



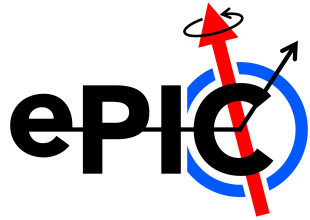
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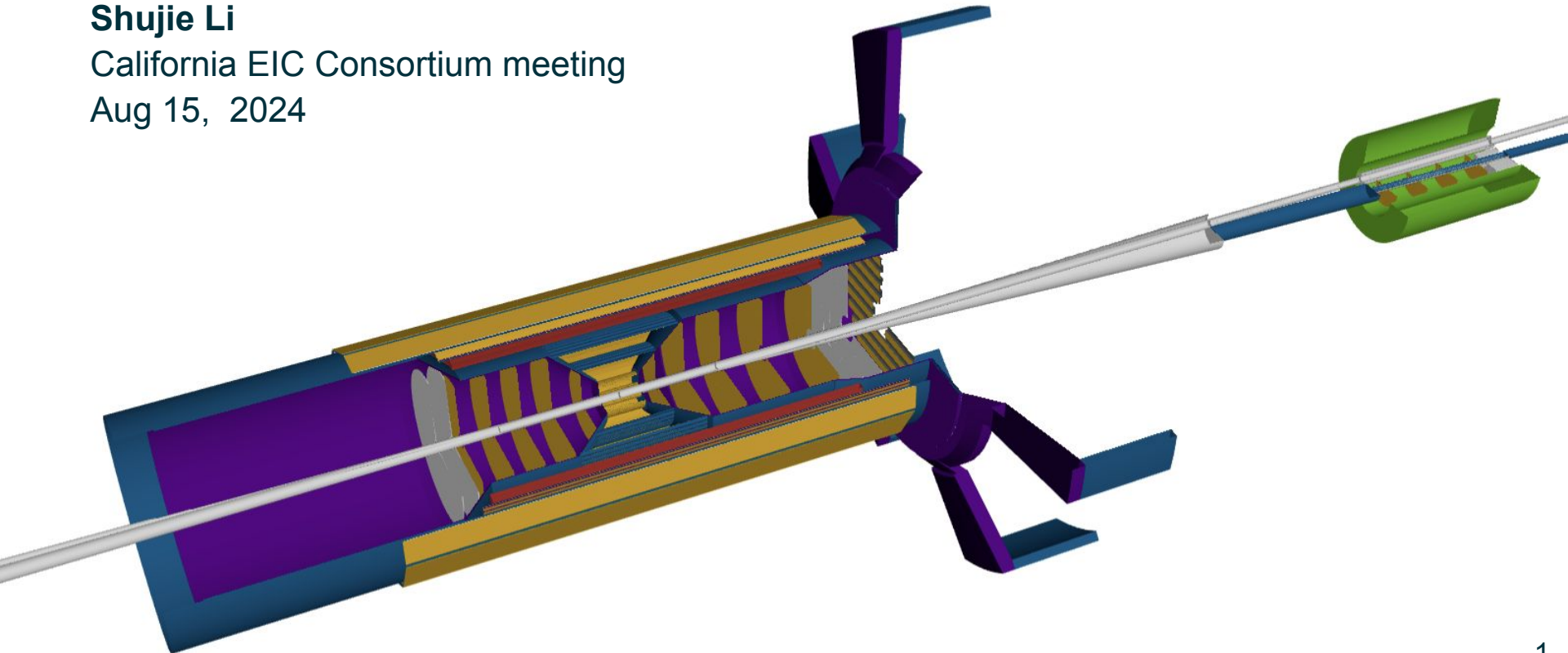


