



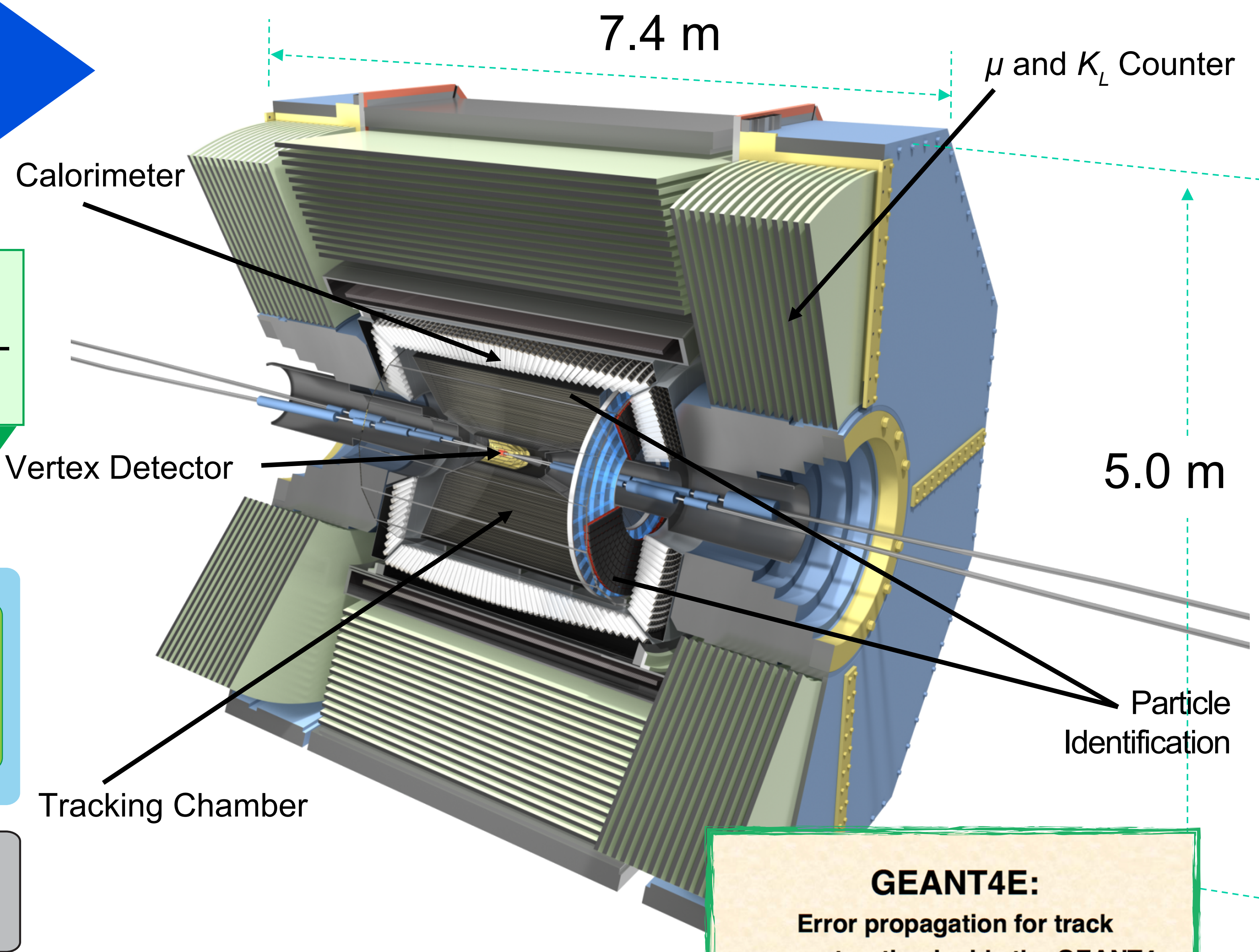
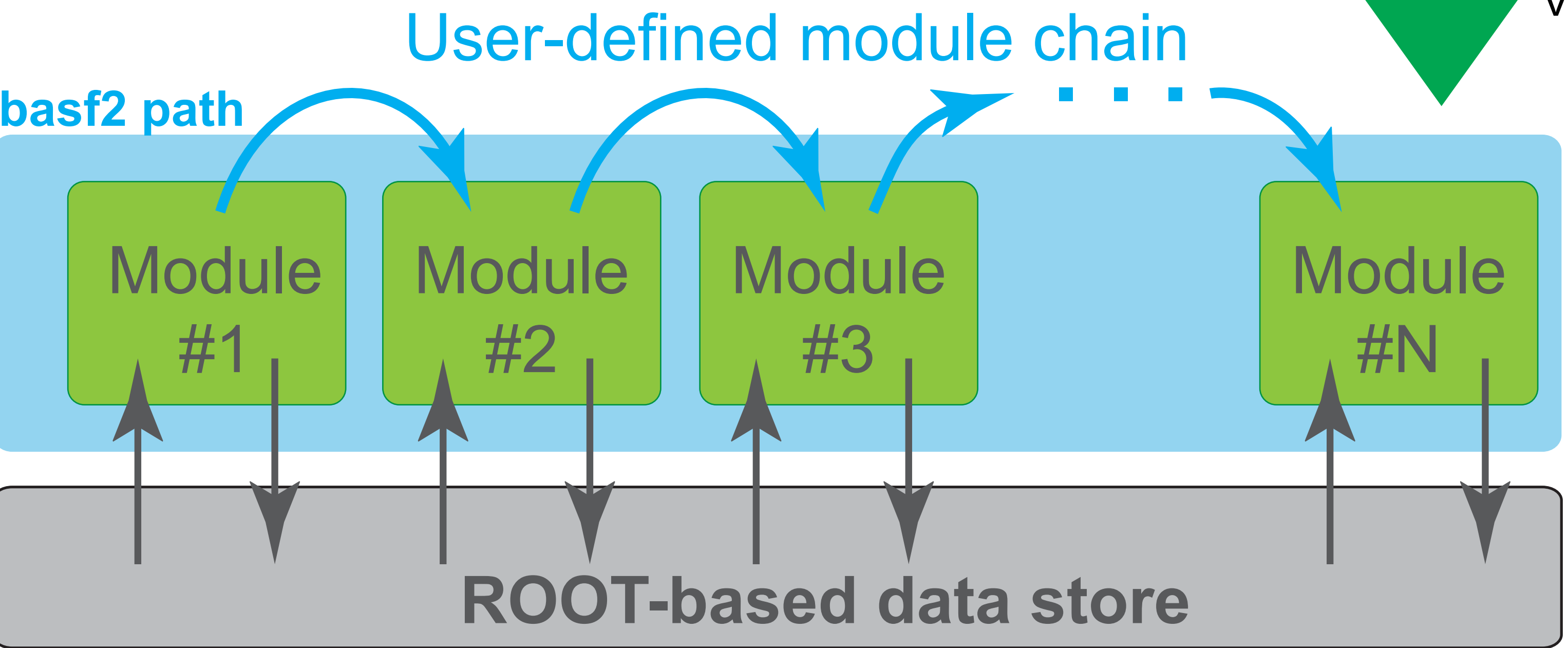
Track Extrapolation and Muon Identification with GEANT4e in Belle II Event Reconstruction

