

# Gear improvements with Mokka-CGA : GearCGA

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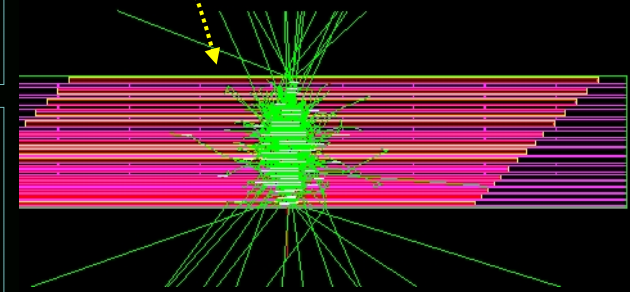
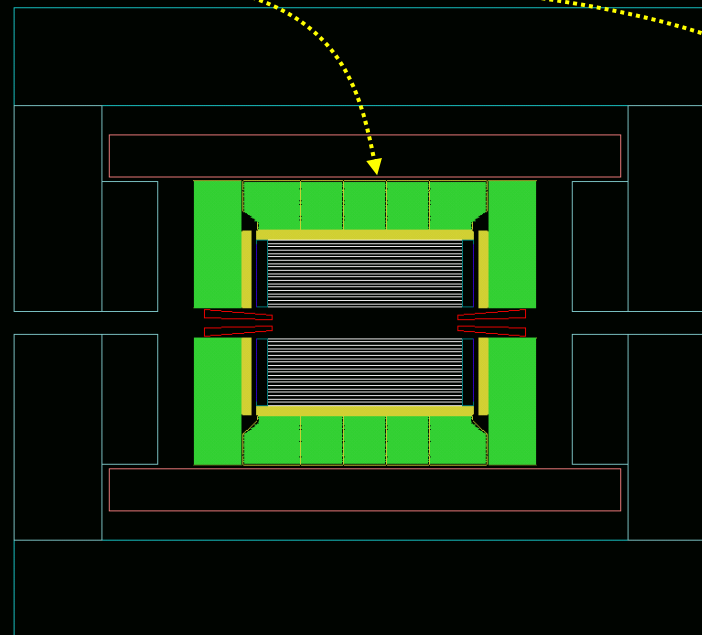
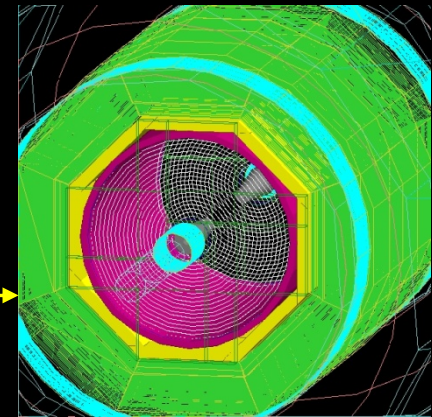
