Integration of Tracking Software

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Introduction

LHC - software is well tested and used in existing experiments

Project ongoing to decouple ATLAS Tracking Software into a common tracking toolkit useable for other experiments:

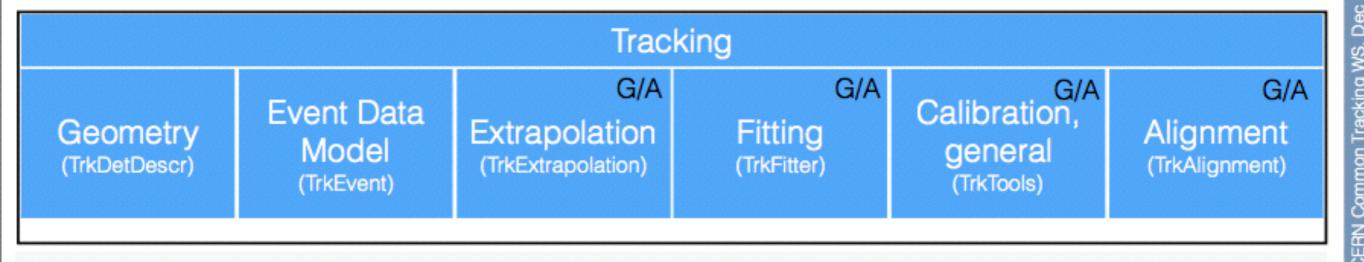
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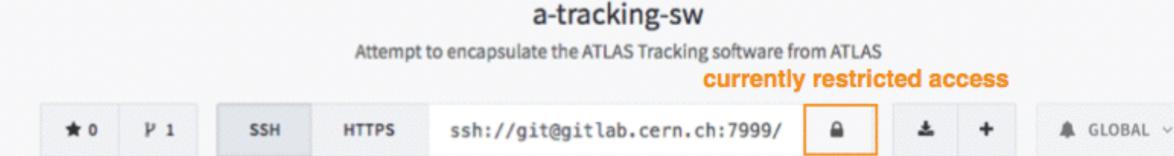
(see also Andreas talk https://indico.cern.ch/event/459865/)

Double build philosophy

- ATLAS Tracking Software build in Athena framework (based on Gaudi)
- Common tracking toolkit against the Gaudi event processing framework
 - enabled by setting build flag ats_gaudi_build

Introducing - The ATS project





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A Tracking Software (ATS) Project

This library is based on the track reconstruction software developed by the ATLAS Collaboration.

The main philosophy is to provide high-level track reconstruction modules that can be specified for detector technologies by simple extension.

- Event Data Model (EDM)
- Geometry
- track reconstruction tools

The library is attempted to build against Gaudi and Gaudi-Athena, while additional external dependencies are kept at a minimum.

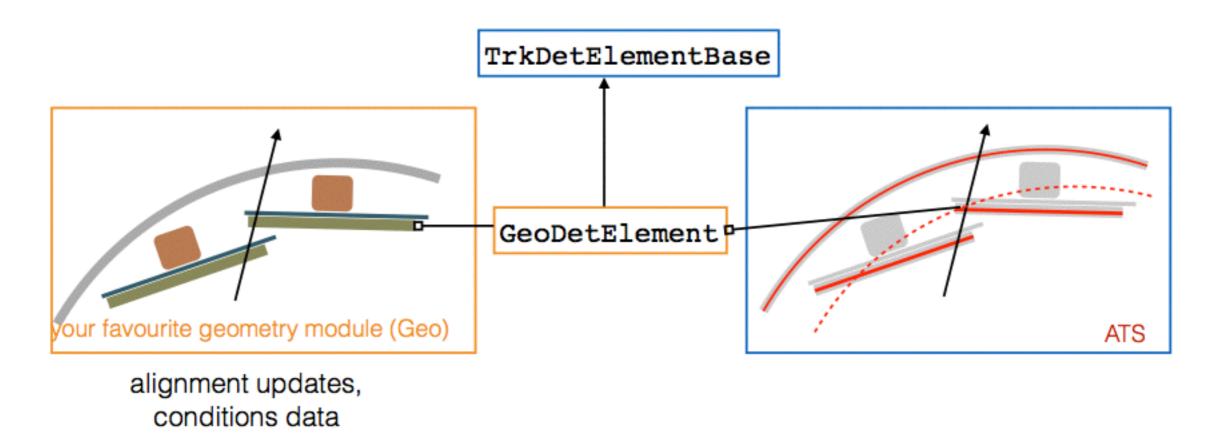
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ATLAS Tracking Geometry - summary

