



Tracking – 1 Basics and Reconstruction

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Tracking Systems in 'Old Days'



At the beginning of particle physics, the techniques for observing particles were developed together with the physical ideas about them. Most techniques were based on optically observing their paths and recording them by photographs.

A first tracking detector was the cloud chamber invented by Wilson in 1910: Particles traverse supersaturated water/alcohol vapor. The e⁻/ion pairs in the track act as condensation nuclei.







Bubble Chambers



The bubble chamber was invented by D. Glaser in 1952 (NP 1960). Particles traverse a superheated liquid and the deposited energy creates bubbles \rightarrow Photos are made.



Discovery of the Ω^- in 1964



Discovery of Neutral Currents





Spark Chamber and Emulsions



Invented by M. Blau (1930s), particles initiate a chemical reaction that blackens the emulsion.



C. Powell, Discovery of muon and pion 1947



Discovery of the muon Neutrino in 1962 (M. Schwartz)



Detectors in High Energy Physics



https://www.e18.ph.tum.de/research/high-energy

Today's detectors are read out completely electronically \rightarrow reconstruction and analysis can be done by computers.

2 main layouts of HEP experiments

 Fixed target experiments, e.g. Compass, (LHCb) Because of the boost, particles go predominantly in one direction, only a small part of the solid angle has to be covered.

2.) Collider experiments,
 e.g. CMS, ATLAS
 Particles are created at rest and
 decay products go in all directions
 → 4π coverage necessary









Detectors in High Energy Physics









General Requirements for a Tracking System



Some general statements can be made on general requirements of a tracking system.

Obviously, experiment specific requirements will often surpass these.

- Detect charged particles with high efficiency
- Precise measurement of particle track (direction, origin, etc)
- Momentum measurement
- Determining the sign of the charge, possibly also the charge itself
- Particle identification for example by dE/dx
- Study impact parameter, that is the distance of the track to the expected point of collision
- Robust measurements in environments with many tracks
- Operation for a long time, in particular also able to stand a lot of radiation without aging
- Cheap 🕐





Track Parameters



A straight line in the 3dimensional room is described by 6 parameters.

 $\vec{x}(t) = \vec{x}_0 + \vec{p} \cdot t$

However, a straight track is described by 5 parameters. (If t is replaced special geometries can be chosen, so that one more parameter is not needed.

The choice of parameters depends on the track model and is mostly driven by optimizing the reconstruction algorithm and computing time.

Often the point of closest approach to the nominal interaction point and two angles are used.







Charged Particles in a Magnetic Field



Free particles moving with constant velocity will be forced on a circular track by a magnetic field

$$\vec{F}_{Lorentz} \stackrel{!}{=} \vec{F}_{centrif}$$
$$q\left(\vec{v} \times \vec{B}\right) = \gamma m \frac{\vec{v}^2}{R} \hat{e}_{\perp,\vec{v}}$$
$$qvB = \gamma m \frac{v^2}{R}$$
$$\Rightarrow qBR = \gamma mv = p$$

In scalar notation:

Taking a look at the units: [q] = e $[B] = \frac{Vs}{m^2}$ [R] = m

$$[qBR] = e \frac{Vs}{m^2}m = eV \frac{s}{m} \stackrel{c=3\cdot10^8}{=} \frac{m}{s} eV \frac{3\cdot10^8}{c} = 0.3 \frac{GeV}{c}$$

$$p\left(\frac{\text{GeV}}{\text{c}}\right) = 0.3 \ B(\text{T}) \ R(\text{m})$$



Magnet Field Configurations

In HEP experiments three field configurations are used:

- 1) Dipole fields (for fixed target experiments)
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3) Toroidal fields (for muon system of collider experiment)

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http://newsline.linearcollider.org/2011/05/ 05/one-hundred-years-of-superconductivity/cms-solenoid-magnet/



Dipole Magnets in HEP



The field strength and the radius of the magnets are given by the physics requirements of the experiments. In particular the accelerator maximum energy gives a first guess on BR^2

