



# Nano AODs and how to use them on Analysis Trains

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# Motivation

Make analysis more efficient on the Grid

Statistics per month averaged over the last three months

## ESD data analysis

- 160 train runs
- avg 3.2 CPU years/train run
- 45% of LEGO train run time

**ESD  
Analysis**

## AOD data analysis

- 560 train runs
- avg 1.2 CPU years/train run
- 55% of LEGO train run time

**AOD  
Analysis**

## Nano AOD data analysis

- 10 train runs
- avg 80 CPU days/train run
- <<1% of LEGO train run time

**Nano AOD  
Analysis**





# What are Nano AODs

- Nano AODs duplicate a dataset on the Grid
  - Nano AODs file size is smaller than for AODs
  - Reduce track information to what is really needed
- Nano AODs are created in a dedicated LEGO train run as derived datasets
  - No merging step for Nano AODs
- Analysis of nano AODs
  - Behave like normal datasets in the train interface
  - Analysis code needs a few code adjustments

Nano AODs trade memory for CPU time



# Creating Nano AODs

AliRoot version

VO\_ALICE@AliPhysics:~\$AN-20171011-1 [Click here for documentation](#)

Datasets

LHC11h\_AOD145\_GoodTpc

Wagons

ChargedJetsHadronCF\_Embedding\_Embedder\_noNano,  
ChargedJetsHadronCF\_Embedding\_Generator\_noNano,  
ChargedJetsHadronCF\_Embedding\_JetFinder\_noNano,  
ChargedJetsHadronCF\_Embedding\_JetFinderPbPb\_noNano,  
ChargedJetsHadronCF\_Embedding\_JetFinderPY,ChargedJetsHadronCF\_Embedding\_Rho,  
ChargedJetsHadronCF\_Embedding\_Rho\_JetFinderKT\_R020,  
ChargedJetsHadronCF\_Embedding\_Support,  
ChargedJetsHadronCF\_Embedding\_TaskCorrelations\_HigherCut\_NoVeto,  
ChargedJetsHadronCF\_Embedding\_TaskCorrelations\_LowerCut\_NoVeto,  
ChargedJetsHadronCF\_Embedding\_TaskCorrelations\_NoCut,  
ChargedJetsHadronCF\_Embedding\_TaskCorrelations\_NormalCut\_NoVeto,  
ChargedJetsHadronCF\_Embedding\_Wrapper\_noNano,

Settings

☐ Skip processing per run ☐ Derived data production ☒ Slow train

Operator mazimmer

[Clone »](#) [Clone & enable wagons »](#) [Kill train »](#) [Mail train status »](#)

Comment

Update only comment field

Test

Status: **Finished (23m 33s total time)**  
Tag: PWGZZ/Devel\_1/174\_20171031-1633  
Used 2160 test events.  
[testing output log](#) | [testing output dir](#) | [wagon configuration](#)

Test Results

Train Run (PWG train overview)

Status

Running triggered on 31 Oct 2017 17:06 (6d 23:57 ago)  
**Train finished, masterjobs submitted: 4, last run: 169956**

Files

**Files copied to the Grid successfully** | [file copying log](#) | [train files in FC](#)

Processing

processing progress  
320 total, **320 done**, **0 error**, **0 active**, **0 waiting**  
[stack trace analysis](#)

Merging

merging progress: 4 total, **4 done**, **0 error**, **0 active**, **0 waiting**  
intermediate merging: stage1 (34/34/0/0) stage2 (3/3/0/0) stage3 (0/0/0/0) stage4 (0/0/0/0)

Final Merging

Runlist nanoAOD\_test: Status of final merging job (stage 5) | merged files in FC  
AliEn Output dir: /alice/cern.ch/user/a/alitrain/PWGZZ/Devel\_1/174\_20171031-1633/merge

Statistics

Train run finished at: 01 Nov 2017 01:41 (train duration: 8:34)  
Totals: running time: 17d 7:55 | output size: 2.213 GB  
Files/job (for done jobs): min: 1, max: 25, average: 19.1, standard deviation: 9.3  
Running time/job (for done jobs): min: 0m 14s, max: 7:44, average: 1:17, standard deviation: 58m 13s, 95% done after 2:37

Running time per job

Job Overview

State	Jobs		Files		Input size	Files/job		
	#	%	#	%		min	max	avg
DONE	320	100.0%	6111	100.0%	3.634 TB	1	25	19.1
ERROR_V	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
ERROR_E (TTL)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
ERROR_E (mem)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
ERROR_E (disk)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
ERROR_EW	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0

