



Calorimeter R&D: CRILIN

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Beam Induced Background in ECAL International UON Collider Collaboration





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- Expected BIB on the ECAL barrel ~300 γ /cm²/event with E~1.7 MeV.
- BIB can be handled using information from energy releases in the
- BIB produces most of the hits in the first few layers of the calorimeter while prompt muons produce a constant density of hits after the first calorimeter layers.
- Since BIB hits are out-of-time wrt the bunch crossing, a measurement of the hit time performed cell-by-cell can be used to remove most of the BIB.



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MUN Collider Collaboration The Crilin calorimeter

- The goal is to build a crystals calorimeter that is fast, relatively cheap, with high granularity (both transversal and longitudinal), and radiation hard → optimized for muon collider characteristics.
- Crilin is a semi-homogeneous electromagnetic calorimeter made of Lead Fluoride Crystals (PbF₂) matrices where each crystal is readout by 2 series of 2 UV-extended surface mount SiPMs.
- It represents a valid and cheaper alternative to the W-Si ECAL barrel.
- Two prototype versions built and tested up to now: Proto-0 and Proto-1.







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Radiation hardness: Crystals

Neutron fluence: ~ 10^{14} n_{1MeVeq}/cm² year on ECAL TID ~ 100 krad/year on ECAL.

Radiation hardness of two PbF₂ and PbWO₄-UF crystals (10x10x40 mm³) checked for TID (up to **1 MGy** @ Calliope, Enea Casaccia) and neutrons (14 MeV neutrons from Frascati Neutron Generator, Enea Frascati, up to **10¹³ n/cm²**)

- For PbF₂:
 - after a TID > 350 kGy no significant decrease in transmittance observed.
 - ➤ Transmittance after neutron irradiation showed no deterioration → possible natural annealing
- For PbWO₄-UF:
 - after a TID ~2 MGy no significant decrease in transmittance observed.



Crystal	PbF ₂	PWO-UF
Density [g/cm ³]	7.77	8.27
Radiation length [cm]	0.93	0.89
Molière radius [cm]	2.2	2.0
Decay constant [ns]	-	0.64
Refractive index at 450 nm	1.8	2.2
Manufacturer	SICCAS	Crytur



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Radiation hardness: SiPMs

Neutrons irradiation:

14 MeV neutrons with a total fluence of 10^{14} n/cm² (@FNG) for 80 hours on a series of two SiPMs (10 and 15 μ m pixel-size). Extrapolated from I-V curves at 3 different temperatures:

- Currents at different operational voltages.
- Breakdown voltages;

For the expected radiation level, the best SiPMs choice are the 10 μ m one for its minor dark current contribution.

TID:

no significant amount of dark current up to 10 kGy (@Calliope).

15 μ m pixel-size

T [°C]	$V_{\rm br}$ [V]	$I(V_{br}+4V)$ [mA]	$I(V_{br}+6V)$ [mA]	$I(V_{br}+8V)$ [mA]
-10 ± 1	75.29 ± 0.01	12.56 ± 0.01	30.45 ± 0.01	46.76 ± 0.01
-5 ± 1	75.81 ± 0.01	14.89 ± 0.01	32.12 ± 0.01	46.77 ± 0.01
0 ± 1	76.27 ± 0.01	17.38 ± 0.01	33.93 ± 0.01	47.47 ± 0.01

10 μ m pixel-size

T [°C]	$V_{\rm br}$ [V]	$I(V_{br}+4V)$ [mA]	$I(V_{br}+6V)$ [mA]	$I(V_{br}+8V)$ [mA]
-10 ± 1	76.76 ± 0.01	1.84 ± 0.01	6.82 ± 0.01	29.91 ± 0.01
-5 ± 1	77.23 ± 0.01	2.53 ± 0.01	9.66 ± 0.01	37.51 ± 0.01
0 ± 1	77.49 ± 0.01	2.99 ± 0.01	11.59 ± 0.01	38.48 ± 0.01



MUN Collider Collaboration Test beam campaigns: Proto-0



- CERN SPS-H2→ 120 GeV e⁻ beam on a single crystal prototype
- Cherenkov systematics in the light propagation → FRONT and BACK orientation tried
- The **BACK** run time resolution is better for both crystals.
- PbF₂ outperforms PbWO₄-UF despite its higher light output (purely Cherenkov)
- **PbF₂** $\rightarrow \sigma_{\text{MT}} < 25$ ps worst-case for E_{dep} > 3 GeV
- **PbWO₄-UF** $\rightarrow \sigma_{MT} < 45$ ps worst-case for E_{dep} > 3 GeV

