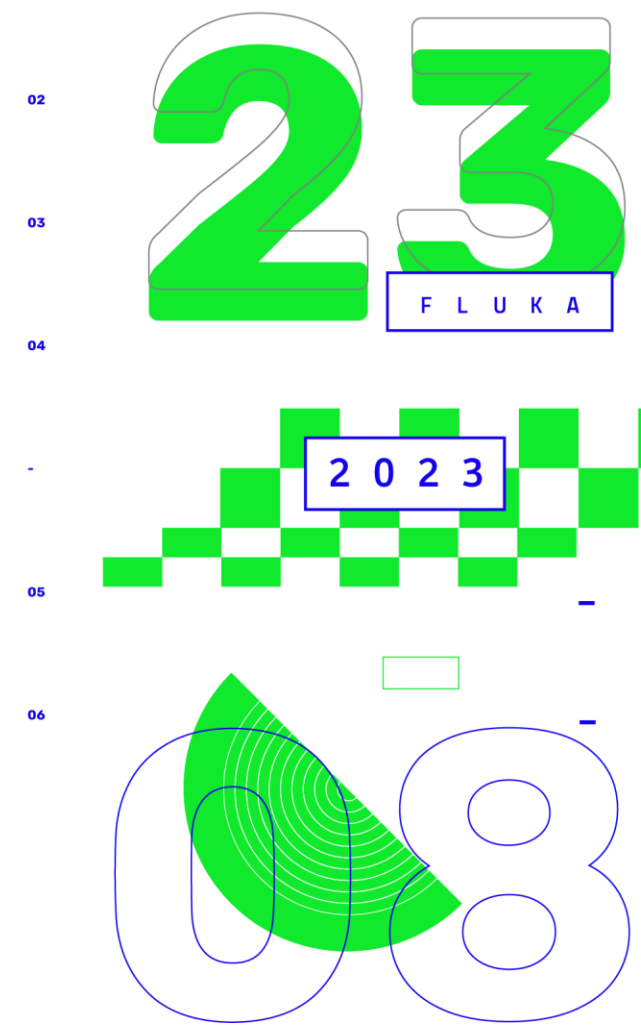


# AULA 07

## Detectores – USRBIN (parte I)

Iniciaremos em breve

Código Monte Carlo de interação e transporte de partículas



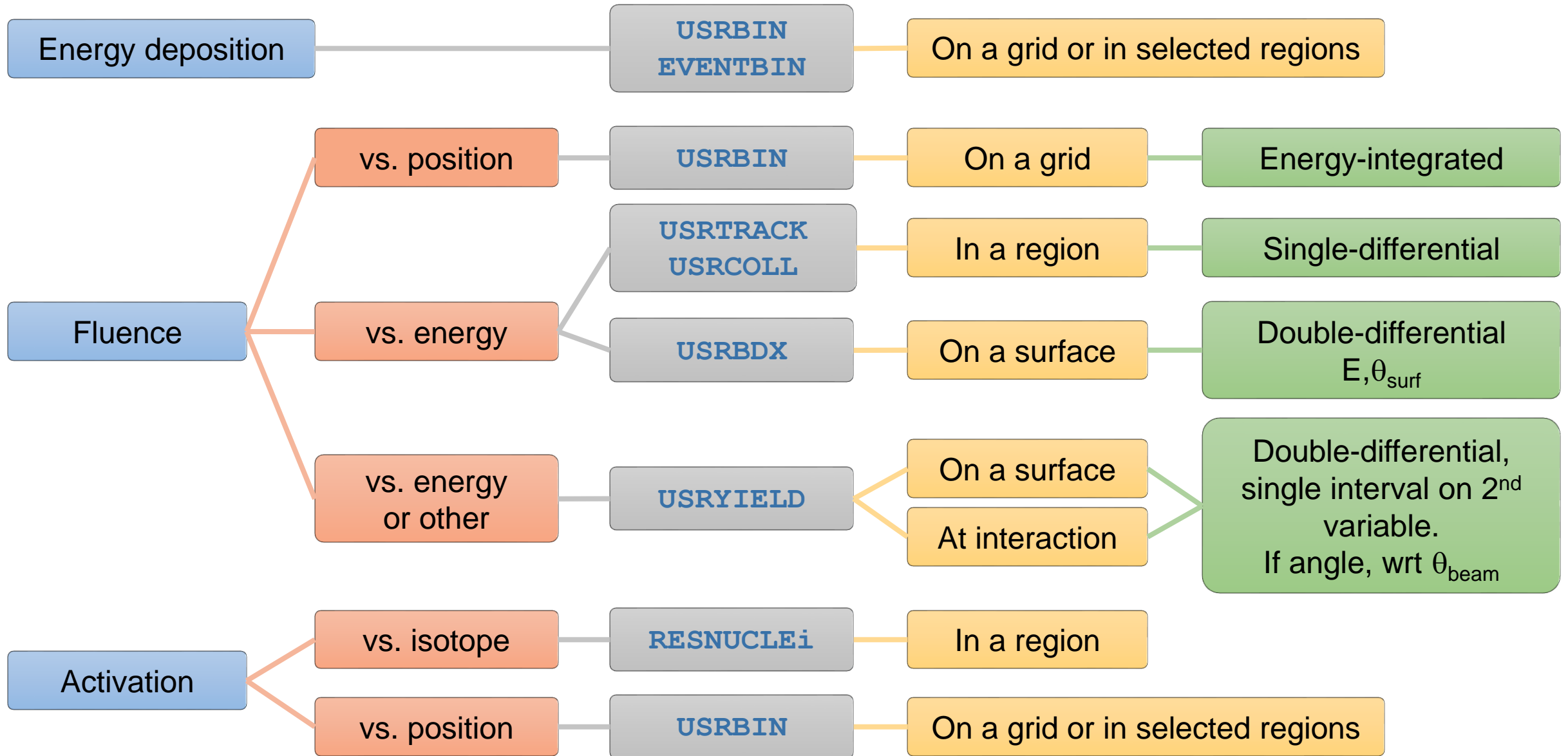


# Scoring physical quantities I

Introduction to built-in estimators

3D distributions (**USRBIN**) & 1D-2D plots

# The FLUKA estimator zoo



# Main FLUKA estimators


- **USRBIN** scores the **spatial distribution** of **energy density** or **fluence** (or star density) in a **region** or **regular mesh** (cylindrical, Cartesian) described by the user
- USRBDX scores average  $d^2\Phi/dEd\Omega$  (**double-differential fluence or current**) of a given type or family of particles on a **given surface**
- USRTRACK (USRCOLL) scores average  $d\Phi/dE$  (**differential fluence**) of a given type or family of particles in a **given region**
- USRYIELD scores a **double differential yield** of particles on a **given surface**
  - The distribution can be with respect to energy and angle, but also other more “exotic” quantities
- All scorings write their results into **logical output units assigned by the user**
  - the unit numbers must be **>20**
  - The only exception is **SCORE** – which scores **energy deposition** (or number of stars) in all regions – whose output is printed in the **standard output**

