

Agenda – 1 hour

- Towards next Gate release
- Benchmarks, tests
- Github issues/PR
- AOB ...

Towards release 9.1 (with G4 10.7)

- Compilation 10.7.1: OK
- Proposal : end March, early April
- Need
 - 1. Terminate about 10 benchmarks
 - 2. Check radionuclide decay issue
 - 3. Docker + VM
 - 4. Other?
- Once ok:
 - Tag repositories
 - Send email

Gate benchmarks

https://github.com/OpenGATE/GateBenchmarks

- Automatized thanks to github actions (once a week)
- User can run them individually:
 - cd t1_edep_profiles
 - ./runTest.sh
 - ./runAnalysis.py output/
- Warning : sub module needed (for the large output files)
 - git clone --recursive <u>https://github.com/OpenGATE/GateBenchmarks.git</u>
 git submodule update --recursive --remote

Benchmarks status

Test name	Status	Comment
t1_edep_profiles	99%	Gamma index to change
t2_edep_vox	99%	Gamma index to change
t3_range_e+	100%	
t4_necr	100%	
t5_pet	100%	
t6_dpk	80%	Tolerance to be adapted (or Kolmogorov tests)
t7_garf test	50%	WIP
t8_let_actor	75%	See Andreas
t9_gaga_phsp	80%	WIP
t10_spectro_gamma	80%	See Nicolas

Future benchmarks ?

- RadioactiveDecay: David, Nicolas Arbor. In discussion with G4
- Mesh and merge actor(mesh inside vox): Julien Bert. In progress.
- Optical: Carlotta, Mathieu, Mirjam ?
- Positronium (polarized-Livermore PL) ? Wojciech
- Accolinearity ? Mirjam/MaximeT

Rad Decay ?

- Geant4 update: G4RadioactiveDecay -> G4Radioactivation
- <u>https://github.com/OpenGATE/Gate/pull/363</u>
- Current status:
 - Works well with "standard" Physics List emstandard_opt4 for example
 - Does not work (no decay) with QGSP_BERT_EMZ
 - This is a Gate bug, not a Geant4.
 - (check with Livermore + polarized ; positronium)

• Exchange with Vladimir Ivantchenko

"Hi David,

The simplest solution would be to use G4RadioactiveDecayPhysics constructor. Add this constructor on top of any EM physics and it should work.

I am not sure but suspect, that problems you have connect with the order of initialization, which may happen, if you construct custom physics. The radioactive decay is a complicate one, because involve simultaneously EM physics, Decay physics, the ion table, and the nuclear de-excitation module. Initialisations of all components should be coherent.

The G4DecayPhysics is responsible for decay of all unstable particles except radioactive decay. I would also recommend to use this constructor.

Some information about PhysicsLIst is at https://geant4-userdoc.web.cern.ch/UsersGuides/PhysicsListGuide/html/index.html . Unfortunately, I just learn, that there is no chapter on radioactive decay...

Cheers, Vladimir"

Docker + Virtual Marchine status?

- Gate repository:
 - <u>https://github.com/OpenGATE/Gate/pull/414</u>
- Docker HUB
 - Both for Geant4 and Gate
 - <u>https://hub.docker.com/orgs/opengatecollaboration</u>

To check status with Alex (maybe put table of available docker files on the readthedoc)

Github Issues & PRs

- PR #418 twice saved trees to root output file
- Positron range #379 (Minh Phuong Nguyen):
- PETscanner (cubicArray & genericRepeater) #296 Ca
- G4Radioactivation #378 (Alex Vergera Gil) Still in progress
- Accolinearity #381
- AnatomicalOrientation #359
- PR #391: material database ?
- Issue #392: PET and Ccmod
- GATE Error related to SPECT_FFD Example #351 not started yet, todo @Lyon ... other issues

- Merged (Wojciech) OK, see t3
- Can we close ? yes
- Still in progress (Mirjam and Karl)
- Doc change ? (label in the mhd file?) DavidB. WIP + doc for mat (recom) db Ane?

Next Geant 11

- Listen the G4 event 11/03at 4pm
- Prepare Gate for Geant4 11 !