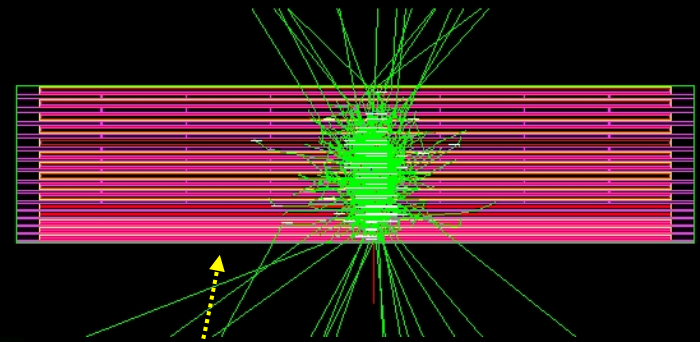
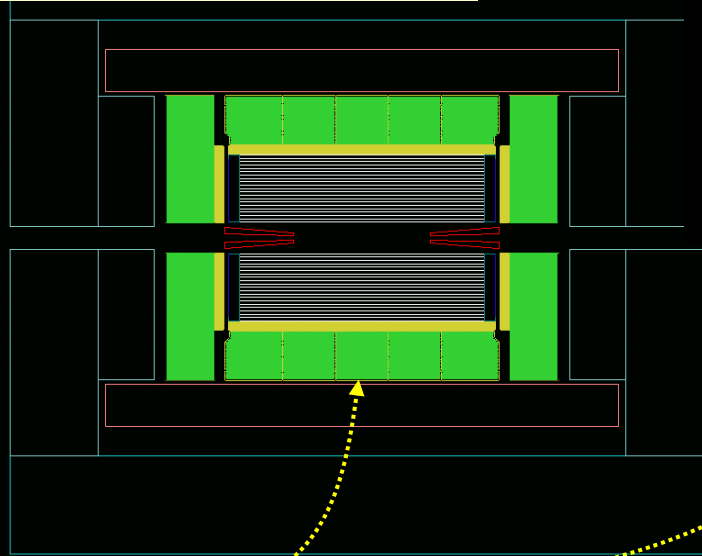
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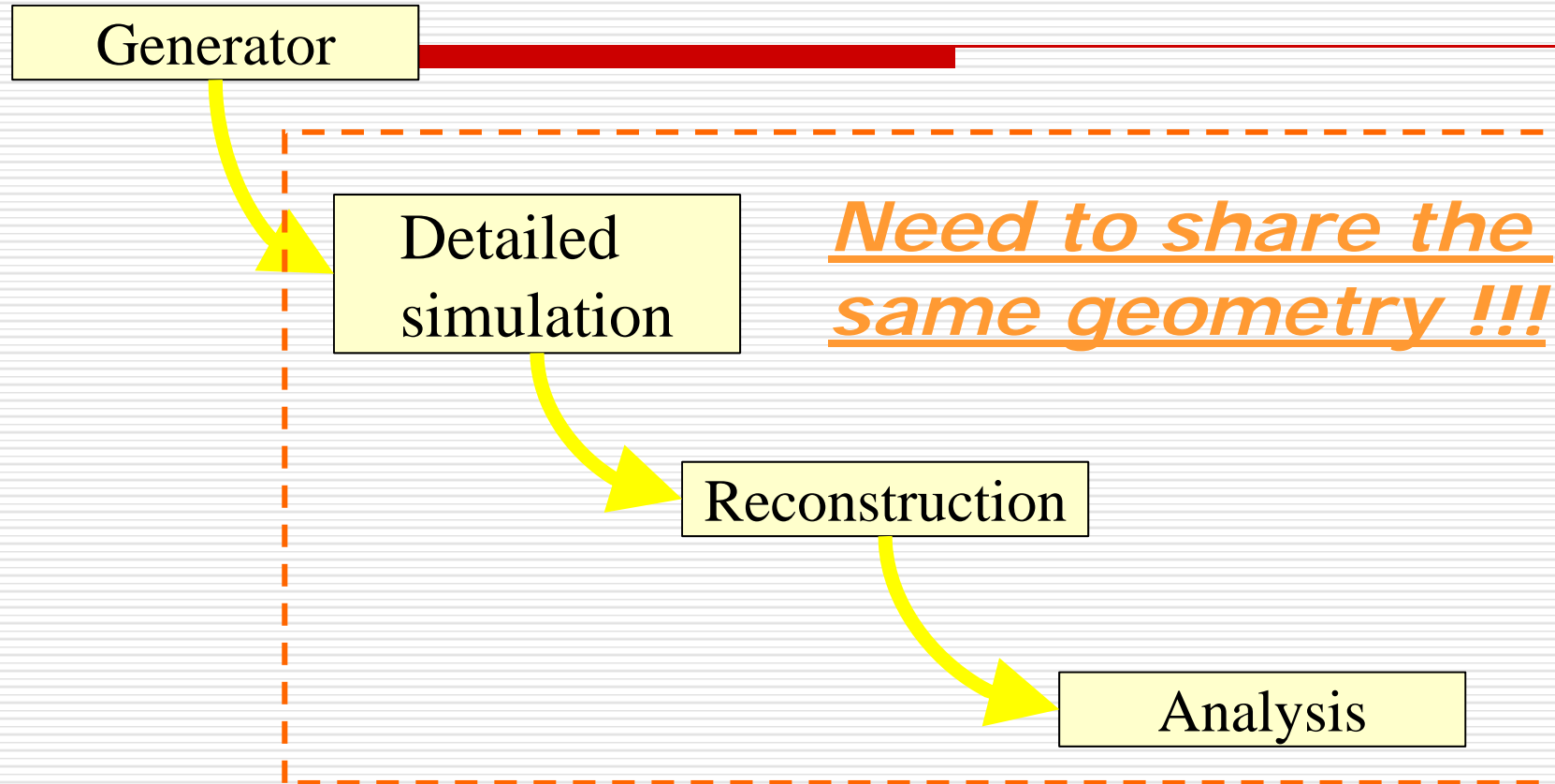
# Geometry in Mokka

