

# The AGATA Simulation code ASC

## Session III

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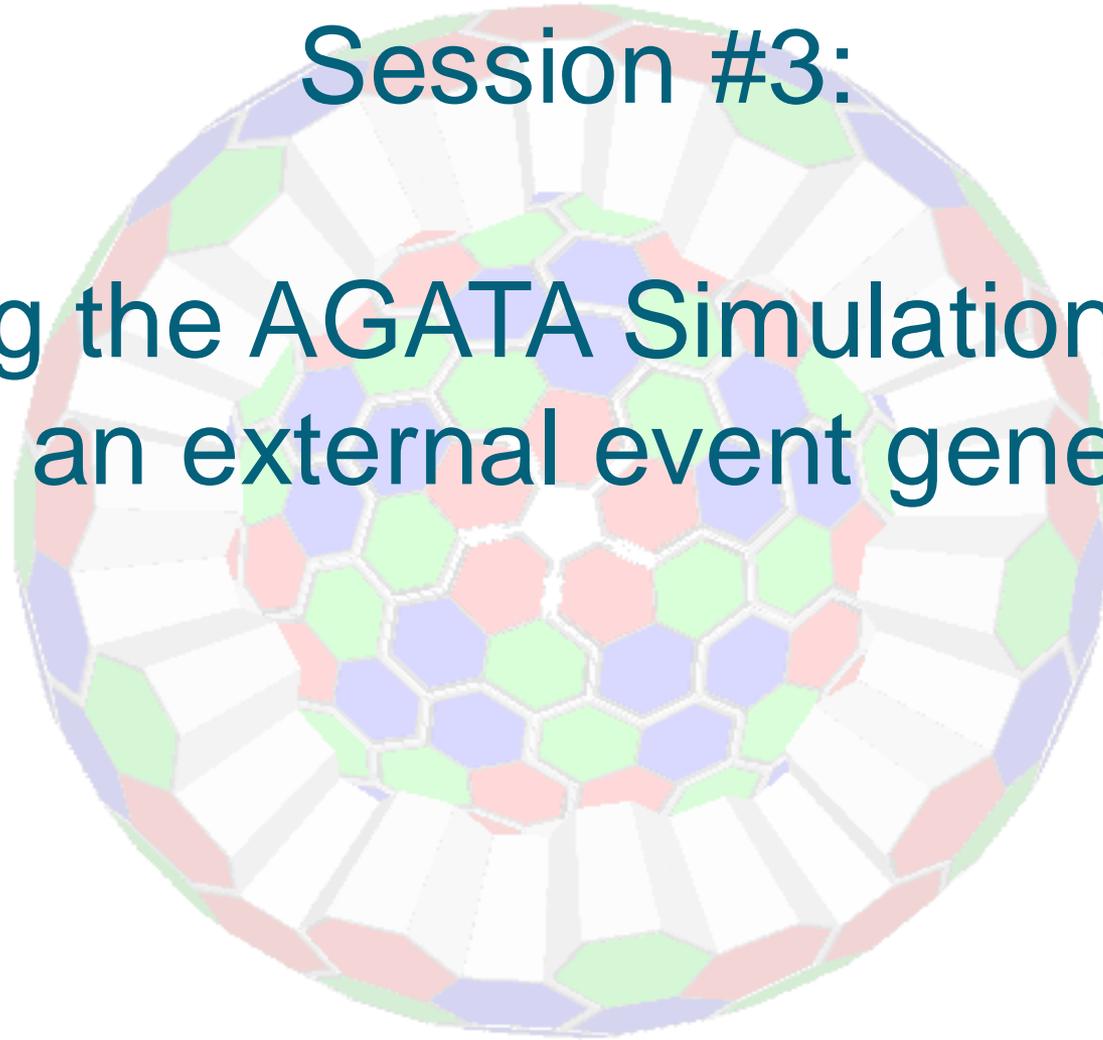


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## Session #3:

Using the AGATA Simulation code  
with an external event generator



# Outline

## ➤ Session #3: External evt generators

- Format needed for input event file

- Example with EvtGen

- Tutorials

# Using an external event generators

- AGATA code accepts ASCII file of events as input.
  - Some examples are in trunk/events/
    - EventsXY (*with X and Y the format level of emitter and emitted particle*)
- Running option is `-Ext: ./build/Agata -Ext`
- You can use/create your own event generator to produce this event file or you can use:
  - [GammaWare](#) (From .ags files)
  - [ext\\_generators/](#)
    - distributed with the AGATA code

# Format of the event input file

Example: Events00 file in Agata/events/:

FORMAT 0 0

= Emitter info , Emitted info  
(Level of detailed information: 0 to 4)

#

#

REACTION 6 12 16 32 88.0

=  $Z_{\text{beam}}, A_{\text{beam}}, Z_{\text{target}}, A_{\text{Target}}, E_{\text{beam}}$   
(Default= 1, 1, 6, 12, 0)

#

#

EMITTED 2 1 4

=  $N_{\text{total}}, \text{Type}_{i=0}, \dots, \text{Type}_{i=N}$

#

\$

= Beginning of event

-101 12 26 44. 0. 0. 1. 0. 0. 0.

= Emitter:  $z, A, E, x_{\text{Dir}}, y_{\text{Dir}}, z_{\text{Dir}}, x_{\text{S}}, y_{\text{S}}, z_{\text{S}}$

1 3000. 0. 1. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0.

= 1<sup>st</sup> emitted:  $E, x_{\text{Dir}}, y_{\text{Dir}}, z_{\text{Dir}}, x_{\text{S}}, y_{\text{S}}, z_{\text{S}}, [t, P]$

4 5000. 1. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0.5 1

= 2<sup>nd</sup> emitted:  $E, x_{\text{Dir}}, y_{\text{Dir}}, z_{\text{Dir}}, x_{\text{S}}, y_{\text{S}}, z_{\text{S}}, [t, P]$  →

index	Type
1	gamma
2	neutron
3	proton
4	deuterium
5	Triton
6	3He
7	alpha
8	Generic ion
97	Electron
98	Positron
99	Geantino

Command:

`$G4BIN/agata -Ext -n`

`Idle>/control/execute macros/geom180.mac`

`Idle>/Agata/generator/emitter/eventFile /Path/to/Eventfile/EventfileName`

# The “ Format X Y “ line

X

## Emitter line

EmitterType	Line
0	-101 zEmi aEmi eEmi Dx Dy Dz Sx Sy Sz
1	-101 zEmi aEmi eEmi Dx Dy Dz
2	-101 zEmi aEmi eEmi
3	-101 zEmi aEmi
4	-101
<b>5</b>	<b>-101 zEmi aEmi qEmi Dx Dy Dz Sx Sy Sz</b>

Y

## Emitted line

EmittedType	Line
0	type Elab Dx Dy Dz Sx Sy Sz [t P]
1	type ECM D'x D'y D'z Sx Sy Sz [t P]
2	type Elab Dx Dy Dz [t P]
3	type ECM D'x D'y D'z [t P]
4	type ECM [t P]

# Ex: events/Events00

To run the agata code:

```
> $G4WORKDIR/.../Agata -Ext
```

```
Idle>/Agata/file/enableLM
```

```
Idle>/control/execute macros/geom180-Demo.mac
```

```
Idle>/Agata/generator/emitter/eventFile events/Events00
```

```
Idle> /Agata/run/beamOn 3000
```

Then, run mgt or oft to read the output

# Producing event input files with GammaWare

- Install GammaWare (with cmake)
  - source Gw-env.csh (or Gw-env.sh)
  - Download a *.ags* file from:  
<https://radware.phy.ornl.gov/agmdir1.html>
- > cd PathTo/gammaware/demos/gem directory and run:
- ```
root -l
.L ToGeant.C
toGEANT1("PathTo/yourfile.ags", 1000, "YourOutputfile")
.q
```
- > **YourOutputfile.event** (in ascii & ROOT) is created !

