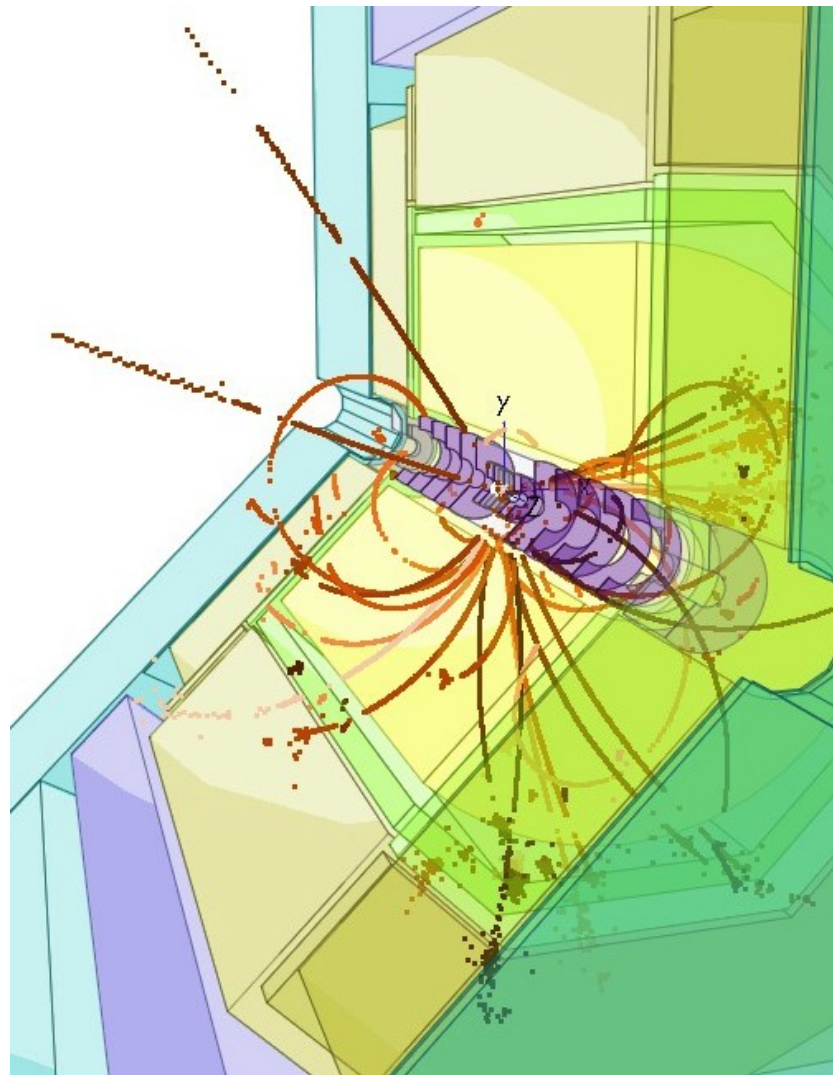


# iLCSoft – Status and Future

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# Outline

- Introduction to iLCSoft
  - software packages and tools
- iLCSoft Status
- Current activities
  - DD4hep Geometry description
  - Tracking Toolkit
- Summary & Outlook



# iLCSoft framework - Overview

<http://ilcsoft.desy.de>

- **Mokka** geant4 simulation - LLR

- **LCIO** EDM and persistency

- **Marlin** application framework

- **GEAR** geometry description

- **LCCD** conditions data

- **CED** event display

- reconstruction packages:

- **MarlinReco**

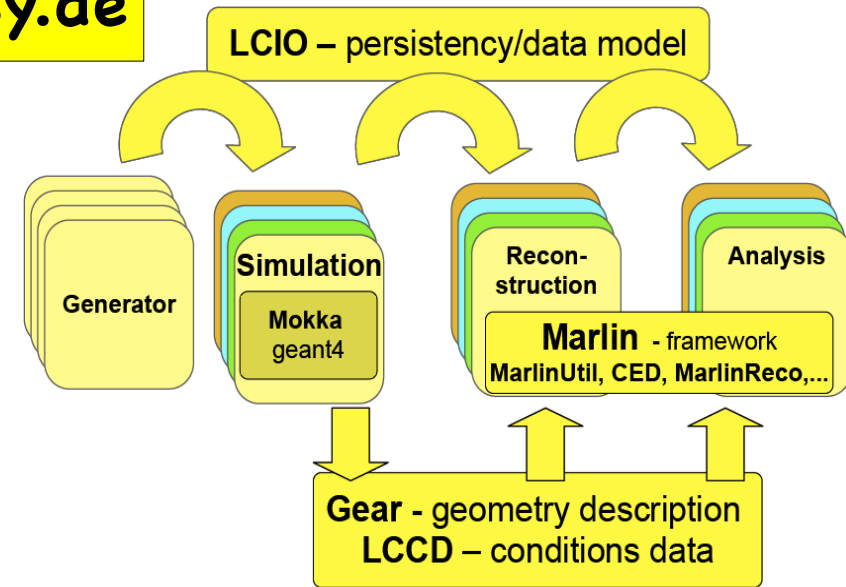
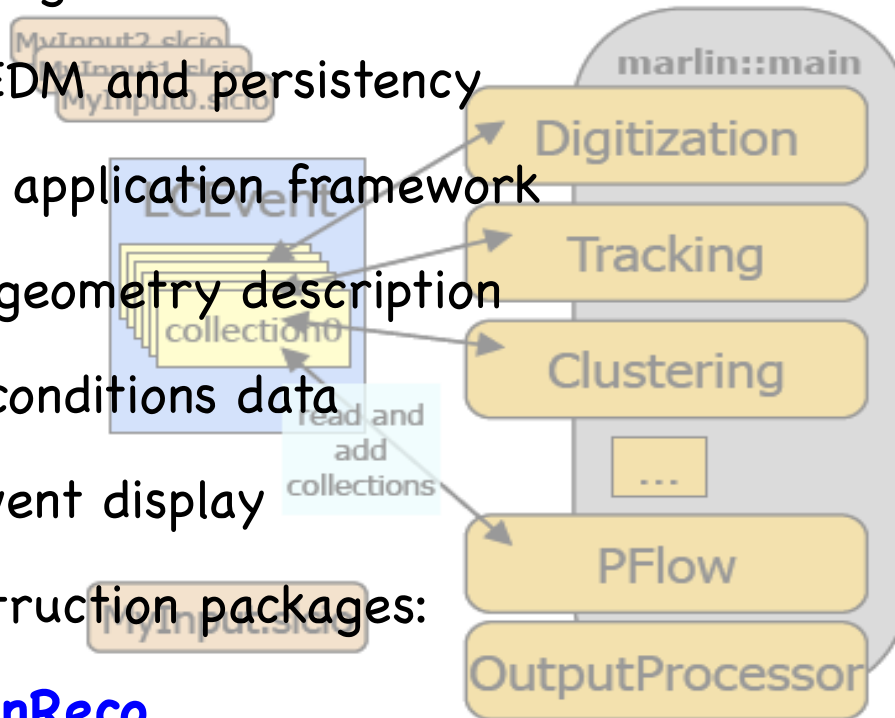
- **MarlinTrk, Clupatra, ForwardTracking,...**

