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Introduction

Motivation for ATLAS Inner Detector upgrade

Name of the upgrade	Date	Luminosity	Energy √S
LHC startup	2009	6x10 ³³ cm ⁻² s ⁻¹	7-8 TeV
Phase- 0	2014	1x10 ³⁴ cm ⁻² s ⁻¹	13 TeV
Phase- 1	2018	2x10 ³⁴ cm ⁻² s ⁻¹	13-14 TeV
Phase- 2	2023	7,5x10 ³⁴ cm ⁻² s ⁻¹	14 TeV

Very severe pile-up conditions expected:

Corresponding num. of inelastic pp collisions per beam-crossing (25 ns) will increase : **25 -> 200**

New Tracking detectors must fulfill the conditions:

• Fast (40MHz), high granularity & good pattern recognition capabilities (10³ tracks/25 ns).

Introduction Motivation for ATLAS Inner Detector upgrade

Increased luminosity also leads to increasing of radiation load.



Radiation Effects:

- Creation of lattice defects (loss in the charge collection due to charge capture).
- Change of depletion voltage (due to type inversion).
- Rise of leakage current (additional energy levels are being formed in the band gap region)

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estimated to

400 fb⁻¹

correspond to

Planar pixel sensors to test

<u>Samples to study:</u> FE-I4 compatible thin **n-in-p** planar pixel sensors with <u>the active and</u> <u>slim edge design</u> produced by ADVACAM.

- Radiation hard (no type inversion, thin);
- Single side processing;
- Thickness : 50 um, 100um, 150um;
- Maximized active area (Deep Reactive Ion Etching (DRIE));

It is particularly interesting for the innermost layers where it is important to reduce geometrical inefficiencies.

Goal:

Study the overall and edge hit efficiency with normal and inclined tracks before and after irradiation;



Active edge

Slim edge



Overview of the setup

Test Beam telescope setup:



EUDET telescope ACONITE (H6A):

Mimosa26 sensors (1152 x 576) with a pixel pitch of 18.4 μ m, \geq

- \geq 50µm thick;
- \succ Spatial resolution up to 2 um;
- \geq Pixel read-out systems fully integrated into EUDAQ software framework;
- Multiple DAQ systems for lab tunings and measurements: USBPix, RCE, etc



Goals

- Efficiency for 50μm-thick ADVACAM samples with active edge and slim edge design
 - with and without irradiation 1x10¹⁵ n_{eq}/cm²;
 - on different side edges;
 - with **normal** and **inclined** incident (DUT tilted at 30°, 45° (around y-axis));
- Efficiency for <u>100μm-thick ADVACAM sample</u> with <u>slim edge</u> design before and after irradiation 2x10¹⁵ n_{eq}/cm²;
- Efficiency for <u>150μm-thick ADVACAM sample</u> with <u>active edge</u> design before and after irradiation 2x10¹⁵ n_{eq}/cm²;

Beam: CERN SPS <u>120 GeV</u> pions, DESY <u>4 GeV</u> electrons;

Telescopes: DURANTA (TB22) , ACONITE (H6A) and AIDA (H6B);

Cooling: Cooling box (-40°C to -44°C), Dry ice cooling (approx. -40 to -50 °C);

Bias voltage points:

from 50 V to 120 V (for 50um);

from 50V to 200V (100um,150um)



 Efficiency study for the <u>50µm-thick</u> ADVACAM edgeless sensors

> <u>ACTIVE EDGE</u> design

- with and without irradiation on different side edges;
- Normal and Inclined tracks;

(CERN-SPS during July and October TB period.)

Active Edge, non-irradiated and irradiated 1e15 n_{eg}/cm²



Edge efficiency: ADV-50-3-1D (non-irrad.) and ADV-50-3-1A (1e15 n_{eg}/cm²)



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Efficiency vs bias voltage: irrad. 1x10¹⁵ n_{eq}/cm², and tilted (45° and 27°)





At a <u>tilted angle of 45[°]</u>, the efficiency performance improved, reaching 95% at 80V bias voltage.

Efficiency study for the <u>50µm-thick</u> ADVACAM edgeless sensors

> <u>SLIM EDGE</u> design

- with and without irradiation on different side edges;

(CERN-SPS during July and October TB period.)

