Progress with System Integration of the CBM Silicon Tracking Detector

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STS - Task & integration challenges



STS ladder arrangement

- pile-up free track point determination
 in high-rate collision environment:
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 track multiplicities up to 700/collision
 - momentum resolution $\Delta p/p \approx 1-2\%$
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- 8 tracking stations: $0.3 \text{ m} \le z \le 1.0 \text{ m}$
 - material : $\approx 0.3 \% 1\% X_0$ per station
 - 896 detector modules , 106 ladders
- double-sided silicon microstrip sensors
 - hit spatial resolution \approx 25 μm
 - operation at $T = -5 \ \mathcal{C}$ (radiation field)
- 1.8 million r/o channels, 14 000 r/o ASICs
 - time-stamp resolution \approx 5 ns
 - power dissipation: \approx 40 kW

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Challenges:

- precision assembly of modules, ladders, stations
- cooling of front-end electronics
- cold sensors thermal enclosure
- routing of cables/cooling tubes
- installation into dipole magnet

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Integration – from modules to stations



Progress with module assembly

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Work flow, per side:

- TAB bonding of 1. microcables to ASICs
- TAB bonding of 2. microcables to silicon sensor
- 3. die- and wirebonding of ASICs to FEB
- gluing of shielding 4. layers and spacers



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Progress with module assembly



Detector ladders



sensor mounting with "L-legs"



Beampipe cut-out for central ladders



Carbon fiber ladders

prototypes made in aerospace industry, Germany



- length: 120 cm
- tube supports: 1.5/0.5 mm \varnothing

	prototype 1	prototype 2	prototype 3
support	CFK pipe	CFK pipe	CFK pipe
	0.5/1.5 mm Ø	0.5/1.5 mm Ø	0.5/1.5 mm Ø
matrix	L20/EPH960	L20/EPH960	L20/EPH960
fiber	M55J/6K	M55J/6K	M60J/3K
roving	1	2	3
weight	11.2 g	14.8 g	11.2 g



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STS in Dipole Magnet



Progress with STS CAD model



Sandwich concept:

- Lightweight and stiff
- Parameters depend on filler material
- Versatile configuration



- Unit disassembly
- Integrated design



Peripheral cabling design

Further development requires:

- Thermal testing
- Requirement summary
- Coordination with industrial manufacturers

Further CAD development:

- Finalize cabling concept
- Schematic cable routing
- Integrated design

Construction of a mock-up STS

¼ Unit 07 – detailed CAD:



Status:

- CAD finished
- Assembly ongoing
- Final parts manufacturing
 - FEB dummies
 - ROB/POB dummies



Testing of different types of ladder bearings:



Development of ladder handling tool



Design issues:

- Stress free ladder handling
- Variable length for multiple ladder types
- Mounting and dismounting from Master jig to C-Frame
- Sufficient precision
- Easy handling

Status

- First prototype assembled
- Tests ongoing
- Mounting of Mock-up ladders planned



LV/HV powering scheme

- Sensor bias: ± 200 V, common ground
- FEE floating
- ASIC powering:
 ~ 2.2 V, ca. 4 A
 (per FEB) by a
 FEAST DC/DC
 converter
- Two LDOs convert to 1.8 V (digital) and 1.2 V (analog)
- 12 V, ca. 1 A, and HV are delivered from outside STS



Summary

- Challenges of CBM-STS system integration:
 - precision assembly and mounting of its components, to yield the final spatial resolution
 - fast front-end electronics requires efficient cooling (CO2)
 - cold operation of sensors requires thermal enclosure
 - routing of services
 - installation in dipole magnet
- Module assembly: fully developed, dummy modules produced.
 - FEB under development for functional modules
- Ladder assembly: procedure and tooling under development
- System integration:
 - CAD well advanced, in concept and detail
 - ¼ unit demonstrator and cooling demonstrators under construction
 - electronics & powering components being produced
 - open topic: beam pipe section in STS
- Aim to advance system integration towards production readiness in 2018.



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- KIT, Karlsruhe, Germany
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