# Tracking Software Status

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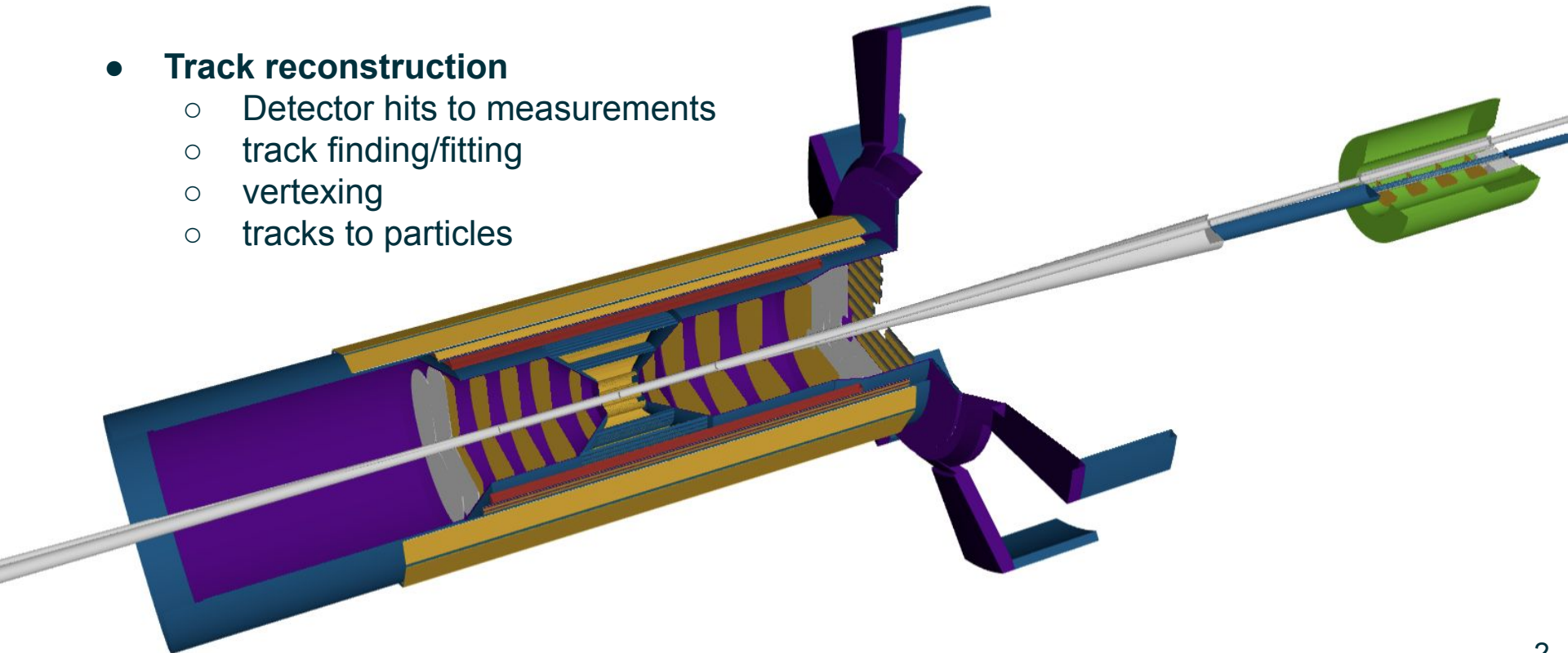


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This is a **software-oriented** talk (for some ongoing tracker R&D, see [Barbara's talk](#) from yesterday).

- **ePIC tracker configuration, and its implementation in software**
  - performance benchmark
  - realistic Si sensor in simulation
- **Track reconstruction**
  - Detector hits to measurements
  - track finding/fitting
  - vertexing
  - tracks to particles



