



Status and Progress in Standard EM

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MAIN DEVELOPMENTS/FIXES FOR 10.4

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Materials update for EM physics

- Thread safe creation of NIST materials
 - G4Material, G4Element, G4Isotope are shared between threads
 - Normally should be created in master thread at G4State_PreInit
 - There are use cases when a material is created by worker thread
 - Various tests
 - Usage of Geant4 sub-libraries without G4MTRunManager
- Locks are included to avoid data race in the MT mode
 - G4NistManager, G4Material, G4IonisParamMat
 - Does not really affect “normal” users
- Optimisation of G4MaterialPropertyTable (Soon Yung Jun)
 - Additionally to manipulation with strings added enumerators of properties
 - Substantial speed up for optical photon simulation
 - We preserve old slow interface but will remove it in the next release
- New interfaces are added in ref-08 allowing user defined density effect parameterisation (Jira requirement SIM-695)
 - Should be defined together with geometry
 - G4Material::GetIonisation()>SetDensityEffectParameters(
 G4double cd, G4double md, G4double ad, G4double x0, G4double x1, G4double x2);
 - G4Material::GetIonisation()->SetDensityEffectParameters(
 const G4Material* base_mat);

Standard EM update

- Improved version of Urban msc model (L.Urban)
 - Including fix for low-energy antiproton transport (H. Holmestad)
- Mott corrections to the GS model of multiple scattering (M.Novak)
- Updated implementation of Mott corrections to single scattering model (M.Tacconi)
- Restored functionality of G4WentzelVIRelModel (V.Ivanchenko)
- New interface to triplet production for bremsstrahlung (A.Bagulya), gamma conversion, positron annihilation (V.Ivanchenko)
- Nuclear stopping fixed (HyperNews #1595) (V.Ivanchenko)
- Fixed gamma conversion sampling below 50 MeV (V.Ivanchenko)
- Low-energy limit for cut for PAI models for precise simulation of gaseous detectors (D.Pfeiffer)
 - We know better now the limitations of the PAI model
- Review and update of gamma->mumu process (A.Sokolov)
- Fixed LPM effect parameterization for pair production (M.Novak, F.Hariri)

Livermore model extensions for HEP applications

- G4LivermorePhotoeffectModel was revised (M.Bandieramonte)
 - It is the most accurate Geant4 photoeffect model
 - The goal of this work is to use updated data, try to speedup the model keeping accuracy
 - Data structure and sampling algorithm are improved
 - Angular generator is optimized
 - Optimization took ~6 months
 - This allows to use this model in the default (Opt0) Physics List
 - A small CPU penalty for LHC applications (< 1%)
- Triplet production in gamma conversion was firstly developed by F.Longo and G.Depaolo
 - We use this model as a prototype to develop a general scheme of triplet production for all EM sub-libraries
- There is ATLAS request to implement polarized gamma conversion for detailed Higgs physics study
 - The request is not yet well justified
 - We already extended technical upper limit of Livermore polarization models to 100 TeV
 - We need common efforts between standard and low-energy working group in 2018 to improve polarized EM physics
- At previous week User Workshop D.Bernard reported comparisons between HELAS and EGS FORTRAN models versus Geant4 models
 - We have fixed few trivial issues in standard and Livermore gamma conversion
 - Improved sampling of final state should be a development goal in 2018

EM Physics Lists

- Continue developments of combined physics lists configuration
 - Completely split out DNA configuration by adding G4EmDNAPhysicsActivator
 - G4EmModelActivator has not anymore anything from DNA
 - Introduced SS physics per region
- Adding Rayleigh scattering and Livermore photo-effect model into the default (Opt0) physics
 - Soon about 1 % CPU degradation for Higgs sample with the old Livermore model
 - In ref-09 we will switch to the updated Livermore model
- Adding GS e+- scattering model to Opt4 below 100 MeV
 - It is important for many (including HEP) applications
- Extended Livermore polarized models applicability to 100 TeV (ATLAS requirement)
 - This is only technical extension, physics must be verified
 - Switch to polarized physics should be implemented via in 2018
 - First for Livermore physics

