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## SiD Vertex Detector Mechanical Design

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## **Summary**

The present mechanical design of the vertex detector for SiD is integrated with both the design of the SiD outer tracker and with beam tube support. A method to allow vertex detector servicing has been taken into account in developing the design. The design includes a 12.5 cm long central barrel with silicon pixels. Four disks with silicon pixels and three additional disks, which could be based upon silicon pixels or micro-strips, are located beyond each barrel end. Since sensor technologies are rapidly evolving and final operating requirements are uncertain, we have assumed sensor operation at -10 Celsius or above and air-cooling. That allows the number of radiation lengths represented by the vertex detector to be limited. Carbon fiber structures integrate silicon support with support of a beryllium beam tube. Initial estimates of the number of radiation lengths represented by the vertex detector, power removed by air-cooling, and sensor temperatures will be given.

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