

# The Online Reconstruction Software at the E1039/SpinQuest Experiment

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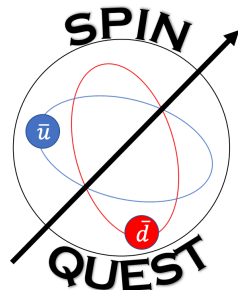
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# Overview

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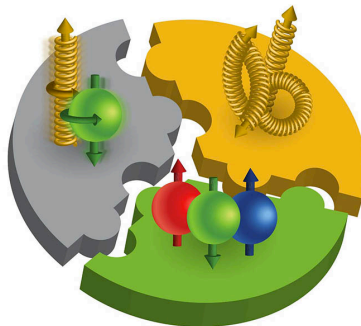
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# SpinQuest Motivation Recap

- Explore the **Sivers function**,  $f_{1T}^\perp$  :

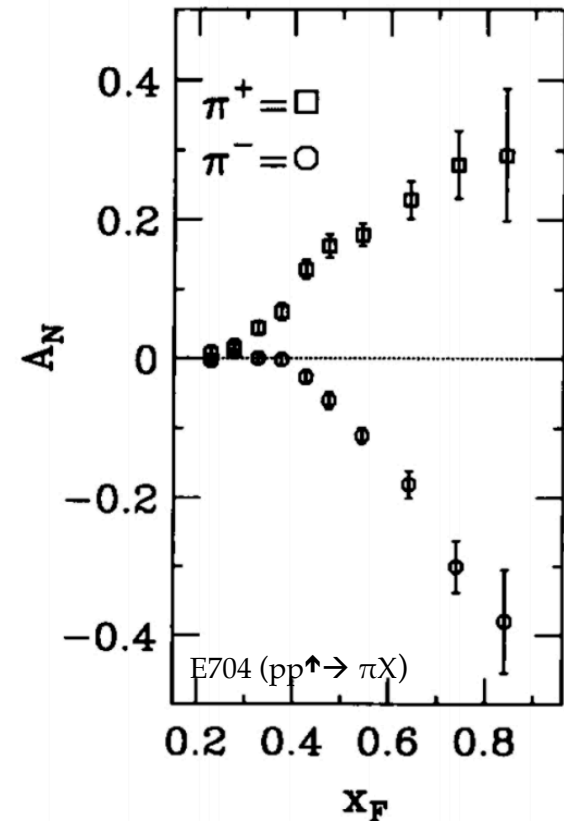
$$f_{1T}^\perp = \text{[Diagram showing two circular diagrams with arrows indicating spin and momentum components, representing the Sivers function]}.$$

- Large transverse single spin asymmetries (TSSAs),  $A_N(\propto f_{1T}^\perp)$ , observed in polarized pp-collisions
- Constrain antiquark and gluon orbital angular momentum contributions to proton spin



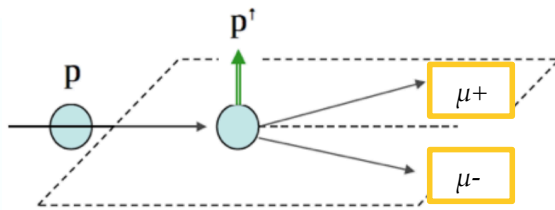
$$A_N = \frac{d\sigma^\uparrow - d\sigma^\downarrow}{d\sigma^\uparrow + d\sigma^\downarrow}$$

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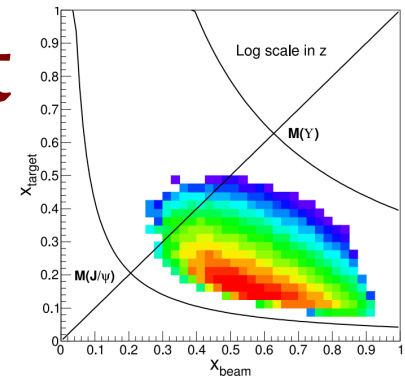
See Noah Wuerfel's presentation

# Sivers Function at SpinQuest



$x_{\text{Bjorken}} = p_{\text{parton}}/p_{\text{proton}}$   
 $N_u \text{ (or d)} = \# \text{ of dimuons for spin } \uparrow(\downarrow)$   
 $L_u \text{ (or d)} = \text{live protons for spin } \uparrow(\downarrow)$

