## **CLAS12 Forward Tracking** Status and Plans



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## **Forward Tracking and Efficiency**

#### **Recon. with Forward Tracking**



- To run future CLAS12 experiments with double
- recent new tracking with

luminosity (2L), forward tracking efficiency is required to be at least 85% at beam current of 150 nA.

• With Al-denoising for removal of DC noise hits, AI assistance for prediction of DC clusters, and cooperation of Kalman Filter (KF) and Deterministic Annealing Filter (DAF), tracking efficiency has been significantly improved.

 However, tracking efficiency needs to be further improved to reach the goal of running at 2L.

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### Outline

- Investigation of track lost
- Discussion about AI-denoising
- Updates of DC clustering
- Discussion about AI-assisted tracking
- Status and plans for DC-uRWell tracking
- Summary

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### **Investigation of Track Lost**

- An investigation is in process to comprehensively understand how noise hits affects tracking efficiency.
- The investigation will provide insights for improvement of tracking efficiency.
- MC sample with truth information is more suitable for the investigation. However, due to discrepancy between MC and data, the current study explores background effects through track-to-track comparison between 5nA and 5nA-50nABg RGA data.

  - The investigation tells that part of signal hits are lost at each level.
  - More signal hits are lost in R1 due to higher noise hit occupancy, while less signal hits are lost in R2.



• Preliminary, the first three levels in reconstruction, which are the key for tracking efficiency, were investigated.



Al-denoising seems to work better for R2 with higher noise-hit suppression and lower signal-hit lost. Should threshold in the model of Al-denoising be different for different regions?

## Updates of DC Clustering

- By investigation of DC clustering algorithms, some issues, leading to cluster lost, were found.
- much extra noise clusters.
- Main updates include:
  - Fix a bug in the splitter for complicated hit clumps, and optimize the routine for choice of hitoverlapping clusters from the splitter.
  - With consideration of signal-hit lost 2. due to dead strips, Al-denoising, edge effect, etc, limit of cluster size for exceptional cases is loosed from 4 to 3.
  - Fix an issue that a hit is shared by 3. multiple clusters in clustering, but is only associated with one cluster when writing it into the hit bank.





Updates with issue fixing and algorithm optimization retrieve missing real clusters, while do not increase too



10k events from RGA Run 6666 (50 nA)

### **Effects of Clustering Updates**



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#### **RGA-Fall18**

### **Tracking Efficiency Scan In-bending**

pass2 including AI-denosing and Al-assisted tracking

> Update with new tracking

Further update with optimized DC clustering





#### **Need further** improvement

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### **Tracking Efficiency Scan by RGA-Fall18 Out-bending**

pass2 including AI-denosing and Al-assisted tracking

> Update with new tracking

Further update with optimized DC clustering





**Reached the goal** for 2L

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### **Comparison between Conventional and Al-assisted Tracking**

#### **Conventional tracking**





#### **Al-assisted tracking**



## Why Al-assisted Tracking Works Better?

charge	type	conventional	ai	matched	predicted	gain	efficiency	inference
neg     neg     neg	0 6 5	1088248   1036171   51026	1117574   1036276   80394	1047081   1008670   37708	1053197 1008931 43284	1.0269   1.0001   1.5755	0.9622     0.9735     0.7390	0.9678   0.9737   0.8483
+   charge	type	conventional	ai	matched	predicted	gain	efficiency	inference
pos     pos     pos	0 6 5	2485735   2359951   123058	2552343   2359283   190902	2383956   2288125   94149	2403644 2290857 110224	1.0268   0.9997   1.5513	0.9591     0.9696     0.7651	0.9670   0.9707   0.8957
+ +	122	e   537   94	eh+   290   18	eh-   eh+/e 898   0.7695	eh-/e   0.1542	•+   •+ 	For tracking	efficiency,



 $V_z$  is involved into routine for selection of overlapping track candidates for conventional tracking.

