

Future LHCb upgrades Scenarios for Run 5



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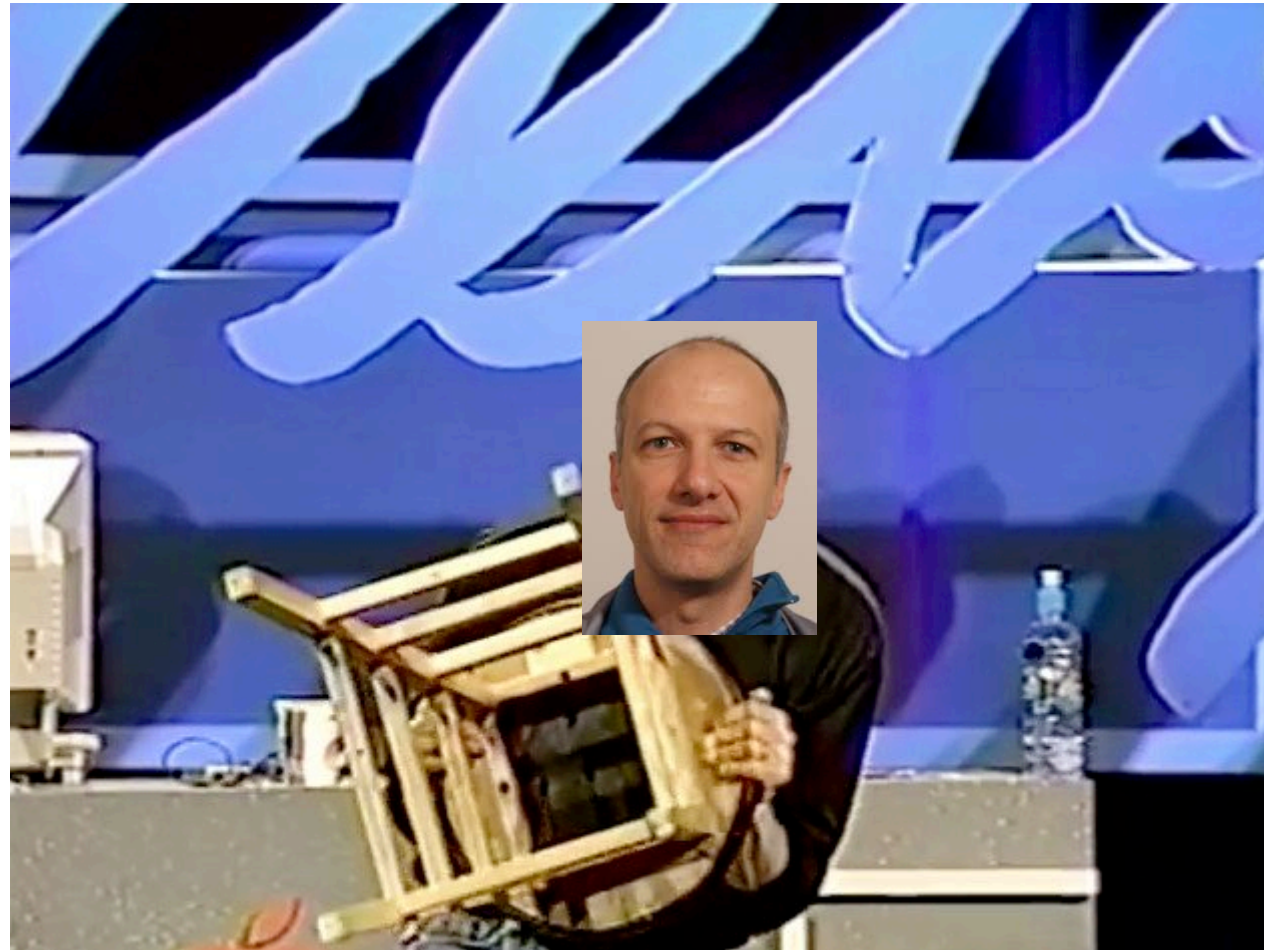
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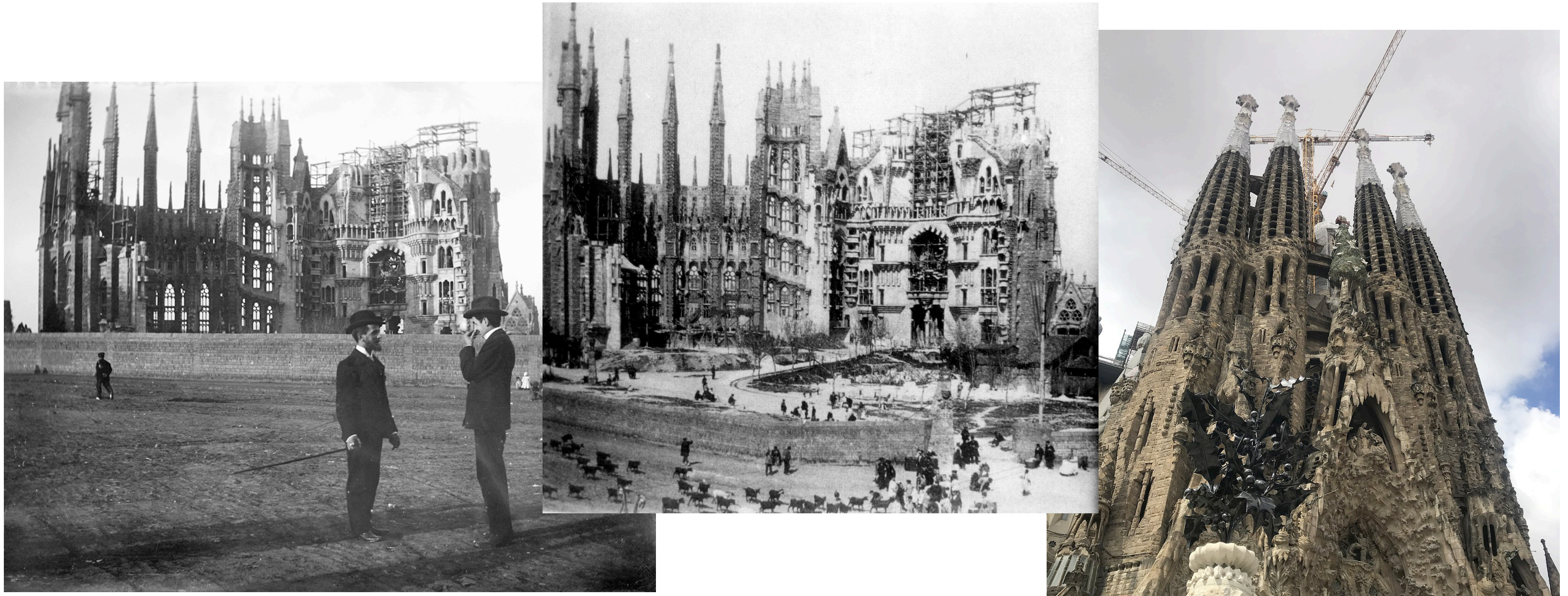
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My reinterpretation of Steve Jobs's quote in our context: we need to decide not only whether we are giving the right answers, but whether we are asking the right questions.

Focusing means not discussing money



Sagrada Familia consumed Gaudi's life and became a constant struggle, which perhaps he welcomed (atonement requires pain and struggle, after all). Gaudi's funding from patrons for Sagrada Familia was limited and as the project progressed, Gaudi literally went door to door trying to raise money for his project. Apparently there are members of the Catholic Church on the Sagrada Familia board now, but Gaudi got no funds from the Church for construction.

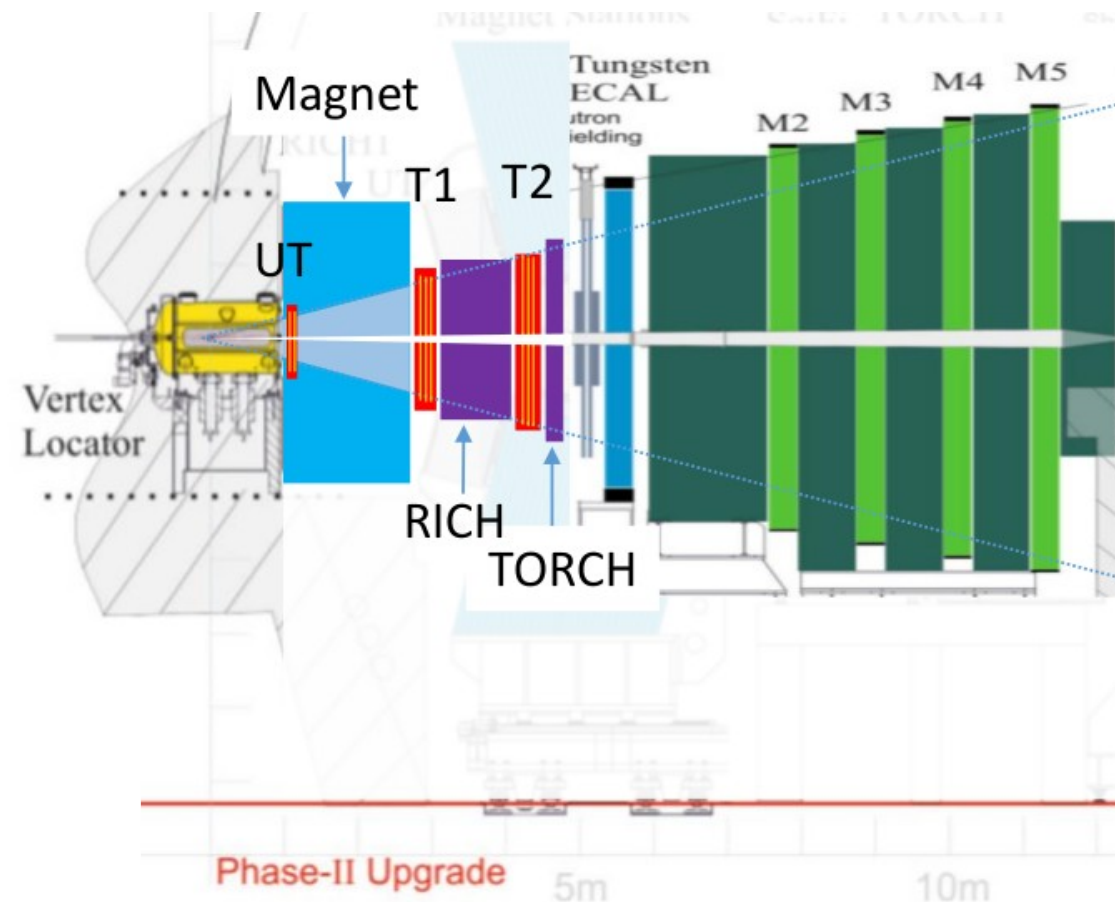
Nobody cultured would ask how much the Segrada Familia costs. When it will be finished is more relevant... 5

Do we believe in our physics case?

Observable	Current LHCb (up to 9 fb ⁻¹)	Upgrade I (23 fb ⁻¹)	Upgrade I (50 fb ⁻¹)	Upgrade II (300 fb ⁻¹)
CKM tests				
γ ($B \rightarrow DK$, etc.)	4°	9, 10	1.5°	1°
ϕ_s ($B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$)	32 mrad	8	14 mrad	10 mrad
$ V_{ub} / V_{cb} $ ($\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow p\mu^-\bar{\nu}_\mu$, etc.)	6%	29, 30	3%	2%
a_{sl}^d ($B^0 \rightarrow D^-\mu^+\nu_\mu$)	36×10^{-4}	34	8×10^{-4}	5×10^{-4}
a_{sl}^s ($B_s^0 \rightarrow D_s^-\mu^+\nu_\mu$)	33×10^{-4}	35	10×10^{-4}	7×10^{-4}
Charm				
ΔA_{CP} ($D^0 \rightarrow K^+K^-, \pi^+\pi^-$)	29×10^{-5}	5	13×10^{-5}	8×10^{-5}
A_Γ ($D^0 \rightarrow K^+K^-, \pi^+\pi^-$)	11×10^{-5}	38	5×10^{-5}	3.2×10^{-5}
Δx ($D^0 \rightarrow K_s^0\pi^+\pi^-$)	18×10^{-5}	37	6.3×10^{-5}	4.1×10^{-5}
Rare Decays				
$\mathcal{B}(B^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)/\mathcal{B}(B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-)$	69%	40, 41	41%	27%
$S_{\mu\mu}$ ($B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$)	—	—	—	0.2
$A_{\text{T}}^{(2)}$ ($B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}e^+e^-$)	0.10	52	0.060	0.043
A_{T}^{Im} ($B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}e^+e^-$)	0.10	52	0.060	0.043
$\mathcal{A}_{\phi\gamma}^{\Delta\Gamma}$ ($B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi\gamma$)	+0.41 -0.44	51	0.124	0.083
$S_{\phi\gamma}$ ($B_s^0 \rightarrow \phi\gamma$)	0.32	51	0.093	0.062
α_γ ($\Lambda_b^0 \rightarrow \Lambda\gamma$)	+0.17 -0.29	53	0.148	0.097
Lepton Universality Tests				
R_K ($B^+ \rightarrow K^+\ell^+\ell^-$)	0.044	12	0.025	0.017
R_{K^*} ($B^0 \rightarrow K^{*0}\ell^+\ell^-$)	0.12	61	0.034	0.022
$R(D^*)$ ($B^0 \rightarrow D^{*-}\ell^+\nu_\ell$)	0.026	62, 64	0.007	0.005

On paper the best physics case of any detector likely to be built or operated in my working life
 But we are proposing to go to precisions nobody has ever gone to, across a broader range of observables,
 experimental techniques, and in a tougher environment than any experiment in the history of our field
 This is a 25+ year commitment — requires full effort from all, *and* convincing colleagues to join

Are we building the right detector?