# Producing event input files ext\_generators/

- EvtGen/
  - Developed by M. Reese (TU Darmstadt) & myself
  - Gamma rays emitted by Recoil nucleus in Inverse Coulex, Knock-out and fusion evaporation
  - 2-body reactions (inelastic/transfer)
- MyMocadiEvtGene/
  - Developed by M. Taylor (York University) for LyccaSim (GEANT4)
  - Uses MOCADI Ascii output files as input to AGATA Simulation
  - Adapted to AGATA by myself
- DBEvtGene/
  - Developed by D. Bloor (York)
  - MOCADI+AGATA+LYCCA

# Using `ext_generators/evtGen`

- The executable *Event\_generator* generates an event output file with Format 0 0.
- To compile it, you'll need `gsl` (gnu scientific library) installed
  - Then run: `make`
- To run it:  

```
>./event_generator yourSetupFile outputFileName
```
- Several example of setup files are given for different reactions:
  - `Example.setup` (typical plunger setup)
  - `exampleInelastic.Setup`
  - `exampleTransfer.Setup`

# Input file: example.setup (1/3)

```
NumberProjectiles: 21000
#####
# definition of a target layer:
#####
# Layer: A Z density(in g/cm^3)  thickness(in um)  relative_excitation_probability
angular_stragglng(in mrad/um)  reaction_type
# all length in micometers
# A = Z = 1 and density = 0 means vacuum
# available reaction types: C “inverse coulex” ( do nothing : ejectile flies with velocity of
#                               projectile )
#                               k knock out (or fragmentation) : Relative change of velocity
#                               (Borrel et al.)
#                               f fusion evaporation: ejectile flies with center of mass velocity
#                               T Elastic/Inelastic scattering and n-transfer in inverse
#                               kinematics
#####
Layer: 197 79 19.3 208.0 90.0 0.0 C
Layer: 1 1 0 500.0 0.0 0.0 C
Layer: 197 79 19.3 208.0 90.0 0.0 C
```

...

# Input file example.setup (2/3)

```
....  
#####  
# characteristics of projectile and beam  
#####  
Ap: 85           # projectile mass  
Zp: 35           # projectile charge number  
  
E0: 201.7        # initial projectile energy (in MeV/A)  
deltaE: 0.005    # variance of initial projectile energy (in MeV/A)  
  
x0: 0.0          # primary beam position and variance in x-direction (in um)  
deltax: 25000  
y0: 0.0          # primary beam position and variance in y-direction (in um)  
deltay: 17000  
  
#####  
# characteristics of ejectile  
#####  
Ae: 85           # ejectile mass  
Ze: 35           # ejectile charge number  
Bn: 8.0          # binding energy in MeV/u  
  
decay_filename: example.decay
```

# Input file example.setup (3/3)

```
....  
#####  
# if heavy ion spectrometer (Prisma) is used  
#####  
Prisma:          0          # set to 1 for emitter format 5  
MeanZeq:         30          # effective charge state (could be Ze of lower valu  
deltaZeq:        2          # variation
```

## WORK IN PROGRESS:

*To smear energy and direction of charged products in 2-body transfer reactions when ancillaries are not available in the code*

```
#####  
## AddRes is Optional( 0 is off 1 is on):  
##  
## AngRes: FWHM in deg  
## NrjRes: FWHM in keV  
#####  
AddRes: 0  
AngRes: 0  
NrjRes: 0
```

# The $\gamma$ decay file: example.decay

level: *ground\_state* 0.0

level: *excited\_state2* 373.8 6.71  
decay: *ground\_state* 100 1

level: *excited\_state1* 630 3.71  
decay: *excited\_state2* 100 1

level: *exciter* 10000 0.1 ← Energy limit, dummy  
decay: *excited\_state2* 100 1 ← Branching, id(dummy)

*level:* <state> <energy\_level> <lifetime>

*decay:* <state destination> <branching> <dummy>

“ground\_state”, “excited\_stateX” and “exciter” are token words

- NOTE:
- The energy must be in keV
  - The state lifetime must be in ns
  - The highest excited state is called "excited\_state1"

