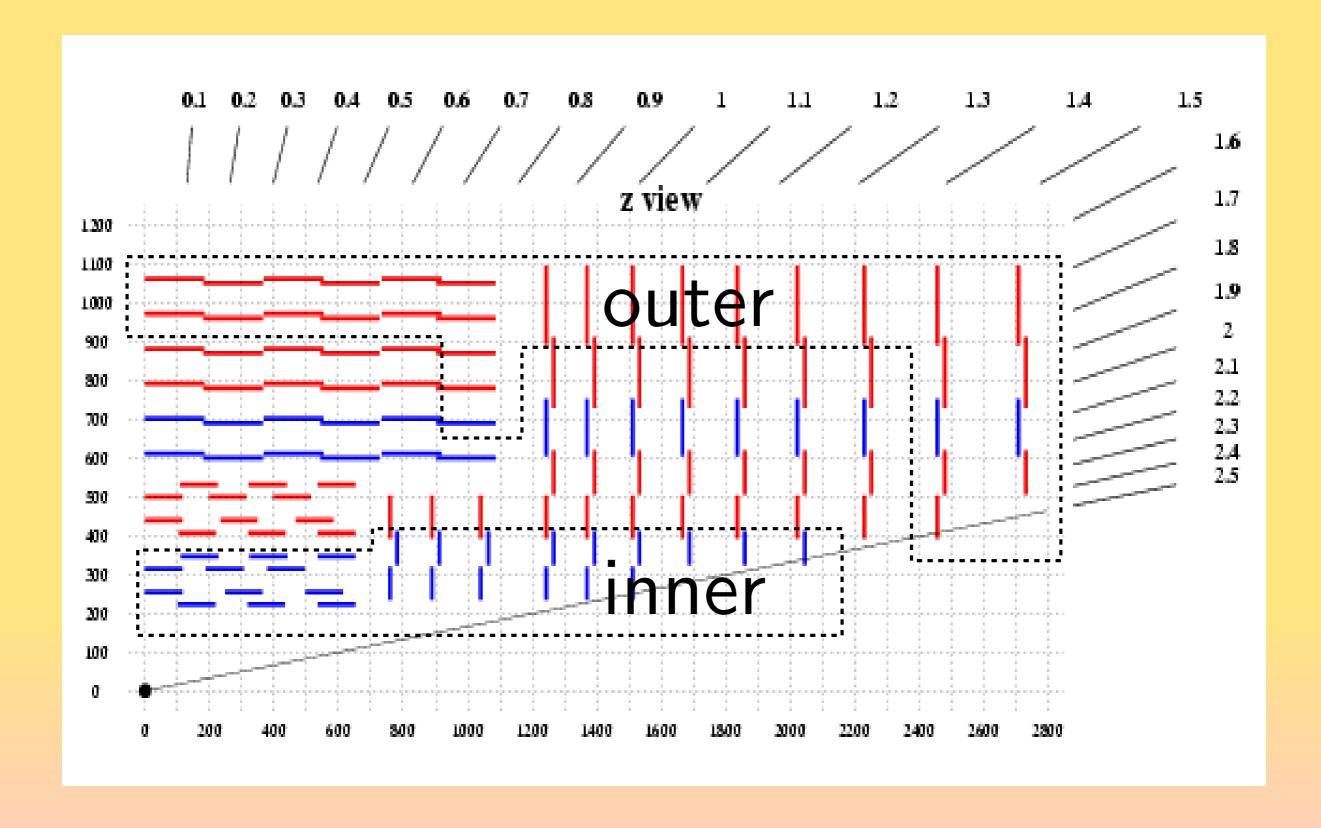
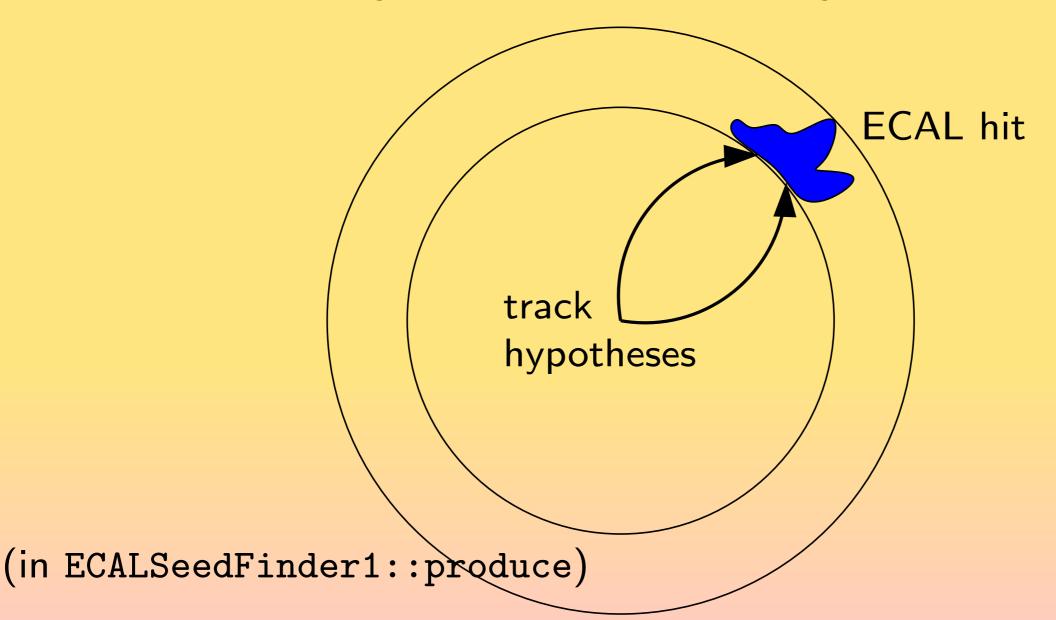