# USRBIN examples, visualisation and plotting


# USRBIN definition - examples

- **Type:** X-Y-Z, R- $\Phi$ -Z, Region, ...
- **Part:** generalised particle
- **Unit:** logical output unit
  - **BIN** (binary): unformatted output  
Can be post-processed via Flair
  - **ASC** (ASCII): formatted output  
Cannot be post-processed via Flair
- **Name:** 8-character limit

Energy deposition density in cylindrical mesh

 <b>USRBIN</b>		<b>Unit:</b> 30 BIN ▼	<b>Name:</b> Edep
<b>Type:</b> R- $\Phi$ -Z ▼	<b>Rmin:</b> 0.0	<b>Rmax:</b> 5.0	<b>NR:</b> 50.
<b>Part:</b> ENERGY ▼	<b>X:</b> 0.0	<b>Y:</b> 0.0	<b>N<math>\Phi</math>:</b> 1.
	<b>Zmin:</b> 0.0	<b>Zmax:</b> 10.0	<b>NZ:</b> 100.

Neutron fluence in cartesian mesh

 <b>USRBIN</b>		<b>Unit:</b> 31 BIN ▼	<b>Name:</b> Neut
<b>Type:</b> X-Y-Z ▼	<b>Xmin:</b> -5.0	<b>Xmax:</b> 5.0	<b>NX:</b> 50.
<b>Part:</b> NEUTRON ▼	<b>Ymin:</b> -5.0	<b>Ymax:</b> 5.0	<b>NY:</b> 100.
	<b>Zmin:</b> 0.0	<b>Zmax:</b> 10.0	<b>NZ:</b> 100.

Mesh boundaries  
(& cylindrical mesh  
X-Y offset)

Bins per  
dimension

# Tipo de Mesh

## X-Y-Z: Cartesiano

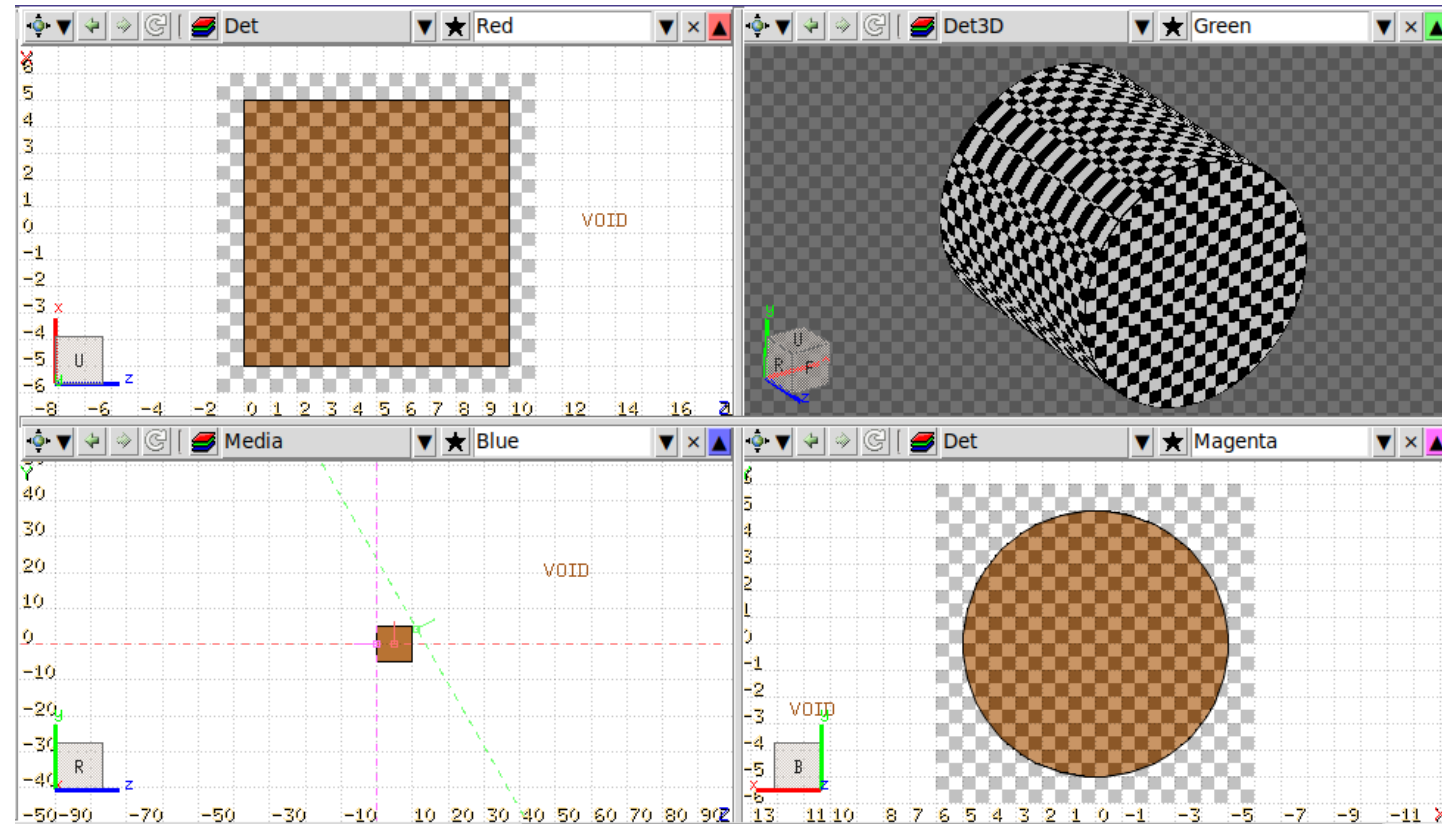
Configura-se os pontos mínimos e máximos de cada eixo;

E o número de *bins* (divisões) do eixo.