Mokka  
Geometry drivers

Geometry  
Database

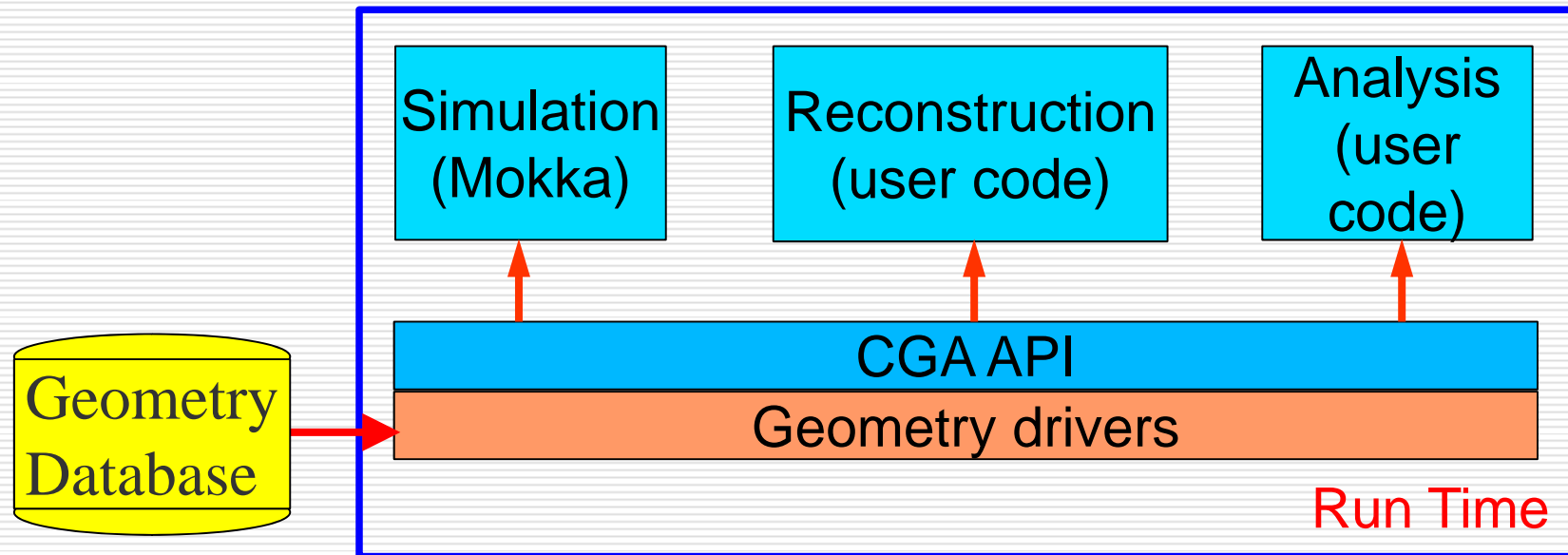


# ***Geometry have to be shared***



*And nobody never tried to retrieve geometrical information via SQL queries, except in the geometry drivers in MOKKA !!!*

