# Inner silicon tracking in the LDC

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#### Inner silicon in the TDR

- Charged particle tracking above  $\theta = 7^{\circ}$
- Main tracker: TPC (gradually getting weaker below  $\theta = 32^{\circ}$ )
- Silicon tracking between VTX and TPC (SIT, FTD)
- Forward chamber behind TPC endplate



### Why barrel silicon?



### Why forward tracking?

- Many processes at LC are peaked in the forward region like Bhabha scattering or W-pair production
- Fermion pair production has highest sensitivity to forward-backward asymmetry or to distinguish Z' effects from extra dimensions in the forward region



- W-pairs forward peaked with high momentum muons due to W-polarisation
- Good momentum resolution in the forward region is essential for charge determination and W suppression

# Bhabha scattering

- Ideal calibration process for the beam spectrum
- Again strongly forward peaked  $(d\sigma/d\theta \propto 1/\theta^3)$
- Reconstruct  $\sqrt{s'}$  of e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> system from polar angles assuming energy momentum conservation and only one radiated photon
- Want to measure beamstrahlung  $(\mathcal{O}(10^{-2}))$  and beam energy spread  $(\mathcal{O}(10^{-3}))$
- $\sqrt{s'}$  error from angular reconstruction method:  $\Delta \sqrt{s'} / \sqrt{s'} \approx \Delta \theta / \sin \theta$ med  $\Delta \theta < 10^{-4}$  in forward region
- Electrons radiate in material and cylinders (e.g. TPC field cage) are crossed with small angles
  - $\Longrightarrow$  better assure angular resolution close to the IP
- $\Longrightarrow$  Good angular resolution close to the IP is key point for Bhabha

#### Momentum resolution in the forward region



# The SIT/FTD

- Two barrel layers, r = 16,  $30 \,\mathrm{cm}$ ,  $\sigma = 8 \,\mu\mathrm{m}$ resolution similar to LEP, but larger
- Optimised for the TESLA TDR **••** should be updated
- Three pixel disks  $d = 50 \times 200 \mu \text{m}$  crossed basically a copy of ATLAS in 2001
- Four strip disks,  $\sigma = 25 \mu m$  (90 $\mu m$  strip pitch, 270 $\mu m$  readout pitch) back-to-back or double sided



TPC

### Some details

### • Decision pixels/strips:

- pixels are more expensive
- pixels are less sensitive to background
- $-\operatorname{pixels}$  give less ambiguities in pattern recognition
- strip resolution usually better
- For the pixels the very rectangular shape from ATLAS ( $\sigma = 50 \times 200 \mu m$ ) is taken

 $\Longrightarrow$  if the narrow direction is alternated resolution is better than squares with same area



• How to avoid too many ambiguities in strips in hadronic events?

- $-\operatorname{chose}$  trapezoidal modules
- -strips parallel to one edge
- $\Longrightarrow$  flipping modules gives stereo angle with only one module type



#### **Performance of the TDR detector**

- Momentum resolution: already shown
- Standalone reconstruction efficiency in jets:  $\sim 90\%$
- Polar angle resolution sufficient for beam parameter measurements









# New challenge: systematics

Example: beam energy with radiative return

• Beam energy can be measured from angles and Z-mass constraint

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$$\sqrt{s} = m_Z \sqrt{\frac{\sin \theta_1 + \sin \theta_2 - \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2)}{\sin \theta_1 + \sin \theta_2 + \sin(\theta_1 + \theta_2)}}$$

- Error from 100 fb<sup>-1</sup> at  $\sqrt{s} = 350$  GeV:  $\Delta\sqrt{s} = 50$  MeV
- $\bullet$  Detector uncertainty: A spect ratio (R/L) error systematically shifts  $\theta$

$$\Delta\left(\frac{\delta R}{\delta L}\right) = \delta \tan \theta = 10^{-4} \Rightarrow \Delta \sqrt{s} = 30 \,\text{MeV}$$

Need this precision in the detector aspect ratio





# 1st option: One envelope for FTD (A. Savooy-Navarro)

- Can survey FTD and SIT separately very well
- SIT-FTD relative has to be done via small overlaps or VTX



# 2nd option:

# One envelope for SIT+inner FTD disks (A. Savooy-Navarro)



- $\bullet$  SIT + inner disks can be surveyed
- Outer disks can be aligned with tracks
- No detailed design yet, but potentially preferable

#### Improved momentum resolution

- Can add disks up to TPC end (10 Can go even further with all pixels disks)  $4\mu m$  and strips  $7\mu m$  resolution
- Replace the 1st one by a VXD disk Does this technology still allow  $(4\mu m \text{ resolution})$  bunch tagging?



- What momentum resolution do we need?
- Bunch tagging of each plane is a must!

#### Towards the new baseline

- The TDR setup seems to perform well
- Anyway should redo studies with new TPC resolution
- Have to rediscuss the strip/pixel question in FTD:
  - pattern recognition in jets (under way)
  - $-\operatorname{machine}$  related background with crossing angle
- For which detector length(s) shall we optimise?
- On which benchmarks do we optimise?
- Have to decide on a mechanics design that is stable and allows for a precise survey