



Gaseous detectors Task 13.4.7 MPGD detectors to industry

Preparation for large series production: standard production protocols of optimized MPGD components to ease technology dissemination

(project leader : Fabien Jeanneau)

Gaseous detectors Task 13.4.2 **Resistive anode Micromegas**

Preparation for large series production: procedures and tools for large series resistive micromegas anodes

(project leader : Stephan Aune)

These two tasks are very interrelated. The Resistive Anode task has a deliverable now (D13.7 for M24)

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P. Iengo, RD51, Feb 2017 The ATLAS New Small Wheel project

 Upgrade of the innermost forward detector wheels of the ATLAS muon system during LHC Long Shutdown 2 (2019/2020)



- 2 wheels ~10 m diameter
- 2 detector technologies both with triggering and tracking capabilities:
 - Micromegas: primary tracking detector
 - sTGC: primary trigger detector
- High redundancy: 8 sTGC and 8 MM layers arranged in quadruplets

- NSW requirements
 - Spatial resolution up to 32° track inclination 100 um in precision coordinate (η) ~mm in azimuthal coordinate (φ)
 - 1 mrad angular resolution (from HL-LHC L1 trigger requirement)
 - Bunch crossing identification
 - Efficiency > 98%
 - Rate capability > 15 kHz/cm2



R&D – KNOW HOW TRANSFER

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→ Know-how transfer to ELVIA-PCB since several years LARGE MICROMEGAS FOR NSW (ATLAS MUON CHAMBERS)





End 2015

March 2016



Transfer in progress





- E-005-Y

E-005-XY

470 480 490 HV_{mesh} [V]

FI VIA

440 450 460



440 450 460

- C-001-X

C-001-Y

- C-001-X

470 480 490 HV_{mesh} [V] First operational prototypes in 2015 Now NSW under construction

Compatible performance between Cern and Elvia prototypes

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MPROVEMENT OF THE QUALITY



Enclosures and bubbles



- Confirmed expansion as mostly related to humidity level (small effect of T)
- Saturation at ~+450µm/m

PRODUCTION – QUALITY CONTROL

Now ELTOS and ELVIA are doing the production and CERN is doing the QC

Quality Control Workflow – QC Lab in 188





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PRODUCTION – QUALITY CONTROL



Logistics of Readout PCBs



material stored at CERN and distributed as needed (FR4, resistive foils, coverlay, silver paste)

Elvia 1296 boards (LM1, LM2, SM2 Eta) Eltos 884 boards (SM1, SM2 Stereo)

- $\rightarrow\,$ regular shipping to CERN O(50) boards
- counting & registration of all boards
- in depth quality control of all boards
 - dimensions & mechanical accuracy
 - electric integrity & HV stability
 - long-term stability
- acceptance/rejection decision
- board quality summary for each individual board
- drilling of precision holes

aggregation & packaging

ship to constructions sites or prepare for pick-up

February 6 2017 Jona Bortfeldt (CERN) - Micromegas Readout PCB Quality Control

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produced Dec. 2016 to Feb. 2018 telephone calls every second day visits every four weeks

central logistics database up to 2h per board

CERN RO PCB QC database





1st muon telescope with multiplexed Micromegas



- → 1st use of MM tracker outside
 - Temperatures fluctuations from 11 to 43°C
 - Online feedback on T (P)
- \rightarrow FEU from Clas12
- \rightarrow Self-trigger mode
- → Miniaturized CAEN HV modules
- \rightarrow Nano-PC (Hummingboard)
 - Set & monitor HV
 - Acquisition & storage
- → Compact electronic system
- \rightarrow 30 W of consumption
- \rightarrow 3.5 months of data taking
 - Including 1.5 on battery + solar boards
- S. Bouteille, S. Procureur et al. Large resisitve 2D Micromegas with genetic multiplexing ...





S. Bouteille, S. Procureur et al. A Micromegas-based telescope for muon tomography: the WatTo experiment

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- full test to obtain a gain homogeneity and efficiency map, identify dead channels and noisy channels
- Use of cosmic bench made out of Micromegas multiplexed detectors for the M3 projet at Saclay
- 12 Micromegas detectors
 (0.5 x 0.5 m2) with DREAM
 electronics
- Scan LM1 module in 5 steps with DREAM electronics

IMPROVEMENT OF RELIABILITY : INTERPLAY CLAS12/NSW



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Why the bubbles ?

