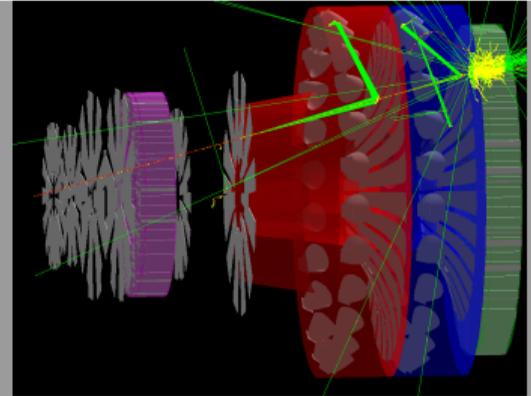


# Towards an End-to-End Simulation



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# Introduction

- Goal: Full end-to-end simulation and reconstruction
- Software Toolkit
- Recent simulation progress
- A path towards a modern SoLID end-to-end simulation framework

# Software Toolkit

## Primary Toolkit

- **DD4hep** – Detector description
- **Acts** – A Common Tracking Software
- **PODIO** – Data model tool

Our tools:

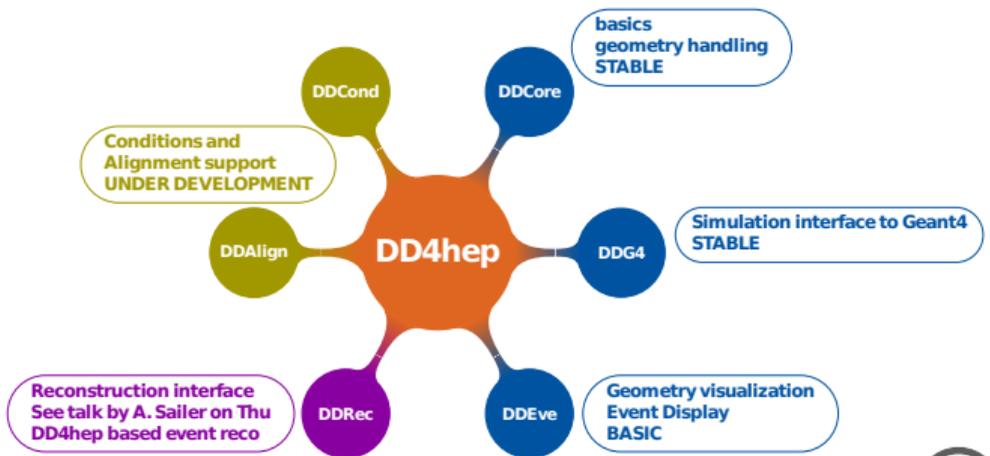
- **NPDet** – Detector Library
- **EIC Container** – Software Container Build

# DD4hep

## Detector Description

The result of a study from the *Advanced European Infrastructures for Detectors at Accelerators* ([EU AIDA 2020](#)) initiative.

### Structure and packages



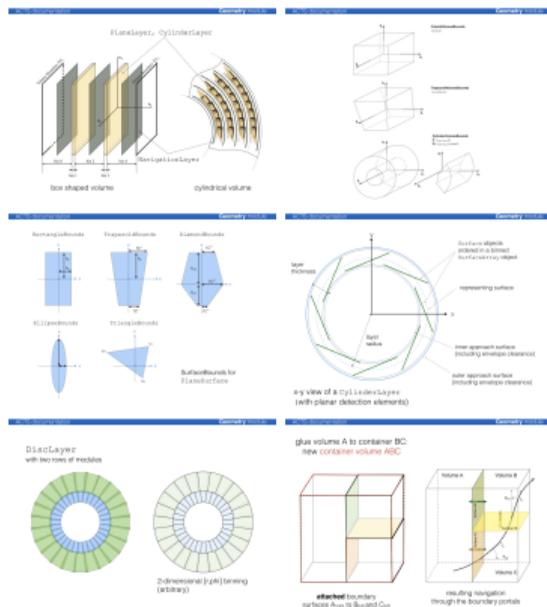
- Thoughtfully designed for future (thread-safe)
- Simulation interface with **full access to Geant4 features**
- **Single source of geometry**
- Simple geometry hook  
→ **better algorithm development**
- Full geometry definition defined in human readable compact detector description file
- Easily used in a ROOT/python scripts and works well with external tools.

DD4hep solves the "geometry problem" for end-to-end simulation and reconstruction.

Nearly all big HEP experiments, current and future, are [moving to DD4hep](#).

# ACTS

A common tracking software.



- Spin off from ATLAS tracking code.
- Development is very active (recently moved to github)
- Focused on performance, not framework
- **DD4hep and Acts work together nicely!**
- **Acts documentation**, examples, and tests growing by the day.