Slim Edge, non-irradiated and irradiated 1e15 n_{eg}/cm²



Edge efficiency: ADV-50-3-3A (non-irrad.) and ADV-50-3-3B (1e15 n_{eq}/cm²)



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- Efficiency study for the <u>150µm-thick</u> active edge and <u>100µm-thick</u> slim edge ADVACAM sensors.
 - Non-irradiated (tested at CERN Nov 2016 and DESY March 2017)
 - > Irradiated to $2x10^{15} n_{eq}/cm^2$ (tested at DESY –Dec 2017)

Edge efficiency performance for the <u>non-irradiated</u> active edge samples of <u>150 um</u> thickness and comparison with *50um-thick* sensor of the same design (*ADV-50-3-1D, ADV-NP150-6-1A*)





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Edge efficiency performance for the <u>non-irradiated</u> **slim edge** samples of <u>**100 um**</u> thickness and comparison with **50um-thick** sensor of the same design (ADV-50-3-3A, ADV-NP100-7-2A)



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Comparison of the **CERN** and **DESY** test beam results for the <u>non-irradiated</u> (*ADV-NP150-6-1A* and *ADV-NP100-7-2A*) samples.



Efficiency performance for the active edge (<u>150 um</u>) and slim edge (<u>100 um</u>) (ADV-NP150-6-1A, ADV-NP100-7-2A) after irradiation **2x10¹⁵** n_{eq}/cm^2 at different bias voltages.





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Efficiency performance for the active edge (<u>150 um</u>) and slim edge (<u>100 um</u>) before and <u>after irradiation</u>.





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Comparison of the performance of active and slim edge design sensors:

- ➢ 50 um − thick sensors:
 - Before irradiation <u>active edge</u> shows efficiency of 97,2% while <u>slim edge</u> has 94,7% (50V);
 - At *1e15* n_{eq}/cm^2 , the efficiency of <u>active edge</u> is 86-89%, while <u>slim edge</u> is 79-84% at 120V.
- > 100 um <u>slim edge</u> sensor :
 - Before irradiation provides 96,8% of hit efficiency (50V);
 - After irradiation at 2e15 n_{eq}/cm^2 the efficiency can recover 89.5% at 180V;
- > 150 um <u>active edge</u> sensor:
 - Before irradiation provides 97,8% of hit efficiency (50V);
 - After irradiation at 2e15 n_{eq}/cm^2 the efficiency can recover 93.6% at 200V;

Both designs had an issue during TB with the achievement of high voltage (breakdown starts and sensor becomes noisy)

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Clean room characterization Infrared laser test bench setup

<u>Purpose</u>: To have a compact set-up to characterize silicon pixel modules and test their functionality in clean room before beam tests.

- charge collection efficiency (before and after irradiation, for the edges, scanning along an individual pixel);
- charge sharing between adjacent pixels;
- performance with inclined tracks;

Our goals for this development:

- to have a setup based on infrared laser to mimic a MIP like charge generation;
- to have a possibility for micrometric positioning of the DUT in X-Y direction (so the interaction point determination without reconstruction);
- to be able to rotate a DUT to perform studies with inclined tracks;
- to adapt to new quad sensors and RD53-A readout electronics;
- have high rates (kHz), for high statistics in measurements;

Schematics:









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Summary and Conclusions

- 50 µm-thick samples (two are non-irradiated and two are at $1 \times 10^{15} n_{eq}/cm^2$ irradiation level) and 150 and 100 µm-thick samples (before and after irradiation $2 \times 10^{15} n_{eq}/cm^2$) of active and slim edge design have been measured at CERN (Oct-2017) and at DESY facilities (March, Dec-2017).
- The efficiencies (global, in-pixel, edge) were calculated for various sensor conditionals including: before and after irradiation case, the horizontal position of the sensor being illuminated, and tilted angle to the beam.
- The efficiency performance is generally better in sample with active edge design compared to the one with slim edge design. Thicker sensors show better performance.
- The laser test bench setup for SPD is being developed in the clean room at LAL.
 - We will be very happy to have any assistance in developing (comments, ideas, experience)

Thank you for your attention!

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