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# SECTORING FOR TRACKING

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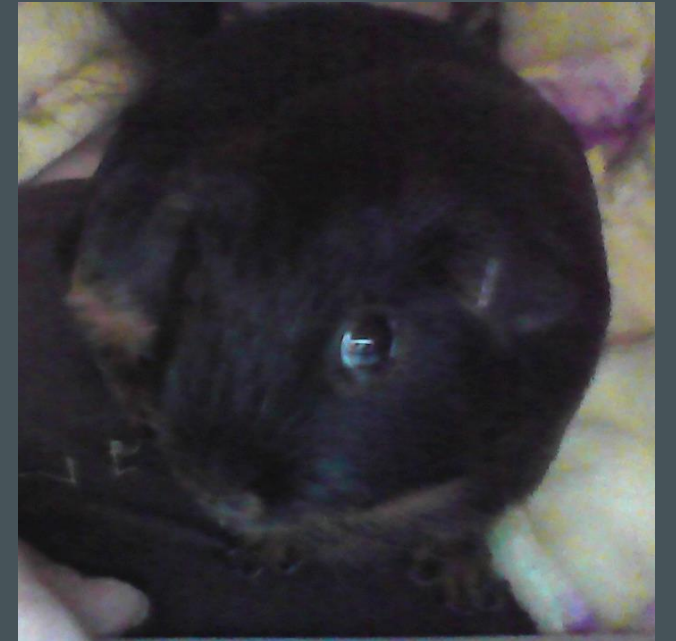
**github issue 208**

**(or, “yet another rabbit-hole”)**

**Good news: recovered some tracks**

**Bad news: don’t really know why**

(my new helper  
for getting out  
of rabbit-holes)



## WHAT IS SECTORING?


- Dividing detector into sectors, and only considering one sector at a time when building tracks
  - Division in  $\phi$  and/or  $z$
- Should reduce runtime by reducing combinatorics
- Should not affect final tracking results, if sector size is appropriate
  - Decent track shouldn't hop all over the detector
- Machinery exists in hps-java, but currently not activated
  - Sector.java, SeedSectoring.java, SectorManager.java, HitManager.java, FastCheck.java
  - Additional  $z$  sectoring (“binning”) in FastCheck.java
  - **Does anyone remember the history?**

# WHERE IS SECTORING APPLIED?

## ■ SeedTracker.java:

```
protected void process(EventHeader event) {  
    // Get the hit collection from the event  
    List<HelicalTrackHit> hitcol = event.get(HelicalTrackHit.class, _inputCol);  
  
    // Sort the hits for this event  
    _hitmanager.OrganizeHits(hitcol);  
    // Loop over strategies and perform track finding  
    for (SeedStrategy strategy : _strategylist) {  
        // Perform track finding under this strategy  
        _finder.FindTracks(strategy, _bfield);  
        ...  
    }  
}
```

```
public void setApplySectorBinning(boolean applySectorBinning) {  
    _finder.setApplySectorBinning(applySectorBinning);  
    _finder.getConfirmer().setApplySectorBinning(applySectorBinning);  
}
```



```
public void OrganizeHits(List<HelicalTrackHit> hitCol) {  
  
    // Initialize the sector manager  
    _smanager.Initialize();  
  
    // Loop over the hits and let the SectorManager keep track of them  
    for (HelicalTrackHit hit : hitCol) {  
        // Tell the sector manager about this hit  
        _smanager.AddHit(hit);  
    }  
}
```

# WHERE IS SECTORING APPLIED?

- SeedTrackFinder.java:

```
public boolean FindTracks(SeedStrategy strategy, double bfield, FastCheck checker) {
    if(_applySectorBinning) checker.setDoSectorBinCheck(_hitmanager.getSectorManager());

    // Find the valid sector combinations
    SeedSectoring ss = new SeedSectoring(_hitmanager, strategy, bfield, _applySectorBinning);
    List<List<Sector>> slist = ss.SeedSectors();

    // Loop over the valid sector combinations
    for (List<Sector> slist : slist) {

        // Loop over the first seed layer
        for (HelicalTrackHit hit1 : slist.get(0).Hits()) {

            // Loop over the second seed layer and check that we have a hit pair consistent
            for (HelicalTrackHit hit2 : slist.get(1).Hits()) {
                ... TwoPointCircleCheck etc on candidate
            }
        }
    }
}
```

