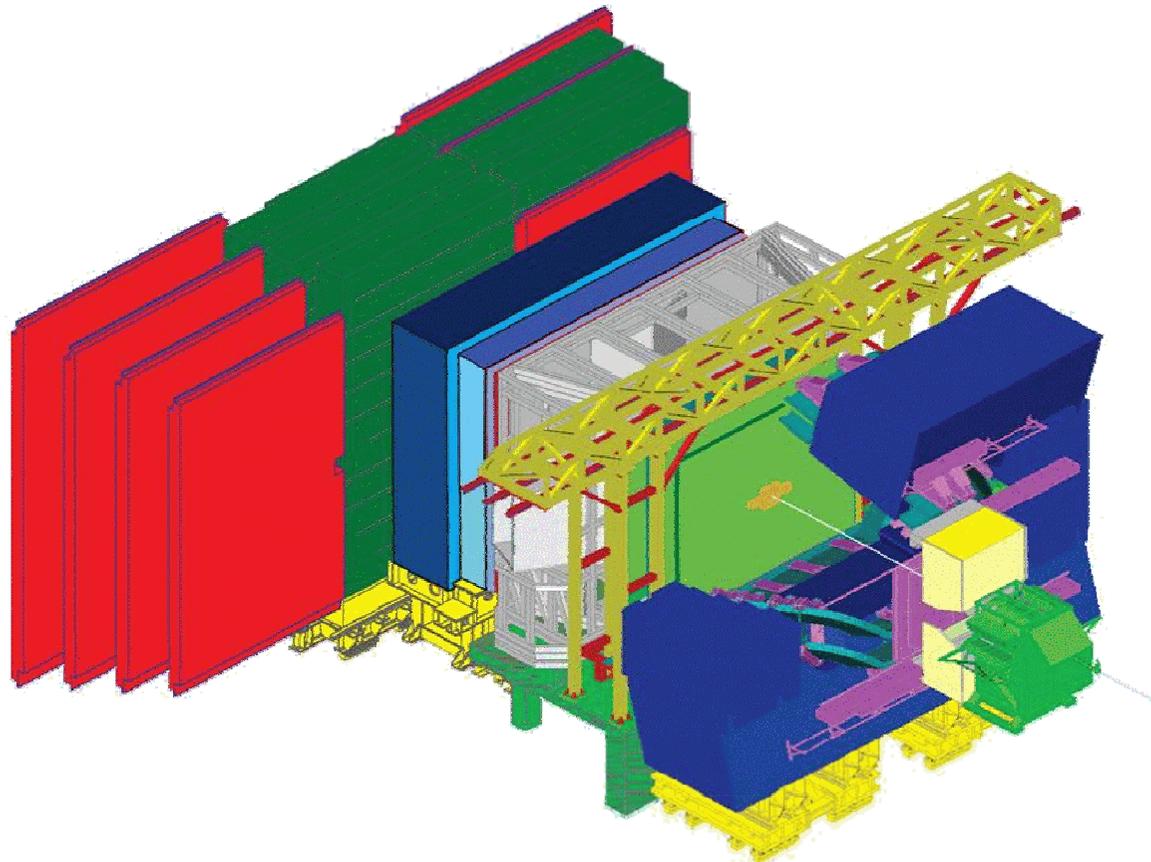




# Vertex Reconstruction and Tracking in the Trigger in LHCb





# Outline

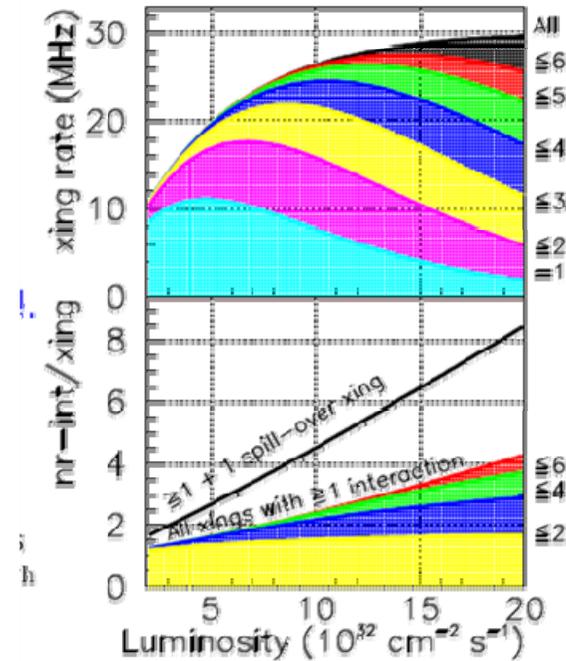
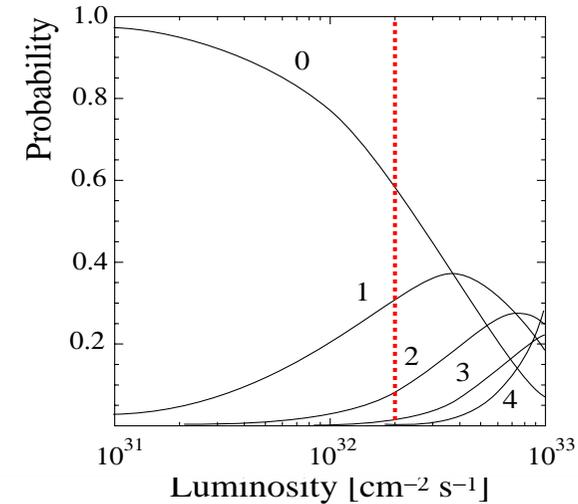
- *First*
  - Thanks to H. Dijkstra + trigger team
- Aim to give overview only!
- Detector (key elements)
- Trigger Strategy
- Trigger Instantiation
- Performance
- Future Developments
  - Exciting opportunities (see M. Artuso's talk)



# LHC**b** at LHC

- **Luminosity:**  $2 \cdot 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ 
  - 10 to 50 times lower than ATLAS, CMS
- **LHC**b** rates:**  
 (for visible events  $\equiv$  at least 2 tracks in acceptance)
  - Total rate (minimum bias): 10 MHz
  - bb:  $\sim 100\text{kHz}$ 
    - Whole decay of one B in acceptance:  $15\text{kHz}$
  - cc:  $\sim 600\text{kHz}$
  - “Spillover” linear with luminosity
  - $O(10^{12})$  b’s / Year

