

# Metody eksperymentalne w fizyce wysokich energii

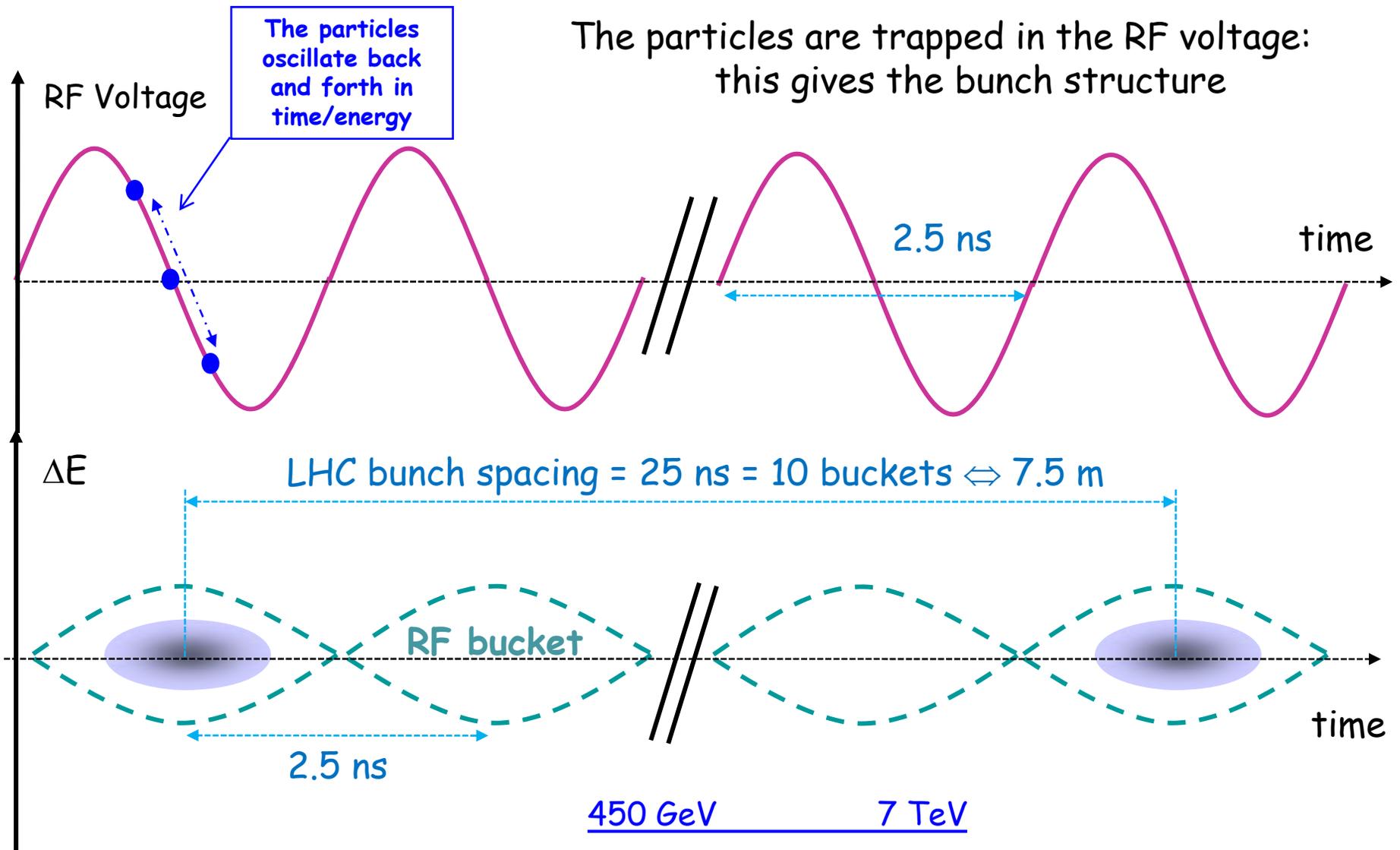
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## Wykład X

- Systemy wyzwiania zbierania danych

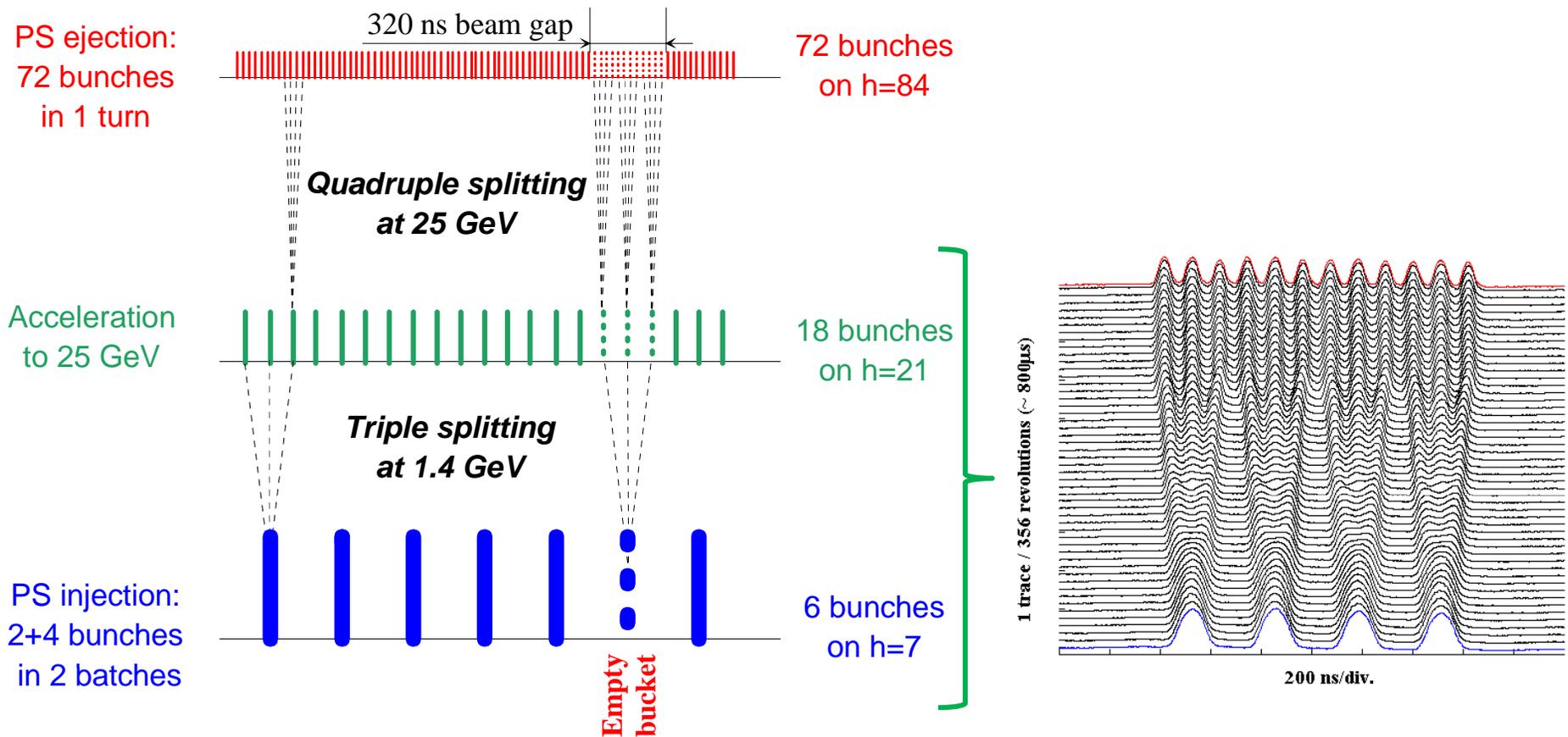
# RF buckets and bunches



	450 GeV	7 TeV
RMS bunch length	11.2 cm	7.6 cm
RMS energy spread	0.031%	0.011%

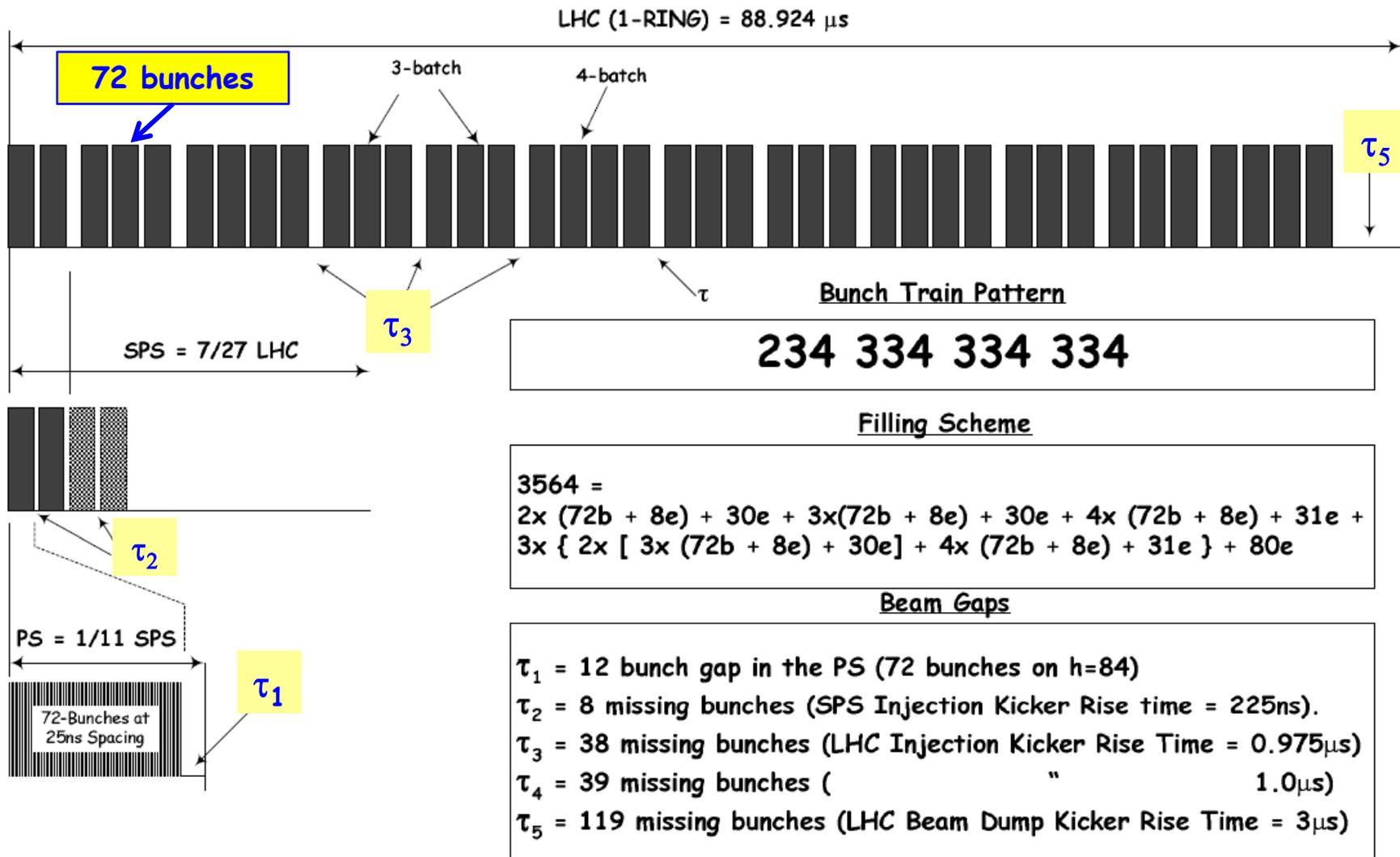
# Bunch Splitting at the PS

- The bunch splitting in the PS machine is the most delicate operation that is performed in the injector chain.
- The quality of the splitting is critical for the LHC (uniform intensity in all bunches...).

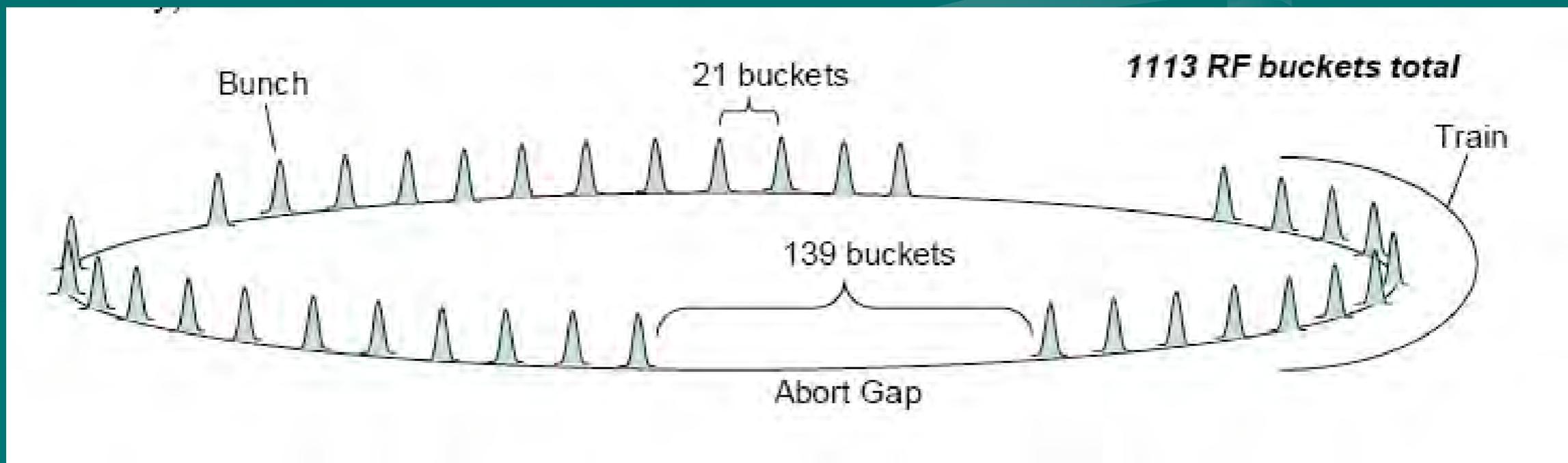


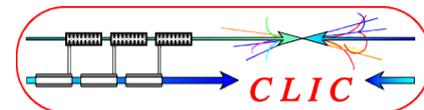
# Bunch pattern details

- The nominal LHC pattern consists of 39 groups of 72 bunches (spaced by 25 ns), with variable spacing between the groups to accommodate the rise times of the fast injection and extraction magnets ('kickers').
- There is a long 3 μs hole ( $\tau_5$ ) for the LHC dump kicker (see later).



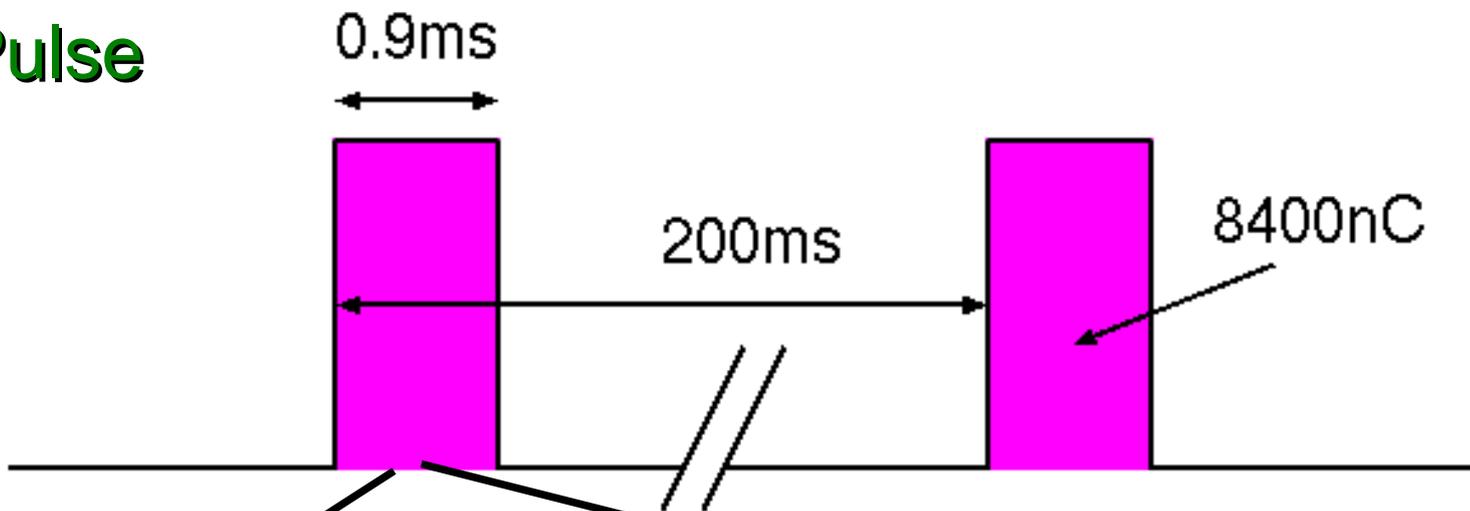
# Tevatron Bunch Structure



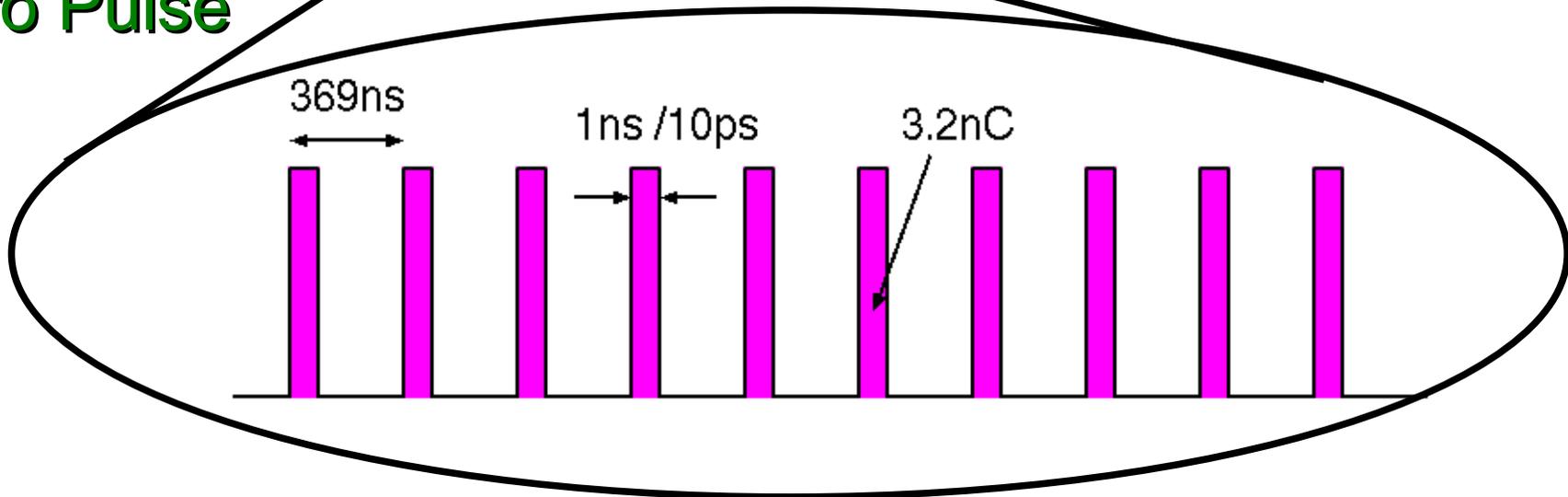


Electron Emission
Polarized Electron
Electron Gun
<b>ILC Electron Source</b>
Laser
Summary

