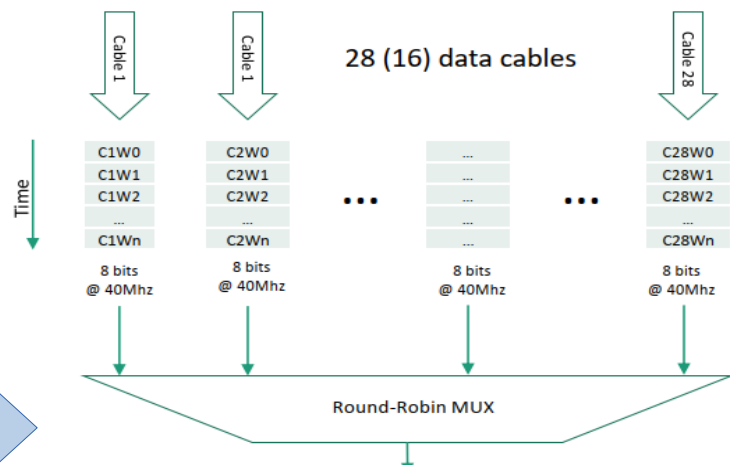




ALICE

Update on the ITS run3 sim & rec

- **Detector geometry**
 - classical and sagged
- **Simulations:**
 - digitization & cluster topology
- **Reconstruction:**
 - [raw-data decoding \(encoding\)](#)
 - cluster / track finding in DPL
 - fixes in Cooked-Matrix tracker
 - primary vertex reconstruction
- **Quality Control**
- **Event Display**
 - raw data / clusters / tracks
- **Overall status & plans**



Data Valid	72	64	56	48	40	32	24	16	8	0
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1	0	0	Priority Bit	FEE ID	Block Length	Header Size	Header Version			
1	0	HB Orbit			TRG Orbit					
1	0	TRG TYPE			0	HB BC	0	TRG BC		
1	0	0	Pages Counter	STOP BIT	PAR	Detector Field				
1	St1_id		Status (e.g. busy)							
1	C1_id	C1W8						C1W1	C1W0	
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1	C28_id	C28W8						C28W1	C28W0	
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Outer Barrel Data Format



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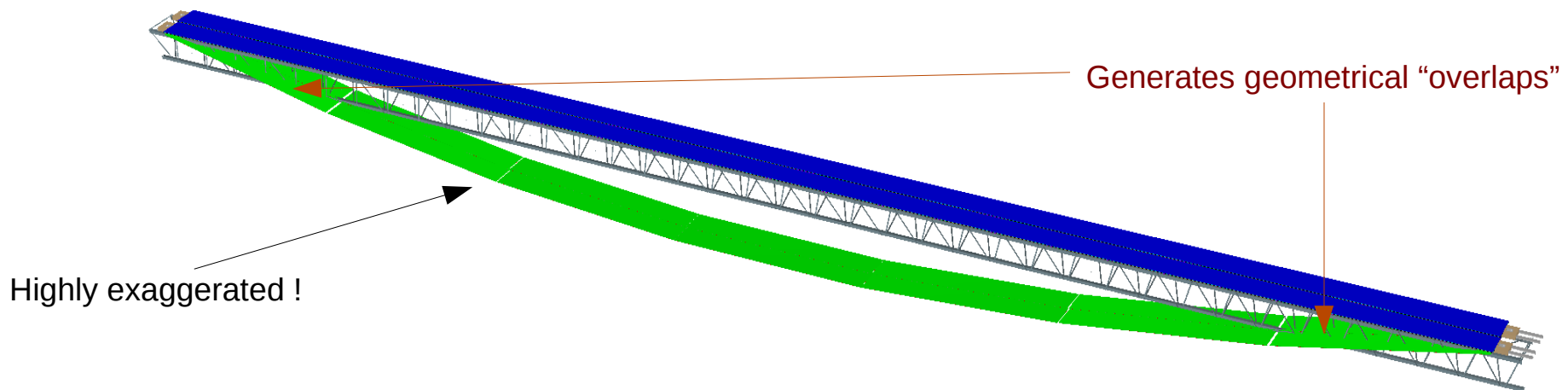
Geometry

● Classical

- ◆ **Several important fixes in row / chip / module numberings, local chip coordinate system.**
- ◆ Several little changes in dimensions and positions inside the acceptance
- ◆ No services yet : cables, patch panels.
Little impact on the physics performance (outside the acceptance).

● Sagged

- ◆ Will be started soon. We do not expect any unrecoverable impact on the tracking.



