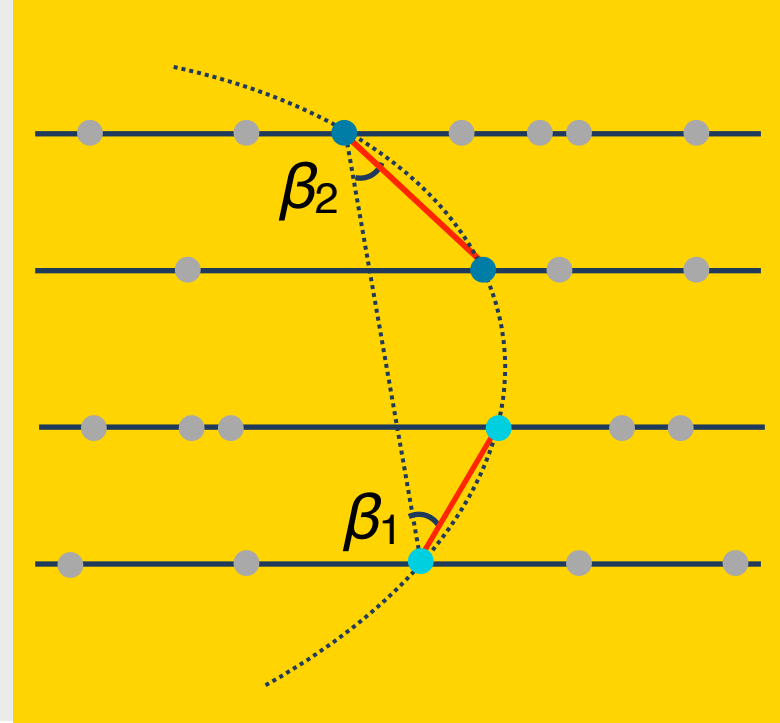


Parallelizable Track Pattern Recognition in High-Luminosity LHC

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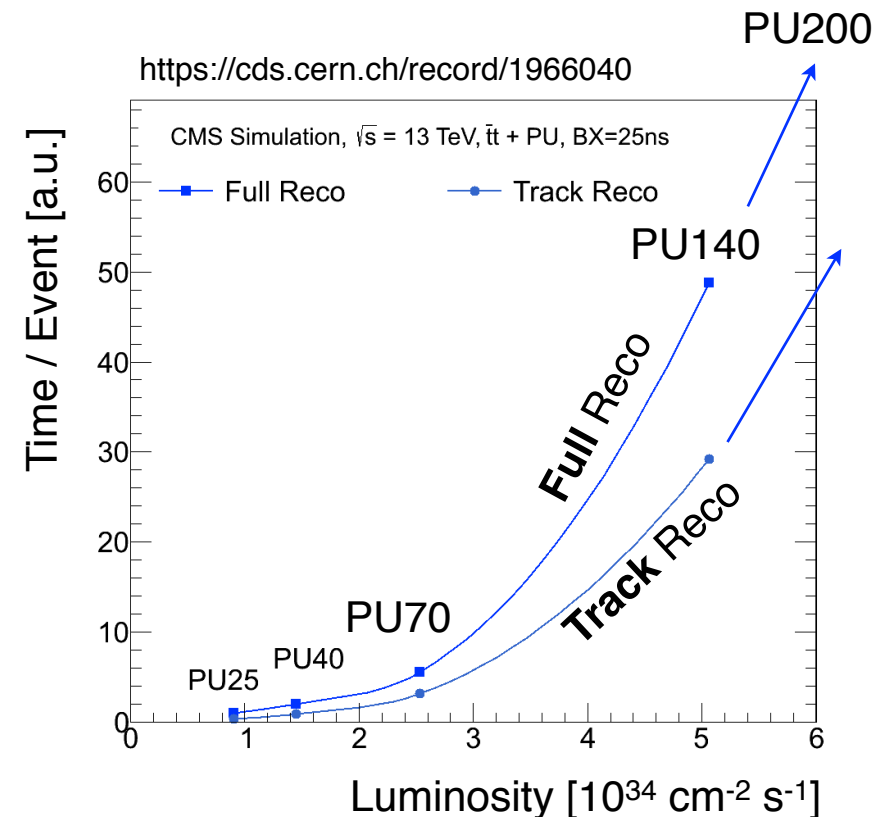
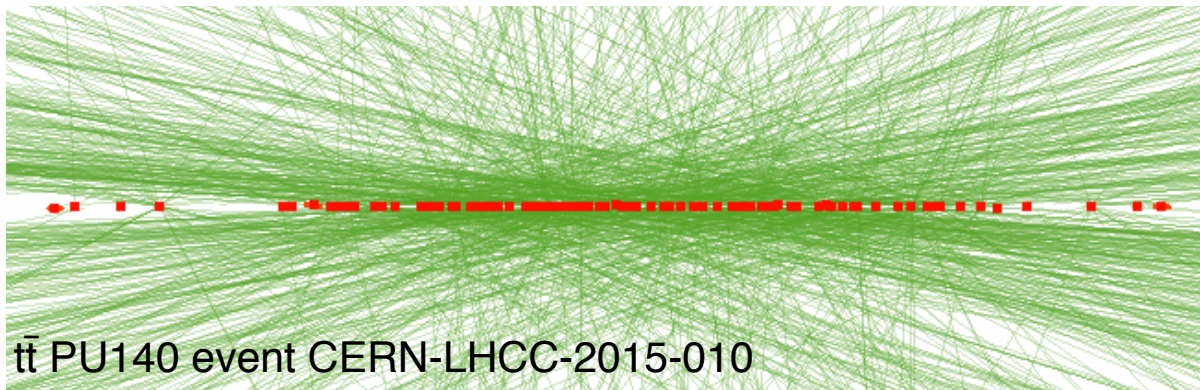
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- HL-LHC challenges
- Importance of investigating novel algorithms
- Parallel track building in CMS Phase 2 outer tracker
- Preliminary results
- Outlook

- Track reconstruction is crucial for physics
- Track reconstruction is time consuming
- For HL-LHC the problem is only getting worse
- New (multiple) solutions must be explored
⇒ Most important thing to keep in mind is the impact to physics performance

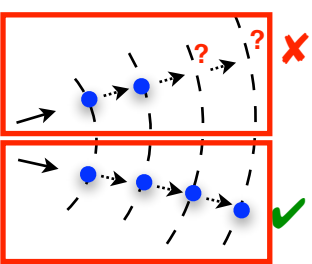


For HL-LHC need to make choices / improvements in order not to compromise physics due to large pileup

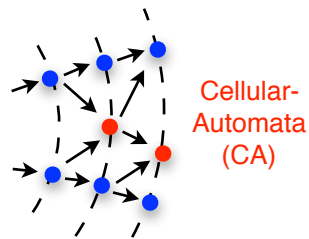
Novel algorithms on the horizon

Parallel in seeds/evt./
region and vectorize
calculation (SIMD)

mkFit



Patatrack



only need to
know near
neighbor \Rightarrow
parallelizable

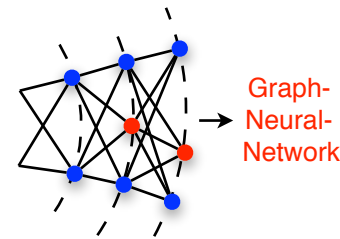
GPUs



Multi-core



Exa.TrkX



Bunch of matrix
multiplication \Rightarrow
can be parallelized

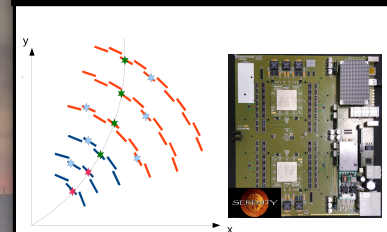
Cloud?