# ePIC Tracker Configuration

## Central Barrel region (45 - 135 degrees):

- 3 ITS3 vertex layers
- 2 EIC-LAS Silicon barrel
- 2 MPGD
- 1 AC-LGAD

## Forward/backward region:

- 2x(5 Silicon disks + 2 MPGD disks)
- 1 forward AC-LGAD disk

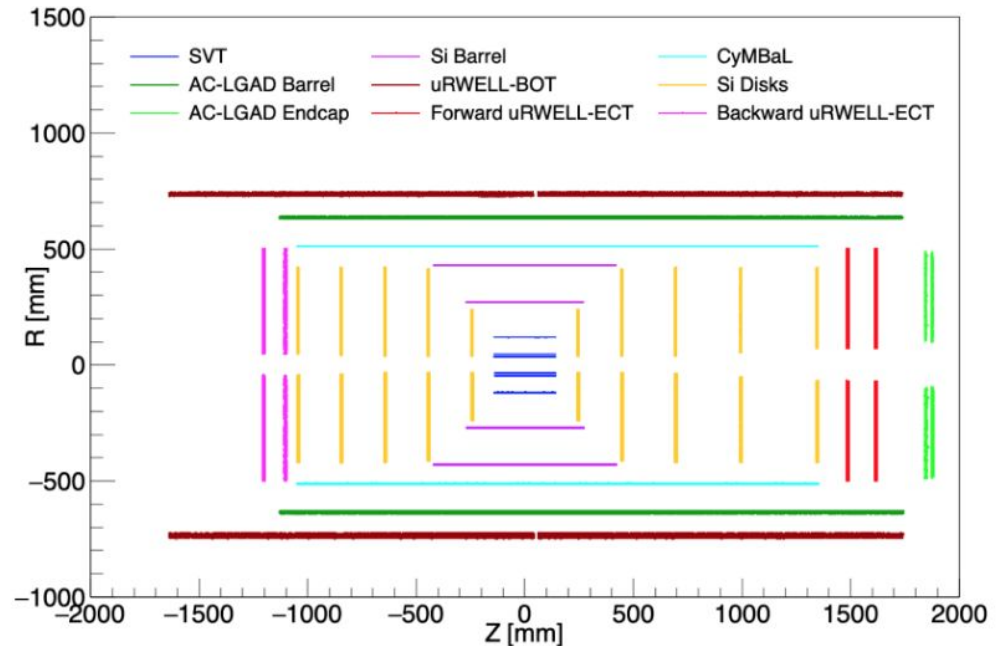
## Far-forward:

- 4 AC-LGAD in B0

## Far-backward:

- low- $Q^2$  tagger

For tracking performance study,  
see Minjung's talk this morning



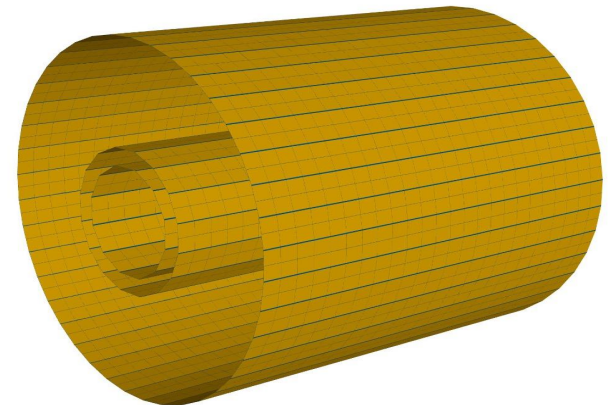
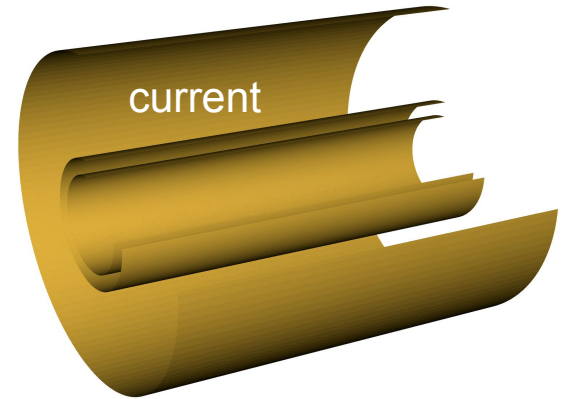
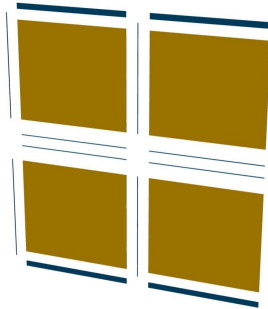
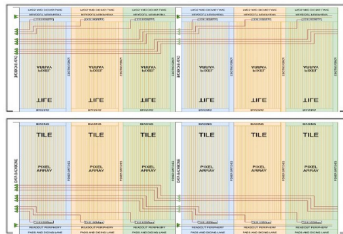
- 5 to 8 hits per charged particle
- eta coverage up to -4 to 4 (central), 4.4-5.9 (FF)
- meet the physics requirements as defined in the yellow report

	Momentum Resolution	Spatial Resolution
Backward (-3.5 to -2.5)	$\sim 0.10\% \times p \oplus 2.0\%$	$\sim 30/pT \mu\text{m} \oplus 40 \mu\text{m}$
Backward (-2.5 to -1.0)	$\sim 0.05\% \times p \oplus 1.0\%$	$\sim 30/pT \mu\text{m} \oplus 20 \mu\text{m}$
Barrel (-1.0 to 1.0)	$\sim 0.05\% \times p \oplus 0.5\%$	$\sim 20/pT \mu\text{m} \oplus 5 \mu\text{m}$
Forward (1.0 to 2.5)	$\sim 0.05\% \times p \oplus 1.0\%$	$\sim 30/pT \mu\text{m} \oplus 20 \mu\text{m}$
Forward (2.5 to 3.5)	$\sim 0.10\% \times p \oplus 2.0\%$	$\sim 30/pT \mu\text{m} \oplus 40 \mu\text{m}$