- **MarlinPandoraPFA**

- **LCFIVertex, LCFIPlus**

- **MarlinKinFit**

- many more (see next slide)



- complete sw framework used in Monte Carlo & 'real experiments':

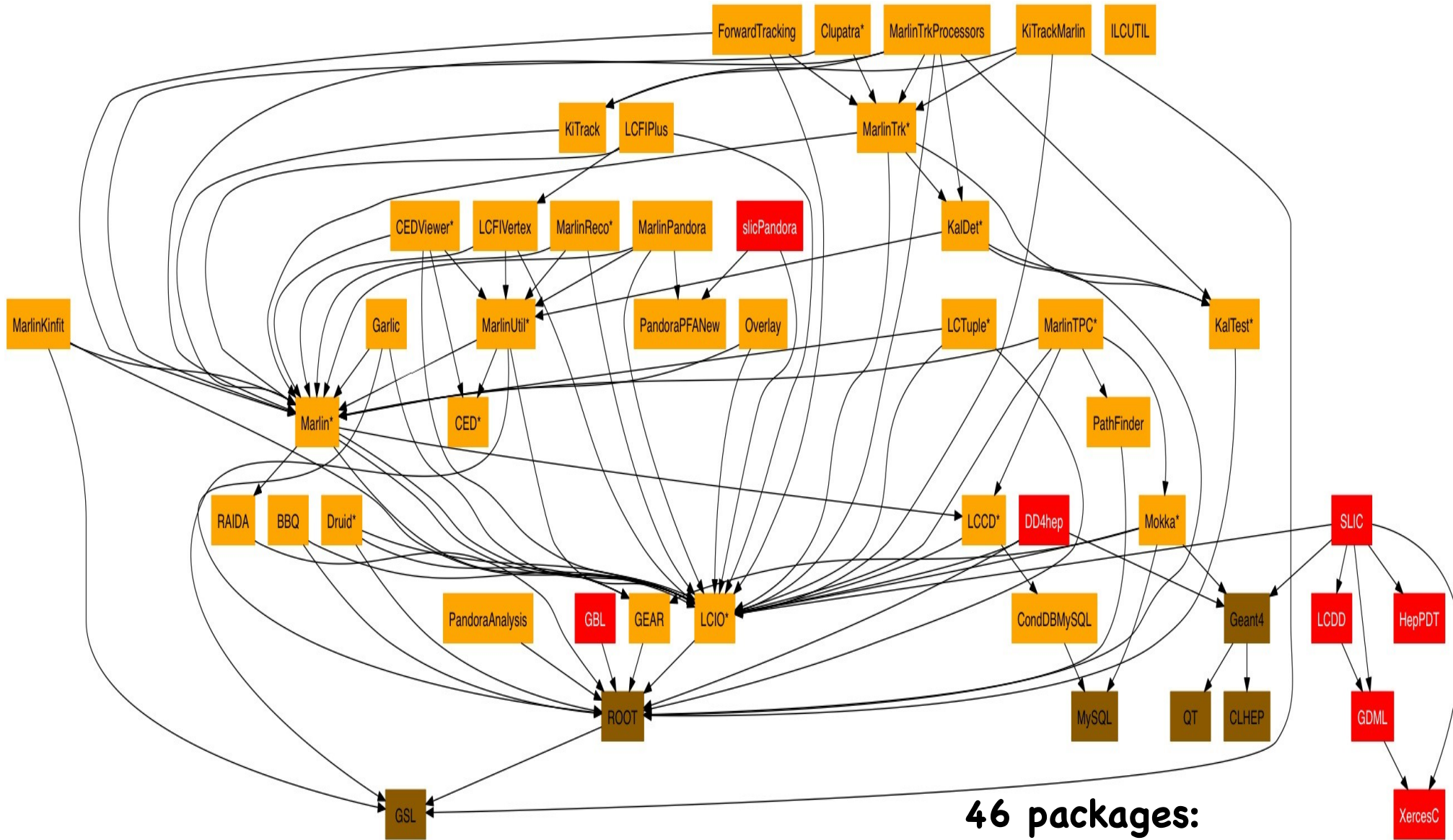
- **ILD & CLIC** detector concept studies

- **Calice, LC-TPC, EUTelescope** testbeams

- partly also used by **SiD**

# iLCSoft packages (release v01-17-04)

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**46 packages:**  
**6 external**  
**8 added since LCWS2012**

# iLcSoft: role-out & installations

- provide reference installations in afs for usage from **anywhere** on ScientificLinux and compatible platforms:

**/afs/desy.de/project/ilcsoft/sw/\_OS\_/v01-17-04**

**\_OS\_ : x86\_64\_gcc41\_sl5** # i686 CPU, 64 bit, gcc4.1, SL5 and compatible  
**x86\_64\_gcc44\_sl6** # i686 CPU, 64 bit, gcc4.4, SL6 and compatible

- plan to use **cvmfs** file system with identical copy of reference installations for Grid production
  - cooperation CERN/DESY

- use ilcinstall tool for your own installation
  - (release tag == ilcsoft version)

