

# Hands-on: Dosimetry in a water phantom



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# How to download the application 1/2

Access to the tutorial page from the browser on your VMware

WED, MARCH 18

1:00 PM → 2:00 PM **Introduction to Geant4** 1h  
Speaker: D. Sakata  
Lecture-Introducti...

2:00 PM → 2:30 PM **Geant4 Virtual Machine installation check** 30m  
Speaker: S. Incerti  
Lecture-Geant4-V...

2:30 PM → 4:00 PM **Hands-on: dosimetry in a water phantom** 1h 30m  
Speaker: D. Sakata  
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De : incerti@cenbg.in2p3.fr Taille : 644 Mo  
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medical\_linac\_handson.tar.gz 644 Mo

Téléchargement

## How to download the application 2/2

The screenshot shows the FileSender interface. At the top, the logo 'FILESENDER par RENATER' is visible. Below it, there are navigation icons for home, help, search, and user. The main content area is titled 'Télécharger' and contains a message: 'Voici vos fichiers. Cliquez sur un fichier pour télécharger les données et déchiffrer sur votre ordinateur.' Below this, there is a table of files with columns for sender, size, and expiration date. A file named 'medical\_linac\_handson.tar.gz' (644 Mo) is listed. A red box highlights the 'Téléchargement' button next to this file, with a circled '3' next to it. Below the file list, a modal dialog titled 'Entrer un mot de passe' is shown. It has a password input field (highlighted with a red box and a circled '4'), a checkbox for 'Voir / Cacher le mot de passe', and 'OK' and 'Annuler' buttons (the 'OK' button is highlighted with a red box and a circled '5').

③

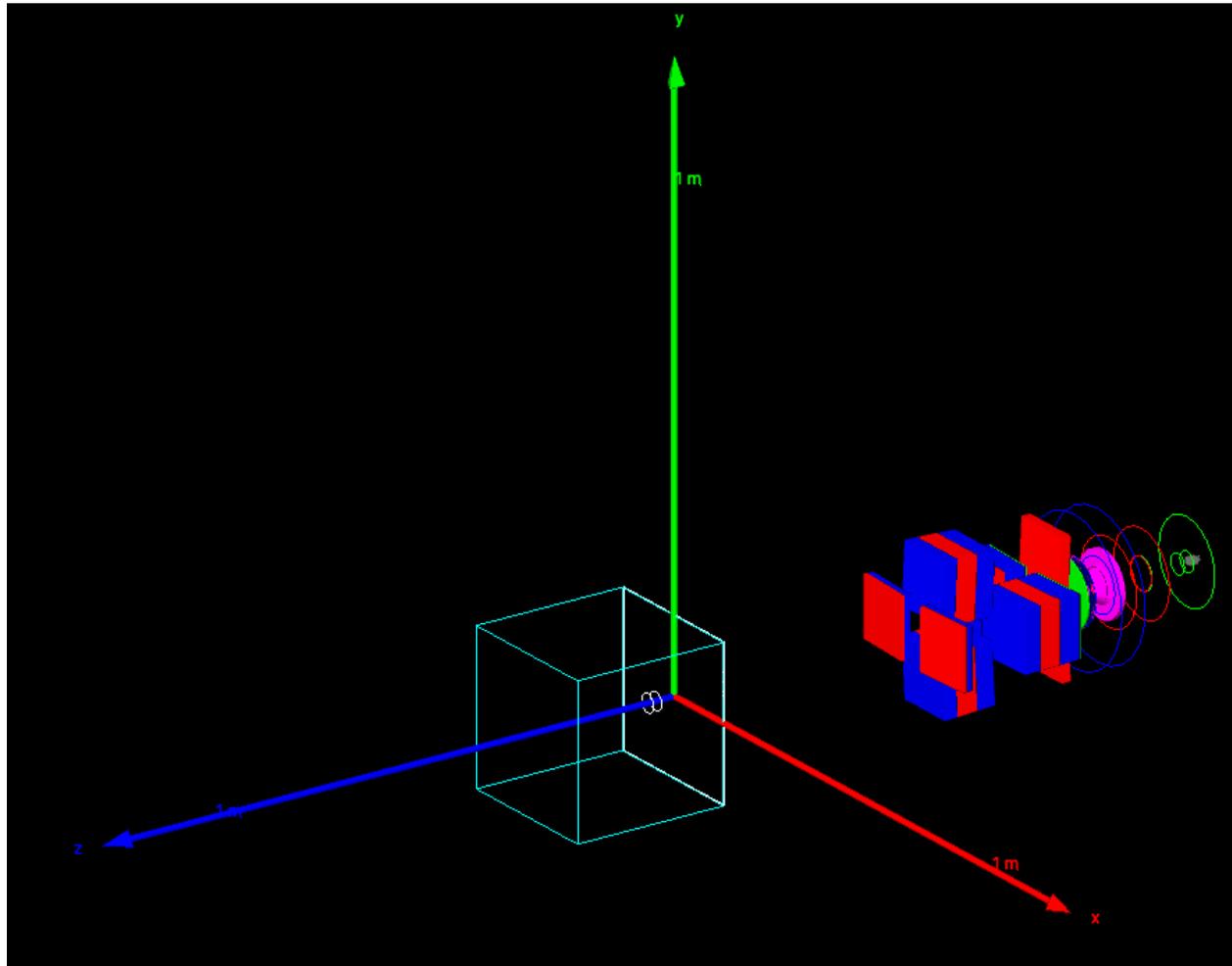
Enter the password  
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④

⑤

The file will be saved in ~/Downloads (/home/local1/Downloads)

# medical\_linac



This application based on  
examples/advanced/medical\_linac.

The geometry imitates GE Saturn 43 LINAC

Excises in this hands-on

1: How to compile and run Geant4 application

2: How to handle IAEA phase space file

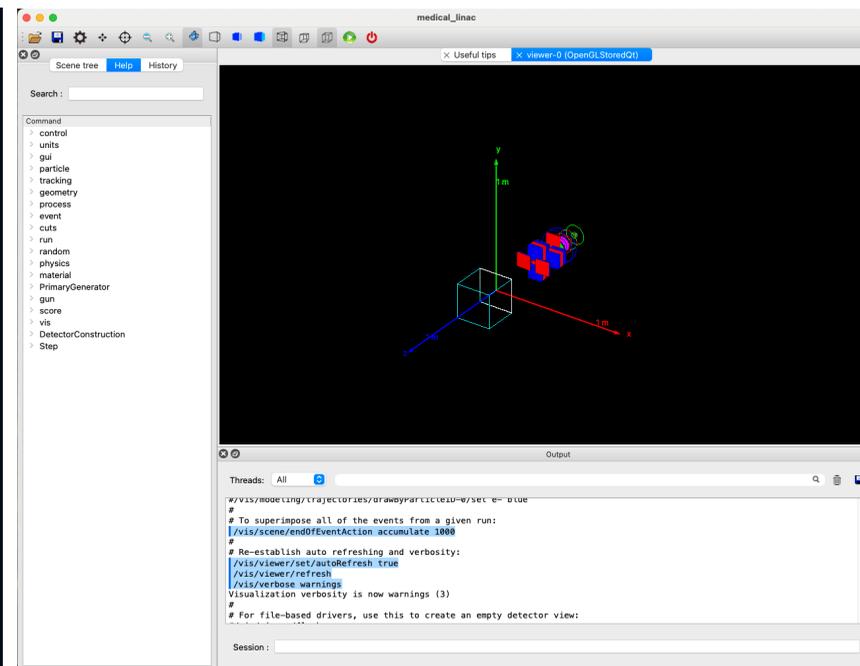
3: How to score dose depth curve  
(Using Built-in scoring interface)

4: Advanced ! : we don't support in this tutorial  
How to score absorbed dose in an ionization chamber  
(Using SensitiveDetector via MultiFunctionalDetector)

## Step1 – 1 : Build Application

① Execute the following commands from terminal

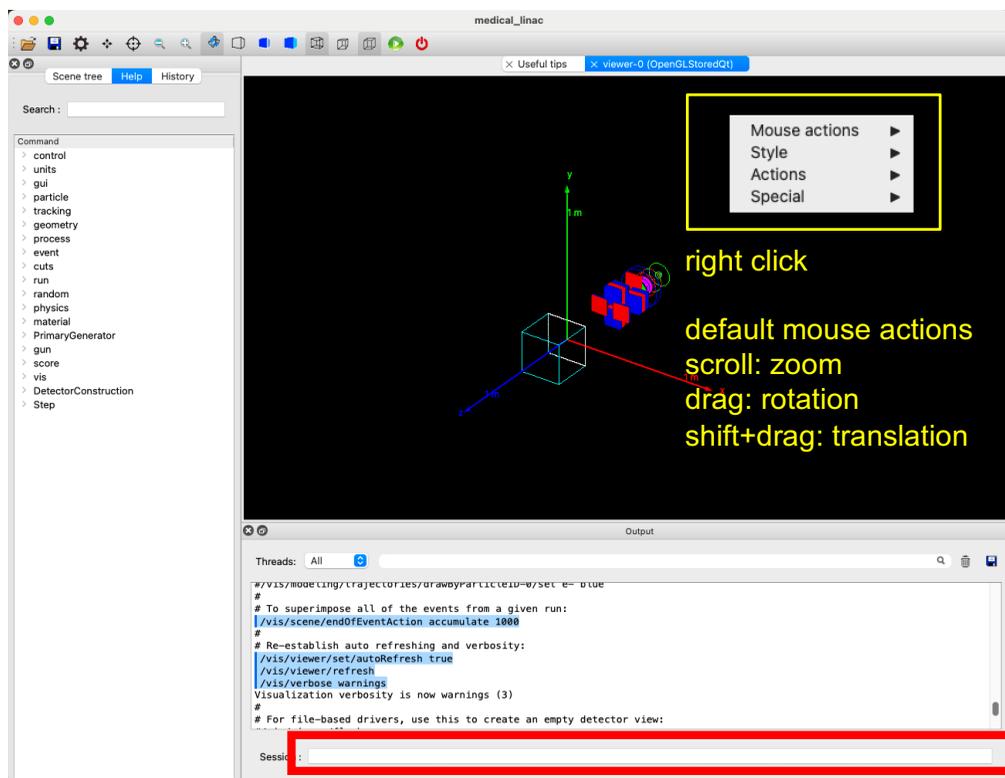
```
$ mkdir G4Work
$ cd G4Work
$ cp -r ~/Downloads/medical_linac_handson.tar.gz .
$ tar -zxvf medical_linac_handson.tar.gz
$ cd medical_linac_handson
$ mkdir build
$ cd build
$ cmake ../
$ make
$ ./medical_linac
```



