

Innovative Technologies for Detectors - for Future Colliders -

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- I will NOT cover
 - Detector systems
 - They are mostly covered in other talks
 - Front-end electronics, Trigger, DAQ
 - Even though they are crucial and involves innovative technologies
 - Alignment and calibration systems
 - Some involves innovative technologies

 - This talk is organized by detector elements :
 - Gas amplifiers
 - Photon detectors
 - Silicon pixel detectors
- Some highlights only!

Apology in advance that many important works are not mentioned!

Gas Amplifiers

Amplify electrons (photoelectrons, ionization...) in gas by avalanche multiplication.

Traditionally by MWPC

→ MPGDs (Micro-Pattern Gas Detectors)
e.g. GEM, MicroMEGAS . . .

Features of MPGDs (very roughly):

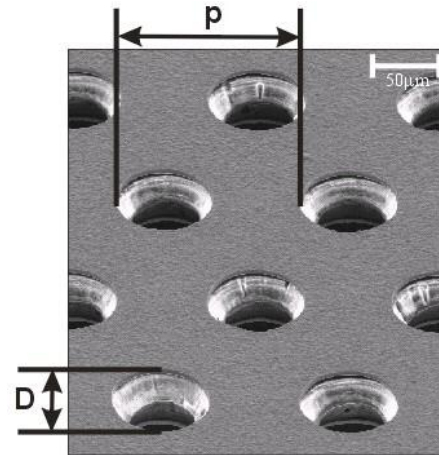
Large area ($\sim\text{mm}^2$) for low cost

Large gain ($\sim 10^4$) with stable operation at high rate ($\sim\text{MHz}/\text{mm}^2$)

Good position resolutions ($<100\mu\text{m}$) and time resolutions

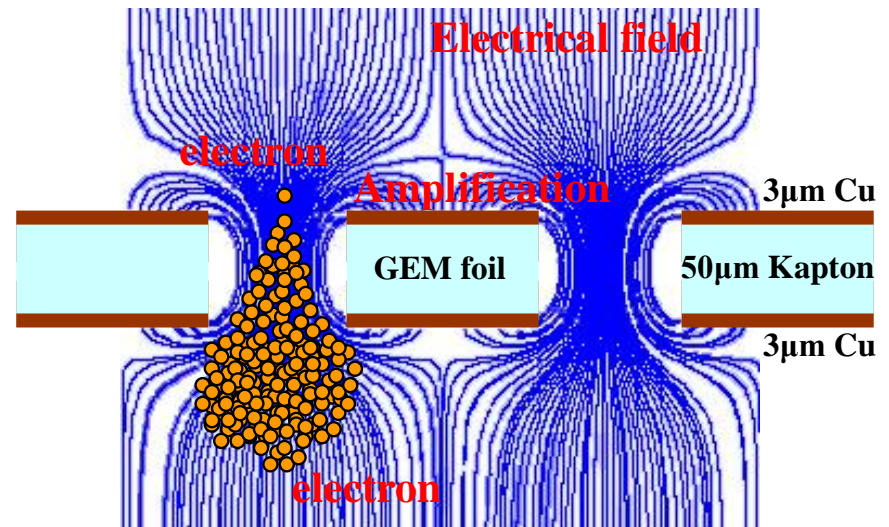
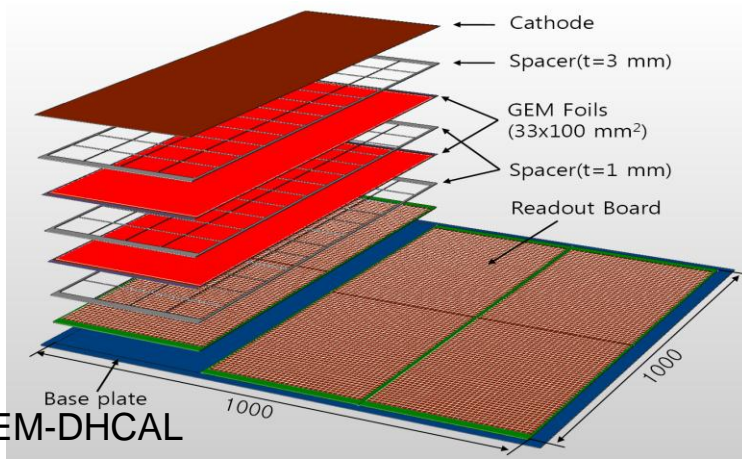
GEM (Gas Electron Multiplier)

- Two copper foils on both sides of Kapton layer of $\sim 50\mu\text{m}$ thick
- Amplification at the holes
- Gain $\sim 10^4$ for 500V
- Readout by anode pads, or silicon pixels (Timepix, Medipix, etc.)
- Can be used multi-staged
 - reduces ion feed back & discharges
- 'Thick GEM'
 - X10 feature size (w/ PCB tech.)
 - Low cost



