



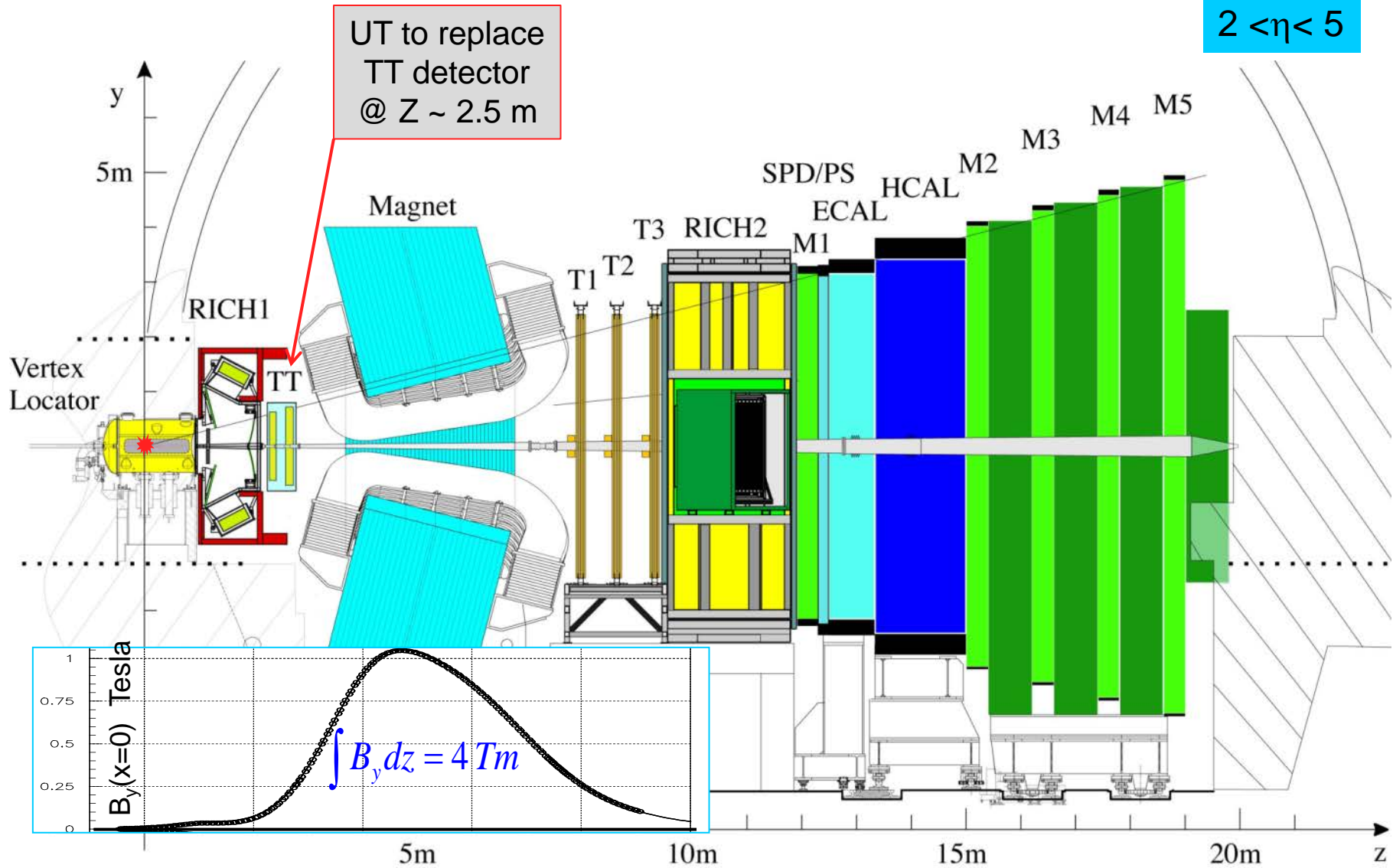
LHCb Upstream Tracker Upgrade

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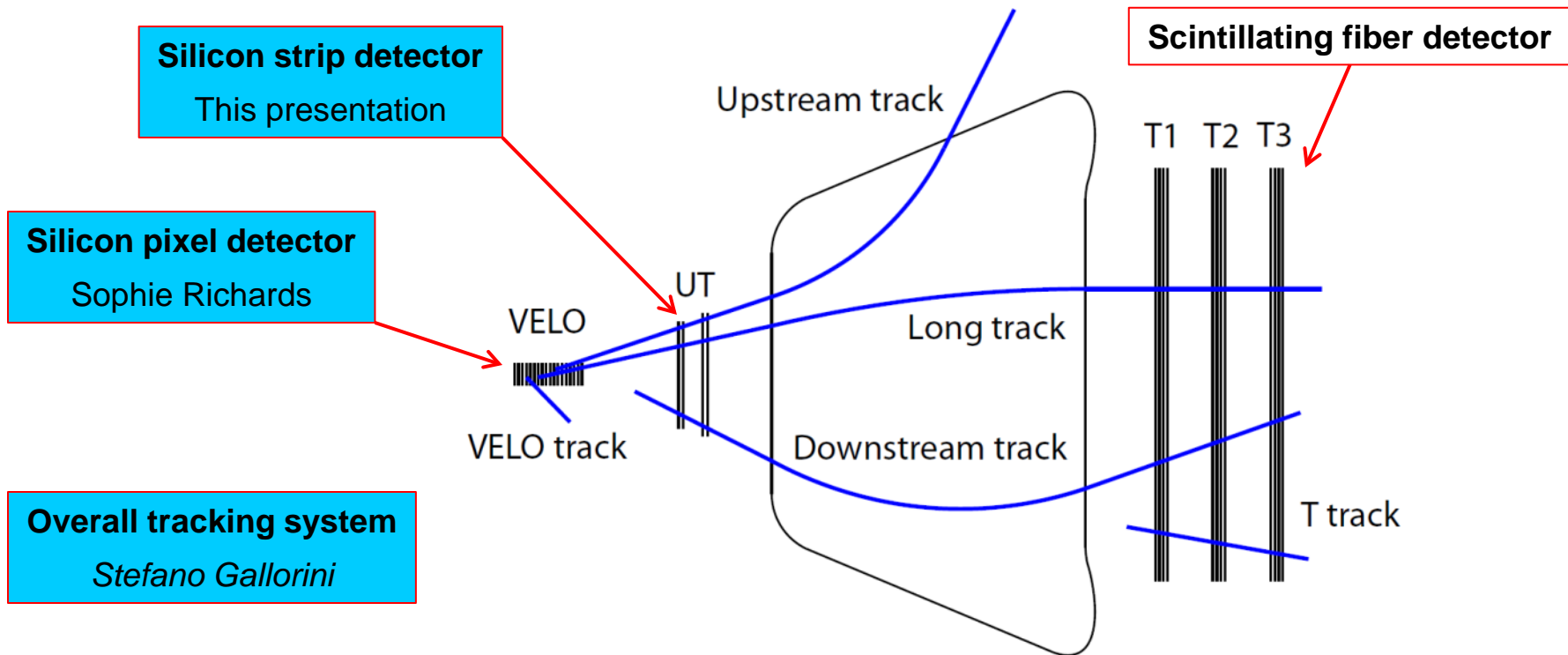


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- ❑ The LHCb upgrade extend the physics reach by
 - Running at higher luminosity: $L = 2 \times 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$.
 - Reading out events at 40 MHz, & using full software trigger to increase trigger efficiency.

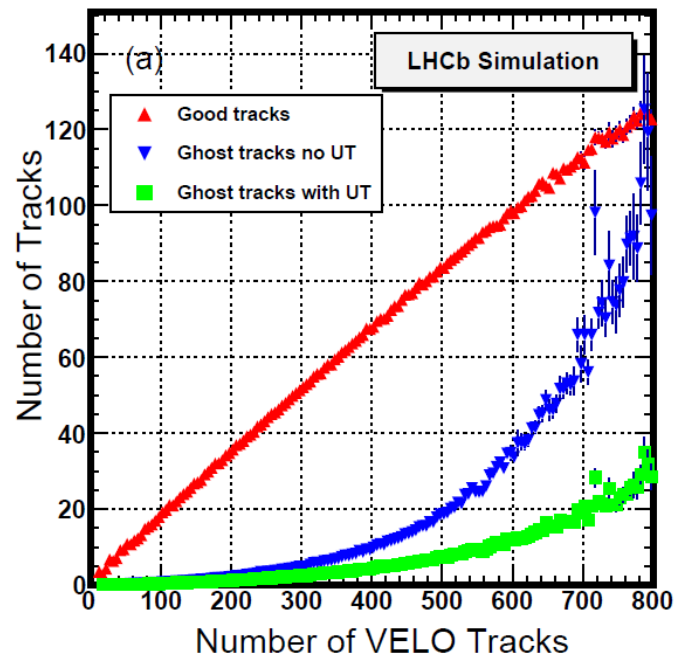
- ❑ All 3 tracking detectors are to be upgraded: Velo, UT, SciFi.

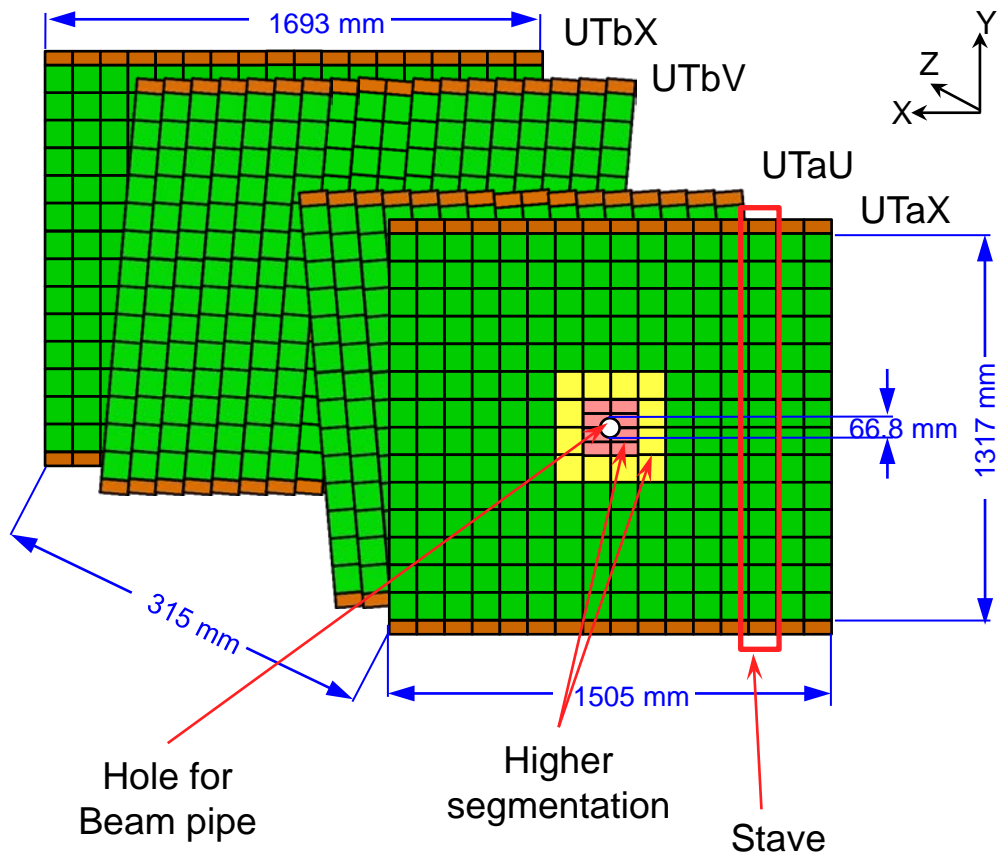


- ❖ UT (Upstream Tracker) is to replace the TT detector:
 - Silicon strip sensors of finer granularity to cope with increased particle density.
 - Improved coverage at small polar angles.
 - Signal processing & digitization in sensor proximity at 40 MHz rate.
 - Improved radiation hardness for at least 50 fb^{-1} data collection.