FPGA
deploy?



subregion/event
parallelization

L1Track

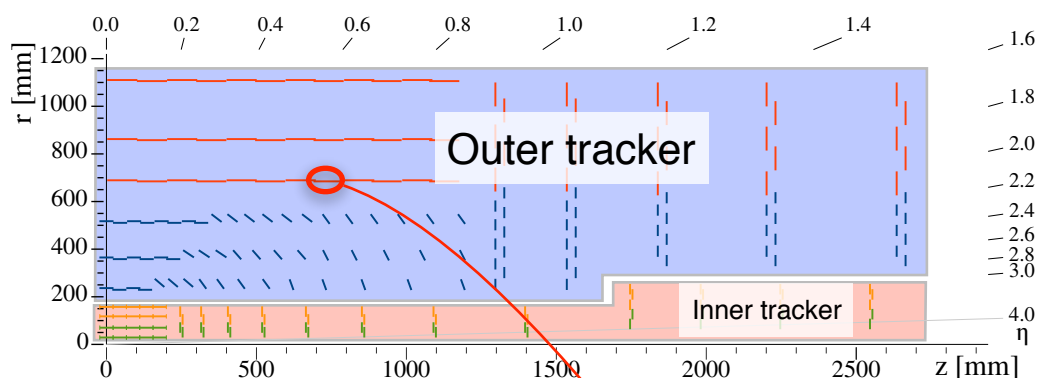


Parallelizing Science

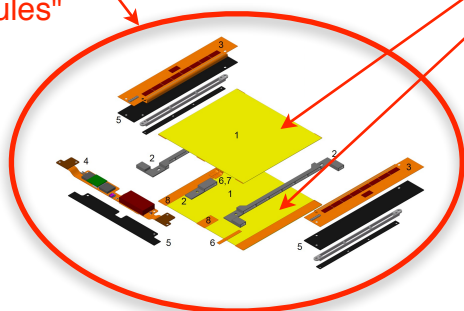
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Most algorithms currently used or used today are sequential
Many novel efforts are developing **parallelizable** algorithms
(See many contributions from the CTD2020)

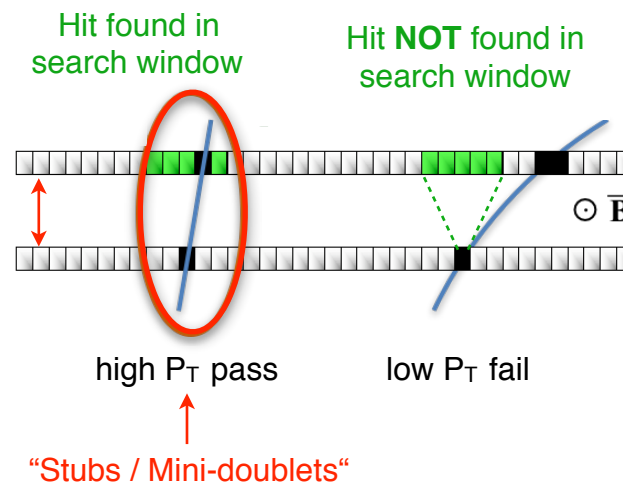
- Outer tracker consists of “ P_T modules” (two modules closely sandwiched)
- Choice driven by level-1 track trigger capability
- Forming stubs / **mini-doublets** is local and can be highly parallelized



“ P_T modules”



double layered
~2-4 mm gap



Enables parallel algorithm in outer tracker

- Two **mini-doublets** (●) together can form a **segment** (●—●)
- Segment building and linking[†] algorithm is also inherently parallel
- Outer tracker segment linking would have unique physics opportunity

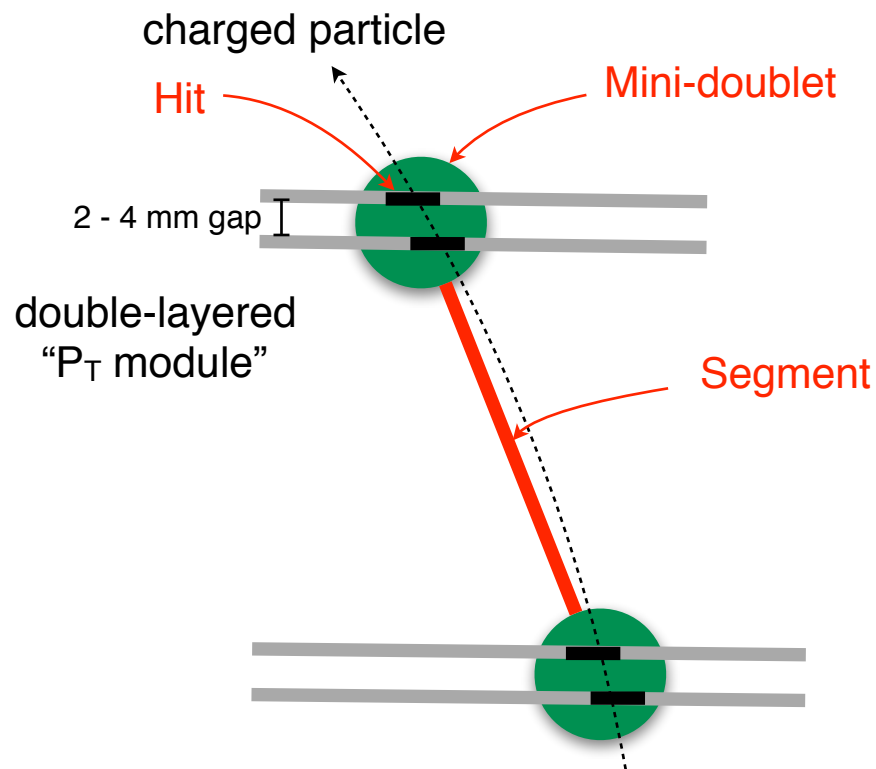
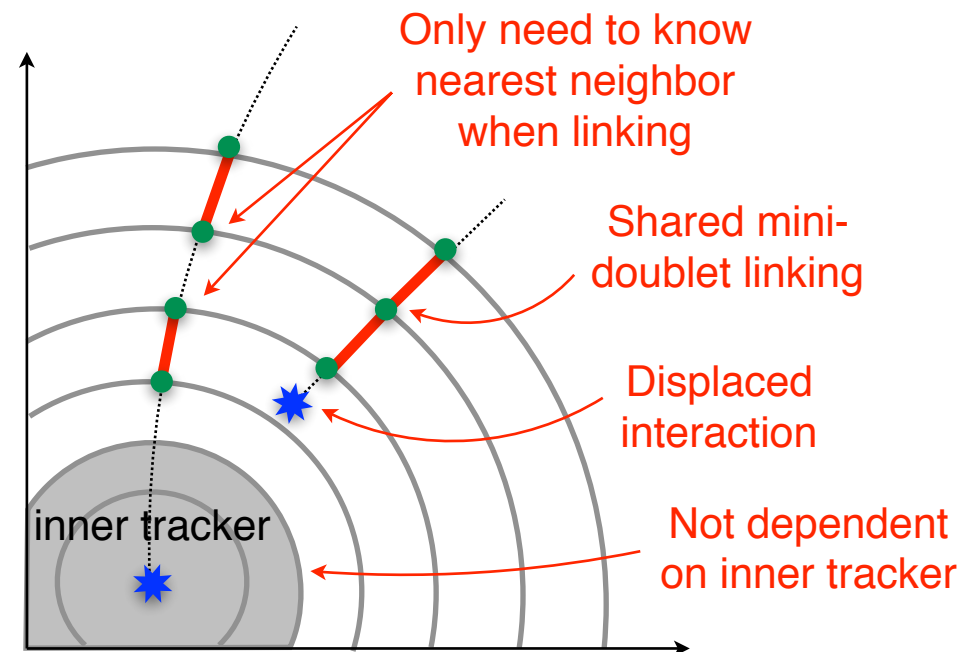


