

Display by time

4D Viewing

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Mpeg files

- If this presentation doesn't run on your computer
 - The movies can be downloaded from <http://www.hep.man.ac.uk/u/johna/pub/Geant4/Movies/>
 - Individual files are indicated on relevant slides
 - Get a Mac

Getting time information

- Get from track or step (see G4RichTrajectory)
 - `aTrack->GetGlobalTime()`
`aStep->GetPreStepPoint()->GetGlobalTime()`
`aStep->GetPostStepPoint()->GetGlobalTime()`
 - Accessed through `CreateAttValues` at display time in your trajectory model
- Instantiate trajectory in tracking action (see N03)
 - `MyTrackingAction::PreUserTrackingAction...`
`fpTrackingManager->SetTrajectory(new G4RichTrajectory(track))`
- Instantiate tracking action in main
 - `runManager->SetUserAction(new MyTrackingAction)`

Time slicing

- Add trajectories
 - `/vis/scene/add/trajectories`
- Create a trajectory model
 - `/vis/modeling/trajectories/create/drawByCharge`
- Specify time slice
 - `/vis/modeling/trajectories/drawByCharge-0/default/setTimeSliceInterval 0.1 ns`
 - Chops trajectory into pieces, each assigned a time range

Display by time

- Only in OpenGL stored mode (OGLS*) at present
 - `/vis/ogl/set/fade 1`
`/vis/ogl/set/displayHeadTime true`
`/vis/ogl/set/displayLightFront true -90 0 0 mm`
`/vis/ogl/set/startTime 2 ns 1 ns`
 - Specifies a time window
 - Items are displayed if their time range* and viewer's time window overlap
*Default time range is $-\infty$ to ∞ , so normal items are always drawn
- Make a loop (see `exN03Vis12/13.mac`)
 - `/control/alias timeRange 0.1`
`/control/alias dx 0.3`
`/control/loop loop.mac endTime 0 0.7 0.001`
- where `loop.mac` is
 - `/vis/viewer/pan {dx} 0 mm`
`/vis/ogl/set/endTime {endTime} ns {timeRange} ns`

exampleN03

- Activate instantiation of G4 RichTrajectory
 - `ExN03TrackingAction::PreUserTrackingAction`
- `exampleN03 visTutor/exN03Vis12.mac`
 - a) Draw by charge with trajectory points
 - b) Draw by particle ID (remove γ 's)
 - c) π - μ -e decay
- `exampleN03 visTutor/exN03Vis13.mac`
 - 10 GeV EM shower showing light front
 - Camera follows (pans) at speed of light

