



Update on LYSO Studies

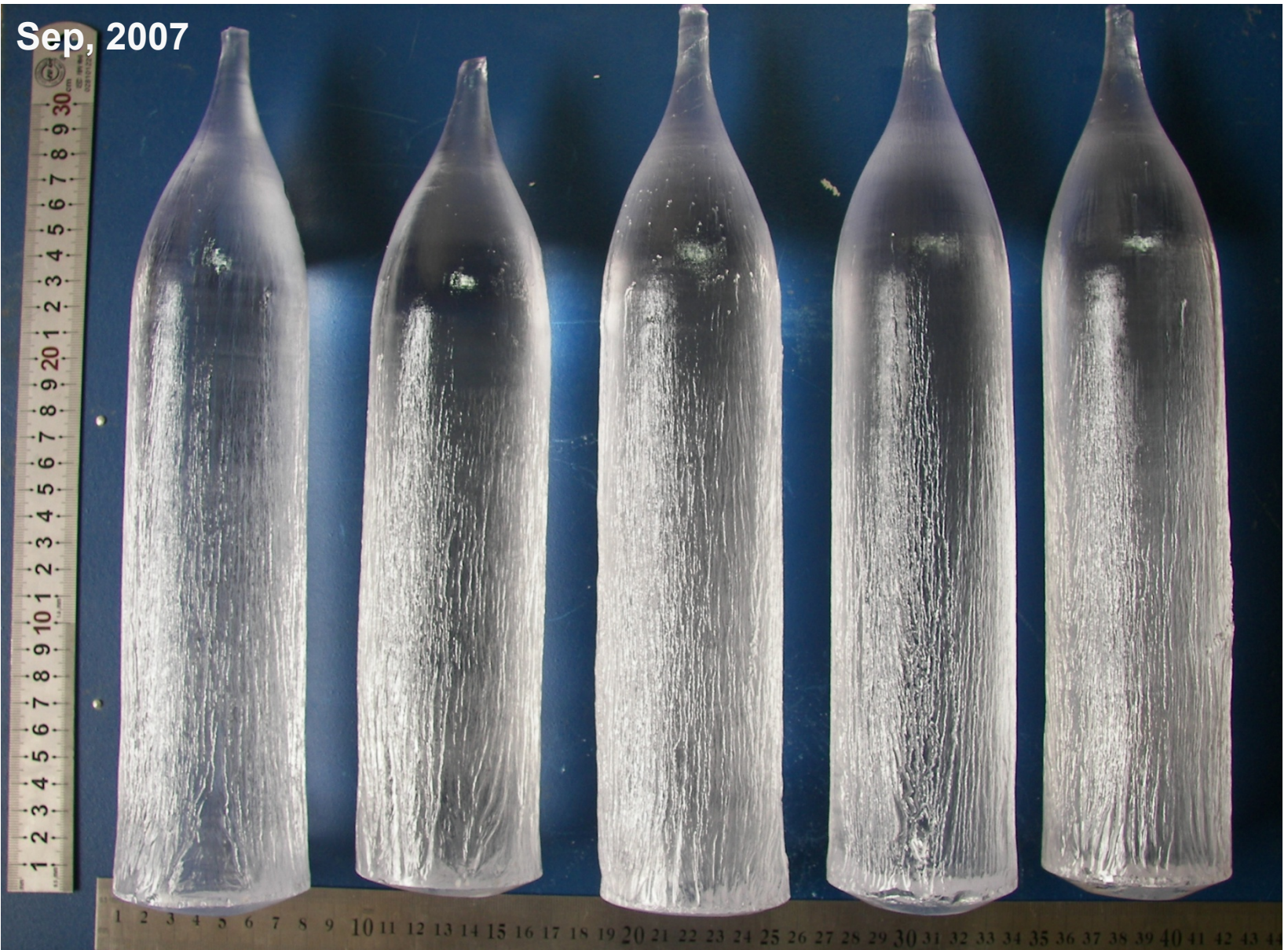
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SIPAT $\text{\O}60 \times 250$ mm LYSO Ingots

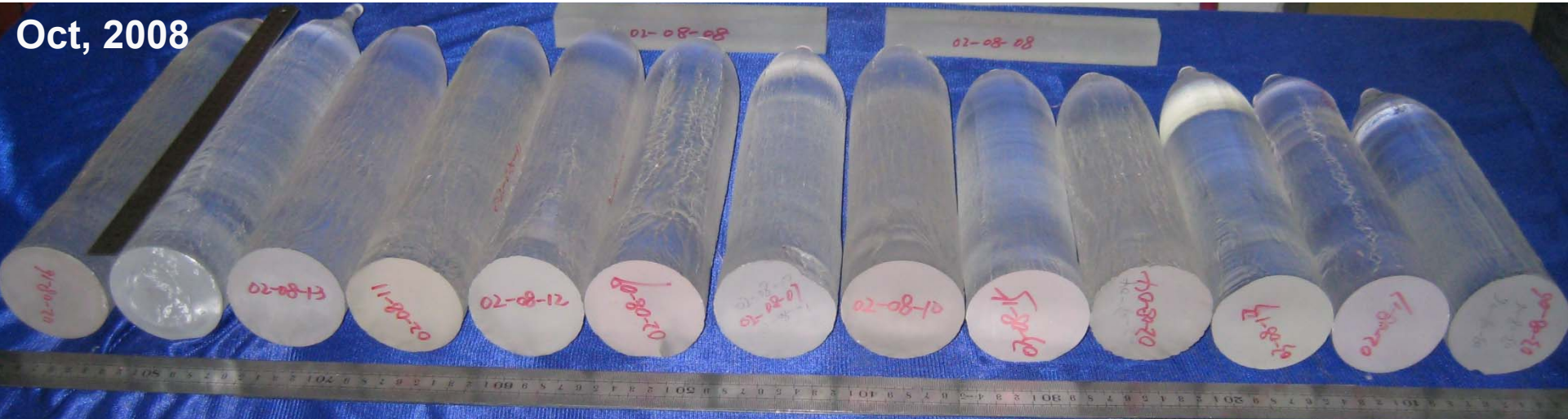




Production of LYSO at SIPAT



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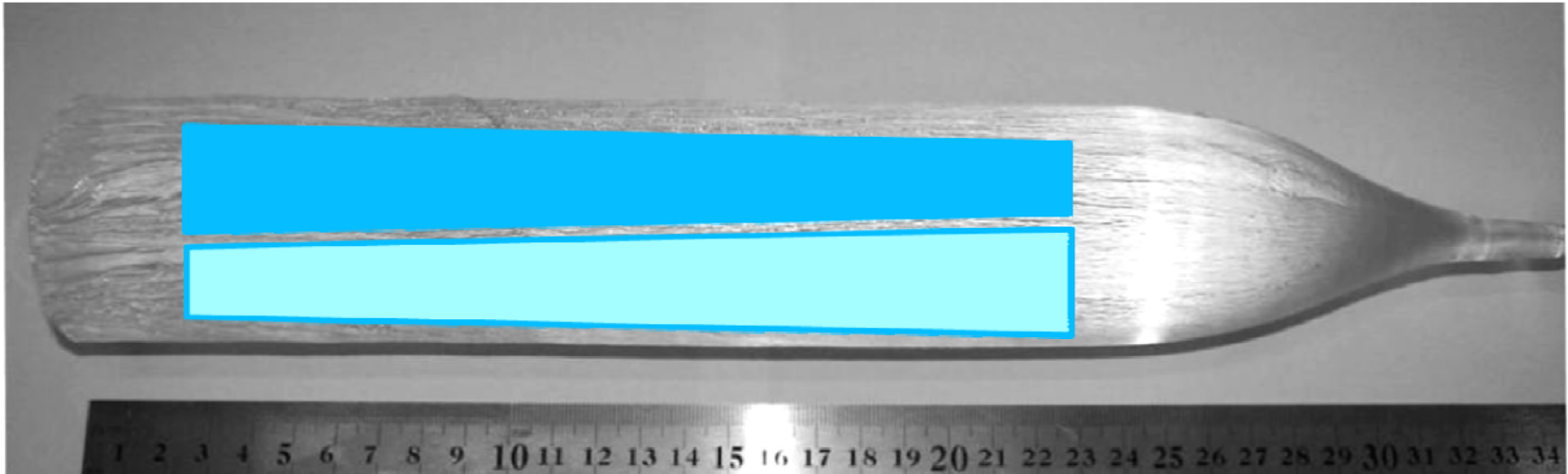
Growth is mature. R&D on following Issues:

- Optimization of Cerium doping;
- Light response uniformity.



LYSO Longitudinal Uniformity

Good light response uniformity is crucial for a crystal calorimeter to achieve its designed energy resolution at high energies. The distribution of the cerium activator, however, is not uniform along the crystal.



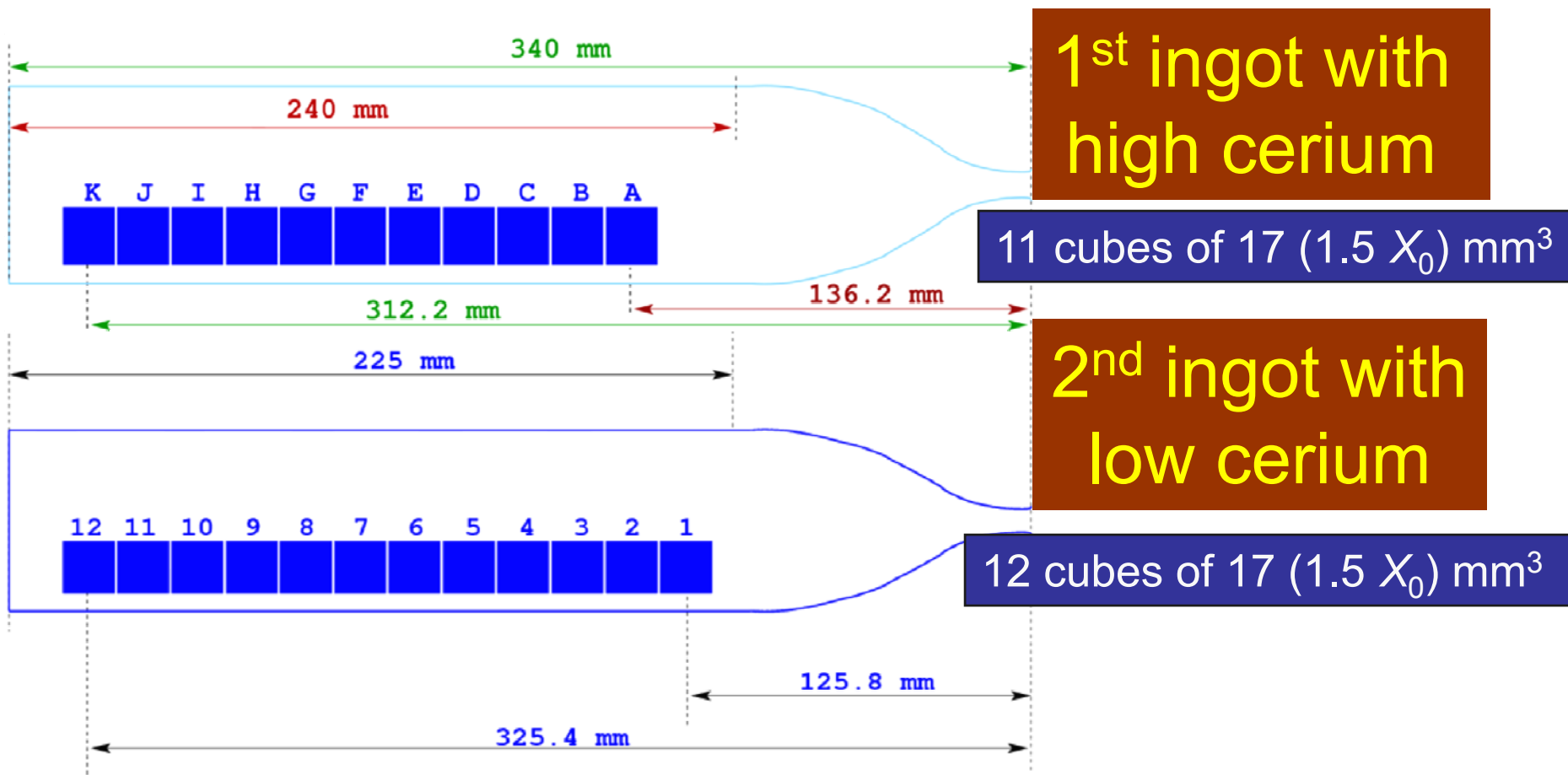
Sipat's $\Phi 60 \times 250$ mm ingot may be cut to two SuperB crystals, significantly increasing the ingot usage. The key issue: longitudinally uniformity.



Cube Samples from SIPAT



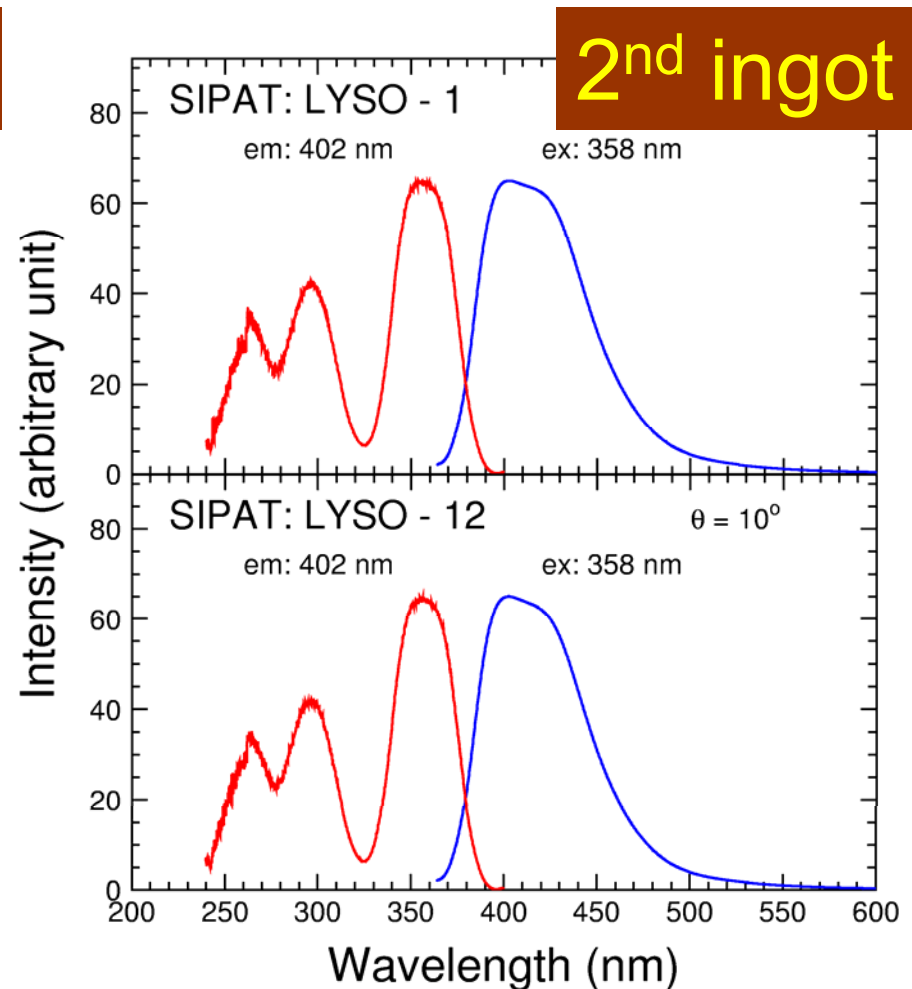
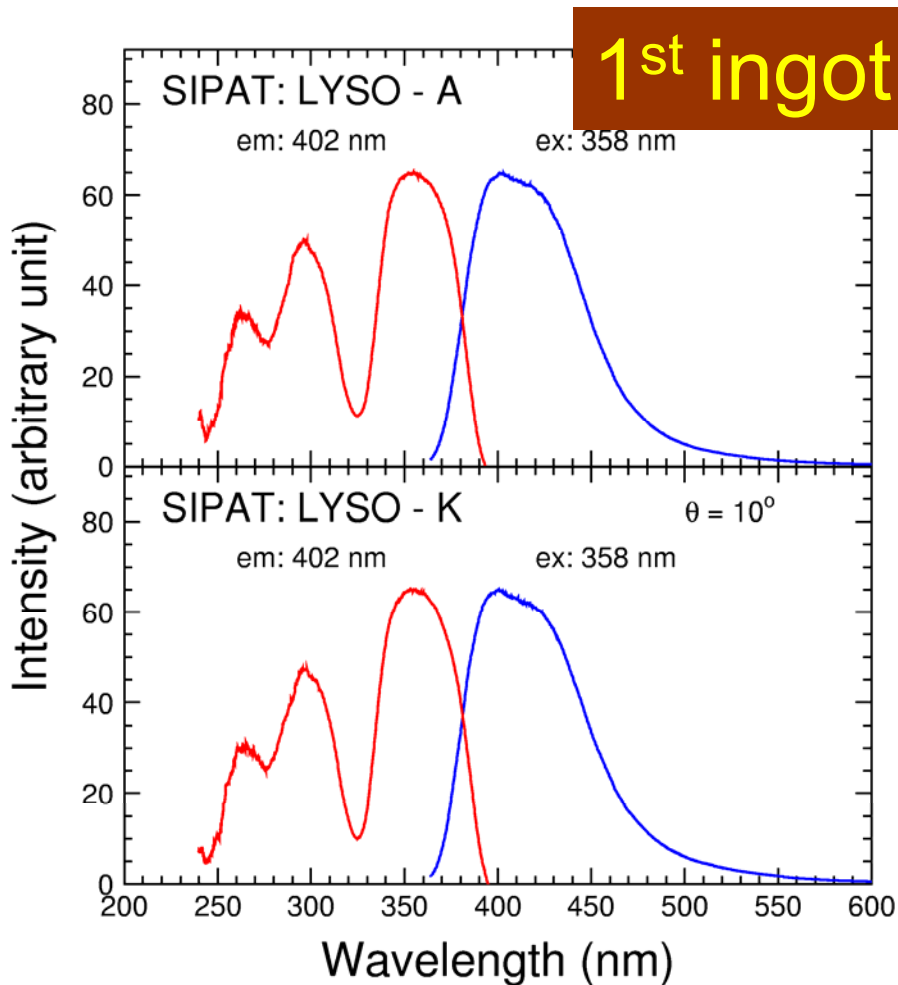
Two ingots grown by Czochralski method at SIPAT were cut to 11 & 12 cubes of 1.7 cm.





UV Excitation & Emission Spectra

Consistent excitation (red) and emission (blue) spectra observed from seed to tail for both ingots.



