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# Example: Photon Treatment Plan using VMC++ dose calculation

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In this example we will show (i) how to load patient data into matRad (ii) how to setup a photon dose calculation based on the VMC++ Monte Carlo algorithm (iii) how to inversely optimize the beamlet intensities directly from command window in MATLAB. (iv) how to visualize the result

## Patient Data Import

Let's begin with a clear Matlab environment and import the boxphantom into your workspace.

```
clc,clear,close all;  
load('BOXPHANTOM.mat');
```

## Treatment Plan

The next step is to define your treatment plan labeled as 'pln'. This structure requires input from the treatment planner and defines the most important cornerstones of your treatment plan.

```
pln.radiationMode = 'photons';  
pln.machine       = 'Generic';  
pln.numOfFractions = 30;  
pln.propOpt.bioOptimization = 'none';  
pln.propStf.gantryAngles = [0];  
pln.propStf.couchAngles  = [0];
```

```
pln.propStf.bixelWidth      = 10;  
pln.propStf.numOfBeams      = numel(pln.propStf.gantryAngles);  
pln.propStf.isoCenter       = ones(pln.propStf.numOfBeams,1) *  
    matRad_getIsoCenter(cst,ct,0);  
pln.propOpt.runSequencing   = 0;  
pln.propOpt.runDAO          = 0;
```

## Generate Beam Geometry STF

```
stf = matRad_generateStf(ct,cst,pln);
```

```
matRad: Generating stf struct... Progress: 100.00 %
```

## Dose Calculation

Calculate dose influence matrix for unit pencil beam intensities using the VMC++ monte carlo algorithm. We define the number of photons simulated per beamlet to be 700. You can find compatible VMC++ files at <http://www.cerr.info/download.php> which have to be located in matRadrootDirectory\vmc++.

```
dij = matRad_calcPhotonDoseVmc(ct,stf,pln,cst);
```

```
Warning: Number of photons simulated per bixel (nCasePerBixel) and  
number of  
parallel MC simulations (numOfParallelMCSimulations) not specified by  
user. Use  
default settings with nCasePerBixel = 5000 and  
numOfParallelMCSimulations = 4 in  
vmc++ calculations.  
matRad: VMC++ photon dose calculation...
```

```
Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam_temp_1.vmc
```

```
Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam_temp_2.vmc
```

```
Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam_temp_3.vmc
```

```
Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam_temp_4.vmc  
Reading MS data ... OK  
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1  
Reading MS data ... OK  
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1  
Reading MS data ... OK
```

```

Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
=====
                          Beamlet Source
=====
      charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
      Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,22.5,22.5)
=====
XYZ Geometry
=====
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
                          Monte Carlo Parameter
=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.     : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode        : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep    : 10%

```

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Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++

=====

MC\_Control

=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 24442 27174

=====

Variance Reduction

=====

f\_repeat = 0.251  
split photons = 1  
photon split factor = -40

=====

Quasi Random Numbers

=====

number of generators: 1  
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1

=====

Scoring and output options

=====

number of dose scoring objects: 1  
dose output options for geometry CT  
dump dose: 2  
dose scans:

CPU time so far: 3.385 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation

OK

=====

Beamlet Source

=====

charge = 0  
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)

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```

Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,22.5,23)
=====
XYZ Geometry
=====
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
Monte Carlo Parameter
=====
Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1
CSDA approximation : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation : 0
Exact Compton : 0
Electron transport mode : VMC++
=====
MC_Control
=====
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches : 10
histories per batch : 500
total histories : 5000
initial rng seeds : 3810 27402
=====
Variance Reduction
=====
f_repeat = 0.251
split photons = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====
number of generators: 1

```

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```
1st:  base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
=====
Scoring and output options
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
    dump dose: 2
    dose scans:

CPU time so far: 3.416 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.016  500  500
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.11  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.062  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.203  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.156  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.281  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.234  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.359  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.328  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.359  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.453  500  500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.452  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.578  500  500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.53  500  500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.64  500  500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.624  500  500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.718  500  500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.702  500  500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.718 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.812  500  500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
    geometry: CT
    cpu time: 0.718
    number of histories: 5000
    number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.89  500  500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.89 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
```

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```
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
geometry: CT
cpu time: 0.89
number of histories: 5000
number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
    max dose is 0.0345088 in region 1880046
    max dose is 0.0343228 in region 1803246
OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
        charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
        Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,22.5,24)
=====
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
        name: CT id: 0
        global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
                        Monte Carlo Parameter
=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition   : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.    : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode       : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep   : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step    : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step    : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                      : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                     : 0
Exact Compton                       : 0
Electron transport mode              : VMC++

=====
=====
                        MC_Control
=====
will use fixed number of histories
```

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```
number of batches      : 10
histories per batch    : 500
total histories        : 5000
initial rng seeds      : 8355 16407
=====
=====
                        Variance Reduction
=====
=====

f_repeat               = 0.251
split photons          = 1
photon split factor    = -40
=====
=====
                        Quasi Random Numbers
=====
=====
number of generators: 1
                    1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
=====
                        Scoring and output options
=====
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
    dump dose: 2
    dose scans:

CPU time so far: 4.243 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.015  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.062  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.093  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.125  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.156  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.203  500  500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.234  500  500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.265  500  500
OK
=====
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
=====
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,22.5,23.5)
```

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=====  
=====  
XYZ Geometry  
=====

name: CT id: 0  
global smax: 1e+030  
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
=====

Monte Carlo Parameter  
=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++  
=====

=====  
=====  
MC\_Control  
=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 18971 2927  
=====

Variance Reduction  
=====

f\_repeat = 0.251  
split photons = 1  
photon split factor = -40  
=====

Quasi Random Numbers  
=====

number of generators: 1  
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1  
=====

Scoring and output options

```
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
  dump dose: 2
  dose scans:
```

CPU time so far: 5.101 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
 with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation

```
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.296  500  500
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.031  500  500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.343  500  500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.343 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
```

```
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.078  500  500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
geometry: CT
cpu time: 0.343
number of histories: 5000
number of batches: 10
```

```
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.109  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.156  500  500
  max dose is 0.0343312 in region 2033647
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.203  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.234  500  500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.281  500  500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.327  500  500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.359  500  500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.405  500  500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.421 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
```

```
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
geometry: CT
cpu time: 0.421
number of histories: 5000
number of batches: 10
```

```
+++ beamlet 0
  max dose is 0.0342552 in region 1956847
  ICRU-2K efficiency: 1178.48 1/s
```

```
+++ total
  max dose is 0.0345088 in region 1880046
  ICRU-2K efficiency: 1178.48 1/s
=====
  ICRU-2K efficiency: 2354.74 1/s
+++ total
  max dose is 0.0343312 in region 2033647
  ICRU-2K efficiency: 2354.74 1/s
=====
  ICRU-2K efficiency: 918.692 1/s
+++ total
  max dose is 0.0343228 in region 1803246
  ICRU-2K efficiency: 918.692 1/s
=====
  ICRU-2K efficiency: 1981.51 1/s
+++ total
  max dose is 0.0342552 in region 1956847
  ICRU-2K efficiency: 1981.51 1/s
=====
Completed 4 of 49 beamlets...
```

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_1.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_2.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_3.vmc  
Reading MS data ... OK  
Parsing input file ... construct\_mmc\_geometry: urs = 1

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_4.vmc  
Reading MS data ... OK  
Parsing input file ... construct\_mmc\_geometry: urs = 1  
DE\_GeometryFactory::get\_region\_size():  
get\_region\_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1  
region size: 0.3  
geometry 1 region size: 0.3  
OK  
Initializing cross sections ... Reading MS data ... OK  
Parsing input file ... construct\_mmc\_geometry: urs = 1  
DE\_GeometryFactory::get\_region\_size():  
get\_region\_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1  
region size: 0.3

```

geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
geometry 1 region size: 0.3
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
OK
Initializing cross sections ...
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
geometry 1 region size: 0.3
OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,22.5,25)
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
                        Monte Carlo Parameter
=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.     : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode        : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep    : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step     : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step     : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                       : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                     : 0
Exact Compton                       : 0
Electron transport mode               : VMC++
=====
=====

```

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*MC\_Control*

```
=====
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches      : 10
histories per batch    : 500
total histories        : 5000
initial rng seeds      : 4729 29118
=====
```

*Variance Reduction*

```
=====
f_repeat              = 0.251
split photons         = 1
photon split factor   = -40
=====
```

*Quasi Random Numbers*

```
=====
number of generators: 1
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
```

*Scoring and output options*

```
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
  dump dose: 2
  dose scans:
=====
```

CPU time so far: 1.872 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
 with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation

Running part 1 of 1 ...

```
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.031 500 500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.078 500 500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.109 500 500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.156 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.249 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.312 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.358 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.39 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.436 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.468 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.468 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
```

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```

average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.468
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
    max dose is 0.0341063 in region 2187246
  OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
=====
                          Beamlet Source
=====
    charge = 0
  virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
    Energy = 6 MeV
  number of beamlets = 1
  beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,22.5,25.5)
=====
                          XYZ Geometry
=====
    name: CT id: 0
  global smax: 1e+030
  Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
  Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
  Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
                          Monte Carlo Parameter
=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition   : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.    : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode       : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep   : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step    : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step    : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                      : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                     : 0
Exact Compton                       : 0
Electron transport mode              : VMC++

=====
                          MC_Control
=====
  will use fixed number of histories
  number of batches : 10
  histories per batch : 500

```

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```
total histories      : 5000
initial rng seeds    : 28716 14562
=====
=====
Variance Reduction
=====

f_repeat            = 0.251
split photons       = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====

number of generators: 1
                    1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
=====
Scoring and output options
=====

number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
    dump dose: 2
    dose scans:

CPU time so far: 2.558 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.062 500 500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.094 500 500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.187 500 500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.265 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.328 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.421 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.452 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.53 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.608 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.64 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.702 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
geometry: CT
cpu time: 0.702
number of histories: 5000
```

