

Advancement and Innovation for Detectors at Accelerators

WP10 – CSIC report







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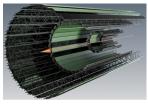
Global R&D landscape

detector R&D time-line

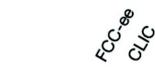
Future Projects Timeline

Agreed Working Hypothesis











< 2030

2030-2035

2035-2040

2040-2045

> 2045

- aim at the vertex detectors of Belle 2 and the Higgs factory
- intermediate-timescale projects are stepping stones

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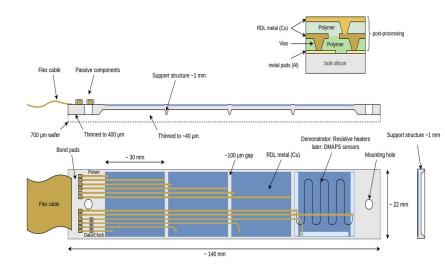
iVTX Inner Layer Concept

All-silicon module $< 0.15 \% X_0$

4 contiguous sensors diced as a block from the wafer Redistribution layer for interconnection Heterogeneous thinning for thinness & stiffness

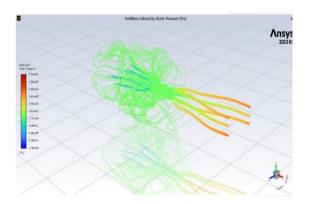
Prototyping

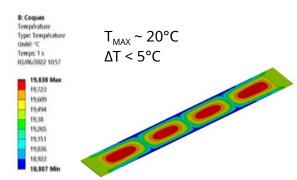
First real-size ladders at IZM-Berlin with dummy Si True iVTX geometry available



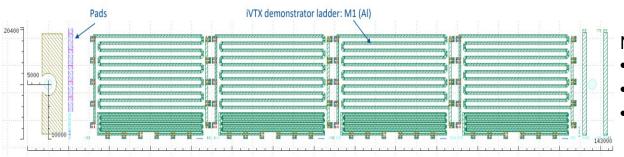
Simulation on cooling

Dry air cooling 15°C Assume 200 mW/cm²



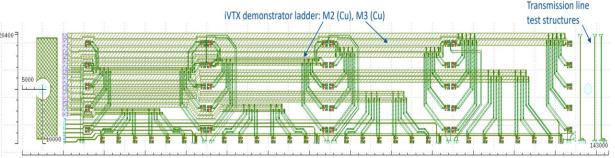


iVTX Ladder Demonstrator



Metal system:

- Resistive heaters: 1.5 um Al (M1)
- 2 RDL metal layers: 3 um Cu (M2, M3)
- Top metal finish: NiAu (M4)
 Wirebonding, SMD soldering

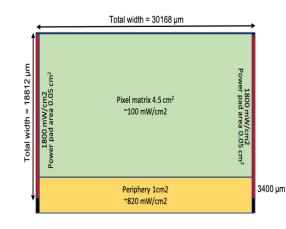


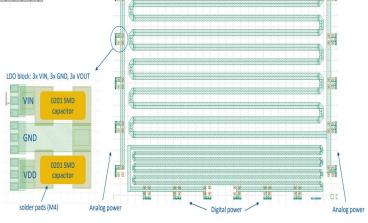
Final ladder dimension: 143 x 20.4 mm²

Dummy heaters: 30 x 20 mm²

Prepared for 1.7 mm mounting hole

Characterization of electrical, mechanical and thermal performance of iVTX ladders



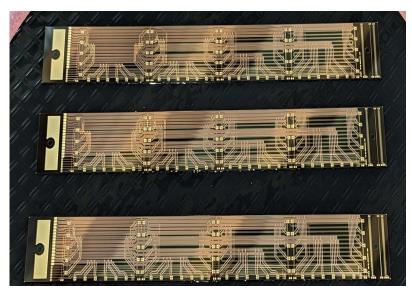


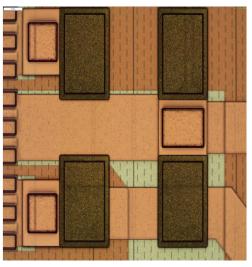
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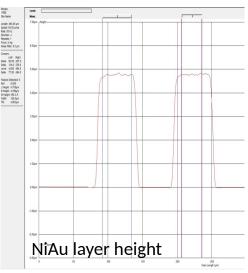
First demonstrators arrived at IFIC: 8 Wafers (725 μm, 400 μm, 300 μm)