USRBIN		Unit: 21 BIN	Name: XYZ	
Type: X-Y-Z	Xmin: -6	Xmax: 6	NX: 24	
Part: ALL-PART	Ymin: -6	Ymax: 6	NY: 24	
	Zmin: -1	Zmax: 11	NZ: 24	

*...+...1...+...2...+...3...+...4...+...5...+...6...+...7...+...						
USRBIN	10	ALL - PART	-21	6	6	11XYZ
USRBIN	-6	-6	-1	24	24	24 &



# Tipo de Mesh

## R- $\Phi$ -Z: Cilíndrico

Configura-se os pontos mínimos e máximos do raio e do eixo Z do detector;

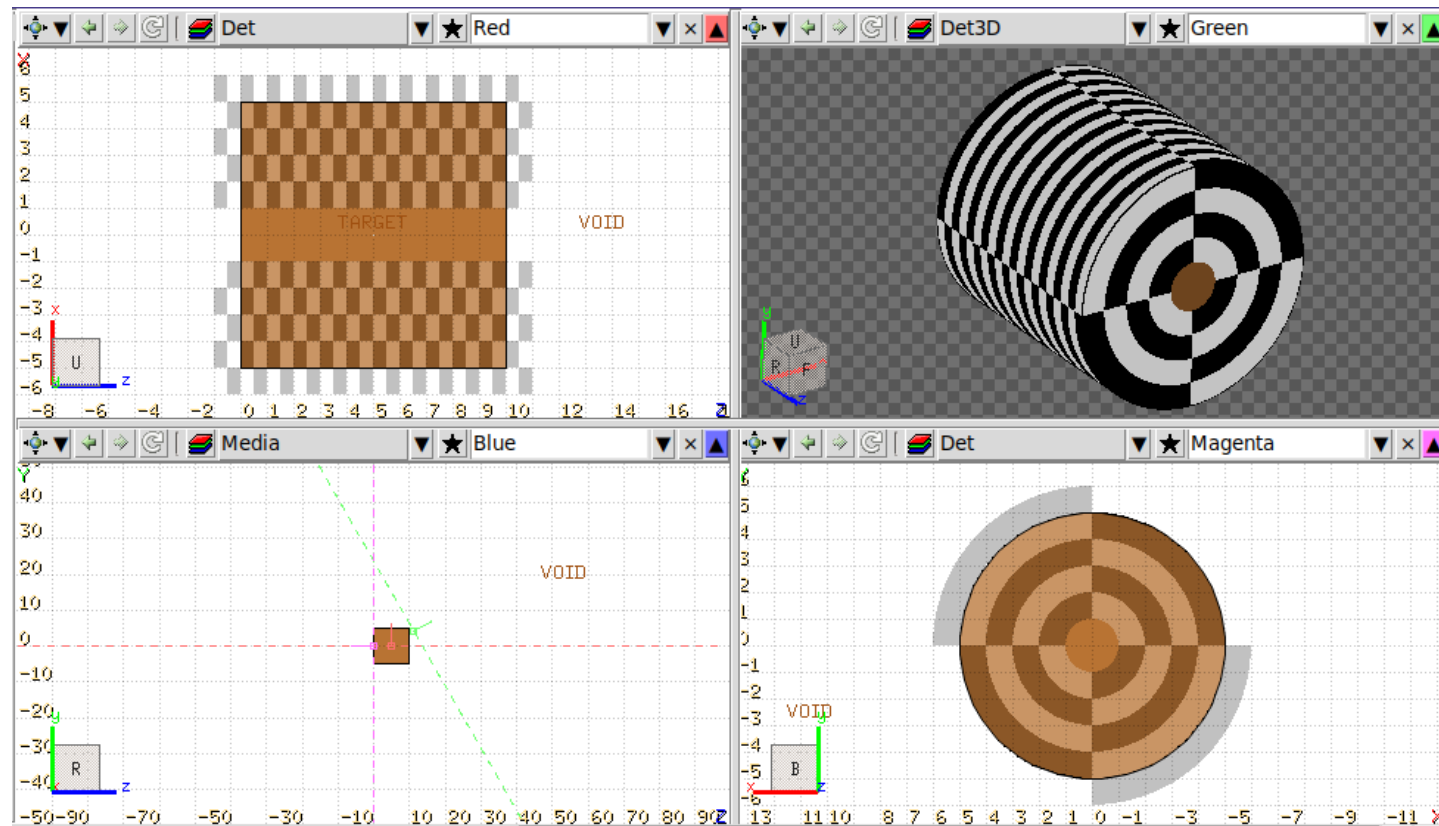
O ponto central X-Y;

E o número de *bins* radial, angular e no eixo Z.

Úteis para geometrias com simetria radial.

**USRBIN** Unit: 21 BIN Name: XYZ  
Type: R- $\Phi$ -Z Rmin: 1 Rmax: 6 NR: 5  
Part: ALL-PART X: 0 Y: 0 N $\Phi$ : 4  
Zmin: -1 Zmax: 11 NZ: 24

*...+...1...+...2...+...3...+...4...+...5...+...6...+...7...+...						
USRBIN	11	ALL - PART	-21	6	0	11XYZ
USRBIN	1	0	-1	5	4	24 &

