in-pixel resolution studies

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- Pixel resolution from triplets
- Charge sharing
- Profiles within a pixel

Pixel triplets



- Select tracks with hits in 3 pixel layers.
- Redefine track:
 - curvature κ from full tracker,
 - position and angles from hits 1 and 3.
 - analytic code from
 J. Gassner 1996
 (ETH Zürich, H1).
- Interpolate to middle layer:
 - residual between track and hit.

mean residual: alignment check

PXB2, Spring 2011 data



 $p_t > 4 \text{ GeV}$

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Barrel pixel triplet rφ residuals at high p_t



- Data Mar 2011
 - Width of the residual distribution at high p_t :

$$\sigma_r^2 = \sigma_2^2 + (\sigma_1/2)^2 + (\sigma_3/2)^2$$

• All σ equal:

$$\sigma_r = \sqrt{3/2} \sigma_i$$

- Result:
 - σ_r = 12.7 μm,
 - $\sigma_i = 10.4 \ \mu m.$
 - with 100 µm pixel size!

triplet resolution function

Propagation of the intrinsic resolution at high p₊:

$$\sigma_r^2 = \sigma_2^2 + \frac{\sigma_1^2}{4} + \frac{\sigma_3^2}{4} + \frac{d_{m2}^2}{L_{13}^2} (\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_3^2)$$

- $L_{13} = s_3 s_1$ length of base line
- $d_{m2} = s_2 s_m$ distance of point 2 from mid point
- $s_m = (s_1 + s_3)/2$ mid point

radial coordinate (arc length)



like for a straight line developed around its center, where offset and slope are uncorrelated.

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\mathbf{p}_{t} dependence of $\mathbf{r}\boldsymbol{\phi}$ resolution





- Width of the residual distribution is affected by multiple scattering in layers 1 and 2:
 - Need p_t > 4 GeV to observe intrinsic pixel resolution.
- Very well described by simulation.

incident angle dependence of $r\phi$ resolution



- Pixel barrel layer 2 has 30 (full) modules:
 - each covers +-6° in azimuth.
 - larger angles due to curvature (lower p_t).
- Optimal $r\phi$ resolution reached for incidence between -1° and $+7^{\circ}$.
- Quite well described by simulation.

dip angle dependence of z resolution



zoom into pixel



- $x_{pix} = fmod(x_{loc} + 0.8, 0.01).$
- Predicted distribution is flat, as expected.
- Reconstructed position from Pixel-CPE-with-Templates:
 - peak at 97 from 1-row clusters,
 - peak at 46 µm?
 - almost flat between
 22 and 74 µm.

triplet x residuals for 1-row clusters



- Data Mar 2011
- Mean of the residual distribution is zero:
 - no bias, alignment OK.
- Width of the residual distribution at high p₊:

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$$\sigma_r = 13 \ \mu m$$
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► OK.

- Upgrade:
 - ROC with lower thresholds
 - less 1-row clusters.

Lorentz angle



- Drift field:
 - F = q E
- Lorentz force:
 - $\blacktriangleright F_{\rm L} = q \ \nu B$
- Drift velocity:
 - $v = \mu E$, Hall mobility μ
- Residual drift direction:
 - $\tan \alpha_{\rm L} = F_{\rm L} / F = \mu B$
- electrons in Si at 3.8 T, 0° C:
 - $\alpha_{\rm L} \approx 20^{\circ}$
 - degrades with radiation

Lorentz drift



• $\tan \alpha_{_{\rm L}} = \mu B$

• electrons in Si at 3.8 T:

• $\tan \alpha_{_{\rm L}} \approx 0.4$

- pixel sensors:
 - ► d = 285 µm
 - $\Delta x_{max} = d \tan \alpha_{L}$ $= 114 \ \mu m$
 - $\Delta x_{mid} = 0.5 d \tan \alpha_{L}$ = 57 µm

Cluster size vs impact point



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cluster size vs x impact point



- mean number of rows per cluster vs predicted x position mod 200 µm.
- mostly 2-pixel clusters
 - ideal Lorentz angle
- 1-row clusters contribute near pixel boundaries, as expected from geometry.
- Simulation seems to have more 1-row clusters.

cluster size distribution



- mean number of rows per cluster.
- Simulation has 6% more 1-row clusters, less 2- and 3-row clusters:
 - too few δ rays?
 - too few merged clusters?

charge sharing vs x impact point



1- and 2-row clusters:

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$$\eta = (Q_L - Q_R) / Q_{tot}$$

- saw-tooth would be ideal,
 - smearing due to track resolution, thresholds, gain nonlinearity...
- Simulation has similar shape, slightly shifted.

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- Pixel rms x resolution from triplets vs predicted x in pixel mod 200 µm.
- Strong resolution variation from 10 to 16 µm:
 - best resolution at pixel center,
 - worst resolution near pixel edges.
- Simulation is similar, a little more pronounced.

triplet x residuals at pixel mid



- Data Mar 2011
 - Width of the residual distribution at high p_t:

$$\sigma_r = 9.2 \ \mu m.$$

 $\sigma_r^2 = \sigma_2^2 + (\sigma_1/2)^2 + (\sigma_3/2)^2$

- Other layers have average $\sigma_{_{\rm i}} = 10.5 \ \mu m.$
- Result:
 - $\sigma_2 = 5.4 \ \mu m$ at pixel mid.
 - Somewhat academic: need to know that hit was in the middle.

