

# Heavy Flavor Physics with the sPHENIX MAPS Vertex Tracker Upgrade

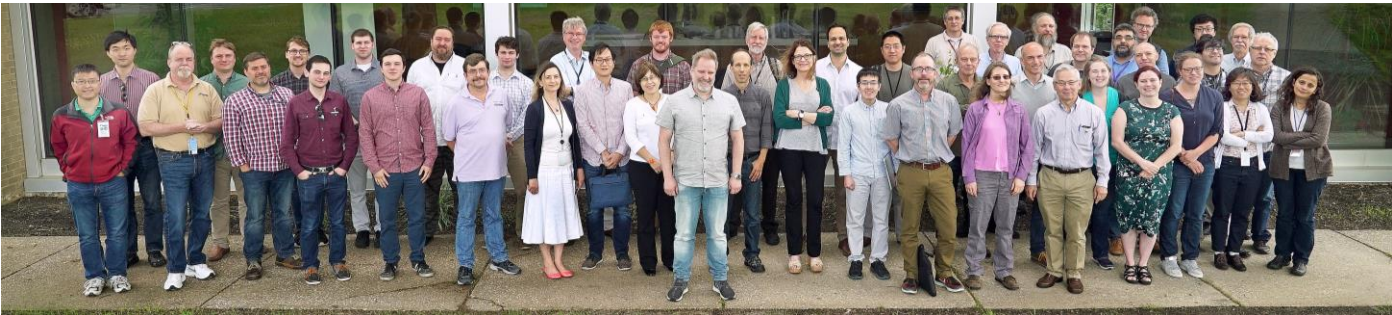
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## List of Recognized Experiments

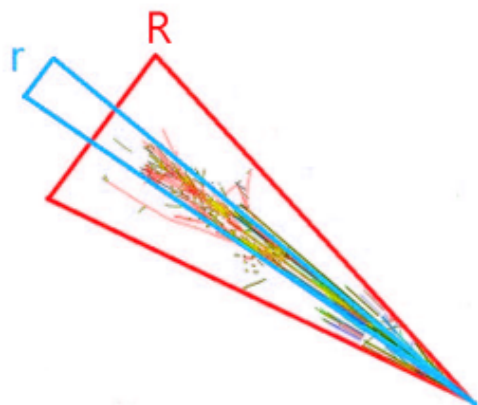


Ref.	Experiment	RE status at CERN	
		since	until
RE 33	LIGO	2016	31-MAR-2022
RE 34	JUNO	2017	31-MAR-2020
RE 35	SNO+	2017	31-MAR-2020
RE 36	Mu3e	2018	31-MAR-2021
RE 37	DarkSide 20k	2018	31-MAR-2021
RE 38	DAMIC-M	2019	31-MAR-2022
RE 39	sPHENIX	2019	31-MAR-2022



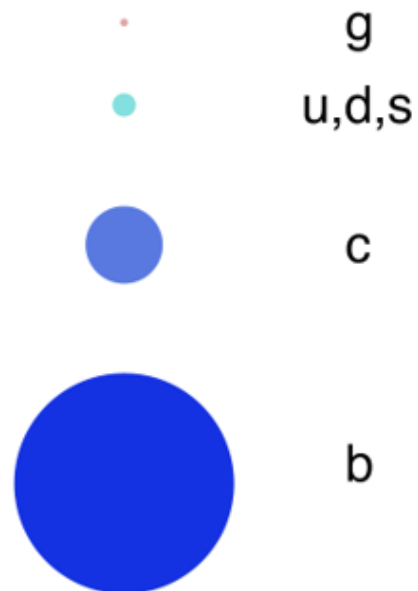
## Jet cor. & substructure

Vary momentum/angular size of probe



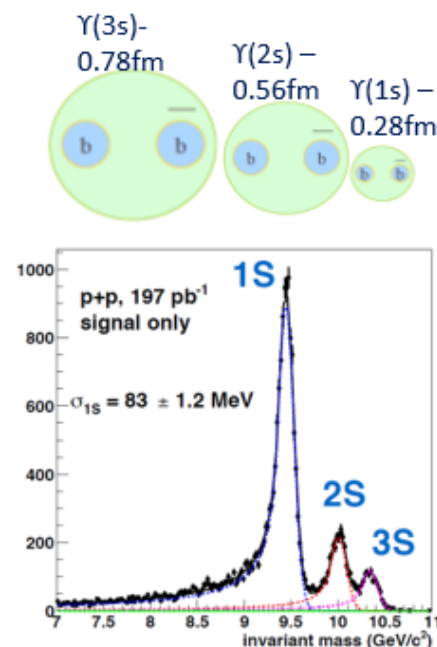
## Parton energy loss

Vary mass/momentum of probe



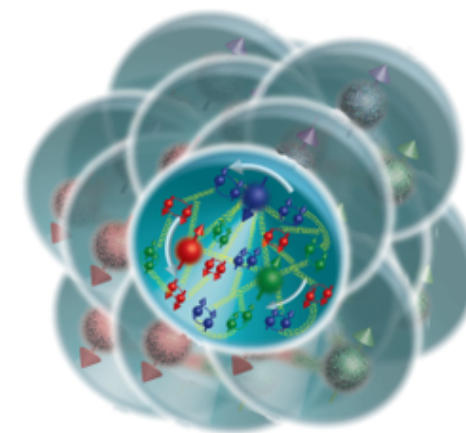
## Upsilon spectroscopy

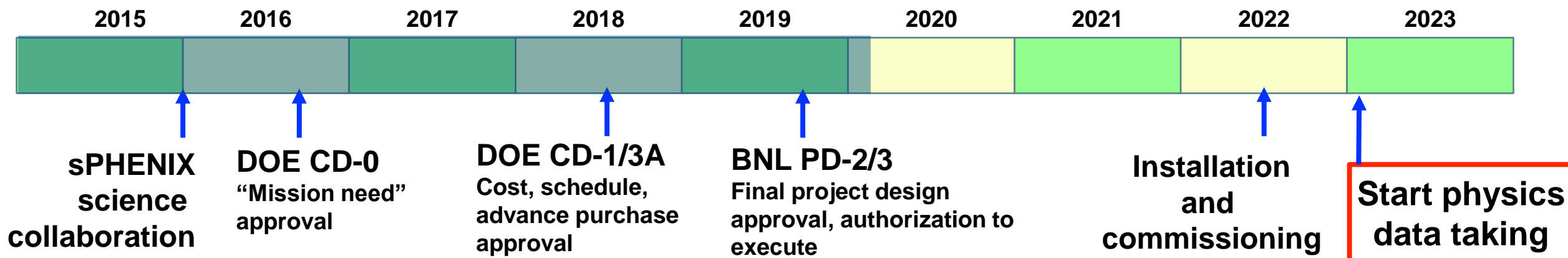
Vary size of the probe



## Cold QCD

Vary temperature of QCD matter





Year	Species	Energy [GeV]	Phys. Wks	Rec. Lum.	Samp. Lum.	Samp. Lum. All-Z
Year-1	Au+Au	200	16.0	7 nb <sup>-1</sup>	8.7 nb <sup>-1</sup>	34 nb <sup>-1</sup>
Year-2	p+p	200	11.5	—	48 pb <sup>-1</sup>	267 pb <sup>-1</sup>
Year-2	p+Au	200	11.5	—	0.33 pb <sup>-1</sup>	1.46 pb <sup>-1</sup>
Year-3	Au+Au	200	23.5	14 nb <sup>-1</sup>	26 nb <sup>-1</sup>	88 nb <sup>-1</sup>
Year-4	p+p	200	23.5	—	149 pb <sup>-1</sup>	783 pb <sup>-1</sup>
Year-5	Au+Au	200	23.5	14 nb <sup>-1</sup>	48 nb <sup>-1</sup>	92 nb <sup>-1</sup>



# The sPHENIX Detector

Time Projection  
Chamber (TPC)

Intermediate  
Tracker (INTT)

