

# Study of Detection Performance of Silicon Strip Sensors for ATLAS ITk Upgrade Project

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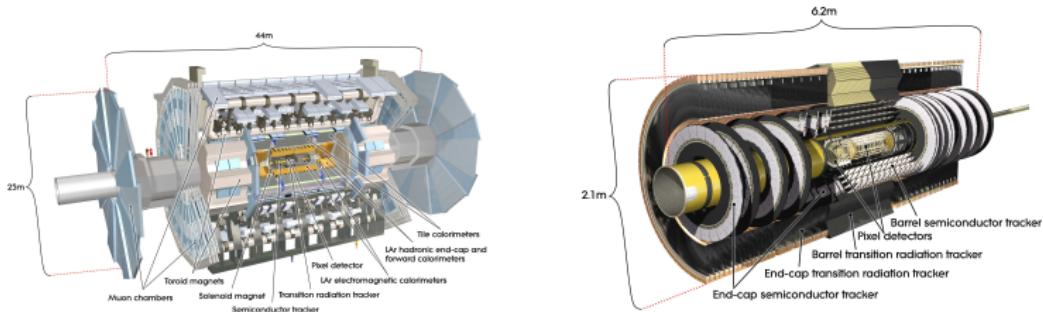
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## Outline

- ATLAS Inner Detector and its upgrade
- Semiconductors and p-n junction
- Strip detectors
- Testing detectors
- Future work

# ATLAS Inner Detector (ID)



## Three sub-systems

- Pixel detector
- SemiConductor Tracker (SCT)
- Transition Radiation Tracker (TRT)

Designed for:

- peak  $L = 10^{-34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
- 23 pile-up events per 25 ns bunch crossing
- level-1 trigger rate of 100 kHz

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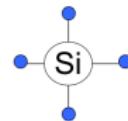
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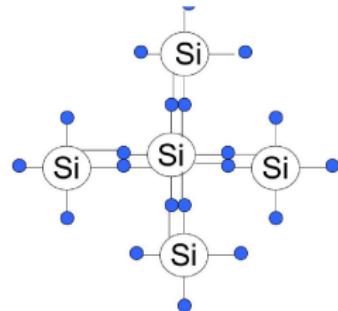
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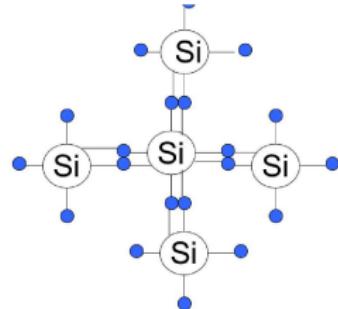
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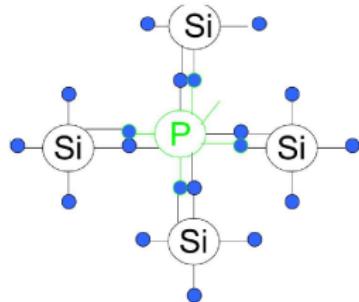
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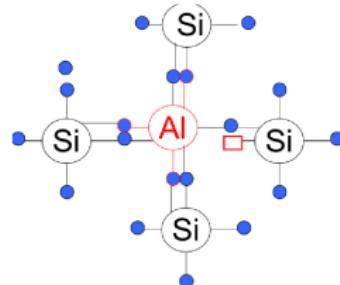
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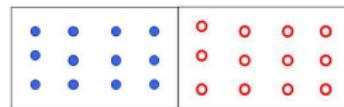
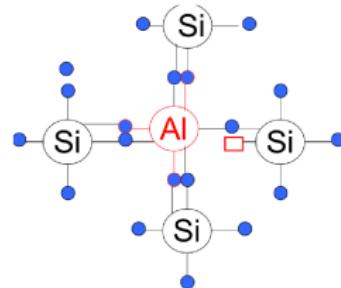
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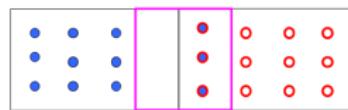
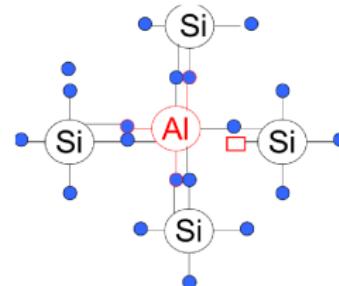
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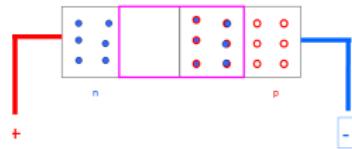
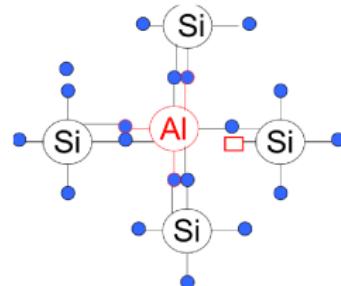
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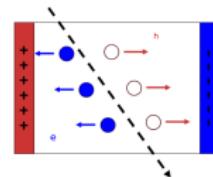
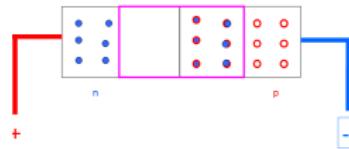
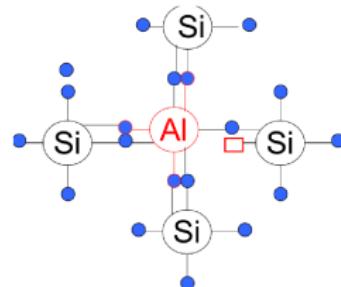
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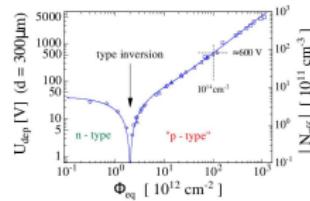
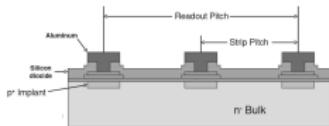


