

TOP summary

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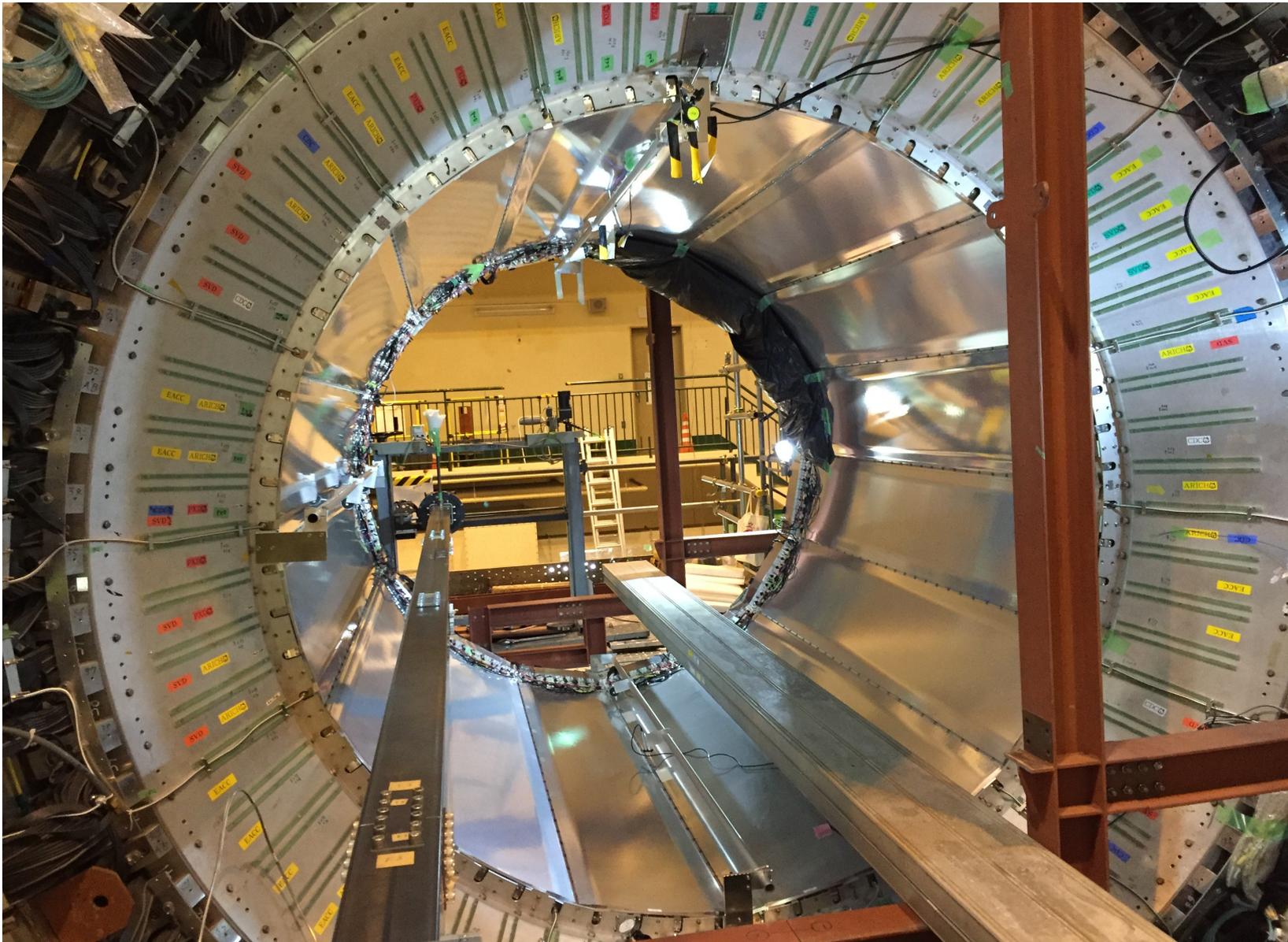
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The TOP on BelleII

Good news first: the TOP installation is done

Four months-long effort by 20+ people shifting at KEK (~10 people constantly on the field)



Testing workflow

Pre-installation test

Run coordinator: B. Fulsom (PNNL)

Fuji staging area

- First power-up
- electronics and data fibers tests
- light tightening
- 24+ hrs of cosmics

Tsukuba Staging area

- 20 hrs of cosmics
- 4+ hrs of laser

In situ test

Run coordinator: U.T. (Torino)

→ Detector commissioning

- Cabling test
- 24+ hrs of laser
- 3+ days Cosmic with custom scintillator trigger
- laser system commissioning

Developments

- FW upgrade tests
- simultaneous readout
- real-life operations

Commissioning status

Laser runs

- Timing well understood
- High rate

Cosmic rays

- Very good illumination
- miserable rate

Goals

- Mechanical integrity of all the modules
- Cabling checks (HV, fibers, triggers...)

Done / almost done

- Time calibration
- Fast, online feature extraction
- SW interlock

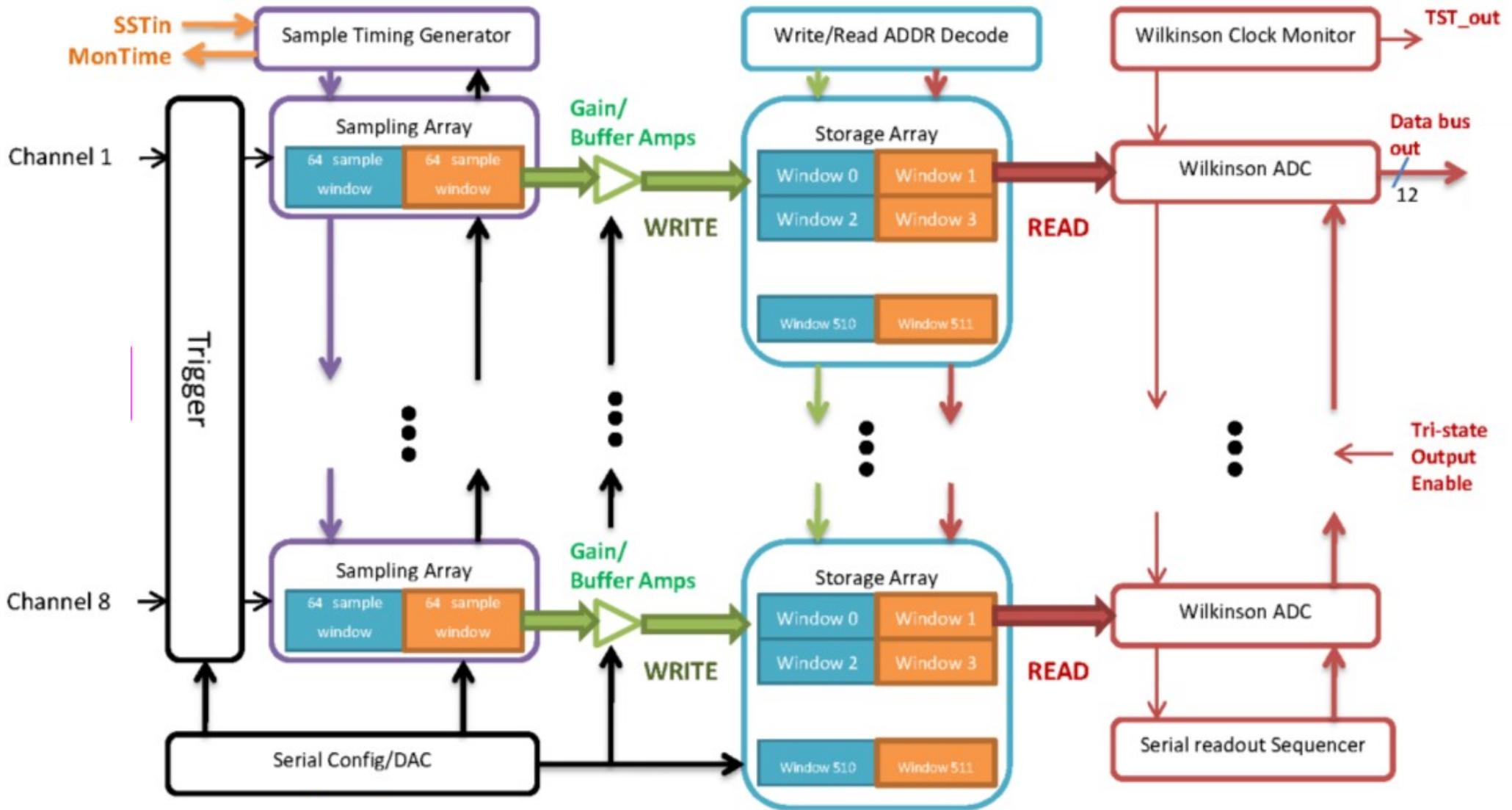
Ongoing

- DAQ stability and reliability
- Trigger capabilities
- Event building

On the critical path

Many items: this talk will be Italy-biased...

TOP FEE: a scope on a chip



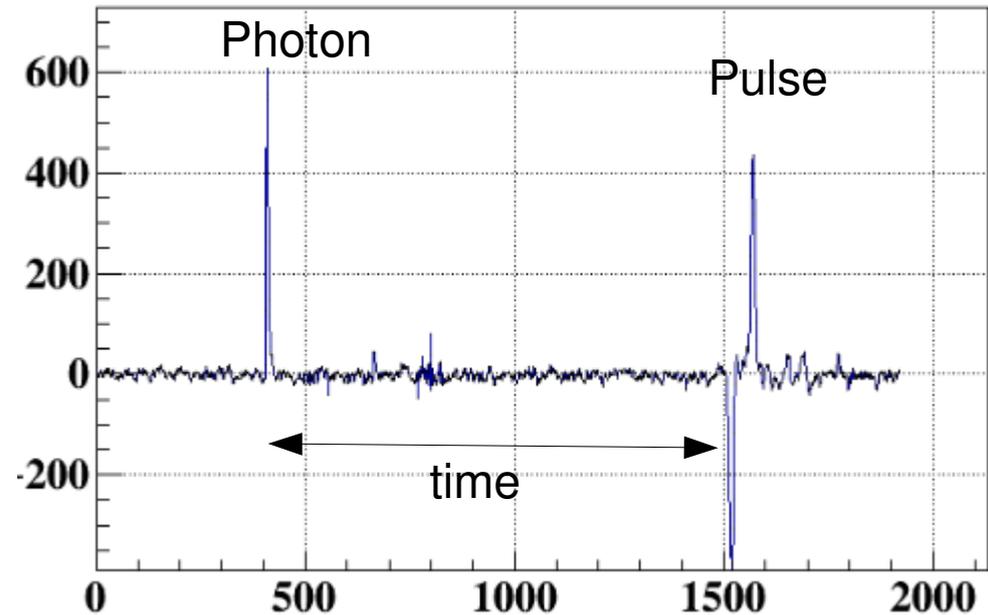
TOP readout modes

IRS3X is basically an 8-ch, miniaturized scope controlled by a FPGA

- 1) Full waveform mode: acquire a fixed number of samples after the trigger
→ For debugging. Insane data packet size
- 2) Feature-extraction mode: analyze the traces on the FPGA and save only the hit informations
→ target operation mode, still under development

