

# SVT L0 backgrounds from pairs production.

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# Presentation outline

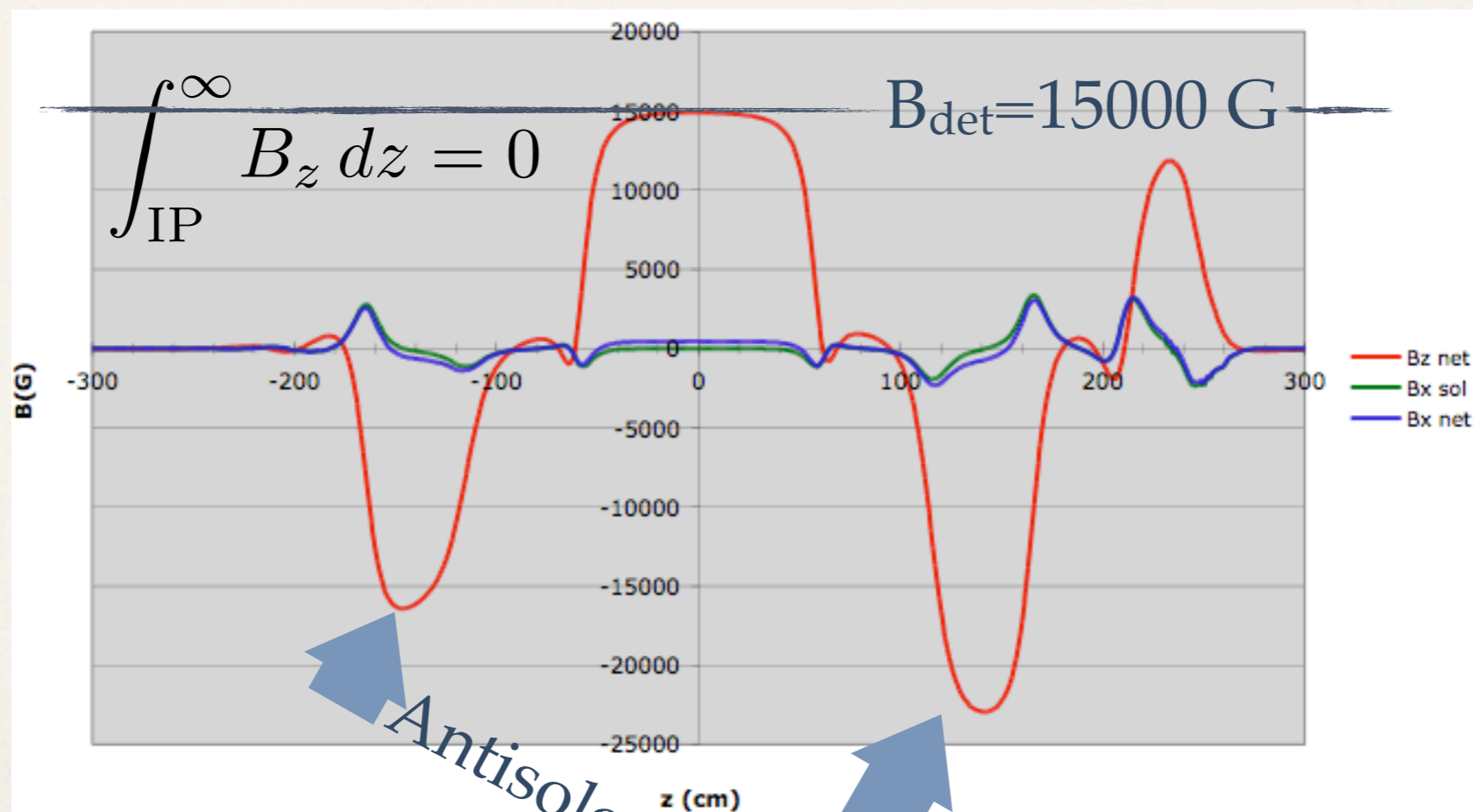
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- ❖ The pair production background rates presented at SLAC were wrong
  - ❖ Nature of the mistake
  - ❖ Results from the new correct simulations



# On the solenoid compensation

- \* The solenoid compensation scheme is based on a set of anti-solenoids around the beam line that cancels the integrated longitudinal B field.



