Sessions

V: Physics Lists – Documentation X: Configure / Testing

Session V: Physics Lists – Documentation

- Working session
- Goal: agree upon and draft Physics Lists documentation pages
 - Based on what was agreed at Kobe
 - Using google sites, users can be allowed to edit subpages
- Achieved to create http://sites.google.com/site/g4physicslisttest
- Still a lot of work to be done, aiming at December

Session X: Configure / Testing

- Two presentations
- B.Morgan: Replacing the Geant4 Build System with Modern Tools
- G.Folger: System Integration Testing

Replacing the Geant4 Build System with Modern Tools

27: Summary

- Geant4 Metaconfig/Make buildsystem has to be replaced in near term
 - Metaconfig has increasing issues, and is OBSOLETE.
- · Evaluation of modern build tools has identified CMake as the current best option
 - Scons evaluation will continue at low level.
- Prototype Geant4 CMake build available
 - http://www2.warwick.ac.uk/fac/sci/physics/staff/research/bmorgan/geant4/geant4-9.2.1.tar.bz2
- Brings many nice features for developers/users interface, dependencies, packaging
- Discussion needed in Collaboration on adoption and workplan.

System integration testing

- Over the last 18 month STT replaced tinderbox and related scripts by SPI nightly build system
 - Tinderbox difficult to understand and maintain
 - SPI nightlies run on Linux, Mac and Windows
 - SPI nightlies use QMtest for testing
 - Allowed to handle tests, examples,...
 - Allowed to increase number of test cases, now close to 90 test are run, this number is increasing
 - Transition transparent for developers