SpinQuest Coverage



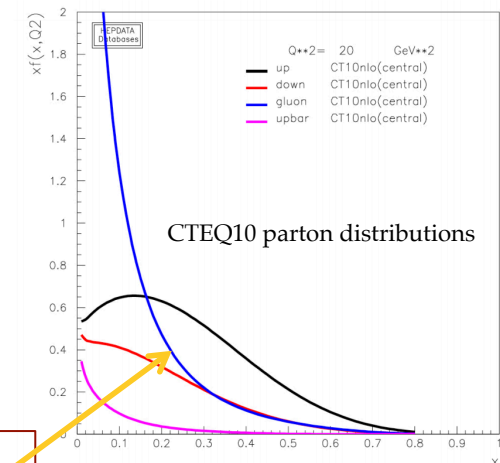
For Drell-Yan Process:  $p(q)p^1(\bar{q}) \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$

$$A_n = \frac{\frac{N_u}{L_u} - \frac{N_d}{L_d}}{\frac{N_u}{L_u} + \frac{N_d}{L_d}} \propto \frac{\sum_q e_q^2 [f_1^q(x_1) \cdot f_{1T}^{\perp, \bar{q}}(x_2) + 1 \leftarrow \rightarrow 2]}{\sum_q e_q^2 [f_1^q(x_1) \cdot f_1^{\bar{q}}(x_2) + 1 \leftarrow \rightarrow 2]}$$

See Forhad Hossain's presentation

- Measure azimuthal asymmetry in:
  - DY dimuon production  $\rightarrow$  extract anti-quark Sivers
  - $J/\psi$  meson (charm-anticharm bound state) dimuon decay  $\rightarrow$  extract gluon Sivers
    - TSSAs (up to ~40%) observed in light hadron production in  $0.1 < x_{\text{Bjorken}} < 0.5$
    - Gluon-gluon fusion: can be dominant mechanism for  $J/\psi$  at SpinQuest

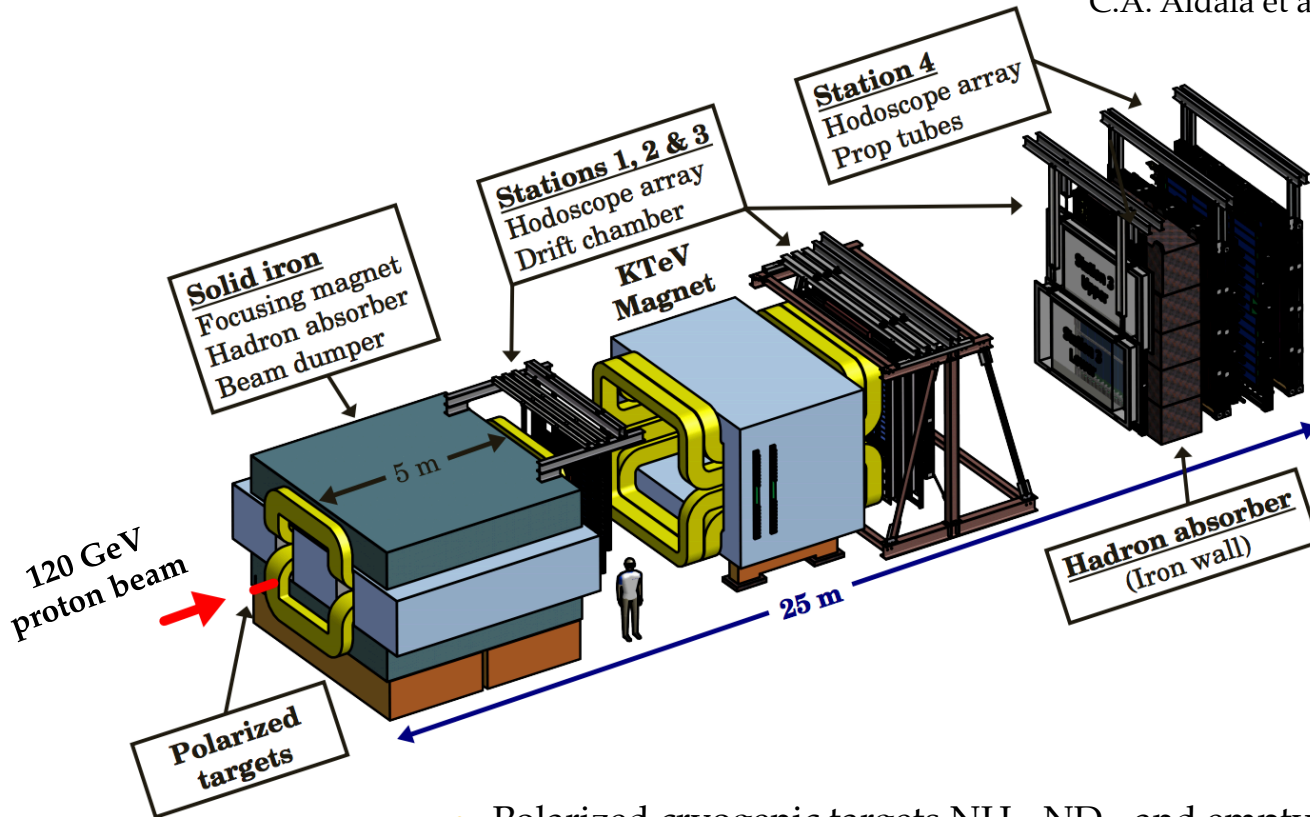
Small due to SpinQuest coverage!