- ❖ UT in the LHCb tracking system

- Provide fast estimates of momentum in the software trigger.
- Increase reconstruction efficiency of long lived particles: e.g. $K_S^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$, $\Lambda \rightarrow p \pi^-$.







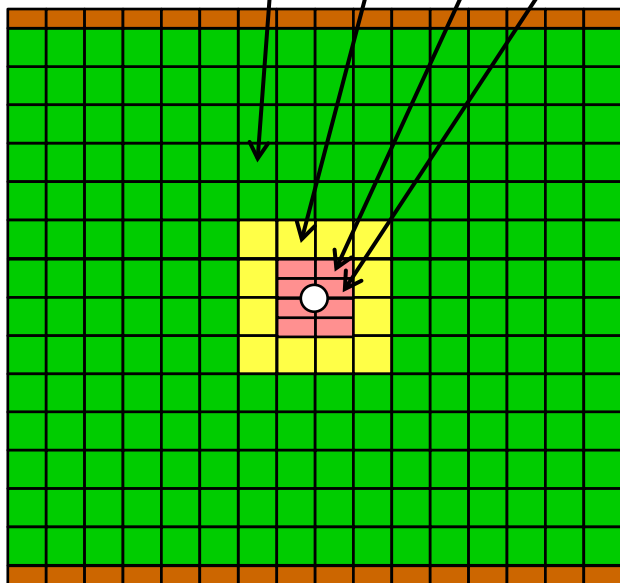


- ❑ 4 planes constructed using “staves” with silicon on both sides, partially overlapping in X direction to ensure 100% coverage.
- ❑ Measuring XUVX coordinates.
- ❑ Higher segmentation in the region surrounding the beam pipe.
- ❑ Inner detectors with circular cuts to maximize acceptance.
- ❑ Basic mechanical unit “stave”, total 68 UT staves.

Main constituents of UT detector are introduced in the order that follows signal data flow:

- 1) Silicon sensor,
- 2) SALT ASIC,
- 3) Flex cable,
- 4) Readout electronics,
- 5) Mechanical & cooling.

Sensor	 A	 B	 C	 D
Pitch (μm)	~190	~95	~95	~95
Length (mm)	~100	~100	~50	~50
Strips/sensor	512	1024	1024	1024
Number	888	48	16	16

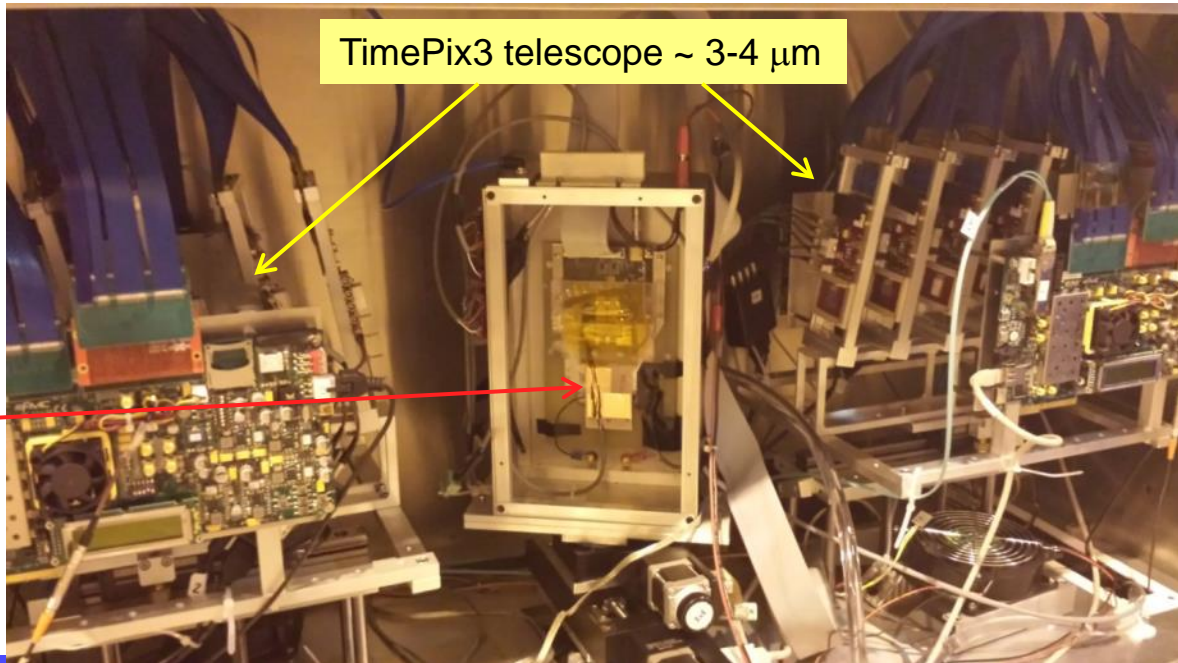


- ❖ Four different types of sensor.
- ❖ Sensor size: $\sim 100 \times 100 \text{ mm}^2$ (A & B), half length (C & D).
- ❖ Strip pitch: ~ 190 & $95 \mu\text{m}$.
- ❖ Guard rings: $800 \mu\text{m}$
- ❖ Thickness: $250 \mu\text{m}$ (maybe $320 \mu\text{m}$ for A)
- ❖ Wafer resistivity $3\text{-}5 \text{ K}\Omega \bullet \text{cm}$.
- ❖ n^+ -in-p technology (maybe p^+ -in-n for A).
- ❖ Sensor backside is passivated, & sensor is biased from front-side HV contact.
- ❖ Outer sensors (Type A) have much larger pitch than that of FE ASIC ($\sim 80 \mu\text{m}$). Pitch adapters are needed, embedded or off sensor.

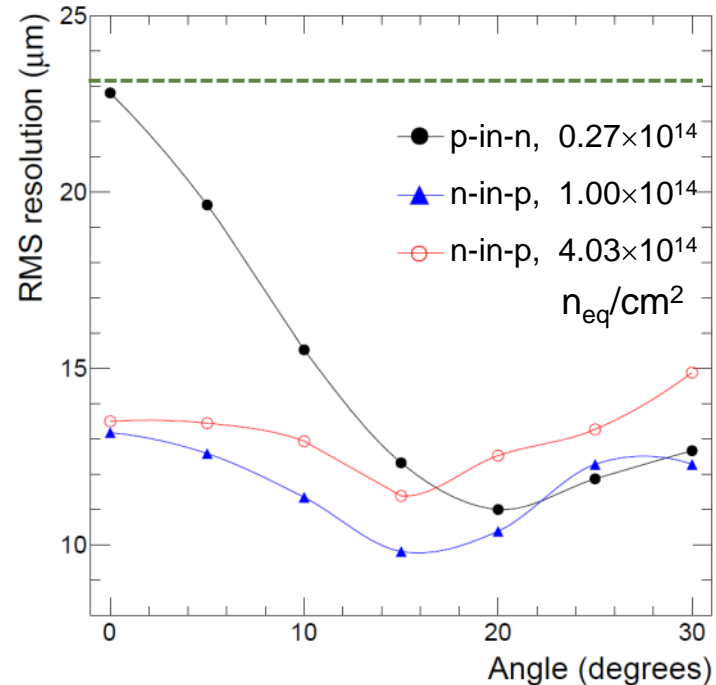
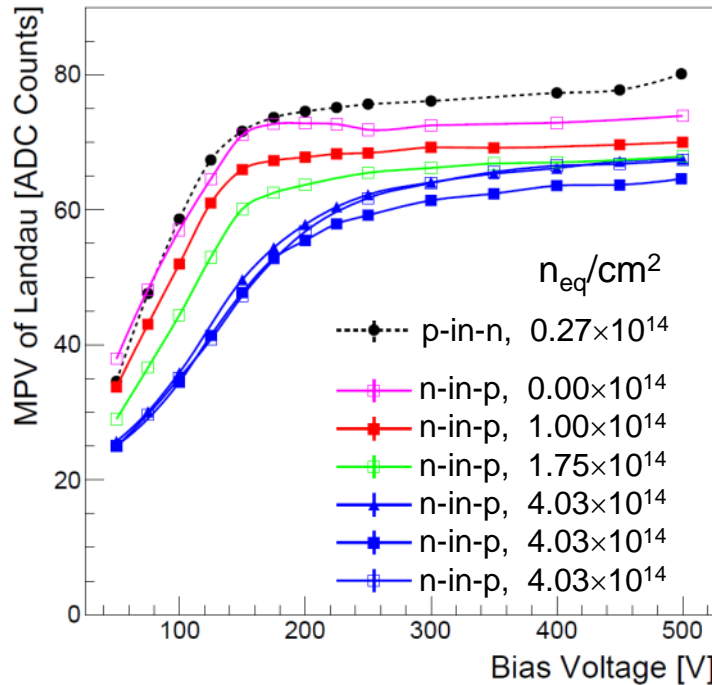


- Mini-sensors $\sim 1.1 \times 1.1 \text{ cm}^2$
- Both n^+ -in-p & p^+ -in-n types
- Strip pitch $80 \mu\text{m}$.
- Different guard ring structure near circular cut.

- ❖ Inner-most sensors need to sustain $\sim 5 \times 10^{14}$ 1-MeV $n_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$ fluence for 50 fb^{-1} running.
- ❖ Sensors were exposed to up to $\sim 4 \times 10^{14}$ $n_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$ at Mass. General Hospital in June 2014, and tested in a 180 GeV proton beam at CERN in Oct. 2014.



