



8 Utility Tools

8.1 Debug tool



Debug tool

Goal: Provide user friendly dump of the event

- Work on both reconstructed and MC data.
- Side by side print out of reconstructed and MC data.
- Informations can be selected by the user.
- Flat or Tree display.



Debug tool usage

Getting the tool

Get the definition `#include "DaVinciMCTools/IDebugTool.h"`

Declare your instance `IDebugTool *m_debug`

Get your instance `toolSvc()->retrieveTool("DebugTool", m_debug)`

Using the tool

Event as trees `m_debug->printEventAsTree(mcparts [, assoc])`

Particle decay as tree `m_debug->printTree(part [, depth])`

Event as a flat list `m_debug->printEventAsList(parts [, assoc])`

Ancestors `m_debug->printAncestor(mcpart)`



Debug tool output

```
<----- MCParticle ----->
      Name           E           M           P           Pt           phi           Vz
                   GeV         GeV         GeV         GeV         mrad         cm
BO                29.828       5.279       29.358       7.666       -29.331       -1.780
+-->J/psi(1S)     29.119       3.097       28.954       7.707        4.943       -1.450
|+-->mu+          23.835       0.106       23.835       7.396       69.765       -1.450
|+-->mu-           5.284       0.106       5.283       0.580      -967.540       -1.450
| +-->nu_e         0.046       -0.000       0.046       0.041       58.550     1932.276
| +-->e-           0.039       0.001       0.039       0.038     -2650.137     1932.276
| +-->nu_e         0.021       -0.000       0.021       0.017     1996.055     1932.276
+-->KS0            0.710       0.498       0.506       0.267     -1736.262       -1.450
+-->pi+            0.280       0.140       0.243       0.167     2955.913       -0.167
|+-->mu+           0.110       0.106       0.030       0.019     -1545.998     234.307
||+-->nu_e         0.017       0.000       0.017       0.007     2418.076     234.307
||+-->e+           0.036       0.001       0.036       0.030     2629.653     234.307
||+-->nu_e         0.052       -0.000       0.052       0.037     -554.517     234.307
|+-->nu_e         0.030       0.000       0.030       0.019     1595.595     234.307
+-->pi-            0.429       0.140       0.406       0.317     -1182.472       -0.167
```



Debug tool side by side output

```
<----- MCParticle -----><----- Particle ----->
      Name      P      Pt      Name      P      Pt
           GeV    GeV           GeV    GeV
B0                29.358    7.666 No associated particle
+-->J/psi(1S)    28.954    7.707 No associated particle
|+-->mu+        23.835    7.396 No associated particle
|+-->mu-         5.283    0.580 mu-      5.272    0.578
| +-->nu_e       0.046    0.041 No associated particle
| +-->e-         0.039    0.038 No associated particle
| +-->nu_e       0.021    0.017 No associated particle
+-->KSO          0.506    0.267 No associated particle
+-->pi+          0.243    0.167 No associated particle
|+-->mu+        0.030    0.019 No associated particle
||+-->nu_e      0.017    0.007 No associated particle
||+-->e+        0.036    0.030 No associated particle
||+-->nu_e      0.052    0.037 No associated particle
|+-->nu_e       0.030    0.019 No associated particle
+-->pi-         0.406    0.317 No associated particle
```



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Debug tool List and Ancestors output

Flat list

```
<----- Particle ----->
      Name      Vz      Vz      Vz
           cm      cm      cm
pi+                0.645    0.537    64.9
pi-                0.385   -0.729    28.9
e-               -0.735     7.2     484
pi+                0.393    0.728    28.9
mu-                5.97     15.5     487
pi+                6.01     15.2     488
pi-               -0.293    0.899    15.4
e-                -3.85    -6.23    232
mu-                0.664   -0.854     7.93
gamma              -205     -295   1.26e+03
```

Ancestors

pi0 -> gamma -> e+



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Debug tool configuration

In the *jobOption* file:

- User can select the informations to dump.
- Width of the columns can be adjusted.
- Numerical precision can also be tuned.
- Tree depth can be limited in general.

