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for gaseous tracking detectors

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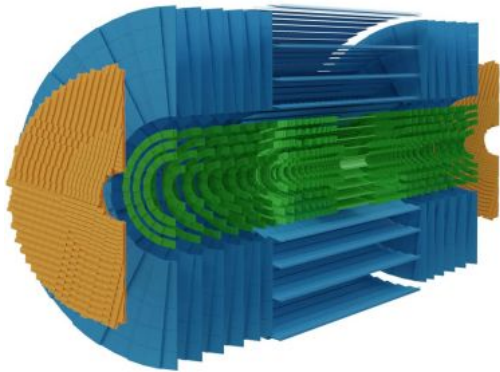
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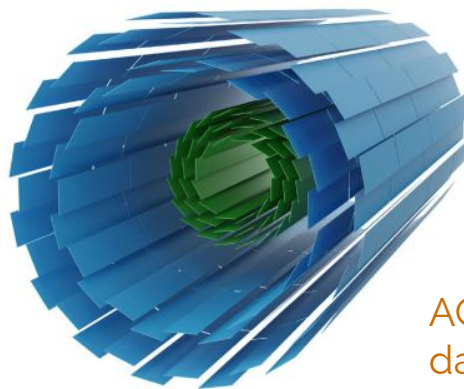
As a **Common** Tracking Software

- ACTS works well for solid state silicon trackers. Lots of users in the past three years:
 - ATLAS silicon and ITk, sPHENIX silicon, ALICE silicon, FASER, LDMX, ePIC ...
 - These are mostly about track parameters/measurements represented on a planar surface

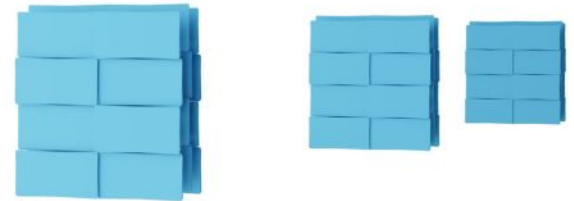
ATLAS ITk



sPHENIX silicon



FASER tracker

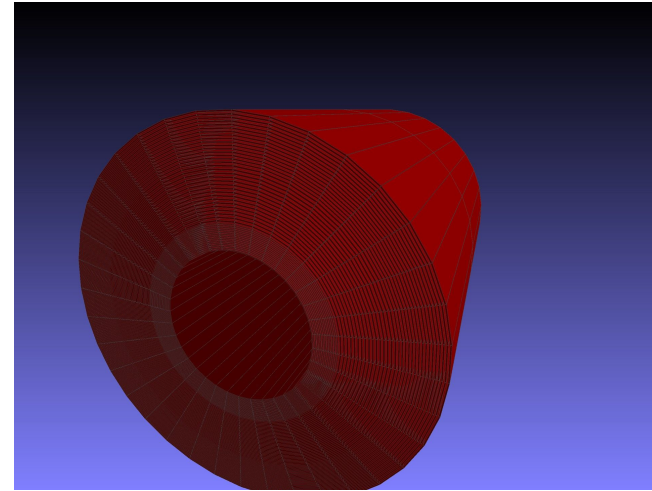


ACTS modules are already used for real data processing for ATLAS, sPHENIX, FASER ([See Ali Garabaglu 's talk!](#))

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As a **Common** Tracking Software

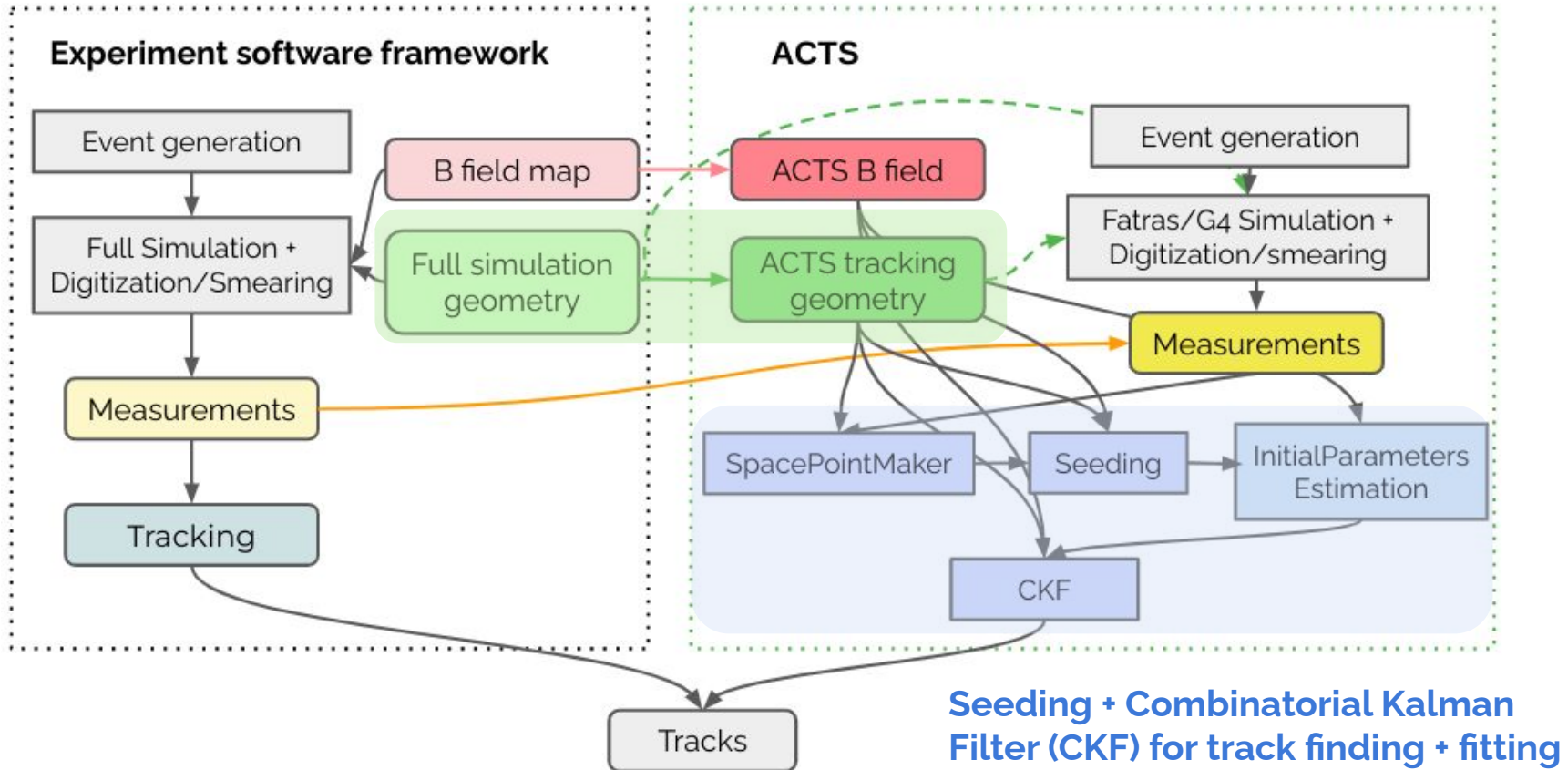
- ACTS is designed with the capability of working for gaseous tracking detectors
 - Time Projection Chamber (TPC) is represented with fake Planar detectors
 - e.g. sPHENIX TPC →
 - Drift chamber and Transition Radiation Tracker is represented with N-layer drift wire/tubes, e.g.
 - Circular Electron-Positron Collider (**CEPC**): a factory of Higgs, W, Z...
 - Super Tau Charm Facility (**STCF**): a factory of hadrons, τ ...
 - ATLAS TRT (not covered in this talk)



sPHENIX TPC represented with fake planar surfaces (figure from Joseph Osborn)