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Track 2
Data Analysis –
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The Belle II experiment at the SuperKEKB colliding-beam $e^+ e^-$ accelerator in Tsukuba, Japan, studies the behaviour and symmetry properties of heavy quarks and leptons.

The Belle II analysis software framework basf2 has a modular design with Python steering of on-demand dynamically-loaded C++ modules and event-based parallel-processing capability.



GEANT4E:
Error propagation for track reconstruction inside the GEANT4 framework

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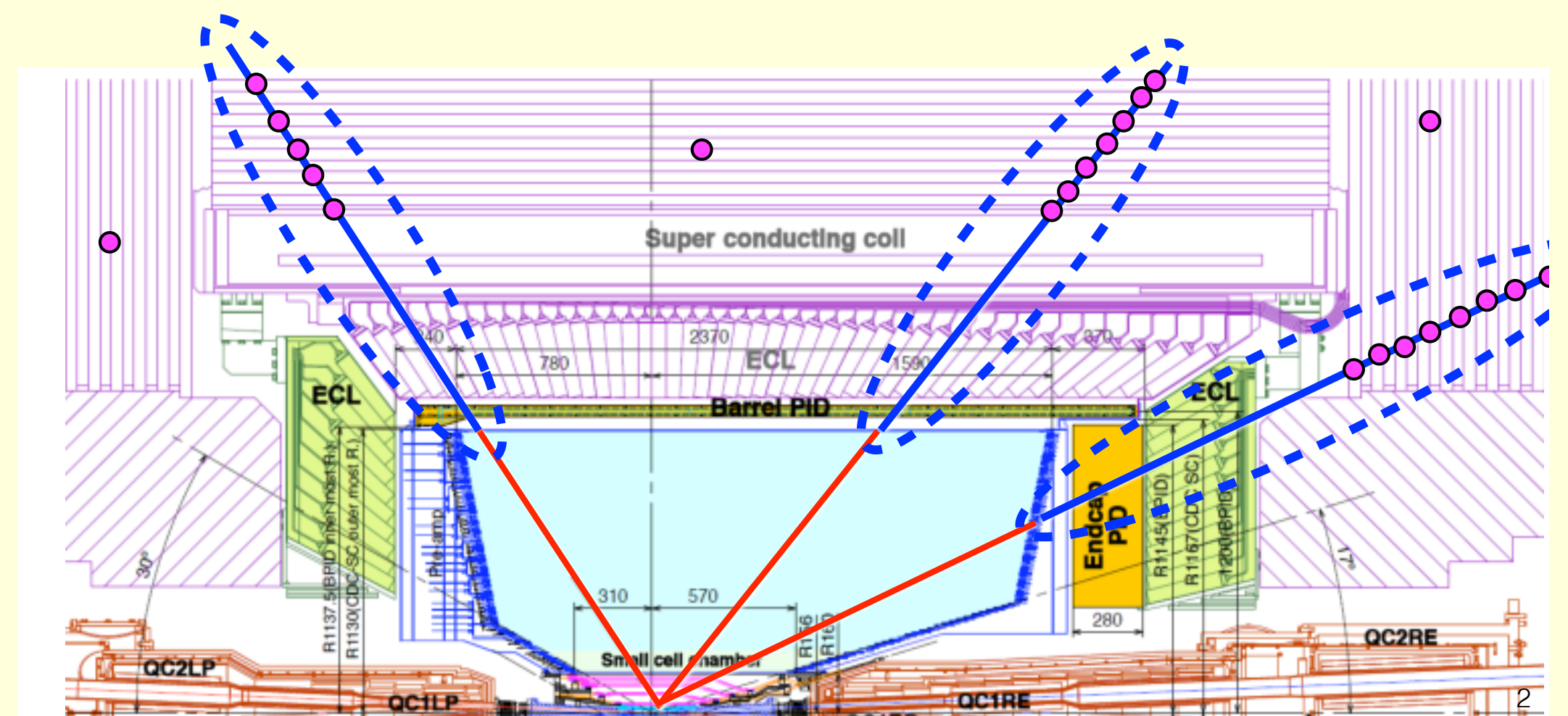
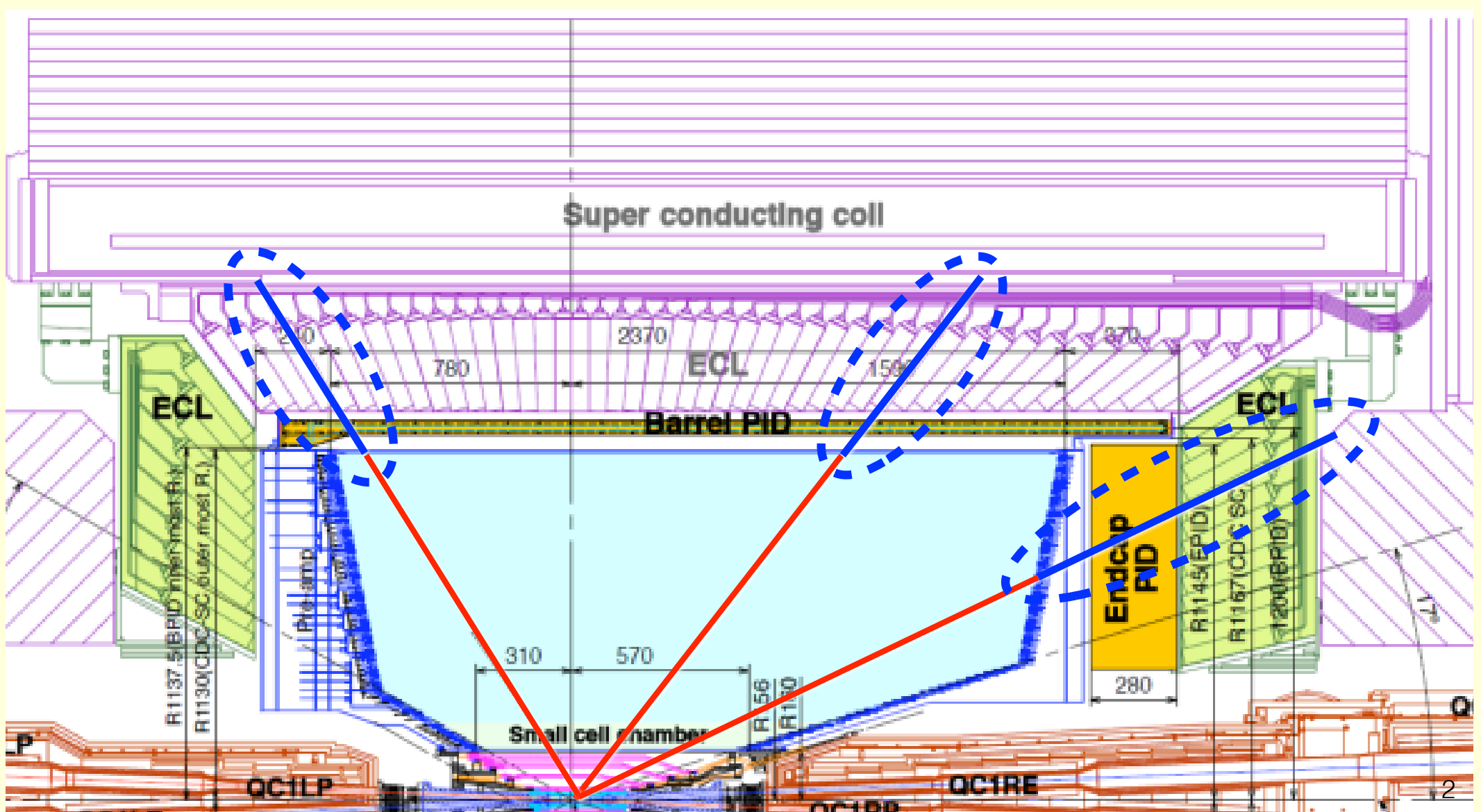
Two basf2 event-reconstruction modules for particle ID using GEANT4E

