

Irradiated n-in-p planar pixel sensors with different thicknesses and active edge designs

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N-in-p planar pixel samples

VTT active/slim edges:

- ▶ FE-I4 modules 100 μm thick
(125 μm edge, p-type MCz)
 - $5 \times 10^{15} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$ at KIT
(25 MeV protons)
- ▶ FE-I3 modules 100 μm thick
(125 μm edge, p-type FZ)
 - $5 \times 10^{15} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$ at KIT +
Ljubljana (reactor neutrons)
- ▶ FE-I4 modules 200 μm thick
(450 μm edge, p-type FZ)
 - $6 \times 10^{15} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$ at KIT +
Ljubljana

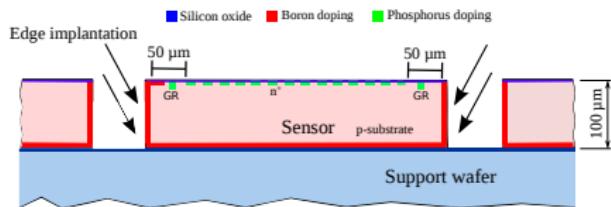
MPP/HLL samples:

- ▶ FE-I4 modules 150 μm thick
(450 μm edge, p-type FZ)

Irradiations:

- $1 \times 10^{16} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$ in Los
Alamos (800 MeV protons)

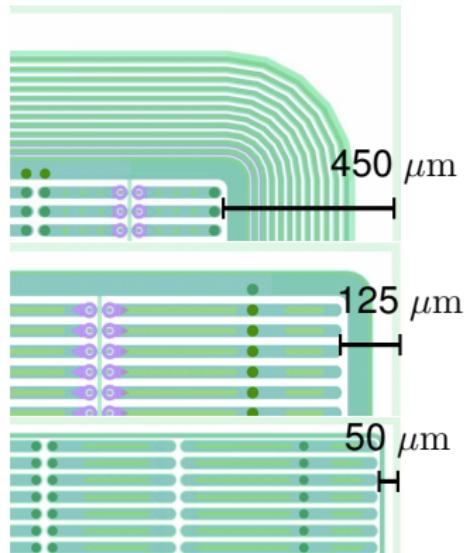
The VTT active/slim edge production



trenches doped by four-quadrant implantation

► different edge designs:

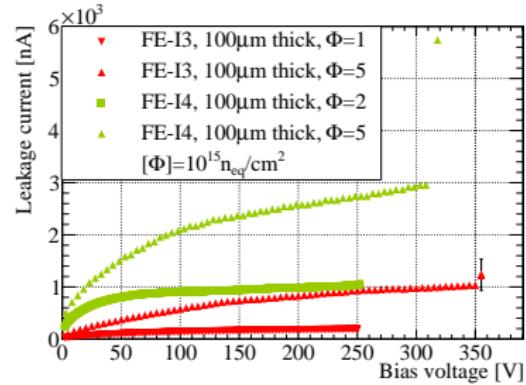
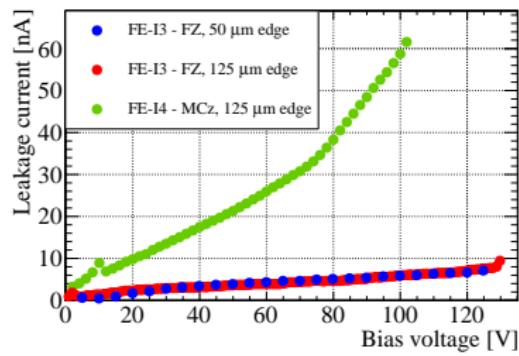
- ▶ 450 μm distance between the last pixel implant and the slim edge (Bias Ring (BR) and 11 Guard Rings (GR))
- ▶ 125 μm distance between the last pixel implant and the slim edge (only 1 BR and 1 floating GR)
- ▶ 50 μm distance between the last pixel implant and the active edge (only 1 floating GR)



IV measurements

- ▶ VTT sensors before irradiation:
 - ▶ depletion voltage 10-15 V
 - ▶ breakdown 100-120 V