pp interactions/crossing





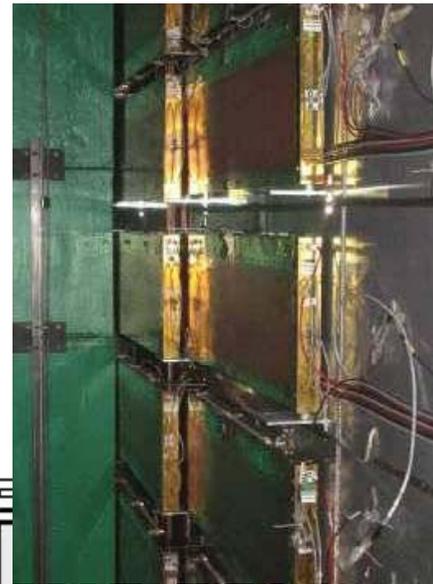
# Detector

Approx 15m<sup>2</sup> Si

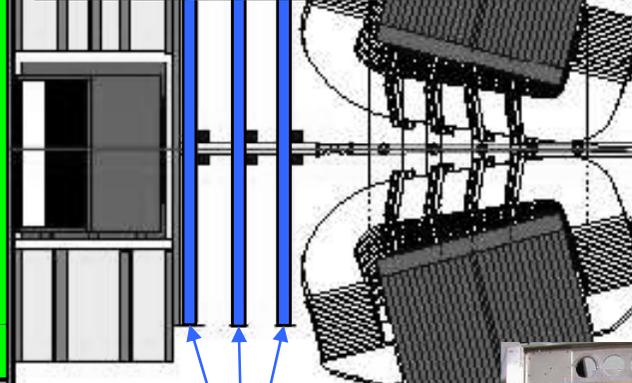
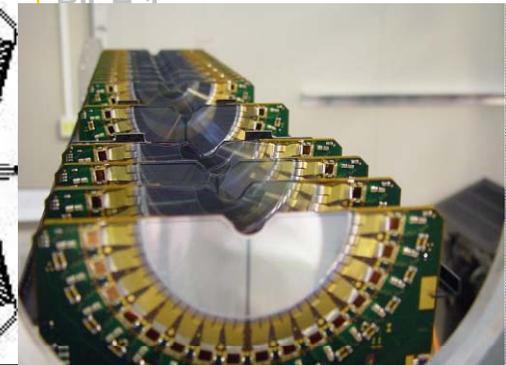
Trigger Tracker



