Track reconstruction for LoI

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Introduction - *reminder*

- relatively simple topology of $\mu e \rightarrow \mu e$ scattering
 - \rightarrow 3 tracks to be reconstructed:
 - incoming muon before target
 - outgoing electron and muon after target
- detector setup assumes rather clean physics environment
 - \rightarrow low detector occupancy
 - \rightarrow no hardware-based trigger
- boosted kinematics of the collision \rightarrow cover large part of acceptance
- time structure of the beam \rightarrow keep the background at low level
- in practice no CPU time limit
 - \rightarrow track reconstruction can be treated as offline-like
 - \rightarrow quality of the track reconstruction can be maximized
 - \rightarrow it can boost much the reconstruction efficiency and precision

Pattern recognition - reminder



GOAL \rightarrow maximum possible track reconstruction efficiency!

- first stage performed in the *x*-*z* and *y*-*z* projections
 - \rightarrow constructing pairs from all the combinations of hits in x, y and stereo layers separately
- two-dimensional lines in x-z or y-z projections for each pair of hits
- for each 2D line collect all the hits within a certain window
- at least 3 hits to accept 2D track candidate
- no unique combinations of hits forming two-dimensional lines imposed
- use robust fit to the selected 2D lines in *x*-*z* or *y*-*z* projections
 → reconstruct 2D tracks
- fast fitting procedure with removal of outlier hits
 - \rightarrow assumed uncertainties of the x and y hit positions as in detector layout
- all fitted *x*-*z* and *y*-*z* lines will be paired to create 3D lines
- all 3D lines will be fitted using least square method
 - \rightarrow using all hits collected within a certain window wrt initial 3D line

Track reconstruction in 3D - reminder



- all combinations of 2D line segments will be combined into 3D track candidates
 - → no prior requirements on quality of such combinations (to maximize reconstruction efficiency)
- for each 3D track candidate initial parameters of 3D line determined from corresponding 2D lines
 - \rightarrow seed for track fitting
- iterative fitting procedure using a least square method
 - \rightarrow all hits along initial trajectory collected within a certain window
 - → after each iteration outlier hits will be removed and the fit will be repeated until no outlier is found
 - \rightarrow at least 3 hits in x-z and 3 hits in y-z projections to accept the track
- clone removal procedure
 - \rightarrow tracks with largest number of hits accepted first
 - \rightarrow (*if same nr of hits*) minimum χ^2 /ndf
- after accepting a track hits used by this track will be marked as used

MC samples used



Purely LO elastic events with monochromatic incoming muon energy = 150 GeV

- samples with 2 and 5 modules tested (provided by Umberto)
- 1 module = 1 Be target of 1 or 2 cm thickness + 3 tracking stations
- 1 tracking station = 4 Si sensors (2x + 2y) of 330 μ m thickness

Module = 1 target + 6 detectors

• level arm is L=1m between first and last tracker station

Reconstruction

- μ -e scattering only in the first target
- hits smeared by 18 µm
- electron reconstructed only from the hits in 1st module
- muon reconstructed from all the hits in all modules (most of the plots done for 2 modules)





Be target of 1 or 2 cm thickness



Loose and strong cuts (2 modules)

- loose cuts on track χ^2 and MC matching \rightarrow to gain efficiency
- strong cuts
 - ightarrow to achieve assumed precision



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Muon resolution (2 modules)





strong cuts

Question about optimal working point



Optimal working point should be chosen to get the best final physics results

- working point for tracking can be chosen as a compromise between efficiency and the background reduction
- slope resolution should be minimized for the signal

No full simulation with inelastic processes

- cannot properly estimate the backgrounds
- efficiency studies must be done wrt final expected result

For the LoI current tracking algorithms are not final

- need to define properly the reconstructible track to properly measure the efficiency
 → not dependent on geometrical acceptance or other inefficiencies
- issue of momentum estimation was not clear (cannot use Kalman without momentum)

$\theta_{\mu} vs \theta_{e}$ (2 modules)



loose cuts



strong cuts





Summary on MC



Plots to be included in LoI

- precision for θ_{μ} and θ_{e} (stronger cuts)
- scatter plots θ_{μ} vs θ_{e} (stronger cuts)
- muon precision wrt nr of module
- muon precision wrt nr of module for given energies

Fast simulation

Basic information

- Main purpose study track slope resolution
- Particle gun e or μ
- z start coordinate of particle uniform in the target
- Same sensor geometry as in full simulation (20 cm, 70 cm and 120 cm after the target)
- Target thickness: 1 cm and 2 cm
- Momenta 1, 2, 5, 10, 20, 30, 50, 70, 90, 120, 150 GeV
- Angle in xz and yz uniformly distributed (0-5) mrad
- Propagation of particle trough part of the target and silicon sensors. Collect hits with 100% efficiency.
- Perform Kalman fit using generated momentum to determine multiple scattering contribution (idealization).

Fast simulation

- What we expect
 - For muons with momenta ~100 GeV multiple scattering negligible, track slope resolution dominated by spatial resolution of silicon sensors.
 - For electrons with momenta ~ few GeV the resolution determined by two contributions
 - Scattering in target (independent of silicon sensors resolution)
 - Precision of track state at first measured point
- Numbers we expect:
 - Slope uncertainty of 1 GeV electron in 2 cm (1cm) target traverse in average 1 cm (0.5 cm) of Beryllium giving angular spread of 2 mrad (1.4 mrad).
 - Slope uncertainty due to spatial resolution of silicon sensors (25 μm per sensor of 0.33 mm thickness (18 μm per pair of two close sensors) is ~0.025 mrad.
- Alignment considerations
 - One can assume that alignment in x and y is perfect (infinite number of straight tracks of high momentum).
 - Assuming misalignment in z position of sensors of 0.5 mm. Systematic shift we expect for track with slope 0.01 is below 0.02 mrad (kind of pessimistic maximum).

Fast simulation - results



Results are reasonable but still preliminary.

Resolutions for 2 modules should not be worse than for one modul in the case of Kalman filter.