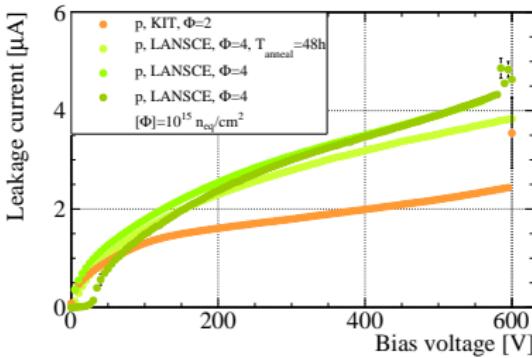
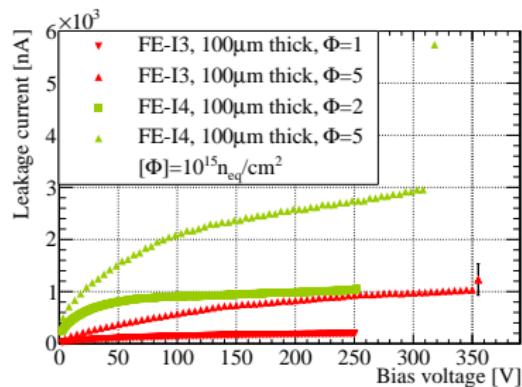
- ▶ VTT sensors after irradiation:
 - ▶ breakdown voltage of VTT sensors is above the saturation of the collected charge



IV measurements

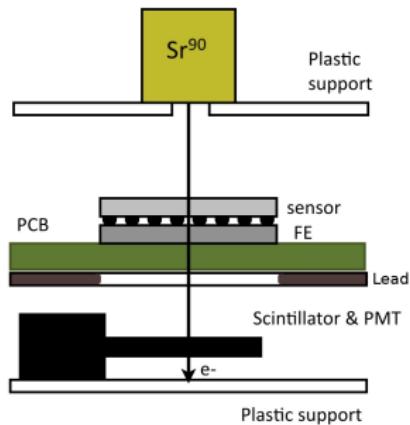
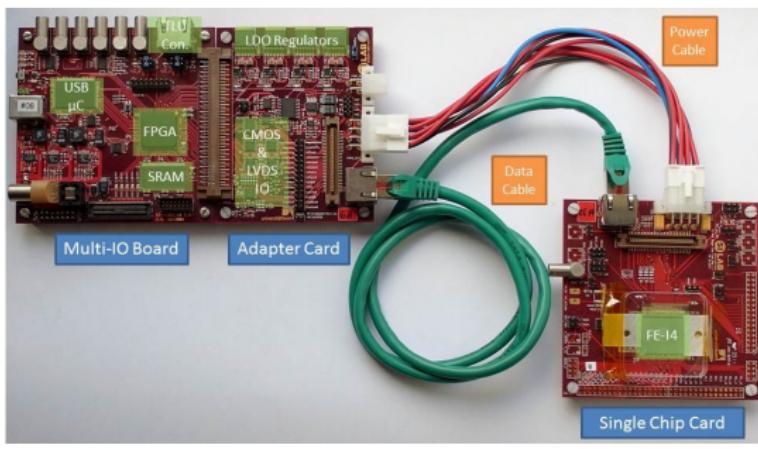
- ▶ VTT sensors 100 μm thick:
 - ▶ 125 μm edge design without full GR structure
 - ▶ ≤ 350 V in the lab (400 V at beam test) up to a fluence of $5 \times 10^{15} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$

- ▶ MPP/HLL sensors 150 μm thick:
 - ▶ 450 μm with full GR structure
 - ▶ breakdown at 600 V after irradiation up to $4 \times 10^{15} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$



Characterization setup in laboratory

- ▶ ^{90}Sr beta source
- ▶ external trigger via scintillator
- ▶ from 20°C to -50°C cooling
- ▶ ATLAS USBPix read-out system