Digitization and cluster-topology handling

- Configurable parameters for the DPL digitization
 - ◆ Continuous / triggered
 - ◆ Noise level
 - ◆ Threshold
 - ◆ Strobe length
 - ◆ ...
- Cluster topology decoupled from the availability of MC info
 - ◆ COG offset evaluation for “interesting” hits only
 - ◆ Dictionary / shape / frequency for all data including noise and QED e’s

Common code with MFT

Raw-data decoding

Processing speed (on single core of i7-8700k @ 4.3 GHz)

1000 PbPb MB events at 50kHz + QED with $6\mu\text{s}$ strobes and 10^{-7} noise

$\sim 10^8$ fired pixels (30×10^6 clusters) in 13×10^6 non-empty chips

DMA memory allocation rate (with fixed 8KB page size) : **280 GB/s**

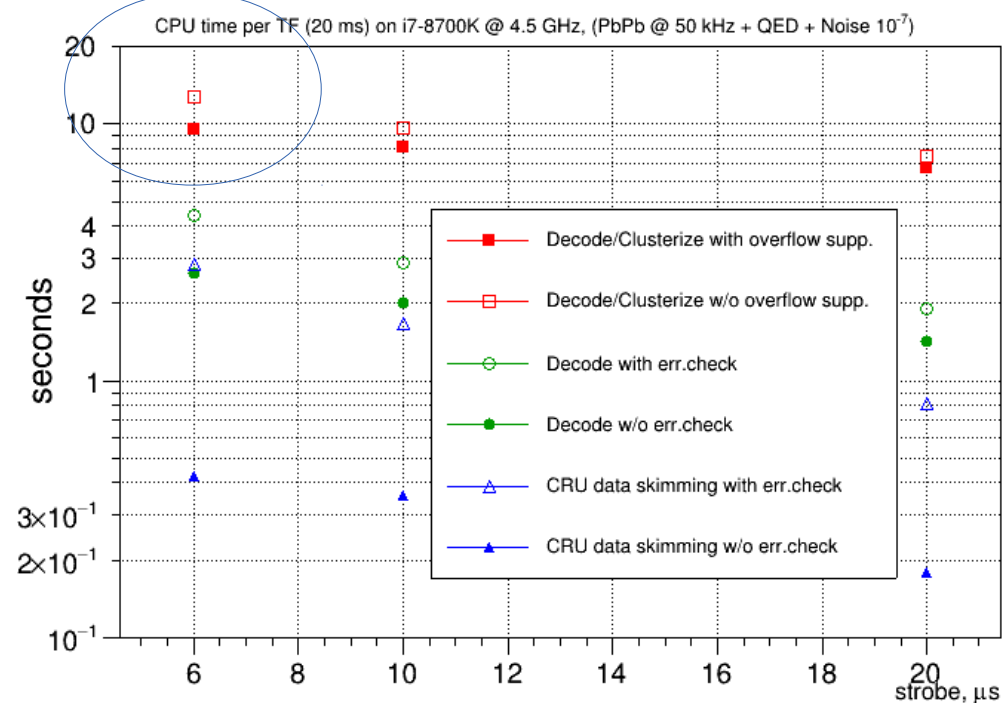
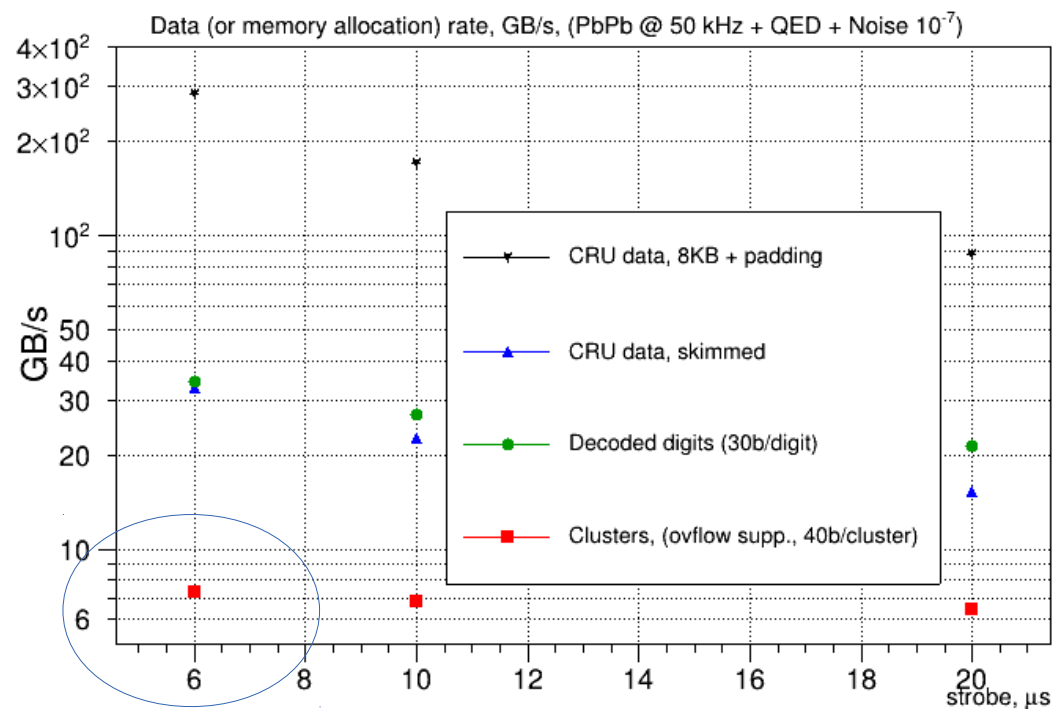
Processing scenarios:

- Clusterization/compactification on FLP → EPN receives compact clusters, ~ 7 GB/s
- Decoding on FLP → EPN receives hits (row/col, chip, trigger ID), ~ 25 GB/s
- CRU data skimming on FLP → EPN receives CRU-like data w/o 80b- \rightarrow 128b padding and page size corresponding to real payload, ~ 25 GB/s

	With checking errors In CPU seconds excluding overhead of reading from disk	W/o checking errors	Minimal N Cores for online processing
Full clusterization (suppressing of overflow pixels)	10.20	8.45	430
Full Decoding	3.20	1.63	82
Removal of 80- \rightarrow 120bit padding, skimming to real payload	2.73	0.4	20

Note: this benchmark was done with single CPU core processing input of the whole detector, need to account for the difference in load from different CRUs.

