

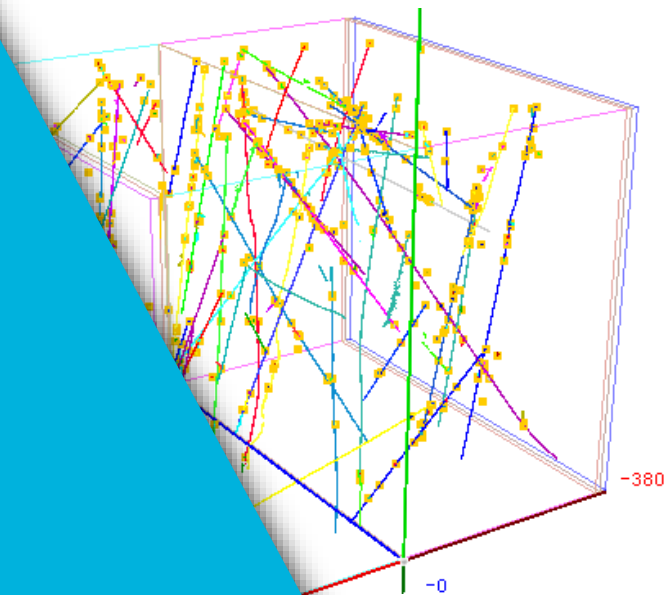
Running the reconstruction

(Exercise)

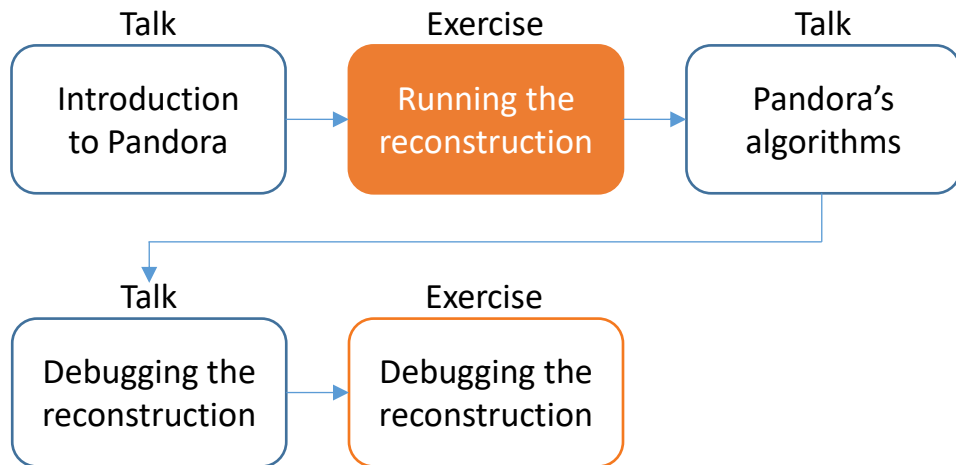
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Key references:

[Pandora ProtoDUNE paper](#)
[Pandora MicroBooNE paper](#)

Goals

- This session is scheduled for 50 minutes
- Main goal 1 - Find and get to grips with the SBND reconstruction FHiCL files
 - Find the `standard_reco1_sbnd.fcl` and `standard_reco2_sbnd.fcl` configuration files
 - Look at the different reconstruction steps that we run
 - Understand what each of them do
- Main goal 2 - Run the reconstruction
 - Run the reconstruction on the files we simulated yesterday
 - This includes running Pandora
 - Dump out the new output products to confirm we produced what we wanted

Before we get started...

