

# Towards a Reconfigurable CMOS Sensor suitable for Outer Tracking, Pre-shower and Digital EM Calorimetry at Future Facilities

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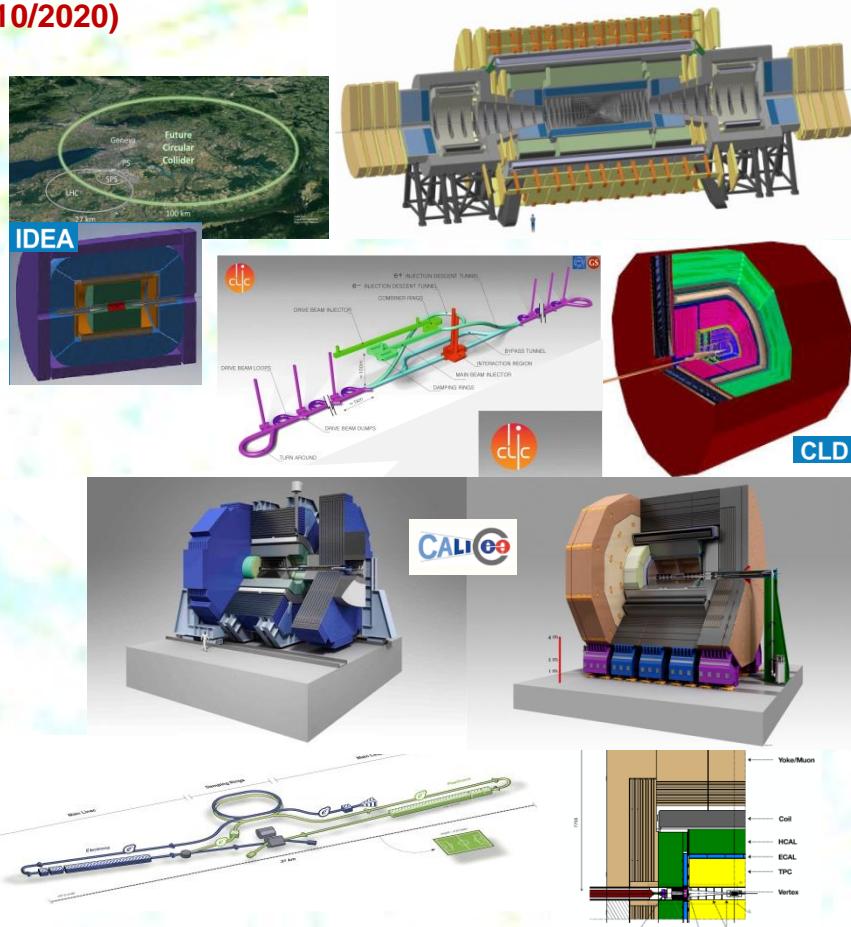
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# Introduction: Particle Flow

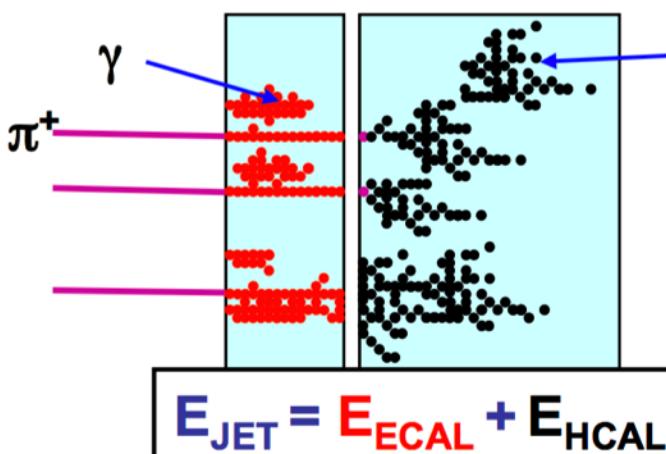
- High granularity calorimetry offers the possibility of using Particle Flow techniques to make best use of all detectors to measure jet energies
- Use of a very compact EM calorimeter (particularly if intended before the solenoid) also reduces the volume (and therefore cost) of all detector systems outside it.

Idea: for each individual particle in a jet, use detector with best energy/momentum resolution

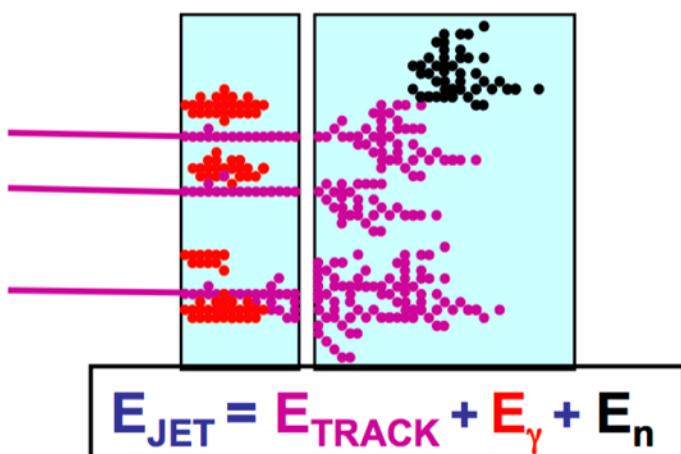
Charged tracks = Tracker

e/photons = ECAL

Neutral hadrons (only 10%) = HCAL



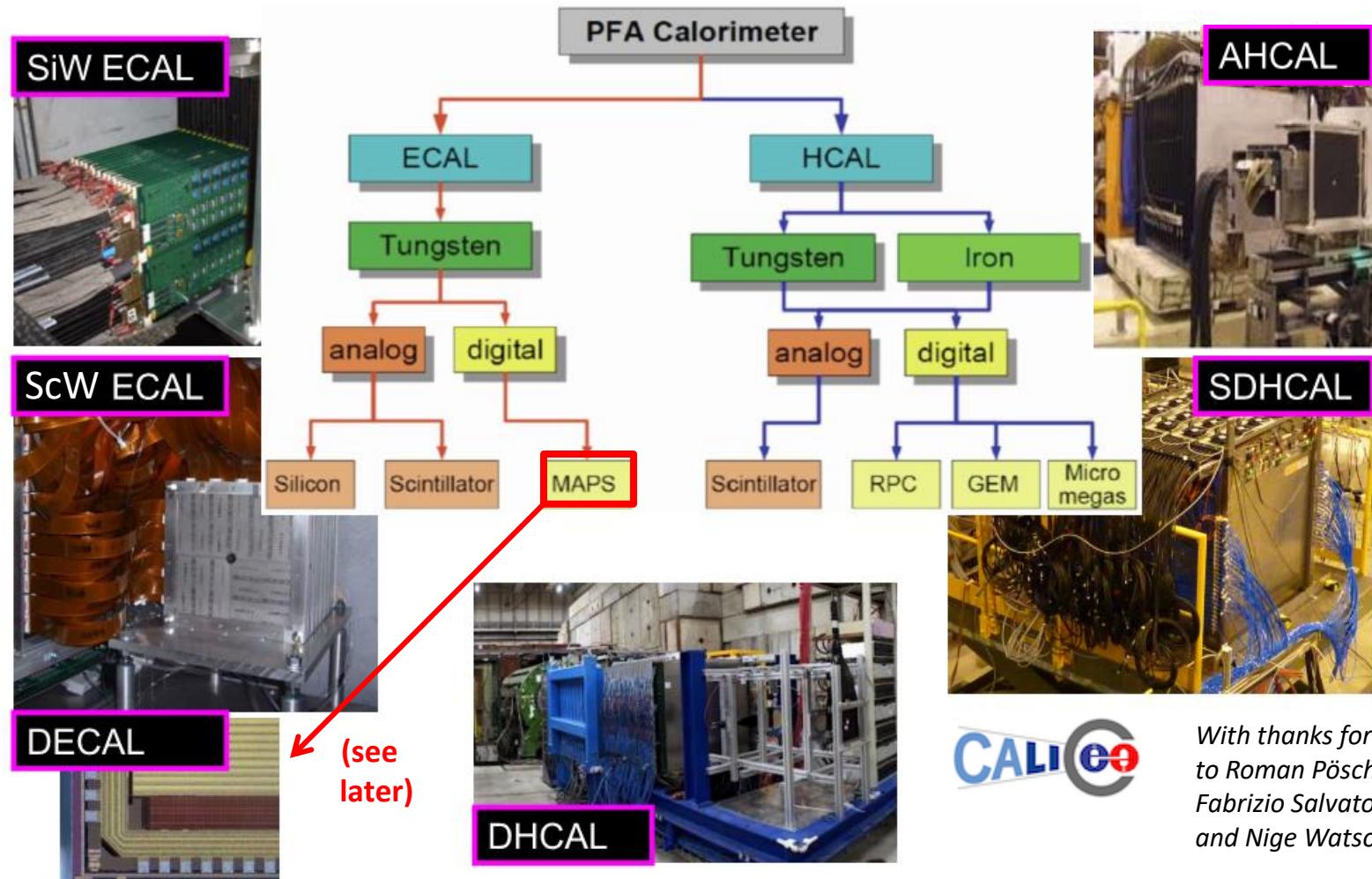
PFA  
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D. Barney, <https://indico.cern.ch/event/718124/>

# Introduction: CALICE

- The concept of SiW calorimetry has long been under consideration as a possible option within the CALICE collaboration as offering unprecedented granularity for PFA and is the focus of extensive prototyping and test beam activities



With thanks for help  
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Fabrizio Salvatore  
and Nige Watson

# CALICE: SiW EM Calorimetry

Milestone	Date	Object	Details	REM
1 <sup>st</sup> ASIC proto	2007	SK1 on FEV4	36 ch, 5 SCA	proto, lim @ 2000 mips
1 <sup>st</sup> ASIC	2009	SK2	64ch, 15 SCA	3000 mips
1 <sup>st</sup> prototype of a PCB	2010	FEV7	8 SK2	COB
1 <sup>st</sup> working PCB	2011	FEV8	16 SK2 (1024 ch)	CIP (QGFP)
1 <sup>st</sup> working ASU in BT	2012	FEV8	4 SK2 readout (256ch)	best S/N ~ 14 (HG), no PP retriggers 50–75%
1 <sup>st</sup> run in PP	2013	FEV8-CIP		BGA, PP
1 <sup>st</sup> full ASU	2015	FEV10	4 units on test board 1024 channel	S/N ~ 17–18 (High Gain) retrigger ~ 50%
1 <sup>st</sup> SLABs	2016	FEV11	7 units	
pre-calorimeter	2017	FEV 11	7 units	S/N ~ 20 (12) <sub>Trig.</sub> , 6–8 % masked
1 <sup>st</sup> technological ECAL	2018	SLABvFEV11 & FEV13 SK2a+ Compact stack Long Slab	SK2 & SK2a (> timing) 8 ASUs	Improved S/N Timing...
1 <sup>st</sup> working COB	2019	FEV-COB	2x1/4 ASUs	

FEV10-12

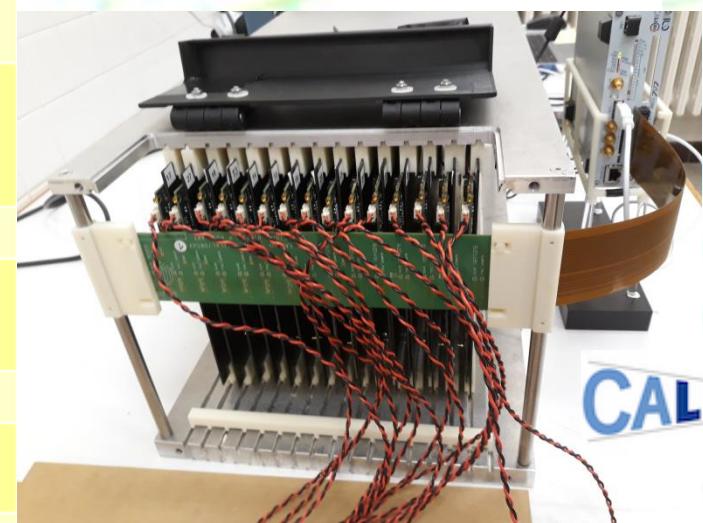


FEV\_COB



## CALICE SiW ECAL Test Beam

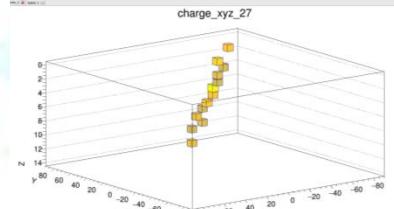
- culmination of 10 years of prototyping
- Integrated front-end and digital electronics
- 15 layers with 15360 channels



FEV13



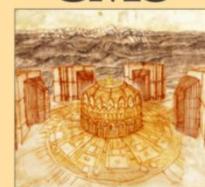
Image of cosmic track

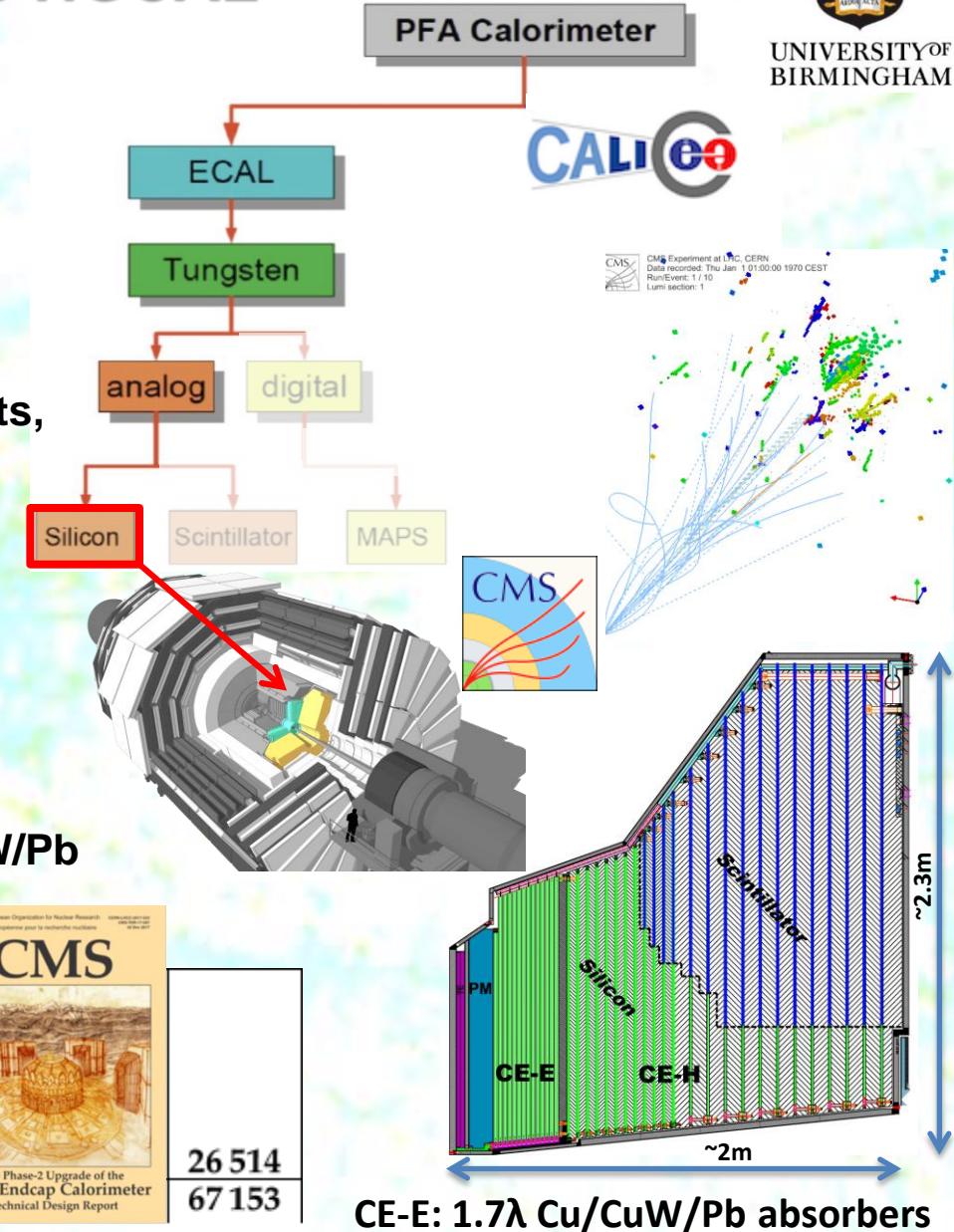


DESY Test Beam  
later this year

- The activities being discussed here grew out of ideas within CALICE, but initially with a view to FCC-hh, inspired also by developments within CMS for Phase-II
- Given the very high radiation environments, CMS is building the High Granularity Calorimeter (HGCAL) as the upgrade path for their forward calorimetry at HL-LHC
- The HGCAL will have **~600m<sup>2</sup>** of silicon sensors (~500m<sup>2</sup> of scintillators) with 6M Si channels, 0.5 or 1.1 cm cell size and overall **~27000** silicon modules
- The ECAL has 28 layers with **Si + Cu/CuW/Pb** absorbers giving **26 X<sub>0</sub>** and **~1.7λ**

