

Potential of Monolithic CMOS Pixel Detectors for Future Track Triggers



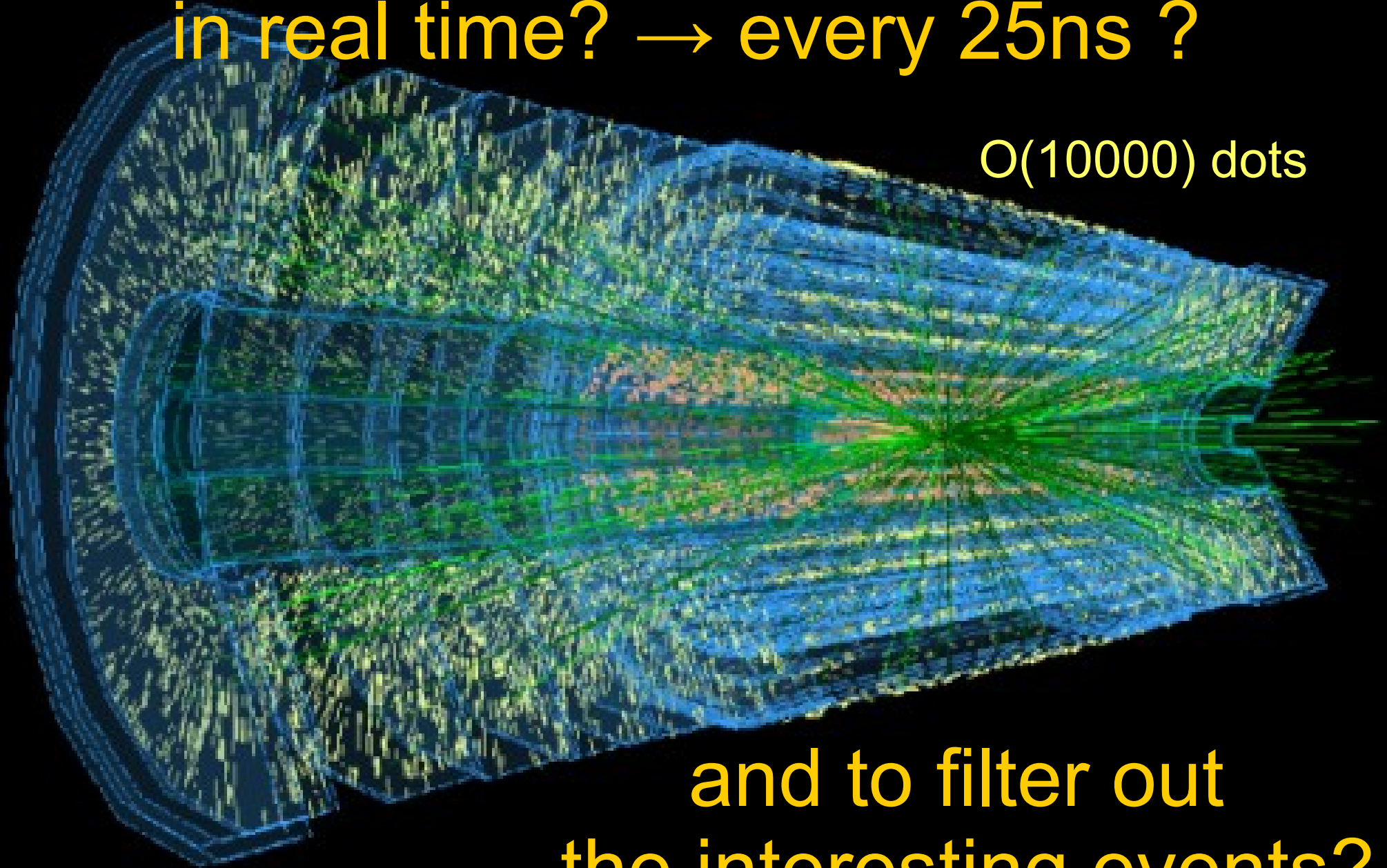
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Is it possible to reconstruct all tracks
in real time? → every 25ns ?

$O(10000)$ dots



and to filter out
the interesting events?

Overview

Part I

- motivation for track triggers
- track trigger methodologies
- requirements for future track triggers (upgraded LHC and beyond (FCC))

Part II

- monolithic CMOS pixel detector technologies

Part III

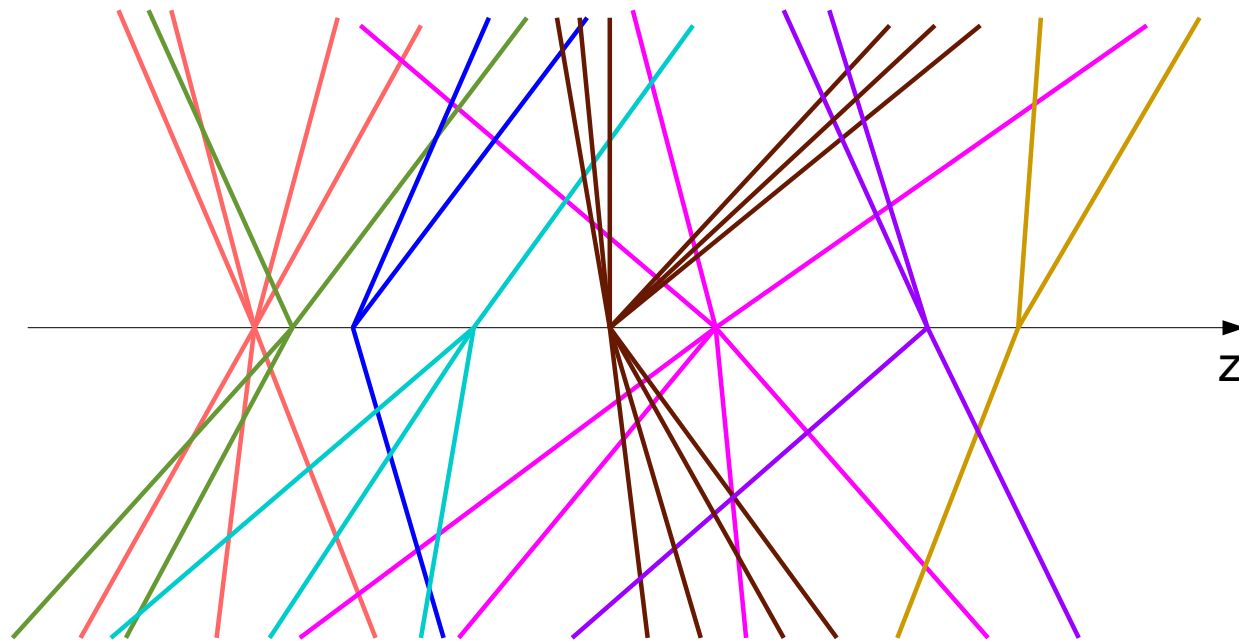
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- simulation results

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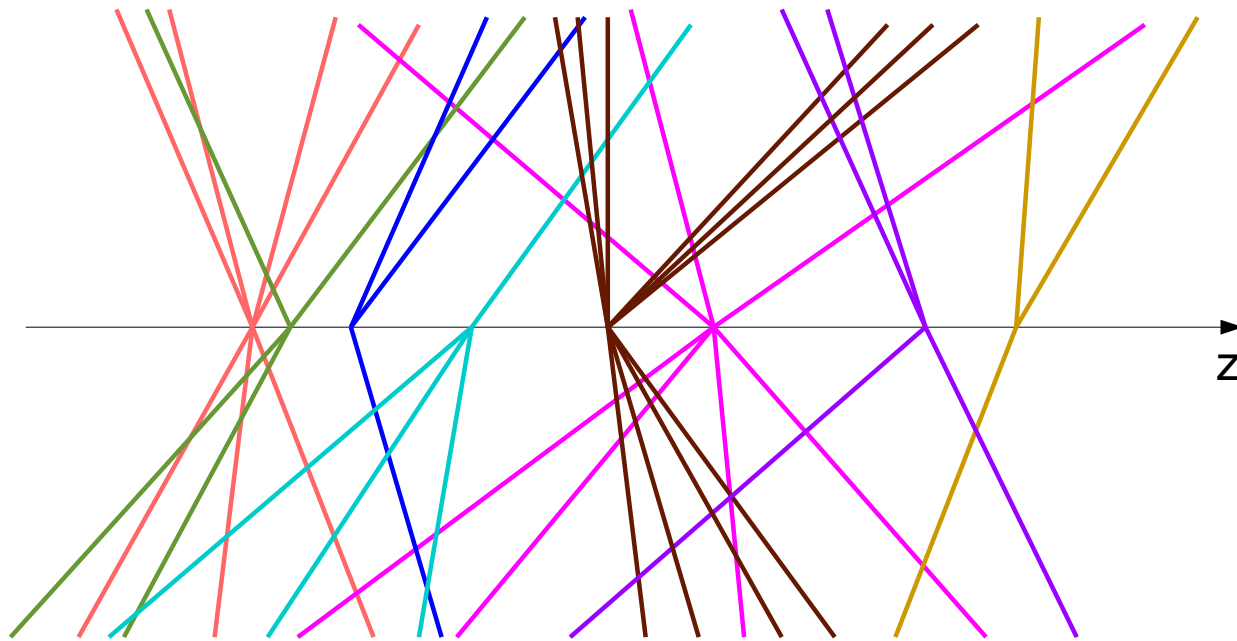
- Calorimeter triggers: → **energy** distribution and rough particle ID
- Muon triggers: → **muon** identification and momentum
- Track triggers: → **momentum, origin** and **separation** of charged particles

event pileup:



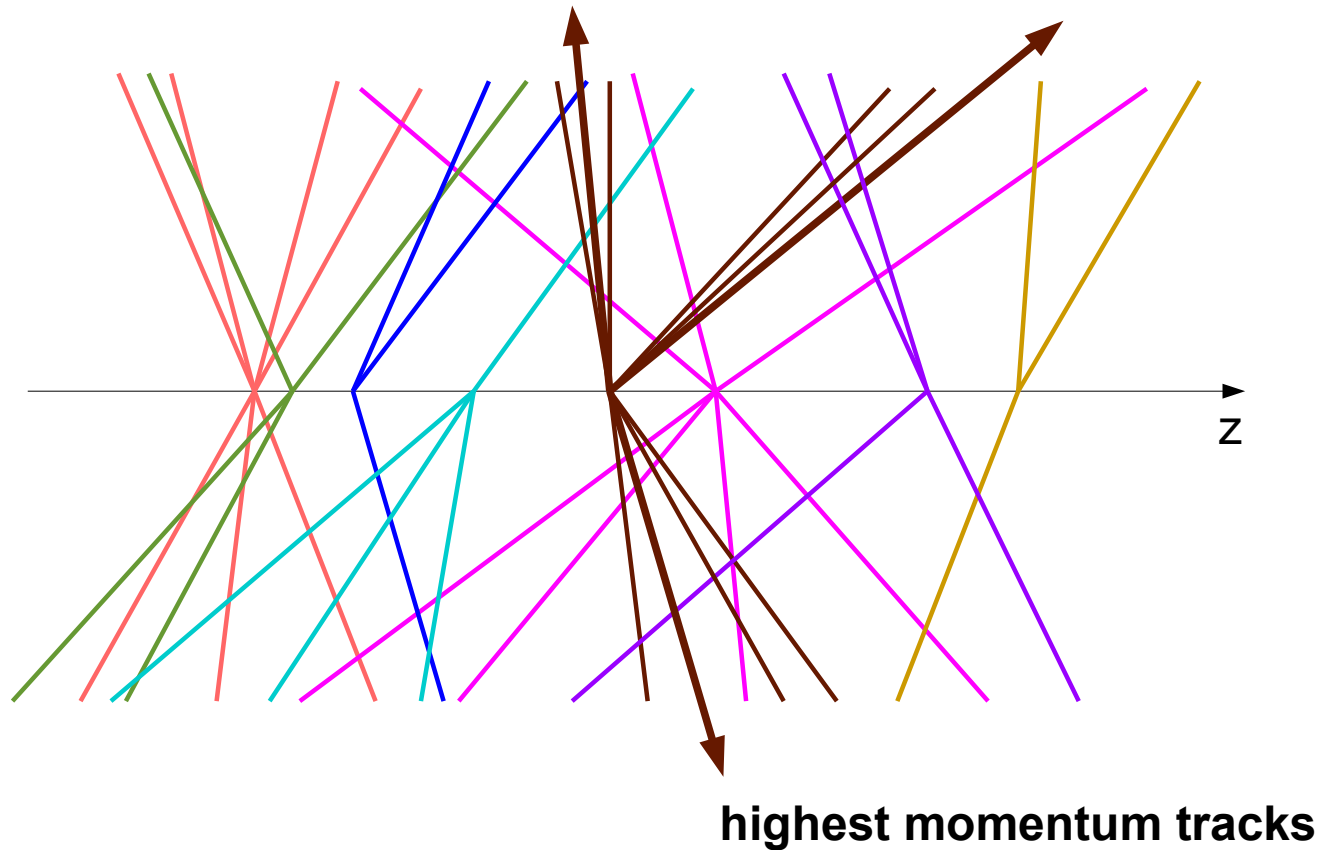
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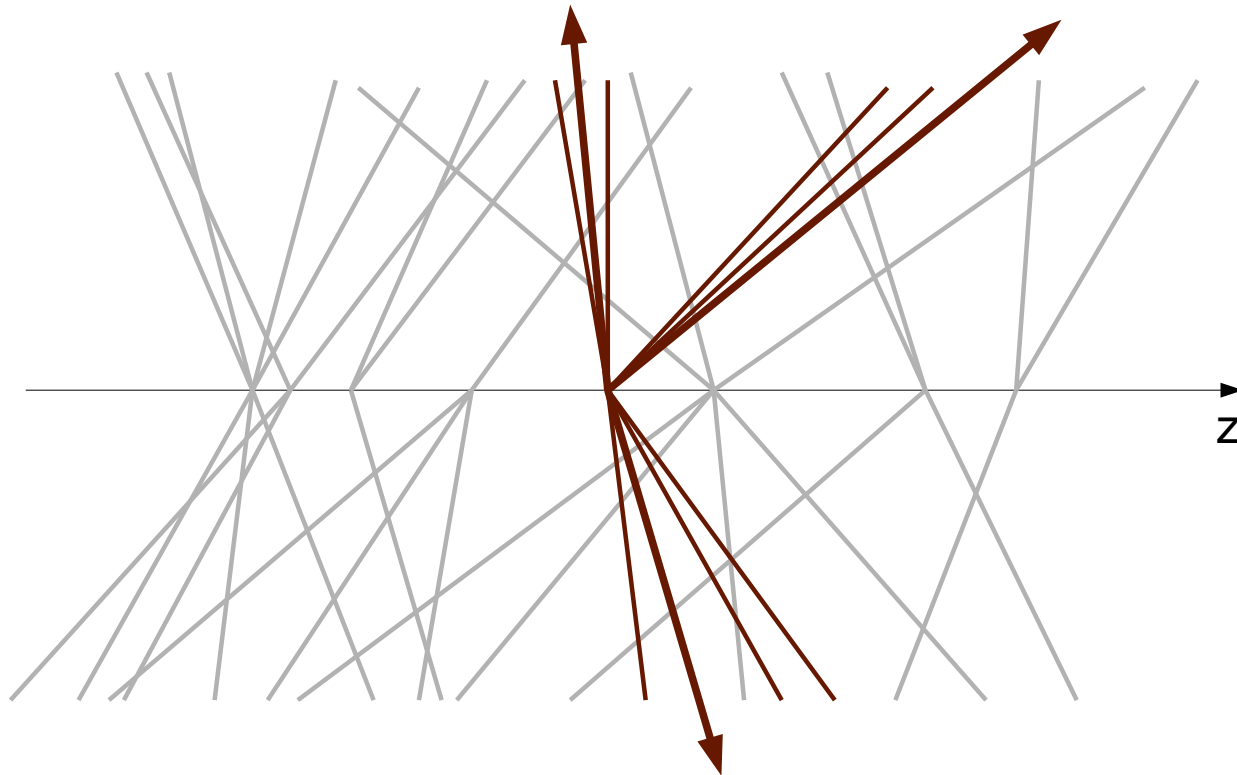
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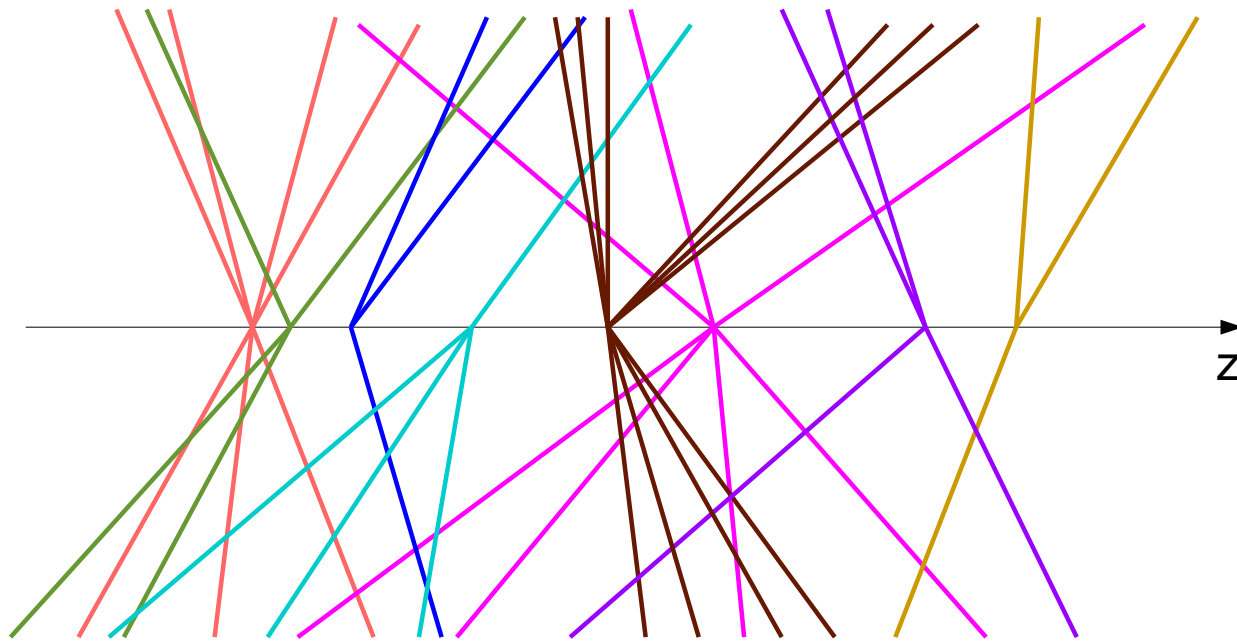
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→ **Identification of multi-jet topologies**