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---

```
number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
    max dose is 0.0345979 in region 2264047
OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
    charge = 0
    virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
    Energy = 6 MeV
    number of beamlets = 1
    beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,22.5,24.5)
=====
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
    name: CT id: 0
    global smax: 1e+030
    Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
    Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
    Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
                        Monte Carlo Parameter
=====
Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.    : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode       : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep   : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step    : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step    : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                      : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                    : 0
Exact Compton                      : 0
Electron transport mode              : VMC++
=====
=====
                        MC_Control
=====
    will use fixed number of histories
    number of batches : 10
    histories per batch : 500
    total histories    : 5000
    initial rng seeds  : 28726 28947
=====
=====
                        Variance Reduction
=====
```



```
f_repeat          = 0.251
split photons     = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
=====
                        Quasi Random Numbers
=====
number of generators: 1
                    1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
=====
                        Scoring and output options
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
    dump dose: 2
    dose scans:

CPU time so far: 3.744 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.031  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.062  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.093  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.14   500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.171  500  500
OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,23,22.5)
=====
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
                        Monte Carlo Parameter
```

---

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```
=====
Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.    : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode       : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep   : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step    : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step    : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                      : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                    : 0
Exact Compton                      : 0
Electron transport mode              : VMC++
=====
```

```
=====
MC_Control
=====
```

```
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches      : 10
histories per batch    : 500
total histories        : 5000
initial rng seeds      : 24009 4257
=====
```

```
=====
Variance Reduction
=====
```

```
f_repeat      = 0.251
split photons  = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
```

```
=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====
```

```
number of generators: 1
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
```

```
=====
Scoring and output options
=====
```

```
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
dump dose: 2
dose scans:
```

CPU time so far: 3.525 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets

with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

```
Starting MC simulation
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.202 500 500
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.031 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.234 500 500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.063 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.265 500 500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.094 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.296 500 500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.141 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.343 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.343 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.343
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.172 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.203 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.25 500 500
    max dose is 0.0346184 in region 2110447
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.281 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.312 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.359 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.359 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.359
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
    max dose is 0.0338019 in region 1803726
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1198.23 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0345979 in region 2264047
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1198.23 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 2469.1 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0346184 in region 2110447
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 2469.1 1/s
```

```
=====
ICRU-2K efficiency: 1748.44 1/s
+++ total
max dose is 0.0341063 in region 2187246
ICRU-2K efficiency: 1748.44 1/s
=====
ICRU-2K efficiency: 2236.03 1/s
+++ total
max dose is 0.0338019 in region 1803726
ICRU-2K efficiency: 2236.03 1/s
=====
Completed 8 of 49 beamlets...
```

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_1.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_2.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_4.vmc

```
Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/
MCpencilbeam_temp_3.vmc
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
    geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
    geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
    geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```

region size: 0.3
geometry 1 region size: 0.3
OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
                        charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
                        Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,23,23.5)
=====
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
                        name: CT id: 0
                        global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
                        Monte Carlo Parameter
=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.     : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode        : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep    : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step     : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step     : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                       : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                     : 0
Exact Compton                        : 0
Electron transport mode               : VMC++
=====
=====
                        MC_Control
=====
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches : 10
histories per batch : 500
total histories : 5000
initial rng seeds : 23767 28785
=====
=====

```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

Variance Reduction

```
=====
f_repeat          = 0.251
split photons     = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
```

Quasi Random Numbers

```
=====
number of generators: 1
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
```

Scoring and output options

```
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
dump dose: 2
dose scans:
=====
```

CPU time so far: 2.059 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation

Running part 1 of 1 ...

+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.031 500 500

OK

Initializing cross sections ... +++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.093  
500 500

+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.171 500 500

+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.203 500 500

+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.281 500 500

+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.374 500 500

+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.452 500 500

+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.483 500 500

+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.561 500 500

+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.639 500 500

finished simulation, cpu time = 0.655 seconds

total particle fluence from the source: 20000

total number of particle sets: 5000

total number of particles: 5000

average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0

===== DE\_ScoreDose::analyze =====

geometry: CT

cpu time: 0.655

number of histories: 5000

number of batches: 10

+++ beamlet 0

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```
max dose is 0.0340826 in region 1957327
OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,23,24)
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
                        Monte Carlo Parameter
=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition   : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.    : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode       : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep   : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step    : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step    : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                      : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                     : 0
Exact Compton                       : 0
Electron transport mode              : VMC++

=====
                        MC_Control
=====
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches : 10
histories per batch : 500
total histories : 5000
initial rng seeds : 19673 1072
=====
                        Variance Reduction
=====

f_repeat = 0.251
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```
split photons      = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
=====
                        Quasi Random Numbers
=====
number of generators: 1
                    1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
=====
                        Scoring and output options
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
    dump dose: 2
    dose scans:

CPU time so far: 2.917 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.062  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.156  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.187  500  500
OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,23,23)
=====
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
                        Monte Carlo Parameter
=====
Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
```

---



Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

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```

Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.     : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode       : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep    : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step     : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step     : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                       : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                     : 0
Exact Compton                       : 0
Electron transport mode              : VMC++

```

```

=====
MC_Control
=====

```

```

will use fixed number of histories
number of batches      : 10
histories per batch    : 500
total histories        : 5000
initial rng seeds      : 12653 27473

```

```

=====
Variance Reduction
=====

```

```

f_repeat      = 0.251
split photons  = 1
photon split factor = -40

```

```

=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====

```

```

number of generators: 1
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1

```

```

=====
Scoring and output options
=====

```

```

number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
dump dose: 2
dose scans:

```

CPU time so far: 3.291 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

Starting MC simulation

Running part 1 of 1 ...

```
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.016 500 500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.265 500 500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.094 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.343 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.374 500 500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.187 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.452 500 500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.265 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.297 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.53 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.359 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.608 500 500
```

OK

=====

Beamlet Source

=====

```
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,23,24.5)
```

=====

=====

XYZ Geometry

=====

```
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
```

=====

Monte Carlo Parameter

=====

```
Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.     : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode        : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep    : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step     : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step     : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                       : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                     : 0
Exact Compton                       : 0
Electron transport mode               : VMC++
```

=====

=====

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

*MC\_Control*

```
=====
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches      : 10
histories per batch    : 500
total histories        : 5000
initial rng seeds      : 25474 28020
=====
```

*Variance Reduction*

```
=====
f_repeat              = 0.251
split photons         = 1
photon split factor   = -40
=====
```

*Quasi Random Numbers*

```
=====
number of generators: 1
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
```

*Scoring and output options*

```
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
  dump dose: 2
  dose scans:
=====
```

CPU time so far: 3.603 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
 with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation

Running part 1 of 1 ...

```
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.016 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.437 500 500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.063 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.702 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.702 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.484 500 500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.094 500 500
```

```
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
geometry: CT
cpu time: 0.702
```

```

number of histories: 5000
number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.141 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.562 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.172 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.593 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.203 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.25 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.655 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
    max dose is 0.0344097 in region 2034127
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.281 500 500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
    geometry: CT
    cpu time: 0.655
    number of histories: 5000
    number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.312 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.359 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.359 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
    geometry: CT
    cpu time: 0.359
    number of histories: 5000
    number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
    max dose is 0.0342145 in region 1880527
    max dose is 0.0342117 in region 2110926
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1235.21 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0342145 in region 1880527
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1308.85 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0340826 in region 1957327
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1235.21 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1308.85 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1166.83 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0344097 in region 2034127
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1166.83 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 2347.74 1/s
+++ total

```

```
max dose is 0.0342117 in region 2110926
ICRU-2K efficiency: 2347.74 1/s
=====
Completed 12 of 49 beamlets...
```

```
Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/
MCpencilbeam_temp_1.vmc
```

```
Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/
MCpencilbeam_temp_2.vmc
```

```
Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/
MCpencilbeam_temp_3.vmc
```

```
Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/
MCpencilbeam_temp_4.vmc
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
=====
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

*Beamlet Source*

```
=====
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,23,25.5)
=====
```

*XYZ Geometry*

```
=====
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
```

*Monte Carlo Parameter*

```
=====
Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.     : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode       : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep   : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step    : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step    : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                       : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                     : 0
Exact Compton                       : 0
Electron transport mode              : VMC++
=====
```

*MC\_Control*

```
=====
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches : 10
histories per batch : 500
total histories : 5000
initial rng seeds : 22294 11767
=====
```

*Variance Reduction*

```
=====
f_repeat          = 0.251
split photons     = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
```

```
=====
                        Quasi Random Numbers
=====
number of generators: 1
                    1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
                        Scoring and output options
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
    dump dose: 2
    dose scans:

CPU time so far: 2.433 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.078  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.156  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.187  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.281  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.359  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.437  500  500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.468  500  500
OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,23,25)
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
                        Monte Carlo Parameter
=====

Delta particle production threshold:  0.447479 MeV
```

---

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at  $E_p$  : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++

=====  
=====  
MC\_Control  
=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 20363 22733  
=====

=====  
=====  
Variance Reduction  
=====

f\_repeat = 0.251  
split photons = 1  
photon split factor = -40  
=====

=====  
=====  
Quasi Random Numbers  
=====

number of generators: 1  
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1  
=====

=====  
=====  
Scoring and output options  
=====

number of dose scoring objects: 1  
dose output options for geometry CT  
dump dose: 2  
dose scans:

CPU time so far: 2.979 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source



```

Starting MC simulation
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.546 500 500
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.016 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.64 500 500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.109 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.702 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.718 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.187 500 500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.718
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.265 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.297 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.375 500 500
    max dose is 0.0343579 in region 2264526
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.453 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.531 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.562 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.64 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.64 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
  OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
      charge = 0
  virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
      Energy = 6 MeV
  number of beamlets = 1
  beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,23.5,23)
=====
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
      name: CT id: 0
  global smax: 1e+030
  Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
  Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
  Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
                        Monte Carlo Parameter
=====

```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

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Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at  $E_p$  : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++

=====  
=====  
MC\_Control  
=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 21182 955  
=====

=====  
Variance Reduction  
=====

f\_repeat = 0.251  
split photons = 1  
photon split factor = -40  
=====

=====  
Quasi Random Numbers  
=====

number of generators: 1  
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1  
=====

=====  
Scoring and output options  
=====

number of dose scoring objects: 1  
dose output options for geometry CT  
dump dose: 2  
dose scans:

CPU time so far: 3.525 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

*will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source*

*Starting MC simulation*

*OK*

=====

*Beamlet Source*

=====

*charge = 0*  
*virtual source position = (-76,24,24)*  
*Energy = 6 MeV*  
*number of beamlets = 1*  
*beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm\*\*2 midpoint = (-26,23.5,22.5)*

=====

=====

*XYZ Geometry*

=====

*name: CT id: 0*  
*global smax: 1e+030*  
*Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3*  
*Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3*  
*Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3*