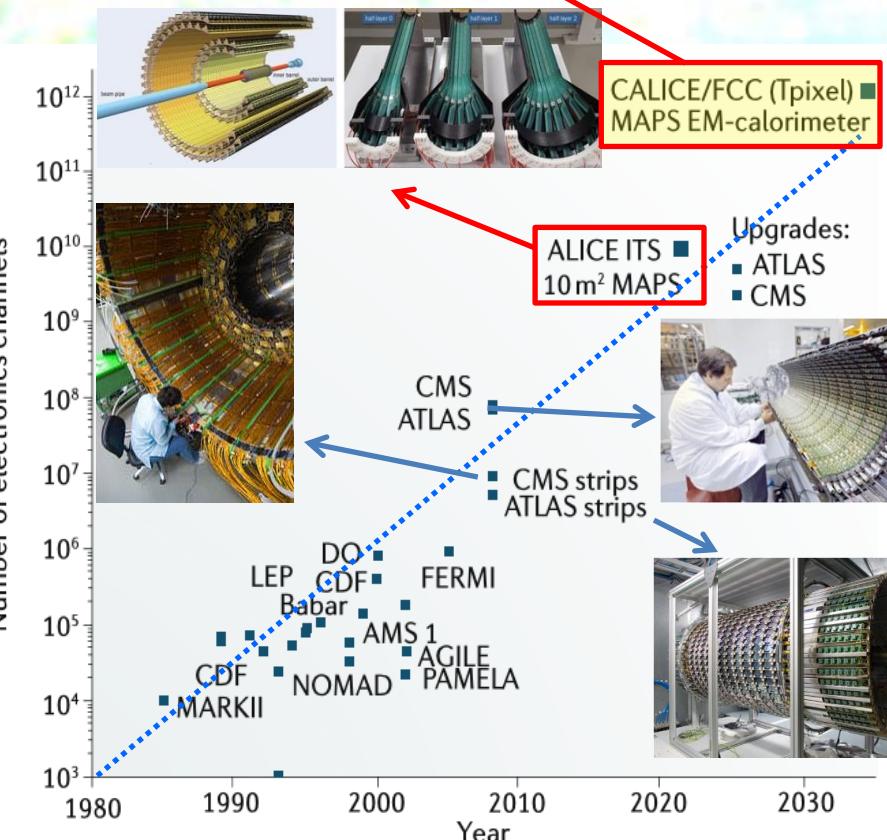
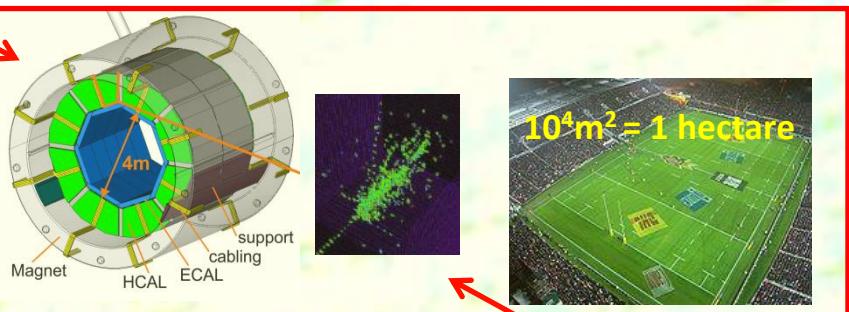
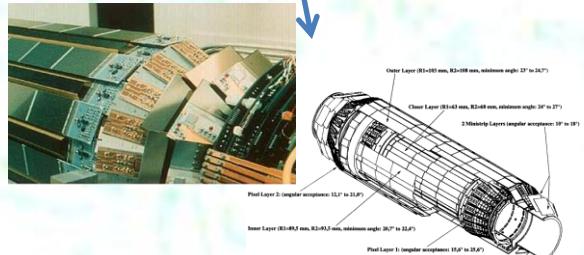
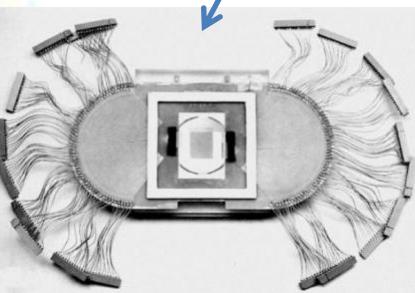
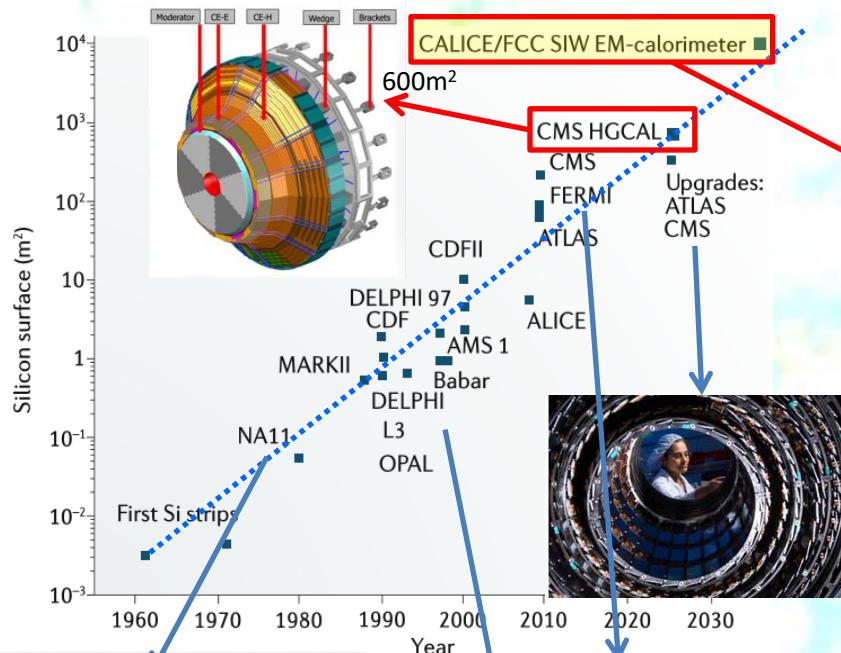
1.3, 1.4	Silicon sensors and modules
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	

	<b>26 514</b>
<small>The Phase-2 Upgrade of the CMS Endcap Calorimeter Technical Design Report</small>	<b>67 153</b>

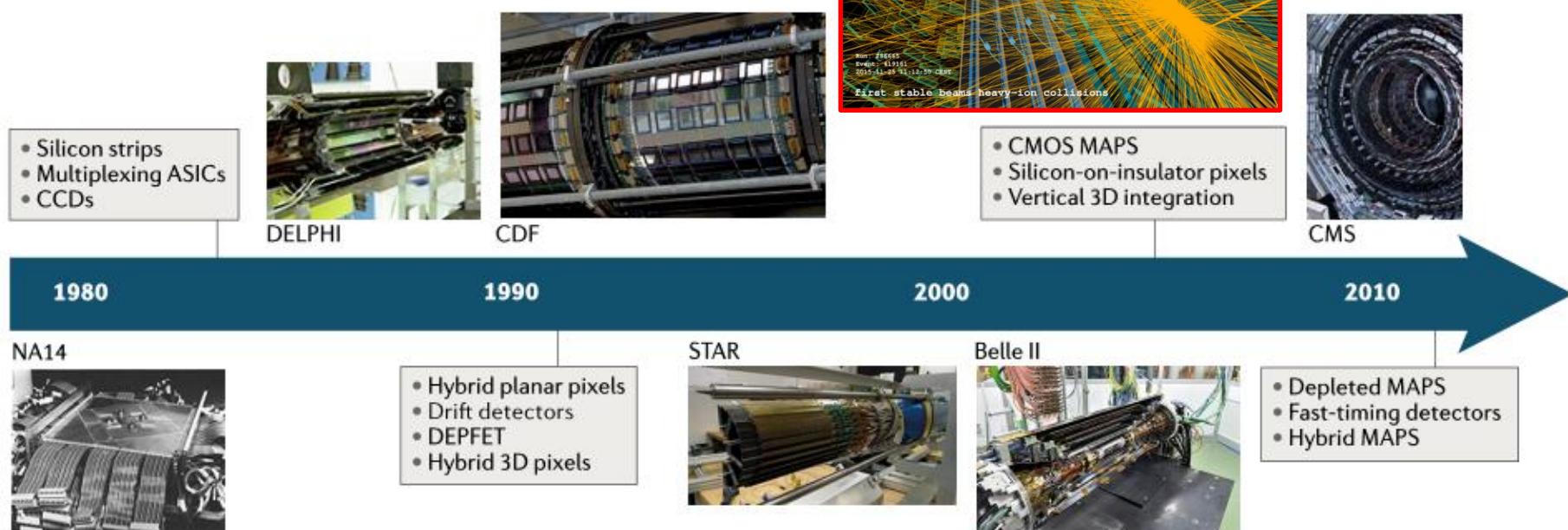


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# Historical Development of Silicon Sensor Arrays



Many different silicon detector technologies for particle tracking have been developed over the last four decades.



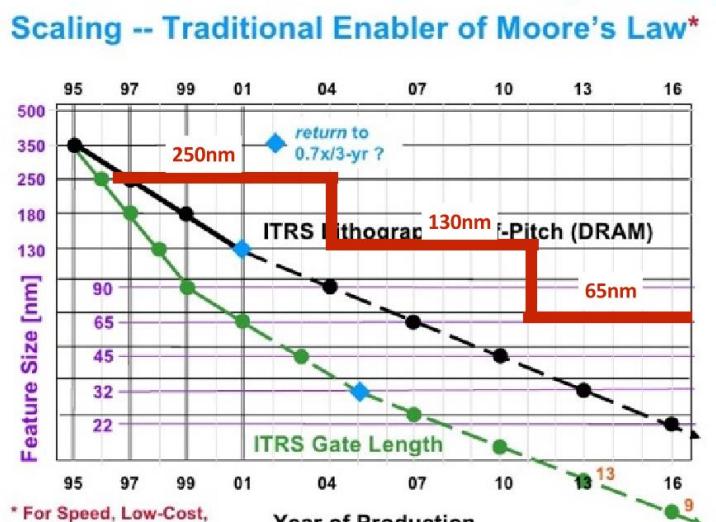
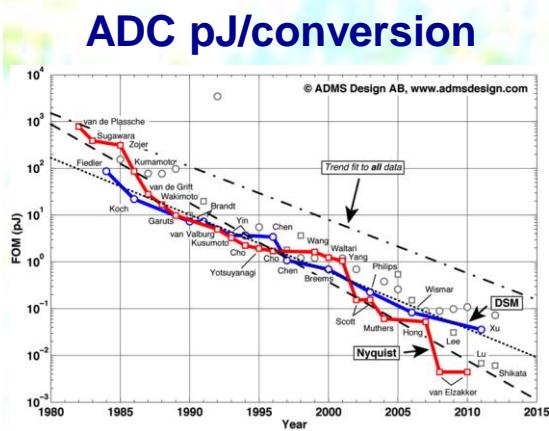
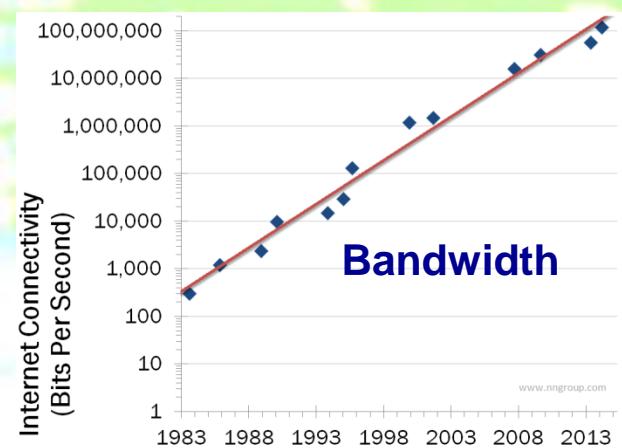
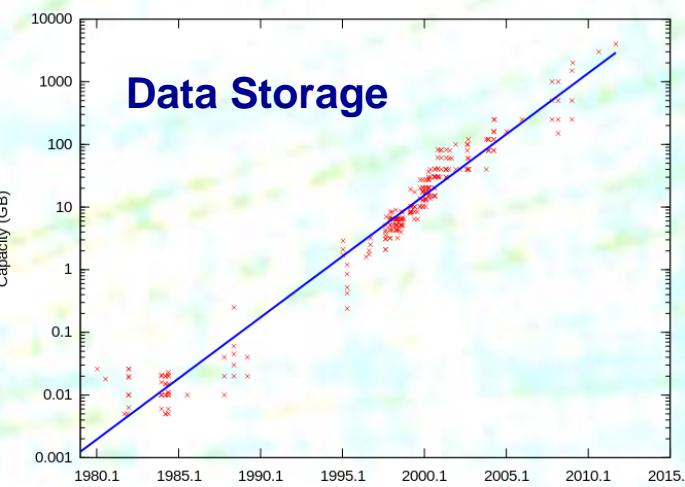
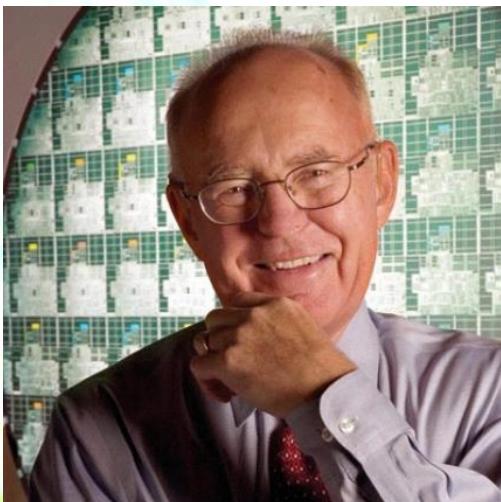
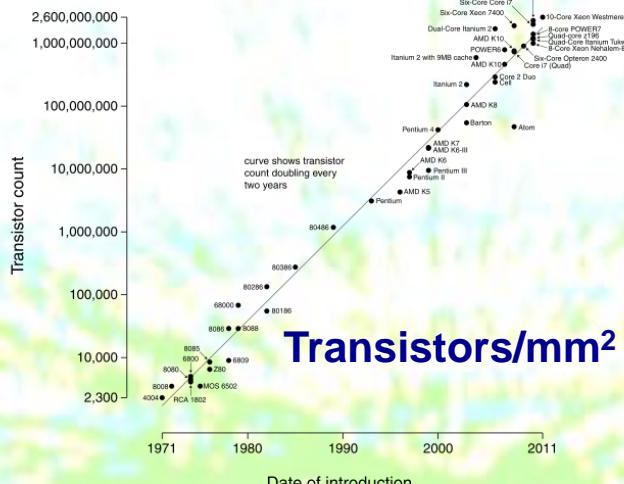
Applications of silicon strip and pixel-based particle tracking detectors - Nature Reviews Physics - <https://doi.org/10.1038/s42254-019-0081-z> Allport2019ER

What is remarkable is that **every decade** the instrumented areas have increased by **a factor of 10** while the numbers of channels in the largest arrays have increased by **a factor of 100**.

This despite other specifications for readout speed, spatial resolution, reduced multiple scattering (minimal total material including cooling and services) and radiation hardness also becoming much more demanding

## Commercial Microelectronics Evolution

Microprocessor Transistor Counts 1971-2011 & Moore's Law



\* For Speed, Low-Cost  
Low-Power, etc.