Many gluons below 0.22!

# The SpinQuest Spectrometer

C.A. Aidala et al., Nu In, volume 930, 49 (2019 )

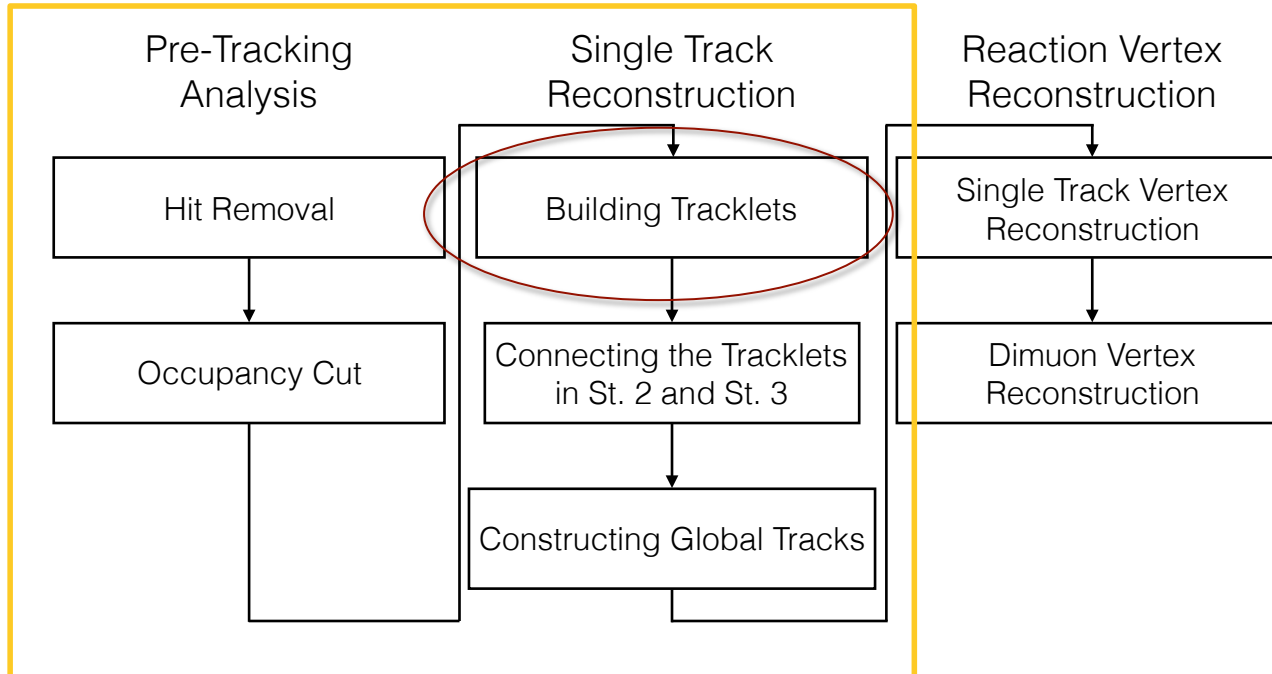


Located in NM4 enclosure  
at Fermi National  
Accelerator Laboratory  
(Fermilab)

