# **Belle II Pixel Detector**

**Commissioning and Performance** 

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# SuperKEKB and Belle II



SuperKEKB delivers  $e^+e^-$  collisions at 10.58 GeV (M<sub>Y(4S)</sub>), with a target peak luminosity of

 $8 \times 10^{35}$  cm<sup>-2</sup>s<sup>-1</sup>, 40 times larger than that of KEKB.

- Increase beam currents twice
- Reduce vertical beam spot size by a factor of 20
- Belle II detector has accomplished a series of upgrades to
  - Improve the overall performance
  - Cope with the increased background and high trigger rate.
- Aim to accumulate a dataset of 50 ab<sup>-1</sup> by ~2027, to study flavour physics and explore new physics beyond the standard model.

# **Highlights of Belle II Status**

- Collisions started in Spring 2018, "Phase 2".
  - Mainly for beam commissioning,
  - with a dedicated vertex detector to study beam background.
  - 0.5 fb<sup>-1</sup> data recorded.
  - Physics data taking has started in March 2019, "Phase 3".
    - With Belle II VXD
    - ✤ 10 fb<sup>-1</sup> data recorded.
    - ♦ Aim to collect 200 fb<sup>-1</sup> by summer 2020.
- On Dec.3, Belle II achieved to record data at luminosities in excess of 10<sup>34</sup> cm<sup>-2</sup>s<sup>-1</sup> (KEKB design luminosity)







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# **DEPFET PXD for Belle II**

Depleted P-channel Field-Effect Transistor (DEPFET) combines detection and amplification within one device.

Each pixel is a p-channel FET on top of fully depleted silicon bulk

- Fast charge collection (~ns)
- Charges collected in the "internal gate"
- Readout of modulated drain current
  - internal amplification

$$g_q = \frac{\partial I}{\partial q} \approx 500 \frac{pA}{e^-}$$

- High Signal to Noise Ratio (SNR)
- Periodical clearing of "internal gate" required to reset the pixel



# **PXD Module Concept**

Pixel size: varies in z direction, 50 x 55-85 μm<sup>2</sup>

- optimized to have the best resolution in forward direction around 45° incident angle
- ✤ 250 x 768 pixels per module
- By thinning the active sensor thickness can be reduced to as little as 50 µm.
- For optimal position resolution (COG) 75µm
  were chosen for PXD
- ✤ 3 Metal layers for circuitry
  - ጳ 2AI + 1Cu
- Mechanically self-supporting device





#### DCD:Drain Current Digitizer,



- 💠 UMC 180 nm
- 256 input channels
- pipeline 8-bit ADC per channel
- 92 ns sampling time
- Rad. hard proved (10 Mrad)

#### DHP: Data Handling Processor



- TSMC 65 nm
- Size 4.0x 3.2 mm<sup>2</sup>
- Common mode and pedestal correction
- Data reduction (zero suppression)
- Timing and trigger control
- Transmit 1.6 Gbit/s of data over a 15 m cable to the backend.
- Rad. Hard proved (100 Mrad)



#### Switcher: Row control



- AMS/IBM HVCMOS 180 nm
- Size 3.6 x1.5 mm<sup>2</sup>
- Gate and Clear signal
- Fast HV ramp for Clear
- Rad. hard proved (36 Mrad)

Wire-bonding

# **Readout Mode**

- Rolling shutter mode
  - Read signals gate by gate
  - one gate combines 4 adjacent rows
  - Read-Clear cycle in ~100ns
    - Full integration time is 20µs (twice the revolution time of SuperKEKB)
  - Only 'activated' rows consume power
    - Low sensor power consumption
- Max. acceptable average occupancy <3%. otherwise,
  - ጳ data loss,
  - degrade tracking performance.



# **PXD DAQ Scheme**

- ♦ PXD unfiltered data rate → 10x sum of other Belle II detectors
  - Therefor need separate readout path
  - Data reduction to 1/10 by HLT based ROI calculation from CDC and SVD track information
  - Feedback to PXD readout, selection of pixels within rectangular ROIs

#### **ROI** extrapolation on HLT





DHH: Data Handling Hub HLT: High Level Trigger FTSW: Frontend-Timing-SWitch ROI: Region Of Interest

### **Belle II PXD for early Phase 3**



- ♦ 2 layers of DEPFET sensors @ r = 14(22) mm
- Sensitive area per module: L1: 12.5mm x 44.8mm, L2: 12.5mm x 61.44mm
- ♦ Sensor thickness: 75 µm, 0.21% X<sub>0</sub> per layer

# **Belle II PXD for early Phase 3**



- Each ladder is formed by a pair of mirrored DEPFET sensors
- Due to problems in ladder gluing, only half of designed PXD (full L1+2 L2 ladders) was installed in 2018/2019, will be finalized in 2021.

