GeoEfficiency.jl

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Part I

Home

GeoEfficiency: Accurate Geometrical Efficiency Calculator

an officially registered Julia program, provides a set of tools to calculate the geometrical efficiency in a fast and accurate way. The Package models a radiation detector irradiated by a radioactive source. The Package relay directly on numerical evaluation of closed form analytical formula describing the geometrical efficiency.

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this documentation is also available in pfd formate.

1.1 The following list show the current and planed features:-

the checked items represent allready present feature.

- x support of widely used detector geometries.
 - x cylinder detectors.
 - x bore-hole detectors.
 - x well-type detectors.

support of specialized detector geometries.

- x support of isotropic radioactive sources.
 - x point sources.
 - x disc sources.
 - x cylinder sources.

support of anisotropic radioactive sources.

point sources.

consider more details of the measurement setup.

the detector effect.

the end cap effect.

the medium and absorber effect.

combine the effect of the source geometry and composition.

1.2 Requirements

- Julia 0.6 or above.
- QuadGK 0.3.0 or above, will be installed automatically during the package Installation.
- Compat 0.63.0 or above, will be installed automatically during the package Installation.

1.3 Download and Install the Package

The package is registered and so can be installed through the Julia package system by running

```
julia> using Pkg
julia> Pkg.add("GeoEfficiency")
```

1.4 Quick Usage

```
julia> using GeoEfficiency
julia> calc()
```

see also: geoEff(), calcN(), batch()

1.5 Package Overview

The following constructor can be used to construct a specific type of detector

- CylDetector for cylindrical detector,
- BoreDetector for bore hole,
- WellDetector for well type detector.

While the function Detector can be used to construct any of the above types. You may try also getDetectors.

Point constructor is used to construct an anchoring point of a source relative to it its position to the detector is specified. For a point source, the anchoring point is the source itself. The source() method take input from the 'console' and return a tuple describing the source.

The efficiency calculation can be done by one of the functions:

- geoEff used with or without argument(s),
- calc ask for the required information from the 'console',

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- calcN just a repeat of the calc function
- batch() which try to take required information from csv files located in the home directory inside a folder called GeoEfficiency.

For more on the function and its methods prefix the name of the function by ?.

Note

Input from the 'console' can be numerical expression not just a number.

```
5/2, 5//2, pi, exp(2), 1E-2, 5.2/3, sin(1), pi/2/3 All are valid expressions.
```

1.6 Batch Calculation

The package can be used to perform batch calculations by calling one of the methods of the function batch. The output results of batch calculations is found by default in GeoEfficiency\results folder inside the user home.

For example c:\users\yourusername\GeoEfficiency\results\.

The function batch() can be called with or without arrangement(s). The without argument version relay on previously prepared Comma Saved Values [CSV] files, that can be easily edit by Microsoft Excel, located by default in the GeoEfficiency folder.

Those Comma Saved Values [CSV] files are:-

• Detectors.csv contains the detectors description; The line format is:

```
Crystal_Radius | Crystal_Length | Hole_Radius | Hole_Depth |
------|
```

• srcHeights.csv contains the source heights;

```
| Source_Heights
|-----|
```

• srcRhos.csv contains the source off-axis distances;

```
| Source_Rhos
|------
```

• srcRadii.csv contains the source radii for disc and cylindrical sources;

```
Source_Radii|
-----l
```

• srcLengths.csv contains the source length for cylindrical sources;

Source_Lengths|

Note

for Comma Saved Values [CSV] files each line represent an entry, the first line is always treated as the header.

Warning

the program expect each line to contain one number for all CSV files except for Detectors.csv each line should contain at least one number or at most four separated numbers

Part II

Manual

GeoEfficiency

GeoEfficiency.GeoEfficiency - Module.

GeoEfficiency Package

introduce a fast and flexible tool to calculate in batch or individually the geometrical efficiency for a set of common radiation detectors shapes (cylindrical, Bore-hole, Well-type) as seen form a source. The source can be a point, a disc or even a cylinder.

Quick Usage

- geoEff(): Calculate the geometrical efficiency for one geometrical setup return only the value of the geometrical efficiency.
- calc(): Calculate the geometrical efficiency for one geometrical setup and display full information on the console.
- calcN(): Calculate the geometrical efficiency for geometrical setup(s) and display full information on the console until the user quit.
- batch(): Calculate the geometrical efficiency using data in the /home/travis/GeoEfficiency folder in batch mode.

for more information and updates refer to the repository at GitHub.com

source

 ${\tt GeoEfficiency.about-Function}.$

- read files by defaul from directory `/home/travis/GeoEfficiency`
- save results by default to directory `/home/travis/GeoEfficiency/results`

for more information see `batch`, `batchInfo`.