**<https://svnsrv.desy.de/viewvc/ilctools/ilcinstall/tags/v01-17-04>**

# iLCSoft - software status

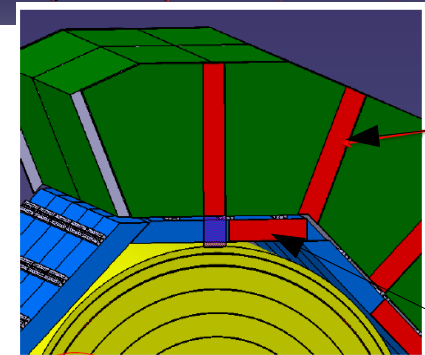
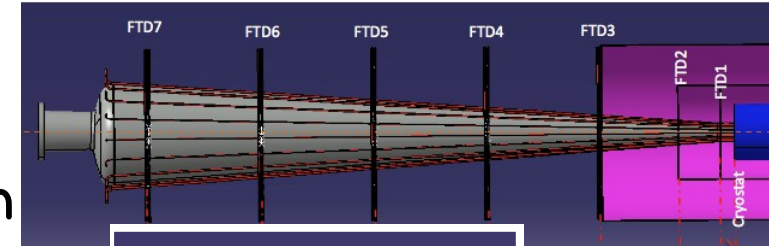
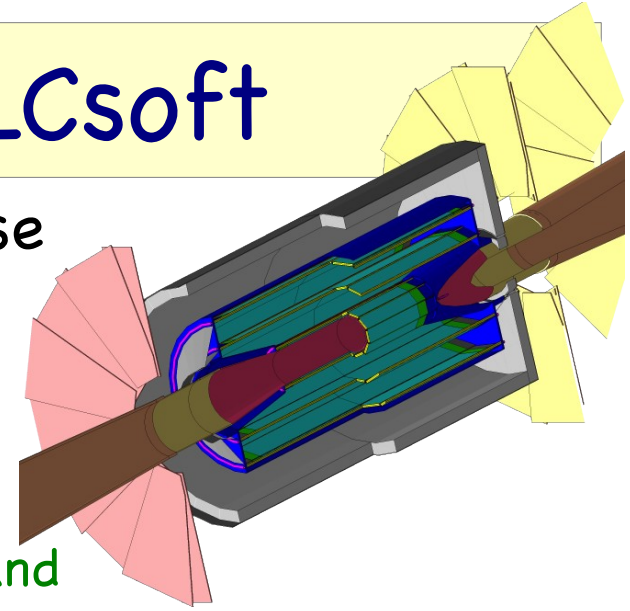
- the timeline for iLCSoft developments in last years mainly driven by the requirements for the (ILD) DBD
  - successfully used to produce  $O(10^7)$  fully simulated and reconstructed Monte Carlo Events

- **improved/adapt core tools**
  - LCIOv2, GEAR, CED,...
- **improved realism of the simulation**
  - include gaps, imperfection and services - (ILD\_oX\_v05 models)
- **complete re-write of tracking code**
- improvements and re-write of reconstruction algorithms  
**PandoraPFA** and **LCFIVertex/LCFIPlus**
- developed and used **GridProductionSystem**

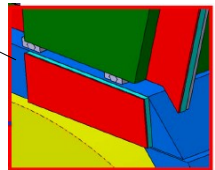
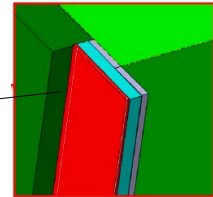
# Mokka simulation in iLCsoft

- considerable effort invested by ILD to increase the **level of detail and the realism** in the ILD simulation models:
- gaps between sensitive modules
- added correct dead material for electronics, cables and services (power and cooling)
- singles wafers and petals for Si-trackers
- simulation models in close agreement with engineering model

**ILD\_O1\_v05** "ILD model using **AHCal**"  
**ILD\_O2\_v05** "ILD model using **SDHCal**"  
**ILD\_O3\_v05** "ILD model using **SciW Ecal** and **AHCal**"



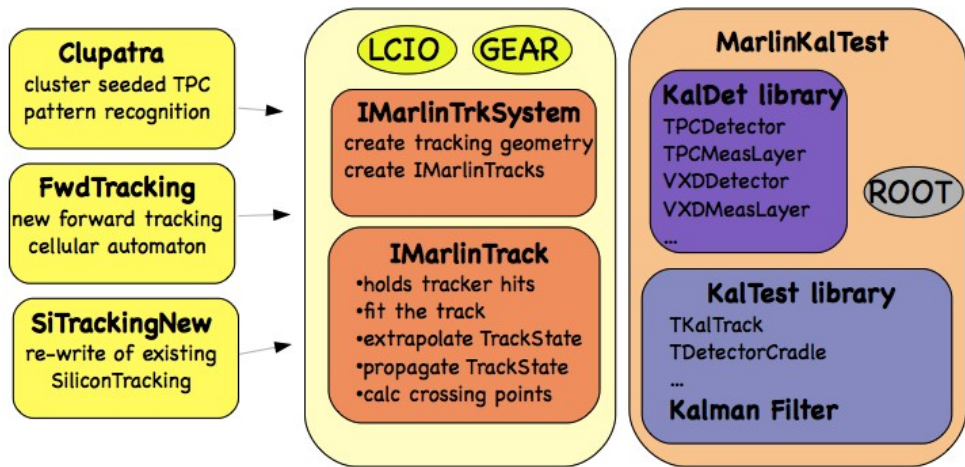
cooling pipes



electronics

- in the future there will be only limited support for Mokka
- -> need **replacement** on mid term time scale !

# reconstruction tools in iLCSoft



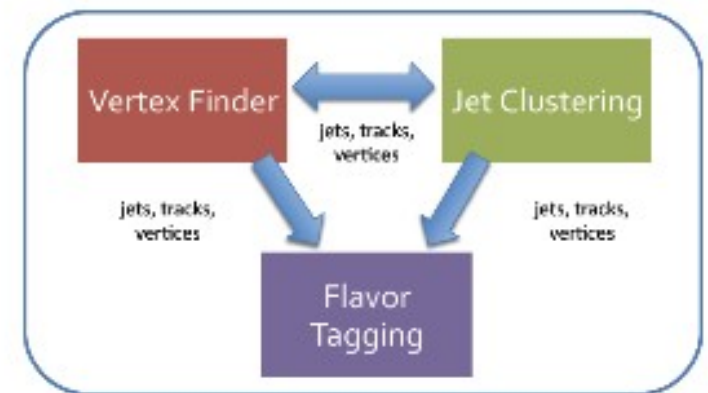
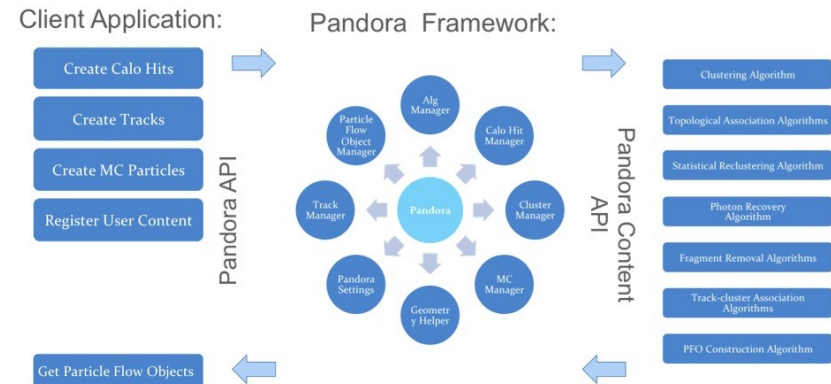
- ILD: new tracking: **MarlinTrk**
- TPC patrec - Clupatra
- fwd patrec - ForwardTracking
- re-write of SiTracking and FullLDC
- replacing old LEP f77 tracking

## • PandoraPFA

- already re-designed and massively improved for CLIC CDR
- used by ILD and SID with small adaptations

