

Status of CEPC Software and Computing

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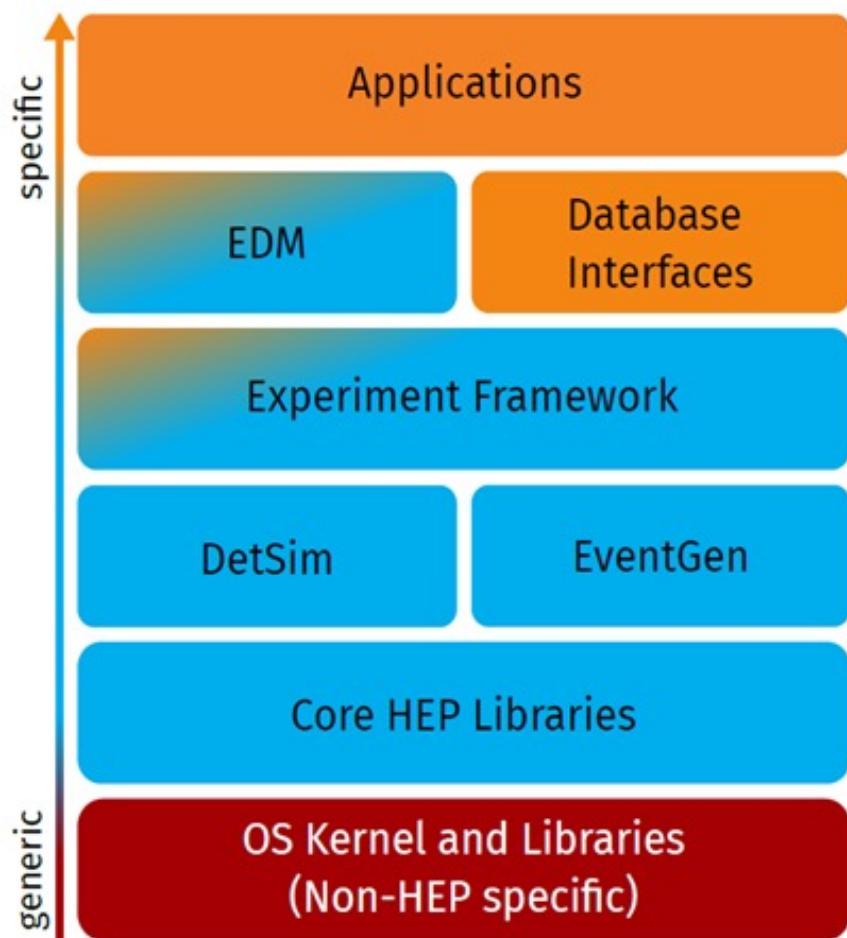
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Introduction



From Thomas Madlener,
Epiphany Conference 2021

❖ The Key4hep is being developed to provide a common software stack for CEPC, CLIC, FCC and ILC experiments:

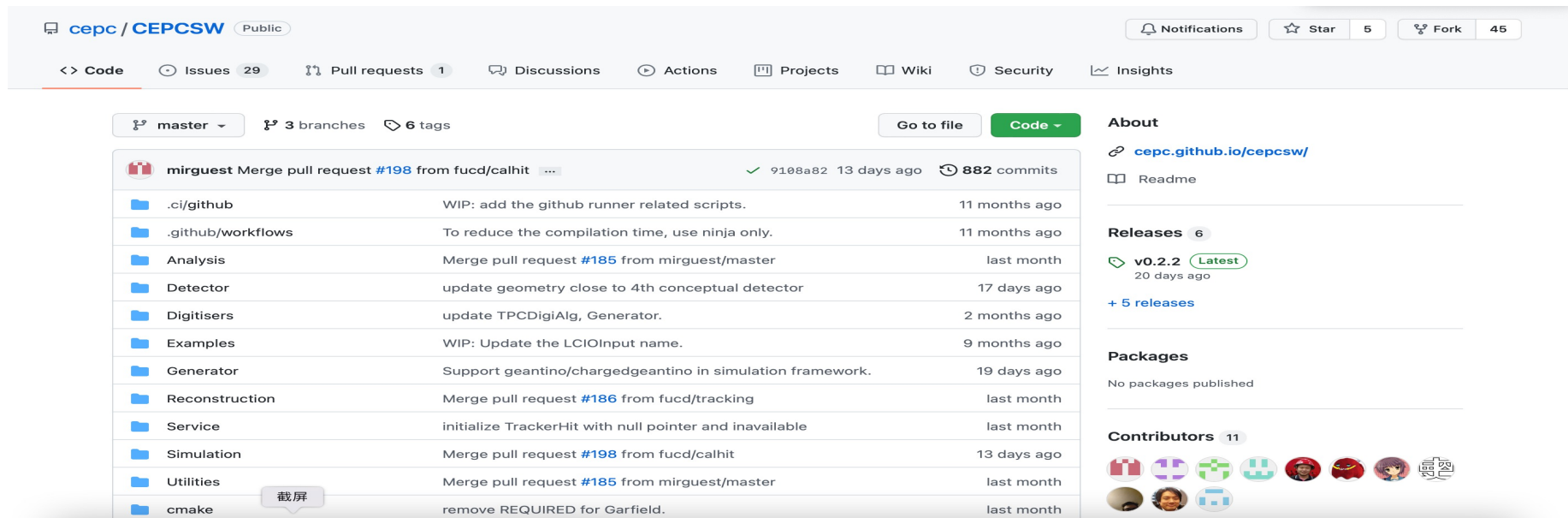
- Application layer of modules/algorithms/processors performing physics task
- Data access and representation layer
- Experiment core orchestration layer
 - (Marlin, Gaudi, CMSSW, ...)
- Specific components reused by many experiments
 - (DD4hep, Delphes, Pythia, ...)
- Core HEP libraries
 - (ROOT, Geant4, CLHEP, ...)
- Commonly used tools and libraries
 - (Python, CMake, boost, ...)

❖ IHEP and SDU are involved in Key4hep development as non-EU members.

❖ The CEPC software (CEPCSW) will be fully integrated with the Key4hep to share software with other future experiments.

Development environment

- ❖ C++ 17 and Python 3 are the main programming languages
- ❖ Operation system used is CentOS 7
- ❖ GitHub is chosen as the source code repository: <https://github.com/cepc/CEPCSW/>
- ❖ The pull-request mechanism is used to synchronize all developers' work.
- ❖ The quick start can be found at: <https://cepc.github.io/CEPCSW/quickstart.html>.



The screenshot shows the GitHub repository page for `cepc/CEPCSW`. The repository is public and has 5 stars and 45 forks. The main navigation includes Code, Issues (29), Pull requests (1), Discussions, Actions, Projects, Wiki, Security, and Insights. The repository structure is as follows:

Folder	Description	Last Commit
<code>.ci/github</code>	WIP: add the github runner related scripts.	11 months ago
<code>.github/workflows</code>	To reduce the compilation time, use ninja only.	11 months ago
<code>Analysis</code>	Merge pull request #185 from mirquest/master	last month
<code>Detector</code>	update geometry close to 4th conceptual detector	17 days ago
<code>Digitisers</code>	update TPCDigiAlg, Generator.	2 months ago
<code>Examples</code>	WIP: Update the LCIOInput name.	9 months ago
<code>Generator</code>	Support geantino/chargedgeantino in simulation framework.	19 days ago
<code>Reconstruction</code>	Merge pull request #186 from fucd/tracking	last month
<code>Service</code>	initialize TrackerHit with null pointer and inavailable	last month
<code>Simulation</code>	Merge pull request #198 from fucd/calhit	13 days ago
<code>Utilities</code>	Merge pull request #185 from mirquest/master	last month
<code>cmake</code>	remove REQUIRED for Garfield.	last month

The repository also features a merge pull request #198 from `fucd/calhit` with 882 commits, and 6 releases, with the latest release being `v0.2.2` from 20 days ago. There are 11 contributors listed.

