

Motherboard status

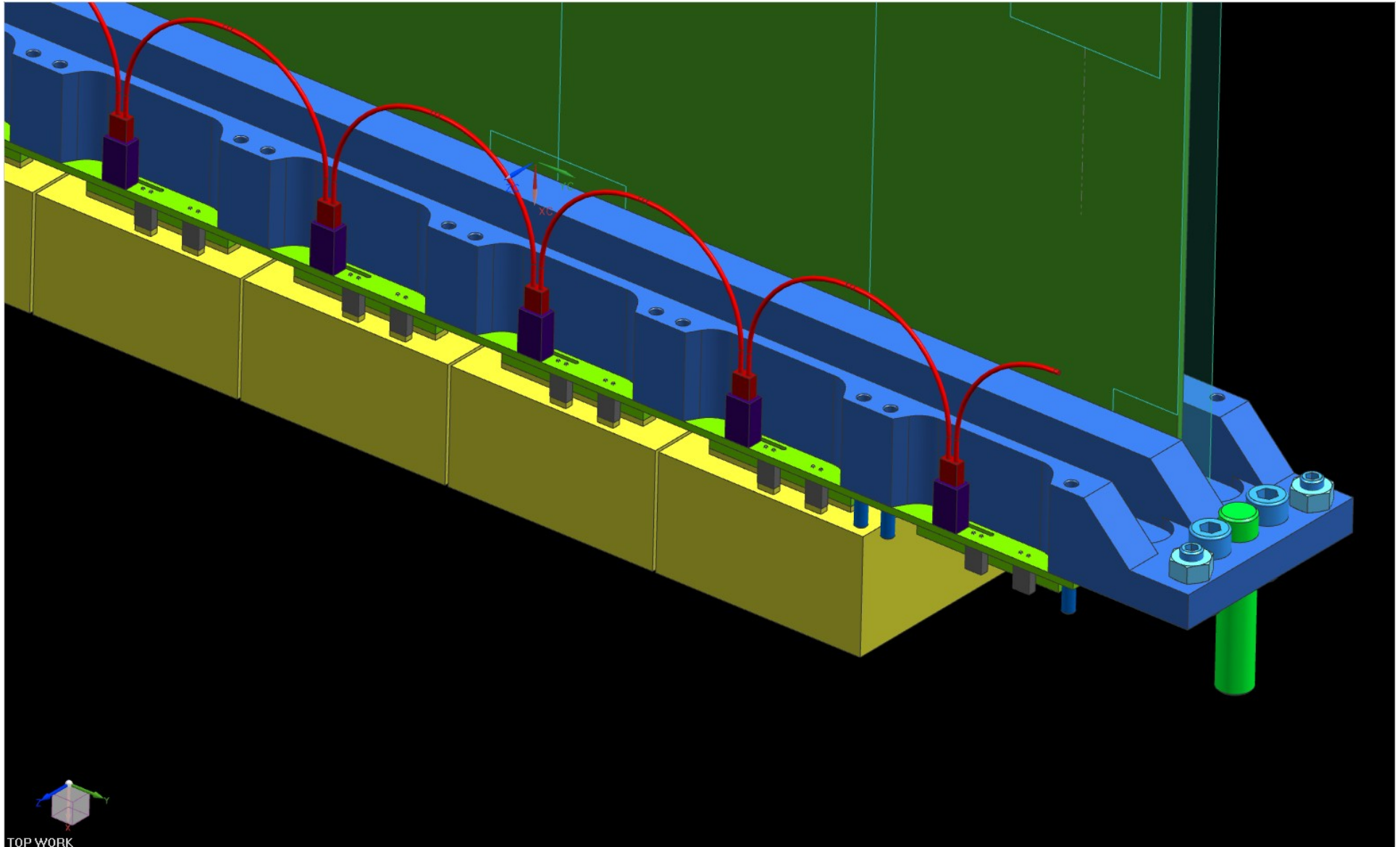
First look at R11265

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- 1 Quartz block procurement