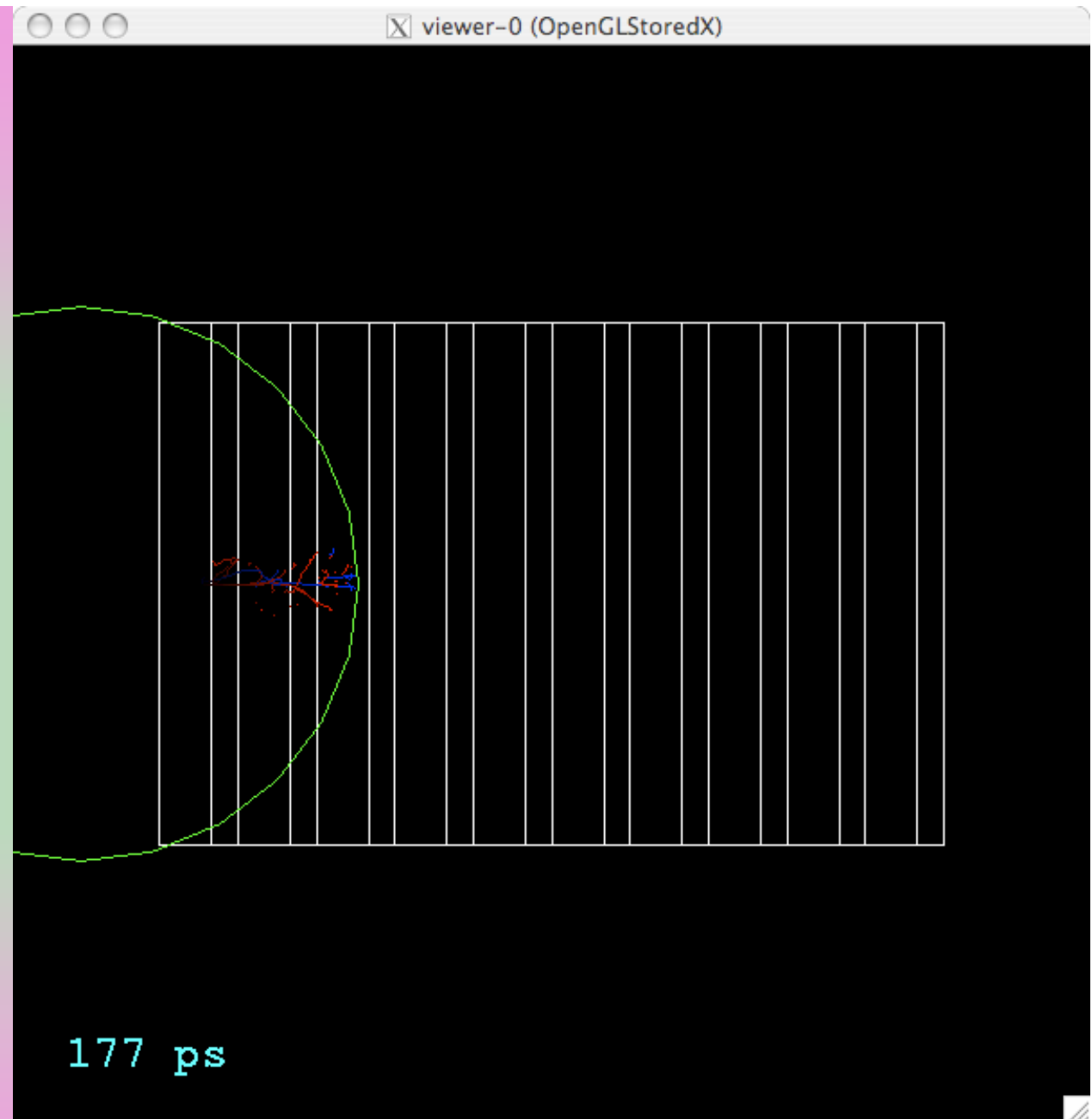
Still from

exampleN03 visTutor/
exN03Vis12.mac

1 GeV electron into
lead-liqAr
calorimeter

Demo

Unfortunately text
is lost making a
movie (a current
OpenGL→eps
“feature”)



Commands for previous demo

```
/vis/modeling/trajectories/create/drawByCharge  
/vis/modeling/trajectories/drawByCharge-0/default/setDrawStepPts true  
/vis/modeling/trajectories/drawByCharge-0/default/setStepPtsSize 5  
/vis/modeling/trajectories/drawByCharge-0/default/setDrawAuxPts true  
/vis/modeling/trajectories/drawByCharge-0/default/setAuxPtsSize 5  
/vis/modeling/trajectories/drawByCharge-0/default/setTimeSliceInterval 0.001 ns  
/run/beam On  
/vis/ogl/set/fade 1  
/vis/ogl/set/displayHeadTime true  
/control/alias timeRange 0.1  
/control/loop visTutor/exN03Vis12.loop startTime  $\{timeRange\}$  0.7 0.005
```

where visTutor/exN03Vis12.loop is

```
/vis/ogl/set/startTime {startTime} ns {timeRange} ns  
/vis/viewer/update
```


Making a movie

- **Add** `/vis/ogl/set/printEPS`
 - Writes encapsulated PostScript file on `/vis/viewer/update`
- **Makes** 1000's of eps files
 - Convert and encode as described in “Making a movie” (see parallel session)

50 MeV electron into
lead-liqAr
calorimeter

e^- red

e^+ blue

γ green

Yellow circles are
step points --
geometrical
boundaries or
physical processes

[Single50MeV.mpg](#)

QuickTime™ and a
YUV420 codec decompressor
are needed to see this picture.

10 GeV electron into
lead-liqAr calorimeter

over 800 ps

[Single10GeVSlow.mpg](#)

Gammas filtered out

```
/vis/filtering/  
trajectories/create/  
particleFilter  
/vis/filtering/  
trajectories/  
particleFilter-0/add gamma  
/vis/filtering/  
trajectories/  
particleFilter-0/  
invert true
```

Electrons red
Positrons blue

QuickTime™ and a
YUV420 codec decompressor
are needed to see this picture.

Same 10 GeV electron,
camera follows by
panning at light speed
[Single10GeVFollowed.mpg](#)

Shows light front
(wave front of light
starting at same time
and place)

```
/vis/ogl/set/  
displayLightFront true -  
90 0 0 m m
```

Time range 800 ps

QuickTime™ and a
YUV420 codec decompressor
are needed to see this picture.

100 MeV π^+

[pi+100MeVmu+e+.mpg](#)

Stops, decays to
 μ^+

Stops, dallies
(meanlife 2 μ s),
decays to e^+

Annihilates to
gamma-gamma

Compton
scattering

Duration 4 μ s
Thursday, October 12,
2006

QuickTime™ and a
YUV420 codec decompressor
are needed to see this picture.

10 GeV π^-

[pi-10GeVEMShower.mpg](#)

N04 hadronic physics

Interacts early
(potential confusion
with EM shower)

Produces EM shower,
presumably via charge
exchange to $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

Neutrons also
produced

π^+ magenta

π^- cyan

n yellow

ν green

Others grey

Duration 2 ns

QuickTime™ and a
YUV420 codec decompressor
are needed to see this picture.

10 GeV π^-
[pi-10GeVNeutrons.mpg](#)

N04 hadronic
physics

Produces neutron
chain reaction

γ filtered
e⁻ red
e⁺ blue
 π^+ magenta
 π^- cyan
n yellow
 ν green
Others grey

Duration 2 ns

QuickTime™ and a
YUV420 codec decompressor
are needed to see this picture.

Another 10

GeV π^-

[pi-10Gevpi+neutron](#)

[SideView.mp4](#)

3 fast π^-

π^+ interaction

3 ns

Mpeg4 encoding
with QuickTime Pro

QuickTime™ and a
decompressor
are needed to see this picture.

Same

[pi-10Gevpi+neutron](#)

[Zoom.mp4](#)

Perspective
view

Slow zoom

Detector
drawing
suppressed

3 ns

QuickTime™ and a
decompressor
are needed to see this picture.

Demo

Future directions?

- Add interaction (4D flying!)
 - Movie player controls for OGLSxm and Open Inventor
- Add sound?

Conclusions

- Time slicing and display by time are great new features of the Geant4 Visualisation System
- Understand troublesome backgrounds
- Design detectors and electronics for better discrimination of particle types
- Educational tool