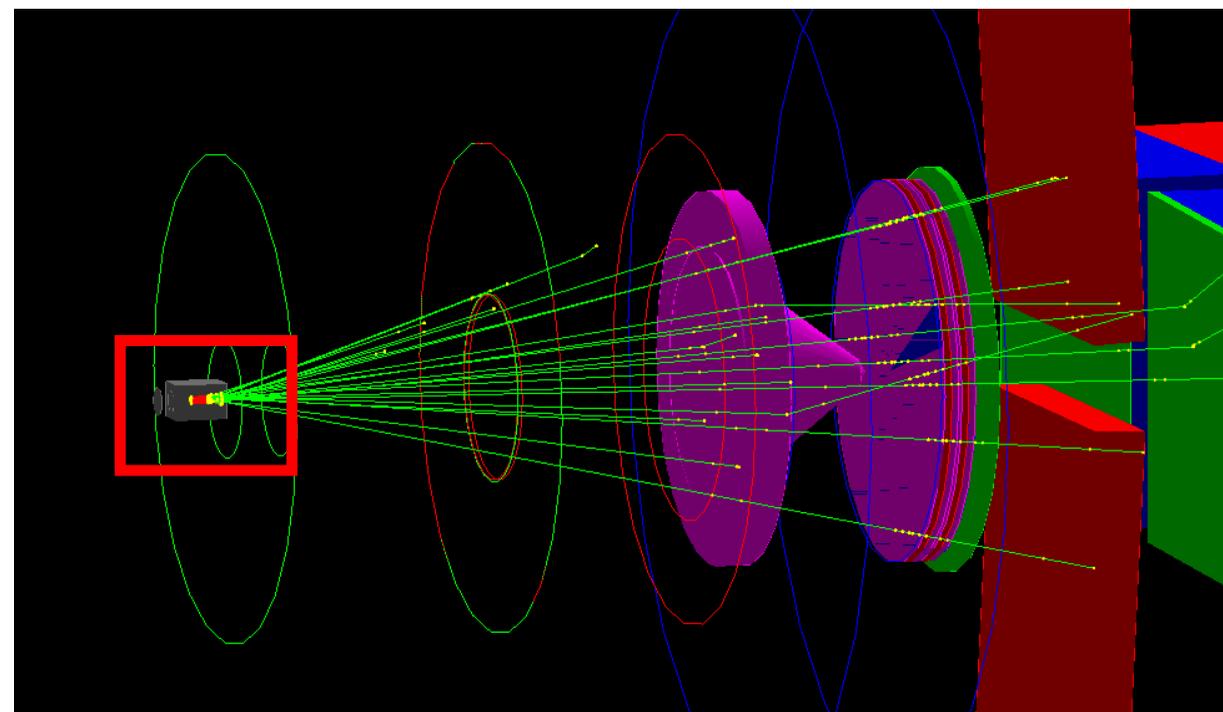
UI window will be popped up

## Step1 – 2 : Execute command from UI

② Execute the built-in command from the UI window



/run/beamOn 100 and enter



Irradiate 100 electrons to target

Red: electron

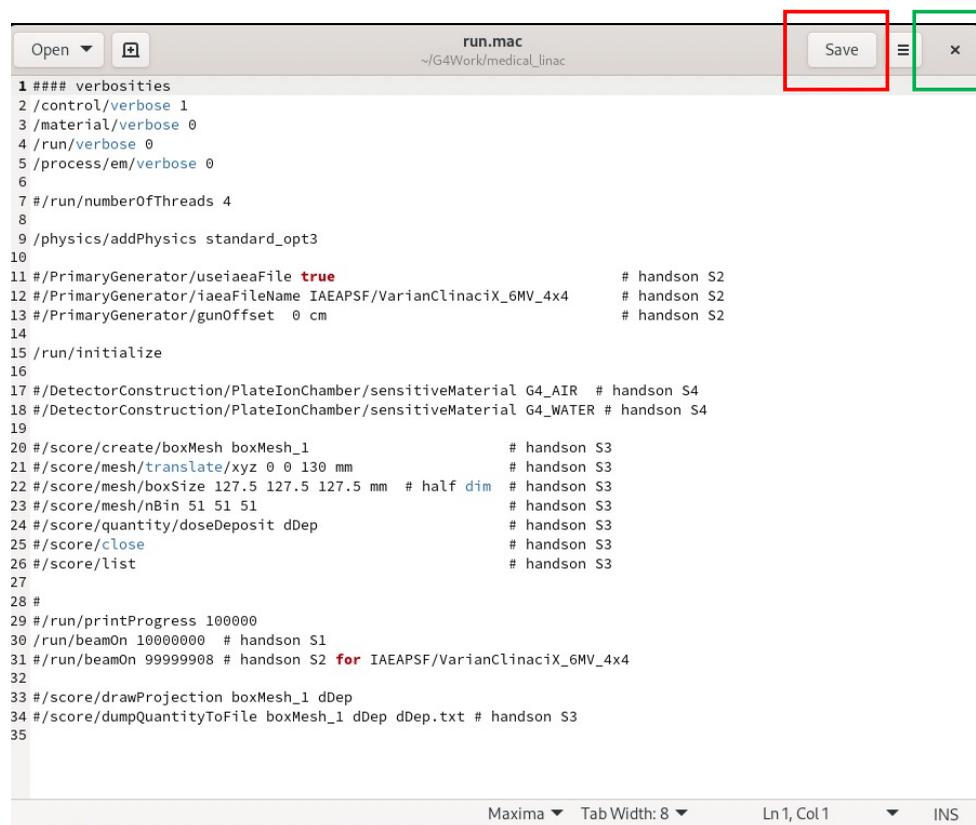
Green: gamma

# How to edit text files?

## ■ gedit

```
$ gedit run.mac
```

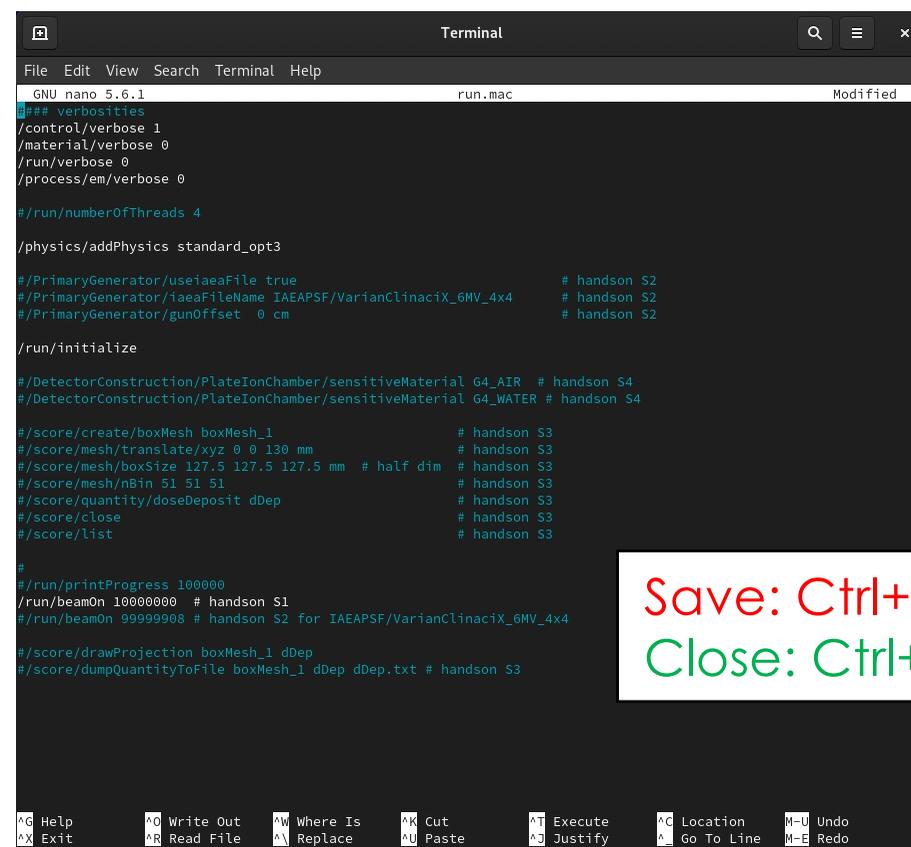
Save Close



```
1#### verbosityies
2/control/verbose 1
3/material/verbose 0
4/run/verbose 0
5/process/em/verbose 0
6
7#/run/numberOfThreads 4
8
9/physics/addPhysics standard_opt3
10
11#/PrimaryGenerator/useiaeaFile true # handson S2
12#/PrimaryGenerator/iaeaFileName IAEAPSF/VarianClinaciX_6MV_4x4 # handson S2
13#/PrimaryGenerator/gunOffset 0 cm # handson S2
14
15/run/initialize
16
17#/DetectorConstruction/PlateIonChamber/sensitiveMaterial G4_AIR # handson S4
18#/DetectorConstruction/PlateIonChamber/sensitiveMaterial G4_WATER # handson S4
19
20#/score/create/boxMesh boxMesh_1 # handson S3
21#/score/mesh/translate/xyz 0 0 130 mm # handson S3
22#/score/mesh/boxSize 127.5 127.5 127.5 mm # half dim # handson S3
23#/score/mesh/nBin 51 51 51 # handson S3
24#/score/quantity/doseDeposit dDep # handson S3
25#/score/close # handson S3
26#/score/list # handson S3
27
28#
29#/run/printProgress 100000
30#/run/beamOn 10000000 # handson S1
31#/run/beamOn 99999908 # handson S2 for IAEAPSF/VarianClinaciX_6MV_4x4
32
33#/score/drawProjection boxMesh_1 dDep
34#/score/dumpQuantityToFile boxMesh_1 dDep dDep.txt # handson S3
35
```