# WHERE IS SECTORING APPLIED?

## ■ ConfirmerExtender.java:

```
Map<SeedLayer, List<HelicalTrackHit>> hitmap = new HashMap<SeedLayer, List<HelicalTrackHit>>();

// Loop over the layers to be checked
for (SeedLayer lyr : inputseed.getUncheckedLayers()) {

    // Create a list of hits to check on this layer
    List<HelicalTrackHit> hitlist = new ArrayList<HelicalTrackHit>();

    // Loop over the sectors on this layer to collect hits to check
    for (Sector sector : _hmanager.getSectors(lyr)) {

        // If there are no hits, skip this sector
        if (sector.Hits().isEmpty()) continue;

        // See if this sector is consistent with this seed
        if (!checker.CheckSector(inputseed, sector)) continue;

        // Add the hits for this sector
        hitlist.addAll(sector.Hits());
    }

    // Save the list of hits in the hitmap
    if (!hitlist.isEmpty()) hitmap.put(lyr, hitlist);
}
```

# CURRENT CODE

- Sector sizes:
  - $d\phi = 2\pi / n\phi$
  - dz (always makes + and – different sectors)
- Sector binning currently enabled in TrackerReconDriver, propagates to FastCheck

```
// enable the use of sectoring using sector binning in SeedTracker
private boolean _applySectorBinning = true;
```

- What sets the sector sizes?

- **[disabled]** “autosectoring”: SectorManager optimizes sector sizes
- **[overridden]** default: SectorManager sets  $n\phi=4$ ,  $dz=100.0$

- **[active]** arbitrary code in TrackerReconDriver.initialize(): sets  $n\phi=1$ ,  $dz=100000$

```
SeedTracker stFinal = new SeedTracker(sFinalList, this._useHPSMaterialManager, this.includeMS);
...
// stFinal.setSectorParams(false); //this doesn't actually seem to do anything
stFinal.setSectorParams(1, 10000);
add(stFinal);
```

# PHI SECTORING

- Tried setting  $n_{phi}$  to something  $> 1$ , just to test what would happen
- Expected too high an  $n_{phi}$  might cause loss of some tracks
- But found, **setting  $n_{phi}$  yielded more tracks (???)**
  - Run 5772 data, 10K events, strategy s123\_c4\_e56, SimpleAmbiguityResolver

$n_{phi}$	# tracks
1 (master)	10892
4 (overridden default)	10958
8	10958
16	10958
32	10957