GeoEfficiency.GeoException - Type.

Error

```
coustom abstract Exception that is the parent of all exception in the GeoEfficiency package
    source
GeoEfficiency.InValidDetectorDim - Type.
    coustom Exception indicating inValid radiation detector dimentions
    source
GeoEfficiency.@validateDetector - Macro.
    @validateDetector cond [text]
    Throw an InValidDetectorDim if cond is false. Message text is optionally displayed upon validation failure.
    Examples
    julia> @validateDetector iseven(3) "3 is an odd number!"
    ERROR: InValidDetectorDim: 3 is an odd number!
    julia> @validateDetector isodd(3) "What even are numbers?"
    source
GeoEfficiency.NotImplementedError - Type.
    coustom Exception source to detector condation which may be valid but not implemented yet
    source
GeoEfficiency.@notImplementedError - Macro.
    coustom macro to throw NotImplementedError Exception
    source
```

Console Input

GeoEfficiency.input - Function.

UnExported

```
input(prompt::AbstractString = "? ", incolor::Symbol = :green)
```

return a string delimited by new line excluding the new line. prompt the user with the massage prompt defaults to ?. incolor specify the prompt text color, default to green.

source

GeoEfficiency.getfloat - Function.

UnExported

```
getfloat(prompt::AbstractString = "? ", from::Real = -Inf, to::Real = Inf; KW...)::Float64
```

prompts the user with the massage prompt defaults to? to input a numerical expression evaluate to a numerical value and asserts that the value is by default in the semi open interval [from, to[before returning it as a Float64. throws ArgumentError when the given interval is not valid.

KW arguments

- value::AbstractString="nothing": if provided the function will not ask for input from the console and take it as if it where inputted from the console [for test propose mainly].
- lower::Bool=true: whether or not to inculde from as accepted value.
- upper::Bool=false : whether or not to inculde to as accepted value.

Note

- a blank input (i.e just a return) is considered as being 0.0.
- input from the console can be numerical expression not just a number.
- All 5/2, 5//2, exp(2), pi, 1E-2, 5.2/3, sin(1), pi/2/3 are valid mathematical expressions.

Examples

```
julia> getfloat("input a number:", value="3")
3.0

julia> getfloat("input a number:", value="")
0.0
```

```
julia> getfloat("input a number:", value="5/2")
2.5

julia> getfloat("input a number:", value="5//2")
2.5

julia> getfloat("input a number:", value="pi")
3.141592653589793

julia> getfloat("input a number:", value="-2")
-2.0

julia> getfloat("input a number:", 1, 5, value="5", upper=true)
5.0
```

Physics Model

construct and return a Point source that can be used as either a source by itself or an anchor point of a higher dimension source.

- Height: point height relative to the detector surface.
- Rho: point off-axis relative to the detector axis of symmetry.

Note

Each detector type give different interpretation to the height as follow:-

- for CylDetector the point source height is consider to be measured from the detector face surface.
- for BoreDetector the point source height is consider to be measured from the detector middle, +ve value are above the detector center while -ve are below.
- for WellDetector the point source height is considered to be measured from the detector hole surface.

source

```
GeoEfficiency.source - Function.
| source(anchorPnt::Point = Point())
```

return a tuple that describe the source (anchorPnt, SrcRadius, SrcLength) according to the input from the console.

- anchorPnt: the source anchoring point. if it is missing the user is prompt to input it via the console.
- SrcRadius: source radius.
- SrcLength: source length.

Warning

If the global variable srcType is set to srcPoint, both SrcRadius and SrcLength are set to zero.

```
GeoEfficiency.CylDetector - Type.
```

```
CylDetector(CryRadius::Real, CryLength::Real)
```

construct and return a cylindrical detector of the given crystal dimensions:-

- CryRadius: the detector crystal radius.
- CryLength: the detector crystal length.

Warning

both CryRadius and CryLength should be positive, while CryLength can also be set to zero.

source

```
GeoEfficiency.BoreDetector - Type.
```

```
| BoreDetector(CryRadius::Real, CryLength::Real, HoleRadius::Real)
```

construct and return a bore-hole detector of the given crystal dimensions:-

- CryRadius: the detector crystal radius.
- CryLength: the detector crystal length.
- HoleRadius: the detector hole radius.