## ■ nano

```
$ nano run.mac
```



```
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
GNU nano 5.6.1 run.mac Modified
#### verbosityies
/control/verbose 1
/material/verbose 0
/run/verbose 0
/process/em/verbose 0
#/run/numberOfThreads 4
/physics/addPhysics standard_opt3
#/PrimaryGenerator/useiaeaFile true # handson S2
#/PrimaryGenerator/iaeaFileName IAEAPSF/VarianClinaciX_6MV_4x4 # handson S2
#/PrimaryGenerator/gunOffset 0 cm # handson S2
/run/initialize
#/DetectorConstruction/PlateIonChamber/sensitiveMaterial G4_AIR # handson S4
#/DetectorConstruction/PlateIonChamber/sensitiveMaterial G4_WATER # handson S4
#/score/create/boxMesh boxMesh_1 # handson S3
#/score/mesh/translate/xyz 0 0 130 mm # handson S3
#/score/mesh/boxSize 127.5 127.5 127.5 mm # half dim # handson S3
#/score/mesh/nBin 51 51 51 # handson S3
#/score/quantity/doseDeposit dDep # handson S3
#/score/close # handson S3
#/score/list # handson S3
#
#/run/printProgress 100000
/run/beamOn 10000000 # handson S1
/run/beamOn 99999908 # handson S2 for IAEAPSF/VarianClinaciX_6MV_4x4
#/score/drawProjection boxMesh_1 dDep
#/score/dumpQuantityToFile boxMesh_1 dDep dDep.txt # handson S3
^G Help ^O Write Out ^W Where Is ^K Cut ^T Execute ^C Location ^M-U Undo
^X Exit ^R Read File ^\ Replace ^U Paste ^J Justify ^_ Go To Line ^-E Redo
```

Save: Ctrl+o → Enter  
Close: Ctrl+x

## Step1 – 3 : Execute with macro

- ③ Control number of events from macro file  
change the following line in run.mac

```
#### verboties
/control/verbose 1
/material/verbose 0
/run/verbose 0
/process/em/verbose 0

#/run/numberOfThreads 4

/physics/addPhysics standard_opt3

#/PrimaryGenerator/useiaeaFile true # handson S2
#/PrimaryGenerator/iaeaFileName IAEAPSF/VarianClinaciX_6MV_10x10_w1 # handson S2
#/PrimaryGenerator/gunOffset -23.2 cm # -(90.-66.8)*cm # handson S2

/run/initialize

#/DetectorConstruction/PlateIonChamber/sensitiveMaterial G4_AIR # handson S4
#/DetectorConstruction/PlateIonChamber/sensitiveMaterial G4_WATER # handson S4

#/score/create/boxMesh boxMesh_1 # handson S3
#/score/mesh/translate/xyz 0 0 130 mm # handson S3
#/score/mesh/boxSize 127.5 127.5 127.5 mm # half dim # handson S3
#/score/mesh/nBin 51 51 51 # handson S3
#/score/quantity/doseDeposit dDep # handson S3
#/score/close # handson S3
#/score/list # handson S3

#
#/run/printProgress 100000
/run/beamOn 1000 # handson S1
#/run/beamOn 3333300 # handson S2 for IAEAPSF/VarianClinaciX_6MV_10x10_w1

#/score/drawProjection boxMesh_1 dDep
#/score/dumpQuantityToFile boxMesh_1 dDep dDep.txt # handson S3
```

- ④ Execute the command from terminal

```
$ ./medical_linac run.mac
```

```
hPairProd: for pi+ XStype:1 SubType=4
dE/dx and range tables from 10 eV to 100 TeV in 260 bins
Lambda tables from threshold to 100 TeV, 20 bins/decade, spline: 1
Sampling table 20x1001; from 1.11656 GeV to 100 TeV
===== EM models for the G4Region DefaultRegionForTheWorld =====
hPairProd : Emin= 0 eV Emax= 100 TeV ModifiedMephi

msc: for pi- SubType= 10
===== EM models for the G4Region DefaultRegionForTheWorld =====
UrbanMsc : Emin= 0 eV Emax= 100 TeV Nbins=240 100 eV - 100 TeV
StepLim=Minimal Rfact=0.2 Gfact=2.5 Sfact=0.6 DispFlag:1 Skin=1 Llim=1 mm

hIoni: for pi- XStype:3 SubType=2
dE/dx and range tables from 10 eV to 100 TeV in 260 bins
Lambda tables from threshold to 100 TeV, 20 bins/decade, spline: 1
StepFunction=(0.2, 0.05 mm), integ: 3, fluct: 1, linLossLim= 0.01
===== EM models for the G4Region DefaultRegionForTheWorld =====
ICRU73QO : Emin= 0 eV Emax=297.505 keV deltaVI
BetheBloch : Emin=297.505 keV Emax= 100 TeV deltaVI

hBrems: for pi- XStype:1 SubType=3
dE/dx and range tables from 10 eV to 100 TeV in 260 bins
Lambda tables from threshold to 100 TeV, 20 bins/decade, spline: 1
===== EM models for the G4Region DefaultRegionForTheWorld =====
hBrem : Emin= 0 eV Emax= 100 TeV ModifiedMephi

hPairProd: for pi- XStype:1 SubType=4
dE/dx and range tables from 10 eV to 100 TeV in 260 bins
Lambda tables from threshold to 100 TeV, 20 bins/decade, spline: 1
Sampling table 20x1001; from 1.11656 GeV to 100 TeV
===== EM models for the G4Region DefaultRegionForTheWorld =====
hPairProd : Emin= 0 eV Emax= 100 TeV ModifiedMephi

----- End of Global Run -----
The run was 1000 events
Graphics systems deleted.
Visualization Manager deleting...
```

See the number of events

## Step2 – 0 : IAEA phase space file (PSF)

IAEA provides phase space file for several medical linacs

<https://www-nds.iaea.org/phsp/phsp.htmlx>

The screenshot shows the IAEA Nuclear Data Services website. The main heading is "Phase-space database for external beam radiotherapy". Below this, it identifies the "IAEA NAPC Nuclear Data Section" and "IAEA NAHU Dosimetry and Medical Radiation Physics Section". The project officer is Roberto Capote. The objective is to build a database and disseminate representative phase-space data of accelerators and Co-60 units used in medical radiotherapy. A news item from July 2008 mentions the implementation of an interface to read/write native IAEA format. A section titled "How to produce and submit phase-space data" explains the IAEA phsp format and provides instructions on how to submit data for review. Another section, "How to download phase-space data", details the selection process for Co-60, linac electron, or linac photon phsps. A sidebar on the left contains navigation links for the International Advisory Committee, Mailing Lists, Medical Portal, and IAEA NAPC/NDS. A right sidebar includes links for Tech. Report, PHSP format, PHSP Header, and PHSP database. A red box highlights the text "You can get PSF from here" and another red box highlights a list of data types: 1. Co-60 phsps, 2. Photon phsps, 3. Electron phsps.

**In this application these files stored under IAEAPSF**  
VarianClinaciX\_6MV\_4x4.IAEAheader(Text file for PSF detail)  
VarianClinaciX\_6MV\_4x4.IEAaphsp (Binary PSF file)

## Step2 – 1 : How to handle IAEA phase space file (PSF)

Source files to read IAES phase space file

in medical\_linac\_handson/include

G4IAEAphspReader.hh

iaea\_config.h

iaea\_header.h

iaea\_phsp.h

iaea\_record.h

utilities.h

in medical\_linac\_handson/src

G4IAEAphspReader.cc

iaea\_config.cc

iaea\_header.cc

iaea\_phsp.cc

iaea\_record.cc

utilities.cc

Geant4 class for PSF handler

IAEA PSF handler

In step2, you will be trying to implement the application as an application developer.

```
dousatsu@dousatsunoMacBook-Pro include % grep S2 *
G4IAEAphspReader.hh: //{{ G4Exception("Cannot use G4IAEAphspReader void constructor"); } // handson S2 comment out
G4IAEAphspReader.hh:         { G4Exception("Cannot use G4IAEAphspReader void constructor","", JustWarning,""); } //handson S2
G4IAEAphspReader.hh:         //if (parallelRun > theTotalParallelRuns && parallelRun < 1) G4Exception("Error in G4IAEAphspReader::SetParallelRun()"); //handson S2 comment out
G4IAEAphspReader.hh:         if (parallelRun > theTotalParallelRuns && parallelRun < 1) { G4Exception("Cannot use G4IAEAphspReader void constructor","", JustWarning,""); } //handson S2
G4IAEAphspReader.hh:         //inline void SetFileName(G4String name) {theFileName=name;} // handson S2
G4IAEAphspReader.hh: //inline void SetGunOffset(G4double val) {gunoffset=val;theGlobalPhspTranslation ={0,0,gunoffset};} // handson S2
G4IAEAphspReader.hh:         G4double gunoffset;// handson S2
PrimaryGeneratorAction.hh://class G4IAEAphspReader; // handson S2
PrimaryGeneratorAction.hh: //void UseIAEAFile (G4bool value); // handson S2
PrimaryGeneratorAction.hh: //void SetIAEAFileName(G4String value); // handson S2
PrimaryGeneratorAction.hh:         //void SetGunOffset(G4double value); // handson S2
PrimaryGeneratorAction.hh:         //G4IAEAphspReader* theIAEAReader; // handson S2
PrimaryGeneratorAction.hh: //G4bool useiaeaFile; // handson S2
PrimaryGeneratorAction.hh: //G4String theFileName; // handson S2
PrimaryGeneratorAction.hh:         //G4double gunOffset; // handson S2
PrimaryGeneratorMessenger.hh://#include <G4UIcmdWithABool.hh> // handson S2
PrimaryGeneratorMessenger.hh: //G4UIcmdWithABool* cmduseIAEA; // handson S2
PrimaryGeneratorMessenger.hh: //G4UIcmdWithAString* cmdFileName; // handson S2
PrimaryGeneratorMessenger.hh:         //G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit* cmdGunOffset;// handson S2
dousatsu@dousatsunoMacBook-Pro include %
```

You can check the lines involved in step 2

# Step2 – 2 : Call G4IAEAphspReader in PrimaryGeneratorAction

⑤ Try to call G4IAEAphspReader in PrimaryGeneratorAction !

