

# KET Input zu ErUM Data Call

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für KET  
Computing  
und  
Software  
Panel

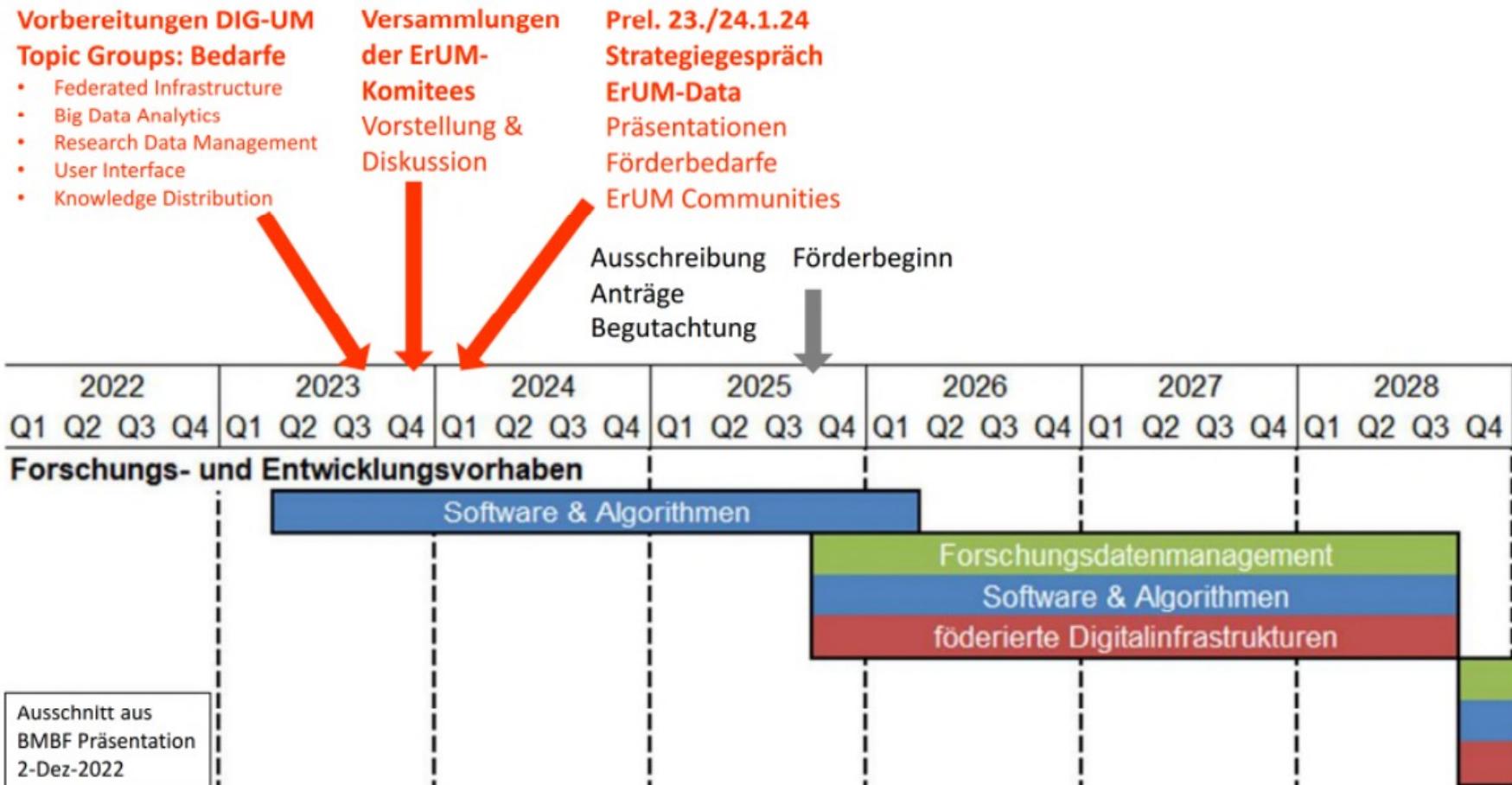
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- ErUM Data Ausschreibung und Zeitplan
- Themen in
  - Federated infrastructures
  - Software and algorithms
  - Research data management
- Diskussion