Input files per job

AOD analysis

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Datasets

LHC11h\_AOD145\_GoodTpc

Wagons

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ChargedJetsHadronCF\_Embedding\_Generator,  
ChargedJetsHadronCF\_Embedding\_JetFinderPbPb,  
ChargedJetsHadronCF\_Embedding\_Wrapper, NanoAODFilter\_JetH,

Settings

☐ Skip processing per run ☒ Derived data production ☒ Slow train ☒ Keep longer than 2 months

Operator mazimmer

[Clone »](#) [Clone & enable wagons »](#) [Kill train »](#) [Mail train status »](#)

Comment

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Test

Status: **Finished (7m 39s total time)**  
Tag: PWGZZ/Devel\_1/173\_20171031-1514  
Used 2160 test events.  
[testing output log](#) | [testing output dir](#) | [wagon configuration](#)

Test Results

Train Run (PWG train overview)

Status

Running triggered on 31 Oct 2017 15:24 (6d 20:28 ago)  
**Train finished, masterjobs submitted: 4, last run: 169956**

Files

**Files copied to the Grid successfully** | [file copying log](#) | [train files in FC](#)

Processing

processing progress  
1277 total, **1270 done**, **7 error**, **0 active**, **0 waiting**  
[stack trace analysis](#)

Statistics

Train run finished at: 31 Oct 2017 19:11 (train duration: 3:46)  
Totals: running time: 17d 0:27 | output size: 396.5 GB  
Files/job (for done jobs): min: 1, max: 5, average: 4.8, standard deviation: 0.8  
Running time/job (for done jobs): min: 0m 15s, max: 2:26, average: 19m 17s, standard deviation: 13m 25s, 95% done after 38m 2s

Running time per job

Improvement suggestions

- 95% of the jobs are finished after 38m 2s, the number of files per job (SplitMaxInputFileNumber) can be increased.

Job Overview

State	Jobs		Files		Input size	Files/job		
	#	%	#	%		min	max	avg
DONE	1270	99.5%	6088	99.6%	3.634 TB	1	5	4.8
ERROR_V	7	0.5%	23	0.4%	1.415 MB	1	5	3.3
ERROR_E (TTL)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
ERROR_E (mem)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
ERROR_E (disk)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
ERROR_EW	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0

Input files per job

Nano AOD creation



# Analysing Nano AODs

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LHC11h\_AOD145\_GoodTpc

Wagons

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Operator

mazimmer

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Clone & enable wagons »

Kill train »

Mail train status »

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testing output log | testing output dir | wagon configuration

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ERROR_E (mem)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
ERROR_E (disk)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
ERROR_EW	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
Other	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0

Number of jobs

AOD analysis

AliRoot version

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Datasets

LHC11h\_AOD145\_GoodTpc\_nano

Wagons

Settings

☐ Skip processing per run ☐ Derived data production ☐ Slow train

Operator

mazimmer

Clone »

Clone & enable wagons »

Kill train »

Mail train status »

Comment

Update only comment field

Test

Status: **Finished (42m 11s total time)**  
Tag: PWGZZ/Devel\_1/176\_20171101-0957  
Used 5760 test events.  
testing output log | testing output dir | wagon configuration

Test Results

Train Run (PWG train overview)

Status

Running triggered on 01 Nov 2017 10:54 (6d 6:16 ago)  
**Train finished**, masterjobs submitted: 4, last run: 169956

Files

Files copied to the Grid successfully | file copying log | train files in FC

Processing

processing progress  
283 total, 277 done, 6 error, 0 active, 0 waiting  
stack trace analysis

Merging

merging progress: 4 total, 4 done, 0 error, 0 active, 0 waiting  
intermediate merging: stage1 (13/13/0/0) stage2 (0/0/0/0) stage3 (0/0/0/0) stage4 (0/0/0/0)

Final Merging

Runlist 1: Status of final merging job (stage 5) | merged files in FC  
AliEn Output dir: /alice/cern.ch/user/a/alitrain/PWGZZ/Devel\_1/176\_20171101-0957/merge

Statistics

Train run finished at: 01 Nov 2017 20:52 (train duration: 9:58)  
Totals: running time: 10d 20:38 | output size: 828.6 MB  
Files/job (for done jobs): min: 1, max: 5, average: 4.9, standard deviation: 0.6  
Running time/job (for done jobs): min: 1m 36s, max: 6:52, average: 56m 27s, standard deviation: 1:19, 95% done after 5:13