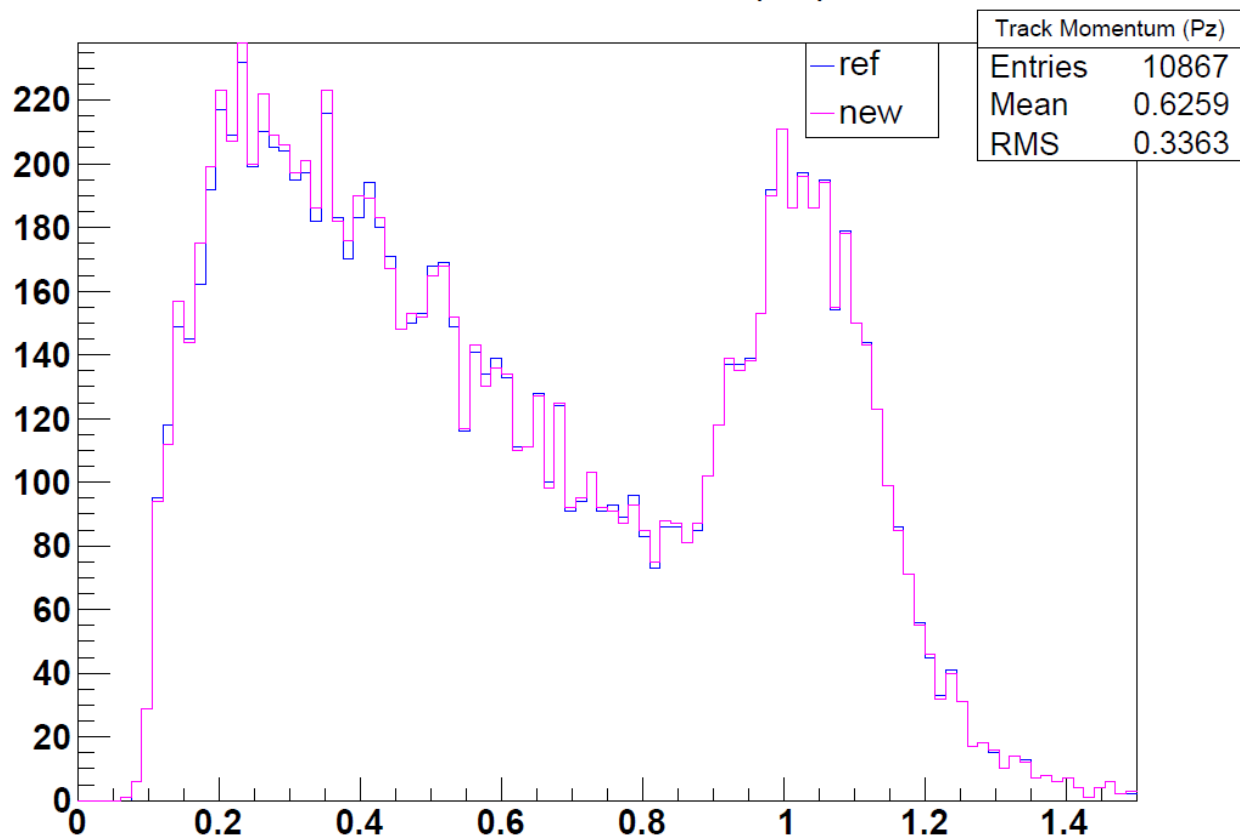
Affects mostly

- Low  $p_z$
- High  $d_0$
- High  $\chi^2$
- Multi-track events

