

### Calibration and SIPM saturation of the CALICE 2018 Analogue Hadron Calorimeter Prototype



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### **Overview**

#### Introduction

- ✓ International Linear Collider (ILC)
- ✓ CALICE AHCAL 2018 technological prototype
- ✓ Overview of calibration
- ✓ Saturation correction
- Conclusion



### **The International Linear Collider**

World's next major particle collider

- ✓ e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> linear collider
- $\checkmark$   $\sqrt{s} = 250 \text{ GeV}$  (to 1 TeV)
- ✓ Polarised beams
- Low background and radiation
- Detectors: International Large Detector (ILD) and Silicon Detector (SiD) optimized for particle flow

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#### Goals:

- ✓ Higgs precision/top mass measurement
- ✓ Higgs self coupling
- ✓ Searching new particles beyond standard model ...







## **Particle Flow Approach (PFA)**

**Optimization with High Granularity** 

- ✓ Requirement at the ILC: Jet energy resolution of 3-4 % for jet energies between 40-500 GeV
- Typical jet composition 70 % hadrons measured with limited hadronic energy resolution
- PFA: Measure energy/momentum of each particle with detector providing best resolution
  - ✓ 62% charged particles → tracker, 27% photons → ECAL, 10% neutral hadrons → ECAL + HCAL
    - ✓ Highly granular calorimeters required: Energy deposition to track assignment, identifying neutral hadrons to avoid confusion



## AHCAL for ILD

#### **Detector Concept**

- Highly granular sampling calorimeter (~8 million channels)
- Wrapped scintillator tile of 3 x 3 cm<sup>2</sup> coupled to SiPM readout
- Integrated electronics and LED calibration system, no cooling within active layers
- HCAL Base Unit: 36 x 36 cm<sup>2</sup> featuring 4 ASIC's reading out 144 channels
  - ✓ 1 Layer 3 slabs of 6 HBU's (18 HBUs),
  - ✓ Full ILD ~55000 HBU's





## AHCAL Technological Prototype - 2018 AHCAL

#### **Detector Concept**

- 38 active layers of 72 x 72 cm<sup>2</sup> alternating with ~1.72 cm thick passive steel absorbers (~4 λ<sub>n</sub>)
- 1 layer = 16 ASICS (SPIROC2E) = 576
  SiPM-on-tile channels

✓ Total of 608 ASICS, 21888 channels

#### Goals:

- Scalability of calorimetry and reliable detector operation
- Study on energy linearity, resolution and particle identification



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## **AHCAL Calibration**

### From ADC to MIP

 From electronic scale in ADC to Physics scale in MIPs



$$E_{calibrated}[MIP] = f_{desat}(pixel) \cdot \frac{(ADC - Pedestal)/IC}{MIP}$$

$$pixel = \frac{(ADC - Pedestal)/IC}{Gain}$$

 $f_{desat}(pixel) = 1$  for  $pixel \ll N_{max,pixel}$ 

Pedestals: Electronic noise level in ADC units

MIP: Most probable energy deposition of a MIP in ADC units

Gain: Distance between two photo electron peaks in ADC units

Inter calibration (IC): HG/LG ratio



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## **Pedestal and Gain Calibration**

### **Calibration procedure**

- ✓ Short LED pulse: 2 to 10ns (~450nm)
- A peak corresponds to a certain number of photoelectrons (0 pe, 1 pe)
- ✓ n=0 (no photon detected) pedestal
- Peaks n =1,2,3... corresponds to simultaneously firing pixels
- Spectrum is fitted multigaussian function to measure the exact peak distance and distance is forced to be the same

Requirement for good fit/spectrum:

✓ Chi2/NDF < 2</p>

ADC Spectrum Chip 525, Channel 31, V#<sub>calib</sub> 5500mV







### Calibration

#### Gain for 2018 AHCAL prototype

- $\checkmark$  Gain value is extracted for individual channels (21,888)
- ✓ Gain value acquired for 2018 prototype ~16ADC with a RMS of 1.05 ADC



#### Total Gain Distribution

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## **MIP** calibration

### **Calibration procedure**

Incident particles are muons [MIP]