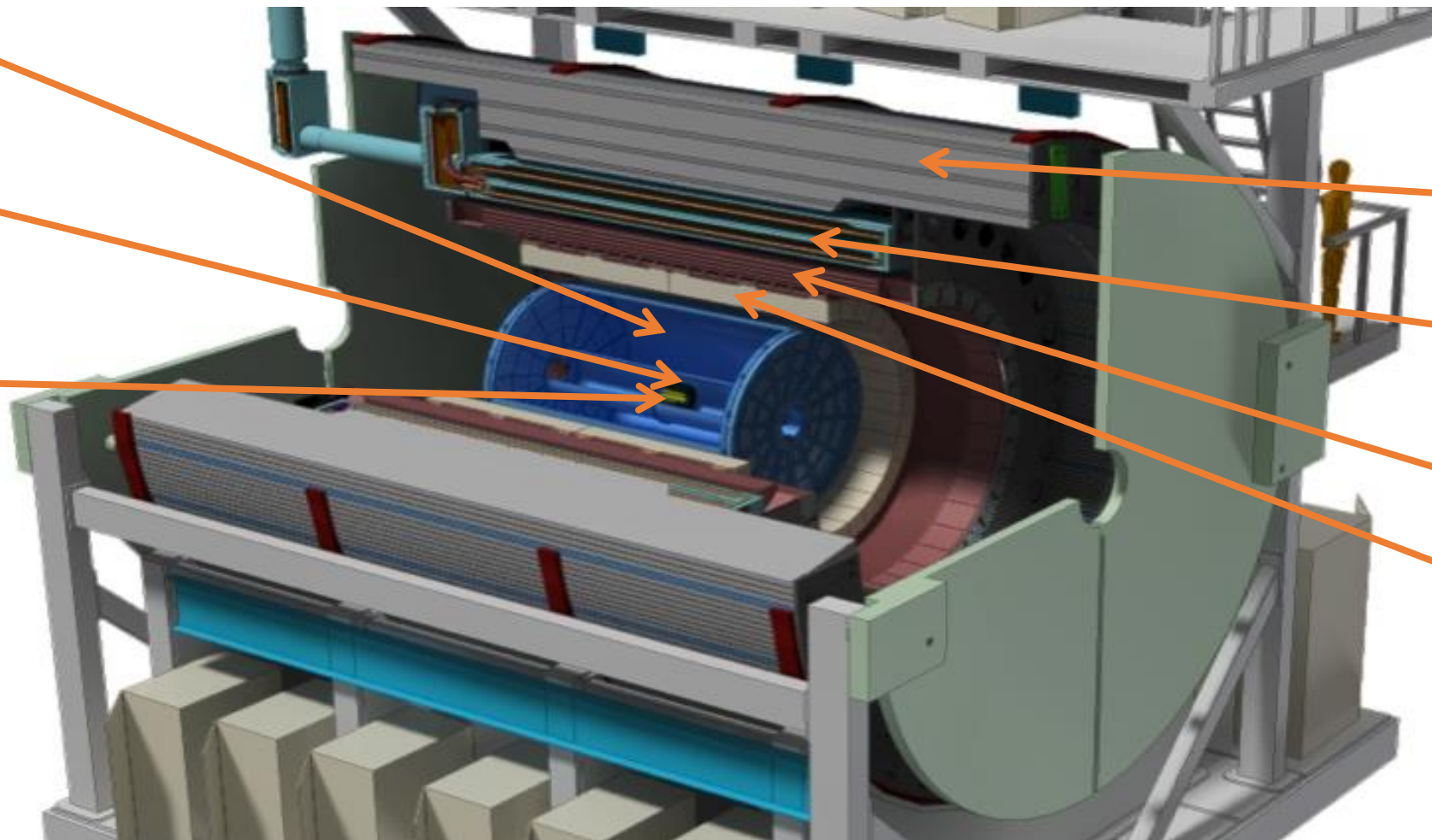
MAPS-based Vertex  
Tracker (MVTX)

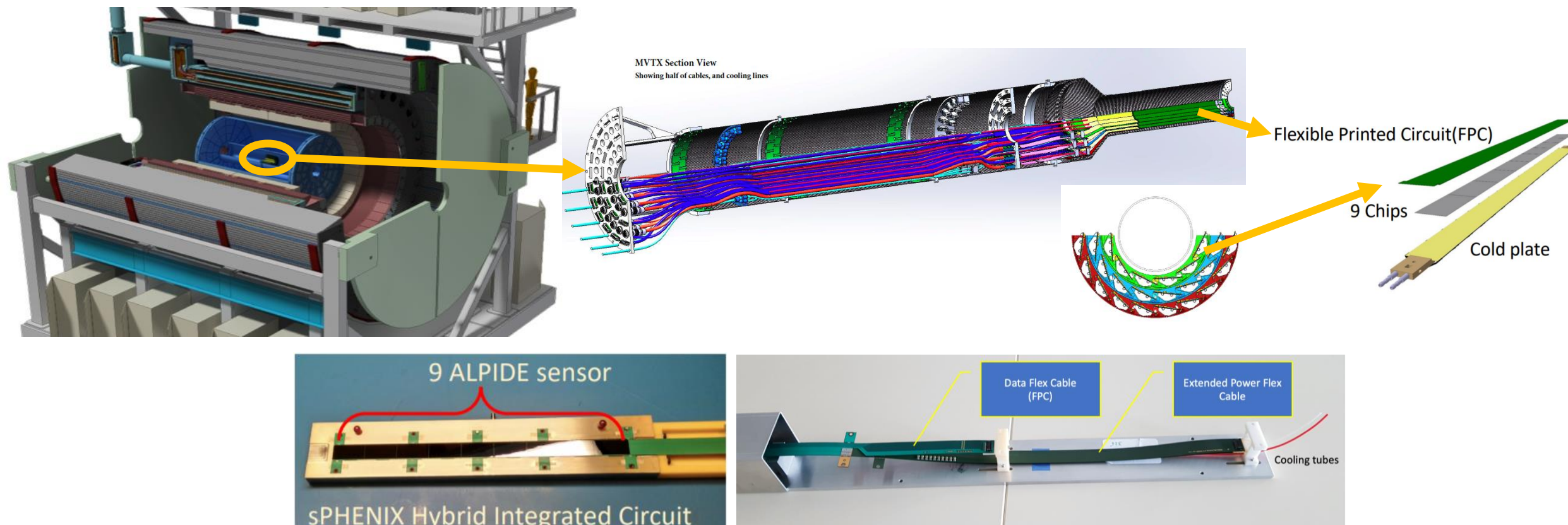
Outer HCAL

SC Magnet

Inner HCAL

EMCAL

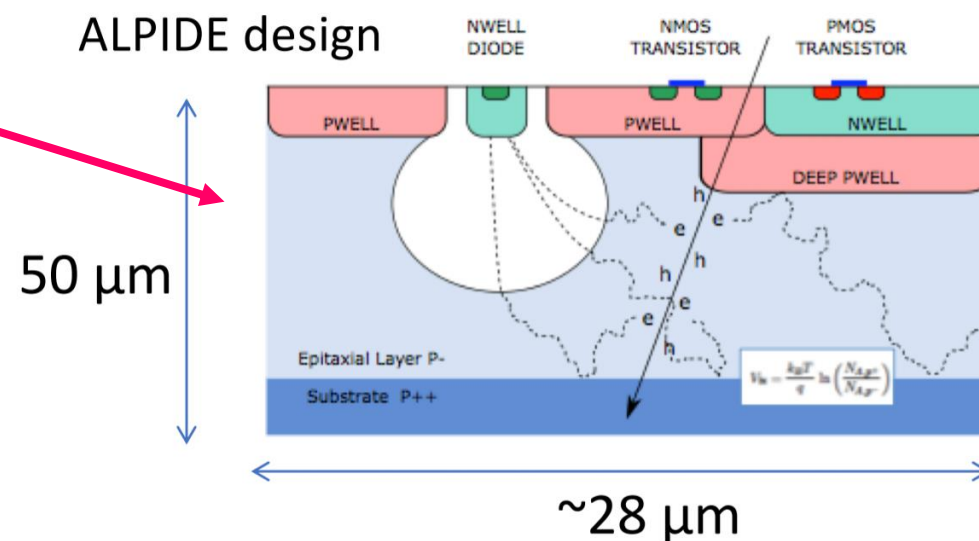
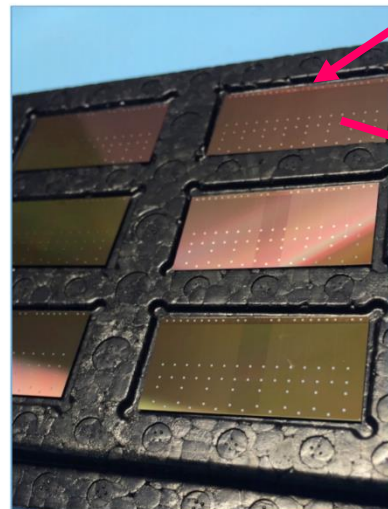
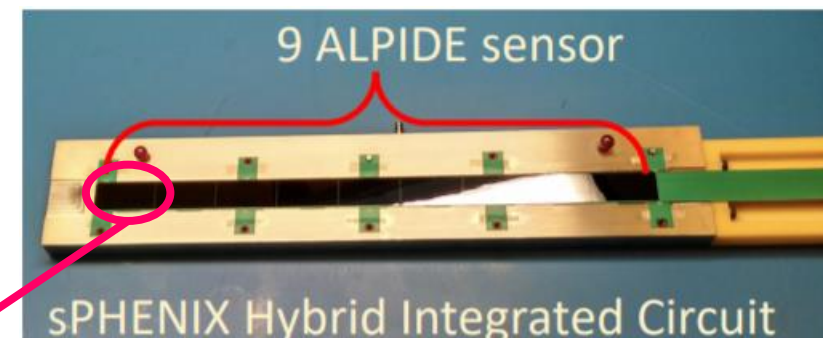




- Staves are identical to ALICE inner barrel staves, except for leads
- Produced in CERN facility operated by ALICE