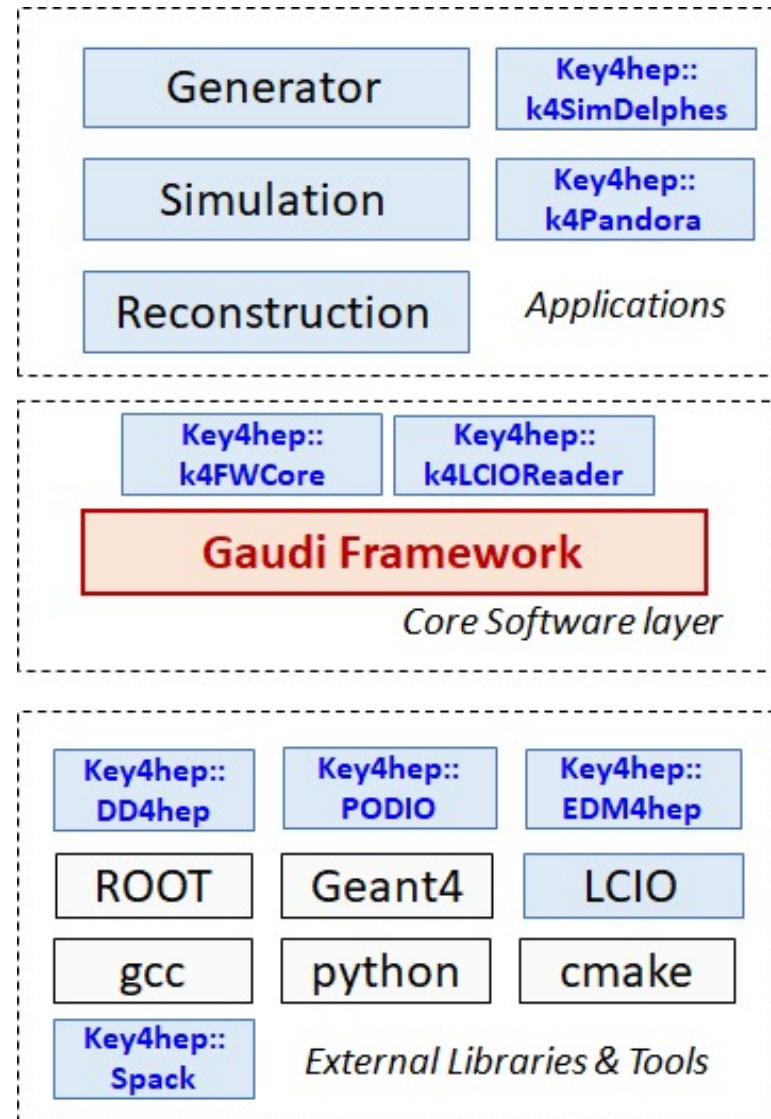
CEPCSW core software

❖ CEPCSW software structure

- Core software
- Applications: simulation, reconstruction and analysis
- External libraries

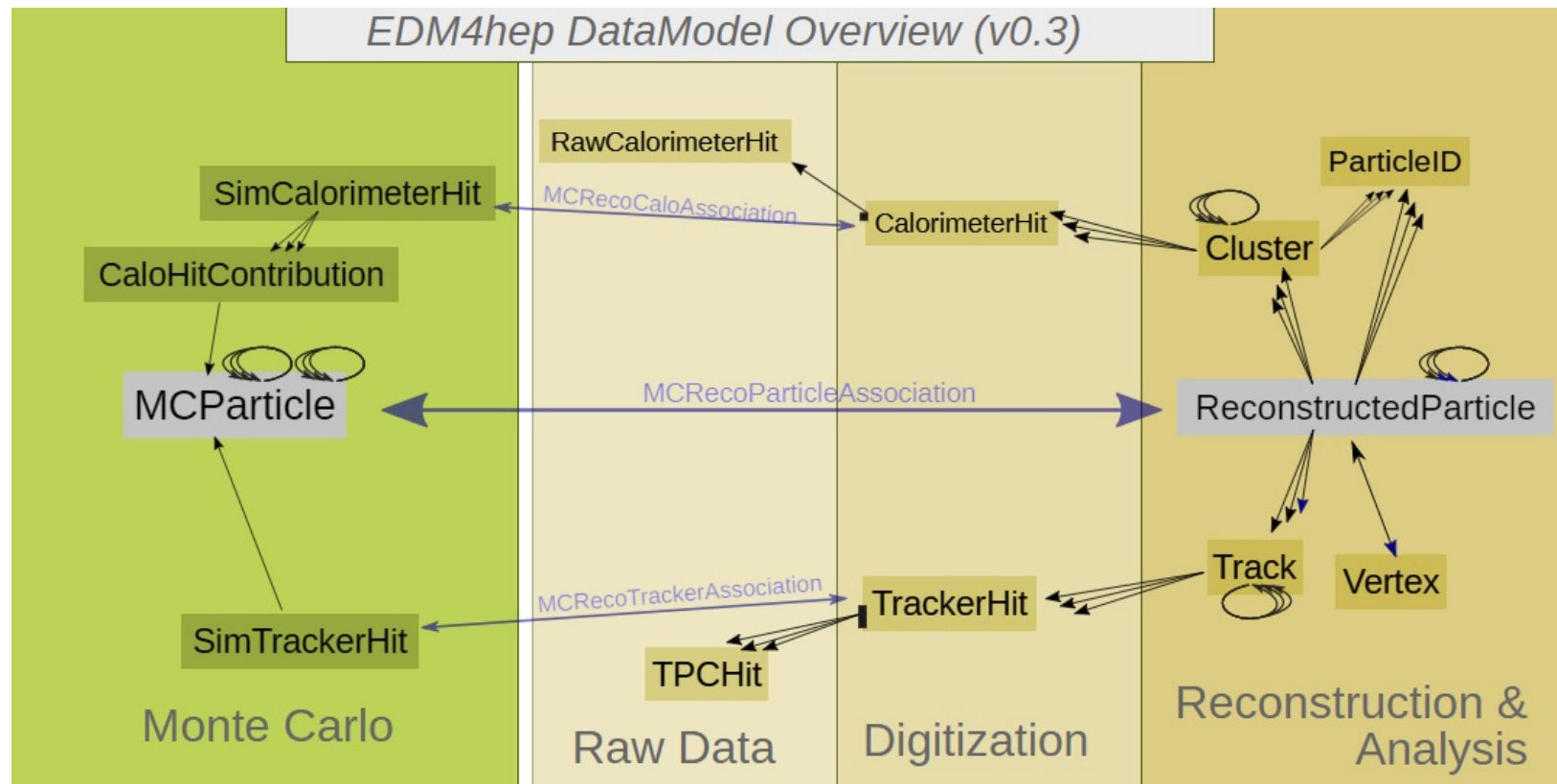
❖ Core software

- Gaudi/Gaudi Hive: defines interfaces to all software components and controls their execution.
- CEPC-specific framework software: generator, Geant4 simulation, beam background mixing, fast simulation, machine learning interface, etc.
- EDM4hep: generic event data model for HEP experiments
- K4FWCore: manages the event data
- DD4hep: geometry description



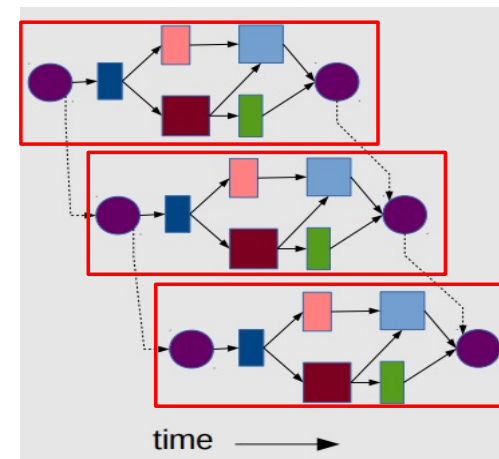
Event Data Model

- ❖ Adopted EDM4hep as the official EDM for CEPCSW
- ❖ k4LCIORReader was developed to convert the ILC format data to EDM4hep objects on the fly
- ❖ Extension of the current EDM4hep to accommodate the needs from dN/dx studies of the drift chamber is in progress

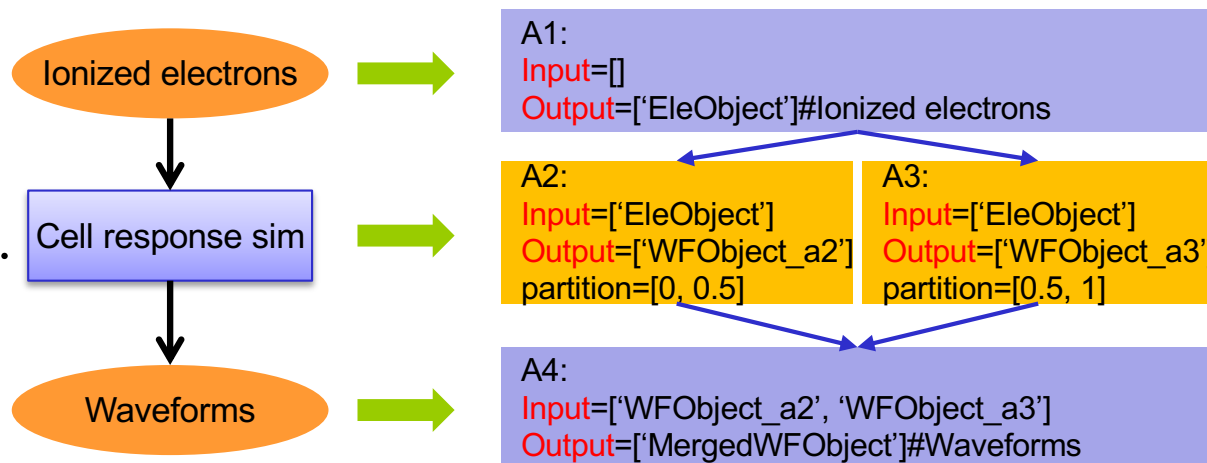


Multi-threading with Gaudi Hive

- ❖ Gaudi Hive is a Gaudi extension supporting multi-threading and concurrent computing
- ❖ Multiple algorithms and events can be executed simultaneously using the data flow driven mechanism
 - Algorithms declare their data dependencies
 - Scheduler automatically executes Algorithms as the data becomes available