Experiment	Laboratory	В	Radius I	ength	Energy	X/X_0	E/M	
		[T]	[m]	[m]	[MJ]		[kJ/kg]	
TOPAZ*	KEK	1.2	1.45	5.4	20	0.70	4.3	50-64 GeV (e+/e-)
CDF^*	Tsukuba/Fermi	1.5	1.5	5.07	30	0.84	5.4	1.96 TeV (p/p)
VENUS*	KEK	0.75	1.75	5.64	12	0.52	2.8	E0.64.CoV(ov(ov))
AMY*	KEK	3	1.29	3	40	Ť		50-04 Gev (e+/e-)
CLEO-II*	Cornell	1.5	1.55	3.8	25	2.5	3.7	<u>3.5-1</u> 2 GeV (e+/e-)
$ALEPH^*$	Saclay/CERN	1.5	2.75	7.0	130	2.0	5.5	90-216 GeV (e+/e-)
DELPHI*	RAL/CERN	1.2	2.8	7.4	109	1.7	4.2	
$\rm ZEUS^*$	INFN/DESY	1.8	1.5	2.85	11	0.9	5.5	920/27.5 GeV (p/e)
$H1^*$	RAL/DESY	1.2	2.8	5.75	120	1.8	4.8	
$BaBar^*$	INFN/SLAC	1.5	1.5	3.46	27	†	3.6	<u>9/3.1</u> GeV (<u>e</u> +/e-)
$D0^*$	Fermi	2.0	0.6	2.73	5.6	0.9	3.7	1.96 TeV (p/p)
BELLE*	KEK	1.5	1.8	4	42	†	5.3	7/4 GeV (e+/e-)
BES-III	IHEP	1.0	1.475	3.5	9.5	t	2.6	4.6 GeV (e+/e-)
ATLAS-CS	ATLAS/CERN	2.0	1.25	5.3	38	0.66	7.0	
ATLAS-BT	ATLAS/CERN	1	4.7 - 9.75	26	1080	(Toroid))†	13 TeV (p/p)
ATLAS-ET	ATLAS/CERN	1	0.825 - 5.35	5	2×250	(Toroid))†	
CMS	CMS/CERN	4	6	12.5	2600	†	12	
SiD^{**}	ILC	5	2.9	5.6	1560	†	12	90-500 GeV (e+/e-)
ILD**	ILC	4	3.8	7.5	2300	†	13	
SiD**	CLIC	5	2.8	6.2	2300	†	14	1-3 TeV (e+/e-)
ILD**	CLIC	4	3.8	7.9	2300	Ť		(0 , 0)
FCC^{**}		6	6	23	54000	†	12	100 TeV (p/p)

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Track Parameters in B-fields (I)



In magnetic fields, the particle path can be derived starting from the Lorentz force: $\vec{F}_{Lorentz} = m\dot{\vec{v}} = q\left(\vec{v} \times \vec{B}\right)$

Assuming a homogenous B field, which can be directed along the z axis allows to solve for v:

$$\vec{v}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} v_T \cos\left(\eta \omega_B t + \psi_0\right) \\ -v_T \sin\left(\eta \omega_B t + \psi_0\right) \\ v_z \end{pmatrix}$$

with $\omega_{B} = |q|B/\gamma m$, $\eta = q/|q|$, and $v_{T} = \sqrt{v_{x}^{2} + v_{y}^{2}}$ Integration gives

$$\vec{x}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} x_0 + \frac{v_T}{\eta\omega_B}\sin\left(\eta\omega_B t + \psi_0\right) \\ y_0 + \frac{v_T}{\eta\omega_B}\cos\left(\eta\omega_B t + \psi_0\right) \\ z_0 + v_z t \end{pmatrix}$$

=> Helix trajectory with 6 parameters $x_0, y_0, v_{\tau}, \eta, \omega_{B}, \psi_0$





Track Parameters in B-fields (II)



Eliminating *t*, introducing the radius $R = v_{T} / \omega_{R}$ an rearranging gives

$$\vec{x}(t) = \begin{pmatrix} x_0 + R\left(\cos\left(\psi_0 - \eta\psi\right) - \cos\psi_0\right) \\ y_0 + R\left(\sin\left(\psi_0 - \eta\psi\right) - \sin\psi_0\right) \\ z_0 + \frac{R\psi}{\tan\theta} \end{pmatrix}$$

with parameters x_0 , y_0 , z_0 , R, ψ_0 , θ and η . Often also $\kappa = \eta/R$ and $d_0 = \sqrt{x_0^2 + y_0^2}$ is used, because the start point of the helix can not be measured (only 5 parameters).



