Graphical Guide to Event Types, Prescaling, and EDTM

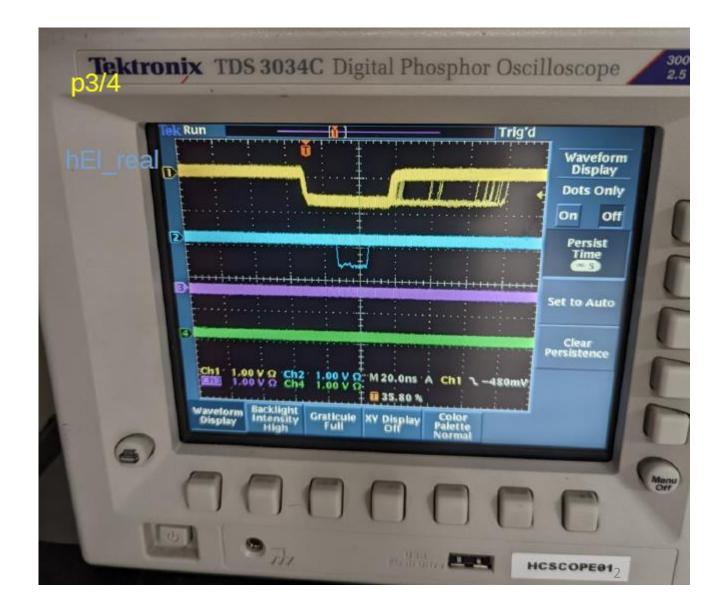
According to the Trigger Setup for PionLT 2021-2022 on the COIN DAQ

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Event Timing

- Diagrams in this presentation show events as pulses similar to what is seen on an oscilloscope
- Remembering that pulses move left to right, the earliest pulse/event would be the one furthest to the right
- Note the DAQ viewing order in the appropriate slides