Some *different* tracks  
as well as *new* tracks

# PHI SECTORING

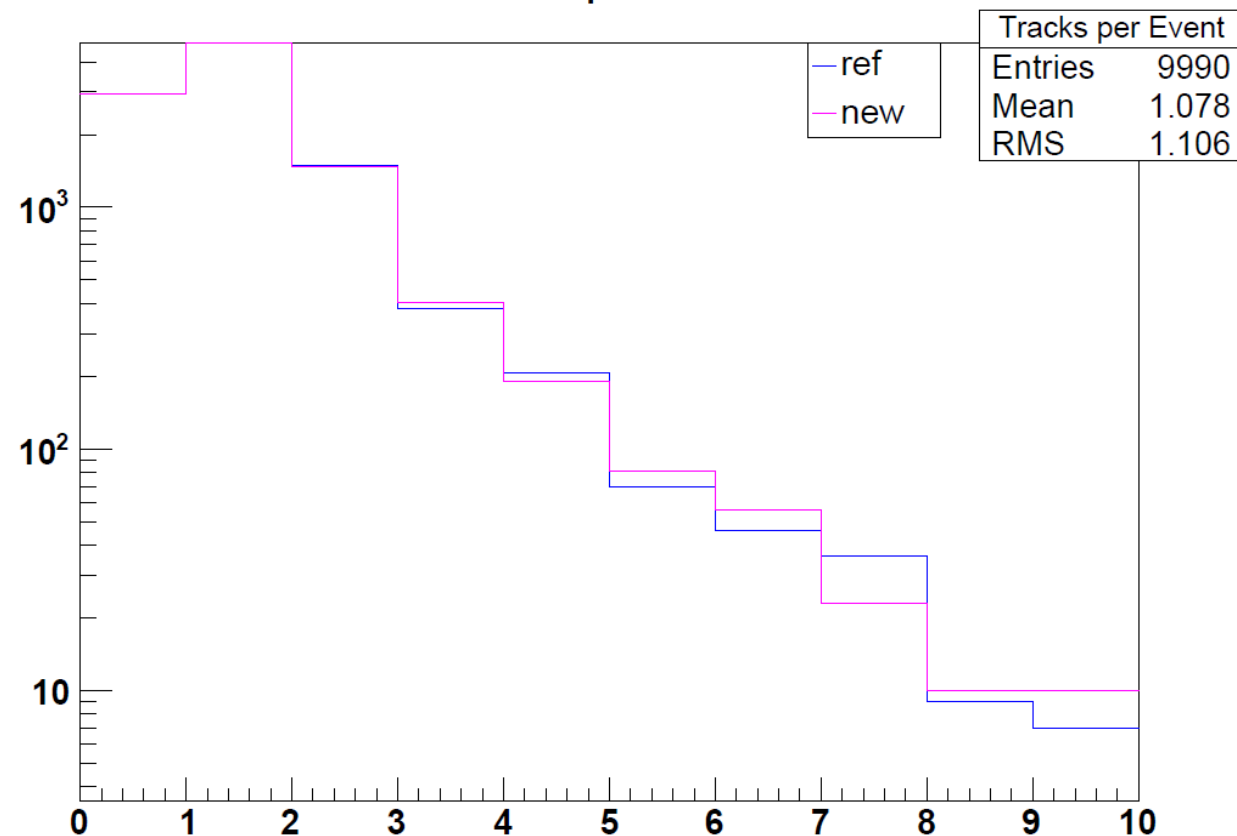
## Track Momentum (Pz)