### Year of Production

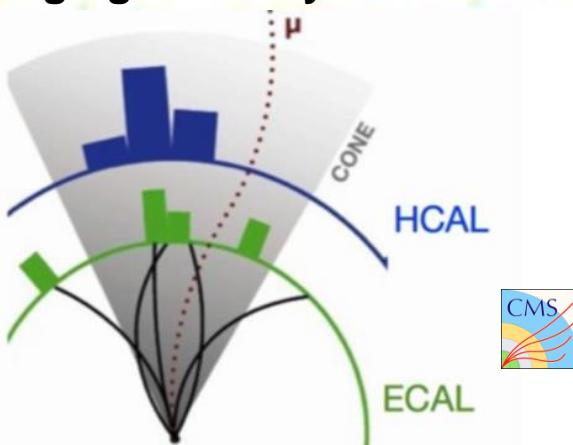
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**Historically showed doubling times of < 2 years but now slowing.**

However, particle physics lags significantly behind commercial state-of-the-art because of additional constraints

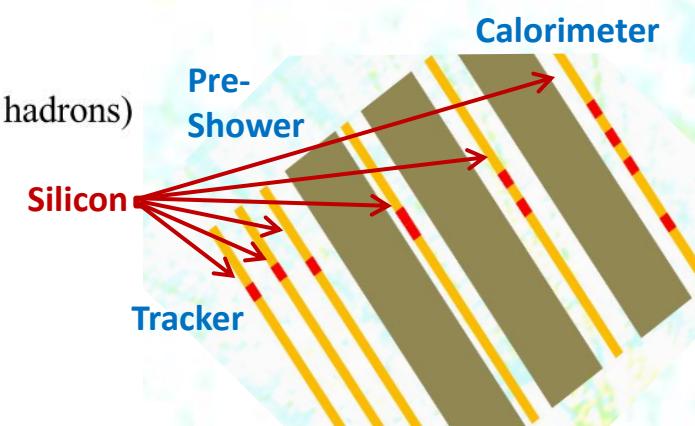
# Particle Flow Considerations

- In addition to vertexing, silicon detectors are widely assumed to be an important option for outer tracking either for a fully silicon “compact” tracker (often with high field) or outside a gaseous tracking volume (as “silicon wrapper” see for example Attilio Andreazza: [https://indico.cern.ch/event/838435/contributions/3672992/attachments/1970363/3277344/LargeSiliconSystems\\_v2.pdf](https://indico.cern.ch/event/838435/contributions/3672992/attachments/1970363/3277344/LargeSiliconSystems_v2.pdf) at 3<sup>rd</sup> FCC Workshop).
- Silicon detectors also technology of choice where high radiation, high speed or high granularity requirements; either in collider or fixed target experiments.
- The PFA concept requires excellent extrapolation of charged tracks into the calorimeter layers as well as high spatial resolution on EM showers (including resolving photons from high energy  $\pi^0$  decays) and the start of hadron showers.
- Silicon layers (with tungsten or lead absorber) are also a leading candidate for such high granularity calorimeters, at least as far as the technology can be cost effective.



“Typical” jet:

~62% charged particles (mainly hadrons)  
 ~27% photons  
 ~10% neutral hadrons  
 ~1% neutrinos



# SiW ECAL CMOS MAPS Motivation

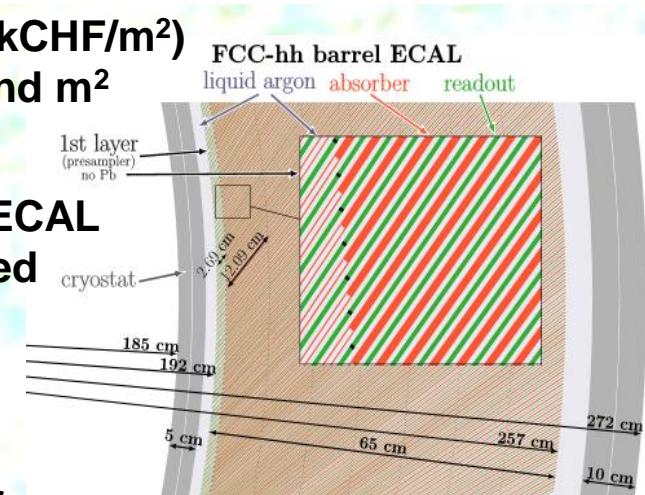
- Current hybrid strip and pixel costs are still a major consideration (ATLAS Upgrade costs from Attilio Andreazza “Large Silicon Systems” at 3<sup>rd</sup> FCC Workshop, CERN January 2020, [referenced above](#))

- Even CMS HGCAL silicon module costs ~4CHF/cm<sup>2</sup> (40kCHF/m<sup>2</sup>) would still need to come down further for many thousand m<sup>2</sup> (» 10<sup>7</sup>cm<sup>2</sup>) array to become affordable

- NB partially mitigated by cost savings from reducing ECAL thickness (eg for FCC-hh) to < 20cm and removing need for cryostat with respect to LAr. (Depending on inner radius, could reduce total cost of HCAL, magnet system and muon spectrometer by up to factor of 2)

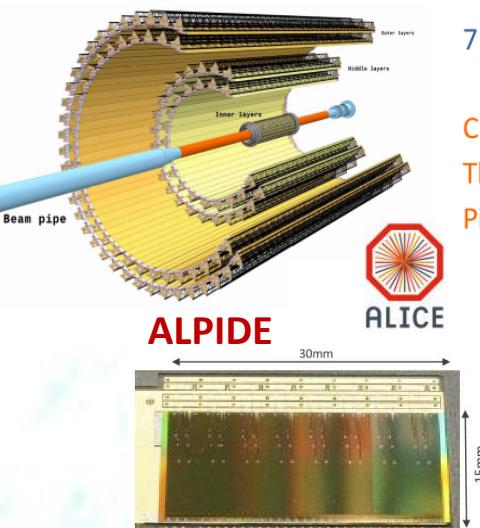
- Excellent PFA capabilities but difficult to match LAr for cost, radiation-hardness and EM energy resolution
- For a hybrid silicon system (such as the CMS HGCAL), at some stage the price of polished high-  $\rho$  wafers could set a lower limit to what overall costs might be possible with separate thick depleted silicon substrate (although other options may exist)
- For both vertexing and outer tracking, thinking for silicon technology at future colliders is moving towards the use of CMOS Monolithic Active Pixel Sensors

	Strip	Pixels
Area	165 m <sup>2</sup>	13 m <sup>2</sup>
Power density	43 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>	700 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>
Module cost (TDR)	36900 kCHF	25067 kCHF
	224 kCHF/m <sup>2</sup>	1900 kCHF/m <sup>2</sup>



11th FCC - ee Workshop — M. Aleksić

- Currently, CMOS Imaging Sensors represent a ~20B\$ business internationally (<https://www.marketsandmarkets.com/Market-Reports/cmos-image-sensor-market-252212367.html>) and market expected to continue growing rapidly driving down prices for such detectors
- Although existing CMOS sensor array (such as for ALICE ITS Monolithic Active Pixel Sensor) cost estimates can typically be ~5-10 times\* those for CMS HGCAL, expect prices could be significantly lower for much larger orders and as a function of time, while integration of electronics within the sensor also reduces cost of full system
- Prototypes (see later) demonstrate concept of digital ECAL with same CMOS fabrication line that CERN and collaborators have shown, with appropriate design and processing, is now delivering radiation hardness to  $> 10^{15} n_{eq}/cm^2$



7 layers, 12.5 Gpixels covering **10 m<sup>2</sup>**  
with 5  $\mu$ m position resolution

Closer: Inner layer radius 39 mm -> 22 mm

Thinner: X/X<sub>0</sub> 1.14% -> 0.3 % (inner layers)

Pixel size: 50 x 425  $\mu$ m<sup>2</sup> -> 27 x 29  $\mu$ m<sup>2</sup>

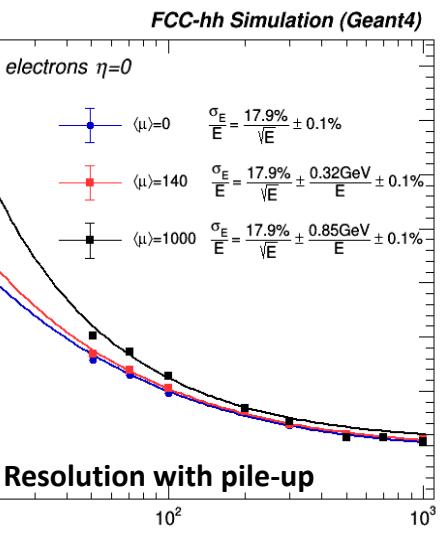
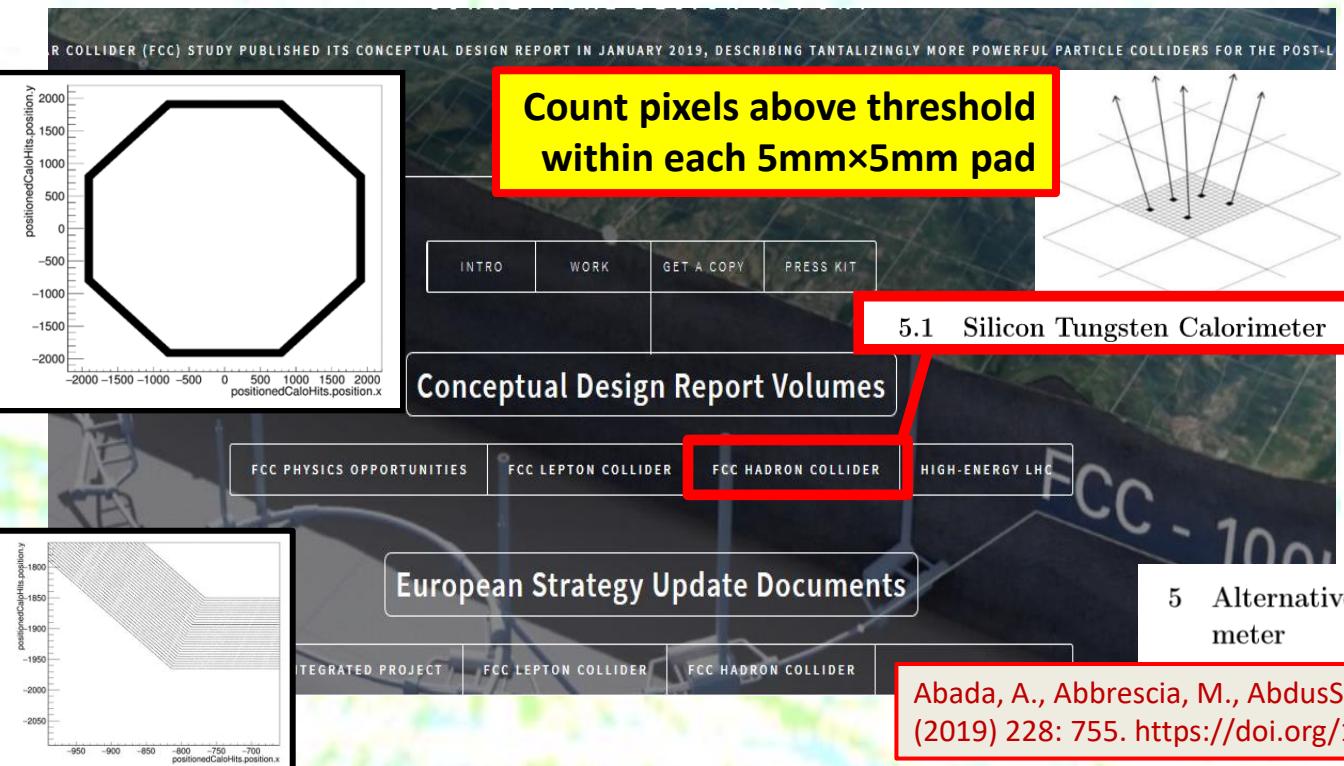
\* **ALICE-TDR-017 (~10<sup>10</sup> Channels 10m<sup>2</sup>)**

CMOS costs ~200kCHF/m<sup>2</sup> also suggested:  
Attilio Andreazza (private communication)

Table 9.1: Cost estimate

Item	Cost (kCHF)
<b>Total</b>	<b>12 039</b>
Pixel Chip	5000
CMOS wafers	3500
Thinning & dicing	1000
Series test	500

# The Digital EM Calorimeter Concept



5 Alternative Technology for the EM Barrel Calorimeter  
**FCC Week (1/6/17) T. Price**

Abada, A., Abbrescia, M., AbdusSalam, S.S. et al. Eur. Phys. J. Spec. Top. (2019) 228: 755. <https://doi.org/10.1140/epjst/e2019-900087-0>

Idea initially in context of CALICE but then adapted to FCC-hh environment.

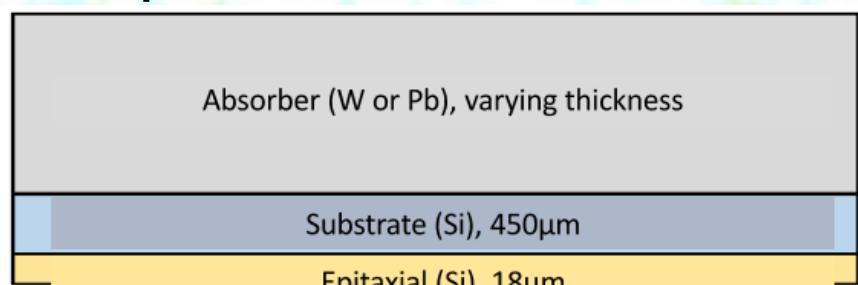
Simulated 4 different geometries:

**30 Layers, 3.5mm W ( $30 \times 1.0 X_0$ )**

**5.6mm Pb**

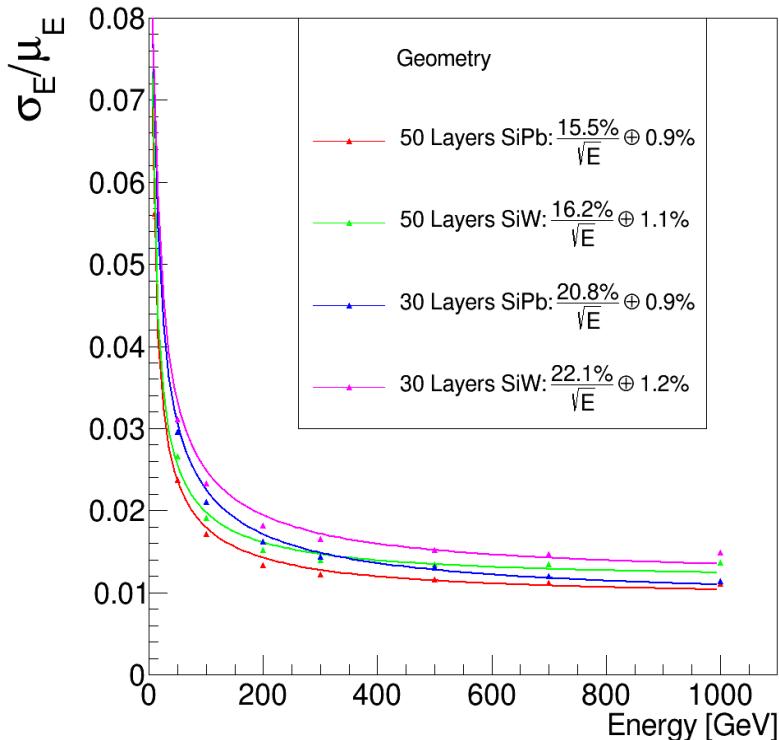
**50 Layers, 2.1mm W ( $50 \times 0.6 X_0$ )**