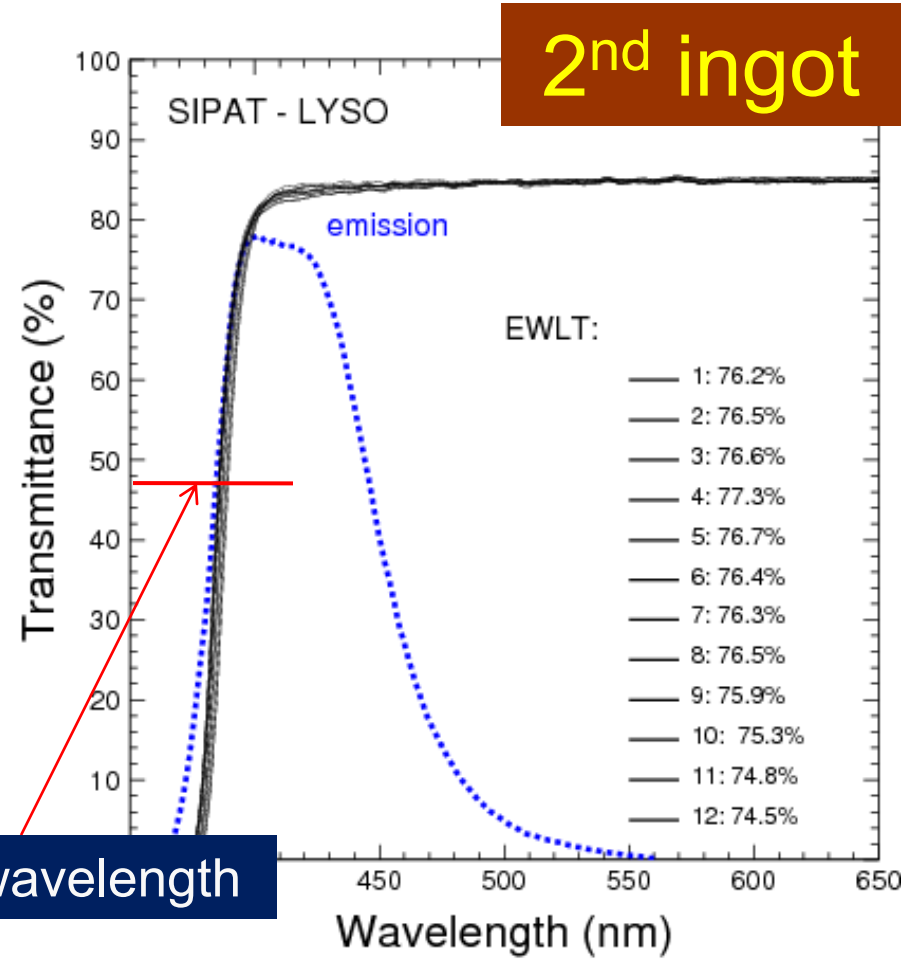
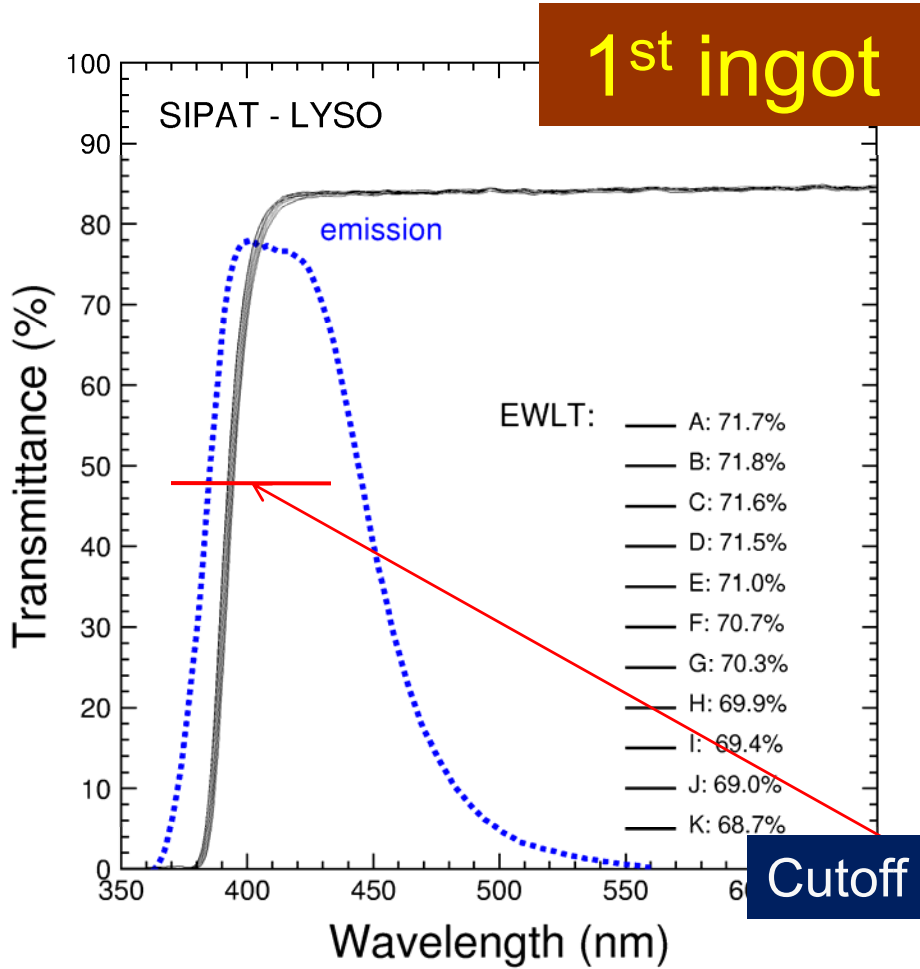


Transmission Spectra



Transmissions are position dependent:

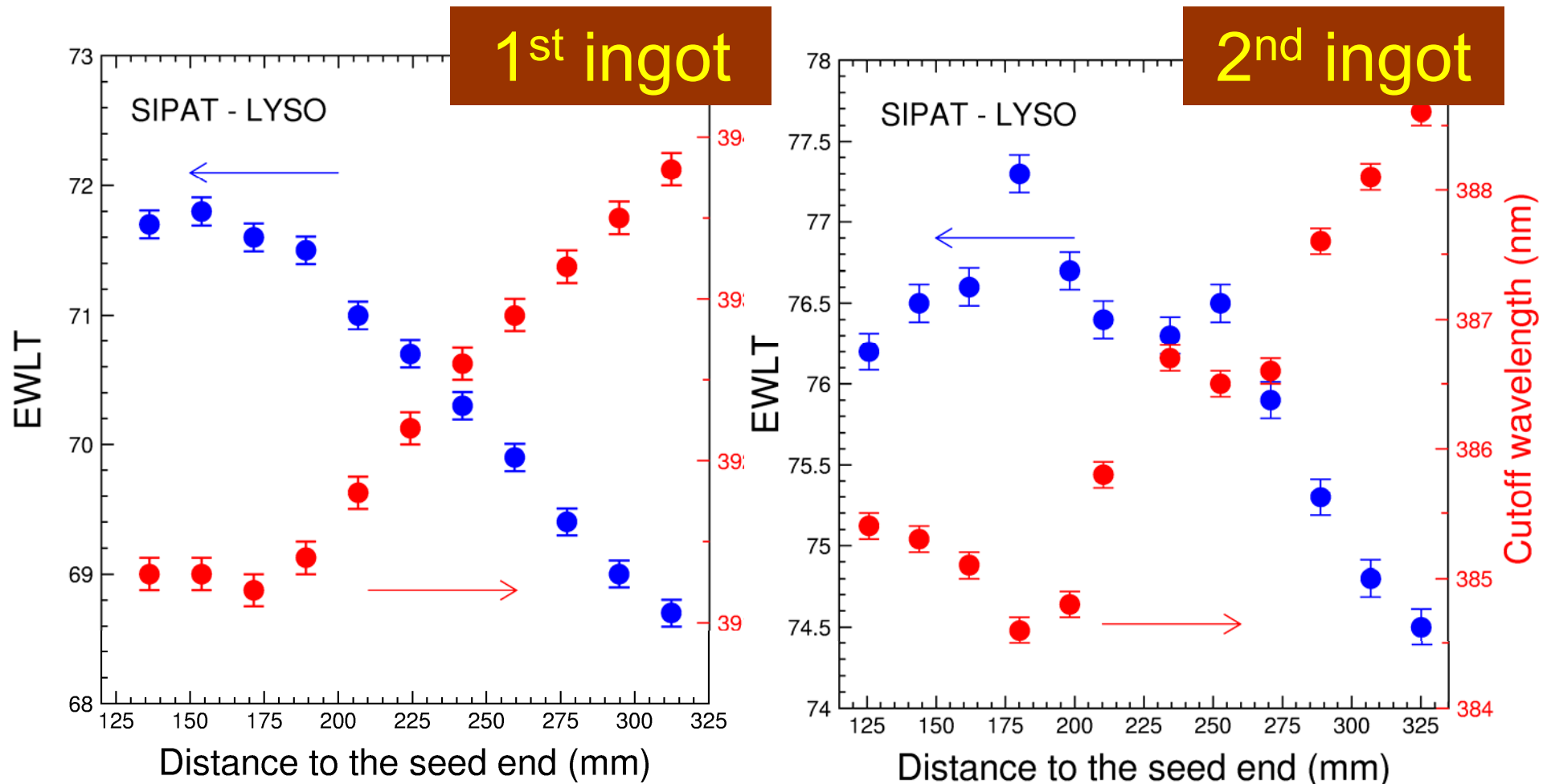
$$EWLT = \frac{\int LT(\lambda)Em(\lambda)d\lambda}{\int Em(\lambda)d\lambda}$$





EWLT and Cut-off versus Position

Correlations exist between EWLT/cut-off and cube position, indicating possible correlation with the cerium concentration.

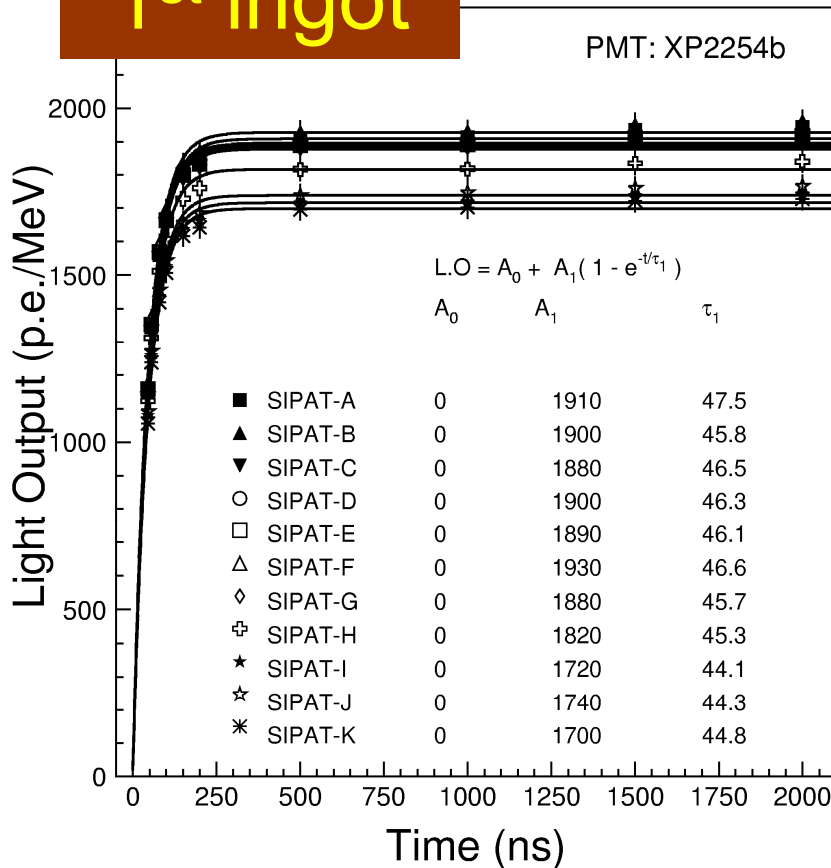


Light Output

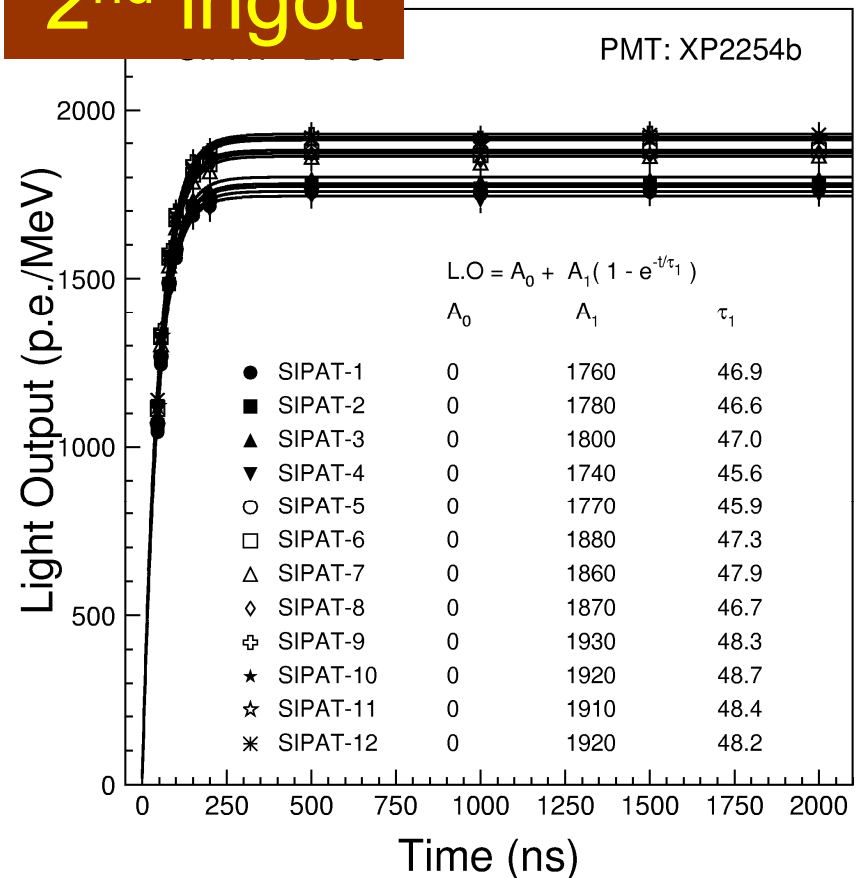


Light Outputs are position dependent, indicating possible correlation with the cerium concentration.

1st ingot



2nd ingot



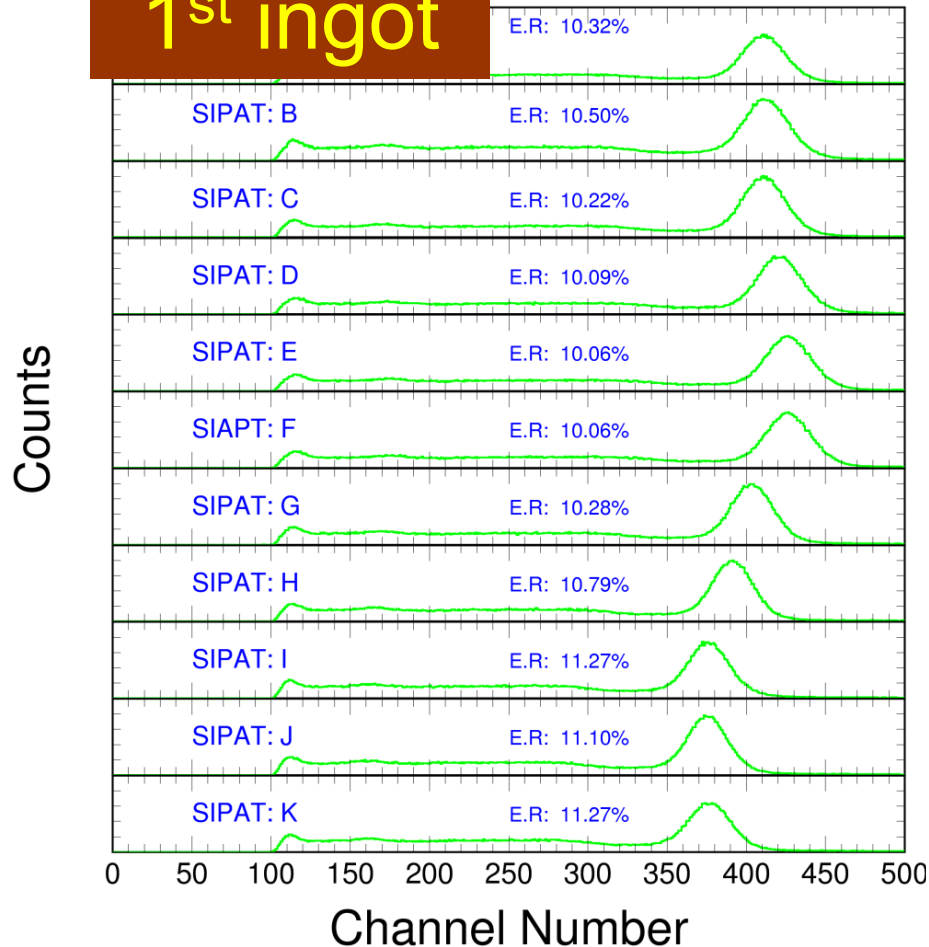


FWHM Energy Resolution

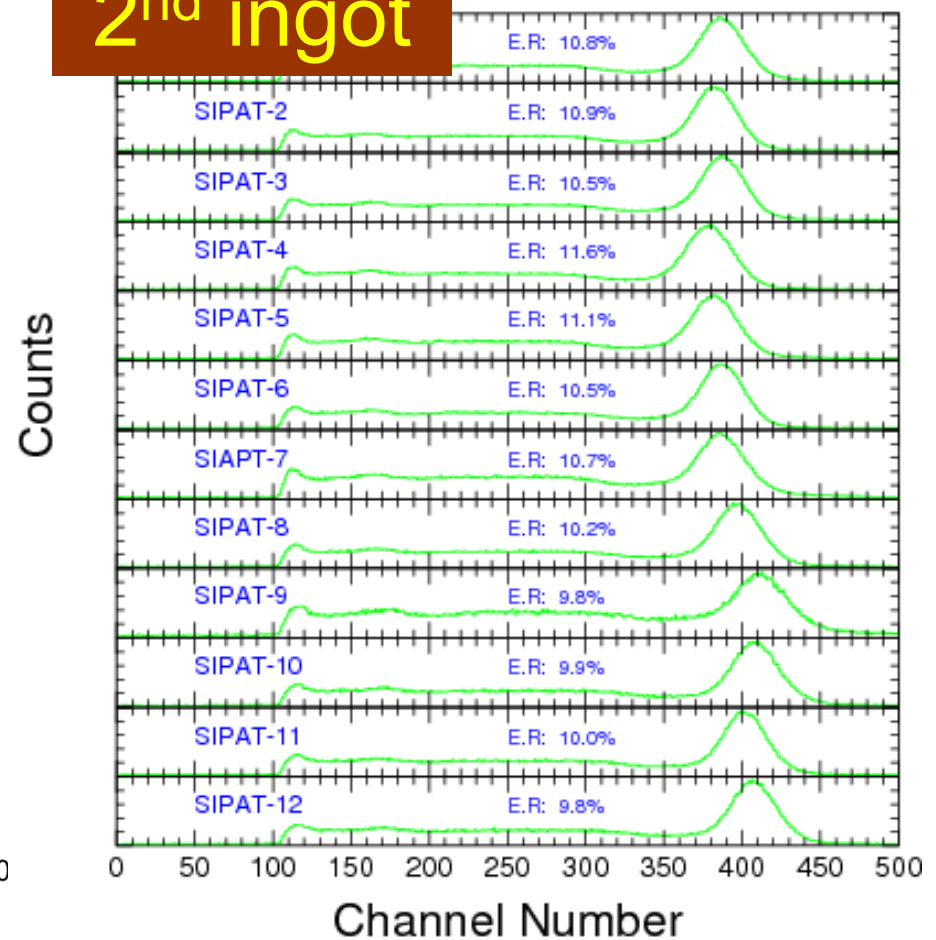


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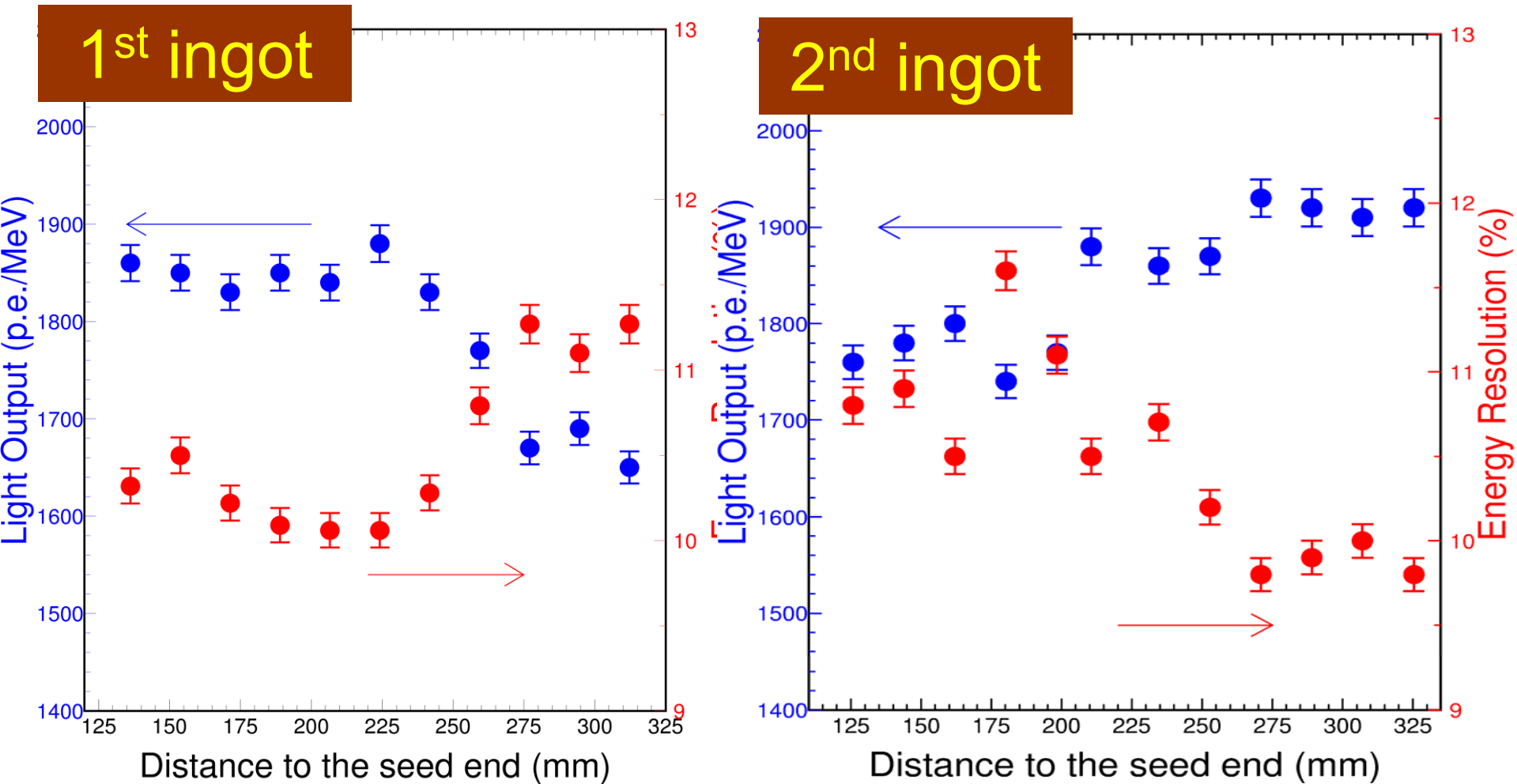




L.O. and E.R. versus Position



Correlations exist between L.O./E.R. and cube position.