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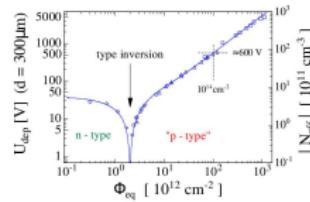
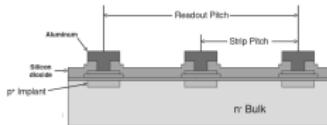
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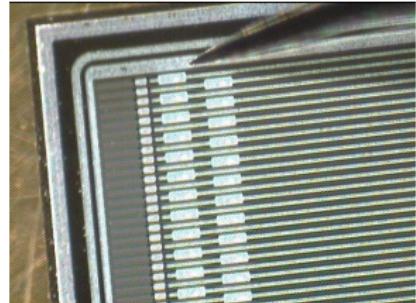
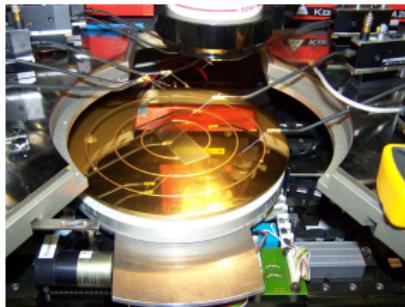
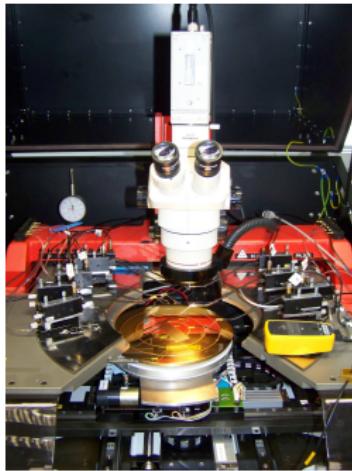