- Later today we'll be running the event display
- Follow the steps from yesterday to get everything set up. To check, make sure MRB_TOP points to where you expect. Let us know if you have any issues here

```
$ echo $MRB_TOP # This should print the path to your development area
```

Main Goal 1

Understanding the SBND reconstruction FHiCL files

SBND reconstruction FHiCL files

- The full reconstruction is split into two fcls:

- 1) `standard_reco1_sbnd.fcl`
- 2) `standard_reco2_sbnd.fcl`

which are run in succession

- `reco1` generally corresponds to the ‘lower-level’ reconstruction e.g. signal processing, hit formation, etc...
- `reco2` generally corresponds to the ‘higher-level’ reconstruction e.g. particle creation
- Let’s take a closer look at the fcls to see what these stages in more detail

WARNING:

In this tutorial, we’ll be using `standard_reco2_sbnd.fcl`. The version of this file that we will use is **NOT** the same as that in the current release of `sbndcode`. They will be the same in a few weeks time.

reco1

- Find the location of `standard_reco1_sbnd.fcl` using SBND's handy `fhicl` finder script

```
$ find_fhicl.sh standard_reco1_sbnd.fcl
```

Didn't work? Make sure you've setup your working area!

- Open the file with your favourite code editor

```
$ emacs -nw /path/from/command/above
```

Wow, emacs is your favourite? Great choice!
To exit emacs do Ctrl-x Ctrl-C

- Find the `trigger_paths: [...]` block
- You'll learn more in the analysis tutorial, but this block tells us the names of the 'producer' modules that will add products to our `.root` file
- You'll find the `trigger_paths` block filled by the name 'reco1'
- You'll find 'reco1' defined as `@local::sbnd_reco1_producer_sequence`, which itself is defined in `workflow_reco1.fcl`
- Repeat the above steps to search and view the `reco1` producer sequence in `workflow_reco1.fcl`

Following a seemingly never-ending series of `fhicl` files to find the thing you want is pretty standard - keep going, you'll get there eventually!

```
sbnd_reco1_producer_sequence: [
  rns
  , opdecopmt
  , opdecoxarapuca
  , ophitpmt
  , ophitxarapuca
  , opflashtpc0
  , opflashtpc1
  , opflashtpc0xarapuca
  , opflashtpc1xarapuca
  , gaushit
  , gaushitTruthMatch
  , crtstrips
  , cluster3d
]
```

reco1 – what are these modules?

```
sbnd_reco1_producer_sequence: [  
  rns  
  , opdecopmt  
  , opdecoxarapuca  
  , ophitpmt  
  , ophitxarapuca  
  , opflashtpc0  
  , opflashtpc1  
  , opflashtpc0xarapuca  
  , opflashtpc1xarapuca  
  , gaushit  
  , gaushitTruthMatch  
  , crtstrips  
  , cluster3d  
]
```

The diagram illustrates the components of the `sbnd_reco1_producer_sequence`. Colored arrows point from descriptive labels on the right to specific modules in the list on the left:

- random number saver** (red arrow) points to `rns`.
- photon detection system reco** (orange arrow) points to a bracket encompassing `opdecopmt`, `opdecoxarapuca`, `ophitpmt`, and `ophitxarapuca`.
- TPC hit formation** (yellow-green arrow) points to `gaushit`.
- identify to which MC particle each hit belongs** (green arrow) points to `gaushitTruthMatch`.
- cosmic ray tagger (CRT) reco** (blue arrow) points to `crtstrips`.
- machine learning (ML) reco inputs** (purple arrow) points to `cluster3d`.

reco2

- Follow the same procedure to examine `standard_reco2_sbnd.fcl`

```
$ find_fhicl.sh standard_reco2_sbnd.fcl
```

```
$ emacs -nw /path/from/command/above
```