## PrimaryGeneratorAction.hh

```
#ifndef PRIMARY_GENERATOR_ACTION_HH
#define PRIMARY_GENERATOR_ACTION_HH

#include <G4UserPrimaryGeneratorAction.hh>
#include <G4ParticleDefinition.hh>

#include "PrimaryGeneratorMessenger.hh"
#include "RunAction.hh"

class G4ParticleGun;
class PrimaryGeneratorMessenger;
class G4IAEAphspReader; // handson S2

class PrimaryGeneratorAction : public G4UserPrimaryGeneratorAction
{
public:
    PrimaryGeneratorAction();
    ~PrimaryGeneratorAction();
    void GeneratePrimaries(G4Event* anEvent) override;
    void GenerateFromRandom();

    void SetGunRadius(G4double value);
    void SetGunMeanEnergy(G4double value);
    void SetGunStdEnergy(G4double value);
    void SetSource(G4String value);
    //void UseIAEAFile (G4bool value); // handson S2
    //void SetIAEAFileName(G4String value); // handson S2
    //void SetGunOffset(G4double value); // handson S2

private:
    G4ParticleGun* fGun;

    G4double gunRadius, gunMeanEnergy, gunStdEnergy;
    G4double energy;

    G4ParticleDefinition* particle;
    PrimaryGeneratorMessenger* priGenMessenger;
    G4ThreeVector position, direction;

    G4IAEAphspReader* theIAEAReader; // handson S2
    G4bool useiaeaFile; // handson S2
    G4String theFileName; // handson S2
    G4double gunOffset; // handson S2
};
#endif
```

keep these comment out the three lines

## PrimaryGeneratorAction.cc

```
#include <G4GeneralParticleSource.hh>
#include <Randomize.hh>
#include <G4RunManager.hh>
#include <G4PhysicalConstants.hh>

#include "G4IAEAphspReader.hh" // handson S2

using namespace std;

PrimaryGeneratorAction::PrimaryGeneratorAction()
: fGun(nullptr),
  useiaeaFile(false), theFileName(""), theIAEAReader(nullptr), gunOffset(0), //handson S2
  gunRadius(0), gunMeanEnergy(0), gunStdEnergy(0),
  energy(0),
  particle(nullptr)
{
    priGenMessenger = new PrimaryGeneratorMessenger(this);
    G4int n_particle = 1;
    fGun = new G4ParticleGun(n_particle);
    theIAEAReader = new G4IAEAphspReader(theFileName); // handson S2
}

PrimaryGeneratorAction::~PrimaryGeneratorAction()
{
    delete priGenMessenger;
    delete fGun;

    if (theIAEAReader) { delete theIAEAReader; } // handson S2
}

void PrimaryGeneratorAction::GeneratePrimaries(G4Event* anEvent)
{
    if(useiaeaFile){ // handson S2
        theIAEAReader->SetFileName(theFileName); // handson S2
        theIAEAReader->SetGunOffset(gunOffset); // handson S2
        theIAEAReader->GeneratePrimaryVertex(anEvent); // handson S2
    }else{ // handson S2
        GenerateFromRandom();
        fGun -> SetParticlePosition(position);
        fGun -> SetParticleMomentumDirection((G4ParticleMomentum)direction);
        fGun -> SetParticleEnergy(energy * MeV);
        fGun -> SetParticleDefinition(particle);
        // create vertex with previous specifications
        fGun -> GeneratePrimaryVertex(anEvent); // handson S2
    }
}
```

# Example of command to edit a file  
\$ gedit ../src/PrimaryGeneratorAction.cc

⑥ Make again and execute the command

\$ make  
\$ ./medical\_linac run.mac

Still running without PSF...  
Why?

→ useiaeaFile = false

Let's try to control the flag  
by macro command!

## Step2 – 3 : Setup Messenger Class ①

⑦ Try to implement class member functions

PrimaryGeneratorAction.hh    PrimaryGeneratorAction.cc

```
#ifndef PRIMARY_GENERATOR_ACTION_HH
#define PRIMARY_GENERATOR_ACTION_HH

#include <G4VUserPrimaryGeneratorAction.hh>
#include <G4ParticleDefinition.hh>

#include "PrimaryGeneratorMessenger.hh"
#include "RunAction.hh"

class G4ParticleGun;
class PrimaryGeneratorMessenger;
class G4IAEAphspReader; // handson S2

class PrimaryGeneratorAction : public G4VUserPrimaryGeneratorAction
{
public:
    PrimaryGeneratorAction();
    ~PrimaryGeneratorAction();
    void GeneratePrimaries(G4Event* anEvent) override;
    void GenerateFromRandom();

    void SetGunRadius(G4double value);
    void SetGunMeanEnergy(G4double value);
    void SetGunStdEnergy(G4double value);
    void SetSource(G4String value);
    void UseIAEAFile (G4bool value); // handson S2
    void SetIAEAFileName(G4String value); // handson S2
    void SetGunOffset(G4double value); // handson S2

private:
    G4ParticleGun* fGun;

    G4double gunRadius, gunMeanEnergy, gunStdEnergy;
    G4double energy;

    G4ParticleDefinition* particle;
    PrimaryGeneratorMessenger* priGenMessenger;
    G4ThreeVector position, direction;

    G4IAEAphspReader* theIAEAReader; // handson S2
    G4bool useiaeaFile; // handson S2
    G4String theFileName; // handson S2
    G4double gunOffset; // handson S2
};

#endif
```

```
void PrimaryGeneratorAction::GenerateFromRandom()
{
    DetectorConstruction* detector = (DetectorConstruction*)
        G4RunManager::GetRunManager() -> GetUserDetectorConstruction();

    G4double zPos = -(detector -> GetAccOriginPosition()) - 5.*mm; // 5mm before the target disk
    G4double alpha, rho, phi, sinTheta, cosTheta;

    sinTheta = G4RandGauss::shoot(0., 0.003);
    cosTheta = sqrt(1-sinTheta*sinTheta);
    phi = twopi * G4UniformRand();
    rho = gunRadius * G4UniformRand();
    alpha = twopi * G4UniformRand();

    particle = G4ParticleTable::GetParticleTable()->FindParticle("e-");
    direction = {sinTheta * cos(phi), sinTheta * sin(phi), cosTheta};
    position = {rho * sin(alpha), rho * cos(alpha), zPos};
    energy = G4RandGauss::shoot(gunMeanEnergy, gunStdEnergy);
}

void PrimaryGeneratorAction::SetGunRadius(G4double value)
{
    gunRadius = value;
}

void PrimaryGeneratorAction::SetGunMeanEnergy(G4double value)
{
    gunMeanEnergy = value;
}

void PrimaryGeneratorAction::SetGunStdEnergy(G4double value)
{
    gunStdEnergy = value;
}

void PrimaryGeneratorAction::UseIAEAFile(G4bool value) // handson S2
{
    useiaeaFile = value; // handson S2
}

void PrimaryGeneratorAction::SetIAEAFileName(G4String value) // handson S2
{
    theFileName = value; // handson S2
}

void PrimaryGeneratorAction::SetGunOffset(G4double value) // handson S2
{
    gunOffset = value; // handson S2
}

void PrimaryGeneratorAction::SetGunOffset(G4double value) // handson S2
{
    gunOffset = value; // handson S2
}
```

⑧ Check the application can be compiled without error

\$ make

~/Work/AIST/G4Work/medical\_linac\_handson/include/PrimaryGeneratorAction.hh | ~/Work/AIST/G4Work/medical\_linac\_handson/src/PrimaryGeneratorAction.cc[+]

## Step2 – 4 : Setup Messenger Class ②

### ⑨ Implement use macro commands in PrimaryGeneratorMessenger

PrimaryGeneratorMessenger.hh    PrimaryGeneratorMessenger.cc

```
#ifndef PRIMARY_GENERATOR_MESSENGER_HH
#define PRIMARY_GENERATOR_MESSENGER_HH

#include <G4UImessenger.hh>
#include <G4UIDirectory.hh>
#include <G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit.hh>
#include <G4UIcmdWithABool.hh> // handson S2
#include <G4UIcmdWithAString.hh>
#include <G4SystemOfUnits.hh>

#include "PrimaryGeneratorAction.hh"
// #include "HistoManager.hh"

class PrimaryGeneratorAction;
class HistoManager;
class G4UIDirectory;
class G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit;

class PrimaryGeneratorMessenger : public G4UImessenger
{
public:
    PrimaryGeneratorMessenger(PrimaryGeneratorAction* );
    ~PrimaryGeneratorMessenger();
    void SetNewValue(G4UIcommand*, G4String) override;

private:
    PrimaryGeneratorAction* primaryGenPointer;

    G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit* cmdGunRadius;
    G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit* cmdGunMeanEnergy;
    G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit* cmdGunStdEnergy;
    G4UIcmdWithABool* cmduseIAEA; // handson S2
    G4UIcmdWithAString* cmdFileName; // handson S2
    G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit* cmdGunOffset; // handson S2
};

#endif /* PRIMARY_GENERATOR_MESSENGER_HH */
```

```
#include "PrimaryGeneratorMessenger.hh"

PrimaryGeneratorMessenger::~PrimaryGeneratorMessenger()
{
    delete cmdGunRadius;
    delete cmdGunMeanEnergy;
    delete cmdGunStdEnergy;
    delete cmduseIAEA; // handson S2
    delete cmdFileName; // handson S2
    delete cmdGunOffset; // handson S2
}

PrimaryGeneratorMessenger::PrimaryGeneratorMessenger(PrimaryGeneratorAction* myGun)
{
    cmduseIAEA(new G4UIcmdWithABool("/PrimaryGenerator/useiaeaFile", this); // handson S2
    primaryGenPointer(myGun);
    cmdGunRadius(new G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit("/PrimaryGenerator/gunRadius", this);
    cmdGunRadius -> SetDefaultUnit("mm");
    cmdGunRadius -> SetDefaultValue(1.);
    primaryGenPointer -> SetGunRadius(1.*mm);

    cmdGunMeanEnergy = new G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit("/PrimaryGenerator/gunMeanEnergy", this);
    cmdGunMeanEnergy -> SetDefaultUnit("MeV");
    cmdGunMeanEnergy -> SetDefaultValue(12.);
    primaryGenPointer -> SetGunMeanEnergy(12.*MeV);

    cmdGunStdEnergy = new G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit("/PrimaryGenerator/gunStdEnergy", this);
    cmdGunStdEnergy -> SetDefaultUnit("MeV");
    cmdGunStdEnergy -> SetDefaultValue(0.127);
    primaryGenPointer -> SetGunStdEnergy(0.127*MeV);

    cmduseIAEA = new G4UIcmdWithABool("/PrimaryGenerator/useiaeaFile", this); // handson S2
    cmduseIAEA -> SetDefaultValue(false); // handson S2
    cmduseIAEA -> SetGuidance("flag to use IAEA phase space file"); // handson S2
    primaryGenPointer -> UseIAEAFile(false); // handson S2

    cmdFileName = new G4UIcmdWithAString("/PrimaryGenerator/iaeaFileName", this); // handson S2
    cmdFileName -> SetDefaultValue("IAEAPSF/Varian_Clinac_600C_6MV_10x10"); // handson S2
    cmdFileName -> SetGuidance("Set the IAEA file name "); // handson S2
    primaryGenPointer -> SetIAEAFileName("IAEAPSF/Varian_Clinac_600C_6MV_10x10"); // handson S2

    cmdGunOffset = new G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit("/PrimaryGenerator/gunOffset", this); // handson S2
    cmdGunOffset -> SetDefaultUnit("mm"); // handson S2
    cmdGunOffset -> SetDefaultValue(0.); // handson S2
    primaryGenPointer -> SetGunOffset(0.*mm); // handson S2
}
```

```
void PrimaryGeneratorMessenger::SetNewValue(G4UIcommand* cmd, G4String newValue)
{
    if ( cmd == cmdGunRadius )
    {
        cmdGunRadius -> GetNewUnitValue(newValue);
        primaryGenPointer -> SetGunRadius(cmdGunRadius -> GetNewDoubleValue(newValue));
    }
    else if ( cmd == cmdGunMeanEnergy )
    {
        cmdGunMeanEnergy -> GetNewUnitValue(newValue);
        primaryGenPointer -> SetGunMeanEnergy(cmdGunMeanEnergy -> GetNewDoubleValue(newValue));
    }
    else if ( cmd == cmdGunStdEnergy )
    {
        cmdGunStdEnergy -> GetNewUnitValue(newValue);
        primaryGenPointer -> SetGunStdEnergy(cmdGunStdEnergy -> GetNewDoubleValue(newValue));
    }
    else if ( cmd == cmduseIAEA ) // handson S2
    {
        primaryGenPointer -> UseIAEAFile(newValue); // handson S2
    }
    else if ( cmd == cmdFileName ) // handson S2
    {
        primaryGenPointer -> SetIAEAFileName(newValue); // handson S2
    }
    else if ( cmd == cmdGunOffset ) // handson S2
    {
        cmdGunOffset -> GetNewUnitValue(newValue); // handson S2
        primaryGenPointer -> SetGunOffset(cmdGunOffset -> GetNewDoubleValue(newValue)); // handson S2
    }
    else
    {
        G4cerr << "PrimaryGeneratorMessenger::SetNewValue: command not found" << G4endl;
    }
}
```