**3.4mm Pb**

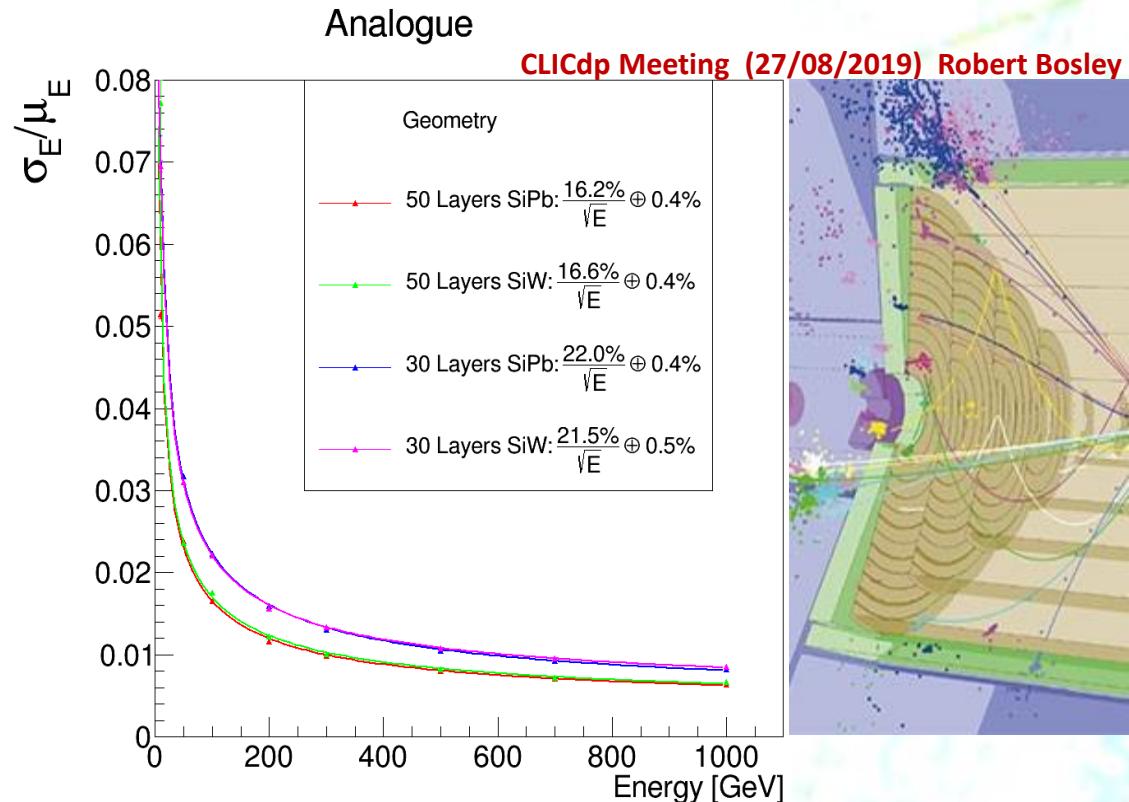


# Silicon Calorimetry

DECAL



Analogue

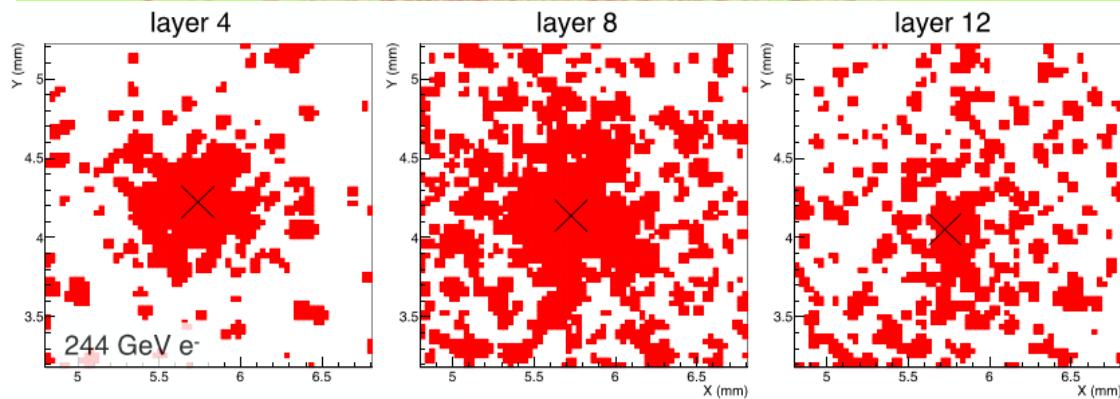
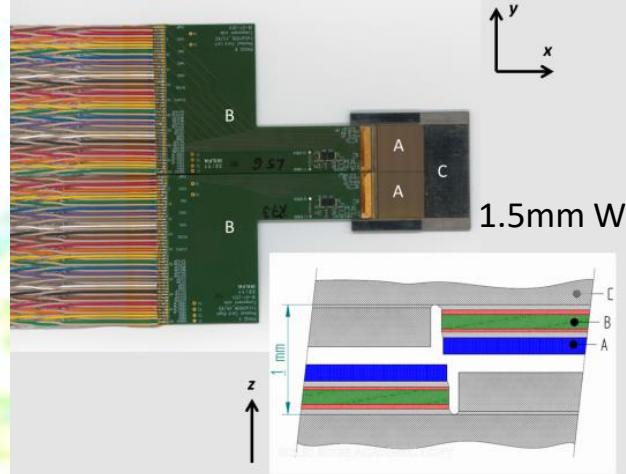


- For single electrons, similar performance of Digital ECAL (with realistic channel threshold per pixel of  $480e^*$ ) and Analogue ECAL (with perfect performance and full substrate signal per pad) up to around 300GeV (4T field without pile-up)
- Above this energy, saturation (more than one hit per  $50\mu\text{m} \times 50\mu\text{m}$  pixel) starts to impact performance of digital compared with analogue ECAL

$*6 \times \sigma$  assuming noise of  $\sigma = 80e$

T. Peitzmann: "R&D for the ALICE-FoCal Detector Proposal -Towards Truly High-Granularity Calorimeters", CERN Detector Seminar 25/10/19

## 24 layer MIMOSA CMOS sensor calorimeter Si-W stack

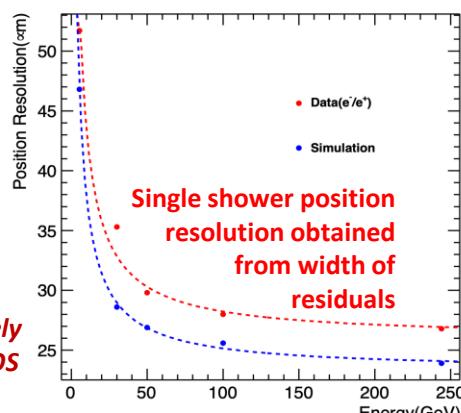
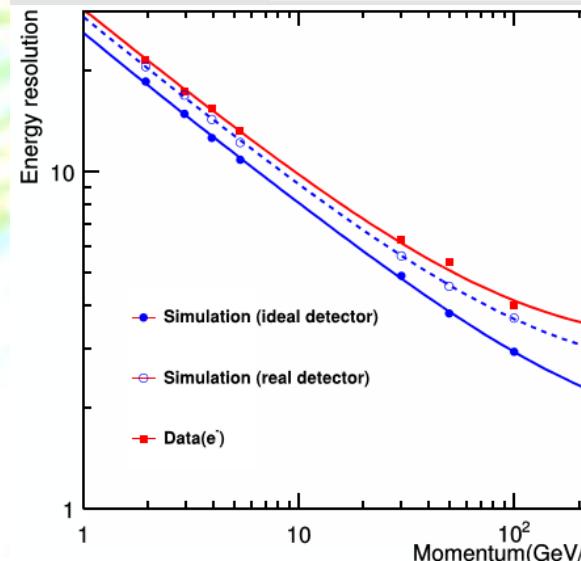


$$\frac{\sigma_E}{E} = a \oplus \frac{b}{\sqrt{E/\text{GeV}}} \oplus \frac{c}{E/\text{GeV}}$$

$$a = (2.95 \pm 1.65)\%$$

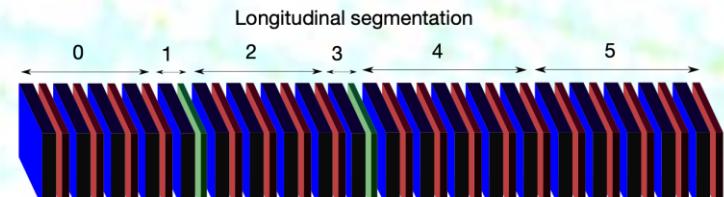
$$b = (28.5 \pm 3.8)\%$$

$$c = 6.3\%$$



**244 GeV electron: very high single particle hit rate in shower core**

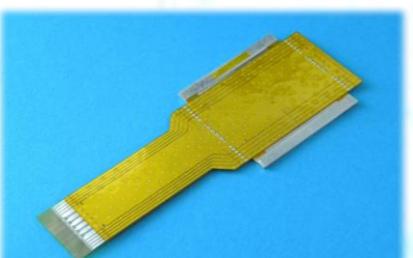
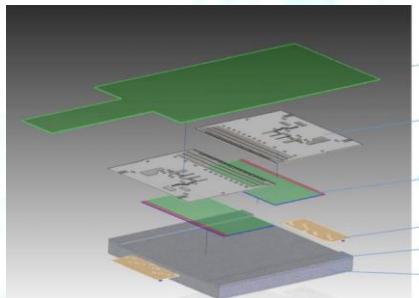
**Good energy resolution but lower than simulations, particularly at higher energies**



**New ALPIDE CMOS sensor based 3cm×3cm area 24 layer stack**

A. de Haas, et al., "The FoCal prototype - an extremely fine-grained electromagnetic calorimeter using CMOS pixel sensors", JINST13(2018) P01014

# ALICE FoCal ALPIDE Test Beam



EPICAL-2 layer prototype at LTU

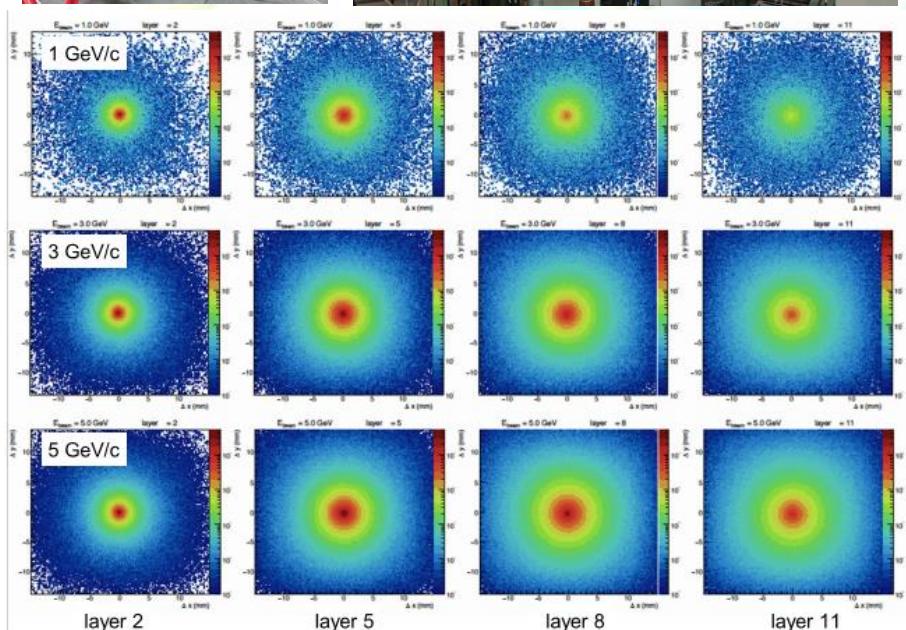
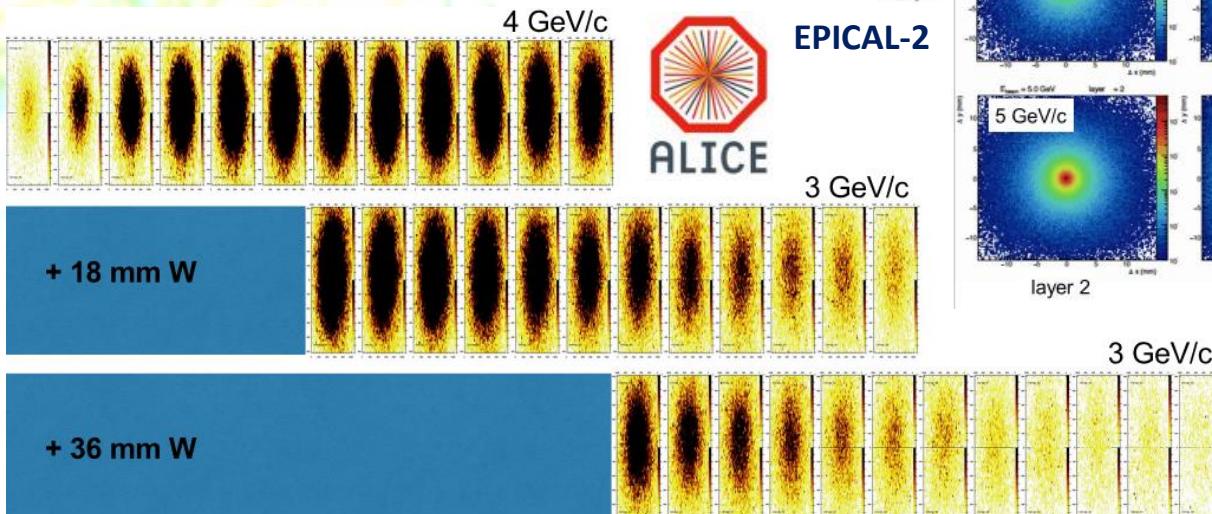


DESY Test Beam (Nov 2019)



## Online data displays

Raw hits already show very reasonable longitudinal shower profiles

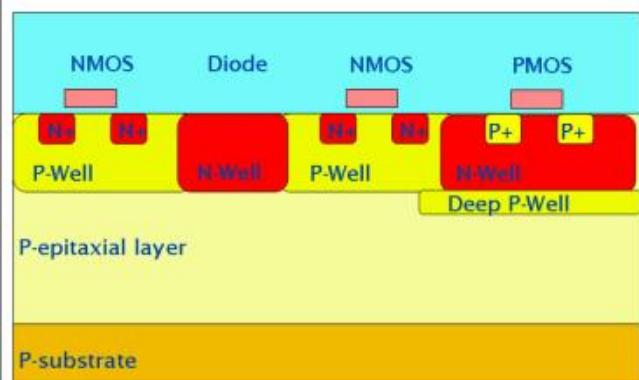


Full test beam analysis  
results expected  
imminently.

**Developments with STFC CMOS Sensor Design Group (CSDG) in technology  
also used for ALPIDE and MALTA developments by CERN**

Walter Snoeys FCC workshop CERN, Jan 14, 2020

## The INMAPS process: quadruple well for full CMOS in the pixel



STFC development, in collaboration with TowerJazz

Additional deep P-well implant allows complex in-pixel CMOS and 100 % fill-factor

New generation of CMOS sensors for scientific applications (TowerJazz CIS 180nm)

Also 5Gb/s transmitter in development

Sensors 2008 (8) 5336, DOI:10.3390/s8095336

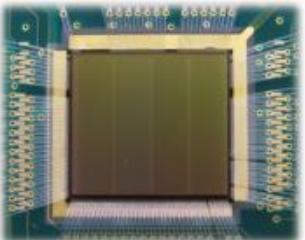
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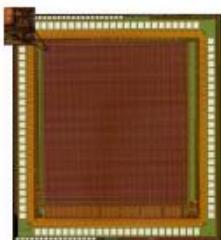
courtesy of N. Guerrini, STFC

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ILC ECAL (CALICE)



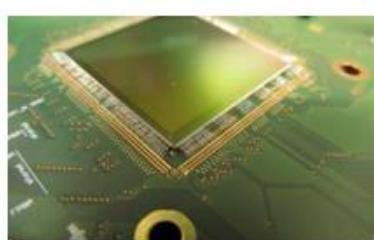
50 μm pixel

DECAL  
Calorimetry



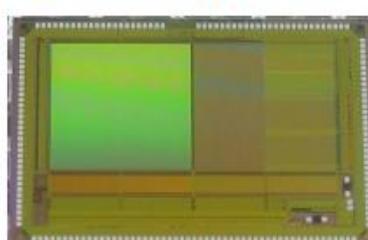
50 μm pixel

PIMMS  
TOF mass spectroscopy



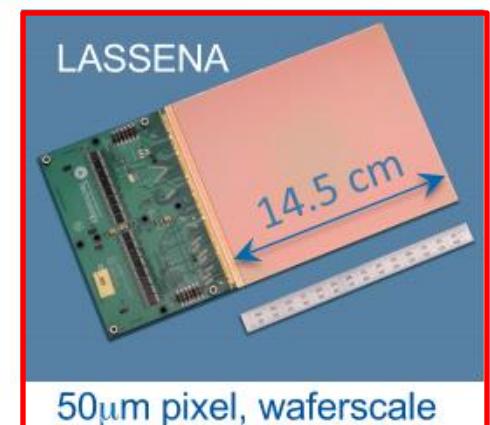
70 μm pixel

CHERWELL  
Calorimetry/Tracking



48 μm x 96 μm pixel

LASSENA



50 μm pixel, waferscale

Also used for the ALPIDE (27 μm x 29 μm pixel) and MIMOSIS (CBM)

Developments with STFC CMOS Sensor Design Group (CSDG) in technology also used for ALPIDE and MALTA developments by CERN

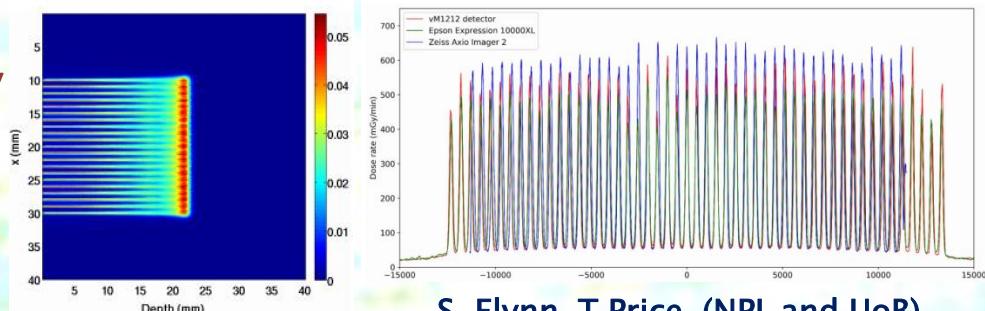
CSDG have also developed many applications of large format sensors for space, electron microscopy, x-ray detection and medical imaging.