=====

*Monte Carlo Parameter*

=====

*Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV*  
*Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV*  
*Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV*  
*Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV*  
*Local track-end energy deposition : 0*  
*Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV*  
*Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1*  
*CSDA approximation : 0*  
*Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%*  
*Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5*  
*Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV*  
*alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741*  
*Fano calculation : 0*  
*Exact Compton : 0*  
*Electron transport mode : VMC++*

=====

=====

*MC\_Control*

=====

*will use fixed number of histories*  
*number of batches : 10*  
*histories per batch : 500*  
*total histories : 5000*  
*initial rng seeds : 19665 5136*

=====

=====

*Variance Reduction*

=====

```
=====
f_repeat          = 0.251
split photons     = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
=====
                        Quasi Random Numbers
=====
number of generators: 1
                    1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
=====
                        Scoring and output options
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
    dump dose: 2
    dose scans:

CPU time so far: 3.634 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.031  500  500
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.016  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.063  500  500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
    geometry: CT
    cpu time: 0.64
    number of histories: 5000
    number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.109  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.078  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.141  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.11  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.172  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.219  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.203  500  500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.25  500  500
    max dose is 0.0343928 in region 2187726
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.281  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.281  500  500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.312  500  500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.359  500  500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.359 seconds
```

```
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.344 500 500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.359
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.375 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.422 500 500
    max dose is 0.0340248 in region 1881006
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.453 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.484 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.484 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.484
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
    max dose is 0.03426 in region 1804207
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1319.99 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0343928 in region 2187726
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1319.99 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1158.22 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0343579 in region 2264526
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1158.22 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1770.96 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.03426 in region 1804207
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 2321.96 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0340248 in region 1881006
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1770.96 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 2321.96 1/s
=====
Completed 16 of 49 beamlets...
```

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_1.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_2.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_3.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_4.vmc

```
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
OK
Initializing cross sections ...
  DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
```

=====  
Beamlet Source  
=====

```
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,23.5,24)
=====
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

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=====

XYZ Geometry

=====

name: CT id: 0  
global smax: 1e+030  
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

=====

Monte Carlo Parameter

=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++

=====

=====

MC\_Control

=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 2914 24704

=====

Variance Reduction

=====

f\_repeat = 0.251  
split photons = 1  
photon split factor = -40

=====

Quasi Random Numbers

=====

number of generators: 1  
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1

=====

Scoring and output options

=====

```

=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
    dump dose: 2
    dose scans:

CPU time so far: 2.215 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
        charge = 0
    virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
        Energy = 6 MeV
    number of beamlets = 1
    beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,23.5,23.5)
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
        name: CT   id: 0
    global smax: 1e+030
    Number of x-planes: 160   uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
    Number of y-planes: 160   uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
    Number of z-planes: 160   uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
                        Monte Carlo Parameter
=====

Delta particle production threshold:    0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold:    0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy         :    0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy           :    0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition       :    0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.        :    1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode           :    1
CSDA approximation                     :    0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep       :    10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step        :    0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step        :    0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                          :    0.0298764  0.420741
Fano calculation                        :    0
Exact Compton                          :    0
Electron transport mode                  :    VMC++
=====

```



```
=====
MC_Control
=====
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches      : 10
histories per batch    : 500
total histories        : 5000
initial rng seeds      : 8308 1386
=====
=====
Variance Reduction
=====

f_repeat              = 0.251
split photons         = 1
photon split factor   = -40
=====
=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====
number of generators: 1
                    1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
=====
Scoring and output options
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
    dump dose: 2
    dose scans:

CPU time so far: 2.293 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.109 500 500
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.078 500 500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.14 500 500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.109 500 500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.218 500 500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.203 500 500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.296 500 500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.281 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.39 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.359 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.452 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.437 500 500
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

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```

+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.468 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.53 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.624 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.577 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.655 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.717 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.733 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.671 500 500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.733
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.764 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.764 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.764
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
    max dose is 0.0349114 in region 2034607
    max dose is 0.0347457 in region 1957807
  OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
    charge = 0
    virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
    Energy = 6 MeV
    number of beamlets = 1
    beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,23.5,25)
=====
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
    name: CT id: 0
    global smax: 1e+030
    Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
    Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
    Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
                        Monte Carlo Parameter
=====

```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at  $E_p$  : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++

=====  
=====  
MC\_Control  
=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 28507 1034  
=====

=====  
=====  
Variance Reduction  
=====

f\_repeat = 0.251  
split photons = 1  
photon split factor = -40  
=====

=====  
=====  
Quasi Random Numbers  
=====

number of generators: 1  
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1  
=====

=====  
=====  
Scoring and output options  
=====

number of dose scoring objects: 1  
dose output options for geometry CT  
dump dose: 2  
dose scans:

CPU time so far: 3.447 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

```

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.031  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.063  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.094  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.141  500  500
OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
        charge = 0
    virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
        Energy = 6 MeV
    number of beamlets = 1
    beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,23.5,24.5)
=====
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
        name: CT  id: 0
    global smax: 1e+030
    Number of x-planes: 160  uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
    Number of y-planes: 160  uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
    Number of z-planes: 160  uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
=====
                        Monte Carlo Parameter
=====

Delta particle production threshold:  0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold:  0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy       :  0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy         :  0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    :  0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.     :  1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode        :  1
CSDA approximation                  :  0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep    :  10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step     :  0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step     :  0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                       :  0.0298764  0.420741
Fano calculation                     :  0
Exact Compton                       :  0
Electron transport mode               :  VMC++
=====
=====
                        MC_Control
=====
    will use fixed number of histories
    number of batches   : 10
    histories per batch : 500
    total histories     : 5000

```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

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```
initial rng seeds    : 20845  9513
=====
=====
Variance Reduction
=====

f_repeat            = 0.251
split photons       = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====
number of generators: 1
                    1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
=====
Scoring and output options
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
    dump dose: 2
    dose scans:

CPU time so far: 3.588 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.172  500  500
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.031  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.062  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.203  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.093  500  500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.234  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.14  500  500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.281  500  500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.312  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.171  500  500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.343  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.202  500  500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.359 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
geometry: CT
cpu time: 0.359
```

```
number of histories: 5000
number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.249 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.28 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.327 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.358 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.358 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
max dose is 0.0344827 in region 2188206
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
geometry: CT
cpu time: 0.358
number of histories: 5000
number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
max dose is 0.0346036 in region 2111407
ICRU-2K efficiency: 1179.96 1/s
+++ total
max dose is 0.0349114 in region 2034607
ICRU-2K efficiency: 1179.96 1/s
=====
ICRU-2K efficiency: 2439.96 1/s
+++ total
max dose is 0.0344827 in region 2188206
ICRU-2K efficiency: 2439.96 1/s
=====
ICRU-2K efficiency: 1119.14 1/s
+++ total
max dose is 0.0347457 in region 1957807
ICRU-2K efficiency: 2420.28 1/s
+++ total
max dose is 0.0346036 in region 2111407
ICRU-2K efficiency: 1119.14 1/s
=====
ICRU-2K efficiency: 2420.28 1/s
=====
Completed 20 of 49 beamlets...
```

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_1.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_2.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_3.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_4.vmc

```

Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
    geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
    geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
    geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
    geometry 1 region size: 0.3
OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
        charge = 0
        virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
        Energy = 6 MeV
        number of beamlets = 1
        beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,24,23)
=====
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
        name: CT id: 0
        global smax: 1e+030
        Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
        Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
        Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====

```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

Monte Carlo Parameter

```
=====
Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.    : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode       : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep   : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step    : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step    : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                      : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                    : 0
Exact Compton                      : 0
Electron transport mode              : VMC++
=====
```

MC\_Control

```
=====
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches      : 10
histories per batch    : 500
total histories        : 5000
initial rng seeds      : 5607 14693
=====
```

Variance Reduction

```
=====
f_repeat      = 0.251
split photons  = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
```

Quasi Random Numbers

```
=====
number of generators: 1
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
```

Scoring and output options

```
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
dump dose: 2
dose scans:
=====
```

CPU time so far: 2.932 seconds



Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

*Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source*

*Starting MC simulation*

*OK*

=====

*Beamlet Source*

=====

*charge = 0  
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)  
Energy = 6 MeV  
number of beamlets = 1  
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm\*\*2 midpoint = (-26,23.5,25.5)*

=====

=====

*XYZ Geometry*

=====

*name: CT id: 0  
global smax: 1e+030  
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3*

=====

*Monte Carlo Parameter*

=====

*Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++*

=====

=====

*MC\_Control*

=====

*will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 13163 11447*

=====

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

=====

Variance Reduction

=====

f\_repeat = 0.251  
split photons = 1  
photon split factor = -40

=====

=====

Quasi Random Numbers

=====

number of generators: 1  
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1

=====

=====

Scoring and output options

=====

number of dose scoring objects: 1  
dose output options for geometry CT  
dump dose: 2  
dose scans:

CPU time so far: 3.213 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation

Running part 1 of 1 ...

+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.11 500 500

+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.141 500 500

Running part 1 of 1 ...

