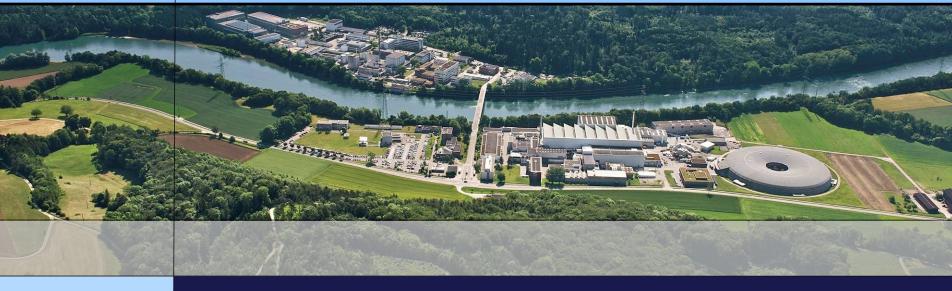


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Status of G4 Reverse Monte Carlo

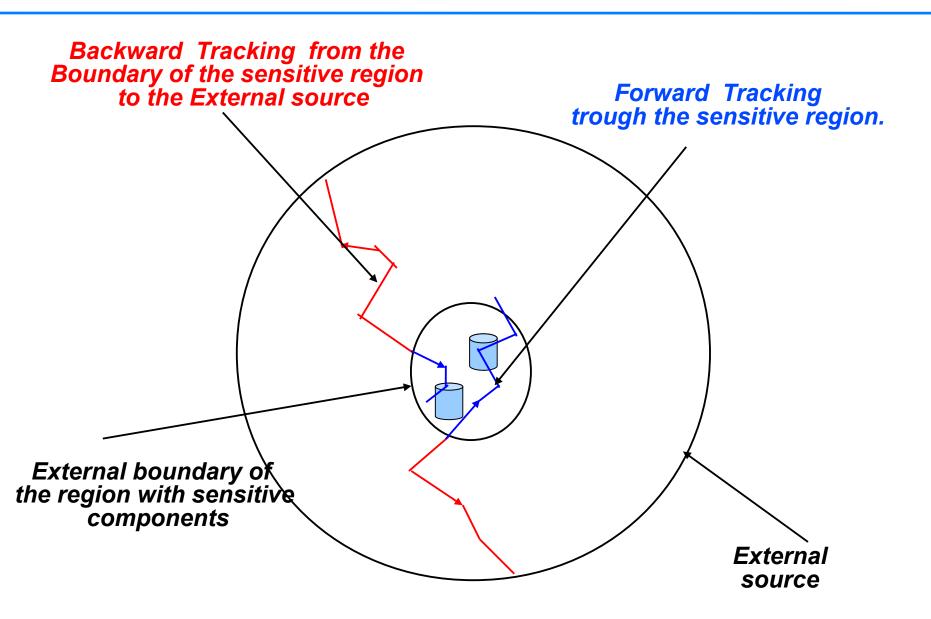
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OUTLINE

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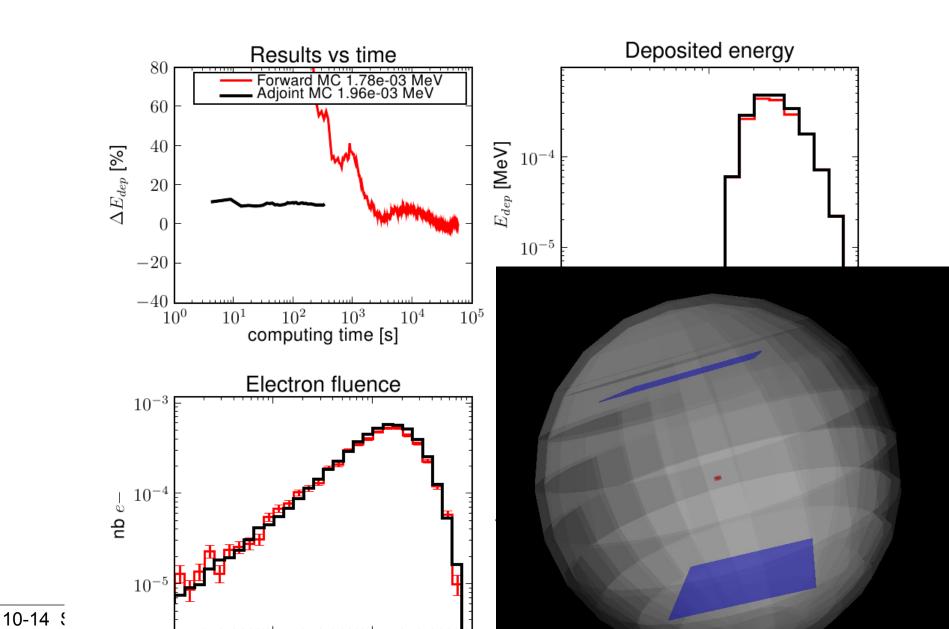
Reverse Monte Carlo in Geant4