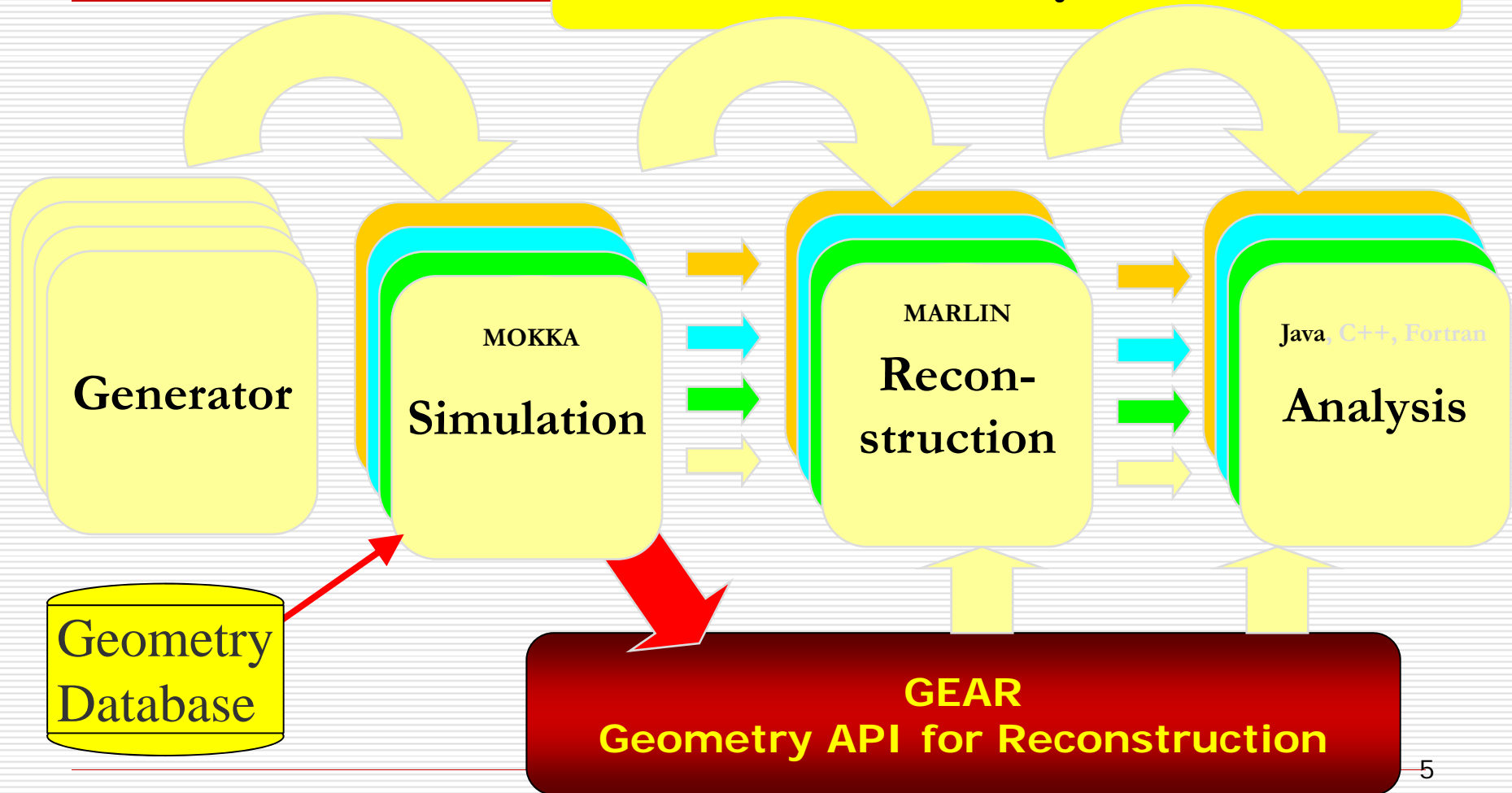
# The Common Geometry Access API (GGA), since 2004



- Available for F77, C++, C and Java
- Links against Geant4 libraries
- Exports only low level geometry (G4 volumes level)
- A few users only