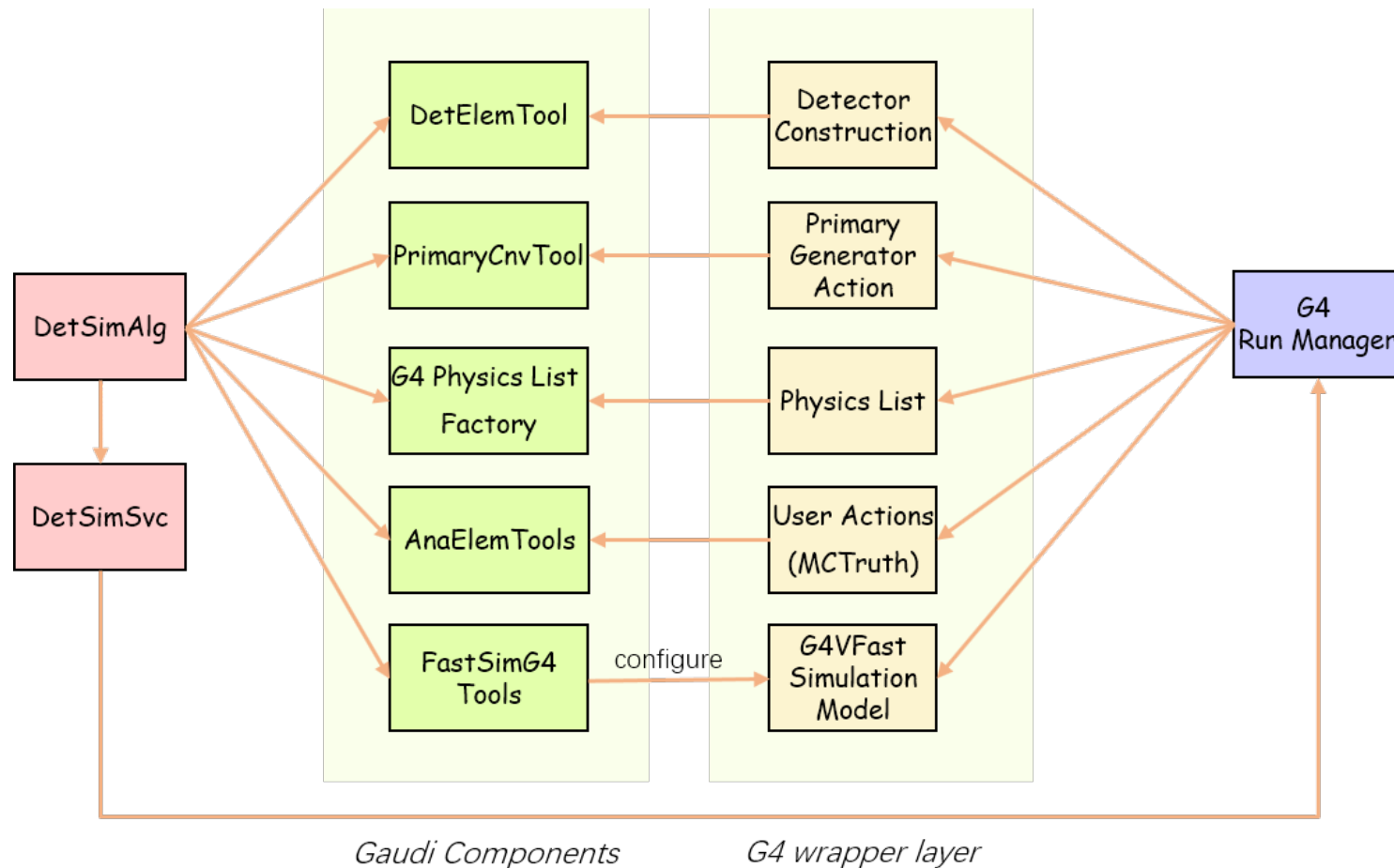
- ❖ The multi-threaded simulation of the detector response in drift chamber was developed as the first attempt to use Gaudi Hive.
- ❖ The multi-threaded simulation works well and it was reported at the Key4hep meeting.



<https://indico.cern.ch/event/1076542/#4-gaudihive-in-cepc-driftchamb>

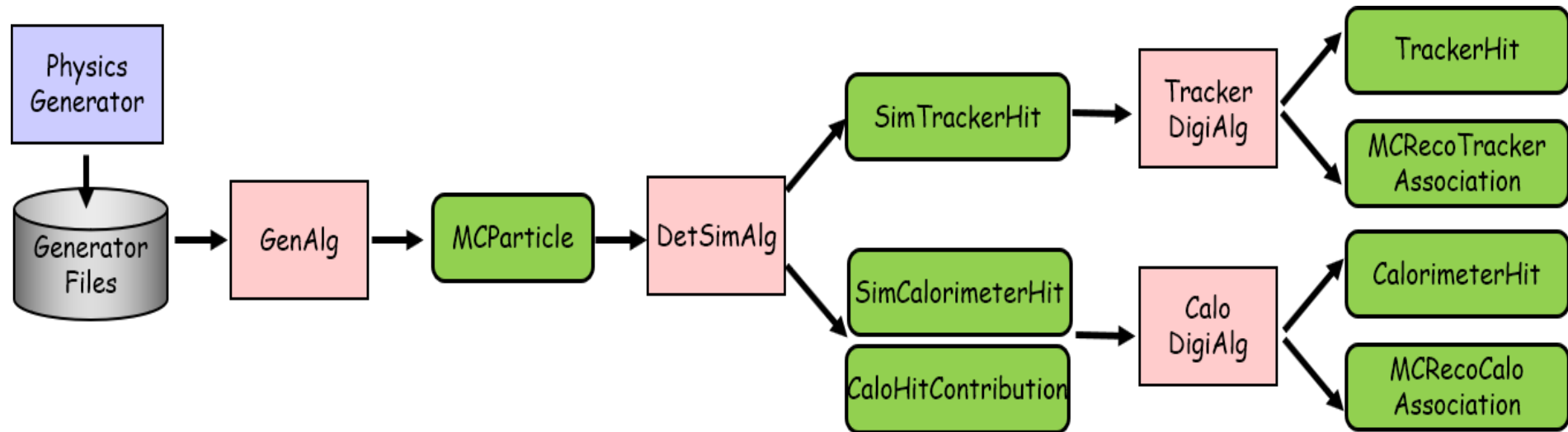
Simulation framework (1)

- ❖ The detector simulation framework has been developed in CEPCSW.
 - A thin layer is developed to connect Geant4 and Gaudi.
 - The event loop is controlled by Gaudi with a customized G4RunManager.
 - The geometry conversion from DD4hep to Geant4 is done by DDG4.



