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Status of LumiCal Readout Electronics

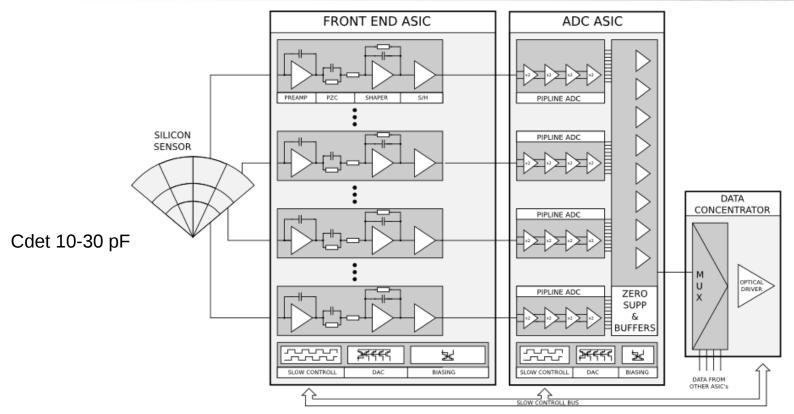
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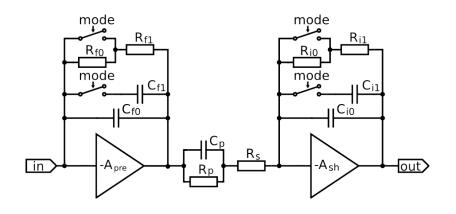
Readout architecture of LumiCal detector

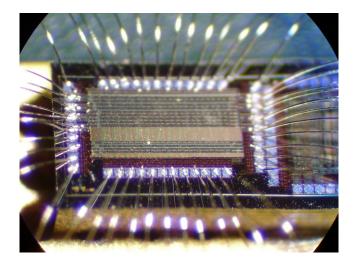


In last few years works on architecture comprising front-end and ADC in each readout channel have been carried. The idea was to have readout chain consisting of two ASICs (FE, ADC) and to complete it with FPGA based data concentrator.



Front-end ASIC





Existing prototypes:

8 channels in AMS0.35um Cdet $\approx 0 \div 100$ pF (in new specs: Cdet<30pF)

1st order shaper (Tpeak \approx 60 ns) Variable gain:

calibration mode - MIP sensitivity (~4fC)
physics mode - input charge up to 10 pC
Power switching off NOT implemented
Designed for OLD specifications
Prototypes fabricated and tested
power consumption 8.9 mW/channel
event rate up to 3 MHz
Crosstalk < 1%



Multichannel ADC ASIC

8 channels of 10 bit ADC

1.5 bit per stage pipeline architecture

AMS 0.35um technology

Layout with 200um ADC pitch

Digital multiplexer/serializer:

Serial mode (~250MHz): one data link per all

channels (max fsmp \sim 3 MSps)

Parallel mode (~250MHz): one data link per channel

 $(max fsmp \sim 25 MSps)$

Test mode: single channnel (max fsmp ~50 MSps)

High speed LVDS drivers (<=1GHz)