$p \sim 140\mu\text{m}$

$D \sim 60\mu\text{m}$



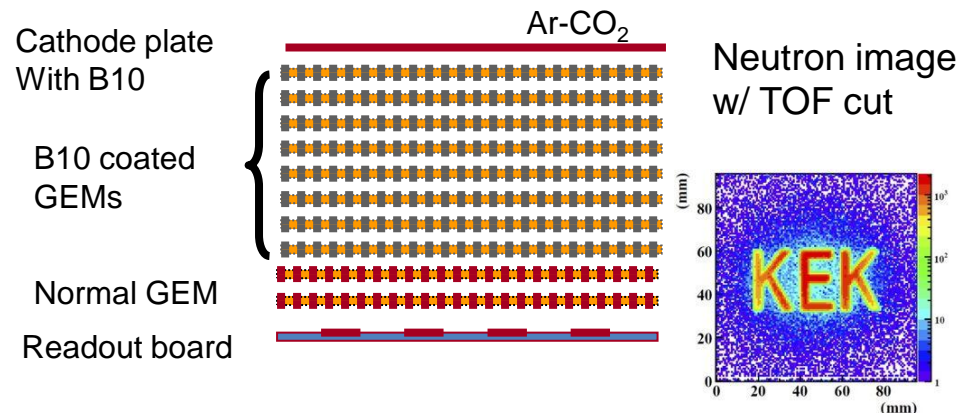
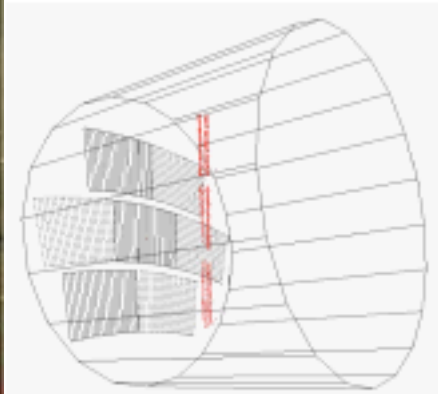
GEM at Work

- Tracking layer
 - ATLAS/CMS muon upgrades
 - KLOE2 cylindrical GEM, etc.
- TPC endplate
 - Linear Collider (LCTPC collab.)
 - ALICE TPC
 - PANDA TPC, etc.
- Calorimeter
 - DHCAL (digital hadron cal.)
- Neutron detector
 - ^3He (short supply) in gas
 - Boron10 coating
- Photon detector (Cerenkov etc.)
→ next section

KLOE2
cylindrical GEM



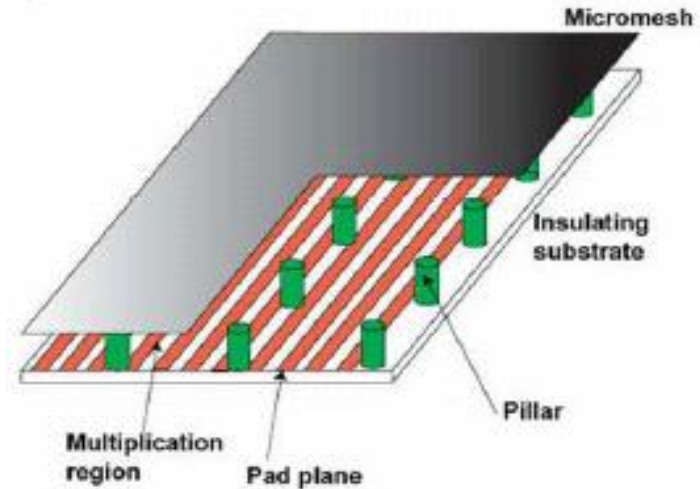
LCTPC large prototype



MicroMEGAS

(MicroMEsh Gaseous Structure)

- Micromesh with pitch $\sim 50\mu\text{m}$
- Gap height $\sim 50\text{-}100\mu\text{m}$
 - Must be uniform
- Amplification in the gap between mesh and pads/strips
- New manufacturing techniques: large, stable, low-cost, all-in-one

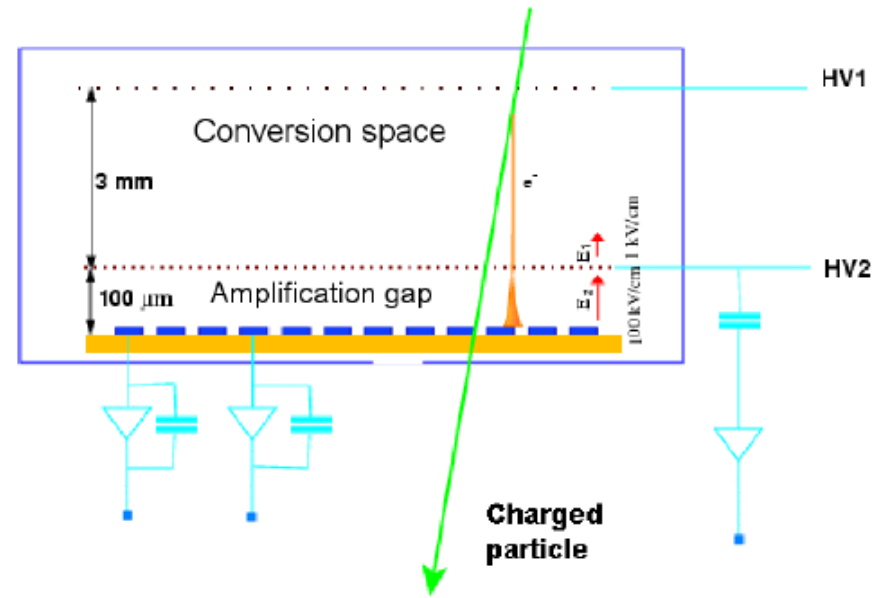


'bulk' MicroMEGAS

Metal woven mesh laminated on PC board – pillars by photochemical technique

'micro-bulk' MicroMEGAS

Cu on both sides of Kapton film
- Holes and pillars by micro-etching technique

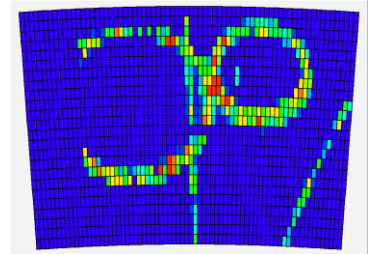
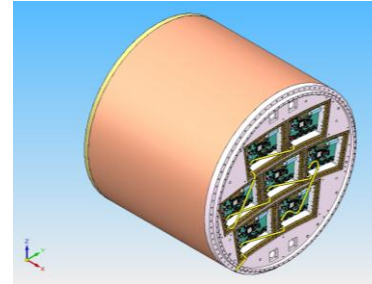


