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#### The detector

- ♦ SC-CVD diamond film 50  $\mu$ m thickness (4×4 mm<sup>2</sup>).
- Ohmic contacts: DLC (3 nm) / Pt (16 nm) / Au (200 nm).
- Al wire bonding connections.
- Transmission type mounting.
- Final capacitance of the detector 9.5 pF.

### The experimental Setup

- Electronics  $\leq$  500 MHz for spectroscopy.
- Electronics  $\leq$  2.5 GHz for time resolution.
- SC-CVD diamond 500 μm (same contacts) 3.3 pF.
- ♦ Front & Rear α-injection, or ± bias.











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#### Energy resolution

- ♦  $\Delta E \approx 30 \text{ keV}$  (2.4 V/µm for DD-50µm).
- Comparable to good Si detectors.
- $\Delta E \approx 17$  keV reported for DD-300 $\mu$ m.
- Energy shift between front & rear injection:
  - Radiation-induced polarization effect i.e. field distribution modified by trapped charges in the proximity of contacts.





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#### Charge collection efficiency (CCE)

- Obtained from a charge sensitive preamp.
- $\clubsuit$  Calibration of the electronics with the Si-300  $\mu m$ .
- 100% CCE for DD-50  $\mu$ m no matter injection side.
  - $\alpha$ -penetration  $\approx$ 13.5  $\mu$ m (no charge drift)
- CCE for DD-500 μm depents on the charge:
   99% hole drift (front injection).
  - 98% electron drift (rear injection). Needs higher electric field for charge collection.
     Indication of trapping.



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### Pulse shape analysis (PSA)

- Fast electronics and good impedance matching.
- Transit time as FWHM:
  - DD-50  $\mu$ m, 0.94 / 1.15 ns for  $E_f > 0 / E_f < 0$ .
  - $\bullet\,$  DD-500  $\,\mu m,\,4.9$  / 7.8 ns for hole / electron drift.
- For 1 V/ $\mu$ m holes & electrons same contribution.
- Signal "undershoot" due to impedance mismatch.
- The "overshoot" of the DD-500 μm caused by charges close to the injection electrode.





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#### Trapping effect

- > DD-50  $\mu$ m pulse made of two peaks for  $E_{f}$  <0.
- Electrons take longer to be collected.
- Rise time measurements indicate so.
- Time difference is affected by the  $E_f < 0$ .
- Transition between curves caused by mismatch
- How much due to bulk and to electrodes??



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#### Parameters

# TABLE I DIAMOND DETECTOR (DD) PARAMETERS SUMMARY. THE e and h subscripts denote electron and hole respectively.

	DD-500 $\mu$ m	DD-50 $\mu$ m
$\Delta E$	28 keV	33 keV
$\varepsilon_{Dia}$	$12.7\pm0.1~\mathrm{eV}$	$12.7\pm0.1~\mathrm{eV}$
$CCE_h$	99%	100 %
$CCE_e$	98 %	100 %
$N_{eff_{h}}$	$2.27  imes 10^{11} { m ~cm^{-3}}$	$1.26  imes 10^{13} { m ~cm^{-3}}$
$N_{eff_e}$	$3.78  imes 10^{11}  m \ cm^{-3}$	$1.26  imes 10^{13} { m ~cm^{-3}}$
$t_{tr_h}$	$4.9 \text{ ns}^a$	$0.94$ ns $^c$
$t_{tr_e}$	$7.8 \text{ ns}^b$	$1.15$ ns $^d$
$v_{s_h}$	$154\pm4~\mu$ m/ns	
$v_{s_e}$	$98\pm2~\mu$ m/ns	
$\mu_h$	$2430\pm30~\mathrm{cm^2/Vs}$	
$\mu_e$	$2145\pm45~\mathrm{cm^2/Vs}$	
$ au_h$	$2\pm0.5~\mu{ m s}$	
$ au_e$	$0.45\pm0.1~\mu\mathrm{s}$	

a	$E_f$ = 1.15 V/ $\mu$ m	$^c$ $E_f$ = 3 $V/\mu { m m}$
b	$Ef=-0.85~V/\mu{ m m}$	$^{d}$ $E_{f}$ = $-2.4$ $V/\mu$ m





## <u>Near future work</u>

- Study trapping at the bulk-electrode interface.
  - Asymmetric schottky (AI) ohmic contacts (DLC/Pt/Au).
- Time resolution with a diamond telescope dE = 50  $\mu$ m, E = 500  $\mu$ m.
  - three year ago we obtained <100 ps with dE = 110  $\mu$ m, E = 300  $\mu$ m.
- Radiation hardness of the samples.

### We are opened to suggestions and collaborations



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