

## Simulation Status

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# Full Simulation Production Status

Since last meeting:

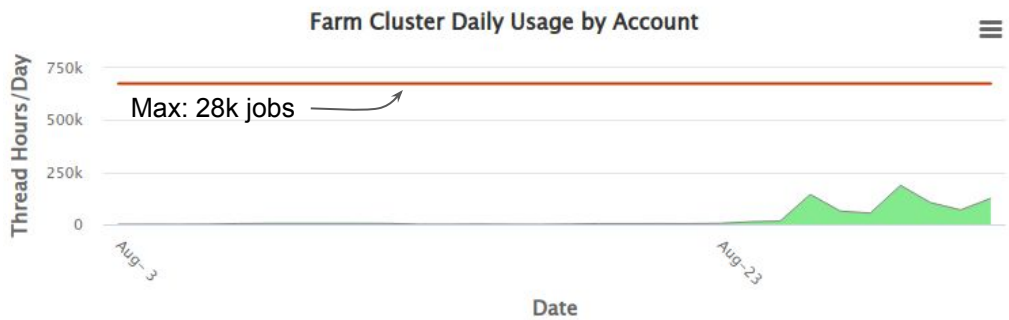
- eSTARlight input file generator status fixed
- Reduced reconstructed output size
- Also copying full simulations to S3 (with hits)

Current dev focus: debugging and resiliency

- Debugging:
  - G4Cerenkov track splitting
  - Include RICH materials in ACTS
  - Event weights and “A” records
- Resiliency: Automatic flagging/resubmit
  - Timeouts on stuck tracks (MRICH)
  - Automatic timing estimates in CI
- Efficiency: Multithreaded simulations
  - Memory use now > 2 GB / core which leaves cores budgeted at 2 GB unused

Data on S3 and XRootD (synced upon generation):

- <https://dtn01.sdcc.bnl.gov:9000/minie/eic/test/ATHENA/RECO>
- mc mirror S3/eic/test/ATHENA/RECO RECO
- TFile::Open(“s3https://dtn01.sdcc.bnl.gov:9000/eic/test/ATHENA/RECO”)
- TFile::Open(“root://sci-xrootd.jlab.org//osgpool/eic/ATHENA/RECO/...”)(do not use the /osgpool directory directly)
- Geometries: master, acadia-v1.0-alpha



Questions? → #software-helpdesk



# Geometry Update

# Geometry versions

## Acadia-v1.0-alpha

- This is the tag in all the simulations up to now
- Mostly N0.0-B0.0-P0.0 central detector configuration
  - ❌ Misses proper ScFi calorimeter in positive endcap
  - ❌ Not enough space between RICH and solenoid
  - ❌ Barrel geometry not fully optimized for acceptance
  - ❌ Material stand-in for DIRC, ❌ does not match BECAL
- IP version 0.4.0
  - ❌ FF transport not yet validated

## Acadia-v1.0

- Upcoming tag for next round
- Very close to N0.0-B0.0-P0.0 central detector configuration
  - ⚠️ Add ScFi in positive endcap
  - ❌ Not enough space between RICH and solenoid
  - ✅ Better barrel geometry
  - ❌ Material stand-in for DIRC, ✅ matches BECAL
- Next IP version (will be 0.5.0)
  - ✅ Validated (usable!) FF region

## BigBend-v1.0

- Baseline+ configuration (work ongoing)
- Implements N1.0-B1.0-P1.0
  - ⚠️ Different (hybrid) central tracking setup
  - ⚠️ Different imaging layer setup in BECAL
  - ⚠️ Shorter RICH snout
  - ❌ Still not enough space between RICH and solenoid!
- Same IP version as Acadia-v1.0

# Acadia-v1.0 (N0.0-B0.0-P0.0)



Central tracking (negative half)  
0cm to -137cm ( $\Delta$ : 137 cm)  
rmin: beampipe, rmax: 95cm