# Towards a Realistic Si Tracker Description

## Vertex layers

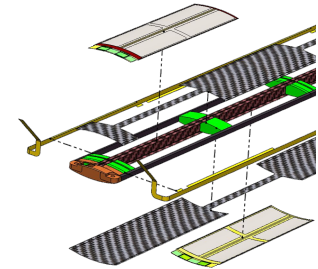
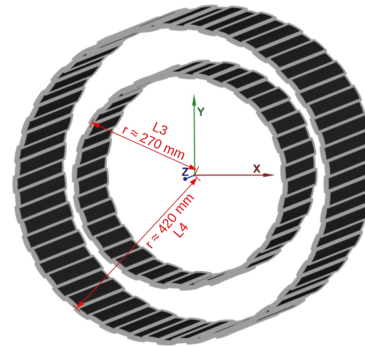
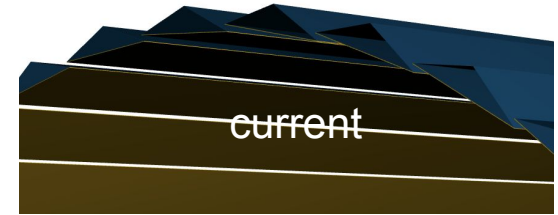
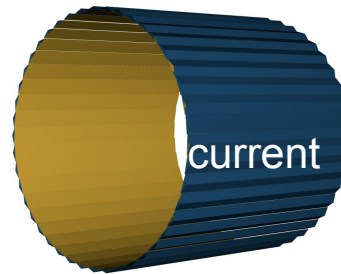
- **Current(official) simulation v24.08:**
  - smooth barrel assembled by 128 staves per layer
- **New design**
  - ITS3 sensor unit with inactive areas
  - implemented for vertex tracker (see [Joseph Xu's talk](#))



- **To do:**
  - make the sensor surface curved
  - apply the same RSU design on outer Si barrels and disks

# Si Outer Barrels

- **Current(official) simulation:**
  - 44 tilt staves (Si+Al+carbon fiber plates) with triangular support frame
- **New Design**
  - EIC-LAS, staggered RSU
  - implementation in progress (Long Li from U. of Birmingham)



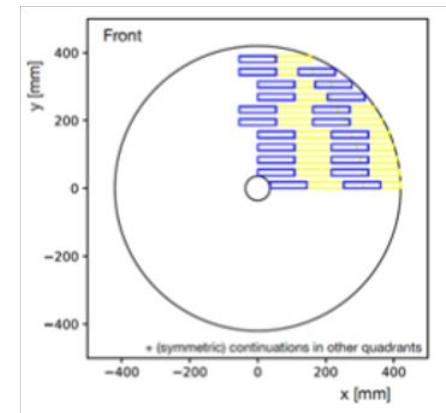
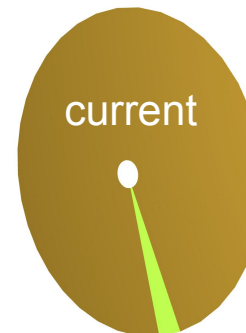
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OB L3 (6RSU segments)



