

Jet Reconstruction at the LHC (Lecture 1)

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Overview

Lecture 1 (Saturday, October 4th, 2008, 12:30-13:30): Signals from particle jets

- Experimentalist's view on jets
- Jet response of a non-compensating calorimeter
- Brief view at the ATLAS & CMS detectors
- Calorimeter signal reconstruction: cells, towers, clusters

Lecture 2 (Sunday, October 5th, 2008, 12:30-13:30): Jet algorithms and reconstruction

- Physics environment for jet reconstruction at LHC
- Jet algorithms and reconstruction guidelines
- Jet calibration strategies
- Jet Reconstruction Performance

Lecture 3 (Sunday, October 5th, 2008, 17:00-18:00): Refinement of jet reconstruction at LHC

- Refined calibration using other detectors
- Tagging jets from pile-up
- The origin of jets: masses and shapes
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Lecture 1: Experimentalist's view on jets

Experiment ("Nature") Jet Reconstruction Challenges calorimeter jet longitudinal energy leakage CH detector signal inefficiencies (dead channels, HV...) pile-up noise from (off- and in-time) bunch crossings electronic noise adrons FH calo signal definition (clustering, noise suppression...) dead material losses (front, cracks, transitions...) detector response characteristics $(e/h \neq 1)$ EM jet reconstruction algorithm efficiency lost soft tracks due to magnetic field particle jet Time added tracks from underlying event added tracks from in-time (same trigger) pile-up event jet reconstruction algorithm efficiency parton jet

physics reaction of interest (interaction or parton level)



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Jet Reconstruction

Experimental goal

- Find the best "picture" of the final state representing the collision dynamics behind a given event
 - Best reconstruction of fragmented hard scattered parton and general event energy flow
 - 4 "Resolution" requirements for this picture depend on physics question asked
 - Reconstruct source of jet

Sequential process

- Input signal selection
 - Get the best signals out of your detector on a given scale
- Preparation for jet finding
 - Suppression/cancellation of "unphysical" signal objects with E<0 (due to noise)
 - Possibly event ambiguity resolution (remove reconstructed electrons, photons, taus,... from detector signal)
 - Pre-clustering to speed up reconstruction (not needed as much anymore)
- Jet finding
 - Apply your jet finder of choice
- Jet calibration
 - Bepending on detector, jet finder choices, references...
- Jet selection
 - Apply cuts on kinematics etc. to select jets of interest or significance

Objective

- Reconstruct particle level features
 - East models and extract physics



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Jet Signal Detection

Calorimeters are the detectors of choice

- Generate signals from charged and neutral particles in jets
 - Tracking devices only sensitive to charged particles
- Full absorption detectors
 - All energy of the original particle deposited within calorimeter
 - Generate signals proportional to energy deposit
- Segmented readout
 - Collection energy in (small) volumes allows reconstruction of the particle direction
 - Spatial energy distribution hints at incoming particle nature

Overall detector contributes to detection efficiency

- Magnetic field
 - Often solenoid field in inner detector cavity in front of calorimeters
 - Leads to jet energy losses due to bending of charged particles away from the calorimeter (low pT, no calorimeter signal at all) or away from the jet
- Inactive materials
 - Energy losses in inner detector and its services and support (from point of calorimetry)
 - Energy losses in mechanical structures insides (support beams, internal transition regions etc.) and outside the calorimeter (cryostat walls etc.)