# **Signal to Noise Ratio**





- Low noise (<1ADU, <100e ENC)</p>
- ♦ Signal to Noise Ratio  $\approx 50$
- Most probable value and SNR uniform over ASIC combinations within one module.
- The inner modules feature more prominent contribution originated from low energy synchrotron radiation photons.



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# **Compensation for Radiation Damage**

- Defects of SiO<sub>2</sub> cause shift of threshold voltage.
- NIEL is not expected to be an issue.
- Module still functional after > 25 Mrad (corresponding to 250mrad/s for 10 smy)
- In Phase3 operation, voltages are regularly adjusted to have the source current of ~100mA.
  - Tune the internal amplification
  - Tune the coupling between internal gate and clear.



# **Synchrotron Radiation Background**



- IR designed such that no direct SR photons hit the central Be beam pipe.
- Large SR background was observed for some runs in a few modules in -x direction.
  - Secondary photons single pixels, low energy (<10keV)</p>
    - Back scattering photons from direct synrad fan hitting +x edge of Ti beam pipe
    - photons which may be originated from synrad that backscatters further downstream
  - May cause inhomogeneous irradiation

# **Gated Mode Operation**

- SuperKEKB is operated in top-up mode: continuous injection
  - At design luminosity Touschek effects limit beam life time to 10 mins
  - Accumulating integrated luminosity effectively.
- Freshly injected bunches produce high background
  - Damping time few ms
- Gated Mode can blind PXD when noisy bunches pass.
  - Newly created charges are not collected
  - Charges in internal gate are preserved









# **PXD Operation & Performance**

#### **Hit Efficiency**



 $\lambda = \pi/2 - \theta$ , angle between a track and the plane  $\perp$  to the beam.

The high radiation dose in the beam loss is a threat to the machine (collimator, final focus magnets) and pixel detector.

- Inoperable PXD module, recovered afterwards.
- Working point shifted.
- ♦ Increased number of inefficient rows (~2%).  $\rightarrow$  points to possible damages in Switcher

#### LER beam loss event

- 150mA beam current lost in 40 µs, estimated dose in PXD: ~ 5 Gy (0.5krad).
- Severely damaged vertical collimator
- Major quench of final focus magnet system
- Damage in PXD



# **PXD Operation & Performance**

#### **Hit Efficiency**





- Radiation burst tolerance Study
  - Switchers and DEPFET matrix have been irradiated with a focused pencil beam of electrons (855 MeV) at MAMI, Mainz
  - A particular region of the Switchers where the voltage regulators is located, is found to be sensitive to the radiation bursts.
  - The dose is compatible with the estimate at the beam incidents.
- Improving the protection scheme
  - ♦ PXD: the scheme of fast emergency shutdown is prepared, O(100ms) -> O(100µs)
  - Machine side: faster abort logic , increase number of abort gaps (1->2), modify the collimator system.
- **DESY.** Commissioning and performance of Belle II pixel detector, H.Ye, HSTD12

# **VXD Performance**

#### **Transverse Impact Parameter Resolution**

- Exploit small and flat transverse beam spot size in SuperKEKB
  - Use φ-dependence of track impact parameter (d₀) resolution to study beam profile
  - Use dimuon events to measure intrinsic d<sub>0</sub> resolution
- Unfold the beam profile: size consistent with expectations.





# **VXD Performance**

#### **Transverse Impact Parameter Resolution**



### **Summary**

- The first beam collision experience with the new pixel concept (DEPFET) and half of the full scaled detector has been achieved.
  - Challenging operating conditions close to the IP at a very ambitious machine like SuperKEKB
- PXD system has been continuously improved and optimized during the 2019 runs.
- Good PXD performance is demonstrated.
- Irradiation damage to PXD from beam loss events is under investigation.
  - SuperKEKB and Belle II need to minimize the probability and impact of major uncontrolled beam losses.
  - Protection scheme is being improved.

# Backup

# **Ladder Gluing**

De-scoped PXD was installed in 2018/2019,

- ◆ Due to relatively high failure rate in ladder gluing procedure → solved!
- Replacement with full PXD is scheduled in 2021.



Small ceramic inserts on the back side → reinforcement of the joint







### **Thermal Management**

- The power consumption of full PXD is 420W,
  - 360W are contributed from DCD/DHP, which are located in the end of stave.
    - ➡ Active 2 phase CO2 cooling is required there.
  - Little power derived from matrix (0.5W per module) and Switchers (1W per module)
    - ➡ Forced N<sub>2</sub> cooling is sufficient in the sensitive area.





#### Thermal mock-up (half-shell)

# Temperature along the PXD ladder



# **PXD Layout**



# **Module Calibration**

- Optimization of ASIC and DEPFET parameters, e.g.
  - DHP input delay elements
  - DCD internal current source
  - charge collection
- Narrow and stable pedestals
- Low noise (<1ADU, <100e ENC)</p>