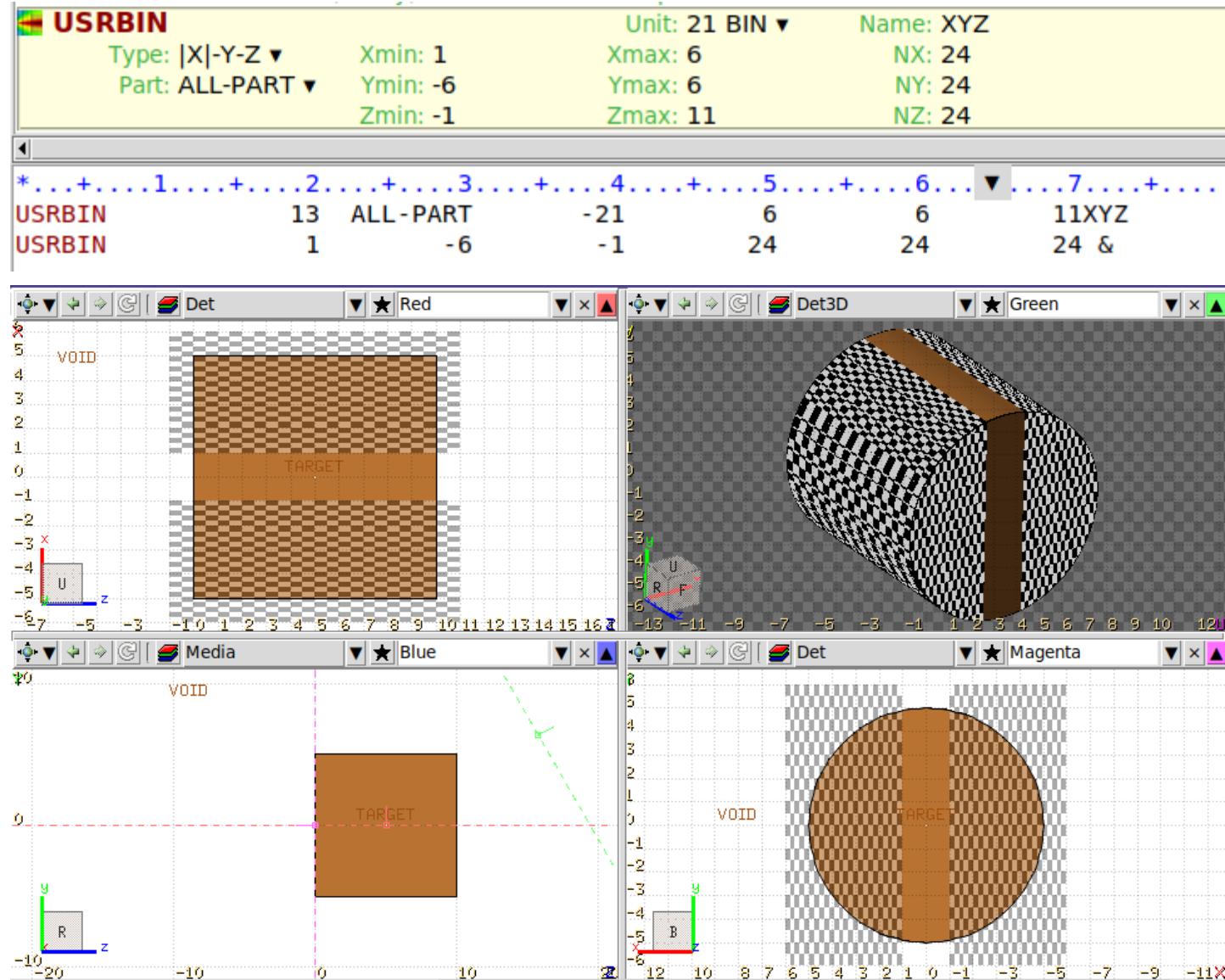


# Tipo de Mesh

## Mesh com módulos:

Iguais aos meshes sem os módulos, mas "espelhado" com os eixos que possuem módulo.

Úteis para geometrias com simetria cartesiana.



# Tipo de Mesh

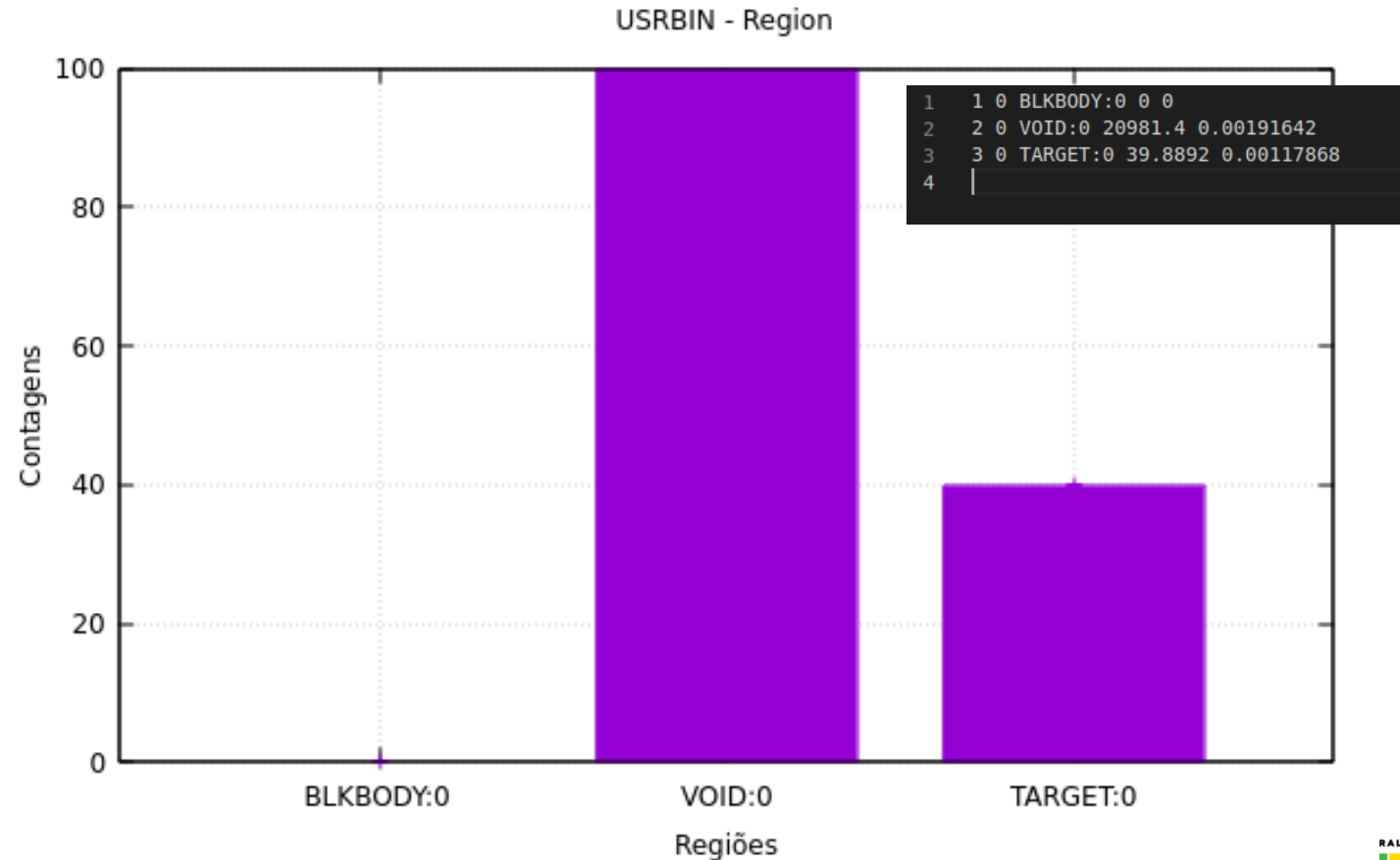
## Region: Por Região

Configura-se as regiões (ou agrupamento de regiões) em que serão contabilizados os valores requisitados.

