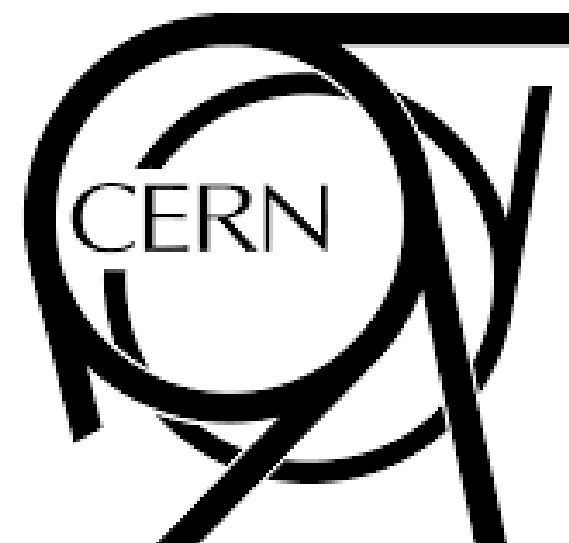




# Porting ACTS Track Reconstruction to HIP for Multi-GPU Portability

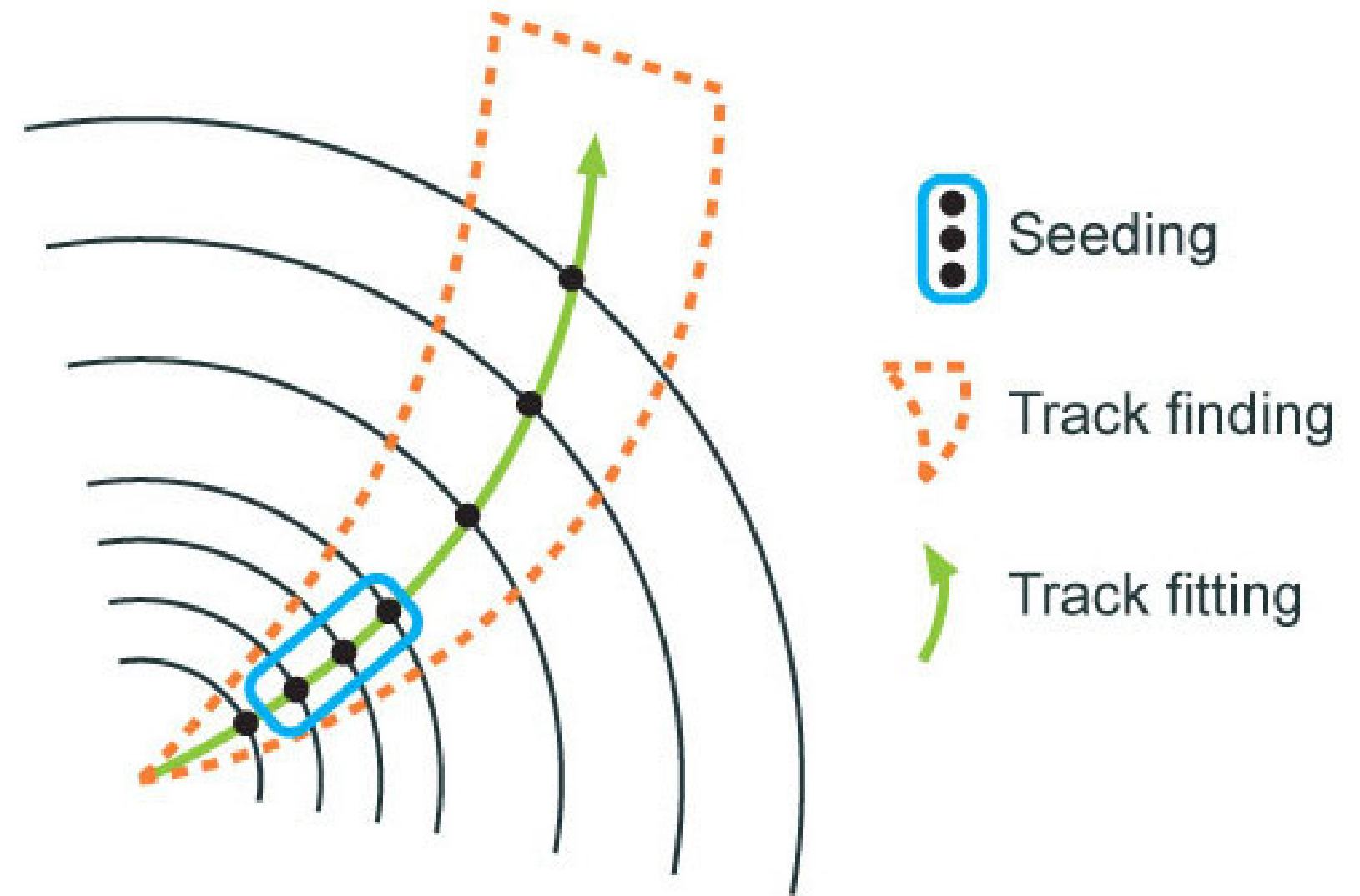
