Simulation Results We Have

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Current Status

1. Klaus Zenker's work

- Simulation for distortion: module boundary and electrode gap
- Track angle dependency of distortion
- A slide for Asian GEM module can be found at --->
 http://www.desy.de/~zenker/talks/asian_module.
 pdf

2. Philippe Gros's work

Simulation for gate

Klaus's work: Simulation Tools

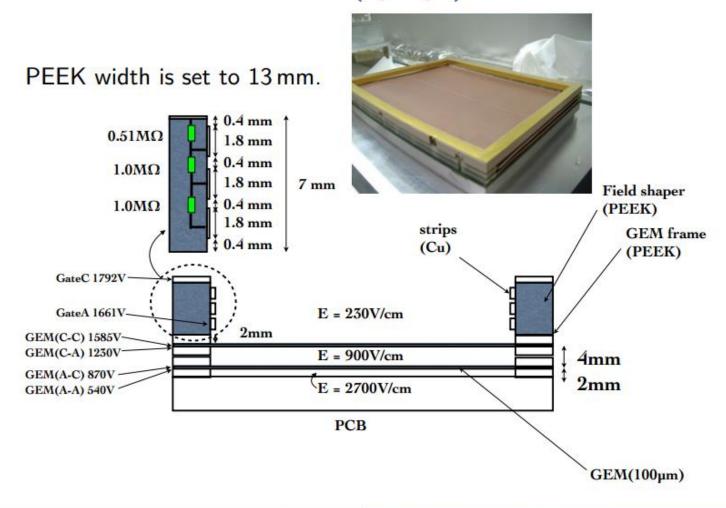
- Simulation with CSTTM and GARFIELD++
 - CSTTM: finite element based program, for field simulations
 - GARFIELD++: detailed simulation of particle detectors

Setup for Simulation

Introduction Simulations Conclusion

Introduction of tools The Asian TPC readout module

Sketch of the Asian module (by Ryo)