Production at IZM finished smoothly

Characterization starting







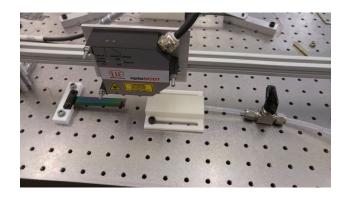
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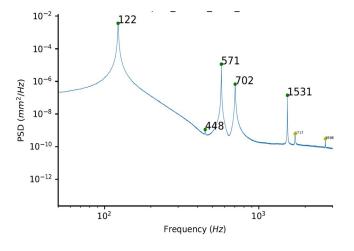


Measurements

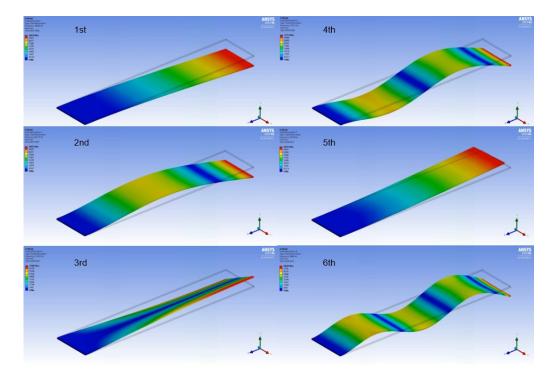
Multiple silicon structures measured in Oxford and Valencia



Vibration Setup – IFIC Valencia

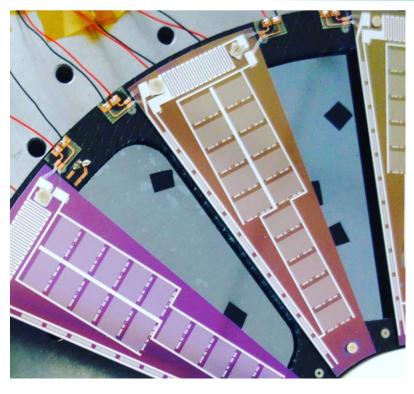








Vibration analysis



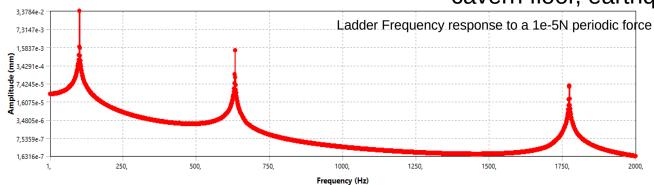
Master's thesis Yamal Naser Requena

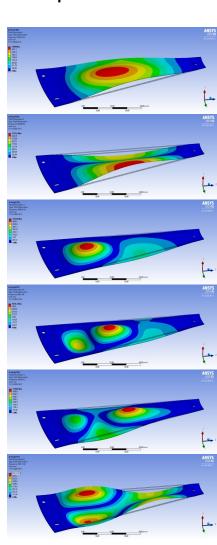
Analytical expressions

ANSYS FEA

Measurements

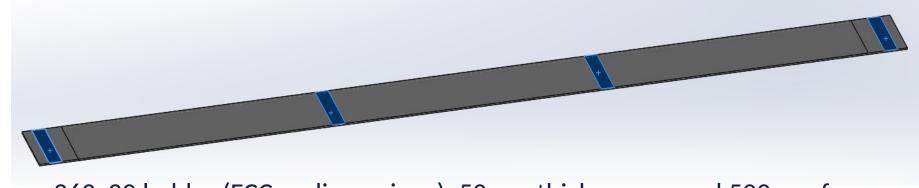
Extend to more realistic vibration loads (air flow, cavern floor, earthquake)







Support structures



260x20 ladder (FCCee dimensions), 50 um thick sensor and 500 um frame Use eigenfrequencies as figure-of-merit for mechanical stiffness Conclusion: need reinforcement from out of the ladder plane

ALICE's bent vertex detector achieves a similar rigidity as the solution with 4 support points

	IT01	IT02 - 3ps	IT03 - 4ps
Mode 1	67	264	584
Mode 2	184	270	589
Mode 3	212	447	608
Mode 4	356	447	799
Mode 5	380	713	814
Mode 6	575	722	837

Eigenfrequencies (in Hz)



