## Data analysis flow:

- 1) Convert raw data files to 'compressed' files
  - a. 8 byte channel -> 1 byte
  - b. 8 byte timetag -> 8 byte timetag
  - c. 8 byte transfer number -> 2 byte integer
- 2) Create hdf5 file with sync pulse information
  - a. Use GPS signals to identify when to start correlating Alice and Bob data
  - b. Start on first sync after a common pulse-per-second GPS signal from Alice and Bob has been identified
  - c. We will use data before the common GPS signal to estimate rates to determine the stopping point in the data analysis to compute p-value
  - d. Identify bad trials due to problems with the data taking such as
    - i. Laser losing modelock
    - ii. Refrigerator warming up
    - iii. Keep trials where there is a massive time jump in timetags momentarily. This seems to be a problem with the operating system (Windows) and the timetagger driver.
    - iv. Keep the trial with the first bad sync because we didn't know the trial would be bad
- 3) Create hdf5 file with setting information
  - a. Occasionally both the "0" and "1" setting fires. Map this to "0" in the analysis
- 4) Create hdf5 file with information about clicks in the detectors, pockel cell slot number, coincidences, etc. Merge with other hdf5 files
- 5) Convert hdf5 file to text formats for further processing into hypothesis testing.

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