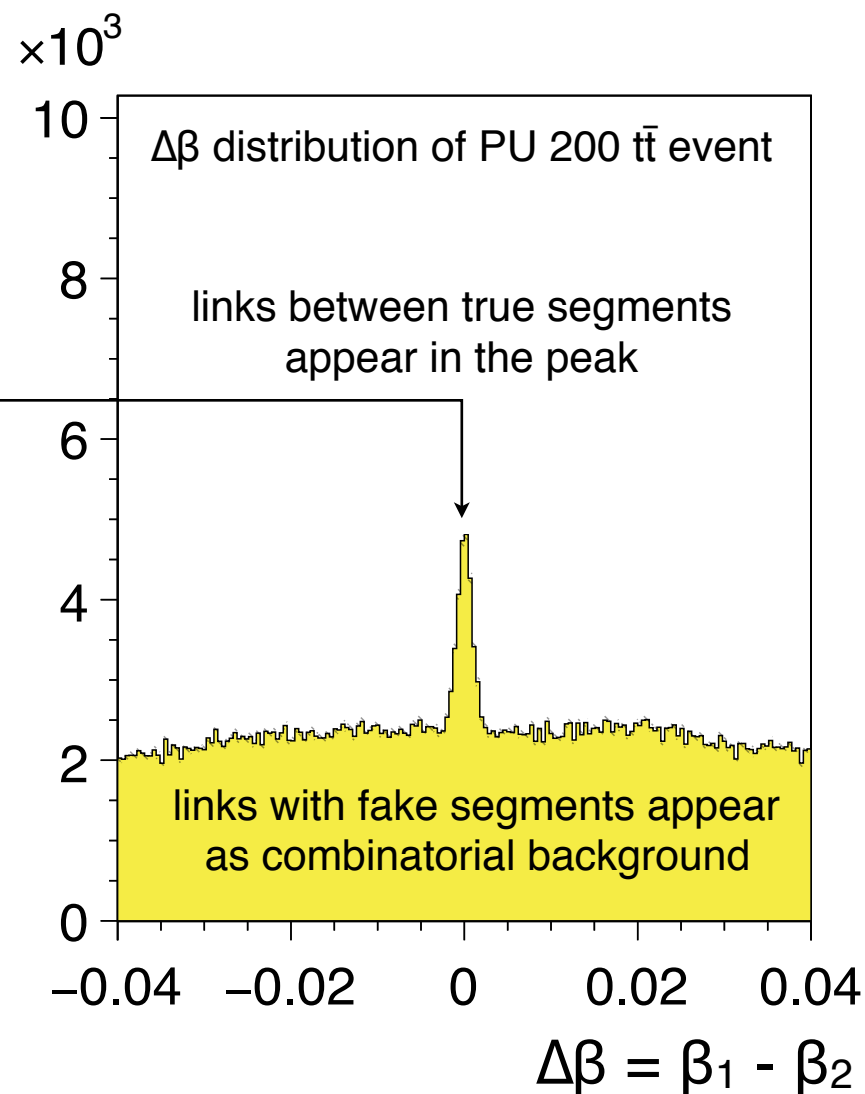
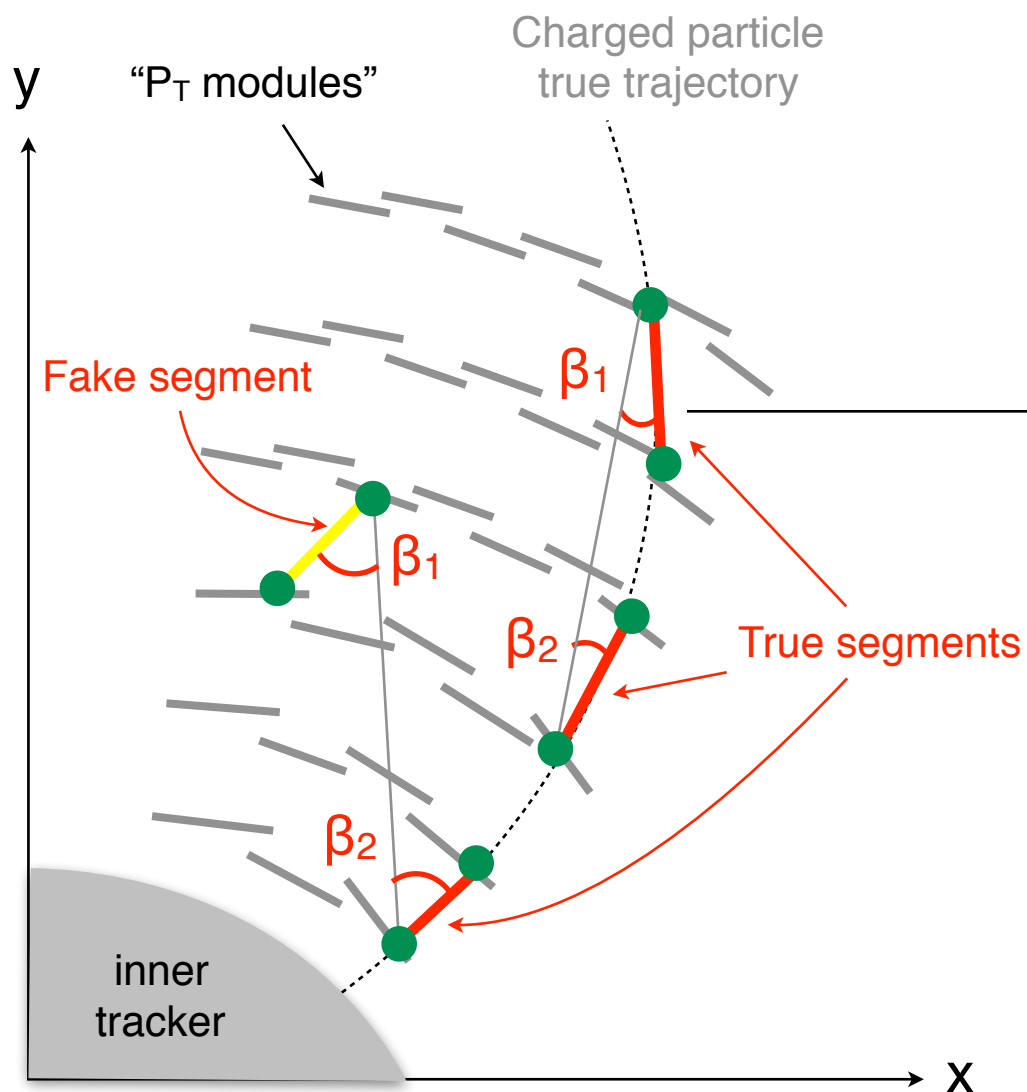
Illustration of outer tracker segments



[†]Similarity to CDF central outer tracker (COT) segment linking, (cf. eXtremely Fast Tracker)

Track pattern recognition algorithm that is inherently parallel can be explored in the outer tracker of HL-LHC CMS tracker

Geometrical linking of segments

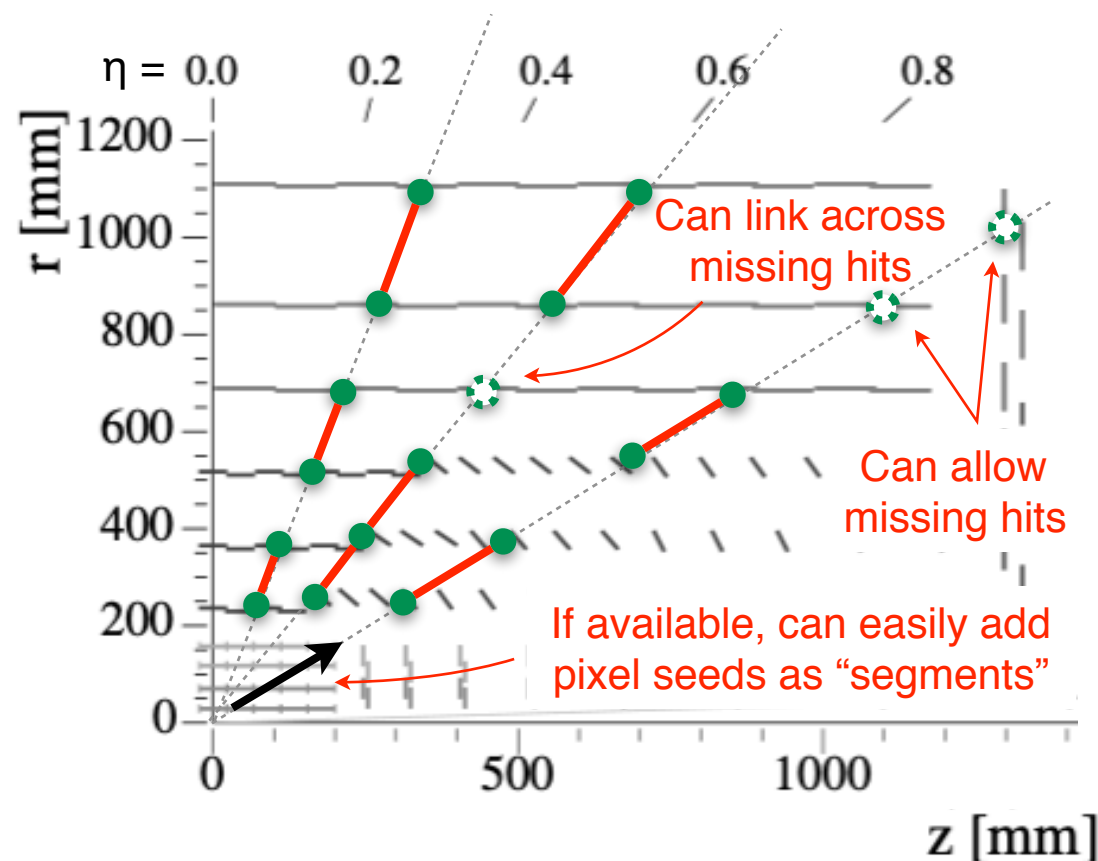


Method based on J.Phys.Conf.Ser. 898 (2017) 4, 042023

Segments can be linked geometrically

- Segments (or linked ones) are used to build track candidates
- There are multiple ways to build, which can all be done in parallel
- Pixel seeds can be easily added as a “segment” if available

non-exhaustive list of possible track candidates built shown below.