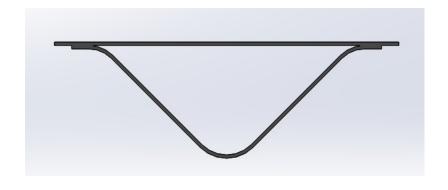
2-3-4 points of support



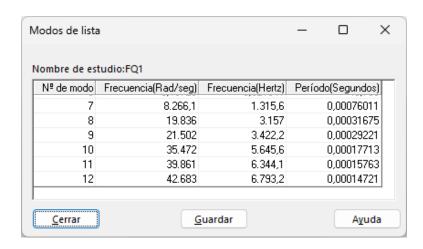
Support structures

Carbon laminate support structure (0,2 mm thickness)

- Silicon ladder to be glued on top.
- Natural frequencies are very high. Excellent stiffness.





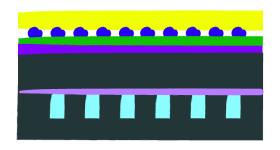


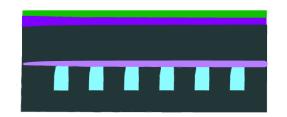




MCC evolution: integrated cooling









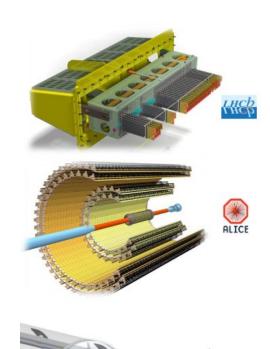
Hybrid pixel detector & micro-channel cooling plate

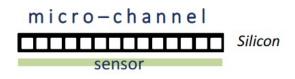
Monolithic CMOS detector

Monolithic CMOS detector with integrated micro-channels



Ultra-light cooling





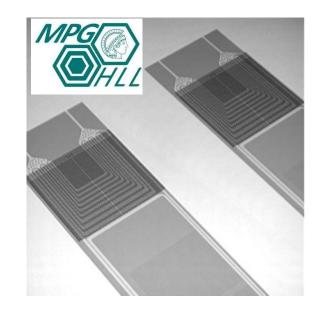


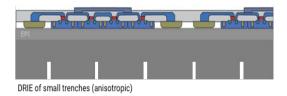


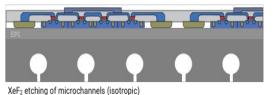


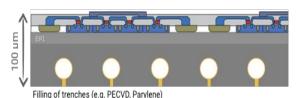
Integrated micro-channels

 2016: Developed process to integrate micro-channels in DEPFET Silicon sensor (with MPG-HLL, JINST11(2016) 06)









- M. Boscardin et al., NIM A, 2013
- C. Lipp, MSc Thesis, EPFL, 2017
- I. Berdalovic et al., JINST 13 C01023, 2018

2019: Buried micro-channels in working MALTA CMOS sensor (CERN, EPFL)



AIDA Who needs μ-channels?

The FCC-hh vertex detector and tracker operate in extreme radiation levels and rate environment; would definitely benefit from minimal thermal gradient between sensor and heat sink (but 2073 is a long time from now)

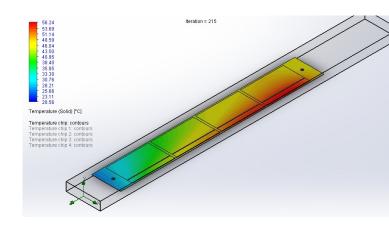
STAR and ALICE can safely operate with air cooling. Belle 2 has a hybrid system with active elements in the high-power area and air cooling over the sensor area.

What about the Higgs factory?

- Linear Colliders have power pulsing; probably OK with just air flow
- Circular Collider is a DC machine; on the edge?

