Pulse Height Analysis of 3D pCVD Diamond Detectors

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    - Pad Detectors $\rightarrow$ whole diamond as single cell readout
    - Pixel Detectors $\rightarrow$ diamond sensor on pixel readout chip
    - 3D Pixel Detectors $\rightarrow$ 3D diamond detector on pixel readout chip

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- II6-A2 broke in October 2016 (chip malfunctioned) $\rightarrow$ successful re-bonding
- II6-B6 has long history of breaking ...

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History of II6-B2:

- 06/2017 - sensor processing and detector fabrication

- 08/2017 - first measurement → wrong chip calibration → high threshold ($\sim$10 ke)

- 04/2018 - several pixels malfunction → re-bump-bonding to new chip

- 06/2018 - sensor detaches while shipping → re-bump-bonding, fixate with silguard

- 11/2018 - efficiency worsens and sensor detaches again

Section 2

3D Pixel Detector

Diamond as Particle Detector
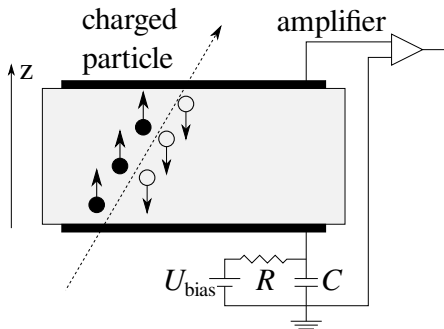
(a) Detector Schematics

(b) 15 cm ⌀ pCVD Diamond Wafer

- detectors operated as ionisation chambers
- metallisation on both sides
- poly-crystals produced in large wafers
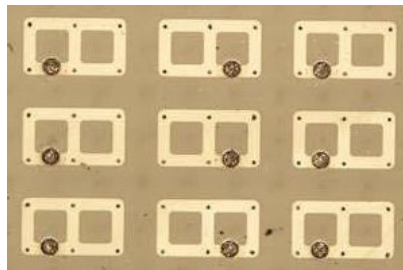
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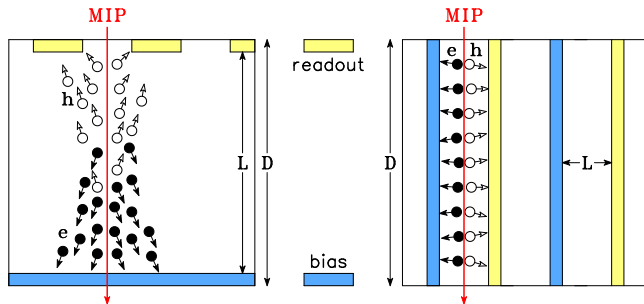
- after large radiation fluence all detectors become trap limited

- bias and readout electrode inside detector material

- same thickness D → same amount of induced charge → shorter drift distance L

- **increase collected charge in detectors with limited mean drift path (Schubweg)**

Bump Bonding

Ti-W bump pad +UBM

ROC electronics

solder bump

readout column

bias column

Cr-Au bias contact
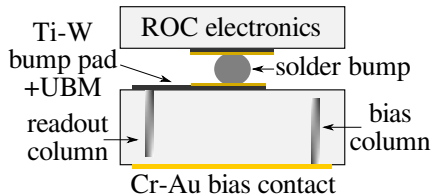
(a) Bump bond schematics

(b) 3×2 bump pads

- electrodes (columns) drilled with femto-second laser

- connection to bias and readout with surface metallisation

- ganging of cells to match pixel pitch of readout-chip (ROC)

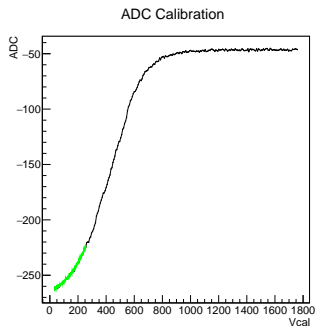- small gap ($\sim$15 µm) to the surface to avoid a high voltage break-through
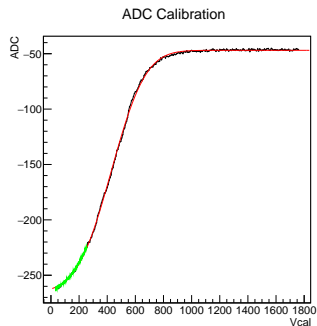
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Pulse Height Calibration

