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Disclaimer: The information below follow my (M.B.) best knowledge how to run PF2PAT+PAT on real data, but I have not big experience on running on real CMS data in general. Therefore, any constructive remarks are highly welcome!

- For up-to-date information on 2010 data please see [Collisions2010Analysis](#)
- For information on running PAT with 2009 data see [SWGGuidePATFirstData](#)
- For information on running PAT with 2010 data see [WorkBookPATOnData](#)

Installation

It is assumed that you have already installed PF2PAT+PAT according to instruction published here

It is important to note that you need PF2PAT+PAT from the same release which was used to reconstruct data or newer.

Configuration

To run PF2PAT followed by PAT on data you should modify the standard example configuration file as described below.

Note: It is assumed that you have PF2PAT+PAT already installed and that you are in your CMSSW working area and the environment is set with `cmsenv` (CMSSW \geq 3_5_3)

Go to PAT test directory

```
cd PhysicsTools/PatAlgos/test
```

Open the `patLayer1_fromAOD_PF2PAT_full_cfg.py` file with your favourite text editor and modify the following:

- Use a correct global tag. To do this you should override the default one by adding the following line to the `cfg` file:

```
process.GlobalTag.globaltag = cms.string('GR09_R_35X_V4::All')
```

In the above example the global tag to run 35X on data'09 is used. To find which global tag is sufficient to your release visit this [TWki](#) page.

Note: The global tag should correspond with CMSSW version you use to read data not with the one used to produce it (even if it looks illogical!). Therefore, be careful with re-reco: it is possible that you will do it using different conditions that the one used for original data set. The global tag should be close to the one used to produce data.

- Switch off a matching to generated objects by setting the `runOnMC` flag in the `usePF2PAT` function to *False* as follows:

```
usePF2PAT(process, runPF2PAT=True, jetAlgo='IC5', runOnMC=False)
```

- Apply sufficient JES corrections (MC-derived) and remove jet tag infos

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```
from CMS.PhysicsTools.PatAlgos.tools.jetTools import *
switchJECSet(process, "900GeV")
process.patJets.addTagInfos = False
```

In the above example the JES corrections for 900GeV collisions are applied. Other possibilities are: *'2360GeV'*.

Note: For coming 7TeV data you can use default JES corrections i.e. Summer09 at 7TeV. In this case you do not need do anything.

- Define list of files you want to read, e.g.:

```
process.source.fileNames = cms.untracked.vstring(
    'rfio:/castor/cern.ch/cms/store/data/BeamCommissioning09/MinimumBias/RAW-RECO/SD_Inte
    'rfio:/castor/cern.ch/cms/store/data/BeamCommissioning09/MinimumBias/RAW-RECO/SD_Inte
)
```

More about available data'09 samples [here](#).

Note: In case of Crab usage the list is created automatically by setting dataset name, so it does not need to be defined in the cfg file.

- Trigger bits: If desired, you can select events with fired the BSC "physics bits" like this:

```
#configure HLT
process.load('L1TriggerConfig.L1GtConfigProducers.L1GtTriggerMaskTechTrigConfig_cff')
process.load('HLTrigger/HLTfilters/hltLevel1GTSeed_cfi')
process.hltLevel1GTSeed.L1TechTriggerSeeding = cms.bool(True)
process.hltLevel1GTSeed.L1SeedsLogicalExpression = cms.string('0 AND (40 OR 41)')

# let it run
process.p = cms.Path(
    process.hltLevel1GTSeed*
    process.patDefaultSequence
)
```

Finally run CMSSW:

```
cmsRun patLayer1_fromAOD_PF2PAT_full_cfg.py
```

You get an output file named `patLayer1_fromAOD_PF2PAT_full.root`, which contains the PAT objects for analysis.

Have fun analysing real data 😊

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