Track candidates can be formed in **multiple** ways in **parallel**

- Byproduct of the method is a full graph connection between mini-doublets
- Possible to explore different methods at this stage
 - e.g. CA, GNN

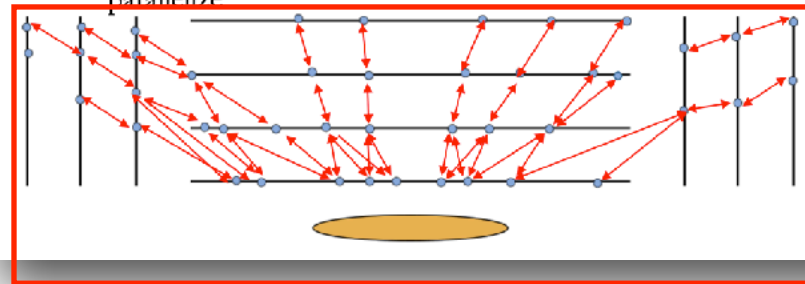
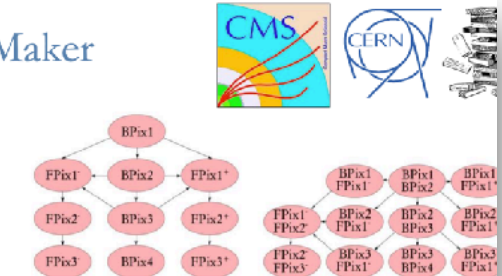
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Cellular Automaton-based Hit Chain-Maker

The CA is a track seeding algorithm designed for parallel architectures

It requires a list of layers and their pairings

- A graph of all the possible connections between layers is created
- Doublets aka Cells are created for each pair of layers, in parallel at the same time
- Fast computation of the compatibility between two connected cells, in parallel
- No knowledge of the world outside adjacent neighboring cells required, making it easy to parallelize



Better efficiency and fake rejection wrt previous algo
Since 2017 data-taking has become the default track seeding algorithm for all the pixel-seeded online and offline iterations

Equivalent graph obtained

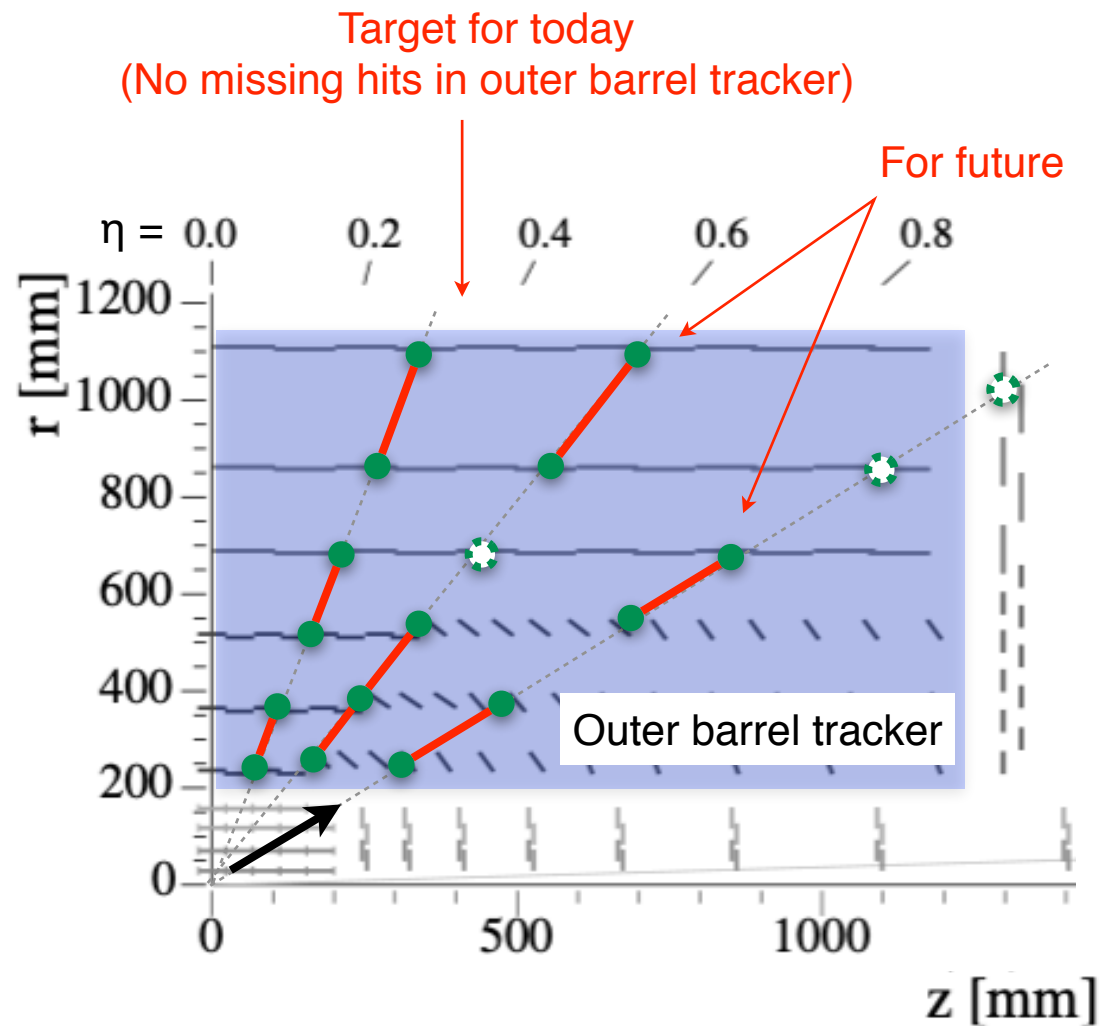
The algorithm being developed has many legs



- **Benefits from parallel algorithm:**
 - Possible speed up if combinatorial/fakes are under control
 - Traditional Kalman-Filter based algorithm is serial and sequential
 - (Efforts on-going to deploy on modern architecture. e.g. mkFit)
 - Proposed track building algo is naturally parallelizable and vectorizable
- **Outer tracker benefits:**
 - Complementarity w/ pixel based seeding
 - CMS tracking is critically dependent on pixel health and performance
 - Affordable iterations are all pixel-based
 - Single largest exposure to physics program
 - Potential for displaced vertex tracking
- Could also potentially benefit at HLT for more extensive tracking

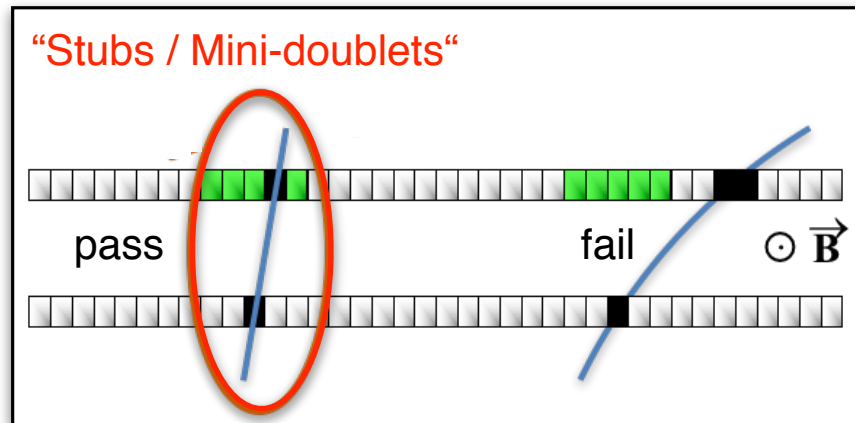
Outer tracker parallel track building algo can be fast and help physics program of CMS

