Tracking Optimization

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

Grid - Speed



Smaller grids help on large occupancy events (run 4818):

- 128,064,159 track combinations for this particular event
- Grid size 102.4 mm (treat entire chamber as one grid) 35.42 s
- Grid size 17.2 mm 0.192 s

At present, grids only applied to middle layers - can apply to outer layers after optics implement

Grid Size - Speed

Time for 10K events (s) vs. Grid Size (mm)



- This is based on the highest occupancy run (run 4818, 70 uA)
- Default grid size 17.2 mm (SBS-GEn 10 mm, with optics)
- every file split from high beam current runs (20GB file farm job) should be able to finish in 2 hours
- 7.6 seconds for 1000 events run 4818

Multiple Grid Selection

• Criteria for including neighboring grids - ¹/₈ grid width distance to grid edge



Results from different Grids - Run 4818

From 50K replay

- Chi2ndf distribution and xtrack distribution shows that we are still not finding the correct 2D clusters
- Next step would be to apply calorimeter cuts





h xptrack

35417

0.02317

-0.0004624

Entries

Mean

arid width 40 mm

grid width 17 mm

0.15

Entries

Mean

0.2

h yptrack

35417

-0.0004086

0.05

0.05

0.1

Std Dev

Track slope from run 4680 (5 uA)

• Low beam current run, low background particle hits



Backup Slides

Track Reconstruction Efficiency

- Removed hard chi2ndf cut
- as long as we have 3 chambers with hits, there will be at least one track (the one with minimum chi2ndf)
- Since the coverage for the 1st two chambers is much larger, so tracks per trigger depends on the last two chambers
- > 70% (relative to trigger) for high beam current runs more fake tracks



One Hit track