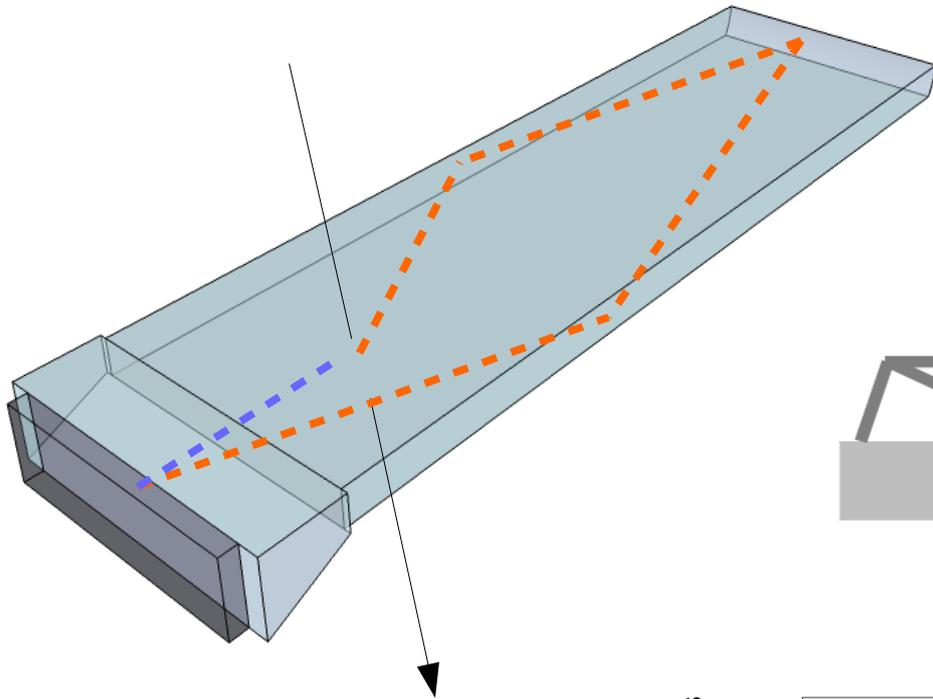
How to make timing

- 1) Final operation mode: RF clock
- 2) Commissioning:
 - When a trigger comes, inject a pulse on one asic channel
 - record both the PMT signal and the pulse
 - use the pulse timing as reference



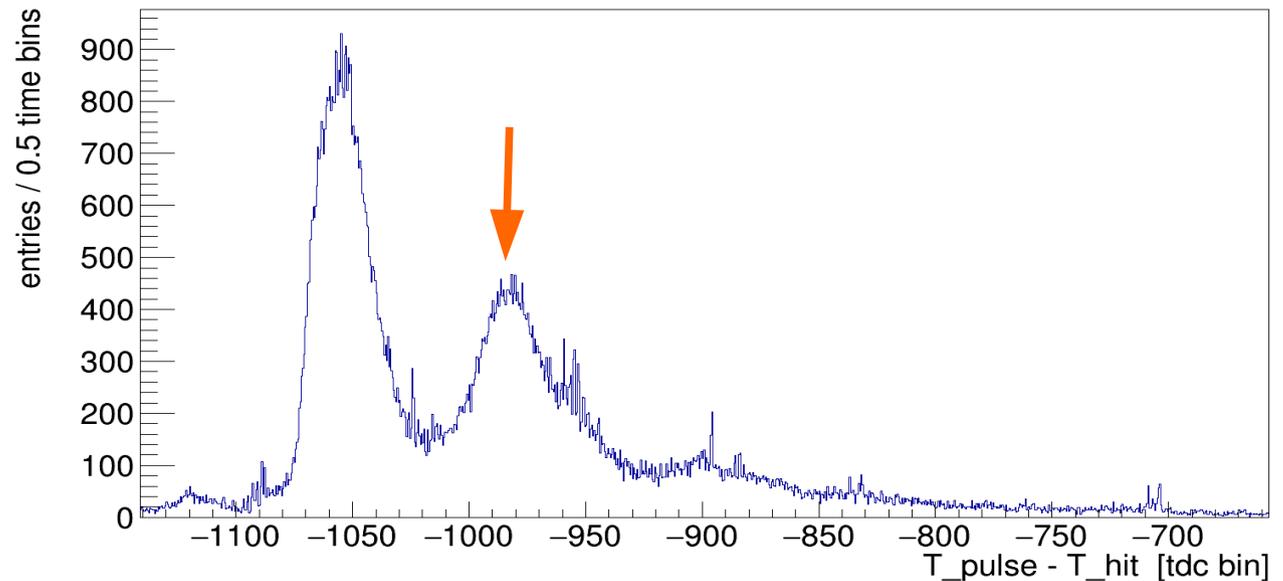
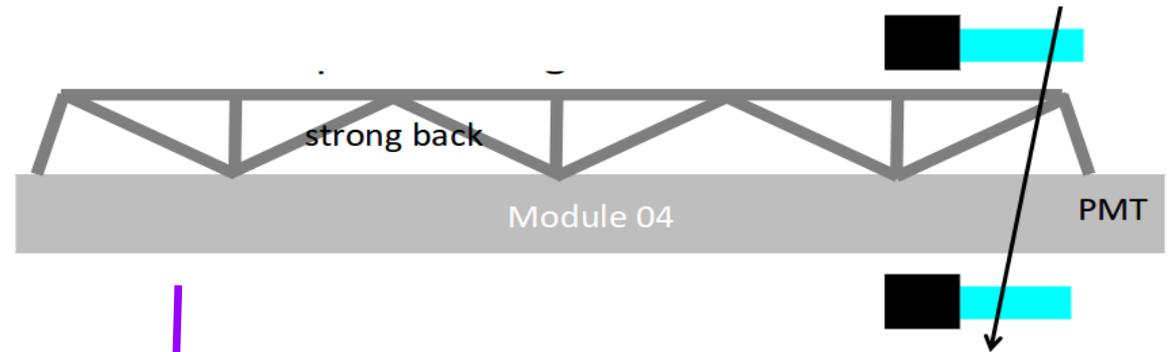
CRT commissioning

In the staging areas



Large direct and reflected light yield, but poor timing

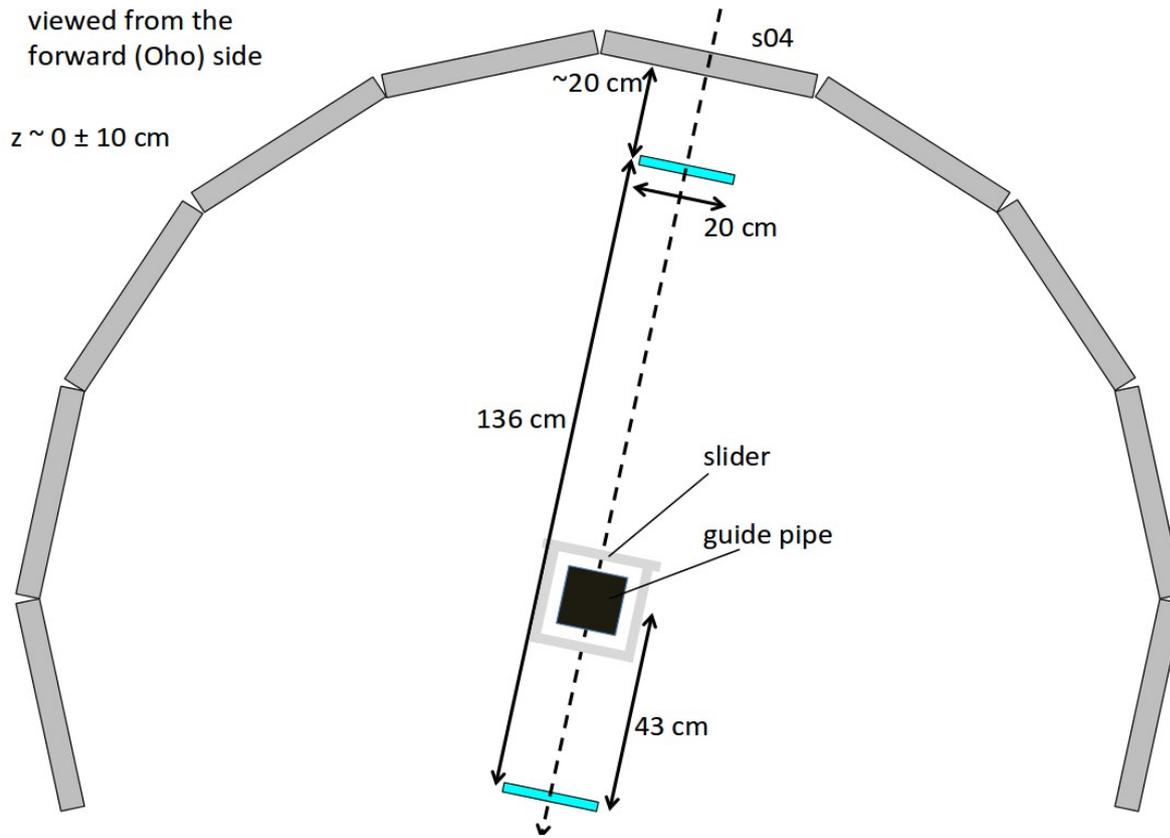
Trigger provided by two Belle TOF scintillators
~ 30 x 20 cm



CRT commissioning

On the detector

KLM trigger was asked long ago, but it is not ready yet
→ home-made scintillator trigger (Nagoya)
→ **this is a very serious issue for us**