- As a start we focus on no missing hits tracks in barrel outer tracker (12 hits in total)
- This kind of track candidate has the benefit of not relying on the pixel track seeds
- Efficiencies reported today will be for these tracks unless otherwise noted

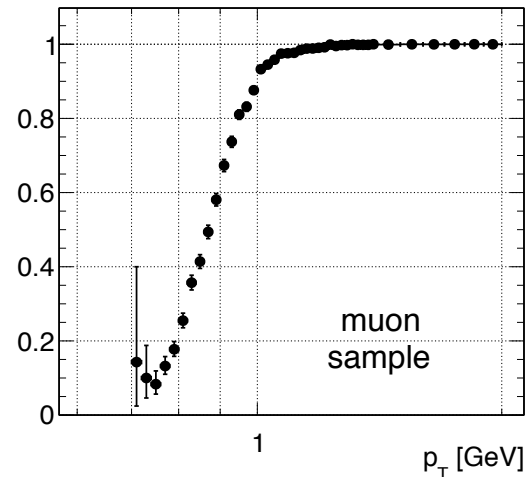


Today we target tracks with no missing hits in outer tracker barrel

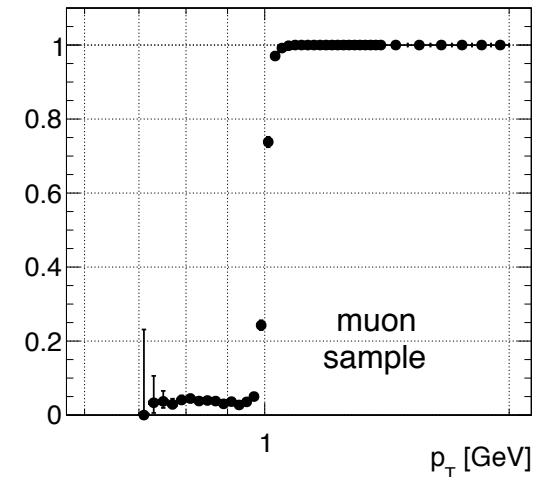
Mini-doublet building and efficiency



Eff. v. P_T for layer 1

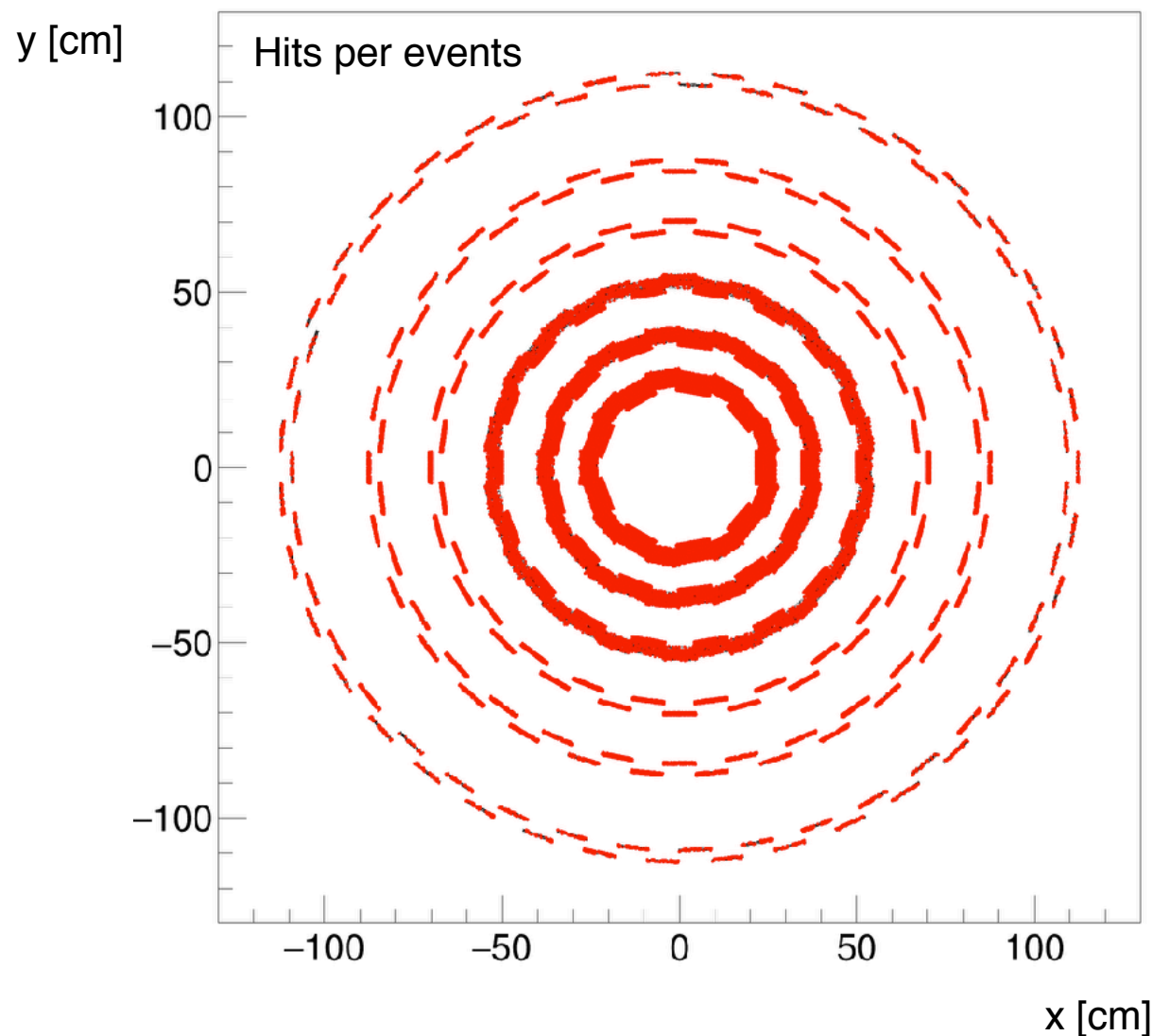


Eff. v. P_T for layer 6



- Utilize P_T module and build mini-doublets out of individual hits
- Target P_T threshold is 1 GeV (cf. L1Track targets > 2 GeV)
- Plateaus soon after targeted 1 GeV threshold
- Only requires information on its own module \Rightarrow suitable for parallelization