1) Curvature κ

- 2) Angle between *x*-axis and the vector
 - origin-PCA
- 3) Shortest distance of

helix to origin in $r-\phi$: d_o

- Angle θ of track to zaxis at PCA
- 5) Intersection of track

with *z*-axis: *z*





Multiple Scattering



Multiple Scattering(I)



Particles are deviated in the electrical field of the nuclei. This Coulomb scattering gives small, random deviations of the original path. It is given by the Rutherford cross section

$$\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\Big|_{Rutherford} = z^2 Z^2 \alpha^2 \hbar^2 \frac{1}{\beta^2 p^2} \frac{1}{4\sin^4 \frac{\theta}{2}}$$

In a sufficiently thick material the resulting scattering angle θ is Gaussian distributed (central limit theorem), $_{\text{P}}^{10^2}$ but there are tails because of stronger scatterings

→ Moliere-theory

Assuming only the Gaussian part, one is usually not interested in the spatial distribution, but only in the projection in one plane (e.g. $r - \phi$ for solenoidal B-fields). Usually not the 3D angle θ_{space} is interesting, but only the projection in one plane:

$$\theta_0 = \theta_{plane}^{rms} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \theta_{space}^{rms}$$







Depending on the problem under study, the following parameters might be of interest: $\frac{1}{1} a^{\text{rms}} = \frac{1}{1} a$

$$\psi_{\text{plane}}^{\text{rms}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \theta_{\text{plane}}^{\text{rms}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \theta_0 ,$$

$$y_{\text{plane}}^{\text{rms}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} x \theta_{\text{plane}}^{\text{rms}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} x \theta_0 ,$$

$$s_{\text{plane}}^{\text{rms}} = \frac{1}{4\sqrt{3}} x \theta_{\text{plane}}^{\text{rms}} = \frac{1}{4\sqrt{3}} x \theta_0$$







Resolution Limitation





In the most simple case, there are two tracking detectors before the magnet and two after the magnet placed at the same distance from each other. If *B* is well know, only θ is of interest.

$$\theta = \frac{L}{R} = \frac{L}{p}eB$$

The additional transverse momentum gives

$$\Delta p_x = p \cdot \sin \theta \approx p\theta = LeB \qquad \rightarrow p = \frac{LeB}{\theta} \qquad \rightarrow dp = \frac{LeB}{\theta^2} d\theta = \frac{p}{\theta} d\theta$$





Simple Case of Fixed Target (III)
Alternative approach: The sagitta method

$$r \text{ Detectors in the magnetic field}$$

$$\frac{R-s}{R} = 1 - \frac{s}{R} = \cos \frac{\alpha}{2} \approx 1 - \frac{\alpha^2}{8} \rightarrow \frac{s}{R} = \frac{\alpha^2}{8}$$

$$\frac{L}{2R} = \sin \frac{\alpha}{2} \approx \frac{\alpha}{2} \rightarrow \alpha = \frac{L}{R}$$
Putting it together gives

$$s = \frac{R\alpha^2}{8} = \frac{RL^2}{8R^2} = \frac{1}{8}\frac{L^2}{R} = \frac{1}{8}L^2\kappa$$
For three detectors: $s = y_3 - \frac{y_1 + y_2}{2} \rightarrow \sigma(s) = \sqrt{\sigma_3(x)^2 + \frac{\sigma_1(x)^2 + \sigma_2(x)^2}{4}} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}\sigma(x)$
Error on the curvature $\sigma(\kappa) = \frac{8}{L^2}\sigma(s) = \frac{8}{L^2}\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}\sigma(x) = \frac{\sqrt{96}}{L^2}\sigma(x)$
More than 3 detectors $\sigma(\kappa) = \frac{\sigma(x)}{L^2}\sqrt{\frac{720(N-1)^3}{(N-2)N(N+1)(N+2)}} \stackrel{N \ge 10}{\approx} \frac{\sigma(x)}{L^2}\sqrt{\frac{720}{N+4}}$

Simple Case of Fixed Target (IV)

The error on the momentum is

$$\sigma(p_x) = \frac{p_x^2}{|q|B} \sigma(\kappa) \approx \frac{p_x^2}{0.3|z|B} \sigma(\kappa)$$

and the momentum resolution because of limited detector resolution is given by the Gluckstern equation:

$$\left. \frac{\sigma(p_x)}{p_x} \right|^{det} = \frac{p_x}{0.3|z|} \frac{\sigma(x)}{BL^2} \sqrt{\frac{720}{N+4}}$$

In the total momentum resolution is given by the quadratic sum of the two components:







 $\frac{\sigma(p_T)}{p_T}\Big|^{det} = \frac{p_T}{0.3|z|} \frac{\sigma(x)}{BR^2} \sqrt{\frac{720}{N+4}}$

What do we learn from the equation for the design of a HEP experiment?