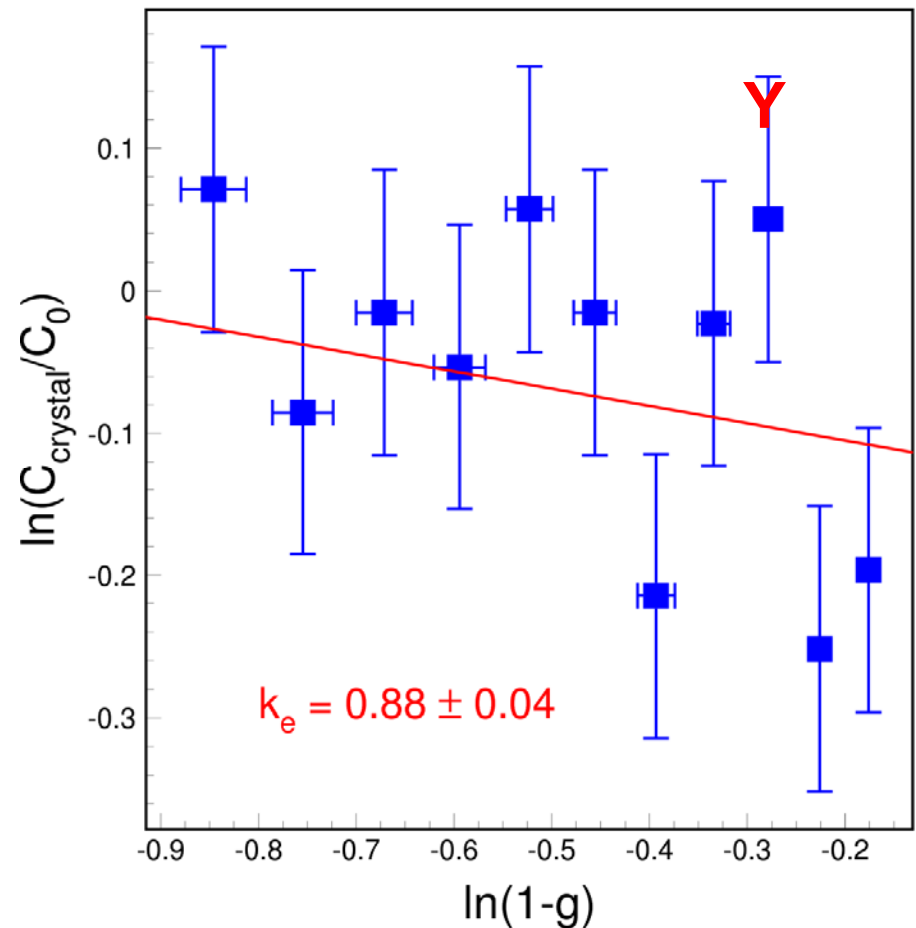
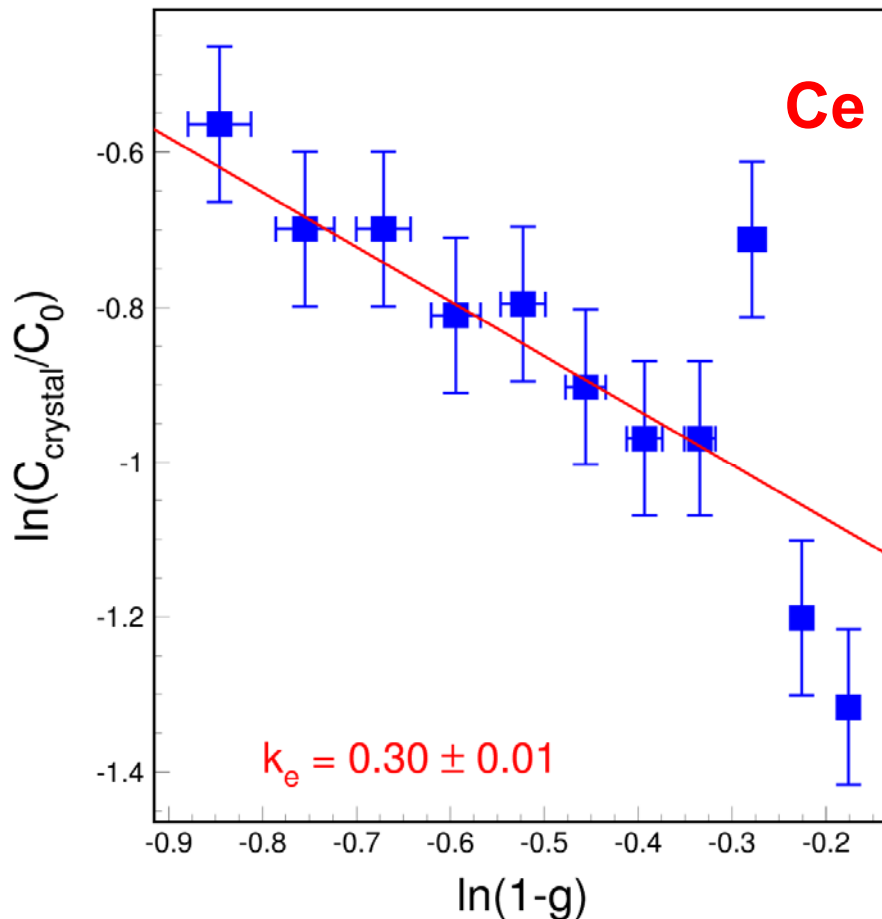




Cerium & Yttrium Segregation



- Concentrations of cerium and yttrium were measured by using Glow Discharge Mass Spectrometry (GDMS) analysis.
- Segregation coefficients of cerium and yttrium in LSO were fitted to be 0.30 and 0.88 respectively: $\ln \frac{C_{Crystal}}{C_0} = \ln k_e + (k_e - 1) \ln(1 - g)$

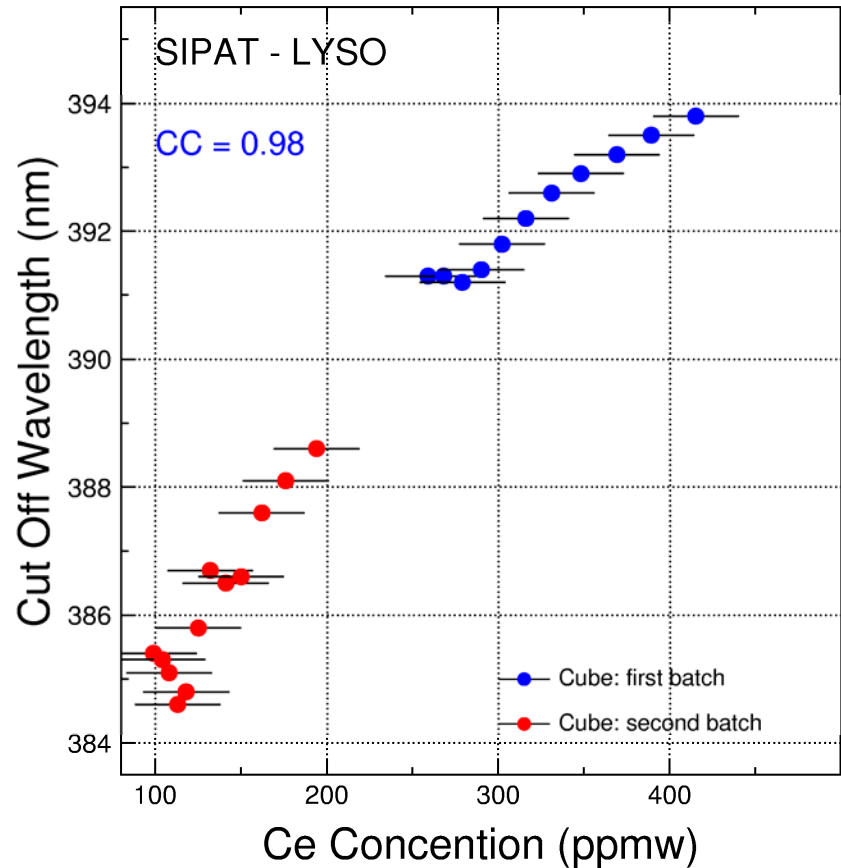
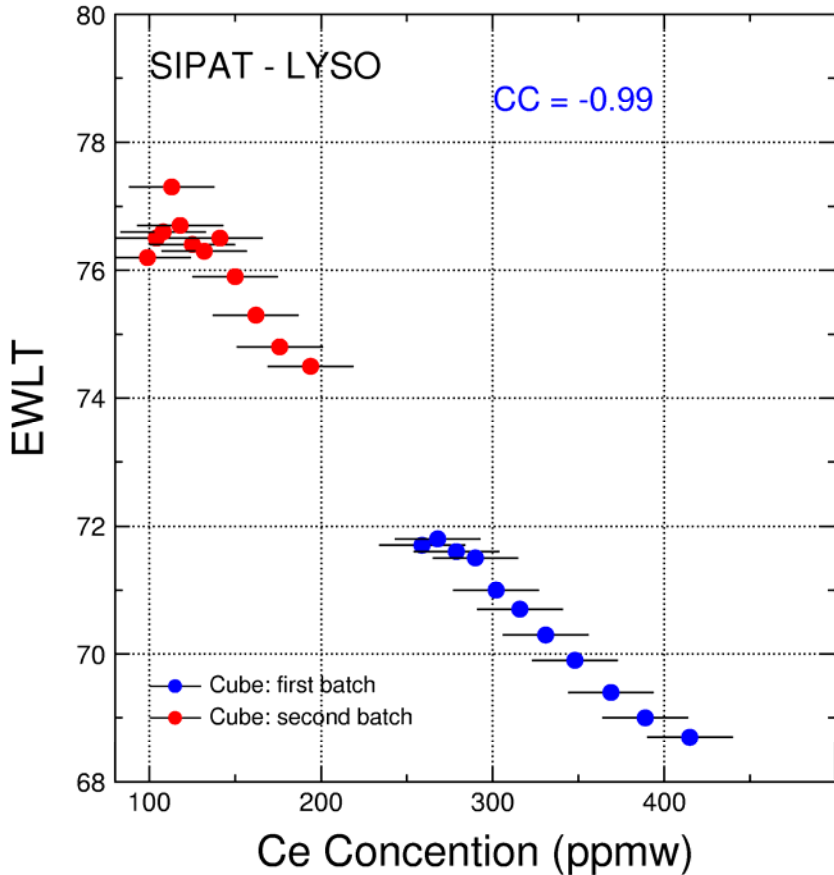




EWLT & Cut-off vs. Ce Concentration



Strong correlations observed between EWLT and the cut-off wavelength versus the Ce concentration.

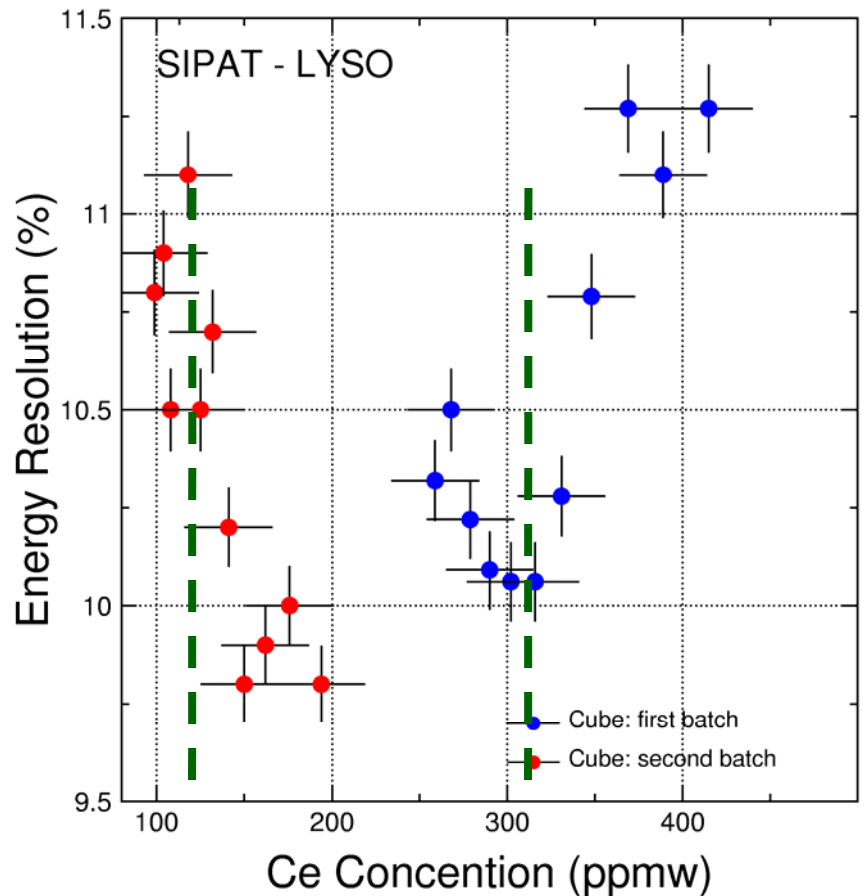
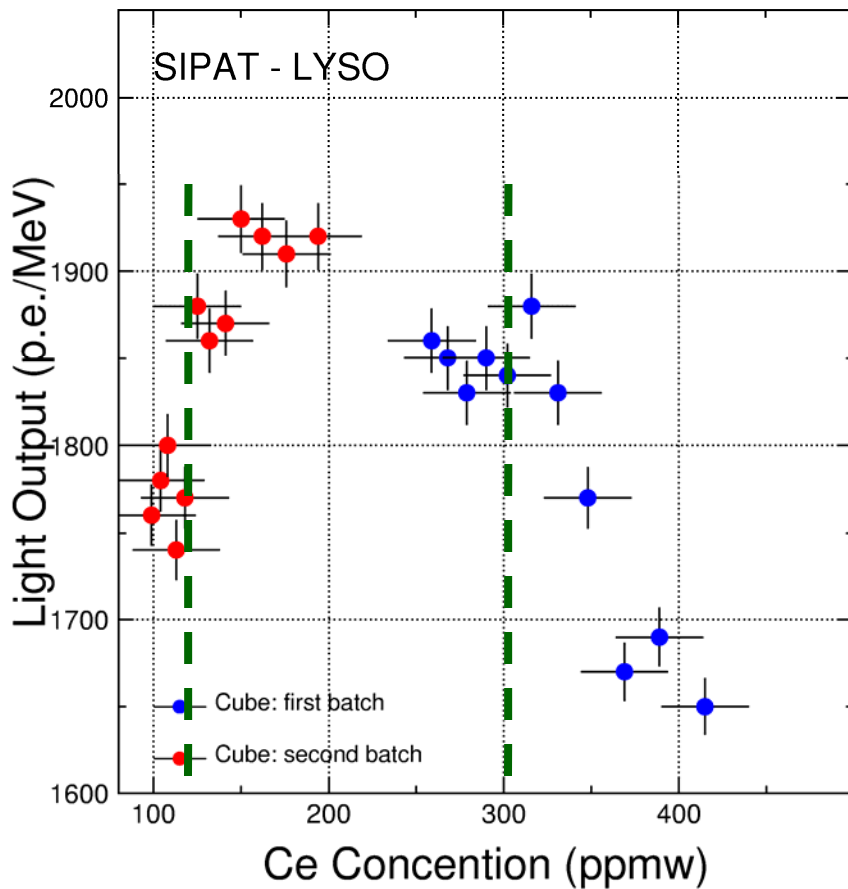




L.O. and E.R. versus Ce Concentration



A 'plateau' observed between 125 ~ 325 ppm, indicating a possibility to grow uniform crystal with optimized Ce doping. This observation consists with private data from C. Melcher.



