

### Status of 11.1 developments: Electromagnetic physics part

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### Updates for materials

- Problems #2346, #2474, #2486 are fixed
  - handling of complex materials and parameterization of density effect correction
- Mean ionization potential for carbon is changed from 81 to 78 eV
  - Choice what NIST data to take
- G4MaterialPropertyVector, G4OpticalMaterialProperties:
  - Insist material property vectors are in increasing order of energy (PR #42);
  - default verbosity=1 as everywhere in Geant4 physics
- G4DensityEffectData:
  - Matthew Strait fix typos in the density effect data table (#2423) for 8 materials, the most significant fix for G4\_Tm, small for G4\_Be, G4\_Mg, G4\_Fe, and G4\_Y.

### Updates in base EM classes inside electromagnetic/utils

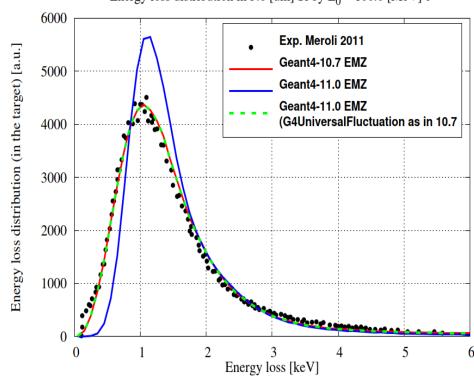
- G4VEmProcess, G4VEnergyLossProcess, G4VMultipleScattering:
  - Moved general part of initialisation to G4EmTableUtil and G4EmUtility
    - 27-30% class length reduction easier to navigate inside classes
  - Implement integral method for cross sections without precomputed tables
- Physics improvements
  - Using new utilities implemented general selection of G4Element and G4Isotope for all EM models
  - Added new UI command and C++ interface to define type of fluctuation model in all physics lists
    - G4UniversalFluctuation and G4IonFluctuations (for ions) are the default
    - G4UrbanFluctuation and G4LossFluctuationDummy are alternatives
  - Change the default Livermore DB from EPDL97 to EPICS2017
  - Removed dependence on G4magneticfield
- Fixed problems:
  - #2495 definition of StepFunction for ions, which is important for low-energy applications
  - #2492 fixed typo in the messenger
  - #2480 energy shift in CMS HCAL due to multiple scattering
  - Fixed pointer to fluctuation model if a model is added for G4Region
  - Fixed typo in bremsstrahlung model name in the model catalogue

## Updates in standard EM processes/models electromagnetic/standard

- Review was done of all processes and helper classes
  - Linear interpolation of tables are used for smooth cross sections
- Introduced choice of model of fluctuations (fix #2466)
  - G4UniversalFluctuation default fast
  - G4UrbanFluctuation most accurate model
  - G4IonFluctuations
  - G4LossFluctuationDummy
  - Now an external model of fluctuation may be used
- G4UrbanMscModel technical improvements
  - Extended precomputed data structure
  - Reduced number of instructions
  - Laszlo Urban has prepared updates with modification of few parameters
    - Not yet integrated and may be left for the next year

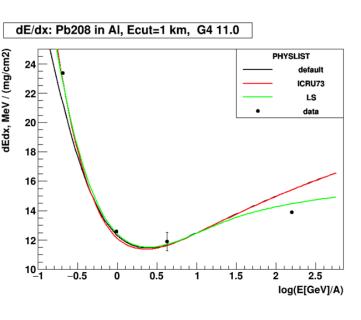
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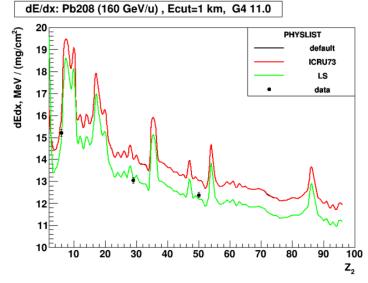


