



Status of the HerdSoftware framework

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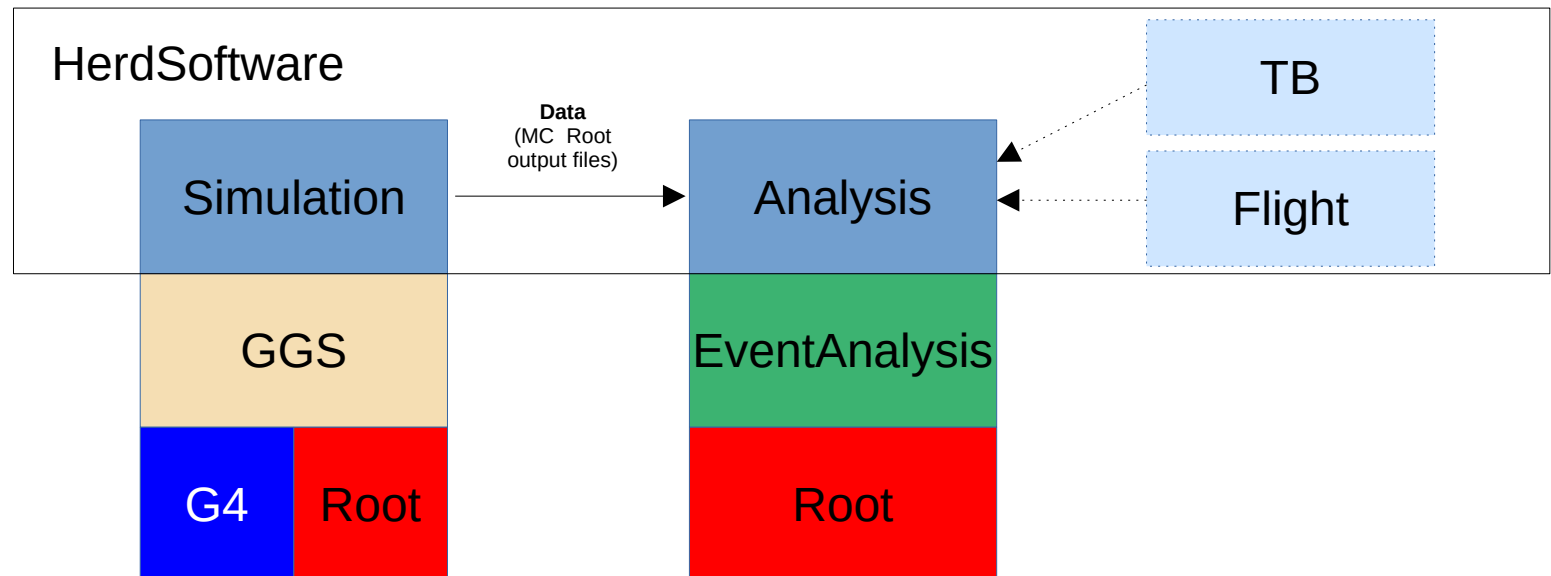


Introduction

- HerdSoftware: framework for MC simulation and data reconstruction/analysis
- Designed and implemented from the start to be a common, shared framework for the whole collaboration
- Introduced at the 2019 Xi'an Workshop ([link](#))