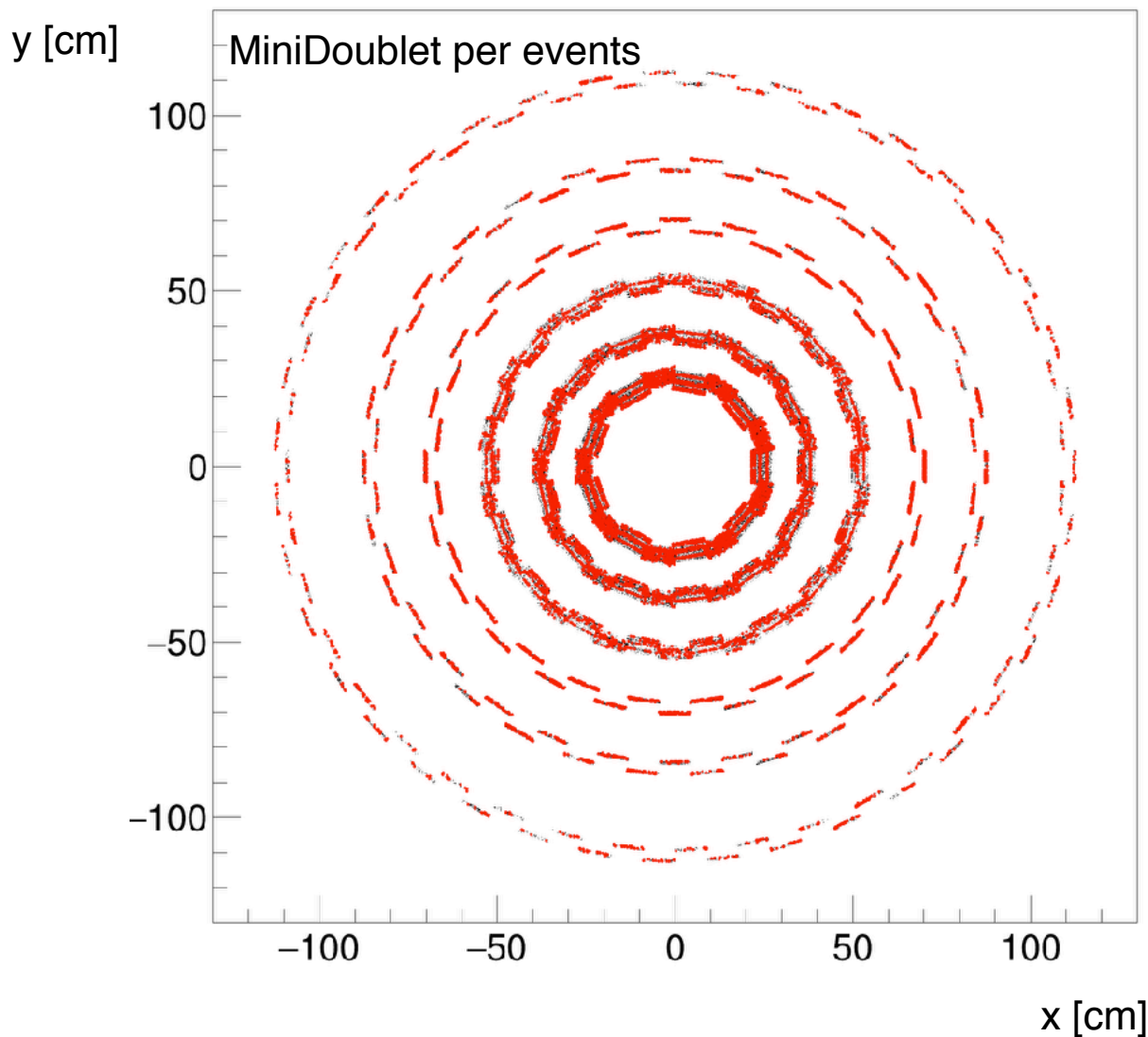
Good mini-doublet efficiency achieved soon after targeted threshold of 1 GeV in barrel region



- PU200 $t\bar{t}$ event
- All hits in the barrel detector plotted
- Large number of hits per layer
- Naive combinations will lead to combinatorics explosion

Layer	1	2	3	4	5	6
# hits	36K	28K	21K	17K	12K	6K

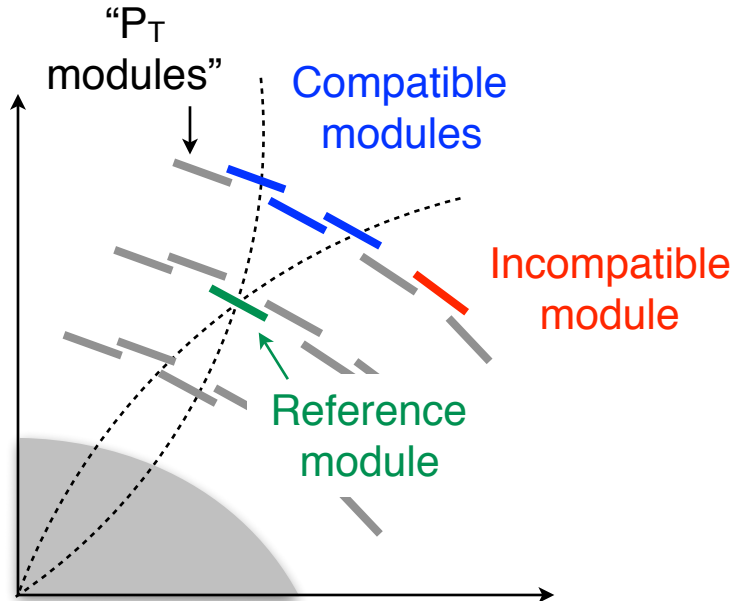
Very large hit multiplicity for PU 200 event



- PU200 $t\bar{t}$ event
- All mini-doublets (MDs) in the barrel detector plotted
- 3x to 7x reduction in multiplicity per layer
- \Rightarrow massive reduction in combinatorics in parallel

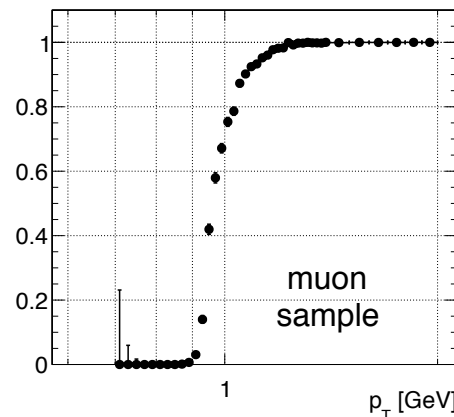
Layer	1	2	3	4	5	6
# hits	36K	28K	21K	17K	12K	6K
# MD	5.9K	3.8K	3.1K	3.7K	3.3K	2.2K
Ratio	6.1	7.3	6.8	4.6	3.5	2.7

Mini-Doublet formation much reduces combinatorics

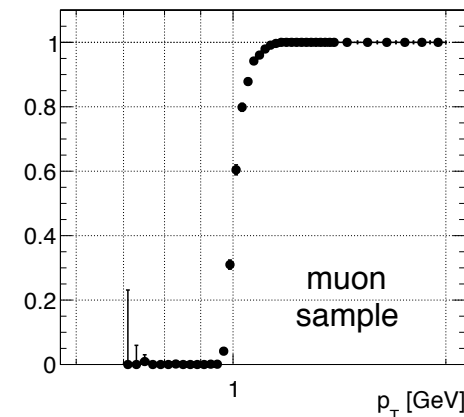


- Utilize module map built from muon gun simulations in building segments
- Compatibility between Mini-Doublet angles and segment angle required
- Same 1 GeV threshold targeted

