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# Status of the MFT software in the ALICE O2 framework

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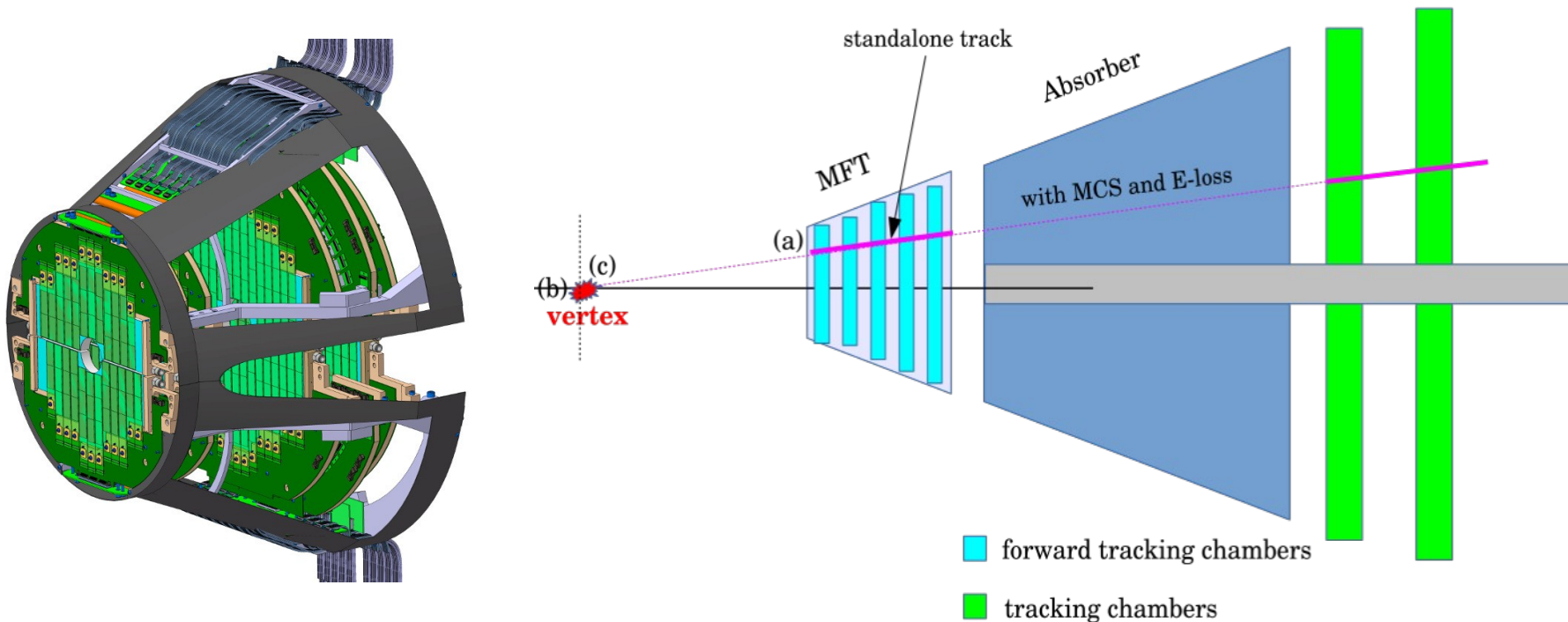


- Brief introduction to MFT
  - Comparison: ITS & MFT
  - Readout electronics

- MFT Geometry

- Data reconstruction





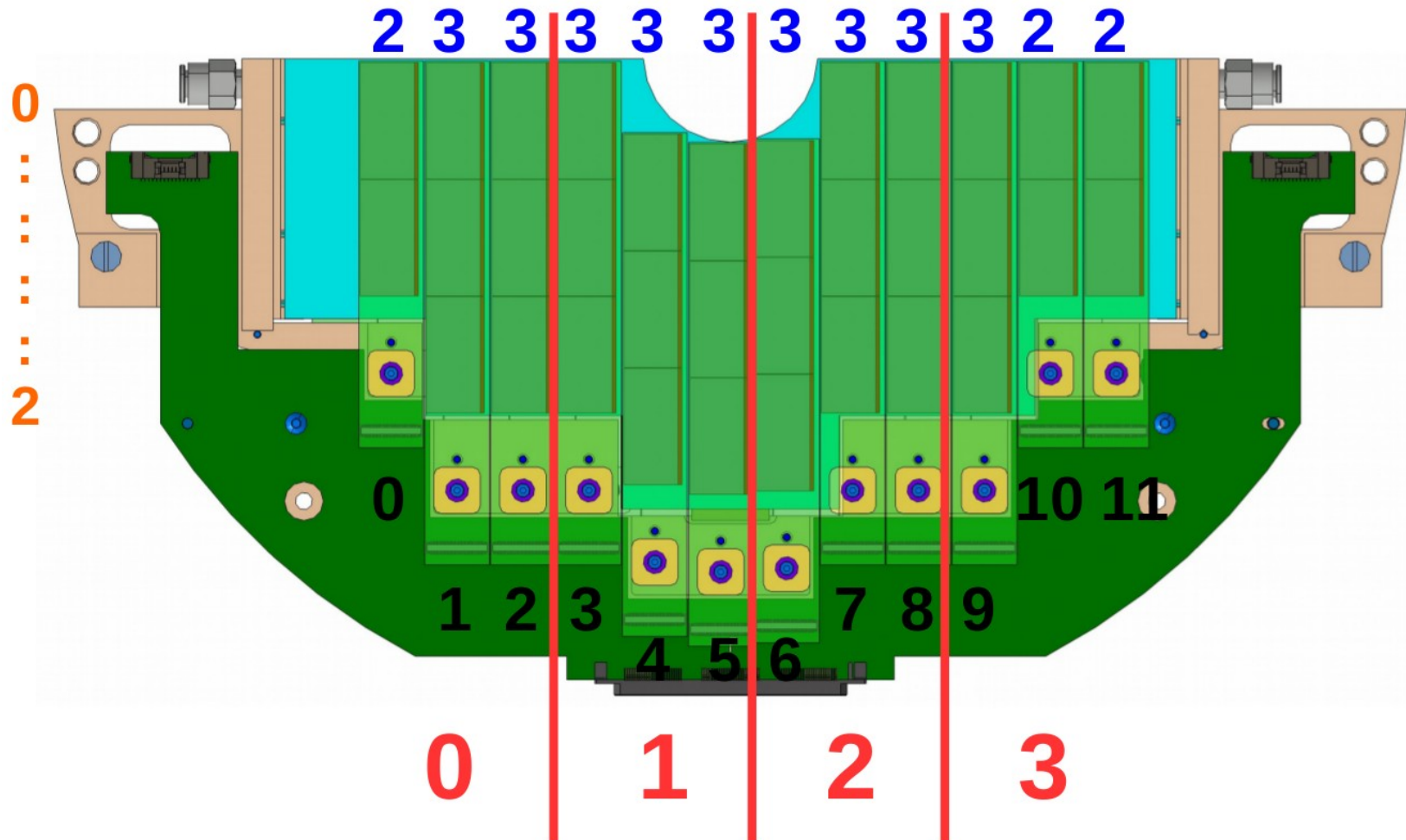
- Standalone track (MFT) + muon tracks (MCH) = global tracks
- MFT + MCH matching to enable physics
  - global track with Pt and vertex information

Standalone tracking using cellular automaton algorithm

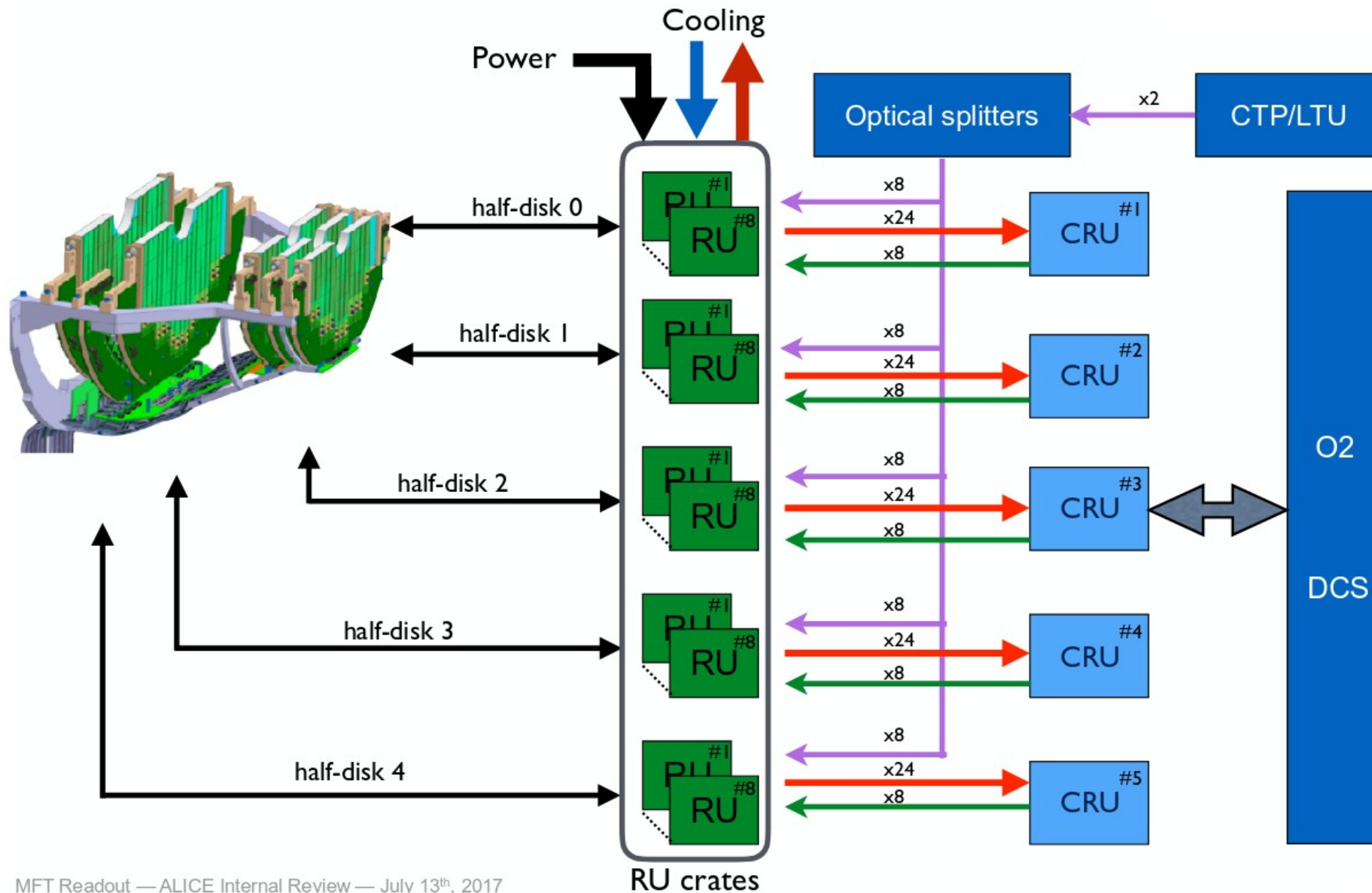
- Differences:
  - Readout electronics
  - Number of chips and its positioning symmetry
    - More difficult to sort clusters for track matching
  - ChipMapping
    - Geometry.xml
- Similarities:
  - Same ALPIDE Chip
  - Data reconstruction up to clusterization common to ITS/MFT
  - Raw data and Data processing layer imported from ITS