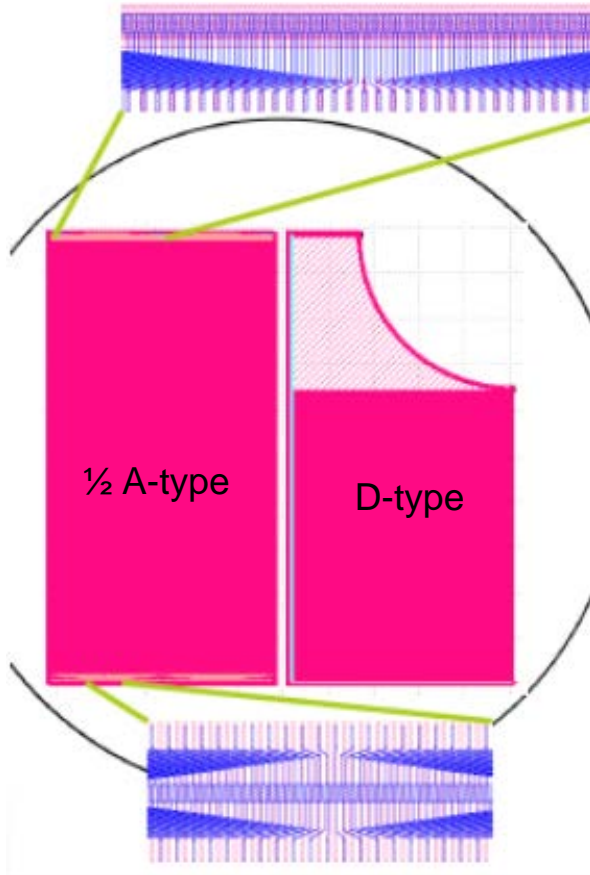
Mini sensors are read out by Beetle chips & Alibava DAQ system



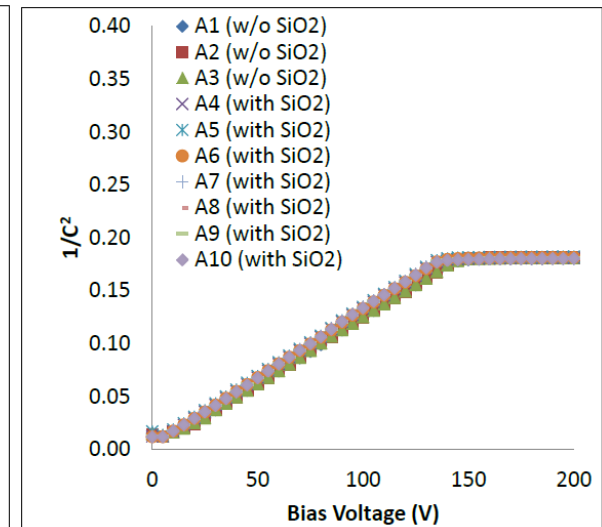
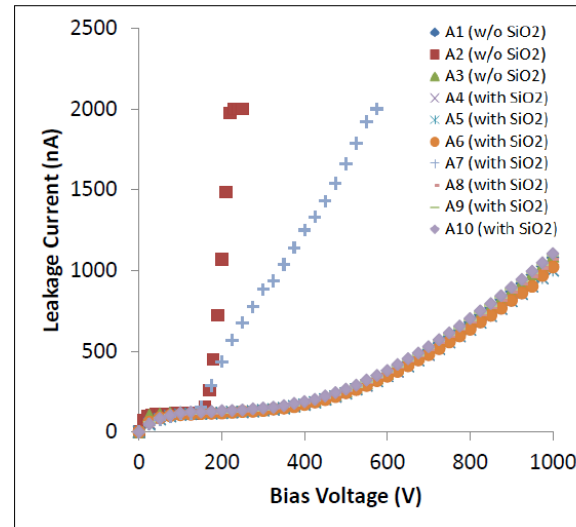
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- ❖ For the n⁺-in-p sensors, there is a gradual loss in total charge collected with increased radiation dose.
- ❖ All sensors reach plateaued @ 300-400V, S/N rate >~ 15. They should be efficient after 50 fb⁻¹ running ($5 \times 10^{14} n_{eq}/cm^2$).
- ❖ More charge sharing at normal incidence for irradiated n⁺-in-p sensors.

- ❖ What do we need to assess:
 - Functionalities of detectors (type D) with circular cut.
 - Performance of built-in pitch adapter for type A sensors.
 - In parallel glass pitch adapters to implement “external pitch adapter” solution in hand (produced by CNM)
- ❖ Evaluation of these devices will allow us to fix sensor sizes & constrain hybrid sizes.



IV, CV for 1/2 A sensors (D sensors are similar).

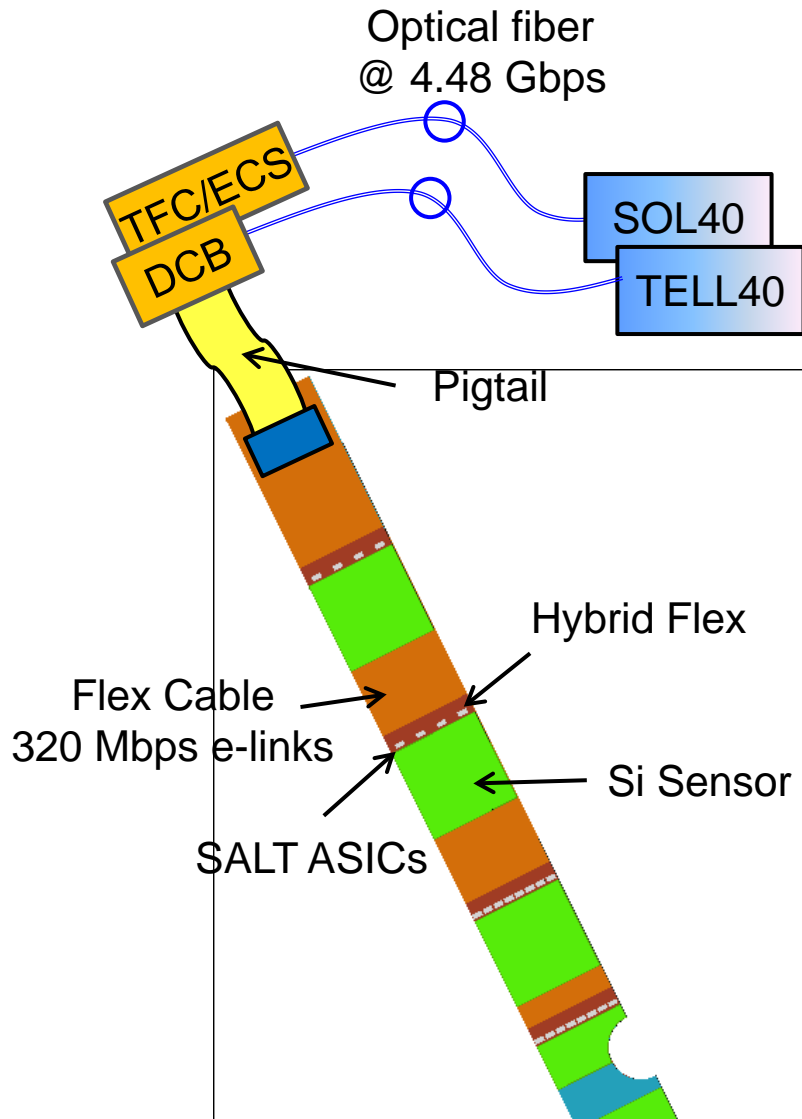


- ❖ Phase II prototype sensors were irradiated at CERN in May, and will be tested soon.
 - Type A sensors radiation dose ~ 1 MRad.
 - Type D sensors exposed to $\sim 5 \times 10^{14}$ n_{eq}/cm^2 (40 MRad).

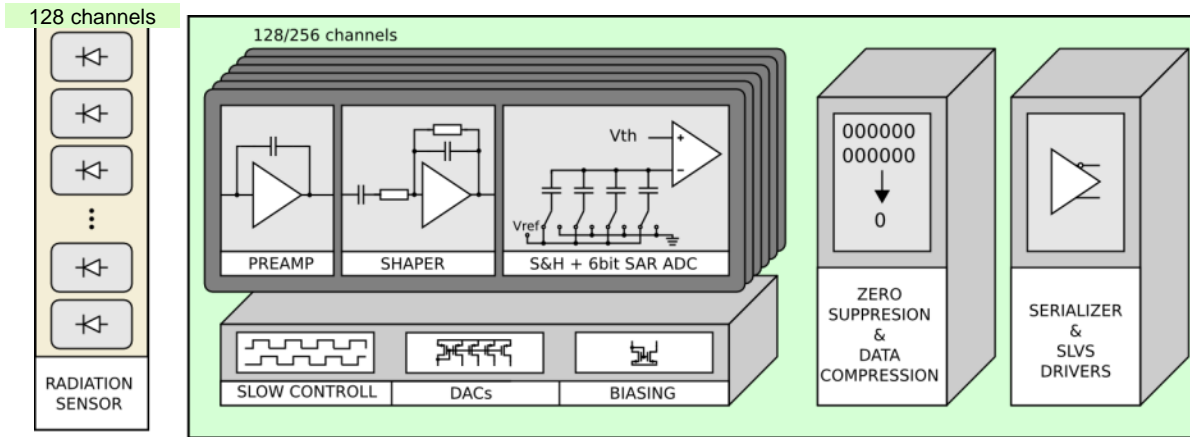
- ❖ The irradiated sensors and un-irradiated reference sensors will be tested in proton beam at CERN this July.

- ❖ We want to learn:
 - Will the embedded pitch adapter work properly after 1 MRad irradiation?
 - Performance of type D sensor near the cutout.
 - Validate backside passivation and biasing scheme.

- ❖ As type A sensors $\sim 92\%$ of all sensors, we plan to submit RFQ of type A in August and start production if the performance is satisfactory.



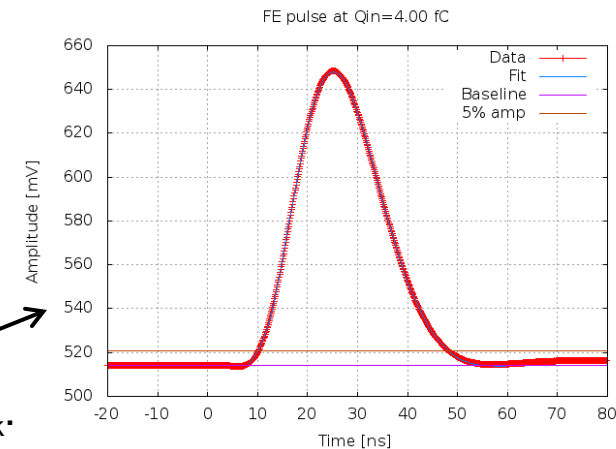
- ❑ UT signals from silicon strips are digitized and zero suppressed at ASICs (4 or 8 ASICs/sensor).
- ❑ ASIC sends out data as SLVS signals via 3-5 e-ports / e-links @320 Mbps in the flex cable.
- ❑ DCB (data concentrator board) receives data, packs passively into a GBT frame, converts into optical signal & sends to TELL40.
- ❑ TFC (timing & fast control) signals are sent similarly but in reverse direction and ECS (experiment control system) signal bi-directional.



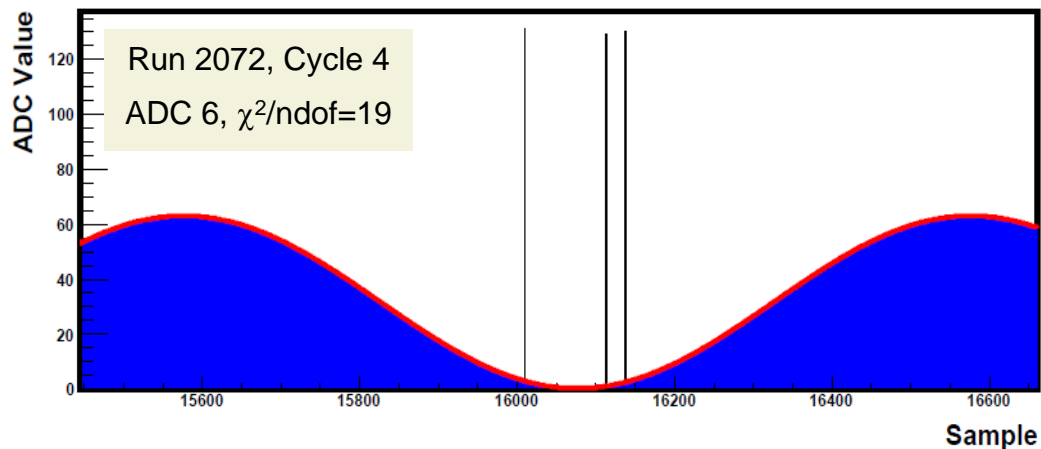
SALT – custom design for UT.