Available informations are:

Name	The particle name (plus the tree drawing)
E	The energy
M	The mass
P, Pt, Px, Py, Pz	The momentum
Vx, Vy, Vz	The position of the first measured point
theta, phi	The spherical angles
eta	The pseudo-rapidity



Debug tool example jobOption

```
// Defaults for DebugTool
MyToolOwner.DebugTool.PrintDepth = 999;
MyToolOwner.DebugTool.TreeWidth = 20;
MyToolOwner.DebugTool.FieldWidth = 10;
MyToolOwner.DebugTool.FieldPrecision = 3;
MyToolOwner.DebugTool.Informations = "Name E M P Pt phi Vz";
```





8.2 (MC)DecayFinder



(MC)DecayFinder

Goal: Find any inclusive or exclusive decay in an event

- Work at the particle ID level.
- Work on both reconstructed and MC data.
- Find multiple instances of the decay.
- Use a simple description of the decay.



(MC)DecayFinder usage

Getting the tool

Get the definition `#include "DaVinciMCTools/I(MC)DecayFinder.h"`

Declare your instance `I(MC)DecayFinder *m_finder`

Get your instance `toolSvc()->retrieveTool("MC)DecayFinder",
m_finder)`

Using the tool

```
const (MC)Particle *result = NULL;
while( m_finder->findDecay( (mc)parts, result ) )
{
// The decay has been found
  m_debug->printTree( result );
}
```

Or to simply test for the presence of the decay

```
bool found = m_finder->hasDecay( (mc)parts )
```



(MC)DecayFinder configuration

Only two parameters exists:

Decay The decay we are looking for. Must be set in the **jobOption file**.

ResonanceThreshold The lifetime under which a particle is considered a resonance. Default provided.



(MC)DecayFinder decay grammar

A *decay* is a **mother** **or**
mother -> **daughter₁** **daughter₂** ...

Use => instead of -> if you want to skip the resonances.

A mother is either

- a **particle name** or **!name** or ?
- **(name)**
- **[name]** os
- **[name₁, name₂]** cc
- **{mother₁, mother₂,...}**
- pp

A daughter is either

- a **particle name** or **!name** or ?
- **(decay)**
- **[name₁, name₂]** cc
- **{mother₁, mother₂,...}**
- **{(decay₁), (decay₂),...}**
- ...



(MC)DecayFinder grammar examples

B⁰ **any B⁰**
(B⁰) **any stable B⁰**
(pi⁺) **any stable pi⁺**
J/psi(1S) **any stable JPsi**
pi⁰ -> gamma gamma **any pi⁰ decay to 2 gamma**
[B⁰, B⁺] cc **any B⁰, B⁰, B⁺ or B⁻**
pp => [K⁻] cc
B⁰ -> (J/psi(1S) -> mu⁺ mu⁻) (KS⁰ -> pi⁻ pi⁺)
B⁰ -> (J/psi(1S) -> mu⁺ mu⁻ {gamma,}) (KS⁰ -> pi⁻ pi⁺)
B⁰ => mu⁺ mu⁻ gamma (KS⁰ -> pi⁺ pi⁻)





8.3 Gaudi utilities: a reminder



Printing

To print out informations use the *MessageService* and not `cout`. **Because:**

- It works like `cout`.
- It adds a severity tag to your message.
- It tells the user from where the message is coming.
- It can be filtered based on severity.



Printing How-To

- **Get the definition of this facility.**

```
#include "GaudiKernel/MsgStream.h"
```

- **Create a stream.**

```
MsgStream log(msgSvc(), name())
```

- **Print!**

```
log << MSG::DEBUG << "Hello World!" << endreq
```



Severity & Notes

The available severity levels are (in increasing order):

- MSG::DEBUG
- MSG::INFO
- MSG::WARNING
- MSG::ERROR
- MSG::FATAL

One *request* to the Message Service can be split. You just need to start it with a severity tag and end it with a `endreq`.

```
log << MSG::INFO << "Momentum along x: " << mypart->momentum().px()/GeV << endl;  
double ptx = sqrt(pow(mypart->momentum().py(),2)+pow(mypart->momentum().pz(),2));  
log << "Momentum in yz plane: " << ptx/GeV << endreq;
```



Ntuple

To use a Ntuple you have to

1. Declare the variables of your ntuple.
2. Create the ntuple.
3. Register the ntuple.
4. Register your variables to your ntuple.
5. Fill the variables & commit.
6. Adjust the `NtupleSvc.Output` in your `jobOption` file.