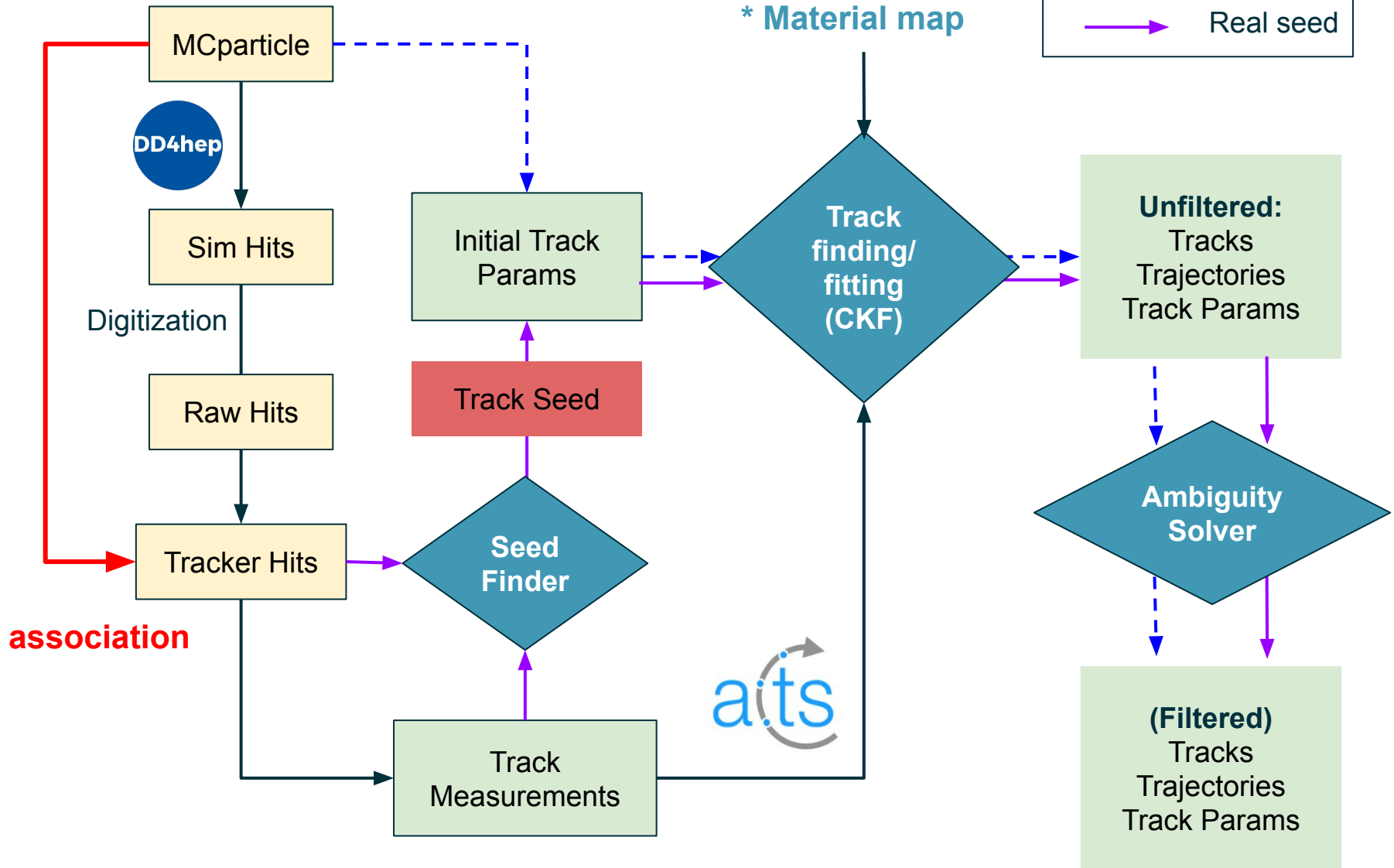
# Si Disks

- **Current(official) simulation:**
  - disks from 36 trapezoid slices.
  - a centered hole in the center to accommodate for the beampipe fanout
- **New Design**
  - EIC-LAS, tiled RSU (see Skye Heiles's talk)
- **To do:**
  - implementation of tiles
  - study acceptance effect near the beamline



