

ES Analysis & Software Updates

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Outline

- 1) ES Analysis Update,
Nucleon-Energy Correlators
- 2) PF Update
- 3) Jet EDM Proposal

ES Analysis Update | Energy-Energy Correlators

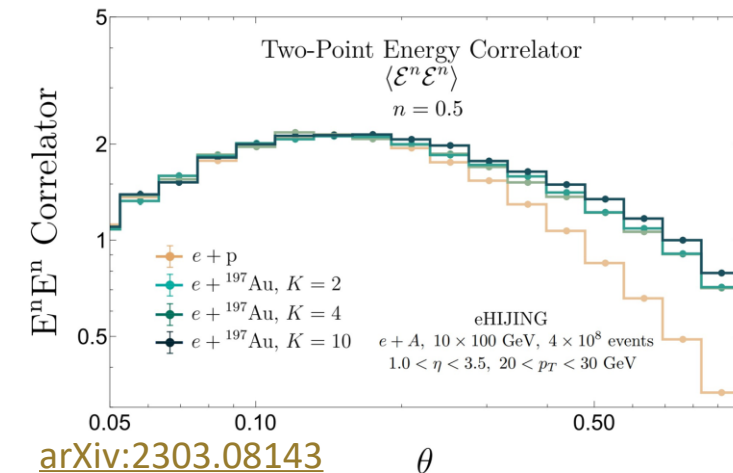
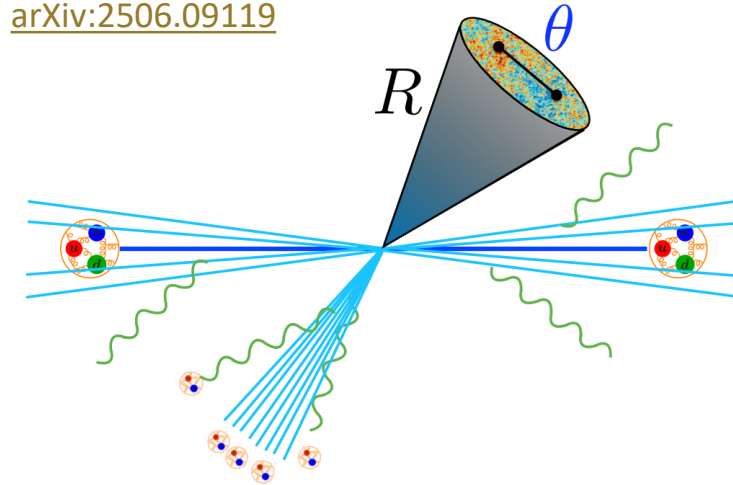
2-Point Energy Correlators (EEC)

$$\text{EEC}(\theta) = \frac{1}{\sigma} \sum_{(i,j) \in \text{jet}} \int d\sigma \frac{E_i E_j}{E_{\text{jet}}^2} \delta(\theta_{ij} - \Delta\theta)$$

- E_i = energy of i^{th} jet constituent
- θ = distance between pairs of jet constituents

- **Energy-Energy Correlators:** measure statistical correlations in energy flux
 - ☞ 2-point allows for clean imaging of jet structure as function of angular scale
 - Very effective tools at hadron colliders, and potentially at EIC!
- Commonly measured in jets today
 - But historically was over all particles in event!
 - › C.f. [PRL 41 \(1978\) 1585](#)
 - More event-shape approach being revisited today
 - › E.g. azimuthally-dependent EECs ([arXiv:2310.1519](#)), or **Nucleon-Energy Correlators**

[arXiv:2506.09119](#)



[arXiv:2303.08143](#)