Factor 6 improvement from luminosity scaling is at a psychological limit

If people keep wondering whether we can do better, there is a reason

We are scientists — conduct a rapid, concrete, and tough evaluation of whether this is feasible and what the physics selling point is to justify it

In parallel work to quantify and prove potential gains beyond lumi scaling to increase our collective motivation in the baseline layout

Timescale for these evaluations should be some months, not more

Can we install and commission it?

- U1: 5 years planned from 2014 TDR → Needed 7 + 1 Covid year delay in reality

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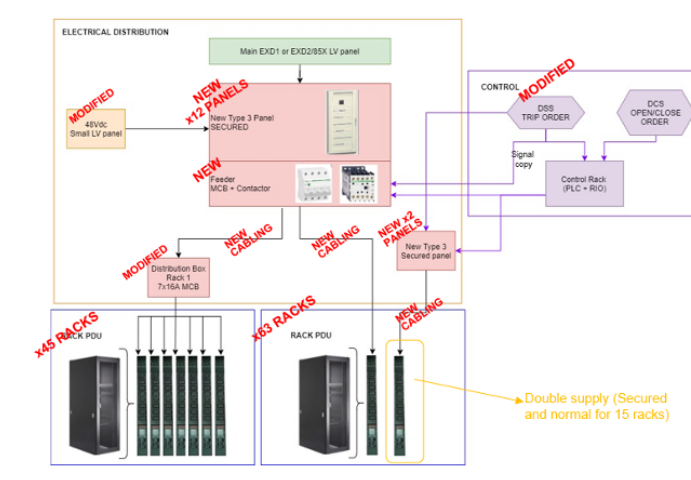
- Fibre and Mat R&D 2023-2025, needed for descoping decision
 - Irradiation studies and Test-beams in 2024 and 2025 on any new mats.
- Cryo-feasibility review end of 2023
- Cryo-box demonstrator and fibre feedthrough in 2025 for descoping/TDR

- Mat production to start 2027 until mid of 2029
 - Winding machines and tooling to be designed and ordered end of 2025
 - possible also produce clear fibre ribbons
 - need a final fibre-envelope and interface defined within the module
 - Prototypes of mats and tooling end-2026
- Module production early 2028 to end of 2029
 - Need a final design by mid 2026 to place tenders for components. Most will require EU+UK wide tenders.
- Detector Frames assembled in 2029 prototype to end of 2031 production
 - C-Frame Mechanics design by mid 2028 for a prototype in early 2029, tendering and delivery of production late 2029.

- Assembly should be complete at the beginning of LS4

Infrastructure consolidation in LS3

- Backend of the Detector Safety System (DSS) to be replaced (common project for all LHC experiments).
- SNIFFER system to be upgraded/replaced. Different technical solutions being investigated.
- Obsolete LV distribution boards (Hazemeyer TDMs) feeding racks in D1 – D3 and B1 (inherited from LEP) need to be replaced.
- At the same time, improve the granularity of the distribution downstream of the TDM panels (one feeder per rack) and adapt to new D1/D2 rack layout.
- Also on our wish list: dedicated Diesel generator set for critical loads (e. g. cooling systems).

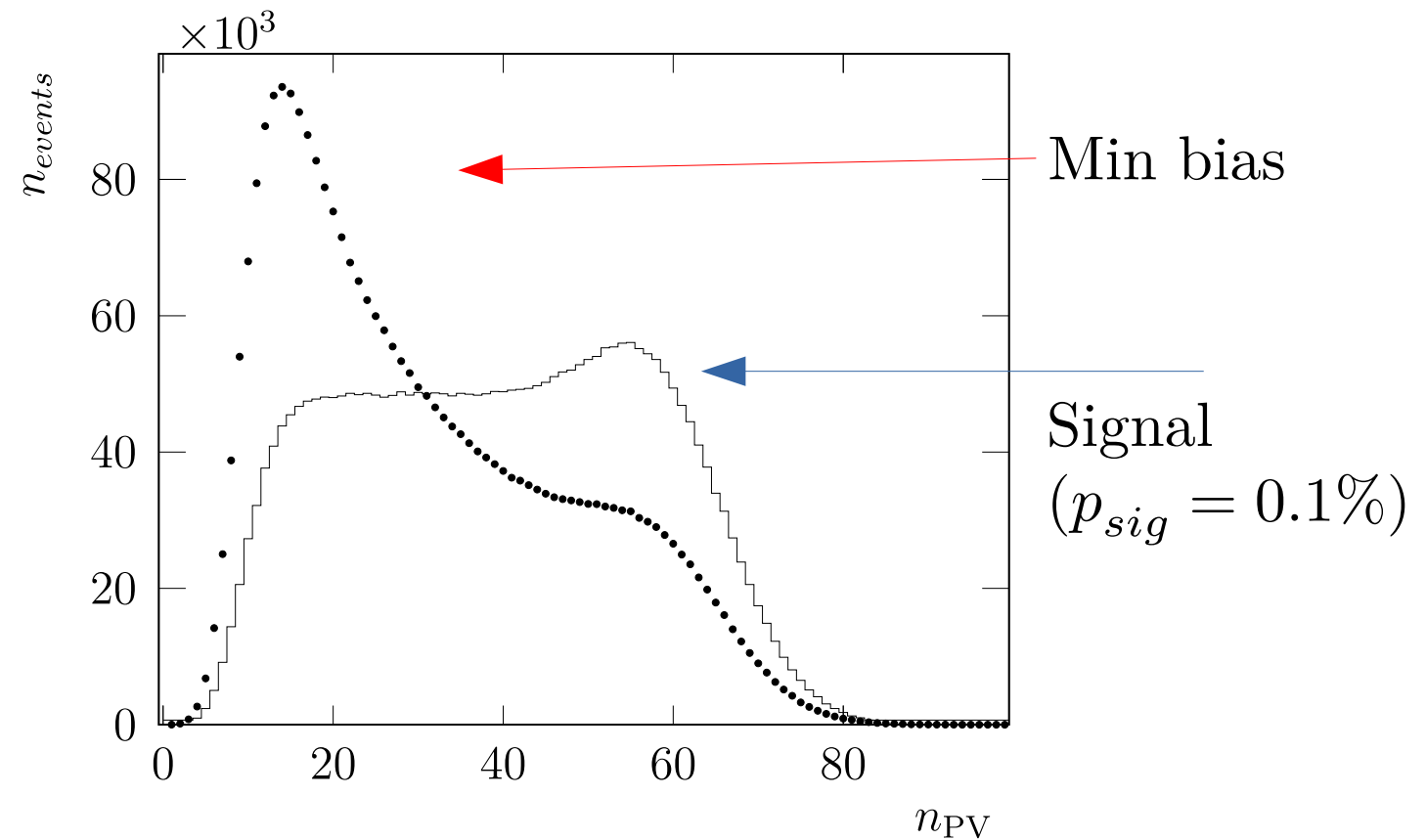
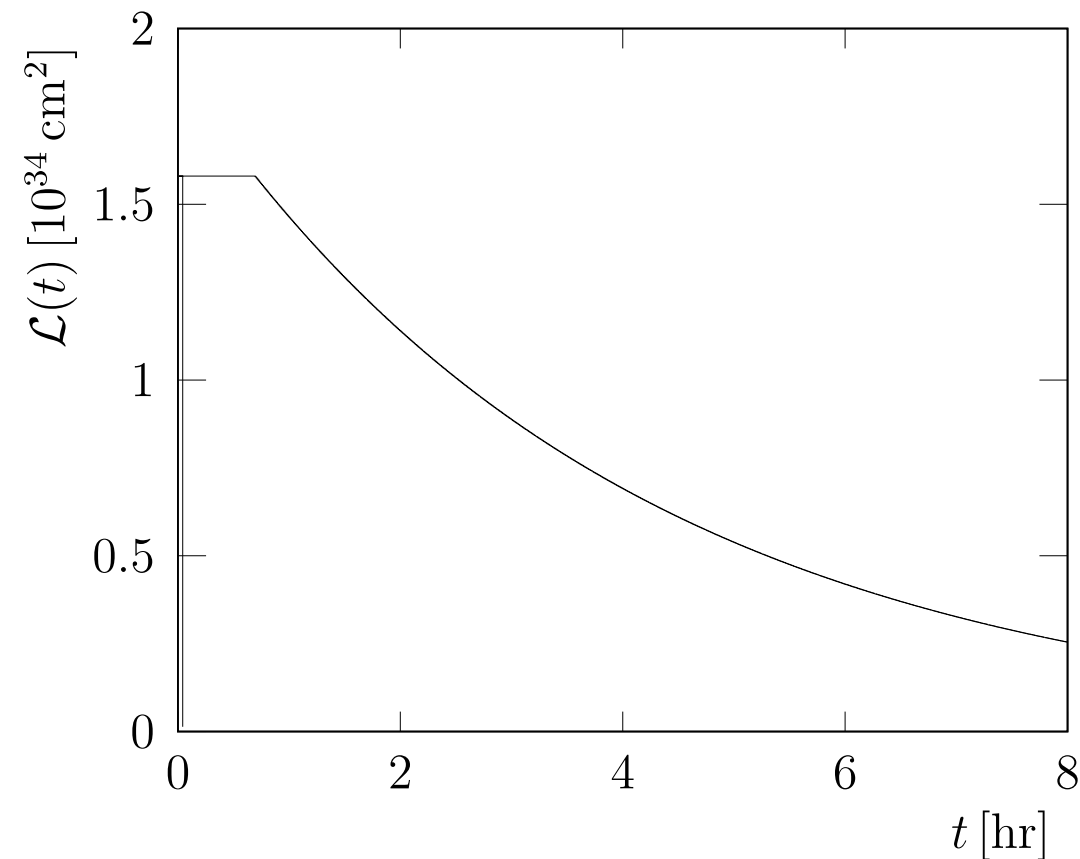


2022 showed us how difficult it is to start up a new detector, despite a tremendous effort by the subdetector, online, and software projects

We cannot afford to lose even 1 year of Run 5 for commissioning if we want to achieve our physics aims. We must be internally honest on this.

Frontloading infrastructure work seems critical to give a chance of success. Insist on proper contingencies for commissioning *before* Run 5!

Can we really avoid systematic limits?