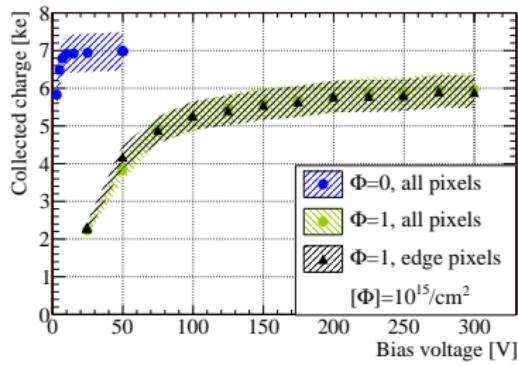
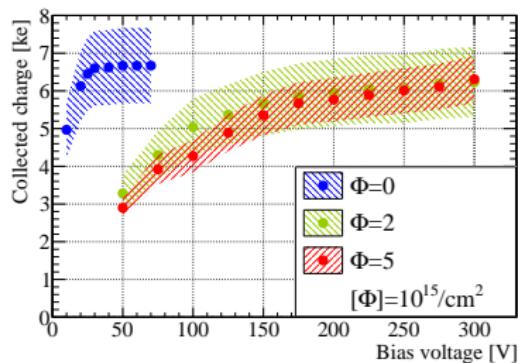


Pixel modules are wire-bonded to detector boards designed by the University of Bonn for FE-I4 and FE-I3

Charge Collection

- ▶ FE-I4 MCz silicon 100 μm thick
- ▶ 125 μm slim edge
- ▶ threshold: 1100 e^-
- ▶ **95% CCE at 300 V up to $5 \times 10^{15} n_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$**

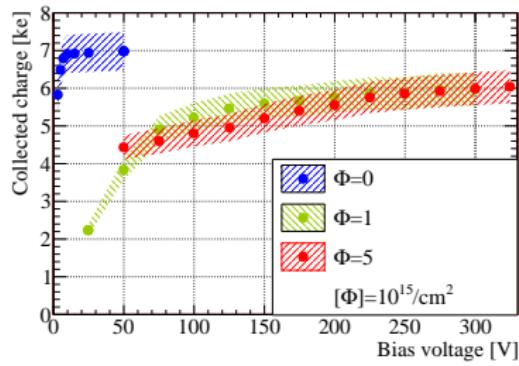
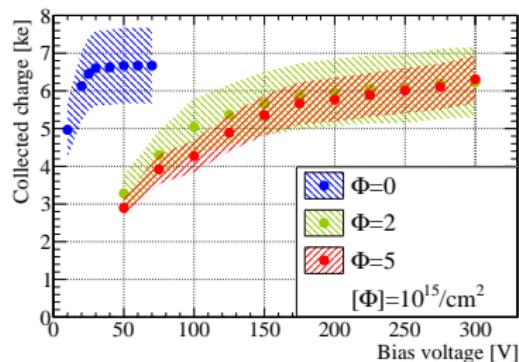
- ▶ FE-I3 FZ silicon 100 μm thick
- ▶ 125 μm slim edge
- ▶ threshold: 1500 e^-
- ▶ **87% CCE at 300 V up to $5 \times 10^{15} n_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$**