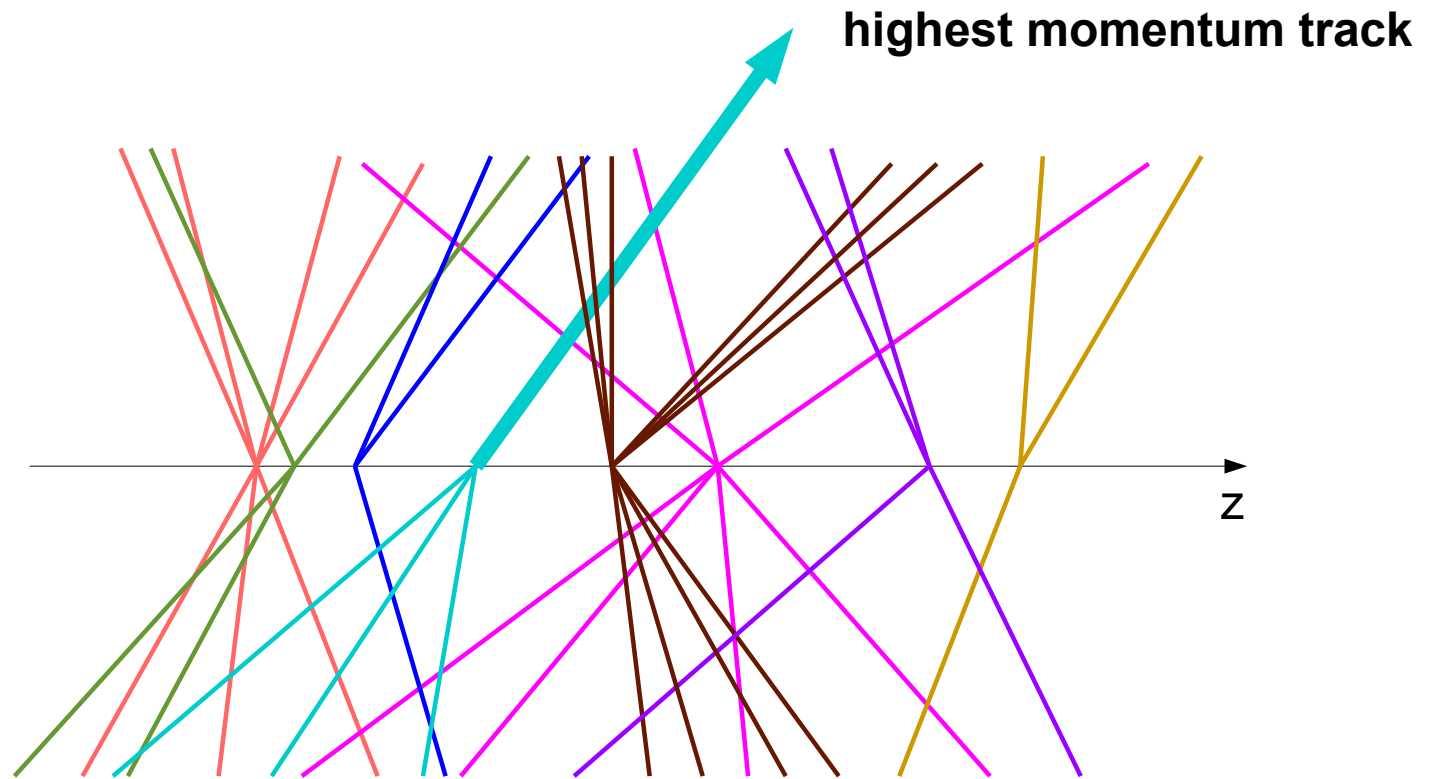
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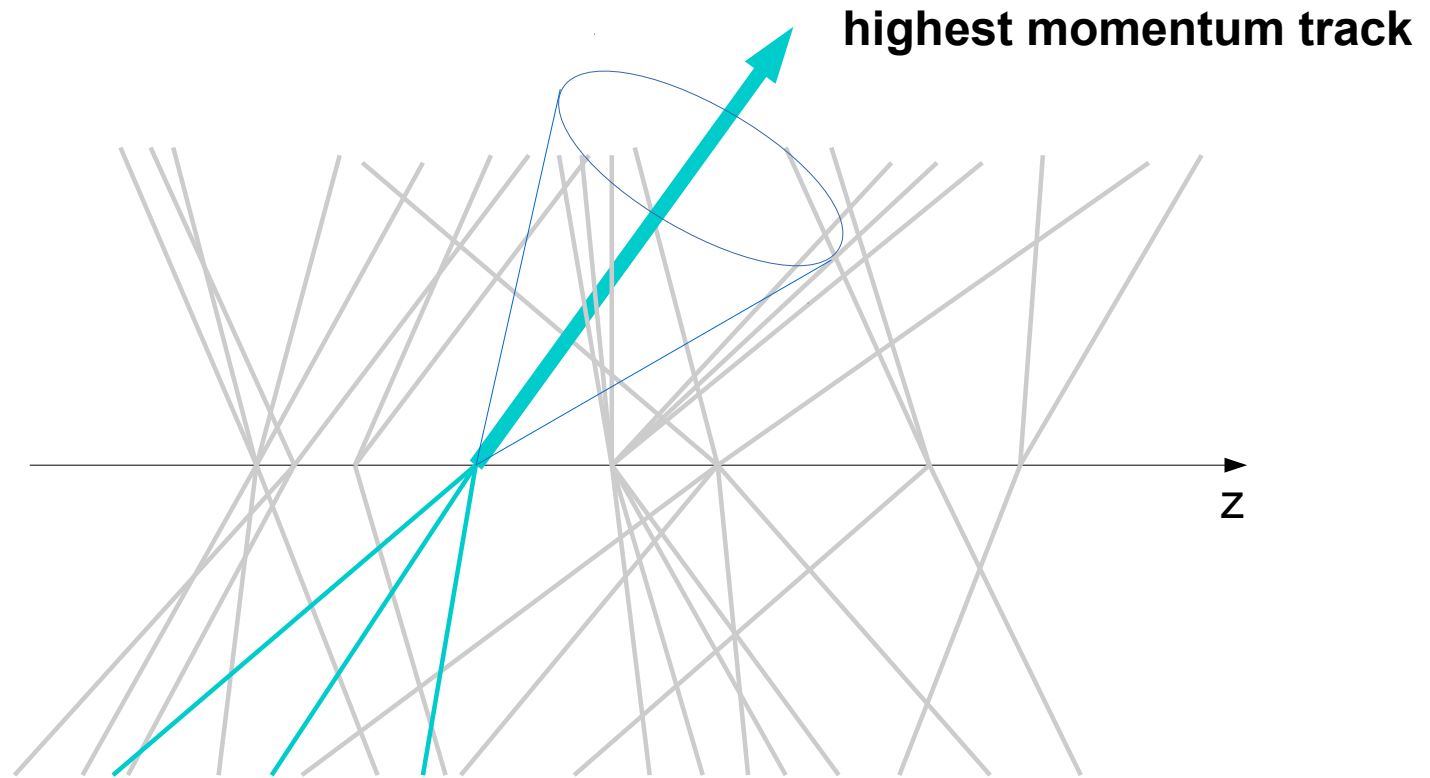
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→ **signature for high momentum e , μ , τ leptons
(electroweak processes)**

Motivation for Track Triggers @ hadron colliders with high pileup

track triggers can provide useful information about:

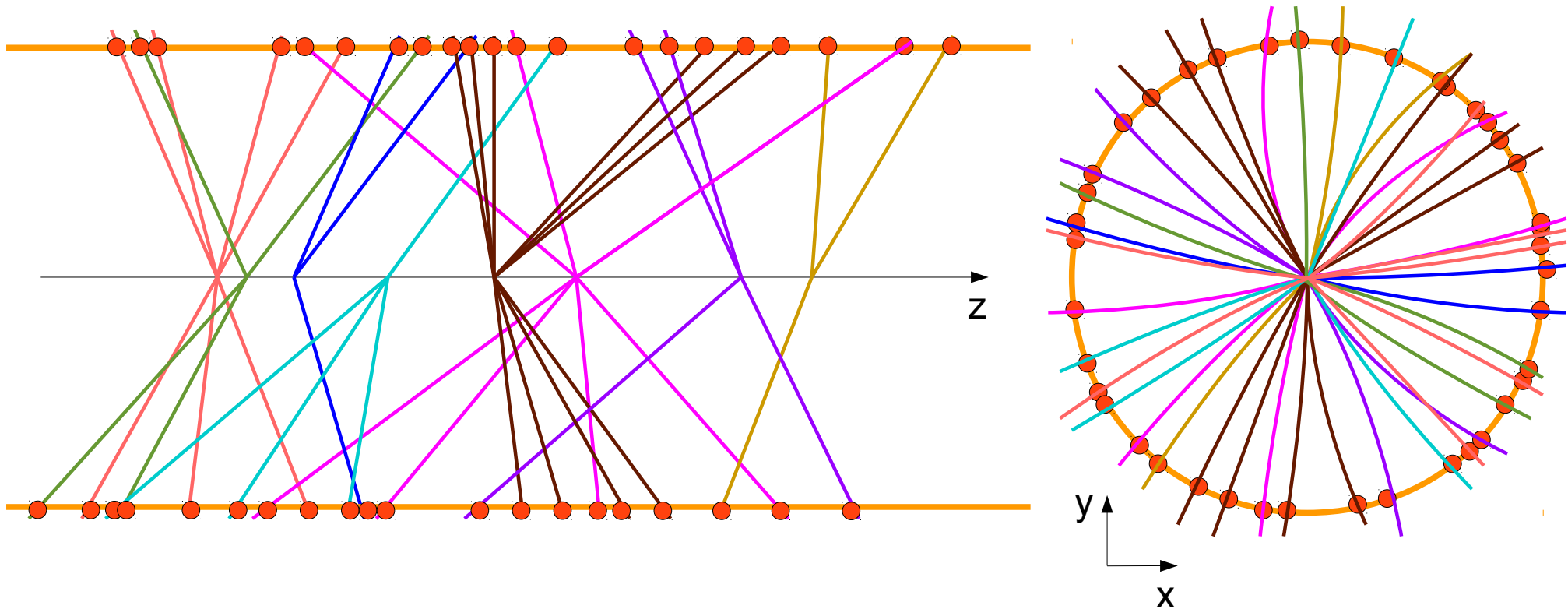
- particle momentum
- particle direction
- origin (primary vertex, secondary vertex)
- particle counting
- particle isolation (→ lepton identification)
- particle identification (in combination with other triggers)