EM infrastructure updates

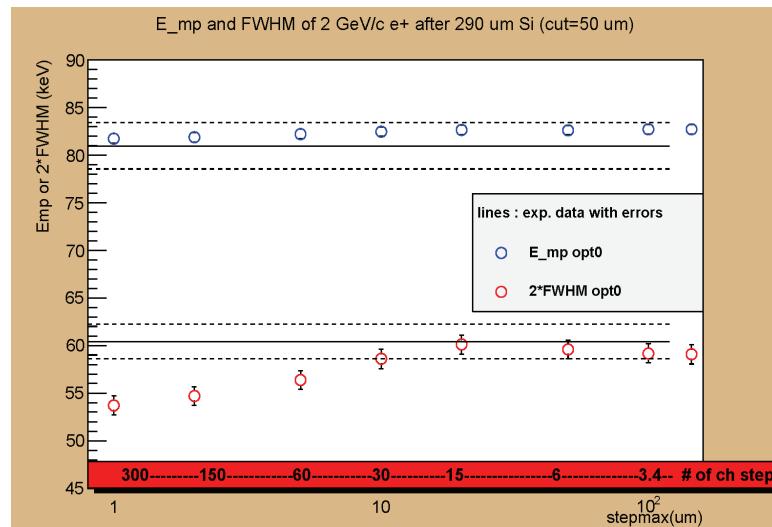
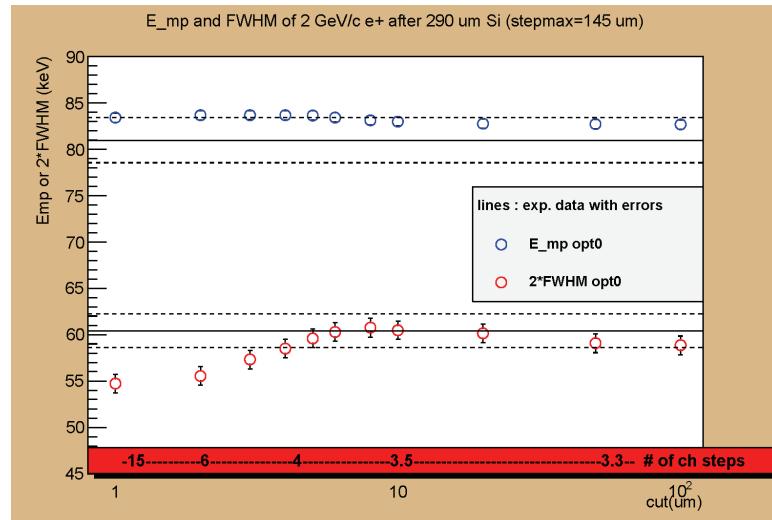
- Added protected interfaces to muon/hadron bremsstrahlung and pair production models
 - allowing usage of inheritance for easy creation dark matter particle interactions
- Extended list of G4EmParameters and corresponding UI commands
 - Mott corrections may be enabled via UI
- S. Elles has cleaned up and migrated to MT several examples and tests:
 - GammaTherapy, FanoCavity, FanoCavity2, test53, test54, test55, test56, monopole
- A.Bagulya has performed migrations of EM testing suite
 - Build with cmake instead of gmake
 - Tests from verification are included in CDASH for nightly and CVMFS
 - Many scripts changed from C-shell to python
 - Checked migration from ROOT5 to ROOT6
 - Few tests yet left to be fixed in 2018
 - Web access and data storage to be migrated from afs in 2018
- V.Grichine has added dmparticle extended example
- A new dataset G4EMLOW7.1 is prepared for 10.4
 - Is not backward compatible for GS and the Livermore photo-effect



FLUCTUATIONS OF ENERGY LOSS

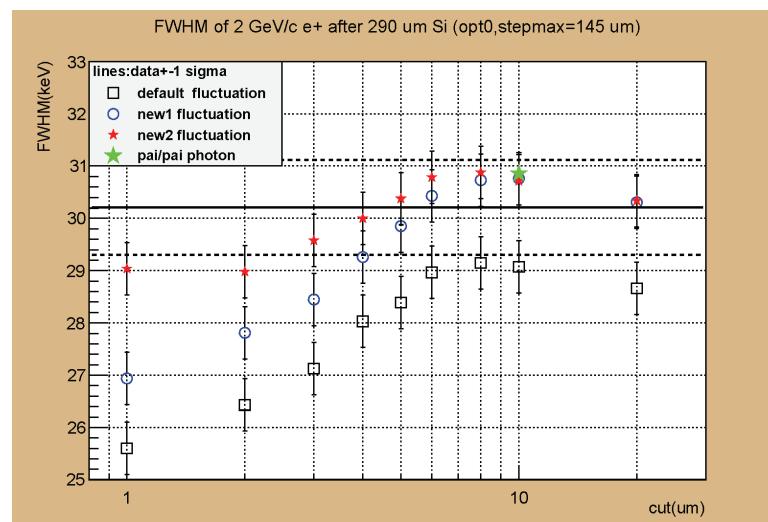
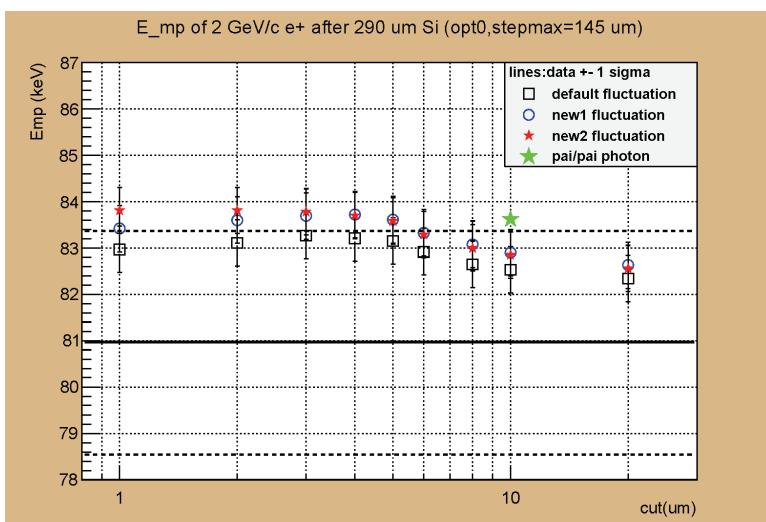
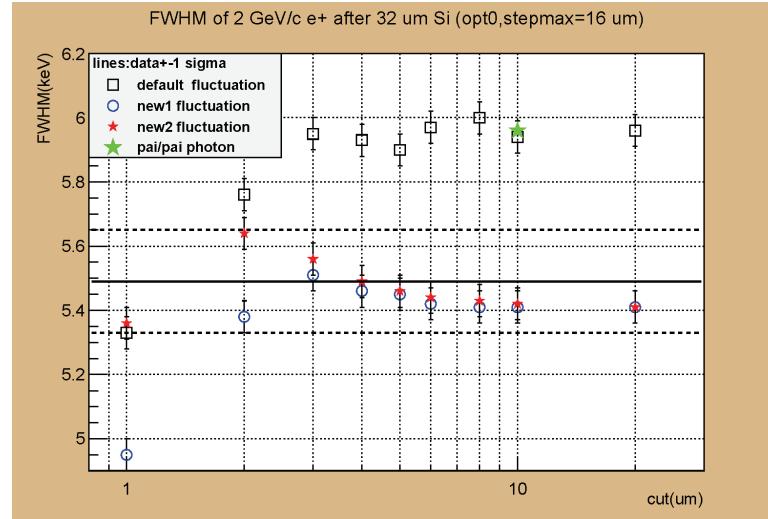
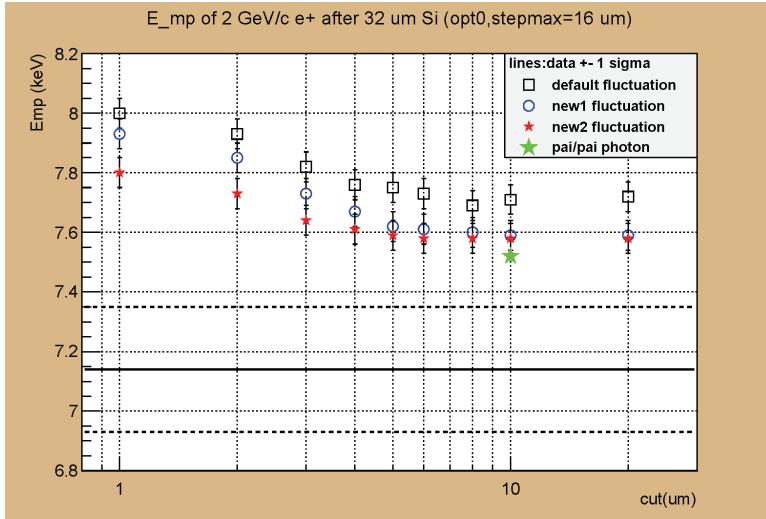
Where is a problem?