# So Gear

## LCIO Persistency Framework



# GEAR - geometry

## GEometry API for Reconstruction

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<gear>
  <!--
    Example XML file for GEAR describing the LDC detector
  -->
  <detectors>
    <detector id="0" name="TPCTest" geartype="TPCParameters" type="TPCParameters">
      <maxDriftLength value="2500."/>
      <driftVelocity value=""/>
      <readoutFrequency value="10"/>
      <PadRowLayout2D type="FixedPadSizeDiskLayout" rMin="386.0" maxRow="200" padGap="0.0"/>
      <parameter name="tpcRPhiResMax" type="double"> 0.16 </parameter>
      <parameter name="tpcZRes" type="double"> 1.4 </parameter>
      <parameter name="tpcPixRP" type="double"> 1.4 </parameter>
      <parameter name="tpcPixZ" type="double"> 1.4 </parameter>
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    </detector>
    <detector name="EcalBarrel" geartype="CalorimeterParameters">
      <layout type="Barrel" symmetry="8" phi0="0.0"/>
      <dimensions inner_r="1698.85" outer_r="1718.85" inner_z="2820" outer_z="2820"/>
      <layer repeat="30" thickness="3.9" absorberThickness="2.5"/>
      <layer repeat="10" thickness="6.7" absorberThickness="5.3"/>
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    <detector name="EcalEndcap" geartype="CalorimeterParameters">
      <layout type="Endcap" symmetry="2" phi0="0.0"/>
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    </detector>
  </detectors>
</gear>

```

"compatible" with US - compact format

- well defined geometry definition for reconstruction that
  - is flexible w.r.t different LC detector concepts
  - has high level information needed for reconstruction
  - provides access to material properties
- **abstract interface** (a la LCIO)
  - implementation in C++
  - currently: persistency with XML
  - and Mokka-CGA - geant4



# GEAR – material properties

## GearDistanceProperties

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– GearDistanceProperties()
getMaterialNames(p0 : const Point3D&, p1 : const Point3D&) : const std::vector< std :: string >&
getMaterialThicknesses(p0 : const Point3D&, p1 : const Point3D&) : const std::vector< double >&
getNRadlen(p0 : const Point3D&, p1 : const Point3D&) : double
getNIntlen(p0 : const Point3D&, p1 : const Point3D&) : double
getBdL(pos : const Point3D&) : double
getEdL(pos : const Point3D&) : double
    
```



- proposal from Argonne Simulation Meeting 2004(!)
- implemented with Mokka-CGA/geant4

## GearPointProperties

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– GearPointProperties()
getCellID(pos : const Point3D&) : int
getMaterialName(pos : const Point3D&) : const std::string&
getDensity(pos : const Point3D&) : double
getTemperature(pos : const Point3D&) : double
getPressure(pos : const Point3D&) : double
getRadlen(pos : const Point3D&) : double
getIntlen(pos : const Point3D&) : double
getLocalPosition(pos : const Point3D&) : Point3D
getB(pos : const Point3D&) : double
getE(pos : const Point3D&) : double
getListOfLogicalVolumes(pos : const Point3D&) : std::vector< std :: string >
getListOfPhysicalVolumes(pos : const Point3D&) : std::vector< std :: string >
getRegion(pos : const Point3D&) : std::string
isTracker(pos : const Point3D&) : bool
isCalorimeter(pos : const Point3D&) : bool
    
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- provide detailed access to
- materials and field
- no navigation
- performance !?
- used e.g. to get material budget of detector
- not used in current tracking and
- ParticleFlow

- in principle one can get all the needed material properties e.g. for pattrec from this interface together with geometrical properties before actual reconstruction starts (performance)

# GearCGA

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- **First implementation in May 2006**
  - Point- and Distance- Properties
  - Requested by Frank Gaede
  - Based on the **Mokka CGA** interface
  - Three C++ Classes:
    - CGAGeometryInitializer
    - CGAGearPointProperties
    - CGAGearDistanceProperties
  
- First version – part of GEAR distribution
- Later copied by Frank to Mokka distribution:  
**Mokka/source/Geometry/MokkaGear**



# A new GearCGA implementation

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- Proposed at the "Workshop on Geometry Toolkit for the Linear Collider" at Cern, Feb 2010
  - A full Gear implementation (standard + Point and Distance Properties) "on the box", available right now
  - Enable users to develop today using the complete Gear API, without waiting for future implementations