Recent developments

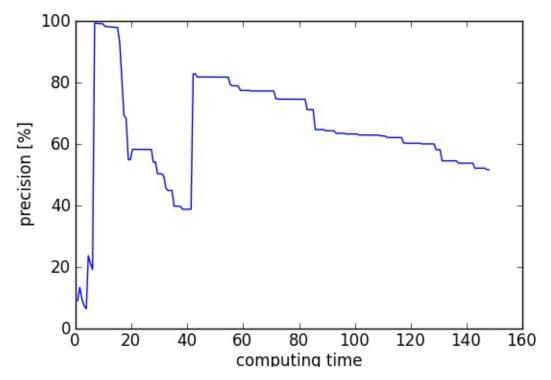
- New model of Reverse Bremsstrahlung based on G4 SeltzerBerger model has been implemented
- Problem of propagation of weight correction between two different along step do it has been solved:
 - In each "along step do it" the new weight needs to be passed to the PostStep Position rather than to the be proposed to the track
 - By this way the needed dEdX weight Correction is now correctly handled
- No longer need to specify the external surface of the adjoint tracking. Adjoint tracks are tracked till "OutOfWorld"
- Adding of point detector mode in GRAS RMC analysis
 - dose in a microscopic sphere at user defined position
 - Computation based on dEdX table
 - Plan to add this analysis in the Reverse example

Good agreement between reverse and forward for some use cases



But problems of G4RMC for some use cases

- Recently important discrepancies (50-100%) between G4 Forward and G4
 Reverse MC have been reported for some use cases
- Problem of convergence for computed dose within G4RMC