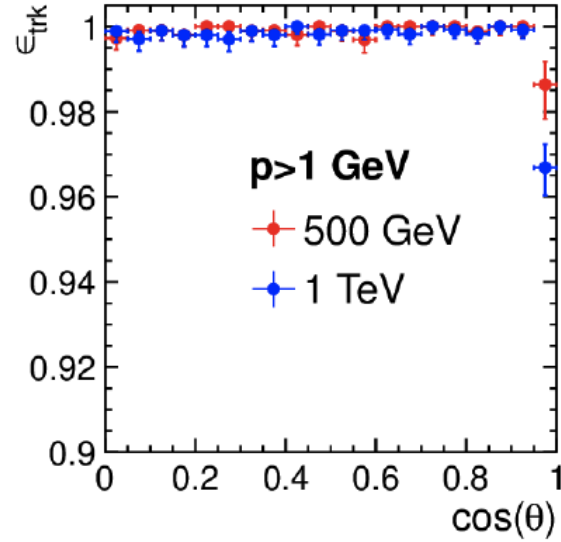
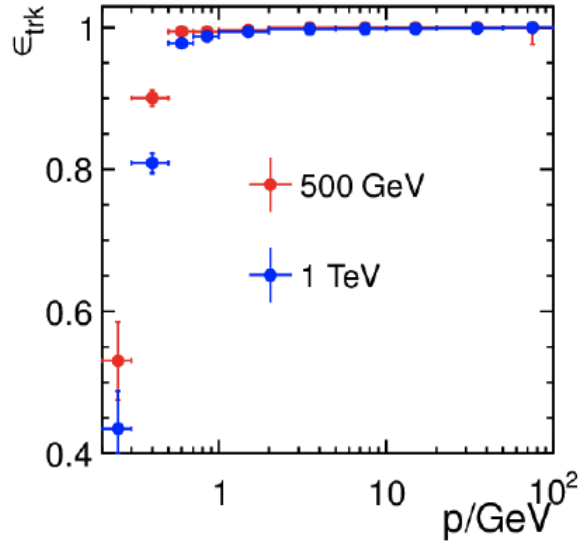
## • LCFIPlus

- new improved algorithms for vertexing and flavor tag (based on LCFIVertex)
- also used for both SID and ILD



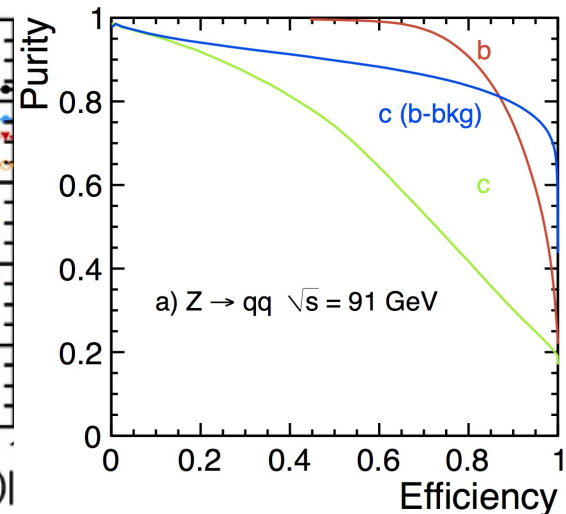
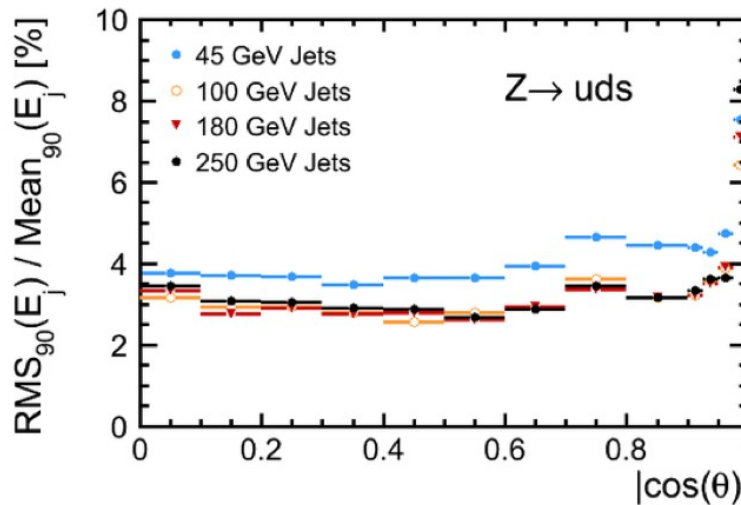
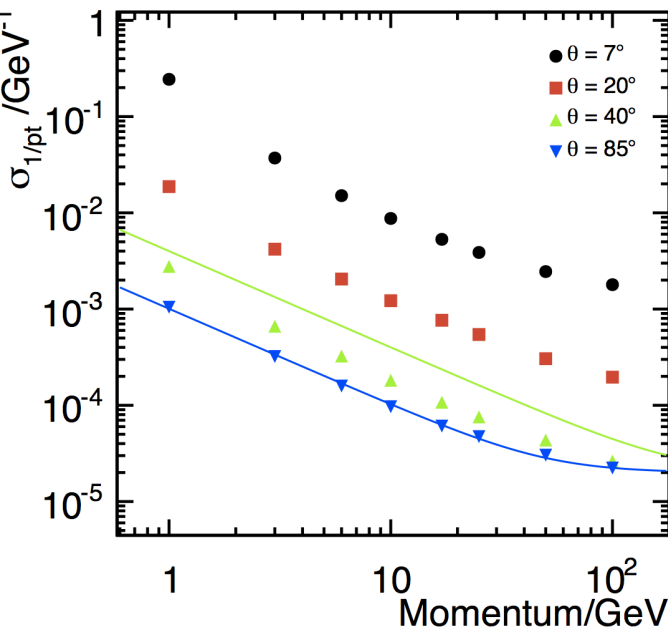


# iLCSoft reconstruction performance



some examples of the software (*and detector*) performance for ILD with current iLCSoft tools

- the simulation and reconstruction tools in iLCSoft have reached a considerable level of maturity
- used to demonstrate that the design goals for ILD detector performance are met



# iLCSoft activities after DBD

- started series of developers releases v01-17-0x
  - current v01-17-04 - v01-17-05 before end of the year
  -
- new packages added in v01-17-0x:
  - GBL: General Broken Lines (C.Kleinwort, Ch.Rosemann)
  - **DD4hep**: Geometry description (M.Frank, P.Mato, C.Grefe, FG)
  - SLIC, XercesC, HepPDT, GDML, LCDD, slicPandora (J.McCormick)
- new features added in v01-07-0x series:
  - added **python bindings to LCIO** (C.Grefe)
  - **partial reading of LCIO files** ( considerable I/O speed improvement)
  - **pyced**: interactive version of CED event display (t.b.r in v01-17-05)
  - port Clupatra to work w/ real test beam data
  - CED autoshot feature (A.Miyamoto)