In radiotherapy, FLASH (2–40 Gy in less than 500ms) and Mini-beam or Micro-beam (sub mm) treatments currently very exciting as found to greatly improved sparing of healthy tissue (both x-ray and hadrons)

One recent example using the LASSENA sensor shows resolution (contrast) better than film with fast (34fps) real time image

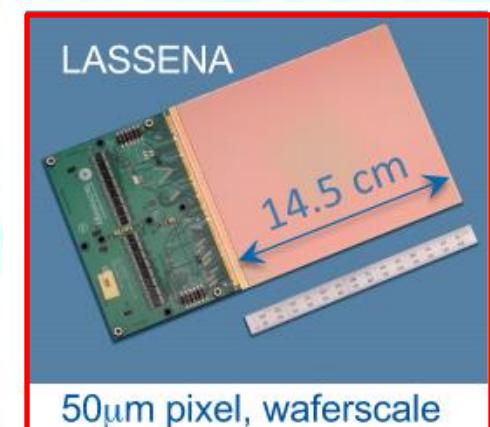
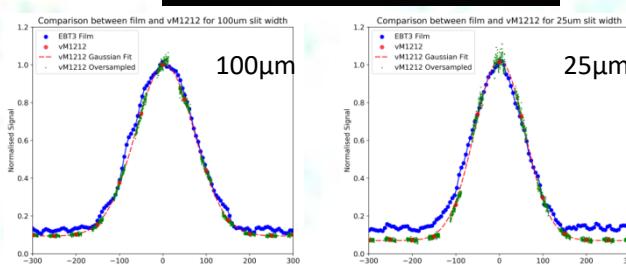
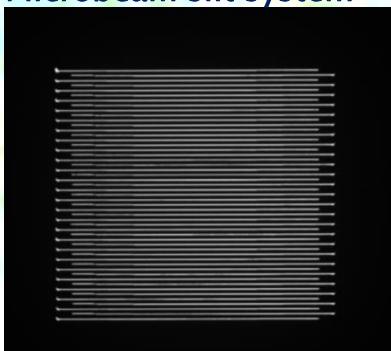
Needs further development  
For use at hadron facilities

*"Evaluation of a pixelated large format CMOS sensor for x-ray microbeam radiotherapy"* Medical Physics, 2020



S. Flynn, T Price. (NPL and UoB)  
225 kV, 1.65 Gy/min, Helmholtz Research Centre in Munich  
<https://doi.org/10.1002/mp.13971>

Microbeam slit system



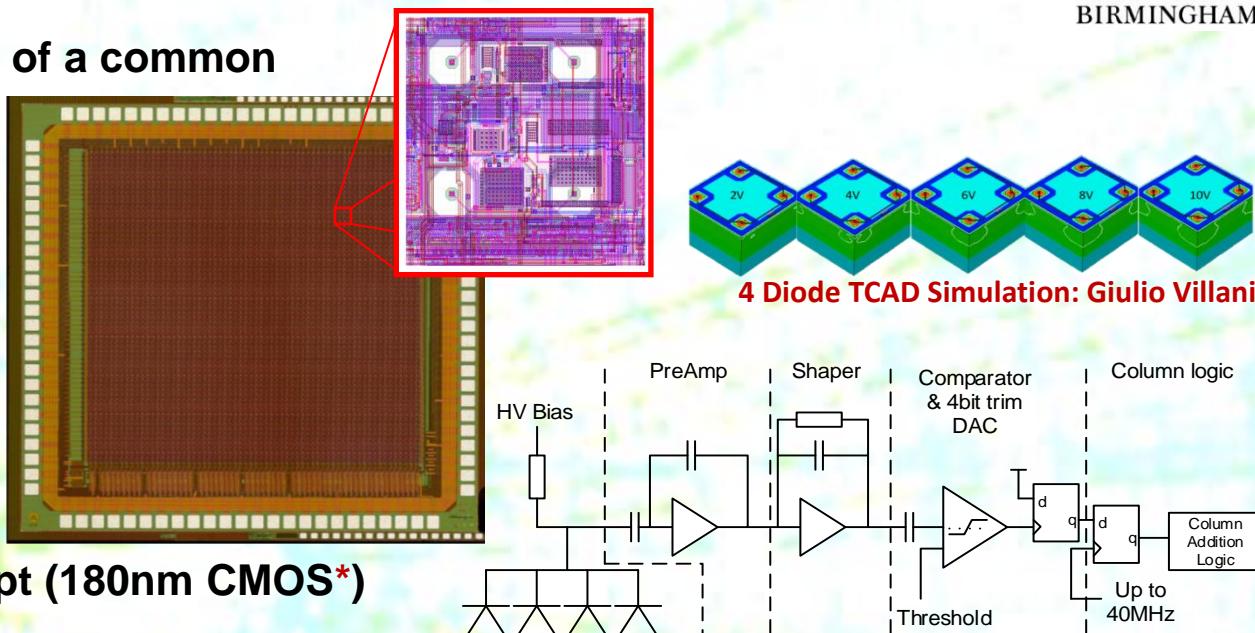
50 μm pixel, waferscale

**Concept, in FCC-hh context, of a common silicon development for:**

- Outer tracking
- Pre-shower
- EM calorimeter

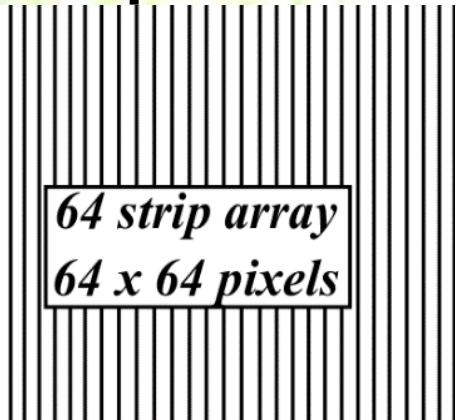
**Reconfigurable sensor as:**

- 5mm×50 $\mu$ m strips
- 5mm×5mm pad



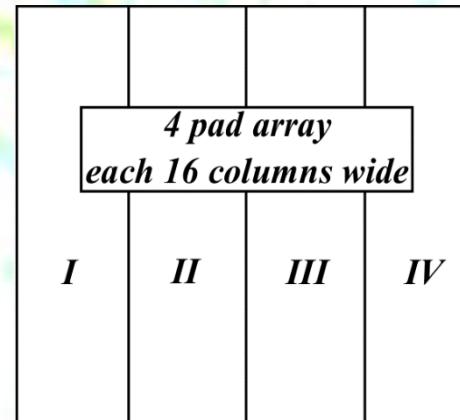
**Prototype as proof of concept (180nm CMOS\*)**

## Strip mode



Information on up to 3 hits per column gives data rate 5.12Gb/s

## Pad mode



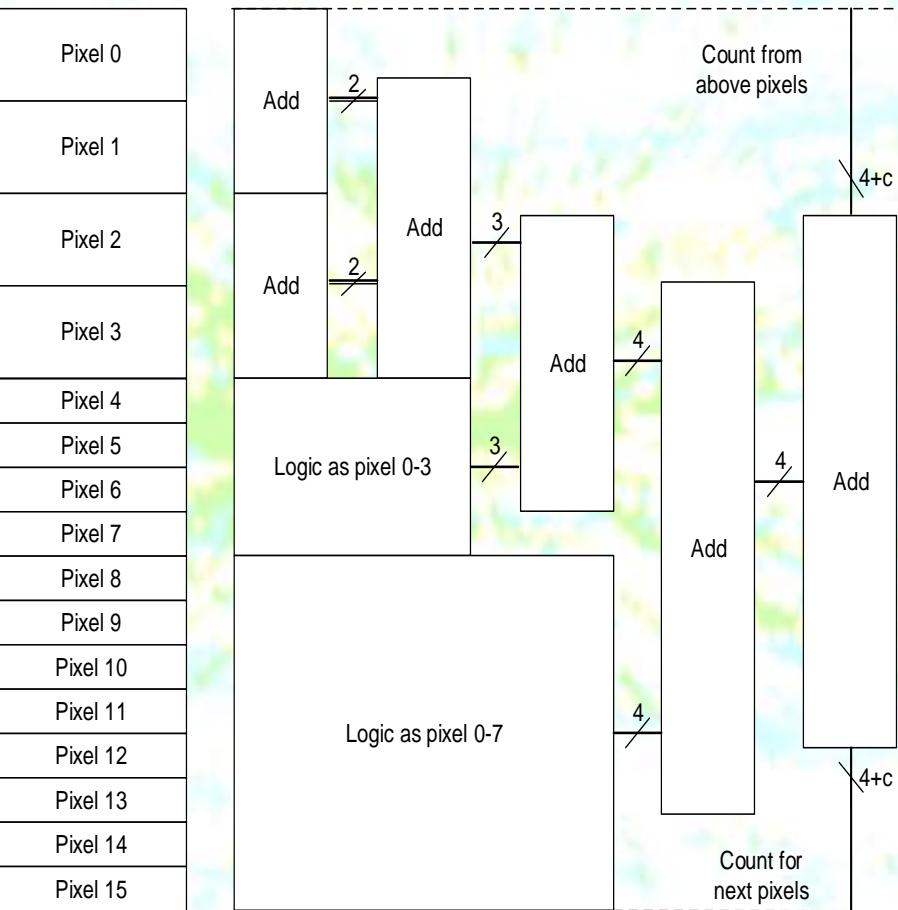
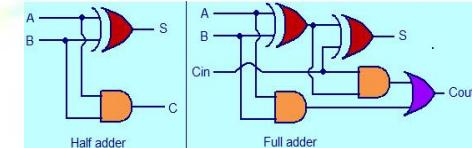
Information on up to 15 hits per column giving 240 hits per pad gives data rate of 2.56Gb/s

**TWEPP (4/9/19) S.Benhammadi**

Specification	Unit	Value
Pixel Pitch	um	55
Resolution	pix	64 x 64
Frame Rate	MHz	40
Input Referred Noise	e- rms	80
Max hits/col (pad mode)	hits	15
Max hits/col (strip mode)	hits	3

**\*TowerJazz**  
**(Small collecting node)**

# DECAL- Summing Logic



**16 pixels are grouped together**

**For PAD mode:**

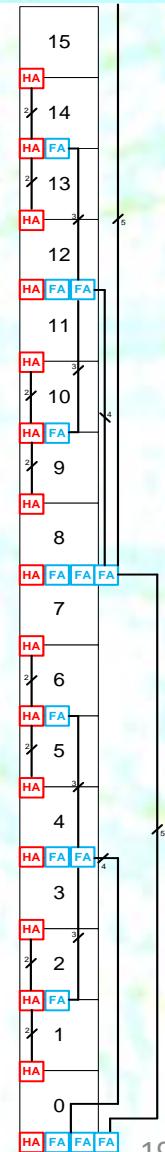
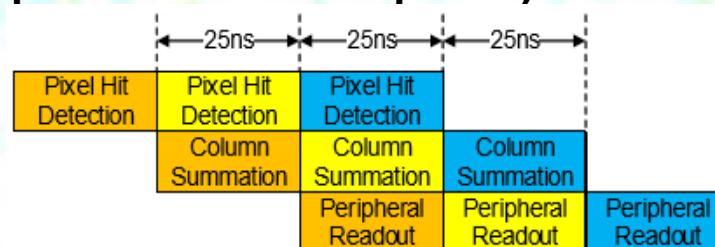
- 4 bits of data + carry (pad mode)

**For STRIP mode:**

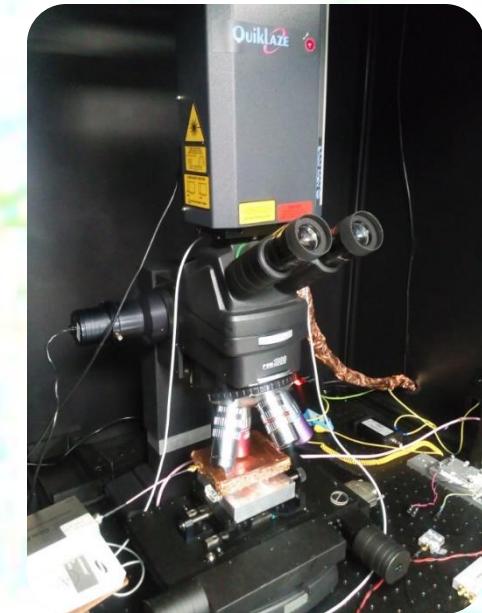
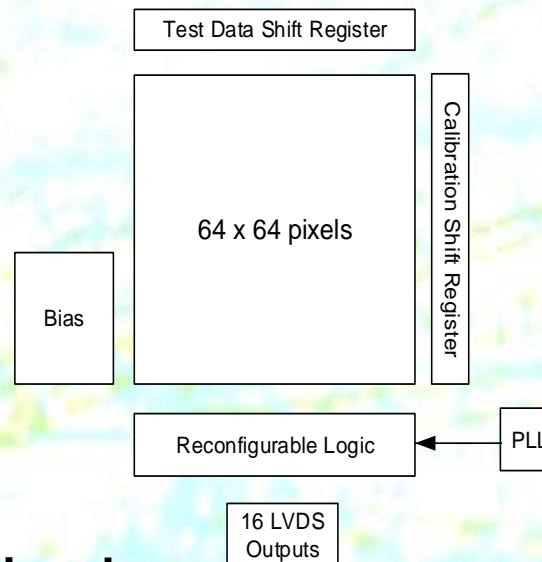
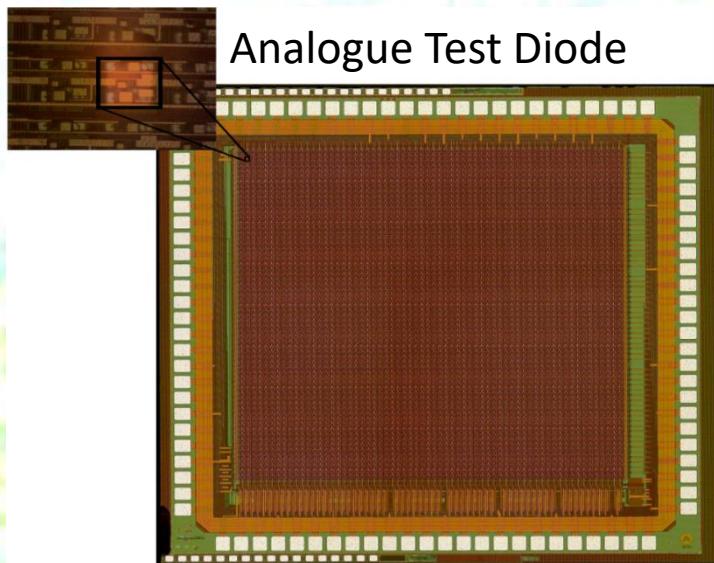
- only the 2 first bits of data used