MicroMEGAS at Work

LCTPC MicrMEGAS

■ TPC endplate

- Linear Collider (LCTPC collab.)
Resistive layer on anodes
- T2K: ND280 TPC
- NEXT: gas Xe TPC



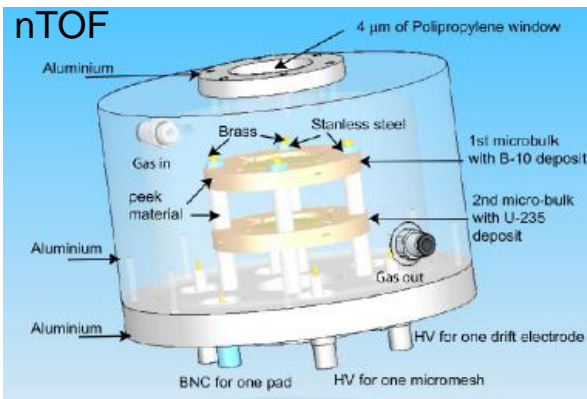
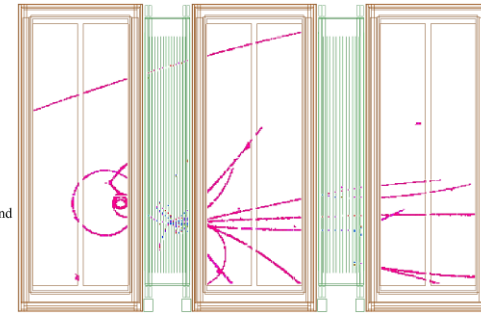
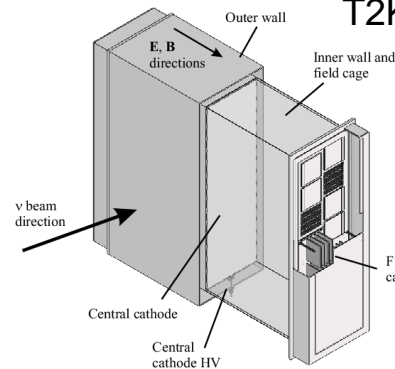
■ X-ray detector

- CAST: Axion search
~3 keV X-ray scattered by axion

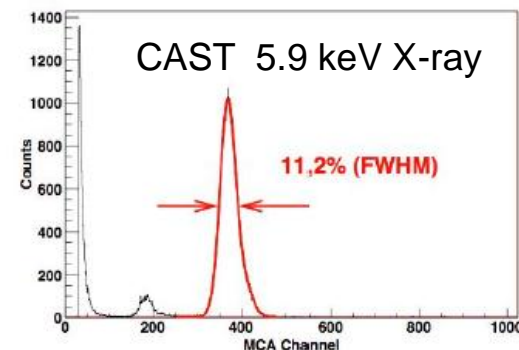
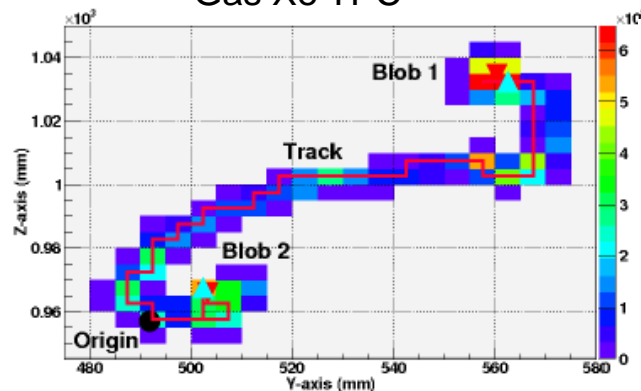
■ Neutron detector

- nTOF: 10B and 235U coatings
Neutron flux and profile

T2K ND280 TPC



Gas Xe TPC



Photon Detectors

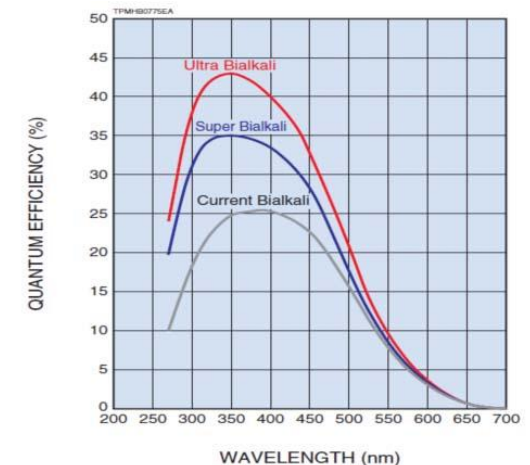
PMT (PhotoMultiplier Tube)
MCP (Micro Channel Plate)
HAPD (Hybrid Avalanche PhotoDiode)
SiPM (Giger-mode APD array)
Photon detectors by MPGD

PMTs (Photomultiplier Tubes)