→ **complementary to calo/muon triggers**

→ **improve selectivity of trigger in general**

Track Trigger Methodologies I

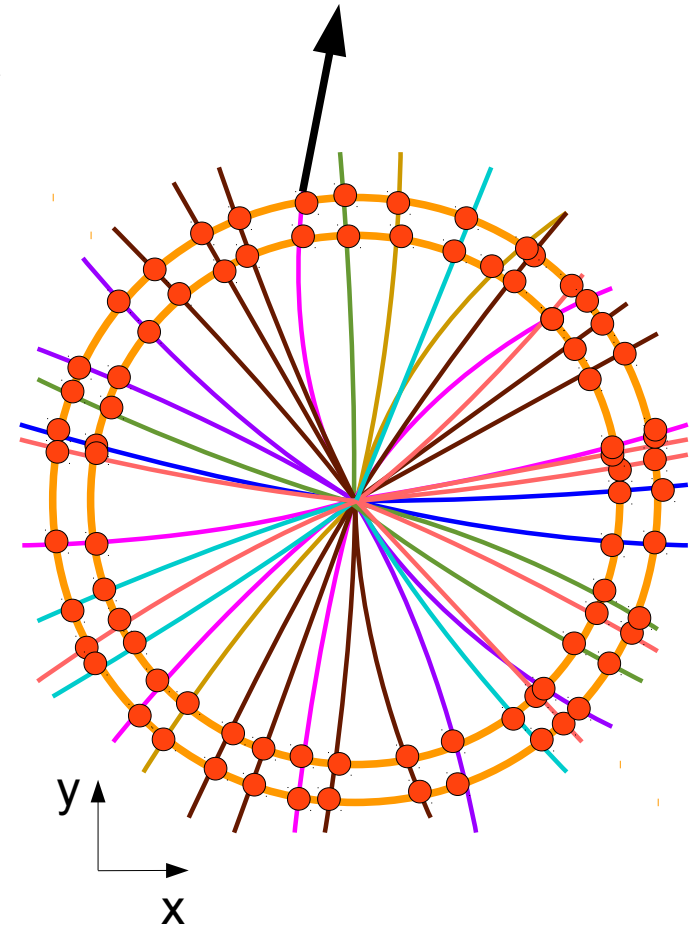
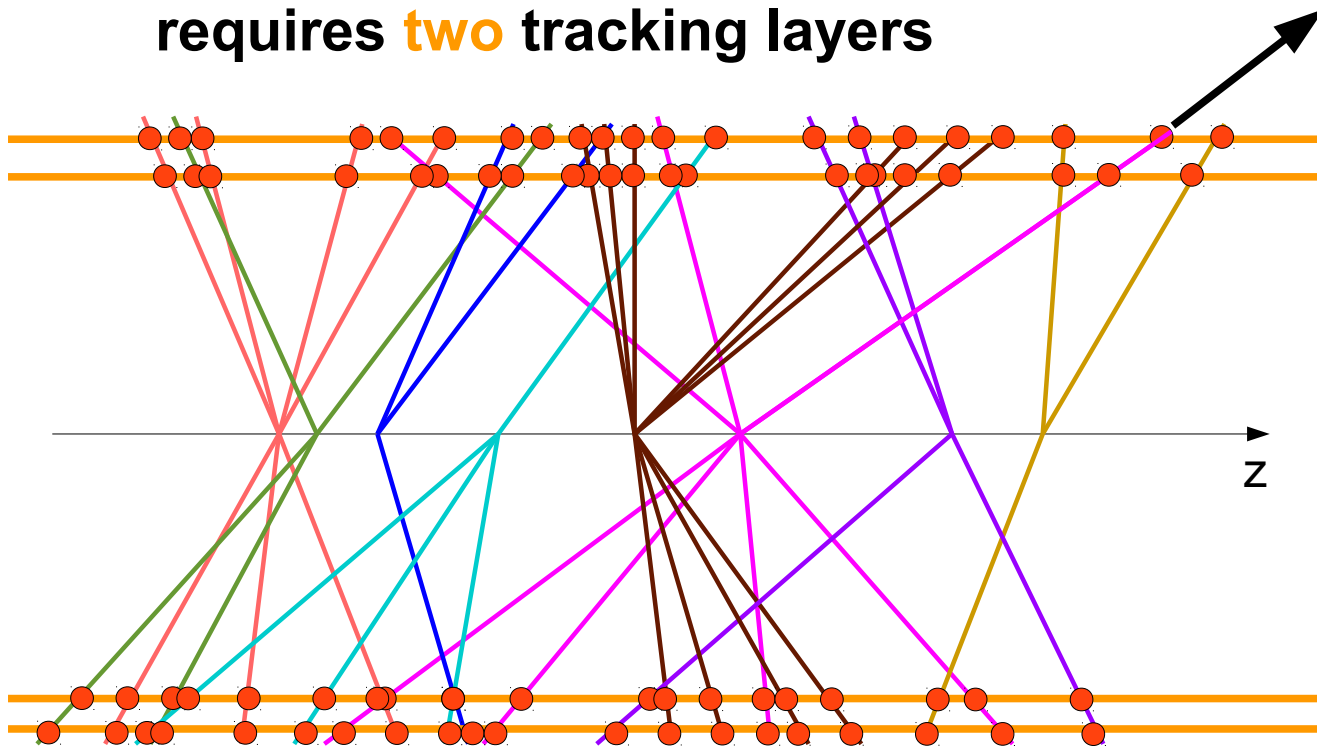
- Track counting:
requires **one** tracking layer



→ **useless information for high pileup events (colliders)**

Track Trigger Methodologies II

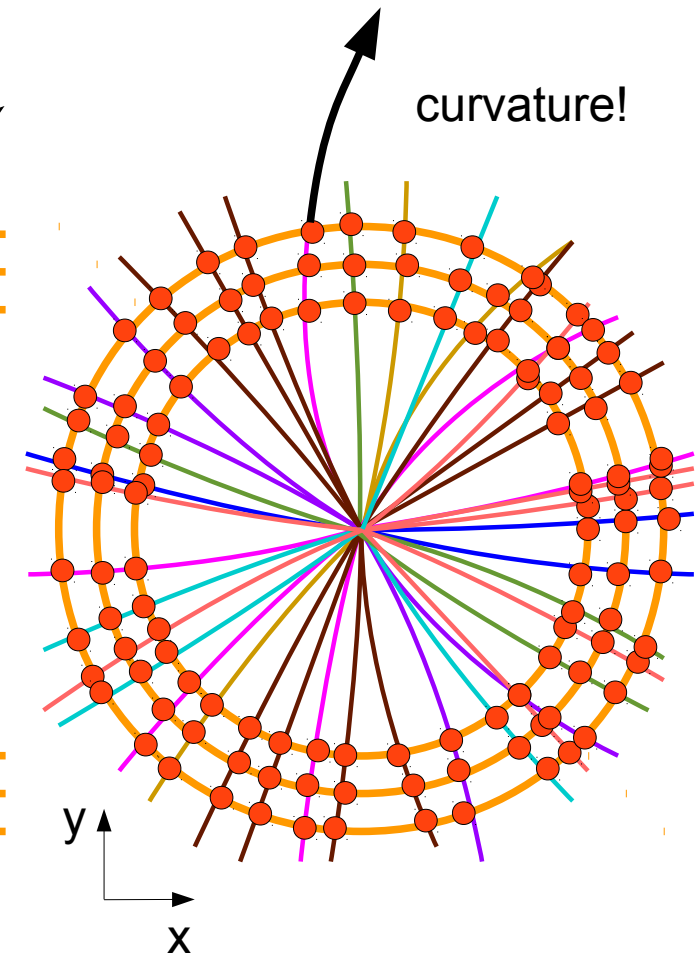
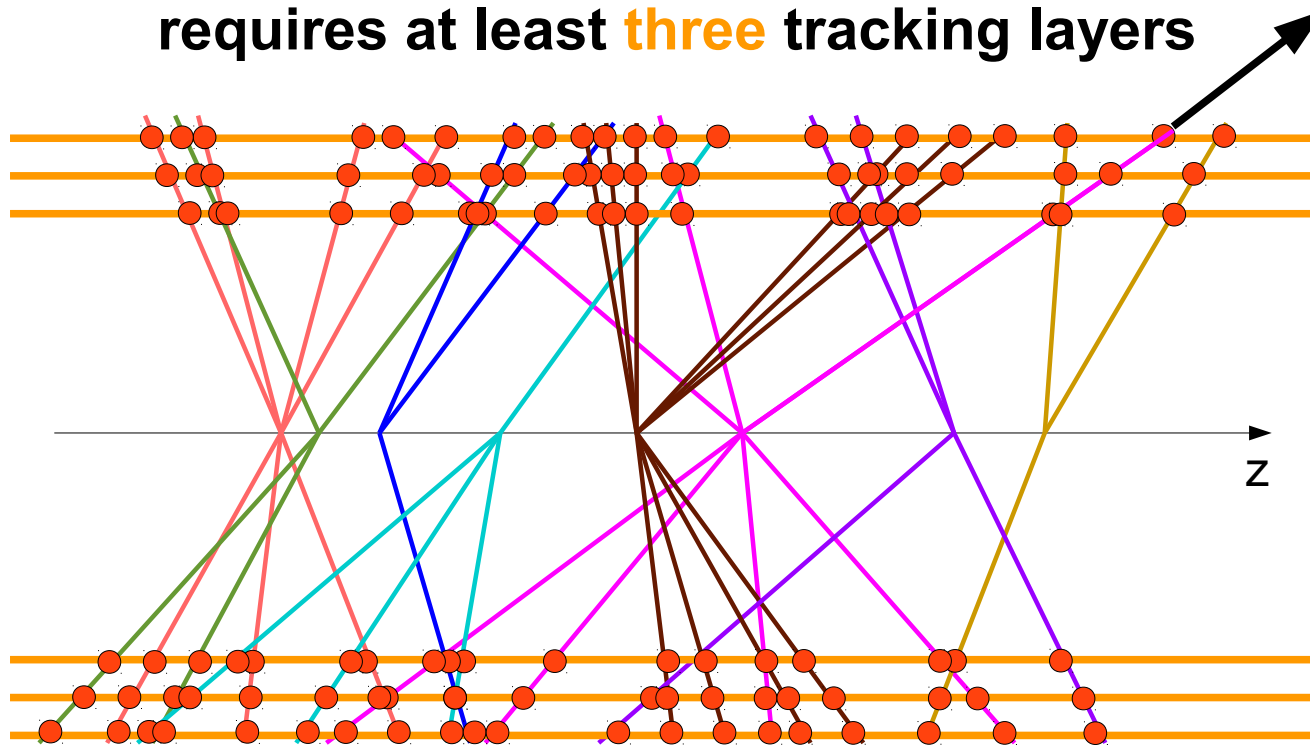
- “Vector tracking”:
requires **two** tracking layers



- **z-vertex reconstruction only possible with two pixel layers**
- **momentum reconstruction only by applying beam-line constraint**

Track Trigger Methodologies III

- 3D tracking:
requires at least **three** tracking layers



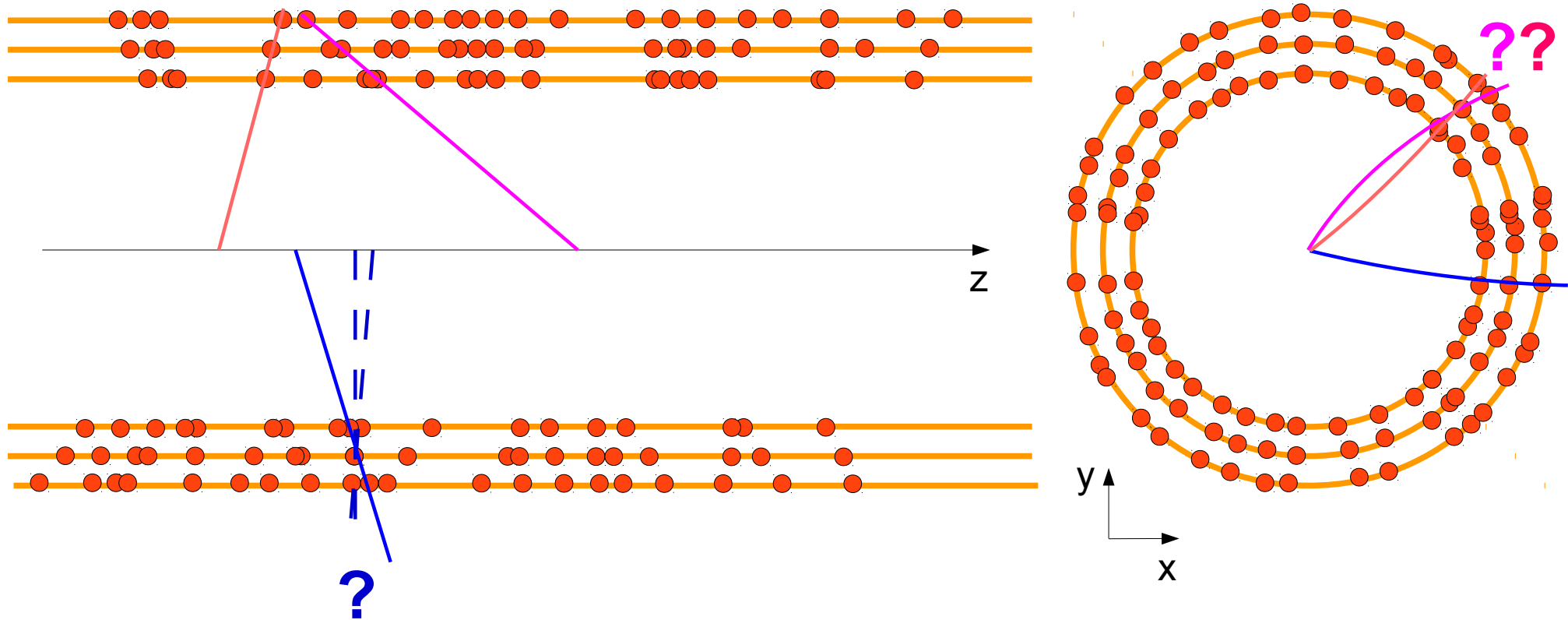
→ **full track parameter determination with three pixel layers**
(if multiple scattering is negligible)

