

Introduction to the level1 trigger

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Trigger?

-“Trigger” in particle physics ([wikipedia](#))

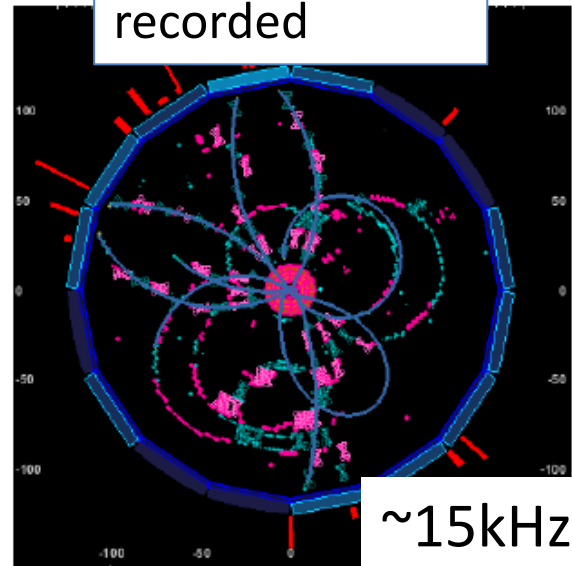
-a **trigger** is a system that uses criteria to rapidly decide which [events](#) in a [particle detector](#) to keep when only a small fraction of the total can be recorded.



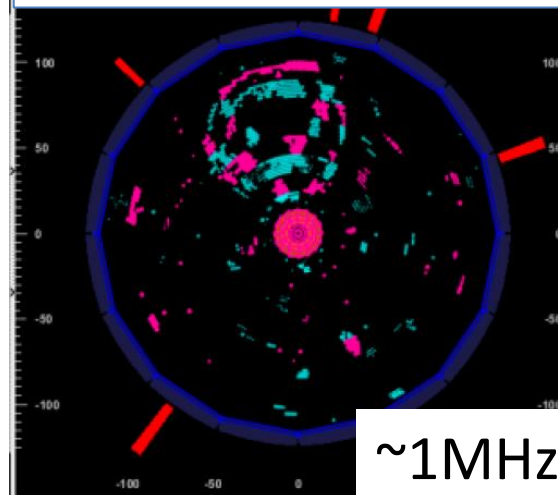
physics signal
recorded

beam background
sometimes recorded

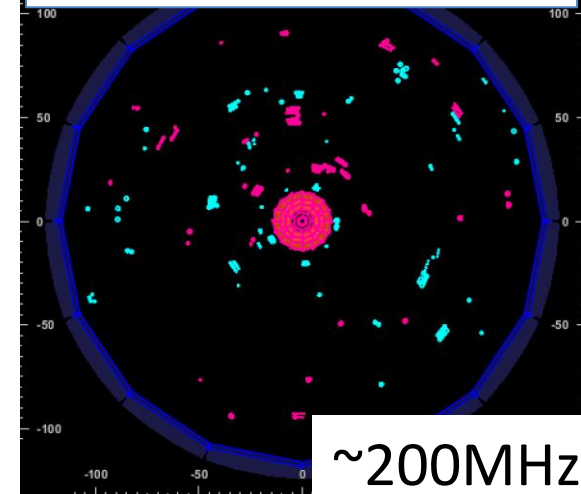
collision w/o interaction
not recorded



~15kHz



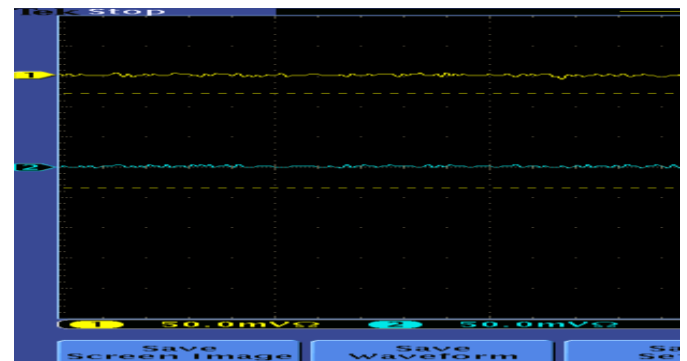
~1MHz



~200MHz

Example of cosmic trigger with scintillator

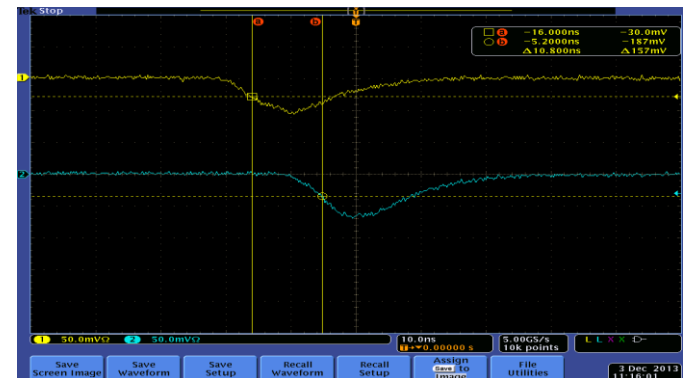
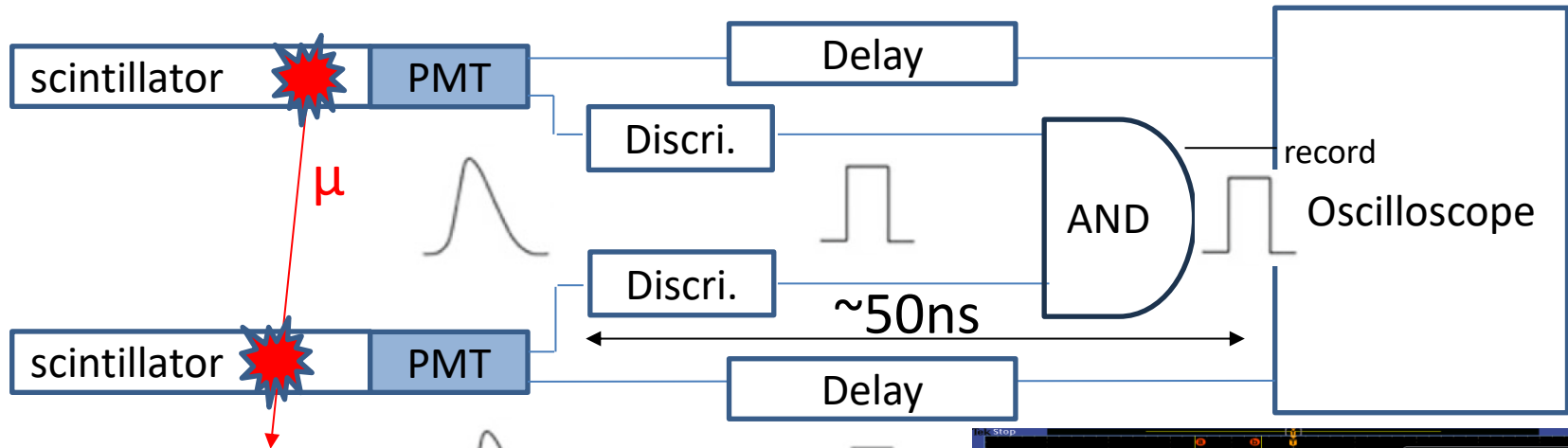
- Let's detect cosmic muon with two scintillators and an oscilloscope
- If we record waveform by hand, we can not see cosmic due to low rate
 - Expected #cosmic signal per a record
= (oscilloscope timing window) \times (cosmic rate) = $\sim 100\text{ns} \times \sim 1\text{Hz} = 10^{-7}$
- Most of recorded data is garbage



100ns

Example of cosmic trigger with scintillator

- Add cosmic trigger to take coincidence of two scintillator signals
 - Discriminator: convert analogue to digital
 - Coincidence: take AND of digital signals
 - Delay: delay analog signal for waiting coincidence
- Most of recorded data is cosmic



Example of cosmic trigger with scintillator

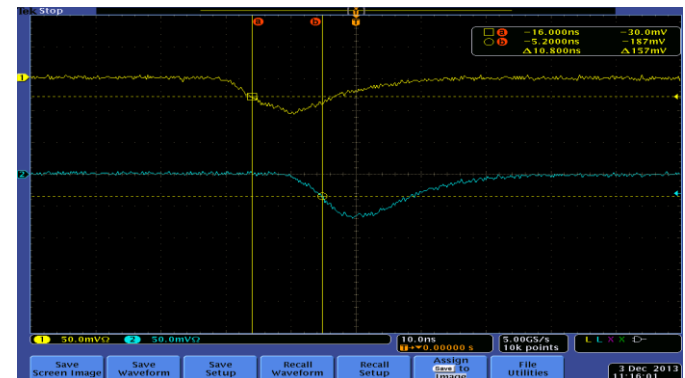
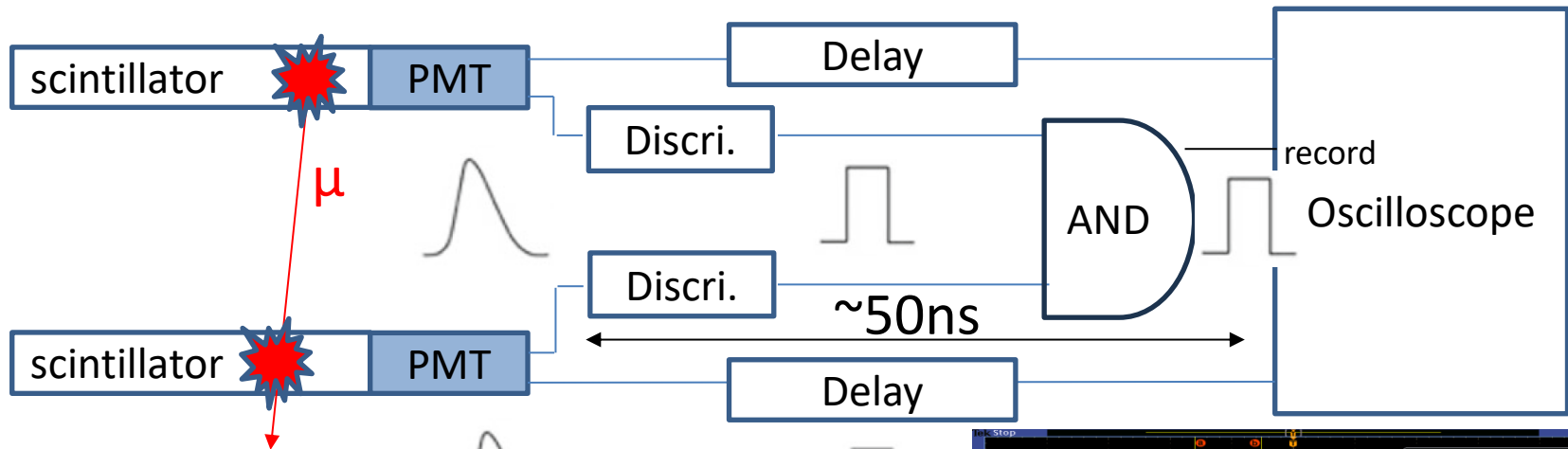
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-Discriminator: convert analogue to digital ← ① Digital conversion

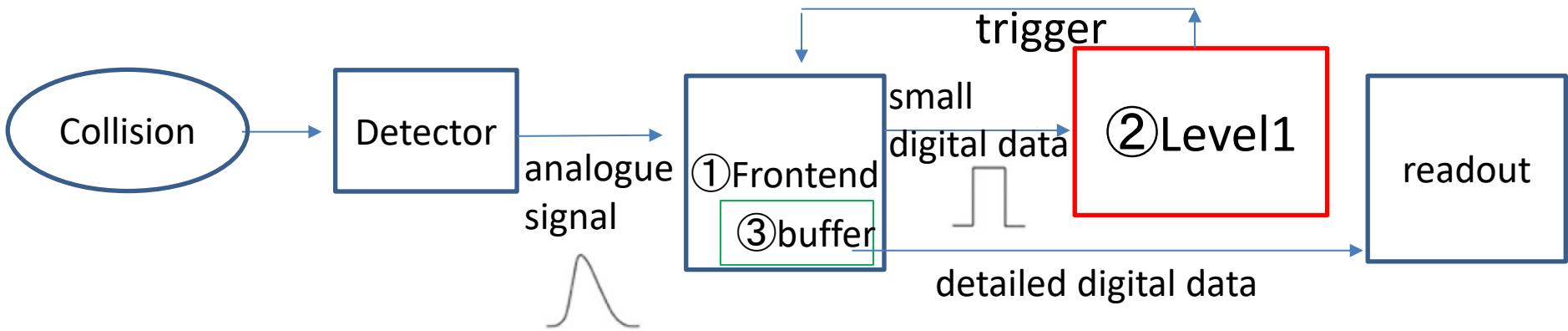
-Coincidence: take AND of digital signals ← ② Digital calculation

-Delay: delay analog signal for waiting coincidence ← ③ Buffer

-Most of recorded data is cosmic ← event rate, data size reduction



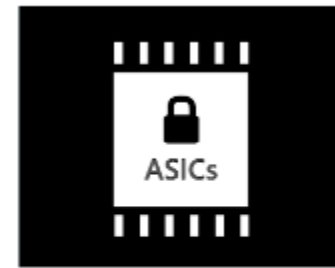
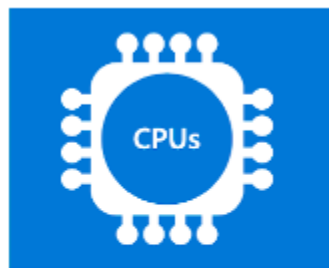
Recent level1 trigger system



-Basic concept is the same as cosmic example:

- ① Digital conversion on detector front end boards
 - ② Digital calculation on Trigger boards
 - ③ Buffer on detector front end board to wait a few μs until trigger comes
- limited by buffer size

-To provide trigger within a few μs latency, FPGA is used for ②



FPGA

- "Field Programmable Gate Arrays" (FPGA): programmable integrated circuits

- I/O: PIN for input and output

- Logic cell: combination of LUT (combination circuit) and Flip flop (synchronous circuit)

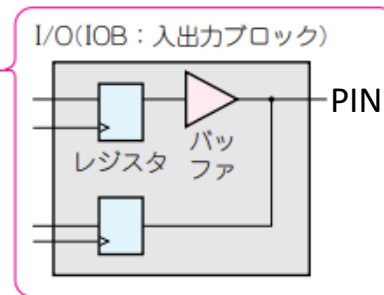
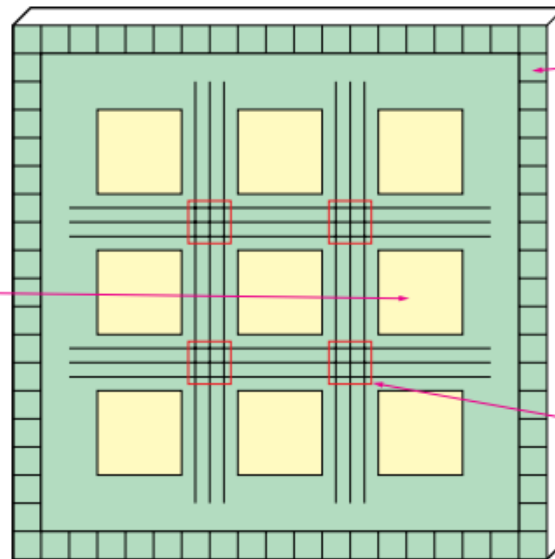
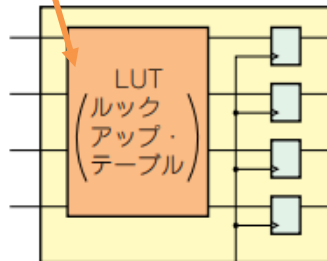
- Internal wiring: connect Logic cell, IO



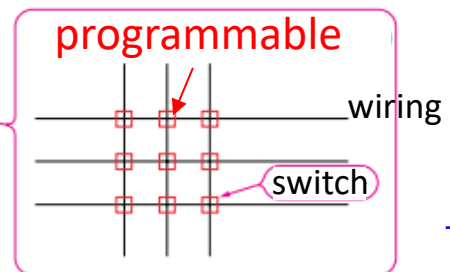
IN A	IN B	OUT
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

programmable

Logic cell



programmable

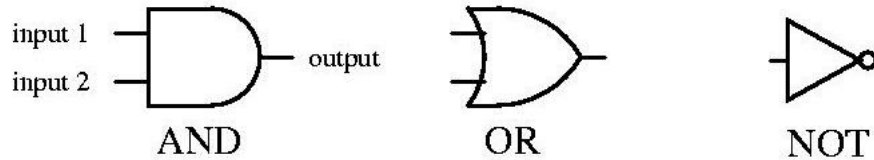


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Digital calculation on FPGA

- "Field Programmable Gate Arrays" (FPGA): programmable integrated circuits

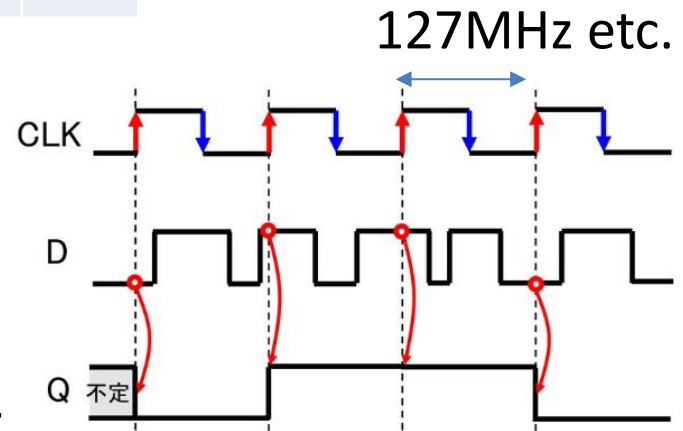
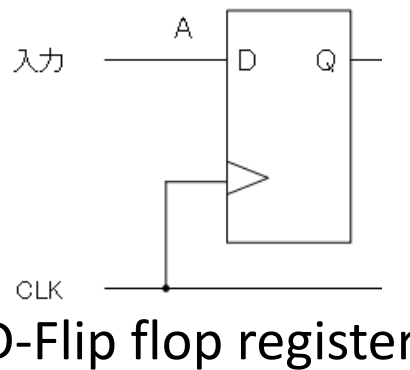
- combinational circuit:
take AND, OR, NOT etc.



IN1	IN2	OUT	IN1	IN2	OUT	IN1	OUT
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
0	1	0	0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	1	0	0		
1	1	1	1	1	1		

Look up table (LUT) →

- synchronous circuit:
store output of
combinational circuit etc.

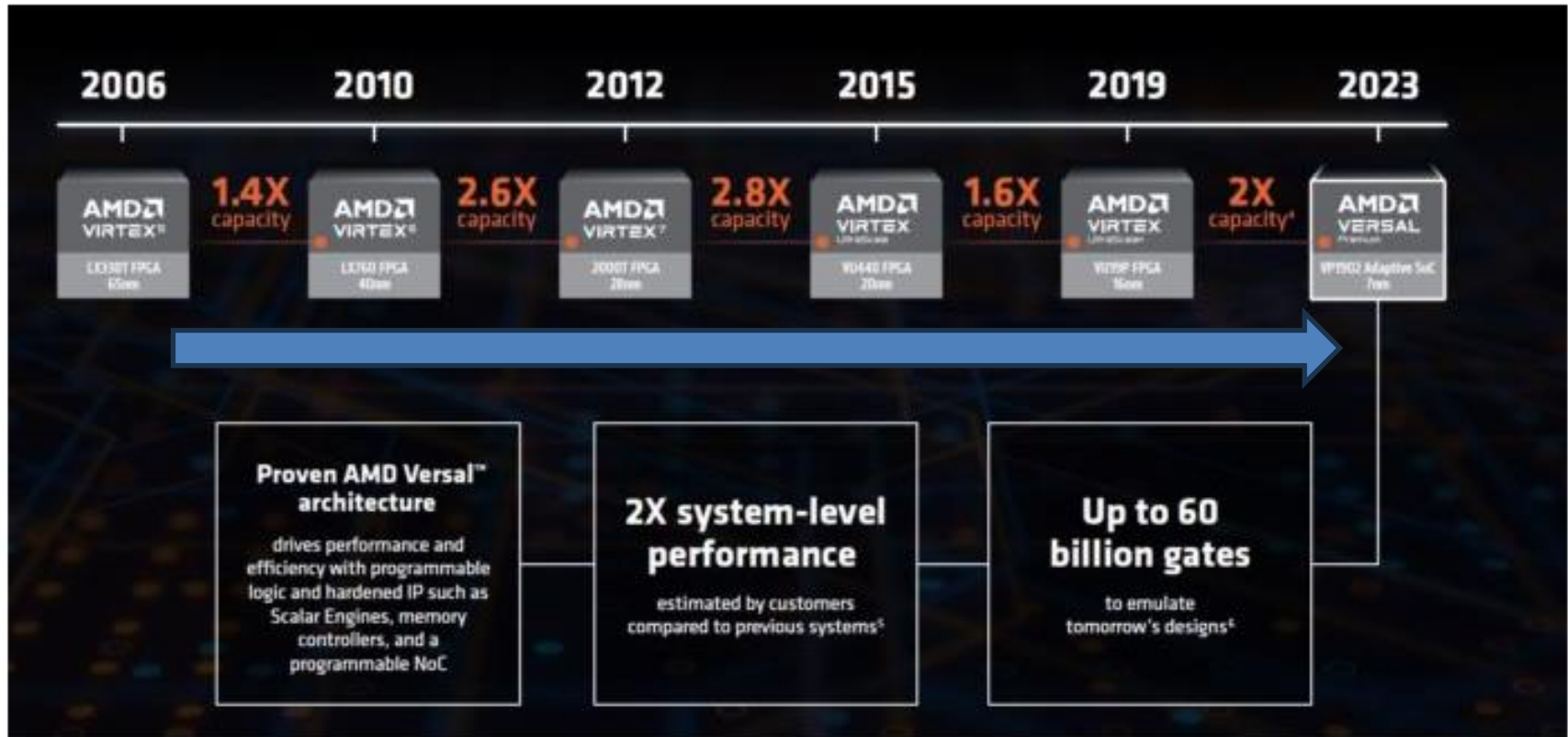


- Any combinations of above circuits can be implemented on FPGA.

- The number of available circuit is limited by size of FPGA and latency
worse accuracy than software in general. major challenge.

FPGA technology

- FPGA performance has been improved in recent ~20years commercially
 - ~2times circuit size (logic cell) in each 3~4 years !!
- Trigger performance has been improved and accordingly
 - advanced, complex algorithm with large resource



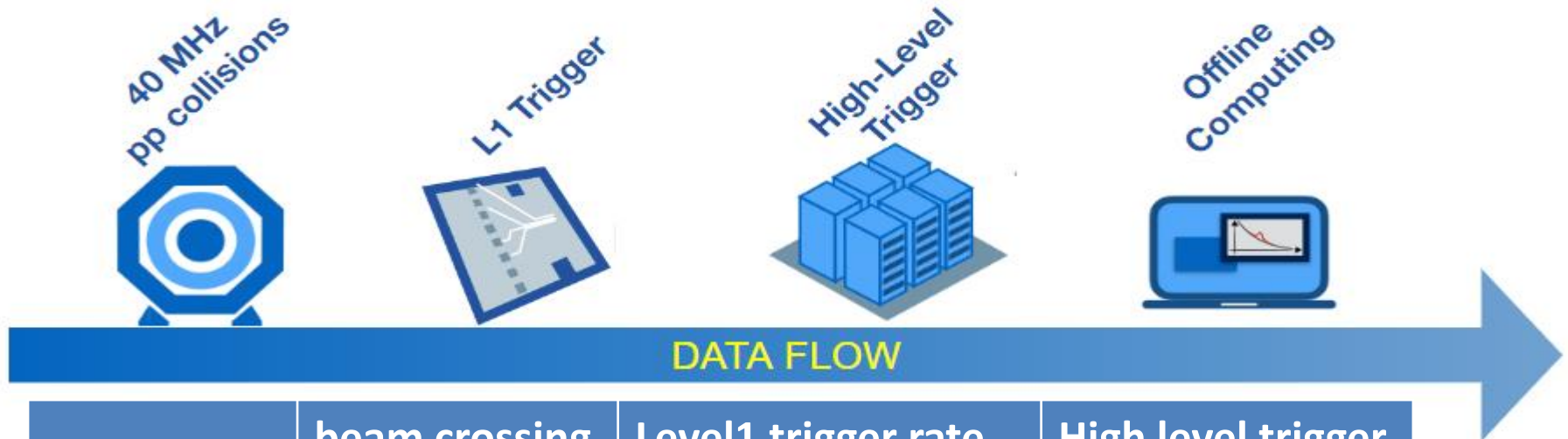
Trigger in various experiments: collider

-Level1(0) Trigger: Hardware (electric circuit)

-High-level Trigger: Software (computer)

[ATLAS workshop](#)

-No level1 (Streaming DAQ) is modern movement, but not covered in this talk



	beam crossing rate	Level1 trigger rate (FPGA)	High level trigger rate (CPU/GPU)
ATLAS	40MHz	100kHz	1kHz
LHCb	40MHz	1MHz	12.5kHz, 0.6GB/s
LHCb upgrade	30MHz	no Level1 !	2-5 GB/s
Belle II	250MHz	30kHz	5~10kHz, 1.8GB/s

Belle II level1 trigger

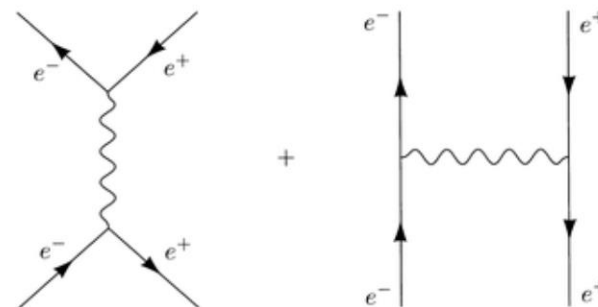
Event rate at Belle II

-Expected event rate at target luminosity

Process	Event rate
e^+e^- bunch collision	$\sim 200\text{MHz}$
Beam background	$> \sim 300\text{kHz}$ (2022)
Bhabha scattering ($e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-$)	$> \sim 50\text{kHz}$
Two photon ($e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-e^+e^-$ etc.)	$\sim 10\text{kHz}$
$e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	$\sim 2\text{kHz}$
Continuum ($e^+e^- \rightarrow u\bar{u}$,...)	$\sim 2\text{kHz}$
$e^+e^- \rightarrow \Upsilon(4S)$	$\sim 1\text{kHz}$
$e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$	$\sim 0.6\text{kHz}$
$e^+e^- \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$	$\sim 0.6\text{kHz}$
dark matter/new particle ?	???