# towards common LC software

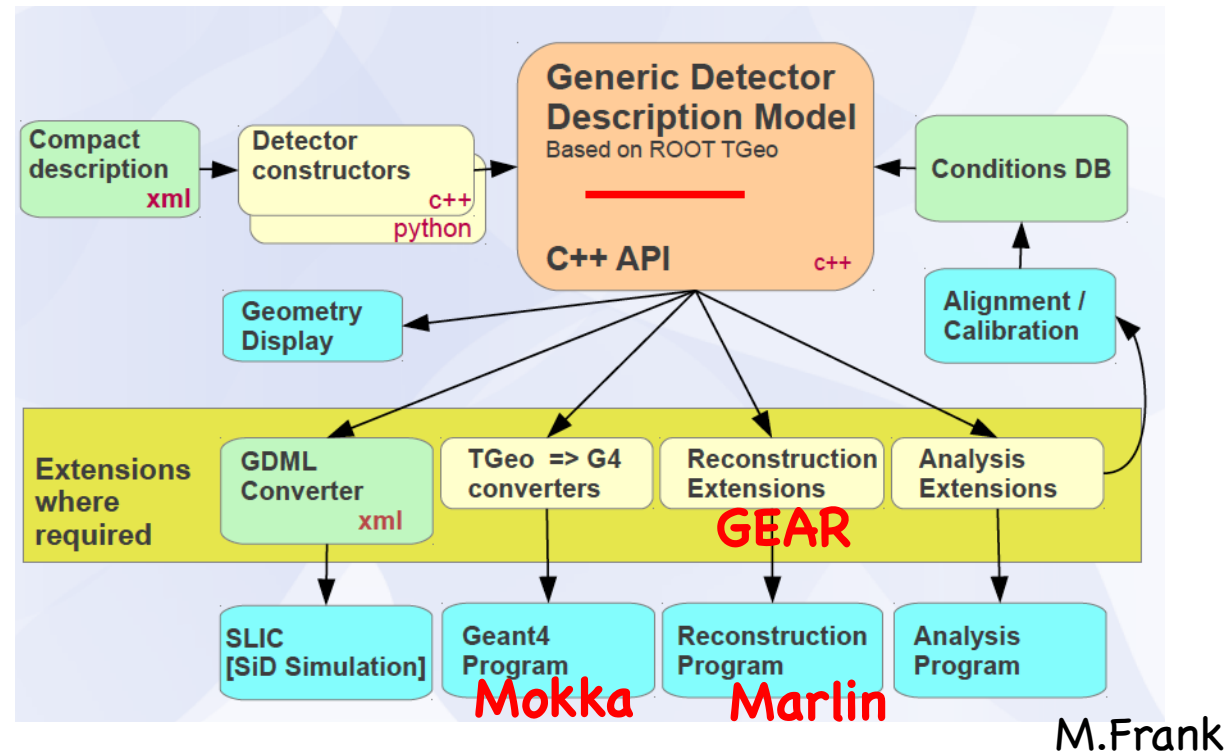
- general agreement that only way forward is **to move to common software tools**
- goals of closeout of 2012 LC-Software Meeting:
  - a common simulation application based on the geometry description developed in AIDA WP2
  - a common C++ tracking package in the context of AIDA WP2
- at meeting in 01/2013 discussion focused on the details of how these goals can be achieved
  - interface between geometry description and simulation
  - interface to reconstruction (tracking)
  - -> decision to develop prototypes to investigate options
- agreement to use **DD4hep** as geometry tool

# DD4hep - overview

- goals for DD4hep:
  - full detector description
  - full experiment life cycle
  - consistent description
  - ease of use

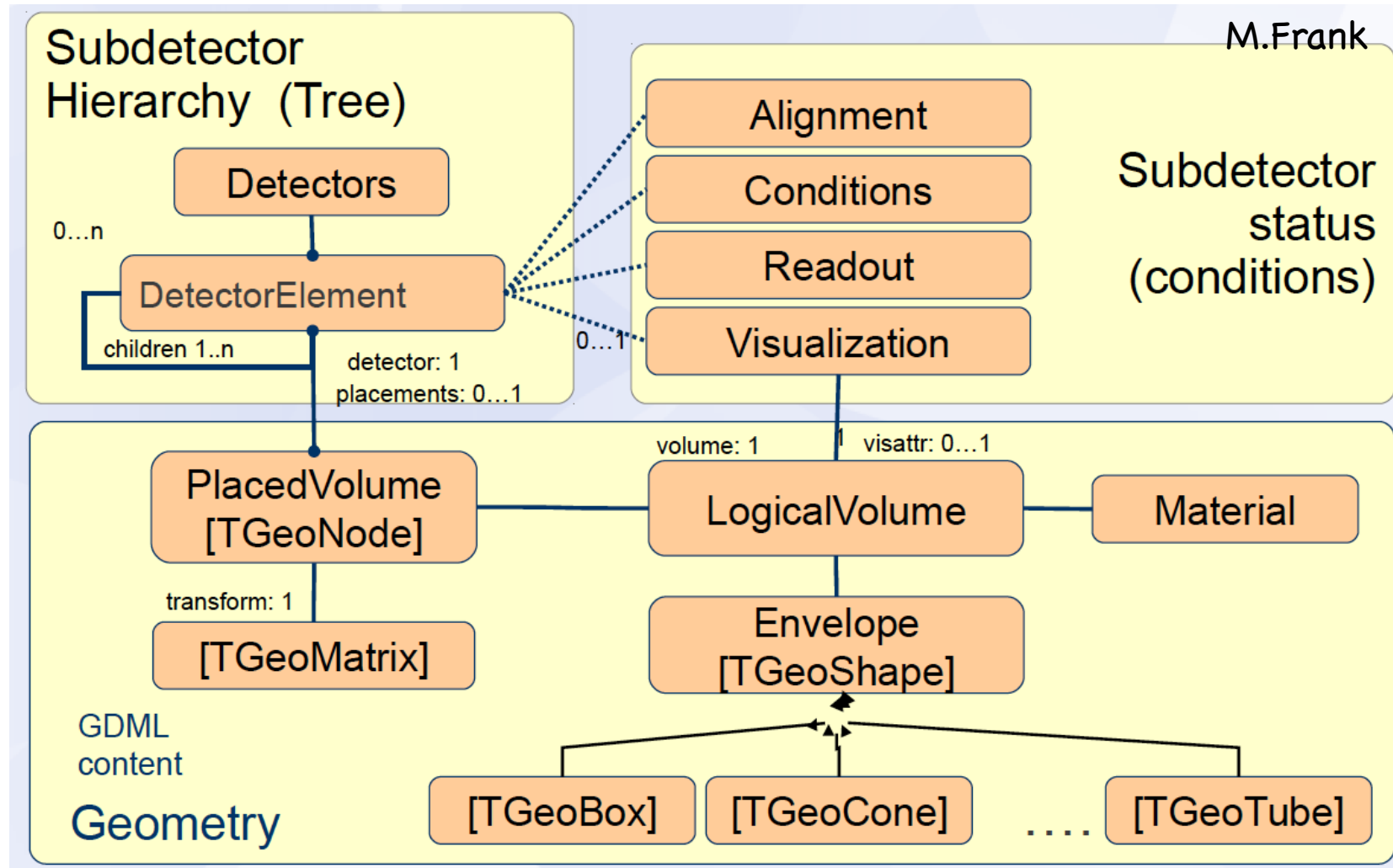
- DD4hep is based on best concepts from existing geometry tools:

- xml files with parameters and compact description
- C++ drivers per sub detector
- provide several interfaces to simulation, reconstruction and analysis programs



- **DD4hep** common detector geometry description
  - developed by CERN-SFT/LDC (+DESY) in AIDA WP2
  - midterm goal: all concept working groups use **SLIC** simulation

# DD4hep geometry implementation



- DD4hep uses the TGeo geometry classes to instantiate geometry tree -> can use all TGeo features directly
- additional (user) code added to detector element class

# DD4Hep - xml description

- inspired by [compact detector description](#) from SiD software
- human readable and compact geometry description in XML format
- used as the main input to the detector description system
- **extendable** with new generic detector types
- xml parsing mostly done by DD4Hep core - users just specify data structures for DetectorElements

```
- <detector name="VXD" type="ILDExVXD"
  vis="VXDVis" id="1" readout="VXDHits">
  - <layer id="1" vis="VXDLayerVis"
    phi0="-1.570796327e+00">
    <support thickness=".1*mm" material="Carbon"
      vis="VXDSupportVis"/>
    <ladder zhalf="65*mm"
      radius="1.595000000e+01*mm"
      width="1.100000000e+01"
      offset="-1.874869853e+00*mm"
      thickness="0.05*mm" material="Silicon"
      number="10"/>
    </layer>
  - <layer id="2" vis="VXDLayerVis"
    phi0="-1.570796327e+00">
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    </layer>
  <!-- ... -->
</detector>
```

# Extension of the geometry system

- the DetectorElement can be extended with user code
- in particular useful for reconstruction ("GEAR++")
- any high level view on the detailed geometry can be coded
- user program does not need to know the exact details of the volumes
- the details of the detector geometry can change without the need for changing the reconstruction or analysis code

```
struct GearTPC : public Geometry::Subdetector {
    typedef TPCData Object;
    GearTPC(const Geometry::RefHandle<TNamed>& e);

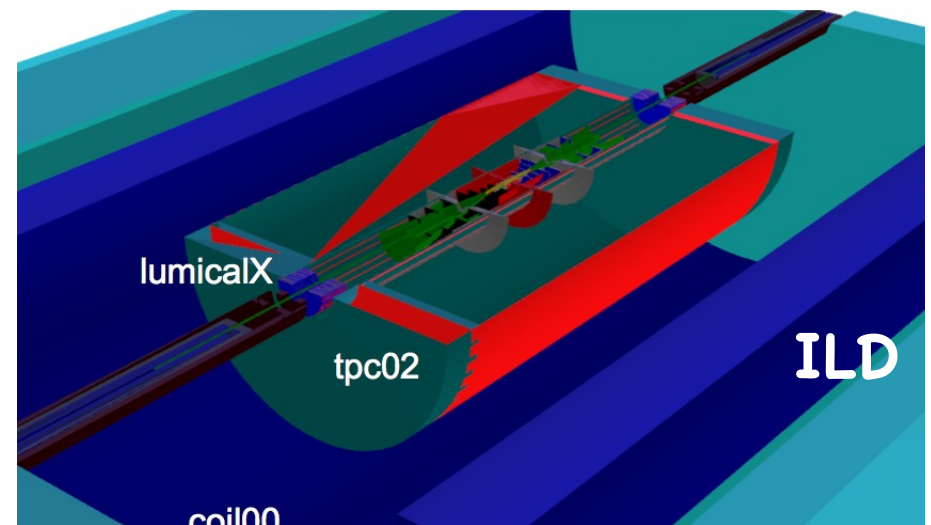
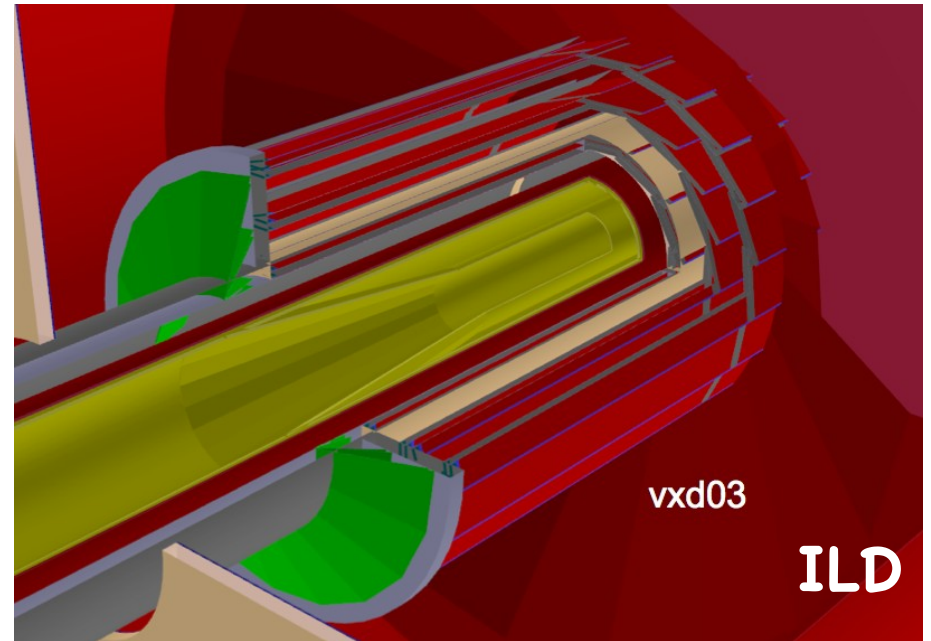
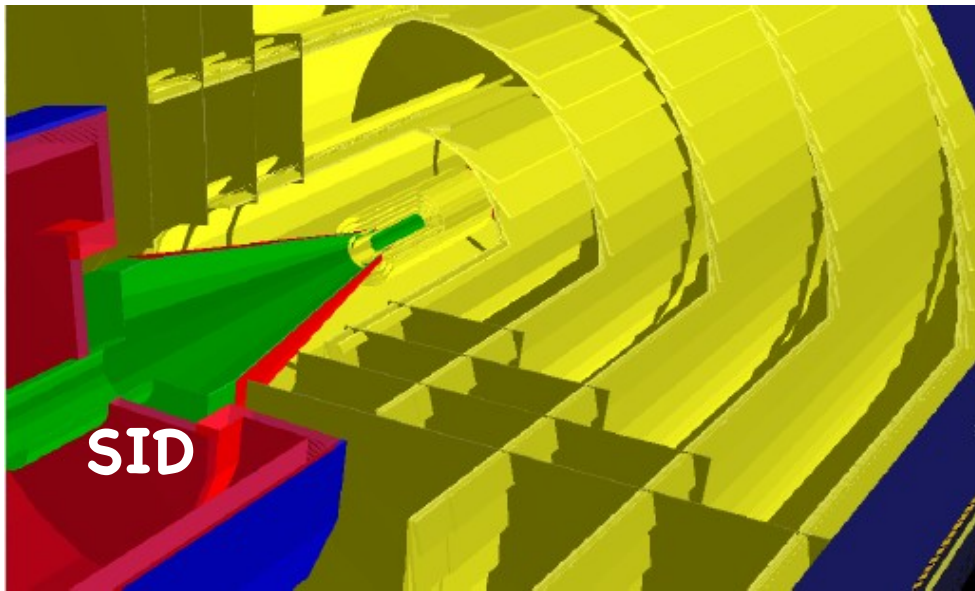
    GlobalPadIndex getNearestPad (double c0, double c1) const;
    double getDriftVelocity () const;
    double getReadoutFrequency () const;
    double getInnerRadius() const;
    double getOuterRadius() const;
};
```

```
double GearTPC::innerRadius() const {
    Subdetector gas = data<Object>()->gas;
    Tube tube = gas.volume().solid();
    return tube->GetRmin();
}
double GearTPC::outerRadius() const {
    Subdetector gas = data<Object>()->gas;
    Tube tube = gas.volume().solid();
    return tube->GetRmax();
}
```