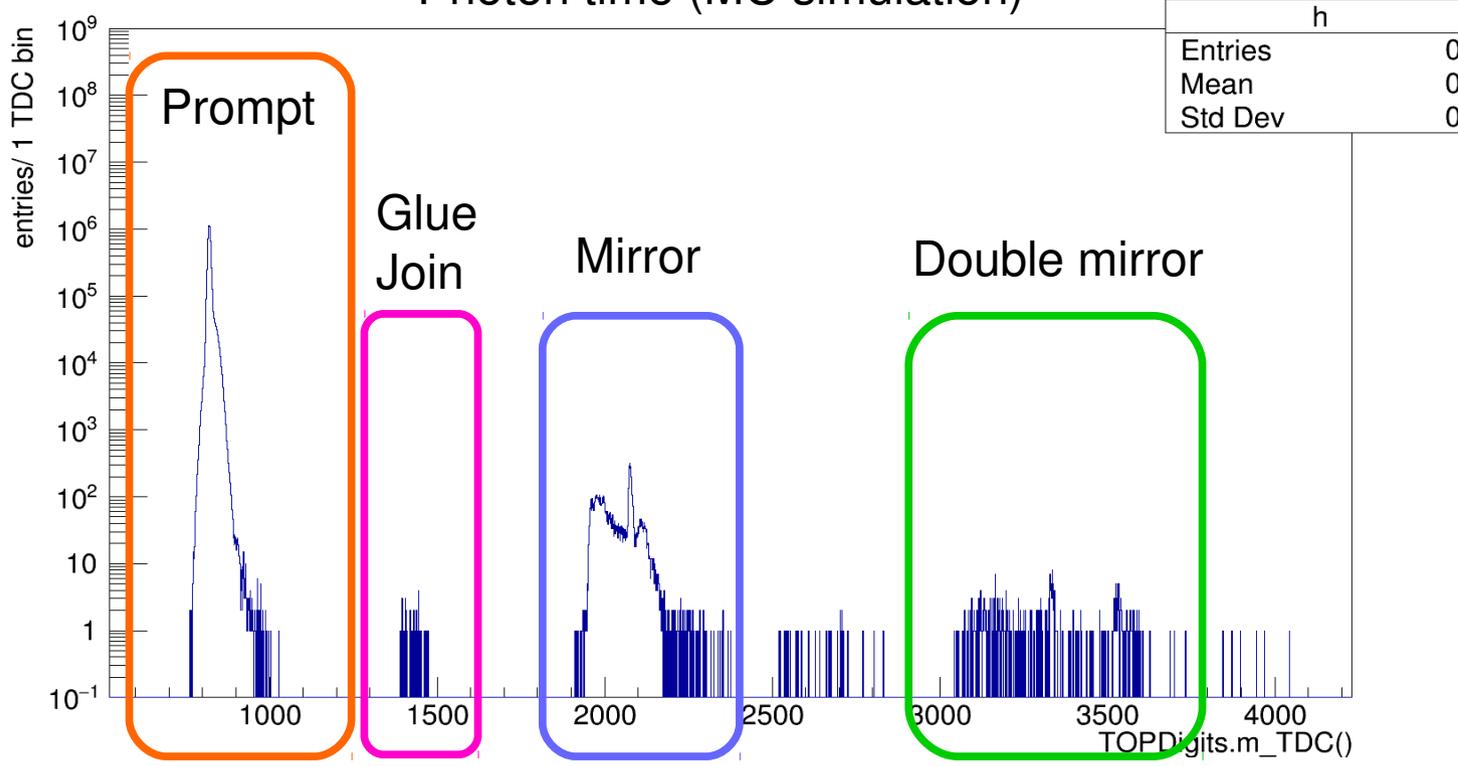


Two modules (back-to-back) at once
→ 0.15 – 0.05 Hz, $\beta \sim 1$

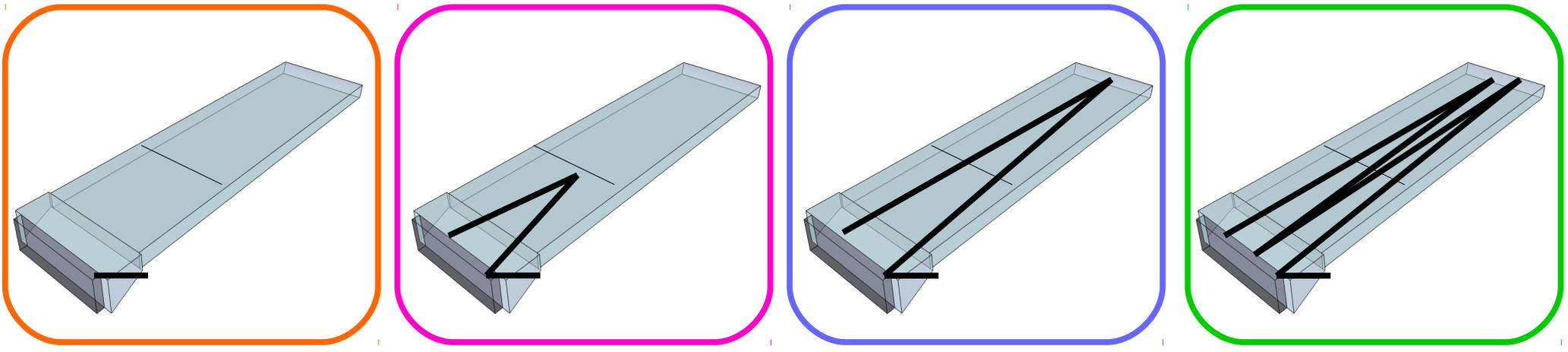
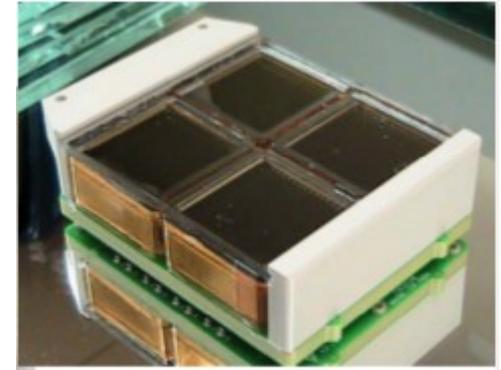


TOP tomography with time

Photon time (MC simulation)



PMTs are quite reflective...

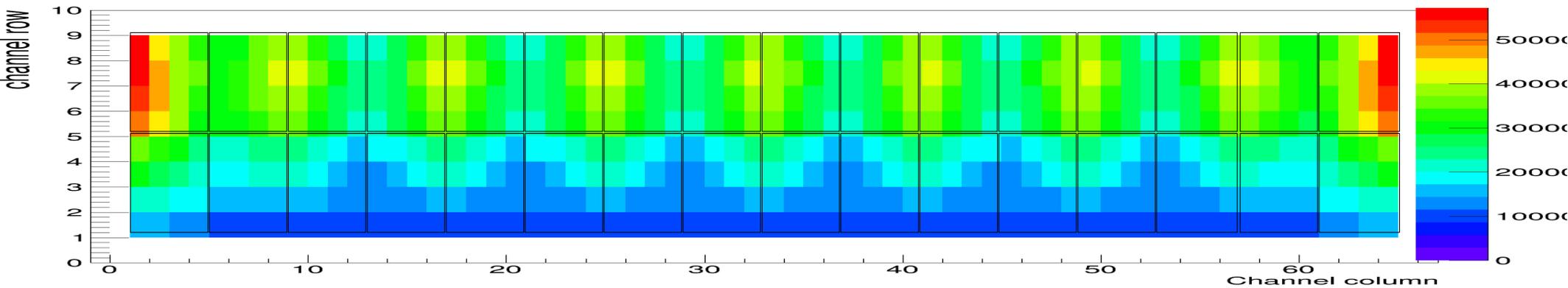


Commissioning with laser

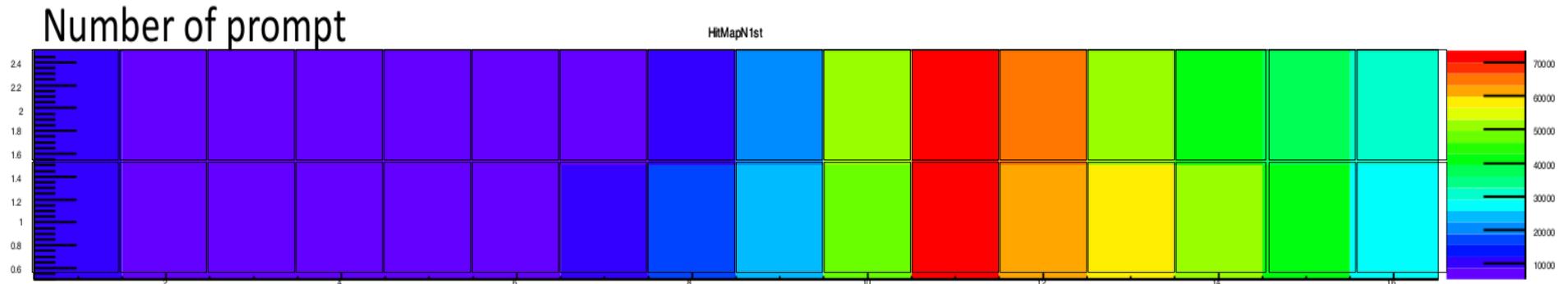
Reminder:

- one bundle (9 light sources) per module
- flashing in front of the PMTs

Occupancy from MC simulation....



Reality of the very first laser run...



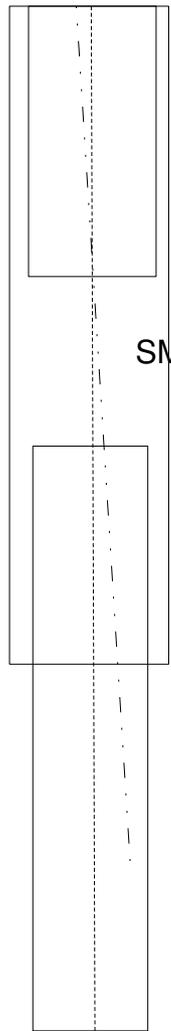
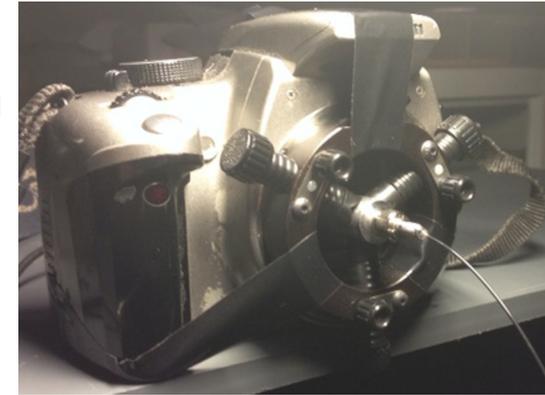
Very first laser run

→ why such large inhomogeneities?

Origin of the inhomogeneities

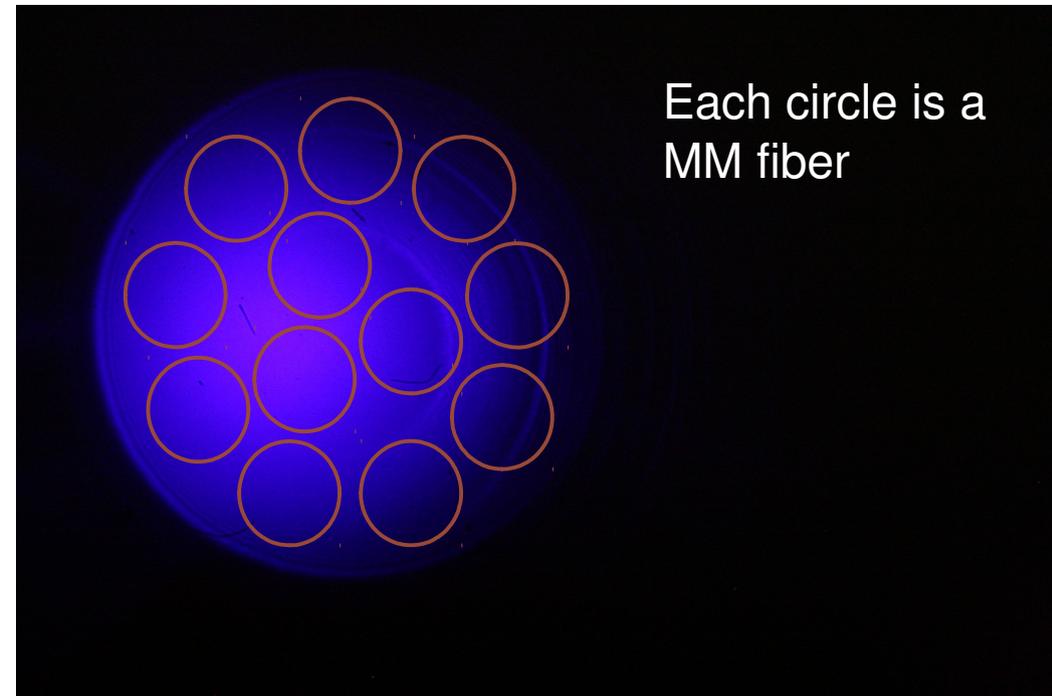
The light is flashed over the final MM bundle from few mm distance in a cylindrical connector

High-tech beam profiler in Torino



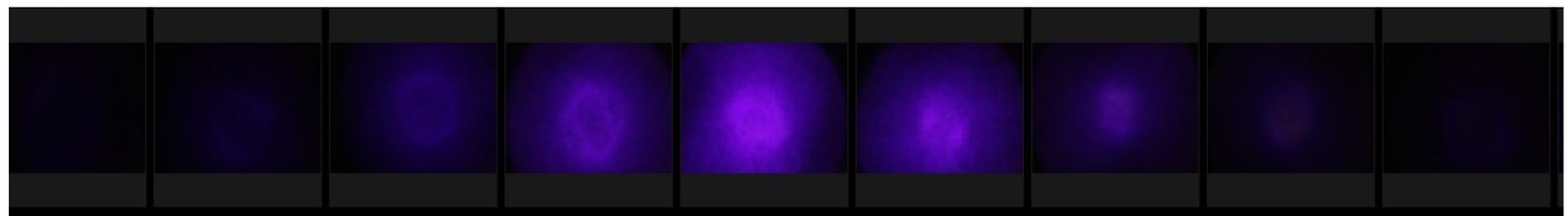
SM fiber not aligned with the connector axis
→ Not homogeneous light distribution!