- Many use cases when tiny steps of charged particles are used
 - CMS upgrade EE and FH calorimeters will use thin Silicon detectors
 - Calice examine various variants of high granular calorimeters
 - Some users tries out SS models in order to have accurate tracking
 - GS model with error free stepping
- Simulation results should be stable versus cut or step limit change
 - These plots demonstrate problems of Urban model
- L.Urban was working in 2017 to improve his model of fluctuations
 - We tried several variants of improved parameterizations on top of 10.3
 - These days a new version of tuning committed after ref-08 is under testing
 - Today a new tag with a “final” variant for 10.4 is proposed



L. Urban plots for cut/step dependence of the 10.3 model

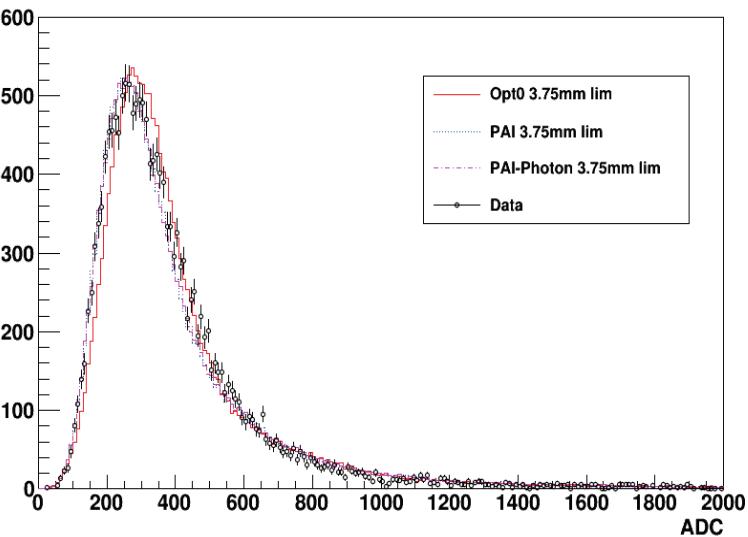
Recent tuning by L.Urbán



ALICE TPC benchmark

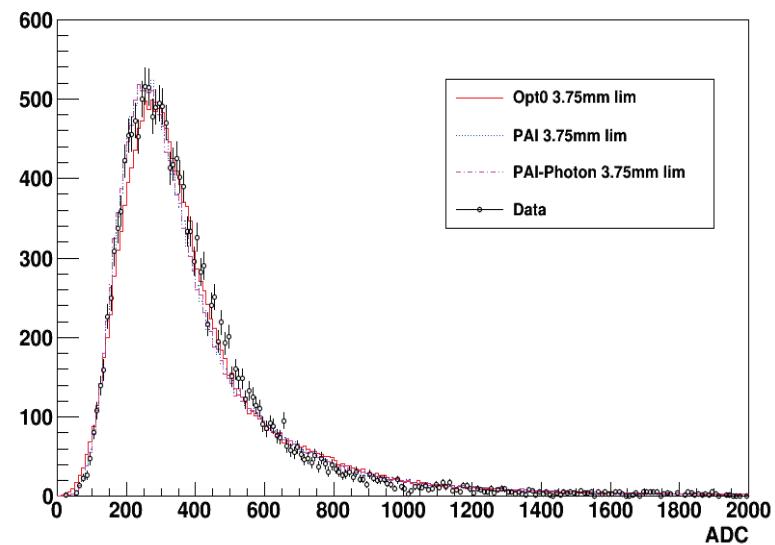
10.3p02

Energy deposition in ADC for 1 GeV/c p in 7.5 mm gap, G4 10.3p02



10.3ref08+

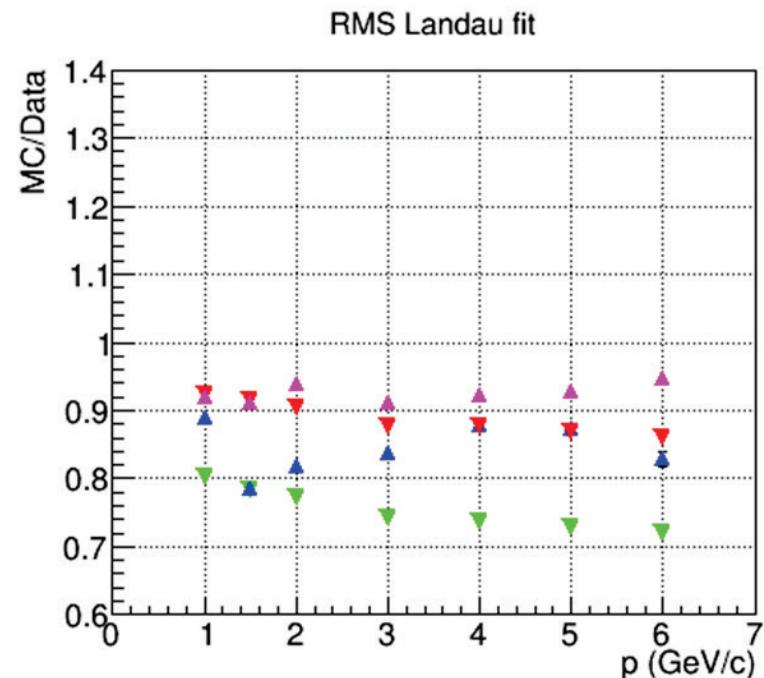
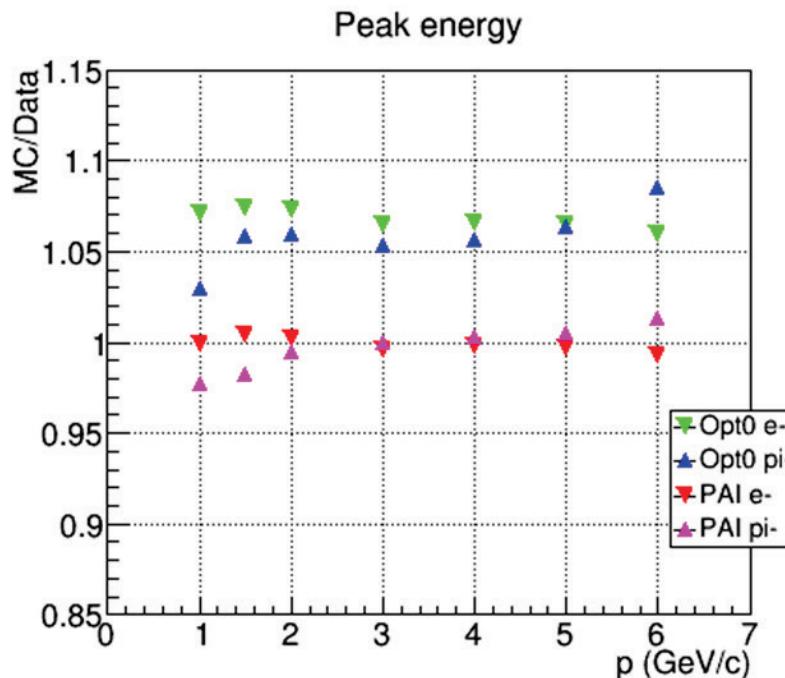
Energy deposition in ADC for 1 GeV/c p in 7.5 mm gap, G4 10.3ref09



