# **ATLAS Diamond Pixel Modules**

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#### 78 participants

# **Diamond for Particle Tracking**

### Properties of diamond

- Radiation hard
- Low capacitance
- Small leakage current
- Room temperature operation
- Fast signal collection time
- High thermal conductivity

Disadvantage: Smaller signal than Si

### Signal formation Charged Particle Diamond Particle Diamond Particle Liectrodes

### Parameter of Interest: Charge Collection Distance

$$Q{=}\tfrac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{t}}Q_0$$

Q: collected charge Q<sub>o</sub>: ionized charge d: charge collection distance t: thickness of the diamond

 $\mathsf{d} = (\mu_e \tau_e + \mu_h \tau_h) \mathsf{E}$ 

E: average electric field  $\mu_e,\mu_h$ : mobility of electrons/holes  $\tau_e, \tau_h$ : lifetime of electrons/holes Experimentally:

$$\bar{d} = \frac{\langle Q \rangle \ [e]}{36 \ e/\mu \mathrm{m}}$$

# **Fabrication of Diamond Sensors**

### **Chemical Vapor Deposition**

- Microwave growth reactor
- Diamond growth copies substrate
  - × pCVD → several crystal seed centers
  - × scCVD → single crystal substrate (limited to ~1 cm<sup>2</sup>)
- Best pCVD material is grown thick ~2mm
- Polishing and thinning can improve charge collection distance







### Metallization of Diamond

- No doping necessary
- Metal contacts applied by sputtering or evaporation
- Contacts can be applied as pads, strips or pixels



## **Diamond Pixel Modules**





- > 16 FE chip and single FE chip devices produced
- > ATLAS pixel FE (FE-I3) and support electronics
- > Bump-bonded at IZM (Berlin), dressed and tested in Bonn
- Typical operating parameters for FE-I3: threshold ~1450e-1600e
   Peaking time ~22ns
   Noise ~
  - Noise ~ 140e Overdrive ~800e

# scCVD Diamond Pixel Module



#### 395µm thick scCVD diamond

•Sensor is ~10mm x ~10mm

•Constructed in Fall 2006

•2200/2880 bump-bonded pixels

• 50x400µm

•Data taken at CERN: 120GeV pions



### **Cluster Signal**



Use tracking to predict hit position inside a pixel
Bias and Threshold dependant
Charge sharing and Cluster signal as expected



Measured resolution =  $8.9 \mu m \pm 0.1 \mu m$ 

- •Normal incident tracks
- •Signal/Threshold ~8

•Typical ATLAS silicon module resolution  $\sim 10 \ \mu m$ 

•Lower Threshold  $\rightarrow$  better resolution





## **Radiation Hardness Studies**

- Lab Characterization: Source tests
- Test beams: pads, strips and pixels
- Irradiations:
  - 24GeV protons -> Cern SPS
  - o 70 MeV protons -> Sendai
  - 25 MeV protons -> Karlsruhe
  - Neutrons ->Ljubljana



12cm wafer Cr/Au dots 1cm apart







40

30 L

ε >99%

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Irradiated to

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2000

 $1.5 \times 10^{15} \,\mathrm{p/cm^2}$ 

2500

ADC Value of Cluster

3000

- Studies performed with many pCVD & scCVD samples
- $\triangleright$  Diamonds irradiated up to ~18 x 10<sup>15</sup> p/cm<sup>2</sup>

### Irradiation Studies: scCVD Pixel Module





>scCVD diamond pixel module, 395 µm thick
>Both the sensor and electronics were irradiated



Time over Threshold • measured in 25ns clock cycles

A. La Rosa, 2008

#### **Proton Irradiation Summary -- Preliminary** Preliminary Summary of Proton Irradiations 500 collection distance (um) Radiation Damage 24GeV protons 450 400 Red Data: strip scCVD (x-shifted by -3.8) Open Red: pixel scCVD (x-shifted by -3.2) 350 Blue Data: strip pCVD 300 250 Blue curve: ccd=ccd0/[1+k\*phi\*ccd0] charge 200 150 100 50 0 10 15 20 25 0 5 Irradiation (x10^15 p/cm^2) pCVD and scCVD diamond follow the same damage curve:

 $1/ccd=1/ccd_0 + k \phi$ .

# **Research Plans**

#### Diamond R&D approved by ATLAS for LHC Upgrade R&D

#### Proposing Institutes:

- Carleton University (Canada)
- University of Toronto (Canada)
- University of Bonn (Germany)
- Jožef Stefan Institute (Slovenia)
- CERN
- Ohio State University (US)
- Submitted May 2007
- Approved Feb 2008
- Technical Decision 2010



#### Diamond Pixel Modules for the High Luminosity

#### ATLAS Inner Detector Upgrade

#### ATLAS Upgrade Document No: Institute Document No:

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Abstract

The goal of this proposal is to construct diamond pixel modules as an option for the ATLAS pixel detector upgrade. This proposal is made possible by progress in three areas: the recent reproducible production of high quality polycrystalline Chemical Vapour Deposition diamond material in wafers, the successful completion and test of the first diamond ATLAS pixel module, and the operation of a diamond after irradiation to  $1.8 \times 10^{16}$  p/cm<sup>2</sup>. In this proposal we outline the results in these three areas and propose a plan to build 5 to 10 ATLAS diamond pixel modules, characterize their properties, test their radiation hardness, explore the cooling advantages made available by the high thermal conductivity of diamond and demonstrate industrial viability of bump-bonding of diamond pixel modules. Based on availability and size polycrystalline Chemical Vapour Deposition diamond has been chosen as the baseline solution. The use of single crystal Chemical Vapour Deposition diamond is reserved as a future option if the manufacturers can attain sizes in the range IOmm x IOmm.