\*DetectorElement previously called SubDetector

# DD4hep detector visualization

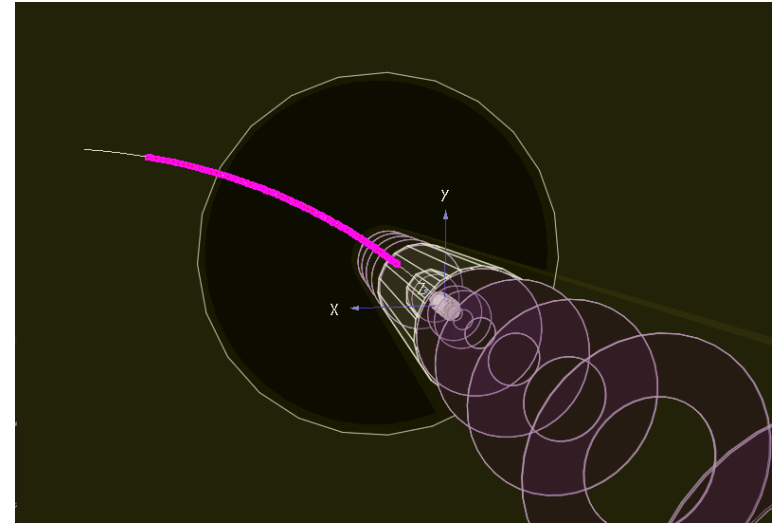
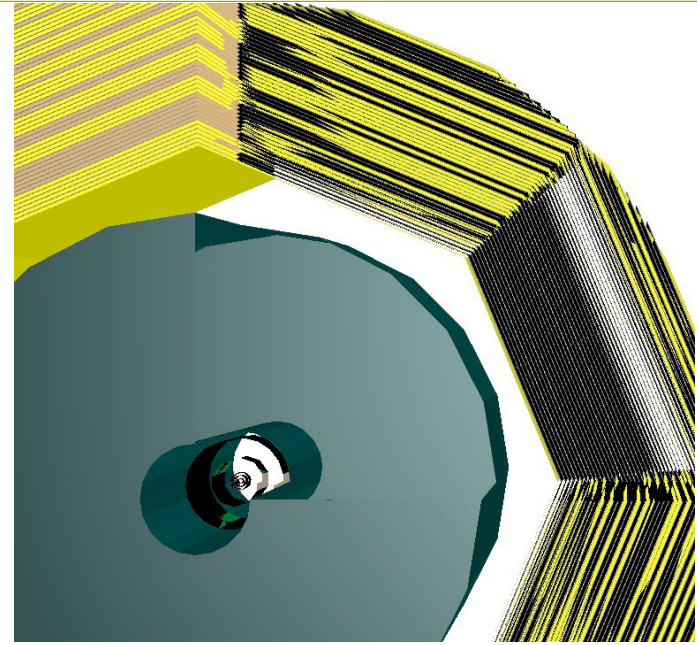
- displaying the detector geometry works via **TGeo** or **gdml**:
- ROOT OGL viewer, TEve, ...





# DD4hep status

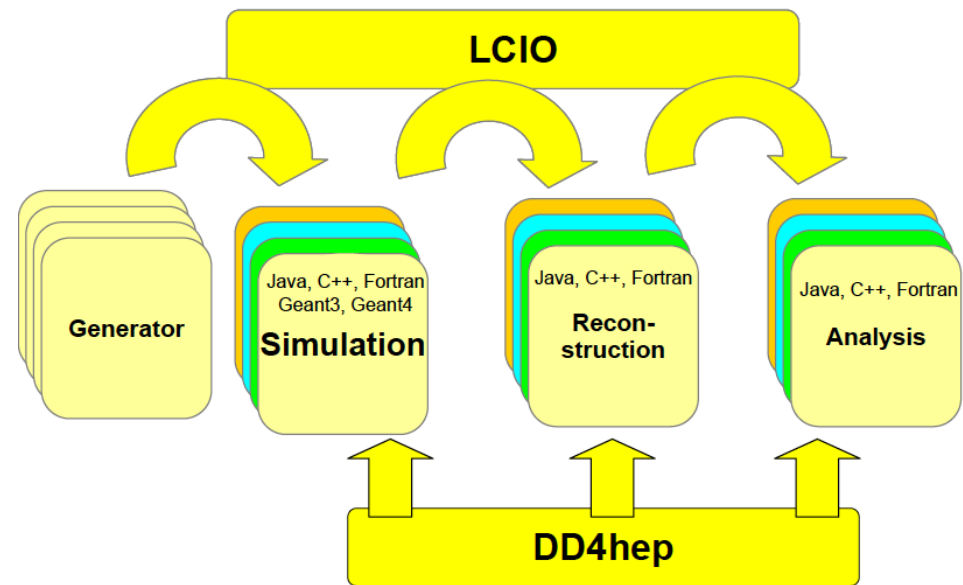
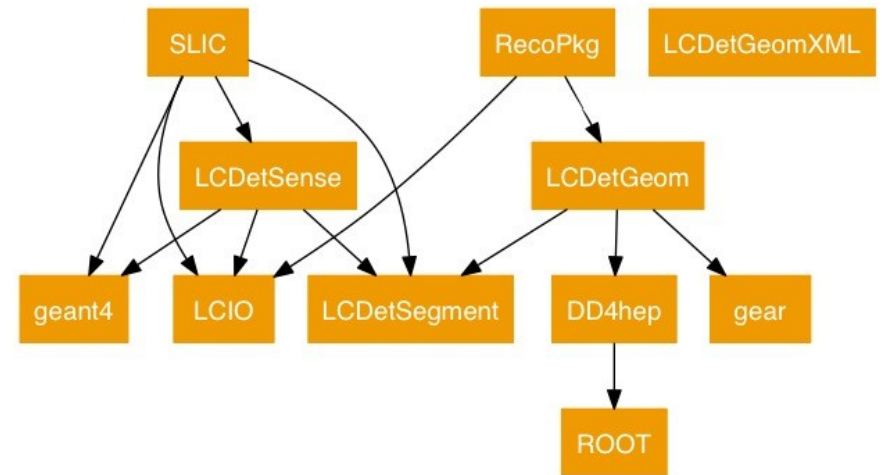
- developed simple prototypes:
  - ILDExDet: VXD, SIT, TPC, AHcal
  - CLICSiD
  - Calice test beam
- use to study technical issues:
  - cellIDs, detector segmentations, **sensitive detectors**
  - interface to reconstruction:
    - use GEAR classes
    - develop new reco-API
- latest release:
  - v00-05 in ilcsoft v01-17-05
  - restructured examples and build system
  - added geant4-example: [noviceN04](#)