Trigger Types

pTRIG #, Trigger Bit Type, and Event Types

pTRIG6: ¾+¾ trigger type bit 3

pTRIG5: ¾+ELREAL trigger type bit 3

pTRIG4: ELREAL trigger type bit 2

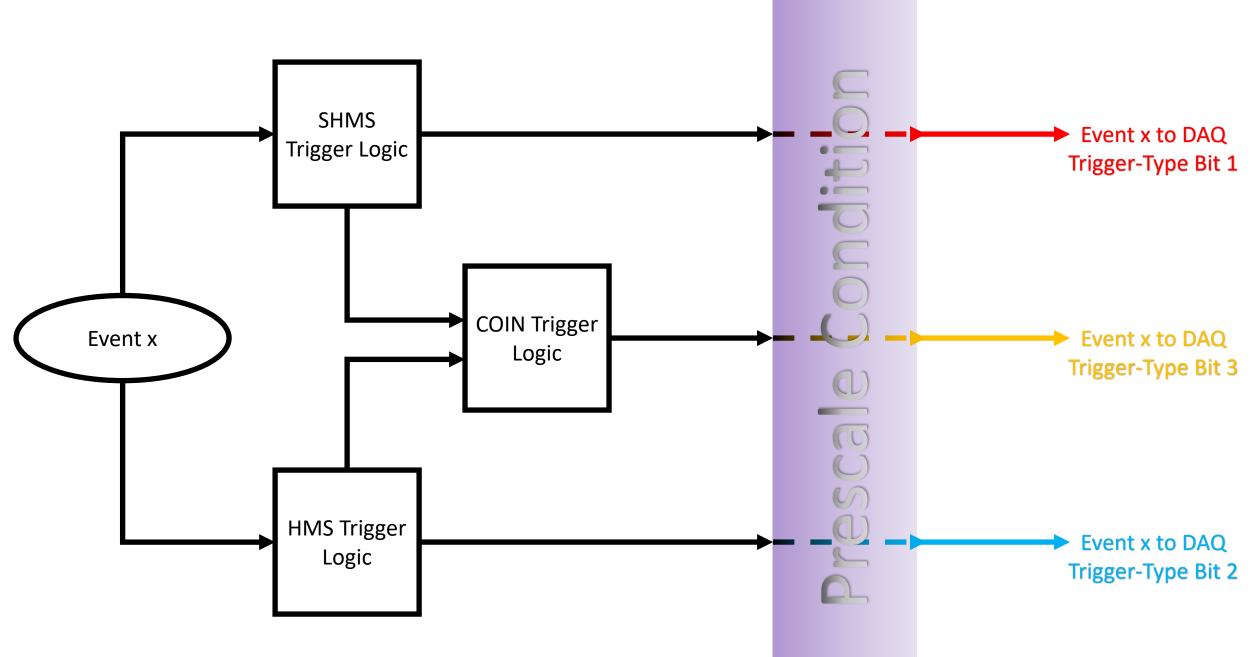
pTRIG3: ¾ trigger type bit 2

pTRIG2: ELREAL trigger type bit 1

pTRIG1: ¾ trigger type bit 1



Pion-LT Triggers





Event Type Examples

For events passing through multiple triggers

DAQ Viewing-Order



Event x: DAQ busy; not saved p¾ & h¾





DAQ Viewing-Order \geqslant



pELREAL & hELREAL



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p¾ & hELREAL Vent x: saved as type 3

Event x: DAQ busy; not saved



DAQ Viewing-Order \geq

pELREAL & h¾

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DAQ Viewing-Order



pTRIG 5 Prescale condition not met

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EDTM

Events, Pulses, and Types

EDTM trigger type bit 3

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EDTM trigger type bit 2

EDTM trigger type bit 1

Always all triggers

EDTM Events

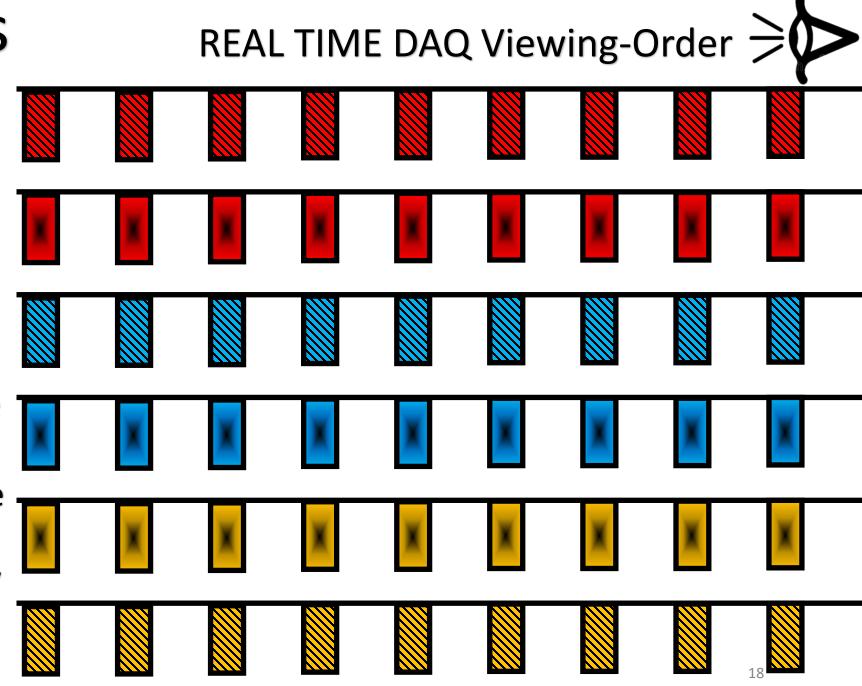




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EDTM Pulses

- Evenly spaced pulses sent by pulse clock
- Trigger ordering still applies (not shown here)
- Have all trigger bittypes
- One EDTM pulse is one 'real' event
- Saves through only one trigger, like with physics event types 3-7
- EDTM events can be any event type



