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Beijing Electron Positron Collider-II (BEPCII)



2008: test run

2009 - now: BESIII physics run

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The **BESIII** Collaboration





BESIII Detector

CSI calorimeter Precision tracking Time-of-flight + dE/dx PID



The detector is hermetic for neutral and charged particle with excellent resolution, PID, and large coverage.

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BEPCII storage rings



Beam energy: 1.0-2.3 GeV **Design Luminosity:** 1×10³³ cm⁻²s⁻¹ **Optimum energy:** 1.89 GeV **Energy spread:** 5.16 × 10⁻⁴ No. of bunches: 93 **Bunch length:** 1.5 cm Total current: 0.91 A **Circumference**: 237m

Achieved luminosity: 0.7 × 10³² cm⁻²s⁻¹@3770MeV



BESIII data set



- $4100 \pm 4400 \text{ MeV}, 0.5 \text{ ID} = \text{Coarse sca}$
- 3850 ÷ 4590 MeV: 0.5 fb⁻¹ fine scan



BESIII Inner Tracker: MDC aging problems

Gain change from 2009-2014 with Bhabha events



Compared with 2009, now the gas gains of first 5 layers decrease about 29% —14%

- The gains of the first 10 layers have an obvious decrease
- The gains of the layers in the outer chamber have nearly no change



BESIII Inner Tracker: MDC aging problems

Charge accumulation on INNER MDC



- accumulated charge evaluated by integrated dark currents on each wire
- total accumulated charge on first layer at 100mC/cm
- in the last two years the accumulated charges are at lower levels

CGEM detector for BESIII

- Three active layers
- Active area
 - L1 length 532 mm
 - L2 length: 690 mm
 - L3 length: 847 mm

Cathode

- Coverage: 93% 4π
- Operation duration ~ 5 years

3 mn

GEANT4 simulation

A lot of details in the simulation.

Reconstruction code needs to be developed to fully evaluate the impact on the physics.

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A CGEM detector has been added to the BESIII simulation in order to preliminary evaluate its possible performance.

CGEM expected performance

Readout	σ _{rφ} (μm)	σ _z (μm)
Digital readout (Beam test @2009)	330	400
Analog readout (magnetic field effect avoided)*	80	150

* Taken as expected spatial resolution

Purpose of beam test(s) ...

- Validate GEM analog readout in magnetic field.
- Validate Garfield simulation and extract useful information for hit digitization.
- Validate the BESIII anode structure.

... & Some possible measurement to perform

- Spatial resolution as function of the magnetic field
- Cluster size as function of the magnetic field
- Perform the same measurements at different gain
- Other measurements:
 - efficiency
 - different gas mixture

BESIII beam test setup

BESIII beam test - readout anode design

BESIII beam test – Readout

DATA ACQUISITION SUPPORTS FULLY ANALOG, FULLY DIGITAL AS WELL AS MIXED MODE READOUT

APV25 (ANALOG – 128 chs)

GASTONE (DIGITAL – 128 chs)

BESIII beam test – Setup

Cosmic data: Spatial resolution

with digital readout

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Cosmic data: Cluster size

- Data acquisition based on APV25 system run smoothly (ATLAS parameters setup and DAQ system).
- Integration of tracking chambers, BES proto and mechanical structure is going on
- Setup details have been already discussed with RD51 collaboration.
- Beam test will start on Nov 26 and end on Dec 14

