon) is preferred for classification of reconstructed egamma photon;
- if no matched photons inside the narrow cone the leading particle (neutral or charged) used for classification;
- If no match in the narrow cone found, a wider circular cone of radius 0.1 (tunable) is used, and the particle closest in angle is taken for classification.

If the first step is failed leaving the reconstructed photon candidate unmatched, then Geant4 particles are used excluding those which decay or interact in the detector, i.e thePart->end\_vertex() =0. It is done to avoid double counting of the particles matched into the egamma photon. By default this options is switched off. User to add matching of G4 particles should use the following line in the job option MCTruthClassifierDev.inclG4part=True (see section Job options configuration)

The tool provide to the user access to all particles matched to the egamma photon (see example below).

Here is an example how to run the tool for egamma photon classification.

```
using namespace MCTruthPartClassifier;
std::pair<unsigned int, unsigned int> res;
ParticleDef partDef;
 const CaloCluster* clus:
 for (; photItr != photItrE; ++photItr) {
   const Analysis::Photon* phot= (*photItr);
 // call egamma photon classification
   res=m_truthClassifier->particleTruthClassifier(phot);
  unsigned int iTypeOfPart = res.first;
   unsigned int iPartOrig
                             = res.second;
   \ensuremath{//} to print results of egamma photon classification
  <<" photon origin "<<partDef.sParticleOrigin[iPartOrig]<<std::endl;</pre>
 // to get pointer to the truth particle associated with the reconstructed photon
   const HepMC::GenParticle* thePart = m_truthClassifier->getGenPart();
  // to get pointer to the mother of the truth particle associated with the reconstructed photon
 HepMC::GenParticle* theMother = m_truthClassifier->getMother();
 // get pointers to all particles matched to egamma photon
  std::vector<const HepMC::GenParticle*> PhtPartPtr= m_truthClassifier->getEGPartPntr();
  // get dR cone values for all particles matched to egamma photon
 std::vector<float> PhtPartdR= m_truthClassifier->getEGPartdR();
  // get types and origin or all particles matched to egamma photon
  std::vector<std::pair<ParticleType,ParticleOrigin> > PhtPart= m_truthClassifier->getEGPartClas();
   // loop over all particles matched to egamma photon
   for(int i=0; i< (int) PhtPartPtr.size(); i++){</pre>
   const HepMC::GenParticle* thePhtPart=PhtPartPtr[i];
   std::cout<<"part pdg  "<<PhtPartPtr[i]->pdg_id()<<"      dR  "<<PhtPartdR[i]</pre>
              <<" part type "<<partDef.sParticleType[PhtPart[i].first]</pre>
              <<" part origin "<<partDef.sParticleOrigin[PhtPart[i].second]<<std::endl;</pre>
   }
  // to check reconstructed conversion
   // get vector contains pointers to tracks from reconstructed conversion
   std::vector<const Rec::TrackParticle*> cnvPhtTrkPtr=m_truthClassifier->getCnvPhotTrkPtr();
   if(cnvPhtTrkPtr.size()==0) continue; // if no reconstructed conversion
    // get vector contains pointers to truth particles associated with tracks from reconstructed conversion
   std::vector<const HepMC::GenParticle*> cnvPhtTrPart=m truthClassifier->getCnvPhotTrkToTruthPart();
    // get vector contains types of the truth particles associated with tracks from reconstructed conversion
    std::vector<ParticleType> cnvPhtPartType=m_truthClassifier->getCnvPhotPartType();
    // get vector contains origin of the truth particles associated with \, tracks from reconstructed conversion
    \verb|std::vector<ParticleOrigin>| cnvPhtPartOrig=m_truthClassifier->getCnvPhotPartOrig();|
   // loop over all particles associated with reconstructed conversion tracks
    for(int itrk=0;itrk<(int) cnvPhtTrkPtr.size();itrk++) {</pre>
        unsigned int iCnvType = cnvPhtPartType[itrk];
        unsigned int iCnvOrig = cnvPhtPartOrig[itrk];
        if(!cnvPhtTrPart[itrk]) iCnvPDG=cnvPhtTrPart[itrk]->pdg_id();
        std::cout<<" part type  "<< partDef.sParticleType[iCnvType]</pre>
                   <<" part origin "<<partDef.sParticleOrigin[iCnvOrig]</pre>
                   <<" pdg "<< iCnvPDG<<std::endl;</pre>
  }
}
```

The muon track classification is based on common ID-Muon tracking software. Here is an example how to run the tool for muons classification.