SM fiber axis



Each circle is a MM fiber

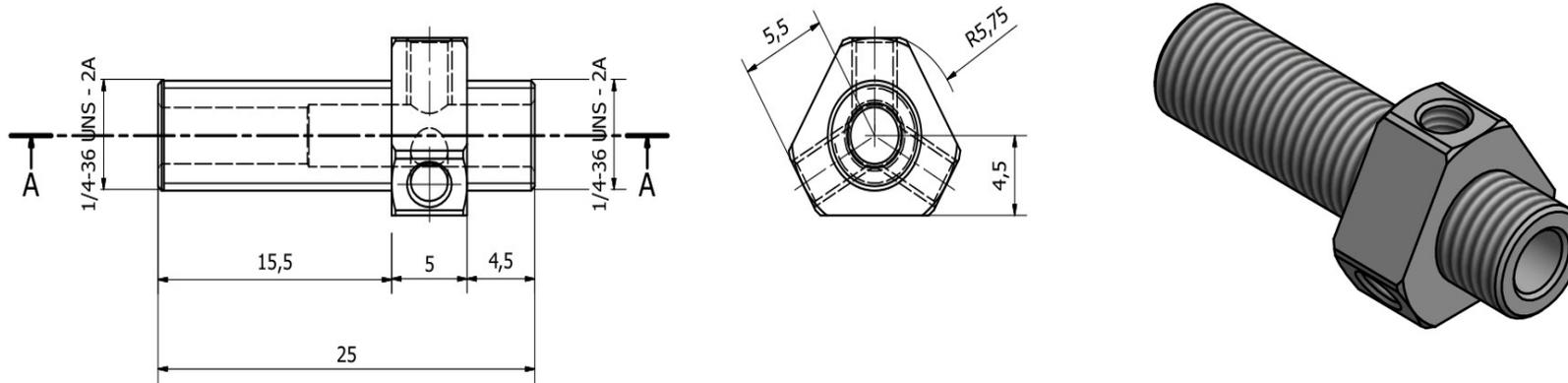
Light modulation on a MM bundle



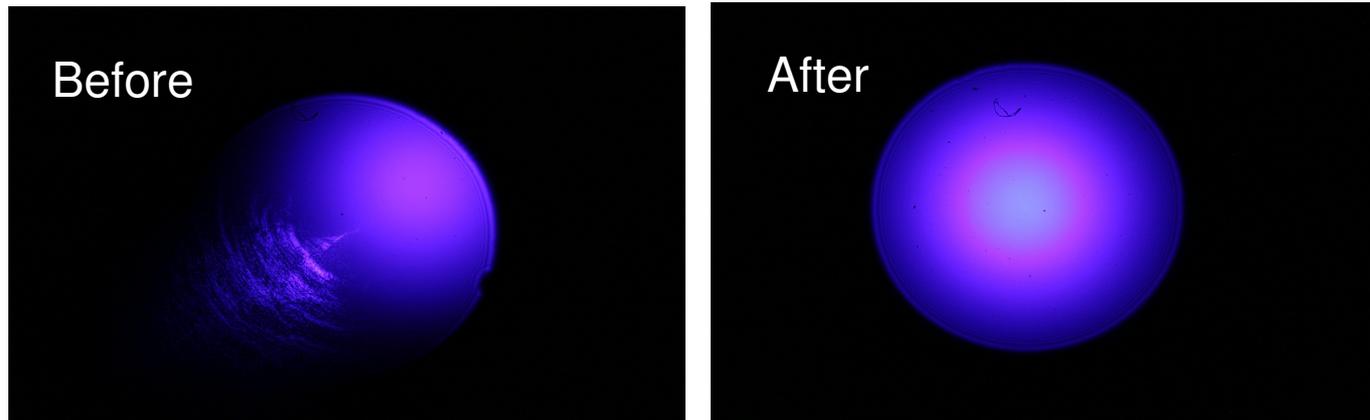
Barrel axis

Flat-fielders

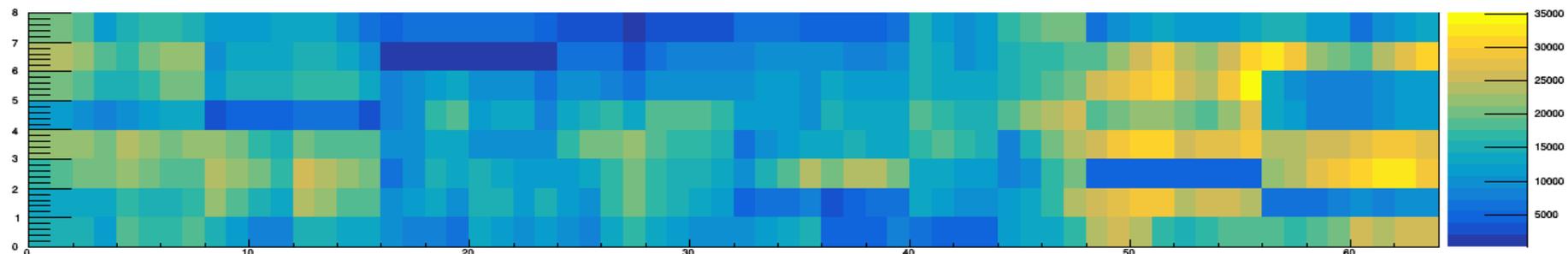
Flat fielder from Padova



A quite dramatic example (and proof of Ezio's alignment skills)

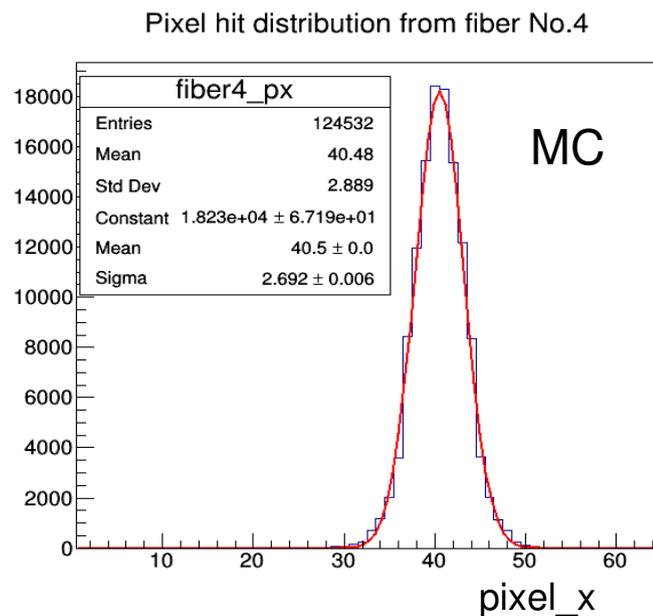
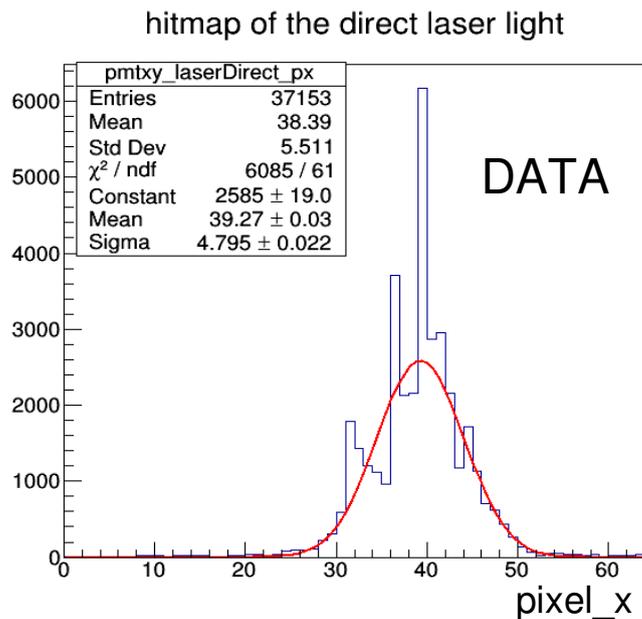
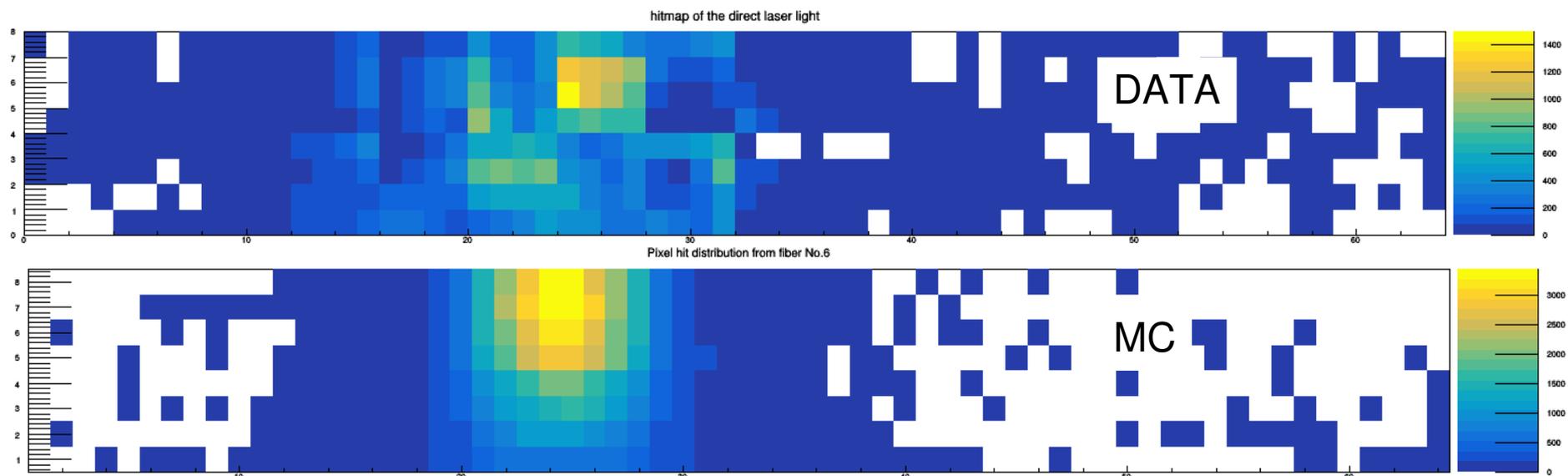


Residual inhomogeneities reduced by a factor of 10



Data-MC comparison

We have a set of single-spot laser data taken on module 07 to make data-MC comparison