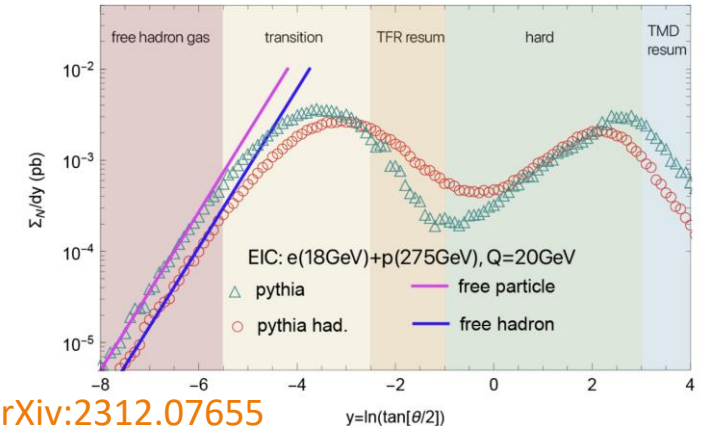
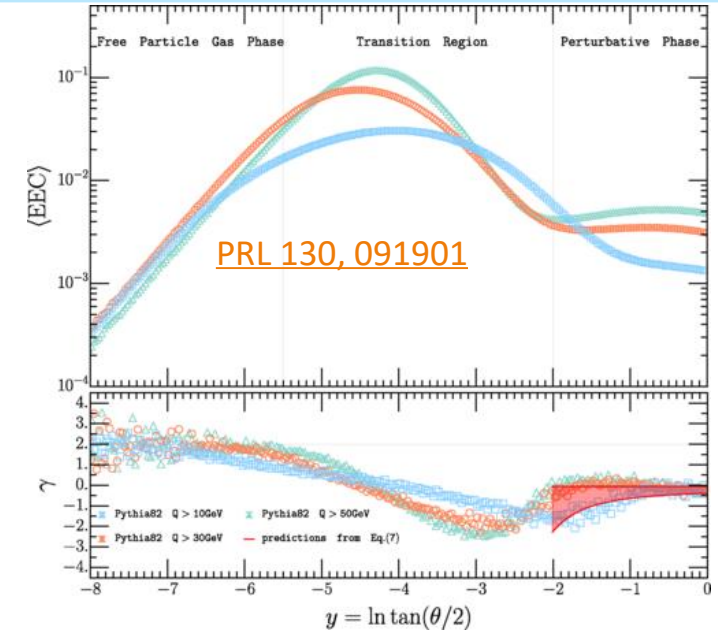
ES Analysis Update | Nucleon-Energy Correlators

Nucleon-Energy Correlators (NEC)

$$\text{NEEC} = \sum_i \int d\sigma(x_B, Q^2, p_i) x_B^{N-1} \frac{E_i}{E_p} \delta(\theta - \theta_i)$$

- E_i, θ_i = energy, Breit frame angle of i^{th} particle
- E_p = energy of scattered proton

- **Nucleon-Energy Correlators:** provide a variation of EECs applicable to both collider & fixed target kinematics!
 - **In essence:** $\theta_{ij} \rightarrow \theta_{\text{breit}}$
 - › Enables sensitivity to different physics processes by selecting different θ_{breit}
 - ☞ See [PRL 130, 091901](#), [arXiv:2312.07655](#),
- **Worthwhile observable to study because:**
 - Potential connections
 - › To TMD PDFs ([arXiv:2403.08874](#))
 - › To Fracture Functions ([arXiv:2406.08559](#))
 - Stress test of our PF algorithms

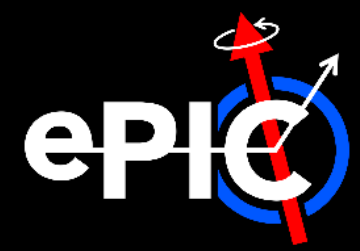


ES Analysis Update | Current Status

- **Current status:** in code development!
 - Analysis code on GitHub at:
 - › [EPNucleonEnergyCorrelator.cxx](#)
 - › [EPNucleonEnergyCorrelator.jl](#)
- **EPNucleonEnergyCorrelator.cxx:** c++ implementation using RDataFrames
 - Prototyping code with [a ROOT macro](#)
 - ☞ **Planning to convert to physics benchmark**
 - Will evolve code into a compiled library for ease of deployment and extension when ready
- **EPNucleonEnergyCorrelator.jl:** planned Julia implementation
 - ☞ Won't start on until c++ version is functioning and we have a solid set of Early Science plots
- **1st Round of Plots:** next meeting! (Apologies!)