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Jet Response Of Non-compensating Calorimeters



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Calorimeter Basics (1)

Full absorption detector

- Idea is to convert incoming particle energy into detectable signals
 - Light or electric current
 - Should work for charged and neutral particles
- Exploits the fact that particles entering matter deposit their energy in particle cascades
 - & Electrons/photons in electromagnetic showers
 - Charged pions, protons, neutrons in hadronic showers
 - Muons do not shower at all in general

Principal design challenges

- Need dense matter to absorb particles within a small detector volume
 - Lead for electrons and photons, copper or iron for hadrons
- Need "light" material to collect signals with least losses
 - Scintillator plastic, nobel gases and liquids
- Solution I: combination of both features
 - Crystal calorimetry, BGO
- Solution II: sampling calorimetry



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Calorimeter Basics (2)

- Sampling calorimeters
 - Use dense material for absorption power...
 - & No direct signal
 - …in combination with highly efficient active material
 - Generates signal
 - Consequence: only a certain fraction of the incoming energy is directly converted into a signal
 - Typically 1-10%
 - Signal is therefore subjected to sampling statistics
 - A The same energy loss by a given particle type may generate different signals
 - Limit of precision in measurements

Need to understand particle response

Electromagnetic and hadronic showers



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Electromagnetic Calorimeter Signals



Electromagnetic showers

- Particle cascade generated by electrons/positrons and photons in matter
- Developed by bremsstrahlung & pair-production

Compact signal

- Regular shower shapes
 - Small shower-to-shower fluctuations
- Strong correlation between longitudinal and lateral shower spread



Well measured in sampling calorimeters

- Signal directly proportional to deposited energy
- Signal resolution nearly completely due to sampling fluctuations



$$E_{vis} \propto N_{\times} \frac{dE}{dx} d \approx N_{\times} \Delta E$$

$$\sigma(N_{\times}) = \sqrt{N_{\times}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma(E_{vis}) \propto \sqrt{N_{\star} \Delta E} \propto \sqrt{E_{in}}$$



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Lecture 1: Jet response of non-compensating calorimeters

Hadronic Showers

- Particle cascade generated in matter by hadron-nucleon collisions in nucleus
- Driving force for shower development Gru is strong interaction Par
 - ~200 possible processes with <1% probability each!
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Hadron-nucleus interaction:

- Intrinsic
 electromagnetic
 showers from π⁰
 production in
 inelastic hadronic
 interaction
- Fast component from internal hadronnucleon cascades produce more hadrons continues shower development
- (2) Energy in slow nuclear phase with nuclear fission or break-up, and evaporation (deexitation) lost for shower development



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Hadronic Shower Characteristics

Hadronic signals

- Signal only from ionization by charged particles and intrinsic electromagnetic showers
- Large energy losses without signal generation
 - & Binding energy losses
 - Escaping energy/slow particles (neutrinos/neutrons)
- Signal depends on size of electromagnetic component
 - Energy invested in neutral pions lost for further hadronic shower development
 - & Fluctuating significantly shower-by-shower
 - & Weakly depending on incoming hadron energy

Consequence: non-compensation

Hadrons generate less signal than electrons depositing the same energy



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Shower Parameters

Electromagnetic

- 🖟 Compact
 - Growths in depth ~log(E)
- Longitudinal extension scale is radiation length X₀
 - Distance in matter in which ~50% of electron energy is radiated off
 - Photons 9/7 X₀
- Strong correlation between lateral and longitudinal shower development
- Small shower-to-shower fluctuations
 - & Very regular development
- Can be simulated with high precision
 - 1% or better, depending on features

Hadronic

- Scattered, significantly bigger
 - Growths in depth ~log(E)
- Longitudinal extension scale is interaction length λ
 - Average distance between two inelastic interactions in matter
 - Varies significantly for pions, protons, neutrons
- Weak correlation between longitudinal and lateral shower development
- Large shower-to-shower fluctuations
 - & Very irregular development
- Can be simulated with reasonable precision
 - 2-5% depending on feature



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Hadronic Signal Composition (1)

Single hadron response:

$$\pi(E) = \left(1 - f_{em}(E)\right) \cdot \mathbf{h} + f_{em}(E) \cdot \mathbf{e}$$
$$= \left(\left(1 - f_{em}(E)\right) \frac{\mathbf{h}}{\mathbf{e}} + f_{em}\right) \cdot \mathbf{e}$$

with intrinsic electromagnetic energy fraction in hadronic showers parametrized as*:

$$f_{em}(E) = 1 - \left(\frac{E}{E_0}\right)^{m-1}$$

m = 0.8 - 0.85, E \approx \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \text{GeV} & \text{for } \pi^{\pm } \\ 2.6 & \text{GeV} & \text{for } p \end{bmatrix}



