We’ve created a slack channel for all questions related to Pandora. Please join if you’d like to ask us anything: https://pandorapfa.slack.com
Brief reminder of the Pandora reconstruction for ProtoDUNE:

- **Input Hits** → **Pandora Cosmic** → **Tag through-going CRs**
  - **Thanks to A. Smith**
  - **Through-going CRs** → **CR-removed Hits**

- **3D “Slicing” Algorithm** → **Pandora Cosmic** → **Beam Particle ID**
  - **Thanks to SG**
  - **Remaining CRs** → **Test Beam Particles** → **Consolidated event output**

- **Pandora Cosmic**: Algorithm chain reconstructing hits under a cosmic ray hypothesis
- **Pandora Test Beam**: Algorithm chain reconstructing hits under a test beam interaction hypothesis
- **Slicing**: Dividing up of the whole event into regions (slices) containing hits originating from a single parent particle.

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Now focus on the areas that have changes since the MCC10 production:

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**Diagram:**

1. **Beam Particle ID**
2. **Remaining CRs**
3. **Through-going CRs**
4. **Consolidated event output**

**Nodes:**
- Input Hits
- Pandora Cosmic
- Pandora Test Beam
- 3D “Slicing” Algorithm
- Tag through-going CRs
- CR-removed Hits
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- Consolidated event output

**Thanks to:**
- J.Marshall
- A.Smith
- SG

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S.Green  ProtoDUNE Sim/Reco  3
The two slice reconstruction outcomes are then analysed to determine the optimal reconstruction in the beam particle ID step.

- MCC10: ID found via a simple cut based approach.
- Now: ID found via Boosted Decision Tree.

BDT Beam Particle ID Variables

- The distance of the closest 3D LArTPC hit to the beam spot. (0)
- The direction and angle of a spatial fit to the reconstructed 3D hits with respect to the beam line. (1-2)
- The eigenvalues of the covariance matrix of the spatial position of the 3D LArTPC hits. (3-5)
- The vertical distance of the reconstructed 3D LArTPC hit closest to the top of the detector. (6)
- The number of reconstructed particles. (7)
This metric folds in effects from cosmic-ray pattern recognition, cosmic-ray tagging, slice creation, both the cosmic-ray and neutrino slice reconstructions and test beam particle identification. (Reconstructed particles have to be correctly tagged to count towards the efficiency!)

- The BDT method is far more effective than the cut based approach.
- Significant improvement in integrated efficiency across momentum range considered.
- Almost as good as using MC info!
The Pandora output have been restructured to be more intuitive for the test beam use case.

- **MCC10:** Test beam particles labelled as neutrinos (PDG code 12/14).
- **Now:** Test beam particles labelled appropriately (PDG code 211/11 for tracks/showers) and parent PFParticle associated to incoming test beam particle.

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**Neutrino Interaction**

- **Parent** (No Hits)
- **Daughter Tracks and Showers**

**Test Beam Interaction**

- **t = Track**
- **s = Shower**

*Real reconstruction output for a 5 GeV $\pi^+$ interaction in ProtoDUNE-SP*

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Pandora MicroBooNE Paper: 
The cuts used to determine whether a cluster is track-like or shower-like (a shower spine) have been updated.

- MCC10: Cuts optimised for MicroBooNE energies.
- Now: More appropriate cuts used for ProtoDUNE.

MCC10 Settings

The red cluster has been identified as a track rather than a shower spine, which distorts the shower reconstruction.

New Settings

Using the new settings the cluster is identified as a shower spine leading to a better reconstruction.
A PFParticleMetadata object has been created to save variables of interest to downstream users. The object is a map of string to float.

The variables of interest we persist at the moment are:

- “IsTestBeam” - Whether the reconstructed particle been identified as test beam particle.
- “BeamScore” - Score from BDT.

Longer term this can be extended to include other variables of interest too (e.g. track shower score is saved for MicroBooNE where an SVM is used).

- MCC10: No PFParticleMetadata object.
- Now: PFParticleMetadata objects exist and BDT score persisted.

| pandora........ | std::vector<larpandoraobj::PFParticleMetadata> ..............................|
| pandora........ | art::Assns<recob::PFParticle,larpandoraobj::PFParticleMetadata, void> ....|
There have been a number of significant improvements to the Pandora ProtoDUNE reconstruction since the MCC10 production.

There’s lots of work still to do. Watch this space for details!
Pandora Team

Pandora is an open project and new contributors would be extremely welcome. We’d love to hear from you and we will always try to answer your questions!

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Back Up
Why does cheating the beam particle ID not give 100% efficiency?

- Slices contaminated with cosmic-rays

Big gains to be made in efficiency if we can improve the beam particle ID.

If enough cosmic rays in slice cheat ID would say cosmic ray
Pandora Neutrino On Test Beam

- Positron test beam particle
Pandora Cosmics On Test Beam

- Positron test beam particle
Pandora Neutrino On Test Beam

- Pion test beam particle
Pandora Cosmics On Test Beam

- Track driven through test beam interaction because the Pandora Cosmic algorithm chain is trying to reconstruct cosmic rays.

- Pion test beam particle