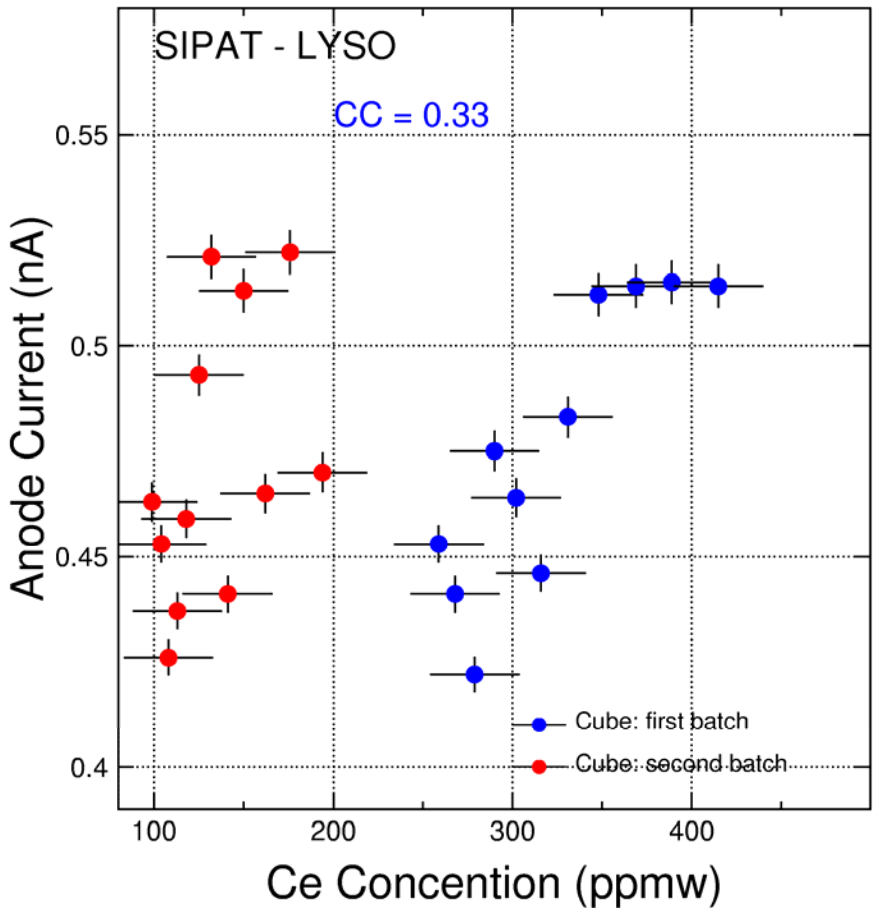


Phosphorescence vs. Ce Concentration

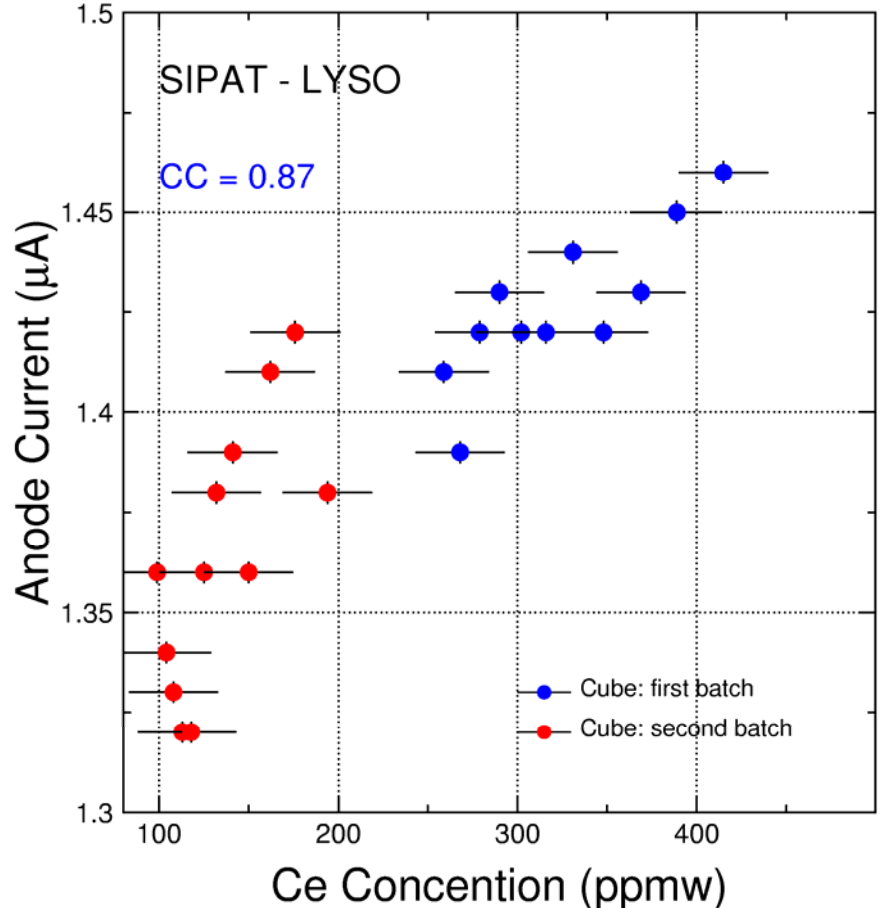


Correlation observed between radiation induced phosphorescence and the Ce concentration, but not before gamma-ray irradiation.

Before irradiation



After irradiation

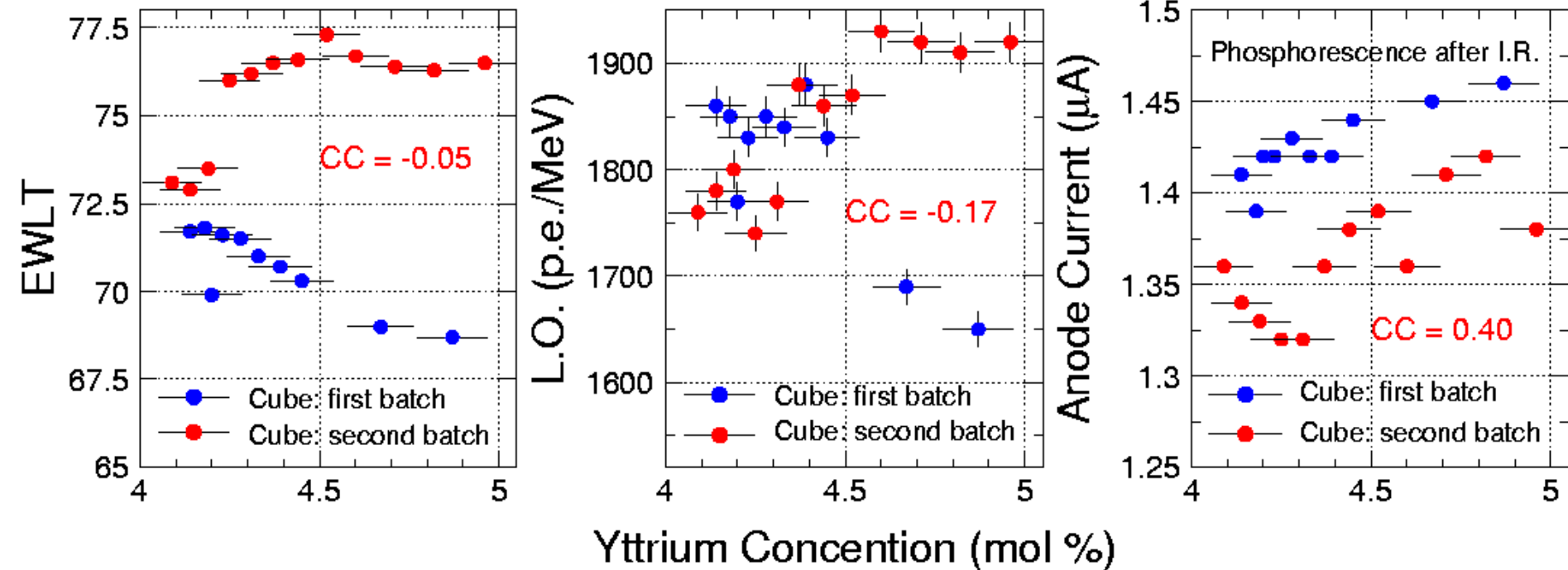




EWLT, L.O. and Phosphorescence after irradiation vs. the Yttrium Concentration

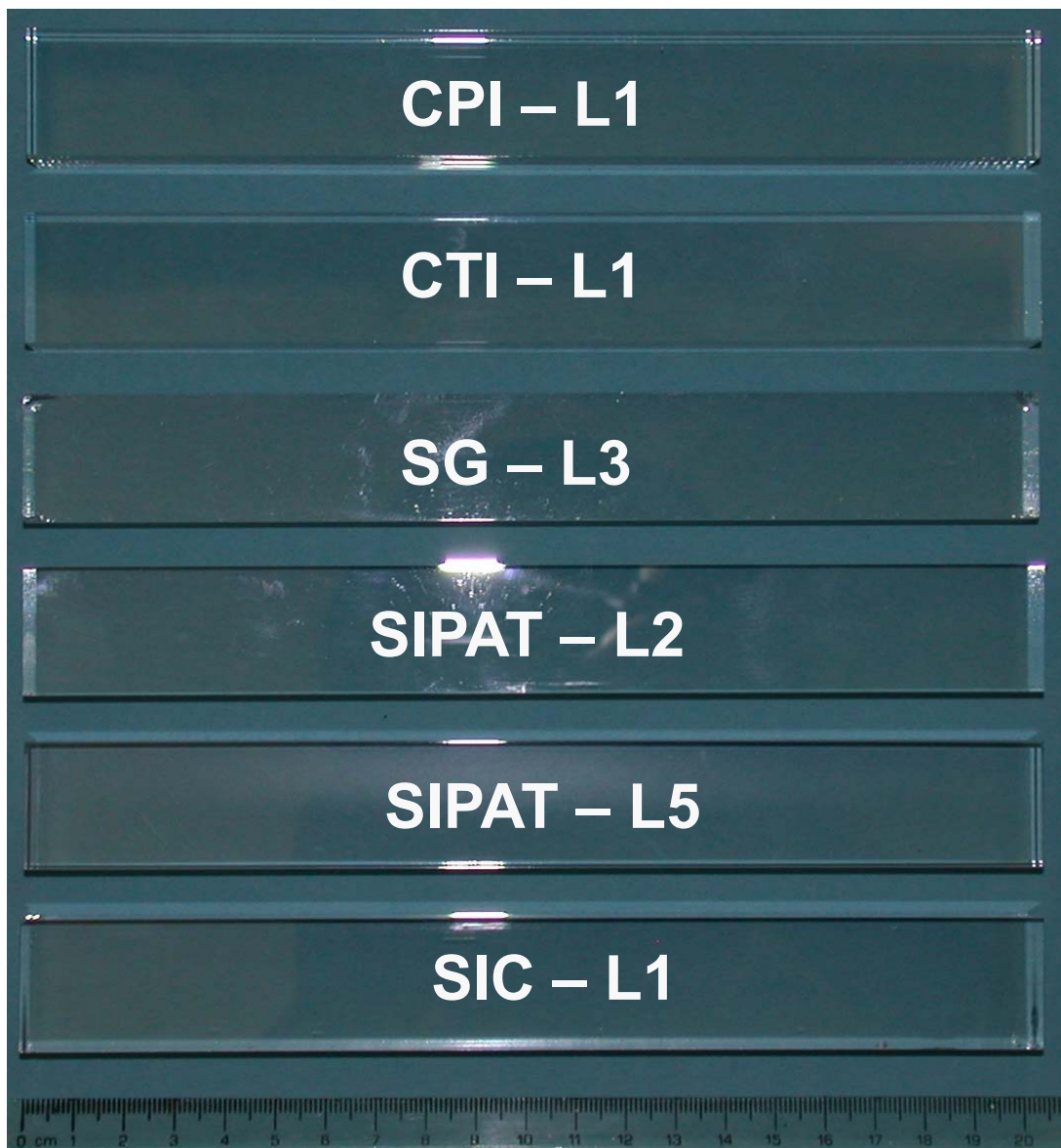


No correlations were observed between the yttrium concentrations and EWLT, the light output and the intensity of phosphorescence after gamma-ray irradiations.



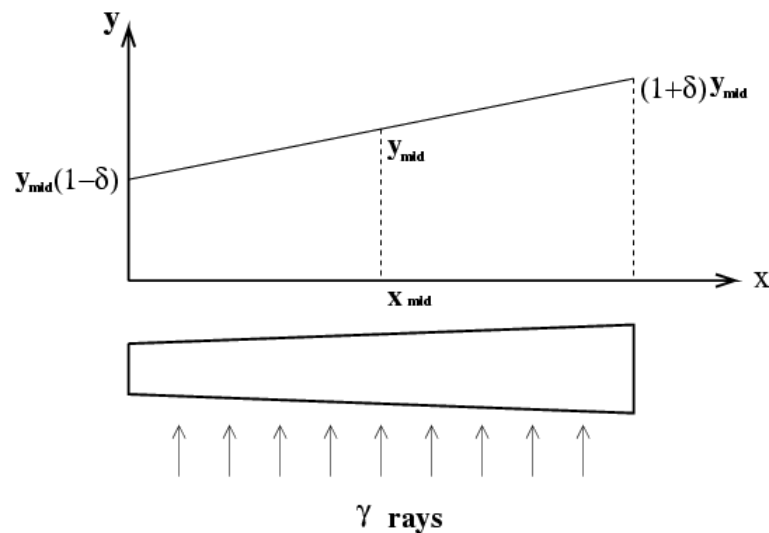


Light Response Uniformity



2.5 x 2.5 x 20 cm
Samples tested for
their light response
uniformity

$$Y = Y_{mid} [1 + \delta(x/x_{mid} - 1)]$$

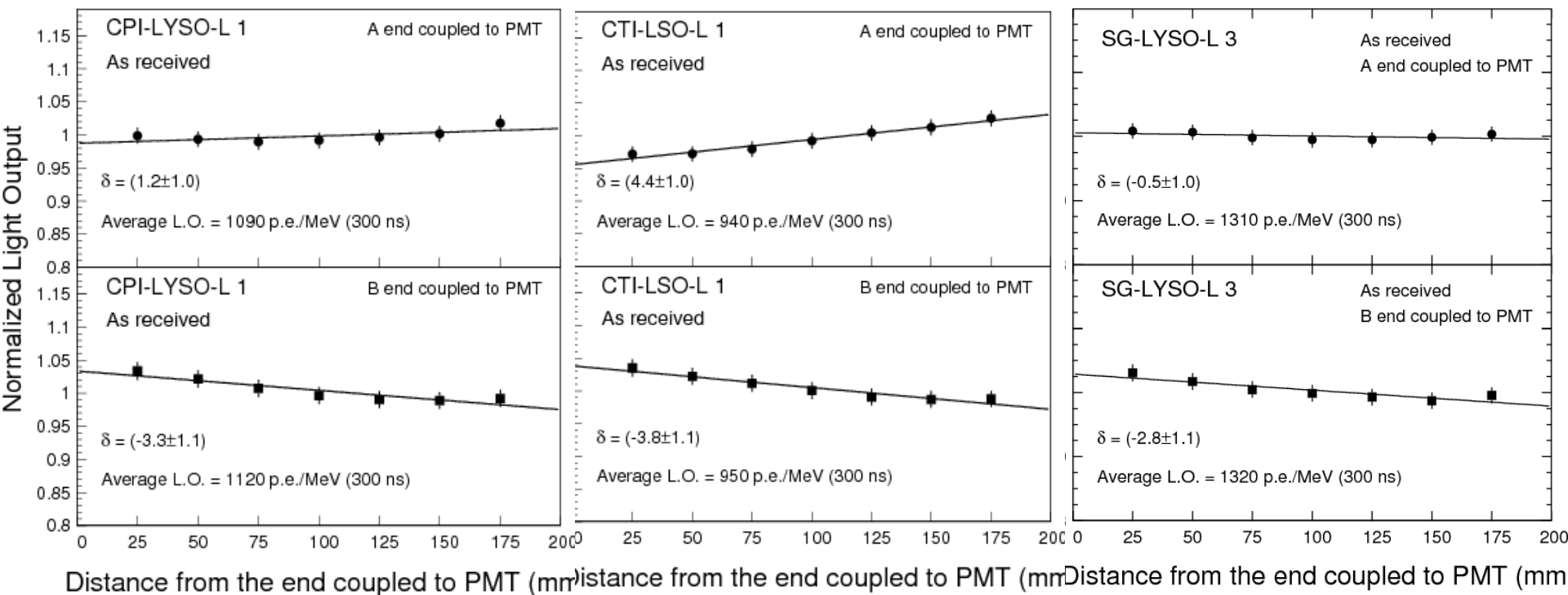




L.R.U. of 20 cm Long LYSO



Diverse light response uniformities observed with $\delta = 1.2/-3.3, 4.4/-3.9, -0.5/-2.8$ for CPI, CTI & SG respectively

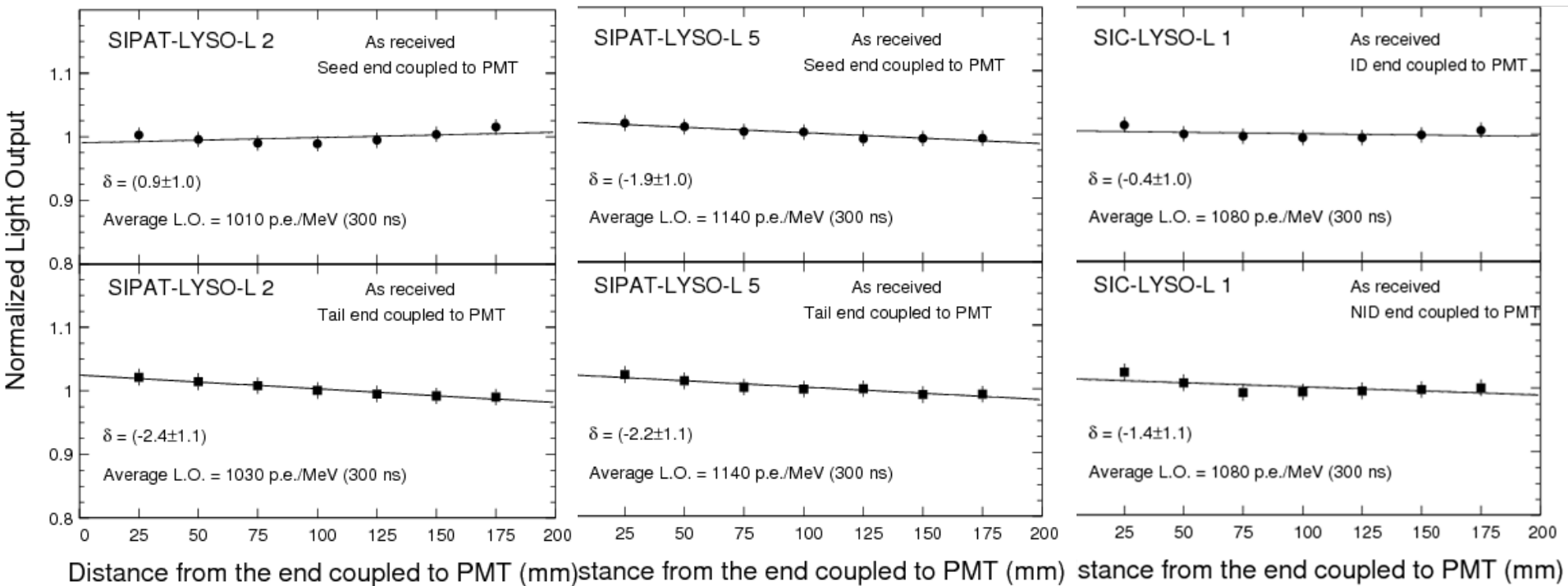




Progress Achieved in L.R.U.