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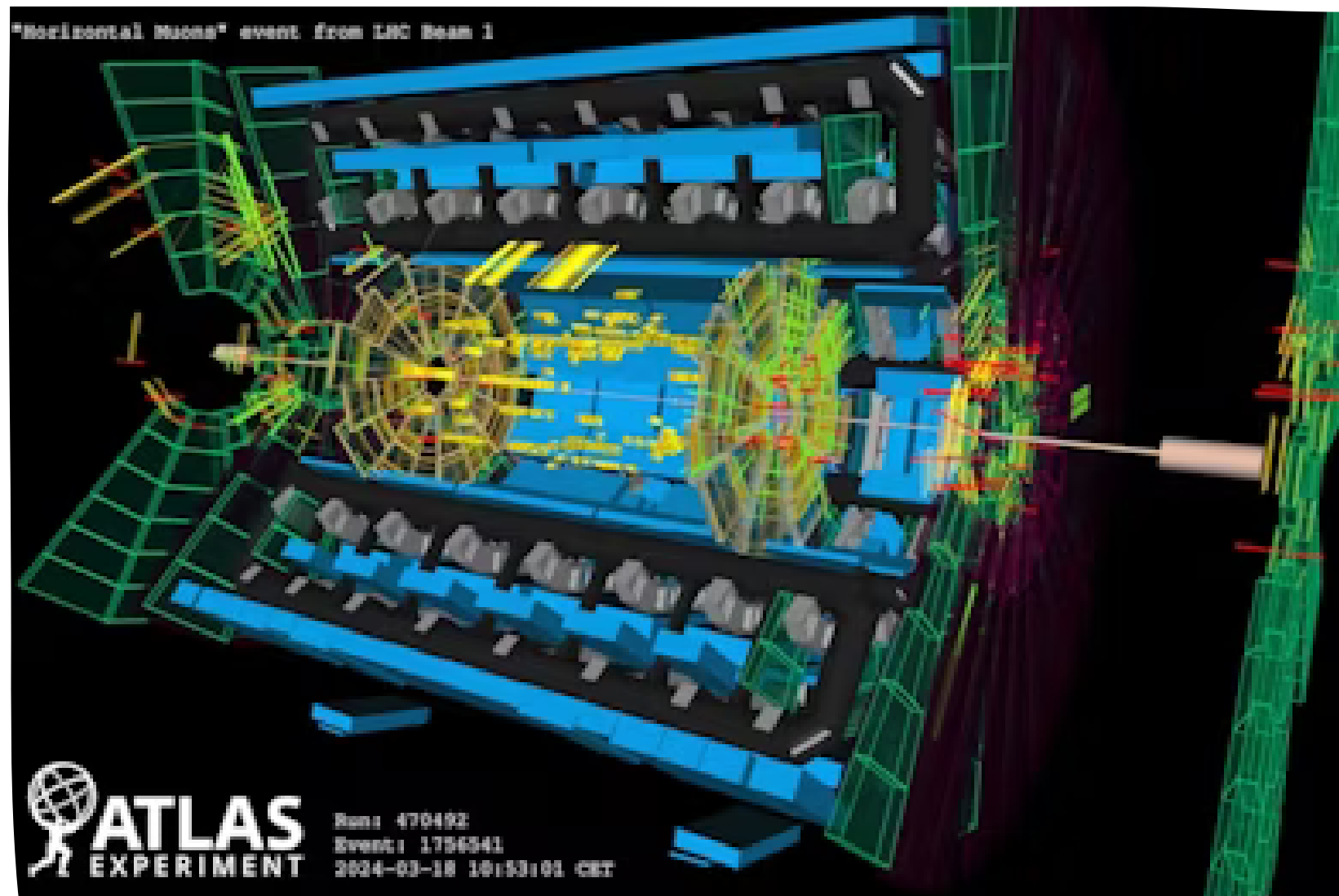
# Track Reconstruction in High-Energy Physics