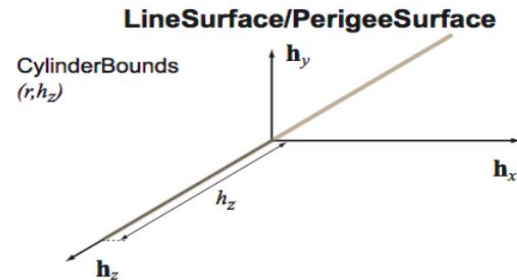
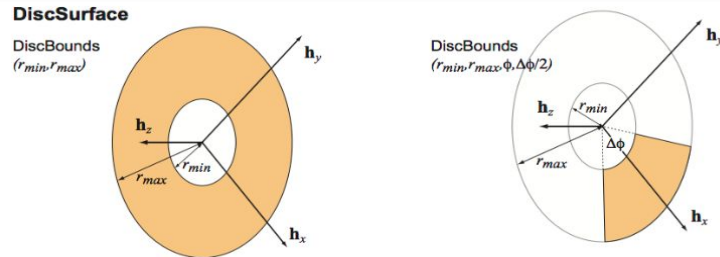
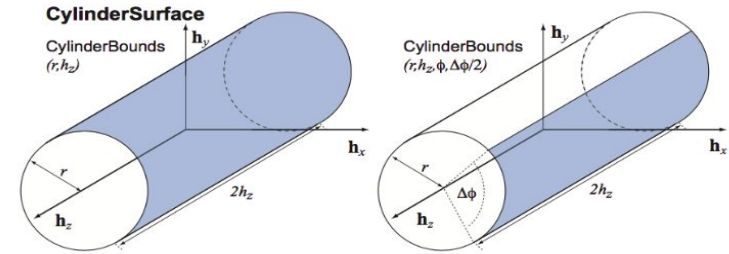
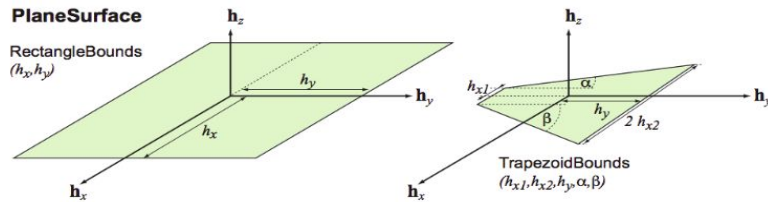
ACTS application strategies

Geometry transformation is the first step



ACTS tracking geometry

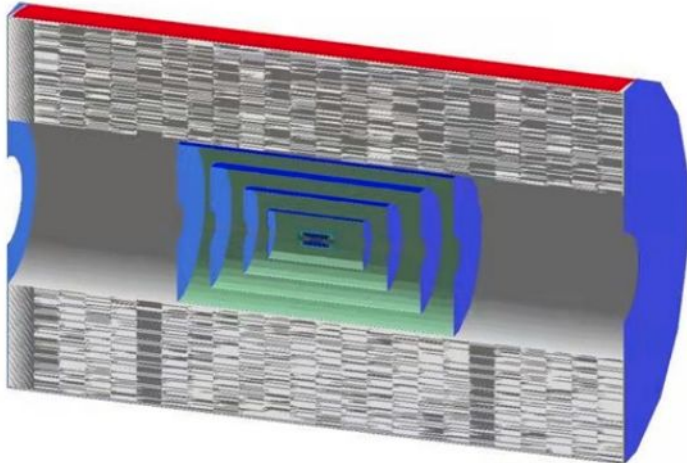
- ACTS Tracking geometry is simplified from full simulation geometry for fast track propagation
- Different concrete surfaces types for various tracking detectors
 - A surface has shape, bounds, rotation+translation, local coordinates and its unique identifier...



Figures from ACTS [readthedocs](#)

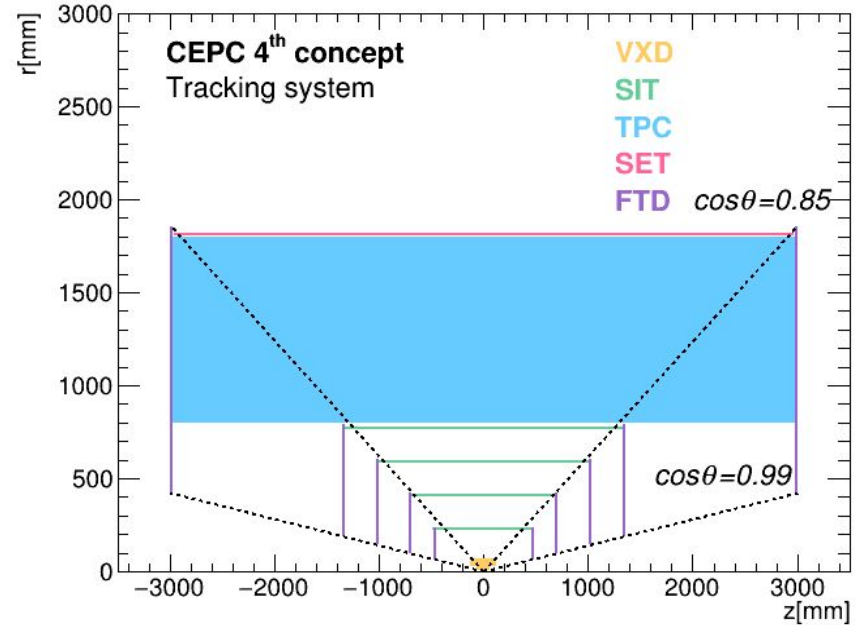
Application for CEPC and STCF

The CEPC tracking system



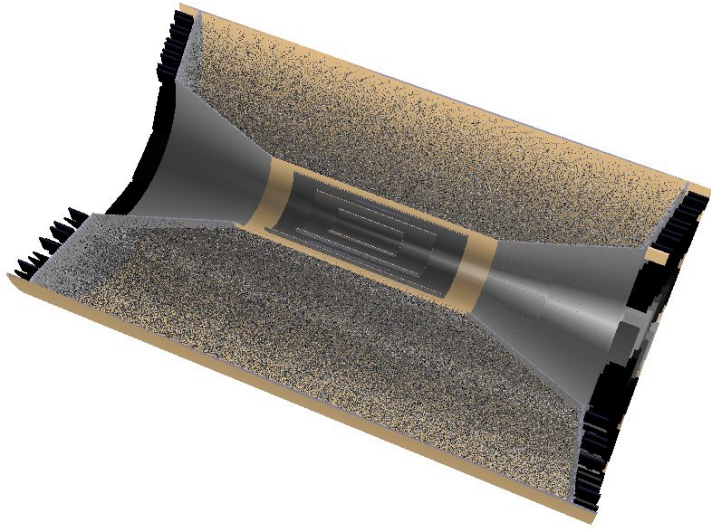
Silicon (VXD, SIT, SET, FTD) + Drift chamber

