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## Upgrade of the Neural Network Track Trigger for Belle II

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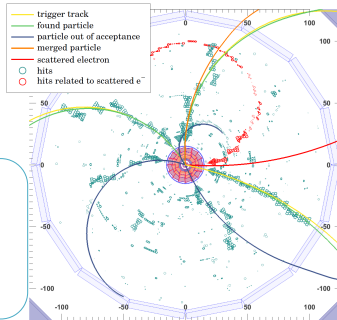
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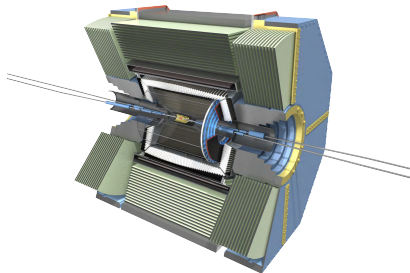
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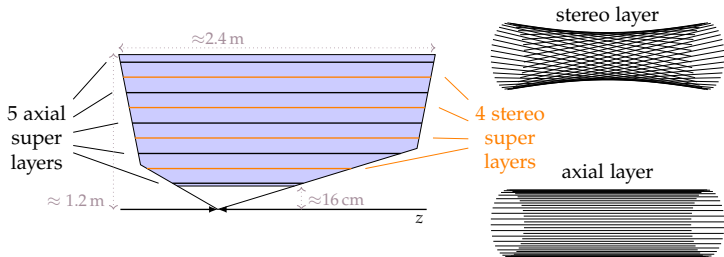
# The Central Drift Chamber (CDC) of Belle II



The Belle II Detector

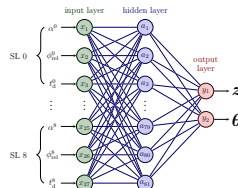
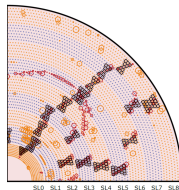
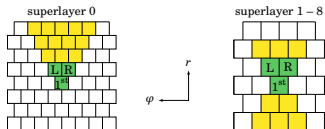


The CDC



- TS = Wire pattern compatible with a crossing track  $\rightarrow$  2336 TS in 9 Super Layer (SL)

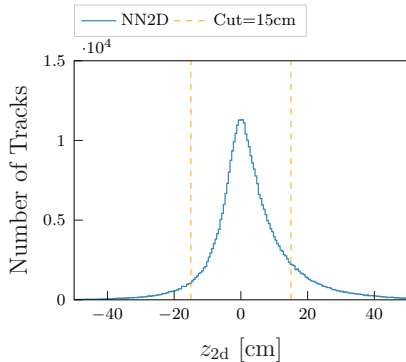
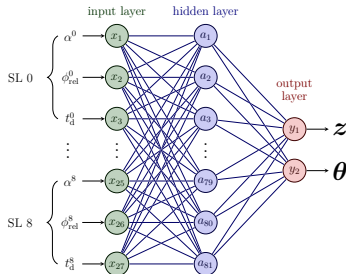
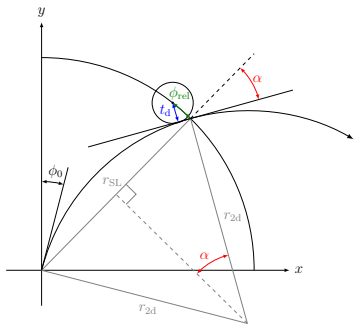
Track Segment (TS)



# The L1 Neural Network Trigger

**z-Vertex and polar emission angle prediction with neural network:**

- 2D track + Stereo TS  $\implies z + \theta$  prediction
- One hidden layer with 81 nodes



$\implies z$ -cut of  $\pm 15$  cm used

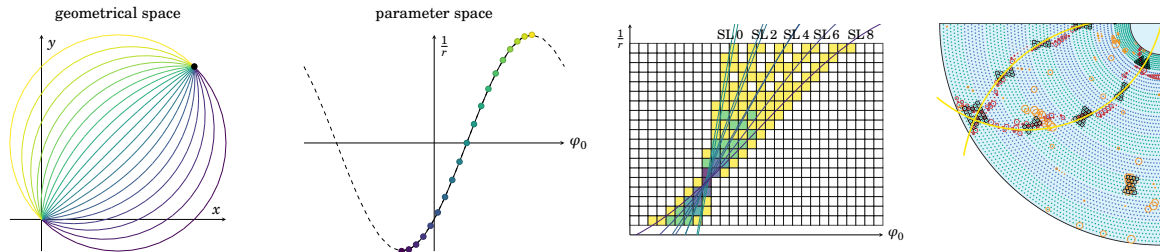
**Latency budget of only  $5\mu\text{s}$  for the complete L1 trigger  $\rightarrow$  Only  $300\text{ns}$  for the neural computation**



## Which TS belong to a real track?

TS selection using a two-dimensional Hough transformation:

- Axial hit in CDC (TS) gets transformed to a curve in parameter (Hough) space
- Intersection point yields the track parameters  $\phi$  and  $r_{2d} \propto p_T$



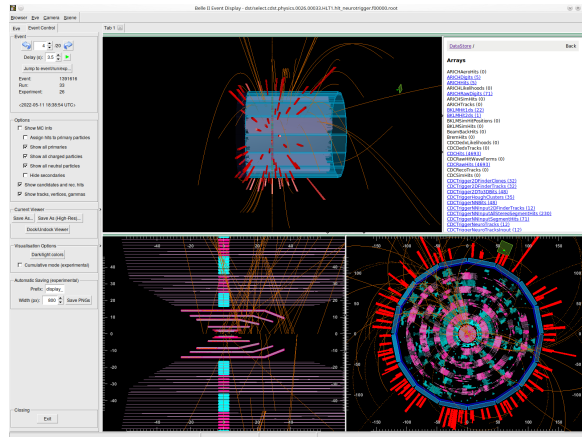
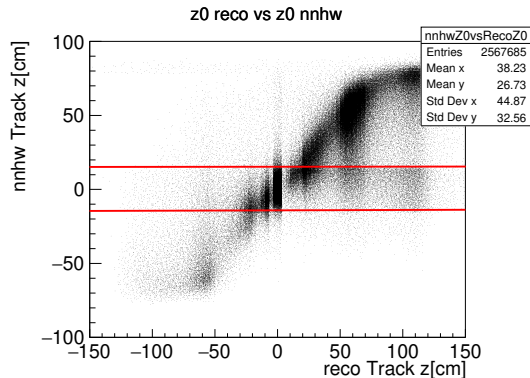
⇒ 2D track candidate

The Neuro Trigger has been running for 2 years with remarkable success.

# Problems with the L1 Neural Network Trigger



- "Feed-Down" effect: Background tracks  $\rightarrow$  Vertex tracks
- Many Fake-Tracks with high Background



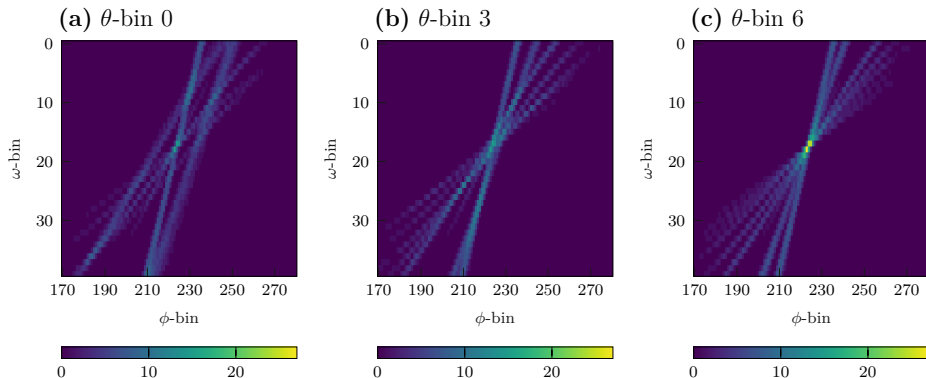
## Extension to 3D: The NDFinder



New curve parameter: Polar angle  $\theta \implies$  3D-Hough space

- 9 bins in  $\theta \in [19, 140]^\circ$ , 384 bins in  $\phi \in [0, 360]^\circ$ , 40 bins in  $\omega \propto q \cdot p_T^{-1}$ ,  $p_T \in [0.25, 10]$  GeV/ $c$

Vertex assumption: The track originates from  $(x, y, z) = (0, 0, 0)$  (IP)



$\implies$  Intersection point yields  $\omega$ ,  $\phi$  and  $\theta$

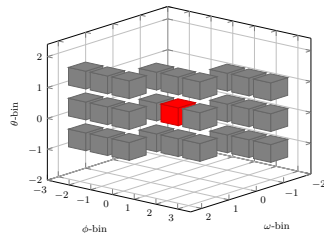
Original algorithm: DBSCAN  $\rightarrow$  Difficult to implement on an FPGA (non-deterministic length  $\implies$  latency not fixed)

## Update: **Fixed Clustering**

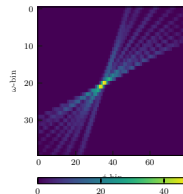
Three steps, repeated **iterations** times:

- Step 1: Global maximum search on Hough space
- Step 2: A fixed shape is put around the maximum
  - ▶ The weights in this shape are added up (total weight)
  - ▶ If total weight  $\geq$  `mintotalweight` and peak weight  $\geq$  `minpeakweight` the cluster is saved
  - ▶ All hits (TS) are extracted and have to pass two TS cuts
- Step 3: Cells around the global maximum are set to zero (“Butterfly-Shape” cutout)