M1



RICH 1



3M wire  
MWPC@2mm

Muon  
Stations

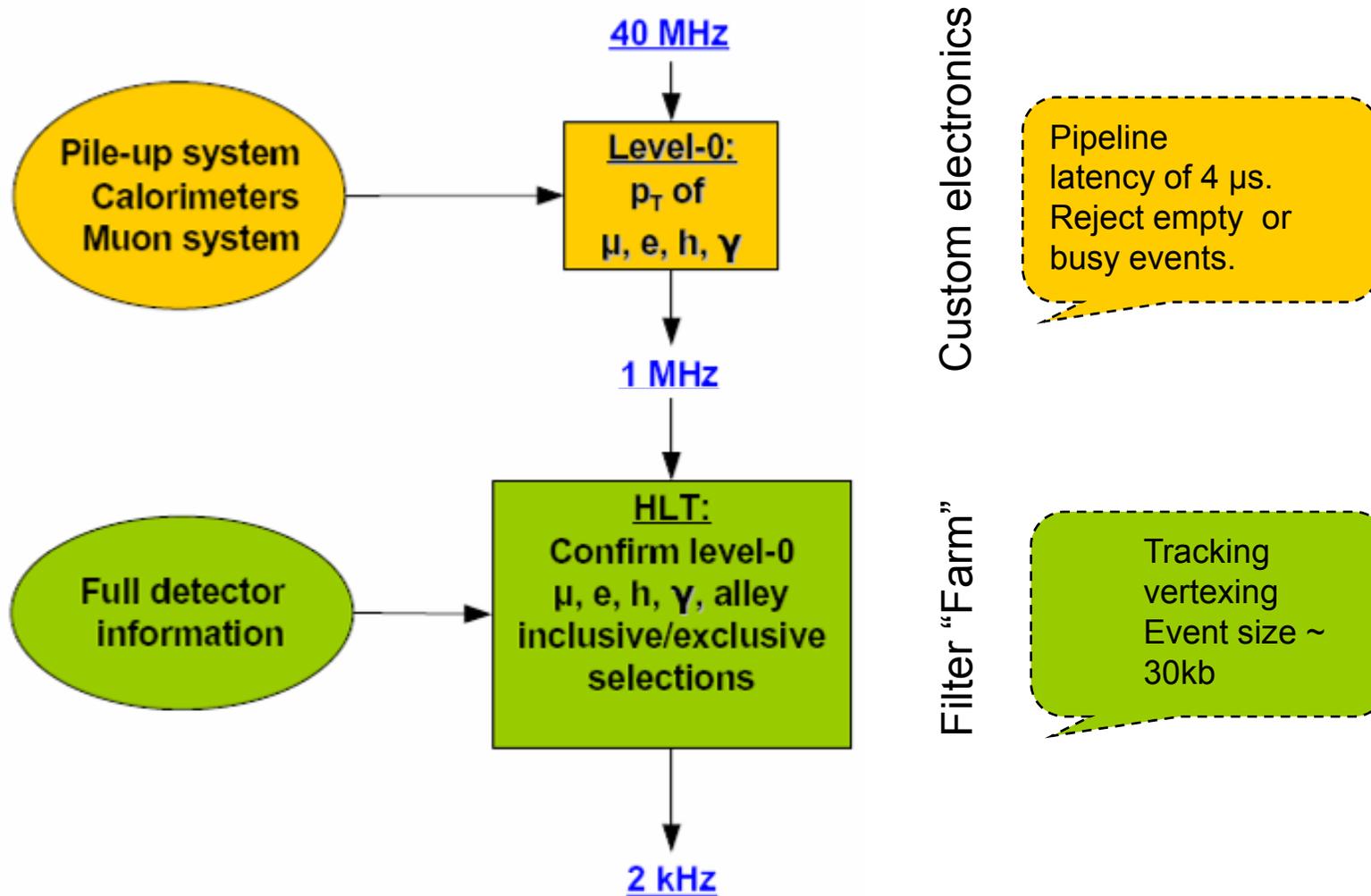


B-4Tm

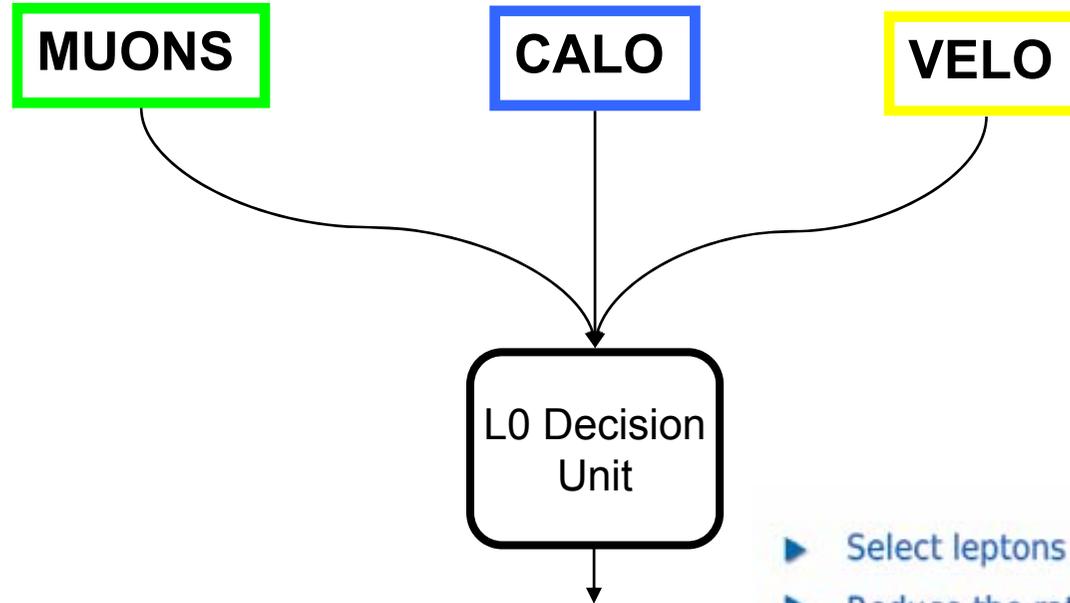




# Trigger Strategy



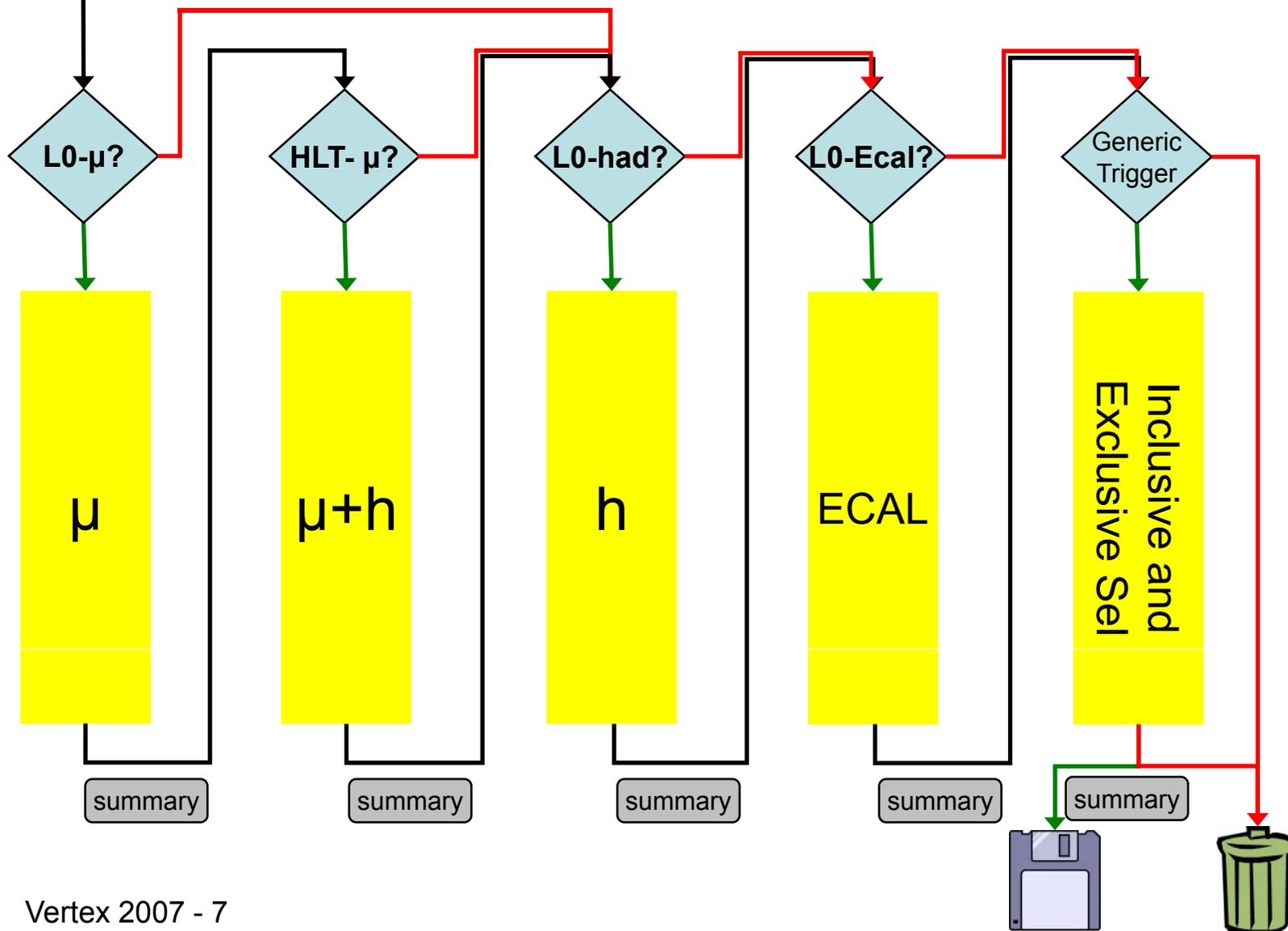
# L0 Strategy



- ▶ Select leptons and hadrons with high  $E_T$
  - ▶ Reduce the rate from 40 MHz to 1MHz
  - ▶ Process all bunches crossing
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- ▶ 246 boards + spares, 13 types.
  - ▶ 2 261 optical links at 1.6 Gbps
  - ▶ Processing time  $\leq 1.2 \mu\text{s}$