102 mg			PbF ₂	
$\sigma_{MT,FC} = \frac{102 ps}{F(C_{\rm e})^{1/2}} \oplus 56 ps$	"Front" mode		back-run	front-run
E[GeV]	SiPMs	<i>E</i> _{dep} MPV [GeV] <i>E</i> _{dep} sigma [GeV] pC/MeV NPE/MeV	$\begin{array}{c} 4.26 \pm 0.01 \\ 1.35 \pm 0.01 \\ \sim 29.3 \\ \sim 0.26 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 4.81 \pm 0.03 \\ 1.46 \pm 0.02 \\ \sim 35.6 \\ \sim 0.30 \end{array}$
$\sigma_{MT,B} = \frac{76 ps}{E[GeV]} \oplus 12 ps$	Crystal "Back" mode		PWO-UF back-run	front-run
6 7 8 9 10 E _{dep} [GeV]	beam	E _{dep} MPV [GeV] E _{dep} sigma [GeV] pC/MeV NPE/MeV	$\begin{array}{c} 6.39 \pm 0.01 \\ 1.83 \pm 0.01 \\ \sim 66.7 \\ \sim 0.58 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 6.88 \pm 0.01 \\ 1.99 \pm 0.01 \\ \sim 76.9 \\ \sim 0.67 \end{array}$

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MINITERNATION MUN Collider Collaboration Proto-1: Mechanics and Electronics



Mechanics:

- Two stackable and interchangeable submodules assembled by bolting, each composed of 3x3 crystals+36 SiPMs (2 channel per crystal)
- light-tight case which also embeds the front-end electronic boards and the heat exchanger needed to cool down the SiPMs.









Electronics:

- SiPMs board: custom SiPM array board 36x10 µm Hamamatsu SMD SiPMs
- Mezzanine board: 18x readout channels → amplification, shaping and individual bias regulation, slow control routines



MINITERNATIONAl Test beam campaigns: Proto-1 BTF



100 GeV

Aim:

- Test CRILIN performances at low energies
- Study different wrappings and configurations
- First raw estimation of the energy resolution

Beam: 450 MeV electrons in single particle mode

Proto-1:

- PbF₂ crystals → wrappings: Mylar and Teflon
- Readout: 10 µm pixel-size SiPMs, one layer with series connection, the other with parallel connection







10 GeV





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Results are encouraging if we consider the very low light output



Light output and timing - BTF MInternational UON Collider Collaboration

Light Yield:

- ~ 0.13 pC/MeV response \rightarrow Teflon
- ~ 0.32 PE/MeV @ V_{op} +2V \rightarrow Teflon
- ~ 0.25 PE/MEV @ V_{op} +2V \rightarrow Mylar

Timing:

- Time resolution of the central crystal for 15 energy slices fitted with: $\sigma_t = \frac{a}{E} \oplus b$
- Two wrappings compared \rightarrow **Teflon outperforms Mylar**, higher amount of charge collected.





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Munternational Test beam campaigns: Proto-1 H2

- CERN SPS-H2→ energy scan with electrons from 40 GeV to 150 GeV
- Aim: evaluation of energy and time resolution
- Beam reconstructed with 2 silicon strip telescopes
- Data acquisition with 2 CAEN V1742 (32 ch each) modified @ 2 Vpp







Minternational MUON Collider Collaboration Data-MC agreement



Geant-4 simulation of the prototype with a 120 e⁻ beam

Energy deposit simulated:

- in the two layers
- In the whole prototype

Excellent agreement between data and MC for all configurations



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Energy resolution is dominated by leakage:

- A 24 X₀, ~2 M_R, lead glass crystal + PMT is used as tail catcher to recover the longitudinal leakage
- The energy resolution @ 120 GeV including the leadglass contribution → Proto-1 apport is negligible, this is a good indication for the future large-scale prototypes.







- Time Resolution @ 120 GeV is of O(20 ps) both in the series and in the parallel layers using the two channels time difference for the central crystals.
- Studies on using the layer mean time are still ongoing
- For TLAYER1 TLAYER0 σ(ΔT) ~ 40 ps mainly dominated by synchronisation jitter estimated to be O(32ps)







- Test beam at BTF within a short time from irradiation at Enea Casaccia
- Submitted and won a PRIN proposal for a 210 kEUR grant for the project CALORHINO: an innovative radiation-hard calorimeter proposal for a future Muon Collider Experiment.
- 120kEur has been assigned to develop a 5x5x4(layers) Crilin prototype.
- Submitted a DRD project to achieved a 2.5 M_R coverage