

Digital Calorimetry within FCCSW

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Digital Calorimetry: The Concept

- Dates back to c.2005 work within CALICE
- Make a pixelated calorimeter to count the number of particles in each sampling layer
- Ensure that the particles are small enough to avoid multiple particles passing through a single pixel to avoid undercounting and non-linear response in high particle density environments

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- Digital variant of ILD ECAL would require 10¹² channels
- Essential to keep dead area and power consumption per channel to a minimum

Analogue: 5mm pitch

DetFCChhECalDigital Geometry

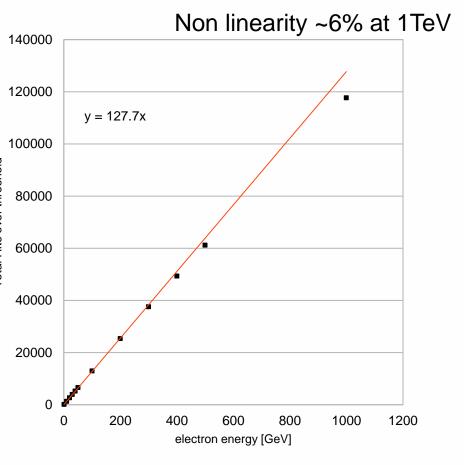
- □ Started from DetFCChhECalSimple
- Modified ECAL barrel inner radius to 1700 mm (as discussed at the last meeting)
- □ Removed cryostat as not required for SiW calorimeter
- Modified geometry such that there are four repeated volumes per module
 - epitaxial (sensitive)
 - Silicon substrate
 - Tungsten
 - Air gap
- Ability to change materials and thicknesses of these layers from xml file
- □ Ability to change the number of modules from xml file

DetFCChhECalDigital Readout

- Started from SimpleCalorimeterSD
- Sum all the energy deposited in a cell (aka AggregateCalorimeterSD)
- Added an "EndOfEvent" function to SD class so can apply a threshold to the hits
- Currently score
 - Number of pixels above threshold
 - Number of particle per pixel (for pile-up non linearity studies)
 - Energy deposited (to allow threshold studies to be applied)
- Need to pass this to the proper readout chain (next job to do)

First linearity checks

- 15um Si epitaxial layer
- 450um Si substrate П
- 3.5 mm W as absorber
- 0mm air gap (all sqashed
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- در source letal < 0.1 Segmentation XYZ used at 50x50x50um grid t correct but h ilable * available this far in FCCSW
- Anna is working on a better solution 😳



Currently debugging strange behaviour in energy resolution

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Conclusions

□ Lots of work still to do but good progress has been made.

- Basic Geometry and readout implemented
- Need to pass my output to ROOT files
- Investigating strange behaviour regarding the energy resolution and "reflections" in Geant4 (observed in MOKKA, standalone, and FCCSW)
- Currently we get 6% deviation from linearity at 1TeV but expect this to improve with better segmentation
- 30 layer DECAL with 50x50um pixels, starting at 1700 mm leads to 2.12e12 channels in the barrel
- □ Thank you again to all who have helped me!