# Readout zones

- 8 zones per disk. One RU per zone.



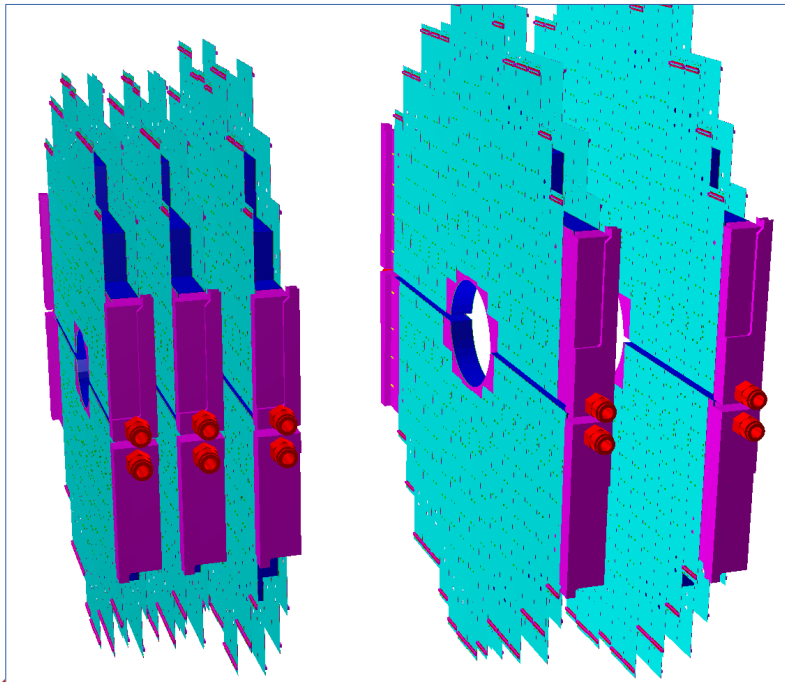
# Readout Scheme for half-MFT



- MFT Acceptance
  - Heat Exchanger, Flex, Sensors, electronic components
- TPC Acceptance
  - Barrel & services
- Passive elements: out of acceptance
  - Supports, structure, PSU
- Integration
- Alignment & Calibration

## MFT Acceptance

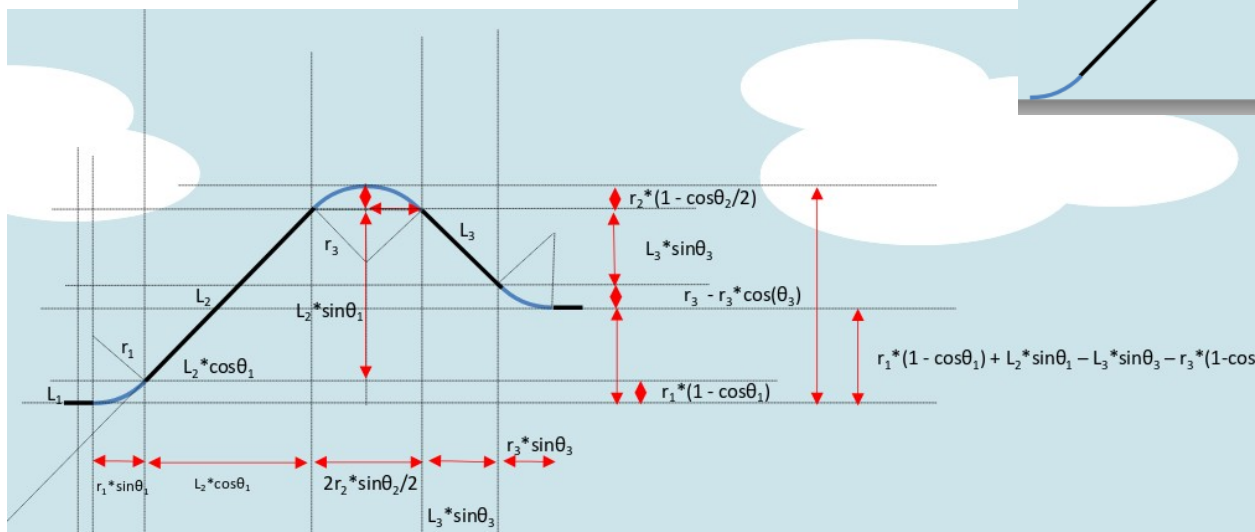
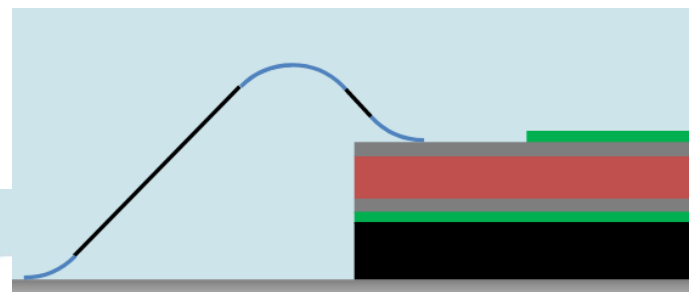
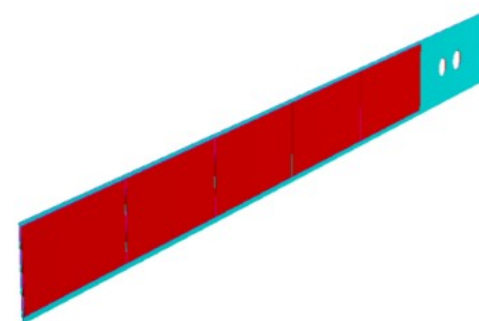
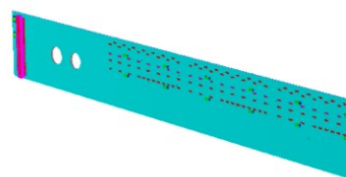
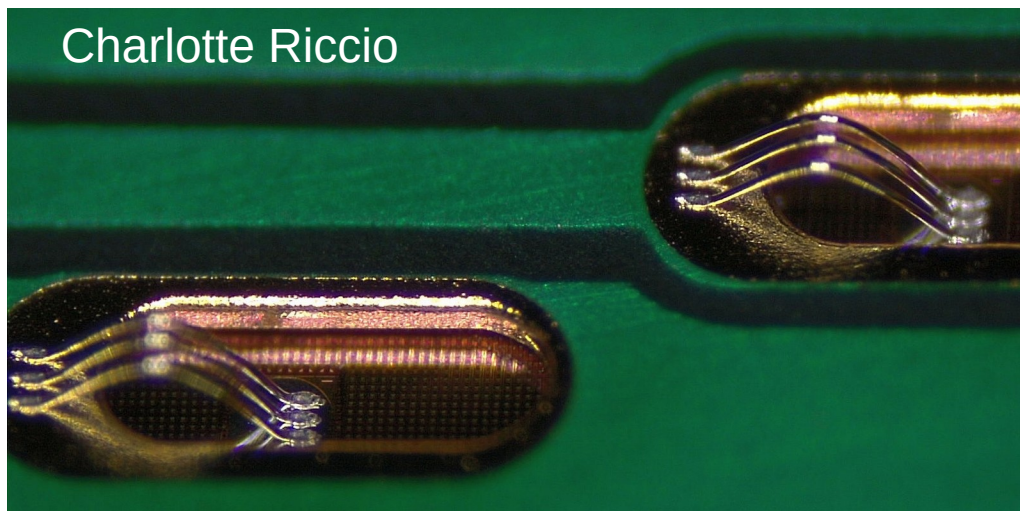
- Sensors
- Flex circuits (FPC) & connectors
- Heat ExchangerS



