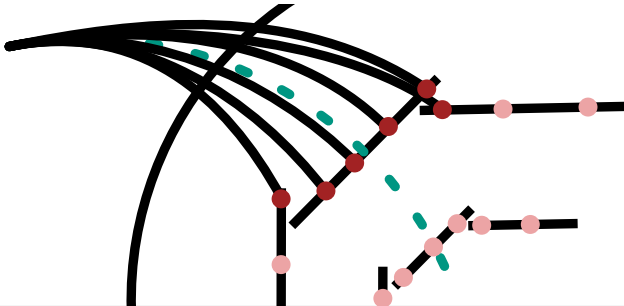


Combinatorial Kalman Filter

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CKF

A Combinatorial Kalman Filter uses the principles of the Kalman Filter for track finding. Starting with a seed, it adds hits with some kind of Monte Carlo Tree Search algorithm.

First implementation: extrapolate from CDC to VXD (SVD).

- Reduction of fakes
- Reduction of SpacePoint combinations
- Increased finding efficiency

Primary

All MC tracks

MC track has VXD hits

VXD part was found

MC track has CDC hits

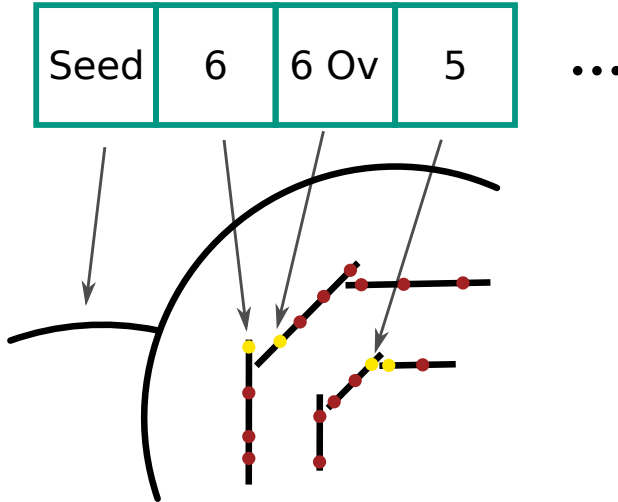
CDC part was found

10325							
Yes						No	
10241						84	
Yes				No		No	
8340				1901		84	
Yes		No	Yes		No	Yes	
7955		385	1622		279	84	
Yes	No	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No
7023	932	385	1321	301	279	38	46
Merging Efficiency	CKF	Criteria?	CKF	Very bad!	VXDTF Must help	Criteria?	CDCTF Must help

- Extrapolation is sloooooow...
- In a normal event, there are more than 10^6 possible combinations.
- You really have to care on memory layout, copying/duplications, fast access of hits etc.

- RecoTracks are fetched from store array, only successfully fitted ones are used.
- SpacePoints are fetched from store array; sorted by layer, ladder, sensor; iterators of start and end of a layer are stored for caching.
- For each RecoTrack as seed: do tree search
- ~~Search best non-overlapping set of tracks with added hits~~
- Write back to another store array.
- Validation

Tree Search



TreeSearch implementation

```
void traverseTree(StateIterator currentState,
                  std::vector<ResultPair>& resultsVector)
{
    StateIterator nextState = std::next(currentState);
    if (nextState == m_states.end()) {
        resultsVector.emplace_back(currentState->finalize());
        return;
    }
    const auto& matchingHits = getMatchingHits(currentState);
    for (const auto& hit : matchingHits) {
        *nextState = AStateObject(currentState, hit); // TODO
        if (useResult(nextState)) {
            traverseTree(nextState, resultsVector);
        }
    }
    *nextState = AStateObject(currentState, nullptr); // TODO
    if (useResult(nextState)) {
        traverseTree(nextState, resultsVector);
    }
}
```

```
RecoTrack* m_seedRecoTrack = nullptr;
const SpacePoint* m_spacePoint = nullptr;
unsigned int m_number = N;
CKFCDCToVXDStateObject* m_parent = nullptr;

double m_chi2 = 0;

bool m_isFitted = false;
bool m_isAdvanced = false;

genfit::MeasuredStateOnPlane m_measuredStateOnPlane;

bool m_hasCache = false;
genfit::MeasuredStateOnPlane m_cachedMeasuredStateOnPlane;
```

```
bool useResult(StateIterator currentState)
{
    Weight weight = m_firstFilter(*currentState);
    if (std::isnan(weight)) {
        return false;
    }
    if (not advance(currentState)) {
        return false;
    }
    weight = m_secondFilter(*currentState);
    if (std::isnan(weight)) {
        return false;
    }
    if (not fit(currentState)) {
        return false;
    }
    weight = m_thirdFilter(*currentState);
    return not std::isnan(weight);
}
```


- Remove the state constructors (again).
- Refine the geometry overlap handling (fix bug; no need for fit and advance, no need for state?).
- Implement the quality estimation and the final selection (reuse VXD code).
- Present first (physical) results on F2F meeting.

Backup