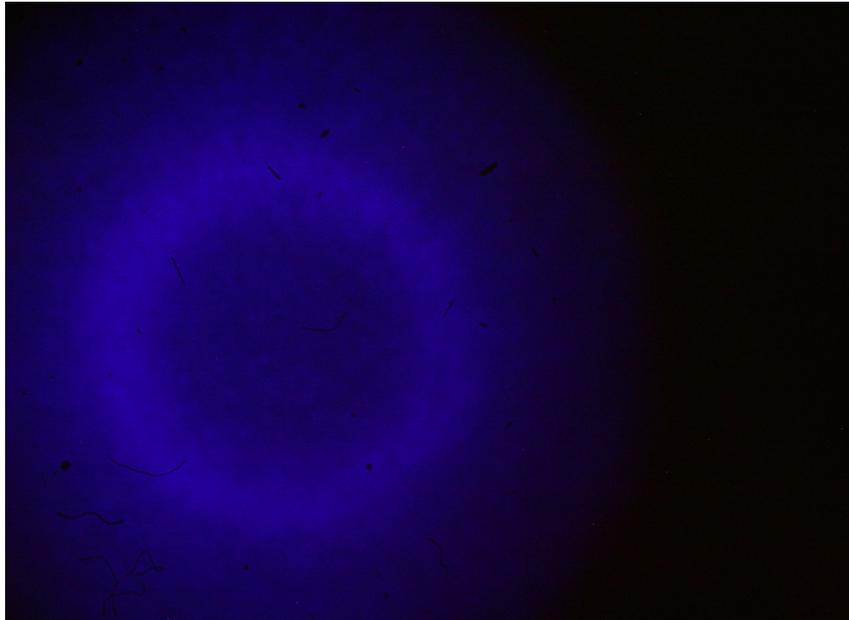


Quite different light spot Shape

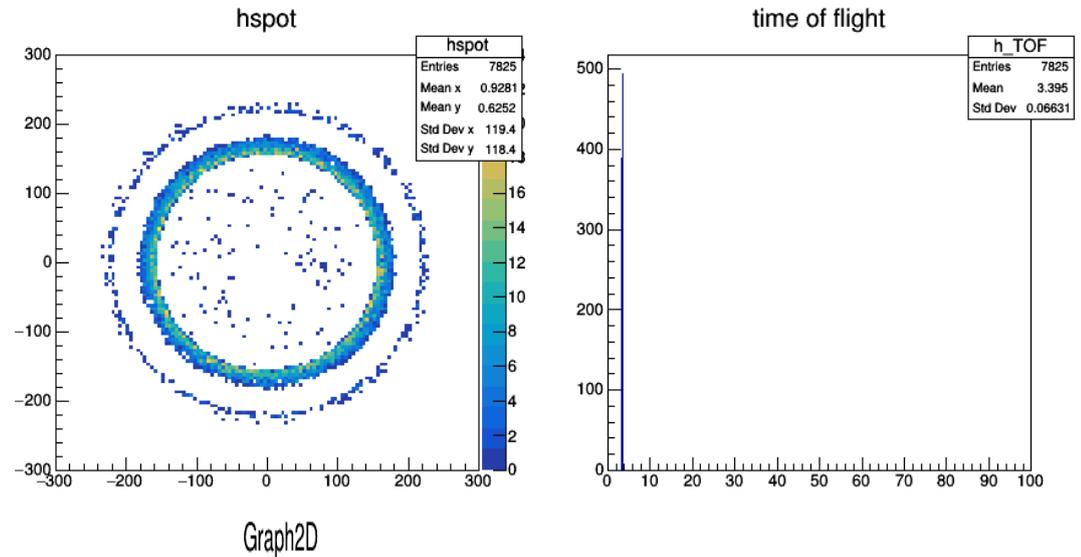
- no Q.E. correction
- no gain correction

Ring-like structures

MC: Gaussian spot
Data: Not gaussian at all!



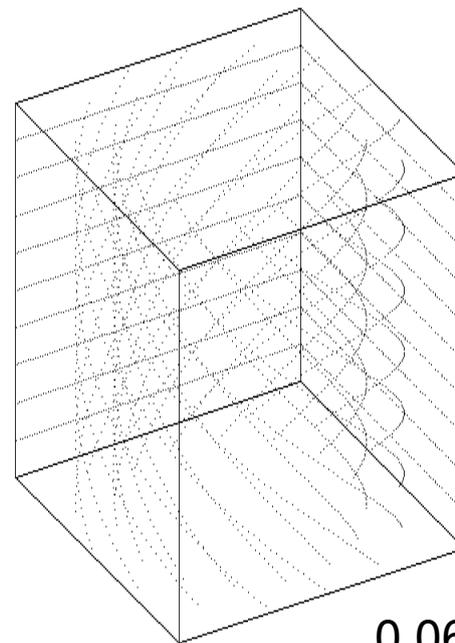
Simulation (UT's private code, to be released)