Insures forward compatibility for code

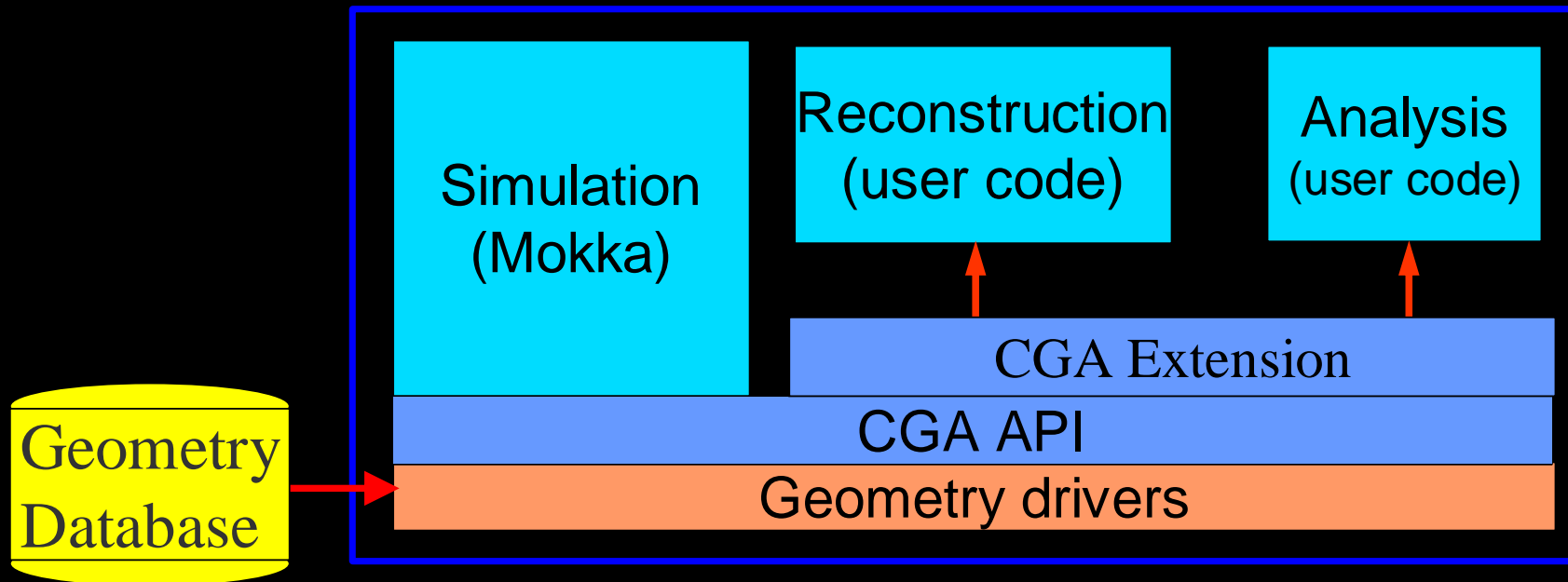
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# Some GearCGA features