The L.R.U. of SIPAT samples is improved from 0.9/-2.4 to -1.9/-2.2, opening a possibility to cut two crystals from one ingot. 1st SIC sample shows good L.R.U.: -0.4/-1.4



Before Optimization

After Optimization

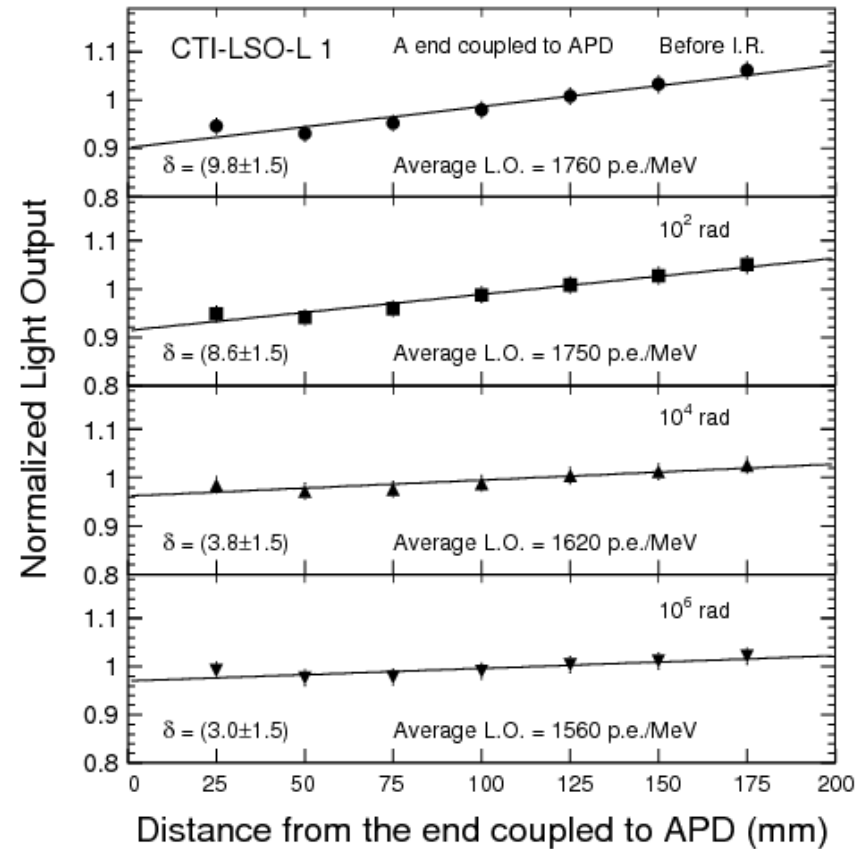
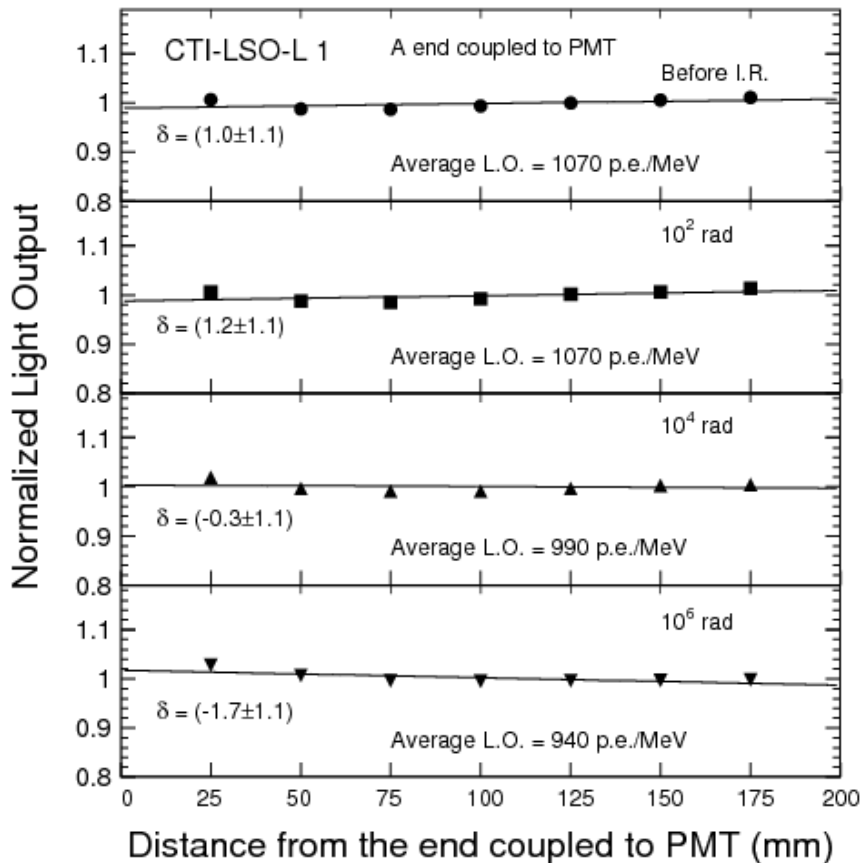
1st SIC Sample



Radiation Effect on L.R.U.: CTI-LSO-L1



Consistent uniformity before and after irradiations.
Different slopes between PMT & APD readout.

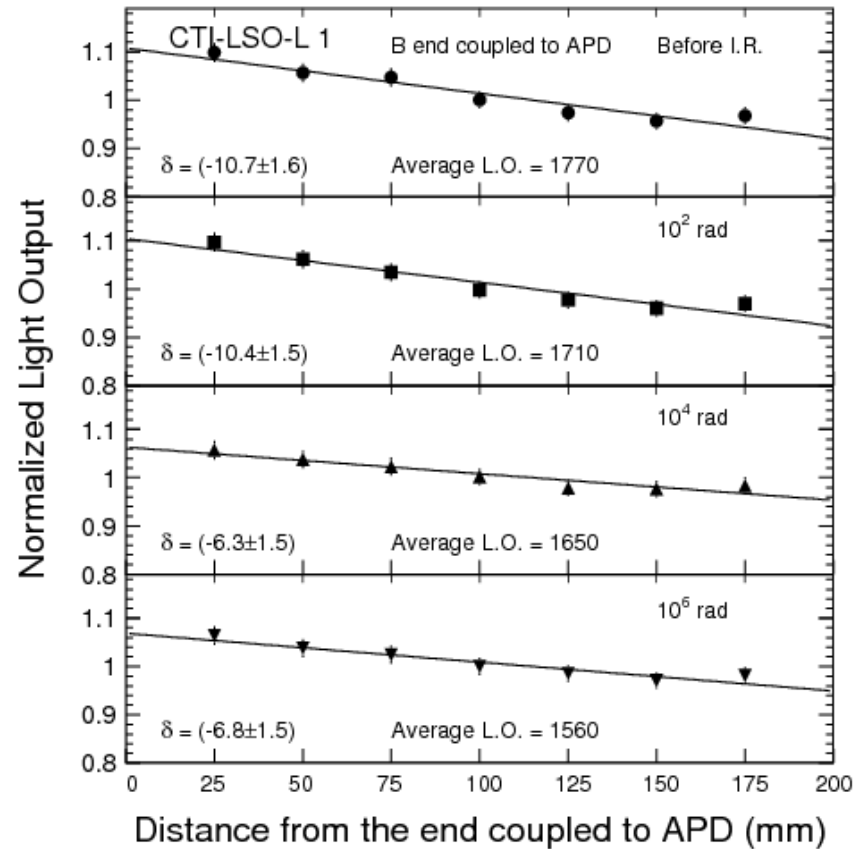
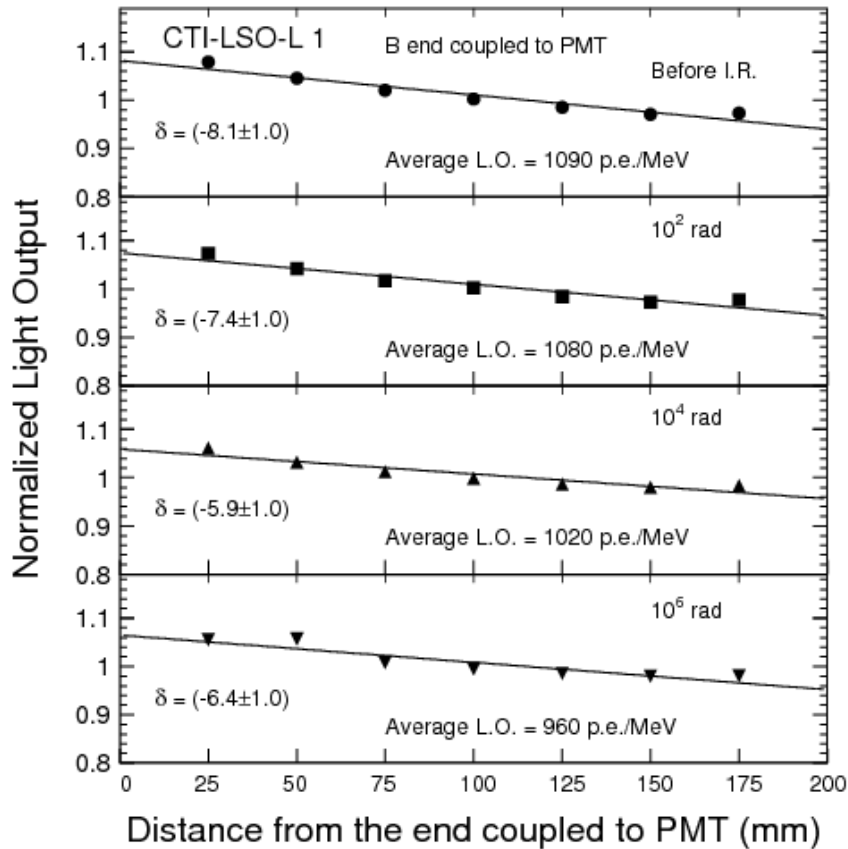




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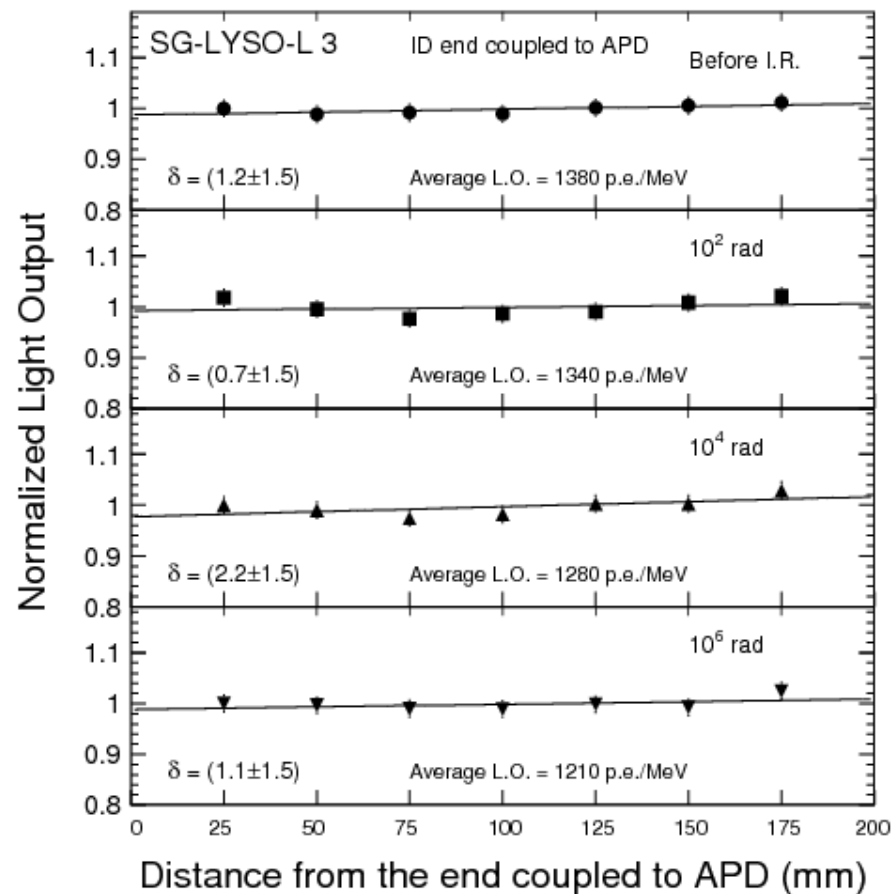
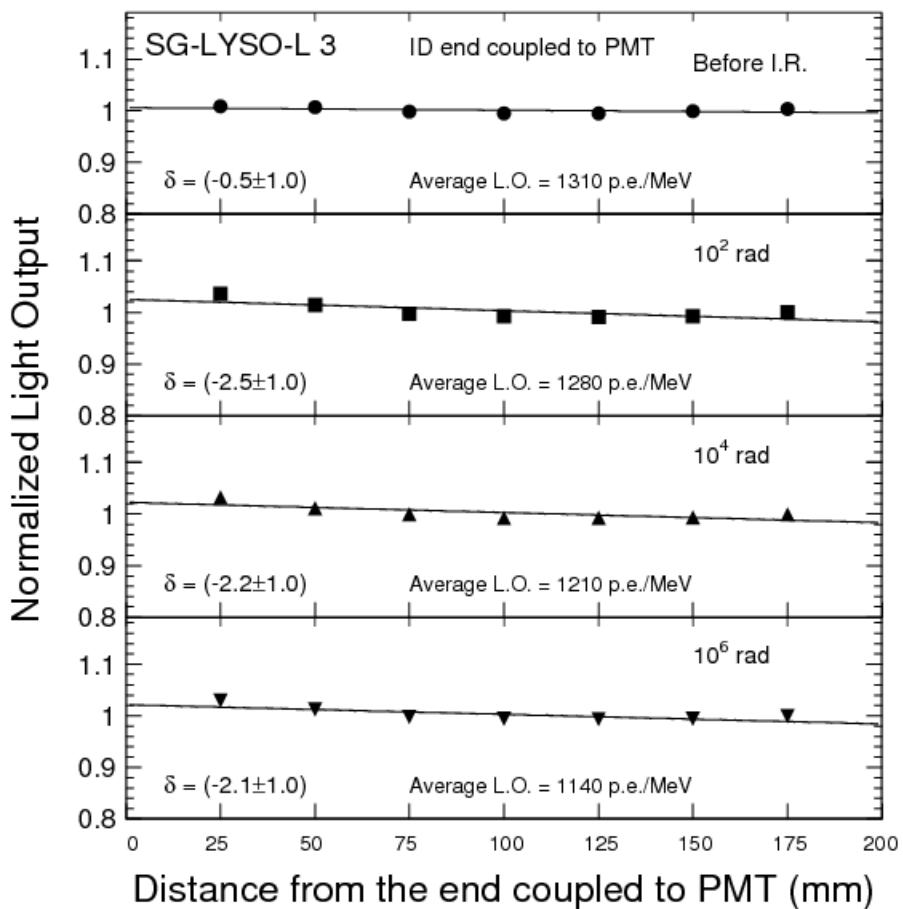


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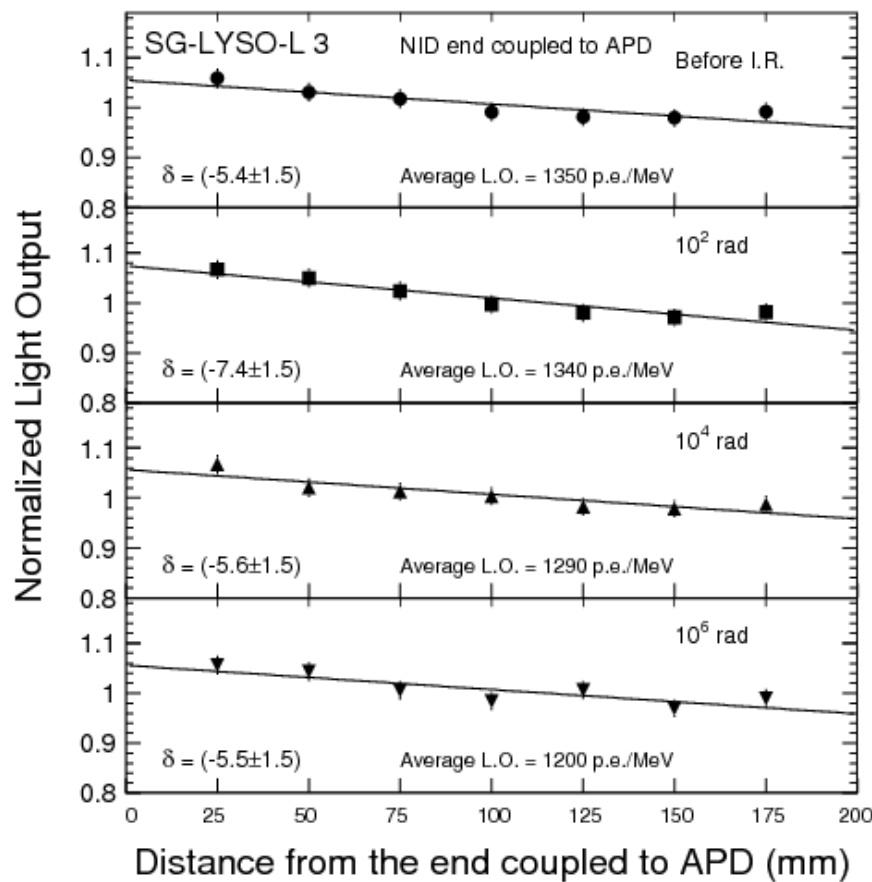
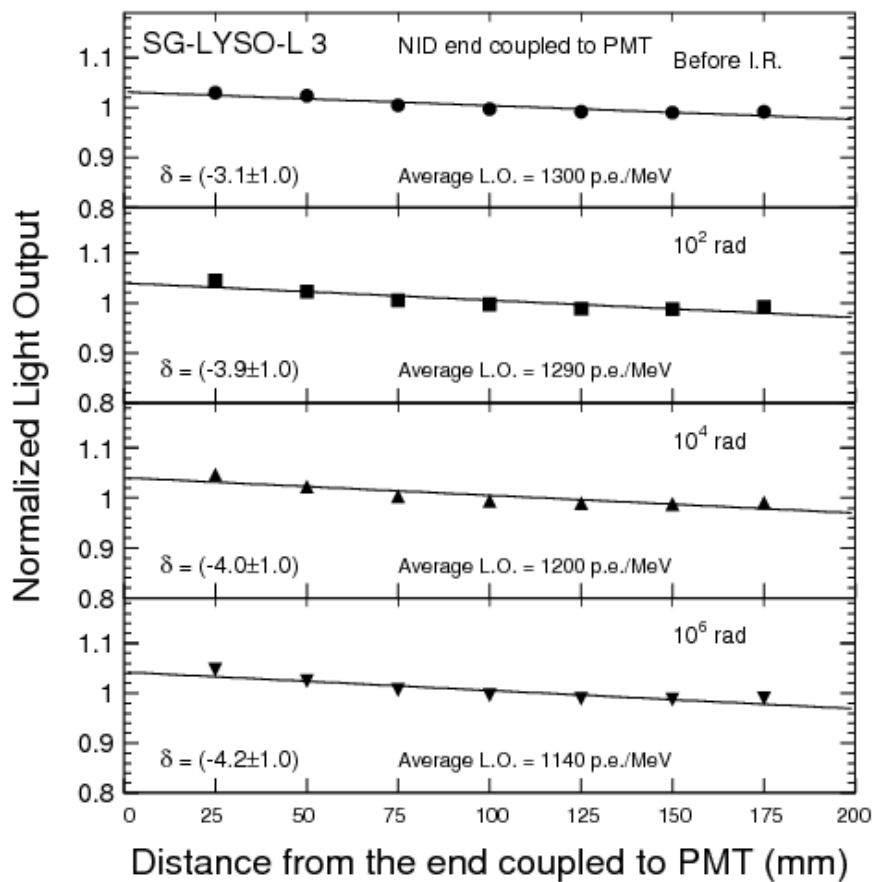


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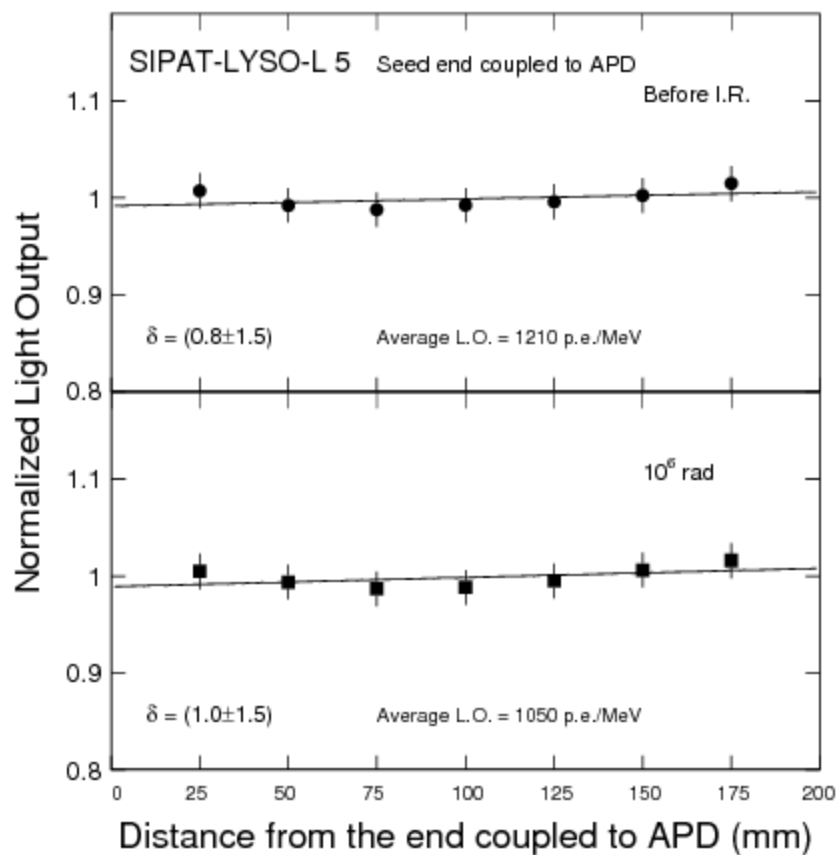
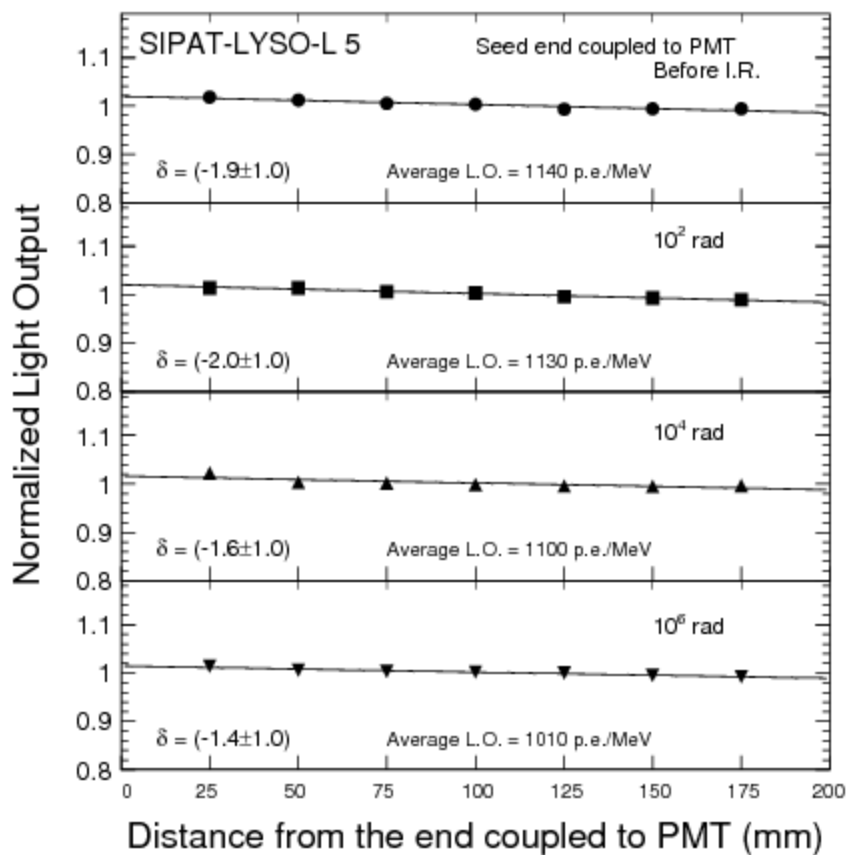




Radiation Effect on L.R.U.: SIPAT-L5



Consistent uniformity before and after irradiations
Difference slopes between PMT & APD readout.