The light is entering the MM fiber from a narrow, non-zero angle

- helicoidal propagation
- ring-like spot

Still to be included in the simulation



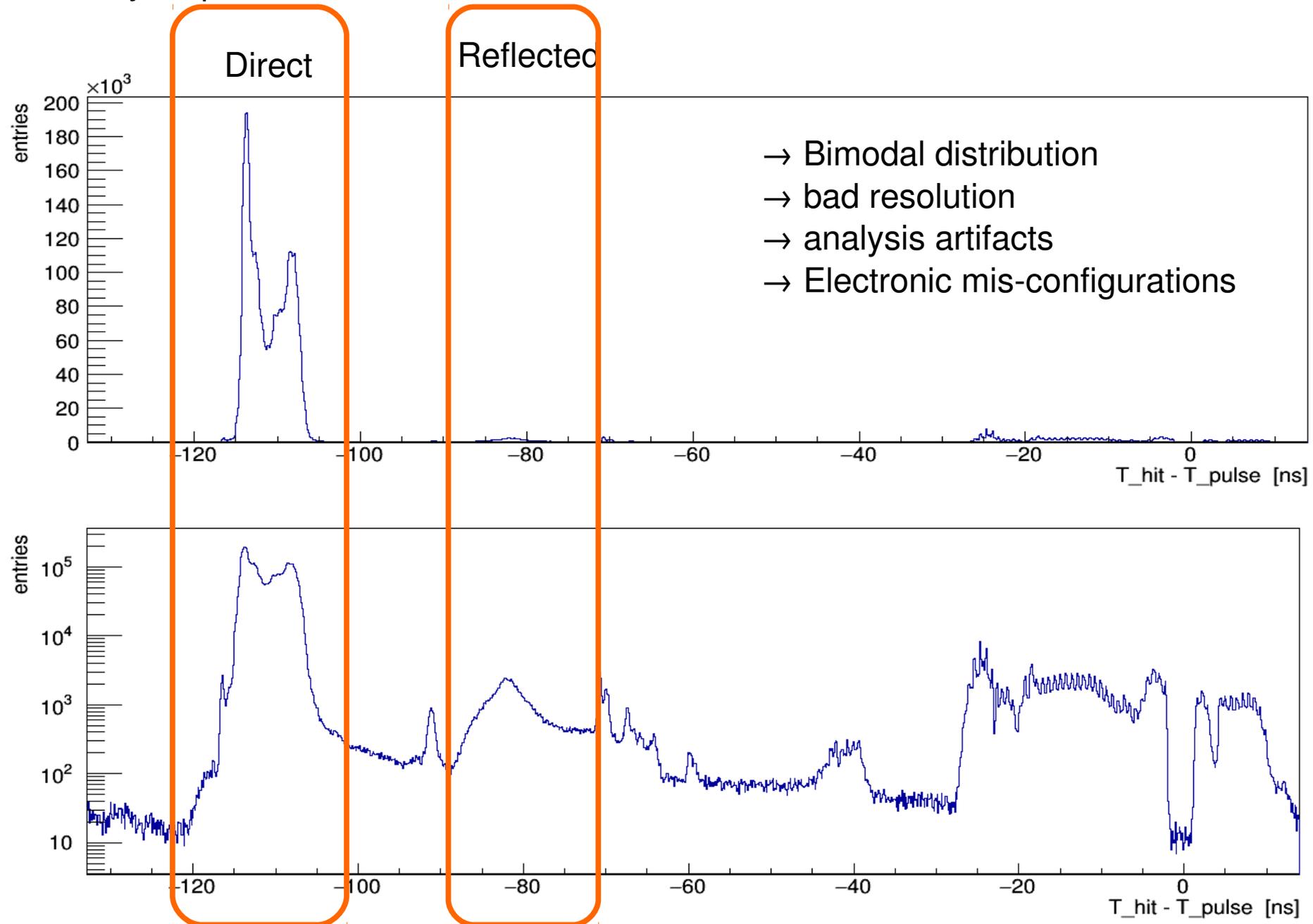
Light trajectory inside the fiber

100 mm

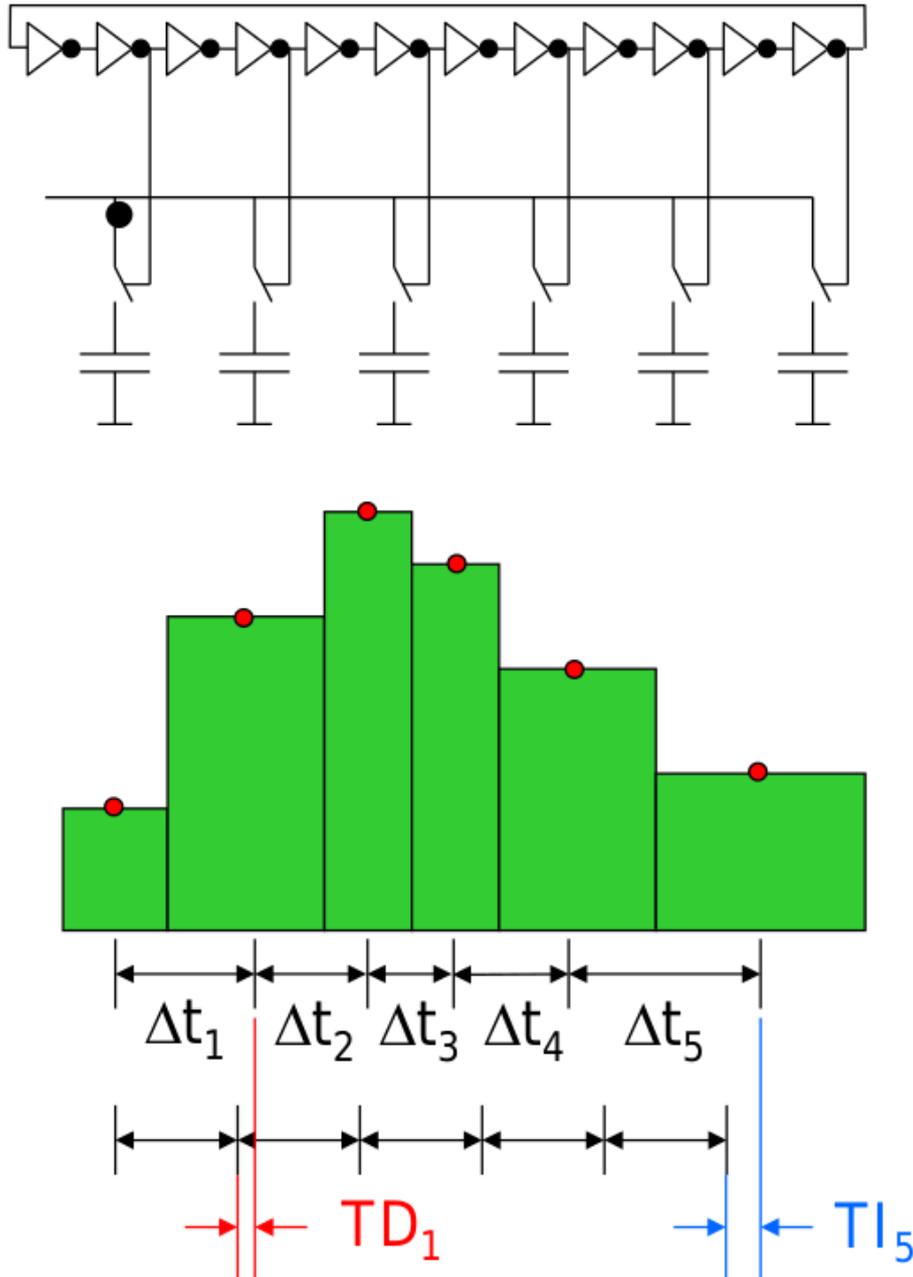
0.06 mm

TOP tomography: real data

Reality is quite different from the ideal MC

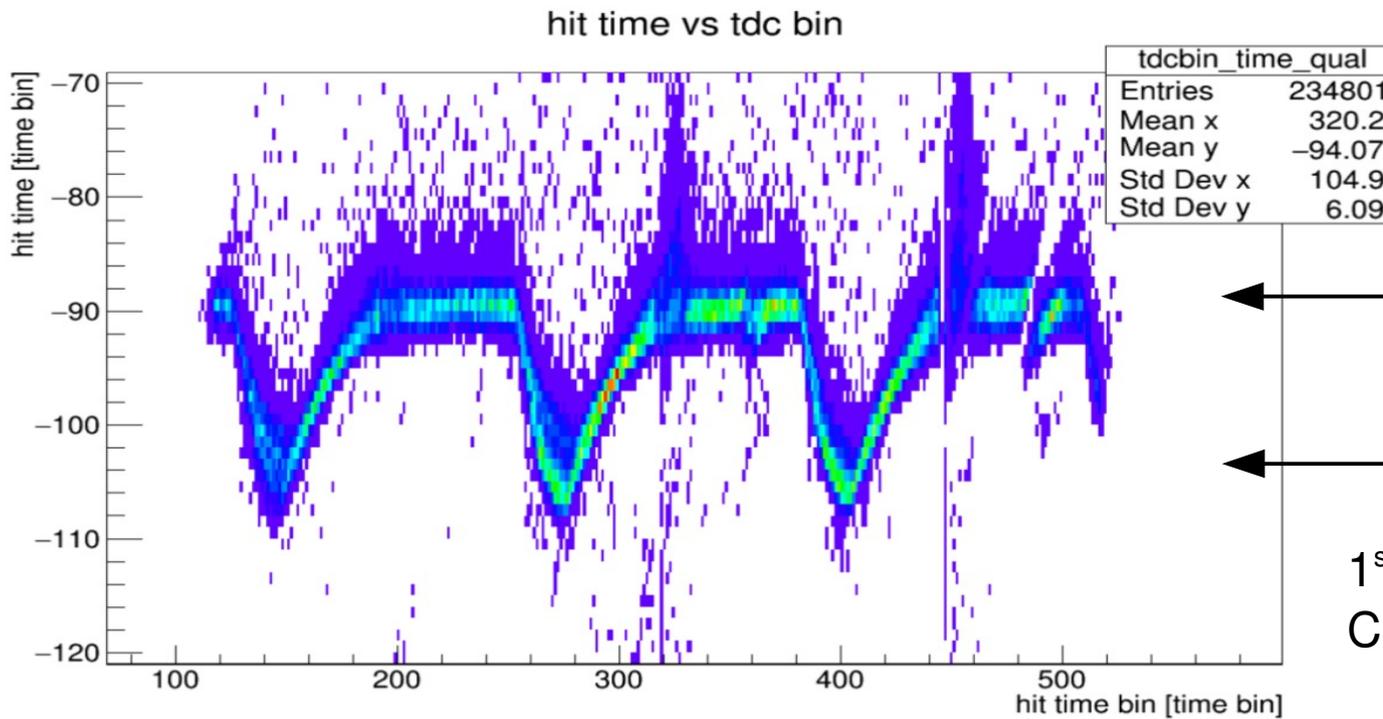


TOP readout: Time base calibration



- Inverter chain has transistor variations
→ Δt_i between samples differ
→ “Fixed pattern aperture jitter”
- “Differential temporal nonlinearity”
 $TD_i = \Delta t_i - \Delta t_{\text{nominal}}$
- “Integral temporal nonlinearity”
 $TI_i = \sum \Delta t_i - i \cdot \Delta t_{\text{nominal}}$
- “Random aperture jitter” = variation of Δt_i between measurements

Time base calibration from laser



← The two peaks
of the bimodal
distribution

← 1st order, channel-by-channel
Calibration

→ Make all the time bin
equally spaced

Position of the hit in the trace

After the channel-by-channel time bin correction:

- channel intercalibration (time alignment)
- module intercalibration (time alignment)

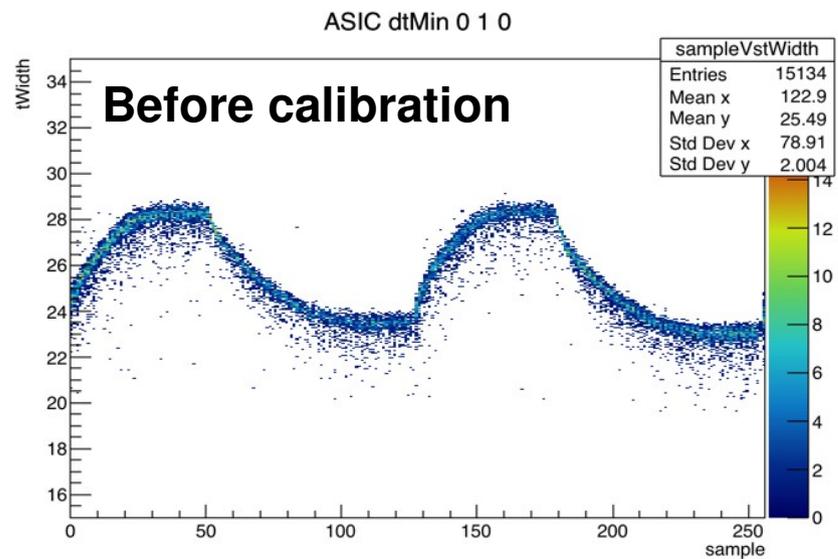
Time base calibration from laser

The laser is the primary system for the time-base calibration

Minimization is not trivial

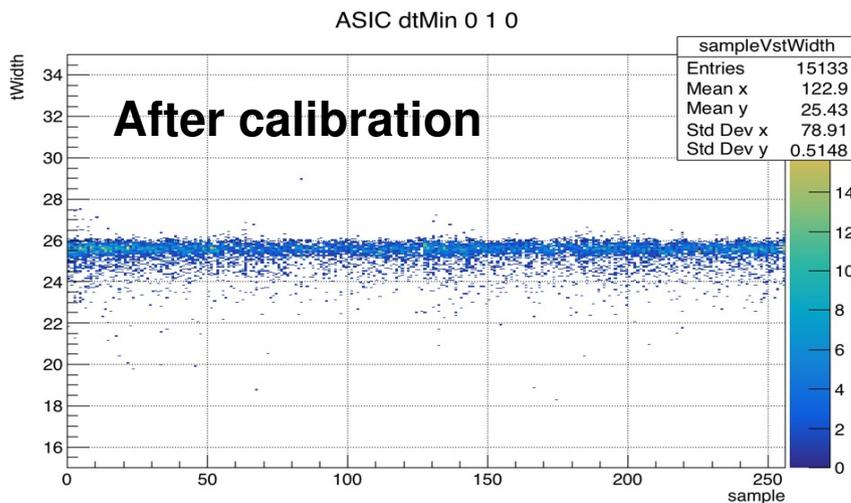
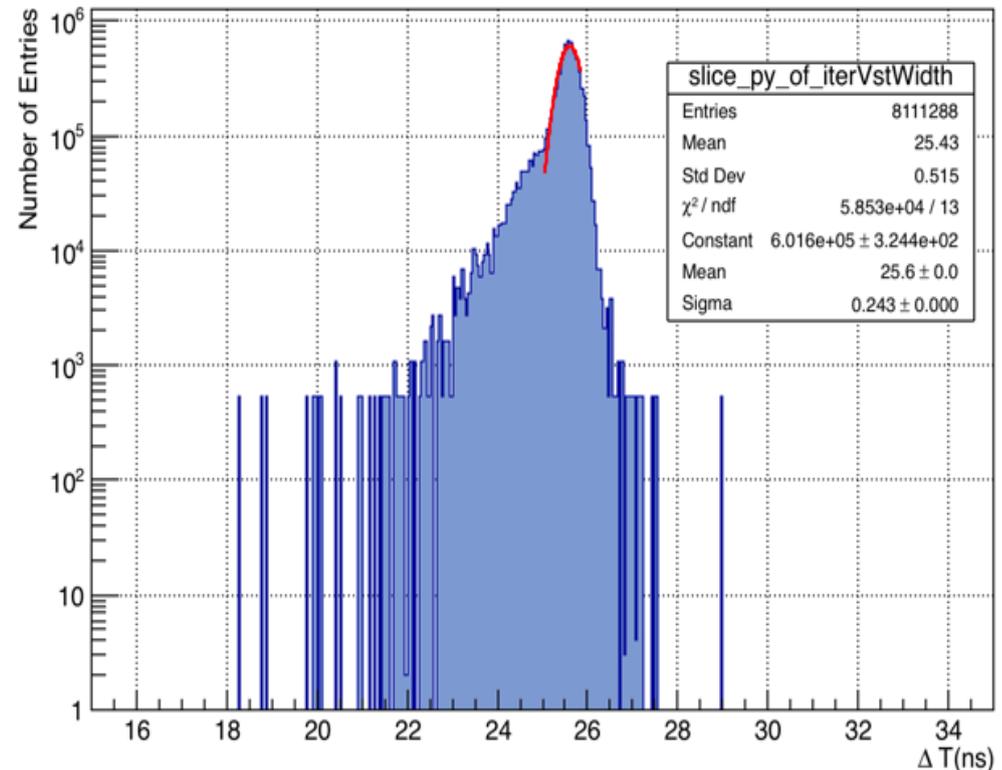
- clean hit selection
- fast hit finding
- iterative method: must converge in the right place

Hawaii – Torino – Wayne State
joined effort



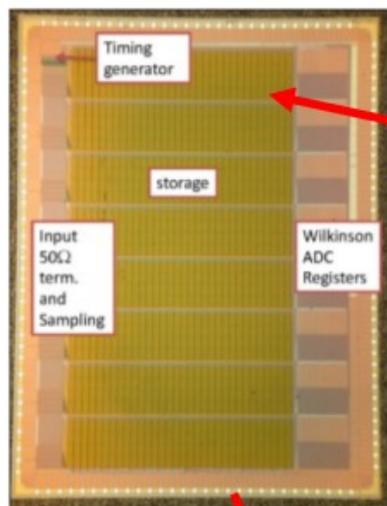
1 ns → 250 ps (goal: < 80 ps)

