

News on Core Software Tools

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Outline

- new developments since Cambridge meeting
 - LCIO
 - Marlin/MarlinReco
 - Gear
 - Mokka

LCIO status and plans

- no major new features since Cambridge
 - minor bug fixes
 - command line tool in Java (Jeremy McCormick)
 - creation and comparison of random events
- under development:
 - **vertex** class in LCIO (see next slide)
 - **transient object links** (see below)
 - Track parameter definition (T.Kraemer)
 - writeup of L3 parameterization in LC-Note

Proposal for an LCIO vertex class

EVENT::Vertex

```
+ ~ Vertex()
+ getMomentum() : const float*
+ getMass() : float
+ getCharge() : float
+ getPosition() : const float*
+ getCovMatrix() : const FloatVec&
+ getChi2() : float
+ getProbability() : float
+ getPreviousVertex() : Vertex*
+ getParameters() : const FloatVec&
+ getTracks() : const TrackVec&
+ addTrack(track : Track*) : void
```

EVENT::ReconstructedParticle

```
+ ~ ReconstructedParticle()
+ getType() : int
+ isCompound() : bool
+ getMomentum() : const double*
+ getEnergy() : double
+ getCovMatrix() : const FloatVec&
+ getMass() : double
+ getCharge() : float
+ getReferencePoint() : const float*
+ getParticleIDs() : const ParticleIDVec&
+ getParticleIDUsed() : ParticleID*
+ getGoodnessOfPID() : float
+ getParticles() : const ReconstructedParticleVec&
+ getClusters() : const ClusterVec&
+ getTracks() : const TrackVec&
+ addParticleID(pid : ParticleID*) : void
+ addParticle(particle : ReconstructedParticle*) : void
+ addCluster(cluster : Cluster*) : void
+ addTrack(track : Track*) : void
```

- original LCIO idea:
use ReconstructedParticle also for
compound objects like jets and vertices
- LCFI proposes dedicated vertex class
- need to optimize to avoid overlap and
- redundancy with ReconstructedParticle

discussion: <http://forum.linearcollider.org>

LCIO transient object links

- long pending user request:
 - attach arbitrary objects to LCObjects
- needed during reconstruction:
 - fast and easy creation of links between various LCObject subtypes, eg. TrackerHits and Track
- aim: write code like:

```
struct MyPatRecLink : public LCObjectLinkTraits< TrackerHit> {} ;  
...  
Track* trk = ....  
...  
TrackerHit* h = dynamic_cast<TrackerHit>( col->getElementAt(i) ) ;  
trk.link<MyPatRecLink>( h ) ;  
...  
TrackerHit* lh = trk.link<MyPatRecLink>() ;
```

Marlin Status and Plans

- no developments since Cambridge :(
- current version still: v00-09-04
- plans (still) :
 - improve dealing with and creation of steering files
 - show parameters in order specified
 - provide minimal steering files
 - provide help for one single processor
 - user suggestions/ needs ?