## ACTS & Detray

- Tracking: reconstructing paths of charged particles from detector hits
- ACTS: C++ toolkit for tracking algorithms used in HEP experiments
- Detray: GPU-friendly detector geometry + track propagation

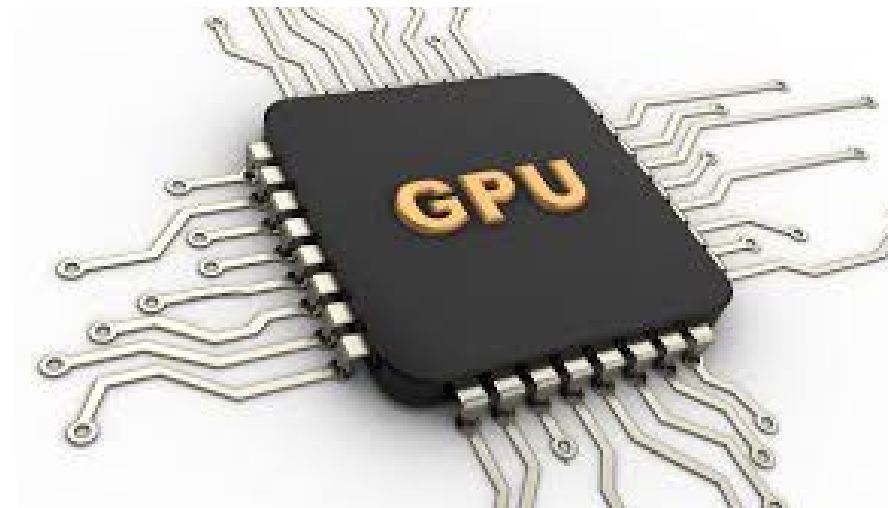


# Detray: Detector Geometry & Track Propagation on GPUs



- Navigates tracks through detector layers
- Propagates track parameters in magnetic fields
- Accounts for material effects
- Optimized for massive parallel execution