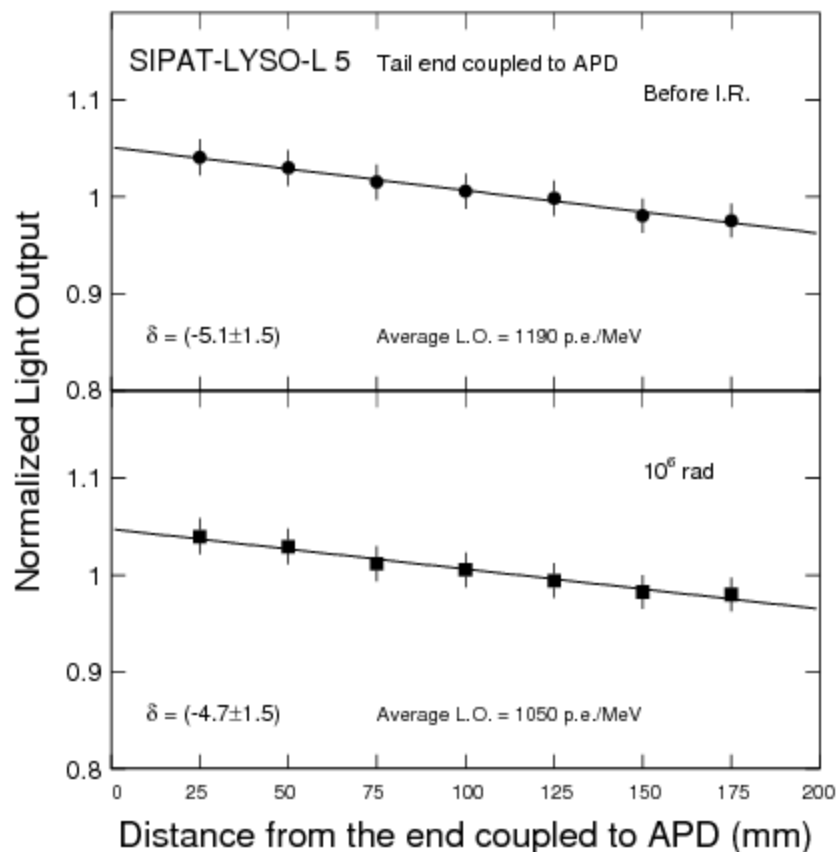
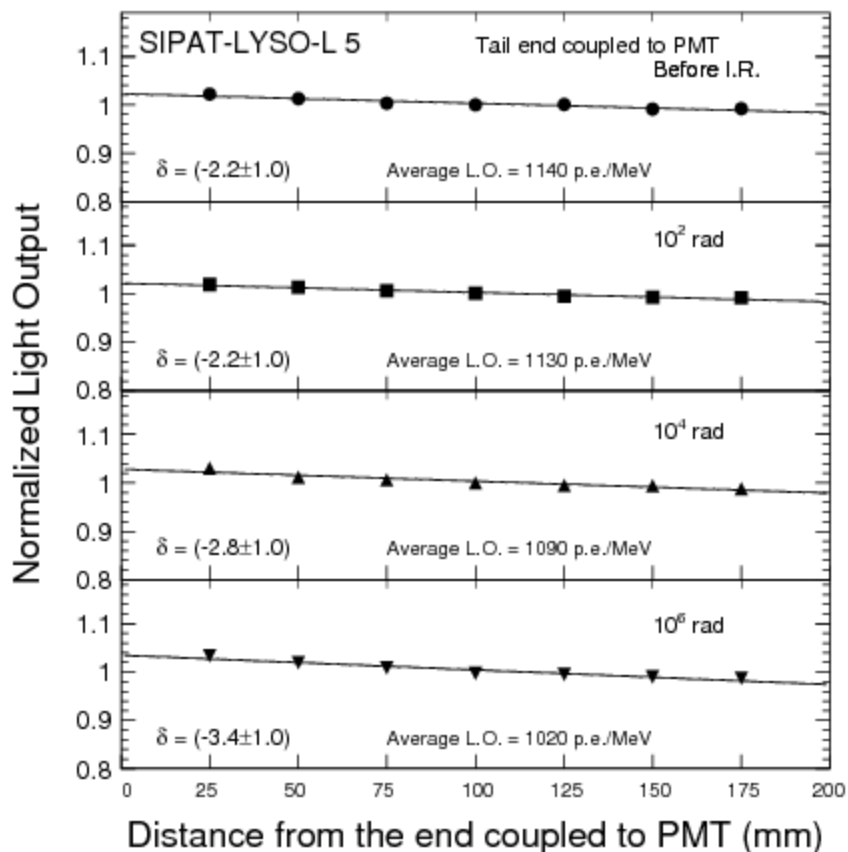




Radiation Effect on L.R.U.: SIPAT-L5



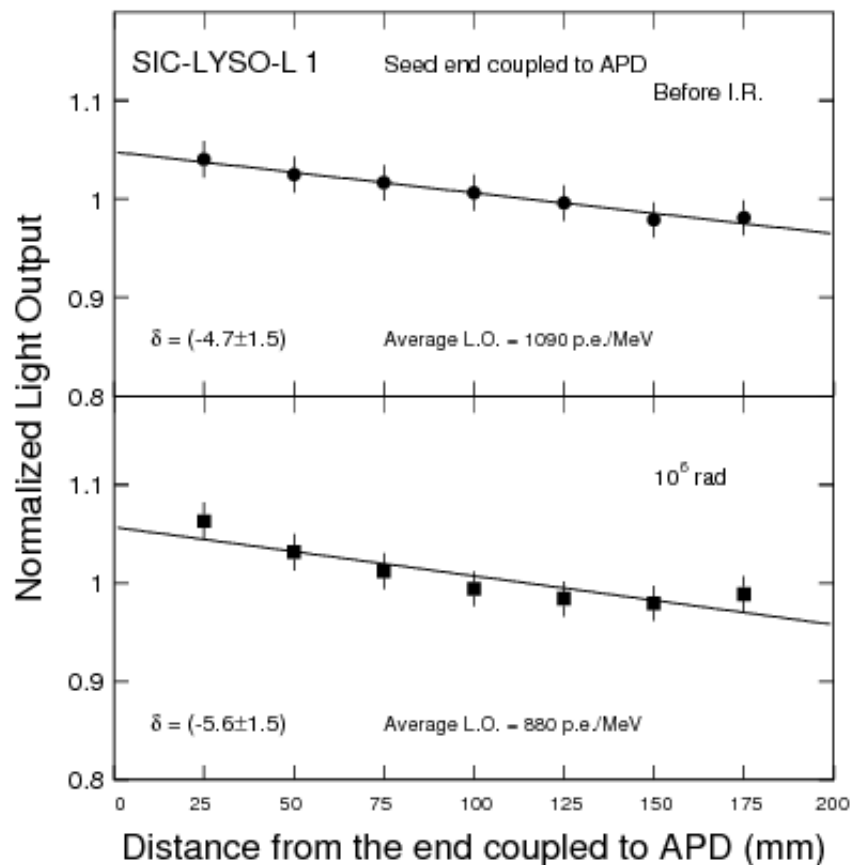
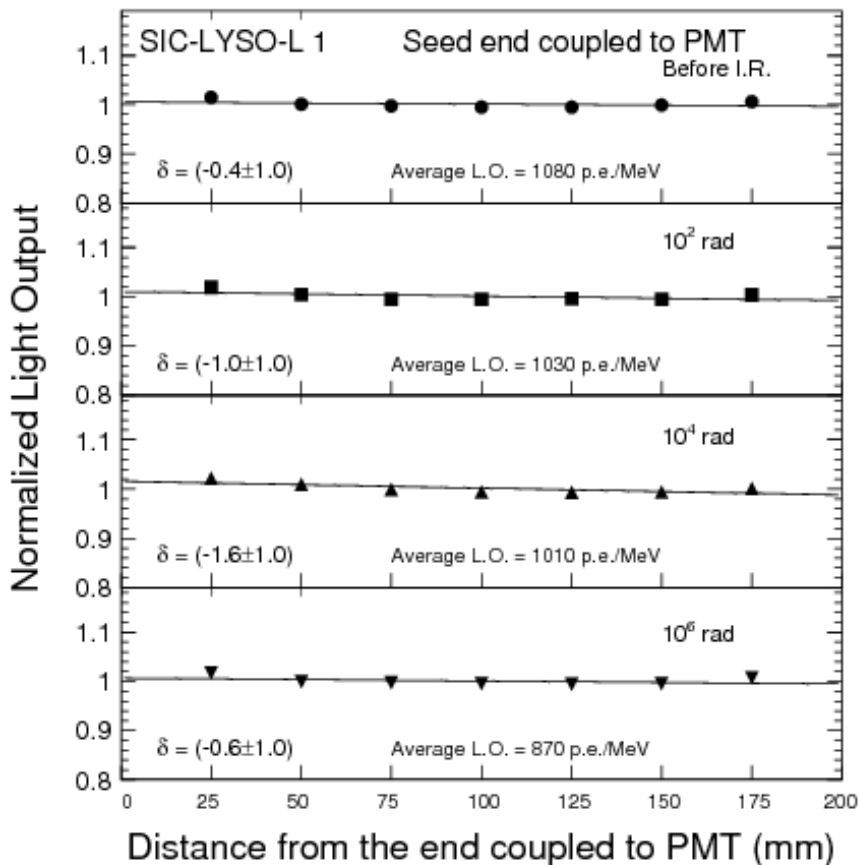
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Difference slopes between PMT & APD readout.





Radiation Effect on L.R.U.: SIC-L1

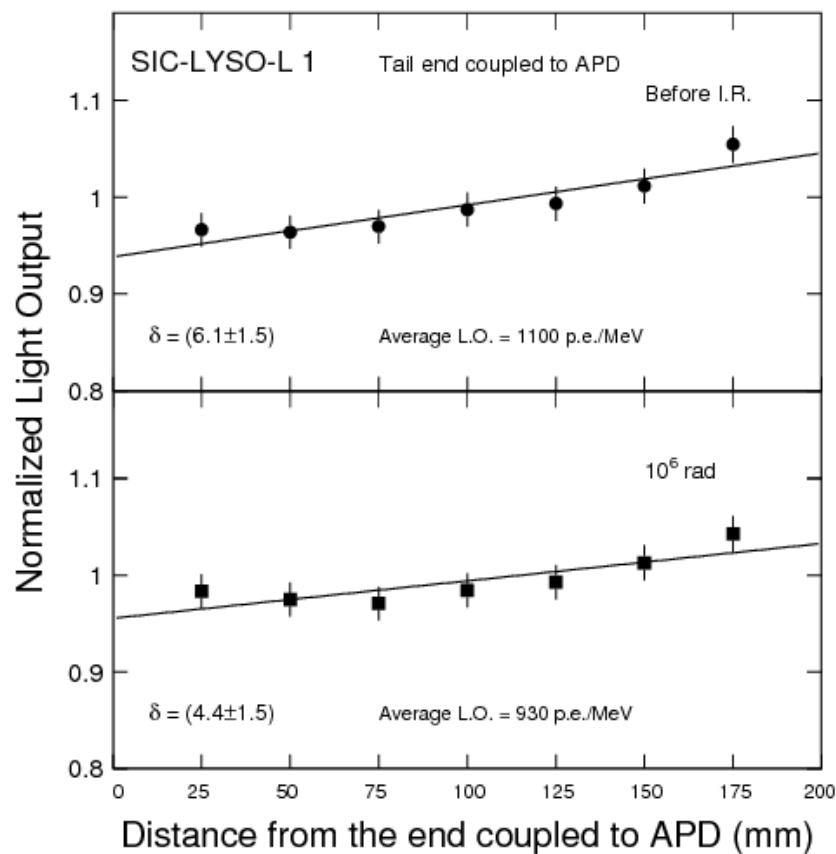
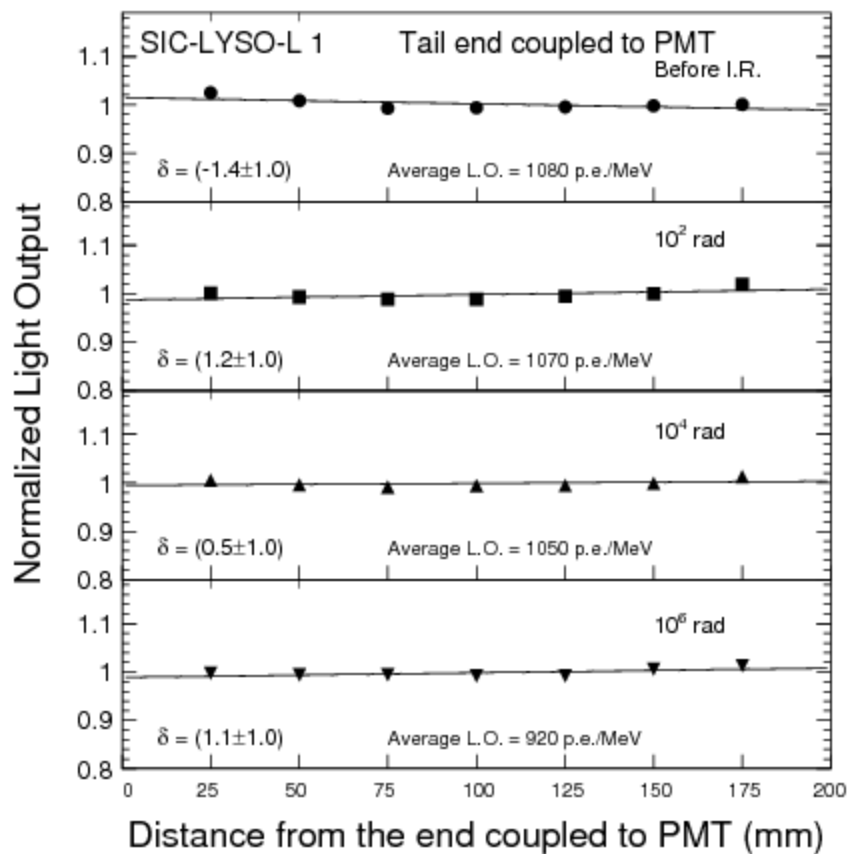
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LSO/LYSO L.R.U. Summary

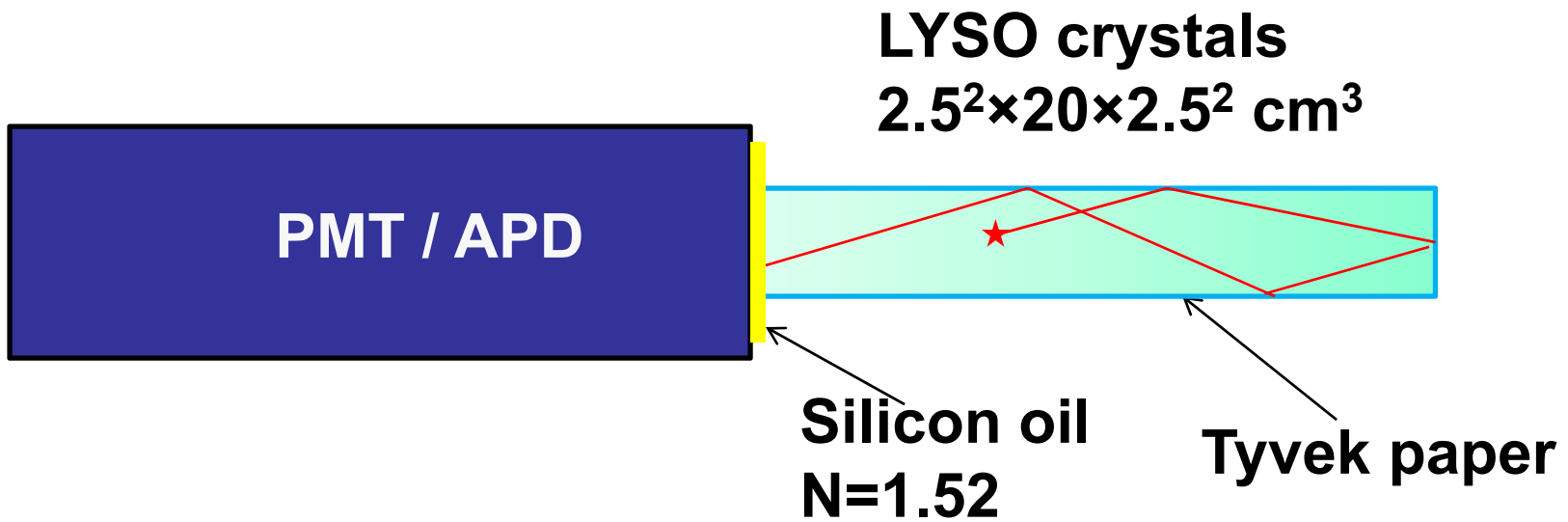


Consistent L.R.U. before & after irradiations.
Different slopes between PMT & APD readout.
Investigations are under way.

