

Progress on developing of ChorusDB for combined data from electronic detector and emulsion scanning

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Inputs

Electronic data

- **ZEBRA structure** (FZ files)
 - raw events (DAQ)
 - processed events
 - CHORAL few passes
 - maxi-DST
 - (~1 TB for 94/97 data)
 - mini-DST (STEV bank) (~ 10 GB for 94/97 data)

- CHANT

- maxi-DST
- mini-DST (to be defined!)
- files are on tapes

Scanning data

- Scan-back procedure data (finding track on CS, SS and in bulk emulsion)
- Scanning one track (per event) in bulk emulsion (Phase I)
 - Every scanning lab has its own format

Net-Scan data

- (Nagoya and CERN)
- data are stored in Objectivity/DB[™]
- similar formats in both Labs
- vertex is located in ~ 10% of events and they are NetScan-ed).
- data volume: ~1.4 Mb/event raw data from which ~300 kb/event are left after some preliminary track finding.

Data volume to be kept on disk

Input: 2.3x10⁶ emulsion trigger events

- Event headers: < 100 Mb
- NetScan data : ~ 10 % of all events, 300 kb/event ' 60 Gb
- Last CHORAL mini-DST: < 5 Gb</p>
- CHANT mini-DST with re-processed data: ~ ? Gb (depends on available disk space and access performance)

Note: Chorus Oracle data bases for CHORAL/CHANT processing bookkeeping data (cerndb1/pubv5 accessible via chinfo) and Phase I scanning data reside elsewhere.

Software infrastructure at CERN

- Objectivity/DB[™], version 5.1.2 (Linux RedHat 5.1)
 upgrade to version 5.2.1 (Linux RedHat 6.1) foreseen.
- **Data server**, shd98.cern.ch (Digital UNIX)

~70 Gb of RAID disk space, up to 300 Gb when needed.

Tools for storing/accessing data

- Zbank persistent class;

- converter from ZEBRA structure (bank tree) to associated Zbank persistent objects and vise-versa (mixed C++ and Fortran);

- service routines;

- prototype schema;

- prototype federated DB, populated with ~0.5 x 10⁶ Choral events (STEV banks) and 100 NetScan (version 1998) events.

ChorusDB schema



Stages of realization

Already passed:

- + Converter: ZEBRA bank tree 1 C++ objects 1 Objectivity/DB and vise versa
- + **Prototype ChorusDB :**
 - 100 NetScan events + ~0.5 x 10⁶ Choral events (1543 runs)
 - 1.4 Gb of disk space
- + Tools for mixed (Fortran + C++) writing/reading ChorusDB

Coming "soon":

- Procedure for keeping synchronized ChorusDB at CERN and Nagoya NetScan DB
- Optimization of ChorusDB structure
- Chant SCAN module (ChorusDB as an input stream)
- Promotion of the prototype to a production DB and populating it with what is available at that time
- Interfaces to Chorus ORACLE DBs from within CHANT and ChorusDB

ChorusDB (prototype) structure

Electronic data

Data-base ChorusEventDir

- container ChorusEvents
- container ChorusEventsNS

Data-base ChoralData

- containers RunXXXX (now 1534 of them)

NetScan data

Data-base processedLocal Data-base rawLocal

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1395851264	Mar	29	10:49	ChoralData.ChorusFD.DB
65085440	Mar	29	10:49	ChorusEventDir.ChorusFD.DB
185	Mar	30	15:33	ChorusFD
1433600	Mar	30	15:33	ChorusFD.FDDB
499712	Mar	23	17:59	System.ChorusFD.DB
100114432	Mar	29	10:49	processedLocal.ChorusFD.DB
73678848	Mar	23	18:00	rawLocal.ChorusFD.DB

First demonstration



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of tracks in STEV bank



Conclusions

- Prototype ChorusDB under Objectivity/DB[™] for combined data is there;
- Concept of converting data from FZ files to persistent objects and back, using mixed Fortran & C++ environment, proven successful;
- Chant SCAN module under preparation;
- Work is going on;
- Next milestone: synchronizing CERN and Nagoya schema and populating the prototype with more NetScan events