- 1) Momentum resolution improves quadratically with radius
- 2) Momentum resolution improves linearly with the B-field
- 3) Detectors with better spatial resolution helps
- 4) Number of track points also improves the result

5) $\sigma(p)/p$ increases with $p \rightarrow$ more difficult to measure high energetic tracks





Multiple Scattering in the Sagitta Method

The scattering adds another component to the sagitta

$$\langle s_x \rangle = \frac{1}{4\sqrt{3}} L \theta_0 \approx \sigma(s)$$



This contributes to the error of the curvature. In the case of three equidistant detectors this is:

$$\sigma_{\kappa} = \frac{8}{L^2} \sigma(s) = \frac{8}{L^2} \frac{1}{4\sqrt{3}} L \theta_0 = \sqrt{\frac{4}{3}} \frac{\theta_0}{L} = \frac{0.0136 \text{ GeV}}{p\beta cL} z \sqrt{\frac{L}{X_0 \sin \theta_0}} \sqrt{1.33}$$

For more detectors the error of κ changes only slightly

$$\sigma_{\kappa} = \frac{\theta_0}{L}\sqrt{1.43} = \frac{0.0136 \text{ GeV}}{p\beta cL} z \sqrt{\frac{L}{X_0 \sin \theta_0}} \sqrt{1.43}$$

Giving a final result of

$$\left(\frac{\sigma_{p_T}}{p_T}\right)\Big|^{MS} = \frac{0.054}{LB\beta}\sqrt{\frac{L}{X_0\sin\theta_0}}$$





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Example ATLAS Tracking Naive Approximation



<u>Pixel detector:</u> N = 3 layers, Spatial resolution $\sigma = 12 \,\mu m$ Radius R = 5 cm - 12 cmSemiConductor Tracker (SCT): N = 4 layers, Spatial resolution σ_{r} = 16 µm 2.1m-Radius R = 30 cm - 51 cmTransition Radiation Tracker (TRT): N = 36 layers, Spatial resolution σ = 170 µm Radius R = 55 cm - 108 cm => Averaging for better $\sigma_{\rm c}$ N = 1, σ_{r} = 28 µm, R = 82 cm <u>Total Tracking System:</u> N = 8 layers, $\sigma_x = 17 \ \mu\text{m}, R = 5 \ \text{cm} - 80 \ \text{cm} \rightarrow L = 75 \ \text{cm}$



The momentum resolution because of detector resolution is:

$$\left.\frac{\sigma_{p_T}}{p_T}\right|^{det} = \frac{p_T \sigma_x}{0.3|z|BL^2} \sqrt{\frac{720}{N+4}} =$$

$$= \frac{p_T \cdot 17 \cdot 10^{-6} \text{ m}}{0.3 \cdot 1 \cdot 2 \text{ T} \cdot (0.75 \text{ m})^2} \sqrt{\frac{720}{8+4}} = 0.0004 \cdot p_T$$



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Example ATLAS Tracking Published Performance



The estimate of $\left. \frac{\sigma_{p_T}}{p_T} \right|^{det} = 0.0004 \cdot p_T$ fits well with the official detector

requirement of $\sigma_{pT}/p_T = 0.05\% p_T$ (GeV/c) + 1%

The additional 1% is given because of the material budget of the inner detectors:



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Vertex Reconstruction





Vertex Reconstruction



Particles produced in the collision decay fast, but they can fly a certain distance / before decaying:

 $I = \beta \gamma c \tau$

Particle	m (GeV/ c^2)	au (10 ⁻¹² s)	$I(p_{T}=10GeV)$
τ^+	1.776	0.290	500 µm
D^0	1.865	0.410	700 µm
D^+	1.869	1.040	1700 µm
Λ_c^+	2.286	0.200	300 µm
$B_{\rm S}^0$	5.367	1.512	800 µm
B^+	5.279	1.641	900 µm
Λ_b	5.619	1.425	800 µm





Example of Decay Chain



Identifying the primary vertex (PV), secondary vertex (SV) and tertiary vertex (TV) is important to understand the decay chain of the particle and to reconstruct its mass and life time completely.