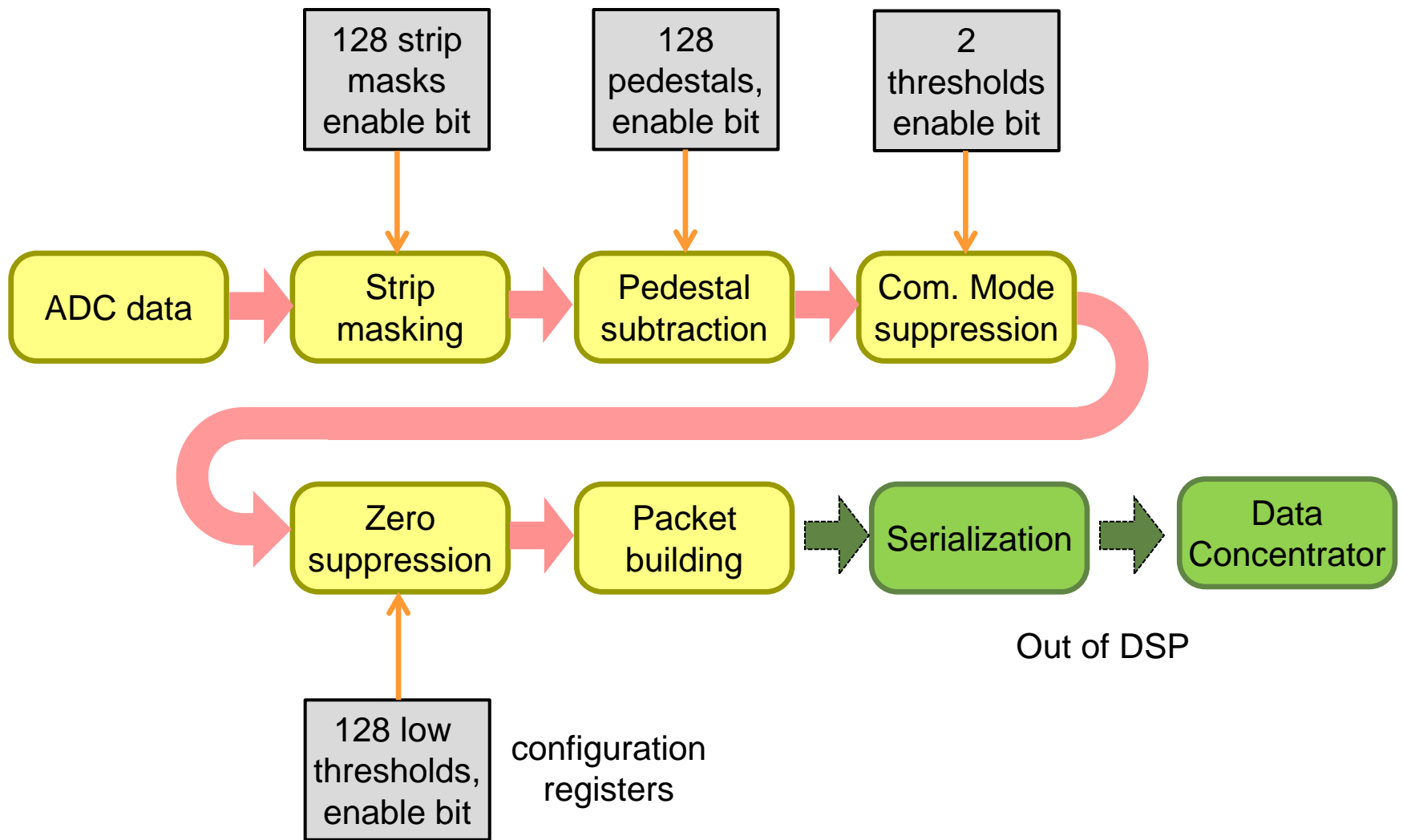
Preamp-shaper prototype

- ❖ CMOS 130 nm technology (IBM, TSMC).
- ❖ 128 channels, per channel preamplifier & 6-bit ADC.
- ❖ Sensor capacitance 5-20 pF, AC coupled.
- ❖ Dynamic range ~ 30 ke, both input signal polarities.
- ❖ Noise: ENC ~ 1000 e @ 10 pF + 50 e / pF.
- ❖ Pulse shape: $T_{peak} < 25$ ns, short tail ~5% @ $25ns + T_{peak}$.
- ❖ DSP functions: pedestal, common mode subtraction, zero-suppression.
- ❖ Serialization & data transmission via 320 Mbps e-ports.
- ❖ Power consumption < 6 mW / channel.



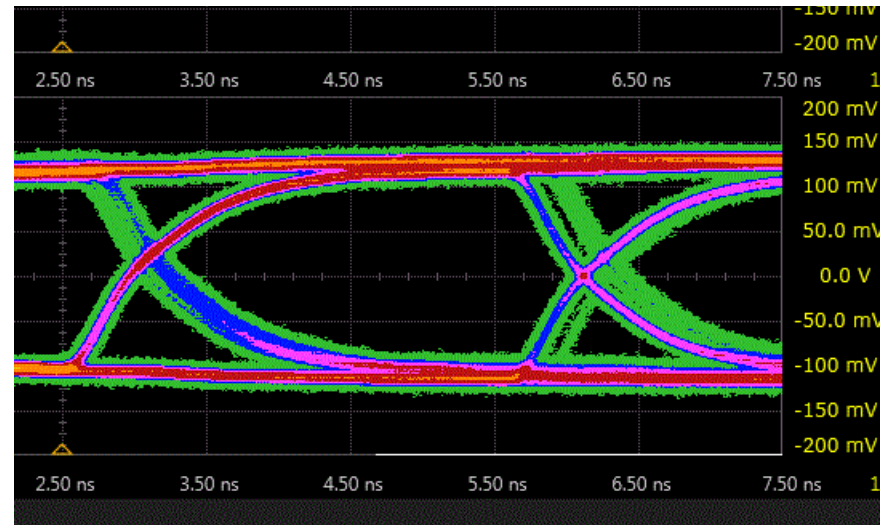
- ❖ SALT chip uses 6-bit SAR (*successive-approximation-register*) ADC, which is more susceptible to SEUs.
- ❖ A prototype 8-channel ADC (from IBM) was tested in 226 & 60 MeV proton beams at MGH in June 2014.
- ❖ Beam intensity: radiation level from \sim LHCb running to $\times 1000$ to boost statistics.
- ❖ A 40 KHz sine wave signal was injected & digitized at 40 Msps. A SEU sample can be identified by comparing measurement against expectation from fit.
- ❖ A few SEU candidates were observed from 2×10^8 samples. \Rightarrow Whole UT system has $\sim 7 \times 10^{-6}$ SEU channels per bunch crossing in LHCb nominal running.



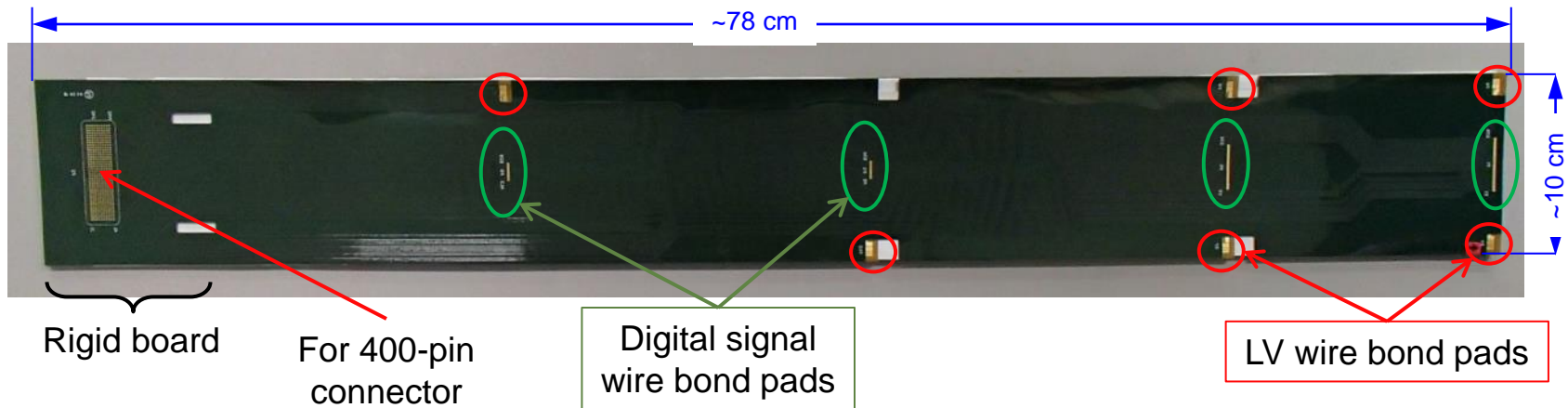


- ❖ Performance of SALT prototype functional blocks (by IBM) with separate analog and digital functions meet the specifications.
- ❖ SALT8 prototype ASICs from TSMC were delivered this April, which has 8 input channels and full digital functions.
- ❖ The ASICs are currently under test to verify functionalities & performance. Radiation tests for SEU rate & TID effect are in plan.
- ❖ The ASICs will also be used in UT electronics slice tests to validate the whole readout chain.
- ❖ The next submission will be 128-channel ASIC with full digital functions (Nov 2015).