**To achieve data rate of 40MHz  
column sum has to be complete  
within 25ns using fast logic**

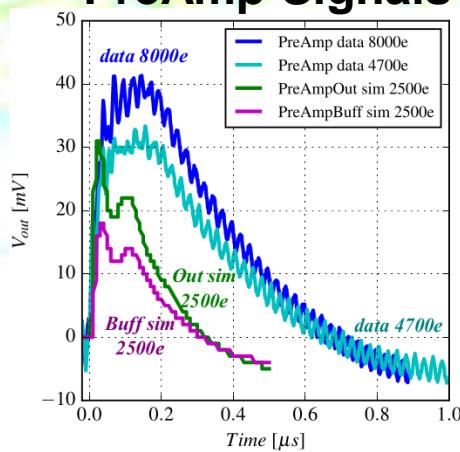
**(Approach should also have  
potential for lower power)**



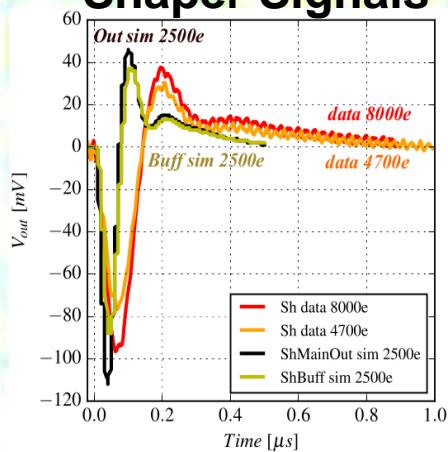
# DECAL – Analogue Performance



PreAmp Signals



Shaper Signals

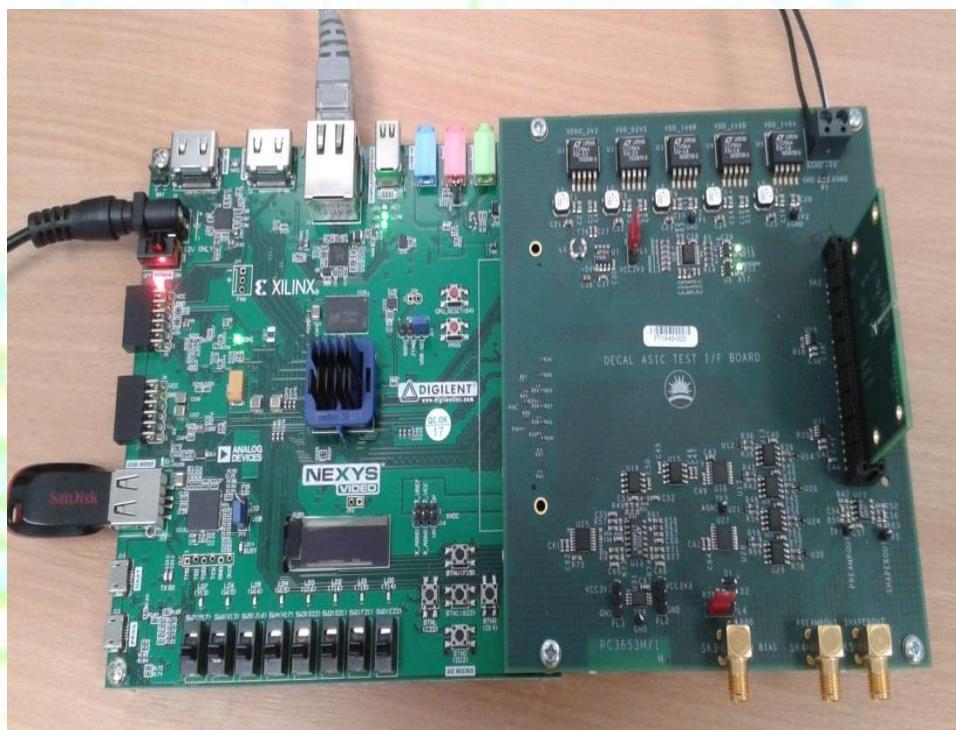


**Some delay in measured response time with respect to FE simulation (but expect ~10ns signal collection)**

**10x10 $\mu$ m<sup>2</sup> TriLite laser (pJ/pulse,  $\lambda=1064$  nm)**

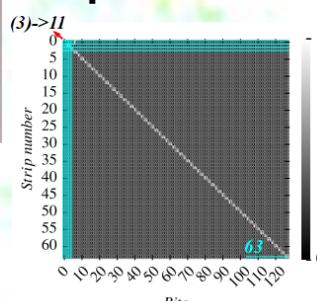
**Estimate of injected charge in 18  $\mu$ m epitaxial layer of DECAL sensor uses measured signal in photodiode**

# DECAL Prototype: Data Acquisition System



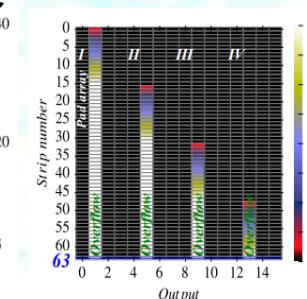
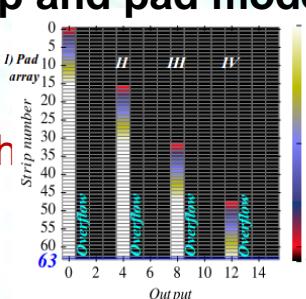
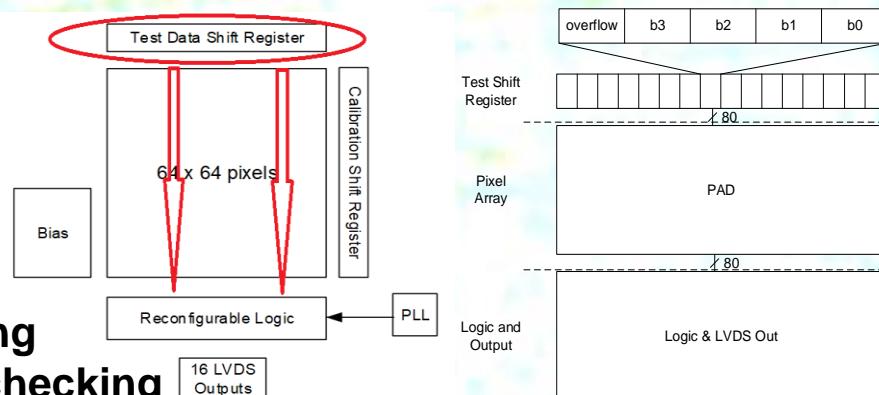
DECAL on Carrier Board

Simulate pixel output by placing data in test shift register and checking output is correct for both strip and pad mode



Pattern of 11'b  
clocked through  
in strip mode

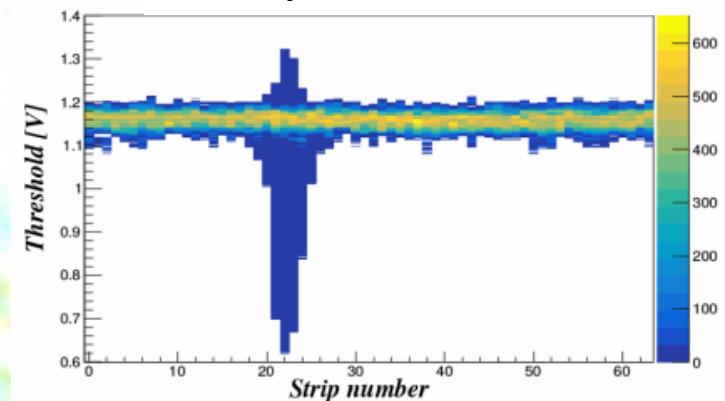
- DIGILENT NEXYS Video Board
- DECAL motherboard allows all the bias voltages and currents to be software controlled.
- Ethernet based readout using ATLAS ITSDAQ software and hardware.
- System allows readout at 40MHz



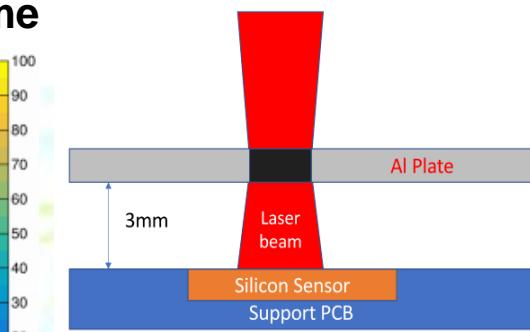
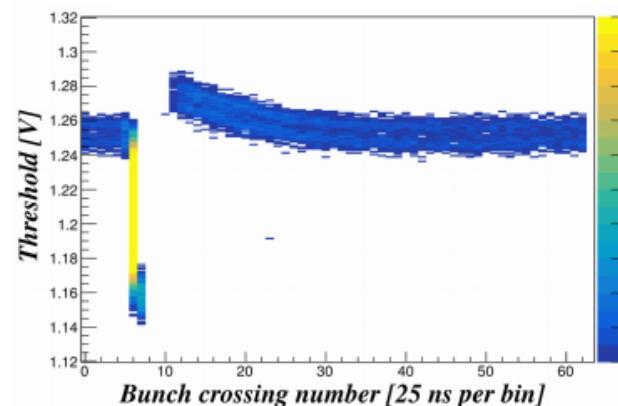
Patterns of  
01111'b and  
10000'b  
clocked in  
pad mode

# DECAL Prototype: Laser Testing

Threshold at which output of comparator first fires vs strip #

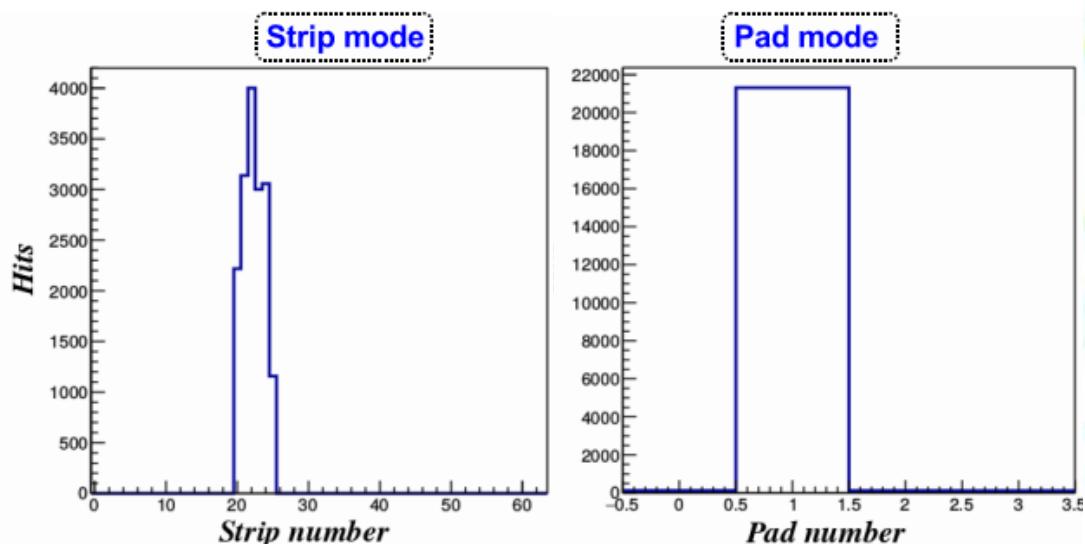


Single strip threshold at which comparator first fires vs time

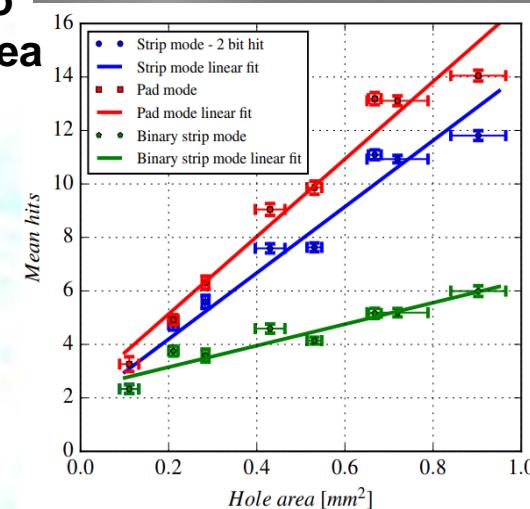


Check pad and strip mode response to different area light spots

IEEE MIC-NSS (30/10/19) I. Kopsalis

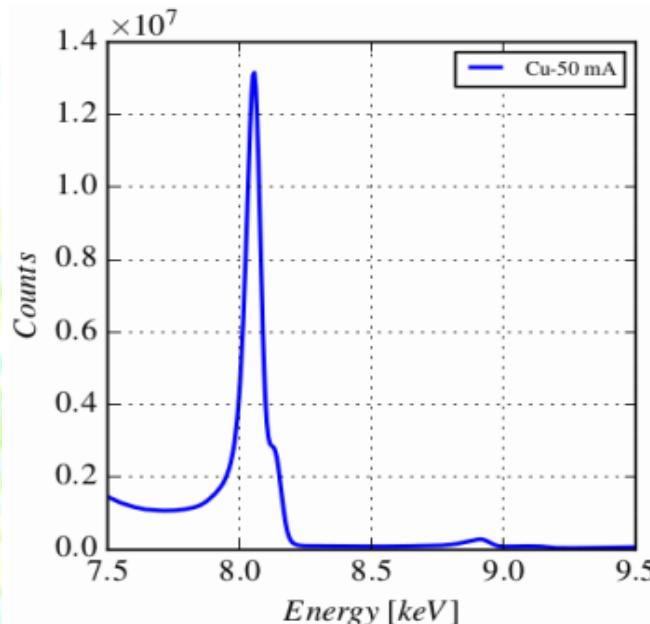


Global threshold value of 1 V

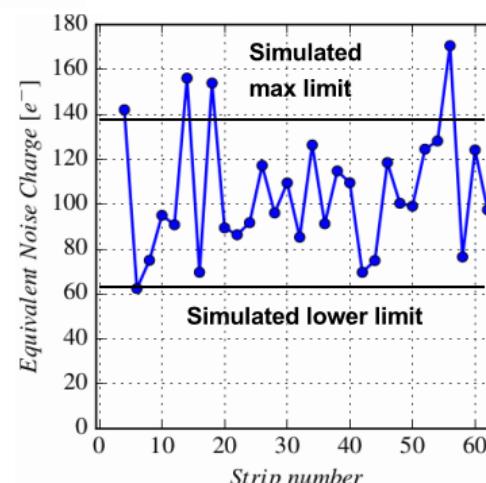
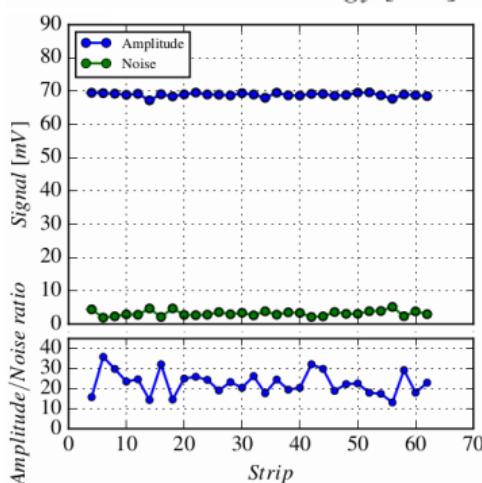
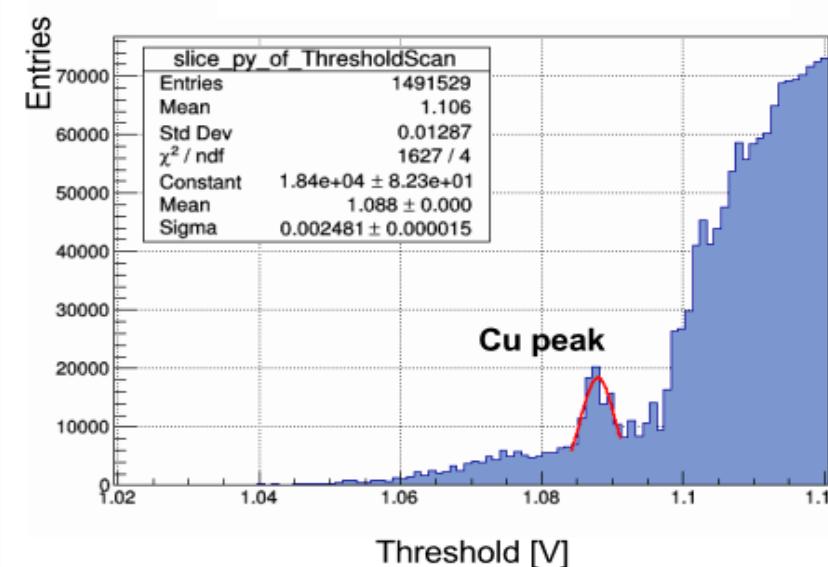