Courtesy K. Bertsche

# Crude approximations made by Bruno (me)

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- ❖  $B_z = 0$  everywhere inside the accelerators G4Volumes for radiative Bhabha backgrounds.
  - ❖ Conservative: less showering particles are trapped by  $B_z$
  - ❖ Assumption: marginal contribution from fringing fields
- ❖  $B_z = 1.5$  T for pairs production background
  - ❖ Assumption: downstream showering negligible w.r.t. rad. Bhabha
  - ❖ Crucial and beneficial confinement effect for low  $p_t$  particles
- ❖ The two configurations are hardcoded in C++



# Nature of the mistake.

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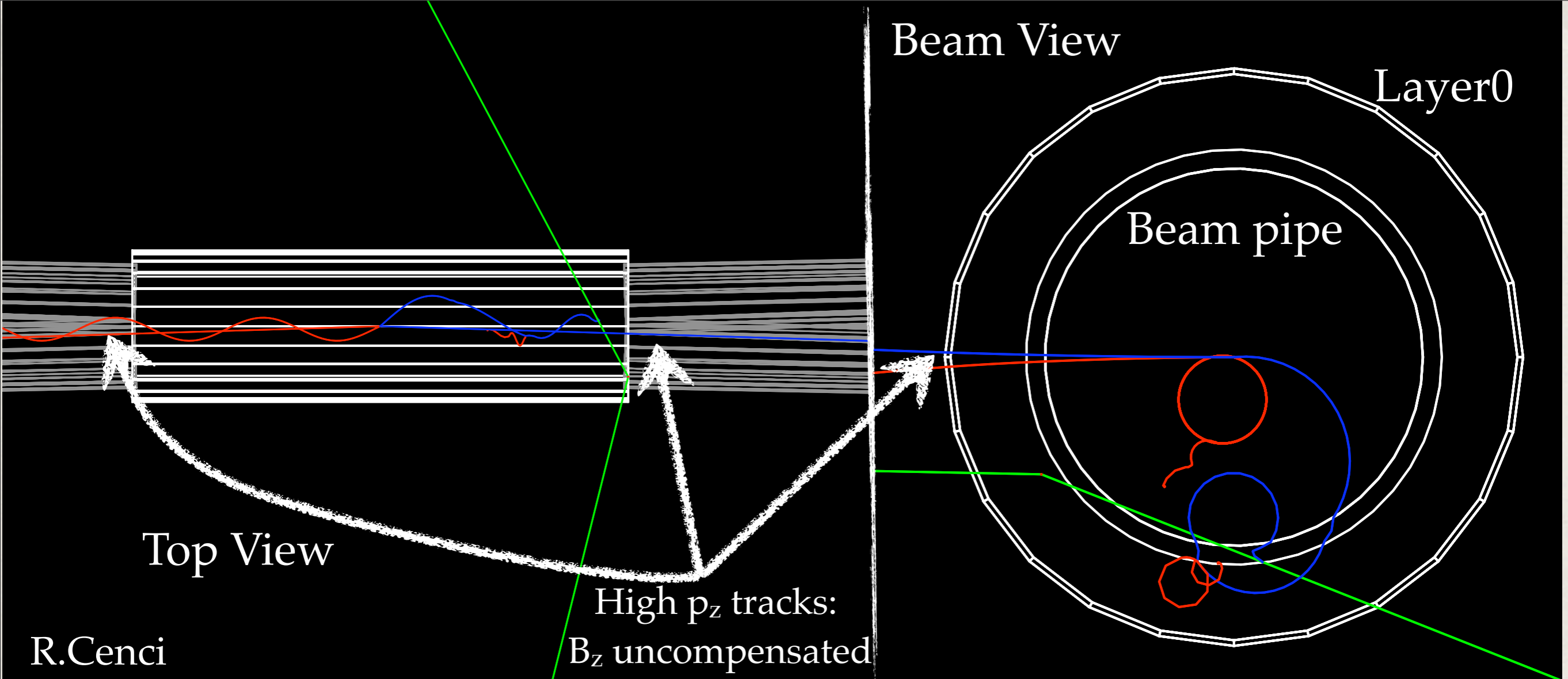
- \* Bruno out of the box is configured for Radiative Bhabha production
- \* I forgot to tell Riccardo to modify Bruno to correctly handle pairs production backgrounds. Consequently :
  - \* the magnetic field inside the beam pipe was erroneously switched *off* (still  $B_z = 1.5$  T inside the tracking volume)
  - \* all the beneficial magnetic confinement of low  $p_t$  particles went away
  - \* the backgrounds rate on Layer 0 overestimated by a factor  $\sim 4$