Tracker	Number of layers	Radius/ $ z $ (mm)	σ_x (μm)	σ_y (μm)	Technology
VXD	3 double layers	16-58	2.8/6/4/4/4/4	2.8/6/4/4/4/4	Silicon (pixel/strip)
SIT	4 layers	230-770	7.2	86	
SET	1 layer	1815	7.2	86	
FTD	5/7 layers at each endcap	467-2991	(2.8)/(2.8)/7.2/ 7.2/7.2/7.2/7.2	(7.2)/(7.2)/7.2/7. 2/7.2/7.2/7.2	
DC	100 layers	805-1795	110		Drift Chamber

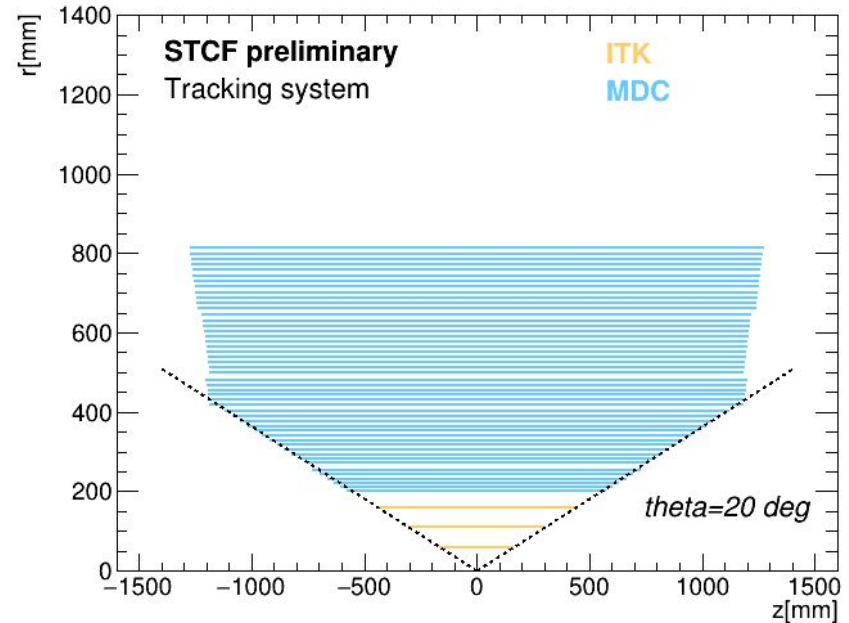


The STCF tracking system

uRWell/MAPs-based Inner Tracker (ITK) +
Drift chamber

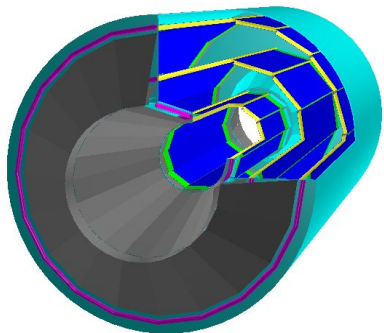


ITK: 3 layers, $\sigma_{r-\phi} \times \sigma_z \approx 100 \text{ um} \times 400 \text{ um}$
MDC: 48 layers, $\sigma_{\text{drift dist}} \approx 120 \sim 130 \text{ um}$

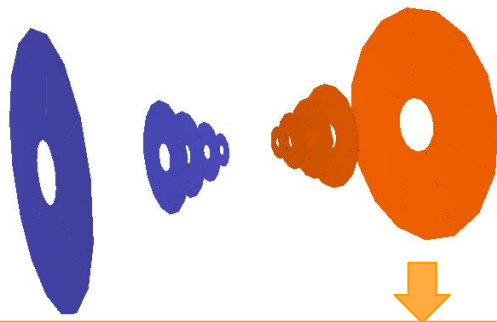


CEPC tracker geometry in ACTS format

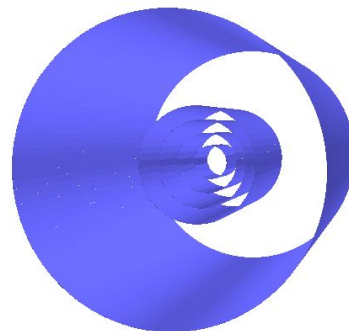
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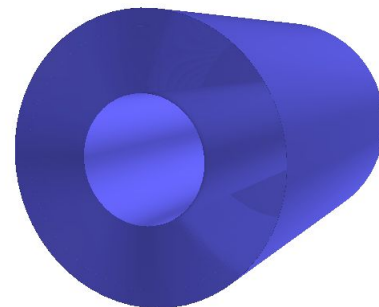
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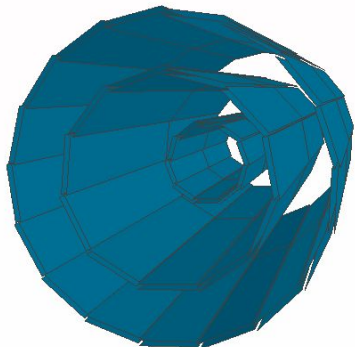
SIT + SET



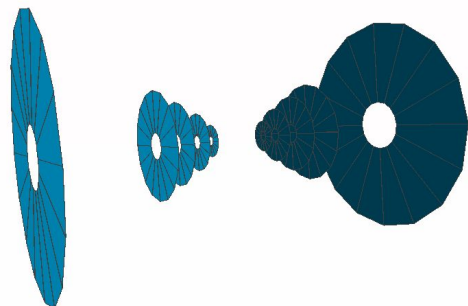
Drift Chamber



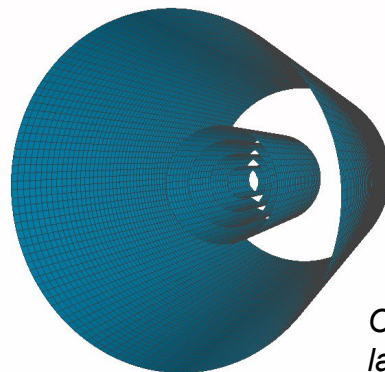
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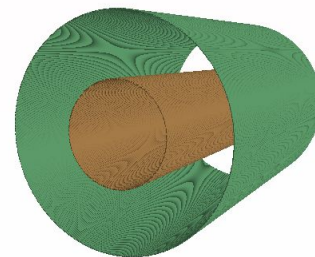
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Acts::LineSurface



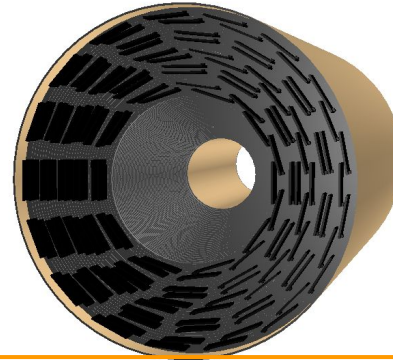
Only showing the first and last layer of line surfaces

