

Cooling

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Sensor Power Regions

*Snapshot \rightarrow new numbers shown today

Information from <u>lain</u> and <u>Georg's</u> presentations at previous SVT meetings*







Thermal needs

- End goal is operation of sensor at/near *room temperature* (25 30°C)
- $\Delta T = T_{\text{Heater}} T_{\text{Inlet Air}}$
- "Reasonable" ΔT is one that achieves room temperature operation with sensible air inlet temperature
 - Aiming for $\Delta T < 20^{\circ}C$ (which would require 5-10 °C air)
- "Reasonable" also has to take total air volume into account
 - E.g. if we can achieve room temperature with 30 m/s air, this is not reasonable

Discs: previous results

- Sample manometer ports Venturi manometer ports Venturi manometer Venturi ports Venturi Air Intert PVC tubing Air thermocouple (not shown)
- Cooling through corrugated carbon veil (first prototype)
- <u>Thermal studies using PGS (graphite) & unidirectional</u> <u>carbon fiber (K13C2U)</u>





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Modules: thermal performance

Heaters: 2 power regions







Each power region powered separately Capable of a range of power densities



Thermal prototype



- Three heaters placed on one corrugated channel
- Two overlap regions
 - Large (~1/2 the heater length)
 - Minimal (~LEC length)
- Configuration: outward facing only
- Tested at two different powers, MAX and MIN (based on numbers shown in previous slide)
- Held in same orientation as planned in ePIC







From the side







Test setup & caveats

- Using thermal camera \rightarrow ~0.5°C fluctuations
- $\Delta T = T_{BrightTemp} T_{DarkTemp}$
 - Dark temp taken with air flowing, but no power
 - Bright temp taken with air flowing and power on
- Cannot measure ΔT of sections we cannot see, i.e. hidden behind overlap
- Potential air leaks for large air velocity
 - Modules glued to each other ONLY via the carbon fiber → will not be the case for inward & outward alternation







Measurements



- Bright Temp measured at 17 different x values along corrugation (0 28 cm)
 - One point taken at each LEC position
- Data taken at 4-5 different air velocity values
- Taken at MAX and MIN powers
- Data taken with all three heaters on and then each heater powered individually



All heaters powered



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MAX: $\Delta T < 20^{\circ}C$ for air > 8 m/s MIN: $\Delta T < 15^{\circ}C$ for all air speeds

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Powering individual heaters





Comparing all powered to single



 ΔT_{all} : all 3 powered

Distance from edge (cm)

5





Comparing all powered to single



 ΔT all powered – ΔT sum of individual results Varies around 0 \rightarrow confidence that we can predict ΔT if power changes





- At 9 m/s:
 - RSU $\Delta T < 10^{\circ}$ C for MAX and < 5°C for MIN
 - LEC $\Delta T < 20^{\circ}$ C for MAX and < 15°C for MIN
- $\Delta {\rm T}$ dependent on overlap and proximity to air flow/edge of disc
- At 9 m/s through 2 corrugated channels, discs would need ~400 cfm