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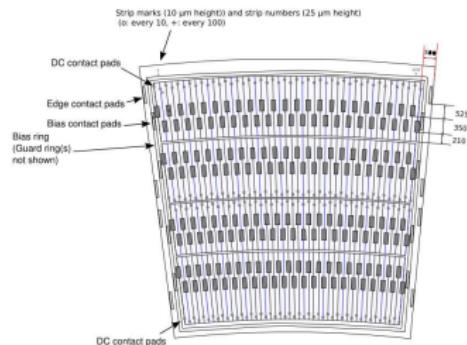
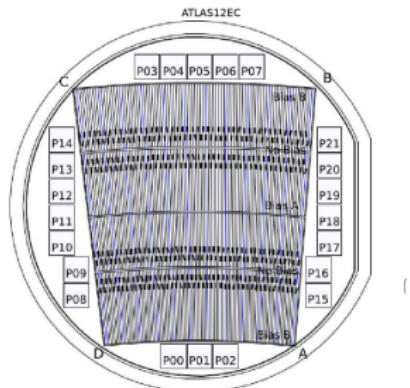
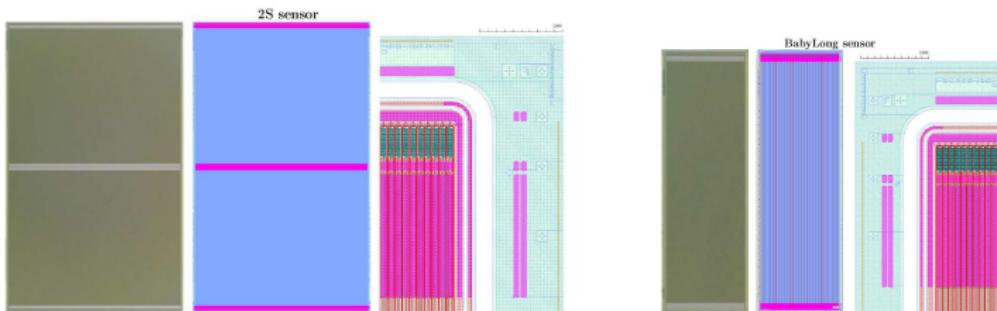
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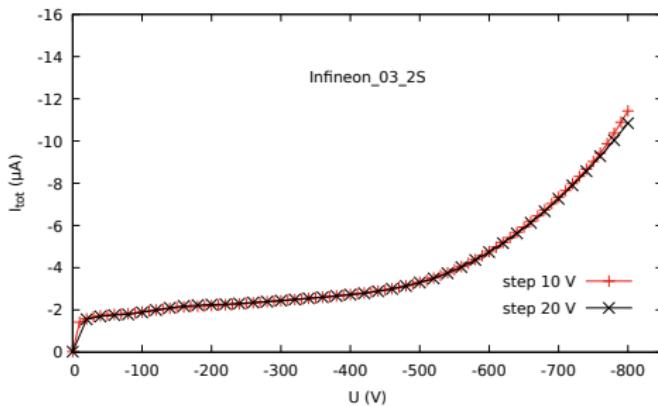
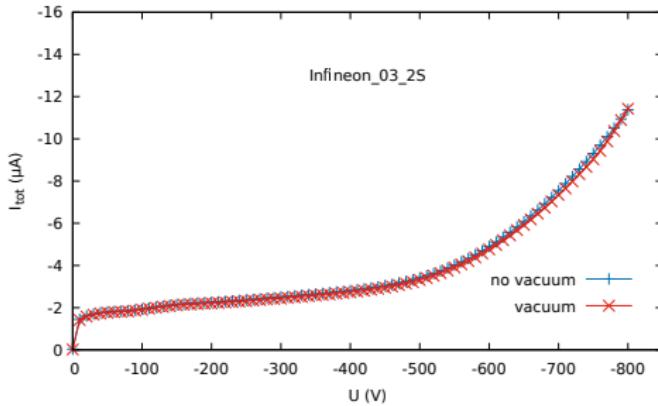
- Visual inspection
- Metrology
- $IV$ ,  $CV$
- Full strip tests
- $C_{\text{int}}$ ,  $R_{\text{int}}$
- Current stability
- PTP



