

## Tagger pipeline TDCs for T-counters

- We had two sets of TDCs for T-counters:
  - Multi-hit LeCroy 1877. 500 ps LSB. Double pulse resolution 25 ns. A hardware coincidence of  $TL_i \times TR_i$  as an input.
  - Pipeline TDC from CAEN. 25 ps LSB. Double pulse resolution 5 ns. Individual channel for each  $TL_i$  and  $TR_i$ . We need to arrange  $TL_i \times TR_i$  in software.
- We can take advantage of that to cross check results with two versions of tagger reconstruction.
- Experience with these new TDCs in recent CLAS runs is very positive.
- A development of the software for PRIMEX have been started when we took data a year ago.

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revision 1.18  
date: 2004/10/08 19:17:37; author: pasyuk; state: Exp; lines: +12 -3  
1. change type of 'val' in HARDWARE bank to 'unsigned int'  
2. add TAGTLHIT and TAGTRHIT banks  
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revision 1.15  
date: 2004/08/31 03:07:42; author: mikewood; state: Exp; lines: +6 -2  
Added new bank definitons for TAGTL and TAGTR (raw left and right T-counter TDCs)  
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# bank definitions

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<bank name="tagt" comment="Tagger T-counter raw TDCs after Left-Right Coincidence" typedef="primRawData_t"
size="primRawDataHit_t" bankflag="BANKFLAG_RAWBANK" />

<bank name="tagtl" comment="Tagger T-counter raw TDCs (Left)" typedef="primRawData_t" size="primRawDataHit_t"
bankflag="BANKFLAG_RAWBANK" />

<bank name="tagtr" comment="Tagger T-counter raw TDCs (Right)" typedef="primRawData_t"
size="primRawDataHit_t" bankflag="BANKFLAG_RAWBANK" />

<bank name="tage" comment="Tagger E-counter raw TDCs" typedef="primRawData_t" size="primRawDataHit_t"
bankflag="BANKFLAG_RAWBANK" />

<struct name="TAG_HIT_t">
<member type="int" name="id" comment="T-counter number"/>
<member type="float" name="t" comment="nanoseconds"/>
<member type="int" name="tdc" comment="TDC counts"/>
<member type="float" name="E" comment="Energy in GeV"/>
<member type="int" name="status"/>
</struct>

<struct name="TAGTLR_HIT_t">
<member type="int" name="id" comment="" />
<member type="int" name="tdc" comment="TDC counts with reference time subtracted" />
<member type="float" name="t" comment="nanoseconds" />
</struct>

<bank name="tagehit" rowdef="TAG_HIT_t" comment="Tagger E-channel hits"/>

<bank name="tagthit" rowdef="TAG_HIT_t" comment="Tagger T-channel hits"/>

<bank name="tagtlhit" rowdef="TAGTLR_HIT_t" comment="Tagger left T-counter hits"/>

<bank name="tagtrhit" rowdef="TAGTLR_HIT_t" comment="Tagger right T-counter hits"/>

<bank name="tagm" comment="reconstructed tagger bank">
<column name="energy" type="float" comment="Energy of the photon in GeV" />
<column name="t" type="float" comment="T-counter time (ns)" />
<column name="e_t" type="float" comment="E-counter time (ns)" />
<column name="status" type="int" comment="Status (not yet used)" />
<column name="tid" type="int" comment="T channel Id" />
<column name="eid" type="int" comment="E channel Id" />
<column name="Thit" type="int" comment="index of hit in tagt_hit bank" />
<column name="Ehit" type="int" comment="index of hit in tage_hit bank" />
</bank>
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// routine name: tagM_GetTcounterHits
if(HI_RES_TDC){
    for(i=0;i<banks->TAGTL->bank.nrow;i++){
        idL = banks->TAGTL->hit[i].id;
        tdcL = banks->TAGTL->hit[i].val;
        tL = (float)(tdcL-TcL_offset[idL-1]);
        tL *= TcL2ns[idL-1]; /* convert to nanoseconds */
        for(j=0;j<banks->TAGTL->bank.nrow;j++){
            idL = banks->TAGTR->hit[i].id;
            tdcR = banks->TAGTR->hit[j].val;
            tR = (float)(tdcR-TcR_offset[idR-1]);
            tR *= TcR2ns[idR-1]; /* convert to nanoseconds */
            tdiff = fabs(tL-tR); /* left,right time difference */
            if((idL==idR) && (tdiff<TAG_LR_WINDOW)){
                t_hits[n].status = 0;
                t_hits[n].id = id;
                t_hits[n].tdc = (tdcL+tdcR)/2;
                t_hits[n++].t = (tL+tR)/2.0; /* nanoseconds */
            }
        }
    }
}
else{
    for(i=0;i<banks->TAGT->bank.nrow;i++){
        id = banks->TAGT->hit[i].id;
        t_hits[n].status = 0;
        tdc = banks->TAGT->hit[i].val;
        t = (float)(tdc-Tc_offset[id-1]);
        t *= Tc2ns; /* convert to nanoseconds */
        t_hits[n].id = id;
        t_hits[n].tdc = tdc;
        t_hits[n++].t = t; /* nanoseconds */
    }
}

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// routine name: tagM_MakeTLRcounterHitsBanks
//
// RCS ID string.  Don't edit next line! CVS takes care of it.
// $Id: tagM_MakeTLRCounterHitsBanks.c,v 1.2 2005/07/12 13:49:51 eclinton Exp $
//
//__begin_doc
//
// Documentation for subroutine tagger_evnt
//
// Purpose: Read Tagger left-right T-counter TDC info from TAGTL&TAGTR banks,
//           subtract reference channel and fill TAGTLHIT&TAGTRHIT banks
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//
// Calling Sequence:
// -----
//
// Input Parameters: (Name - Type - Meaning)
// -----
//
// Output Parameters: (Name - Type - Meaning)
// -----
//
// Called from:
// -----
//
// Other routines:
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//
// Notes:
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// Author: Eugene Pasyuk      Created: Thu Oct 12 15:19:04 EDT 2004
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//
// Major revisions:
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//
//__end_doc
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# Status

- translation to TAGTL/TAGTR banks in codaIO - DONE
- conversion from TDC counts to ns - almost DONE
- Left/Right matching. Makes bank similar to TAGTHIT - TO DO
- The rest of the reconstruction should go the same way as we had before:  
make new bank (**TAGMLR?**) bank, sort of a clone of TAGM - TO DO