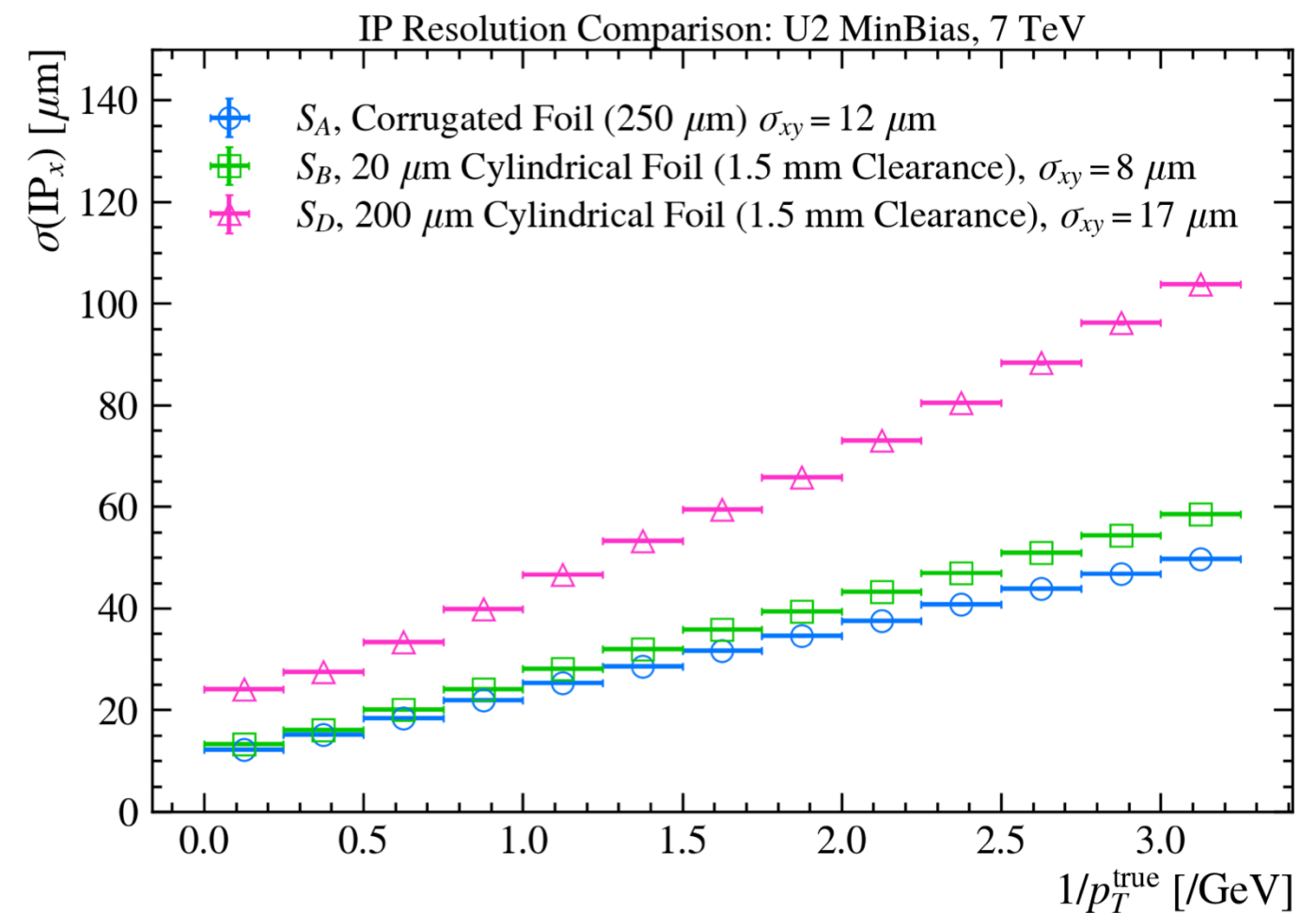
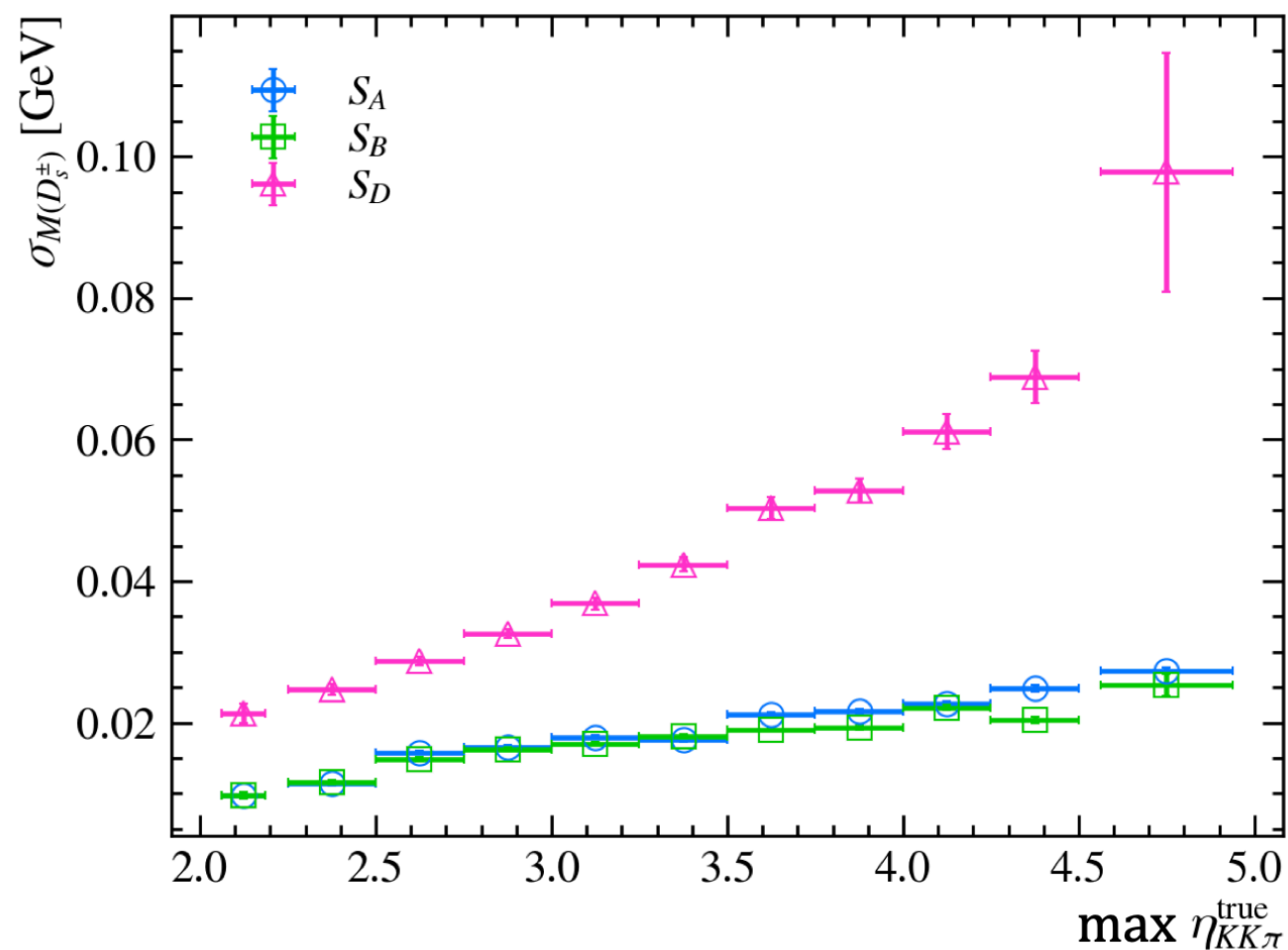


We know our data-simulation corrections only work in the limit of small differences

Time dependence of detector performance with varying occupancy is not trivial

We should do the equivalent of pre-Run-1 misaligned simulation studies (also for PID and so on) to prove we can correct these effects with the U2 precisions needed

We should build the best VELO possible

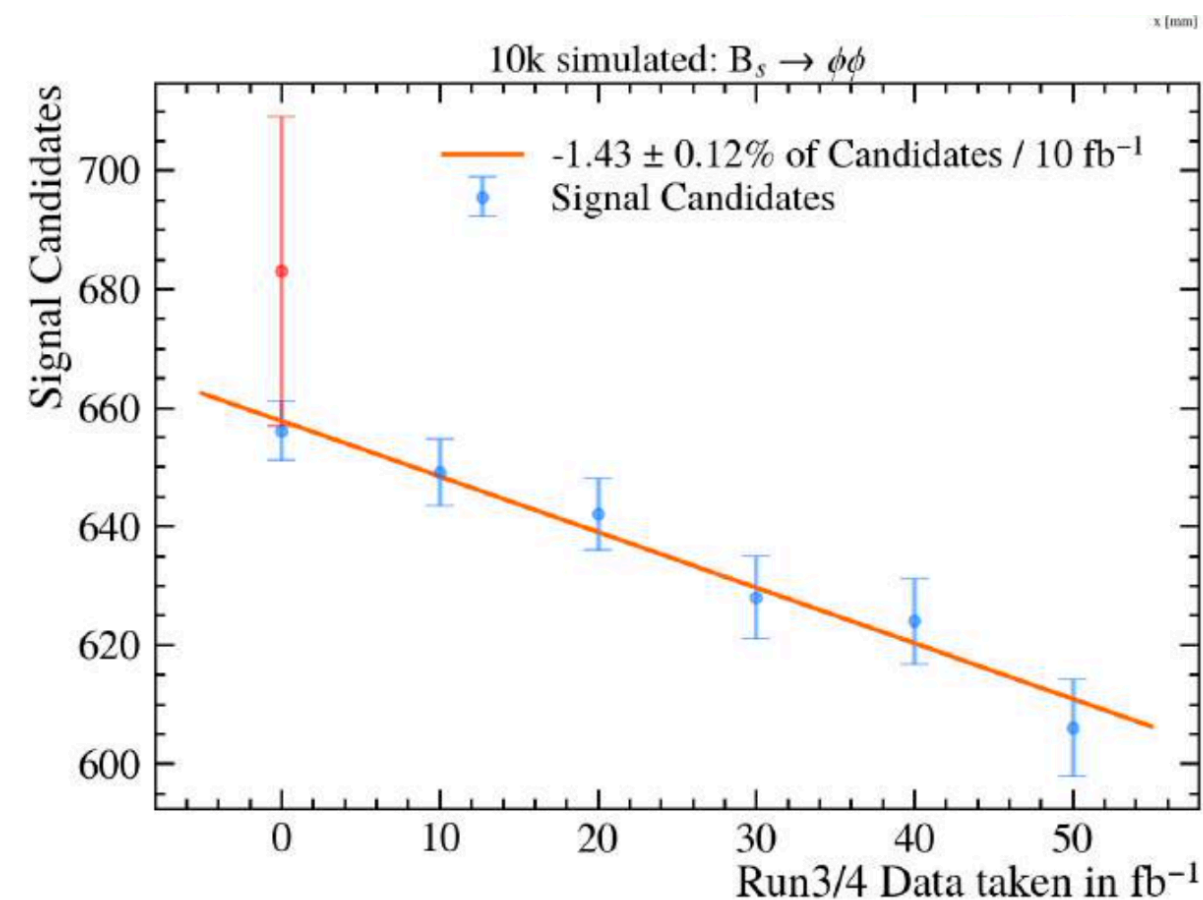
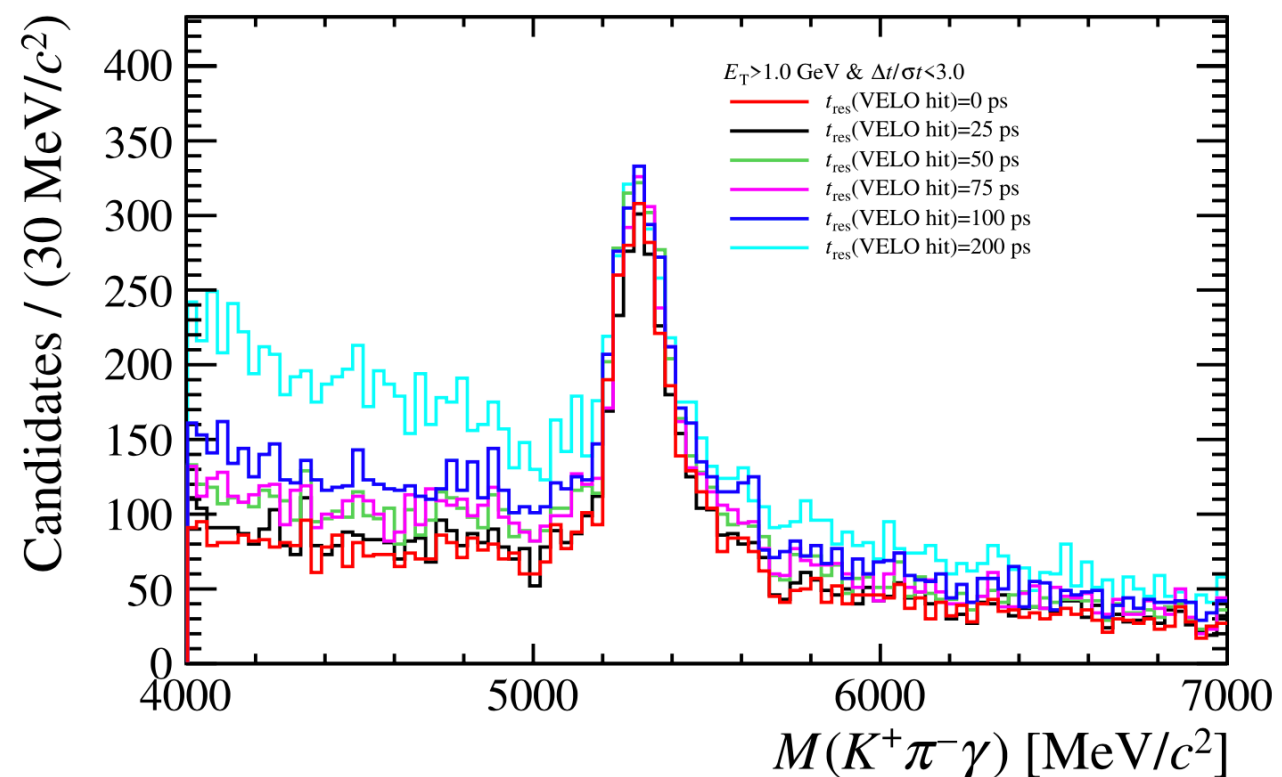


Huge work done by the VELO team to study descoped scenarios

However our vertex detector is the single most important driver of both statistical sensitivity and systematic uncertainties: we should not talk about descoping it