# Breaking the GPU Vendor Lock



**CUDA: NVIDIA only**

**GPUs : massive parallelis  
ideal for tracking**



**HIP : portable to  
AMD & NVIDIA**

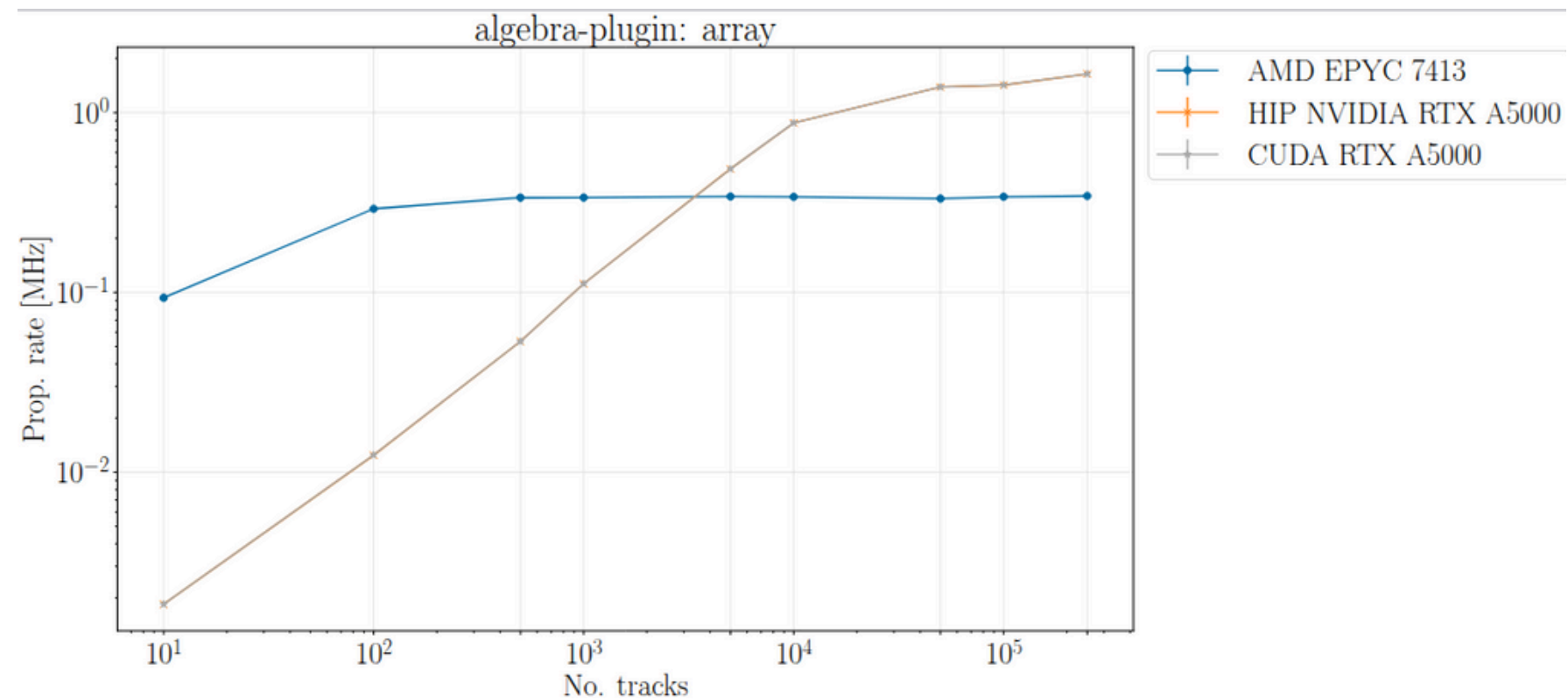
# Implementation of HIP Support in Detray