STCF tracker geometry in ACTS format

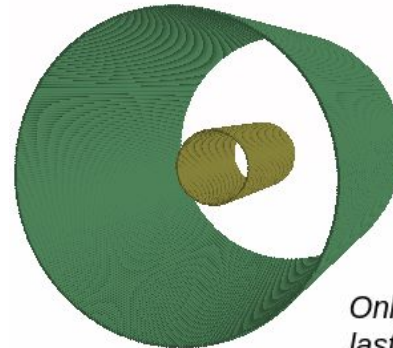
ITK



MDC



Acts::CylinderSurface

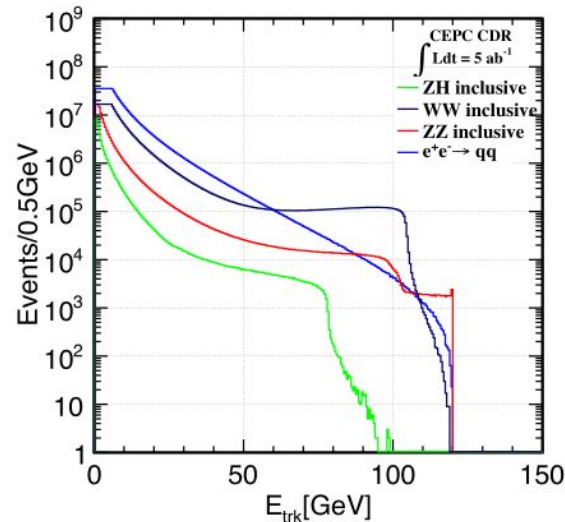
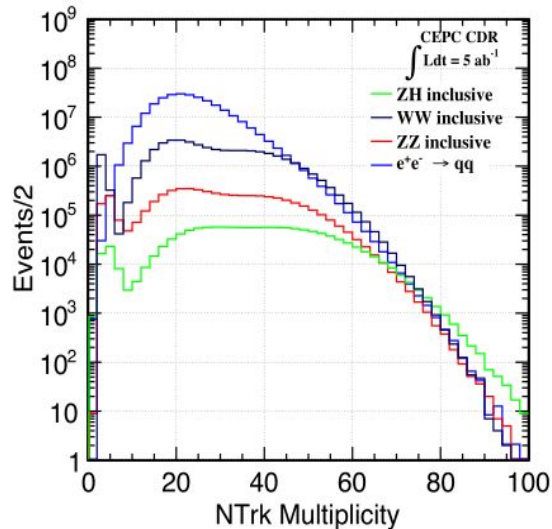


Acts::LineSurface

Only showing the first and last layer of line surfaces

CEPC tracking requirements

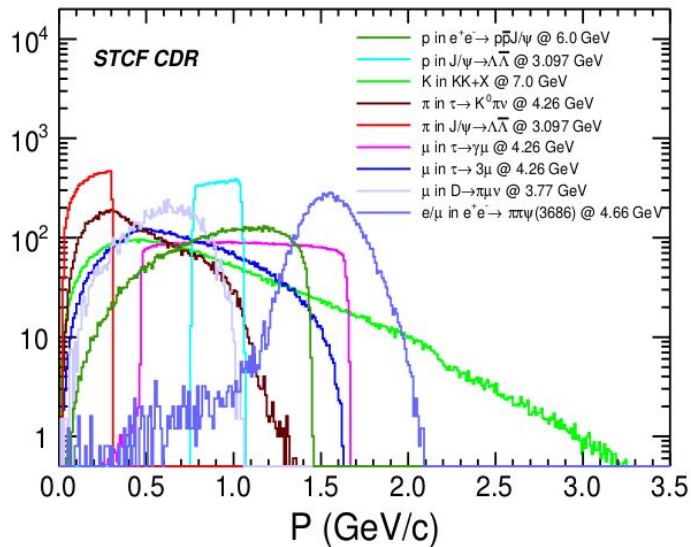
- Mostly >20 tracks per event (up to 100 tracks per event)
 - >99% tracking efficiency for $p_T > 1$ GeV
 - Impact track parameter resolution at ~ 5 μm
 - Momentum resolution reaches per mille level in the range [10, 100] GeV



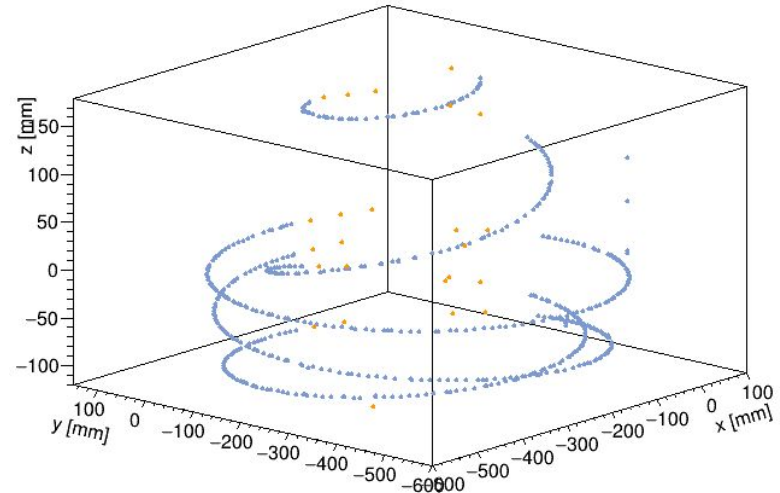
From CEPC CDR Physics&Detector (arXiv: 1811.10545)

STCF tracking requirements

- Low track multiplicity, but high background noise and **most tracks have $p_T < 500$ MeV**
 - $\sigma(p)/p = 0.5\%$ with $p = 1$ GeV
 - Tracking eff. $> 50/90/99\%$ with $p_T > \mathbf{50/100/300}$ MeV



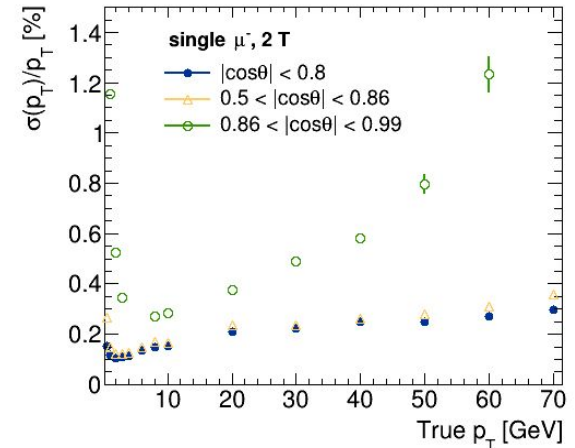
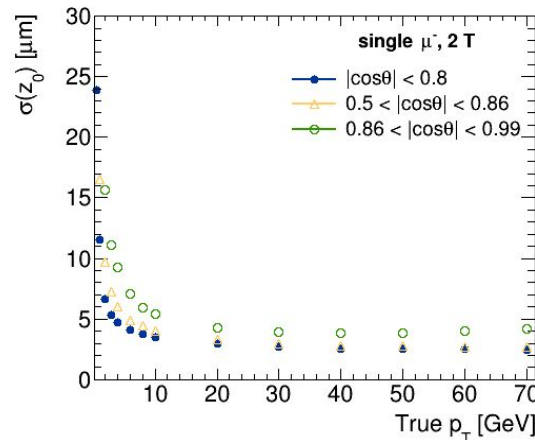
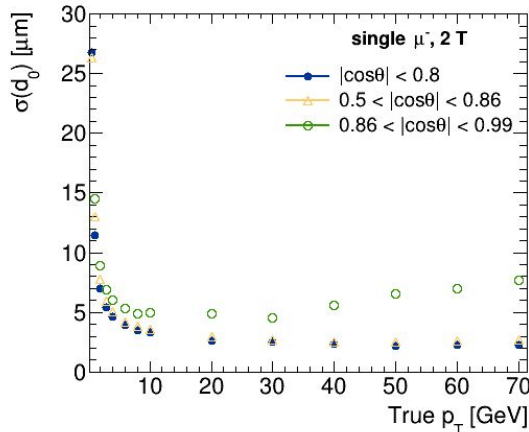
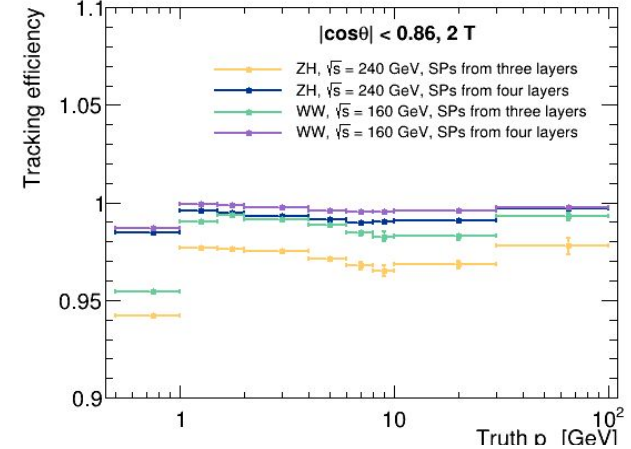
From STCF CDR (arXiv:2303.15790v2)