# Einführung

- BMBF plant Finanzierung von Forschungsprojekten in ErUM Data ab Q4/2025 in diesen Themengebieten:
  - Federated digital infrastructures
  - Software & algorithms
  - Research data management
- ErUM communities (KAT, KET, KfB, KFN, KFS, KFSI, KhuK, RDS) können über DIG-UM Topic Groups Input zur Gestaltung der Ausschreibung geben
- Laufende ErUM Projekte mit KET Beteiligung:
  - FIDIUM (“Föderierte Digitale Infrastrukturen für die Erforschung von Universum und Materie”):
    - gemeinsames Projekt von KET und KHUK, 2021-2024 (+2025)
  - KISS (“Künstliche Intelligenz zur schnellen Simulation von wissenschaftlichen Daten“) und AISafety im Bereich Software & Algorithmen (2023-2026)
    - Gemeinsame Projekte KET + weitere Communities

# Roadmap (M. Erdmann)

## DIG-UM: Prel. Roadmap zur ErUM-Data Förderung Q4/2025



# KET Themenliste – Federated Infrastructures

- 1) Building a federated compute infrastructure for all ErUM data communities
  - Ongoing for HEP but potentially interesting also for HEP, HuK, ATP, astronomy and photon-science
  - Possible involvement of industrial partners (e.g. dynamic clouds)
  - Container Checkpointing and Restore – important technology for flexible use
- 2) Building a federated data infrastructure (data lake + data caches, etc.)
  - Needed for 1) - essentially a combination of centers with storage systems and high bandwidth in a data federation.
- 3) Analysis facilities:
  - Platforms using resources in 1) with dynamical setup and scaling (COBald/TARDIS). Based on industry standards Apache Spark or Dask.
  - dCache to federate storage infrastructure for efficient analysis
- 4) Development and validation of methods for simulating data lakes, distributed data, caches
- 5) Monitoring and communication infrastructure for federated compute and data resources
  - accounting, controlling, availability, CO2e footprint (Auditor as basis)
- 6) SDN (Software Defined Networking)
  - penalties for unscheduled transfers (already emerging in the USA)

**Sustainability as overarching topic**

# Software and Algorithms

- Real time algorithms
- Algorithms for heterogeneous computing
- Implementation of new computational methods in dedicated hardware
- Inverse problems
- Generative models
- Foundational models
- Algorithms for sparse data
- Resource savings by software optimization
- Experiment overarching algorithms (e.g. tracking, ACTS)
- Quantum computing algorithms
- Further development/upgrade of existing software
- Application of LLM/genAI for software development, operation, etc

# Topic list for KET – Research Data Management

## 1) Workflow management systems

- Services to organize complex workflows (Luigi, Snakemake, ...)
- How to apply in our environment
- following FAIR principles

## 2) Open data – not only outreach but for research

- Active discussion in LHC experiments on policy details
- Requires long-term commitment and support
- Cooperation among experiments and with theory groups
- following FAIR principles

## 3) Data lake & caching

- overlap with topic in ‘federated infrastructure’
  - Integration with data management systems required

## 4) Combining meta-data and data-management systems

# Diskussionspunkte

- Themenliste
- Blue-Sky Forschung vs. langfristige Nutzbarmachung von Entwicklungen
- Deutsche Beiträge zu Experimenten mit Potential von experiment-/community übergreifendem Nutzen
- Nachhaltigkeit
- Zusammenarbeit mit anderen Communities und Industrie
- Überlapp mit PUNCH4NFDI (insbesondere Research Data Management)
- Antragsverfahren:
  - Größe der Verbünde bzw. ergänzende Verbünde
  - 1- oder 2-stufig
  - Kategorisierung in Themenbereiche
  - Begutachtung
- Hardware Funding