Impact Parameter





Impact parameter d_{n} quantifies the mismatch to the primary vertex (PV) The impact parameter significance $S_{do} = d_0 / \sigma_{do}$ serves as selection criterion to distinguish tracks from primary or secondary vertices.

The track as measured by the tracking detectors has to be extrapolated to the vertices. This can be done with

• Linear extrapolation y = a + bx (no magnetic field)

• Quadratic extrapolation $y = a + bx + cx^2$ (good approximation for helix in B)



Errors on the vertex position y_v is given for linear

approx. by $\sigma_{d_0} = \sigma_y = \sqrt{\sigma_a^2 + x_v^2 \sigma_c^2}$

or for quadratic approx. by

$$\sigma_{d_0} = \sigma_y = \sqrt{\sigma_a^2 + x_v^2 \sigma_c^2 + \frac{1}{4} x_V^4 \sigma_c^2 + x_v^2 \sigma_{ac}}$$



Simple Picture





The theorem of intersection lines gives for the special cases for the impact parameter errors:

1.)
$$\sigma_1 > 0$$
, $\sigma_2 = 0$: $\sigma_{d_0} = \sigma_b = \frac{r_2}{r_2 - r_1} \sigma_1$
2.) $\sigma_1 > 0$, $\sigma_2 = 0$: $\sigma_{d_0} = \sigma_b = \frac{r_1}{r_2 - r_1} \sigma_2$

The complete error is then given by:

$$\sigma_{d_0} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{r_2}{r_2 - r_1}\sigma_1\right)^2 + \left(\frac{r_1}{r_2 - r_1}\sigma_2\right)^2 + \left(\sigma_{d_0}^{MS}\right)^2}$$

with $\sigma_{d_0}^{MS} = \theta_0 r_1$





For 2 layers with $\sigma_1 \neq \sigma_2$ at r_1 and $r_2 \sigma_{d_0} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{r_2}{r_2 - r_1}\sigma_1\right)^2 + \left(\frac{r_1}{r_2 - r_1}\sigma_2\right)^2 + \left(\sigma_{d_0}^{MS}\right)^2}$

Discussion

For more than 2 layers with equal spatial resolutions $\sigma_1 = \sigma_2 = \sigma_N = \sigma_x$

$$\sigma_{d_0} = \sqrt{\sigma_a + x_V^2 \sigma_b^2} = \frac{\sigma_x}{\sqrt{N}} \sqrt{1 + \frac{12(N-1)}{N+1} \left(\frac{x_0}{L}\right)^2} = \frac{\sigma_x}{\sqrt{N}} \sqrt{1 + \frac{12(N-1)}{N+1} \left(\frac{\frac{r_N + r_1}{2}}{r_N - r_1}\right)^2}$$

From these formulas we can deduce the following rules for vertex detector optimization:

1) First layer needs best resolution

(factor $r_2/(r_2-r_1)$ is larger than for other layers)

2) Large lever arm $(r_2 - r_1)$

3) Place first layer as close as possible to vertex (r_1 small)

4) Larger number of layers improves result with \sqrt{N}

For extrapolations with curvature:

$$\sigma_{d_0} = \frac{\sigma_x}{\sqrt{N}} \sqrt{1 + \frac{12(N-1)}{N+1} \left(\frac{x_0}{L}\right)^2 + \frac{180(N-1)^3}{(N-2)(N+1)(N+2)} \left(\frac{x_0}{L}\right)^4 + \frac{30N^2}{(N-2)(N+2)} \left(\frac{x_0}{L}\right)^2}$$



ATLAS Vertex Detector



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Number of layer: N = 3 at $r_1 = 4.7$ cm, $r_2 = 9.1$ cm, $r_3 = 13.5$ cm

Putting in the numbers, one gets: $\sigma_{do} = 15.7 \,\mu m$ (linear extrapolation) $\sigma_{do} = 45.5 \,\mu m$ (quadr. extrapolation)









Track Reconstruction





General Comments



Raw data usually have to be treated before any further steps can be done.