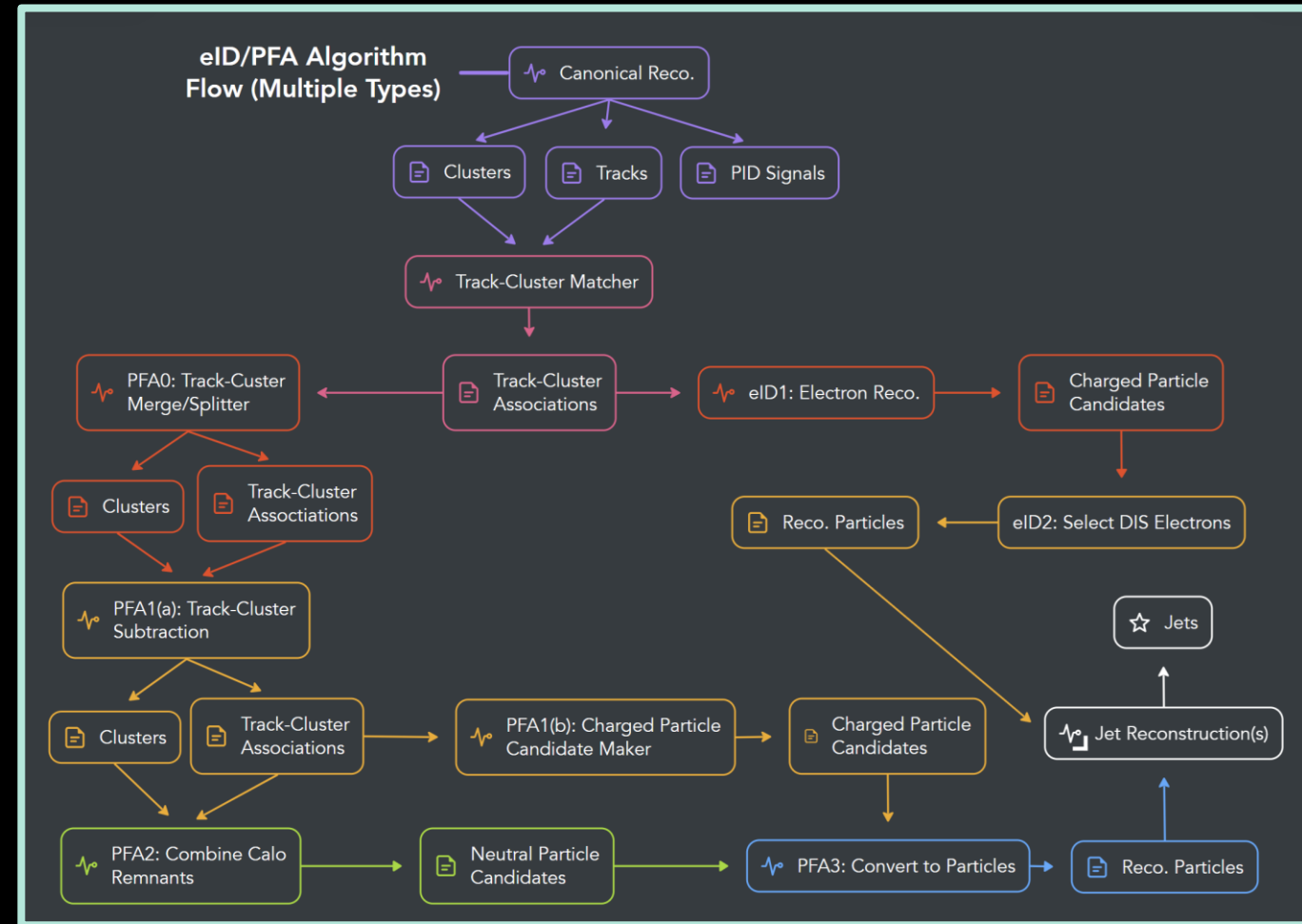


Particle Flow Update | In-Progress Baseline

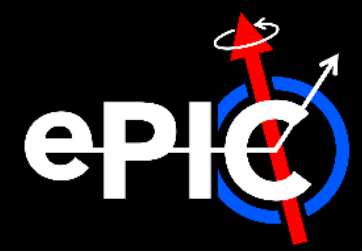


PFAIpha: the proposed baseline, looks like:

- 1) **[PFA-1]** Match tracks to EMCal, HCal clusters
- 2) **[PFA0]** Merge clusters based on track E/p in a cone of size R_0
- 3) **[PFA1a]** Subtract expected track energy from merged clusters
 - › Split into tracks + expected energy, and remnant clusters (leftover energy)
- 4) **[PFA1b]** Convert tracks + expected energy to particle candidates
- 5) **[PFA2]** Combine remnant EMCal, HCal clusters in a cone of size R_1 , convert to particle candidate
- 6) **[PFA3]** Covert candidates to reconstructed particles