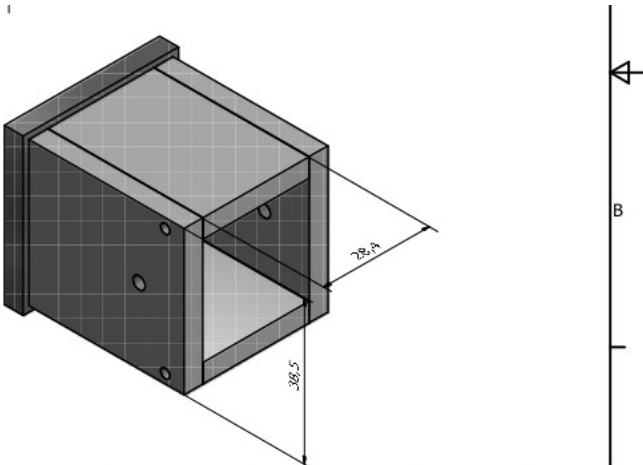
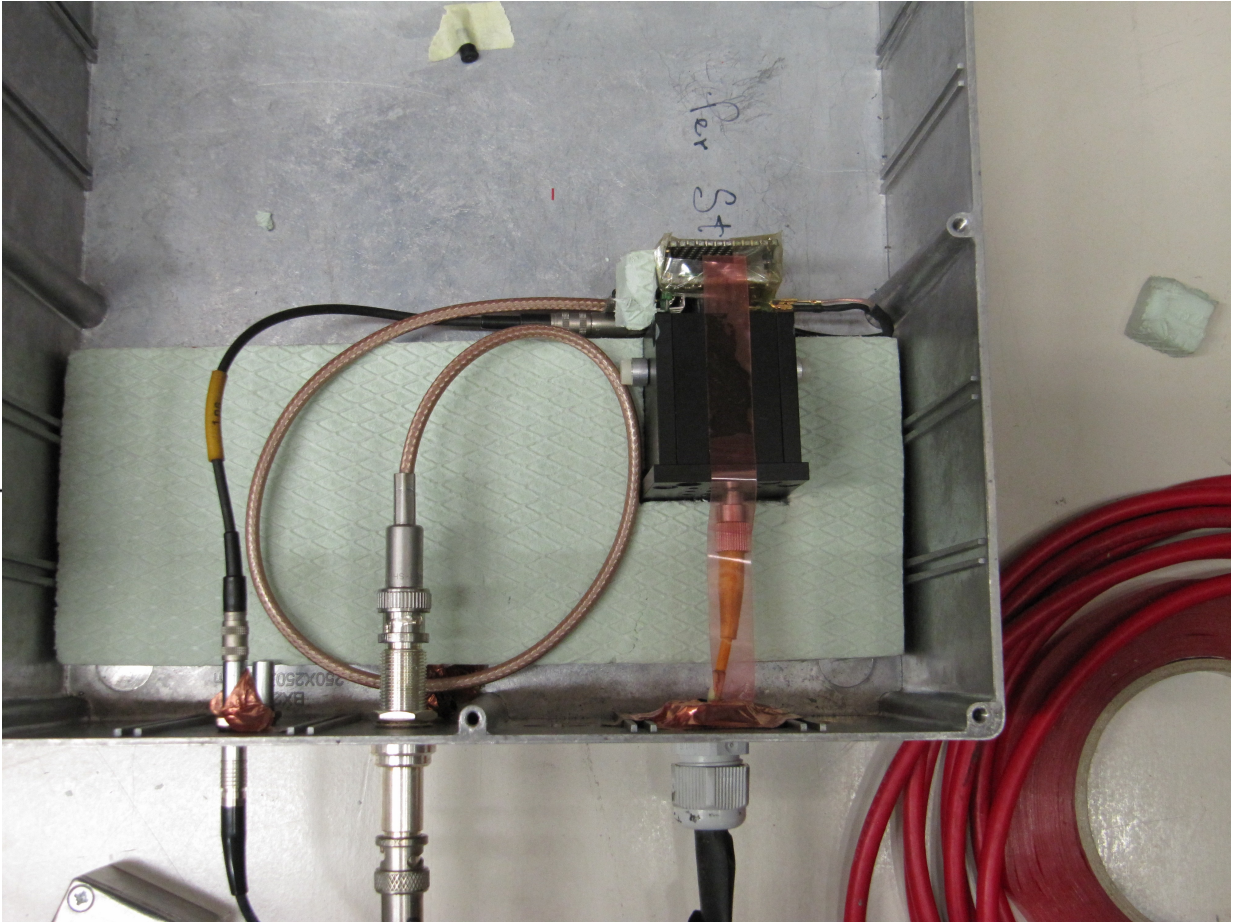
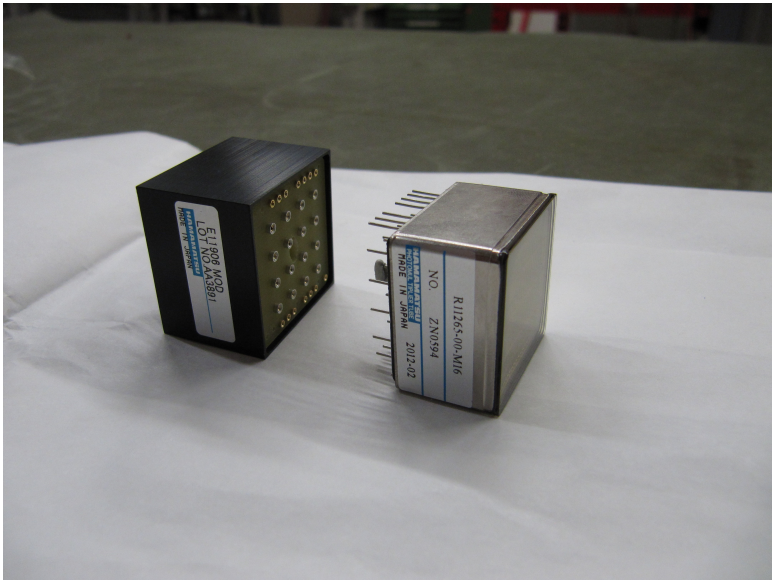
Mothboard 3D model