- Light TPC gas Ne + CO₂
- The updated model reproduce results well

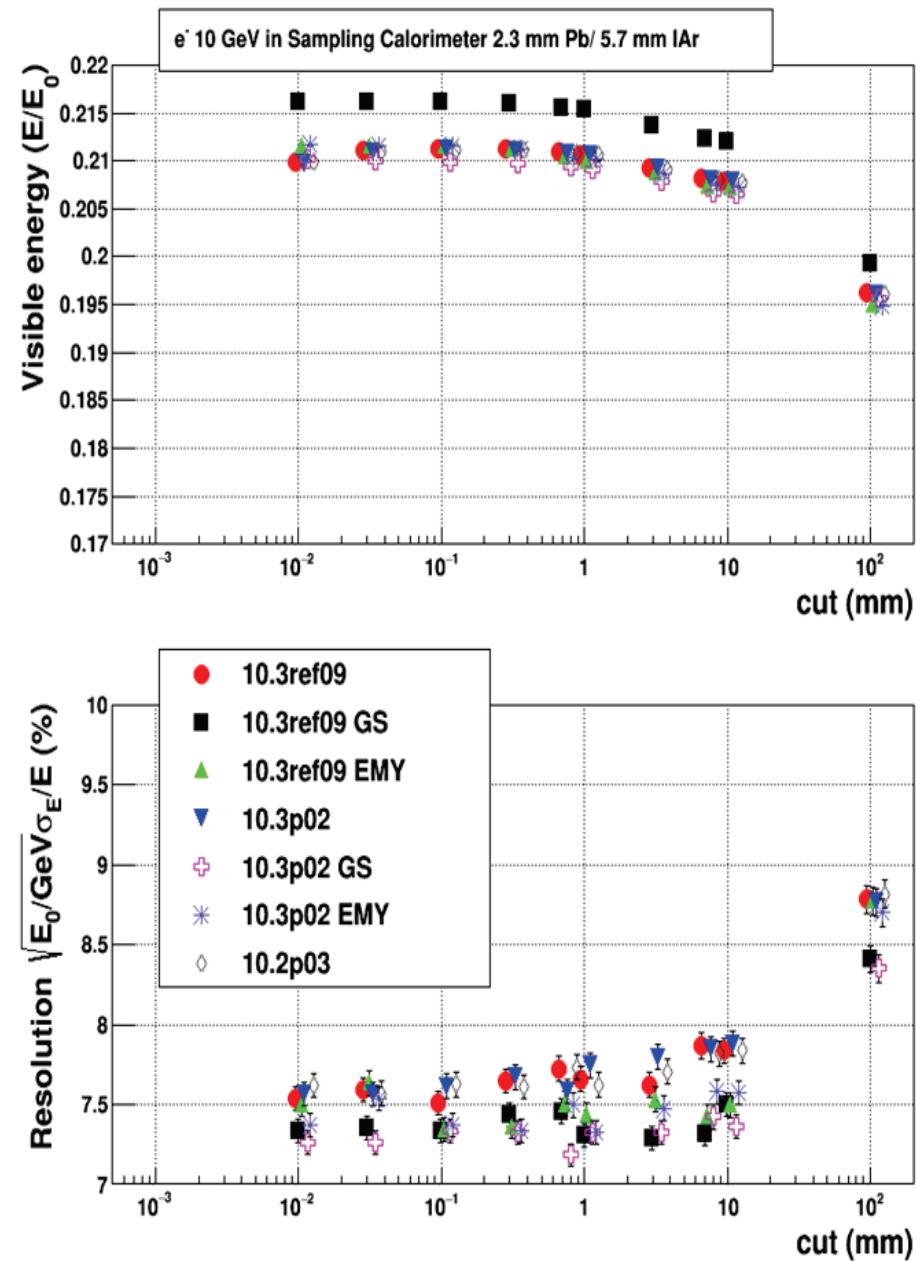
ALICE TRD benchmark for 10.3ref08+

- “Heavy” gaseous mixture based on Xe
- Normalization of PAI model peak at one point
 - PAI peak fit the data within 2%
 - Urban model overestimates the peak for 6%
 - No momentum dependence
- There is an extra factor for width not predicted by simulation
 - Detector response may provide extra smearing factor
 - PAI model underestimate the width for 10%
