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Documentation

LHCb internal documentation:

- Notes:
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- Talks:
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- Links:
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  - Particle Detector BriefBook
  - Useful references for Gas detectors (GSI)
  - Garfield
    - Examples
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Useful Theses:

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• R.M. van der Eijk, PhD thesis, Univ. of Amsterdam, 2002 Track reconstruction in the LHCb experiment
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