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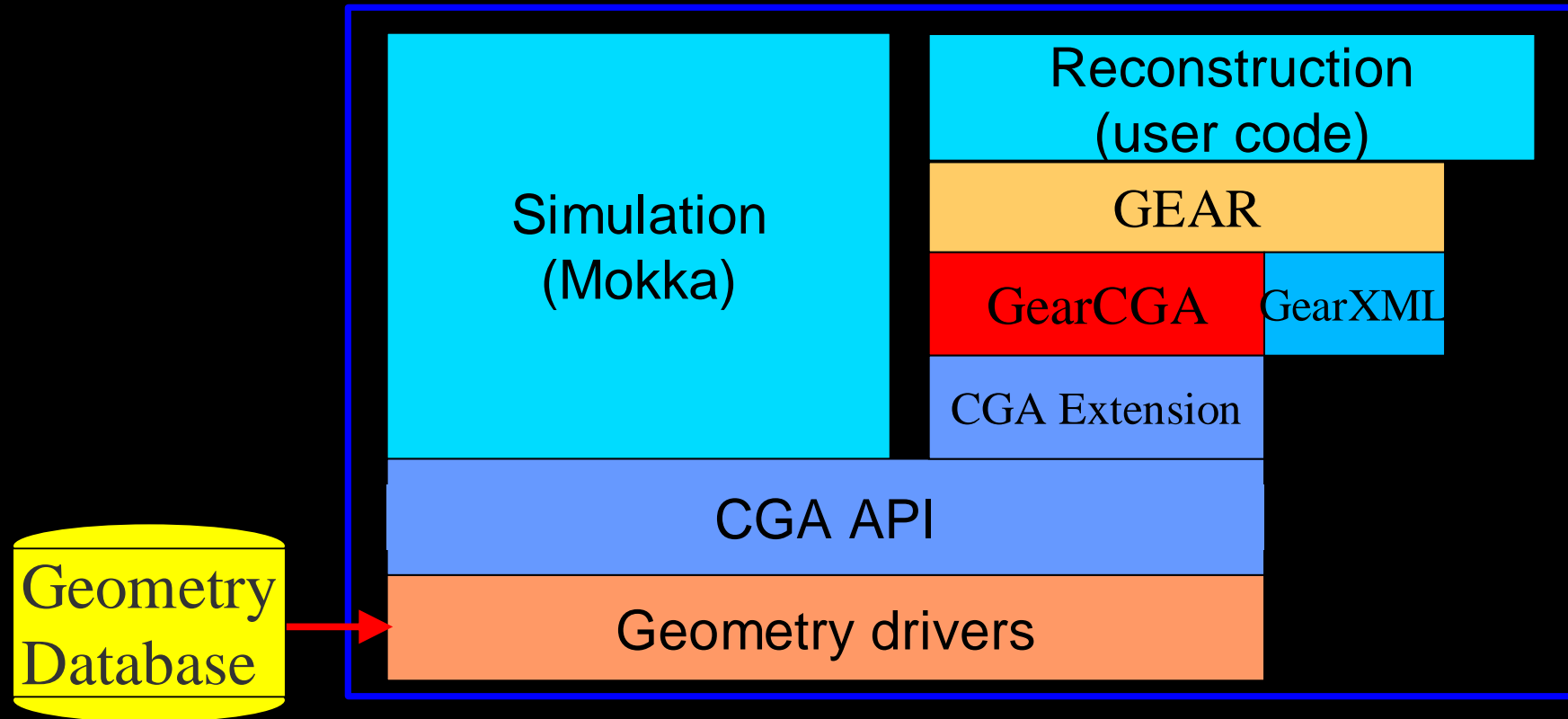
- Don't need the GEAR xml to initialize Gear: the model name is enough
- The standard Gear API and the Point + Distance Properties extension are managed by a single Gear Mgr object
- The Gear Mgr object can be initialized also by a given LCIO file
- Insures that the reconstruction task uses exactly the same geometry built in simulation.

# Mokka - Common Geometry Access API (F77, C++, C, Java)



- Implements some reconstruction utilities.

# GearCGA



# CGAGeometryInitializer

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- Initializes the geometry

- Able to initialize from an LCIO file, using the steering file stored by Mokka in the LCIO RunHeader

- **CGAGeometryInitializer \* geolnit =  
CGAGeometryInitializer::  
GetCGAGeometryInitializer(IcioFileName);**

- Returns a GearMgr object

- **GearMgr\* gearMgr = geolnit->  
getCGAGearMgr();**



# The GearMgr object

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- Has all the information until now contained in the GEAR file
  
- Also provides the information on the Point and Distance Properties
  - `const GearDistanceProperties& distProp = gearMgr->getDistanceProperties();`

# Remarks on GearCGA changes

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- The usage of these classes is shown in example `Mokka/examples/CGA/Ex07.cc`
- User application has to
  - `#include "CGAGeometryInitializer.h"`
- since we aimed to replace the GEAR file, we had to give access to the 'dEdx' property :
  - GearCGA had to use the same Physics List as Mokka (specified in the steering file)
  - The user must set the environment variables pointing to the X-section data

# Packing necessary libraries

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- makes easier the usage of the GearCGA
- the libraries belonging to Mokka, Geant4, CLHEP, MySQL, GEAR, LCIO are put together in one library
  - Library name: libCGAPack.so
  - Location: \$G4WORKDIR/lib/\$G4SYSTEM
- done after linking Mokka, if the environment variable ' MOKKA\_PACK\_LIBS ' is set
- For details, see examples and GNUmakefile in: Mokka/examples/CGA

# GearCGA TODO list

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- Unify GearCGA usage with that of GearTGeo via a “factory” class
- To be able to overwrite parameters found in the steering file stored in the LCIO run header.
  - The MySQL host for example
- To provide a stand-alone SQLite implementation, avoiding the DB server connection at run time

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