



ILD Background Studies at ILC

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today focus on 2 subjects:

beamstrahlung

beamline muons

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beamstrahlung

beam particles interact with those other bunch at collision point radiate photons \rightarrow convert into e+ e-

typically very low $p_T e^+ e^-$

high p_{τ} tail can directly reach the inner detectors

vast majority have low p_{τ} , and "follow" the B-field lines

Distribution of incoherent pairs around beampipe

simple extrapolation in uniform 3.5T field, no beam crossing, no material interactions, no backscatter from e.g. FCAL





because of crossing angle,

magnetic field lines (from detector solenoid) from IP do not pass into outgoing beam-pipe

- \rightarrow bulk of beamstrahlung pairs hit forward calorimeters
 - \rightarrow (back-) scatter, interact
 - \rightarrow detector backgrounds

additional anti-DID field (field in x-direction) applied to steer field lines into outgoing beampipe

rather complex system is it needed ? how big is its effect on detector backgrounds ?

simulate beamstrahlung pairs at ILC-250

ILD Geant4-based simulation

detailed field maps of solenoid/yoke, with and without anti-DID field



use of anti-DID better centres distribution on outgoing beampipe, ₉ reduces total energy deposit

beamstrahlung: hits in vertex detector

"direct" hits \rightarrow particles directly coming from IP

"back-scattered" hits \rightarrow secondaries produced when e+ e- interact with forward calorimeters

in simulation, distinguish based on hit time: "direct" = early / "back-scattered" = late



early hits, produced by particles coming directly from the IP



z [mm]

late hits, back-scattered from forward region



Solenoid field strength

using a stronger detector solenoid better focuses the beamstrahlung pairs

"large" ILD \rightarrow 3.5 T nominal field [standard ILD model]

"small" ILD \rightarrow 4.0 T

[motivation: reduce cost.

Higher field preserves track momentum resolution for smaller tracker]

					V	XD hits	per BX	K	
	ECOM	aDID	nom. field	Layers 1, 2		Layers 1, 2 Layer 3, 4		Layer 5, 6	
ILD model	[GeV]		[T]	Early	Late	Early	Late	Early	Late
ILD_15_v03	250	no	3.5	1139	1234				-
ILD_15_v05	250	yes	3.5	1125	334				
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ILD_s5_v03	250	no	4.0	909	1343				_
ILD_s5_v05	250	yes	4.0	910	453				
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using stronger solenoid reduces the "early" hits by 10-20%, perhaps a slight increase in the "late" hits [strength of anti-DID may need more careful tuning]

situation at ILC-500

				VXD hits per BX					
	ECOM	aDID	nom. field	Layers 1, 2		Layer 3, 4		Layer 5, 6	
ILD model	[GeV]		[T]	Early	Late	Early	Late	Early	Late
ILD_15_v03	250	no	3.5	1139	1234	213	48	64	19
ILD_15_v05	250	yes	3.5	1125	334	222	14	69	6
ILD_15_v06	500	yes	3.5	1321	691	258	29	70	13
ILD_s5_v03	250	no	4.0	909	1343	176	60	54	21
ILD_s5_v05	250	yes	4.0	910	453	177	22	52	7
ILD_s5_v06	500	yes	4.0	1057	963	206	38	63	18



beamstrahlung: hits in TPC central tracker



anti-DID : summary

First vertex detector layers

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with no anti-DID,
# direct/early hits ~ # back-scattered/late hits
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early hits in vertex detector unaffected by anti-DID [as expected]

if anti-DID field is used,

- late hits are reduced by a factor around three to four
- total number of hits reduced by ~40%

we have not yet concluded if we need anti-DID, but we have information with which to decide...

other detector subsystems less affected

beamstrahlung

beamline muons

particles in beam halo interact with collimators etc \rightarrow can produce muons

very penetrating, can reach the experiment in a linear collider

simulation of muon production, transport in Beam Delivery System of ILC L. Keller, G. White @ SLAC, arXiv:1901.06449

with and without use of magnetised-iron muon spoilers

MUCARLO simulation code





Keller/White

muons per bunch crossing a 6.5m radius disk at IP ~ detector:

no spoilers	130
5 "donut" spoilers	4.3
+ muon wall	0.6

2625 bunches of ILC-500, assuming 0.1% of beam interacts in BDS \rightarrow likely very pessimistic

input these muon momenta into the ILD detector simulation

e.g. hits in the endcap muon detectors:



thanks to their penetrating nature (ie ~ no showers), and rather collimated "beam",

these muons should be easy to identify with the highly segmented readout of ILD subdetectors

 \rightarrow we'll be able to subtract their contribution from physics events on a hit-by-hit basis

a few muons per bunch crossing seems manageable \rightarrow prediction for 5 donut spoilers (no muon wall) ~ 4/BX

muon wall probably not needed,

from an event reconstruction standpoint

- \rightarrow probably good idea to reserve space for it,
 - in case of future need (eg unexpectedly large backgrounds...)
- $\rightarrow\,$ should be taken into account for estimating detector data rates

summary

showed current status of studies into

beamstrahlung, and effect of anti-DID

 \rightarrow anti-DID reduces hits in innner vertex detector by ~40%

beamline muons, and effect of muon "wall"

 \rightarrow 5 toroidal spoilers alone seem to reduce muon backgrounds to a manageable rate

more effort required to investigate these and other background sources in more detail

backup

pair backgrounds: hit densities

ILD_15_v05	hits/BX			hits/BX/cm ²
	mean	\pm	RMS	mean \pm RMS
VXD 1	914	\pm	364	6.64 ± 2.65
VXD 2	545	\pm	207	3.96 ± 1.51
VXD 3	129	\pm	60	0.213 ± 0.100
VXD 4	107	\pm	53	$0.177 \ \pm \ 0.088$
VXD 5	40	\pm	26	$0.043 \ \pm \ 0.029$
VXD 6	34	\pm	24	0.037 \pm 0.026

after collision, ILC bunches are dumped in a shielded water dump, ~300m downstream of the IP

- A. Schuetz has simulated this situation using FLUKA code: full details in DESY-THESIS-2018-017
- 500 GeV electron bunch (ie ILC-1TeV) into water dump transmission of neutrons back into detector hall



A. Scheutz has provided a set of momentum vectors of neutrons entering the experimental hall

These were then input into the Geant-4 ILD simulation model

X0 x= 0.100 [cm]



present simulation ILD model does not include so-called "pac-man" shielding between ILC tunnel and experimental hall

→ limits realism of simulation, so likely to be an overestimate

→ more work needed...

endpoint of all stopped simulated particles

MC particles stopping point: x-y



MC particles stopping point: z-r

