A CCD Vertex Detector for the Future e^+e^- Linear Collider

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Ideas based on SLD vertex detector (307 M Pixels), extended to 799 M pixels.

- Physics goals
- Detector design overview
- Layer thickness
- Readout rate; CCD architecture

Physics Goals

• TeV regime may be characterised by a wide range of SM and beyond-SM processes, typically with small cross-sections, many with high multiplicities of heavy-quark jets, eg

$e^+e^- \rightarrow t\overline{t}$	usually 6 jets, two <i>b</i> -flavoured and two <i>c</i> -flavoured
$e^+e^- ightarrow t\overline{t}h$	usually 8 jets, four <i>b</i> -flavoured
$e^+e^- ightarrow AH$	12 jets, four <i>b</i> -flavoured

• Precision measurements (eg of Higgs branching ratios) can distinguish between SM and other models.

 \rightarrow Thus, need for highly efficient and pure *b* and *c* tags is evident

• Vertex charge is valuable to distinguish *b* from \overline{b} and *c* from \overline{c}

Important for angular analyses eg for

ZZH and *Z* γ *H* anomalous couplings

• Charge dipole (demonstrated in SLD) can distinguish *b* from \overline{b} even in case of B^0 final state





The SLD Vertex Detectors

VXD2

Proc 26th Int Conf on HEP, Dallas TX (1992)





NIM A400 (1997) 287



 $e^{\scriptscriptstyle +}e^{\scriptscriptstyle -}$ linear collider will inevitably have high background at small radii



A pixel detector is extremely tolerant of this background







SLD & Future LC Detector Properties

Detector	VXD2	VXD3	Future LC
CCDs	480	96	120
CCD active area (cm ²)	1.2	12.8	27.5
Number of pixels (×10 ⁶)	120	307	799
Effective no. of layers	2	3	5
Inner layer radius (mm)	28	28	15
Layer thickness (% X_0)	1.1	0.4	0.06
$(\cos\theta)_{\max}$ (2-hit)	0.75	0.90	0.96
Imp. param resoln. $\sigma_{r_{\phi}}$	11⊕70 <i>/ p</i> sin ^⅔ θ	$9 \oplus 33 / p \sin^{\frac{3}{2}} \theta$	$3.5 \oplus 6.5/p \sin^{\frac{3}{2}} \theta$
σ _{rz}	$38 \oplus 70 / p \sin^{\frac{3}{2}} \theta$	$17 \oplus 33 / p \sin^{\frac{3}{2}} \theta$	$3.5 \oplus 6.5 / p \sin^{3/2} \theta$
Readout time	160 ms	216 ms	50/250 μs (8 ms for NLC)



• Currently pushing the 'unsupported silicon' option



• Results with thin glass CCD models are most encouraging





 Assisted by the strong technology evolving for PTPs (paperthin packages)



0.06% X_0 /layer would be excellent, but this imposes pressure on the beampipe thickness



0.07% X₀ may be possible (0.25 mm beryllium), by using the VXD support shell for strain relief



Layer 1-3 provide first class coverage to cos θ = 0.96
< 1% X₀ total

Readout Rate/CCD Architecture

- NLC: $190 \times 120 = 22.8 \times 10^3$ bunches/s
- TESLA: $2820 \times 5 = 14.1 \times 10^3$ bunches/s

Luminosity and background per bunch are similar.

- NLC: CCD readout in 8 ms between bunch trains provides adequate background control
- TESLA: 15 times more luminosity per train, so need to read repeatedly during each train of 950 μ s
- \rightarrow Concept of column-parallel readout in 50 μ s, which is interesting for other CCD application areas.

[An earlier option of fast clear, fast trigger and kicker magnet to kill the bgd was excluded by GMSB and other subtle signatures: the LC DAQ *must* run in an untriggered mode.]



- Maybe no-reset output with resistive load
- Single row of staggered bump bonds follows standard industrial practice
- Goal is 50 MHz parallel clocking with 1-3 V drive voltages
 - $\rightarrow\,$ what implications for on-CCD buslines, in-detector cooling?
- Signal processing well-matched to 0.25 μ m processing. Much can be learned from CMOS active pixel imaging devices



Initial studies based on 3-phase clocking



SPICE model of column-parallel CCD gate structure (VXD layer 1 dimensions)





However, the LC lends itself to 2-phase sinusoidal operation, starting slightly before the bunch train



Latest estimates:

In detector power dissipation \approx 9 Watts!

 \rightarrow a very gentle flow of cooling gas

[Ladder ends will need more aggressive cooling: 'no problem'.]



- Background occupancy 5.9 hits/mm² (layer 1) to 0.6 hits/mm² (layer 5)
 - \rightarrow ~ 2.6×10⁶ hits/train
 - \rightarrow 15 MB stored on detector during train and read out to a selected available processor between trains
 - \rightarrow a few optical fibres each end

Conclusions

- We have about 5 years of R&D before technology choices need to be made
- CCDs, while promising, could run up against show stoppers such as:

present goals achieved too late or not at all

manufacturers losing interest

radiation environment (specially neutrons)

- For *all* options, CCDs, hybrid pixels and CMOS pixels, important to push hard. Much scope for development; physics prizes could be immense
- All these technologies are in demand for many applications. Developments are likely to make brisk progress into the distant future, independent of HEP community
- The preferred technology may well change during the life of the collider
- Therefore vital to ensure convenient access to the inner detector, in order to permit instrumentation upgrades (vertex detector, beamsize monitor, beam position monitors) every few years.