# DECAL Prototype: Cu K<sub>α</sub> Calibration

Energy spectrum of Cu measured  
with RAL HEXITEC detector



Scan of single strip threshold  
at which comparator first fires



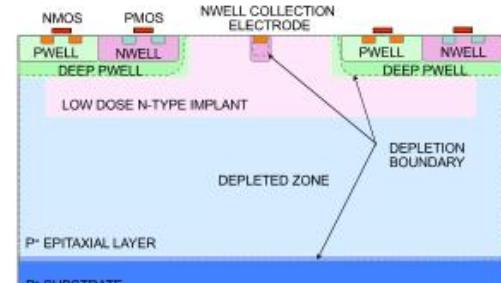
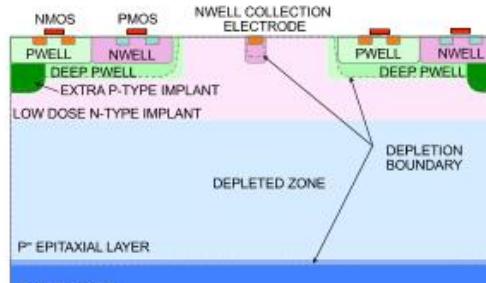
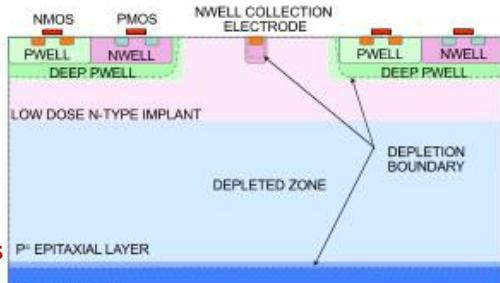
Expected signal:  $8050\text{eV} / 3.6\text{eV}$   
 $= 2236e$

Taking width of fitted peak  
as estimator of noise gives  
Signal/Noise  $\approx 22$

Noise  $\approx 100e$

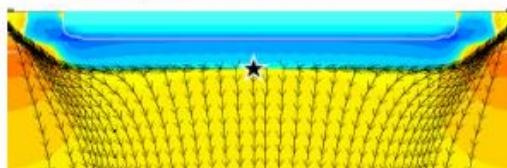
# CERN TJ Developments

- From ALPIDE, CERN has further developed the radiation hardness of the TJ process

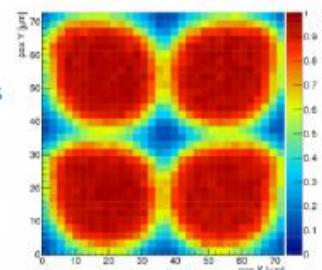


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CERN, Jan 2020

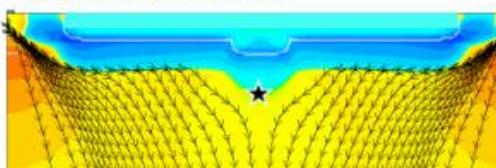
Modified process:



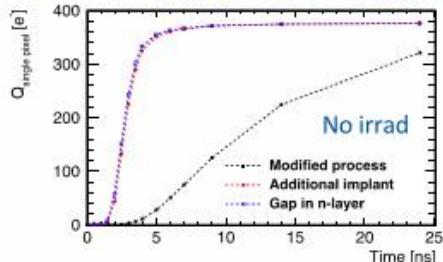
Efficiency drop at pixel edges  
after irradiation  
for  $36.4 \times 36.4 \mu\text{m}^2$  pixel  
needs improvement  
E. Schioppa et al, VCI 2019



Modified process with  
additional p-implant:



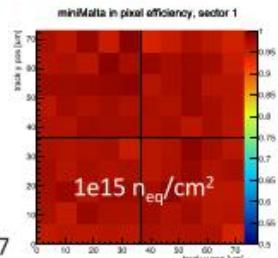
Extra p-type implant or gap in the n-layer for improved lateral field



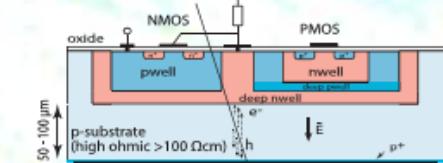
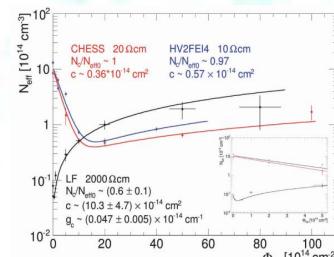
3D TCAD simulation  
M. Munker et al. PIXEL2018

Significant improvement verified  
Also encouraging results with Cz  
H. Pernegger et al., Hiroshima 2019

M. Dyndal et al., arXiv:1909.11987



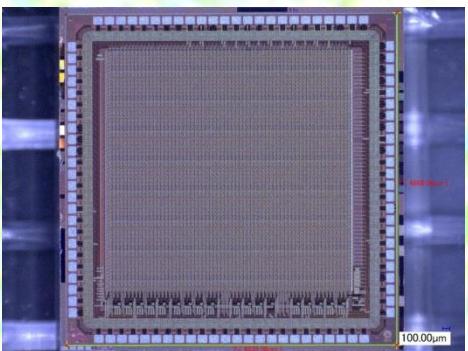
- Similar results with other processes and designs
- Excellent for fast, full signal collection, as well as radiation hardness suitable for hadron colliders



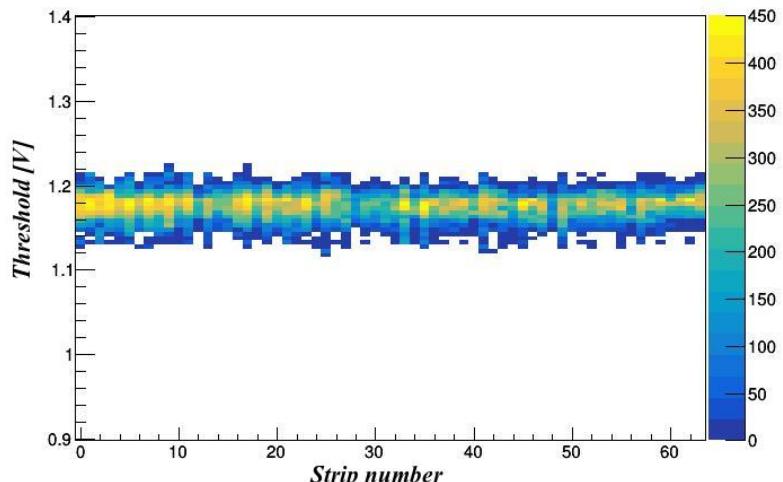
Garcia-Sivieres, M. & Wermes, N. A review of advances in pixel detectors for experiments with high rate and radiation. *Rep. Prog. Phys.* **81**, 066101 (2018).

# DECAL in Modified TJ Process

- For the programme between RAL Particle Physics, Birmingham and STFC CMOS Sensor Design Group, we have now had a new version of the DECAL designed and fabricated in the TJ modified process with help from the CERN group which was delivered in August
- So far we see threshold scans working and are exercising the digital functionality including checking a few minor bug fixes in the new chip, but still early days

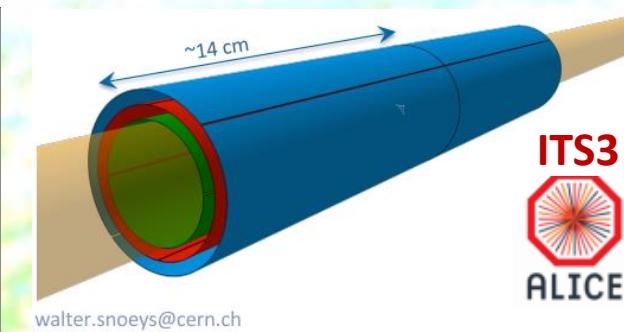
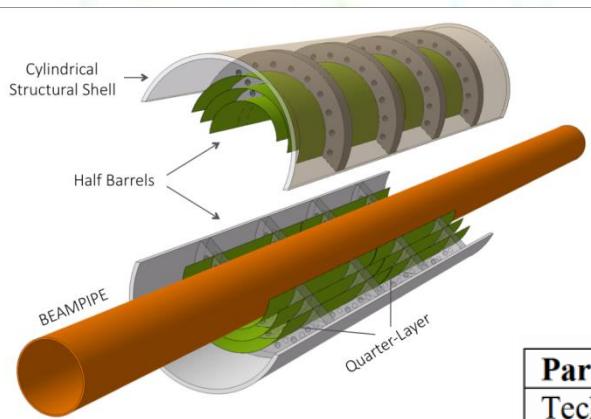


- In parallel, we are working towards MAPS for the EIC vertex detector in collaboration with nuclear physicists at LBNL and Birmingham
- Following participation with the MALTA team, we are contributing to the EP-RD-ET process as part of WP 1.2 with a view to exploiting the 65nm process being explored by CERN (see below) for EIC and FCC/ILC activities



# Towards 65nm CMOS Sensors

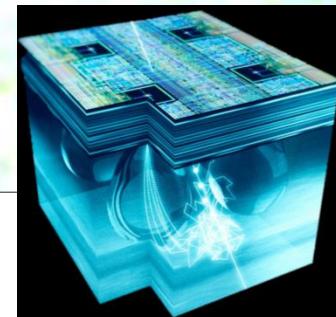
- From ALPIDE, CERN has further developed the radiation hardness of the TJ process
- Working towards the **ITS3** upgrade of ALICE and longer-term CMOS R&D



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**CERN, Jan 2020**

Sensitive area:  $4.12 \text{ cm}^2$   
Inner Barrel:  $36.9 \text{ mW/cm}^2$   
Outer Barrel:  $20.2 \text{ mW/cm}^2$

In the matrix:  
(analog + digital)/area  
 $(22.2 + 3.2) / 4.12 = 6.2 \text{ mW/cm}^2$

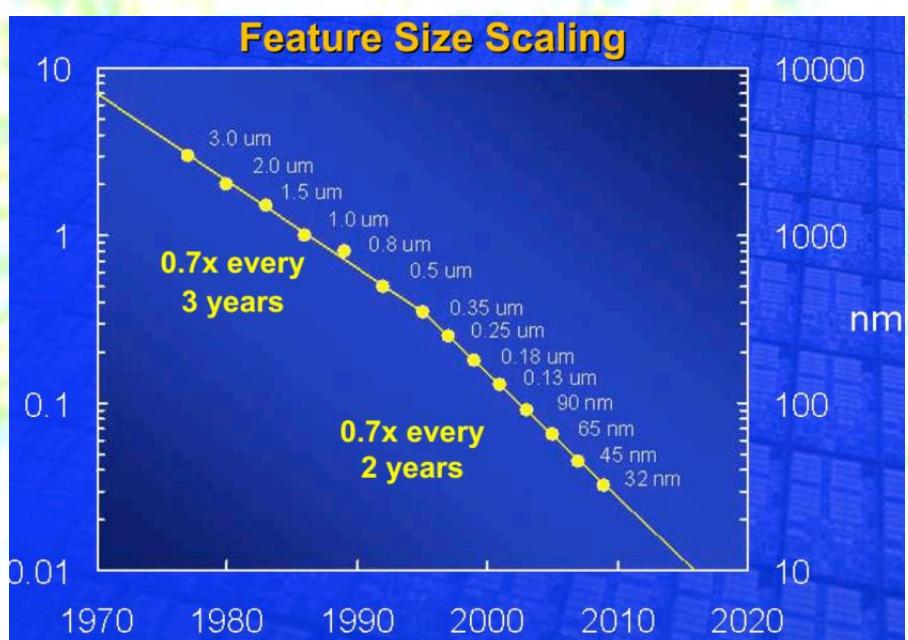


**ALPIDE**

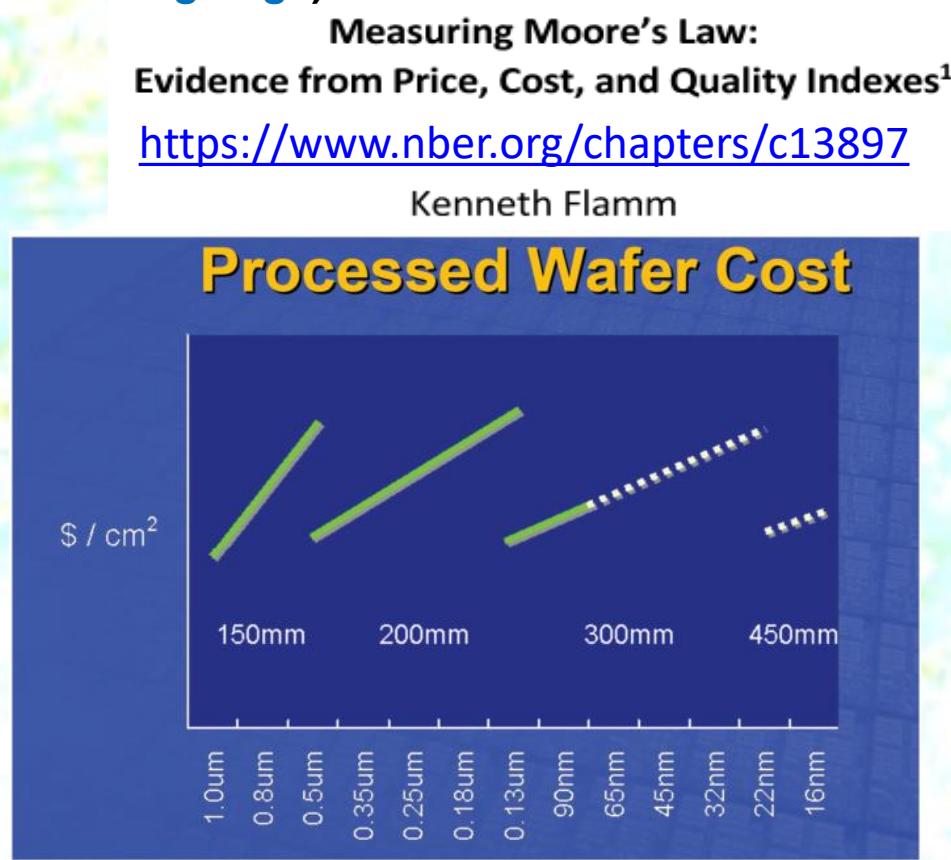
Parameter	ALPIDE (existing)	Wafer-scale sensor (this proposal)
Technology node	180 nm	65 nm
Silicon thickness	50 $\mu\text{m}$	20-40 $\mu\text{m}$
Pixel size	27 x 29 $\mu\text{m}$	$O(10 \times 10 \mu\text{m})$
Chip dimensions	1.5 x 3.0 cm	scalable up to 28 x 10 cm
Front-end pulse duration	$\sim 5 \mu\text{s}$	$\sim 200 \text{ ns}$
Time resolution	$\sim 1 \mu\text{s}$	< 100 ns (option: <10ns)
Max particle fluence	100 MHz/cm <sup>2</sup>	100 MHz/cm <sup>2</sup>
Max particle readout rate	10 MHz/cm <sup>2</sup>	100 MHz/cm <sup>2</sup>
Power Consumption	40 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>	< 20 mW/cm <sup>2</sup> (pixel matrix)
Detection efficiency	> 99%	> 99%
Fake hit rate	$< 10^{-7} \text{ event/pixel}$	$< 10^{-7} \text{ event/pixel}$
NIEL radiation tolerance	$\sim 3 \times 10^{13} 1 \text{ MeV n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$	$10^{14} 1 \text{ MeV n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$
TID radiation tolerance	3 MRad	10 MRad