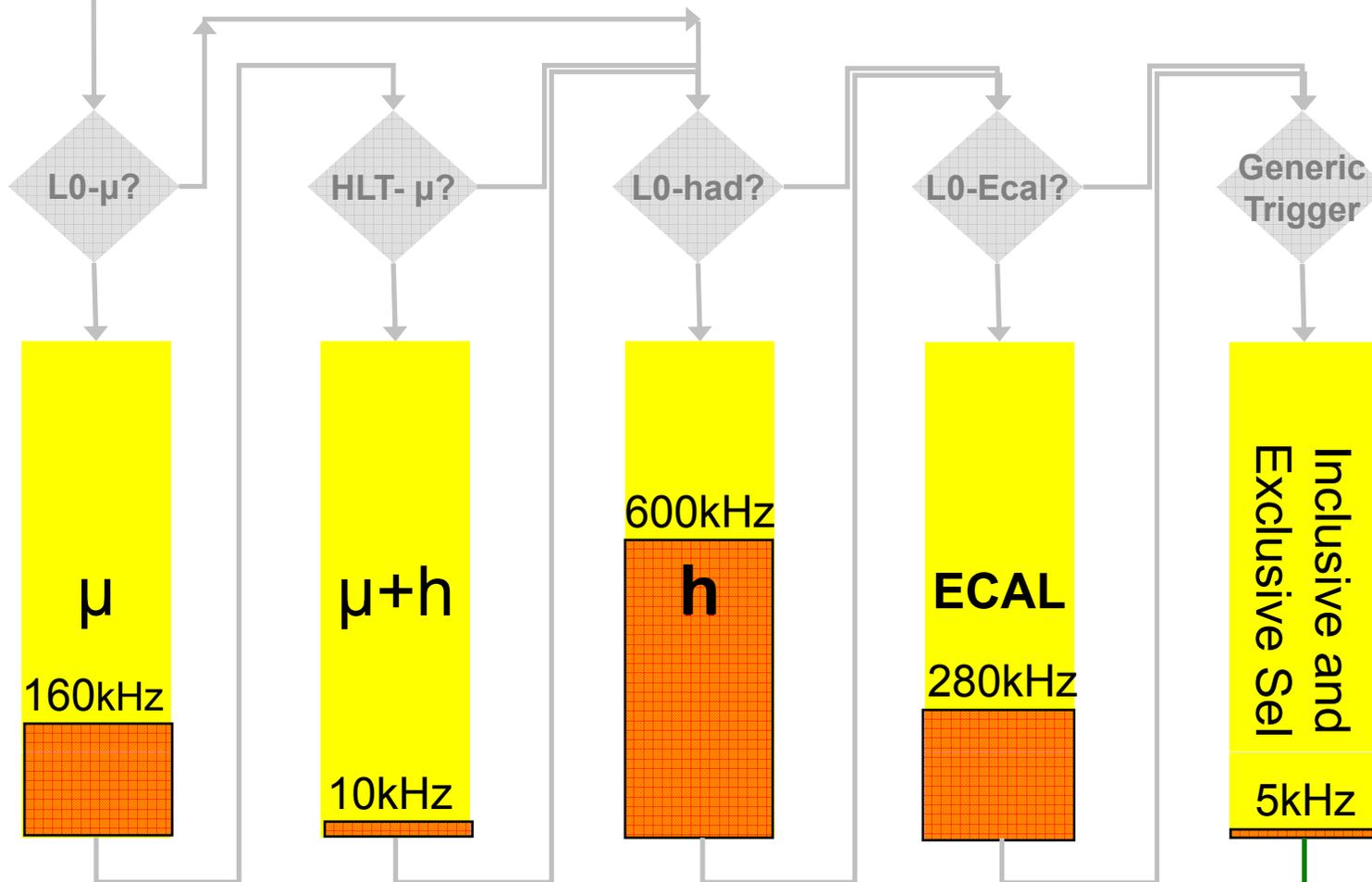


# HLT "Alleys"

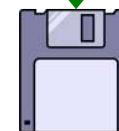




# HLT "Alleys"



Output @~2kHz





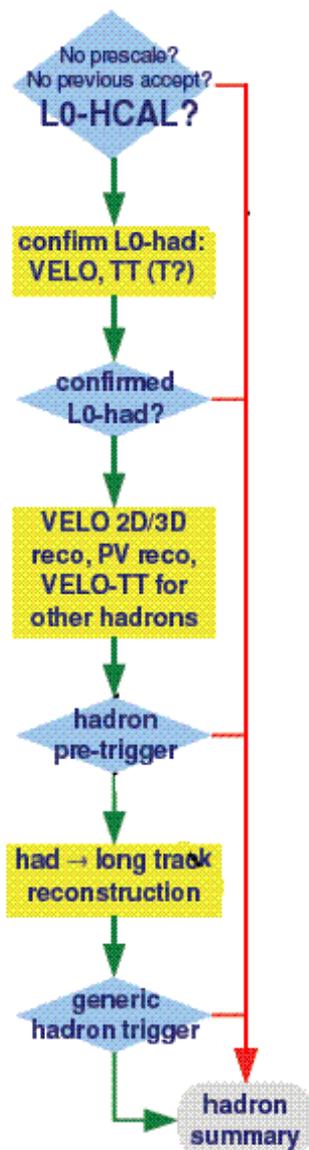
# HLT Alleys

## Example: Hadron alley

Level-0  
confirmation

Pre-trigger  
(fast rejection)

Reconstruction  
And Decision



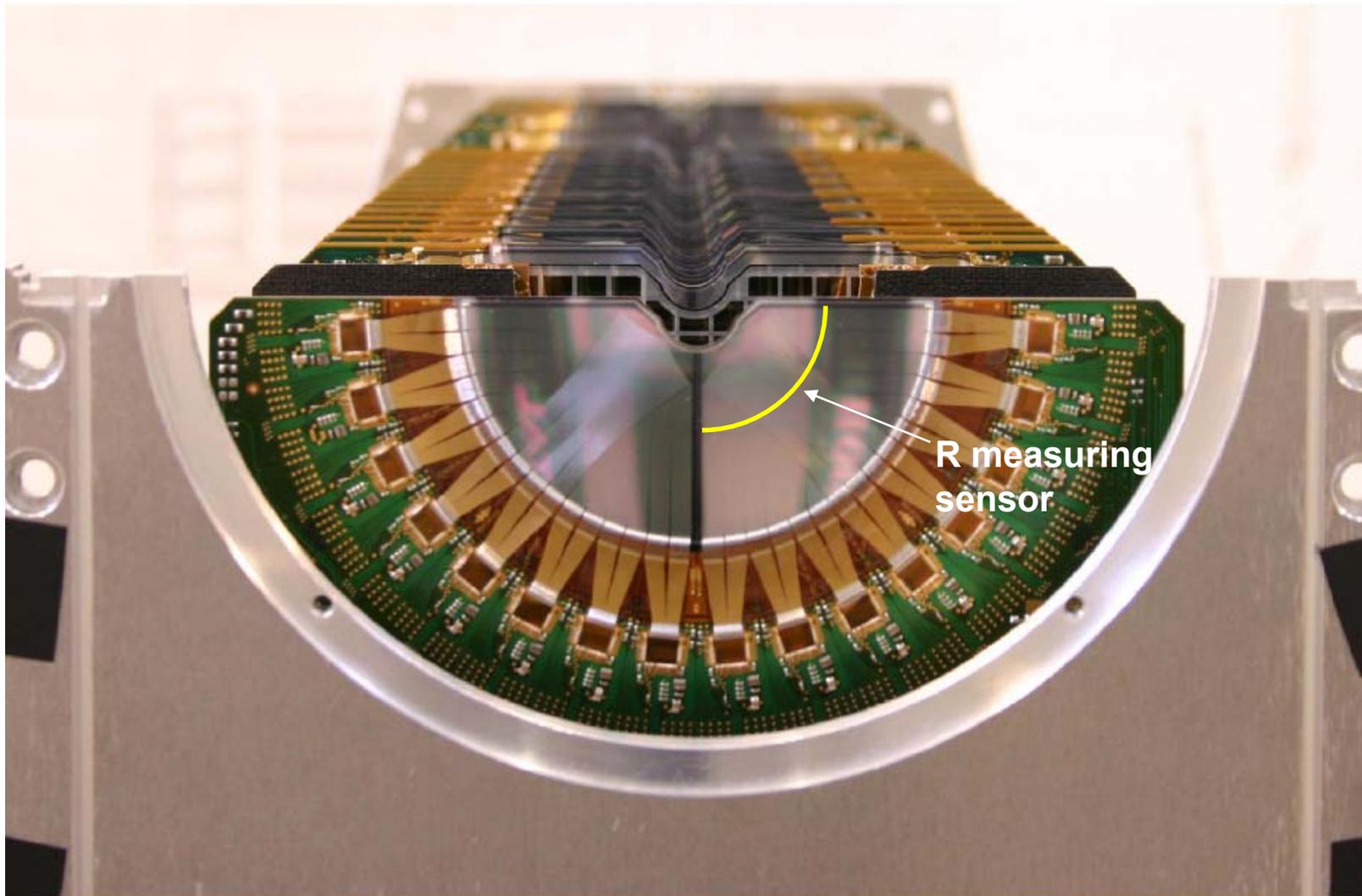
- Each alley consists of 3 major steps
  - Level-0 trigger confirmation
  - Fast rejection using reconstructed e.g.
    - VELO tracks, matching L0 objects
    - Primary Vertex
  - Alley-dependent trigger algorithm e.g.
    - Long tracking (all tracking detectors)
- Keep reconstruction as close to offline as possible