An example of muon trajectory ($p_T = 100$ MeV, $\theta = 90$ deg, 1 T B field)

CEPC tracking performance (very preliminary)

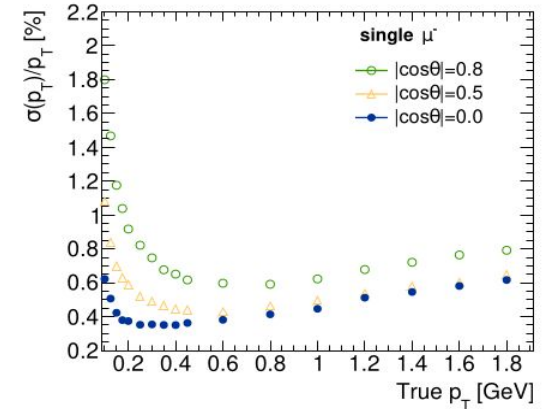
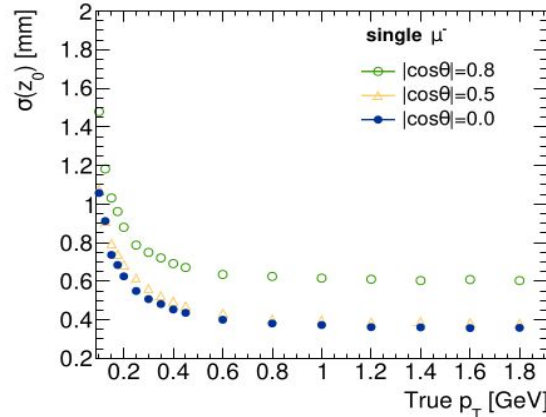
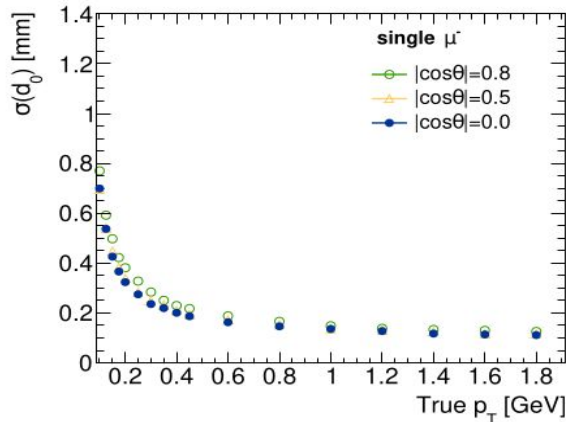
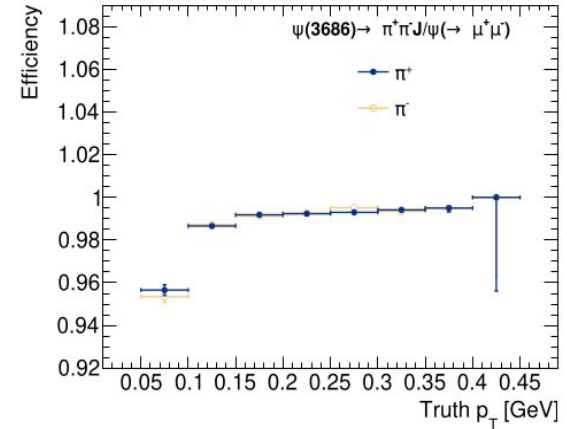
- First look using ACTS Fatras simulation.
- $\geq 95\%$ tracking efficiency for $p_T > 1$ GeV in benchmark physics processes
 - 1-2% fake tracks and 10% duplicate tracks
- At $p_T = 10$ GeV, central region ($|\cos\theta| < 0.8$):
 - $\sigma(d_0) = 3 \mu\text{m}$, $\sigma(z_0) = 3.5 \mu\text{m}$, $\sigma(p_T)/p_T = 0.16\%$



STCF tracking performance

More in [talk at CHEP2023](#)
and JINST **18** Po7026

- 94% tracking efficiency with p_T in [50, 100] MeV
- Negligible fake rate (<0.01%)
- <0.5% duplicate tracks for $p_T < 130$ MeV due to duplicate seeds for looping tracks
- $\sigma(p_T)/p_T < 0.5\%$ with $p_T = 1$ GeV, $\theta = 90^\circ$ is achieved

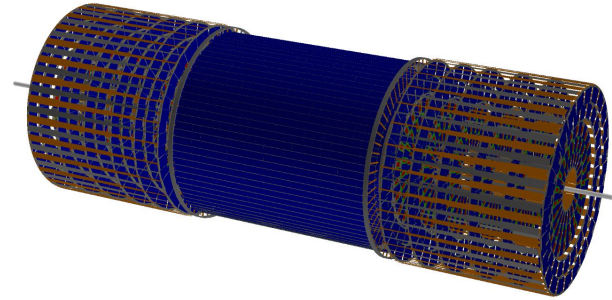


Towards an Open Drift Chamber

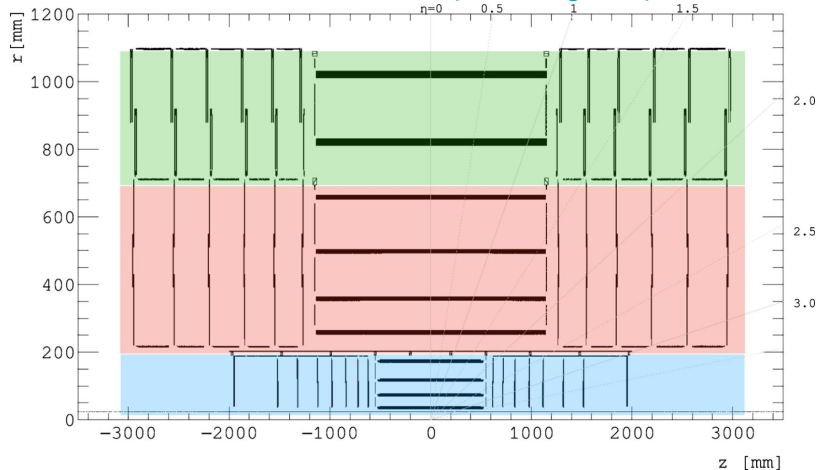
Open Data Detector in ACTS

- Open Data Detector (ODD) in ACTS is a full silicon tracker with realistic material description
- WIP to implement an Open Drift Chamber

