Resource usage of jobs for MicroBooNE Monte Carlo Challenge 5

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I have been presented on Monday with hte following list:

GEANT standard_g4_uboone.fcl

digitization standard_detsim_uboone.fcl

reco (2D) standard_reco_uboone_2D.fcl

reco (3D) standard_reco_uboone_3D.fcl

analysis standard_ana_uboone.fcl

All are expected to be in develop branch of ubconecode by now. I do expect minor changes before the challenge takes place.

Event generation

Tested:

- all combinations of GENIE events (NuMI/BNB, nu/nue, dirt, cosmic rays)
- cosmic rays only
- μ^{-} with 0.1 2.0 GeV/*c*

Some figures on 100-event tests (10 for heap profile):

process	time [s/evt]	heap [MB]
cosmics	0.065	not tested
μ^-	< 0.001	not tested
ν (BNB) + cosmics	0.17	500 (spikes: 150)
ν (BNB) in dirt + cosmics	0.36	500 (spikes: 150)

- RandomNumberSaver should be run as the first module, not last
- spikes present (150 MB)

Test on top of the previous 100-event ν_e (BNB) + cosmics sample.

phase	time [s/evt]	heap [MB]
GEANT + optical	45	1100 (spikes: 250)

Includes modifications, all currently in develop:

- by William to simplify processing of neutral resonances
- (by Kazuhiro?) to use the PMT quantum efficiency earlier (no unseen photon are generated)
- by Kazuhiro and Gianluca to sim::SimChannel
- by Tia and Gianluca to sim::AuxDetSimChannel

Notes:

- RandomNumberSaver should be run as the first module, not last
- spikes present (150 MB)

Detector simulation (GEANT): analysis

Memory profile:

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source	heap [MB]	comments
RootOutput	300–450	<pre>spikes (simb::MCParticle?)</pre>
Photon library	310	(maybe a bit more)
<pre>simb::MCParticle</pre>	150	temporary, for storage
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CPU usage profile (single event: 45 s):

source	fraction	comments
RootOutput	25%	
LArG4	75%	many users

Notes:

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- spikes present (150 MB)
- speed might be improved with the help of GEANT experts

Work on revisiting simb::MCParticle is at an early stage (thanks Brian!) and not guaranteed to succeed.

Test on top of the previous 100-event ν_e (BNB) + cosmics sample.

configuration	time [s/evt]	peak [GB]
standard_detsim_uboone.fcl	76.2	1.65
+ Huffman compression	42.2	1.15

Includes modifications, all currently in develop:

• by Yun-Tse, Leon at al. on field response

Notes:

• RandomNumberSaver should be run as the first module, not last

Memory profile (compressed bersion only):

source	heap [MB]	comments
Total usage	1300	plus spikes (150 MB)
RootOutput	900	<pre>spikes (simb::MCParticle?)</pre>
ROOT input	150	
optdet::UBADCBase	50	optical detector
SimWireMicroBooNE	40	TPC wires

CPU usage profile (single event: 45 s):

source	fraction	comments
RootOutput	44%	
Convolute	22%	
GenNoiseInTime	16%	
GenWaveform	4%	optical detector

I haven't started the evaluation of the new FCL file yet. Known issues to be investigated:

- memory leak in flameCluster (Ben Carls on it)
- crash in RFFHitFinder, keeping me busy since weeks, may be related to raw digit compression, regions of interest, both or neither

I haven't started the evaluation yet.

- event generation present no problem (as expected)
- GEANT simulation can fit in 3 GB slots, 2 GB slots are tight
- detector simulation shows no issue
- need reco test before recommending the use of Huffman compression
- I haven't started the evaluation of reconstruction and analysis steps
- \Rightarrow likely, there will be a lot of work in there
 - RandomNumberSaver should be moved to the very beginning of the producers chain