# Trigger Instantiation

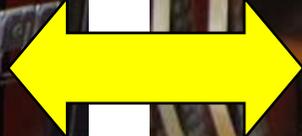
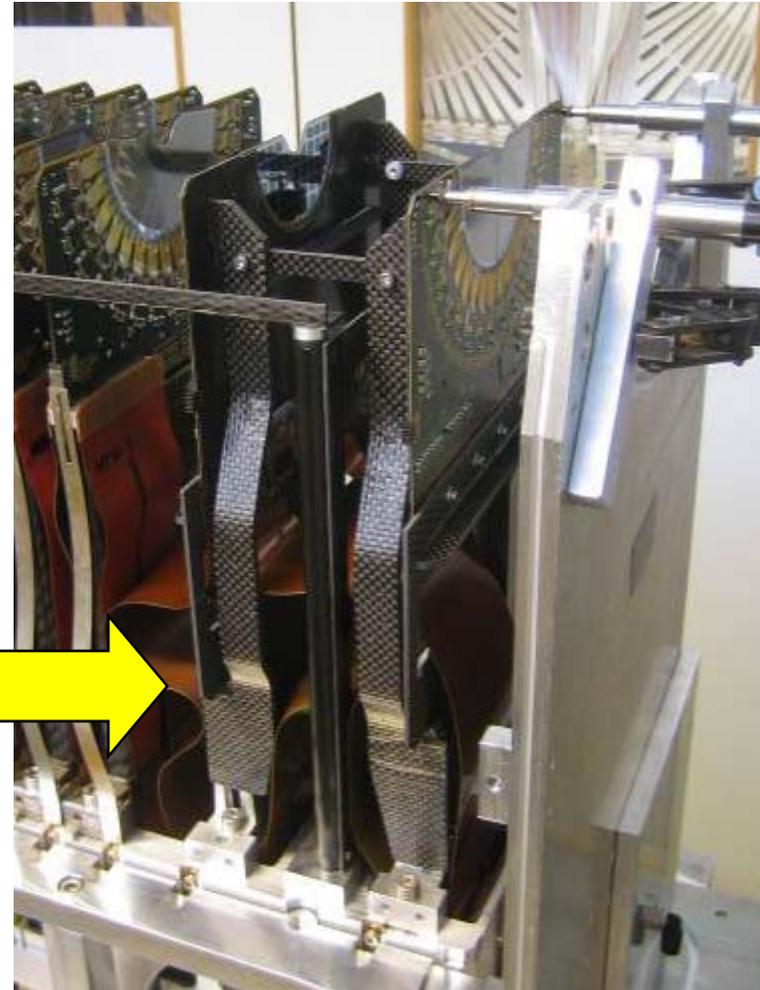
- L0 – Pile UP VETO
- L0 – Muon
- DAQ
- HLT – Tracking and Vertexing

# L0 Pile Up





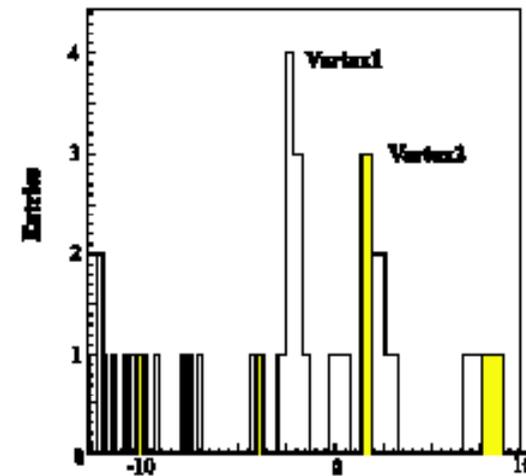
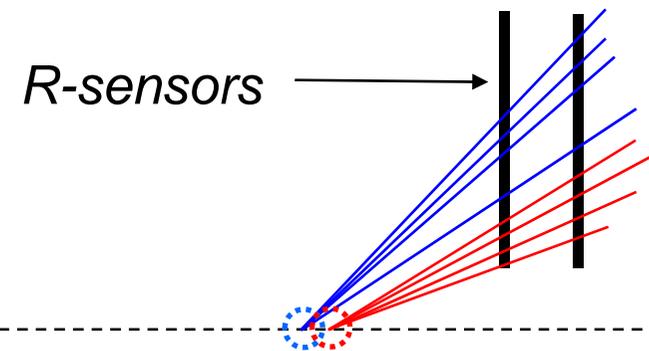
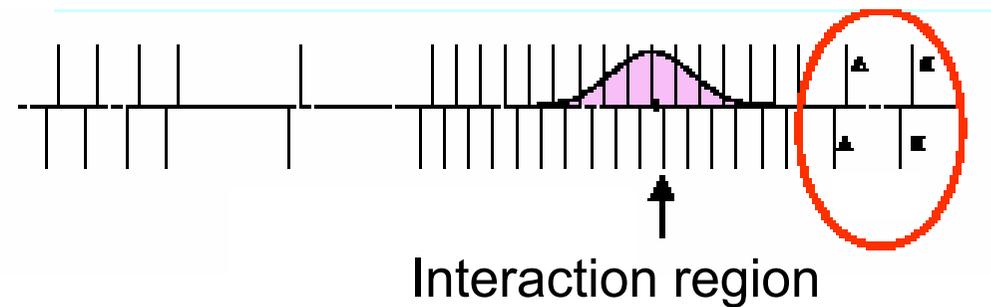
# L0 pileup



