

LHCb Upgrade Electronics

Mailing list:

Go to simba.cern.ch, search for lhcb-upgrade-electronics

Link to upgrade electronics meetings:

http://lhcb-elec.web.cern.ch/lhcb-elec/html/upgrade.htm

Meetings in 2011:

10th February (TFC for discussion)

14th April

9th June

11th August

13th October

8th December



News

Reminder:

Working group on FPGAs in radiation environment: See mail from Jorgen If you are interested to join, please contact me

ACTEL FPGA irradiations:

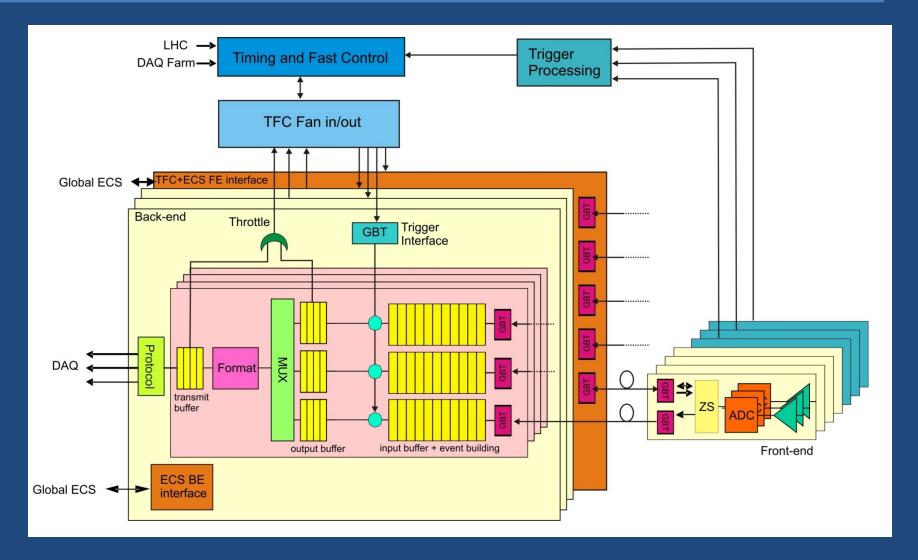
1st tests by Syracuse 2nd run in planning for early 2011 Parallel irradiation (at CERN?) to be investigated OT + Calo interested so far (maybe also CMS HCAL): anyone else?

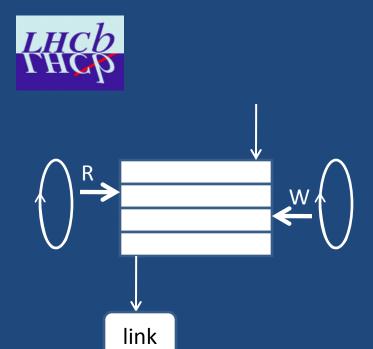
Front-end simulations (Tomasz Skwarnicki):

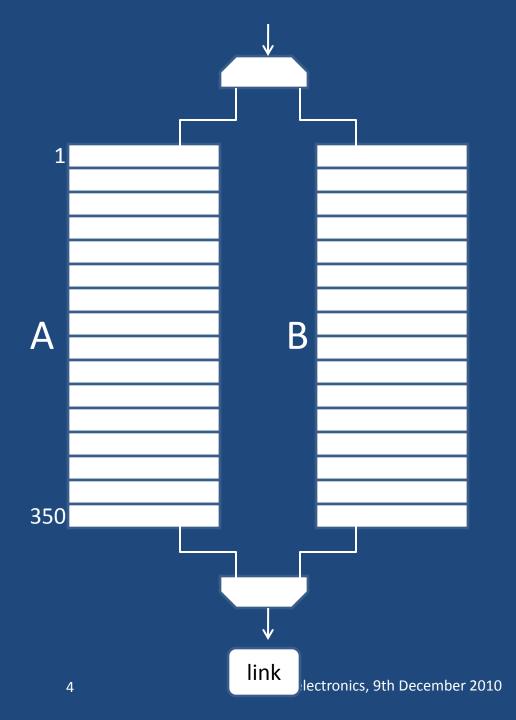
Data available (contact Tomasz)
Sub-detectors starting: Velo well advanced & already producing output for TELL40 simulations — next meeting in January



Architecture: Agree on separation of DAQ from TFC/ECS









Front-end buffer implementation

Traditional FIFO or RAM (a la Calo)





Introduces some synchronicity within and between subdetectors (later BXs in the 350 will be the truncated ones)



Dependent on bunch time structure ACTEL users can re-configure 'easily', but others....? Large RAM not so easy to implement in FE ASICs Adds latency to data (350 cycles on average)...... if trigger latency is still 160 cycles, we'll need to buffer triggers