 - Urban model is less stable and is below in general
- Results with updated Urban model are compatible with 10.3



Simplified ATLAS barrel calorimeter

- Results with 10.3ref08+ of the Urban fluctuation model
 - Today “last” tuning is committed
- Visible energy is stable for Urban msc model
- For new GS visible energy overestimated
- Resolution for EMY and GS is slightly improved
 - Is more close to Opt0 results which are acceptable for LHC detectors



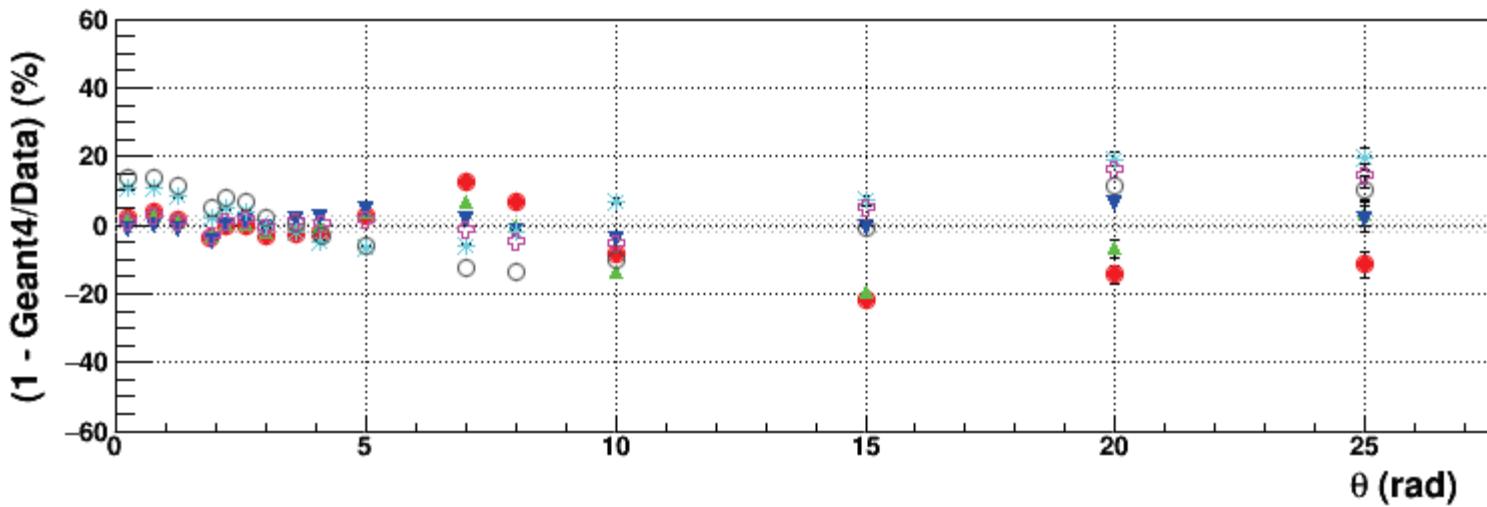
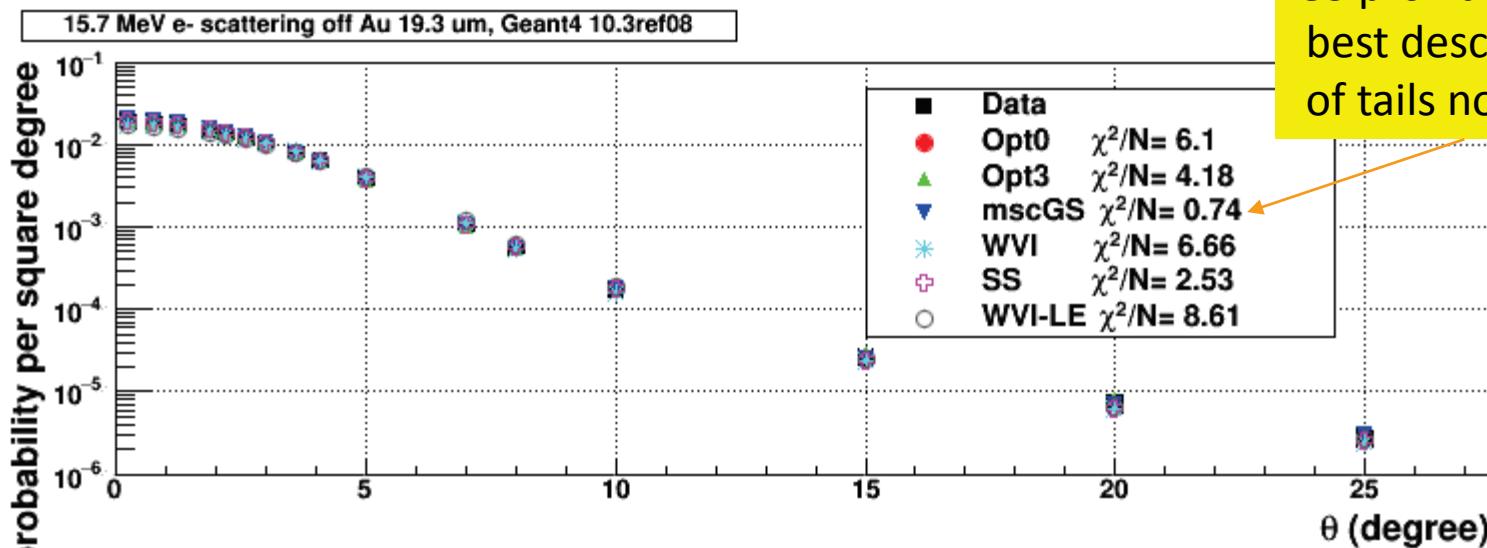