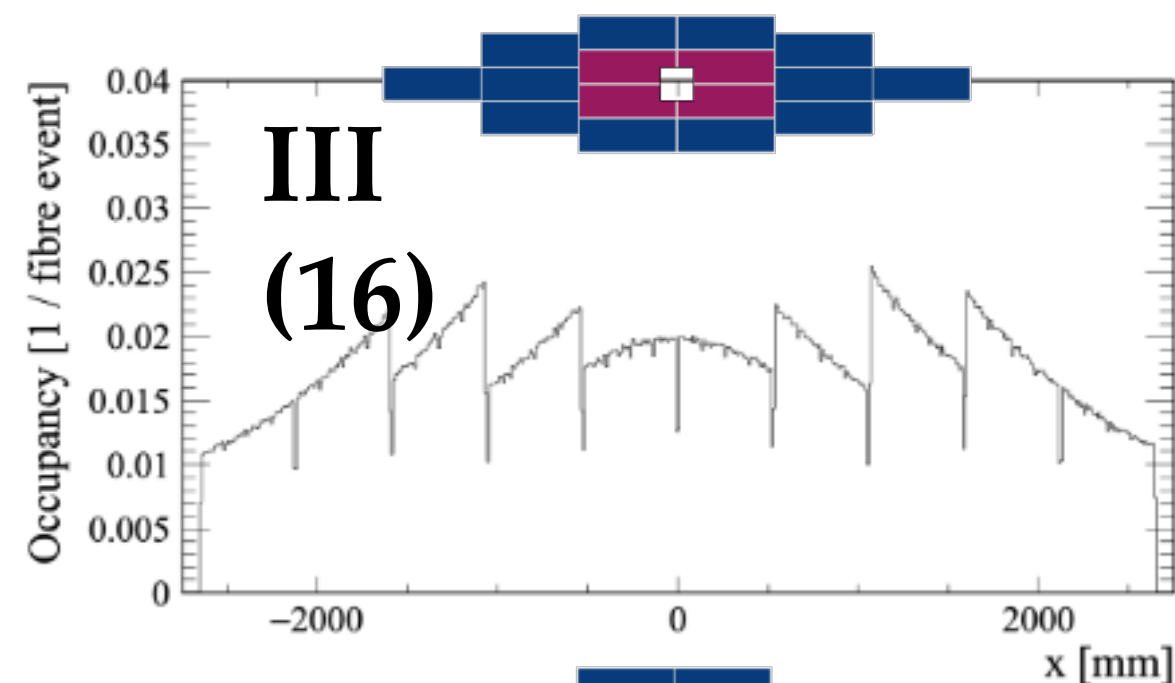
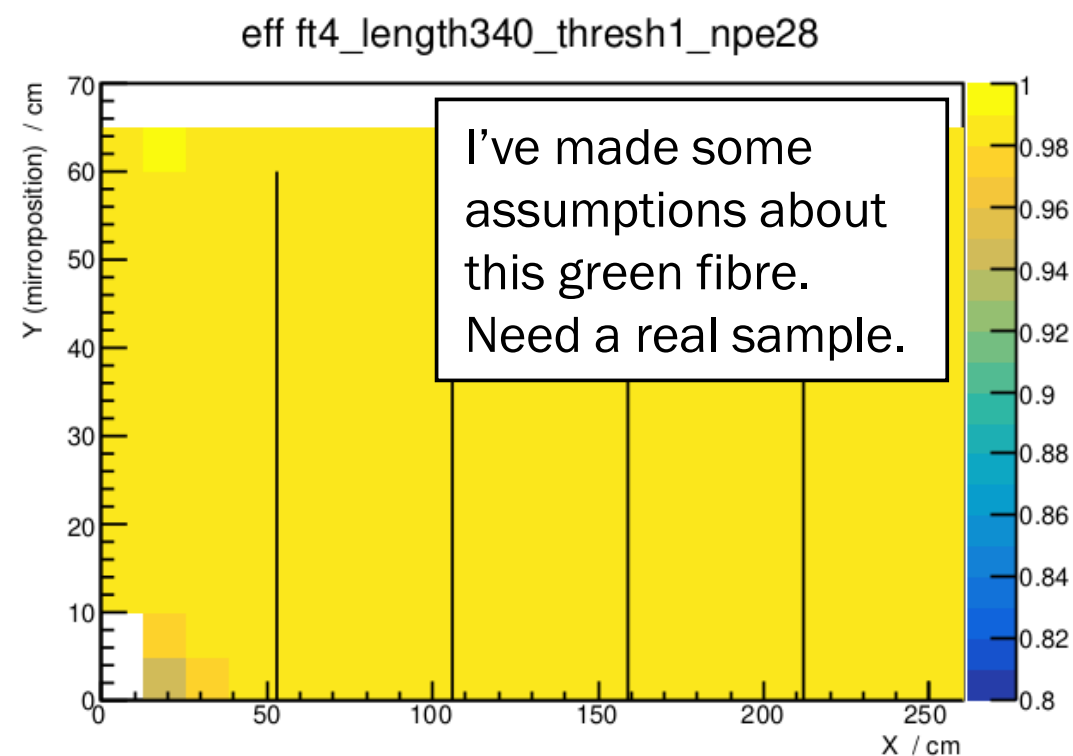
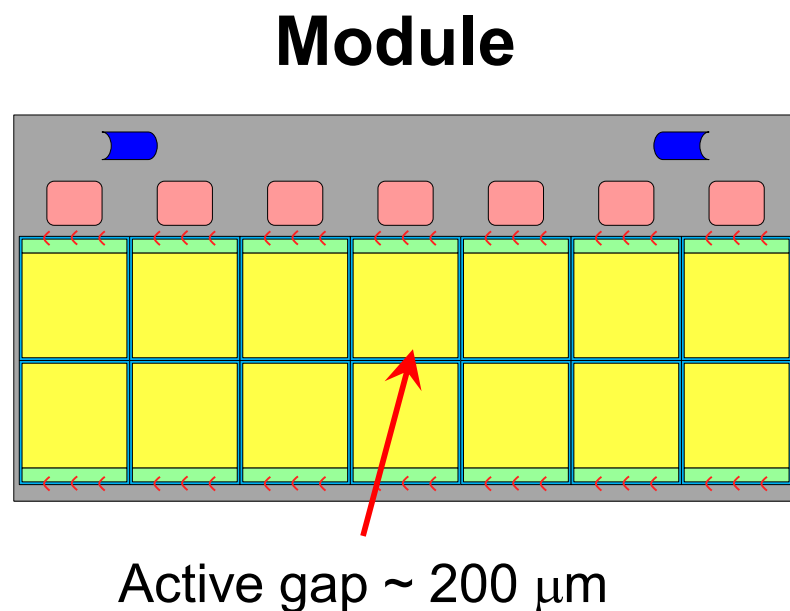
Parallel R&D on the various technological aspects should allow to go beyond FTDR performances (see Scenario X), maybe in another few years can do even better?

The tracker is a coherent object



Many important studies across different areas of the tracking system: UT, MT, MS
Crucial to move towards a coherent global optimization of the tracking system
Optimize for both pp, SMOG, and Ion physics programmes from the beginning
Evaluate both statistical reach and how well we will be able to understand and calibrate this object after it has absorbed 300 fb⁻¹ of radiation damage

How many hits is enough hits?



A naïve calculation

- $\sim 1.4\%$ inefficiency / plane / track
- $\sim 4.2\%$ for 3 hits out of 3 planes
- $\sim 25\%$ for all 6 tracks
- $\sim 21\%$ for all 5 tracks

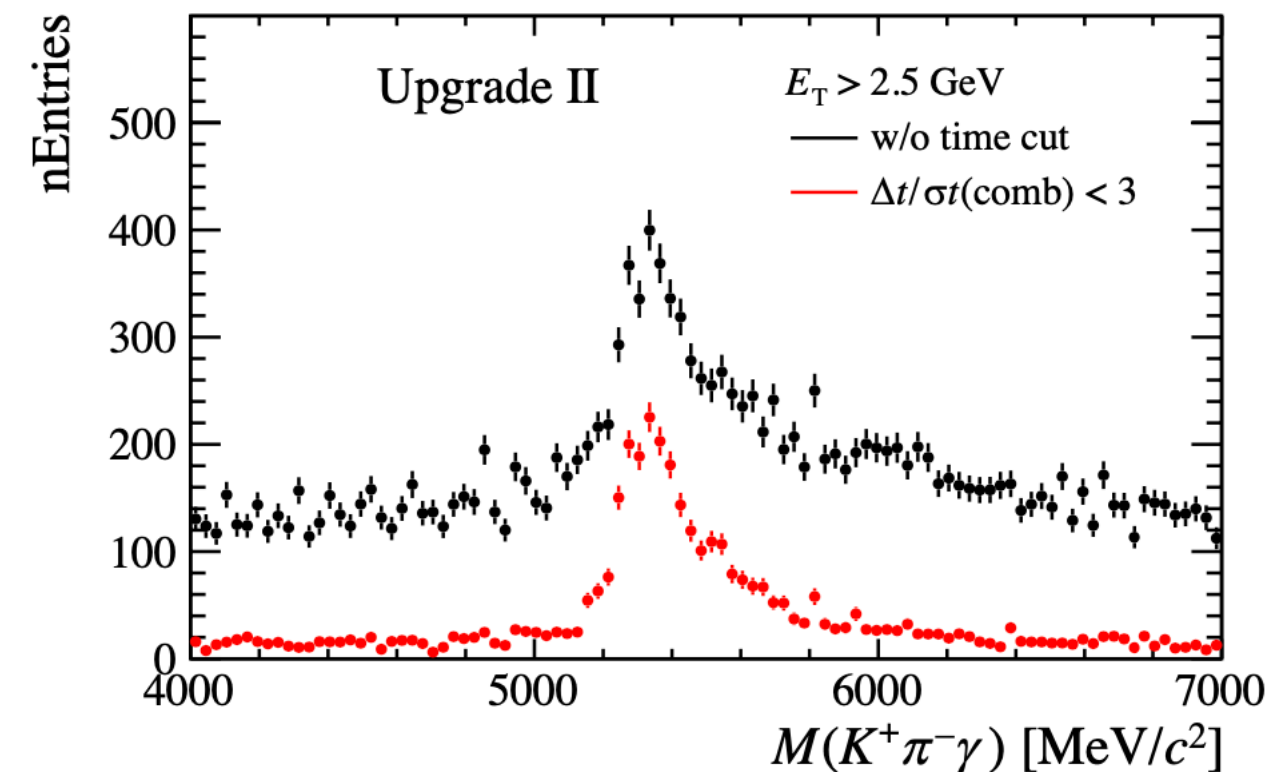
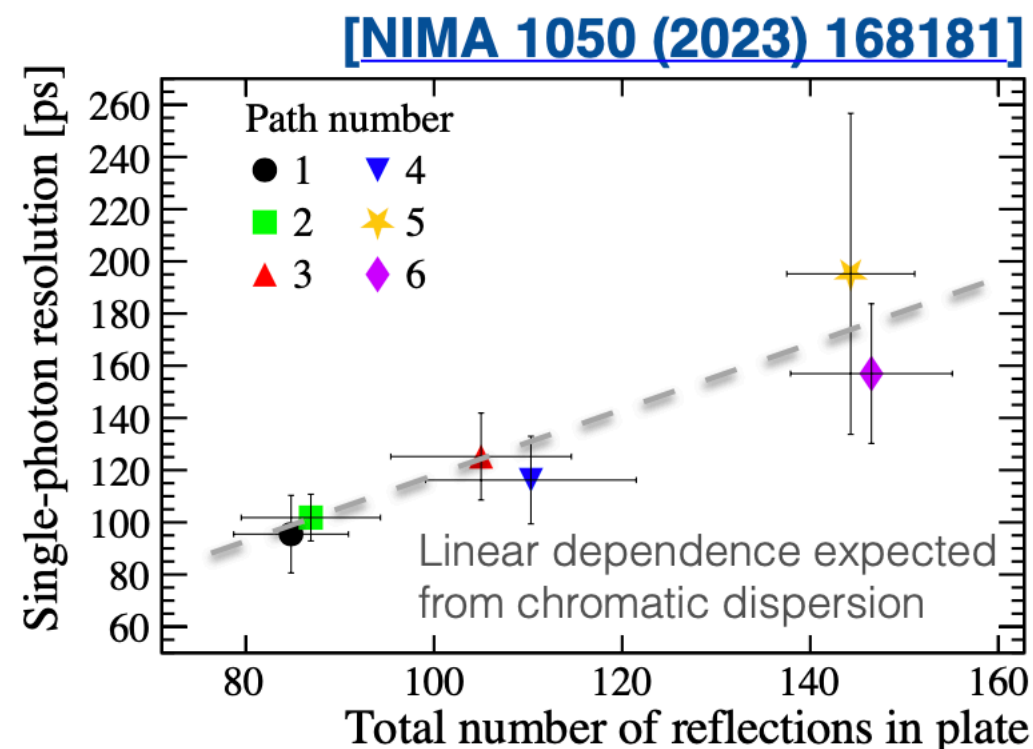
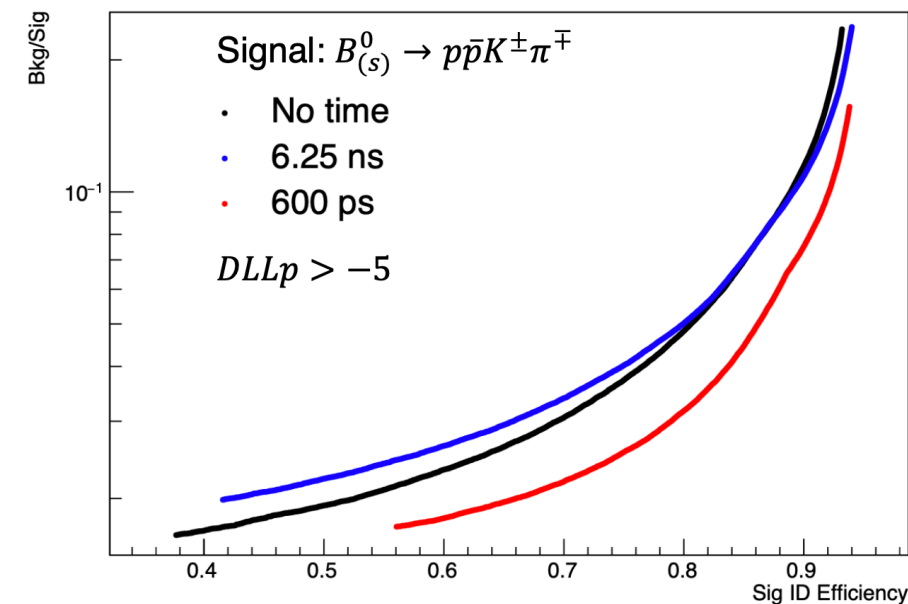
Fewer tracking layers = less material = less cost = good thing

Fewer tracking layers = less robustness/redundancy = bad thing

Go beyond hit efficiency and occupancy and understand impact of choices on the resolution of our track parameters for all track types. Resolution of track slopes at CALO/RICH is vital to our overall performance.

If we build the magnet stations then VELO + UT + MS and UT + MS (?) become new track categories to optimize for as well.

