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Motivation

- Beam diagnostics of the Super-FRS at FAIR: **position**, **energy loss** and **ToF** measurements.
- The ToF detector should cover an active areas of about 300 x 50 mm².
- The required **time resolution** of the ToF detectors is about 50 ps.
- Radiation-hard planar Si detectors have been suggested to be an alternative solution to diamond detectors.



Experiment "Tests of the beam detectors of Super-FRS":

- •1 big SSD
- •2 pairs of small SSDs S10 ,S20 and S40, S80
- •2 pairs of small PIN-diodes LP-1, LP-2 and P100, P300





Big SSD

Small SSDs – S10, S20

Experimental setup



Goals:

- Compare Si detectors with different parameters
- Test of time resolution with different versions of fast electronics



- ¹⁹⁷Au @ 1 GeV/u
- Accelerator complex (UNILAC + SIS18) providing beam to FRS
- The temperature of cooling tube –13° C, detector PCB at +7° C
- Cooling of the detectors is reducing dark current and noise; cooled detectors are **more radiation-hard**.
- Vacuum about 10⁻⁴ mbar

Electronics

- Fast oscilloscope with 2 GHz analog bandwidth
- CAEN FADC DT5742. Sampling frequency up to 5 Gs/s
- CAEN FADC DT5743. Sampling frequency up to 3.2 Gs/s
- PADI preamplifier/discriminator + VFTX2 TDC



Data acquisition with CAEN DT5743

 CAEN DT5743 - desktop module housing a 8-channel 12bit 3.2 GS/s switched capacitor digitizer.

- Visualization of the signal forms from each channel
- Typical amplitude around 200 mV
- CFD method



Time[20 ns/Div

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Software (CAENWaveCatcher)

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		Time diff	erence (ns)			2.114 2.11	Time difference (ns)				

Gauss fit of the histograms -> 6
Time difference between any of two channels

Results of analysis with DT5743

•standard deviation parameter of time difference distribution between different detectors:

Detectors	Strip width (µm)	б (рѕ)
big SSD vs LP-1	900 - 300	17.8
big SSD vs LP-2	900 - 300	16.4
big SSD vs S80	900 - 80	15.2
big SSD vs S20	900 - 20	59.6
S80 vs LP-1	80 - 300	29.8
S80 vs LP-2	80 - 300	37.4
S20 vs LP-2	20 - 300	51.0
S10 vs LP-1	10 - 300	55.7
S10 vs LP-2	10 - 300	97.2

Data acquisition and analysis with PADI + VFTX2 TDC

• **PADI** – **P**re**A**mplifier + **DI**scriminator, analog data processing. This configuration was invented for short signal rise times (ns). 9 channels of PADI were connected to different Si detectors.

• Output data from PADI -> VFTX2

• **VFTX2** – VME-FPGA-TDC, a multihit TDC (time-todigital converter). It gives the information about relative times in different channels.

• Data analysis is currently being made with analysis frameworks Go4 and ROOT.



Time difference in ps for 2 different detectors (LP-2 and BigSSD). The analysis is currently going on, the preliminary results for this detector pair is ~ 60 ps.

Conclusions

• DT5743 - the time resolution \approx 17 ps, and it was expected to get the time resolution of the same order from PADI+VFTX2.

• DT5743: there is **an optimum strip size** for which better time resolution can be obtained. Achieved time resolution is **similar** or **better** then of diamond detectors.

• PADI+VFTX2: analysis is going on. It is planned to compare results of time resolutions of different readout systems.