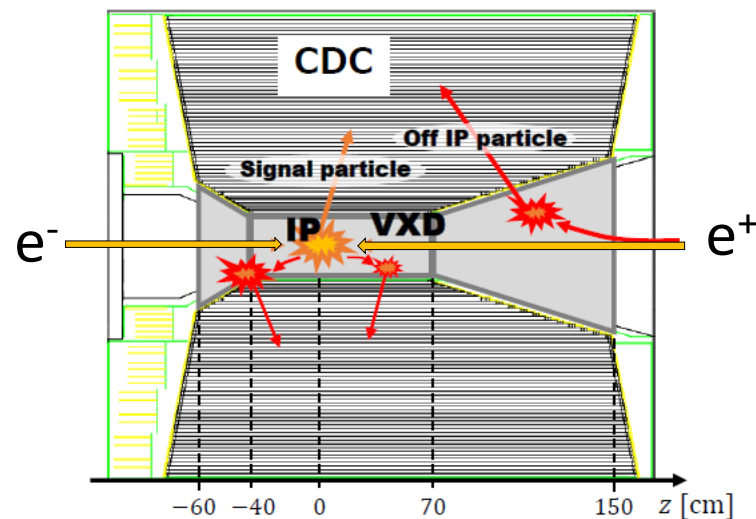
Physics target $\sim 15\text{kHz}$

Bhabha scattering



background $> \sim 300\text{kHz}$

Beam background



-Maximum trigger rate at Belle II DAQ is 30kHz

→ trigger system is needed to reject background with $S/N = \sim 1$

Requirement for Belle II level1 trigger

-Belle II TDR in 2010: <https://arxiv.org/abs/1011.0352>

-Belle II: 40times higher luminosity than Belle

- maximum trigger rate is increased accordingly
- latency is increased by upgrade of detector FE with large buffer

	requirement for BelleII	requirement for Belle
Efficiency	~100% for BB pair	~100% for BB pair
Maximum trigger rate	~30kHz	~0.5kHz
Latency	5.0 μ s	2.2 μ s
Deadtime	no deadtime	no deadtime
Event timing resolution	10ns	~16ns

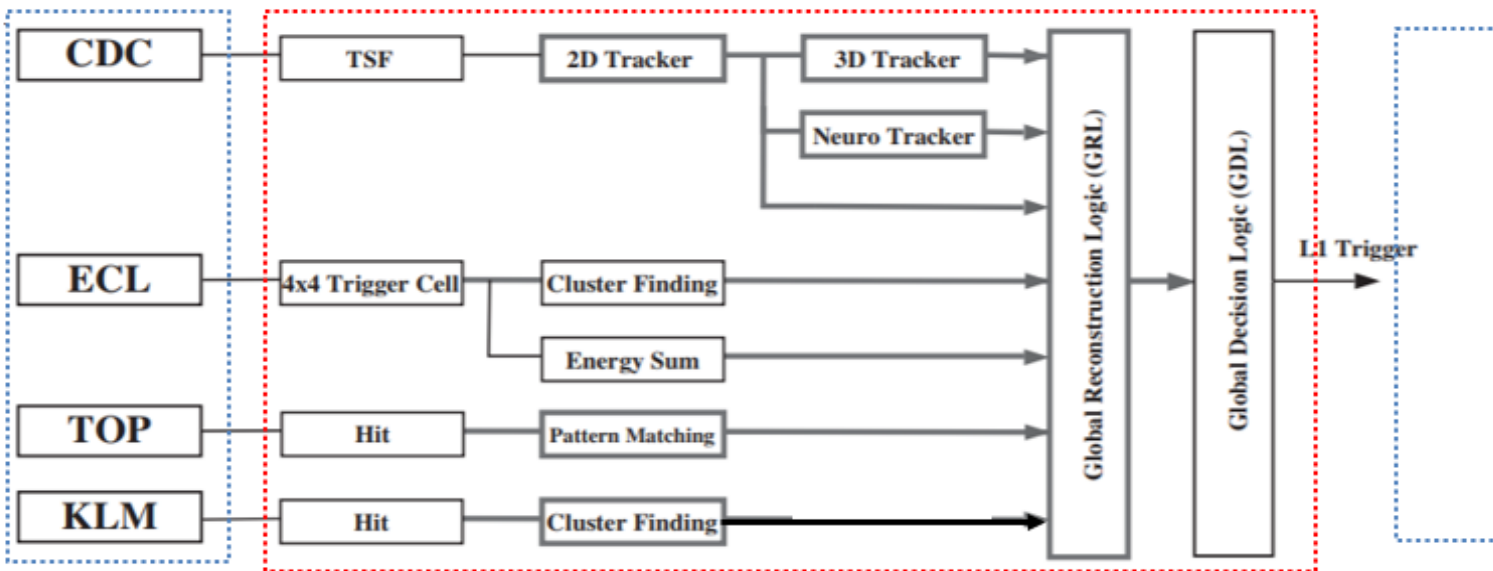
Belle II level1 trigger system

- CDC, ECL: main triggers for charged particles and gamma
- KLM: trigger muon
- TOP: measure event timing
- GRL,GDL: matching of sub-triggers, final trigger decision

□: board
—: cable
DAQ

detector front end

level1 Trigger



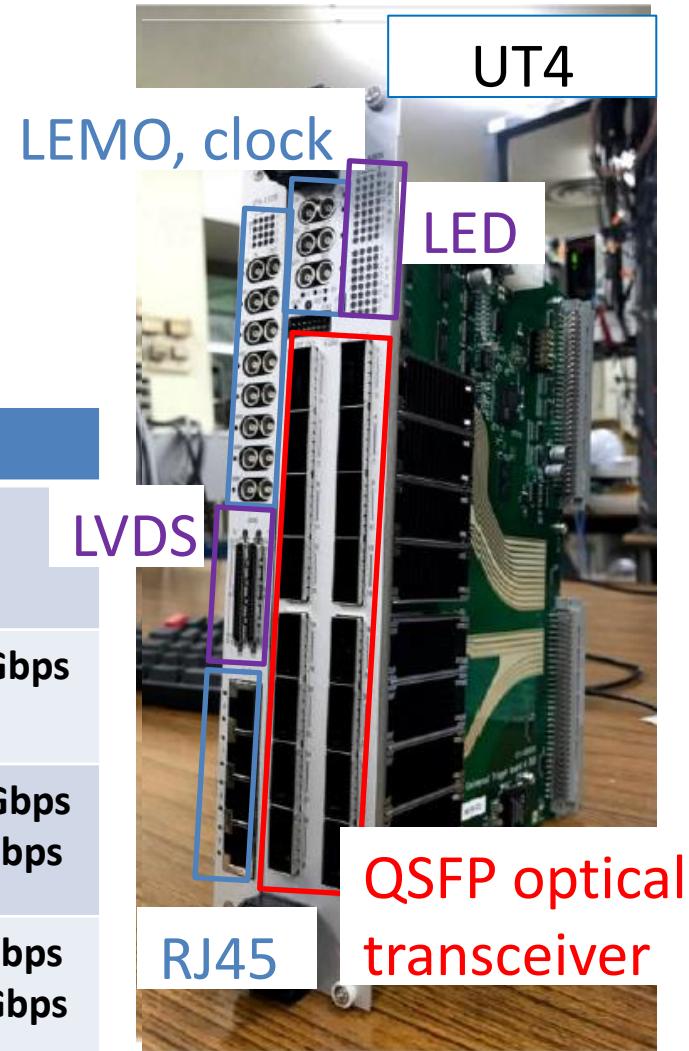
Universal Trigger board (UT)

-Main board used by different sub-triggers commonly

- Large IO with optical transceiver
- Large FPGA resource

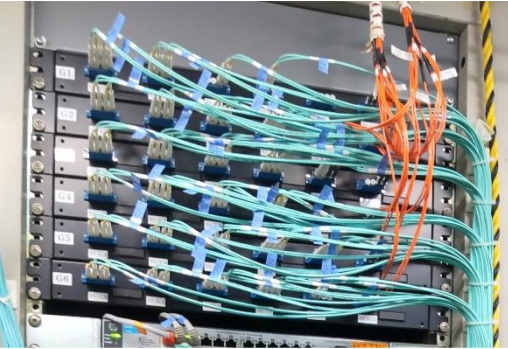
History of UT development

Name	Year	Main FPGA	#Logic cell	Main IO
UT (test)	2006	Spartan3	50k(?)	LVDS 448ch
UT2 (test)	2008	Virtex5 LX220T	220k	GTP 3.1x32Gbps
UT3	2011	Virtex6 HX380T,565T	380~ 570k	GTX 6.2x40Gbps GTH 11x24Gbps
UT4	2018	Virtex Ultrascale XCVU080/160	1000~ 2000k	GTH 16x32Gbps GTY 25x32Gbps



Trigger system in Ehut

patch panel (connect different type of optical fibers)



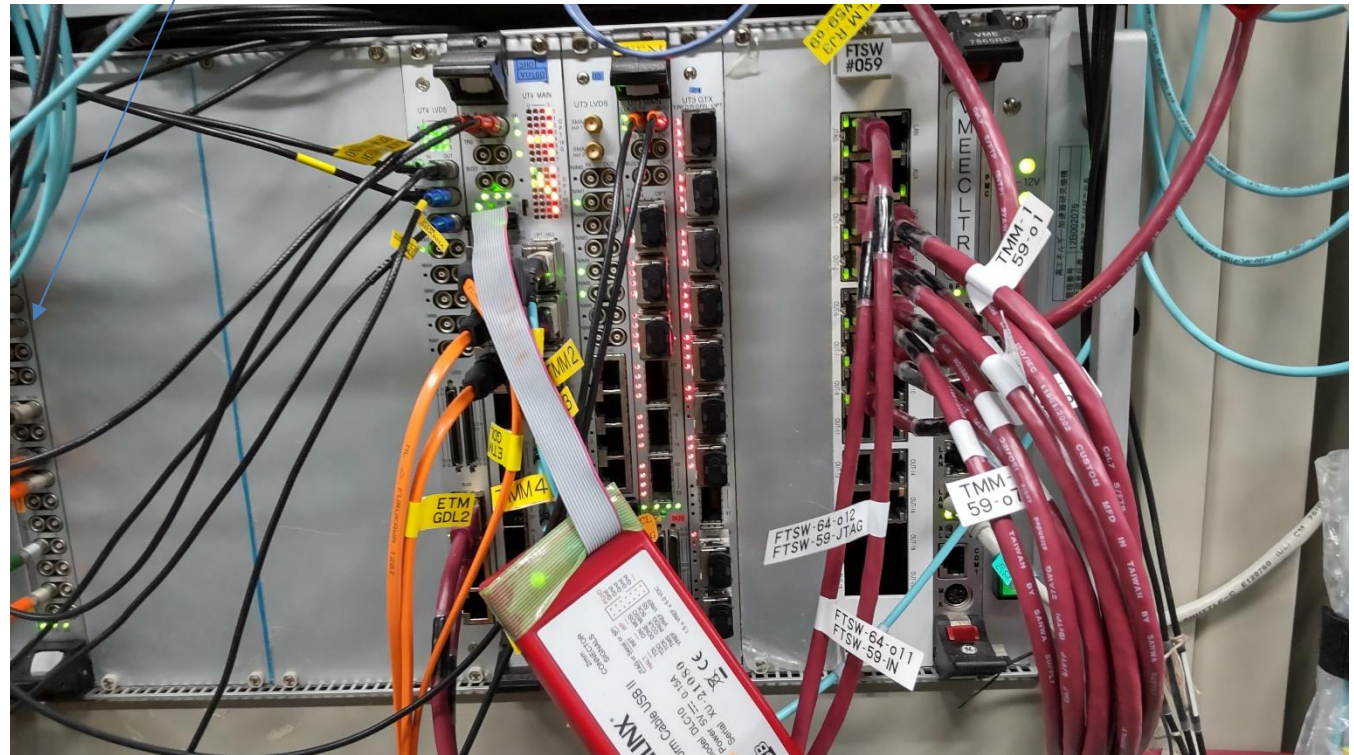
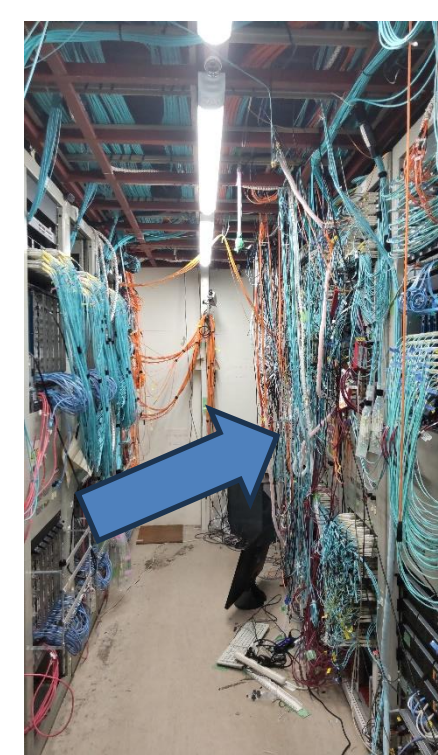
clock
distributer

UT4

UT3

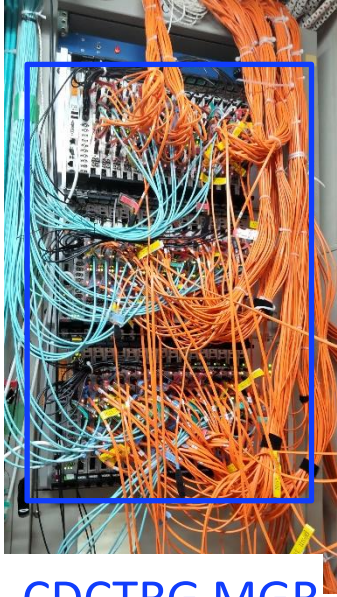
vmecpu

vmecrate



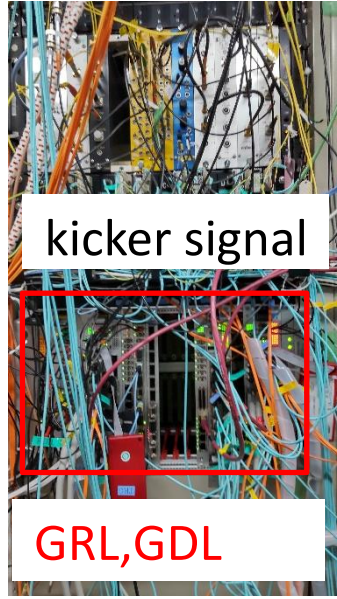
Trigger system in Ehut

C1



CDCTRG MGR

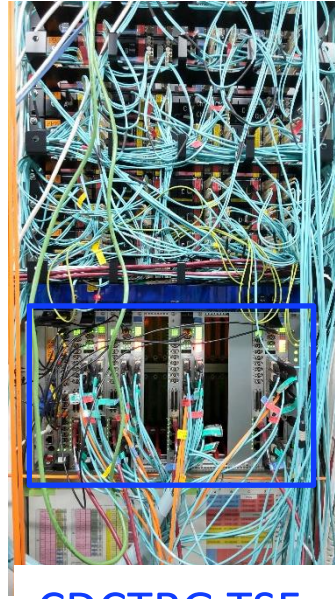
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kicker signal

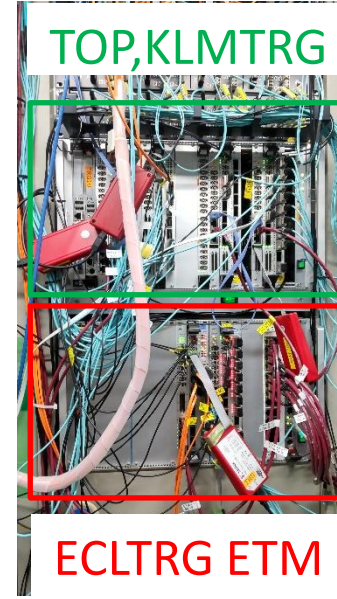
GRL,GDL

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CDCTRG TSF

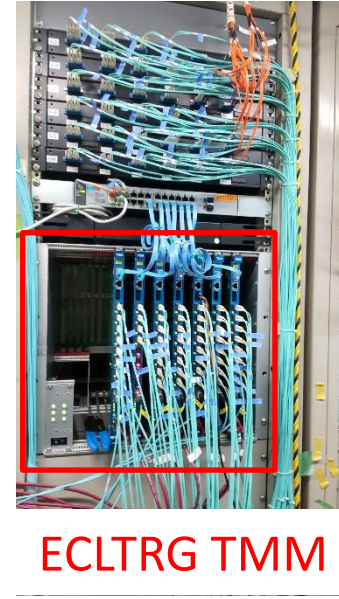
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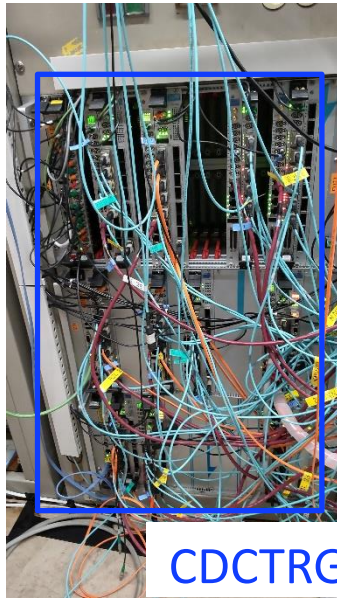
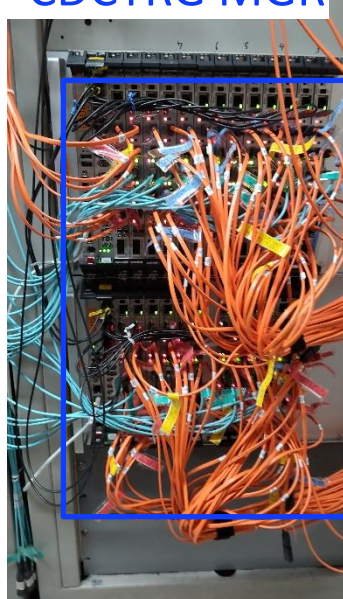
TOP,KLMTRG

ECLTRG ETM

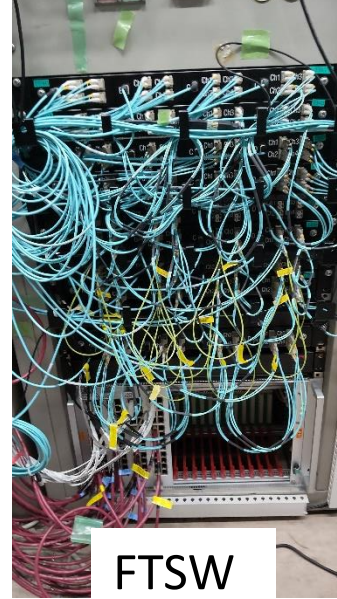
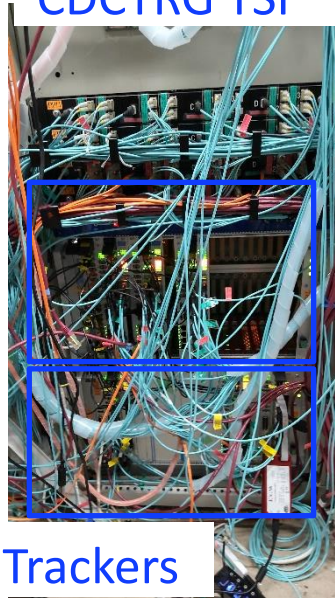
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ECLTRG TMM



CDCTRG Trackers



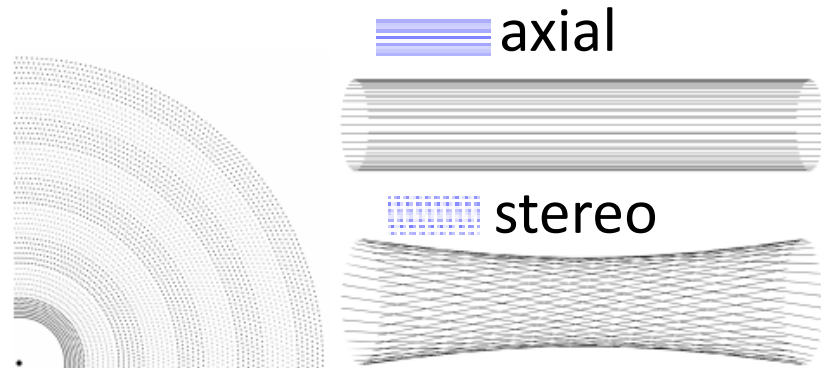
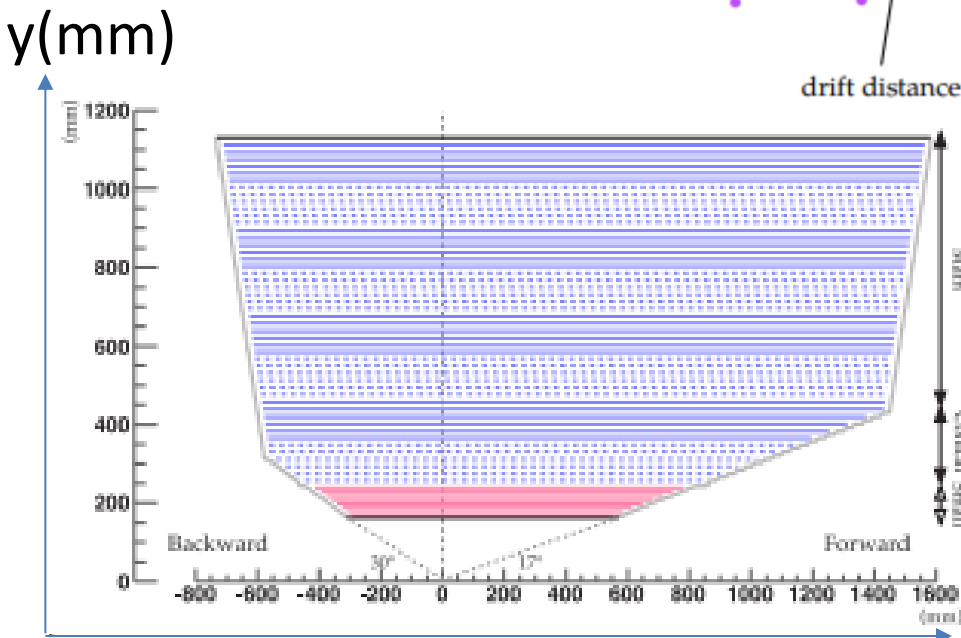
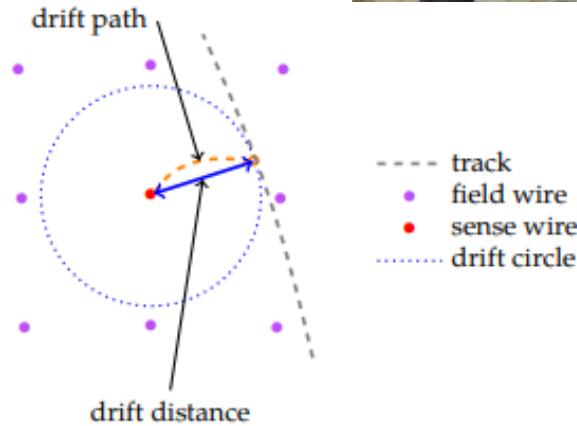
FTSW

don't imitate
dirty cabling..