Acts rapidly becoming the center of tracking development in the HEP/NP software community

# Data Model DD4hep and PODIO

## DD4hep Built-in SD types

- calorimeter
- tracker
- *maybe a photon detector in the future...*

Uses built-in data model

dd4hep::Geant4Tracker::Hit

dd4hep::Geant4Calorimeter::Hit

Added PMT hit class for cherenkov detectors:

npdet::PhotoMultiplierHit

## External Event Data Model: LCIO2

LCIO2 is an extension of the LCIO data model

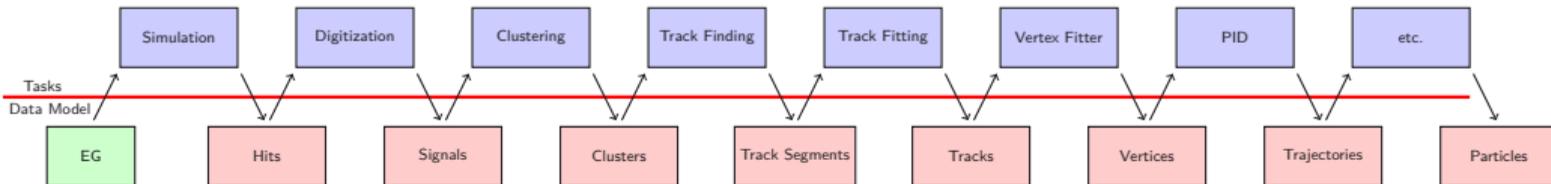
PODIO builds LCIO2 classes from YAML file:

```
lcio2::RawCalorimeterHit:
  Description: "LCIO raw calorimeter hit"
  Author: "F.Gaede, B. Wegner"
  Members:
    - int64 t cellID0 // The detector specific (geometrical) cell id.
    - int64 t cellID1 // The second detector specific (geometrical) cell id.
    - int64 t amplitude // The amplitude of the hit in ADC counts.
    - int64 t timeStamp // The time stamp for the hit.

lcio2::CalorimeterHit:
  Description: "LCIO calorimeter hit"
  Author: "F.Gaede, B. Wegner"
  Members:
    - int64 t cellID0 // The detector specific (geometrical) cell id.
    - int64 t cellID1 // The second detector specific (geometrical) cell id.
    - float energy // The energy of the hit in [GeV].
    - float time // The time of the hit in [ns].
    - std::array<float, 3> position // The position of the hit in world coordinates.
    - int type // The type of the hit
  OneToOneRelations:
    - lcio2::RawCalorimeterHit: cellID0 // The RawCalorimeterHit
```

Can use built-in data model or define your own

A good Event Data Model (EDM) defines task boundaries and decouples algorithms/frameworks.



# DD4hep Geometry Hooks

C++ in a ROOT script

```
dd4hep::Detector& detector = dd4hep::Detector::getInstance(); // Get the DD4hep instance
detector.fromCompact("my_awesome_detector.xml"); // Load the compact XML file
dd4hep::rec::CellIDPositionConverter converter(detector); // Position/cellid converter tool
[...]
    for(const auto& h: hits) {
        auto cell = h->cellID; // Unique segment/volume identifier
        auto pos1 = converter.position(cell); // The segmentation hit position
        auto cell_dim = converter.celldimensions(cell); // Dimensions of segment/volume
        [...]
    }
[...]
auto bField = detector.field().magneticField(pos); // Get the magnetic field
double Bz = bField.z()/dd4hep::tesla;
```

That's it.

See [NPDet examples](#) for a tutorial (work in progress).

# Add a new detector

## Detector construction (.cpp)

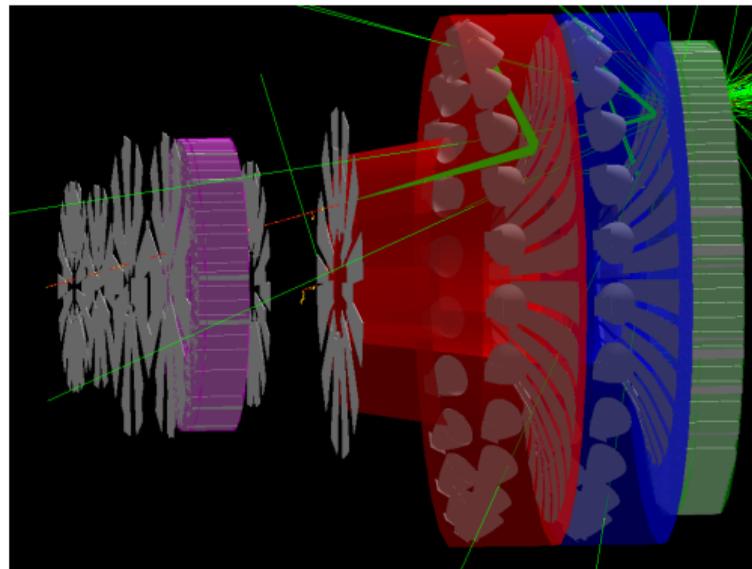
```
static Ref_t build_detector(Detector& det, xml_h e, SensitiveDetector sens)
{
    xml_det_t    x_det      = e;
    Material     air        = det.air();
    double       z_offset  = dd4hep::getattrOrDefault(x_det, _Unicode(zoffset), 10.0*dd4hep::cm);
    ... [ Build geometry ]
}
DECLARE_DETELEMENT(SimpleRomanPot, build_detector)
```