Rui's explanation :

- The Silver paste hole is not fully filled
- Outgassing of the silver paste filled the hole
- With HV, a corona effect starts in the hole
- Bubbles starts migrating through the photoresist
- This creates the short between mesh (ground) and the resistive layer (HV)



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THE WA105 PROJECT AT CERN







3.3 m

5.8 m

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- •THE 3M³ PROTOTYPE IS BEING ASSEMBLED IN BLDG. 182 AT CERN
- AIM TO VALIDATE THE TECHNICAL SOLUTIONS FOR THE 300T WA105 DEMONSTRATOR (UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT PREVESSIN)
- COMMISSIONNING DELAYED BY INSULATION DEFECT
- Now ELTOS AND ELVIA INVOLVED IN A PRE-PRODUCTION. BOTH ARE SATISFACTORY.



PARTNERSHIP WITH ELVIA



•STARTED IN FEBRUARY 2016 A PARTNERSHIP WITH ELVIA (FRANCE) IN VIEW OF THE FUTURE LEM PRODUCTION FOR THE WA105 DEMONSTRATOR :

- LEM SPECIFICATIONS, TOLERANCES AND CONSTRUCTION PROCESS (DRILLING, DESMEARING, POLISHING, ...)
- VISIT BY IRFU OF THE PRODUCTION SITE IN COUTANCES (MAY 2016)

•FIRST PRODUCTION OF SMALL (10×10CM²) LEM PROTOTYPES (APRIL 2016):

- GEOMETRY QUALITY (PCB THICKNESS, SIZE OF HOLES AND RIMS, ...) IS OK
- HV TESTS IN AIR OK (UP TO 3.5 4.0κV)
- Gain measurements with α source in argon @NTP

■THEN 50×50CM² LEM SAMPLES HAVE BEEN PRODUCED BY ELVIA







RESISTIVE ANODE STABILIZES MICROMEGAS AND ALLOWS A CHARGE SPREADING NECESSARY TO IMPROVE RESOLUTION OF MICROMEGAS

CAN BE APPLIED TO OTHER MPGDS BUT NECESSARY FOR MICROMEGAS

MANY OPEN WAYS TO BE EXPLORED TO APPLY THE RESISTIVE MATERIAL: SCREEN PRINTING, SPUTTERING, PAINTING, FILM LAMINATION, ETC...

SEVERAL TECHNIQUES ARE USED AND DEVELOPED TO MEASURE SURFACE RESISTIVITY OF A COVERLAY.



RESISTIVE MICROMEGAS AND RPC





SCREEN PRINTING MACHINE USED ON VARIOUS MATERIALS (GLASS, KAPTON,...) WITH VARIOUS INKS AND VARIOUS PATTERNS (UNIFORM, STRIPS)

PROTOCOLS HAVE BEEN DEVELOPPED (CURING TEMPERATURE, CURING TIME, UNIFORMITY TEST,...)

TOOLS HAVE BEEN DESIGNED OR ACQUIRED (RESISTIVITY MEASUREMENT, ALIGNMENT)



THE BI COMPONENT PASTE (ELECTRODAG 6017SS + PM-404TM) RESISTIVITY CAN BE ADJUSTED.







S. AUNE AND C. CARLOGENU MEASURING THE RESISTIVITY WITH A CIRCULAR PROBE IN THE BULK LAB AT SACLAY







Total Spending after 24 months : 32600 euro out of 95000 and 8.3 person.months out of 15.

Several techniques being developped, experience of transfer to industry gained and monitored, very positive results:full large resistive and standard detectors under construction IN INDUSTRY

ELVIA and ELTOS are involved in Micromegas (NSW) and LEMs/THGEMs (WA105). Other large Micromegas for Muography. Resistive techniques are developped for muography (volcanos, pyramids)

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BACKUP





PROJECT LEADER : STEPHAN AUNE BENEFICIARY : CEA NET EU CONTRIBUTION : 65 K€ MILESTONES (INTERNAL) : PURCHASE OF MATERIAL, SCREEN DESIGN, SCREEN PRINTING TESTS (M12), RESISTIVITY MEASUREMENT TECHNIQUES, TOOL DESIGN AND PURCHASE (M24); REDACTION OF THE PROTOCOL. REPORTS IN RD51. **DELIVERABLE : RESISTIVE ANODE MANUFACTURING** (PROTOCOLS AND TOOLS FOR THE LARGE-SIZE AND LARGE-SCALE PRODUCTION OF RESISTIVE ANODES FOR MICROMEGAS)





PROJECT LEADER : FABIEN JEANNEAU BENEFICIARY : CEA OTHER CONTRIBUTORS : CERN, ... NET EU CONTRIBUTION : 35 K€ MILESTONES: PROTOCOL AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR MPGD PRODUCTION AND QUALITY CONTROL (M36) INTERNAL MILESTONES: ORDERS OF DETECTOR SERIES TO AT LEAST TWO PCB COMPANIES (M8) CHARACTERIZATION AND TESTS AND ITERATIONS. DELIVERABLE. REPORT ON WORKING DETECTORS.