ref: nphi=1

new: nphi=4

## Tracks per Event

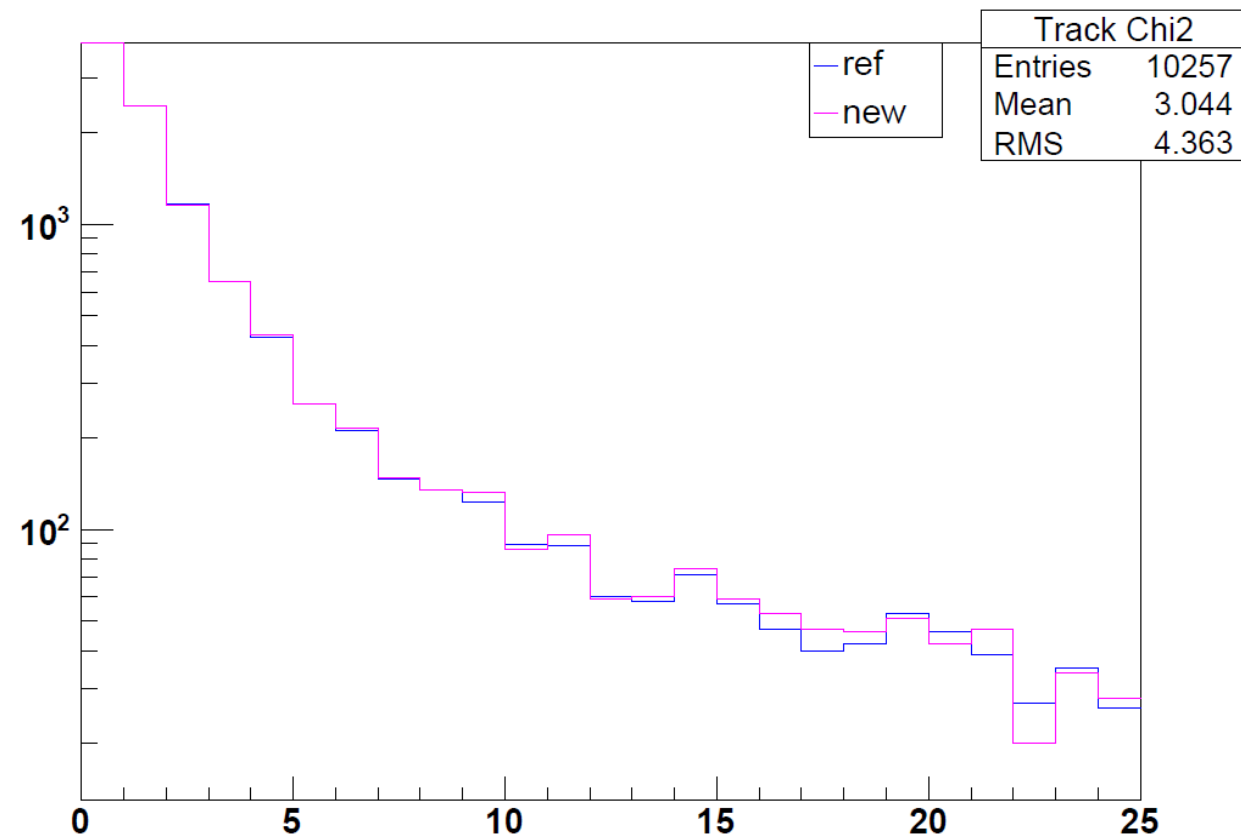
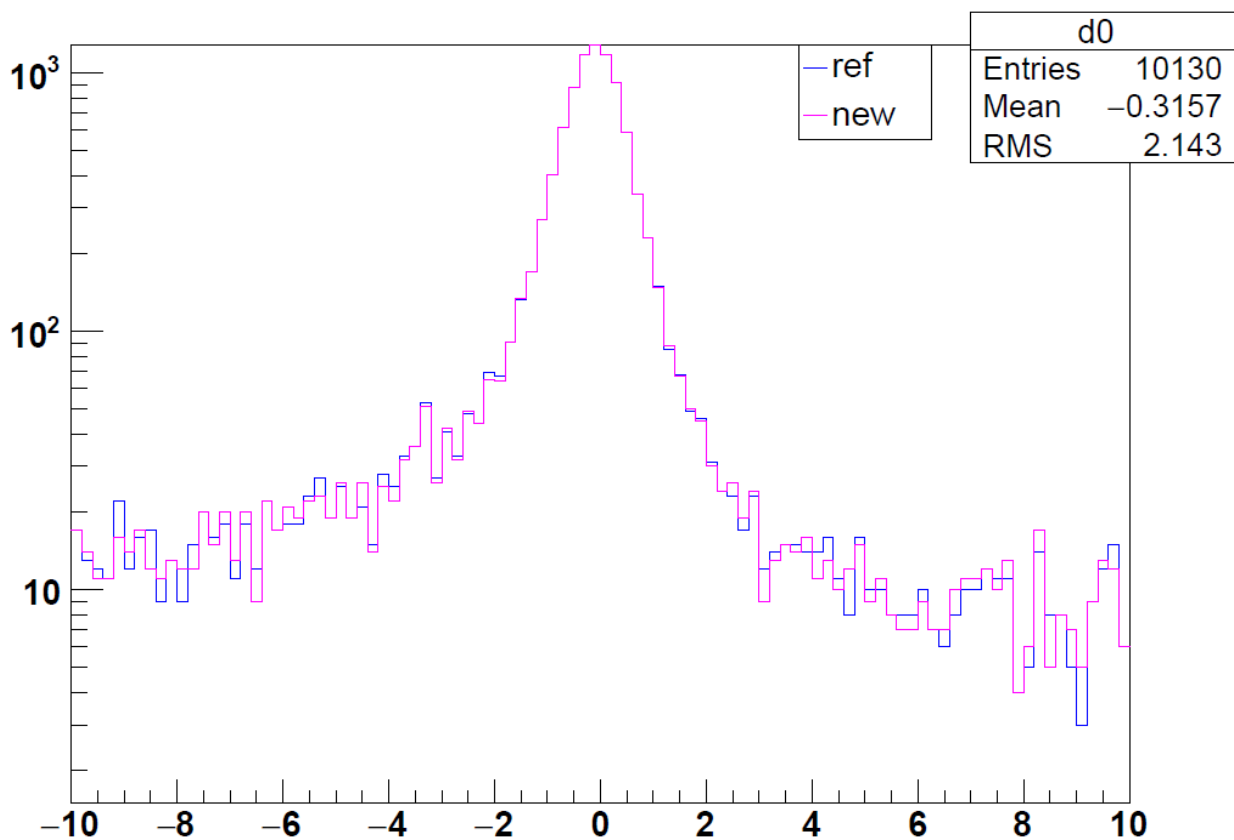