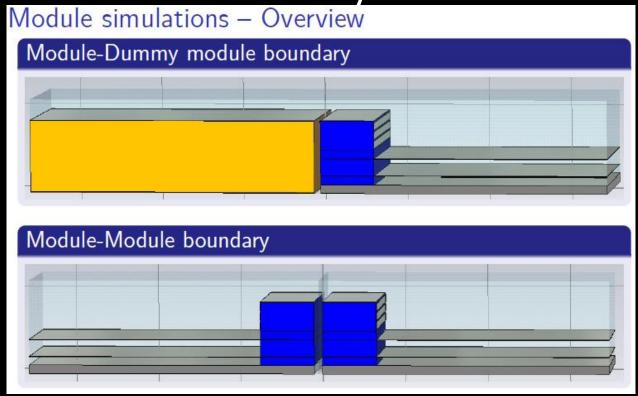




Module Boundary Simulation

- Dummy module Module boundary effect
- Module Module boundary effect

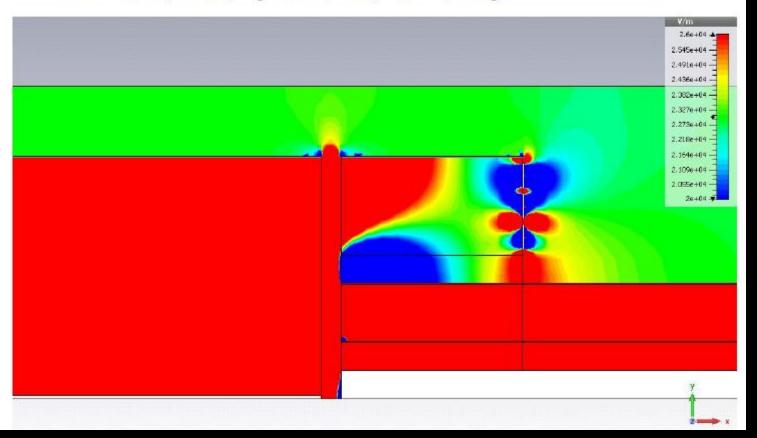
GEM electrode boundary effect



Dummy Module - Module Boundary

Dummy module – Module boundary

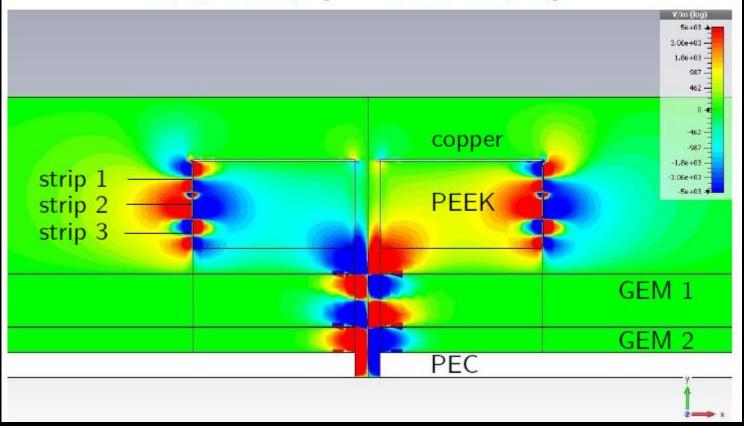
- ▶ Gap: 1.5 mm
- ▶ Field in drift direction
- Scale (linear): [200 V/cm, 260 V/cm]



Module - Module Boundary

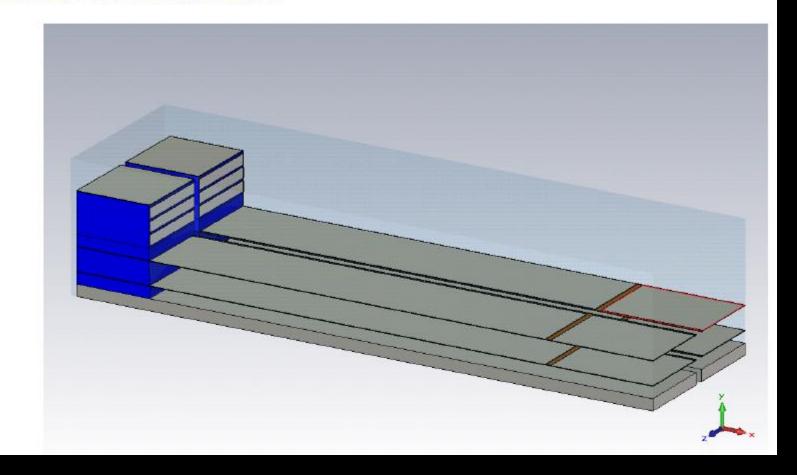
Module – Module boundary

- ► Gap: 2 mm
- ▶ Field transverse to the drift direction
- ► Scale (logarithmic): [-50 V/cm, 50 V/cm]