Pixel Unit Cell
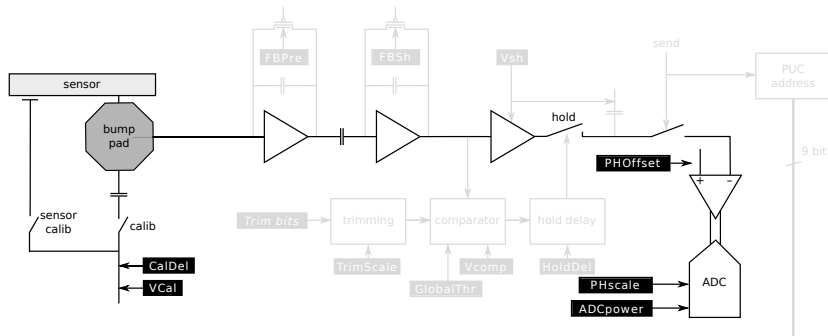
- inject calibration signal ($\sim$ vcal) through sensor into same circuit as real signals

- shaping, amplification, threshold check

- set amplification offset

- convert to 8 bit adc value with adjustable scale $\rightarrow$ readout
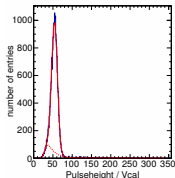
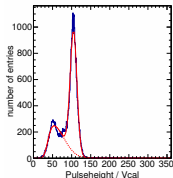## ADC Calibration

(a) ADC calibration for single pixel.

(b) Error function fit.

- measure adc values for calibration pulses with different vcal
- adc follows error function and saturates for high vcal
- fit every pixel and save fit parameters
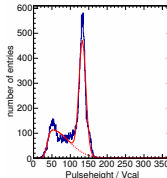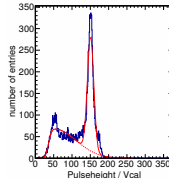- adjust adc offset and range with DACs of the chip

Vcal Calibration

(a) Zn target.

(b) Mo target.

(a) Ag target.

(b) Sn target.

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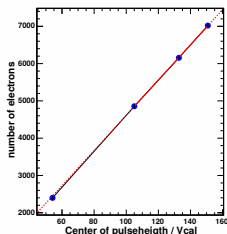
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Figure: Vcal Calibration.

- measure energy spectra of K_α lines of four metal targets using ADC-calibration

- linear dependence of energy [e] and vcal

- fit K_α points with straight line (similar for each chip)

- impossible to do calibration with diamond (energy too low)
   - use general value from silicon: $e = 47.5 \cdot vcal + 500\,e$

Section 4

Analysis

Cuts

Cut	Excluded Events
event range	first minute of the run due to various beam conditions
beam interruptions	during rate changes of the beam due to beam interruption
aligned	DUT and Telescope are not aligned (event-wise)
trigger phase	Chip trigger timing is incorrect
tracks	not all telescope planes have exactly one cluster
chi2 (x/y)	badly fit tracks ($>50\,\%$ quantile)
track slope (x/y)	large angles of the tracks ($>2\,$deg)
rhit	large DUT residual ($>100\,$mm)
pixel mask	noisy pixels
fiducial	not in selected (fiducial) area of the DUT

Table: Analysis cut flow.

- cuts applied in order of the table
- largest contribution usually by chi2, tracks and fiducial cuts

Cut Contributions
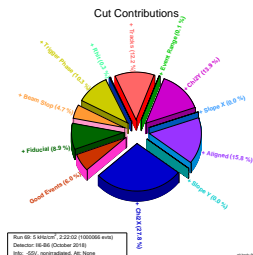
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