{Roads} = {inner rings} × {outer rings}

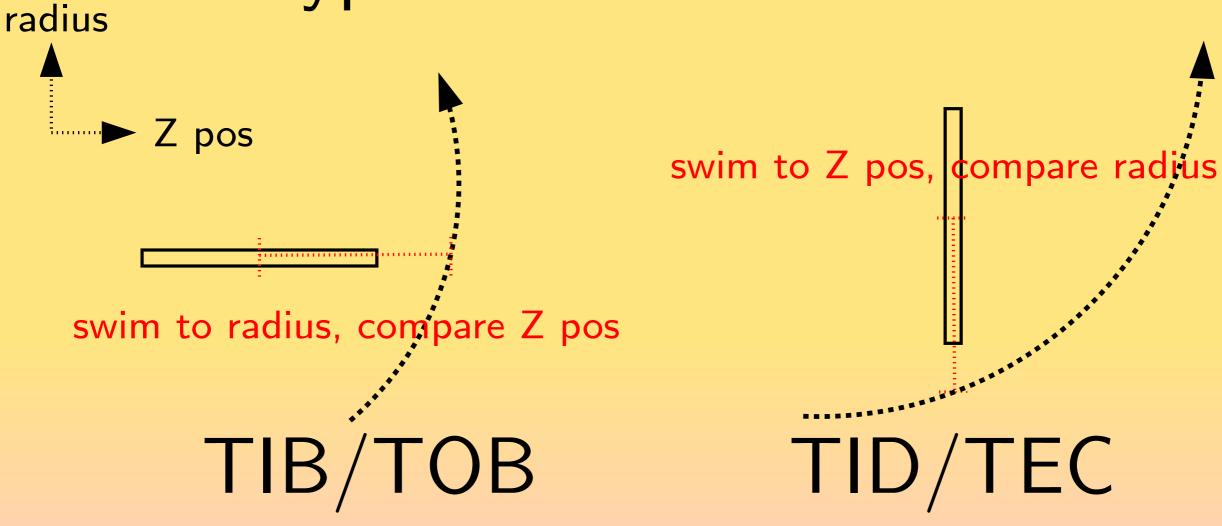


Algorithm in ECALSeedFinder1.cc:

For each energetic ECAL cluster, identify two track hypotheses



For each track hypothesis:
loop over roads
skip rings which are far from
hypothesis track in R-Z



(in ECALSeedFinder1::findSeeds)

For each acceptable ring, select DetIds close to track in ϕ

("Ring" data structure is a fast lookup table, keyed on ϕ)

For each acceptable DetId, identify all hits (not yet written)

(in ECALSeedFinder1::findHits)

Pop out to loop over all Roads with lists of identified inner and outer hits

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loop over {inner} × {outer}
    project origin + inner + outer helix
    is it close to cluster position/energy?
(not yet written)
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(will be in ECALSeedFinder1::findSeeds)

Speed of algorithm

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\mathcal{O}(\# \text{roads}) \times \\ \mathcal{O}(\text{av.}\# \text{hits in selected inner DetIds}) \times \\ \mathcal{O}(\text{av.}\# \text{hits in selected outer DetIds})
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Advantage over full tracking:

- 1. Reject many DetIds before looking at hits
- 2. Only consider seeds (origin + inner + outer) that point to clusters