*D.Groom et al., NIM A338, 336-347 (1994)



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Hadron Signal Composition (2)

Observable

$$e/\pi \approx \frac{e}{\left(E/E_0\right)^{m-1}h + \left(1 - \left(E/E_0\right)^{m-1}\right)e} = \frac{1}{1 - \left(1 - \frac{h}{e}\right)\left(E/E_0\right)^{m-1}}$$

provides experimental access to characteristic calorimeter variables in pion testbeams, like *e*/*h*, by fitting the energy dependence of the pion signal in testbeams:

$$e/\pi = E_{rec}/E_{dep}$$
, with $e/h = const$

e/h is often constant, example: in both H1 and ATLAS about 50% of the energy in the hadronic branch generates a signal independent of the energy itself





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Jet Signal Composition

Jet response with perfect acceptance (all particles detected):

$$j(E) = f_{em}^{jet} \cdot \mathbf{e} + \left(1 - f_{em}^{jet}\right) \cdot \pi = \left(f_{em}^{jet} + \left(1 - f_{em}^{jet}\right) \cdot \left(f_{em} + \left(1 - f_{em}\right)\frac{\mathbf{h}}{\mathbf{e}}\right)\right) \cdot \mathbf{e}$$

Jet energy fractions from fragmentation functions:

 $f_{em}^{jet} = \frac{1}{E} \sum_{i=1}^{N_{\gamma}} E_i^{\gamma}$

Fragmentation well measured at LEP – extrapolation to much higher energy jets not obvious





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Expectation too naïve

- Iow energetic particles may not reach calorimeter at all
- Realistic response evaluation needs acceptance folded in!

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Calorimeter Acceptance



Detection enrices one of the painting in calculation of the painting of the p

Basic energy scale signal depends on particle type, deposited energy and signal characteristics of calorimeter (noise etc.);



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Jet Response To Jet Energy Reconstruction

Jets are bundles of particles

 E_{dep}^{calo}

 E_{mag}^{loss}

 E_{out}^{loss}

 E_{env}^{gain}

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- ~25% initial photons
- Hadronic particles include mostly pions, kaons, protons and their anti-particles
 - A Different response!

Jet response in noncompensating calorimeters

- Jet signal depends on fragmentation/particle content
 - Significant jet-to-jet response variations due to more or less photons

 $E_{true}^{jet} = E_{dep}^{calo} + E_{mag}^{loss} + E_{low}^{loss} + E_{leak}^{loss} + E_{out}^{loss} - E_{UE\otimes PU}^{gain} - E_{env}^{gain}$

energy deposited in the calorimeter within signal definition

- charged particle energy lost in solenoid field
- E_{low}^{loss} particle energy lost in dead material

only source of signal!

- E_{leak}^{loss} energy lost due to longitudinal leakage
 - energy lost due to jet algorithm/calorimeter signal definition
- $E_{UE\otimes PU}^{gain}$ energy added by underlying event and/or pile-up

energy added by response from other nearby particles/jets

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Limitations Of Simple Models

Jet response is complex

- Need to understand electron/photon and hadron response of calorimeter
- Also need to understand acceptance for each particle type
 - Signal thresholds
 - Overlapping showers in jets may enhance acceptance for low energetic particles if compared to isolated particles
- Jet particle content/fragmentation not easily accessible in hadron colliders
 - Cannot analytically fold single particle response with fragmentation to understand experimental signals
 - & Large fluctuations in particle composition
- Large shower signal fluctuations for hadrons
 - A Net effect on jets depends on fragmentation!

Need physics and detector simulation to understand jet response!!



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ATLAS: A General Purpose Detector For LHC



CMS: A General Purpose Detector For LHC





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Typical Detector Features

Hermetic coverage over a wide angular range

Efficient missing transverse energy reconstruction due to large coverage in pseudo-rapidity

$$\left|\eta\right| = \left|\frac{1}{2}\ln\left(\frac{p+p_z}{p-p_z}\right)\right| = \left|\ln\left(\tan\frac{\theta}{2}\right)\right| \le 5$$

Very forward detection of particles and jets produced in pp collisions

High particle reconstruction efficiency

Important for final state reconstruction and classification



Relative energy resolution for electrons, photons and muons is 2-4%

Particles	Efficiency	Jet Rejection
muon	~90%	10 ⁵
e±	~80%	10 ⁵
photon	~80%	10 ³
b-jet	~60%	100
tau	~50%	100



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Electromagnetic Calorimetry



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Photomultiplier

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Feed-throughs and front-end



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ATLAS Calorimeter Summary

Non-compensating calorimeters

- Electrons generate larger signal than pions depositing the same energy
 - **&** Typically $e/\pi \approx 1.3$

High particle stopping power over whole detector acceptance |η|<4.9

- ~26-35 X₀ electromagnetic calorimetry
 - $\sim 10 \, \lambda$ total for hadrons

Hermetic coverage

No significant cracks in azimuth



- Non-pointing transition between barrel, endcap and forward
 - Small performance penalty for hadrons/jets



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Calorimeter Signal Reconstruction

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Signal Formation in ATLAS (Example)

Slow signal formation

- ↓ ~450 ns drift time @
 - 1 kV/mm electric field
- High bunch crossing (collision)
 - frequency at LHC
 - 40 MHz/every 25 ns

Shape signal electronically

- Make time integrated average of all signals 0
 - Suppresses signal history, no signal pile-up
- Bi-polar shaping with fast rising edge
 - Peak of shaped pulse is measure of initial current





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Online Signal Channel Processing



Calorimeter Cells

Smallest signal collection volume

- Defines resolution of spatial structures
- Each is read out independently

Individual cell signals

- Sensitive to noise
 - Solutions in electronics gain and shaping
 - 🔏 Time jitters
 - A Physics sources like multiple interactions
- Hard to calibrate
 - No measure to determine if electromagnetic or hadronic, i.e. no handle to estimate e/h from single cell alone
 - A Need signal neighbourhood to calibrate
- Basic energy scale
 - Use electron calibration to establish basic energy scale for cell signals

Cell geometry

- Often pointing to the nominal collision vertex
 - Lateral sizes scale with pseudo-rapidity and azimuthal angular opening



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Lecture 1: Calorimeter Signal Reconstruction



Topological Cell Clusters

Motivation

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- Attempt reconstruction of individual particle showers
 - Reconstruct 3-dim clusters of cells with correlated signals
- Use shape of these clusters to locally calibrate them
 - Explore differences between electromagnetic and hadronic shower development and select best suited calibration
- Supress noise with least bias on physics signals
 - Often less than 50% of all cells in an event with "real" signal

Implementation

- Find seed with significant signal above primary seed threshold S
 - Signal significance is signal-over-noise (absolute)

 $|E_0|/\sigma_{\text{noise}}$

- Collect all neighbouring cells (in 3-d) with signals with significance above basic threshold *P*
- If neighbouring cells have signal above secondary seed *N*, collect neighbours of neighbours if they have significance above *P*
- Analyze clusters for local signal maxima and split if more than one found
 - 🔏 🛛 In 3-d, again
- Note that very low signal cells can survive "effective" cell signal significance selection with this algorithm if larger signal in vicinity



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Calorimeter Jet Signals: It's All In The Pictures...