- ATLAS Tracking Geometry is a geometry model designed around a few basic concepts:
 - core component Trk::Surface class (all nodes extend, contain surfaces)
 - embedded navigation through interlinking and volume glueing
- Trk::Surface class builds the core of the geometry and the Tracking Event Data Model (EDM)
 - track parameterisations are done on with respect to a surface
 - extrapolation, track fitting, measurement parameterisations
- The Tracking Geometry comes with an Extrapolation tool
 - uses the embedded navigation to move through the geometry
 - uses optimised propagation & material effects integration (point-like, dense)

Provide information of Detector element

- Link between detector element of the full and detailed detector description to the TrackingGeometry via TrkDetElementBase
- Surface can be build from TrkDetElementBase and has direct link to the building geometry



Concrete implementation for FCCSW

- Implement DD4hepDetElement inheriting from TrkDetElementBase
- The DD4hepDetElement serves as an interface to the information provided by DD4hep for the tracking software

```
namespace Det {
class DD4hepDetElement : public Trk::TrkDetElementBase {
public:
     /**Constructor*/
    DD4hepDetElement(const DD4hep::Geometry::DetElement& detElement,std::shared_ptr<const Trk::SurfaceBounds> bounds, const
         DD4hep::Geometry::Segmentation& segmentation, std::shared_ptr<const Amg::Transform3D> motherTransform = nullptr);
     /**Destructor*/
    virtual ~DD4hepDetElement();
    /** Identifier */
    virtual Identifier identify() const override;
    /**Identifier hash*/
              virtual IdentifierHash identifyHash() const = 0;
    /**Return local to global transform*/
     virtual const Amg::Transform3D & transform() const override;
     /**Return local to global transform associated with this identifier*/
    virtual const Amg::Transform3D & transform(const Identifier& id) const override; //need to be changed
    /**Return surface associated with this detector element*/
    virtual const Trk::Surface & surface () const override;
```

Geometry Translation

Tracking geometry is accessed over the interface ITrackingGeometrySvc

Implementation of a dedicated service which provides the automatically translated geometry

- tools needed which scan through all volumes, layers, surfaces and build them from bottom to top
 - finally receiving single world tracking volume
- special building tools provided by the tracking package help to simplify the translation, examples:
 - binning arrays of layers inside volumes
 - building container volumes
 - automatic interlinking and glueing of volumes

Usage in FCCSW

a-tracking-sw is an external package build with cmake

dependencies

- Event processing framework: Gaudi
- → Math library: Eigen
- → Identifier: use from DD4hep

connecting links

- DD4hepDetElement: providing the detector information to the tracking software
- → Translation Service: provides the tracking geometry and converts the full DD4hep geometry automatically into the tracking geometry (possibly using tools for general translation)

Current Status & Outlook

Tracking Software

- Core classes of packages TrkDetDescr, TrkEvent and TrkExtrapolation build against Gaudi(CMake) and Athena(cmt)
- Further Integration of missing classes
- Integration of Kalmanfitter started
- started building first dummy detector

Current Status & Outlook

Integration in FCCSW

- Begin testing of first iteration of translation service with dummy detector and straight line intersection and displaying the geometry
- For FCC Rome workshop 2016: demonstrator including Geometry, fast simulation, truth tracking and track fitting planned