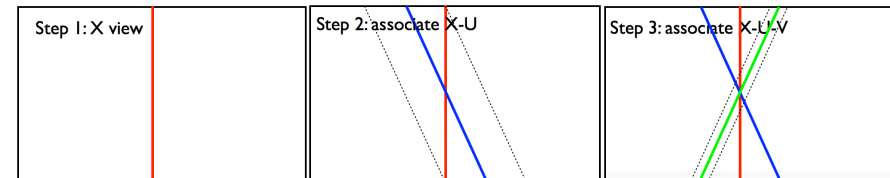
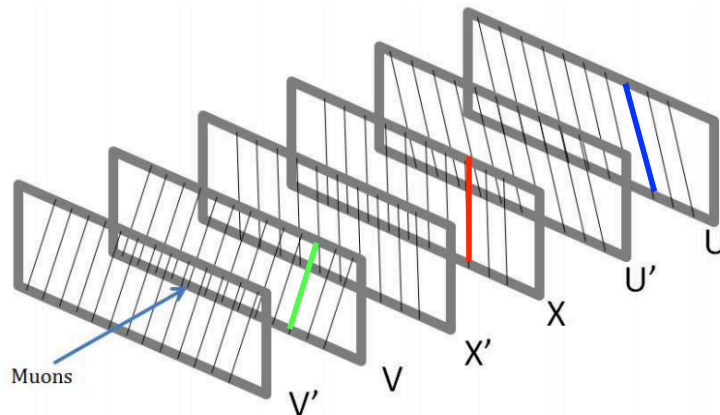
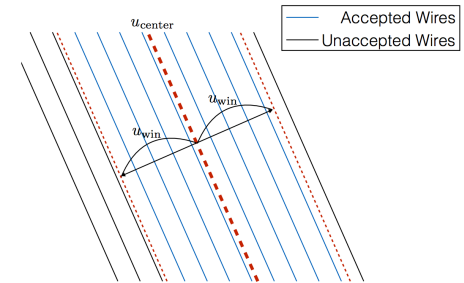
See Zulkaida Akbar  
and Min Jung Kim's  
presentations

- Polarized cryogenic targets  $\text{NH}_3$ ,  $\text{ND}_3$ , and empty target
- Dynamic nuclear polarization (  $\sim 80\%$  target polarization at 4% uncertainty)
- Kept at 1K in 5 T field, polarization flip every 8 hours

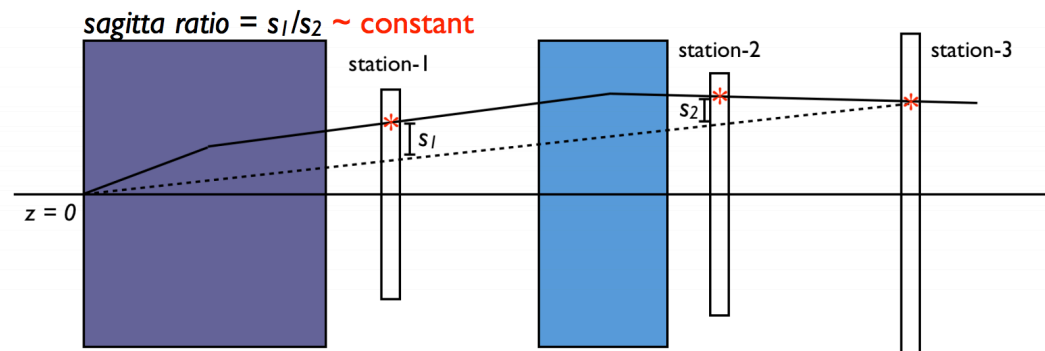
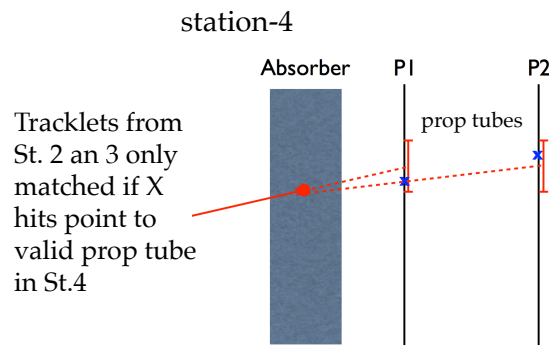
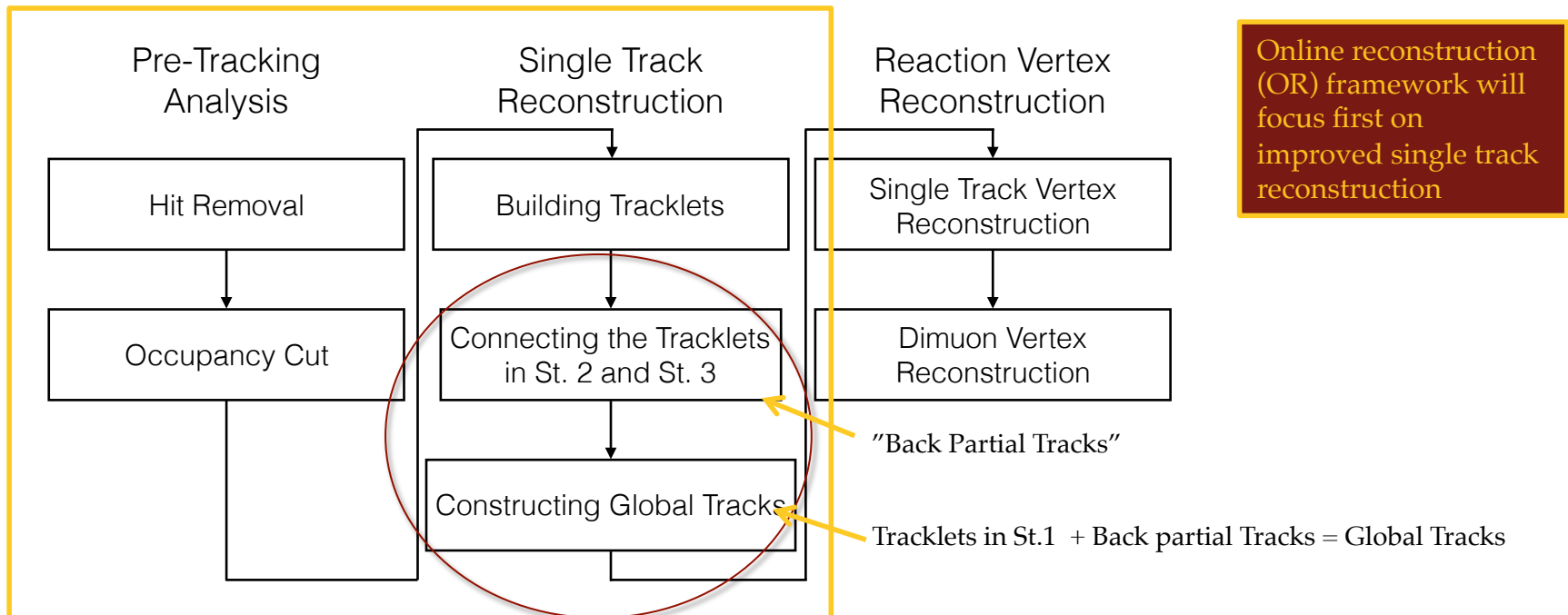
# Tracking Framework



