

## Motivation of the structure – top-down requirements:

- The system is built from class objects that modify a major class; the Field class – class contains the EMF of light as it propagates from object
- The field is modified by the Objects to reflect the underlying physical process – e.g., the atmosphere object receives a Field class and adds the
- To simplify the code structure, the object needs to be de-coupled. The input of a code must be only the Field object, and the modification should
- Each of the object classes is built from an abstract class that must include the following:
  - **Initialize function** – initializes the object and loads the parameters from the preamble section.
  - **Propagation function** – the function that picks up the field from the previous object and operates the field to reflect the physical process (baselines x 4 ABCD inputs).
  - **The state function** yields the current state of the object – e.g., this will include the mirror commands in an AO class; the delay line position

## Structure – basic code idea:

**Preamble – parameter loading.** Reads parameter files using a reader function

1. Telescope/atmospheric/source parameters; AO/FT/MAH2 configuration; Beam combiner matrices; source parameters; DL/Detector/Spectrometer

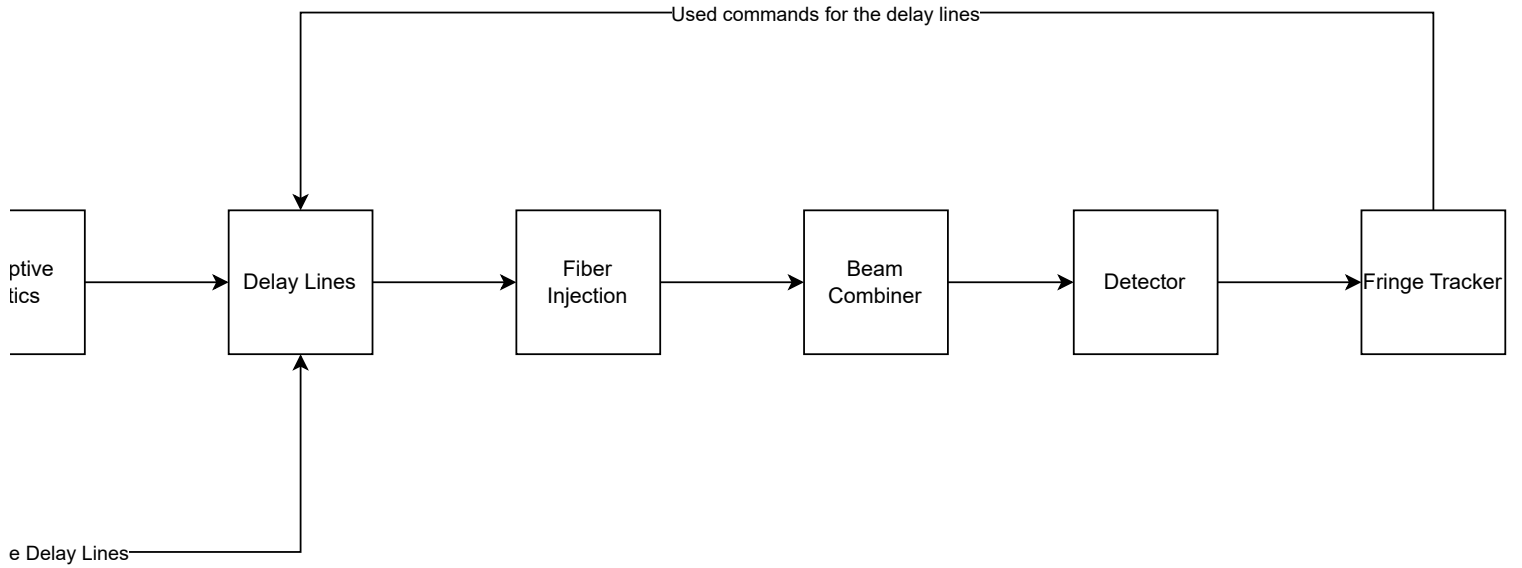
**Initialization of the field - The field object is generated from the Source Object - it is never generated independently in a VLT loop.**

1. source = source.initialize(source parameters);
2. emf = source.generate\_field()

**Propagation of the field across the other Digital Twin components:**

1. atmosphere = atmosphere.initialize(atmospheric parameters);
2. emf = atmosphere.propagate(emf);

**Note on control strategies:** The control strategies applied to each control element are fixed for a loop, which implies that the current strategy (e.g., f



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 uld operate only on the Field object.

ess of the current object – e.g., a beam combiner class splits the introduced four telescopes into 24 outputs in an ABCD configuration (6  
 sitions in the Delay lines class.

eter static parameters; ...

FT using an integrator) needs to be included in the initialization function and loaded from the parameters.

## Structure – basic pseudo-code loop:

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## Preamble

objects = [Atmosphere, Phase_Disturbances, Telescope, Manhattan, Adaptive_Optics, Delay_Lines, Fiber_injection, Beam_combine]

param_objects = load_parameters( parameter_file.txt )

# Load parameters into objects

Source.initialize(source_parameters)
[current_object.initialize(current_parameters) for current_object, current_parameters in zip(objects, param_objects) ]

# Loop

initial_emf = Source.generate_field()

for frame in range( number_of_iterations):

    current_emf = initial_emf

    for current_object in objects:

        current_emf = current_object.propagate(current_emf)

        #Analysis functions if needed:

    ## Example:

    if current_object == Adaptive_Opics:

        current_mirror_commands = ao.state().mirror_commands()

        var_cmds = np.var(current_mirror_commands, axis=1)
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**Note:** Tiago comenta que podemos em vez de dar update do emf podemos gerar um novo objecto. Gasta mais memoria, mas pode ser util. Em vez

**Note:** P.P.G pede que o sistema seja capaz de ingerir scintilação, mesmo que esta nao seja incluida para já.

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or, Detector, Fringe_tracker]
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eu uso uma state function `emf.state()` para chamar o estado do campo caso seja necessário.