The Track Trigger Enemies



from <https://www.enterprisedb.com/blog/3-ways-reduce-it-complexity-digital-transformation>

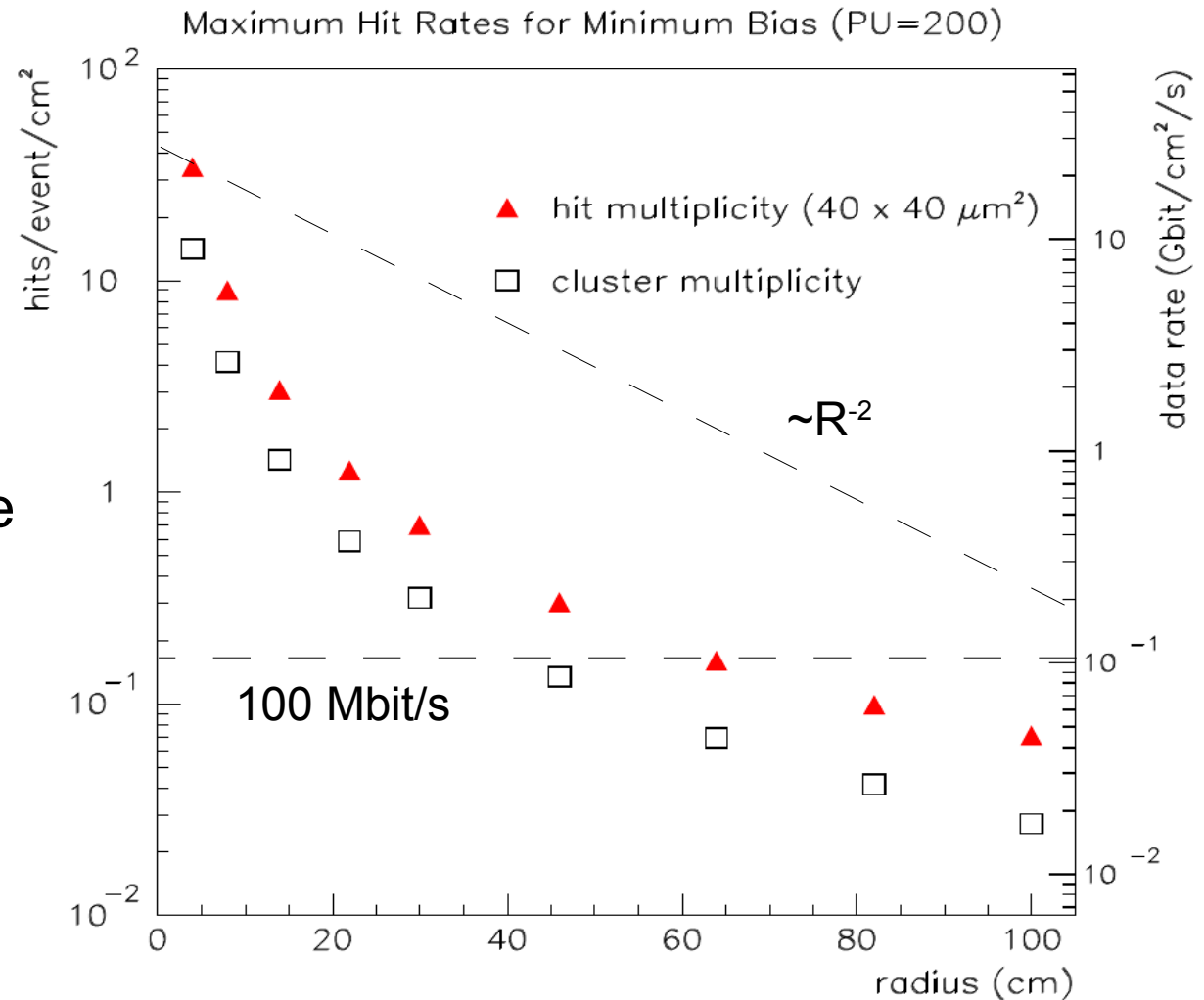
Enemy I: Track Linking and Hit Confusion Problem



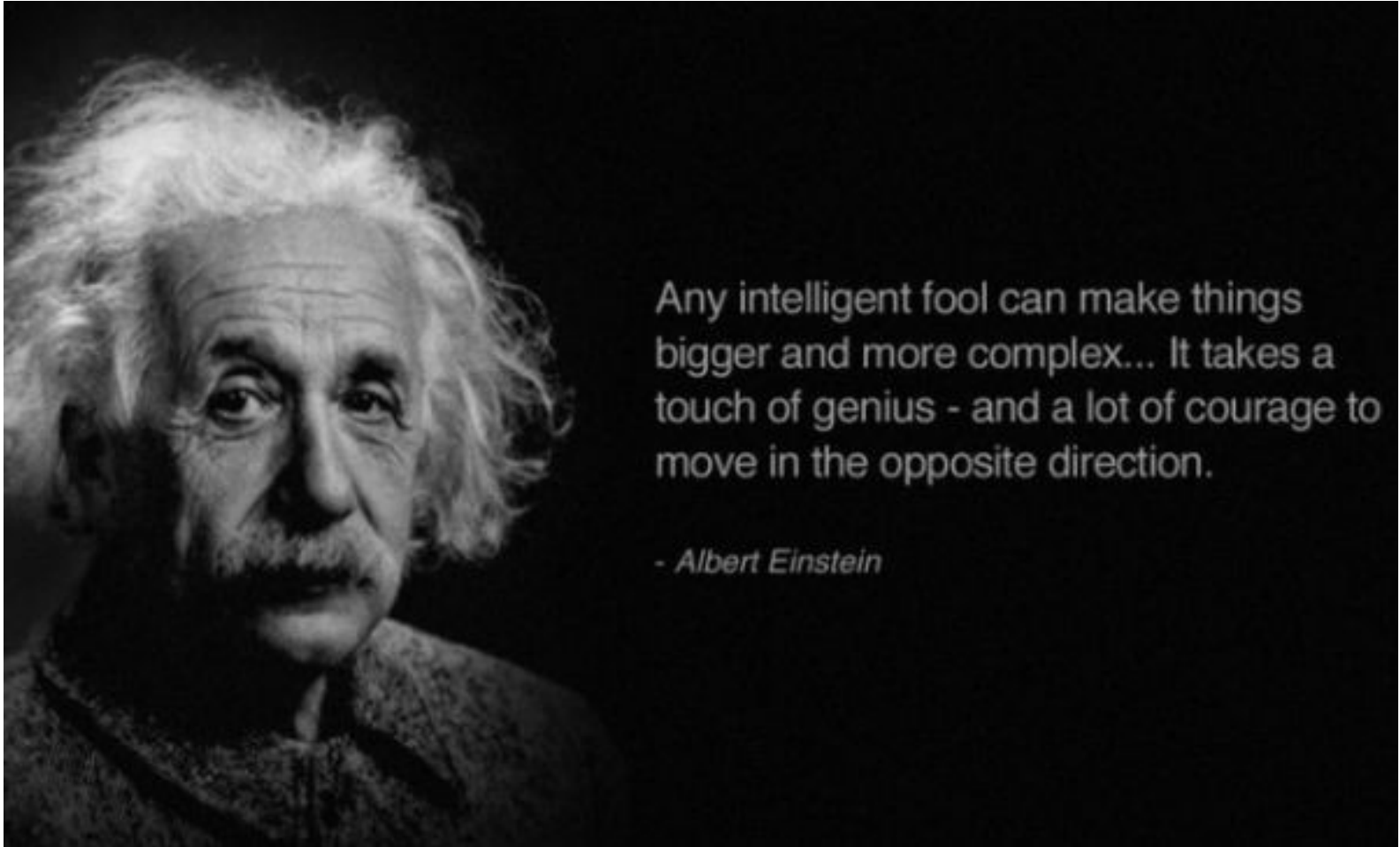
- hit ambiguities are best resolved in 3D (pixel)
- pixel information simplifies track linking and improves purity!

Enemy II: Hit Rates and Limited Readout Bandwidth

- rates in ATLAS detector for HL-LHC
- readout of **all hits** for every bunch crossing only feasible for large radii
- full tracking requires track trigger layers at large radii
- **large sensitive areas**



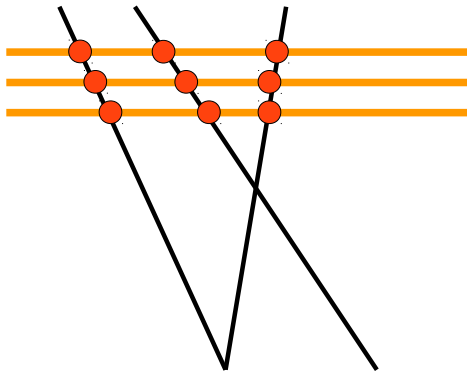
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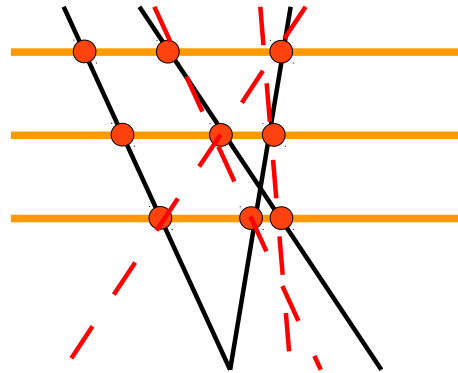
Enemy III: Complexity

For fast track triggers there is just no time performing complex operations:

- **local processing** preferred over global processing
- linearisations instead of non-linear problem solving
- use simple (stacked) geometries which reduce the hit confusion problem



no ambiguities



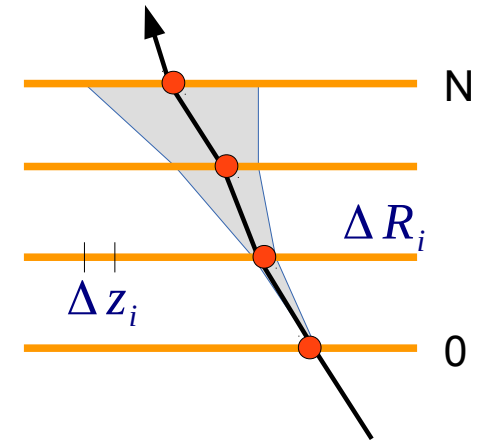
ambiguities

→ tracking detector design issue!

Enemy IV: Tracking Material

Tracks with momenta of $p < O(10 \text{ GeV})$ are dominated by multiple scattering (MS) at LHC

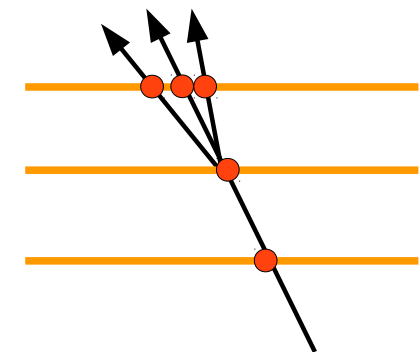
- adds additional complexity for track reconstruction
- increases significantly **phase space** of allowed patterns
- relevant for all methods of track reconstruction:
 - › Kalman filter
 - › lookup techniques
 - › associated memories (AM)
 - › Hough trafo, conformal mapping



$$PS \propto \frac{1}{p^{(N-1)}} \left(\prod_{i=1}^{N-1} \frac{x_i}{X_{0,i}} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \prod_{i=0}^N \frac{\Delta R_i}{\Delta z_i}$$

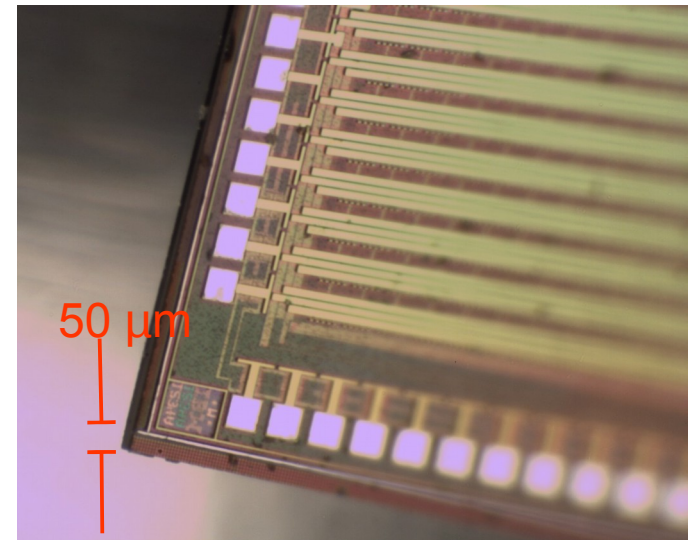
Material also increases the probability for

- electromagnetic interactions
- nuclear interactions
 - secondary & tertiary particles



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 - 3D tracking and vertexing
 - reducing ambiguities
- little material
 - reduces MS, secondary interactions and thus confusion problem
- good timing
 - resolve bunch crossing
- high efficiency @ low noise
 - fewer tracking layers
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- fast readout capabilities
 - high track rates
- radiation hardness
 - high track rates
- affordable
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Part II

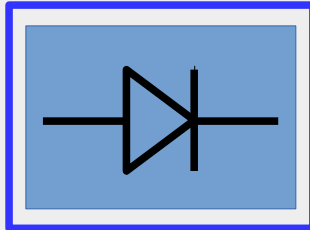
→ monolithic CMOS pixel detector technologies