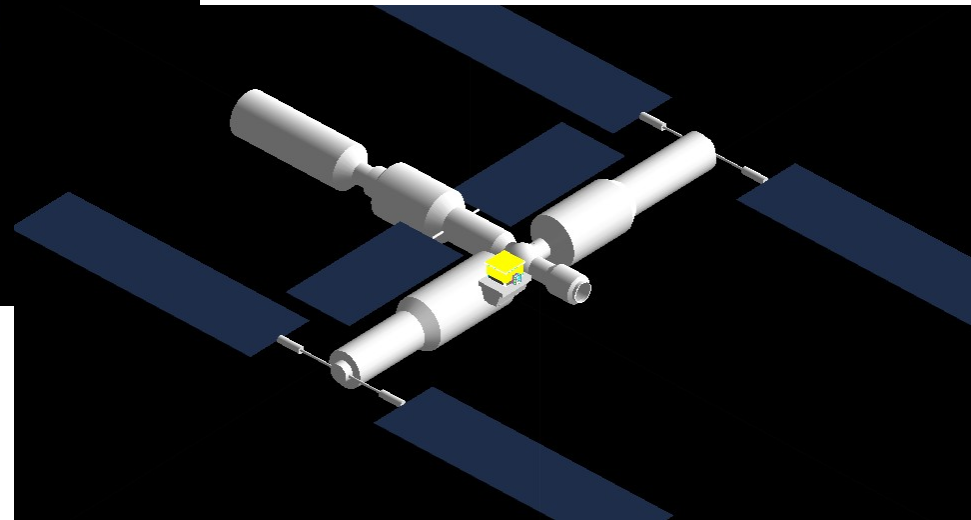
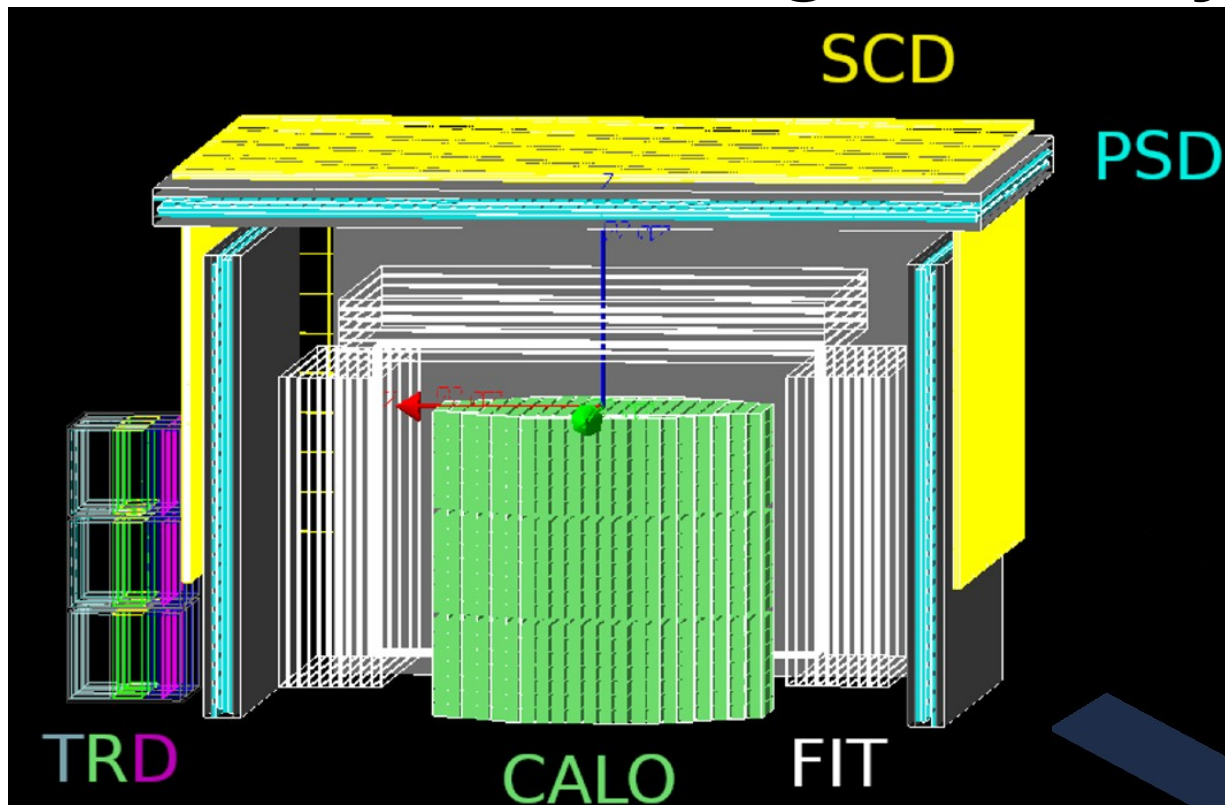
Introduction

- Two distinct code parts
 - MC simulation
 - Data analysis (incl. reconstruction)



MC simulation

- Full detector geometry





MC simulation

- Parametric geometry:
 - Subdetectors (e.g. STK or FIT)
 - Positions
 - Details (e.g. n. of SCD layers, W in FIT etc.)
- Calo:
 - v1
 - v2 (with CF trays)



MC simulation

- STK:
 - Si tiles + honeycomb structures
 - Optional W on TOP
- FIT:
 - Fiber mats + plastic structures
 - Optional W
- PSD
 - Bars or tiles
 - v1
 - v2 (with carbon fiber structures)



MC simulation

- SCD:
 - Si tiles
 - Optional support foam
- TRD:
 - Settable number of modules
- Shield:
 - Optional reference external shield
- CSS:
 - Solar panel rotation and revolution angles