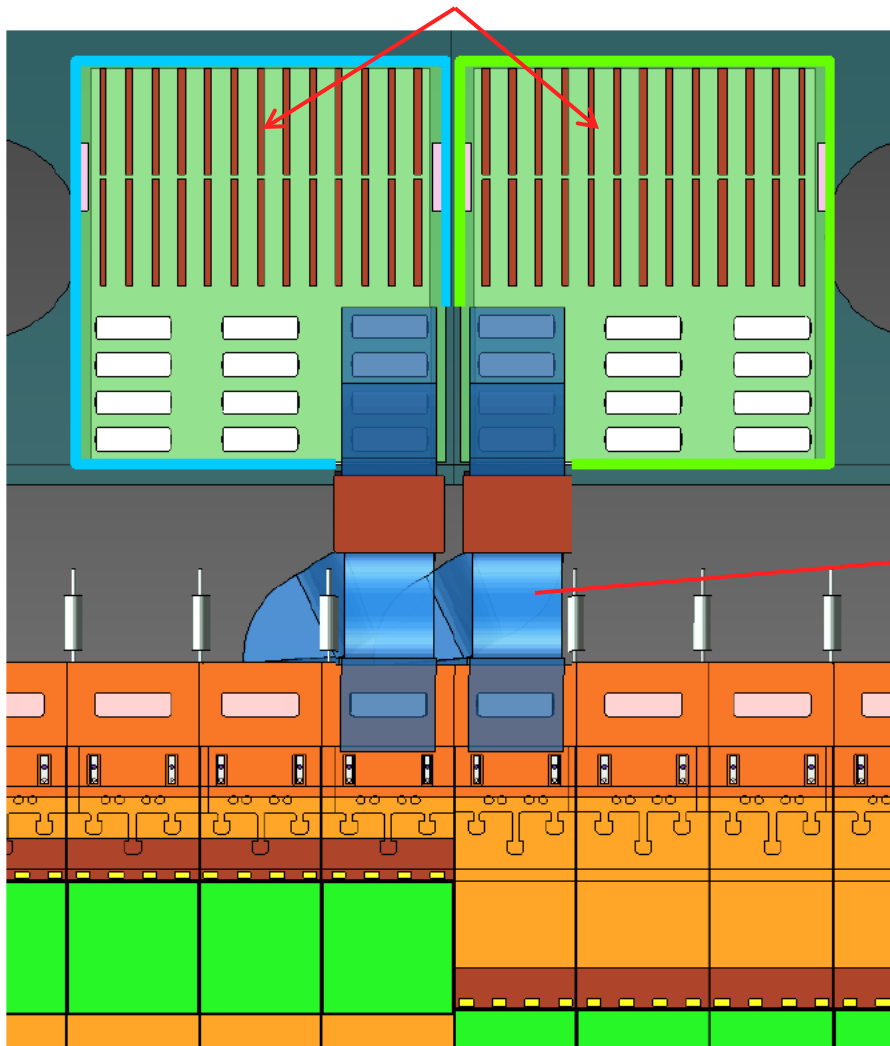
- ❖ 4 flex cables per stave for digital signals (up to ~240/cable), LV & HV powers.
- ❖ Requirements:
 - Signal integrity.
 - Low material budget.
 - LV round trip drop < 0.5 V (for ~2.5A).
- ❖ 1st iteration cables made, single pair signal quality OK, low yield in production.
- ❖ 2nd generation design is submitted and will be produced at CERN.



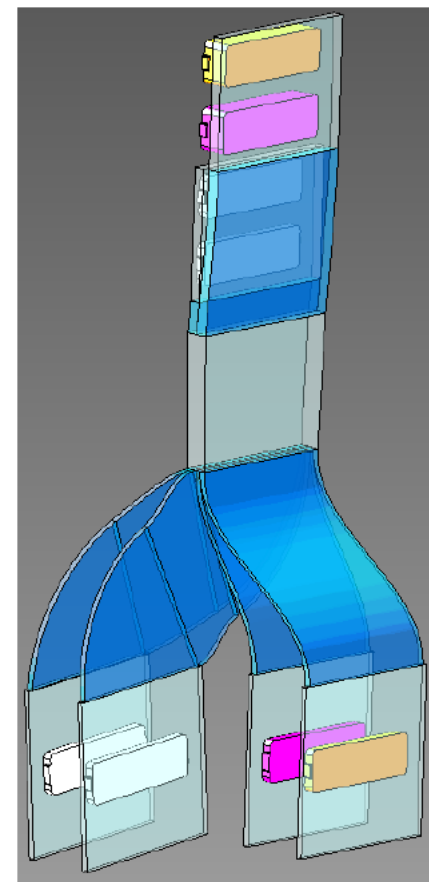
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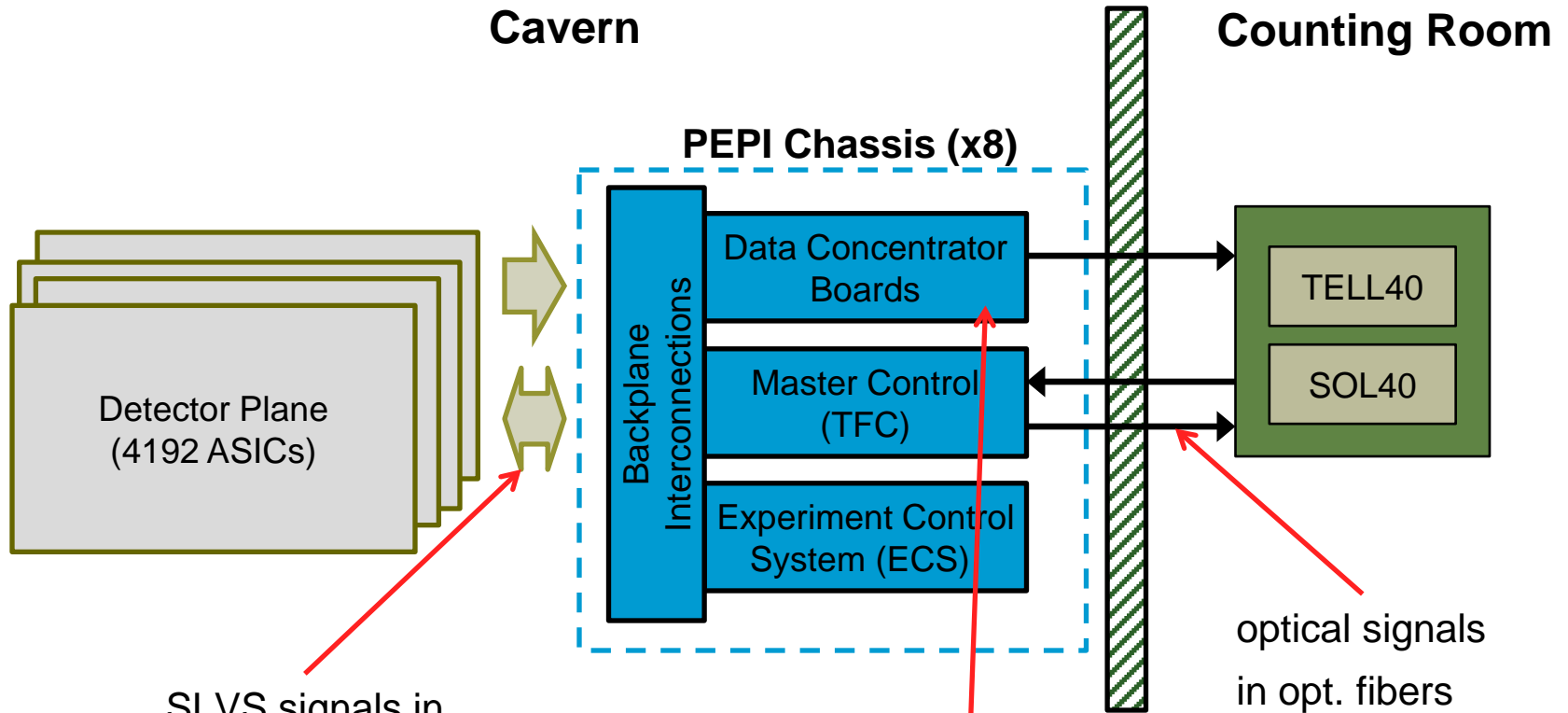


Back planes for DCB & TFC/ECS boards



Pigtails to connect back plane and flex cables on staves

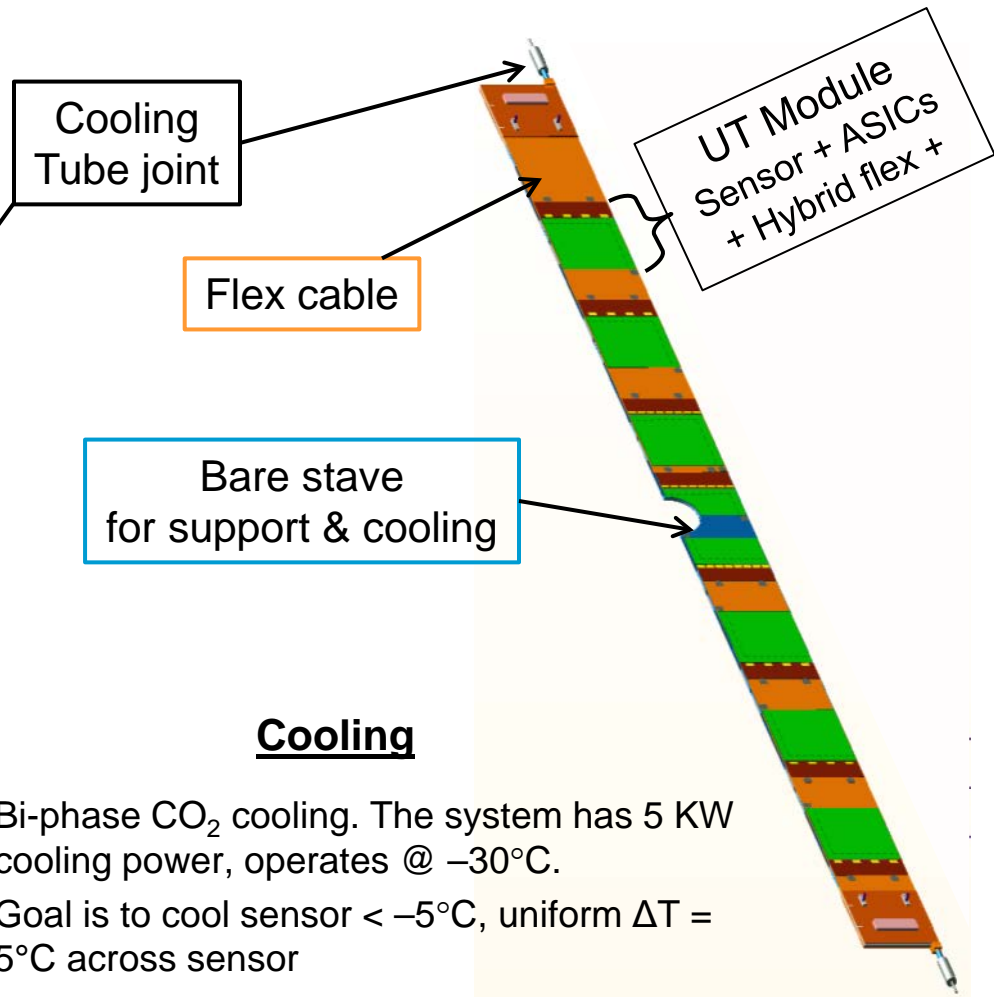
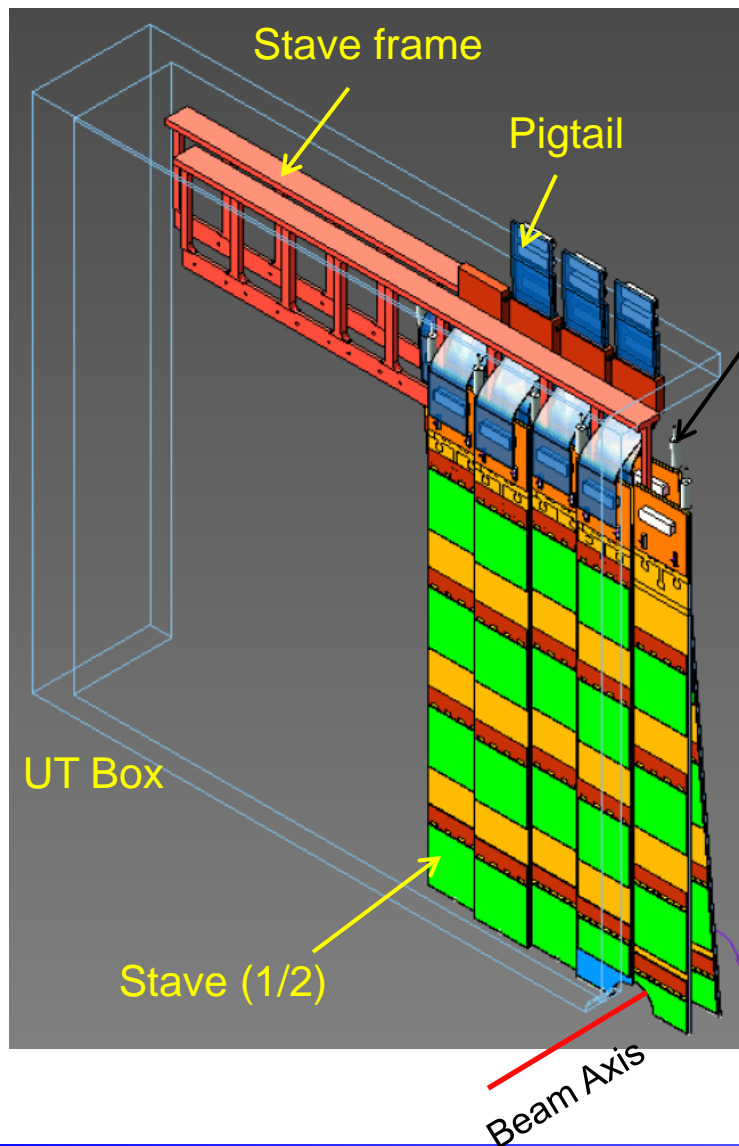




