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GMCJDriver Neutrino telescopes

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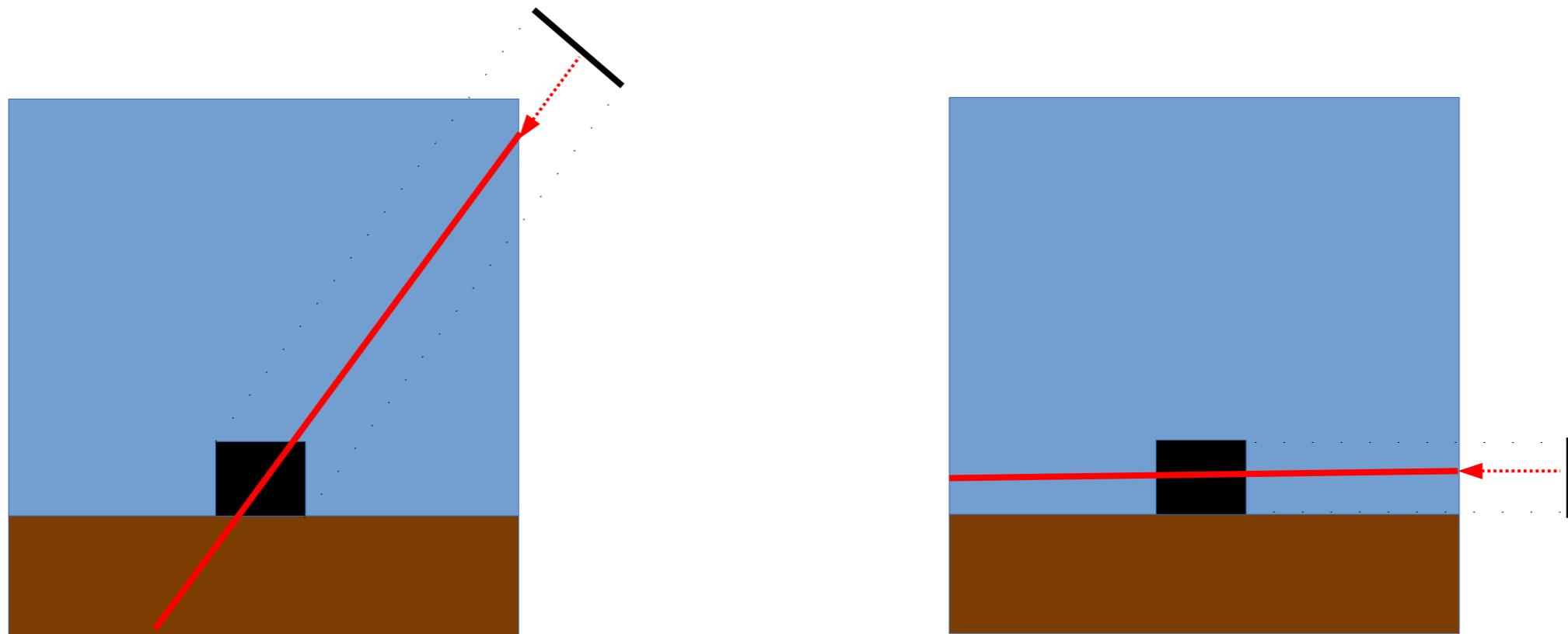
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GMCJDriver

- This class allows event generation with complex flux and geometries.
- Who does it work:
 - Compute maximum probability of interaction in a particular energy range:
 $P_{\text{int}}^{\text{max}}(E_{\text{min}}, E_{\text{max}}) = 1 - \exp[-N_A \text{sig}(E_{\text{min}}, E_{\text{max}}) \rho l_{\text{max}}] \sim N_A \text{sig}(E_{\text{min}}, E_{\text{max}}) \rho l_{\text{max}}$
 - Shoot neutrino with energy E in geometry.
 - Compute its $P_{\text{int}}/P_{\text{int}}^{\text{max}}[E]$
 - Use accept/reject method to decide whether the neutrino interacts.
 - Weight event with $P_{\text{int}}^{\text{max}}[E]$.
- This method is really efficient if the differences between path lengths are similar inside the geometry.

Neutrino telescopes

- Neutrinos are generated isotropically around the geometry.
- Cylinder is used as default geometry for these experiments.
 - We 'lose' an important fraction ($\sim 25\%$ assuming $2 \times \text{Diameter} = \text{Height}$).
- Would it be possible to force all neutrinos to interact?



New GMCJDriver

- Add additional option → ForceInteraction
 - It should be called before Configure (same behavior as for ForceSingleProbScale).

```
// _____  
void GMCJDriver::ForceInteraction()  
{  
  // Use a single probability scale. That generates unweighted events.  
  // (Note that generating unweighted event kinematics is a different thing)  
  //  
  fForceInteraction = true;  
  
  LOG("GMCJDriver", pNOTICE)  
    << "GMCJDriver will generate weighted events forcing the interaction. ";  
}
```

- This option will disable the computation of $P_{\text{int}}^{\text{max}}$.
- Workflow.
 - Shoot neutrino with energy E in geometry.
 - Compute its $P_{\text{int}} = 1 - \exp[-N_A \text{sig}(E)pl]$
 - Force the interaction along the trajectory of the neutrino.
 - Weight event with P_{int}
- The position of the vertex is computed using same method as before:
 - Map P_{int} for different elements and pick one accordingly.
 - Generate vertex in one of the materials containing the selected element.

Extra

- To compute the $P_{\text{int}}^{\text{max}}$ for different energies the following binning is used:
- Not optimal when energy range is 10^2 - 10^{10} GeV.
 - Move to logarithmic scale.

OLD

```
738 double de = fEmax/300.;//djk june 5, 2013
739 double emin = 0.0;
740 double emax = fEmax + de;
741 int n = 1 + (int) ((emax-emin)/de);
742
743 PDGCodeList::const_iterator nuiter;
744 PDGCodeList::const_iterator tgtiter;
745
746 // loop over all neutrino types generated by the flux driver
747 for(nuiter = fNuList.begin(); nuiter != fNuList.end(); ++nuiter) {
748     int neutrino_pdgc = *nuiter;
749     TH1D * pmax_hst = new TH1D("pmax_hst",
750         "max interaction probability vs E | geom",n,emin,emax);
```

NEW

```
int NENE = 200;
double emin = 0.1;
double dE = (TMath::Log10(fEmax) - TMath::Log10(emin)) /(NENE-1);

double Ebins[NENE];
for(int i=0; i<NENE; i++) Ebins[i] = TMath::Power(10., TMath::Log10(emin) + i * dE);

PDGCodeList::const_iterator nuiter;
PDGCodeList::const_iterator tgtiter;

// loop over all neutrino types generated by the flux driver
for(nuiter = fNuList.begin(); nuiter != fNuList.end(); ++nuiter) {
    int neutrino_pdgc = *nuiter;
    TH1D * pmax_hst = new TH1D("pmax_hst",
        "max interaction probability vs E | geom",NENE-1,Ebins);
    pmax_hst->SetDirectory(0);
```