# Correct procedure

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- ❖ Switch ON the magnetic field
- ❖ Event display to visually inspect the curly tracks
- ❖ Perform again the analysis
- ❖ Control and compare with previous results / CDR



# Event Display

$B_z = 1.5 \text{ T}$  everywhere

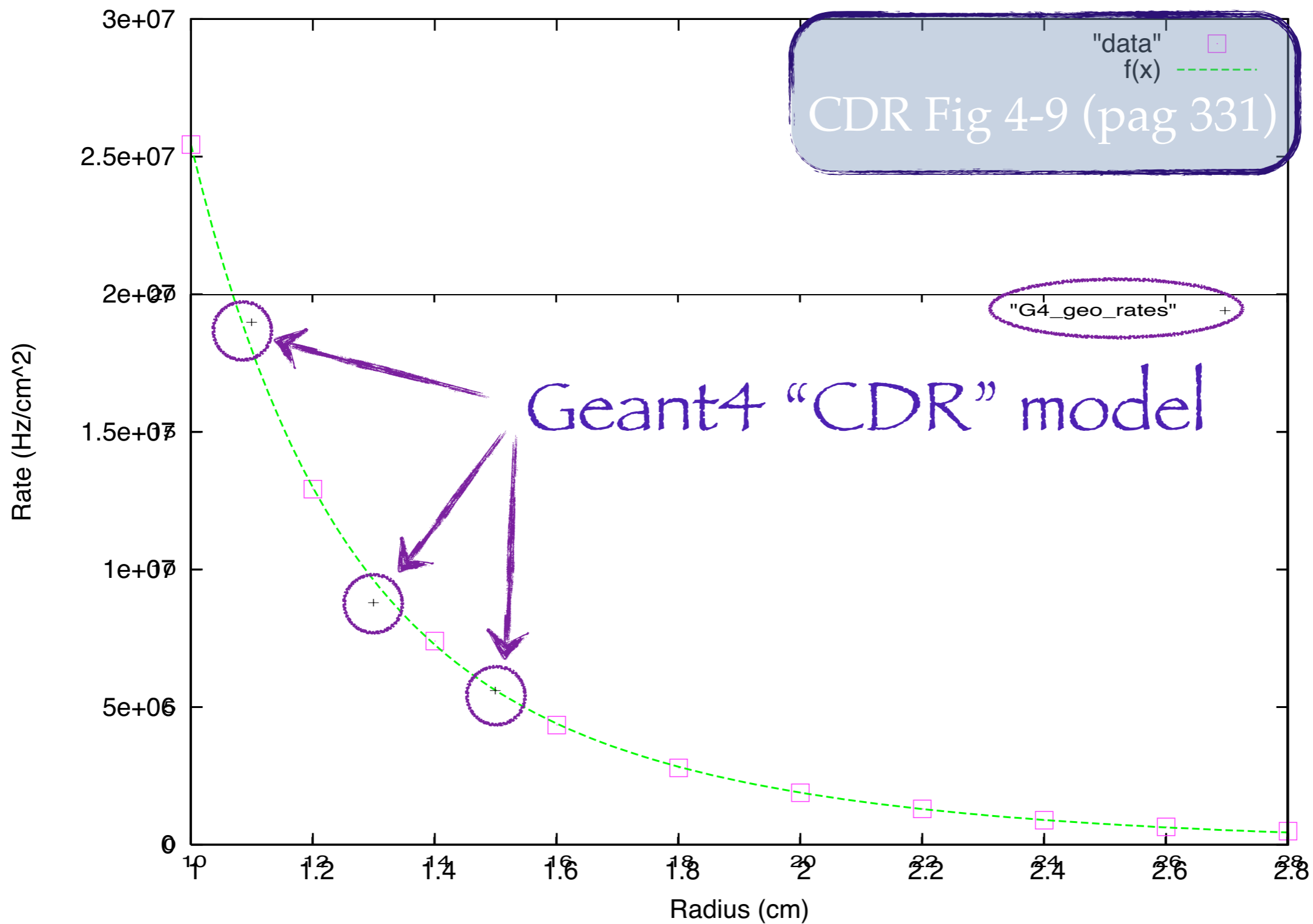


# Cross check with CDR numbers: Geant 4 simplified model

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- ❖ CDR predictions were made algebraically under the naive assumptions:
  - ❖ perfect helical trajectory (No multiple scattering nor energy loss)
  - ❖ unit hit multiplicity ( i.e. 1 fired pixel / track crossing )
- ❖ Comparable G4 model (“CDR” model)
  - ❖ Beam pipe removed
  - ❖ Layer 0 thickness reduced to 0.1  $\mu\text{m}$





Good agreement: overall cross check of normalization and G4 tracking.

# General consideration:

## “CDR” G4 model L0 @ 13 mm

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- \* The track rate @ 13mm in the “CDR” model is 8.8 MHz/cm<sup>2</sup>  
(Track rate: number of particles hitting the unit surface/unit time)
- \* In the “CDR” model : track rate = pixel rate
- \* “CDR” model with thick Si (300 μm) “thick CDR”:

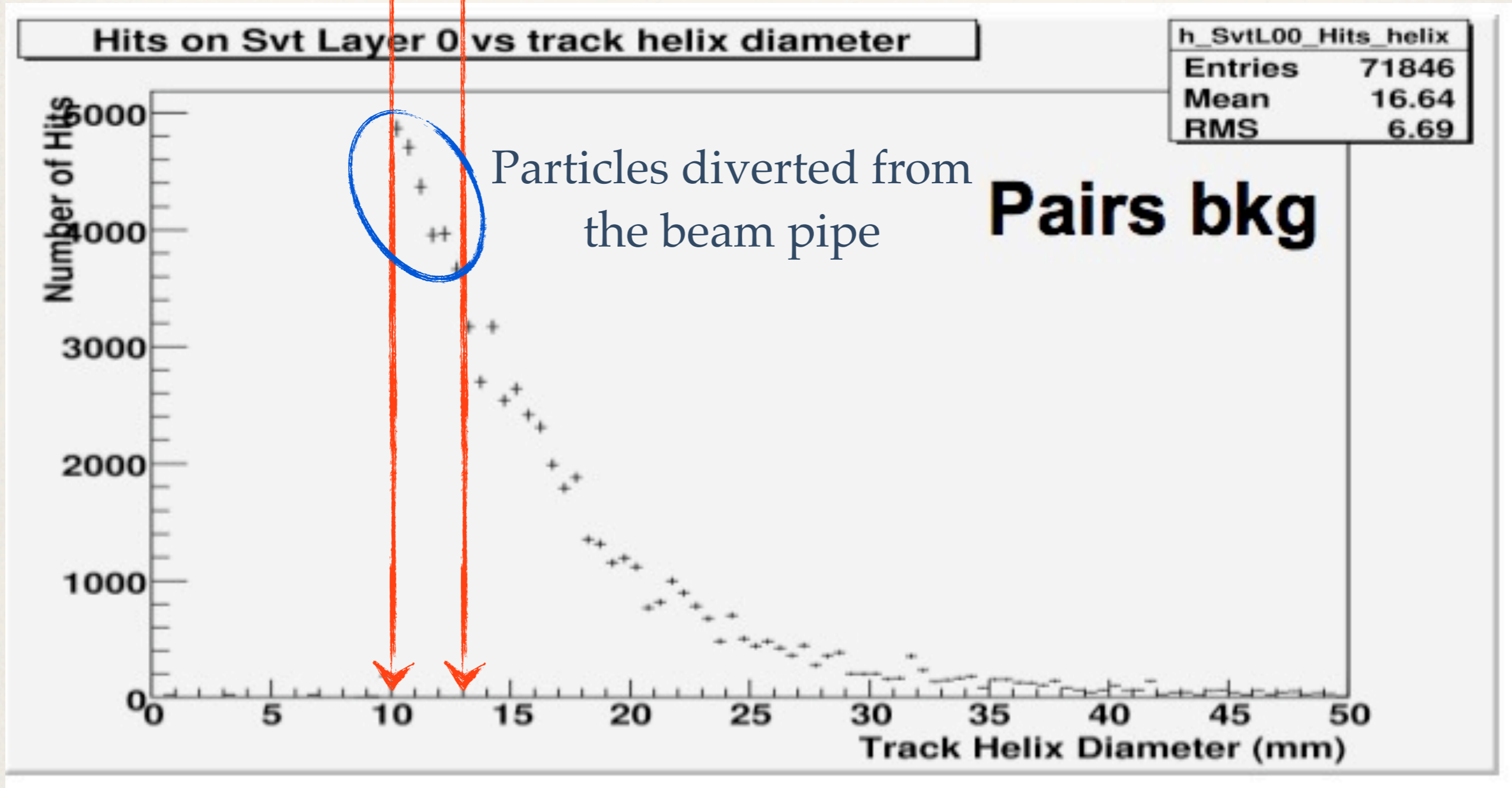
pixel rate= 16.9 MHz/cm<sup>2</sup>

hit multiplicity = 1.9 (i.e. each track crossing fires 2 pixels) reasonable?  
apparently underestimated...

