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Attendance:

DESY: Ralf Diener, Ulrich Einhaus, Oleksiy Fedorchuk, Leif Jönsson, Uwe Krämer, Paul Malek, Mengqing Wu Vidyo: Jochen Kaminski, Tomohisa Ogawa, Amir Shirazi, Ron Settles, Akira Sugiyama

General News:

Jochen read a short summary of the ILD meeting Paul had written. It seems there were no major concerns about the status of the TPC. However, we will soon have to contribute to the interface document. Paul will report on the details in one of the upcoming WPmtgs.

Ron had attended most of the presentations via vidyo, but several questions were left open and a general wish that the presentations were repeated in the next WPmtg and questions could be answered more detailed. This is valid in particular for Paul's presentation on the anti-DID and the presentation by Kees Ligtenberg from Nikhef on the simulations of the Pixel-TPC.

News from the groups:

A short discussion on the gating GEM arose, started by Ralf asking that the not-functioning samples of gating GEMs which are at Nikhef. He would like to have a non-working sample to study the handling of these devices. Akira explained that these sample are almost working, but a the distance between the electrodes is not sufficient to but a voltage difference. They are also not too fragile. In Japan they are stretched by hand, taped to the table and then the frames are glued.

AOB:

The next workpackage meeting will take place on May 11th.