#### Jets classification

The tool can be used to classify a jet into four different cathegories (BJet, CJet, LJet of Unknown) based on the flavor of the hadrons matched to it. Particles after parton showering and ISR/FSR are matched to the jet and, based on the flavor of these associated hadrons, the jet type is BJet if there is a b-flavored hadron, CJet if there is a c-flavored hadron (but no b-hadron is found), LJet if there is a light-flavored hadron (but no b/c-hadron is found) or Unknown. The hadron classification follows that of the PDG MC numbering scheme.

The user can choose between two different matching schemes:

- ΔR matching: all particles within a cone of user-defined-radius are matched to a jet;
- ghost-association: particles are matched to a jet based on the "Catchment area of jets" (http://arxiv.org/abs/0802.1188 a). The jet reconstruction algorithm is re-run but adding truth particles with infinitesimal energy. After this, an unambiguous association of particles to a jet is performed based on an improved definition of the jet area. This procedure is done through the package JetMomentTools and requires only a few configuration lines in a job options file.

The tool also provides a classification of the origin of a jet. By looking into the mothers of the associated particles a record of all particles involved in the hadronization process and the particles before showering is used to determine the physics process giving rise to a particular jet. The processes considered are decays of W, Z, top, Higgs, HiggsMSSM, Heavy bosons, SUSY particles and QCD (or nondefined in the case of, for example, jets with no particles associated).

Here is an example how to run the tool for jet classification within an algorithm.

# Job options configuration

The job options which can be used to configure the tool is listed here.

```
# to configure ATLAS extrapolation tool ExtrapolateToCalo
DetDescrVersion = 'ATLAS-GEO-02-01-00'
include( "RecExCommon/AllDet detDescr.pv" )
import MCTruthClassifier.MCTruthClassifierBase
from MCTruthClassifier.MCTruthClassifierConf import MCTruthClassifier
ToolSvc += MCTruthClassifier()
# to change default name ("GEN_AOD") of GenParticle container
# in case of running of ESD files
MCTruthClassifier.McEventCollection="TruthEvent"
# to change default names (listed below) of the containers
MCTruthClassifier.ElectronContainerName = "ElectronAODCollection"
MCTruthClassifier.photonContainerName = "PhotonAODCollection"
MCTruthClassifier.egDetailAODContainer = "egDetailAOD"
MCTruthClassifier.MuonContainer
                                             = "StacoMuonCollection"
# to change default cut values (listed below) of track quality matching
# to the truth particle
MCTruthClassifier.deltaRMatchCut = 0.2
MCTruthClassifier.deltaPhiMatchCut = 0.2
MCTruthClassifier.NumOfSiHitsCut
# to change default (listed below) values of egamma photon matching to truth particle
# to include additional looping over G4 particle need to set True
MCTruthClassifier.inclG4part=False
# definition of cone size to match particles to the egamma photon
MCTruthClassifier.phtdRtoTrCut= 0.1
# definition of the narrow elliptical cone size which used for the classification
MCTruthClassifier.phtClasConePhi = 0.05
MCTruthClassifier.phtClasConeEta=0.025
# to change default cut values of p<sub>T</sub> for the particles extrapolated to the Calo
MCTruthClassifier.pTChargePartCut = 1.0
MCTruthClassifier.pTNeutralPartCut=0.
# to change default (listed below) values of forward electrons matching to truth particle
# definition of cone size to match particles to the egamma photon
MCTruthClassifier.fwrdEledRtoTrCut = 0.15
# to configure jets
# definition of cone size to DR-match particles to the jet
MCTruthClassifier.jetPartDRMatch = 0.4
# to configure ghost association and select the particles and jets containers
# setup an associator tool and create an algorithm applying this tool
from JetMomentTools.GhostAssociation import addGhostAssociation, setupGhostAssociator
mytool = setupGhostAssociator( "TruthAssoc", "", "SpclMC")
myAlg = addGhostAssociation("AntiKt4LCTopoJets", ghostAssoc=[mytool])
```