Pixel Readout Concepts

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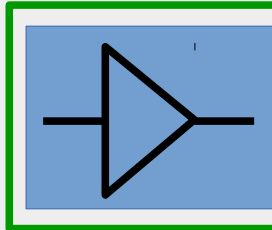
RO-chip

standard hybrid architecture

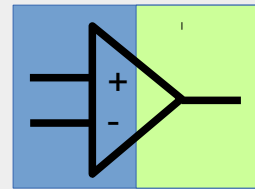


diode

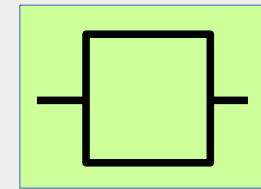
bump bonds



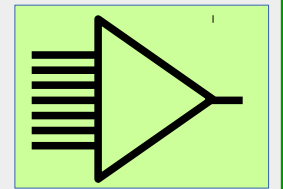
amplifier



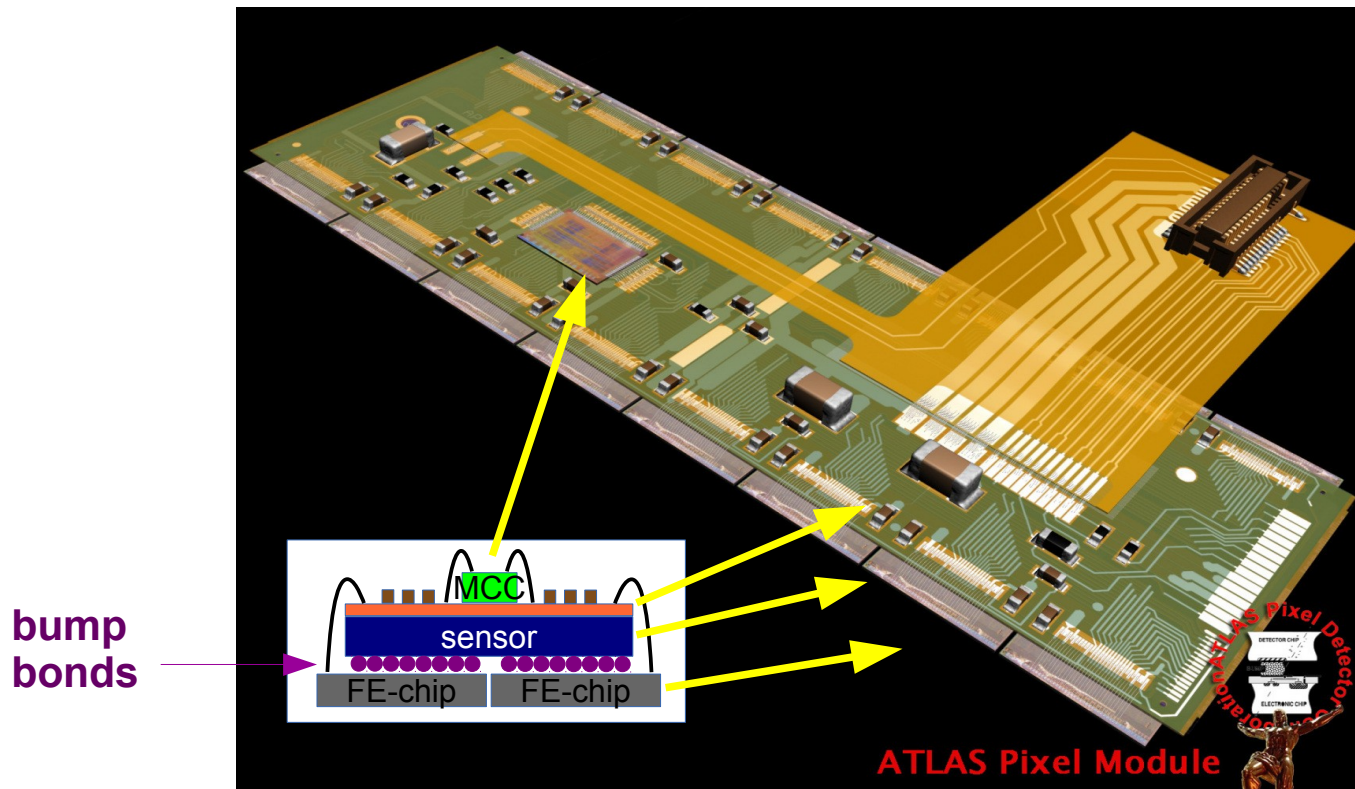
discriminator



RO buffer



serializer

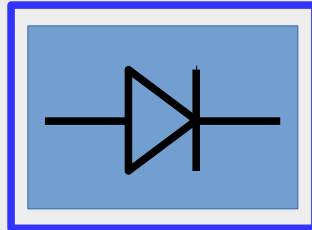


Pixel Readout Concepts II

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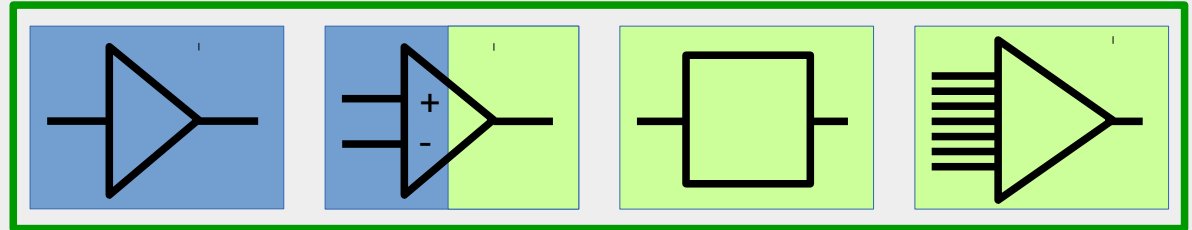
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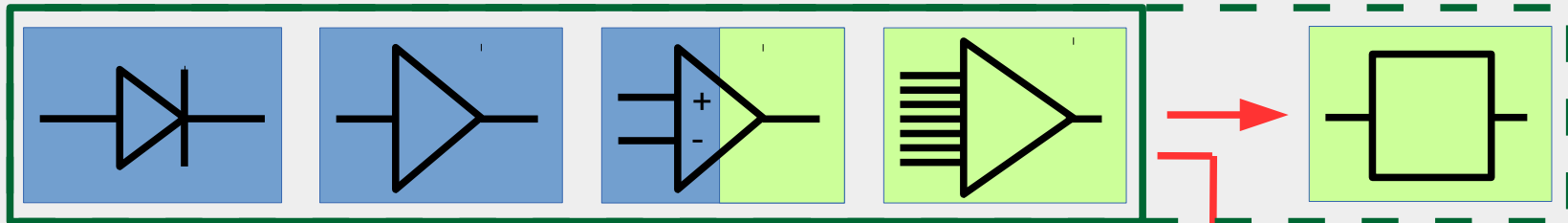
amplifier

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serializer

monolithic design with trigger output



diode

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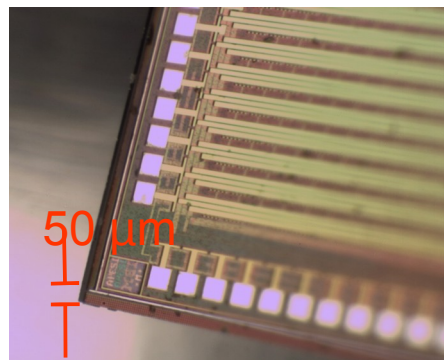
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RO buffer

track trigger (40 MHz)

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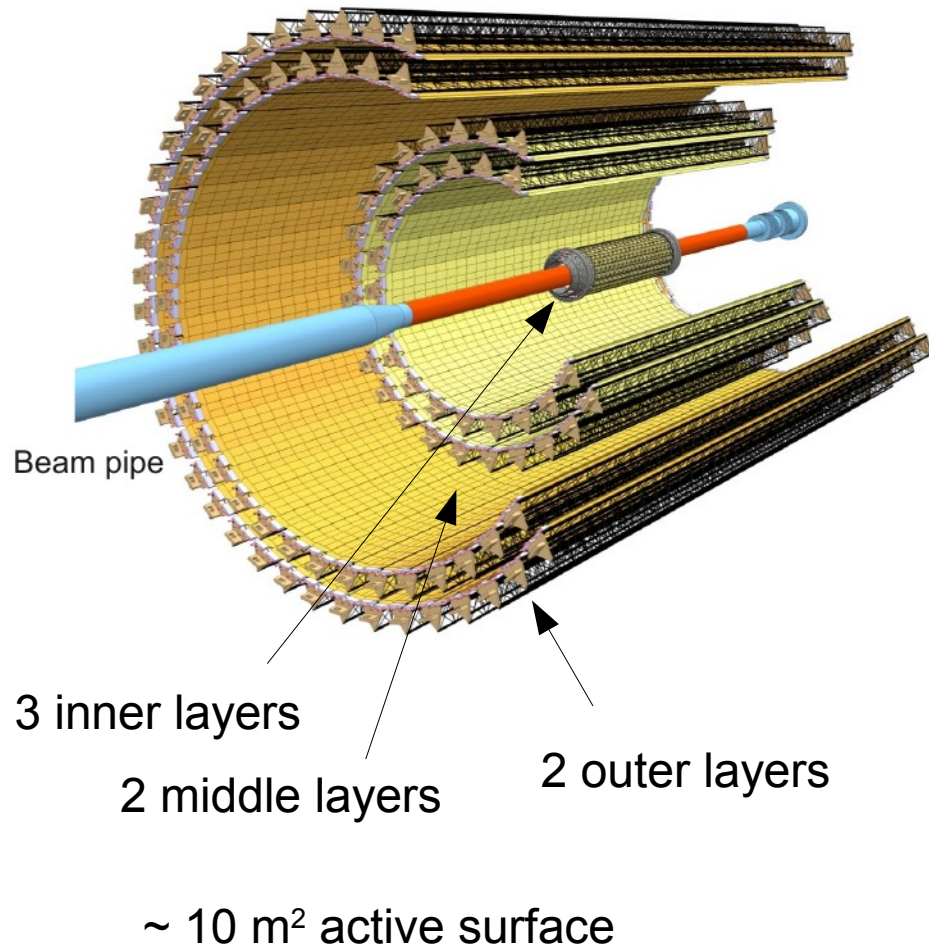


Pixel Detector Comparison

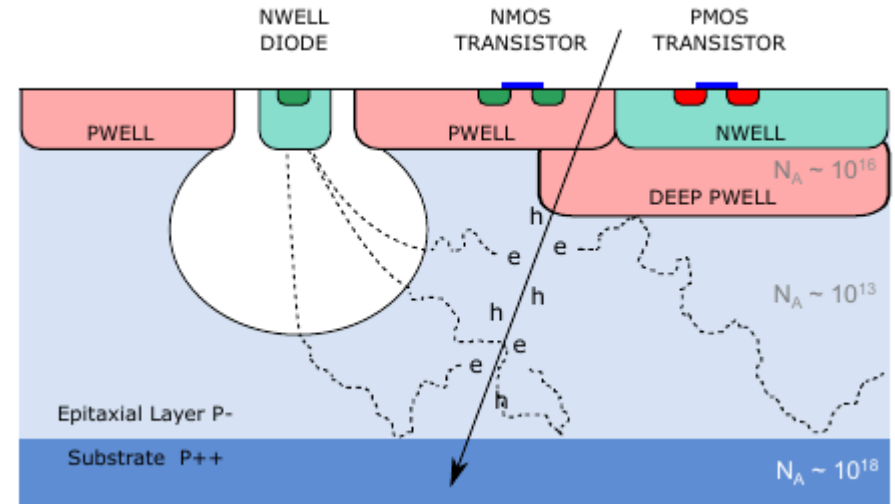
pixel detector	pixel size (μm^2)	thickness/ X_0	monolithic
ATLAS IBL	50 x 250	1.9%	no
CMS (current)	100 x 150	~2.0%	no
CMS (upgrade)	25 x 100 or 50 x 50	~1.1%	no
ALICE (current)	50 x 425	~1.1%	no
ALICE (upgrade)	29 x 27	~0.3%	yes
STAR	21 x 21	~0.4%	yes
Belle II	50 x 75	~0.2%	no
Mu3e	80 x 80	~0.1%	yes

monolithic concept → thin tracking layers with high pixel granularity

ALICE Upgrade: ALPIDE Project



Pixel:

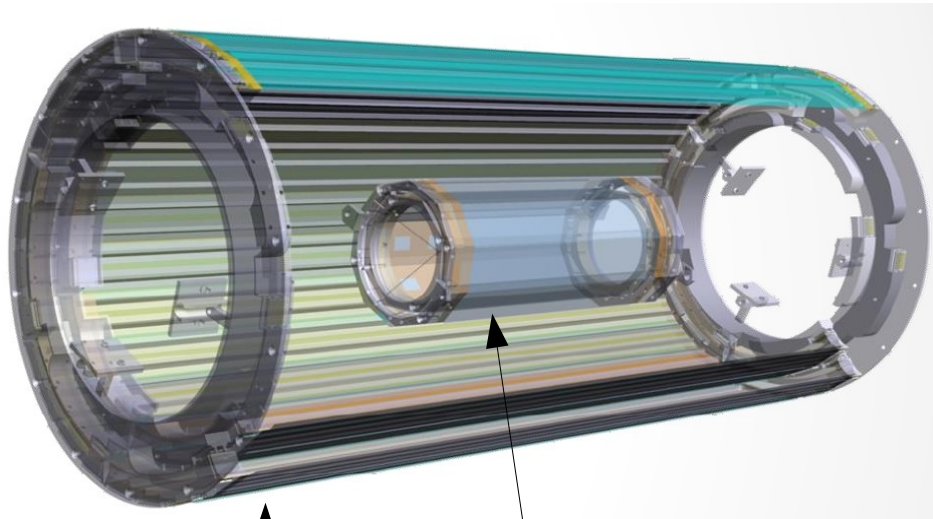


- TowerJazz 180nm with high resistivity epitaxial layer
 - small N-well diode
 - deep p-well shields NWELL of PMOS transistors
 - pixel size 27 x 29 μm
 - charge collection mainly by diffusion
- **slow timing**; not very radiation hard