- Calibration results have to applied to raw data Electronics channels may have different amplifications/capacitors etc.
 - \rightarrow to compare the hits on channels, calibration is important
 - \rightarrow possibly also conversion from ADC units to absolute charge (in e⁻)
- Determine time information and other properties from the time development of the signal on one channel.
- Reconstruct a cluster from neighboring channels. Often the center of gravity algorithm is used

$$x = \frac{\sum_{i_1}^{N} q_i x_i}{\sum_{i_1}^{N} q_i} \qquad \qquad \underbrace{\begin{array}{c|c} & \mathbf{q}_1 & \mathbf{q}_2 & \mathbf{q}_3 & \mathbf{q}_4 \\ & & \mathbf{x}_0 & \mathbf{x}_1 & \mathbf{x}_2 & \mathbf{x}_3 & \mathbf{x}_4 & \mathbf{x}_5 & \mathbf{x}_6 \end{array}}_{\mathbf{x}_0 \mathbf{x}_1 \mathbf{x}_1 \mathbf{x}_2 \mathbf{x}_2 \mathbf{x}_3 \mathbf{x}_3 \mathbf{x}_4 \mathbf{x}_5 \mathbf{x}_6 \mathbf{x}$$

- Based on information from previous alignment studies, the reconstructed clusters may have to be shifted to the correct position.
- During track finding hits will be combined to form a track
- Track fitting gives the final parameters and errors of the track.



Calculation of Spatial Resolution

Spatial resolution of a uniformly distributed signal with pads of the width d.

We first need a normalized distribution of the particle (particle density function):

$$\int_{-\frac{d}{2}}^{\frac{d}{2}} f(x) \, dx = 1 \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad f(x) = \frac{1}{d}$$

Now we calculate the variance of the position measurement: $d = \frac{d}{d} + \frac{d}{d} = \frac{d}{d} + \frac$

Urement:

$$\sigma_x^2 = \langle x^2 \rangle - \langle x \rangle^2 = \int_{-\frac{d}{2}}^{\frac{d}{2}} x^2 f(x) \, dx - \left(\int_{-\frac{d}{2}}^{\frac{d}{2}} x f(x) \, dx\right)^2 = \frac{1}{d} \int_{-\frac{d}{2}}^{\frac{d}{2}} x^2 \, dx - \left(\frac{1}{d} \int_{-\frac{d}{2}}^{\frac{d}{2}} x \, dx\right)^2 = \frac{1}{d} \frac{x^3}{3} \Big|_{-\frac{d}{2}}^{\frac{d}{2}} - \frac{1}{d} \frac{x^2}{2} \Big|_{-\frac{d}{2}}^{\frac{d}{2}} = \frac{1}{d} \cdot 2 \cdot \frac{1}{3} \frac{d^3}{8} - 0 = \frac{d^2}{12}$$

$$\sigma_x = \frac{d}{\sqrt{12}} \approx \frac{d}{3.5}$$









KF for Track Finding

1) Find a seed track: This is often a combinatorial approach using the 2-3 outermost layers and an inner layers of measurement. The outside is chose, because tracks are separated and possible combinations are reduced.



- 2) <u>Make a track estimate:</u> Based on the currently available track points and their errors, a prediction is made for hits in the next detector layer.
- 3) <u>Looking for hit:</u> If hit is found, add it to track and update the track prediction for the next layer.







A filter can be built, that stores the intermediate results of the filter

 \rightarrow outliers such as noise or hits from close tracks can be identified and removed afterward.

The best parameter estimate can be given at any point.

Because of the flexibility, the algorithm is widely used for tracking objects in real time:

Radar tracking, sonar ranging, satellite orbit computation, automated driving





Hough Transformation



Robust global algorithm to find geometrical forms such as lines or circles in a random background. Invented by Paul Hough in 1962.