MOTT CORRECTIONS TO e^+e^- ELASTIC SCATTERING

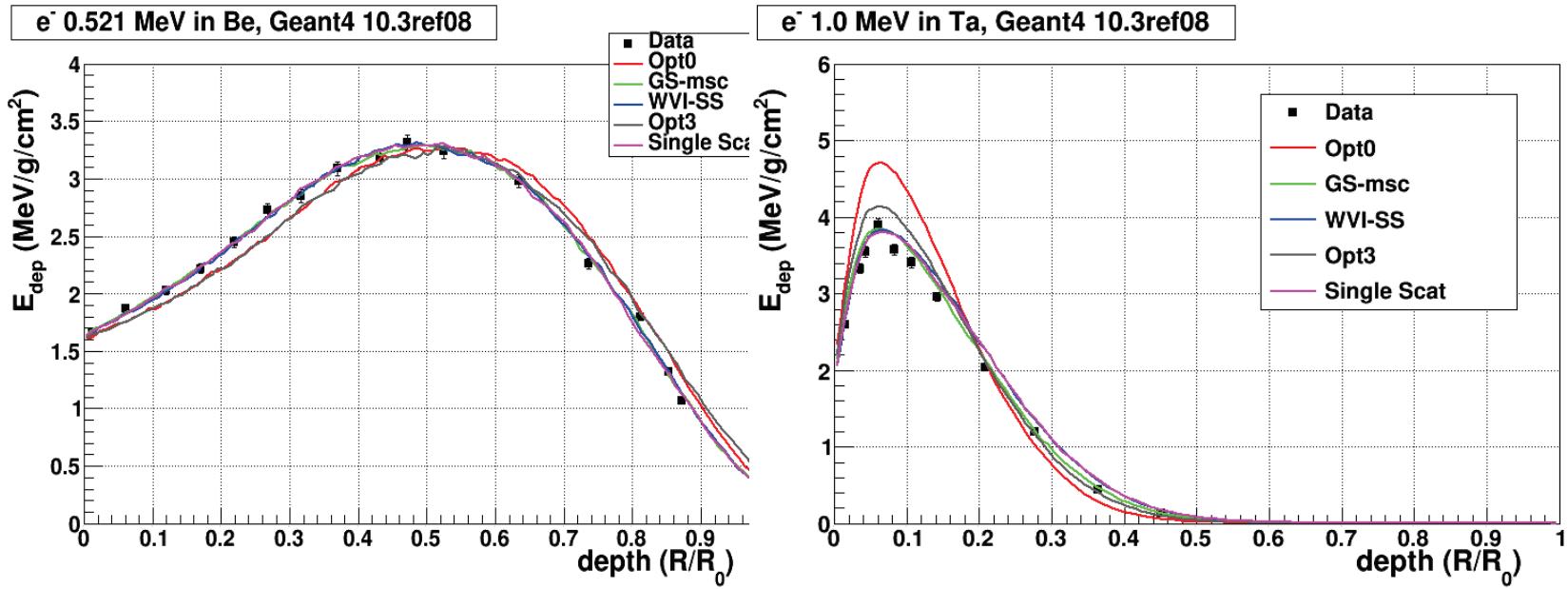
Mott corrections to electron/positron scattering

- Mauro Tacconi was working on single scattering model for several years in the framework of NIEL computations for space applications
 - The version of the model with Mott corrections was 100 times slower than standard single scattering in 10.3
 - For ref-08 he has added more sophisticated algorithm of sampling and now this model has compatible speed with the standard model
- Mihaly Novak has developed the new version of the GS model for ref-08 (see talk at the parallel session)
 - See details in the Mihaly talk at parallel session
 - Difficulty to introduce Mott correction into the multiple scattering are more serious than that for a single scattering model
 - He has resolved problems by addition of extra data
 - G4EMLOW7.1 is larger for ~ 20 M
 - Extra data for Mott corrections are in zip format
- In the next reference tag the updated GS model will be used in Opt4 EM physics

Hanson data for electron scattering off Gold target



Energy deposition in semi-infinite media (Sandia data)