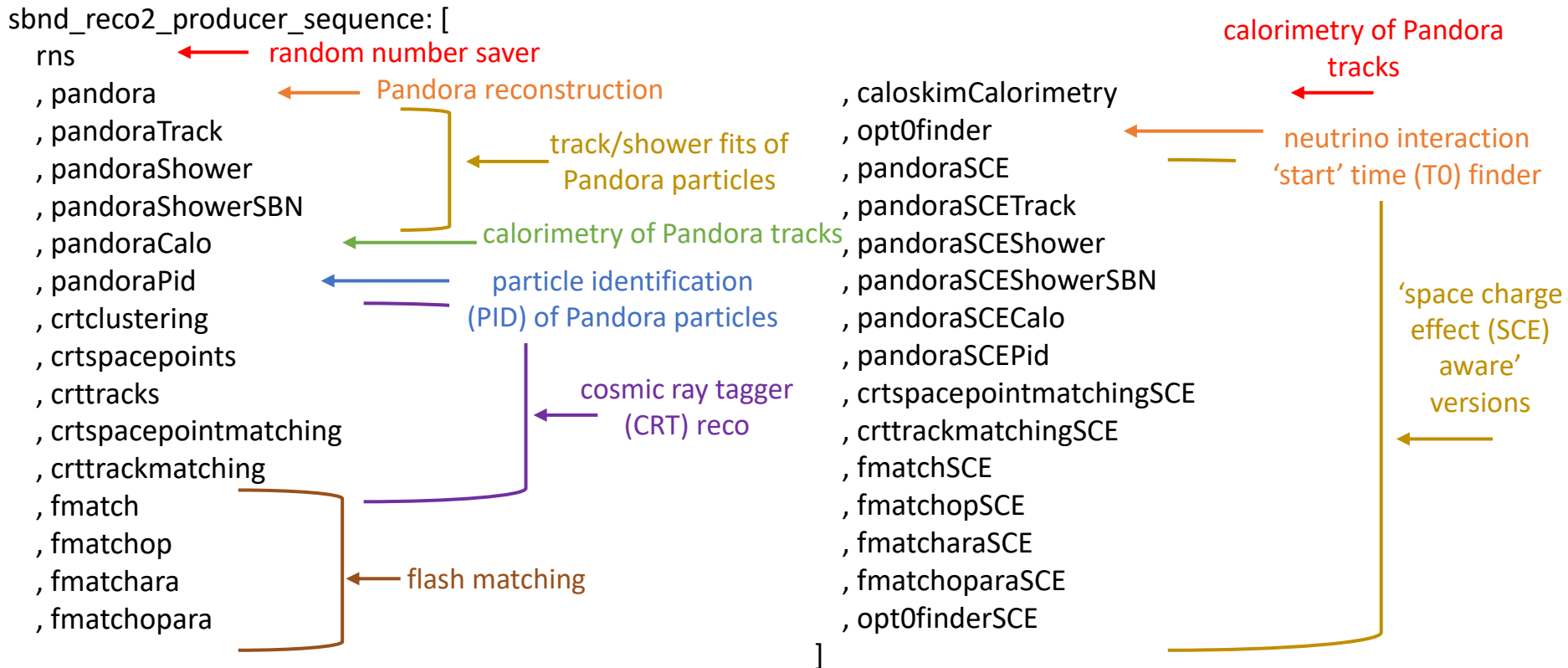
Hunting through fcls is something you'll be doing time and time again, and one day they will suddenly make sense

- Find the `trigger_paths: [...]` block
- You'll find the `trigger_paths` block filled by the name 'reco2'
- You'll find 'reco2' defined as `@local::sbnd_reco2_producer_sequence`, which itself is defined in `workflow_reco2.fcl`
- Repeat the above steps to search and view the `reco2` producer sequence in `workflow_reco2.fcl`

In the last session, we were introduced to pandora, but there are many other steps in the reconstruction chain too!

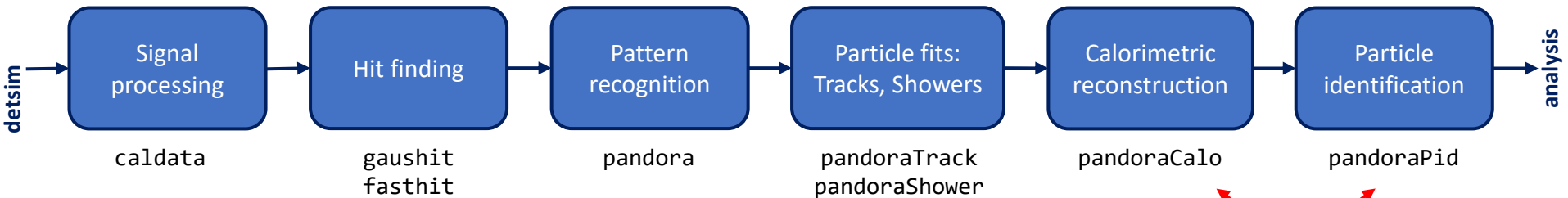
```
sbnd_reco2_producer_sequence: [
  rns
  , pandora
  , pandoraTrack
  , pandoraShower
  , pandoraShowerSBN
  , pandoraCalo
  , pandoraPid
  , crtclustering
  , crtspacpoints
  , crtracks
  , crtspacpointmatching
  , crtrackmatching
  , fmatch
  , fmatchop
  , fmatchara
  , fmatchopara
  , caloskimCalorimetry
  , opt0finder
  , pandoraSCE
  , pandoraSCETrack
  , pandoraSCEShower
  , pandoraSCEShowerSBN
  , pandoraSCECalo
  , pandoraSCEPid
  , crtspacpointmatchingSCE
  , crtrackmatchingSCE
  , fmatchSCE
  , fmatchopSCE
  , fmatcharaSCE
  , fmatchoparaSCE
  , opt0finderSCE
]
```