single muon simulated w/ ILDExDet  
reconstructed w/ MarlinTrk  
\*shown in ILD\_o1\_v05 display

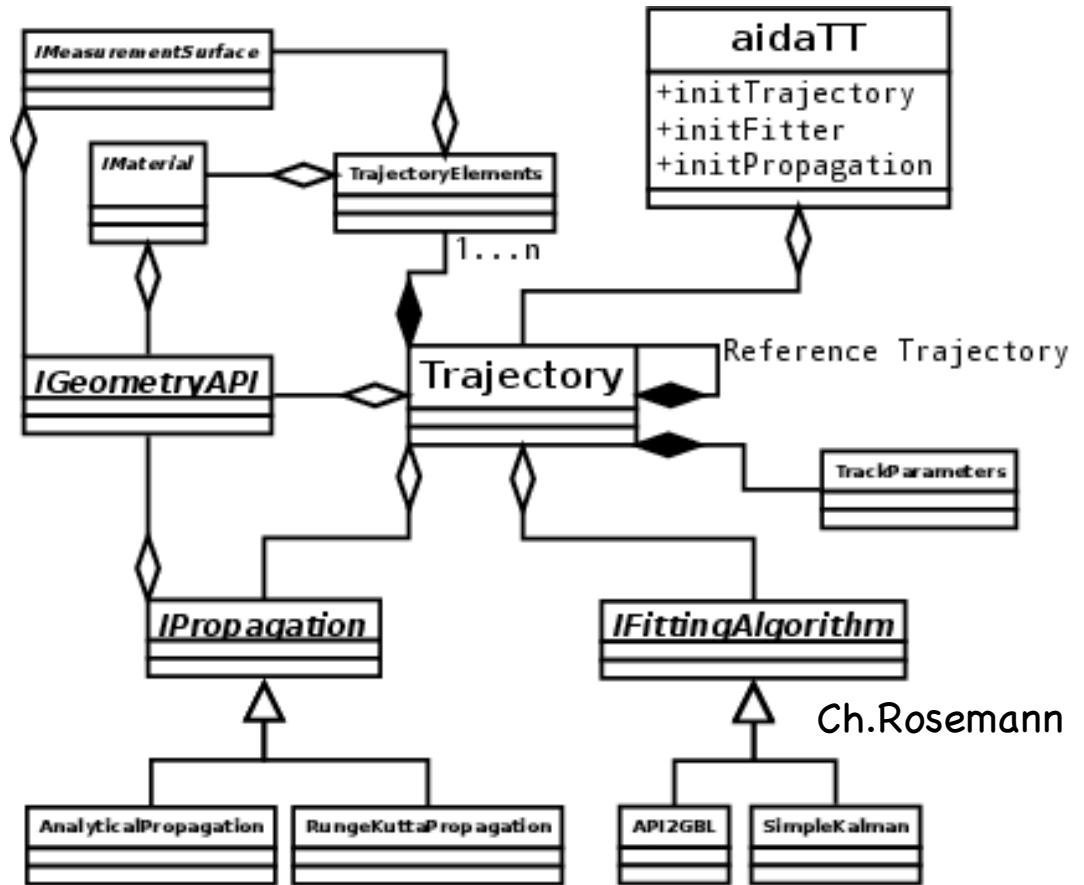
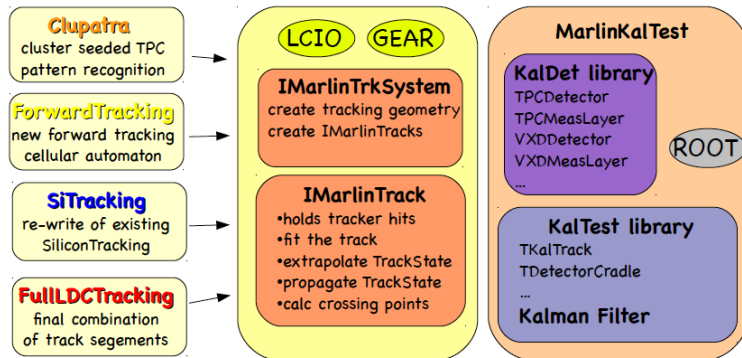
# towards using DD4hep

- the goal is to move towards DD4hep as only source of geometry description
- and eventually use **slic** as a common simulation program
- considerable work has gone into the geometry description (SubDetectorDriver) of the current ILD (and Calice) models in Mokka
- need to preserve this work
  - possibly by finding intermediate solution



final goal: more flexible and consistent software chain

# aidaTT - tracking toolkit



- develop a **generic track fitting toolkit** in context of AIDA WP2
- based on ideas developed in MarlinTrk and GenFit
- allow to transparently use Kalman-Filter or GeneralBrokenLines
- needed e.g. for Millipede alignment tool

- next step: define **reco interface** to DD4hep:
  - measurement surfaces
  - navigation (active and dead material)

# Summary & Outlook

- development activities in iLCSoft framework in the last 2-3 years where driven by preparation for the ILD DBD
  - improved realism in simulation and performance of reconstruction tool
- first developers release(s) since then provide new features in core tools and some new packages
- work towards a **common simulation and reconstruction framework for Linear Collider** studies
- main future activities in iLCSoft framework:
  - move to **DD4hep** and **port existing simulation models**
  - develop more flexible, generic tracking software