Simulation framework (2)

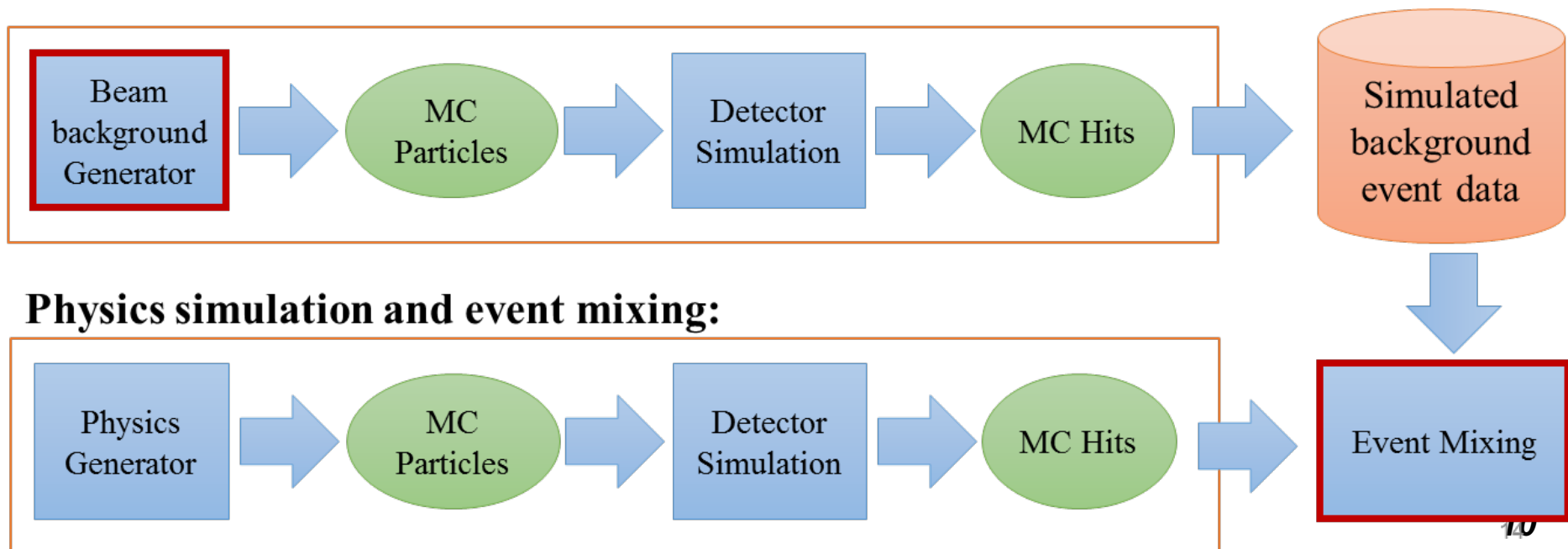
- ❖ The full simulation chain from physics generator to digitization is completed.



- ❖ Data objects as well as M.C. Truth information are available for detector performance studies:
 - Physics generator generates the kinematics **information of primary MC particles**
 - Detector simulation provides the **relationship between MC hits and MC Particles**
 - Digitization creates the **association between the Digi objects and Hit objects**

Simulation framework (3)

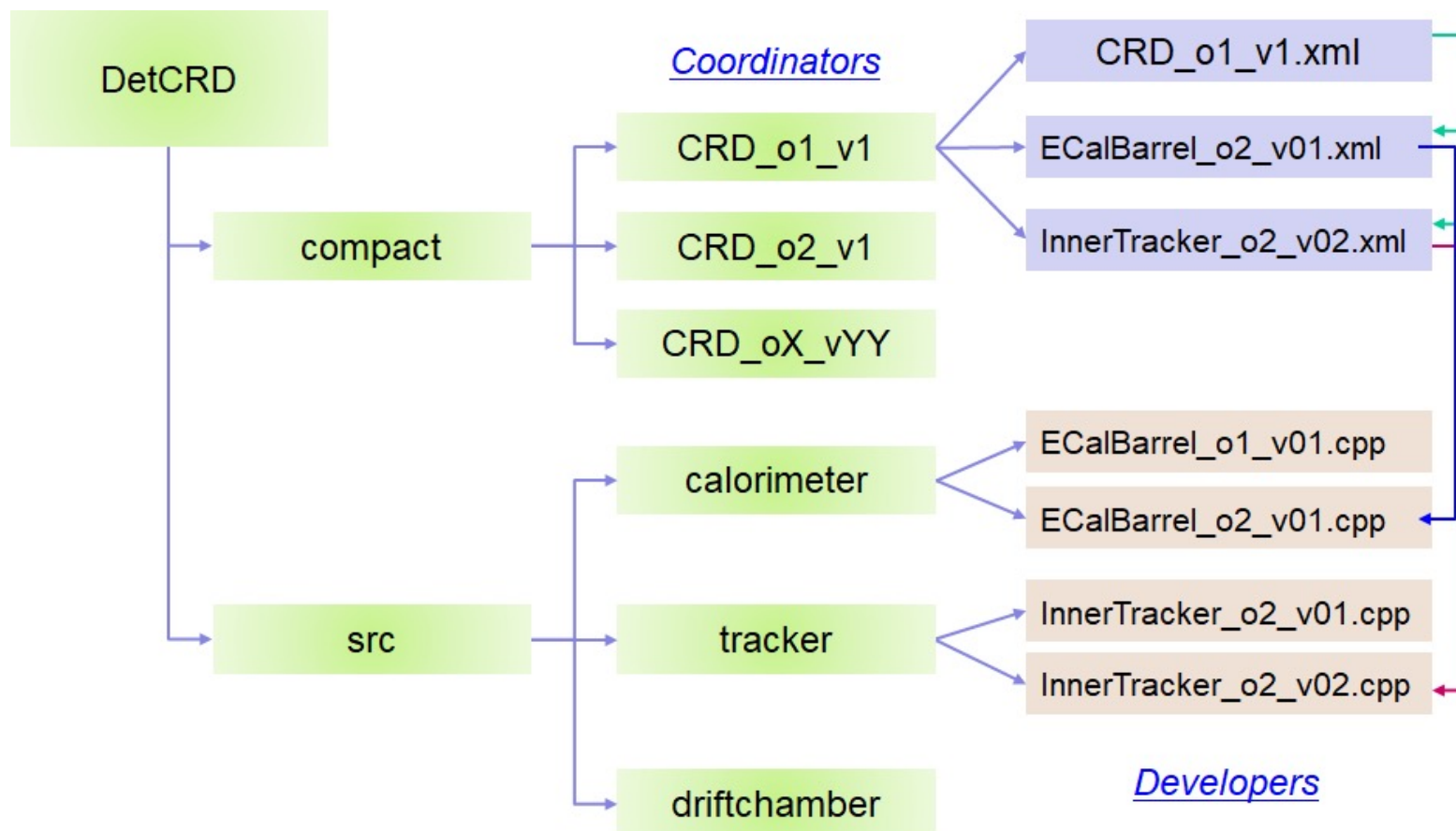
- ❖ DD4hep is used to provide a complete detector description with a single source of information See Tao's talk on Nov. 11
- ❖ The non-uniform magnetic field has also been implemented in the DD4hep framework.
- ❖ More realistic simulation needs to include beam-related backgrounds
 - The current design is to mix a physics event with backgrounds at MC hit level and implementation is in progress.



Simulation framework (4)

❖ Detector geometry management

- A detector design option is defined by a compact file e.g. CEPC Reference Detector (CRD_o1-v1)
- Details of sub-detectors are described by XML compact files and C++ constructors.

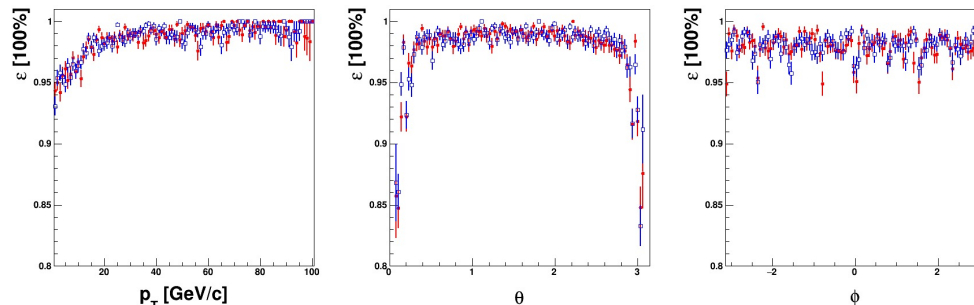
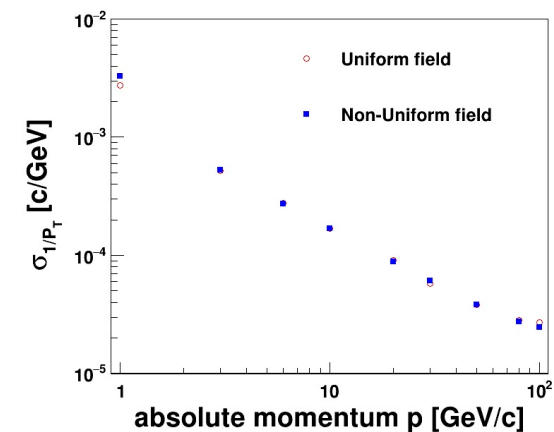
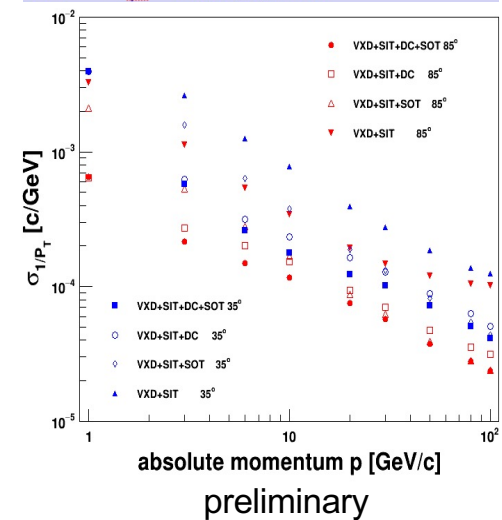


