

Framework Taskforce Introduction



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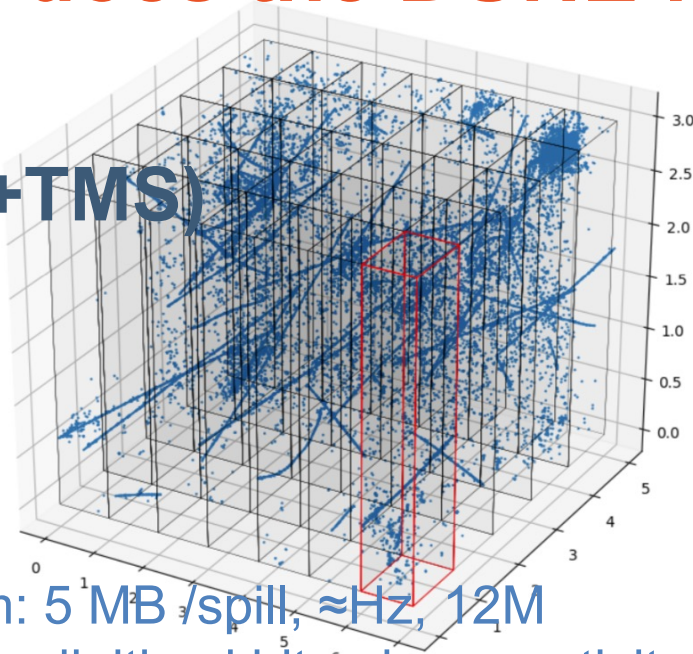


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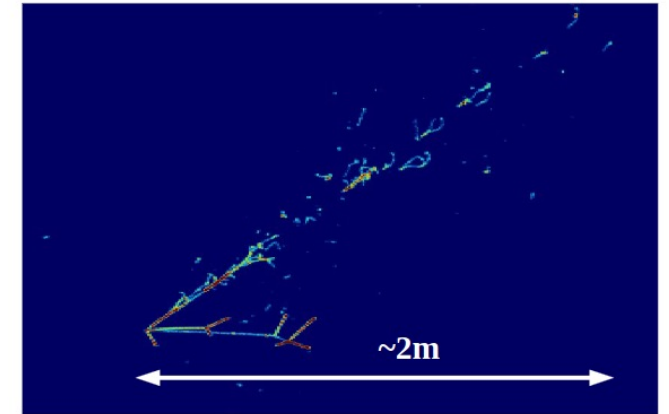
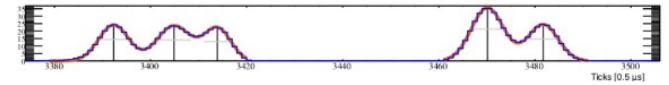
What does the DUNE framework need to do?

ND (LAr+TMS)



- Beam: 5 MB/spill, \approx Hz, 12M pixels, digitized hits, dense activity
- 15 M spills/year \rightarrow significant computing requirements
- GPU-heavy custom sim+reco chain developed, current application in 2x2 prototype
- Joint reco across detectors.

FD



- Beam: \approx 5 GB/trigger, \approx mHz, 3M wires, digitized waveforms, sparse activity
- Builds on sim+reco tools from current LArTPCs
- Unique challenge: very large (\approx 300 TB) supernova events,

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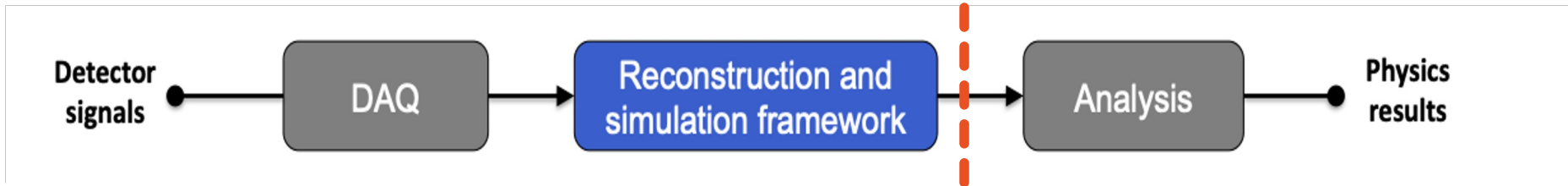
- Deal with disparate data types with varying granularity:
 - ND/FD
 - Beam/HE/LE
 - Prototype data
- Support a wide variety of users
- Support a variety of existing sim+reco algorithms
- Utilize modern computing facilities *efficiently* – grid/HPC
- Be supported for the lifetime of DUNE
- **DUNE needs are different to existing experiments!**

What doesn't the framework need to do?