# Output file from EvtGen:

FORMAT 0 0

REACTION 35 85 197 79 17144.5

EMITTED 1 2

\$

-101 35 85 14781.7 0 0 1 0.334797 -0.149772 0.13051

1 346.708 0.824704 -0.258418 0.503074 0.334797 -0.149772 0.13051

1 364.115 0.904425 -0.345118 0.250815 0.334797 -0.149772 0.194586

\$

-101 35 85 15992.8 0 0 1 2.23389 -0.0300013 0.0211288

1 446.355 -0.503235 0.340333 0.79431 2.23389 -0.0300013 0.0211288

1 450.624 -0.337965 -0.757537 0.558496 2.23389 -0.0300013 0.0352129

\$

-101 35 85 16000.2 0 0 1 -1.67463 -1.4072 0.0299378

1 337.015 -0.862069 -0.195287 0.467653 -1.67463 -1.4072 0.0299378

1 454.966 0.544592 0.614913 0.570353 -1.67463 -1.4072 0.0361693

\$

# Input file: exampleInelastic.Setup (1/5)

NumberProjectiles: 10000

#  
#####

# *definition of a target layer:*

#####

# Layer: A Z density(in g/cm<sup>3</sup>) thickness(in um) relative\_excitation\_probability  
angular\_stragglng(in mrad/um) reaction\_type

# all length in micometers

# A = Z = 1 and density = 0 means vacuum

# available reaction types: C inverse coulex ( do nothing : ejectile flys with velocity of  
projectile )

# k knock out (or fragmentation) : Relative change of velocity  
(Borrel et al.)

# f fusion evaporation : ejectile flys with center of  
mass velocity

# T Elastic/Inelastic scattering and n-transfer in inverse kinematics

#####

Layer: 1 1 0.001 50.0 90.0 0.0 T

#####

...

# Input file: exampleInelastic.Setup (2/5)

...

```
#####
```

```
# characteristics of projectile and beam
```

```
#####
```

```
Ap: 114           # projectile mass  
Zp: 54           # projectile charge number  
Xsp: -67.18      # Mass excess [MeV]
```

```
E0: 50.          # initial projectile energy (in MeV/A)  
deltaE: 0.005    # variance of initial projectile energy (in MeV/A)
```

```
x0: 0.0          # primary beam position and variance in x-direction (in um)
```

```
deltax: 25000
```

```
y0: 0.0          # primary beam position and variance in y-direction (in um)
```

```
deltay: 17000
```

```
#
```

...

# Input file: exampleInelastic.Setup (3/5)

...

#####

*# characteristics of target nucleus*

#####

Atg: 1 # target ejectile mass  
Ztg: 1 # target z  
Xstg: 7.289 # Mass excess [MeV]

#####

*# characteristics of heavy ejectile*

#####

Ae: 114 # ejectile mass  
Ze: 54 # ejectile charge number  
Bn: 8.0 # binding energy in MeV/u  
Xse: -67.18 # Mass excess [MeV]  
Ex: 12.888 # Excitation energy [MeV] populated after reaction  
# (used for the kinematics)

#

...

# exampleInelastic.Setup (4/5)

...

#####

# *gamma decay file*

decay\_filename: 114Xe.decay

#

# *Cross section file for transfer or elastic/Inelastic scattering (cross section vs thetaCM)*

Xsec\_filename: CrossSection/flat.txt

#Xsec\_filename: CrossSection/sn132dp\_gs\_10AMeV.txt

#

#####

# *characteristics of light ejectile (for inelastic or transfer reaction)*

#####

Ale: 1                                   # *light ejectile mass*

Zle: 1                                   # *light ejectile z*

Xsle:       7.289                       # *Mass excess [MeV]*

# Input file exampleInelastic.setup (5/5)

```
....  
#####  
# if heavy ion spectrometer (Prisma) is used  
#####  
Prisma:          0          # set to 1 for emitter format 5  
MeanZeq:         30         # effective charge state (could be Ze of lower valu  
deltaZeq:        2          # variation
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##  
## AngRes: FWHM in deg  
## NrjRes: FWHM in keV  
#####  
AddRes: 0  
AngRes: 0  
NrjRes: 0
```

# EvtGen - HowTo

1- Run the event generator:

```
>./event_generator exampleInelastic.setup output.dat
```

2- Run the AGATA code:

```
>./Agata -Ext
```

```
Idle>/Agata/file/enableLM
```

```
Idle>/control/execute macros/geom180-Demo.mac
```

```
Idle>/Agata/generator/emitter/eventFile /path/to/output.dat
```

```
Idle>/Agata/rrun/beamOn 10000
```

