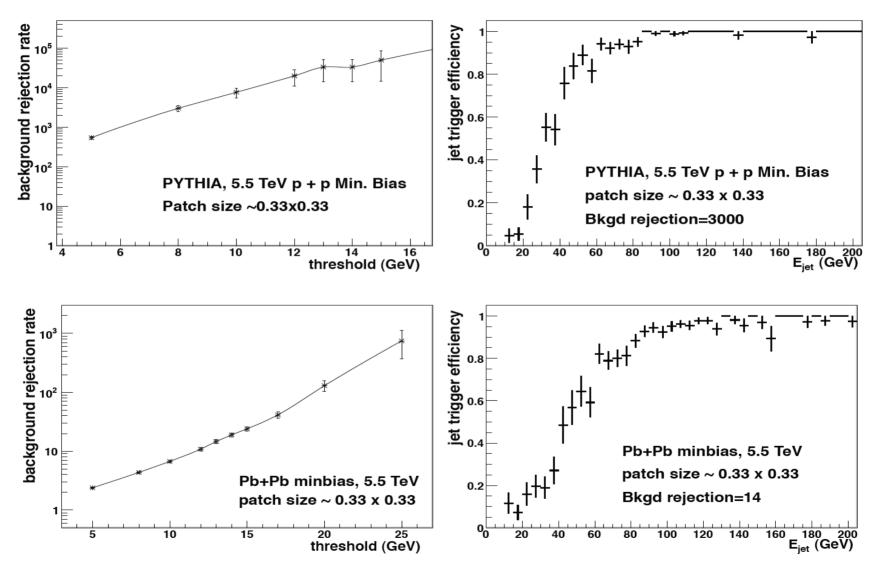
HLT and EMCAL

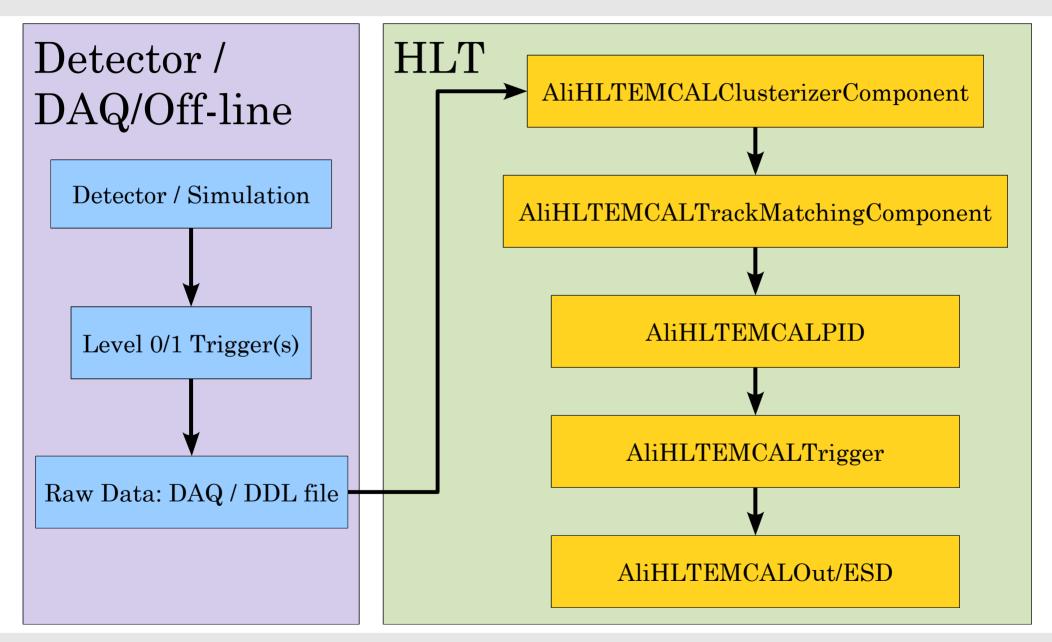
- DAQ/Simulation
 - Trigger Level 1 response
 - Algorithm(s) running at the hardware/digits level no external information (from other detectors)
 - Output through the DDLs [+ trigger information]
- Reconstruction
 - Start from DDL files (pre-filtered by Level 1 Trigger)
 - Reconstruct clusters
 - Match information from other detectors
 - Tracks + PID
 - Trigger on Physics:
 - Clean-up, Jets, etc.
- On-line monitoring

Trigger LVL1 Simulations

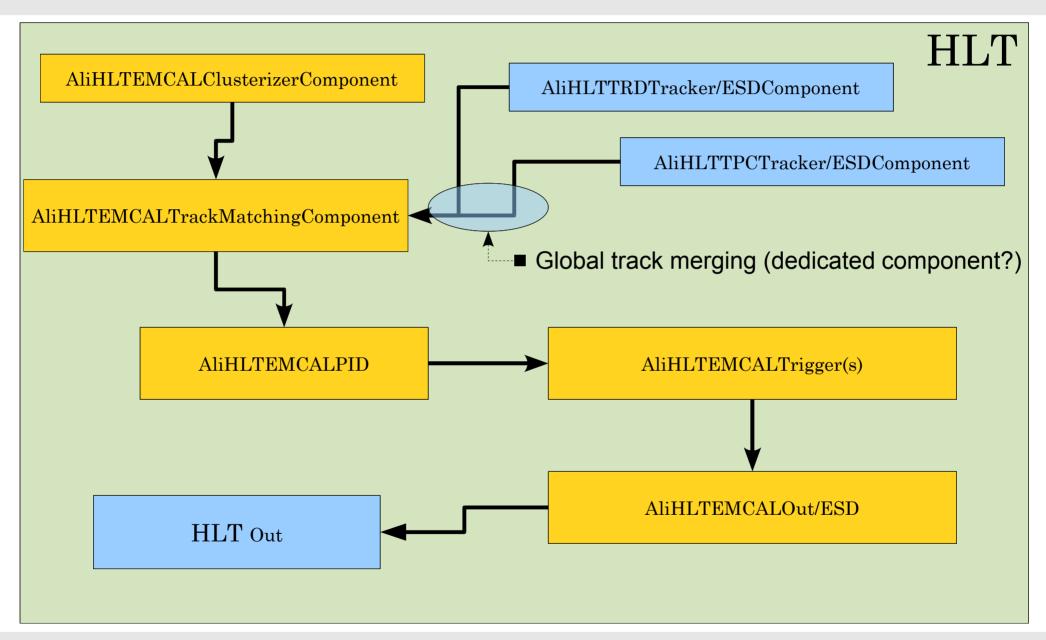


Figures taken from the CD2 report on EMCAL

Data Flow



Global Track Merging



Near future plan

- Extending LVL1 and further studies with simulations
- Implementation of basic EMCAL components into HLT framework
 - clusters->tracks->matching->(fast+robust) jet finder(s)
 - monitoring tools
- Assessing possible impact on EMCAL-HLT (trigger) construction from:
 - → TPC-HLT tracks particles pT > 0.7GeV
 - TRD-HLT tracks particles in a stand alone mode first matching with TPC tracks in the later stage -> combined PID
 - (Mis)Calibration tolerance
 - ITS-TRD-TPC-HLT matching eventually, yes, but the main focus on TPC for the next few months