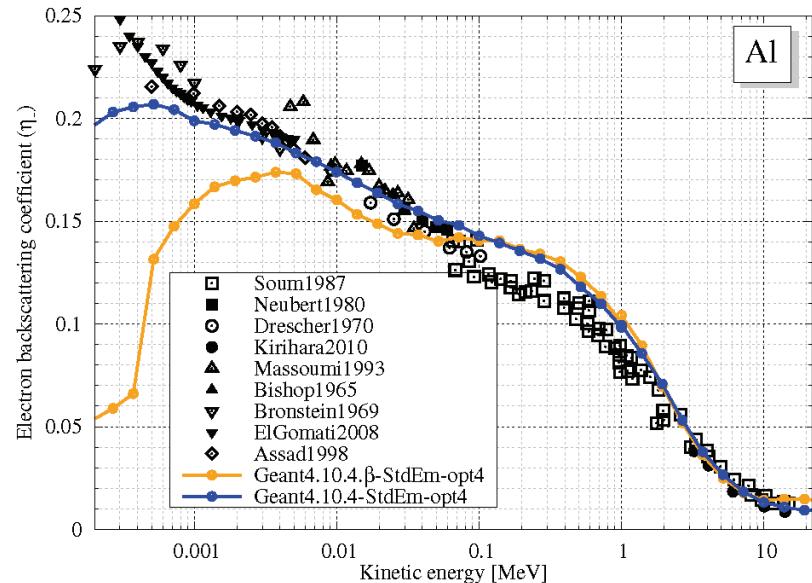


- GS model describe now data for both low-density and high density data as WVI and SS models
 - This test directly couples with the problem of accurate simulation of electron transport in sampling calorimeters

Backscattering test (M.Novak)

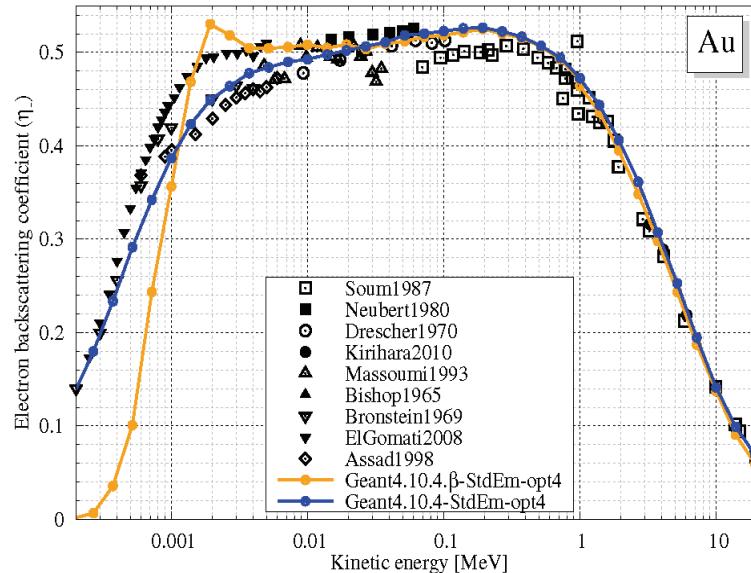
10.4beta – Urban model in Opt4

10.3ref09 – GS model in Opt4



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Backscattering description below 10 keV is improved significantly
This is essential for many applications including HEP (high granular calorimeters)

Few remarks

- For many years experts were saying that the golden standard for electron/positron MC simulation are EGS and Penelope
 - The work made by Mihaly and reported at the parallel session also demonstrate that EGS and Penelope high quality results are obtained in specific conditions with special options enabled
 - Very small steps and detailed algorithms of scattering
 - These regimes are far from the default and needs huge CPU
- Long ago we started Opt4 as a configuration which «the most accurate EM physics»
 - With the recent Mihaly result we can start to speak about Geant4 «golden standard» simulation
- Few words about history:
 - GS work has been introduced by Omrane Kadri for Geant4 9.3 and published in 2009
 - Mihaly completely revised the model for 10.2
 - Now Mihaly provides this new update for 10.4
 - GS needs to be tuned not only for «most accurate» simulation but also for HEP users
 - This should be a part of 2018 work plan
- One can see that Geant4 is mature enough and any real improvement of physics requires big efforts, accumulation of expertise and time
 - We need to have this in mind when plan our activity
 - We need explain this fact to management (finding agencies)
 - This is valid not only for EM but also for other physics



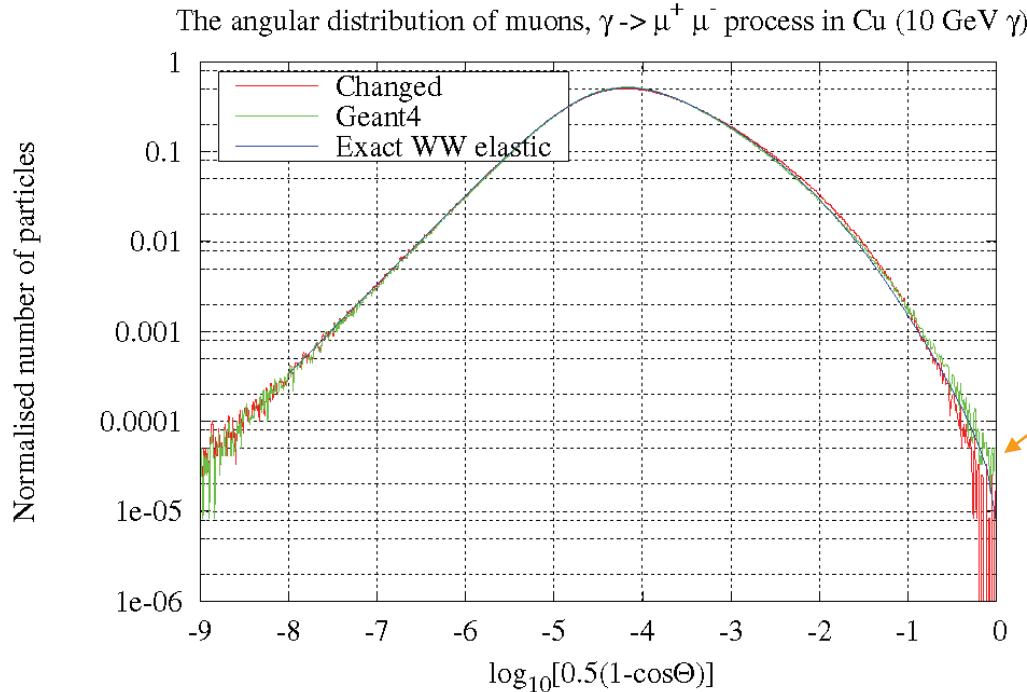
DEVELOPMENTS FOR DARK MATTER SEARCH EXPERIMENTS