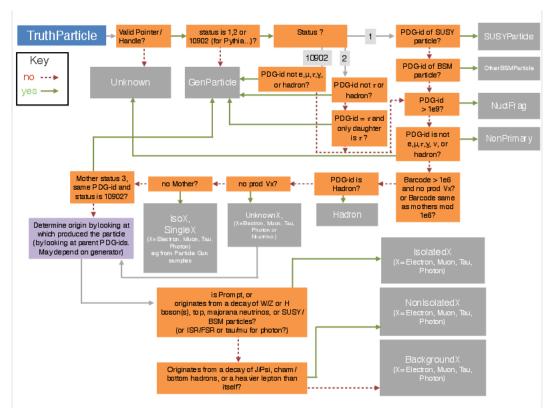
### Classification scheme

You can find the equivalent integer coding (used e.g in D3PDs and as decorations in dxAODs) in: MCTruthClassifierDefs.h

Туре	Origin	Comments		
Unknown	Non defined			
Unknown e,μ,τ and γ	Non defined	algorithm to define origin fail or there is no particle production vertex		
Isolated e,µ,τ	single e,μ,τ	primary e,μ,τ in single e,μ,τ data set		
	W, Z and Higgs	W->ev Z->II, H->4I		
	t quark	t->W->Iv		
	SUSY	SUSY particles decay into e,μ and τ		
	W,Z and Higgs MSSM	decay of gauge bosons and Higgs bosons with pdg from 32 to 37 into electrons		
	$car{c}$ and $bar{b}$ mesons	direct or prompt production of $c\bar{c}$ and $b\bar{b}$ mesons with decay into e and $\mu$		
	LQ	decays of leptoquarks		
	$ u_e^R, \!  u_\mu^R$ and $ u_ au^R$	decays of Majorana neutrinos		
	WR	decays of left-right symmetric model W boson		
Non Isolated e,μ, τ	Bottom meson			
	Bottom baryon			
	Charmed meson			
	Bottom baryon			
	Charmed baryon			
	J/ψ	decays into e or μ only		
	т decay	τ->ev or τ->μv excluding when τ originated from gauge bosons or t quark		
	μ decay	$\mu\text{>ev}$ excluding when $\mu$ originated from gauge bosons or t quark		
	Quark weak decays	it is for Herwig generator only, which allows direct quark decays b->c+e		
Backg. Electron		photons conversion, Dalitz decay, decay of light meson and etc		
Backg. Muon				
Backg. Tau				
Isolated γ	single photon	primary photons in single photon data set		
	prompt photon			
Non Isolated Photon				
Backg. Photon	Undressed photon	Attempt at distinguishing ISR/FSR special case in SUSY and Exotics decays		
Hadrons	Bottom meson			
	Bottom baryon			
	Charm meson			
	Charm baryon			
	Strange meson			
	Strange baryon			
	Light meson			
	Light baryon			
Nuclear fragments	Non defined	particles with pdgid > 108		
Neutrinos	Non defined			
Non primary particles	Non defined	particles with barcode > 106		
Generator particles	Non defined			
BJet, CJet, LJet	W, Z, H, top	hadronic decays (the W/Z does not come from a top or H)		
	W,Z and Higgs MSSM	decay of gauge bosons and Higgs bosons with pdg from 32 to 37 into hadrons		
	SUSY	SUSY particles hadronic decays		

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See below a flowchart which gives a visual overview of the classification scheme:



Or in higher resolution PDF: https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/pub/AtlasProtected/MCTruthClassifier\_McTruthClassifier\_Diagram.pdf

## **Examples**

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• MCTruthClassifier\_Diagram.pdf: Flowchart Describing Classification scheme

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