

Highlights on Advanced Topics

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This is not the end...

- As said on the first day, most applications require data-cards only, exploiting the FLUKA built-in capacities
- Sometimes, more is needed...
- Template User Routines are provided in **\$FLUPRO/usermvax**
- Routines can be modified by the user to fit his input/output needs
- All shared parameters and variables (in COMMON blocks) are located in \$FLUPRO/flukapro
- We'll give here some hints of what can be done, more can be found in the manual, in the fluka-discuss archive, or...

at the next FLUKA advanced course and workshop dates and venue not yet defined

Implementing customized beam distributions - 1



Implementing customized beam distributions - 2 Input card: SOURCE Template user routine: *\$FLUPRO/usermvax/source.f* source, f must be linked in one's own executable ! It is possible to sample beam particle position, direction, and energy from an external file or a distribution It is possible to assign different weights to primary particles It is possible to load reaction products in the same primary history several sampling routines already exist in the FLUKA code (e.g. Gaussian) Input parameters can be passed via the SOURCE card

a BEAM card with a momentum/energy higher than the maximum one is still needed for initialization purposes (to define the tabulation limit) 4

Implementing magnetic field - 1

CERN Neutrino to Gran Sasso



The two magnetic lenses (blue in the sketch) align positive mesons towards the Decay tunnel, so that neutrinos from the decay are directed to Gran Sasso, 730~km away Negative mesons are deflected away The lenses have a finite energy/angle acceptance



Implementing magnetic field - 2 Input card: ASSIGNMA Template user routine: \$FLUPRO/usermvax/magfld.f magfld.f must be linked in one's own executable ! Magnetic field intensity in the CNGS horn [T] 1.8 [cm] 40 1.6 1.4 A \approx 150kA current, 20 1.2 pulsed, circulates through the Inner 0.8 and 0.6 -20 Outer 0.4 conductors 0.2 -40 The field is toroidal, n $B \div 1/R$ 200 400 600 800 1000 [cm]

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Implementing magnetic field - 3



Input card: USERDUMP Template user routine: \$FLUPRO/usermvax/mgdraw.f mgdraw.f must be linked in one's own executable !

It is possible to get particle trajectories and (continuous and local) energy losses

It is possible to access information at each boundary crossing, particle step, energy deposition event, interaction It is possible to look at reaction products

Implementing customized scoring

Input card: USERWEIG

Template user routines: \$FLUPRO/usermvax/<u>fluscw.f</u> (for fluence scoring) \$FLUPRO/usermvax/<u>comscw.f</u> (for density-like scoring)

???scw.f must be linked in one's own executable !

It is possible to apply a user defined weight (even zero) to deposited energy, residual nuclei, etc.

It is possible to extract information about the particles involved (and dump it into a file)

Implementing customized flags

No input card Template user routines: **\$FLUPRO/usermvax/stupre.f** (for e.m. particles) **\$FLUPRO/usermvax/stuprf.f** (for other particles)

stupr?.f must be linked in one's own executable !

It is possible to keep track of particles properties like its origin



Implementing region independent importance biasing

Input card: **BIASING** Template user routine: **\$FLUPRO/usermvax/<u>usimbs.f</u>**

usimbs.f must be linked in one's own executable !

It is call at every step in user-selected regions and allows to change the importance of a particle independently from the region

It doesn't require to segment the geometry in many regions to use region importance biasing

It can be time-consuming in implementation and CPU-time

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