- 1) Space points are transformed according to the track model into the parameter space.
- 2) Space points correspond to lines in the parameter space.
- 3) Find point with most line crossings in the parameters space.
 - \rightarrow point gives good estimate for track parameter estimates

Often used in pattern recognitions software for picture. e.g. in astronomy





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HT in 2 Dimensions





But it is better to use the parameters d_0 and ϕ . The transformation is:

 $b = d_0/\cos\phi$ and

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n

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The track becomes then in the parameter

-1

0

 $d_{o}=y \cdot \cos \phi - x \cdot \sin \phi$



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18 16

12 10

8 6

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- Parameter space is a histogram
- Add the value 1 to all bins, which the lines touch
- Search for bin with highest entries
- Accept all lines in an ellipse given by the errors of the space point measurement.
- Combine these lines/space points to one track
- Refit the space points to get a better parameter estimate (only as good as histogram binning)
- Remove all entries of the space points from the histogram
- Restart with searching bin with most entries.

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Experiment ILD at ILC







Linear e^+e^- collider with $\sqrt{s} = 90/250/350/500/1000$ GeV:



Point-like particles collide and annihilate. Energy, momentum and all quantum numbers are known. High degree of polarization ($e^- \approx 80\%$, $e^+ \approx 30\%$)

Bunch structure: Damping takes 0.2 s, then bunches are collided

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200 ms

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Experiments



Two detectors are used alternatively with a push-pull device.



Both detectors are based on the same design idea and differ in the implementation.





II D



Detectors are standard multipurpose detectors of HEP Similar to LEP detectors, but with much more advanced technologies



•6 layers of silicon pixel detectors •2 layers of silicon strip detector •TPC

- •1 layer of silicon strip detector
- Electromagnetic calorimeter
- •Hadronic calorimeter
- Coil for a B=3.5 T solenoidal field Instrumented return yoke

Detector has been laid out and optimized for the particle flow concept





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Particle Flow Concept



A limiting factor in multi-jet event reconstruction is the poor energy resolution of hadronic jets because of the traditional calorimetric approach: Measure all components of jet energy in ECAL/HCAL !

But typical hadronic jet contains: 64 % charged hadrons (mainly π^{\pm}) 25 % photons (mainly from $\pi \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$) 11 % neutral hadrons (mainly K_L and n) Best energy resolution for these

particles can be obtained in different sub-detectors.





To realize the concept, one needs an unprecedented detector and an excellent reconstruction algorithm: Tracks measured in central detector

- \rightarrow but energy should not be counted twice
- \rightarrow disentangle calorimeter measurements from neutral/charged particles



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Requirements on Tracking Detectors



Need a very robust, efficient tracking, which can identify and separate tracks even in high track densities.





Need calorimeters with a very high granularity: cell sizes of 3*3 cm² or even 1*1 cm² are discussed.







Requirements of Tracking System



Table II-3.2 Performance goals for the main tracker.

Parameter

Design goals

Detector

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		coverage momentum resolution $\delta(1/p_{\rm T})$				hermetic about $\sim 2-5 imes 1$	ove $\theta \sim 10^{\circ}$ $0^{-5}/\text{GeV}/c$	ILC DBD V4		
ale "		mate	material budget			$\sim 0.10 - 0.15 X_0$				
ais						$\sim 0.20 - 0.25 X_0$	in endcap region			
		hit ef	fficienc	y		> 9	9%			
		back	ground	tolera	ince	Full efficiency at $10\times$	expected occupancy	~ F		· · · · · · · · · ·
	Barrel sy	ystem						0.5	SET outside TPC	10
	System	R(in)	R(out [mm]) z	comments			0.4	— TPC — SIT + FTD — VXT	LLL NAM
	VTX	16	60	125	3 double layers	Silicon pixel sensors	,	0.3		
					layer 1:	layer 2:	layer 3-6			
					$\sigma < 3 \mu m$	$\sigma < 6 \mu m$	$\sigma < 4 \mu m$	0.2		
	Silicon							0.2		
	- SIT	153	300	644	2 silicon strip layer	rs $\sigma = 7 \mu m$		0.1		
	- SET	1811		2300	2 silicon strip laye	rs $\sigma=7\mu m$				
	- TPC	330	1808	2350	MPGD readout	$1 \times 6 \mathrm{mm}^2 \mathrm{~pads}$	$\sigma~=~60 \mu m$ at zero drift	0	-80 -60	-40 -20

Design Goal

Figure III-1.5

Left: Momentum resolution as a function of the transverse momentum of particles, for tracks with different polar angles. Also shown is the theoretical expectation. Right: Flavour tagging performance for $Z \rightarrow q\bar{q}$ samples at different energies.



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