Online reconstruction (OR) framework will focus first on improved single track reconstruction

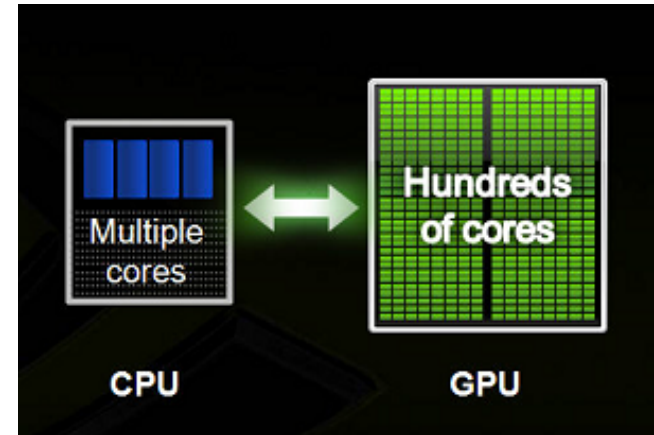


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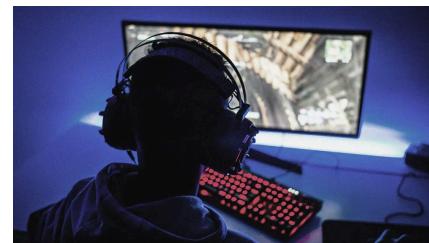


# Improving Tracking and OR at SpinQuest

- Use multi-threaded application to:
  - Improve performance/speed of event “cleaning” and single track reconstruction
  - Test using data files from SeaQuest
- Implement in CUDA with Nvidia GPUs
- Other GPU applications: gaming, driverless cars, AI training...