Energy deposited follows a Landau distribution

- ✓ Fill histogram for each channel
- Apply 3-step Landau convoluted Gaussian fit
- Extract maximum of fit function as the MIP constant for each channel

Requirements for good spectrum/fit:

- ✓ Minimum number of hits: 1000
- ✓ Chi<sup>2</sup>/Ndf < 5



#### **MIP Constant :** Most Probable Value (Maximum) of Landau convoluted Gaussian fit



#### ADC Histo Chip000256 Chn00



### Light Yield Results

- Definition: Most probable amount of SiPM pixels fired per incident MIP
- ✓ Mean light yield of main AHCAL channels: ~13.8 pix/MIP, RMS: ~ 1.6 pix/MIP
  - ✓ RMS LY/Mean LY = 11.6%
- Light yield map of the detector channels shows slight inhomogeneities (different types of tile wrapping)











#### light yield of AHCAL - May data

### Inter calibration Calibration technique

- ✓ SPIROC2E: High Gain (HG) and Low gain (LG) signal output
  - ✓ HG : small deposited energy hits
  - ✓ LG : large deposited energy hits
- ✓ Inter-calibration (IC) factors required for smooth transition between HG and LG hit energies
- ✓ Consecutive LED runs with different LED voltages for HG or LG mode for individual channels
  - ✓ Measure resulting slope: IC = dHG (ADC) / dLG (ADC)







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## **SIPM Saturation**

Why saturation

- ✓ Due to limited number of pixels in SiPM (2668 pixels, 1.3 x 1.3 mm<sup>2</sup>)
- Need to correct the non-linear response of SiPM at high energy deposition – impact of pixel recovery
- ✓ Apply a de-saturation function to enable linear SiPM response:

$$pixel_{desat} = f_{desat}(pixel_{sat})$$

 $N_{\rm fire}^{\rm LO'} = N_{\rm pix}^{\rm eff} \left( 1 - e^{-\epsilon N_{\rm in}/N_{\rm pix}^{\rm eff}} \right)$ 

 ✓ Apply linear continuation function for hits above certain threshold ( > 0.95 \* Neff pixels).







SIPM S13360-1325PE

# Saturation Saturation correction

 Saturation studies on bare SIPM have shown best agreement on data/simulation for:

 $N_{effpix} = 2533 pixel$ 





- ✓ Electron energy of 80 GeV selected
- # effective pixel is tuned in simulation and corrected for high hit amplitudes



## **Summary & Conclusion**

- ✓ The ILD-AHCAL is a highly granular SiPM-on-tile calorimeter for the ILC
  ILD AHCAL 2018 Prototype
- ✓ All calibration constants (pedestal, gain, MIP and inter-calibration) required for the energy reconstruction from ADC to MIP are extracted
- ✓ Calibrations are performed:
  - ✓ Check for Stability in time, uniformity and to understand any variations
- ✓ Dedicated calibration allows to start "reliable" analysis
  - ✓ Energy linearity/resolution, shower shapes, shower separation etc...
- ✓ Saturation effects understood and tuned for best agreement between data and simulation









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### The AHCAL Readout Chip SPIROC2E

- ✓ One chip reads out 36 channels
- If signal amplitude of one channel exceeds threshold, amplitude of all 36 channels is stored (autotrigger)
- External trigger operation possible to trigger all chips and channels
- ✓ Each channel features 16 analog buffers (memory cells)
- ✓ TDC ramp to store timing information of each hit



#### **Readout schematic for one channel**





#### From external trigger

#### memory cells = 21,888 channels x 16 memory cells each = 350208



- ✓ Mean pedestal: 497 ADC
- ✓ Spread: 31.98 ADC



- ✓ The raw hit amplitudes of the AHCAL channels are measured in ADC units
- Need of physical energy scale: Energy deposition in Minimum Ionizing Particle (MIP) equivalents
  - Well defined energy deposition spectrum of MIP's (muons) in matter by ionization processes
  - Spectrum follows Landau-convoluted-Gaussian function with maximum as
     Most Probable Value (MPV) defining the deposition scale for each channel



#### **High Gain/Low Gain Transition Check**



✓ HG/LG transition smooth



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### **Event displays**

Muon



Pion



### Electron



Pion