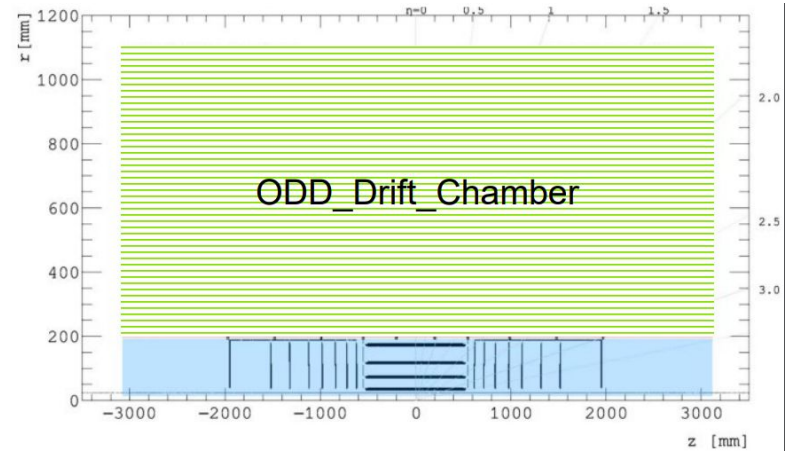
<https://gitlab.cern.ch/acts/OpenDataDetector>
More details [here](#)



ODD: Pixel + Short Strip + Long Strip

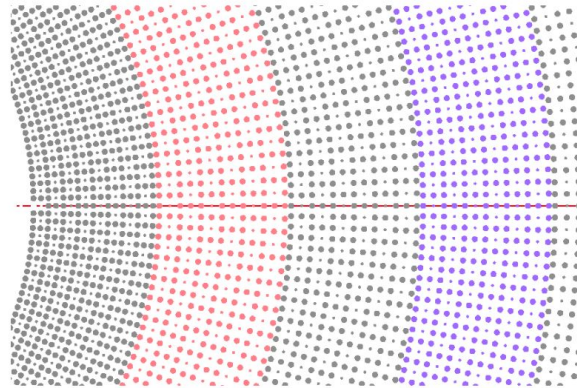
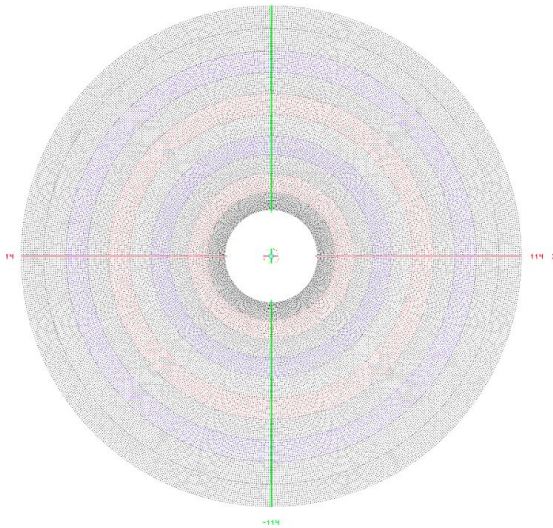


ODD: Pixel + Drift Chamber ?



The status

- A simple Belle-II drift chamber has been implemented using DD4hep
 - Superlayers and layers are configurable in the compact files. Only axial wires are implemented for the moment
 - Also needs dedicated simulation+digitization for drift chambers



More in my slides [here](#)

A: grey; U: red; V: blue

Summary

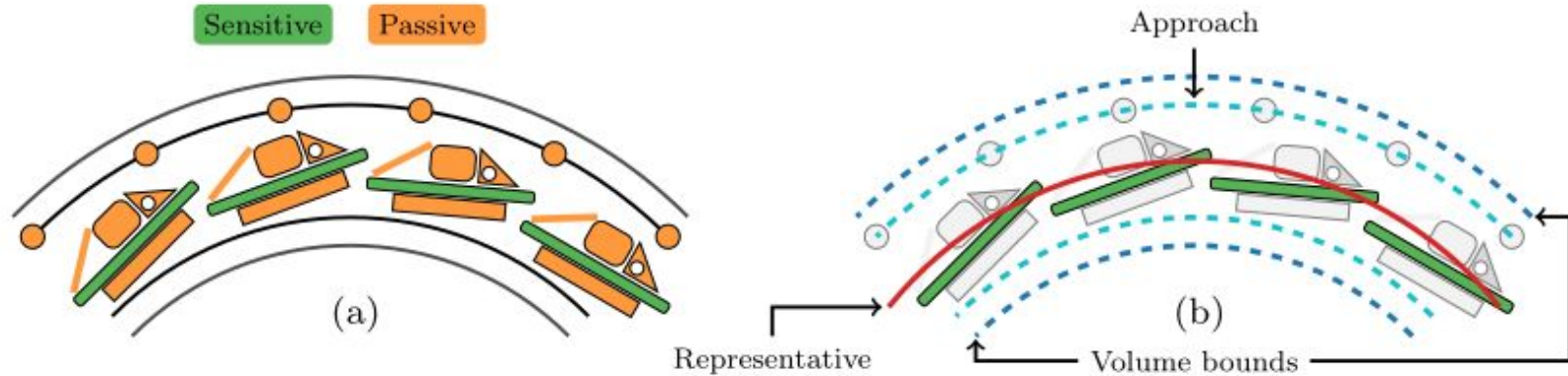
- ACTS has been working very well for silicon tracker
- For TPC, a planar representation turns out to be working well
- Recently has been successfully **implemented for tracking with drift chambers, e.g. STCF, CEPC and BESIII**
 - Very promising performance
 - Optimization, in particular geometry navigation, yet remains to be done
- For more independent development and validation, we have started the efforts on **implementing an Open Drift Chamber in ACTS**

Thank you for your attention!