reco2 – what are these modules?



A cumulative reconstruction output

- There's a lot happening in the reconstruction stage
- To demonstrate how these modules accumulate a reconstruction output, let's focus on the Pandora 'workflow' i.e. ignoring the optical and CRT reconstruction



- Each experiment has its own unique needs, so expect to see some differences in the reconstruction chain if you work on MicroBooNE, ProtoDUNE, DUNE, etc.
- Similarly, Pandora is configured differently for different experiments, and different use cases (e.g. atmospheric vs beam neutrino interactions)
- Next, let's see how Pandora is configured for SBND

Historically, modules using Pandora outputs frequently have Pandora in the name.

Most of these modules aren't part of Pandora and aren't maintained by the Pandora development team.

Pandora's configuration

- Practically all LArSoft modules have a configuration defined by parameters e.g. say that we had a producer module that added a number to our root file – it would likely have a parameter which defines the number that is added, and that parameter is set in our fcl files
- fcl files often *#include* many other fcl files, and it can be unclear where our parameters are set
- `fhicl-dump` answers this question, and follows all *#includes* to get the bottom-line configuration
- We can pipe (`|`) its output to `less` and search for a producer to learn more:

```
$ fhicl-dump standard_reco2_sbnd.fcl | less -p "pandora:"
```

Less's `-p` option allows us to jump straight to the part of the file that we are interested in. In less, use the `↑/↓` keys to move up and down, and `'q'` to exist.

```
pandora: {
  ConfigFile: "PandoraSettings_Master_SBND.xml"
  EnableLineGaps: true
  EnableMCParticles: false
  EnableProduction: true
  GeantModuleLabel: "largeant"
  HitFinderModuleLabel: "gaushit"
  PrintOverallRecoStatus: false
  ShouldPerformSliceld: true
  ShouldRunAllHitsCosmicReco: true
  ShouldRunCosmicHitRemoval: true
  ShouldRunCosmicRecoOption: true
  ShouldRunNeutrinoRecoOption: true
  ShouldRunSlicing: true
  ShouldRunStitching: true
  SimChannelModuleLabel: "simtpc2d:simpleSC"
  UseGlobalCoordinates: true
  UseHitWidths: true
  module_type: "StandardPandora"
}
```

← The settings file that contains the list of algorithms that Pandora will run

← The producer module that created the hits that we are going to feed into Pandora

← The steering parameters that tell Pandora which of its high-level reconstruction steps it should execute

← The type of the LArSoft module to use

Main Goal 2

Running the reconstruction

Running the reconstruction

- We are now poised to run the reconstruction! Make a directory to work in, and run it:

```
$ mkdir -p $MRB_TOP/reco/work
$ cd $MRB_TOP/reco/work
$ lar -c standard_reco1_sbnd.fcl -n -1 -s /path/to/my/detsim/file.root -o reco1_events.root
$ lar -c standard_reco2_sbnd.fcl -n -1 -s reco1_events.root -o reco2_events.root
```