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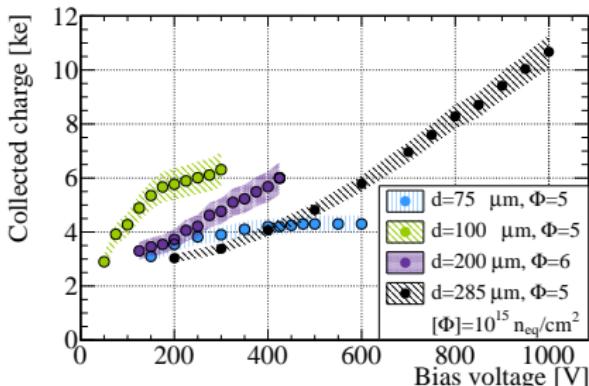
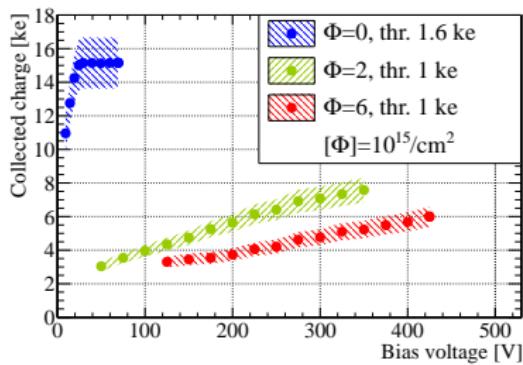
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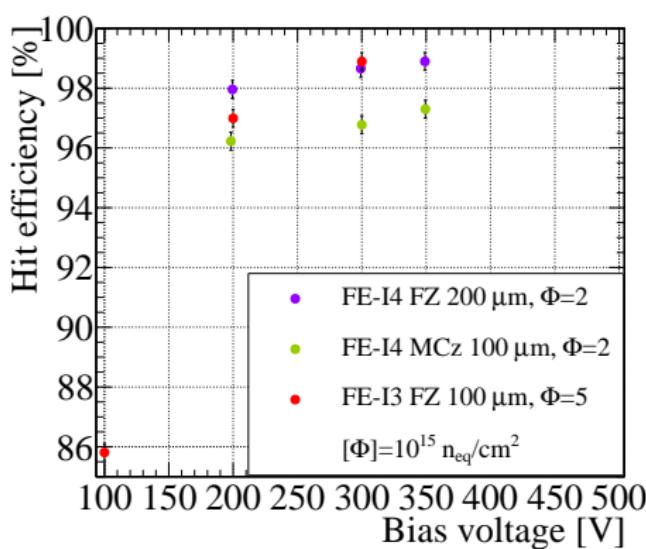
- ▶ VTT FE-I4 FZ silicon
200 μm thick
- ▶ 450 μm slim edge with GRs
- ▶ $\Phi=6 \times 10^{15} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$
- ▶ **40% CCE at 425 V at**
 $6 \times 10^{15} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$



at $\Phi=5 \times 10^{15} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$ 200 μm thick devices are still under depleted up to 425 V
while the collected charge of 100 μm thick sensors saturates already at 200 V

Hit efficiency

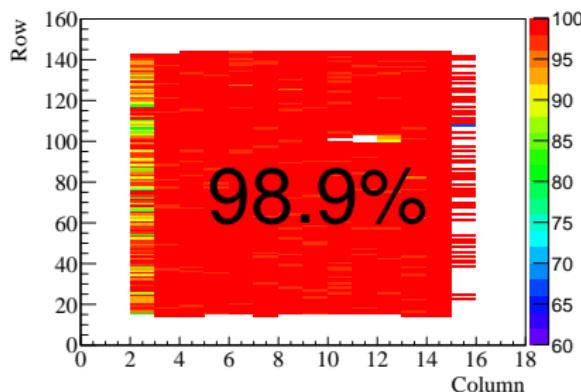
- ▶ PPS test beam at DESY
 - ▶ 4 GeV electrons
 - ▶ EUDET telescope
 - ▶ perpendicular incidence tracks



- ▶ **VTT FE-I4: 200 μm FZ**
 - ▶ threshold: 1100 e^-
 - ▶ $\Phi=2\times10^{15} n_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$
 - ▶ $(98.9\pm0.3)\%$ efficiency at 350 V
- ▶ **VTT FE-I4: 100 μm MCz**
 - ▶ threshold: 1600 e^-
 - ▶ $\Phi=2\times10^{15} n_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$
 - ▶ $(97.3\pm0.3)\%$ efficiency at 350 V
- ▶ **VTT FE-I3: 100 μm FZ**
 - ▶ threshold: 1600 e^-
 - ▶ $\Phi=5\times10^{15} n_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$
 - ▶ $(98.9\pm0.3)\%$ efficiency at 300 V