\$349, 1920 cores

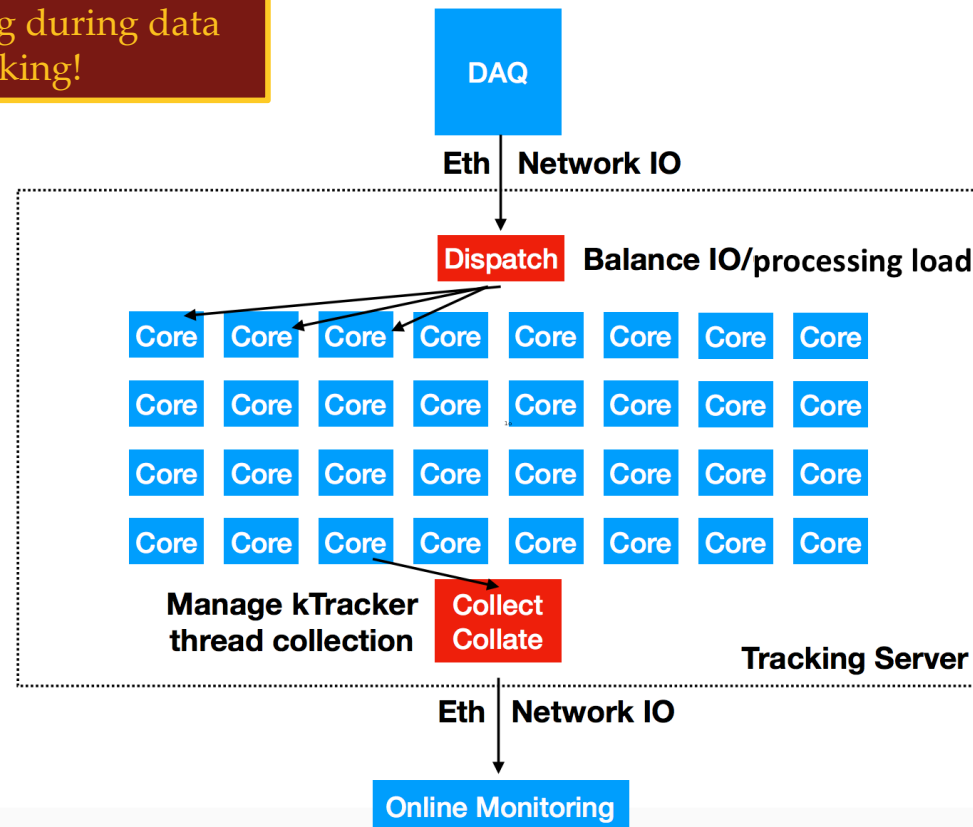




# Eventually...

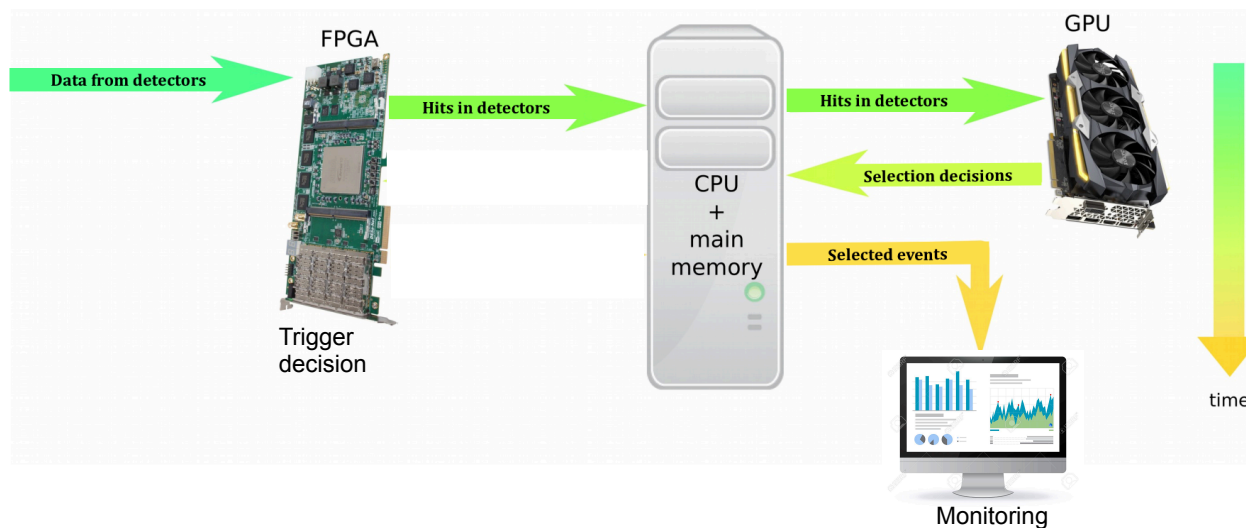


Fast and efficient online monitoring during data taking!