#### Reference $\rightarrow$ ATU-RD-MN-0012, EDMS ID: 903424



All steps from polished sensor to bump bonding performed at IZM
 Bump-bonded sent to Bonn for dressing: flex, services
 1<sup>st</sup> module to be built by industry



• Edge of diamond left metalized

## Industrialization: Damage

- Diamond edge was left metalized  $\rightarrow$  Module shorted out with 10V bias
- 7/16 FE chips were damaged
- Returned to IZM for re-build
  - visible damage to FE chips
  - All FE chips replaced
  - Diamond cleaned, re-metalized
  - Improved edge treatment





Successful rebuild -> recycling diamond sensors works Module is currently in test beam at CERN

# Diamond Module Plans

- Re-test ATLAS pixel modules at CERN Done
- Continue irradiations of pCVD and scCVD diamonds
  - > Map out damage curves for many particle types and energies
  - Status: In Progress!

### Industrialization of module production – In progress

- > 1<sup>st</sup> module produced in industry
- Currently in Test beam at CERN

### Produce 5-10 Modules – Ongoing

- > 4-16 Chip FE-I3 modules to be built
- 4-1chip FE-I4 modules: waiting for FE-I4

### Festing Modules

- > Beam tests of production modules
- Fest radiation hardness of produced modules









### Charge & Resolution vs. Bias Voltage





# Collected Charge vs. Dose



•Both diamond and electronics irradiated



- •Raw ToT values per hit, "online" plots  $\rightarrow$  no tracking yet
- •Global ToT calibration: 30ToT = 10ke
- •One hit and multiple hit events visible
- •Charge sharing decreases as bias voltage increases



### Irradition Results: Charge Collected BEFORE irradiation (f<sub>T</sub>= 0.7 x 10<sup>15</sup> p/cm<sup>2</sup>)

July 08 - MPV of charge collected October 06 - MPV of charge collected 1 hit 1 hit Entries 56 Entries 34 Entries Entries 22 22 9041 Mean 1.16e+04 Mean 20 20 RMS 103.7 RMS 63.51 18 18  $\chi^2$  / ndf 2.758 / 1  $\chi^2$  / ndf 16.19/2 Constant 66.74 ± 14.17 16 16 Constant  $96.93 \pm 19.40$ MPV  $9025 \pm 41.9$ 14 14 MPV 1.154e+04 ± 13 Sigma  $95.65 \pm 23.16$ 12 12 Sigma  $\textbf{36.06} \pm \textbf{5.33}$ 10 10 ക്ൽ <del>4000</del> 7000 8000 9000 10000 11000 12000 13000 11000 11500 12000 9500 10000 10500 12500 13000 Signal Signal

MPV of Charge Collected: ≈ 11540e
MPV of TOT : ≈34.6
Bias: -400 V
Th= ~1700e

MPV of Charge Collected: ≈ 9025e MPV of TOT : ≈27.6 Bias: - 800V Th= ~1470e

Only data from events with a single hit in each of the telescope planes are selected.

# Properties of Diamond and Silicon

Property	Diamond	4H-SiC	Si
Band Gap [eV]	5.5	3.3	1.12
Breakdown field [V/cm]	$10^{7}$	$4 \times 10^{6}$	$3 \times 10^5$
Resistivity [Ω-cm]	$> 10^{11}$	$10^{11}$	$2.3 \times 10^{5}$
Intrinsic Carrier Density [cm <sup>-3</sup> ]	$< 10^{3}$		$1.5 \times 10^{10}$
Electron Mobility [cm <sup>2</sup> V <sup>-1</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> ]	1800	800	1350
Hole Mobility [cm <sup>2</sup> V <sup>-1</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> ]	1200	115	480
Saturation Velocity [km/s]	220	200	82
Mass Density [g cm <sup>-3</sup> ]	3.52	3.21	2.33
Atomic Charge	6	14/6	14
Dielectric Constant	5.7	9.7	11.9
Displacement Energy [eV/atom]	43	25	13-20
Energy to create e-h pair [eV]	13	8.4	3.6
Radiation Length [cm]	12.2	8.7	9.4
Spec. Ionization Loss [MeV/cm]	4.69	4.28	3.21
Ave. Signal Created/100 $\mu$ m [e]	3600	5100	8900
Ave. Signal Created/0.1% $X_0$ [e]	4400	4400	8400

### Advantages:

- Low leakage current
- No doping necessary
- Radiation hard
- Low capacitance
- High thermal conductance
- Room temperature operation
- High Mobility/fast signal collection

### Disadvantages:

• 50% signal of Si for the same radiation length

### Work in Progress 2009:

 ♦ Irradiations already performed awaiting test beam: Sendai - 10<sup>15</sup>, 10<sup>16</sup> 70MeV protons/cm<sup>2</sup> Ljubljana - 10<sup>16</sup> neutrons/cm<sup>2</sup>

Irradiations in progress:

Karlsruhe - 25MeV protons



In diamond 70MeV protons have  $\sim$ 3x larger damage constant than 24GeV



- Predict hit position with telescope
   (~5 µm resolution at diamond)
- > Look within 100  $\mu$ m of the prediction