7 (pico)seconds away

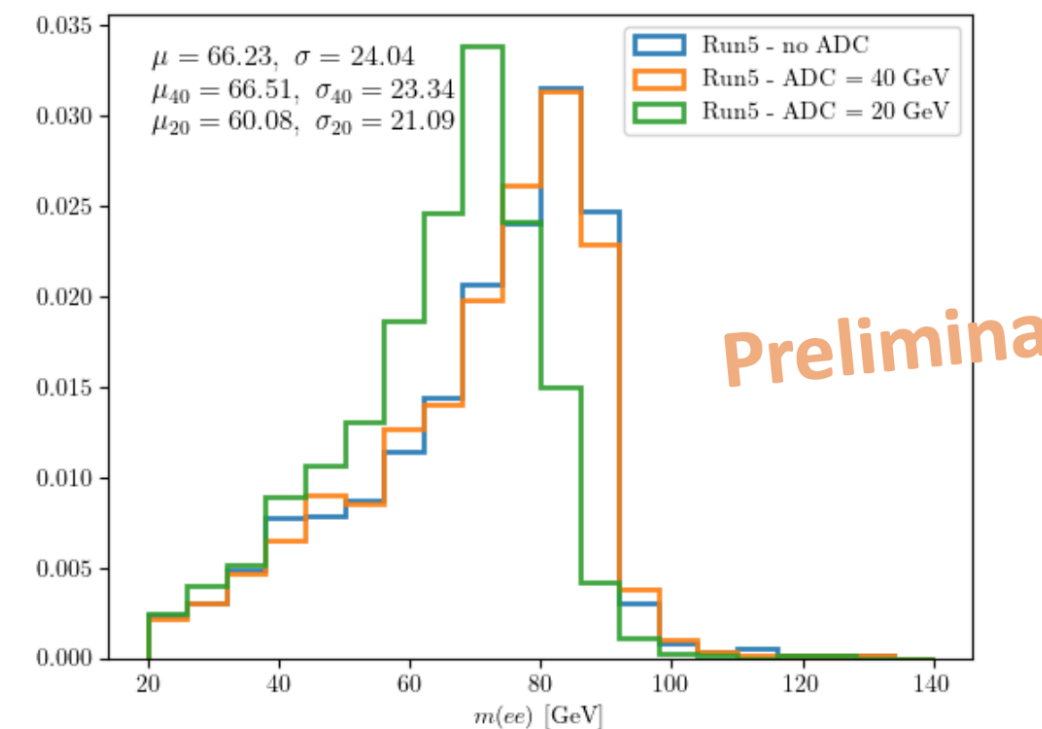
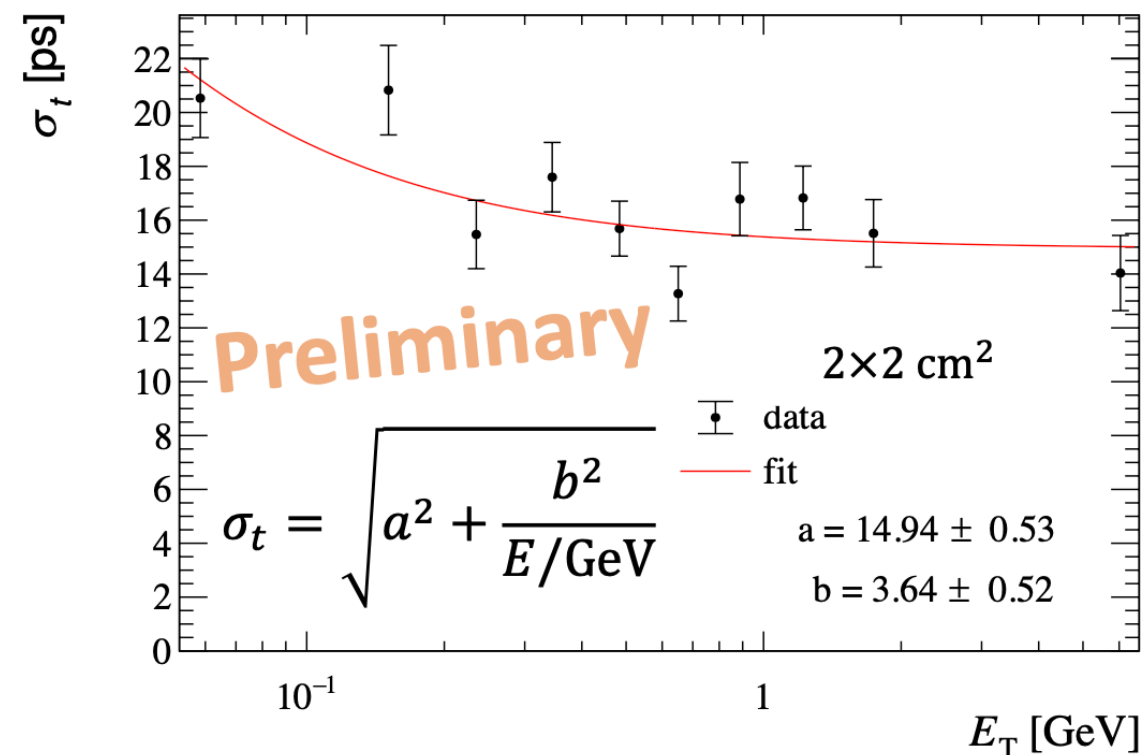
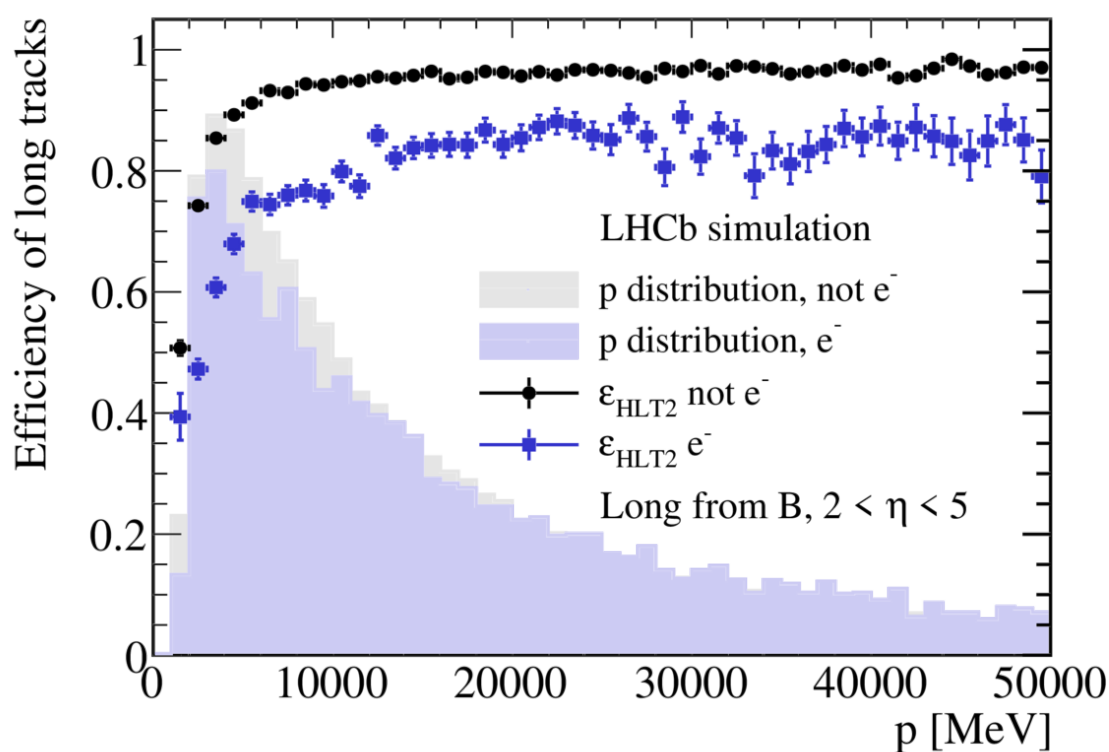


Many studies show isolated benefits of using timing information, particularly combining assumptions about the VELO with individual particle ID detectors

However I would claim we are still missing a take home plot which makes it compellingly obvious to a funder why we must build precise timing throughout

As with tracking PID studies should move towards a coherent evaluation of the performance, particularly considering the known gains when combining information from different PID detectors — which timing may enhance further!

Electrons are tracks too

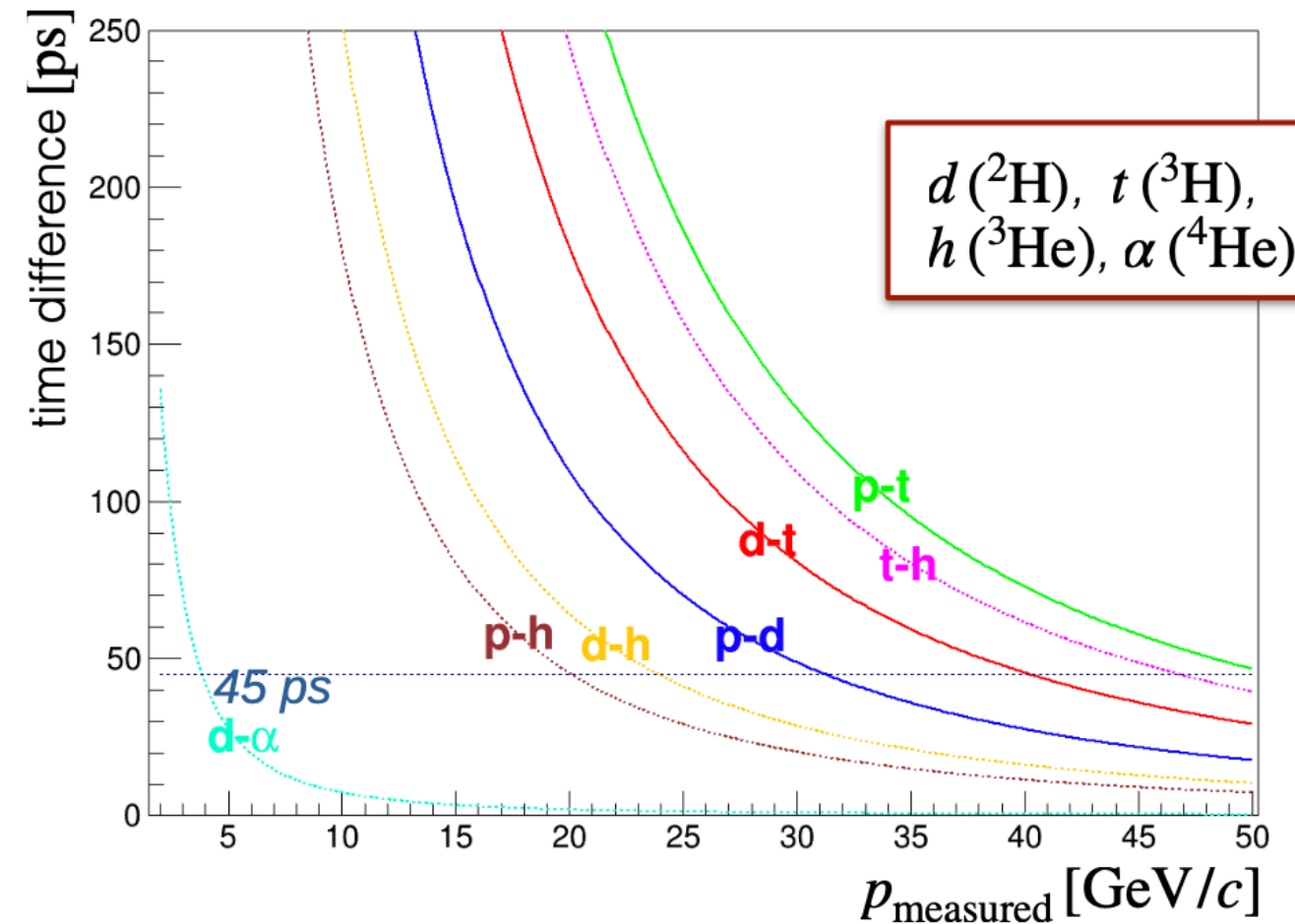
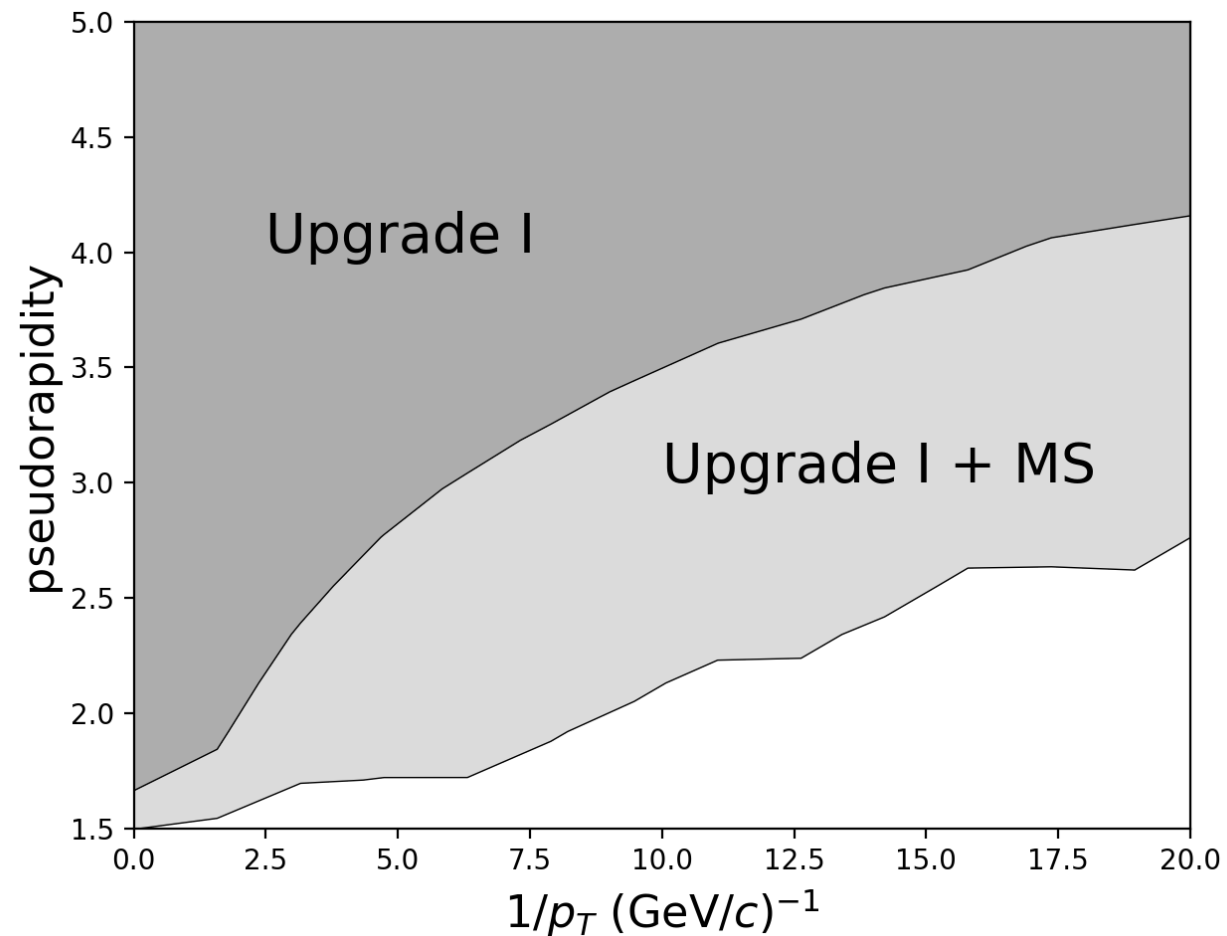


Electron tracking performance is rather poor in U1 conditions, but can U2 tracker choices help?