Hit efficiency: VTT 100 μm FE-I3

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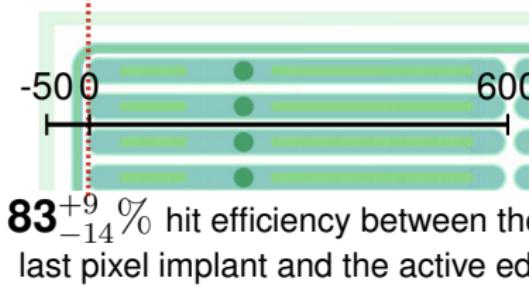
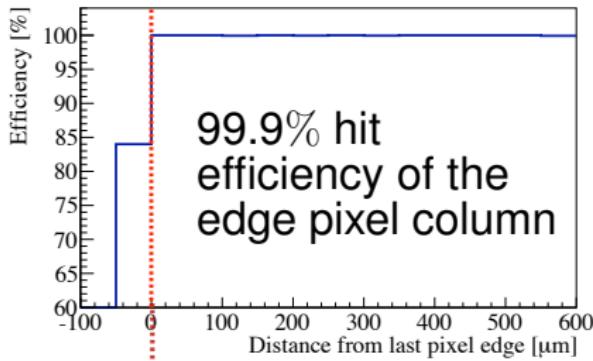
▶ VTT 100 μm FE-I3 Float Zone

- ▶ 125 μm slim edge
- ▶ threshold: 1600 e^-
- ▶ 20 ToT at 60 ke
- ▶ $\Phi=5\times10^{15} n_{eq}/\text{cm}^2$
- ▶ $(98.9\pm0.3)\%$ global hit efficiency at 300 V

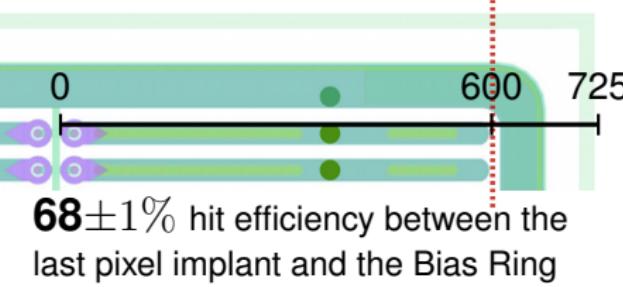
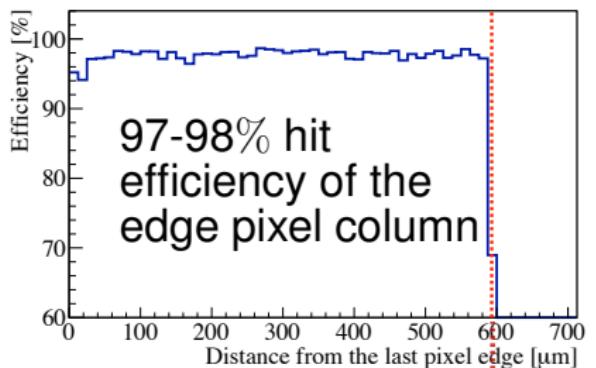


Edge efficiency before irradiation (CERN SpS)

VTT FE-I3, 50 μm active edge



VTT FE-I3, 125 μm slim edge

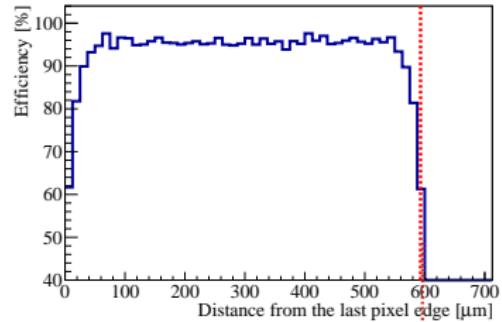
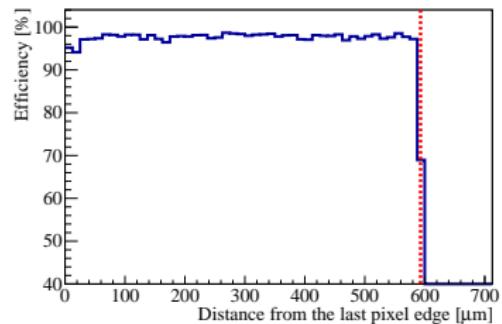


Edge efficiency: VTT 100 μm FE-I3

FE-I3, 125 μm slim edge

- ▶ not irradiated
- ▶ threshold: 1500 e^-
- ▶ **(68 \pm 1)% hit efficiency between the last pixel implant and the BR (CERN SpS, 120 GeV pions)**

- ▶ $\Phi=5\times10^{15} n_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$
- ▶ $V_{\text{bias}}=300 \text{ V}$
- ▶ threshold: 1500 e^-
- ▶ **(59 \pm 2)% hit efficiency between the last pixel implant and the BR (DESY, 4 GeV electrons)**