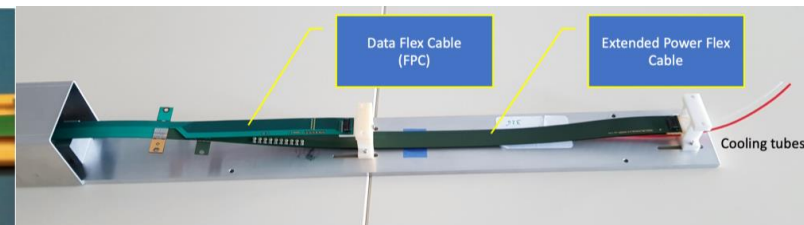
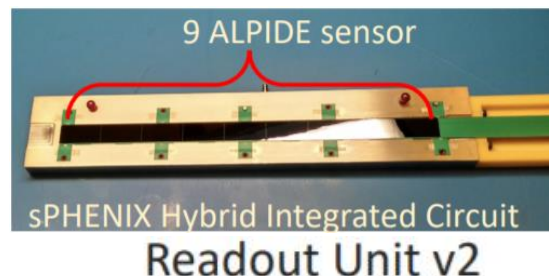
- Monolithic Active Pixel Sensor (MAPS)-based detector
- Basic unit: ALPIDE sensors
  - 27 x 29  $\mu\text{m}$  pitch
  - $<5 \mu\text{s}$  time resolution
  - 1024 x 512 pixels
  - Efficiency  $> 99\%$
  - Fake rate  $<10^{-6}$
  - Thin ( $<50 \mu\text{m}$ ,  $0.3\% X_0$ )
  - On-chip digitization
  - Low-power ( $50 \text{ mW}/\text{cm}^2$ )

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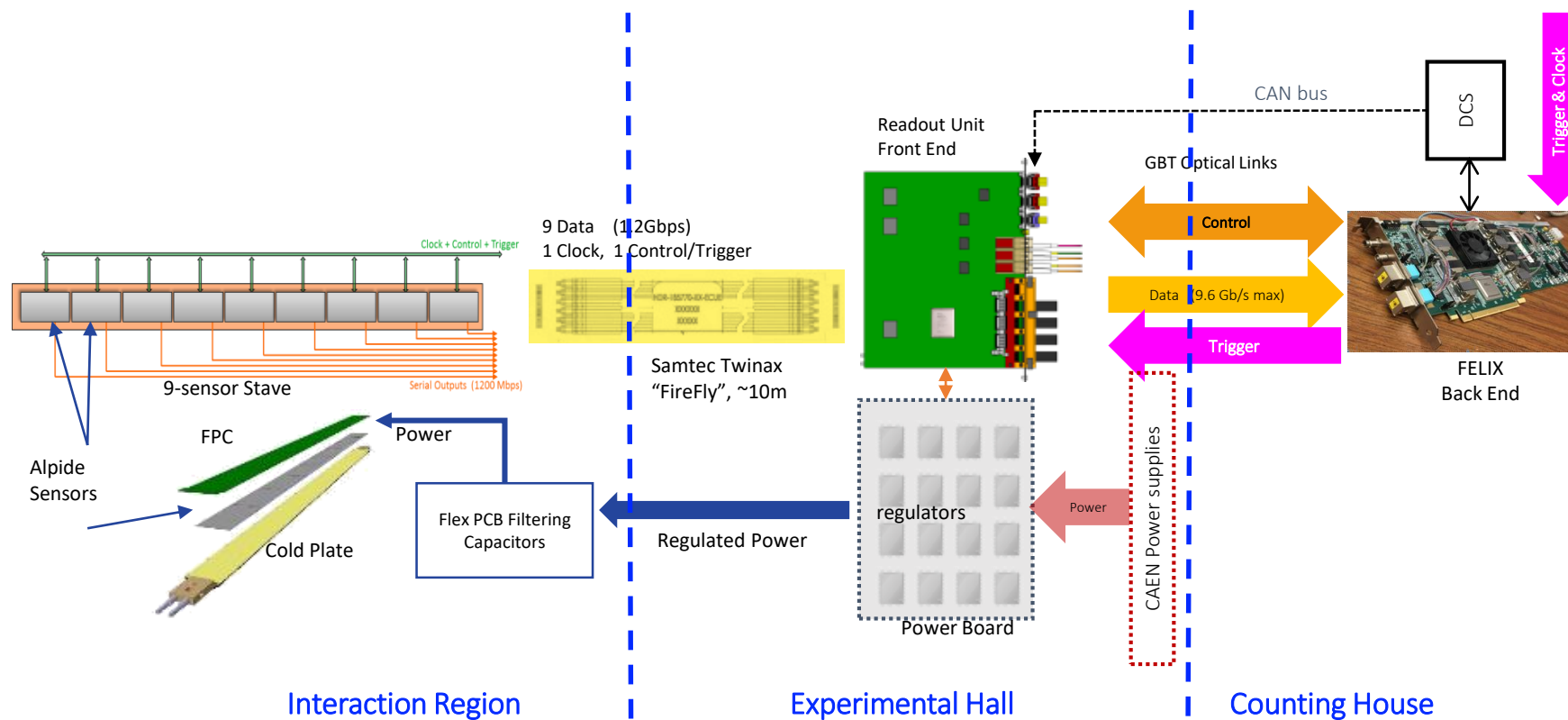
- 5 staves ready, 15 awaiting final analysis over next 2 weeks
- 48 staves completed by end of year
- 60 Readout Units awaiting testing at CERN
- 6 FELIX cards in production (ATLAS hardware)
- Preparing for stave testing and metrology at LBNL
- Services (racks and power): preliminary design finalized for MVTX



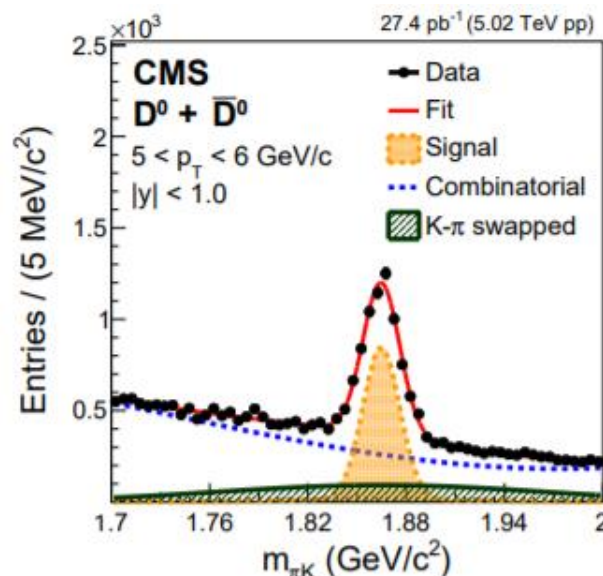
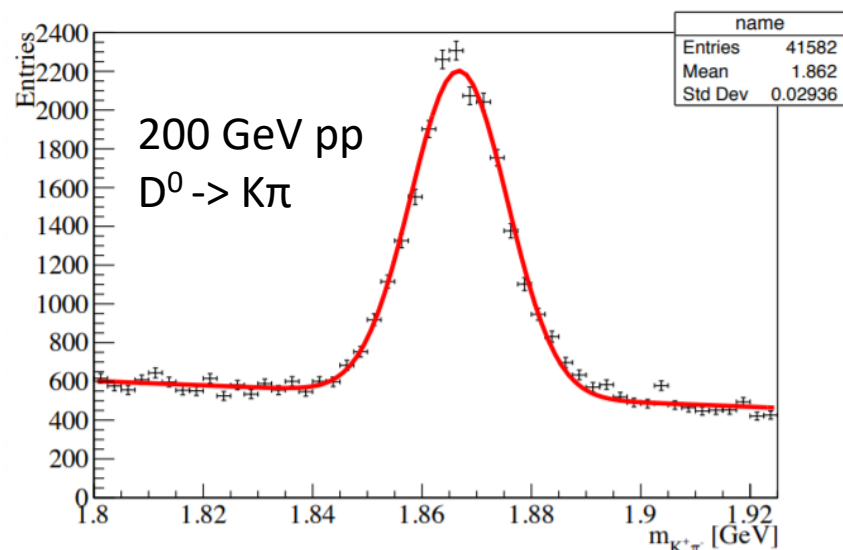
Data Assembly Module (FELIX v2)



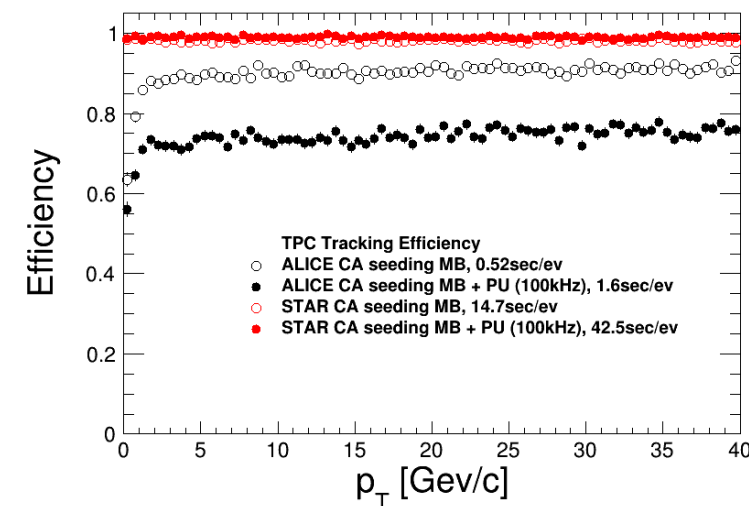




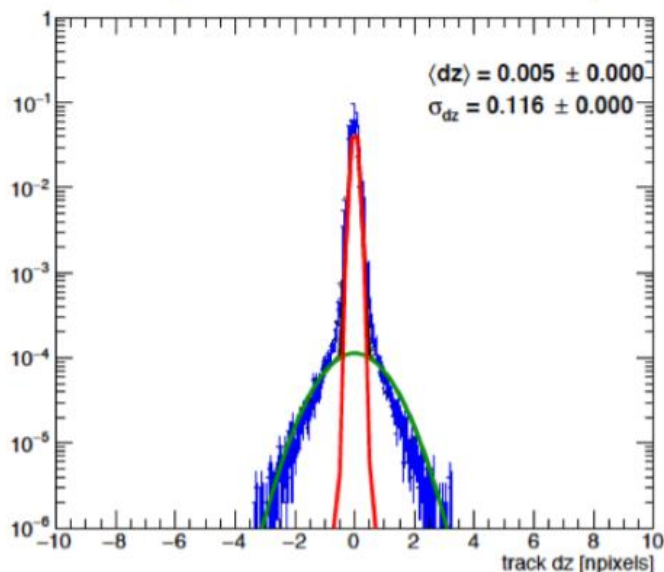
- Readout Unit firmware and software identical to ALICE
- Firmware design in progress for GigaBit Transceiver (GBT) communication:
  - Slow Control Adapter (SCA)
  - Single Word Transaction (SWT)



