### Overview of Acd Reconstruction

- Digitization (AcdDigi in digiRootData)
  - Merge data from different electronics cards into physical space
  - Preserve all data sent off the detector
- Apply MIP Calibration (AcdHit)
  - Remove pedestal (baseline counts) and factor in different electronics gains
  - Express hits in terms of MIPS and MeV
- Extrapolate Tracks to Acd (AcdTkrIntersectionTool)
  - Use GEANT geometry, calculation only as good as input
- Calculate distance from extrapolated track to hit elements and known gaps (AcdRecon / AcdTkrPocaTool)
  - Extract Tile edges and Ribbons locations from GEANT model
  - Calculates miss distance is track doesn't hit element
- Make monitoring plots for SVAC report

# Digitization



- Each ACD tile or ribbon is attached to two PMTs.
  - Map from electronic to physical space
  - The tile light collection is designed to equalize between PMTs.
  - This isn't really possible in the ribbons, which are just scintillating fibers attached to PMTs.
  - By design the two PMTs for each element are readout by different FREE cards



## AcdDigi data



- Each AcdDigi has the data for both PMTs
  - PHA (aka pulseHeight or ADC value), (12 bits, 0-4095)

• Flags

- range (low or high gain)
- above Zero suppresion (digital cut) (aka acceptMap bit)
- above Veto Threshold (analog cut) (aka hitMap bit)
- above CNO Threshold (analog cut, 1 signal per FREE board)
  - Not being set currently
- parity errors in data transmission

## ACD information in GEM



- "or" of Veto signals for channel, but timing is slightly different
- This is in with the GEM data, not the ACD data (so far)
  - If the channel reaches threshold within 6-7 ticks the GEM information should match the ACD



### ACD Digi data in SVAC reports (hits and vetos)









### ACD Digi data in SVAC reports (PHA)







# ACD pulse height basics



### Calibrated ACD Hits



- Express pulses in terms of MIPs/ MeV, not PHA counts
  - In Recon ROOT files as AcdRecon::AcdHit
    - ie, tree.Draw("m\_acd->getAcdHit(0)->getMips(0)");

Event::AcdHit {

AcdId m\_tileId;

ushort m\_pha[2]; ushort m\_flags[2] float m\_mips[2]; // which tile was hit

// Digi level data for both PMT
// Veto, Accept bits, error flags for both PMT
// calibrated values for both PMT in MIPs

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// coming soon
float m_meV[2];
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}

// calibrated values for both PMT in MeV

The values are also available in the SVAC ntuple as AcdMips

## ACD hit flags



- These flags are defined so far:
  - PMT\_ACCEPT // pmt is above zero suppression threshold
  - PMT\_VETO // pmt fired veto discriminator
  - PMT\_RANGE // pmt was read out in high range
  - PMT\_ODD\_PARITY\_ERROR // pmt has parity error
  - PMT\_HEADER\_PARITY\_ERROR // parity error in header
  - PMT\_DEAD // pmt was dead or masked off
  - PMT\_HOT // pmt was hot
- Maybe others such as:
  - PMT\_IN\_ROI // pmt was used in making an ROI coincidence
- Some of these require non-acd data
  - PMT\_DEAD, PMT\_HOT could require offline tables
    - Leave it alone for now, hopefully we would every need this, but the space is there if we do

## ACD Distance variables in AcdRecon/ Merit



### • CAVEAT

- Lots of deprecated/ Monte Carlo stuff around
  - AcdDoca, AcdActiveDistance (old), AcdEnergy (MC)

### ActiveDistance3D

- Positive: 2D distance to edge of element if track passes inside
- Negative: 3D distance from track to edge or corner
   NOTE: calculation changes as we cross tile edge

### HitRibbonDistance

Same as active distance always 2D, w/ simplified ribbon geometry
 Ribbons made up of 3-segments, top & 2 sides

### CornerDoca

- 3D distance to the gaps along the corner edges of the ACD
- Sign takes into account direction of overlaps, as tile extends beyond edge in one direction

## Geometry as used by ACD reconstruction



### Tiles

- Defined as rectangular solids
- A center & four corners. Perfectly flat, no thickness.
- Ribbons
  - Defined as three line segments
  - Top and two sides.
  - Use nominal with to decide if track hits ribbon
- Gaps
  - Defined as lines running down the sides of the ACD
    - Also, ribbons soon to be included as "gaps" b/c of the slight loss of efficiency in ribbon area
- Current version of code encapsulates the first two of these into simple data structure that can be cached and passed around. AcdTileDim and AcdRibbonDim

### •And the same in picture(s)





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### •Extrapolating tracks to the ACD

- Calculate where track leaves ACD volume
- Use G4Propagator to run Kalman fit out to that point
  - Keep track of all active ACD detector elements crossed by track
  - Extract information about intersections

#### Event::AcdTkrIntersection {

AcdId	m_tileId;	// which tile was hit
int	m_trkId;	// which track did the hitting

Point m\_global; // 3D global postion of intersection

double m\_arcLengthToISect; // distance from last hit to intersection double m\_pathLengthInTile; // distance inside active volume

double m\_localPosition[2]; // postion of intersection in local coords
double m\_localCovarience[3]; // projected error on the intersection in plane\

```
unsigned int m_hitCode;
```

// bit map to see if tile was really hit

Associations Between Tracks and ACD hits



- We also want to keep track of which track come close to which hit ACD element
- For each track within an arbitrary distance (currently 200mm) of a hit ACD element we store

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Event::AcdTkrPoca {
```

- AcdId m\_tileId; // which tile was hit int m\_trkId; // which track did the hitting
- Point m\_location; // 3D global postion of POCA

TkrTrackParams m\_params; // track params at the POCA

```
int m_region;// where does the POCA occurdouble m_dist;// the active distancedouble m_distErr;// the error on the active distance
```

### Keeping track of many associations



- Sorting the track-tile coincidences by active distance
   Largest (ie, most "active") comes first
- Provide functions to access them in that order

Event::AcdPocaMap {

}

// these get only the best coincidence // they return null pointer if there is none Event::AcdTkrPoca\* bestPoca(Event::TkrTrack&); Event::AcdTkrPoca\* bestPoca(AcdId&);

// these return all the relevent coicidences
// of course the set could be empty
set<Event::AcdTkrPoca\*> pocas(Event::TkrTrack&);
set<Event::AcdTkrPoca\*> pocas(AcdId&);

Summary of new Data in AcdRecon/ SVAC



### AcdHit

- Hit Based calibrated data -> data structure is ready
  - Still need to do calibration code
- AcdTkrIntersection
  - Track based, extrapolation to ACD, independent of if ACD hit
     In release, variable pulled into SVAC tuple
- AcdTkrPoca & AcdPocaMap
  - Track-Hit correlations
    - Might want to revist exactly what is being stored in AcdTkrPoca to match better with AcdTkrIntersection
- For more information stick around for lunch tutorial

### ACD recon plots in SVAC reports





This plots really shows the photon contamination extrapolation in the surface muon sample, rather than the ACD

Ribbons show higher ineffiency b/c of track extrapolation errors

GemID acdTkrIntersection->hitMap() == 0 && nTracks ==1

GemID all acdTkrIntersection && nTracks == 1

### ACD miss maps in SVAC reports





The flat background is from the photon "contamination" of our nice muon sample. Also from mis-reconstructed events.

The structures that we see here are from:

 the overlaps (2 entries instead of 1)
 when tracks get extrapolated into the wrong tile, (near the tile edges)



Using Acd recon to look for gaps in the ACD



- The ACD is required to be 0.9997 efficient for charged particle detection
  - PMT efficiency for 0.1 MIP in tile must be very, very close to 100%
  - PMT on ribbons must detect down to 1-2 p.e.
  - Even with this, we need to be able to ID events that snuck in the gaps
- About 30% of cosmic rays are NOT muons
  - Trying to measure 0.3 per mil effect requires very clean muon sample
  - This is also good practice for getting clean MIP sample for other uses



### Data Used/ Processing version

- For muon selection tuning used run 135005345
   B/2 470K triggers
- For ACD performance plots used all long B/2, B/30 runs
  - About 37.8 M triggers
- For all plots used digitization-v3r4p6 (reprocessing)
- For all plots used recon-v3r4p6 (reprocessing)
  - The reprocessing has calculations of all the POCA between tracks and hit ACD tiles and ribbons stored in the Recon ROOT tree

### **Muon** Selection

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- Exactly one track (the muon)
- Track c2 < 1.</p>
  - when Kalman fit with the default hypothesis 100 MeV e-
- 0.75 < CalMIPRatio < 1.25</p>
  - Ratio of energy in CAL to expected energy for MIP (path-length corrected)
- Number of hit of Track > 15
  - This cuts out the lower part of the sides of the ACD

### "Tkr1SSDVeto" == 0

- There is a hit in the last plane before the track exists the tracking volume
- These cuts selected 115115 of 470286 triggers in run 135005345
  - 24.48% of triggers

### Muon selection, (Red is After all other cuts)



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### Track extrapolations unmatched to ACD hits







964 Misses out of 37.8M \* 0.245 = 9.26 M Inefficiency of 0.000104

Some hints of ribbons, but not obvious above fairly flat background

### Selected muons with no AcdTkrPoca within 150 mm

### Are these misses from muons?





### A track hits a gap



This happened 29 times in the entire sample we had a track go through a gap in GEANT model & no ACD hit

nAcdTkrIntersection == 0 && AcdNumDigis == 0

 Have scanned 4 of them in FRED, they all hit the gaps at the top of the Y sides





### Gaps in the GEANT model



POCA for nAcdTkrIntersection == 0 but nAcdTkrPoca != 0

### Status of ACD Recon



- Getting there. Most of the big stuff is under control
  - Merit variables for background rejection
  - Extrapolating tracks to ACD
  - Finding hits near tracks
- A some big things still missing
  - The geometry model is not totally accurate
    - This is something of a sore point
  - Calibrating to MIP/ MeV
    - This is probably the highest priority item for looking at upcoming ground data.
  - Handling the ribbons/ gaps
    - What is the ribbon efficiency?
    - How do we best use the ribbons?

## Wish List



- AcdCalibSvc
  - To read in calibration xml files and go from PHA -> MIPs/ MeV
- Additions to AcdGeomSvc
  - Basically getting the list and position of the gaps we care about
- A plan for the ribbons?
- Some other (long term) project ideas have come up
  - Using the ACD to catch stuff going sideways in tracker
  - Using the ACD to cross check the tracker performance
    - Look at the distributions near tile edges to get tracker resolution.