<b>USRBIN</b>	Unit: 21 BIN	Name: XYZ
Type: Region	R1from: BLKBODY	R1to: VOID
Part: ALL-PART	R2from: TARGET	R2to:
	R3from:	R3to:
		Step1: 1
		Step2:
		Step3:

USRBIN	12	ALL-PART	-21	VOID	XYZ
USRBIN	BLKBODY	TARGET		1	&




# USRBIN definition - examples


Energy deposition density  
(GeV/cm<sup>3</sup> per primary)

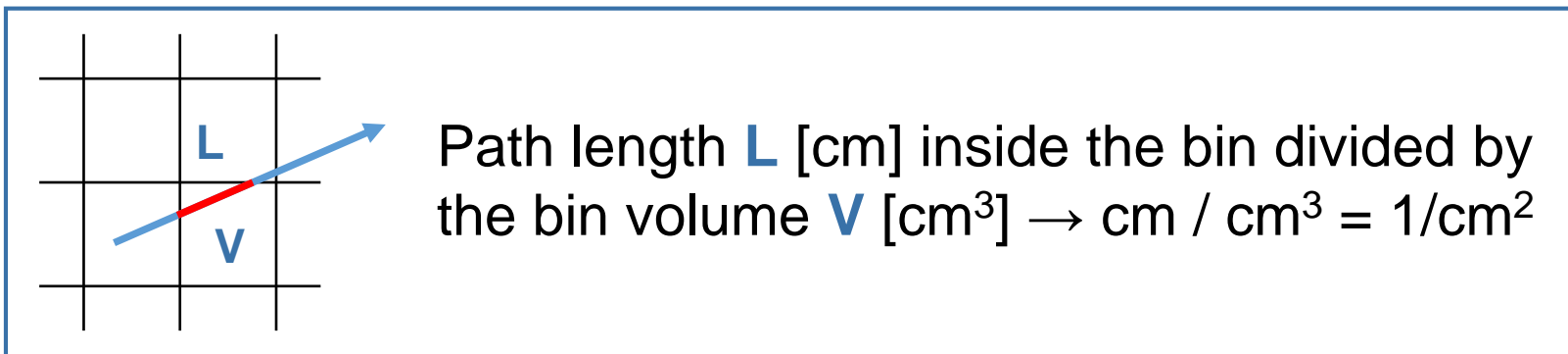
Particle fluence  
(1/cm<sup>2</sup> per primary)

Energy deposition density in cylindrical mesh

 **USRBIN** Unit: 30 BIN ▼ Name: Edep  
Type: R-Φ-Z ▼ Rmin: 0.0 Rmax: 5.0 NR: 50.  
Part: ENERGY ▼ X: 0.0 Y: 0.0 NΦ: 1.  
Zmin: 0.0 Zmax: 10.0 NZ: 100.

Neutron fluence in cartesian mesh

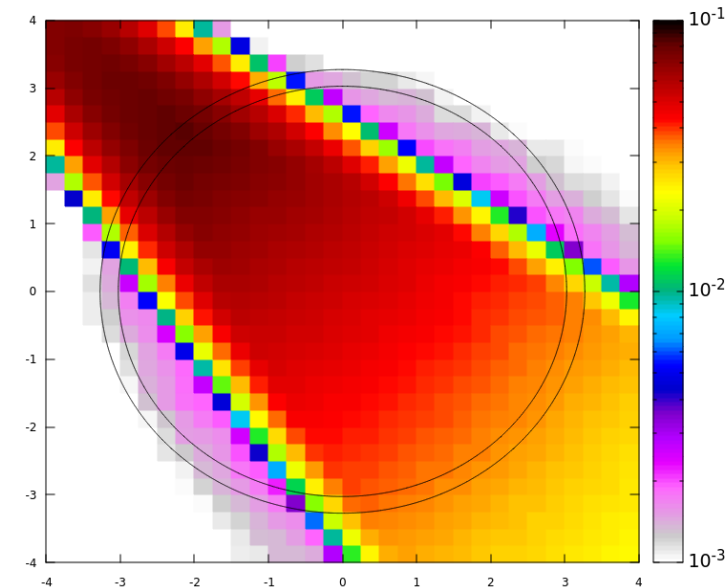
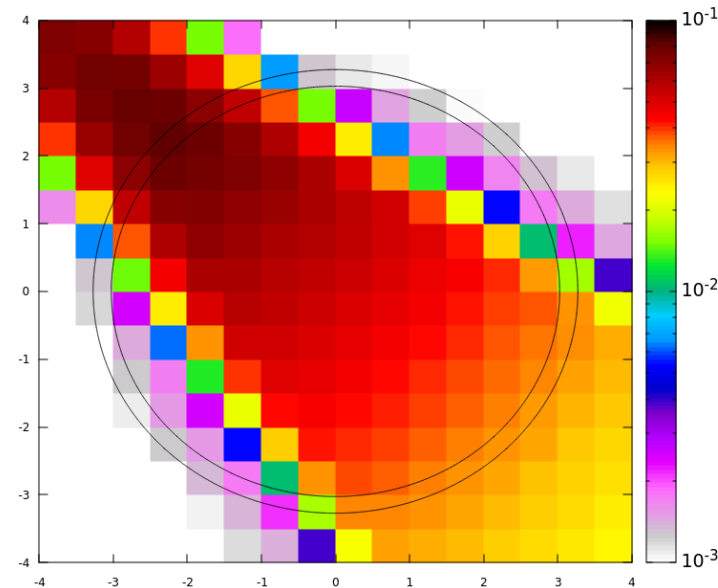
 **USRBIN** Unit: 31 BIN ▼ Name: Neut  
Type: X-Y-Z ▼ Xmin: -5.0 Xmax: 5.0 NX: 50.  
Part: NEUTRON ▼ Ymin: -5.0 Ymax: 5.0 NY: 100.  
Zmin: 0.0 Zmax: 10.0 NZ: 100.



# Normalização pelo volume

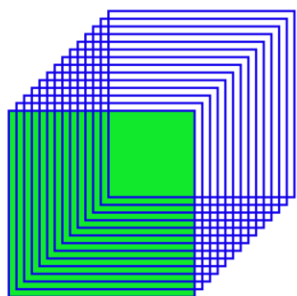
A normalização pelo volume do *bin* permite uma análise mais verdadeira de uma irradiação.

Essa normalização torna os valores obtidos na simulação independentes do tamanho do *bin*.



# Volume normalisation

- FLUKA does not calculate **region** volumes
- When scoring particle *fluence* (e.g. **NEUTRON**) or *energy density* (**ENERGY**) with **USRBIN by region**, the actual results will give instead *total track-length and energy deposition*, respectively; these differ from the intended quantities by a factor equal to the region volume
  - In other words, the code assumes a volume equal to 1 cm<sup>3</sup>
- Conversely, as **USRBIN** scoring **on regular (Cartesian, cylindrical) grids** is requested, *particle fluence and energy density* will be automatically provided, since FLUKA performs the bin volume normalisation



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# CURSO INTRODUTÓRIO



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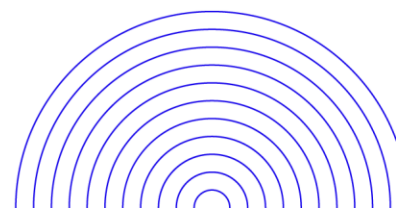
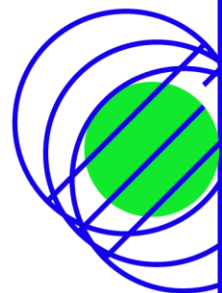
# Pausa