Running time per job

Job Overview

State	Jobs		Files		Input size	Files/job		
	#	%	#	%		min	max	avg
DONE	277	97.9%	1351	97.8%	700.8 GB	1	5	4.9
ERROR_V	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
ERROR_E (TTL)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
ERROR_E (mem)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
ERROR_E (disk)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
ERROR_EW	2	0.7%	10	0.7%	31.04 GB	5	5	5
Other	4	1.4%	20	1.4%	5.576 GB	5	5	5

Number of jobs

Nano AOD analysis

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# Use Case of Nano AODs

- Analysis uses
  - **Limited subset** of ESD/AOD information
  - Events which pass a certain **event cut**
  - Tracks which pass a certain **track cut**
  - Derived variables which take a long time to calculate them in a future reprocessing
- Analysis which take a lot of computing time
- Analysis are often repeated



# When to NOT use Nano AODs

- Analysis uses
  - most of the ESD/AOD information
  - Event and track cuts change often
- Analysis is never repeated and no suitable Nano AODs exist
- Analysis finishes quickly (<50 CPU days)
  - Nano AODs will barely speed up the analysis

Statistics	<p><del>Train run finished</del> at: 22 Jul 2017 00:04 (train duration: 13:03)</p> <p><b>Totals:</b> running time: 29d 21:31   output size: 390.6 MB</p> <p><b>Files/job</b> (for done jobs): min: 1, max: 3, average: 2.9 , standard deviation: 0.4</p> <p><b>Running time/job</b> (for done jobs): min: 0m 2s, max: 5:01, average: 23m 6s, standard deviation: 32m 23s, 95% done after 1:24</p>
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# NanoAOD Productions

- Roughly 20 NanoAOD productions per month
- Only 10 analysis of NanoAODs per month
- Derived datasets are used to
  - Create tree structures on the trains
  - Avoid merging errors
  - Analysis is continued on local machines or clusters
- Different use case than originally planned





# New Nano AOD analysis



# Improved Instructions

- Detailed twiki article with instructions
  - <https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/viewauth/ALICE/NanoAOD>
- Working implementation since summer for a correlation task
  - Two times faster than AOD analysis
  - Unfortunately no further analysis after summer



# Jet embedding task

- The jet embedding has the following workflow
  - Embed pythia jets in PbPb events
  - Use jet finder to find jets in these PbPb events
  - Do analysis
- In the AOD analysis the embedding step is repeated in every train run
- Can create Nano AODs with embedded events
- Needs a wrapper class to keep AOD/Nano AOD usage transparent for the user



# Resource consumption

## AOD analysis

- takes 218 CPU days
- 3200 jobs
- Average analysis time 1:40 hours
- Train finished after 12:24 hours

## Nano AOD analysis

- Takes 87 CPU days
- 3100 jobs
- Average analysis time 0:40 hours
- Train finished after 9:22 hours

On the Grid produced Nano AODs contain additional data



# Problem in the implementation

- On the Grid produced results from Nano AODs contain roughly the double statistics compared to the analysis of AODs
- Locally Nano AODs and normal AODs result in same analysis results
  - This makes debugging very difficult
- This was never observed in any other Nano AOD production
  - Could be effect of the additional wrapper class?



# Implementing a task with Nano AODs

- Changing a task is easy and straight forward
  - Normal AOD functions are AliVTrack information are usable the same way
  - Event information like centrality are accessed as a single double value instead of a centrality object
  - Additional custom variables can be implemented in a dedicated Nano AOD creation task
- Overall people hesitate to use the framework
- Debugging new productions require some knowledge about the Nano AOD framework and the analysis task

# Summary

- New sets of Nano AODs were produced
- Nano AODs can be analyzed in less than half the time used for normal AOD productions
- Nano AODs are still poorly used
- For the jet embedding framework Nano AODs contain a not understood error
  - Further investigations are going on
- Debugging Nano AODs requires a person who understands the task and an expert for Nano AODs