## Macro Pulse



## Micro Pulse



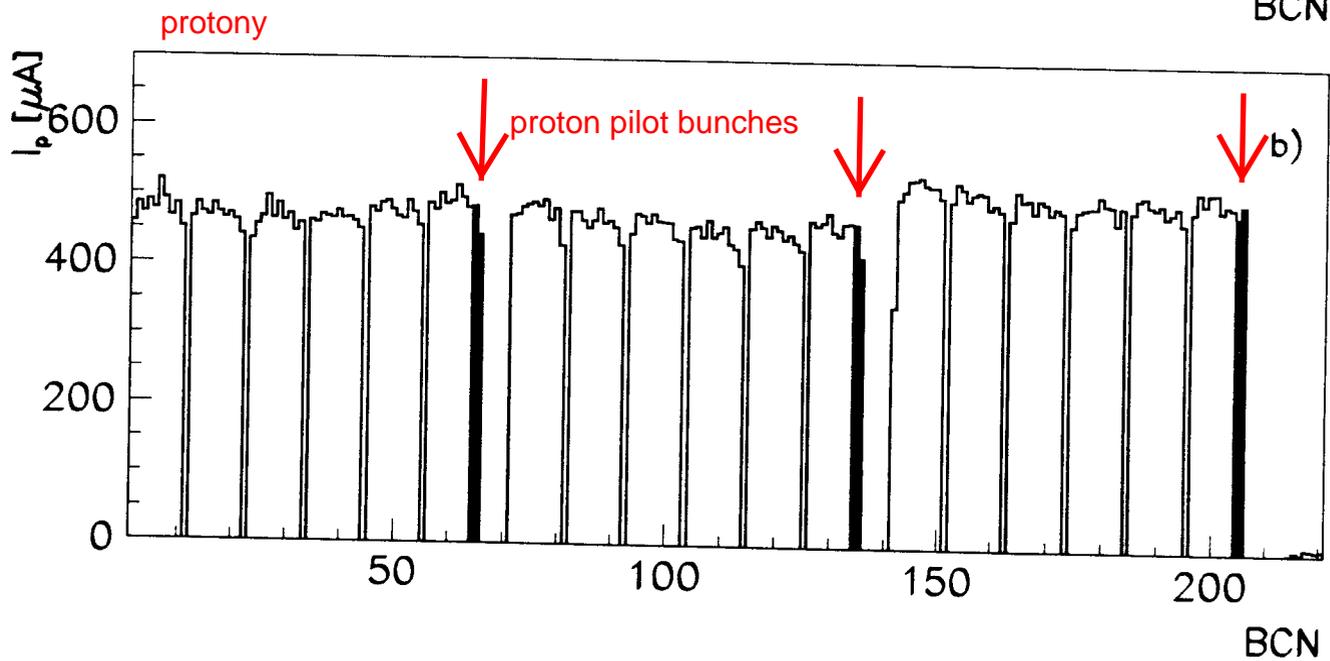
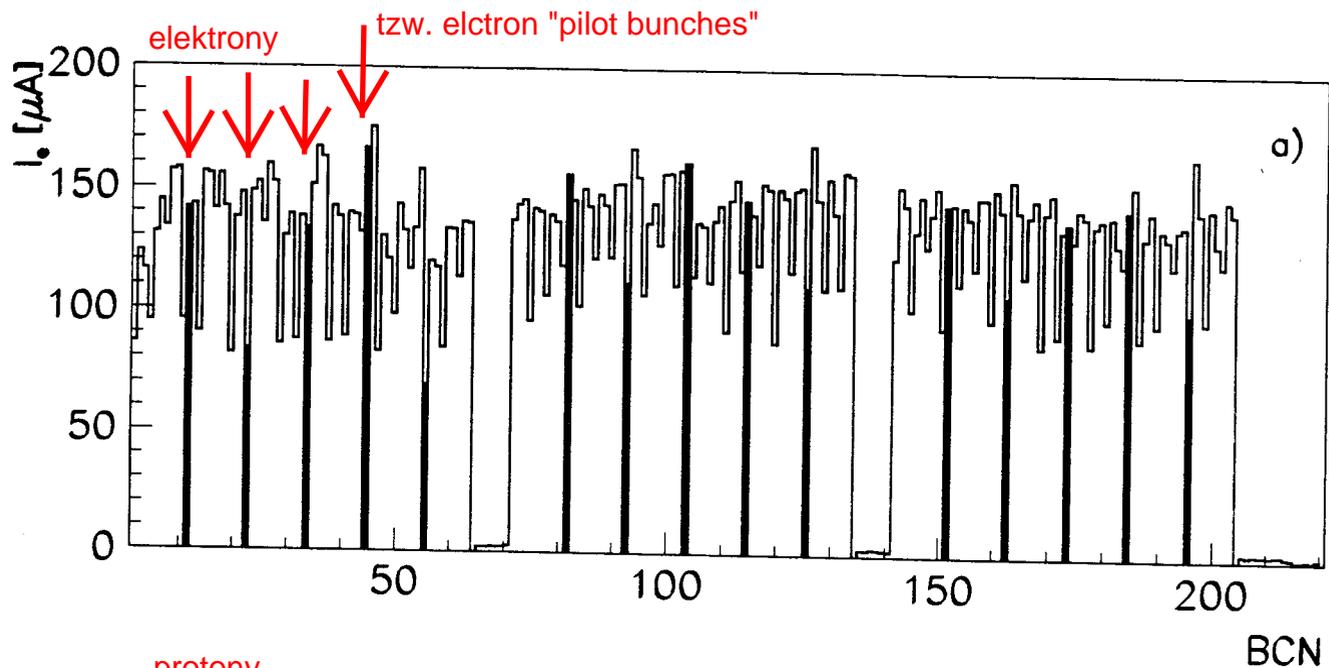
## HERA: electron-proton collider at DESY (1992-2007)

Nie wszystkie "paczki" cząstek zderzały się z wiązką przeciwbieżną  
=> niesłuchanie pomocne w ocenie tła wiązki !



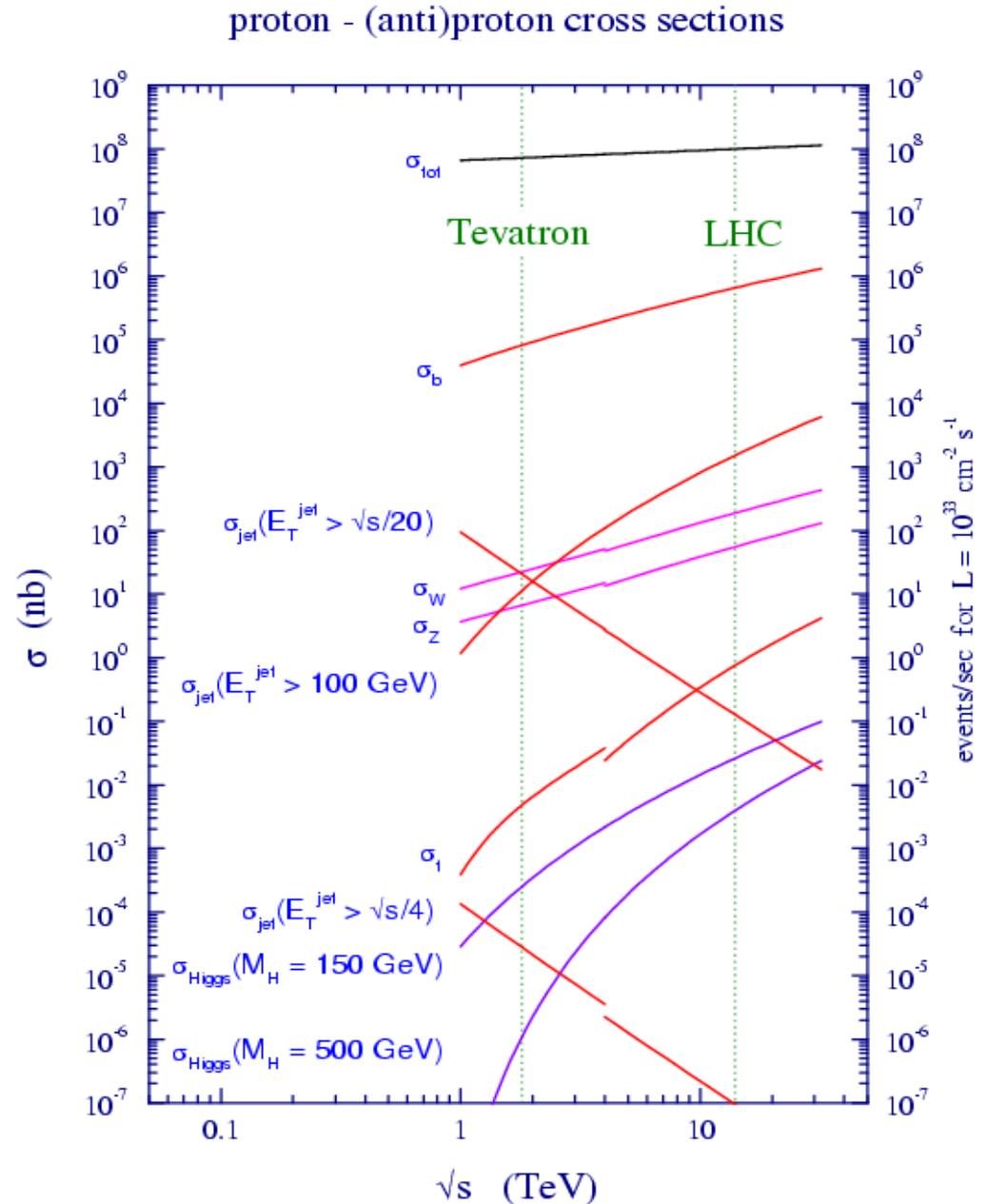
	Design	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996
Number of p bunches	210	10	90	170	180	180
Number of e bunches	210	12	94	168	189	189
Number of colliding bunches	210	10	84	153	174	174
p momentum $p_0 / \text{GeV} / c$	820	820	820	820	820	820
p current $I_0 / \text{mA}$	163	2		54	73	80
e momentum $p_0 / \text{GeV} / c$	30	26.67	26.67	27.52	27.52	27.52
e current $I_0 / \text{mA}$	58	3.4		36	37	40
Specific luminosity $\mathcal{L}_{\text{sp}} / 10^{29} \text{ mA}^{-2} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$	3.33			4.0	5.0	6.0
Luminosity $\mathcal{L} / 10^{31} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$	1.5			0.4	0.7	0.8
Delivered integrated luminosity $\int \mathcal{L} dt / \text{pbarn}^{-1}$	(50)	0.06	1.1	6.2	12.3	15
Long. polarization $P_0 / \%$				65	70	70

Table 3: Development of the main machine parameters since the first data taking in 1992.



# The Basics

- Total cross-sections are large:
  - $\sim 80$  mb at  $\sqrt{s} = 1.8$  TeV
  - @  $10^{32}$ , that's 8 MHz!
- “Interesting” cross-sections (say  $W \rightarrow e$ ) are much smaller:
  - $O(\text{few nb})$
  - @  $10^{32}$ , that's  $< 1$  Hz
    - At  $10^{34}$  at the LHC it becomes  $O(10$  Hz)!



# pp cross section and min. bias

## ■ # of interactions/crossing:

### ◆ Interactions/s:

- $Lum = 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1} = 10^7 \text{ mb}^{-1}\text{Hz}$
- $\sigma(pp) = 70 \text{ mb}$
- Interaction Rate,  $R = 7 \times 10^8 \text{ Hz}$

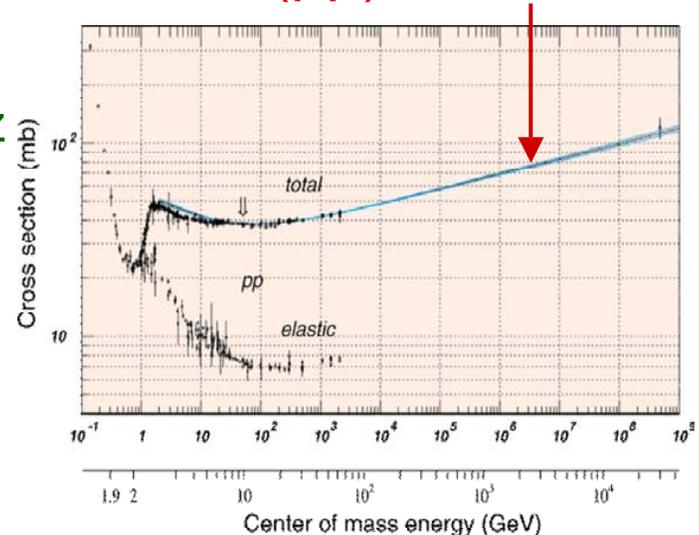
### ◆ Events/beam crossing:

- $\Delta t = 25 \text{ ns} = 2.5 \times 10^{-8} \text{ s}$
- Interactions/crossing = 17.5

### ◆ Not all p bunches are full

- Approximately 4 out of 5 (only) are full
- Interactions/"active" crossing =  $17.5 \times 3564/2835 = 23$

$\sigma(pp) \approx 70 \text{ mb}$



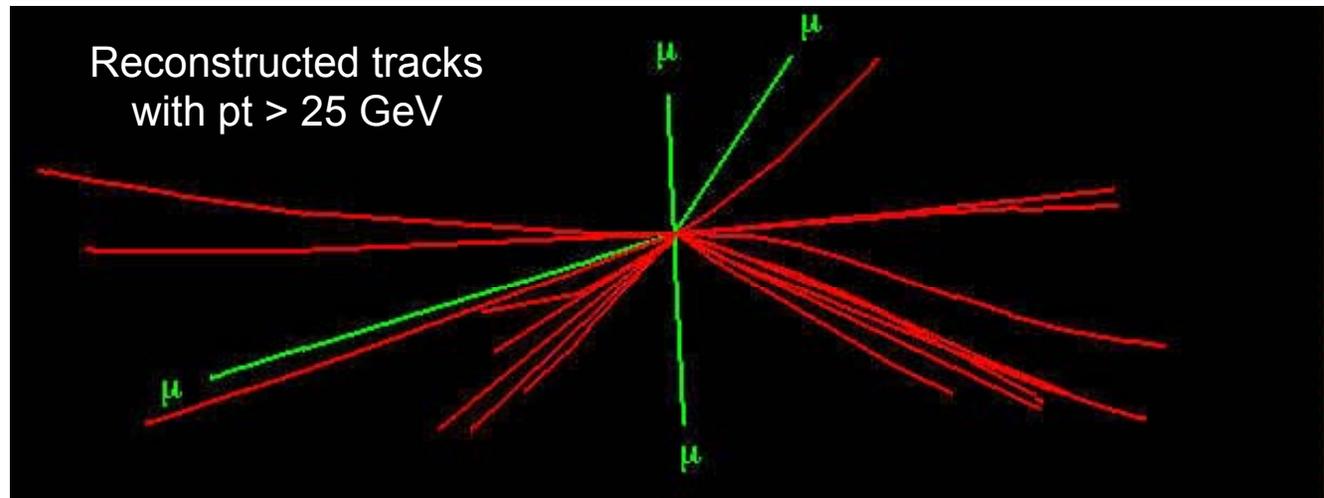
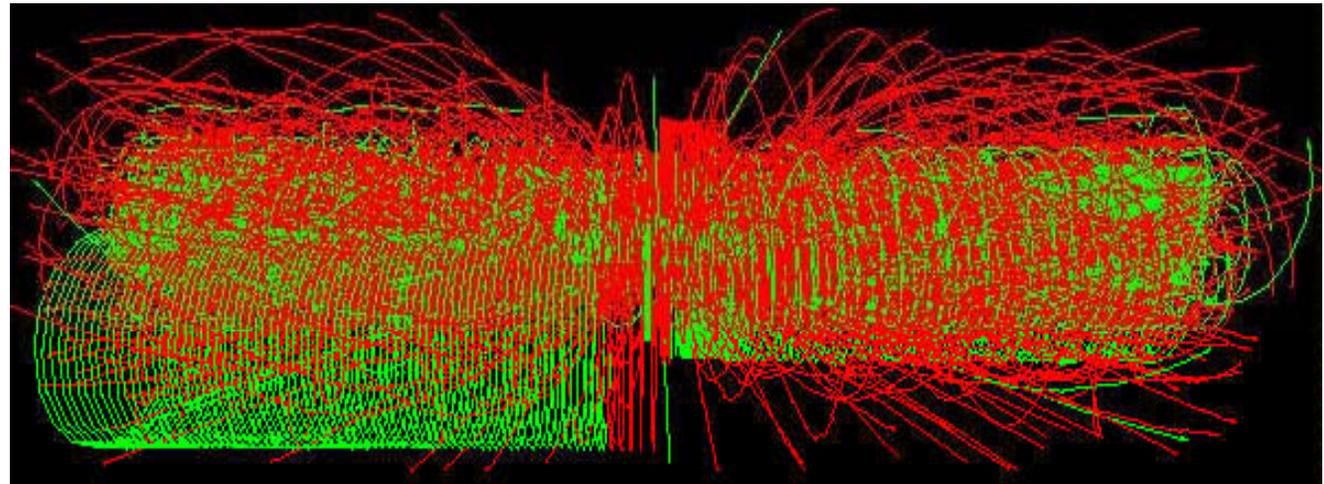
Operating conditions (summary):

- 1) A "good" event containing a Higgs decay +
- 2)  $\approx 20$  extra "bad" (minimum bias) interactions

# pp collisions at 14 TeV at $10^{34}$ cm $^{-2}$ s $^{-1}$

- 20 min bias events overlap
- $H \rightarrow ZZ$   
 $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$   
 $H \rightarrow 4$  muons:  
the cleanest  
("golden")  
signature

And this (not the H though...)  
repeats every  
25 ns...



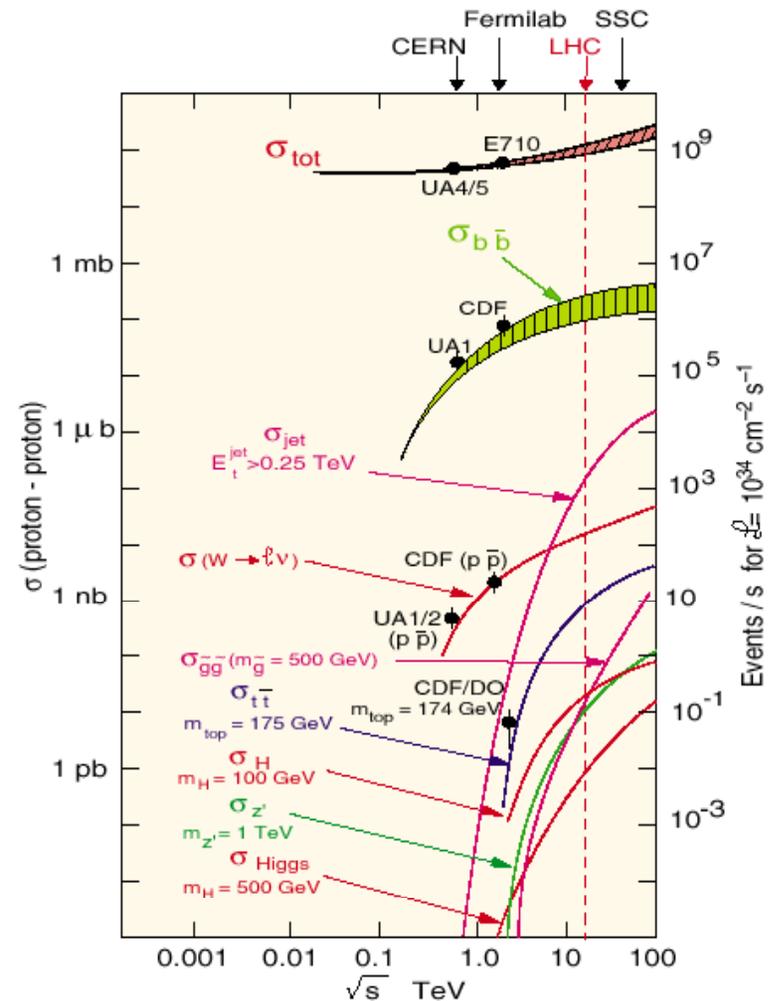
# Selectivity: the physics

- Cross sections for various physics processes vary over many orders of magnitude

- ◆ Inelastic:  $10^9$  Hz
- ◆  $W \rightarrow \ell \nu$ :  $10^2$  Hz
- ◆  $t \bar{t}$  production: 10 Hz
- ◆ Higgs ( $100 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ ): 0.1 Hz
- ◆ Higgs ( $600 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ ):  $10^{-2}$  Hz

- Selection needed:  $1:10^{10-11}$

- ◆ Before branching fractions...



# Basics II

- Trigger goal:
  - “To select interesting events for offline analysis”...
  - ... while minimizing deadtime!
- “Interesting” is a relative concept:
  - Depends on physics priorities (need for compromise in multi-purpose experiments)
  - Only interesting if event passes offline cuts!
  - Includes events needed to validate analysis
    - Determination of efficiencies
    - Control samples
    - ... (more later)

# Dataflow Arguments

- Tevatron: “precision” raw data  $\sim 200$  kB/evt (zero suppressed and compressed)
  - L1 input if used that:  $> 3$  Tbps
    - Need to slim and factorize for processing
    - But sometimes also duplicate....
  - To tape (100 Hz):  $\sim 20$  MB/s
- LHC:  $\sim 1$  MB/evts
  - L1 input if used that:  $> 300$  Tbps
  - To tape (200 Hz):  $\sim 200$  MB/s
- So, trigger is not just a physics argument

# Basics III

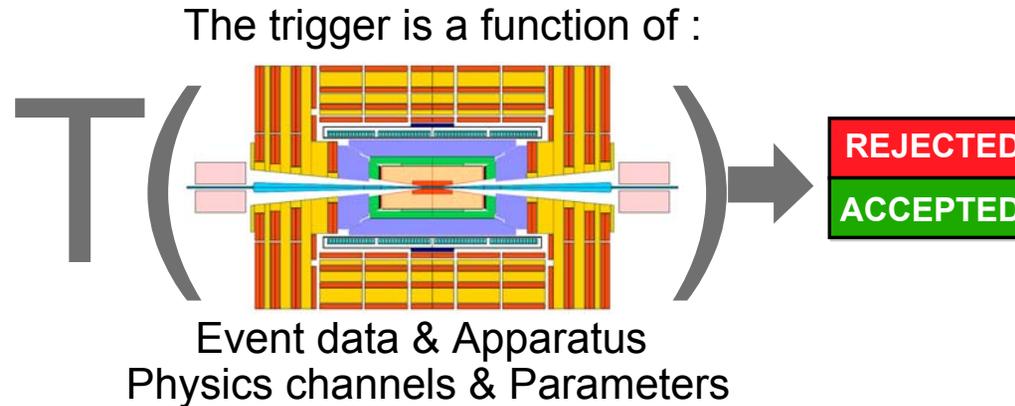
- During decision-making process, data needs to be “stored”
  - Slower process (“latency”) means “deeper memory”
  - There is a “traditional architecture” (CDF, DØ, ATLAS, CMS....)
  - Rapid evolution in technology opens door to new ideas however (BTeV, CKM, to a lesser extent LHCb?)
- But, all other things being equal, faster processing means less rejection and therefore more output bandwidth (and storage and ...)