Voltamos em 15 minutos

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# Radiation Protection specific calculations

# Relevant Generalized Particle Types

Name	Units	Description
DOSE	GeV/g	Dose (energy deposited per unit mass)
DOSE-EQ	pSv	Dose Equivalent ( <b>AUXSCORE</b> ) Based on ICRU sphere or human phantom (see next slides)
ACTIVITY	Bq/cm <sup>3</sup>	Activity per unit volume
ACTOMASS	Bq/g	Activity per unit mass

# Input option: AUXSCORE

Association of scoring with scoring with dose equivalent conversion factors

<b>AUXSCORE</b>	Type: USRBIN ▼ Det: Target ▼	Part: PHOTON ▼ to Det: ▼	Set: EWT74 ▼ Step:
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- Type**      **Type of estimator to associate with**  
drop down list of estimator types (USRBIN, USRBDX...)
- Part**      **Particle or isotope to filter for scoring**  
Particle or particle family list
- Det .. to Det**      **Detector range**  
Drop down list to select detector range of type **Type**
- Step**      **Step in assigning indices of detector range**
- Set**      **Conversion factor set for dose equivalent (DOSE-EQ) scoring**  
Drop down list of available dose conversion sets

Note: This card is NOT just for activation-type scorings. It can be used for prompt radiation.

# Fluence-to-dose conversion coefficients

- Several fluence-to-dose conversion coefficients are available  
(many new coefficients added in version 4-2.0)
- Ambient dose equivalent  $H^*(10)$ 
  - Operational quantity for area monitoring (10mm depth in ICRU sphere)
  - “**AMB74**” coefficient set, is the default choice for dose equivalent calculation
  - i.e.: it is possible to score DOSE-EQ without an **AUXSCORE** card (see later)
  - The “**AMB74**” coefficients are based on ICRP74 recommendations and Pelliccioni data
  - M. Pelliccioni, “*Overview of fluence-to-effective dose and fluence-to-ambient dose equivalent conversion coefficients for high energy radiation calculated using the FLUKA code*”, Radiation Protection Dosimetry 88 (2000) 279-297

# Fluence-to-dose conversion coefficients

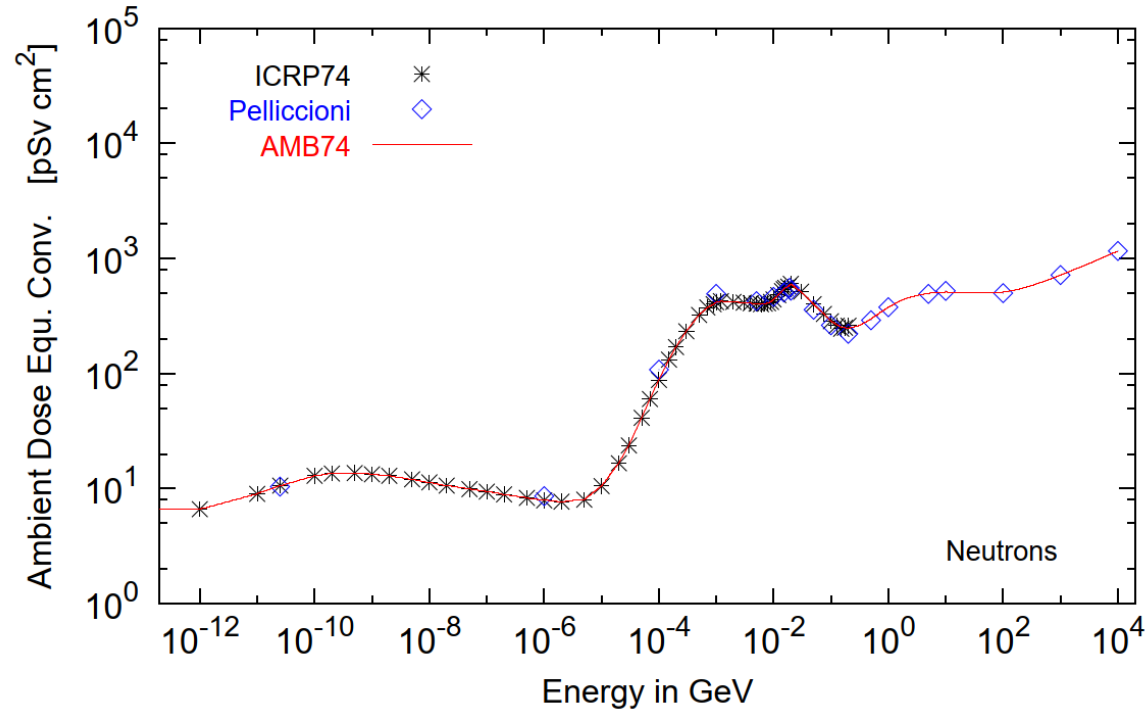
- **Effective dose** is based on human phantoms
  - Conversion coefficients sets depending on different recommendations and weighting factors: e.g. ICRP74, ICRP116, ICRP60, and Pelliccioni
  - Conversion coefficients sets implemented for different irradiation geometries:
    - Anterior-Posterior
    - Rotational
    - Isotropic
    - WORST (“Working Out Radiation Shielding Thicknesses”):
      - It is the worst of all irradiation geometries
      - It is recommended to be used for shielding design
    - Posterior-Anterior
    - Right lateral
    - Left lateral
  - Implemented for **protons, neutrons, charged pions, muons, photons, electrons** conversion coefficients for other particles are approximated by these
  - **Zero** coefficient is applied to all **heavy ions**

