

The Belle II PID System

Peter Križan University of Ljubljana and J. Stefan Institute



University of Ljubljana "Jožef Stefan" Institute



Contents

Belle II detector

- PID systems
- Barrel: TOP
- Endcap: ARICH



Need to build a new detector to handle higher backgrounds

Critical issues at L= 8 x 10^{35} /cm²/sec

- Higher background (×10-20)
 - radiation damage and occupancy
 - fake hits and pile-up noise in the EM
- Higher event rate (×10)
 - higher rate trigger, DAQ and computing
- Require special features
 - low $p \mu$ identification \leftarrow s $\mu\mu$ recon. eff.
 - hermeticity $\leftarrow v$ "reconstruction"

Have to employ and develop new technologies to make such an apparatus work!



TDR published arXiv:1011.0352v1 [physics.ins-det]

 \rightarrow

Peter Križan, Ljubljana

Belle II Detector



Belle II Detector (in comparison with Belle





Peter Križan, Ljubljana



Belle upgrade – side view



Barrel PID: Time of propagation (TOP) counter

Cherenkov ring imaging with precise time measurement.

Device uses internal reflection of Cherenkov ring images from quartz like the BaBar DIRC



Example of Cherenkov-photon paths for 2 GeV/c π^{\pm} and K^{\pm} .

Reconstruct Cherenkov angle from two hit coordinates and the time of propagation of the photon Quartz radiator (2cm) Photon detector (MCP-PMT) Excellent time resolution ~40 ps Single photon sensitivity in 1.5 T Fast read-out electronics



TOP image



Pattern in the coordinate-time space ('ring') of a pion hitting a quartz bar with ~80 MAPMT channels

Time distribution of signals recorded by one of the PMT channels: different for π and K (~shifted in time)

Peter Križan, Ljubljana

Quartz bar



32 quartz bars are needed for the full Belle-II detector, 20x450x1250mm³, two per module, plus mirror and wedge.

The quartz needs to be of high quality to ensure that photon losses are minimised, and that the Cherenkov photon reflection angles are maintained.

Quartz Property	Requirement
Flatness	<6.3µm
Perpendicularity	<20 arcsec
Parallelism	<4 arcsec
Roughness	< 0.5nm (RMS)
Bulk transmittance	> 98%/m
Surface reflectance	>99.9%/reflection

Photon detector: SL10 MCP PMT



- MCP-PMT has an active area of ~23x23mm²
- Photocathode: NaKSbCs
- Readout via 4•4 channels 512 total channels per TOP module.
- PMTs required to have a peak quantum efficiency of >24%, and a collection efficiency of ~55%.
- Intrinsic transit time spread: ~40ps.

Read-out electronics



Calibration of the time and the charge requires a significant learning curve.

G. Varner, "Experience with the first generation deep sampling ASICs IRS and BLAB3",Workshop on Timing Detectors: Electronics, Medical and Part. Phys. Appl., Cracow, 2010.G. Varner, "Deeper Sampling CMOS Transient Waveform Recording ASICs", TIPP 2011

IRS ASIC-based Readout Overview



Read-out electronics – backup for TOP performance tests



- Based on constant fraction discriminator (CFD).
- MCP-PMT 16 channels are merged into 4 at the MCP-PMT socket.
- Time resolution ~ 50 psec.
- Calibration relatively simpler. Can be used for TOP performance tests

→K. Inami, RICH 2010.

Peter Križan, Ljubljana

Beam test at SPRING8



Secondary positron beam, ~2.1 GeV

TOP prototype mounted in the LEPS spectrometer.

Beam Test Event

- Single events have a mean of ~30 Cherenkov photons detected.
 - Each waveform yields a hit time.
 - Multiple events are required in order to see a ring image.



Beamtest Experiment 2 Run 568 Event 1

M. Barrett - DPF2013 Recorded by the baseline IRS3B waveform sampling read-out.

Channel number

Beam Test Event

- Single events have a mean of ~30 Cherenkov photons detected.
 - Each waveform yields a hit time.
 - Multiple events are required in order to see a ring image.
- Greyscale image shows expected distribution from simulation.

