#### ePIC pECal software implementation

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## **EIC** physics



- Red particles are measured.
- Lepton endcap is important to reconstruct the kinematics of the scattered electron.
- Hadron endcap is important to measure hadrons in SIDIS and exclusive DIS.





NC DIS:  $e + p/A \longrightarrow e' + X$  CC DIS:  $e + p/A \longrightarrow \nu + X$ 







Exclusive DIS:  $e + p/A \rightarrow e' + p'/A' + \gamma/h^{\pm,0}/VM$ 

#### Electron Proton Ion Collider (ePIC) Detector





#### **Comparison of ECal designs**

- Homogeneous ECal at electron-going direction:
  - Reconstruct the scattered electron at the backward region.
  - Excellent energy resolution [(2–7)%/ $\sqrt{E}$  + (1–3)%].
- Sampling ECal at proton-going direction:
  - Measure photons and hadrons at the forward region.
  - Good energy resolution  $[(10-12)\%/\sqrt{E} + (1-3)\%]$ .
- Two designs of sampling ECal: W/ScFi (upper) and Shashlyc (lower).
- pECal: W/ScFi vs Shashlyc:
  - Both have good energy resolution.
  - W/ScFi has e/h ratio closer to 1.
  - W/ScFi has smaller radiation length.
- W/ScFi pECal:
  - Beehive with fibers of radius 0.235 mm.
  - Absorber: 97% Tungsten + 3% polystyrene.
  - Fiber: 100% polystyrene.
- Readout will use SiPM.

Shashlyk (front) W/ScFi (front)

Shashlyk (side)



#### Mixture tower configurations



**Slides from Zhiwan** 

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Fibers distributed inside one tower

	geometry fraction	material mass fraction
Absorber	78%	97% Tungsten+ 3% polystyrene
Fiber	22%	100% polystyrene

- W/ScFi structure: 24 x 24 towers of 2.5 cm\*2.5cm
  - 796 Fibers placed in each tower, r = 0.235 mm.
- Mixture structure: 24 x 24 towers of 2.5 cm\*2.5cm
  - Mixture material at same composition as W/ScFi
- Total material density to be 10.15 g/cm<sup>3</sup> (from experiment)

```
// Get materials
G4Material* defaultMaterial = G4Material::GetMaterial("Galactic");
G4Material* gapMaterial2 =G4Material::GetMaterial("G4_POLYSTYRENE");
G4Material* absorberMaterial2= G4Material::GetMaterial("G4_Fe");
```

G4double a=183.85\*g/mole; G4Element\* elW=new G4Element("Tungsten","W",74.,a);

G4Material\* EMCal\_abs\_mat=new G4Material("EMCal\_fiber\_mat", 10.15\*g/cm3,2); EMCal\_abs\_mat->AddElement(elW, 94.8\*perCent); EMCal\_abs\_mat->AddMaterial(gapMaterial2, 5.2\*perCent);

	mass fraction	
Tungsten	94.8%	
Polystyrene	5.2%	

 Next step: reconstructed the energy from this mixture tower configuration

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# Sampling fraction for fibers

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- Get the mean value of energy deposition for W/ScFi, and plot it out with respect to 6 beam energies.
- We have roughly 0.03 (at a 1% difference)

Beam Energy (MeV)	Energy in fibers(mean)	fraction	
500	14.86	0.02972	
1000	30.0	0.03000	
2000	60.36	0.03018	
5000	151.2	0.03024	
10000	302.6	0.03026	
20000	604.1	0.03021	



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#### Smearing procedure Slides from Zhiwan





# • Smearing process is required to help get the correct energy resolution double threshold = 6.1;

$$Gaus(E) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(E-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

• Mean 
$$\mu = 0.03E$$

• Sigma 
$$\sigma = E\sqrt{a^2/E + b^2}$$

#### Code on the right

 The parameter a and b is determined by fiber structure study

#### **Purpose:**

- Reproduce the fluctuation from Gaussian random
- keeps the mean ~ 0.03 E<sub>0</sub>

double threshold = 6.1; double reco(double E0) { double E = E0; if(E0 < threshold) return 0; else{ double a = 0.1; double b = 0.; double sigma = E\* IMath::Sqrt(a\*a/E +b\*b) ; double random = gRandom->Gaus(E\*0,03,5igma); E = random; return E;





- Use single photon input data at different energies.
- DD4hep uses mixture tower structure.
- $\bullet\,$  EICRecon scales the energy to 3% and smears the energy.
- Digitization: 14 bits and 3 GeV range. 1 bit corresponds to  $\sim$ 6 MeV (3% energy is deposited).
- Tested energy deposits after ElCrecon for sum of all hits energy, truth cluster energy, island cluster energy, and merged island cluster energy (merging clusters from the same truth particle).