# Track Reconstruction

Red: work in progress





# Track Reconstruction

- **Space point formation**

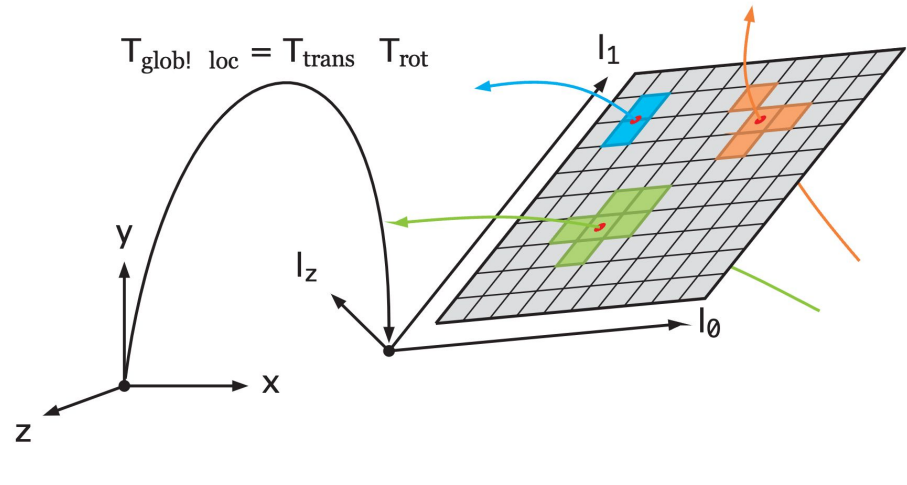
Raw hits from DD4hep

→ digitization

→ TBD: charge sharing/clustering

→ global/local coordinates transformation

→ measurement:  $(l_0, l_1, \text{edep}, \text{time})$



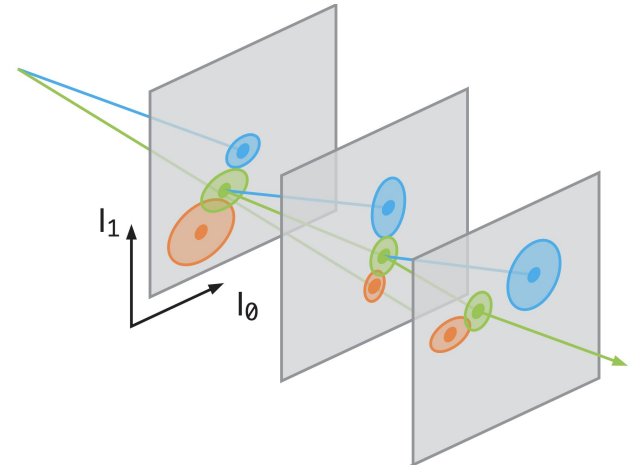
- **Track finding/fitting**

- **Combinatorial Kalman Filter (CKF)**

- seed (triplet) finder to provide realistic initial guess

- combine track finding and fitting
      - user-defined measurement selector (number, chi2)

- up to 8 tracking central tracking layers/hits for fitting. What if...
    - receive additional hits due to sensor noise (see Mito Funatsu's talk)
    - miss layer/hits due to dead area in sensor (see Joe Xu's talk)



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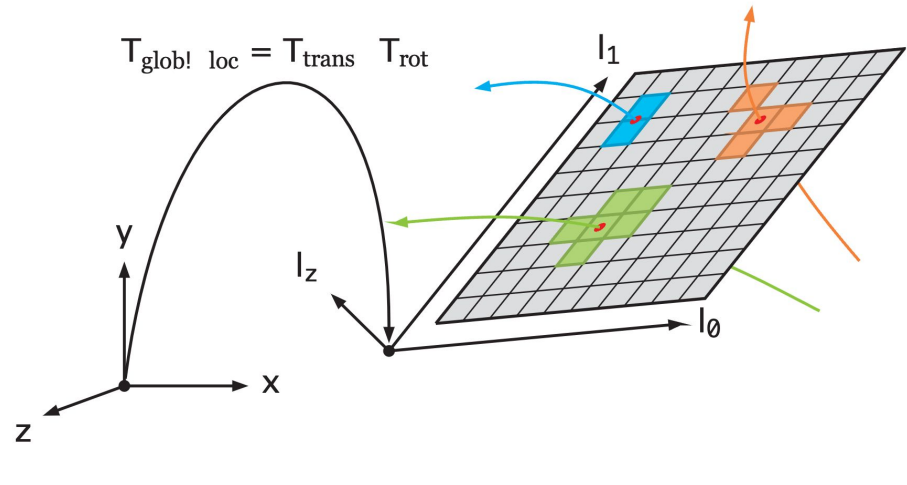
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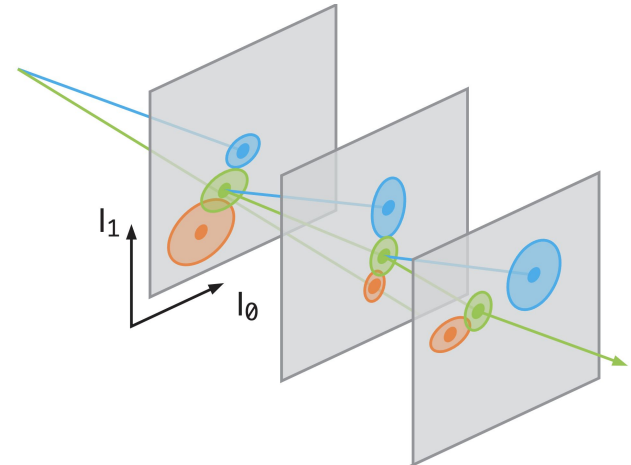
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- **Track finding/fitting**