+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.078 500 500

OK

=====

Beamlet Source

=====

charge = 0  
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)  
Energy = 6 MeV  
number of beamlets = 1  
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm\*\*2 midpoint = (-26,24,22.5)

=====

=====

XYZ Geometry

=====

name: CT id: 0  
global smax: 1e+030  
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

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=====

Monte Carlo Parameter

=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at  $E_p$  : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++

=====

MC\_Control

=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 22966 23856

=====

Variance Reduction

=====

$f_{\text{repeat}}$  = 0.251  
split photons = 1  
photon split factor = -40

=====

Quasi Random Numbers

=====

number of generators: 1  
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1

=====

Scoring and output options

=====

number of dose scoring objects: 1  
dose output options for geometry CT  
dump dose: 2  
dose scans:

CPU time so far: 3.276 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation

+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.109 500 500  
OK

=====

Beamlet Source

=====

charge = 0  
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)  
Energy = 6 MeV  
number of beamlets = 1  
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm\*\*2 midpoint = (-26,24,23.5)

=====

=====

XYZ Geometry

=====

name: CT id: 0  
global smax: 1e+030  
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

=====

Monte Carlo Parameter

=====

+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.234 500 500  
Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++

=====

=====

MC\_Control

=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

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```
total histories      : 5000
initial rng seeds   : 13368 19390
=====
=====
Variance Reduction
=====

f_repeat            = 0.251
split photons       = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====

number of generators: 1
                    1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
=====
Scoring and output options
=====

number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
    dump dose: 2
    dose scans:

CPU time so far: 3.198 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.015 500 500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.297 500 500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.156 500 500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.062 500 500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.265 500 500
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.046 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.375 500 500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.234 500 500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.14 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.343 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.468 500 500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.312 500 500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.234 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.437 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.265 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.546 500 500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.405 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.499 500 500
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

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```
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.343 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.531 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.624 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.483 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.514 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.436 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.624 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.718 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.749 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.749 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.608 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.514 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.702 500 500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.749
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.546 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.686 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.765 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.765
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.639 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.639 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.764 500 500
    max dose is 0.0343559 in region 1881486
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.639
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.842 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.858 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
```

```
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
    max dose is 0.0344111 in region 2265006
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
    geometry: CT
    cpu time: 0.858
    number of histories: 5000
    number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
    max dose is 0.0343987 in region 1958286
    max dose is 0.0339486 in region 1804686
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1155.14 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0343559 in region 1881486
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1155.14 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1139.12 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0344111 in region 2265006
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1139.12 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1347.55 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0343987 in region 1958286
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1347.55 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1004.96 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0339486 in region 1804686
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1004.96 1/s
=====
Completed 24 of 49 beamlets...
```

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_1.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_2.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_3.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_4.vmc  
Reading MS data ... OK  
Parsing input file ... construct\_mmc\_geometry: urs = 1

```

Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
OK

```

```

Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK

```

=====

Beamlet Source

=====

```

      charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
      Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,24,24)

```

=====

XYZ Geometry

=====

```

name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

```

=====

Monte Carlo Parameter

=====

```

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.    : 1.10239 MeV

```



Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

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```

Bremsstrahlung transport mode      :    1
CSDA approximation                 :    0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep :   10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step   :   0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step   :   0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                     :   0.0298764  0.420741
Fano calculation                   :    0
Exact Compton                      :    0
Electron transport mode             :   VMC++

```

```

=====
MC_Control
=====

```

```

will use fixed number of histories
number of batches      : 10
histories per batch    : 500
total histories        : 5000
initial rng seeds      : 21281  22641

```

```

=====
Variance Reduction
=====

```

```

f_repeat      = 0.251
split photons  = 1
photon split factor = -40

```

```

=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====

```

```

number of generators: 1
1st:  base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1

```

```

=====
Scoring and output options
=====

```

```

number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
  dump dose: 2
  dose scans:

```

CPU time so far: 2.324 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
 with 1 particles per set on average  
 will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

```

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.062  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.14   500  500

```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

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```
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.218 500 500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.25 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.328 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.421 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.499 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.53 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.608 500 500
```

OK

```
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
```

```
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,24,25.5)
=====
```

```
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
```

```
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
```

```
=====
                        Monte Carlo Parameter
=====
```

```
Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.    : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode       : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep   : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step    : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step    : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                       : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                     : 0
Exact Compton                       : 0
Electron transport mode              : VMC++
=====
```

```
=====
                        MC_Control
=====
```

```
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches : 10
histories per batch : 500
total histories : 5000
initial rng seeds : 3570 14951
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```
=====
=====
Variance Reduction
=====

f_repeat          = 0.251
split photons     = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====
number of generators: 1
                    1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
=====
Scoring and output options
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
    dump dose: 2
    dose scans:

CPU time so far: 2.808 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.686  500  500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.686 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.078  500  500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
geometry: CT
cpu time: 0.686
number of histories: 5000
number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.14  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.171  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.249  500  500
    max dose is 0.034533 in region 2035086
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.343  500  500
OK
=====
Beamlet Source
```

---

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```

=====
      charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
      Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,24,24.5)
=====
XYZ Geometry
=====
      name: CT   id: 0
      global smax: 1e+030
      Number of x-planes: 160   uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
      Number of y-planes: 160   uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
      Number of z-planes: 160   uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
Monte Carlo Parameter
=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition   : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.    : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode       : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep   : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step    : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step    : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                      : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                     : 0
Exact Compton                       : 0
Electron transport mode              : VMC++
=====
MC_Control
=====
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches   : 10
histories per batch : 500
total histories     : 5000
initial rng seeds   : 8281 20392
=====
Variance Reduction
=====

f_repeat      = 0.251
split photons  = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====

```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

*Quasi Random Numbers*

```
=====
number of generators: 1
      1st:  base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
```

*Scoring and output options*

```
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
  dump dose: 2
  dose scans:
=====
```

CPU time so far: 3.338 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
 with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

*Starting MC simulation*

```
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.421  500  500
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.062  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.094  500  500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.499  500  500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.53  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.172  500  500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.608  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.25  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.281  500  500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.686  500  500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.702 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.343  500  500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.702
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.39  500  500
  OK
=====
```

*Beamlet Source*

```
=====
  charge = 0
  virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
  Energy = 6 MeV
  number of beamlets = 1
=====
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,24,25)
=====
XYZ Geometry
=====
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
Monte Carlo Parameter
=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.     : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode        : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep    : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step     : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step     : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                      : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                     : 0
Exact Compton                       : 0
Electron transport mode              : VMC++

=====
MC_Control
=====

will use fixed number of histories
number of batches : 10
histories per batch : 500
total histories : 5000
initial rng seeds : 19653 4879

=====
Variance Reduction
=====

f_repeat      = 0.251
split photons  = 1
photon split factor = -40

=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====

number of generators: 1
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
```

```
=====
                        Scoring and output options
=====
    number of dose scoring objects: 1
    dose output options for geometry CT
        dump dose: 2
        dose scans:

CPU time so far: 3.681 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.016  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.063  500  500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.468  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.094  500  500
    max dose is 0.0347752 in region 2265486
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.141  500  500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.546  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.172  500  500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.577  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.203  500  500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.624 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.25  500  500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
    geometry: CT
    cpu time: 0.624
    number of histories: 5000
    number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.297  500  500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.328  500  500
    max dose is 0.0344639 in region 2111887
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.359  500  500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.375 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
    geometry: CT
    cpu time: 0.375
    number of histories: 5000
    number of batches: 10
```

```
+++ beamlet 0
    max dose is 0.0347516 in region 2188686
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1232.81 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0347752 in region 2265486
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1232.81 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1375.99 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0344639 in region 2111887
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1230 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.034533 in region 2035086
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1375.99 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1230 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 2331.82 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0347516 in region 2188686
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 2331.82 1/s
=====
Completed 28 of 49 beamlets...
```

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_1.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_2.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_3.vmc

```
Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam_temp_4.vmc  
Reading MS data ... OK  
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1  
Reading MS data ... OK  
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1  
Reading MS data ... OK  
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1  
Reading MS data ... OK  
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1  
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():  
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1  
region size: 0.3
```



```

    geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
    geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
    geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
    geometry 1 region size: 0.3
    OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
        charge = 0
    virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
        Energy = 6 MeV
    number of beamlets = 1
    beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,24.5,23.5)
=====
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
        name: CT id: 0
    global smax: 1e+030
    Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
    Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
    Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
                        Monte Carlo Parameter
=====

Delta particle production threshold:    0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold:    0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy         :    0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy           :    0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition       :    0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.        :    1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode           :    1
CSDA approximation                     :    0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep       :    10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step        :    0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step        :    0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                          :    0.0298764  0.420741
Fano calculation                        :    0
Exact Compton                          :    0
Electron transport mode                  :    VMC++

```

```
=====
=====
MC_Control
=====
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches      : 10
histories per batch    : 500
total histories        : 5000
initial rng seeds      : 22539 7653
=====
=====
Variance Reduction
=====

f_repeat              = 0.251
split photons         = 1
photon split factor   = -40
=====
=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====
number of generators: 1
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
=====
Scoring and output options
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
  dump dose: 2
  dose scans:

CPU time so far: 2.62 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
  with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.063 500 500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.141 500 500
OK
=====
Beamlet Source
=====
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,24.5,24)
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

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=====  
=====  
XYZ Geometry  
=====

name: CT id: 0  
global smax: 1e+030  
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
=====

Monte Carlo Parameter  
=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++  
=====

=====  
=====  
MC\_Control  
=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 15179 20973  
=====

Variance Reduction  
=====

f\_repeat = 0.251  
split photons = 1  
photon split factor = -40  
=====

Quasi Random Numbers  
=====

number of generators: 1  
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1  
=====

*Scoring and output options*

```
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
  dump dose: 2
  dose scans:
```

CPU time so far: 2.823 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
 with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

*Starting MC simulation*

```
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.234  500  500
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.078  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.312  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.344  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.156  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.187  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.422  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.265  500  500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.5   500  500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.531  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.359  500  500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.609  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.437  500  500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.468  500  500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.687  500  500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.687 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
OK
```

*Beamlet Source*

```
=====
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,24.5,22.5)
=====
```

*XYZ Geometry*

```
=====
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

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Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with  $Z_0 = 0.15$   $Dx = 0.3$

=====

Monte Carlo Parameter

=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at  $E_p$  : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++

=====

=====

MC\_Control

=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 28793 10212

=====

=====

Variance Reduction

=====

$f_{\text{repeat}}$  = 0.251  
split photons = 1  
photon split factor = -40

=====

=====

Quasi Random Numbers

=====

number of generators: 1  
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1

=====

=====

Scoring and output options

=====

number of dose scoring objects: 1  
dose output options for geometry CT  
dump dose: 2  
dose scans:

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

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CPU time so far: 3.479 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation

OK

=====

Beamlet Source

=====

charge = 0  
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)  
Energy = 6 MeV  
number of beamlets = 1  
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm\*\*2 midpoint = (-26,24.5,23)

=====

=====

XYZ Geometry

=====

name: CT id: 0  
global smax: 1e+030  
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

=====

Monte Carlo Parameter

=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++

=====

=====

MC\_Control

=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

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```
initial rng seeds   : 17559  6715
=====
=====
Variance Reduction
=====

f_repeat           = 0.251
split photons      = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====
number of generators: 1
                    1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
=====
Scoring and output options
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
    dump dose: 2
    dose scans:

CPU time so far: 3.556 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.031  500  500
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.016  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.109  500  500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
geometry: CT
cpu time: 0.687
number of histories: 5000
number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.063  500  500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.531  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.187  500  500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.687  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.141  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.281  500  500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.765  500  500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.78 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
```