***Input bis 7. Dez. 2023 an KET Computing und Software Panel bzw DIG-UM  
Topic groups (– bitte KET C&S ins CC:)***

# Backup

# DIG-UM

**DIG-UM = Digital Transformation in the Research of Universe and Matter:**  
Self-organization to compile the needs and requirements of the 8 ErUM communities on digitization issues

## Community Self-Organization

KAT  
KET  
KfB  
KFS  
KFSI  
KFN  
KHuK  
RDS

## Digital Transformation

DIG-UM\*

Overview Board (OB) 8 ErUM Committee Chairs, 1 Resource Provider Board Chair, 1 Spokesperson, 1 BMBF Representative, 1 PT-DESY Representative					
Coordination	Spokesperson / 5 Co-spokespersons		Digitization Board (DB) 1 Spokesperson, 5 Co-spokespersons, 8 Experts from ErUM committees, 1 Resource Provider Representative		Resource Provider Board (RB) 10 Resource Provider Representatives
	Annual Conference of the ErUM-Data Working Groups				
Topic Groups	Federated Infrastructures Coordinators, Experts <i>Compute power Utilization Workflows</i> ...	Big Data Analytics Coordinators, Experts <i>Algorithms Autonomization Control &amp; Preservation</i> ...	Research Data Coordinators, Experts <i>Data models Management Curation</i> ...	User Interface Coordinators, Experts <i>Scientists' questions Developers' work User support</i> ...	Knowledge Distribution Coordinators, Experts <i>Workshops Schools</i> ...

# Federated Infrastructures

# FIDIUM

## Task areas

- TA1: Tools for integrating heterogeneous computing resources:
  - COBald/Tardis, Auditor
- TA2: Data lakes & caches
  - XCache deployment, data management integration
- TA3: Tests and deployment of services in production and analysis environments

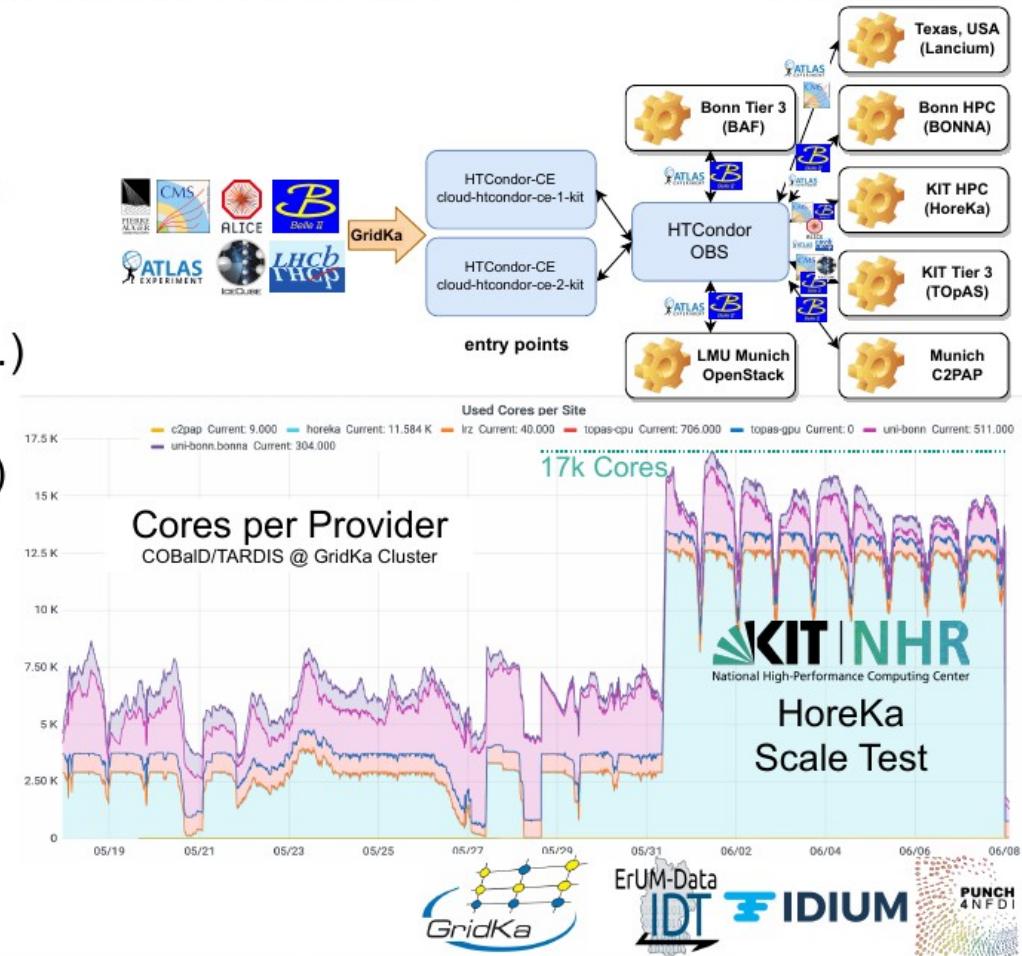
## Resulting tools and services are basis