Plans

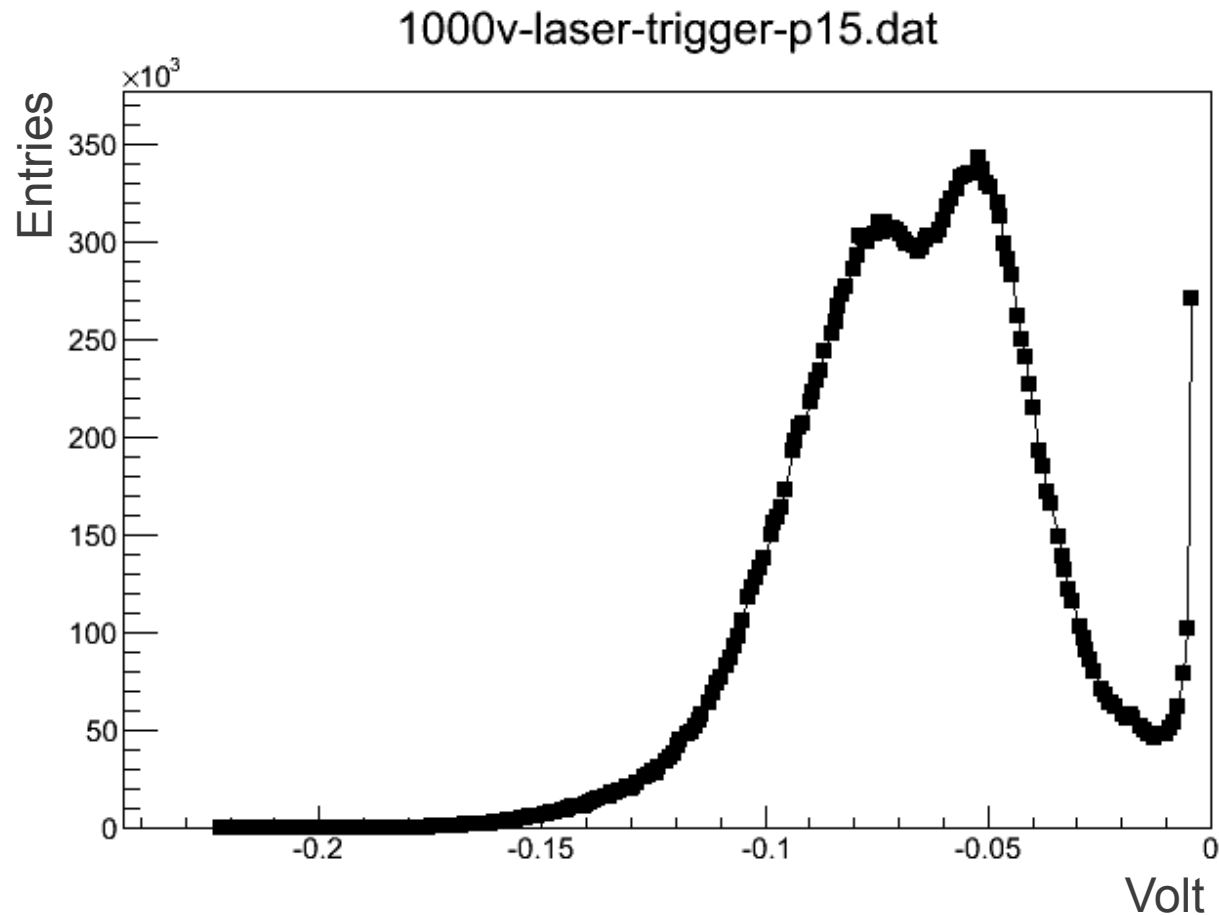
- Aluminum frame deflection test/measurements
- Dummy front end board with connectors
 - Test alignment and precision
 - Insertion force
- Dummy PMT with connectors
 - Test pmt alignment procedure
- HV cable routing