# L0 Pile Up

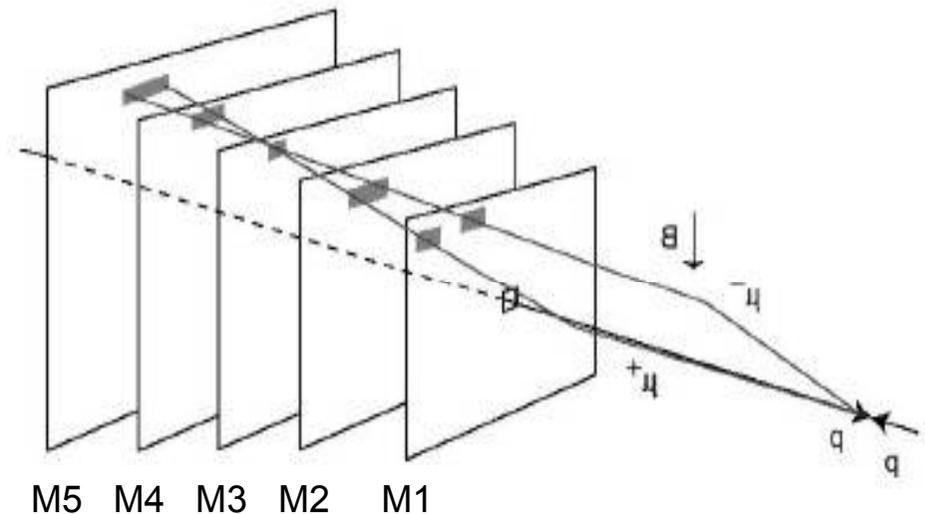
- 2 Si Planes
- Identify multi-PV events
- Special processor used
  - calculate z of vertices
  - Histogram of z
  - Remove hits contribution to that peak
  - find the second highest peak
  - 2-interactions crossings identified with efficiency ~60% and purity ~95%

*Running at higher luminosity probably learn to live with multiple PVs!? More in upgrade...*



# L0 Muon Trigger

- Search for straight lines in M2-M5
- Find matching hits in M1
  - Momentum resolution:  $\sim 20\%$  for b-decays
- Information sent to L0DU:
  - 2 highest  $p_T$  candidates (per quadrant)
- Performance:
  - $\epsilon_{B \rightarrow J/\Psi(\mu\mu)X} = \sim 88\%$
  - Latency:  $\sim 1 \mu\text{s}$
- Special Processor





# L0 Decision Unit

## Calorimeter

- total  $E_T$  in HCAL
- highest-  $E_T$  candidates:  
h, e,  $\gamma$ , 2  $\pi^0$ 's

- Muon system

- Pile-up system
- total multiplicity
- # tracks in second peak



## L0 Decision unit

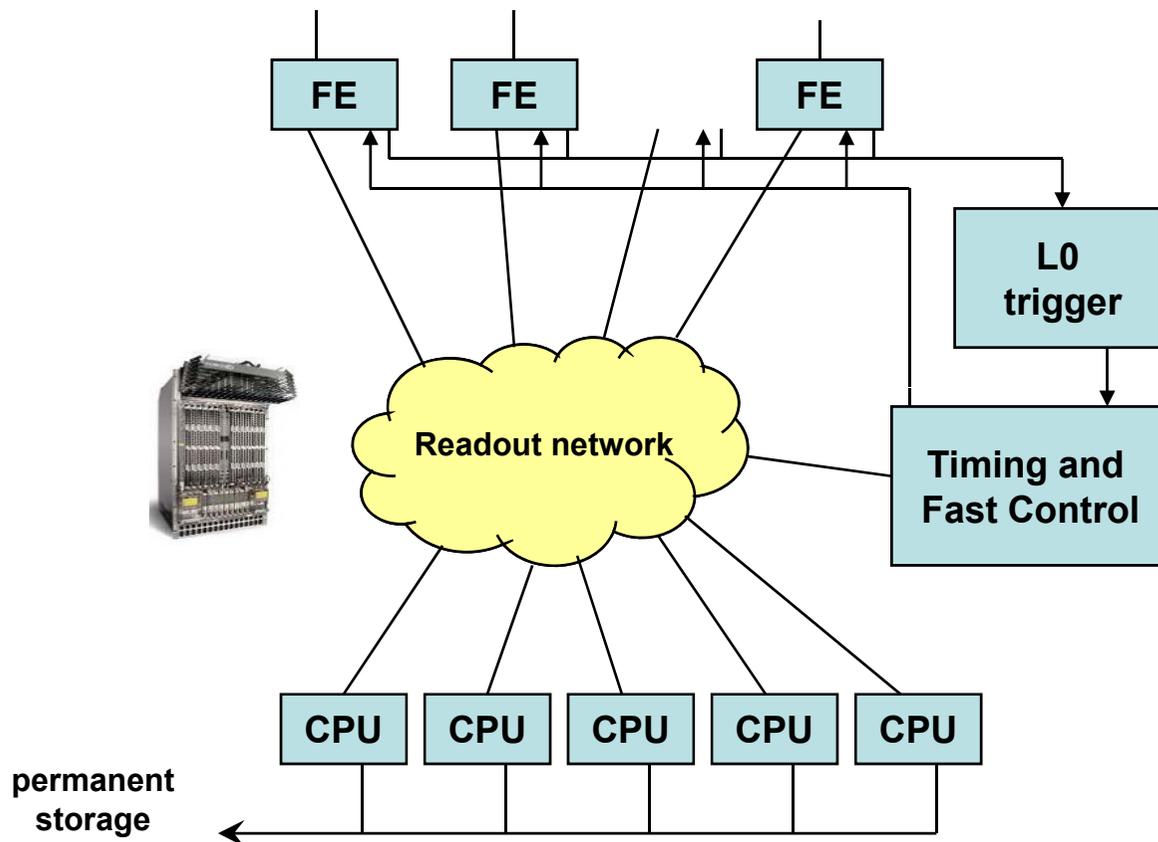
- cuts on global event variables
- thresholds on the  $E_T$  candidates