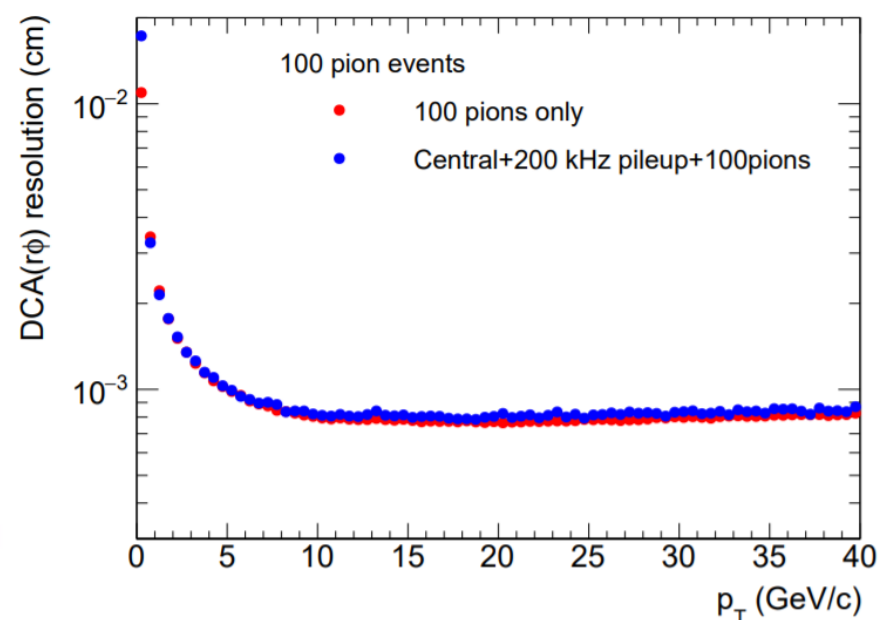
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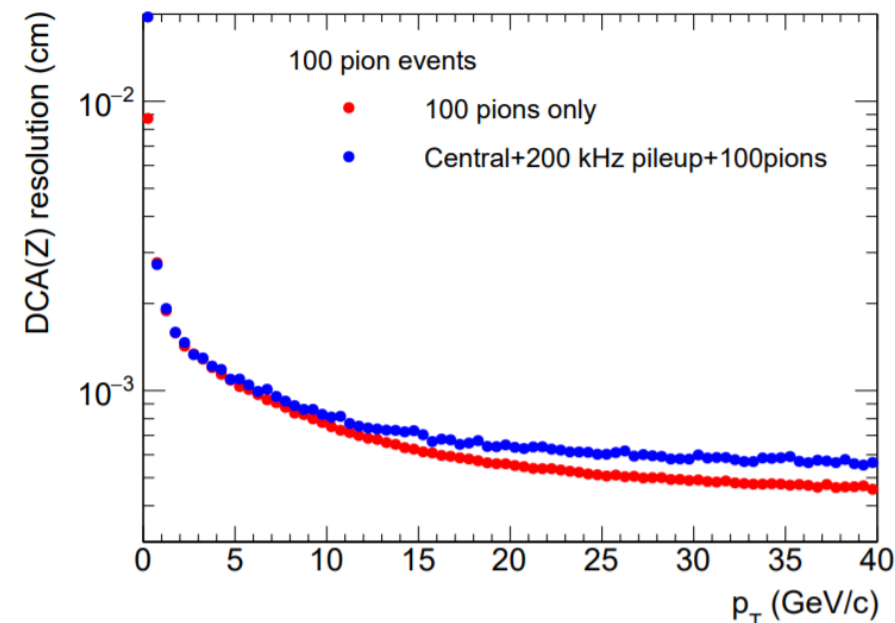
- KFParticle (Kalman Filter decay reconstruction) successfully implemented for two-pronged  $D^0$  decay
- Cellular Automaton (CA) track seeding: optimizing for efficiency, approaching goal of 5 seconds/event
- ACTS (ATLAS open source tracking software) implementation in progress



Hit spatial resolution



$r\phi$  DCA resolution

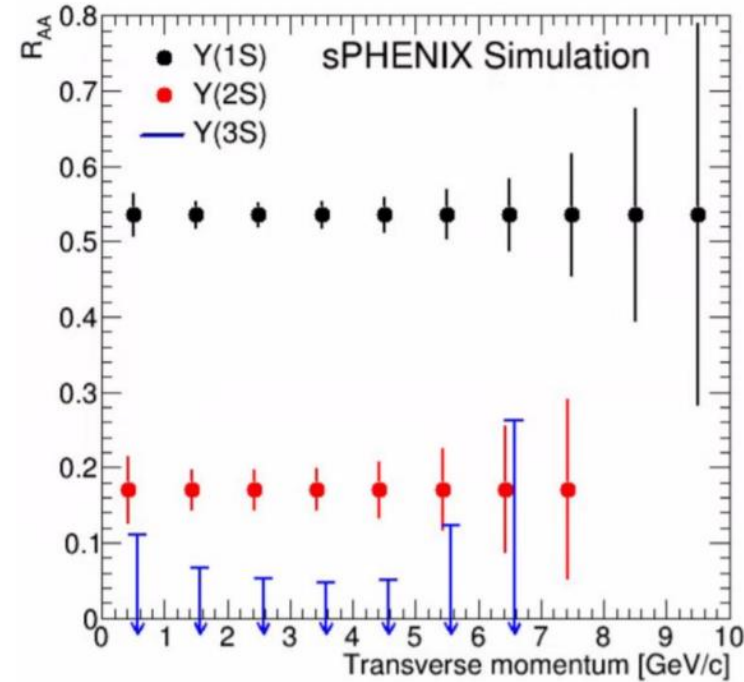
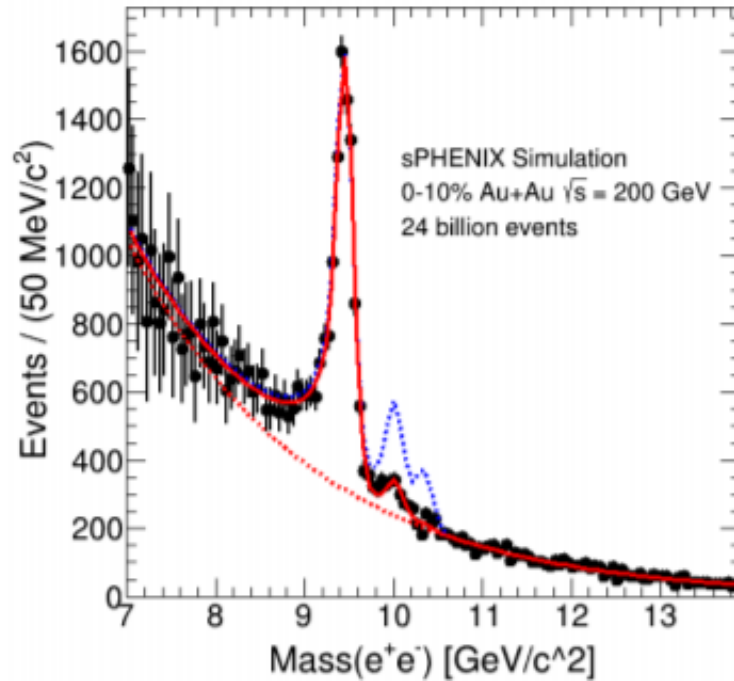


