(Possible and Definite) Problems with the LP1 GEAR File for the Asian GEM Modules

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Definite Problems

Problem 1:

The offsets in the rows are not adapted

- Offsets are 0 and 1/2 pad pitch
- Offsets are measured wrt. bounding box
- \Rightarrow Pads are outside the physical module



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Problem 2:

The module offset of the lower and upper row are interchanged

- Copy and paste error
- All descriptions (not only Asian GEM modules) based on my examples are affected

Trying to get an idea what is wrong

Simulation study:

- Simulation and digitisation with a changed GEAR file
- Reconstruction with the GEAR file from the repository

Cross check: Simulation and reconstruction with the same GEAR file Correct GEAR file







- Linear change of the residuals with radius
- About the same effect in all modules

Changing the Row Height

LOTPC-



- Effect becomes asymmetric between modules
- Looks similar to the distortions we are seeing

Changing the Pad Pitch

Suspicious: The gap at the edge of the different rows is

- neither the same angle
- nor the same absolute distance

Wrong pad pitch



• The wrong pitch adds curvature to the residual distribution

1400 1500 1400 1500 1400 1500 1400 100 80 60 40 20

Staggering problem (offsets?)

"S-shape" as seen in the data

Original pitches

1200

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residuals x [mm]

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What might have happened:

Pad plane construction

- Radii are measured to the intersection of the physical module edges.
- Pad rows are no longer concentric to the module
- Pad planes in the same module row are no longer concentric





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Unfortunately the KalmanFilter will break if you shift the local origin.

- Only concentric pad planes in the same row can be described!
- Works for one module per row with small patches
- Needs major work in the Kalman geometry and the pattern recognition to work for 7 modules (but in principle is possible with the new design).

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Summary



Definitive problems with the current Asian GEM GEAR files

- Offsets of the individual rows
- Module offsets for the upper and lower row exchanged

Indications for Problems

- Row height
- Pad pitch
- Wrong local coordinate origin

New "How To" document with detailed description

- Please recheck all parameters with the technical drawings of the pad plane (and the LP1 drawings)!
- Determine where the centre of your pad rows is located!
- Determine where the pads are aligned!
- Please give feedback what is unclear or missing in the documentation.





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Effect of the Interchanged Module Offsets

In the GEAR file the module row offsets -172.5 mm and 171.615 mm are interchanged.



Wrong module offsets