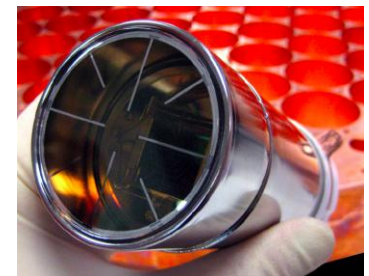
- Still a choice for photon detection in many applications
 - Large diameters (10in, 12in . . .)
 - Neutrino experiments (SK, LBNE . . .)
 - Multi-anode PMT (MAPMT) : position
 - RICH (CLAS12, PANDA . . .)
- Some new developments (Hamamatsu)
 - High QE photo cathodes
 - UBA (Ultra Bialkali) QE = 43% typ.
 - SBA (Super Bialkali) QE = 35 % typ.
 - (Usual Bialkali QE = 25% typ.)
 - Better energy resolution, more #pe in Cerenkov ring, etc.
 - Low temperature operation
 - Operation in Liq. Xe (-110 deg C) etc.
 - Developed for XMASS DM experiment
 - Avoid photocathode current saturation
 - Now PMT can be directly immersed in Liq Ar, Liq Xe (XMASS, LZ . . .)
 - Very low radioactivity



MAPMT (8 by 8)
Hamamatsu H8500C

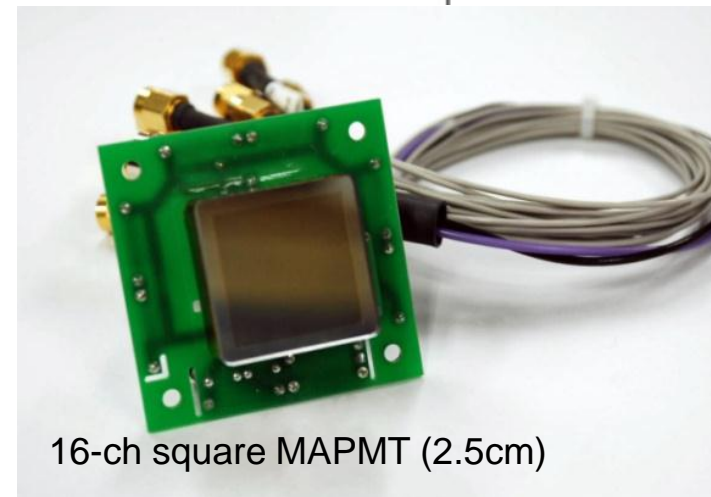
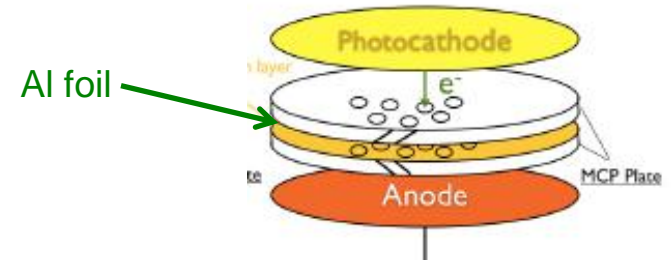
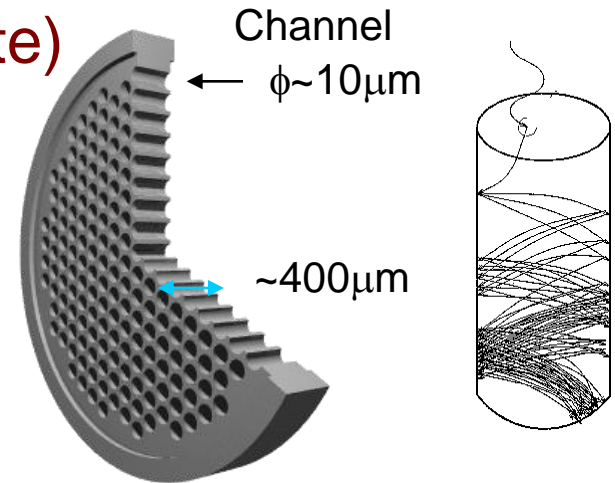


Hamamatsu R8778



MCP-PMT (Microchannel Plate)

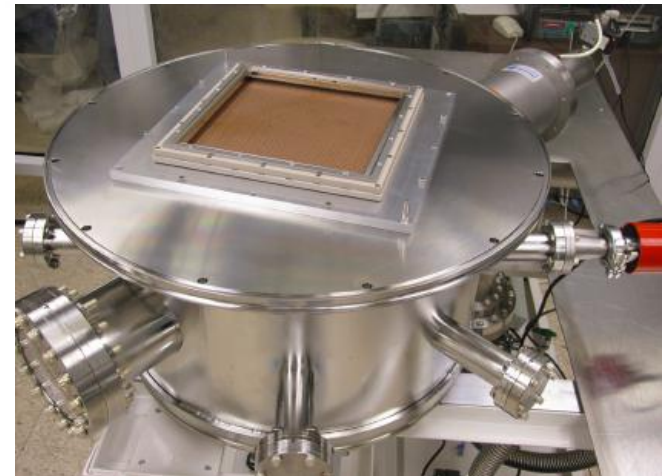
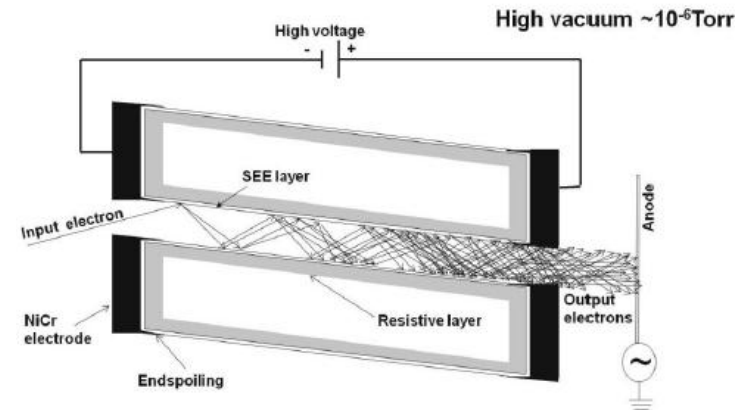
- Amplification in micro capillary
 - 1photon counting
 - QE ~ 28 % (w/ super bialkali)
 - Gain ~ 10^6
 - B field OK (~1.5 T)
 - Position resolution ~5mm typ (multi-anode)
 - Fast !
 - tts (transit time spread) ~ 50 ps or less
 - Al foil to increase lifetime (~1C/cm²)
 - Blocks ion feedback to photocathode
- Applications
 - X-ray cameras, image intensifiers, etc.
 - Cerenkov photon detections
 - TOP (time of propagation) for Belle-II
 - Focusing DIRC (and FTOF) for SuperB
 - PANDA, CLAS12?