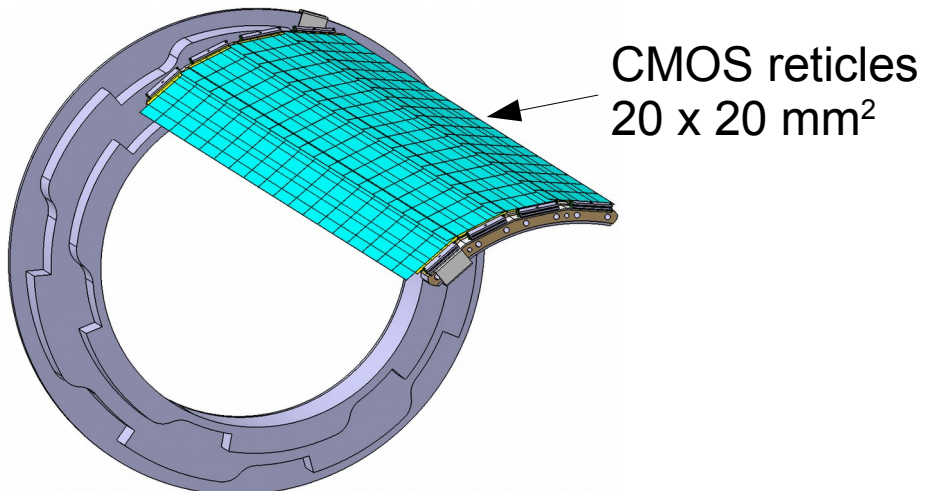
Mupix for Mu3e (Search for $\mu \rightarrow eee$)

→ talks by Dorothea and Alex

Central Mupix pixel tracker



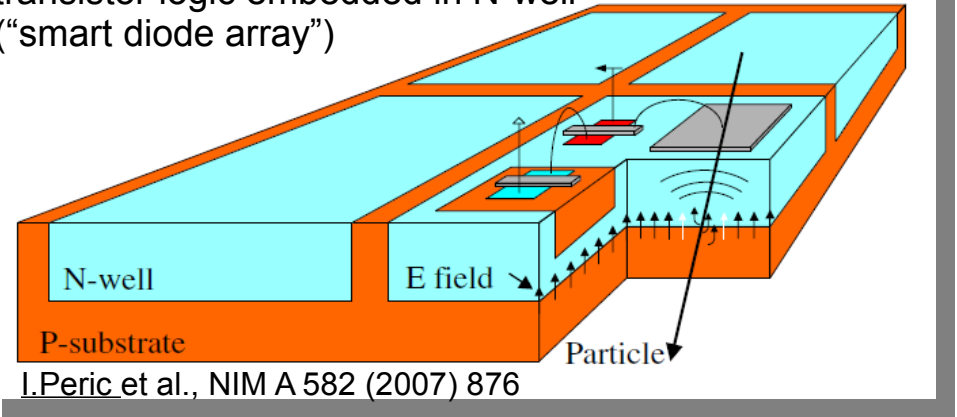
2 outer pixel layers
2 inner vertex layers



CMOS reticles
20 x 20 mm²

High Voltage-Monolithic Active Pixel Sensor (HV-MAPS)

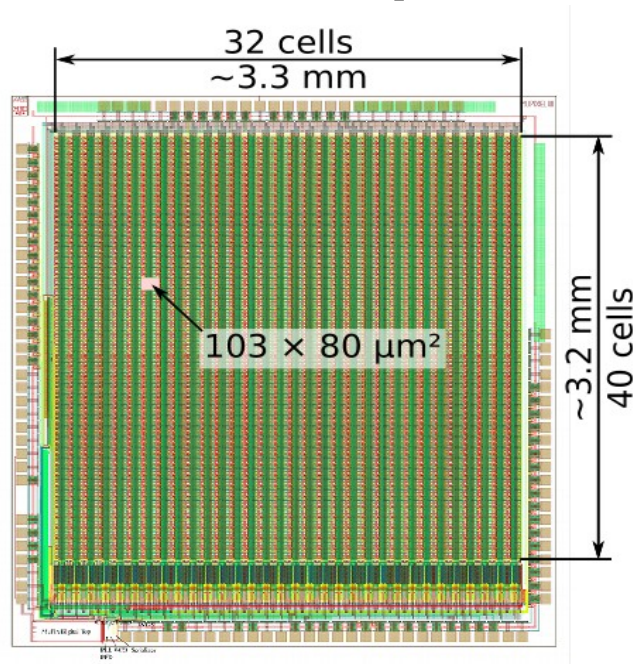
transistor logic embedded in N-well
("smart diode array")



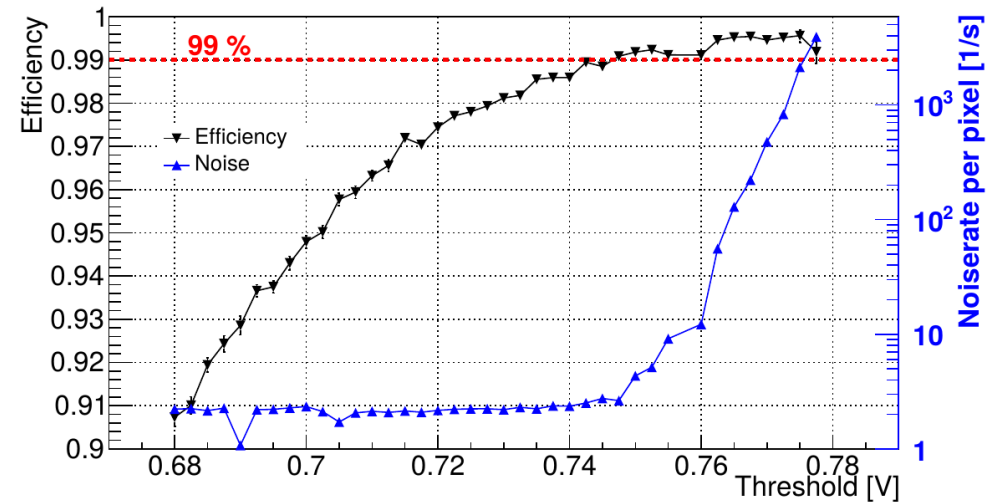
I.Peric et al., NIM A 582 (2007) 876

- **active sensor**
→ **hit finding + digitisation + readout**
- HV-CMOS: 60-85 V (Austria Micro Systems)
- charge collection by drift → **fast timing**
- "low cost" process
- sensor thickness 50 μm
- zero suppressed **continuous readout** of all hits
- fast serial links (1.5 Gbit/s) integrated

Mupix7 Prototype Test Results

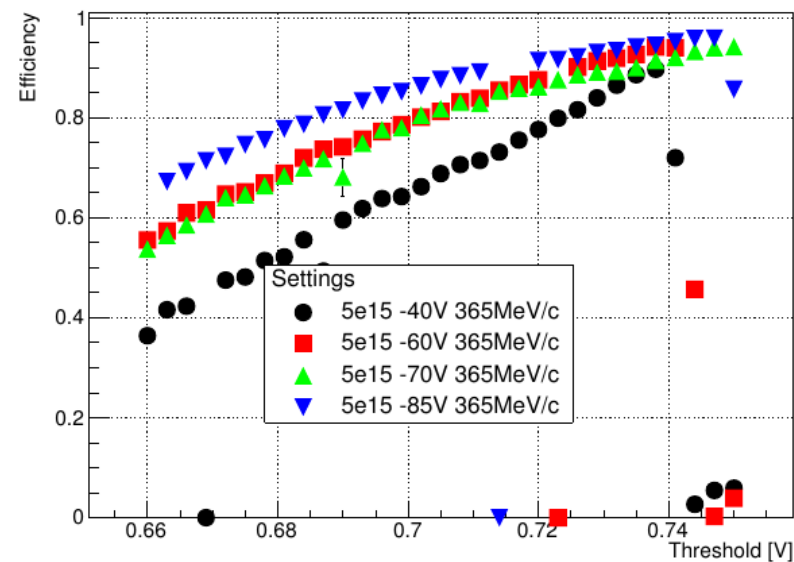


efficiency and noise:

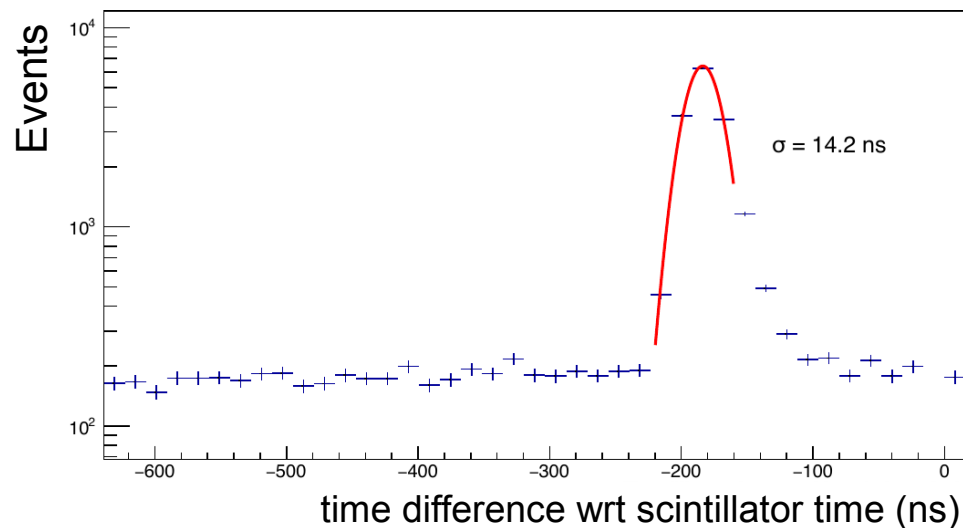


efficiency after irradiating 5e15 neutrons/cm²:

201611_psi_carrier_5e15_eff_hpRemoved.pdf



time resolution of hits:



ATLAS CMOS Demonstrator Project

CMOS technologies considered for (non-)monolithic CMOS designs:

- AMS (Austria Microsystems) 180 nm HV-CMOS (Depleted MAPS)
 - charge collection mainly by **drift**
- Lfoundry 150nm with high resistivity substrate (Depleted MAPS)
 - charge collection mainly by **drift**
- TowerJazz 150nm with epitaxial layer (low fill factor)
 - charge collection mainly by **diffusion**
- TSMC 90 nm with epitaxial layer (low fill factor)
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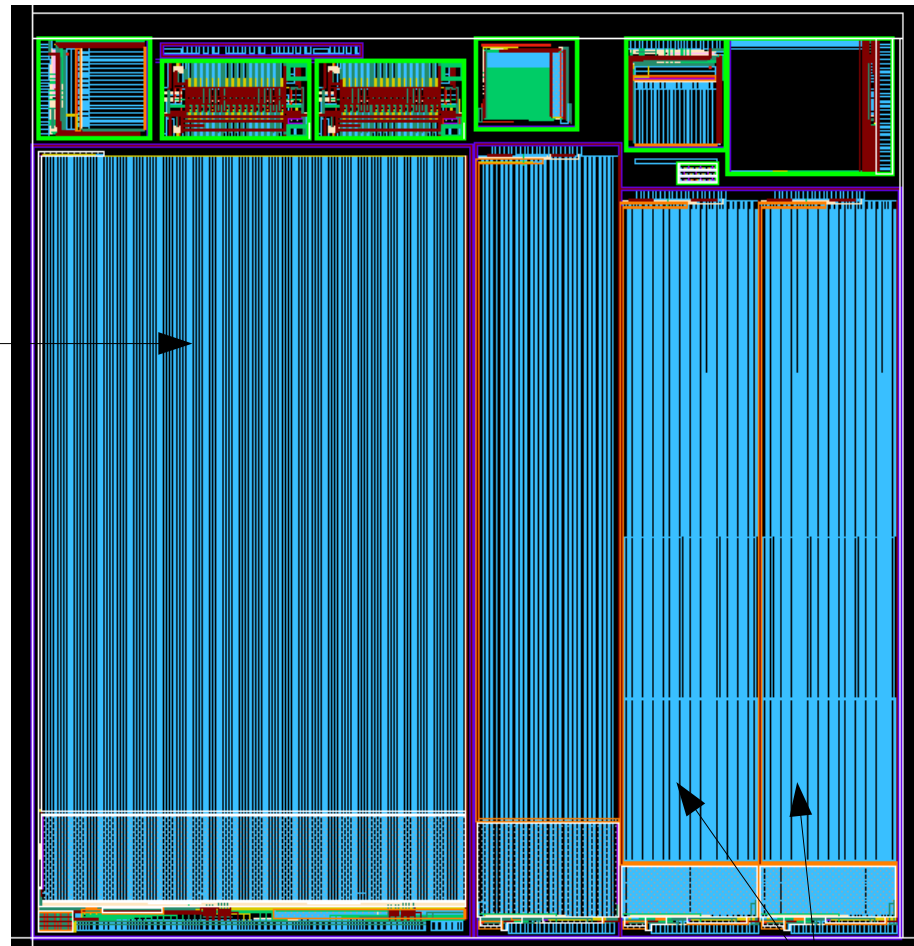
Recent Monolithic Pixel Chip Submission

AMS aH18 process

- HV-CMOS 180 nm
- being diced right now

Mupix8 for Mu3e (+LHC)