Backward PID:  
-137 to -177cm ( $\Delta$ : 40cm)  
rmin: beampipe, rmax: 95cm

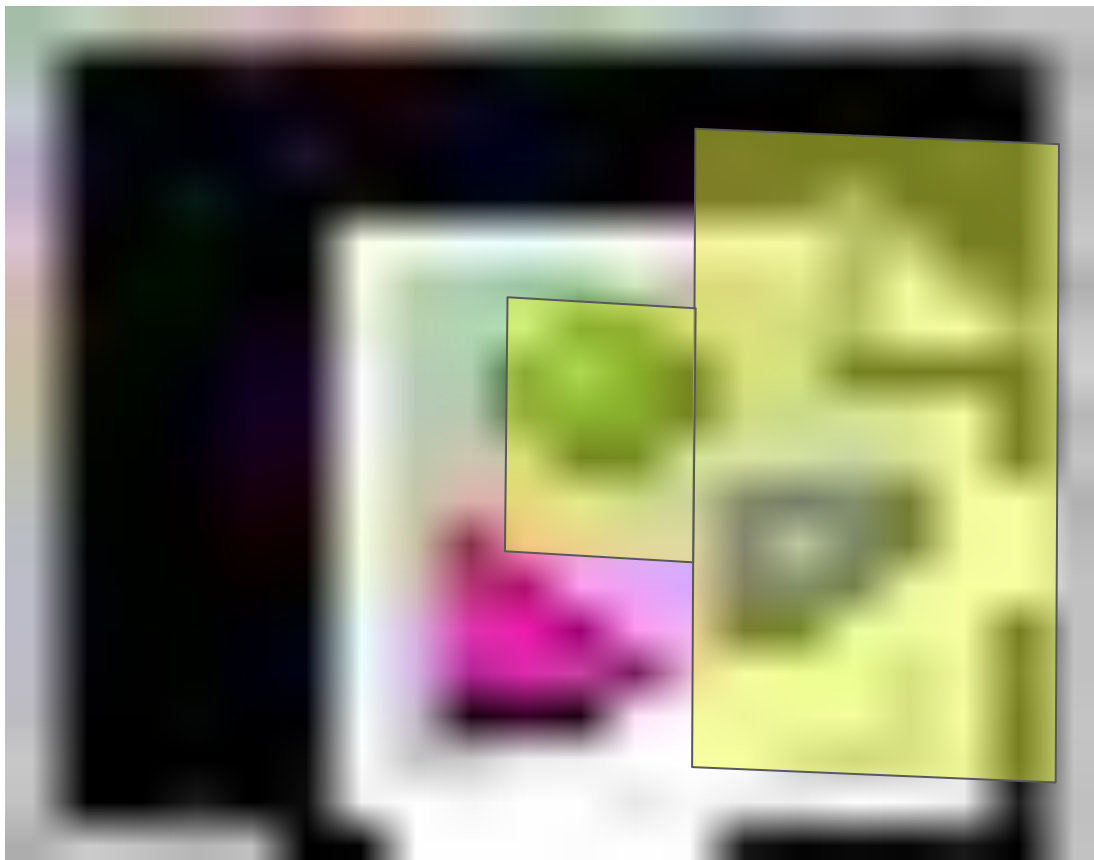
Backward tracking  
-177cm to -185cm ( $\Delta$ : 8cm)  
rmin: beampipe, rmax: 95cm

Backward ECAL  
-185cm to -245cm ( $\Delta$ : 60cm)  
(40cm glass blocks + 20cm for readout)  
rmin: beampipe, rmax: 95cm

Empty space  
-245m to -285cm ( $\Delta$ : 40cm)  
30cm for DIRC expansion  
10cm service gap

HCAL  
-285cm to -390cm ( $\Delta$ : 105cm)  
(60cm more available in negative direction)

# Acadia-v1.0 (N0.0-B0.0-P0.0)



Central tracking (positive half)  
0cm to 155cm ( $\Delta$ : 155 cm)  
rmin: beampipe, rmax: 95cm

Forward PID:  
155cm to 335cm ( $\Delta$ : 180cm)  
vessel: rmin: beampipe, rmax 200cm  
snout: rmin: bmpp, rmax 92.5  $\rightarrow$  122.5cm  
Snout length: 50cm. **13cm gap between vessel and solenoid cryostat**

Forward tracking  
(needs more space for upgrades!):  
335cm to 340cm ( $\Delta$ : 5cm)  
rmin: beampipe, rmax: dRICH rmax

Empty space  
10cm service gap

Forward ECAL  
350cm to 380cm ( $\Delta$ : 30cm)  
rmin: beampipe, rmax: solenoid rmax

HCAL  
380cm to 500m ( $\Delta$ : 120cm)

# Acadia-v1.0 (N0.0-B0.0-P0.0)



Central tracking  
-137cm to 155cm ( $\Delta$ : 155 cm)  
rmin: beampipe, rmax: 95cm  
(same radial parameters for backward region)

