PROOF tutorial

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- Part I
 - ROOT Basics
 - Interpreter, objects, containers, histograms, math
 - I/O, remote I/O
 - Saving/fetching objects
 - Trees and TSelector-based analysis
- Part II
 - PROOF basics
 - The PROOF shell, simple running example
 - More advanced usage
 - Reading data, datasets
 - Use of PAR packages
 - PROOF-based D3PD analysis
 - Proof-On-Demand





Object-Oriented framework for large scale data handling applications

Project based on the experience of PAW and of the related software (ZEBRA, CERNLIB, ...)

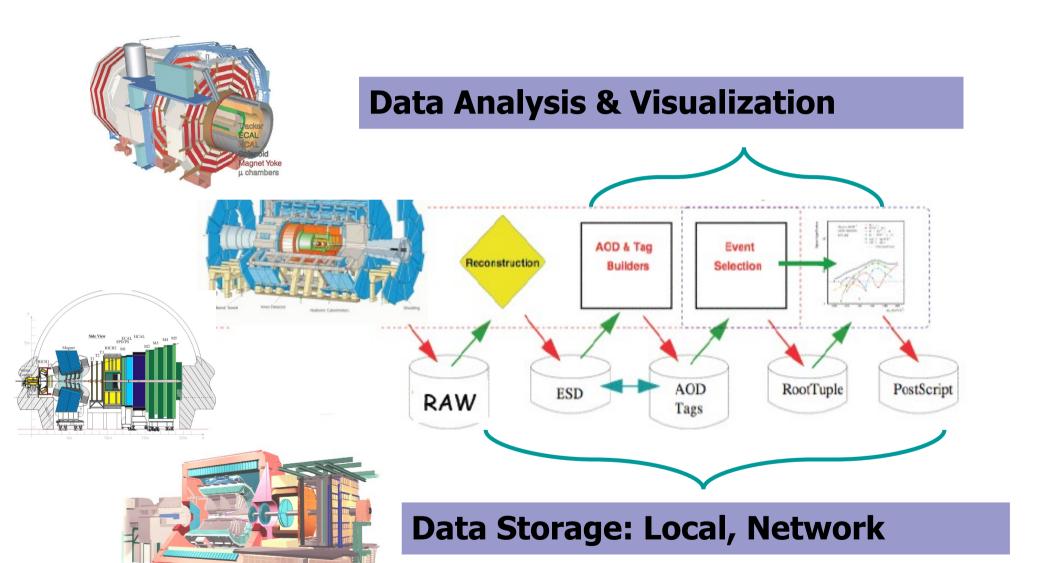
- Interactive shell for rapid prototyping and visualization
- Efficient statistical and mathematical tools
- Clever data management subroutine libraries

Exploits object-orientation to provide a framework focusing on scientific analysis



ROOT Application Domains





ROOT, an Open Source Project



- Started in 1995
- Developed as a collaboration between
 - ~15 full time developers at CERN, Fermilab, Protvino, Dubna
 - Large number of part-time developers
 - > 150 names in the CREDITS file
 - Long list of users giving feedback (forum, mailing lists)
- Available under GNU LGPL (including source)
- Supports all major platforms
 - Unix (linux, solaris, freeBSD, ...)
 - MacOsX
 - Windows
- Source code managed with Subversion
 - Repository is accessible at

https://root.cern.ch/svn/root

http://root.cern.ch





Online documentation sources



User's Guide, Tutorials, HowTo's:

http://root.cern.ch

Reference Guide (full class documentation):

http://root.cern.ch/root/html





ROOT forum:

http://root.cern.ch/phpBB3//

ROOT Savannah:

https://savannah.cern.ch/projects/savroot/

ROOT mailing list:

roottalk@root.cern.ch

after registering as ROOT user at

http://root.cern.ch/drupal/content/register-user