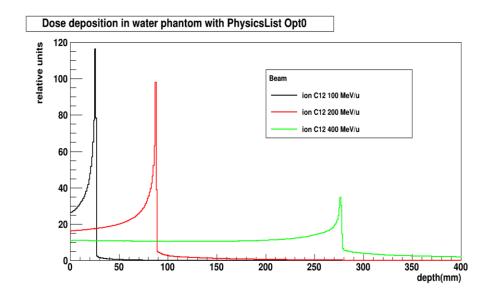


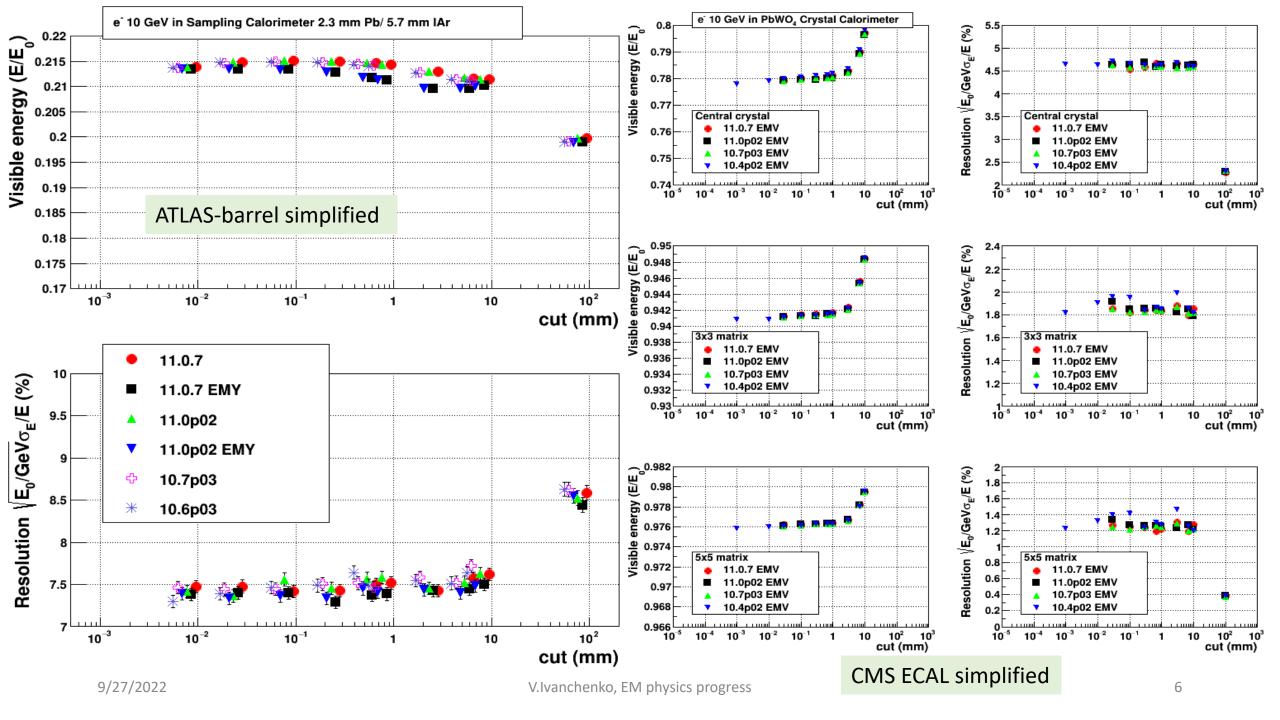
#### Lindhard-Sorensen ion ionization model

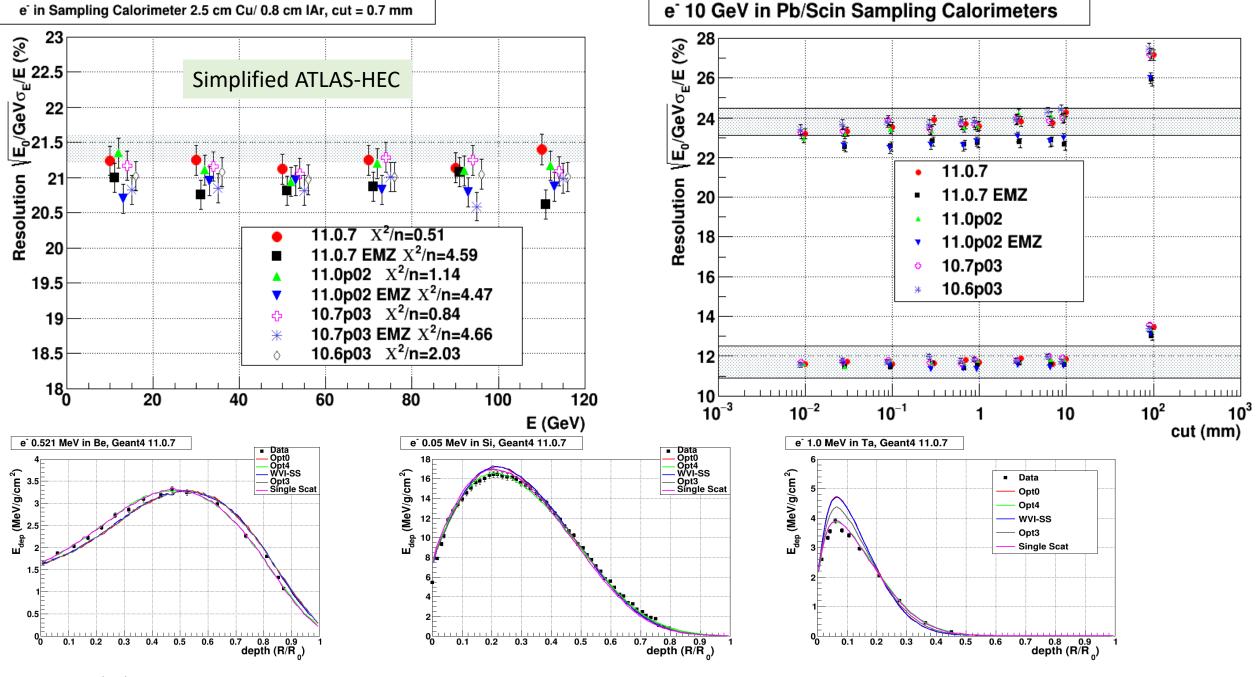
- G4LindhardSorensenIonModel is a combined models for the full energy range
  - Lindhard-Sorensen model above (J. Lindhard & A.H. Sorensen, Phys. Rev. A 53 (1996) 2443-2455)
  - Data are shared between threads, optimization of data access
  - Is significantly faster than the old G4ParametrizedIonModel, which were used in medical applications but includes extended data
    - ICRU73 and ICRU90 data at low energy below 2 MeV/amu
    - Model is working and reproducing ion Bragg peak