ProjectionY of binx=20 [x=19.0..20.0]



TOP DAQ

Waveform sampling ASIC



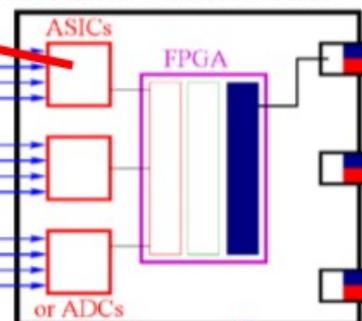
8k channels

1k 8-ch. ASICs

64 "board stacks"

64 DAQ fiber transceivers

Subdetector Readout Module



On or in Detector

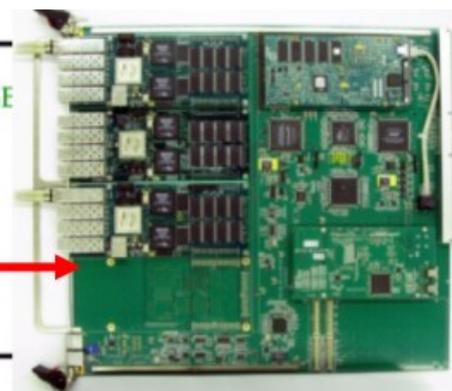
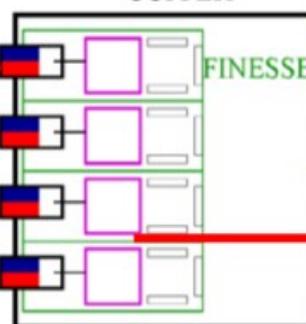
FPGA firmware consists of 3 parts:

- 1) ASIC/ADC driver (common)
- 2) Trigger/feature extract (subdet. specific)
- 3) Unified DAQ transport protocol

Low-jitter clock

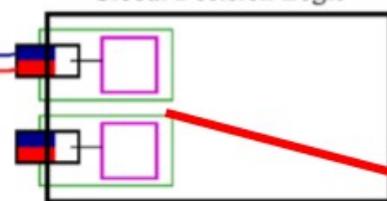
Giga-bit Fiber Transceiver Links

COPPER



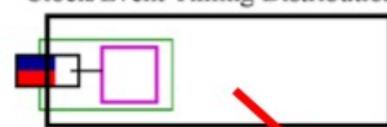
64 FINESSE
16 COPPER

Global Decision Logic



2x UT3
Trigger
modules

Clock/Event Timing Distribution



Clock, trigger,
programming
module
(FTSW)

8
FTSW



64 SRM



Firmware development

Main issues

→ Manpower

1 (2) person is working on this from PNNL (Hawaii)

→ Feature extraction (Hawaii - PNNL)

Full waveform → hits

64x15x 512 words / event → ~8x50 words / event

10 Hz → 10 kHz

→ Soft reboot (Hawaii - PNNL)

A large fraction of problems is now solved with hard reboot

→ long operation time

→ not really a solution

→ DAQ integration (Hawaii – PNNL - KEK)

→ We cannot run the copper at its full speed

→ We experience transfer rate slowing down during data taking

What can be done in Italy

→ A full FE boardstack is in Torino

→ no way to get a copper / FTSW

→ FW development is still possible

Software development

Two different frameworks, sometimes overlapping

top (M. Staric)

- Intended for final data analysis
- MC simulation is analyzed with it
- Coherent, simple, but unsuitable for debugging

topcaf (M. Barret, J Strube, U.T.)

- Intended for full waveform analysis
- Developed at PNNL, changed at least 3 generations of maintainers
- Large overlappings with top
- **Needs to be improved!**

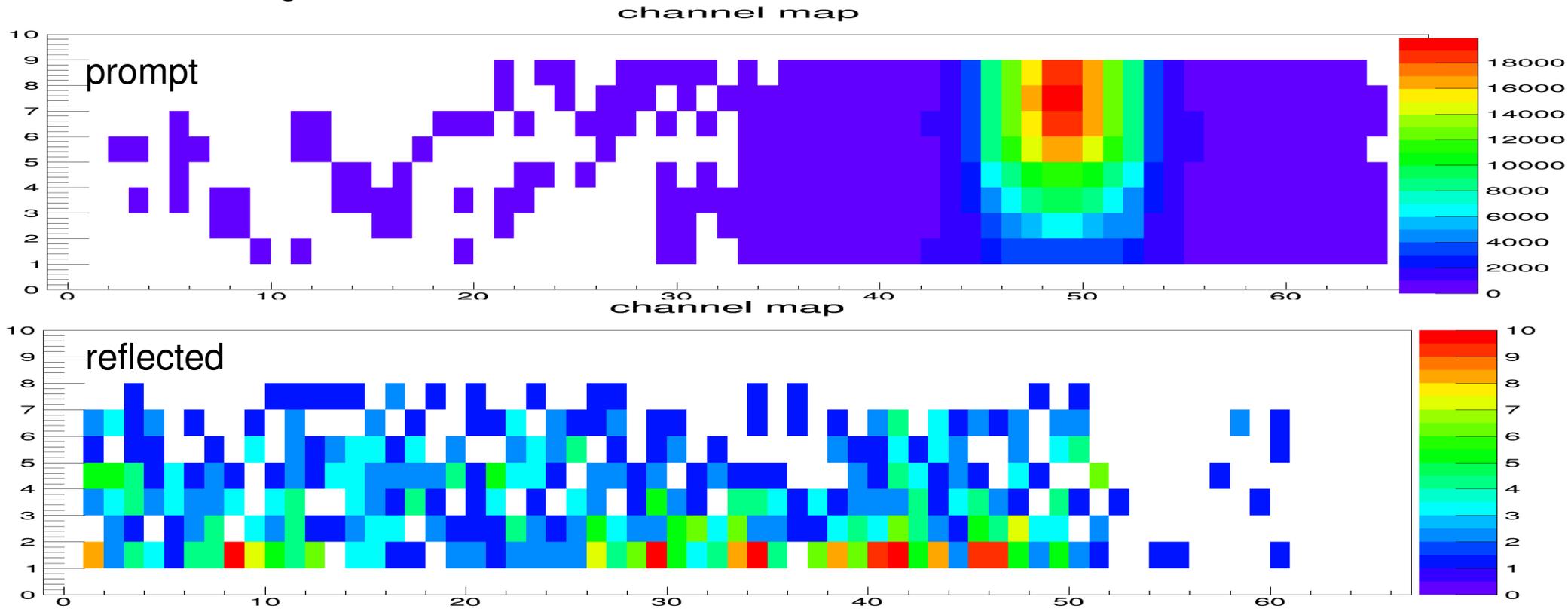
Some examples:

- New dT calibrator (Hawaii - Torino – Wayne state) : **1 hr/run → 5 mins / run**
- New hit finder (Torino) : **3 hrs/run → 10 mins / run**
- Improved calibration pulse selection (Torino – PNNL): **efficiency +100%**

Backup

Tracking down the reflected spot

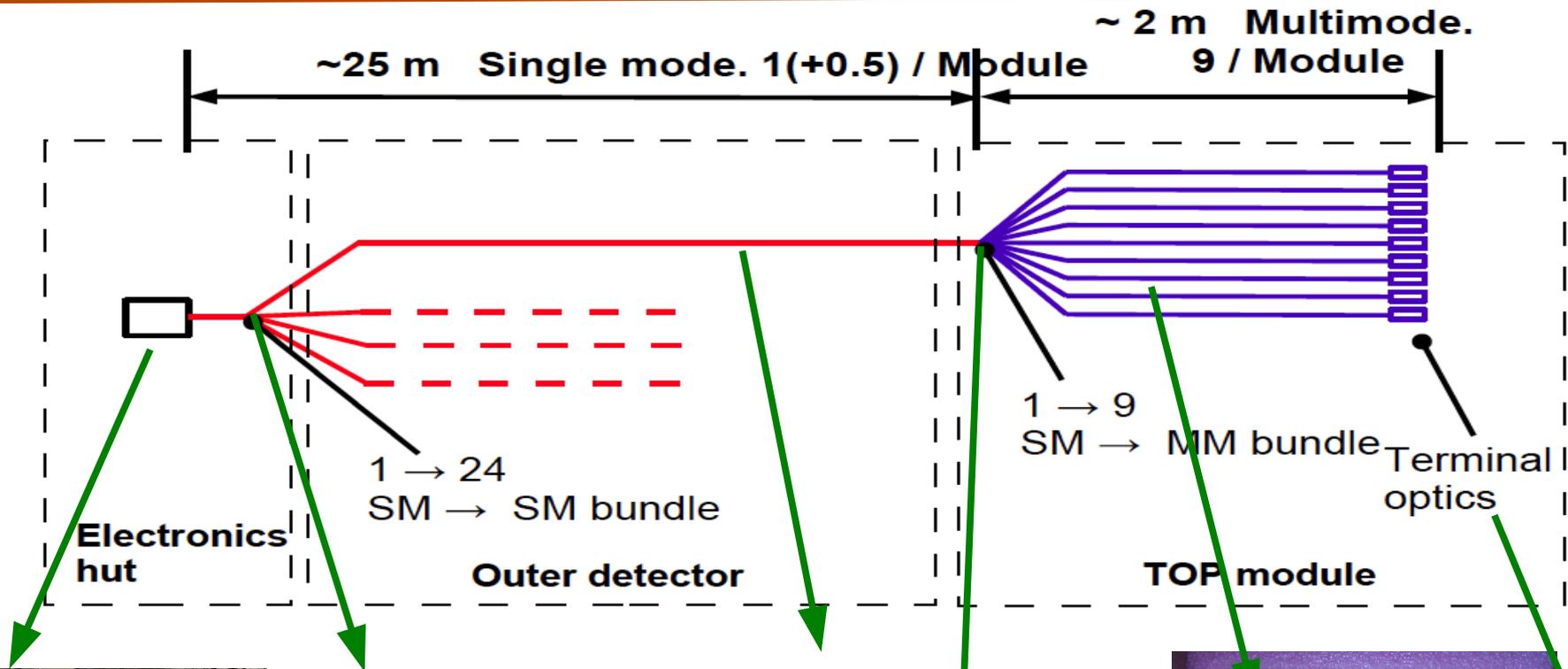
MC with one single source out of nine



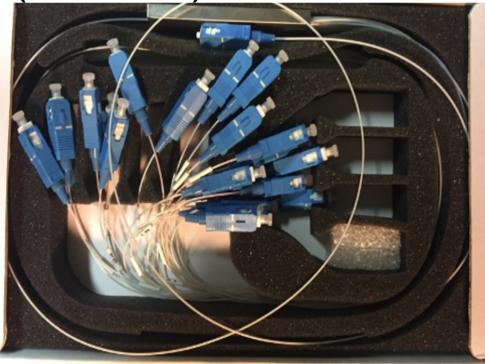
Channel-by-channel ratio may not be the best observable

→ can we build a look-up table to predict the reflected pattern based on the direct one?