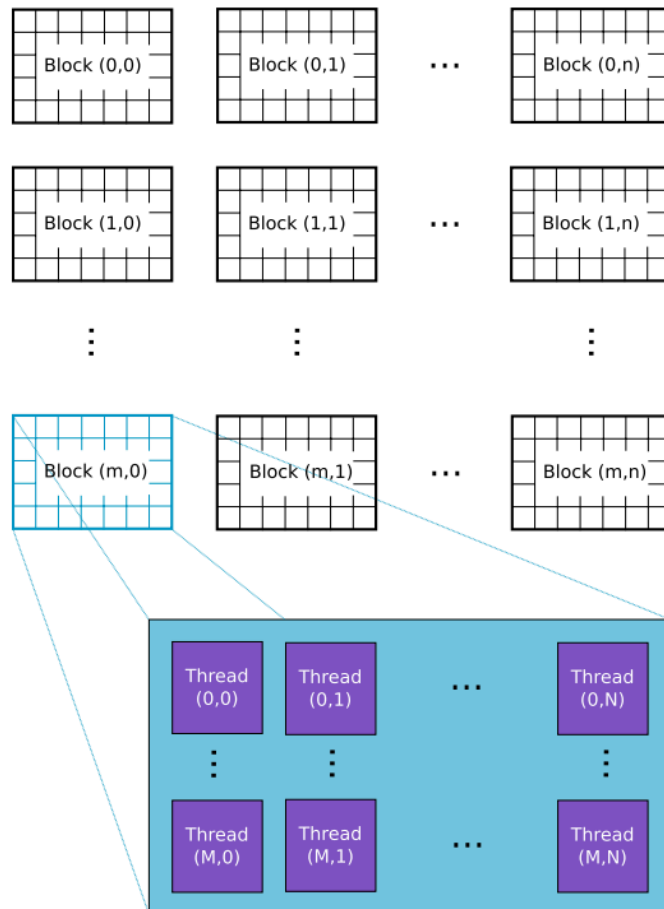


# Features of GPU Tracking Framework

- Framework structure motivated by *The Allen project* at LHCb
- Multithreading and multistreaming
- Cross-platform compatibility with CPU architectures
- Single transfer of data to GPU device
- No dynamic memory allocation
- Pass through events that will not finish in time via scheduling




# Features of GPU Tracking Framework



- Parallelization (SIMT):
  - Run each event in one block
  - Intra-event parallelism mapped to the threads within one block
    - i.e. Hit information in each event for a given detector region

# Status of OR Software

- GPU parallelization of event reducer  
(pre-tracking event cleaning)
- GPU parallelization of tracklet  
building for detector stations 2 and 3
  - Testing and optimization of block  
dimensions underway
  - Performance comparisons to  
CPU multithreading underway



Process	Time (s)
Loading data from disk to memory	2.28
Read and prepare events from loaded file (CPU)	2.25
Transmitting data with graphic memory	0.81
Event reducer (GPU)	0.02
<b>GPU parameters:</b> 20 blocks, 512 threads per block, 10240 threads (9607 events processed, 114MB )	

A factor of 100  
improvement on the  
processing speed!

# Conclusion

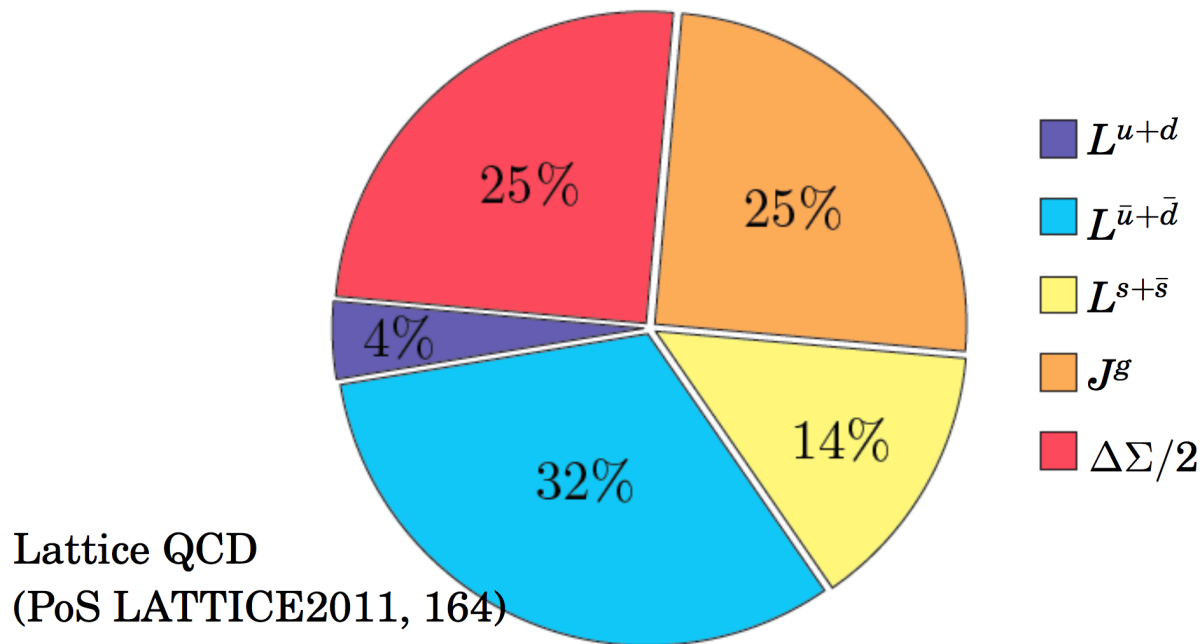
- Polarized DY and  $J/\psi$  data at SpinQuest will help constrain important anti-quark and gluon Sivers functions
- Track reconstruction software on GPUs will:
  - Allow for efficient monitoring of data quality
  - Improve reconstruction speed and performance
  - Lay groundwork for next tracking stage: vertex reconstruction
  - Help pave the way for robust analyses at SpinQuest