Beamtest Experiment 2 Run 568 Event 1



ID of the particle: from a 2D likelihood function

TOP image

Pattern in the coordinate-time space ('ring') – different for kaons and pions.

Excellent agreement between beam test data and MC simulated patterns.





Recorded by the baseline IRS3B waveform sampling read-out.

TOP image

Pattern in the coordinate-time space ('ring') – different for kaons and pions. Excellent agreement between beam test data and MC simulated patterns.



Recorded by the CFD-based read-out.



Belle II PID system





Endcap: Proximity focusing RICH

K/π separation at 4 GeV/c: $\theta_c(\pi) \sim 308 \text{ mrad } (n = 1.05)$ $\theta_c(\pi) - \theta_c(K) \sim 23 \text{ mrad}$



Radiator with multiple refractive indices

How to increase the number of photons without degrading the resolution?

Focusing configuration – data

→NIM A548 (2005) 383, NIMA 565 (2006) 457

Aerogel RICH photon detectors

Need: Operation in 1.5 T magnetic field Pad size ~5-6mm

Baseline option: large active area HAPD of the proximity focusing type

Cherenkov angle distribution Entries 64801 Mean 0.3092 RMS 0.07419 6000 γ^2 / ndf 143.5 / 28 6129 + 39 4 consta 3067 ± 0.0001 5000 BG con -192.6 ± 20.5 1715 ± 69.4 4000 # of tracks : 2700 3000 # Photons : 41339.7 +- 227.3 Photon/track: 15.31 +- 0.08 BG / track : 2.00 +- 0.03 2000 run048 1000 0.1 0.2 0.3 0.4 0.5 0.6 0.7 0.8 0.9 1 °0

6.6 σ p/K at 4GeV/c ! → NIM A595 (2008) 180

ARICH photon detector: HAPD

Hybrid avalanche photo-detector developed in cooperation with Hamamatsu (proximity focusing configuration):

- 12x12 channels (~5x5 mm²)
- size ~ 72mm x 72mm
- ~ 65% effective area
- total gain ~ $10^4 10^5$ (bombardment ~1500, avalanche ~40)
- detector capacitance ~ 80pF/ch.
- typical peak QE ~ 30%
- works in mag. field (~perpendicular to the entrance window)

ARICH photon detector: HAPD

Tests in 1.5 T magnetic field show improved performance:

- no photoelectron back-scattering cross-talk
- Effect of non-uniformity of electric field disappears

40 35 گ

30

25

20

15

10

5 0

300

400

wavelength [nm]

В

QE improved by Hamamatsu with super bialkali photocathode: $25\% \rightarrow 32\%$ peak

Neutron irradiation

- Expected total fluence 10¹² n/cm²
- First test S/N drops to 7
 @ 5x10¹¹n/cm²

→ Expected S/N~5 @ fluence 10¹² n/cm², marginal operation

- Re-optimization of peaking time for larger leakage currents → shorter peaking time with next ASIC version
- Optimization of APD structure

Neutron damage

Modification of APD structure:

Thinner p⁺ layer to increase bombardment gain

 Thinner p layer to reduce increase of the leakage current after irradiation – main source of leakage current are thermally generated electrons in p layer due to the lattice defects produced by neutrons

Samo Korpar, IEEE/NSS 2011

Avalanche Amplification

region

about

10µm

40µm,

Gamma irradiation

- Expected total dose 100-1000 Gy
- Initial tests indicated a fast raise of leakage current not previously observed with similar APDs.
- Source (found in irradiation tests of several sample types prepared by Hamamatsu): APD for HAPD has additional alkali protection layer to protect APD during photocathode activation process → charging up
- APD structure optimized

Peter Križan, Ljubljana

Summary

- Belle II PID systems are challenging new devices, with very interesting novel features
- Most technical problems have been solved
- Finalize the design, get ready for the production with an agressive time schedule