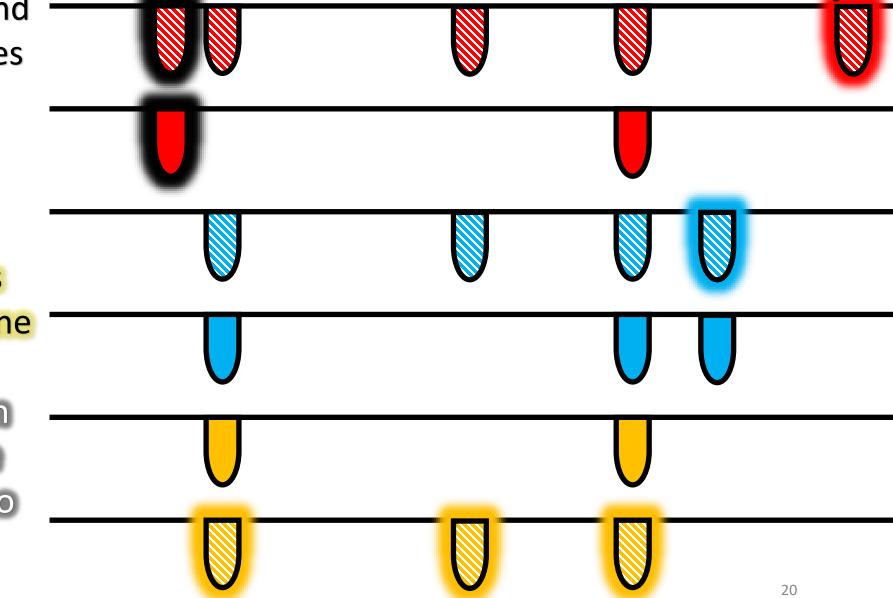
Deadtime and Prescaling

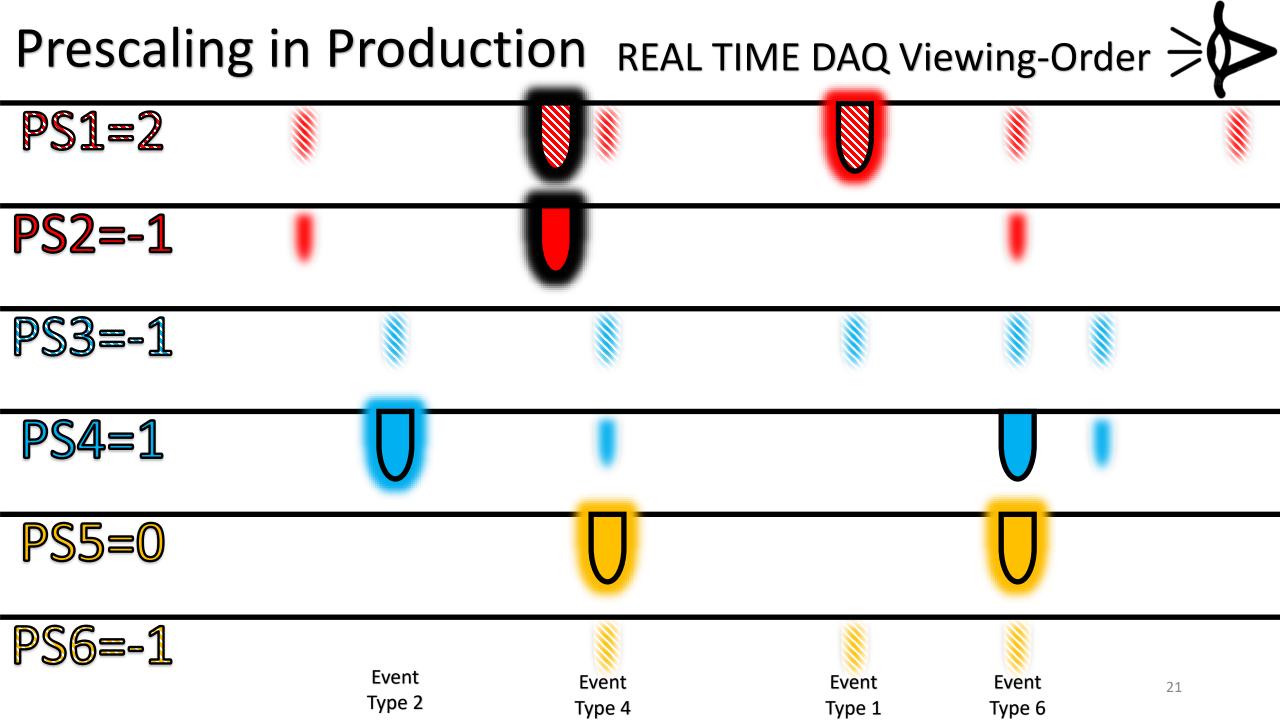
Accepted Events, Deadtime Events, Prescaled Events, and Events Seen in Multiple Triggers