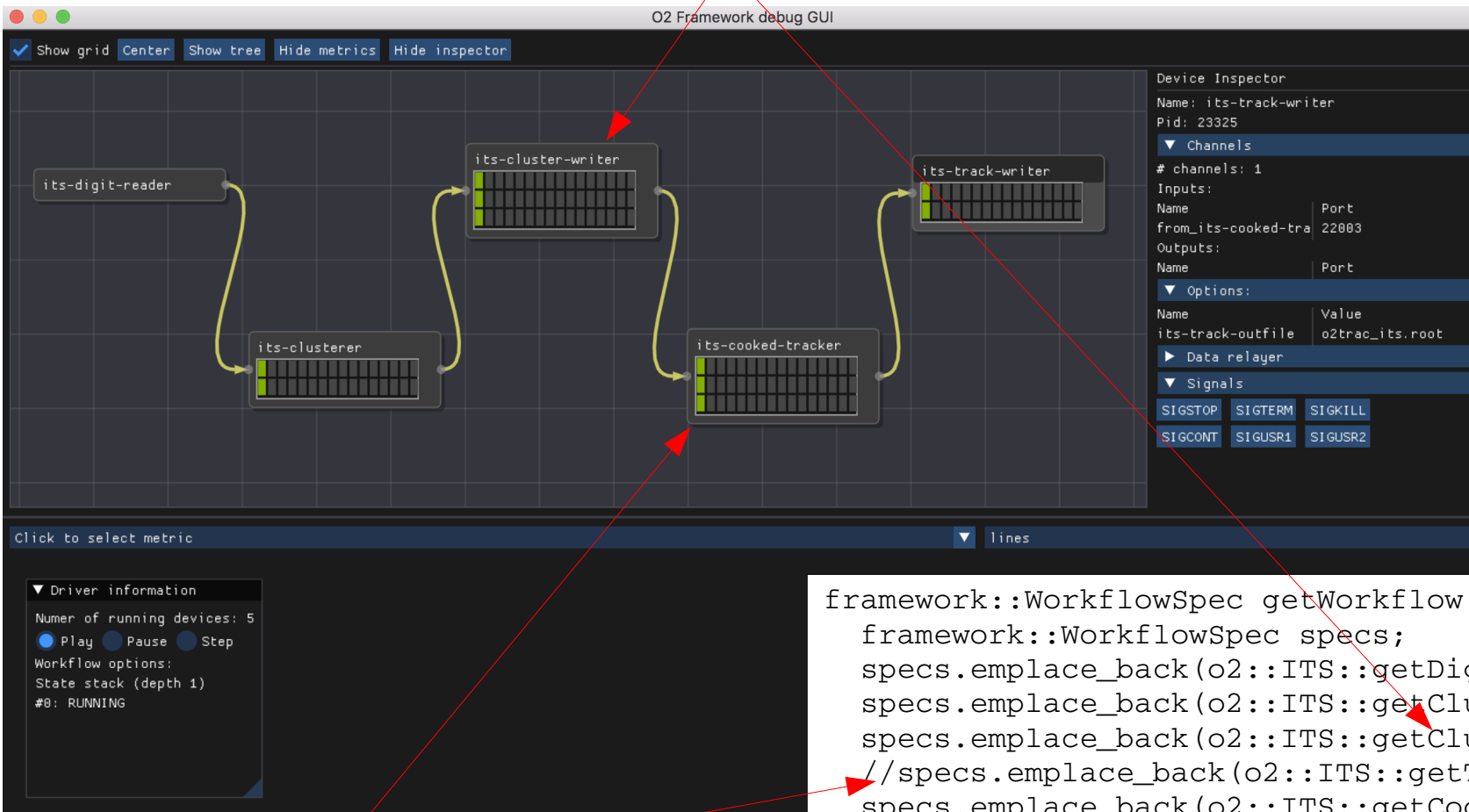
Raw-data handling scenarios



Most likely: The cluster finding will have to be done on EPNs

ITS reconstruction workflow: 6 devices

The ClusterWriter needed for the checking macros only (can be commented out)



O2 Framework debug GUI

Device Inspector

Name: its-track-writer
Pid: 23325

Channels

channels: 1

Inputs:

Name	Port
from_its-cooked-tra	22003

Outputs:

Name	Port

Options:

Name	Value
its-track-outfile	o2trac_its.root

Data relayer

Signals

SIGSTOP	SIGTERM	SIGKILL
SIGCONT	SIGUSR1	SIGUSR2

```
framework::WorkflowSpec getWorkflow() {
    framework::WorkflowSpec specs;
    specs.emplace_back(o2::ITS::getDigitReaderSpec());
    specs.emplace_back(o2::ITS::getClustererSpec());
    specs.emplace_back(o2::ITS::getClusterWriterSpec());
    //specs.emplace_back(o2::ITS::getTrackerSpec());
    specs.emplace_back(o2::ITS::getCookedTrackerSpec());
    specs.emplace_back(o2::ITS::getTrackWriterSpec());
    return specs;
}
```

Driver information

Number of running devices: 5

Play Pause Step

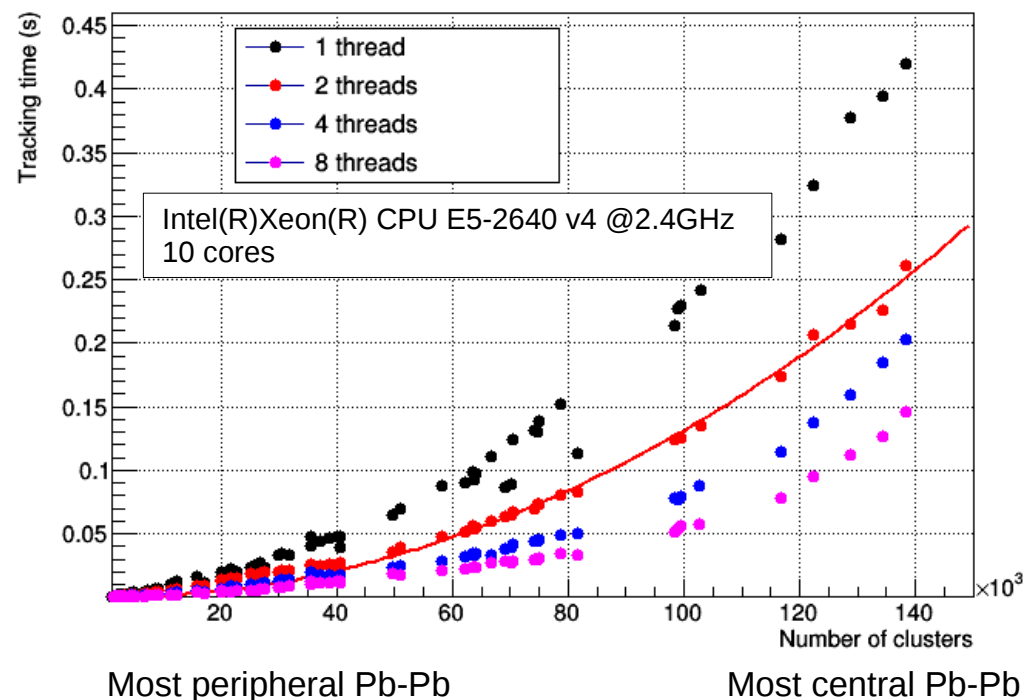
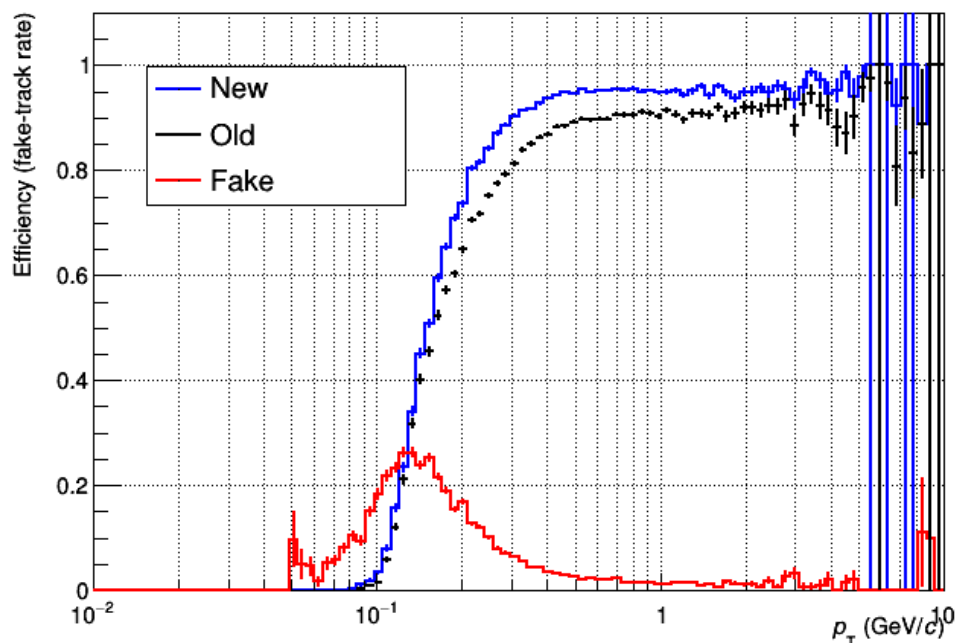
Workflow options:

State stack (depth 1)

#8: RUNNING

Can as well be a CA tracker "DataProcessor"
(inspired by run_trac_ca_its.C)

Fixes in Cooked-Matrix tracker



● The tracking time includes:

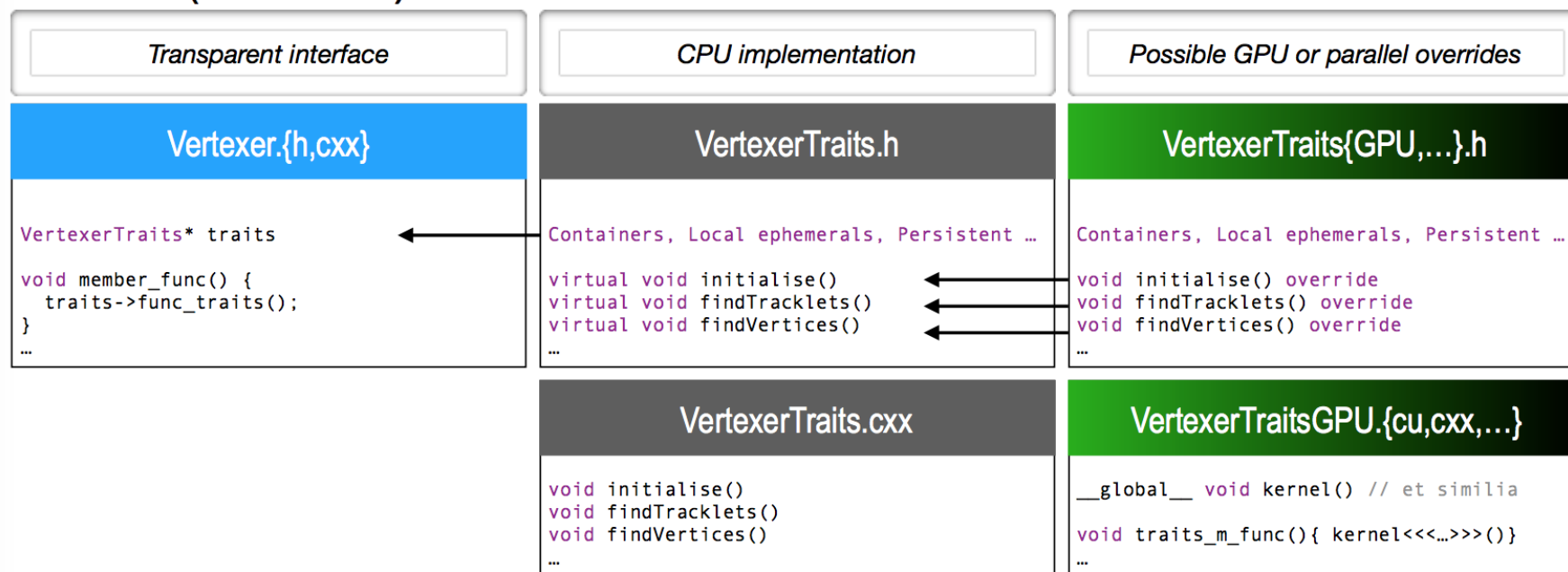
primary-track finding, track fitting at the innermost layer

● The tracking time does not include:

primary-vertex finding, secondary track finding,
propagation to the outermost layer

