

A few issues about MuonGeoModel

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Reorganization of ReadoutElements:

goal – optimize data access (algorithm timing!)

- now:
 - MdtReadoutElement = 1 multilayer
 - MdtPrepDataCollection contains data corresponding to 2 MdtReadoutElements
- for rel. 14
 - keep MdtReadoutElements
 - purely readout geometry – no link to raw geometry volumes
 - add MdtDetectorElements
 - holding pointers to 2 MdtReadoutElements
 - MdtPrepDataCollection contains data corresponding to 1 MdtDetectorElement

Mdt example

First implementation

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- before implementing fully Mdt and start with Rpc/Tgc/Csc *try to estimate the gain*:
 - Test algorithm: **MuonGeoModelTest/MuonGMTestOnPrd**
 - logic: loop over MdtPrepDataCollections
 - for each collection: `processCollection`
 - get collection hashId + ask the manager for `MdtDetectorElement(hashID)`
 - for each prepData:
 - get prepData Identifier
 - ask `MdtDetectorElement->center(Identifier)`
 - will decode Identifier to get ml,tl,tube
 - ask `MdtReadoutElement[ml-1]->center(ml,tl,tube))`
 - for each collection: `processCollectionOld`
 - for each prepData:
 - get prepData Identifier + ask the manager for `MdtReadoutElement(Identifier)` + ask `MdtReadoutElement->center(Identifier)`

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MuonGeoModel in dbg mode gain 37%

- use ***callgrind*** for algorithm profiling
 - 5.95% of Job cpu for **processCollectionOld**
 - 2.7% manager->getMdtReadoutElement [identifier decoding]
 - 2.4% MdtReadoutElement->center(Identifier) [identifier decoding]
 - 3.77% of job cpu for **processCollection**
 - 3.3% MdtDetectorElement->center(Identifier)
 - 0.42% x 3 MdtIdHelper->multilayer/tubeLayer/tube(Identifier)
 - 1.16% MdtReadoutElement->center(tubeLayer, tube)
- callgrind output in
 - www.fisica.unile.it/~spagnolo/allow_listing/AtlasMuonSoftware/callgrind.out.REvsDE

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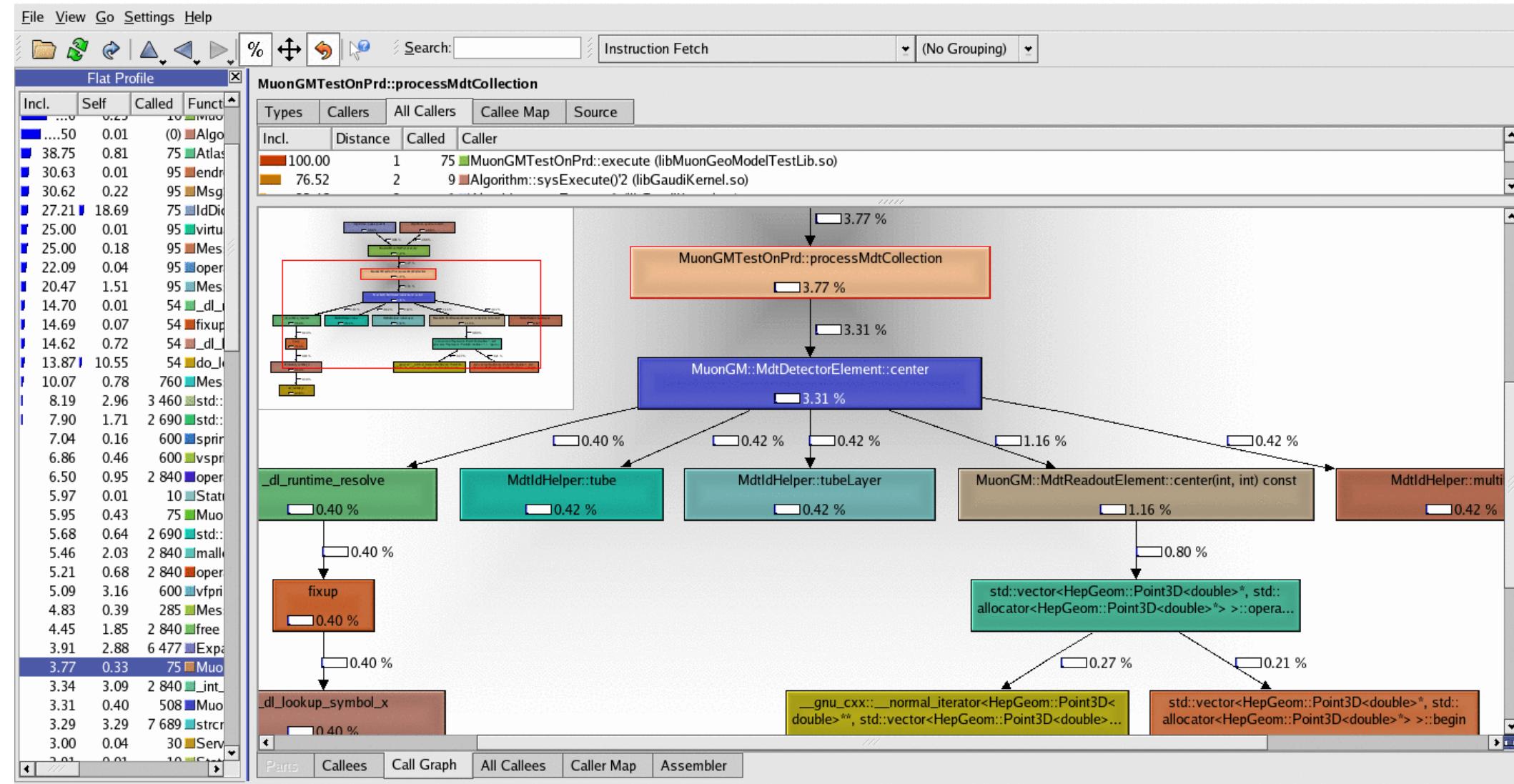
MuonGeoModel in opt mode gain 50%

- use ***callgrind*** for algorithm profiling
 - 3.04% of Job cpu for **processCollectionOld**
 - 1.24% manager->getMdtReadoutElement [identifier decoding]
 - 0.83% MdtReadoutElement->center(Identifier) [identifier decoding]
 - 1.49% of job cpu for **processCollection**
 - 1.01% MdtDetectorElement->center(Identifier)
 - 0.xx% x 3 MdtIdHelper->multilayer/tubeLayer/tube(Identifier)
 - 0.34% MdtReadoutElement->center(tubeLayer, tube)
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processCollection profile



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- **NOTE:** all timing tests are insensitive unless
 - no use of MsgStream is done
 - the MuonGeoModel cache is not built in advance (init time)
 - from MuonGeoModel.MuonGeoModelConf import MuonDetectorTool
 - MuonDetectorTool = MuonDetectorTool()
 - MuonDetectorTool.FillCacheInitTime = 1 # default is 0
 - *should we turn this to default option ???* (most likely this is going to be the default option in HLT)
- *Shall we start moving MuonGeoModel with the partial implementation of XxxDetectorElement in 14.0.0 nightlies ???*
 - no disruption of clients (*standard usage of XxxReadoutElements is kept*)

Other pending issues

- no test yet of simulation reading cond. data
 - need to re-tag the test folder in COOL with alignment data
- *We should define clearly the strategy (Geometry tags and Condition tags) for our non official exercise of simulation + reconstruction with condition data*
- resume clash survey
 - in cooperation with Alexander K.
 - Laurent C. recently spot a small clash to be investigated
 - *cutouts*