# Triggering

Mandate:

"Look at (almost) all bunch crossings, select most interesting ones, collect all detector information and store it for off-line analysis"

P.S. For a reasonable amount of CHF



Since the detector data are not all promptly available and the function is highly complex,  $T(\dots)$  is evaluated by successive approximations called :

## TRIGGER LEVELS

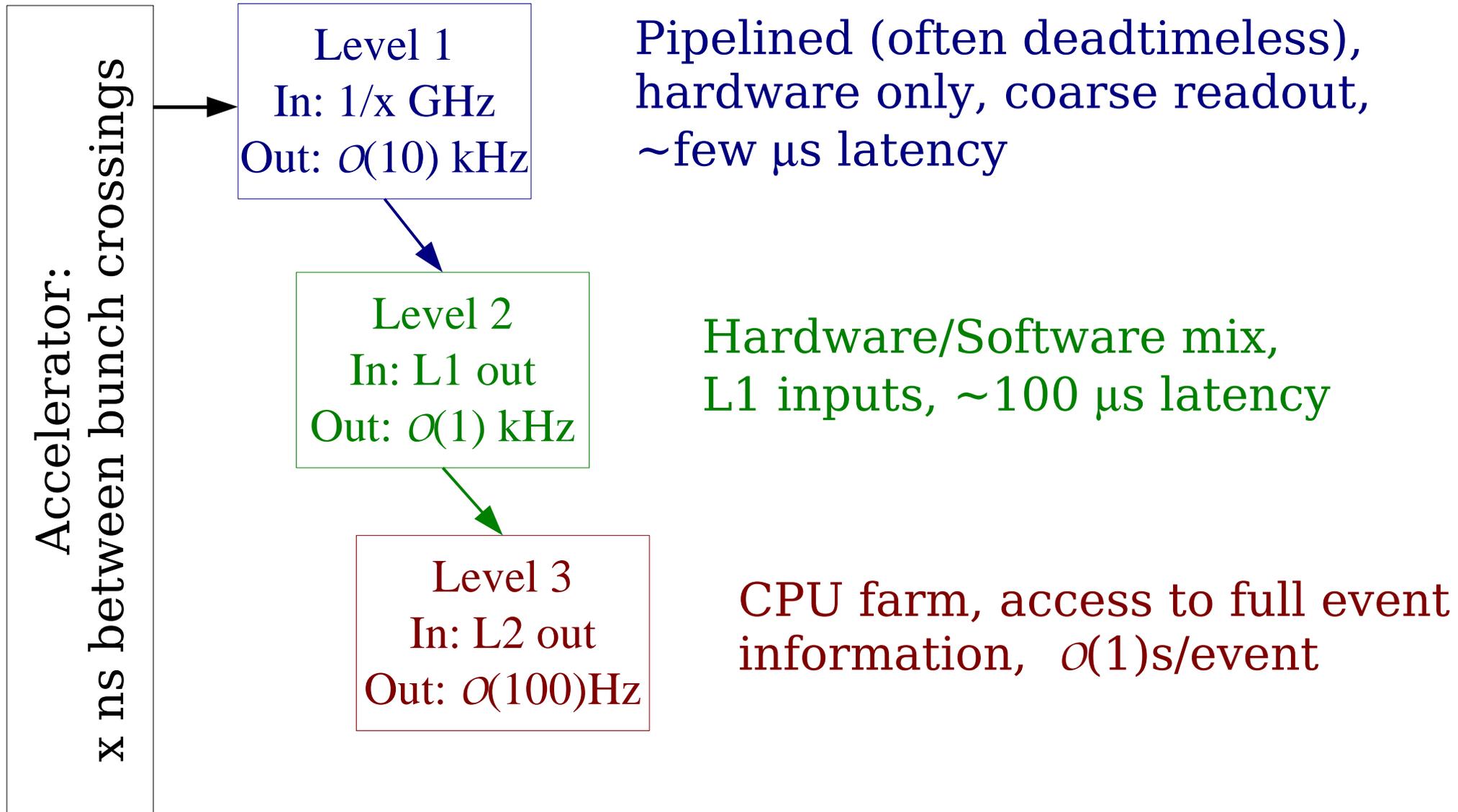
(possibly with zero dead time)

# Trigger/DAQ requirements/challenges

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- $N$  (channels)  $\sim O(10^7)$ ;  $\approx 20$  interactions every 25 ns
  - ◆ need huge number of connections
  - ◆ need information super-highway
- Calorimeter information should correspond to tracker info
  - ◆ need to synchronize detector elements to (better than) 25 ns
- In some cases: detector signal/time of Flight  $> 25$  ns
  - ◆ integrate more than one bunch crossing's worth of information
  - ◆ need to identify bunch crossing...
- Can store data at  $\approx 10^2$  Hz
  - ◆ need to reject most interactions
- It's On-Line (cannot go back and recover events)
  - ◆ need to monitor selection

# “Traditional” Architecture

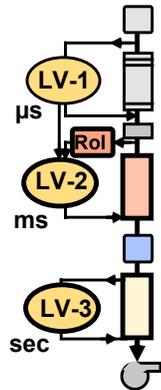
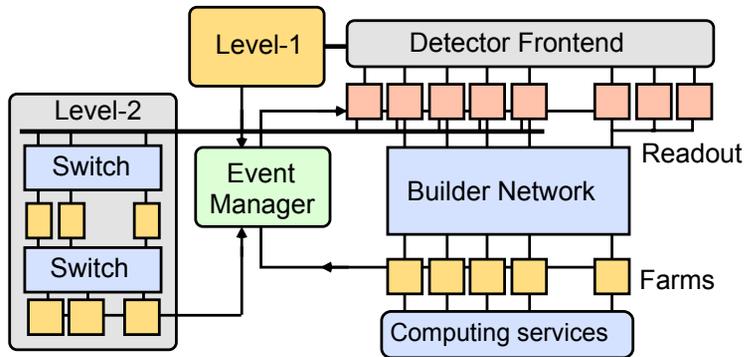


# “Traditional” Elements

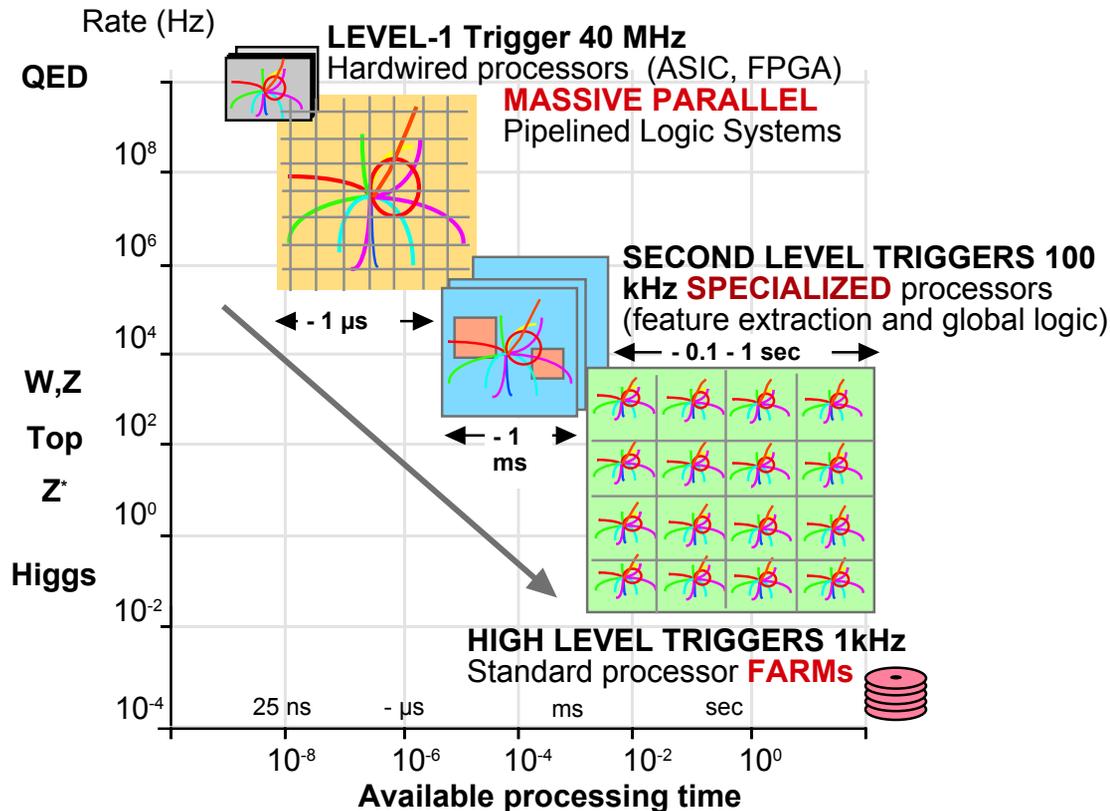
- Level 1 uses dedicated hardware, separate signals, per-subdetector “decision”
  - ASICs and FPGAs
- Level 2 uses dedicated hardware for “data preparation”, then CPUs for combination and decision
- Level 3 uses commercial CPUs
  - Difficulty is getting all of an event to a specific node, various approaches
    - “Concentrator(s)” -> bottleneck, single point of failure
    - “Fully distributed”

# Three physical entities

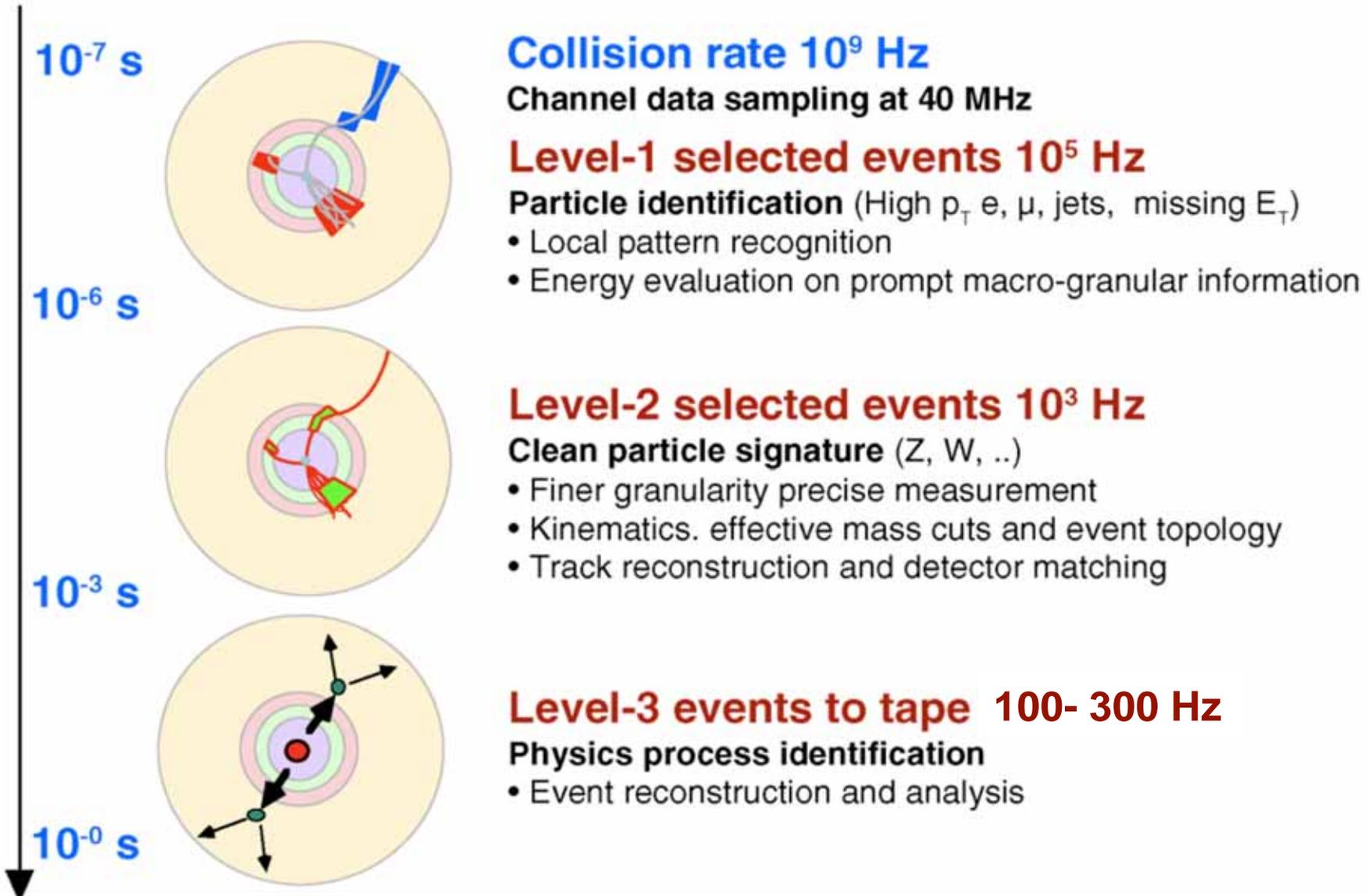
- Additional processing in LV-2: reduce network bandwidth requirements



**40 MHz**  
 **$10^5$  Hz**  
 **$10^3$  Hz**  
**10 Gb/s**  
  
 **$10^2$  Hz**

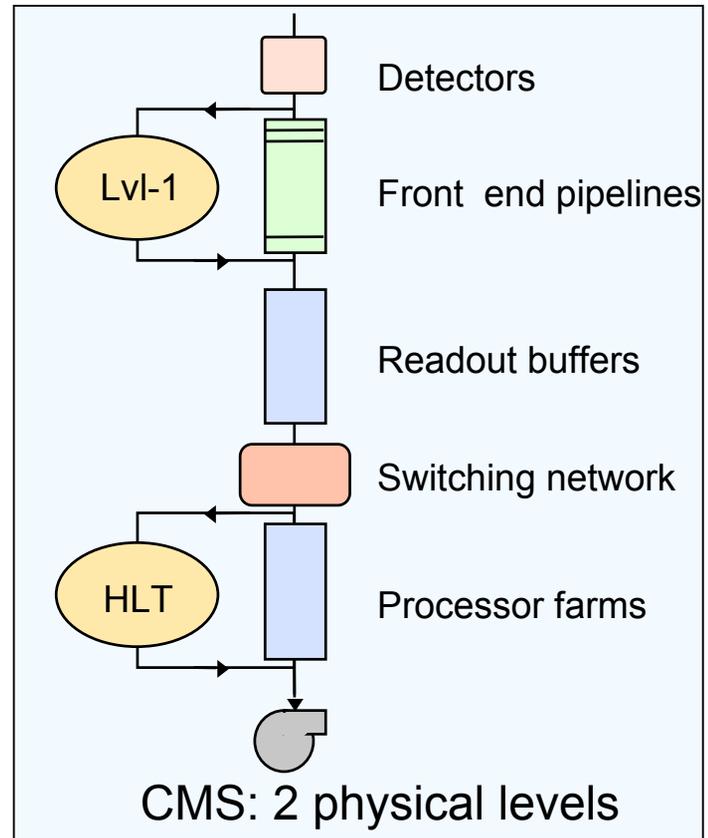
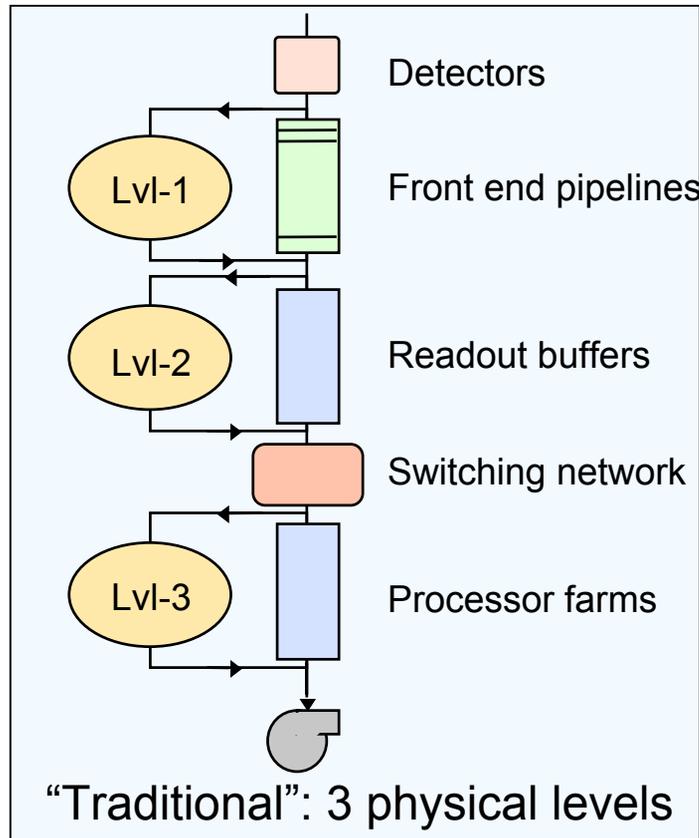


# LHC Trigger Levels

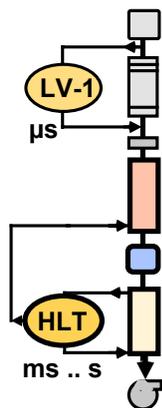
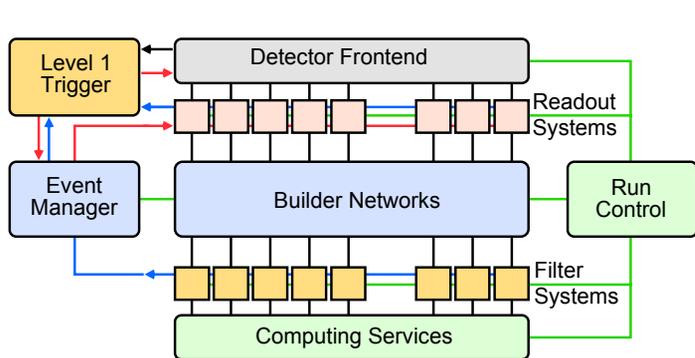


# Online Selection Flow in pp

- Level-1 trigger: reduce 40 MHz to  $10^5$  Hz
  - ◆ This step is always there
  - ◆ Upstream: still need to get to  $10^2$  Hz; in 1 or 2 extra steps



