
ATLAS Inner Detector Semiconductor Tracker

ABC(D) Support Cards from Melbourne

- Report to Dec 97 SCT week

Contents

● Melbourne is generally interested in contributing to systems / integration work as an extension to our testbeam support & centre-tap forward wheel activities. Currently we have a tech working full-time on ABC(D) support cards in liaison with LBL & UCSC, and are interested in hardware contributions beyond these.

● **ABC Diagnostic Support Card**

- **For Carl's Diagnostic ABC+CAFEM hybrid (50-way ELCO connector)**
- **Same footprint & cables as current CDP support card**
- **Requires BC96 with LVDS option**
- **Status: prototype under test**

● **ABC(D) Non-diagnostic Support Card**

- **For ABCD & Non-diagnostic ABC hybrids as per Carl's spec. (36-way ELCO connector)**
- **Very similar to ABC Support Card (digital parts only)**
- **HV pin assignment altered as per Nobu Unno for increased isolation**
- **Status: layout pending prototype test results**

● **ABC(D) Interconnect**

- **Same functionality as ABC(D) Non-diagnostic support card**
- **Small KAPTON similar to real "Dogleg"/"Pigtail"**
- **Uses prototype LOW-MASS cables with ZIF connectors**
- **Ancillary board connects to conventional cables**
- **Status: awaiting comment & detailed specs**

Further details: <http://www.ph.unimelb.edu.au/epp/sc97>

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Diagnostic ABC Support Card

- **Description**

- **To be used for Carl's Diagnostic ABC + CAFE-M hybrid**
- **Functional equivalent of current HAC/CDP support card**
- **Same cables and mechanical outline**
- **Needs BC96 with LVDS option,
& minor mods to DSP GALs and software by UCI**

- **Design**

- **Based on schematics from UCSC**
- **Some problems with component availability**
- **Interim version using different high-speed transistors
(NEC UPA transistors on long back-order)**
- **ELCO TORSON connectors to be supplied by LBL**
- **HV pin assignment altered to maximise isolation**
- **500V bias bypass capacitors**
- **2-layer design without ground planes for fast prototyping**
- **LVDS driver/receivers powered from 7V line**

- **Status**

- **Schematics and layout available for comment (see [www](http://www.ph.unimelb.edu.au/epp/sc97/sc97.html))**
- **[Mechanical outline](#)**
- **One prototype populated & being tested (without hybrid !)**
- **Prototypes for LBL & UCSC soon**
- **Ready for production**
- **Sufficient components to hand for 25 boards
(except ELCO TORSON connectors)**

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ABC(D) Interconnect

- **Idea**

- **Great interest in moving towards "real" module mechanics for systems test, multi-module lab. tests, TSP ...**
- **Prototype LOW-MASS cables already available ...**
- **Why not duplicate (or replace) support card functionality with a small board or kapton closer to final design ?**
- **Limited to DSP & BC96 single channel *but* these are already available & working in many labs**