Sub trigger logic (CDCTRG,ECLTRG)

CDC detector

- Central drift chamber (CDC)
- Reconstruct charged particle
 - ~14000 axial and stereo sense wire
- Precise tracking
 - drift time \leftrightarrow drift distance
 - drift time $\sim 500\text{ns}$



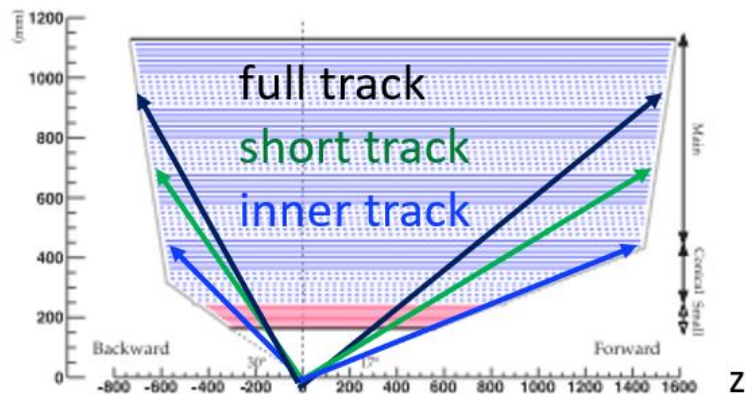
z(mm)

CDC Trigger

-Role: Trigger charged particles

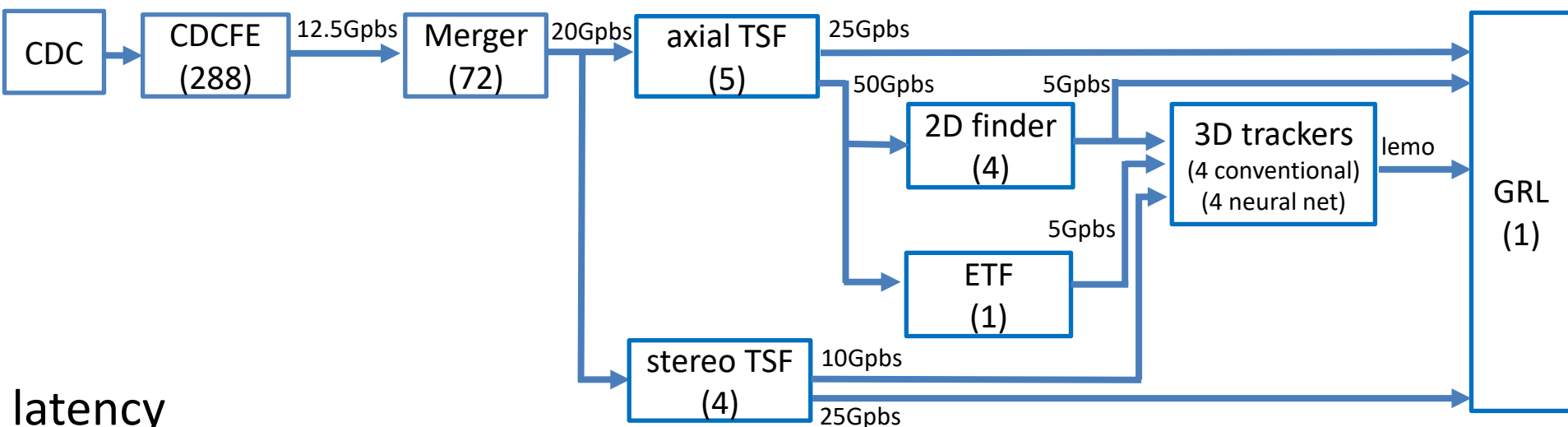
-Three kind of track with different θ region:

- full track (f,y)
- short track (s)
- inner track (i)

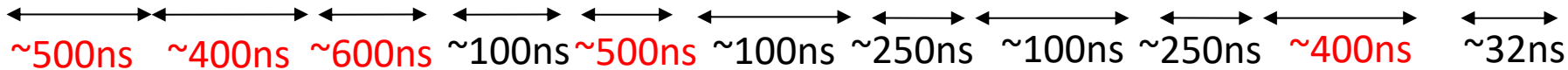


-Consists of ~ 100 boards

(): number of boards



latency

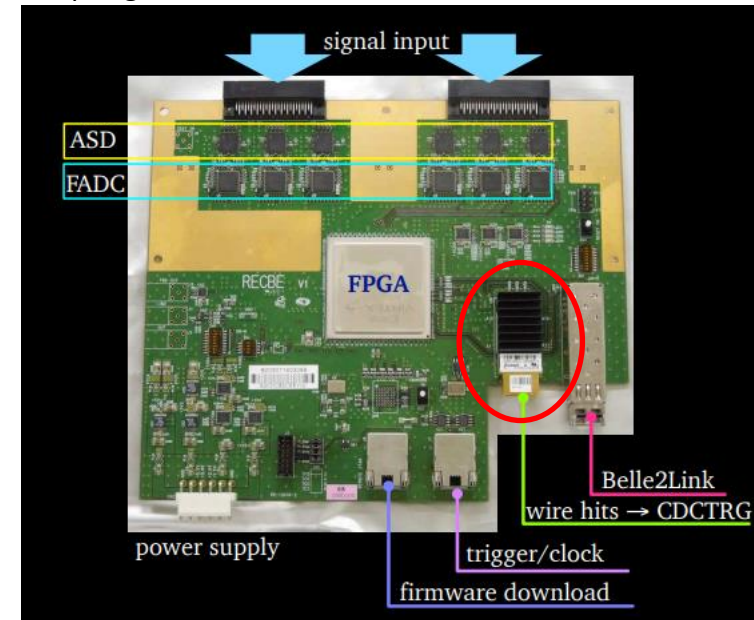
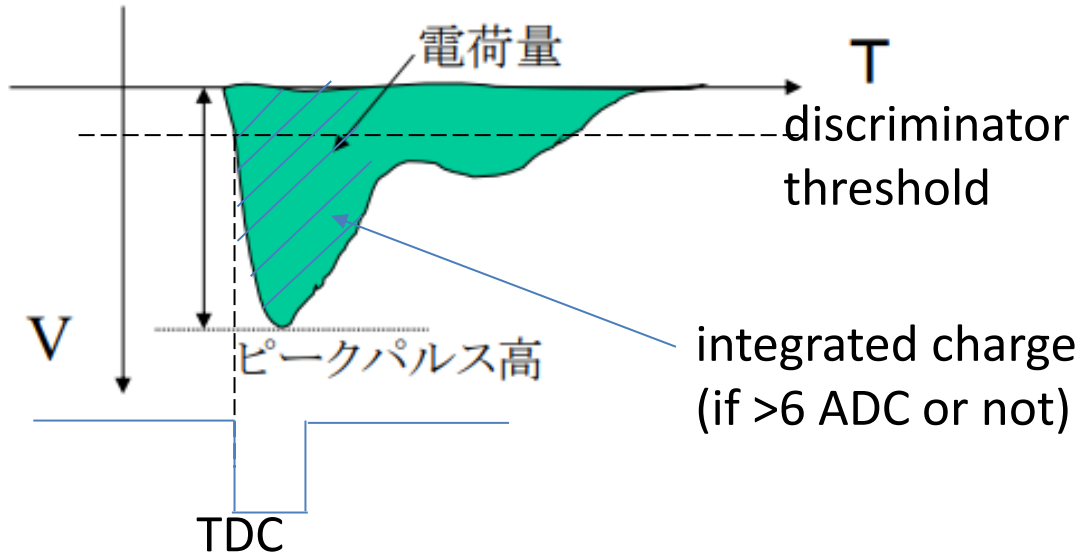


total: $\sim 3.3\mu s$

CDC trigger: CDC front end

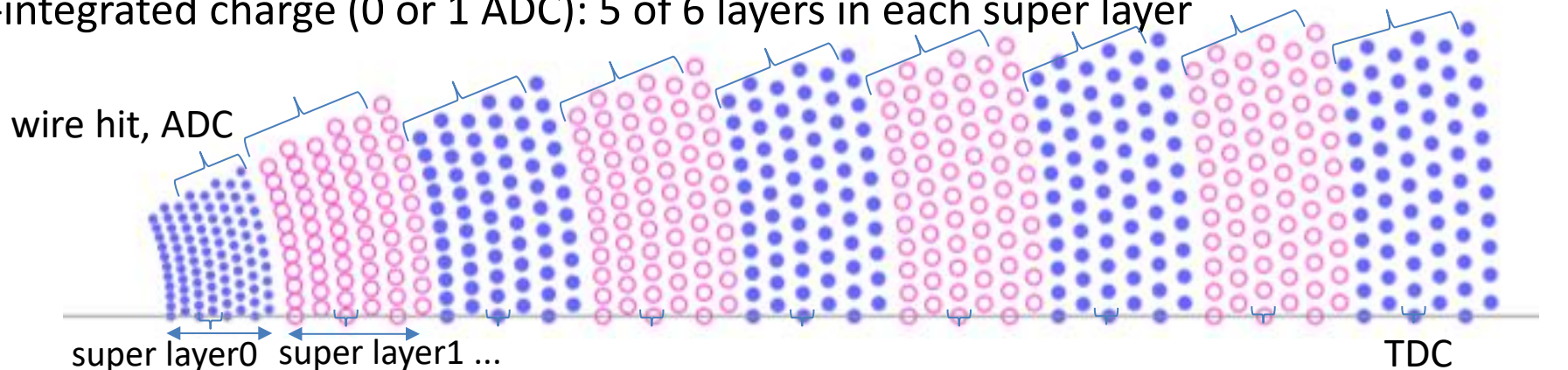
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-digitize analogue signal on CDCFE



-Only part of information is sent to CDCTRG

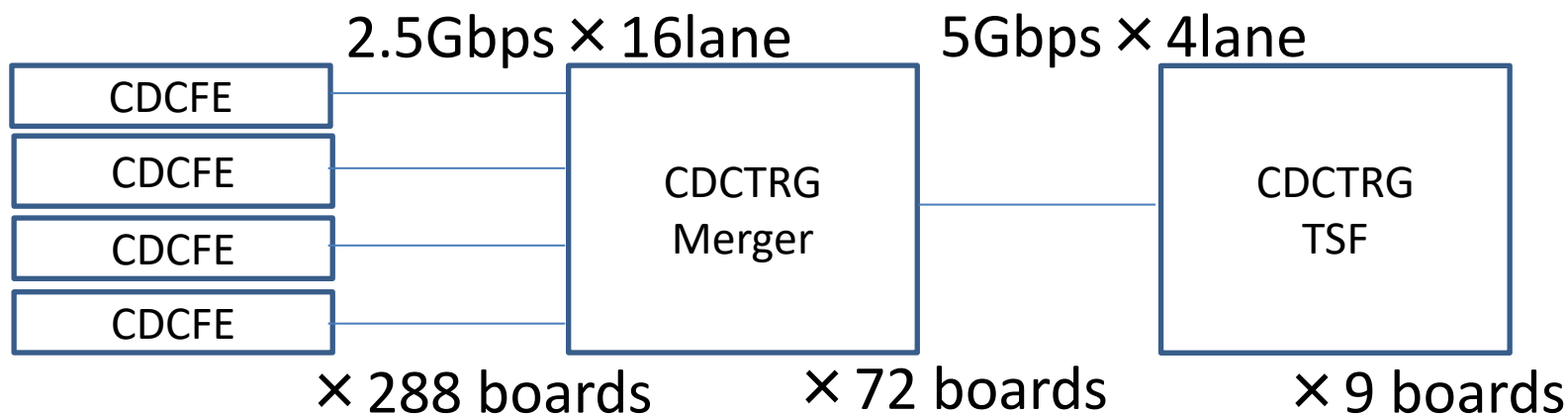
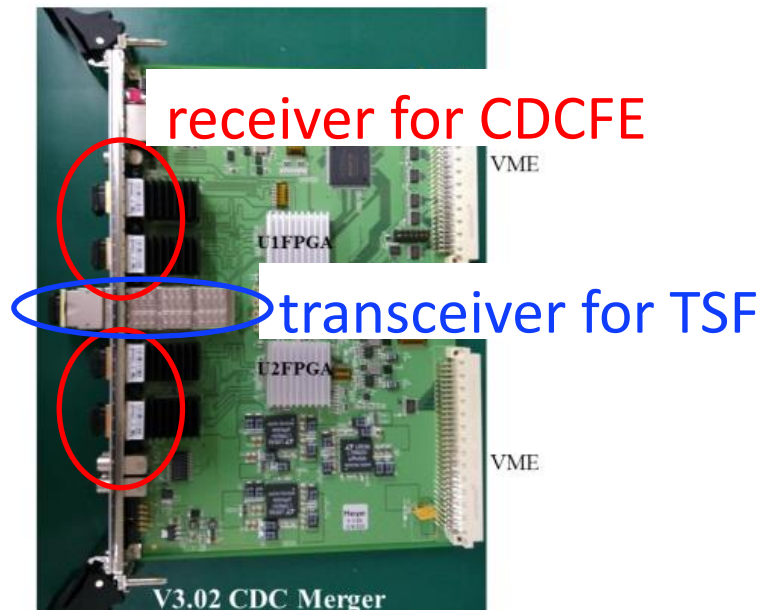
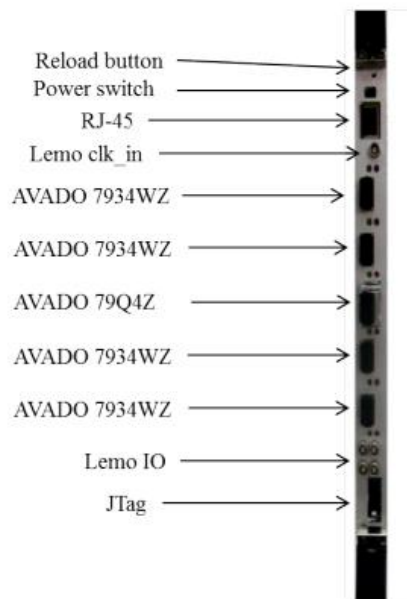
- wire hit existence (0 or 1): 5 of 6 layers in each super layer
- wire hit timing (2ns precision TDC): 1 of 6 layers in each super layer
- integrated charge (0 or 1 ADC): 5 of 6 layers in each super layer



CDC trigger: MGR

- merge signal from four CDCFE
- send merged signal to TSF

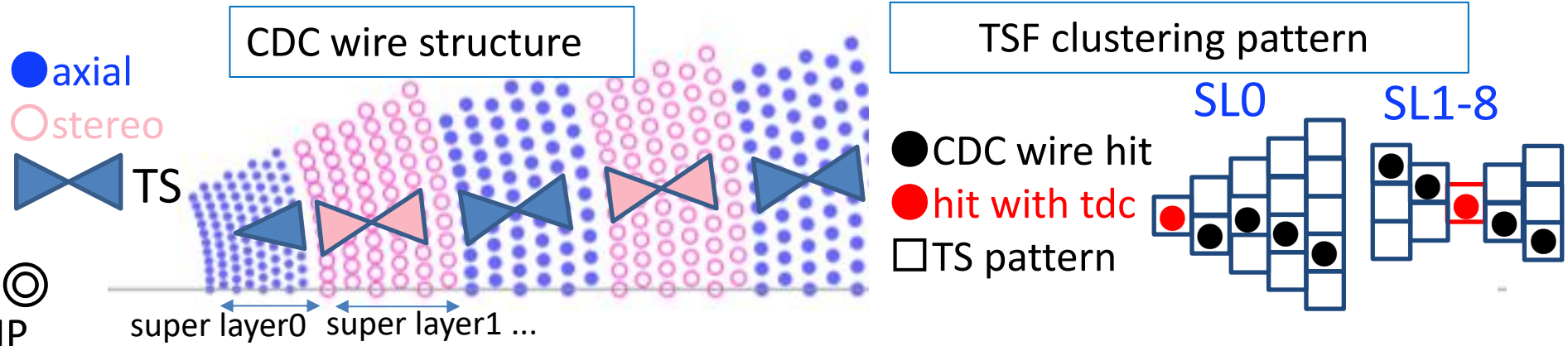
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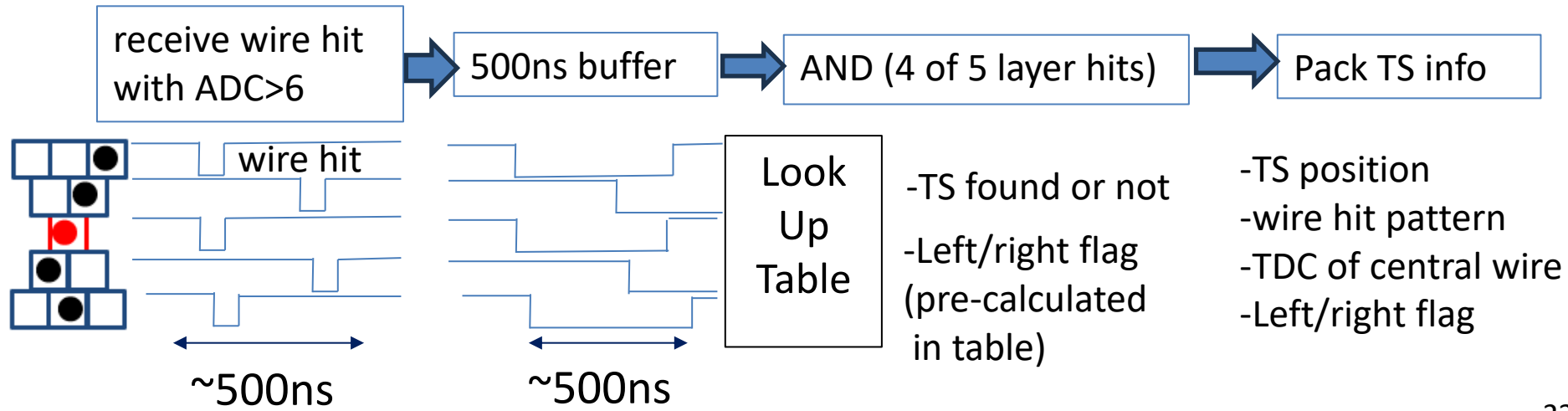
CDC trigger: Track segment finder (TSF)

-Find bunch of wire hits (Track segment, TS) to reduce noise and data size

- require 4 of 5 layer hits in each super layer
- $p_t > \sim 0.35$ GeV is required: curing track is not reconstructed at this stage



TSF algorithm



CDC trigger: 2D tracking

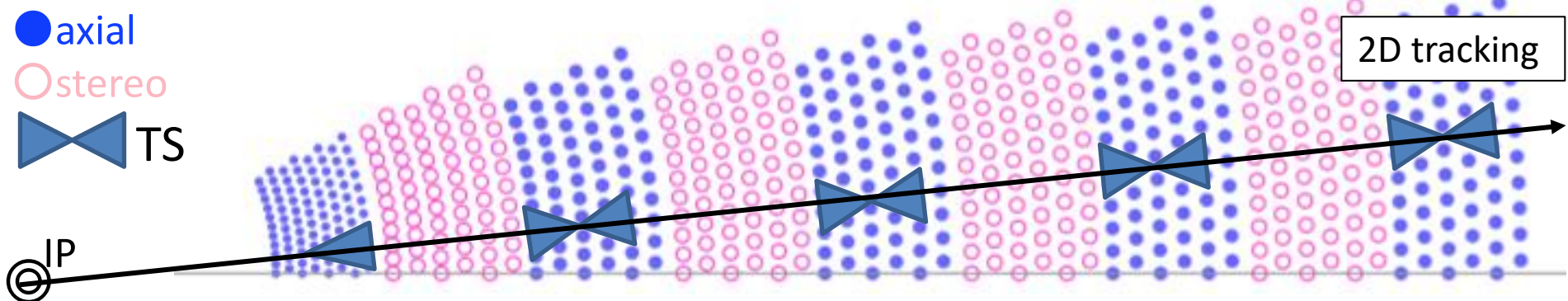
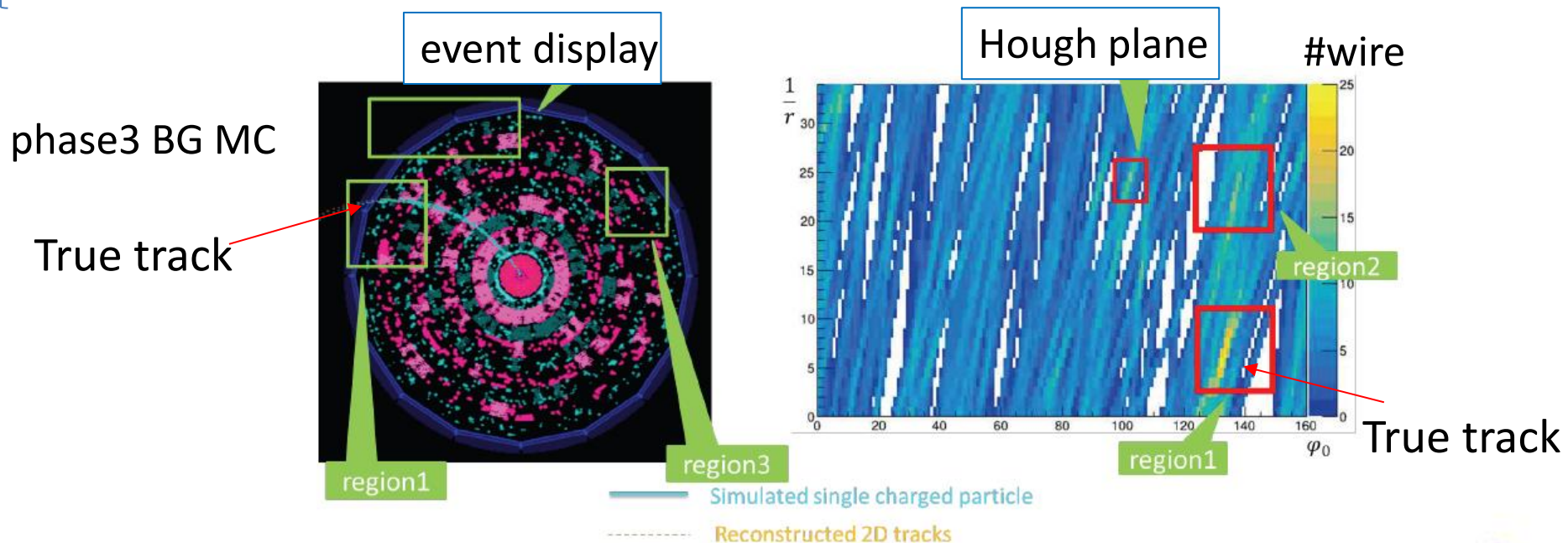
- Transform wire hit pattern inside TS to Hough plane (pt , ϕ). Only axial layer.

- pt : 34bin in [0.3-10] GeV, ϕ : 160 bin in [0-360] degree

- $\#wires \geq 20$ is required (now ≥ 16) in Hough peak

- \rightarrow 98% efficiency at barrel, $pt > 0.4$ GeV

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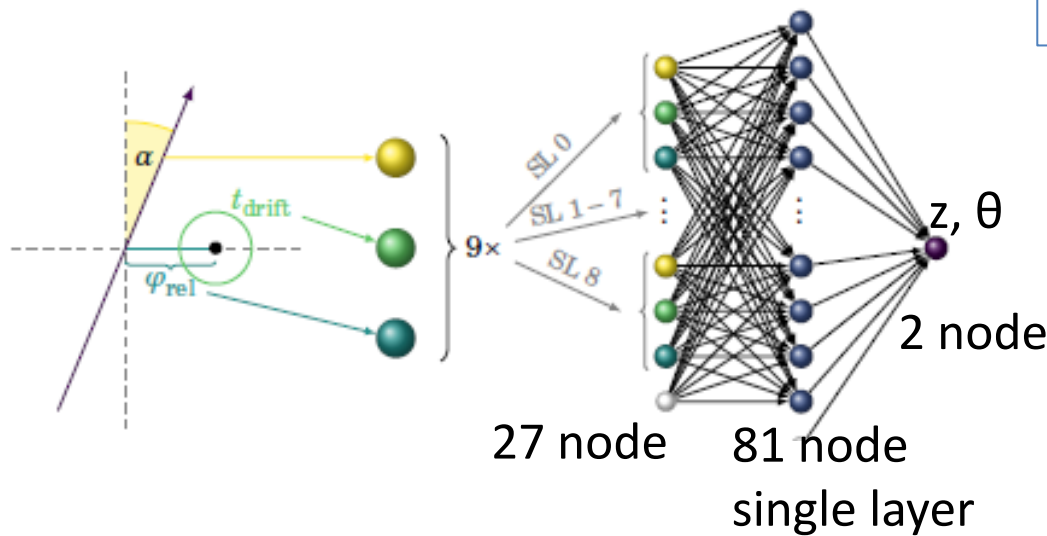
CDC trigger: 3D tracking

-3D track fitting to measure z position, by using neural network

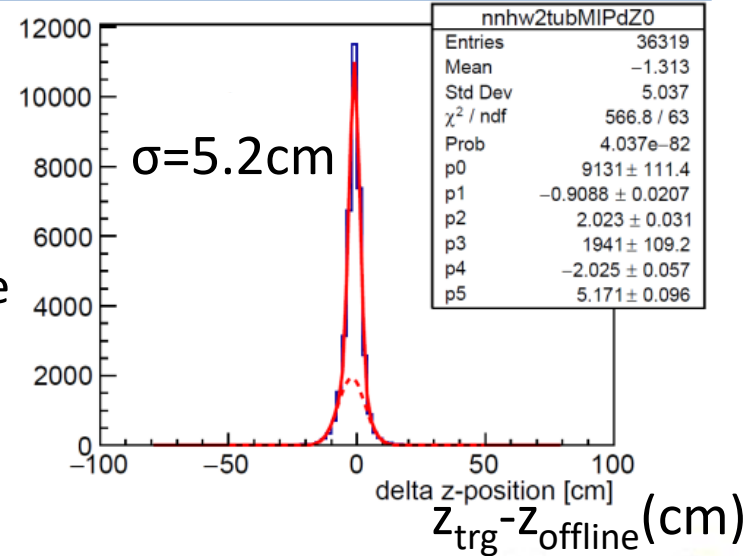
-input: 2D track(ϕ_{rel} , α), central wire hit timing of TSF

-output: z, θ of 3D track

-Training is done at offline with offline reconstructed track



CDCTRG Z resolution at IP



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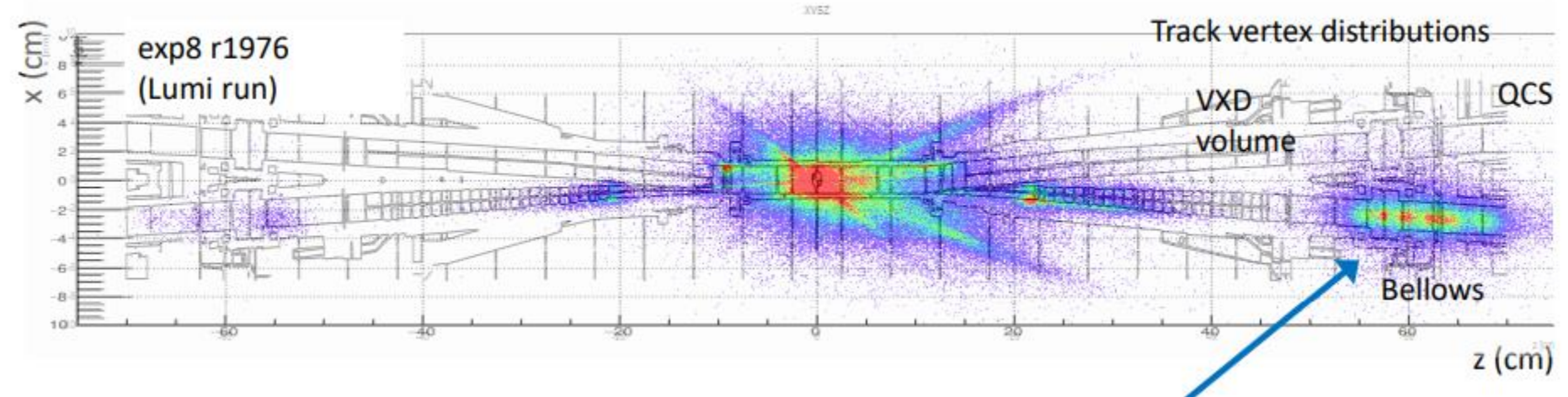
● axial
○ stereo