Requirements for EM physics by new dark matter search experiments

- After Higgs discovery there are intensive discussion on possible experiments for dark matter search
- Currently, several fix target experiments are under consideration or are already started
 - For example, new experiment at CERN SPS Ship
- These new fix target experiments are focused on search of light objects which have very weak interaction with normal particles
 - Geant4 is used for designing new facilities
- **EM physics is an important component**
 - Diagrams for production and interaction of light dark matter particles are similar to normal EM diagrams
 - EM processes are responsible for background in these searches

Validation of process $\gamma \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$

CERN summer student project (A.Sokolov)



Large angle muons
may be a background
matter particles
important for Ship
experiment design

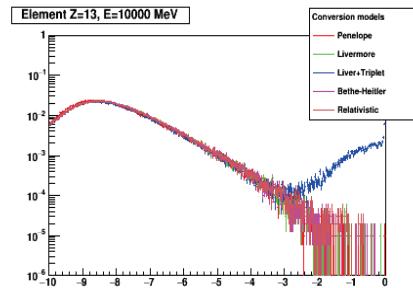
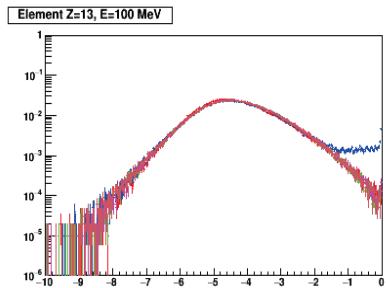
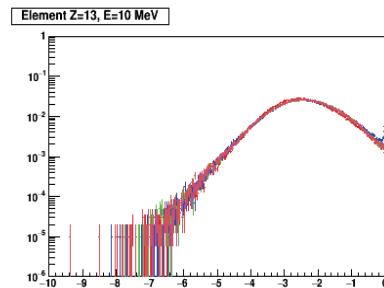
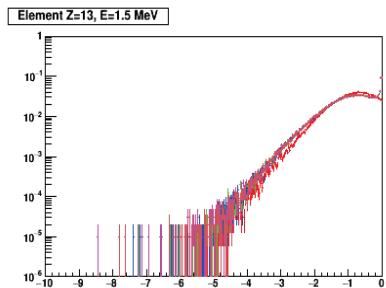
- Total cross section were verified using numerical integration and accuracy was confirmed within 3%
- Improved expression for the elastic form-factor was introduced
 - There are no differences at high energies ~ 100 GeV
 - Some differences at ~ 10 GeV

Triplet production interface

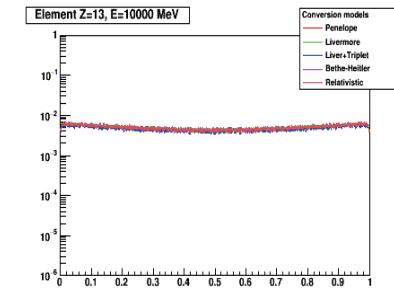
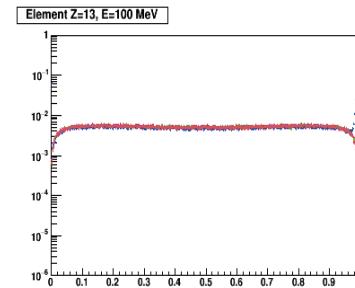
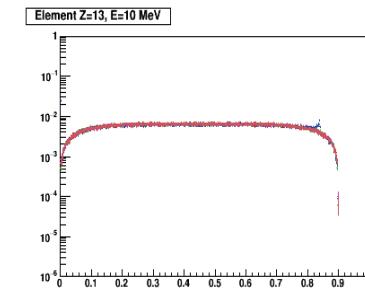
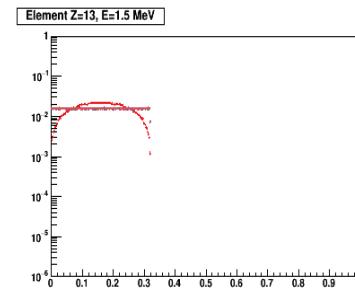
- Triplets production is a background:
 - Bremsstrahlung $e^- \rightarrow e^-e^-\gamma$
 - Gamma conversion $\gamma \rightarrow e^+e^-e^-$
 - Positron annihilation $e^+e^- \rightarrow 3\gamma$
- `G4VEmModel::SetTripletModel(G4VEmModel*)`
 - Can be called in Physics List
- `G4VEmModel* G4VEmModel::GetTripletModel()`
 - Can be used in run time
- `G4BoldyshevTripletModel` (G. Depaola) is the only existing model
 - It was used to validate general scheme

Test of G4BoldyshevTripletModel

Angular distribution of main e+,e-



Energy spectra of main e+-



Triplet interface is working fine but
The sampling algorithm should be checked and verified
We need verify and improve sub-models

Summary

- Planned developments for 10.4 is completed in general, main improvements:
 - GS model
 - Photo-effect model
 - Urban model of fluctuations
 - New triplet interface
 - Extended interface to define physics versus G4Region
 - Density effect parameterization extended
- Problems for 2018
 - Triplet production model
 - Polarization models
 - Fluctuation of energy loss for tiny steps