Tracking for Silicon Detector and TPC

- ❖ Migrated tracking and fitting algorithms from cepcsoft (ILDSoft based) to CEPCSW
 - Marlin→Gaudi
 - LCIO→EDM4hep
 - consistent performance
 - Marlin **VS** CEPCSW
 - (CEPCSW)simulated LCIO input **VS** generator simulating
- ❖ Fixed bugs to make the algorithms running smoothly
- ❖ Performance studies for the 4th conceptual detector
 - VXD+SIT+DC+SOT
 - validate resolutions: similar tendency with fast estimation (<20%)
- ❖ Testing with non-uniform magnetic field
 - close resolutions with uniform field: $(\sigma_{Pt}-\sigma_{Pt,non})/\sigma_{Pt} \sim 4\% @ 100\text{GeV}$

See Chengdong's talk on Nov. 11

Vertex: $\sigma_{rphi,z} = 2.8\mu\text{m}, 6\mu\text{m}, 4\mu\text{m}, 4\mu\text{m}, 4\mu\text{m}, 4\mu\text{m}$
 SIT/SOT: $\sigma_{rphi} = 7.2\mu\text{m}, \sigma_z = 86\mu\text{m}$
 DC: $\sigma_{rphi} = 110\mu\text{m}, \sigma_z = 1\text{mm}$



Simulation for the drift chamber

❖ Baseline configuration

- Axial/stereo drift chambers with silicon layers
- Radius **1~1.8m**, **100** layers, He:iC₄H₁₀=**90:10**

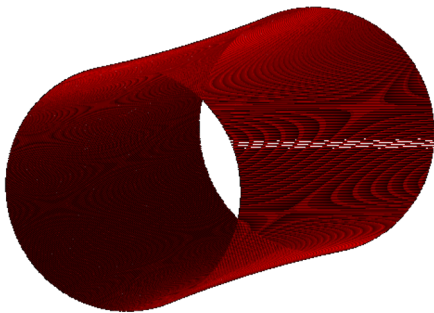
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❖ Integration of Garfield++ with Geant4:

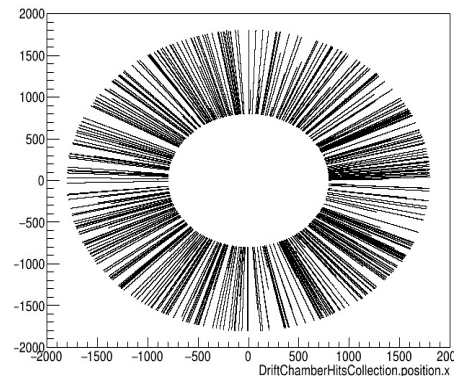
- For each G4Step, Heed is used to simulate ionization process. The kinetics of G4Track will be updated according to its energy loss.
- Tracking with Geant4 then continues and Garfield++ will take charge of simulation of the detector response in the cell.

❖ Simple digitization is implemented

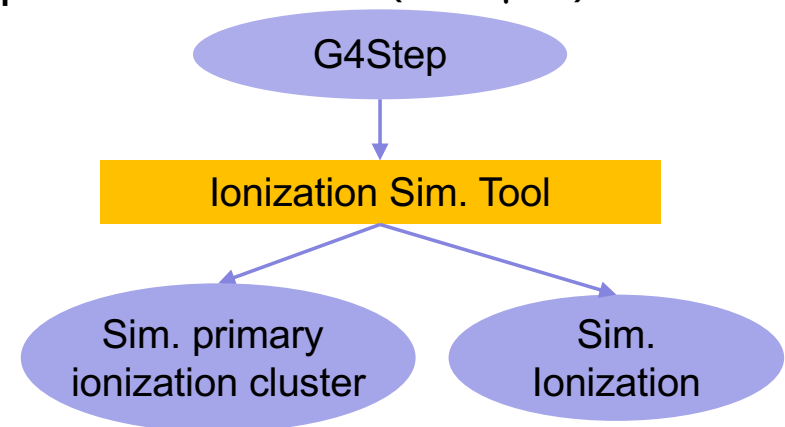
- Constant X-T ($V_{\text{drift}}=40\mu\text{m/ns}$) and fixed spatial resolution ($110\mu\text{m}$)



Stereo layer of drift chamber



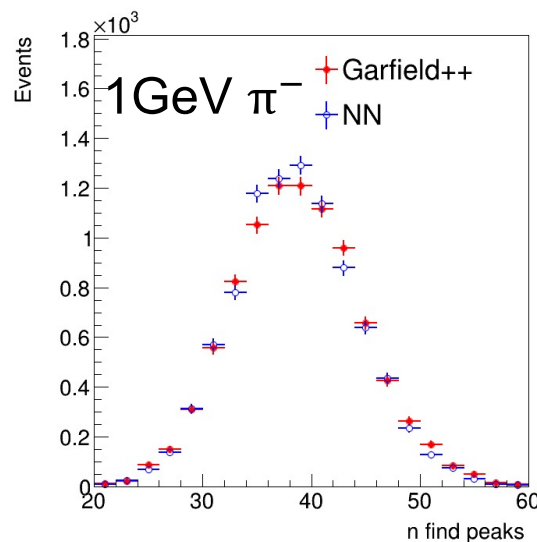
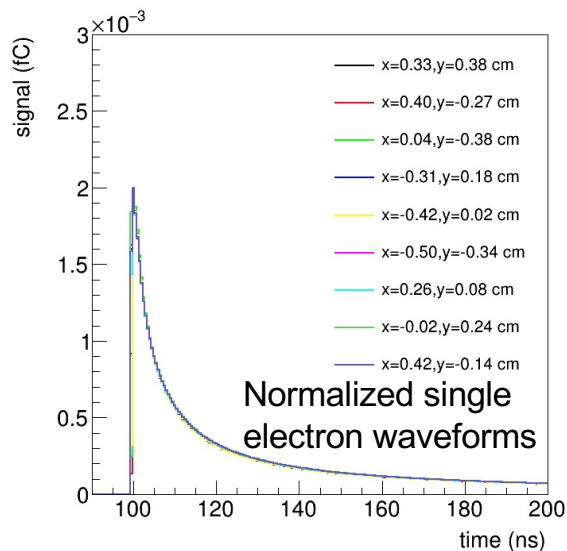
Hitmap of MC hits in DC



Integrating Garfield++ and Geant4 at G4Step

Fast waveform simulation

- ❖ Extremely time consuming to use Garfield++ to simulate
 - Drift of ions and electrons, amplification via electron avalanche and final signal generation
- ❖ Studies show that the waveform shape of each ionized electron in Garfield++ is similar. Main difference is the beginning time and amplitude
- ❖ Using machine learning technique to learn the distributions of beginning time and amplitude for each ionized electron
 - Training sample is produced by Garfield++

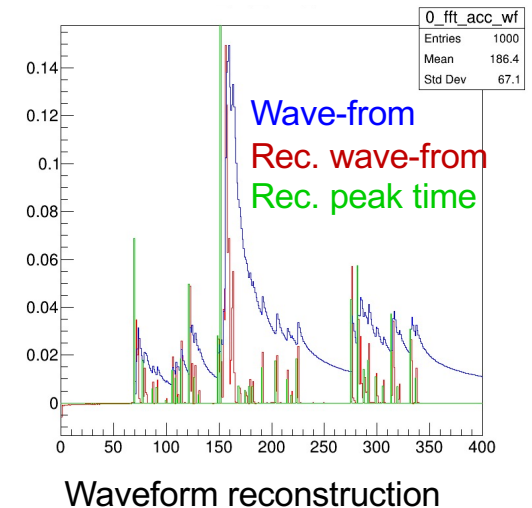
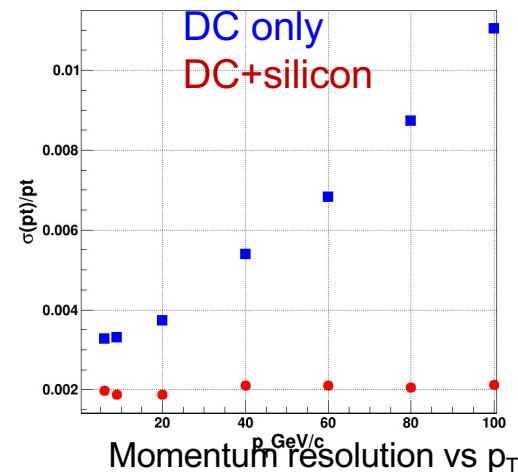
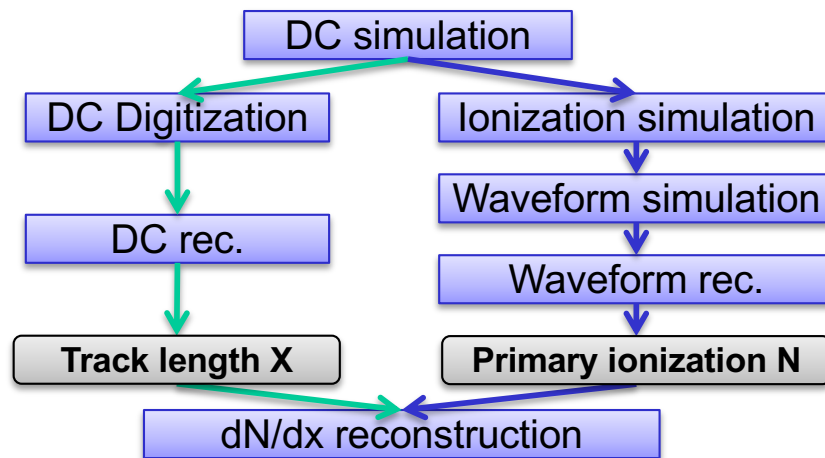


