Status of Detector Description

SPD collaboration meeting

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- Flexibility;
- Ability for description of complicated geometry;
- Geometry version;
- Possibility of using the same geometry description in simulation (Geant4) and reconstruction.



GeoModel (https://gitlab.cern.ch/GeoModelDev/GeoModel) GeoModel has been used by the ATLAS experiment since 2004. A toolkit meets all requirements for SPD geometry description. It doesn't contain magnetic field' description tools.

Documentation is available at https://geomodel.web.cern.ch/home/

Geometry and material description in GeoModel





Parametrization of physical volumes





GeoAlignableTransform *transform = new GeoAlignableTransform(GeoTrf::RotateX3D(45.0*degree)*GeoTrf::Translate3D(25*cm, 5*cm, 15*cm)); world \rightarrow add(transform); world \rightarrow add(tubePhys); world \rightarrow add(cubePhys);

First step to the full SPD geometry description









Figure: General layout of the barrel part of ST, which shows 8 modules (octants).



GeoTrf::TranslateX3D((0.5+I)*pitch), pitch = stdiam/cos(alpha*deg)

GeoTrf::TranslateY3D(stdiam*((Infabs(sin(90*In*deg)))+(In+fabs(sin(90*In*deg)))*sin(60*deg)))

GeoTrf::RotateY3D(alpha*deg)

GeoTrf::TranslateZ3D(stlength-stlengthv)





Figure: Straw tubes.

Visualization of ST barrel





Figure: One module (octant) of the barrel part of the straw tracker.

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Visualization of ST barrel





Figure: The barrel part of the straw tracker.

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Figure: (a) ST end-cap consisting of 8 coordinate planes assembled together. (b) Common view and main dimensions.



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Visualization of ST end-caps





Figure: The end-cap part of the straw tracker.

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Volume data collection and storage is provided by the class ST_ID. Data access and output is provided by the class ST_Manager.





Figure: The 1 layer of MCT.



- Current TDR is not enough for detailed SPD geometry description;
- Necessity of naming convention. We need in common language. Its absence will complicate the interaction between us and hardware in future.



- Fixing of technical problems;
- Association with sensitive volumes of Geant4;
- Description of the inner structure of other detector subsystems.