# PHI SECTORING

d0

Track Chi2



ref: nphi=1

new: nphi=4



RELEVANT CODE



```
public void setSectorParams(List<SeedStrategy> slist, double bfield, double rtrk)
```

```
    // Find the average pTMin and MaxZ0
```

```
    double dzsum = 0.;
```

```
    double ptsum = 0.;
```

```
    for (SeedStrategy strategy : slist) {
```

```
        ptsum += strategy.getMinPT();
```

```
        dzsum += strategy.getMaxZ0();
```

```
    }
```

```
    double ptave = ptsum / nstrat;
```

```
    double dzave = dzsum / nstrat;
```

```
    // If there is a bfield defined, set the size of a phi  
    // segmentation slice to half the change in angle for a  
    // the average minimum momentum particle
```

```
    if (bfield > 0.) {
```

```
        double RMin = ptave / (Constants.fieldConversion * bfield);
```

```
        double dphi = Math.atan(rtrk / (2. * RMin));
```

```
        nphi = (int) Math.floor(2. * Math.PI / dphi);
```

```
    }
```

```
    // Set the z sectoring to match the average MaxZ0
```

```
    dz = dzave;
```

autosectoring

lcsim-tracking ▶ src/main/java ▶ org.lcsim.recon.tracking.seedtracker ▶ SectorManager ▶ AddHit(HelicalTrackHit) : void

```
public void AddHit(HelicalTrackHit hit) {  
  
    // Get the sector identifier for this hit  
    String identifier = FindSectorIdentifier(hit);  
  
    // Retrieve the sector - create a new sector if one doesn't already exist  
    Sector sector;  
    if (!_sectormap.containsKey(identifier)) {  
        sector = CreateSector(hit);  
        _sectorlist.add(sector);  
        _sectormap.put(identifier, sector);  
  
        // See if we need to create a new list of Sensors for this detector layer  
        String lyrid = sector.LayerID();  
        if (!_slistmap.containsKey(lyrid)) {  
            List<Sector> slist = new ArrayList<Sector>();  
            _slistmap.put(lyrid, slist);  
        }  
  
        // Update the list of sensors for this layer  
        _slistmap.get(lyrid).add(sector);  
  
    } else {  
        sector = _sectormap.get(identifier);  
    }  
  
    // Add the hit to the sector  
    sector.addHit(hit);  
}
```

lcsim-tracking ▶ src/main/java ▶ org.lcsim.recon.tracking.seedtracker ▶ SeedSectoring ▶ SeedSectoring(HitManager, SeedStrategy, double, boolean)

```
public SeedSectoring(HitManager hmanager, SeedStrategy strategy,
    double bfield, boolean doSectorBinCheck) {

    _seedsectors = new ArrayList<List<Sector>>();

    FastCheck checker = new FastCheck(strategy, bfield, null);
    if(doSectorBinCheck) checker.setDoSectorBinCheck(hmanager.getSectorManager());

    // Get the SeedLayers for this strategy
    List<SeedLayer> layers = strategy.getLayers(SeedLayer.SeedType.Seed);
    if (layers.size() != 3)
        throw new RuntimeException("Illegal Strategy "+strategy.getName()+": Number of Seed Layers is not 3");

    List<Sector> slist0 = hmanager.getSectors(layers.get(0));
    List<Sector> slist1 = hmanager.getSectors(layers.get(1));
    List<Sector> slist2 = hmanager.getSectors(layers.get(2));

    for (Sector s0 : slist0) {
        for (Sector s1 : slist1) {
            if (!checker.CheckSectorPair(s0, s1)) continue;
            for (Sector s2 : slist2) {
                if (!checker.CheckSectorPair(s0, s2)) continue;
                if (!checker.CheckSectorPair(s1, s2)) continue;
                List<Sector> slist = new ArrayList<Sector>();
                slist.add(s0);
                slist.add(s1);
                slist.add(s2);
                _seedsectors.add(slist);
            }
        }
    }
}
```

```

public boolean CheckSectorPair(Sector s1, Sector s2) {

    if (_skipchecks) return true;

    // Calculate the maximum change in azimuth
    double dphi1 = dphimax(s1.rmin(), s2.rmax());
    double dphi2 = dphimax(s1.rmax(), s2.rmin());

    // Calculate the angular difference between the midpoints
    double mid1 = (s1.phimax() + s1.phimin()) / 2.0;
    double mid2 = (s2.phimax() + s2.phimin()) / 2.0;
    double dmid = phidif(mid1, mid2);

    // Calculate the half widths of the 2 sectors
    double wid1 = s1.phimax() - mid1;
    double wid2 = s2.phimax() - mid2;

    // Check that the sectors are compatible in the bend coord.
    boolean phiOK;

    phiOK = dmid < dphi1 + wid1 + wid2;
    if (!phiOK) phiOK = dmid < dphi2 + wid1 + wid2;
    if (!phiOK) return false;

    // Get the minimum and maximum path lengths
    double slmin = smin(s1.rmin());
    double s2min = smin(s2.rmin());
    double slmax = smax(s1.rmax());
    double s2max = smax(s2.rmax());

    // Get the minimum and maximum z's
    double zlmin = s1.zmin();
    double z2min = s2.zmin();
    double zlmax = s1.zmax();
    double z2max = s2.zmax();

    // Check that the sectors are compatible in the non-bend coordinate
    boolean zOK = checkz0(slmin, slmax, zlmin, zlmax, s2min, s2max, z2min, z2max);

    if (!zOK) return false;

    boolean zSectorOK = true;

    if(_doSectorBinCheck) {
        zSectorOK = zSectorCheck(s1,s2);
    }

    return zSectorOK;
}