SLVS signals in
Flex cable + pigtail

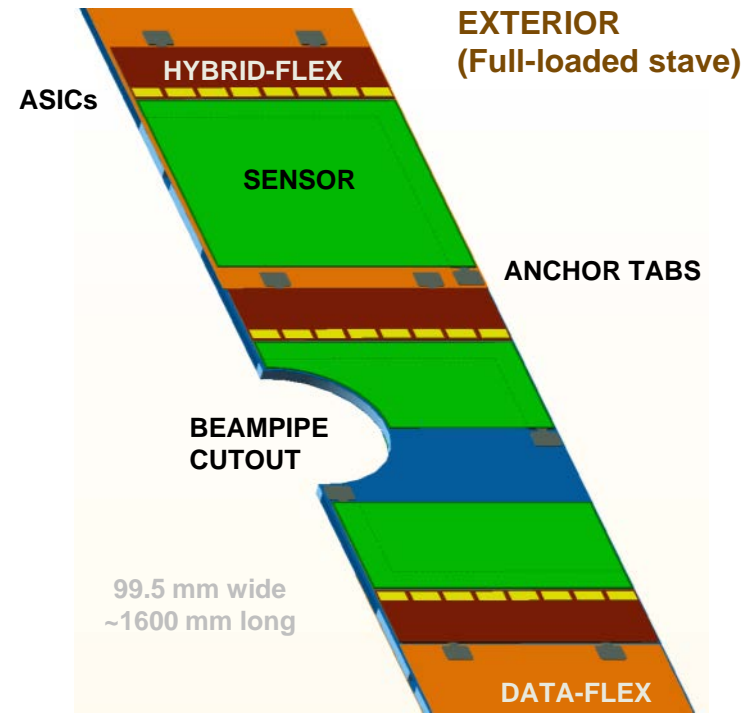
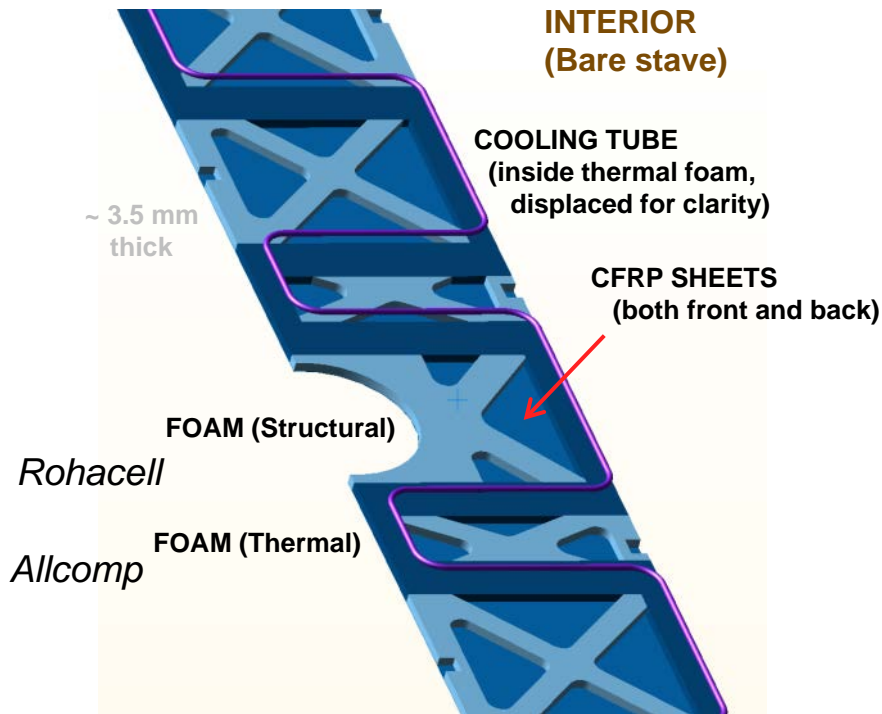
optical signals
in opt. fibers

- ❑ GBTx packs data from max 14 e-links to 112 bits wide GBT frame data.
- ❑ Versatile link (VTTX) converts data to optical signals.



Cooling

- ❖ Bi-phase CO₂ cooling. The system has 5 KW cooling power, operates @ -30°C.
- ❖ Goal is to cool sensor < -5°C, uniform ΔT = 5°C across sensor
- ❖ Prototype test on a fully powered central stave shows that the goal is easily achievable with current stave cooling design.

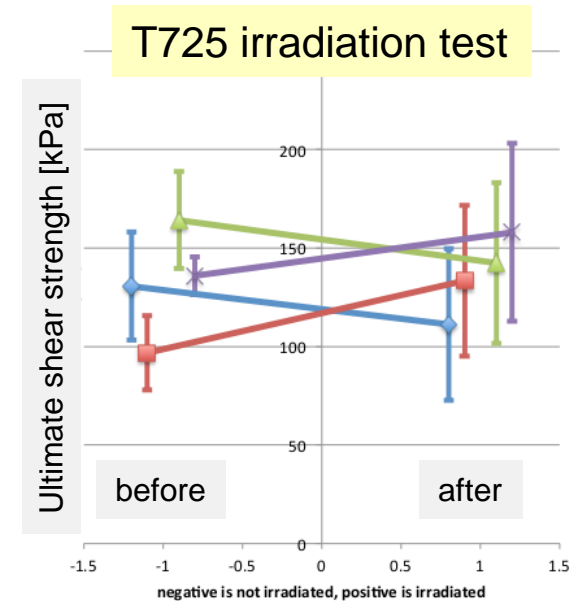


- ❖ 2 CFRP (Carbon fiber reinforce polymer) face sheets attached to foam core, forming a sandwich structure, all epoxy construction.
- ❖ Ti cooling tube is embedded in the thermal foam: 2.275 mm OD, 135 um wall.
- ❖ Cooling tube in “snake” shape to make run under all ASICs.

- ❖ Thermflow T725 epoxy
 - Reworkable epoxy (phase changing thermal interface material) for module to stave.
 - Measured ultimate shear strength, before & after irradiation (40 MRad) – OK.
 - Tested in low-temp – no change.

- ❖ Ti tube fittings
 - Braze (AgCu) vs epoxy (Araldit 2011 / Armstrong A12).
 - Pressure-tested samples before & after irradiation (100 kRad) – OK to 150 bar
 - Low-temp tests – in progress

- ❖ Rohacell structural foam
 - Measured ultimate tensile strength & ultimate shear strength.
 - Irradiated to 40 MRad, to be tested
 - Low-temp tests – in progress



Sensor: -5°C , $\Delta T=5^{\circ}\text{C}$

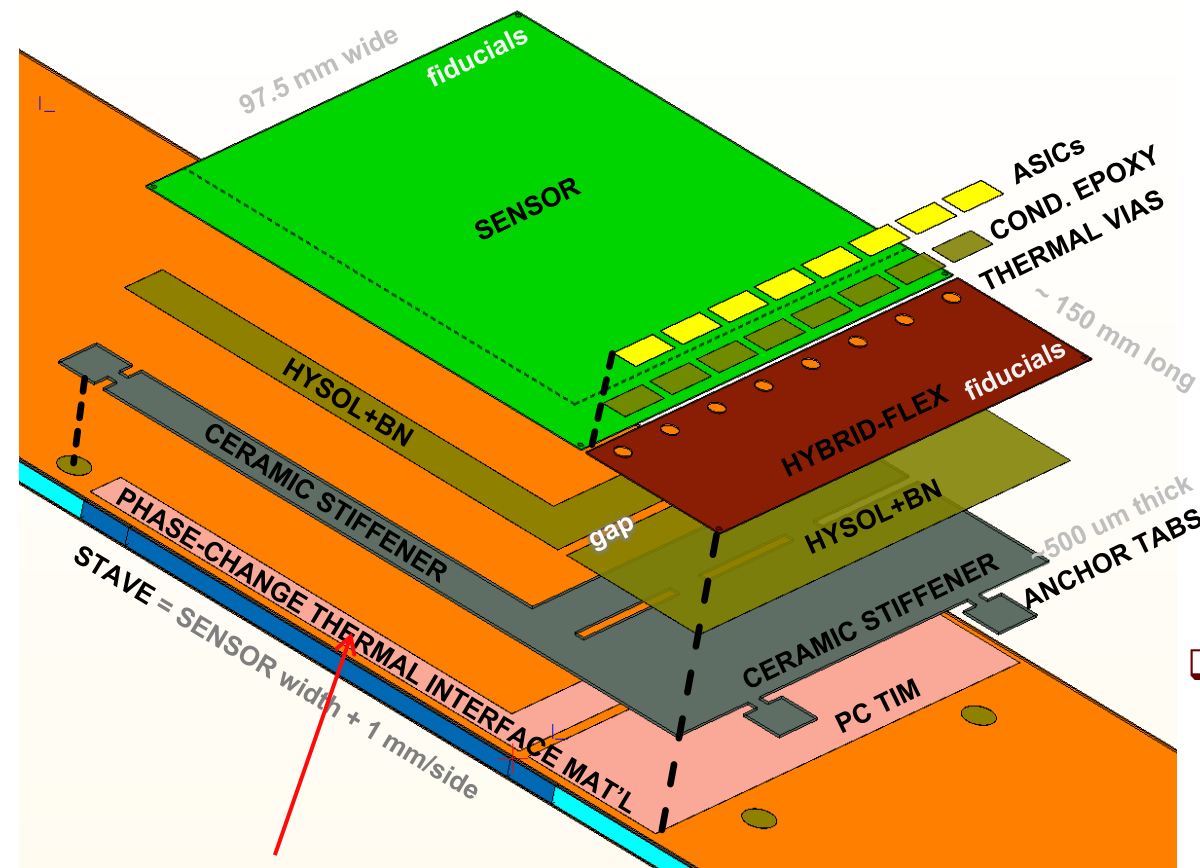
Bias: up to 500 V

□ Requirement:

- Provide connection between ASICs & flex cable.
- Protect wire bonds during testing and handling.
- Maximize heat transfer from ASICs to stave, minimize heat transfer to sensor.
- Isolate sensor bias from stave facings (ground).
- Stiffener CTE match to Si. Not to over-constrain sensor, allows for bow.