LAPPD collaboration

(Large Area Picosecond Photon Detector)

- Goal
 - Develop a large, cheap, fast photon detector based on MCP
- MCP by ALD (Atomic Layer Deposition)
 - Start with porous borosilicate glass
 - ALD of resistive layer
 - ALD of secondary electron emission layer
 - Top&bottom electrode coating
 - Good control of the layers
 - Large area possible
 - 8in sq MCP tested
- Photocathode
 - 8in sq photocathode being developed
- 8in sq sealed tube being fabricated
- Large area of applications
 - Cerenkov light, PET, homeland security. . .



8in sq MCP

HAPD

(Hybrid Avalanche PhotoDiode)

- APD replaces the micro capillary of MCP

- Amplification by

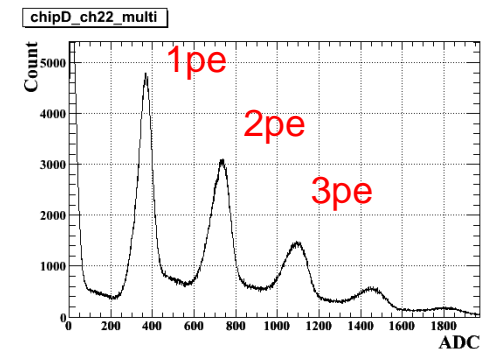
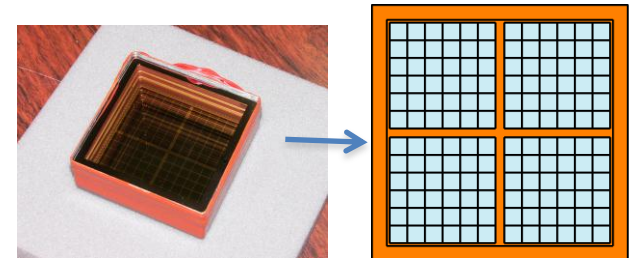
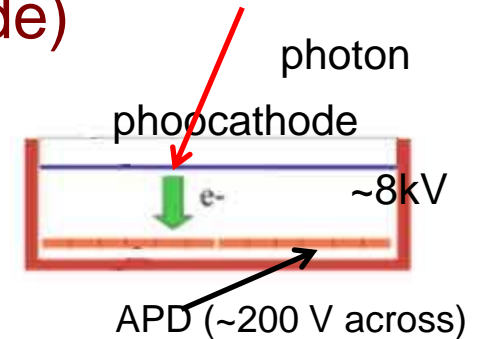
- Accelerated e^- hits APD ($\sim 10^3$)
- APD itself (~ 40)

- Typical total gain $\sim 4 \times 10^4$

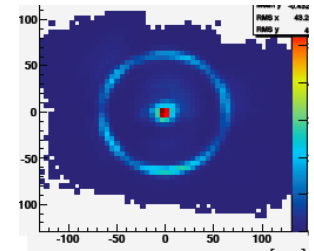
- Example

- 144ch HAPD for Belle-II Forward RICH

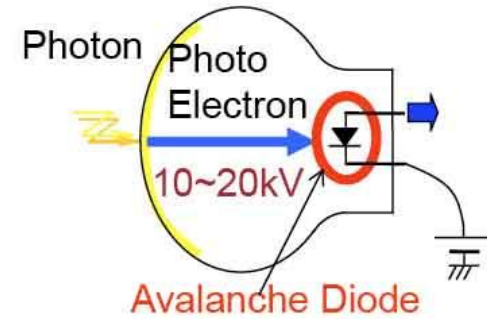
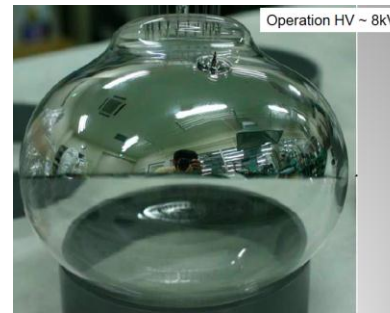
- $72 \times 72 \text{ mm}^2$, $5 \times 5 \text{ mm}^2$ cell
- Fill factor 67%
- QE $\sim 25\%$ ($\rightarrow 43\%$ by UBA)
- 1γ counting: good energy resolution
 - Much better than typical PMT
 - Thanks to the large 1st stage gain
- B $\sim 1.5\text{T}$ OK
- Flat and compact
- Improved radiation hardness to 10^{12}n/cm^2