```



```
public boolean CheckSector(SeedCandidate seed, Sector sector) {
```

```
    if (_skipchecks) return true;
```

```
    // Get limits on r, phi, and z for hits in this sector
```

```
    double rmin = sector.rmin();
```

```
    double rmax = sector.rmax();
```

```
    double phimin = sector.phimin();
```

```
    double phimax = sector.phimax();
```

```
    double zmin = sector.zmin();
```

```
    double zmax = sector.zmax();
```

```
    // Calculate the midpoint and half the span in phi for this layer
```

```
    double midphisec = (phimin + phimax) / 2.;
```

```
    double dphisec = 0.5 * (phimax - phimin);
```

```
    // Check each hit for compatibility with this sector
```

```
    for (HelicalTrackHit hit : seed.getHits()) {
```

```
        // Adjust the hit position for stereo hits
```

```
        CorrectHitPosition(hit, seed);
```

```
        // Calculate the max track angle change between the hit and se
```

```
        double dphitrk1 = dphimax(hit.r(), rmin);
```

```
        double dphitrk2 = dphimax(hit.r(), rmax);
```

```
        double dphitrk = Math.max(dphitrk1, dphitrk2);
```

```
        // Calculate the phi dev between the hit and midpoint of the s
```

```
        double dphi = phidif(hit.phi(), midphisec);
```

```
        // The maximum dphi is the sum of the track bend and half the
```

```
        double dphimx = dphitrk + dphisec;
```

```
        if (dphi > dphimx) return false;
```

```
        double smin1 = smin(rmin);
```

```
        double smax1 = smax(rmax);
```

```
        double r = hit.r();
```

```
        double smin2 = smin(r);
```

```
        double smax2 = smax(r);
```

```
        // Get the z limits for the hit
```

```
        double zlen = 0.;
```

```
        if (hit instanceof HelicalTrack2DHit) {
```

```
            zlen = ((HelicalTrack2DHit) hit).zlen();
```

```
        }
```

```
        double zmin2 = hit.z() - 0.5 * zlen;
```

```
        double zmax2 = zmin2 + zlen;
```

```
        // Check the z0 limits
```

```
        boolean zOK = checkz0(smin1, smax1, zmin, zmax, smin2, smax2, zmin2, zmax2);
```

```
        if(!zOK) return false;
```

```
        boolean zSectorOK = true;
```

```
        if(_doSectorBinCheck) {
```

```
            zSectorOK = zSectorCheck(hit, sector);
```




```
        }
```

```
        if(!zSectorOK) return false;
```

```
    }
```

```
    return true;
```

```
}
```

lcsim-tracking ▶  src/main/java ▶  org.lcsim.recon.tracking.seedtracker ▶  FastCheck

```
protected boolean zSectorCheck(Sector s1, Sector s2) {  
    return s1.zSector()==s2.zSector();  
}  
  
protected boolean zSectorCheck(HelicalTrackHit hit, Sector sector) {  
    int zSector = sector.zSector();  
    int zBin = this._sectorManager.ZBin(hit);  
    return zBin==zSector;  
}
```