- Deliberately noted that this is the sim+reco framework
- The framework will drive the offline processing loop up to the high-level analysis level → **CAFs**
(Existing high-level analysis tools are able to consume these)
- However, it will not necessarily drive the high level analysis → decision/choice made by physics WG leads
- That said, we should be careful not to preclude high-level analysis extensions if possible

Aside: what are CAFs?



- **Common Analysis Format** files – lightweight analysis ntuples in ROOT format
- Defined interface between sim+reco and high-level analysis – both true now, and will be as we migrate to the new framework
- They are organized around a “StandardRecord” format, documented on [a doxygen page](#)
- Flexible structure, can be adapted to detector/reconstruction specific needs but common where possible, and centrally documented/managed

Framework timeline

Done!

- Initial FW requirements from taskforce
- Formation of framework development and management team
- Early development by design team
 - Iteration with FW taskforce
 - Workshop to finalize hand-off of requirements – **we are here!**
- Implementation specification + formation of framework stakeholders group – **end of Summer**
 - Independent expert review of design + requirements
 - Detailed milestones and resource loaded schedule at this point

Iterative!

- Code it up phase!
 - First prototype ~**Summer FY25**
 - Phased implementation based on DUNE's physics needs

Framework Taskforce

- Taskforce set up in October 2023 to explore framework-related needs of DUNE
 - Chairs: Mathew Muether, Callum Wilkinson
 - +16 members across DUNE physics/detector groups
- Taskforce goals:
 - Review existing frameworks used by DUNE/HEP Experiments
 - Identify critical feature sets for new framework and produce a timeline with development, integration and deployment milestones
 - **Key deliverable:** Update 2018 requirements document
- Weekly meetings + [Frameworks and Core Software workshop](#)
11-13 Dec. 2023 at CERN
- **Requirements document v0 completed January 11**

Early iterations between devs and TF

- Iteration between this team and the TF since early February to digest and clarify requirements
- First step: develop a **design description** based on the requirements + rough time/resource/expertise estimates:
 - Map out architecture and design ideas
 - Design interfaces and workflows
 - Design how parts of the framework interact
 - Document design concerns, decisions and considered alternatives
 - This forms the “mental model” for users
- This has led to some clarifications of requirements, many additional use cases.
- Some important topics that require and deserve particular care

Aims for this workshop

- Finalize requirements relevant for core framework design
- Develop a comprehensive list of relevant DUNE use cases
- Develop a timeline for developing a rough design description
- Iterate on the broader development timeline as we have strong interest from review committees on this...

Framework “stakeholders” group

- A “stakeholders” team will be required to ensure adequate testing and feedback as framework is developed:
 - Workflow / data management
 - Databases
 - ND and FD sim/reco
 - Other physics WGs (users of the high-level CAF output)
 - Users of ND/FD prototype data
- **Test, review, iterate throughout development**
- This will be essential for ensuring DUNE needs are communicated efficiently to the developers
- And will also ensure that framework developments are rapidly deployed in DUNE workflows

Implementation phases

- The “code it up” phase will be split into work packages based on the implementation specification
 - Those work packages will then be group based on needs to deploy the framework for different use cases
 - Integration of FD algorithms
 - Integration into workflow and production
 - Deployment for processing ongoing prototype data-taking
 - Deployment for reprocessing ProtoDUNE(-II) data
 - Integration of ND algorithms
 - Deployment for reprocessing ND-prototype data
 - Prioritization into different implementation phases will be based on DUNE’s needs, and is worth keeping in mind here!
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DUNE use cases/potential concerns

- Interaction matching across detectors (or major detector components) with varying timing, calorimetric, etc capabilities.
 - ND-LAr + TMS (and 2x2 + MINERvA) matching essential
 - Unclear if ND-LAr/TMS + SAND matching is necessary
- Multiple time series of files, where chunk size/period vary:
 - ND sub-detectors share a clock, but data rates differ
 - FD likely share a clock -- matching e.g. supernova triggers easy
 - Could potential phase II options require something different?
- Offbeam triggers -- different detectors might have a different strategy for triggering.
- Are there “stripes of data” throughout multiple files that a job would need to understand?