#### **Clusters energy: single photon input**





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2000

35 38 40 42 44 45 48

70 E 1Ge1/1

#### **Clusters energy resolution**





#### Resolution

	Fiber energy resolution	Reconstruc ted 1	Ratio	Reconstru cted 2	Ratio
		a = 0.1, b = 0.0015		a = 0.1, b = 0.0014	
500 MeV	0.1503	0.1560	1.0379	0.1557	1.0360
1 GeV	0.1163	0.1113	0.9569	0.1112	0.9564
2 GeV	0.0851	0.0812	0.9539	0.0797	0.9363
5 GeV	0.0570	0.0574	1.0068	0.0562	0.9855
10 GeV	0.0473	0.0452	0.9568	0.0441	0.9332
20 GeV	0.0391	0.0382	0.9772	0.0367	0.9399
30 GeV	0.0323	0.0352	1.0896	0.0335	1.0390
40 GeV	0.0313	0.0332	1.0599	0.0315	1.0075
50 GeV	0.0283	0.0323	1.1381	0.0306	1.0783

Electron energy resolution from Geant4

Photon energy resolution

#### Summary for ePIC simulation campaign



- The energy responses look reasonable for high energy but low energy suffers from digitization.
- The energy resolutions are consistent with previous Geant4 simulations.
- Truth, island, and merged clustering algorithms work as expected for single particle input.

## $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$ separation





- "Usual" criteria:  $\pi^0\to\gamma\gamma$  distinguished if photons are separated by one tower size.
- pECal:  $2.5 \times 2.5$  cm at z = 350 cm.

• 
$$\theta_{min} = \frac{2.5 \, cm}{350 \, cm} = 0.007 \Rightarrow E_{\pi^0} = 38 \, GeV.$$



#### Shower profile vs neural networks

• Shower profile: 
$$\chi^2 = \sum_{i} \left(\frac{E_i^{meas} - E_i^{pred}}{\sigma_i}\right)^2$$

• EIC YR Fig. 11.46: pECal with granularity  $\sim$ 0.008 (2.5×2.5 cm<sup>2</sup> at z=3m).



 Neural networks input (η = 2): 5×5 central tower energies; pECal × and y positions.



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## Summary of $\pi^0$ decay photon separation



- Neural networks can largely improve the  $\pi^0$  decay photon separation.
- $\bullet\,$  Reduce merging rate from 75% in a shower profile analysis to 10% at 60 GeV.
- $\bullet\,$  By including the xy position of the shower, one NN can handle all  $\phi$  positions.
- $\bullet\,$  Future study to use one NN to handle all  $\eta$  and  $\phi$  positions.

#### **DD4hep fiber implementation**

- Problem: pECal with fibers uses  $\sim$ 6 GB memory in DD4hep and will use more memory when other detectors are included.
- Reason: storing *PlacementPath–VolumeID* mapping in *m\_geo.g4Paths* uses large memory.
- Solution: group fibers in each module as a single readout channel.
- Result: reduce memory usage to <700 MB, which is the same as that without fibers.
- Method I: Change DD4hep to let it only store the *VolumeID* for each module instead of each fiber.
  - Pros: Easy to build fibers.
  - Cons: Need to change DD4hep code.
- Method II: Set the whole module as a sensitive detector and cover the insensitive areas by daughter radiators.
  - Pros: No need to change DD4hep code.
  - Cons: More coding to build the fibers.

# pECal (old) geometry



- Fiber implementation with this old geometry.
- Upper left: pECal front view.
- Upper right: One block of 2x2 towers.
- Lower left: pECal fiber layer in one block.
- Lower right: pECal fiber cladding.



#### **Consistency check in fiber implementation**





Consistent with Geant4, though Method II is slightly different possibly due to the voxelization of Geant4.

#### Summary for DD4hep fiber implementation



- These tests were done for an old geometry.
- Method I has exact agreement between DD4hep and Geant4 but needs to modify DD4hep code.
- Method II will slightly change the results but there is no need to change the DD4hep code. This method will be used for the updated geometry.



- Study the required length for pECal.
- Study the SiPM response.
- Study pECal performance in standalone Geant4 simulations with fiber structure.
- Implement fiber structure in DD4hep for updated geometry.