3D tracking

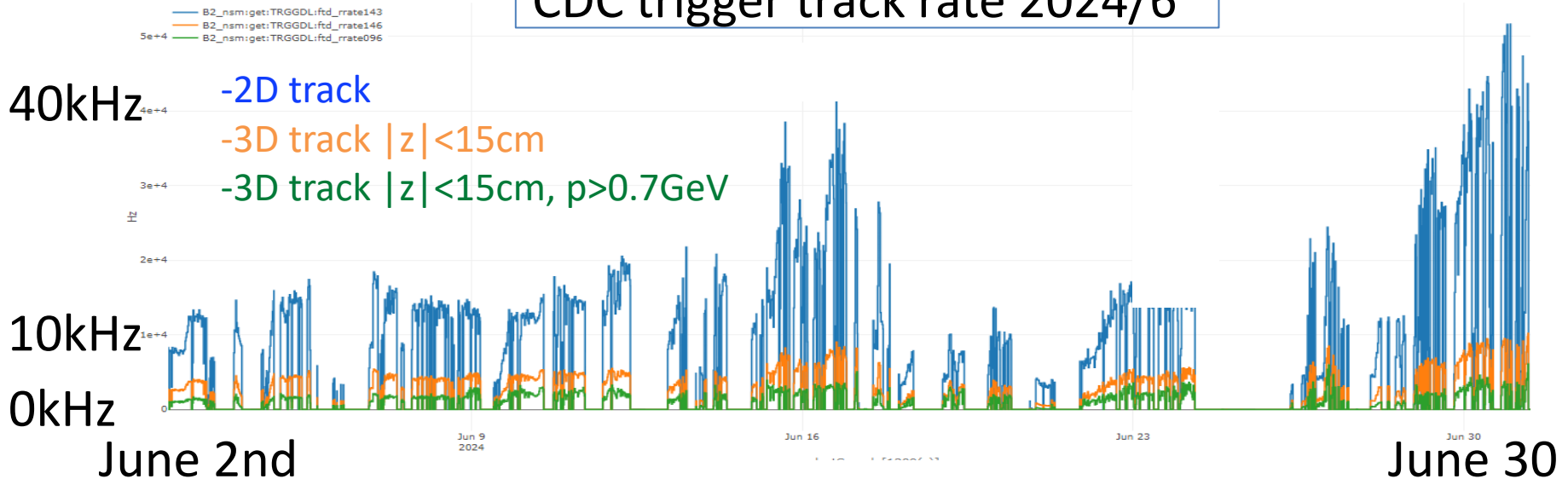
IP

beam BG rejection

- beamBG is coming from large Z vertex with low momentum
- **~10times BG rejection** by vertex cut of $|z| < 15\text{cm}$



CDC trigger track rate 2024/6



CDC trigger: performance

-Major trigger conditions:

-#track \geq 1, $p > 0.7\text{GeV}$ (stt)

-#track \geq 2, opening angle $\Delta\phi > 90\text{deg}$. (fyo)

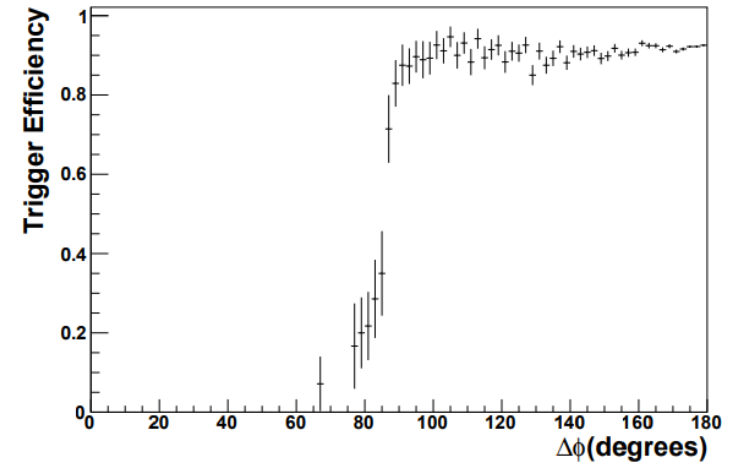
-#track \geq 3 (ffy)

-~95% efficiency per track is achieved

-large run dependency due to CDC gas gain, dead channel etc:

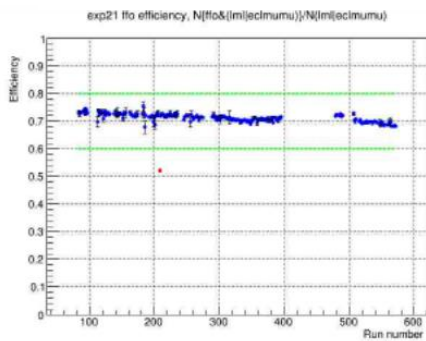
At maximum ~10% change of efficiency. (much improved in 2024)

dimuon efficiency of
back-to-back 2track trigger

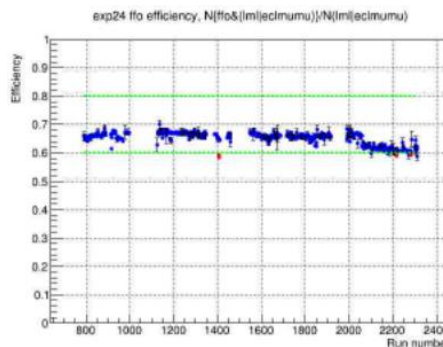


two track efficiency with mumu

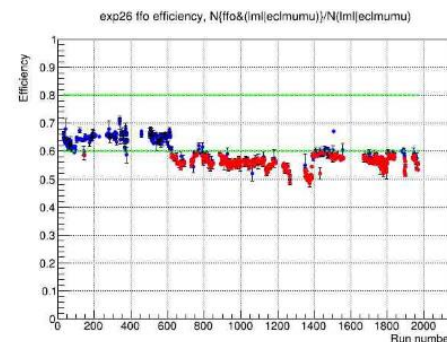
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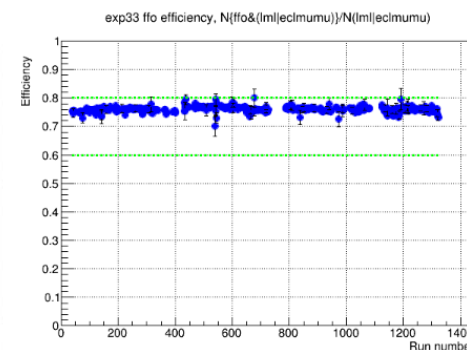
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2022b

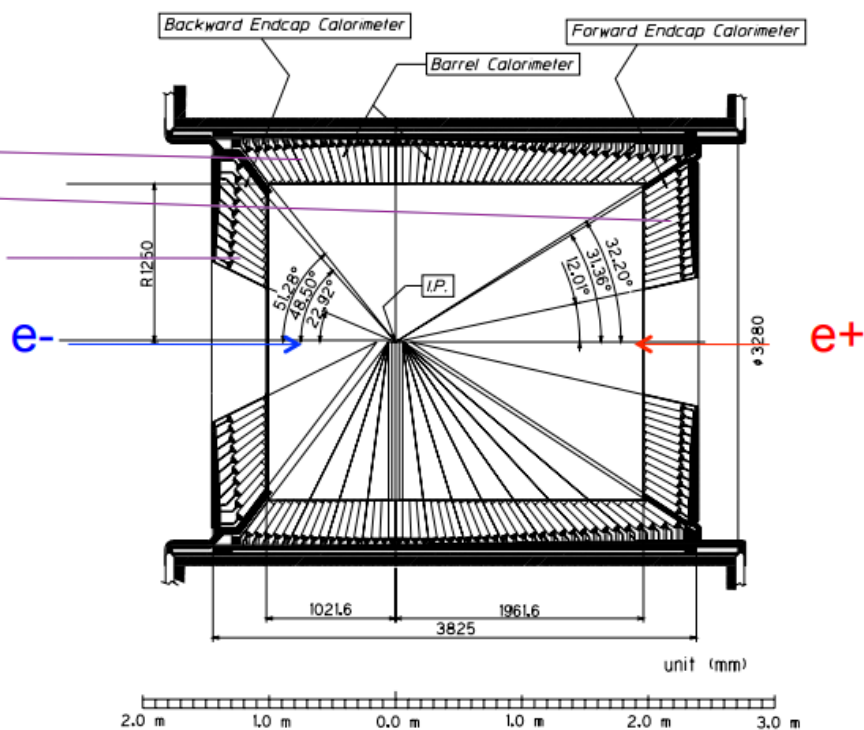
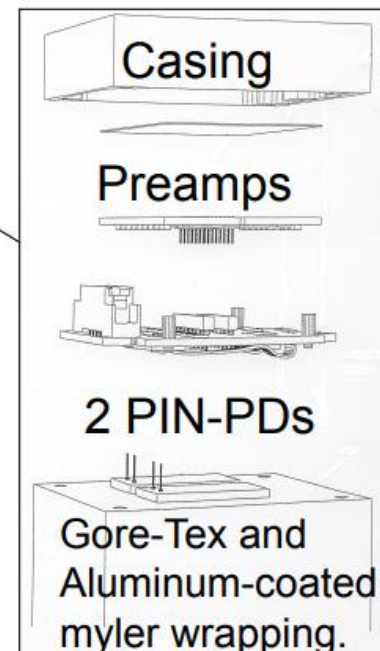
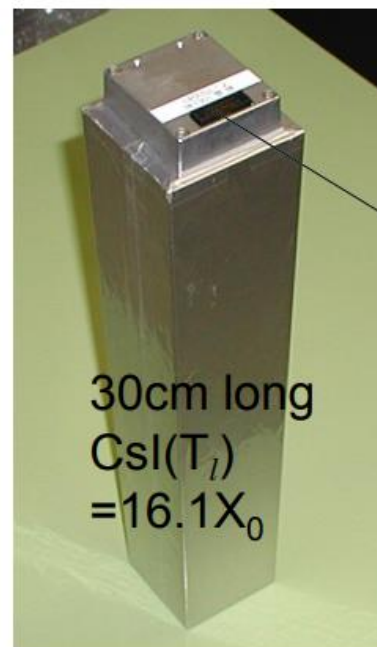


2024b



ECL detector

- Electromagnetic calorimeter
- measure photon and charged particles
- excellent energy resolution with CsI
- high angular acceptance

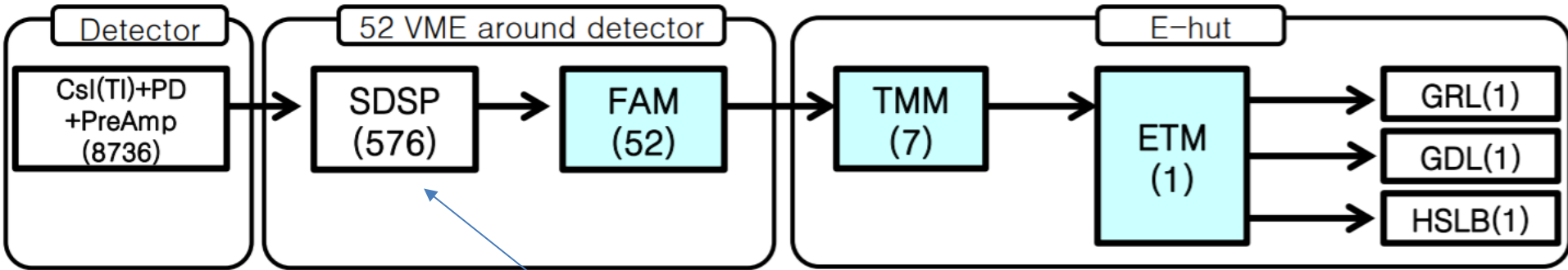


8736 Crystals



ECL trigger: Shaper DSP

(): number of boards



-Shaper DSP:

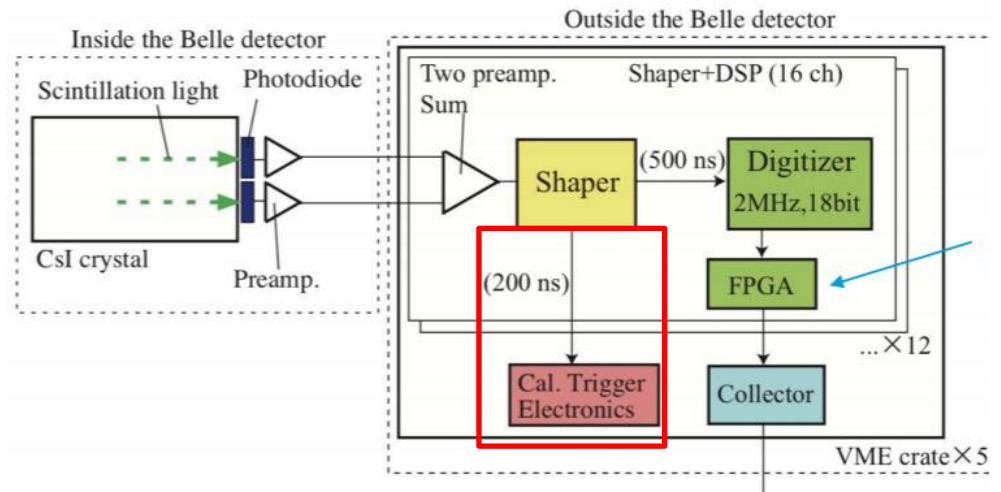
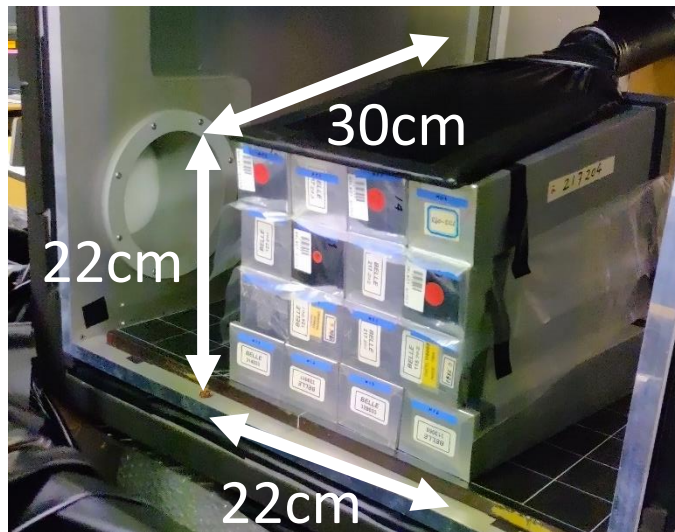
Take analog sum of 16 crystals (Trigger cell)

one Trigger cell (TC)

-Different shaper is used for ECL and ECLTRG

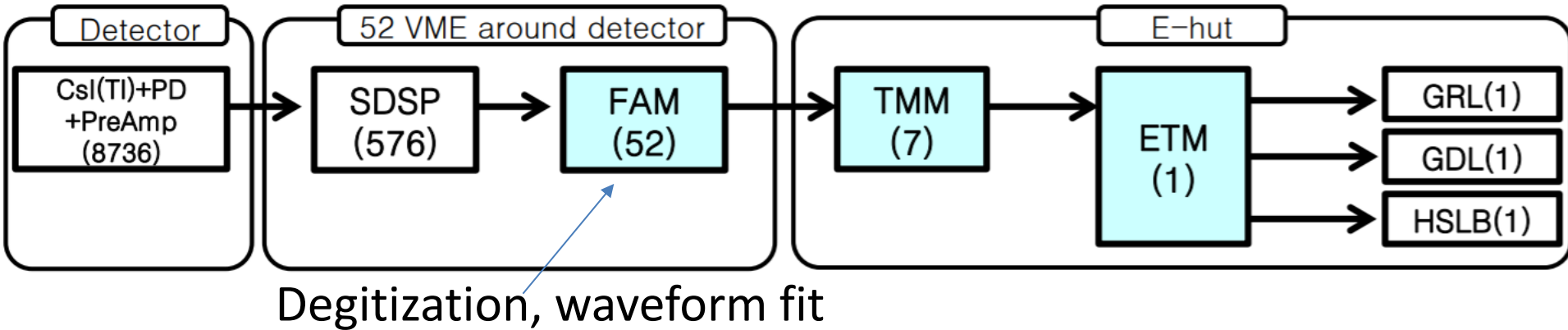
-200ns faster shaper for ECLTRG

-measured energy can be different from ECL

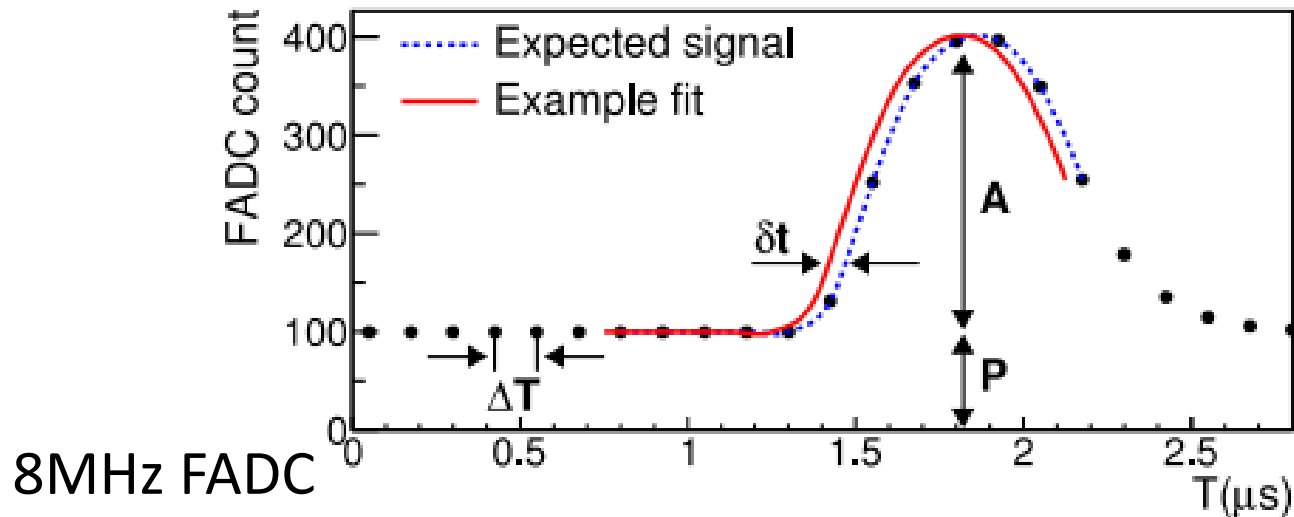


ECL trigger: FAM

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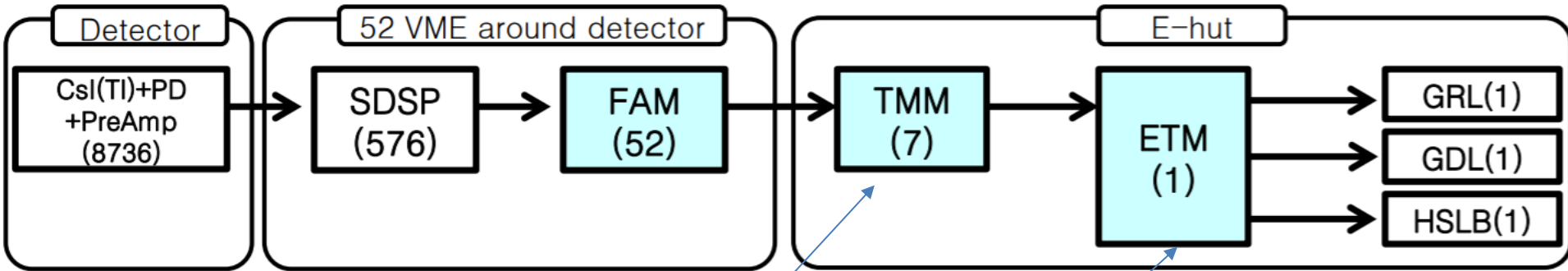


-Waveform fit (only once by using a template) to estimate energy, timing



ECL trigger: TMM, ETM

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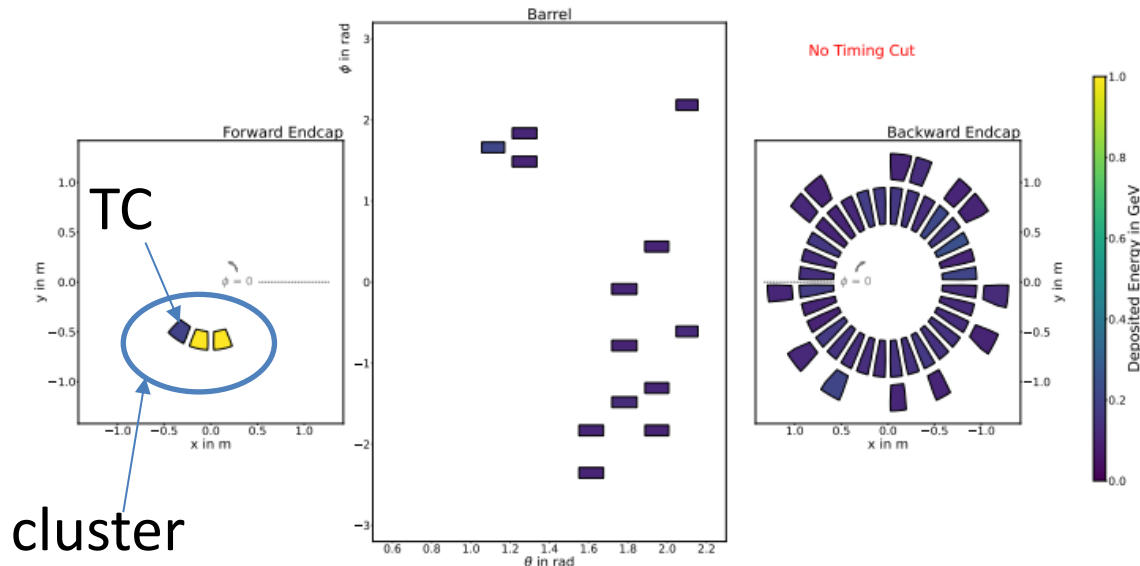
-TMM: merge and send all TC energy and timing to a UT4

-ETM: Combine next TCs to reconstruct a cluster

- **>100MeV required to TCs**: main reason of energy difference btw. ECL and ECLTRG

-if two TCs are combined, 22cm × 44cm × 30cm size. Big.