Z DCA resolution

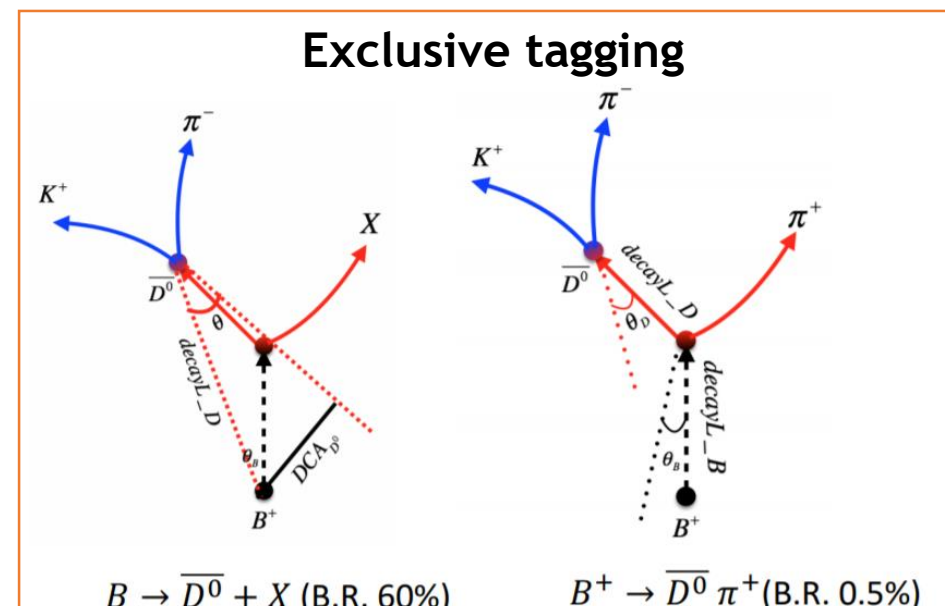
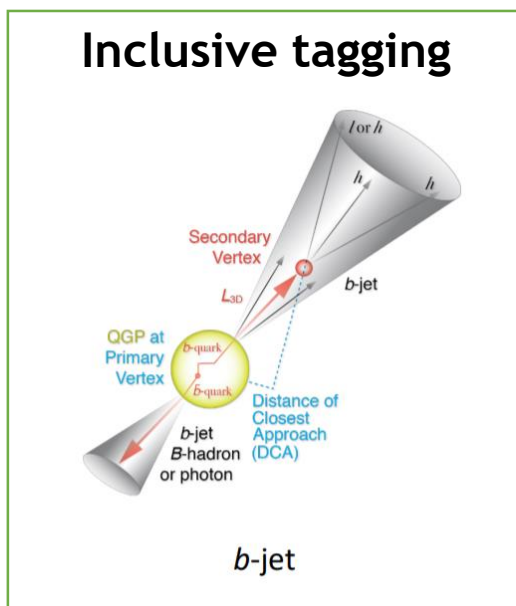
- Hit spatial resolution of  $< 5 \mu\text{m}$
- Contributes high-performance vertexing to integrated tracking program



# Heavy Flavor Physics Performance Projections



- Mass resolution of sPHENIX tracking allows clear separation of  $\Upsilon$  states for the **first time** at RHIC!
- Makes possible precision measurements of  $\Upsilon(1S)$  and  $\Upsilon(2S)$   $R_{AA}$ 
  - Upsilon melting observations for  $0 < p_T < 7$  GeV

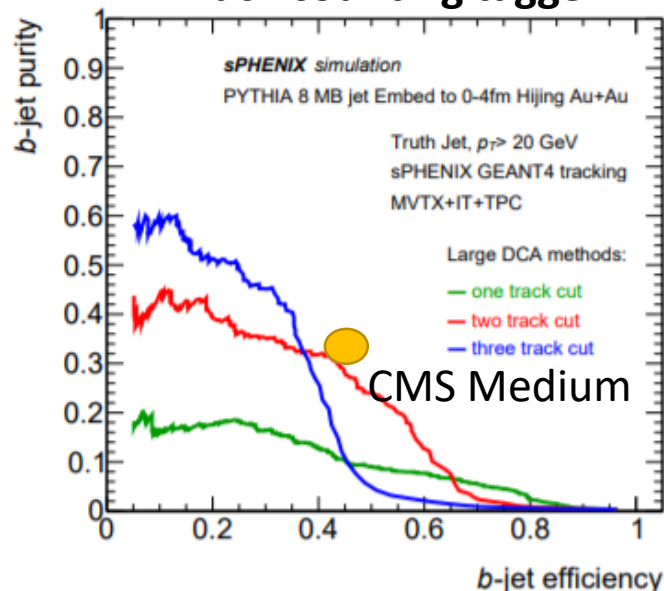


- Precise identification of secondary vertex allows high-purity b-jet samples
- Heavy flavor decays: marked by **distinctive decay topology**
  - High-resolution DCA, precise vertexing, high rate
  - Detection of heavy-flavor mesons possible even without p/K/ $\pi$  PID

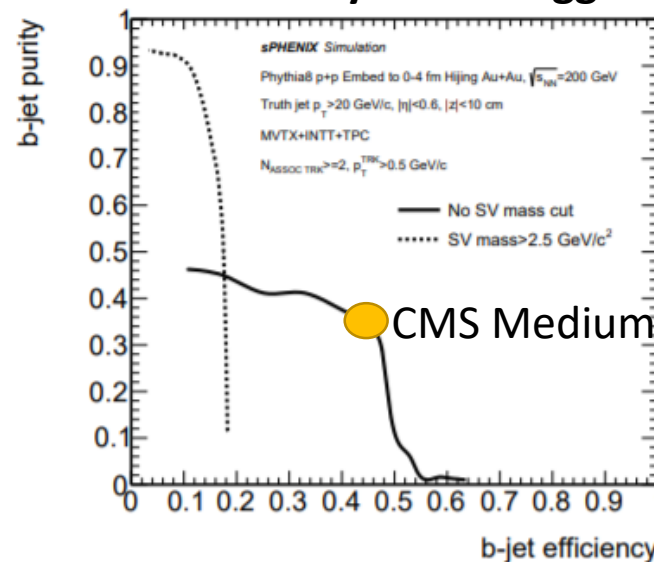
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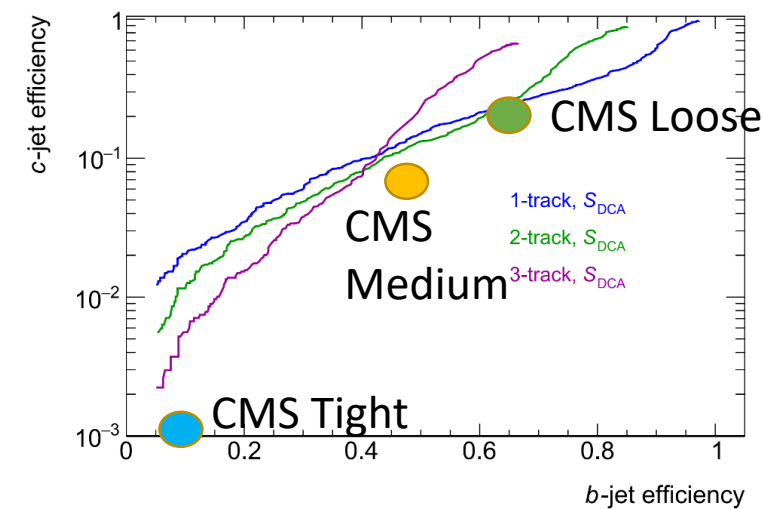
## Track counting tagger



## Secondary vertex tagger

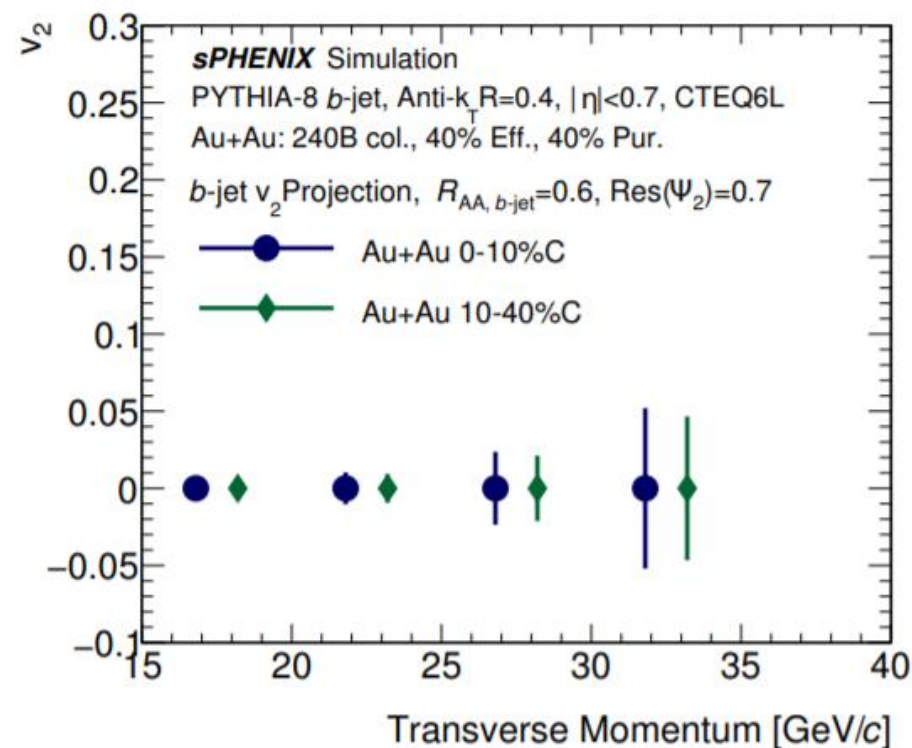
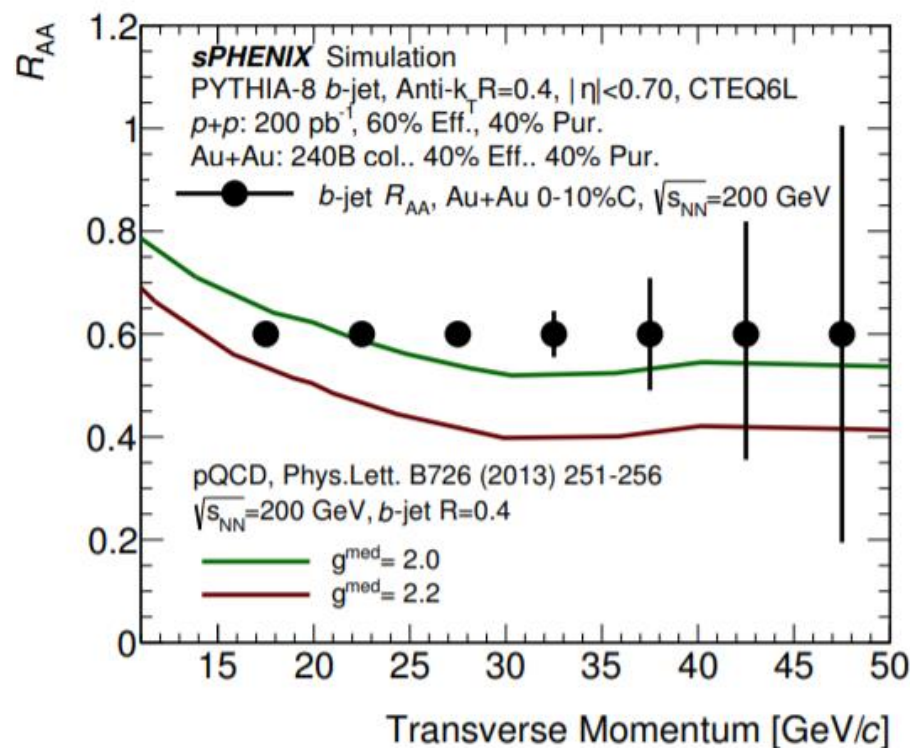