BACKUP



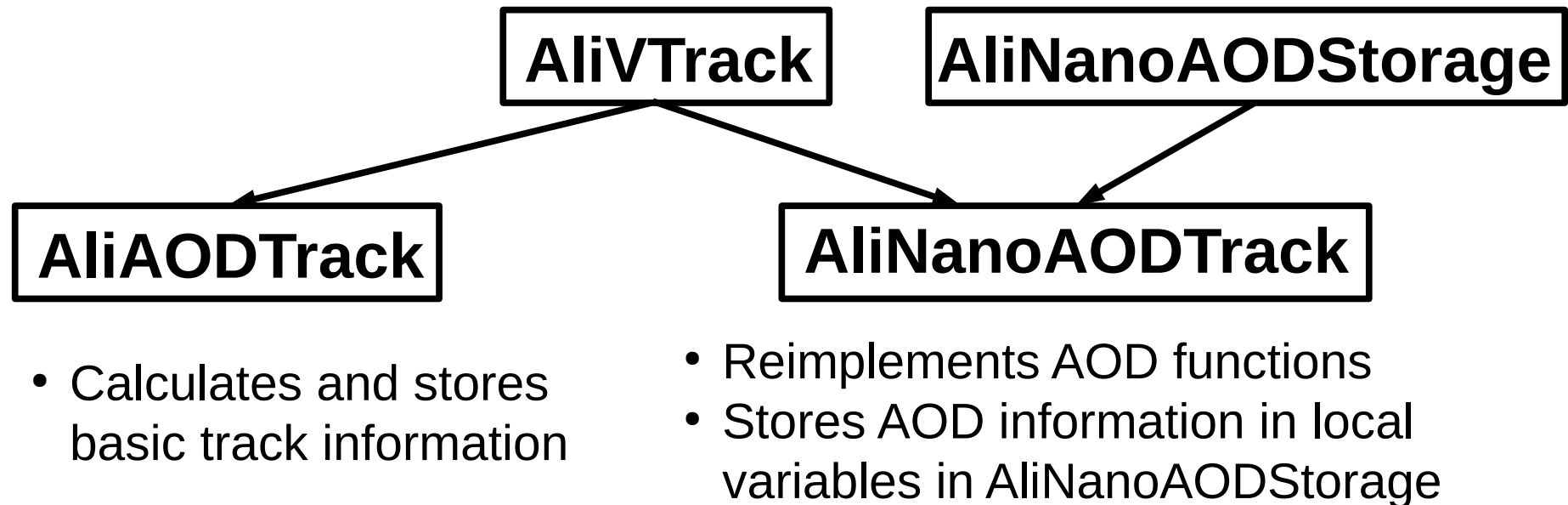
# Analysis Types

## AOD Analysis

- AliAODEvent
- AliAODTrack

## Nano AOD Analysis

- AliAODEvent
- AliNanoAODTrack





# Event Information in Nano AODs

- Nano AODs contain the same AliAODEvent type as AOD events
  - No code change is necessary in the analysis for the event analysis
  - Not necessarily all AliAODEvent content is available
- Centrality
  - VOM
  - Under development (TRK, CL1, CL2)
- Vertices (are always copied)
- Magnetic Field
- More Event properties can be implemented
  - Pile Up
  - ...



# Track Information in Nano AODs

- $p_T$ ,  $\theta$ ,  $\varphi$ ,  $X^2/\text{ndf}$ ,  
pos X, pos Y, pos Z, pos DCA x, posDCA y, pos DCS Z,  
 $p_x$  at DCA,  $p_y$  at DCA,  $p_z$  at DCA, R at Absorber End,  
TPC Ncls, TPC NclsF, TPC N Crossed Rows,  
Track  $\varphi$  on EmCal, Track  $\theta$  on EmCal, Track  $p_T$  on EmCal,  
ITS signal, TPC signal, TPC signal Tuned, TPC signal N,  
TPC momentum, TPC Tgl, TOF signal, integrated length, TOF  
signal Tuned, HMPID signal, HMPID occupancy,  
TRD signal, TRD  $X^2$ , TRD N Slices
- Train Operators define included variables of a Nano AOD
- User Code can directly access nano AOD track information if the track is interpreted as AliVTrack
- Track can also be casted to AliNanoAODTrack



# Track Information in Nano AODs

AliVTrack particle;

```
particle = (AliAODTrack) aodEvent->GetTrack(0);
```

```
particle = (AliNanoAODTrack) aodEvent->GetTrack(0);
```

```
double pT = particle → Pt();
```

- Check if a certain method is implemented in AliNanoAODTrack
  - Implement it yourself if you need it
  - New derived variables can be stored in the Nano AODs
  - Contact [m.zimmermann@cern.ch](mailto:m.zimmermann@cern.ch)



# Generating Nano AODs on the LEGO trains



# Generation of Nano AODs

- Normal train train run
- Define AOD Output handler additionally to the AOD handler
- `PWG/DevNanoAOD/AddTaskNanoAODFilter.C`
- Output files are not merged
- Output is kept for 2 months
- Operator can define output to be kept for longer