# Two physical entities

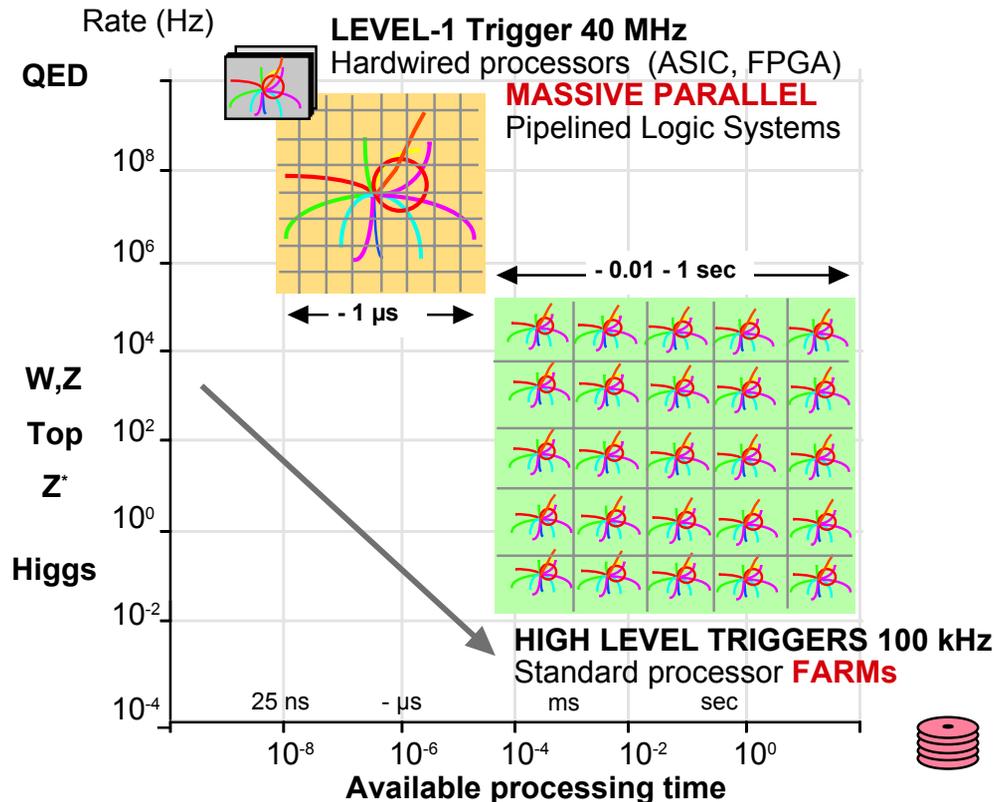


**40 MHz**

**$10^5$  Hz**

**1000 Gb/s**

**$10^2$  Hz**

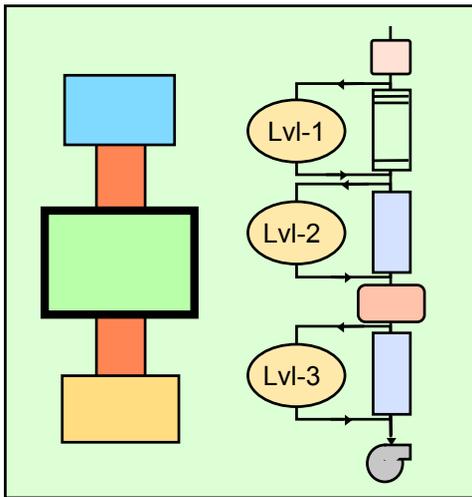


- Reduce number of building blocks
- Rely on commercial components (especially processing and communications)

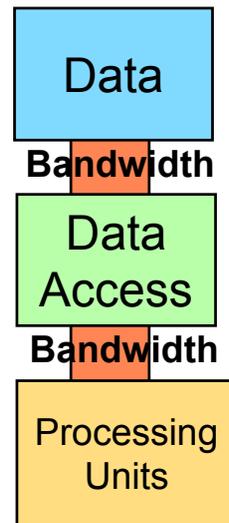
# Comparison of 2 vs 3 physical levels

## ■ Three Physical Levels

- ◆ Investment in:
  - Control Logic
  - Specialized processors

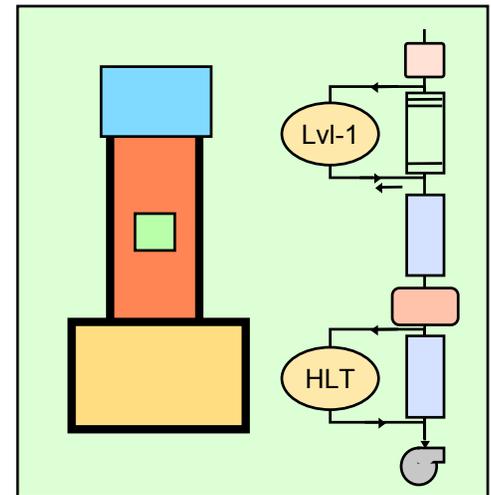


## Model

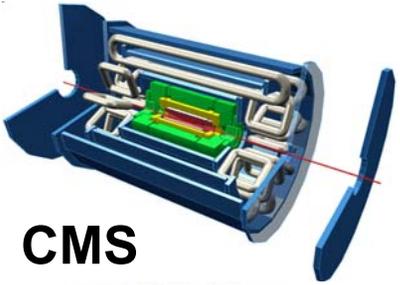
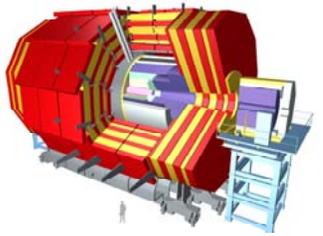
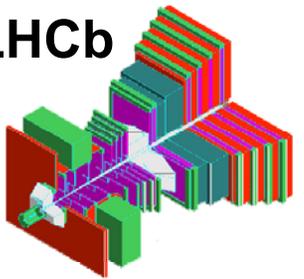
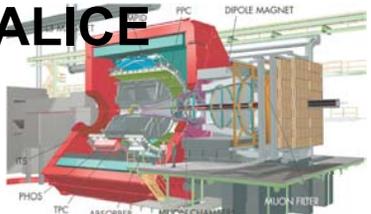


## ■ Two Physical Levels

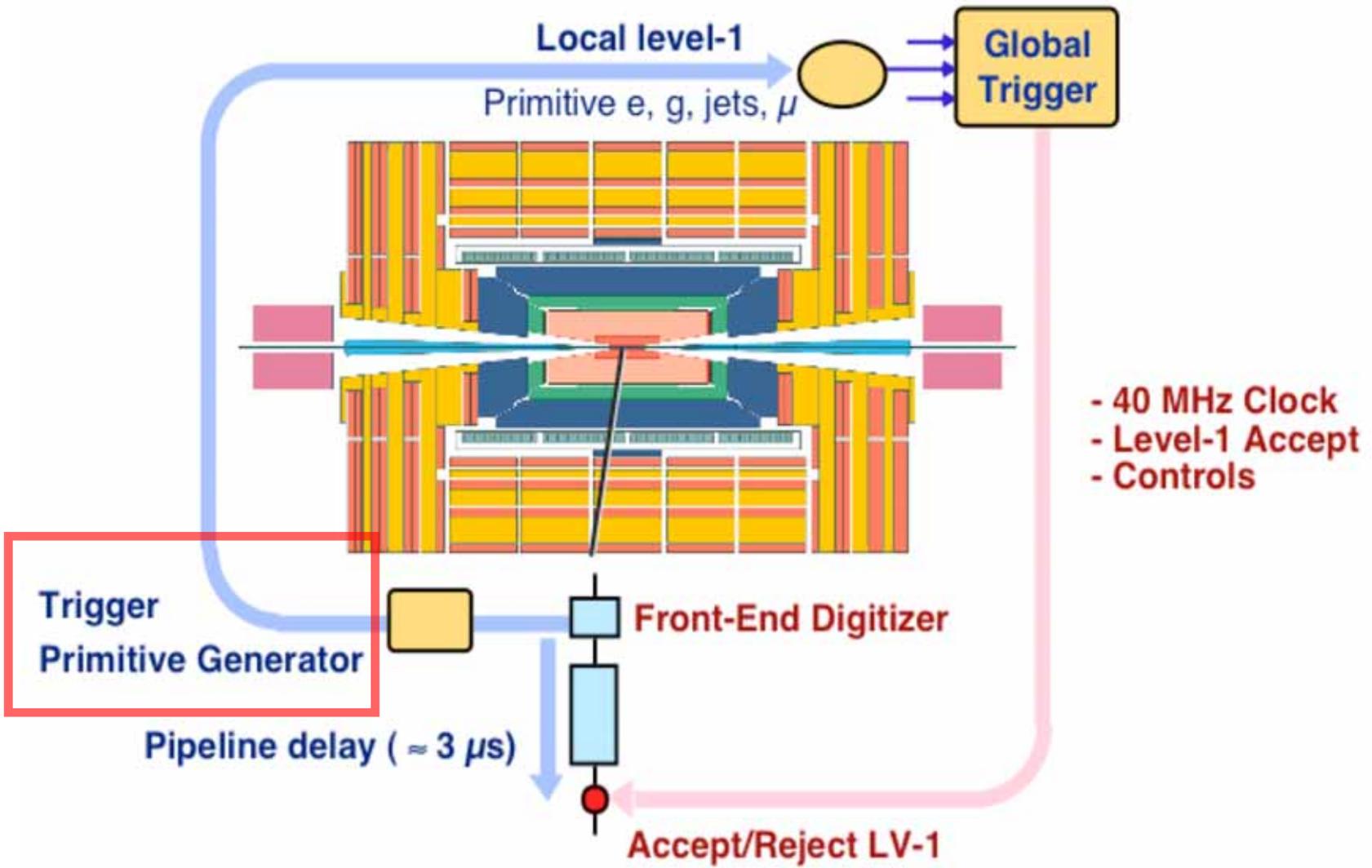
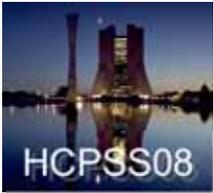
- ◆ Investment in:
  - Bandwidth
  - Commercial Processors



# Trigger/DAQ parameters: summary

	No.Levels	Level-1	Event	Readout	Filter Out
	Trigger	Rate (Hz)	Size (Byte)	Bandw.(GB/s)	MB/s (Event/s)
<b>ATLAS</b> 	<b>3</b>	<b><math>10^5</math></b> LV-2 <b><math>10^3</math></b>	<b><math>10^6</math></b>	<b>10</b>	<b>100</b> ( $10^2$ )
<b>CMS</b> 	<b>2</b>	<b><math>10^5</math></b>	<b><math>10^6</math></b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b> ( $10^2$ )
<b>LHCb</b> 	<b>3</b>	LV-0 <b><math>10^6</math></b> LV-1 <b><math>4 \cdot 10^4</math></b>	<b><math>2 \times 10^5</math></b>	<b>4</b>	<b>40</b> ( $2 \times 10^2$ )
<b>ALICE</b> 	<b>4</b>	Pp-Pp <b>500</b> p-p <b><math>10^3</math></b>	<b><math>5 \times 10^7</math></b> <b><math>2 \times 10^6</math></b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1250</b> ( $10^2$ ) <b>200</b> ( $10^2$ )

# Level 1 Trigger Operation

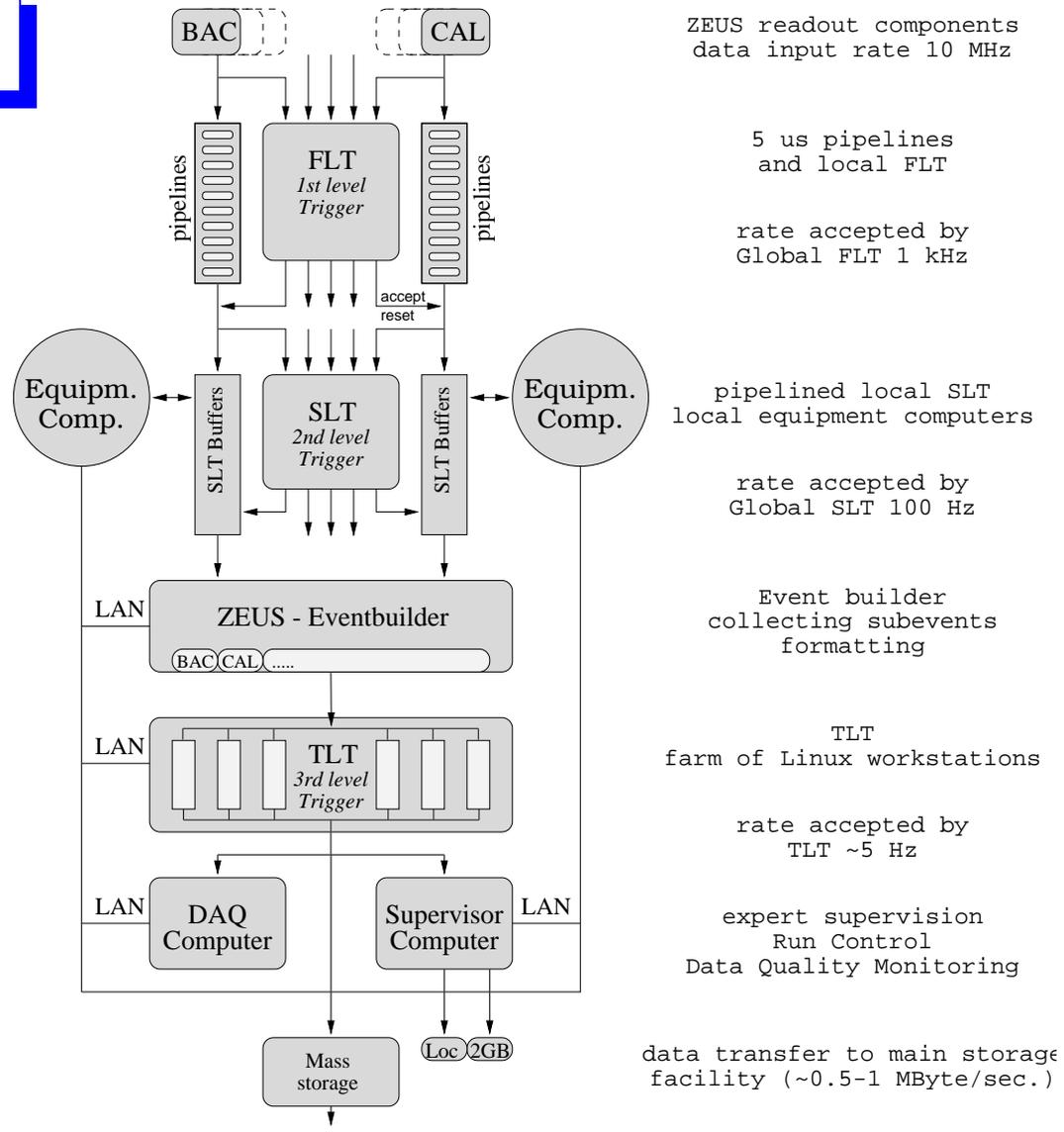


# Level-1 trigger

Najważniejsza i najtrudniejsza część układu wyzwiania

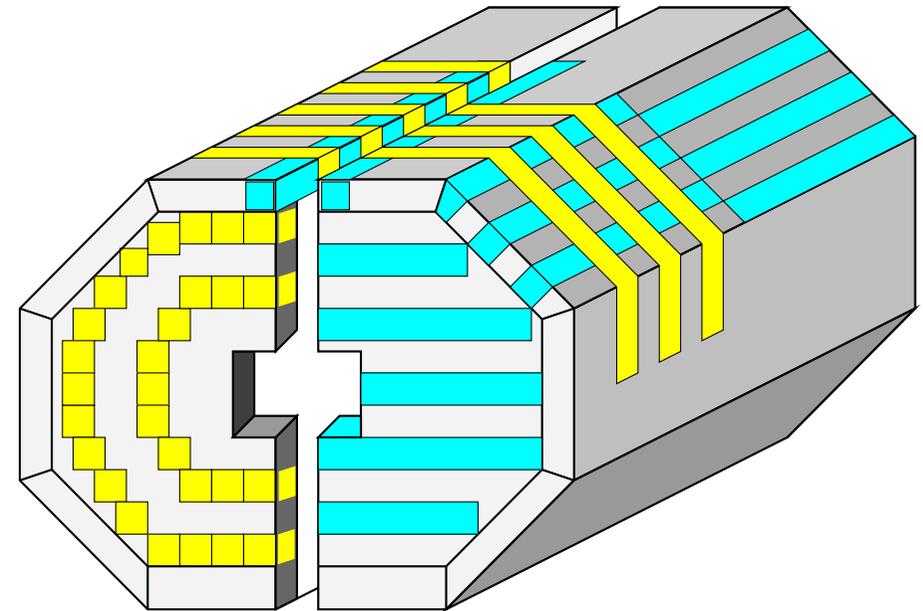
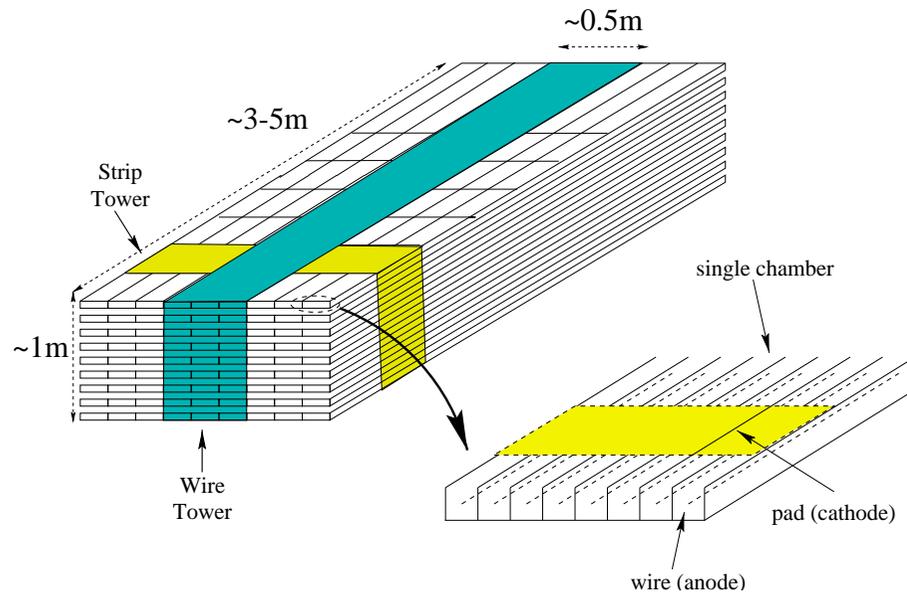
- \* bardzo mało czasu na podjęcie decyzji
- \* możliwe tylko najprostsze operacje na danych:
  - dodawanie
  - mnożenie
  - adresowanie pamięci (!)
    - => jedyny sposób na wykonanie bardziej złożonych operacji to policzyć wcześniej wszystkie możliwości i zapisać w LUT (Look-Up Table)
- \* musimy wprowadzać uproszczenia  
(ograniczenie strumienia danych => przestrzeni adresowej)
- \* musimy się pogodzić z dużymi błędami
- \* najważniejsza jest efektywność (czystość zapewnimy potem)

# ZEUS Trigger Scheme



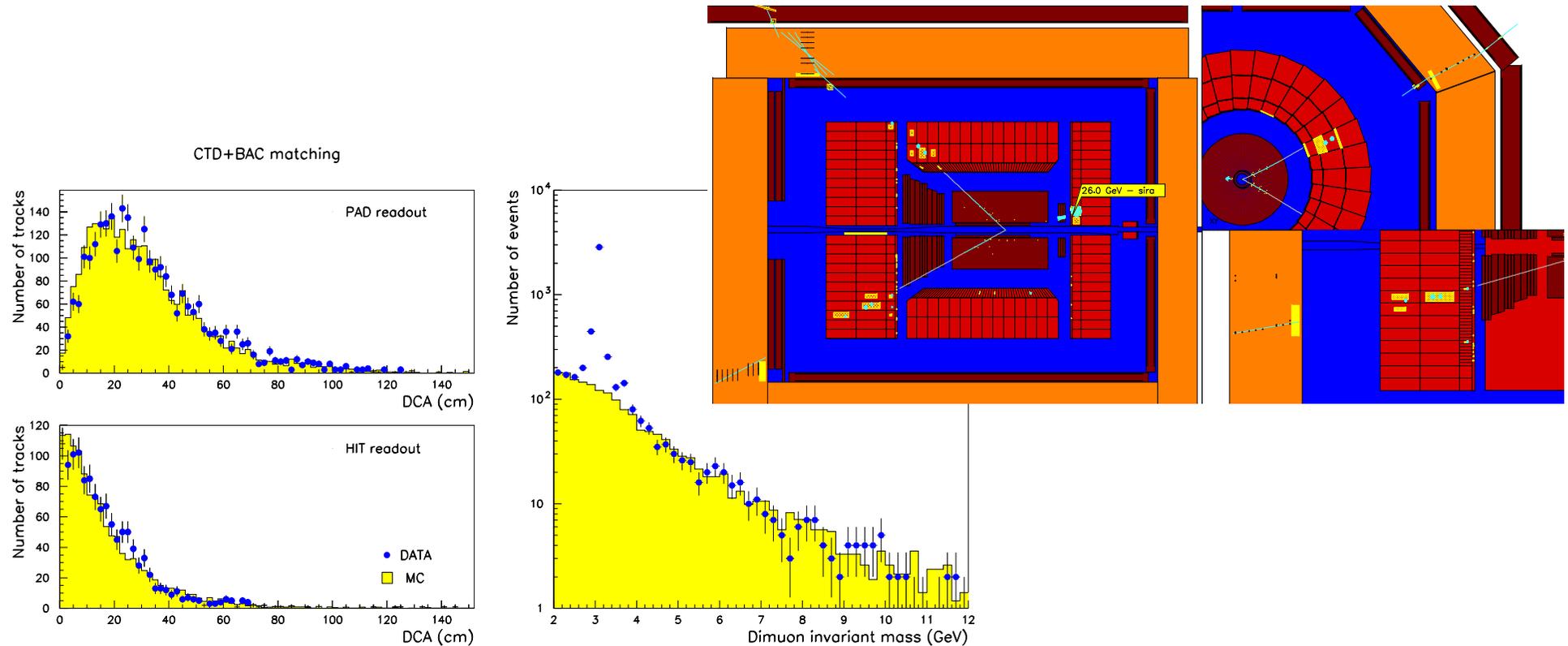
- 3 Level Trigger: FLT - fifo pipelines, SLT - DPM memory, TLT: software