## Track counting c vs. b jet efficiency

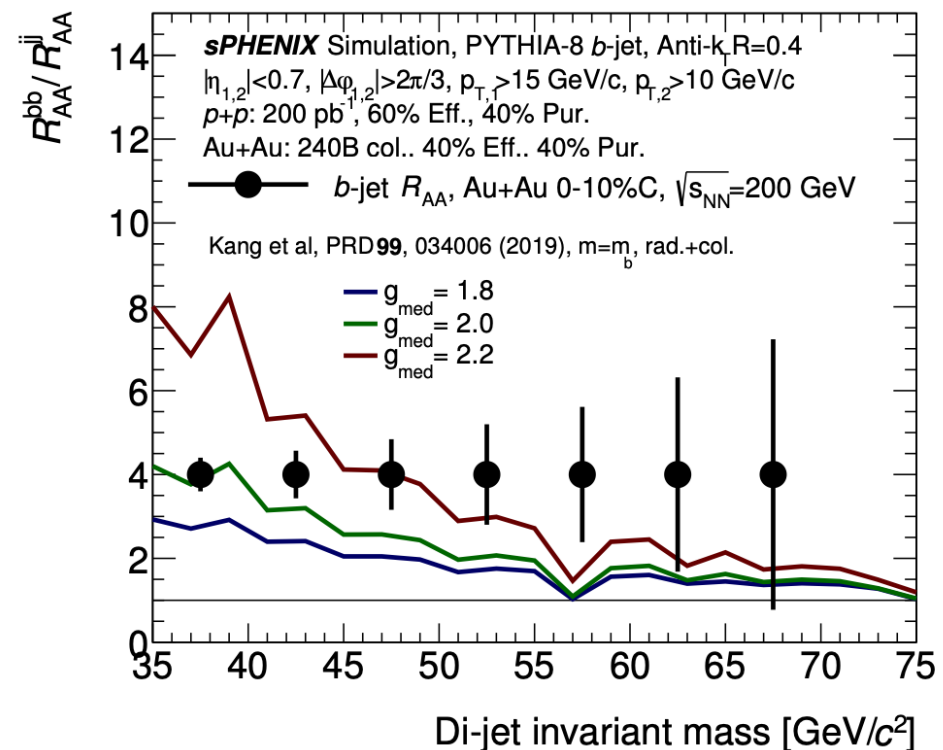
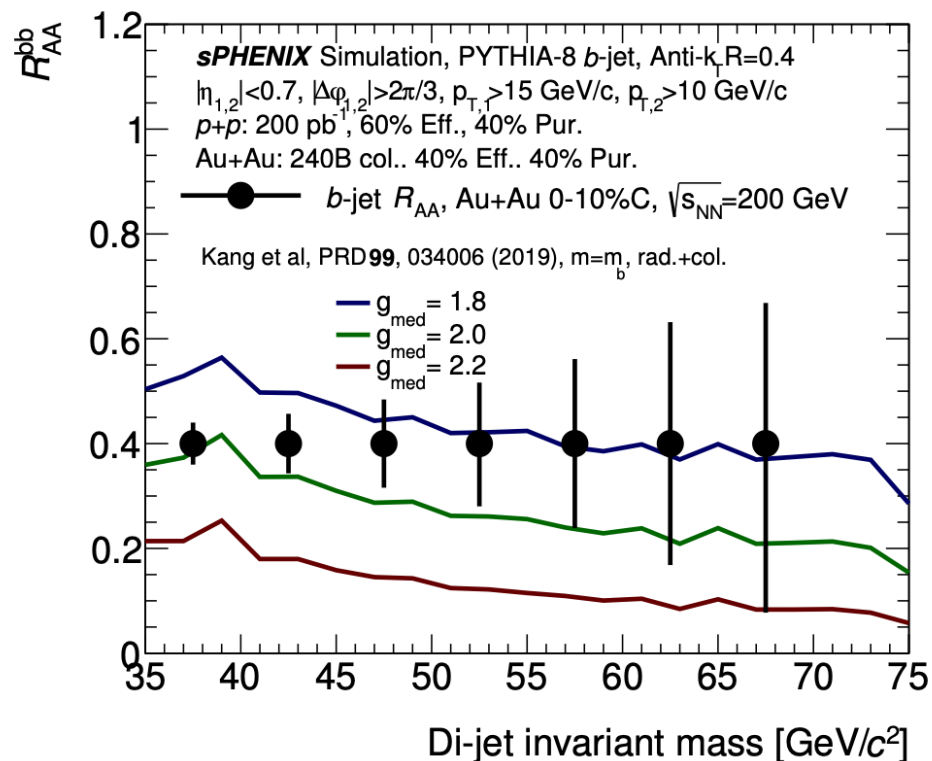


- Track counting and secondary vertex taggers implemented
- Similar performance to CMS typical PbPb working point
- Plan to use combined tagging scheme incorporating both
  - Leptonic tagger also included in combined scheme

# b-Jet $R_{AA}$ and $v_2$



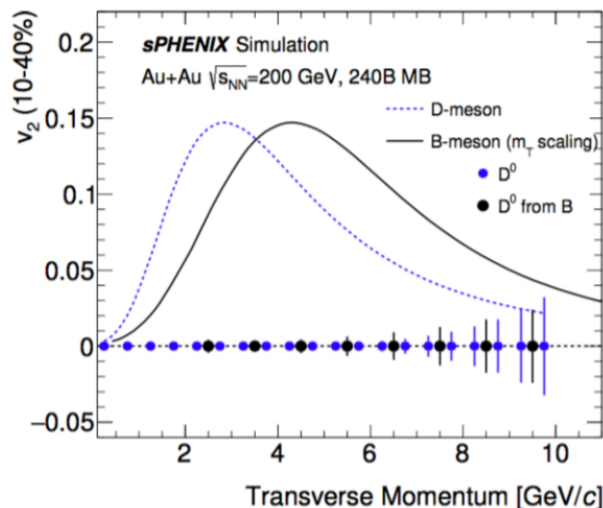
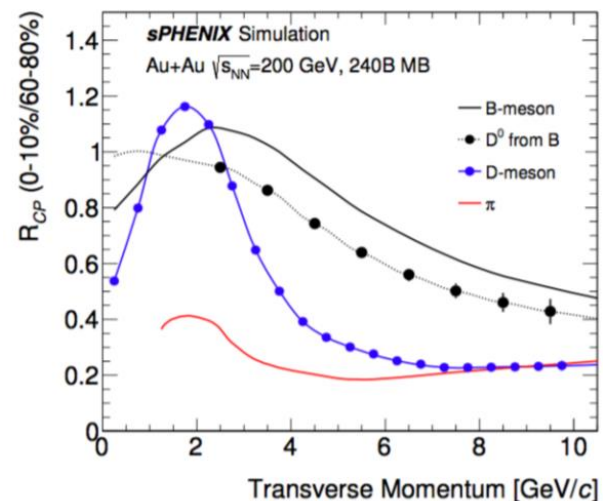
- Collisional and radiative components of medium interaction both contribute to medium coupling  $g^{med}$
- Heavy flavor mesons: different kinematics, therefore different medium coupling
- B-jet observables coupled with light-jet observables: two measurements of  $g^{med}$