# AOD Output Handler

Editing handler **AODOutputHandler**

Handler name	<input type="text" value="AODOutputHandler"/>	<a href="#">Click here for documentation</a>
Macro path	<input type="text" value="ANALYSIS/macros/train/AddAODOutputHandler.C"/> Example: ANALYSIS/macros/train/AddESDHandler.C	
Macro parameters	<input type="text"/> Example: kTRUE, "param"	
Macro body	<input aliaod.nanoaod.root\");"="" type="text" value="handler-&gt;SetOutputFileName(\"/>	

Note: you get access to the created handler by using the variable *handler*.  
Do not forget the semicolon (;) at the end of the lines.

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# Nano AOD Wagon

Basic settings

Advanced settings

Subwagon configuration

Testing statistics

Click here for documentation

Wagon name

NanoAODFilter\_Data\_2plus1

NB. Only alphanumerical characters (a-z, A-Z, 0-9) and underscore ( ) allowed.

Wagon owner

mazimmer

Only users who have a wagon in some train are displayed.

Wagon group

Default

Macro path

PWG/DevNanoAOD/AddTaskNanoAODFilter.C

By default macros are searched within \$ALICE\_PHYSICS. If you need a macro in \$ALICE\_ROOT, please specify \$ALICE\_ROOT in front of the path.  
Examples: PWGCF/macros/AddTaskPhiCorrelations.C or \$ALICE\_ROOT/ANALYSIS/macros/AddTaskPIDResponse.C

☐ AddTask macro needs AliEn connection

Macro parameters

0, 0

Example: kTRUE, "param"

Macro customization

```

AliAnalysisNanoAODTrackCuts* trk = new AliAnalysisNanoAODTrackCuts;
trk->SetBitMask((1 << 8) | (1 << 9)); // hybrid 2011
//trk->SetBitMask((1 << 5) | (1 << 6)); // global 2011
//trk->SetBitMask((1 << 4) | (1 << 8)); // hybrid 2011 for pp
trk->SetMaxEta(0.9);
trk->SetMinPt(1.0);

AliAnalysisNanoAODEventCuts* evt = new AliAnalysisNanoAODEventCuts;
evt->SetVertexRange(8);

__R_ADDTASK__->SetTrkCuts(trk);
__R_ADDTASK__->SetEvtCuts(evt);
__R_ADDTASK__->SetSetter(new AliNanoAODSimpleSetter);
__R_ADDTASK__->SetVarList("pt,theta,phi");
__R_ADDTASK__->SetVarListHead("cstCentr,cstMagField");
// TODO centrality, vtx, magnetic field

__R_ADDTASK__->SelectCollisionCandidates(AliVEvent::kMB| AliVEvent::kCentral | AliVEvent::kSemiCentral);

```

Note: you get access to the created task by using the variable `__R_ADDTASK__`.  
Do not forget the semicolon (;) at the end of the lines.  
Example: `__R_ADDTASK__->SelectCollisionCandidates(AliVEvent::kAnyINT);`

Libraries

Note: separate libraries with comma (,); do not specify *lib* in front  
Example: CORRFW,EMCALUtils

Submit »





# Train Run Configuration

AliRoot version	VO_ALICE@AliPhysics::VAN-20160119-1 <a href="#">Click here for documentation</a>		
Datasets	LHC11h_AOD145_2		Wagons
Settings	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Skip processing per run	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Derived data production	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Slow train
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Keep longer than 2 months

- Derived data production → defines this train run as Nano AOD dataset
- Slow train → forbids to kill the last train jobs to speed up the analysis
- Keep longer than 2 months → analysis files will not be deleted after 2 months



# Generation of Nano AODs

AliRoot version  
Datasets  
Settings  
Operator  
Comment  
Test

VO\_ALICE@AliPhysics::vAN-20160119-1 Click here for documentation  
LHC11h\_AOD145\_2  
☒ Skip processing per run ☒ Derived data production ☒ Slow train  
mazimmer  
Clone » Clone & enable wagons » Kill train » Mail train status »  
full nano AOD production with min Pt 1GeV  
Status: **Finished (5m 31s total time)**  
Tag: PWGZZ/Devel\_1/106\_20160120-1236  
Used 6920 test events.  
testing output log | testing output dir | wagon configuration

Wagons  
NanoAODFilter\_Data\_2plus1,  
☒ Keep longer than 2 months

Test Results

Train Run (PWG train overview)