- for ongoing transition from dedicated WLCG Tier-2 centers at universities to NHR centers (Compute) and HGF (Storage)
- Compute4Punch (Compute resources for PUNCH4NFDI) project

# Opportunistic Compute @ FIDIUM in a Nutshell

Simplify provisioning and utilization of third-party compute resources for the various communities:

- **Dynamic, transparent and on-demand integration** via COBald/TARDIS (in-house development)
- Provide **community-overarching unified entry points** to a variety of resources (HPCs, Clouds, ...)
- Demonstrated **production scale operation** during scale test together with HoreKa (KIT HPC cluster)
- Production deployment across HEP institutes & HPC resources **coordinated by KIT/GridKa**
- Central building block of the Compute4PUNCH infrastructure within PUNCH4NFDI



Manuel Giffels

# FIDIUM - continuation

- Tools & services developed in FIDIUM require
  - Long-term commitment and support
- NHR sites to be used for ATLAS & CMS – transition in progress
  - Potential to serve as prototype for other HEP projects and ErUM communities
- Extend functionality to keep up with developments and further requirements
  - GPU resources
  - Integration into parallel analysis workflows
  - Adjust demand to availability of renewable energy
    - E.g. include dedicated farms exclusively power by wind turbines

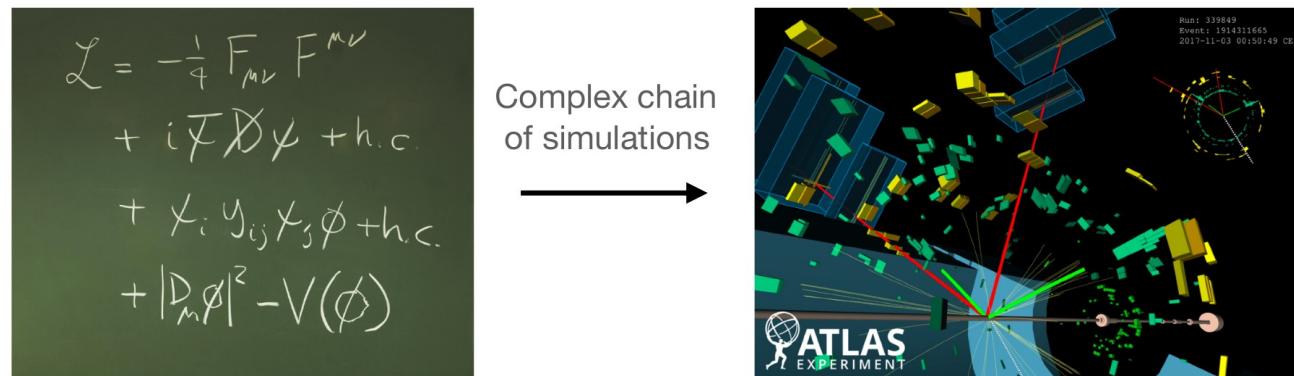
# Federated storage – data lakes and caches