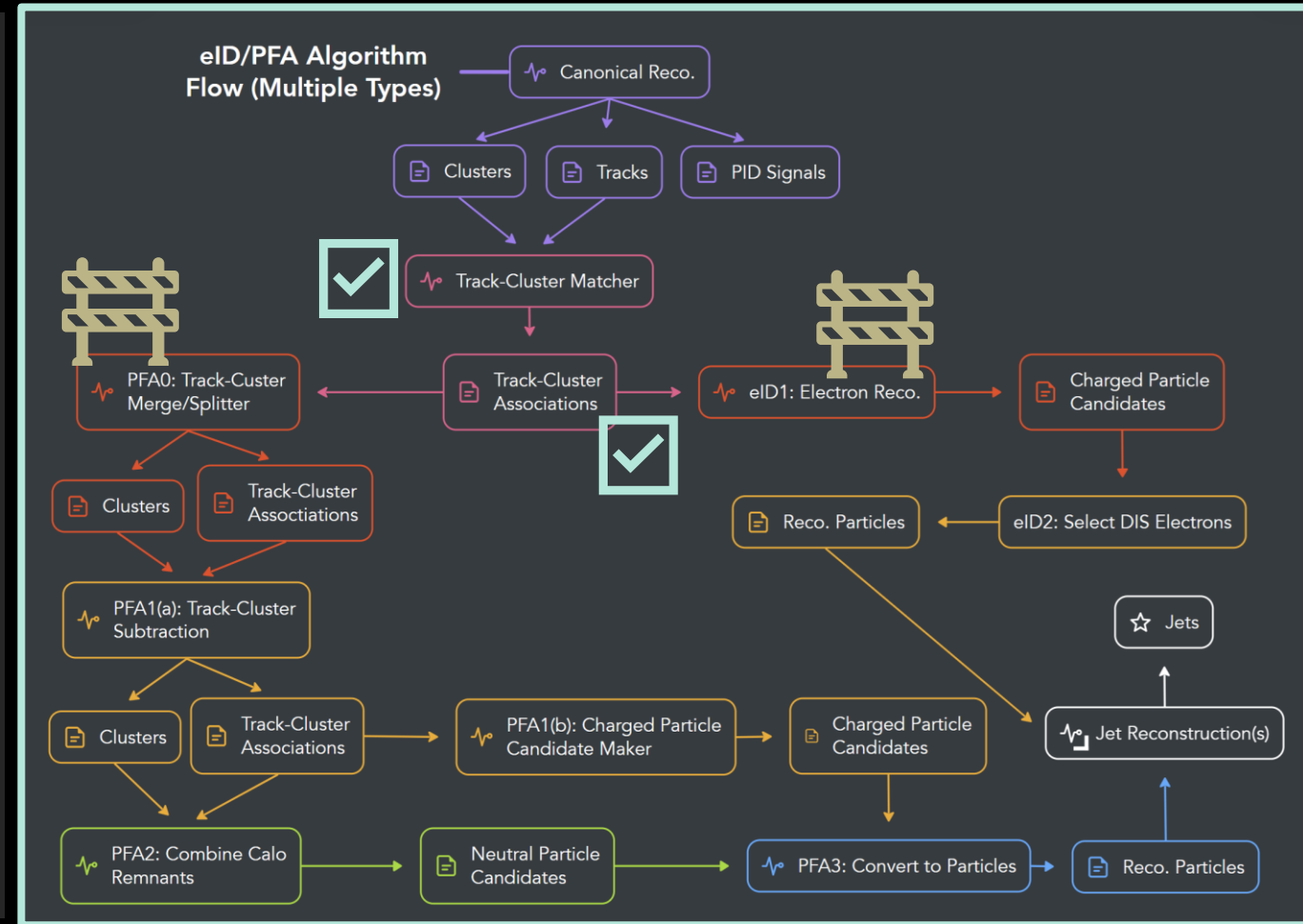
Particle Flow Update | Timeline Since Frascati



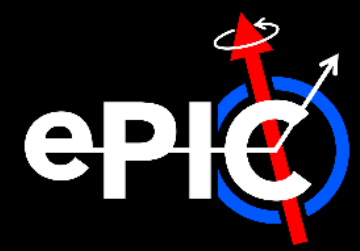
Developments since Frascati CM:

- 1) [02.06.2025] PFA0 PR opened and in progress
🔑 (See next slide)
- 2) [02.23.2025] PFA1(a) PR ready to open after PFA0 merged
🔑 (PR needs update)
- 3) [02.27.2025] Held 1st PF SubWG meeting
- 4) [03.11.2025] Draft PR for candidate types open
- 5) [03.28.2025] Initial track-cluster matcher merged
- 6) [05.06.2025] Track-Protocluster link merged
- 7) [07.06.2025] Multi-calor track-cluster matcher merged

✅ = Done
🚧 = In-progress



Particle Flow Update | Current Status and To-Do's



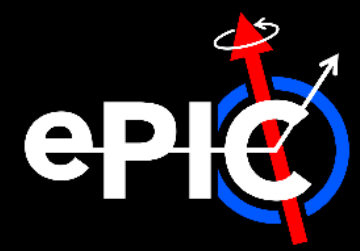
- **Immediate task:** Complete PFA0 ([EICrecon#1699](#))
 - Track-Protocluster Links now implemented ([EDM4eic#108](#))
 - Began integrating into merge/splitter, but Link Collections seemingly don't play nicely with Omnifactories...
 - Discussed with Nathan (now investigating), need to circle back
- **Next Steps:** after PFA0
 - Implement "promotion" algorithm to convert Track-Protocluster Links to Track-Cluster Matches
 - Revive and finish PFA1 ([EICrecon#1627](#))
 - PFA2 (calo remnant combiner) on hold until PFA1 is merged

- **Current Status:** work paused for a while, now resuming
 - Pause due to professional transitions, conferences, etc.

- Want to restart semi-regular PF technical meetings after EIC UGM!
 - ☞ **Look for emails & time polls soon**

- **Related tasks**
 - Make sure all relevant algorithms are using track-cluster matches
 - Implement algorithm to convert track-cluster matches to reco particles (for eID)
 - Upgrade Track-Cluster Matches from *associations* to *links*

Jet EDM Proposal | Context



- **Jets produced in EICrecon:** currently stored as edm4eic:: ReconstructedParticle
 - Workaround due to lack of dedicated jet type
 - Not ideal for several reasons:
 - › Jets are extended objects
 - › Jets can pick up background
 - › Conceptual clarity (e.g. parton, jet not 1-to-1)

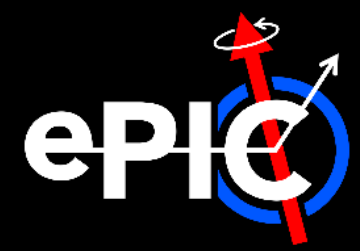
∴ Put together a proposal inspired by FastJet PseudoJet!

- **PR:** [EDM4eic#118](#)
- **Issue:** [EDM4eic#88](#)

```
19 namespace eicrecon {
20
21 template <typename InputT>
22 using JetReconstructionAlgorithm =
23     algorithms::Algorithm<algorithms::Input<typename InputT::collection_type>,
24                           algorithms::Output<edm4eic::ReconstructedParticleCollection>>;
25
26 template <typename InputT>
27 class JetReconstruction : public JetReconstructionAlgorithm<InputT>,
28                           public WithPodConfig<JetReconstructionConfig> {
29
30 public:
31     JetReconstruction(std::string_view name)
32         : JetReconstructionAlgorithm<InputT>{
33             name,
34             {"inputReconstructedParticles"},
35             {"outputReconstructedParticles"},
36             "Performs jet reconstruction using a FastJet algorithm."} {}
```