1 MHz

**L0DU report**



# LHCb Trigger-DAQ

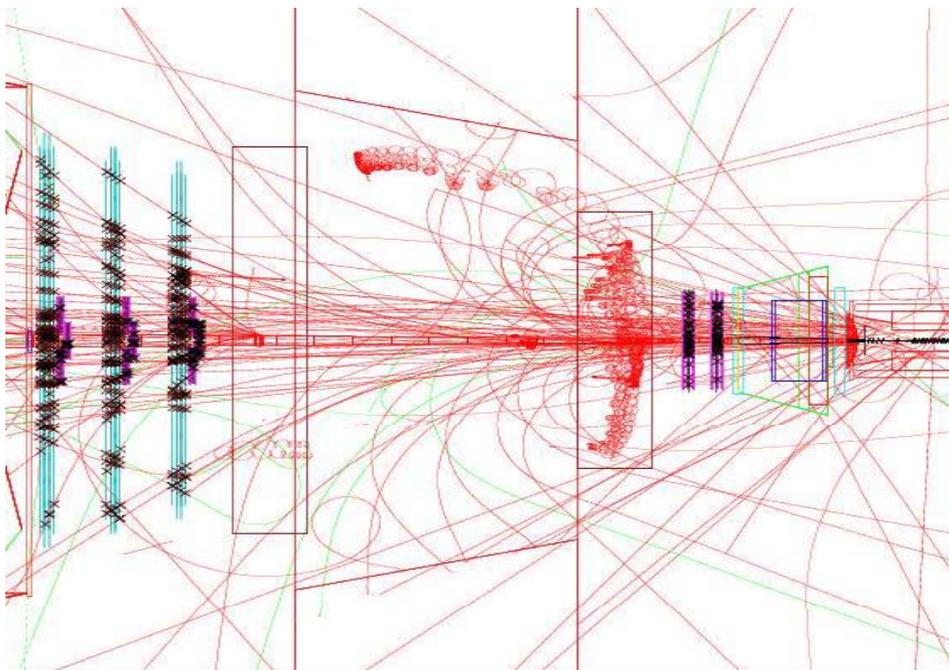


See Nico Neufelds's talk....!



# HLT

- L0 Confirmation
- Reconstruct Event – full information
  - Offline/online software differences small





# HLT – a closer look

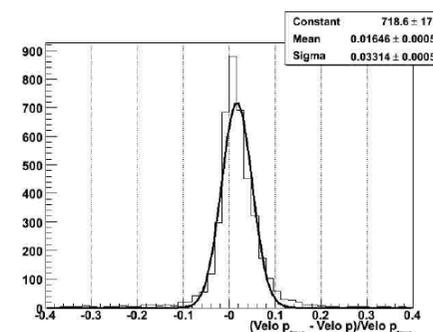
- Muons and Hadron Alleys



# HLT Muon Alley

- Summary
  - Initial L0-  $\mu$  (20%-30% dp/p) @200kHz
  - Confirmation with tracker
  - Add tracking stations (3% dp/p)
  - If good muon look for others muons
  - Make  $J/\psi$  (~80kHz)
  - Make VELO tracks and match (1% dp/p)
    - 2D Matching
  - Cut on muon IP (10kHz)

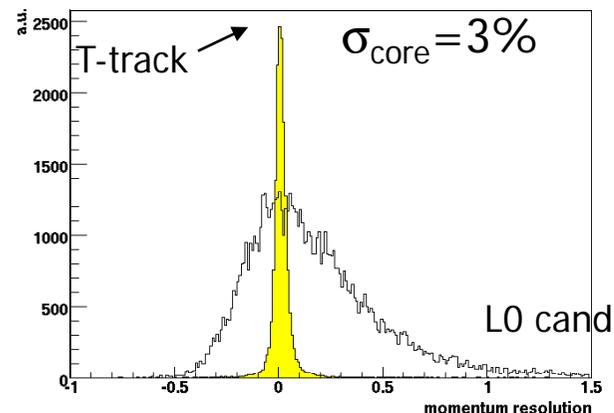
3D Velo momentum resol



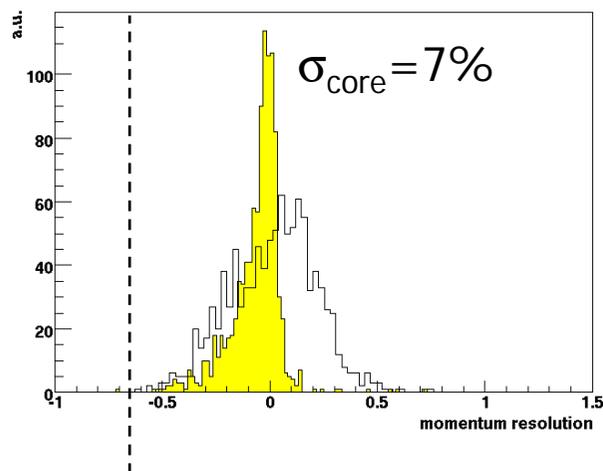
# HLT L0 Confirmation/resolution

- Calculate momentum with fast pt-kick (parameterized field parameters)
- Resolution determined with minimum bias events