TC Event Display - High Beam Background (Example)



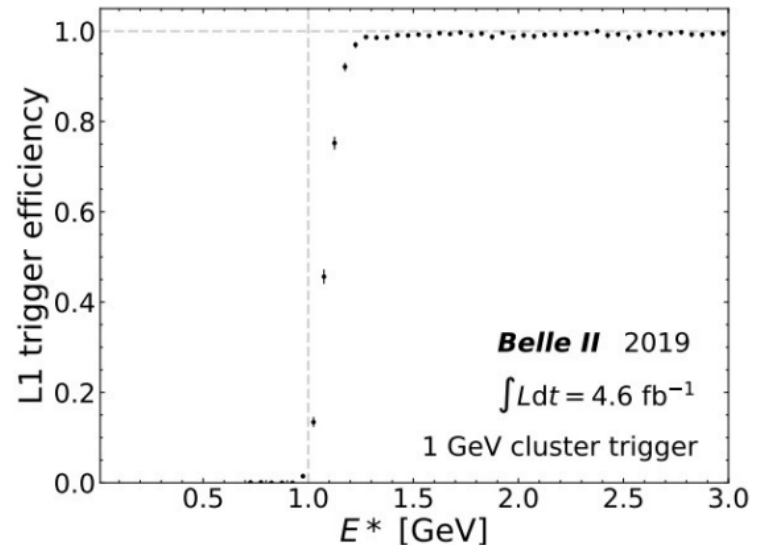
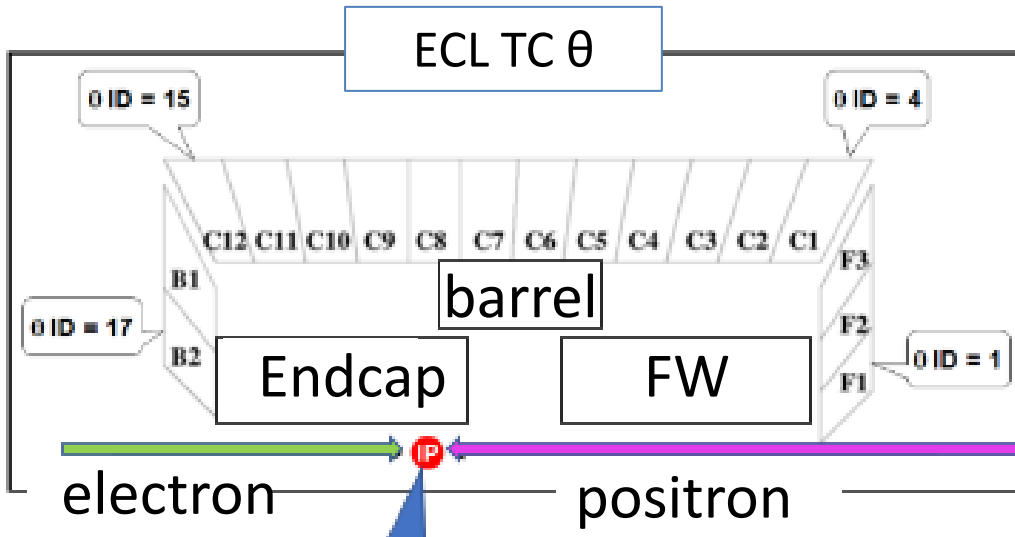
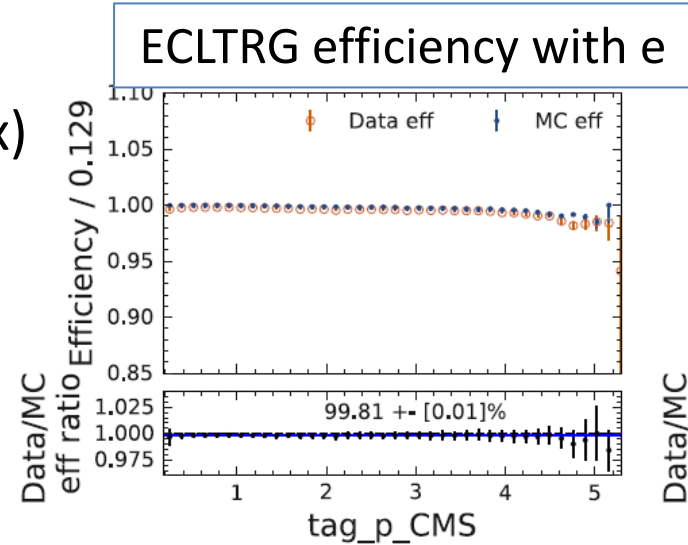
ECL trigger: performance

-Major trigger condition:

- hie: energy sum $> 1\text{ GeV}$ in $2 \leq \theta_{\text{ID}} \leq 15$
- c4: #cluster ≥ 4 in $2 \leq \theta_{\text{ID}} \leq 15$
- several combination of cluster and energy (lmlxx)

-~1% level data/MC agreement

- most stable trigger: small run dependency

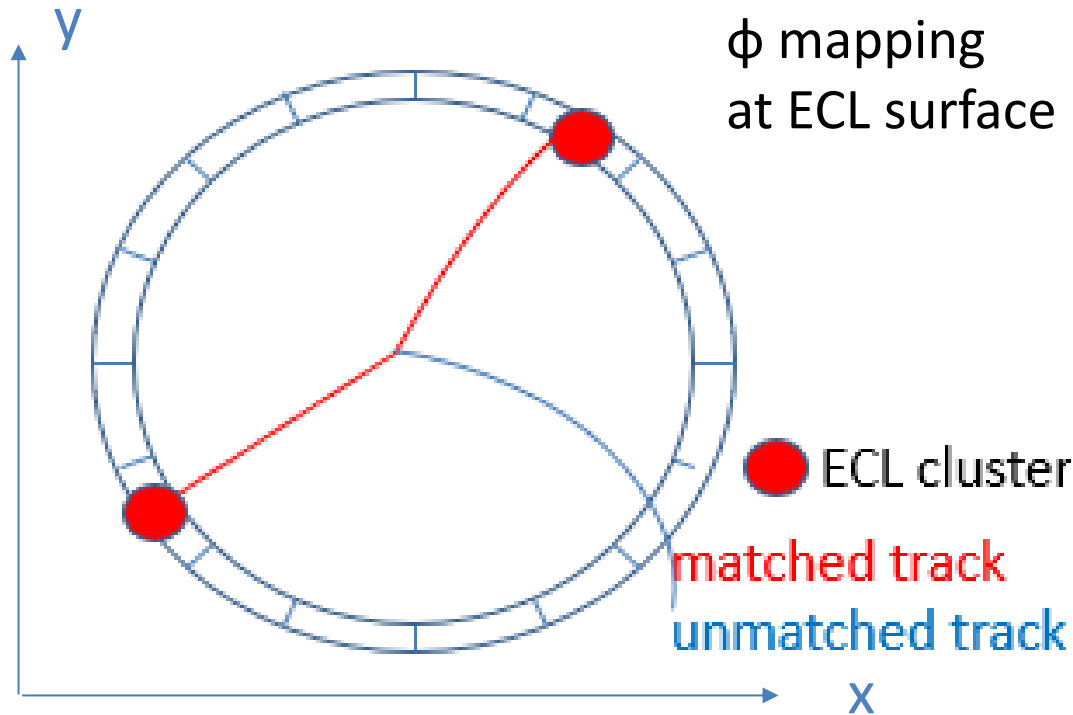
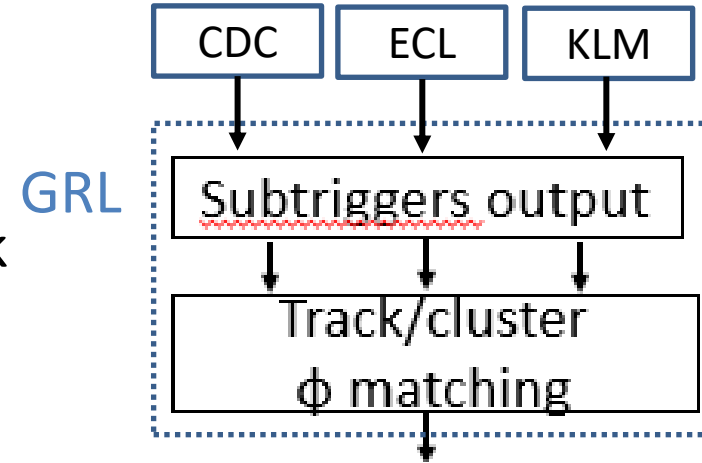


GRL

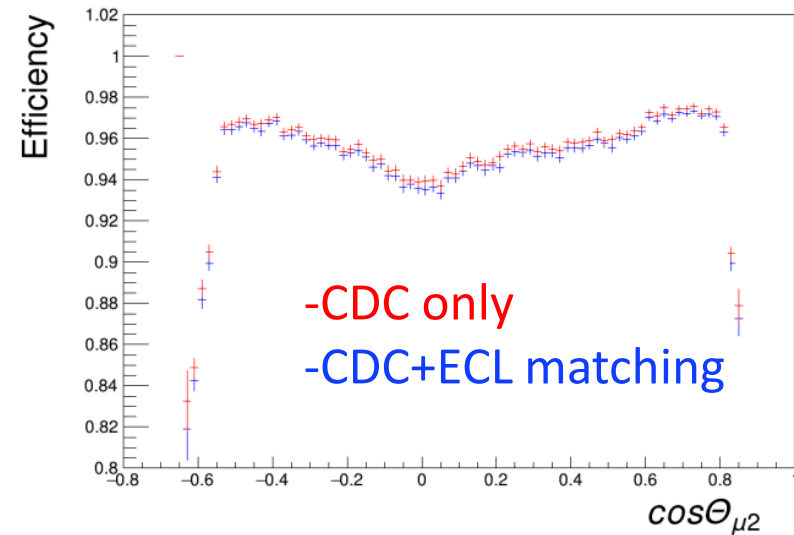
-GRL: Global reconstruction logic

-take ϕ matching of CDC/ECL/KLM/TOP

-event classification by using neural network



Efficiency with $\mu\mu$



99.5% matching efficiency

GDL

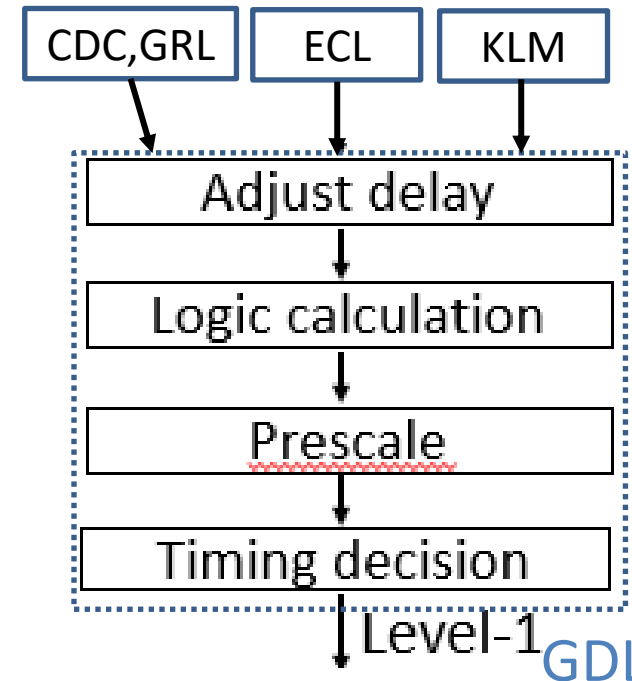
-GDL: Global decision logic

-ITD: adjust delay and persistence of input

-FTDL: calculate if trigger condition is 1 or 0
-trigger condition = AND, OR of input bit (output bit)
-in total, ~200 trigger conditions

-PSNM: apply prescale in each trigger condition
-prescale=10: fire a trigger if the trigger condition is satisfied 10 times

-TMDL: combine trigger condition and event timing



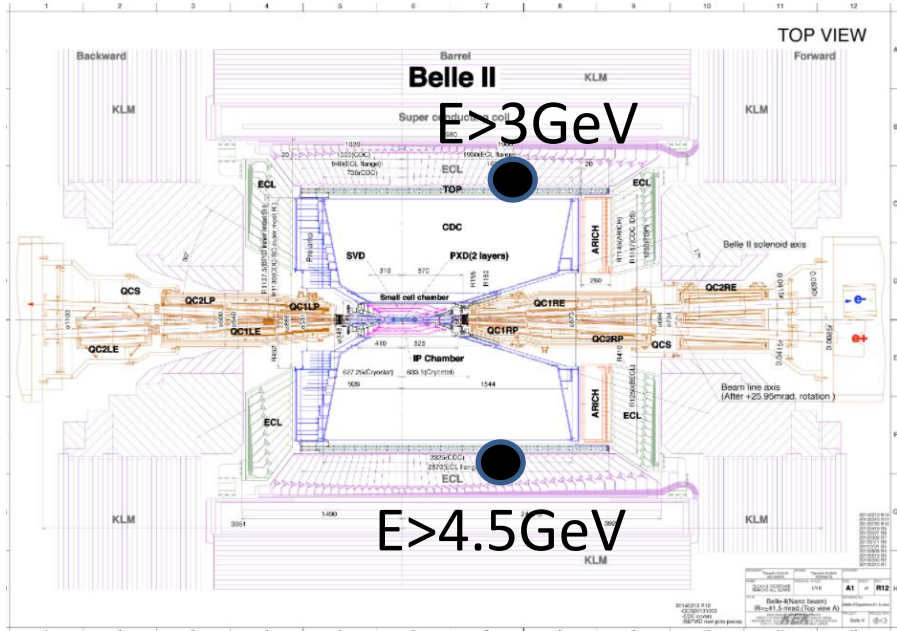
Veto

Bhabha veto with ECL trigger

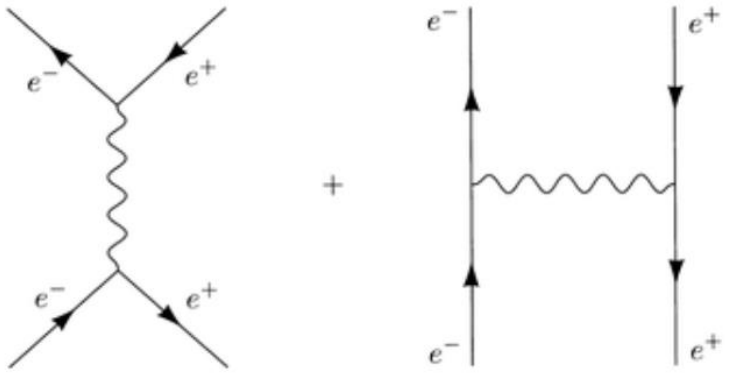
-Two back-to-back high energy electrons are produced by Bhabha.
Large cross-section: $\sim 50\text{kHz}$.

-If following condition satisfied at ECLTRG, “Bhabha veto” is fired:
 $[E_1 > 4.5\text{GeV}, E_2 > 3.0\text{GeV}, 160 < \Delta\phi_{\text{CM}} < 200\text{deg}, 165 < \Sigma\theta_{\text{CM}} < 190\text{deg}]$
-> $\sim 80\%$ Bhabha rejection

-This veto is applied to most of trigger bits



Bhabha

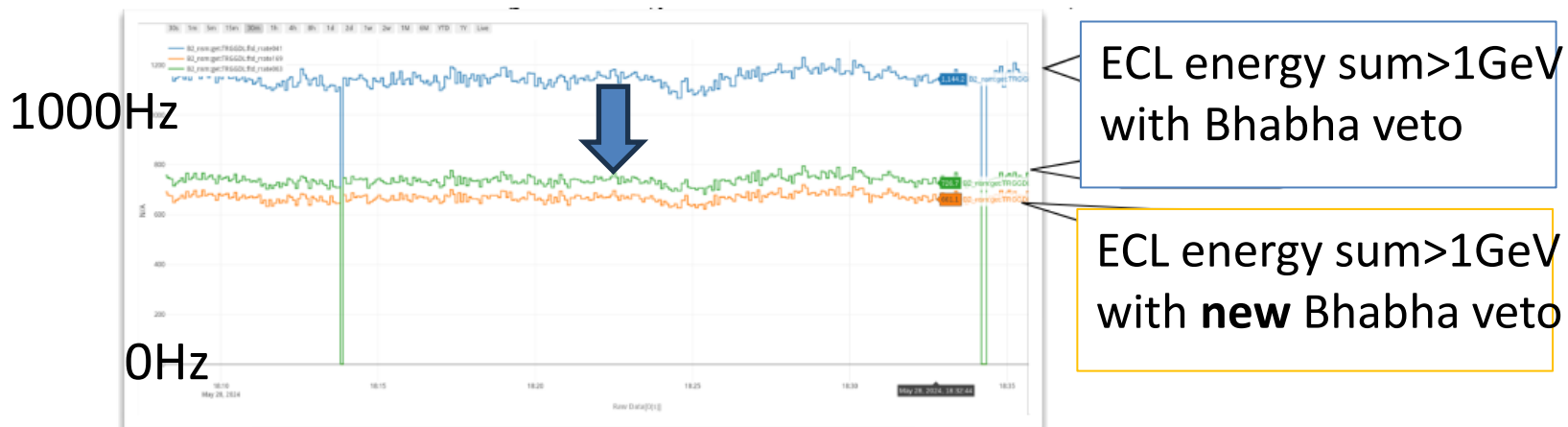


New Bhabha veto with ECL trigger

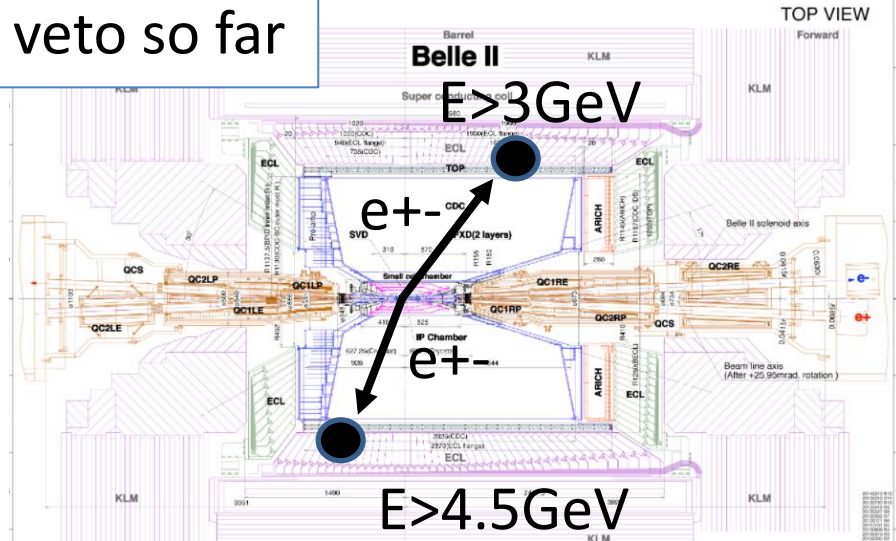
-new Bhabha veto for energy sum 1GeV trigger: **~90% Bhabha rejection**

-additional veto: (#cluster==1 at endcap) OR (#cluster==2, lower energy at endcap)

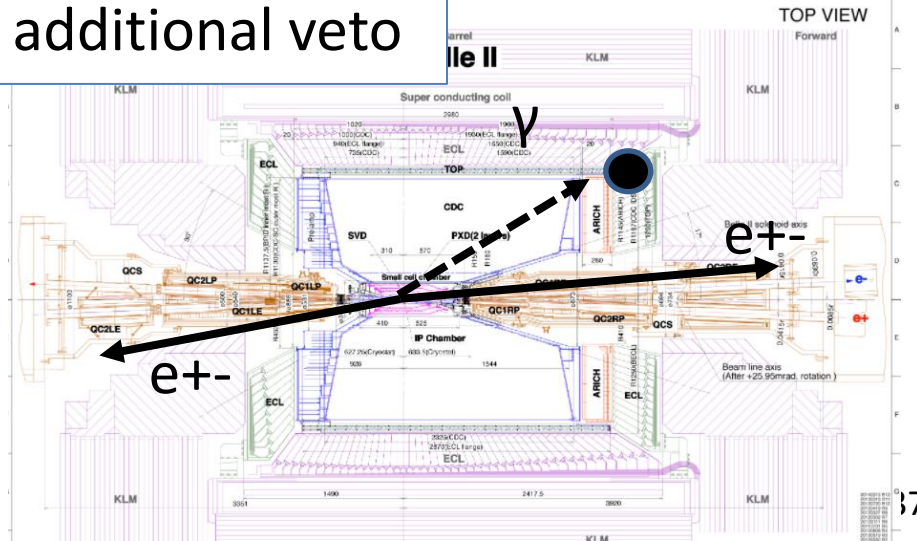
->Will be activated if trigger rate reaches DAQ limit



veto so far

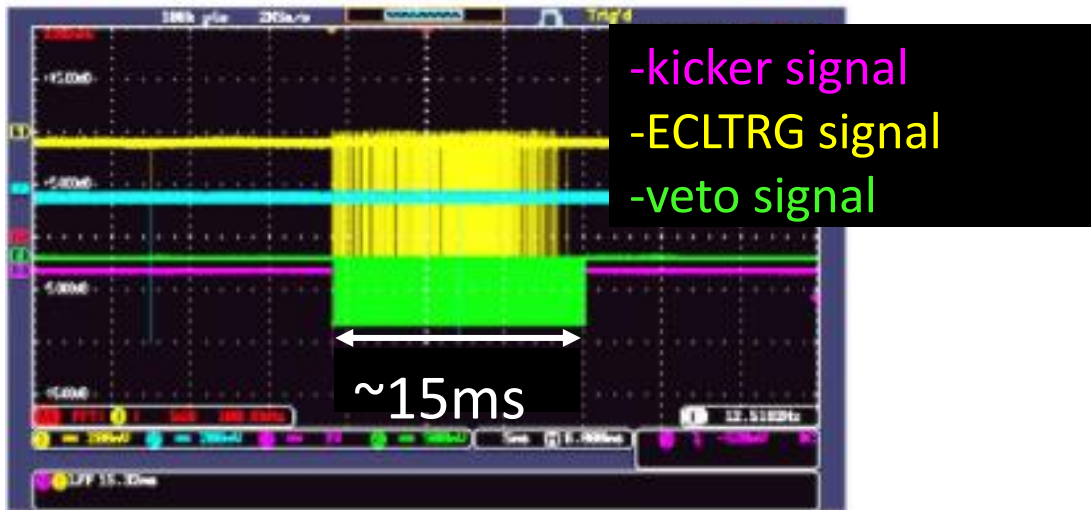


additional veto

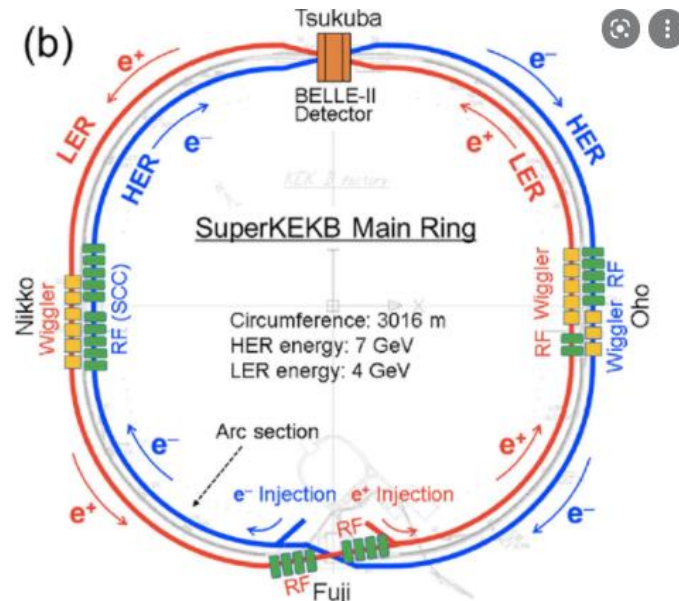
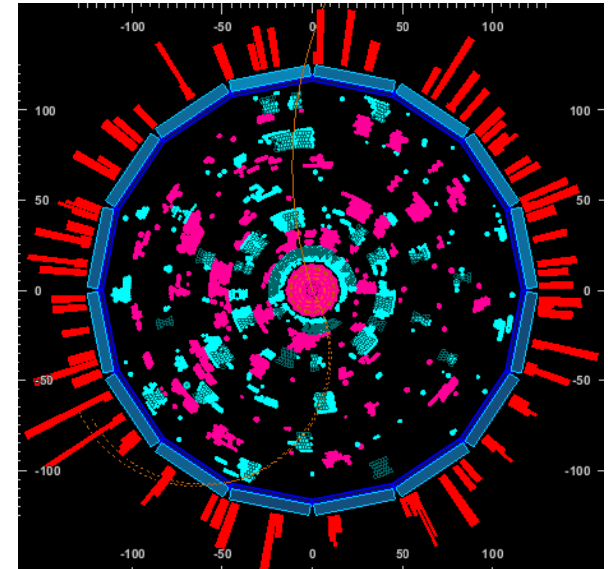


Injection veto

- Huge background appear just after beam injection
 - Belle II BG level is high every turn(10 μ s), when the injected beam pass through Belle II
- trigger is vetoed for a while after beam is injected to main ring \rightarrow ~99% BG rejected



Injection BG

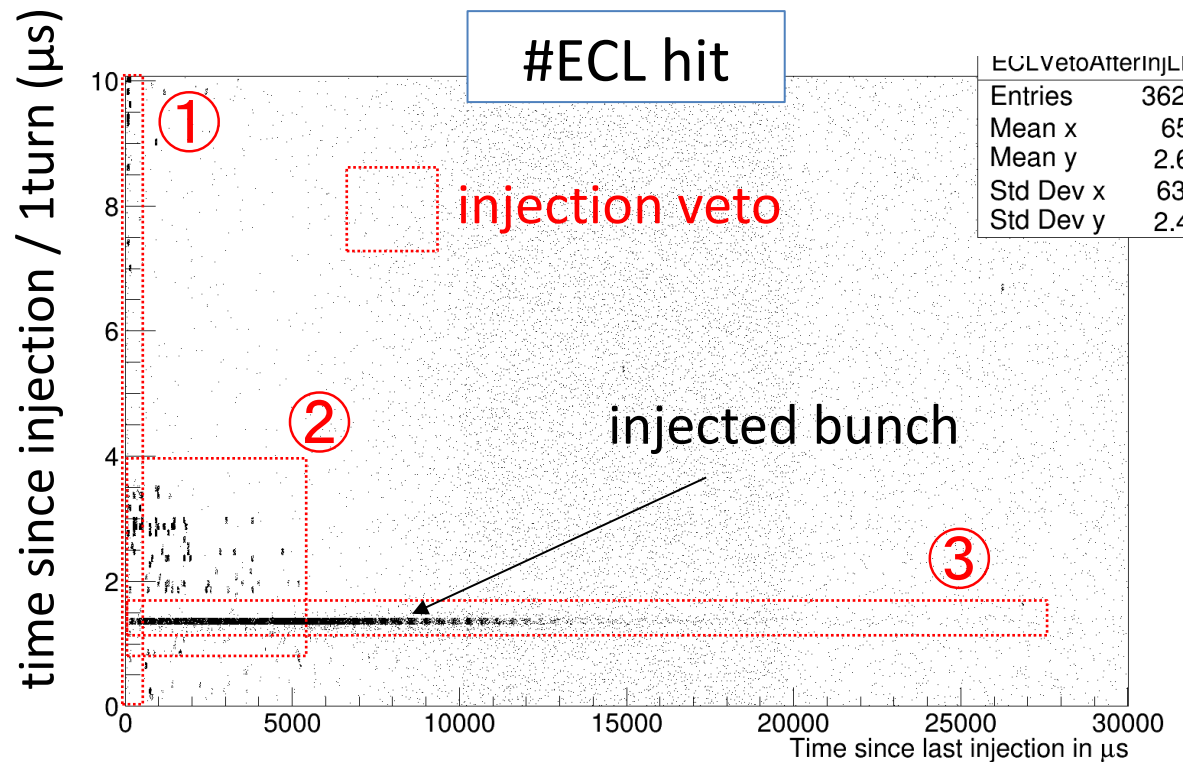


- Veto causes large DAQ deadtime of 5~15%
- several efforts were done since 2019

Belle II Injection veto

-Injection veto structure

- ① ~0.5ms after injection: veto trigger entirely (since Belle)
- ② 0.5~10ms after injection: veto trigger 3~4 μ s around injected bunch (2019)
- ③ 10~30ms after injection: veto trigger 1~2 μ s around injected bunch (2020)



time since injection(μ s)

Belle II Injection veto

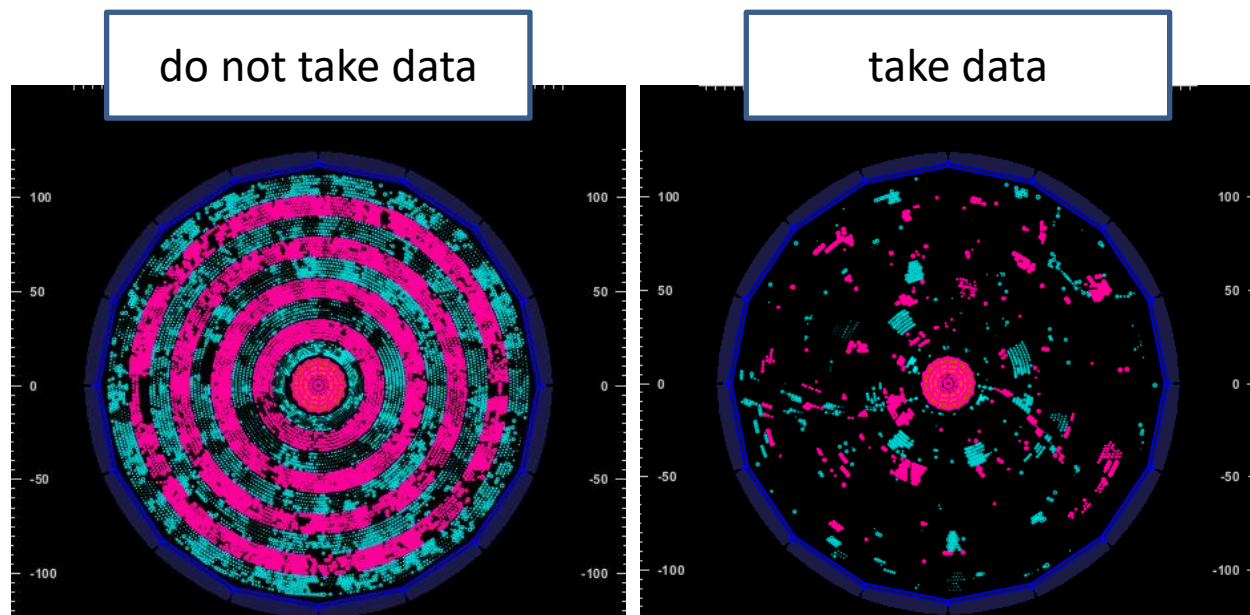
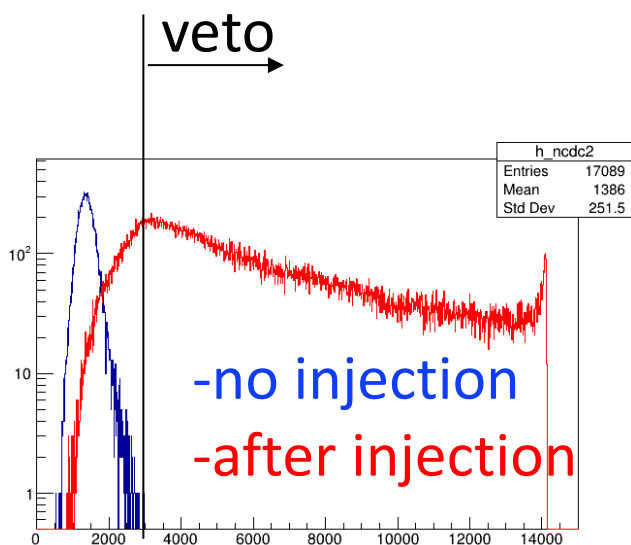
-Active injection veto (2024)

-check occupancy of ECLTRG(#TC hit) and CDCTRG(#wire hit)

-if occupancy is lower than threshold, take data even after beam injection

-~5% dead time reduction, 10~20% trigger rate increase.