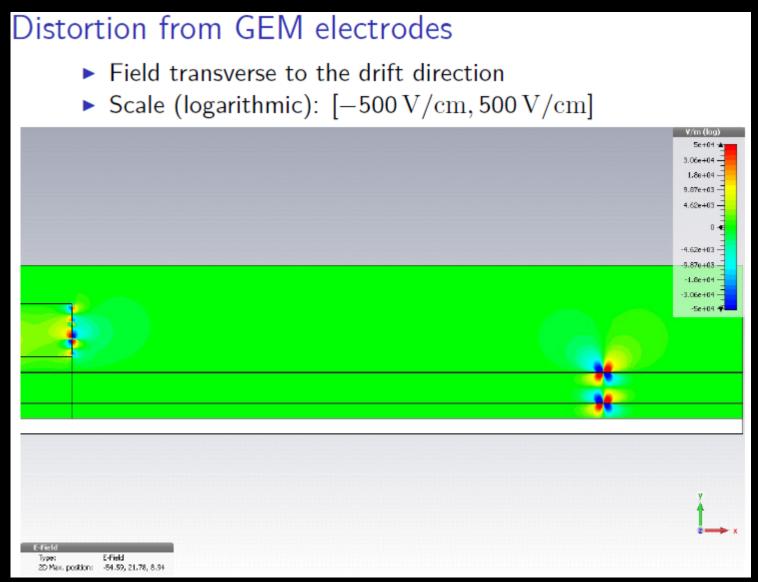


Simulation of GEM Electrode Boundary

Sketch of the model including module-module and GEM electrode boundaries

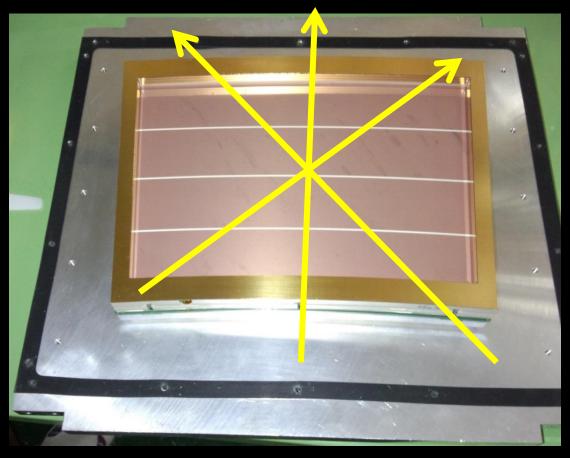


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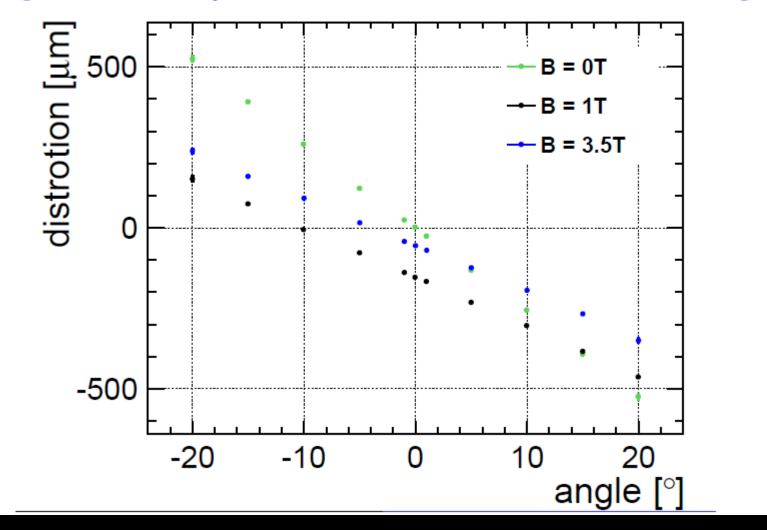
Distortion Check with Track

 Check the track angle dependency of distortion with simulation

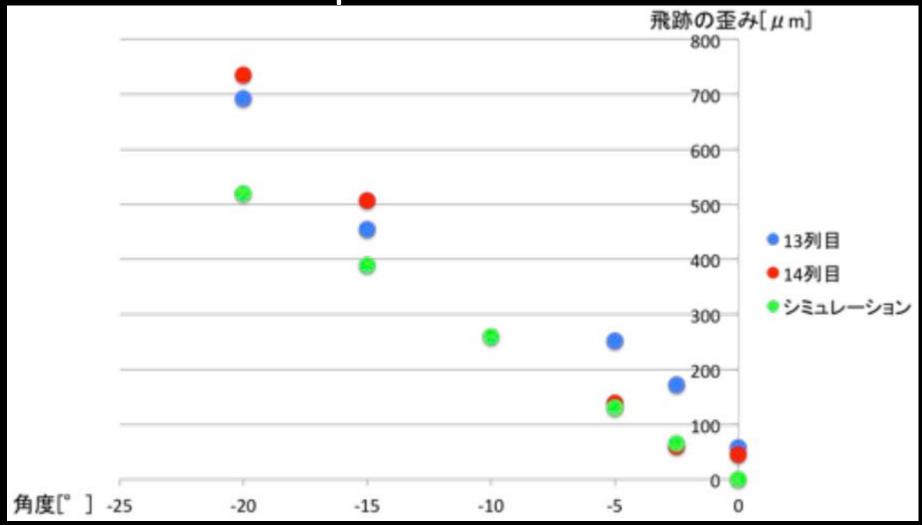


Simulation Results

Angle dependency of distortions for the row left to the gap



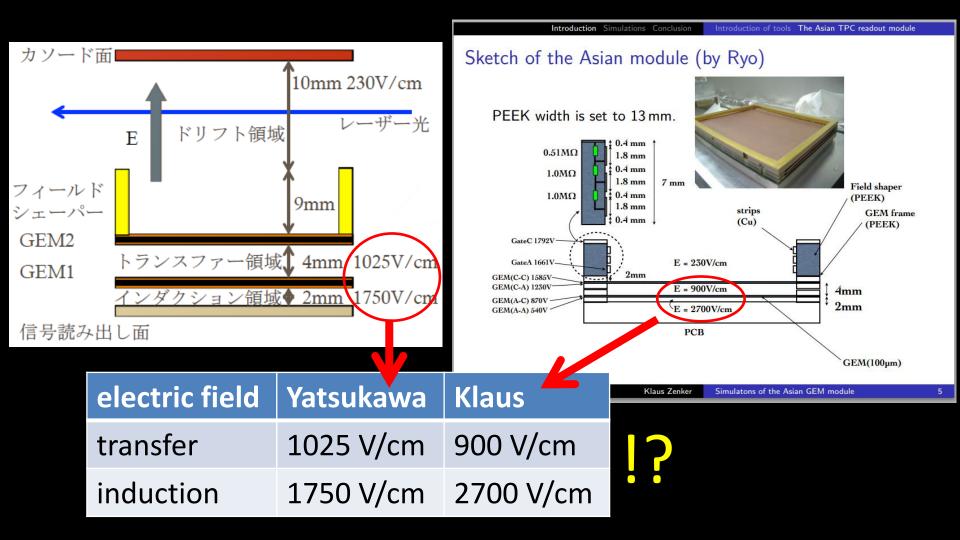
Comparison between Simulation and Experimental Results



But... Again...