## BAC Strip Towers



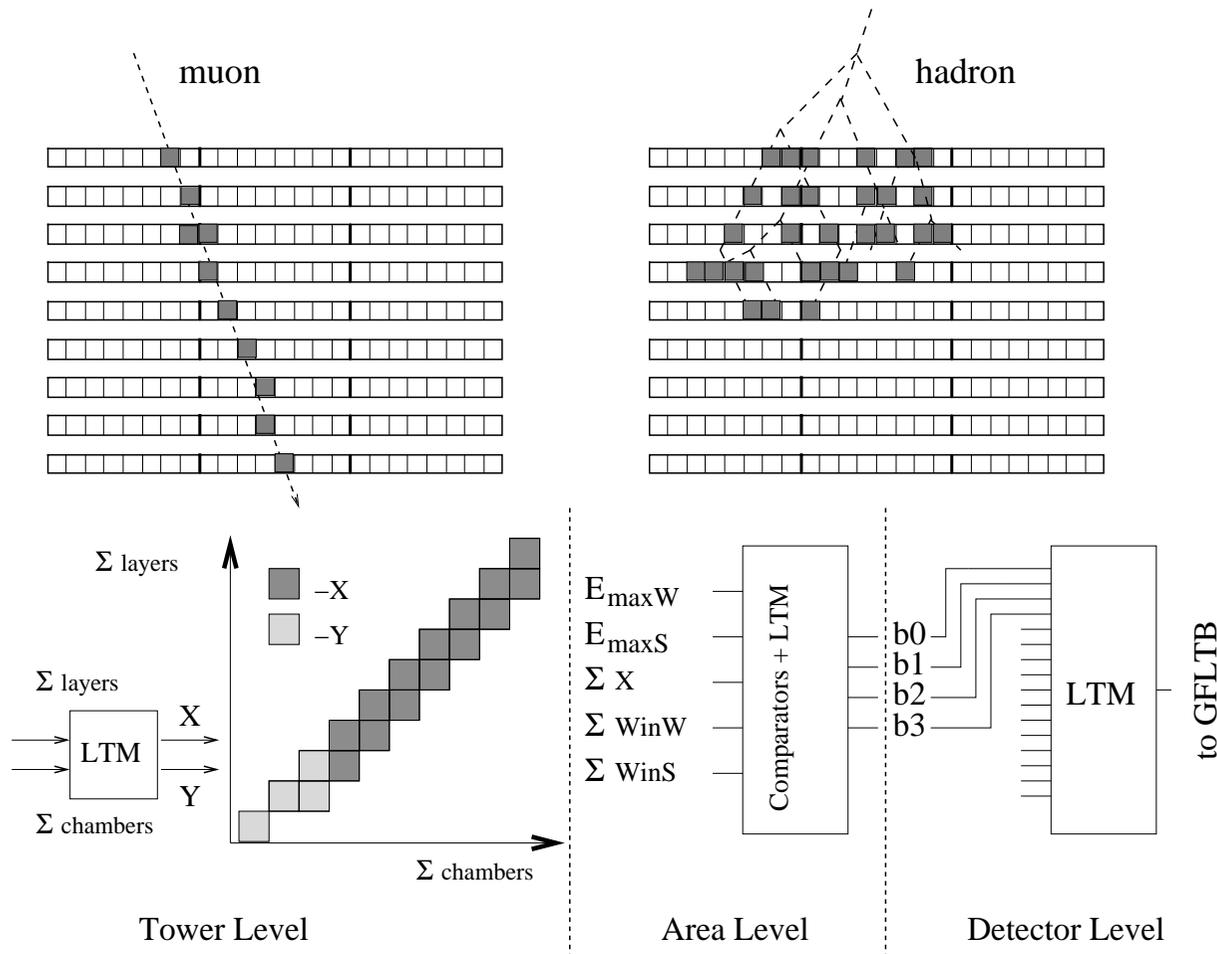
- Strips are constructed using neighbour pad towers
- In Barrel: Strip towers are perpendicular to wire towers
- In Endcaps: Strips are formed in semi-circles around beam-pipe

# BAC as a muon detector



- Position (HIT) readout fully installed in 1997/98
- Di-muon analysis:  $J/\psi$ ,  $\psi'$  and Bethe-Heitler

## BAC Muon Trigger Algorithm: Basic Idea

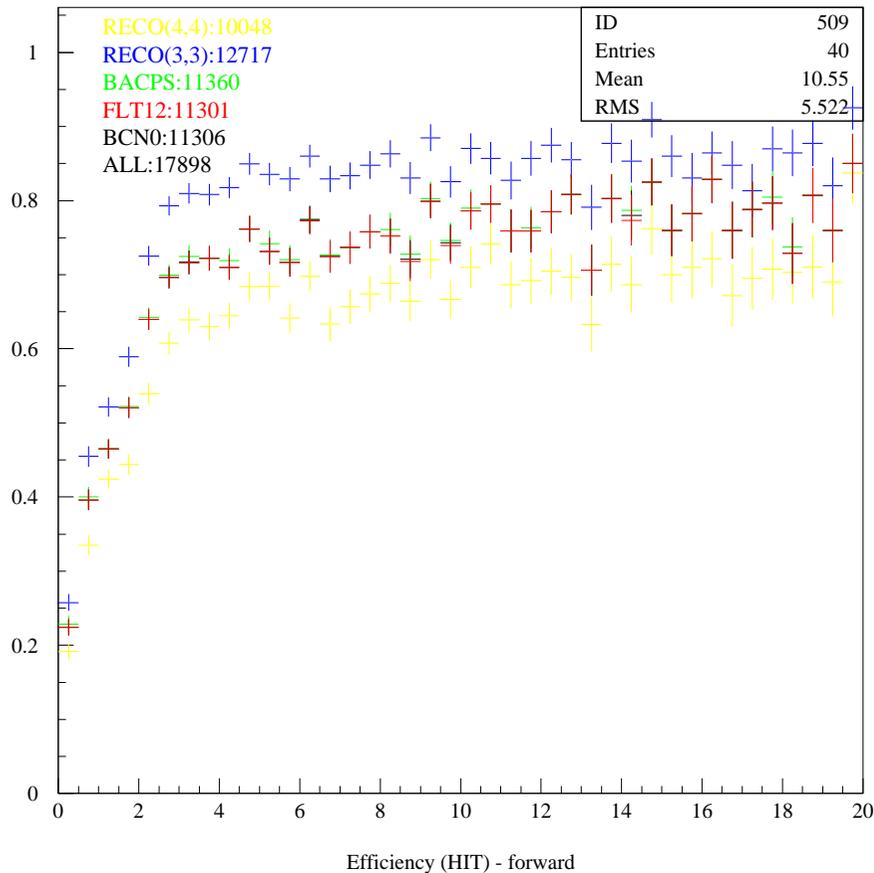


- fast pattern recognition in wire towers
- counting  $\Sigma$  chambers and  $\Sigma$  layers
- LTM memory to classify events
- flexible fillings possible for each tower

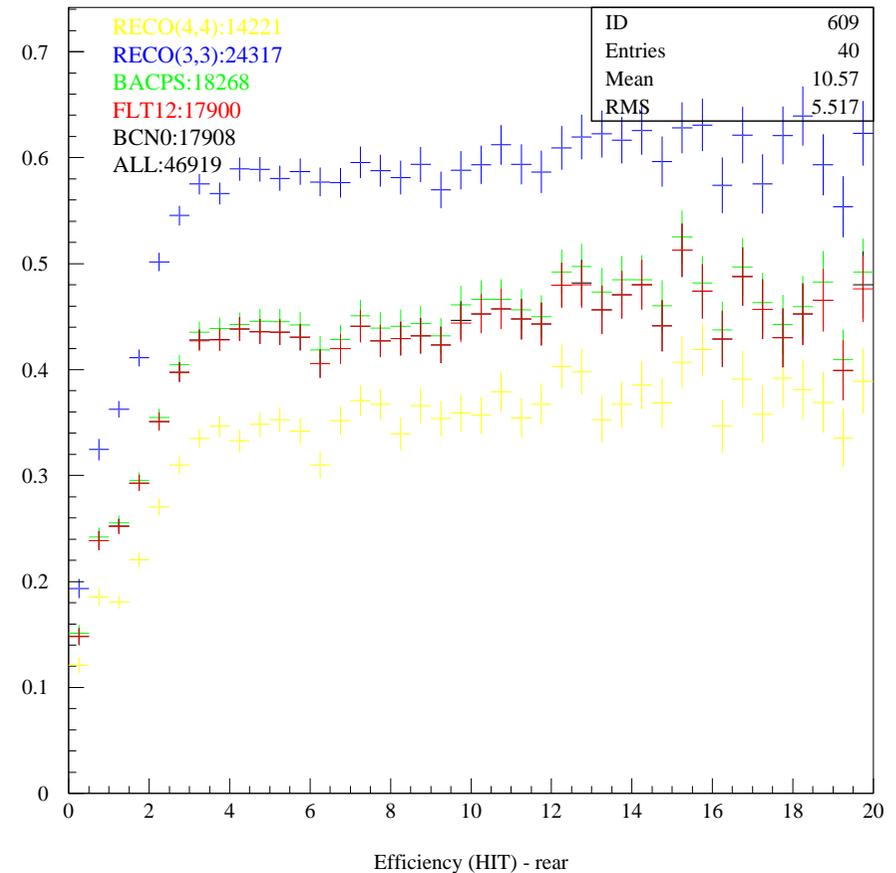
- BAC muon trigger logic on Tower, Area and Detector Level
- For “good” /quite towers: ( $N_{layers} \geq 3, N_{chambers} \geq 3$ )

## BAC FLT on-line efficiencies (from COSMIC run)

FLTeff: 59425 v:267 ( $\mu$  in Forward half)

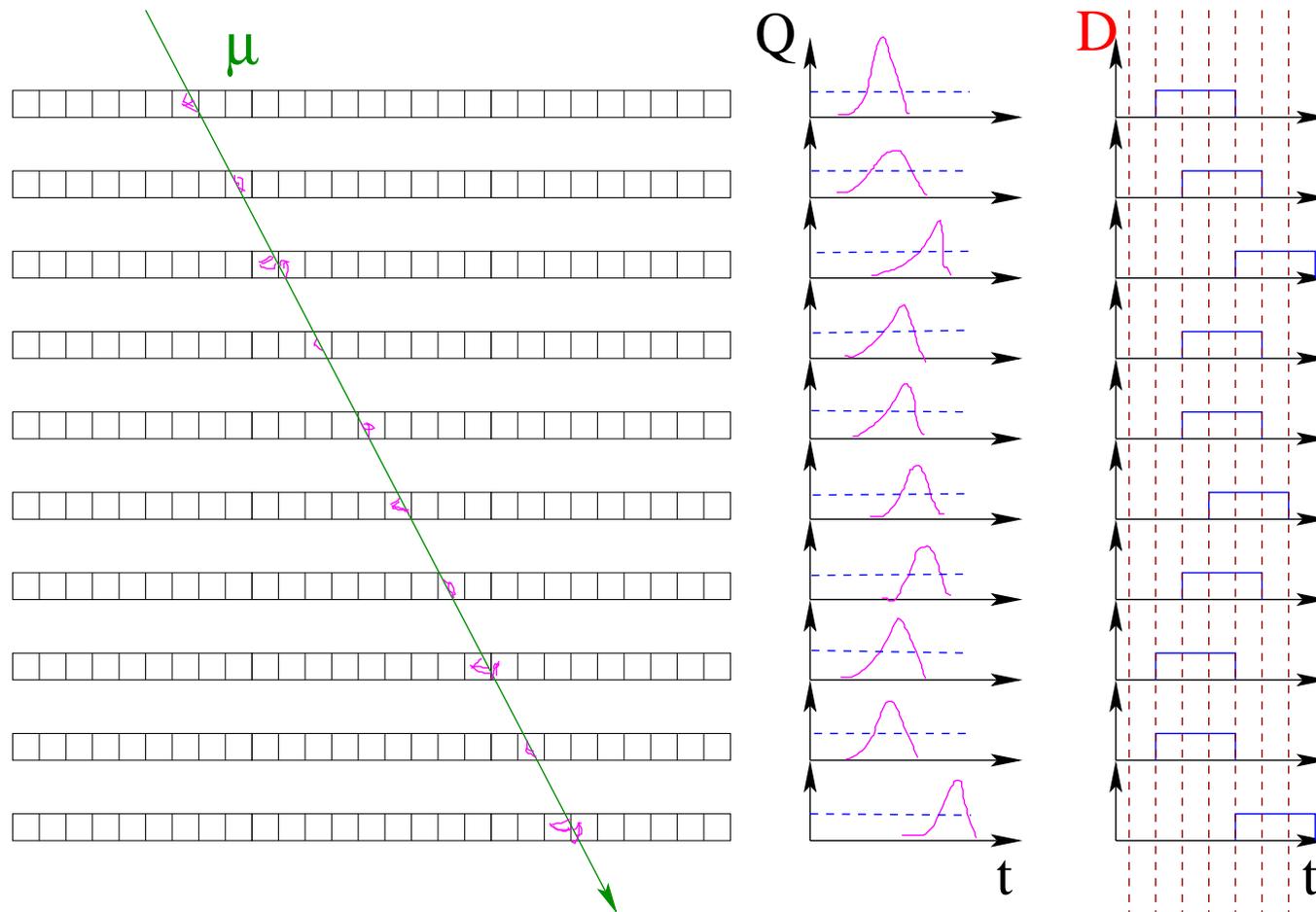


FLTeff: 59425 v:267 ( $\mu$  in Rear half)



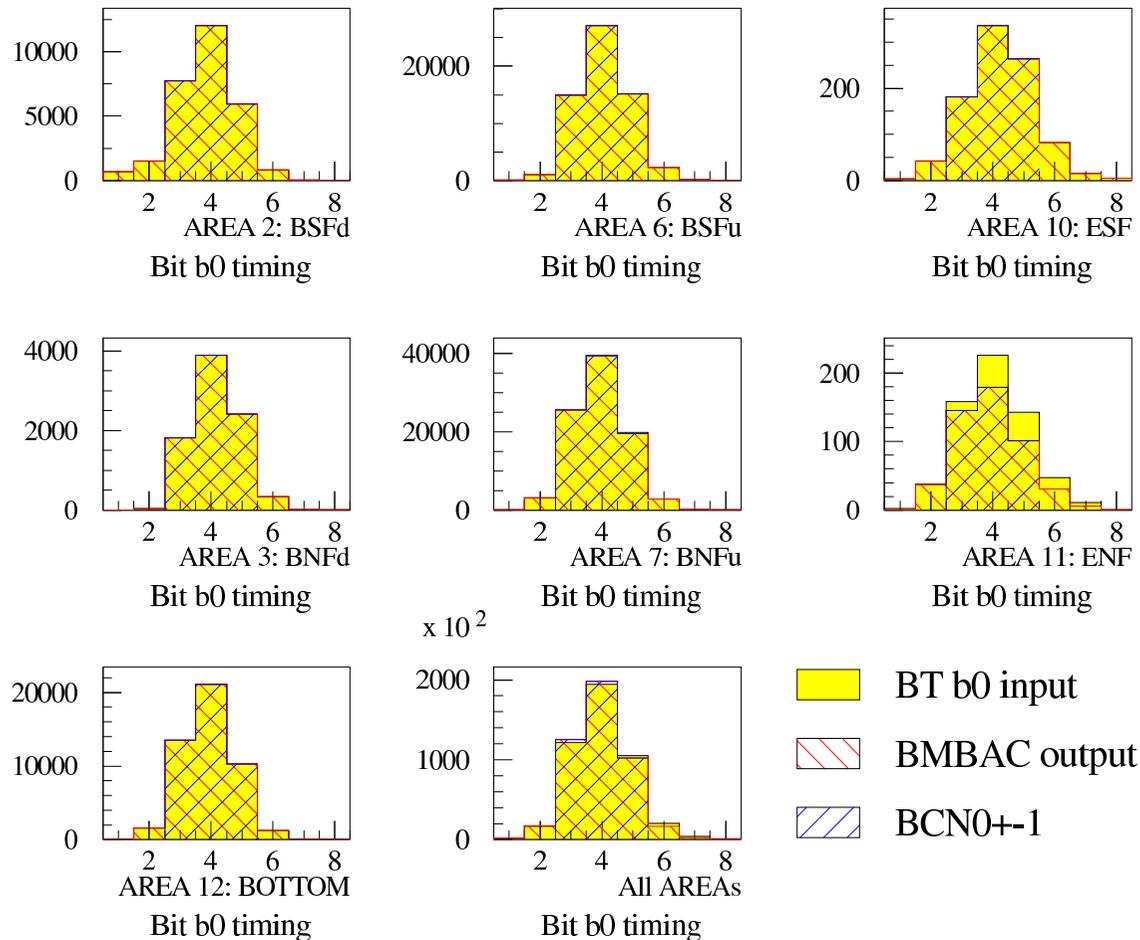
- calculated w.r.t. the FLT61 (BCAL-COSMIC-x\*gTRK)
- trigger efficiency as a function of the muon momentum is plotted

## Drift Time Problem: Wire Tower

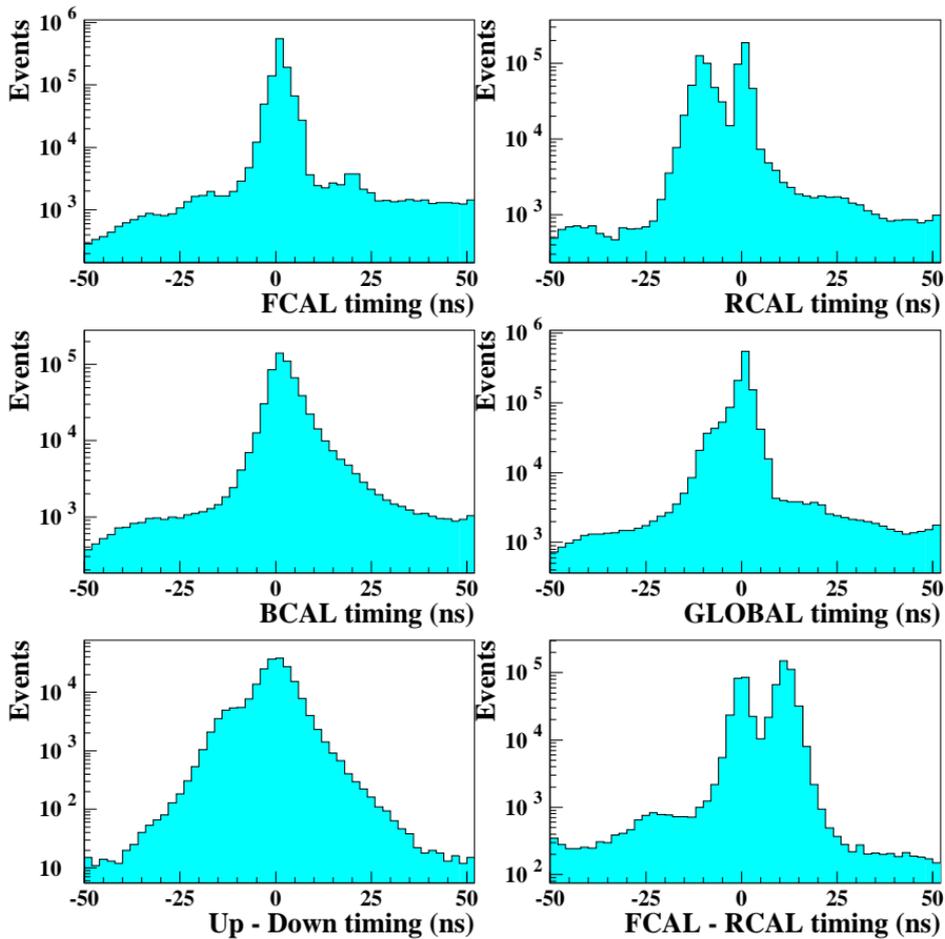


- amplitude discrimination in comparators (programmable threshold)
- digital signal is extended for 3 consecutive HERA clocks to reduce jitter effect
- $N_{layers}, N_{chambers}$  are calculated for each clock