## From Build to Benchmarks

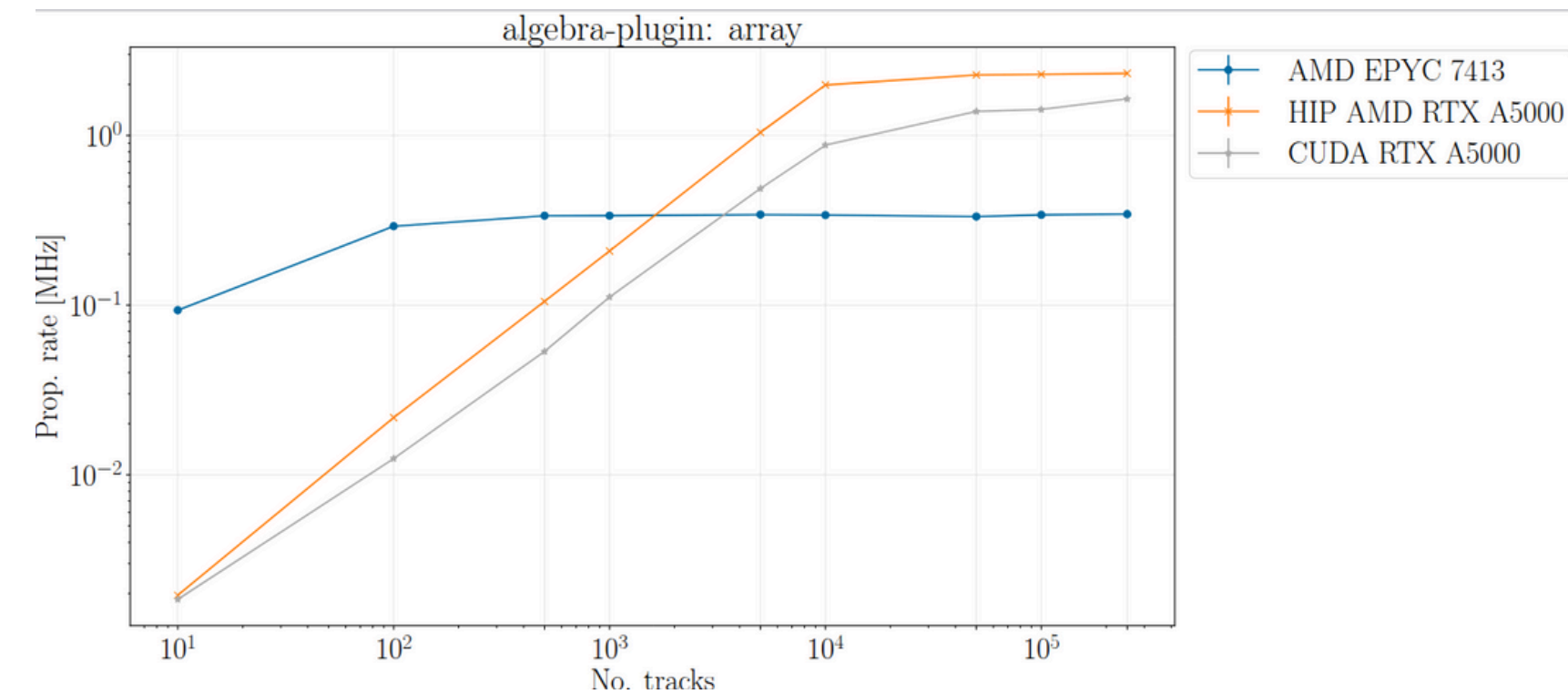
- HIP config in CMake (detray build system)
- Ported Unit Tests (detector)
- Ported Integration Tests (propagator)
- Built Benchmarks for HIP
- performance plots **NVIDIA & AMD**

# Testing Detray

## Benchmarking for Multi-Backend Speed



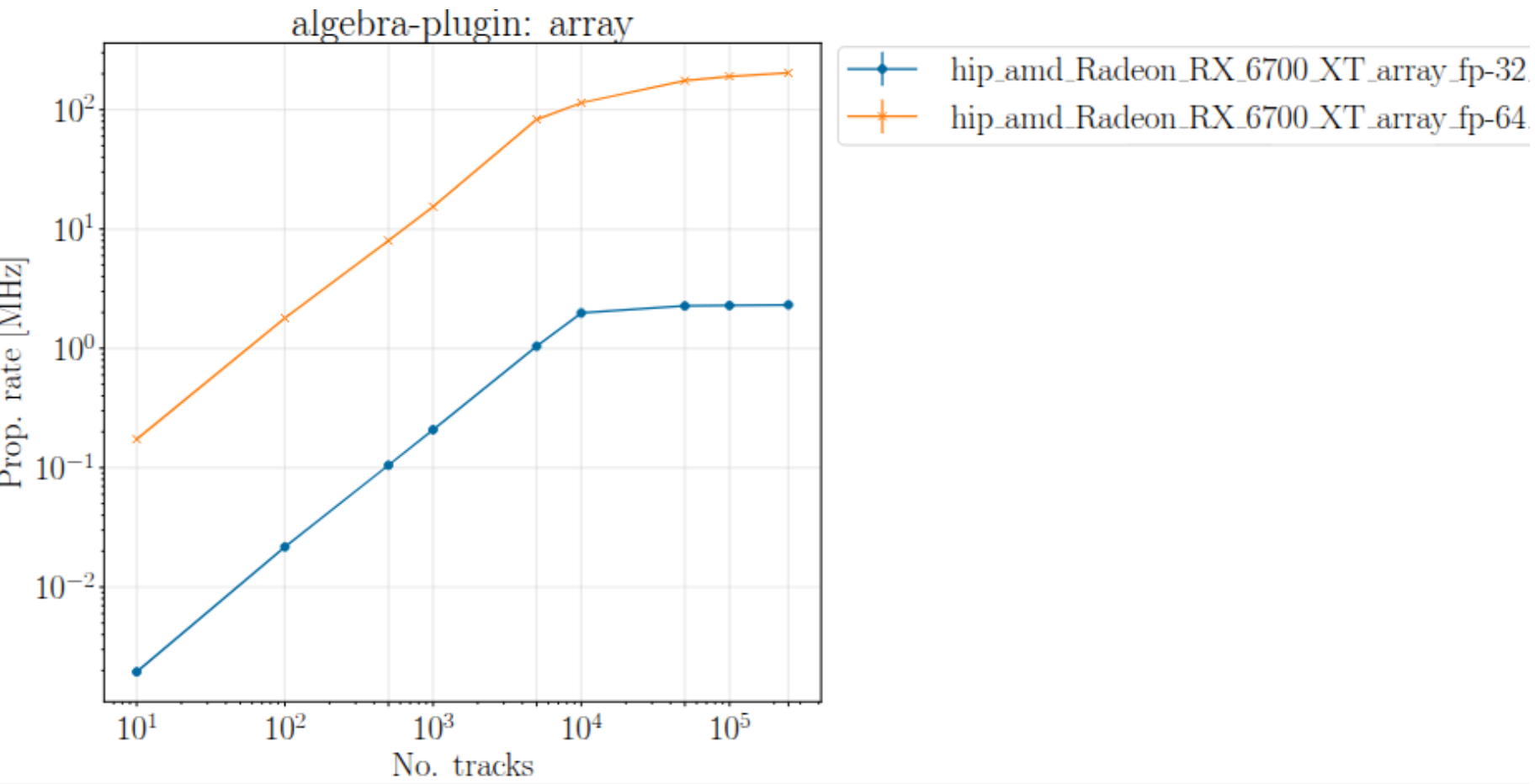
Throughput : CPU vs CUDA vs HIP - nvidia