## Compact detector description (.xml)

```
<detector id="1" name="MyRomanPot" type="SimpleRomanPot"
          vis="RedVis" readout="RomanPotHits" zoffset="1.0*m">
</detector>
[...]
<readouts>
  <readout name="RomanPotHits">
    <segmentation type="CartesianGridXY" grid_size_x="1.0*mm" grid_size_y="1.0*cm" />
    <id>system:5,layer:9,module:14,x:32:-16,y:-16</id>
  </readout>
</readouts>
```

# Current Status of SoLID Simulation

- Full solid detector implemented
- Magnetic field from maps complete
- Light and heavy gas Cherenkov detectors complete.
- Hexagonal Shashlyk EM Calorimeter complete
- GEM Modules (3 different sizes) complete



# GEM Tracker (solid/gem\_sidis.xml)

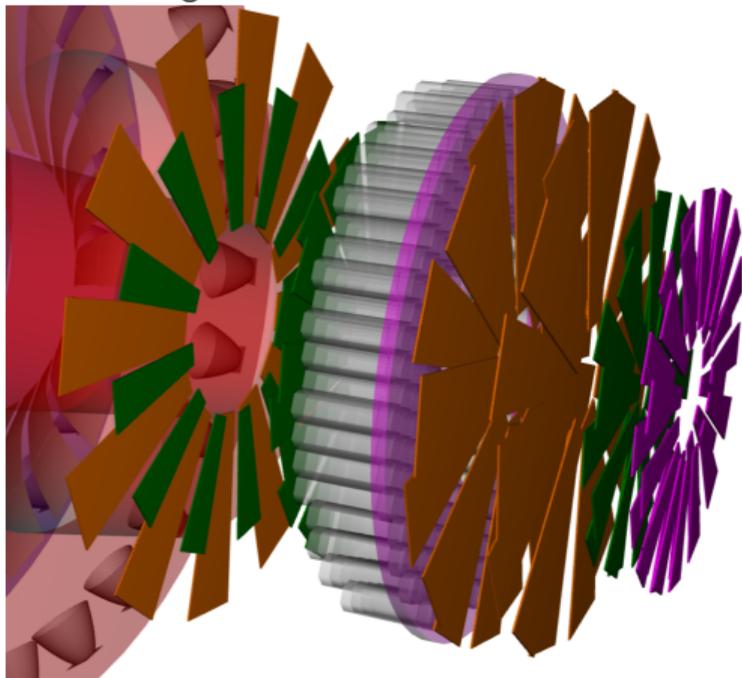
```
<detector id="2" name="GEMTracker_SIDIS" vis="RedVis"
  type="GaplessGEMTrackerDisc" readout="GEMTrackerHits" >
  <module name="Module_A" id="1" inner_r="50.0*cm" outer_r="118.0*cm" segments="30">
    <slice name="drift_cathode" material="Kapton" thickness="0.100*mm"/>
    <slice name="drift_gas1" material="GEMGas" thickness="3.0*mm"/>
    <slice name="gem_foil_1" material="Kapton" thickness="0.100*mm"/>
    ...
    <slice name="v_readout_plane" material="Kapton" thickness="0.200*mm" sensitive="true"/>
  </module>
  <module name="Module_B" id="2" inner_r="61.0*cm" outer_r="140.0*cm" segments="30">
    <slice name="drift_cathode" material="Kapton" thickness="0.100*mm"/>
    ...
    <slice name="v_readout_plane" material="Kapton" thickness="0.200*mm" sensitive="true"/>
  </module>
  <module name="Module_C" id="2" inner_r="110.0*cm" outer_r="228.0*cm" segments="30">
    <slice name="drift_cathode" material="Kapton" thickness="0.100*mm"/>
    ...
    <slice name="u_readout_plane" material="Kapton" thickness="0.200*mm" sensitive="true"/>
    <slice name="v_readout_plane" material="Kapton" thickness="0.200*mm" sensitive="true"/>
  </module>
```