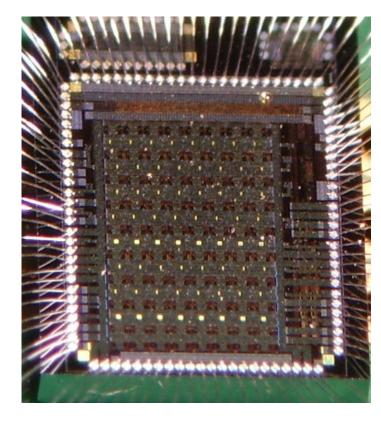
Power pulsing

Precise BandGap reference source

Temperature sensor

ENOB=9.7 bits

~1.2mW/channel/MHz



2.6mm x 3.2mm



32 channels readout module

4 FE ASICs + 4 ADC ASICs + FPGA concentrator + Power pulsing



Data concentrator Xilinx Spartan 3E

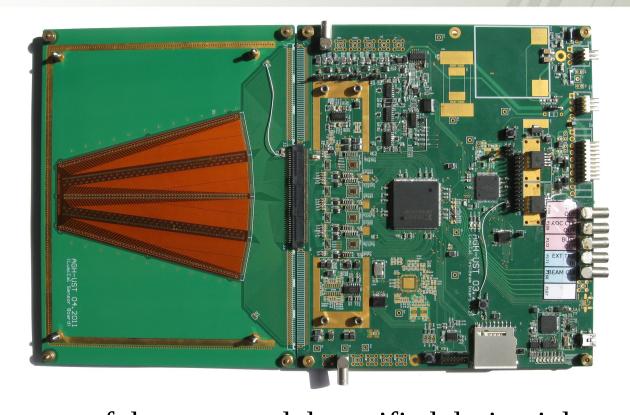
4 pairs of front-end + ADC



sensor connector



LumiCal detector module

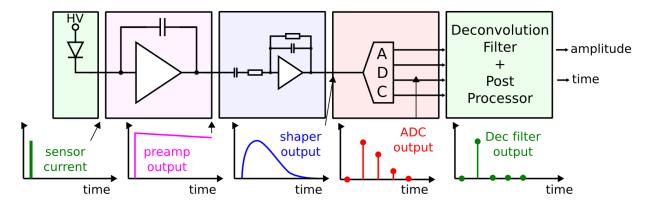


Good performance of detector module verified during july testbeam. A lot of usefull lab/testbeam measurements and analyses is being, and we hope..., will be done with this module.



Readout architectures for CLIC

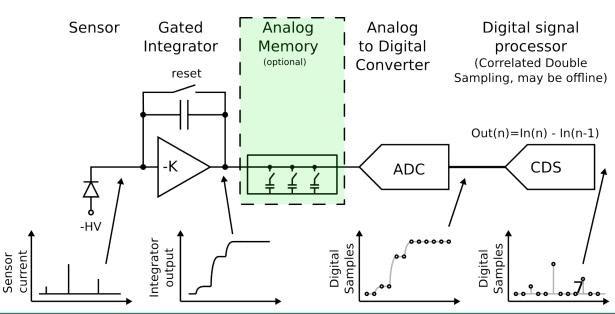
Deconvolution



Look in:

LCD-Note-2011-015

Gated integrator & CDS



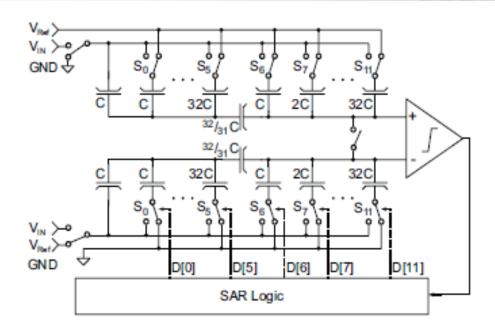


What next ???

- Present readout ASICs (FE,ADC) work well and should be used extensively in testbeams and lab to study ILC/CLIC issues.
- No further development-integration of more complex ASICs in AMS 0.35um CMOS foreseen. The main reason is that for final ILC/CLIC detecting system the power consumption and radiation hardness may be not satisfactory with present technology.
- The good choice for future technology seems IBM 130nm CMOS
- New FE and ADC in 130nm need to be designed...
- For ADC decision is simpler since SAR ADC is a perfect candidate for general purpose (ILC/CLIC) very low ADC
 - Design of SAR: 10 bits, up to 50MHz sampling, <2mW power consumption, is underway. We hope to submit it still in 2011.
- For FE there are more questions, design has been started but goes more slowly, submission expected 2011-2012
- Continue studies of readout for CLIC



Segmented/Split capacitor SAR ADC



Typically each of two sub-DACs is split into two (almost) equal capacitor networs connected through coupling capacitor

Instead of 2^N small unit capacitors, 2*2^{N/2} larger capacitors are used in split capacitor architecture

Work on such solution in progress...

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