□ Design options:

- Hybrid flex + Pyrolytic BN ceramic stiffener (500 μm).
- AlN ceramics (250 μm) + multilayer printed traces.

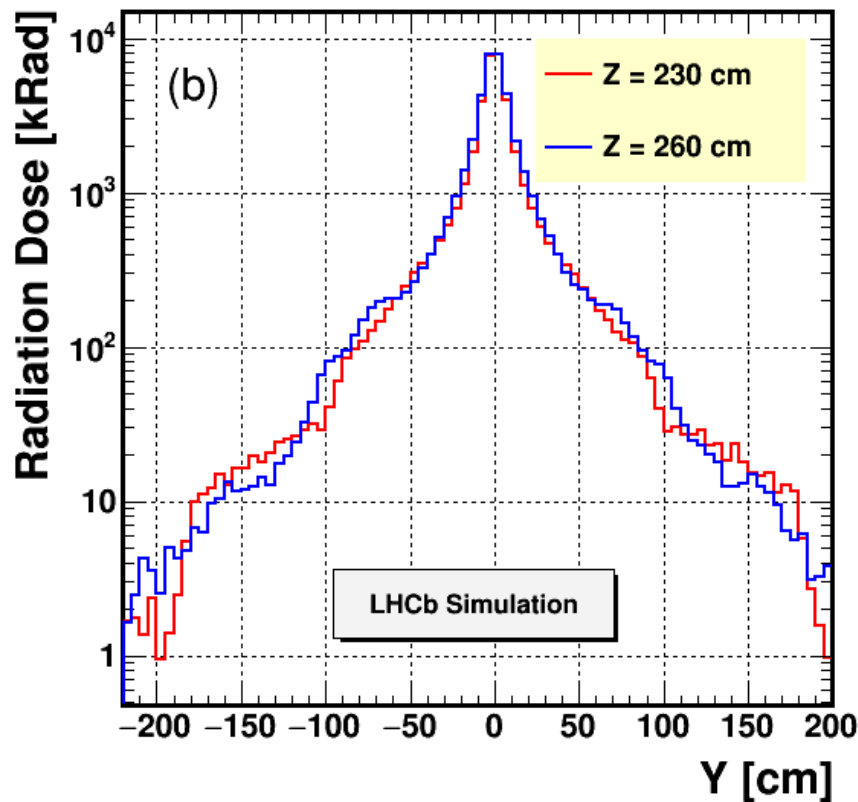
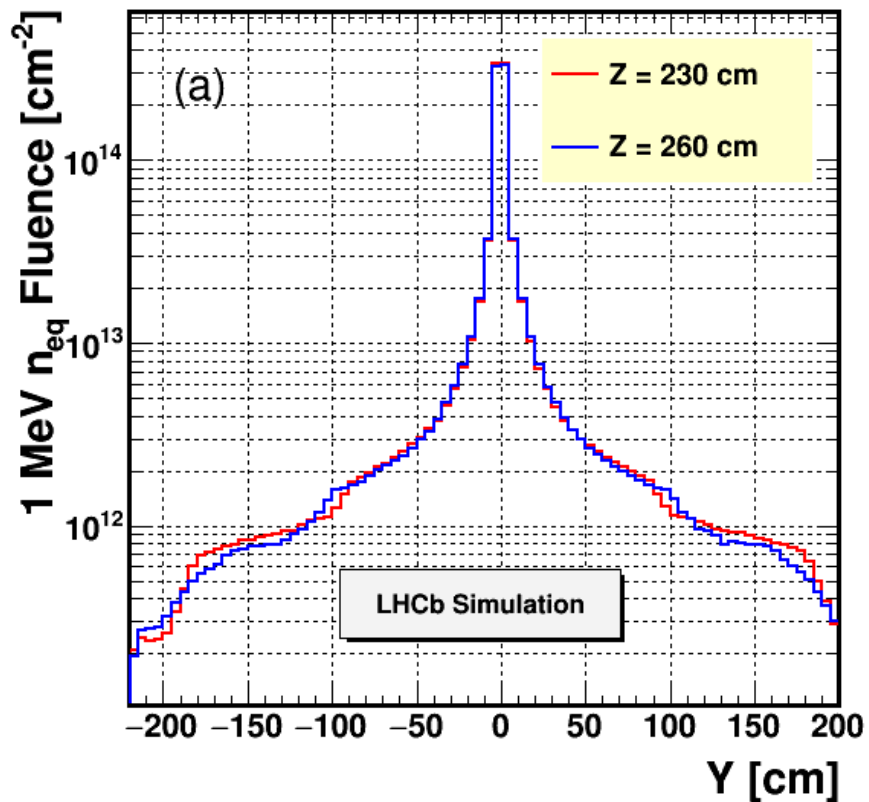


Reworkable epoxy

- ❖ UT is silicon strip tracker to replace the TT detector in the LHCb upgrade. It has better granularity, front end electronics in sensor proximity, & taking data at 40 MHz rate.
- ❖ R&D work is in advanced stage and will transit to construction in a staged manner starting with “bare stave” assembly.
- ❖ Preproduction of Si sensor will start soon, first the type A sensor (majority of detector coverage).
- ❖ An active program of test beam studies of subsystems with increasing complexity will validate all the aspects of the design. Focus in year 2015 is on irradiated detectors.
- ❖ UT installation will start in Jan 2019.

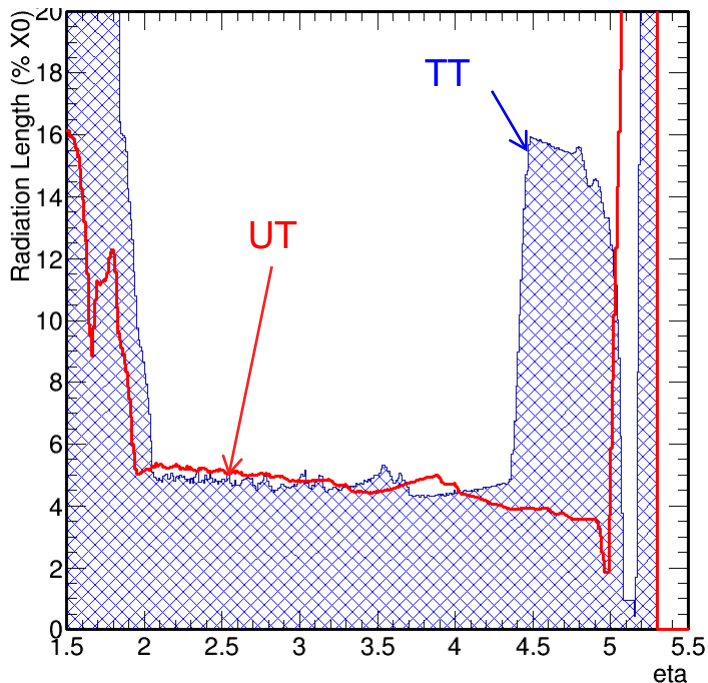
Backup Slides

Integral over 50 fb⁻¹

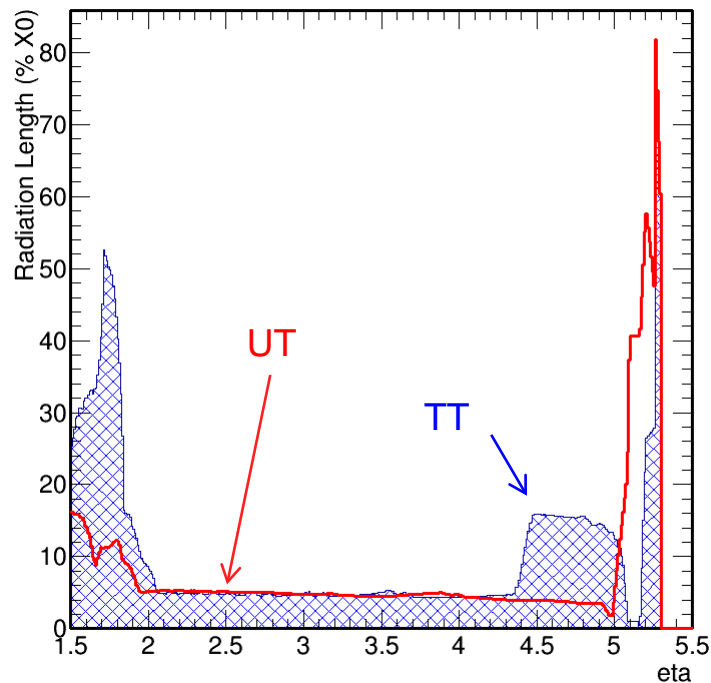


- ❖ Sensor closest to beam: ~ 40 MRad, or $\sim 5 \times 10^{14}$ n_{eq}/cm^2 fluence.
- ❖ Sensor cooled to -5°C , bias voltage up to 500 V.
- ❖ Closest readout ASIC: ~ 20 MRad.