# GEM Tracker (solid/gem\_sidis.xml)

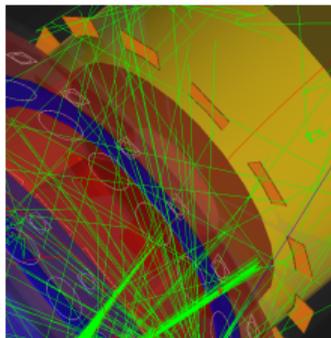
```
<layer id="1" z="-175*cm" inner_r="36*cm" outer_r="87.0*cm" phi0_offset="0.0*deg" Nmodules="30">
  <module name="Module_A"/>
</layer>
<layer id="2" z="-150*cm" inner_r="21*cm" outer_r="98.0*cm" phi0_offset="0.0*deg" Nmodules="20">
  <module name="Module_B"/>
</layer>
<layer id="3" z="-119*cm" inner_r="29*cm" outer_r="112.0*cm" phi0_offset="0.0*deg" Nmodules="16">
  <module name="Module_C"/>
</layer>
<layer id="4" z="-80*cm" inner_r="32*cm" outer_r="135.0*cm" phi0_offset="0.0*deg" Nmodules="18">
  <module name="Module_C"/>
</layer>
<layer id="5" z="5*cm" inner_r="42*cm" outer_r="100.0*cm" phi0_offset="0.0*deg" Nmodules="28">
  <module name="Module_B"/>
</layer>
<layer id="6" z="92*cm" inner_r="55*cm" outer_r="123.0*cm" phi0_offset="0.0*deg" Nmodules="24">
  <module name="Module_B"/>
  <module name="Module_C"/>
</layer>
</detector>
```

# GEM Tracker

SIDIS configuration:

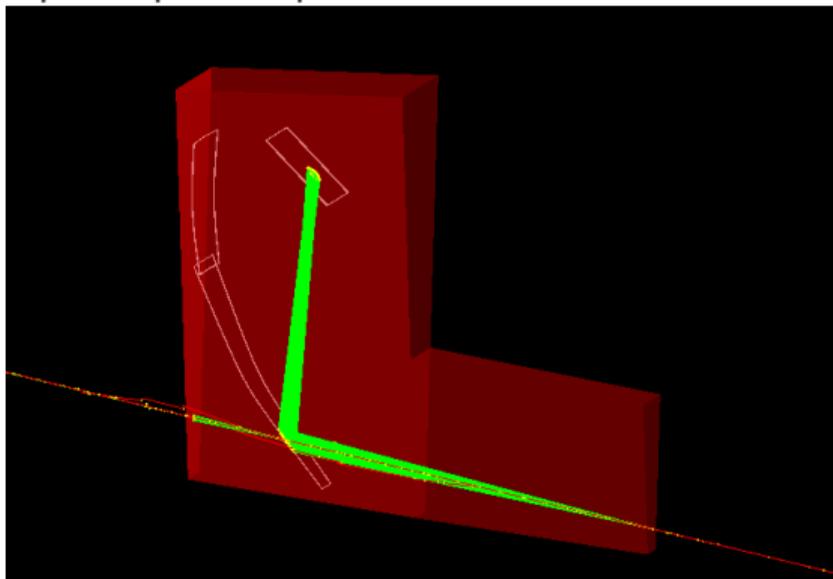


- Inconsistencies in Pre-CDR (number, min radius, etc...)
- Adjusted positions and number of modules to prevent overlap.

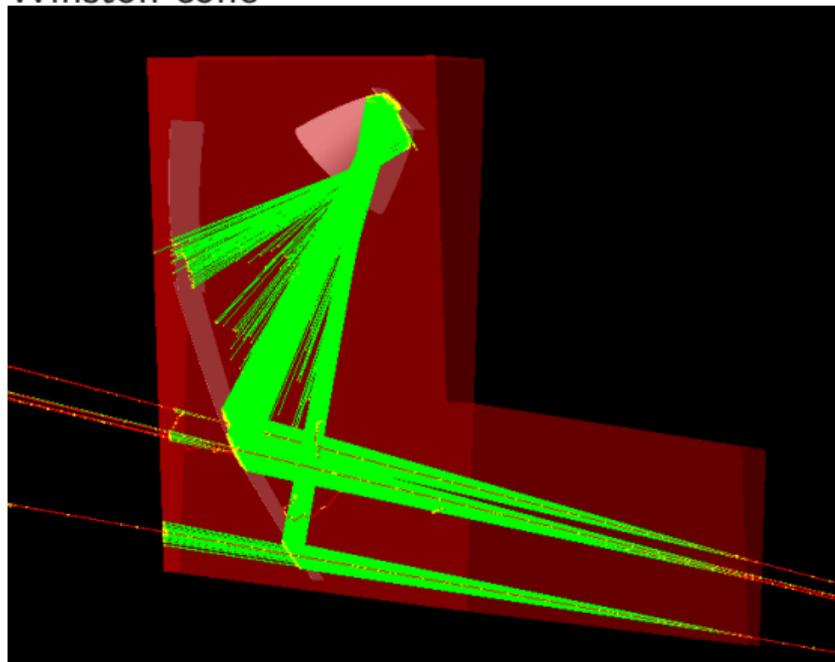


# Gas Cherenkov

Optical photon processes:



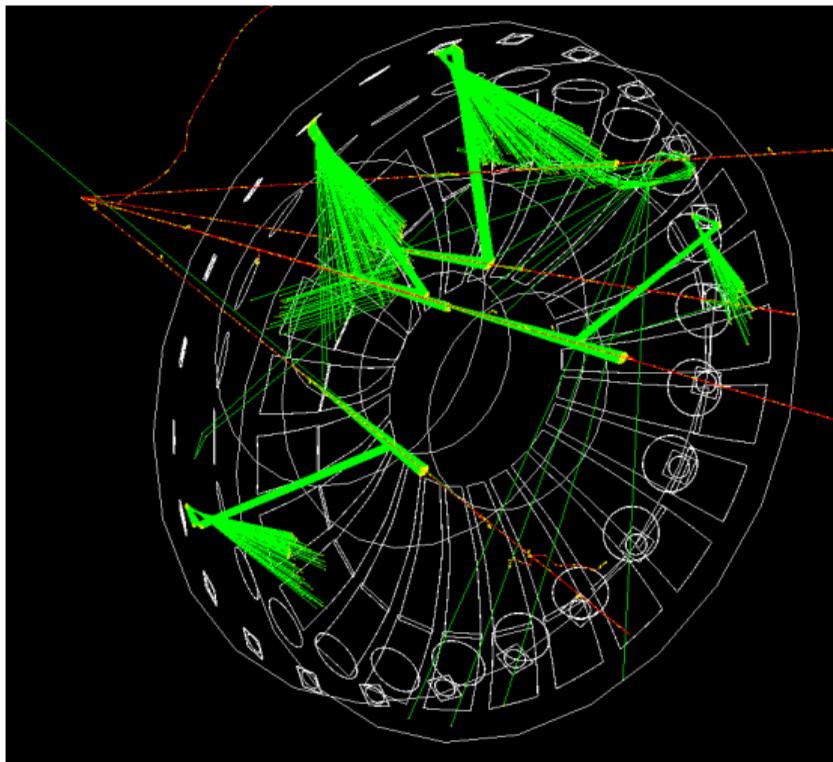
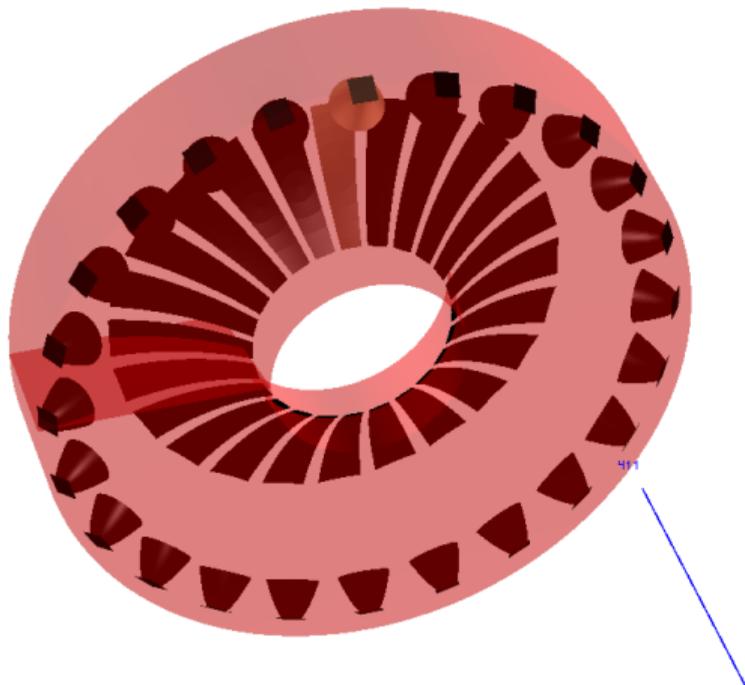
Winston cone



Constructed from scratch using the pre-CDR text.

# Gas Cherenkov

All 30 sectors



# Magnetic Field

## DD4hep tools - npdet\_fields

```
npdet_fields -h
```

```
You need to provide an input xml filename as the last argument!
```

### DESCRIPTION

```
Tool for quickly looking at magnetic fields.
```

### SYNOPSIS

```
npdet_fields [-v] [-h] draw [--Nsteps <Nsteps>
```

```
npdet_fields [-v] [-h] draw [--Nsteps <Nsteps>
```

### OPTIONS

```
user interface options:
```

```
-v, --verbose
```

```
show detailed output
```

```
-h, --help
```

```
show help
```

```
draw [--Nsteps <Nsteps>] [--step <step>] [--
```