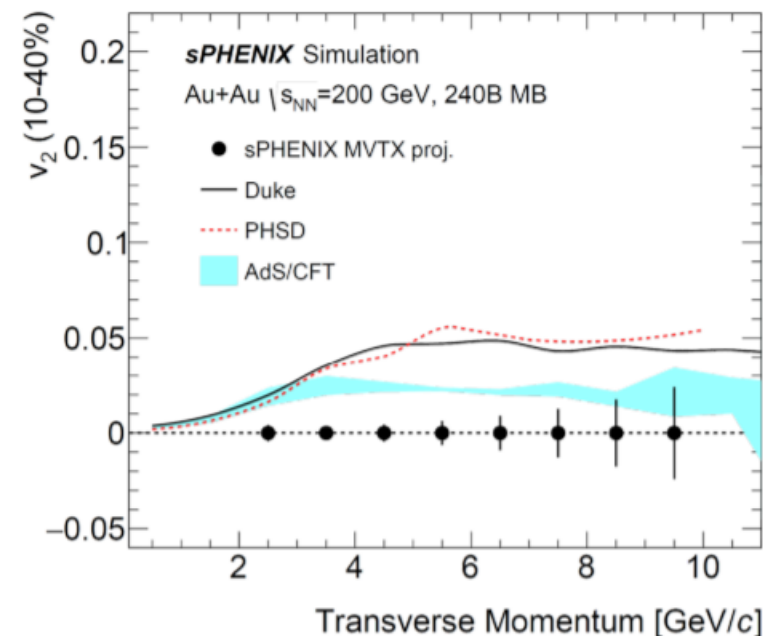
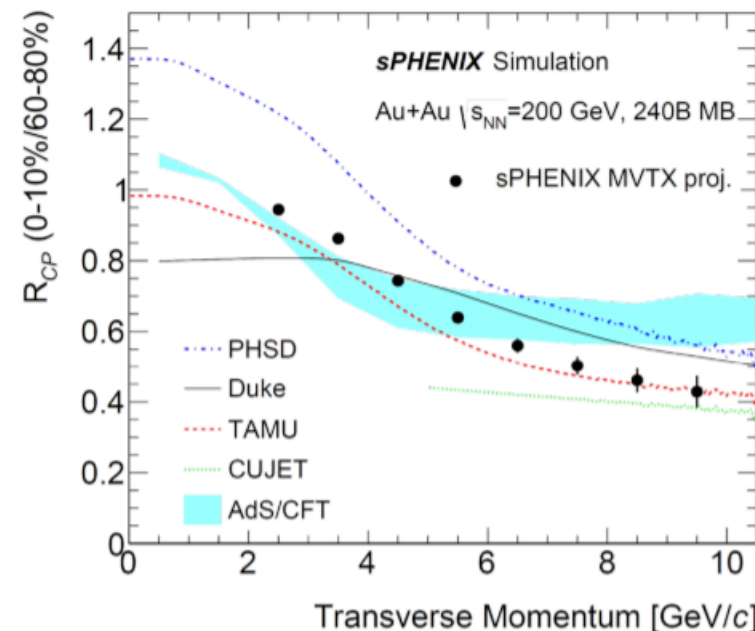
- Novel jet observable for RHIC, supported via LANL LDRD (20170073DR)
- Di-(b-jet)  $R_{AA}$  allows more precise measurement of  $g^{med}$
- Mass effect enhanced in heavy-to-light double ratio

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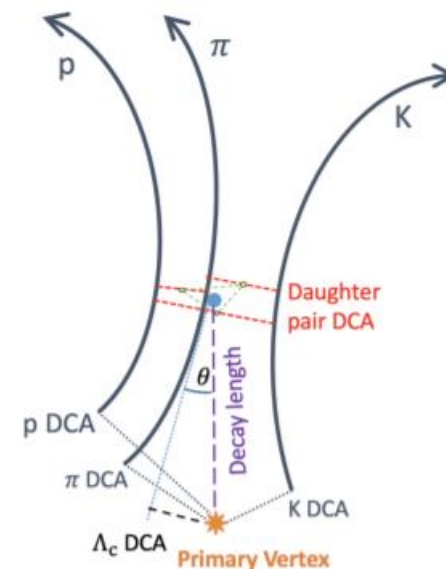
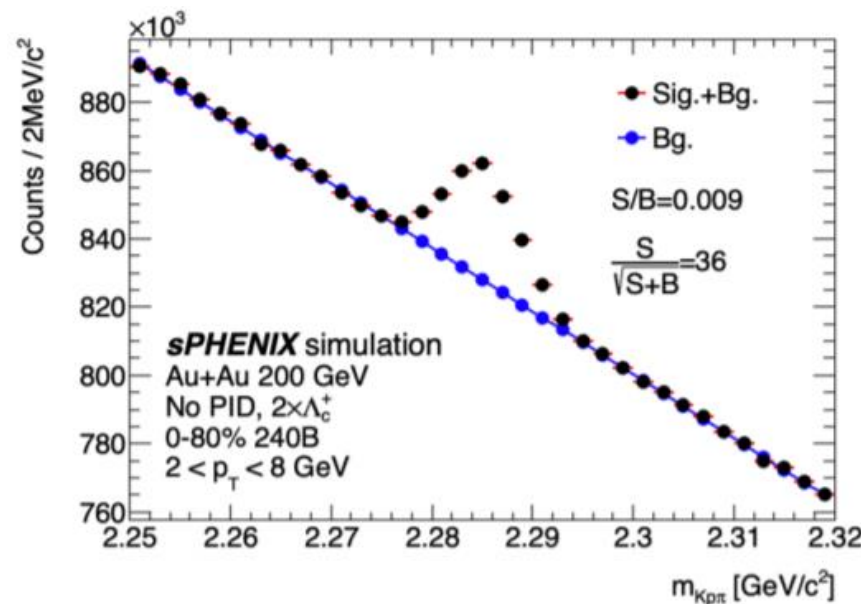
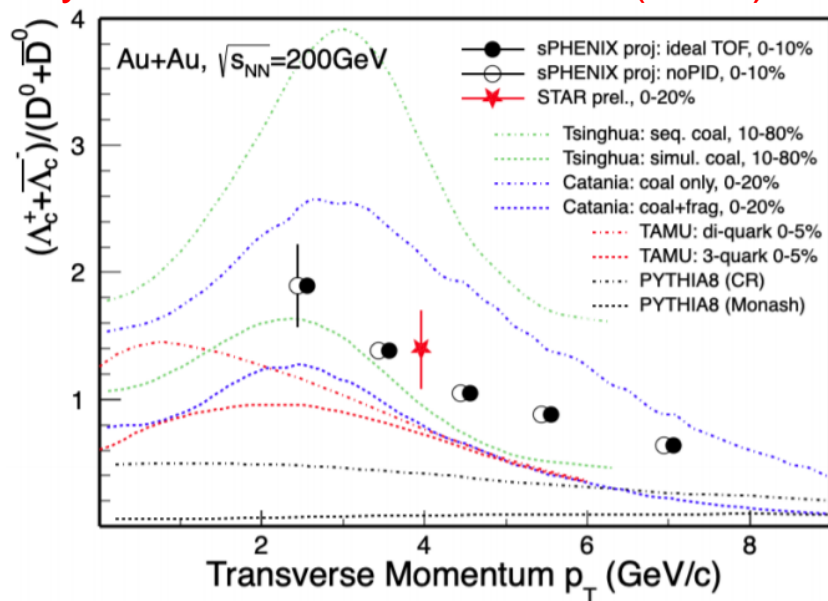


## Non-prompt $D^0$ $R_{CP}$ and $v_2$

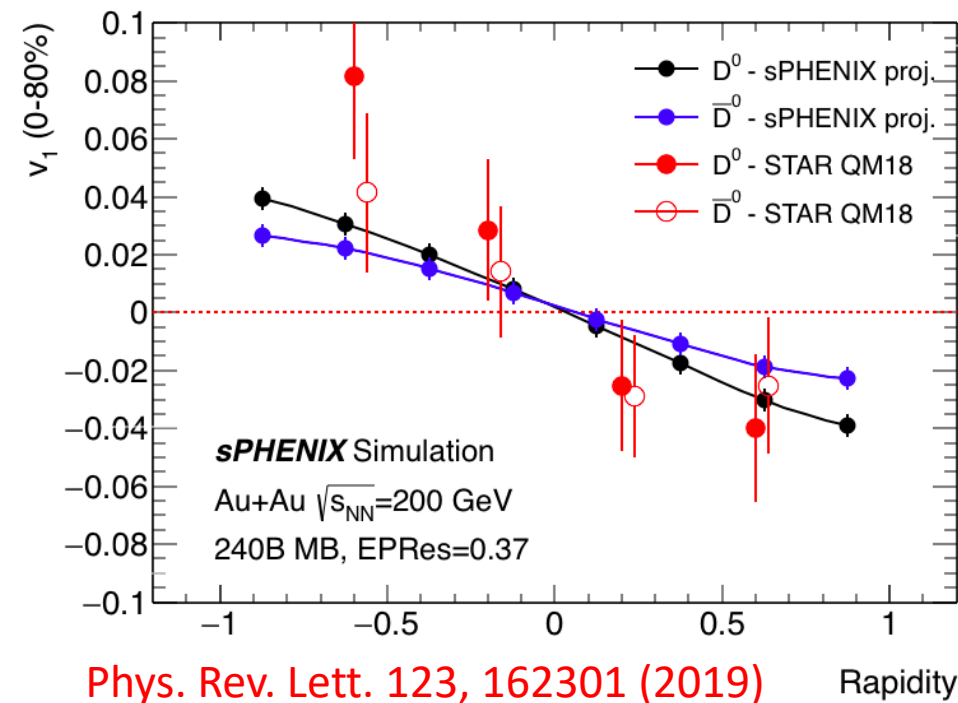
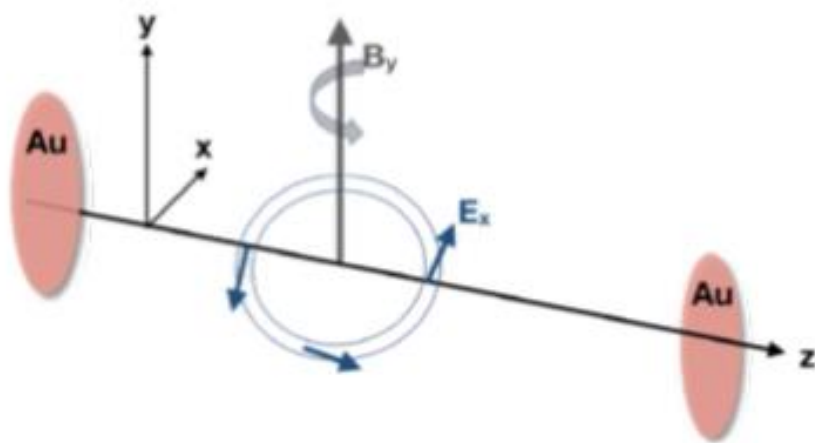