Important to study the track finding, brems recovery, and CALO energy measurement together in a coherent way and understand if these can guide some of the detector choices we need to make

Performance for high energy electrons is also important — good to see progress on studies

More acceptance, better acceptance



Compared to U1, two projects in particular offer to increase the detector acceptance:
TORCH and the magnet stations

We have also heard in the context of the short detector about moving acceptance from the hottest regions near the beampipe to lower eta, where there are less backgrounds

An improved acceptance is clearly desirable but these claims must now stand up to the scrutiny of more extensive and once again more global simulation studies

Vetoing pions and accepting muons

Scenario	$B_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$		$D^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$		$K_s^0 \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$		$B_s^0 \rightarrow J/\psi(\mu^+\mu^-) \phi(K^+K^-)$	
	1- ϵ (MWPC)	1- ϵ (μ Rwell)	1- ϵ (MWPC)	1- ϵ (μ Rwell)	1- ϵ (MWPC)	1- ϵ (μ Rwell)	1- ϵ (MWPC)	1- ϵ (μ Rwell)
HCAL	24.7 %	10.3 %	25.9 %	9.4 %	20.0 %	8.4 %	24.9 %	9.5 %
SHIELD	19.0 %	8.6 %	19.4 %	7.6 %	13.9 %	6.3 %	18.7 %	7.8 %
w/o M2	13.4 %	6.0 %	13.7 %	5.3 %	8.3 %	3.2 %	13.1 %	5.3 %

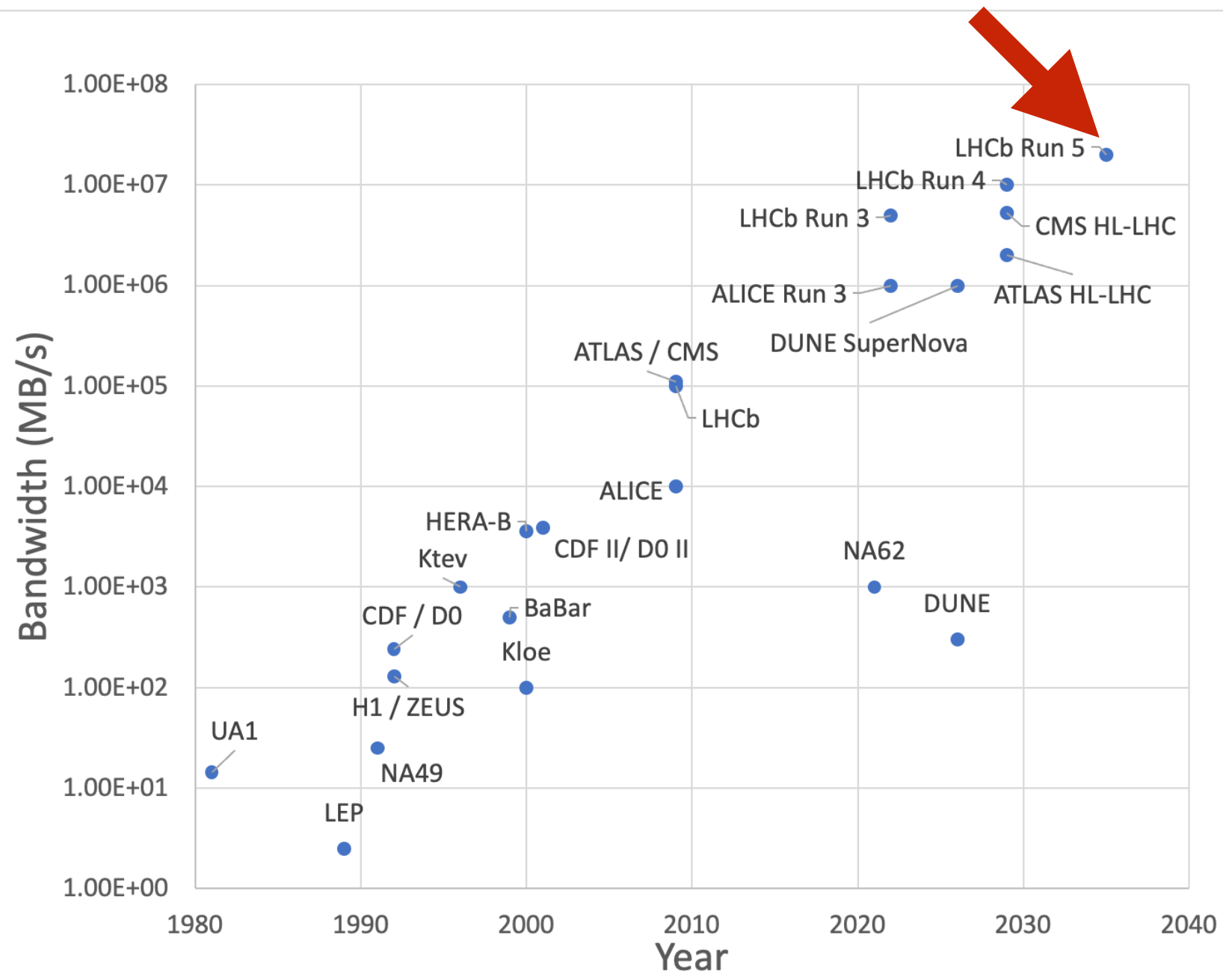
- Superimposing 20 events:
 $\langle N \rangle = 3700$

$\chi^2 <$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	nocut
Muon efficiency	37.0	67.8	79.7	85.4	88.3	89.5	90.5	91.1	91.5	93.1
Pion misID	0.36	1.2	2.2	3.3	4.3	5.4	6.4	7.3	8.1	14.3

In our rush to build exciting new detectors let us not forget that many of our key physics drivers involve muons, and muon performance will therefore remain fundamental

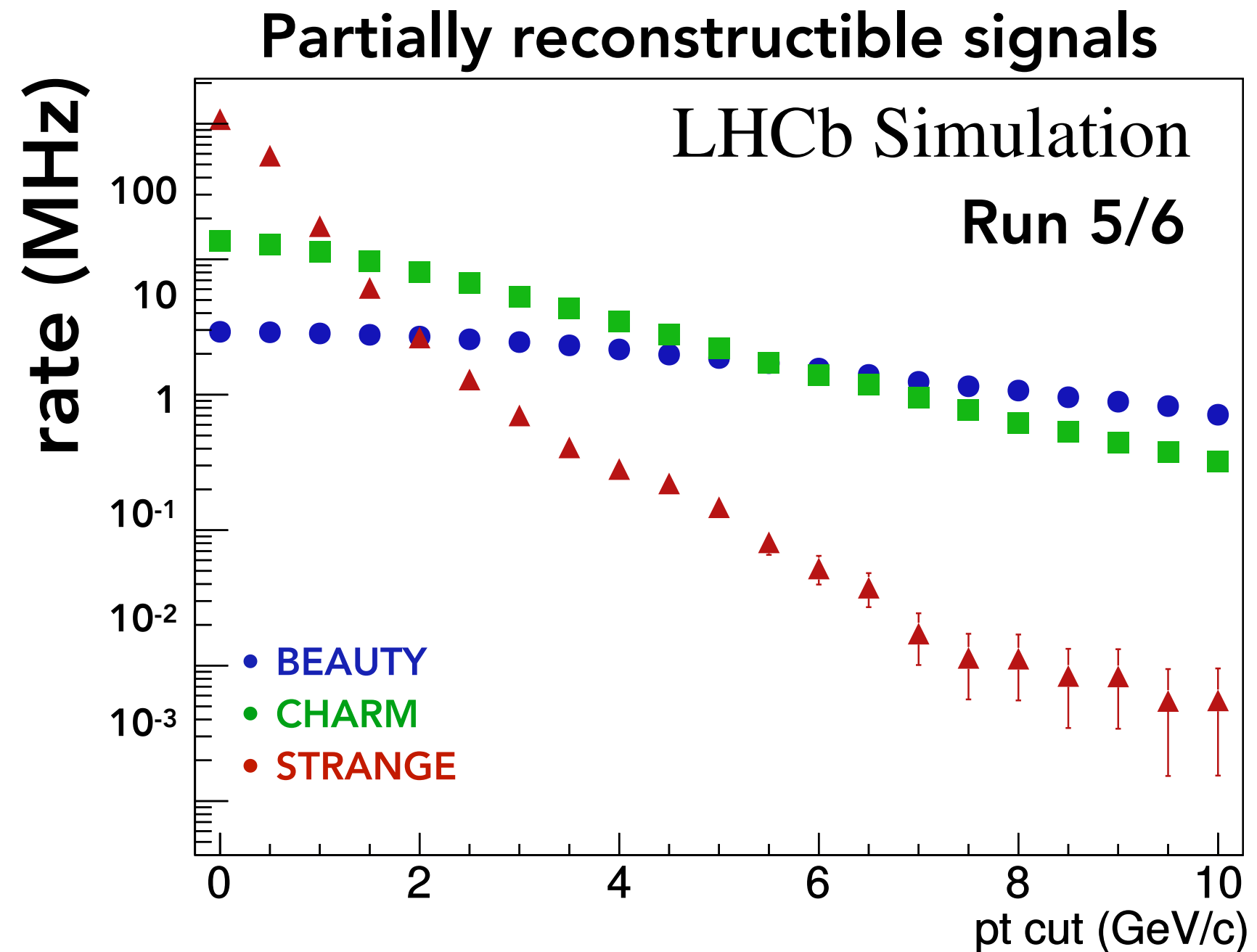
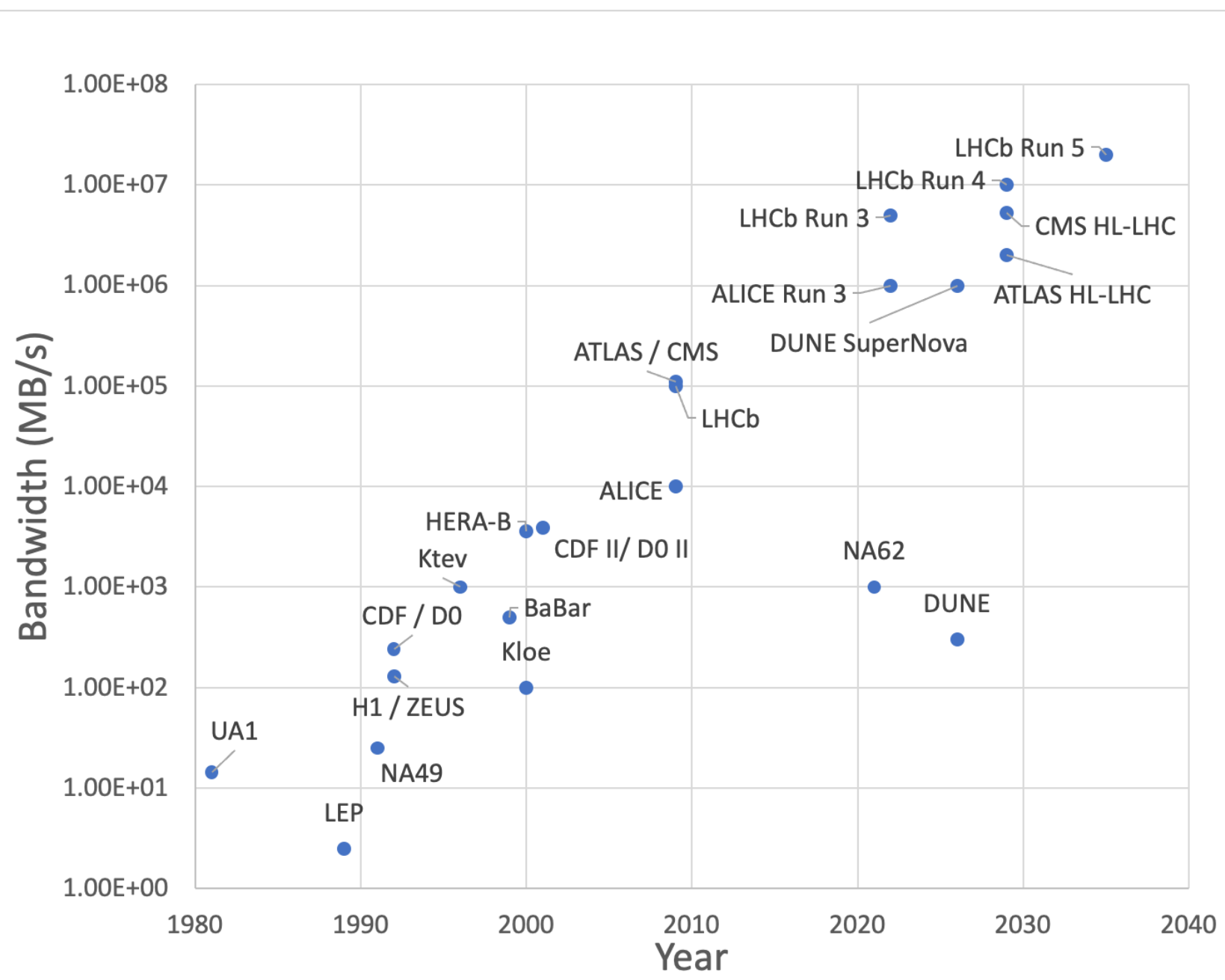
Clearly a very challenging environment in U2 — lots of studies have been performed but must now converge on the optimal shielding and geometry. Can global studies help?