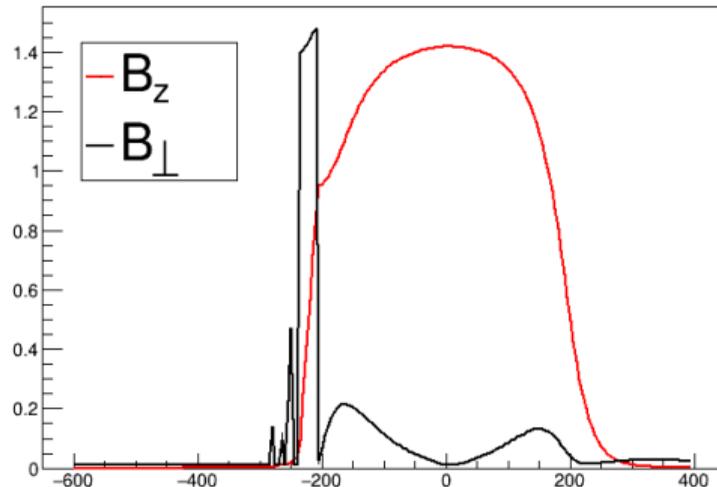
```
draw [--Nsteps <Nsteps>] [--step <step>] [--
```

```
draw mode:
```

```
<file> compact description should provide
```

### EXAMPLES

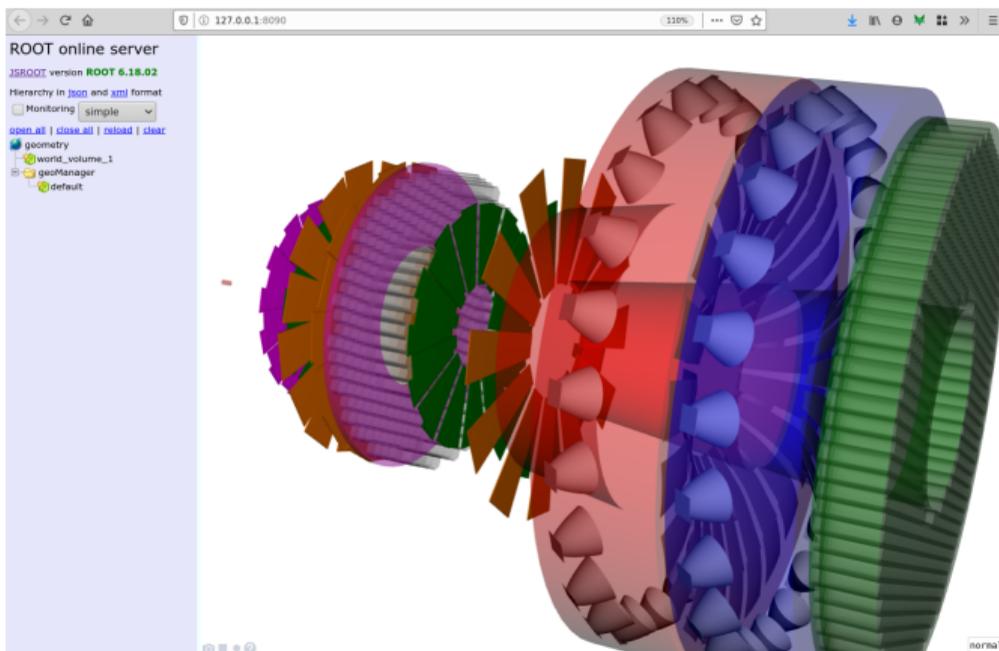
```
npdet_fields --start 0 0 -600 solid_sidis.xml
```