Data quality may be affected → please analyze the 2024 data carefully !



#CDCTRG wire hits

Trigger rate and condition

present TRG status

-Status @ 2024/6/10

-We almost achieved initial requirements !

-thanks to many efforts in LS1

new feature turned on:
tighter prescale,
CDCTRG ADC, new 3D,
stt disabled

item	requirement	present status
Trigger rate	<30kHz @ $L=6.0 \times 10^{35} \text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$	~5.5kHz (~2.5kHz w/ new feature) @ $L=3.8 \times 10^{34} \text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ 😊
Latency	4.4 μs	4.4 μs 😊
Event timing resolution	10ns	~8ns 😊
Efficiency	>99% for BB pair	>99% for BB pair 😊 >95% for $\tau\tau$ pair 🚀 dark search trigger 🚀

Level1 trigger rate fraction @ 2024

-exp33run250, Total L1 rate= ~ 7 kHz, Luminosity= $\sim 3.5 \times 10^{34}$

-injection BG ~ 1 kHz, storageBG, luminosity ~ 6 kHz

event triggered by upper bits are excluded in lower bits in table

Category	bit	Raw rate (kHz)	Exclusive rate (kHz)
CDC standard bits	ffy : #full track ≥ 3 , $ z < 20$ cm	0.60	0.60
	fyo : #full track ≥ 2 , $\Delta\phi > 90$ deg, $ z < 20$ cm	0.89	0.48
ECL standard bits	c4 : #cluster ≥ 4	0.40	0.21
	hie : Energy sum > 1 GeV	1.36	1.03
KLM τ /dark	klmb2b, eklmb2b, beklm : Back to back sector hits	0.46	0.40
	cdcklm, sekml, eckelm : #CDC-KLM, ECL-KLM matching ≥ 1	0.45	0.22
CDC τ /dark	stt : #full track ≥ 1 , $ z < 15$ cm, $p > 0.7$ GeV	1.91	0.93
	syo : #full track ≥ 1 , #short track ≥ 1 , $\Delta\phi > 90$ deg, $ z < 20$ cm	1.21	0.43
	fy30 : #full track ≥ 2 , $\Delta\phi > 30$ deg, $ z < 20$ cm	1.16	0.07
ECL τ /dark	lml : several combination of #cluster and energy	2.92	1.65
	eclmumu : back to back low energy hit	0.63	0.01
Calibration	PID	0.24	0.09
	other (Bhabha, $\gamma\gamma$, random, trg)	1.87	0.92
Total L1	OR of all bits	7.0	7.0

List of output bits: B physics

2021c

-Traditional condition same as Belle

Physics target	bit name	condition	Raw rate (kHz)	Exclusive rate (kHz)
BB pair	ffy	CDC #2track>=3, NNtrack>=1 with z <20cm >=1	1.40	1.40
	fyo	CDC #2track>=2, NNtrack>=1 with z <20cm >=1, Δφ>90deg	1.03	0.47
	c4	ECL #cluster>=4, 2<=θid<=15	0.13	0.08
	hie	ECL Energy sum>1GeV, 2<=θid<=15	0.69	0.56

Expected efficiency of generic BB (MC)

BitName	eff(%)	BitName	eff(%)	BitName	eff(%)
fff	94.11	hie	95.11	lml0	81.02
ffs	46.41	lowe	99.79	lml1	0.94
fss	15.18	lume	38.24	lml2	0.03
sss	3.98	hade	38.24	lml3	0
ffo	95.03	c2	100	lml4	0.01
fso	1.34	c3	100	lml5	0
ssso	14.04	c4	99.99	lml6	1.82
fzo	95.03	c5	99.98	lml7	0.02
fyo	0	ecloflo	98.34	lml8	12.12
		eclbst	0	lml9	27.82
		g_high	95.11	lml10	30.16
				lml12	0
				lml13	0

Trigger menu for dark/low-multi

-TRG-DAQ workshop 2022, [physics-TRG session](#)

-In backup, definition of conditions are shown.

Triggers

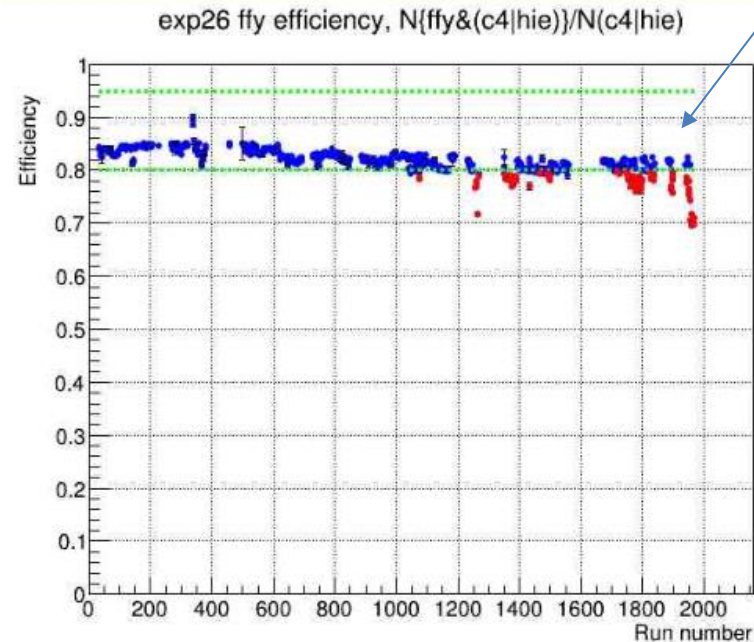
Analyses	triggers
Z' invisible, dark Higgs	fy30, cdcklm, stt
$Z' \rightarrow \tau\tau, \mu\mu$	fff/ffy, cdcklm, stt (fy30, fyo)
A' invisible (single γ)	hie, lml6, lml16 (lml1, prescaled)
A' visible without γ	stt, fyo, hie
X17/ A' visible + γ	dpee (lml, hie, c2hie)
$ALP \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ (3γ final state)	hie (high mass), ggse1 (low mass)
$ALP \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ fusion ($ee \rightarrow \gamma\gamma e$)	lml2, hie (stt, lml1 barrel)
Single $\pi^0/\eta/\eta'$ ($ee \rightarrow \gamma\gamma e$)	hie (stt)
$\mu\mu(\gamma)$ control sample (for invisible $A' + \dots$)	stt, beklm, cdcklm (fyo, syo)
IDM + Dark Higgs	hie (lml12, stt [stt4/5])
$\pi\pi\gamma$ for HVP	hie, (ff, stt)
$\pi\pi\pi^0\gamma$ for HVP	hie, bha3d (lml1)
Dark showers	stt, stt-ecl, hie for electrons (displaced VTX)

—	CDC
—	ECL
—	KLM

Physics analysis

When you start physics analysis

- If your physics mode has high multiplicity, high efficiency is expected
 - we expect no need to take care trigger so much for your analysis
- Nevertheless, it is recommended to check trigger efficiency of data**
 - In 2022, degradation of CDCTRG was seen by CDC gain drop, dead ch etc.
 - In 2024, active injection veto has been turned on.
There might be impact on physics performance.



When you start physics analysis

-If your physics mode has low multiplicity, you should care trigger.

-0. contact [trg-performance group](#) to consult with it. [Read Sphinx.](#)

-1. choose high efficient trigger bit for your physics mode

-2. estimate trigger efficiency of your signal by using MC:

$$\epsilon = \frac{N_{\text{ffy}}}{N_{\text{all}}}$$

where N_{all} is the number of all generated events, and N_{ffy} is the number of `ffy` satisfied events

-3. check data/MC agreement with reference bit, independent from signal bit:

-because N_{all} can not be estimated by data

$$\epsilon_{\text{exp}} = \frac{N_{\text{ffy}} \text{ and } (N_{\text{hie}} \text{ or } N_{\text{c4}})}{N_{\text{hie}} \text{ or } N_{\text{c4}}}$$

signal bit

reference bit

-4. apply correction and/or estimate systematics

When you start physics analysis

-Past documents to estimate trigger efficiency:

-mumu efficiency study: <https://docs.belle2.org/record/4023/>

-tau efficiency study: <https://docs.belle2.org/record/1944?ln=en>

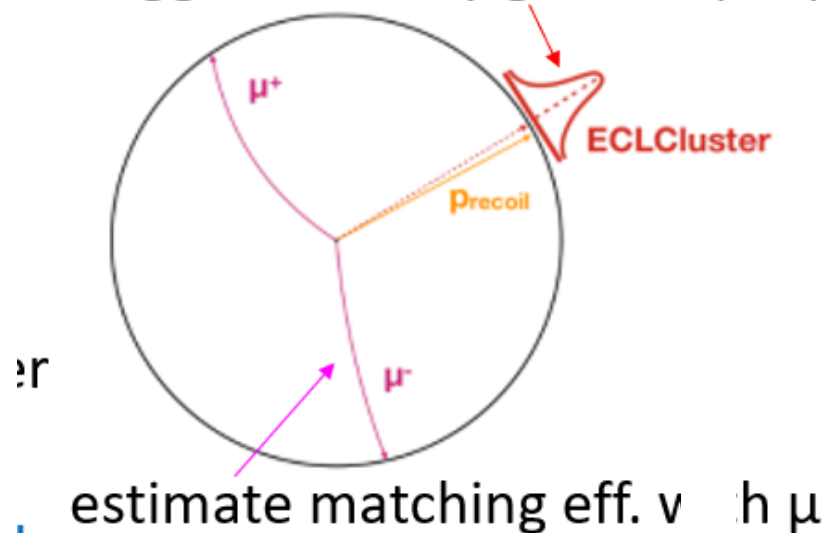
-single photon efficiency study: <https://docs.belle2.org/record/1972?ln=en>

-Especially, $\mu\mu\gamma$ is a good control sample to estimate trigger efficiency

- γ is triggered by ECL, μ can be used for study CDC,KLM (vice versa)

Estimation of matching efficiency

trigger event by gamma (hie)



Trigger informatin on basf2

-On mdst, trigger information is stored on TRGSummary class.
Event variables are available for user. ([Sphinx](#))

-\$basf2 variables.py will show list of the available variables

-ex. if L1PSNM(hie)==1, event is triggered by hie. if ==0, not triggered.

L1 Trigger	
L1FTDL(name)	[Eventbased] Returns the FTDL (Final Trigger Decision Logic, before prescale) status of the trigger bit with the given name.
L1Input(name)	[Eventbased] Returns the input bit status of the trigger bit with the given name.
L1PSNM(name)	[Eventbased] Returns the PSNM (Prescale And Mask, after prescale) status of the trigger bit with the given name.
L1Prescale(name)	[Eventbased] Returns the PSNM (prescale and mask) prescale of the trigger bit with the given name.

-Example of implementation on your steering file

```
tools = ['L1FTDL(hie)']
tools+= ['L1FTDLBit(c4)']
tools+= ['L1FTDLBit(ffy)']
tools+= ['L1FTDLBit(fyo)']
output = register_module('VariablesToNtuple')
output.param('variables', tools)
output.param('treeName', 'tree')
main.add_module(output)
```

-✘ With run-independent MC, prescale configuration and trigger menu can be different from data. Please be careful.

Summary

-Introduce trigger

- various importance with various experiments
- hardware(FPGA) and/only software(computer) trigger for collider

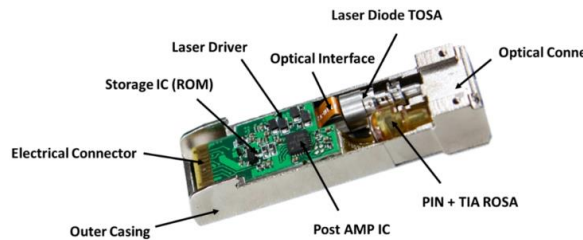
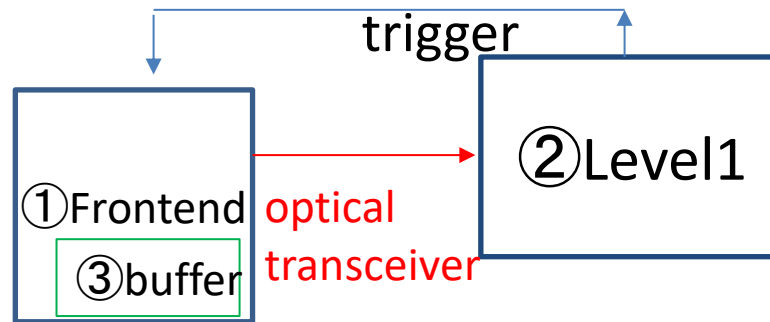
-Belle II trigger

- CDC, ECL, KLM, TOP with ϕ matching
- Unique logics on FPGA
- Many trigger conditions with B, τ and low multi physics

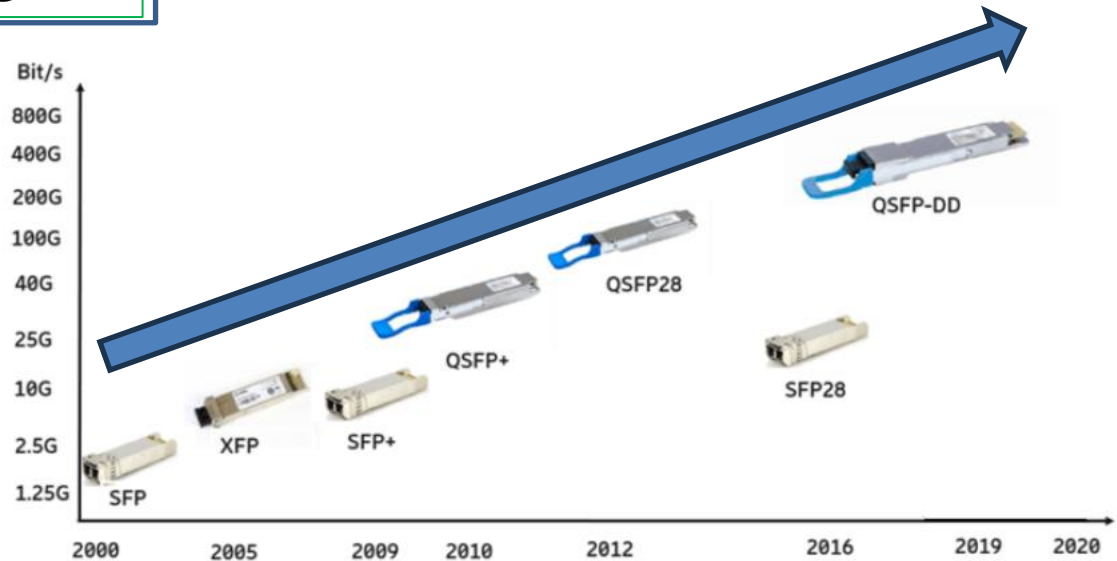
backup

Optical transceiver technology

- Optical transceiver performance has been improved recent ~20years
 - ~2times bandwidth in each 3~4 years !!
- Trigger performance has been improved accordingly
 - receive detailed data from detector frontend



Product Teardown Image of an Optical Transceiver
(Source)