Status

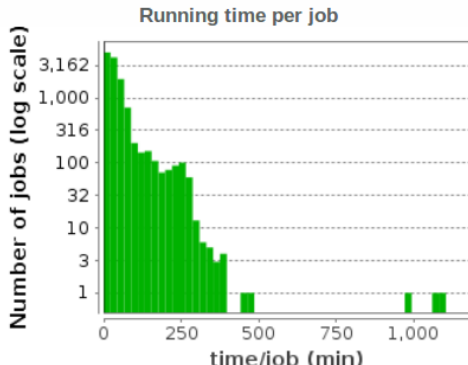
Files

Processing


Statistics

Running triggered on 20 Jan 2016 12:47 (1y 181d ago)  
**Train finished**, masterjobs submitted: 12, last run: 170036  
  
Files copied to the Grid successfully | file copying log | train files in FC  
  
processing progress  
12925 total, **12889 done**, **36 error**, **0 active**, **0 waiting**  
  
Train run finished at: 21 Jan 2016 11:58 (train duration: 23:11)  
Totals: running time: 1y 16d | output size: 4.45 TB  
Files/job (for done jobs): min: 1, max: 15, average: 13.9, standard deviation: 3.4  
Running time/job (for done jobs): min: 0m 18s, max: 18:23, average: 42m 37s, standard deviation: 49m 19s, 95% done after 2:12

Running time per job



Input files per job



Job Overview

State	Jobs		Files		Input size	Files/job		
	#	%	#	%		min	max	avg
DONE	12889	99.7%	179392	99.8%	107.1 TB	1	15	13.9
ERROR_V	17	0.1%	89	0.0%	61.03 GB	1	15	5.2
ERROR_E (TTL)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
ERROR_E (mem)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
ERROR_E (disk)	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
ERROR_EW	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0 B	0	0	0
Other	19	0.1%	281	0.2%	172.7 GB	11	15	14.8

DONE

ERROR\_V

ERROR\_E (TTL)

ERROR\_E (mem)

ERROR\_E (disk)

ERROR\_EW

Other

# Derived Dataset

Editing dataset **LHC11h\_AOD145\_nanoAOD**

Dataset name: **LHC11h\_AOD145\_nanoAOD** [Click here for documentation](#)

Reference production: **Derived Data: Devel\_1, run 106**

Main file name: **AliAOD.NanoAOD.root**

Apply search on reference productions:

Flags: ☐ pp

Runlist:

Run subset of the above (comma separated list of runs):  ☒ runlist activated

Selection string:  If this field is non-empty, its content is matched against the input folders of this dataset, find examples on the twiki (note, that this is **ignored** for downloading test files).

Description:

Global variables for this dataset:

Configuration: ☐ train runs with this dataset cannot process several runs within the same job


Number of files to test:  SplitMaxInputFileNumber:

MaxMergeFiles:  TTL:  seconds








Friend chain names (only for AOD):  Libraries for friend chains: **LYSIS.so libANALYSISAli.so libPWGDevNanoAOD.s**

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# Derived Dataset

LHC10h_nano	Derived Data: Devel_1, run 85	✓	93	
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- Derived datasets look like normal datasets
- Wagons are activated for them in the same way

NanoAODFilter_Data_2plus1	mazimmer				✓			157 130	✓		
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- Dataset is ready to be used in the analysis

# Workflow with Nano AODs

- Create Nano AODs with many variables
  - Do event and track cuts in the analysis
  - Multiple analyses can use the same Nano AODs
- Create Nano AODs only out of events and tracks which pass the correspondent cuts
  - Nano AODs are very efficient
- Nano AODs can be recreated from time to time
  - Multiple analyses of the same Nano AODs
  - It is a waste of resources to create Nano AODs which are only analyzed once



# Nano AODs with your Cuts

- Create your own Event and track cuts for the nano AOD generation
- Define your own Cuts in a file analogue to `DevNanoAOD/AliAnalysisNanoAODCuts.cxx`
  - This cannot inherit from any user class
  - use classes from `$ALICE_PHYSICS/PWG/DevNanoAOD`
- Create these track and event cuts in the wagon definition of the Nano AOD generation



# Try out Nano AODs locally

- Try out nano AODs locally
- Generate them with the local train test
  - [https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/viewauth/ALICE/AnalysisTrains#Local\\_train\\_test](https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/viewauth/ALICE/AnalysisTrains#Local_train_test)
- Analyze these Nano AODs with another local train test by changing the input file to the newly produced nanoAOD