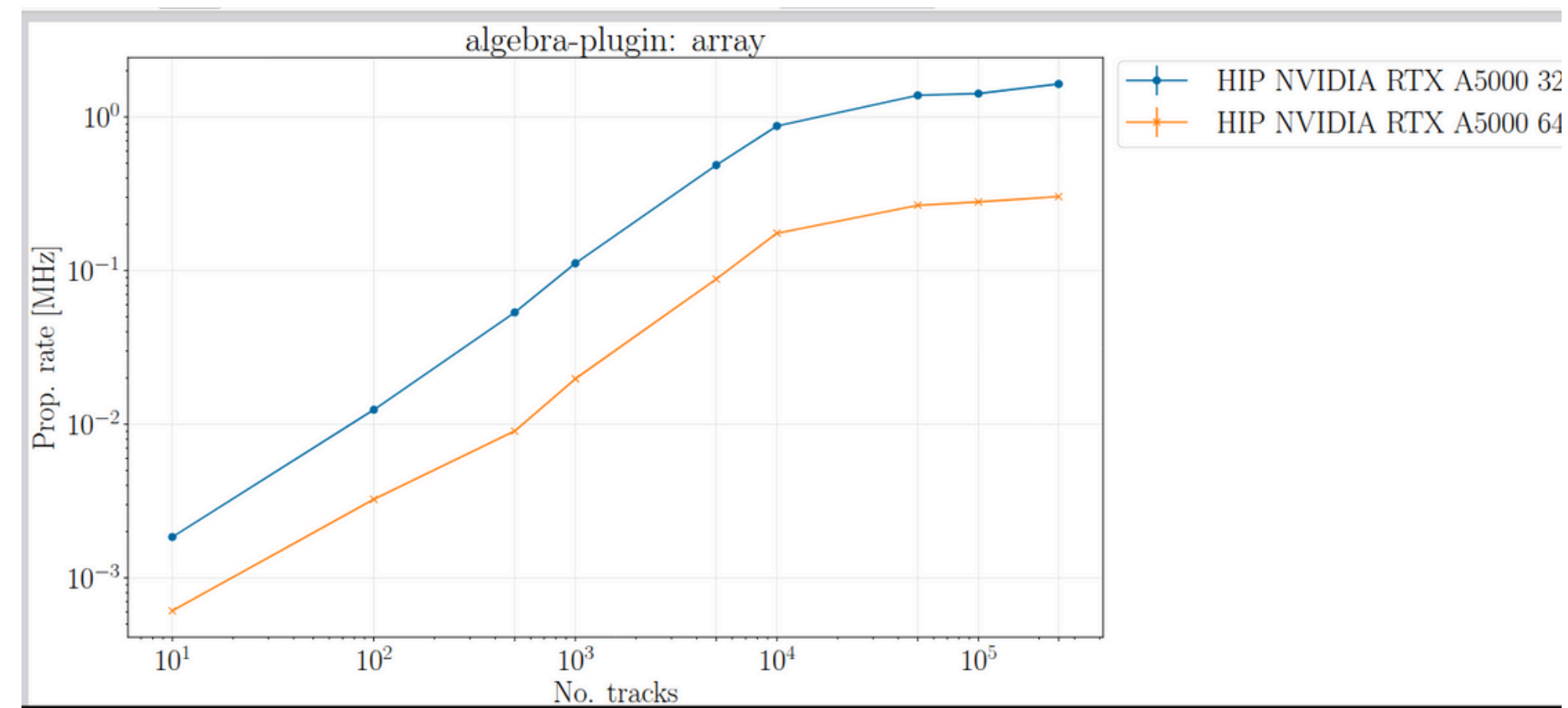
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# ODD Benchmark: Single vs Double Precision