- contribution by 6-cluster tracks tween AI-assisted and conventional tracking, but Al-assisted tracking extracts over 50% more 5-cluster available tracks.
- The reason is that AI model helps to cut off plenty of fake 6-cluster combos, while a lot of fake 6-cluster tracks must be kept for conventional tracking since no proper cuts could be applied as test.
- Much more fake 6-cluster tracks for conventional tracking cause that remaining clusters, which enter to 5-cluster tracking, are much less than Al-assisted tracking.



### **Track Lost and New Al Model**



New AI model is in development by Gagik.

- Average wires of clusters are features of the old model, but average wires for clusters could be very close.
- New model adopts wire numbers at layers 1&6, calculated by function from linear • fitting of clusters, as features.
- For overlapping combos, choice will be taken after tracking based on probability from Al and tracking results. Tracks will be allowed to share one and only one cluster.
- Still, cluster combos with low probability will be cut off for suppression of fake tracks.  $\bullet$



### Status of DC-uRWell Tracking

- DC-uRWell tracking package with application of KF and DAF has been developed with input of uRWell cluster measurements and DC hit measurements.
- Conventional tracking is in optimization, while AI-assisted tracking needs AI model for prediction of DC-uRWell cluster combos.
- Resolutions for both momentum and vertex are improved by test of single-electron MC.



#### $\Delta = track - truth$



### **RGA-SIDIS MC**

- even if a region is lost.



## Plans for DC-uRWell Tracking

- Algorithm for estimation of pseudo-cluster is in update so that a pseudo-uRWell-cluster or a pseudo-DC-cluster could be estimated for any 3 region cases.
- Correspondingly, algorithm for the pattern recognition by at least 3 crosses will be updated so that it could work for any 3 region cases with a pseudo-uRWell-cluster or a pseudo-DC-cluster.
- Like DC-only tracking, remaining clusters from previous stage enter next stage. To properly remove fake tracks in each stage, AI model for prediction of uRWell-DC cluster combos for each stage is necessary.
- To further relief effects of high hit occupancy in R1 on tracking efficiency, uRWell measurements will join DC clustering in R1.
- Besides, it will be discussed if uRWell measurements could join AIdenoising to better suppress noise hits and reduce signal-hit lost, especially for R1.

#### Order in next tracking version



Any 3 regions with a pseudo-DCcluster or a pseudo-uRWell-cluster



### Summary

- -0.000958/nA for eh<sup>+</sup> and -0.000569/nA for eh<sup>-</sup> for out-bending.
- slope >= -0.001/nA.
- results.
- Improvement for resolution and tracking efficiency has been observed with uRWell adding into DC reconstruction are in update with participation of uRWell measurements.
- candidates and fake-track suppression at each stage of DC-uRWell tracking.
- Al-denoising with participation of uRWell will be discussed.

With Al-denoising, Al-assistance for cluster-combo prediction, new tracking with KF and DAF, and updates of DC clustering, tracking efficiency has been significantly improved. As test by RGA-Fall18 data, slope of tracking efficiency is -0.00120/nA for eh+ and -0.00123/nA for eh- for in-bending, and

• However, tracking efficiency needs to be further improved to reach the goal for future 2L experiments:

• For DC-only tracking, new AI model is in development by Gagik, and a new routine will be explored for selection of overlapping track candidates based on probability from AI prediction and tracking

tracking. To further relief effects of missing clusters and high hit occupancy in R1, some algorithms for

• Al model for prediction of uRWell-DC cluster combos is necessary for selection of overlapping track

# Backup



### **Ratio of Event Reconstruction**

#### in-bending



#### Ratio = coatjava v10.1.0 with new tracking / update-to-date coatjava with new clustering

#### out-bending

### **Al-assisted Tracking**

### **Comparison of Tracking Efficiency between Data and MC**



### In-bending; Al-denoising









### **Conventional Tracking**

### **Comparison of Tracking Efficiency between Data and MC**



### In-bending; Al-denoising





### **Tests Comparison of resolution**



• Overall, cases of R0R1R2R3, R1R2R3 and R0R2R3 works well. For cases of R0R1R3 and R0R1R2, tracking quality is worse. • In other words, tracking quality is still good without R0 or R1, while it is not so good without R2 or R3.

**TB** tracks