- Federated storage infrastructures
  - KIT and Desy-HH as ‘data-lake hubs’ for ATLAS, CMS, LHCb, Belle II
  - In combination with caching services at NHR sites and Tier-3s
  - Basic caching services tested and deployed in FIDIUM on small scale
  - Further activities:
    - deploy on larger scale
    - integrate into WLCG data management and workflow systems
- Similar services at GSI for Alice and Fair (KHuK)
- Desy-ZN similar role for KAT ?

# Software and Algorithms

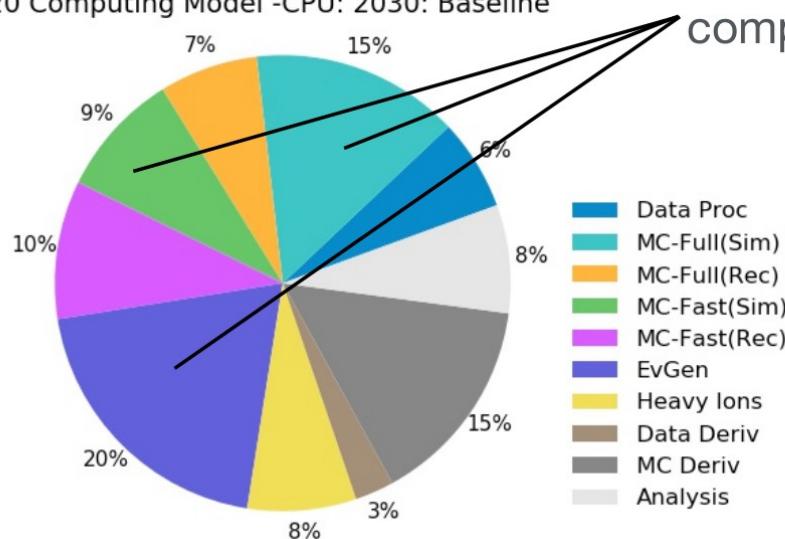
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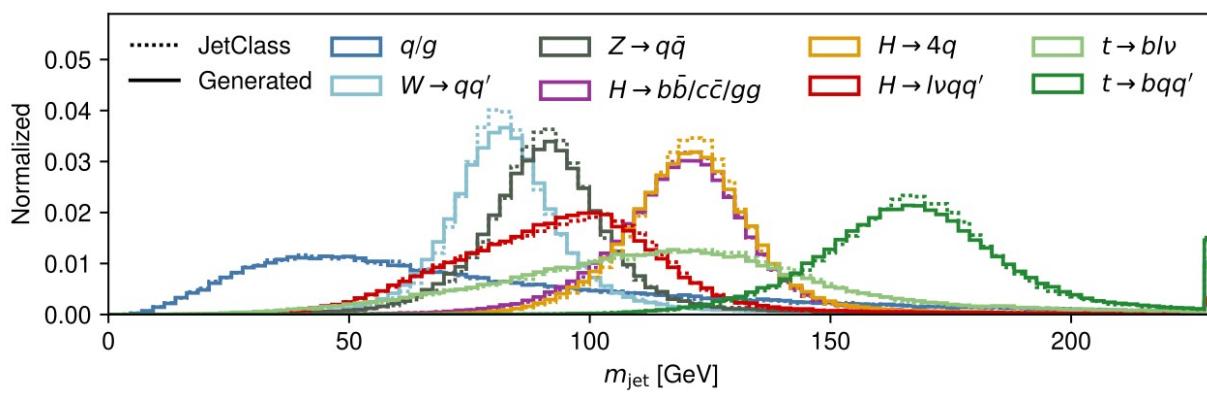
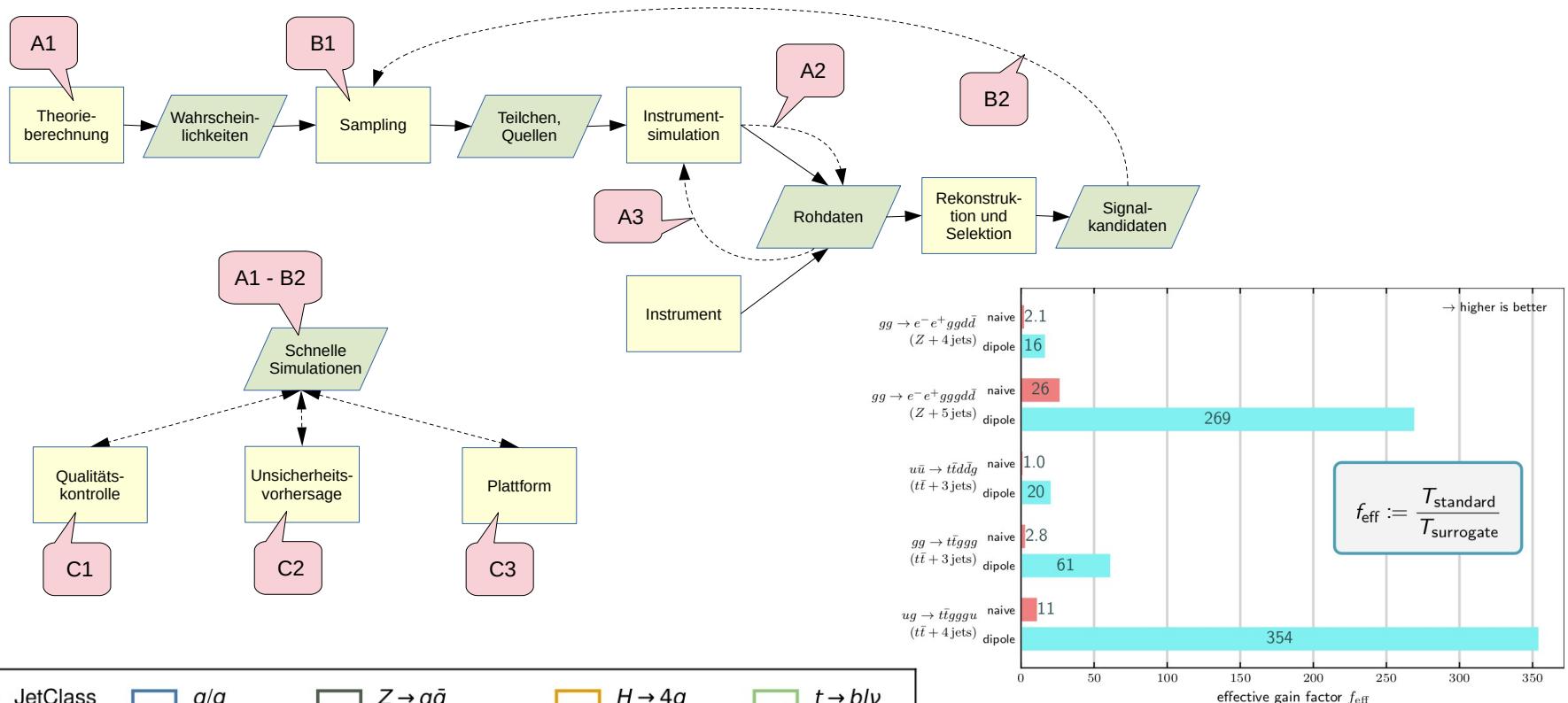


ATLAS Preliminary  
2020 Computing Model -CPU: 2030: Baseline

Simulation and  
Generation steps  
over 40% of ATLAS  
compute effort..