The -n -1 option means run over all events in the input file

Can also run on pre-made gen+g4+detsim files in:
[/mnt/gridpp/poolhomes/PPEGroup/LAR24/TPCSimulation/detsim_tutorial.root](#)

reco1 can take some time to run

```
=====
TimeTracker printout (sec)
=====
Full event
-----
source:RootInput(read)
reco2:rns:RandomNumberSaver
...
reco2:pandora:StandardPandora
reco2:pandoraTrack:LArPandoraTrackCreation
reco2:pandoraShower:LArPandoraModularShowerCreation
reco2:pandoraShowerSBN:LArPandoraModularShowerCreation
reco2:pandoraCalo:GnocchiCalorimetry
reco2:pandoraPid:Chi2ParticleID
reco2:pandoraSCEPid:Chi2ParticleID
...
end_path:out1:RootOutput
...
end_path:out1:RootOutput(write)
=====
```

	Min	Avg	Max	Median	RMS	nEvts
Full event	0.515653	0.630062	0.857711	0.577501	0.122178	10
source:RootInput(read)	0.000233144	0.00842777	0.0686421	0.000264929	0.0204246	10
reco2:rns:RandomNumberSaver	2.0329e-05	4.86311e-05	0.000269584	2.2662e-05	7.37634e-05	10
...						
reco2:pandora:StandardPandora	0.264394	0.324777	0.544608	0.299226	0.0806975	10
reco2:pandoraTrack:LArPandoraTrackCreation	0.00274014	0.00409558	0.00646157	0.00403605	0.00105976	10
reco2:pandoraShower:LArPandoraModularShowerCreation	0.0230009	0.0264048	0.0363764	0.025806	0.00366943	10
reco2:pandoraShowerSBN:LArPandoraModularShowerCreation	0.00185641	0.00215675	0.00280114	0.0021136	0.00027365	10
reco2:pandoraCalo:GnocchiCalorimetry	0.00202068	0.00246629	0.00407539	0.00228423	0.000550001	10
reco2:pandoraPid:Chi2ParticleID	0.00011043	0.000201841	0.000876067	0.000128414	0.000225004	10
reco2:pandoraSCEPid:Chi2ParticleID	9.2036e-05	0.000117752	0.000145417	0.000117708	1.49363e-05	10
...						
end_path:out1:RootOutput	2.194e-06	3.3834e-06	1.1412e-05	2.4845e-06	2.68091e-06	10
...						
end_path:out1:RootOutput(write)	0.0321085	0.0625225	0.194061	0.053615	0.0457909	10

We can check to see that everything we expected has been executed, and see how long each took

So... what's new?

- Run `eventdump.fcl` on the `.root` file to see the new collections we've just made

```
$ lar -c eventdump.fcl -s reco2_events.root -n 1
```

```
PROCESS NAME | MODULE LABEL..... | PRODUCT INSTANCE NAME..... | DATA PRODUCT TYPE..... | .SIZE
SingleGen... | TriggerResults..... | ..... | art::TriggerResults..... | ...1
SingleGen... | generator..... | ..... | std::vector<simb::MCTruth>..... | ...1
SingleGen... | rns..... | ..... | std::vector<art::RNGsnapshot>..... | ...1
G4..... | genericcrt..... | ..... | std::vector<sim::AuxDetSimChannel>..... | ...0
G4..... | largeant..... | LArG4DetectorServicevolTPCPlaneVert..... | std::vector<sim::SimEnergyDeposit>..... | ...0
G4..... | largeant..... | LArG4DetectorServicevolPMT..... | std::vector<sim::SimEnergyDeposit>..... | ...0
...
DetSim..... | simtpc2d..... | badchannels..... | std::vector<int>..... | ..313
DetSim..... | simtpc2d..... | gauss..... | std::vector<recob::Wire>..... | 11276
DetSim..... | simtpc2d..... | simpleSC..... | std::vector<sim::SimChannel>..... | 11276
DetSim..... | simtpc2d..... | wiener..... | std::vector<recob::Wire>..... | 11276
DetSim..... | crtstrip..... | ..... | std::vector<sbnd::crt::FEBData>..... | ...0
...
Reco1..... | rns..... | ..... | std::vector<art::RNGsnapshot>..... | ...1
Reco1..... | gaushit..... | ..... | art::Assns<recob::Wire,recob::Hit,void>..... | 1791
Reco1..... | opflashtpc1..... | ..... | art::Assns<recob::OpHit,recob::OpFlash,void>..... | ...0
Reco1..... | crtstrips..... | ..... | std::vector<recob::Particle>..... | ...3
Reco1..... | gaushit..... | ..... | std::vector<recob::Particle>..... | ...3
...
Reco2..... | pandoraShower..... | ..... | art::Assns<recob::Particle,recob::ParticleID>..... | ...3
Reco2..... | pandora..... | ..... | art::Assns<recob::Particle,recob::ParticleID>..... | ...3
Reco2..... | pandoraSCEShower..... | ..... | art::Assns<recob::Particle,recob::ParticleID>..... | ...3
Reco2..... | pandora..... | ..... | art::Assns<recob::Particle,recob::ParticleID>..... | ...3
Reco2..... | pandora..... | ..... | art::Assns<recob::Track,anab::ParticleID,void>..... | ...6
...
```