The biggest data challenge in HEP



An order of magnitude more than the HL-LHC ATLAS trigger!

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And we are signal saturated already at the first-level trigger!

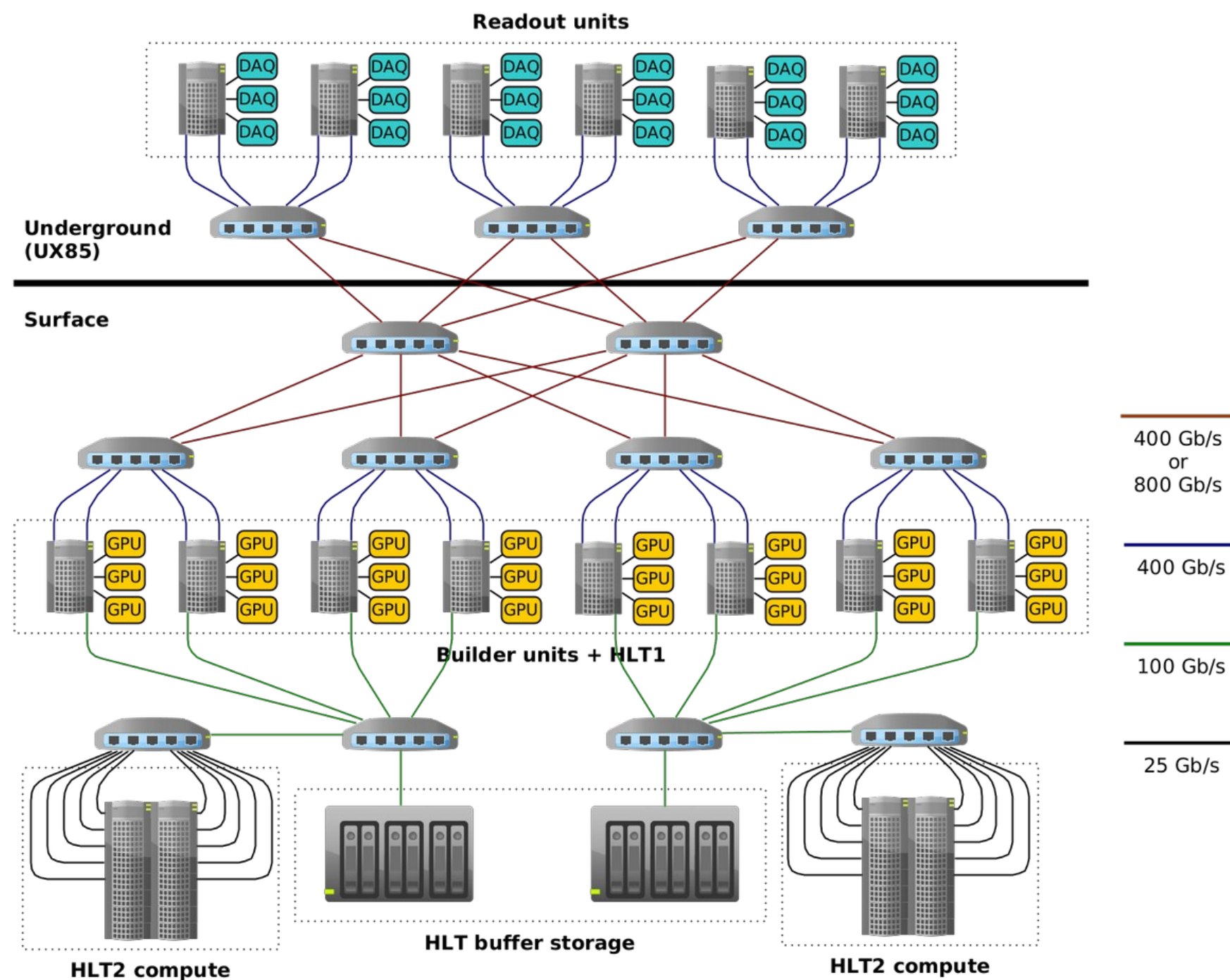
Evolving the detector readout

An extremely challenging but evolutionary path forward

Our triggerless design remains correct and scalable

Aim to have more flexibility in the first level processing units

Understand what compute can be done on the readout boards themselves (and the servers hosting them!)



Biggest analysis challenge in HEP

This is not only a trigger challenge!

Unprecedented volume of data and signals to offline analysts

300 fb⁻¹ means 1e10 $D_s \rightarrow \pi\pi\pi$ *signal events* to measure CP violation.

Can we extend the power and reproducibility of analysis productions to support full pipelines, not just ntupling? AKA "Analysis facilities".

Will this help small institutes to not be locked out of complex analyses?

On which architectures will it run? For which computing languages?

How do we maintain it over 20+ years?

How do we efficiently train newcomers in best practices without shutting down new ideas? How do we ensure rapid prototyping remains possible?

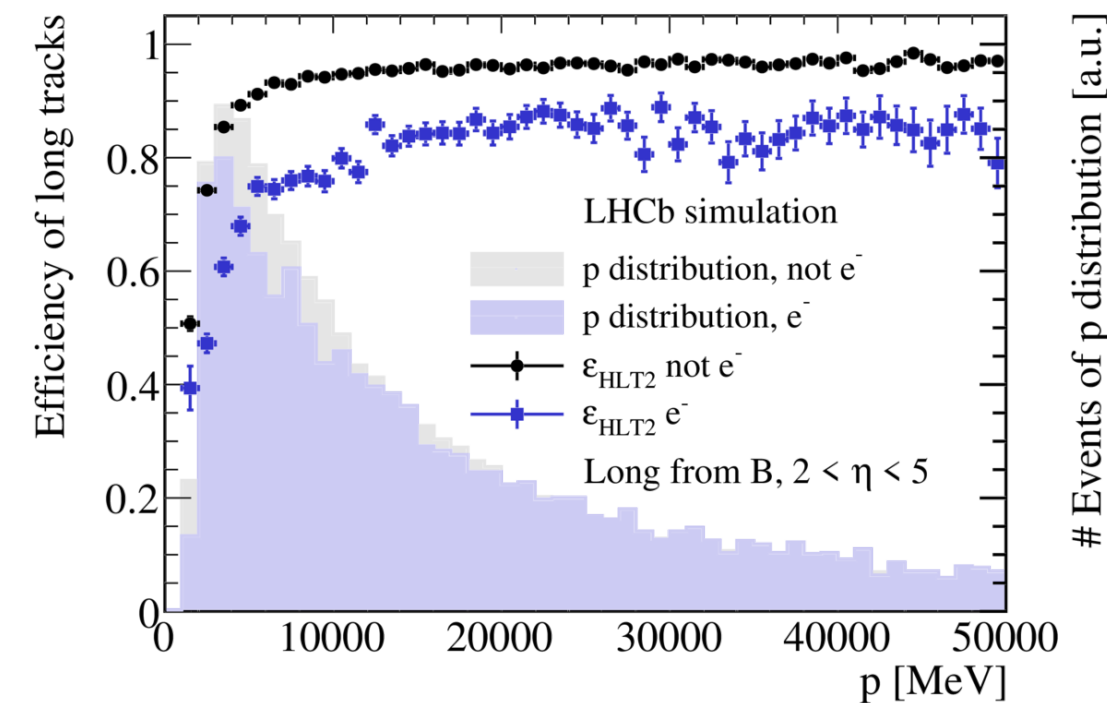
Biggest simulation challenge in HEP

LHCb simulation faces a unique combination of challenges compared to the rest of HEP

1. Control per-particle reconstruction and identification efficiencies at the permille level if not better
2. Deal with an efficiency which is rapidly varying as a function of kinematics for the bulk of our signals
3. In U2 learn to live without lumi levelling

What mixture of detailed, parametric, and/or machine-learned simulation is sufficient to ensure our key physics objectives are not systematics limited?

Can we exploit the available computing resources? Including HPC?



Biggest framework challenge in HEP

LHCb's core software, online, and RTA teams built two scalable frameworks to efficiently exploit parallel architectures: Gaudi and Allen

Begin R&D to build on this success with a workshop later this year

Define production use-cases and their end-to-end requirements

Define focused technology demonstrators to guide discussions

Scope is very important: what are the jobs of a modern framework?

Some areas like configuration, persistency, provenance are clear.

I/O, scheduling, and monitoring may be more application specific.

How do we minimize maintenance while remaining flexible to integrate new architectures and languages (?) as they emerge?

Evolutionary path to Run 5

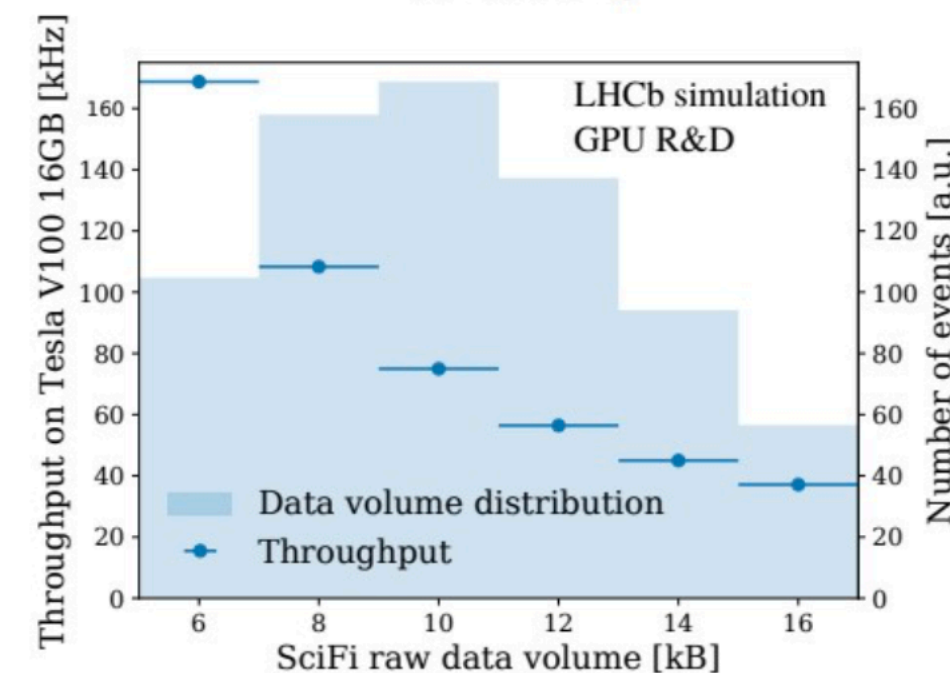
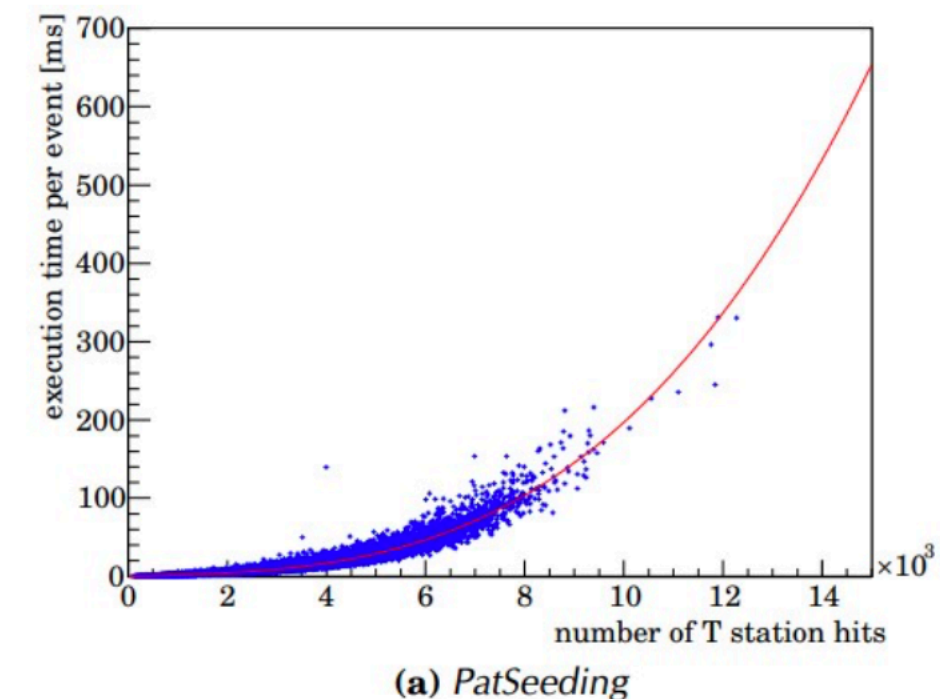
Scale up the Run 3 processing model. Full detector reconstruction (and selections?) on GPUs.

HLT1 inclusive output rate will go to O(10) MHz — use exclusive selections for charm/strange at HLT1.

How much will improved detector granularity recover a linear (or better) scaling of cost with luminosity.