Elon Musk's 3 Design Tips

1. Make the requirements less dumb.

Question every requirement.

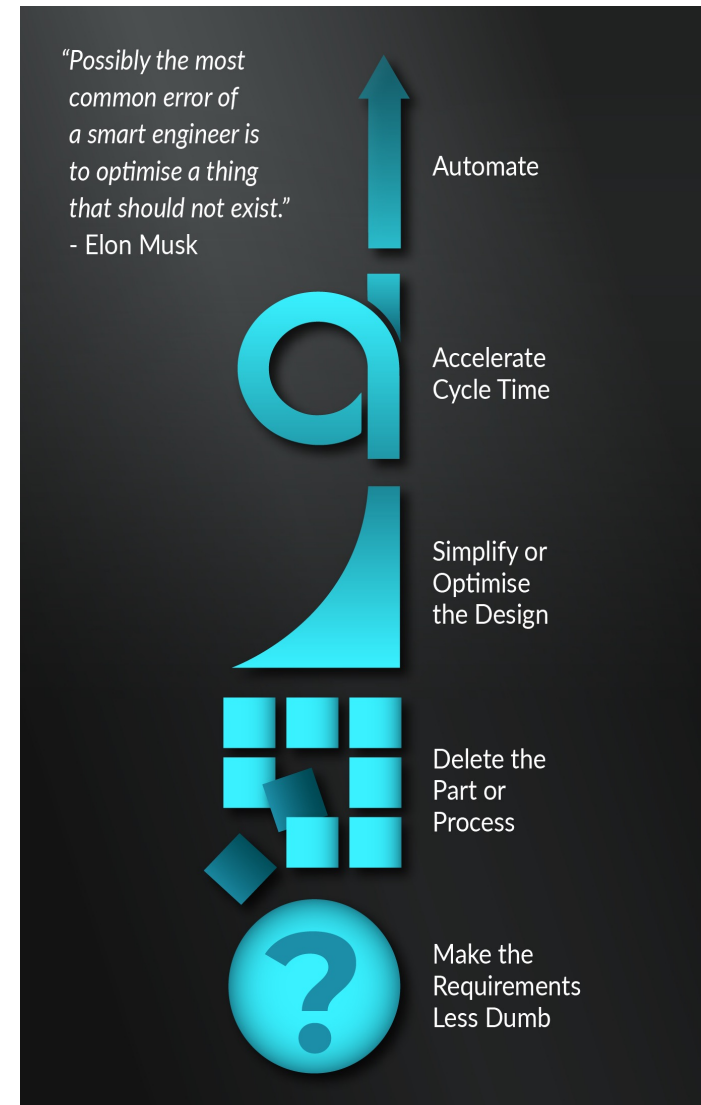
2. Delete the part or process.

Musk suggests starting lean and building up when and if required, but warns that the bias will be to add things "in case."

3. Simplify or optimize the design.

As mentioned earlier, Musk believes that the most common mistake that smart engineers make is to try optimizing something that should not exist.

<https://www.accountingtoday.com/opinion/elon-musks-5-step-process>



Questions? Comments?