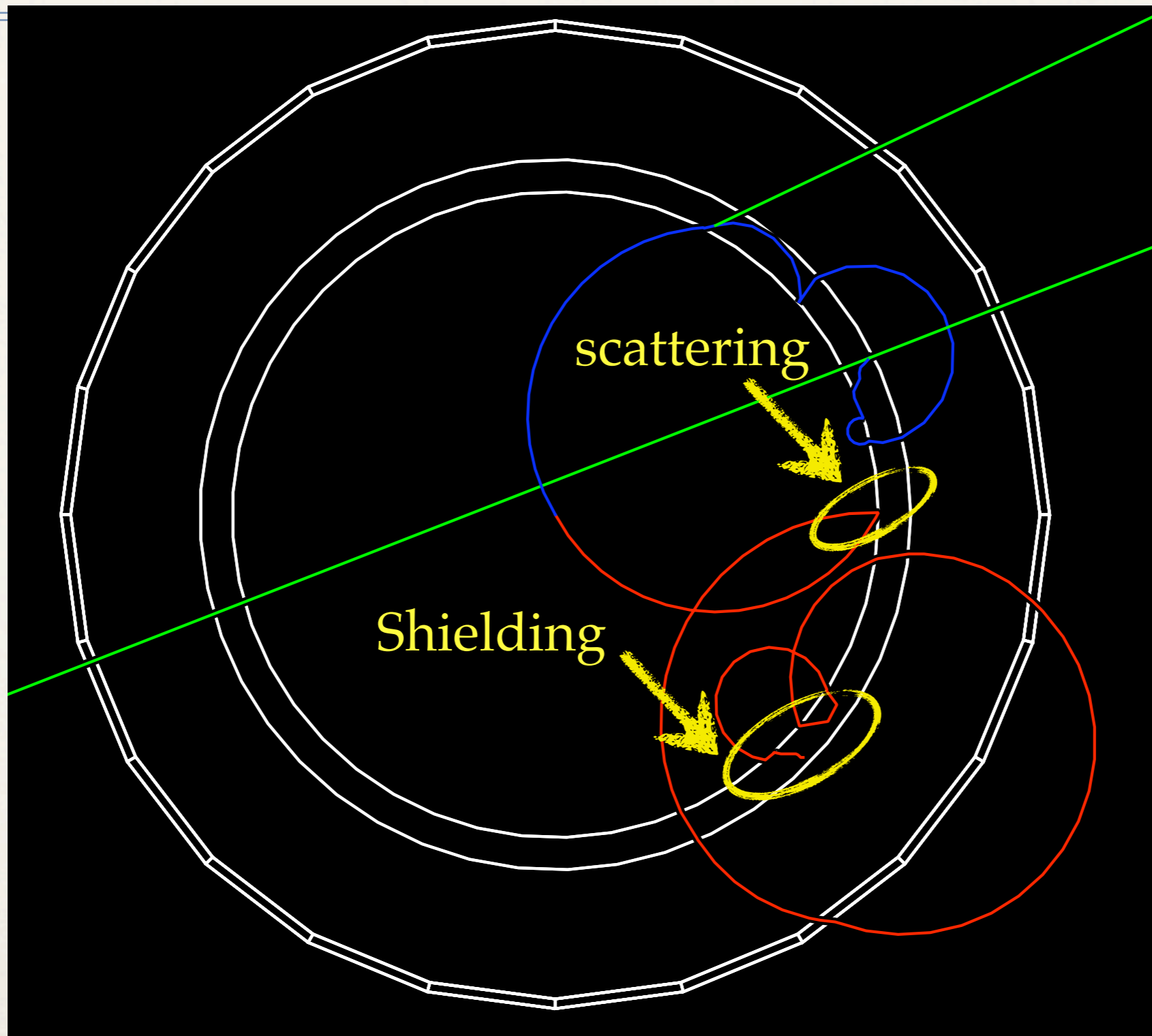


# $P_t$ distribution

Beam pipe SVT L0



Overall the beam pipe effect is beneficial:  
Track rate down to  $7\text{MHz}/\text{cm}^2$





# SVT L0 rate (preliminary):

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- \* Track rate @ 1.3 cm  $\sim 8.0$  MHz/cm<sup>2</sup> (Full Geant 4 model)
- \* Cluster multiplicity still under study. First indications are indicating  $\sim 10$  pixel/track :'
- \* More detailed simulations of the charge collection needed to reduce the uncertainties on this later critical parameter

