# Software compensation and particle flow

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# Particle Flow approach to calorimetry

High-granularity Particle Flow: reconstruct individual particles.



- ~3% jet energy resolution required for WW/ZZ separation using 4 quarks channel, achieved in simulation studies with PandoraPFA Eur.Phys.J. C75 (2015) no.9, 439
- Driving factor for high-granularity calorimeter design of future collider detectors



- Charged particle momentum measured in tracker (60% jet energy)
- Photon energies measured in ECAL:  $\sigma$ E/E < 20% / $\sqrt{E}$  (30% jet energy)
- Only neutral hadron energies measured in HCAL (10% jet energy)
- Much improved resolution.





#### **CALICE** collaboration

- CALICE collaboration: 55 institutes in 19 countries, ~ 350 members
- Research and development of high-granularity calorimeters for future lepton colliders
- A rich program exploring full spectrum of imaging calorimeter technologies https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/CALICE/WebHome







#### CALICE calorimeter prototypes

- A prototype to demonstrate high-granularity analogue hadronic calorimeters (AHCAL) based on plastic scintillators with SiPM readout
- Tested with two absorbers: Steel, 21mm/layer
  Tungsten, 10mm/layer
  - Exploring more compact layout for higher energies at CLIC







- The basic element of the active layers: a 3 x 3 cm<sup>2</sup> scintillator tile, with individual SiPM readout
- The full system: The first largescale use of SiPMs, ~ 8000 in prototype, started taking data in 2006 - 38 layers





#### Compensation calorimeter

- Non-compensating calorimeter: response for electromagnetic (EM) showers is typically higher than hadronic shower (e/h > 1)
  - Hadronic showers contain EM sub-showers from photons, and inaccessible processes of hadronic sub-showers, i.e. nuclear target recoil, binding energy loss.
- Difference in response of EM and hadronic sub-shower degrades energy resolution.
  - The fraction of EM and hadronic sub-showers fluctuates strongly
- Compensating calorimeter: response for electromagnetic showers is identical to hadronic shower (e/h = 1) → improves energy reconstruction and hadron resolution
  - Specific detector material design, or
  - Software compensation





#### Compensating calorimeter: material design

- Specific detector material design for compensating calorimeter
- With Tungsten absorbers, the (analogue hadronic) calorimeter is very close to intrinsic compensation.
- Responses for EM and hadronic subshowers are similar
- No improvement from software compensation is expected
- JINST 10 (2015) no.12, P12006







#### Calorimeter: software compensation

- Non-compensating calorimeter: response for electromagnetic showers is typically higher than hadronic shower (e/h > 1)
- Software compensation (SC): use shower density to correct for different response to EM and purely hadronic sub-showers
  - does not use prior knowledge of the beam energy the uncorrected shower energy / cluster energy is used to select the software compensation weights for a given event.
- Non-compensation  $E_{RAW} = \sum_{hits} E_{ECAL} + \sum_{hits} E_{HCAL} \times 1$
- Software compensation:  $E_{SC} = \sum_{hits} E_{ECAL} + \sum_{hits} E_{HCAL} \times \omega$

Weight is a function of shower density and E<sub>RAW</sub>





# Software compensation: logic

- Identify high hit-density (p) as EM sub-showers, low hit-density as hadronic sub-showers
  - Implemented in PandoraPFA in simulation, but the concept is taken from the CALICE study and tested with real data





#### Software compensation with test beam data

- Software compensation developed and tested with test beam data
- Steel analogue calorimeter is intrinsically non-compensating (e/π<sup>-</sup>~1.2), but high granularity allows software compensation
- INST 7, P09017 (2012) CALICE Analysis Note CAN-056 24 GeV Resolution [%] CALICE Preliminary 22 π 80 GeV ScECAL + AHCAL + TCMT entries / 1 Uncorrected 20 6000**⊢(b)** Works for combined set-up Local SC 18 Global SC 5000 16 -Energy 4000 10 F 3000 Data (Standard) Data (SC) 2000 6 4 2 AHCAL (Standard) (JINST 7 P09017) 1000 AHCAL (SC) (JINST 7 P09017 5 10 15 20 25 30 75 85 90 80 70 Beam Momentum [GeV] reconstructed energy [GeV]

The response of individual cells is calibrated using muons Particle energy reconstructed from the sum of amplitudes of all detector hits, with appropriate MIP  $\rightarrow$ energy calibration



#### Software compensation with test beam data

- Software compensation improves single particle energy resolution of non-compensating calorimeter, tested with data
- Resolution (AHCAL):
- Steel: ~ 58%/√E w/o SC,
  ~ 45%/ √E with SC
- Tungsten: ~ 58%/√E
  - Tungsten comparable to steel w/o SC, due to coarser sampling of EM sub-showers in the W-AHCAL: 3 X<sub>0</sub> / layer rather than I X<sub>0</sub> with steel



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#### Software compensation: particle flow