these are the
existing data
products from
the previous
steps

these are the
new data
products that we
produced in
reco1

... and in reco2

You'll see a much longer list!
I've cut out a lot of output so
that it all fits on the slide

Additional information

Configuring Pandora steps

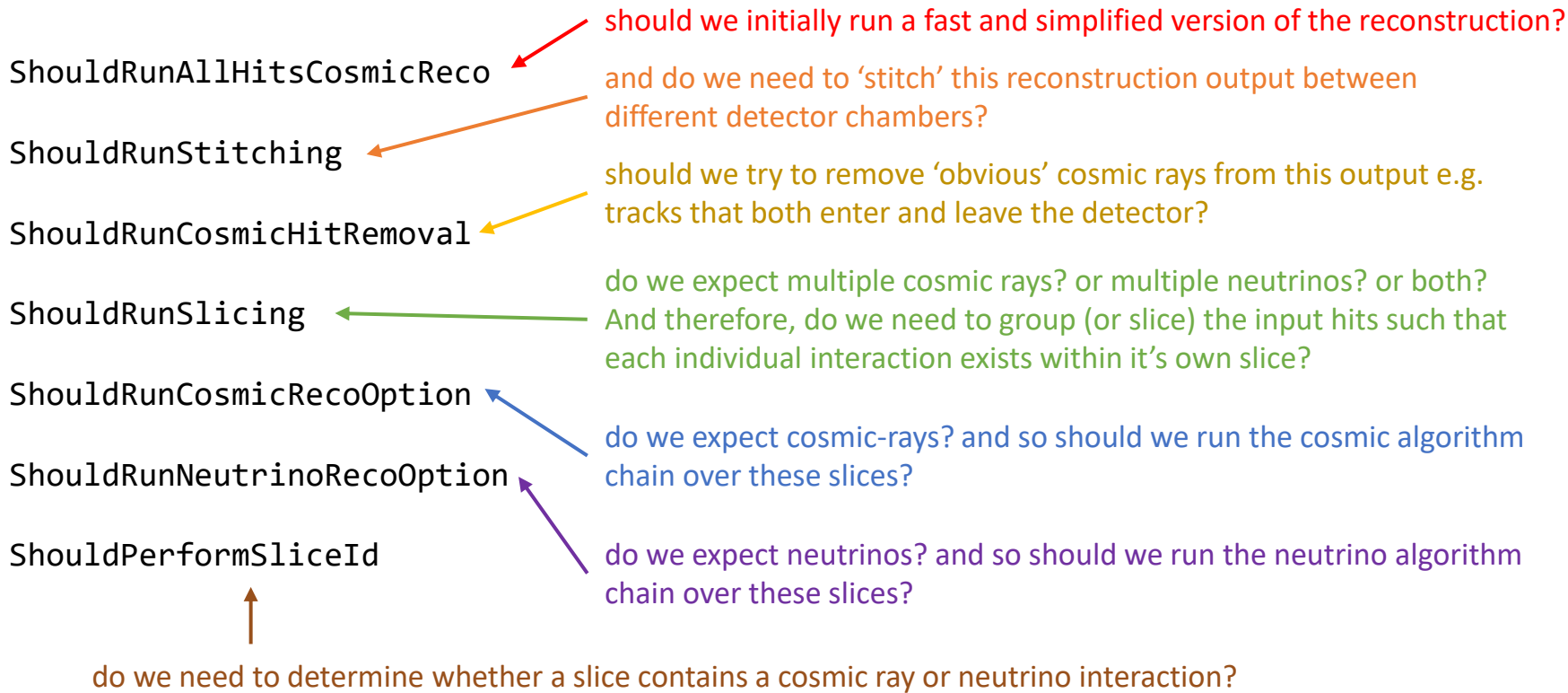
(For reference)