⑩ Check the application can be compiled without error

\$ make

# Step2 – 5 : control IAES PSF via macro commands

## ⑪ control the class member via macro commands

in run.mac

```
#### verbotities
/control/verbose 1
/material/verbose 0
/run/verbose 0
/process/em/verbose 0

#/run/numberOfThreads 4

/physics/addPhysics standard_opt3

/PrimaryGenerator/useiaeaFile true # handson S2
/PrimaryGenerator/iaeaFileName IAEAPSF/VarianClinaciX_6MV_4x4 # handson S2
/PrimaryGenerator/gunOffset 0 cm # handson S2

/run/initialize

#/DetectorConstruction/PlateIonChamber/sensitiveMaterial G4_AIR # handson S4
#/DetectorConstruction/PlateIonChamber/sensitiveMaterial G4_WATER # handson S4

#/score/create/boxMesh boxMesh_1 # handson S3
#/score/mesh/translate/xyz 0 0 130 mm # handson S3
#/score/mesh/boxSize 127.5 127.5 127.5 mm # half dim # handson S3
#/score/mesh/nBin 51 51 51 # handson S3
#/score/quantity/doseDeposit dDep # handson S3
#/score/close # handson S3
#/score/list # handson S3

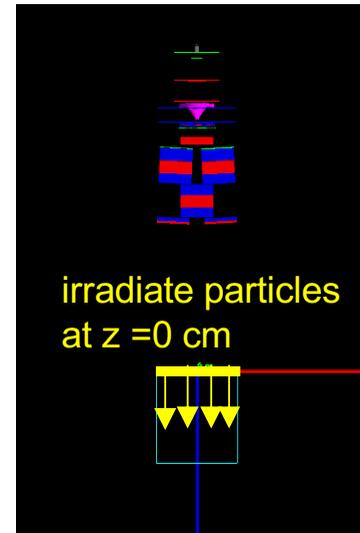
#
#/run/printProgress 100000
/run/beamOn 1000000 # handson S1
#/run/beamOn 99999908 # handson S2 for IAEAPSF/VarianClinaciX_6MV_4x4

#/score/drawProjection boxMesh_1 dDep
#/score/dumpQuantityToFile boxMesh_1 dDep dDep.txt # handson S3
~
```

activate IAEA PSF

set PSF file name

set Z position (see IAEAheader)



## ⑫ Execute the command

```
$ ./medical_linac run.mac
```

```
-----End of Global Run-----
The run was 10000000 events
Graphics systems deleted.
Visualization Manager deleting...
File IAEAPSF/VarianClinaciX_6MV_4x4.IEAphsp closed successfully!
```

## Step 3-1: How to score dose depth curve

### ⑬ Score the dose in water phantom using built-in scorerer

```
#### verbosity
/control/verbose 1
/material/verbose 0
/run/verbose 0
/process/em/verbose 0

#/run/numberOfThreads 4

/physics/addPhysics standard_opt3

/PrimaryGenerator/useiaeaFile true # handson S2
/PrimaryGenerator/iaeaFileName IAEAPSF/VarianClinacIX_6MV_4x4 # handson S2
/PrimaryGenerator/gunOffset 0 cm # handson S2

/run/initialize

#/DetectorConstruction/PlateIonChamber/sensitiveMaterial G4_AIR # handson S4
#/DetectorConstruction/PlateIonChamber/sensitiveMaterial G4_WATER # handson S4
```

in run.mac

```
/score/create/boxMesh boxMesh_1 # handson S3
/score/mesh/translate/xyz 0 0 130 mm # handson S3
/score/mesh/boxSize 127.5 127.5 127.5 mm # half dim # handson S3
/score/mesh/nBin 51 51 51 # handson S3
/score/quantity/doseDeposit dDep # handson S3
/score/close # handson S3
/score/list # handson S3
```

```
#
#/run/printProgress 100000
/run/beamOn 1000000 # handson S1
#/run/beamOn 99999908 # handson S2 for IAEAPSF/VarianClinacIX_6MV_4x4
```

```
#/score/drawProjection boxMesh_1 dDep
/score/dumpQuantityToFile boxMesh_1 dDep dDep.txt # handson S3
```

```
~
~
~
```

```
~/Work/AIST/G4Work/temp/run.mac[+]
```

### ⑭ Execute the command

```
$ ./medical_linac run.mac
```

## Step 3-2: How to score dose depth curve

### Output (dDep.txt)

```
# mesh name: boxMesh_1
# primitive scorer name: dDep
# iX, iY, iZ, total(value) [Gy], total(val^2), entry
0,0,0,7.796356176683776e-13,3.569651199357745e-25,2
0,0,1,0,0,0
0,0,2,0,0,0
0,0,3,6.950653182524247e-13,4.831157966373445e-25,1
0,0,4,0,0,0
0,0,5,3.570276338500415e-13,1.274562847554965e-25,2
0,0,6,8.599334722933601e-14,7.269877901436412e-27,3
0,0,7,0,0,0
0,0,8,0,0,0
0,0,9,9.816770899260732e-14,9.636899088857236e-27,1
0,0,10,0,0,0
0,0,11,0,0,0
0,0,12,0,0,0
0,0,13,2.084636259308203e-13,4.345708333622496e-26,1
0,0,14,2.883633751315342e-13,8.315343611724991e-26,1
0,0,15,6.961137370037926e-16,4.845743348453854e-31,1
0,0,16,0,0,0
0,0,17,6.52242274348606e-14,4.254199844474423e-27,1
0,0,18,8.998883944111127e-13,6.99633712694326e-25,2
0,0,19,1.846215513903086e-12,2.189317572626159e-24,3
0,0,20,9.774618772686162e-13,7.443959118805567e-25,2
0,0,21,2.416287802079945e-13,3.50603901835526e-26,4
0,0,22,4.262672357678367e-13,5.813467009341347e-26,4
0,0,23,1.018564440357023e-13,7.452892332779504e-27,3
0,0,24,1.042086627532287e-13,6.641112973223942e-27,2
0,0,25,7.710901093569812e-14,5.937582280697706e-27,2
0,0,26,7.805803782701159e-13,3.917591186055819e-25,3
0,0,27,1.195141306212593e-12,1.152844398550952e-24,2
0,0,28,1.434759264955879e-12,7.563865324732861e-25,3
0,0,29,7.075212351823224e-17,3.146932977555055e-33,2
0,0,30,1.816851752161193e-13,3.300950289331196e-26,1
0,0,31,3.431623453588294e-13,6.704769074913732e-26,2
0,0,32,3.176154175012638e-13,5.667579638820665e-26,3
0,0,33,3.407273834474835e-13,1.057819255220334e-25,3
0,0,34,1.020617802811879e-12,5.603239193991691e-25,3
~/Work/AIST/G4Work/temp/dDep.txt
```