- 80 x 80 μm^2 pixel
- comparator in periphery
- **track trigger outputs**



23mm

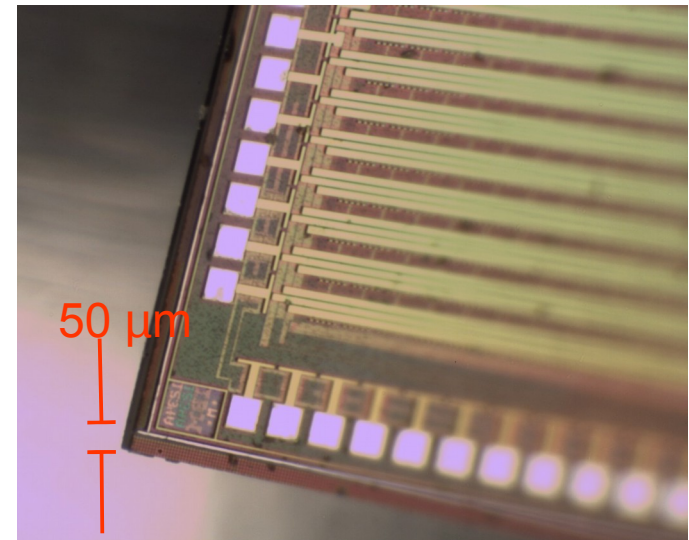
main designer I.Peric (KIT)

dedicated test structures

- 40 x 130 μm^2 pixel
- comparator in pixel
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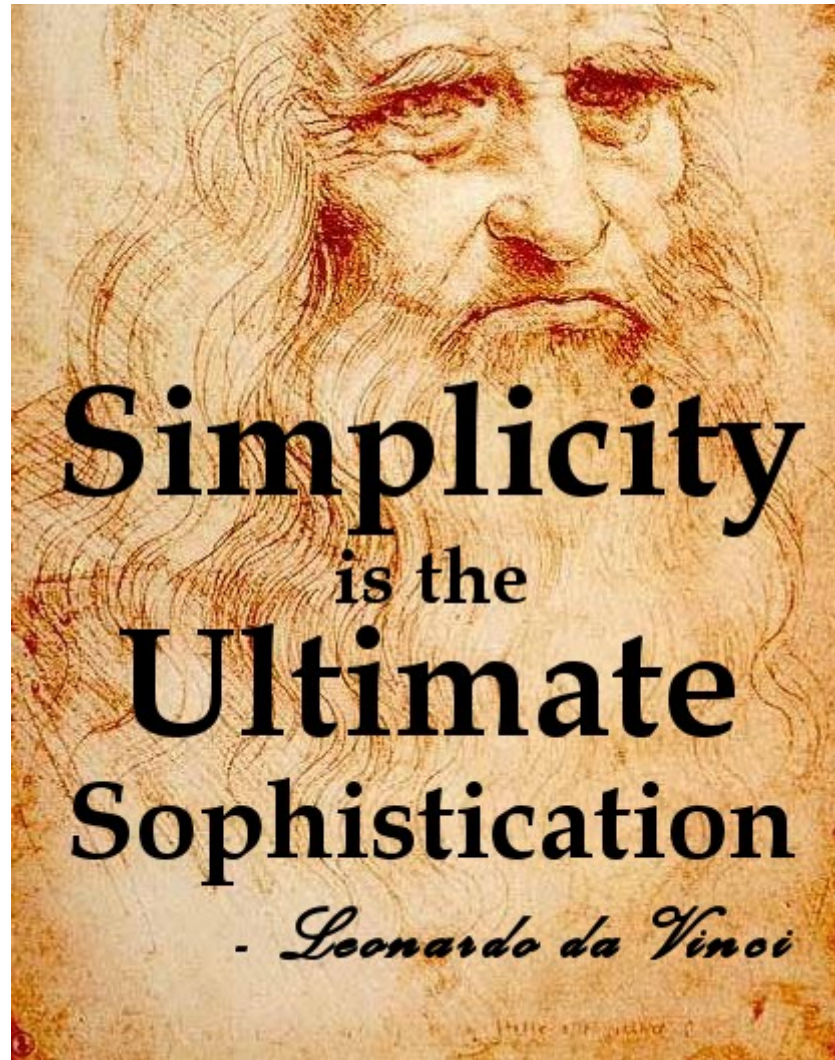


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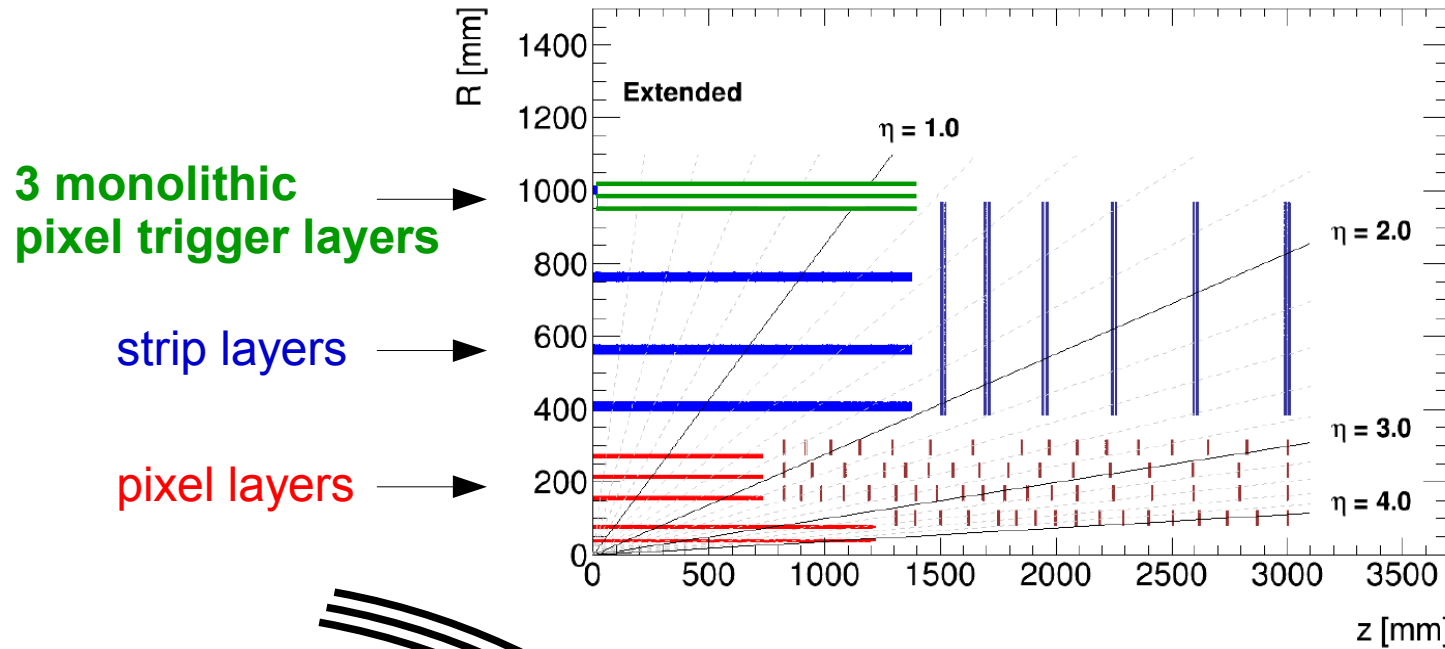
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Simple Track Trigger Design

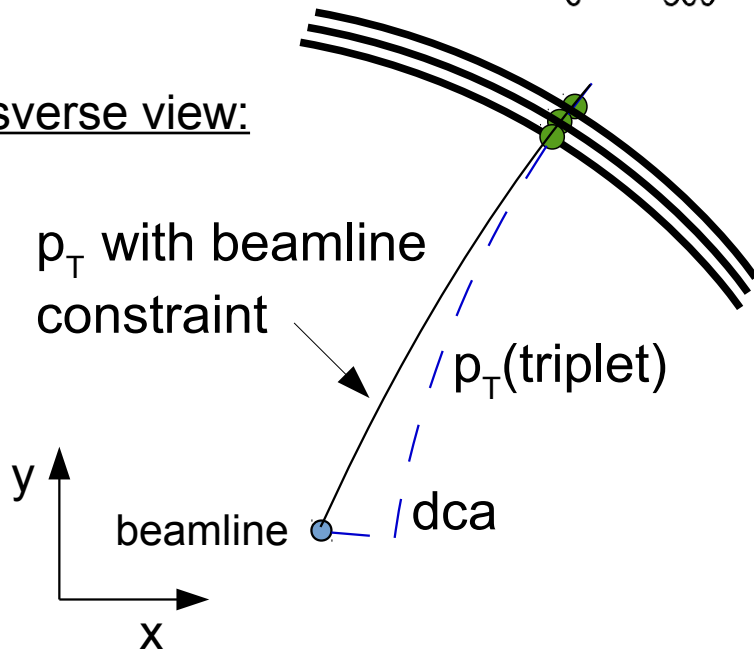


Studied Track Trigger Design (ATLAS-"inspired")

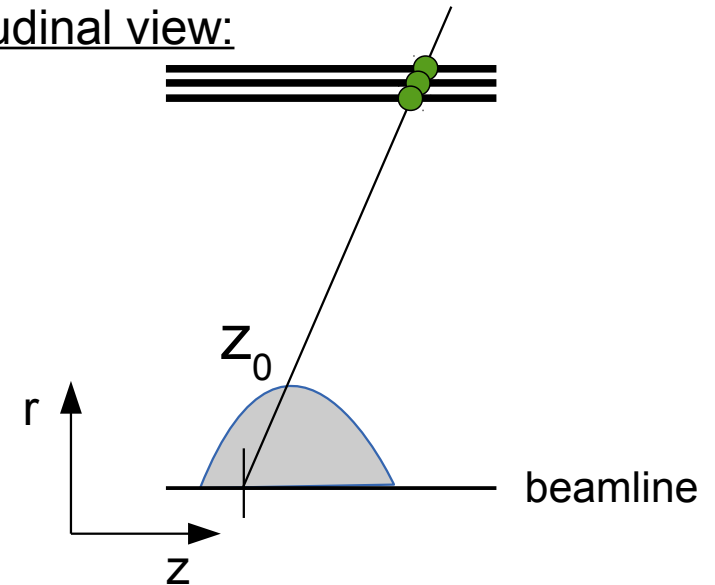


only **local** hit processing is required!

transverse view:



longitudinal view:



Optimal Distance between Trigger Layers?

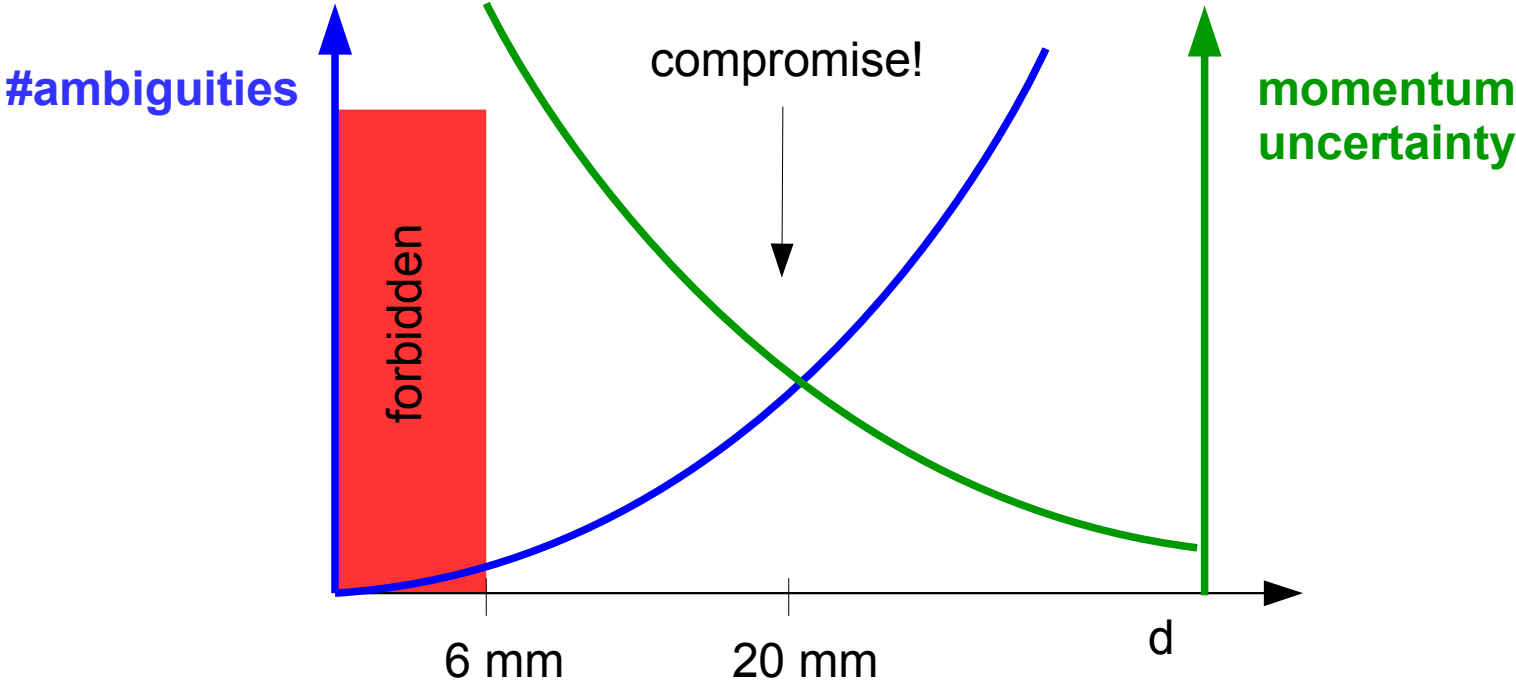
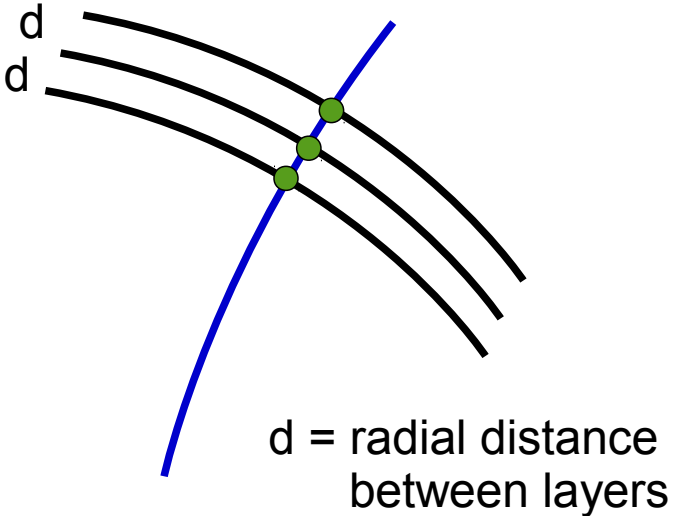
Momentum measurement only possible if:

$$d^2 > 8b^2 \chi_{cut}^2 \quad \text{with} \quad b = 45 \text{ mm} \frac{\text{Tesla}}{B} \sqrt{x/X_0}$$

(multiple scattering limit for tracking → arXiv:1606.04990)

for $\chi_{cut}^2 = 15$, $B = 2 \text{ Tesla}$, $\frac{x}{X_0} = 0.01$

follows: $d > 6 \text{ mm}$



Simulation Study

Simulation Setup

- fast simulation including all electromagnetic IA (brems, photon conversions)
- upgraded LHC scenario: proton-proton collision with 200 pileup events
- monolithic triplet layers with $40 \times 40 \mu\text{m}^2$ pixel size at radius = 100 cm with $d=2\text{cm}$
- Material per tracking layer $1.5\% X_0$
- cylindrical geometry