ID	Integrated dose (rad)	δ % (A or Seed end coupling)		δ (B or Tail end coupling)	
		PMT (± 1)	APD (± 1.5)	PMT (± 1)	APD (± 1.5)
CTI-LSO-1	0	1	10	-8	-11
	10 ⁶	-2	3	-6	-7
SG-LYSO-3	0	-0.5	1.2	-3.1	-5.4
	10 ⁶	-2.1	1.1	-4.2	-5.5
SIPAT-LYSO-5	0	-1.9	0.8	-2.2	-5.1
	10 ⁶	-1.4	1.0	-3.4	-4.7
SIC-LYSO-1	0	-0.4	-4.7	-1.4	6.1
	10 ⁶	-0.6	-5.6	1.1	4.4



Ray-Tracing Simulation

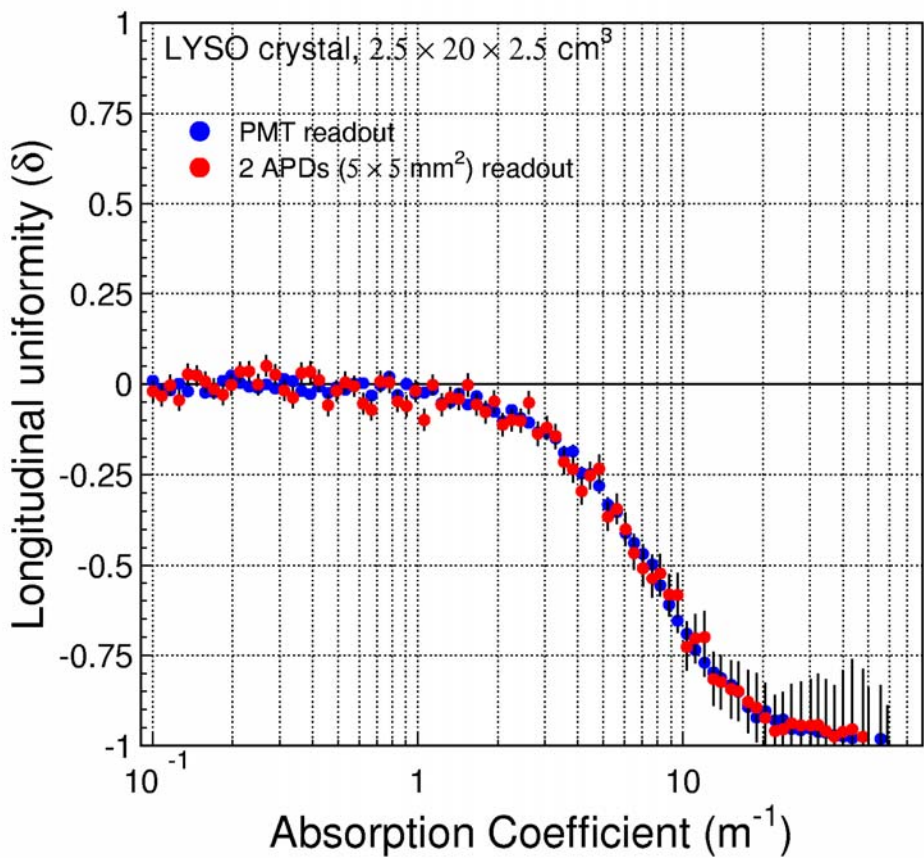
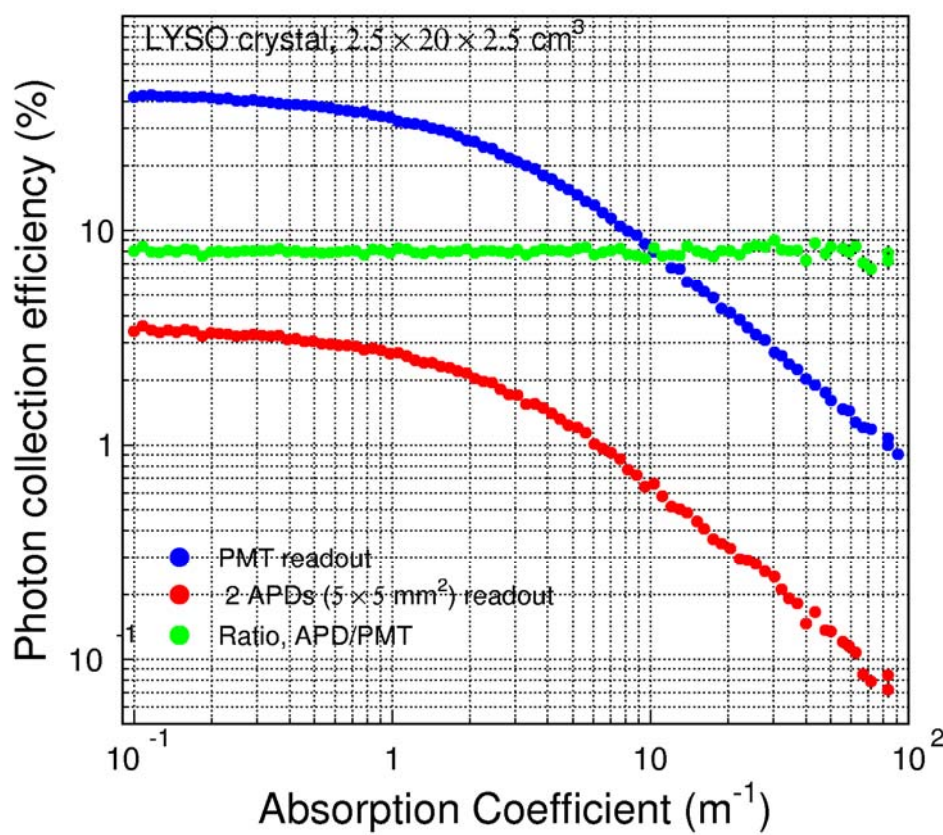




Area Coverage Effect for PMT and APD



Different area coverage of PMT ($2.5 \times 2.5 \text{ cm}^2$) and APD ($2 \times 0.5 \times 0.5 \text{ cm}^2$) determines the different light collection efficiencies, but has no effect on the L.R.U.



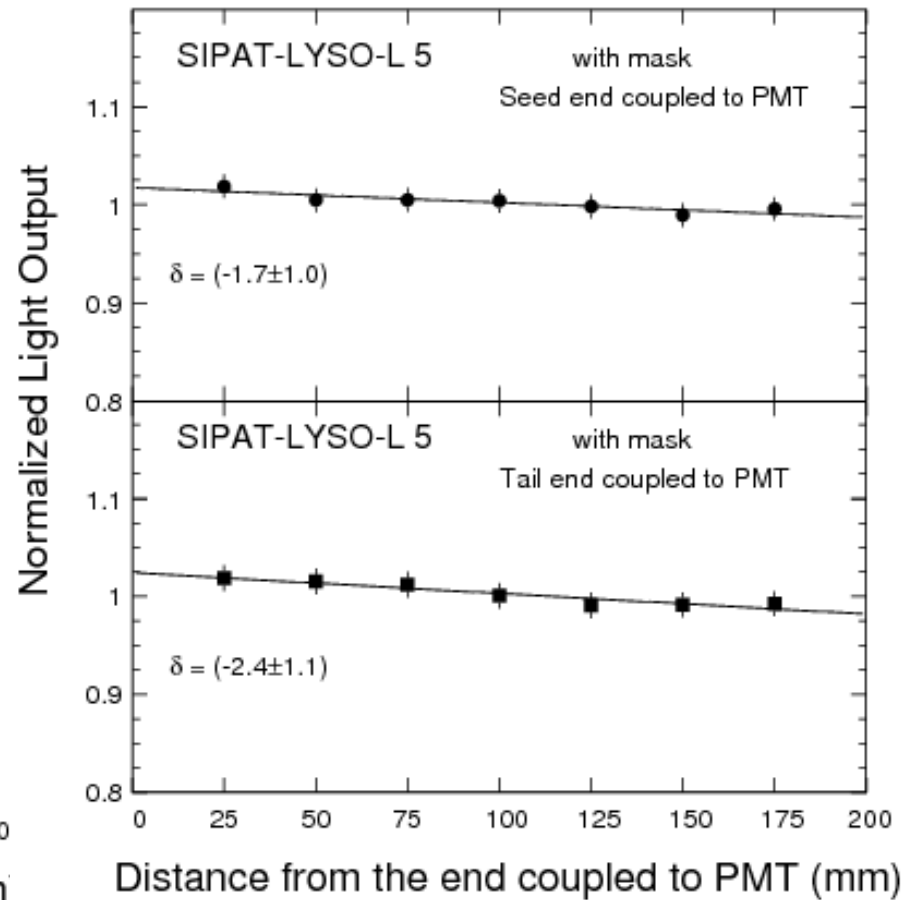
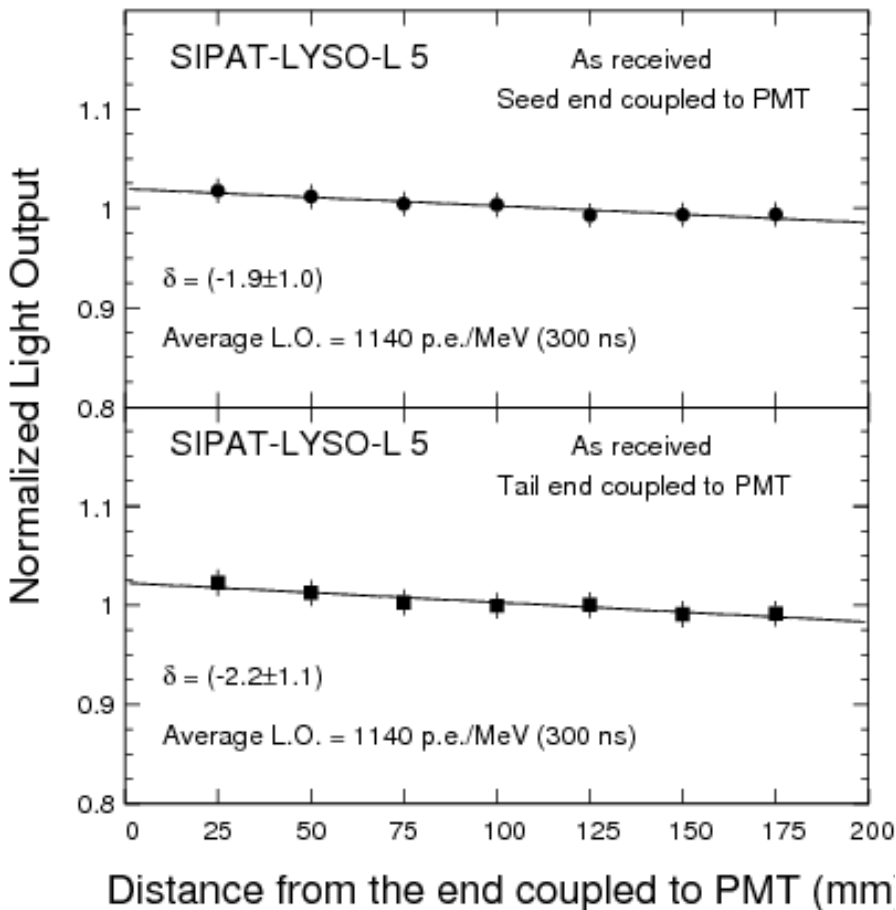


Consistent L.R.U. by PMT & Mask

Data confirm simulation: no geometry effect.

PMT without Mask

PMT with Mask (APD coverage)

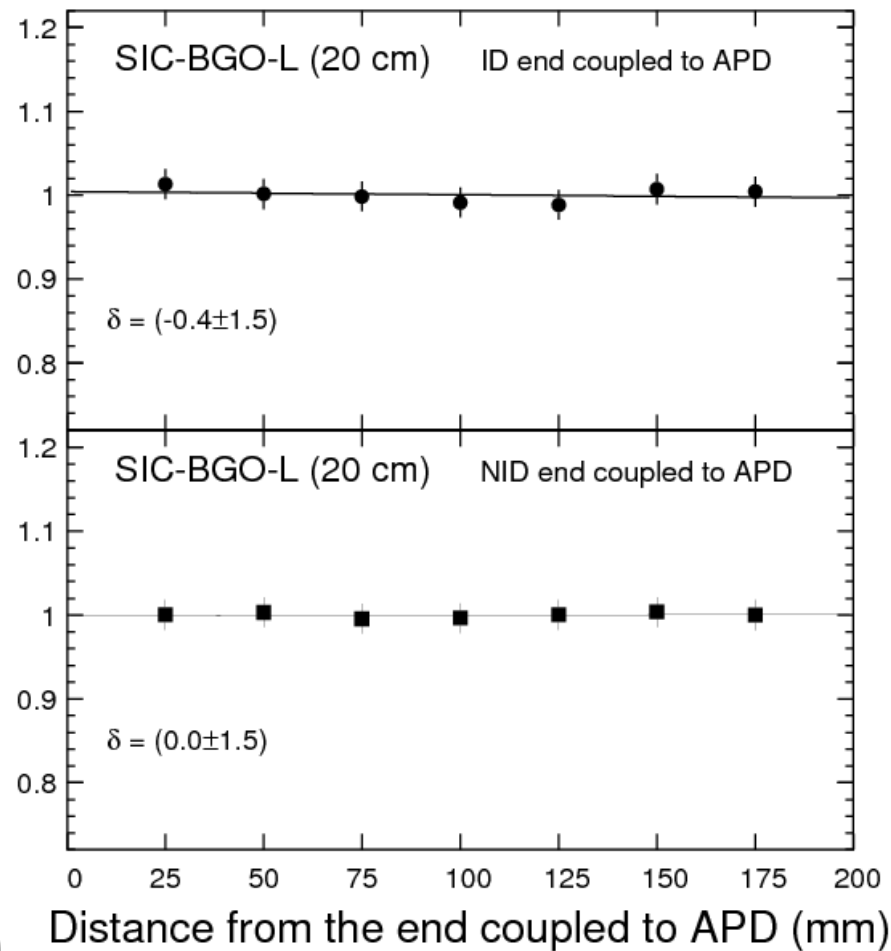
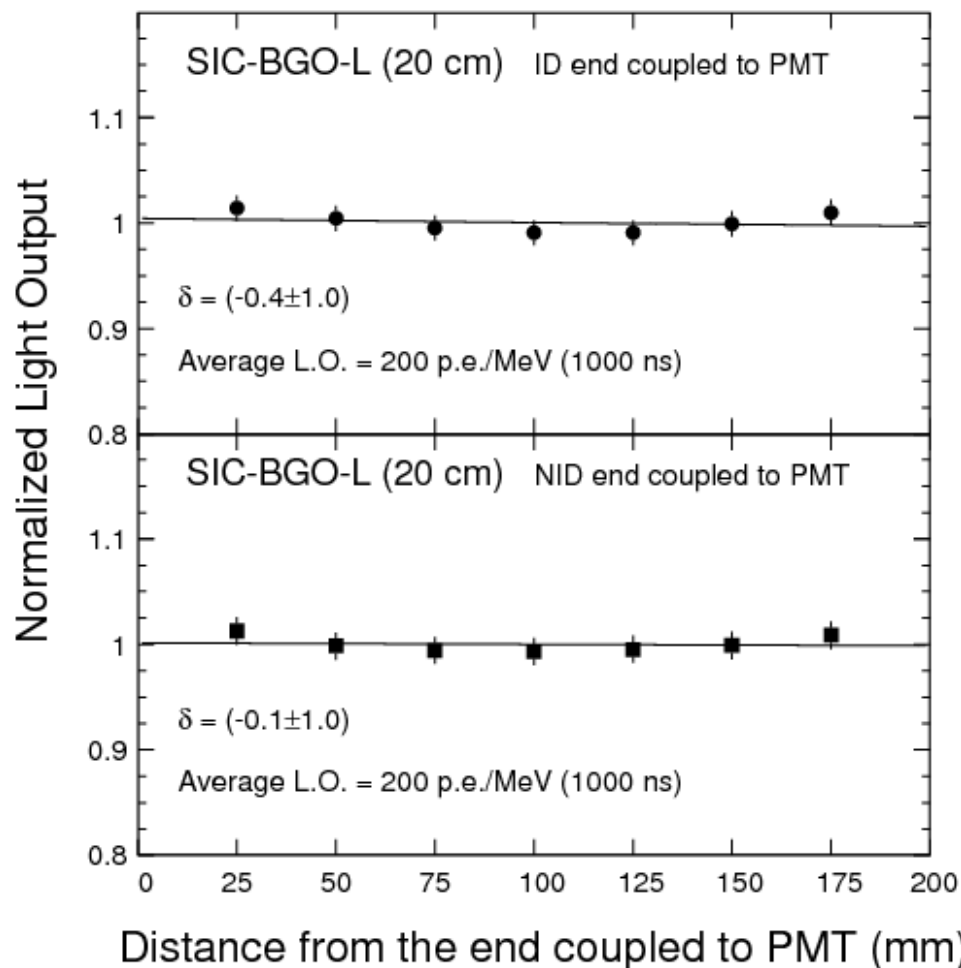




L.R.U. by PMT and APD for BGO



No difference between PMT & APD readout.
This seems a particular issue for LYSO.





Excitation, Emission, Transmission

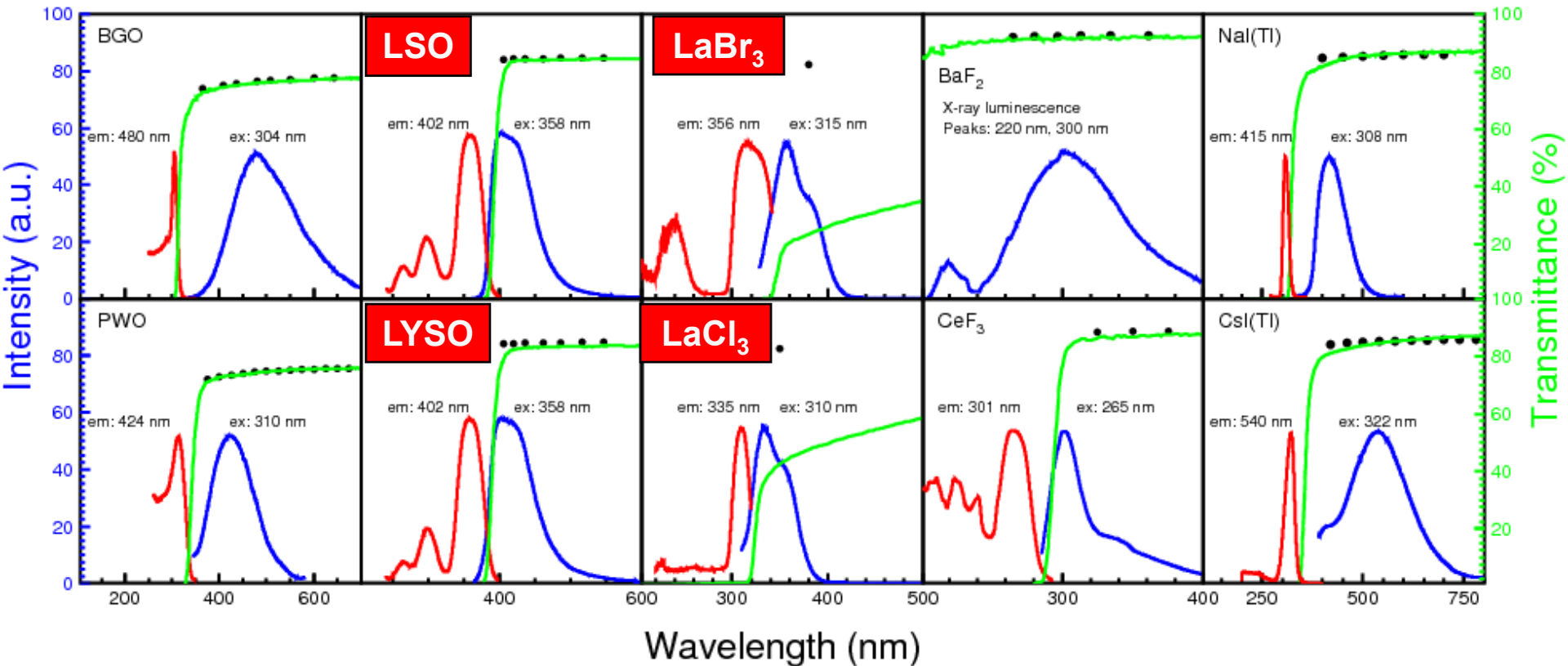


It seems not caused by self-absorption

$$T_s = (1 - R)^2 + R^2(1 - R)^2 + \dots = (1 - R)/(1 + R), \text{ with}$$

$$R = \frac{(n_{crystal} - n_{air})^2}{(n_{crystal} + n_{air})^2}.$$

Black Dots: Theoretical limit of transmittance: NIM A333 (1993)