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- extrapolates each reconstructed charged track outward
- assumes 6 particle-type hypotheses (e, μ, π, K, p, d) per track
- records crossings at each GEANT4 sensitive-volume boundary
- records time, position, momentum, phase-space covariance matrix

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- extrapolates each track through the K_L -muon detector (KLM)
- assumes only the muon hypothesis
- applies a Kalman filter at each layer crossing; adjusts the extrapolated-track properties based on matching-hit location
- assigns particle-identification likelihood based on KLM's measured-vs-extrapolated range + transverse scattering



GEANT4 and GEANT4E coexistence in basf2

GEANT4E, as distributed, **cannot be used with GEANT4**:

- ☒ incompatible particle lists
- ☒ incompatible physics processes
- ☒ conflicting usage of sensitive-detector geometry
- ☒ distinct states when calling RunManager
- ☒ distinct step-by-step Navigators
- ☒ incompatible user actions (SteppingAction etc)

GEANT4E, as distributed, is **limited**:

- ☒ propagates only electrons, positrons and photons

We have resolved these issues and limitations. All of our modifications are done **outside** the geant4(e) code base.

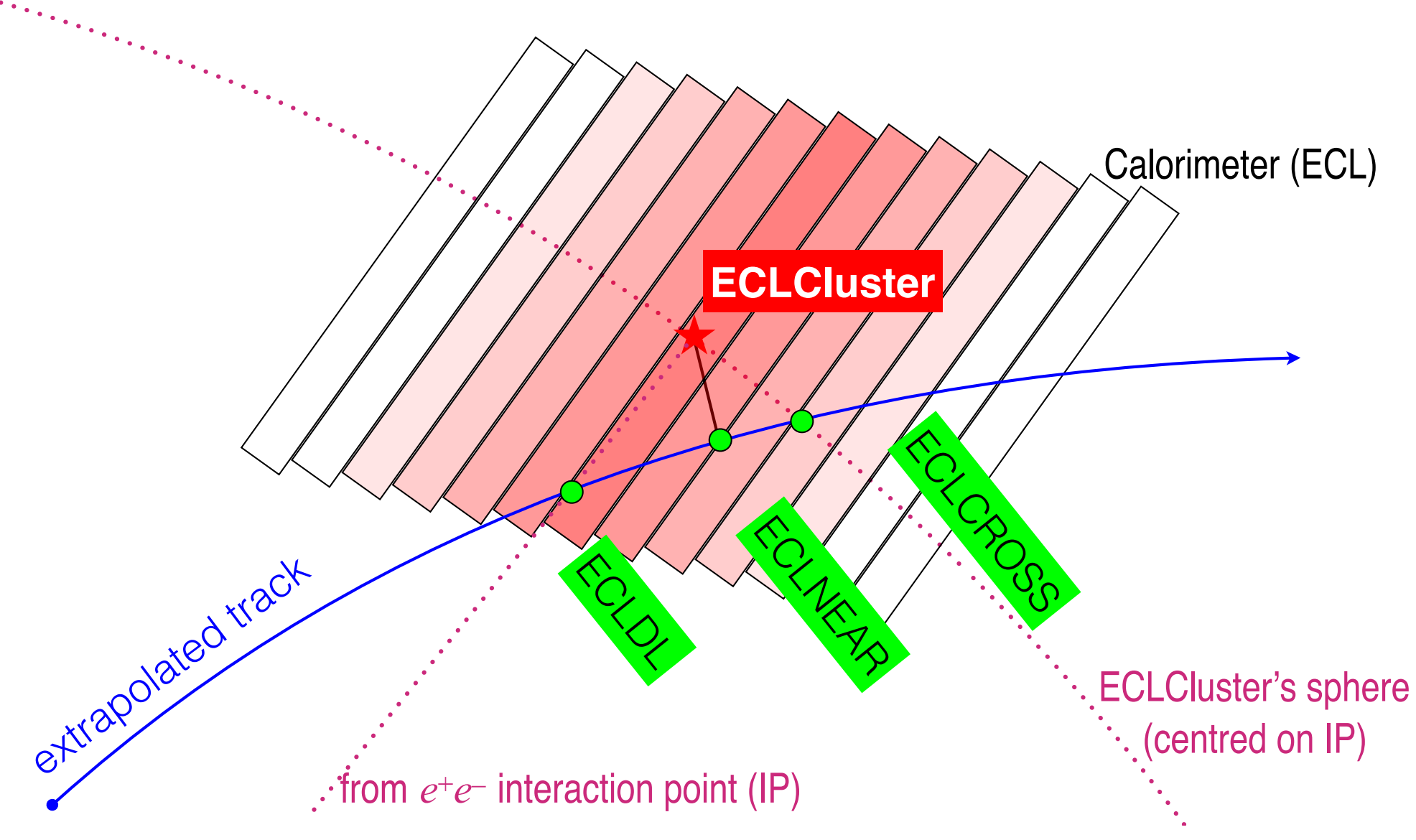
- ☒ The standard GEANT4E PhysicsList defines only three particles (γ, e^+, e^-) ... and these are not compatible with geant4 usage during simulation
- Our modified ConstructParticle() defines the geant4 standard particles:
- $\gamma, e^+, e^-, \mu^+, \mu^-, \pi^+, \pi^-, \pi^0, kaon^+, kaon^-, kaon^0, kaon^0L, kaon^0S, proton, anti_proton, neutron, anti_neutron, geantino, chargedgeantino, opticalphoton$ etc