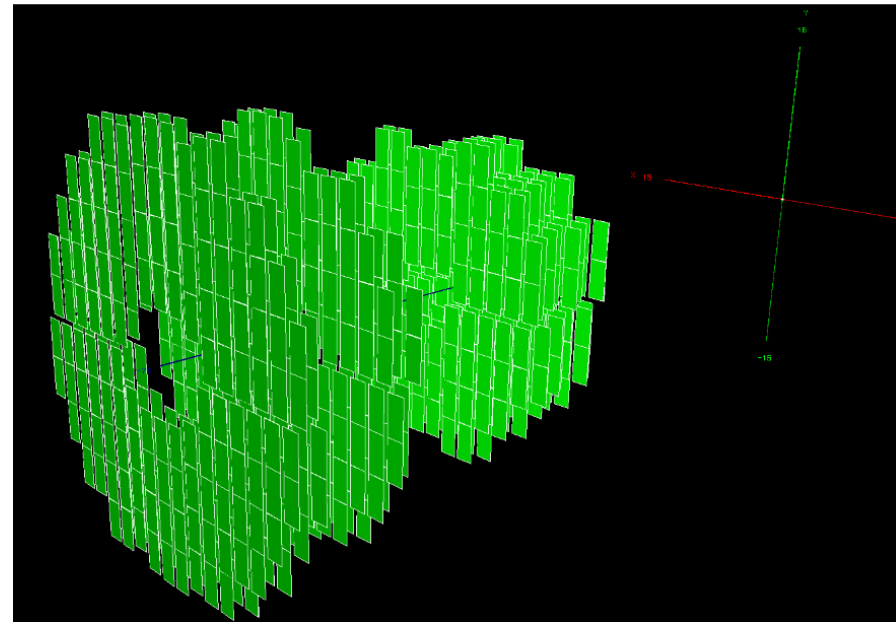
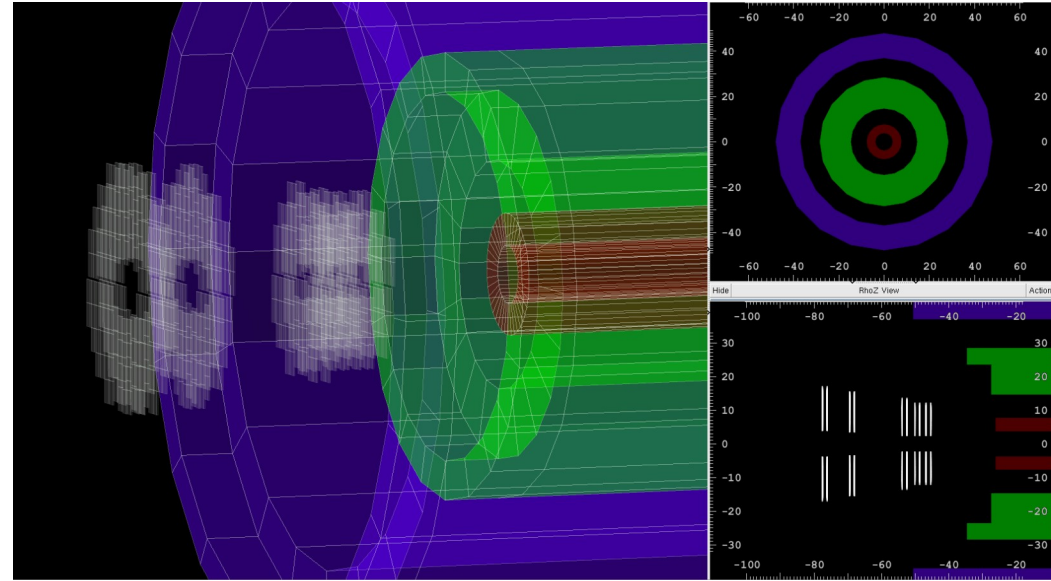
- Relevant volumes within MFT acceptance are implemented with fine details



Charlotte Riccio



- Simplified volumes for sensors' active volume
- One box per sensor
- 936 boxes



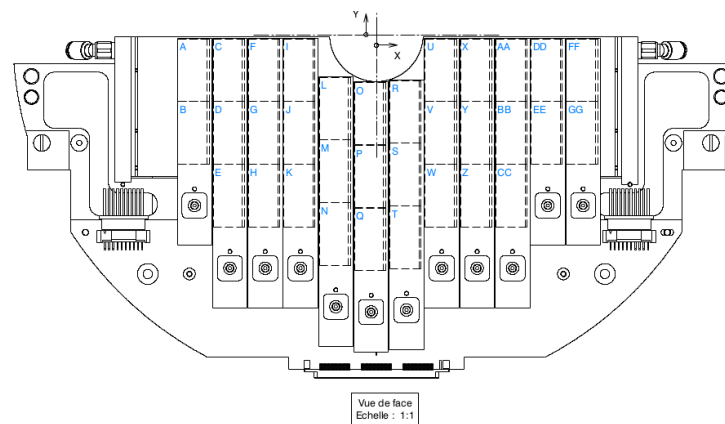
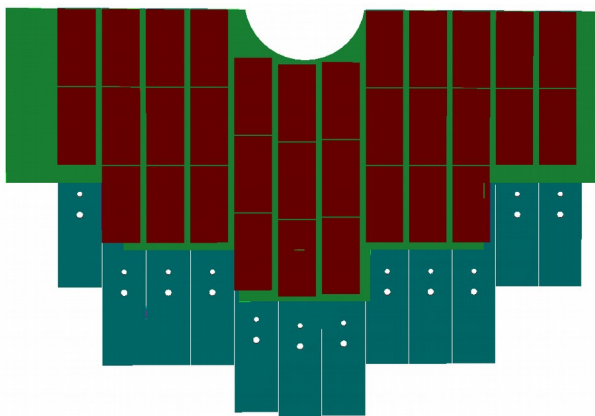
## Detectors/ITSMFT/MFT/data/Geometry.xml

Geometry.xml

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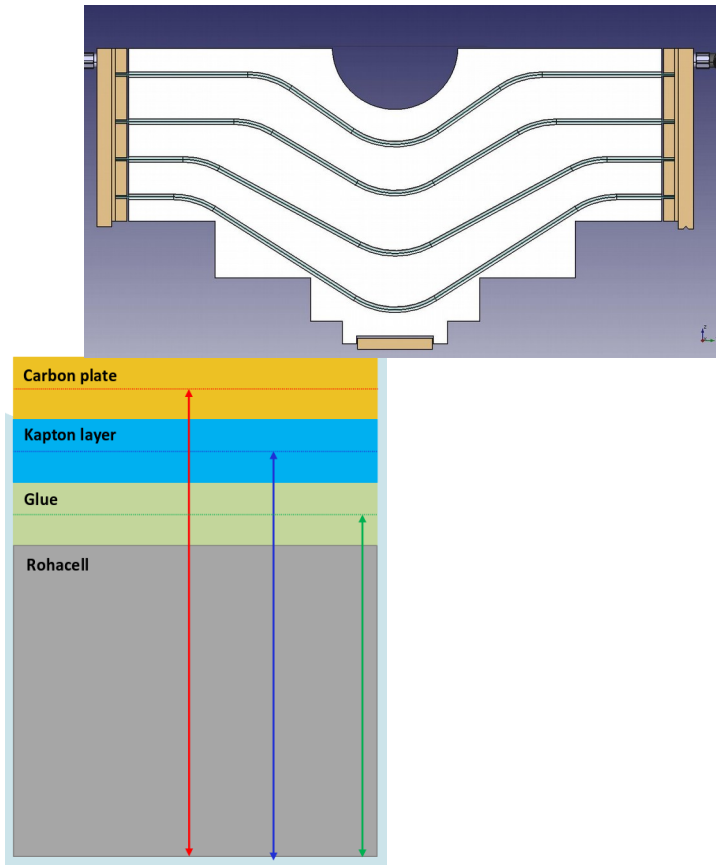




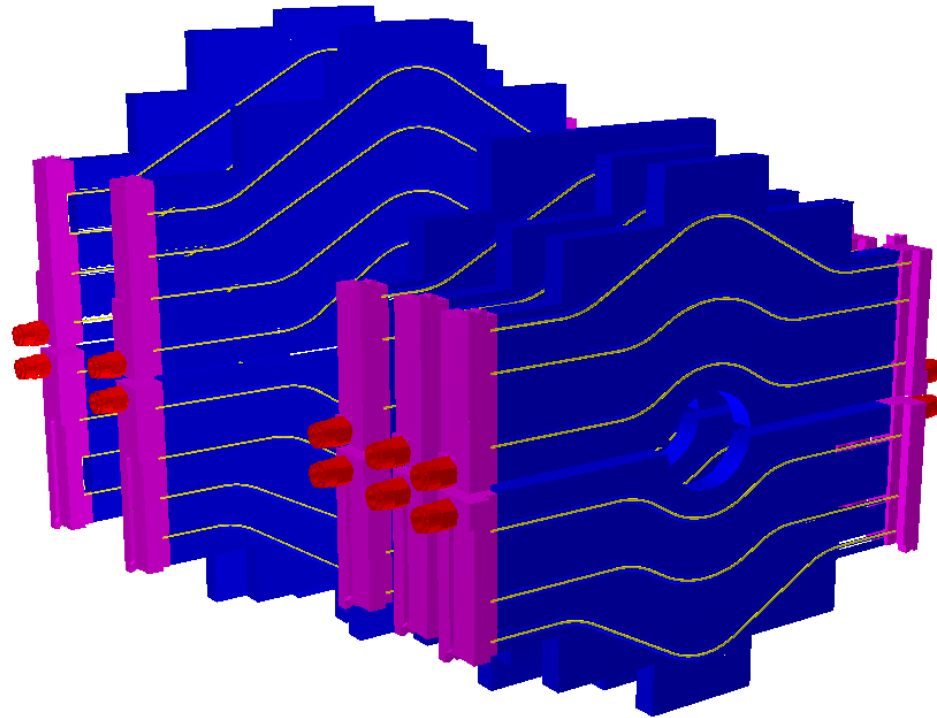
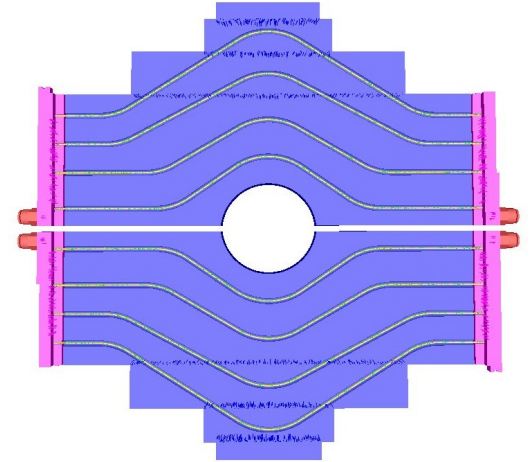
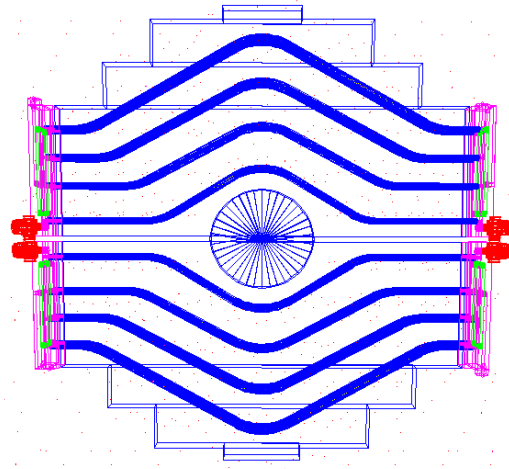
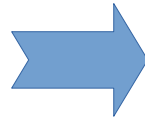
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# Heat Exchanger

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Satoshi Yano (IRFU, CEA)

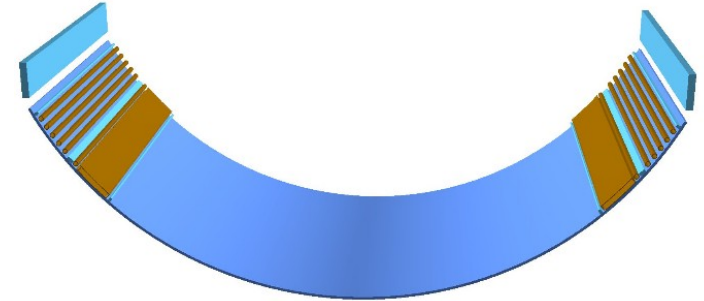
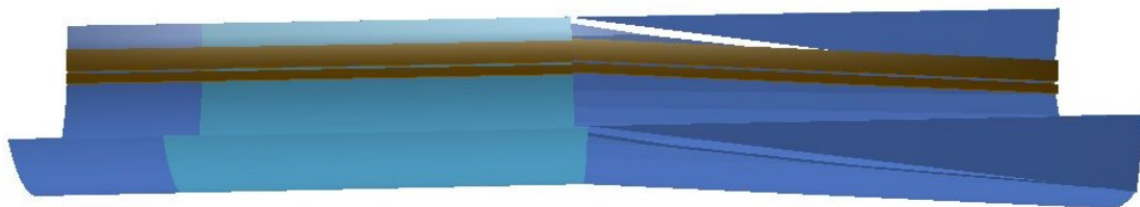


MFT

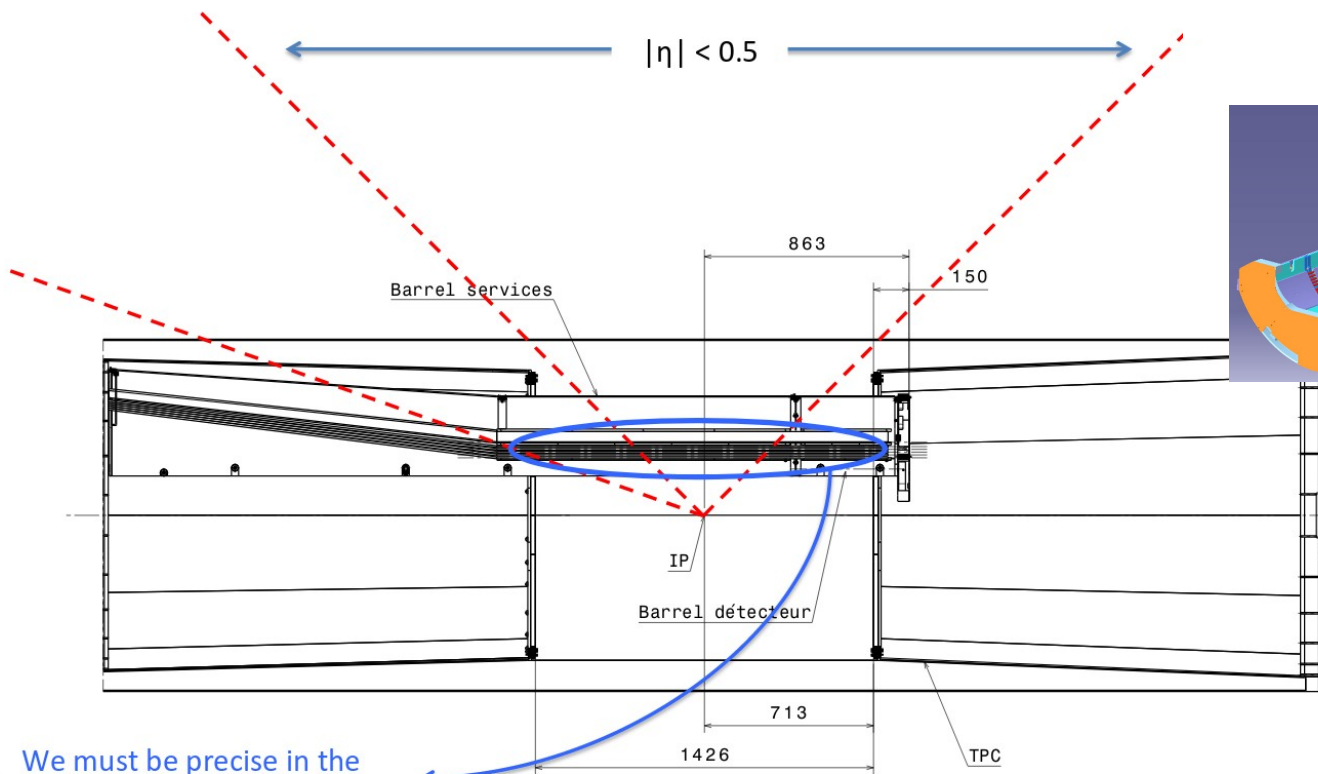
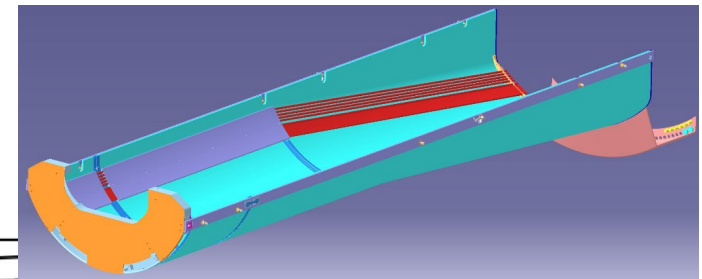
## TPC Acceptance



- Half barrel with services



$|\eta| < 0.5$



Work in progress  
Preliminary geometry  
implemented

We must be precise in the description of volumes here

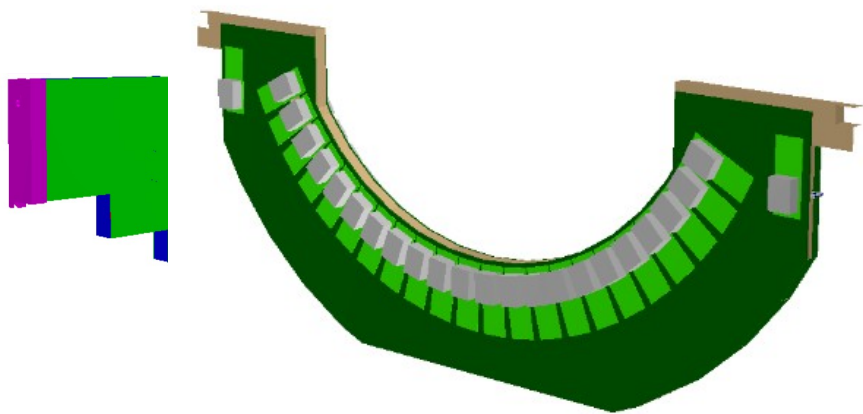
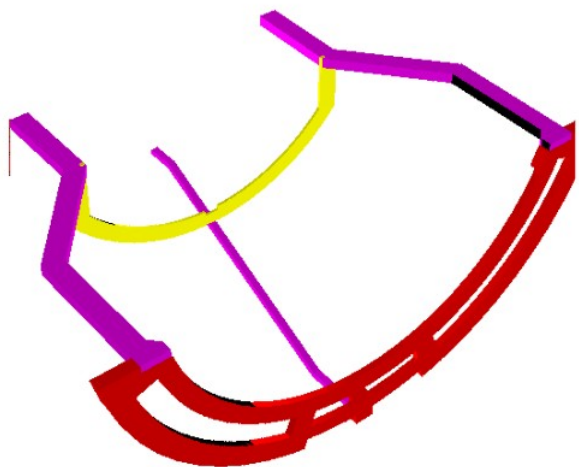
Coupe A-A  
Echelle : 1:15

MFT impact on TCP acceptance (Antonio Uras)

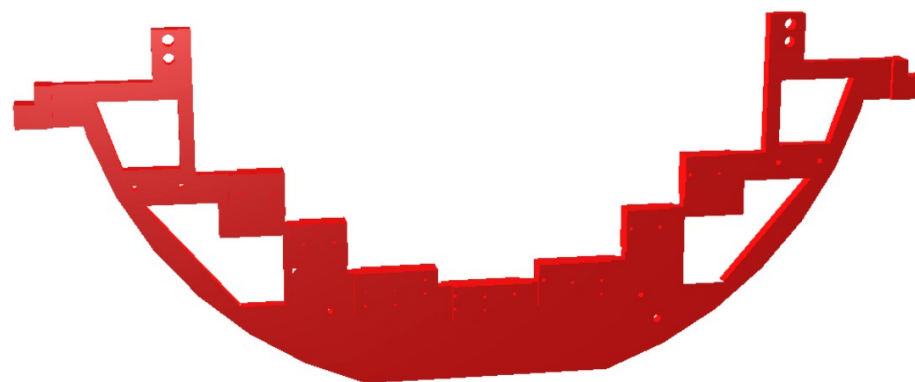
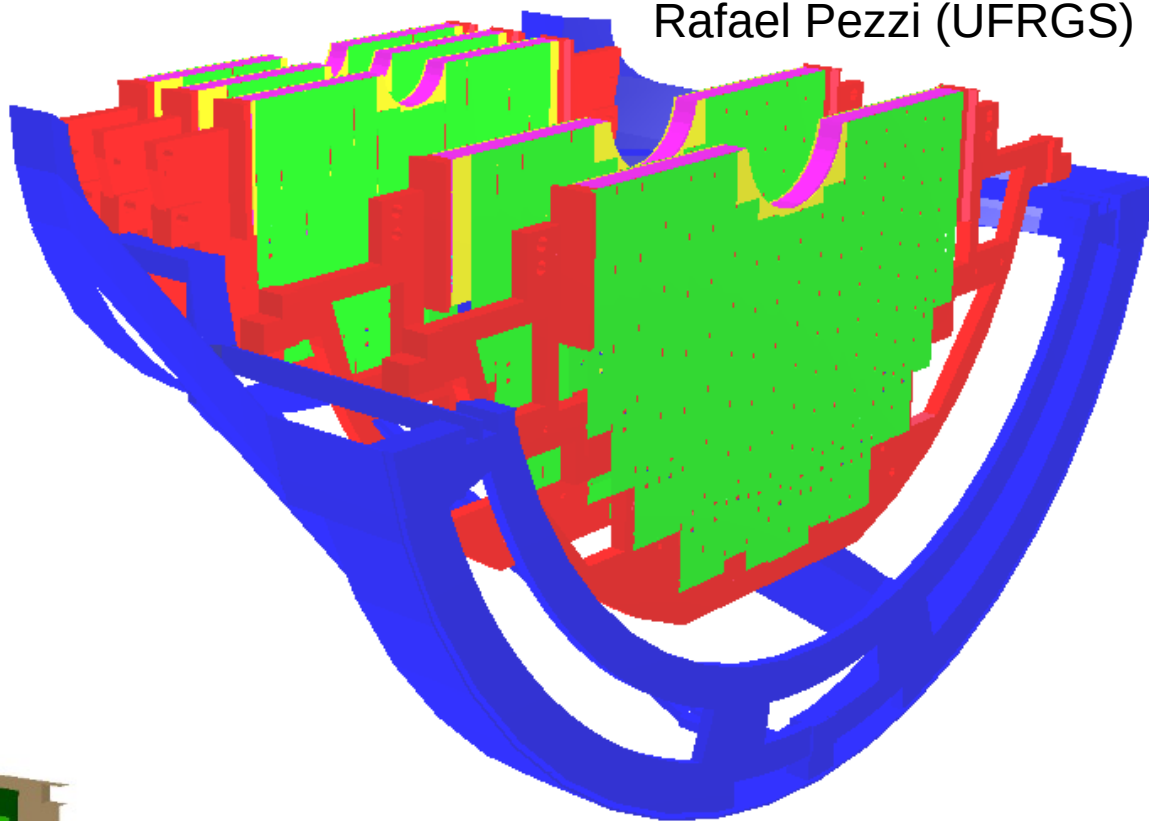
Out of  
acceptance  
elements

- PCB + Supports
- Services. Manyfold
- Power Supply Unit

Carlos Soncco (PUCP)



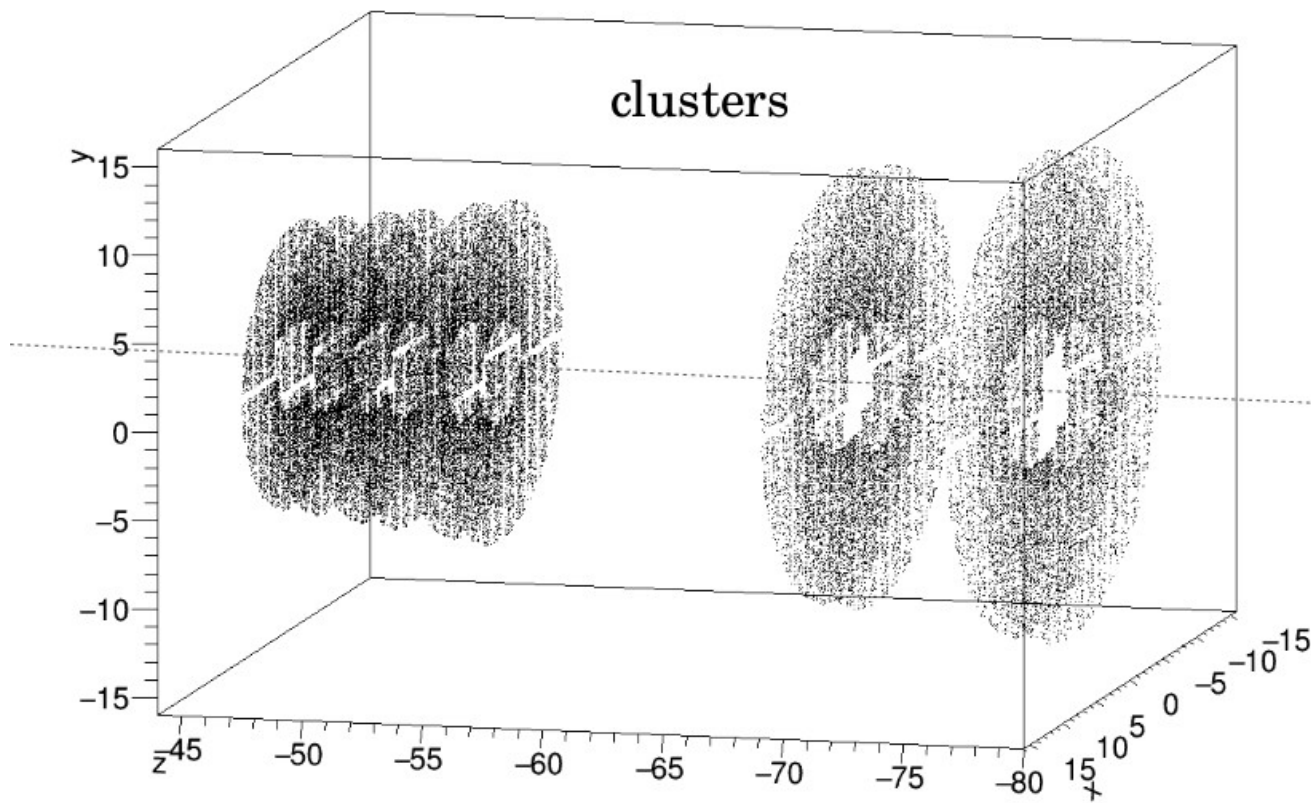
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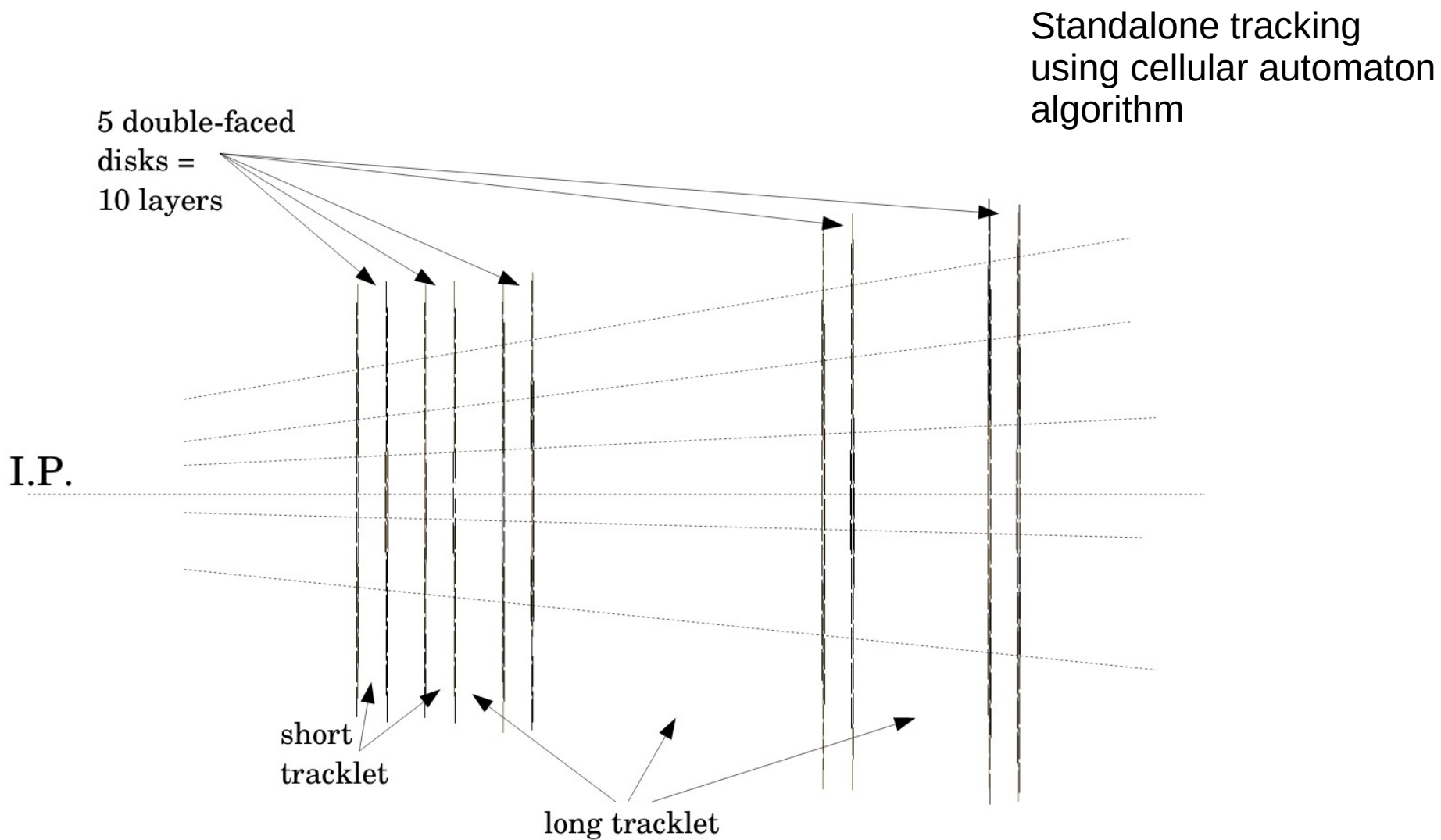


- Detailed MFT Geometry description in progress
  - suitable only for detailed simulations: secondary particles production, back scattering, material budget close to reality
  - A simpler geometry suitable for high performance reconstruction needs to be implemented
- Design of some parts have changed since implemented in O2. Needs revision.

- Cluster combinations for the track finder
  - Optimization strategy
- Integration of data flow devices into the Data Processing Layer: up to now we have the common ITS/MFT digitizer
- DPL Training planned for early 2019.

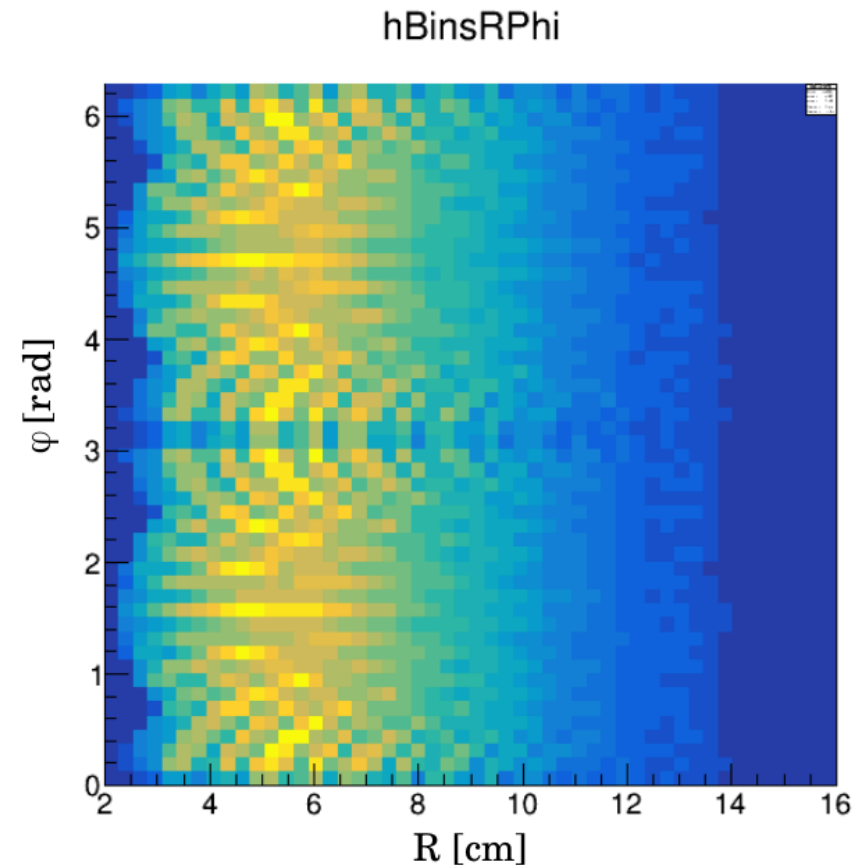


## How to find tracks?



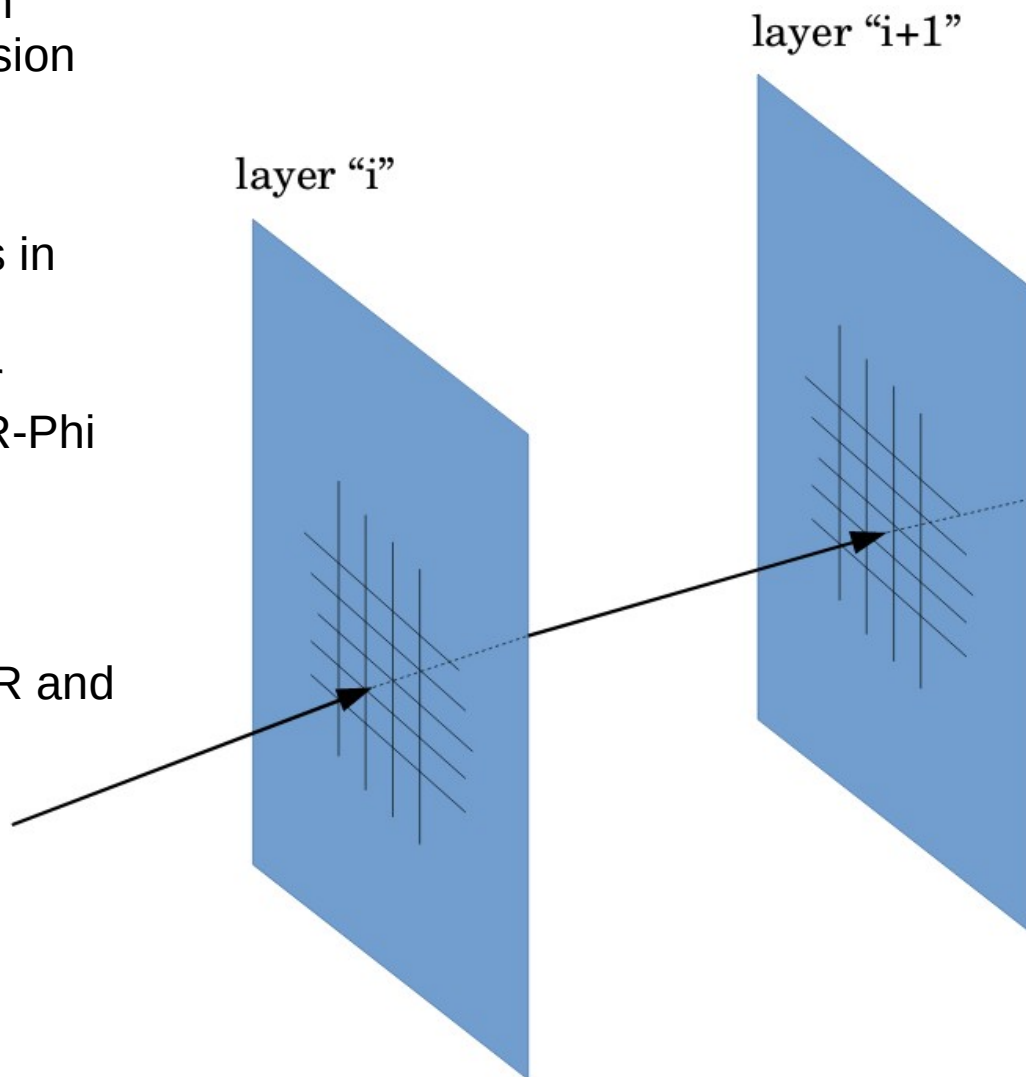
## The R-Phi histogram

- 50 x 50 bins in the range:
  - $2 \text{ cm} < R < 16 \text{ cm}$
  - $0 < \varphi < 2\pi$
 (contains all clusters in all layers)
- Each cluster has attached two indices  $\mathfrak{I}_R$  and  $\mathfrak{I}_\varphi$  and a combined index:
- $\mathfrak{I} = \mathfrak{I}_\varphi \cdot \text{Nbins}(R) + \mathfrak{I}_R$
- The clusters are sorted according to the combined index (increasing order) in each of the 10 layers