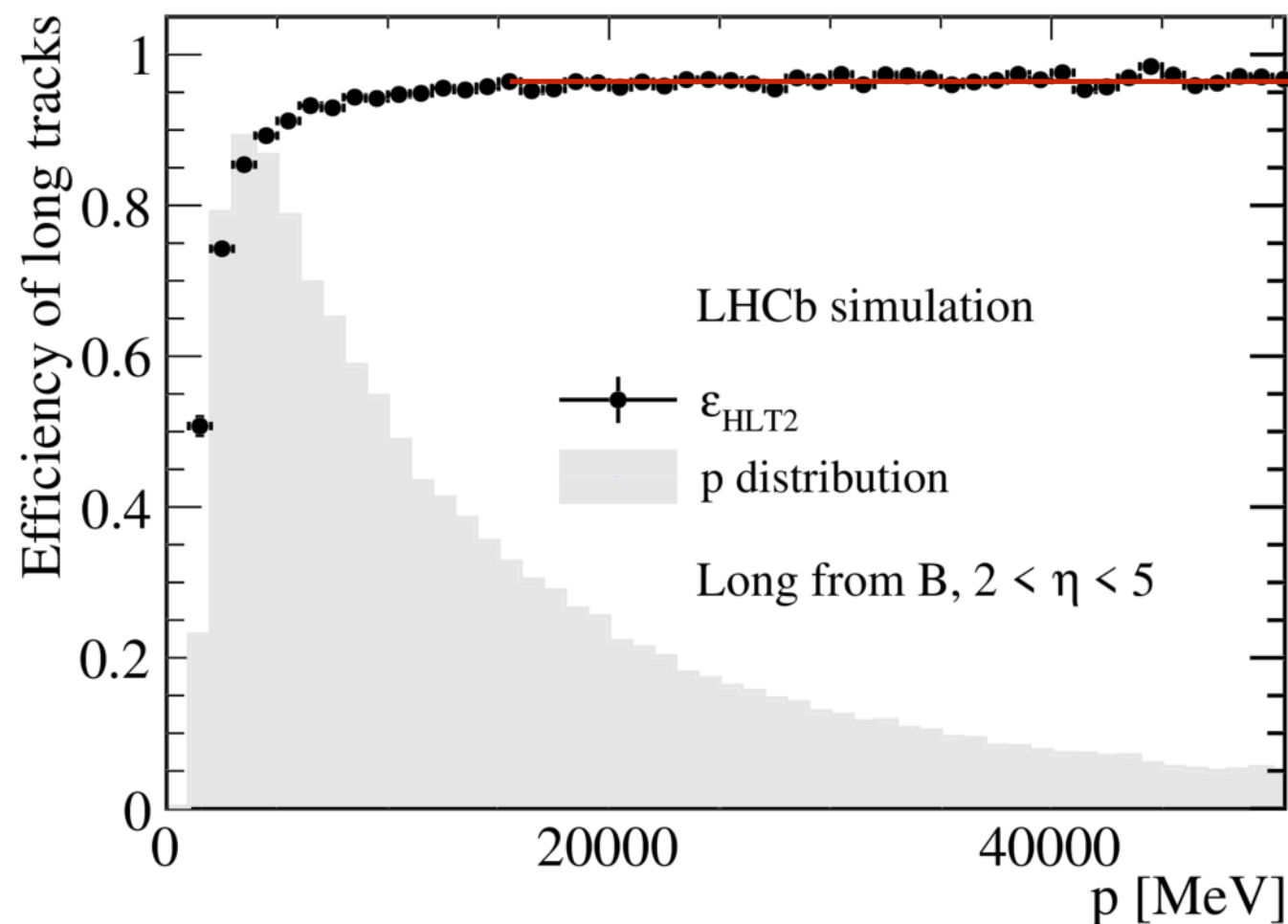
Does timing actually help make reconstruction or selections faster?

Critical feedback loop to detector optimizations!

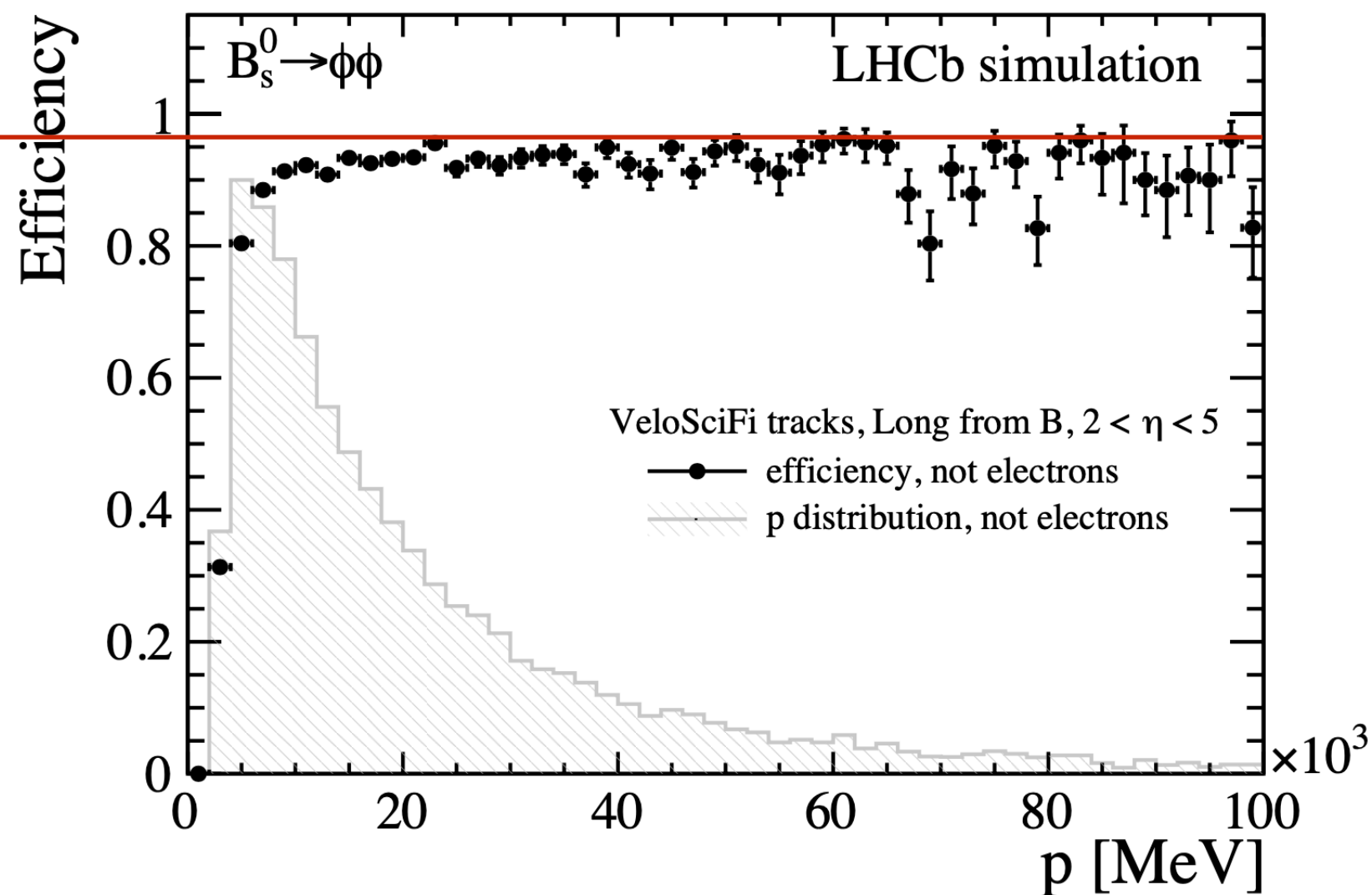


Where do we spend our resources?

HLT2



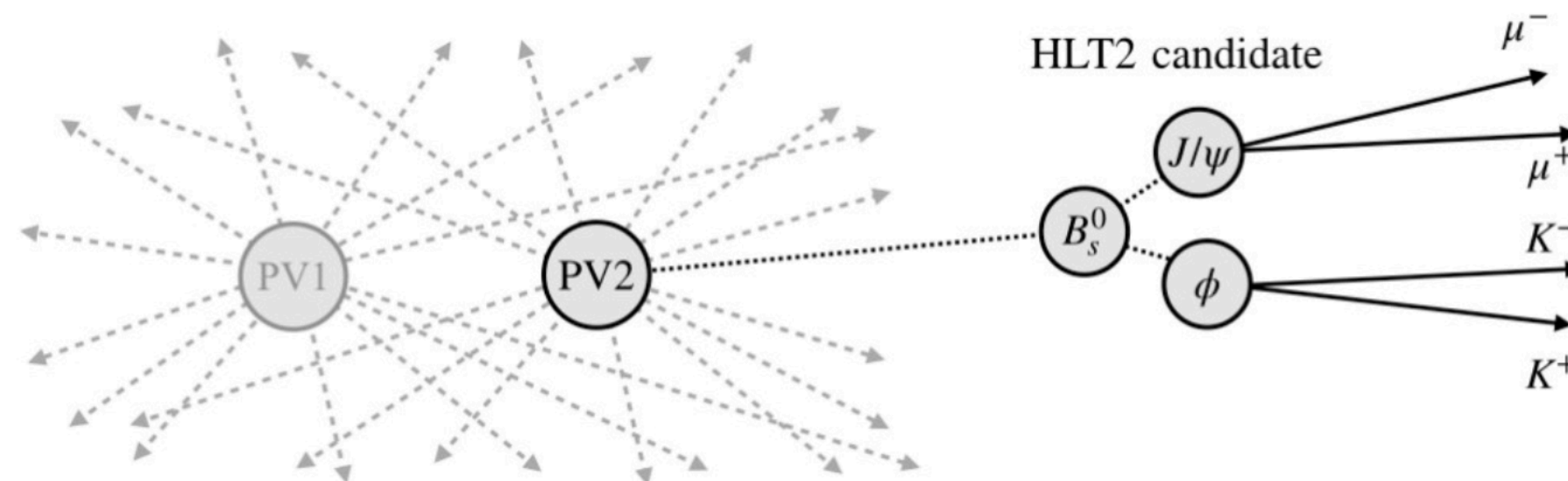
HLT1



We spend roughly 30x more computing resources in HLT2 tracking + fitting than HLT1 tracking.
It gains us the last few percent of tracks and the best covariance estimate.

Is this proportionate? Are we spending our resources answering the right questions?

Can we have inclusive pileup suppression?



R&D ongoing right now for Run 3 and will guide U2 design

At what level of granularity can we associate objects to PVs? Hits, primitives, particles... ?
To what extent does timing information help with this? What biases are introduced for physics analysis?
How do we calibrate identification efficiencies and misidentification rates?

(R)evolutionary path to Run 5

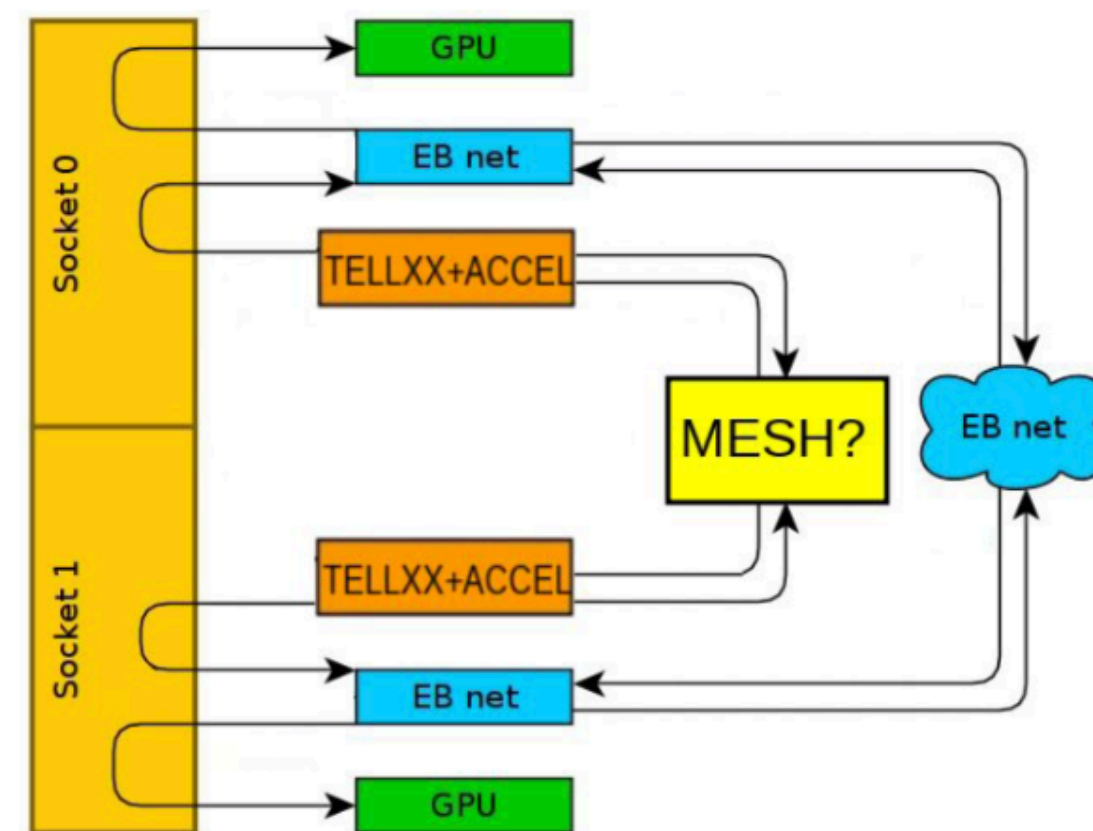
R&D focused on two main areas

1. Finding subdetector primitives, for example tracks or calorimeter clusters, on FPGAs.
2. Exploiting beyond-GPU architectures such as the IPU or even more exotic hardware

Can clever choice of detector geometry make local reconstruction of primitives easier?

Ensure critical mass of skills across all architectures.

Decide the architecture mix for Run 5 at the right moment to maximize both technology and long-term support for people from the funding agencies.



All roads however lead to the pit

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Discussing U2 is nice but unless we make U1 work, and work well, there won't be any U2
 Hoping to see many of you in the pit over the coming months — let's get that data!

Backup