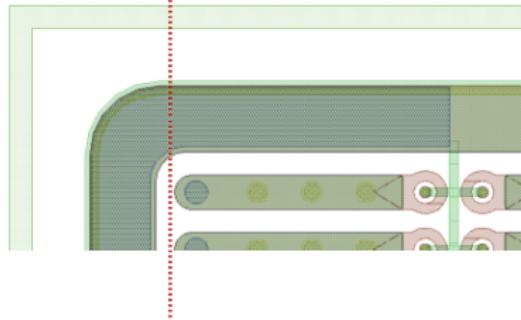
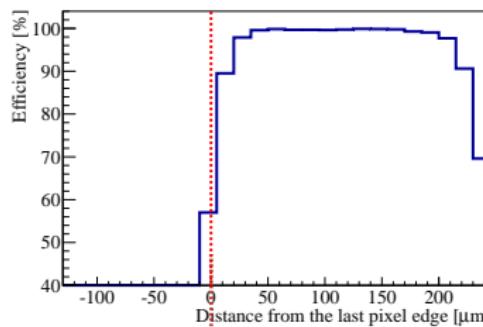


Edge efficiency: VTT 100 μm FE-I4

FE-4, 125 μm slim edge

- ▶ un-irradiated
- ▶ $V_{\text{bias}}=300 \text{ V}$
- ▶ threshold: 1600 e^-
- ▶ over $99.9^{+0.1}_{-0.3}\%$ global hit efficiency
- ▶ **(57 \pm 1)%** hit efficiency between the last pixel implant and the BR (DESY)

smearing effects due to the multiple scattering that deteriorates the pointing resolution at DESY ($\sim 15 \mu\text{m}$)

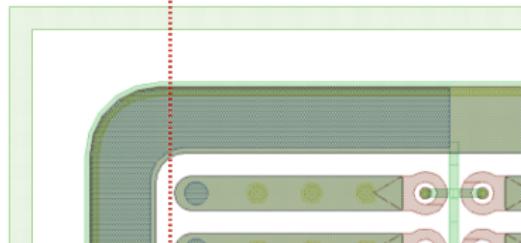
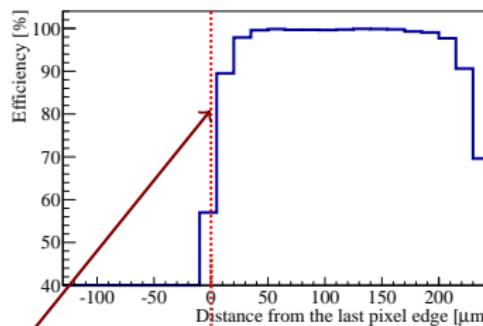


