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# ***CPU benchmarks for Magnetic Field***

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# Pure tracking benchmark

## Honeycomb calorimeter benchmark in [source/geometry/benchmarks](#)

It consists of transporting 10,000 geantinos, along predefined directions, in a honeycomb calorimeter made of two modules, each 26 x 50 tubes

### Release

### Ratios

5.2.p02 2.57s 0.84

6.2.p02 3.05s 1.00 <--- *G4Navigator* becomes

7.0.p01 3.00s 0.98

7.1.p01a 3.06s 1.00

8.0.p01 3.07s 1.00

8.1.p02 3.02s 0.99

8.2.p01 3.14s 1.03 <--- in *G4Navigator*

8.3 3.15s 1.03 *LocateGlobalPointAndSetup() metod*

8.3.p01 3.13s 1.02 becomes

9.0 3.15s 1.03

9.0.p01 3.14s 1.03

These changes in *G4Navigator* have been done to accommodate the Tgeo/VMC interface (ALICE requirement)

# Tracking in Magnetic Field: only transportation process.

## BaBar Tracker in geometry/magneticfield/tests/NTST

It consists of simulating the BaBar silicon tracker and 40 layers drift chamber, in a 1.5 T constant magnetic field.

Only transportation, no physics. 100 B-Bbar events simulated.

Locally build with static libraries .

With afs version big time variations were measured (5% or more )

Release		Ratios	
7.1.p01a	2.05	1.00	
8.0.p01	2.04	1.01	
8.1.p02	2.14	1.04	<--- <i>G4FieldTrack::LoadFromArray</i>
8.2	2.31	1.12	<--- <i>G4Navigator::LocateGlobalPointAndSetup</i>
8.2.p01	2.31	1.12	become <b>virtual</b>
8.3	2.3	1.12	
8.3.p01	2.31	1.12	
9.0	2.26	1.10	<--- <i>G4PropagatorInField</i>
9.0.p01	2.26	1.10	(better initialization of <b>G4FieldTrack</b> array)

*The number of steps and calls to fields are almost the same in all cases.*

## ***Observations / Conclusions***

- Main advantages : complex geometry  
B-Bbar events
- Needs to read B-Bbar events from file (12 Mb)  
(Can be replace by charged geantino, if needed  
It has his own Gun generator)
- Macro can be run for 100 or 1000 B-Bbar events (about 200 or 2000 sec)
- In output :
  - time per event
  - number of calls to Field
  - number of calls to ChordFinder
  - number of steps

# Tracking in Magnetic Field: QGSP\_EMV Physics List

**BaBar Tracker in geometry/magneticfield/tests/NTST**

Same Geant4 example as in the previous slide, but this time with the QGSP\_EMV Physics List. 100 B-Bbar events simulated.

Local build with static libraries.

Release		Ratios	
<b>7.1.p01a</b>	<b>3.04</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>(QGSP_GN)</b>
<b>8.0.p01</b>	3.78	1.24	} *
<b>8.1.p02</b>	3.85	1.27	
<b>8.2</b>	3.72	1.22	
<b>8.2.p01</b>	3.84	1.26	
<b>8.3</b>	3.91	1.29	
<b>8.3.p01</b>	3.89	1.28	
<b>9.0</b>	3.57	1.17	<--- <i>Code review of Electromagnetic</i>
<b>9.0.p01</b>	3.62	1.19	<i>physics module</i>

\* The variations are due to tuning and adding safety checks to Urban Multiple Scattering model.

## ***Details on NTST test***

- NTST test has different options :
  - looperCut            Kill looping particle below this cut
  - minEcut             Minimum Energy Cut
  - maxEcut             Maximum Energy Cut
- Corresponding macros:
  - Run2xa.mac   looperCut= 200 MeV, minEcut=1 MeV
  - Run2xb.mac   minEcut=1 MeV
  - Run2xc.mac   default
- NTST test is run with QGSP\_EMV

Do we run all macros for testing ?

Do we use different Physics Lists ? QGSP?

## ***Observations / Conclusions***

- afs version has to big fluctuations ( 5% or more)
- local installation with static libraries can also give 3-4 % of difference if rerun benchmarks after few months
- would be very useful make benchmarking more automatic  
run benchmarks, grep for information, compare with previous results  
give the results of comparison
- Add to benchmarking tests more complex test with more complex geometry (CMS full detector ) and non uniform field