# Backup Slides

# Importance of Gluons and Seaquarks

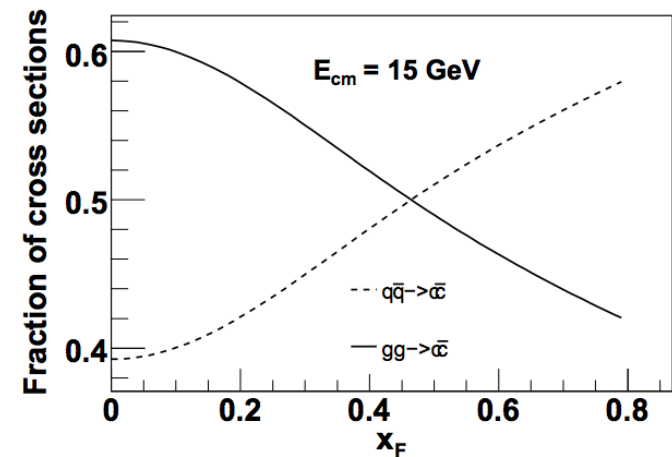
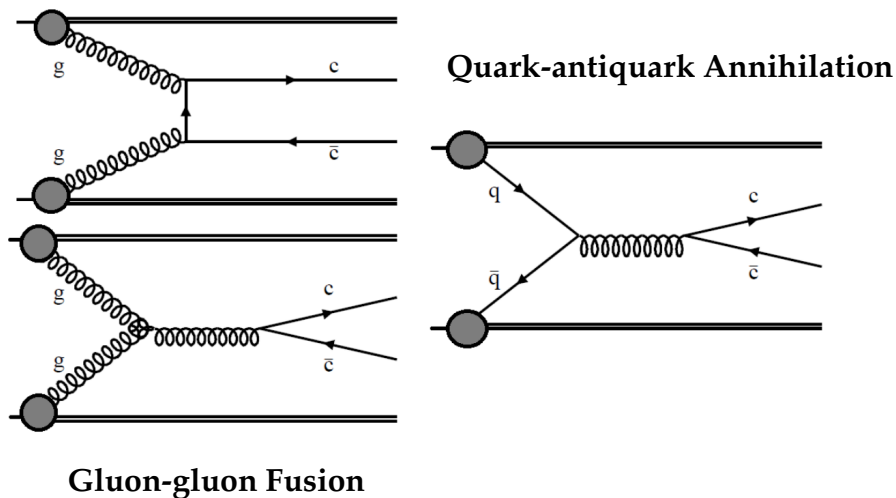
- Proton spin puzzle:

$$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}\Delta\Sigma + J_G + L_q + L_{\bar{q}}$$



# Probing Gluon Sivers with $J/\psi$

- SpinQuest can also measure dimuons resulting from the decay of the  $J/\psi$  **meson**, a charm-anticharm bound state
- Expected SpinQuest  $J/\psi$  productions are dominated by gluon-gluon fusion at  $x_F < 0.45$  and the center of mass energy,  $E_{cm}$ , of 15 GeV
- Improved  $J/\psi$  TSSA measurement accuracy and acceptance studies are currently underway



$$x_F \approx x_{\text{beam(or 1)}} - x_{\text{target(or 2)}}$$