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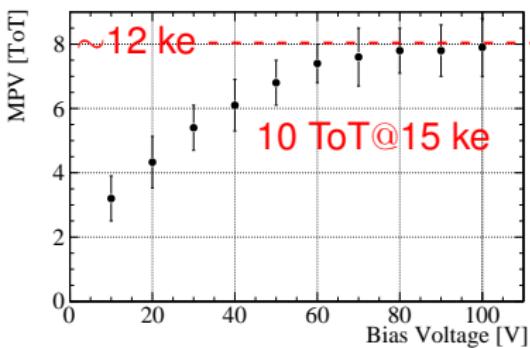
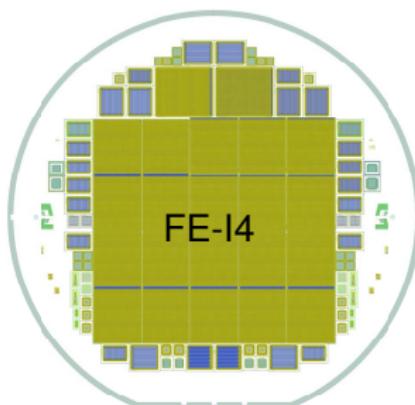
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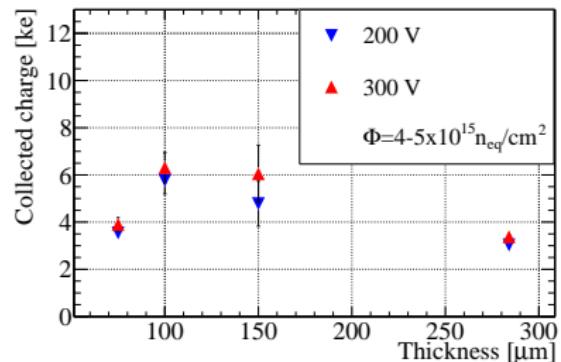
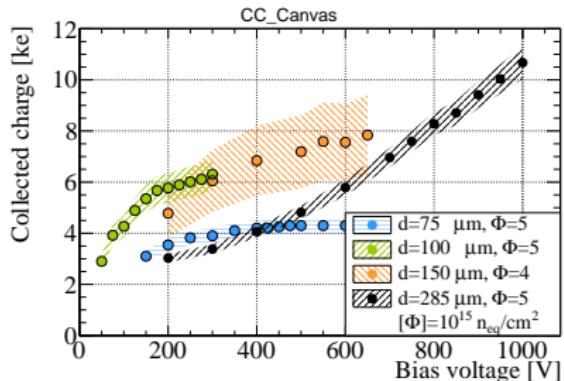
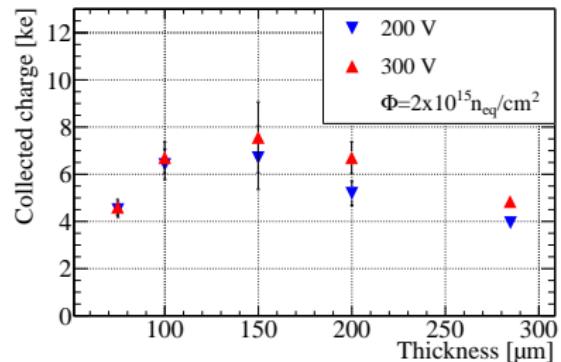
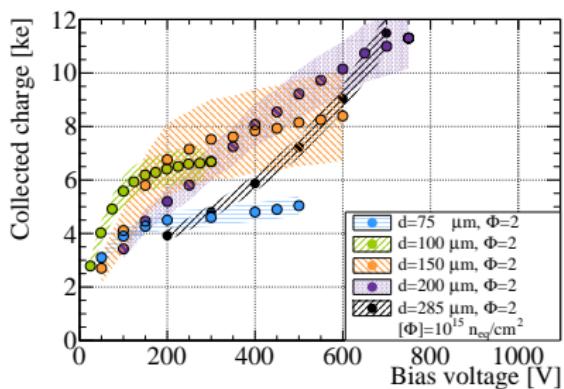
n-in-p planar pixel modules 150 μm thick

- ▶ designed and produced by MPP/HLL
 - ▶ 6 inches wafers with ATLAS FE-I4 chips ($250 \mu\text{m} \times 50 \mu\text{m}$ pitch)
 - ▶ $450 \mu\text{m}$ edge design with full GR
 - ▶ interconnected with bump-bonding at IZM
- ▶ irradiated up to $10^{16} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$ in:
 - ▶ KIT \rightarrow 25 MeV protons
 - ▶ Los Alamos \rightarrow 800 MeV protons