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triplet x residuals at pixel edge



- Data Mar 2011
 - Width of the residual distribution at high p_t:

$$\sigma_{\rm r} = 16.8 \ \mu {\rm m}.$$

 $\sigma_{r}^{2} = \sigma_{2}^{2} + (\sigma_{1}/2)^{2} + (\sigma_{3}/2)^{2}$

- Other layers have average $\sigma_i = 10.5 \ \mu m$.
- Result:
 - $\sigma_2 = 15 \ \mu m$ at pixel edge,
 - double peak?

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- Pixel rms x resolution from triplets vs predicted x in pixel mod 200 µm.
- CMS standard templates varies from 10 to 16 um.
- Simple cluster centerof-gravity algorithm:
 - worse resolution at pixel center,
 - better resolution near pixel edges.

Pixel x resolution with the COG method



- Data Mar 2011
- Width of the residual distribution at high p_t:

$$\sigma_r = 12.7 \ \mu m.$$

 $\sigma_r^2 = \sigma_2^2 + (\sigma_1/2)^2 + (\sigma_3/2)^2$

- Other layers have average $\sigma_{_i} = 10.4 \ \mu m$.
- Result:
 - $\sigma_2 = 10.4 \ \mu m$ with COG method,
 - identical to CMS template method.

layer 1 residual using the beam spot



- Select tracks with hits in 2 pixel layers.
- Use offline beam spot.
- Impact parameter: $|d'_{CA}| < 5 \sigma$.
- Redefine track:
 - curvature κ from full tracker,
 - position and angle from beam spot and 2nd layer, in rφ.
- Interpolate to 1st layer.

Layer 1 triplet r ϕ residuals at high p_t



- Data Mar 2011
- Width of the residual distribution at high p_t :

$$\sigma_r^2 = \sigma_1^2 + (\sigma_{BS}/2)^2 + (\sigma_2/2)^2$$

- Measured:
 - $\sigma_r = 18.4 \ \mu m$
- Assume for beam spot:
 - $\sigma_{_{\rm BS}} = 27 \ \mu m$
- Gives for intrinsic
 - $\bullet \sigma_1 = 11 \ \mu m$

Summary

- Triplet method for pixel hit residuals:
 - x and z resolutions across a module well described by simulation
 - x resolution varies strongly across one pixel:
 - best resolution at pixel mid (optimal charge sharing under Lorentz drift),
 - worst resolution near pixel edges (especially for 2-row clusters). Improvement possible?
 - Resolution of 10.5 µm previously observed seems to be a mixture of 5 µm at best and 15 µm at worst.
 - quite well described by simulation.
- Upgrade:
 - new ROC with lower thresholds
 - less 1-row clusters?
 - wider plateau with optimal resolution?

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- Triplet method is established for pixel resolution studies.
 - Should be followed as function of time and radiation,
 - requires monitoring of cluster size, charge sharing, alignment, and beam spot position and size as well.
- Reporting to the Pixel Detector Performance Group:
 - meeting bi-weekly Thursdays at 14:00, convenors Urs Langenegger (PSI) and Viktor Vezpremi (Hungarian Acad. Sci.)
 - part of the Tracker DPG, convenors Petra Merkel (Purdue) and Andrea Venturi (Pisa)

https://indico.cern.ch/categoryDisplay.py?categId=1358

• Open tasks and credits:

https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/viewauth/CMS
/TrackerDPGManpowerNeeds2012

pixel sensor: wide and long pixels



Module pixel map



row

local x resolution at low p_t



- Multiple scattering dominates at low p_t.
- Flat valley:
 - only silicon at midmodule.
- Peak at center:
 - wide pixels.
- Edges:
 - SiN base strips, cooling pipes.
- Well described by simulation. No phase shift when plotted in this way.

PXB1 in nuclear interactions



- Nuclear interaction vertices (M. Gouzevitch, G. Squazzoni).
- https://indico.cern.ch/co nferenceDisplay.py? confId=123717
- First pixel barrel layer with 18 cooling pipes clearly visible.

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local *x* resolution at low **p**₊



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local x resolution vs p_{+}



Need p_t > 4 to reach intrinsic resolution.

local *z* resolution along module



- Triplet *z* residual rms.
- All angles, $p_t > 4$ GeV.
- Peaks every 0.8 cm:
 - long pixels at ROC edges.
- MC *z* resolution is slightly too optimistic.

local x resolution in pixel



- Triplet x rms as function of predicted x in pixel at high p_t.
- Strong resolution variation from 9 to 25 µm:
 - best resolution at pixel center,
 - worst resolution near pixel edges.
- Well described by the simulation.

triplet x residuals at pixel edge



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charge sharing



• 2-row clusters:

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$$\eta = (Q_L - Q_R) / Q_{tot}$$

- almost linear:
 - uniform charge sharing due to Lorentz drift.
- x > 90 µm:
 - only 1-row clusters.
- Perfect description by MC:
 - algorithm tuned to MC.

Fitting peaks with Student's $t = (x-x_0)/\sigma = normalized residual.$

$$f(t) = \frac{\Gamma((\nu+1)/2)}{\sqrt{\nu\pi} \,\Gamma(\nu/2)} (1 + t^2/\nu)^{-(\nu+1)/2}$$

f(t) is a normalized
probability density.
Γ function is in PAW, ROOT.



rms/σ for Student's t



Generate random numbers according to Student's t for different v (see W. Hoermann, Computing 81 (2007) 317).

- calculate rms:
 - for all t. (rms diverges for ν = 1).
 - for |t| < 5. (rms stays below 1.62 for all $\nu \ge 1$).
- Asymptotic value (rms/ $\sigma = 1$) slowly approached.

 RMS/σ