



Updates on ClusterCrawler and CCTrackMaker

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ClusterCrawler split

The `ClusterCrawler` module runs two main algorithms:

- ① hit finder
 - ② cluster finder (*including creation of vertices and merging of hits*)
- both are in the same module, `ClusterCrawler`
 - APA-based detectors need an intermediate step to attribute each hit reconstructed from 1 to either of the facing TPCs ([issue #8107](#))
 - the code has been split in **two producers**:
 - ① `HitFinder`, producing `recob::Hit`
 - ② `LineCluster`, starting from `recob::Hit`
 - the two modules are in all ways *independent*
 - you may want to drop the hits by `HitFinder` from ROOT output
 - configuration has been updated and tested on MicroBooNE events
 - code in `feature/gp_BreakCrawler` branches, not merged (yet)

`ClusterCrawler` is still around, but it is deprecated and it will be removed in some future to avoid code duplication

A few more bugs fixed

- ❖ CTrackMaker was modified to be aware of multiple TPCs.
- ❖ An indexing bug was fixed in ClusterCrawler.
- ❖ After hit merging, the LocalIndex is now updated.
 - ❖ Obsolete LocalIndex could cause crashes.

TPC boundaries

- ❖ Gianluca also added new functions to geometry to get TPC boundaries:
 - ❖ `MinX()`, `MaxX()`, `MinY()`, `MaxY()`, `MinZ()`, `MaxZ()`
- ❖ This helped to make the fiducial checks in the code.

Tests

- ❖ I have tested the latest code on 10000 single muons for 35t.
- ❖ Gianluca has tested the code on microboone cosmic +nue events.

Feature branches

- ❖ Code in feature / gp_BreakCrawler branches are ready to be merged into develop:
 - ❖ larc core, lardata, larreco, lbnecode