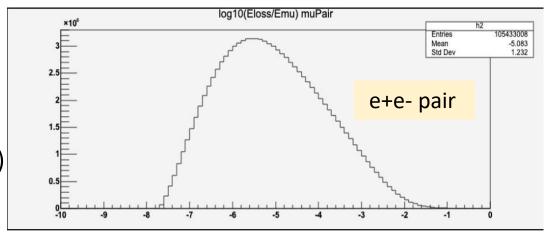


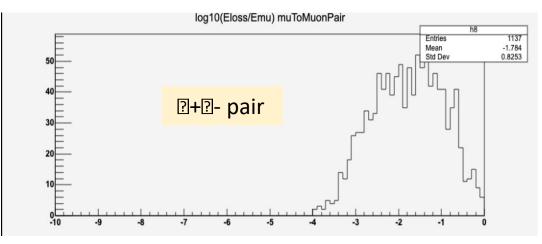




# Updates in muons processes/models electromagnetic/muons

- Review was done of all processes
  - Linear interpolation of tables are used for smooth cross sections
- Reduced low-energy limits
  - G4MuBetheBlochModel down to 0.2 MeV (was 100 MeV)
  - G4MuBremsstrahlungModel down to 100 MeV (was 1 GeV)
  - G4MuPairProductionModel down to 850 MeV (was 1 GeV)
- New process/model (CERN summer student S. Yajaman)
  - G4MuonToMuonPairProduction
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  - Cross section is ~10<sup>-5</sup> of e+e- pair production
  - Spectrum of muons is much harder
    - High energy muon pair may be produced by energetic muon is a calorimeter





#### New approaches for EM physics

- G4GammaGeneralProcess
  - Adopted both by ATLAS and CMS
  - Is current Geant4 default
  - fixed problem of sampling of the Compton scattering below 150 keV
  - Use spline interpolation of x-section tables below 150 keV and above 100 MeV
  - Woodcock tracking for gamma is currently implemented for ATLAS
    - Inherit of G4GammaGeneralProcess
    - Allowed gamma not to stop at boundaries between volumes inside ATLAS EMEC
- G4TransportationWithMSC (J. Hahnfeld)
  - New combined process
  - User may enable this process via UI command and/or C++ interface
  - Cannot work with G4CoupleTransportation
- G4HepEM (J. Hahnfeld, B. Morgan, M. Novak)
  - Alternative EM physics library in progress
  - 1<sup>st</sup> release is expected soon

### Modifications in EM physics for 11.1

- G4EmStandardPhysics
  - Gamma general process
  - G4UrbanFluctuation
- G4EmStandardPhysics\_option1
  - G4TransportationWithMsc
- G4EmStandardPhysics\_option3
  - Gamma general process
  - G4UrbanFluctuation
  - G4LindhardSorensen ion ionisation model
  - MSC RangeFactor=0.03

- G4EmStandardPhysics\_option4
  - Gamma general process
  - Penelope (instead of Livermore) ionisation for e- below 100 keV
  - G4UrbanFluctuation
  - G4LindhardSorensen ion ionisation model
- G4EmLivermorePhysics
  - G4UrbanFluctuation
  - G4LindhardSorensen ion ionisation model
  - EPICS2017 gamma cross sections
- G4EmPenelopePhysics
  - G4UrbanFluctuation
  - G4LindhardSorensen ion ionisation model

#### Summary

- Active developments were carried out in different EM physics domains
  - Improved code quality
  - Improvement of CPU efficiency for HEP applications
  - New model of muon pair production by muons
  - Addition of new models for DNA physics and chemistry
  - Improved Physics List configurations
- Recommendation for users
  - Geant4 11.0p03 or 11.1beta should be used for EM physics instead of earlier versions of 11.X release series
- Geant4 11.1 is in general in a good shape