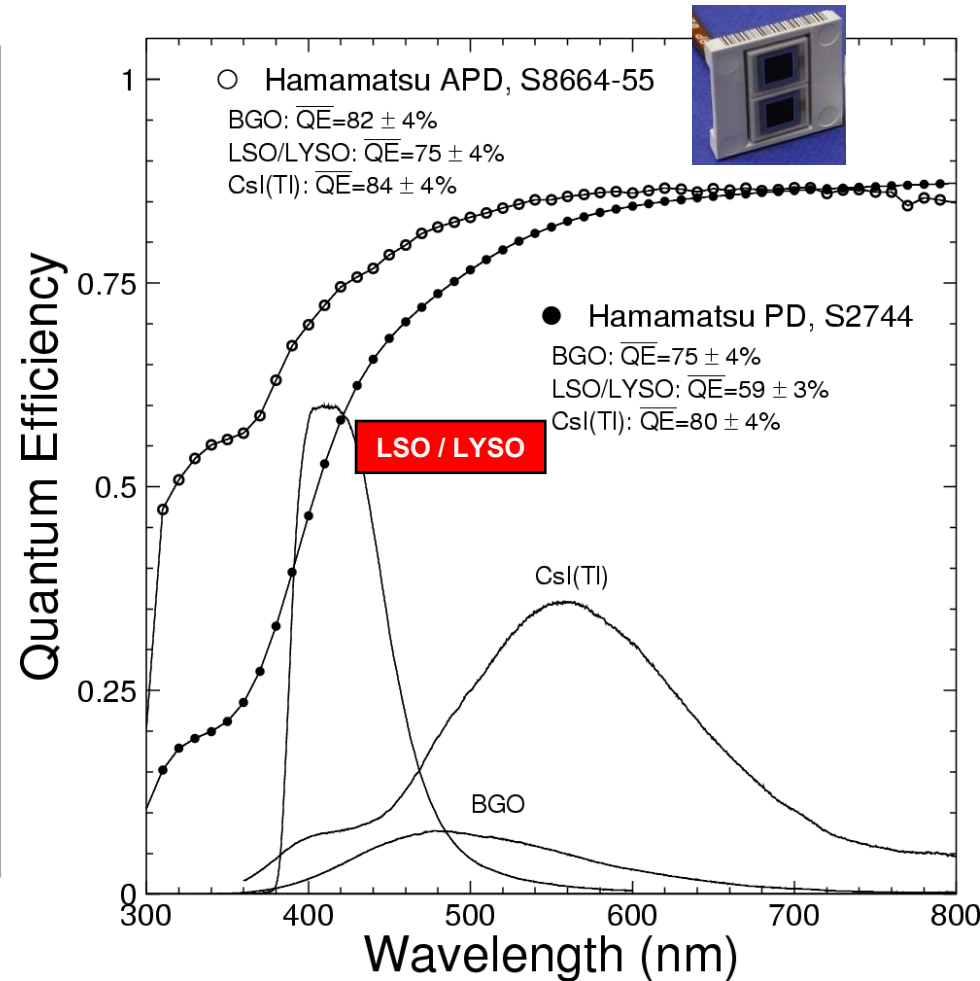
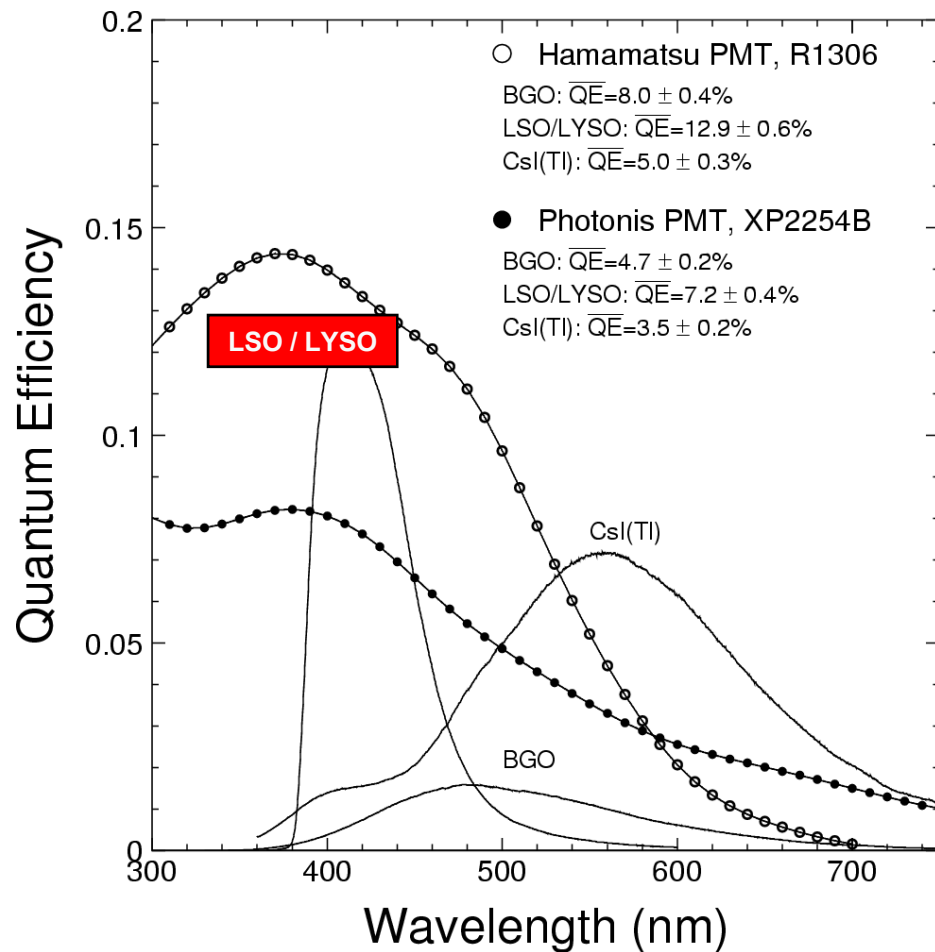
No Self-absorption: BGO, PWO, BaF₂, NaI(Tl) and CsI(Tl)



Emission Weighted QE



It may be due to the QE difference between PMT & APD.
Investigation is under way with optical filters.

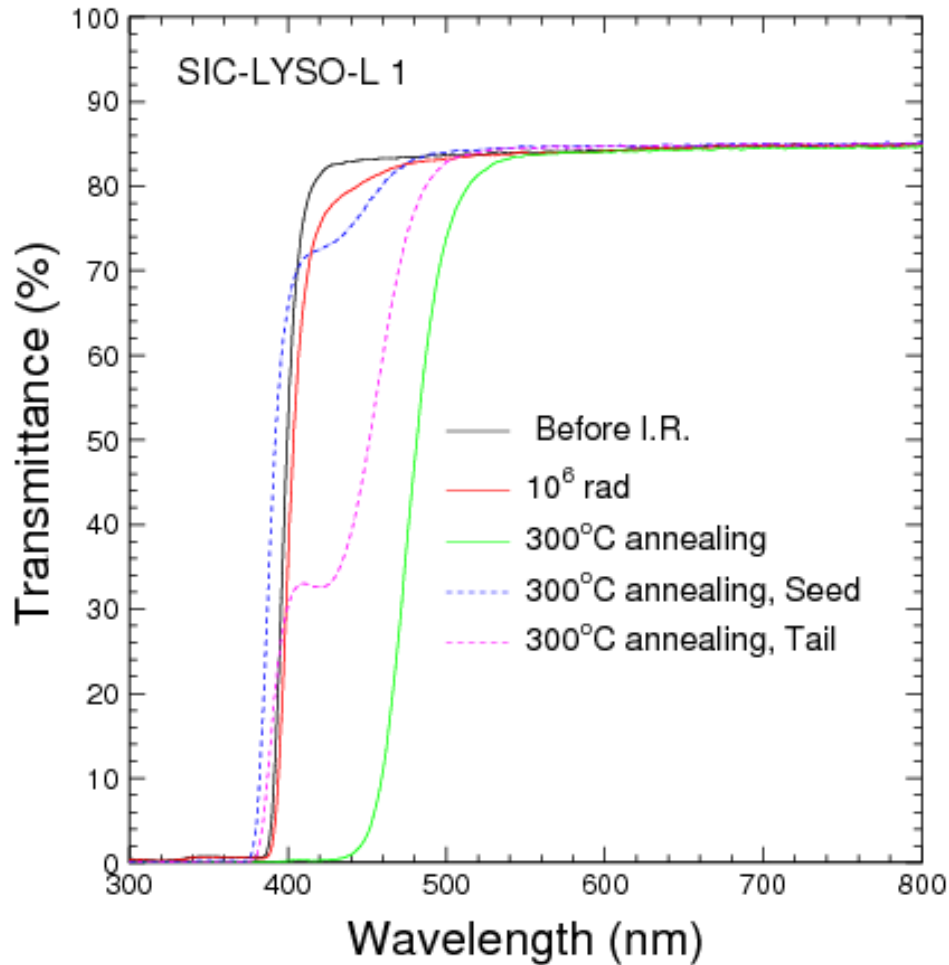




300°C Annealing: Absorption in SIC-L1



Transverse transmittance indicates color centers (impurities?) at the tail end after 300°C annealing

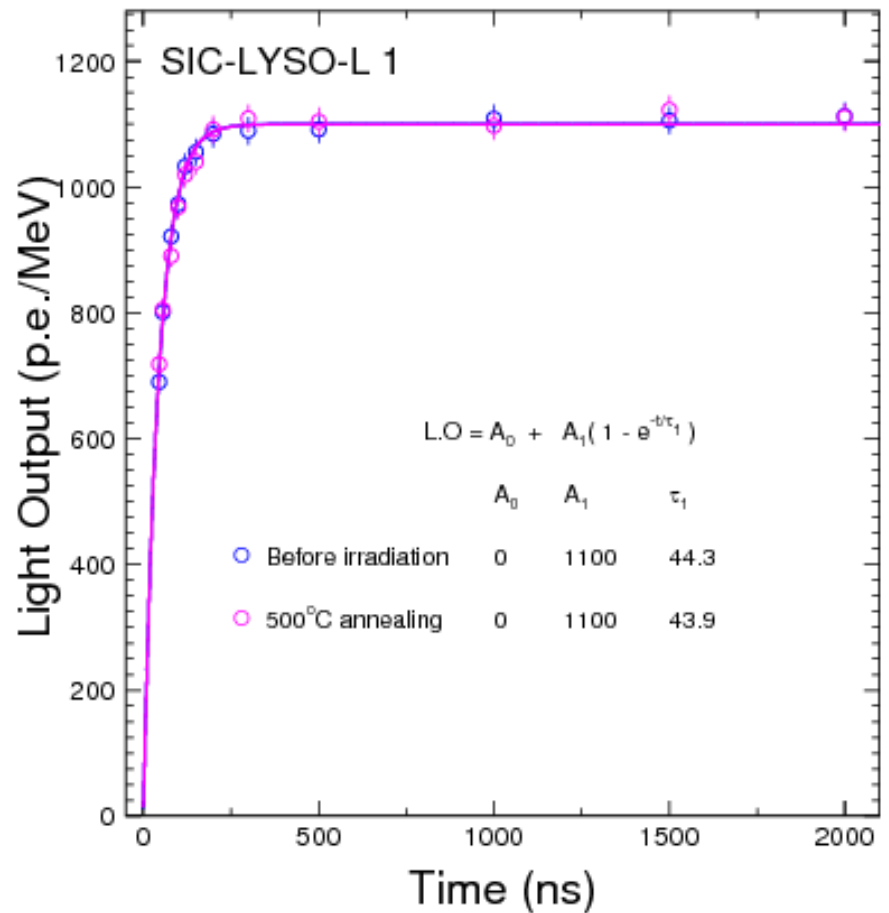
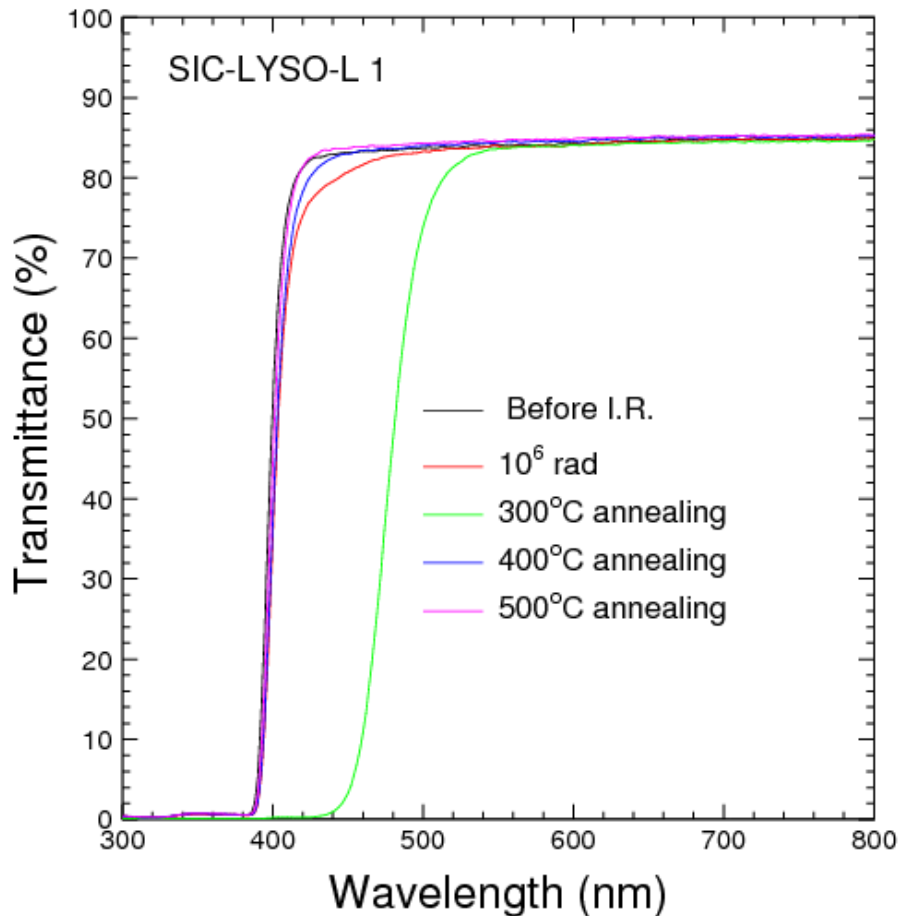




500°C Annealing eliminated Absorption



Fully recovered after 500°C thermal annealing

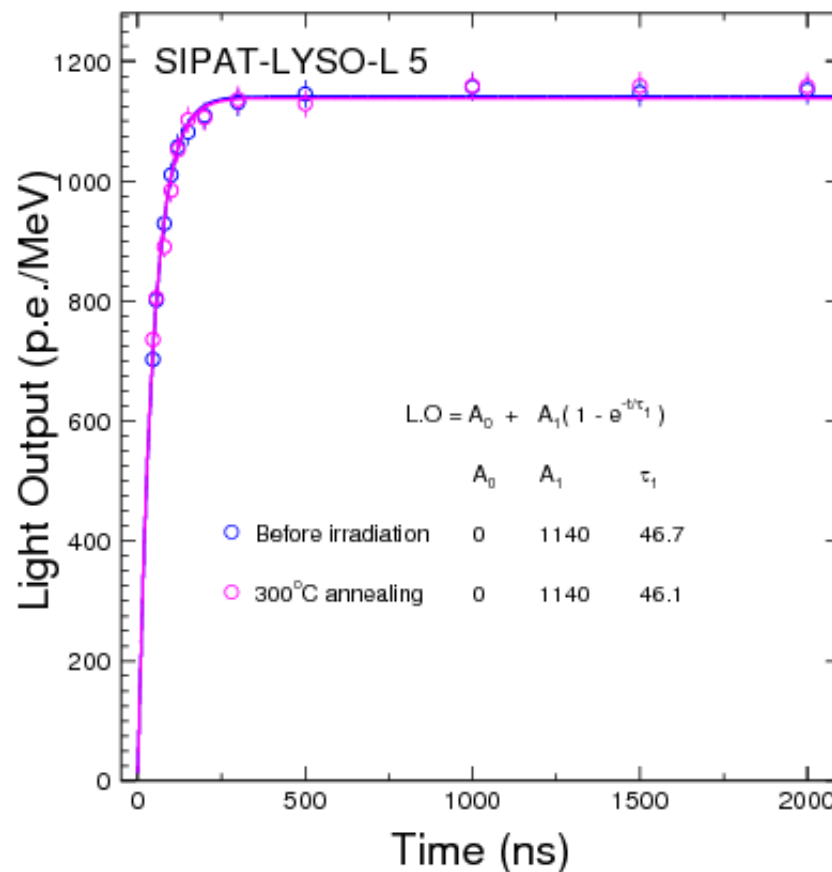
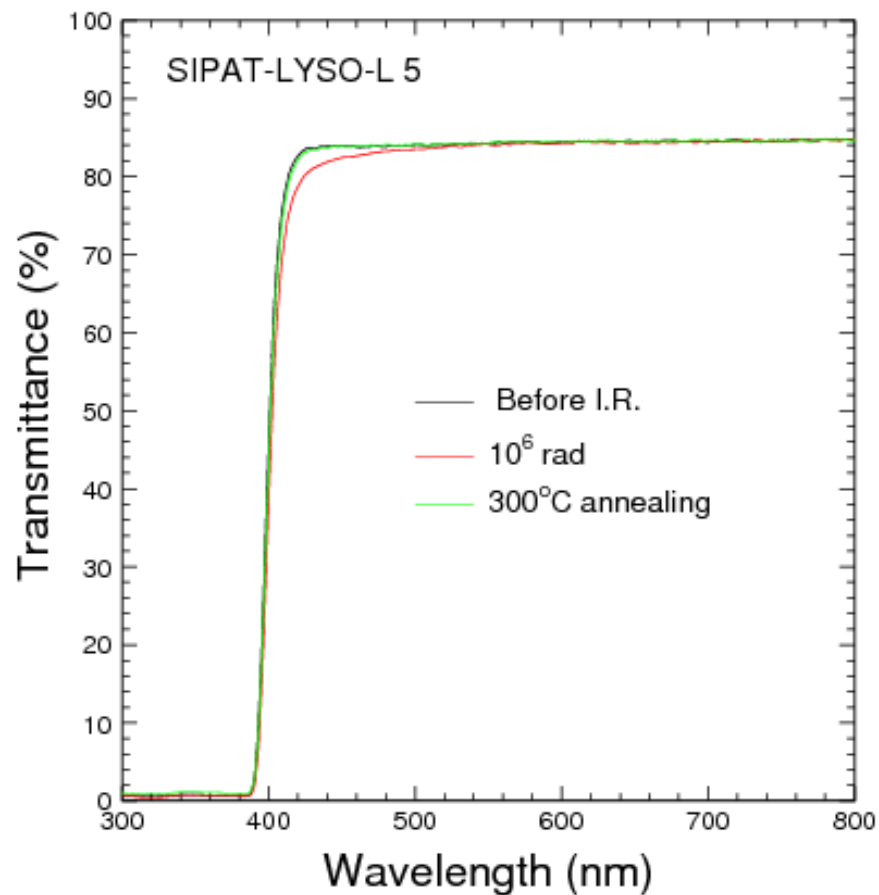




300°C Sufficient for SIPAT-LYSO-L5



Fully recovered after 300°C annealing





Summary



- LYSO crystals with blight, fast scintillation and good radiation resistance is an excellent material for SuperB ECAL endcap.
- The optimized cerium concentration in LYSO was found to be between 125 and 325 ppmw. An optimized SIPAT sample shows a possibility of cutting one ingot into two tapered crystals.
- Different L.R.U. was found between the PMT and APD readout, which can not be explained by detector geometry. Investigation is under way to understand the nature of this difference.
- The 1st SIC sample shows adequate L.R.U.. Its thermal annealing induced absorption is suspected to be caused by contamination.