```
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.219 500 500
    max dose is 0.0346977 in region 1958767
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.25 500 500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
    geometry: CT
    cpu time: 0.78
    number of histories: 5000
    number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.359 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.39 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.344 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.421 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.468 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.422 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.499 500 500
    max dose is 0.0343716 in region 2035566
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.53 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.546 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.468 500 500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
    geometry: CT
    cpu time: 0.546
    number of histories: 5000
    number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.515 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.546 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.562 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
    geometry: CT
    cpu time: 0.562
    number of histories: 5000
    number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
    max dose is 0.0341074 in region 1805166
    max dose is 0.0341867 in region 1881967
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1322.04 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0346977 in region 1958767
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1322.04 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1534.86 1/s
+++ total
```



```
max dose is 0.0341074 in region 1805166
ICRU-2K efficiency: 1534.86 1/s
=====
ICRU-2K efficiency: 1063.83 1/s
+++ total
max dose is 0.0343716 in region 2035566
ICRU-2K efficiency: 1063.83 1/s
=====
ICRU-2K efficiency: 1552.55 1/s
+++ total
max dose is 0.0341867 in region 1881967
ICRU-2K efficiency: 1552.55 1/s
=====
Completed 32 of 49 beamlets...
```

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_1.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_2.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_3.vmc

```
Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/
MCpencilbeam_temp_4.vmc
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
geometry 1 region size: 0.3
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
geometry 1 region size: 0.3
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
```

```

OK
Initializing cross sections ...
  DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
=====
                          Beamlet Source
=====

      charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
      Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,25,22.5)
=====
=====
                          XYZ Geometry
=====

      name: CT id: 0
      global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
                          Monte Carlo Parameter
=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.     : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode        : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep    : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step     : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step     : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                       : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                     : 0
Exact Compton                       : 0
Electron transport mode               : VMC++
=====
=====
                          MC_Control
=====

will use fixed number of histories
number of batches : 10
histories per batch : 500

```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```
total histories      : 5000
initial rng seeds   : 25222 7629
=====
Variance Reduction
=====

f_repeat            = 0.251
split photons       = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====
number of generators: 1
                    1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
Scoring and output options
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
    dump dose: 2
    dose scans:

CPU time so far: 2.246 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.109 500 500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.14 500 500
OK
=====
Beamlet Source
=====
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,24.5,24.5)
=====
XYZ Geometry
=====
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
```

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Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with  $Z_0 = 0.15$   $Dx = 0.3$

=====

Monte Carlo Parameter

=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at  $E_p$  : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++

=====

=====

MC\_Control

=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 26728 28779

=====

=====

Variance Reduction

=====

$f_{\text{repeat}}$  = 0.251  
split photons = 1  
photon split factor = -40

=====

=====

Quasi Random Numbers

=====

number of generators: 1  
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1

=====

=====

Scoring and output options

=====

number of dose scoring objects: 1  
dose output options for geometry CT  
dump dose: 2  
dose scans:

CPU time so far: 2.62 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation

Running part 1 of 1 ...

+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.016 500 500

+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.234 500 500

+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.094 500 500

+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.312 500 500

+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.188 500 500

+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.39 500 500

+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.219 500 500

+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.484 500 500

+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.297 500 500

+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.515 500 500

+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.375 500 500

+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.608 500 500

+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.468 500 500

+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.686 500 500

+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.5 500 500

+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.78 500 500

+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.593 500 500

finished simulation, cpu time = 0.78 seconds

total particle fluence from the source: 20000

total number of particle sets: 5000

total number of particles: 5000

average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0

===== DE\_ScoreDose::analyze =====

geometry: CT

cpu time: 0.78

number of histories: 5000

number of batches: 10

+++ beamlet 0

+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.671 500 500

finished simulation, cpu time = 0.671 seconds

total particle fluence from the source: 20000

total number of particle sets: 5000

total number of particles: 5000

average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0

===== DE\_ScoreDose::analyze =====

geometry: CT

cpu time: 0.671

number of histories: 5000

number of batches: 10

+++ beamlet 0

max dose is 0.0337888 in region 1805646

max dose is 0.0344799 in region 2112366

OK

=====

Beamlet Source

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```
=====
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,24.5,25)
=====
XYZ Geometry
=====
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
Monte Carlo Parameter
=====
Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1
CSDA approximation : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation : 0
Exact Compton : 0
Electron transport mode : VMC++
=====
MC_Control
=====
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches : 10
histories per batch : 500
total histories : 5000
initial rng seeds : 16417 4159
=====
Variance Reduction
=====
f_repeat = 0.251
split photons = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

*Quasi Random Numbers*

```
=====
number of generators: 1
      1st:  base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
Scoring and output options
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
  dump dose: 2
  dose scans:
```

CPU time so far: 3.697 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
 with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation  
Running part 1 of 1 ...  
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.015 500 500  
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.047 500 500  
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.093 500 500  
OK

*Beamlet Source*

```
=====
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,24.5,25.5)
=====
```

*XYZ Geometry*

```
=====
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
```

*Monte Carlo Parameter*

```
=====
Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.    : 1.10239 MeV
=====
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```

Bremsstrahlung transport mode      :    1
CSDA approximation                 :    0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep :   10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step   :   0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step   :   0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                     :   0.0298764  0.420741
Fano calculation                   :    0
Exact Compton                      :    0
Electron transport mode             :   VMC++

```

```

=====
MC_Control
=====

```

```

will use fixed number of histories
number of batches      : 10
histories per batch    : 500
total histories        : 5000
initial rng seeds      : 4479  7726

```

```

=====
Variance Reduction
=====

```

```

f_repeat      = 0.251
split photons  = 1
photon split factor = -40

```

```

=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====

```

```

number of generators: 1
1st:  base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1

```

```

=====
Scoring and output options
=====

```

```

number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
  dump dose: 2
  dose scans:

```

CPU time so far: 3.681 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
 with 1 particles per set on average  
 will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

```

Starting MC simulation
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.125  500  500
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.031  500  500

```



Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

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```
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.171 500 500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.078 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.203 500 500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.109 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.249 500 500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.156 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.281 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.187 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.327 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.234 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.359 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.265 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.374 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.374
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.312 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.359 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.39 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.406 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
    max dose is 0.0347981 in region 2189167
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.406
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
    max dose is 0.0342375 in region 2265967
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1016.25 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0337888 in region 1805646
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1016.25 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1268.04 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0344799 in region 2112366
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1268.04 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 2318.2 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0347981 in region 2189167
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 2318.2 1/s
=====
```

```
ICRU-2K efficiency: 2082.46 1/s
+++ total
max dose is 0.0342375 in region 2265967
ICRU-2K efficiency: 2082.46 1/s
=====
Completed 36 of 49 beamlets...
```

```
Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/
MCpencilbeam_temp_1.vmc
```

```
Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/
MCpencilbeam_temp_2.vmc
```

```
Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/
MCpencilbeam_temp_3.vmc
```

```
Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/
MCpencilbeam_temp_4.vmc
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
geometry 1 region size: 0.3
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
geometry 1 region size: 0.3
OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

Initializing cross sections ... OK

=====

Beamlet Source

=====

charge = 0  
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)  
Energy = 6 MeV  
number of beamlets = 1  
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm\*\*2 midpoint = (-26,25,24.5)

=====

XYZ Geometry

=====

name: CT id: 0  
global smax: 1e+030  
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

=====

Monte Carlo Parameter

=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++

=====

MC\_Control

=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 18482 14199

=====

Variance Reduction

=====

f\_repeat = 0.251  
split photons = 1

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```
photon split factor = -40
=====
=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====
number of generators: 1
      1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
=====
Scoring and output options
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
  dump dose: 2
  dose scans:

CPU time so far: 1.872 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
  with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.062  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.14   500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.234  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.312  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.343  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.436  500  500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.514  500  500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.592  500  500
OK
=====
Beamlet Source
=====
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,25,23)
=====
=====
XYZ Geometry
=====
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
Monte Carlo Parameter
```

---

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```
=====
Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.    : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode       : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep   : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step    : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step    : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                      : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                    : 0
Exact Compton                       : 0
Electron transport mode              : VMC++
=====
```

```
=====
MC_Control
=====
```

```
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches      : 10
histories per batch    : 500
total histories        : 5000
initial rng seeds      : 24429 7306
=====
```

```
=====
Variance Reduction
=====
```

```
f_repeat      = 0.251
split photons  = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
```

```
=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====
```

```
number of generators: 1
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
```

```
=====
Scoring and output options
=====
```

```
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
dump dose: 2
dose scans:
```

CPU time so far: 2.808 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets

with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

```

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.031 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.624 500 500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.109 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.702 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.764 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.202 500 500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.764
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.28 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.312 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.39 500 500
    max dose is 0.0343678 in region 2112847
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.468 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.499 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.639 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.67 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.67 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.67
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
  OK
=====
                                Beamlet Source
=====
    charge = 0
    virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
    Energy = 6 MeV
    number of beamlets = 1
    beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,25,24)
=====
                                XYZ Geometry
=====

```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
```

```
=====
Monte Carlo Parameter
=====
```

```
Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition   : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.    : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode       : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep   : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step    : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step    : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta                      : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation                     : 0
Exact Compton                       : 0
Electron transport mode              : VMC++
```

```
=====
MC_Control
=====
```

```
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches      : 10
histories per batch    : 500
total histories        : 5000
initial rng seeds      : 5898 7533
```

```
=====
Variance Reduction
=====
```

```
f_repeat      = 0.251
split photons  = 1
photon split factor = -40
```

```
=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====
```

```
number of generators: 1
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
```

```
=====
Scoring and output options
=====
```

```
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
```

dump dose: 2  
dose scans:

CPU time so far: 3.385 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation

Running part 1 of 1 ...

+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.031 500 500

max dose is 0.0340882 in region 1882447

+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.093 500 500

OK

=====

Beamlet Source

=====

charge = 0

virtual source position = (-76,24,24)

Energy = 6 MeV

number of beamlets = 1

beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm\*\*2 midpoint = (-26,25,23.5)

=====

=====

XYZ Geometry

=====

name: CT id: 0

global smax: 1e+030

Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

=====

Monte Carlo Parameter

=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV

Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV

Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV

Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV

Local track-end energy deposition : 0

Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV

Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1

CSDA approximation : 0

Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%

Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5

Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV

alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741

Fano calculation : 0

Exact Compton : 0

Electron transport mode : VMC++



Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```
=====
=====
MC_Control
=====
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches      : 10
histories per batch    : 500
total histories        : 5000
initial rng seeds      : 27878 10500
=====
=====
Variance Reduction
=====

f_repeat              = 0.251
split photons         = 1
photon split factor   = -40
=====
=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====
number of generators: 1
                    1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
=====
Scoring and output options
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
    dump dose: 2
    dose scans:

CPU time so far: 3.759 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.14  500  500
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.016  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.171  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.063  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.203  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.094  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.249  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.125  500  500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.281  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.172  500  500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.312  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.203  500  500
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.359 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.234 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.39 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.405 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.281 500 500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.405
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.328 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.359 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.375 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.375
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
    max dose is 0.0342205 in region 2036047
    max dose is 0.0343793 in region 1959246
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1101.87 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0343678 in region 2112847
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1101.87 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1249.65 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0340882 in region 1882447
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1249.65 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 2079.38 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0342205 in region 2036047
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 2079.38 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 2432.49 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0343793 in region 1959246
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 2432.49 1/s
=====
Completed 40 of 49 beamlets...
```

*Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_1.vmc*

*Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_2.vmc*

*Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_3.vmc*

*Reading MS data ... OK*

*Parsing input file ... construct\_mmc\_geometry: urs = 1*

*Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_4.vmc*

*Reading MS data ... OK*

*Parsing input file ... construct\_mmc\_geometry: urs = 1*

*Reading MS data ... OK*

*Parsing input file ... construct\_mmc\_geometry: urs = 1*

*DE\_GeometryFactory::get\_region\_size():*

*get\_region\_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1*

*region size: 0.3*

*geometry 1 region size: 0.3*

*DE\_GeometryFactory::get\_region\_size():*

*get\_region\_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1*

*region size: 0.3*

*geometry 1 region size: 0.3*

*DE\_GeometryFactory::get\_region\_size():*

*get\_region\_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1*

*region size: 0.3*

*geometry 1 region size: 0.3*

*OK*

*Initializing cross sections ... Reading MS data ... OK*

*Parsing input file ... construct\_mmc\_geometry: urs = 1*

*OK*

*Initializing cross sections ... OK*

*Initializing cross sections ...*

*DE\_GeometryFactory::get\_region\_size():*

*get\_region\_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1*

*region size: 0.3*

*geometry 1 region size: 0.3*

*OK*

*=====*  
*Beamlet Source*  
*=====*

*charge = 0*

*virtual source position = (-76,24,24)*

*Energy = 6 MeV*

*number of beamlets = 1*

*beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm\*\*2 midpoint = (-26,25,25)*

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

=====  
=====  
XYZ Geometry  
=====

name: CT id: 0  
global smax: 1e+030  
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
=====

Monte Carlo Parameter  
=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++  
=====

=====  
=====  
MC\_Control  
=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 10550 24925  
=====

Variance Reduction  
=====

f\_repeat = 0.251  
split photons = 1  
photon split factor = -40  
=====

Quasi Random Numbers  
=====

number of generators: 1  
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1  
=====

*Scoring and output options*

```
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
  dump dose: 2
  dose scans:
```

CPU time so far: 2.043 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
 with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation

Running part 1 of 1 ...

```
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.031  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.063  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.109  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.141  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.172  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.203  500  500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.234  500  500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.281  500  500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.312  500  500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.343  500  500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.343 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
```

===== DE\_ScoreDose::analyze =====

```
geometry: CT
cpu time: 0.343
number of histories: 5000
number of batches: 10
```

+++ beamlet 0

max dose is 0.0340721 in region 2189646

OK

*Beamlet Source*

```
=====
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,25.5,22.5)
=====
```

*XYZ Geometry*

```
=====
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with  $X_0 = 0.15$   $Dx = 0.3$   
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with  $Y_0 = 0.15$   $Dx = 0.3$   
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with  $Z_0 = 0.15$   $Dx = 0.3$

=====

Monte Carlo Parameter

=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at  $E_p$  : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++

=====

MC\_Control

=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 27516 8576

=====

Variance Reduction

=====

$f_{repeat} = 0.251$   
split photons = 1  
photon split factor = -40

=====

Quasi Random Numbers

=====

number of generators: 1  
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1

=====

Scoring and output options

=====

number of dose scoring objects: 1  
dose output options for geometry CT  
dump dose: 2  
dose scans:

CPU time so far: 2.823 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation

Running part 1 of 1 ...

```
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.078 500 500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.156 500 500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.234 500 500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.265 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.343 500 500
ICRU-2K efficiency: 2335.88 1/s
```

+++ total

max dose is 0.0340721 in region 2189646

```
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.437 500 500
ICRU-2K efficiency: 2335.88 1/s
```

=====

```
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.515 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.546 500 500
```

OK

=====

Beamlet Source

=====

charge = 0

virtual source position = (-76,24,24)

Energy = 6 MeV

number of beamlets = 1

beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm\*\*2 midpoint = (-26,25,25.5)

=====

=====

XYZ Geometry

=====

name: CT id: 0

global smax: 1e+030

Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

=====

Monte Carlo Parameter

=====

```
Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy      : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy        : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.     : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode        : 1
CSDA approximation                  : 0
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```

Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation : 0
Exact Compton : 0
Electron transport mode : VMC++

```

```

=====
=====
MC_Control
=====

```

```

will use fixed number of histories
number of batches : 10
histories per batch : 500
total histories : 5000
initial rng seeds : 17558 16492
=====

```

```

=====
Variance Reduction
=====

```

```

f_repeat = 0.251
split photons = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====

```

```

=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====

```

```

number of generators: 1
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====

```

```

=====
Scoring and output options
=====

```

```

number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
dump dose: 2
dose scans:

```

CPU time so far: 3.494 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation

```

+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.64 500 500
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.094 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.733 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.733 seconds

```



```

total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.733
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.172  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.218  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.25   500  500
      max dose is 0.033951 in region 1806126
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.296  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.328  500  500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.359  500  500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.406  500  500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.452  500  500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.515  500  500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.53 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.53
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
  OK
Initializing cross sections ...      max dose is 0.0350693 in region
2266446
      ICRU-2K efficiency: 1149.48 1/s
+++ total
      max dose is 0.033951 in region 1806126
      ICRU-2K efficiency: 1149.48 1/s
=====
  OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
      charge = 0
      virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
      Energy = 6 MeV
      number of beamlets = 1
      beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,25.5,23)
=====
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
      name: CT id: 0
      global smax: 1e+030

```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with  $X_0 = 0.15$   $Dx = 0.3$   
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with  $Y_0 = 0.15$   $Dx = 0.3$   
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with  $Z_0 = 0.15$   $Dx = 0.3$

=====

Monte Carlo Parameter

=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at  $E_p$  : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++

=====

MC\_Control

=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 22717 22612

=====

Variance Reduction

=====

$f_{repeat} = 0.251$   
split photons = 1  
photon split factor = -40

=====

Quasi Random Numbers

=====

number of generators: 1  
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1

=====

Scoring and output options

=====

number of dose scoring objects: 1  
dose output options for geometry CT  
dump dose: 2  
dose scans:

CPU time so far: 4.929 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation

Running part 1 of 1 ...

+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.031 500 500

+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.063 500 500

+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.109 500 500

ICRU-2K efficiency: 1654.18 1/s

+++ total

max dose is 0.0350693 in region 2266446

ICRU-2K efficiency: 1654.18 1/s

=====

+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.141 500 500

+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.203 500 500

+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.25 500 500

+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.297 500 500

+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.328 500 500

+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.359 500 500

+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.406 500 500

finished simulation, cpu time = 0.406 seconds

total particle fluence from the source: 20000

total number of particle sets: 5000

total number of particles: 5000

average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0

===== DE\_ScoreDose::analyze =====

geometry: CT

cpu time: 0.406

number of histories: 5000

number of batches: 10

+++ beamlet 0

max dose is 0.0342376 in region 1882926

ICRU-2K efficiency: 2062.88 1/s

+++ total

max dose is 0.0342376 in region 1882926

ICRU-2K efficiency: 2062.88 1/s

=====

Completed 44 of 49 beamlets...

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCPencilbeam\_temp\_1.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCPencilbeam\_temp\_2.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_3.vmc

Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/  
MCpencilbeam\_temp\_4.vmc

```

Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
    geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
    geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
    geometry 1 region size: 0.3
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
    geometry 1 region size: 0.3
OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
        charge = 0
    virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
        Energy = 6 MeV
    number of beamlets = 1
    beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,25.5,24.5)
=====
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
        name: CT id: 0
    global smax: 1e+030
    Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with  $Y_0 = 0.15$   $Dx = 0.3$   
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with  $Z_0 = 0.15$   $Dx = 0.3$

=====

Monte Carlo Parameter

=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at  $E_p$  : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++

=====

MC\_Control

=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 15924 23376

=====

Variance Reduction

=====

$f_{repeat} = 0.251$   
split photons = 1  
photon split factor = -40

=====

Quasi Random Numbers

=====

number of generators: 1  
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1

=====

Scoring and output options

=====

number of dose scoring objects: 1  
dose output options for geometry CT  
dump dose: 2  
dose scans:

CPU time so far: 2.73 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation

Running part 1 of 1 ...

+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.062 500 500

+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.14 500 500

+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.234 500 500

+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.265 500 500

OK

=====

Beamlet Source

=====

charge = 0

virtual source position = (-76,24,24)

Energy = 6 MeV

number of beamlets = 1

beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm\*\*2 midpoint = (-26,25.5,25)

=====

=====

XYZ Geometry

=====

name: CT id: 0

global smax: 1e+030

Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

=====

Monte Carlo Parameter

=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV

Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV

Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV

Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV

Local track-end energy deposition : 0

Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV

Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1

CSDA approximation : 0

Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%

Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5

Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV

alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741

Fano calculation : 0

Exact Compton : 0

Electron transport mode : VMC++

=====

*MC\_Control*

```
=====
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches      : 10
histories per batch    : 500
total histories        : 5000
initial rng seeds      : 28021  3898
=====
```

*Variance Reduction*

```
=====
f_repeat              = 0.251
split photons         = 1
photon split factor   = -40
=====
```

*Quasi Random Numbers*

```
=====
number of generators: 1
1st:  base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
```

*Scoring and output options*

```
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
  dump dose: 2
  dose scans:
=====
```

CPU time so far: 2.839 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
 with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation

```
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.327  500  500
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.078  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.405  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.156  500  500
OK
```

*Beamlet Source*

```
=====
charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,25.5,24)
=====
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

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=====

XYZ Geometry

=====

name: CT id: 0  
global smax: 1e+030  
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3  
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3

=====

Monte Carlo Parameter

=====

Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV  
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV  
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV  
Local track-end energy deposition : 0  
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV  
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1  
CSDA approximation : 0  
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%  
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5  
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV  
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741  
Fano calculation : 0  
Exact Compton : 0  
Electron transport mode : VMC++

=====

=====

MC\_Control

=====

will use fixed number of histories  
number of batches : 10  
histories per batch : 500  
total histories : 5000  
initial rng seeds : 2276 1619

=====

Variance Reduction

=====

f\_repeat = 0.251  
split photons = 1  
photon split factor = -40

=====

Quasi Random Numbers

=====

number of generators: 1  
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1

=====

Scoring and output options

=====



```
=====
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
  dump dose: 2
  dose scans:

CPU time so far: 3.276 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
  with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.031  500  500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.499  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.234  500  500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.53   500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.109  500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.281  500  500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.624  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.359  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.202  500  500
OK
=====
                        Beamlet Source
=====
      charge = 0
virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
      Energy = 6 MeV
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,25.5,23.5)
=====
                        XYZ Geometry
=====
      name: CT  id: 0
      global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160  uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160  uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160  uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
                        Monte Carlo Parameter
=====

Delta particle production threshold:  0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold:  0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy       :  0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy         :  0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition    :  0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx.     :  1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode        :  1
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```
CSDA approximation           : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta               : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation             : 0
Exact Compton                : 0
Electron transport mode      : VMC++
```

```
=====
MC_Control
=====
```

```
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches : 10
histories per batch : 500
total histories : 5000
initial rng seeds : 11414 17035
=====
```

```
=====
Variance Reduction
=====
```

```
f_repeat = 0.251
split photons = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
```

```
=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====
```

```
number of generators: 1
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
=====
```

```
=====
Scoring and output options
=====
```

```
number of dose scoring objects: 1
dose output options for geometry CT
dump dose: 2
dose scans:
```

CPU time so far: 3.51 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets  
with 1 particles per set on average  
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation  
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.702 500 500  
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.437 500 500  
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.717 seconds  
total particle fluence from the source: 20000

```

total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.265 500 500
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.062 500 500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.717
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.53 500 500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.358 500 500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.156 500 500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.39 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.608 500 500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.234 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.468 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.671 500 500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.265 500 500
    max dose is 0.0342907 in region 2113326
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.702 500 500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.546 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.749 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.358 500 500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.592 500 500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.749
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.39 500 500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.436 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.655 500 500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.67 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.468 500 500
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.67
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.514 500 500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.546 500 500

```

```
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.561 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
  geometry: CT
  cpu time: 0.561
  number of histories: 5000
  number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
    max dose is 0.0343218 in region 2190126
    max dose is 0.0341925 in region 2036526
    max dose is 0.0339002 in region 1959726
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1112.57 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0343218 in region 2190126
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1112.57 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1557.55 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0339002 in region 1959726
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1557.55 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1243.61 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0342907 in region 2113326
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1243.61 1/s
=====
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1259.86 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.0341925 in region 2036526
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 1259.86 1/s
=====
Completed 48 of 49 beamlets...
```

```
Input file is: \\Mac\Home\Documents\Heidelberg\matRad\vmc++\runs/
MCpencilbeam_temp_1.vmc
Reading MS data ... OK
Parsing input file ... construct_mmc_geometry: urs = 1
DE_GeometryFactory::get_region_size():
get_region_size: urs = 1 ignore = 1
region size: 0.3
  geometry 1 region size: 0.3
  OK
Initializing cross sections ... OK
=====
                          Beamlet Source
=====
    charge = 0
    virtual source position = (-76,24,24)
    Energy = 6 MeV
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```
number of beamlets = 1
beamlet 1: size = 0.5x0.5 cm**2 midpoint = (-26,25.5,25.5)
=====
XYZ Geometry
=====
name: CT id: 0
global smax: 1e+030
Number of x-planes: 160 uniform with Xo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of y-planes: 160 uniform with Yo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
Number of z-planes: 160 uniform with Zo = 0.15 Dx = 0.3
=====
Monte Carlo Parameter
=====
Delta particle production threshold: 0.447479 MeV
Bremsstrahlung production threshold: 0.05 MeV
Min. electron transport energy : 0.447479 MeV
Min. photon transport energy : 0.05 MeV
Local track-end energy deposition : 0
Cut-off energy for KERMA approx. : 1.10239 MeV
Bremsstrahlung transport mode : 1
CSDA approximation : 0
Fractional energy loss/step at Ep : 10%
Max. 1st elastic moment per step : 0.5
Max. acceptable energy loss/step : 0.6 MeV
alpha and beta : 0.0298764 0.420741
Fano calculation : 0
Exact Compton : 0
Electron transport mode : VMC++
=====
MC_Control
=====
will use fixed number of histories
number of batches : 10
histories per batch : 500
total histories : 5000
initial rng seeds : 17065 14082
=====
Variance Reduction
=====
f_repeat = 0.251
split photons = 1
photon split factor = -40
=====
Quasi Random Numbers
=====
number of generators: 1
1st: base = 2 dimensions = 60 warm-up = 1
```

```
=====
=====
                        Scoring and output options
=====
    number of dose scoring objects: 1
    dose output options for geometry CT
        dump dose: 2
        dose scans:

CPU time so far: 1.606 seconds

Will run approximately 5000 particle sets
    with 1 particles per set on average
will use 2 quasi numbers to sample the source

Starting MC simulation
Running part 1 of 1 ...
+++finished batch 1 cpu time: 0.032  500  500
+++finished batch 2 cpu time: 0.063  500  500
+++finished batch 3 cpu time: 0.11   500  500
+++finished batch 4 cpu time: 0.141  500  500
+++finished batch 5 cpu time: 0.172  500  500
+++finished batch 6 cpu time: 0.219  500  500
+++finished batch 7 cpu time: 0.25   500  500
+++finished batch 8 cpu time: 0.281  500  500
+++finished batch 9 cpu time: 0.312  500  500
+++finished batch 10 cpu time: 0.344  500  500
finished simulation, cpu time = 0.359 seconds
total particle fluence from the source: 20000
total number of particle sets: 5000
total number of particles: 5000
average sampled energy: 6 +/- 0
===== DE_ScoreDose::analyze =====
    geometry: CT
    cpu time: 0.359
    number of histories: 5000
    number of batches: 10
+++ beamlet 0
    max dose is 0.034158 in region 2266926
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 2306.14 1/s
+++ total
    max dose is 0.034158 in region 2266926
    ICRU-2K efficiency: 2306.14 1/s
=====
Completed 49 of 49 beamlets...
```

## Inverse Optimization for IMRT

```
resultGUI = matRad_fluenceOptimization(dij,cst,pln);
```

Example: Photon Treatment Plan  
using VMC++ dose calculation

---

```
*****
This program contains Ipopt, a library for large-scale nonlinear
optimization.
Ipopt is released as open source code under the Eclipse Public
License (EPL).
For more information visit http://projects.coin-or.org/Ipopt
*****
```

This is Ipopt version 3.11.8, running with linear solver ma57.

```
Number of nonzeros in equality constraint Jacobian...:      0
Number of nonzeros in inequality constraint Jacobian.:      0
Number of nonzeros in Lagrangian Hessian.....:          0
```

```
Total number of variables.....:          49
      variables with only lower bounds:          49
      variables with lower and upper bounds:         0
      variables with only upper bounds:             0
Total number of equality constraints.....:          0
Total number of inequality constraints.....:          0
      inequality constraints with only lower bounds:    0
      inequality constraints with lower and upper bounds: 0
      inequality constraints with only upper bounds:    0
```

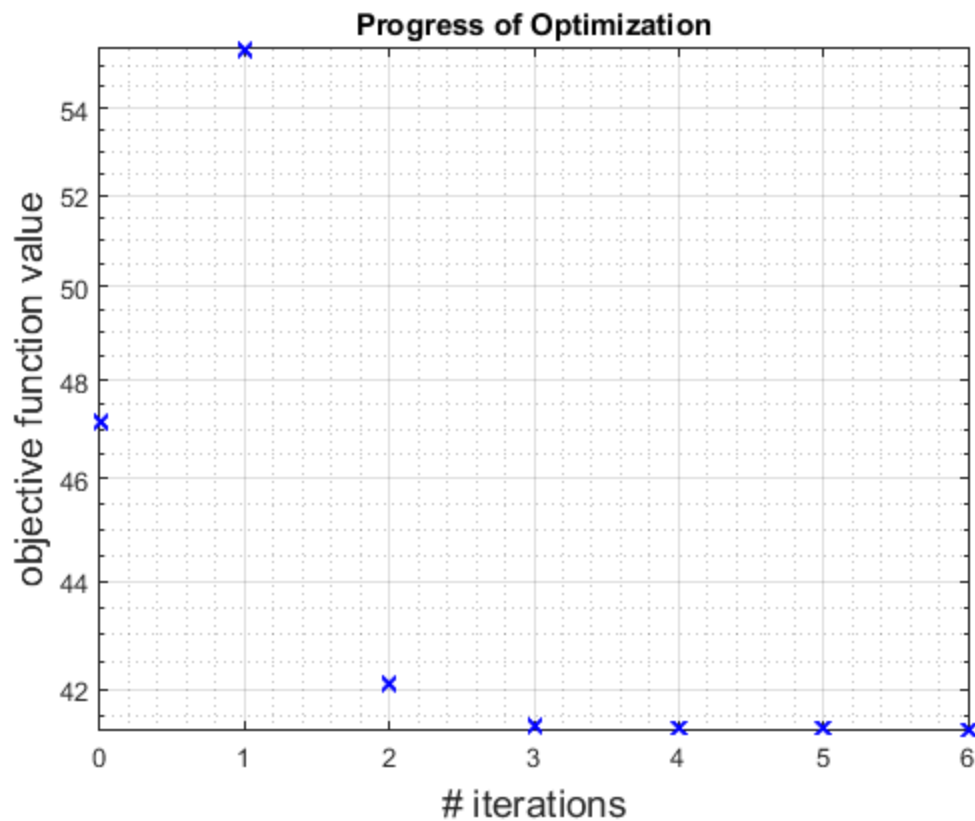
iter	objective	inf_pr	inf_du	lg(mu)	d	lg(rg)	alpha_du	alpha_pr	ls
0	4.7141751e+001	0.00e+000	1.40e+001	0.0	0.00e+000	-	0.00e		
+000	0.00e+000	0							
1	5.5399399e+001	0.00e+000	1.99e+001	0.7	6.17e+000	-			
	4.91e-001	1.76e-002f	5						
2	4.2089461e+001	0.00e+000	1.05e+001	0.2	5.45e-002	-	1.00e		
+000	1.00e+000f	1							
3	4.1347678e+001	0.00e+000	1.35e+000	-1.1	1.99e-002	-			
	9.99e-001	1.00e+000f	1						
4	4.1316763e+001	0.00e+000	9.35e-001	-2.8	4.59e-003	-			
	9.99e-001	1.00e+000f	1						
5	4.1284000e+001	0.00e+000	2.40e-001	-4.5	1.22e-002	-	1.00e		
+000	1.00e+000f	1							
6	4.1281126e+001	0.00e+000	3.16e-001	-6.1	3.71e-003	-	1.00e		
+000	1.00e+000f	1							

Number of Iterations.....: 6

	(scaled)	(unscaled)
Objective.....:	4.1281126121699344e+001	
	4.1281126121699344e+001	
Dual infeasibility.....:	3.1588500984810963e-001	
	3.1588500984810963e-001	
Constraint violation.....:	0.0000000000000000e+000	
	0.0000000000000000e+000	
Complementarity.....:	8.5126569666667240e-007	
	8.5126569666667240e-007	
Overall NLP error.....:	3.1588500984810963e-001	
	3.1588500984810963e-001	

Number of objective function evaluations	=	15
Number of objective gradient evaluations	=	7
Number of equality constraint evaluations	=	0
Number of inequality constraint evaluations	=	0
Number of equality constraint Jacobian evaluations	=	0
Number of inequality constraint Jacobian evaluations	=	0
Number of Lagrangian Hessian evaluations	=	0
Total CPU secs in IPOPT (w/o function evaluations)	=	0.891
Total CPU secs in NLP function evaluations	=	1.449

EXIT: Solved To Acceptable Level.  
Calculating final cubes...

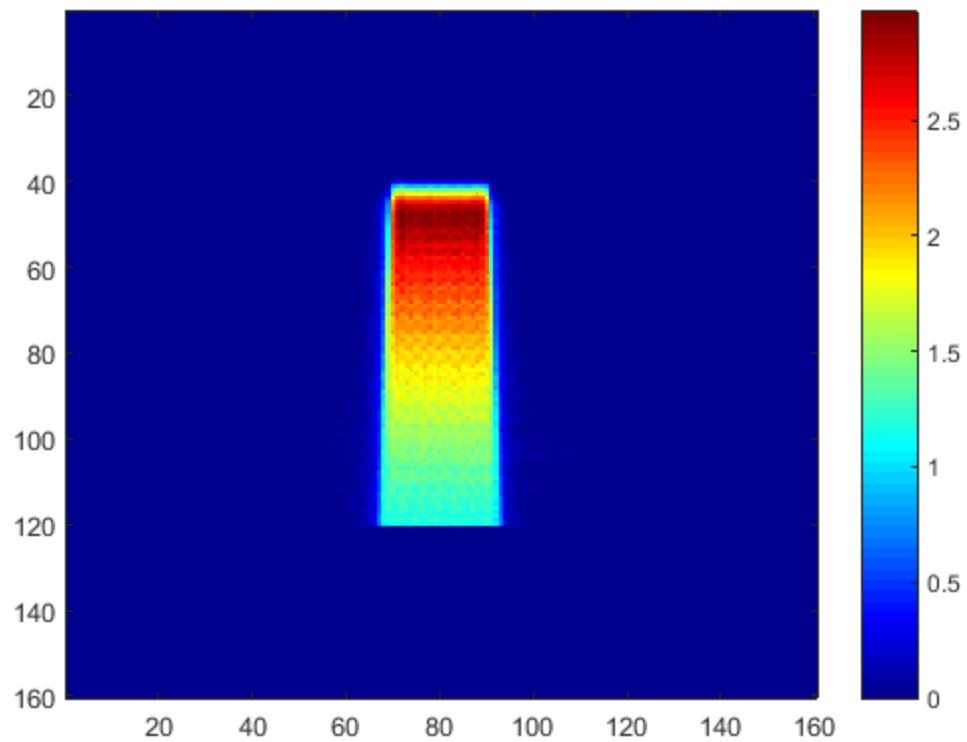


## Plot the Resulting Dose Slice

Just let's plot the transversal iso-center dose slice

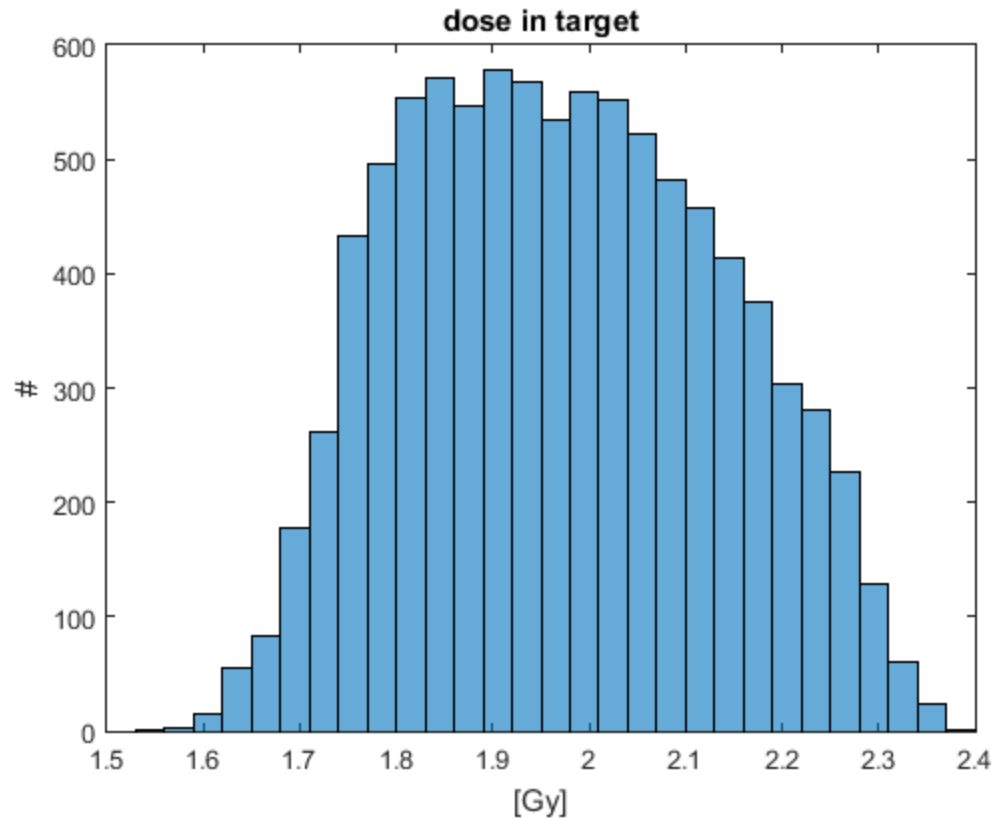
```
slice = round(pln.propStf.isoCenter(1,3)./ct.resolution.z);  
figure,  
imagesc(resultGUI.physicalDose(:,:,slice)),colorbar, colormap(jet)
```





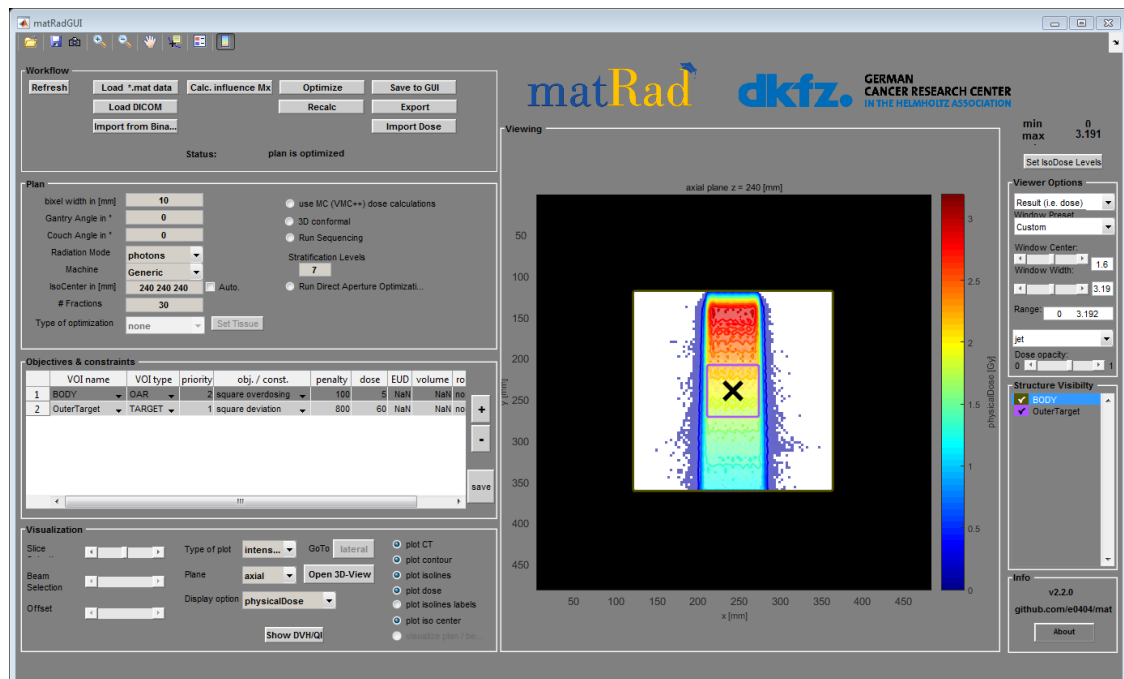
Exemplary, we show how to obtain the dose in the target and plot the histogram

```
ixTarget      = cst{2,4}{1};  
doseInTarget = resultGUI.physicalDose(ixTarget);  
figure  
histogram(doseInTarget);  
title('dose in target'),xlabel('[Gy]'),ylabel('#');
```



## Start the GUI for Visualization

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