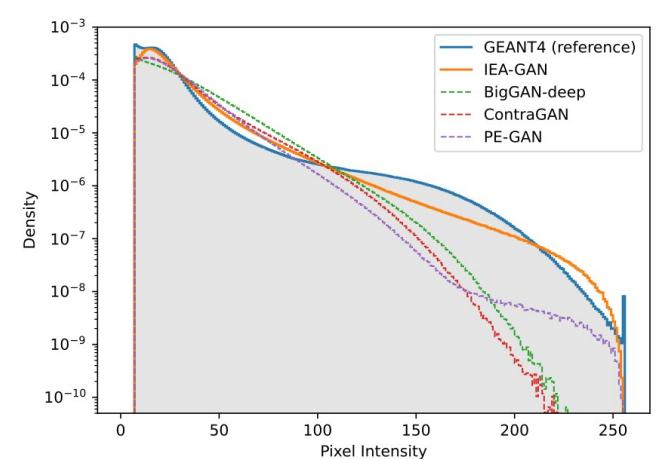


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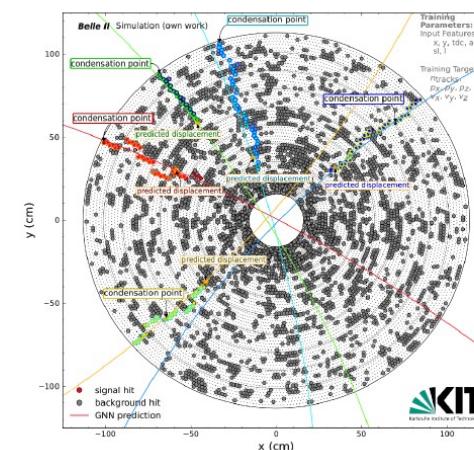
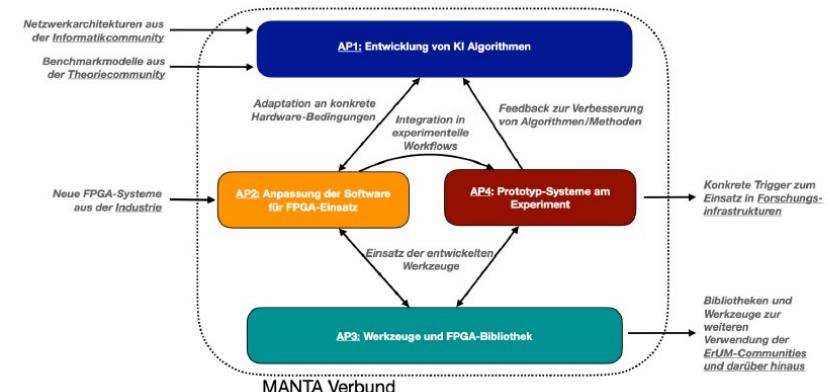
# Real Time Algorithms

**MANTA**

MAschinelles Lernen und Neuronale Netze für Echtzeit-Triggersysteme mit FPGAs an Großgeräten der Teilchenphysik



- Real-time data processing is crucial for experiments like ATLAS, CMS, and Belle II, using FPGAs for trigger decisions with latency of  $<3\mu\text{s}$
- FPGAs can now handle complex algorithms, including neural networks, for real-time decision-making in particle physics.
- MANTA aimed to develop and optimize FPGA-based ML methods for triggers, involving algorithm development, system configuration, tool creation, firmware modules, and prototype testing.
- Collaboration between experts in microelectronics, computer engineering, and particle physics is essential to efficiently implement ML algorithms on FPGAs and address common challenges.
- Next generation trigger boards with Xilinx VERSAL?



Example R&D:  
GNN tracking for  
Belle II with very  
low fake rates for  
displaced and low  
momentum tracks  
in high occupancy.

# Referenzen

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