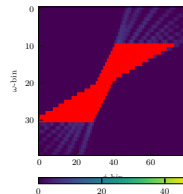
Fixed shape:



(a) Complete Cluster



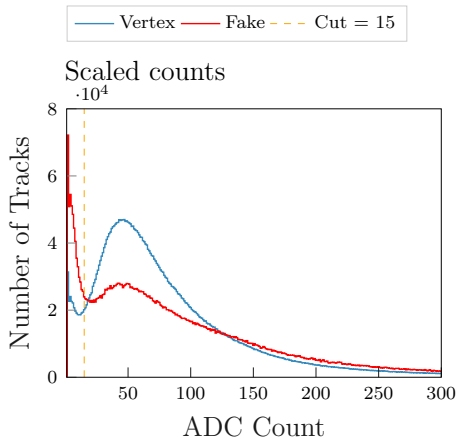
(b) Cutout



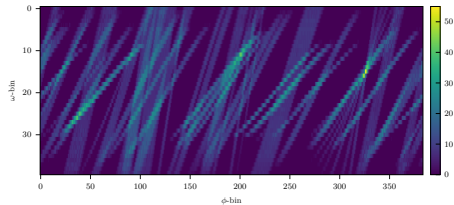
# Real Data Analysis



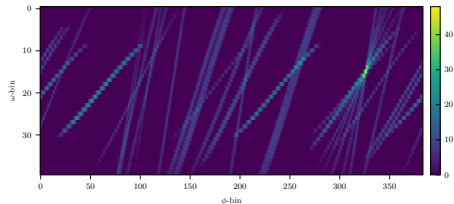
- Very high backgrounds were observed in the last experiment (due to high luminosity)
- The Hough spaces contain a lot of background track segments



(a)  $\theta$ -bin 2: No adccut

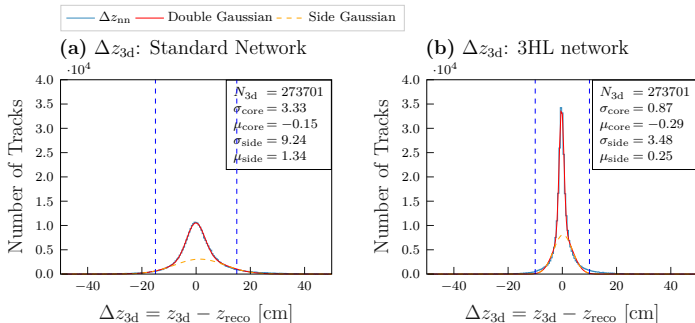


(b)  $\theta$ -bin 2: adccut=10



⇒ Reduction of noise using a cut on the ADC count

- Present implementation → 2DFinder and Neuro Trigger on separate FPGA boards (2 UT3)
- New implementation → NDFinder and Neuro Trigger on the same (new) FPGA board (1 UT4)
- The available latency is increased to **700ns**
- Neural networks with three or four hidden layers are possible



⇒ Cut reduction from  $\pm 15$  cm to less than  $\pm 10$  cm possible due to better resolution  
 (see presentation by Timo Forsthofer)

- Hit to cluster relation:
  - ▶ All hits in a cluster are considered
  - ▶ The largest weight distribution for each SL is used
- Cut on the number of axial and stereo SL hits (for background reduction)

Efficiency for single track events: Cut at  $\pm 10$  cm

| adccut    | Efficiency 3D | Efficiency 2D |
|-----------|---------------|---------------|
| No Count  | 94.1%         | 94.0%         |
| 10 Counts | 96.3%         | 95.3%         |

Fake-Rate for all found tracks:

| adccut    | Fake-Rate 3D | Fake-Rate 2D |
|-----------|--------------|--------------|
| No Count  | 13.1%        | 31.6%        |
| 10 Counts | 5.8%         | 13.5%        |

But: Neural network not trained for 3D candidates at the moment (see presentation by Timo Forsthofer)



Using the 3DFinder has multiple advantages over the present 2D model with additional stereo TS selection:

- Automatic suppression of tracks outside the interaction region (candidates implicitly originate from the IP)
- Better track segment selection  $\implies$  Better resolution
- Implementation of track finding and network computation on the same FPGA board  $\implies$  Deep neural networks
- Smaller Fake-Rate
- Higher efficiency

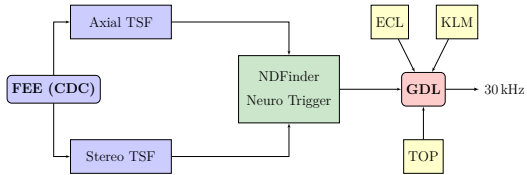
The next steps are:

- Implementation of the 3D Hough method on UT4 FPGA boards (Kai Unger)
- Improved neural network architecture (Timo Forsthofer)
- Retraining with unbiased data from the new data taking, which just has started



# Backup

(a) New Pipeline



(b) Current Pipeline