R11265-00-M16 Test Setup



Progettato da salvato	Materiale PVC nero	Trattamento superficiale nn	Data 28/05/2012	N° Pezzi 1
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Pulse height distribution



Triggered on laser pulse incident on pixel 15

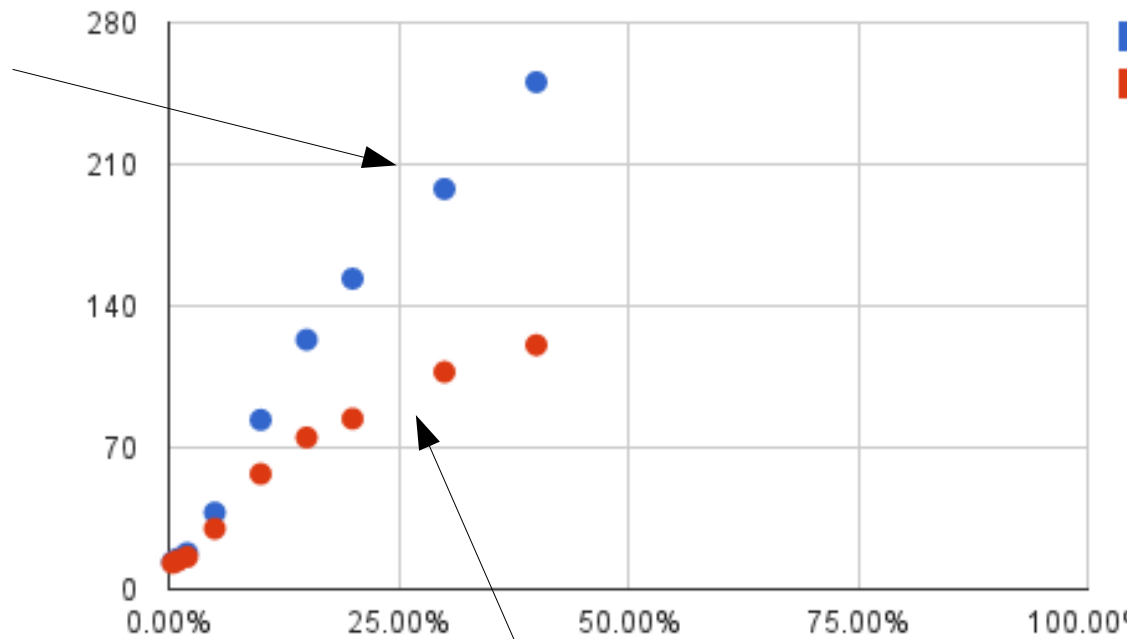
Histogram from oscilloscope, no preamplification