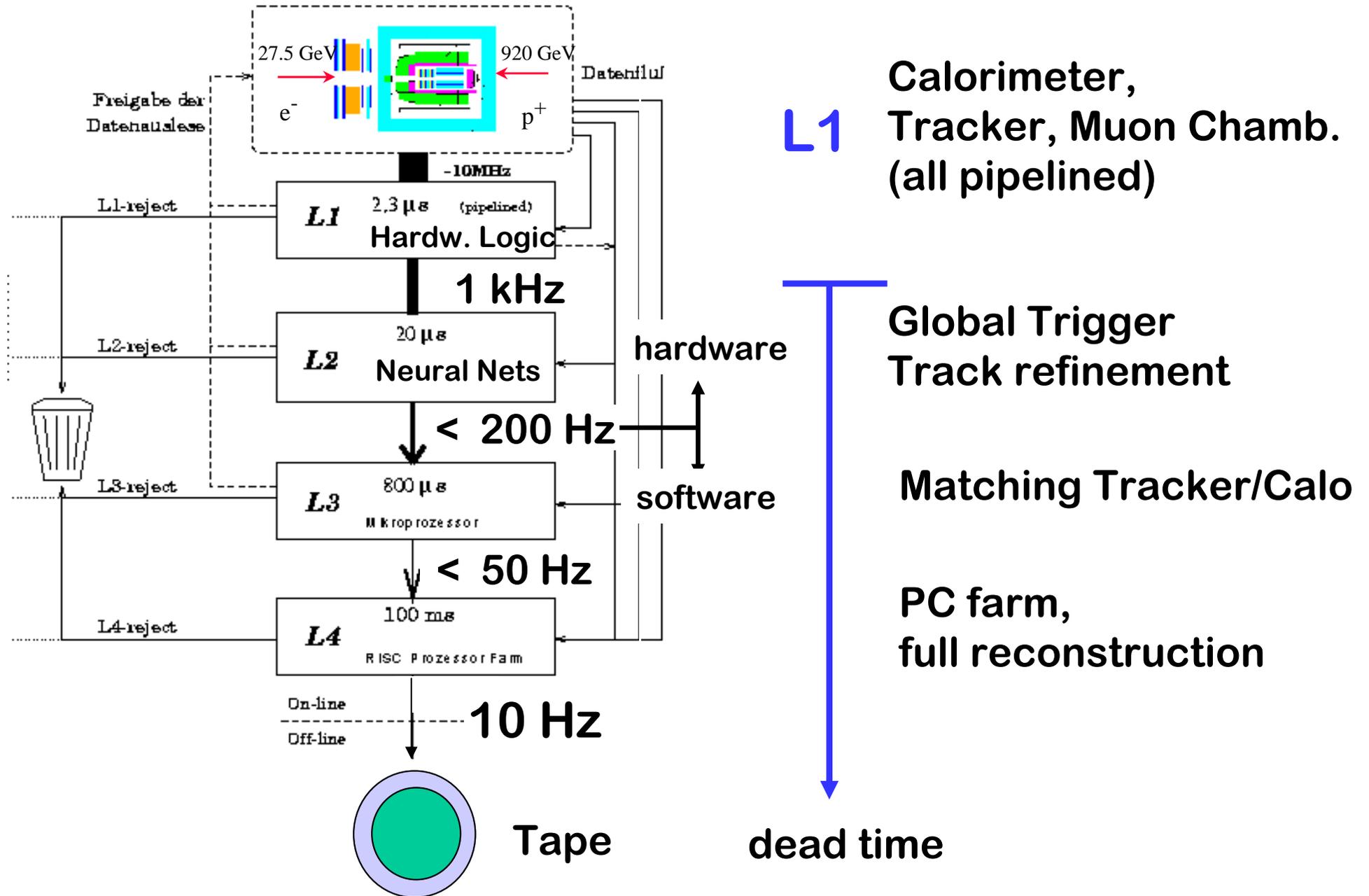
## BAC Trigger timings for selected Areas



- Timing distribution of BAC muon trigger
- Each muon bit is extended for 2 consecutive HERA clocks
- Some irreducible jitter due to the drift time in gas ( $\sim 100 \text{ ns}/1 \text{ cm}$ )

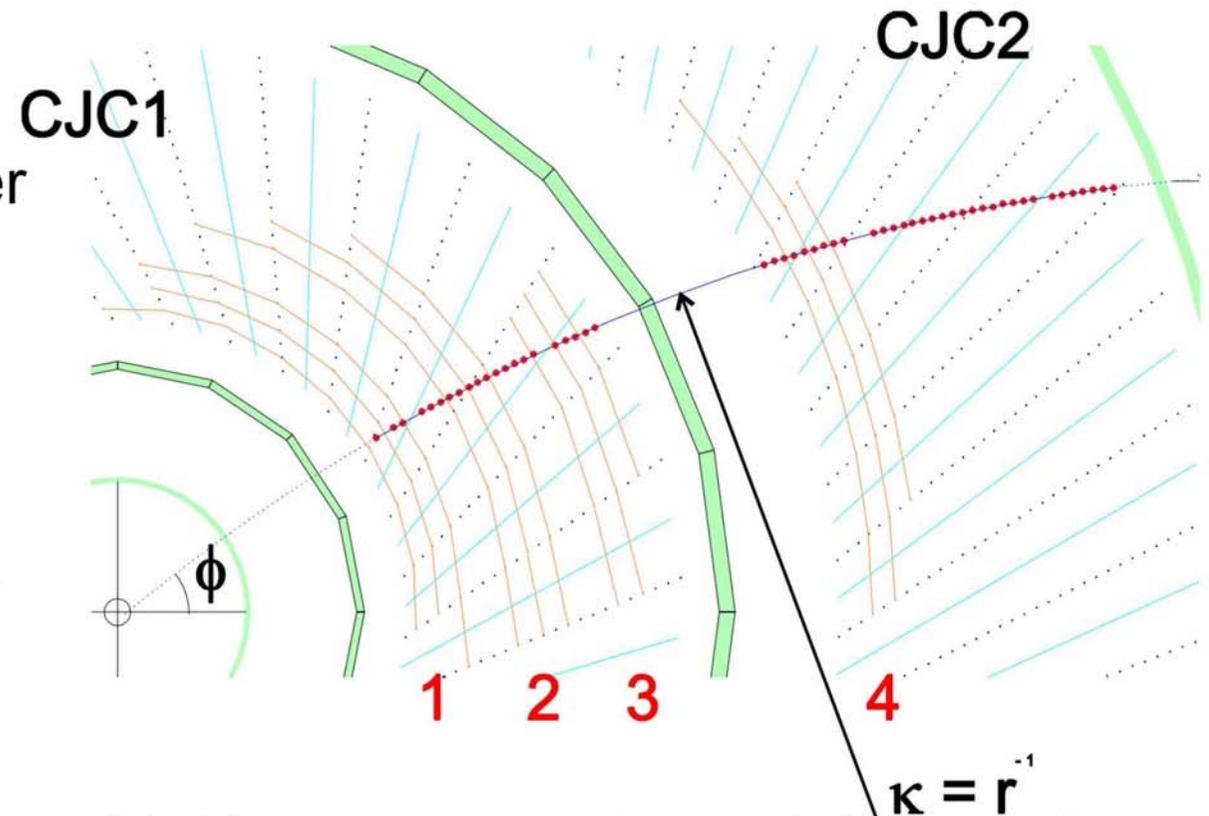
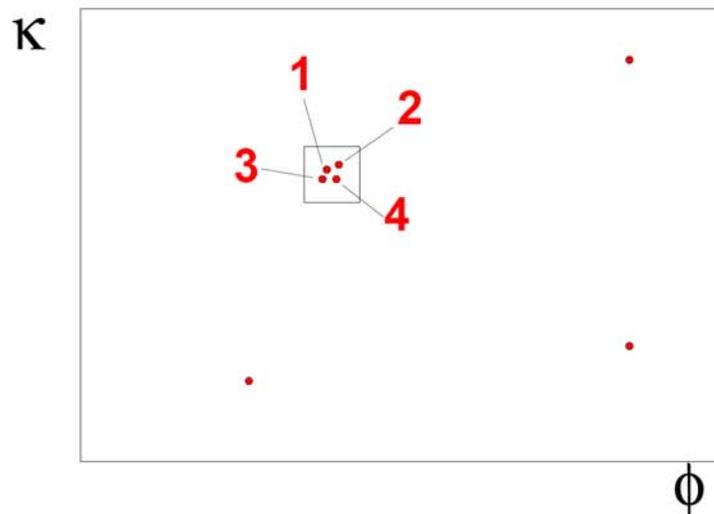


# The H1 Trigger System



# The Fast Track Trigger (FTT) of H1

- FTT is based on selected wires of central jet chamber
- 4 groups of 3 wire layer each
- Each group provides a vertex constrained track segment, characterized by  $\kappa$  and  $\phi$



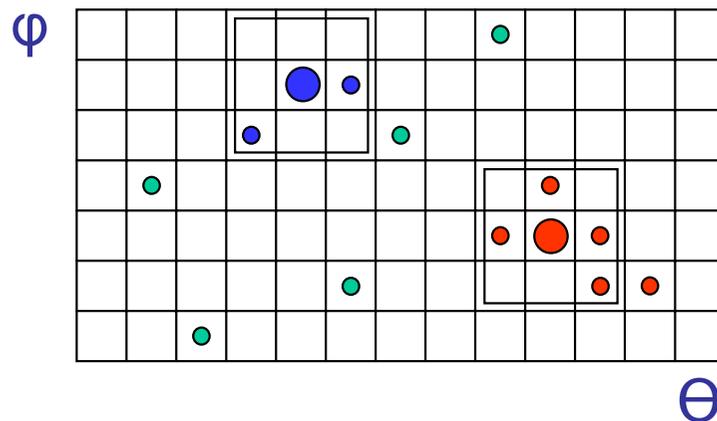
- Linking segments to track in  $\kappa$ - $\phi$  plane by searching clusters
- Fit track parameters =>
  - Search for particle resonances
  - Provide trigger decision for L1/L2/L3

# Principle of the Jet Trigger

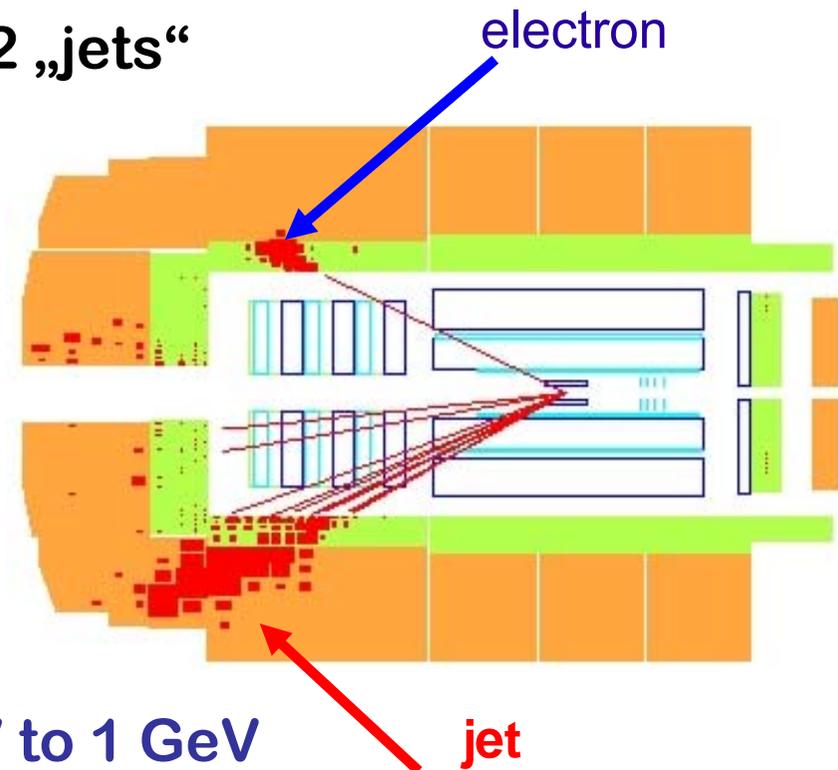
A calorimeter trigger implementing a real-time jet cluster algorithm within 800 ns (L1 latency 2.3  $\mu$ s)

**Why?**

Avoid summing noise: trigger on low energy electrons and jets



here: 2 „jets“  
found



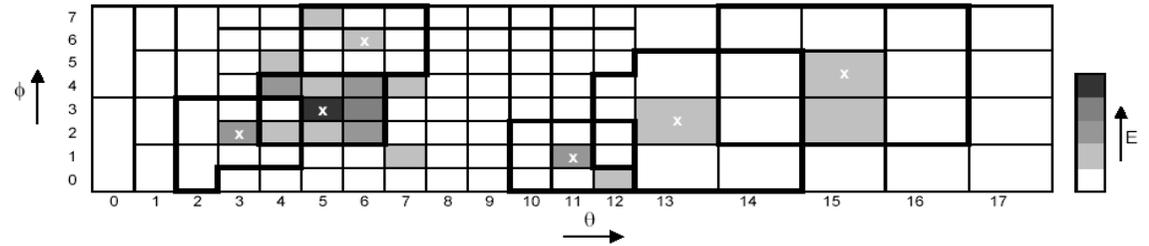
**Jet variables extracted:**  
Energy, topology ( $\Theta$ ,  $\varphi$ )

**Major achievement**

Reduce trigger thresholds from 5 GeV to 1 GeV

# Parallel Cluster Algorithm (Jet Finder)

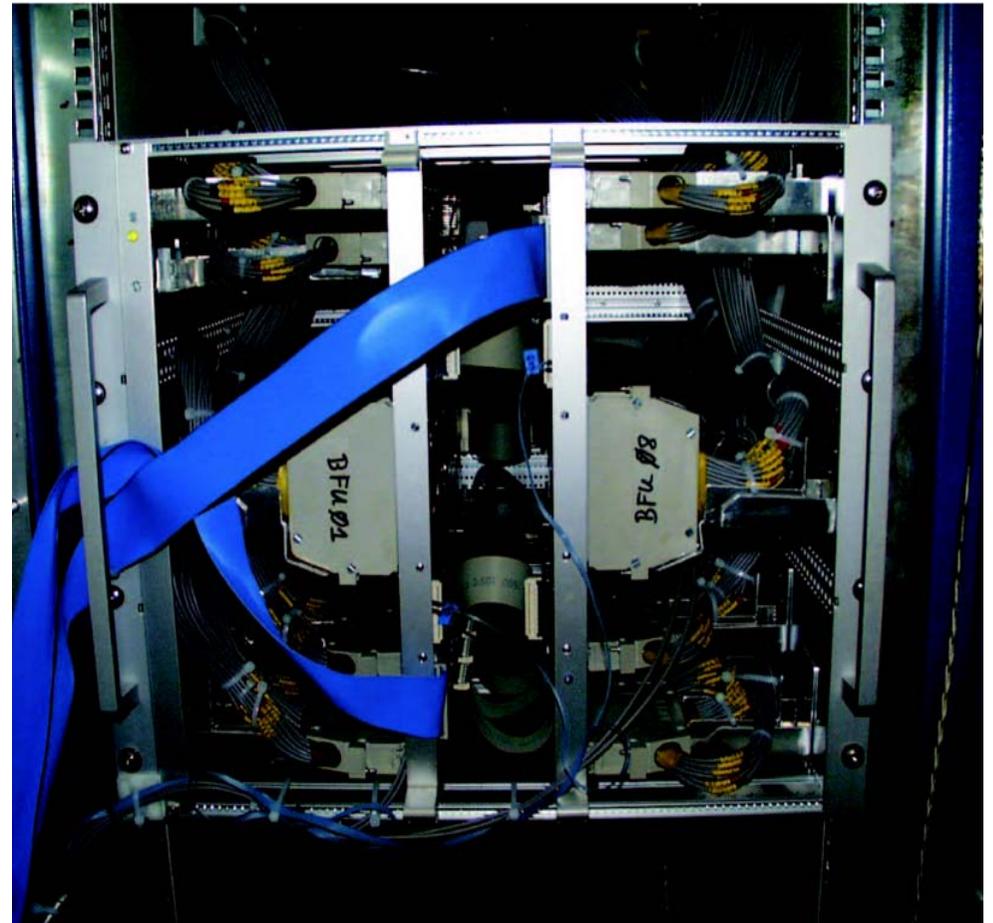
- Find local energy maxima:  
each tower compares its energy with all its neighbors  
("jet centers")
- For each jet center:  
sum immediate neighbors  
("jet energy")



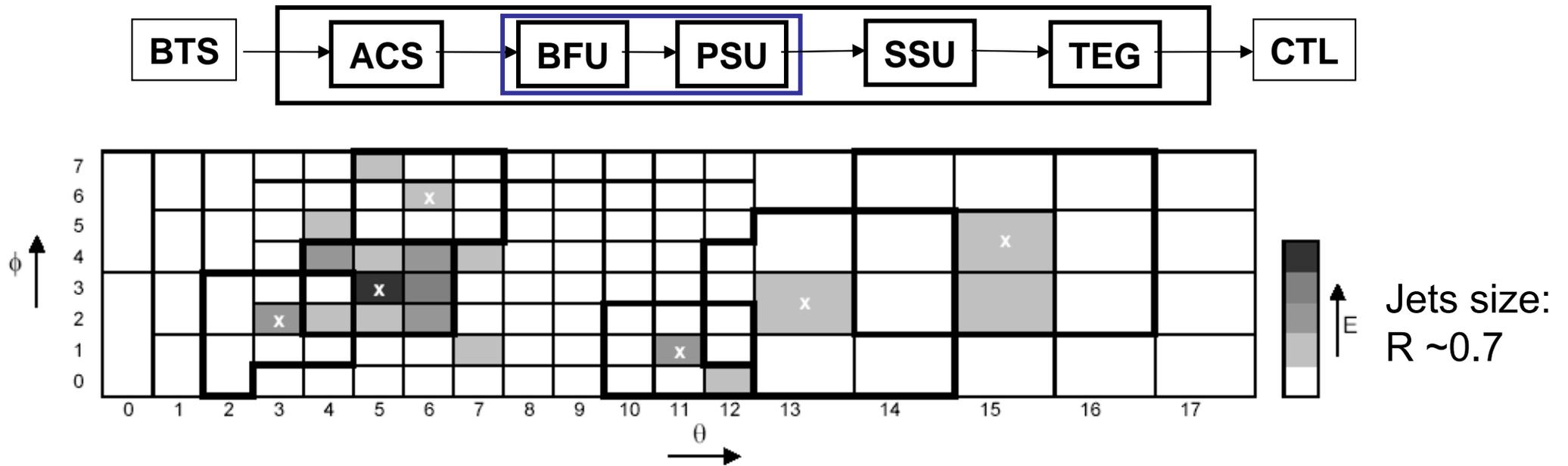
Hardware:

**BFU – Bump Finder Unit:**

- 2 boards
- 32 Altera FPGAs x 500k gates
- Input 440 towers, output 116 jets
- Output rate 1.2 GB/s
  