- **Combinatorial Kalman Filter (CKF)**

- seed (triplet) finder to provide realistic initial guess
    - combine track finding and fitting
      - user-defined measurement selector (number, chi2)
    - allows track branching ⇒ overlapped/duplicated tracks
      - see Minjung Kim's talk on ambiguity solver





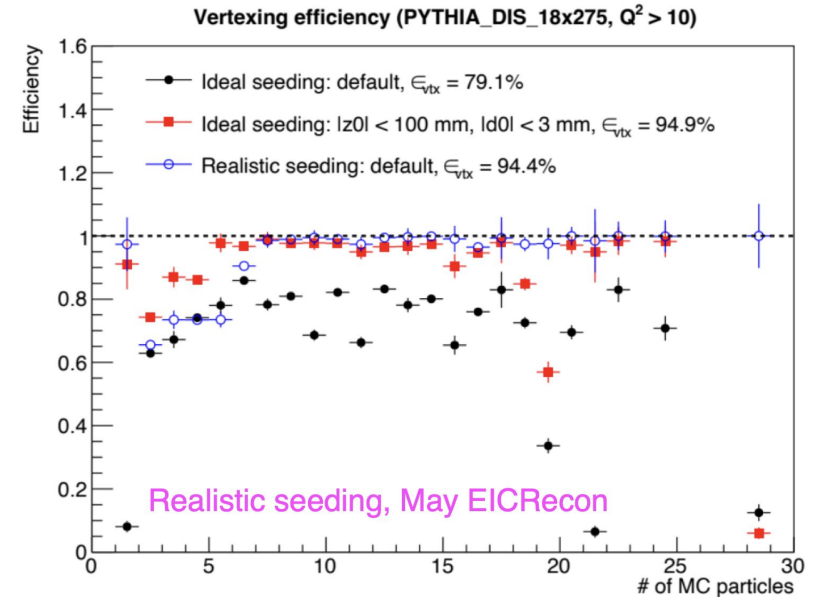
# Vertexing

- **Primary vertexing**

- Iterative vertex finder with ACTS
- Effort led by Xin Dong (LBNL)
- Available in EICrecon, optimization ongoing

to do:

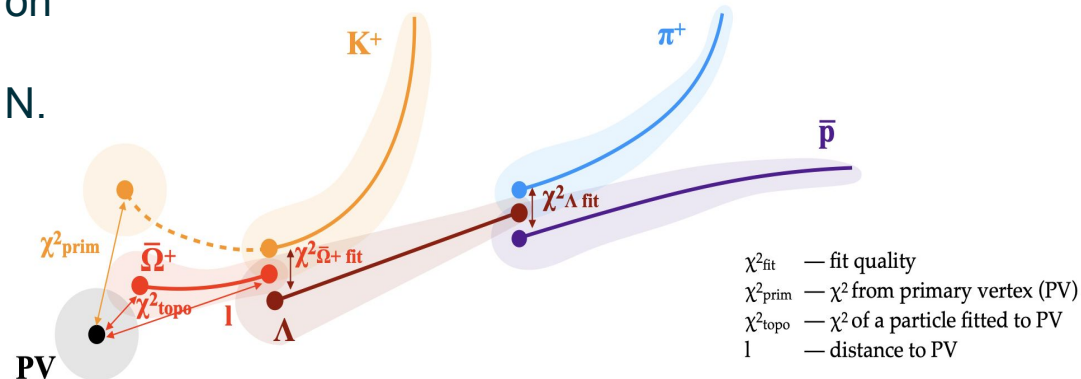
- vertex to track/particle association
- track to vertex distance