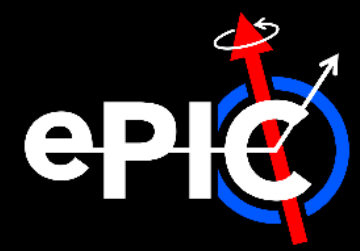
Jet EDM Proposal | Proposal



- **Right:** the proposed jet type
 - Energy, momentum fields identical to Reconstructed Particle
 - Adds field for area, background energy density
- **Note 3 design choices:**
 - 1) Only relations to reconstructed particles allowed
 - ☞ Places jet reco at the final stages of reconstruction
 - 2) Jet substructure *not* included
 - ☞ Deferred to analysis
 - 3) Relation to other jets allows for indication of sub-jets, seed jets, or background jets

```
529 + ## =====
530 + ## Jets
531 + ## =====
532 +
533 + edm4eic::Jet:
534 +   Description: "A reconstructed jet, inspired by the FastJet PseudoJet"
535 +   Author: "D. Anderson"
536 +   Members:
537 +     - float          area          // jet area
538 +     - float          energy        // jet energy [GeV]
539 +     - float          backgroundEnergy // background energy density * area [GeV]
540 +     - edm4hep::Vector3f momentum    // jet 3-momentum [GeV]
541 +   OneToManyRelations:
542 +     - edm4eic::Jet      jets        // jets that have been combined to form this jet
543 +     - edm4eic::ReconstructedParticle constituents // constituents of this jet
```


Jet EDM Proposal | Downstream Changes



What components would need to be updated?

- 1) [EICrecon] jet reconstruction [algorithm](#)
- 2) [physics_benchmarks] jet [benchmark](#)
- 3) [snippets] TTree reader [jet example](#)
 - ☞ Not required, but good for documentation!
- 4) All user analysis scripts/macros

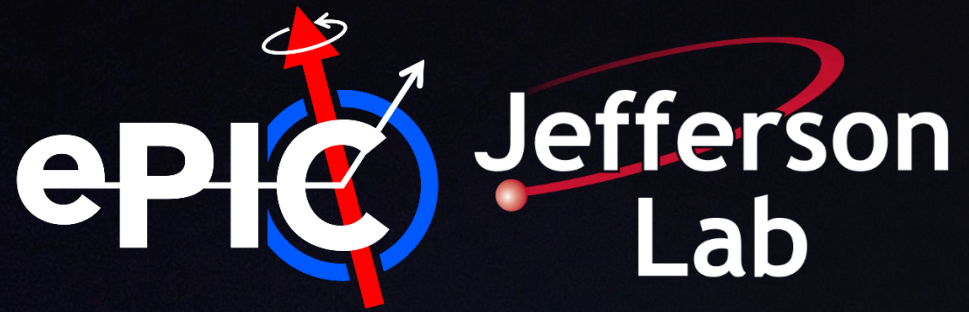
Any others?

What changes would we need to make?

- 1) Change `edm4eic::ReconstructedParticle` → `edm4eic::Jet`
- 2) Change `getParticles()` → `getConstituents()`
- 3) Remove any references to `getPDG()`, `getCharge()`

But that's it!

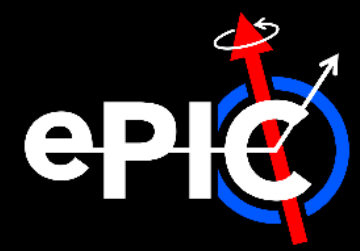
- ☞ Otherwise new type would behave identical to Reconstructed Particle



Thanks!
Questions, Discussion?



Backup | Initial PFA Attempt



- **PFA**lpha: initial stab in [EICrecon#1186](#) (now closed)
 - Initial implementation aimed for just a single algorithm
 - Initially even aimed to handle all 3 regions of central detector in one algorithm...

- **The gist:**

- 1) Project tracks through calos
 - 2) Associate all calo clusters in cone of size R around track
 - 3) Sum all calo energy in cone and subtract expected track energy from sum
 - 4) Merge leftover clusters in cones of size R
 - 5) **Return PFObjets (reco. particles)**
 - Tracks
 - Subtracted, merged clusters
- ☞ (Details in backup)

- **Clear Drawbacks!**

- ☒ Monolithic by definition
- ☒ Hard to maintain, evolve
- ☒ Wiring in new PF algorithms means rewriting lots of code

Parameters

- R_{sum}^{ECal} : radius in (η, φ) in which to combine ECal clusters
- R_{sum}^{HCal} : same but for HCal
- f_{sub}^{ECal} : fraction of track energy to subtract from ECal clusters
- f_{sub}^{HCal} : same but for HCal

Backup | Track-Cluster Merge/Splitter (1/2)



- **Track-Cluster Merging:** implemented to address in pTDR need (cluster merging)
 - Algorithm outline based on ATLAS's split recovery procedure
 - › c.f. [Eur. Phys. J. C \(2017\) 77:466](#)
 - › Implemented in [EICrecon#1406](#)