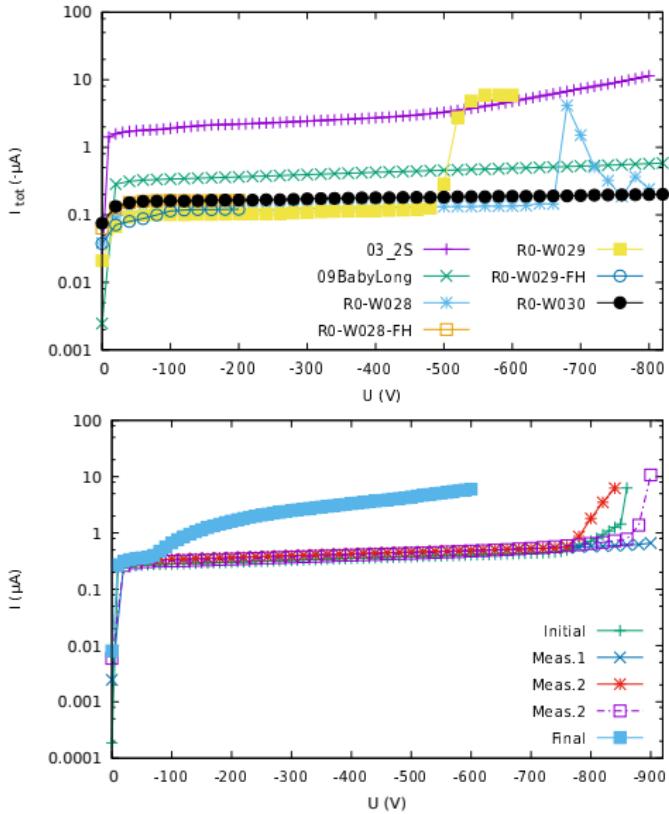
## Tested sensors



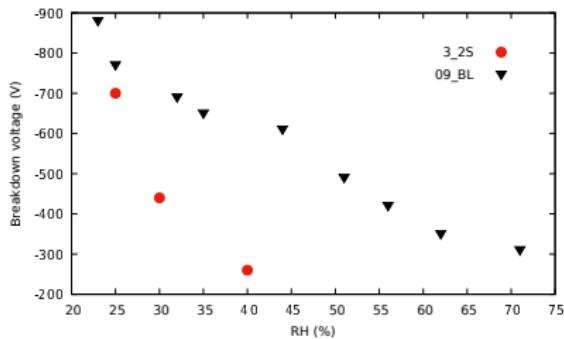
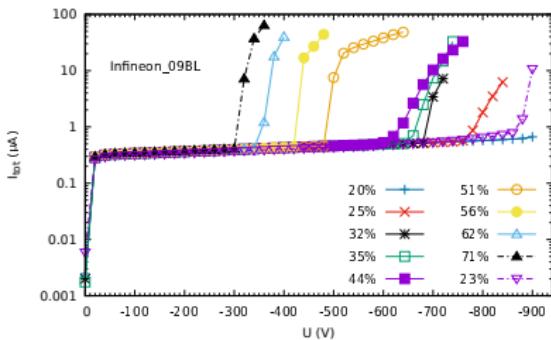
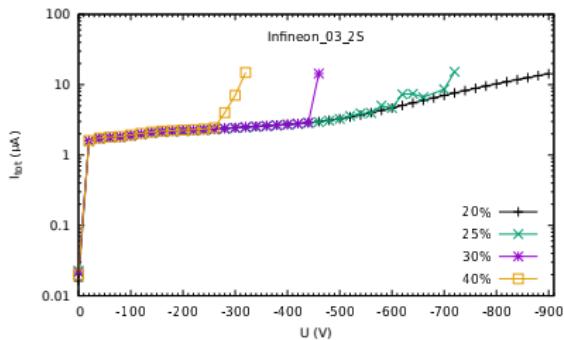
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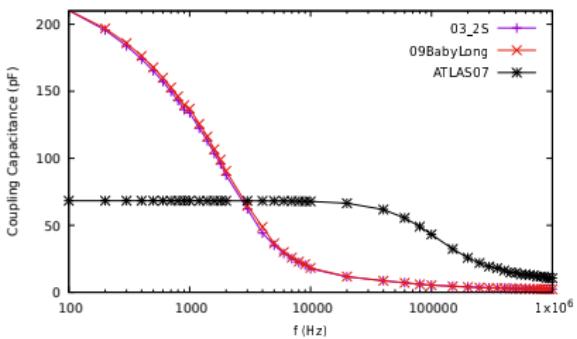
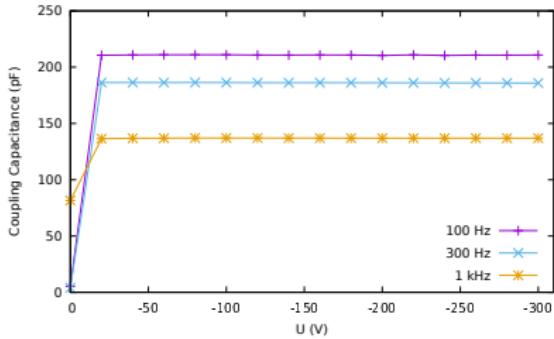
