# GEANT Simulations With EicRoot

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## Preliminaries

- EicRoot is based on FairRoot which utilizes the ROOT VMC interface for Geant3 and Geant4.
  - In principle can switch between the two, each has different input configuration format for defining processes, cuts, etx. in the GEANT simulation, however.
- Includes classes for digitization of hits on active materials, and classes for tracking and reconstruction.
- Links to eic-smear for use of common EicTree class to allow for input from EicTree ROOT files, as well as LUND-style (PYTHIA6) txt input event files.

# **Element Placement and Definitions**

B2pf dipole

- Magnets defined using native EicMagneticField class, which allows for setting the relevant components (bore size, length, rotation, dipole field, quad gradient, etc.).
- Detectors and beam line elements each defined via simple ROOT macros, which are then run to produce the ROOT file to input into the simulation.
  - Uses the VMC Tgeo objects to draw the various shapes.



**B0pf dipole** 

# Included Effects (description)

### Angular divergence

- Angular "spread" of the beam away from the central trajectory.
- Gives some small initial transverse momentum to the beam particles.

## Crab cavity rotation

- Can perform rotations of the beam bunches in 2D.
- Used to account for the luminosity drop due to the crossing angle – allows for head-on collisions to still take place.

### Detector Choices

Pixel size, RP transfer matrix, etc.

These effects introduce smearing in our momentum reconstruction.



# Included Effects (implementation)

- Angular divergence (final state)
  - Calculate boost of assumed initial beam hadron (px = 0, py = 0, pz = 275 GeV, for example).
  - Use angular divergence values in x,y from CDR tables as σ for random Gaussian smear of p\_x and p\_y of assumed initial beam. Get the "smeared boost".
  - Boost final state particle vectors to rest frame of initial beam with unsmeared boost.
  - Boost back to lab frame with the "smeared boost".

## Crab cavity rotation

• Applied as vertex smearing on generator level before propagation through Geant.

## Detector Choices

- Pixel size (Use Gaussian smearing at digitization stage).
- RP transfer matrix (assume linear optics done at analysis stage, not dependent on EicRoot).
- Kalman Filter reconstruction for the B0 (uses internal classes, can choose to use vertex constraint, include efficiency, etc.)