Backup

The ACTS tracking geometry

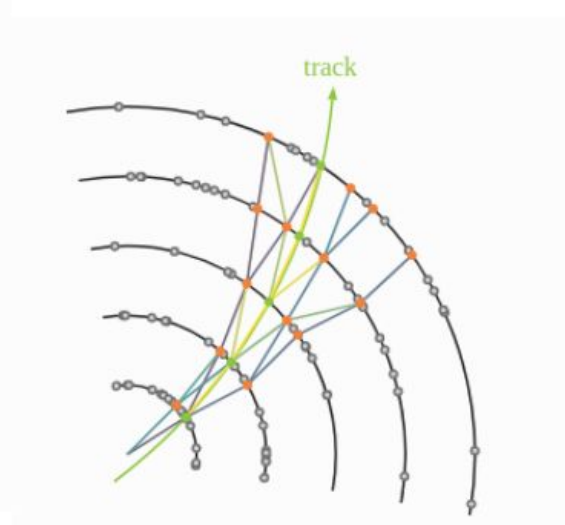
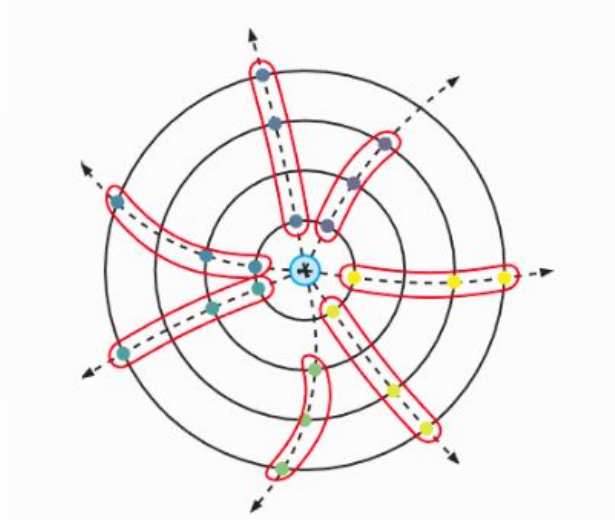
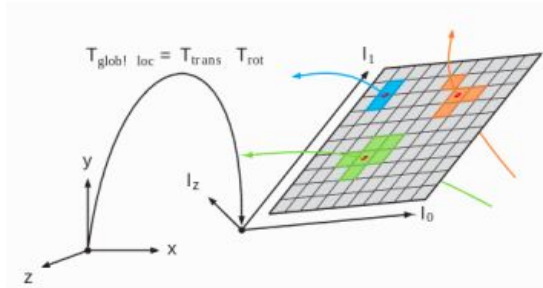
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- Tracking geometry is simplified from detailed full simulation geometry for fast navigation, but with material effects well taken into account
- Navigation via hierarchical arrangement of the detector elements:
 - Legacy model: surfaces -> layers -> volumes
 - Layerless model: surfaces -> volumes (with grid indexed search)

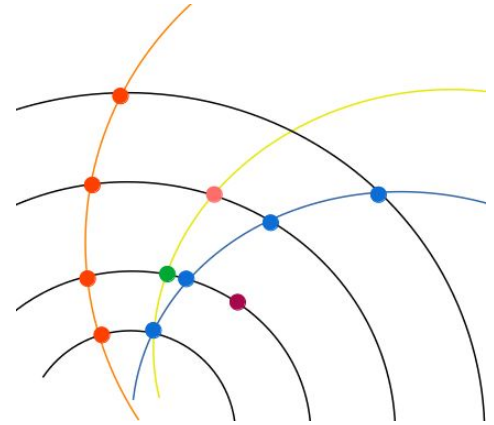
Tracking strategies with ACTS

- SpacePoint (SP) Creation + Seeding + Combinatorial Kalman Filter (CKF)
 - Seeding: using SPs from vertex detector
 - CKF for track following starting from track parameters from the seeds
 - No ambiguity resolving yet



CKF for CEPC

- Progressingly associate compatible hits to tracks based on prediction $\chi^2: \chi^2 = r^T (HCHT + V)^{-1}r$
 - r : residual
 - H : projection from track parameters to measurement
 - V : measurement covariance
- Currently, left/right sign of drift circle is taken to be the same as the predicted track parameters
 - Explosive combinatorics if considering two measurements with opposite signs for each drift distance
 - Plan: Implementation of ML-based predictor for the drift sign



Circular Electron Positron Collider (CEPC) physics program

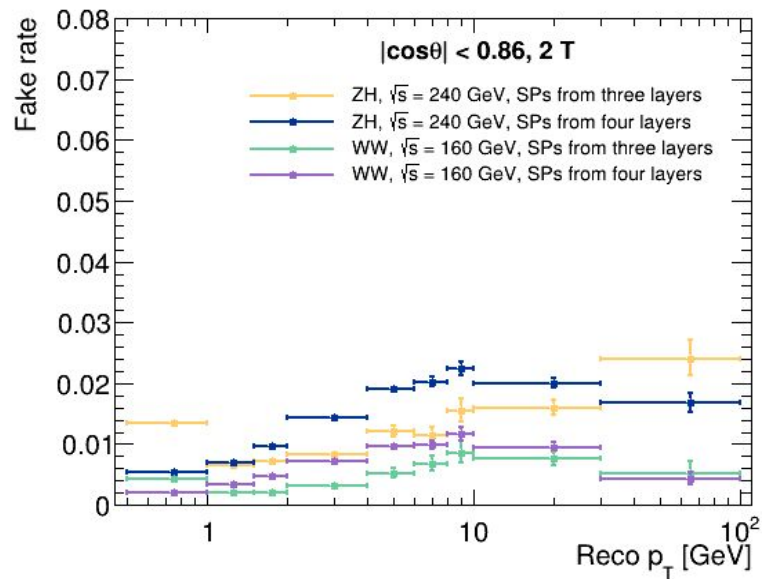
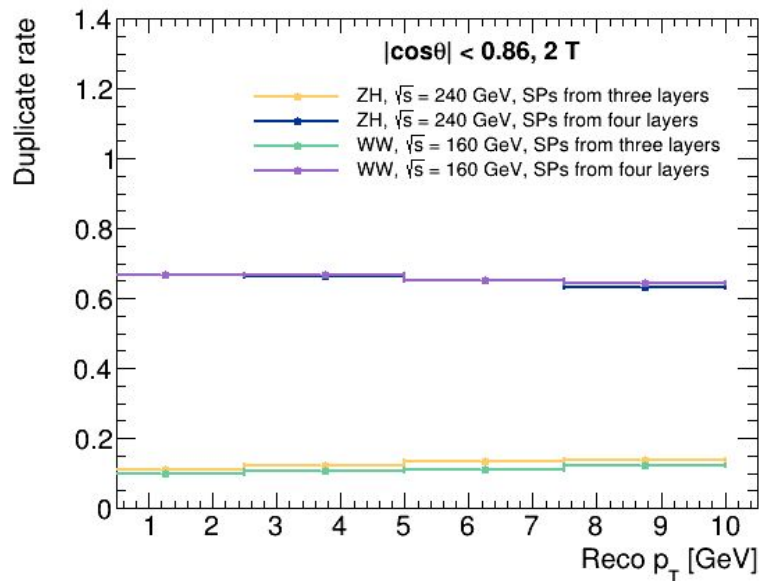
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\sqrt{s} [GeV]		240	91	160	360	
Run time [years]		7	2	1	-	
CDR (30 MW)	L / IP [$\times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$]	3	32	10	-	
	$\int L dt$ [ab^{-1} , 2 IPs]	5.6	16	2.6	-	
	Event yields [2 IPs]	1×10^6	7×10^{11}	2×10^7	-	
Run Time [years]		10	2	1	5	
TDR (Latest)	30 MW	L / IP [$\times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$]	5.0	115	16	0.5
		$\int L dt$ [ab^{-1} , 2 IPs]	13	60	4.2	0.65
		Event yields [2 IPs]	2.6×10^6	2.5×10^{12}	1.3×10^8	4×10^5
	50 MW	L / IP [$\times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$]	8.3	192	26.7	0.8
		$\int L dt$ [ab^{-1} , 2 IPs]	21.6	100	6.9	1.0
		Event yields [2 IPs]	4.3×10^6	4.1×10^{12}	2.1×10^8	6×10^5