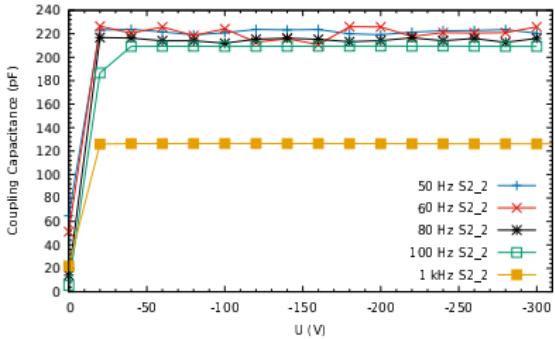
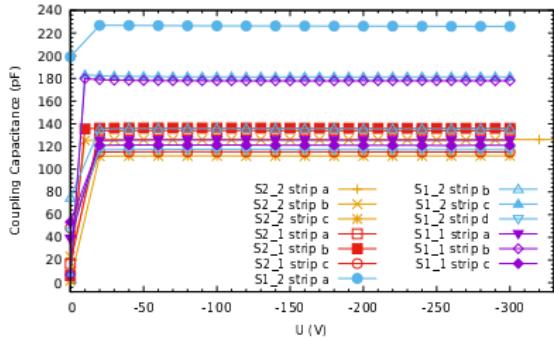
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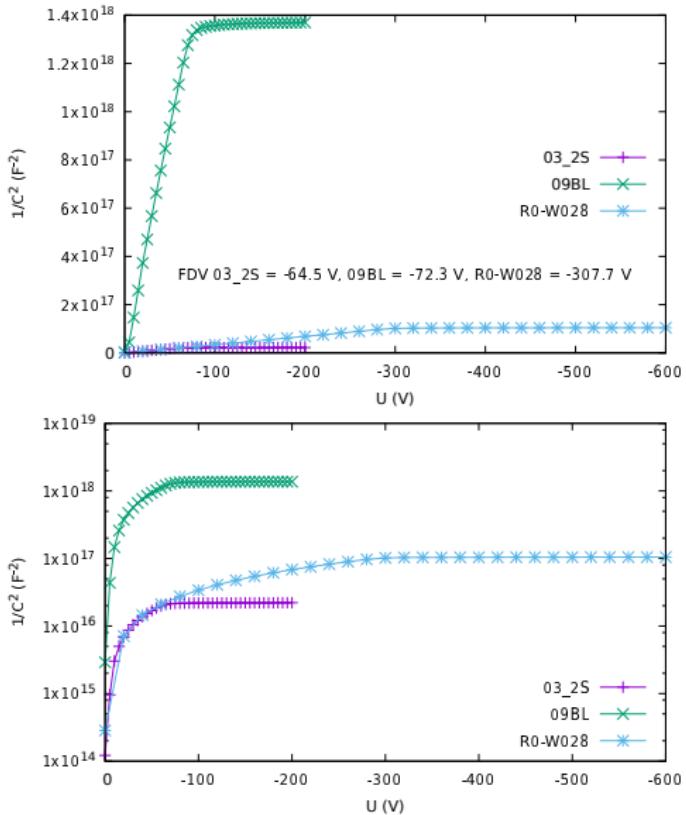
# Humidity tests



# Coupling capacitance



# Full Depletion Voltage



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