Lepton Collider

- Increased interest in high energy e⁺e⁻ collider (Japan, CERN, China)
- STFC funded us for £75k/year travel money in 2015 and 2016 to reengage with international LC community
- Outlined three aspects
 - Silicon tracking (ex. LCFI, etc.)
 - DAQ (ex. Calice, EUDET, AIDA)
 - Calorimetry (ex. Calice) Birmingham

Lepton Collider R&D - DECAL Concept, CALICE

- Concept, swap ~0.5x0.5 cm² Si pads with small pixels ("Small" := at most one particle/pixel,1-bit ADC/pixel)
- How small to avoid saturation/non-linearity?
 - EM shower core density at 500GeV is ~100/mm²
 - Pixels must be<100×100 μ m²
 - Used baseline 50×50µm²
 - Gives ~10¹² pixels for ECAL "Tera-pixel APS"
 - Mandatory to integrate electronics on sensor



MAPS, MIP Efficiency



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Vary depth of absorber thickness, study downstream hit multiplicity

Purely to cut cost - not ideal

- Study TPAC sensors as "calorimeter" layer
 - Peak of sensor activity vs. depth of material
- Single sensor study of EM shower response
- Electron beam shows expected log behaviour
- (NB: single sensor transverse size)



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Cherwell tests

Sensor on daughter board



Firmware adaptation required for power cycling



PRD Bid...

Let's hope...