### Analysis Code (Draw\_PDD.C )

```
struct DataEntry {
    int iX, iY, iZ;
    double totalValue;
    double totalValueSquared;
    int entry;
};

void Draw_PDD() {
    ifstream file("dDep.txt");

    string line;
    vector<DataEntry> data;

    int nbins =51;
    TH1F *h1pdd = new TH1F("pdd","pdd",nbins,0,nbins);
    TH1F *h1ocr = new TH1F("ocr","ocr",nbins,0,nbins);

    while (std::getline(file, line)) {
        if (line.empty() || line[0] == '#') continue;
        stringstream ss(line);
        string token;
        DataEntry entry;

        getline(ss, token, ',');entry.iX = std::stoi(token);
        getline(ss, token, ',');entry.iY = std::stoi(token);
        getline(ss, token, ',');entry.iZ = std::stoi(token);
        getline(ss, token, ',');entry.totalValue = std::stod(token);
        getline(ss, token, ',');entry.totalValueSquared = std::stod(token);
        getline(ss, token, ',');entry.entry = std::stoi(token);

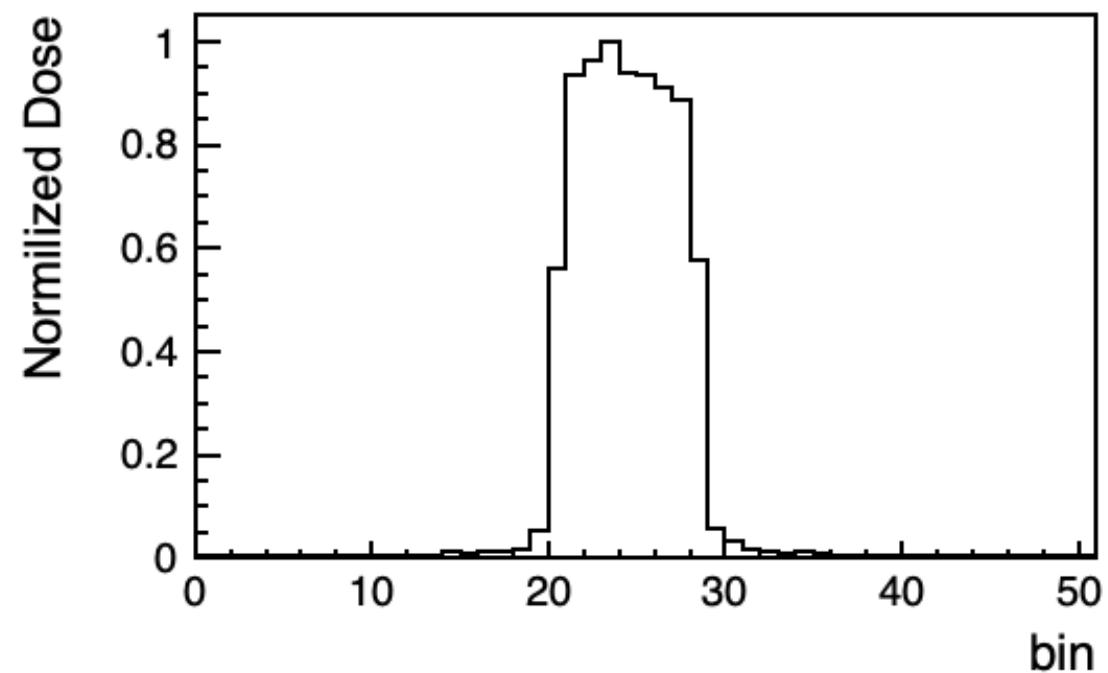
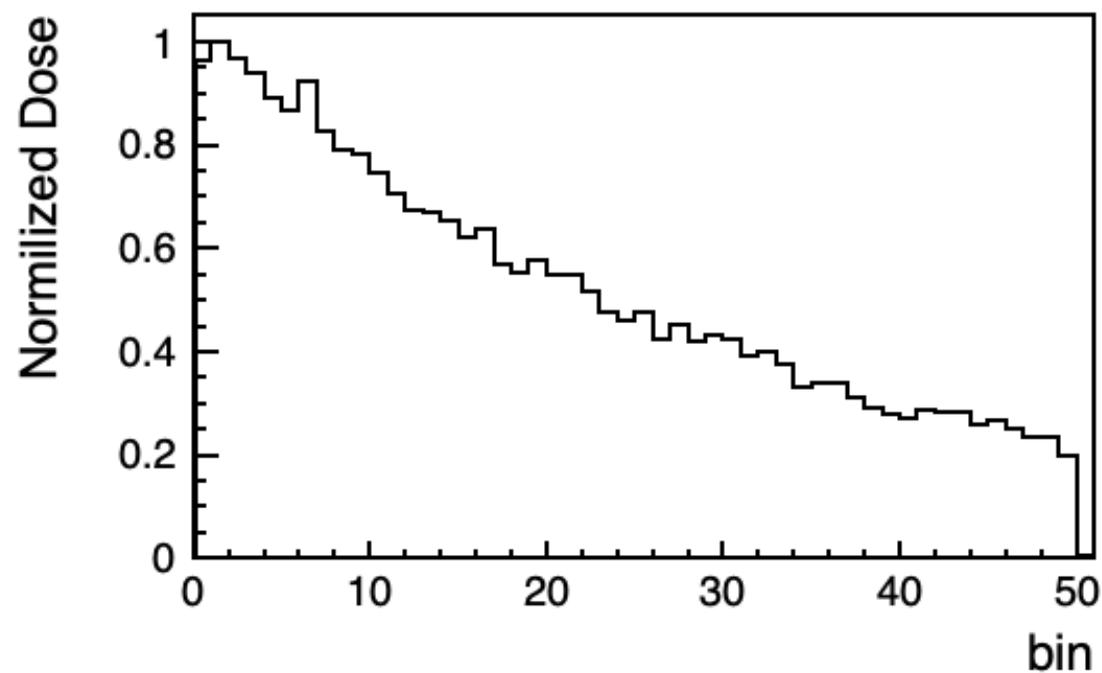
        if(entry.iX==25 && entry.iY==25){
            h1pdd->SetBinContent(entry.iZ,entry.totalValue);
        }
        if(entry.iY==25 && entry.iZ==5){
            h1ocr->SetBinContent(entry.iX,entry.totalValue);
        }
    }

    TCanvas *cpdd = new TCanvas("cpdd", "cpdd",1200,400);
    cpdd->Divide(2,1);
    cpdd->cd(1);
    h1pdd->SetTitle("");
    h1pdd->SetXTitle("bin");
    h1pdd->SetYTitle("Normalized Dose");
    h1pdd->Scale(1./((double)h1pdd->GetMaximum());
    h1pdd->Draw("hist");
    cpdd->cd(2);
    h1ocr->SetTitle("");
    h1ocr->SetXTitle("bin");
    h1ocr->SetYTitle("Normalized Dose");
    h1ocr->Scale(1./((double)h1ocr->GetMaximum());
    h1ocr->Draw("hist");
}
```

⑮ Execute the command

```
$ root -l Draw_PDD.C
```

## Step 3-3: Results



execute `.q` in the root command interface to exit

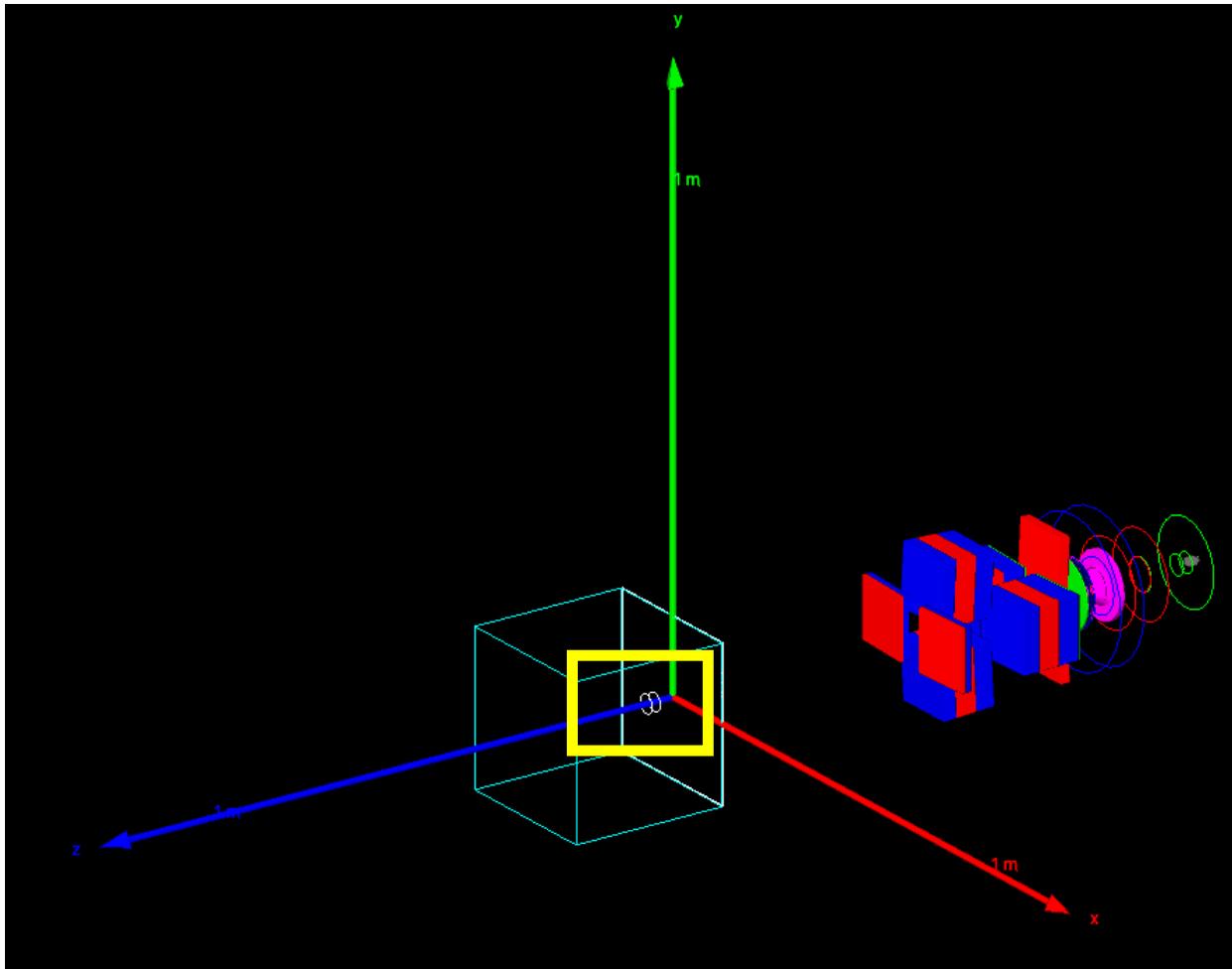
```
root [3] .q  
g4vm:/build < 294 >
```



# Hands-on completed! Congratulations!

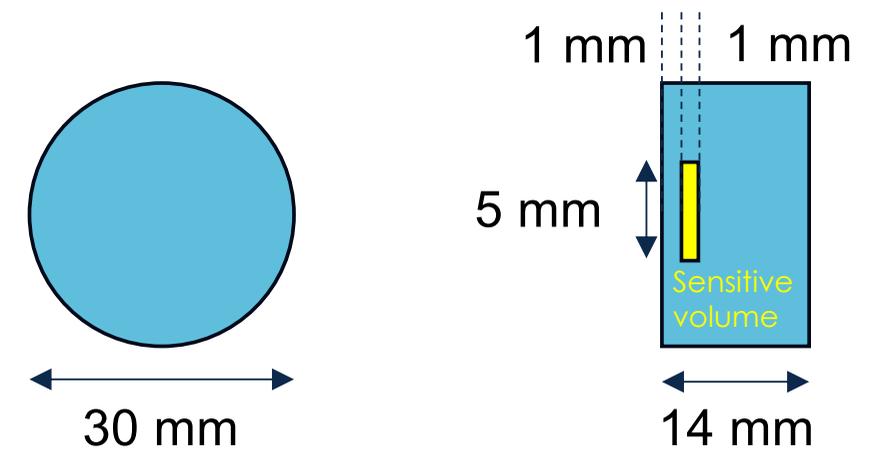
→ Next page, advance hands-on  
for those who are not novice users.  
(We don't support this section in the tutorial)

