Tracking

Tracking Algorithm

- Grid each layer choose which grid to use for tracking
- 1st layer and last layer grid from optics cut
- Loop through all combinations between the first layer and the last layer
- We don't have optics our grid size equals the chamber size
- Brute-force loop

Tracking Algorithm Bias

- We have 4 layers in total minimum hits on track 3 or 4
- Chi2 cut is the only criteria at present
- Tracking result shows that: 3-hits configuration always generate smaller chi2 than
 4-hits configuration causing a tracking algorithm bias
 - Possible cause X-Y offset not corrected rightly?
 - Choose 4-hits tracks for calibration study you can require 4 hits minimum in the config file
- So current algorithm will artificially favor 4-hits configuration tracks if a 4-hits track found within the required chi2 cut, algorithm will stop searching for 3-hits track candidates (although maybe better to keep both)

Running Speed

- 70 uA run (highest beam current):
 - 50K events 1629.25 seconds
 - 100K events 2837.1 seconds
 - You can make it faster by reducing the grid size
- 5 uA run
 - 1M events 370 seconds
- Previous code on 5 uA run small angle
 - 100 events average 4 seconds 25 Hz



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Summary

- Speed is improved by around 100
- I think the current tracking is good enough for our beam test purpose
 - Help calorimeters to select desired events
- Major optimization work is completed, future minor optimization will still be needed (highly), but shouldn't affect too much on event selection purpose
 - Implement APV-wise zero suppression threshold to recover hits on the low-gain APV
 - Refined offset, tilting angle study
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