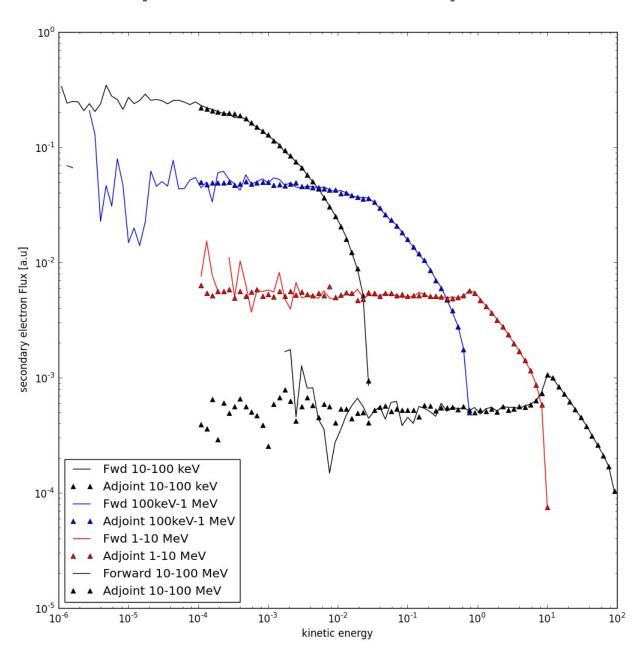


Reasons for this discrepancy under study

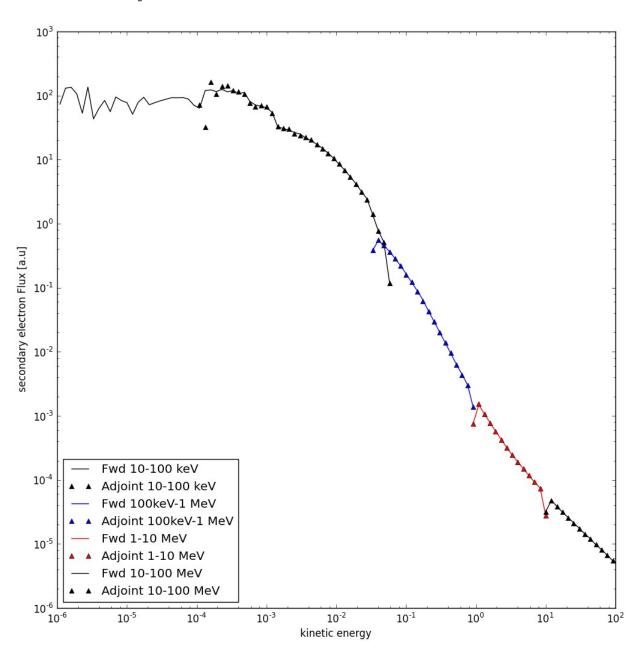
New Tests of PostStepDolt for all adjoint processes

- Forcing of the occurrence of reverse and equivalent forward process at primary vertex
- Comparisons of weighted adjoint secondary spectra to forward secondary spectra
- Allow to test:
 - sampling of secondary
 - handling of weight correction at the post step level

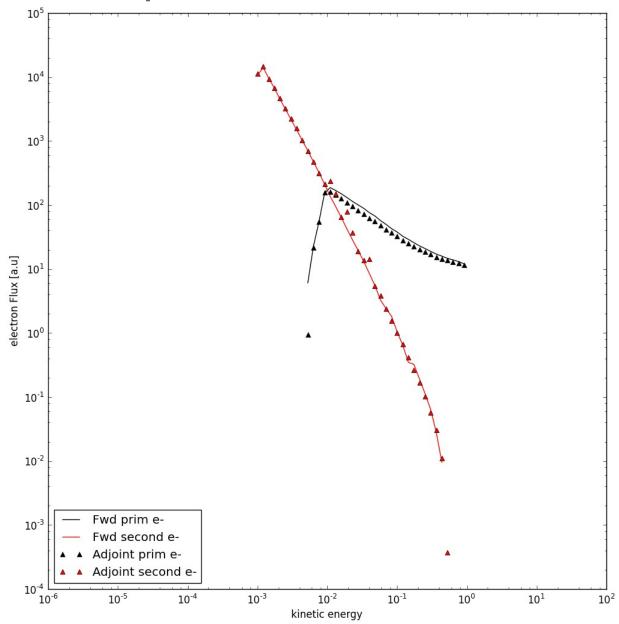
Test of PostStepDolt for Reverse Compton



Test of PostStepDolt for Reverse Photo Electric



Test of PostStepDolt for Reverse Ionisation

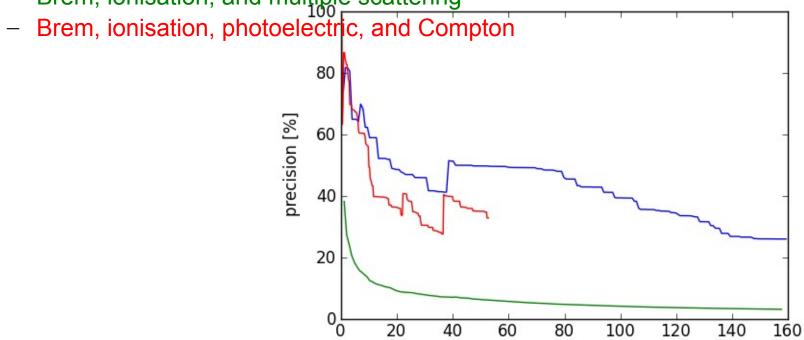


Conclusion of Post step do it tests

- Weigh correction at post step do it level correctly handled
- Secondary adjoint particles correctly sampled
- Speed of secondary sampling for adjoint processes is equivalent than for forward processes

Influence of different processes on the RMC simulation convergence

- Computation of dose behind 5 mm Al-equivalent Tantalum shielding
- Jupiter environment spectrum
- Different physics cases considered:
 - Brem, Compton, photoelectric, ionisation, multiple scattering
 - Brem, ionisation, and multiple scattering



computing time

Plans

- Better understand the effect of Multiple scattering on the simulation results
- Study the possibility to use reverse single scattering
- Find a consistent way to limit the effect of huge weight on the simulation results