Warning

CryRadius and CryLength, HoleRadius should be positive numbers, also CryRadius should be greater than HoleRadius.

source

```
GeoEfficiency.WellDetector - Type.
```

```
| WellDetector(CryRadius::Real, CryLength::Real, HoleRadius::Real, HoleDepth::Real)
```

construct and return a Well-Type detector of the given crystal dimensions:-

- CryRadius: the detector crystal radius.
- CryLength: the detector crystal length.
- HoleRadius: the detector hole radius.
- HoleDepth: the detector hole length.

Warning

all arguments should be positive numbers, also CryRadius should be greater than HoleRadius and CryLength should be greater than HoleDepth.

source

```
{\tt GeoEfficiency.RadiationDetector-Type.}
```

abstract super-supertype of all detectors types

source

```
GeoEfficiency.Detector - Type.
```

Detector

abstract supertype of all detectors types of cylidericalish shapes. also can be used to construct any leaf type.

Batch Input

GeoEfficiency.typeofSrc - Function.

```
typeofSrc()::SrcType
    return the current value of the global GeoEfficiency.srcType.
   typeofSrc(x::Int)::SrcType
    set and return the value of the global GeoEfficiency.srcType corresponding to x.
       • srcUnknown = -1 also any negative integer treated as so,
       • srcPoint = 0,
       • srcLine = 1,
       • srcDisk = 2.
       • srcVolume = 3,
       • srcNotPoint = 4 also any greater than 4 integer treated as so.
    source
GeoEfficiency.setSrcToPoint - Function.
   | setSrcToPoint()::Bool
    return whether the source type is a point or not.
    source
   | setSrcToPoint(yes::Bool)::Bool
    return whether the source type is a point or not after setting srcType to srcPoint if yes = true else if
    yes = false setting it to srcNotPoint if it was not already set to other non-point type (srcDisk, srcLine,
    srcVolume).
```

Note

- The user can use this function to change the source type any time.
- The source type is set the fist time asked for source.

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```
see also: typeofSrc(::Int).
source
| setSrcToPoint(prompt::AbstractString)::Bool
return whether the source type is a point or not. only prompt the user to set the source type if it were not already set before.
see also: typeofSrc(::Int), setSrcToPoint(::Bool).
source
```

 ${\tt GeoEfficiency.detector_info_from_csvFile-Function}.$

UnExported

return a vector{Detector} based on information in the file of name detectors found in the directory datadir.

Note

- if no path is given the second argument datadir is default to /home/travis/GeoEfficiency as set by the constant dataDir.
- if no file name is specified the name of the predefined file Detectors.csv as set by the constant Detectors.
- the no argument method is the most useful; other methods are mainly for test propose.

source

GeoEfficiency.read_from_csvFile - Function.

UnExported

return Vector{Float64} based on data in csv file named csv_data. directory datadir point to where the file is located default to /home/travis/GeoEfficiency as set by the constant dataDir.

source

GeoEfficiency.read_batch_info - Function.

UnExported

```
read_batch_info()
```

read detectors and sources parameters from the predefined csv files.

Return a tuple (detectorsarray, srcHeightsarray, srcRhosarray, srcRadiiarray, srcLengthsarray, GeoEfficiencyisPoint)

source

UnExported

read detectors and sources parameters from the location given in the argument list.

Return a tuple

source

GeoEfficiency.getDetectors - Function.

```
| getDetectors(detectors_array::Vector{<:Detector} = Detector[])::Vector{Detector}</pre>
```

return the detectors_array as Vector{Detector} extended by the entered detectors and sorted according to the detector volume. prompt the user to input detector parameters from the console.

Note

If no array received in the input an empty array will be created to receive the converted detectors.

source

return detectors_array as Vector{Detector}, after extending it with the successfully converted detectors. while, attempt to convert detectors from the information in detector_info_array.

Note

if console_FB argument is set to true, the function will call <code>getDetectors()</code> to take input from the console if the <code>detector_info_array</code> is empty or contain no numerical element.

Calculations

GeoEfficiency.geoEff - Function.