# Spares

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# The bloody gory details: this function gives **B** in the Final Focus

```
class MagneticIR : public G4MagneticField,  
                  public unary_function< MagneticCylinder, void >  
{  
public: // with description  
  
MagneticIR( void );  
virtual ~MagneticIR(){};  
// Constructor and destructor. No actions.  
  
virtual void GetFieldValue( const G4double Point[4],  
                           G4double *Bfield ) const  
{  
    Bfield[0] = 0;  
    Bfield[1] = 0;  
    Bfield[2] = 0*1.5 * tesla;  
    for_each( _quadrupoles.begin(),  
             _quadrupoles.end(),  
             MagneticAdder( Point, Bfield));  
}
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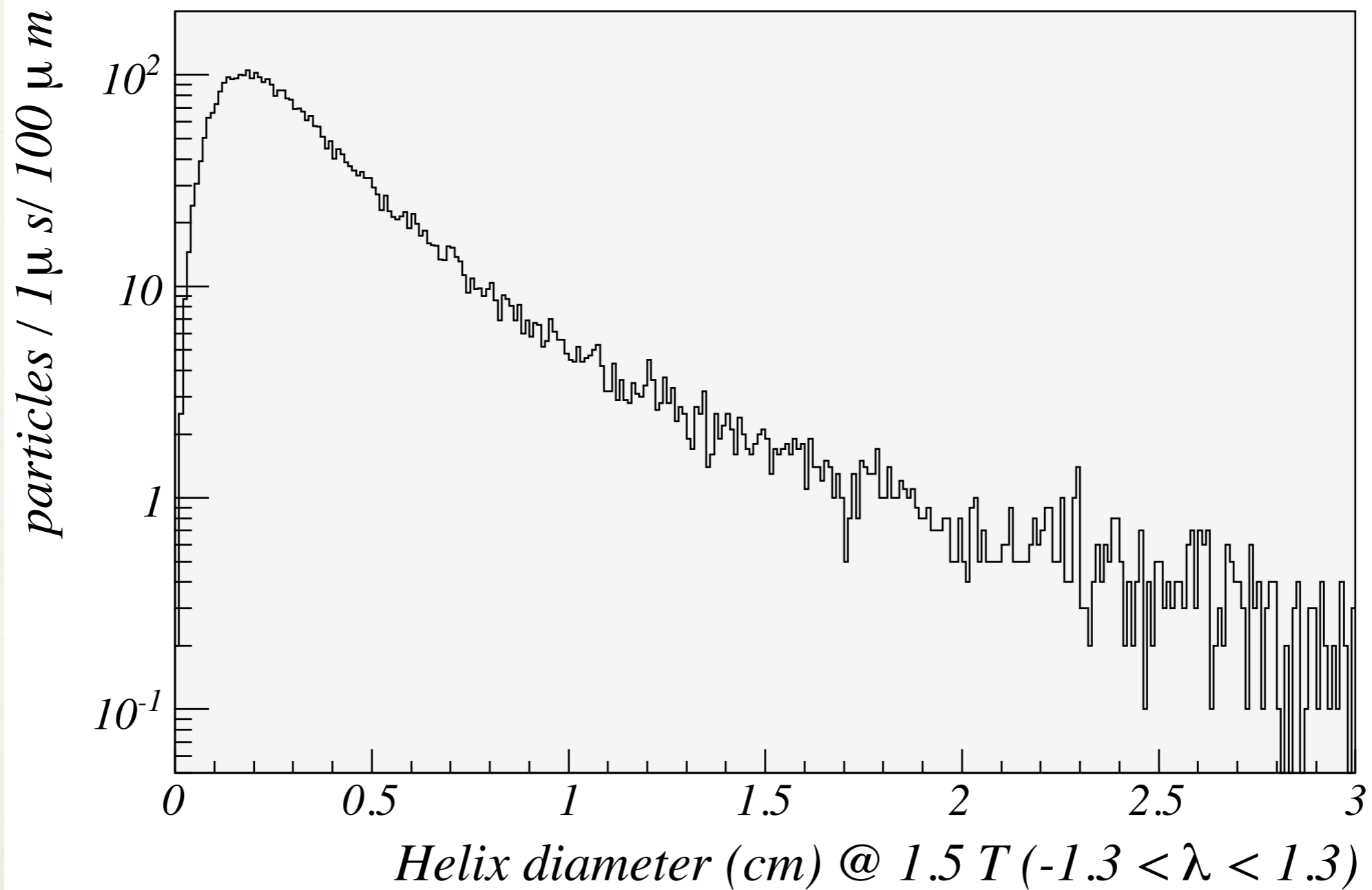
Get Bfield at a given Point

B<sub>z</sub> contribution  
from detector solenoid

Beam lines quadrupoles

B<sub>z</sub> “naive compensation”

# Tracks radial span





# Dip angle distribution

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