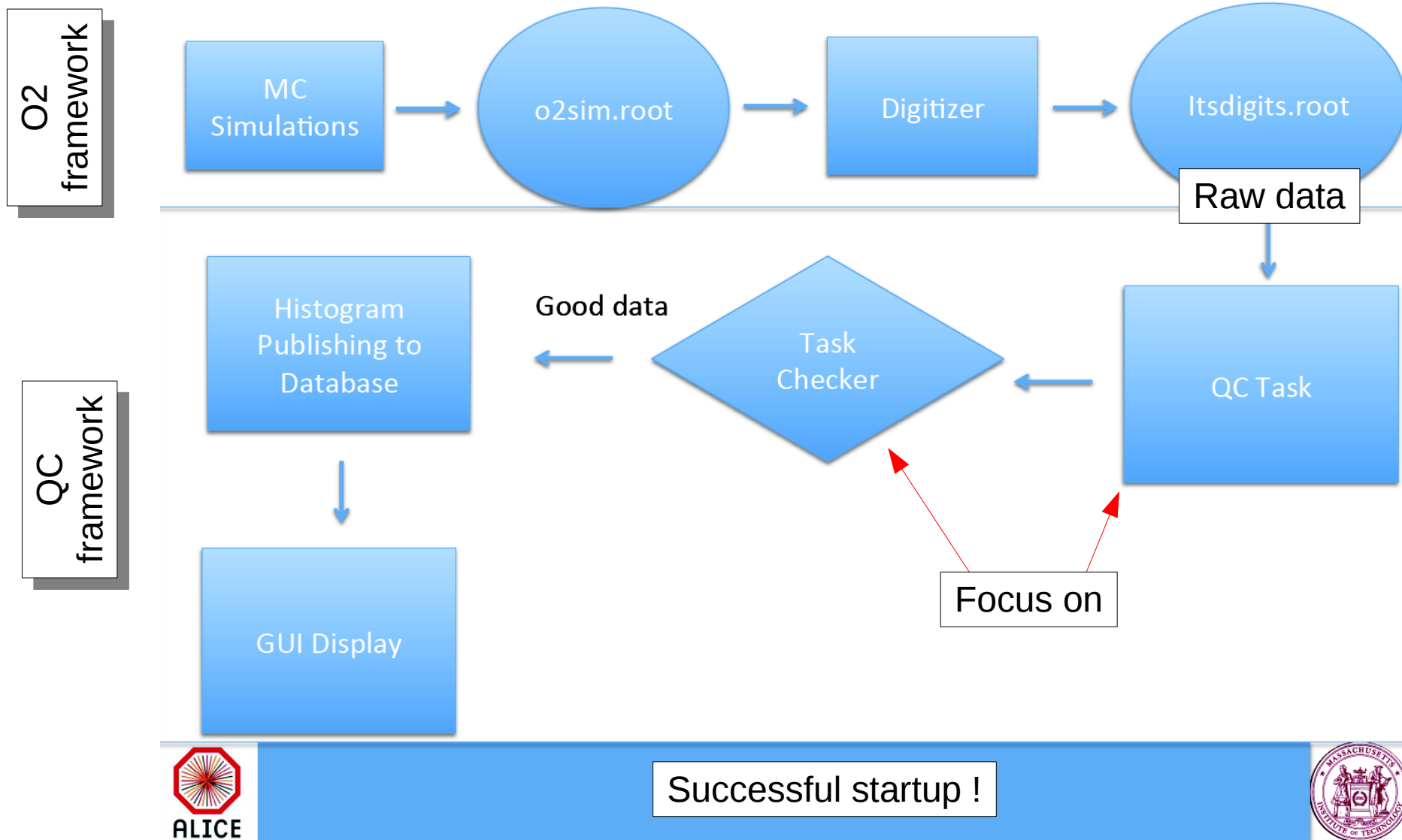
Primary vertex reconstruction

- Transparent and clean `Vertexer` interface
- Streamlined w.r.t. tracker structure ← no `*TraitsCPU` class (+)
- Inheritance allows for integrating different implementations (overrides)



It works ! But: It is the slowest part of the reco chain. Also: Efficiency vs fake pileup.