Barrel PID (DIRC, 16 sectors):  
-275cm to -155cm ( $\Delta$ : 430cm)  
rmin: 95cm, rmax 103cm ( $\Delta$ r: 8cm)  
space for expansion volume behind BECAL  
Space for 10cm service gap in front of HCAL

Barrel ECAL (including support)  
-245cm to -159cm ( $\Delta$ : 404cm)  
rmin: 112cm, rmax: 159cm ( $\Delta$ r: 47cm)

Solenoid  
-192 to 192cm ( $\Delta$ : 384cm)  
rmin: 160cm, rmax: 224cm ( $\Delta$ r: 64cm)

Barrel HCAL  
-224cm to 324cm ( $\Delta$ r: 100cm)

# Reconstruction Update



# Reconstruction Status

## ✓ Calorimetry

- ✓ Algorithms
  - ✓ Simple Clustering, Island Clustering (2D), 2+1D Clustering, Topological Clustering (3D)
  - ✓ Hybrid cluster merging
- ✓ Clustering benchmarks

## ⚠ PID

- ⚠ Algorithms
  - ✓ Fuzzy-K ring clustering
  - ⚠ MRICH, DIRC, DRICH reconstruction
  - ✓ Truth PID
- ✗ PID benchmarks

## ⚠ Far Forward & Far Backward

- ✗ Integrate B0 with tracker, low Q2 tagger
- ⚠ Matrix transform for Roman Pot & OMD
- ✓ Simple FastMC reconstruction for FF
- ⚠ Use registered hits for FastMC

## ⚠ Tracking

- ⚠ Algorithms
  - ✓ Decent performance in barrel region
  - ⚠ Improve tracking efficiency in endcaps
  - ⚠ Tracking benchmarks
  - ⚠ Incorporate B0 in ACTS
  - ✗ Setup realistic vertex reconstruction
- ⚠ Tracking Benchmarks
  - ✓ Basic benchmarks working
  - ✗ Tracking with realistic background

## ⚠ Global

- Event builder (produces ReconstructedParticle)
  - ✓ Dummy event builder to test reco chain
  - ✓ Simple tracking + truth PID event builder
  - ⚠ Fast parametrized reconstruction for missing algorithms (e.g. dRICH) based on registered hits.
- ✓ Stable data model
- ✓ Cleanup/consolidate reconstruction flow

# Ways to get involved/incomplete task list



## Reconstruction (C++, Gaudi, ACTS, Python)

- Simple electron PID (medium/expert)
- Advanced electron PID (expert)
- Jet reconstruction (expert)
- Event subcomponent matching (medium/expert)
- RICH reconstruction (medium/expert)
- MRICH reconstruction (medium/expert)
- DIRC reconstruction (medium/expert)
- Holistic calorimeter reconstruction (expert)
- Track propagation and simple vertexing (medium/expert)
- Vertexing (medium/expert)
- Optimize tracking (medium/expert)
- Kinematic reconstruction (easy/medium)
- Far-forward reconstruction (easy/medium)
- Far-backward reconstruction (easy/medium)
- ML-accelerated algorithms (medium/expert)

## Reconstruction Benchmarks (ROOT, Python, ...)

- Validate/optimize digitization algorithms (easy)
- Clustering performance (medium)
- Subsystem performance (easy/medium)
- Overall reconstruction performance (medium)
- Study reconstructed acceptance (easy)

## Geometry/full simulation (XML, C++, DD4hep, GEANT)

- Detector color scheme (easy)
- Automatic marketing/publication figures (easy/medium)
- Optimize parametrization of subsystems (medium)
- Implement additional technology options (easy/medium/expert)
- Add extra support & service material (easy/medium)

## Detector Benchmarks (ROOT, Python)

- Validate hit multiplicities in subsystems (easy)
- Energy calibrations for calorimeters (easy/medium)
- Validate optics in DRICH (medium/expert)
- Study raw acceptance (easy)
- Validate detector material budget (easy/medium)
- Render results on dashboard webpage (all benchmarks)

## Physics Benchmarks (ROOT, Python)

- Integrate analyses from PWGs into CI framework (easy)
- Validation figures on kinematic variables (easy)
- Collect and integrate available event samples (easy)

# Tutorials and office hours



1. Have organized dedicated tutorial/Q&A sessions aimed at various PWGs
2. **#software-helpdesk office hours every week: Mo-We-Fr at 2:00pm EDT**  
<https://zoom.us/j/93744567735>.
3. Will keep close contact with PWGs to support swift development of analyses

Documentation portal:  
[doc.athena-eic.org](http://doc.athena-eic.org)

[Full simulation tutorials](#)

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