# Fluence-to-dose conversion coefficients

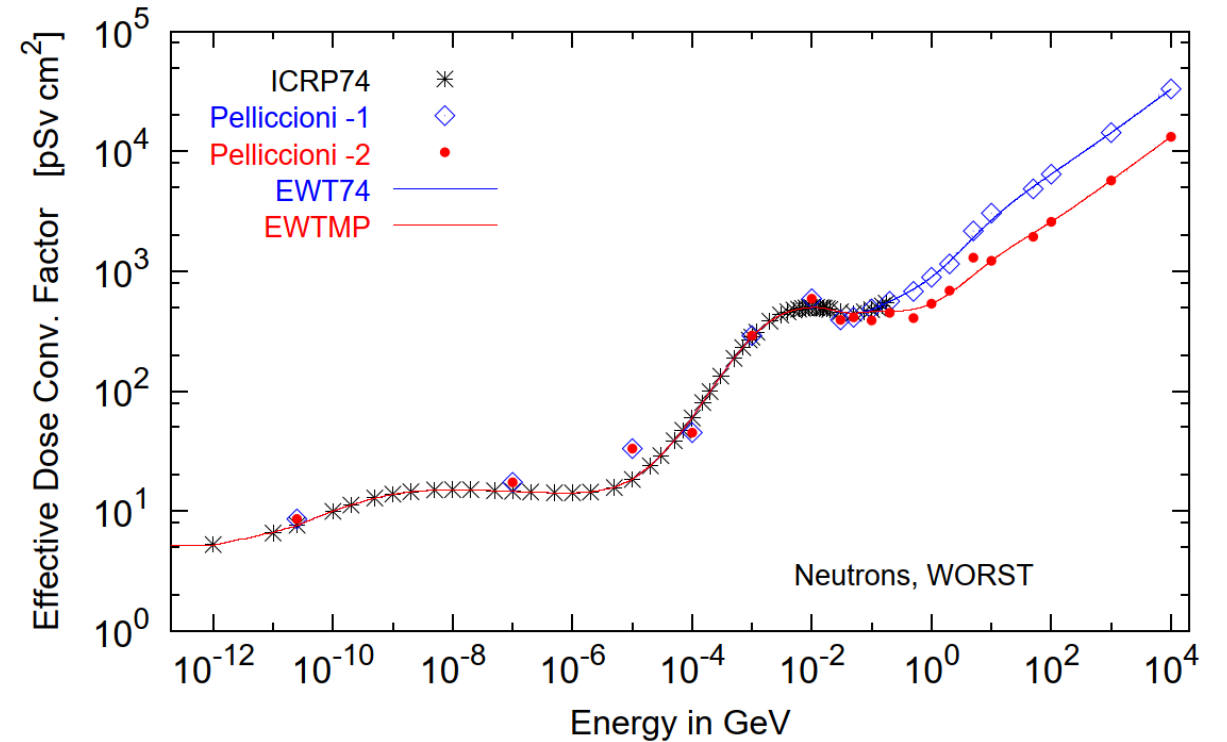
Units:  $\mu\text{Sv cm}^2$  (to be folded with fluence  $[1/(\text{cm}^2\cdot\text{primary})]$  to yield  $[\mu\text{Sv/primary}]$ )

Examples:

Ambient dose equivalent for neutrons



Effective dose for WORST irradiation geometry



For more information please see: <https://flukafiles.web.cern.ch/flukafiles/documents/deq2.pdf>

# Fluence-to-dose conversion coefficients

- Ambient dose
  - Conversion coefficients from ICRU95
- Personal dose
  - 12 different conversion coefficients from ICRU95
  - Depending on the irradiation geometry
- Directional and personal absorbed dose in the lens of the eyes
  - 8 different conversion coefficients from ICRU95
- Directional and personal absorbed dose in the local skin
  - 6 different conversion coefficients from ICRU95

# Fluence-to-dose conversion coefficients

- For details on the different fluence-to-dose conversion coefficients sets, **look in the FLUKA manual**

## SDUM

For dose equivalent (DOSE-EQ) scoring, the user can request the energy-dependent coefficients for the conversion of fluence to different dose (equivalent) quantities.

The following dose conversion coefficients sets are available:

1. Effective dose from ICRP74 and Pelliccioni data [Pel00] calculated with ICRP radiation weighting factors  $W_r$  for neutrons, protons, charged pions, muons, photons and electrons [Roe06].
  - a. EAP74 : Anterior-Posterior irradiation geometry
  - b. ERT74 : Rotational irradiation geometry
  - c. EWT74 : maximum value of all irradiation geometries (WORST), see Note 2
2. Effective dose from ICRP74 and Pelliccioni data [Pel00] calculated with the Pelliccioni radiation weighting factors  $W_r$  for neutrons, protons, charged pions, muons. For photons and electrons the sets from EAP74 , ERT74 and EWT74 will be used respectively [Roe06].
  - a. EAPMP : Anterior-Posterior irradiation
  - b. ERTMP : Rotational irradiation geometry
  - c. EWTMP : maximum value of all irradiation geometries (WORST), see Note 2
3. Ambient dose equivalent from ICRP74 and Pelliccioni data [Pel00] for neutrons, protons, charged pions, muons, photons and electrons [Roe06].
  - a. AMB74 : ambient dose equivalent  $H^*(10)$
4. Ambient dose equivalent with old "GRS"-conversion factors for neutrons, protons, charged pions, muons. Photons and electrons are not considered [Roe06].
  - a. AMBGS : ambient dose equivalent  $H^*(10)$
5. Effective dose from ICRP Publication 116 [ICR116] for photons, neutrons, electrons, positrons, protons, charged muons, charged pions and alpha particles (see Note 3). The conversion coefficients have been extrapolated up to 10 TeV for all particles. For energies outside the tabulated ranges see Note 6.
  - a. EDAP : anterior-posterior irradiation geometry
  - b. EDISO : isotropic irradiation geometry
  - c. EDLLAT : left lateral irradiation geometry
  - d. EDPA : posterior-anterior irradiation geometry
  - e. EDRLAT : right lateral irradiation geometry
  - f. EDROT : rotational irradiation geometry
  - g. EDWORST : maximum value of all irradiation geometries (WORST), see Note 2

Conversion coefficients for certain irradiation geometries are available only for certain particles (see Note 4)

6. Ambient dose from ICRU Report 95 [ICRU95] for photons, neutrons, electrons, positrons, protons, charged muons, charged pions and alpha particles (see Note 3). The conversion coefficients have been extrapolated up to 10 TeV for all particles. For energies outside the tabulated ranges see Note 6.

a. HS : ambient dose  $H^*$

7. Personal dose from ICRU Report 95 [ICRU95] for photons, neutrons, electrons, positrons, protons, charged muons, charged pions and alpha particles for different irradiation geometries (see Note 3). For energies outside the tabulated ranges see Note 6.

- a. HP000 : personal dose  $H_p$ , for angle 0 degree
- b. HP015 : personal dose  $H_p$ , for angle 15 degree
- c. HP030 : personal dose  $H_p$ , for angle 30 degree
- d. HP045 : personal dose  $H_p$ , for angle 45 degree
- e. HP060 : personal dose  $H_p$ , for angle 60 degree
- f. HP075 : personal dose  $H_p$ , for angle 75 degree
- g. HP090 : personal dose  $H_p$ , for angle 90 degree
- h. HP180 : personal dose  $H_p$ , for angle 180 degree
- i. HPI5I : personal dose  $H_p$ , for IS-ISO irradiation geometry
- j. HPI5O : personal dose  $H_p$ , for ISO irradiation geometry
- k. HPROT : personal dose  $H_p$ , for ROT irradiation geometry
- l. HPS5I : personal dose  $H_p$ , for SS-ISO irradiation geometry

8. Directional and personal absorbed dose in the lens of the eye from ICRU Report 95 [ICRU95] for electrons, positrons, neutrons and photons (see Note 3). The angle of 180 degree for neutrons is not included in the dataset. For energies outside the tabulated ranges see Note 6.