# More Observations on CMOS Costs

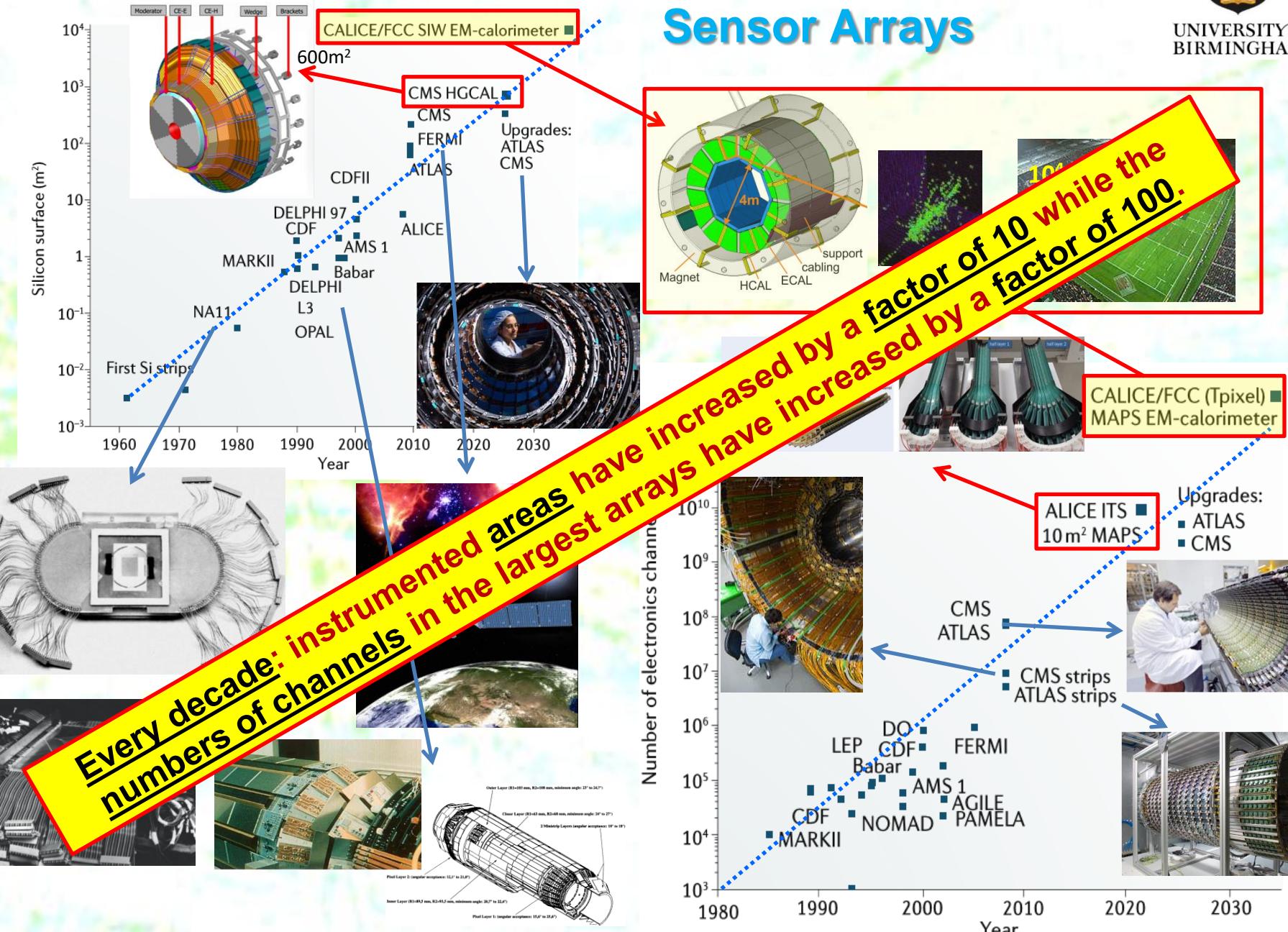
- Getting prices for commercial CMOS Imaging Sensors (CIS) not so easy, but entry costs (NRE, design, etc) are progressively higher with smaller feature size, so R&D prototyping expenses make it highly advantageous to have more common developments.
- Cost per transistor, rather than cost per area, tends to be what Moore's law scaling drives down most quickly (but we do not need *cutting edge*).



(Clearly for our purposes, we care about larger area, as well as greater functionality, unlike the main commercial drivers)



# Historical Development of Silicon Sensor Arrays



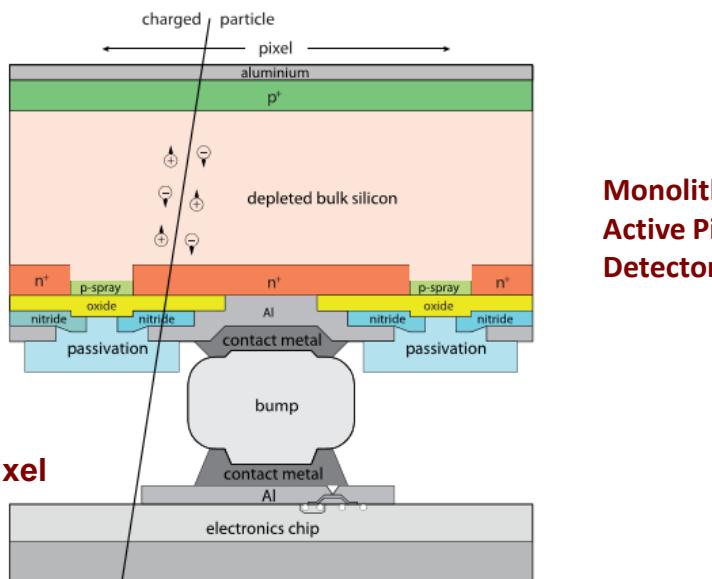
# Conclusions and Observations

- Si-W calorimetry should allow excellent PFA performance with a seamless transition from **outer tracking** → **pre-shower** → **ECAL** in potentially the same technology
  - For future Si-W (Si-Pb) calorimeters to be affordable, need silicon sensor costs to come down to **~few CHF/cm<sup>2</sup>** (as **potential silicon areas are » 10<sup>7</sup>cm<sup>2</sup>**)
  - It could be that this becomes more achievable in CMOS Imaging Sensor technologies given the very large, fast growing commercial market and the overall system cost impact of integrating the front-end electronics with the sensor substrate
- Power needs study as at FCC data rates, CMOS sensor dissipations **~several ×10mW/cm<sup>2</sup>** with no power pulsing could be problematic (cf CMS HGCAL: **~200kW**)
- A prototype has been developed which proves concept of digital ECAL with same CMOS fabrication line that CERN and collaborators have shown, with appropriate design and processing, is now delivering radiation hardness to  $> 10^{15} n_{eq}/cm^2$   
(Reprocessed DECAL prototype recently delivered taking advantage of these features)
  - Digital EM calorimetry also provides an excellent potential solution for electron-ion and e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> facilities with very fast charge collection which could also be useful for triggering
  - Aspects could also be employed with other calorimeter technologies, for example as high granularity pre-shower integrated with outer tracking layers
  - RD50 was **publishing** first results on irradiations in the p-type detector technologies currently being implemented for the HL-LHC ATLAS and CMS upgrade trackers **in 2004**
- **Require ~20 year lead-time for starting R&D targeting largest future systems**

# BACK-UP

# Historical Development of Silicon Sensor Arrays

The highest channel count arrays are based on pixelated detectors. For **hybrid pixel sensors** connection to the electronics requires flip-chip technologies.



Minimum feature size	250nm	130nm	65nm
Example Read-out Hybrid Pixel Chips	ATLAS FE-I3 CMS Medipix	NA62 TDCpix ATLAS IBL FE-I4 LHCb VeloPix Medipix3RX TimePix3	CLICpix RD53A TimePix4
Typical hit data storage density capabilities	<1Gb/s/cm <sup>2</sup>	~5Gb/s/cm <sup>2</sup>	40Gb/s/cm <sup>2</sup>
Output Bandwidth	40-160 Mb/s	0.3-1.2 Gb/s	2-20 Gb/s

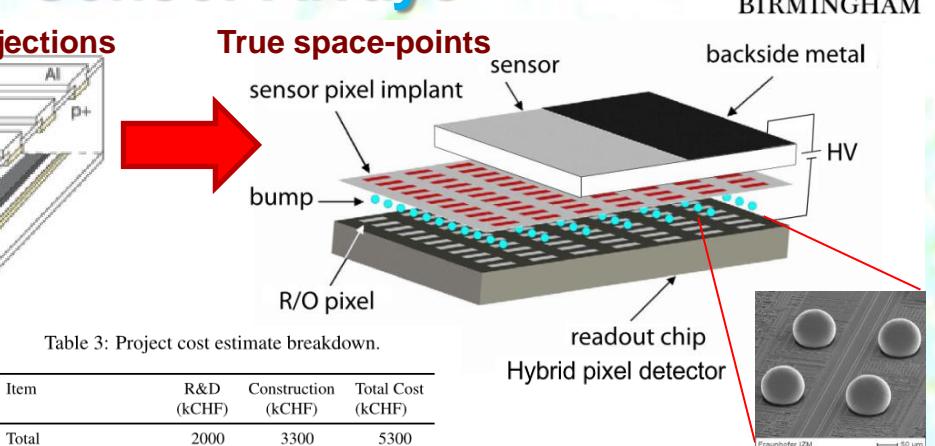
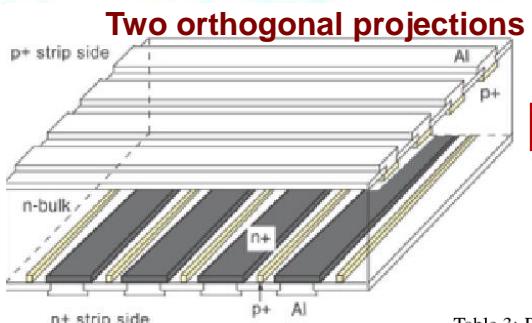
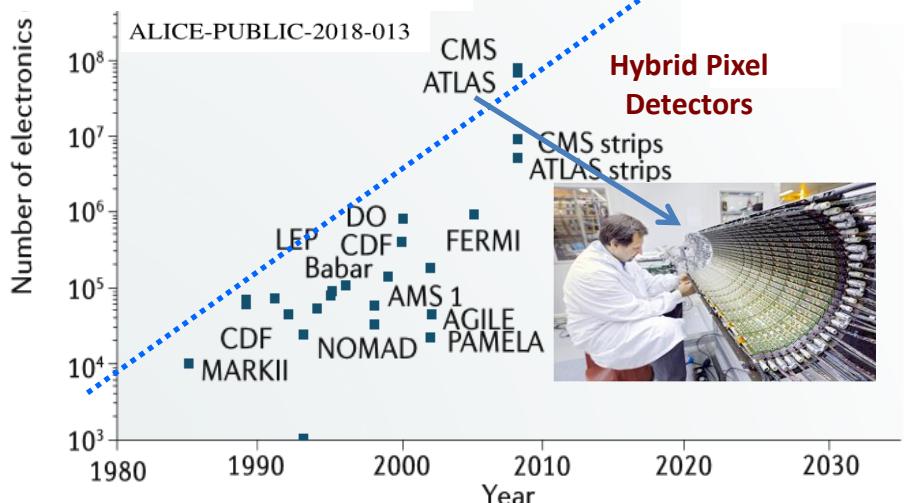


Table 3: Project cost estimate breakdown.

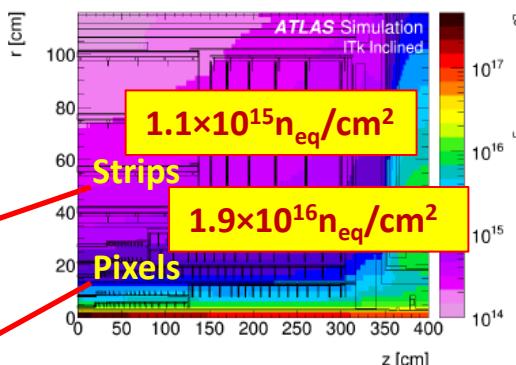
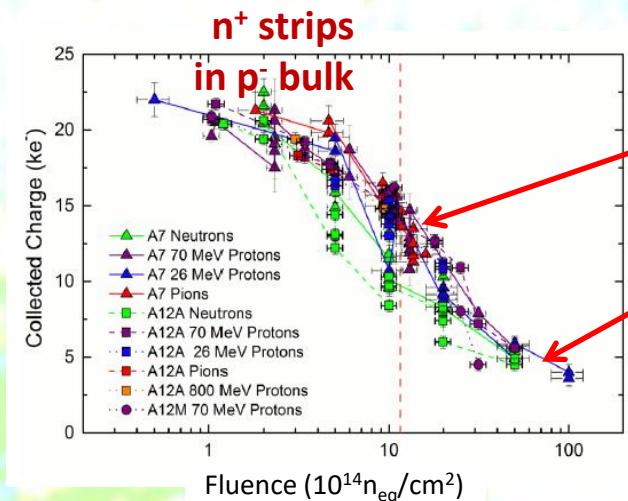
Item	R&D (kCHF)	Construction (kCHF)	Total Cost (kCHF)
Total	2000	3300	5300
Beampipe	600	900	1500
Pixel CMOS Sensors	700	700	1400
Sensor test	100	150	250
Thinning & dicing	200	300	500
Hybrid printed circuit	100	100	200
Mechanics	150	350	500
Assembly & test	50	200	250
Installation tooling	0	200	200
Air cooling	100	150	250
Services	0	100	100
Patch panels	0	150	150

## Monolithic Active Pixel Detectors



# Radiation Effects: Sensors and Electronics

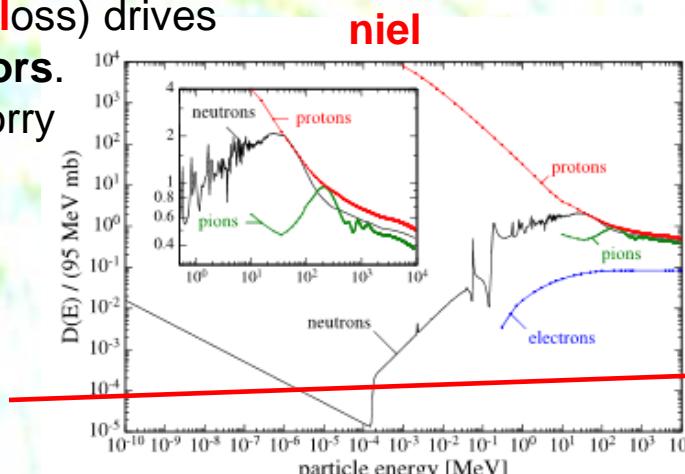
- Hybrid silicon detectors (pixels/strips) **signal** output drops with irradiation to very high doses



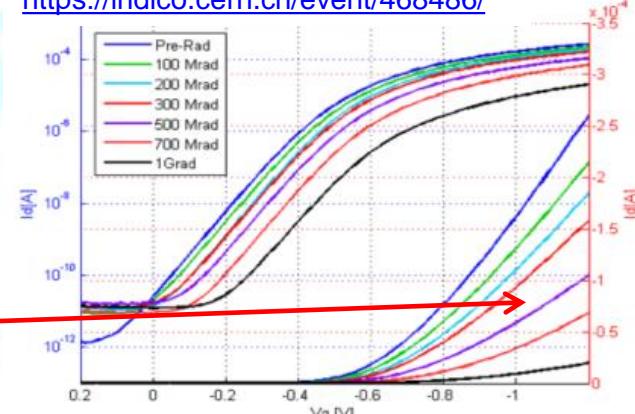
Example of radiation expected at High Luminosity LHC (HL-LHC)  
(Typically apply 1.5 safety factor)

For Monolithic CMOS sensors initially target  $\sim 10^{15} n_{eq}/cm^2$

- Bulk damage** (measured in units of 1MeV equivalent neutrons/cm<sup>2</sup> (assuming scaling with non-ionising energy loss) drives the deterioration of **sensors**.
- For **microelectronics** worry about total ionising dose.
- (65nm CMOS - **RD53**) can start to see significant deterioration above **500Mrad (5MGy)**
- Many different effects



Federico Faccio: PMOS turn-on V<sub>g</sub>  
<https://indico.cern.ch/event/468486/>



# MAPS: HV/HR-CMOS Detectors

- Commercial CMOS Image Sensors offer possible dramatic decrease in costs (Monolithic Active Pixel Sensors)
- MAPS can deliver very low power consumption at low R/O speeds, possibly  $<100\text{mW/cm}^2$  i.e. simple water cooling
  - Ultra low material budget (cf ALICE ITS upgrade: <0.5% for inner layers, <1% for outer layers)
  - But these devices limited in speed and radiation hardness
  - Current and near future MAPS for heavy ion experiments
    - integration time up to  $4\mu\text{s}$  (noise, electron diffusion)
    - radiation resistance up to few  $10^{13} \text{n}_\text{eq} \text{cm}^{-2}$
- Major developments in HV/HR-CMOS
  - deep depletion region with charge collection by drift not diffusion → huge improvements in collection speed and radiation hardness
- Can usually either have small collecting node (and therefore faster and low noise) but shallow charge collection or deplete from the deep n-well with larger signal produced in up to  $100\mu\text{m}$  of silicon but higher capacitance (→ more noise & slower)