MC simulation

- Custom physics:
 - TR generation and detection in TRD
 - CRMC-G4 interface for simulating hadronic interactions at PeV scale
- All other components (particle generation, output etc.) provided by GGS



Analysis

- Data model: C++ classes
 - Hits, clusters, tracks, geometry parameters etc.
- I/O: based on Root
- Readout (data providers):
 - GGS simulation files
 - Reconstructed/analyzed files
- Output (persistence services):
 - Reconstructed/analyzed files



Data processing

- Algorithms:
 - Modular processing procedures operating on data objects
 - Combinable to build full analysis procedures
 - Easily replaceable with alternative implementations
- Digitization:
 - CALO: full (MC GeV \rightarrow ADC) for PD readout



Data processing

- Digitization:
 - CALO: full (MC GeV \rightarrow ADC) for PD readout
 - Parameters from CaloCube, to be updated
 - FIT: full
 - Dark noise, electronics
 - SCD/STK: partial
 - Drift/diffusion, strip bonding, capacitive couplings
 - Electronics to be done



Data processing

- Calibration:
 - CALO: full (ADC \rightarrow GeV/MIP) for PD readout
 - Parameters from CaloCube, to be updated
 - Will work also with flight/tb data
- Clustering:
 - CALO: 3D DBSCAN (Density-Based Spatial Clustering of Applications with Noise) algorithm
 - FT/SCD/STK



Data processing

- Tracking
 - CALO: 3D PCA (Principal Components Analysis) algorithm
 - FIT/STK/SCD: 2D Hough transform
 - Exploits full information from all detectors on all sides
- Offline trigger
 - High Energy, Low Energy Gamma, Unbiased
 - Available soon