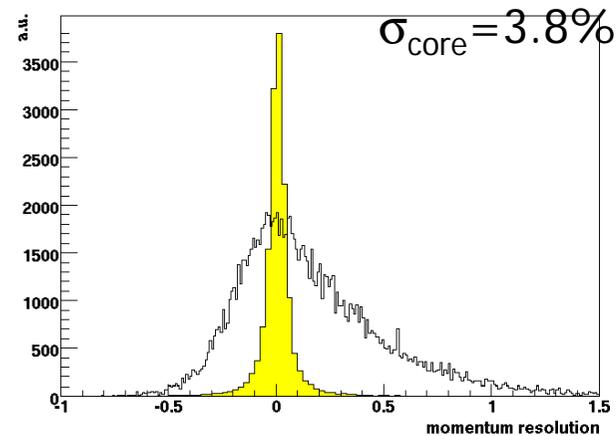
Muon momentum resolution



Electron momentum resolution



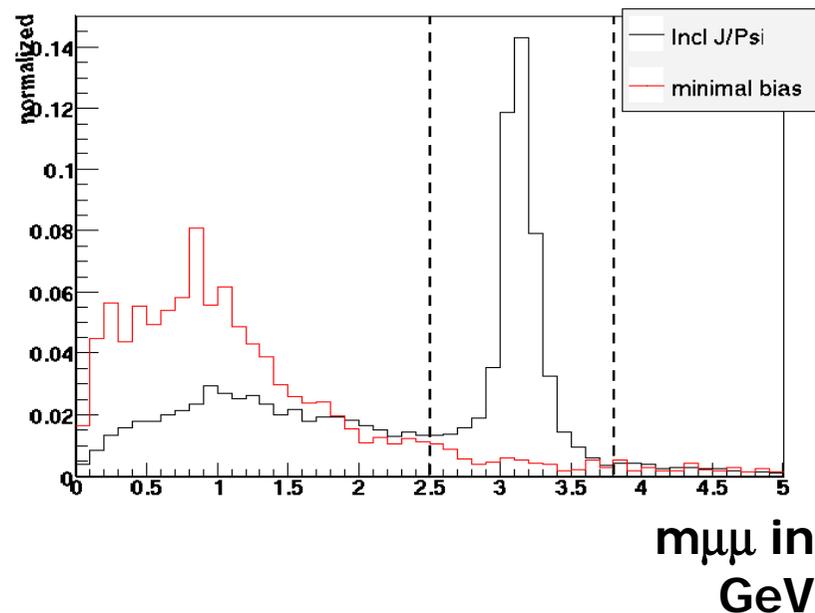
Hadron momentum resolution





# HLT Fast J/ψ

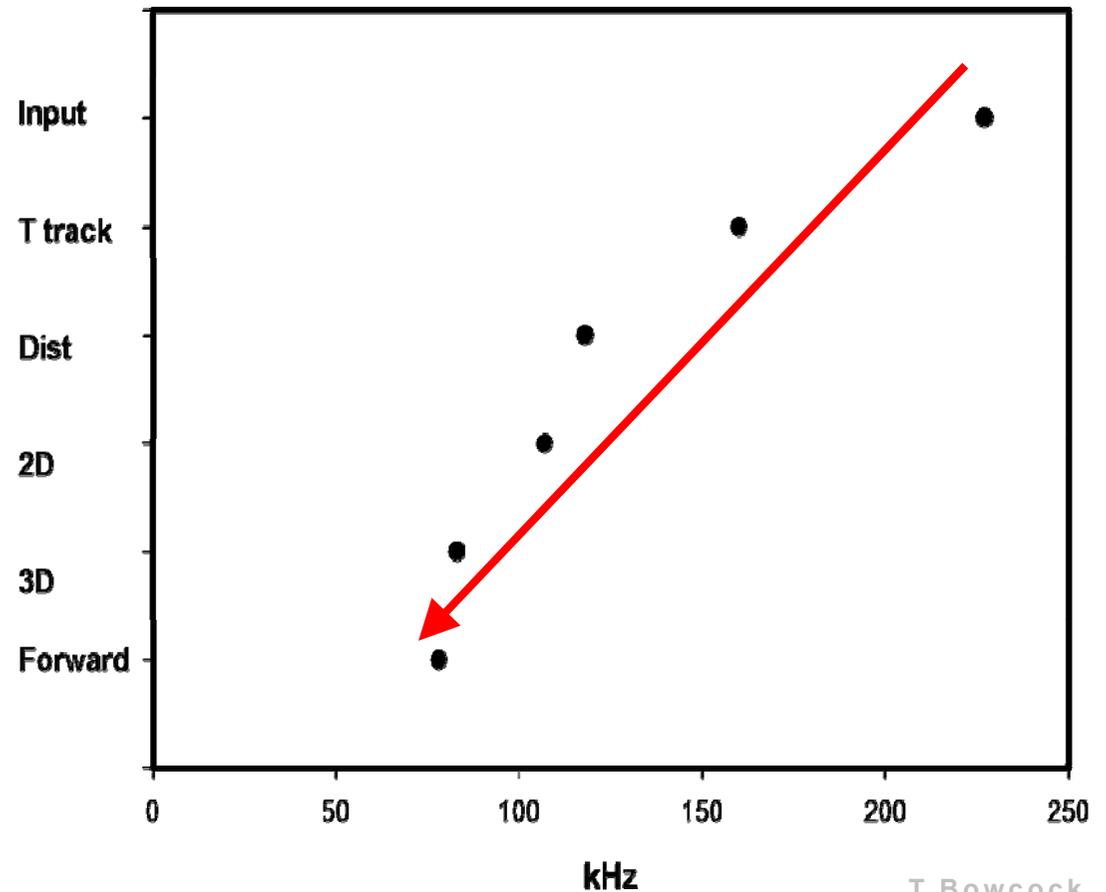
- Within 1ms, we have confirmed muons with  $\sigma(p)/p \sim 3\%$
- Extrapolate tracks to origin
- Calculate dimuon invariant mass





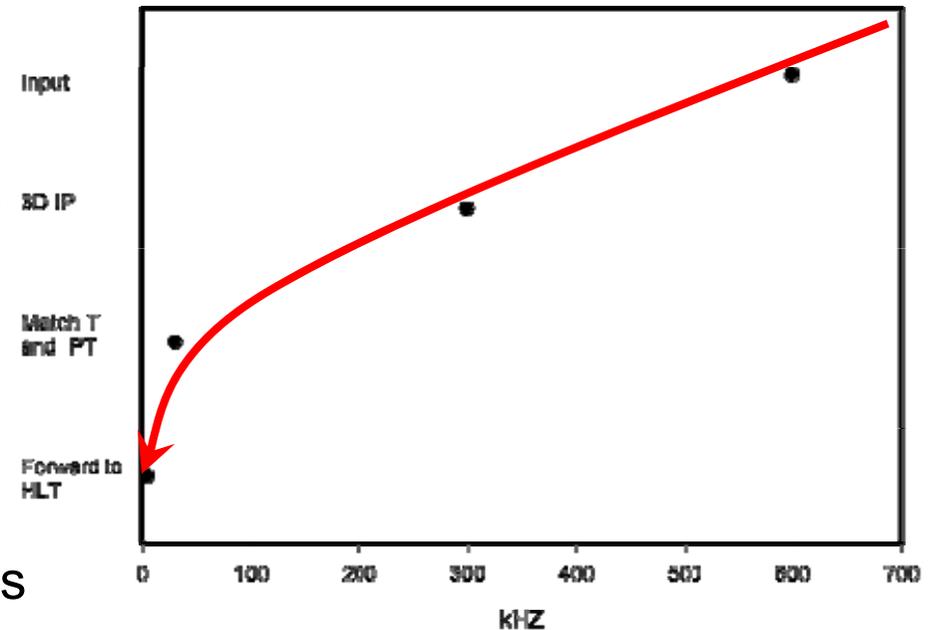
# Muon Alley

	Rate KHz
Input	227
T (track)	160
Dist(T match)	118
2Dmatch VELO	107
3Dmatch VELO	83
HLT forward	78



# HLT Hadron Alley

- Summary
  - Input ~600kHz
  - VELO 2D (R-Phi geometry)
  - Match to L0-h (~5/event)
  - VELO 3D and confirm Match
  - Cut on IP in 3D as in offline(~300kHz)
  - Match to T and full tracking (dp/p ~1%) and  $P_T > 2.5$  GeV (30kHz)
  - Look for primary vertex tracks (5kHz)





# Future Developments

- Complete commissioning
- New HLT alleys
  - Refined inclusive and exclusive selections
  - Sophisticated ways of checking trigger performance



# Summary & Comments

- Overview of LHCb trigger
  - Excellent on muon triggers with low (1Gev)  $P_T$  requirement. Almost fully efficient
  - Single Hadron trigger with  $E_T > 3.6\text{GeV}$
  - Strategy involving custom electronics and “standard farm clusters”
- *Even as a B-experiment we do not have a L0 vertex trigger*
  - We need this for the future
  - What happens if luminosity rises by a factor 10 or more
  - New trigger and detector
  - Exciting possibilities....