Cerenkov ring
by beam test

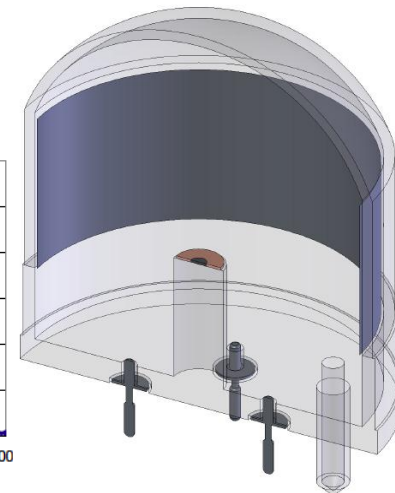
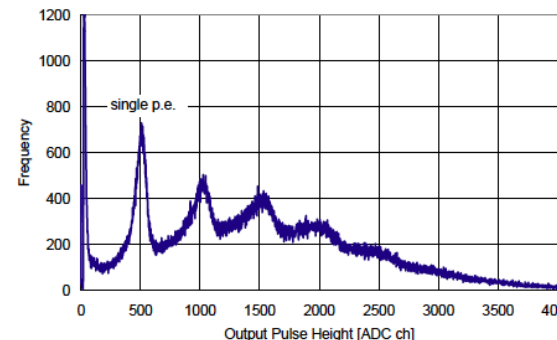


'Large' HAPDs



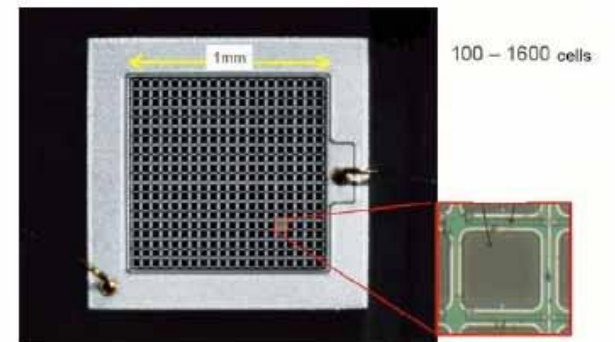
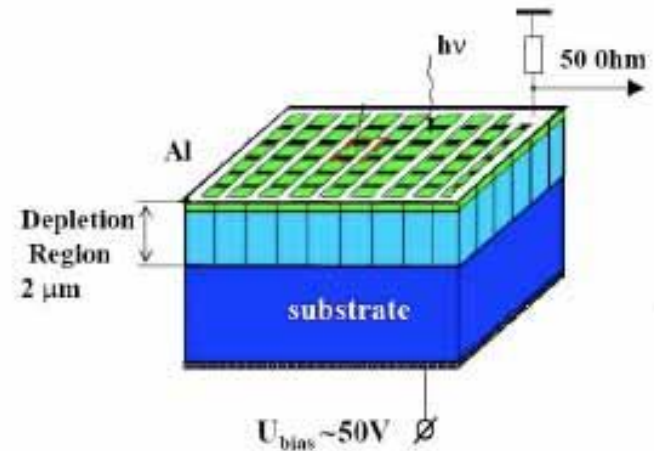
- Replace dynodes of large PMT by APD
- Advantage over PMT
 - Better t-res, E-res, collection eff.
- 'Large HAPD'
 - 13in : for Hyper-K
 - All-grass → dark rate ~2KHz (~PMT)
 - Now w/ digital output
 - Commercially available, March 2012
- QUPID (Quartz Photon Intensifying Detector)
 - 3in, for dark matter experiments
 - Xenon1t, Darkside, etc.
 - Extreme low radioactivity
 - $< 0.59 \text{ mBq/cm}^2$

	13in HAPD	13in PMT (R8055)
1 γ time res.	190 ps	1400 ps
1 γ energy res.	24%	70%
Collection eff.	97%	70%
QE	~20%	~20%
gain	~ 10^5	~ 10^7



Geiger-mode APD Arrays (SiPM, MPPC ...)

- Operate small APDs w/quench resistor in Geiger mode and gang the outputs.
 - Output \propto number of fired cells
- Invented in Russia
 - Standard MOS process
 - Now produced worldwide
- Many merits
 - High gain $\sim 10^6$
 - High PDE (phot. det. effic.) 30~60%,
 - Fast : $\sigma_t(1\gamma) \sim 100$ ps
 - Low HV ~ 50 V
 - Insensitive to B field - Up to 7T
 - Low power $< 50 \mu\text{W}/\text{mm}^2$
 - Cheap: $\sim \$1/\text{piece}$ eventually



Hamamatsu MPPC

Geiger-mode APD Arrays

Applications

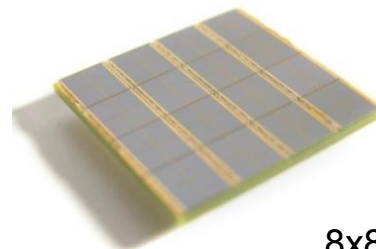
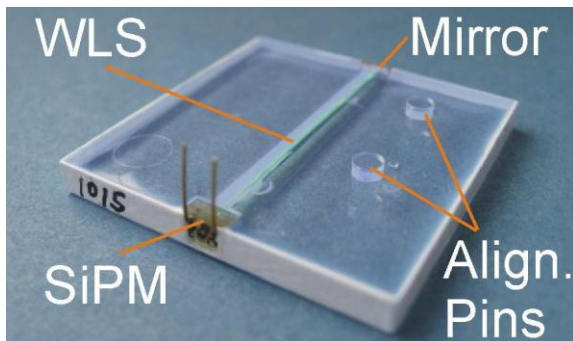
- Scintillating fibre readout
 - Tracking
 - Belle-II muon etc.
 - Calorimeter
 - CALICE AHCAL/ECAL etc.
- Cerenkov photon detection
 - PANDA disk DIRC etc.
- PET (w/ MRI)
 - Gives TOF and DOI (depth of int.)
- etc...

Some disadvantages

- High dark counts
 - ~ 300kHz (a few kHz for PMT)
 - Depends on ΔV (voltage over threshold)
- Radiation hardness
 - Deterioration at a few kRad
- Difficult to cover large area

New development: Digital SiPM

- Binary readout of each cell
- Count hits in ~4mmsq 'pixel'
- Time of 1st hit in 'pixel'
- Scalable!