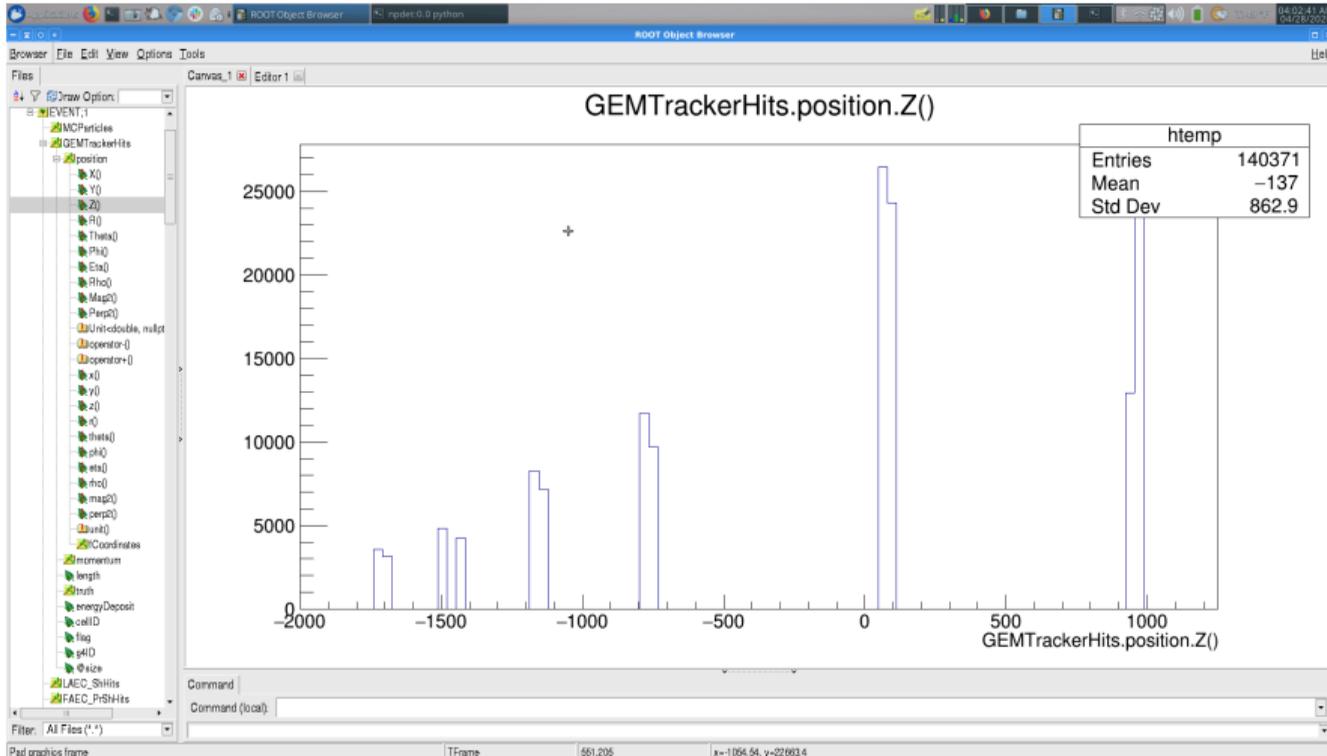
# jsroot Web Display

DD4hep tools - dd\_web\_display

- Useful for working on remote server
- Quickly debugging geometry



# Geant4 simulation output



Output Hits for all detectors (and then some more)

# Material Scans

Material scan between: x 0 = ( 0.00, 0.00, 300.00) [cm] and x 1 = ( 0.00, 170.00, 400.00) [cm]