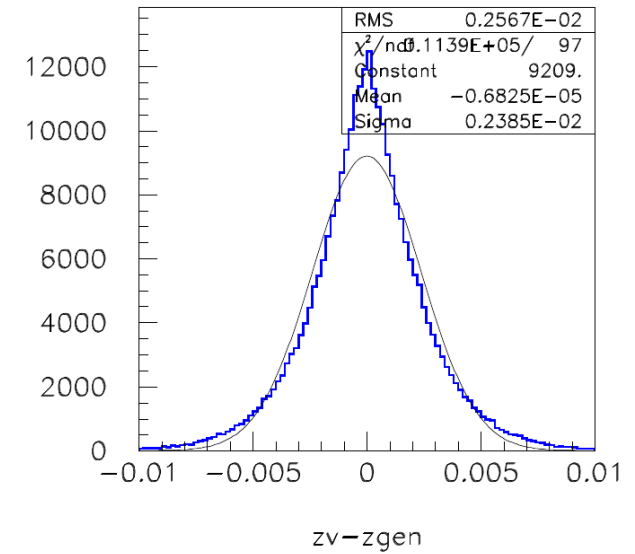
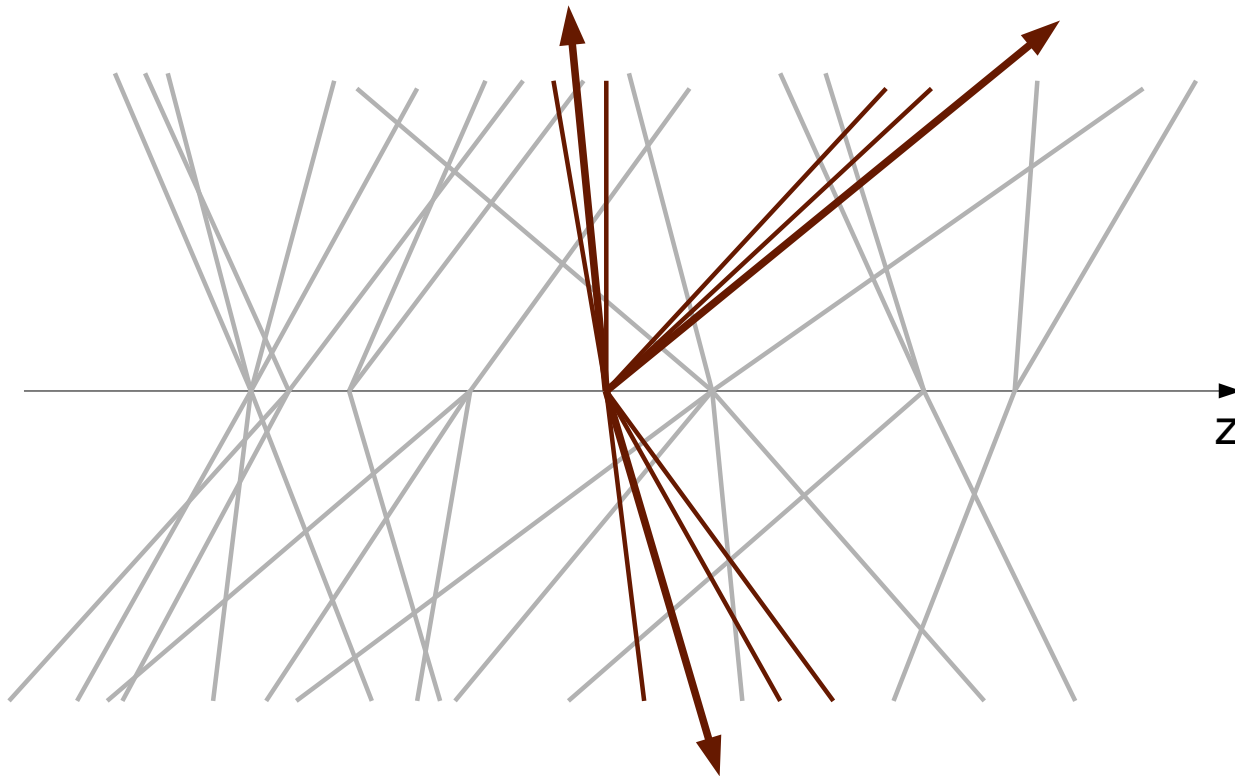
Monte Carlo Samples

- Pythia 8 for MinBias events for purity studies
- $Z' \rightarrow t\bar{t}$ with $m(Z')=3 \text{ TeV}$ for efficiency studies
- (HH $\rightarrow b\bar{b} \tau \tau$)

→ first preliminary results

Simulated Z_0 Resolution

event vertex can be reconstruction with a resolution of a few mm in z-direction (depends on tracker material)

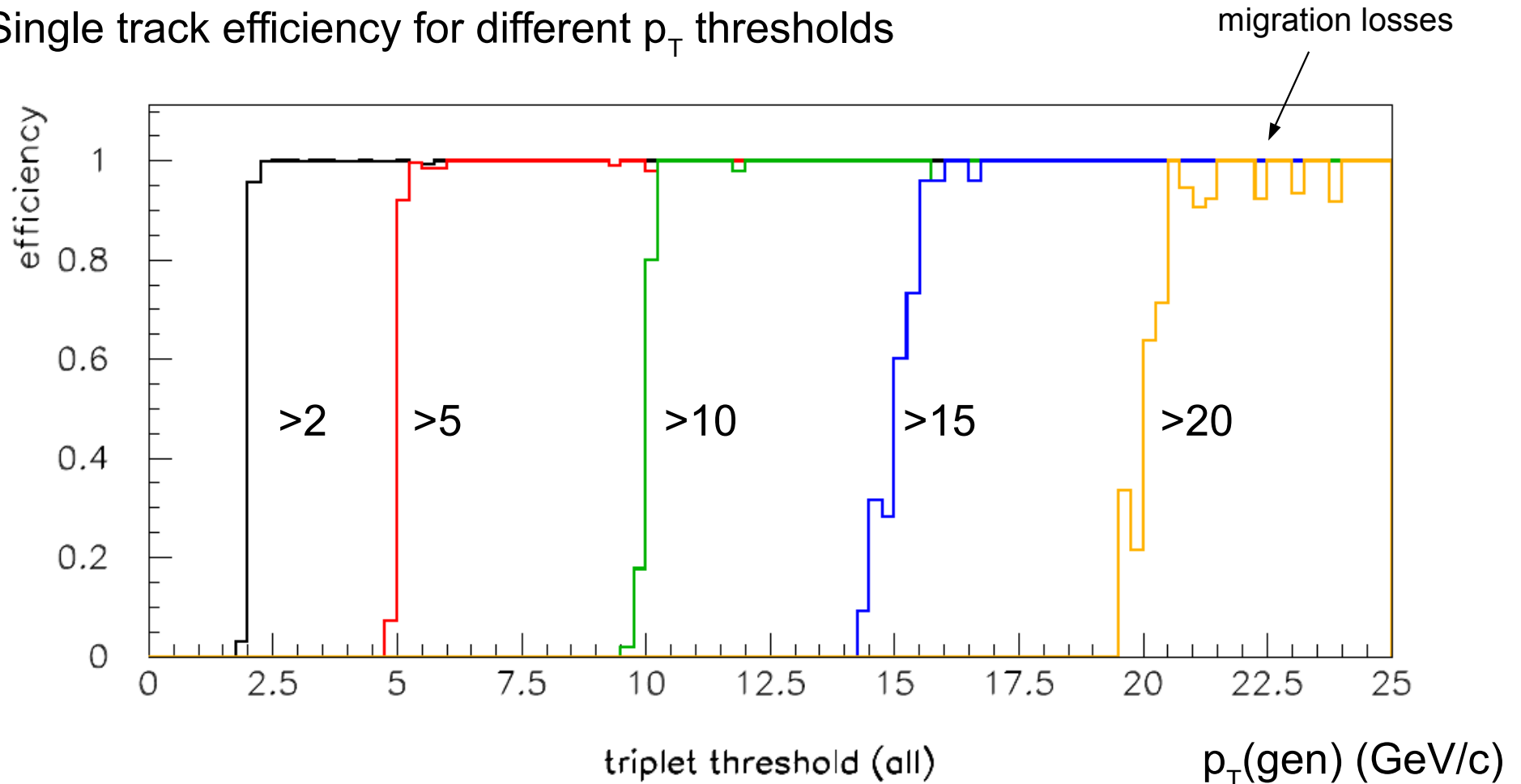


$$\sigma(z_0) \sim 2.5 \text{ mm}$$

→ good separation of pileup events possible!

Track Finding Efficiency

Single track efficiency for different p_T thresholds



- Track reconstruction efficiency $\sim 100\%$ *
- Track purity is close to 100% (not shown)

* assuming 100%
single hit efficiency

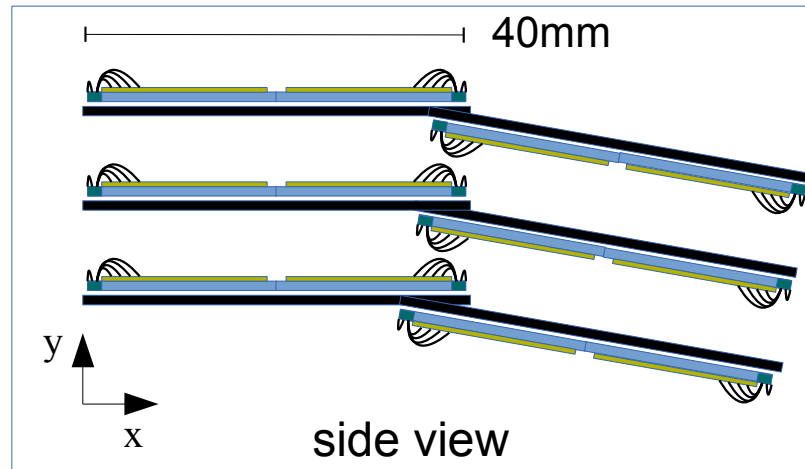
Conclusion

- **Monolithic pixel sensors are ideal for realizing track triggers**
- **Prototypes of depleted MAPS have been successfully qualified for HL-LHC within the ATLAS CMOS demonstrator project; new test chips are being produced**
- **Reconstruction of all tracks for PU=200 @ 40 MHz seems possible with high efficiency and purity using a special tracker design (stacked layers)**
- **Such a track trigger could trigger on isolated leptons, multi-jet topologies, etc.**
- **Studies are ongoing ...**

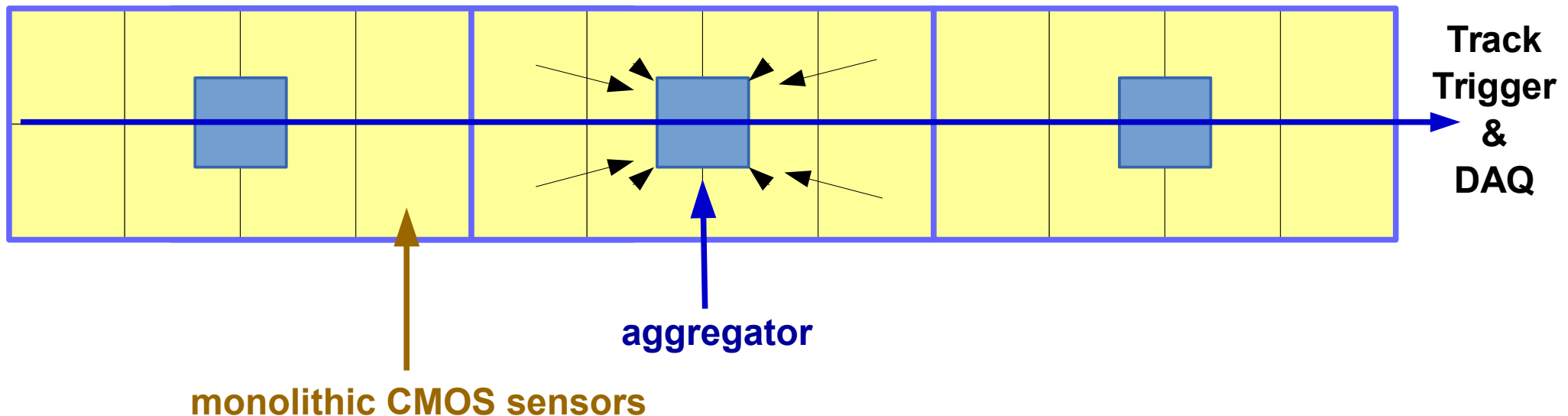
Outlook

Study concrete designs using full GEANT simulation:

example layout:

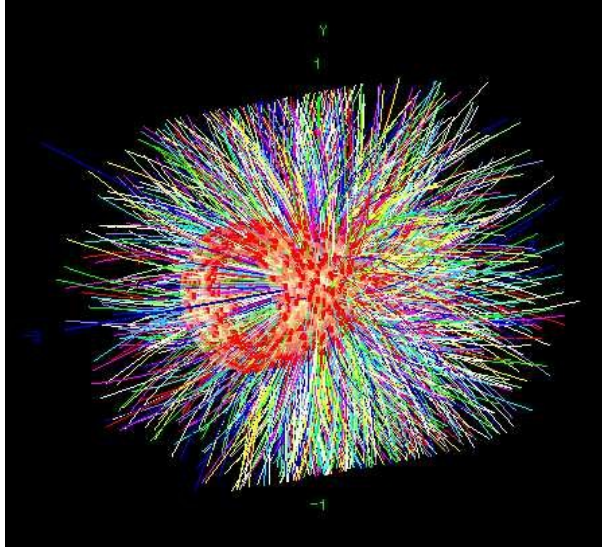


top view of one ladder:



Backup

Typical LHC Experiment



- $O(10000)$ charged tracks at HL-LHC
- material budget $\sim 2-3\%$ / layer
- 10-12 layers per experiment for $R \leq 1\text{m}$

Uncertainties:

- hit resolution $\sim 15 \mu\text{m} \rightarrow \sigma_{\theta} \approx 0.15 \text{ mrad}$
- scattering: $\sigma_{\theta} \propto \frac{1}{p} \sqrt{X/X_0} \rightarrow p_{\text{crit}} = 15 \text{ GeV/c}$

$p \leq 10 \text{ GeV/c}$

- multiple scattering uncertainty dominates
- **$\sim 99\%$ of particles**

$p \geq 10 \text{ GeV/c}$

- hit uncertainty dominates
- $\sim 1\%$ of particles