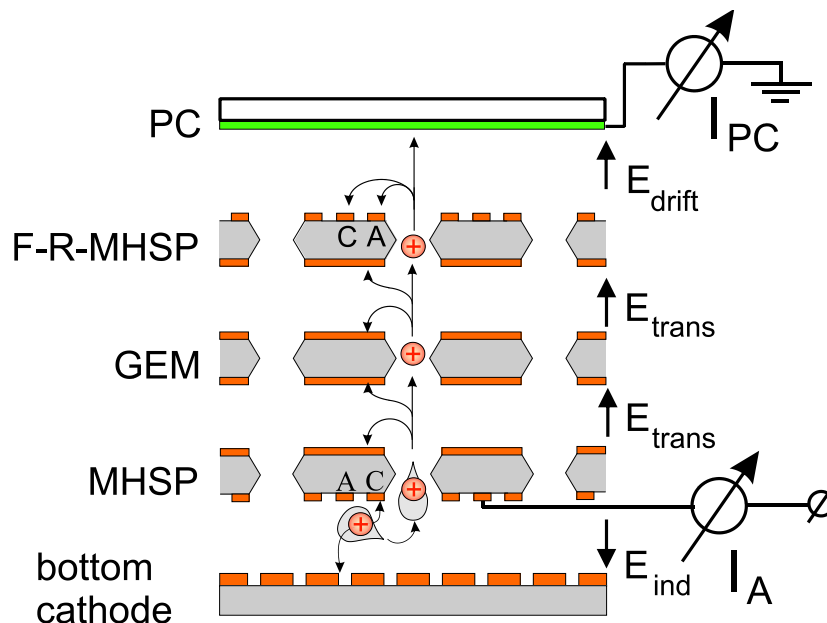
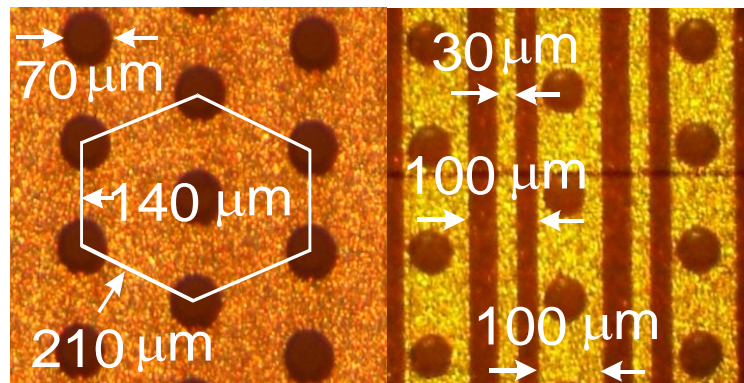


8x8 'pixel' dSiPM

Gas PMT (GPM)

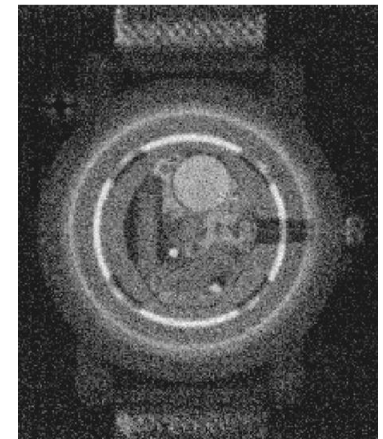
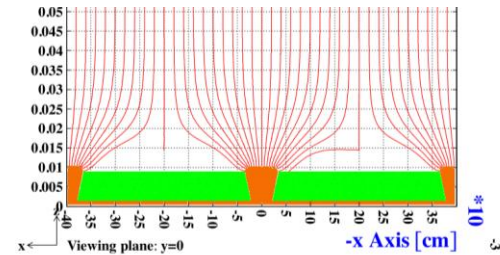
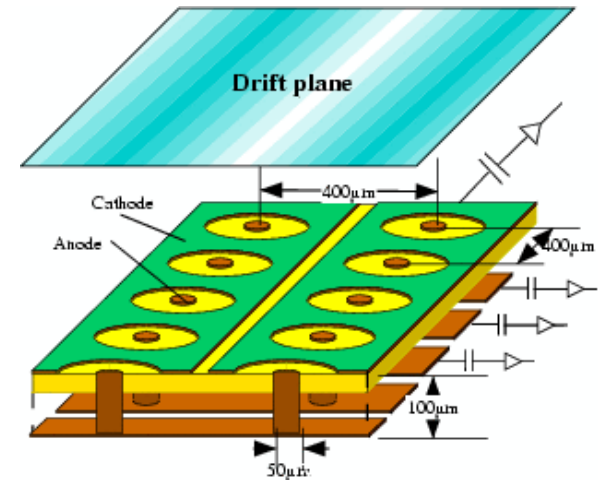
(with MHSP: microhole & strip plate)

- Replace dynodes or APD by a gas amplification device.
 - ion feedback problem!
- Use strips on GEM plate to guide the field lines so that ions will hit the plates.
- Stable operation at gain $\sim 10^5$ achieved with electron collection efficiency of $\sim 100\%$.



