

Ptarmigan + ETTSim

Problems:

- 1) Ptarmigan simulation take up a lot of space
 - 100MB for 1M electrons, only <10K (<1%) interacting
- 2) Ptarmigan input for ETTSim takes long to simulate
 - 1) Mainly interested in electrons on screen

Solution:

Modify ETTSim to mimic Ptarmigan beam creation + Only save interacting electrons in Ptarmigan.

- Reduces Ptarmigan output file to < 1MB for 1M electrons
- Quickly generate many electrons with ETTSim and propagate through beamline
- Save only important data of electrons on screen
 - 200 MB for 10M electrons on screen
- Background electrons can be reused for different laser settings (New data needed for different beam(line) settings)

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