
Requirements of TPC to TDAQ

Preliminary estimation

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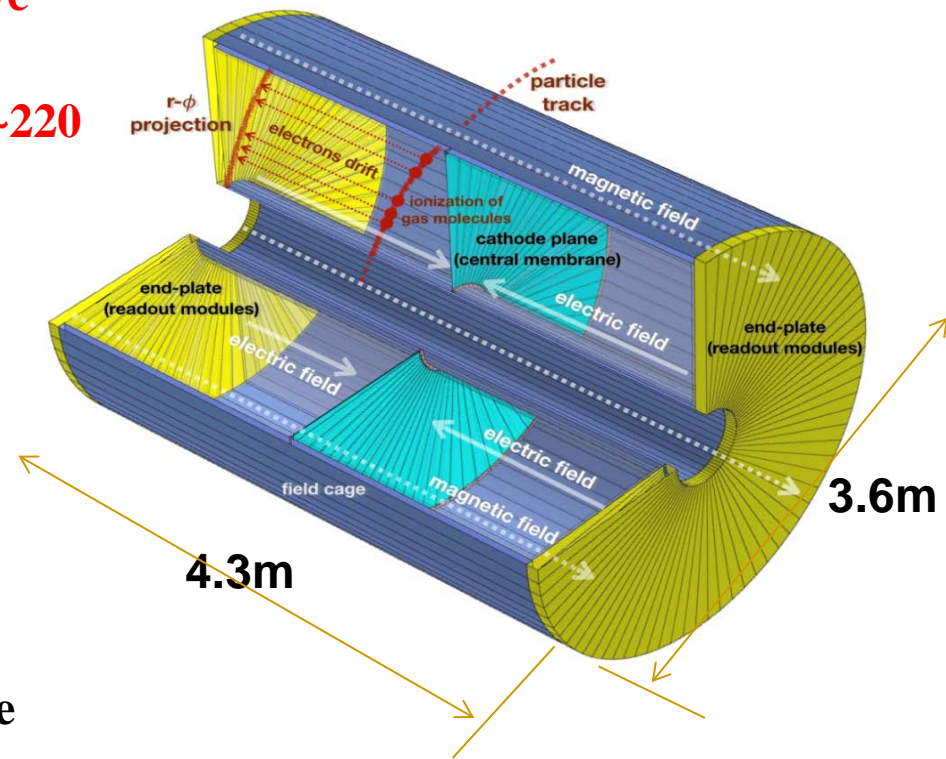
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Overview of TPC concept

TPC detector concept:

- Under 2-3 Tesla magnetic field
(**Momentum resolution: $\sim 10^{-4}/\text{GeV}/c$
with TPC standalone**)
- Large number of 3D space points (**~ 220
along the diameter**)
- dE/dx resolution: **$< 5\%$**
- $\sim 100 \mu\text{m}$ position resolution in $r\phi$
 - $\sim 60\mu\text{m}$ for zero drift, **$< 100\mu\text{m}$** overall
 - Systematics precision (**$< 20\mu\text{m}$** internal)
- TPC material budget
 - **$< 1X_0$** including outer field cage
- Tracker efficiency: **$> 97\%$** for $p_T > 1\text{GeV}$
- 2-hit resolution in $r\phi$: **$\sim 2\text{mm}$**
- Module design: **$\sim 200\text{mm} \times 170\text{mm}$**
- Minimizes dead space between the modules: **1-2mm**



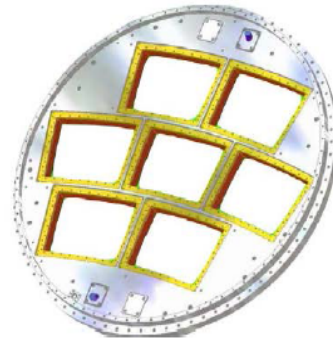
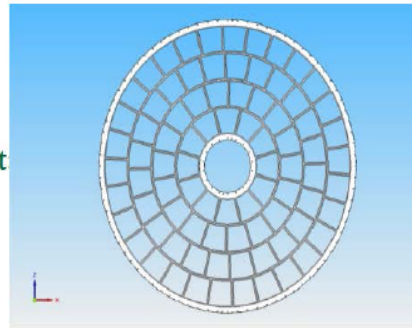
TPC detector concept