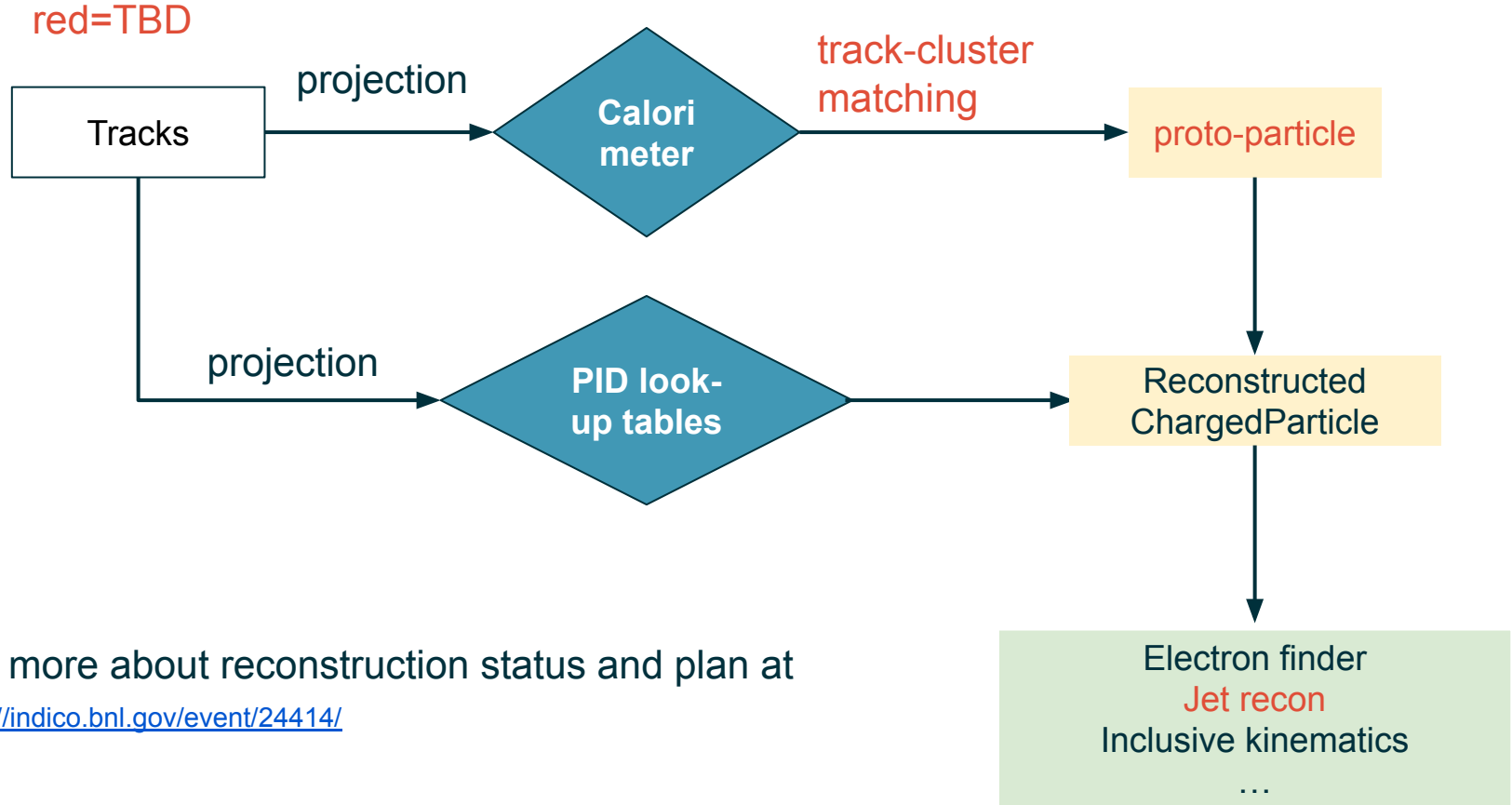
Plots from Rongrong Ma

- **Secondary vertexing**

- approach 1:
  - vertexing algorithm based on ACTS examples
  - implementation started by N. Schmidt (ORNL)
- approach 2:
  - TBD: adopt the KFParticle package



# Track to Particle



See more about reconstruction status and plan at

<https://indico.bnl.gov/event/24414/>

Join ongoing effort/discussions at

- reconstruction WG meeting (Tue 12:30 pm PT)  
<https://indico.bnl.gov/event/24526/>
- Joint tracking and track recon, vertexing meeting (Thu 8:00 am PT)  
<https://indico.bnl.gov/event/24487/>

Thanks!