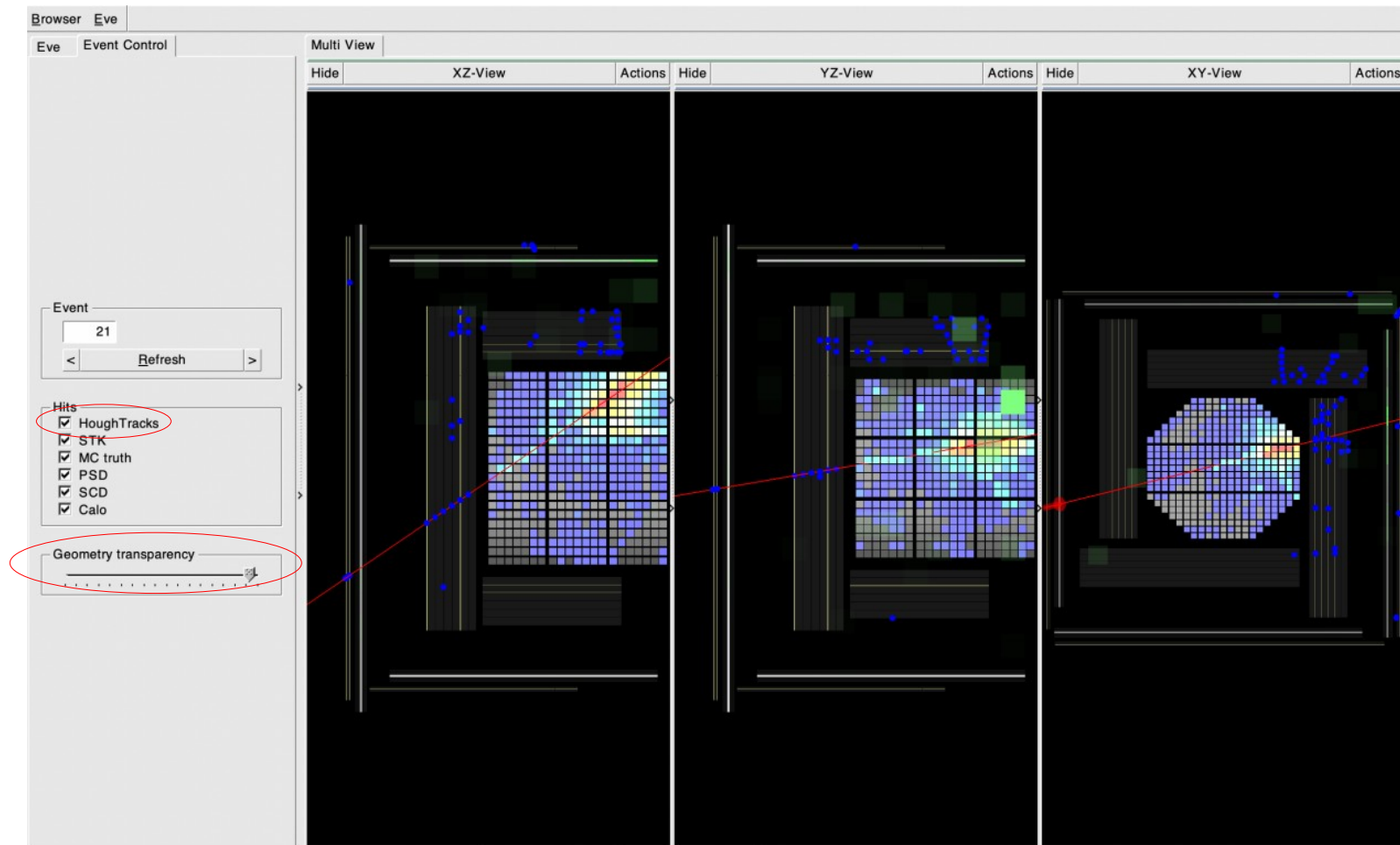
Data processing

- Geometry
 - CALO acceptance
 - STK intersections with MC track

Data processing

- Event display

Proton @ 100 GeV





Infrastructure

- Gitlab:

<https://git.recas.ba.infn.it/herd/HerdSoftware>

- Code

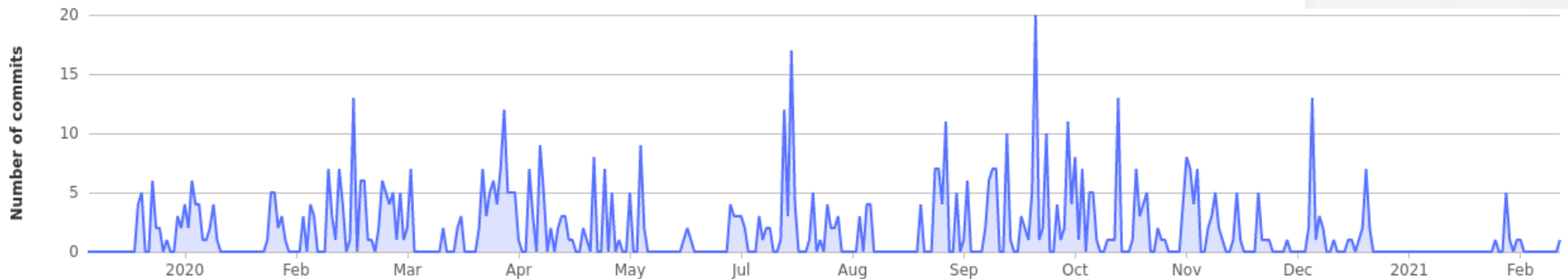
- Wiki (installation, usage, examples, ...)

- Automated tests

- Automated deploy

Involvement & adoption

- Contributions from all the countries
- Contributors:
 - C. Dai, M. Duranti, V. Formato, L. Jouvin, X. Liu, N. Mori, A. Oliva, L. Pacini, A. Tykhonov, V. Vagelli, M. A. Velasco, M. Xu



- More contributors are welcome!



Involvement & adoption

- Regular update talks during analysis meetings
- Detector studies:
 - Geometrical factor (L. Pacini) ★
 - Backscattering on PSD (P. Hu) ★
 - FIT/STK performance with gamma rays (L. Jouvin, L. Fariña) ★
 - Trigger (J. Casaus, M. Xu et al.) *
 - CALO reconstruction and performance (V. Vagelli et al.) *
 - CALO readout effects (S. Bottai) *
 - SCD charge ID performance (A. Oliva, L. Quadrani) *
 - ...

* Presented at this workshop

★ Presented at this previous workshop / analysis meeting



Plans for future

- Implementation of CERN test beam features
 - Geometry etc.
 - The majority of the existing algorithms will work also on TB data
- Digitization of CALO IsCMOS readout
 - Need help from Chinese colleagues
- Implementation of STK/SCD electronics effects
- Continue to work on reconstruction
 - CALO (energy of the primary particle etc.)
 - Tracking
 - ...
- ...

Summary

- The framework has grown in features since Xi'an meeting
 - Almost all the presented features were added during last year
- Well-established and robust concurrent development workflow and tools
 - Many contributors, but more are needed!
- Successfully in use for many detector performance studies
 - Happy to support other use cases
- Challenging and exciting roadmap for the future