Physics Events

- Timing is 'random' and based on physics rates rather than a clock
- Trigger ordering still applies (not shown here)
- COIN DAQ only saves one event through one trigger at a time
- If two events occur in rapid succession, the second may be lost to deadtime

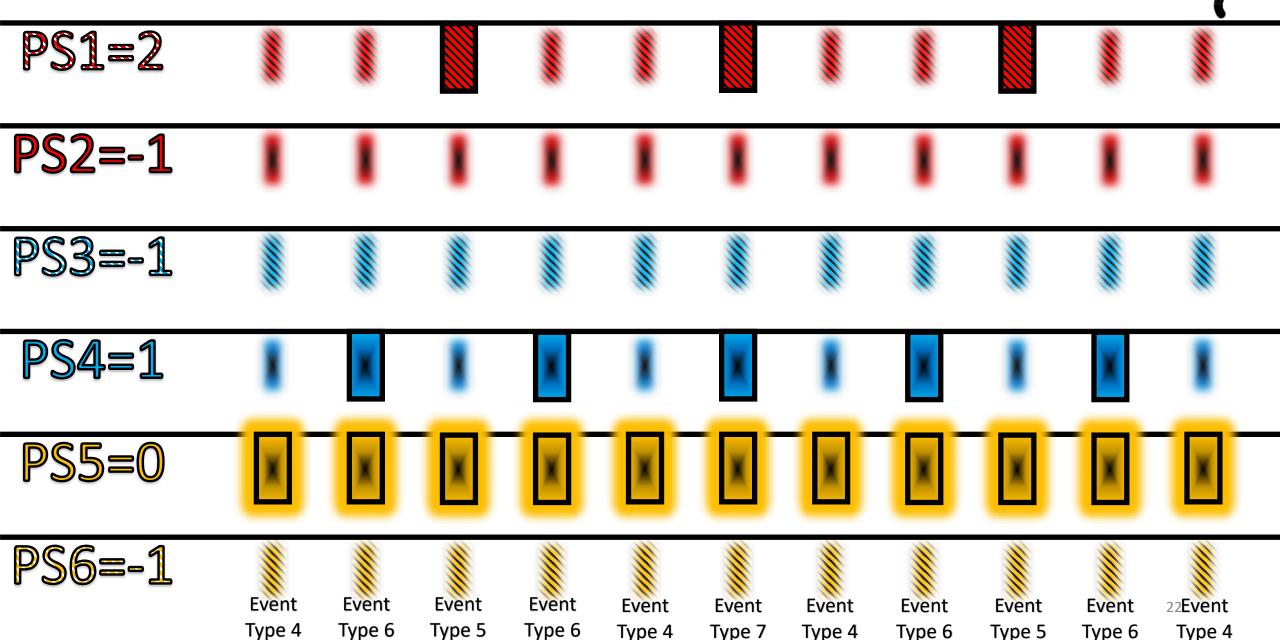
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Prescaling EDTM

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