- a. DE000 : absorbed dose  $d_{lens}$  for an angle of 0 degree
- b. DE015 : absorbed dose  $d_{lens}$  for an angle of 15 degree
- c. DE030 : absorbed dose  $d_{lens}$  for an angle of 30 degree
- d. DE045 : absorbed dose  $d_{lens}$  for an angle of 45 degree
- e. DE060 : absorbed dose  $d_{lens}$  for an angle of 60 degree
- f. DE075 : absorbed dose  $d_{lens}$  for an angle of 75 degree
- g. DE090 : absorbed dose  $d_{lens}$  for an angle of 90 degree
- h. DEROT : absorbed dose  $d_{lens}$  for rotational irradiation geometry

9. Directional and personal absorbed dose in the local skin from ICRU Report 95 [ICRU95] for photons, neutrons, electrons and positrons on the slab phantom (see Note 3). Pillar and rod phantom data sets have not been included. For energies outside the tabulated ranges see Note 6.

- a. DS000 : absorbed dose  $d_{skin}$  for an angle of 0 degree
- b. DS015 : absorbed dose  $d_{skin}$  for an angle of 15 degree
- c. DS030 : absorbed dose  $d_{skin}$  for an angle of 30 degree
- d. DS045 : absorbed dose  $d_{skin}$  for an angle of 45 degree
- e. DS060 : absorbed dose  $d_{skin}$  for an angle of 60 degree
- f. DS075 : absorbed dose  $d_{skin}$  for an angle of 75 degree

# Plotting example – energy deposition density

The screenshot displays the FLUKA software interface with the **Plot** window open. The window title is "Energy deposition density - small radial bin". The interface is annotated with several red circles and blue text labels:

- Geometry**: A red circle highlights the "Geometry" button in the top toolbar.
- Detector from file**: A red circle highlights the selected detector "2\_Energy\_density\_small\_bin\_2D" in the left-hand plot list.
- Plot ranges**: A blue label points to the "Axes" section, which includes a table for axis configuration:

Label	Log	Min	Max
x: Depth [cm]	<input type="checkbox"/>		-
y: R [cm]	<input type="checkbox"/>	0.	-
cb: Energy deposition density [GeV / cm <sup>3</sup> / primary]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		-

- Merged file**: A blue label points to the "Binning Detector" section, where the file "ex\_scoring\_solution\_21.bnn" is selected.
- Mesh summary**: A blue label points to the "Binning Info" section, which displays detector details:

Det	R	Phi	Z	Min	Max
1 EneSmall	[0 .. 5] x 50 (0.1)	[-3.14159 .. 3.14159] x 1 (6.28319)	[0 .. 10] x 100 (0.1)	3.54415356E-15	0.269326478

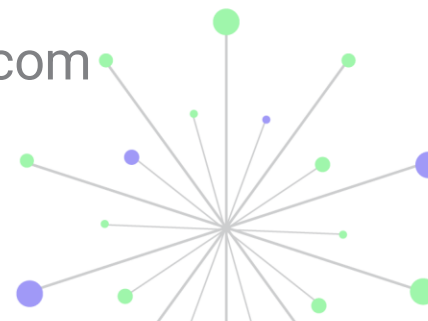
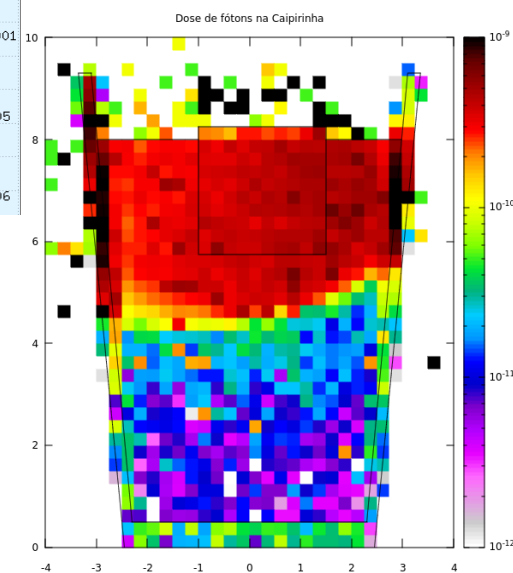
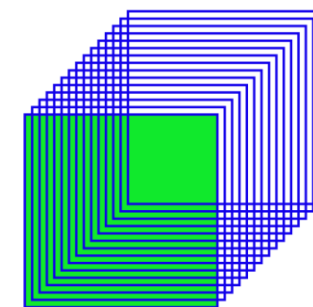
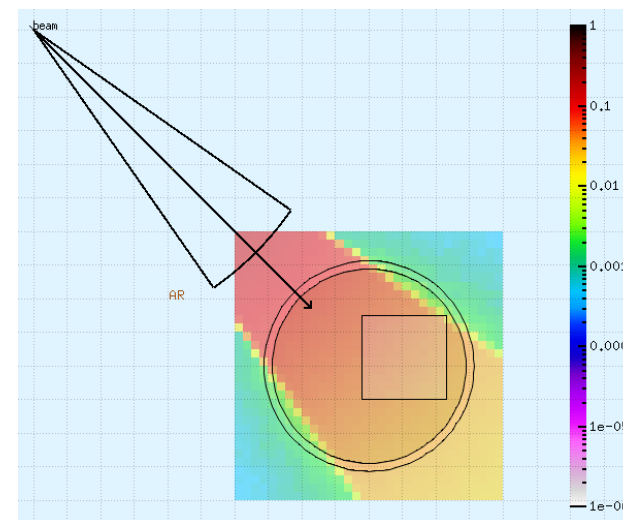
- Type of plot**: A blue label points to the "Projection & Limits" section, where the "Type" is set to "2D Projection" and the "Phi" radio button is selected.

The status bar at the bottom shows "Fluka: ex\_scoring\_solution.flair" and "Saved: 2\_Energy\_density\_small\_bin.ps".



Montem detectores de posição na simulação:

1. Detector cartesiano de fótons com:
  - X: [0, 10] com 20 bins
  - Y: [-4, 4] com 16 bins
  - Z: [-5, 5] com 20 bins
2. Detector de região no copo, no líquido e no gelo, mensurando dose e filtrado por:
  - Fótons
  - Elétrons
  - Todas partículas
3. É possível fazer um detector cilíndrico para casar com a geometria circular do copo que montamos?  
Como/porque?



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## Detectores – USRBIN (parte I)

Obrigado pela participação!

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