- **The gist:**

- 1) Match track projection to cluster
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$$S(E_{clust}) = \frac{E_{clust} - (p_{proj} \times \langle E/p \rangle)}{\sigma(E_{dep})}$$

- 3) If $S < S_{cut}$, add clusters inside Δr_{add}
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ProtoClusters

(output of Island Clustering)

Merged ProtoClusters

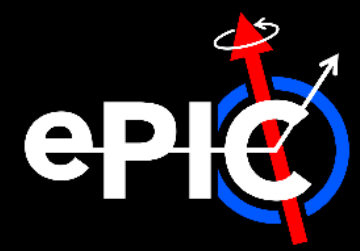
(input to Cluster Reco CoG)

Track-Cluster
Merger

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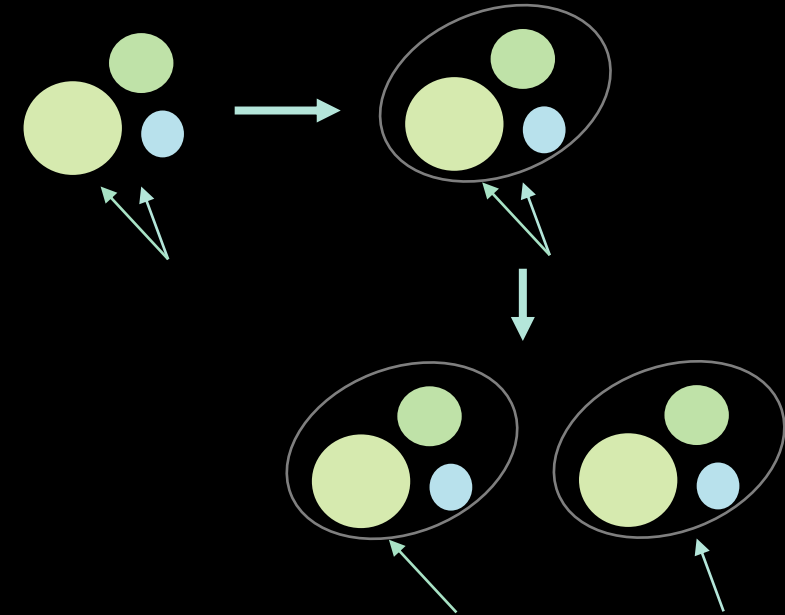
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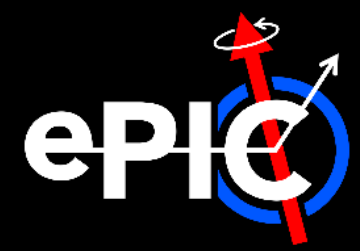
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Backup | Mapping Old Onto New



Track-Cluster Matcher

1) Subtract projected E_{trk} from ECal, HCal clusters

- a) Identify seed (highest p_{trk}) track projection at inner face of ECal

PFA0

- b) Sum E_{trk} of all projections in $R_{sum}^{ECal}, R_{sum}^{HCal}$ of seed

- c) Sum E_{clust} of all ECal, HCal clusters in $R_{sum}^{ECal}, R_{sum}^{HCal}$ respectively

PFA1(a)

- d) If $\Sigma E_{trk}^{ECal, HCal} < \Sigma E_{clust}^{ECal, HCal}$
 - i. Subtract $f_{trk}^{ECal, HCal} \times E_{trk}^{ECal, HCal}$ of nearest projection from each cluster
 - ii. Pass subtracted clusters onto step 2

- e) Repeat 1(a) – 1(d)(ii) until all projections have been used

PFA2

2) Combine remaining ECal, HCal clusters into topo-clusters

a) Combine nearby ECal, HCal clusters

- i. Identify seed (highest E_{clust}) ECal cluster
- ii. Merge all ECal, HCal clusters in $R_{sum}^{ECal}, R_{sum}^{HCal}$ of seed
- iii. Repeat 2(a)(i) – 2(a)(iii) until no ECal clusters are left

b) Combine remaining HCal clusters

- i. Identify seed HCal cluster
- ii. Add all HCal clusters in R_{sum}^{HCal} of seed
- iii. Repeat 2(b)(i) – 2(b)(iii) until no HCal clusters left

3) Return PFObjets

PFA1(b)/PFA3

- **Note:** new approach *also* splits up PFA0 - 2 into separate calorimeters/eta regions