





T-CAD simulation of Lorentz angle

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Motivation



- Distribution of electric field in sensor is important for understanding radiation induced damage
- Lorentz angle changes with irradiation fluence



It would be great to have a simulation describing fluence dependence, especially since every tracker layer will accumulate different fluence

Measurement principle



- Illuminate backside of silicon strip sensor with a short laser pulse in a magnetic field
- Drifting charge is deflected by the Lorentz force
- Measure shift as a function of the magnetic field and applied bias voltage



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T-CAD simulation of drift in B-field



- Transient simulation of induced signals on AC coupled strips
- 880nm laser wavelength
 - Simulated electron density at three time steps



- Charge is created at the sensor backside
- Deflection due to Lorentz force

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Induced current



- Drifting charge induces current in ac readout strips
- Integrate pulse to obtain charge signal per strip
- Perform same analysis as for measured data
 - Charge position from gauss fit
 - Calculate shift by comparing to 0T reference point



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Results (non-irradiated)





Magnetic field [T]

- Lorentz shift rises with B-field
- Shift is larger for electrons compared to holes
- General trend is reproduced by simulation
 - Deviations for electrons above 4T

Bias voltage





- Lorenz shift depends on bias voltage
- Behavior of electrons reproduced nicely

Irradiation model



- Include defects in simulation
- Effective trap models
 - 2-trap model for proton irradiation (R. Eber, PhD thesis)
 - Developed for Synopsis T-CAD
 - Describes TCT and CCE correctly (with Synopsis T-CAD)
 - 5-trap model (Univ. Delhi)
- Study influence on charge carrier drift and Lorentz angle

Comparison to measurement



Testing different irradiation models



Proton irradiated micron FZ sensors

- Models do not describe fluence dependence of Lorentz shift correctly
- Models give different shape of E-field than in Synopsis
- Tuning with Silvaco necessary

Summary



- Silvaco T-CAD simulation of silicon strip sensor including B-field
- Describes measurements on non-irradiated sensors
- This opens door for combination with effective trap models describing radiation damage
- Ongoing work to adapt and refine damage model to describe Lorentz angle measurement performed with laser method



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2 trap model



- PhD thesis Robert Eber
- Effective irradiation model (tuned especially for proton irradiation)
- Tuned with Synopsis T-CAD

2 traps

- 1 donor
- 1 acceptor

Parameter	Donor	Acceptor
Energy	E _V + 0.48eV	E _C - 0.525eV
Concentration (cm ³)	5.598 * F - 0.959e14	1.189 * F + 0.645e14
σ(e)	1.0e-14cm ²	1.0e-14cm ²
σ(h)	1.0e-14cm ²	1.0e-14cm ²