MarlinReco

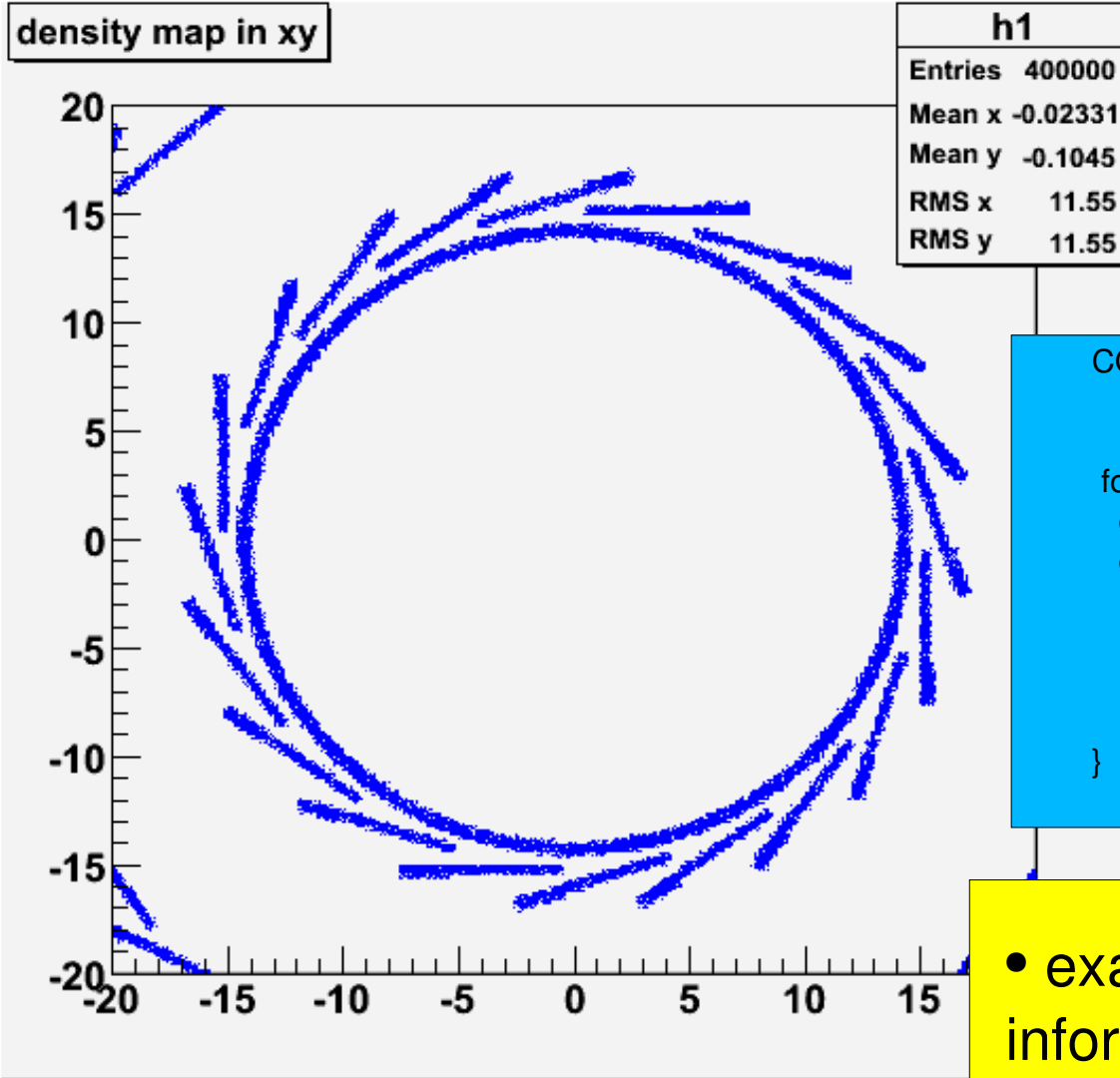
- currently ongoing: restructuring of PFA code
- improve code basis
 - utility code for geometry computations (helix to point, plane,...)
 - new abstract clustering classes/functions
- improve physics quality of algorithms
 - need to demonstrate that PFA works
 - need to be better than calorimeter only @ 500 GeV

Gear status

- version v00-02 (Cambridge):
 - TPC, Hcal, Ecal interfaces defined and implemented
 - user parameters
- current 'release' v00-03-beta:
 - also write xml files from parameters in memory
 - tool to merge files: [gearmerge](#)
 - description of TPC prototypes (rectangular pad plane)
- **planned release v00-03**
 - first version of VTX description (R.Lippe)
 - input from Ringberg VTX workshop
 - first implementation of GearCGA material properties (G.Mussat)

CGAGear

- implemented by G.Musat, LLR
- to be released soon



```
CGAGearPointProperties * pointProp =
    new CGAGearPointProperties(steer.str(),...);

for(int i=0 ; i<nPoint ; ++i){
    double xr = xmin + ( xmax - xmin ) * random();
    double yr = ymin + ( ymax - ymin ) * random();

    Point3D p( xr, yr, z0 ) ;

    h1->fill( xr, yr, pointProp->getDensity( p ) ) ;
}
```

- exact geant4 material information at runtime !
- performance ?
- practical issues (linking g4) ?