## Step 4-1: Dosimetry using Ionization Chamber (IC)



Score absorbed dose using ionization chamber

Plane parallel ionization chamber



Place IC surface at 3 cm depth

# Step 4-2: Construct an Ionization Chamber (IC)

## DetectorConstruction.hh

```
G4Material* mat_Kapton;
G4Material* mat_XC10;
G4Material* mat_WNICU;
G4Material* mat_Ssteel;
G4ThreeVector accHalfSize;
G4ThreeVector jaw1XInitialPos;
G4ThreeVector jaw2XInitialPos;
G4ThreeVector jaw1YInitialPos;
G4ThreeVector jaw2YInitialPos;
G4double jawAperture;
G4double fieldSide;
G4double sourceToSkinDistance;
G4double phantomSideDim, voxelSideDim, voxelDepthDim;
G4int nSideCells, nDepthCells;
G4double tubeFFRadius, tubeFFFistFaceZ;
G4MultiFunctionalDetector* phantomDetector3D;
G4VPrimitiveScorer* phantomScorer3D;
```

```
G4Material* mat_icsens; // handson S4
G4VPhysicalVolume* ic_phys; // handson S4
```

```
};
#endif
~/Work/AIST/G4Work/medical_linac_handson/include/DetectorConstruction.hh
```

## DetectorConstruction.cc

```
#include <G4LogicalVolumeStore.hh>
#include <G4SolidStore.hh>
#include <G4Transform3D.hh>
#include <CLHEP/Vector/Rotation.h>

#include "G4SDManager.hh" //handson S4

G4VPhysicalVolume* DetectorConstruction::Construct()
{
    detectorMessenger = new DetectorMessenger(this);

    //----- Visualization attributes -----
    // Phantom
    G4VisAttributes* simpleH20VisAtt= new G4VisAttributes(G4Colour::Cyan());
    simpleH20VisAtt->SetVisibility(true);
    simpleH20VisAtt->SetForceSolid(false);
    Phantom_log->SetVisAttributes(simpleH20VisAtt);

    G4double icbodyradius = 15*mm; // handson S4
    G4double icbodythick = 14*mm; // handson S4
    G4double icdepth = 3*cm; // handson S4
    G4Tubs *icbody = new G4Tubs("icbody", 0, icbodyradius, icbodythick/2.,0,CLHEP::twopi); // handson S4
    //G4Material* pmma = G4NistManager::Instance()->FindOrBuildMaterial("G4_PLEXIGLASS"); // handson S4
    G4Material* grap = G4NistManager::Instance()->FindOrBuildMaterial("G4_GRAPHITE_POROUS"); // handson S4
    G4LogicalVolume* icbodyLV = new G4LogicalVolume(icbody, grap, "icbodyLV", 0, 0, 0); // handson S4
    G4VPhysicalVolume* icbody_phys = new G4PVPlacement(nullptr, {0., 0., -phantomHalfDim.getZ()+icbodythick/2+icdepth}, "icbody", icbodyLV, phantom_phys, false, 1); // handson S4

    G4double windowthick = 1 *mm; // handson S4
    G4double sensitivevolumeradius = 2.5*mm; // handson S4
    G4double sensitivevolumethick = 1 *mm; // handson S4
    G4Tubs *icsens = new G4Tubs("icsens", 0, sensitivevolumeradius, sensitivevolumethick/2.,0,CLHEP::twopi); // handson S4
    mat_icsens = G4NistManager::Instance()->FindOrBuildMaterial("G4_AIR"); // handson S4
    G4LogicalVolume* icsensLV = new G4LogicalVolume(icsens, mat_icsens, "icsensLV", 0, 0, 0); // handson S4
    ic_phys = new G4PVPlacement(nullptr, {0., 0., -icbodythick/2. + sensitivevolumethick/2. + windowthick}, "icsens", icsensLV, icbody_phys, false, 1); // handson S4

    auto plateionchamber = new G4MultiFunctionalDetector("plateionchamber"); // handson S4
    G4SDManager::GetSDMpointer()->AddNewDetector(plateionchamber); // handson S4
    G4VPrimitiveScorer* primitiv = new G4PSDoseDeposit("dose"); // handson S4
    //see other classes G4PSFlatSurfaceCurrent, G4PSFlatSurfaceFlux // handson S4
    plateionchamber->RegisterPrimitive(primitiv); // handson S4
    SetSensitiveDetector("icsensLV", plateionchamber); // handson S4
}

~/Work/AIST/G4Work/medical_linac_handson/src/DetectorConstruction.cc [Line:99/1105]
```

## Step 4-3: Check the geometry

medical\_linac\_handson — vi run.mac — 99x40

```
#### verbosity
/control/verbose 1
/material/verbose 0
/run/verbose 0
/process/em/verbose 0

#/run/numberOfThreads 4

/physics/addPhysics standard_opt3
/PrimaryGenerator/useIaeaFile true # handson S2
/PrimaryGenerator/iaeaFileName IAEAPSF/VarianClinaciX_6MV_4x4 # handson S2
/PrimaryGenerator/gunOffset 0 cm # handson S2

/run/initialize

#/DetectorConstruction/PlateIonChamber/sensitiveMaterial G4_AIR # handson S4
#/DetectorConstruction/PlateIonChamber/sensitiveMaterial G4_WATER # handson S4

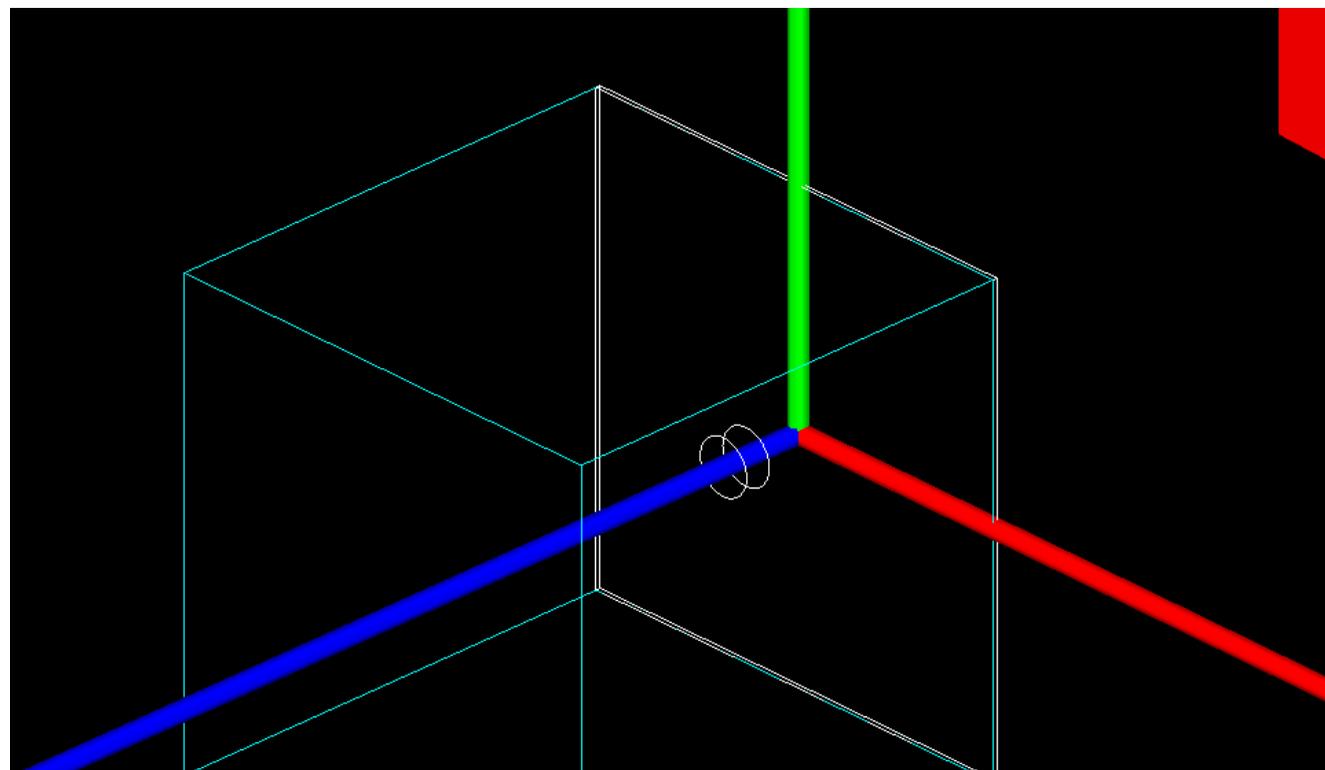
#/score/create/boxMesh boxMesh_1 # handson S3
#/score/mesh/translate/xyz 0 0 130 mm # handson S3
#/score/mesh/boxSize 127.5 127.5 127.5 mm # half dim # handson S3
#/score/mesh/nBin 51 51 51 # handson S3
#/score/quantity/doseDeposit dDep # handson S3
#/score/close # handson S3
#/score/list # handson S3

#
#/run/printProgress 100000
/run/beamOn 1000000 # handson S1
#/run/beamOn 99999908 # handson S2 for IAEAPSF/VarianClinaciX_6MV_4x4

#/score/drawProjection boxMesh_1 dDep
#/score/dumpQuantityToFile boxMesh_1 dDep dDep.txt # handson S3

~
~
~/Work/AIST/G4Work/medical_linac_handson/run.mac[+] [Line:10/35]
```

```
$ make
$ ./medical_linac
```



## Step 4-3: Try to score the dose

### RunAction.hh

```
#ifndef RUNACTION_HH
#define RUNACTION_HH
#include <G4UserRunAction.hh>

class RunAction : public G4UserRunAction
{
public:
    RunAction(); // handson S4
    ~RunAction(); // handson S4
public:
    void BeginOfRunAction(const G4Run* aRun) override; // handson S4
    void EndOfRunAction(const G4Run* aRun) override; // handson S4
    //void EndOfRunAction(const G4Run*); //handson S4 comment out
};

#endif
~
```

```
$ make
```

```
$ ./medical_linac run.mac
```

```
... write file : output.root - done
... close file : output.root - done
... delete empty file : output.root - done
```

```
-----End of Global Run-----
The run was 10000000 events
Graphics systems deleted.
Visualization Manager deleting...
File IAEAPSF/VarianClinaciX_6MV_4x4.IEAphsp closed successfully!
```

### RunAction.cc

```
#include "RunAction.hh"
#include "G4Run.hh"

#include "G4AnalysisManager.hh" //handson S4
#include "G4RootAnalysisManager.hh" //handson S4

RunAction::RunAction() // handson S4
{
    // handson S4
    auto am = G4AnalysisManager::Instance(); // handson S4
    am->SetFileName("output"); // handson S4
    am->SetVerboseLevel(1); // handson S4
    am->SetDefaultFileType("root"); // handson S4
    am->SetNtupleDirectoryName("ntuple"); // handson S4
    am->CreateNtuple("SimInfo", "Event by Event data"); // handson S4
    am->CreateNtupleDColumn("dose"); // handson S4
    am->FinishNtuple(); // handson S4
}

RunAction::~RunAction() //handson S4
{
    //handson S4
}

void RunAction::BeginOfRunAction(const G4Run* run) // handson S4
{
    // handson S4
    auto am = G4AnalysisManager::Instance(); // handson S4
    am->OpenFile(); // handson S4
}

void RunAction::EndOfRunAction(const G4Run* run)
{
    // handson S4
    auto am = G4AnalysisManager::Instance(); // handson S4
    am->Write(); // handson S4
    am->CloseFile(); // handson S4

    G4int nofEvents = run->GetNumberOfEvent();
    if (IsMaster())
    {
        G4cout
        << "\n-----End of Global Run-----"
        << " \n The run was " << nofEvents << " events " << G4endl;
    }
}

~/Work/AIST/G4Work/medical_linac_handson/src/RunAction.cc[+]
```

but... the output file is always empty... why? : You did not read/save the dose!