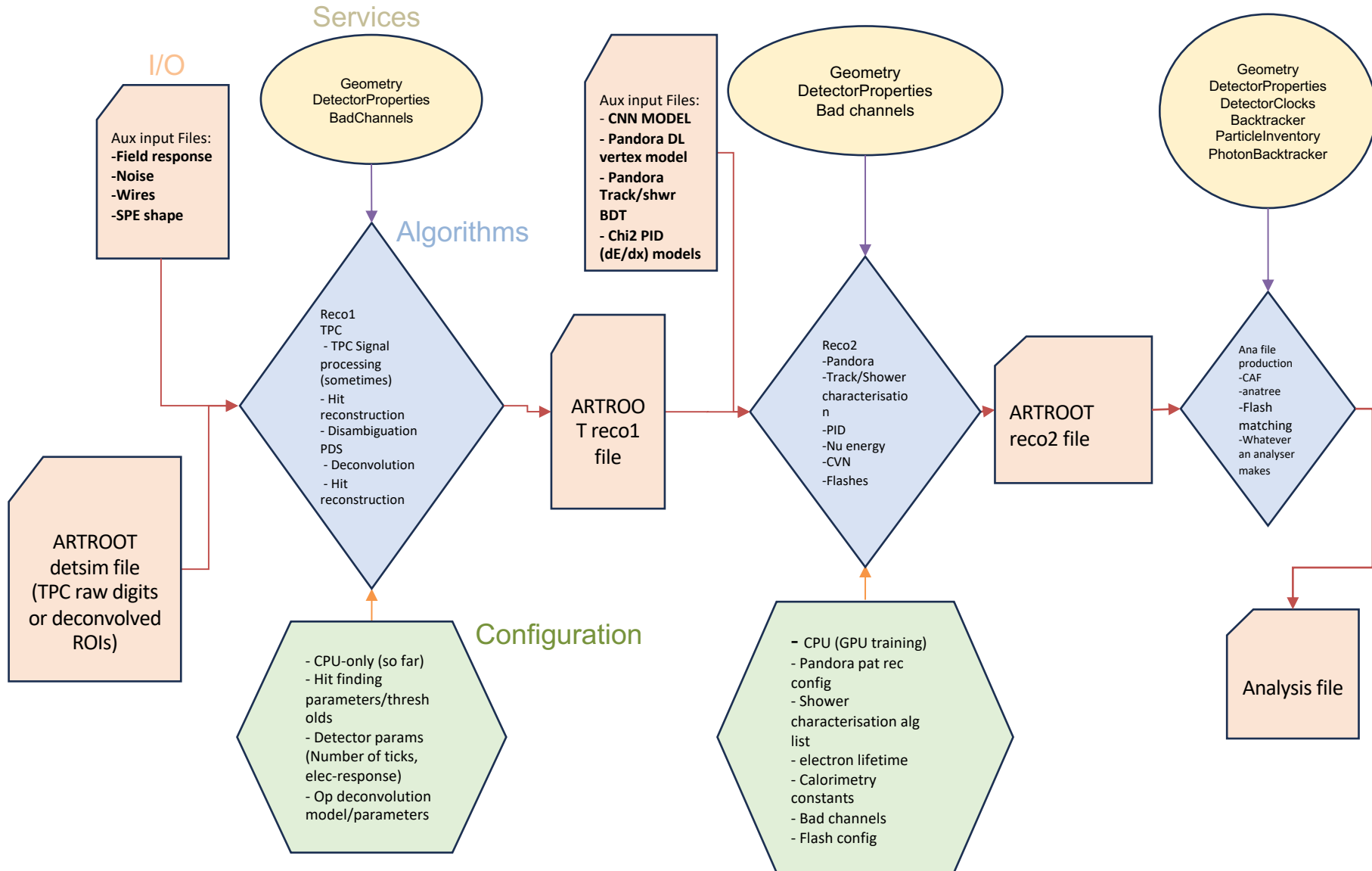
Development team and management

- Core computing framework is a DUNE US S&C deliverable:
 - Computing R&D L2: Peter van Gemmeren (ANL)
 - Framework L3: Kyle Knoepfel (FNAL)
 - + Persistency models L3: Barnali Chowdhury (ANL)
 - + Accelerator integration L3: Amit Bashyal (ANL), Meghna Bhattacharya (FNAL)
- Core frameworks development team from SciSoft at FNAL:
 - ~4 FTE – from the start of CY24
 - Led by Kyle (senior frameworks developer) under Adam Lyon, Division Director of DSSL (Data Science, Simulation and Learning)
- Funding for core development team and management is a high priority item under DUNE US FY25 ops funding request

Requirement document structure

- Breakdown of new document:
 - General requirements
 - Physics analysis requirements
 - Flexible Processing Unit (FPU) requirements
 - Reproducibility and provenance
 - Concurrency and multi-threading
 - Configuration
 - Services
 - Data I/O layer
 - (+ Glossary)
- General style is terse, with a hierarchy of requirements indicate with “MUST”, “SHOULD” and “MAY”
- Examples provided where deemed appropriate

FD sim + reco (ART supported)



ND-LAr/2x2 simulation (No FW)