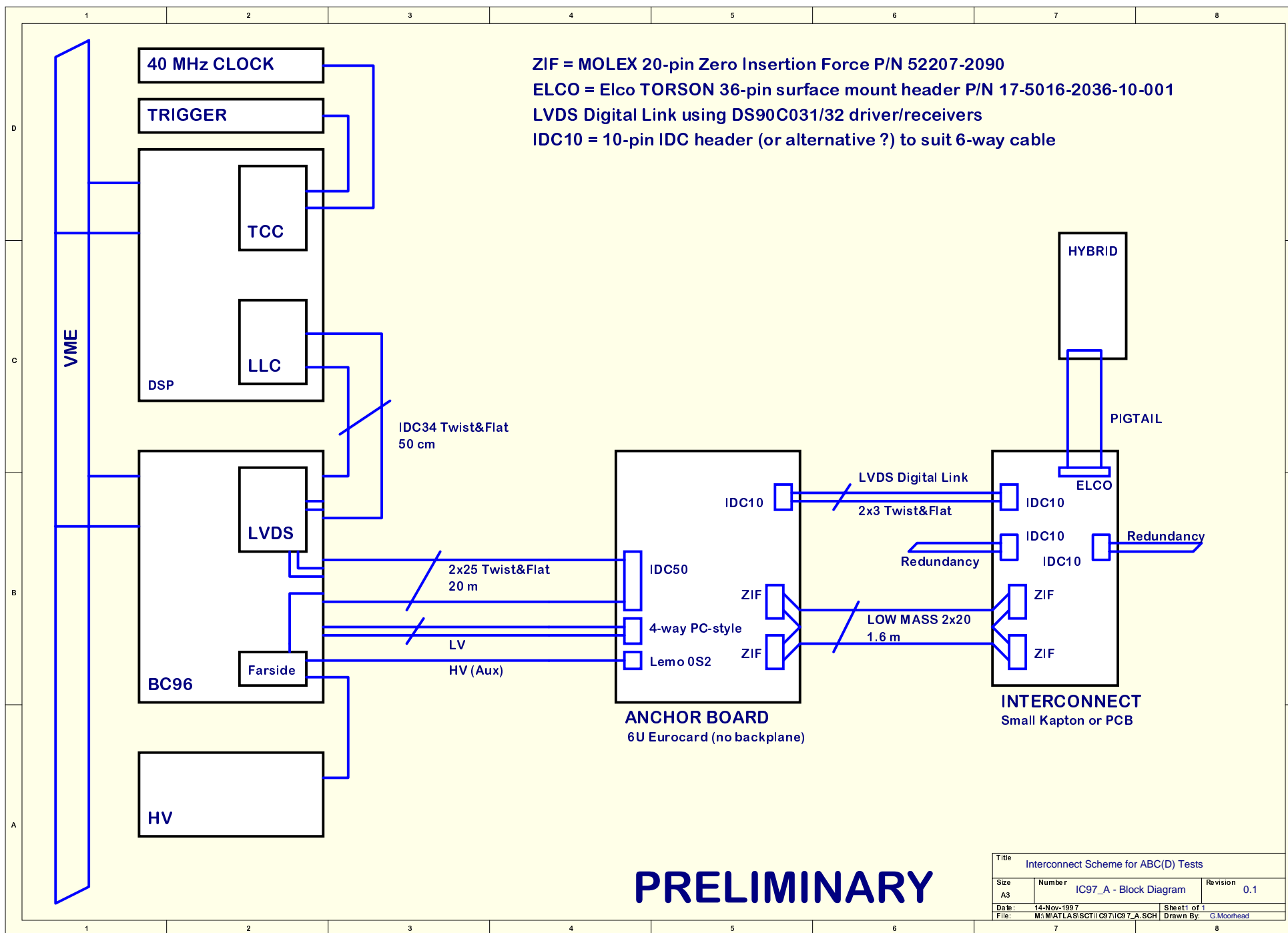
- **Design proposal**

- **Two boards: (See [Block Diagram](#))**
 - **Interconnect: small PCB or Kapton "Dogleg" connecting low-mass cables to hybrid pigtail with ELCO connector**
 - **Anchor: PCB connecting existing conventional cables to low-mass cables with ZIF connectors; approx 1-1.5m from module test mechanics.**
- **Prototype low-mass cables 1.6m from Ljubljana**
- **Digital links: LVDS over twist & flat cable (Same as Liverpool system ? Or Mustard ?)**
- **Redundancy connectors: simple, readily available, e.g., IDC 10-way**

- **Schedule: available February**

- **Questions**

- **How does this complement other efforts for barrel modules ?**
- **Which "few-module" tests early next year might use this scheme ?**
- **Detailed connector specifications for digital links (optical or otherwise) ?**
- **Mechanical specs for interconnect ?**
- **Other comments ?**



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