Material Layer \	Material Name	Number/Z	Mass/A	Density	Radiation Length [cm]	Interaction Length [cm]	Thickness [cm]	Radiation Length [cm]	Interaction Length [cm]	Integrated Lambda [cm]	Material Endpoint [cm, cm, cm]
1	Air	7	14.784	0.012	30520.8407	71998.1725	5.140	5.15	0.000169	0.000071	0.00, 1.21, -295.00
2	Air	7	14.784	0.012	30520.8407	71998.1725	149.215	154.36	0.005056	0.002144	0.00, 36.43, -150.00
3	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	154.37	0.005419	0.002320	0.00, 30.43, -149.99
4	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.206	154.69	0.005451	0.002341	0.00, 30.50, -149.50
5	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	154.69	0.005014	0.002525	0.00, 36.51, -149.00
6	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.206	154.90	0.005035	0.002534	0.00, 30.55, -149.40
7	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	155.12	0.005018	0.002518	0.00, 36.56, -149.41
8	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.206	155.11	0.005029	0.002726	0.00, 36.61, -149.27
9	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	155.12	0.005052	0.002910	0.00, 36.61, -149.26
10	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.206	155.39	0.006004	0.002919	0.00, 30.66, -149.00
11	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.021	155.35	0.007329	0.003229	0.00, 46.46, -149.84
12	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.021	155.37	0.008054	0.003655	0.00, 36.67, -149.82
13	Air	7	14.784	0.012	30520.8407	71998.1725	30.893	186.26	0.009066	0.004084	0.00, 43.96, -119.00
14	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	186.27	0.009429	0.004739	0.00, 43.96, -119.00
15	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.309	186.58	0.009461	0.004281	0.00, 44.03, -118.69
16	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	186.59	0.009824	0.004645	0.00, 44.03, -118.68
17	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.206	186.80	0.009840	0.004474	0.00, 44.05, -118.40
18	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	186.81	0.010200	0.004658	0.00, 44.09, -118.47
19	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.206	187.01	0.010230	0.004666	0.00, 44.13, -118.27
20	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	187.02	0.010502	0.004850	0.00, 44.14, -118.20
21	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.206	187.23	0.010614	0.004859	0.00, 44.19, -118.00
22	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.021	187.25	0.011339	0.005227	0.00, 44.19, -118.04
23	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.021	187.27	0.012005	0.005595	0.00, 44.20, -118.02
24	Air	7	14.784	0.012	30520.8407	71998.1725	39.125	226.39	0.012346	0.006130	0.00, 53.43, -80.00
25	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	226.41	0.013709	0.006322	0.00, 53.43, -79.99
26	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.309	226.71	0.013741	0.006335	0.00, 53.50, -79.69
27	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	226.72	0.014104	0.006519	0.00, 53.51, -79.40
28	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.206	226.93	0.014125	0.006520	0.00, 53.55, -79.40
29	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	226.94	0.014488	0.006722	0.00, 53.58, -79.47
30	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.206	227.15	0.014510	0.006721	0.00, 53.61, -79.27
31	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	227.16	0.014872	0.006905	0.00, 53.61, -79.26
32	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.206	227.36	0.014894	0.006913	0.00, 53.66, -79.06
33	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.021	227.38	0.015619	0.007281	0.00, 53.66, -79.04
34	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.021	227.40	0.016344	0.007640	0.00, 53.67, -78.84
35	Air	7	14.784	0.012	30520.8407	71998.1725	86.452	313.87	0.019177	0.008850	0.00, 74.87, 5.00
36	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	313.88	0.019339	0.009034	0.00, 74.87, 5.01
37	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.309	314.10	0.019571	0.009217	0.00, 74.91, 5.23
38	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	314.19	0.019904	0.009321	0.00, 74.91, 5.32
39	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.206	314.40	0.019956	0.009240	0.00, 74.20, 5.52
40	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	314.41	0.020318	0.009424	0.00, 74.20, 5.53
41	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.206	314.62	0.020348	0.009426	0.00, 74.25, 5.73
42	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	314.63	0.020703	0.009616	0.00, 74.25, 5.74
43	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.206	314.83	0.020724	0.009625	0.00, 74.30, 5.94
44	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.021	314.85	0.021448	0.009993	0.00, 74.31, 5.80
45	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.021	314.87	0.022175	0.010361	0.00, 74.31, 5.90
46	Air	7	14.784	0.012	30520.8407	71998.1725	88.520	403.39	0.025074	0.011591	0.00, 95.20, 92.00
47	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	403.40	0.025497	0.011775	0.00, 95.20, 92.01
48	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.309	403.71	0.025469	0.011780	0.00, 95.20, 92.31
49	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	403.72	0.025832	0.011972	0.00, 95.28, 92.32
50	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.206	403.93	0.025853	0.011980	0.00, 95.33, 92.52
51	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	404.14	0.026216	0.012164	0.00, 95.35, 92.54
52	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.206	404.15	0.026238	0.012173	0.00, 95.38, 92.73
53	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.010	404.16	0.026600	0.012357	0.00, 95.38, 92.74
54	GEGas	6	16.809	0.0037	9559.7011	23915.1216	0.206	404.36	0.026622	0.012355	0.00, 95.43, 92.94
55	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.021	404.38	0.027347	0.012733	0.00, 95.43, 92.90
56	Kapton	6	12.701	1.4300	20.3749	55.9194	0.021	404.40	0.028073	0.013102	0.00, 95.44, 92.90
57	Air	7	14.784	0.012	30520.8407	71998.1725	112.110	520.32	0.030826	0.013399	0.00, 97.26, 300.00
58	N2Cherenkov	7	14.007	0.013	30390.5672	67516.7614	201.996	614.14	0.034973	0.016201	0.00, 144.91, 296.79
59	PyrexGlass	10	29.495	2.2300	12.6748	43.5474	4.245	614.38	0.054296	0.021825	0.00, 144.99, 297.83
60	N2Cherenkov	7	14.007	0.013	30390.5672	67516.7614	15.921	630.30	0.048420	0.022961	0.00, 140.75, 332.50
61	Air	7	14.784	0.012	30520.8407	71998.1725	7.710	638.02	0.050573	0.022570	0.00, 150.57, 320.00
62	N2Cherenkov	7	14.007	0.013	30390.5672	67516.7614	82.325	720.26	0.057782	0.023387	0.00, 170.00, 400.00
63	Average Material	8	15.009	0.0028	12460.6009	30000.6403	720.347	720.35	0.057782	0.023387	0.00, 170.00, 400.00

- Tools available in DD4hep and Acts to study material thicknesses from detector description.
- Good opportunity to place strategic material scans in CT testing.

# To do list

- Check materials and update to latest design.
- GEM SIDIS configuration geometry problem.
- Parameterize Cherenkov mirror alignment and optimize.
- Setup CI for design tests: overlaps, single particle acceptances, etc, to quickly identify regressions.
- Add a CI for performance benchmarks: J/psi and DIS at first, then others?...

# Documentation and Framework

- We have reached the need for a processing framework to really use full set of software tools.
- Documentation for a [Solid Framework](#) is progress.
- [NPDet](#) documentation is coming along.
- [NPDet Reference](#) documentation too.

## A Minimal Solid Framework Strategy

- Follow pattern from Acts' examples.
- Components (algos, io, etc.) are compiled into libraries.
- Robust set of executables assembled for end-to-end processing chain.
- Full configuration is exposed for each component via boost's program options (eg command line args)

Note, this is not a full Event Processing Framework for long term use. It is the minimal framework needed to stitch tools together for reconstruction.

# Summary and Outlook

- Full SoLID (geant4) simulation with DD4hep complete.
- End-to-end simulation nearly complete.
- Documentation and demo project soon to come.