Overview of two readout options

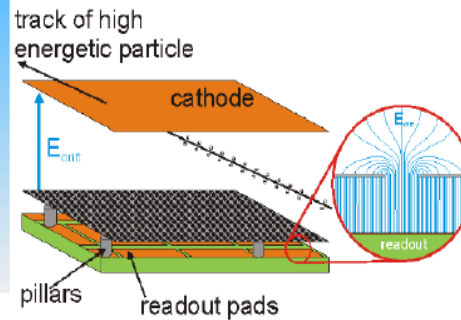
Pad TPC and Pixel TPC

Pad TPC for collider

- Active area: $2 \times 10 \text{ m}^2$
- One option for endplate readout
 - GEM or Micromegas
 - $1 \times 6 \text{ mm}^2$ pads
 - 10^6 Pads
 - 84 modules
 - Module size: $200 \times 170 \text{ mm}^2$
 - Readout: Super ALTRO
 - CO_2 cooling



Pixel TPC for collider



For Collider @cost:
But to readout the TPC with GridPixes:
→ 100-120 chips/module
240 modules/endcap (10 m^2)
→ 50k-60k GridPixes
→ 10^9 pixel pads

Benefits of Pixel readout:

- Lower occupancy
 - 300 k Hits/s at small radii.
 - This gives < 12 single pixels hit/s.
 - With a read out speed of 0.1 msec (that matches a 10 kHz Z rate)
 - the occupancy is less than 0.0012
- Improved dE/dx
 - primary e- counting
 - Smaller pads/pixels could result in better resolution!
 - Gain < 2000
 - Low $\text{IBF} \cdot \text{Gain} < 2$
 - CO_2 cooling

Requirements of TPC to TDAQ - I

Reference info from ALICE TPC(in operation), STAR TPC(in operation) and ILD TPC(future)

Pads TPC (example)

- ❑ There is full size TPC detector with the outer radius of 1.8m and inner radius of 0.3m. All of the two endplate mounted in two sides.
- ❑ Every channel will be connected in the small pad(1mm*6mm), thus the total number of channels is $5000/\text{module} * 84/\text{endplate} * 2 = 840\text{K}$ channels.
- ❑ Each ASIC has 128 channels and there is 6.5K ASIC chips integrated with the FEE and DAQ.
- ❑ The bunch crossing (BX) rate is 40 MHz and we need to deal with every BX at one IP in circular collider.
- ❑ Requirements of FEE readout

Parameter	Specification
Noise	<200e
Conversion gain	>15mV/fC
Peaking time (default)	100ns
Non linearity	<1%
Cross talk	<0.3%
Dynamic range	>2000
Power consumption	<5mW/ch

Requirements of TPC to TDAQ - II

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Pads TPC (example)

- There are average 80 particles/ BX. Each particle produces **600** channels of signal. The noise rate is 10^{-4} / BX / channel. Thus the number of channels with hit (signal & noise) = $80*600 + (840K-80*600) *10^{-4} = 48K/ BX$.
- **Preliminary estimation of raw data size** : Data will be zero-suppressed at each ASIC. There are some initial information of 2-byte header whether or not the ASIC has any hit. For each hit we use a 7-bit channel ID, and 9-bit ADC, i.e. 2 bytes / hit. So the useful data rate is $6.5K*2 + 48K*2 = 22K$ bytes/BX. All of the total raw data rate is **13.8GB/s**.
- Some **additional information** of raw data should be included. (Example: Slot number, crate number, board number, gas flow, temperature and humidity...)
- Trigger and triggerless options