- plus geant4e-specific particles (all with PIDcode = 0)
- $g4e_gamma, g4e_e^+, g4e_e^-, g4e_mu^+, g4e_mu^-, g4e_pi^+, g4e_pi^-, g4e_kaon^+, g4e_kaon^-, g4e_proton, g4e_antiproton, g4e_deuteron, g4e_antideuteron$

- ☒ The distributed G4EnergyLossForExtrapolator defines energy-loss processes for electrons and positrons only. Our custom G4EnergyLossForExtrapolator extends these processes to μ, π, K, p and d (and their anti-particles).
 - ☒ During GEANT4 simulation, G4SteppingManager calls user code to process steps through "sensitive" detector volumes and record the hits therein.
- During GEANT4E extrapolation, our custom version of StepLengthLimitProcess() disables this behaviour:

```
G4ParticleChange aParticleChange;
G4VParticleChange*
ExtStepLengthLimitProcess::PostStepDoIt( const G4Track& track,
const G4Step& e )
{
  aParticleChange.Initialize( track );
  aParticleChange.ProposeSteppingControl( AvoidHitInvocation );
  return &aParticleChange;
}
```

- ☒ Avoid the special G4ErrorPropagationNavigator in GEANT4E. Instead, use the standard G4Navigator defined in GEANT4.
- ☒ GEANT4E requires a **target surface** (G4ErrorCylSurfaceTarget is an infinite-length cylinder). After each GEANT4E step, G4ErrorPropagationNavigator would have checked if track crossed this surface. Our steering code does this check.
- ☒ Our custom version of G4ErrorCylSurfaceTarget is a closed finite-length cylinder that includes the endcap surfaces.
- ☒ The distributed MagFieldLimitProcess in GEANT4E assumes that the magnetic field is along the z axis. Our custom MagFieldLimitProcess removes this assumption.

Track-cluster matching in the calorimeter:



Muon identification and hadron mis-ID:

