

McStas McXtrace



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<https://mcxtrace.org>
<https://github.com/mccode-dev/McCode>

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McStas (neutrons) / McXtrace (X-rays)

Tell us about your application:

Algorithmic motif: Monte Carlo ray-tracing

Language is (lex/yacc) DSL  ISO C

Libraries – mostly ‘internal’ but some GSL, Xraylib, MCPL, NCrystal

Focus: Compute performance tuning, finding bottlenecks

GPU port via OpenACC, ~ 95% functional

Dresden Hackathon 2017, Espoo Hackathon 2019

Goals



Learn to practically use, (master?) the Nvidia profilers/performance tools
Get a better understanding of the limitations of the current implementation
Try to identify obvious bottlenecks
Get ideas!
Hack!
Optimize!
Run simulations!
Have fun! :-)