- Precision measurements of Higgs boson properties
- SM measurements: electroweak physics, QCD, flavor physics...
- Search for exotic decays of H, Z, B and τ , and BSM

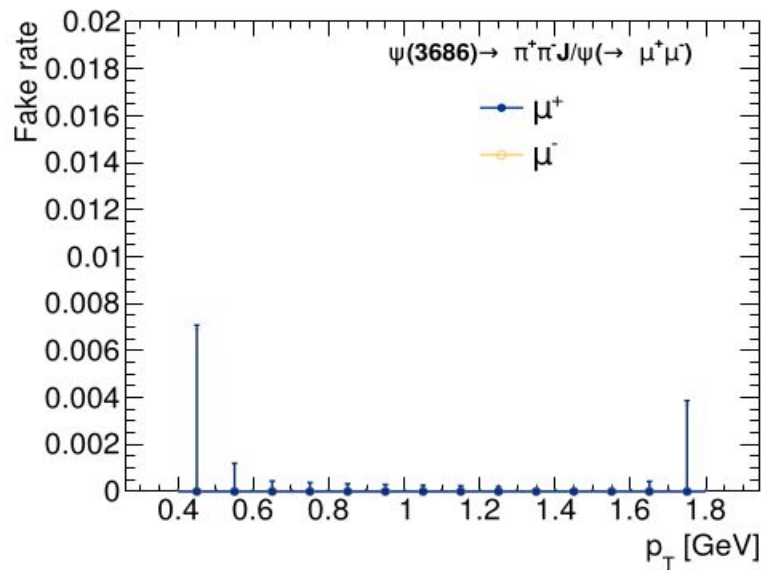
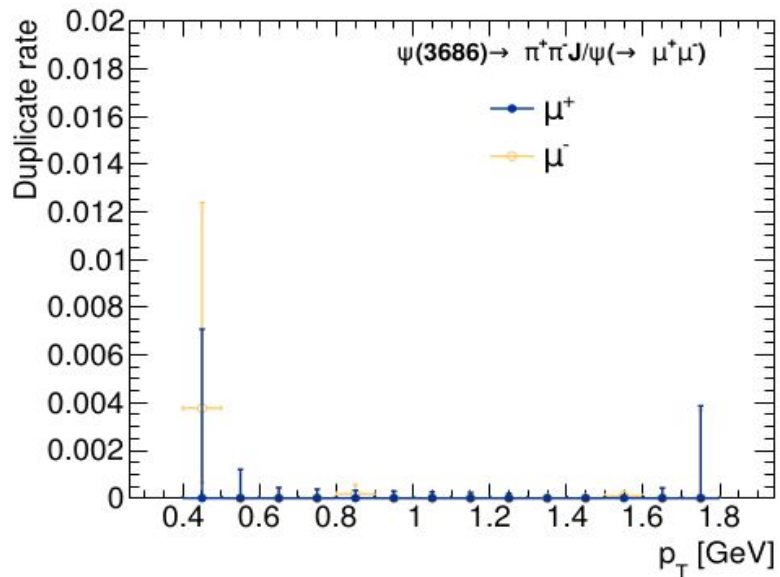
Far more than a Higgs factory !

From J. Liu's [slides](#) at CEPC workshop 2023, Oxford

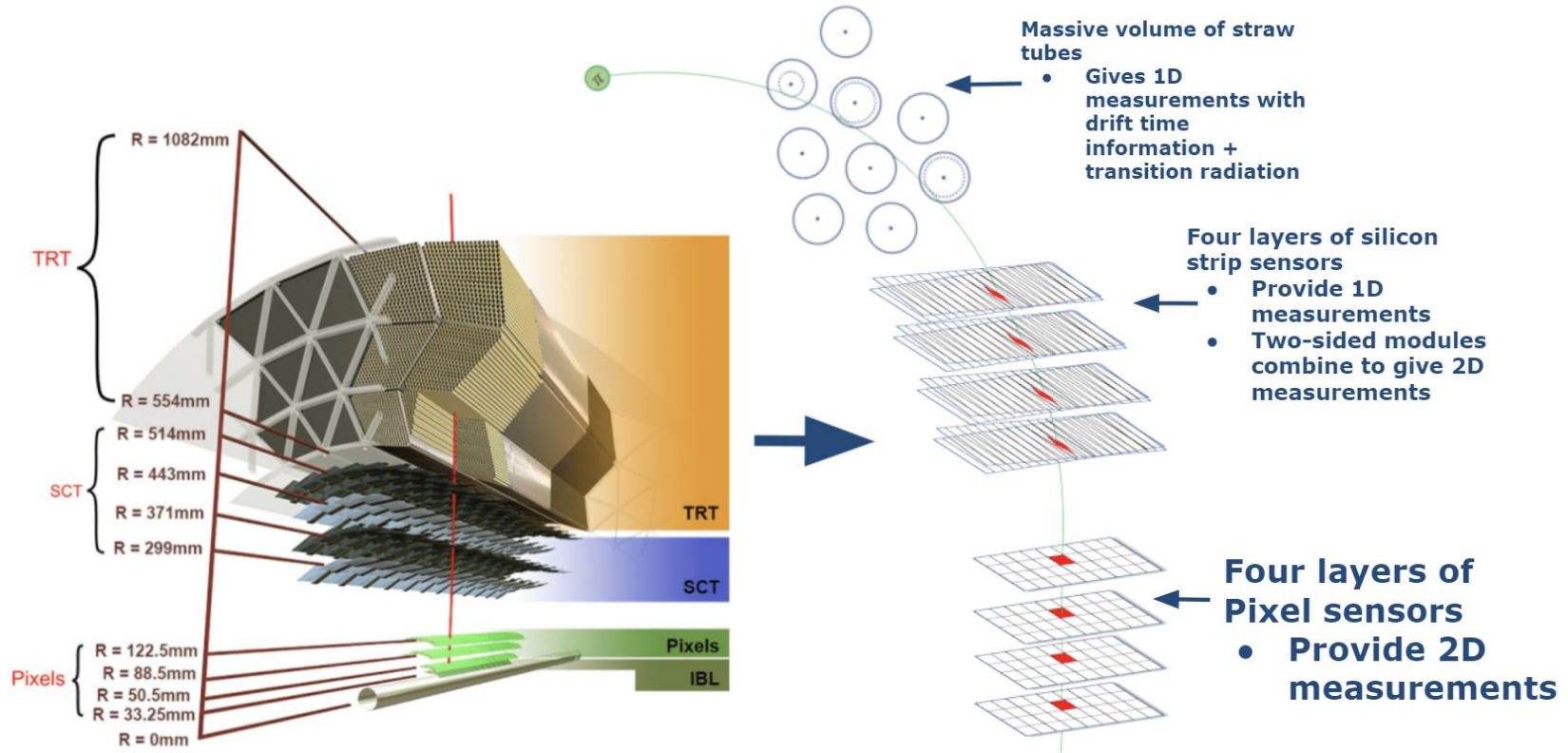
CEPC tracking



STCF tracking



Example of Transition Radiation Tracker



ATLAS Inner Detector: Pixels + SCT + TRT

CEPC Detector Conceptual Designs

CEPC CDR Baseline Design (Particle Flow Approach)