Quality Control



Event display for the commissioning

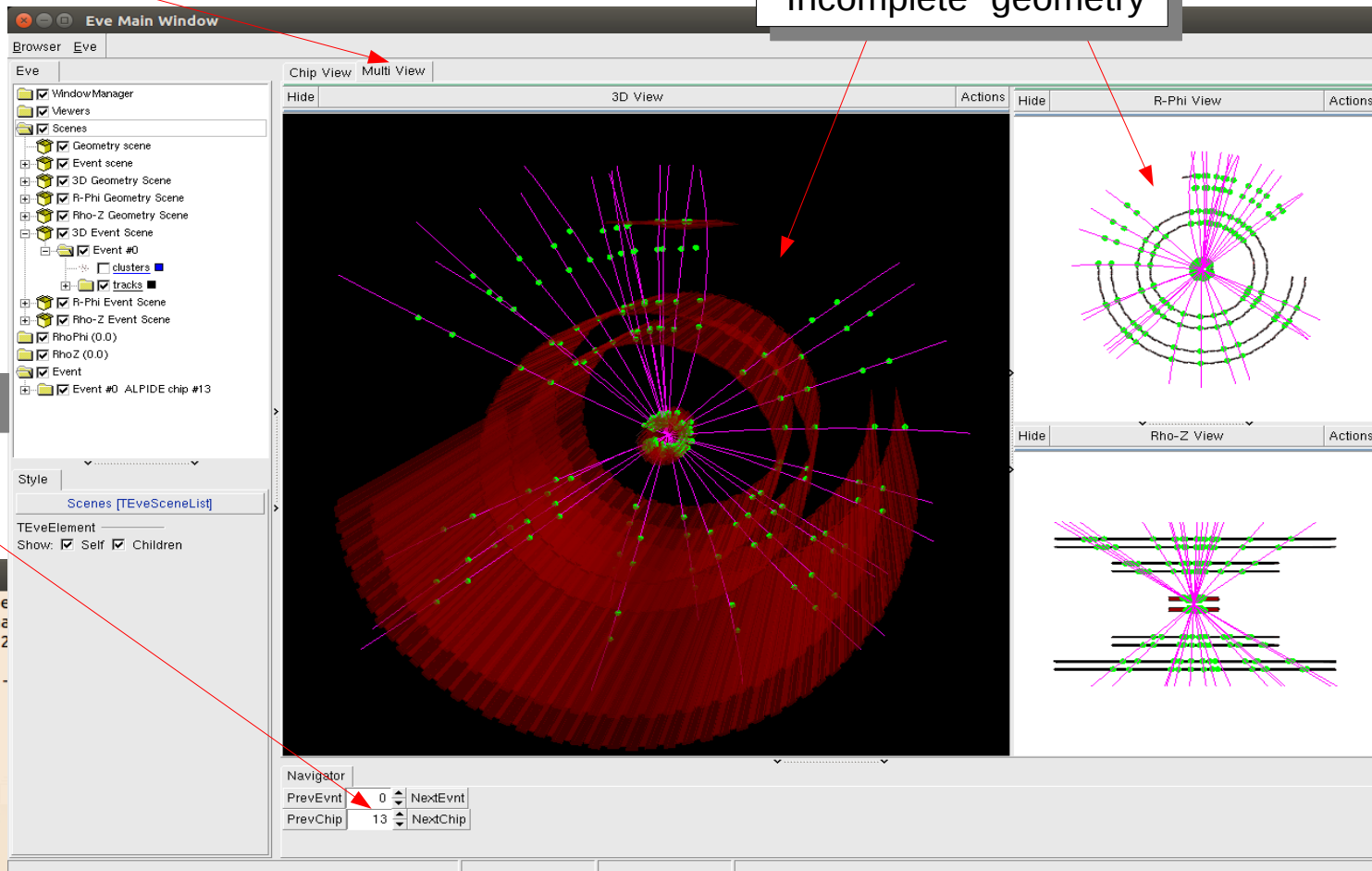
● **Functionality :**

- ◆ All of ROOT's TEvent (rotating, zooming, picking objects with mouse, etc)
- ◆ Reading data from local files (MC digits, raw data, clusters, tracks)
- ◆ **Detector view**
 - Three ALICE projections (3D, r-phi, rho-z)
 - Display of clusters (all, and attached to tracks only)
 - Display of reconstructed tracks
- ◆ **Single-chip view**
 - Zoom down to the pixel level
 - Display of fired pixels
 - Display of reconstructed clusters (bounding box, ...)
- ◆ Navigation over events and chips (command line, and GUI)

Detector view (attached clusters only)

“Incomplete” geometry

Navigation : events and chips



The screenshot shows the 'Eve Main Window' with a 3D view of the detector geometry. The left sidebar contains a tree view of scenes and objects. The top bar has 'Chip View' and 'Multi View' tabs. The main 3D view shows a red detector structure with purple tracks and green clusters. To the right, there are two smaller views: 'R-Phi View' and 'Rho-Z View'. At the bottom, a 'Navigator' panel shows 'PrevEvt' set to 0 and 'PrevChip' set to 13.

```

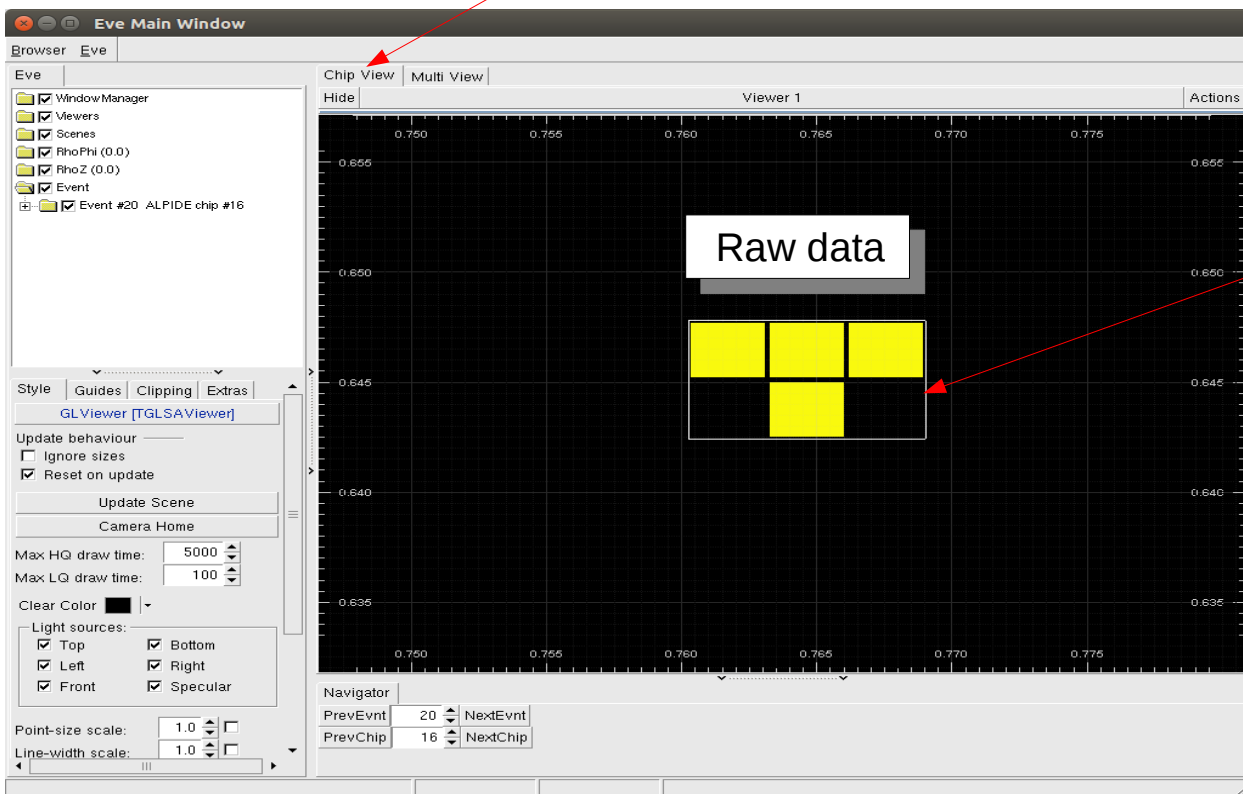
Terminal
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Info in <TGeoManager::CountLevels>: max level = 8, ma
Info in <TGeoManager::CloseGeometry>: 179073 nodes/ 2
metry
Info in <TGeoManager::CloseGeometry>: -----
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[INFO] Loading ITS L2G matrices from TGeo
[INFO] Loading ITS T2L matrices from TGeo
[INFO] Loading ITS T2G rotation 2D matrices

**** Navigation over events and chips ****
load(event, chip)    jump to the specified event
next()              load next event
prev()              load previous event
loadChip(chip)      jump to the specified chip within the current event
nextChip()          load the next chip within the current event
prevChip()          load the previous chip within the current event

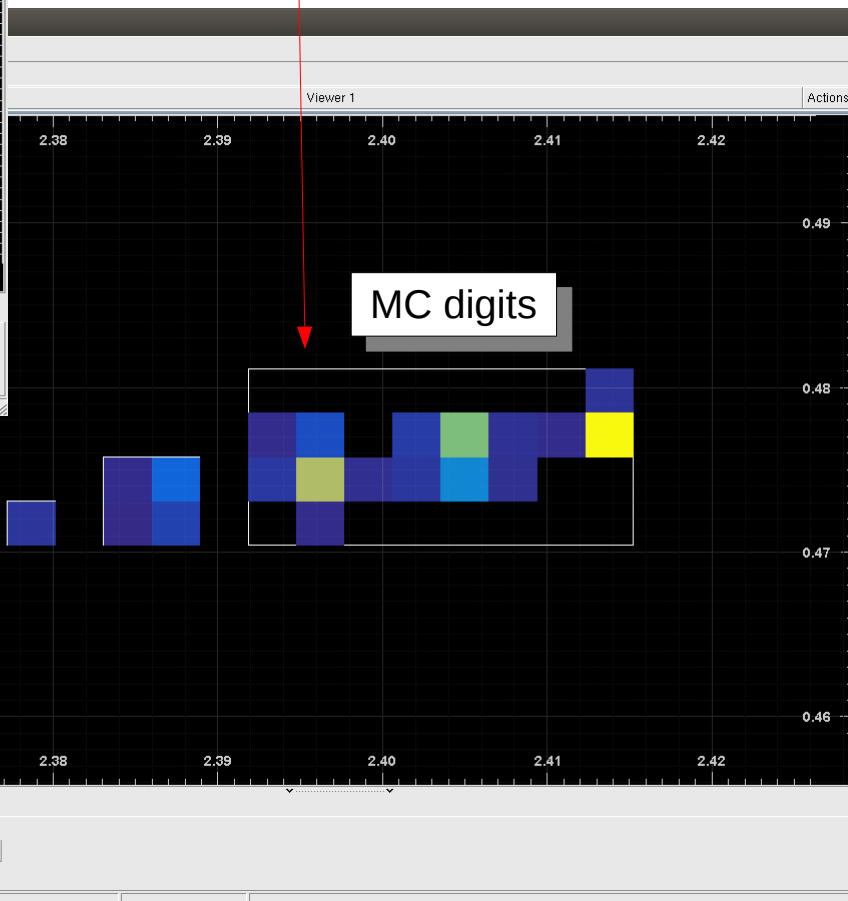
*** Event #0 ***
Number of ITSDigits: 2784
Number of ITSClusters: 1762
Number of ITTracks: 32
Most occupied chip: 142 (28 digits)
root [0]
    
```