3- Run mgt or oft

# EvtGen - HowTo

With oft, use the code in analysis/oft/**external**

## OFTinput format:

```
1 3000 1 // number of events to be treated together; total number of events,  
 // number of simulation files  
AgataSimulationFileName // input AGATA Geant4 data file name  
RootFile.root // output Root file  
RadwareFile.sec // output Radware file  
0.8 0.05 1 // sigma_theta, minprobtrack and clusterisation angle reduction factor  
0 0 0 // flags off to treat single int. clusters; to include pair production; flag off  
 // for Ge sphere approximation  
0.015 0 1 1 // energy threshold in MeV; flag to pack points in segment, flag to  
 // smear positions & energies, flag to pack points within 5 mm  
 // (this last flag is generally on)  
0 0 0.0 // position of source (with respect to geometrical centre of AGATA)  
0 // set to 1 to read v/c and direction of recoil for each event  
 // set to 0 to read line below (fixed average v/c and direction)  
0. 0. 0. 0. // recoil velocity v/c, vx, vy, vz
```



End of presentation #3

Start of tutorial

# Ex1: events/60CoEvents44

1. Have a look at the 60CoEvents file in the trunk/events
2. Run the agata code:

```
> ./build/Agata -Ext  
Idle> /Agata/file/enableLM  
Idle> /control/execute macros/geom180-Demo.mac  
Idle> /Agata/generator/emitter/eventFile events/60CoEvents44  
Idle> /Agata/run/beamOn 3000
```

3. Then run mgt++ or oft (in analysis/oft/extern/) to read GammaEvent.0000 and produce the energy spectrum

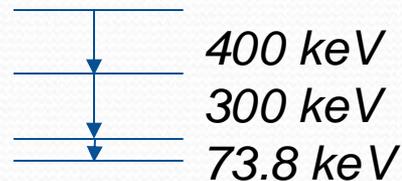
# Ex2 (1/2):

Go `ext_generators/EvtGen`

Check `example.setup`:

- Excitation of  $^{85}\text{Br}$  at 201.7 MeV/A passing through 2 layers of  $^{197}\text{Au}$  separated by 500um.
- Set event number to 20000

Check `example.decay`:



Run:

```
> event_generator example.setup example.event
```

Check `example.event` is created

## Ex2 (2/2):

Back in trunk/ directory, edit the macros:  
macros\_LNL/agata\_batch\_Ext.mac

Update the path to the input event file:  
/Agata/generator/emitter/eventFile  
../../../../ext\_generators/EvtGen/example.event

Run simulation for 20000 events  
./build/Agata -Ext -b macros\_LNL/agata\_batch\_Ext.mac

Run OFT in analysis/oft/extern/ after updating OFTinput file

Now try to change beam energy and thickness layers and repeat process

# Ex3 : $^{88}\text{Ru}$ – rotational band

Go ext\_generators/EvtGen

Check 88Ru.setup:

- Excitation of  $^{88}\text{Ru}$  at 102 MeV/A passing a thin layer of  $^{208}\text{Pb}$ .
- Set event number to  $10^6$

Check 88Ru.decay: gamma cascade

Run:

```
> event_generator 88Ru.setup 88Ru.event
```

Check 88Ru.event is created

## Ex3 (2/2):

Back in trunk/ directory, edit the macros: macros\_LNL/agata\_batch\_Ext.mac

Update the path to the input event file:

```
/Agata/generator/emitter/eventFile ../../../../ext_generators/88Ru.event
```

Run simulation for 1e6 events

```
> ./build/Agata -Ext -b macros_LNL/agata_batch_Ext.mac
```

Run OFT in analysis/ofT/extern/ after updating OFTinput file with:

```
v/c=0.0499
```

```
output file save as OFToutput88Ru.root
```

Check spectra in OFToutput88Ru.root

Applying gates:

```
> root -l AnalysOFTEvent4G_Ru88.C for g-g-g-g
```

```
> root -l AnalysOFTEvent2G_Ru88.C for g-g
```

# Ex4:

For an example of complex decay file: see 158Er.decay file.