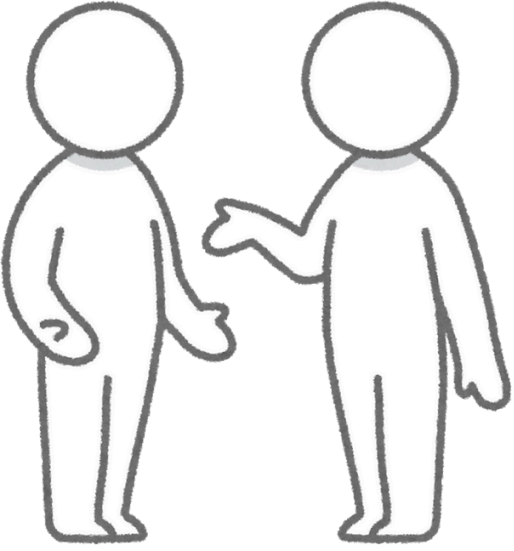
## AMD and NVIDIA GPUs



Throughput : HIP AMD 32 vs AMD 64

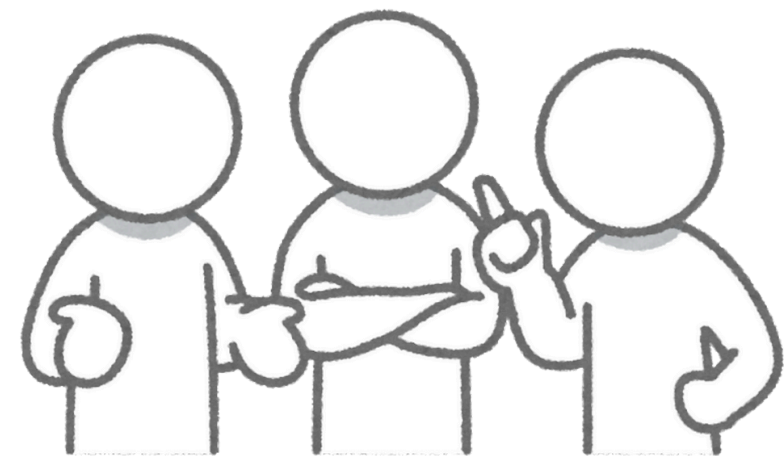


Throughput : HIP NVIDIA 32 vs NVIDIA 64



# **Comparative Performance Analysis**

## **HIP & CUDA & CPU Backends**





# Next Step

## HIP in ACTS Software Ecosystem

- Extend HIP to all ACTS components
- Verify propagation on AMD GPUs (validation tests)
- Reduce code duplication between CUDA & HIP tests
- Run benchmarks on different AMD GPUs (when available)
- Optimize for AMD ROCm stack

**Thank you for your attention**