Universal Trigger board

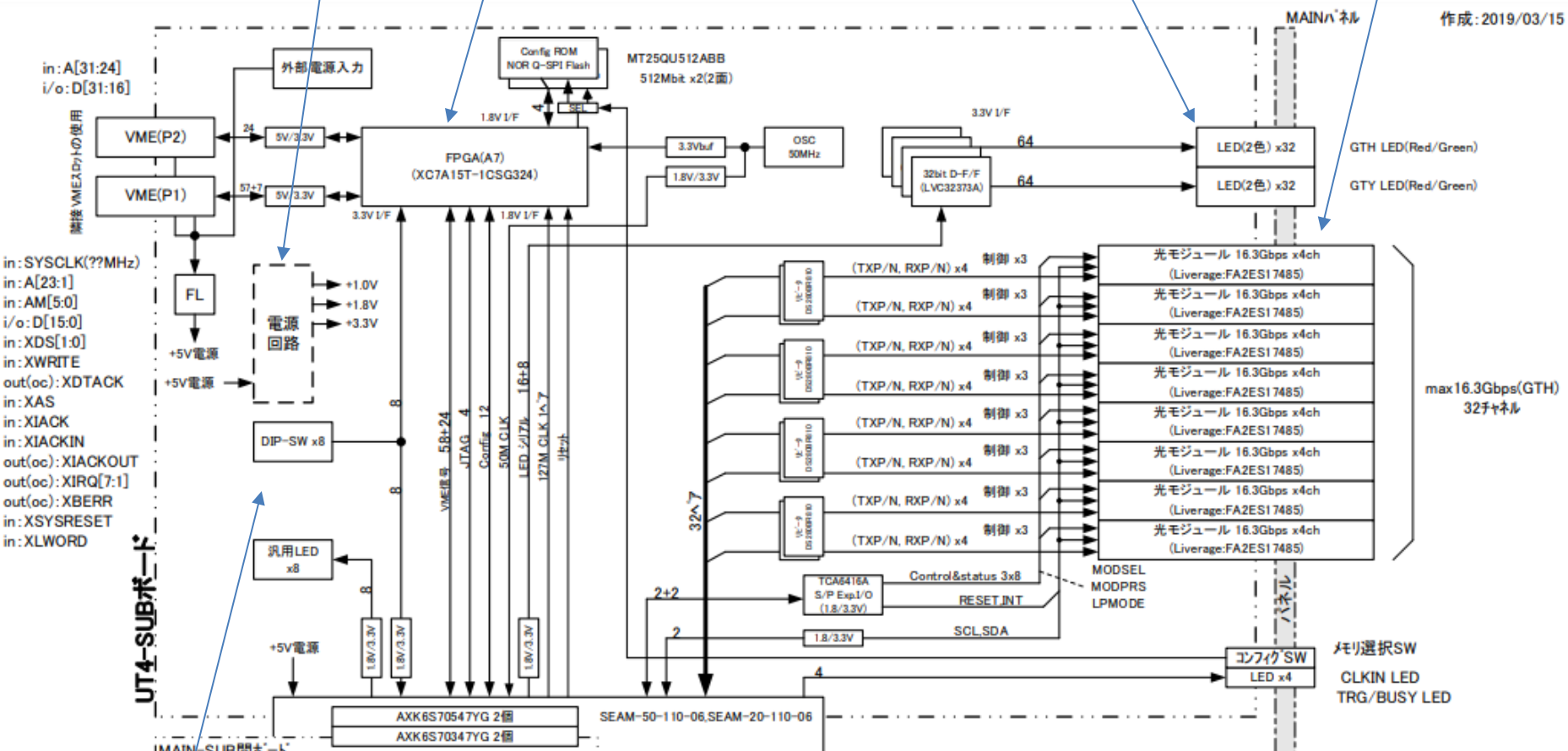
-sub board

sub FPGA for VME control

optical transceiver

power distributor

LED



dip switch for vme address

Universal Trigger board

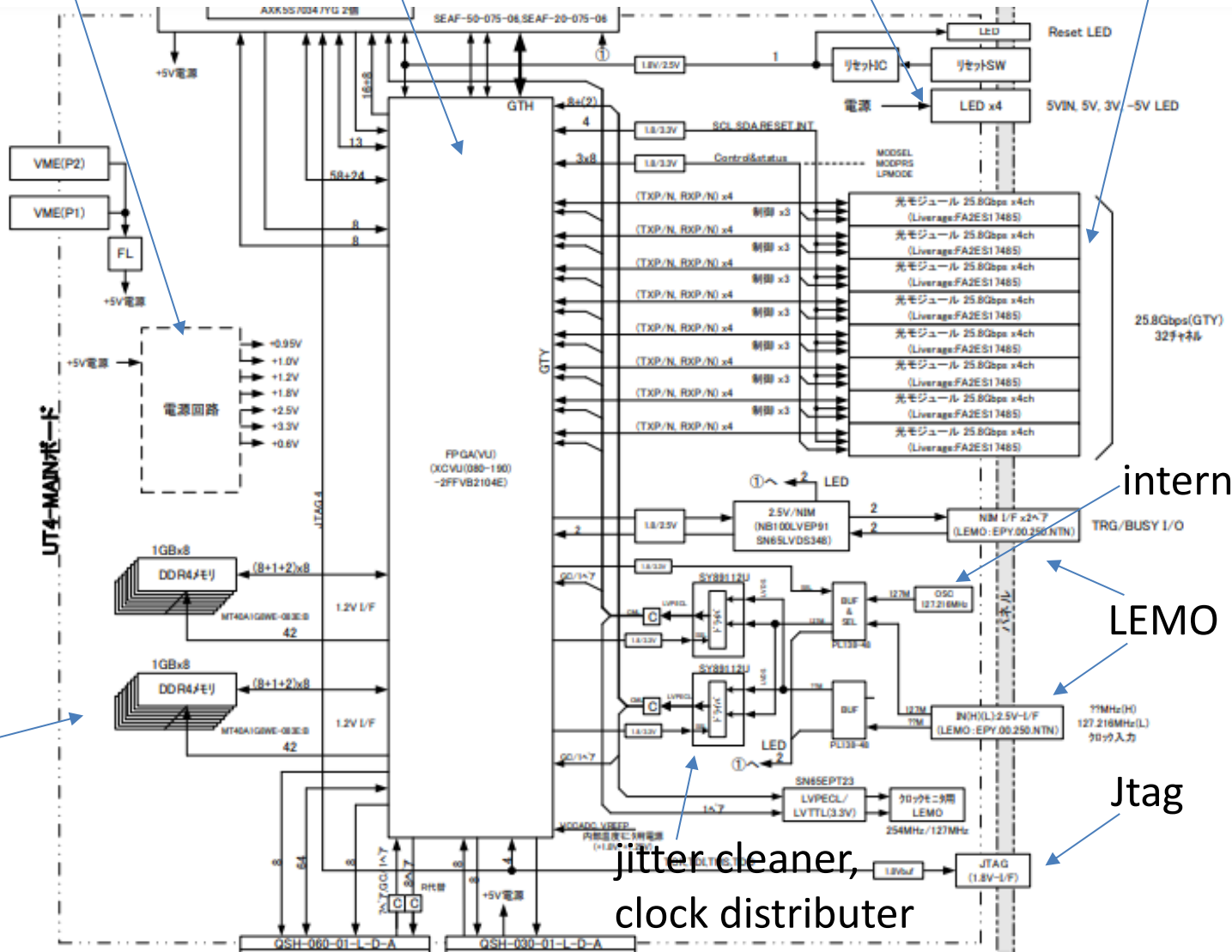
-main board

Main FPGA

optical transceiver

power distributor

LED



internal clock

LEMO

Jtag

DDR4

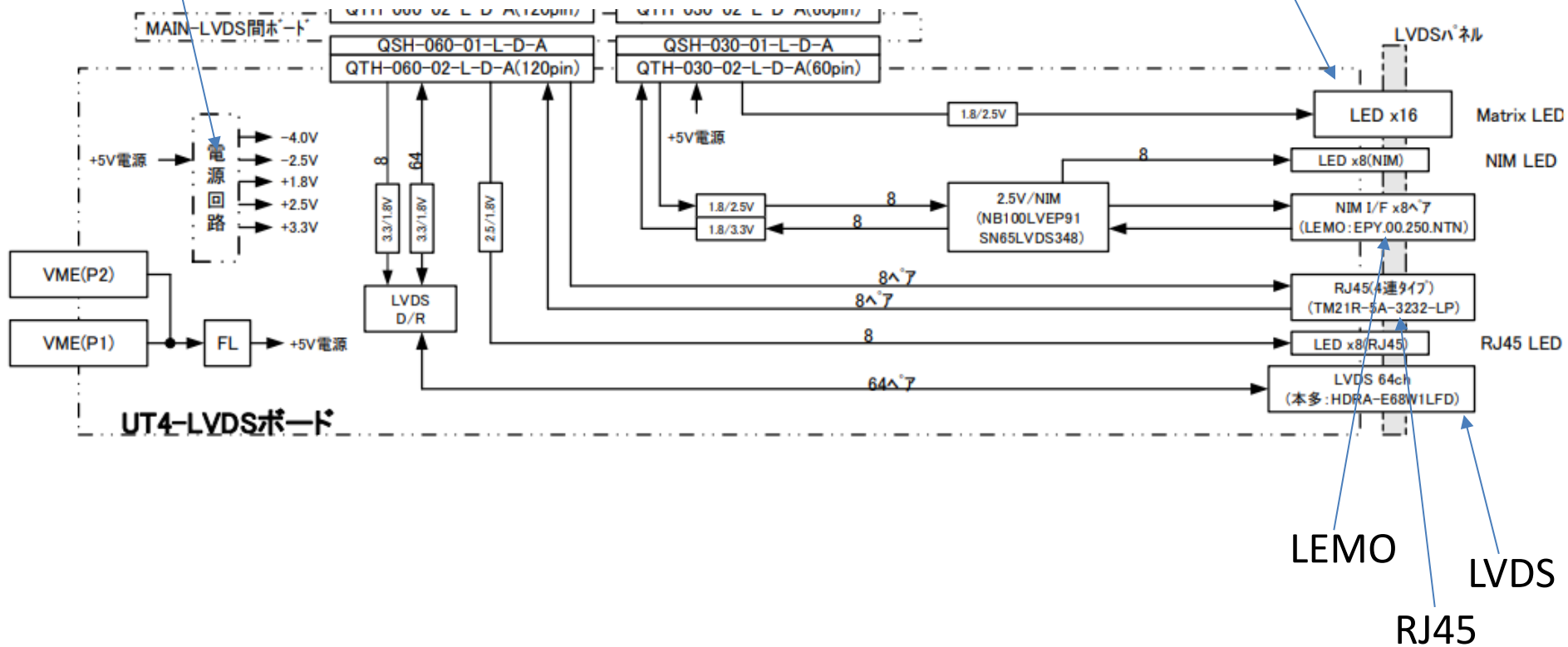
jitter cleaner,
clock distributor

Universal Trigger board

-LVDS board

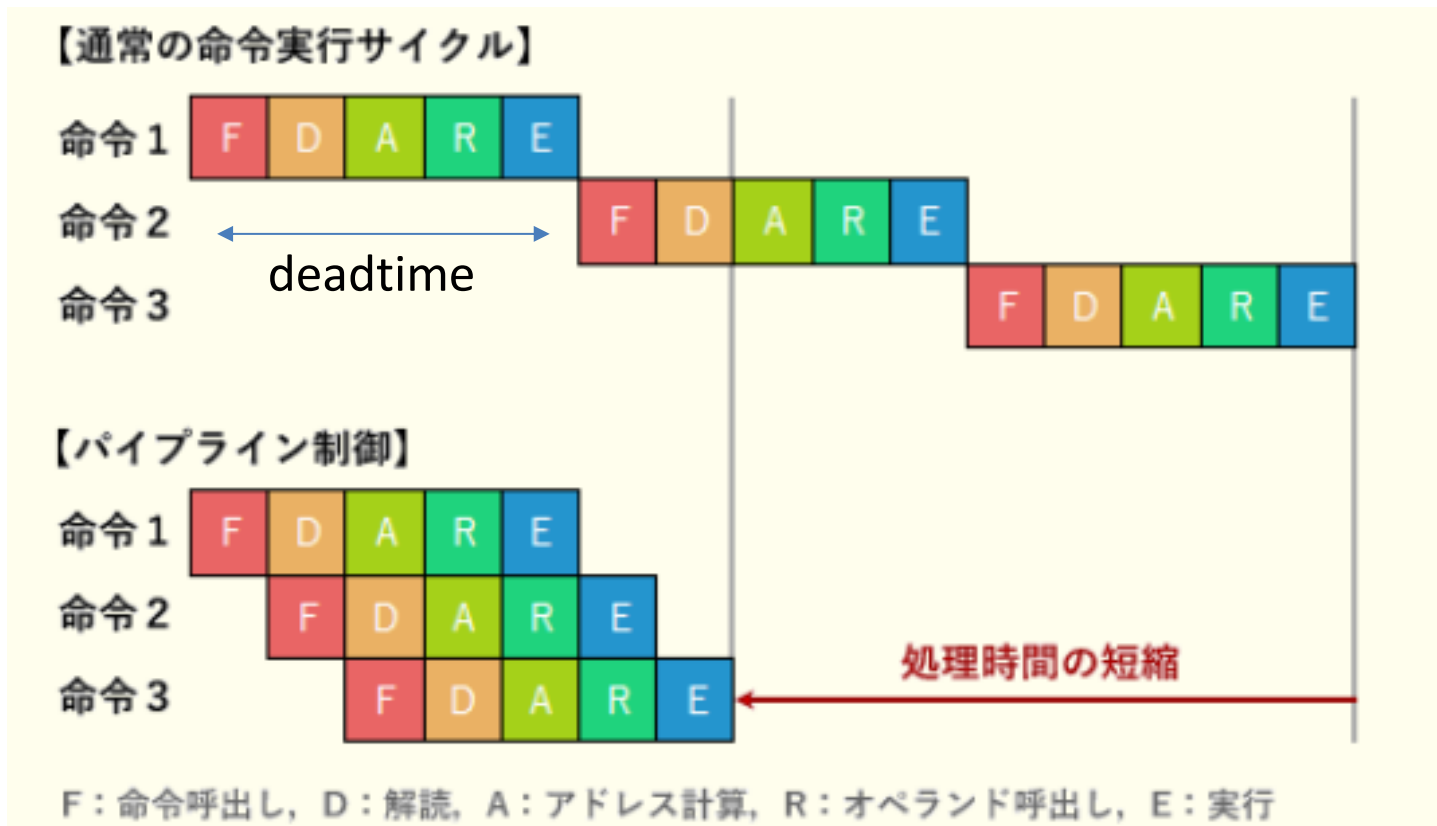
power distributor

LED



Pipeline processing

- "Pipeline processing" is used for all logic to achieve no deadtime requirement
- All Belle II trigger logic is implemented by using the pipeline processing
- ...except for KLM/TOP Merger



no deadtime

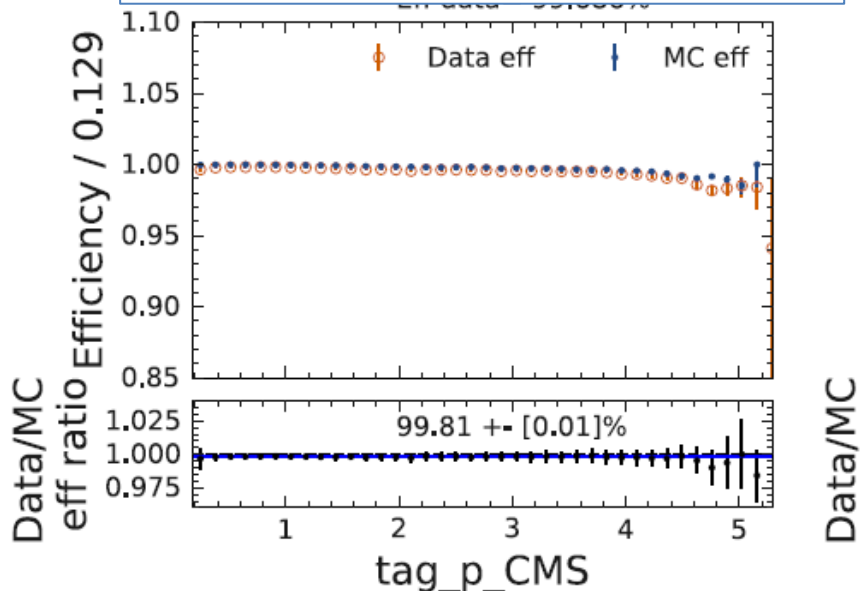
TSIM

-Trigger logic is simulated on basf2 software, in order to estimate trigger efficiency of signal and background. (Trigger simulation, TSIM.)

-Since MC14, most of trigger logic has been implemented with good data/MC agreement

-Example of tau 1x1 study

ECLTRG efficiency with tau 1x1,
electron mode

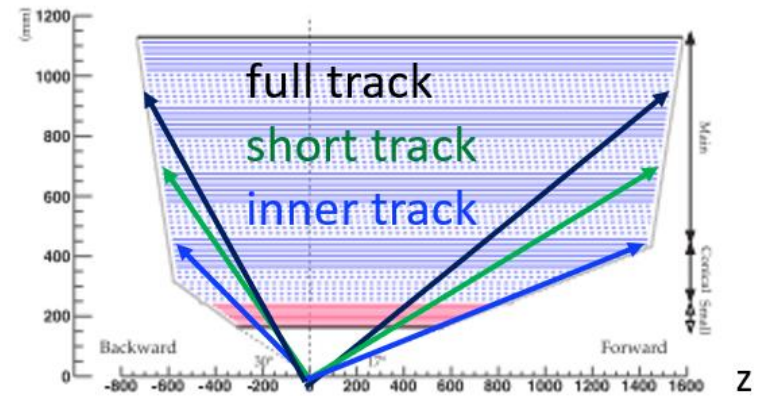


Systematics of TRG
for tau 1x1 analysis

Sys	e	μ
Data-MC	0.05	0.05
Ref trig	0.11	0.34
Exp dep	0.13	0.26
Total (%)	0.124	0.437

CDC trigger: inner track, short track

- Short(inner) track is reconstructed with coincidence of 5(3) TSFs on GRL
 - short: Look up table is made to search required ϕ pattern
 - inner: just require three TSFs in ± 4 wire in ϕ
- Not initially planned at Belle II but added since 2020
 - large θ acceptance for low multi physics and two photon
 - no z measurement: high trigger rate



● axial
○ stereo

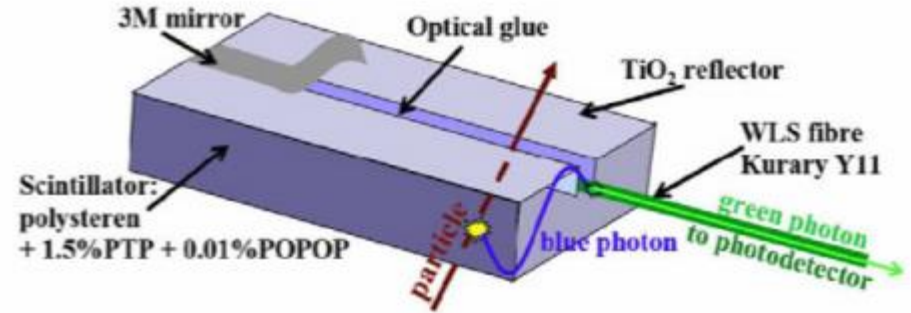
inner tracking

short tracking

KLM

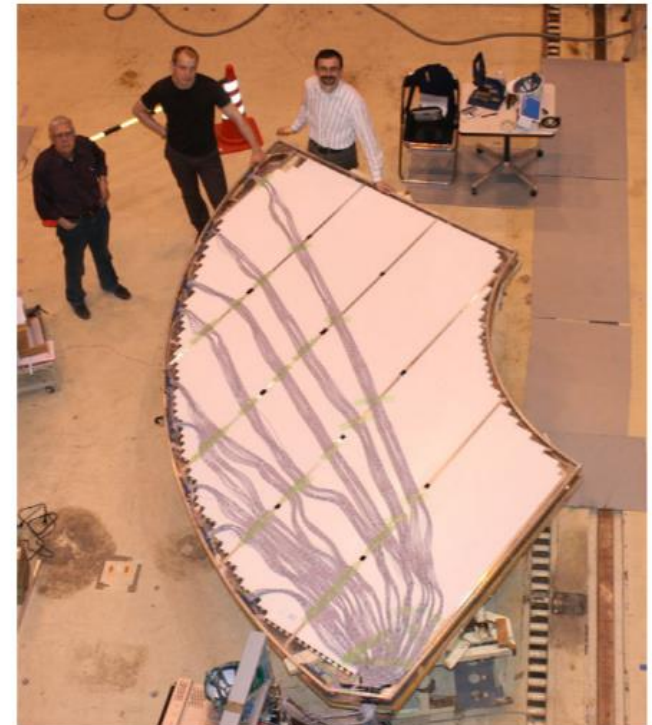
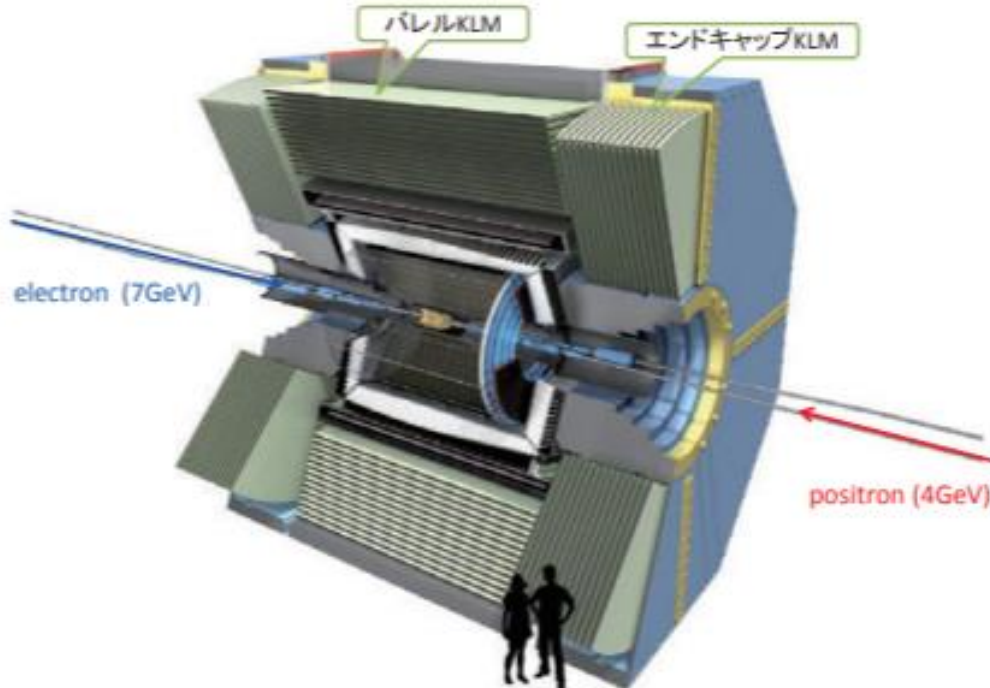
-KLM:KL/ μ 検出器

- μ の同定
- K_L^0 の検出



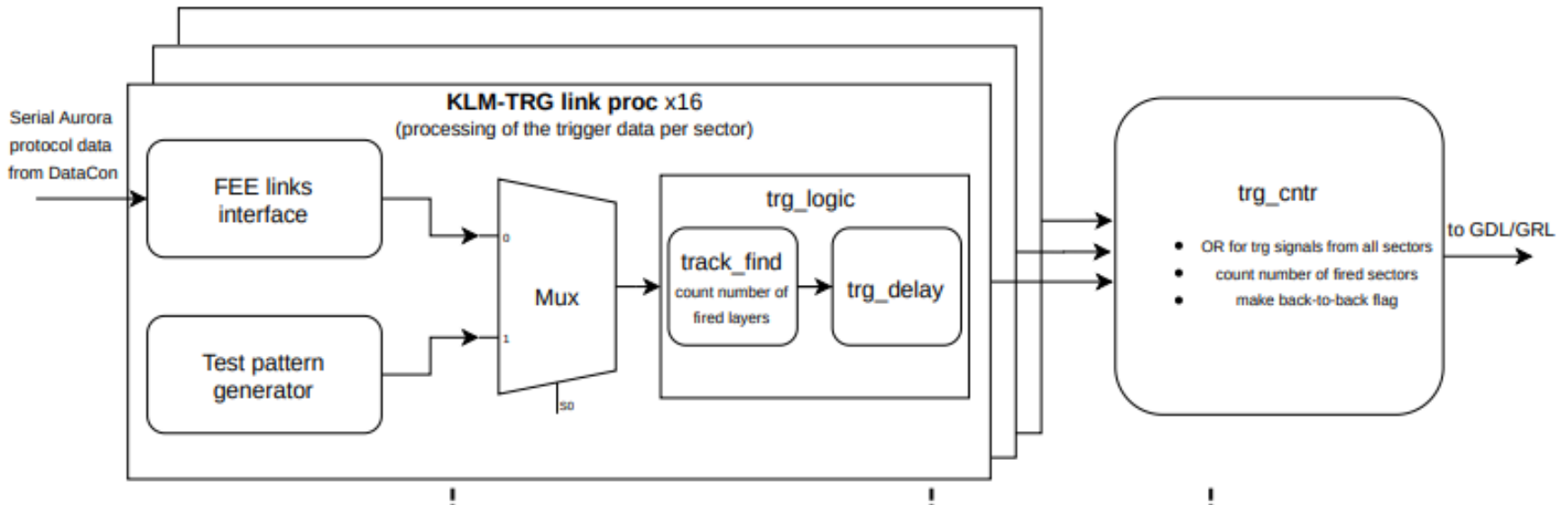
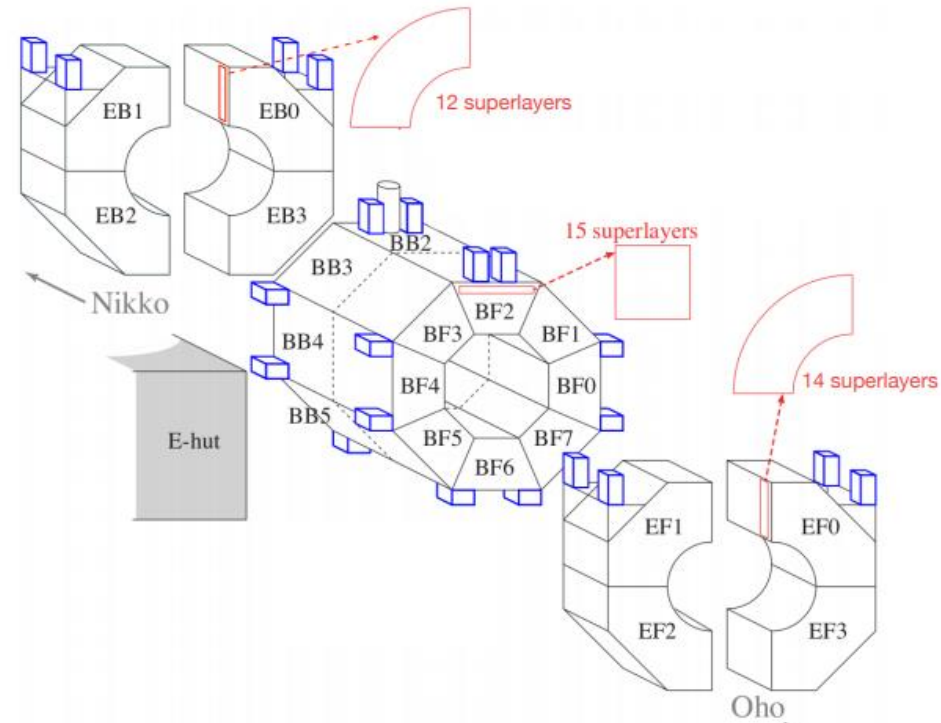
-鉄+プラスチックシンチレータ or RPCのサンドイッチ構造 × 15

- BelleII でendcapとbarrelの一部をプラシンへ交換
(放射線による不感への耐性)



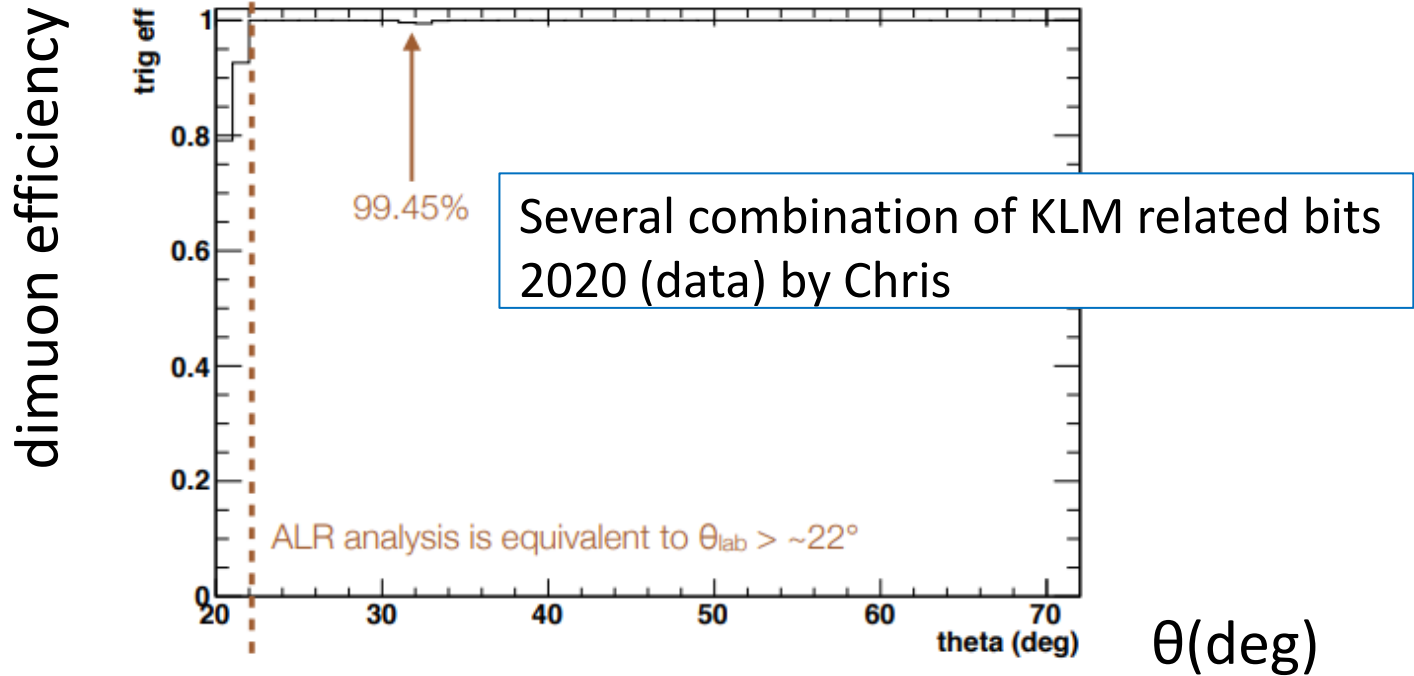
KLM Trigger

- Search muon in each sector
- Simply count number of hits:
if $\#hit > 7$, it is judged as muon
- Tracking development is on-going



Dimuon efficiency performance

-High efficiency for Dimuon with wide angle coverage



Event timing determination

-Trigger timing is determined by ECLTRG, CDCTRG, TOPTRG

-ECLTRG: timing of the highest energy TC

-CDCTRG: median of the fastest timing of TS associated with 2D track

-priority: ①ECLTRG ②CDCTRG ③TOPTRG

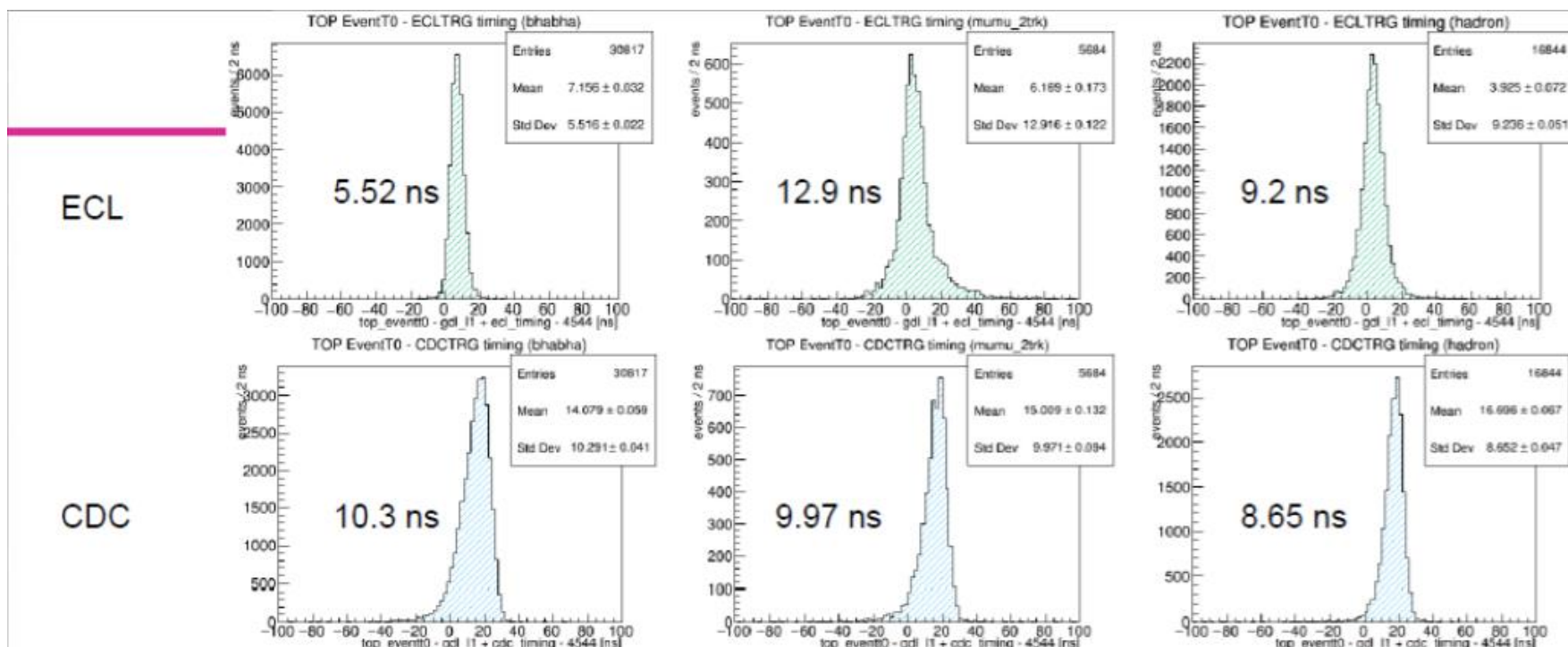
-Better timing resolution than requirement of 10ns