- Developed and tested on real data, now implemented in PandoraPFA for simulation
- Software compensation improves:
  - I) Single hadron energy resolution
  - 2) Jet energy resolution
    - better energy resolution → better pattern recognition (next slide)
- Software compensation implemented in cluster energy estimation in PandoraPFA: ()
- Full use of software compensation throughout pattern recognition reconstruction in PandoraPFA: 1) and 2)





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#### Software compensation: pattern recognition

- In high density jets (high energies), limit of "pure" pattern recognition based particle flow may be reached
  - Cannot cleanly resolve neutral hadrons in hadronic showers.
- Address the problem "statistically"; recluster if significant discrepancy between cluster energy and its associated-track momentum.
  - Alter clustering parameters, or change clustering algorithm entirely, until cluster splits to achieve sensible track-cluster association
- Better hadron energy estimation → better reclustering → better reconstruction



topological trackcluster association, large discrepancy between cluster energy and its associated-track momentum.

After reclustering, cluster splits to achieve sensible track-cluster association





#### Software compensation: single hadron resolution

- Software compensation improves: I) Single hadron energy resolution
- Narrower energy distributions







#### Software compensation: jet energy resolution







#### Software compensation: transverse granularity

Software compensation offers best jet energy resolution, used in optimisation studies: here AHCAL square cell size

Same trend w/ and w/c software compensation 4.5 RMS<sub>90</sub>(E<sub>j</sub>)/Mean<sub>90</sub>(E<sub>j</sub>) [%] RMS<sub>90</sub>(E<sub>j</sub>)/Mean<sub>90</sub>(E<sub>j</sub>) [%] 250 GeV jets -- No energy corrections ---- Software compensation 3.5 3.5 45 GeV jets No energy corrections 3 3 Software compensation 2 6 10 8 10 4 6 8 Δ Cell side length [cm] Cell side length [cm] B. Xu - University of Cambridge 23/05/2017 16

#### Software compensation: semi-digital calorimeter

- Software compensation technique can be used for semi-digital calorimeter.
- Energy calculation of semi-digital calorimeter can be reformulated to be mathematically similar to software compensation in AHCAL
- Details in upcoming paper

Total energy is simple summation of three thresholds  $N_1, N_2, N_3$ 

 $E_{SD} = \sum \alpha_i . N_i$ 

Can rewrite as

 $E_{SD} = \sum_{hits}^{bins} \alpha_i \cdot \frac{E_j}{E_j} = \sum_{hits} \omega_j \cdot E_j \text{ with } \omega_j = \frac{\alpha_i}{E_j}$ Compare with software  $E_{SC} = \sum E_{ECAL} + \sum (E_{HCAL}^{i} \times \omega(\rho_{i}))$ compensation Software compensation bins (analogue calorimeter) ~ thresholds in SD calorimeter







# Software compensation: Conclusion

- Significant gain in jet energy resolution over a wide jet energy range
  - Best performance seen in ILD detector simulation
- Does not significantly alter view on transverse granularity optimisation
  - Default ILD 3 x 3 cm<sup>2</sup> cell size is still a very reasonable choice
- Available in PandoraPFA v02-09-01 onwards (including)
  - Includes semi-digital reconstruction scheme
  - Installed in ILCsoft v01-17-10 onwards (including)
- A paper to be submitted to EPJC imminently







#### Software compensation in Particle Flow reconstruction

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#### Backup









# Software compensation: weight







#### Software compensation for high energy jets



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#### Earlier work on SC in PandoraPFA

• HCAL cell truncation is a rudimentary software compensation, aided with two other energy corrections algorithms: CleanClusters and **ScaleHotHadrons** 



#### PandoraPFA Track-cluster association

#### Clear Associations using cluster mip-segments:

 Local straight-line fits are performed to hits identified as mip-like and backwards/forward projections are used to identify associations. Tight matching criteria are applied.



https://github.com/PandoraP FA/Documentation/blob/mas ter/Pandora\_LC\_Reconstruc tion.pdf

 Less clear associations:
 e.g. Small fragments removed, based on proximity to charged hadron clusters
 7 GeV cluster
 6 GeV cluster
 4 GeV track





#### PandoraPFA reclustering

- At some point, in high density jets (high energies), reach limit of "pure" particle flow.
- Cannot cleanly resolve neutral hadrons in hadronic showers.
- Use information from track-cluster associations to identify pattern-recognition problems:



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- Address the problem "statistically"; if we identify significant discrepancy between energy of a cluster and momentum of its associated track, choose to recluster.
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#### Software version and configuration

#### **Detector model**: ILD\_ol\_v06

**® Reconstruction software**: ilcsoft\_v01-17-07 combined with PandoraPFA version v02-09-01:

PandoraSDK v02-03-01

OLCContent v02-04-01 including software compensation in LCPlugins and hits information registration for software compensation weight training in LCUtility

PandoraMonitoring v02-03-00

**Digitiser:** ILDCaloDigi with realistic options for ECAL and HCAL

Calibration constants optimised using PandoraAnalysis toolkit

Timing cut: 100 ns