```
geoEff(detector::Detector, aPnt::Point, SrcRadius::Real = 0.0, SrcLength::Real = 0.0)::
    Float64
```

return the geometrical efficiency for a source (point, disk or cylinder) with the detector detector. detector can be any of the leaf detectors types (CylDetector, BoreDetector, WellDetector).

- aPNT: a point represent the anchoring point of the source.
- SrcRadius: Radius of the source.
- srcHeight: the height of an upright cylinder source.

Throw an Error if the source location is inappropriate.

Warning

the point height of aPnt is measured differently for different detectors types. for the details, please refer to each detector entry.

Note

- if SrcLength equal to zero; the method return Geometrical Efficiency of a disc source of Radius = SrcRadius and center at the point aPNT.
- if both SrcRadius and SrcLength equal to zero; the method returns the Geometrical Efficiency of a point source at the anchoring point.

Example

• to obtain the efficiency of a cylindrical detector of crystal radius 2.0 cm for axial source cylinder of radius 1.0 cm and height 2.5 cm on the detector surface.

```
julia> using GeoEfficiency
julia> geoEff(CylDetector(2.0), Point(0.0), 1.0, 2.5)
0.2923777934922748
```

• to obtain the efficiency for a bore-hole detector of crystal radius of 2.0 and height of 3.0 with hole radius of 1.5 cm for axial source cylinder of radius 1.0 cm and height 2.5 cm starting from detector center.

```
julia> using GeoEfficiency

julia> newDet = BoreDetector(2.0, 3.0, 1.5);

julia> geoEff(newDet, Point(0.0), 1.0, 2.5)
0.5678174038944723
```

• to obtain the efficiency for a well-type detector of crystal radius of 2.0 cm and height 3.0 cm with hole radius of 1.5 cm and depth of 1.0 cm for axial source cylinder of radius 1.0 cm and height 2.5 cm at the hole surface.

```
julia> using GeoEfficiency

julia> newDet = WellDetector(2.0, 3.0, 1.5, 1.0);

julia> geoEff(newDet, Point(0.0), 1.0, 2.5)
0.4669614527701105
```

source

GeoEfficiency.GeoEff_Pnt - Function.

unexported

```
| GeoEff_Pnt(detector::CylDetector, aPnt::Point)::Float64
```

return the geometrical efficiency for the point source aPnt located on front of the cylindrical detector detector face.

Throw an Error if the point is out of the cylindrical detector detector face.

Note

this is the base function that all other functions call directly or indirectly to calculate geometrical efficiency of the cylindrical-ish detector family.

source

GeoEfficiency.GeoEff_Disk - Function.

unexported

```
GeoEff_Disk(detector::CylDetector, SurfacePnt::Point, SrcRadius::Real)::Float64
```

return the geometrical efficiency for a disk source. The disk center is the SurfacePnt and its radius is SrcRadius on front of the cylindrical detector detector face.

produce a warning if the disk is out of the cylindrical detector face.

Output Interface

```
GeoEfficiency.calc - Function.
   calc(detector::Detector = Detector(), aSource::Tuple{Point, Float64, Float64,} = source())
    calculate and display on the console the geometrical efficiency of the detector detector for the tuple
    aSource describing the source.
    Throw an Error if the source location is inappropriate.
    see also: geoEff(::Detector, ::Tuple{Point, Float64, Float64})
         Note
         if source description a Source alone or even both source description and detector detect are missing,
         the method prompt the user to complete the missing data via the console.
    source
GeoEfficiency.calcN - Function.
   calcN()
    calculate and display the geometrical efficiency repeatedly. Prompt the user to input a detector and a
    source from the console. Prompt the user repeatedly until it exit (give a choice to use the same detector or
    a new detector).
    source
GeoEfficiency.batch - Function.
   batch()
    provide batch calculation of the geometrical efficiency based on the information provided by the CSV files
    by default located in /home/travis/GeoEfficiency.
```

also a log of the results are displayed on the console.

for more information on batch refer to batchInfo.

source

results are saved on a CSV file(s) named after the detector(s). the CSV file(s) by default found in /home/travis/GeoEfficiency/resu

provide batch calculation of the geometrical efficiency for the detector detector. results are saved on a CSV file named after the detector. the CSV file by default found in /home/travis/GeoEfficiency/results. this method return the actual path to the CSV file. also a log of the results are displayed on the console.

- srcHeights_array: list of source heights to feed to batch.
- srcRhos_array: list of source off-axis distances to feed to batch.
- srcRadii_array: list of source radii to feed to batch.
- srcLengths_array: list of source lengths to feed to batch.

A set of sources is constructed of every valid **combination** of parameter in the srcRhos_array, srcRadii_array and srcLengths_array arrays with conjunction with ispoint.

Warning

- If ispoint is true the source type is a point source and the parameters in srcRadii_array and srcLengths_array arrays is completely ignored.
- If ispoint is false the parameters in srcRhos_array is completely ignored.

source

 $same \ as \ batch(::Detector, ::Vector\{Real\},::Vector\{Real\},::Vector\{Real\},::Bool) \\ but \ accept \ a \ list \ of \ detectors \ detectors_array. \ return \ a \ list \ of \ paths \ to \ the \ CSV \ of \ files \ (file \ for \ each \ detector) \\ storing \ the \ results.$

source

same as batch(::Vector{Detector}, ::Vector{Real},::Vector{Real},::Vector{Real},::Bool)
but provide batch calculation of the geometrical efficiency for the detector in the detector_info_array
after applying getDetectors. return a list of paths to the CSV of files (file for each detector) storing the results.

source

GeoEfficiency.batchInfo - Constant.

The function batch() can be called with or without arrangement(s). The without argument version relay on previously prepared Comma Saved Values [CSV] files, that can be easily edit by Microsoft Excel, by default located in the directory /home/travis/GeoEfficiency.

results of batch calculation are saved on a CSV file(s) named after the detector(s). the CSV file by default found in /home/travis/GeoEfficiency/results.

CSV input files

• Detectors.csv contains the detectors description; The line format is:

```
Crystal_Radius | Crystal_Length | Hole_Radius | Hole_Depth |
```

• srcHeights.csv contains the source heights;

```
Source_Heights |
-----|
```

• srcRhos.csv contains the source off-axis distances;

```
Source_Rhos |
-----|
```

• srcRadii.csv contains the source radii for disc and cylindrical sources;

```
Source_Radii|
```

• srcLengths.csv contains the source length for cylindrical sources;

```
Source_Lengths|
```

CSV results files

CSV file containing the results has columns of headers AnchorHeight, AnchorRho, srcRadius, srcLength, GeoEfficiency for non-point sources and columns of headers Height, Rho, GeoEfficiency for point sources.

Note

for Comma Saved Values [CSV] files each line represent an entry, the first line is always treated as the header.

Warning

the program expect each line to contain one number for all CSV files except for Detectors.csv each line should contain at least one number or at most four separated numbers.

```
GeoEfficiency.checkResultsDirs - Function.
    UnExported
    checkResultsDirs()
    make sure that directories for saving the results are already exist or create them if necessary.
    source
GeoEfficiency.writecsv_head - Function.
    unexported
    |writecsv_head(filename::AbstractString, content::VecOrMat{<:Union{Int,Float64}}, head=[])
    Write content to the comma delimited values file filename. optionally with header head.
    source
GeoEfficiency._max_batch - Constant.
    -ve value will display all batch results on
    source
GeoEfficiency.max_batch - Function.
    max_batch(n<:Real)
    set the value of 'maxbatch' which default to 20 which control the maxumam number of entries per detector that
    permit the detector efficiency calculation to be displayed on console. this function do not affect the saving of
    the batch calculation.
    -ve value of n result in displaying all batch calculation results on the console.
    see also: max_batch()
    source
    max_batch()
    set the value of 'maxbatch' to its default value.
    see also: max_batch(::Integer)
    source
GeoEfficiency._batch - Function.
    UnExported
```

batch calculation for specialized for **point** sources. return a tuple of three arrays the detector, the resultsand the path of the **CSV** file containing results.

The results has columns of headers Height, Rho, GeoEfficiency.

Note

for all arrays srcHeights_array, srcRhos_array, srcRadii_array and srcLengths_array element type should be Float64. if any of them have other numerical element type it should converted to Float64 using float before passing it to this method.

Warning

both srcRadii_array, srcLengths_array are completely ignored as this method is for point sources.

source

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batch calculation for specialized for **non-point** sources. return a tuple of three arrays the detector, the results and the path of the **CSV** file containing results.

 $The \ results \ has \ columns \ of \ headers \ Anchor Height, \ Anchor Rho, \ src Radius, \ src Length, \ Geo Efficiency.$

Note

for all arrays srcHeights_array, srcRhos_array, srcRadii_array and srcLengths_array element type should be Float64. if any of them have other numerical element type it should converted to Float64 using float before passing it to this method.

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