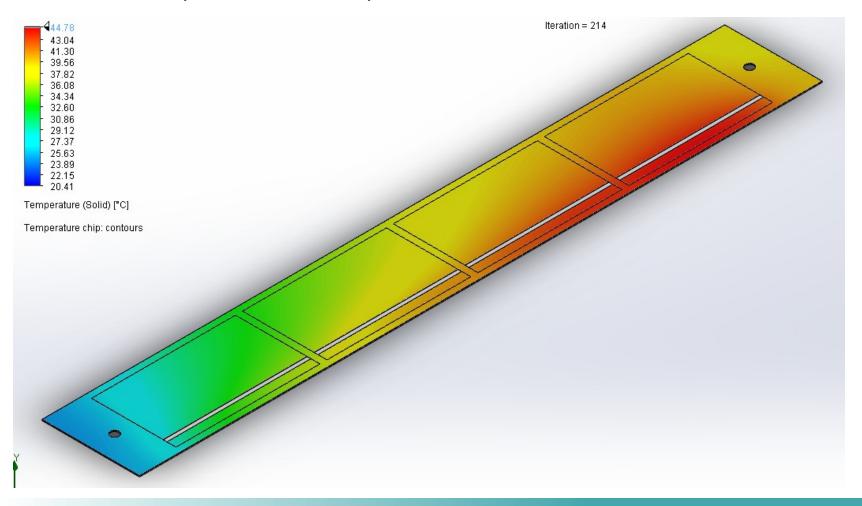
Simulate All-Silicon ladder

- dimensions as per iVTX for Belle 2:
- --- 143 x 20,4 mm², to compare with measurements
- power consumption:
- --- average 200 mW/cm2
- --- nearly 1 W/cm2 in chip periphery (note: ALPIDE consumption is significantly less; reasonable estimate for the FCC environment?)



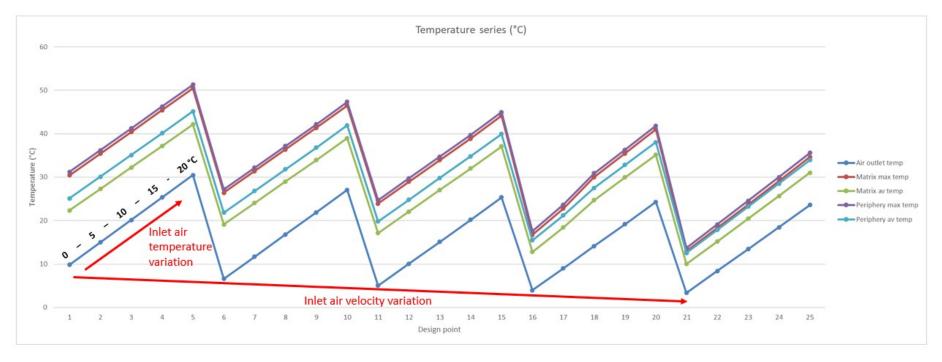
Design point - 20 °C - 8 m/s

iVTX ladder temperature. Inlet temperature 20 °C at 8 m/s. Tmax = 45 °C.





Results – parametric study



- Air inlet temperature: 0 5 10 15 20 °C (bottom to top trend)
- Air inlet velocity: 4-6-8-10-12 m/s (left to right trend) Apparently, none of the combinations satisfy the requirement of $\Delta T < 5^{\circ}$ C



Micro-channels

- PRELIMINARY: A solution based on micro-channels and air cooling, with a single micro-channel with monophase liquid cooling along the chip periphery and a gentle flow of air over the sensor seems to meet our cooling requirements, even with a 200 mW/cm2 power consumption
- At FCCee, also the beam pipe is cooled. Should we aim for an integrated solution with FCCee beam pipe?
- Will develop a complete and near-optimal design, discuss with the relevant people (Fabrizio Palla, DRD8.1), and produce a prototype at CNM in Barcelona



WP10 - CSIC - NEWS

Deliverable D10.1 due this summer!!

Contributions on Silicon Micro-channels:

- CNM anodic/eutectic bonding (see M. Ullan)
- HLL direct bonding (see L. Andricek)
- INFN effort on CoolFPGA (see L. Bosi)
- buried channels currently uncovered



To be merged with material from others on 3D-printed structures



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MILESTONE REPORT

COMBINED WORKPLAN WITH OBJECTIVES AND TEST DEFINITION FOR ALL TECHNOLOGIES

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Document status:	Draft	



CSIC-IFIC summary

Aim: integrate support structures and micro-channel cooling in "large" CMOS ladders for Belle 2 upgrade and Higgs factories

Development of low-temperature bonding compatible with CMOS postprocessing ongoing at CNM and HLL (see talks by L. Andricek and M. Ullan)

IFIC hired Carlos Orero (industrial engineer) with AIDAinnova funding and Adrian Irles' "proyecto de consolidación"; currently starting a 3-year contract!

New Finite-Element simulations to study Higgs factory cooling and mechanical solutions: comparison with mechanical prototypes is ongoing and a cooling prototype is being designed for production at CNM.