Note that step 2. could fail if the ntuple already exists.



Ntuple variables declaration

First get the definition of what kind of items can be put in the ntuple.

```
#include "GaudiKernel/NTupleItems.h"
```

Then declare your variables with the appropriate type.

```
NTuple::Item<long> m_nPart;  
NTuple::Array<float> m_px, m_py, m_pz;  
NTuple::Matrix<float> m_trackEnds_x, m_trackEnds_y, m_trackEnds_z;
```

Array and Matrix can only be used with a column wise ntuple.



Ntuple creation & booking

First check if your ntuple has already been registered.

```
NTuplePtr MyNtuple(ntupleSvc(), "MyFileKey/MyDirectory/MyID");
```

If not (*MyNtuple* == 0) then create and book your ntuple.

```
MyNtuple = ntupleSvc()->book ("MyFileKey/MyDirectory", MyID,  
                             CLID_ColumnWiseTuple, "MyTitle");
```

Here it was created in *MyDirectory* as *MyID* in the file associated to *MyFileKey*.



Ntuple setup

Attach the variables to the ntuple.

```
status = nt->addItem ("NParts", m_nPart, 0, 5000);  
if( status.isSuccess() )  
    status = nt->addIndexedItem ("px", m_nPart, m_px);  
if( status.isSuccess() )  
    status = nt->addIndexedItem ("vx", m_nPart, 2, m_trackEnds_x);  
...
```

Or if it already exists, reattach the variables.

```
status = nt->item ("NParts", m_nPart);  
if( status.isSuccess() ) status = nt->item ("px", m_px);  
if( status.isSuccess() ) status = nt->item ("vx", m_trackEnds_x);  
...
```



Ntuple filling

Use the variables you associated to the ntuple as usual.
When you are ready to write the row of the ntuple out,
simply call the `write` method.

```
ntuple->write()
```

After that call, all the variables will be reset to zero.

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Ntuple jobOption settings

Be sure to have the NTuple service loaded (it is by default in DaVinci).

```
ApplicationMgr.ExtSvc += {"NTupleSvc" };
```

Then to have your ntuple saved to disk you need to say what kind of
persistence format you want.

For the traditional HBOOK format:

```
NTupleSvc.Output={"MyFileKey DATAFILE='MyFileName.hbook' TYP='HBOOK' OPT='NEW'"};
```

For the more recent ROOT format:

```
NTupleSvc.Output={"MyFileKey DATAFILE='MyOtherFileName.rt' TYP='ROOT' OPT='NEW'"};
```

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Histogram

To use the histogram facility you have to

1. Select the kind of persistence you want (Hbook or Root).
2. Adjust the jobOption file.
3. Create & register your histograms.
4. Fill them.



Histogram persistence

Histogram persistence can be achieved with either Hbook or Root.

To change the default of Hbook to Root you must change the requirement file of DaVinci to

```
#use HbookCnv          v12r0
use RootHistCnv        v6r0
```

You also need to change the jobOption file to

```
\\#include "$STDOPTS/Hbook.opts"
\\HistogramPersistencySvc.OutputFile = "Histos.hbook";
#include "$STDOPTS/RootHist.opts"
HistogramPersistencySvc.OutputFile = "Histos.rt";
```



Histogram creation

Get the headers defining the histograms.

```
#include "GaudiKernel/IHistogramSvc.h"  
#include "AIDA/IHistogram1D.h"
```

Declare the variable which will contain your histogram.

```
IHistogram1D *m_hBOMass
```

Create and book your histogram.

```
m_hBOMass = histoSvc()->book("MyDirectory", MyID, "MyTitle",  
                             NBins, Min, Max);  
if( 0 == m_hBOMass) BUG();
```



Histogram filling

Histogram filling is straightforward.

```
m_hBOMass->fill(candB0.mass()/GeV, 1.)
```

Always divide the value by the unit so you don't have to remember the default units.