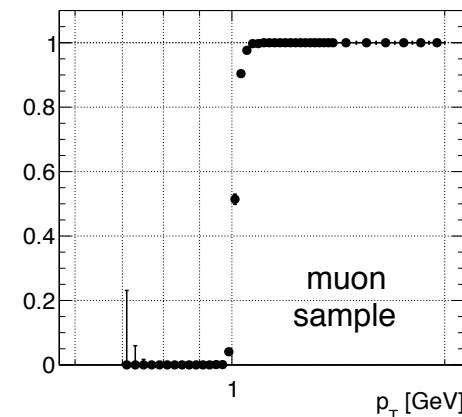
Eff. v. P_T Layer 1 - 2



Eff. v. P_T Layer 3 - 4



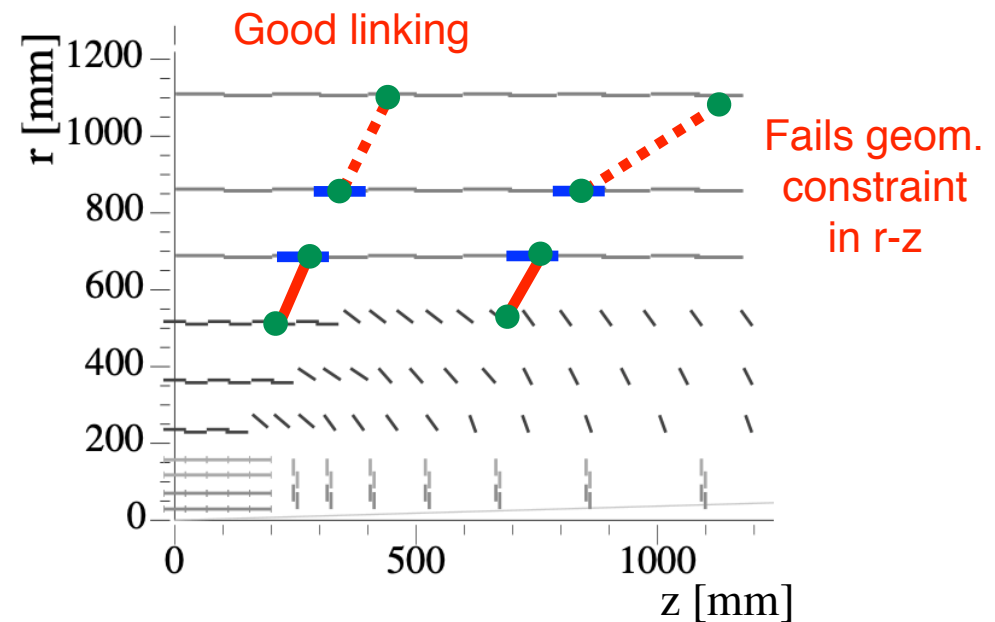
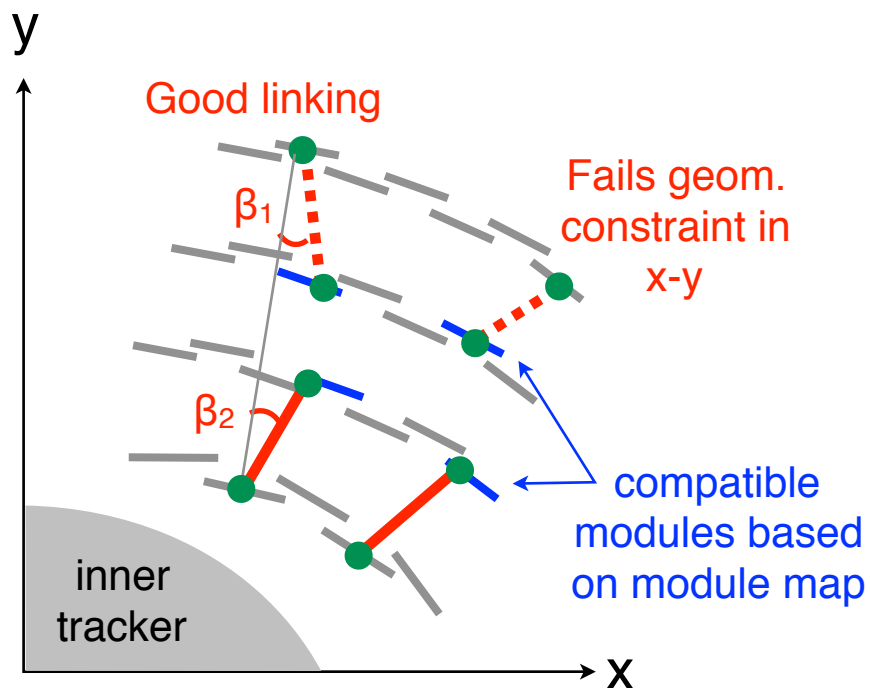
Eff. v. P_T Layer 5 - 6



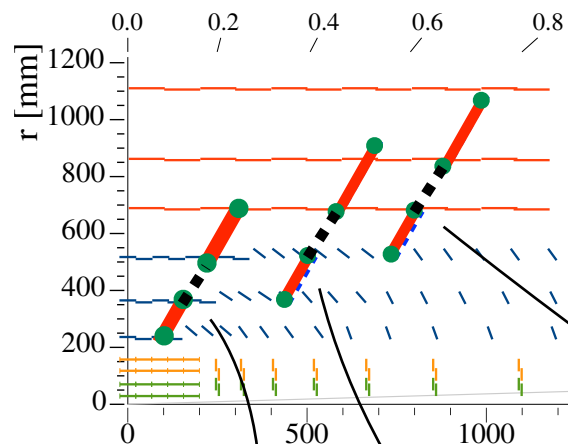
Good segment efficiency achieved soon after targeted threshold of 1 GeV in barrel region

Segment linking (a.k.a. tracklet building)

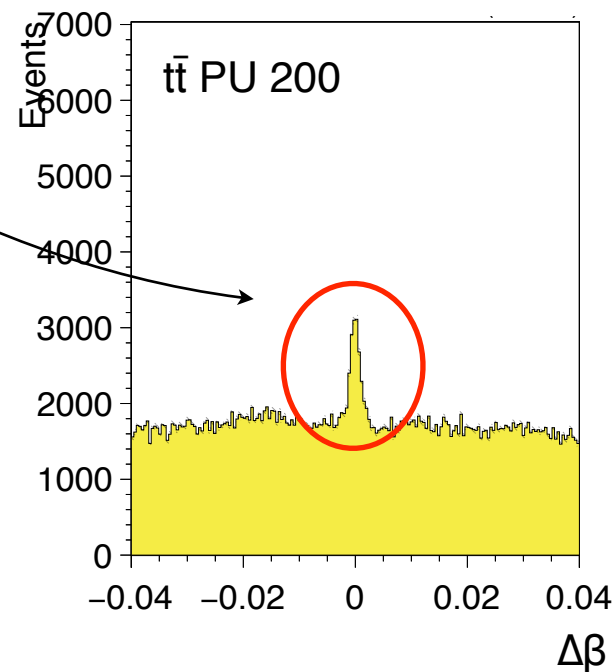
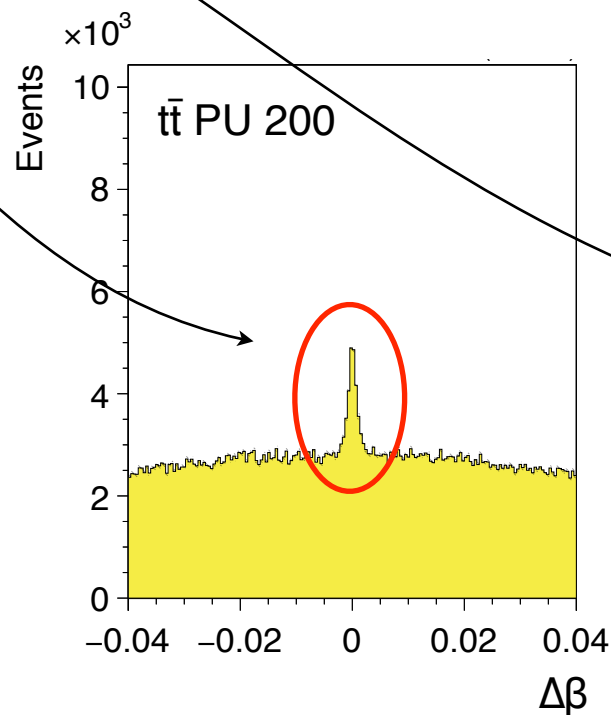
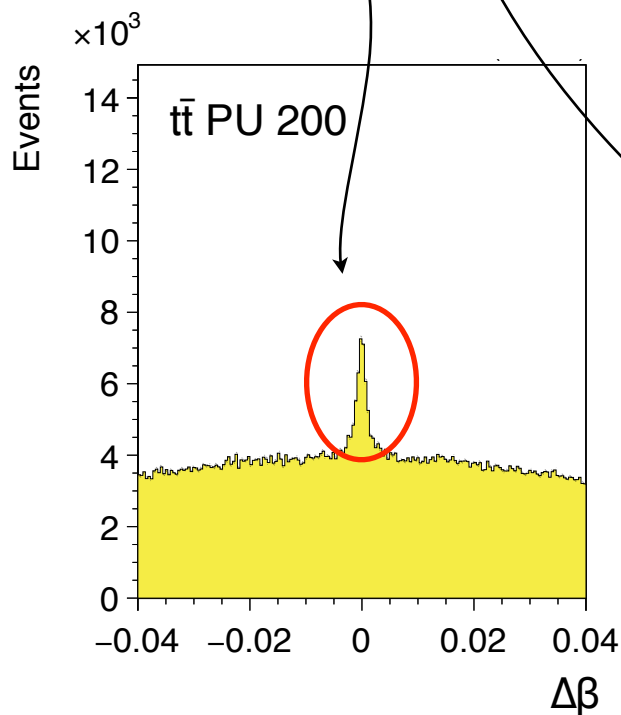
- Consider potential segments (●...●) to link utilizing module map
- Use geometrical arguments to link segments (same 1 GeV threshold targeted)
- Various angle compatibility between segments and linked segments used