GEAR – material properties

GearDistanceProperties

```

– 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

```

GearPointProperties

```

– 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

```

- proposal since Argonne Simulation Meeting 2004
- implementation with Mokka CGA under development

Mokka

- new release 6.1 (G.Mussat, P. Mora-Freitas)
 - I. Monte Carlo truth information stored by default in the LCIO file.
 - II. HEPEvt ASCII event file format versus Monte Carlo truth information in LCIO.
 - III. New hepevt ASCII Brahms-like event files reader
 - IV. Possibility to choose a port number for the MySQL server host or a socket file for local connections
 - V. **Cooking the Model geometry at launch time**
 - VI. **First version of "MokkaGear" - automatic creation of gear files**

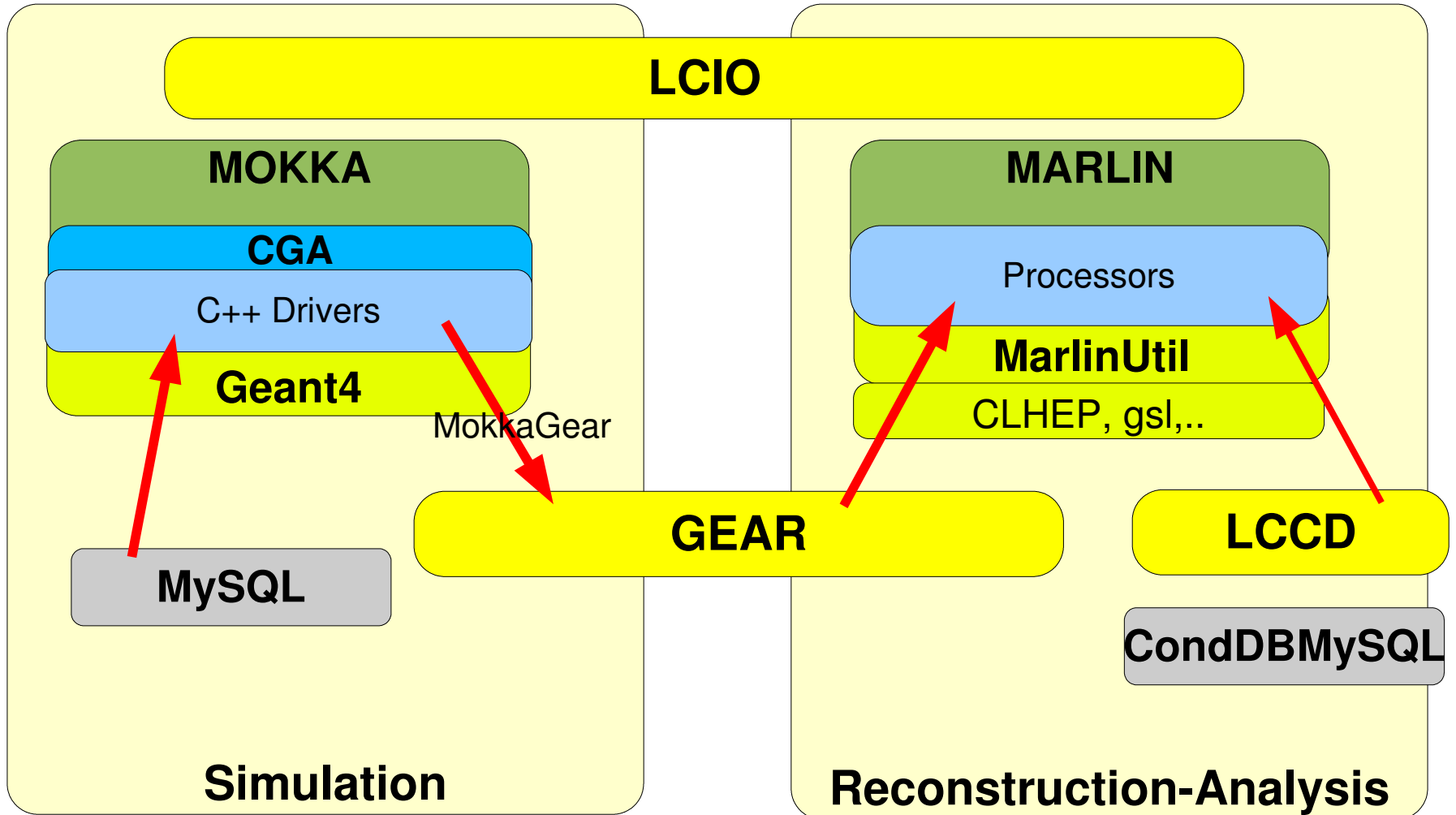
MokkaGear

- **extension to Mokka** (R.Lippe – Diploma Thesis)
- extract geometry information in drivers when detector is built
- use Gear to create XML files for reconstruction
- currently implemented:
 - TPC (tpc04), Ecal (ecal02) and Hcal (hcal04)
- **released with Mokka 6.1**
- optional feature
 - only if Gear is installed and included

aim: have only one source of information
for describing the detector geometry !

Backup slides ...

LDC simulation framework



MokkaGear