- Latency 100 ns

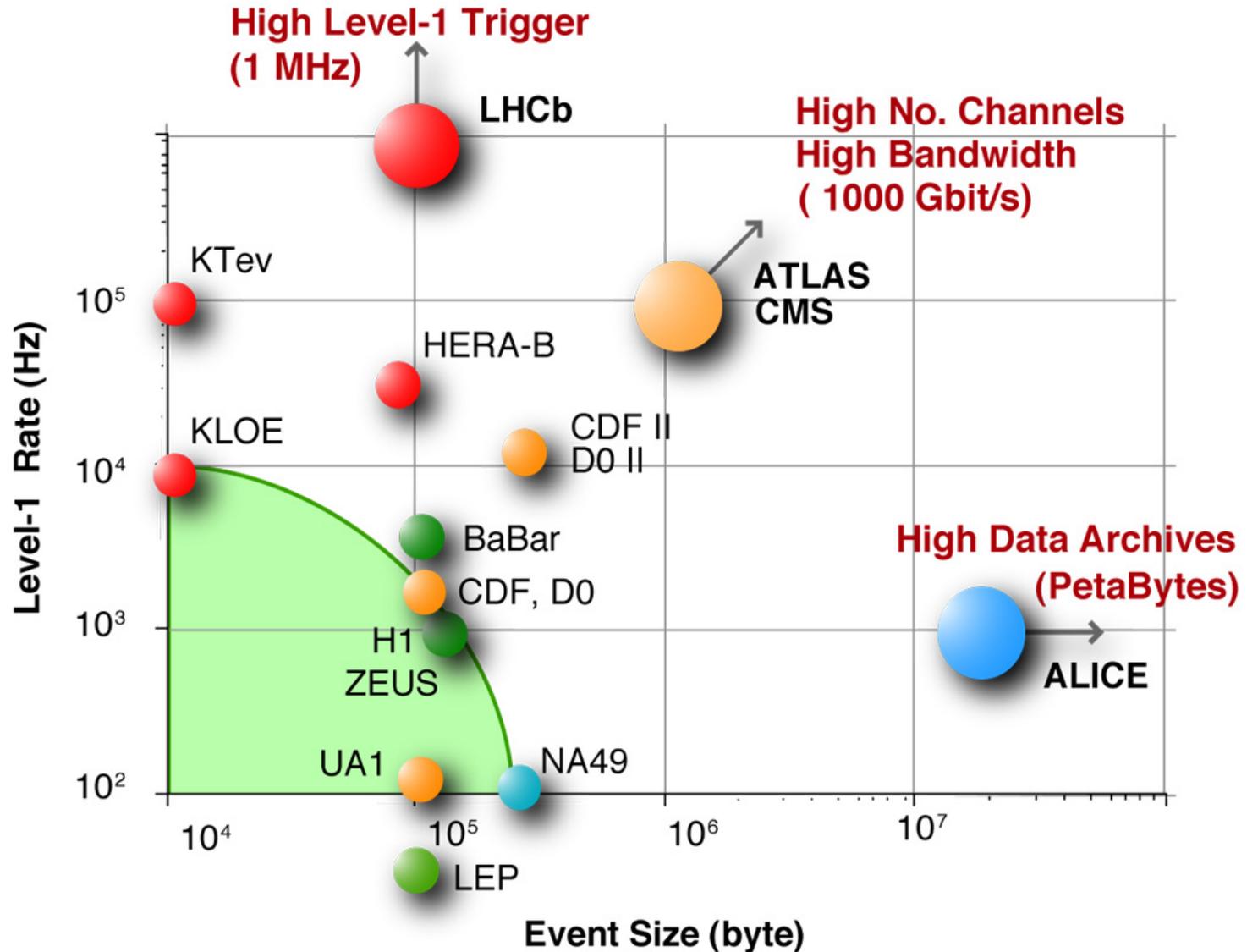


# Jet Finder Algorithm within 800 ns



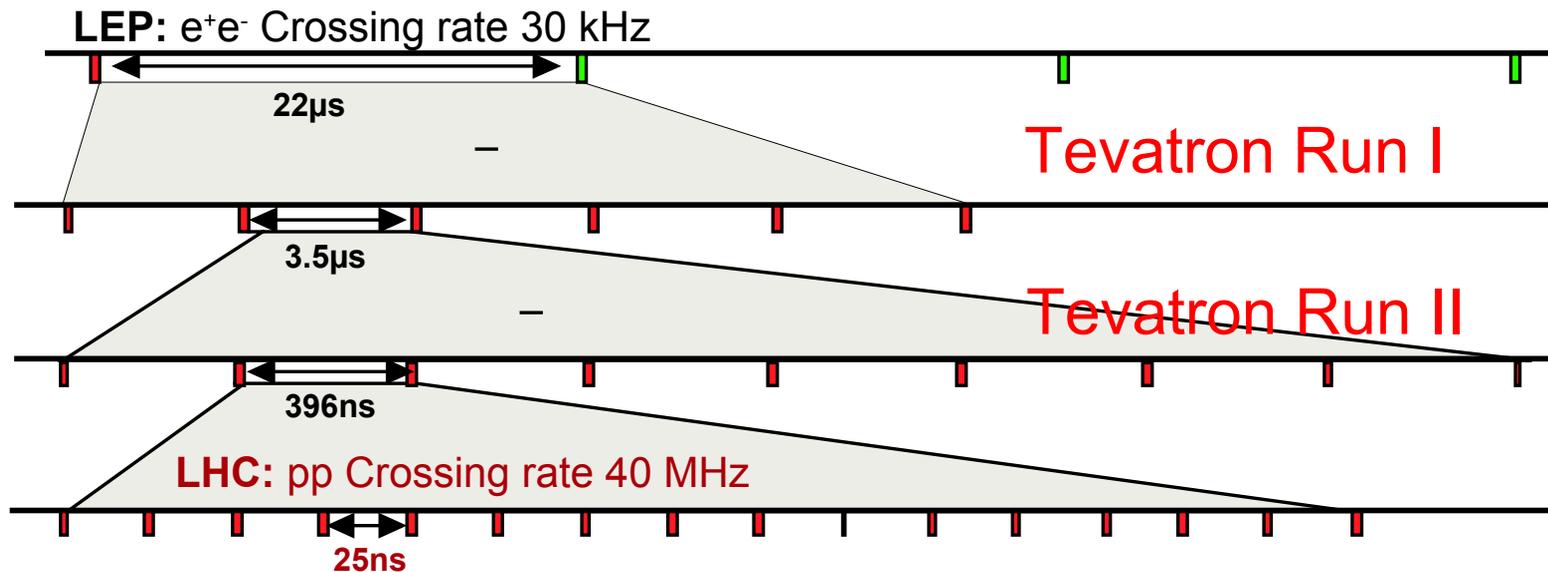
- **Adc Calculation Storage:** digitize and sum towers - cut coherent noise
- **Bump Finder Unit:** cluster algorithm (find jets) within 100ns!
- **Primary Sorting Unit:** sort 16 „jets“ in decreasing energy
- **Secondary Sorting Unit:**  leading jets are physics, „lower“ jets are noise
- **Trigger Element Generator:** apply topological conditions on individual jets, using energy and location in  $\Theta$  and  $\phi$

# Trigger/DAQ systems: present & future



# Beam crossings: LEP, Tevatron & LHC

- LHC will have ~3600 bunches
  - ◆ And same length as LEP (27 km)
  - ◆ Distance between bunches:  $27\text{km}/3600=7.5\text{m}$
  - ◆ Distance between bunches in time:  $7.5\text{m}/c=25\text{ns}$

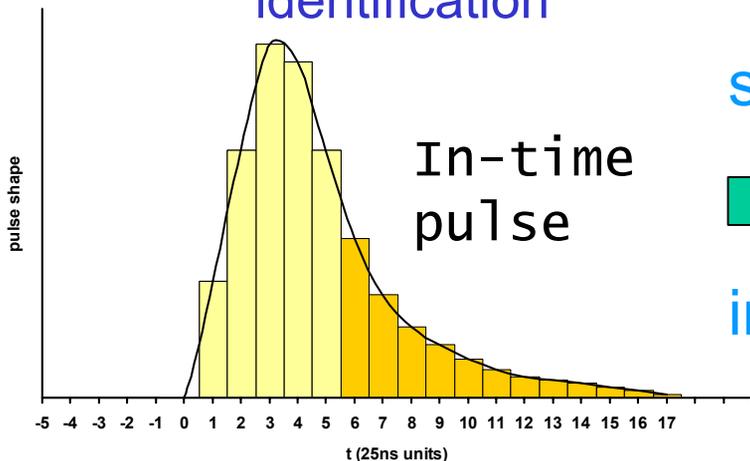
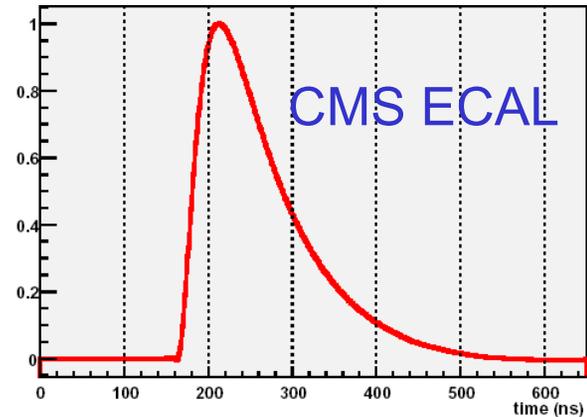


# Pile-up

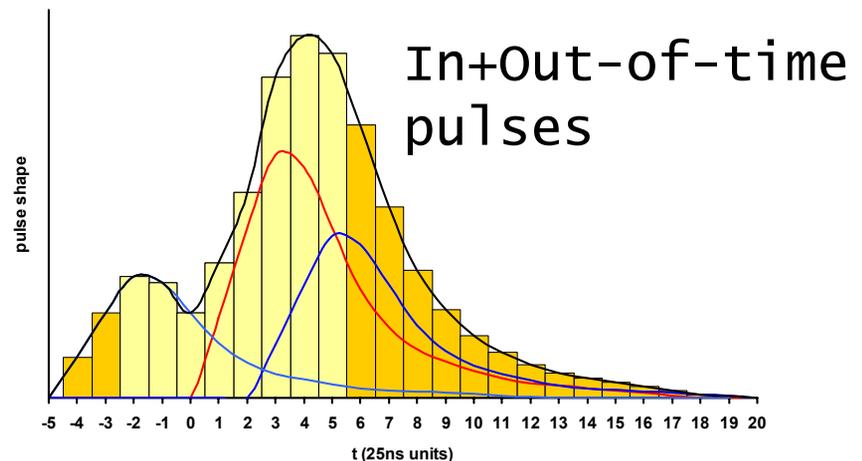
- “In-time” pile-up: particles from the same crossing but from a different pp interaction

- Long detector response/pulse shapes:

- ◆ “Out-of-time” pile-up: left-over signals from interactions in previous crossings
- ◆ Need “bunch-crossing identification”

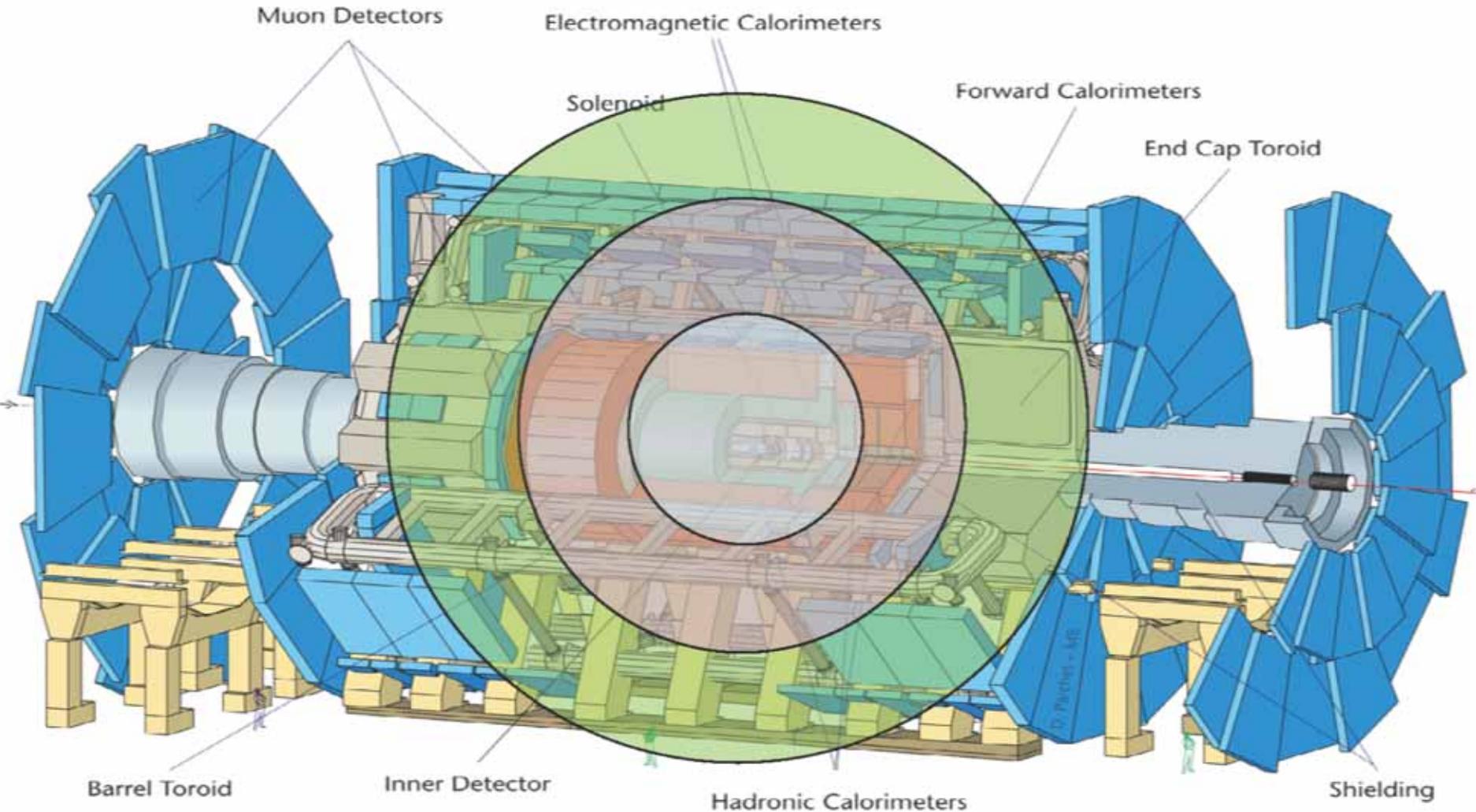


super-  
impose



# Challenges: Time of Flight

$c = 30 \text{ cm/ns} \rightarrow \text{in } 25 \text{ ns, } s = 7.5 \text{ m}$



# Level-1 trigger algorithms

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## ■ Physics facts:

- ◆ pp collisions produce mainly hadrons with  $P_T \sim 1$  GeV
- ◆ Interesting physics (old and new) has particles (leptons and hadrons) with large transverse momenta:
  - $W \rightarrow e\nu$ :  $M(W) = 80$  GeV/ $c^2$ ;  $P_T(e) \sim 30$ -40 GeV
  - $H(120$  GeV) $\rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ :  $P_T(\gamma) \sim 50$ -60 GeV

## ■ Basic requirements:

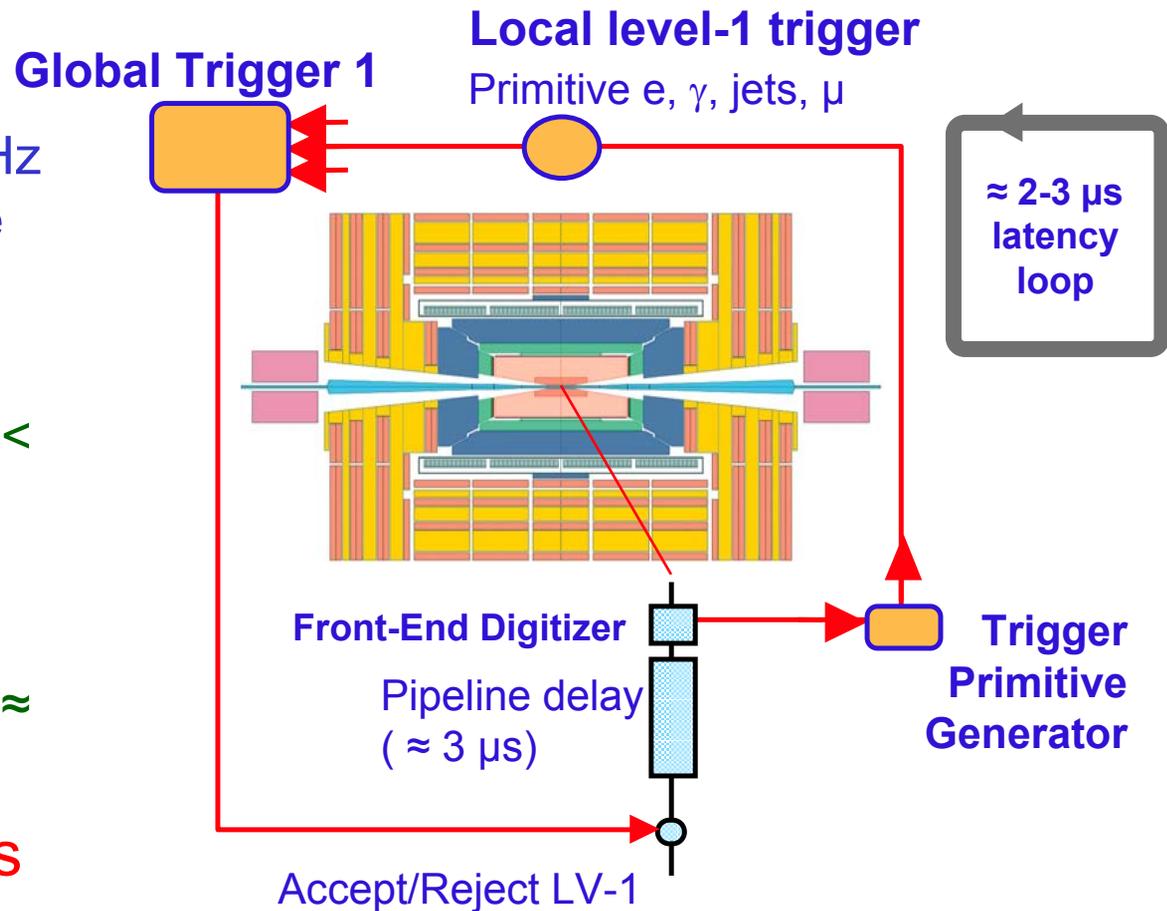
- ◆ Impose high thresholds on particles
  - Implies distinguishing particle types; possible for electrons, muons and “jets”; beyond that, need complex algorithms
- ◆ Typical thresholds:
  - Single muon with  $P_T > 20$  GeV (rate  $\sim 10$  kHz)
    - Dimuons with  $P_T > 6$  (rate  $\sim 1$  kHz)
  - Single e/ $\gamma$  with  $P_T > 30$  GeV (rate  $\sim 10$ -20 kHz)
    - Dielectrons with  $P_T > 20$  GeV (rate  $\sim 5$  kHz)
  - Single jet with  $P_T > 300$  GeV (rate  $\sim 0.2$ -0.4 kHz)

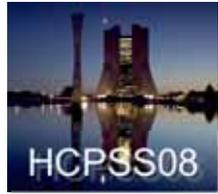
# Level-1 Trigger: decision loop

## ■ Synchronous 40 MHz digital system

- ◆ Typical: 160 MHz internal pipeline
- ◆ Latencies:
  - Readout + processing:  $< 1\mu\text{s}$
  - Signal collection & distribution:  $\approx 2\mu\text{s}$