Segments are linked based on geometrical argument

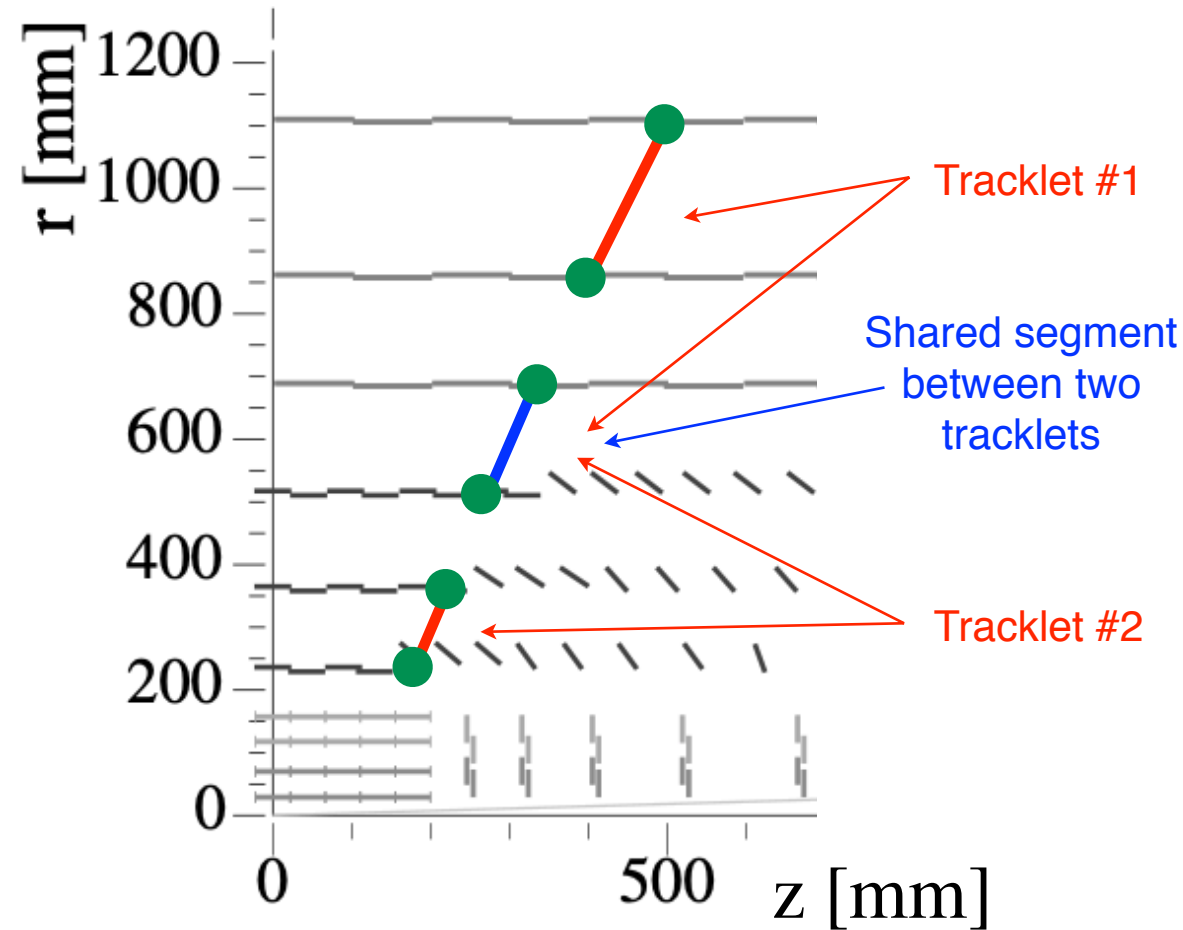


- The $\Delta\beta$ distribution of different tracklets are shown
- Exhibit peak over combinatorial background
- The plots below are “N – 1” plots where $\Delta\beta$ cuts are not applied yet



$\Delta\beta$ distribution shows peak above combinatorial background

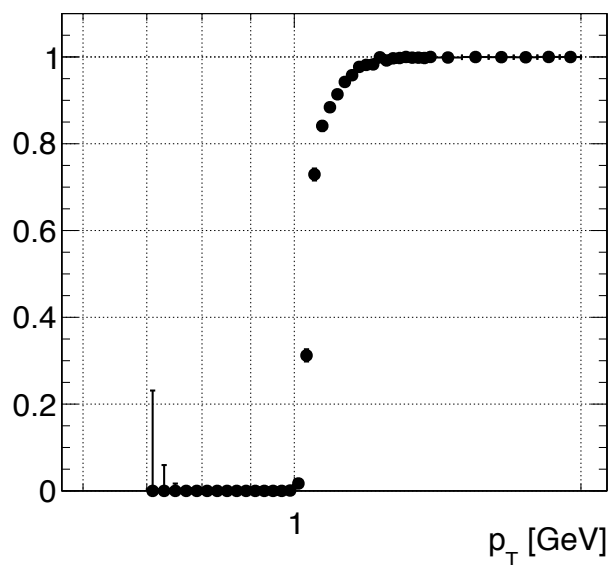
- Two tracklets can be put together to build a track candidate by requiring a shared segment
- More ways of building track candidates will be explored for future studies



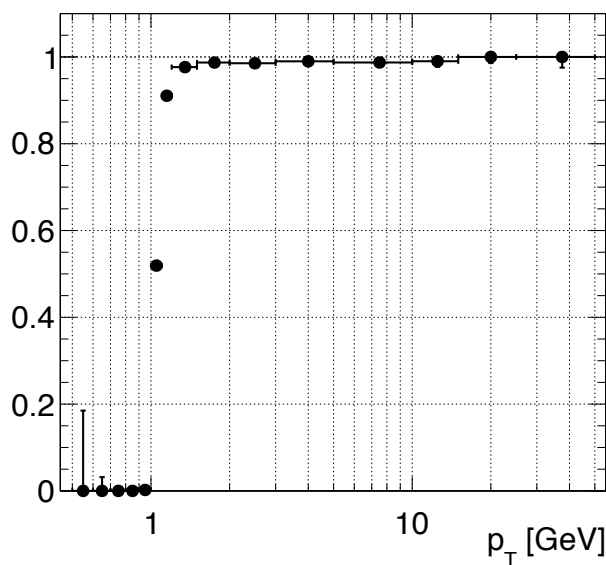
A track candidate is built from putting together two tracklets that share a common segment

- Track candidate efficiency shown
- Track candidates in barrel are composed of 12 hits from the outer tracker
- Denominator only includes tracks with no missing hits present in barrel

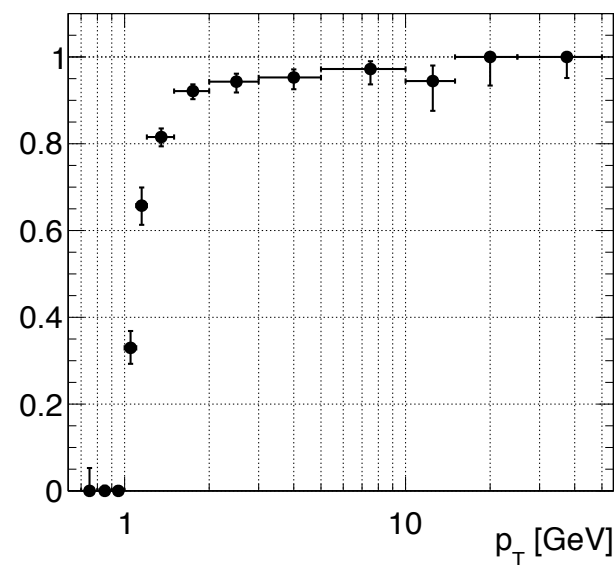
μ -Gun



π^\pm from $t\bar{t}$ events



e from $t\bar{t}$ events



Good track candidate efficiency achieved for $\mu/e/\pi$ soon after targeted threshold of 1 GeV in barrel region

- As we enter HL-LHC Phase 2, reconstruction challenges are getting tougher
- We must explore new algorithms to not cost physics output
- Many promising novel algorithms are parallel in nature
- Here we studied a parallel track building algorithm for outer tracker geometry
- Benefits of the algorithms are:
 - Natural parallelization and vectorization
 - Complementarity w/ pixel based seeding (potential physics gain)
 - Also could potentially benefit software trigger for more extensive tracking
- Preliminary barrel region segment linking algorithm has been developed and created preliminary track candidates using 12 hits in the outer tracker
- Algorithm can be sped up as each step of the algorithm can be massively parallelized