- Pandora's full reconstruction workflow is designed to handle neutrino interactions in dense cosmic ray environments
- You'll see in the upcoming lecture how we've designed algorithms, and entire algorithm chains to target specific topologies and have:
 - a cosmic-ray optimised algorithm chain
 - a beam neutrino interaction optimised algorithm chain
 - an atmospheric neutrino interaction optimised algorithm chain
 - a test-beam optimised algorithm chain (for use at ProtoDUNE)
 - a low energy neutrino interaction optimised reconstruction chain (for e.g. supernova neutrinos at the DUNE FD)
- SBND is a surface detector in a neutrino beam, so sees both neutrino and cosmic ray interactions
- We want to run the cosmic algorithm chain over cosmic interactions, and the neutrino algorithm chain over neutrino interactions ⇒ we'll want to run the so called 'consolidated reconstruction' chain
- We can configure Pandora to run one, many, or all steps by modifying its steering parameters
- Let's have a go at changing how Pandora runs!

Pandora Config

(For reference)

- Firstly, what steering parameters do we have and what do they mean?



Let's do it!

(For reference)

- Make a new directory to work in during this session
- Then create a new FHiCL file with the lines below
- Then save and close the file

```
$ mkdir -p $MRB_TOP/reco/config
$ cd $MRB_TOP/reco/config # Put your new .fcl file here
$ vim my_reco_sbnd_basic.fcl
```

Please use your favourite text editor, here we use vim. If you accidentally opened vim and want to close it type
Esc, :qa, Return ↵

include the standard configuration

```
#include "standard_reco2_sbnd.fcl"
```

```
physics.producers.pandora.ShouldRunAllHitsCosmicReco: false
physics.producers.pandora.ShouldRunStitching:         false
physics.producers.pandora.ShouldRunCosmicHitRemoval:   false
physics.producers.pandora.ShouldRunSlicing:           false
physics.producers.pandora.ShouldRunCosmicRecoOption:  false
physics.producers.pandora.ShouldRunNeutrinoRecoOption: true
physics.producers.pandora.ShouldPerformSliceId:       false
```

With these values of the steering parameters:

- we'll treat the input hits as if they belong to a single interaction
- and will reconstruct them under the neutrino algorithm chain
- performing no stitching across the central gap in SBND – JINKIES!

Pointing to a new configuration

(For reference)

- We'll need to make sure that LArSoft will know where to look for our new FHiCL file, to do this we add it to the `FHICL_FILE_PATH` environment variable. Start by printing it to the terminal:

```
$ echo $FHICL_FILE_PATH
```

- You will see many many directories, all separated by a `':'`.
- To add our `reco/config` folder to this list run the following command:

```
$ export FHICL_FILE_PATH=$MRB_TOP/reco/config:$FHICL_FILE_PATH
```

- echo the `FHICL_FILE_PATH` again to check that everything worked (it should be the first in the list)
- Now run `fhicl-dump` again to make sure our new configuration file is set up as we want

```
$ fhicl-dump my_reco_sbnd_basic.fcl | less -p "pandora:"
```

- Now try to run `reco2` (on your `reco1` output) with your new `fcl` file!

```
$ lar -c my_reco_sbnd_basic.fcl -n -1 -s /path/to/my/reco1/file.root -o alternative_reco2_events.root
```