## ■ At Lvl-1: process only calo+ $\mu$ info



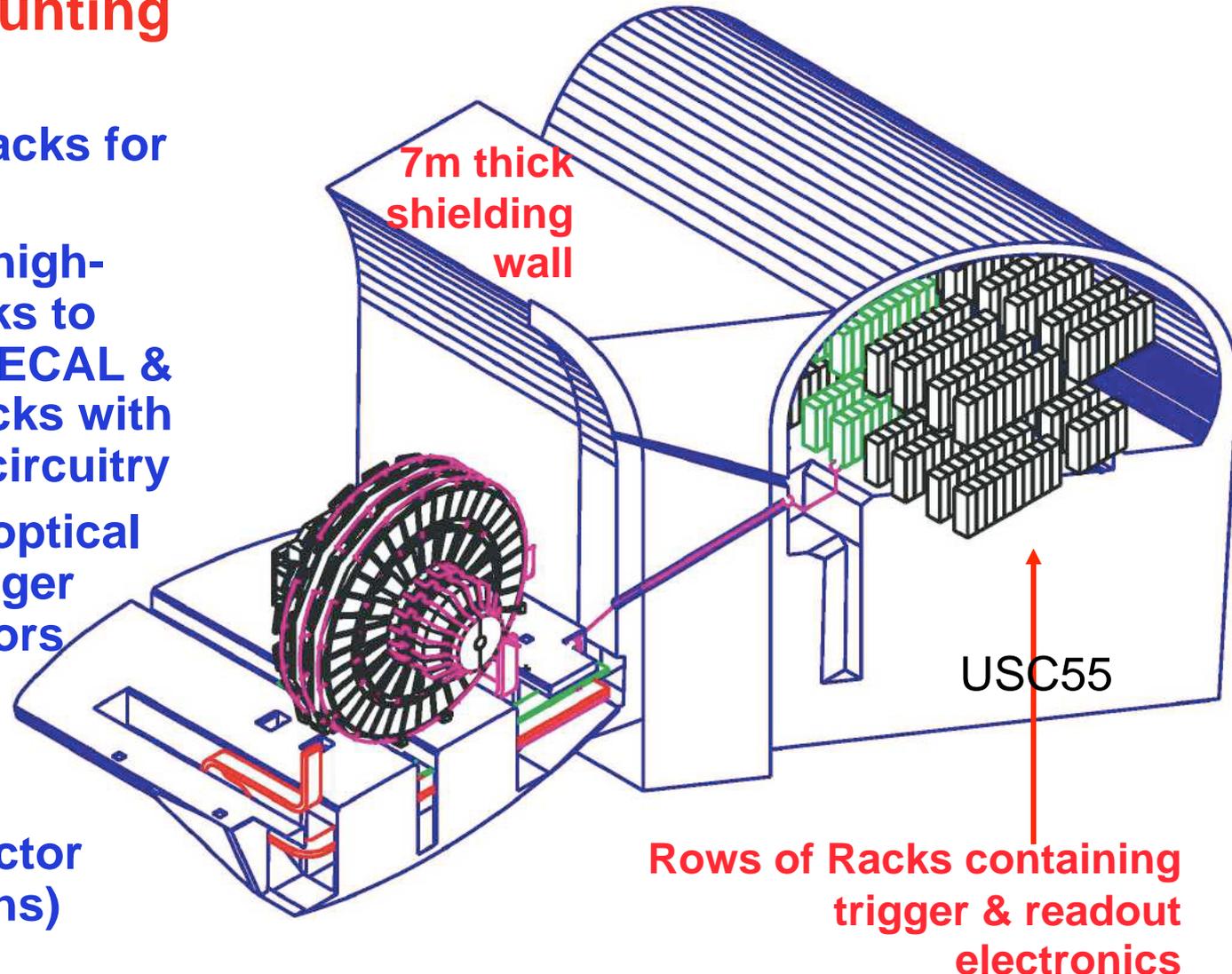


# L1 Trigger Locations

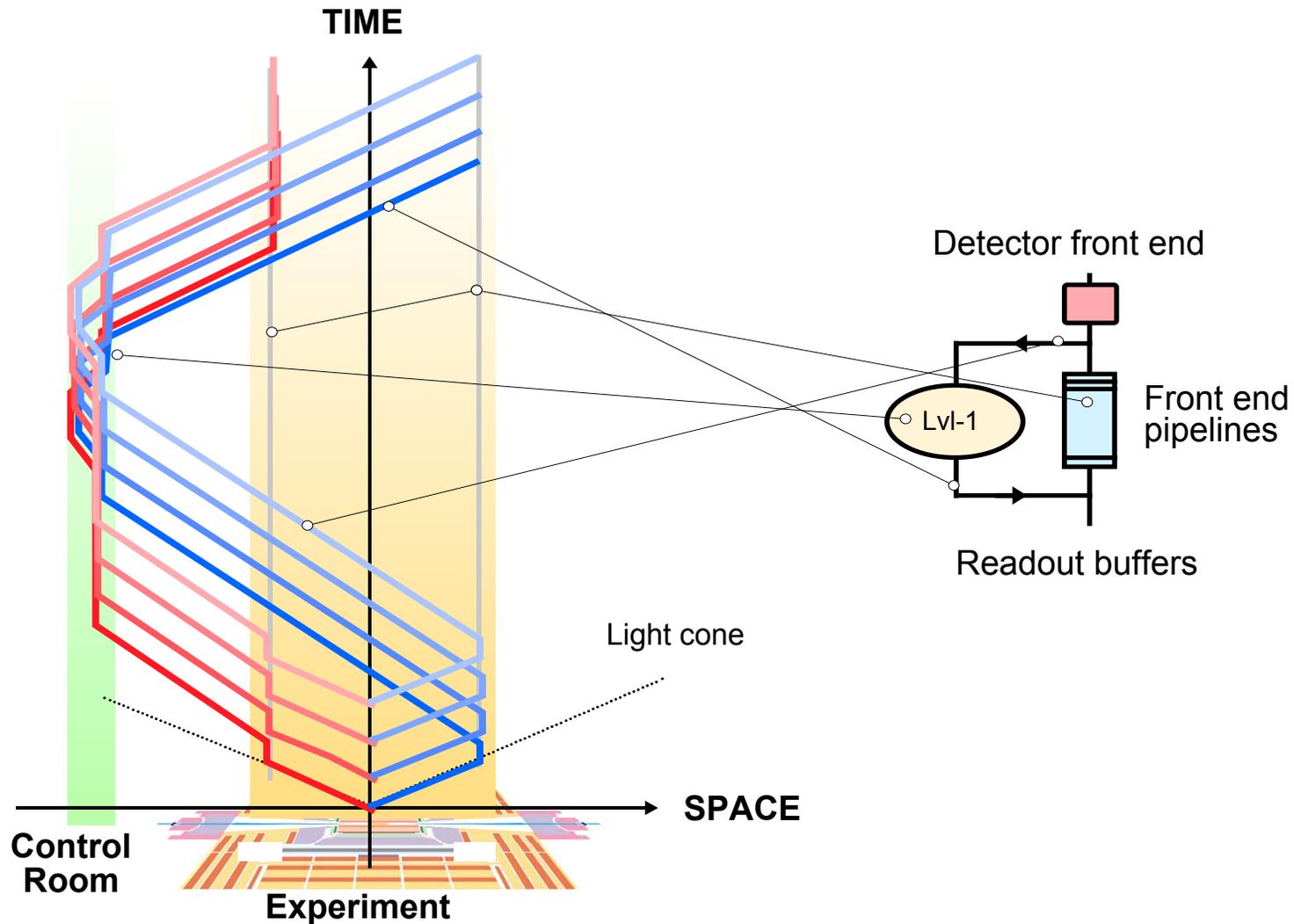


## Underground Counting Room

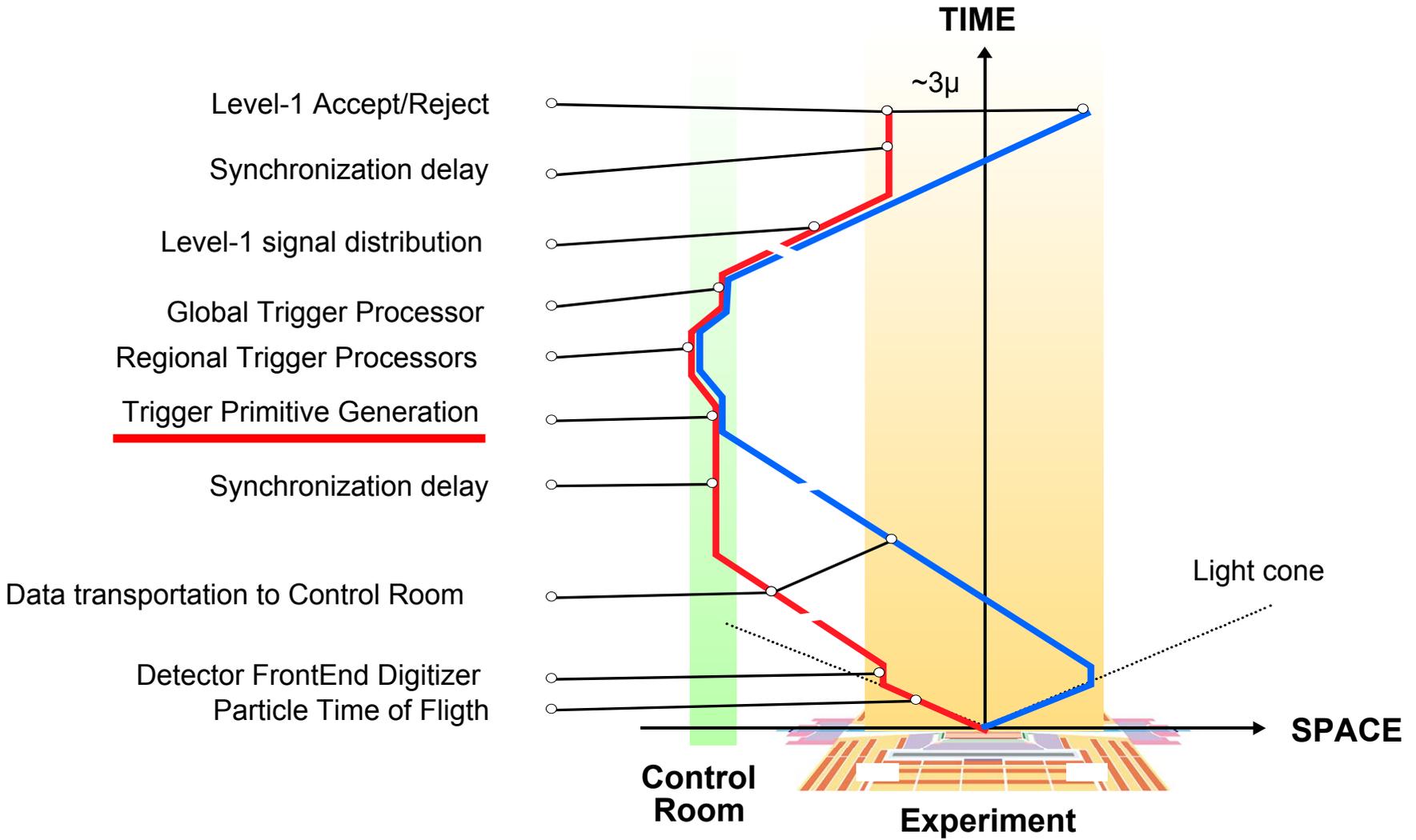
- Central rows of racks for trigger
- Connections via high-speed copper links to adjacent rows of ECAL & HCAL readout racks with trigger primitive circuitry
- Connections via optical fiber to muon trigger primitive generators on the detector
- Optical fibers connected via “tunnels” to detector (~90m fiber lengths)

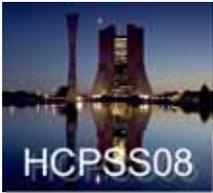


# Signaling and pipelining



# Signaling and pipelining (II)

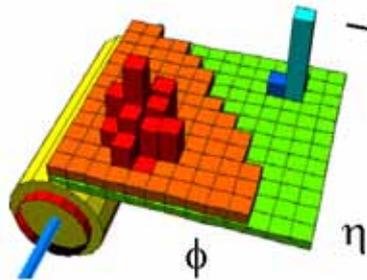




# ATLAS & CMS Trigger Data

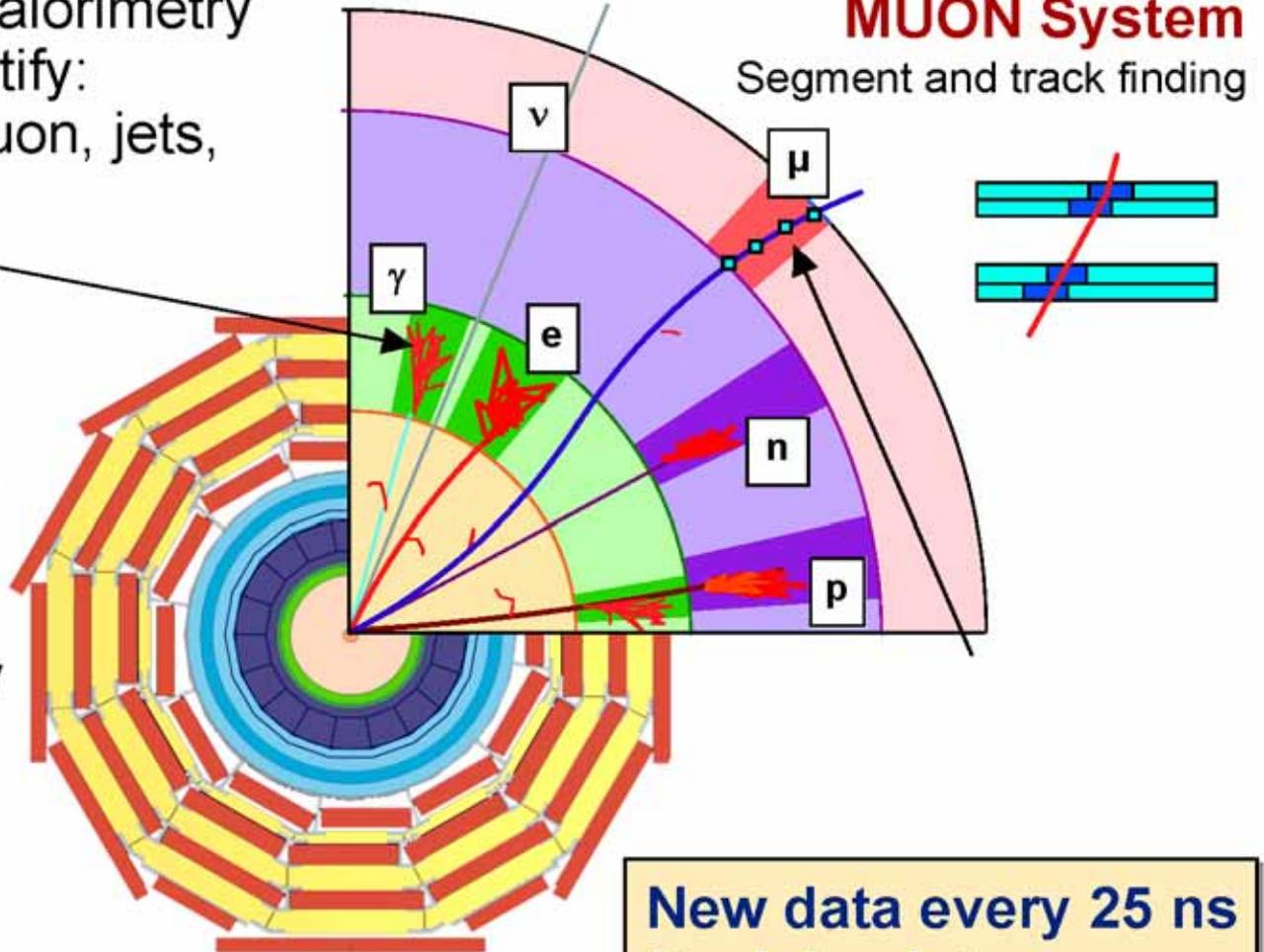


Use prompt data (calorimetry and muons) to identify:  
High  $p_t$  electron, muon, jets, missing  $E_T$



## CALORIMETERS

Cluster finding and energy deposition evaluation



New data every 25 ns  
Decision latency ~  $\mu$ s

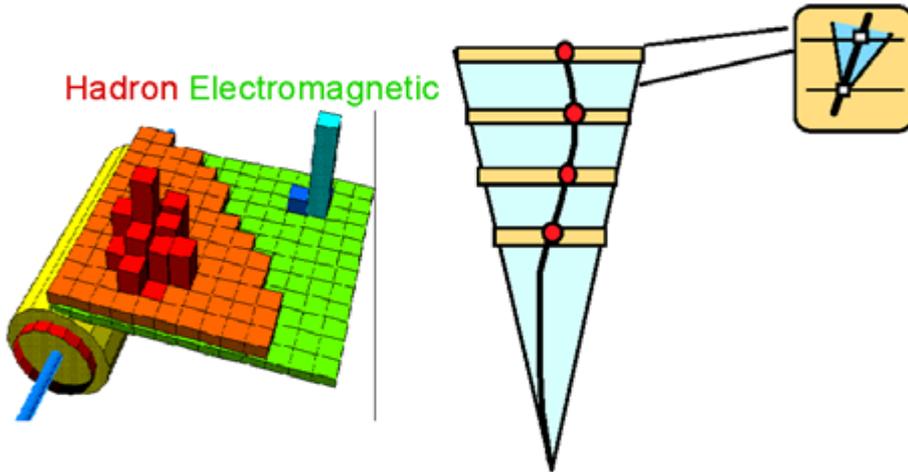


# ATLAS & CMS Level 1: Only Calorimeter & Muon



High Occupancy in high granularity tracking detectors

- Pattern recognition much faster/easier

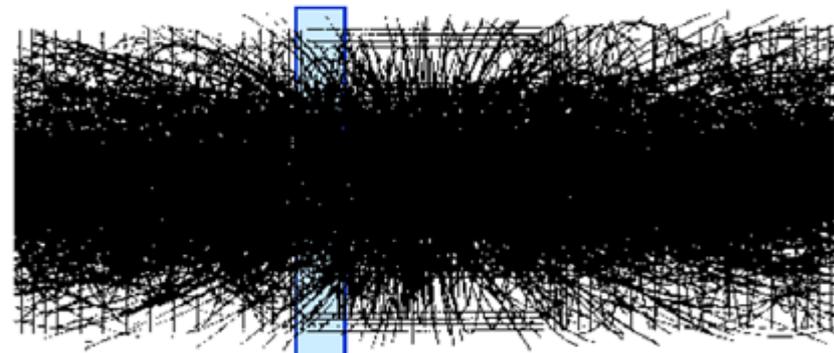


Simple Algorithms

Small amounts of data

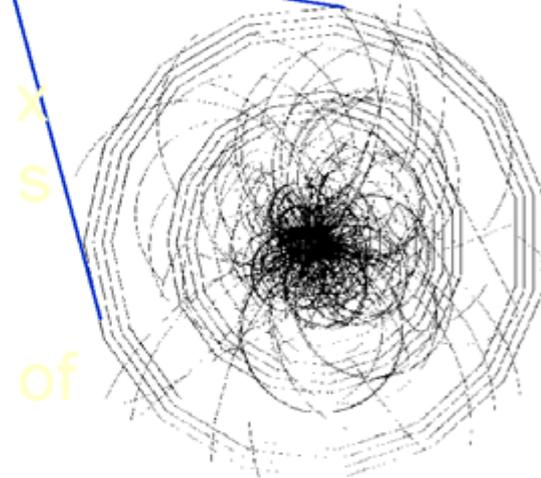
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- Compare to tracker info



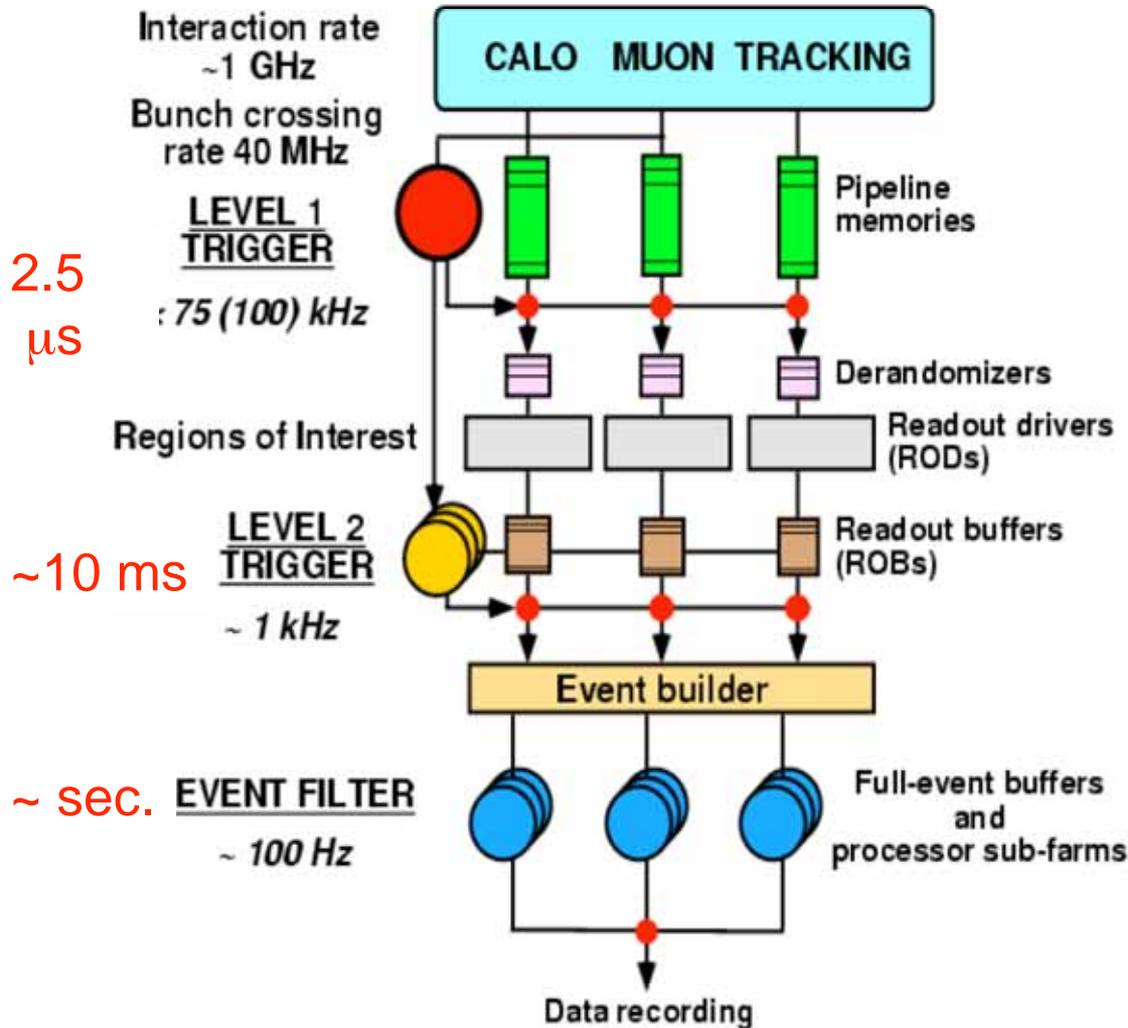
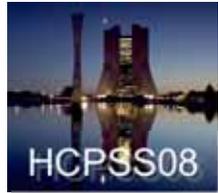
Complex Algorithms

Huge amounts of data



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# ATLAS Three Level Trigger Architecture



- **LVL1 decision** made with calorimeter data with coarse granularity and muon trigger chambers data.
  - Buffering on detector
- **LVL2 uses Region of Interest data** (ca. 2%) with full granularity and combines information from all detectors; performs fast rejection.
  - Buffering in ROBs
- **EventFilter** refines the selection, can perform **event reconstruction** at full granularity using latest alignment and calibration data.
  - Buffering in EB & EF

# RoI Mechanism

## LVL1 triggers on high $p_T$ objects

- Calorimeter cells and muon chambers to find  $e/\gamma/\tau$ -jet- $\mu$  candidates above thresholds

## LVL2 uses Regions of Interest as identified by Level-1

- Local data reconstruction, analysis, and sub-detector matching of RoI data

## The total amount of RoI data is minimal

- $\sim 2\%$  of the Level-1 throughput but it has to be extracted from the rest at  $75 \text{ kHz}$