See WenXing's talk on Nov. 11

- ☐ Good agreement between NN and Garfield++
- ☐ ~200 times speed up

Reconstruction for the drift chamber

- ❖ Track finding
 - Truth tracking: track finding using MC truth information
 - Traditional and machine learning based tracking have been planned
- ❖ Track fitting
 - Genfit-based kalman filter was used to handle material effects and non-uniformity of B field correction and produce track parameters
 - Fitting algorithm has been tested and reasonable performance was obtained.
- ❖ dN/dx reconstruction
 - Waveform reconstruction algorithm with Fourier transform method was imported from JUNO



ECAL Simulation and Digitization

❖ Crystal ECAL

- Homogeneous BGO crystal
- Size: $1 \times 1 \times \sim 40 \text{ cm}^3$, double-sided readout.
- Time measurement at two ends for position along the bar.
- Crossed arrangement in adjacent layers.
- Full detector: $R = 1.8 \text{ m}$, $L = 4.6 \text{ m}$, $H = 28 \text{ cm}$, 8 same trapezoidal staves.

❖ ECAL geometry was implemented in CEPCSW for Geant4 simulation

❖ Simple digitization for one long crystal bar

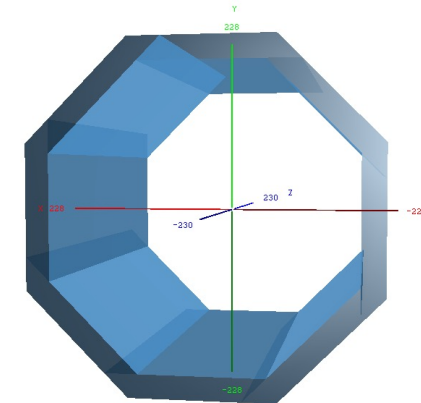
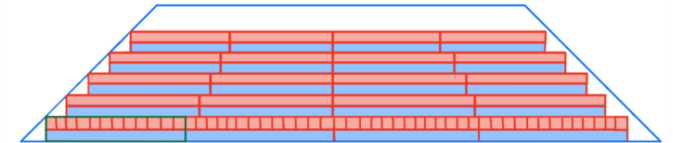
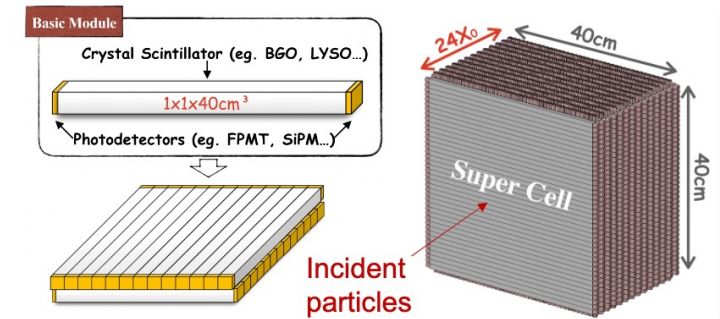
- Contribution from G4step i :

$$Q_{\pm}^i = E_0 \cdot e^{-\frac{L_{\pm} z_i}{L_{Att}}}, \quad T_{\pm}^i = T_0 + Gaus(z_{\pm}^i / v, \sigma_T).$$

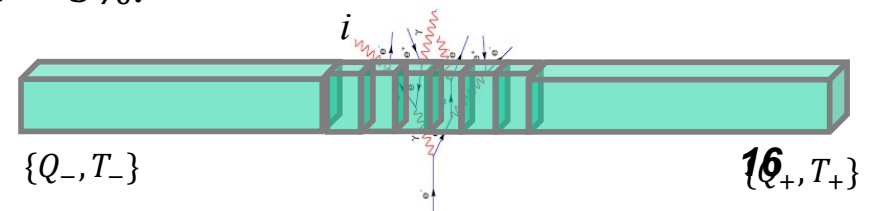
- Full crystal bar:

$$Q_{\pm} = \sum_{step} Q_{\pm}^i, \quad T_{\pm} = T_{\pm}^k \mid \left(\sum_{i=1}^k Q_{\pm}^i > \epsilon Q_{\pm}^{tot} \right),$$

Simplified condition: $L_{Att} = \infty$, so $Q_{\pm} = E_{tot}$.



$\epsilon = 5\%$.

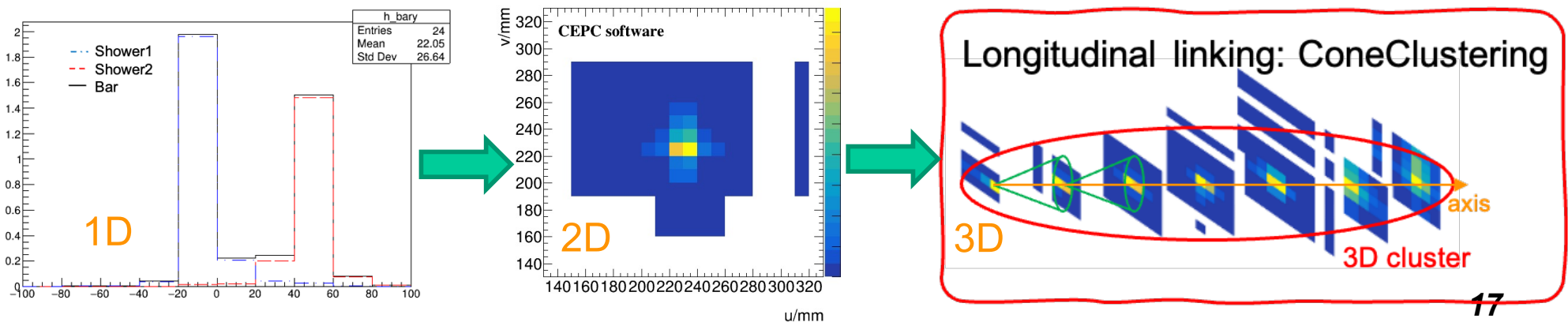


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ECAL Reconstruction

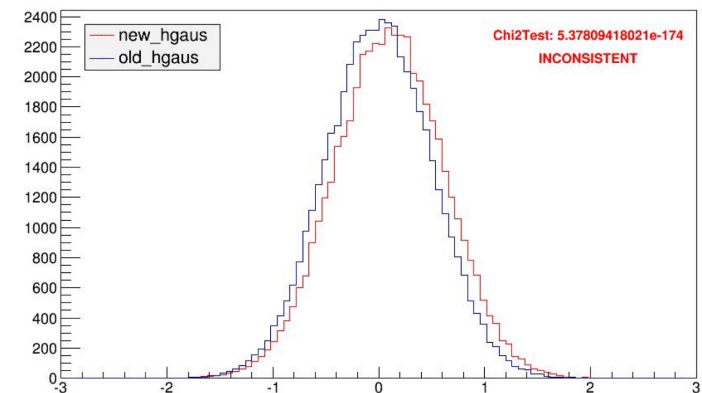
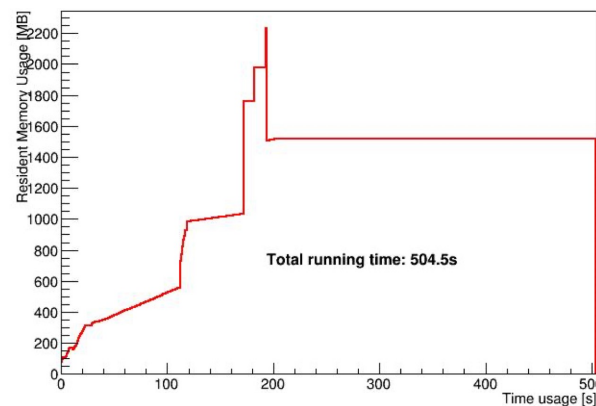
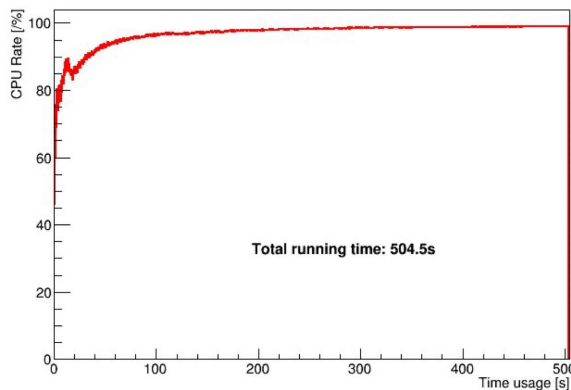
- ❖ A New Proto-PFA Software is under developing
 - 1 dimension
 - clustering and energy splitting
 - 2 dimension
 - Matching energy and time measurements in adjacent layers
 - 3 dimension:
 - Cone clustering longitudinally
- ❖ Preliminary result is promising.