Radiation Length(% X₀), Z(mm) = 2270 - 2700

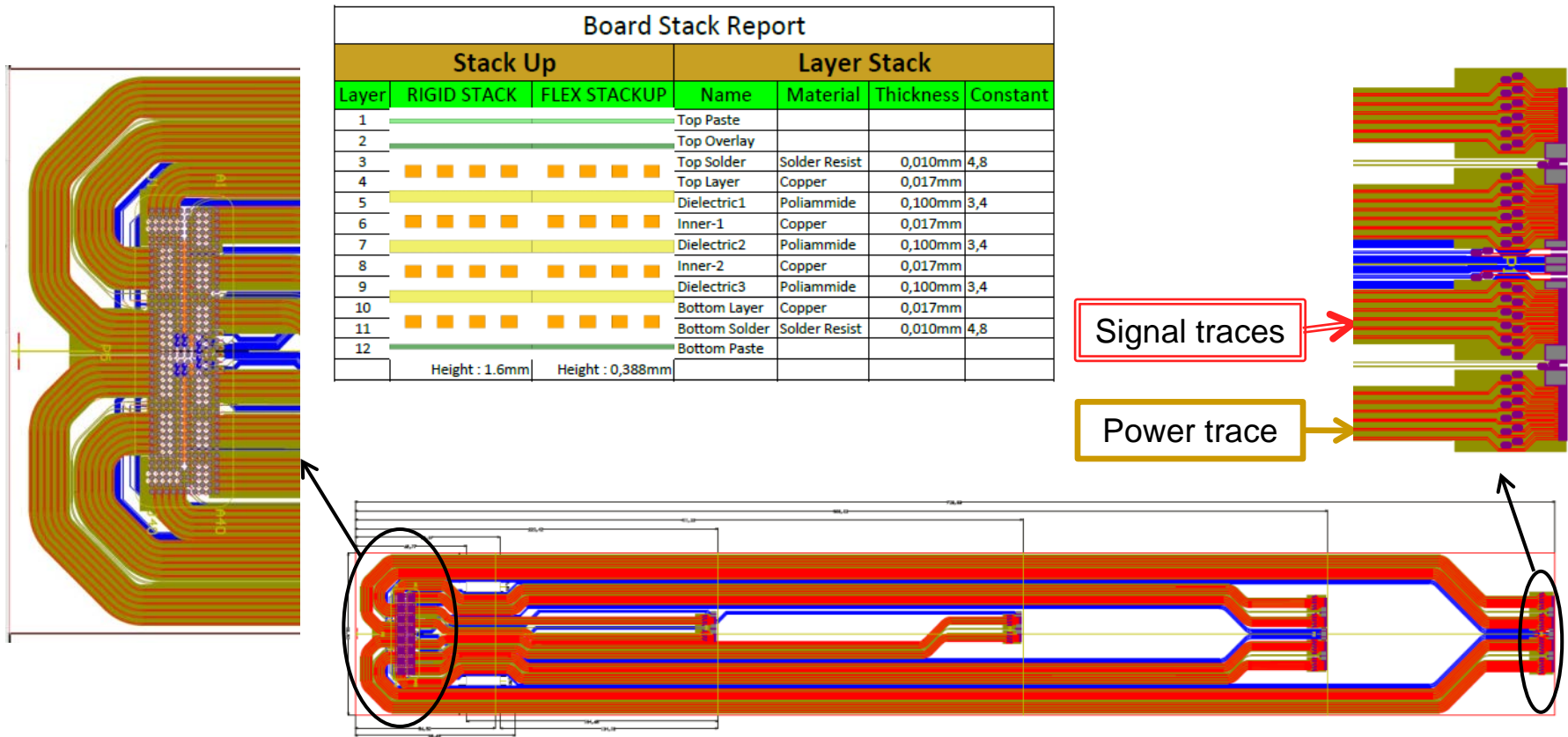


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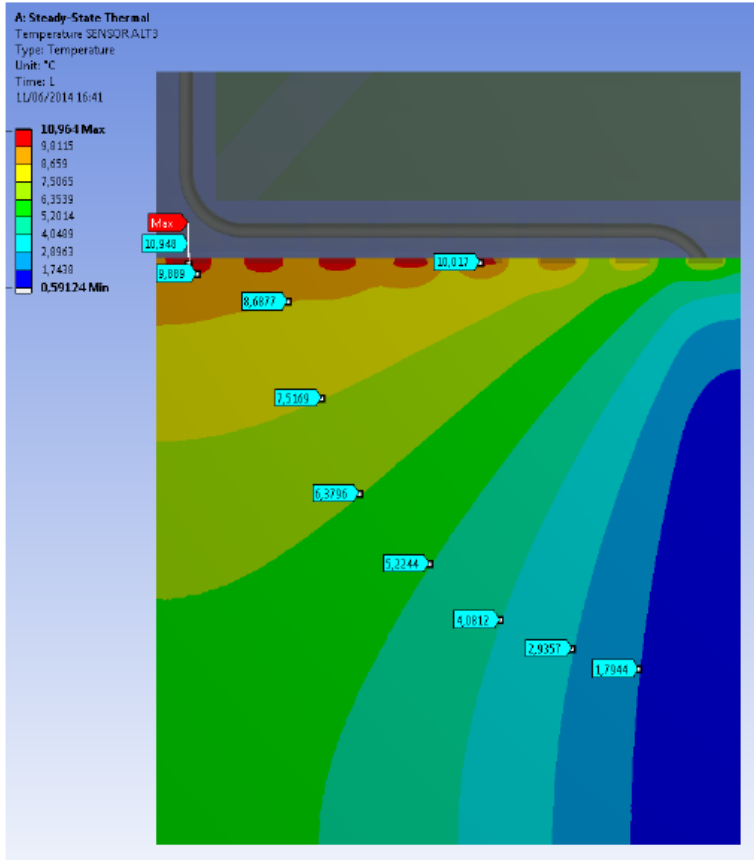


- Radiation length between Z=2270-2700 mm, including 0.14% X₀ of air, 0.34% of UT box.
- The total radiation length between 2<η<4.9 in the new UT release (2) is 4.6% X₀. RL per UT plane is 1.02% X₀.
- Beam jacket is from the current best design. The overall $\int RL \cdot d\eta = 7.02\% X_0$ in this design, slightly smaller than 7.49% X₀ in the TT design. More importantly, it occupies much smaller angle (η>5), instead of (4.4 < η < 5) where tracks are used in physics study.

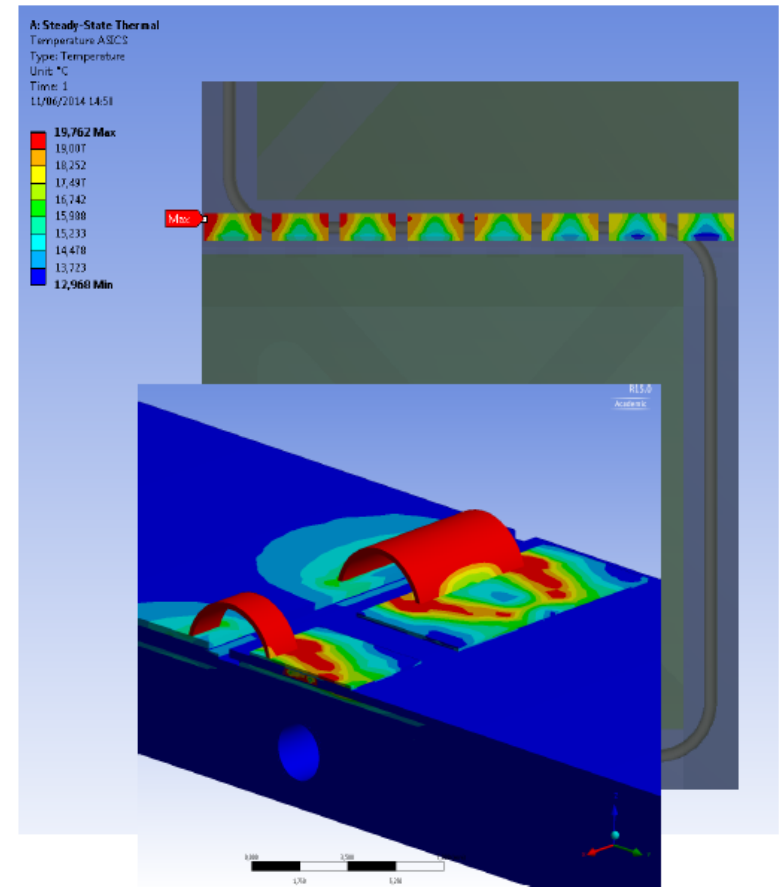
- ❖ The 2nd generation design is submitted and will be produced at CERN.
- ❖ 4 conductive layers: 2 for signals, 1 for LV power, 1 for test purpose.
- ❖ Signal traces run on top of power traces all the way for better impedance uniformity.



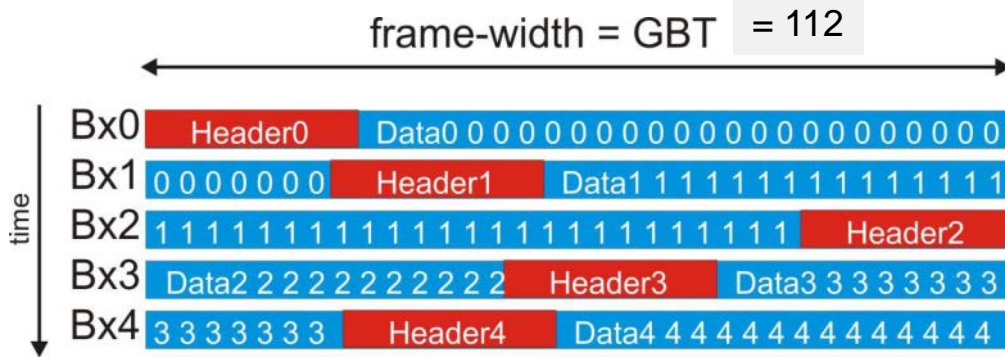
sensor temperature



ASICs temperature

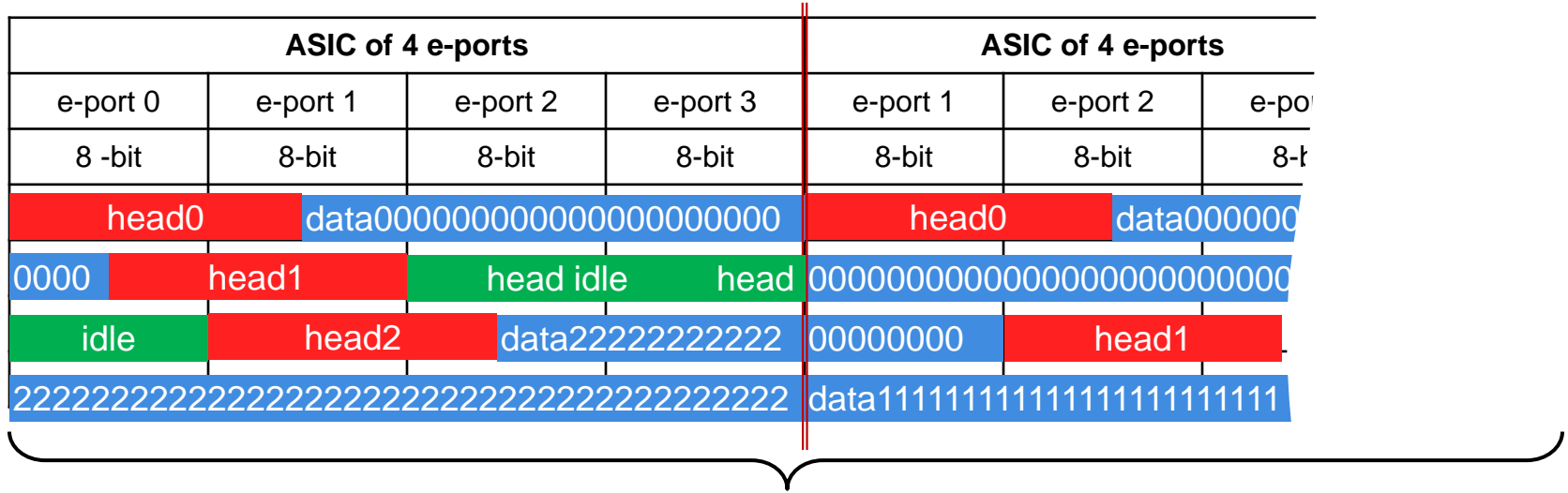


UT GBT Sub-Frame Format



From “Electronics Architecture of the LHCb Upgrade”
<http://cds.cern.ch/record/1340939>

UT ASICs are independent. E-ports within an ASIC send data coherently. Each ASIC data form its own GBT sub-frame.



Up to 14 e-ports per GBTx