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Hadronic Cluster Calibration

Local approach (cluster context)

- Calibrate calorimeter signal first
 - Provides calibration for all signals without need for jet context
- Separate electromagnetic from hadronic signals
 - Topological clustering/energy blob reconstruction
 - Cluster shape analysis explores differences between electromagnetic and hadronic shower development
 - Compactness of electromagnetic shower



RD3 note 41, 28 Jan 1993

- Attempt to only calibrate hadronic clusters
 - 8 Non-compensation only issue for hadronic showers
- Absorb particle or jet signal variations due to algorithms, size, physics environment into corrections
 - Sactorization possible
 - Jet context corrections not applied to other hadronic objects

Cannot completely factorize calibration and corrections

Correlation between inactive material energy losses and effective e/h in calorimeters, for example



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Weights are calculated as function of cluster & cell variables

Signal environment used as additional indicator of hadronic character



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Local Hadronic Calibration Summary



Attempt to calibrate hadronic calorimeter signals in smallest possible signal context

- Topological clustering implements noise suppression with least bias signal feature extraction
- No bias towards a certain physics analysis
- Good common signal base for all hadronic final state objects
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Factorization of cluster calibration

- Cluster classification largely avoids application of hadronic calibration to electromagnetic signal objects
 - Low energy regime challenging
- Signal weights for hadronic calibration are functions of cluster and cell parameters and variables
 - & Cluster energy and direction
 - & Cell signal density and location (sampling layer)
- Dead material and out of cluster corrections are independently applied



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From This Lecture:

Calorimeters are signal processors for incoming particles

- They generate an image of particles they are sensitive to in the collision event
- The image is distorted due to environment (physics and detector)

Calorimeter signal reconstruction is the attempt to improve the resolution of this image

- Attempt to unfold the distortions by signal definition, possibly including identification of significant objects
- Best choice for unfolding strategy may depend on physics question
- Two signal definitions (e.g., towers and clusters) allow evaluation of systematic uncertainties

We will explore this further in the 2nd lecture on Sunday!



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Digital (Optimal) Filtering

Determines signal amplitude and timing

- Minimizes noise contributions
 - Note: noise depends on the luminosity
- Requires explicit knowledge of pulse shape
 - Folds triangular pulse with transmission line characteristics and active electronic signal shaping
 - Characterized by signal transfer functions depending on R, L, C of readout electronics, transmission lines



Filter coefficients from calibration system

- Pulse "ramps" for response
- Noise for auto-correlation
 - A Pile-up dependence

Signal Amplitude (~Energy):



Signal Peak Time:

 $A_{peak}t_{peak} = \sum b_i (S_i - P)$



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Dead Material Energy Losses

Tracking device in front of a calorimeter

- And maybe even a cryostat wall
- Try to use the cluster signal to correct for the losses
 - ln front
 - Inbetween
 - Central ATLAS!
 - Between
 - Endcap and forward cracks

Approach:

- Correlate cluster signal with nearby dead material energy loss in simulations
- Do this for each dead material region separately





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Dead Material Energy Losses in ATLAS



Dead Material Corrections

Example: central region

- Dead material
 between pre sampler and first
 sampling in central
 ATLAS calorimeter
- Use geometrical mean of presampler energy and first sampling energy as variable





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Out-of-cluster Corrections

Consider a cluster produced by a single pion

- Some energy deposited outside of cluster
 - Solution Clustering algorithm inefficiency
 - Signal way below all thresholds

Integrated effect can be large

- Especially in forward calorimeter
 - E.g, large noise

Corrections have been developed for single pions

Again using detailed shower simulations

Need to avoid over correcting for jets

out-of-cluster energy for one cluster could actually be deposited in another cluster in jets

Isolation moment

The fraction of calorimeter cells neighbouring a given cluster but are not part of any other clusters is determined and used as a scale for isolation



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Out-of-cluster Corrections: Isolation



Out-of-cluster correction estimate is the product of

- out-of-cluster correction from single pions
- isolation moment

This correction is applied as a multiplicative factor to all the cells in the cluster

- Lost energy is equally shared
 - Mostly because we don't know better!

Clear dependence on signal context

- single pions
 - a most clusters isolated
 - di-jets

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