Yatsukawa-kun's master thesis

Klaus Zenkar's work



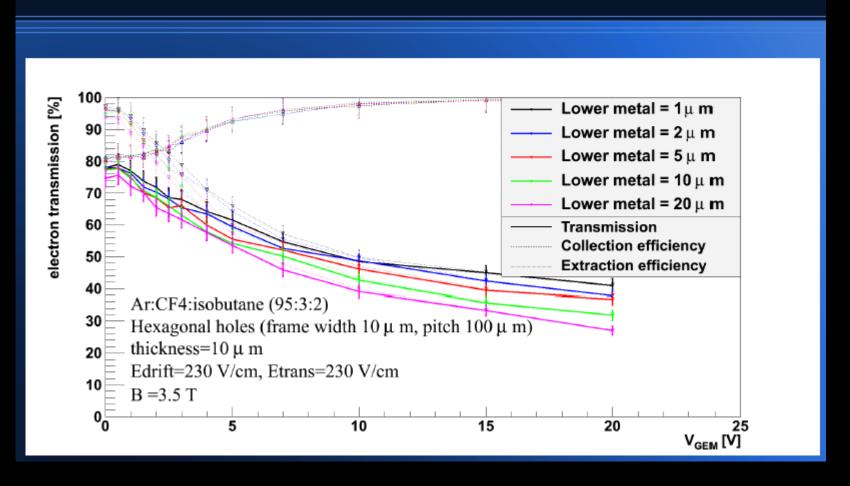
Philippe's work: Simulation for Gate

- Tools: GARFIELD++ and ANSYS
- To make a gate design
 - electron transparency
 - ion feedback
 - distortion with gate

Maximize the aperture Honeycomb structure 10μm wide, 100μm pitch 81% aperture difficult to build

Simulation Example

Influence of thicker metal



Now Working for Gate Simulation

- Ikematsu-san took over Philippe's work and codes.
- Reproduced Fujikura Type 0 simulation
- Fujikura Type 2 simulation: ongoing

Status of comparison with simulation

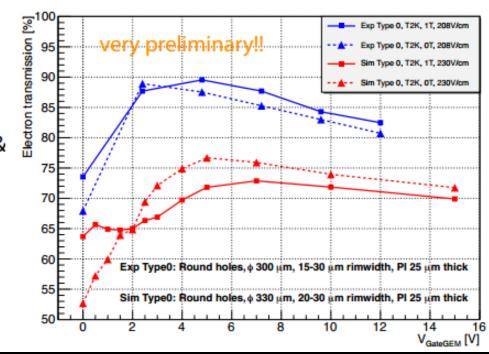
Data analysis for Fujikura Gate-GEM Type 0 sample

- Suspicious energy spectra obtained (= too high electron transmission for 208 V/cm?)
- Require careful comparison of experiment with simulation (ANSYS/Garfield++ based)

Simulation framework

- Nice self-learning materials: "RD51 Simulation School (Jan. 19-21, 2011)"
 - ▶ useful example codes to simulate the CERN standard GEM by using ANSYS and Garfield++
 - http://indico.cern.ch/event/110634/
- Legacy codes from Philippe: started to hold frank exchanges from 2 May (just after I showed my preliminary results for data obtained in April)
- Reproduced Type 0 simulation (coll. & extr. eff.) for 0, 1 and 3.5 T (T2K gas)
- Integrate them and rewrite all by myself from scratch to avoid programs from unknown sources
- Understand how to implement hexagonal holes (for Type 2)





Summary & Future Plans

- Simulation for distortions by Klaus
 - for old GEM only
 - dummy module module boundary, module module boundary, angle dependency of distortion
 - But configuration between simulation and experiment is different
- Gate simulation by Philippe ---> Ikematsu-san
 - reproduced Fujikura Type 0 simulation
 - now working on Fujikura Type 2
- Any other issues to be simulated?
 - Non-uniform magnetic field
 - Neutron background from accelerator
 - etc...