See Dan's talk on Nov. 11



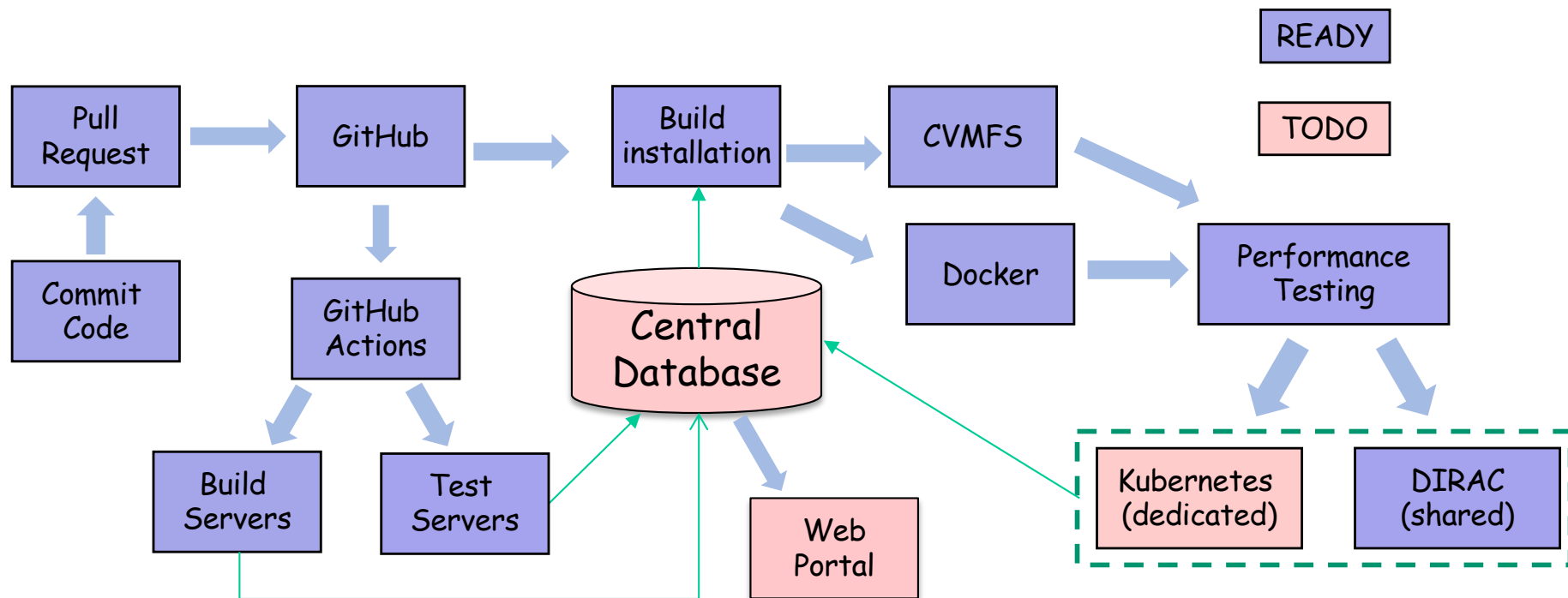
Automated Validation System

- ❖ An automated validation system is being developed for software validation at different levels
 - Unit test, integrated test, performance test, physical validation etc.
- ❖ A powerful toolkit is developed for building software validation workflow
 - Provide interfaces to define and run unit tests
 - Support various detectable failures (log errors, memory leaking, ...)
 - Support performance profiling
 - Support results validation based on statistical methods



Automated Validation System

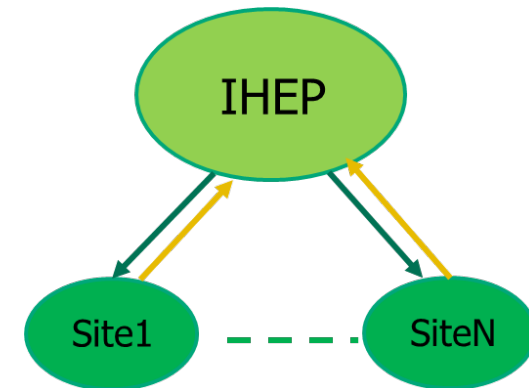
- ❖ The validation system is being integrated with the Github Action system
 - Full validation workflow can be triggered by commit/pull-request
 - A web-based monitoring dashboard is also being developed



CEPC computing: computing model

See Xiaomei's talk on Nov. 11

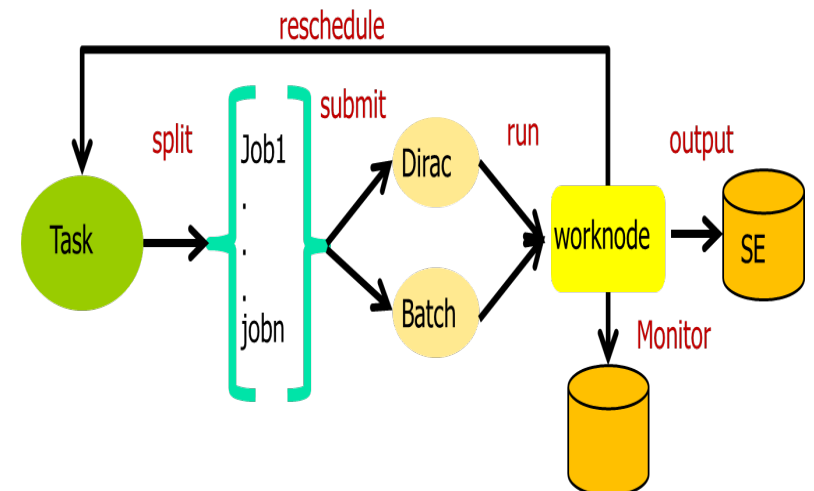
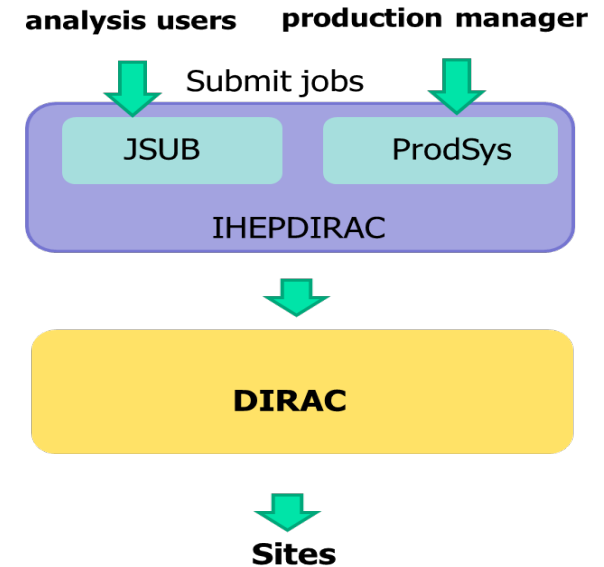
- ❖ The CEPC distributed computing system has been built using DIRAC
 - Six sites from UK and other China universities owning ~3000 CPU cores, ~3PB disk
 - 500 dedicated cores will be available at IHEP soon
 - Proved to work well with various types of computing resource including Grid, Cluster, Cloud, Commercial Cloud
- ❖ Applying a simple computing model
 - IHEP as the central site holding central storage
 - Remote sites only provide CPUs for MC production
 - Data flow
 - Input data of a job locates at IHEP
 - Output of the job will be transferred back to IHEP



Site Name	CPU Cores
Grid.IHEP.cn	500
CLOUD.IHEPCLOUD.cn	100
GRID.QMUL.uk	1600
CLUSTER.IPAS.tw	500
CLUSTER.SJTU.cn	100
GRID.LANCASTER.uk	300
Total (Active)	~3000