not irradiated show the expected collected charge after full depletion

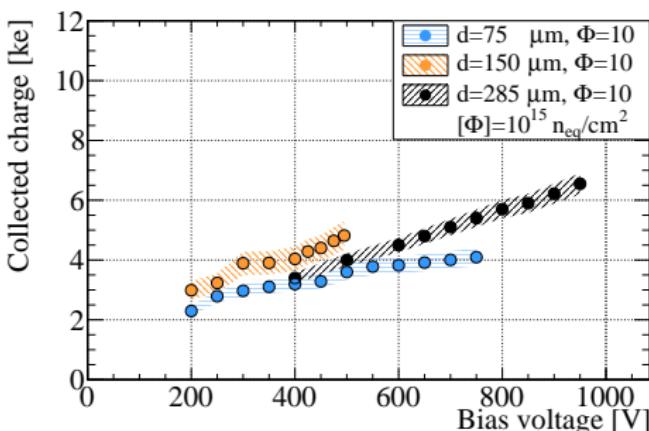


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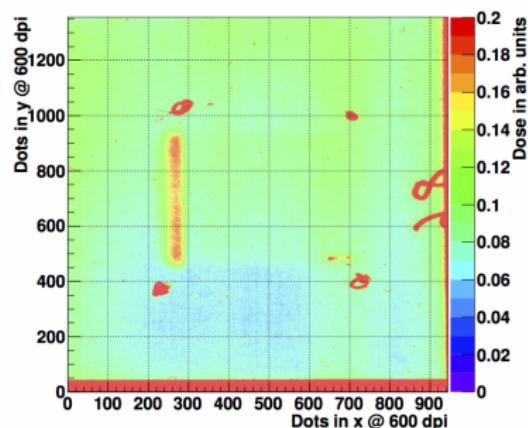


Charge Collection: thickness comparison

- FE-I4 150 μm thick, irradiated to $10^{16} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$ at Los Alamos



The collected charge becomes similar to the one of other tested thicknesses



FE-I4 chip is radioactive:

- 3.10 mGy/h in pad region*
- 1.15 mGy/h under chip*

*These levels correspond to 205 kBq for the ^{182}Ta

Summary and outlook

- ▶ 100-150 μm thick sensors show the highest collected charge at moderate voltages (200-300 V) up to a fluence of $10^{16} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$ among the tested thicknesses.
- ▶ VTT active edges 100 μm thick sensors show $(98.9 \pm 0.3)\%$ hit efficiency at 300 V after irradiation up to $5 \times 10^{15} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$.
- ▶ The active area of the VTT sensors extends out of the pixel surface up to the Bias Ring also after irradiation.

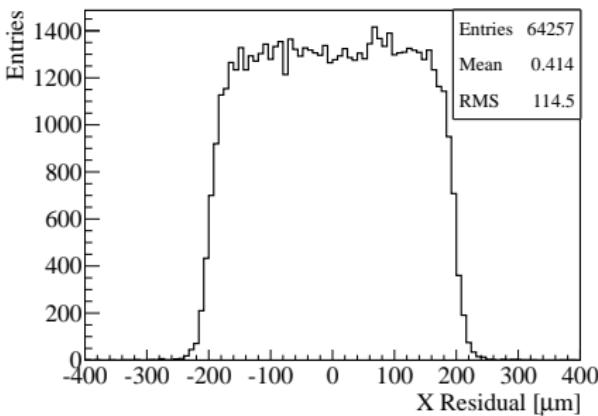
What's next:

- ▶ FE-I4 150 μm :
 - ▶ two modules have been irradiated to $1.8 \times 10^{16} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$ in Los Alamos and they are about to be bonded.
- ▶ VTT active edges:
 - ▶ test of FE-I4 modules irradiated at $5 \times 10^{15} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$ at KIT;
 - ▶ irradiation up to $10^{16} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$ in Los Alamos.
- ▶ More characterizations after irradiation with beam test at DESY

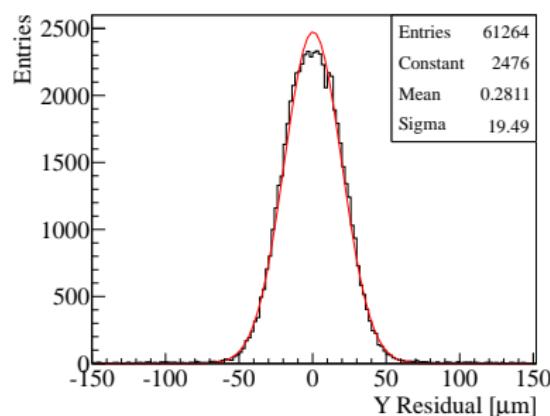
Backup slides

Residuals (DESY)

- ▶ **FE-I3 100 μm thick, irradiated to $5 \times 10^{15} \text{n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$**
- ▶ PPS test beam August 2013 in DESY
- ▶ perpendicular track incidence
- ▶ bias voltage: 300 V
- ▶ threshold: 1.5 ke



Residual in X direction
(400 μm pitch)



Residual in Y direction
(50 μm pitch)