20-9-20 Pedestal well separated from signal. 1 gamma signal $\sim 53\text{mV}$

Double peak structure, clearly saturation

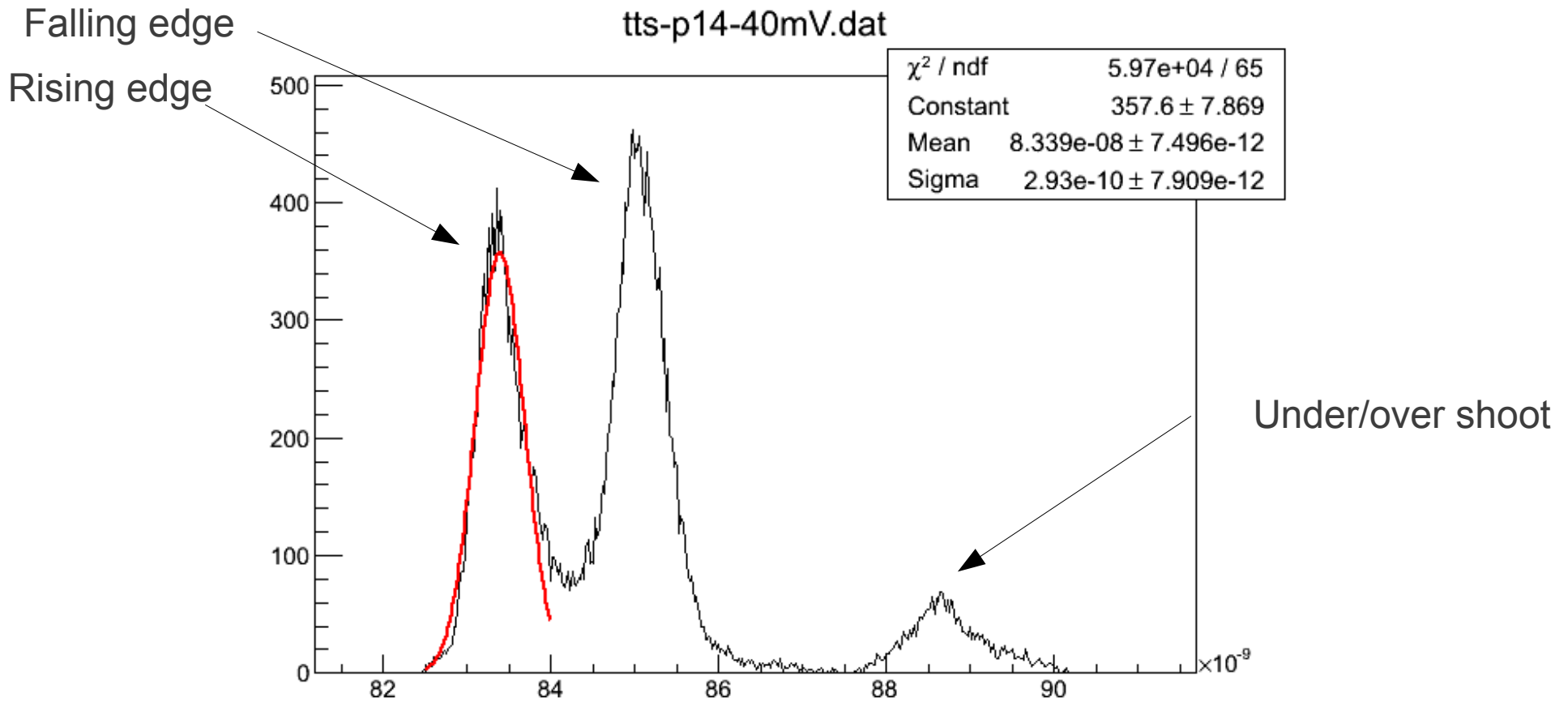
Saturation

Mean of the pulse height distribution assuming poisson statistics and no saturation



Mean of the pulse height histogram

Pulse time distribution



Signal Amplified with THS 4303 (x5 amplification)

Histogram show the distribution of times for crossing a threshold of 25%

No time walk correction, time resolution \sim 300ps

Plan

- Test R11265-100-M64 (super Bi-alkali, 64 pixels) that we just received
 - Single photon detection
 - Absolute efficiency
 - Geometrical efficiency (should be much better than earlier prototypes)
 - Measure Gain and efficiency variation among pixels
 - Test charge injection on dynode 12
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Quartz procurement

- [very likely] obtained funding from INFN for the procurement of one quartz block + wedge
 - 78 K Euro for 2012
 - Additional 10-20 K Euro from other 2012 budget
- Allows to buy from Roechester company
 - Raw block + machining + polishing + plating
 - Wedge
- Start the process for the call for tender with at least three companies by the end of the year
- Request for offer can be delayed to April. Allows modifications to the design, if necessary, after the analysis of SLAC prototype data
- Order can be made in August
- Need to make direct contact with Roechester company soon

Conclusion

- Motherboard mechanical frame prototype constructed
- Electrical design done, waiting for bureaucracy
- Initial tests on R11265 show interesting results on single photon performance
- Funding for the procurement of one quartz block + wedge most likely approved