- Non-prompt  $D^0$  meson proxy for B meson
- Precision of  $R_{CP}$  and  $v_2$  measurements can discriminate between transport model projections

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- Ratio provides window into HF hadronization mechanisms
- Provides input for B meson yield measurements and b cross section
- Ingredient for total charm cross section



- Internal magnetic field of QGP splits  $D^0$  and  $D^0$ bar directed flow
- Significantly more precise  $v_1$  measurement
- Larger, finer-grained rapidity coverage



- sPHENIX heavy flavor program poised to make several precision measurements with significant discriminating power
- MVTX plays integral role in providing necessary precision



# sPHENIX Posters



## **sPHENIX capabilities for measuring $A_{c\bar{c}}$ production in Au+Au collisions**

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## **The sPHENIX heavy flavor jet physics program**

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## **The sPHENIX open heavy flavor hadron physics program**

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## **Beam test results of the sPHENIX HCal prototype**

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## **Cold QCD physics with sPHENIX and potential forward upgrades**

*Desmond Mzamo Shangase (University of Michigan (US))*

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## **sPHENIX capabilities for jet-based observables**

*Dennis Perepelitsa (University of Colorado Boulder)*

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## **sPHENIX EMCal design, construction and test beam results**

*Anabel Romero (Univ. Illinois at Urbana Champaign (US))*

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## **sPHENIX EMCal module prototyping and production plan in China**

*Wei Hu Ma (Fudan University)*

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## **sPHENIX MAPS prototype test beam results**

*Cameron Dean (Los Alamos National Laboratory (US))*

<https://indi.to/FT6p8>

## **Testbeam Results for the sPHENIX TPC Prototype**

*Henry Klest (Stony Brook University)*

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## **The sPHENIX MAPS-based vertex detector**

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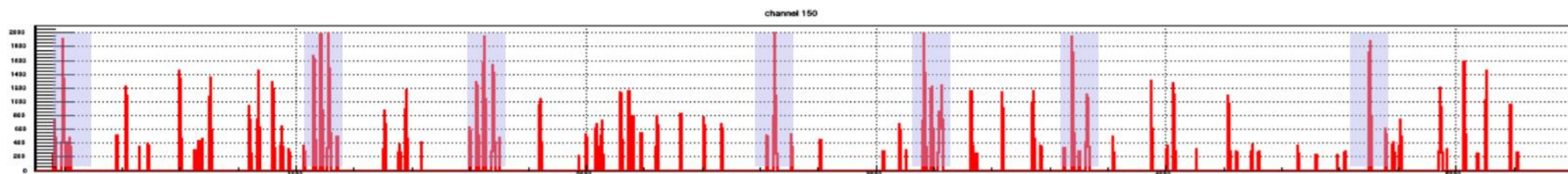
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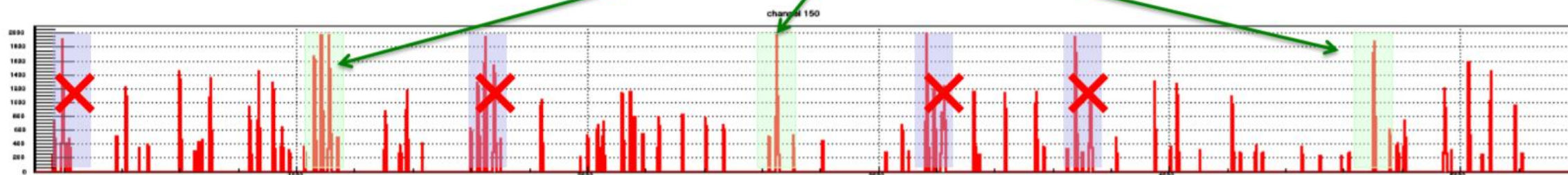
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WP	b-discriminant	b eff	c eff	light eff
Loose	$> 0.519$	67%	20%	10%
Medium	$> 0.856$	47%	4.6%	1%
Tight	$> 0.994$	11%	0.1%	0.05%

The streaming data are recorded all the time, and broken up in chunks above threshold

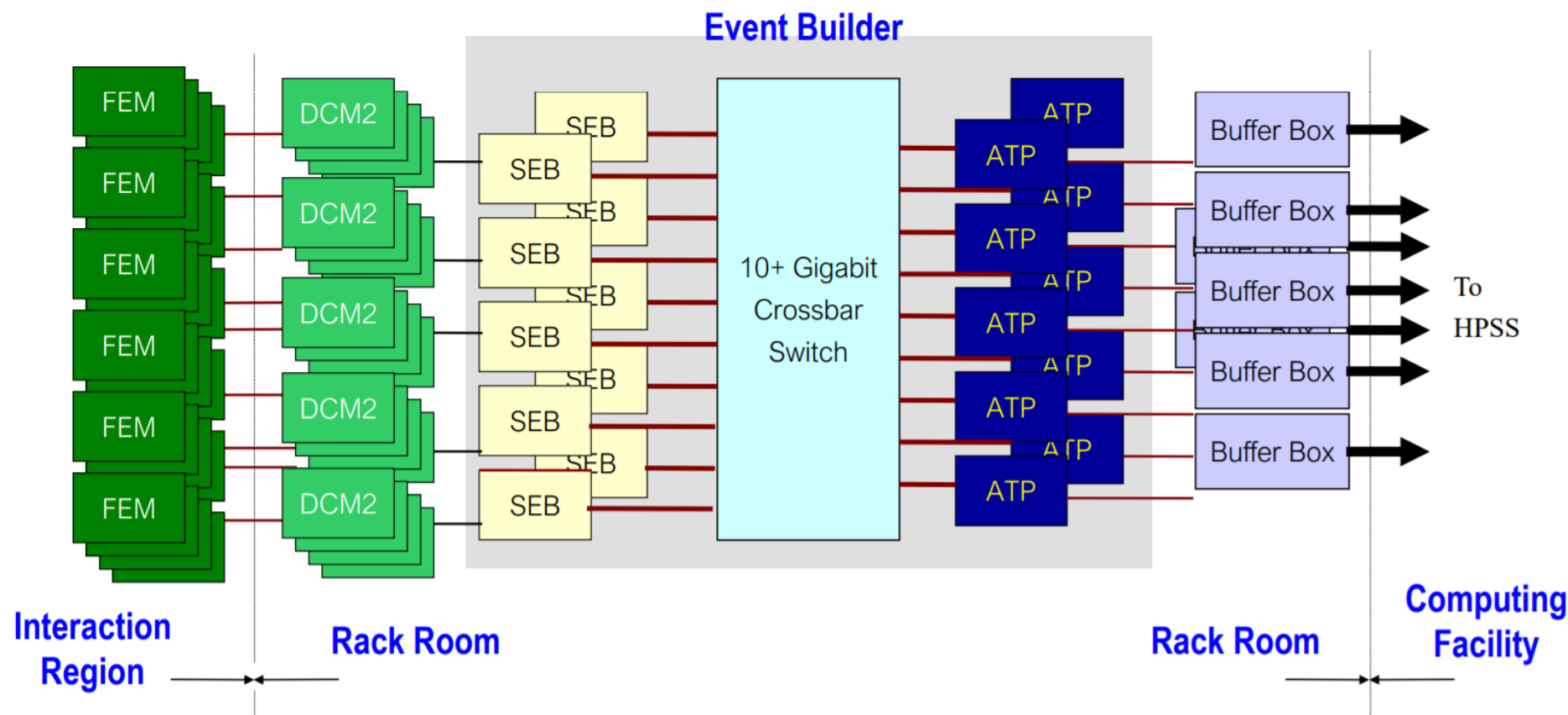


Only chunks correlated with triggered events are then kept





# Streaming Readout



- DCM-2 receives data from digitizer, zero-suppresses and packages
- SEB collects data from a DCM group (~35)
- ATP Assembles events and compresses data (~60)
- Buffer Box data interim storage before sending to the computing center (7)

# Heavy Flavor in pp Collisions with Streaming Readout