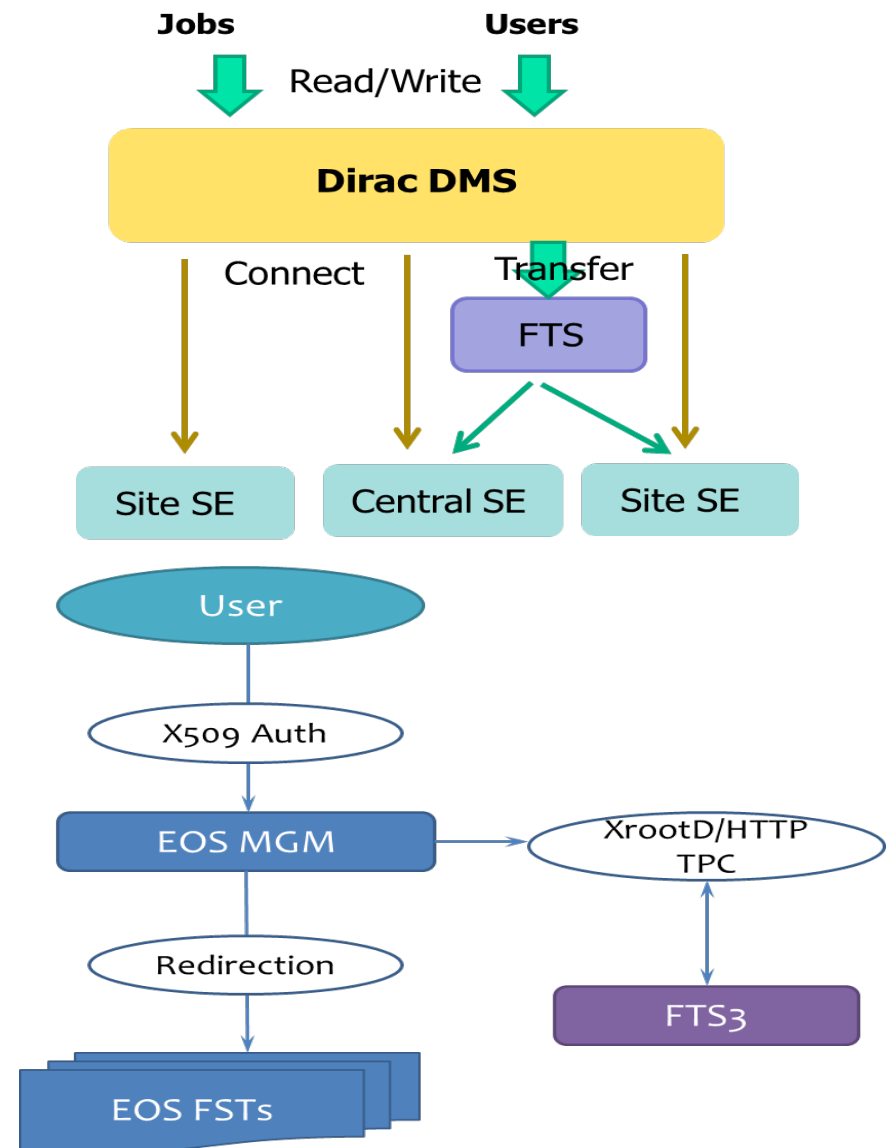
CEPC computing: workload management

- ❖ Managing job submission and work flow
- ❖ DIRAC
 - Provide a middle layer between jobs and resources to hide complexity from users
- ❖ JSUB (developed)
 - Massive job submission frontend was developed for data analysis users
- ❖ ProdSys (being developed)
 - Be used to submit and manage production tasks for the data production group
- ❖ Both JSUB and ProdSys can take care of job lifecycles in an automatic way



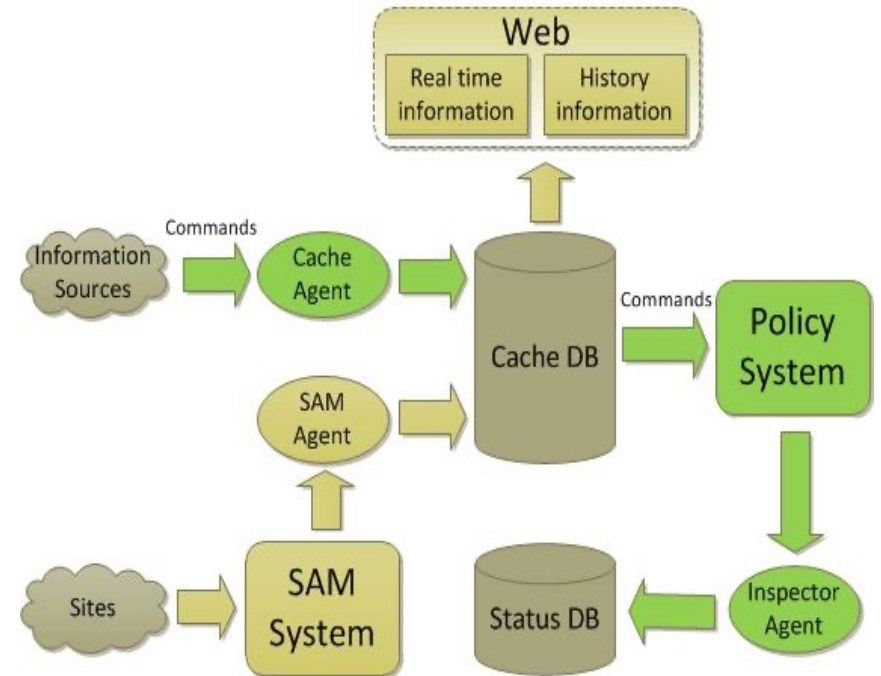
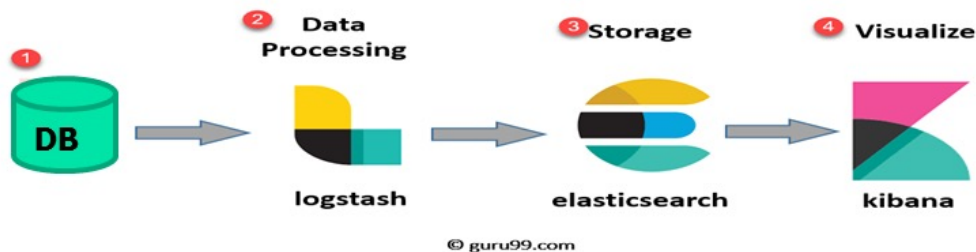
CEPC computing: data management

- ❖ Managing data placement and data flow globally, and providing interface for accessing data
- ❖ DIRAC Data Management System
 - File Catalogue: global view of data
 - Meta Catalogue: dataset management
- ❖ FTS (File Transfer System)
 - Manage file movements
 - fts3 server in IHEP: <https://fts3.ihep.ac.cn>
- ❖ Storage Element (SE)
 - Lustre as its backend now
 - EOS for newly purchased hardware



CEPC computing: monitoring

- ❖ Regular site and service status need to be checked to achieve high availability and reliability
- ❖ Monitoring dashboard was set up using Logstash + ES + Kibana
 - ❖ Give a view of sites and services status
- ❖ Site monitoring system was implemented in two ways to obtain site status
 - ❖ Active: send out standard CEPC jobs and check results periodically
 - ❖ Passive: collect user job status regularly



Plan for next year

❖ Core software

- Moving towards [multi-threading](#) based on the Intel TBB (Threading Building Blocks)
- Providing user-friendly [interfaces to machine learning libraries](#) like TensorFlow and PyTorch
- Development of [data analysis software](#) using ROOT RDataFrame
- Deployment of the [automated validation](#) platform to support continuous integration

❖ Simulation software

- [Updating geometry](#) information according to the latest detector designs
- Adding [beam-related backgrounds](#)
- Providing more realistic simulation of [digitization process](#)

❖ Reconstruction software

- Performance [optimization of tracking algorithms](#) in silicon and TPC trackers
- Development of [new pattern recognition algorithm](#) for the drift chamber
- Improving the performance of [3D cluster identification](#) in the long crystal bar ECAL
- [Optimization of ArborPFA](#) to improve PID performance for charged particles in the final state

❖ Computing

- The [data production prototype](#) will be built to facilitate massive Monte Carlo production

Summary

- ❖ Significant progress has been made since the CEPC workshop in Shanghai last year.
 - Integrated with Key4hep: Gaudi, GaudiHive, FWCore, EDM4hep, DD4hep
 - Supported the simulation and reconstruction of tracker and crystal calorimeter
 - Developed automated validation system
 - Developed the computing model, workload/data management and monitoring system
- ❖ Both software and computing need more people' s involvements in the future development.
- ❖ Welcome more collaborators to join in the software and Computing team!