

Z path instructions

To start:

- software and data should be already downloaded to ATLAS directory
- start the program: **HYPATIA_7.4_Masterclass.jar** (in Linux: script **HYPATIA_7.4_Masterclass.sh**)

Reading the data:

- your data is in the downloaded file `group<x>.zip`, where <x> is your letter
- in the window **Invariant Mass** select `File → Read Event Locally`
- go to **ATLAS/HYPATIA_7.4_Masterclass1/events/** and select the file **group<x>.zip**

Data analysis:

Your task is to look at the event display, examine tracks and other objects to find candidates for products of decays of Z boson or Higgs particle. The table below is a summary of steps necessary for proper identification of event types:

- $Z \rightarrow e^+e^-$
- $Z \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$
- $H \rightarrow l^+l^+l^-l^-$ where l denotes μ or e (decays: $H \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-\mu^+\mu^-$, $H \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-e^+e^-$ or $H \rightarrow e^+e^-e^+e^-$)
- $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$
- Background (all other events)

<p>transverse energy needs to be small, to reject events with energetic neutinos if ETM_{is} is larger than 30 GeV count the event as background and continue with the next event</p>	
<p>consider only tracks with relatively large transverse momentum (for example $P_t > 5$ GeV) to find individual leptons and then lepton pairs (e^+e^- or $\mu^+\mu^-$)</p>	
e^+e^-	$\mu^+\mu^-$
electron track is visible in the Inner Detector	muon track is visible in the Inner Detector (if this track is selected "Muon track" appears in the <i>Output display</i> tab)
track does not continue beyond Inner Detector	track continues to the Muon Detector
after extrapolating the track to electromagnetic calorimeter some yellow energy deposit should be found, sometimes in <i>Physics Objects</i> tab an object with similar P_t , φ and θ can be found	no energy deposit in the electromagnetic calorimeter, and if it is there, the parameters P_t , φ and θ of the object in the <i>Physics Objects</i> tab are different than those of the track
after extrapolating the track to the hadronic calorimeter no significant energy deposit should be found	after extrapolating the track to the hadronic calorimeter no significant energy deposit should be found
<p>all selected tracks (lepton candidates) have to originate from the same vertex</p>	
<p>tracks have to be added always in pairs - two particles of the same type (ee or $\mu\mu$), but with opposite sign of electric charge; more than one pair can be added</p>	
<p>according to the found lepton types the events are assigned to: $Z \rightarrow e^+e^-$, $Z \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$ or $H \rightarrow l^+l^+l^-l^-$ categories (l denotes e or μ, like: $H \rightarrow e^+e^-\mu^+\mu^-$)</p>	
<p>in the events without leptons, search also for the photon pairs: two objects in the <i>Physics Objects</i> tab, not associated with any track; such events are assigned to $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ category</p>	
<p>an event without any lepton pair or photon pair belongs to background</p>	

Storing results and uploading them to the server:

- results of analysis can be stored in the window **Invariant Mass: File** → *Export Invariant Mass*
This opens a window to save *Invariant_Masses.txt* file (save it to Desktop or any other place)
- In the Web browser open: <http://cernmasterclass.uio.no/>
- from the menu select "OPIoT", and in the opened page select "Student"
- log yourself as: *Username: ippog Password: imc*
- in the third page choose today's date, Krakow as the *Institution*, your dataset number (*Group number* - for example 11) and *Group letter*
- in the next page, on the right, use the file selection button and then *submit* button. After uploading the file histograms representing your results are displayed

In the case of any problems or doubts - ask the tutor