μ PIC project

- Micro pixel w/ gas amplification
 - Pitch $\sim 0.4\text{mm}$, gain $\sim 10^4$
- By itself (w/ drift plane):
 - Tracking layer (e.g. ATLAS muon)
- With drift space: TPC
 - Compton camera
 - Dark matter wind detector
- With GEM & photocathode:
 - X-ray/photon imaging
- With GEM & ^3He
 - Neutron imaging
- All above are moving to practical uses
 - Some: commercialization



Neutron image

Silicon Pixel Detectors

Conventional

Deep n-well

SOI

Vertical Integration (3D)

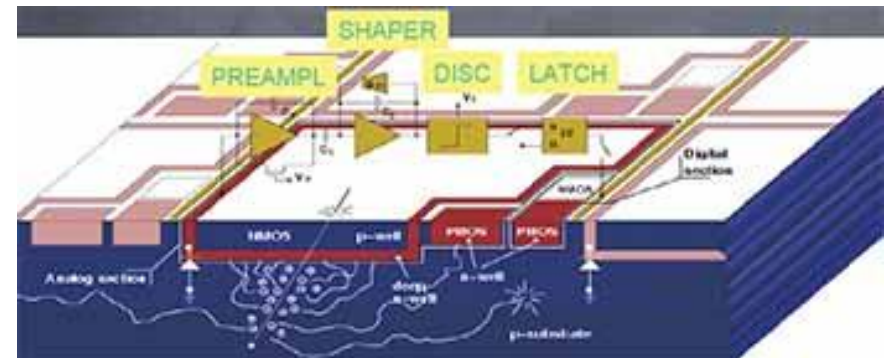
Pixel Sensors

- CCD
 - CPCCD, FPCCD, ISIS (CCD/MAPS)
- Hybrid
 - Sensors and readout chip are fabricated separately and bump-bonded
 - Allows different processes for sensor and readout chips
 - Fast, rad-hard, flexibility in circuit, but
 - Thick, large pixels, bump-bonding is cumbersome
 - ATLAS pixel, CMS pixel, Alice SPD, Timepix, diamond, etc ...
- Monolithic
 - Sensors and readout chip are fabricated on single wafer
 - No bumps, high pixel density, thin, but
 - Type of circuitry is constrained (usually NMOS only)
 - MAPS, DEPFET (Belle-II), etc.

Free from the process bind

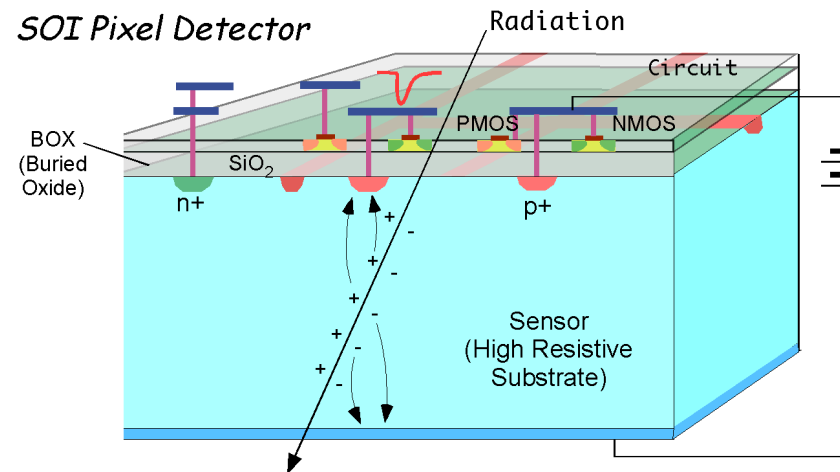
- Deep N-Well

- PMOS can also be used.
 - Sensitivity loss under PMOS.
- Now trying to use **vertical integration** to put all readout circuitry to another layer.



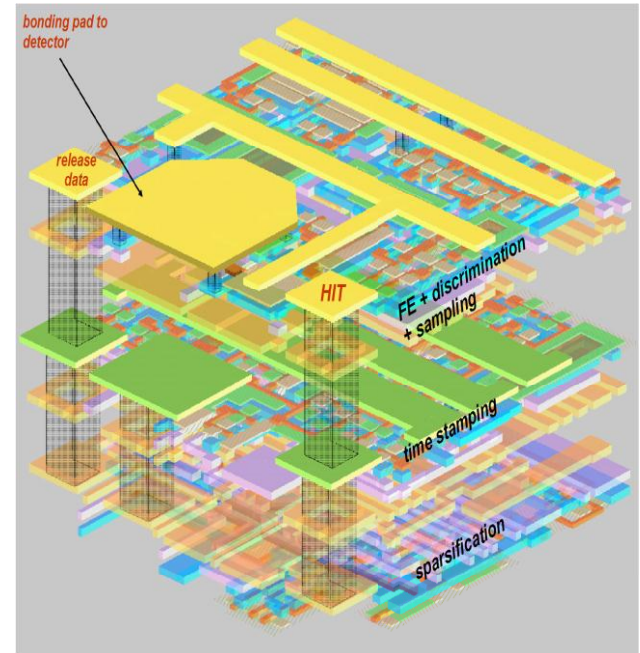
- SOI (silicon on insulator)

- ~semi vertical integration
- Active area of sensor is very close to the read out circuit (~200nm)
 - Backgate effect now solved by adding BPW (buried p-well)
- Try **vertical integration** (among others)



Vertical Integration

- Industry-wide trend
 - Not just HEP
 - Technology is industry-driven
- Vertical integration by
 - Via formation
 - Bonding
 - Thinning
- Can use optimal process for each layer
 - E.g. analog, time stamp, sparsification
- Activities in
 - Europe, Japan, US



VIP1: demonstrator chip for ILC
Vertex detector

Summary

- Great advances have been made in achieving detection of particles with
 - Better time and position resolutions
 - Tolerance against high rate and radiation dose
 - Large coverage at low cost
 - and that works in strong B field
- Some R&Ds are directly aimed at actual experiments, while some are generic. Both kinds benefit wide uses.
- Individual progress, however, is slow and in general require substantial investment.
- Benefits of technology spread within HEP and outside HEP are enormous. Technologies invented/improved in one fields spread to other field relatively quickly, but can use some help.