November 2015 HVCMOS Irradiation Campaign Report

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Introduction

- \bullet Irradiation of six CHESS1 HVCMOS devices with 24 ${\rm GeV}$ protons at CERN PS IRRAD facility (IRRAD 9)
 - $\bullet\,$ Four samples to be irradiated to a dosis of $1e15\,\mathrm{neq}/\mathrm{cm}^2$
 - Two samples to be irradiated to a dosis of $5e14\,\mathrm{neq/cm^2}$
- Access dates:
 - Wednesday 4 November: installation
 - Wednesday 11 November: removal of samples
- 48 h total expected irradiation time
 - 32 hours for 1e15 samples
 - 16 hours for 5e14 samples
- Minimization of annealing time:
 - Delay the start to finish closer to the date of access
 - 48 h + 48 h safety margin start Saturday Avoid risks – last week of irradiation at the PS this year

- Each sensor mounted and wire bonded on a PCB card
- Two sets for two different doses placed parallel to the beam
- When required fluence on one set reached, move the second set into the beam by a positioning stage
- New PCB support built at Oxford some adjustments required on site
- \bullet Devices powered during the entire process by $3.3\,\mathrm{V}$ DC
 - $\bullet\,$ Total current before the start: $0.50\,{\rm A}\,$
 - Total current after 1e15 set irradiated: 0.41 A
 - $\bullet\,$ Total current after both sets irradiated: $0.39\,\mathrm{A}$

Setup at the Beam Line



Proton Beam Properties





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Current Status

- $1e15 \,\mathrm{neq/cm^2}$ samples
 - $\bullet\,$ Saturday 8 a.m. Monday 1 a.m. (40 h beam time)
 - Sec counter (\propto fluence): required 160M, received 167M
- $5e14 \,\mathrm{neq/cm^2}$ samples
 - $\bullet\,$ Monday 1 a.m. Tuesday 1 a.m. (24 h beam time)
 - $\bullet~4\,\mathrm{mm}$ position adjustment made after 12 hours, reverted after two hours
 - Sec counter: required 80M, received 82M
- Wednesday access
 - Fix PCBs individually in a sample box (suitable for shipment)
 - Place the box in a freezer immediately afterwards