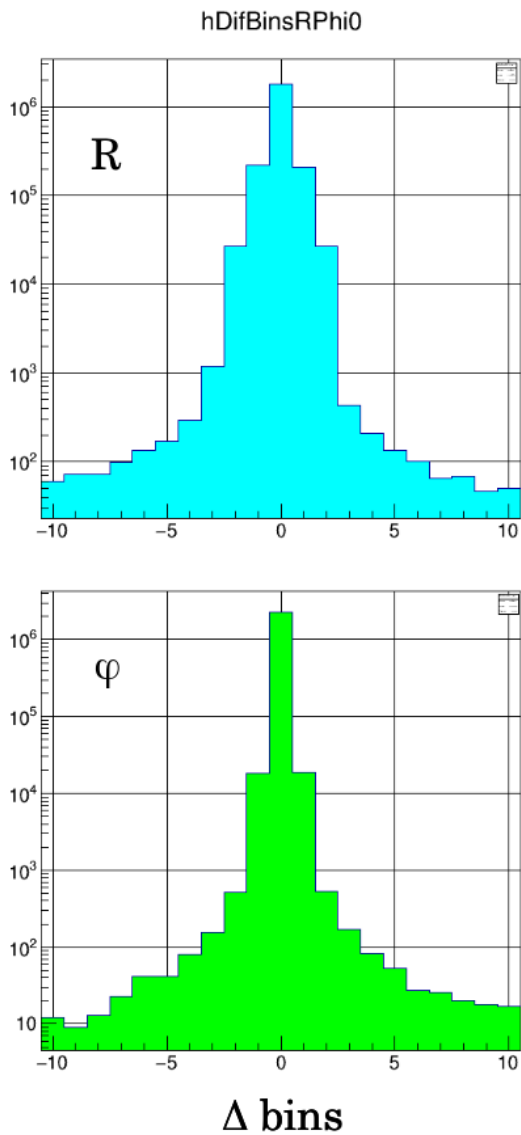


How many R-Phi bins should be scanned in order to take into account the multiple diffusion from one layer to the next?

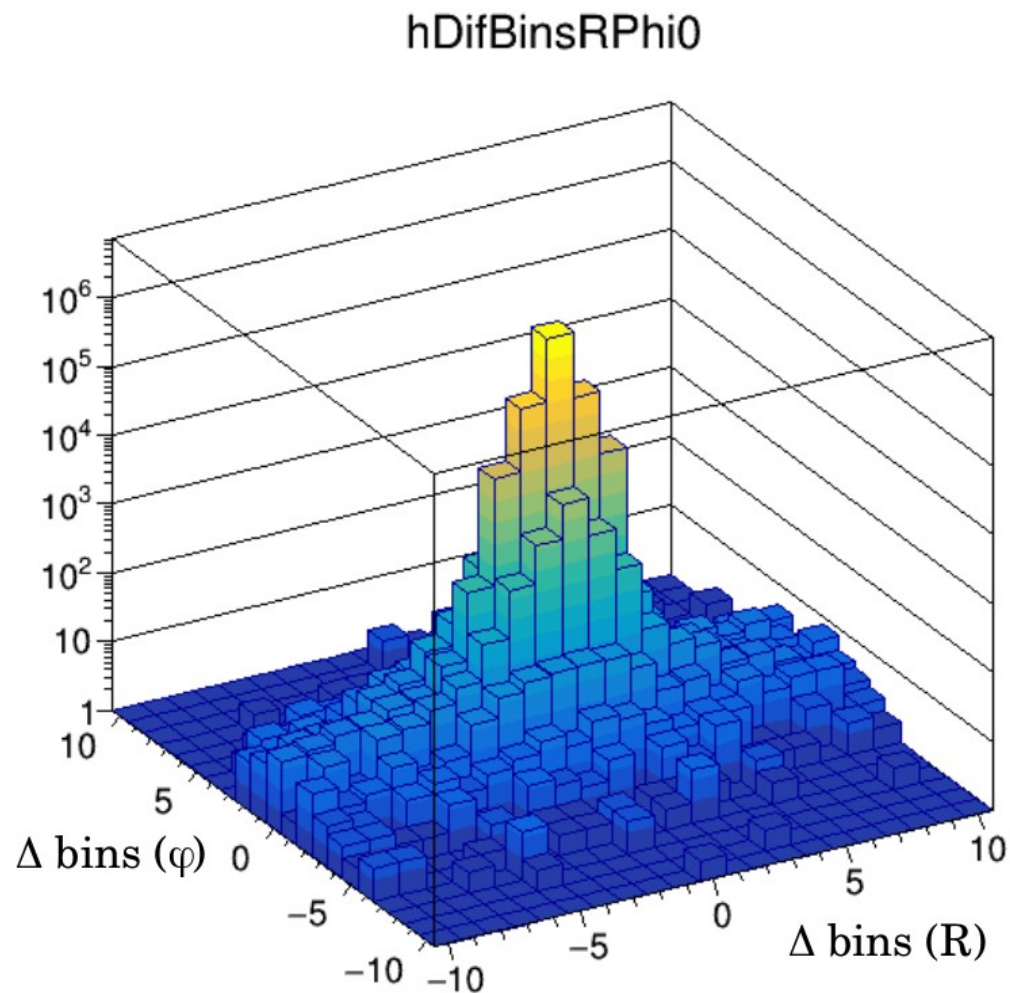
- 1) consider a track which produces clusters in layers "i" and "i+1"
- 2) from the cluster in layer "i" follow a linear propagation to the layer "i+1" and find the R-Phi bin corresponding to the impact point
- 3) from the cluster in layer "i+1" find the corresponding R-Phi bin
- 4) build histograms of the bin difference in R and Phi
- 5) must include several effects:
  - low energy
  - magnetic field
  - z-vertex distribution



Projections



Histogram of R-Phi bin difference





Note: within one R-Phi bin the (sorted) clusters are identified by the min/max index range from the cluster list of the full layer;

this is stored as a

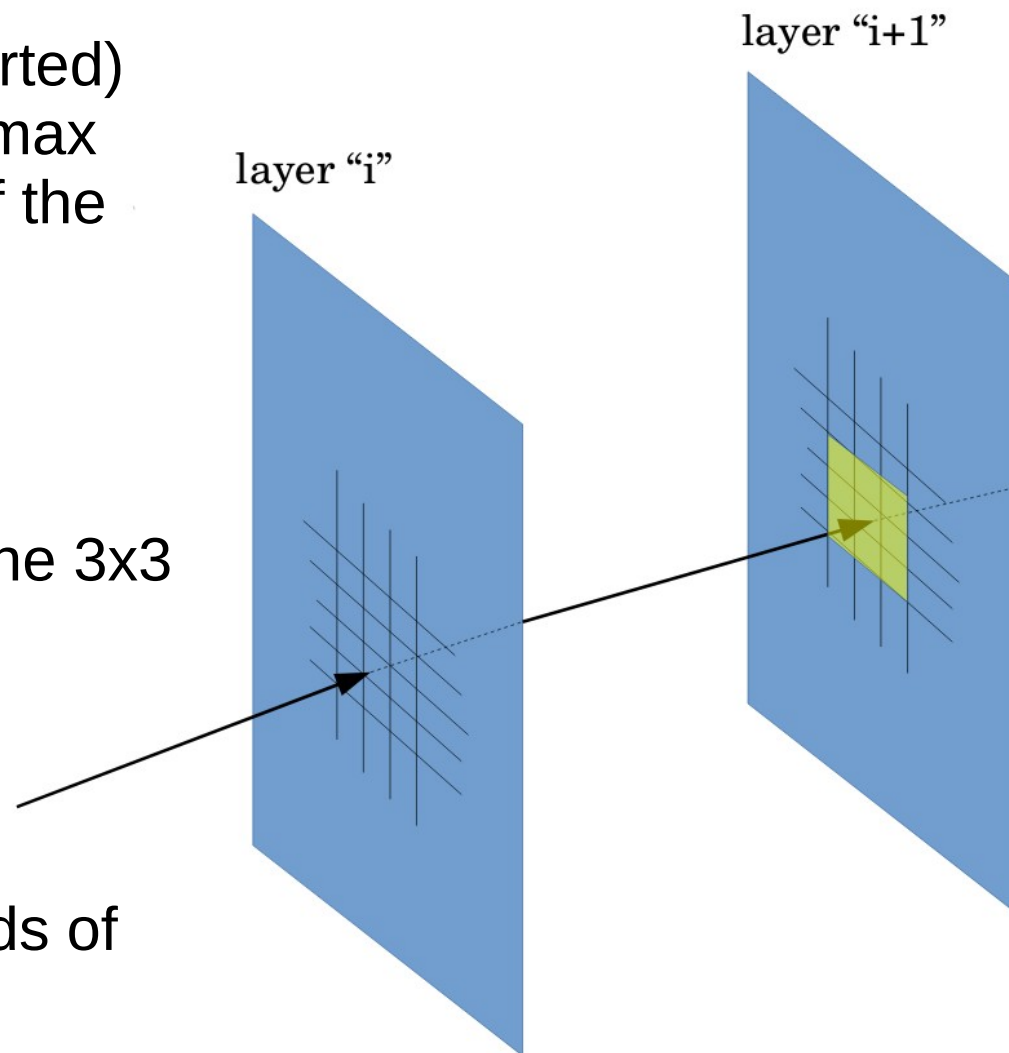
look-up-table for each layer

the yellow range corresponds to the 3x3 bins in layer “i+1”:

$$\mathcal{I}_R - 1, \mathcal{I}_R, \mathcal{I}_R + 1$$

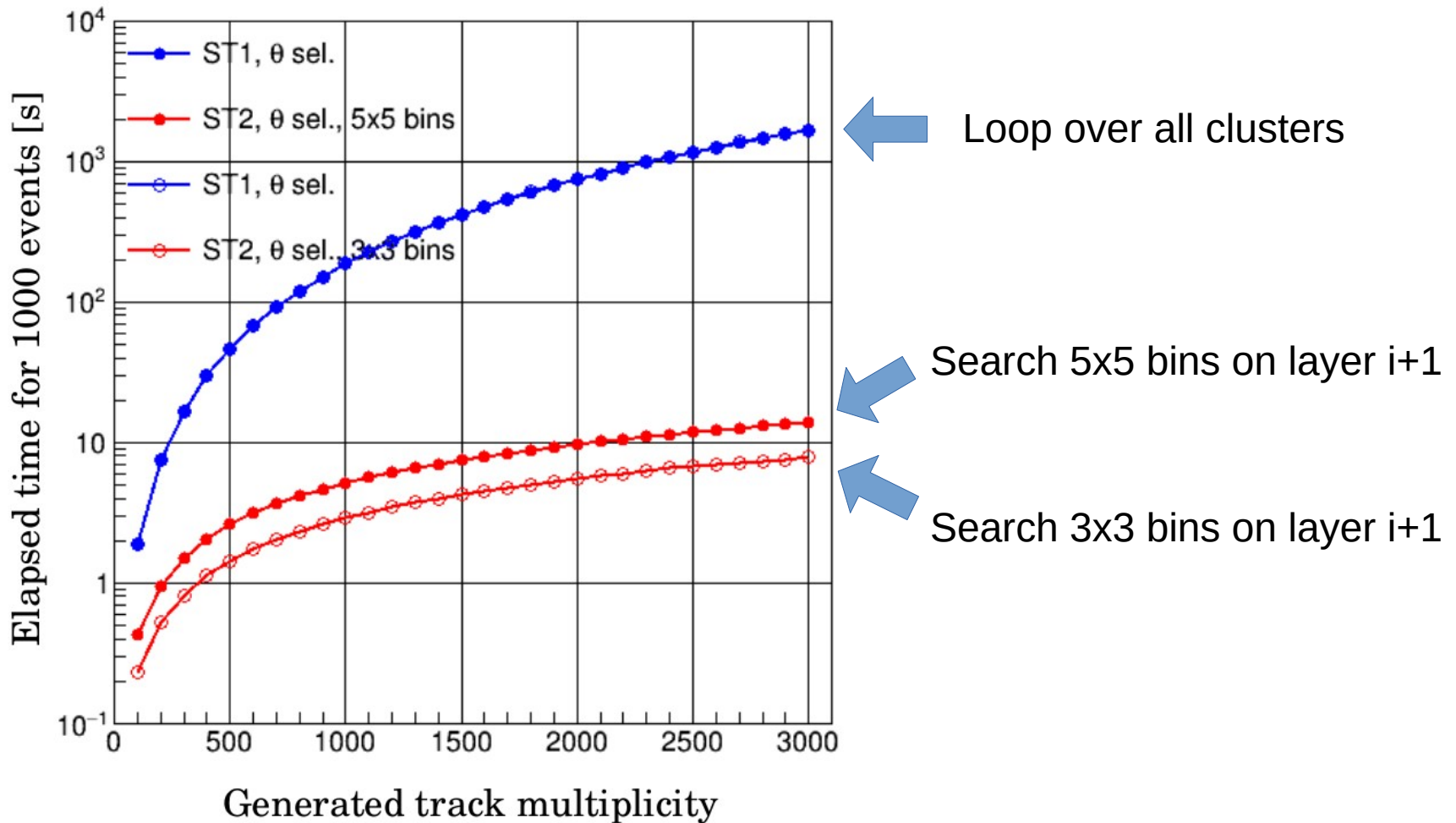
$$\mathcal{I}_\varphi - 1, \mathcal{I}_\varphi, \mathcal{I}_\varphi + 1$$

In another version we explore fields of 5x5 bins in layer “i+1”.



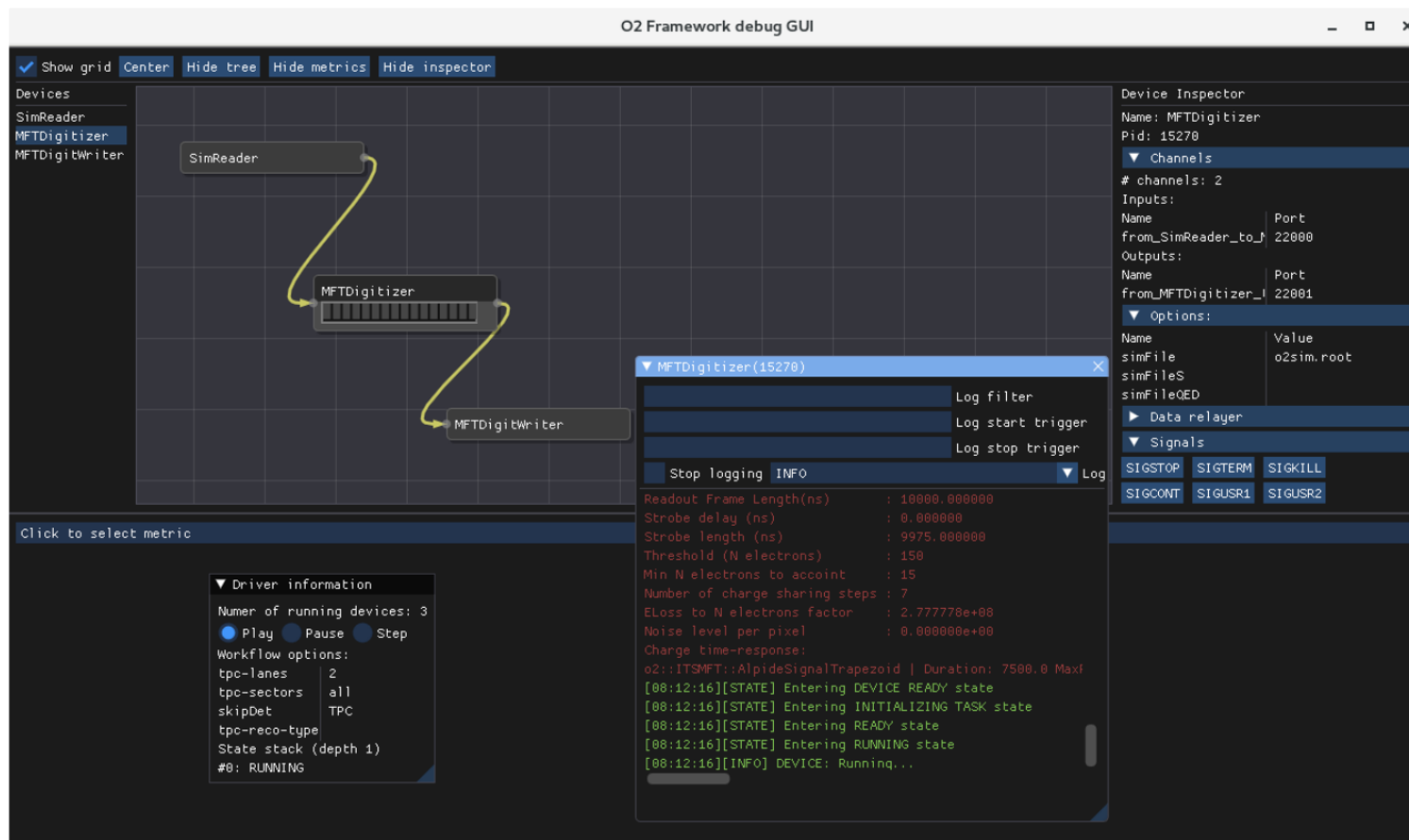


# Testing the time spent in the cluster loops



## Digits → Clusters → Tracks

- MFT Digitizer implemented in Data Processing Layer
- Adapted from ITS digitizer (Sandro Wenzel)



The screenshot shows the O2 Framework debug GUI with the following components:

- Devices Panel:** Lists SimReader, MFTDigitizer, and MFTDigitWriter.
- Diagram:** A central MFTDigitizer device is connected to SimReader and MFTDigitWriter via yellow arrows.
- Device Inspector (Right):**
  - Name: MFTDigitizer, Pid: 15270
  - Channels: 2
  - Inputs: from\_SimReader\_to\_ (Port 22000)
  - Outputs: from\_MFTDigitizer\_ (Port 22001)
  - Options: simFile (o2sim.root)
  - Signals: SIGSTOP, SIGTERM, SIGKILL, SIGCONT, SIGUSR1, SIGUSR2
- MFTDigitizer(15270) Log Window (Bottom Center):**

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Readout Frame Length(ns) : 10000.000000
Strobe delay (ns) : 0.000000
Strobe length (ns) : 9975.000000
Threshold (N electrons) : 150
Min N electrons to account : 15
Number of charge sharing steps : 7
ELoss to N electrons factor : 2.777770e+08
Noise level per pixel : 0.000000e+00
Charge time-response:
o2::ITSMFT::AlpideSignalTrapezoid | Duration: 7500.0 MaxI
[08:12:16][STATE] Entering DEVICE_READY state
[08:12:16][STATE] Entering INITIALIZING_TASK state
[08:12:16][STATE] Entering READY state
[08:12:16][STATE] Entering RUNNING state
[08:12:16][INFO] DEVICE: Running...

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- Driver information (Bottom Left):**
  - Number of running devices: 3
  - Workflow options: tpc-lanes: 2, tpc-sectors: all, skipDet: TPC, tpc-reco-type
  - State stack (depth 1): #0: RUNNING

```
> digitizer-workflow -b --mft-digit-outfile <name>.root --simFile <name>.root
mftdigits.root o2sim.root
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DPL Training planned for early 2019.



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