## Step 4-4: Score and Save the dose

So... How? → See EventAction\_handson.cc

```
void EventAction::EndOfEventAction(const G4Event* evt)
{
    auto am = G4AnalysisManager::Instance();

    // Hits collections
    G4HCofThisEvent* HCE = evt->GetHCofThisEvent();
    if (!HCE) return;

    if (fCollID_plateionchamber < 0) {
        G4SDManager* SDMan = G4SDManager::GetSDMpointer();
        fCollID_plateionchamber = SDMan->GetCollectionID("plateionchamber/dose");
    }

    auto evtMap = static_cast<G4THitsMap<G4double>*>(HCE->GetHC(fCollID_plateionchamber));

    for (auto& mapElement : (*evtMap->GetMap())) {
        auto dose = *(mapElement.second);
        auto copyNb = mapElement.first;
        //G4cout << " plate ion chamber :No-" << copyNb << " : " << dose/gray << " Gy " <<G4endl;
        am->FillNtupleDColumn(0, 0, dose/gray);
        am->AddNtupleRow();
    }
}

//...ooo0000ooo.....ooo0000ooo.....ooo0000ooo.....ooo0000ooo.....
```

```
~/Work/AIST/G4Work/medical_linac_handson/src/EventAction_handson.cc
```

```
$ make
$ ./medical_linac run.mac
```

Then, output.root is created!

And activate it via ActionInitialization.cc

```
#include "ActionInitialization.hh"
#include "PrimaryGeneratorAction.hh"
#include "RunAction.hh"
#include "EventAction_handson.hh"//handson S4
#include "StackingAction.hh"
#include "SteppingAction.hh"

void ActionInitialization::Build() const
{
    SetUserAction(new PrimaryGeneratorAction());
    RunAction* theRunAction = new RunAction();
    SetUserAction(theRunAction);
    SetUserAction(new EventAction(theRunAction)); //handson S4
    SetUserAction(new StackingAction());
    SetUserAction(new SteppingAction());
}

void ActionInitialization::BuildForMaster() const
{
    SetUserAction(new RunAction());
}
~
~
~
~/Work/AIST/G4Work/medical_linac_handson/src/ActionInitialization.cc[+]
```

## Step 4-5: Calculate dose in the IC

### Analysis code (Calc\_dose.C)

```
void Calc_dose(){
    TFile* f = new TFile("output.root", "READ");
    //f->ls();

    TTree* tree = (TTree*)f->Get("ntuple/SimInfo");
    //tree->Print();

    double dose=0;
    double totaldose=0;
    double totaldose_e=0;

    vector<double> vdose;

    int entries = tree->GetEntries();

    tree->SetBranchAddress("dose", &dose);
    for(int i=0; i<entries; ++i){
        tree->GetEntry(i);
        vdose.push_back(dose);
    }

    totaldose = calculateSum(vdose);
    totaldose_e = calculateStandardError(vdose);

    cout<< " Total Dose = " << totaldose <<" +- " << totaldose_e<<" Gy "<<endl;
}
}
```

```
$ root -l Calc_dose.C
```

# Step 4-6: Set function to change the material of sensitive volume

## DetectorConstruction.hh

```
class G4LogicalVolume;
class DetectorMessenger;
class DetectorConstruction : public G4VUserDetectorConstruction
{
public:

    G4VPhysicalVolume* Construct() override;

    void SetJaws(G4double value);
    void SetTargetPosition(G4double value);
    void SetPhantomSide(G4double value);
    void SetVoxelSide(G4double value);
    void SetVoxelDepth(G4double value);
    void SetICSensMaterial(G4String value); // handson S4

    void UpdateGeometry(G4String, G4double);
    void UpdateGeometry(G4String, G4String); // handson S4

    G4int GetNumberSideCells() const;
    G4int GetNumberDepthCells() const;
    G4int GetPhantomDepth() const;
```

```
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```

## DetectorConstruction.cc

```
void DetectorConstruction::SetVoxelDepth(G4double value)
{
    voxelDepthDim = value;
}

void DetectorConstruction::SetICSensMaterial(G4String value) // handson S4
{ // handson S4
    mat_icsens = G4NistManager::Instance()->FindOrBuildMaterial(value); // handson S4
} // handson S4

else
    G4cerr << "*** DetectorMessenger::UpdateGeometry: Command not found" << G4endl;

G4RunManager::GetRunManager()->GeometryHasBeenModified();
}

void DetectorConstruction::UpdateGeometry(G4String string, G4String value) // handson S4
{ // handson S4
    if (string == "icsensMat") // handson S4
    { // handson S4
        ic_phys -> GetLogicalVolume() ->SetMaterial(G4NistManager::Instance()->FindOrBuildMaterial(value)); // handson S4
    } // handson S4
    else // handson S4
        G4cerr << "*** DetectorMessenger::UpdateGeometry: Command not found" << G4endl; // handson S4

    G4RunManager::GetRunManager()->GeometryHasBeenModified(); // handson S4
} // handson S4
```

```
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```

# Step 4-7: Set messenger class

## DetectorMessenger.hh

```
#ifndef DETECTOR_MESSENGER_HH
#define DETECTOR_MESSENGER_HH

#include <G4UImessenger.hh>
#include <G4UIDirectory.hh>
#include <G4UIcmdWithAString.hh> // handson S4
#include <G4UIcmdWithADouble.hh>
#include <G4UIcmdWithoutParameter.hh>
#include <G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit.hh>
#include <G4SystemOfUnits.hh>

#include "DetectorConstruction.hh"

class DetectorConstruction;
class G4UIDirectory;
class G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit;

// Messenger class that defines commands for DetectorConstruction.
//
// It implements commands:
// - Acc/fieldSide
// - Acc/sourceToSkinDistance
// - Phantom/phantomSide
// - Phantom/voxelSide
// - Phantom/voxelDepth

class DetectorMessenger : public G4UImessenger
{
public:
    DetectorMessenger(DetectorConstruction* );
    ~DetectorMessenger();
    void SetNewValue(G4UIcommand*, G4String) override;

private:
    DetectorConstruction* detPointer;

    G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit* fieldSide;
    G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit* sourceToSkinDistance;
    G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit* phantomSide;
    G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit* voxelSide;
    G4UIcmdWithADoubleAndUnit* voxelDepth;
    G4UIcmdWithAString* icsensMat; // handson S4
};

#endif
~
~
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```

## DetectorMessenger.cc

```
#include "DetectorMessenger.hh"
#include <G4RunManager.hh> //handson S4

DetectorMessenger::~DetectorMessenger()
{
    // UI commands and directory have to be deleted
    delete fieldSide;
    delete sourceToSkinDistance;
    delete phantomSide;
    delete voxelSide;
    delete voxelDepth;
    delete icsensMat; //handson S4
}

icsensMat = new G4UIcmdWithAString("/DetectorConstruction/PlateIonChamber/sensitiveMaterial", this); // handson S4
icsensMat -> SetDefaultValue("G4_AIR"); // handson S4
icsensMat -> SetGuidance("Set the Material of SensitiveVolume"); // handson S4
detPointer -> SetICSensMaterial("G4_AIR"); // handson S4

else if (cmd == icsensMat) // handson S4
{ // handson S4
    detPointer -> SetICSensMaterial(newValue); // handson S4
    detPointer -> UpdateGeometry("icsensMat", newValue); // handson S4
} // handson S4
else
    G4cerr << "DetectorMessenger::SetNewValue: command not found" << G4endl;
}

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```

## Step 4-8: change the material of the sensitive volume

```
#### verboties
/control/verbose 1
/material/verbose 0
/run/verbose 0
/process/em/verbose 0

#/run/numberOfThreads 4

/physics/addPhysics standard_opt3

/PrimaryGenerator/useiaeaFile true # handson S2
/PrimaryGenerator/iaeaFileName IAEAPSF/VarianClinaciX_6MV_4x4 # handson S2
/PrimaryGenerator/gunOffset 0 cm # handson S2

/run/initialize

#/DetectorConstruction/PlateIonChamber/sensitiveMaterial G4_AIR # handson S4
#/DetectorConstruction/PlateIonChamber/sensitiveMaterial G4_WATER # handson S4

#/score/create/boxMesh boxMesh_1 # handson S3
#/score/mesh/translate/xyz 0 0 130 mm # handson S3
#/score/mesh/boxSize 127.5 127.5 127.5 mm # half dim # handson S3
#/score/mesh/nBin 51 51 51 # handson S3
#/score/quantity/doseDeposit dDep # handson S3
#/score/close # handson S3
#/score/list # handson S3

#
#/run/printProgress 100000
/run/beamOn 10000000 # handson S1
#/run/beamOn 99999908 # handson S2 for IAEAPSF/VarianClinaciX_6MV_4x4

#/score/drawProjection boxMesh_1 dDep
#/score/dumpQuantityToFile boxMesh_1 dDep dDep.txt # handson S3
```

```
$ make
$ ./medical_linac run.mac
$ root -l Calc_dose.C
```

Try to calculate the ratio of  
dose to water and dose to air !

Challenge! (without any help)

1. Try to implement macro command to change depth of the IC
2. Try to implement macro command to change material of IC-body