Event timing resolution

Bhabha

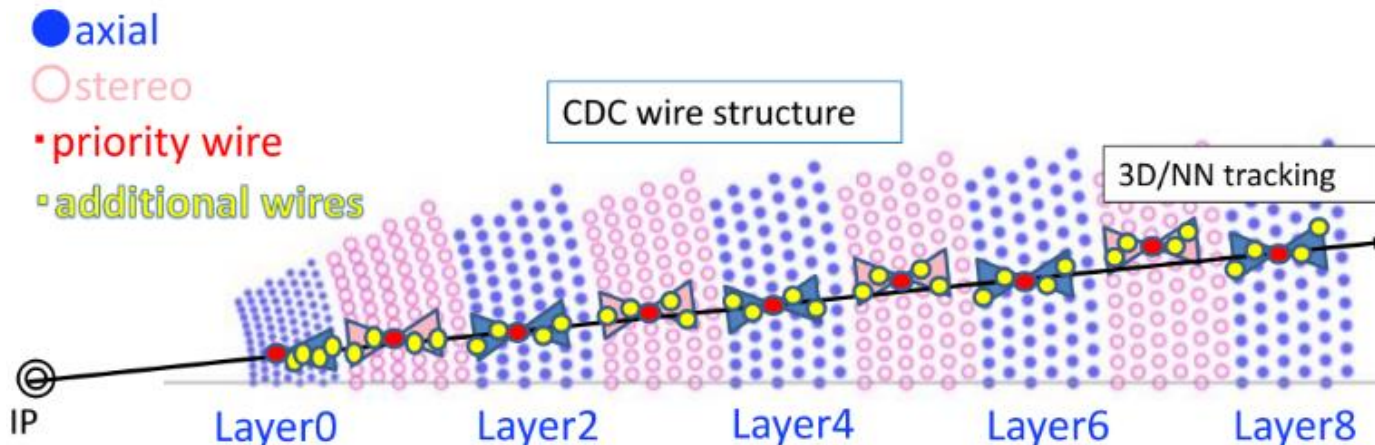
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hadron

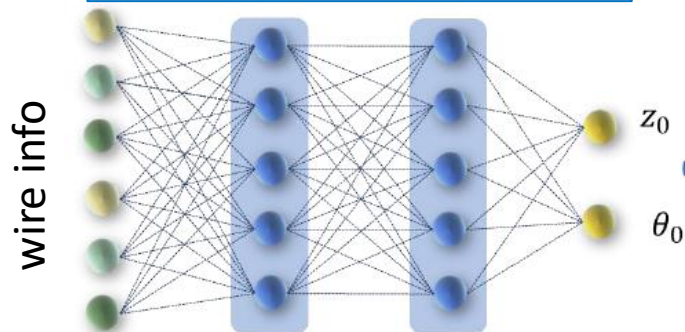


Short term upgrade

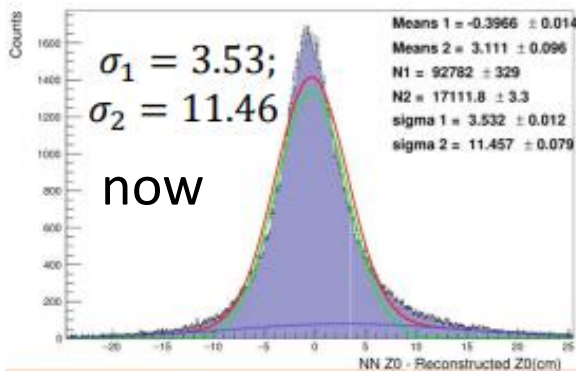
- advanced trigger logic to reduce background trigger rate
- new FPGA(UT4,UT5) to improve CDCTRG tracking, by using all wire hits
- new tracking algorithm (deep learning, high level Hough transformation)



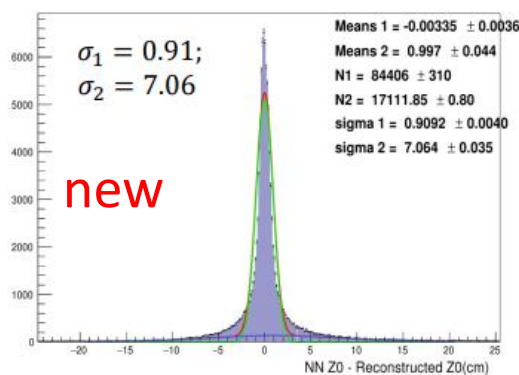
Deep learning 3D tracking



comparison of z resolution



z (cm)



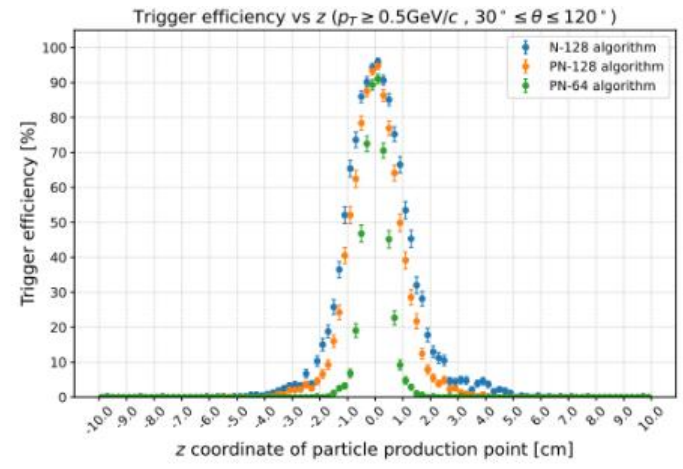
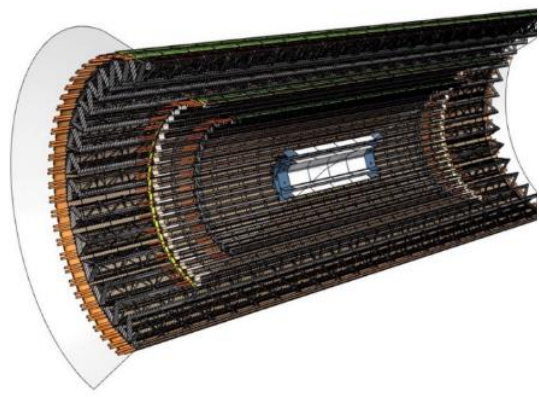
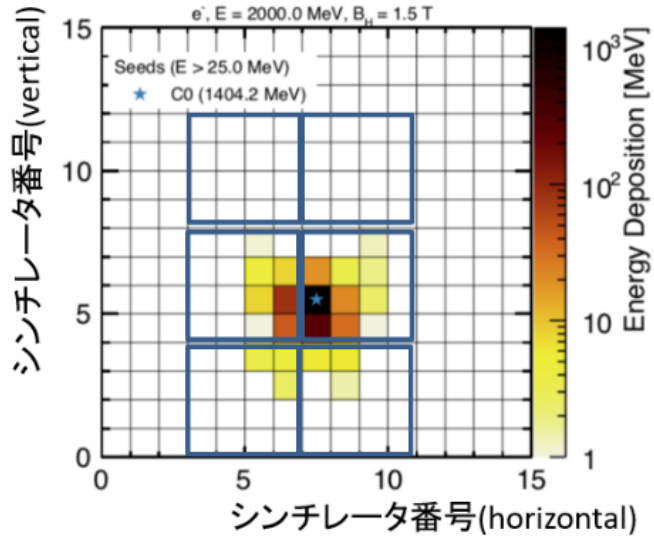
z (cm)

Long term upgrade

-Upgrade trigger with Detector upgrade

- new CDC frontend board (~2026): send TDC and ADC of all wires
- new ECL readout board (long shutdown 2 ?): read Crystal one by one
- new VXD (long shutdown 2 ?): implement VXD trigger functionality

- 従来の読み出し(4x4本)
- 新読み出し(1本)

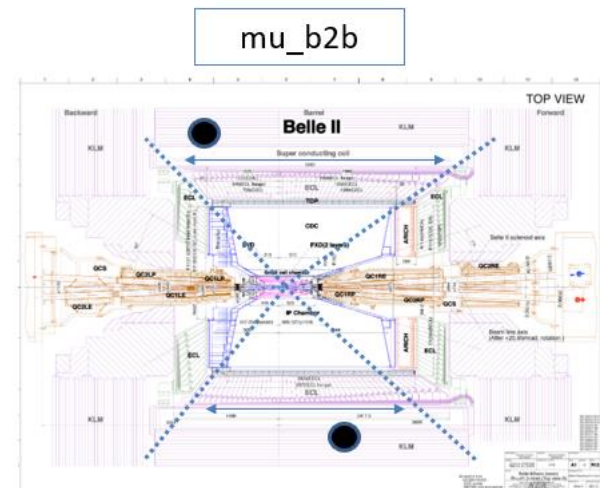
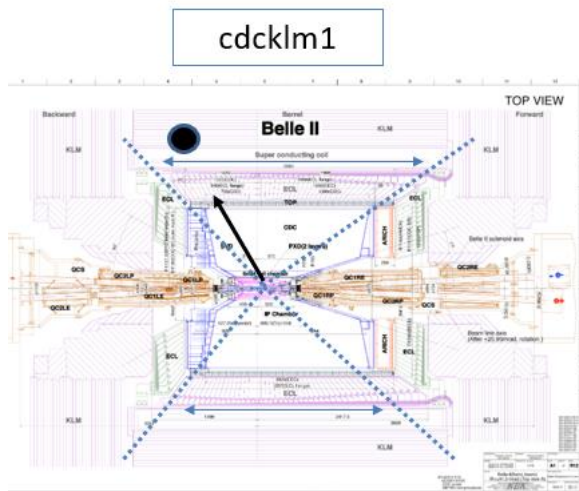


List of output bits: muon

-CDC-KLM, ECL-KLM matching trigger

Physics target	bit name	condition	Raw rate (kHz)	Exclusive rate (kHz)
Single muon	cdcklm1-2	#CDC-BKLM matching \geq 1	0.27	0.15
	ecleklm1	#CDC-EKLM matching \geq 1	0.42	0.30

Physics target	bit name	condition	Raw rate (kHz)	Exclusive rate (kHz)
Muon pair	mu_b2b	#BKLM cluster \geq 2, $\Delta\phi > 90$ deg.	0.35	0.32
	eklm2	#EKLM cluster \geq 2	0.04	0.04
	beklm	#EKLM cluster=1, #BKLM cluster=1	0.20	0.18
	lml10	ECL 160 $< \Delta\phi_{CM} < 200$ deg, $160 < \Sigma\theta_{CM} < 200$ deg, no 2GeV(CM) CL in an event	0.49	0.36
	eclmumu	ECL 160 $< \Delta\phi_{CM} < 200$ deg, $165 < \Sigma\theta_{CM} < 190$ deg, $E < 2$ GeV	0.30	-

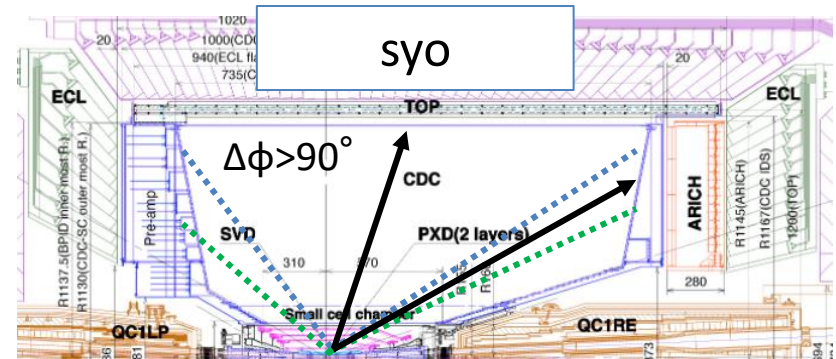
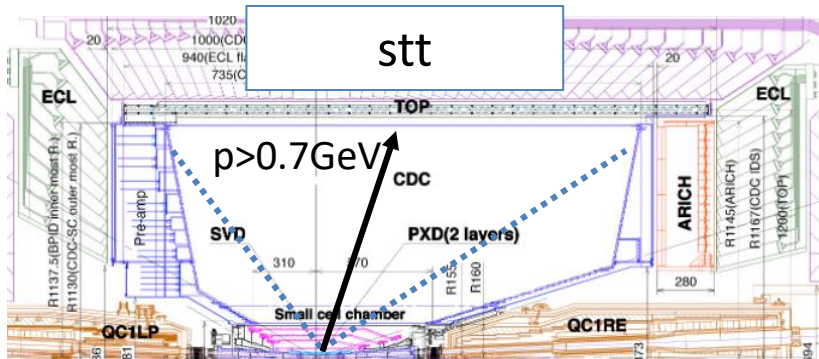


List of output bits: τ

-CDC-KLM, ECL-KLM matching trigger

2021c

Physics target	bit name	condition	Raw rate (kHz)	Exclusive rate (kHz)
τ	stt	CDC #full track \geq 1, $ z < 15\text{cm}$, $p > 0.7\text{GeV}$	1.74	0.96
	syo	CDC #full track \geq 1, $ z < 15\text{cm}$, #short track \geq 1, $\Delta\phi > 90\text{deg.}$	0.74	0.38
	yioiecl1	CDC #full track \geq 1, $ z < 15\text{cm}$, #inner track \geq 1, $\Delta\phi > 90\text{deg.}$	0.37	0.08
	lml12	NCL \geq 3, at least 1 CL \geq 500 MeV(Lab)) (with $\theta_{ID} = 2 - 16$)	0.17	0.03
	ecltaub2b3	under commissioning	-	-

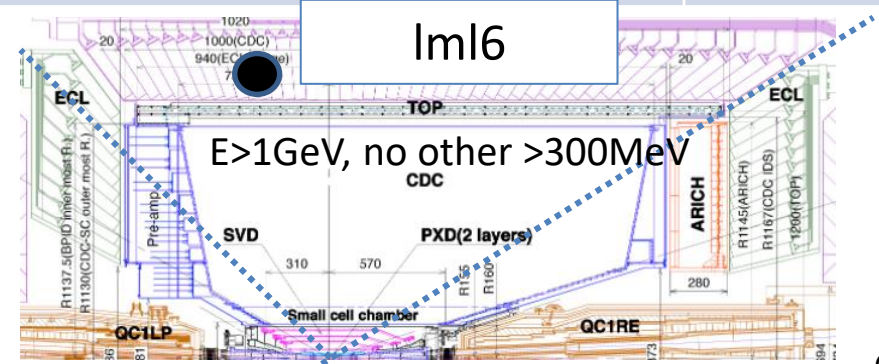
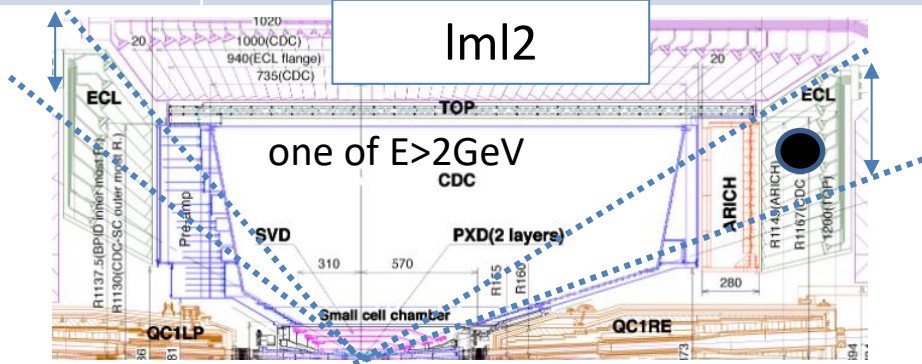


List of output bits: lowmulti/dark

-Mainly ECL based photon trigger

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Physics target	bit name	condition	Raw rate (kHz)	Exclusive rate (kHz)
Z'	fy30	CDC #full track ≥ 2 , $\Delta\phi > 30\text{deg}$, $\# z < 20\text{cm} \geq 1$	1.59	0.14
ISR, $\pi 0$ FF	lml2	ECL one CL ≥ 2 GeV(CM) with $\theta_{ID} = 2, 3, 15$ or 16	0.18	0.01
single γ	lml6	ECL only one CL ≥ 1 GeV(CM) with $\theta_{ID} = 4 - 15$ and no other CL ≥ 300 MeV(Lab) anywhere	0.18	0.03
single γ	lml7	ECL only one CL ≥ 1 GeV(CM) with $\theta_{ID} = 2, 3$, or 16 and no other CL ≥ 300 MeV(Lab) anywhere	0.15	0.04
ALP	lml8	ECL $170^\circ < \Delta\phi_{CM} < 190^\circ$, both CL > 250 MeV(Lab), no 2GeV(CM) CL in an event	0.08	0.05
ALP	lml9	ECL $170^\circ < \Delta\phi_{CM} < 190^\circ$, one CL < 250 MeV(Lab), one CL > 250 MeV(Lab), no 2GeV(CM) CL in an event	0.34	0.28
dark photon	lml16	ECL only one CL ≥ 0.5 GeV(CM) with $\theta_{ID} = 6-11$ and no other CL ≥ 300 MeV(Lab) anywhere, #CDC full track $=0$	0.32	0.23



Change of prescale

List of high-rate physic trigger bits

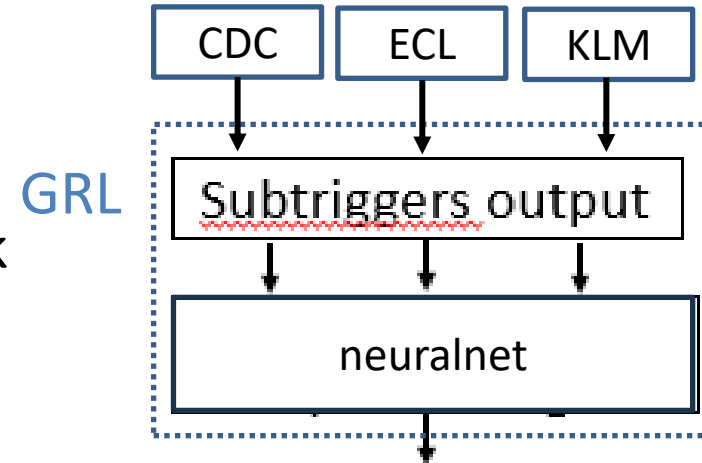
discarded bit name	alternative bit name	Change of logic	Raw rate reduction (kHz)	Exclusive rate reduction (kHz)	Physics target
stt	sttecl	apply CDC-ECL matching	2.0->1.0	1.0->0.4	tau
cdcklm seklm	ycdcklm eclcklm	require NN track	1.1->0.53	0.83->0.36	single μ (barrel) single μ (endcap)
syo, syb	syoecl, sybecl	apply CDC-ECL matching	1.8->0.40	0.46->0.10	tau, PID CDC-ECL matching
yioiecl1	--	disable	0.5->0	0.3->0	endcap two track
hie	hie3	additional Bhabha veto to endcap	2.0->1.2	1.5->0.8	B, τ , single photon with $E>1\text{GeV}$ new Bhabha veto
lml2	--	prescale by 10	0.61->?	0.34->?	γ with wide θ range
lml7	--	disable	0.38->0	0.25->0	single photon sideband
lml9	--	disable	0.67->0	0.49->0	ALP
lml10	eclmumu	acceptance affected	1.1->0.63	0.70->0.51	$\mu\mu$
lml13		disable			
lml16	--	prescale by 10	1.0->0.1	0.66->0.6	single photon with $E>0.5\text{GeV}$

GRL

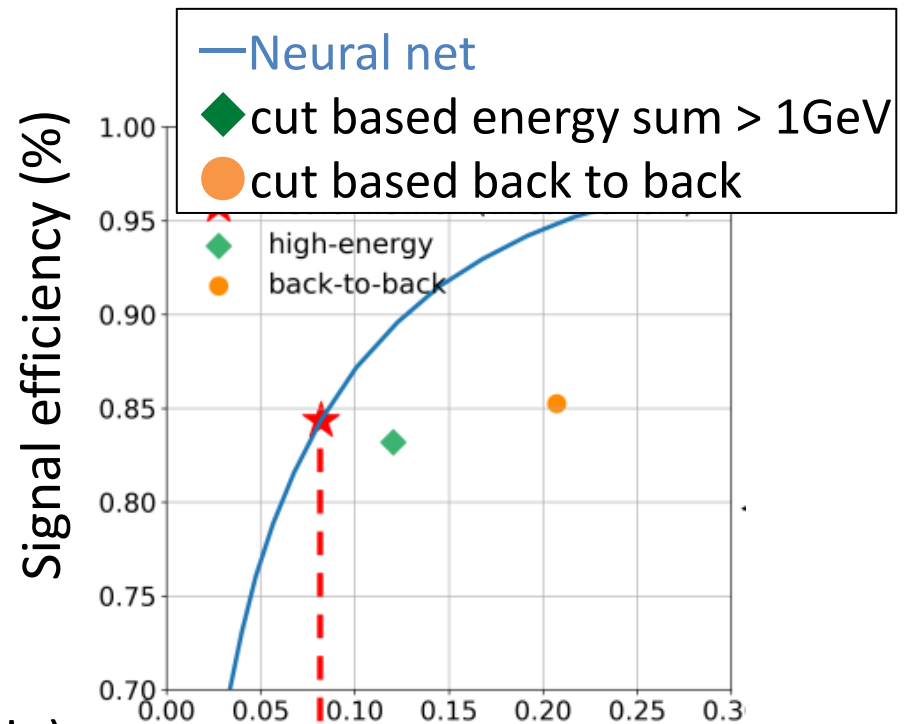
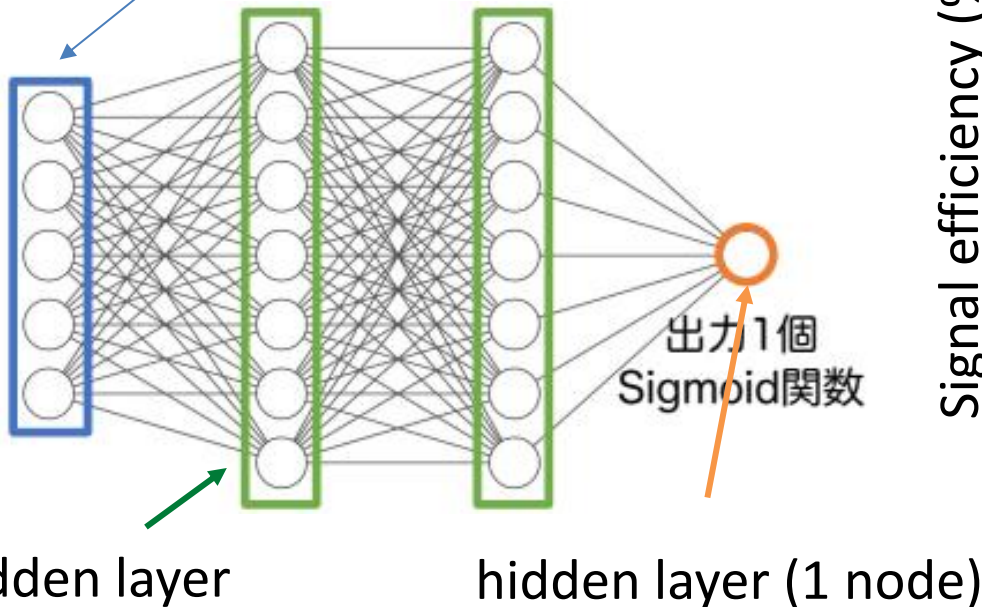
-GRL: Global reconstruction logic

-take ϕ matching of CDC/ECL/KLM/TOP

-event classification by using neural network



CDCTRG, ECLTRG, KLMTRG
track and cluster inputs (~100 nodes)



TSIM

-TSIM has been developed and can be used for physics analysis

- KLMTRG core logic modified with release06 to be consistent with firmware
- most of trigger bits are implemented with release06
- ~5% data/MC agreement for signal efficiency estimation (τ)

-Useful links

-[Available and missing trigger bits in TSIM release05](#)

-How to generate signal MC with release06

- [example code](#)
- release-06-00-05 or later with global tag of “L1_config_exp_22_run_290”

-Available event variables

- L1FTDL(name),L1FTDLBit(bitnumber) returns if the output bit satisfied w/o prescale.
- L1PSNM(name),L1PSNMBit(bitnumber) returns if the output bit satisfied w/ prescale.
- L1Input(name),L1InputBit(bitnumber) returns if the input bit satisfied
- source code: [analysis/variables/src/TriggerVariables.cc](#)

-Make Jira ticket and notify us if you have any TRG software request 😊