Information about the displayed event

Single-chip view (digits, clusters)



Cluster bounding boxes



The cluster finder seems to work fine !

Overall status & plans

Task	Contact	People	When	Comments
General ITS geometry	Mario Sitta	Chinorat Kobdaj	Done	No services yet
Sagging geometry	Mario Sitta	Cristina Bedda	Q4 2019	
ALPIDE response simulation	Artem Isakov	Miljenko Suljic	Q2 2019	Vbb=0 missing
Time dependent digitiser	Ruben Shahoyan		Done	
Digitisation in DPL			Done	
Raw data decoder	Ruben Shahoyan		Done	Ongoing discussions with WP10
Cluster finder (CPU)	Iouri Belikov	Ruben Shahoyan	Done	
Time effects in clusterisation	Ruben Shahoyan		Done	
Clusterisation in DPL			Done	
Cluster finder (FPGA)	Anisa Qazi ?		Done ?	Repetitive signal handling in FPGA ?
Cluster-topology handling	Luca Barioglio		Done	Integrated with the Cluster Finder
Primary vertex finder (CPU)	Matteo Concas	Ruben Shahoyan	Done	May need a new approach
Primary vertex finder (GPU)	Matteo Concas	David Rohr	Q2 2019	May take longer
CA tracker (CPU)	Maximiliano Puccio		Done	
CA tracker (GPU)	Maximiliano Puccio	Matteo Concas, David Rohr	Q2 2019	
Tracking in DPL			Done	Without the primary vertexer in DPL
Comparison with Monte Carlo	Arthur Gal	Iouri Belikov	Q4 2019	Service task (~30% of time)
Event display	Iouri Belikov		Done	Needed: Simplified geometry, data convertor
Calibration (noise, dead)	Markus Keil			
Quality Control	Ivan Amos Cali	Zhaozhong Shi	Q2 2020	