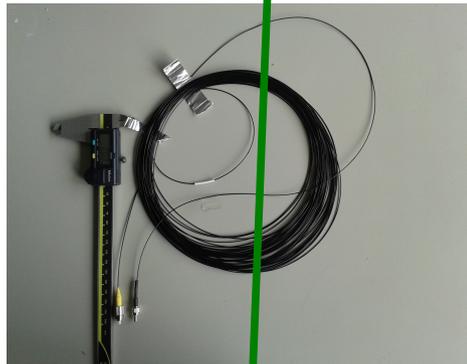
Laser calibration system



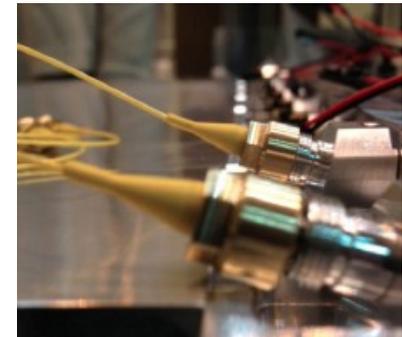
NEW: Splitter 1-24 via Planar Light Circuit (Padova)



SM fiber (Torino)

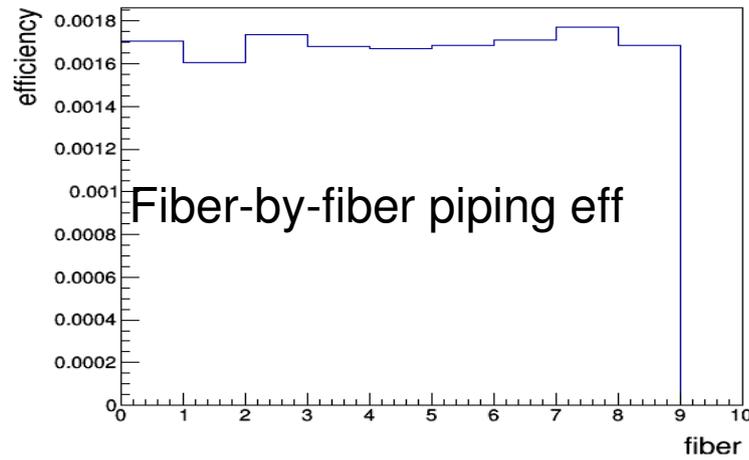
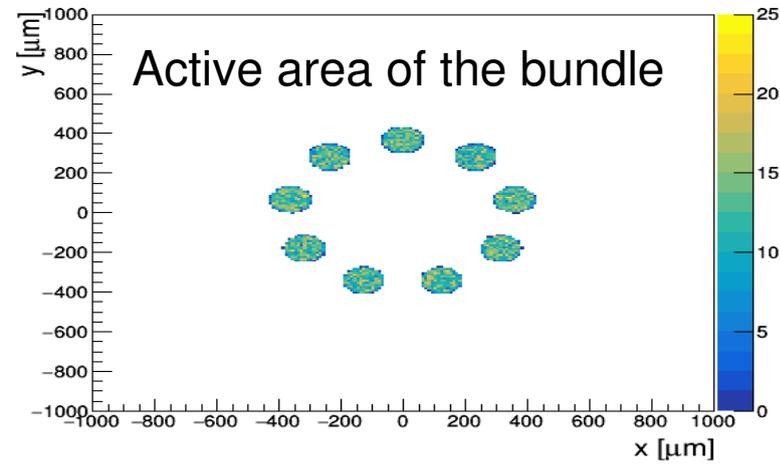


Connector SM-MM: (Torino)

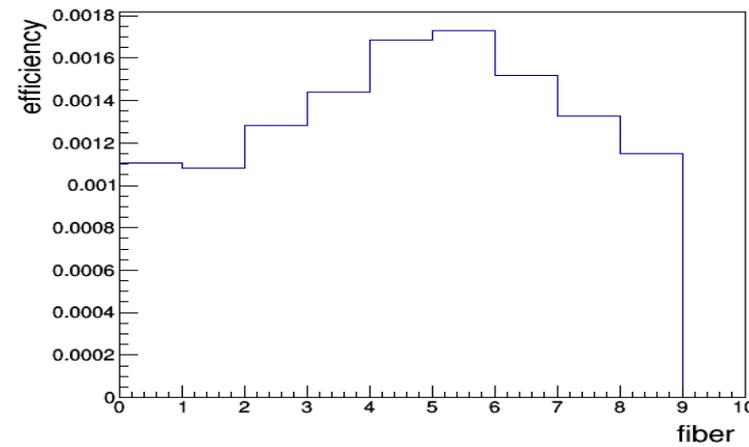
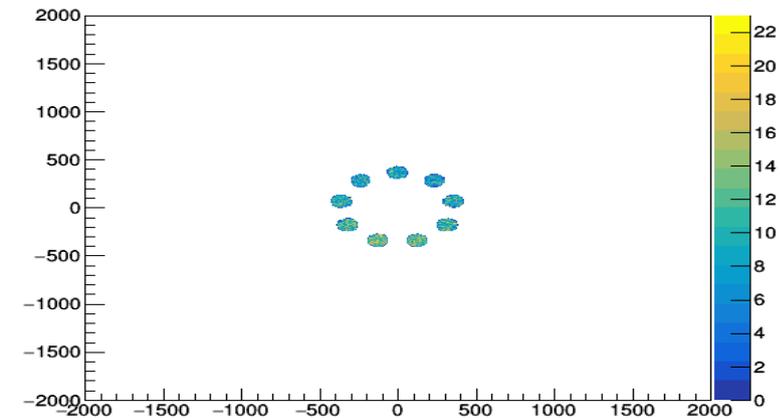


PiLas laser (Torino)

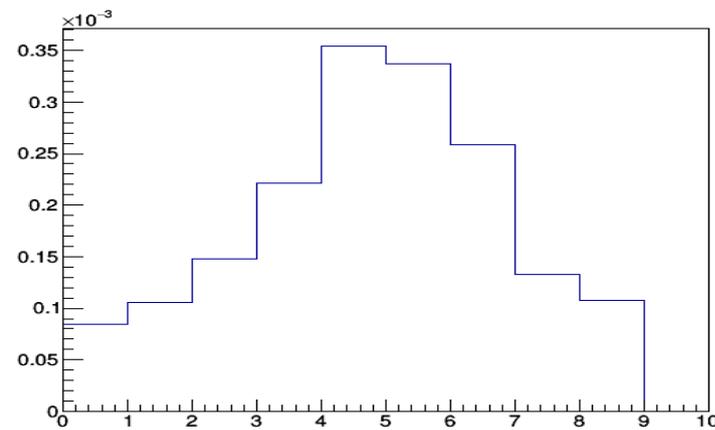
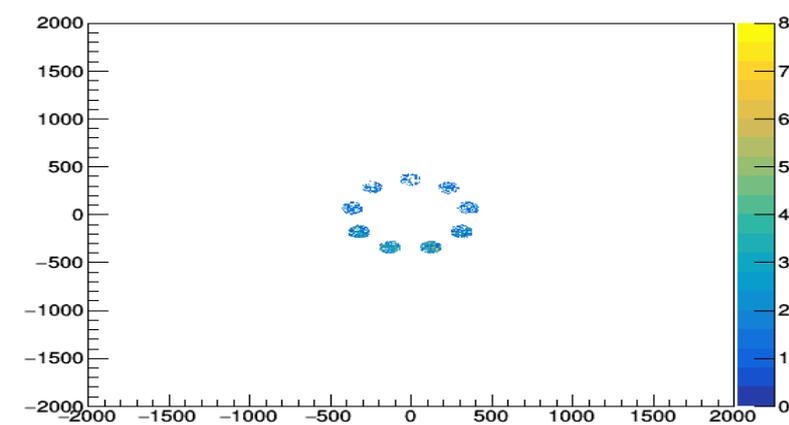
Origin of the inhomogeneities: toy MC



Tilt = 0°



Tilt = 5°



Tilt = 15°

Is it realistic?

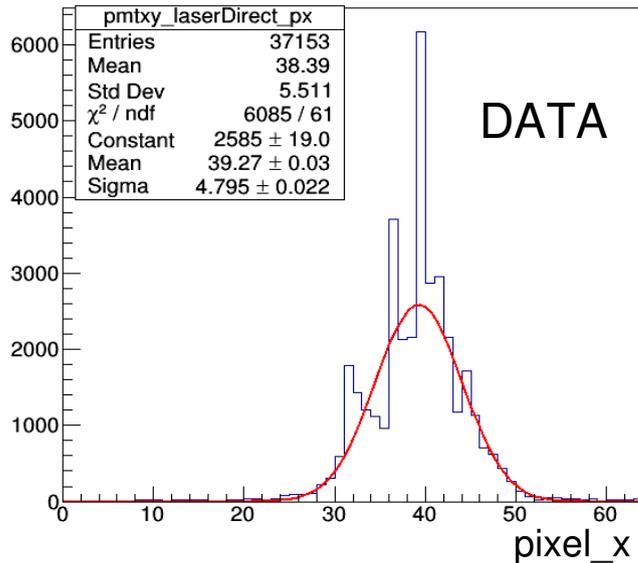
Alignment survey

We compare the gaussian fit of the x and y projections of the hit maps

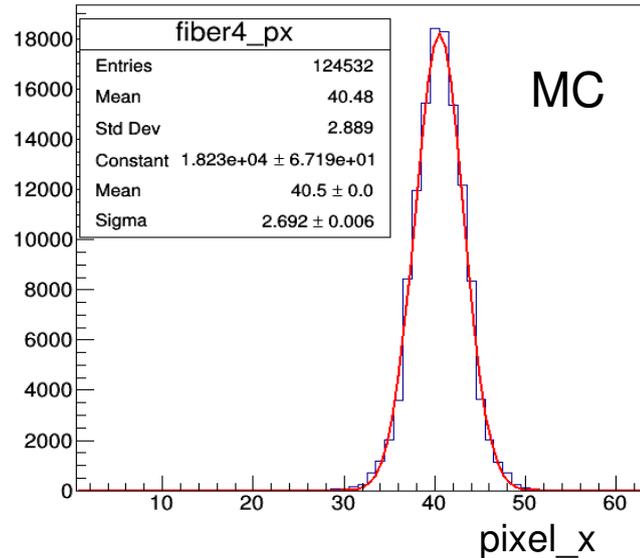
→ Maximum position

→ spot size (x only)

hitmap of the direct laser light

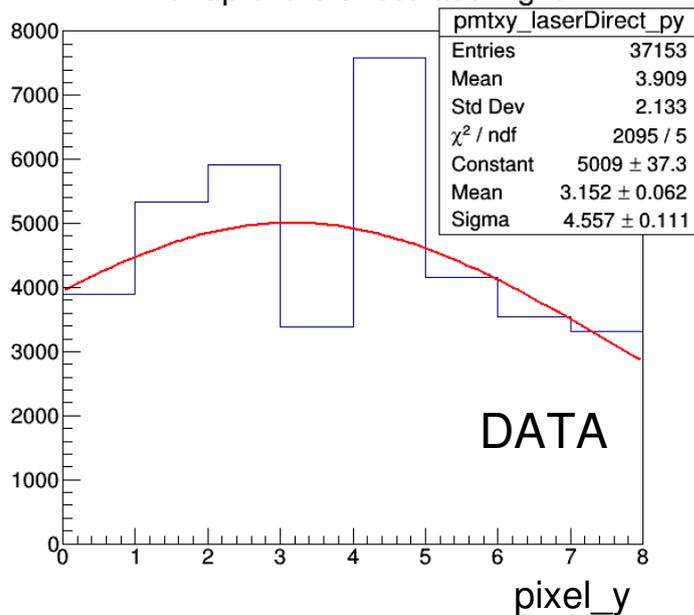


Pixel hit distribution from fiber No.4

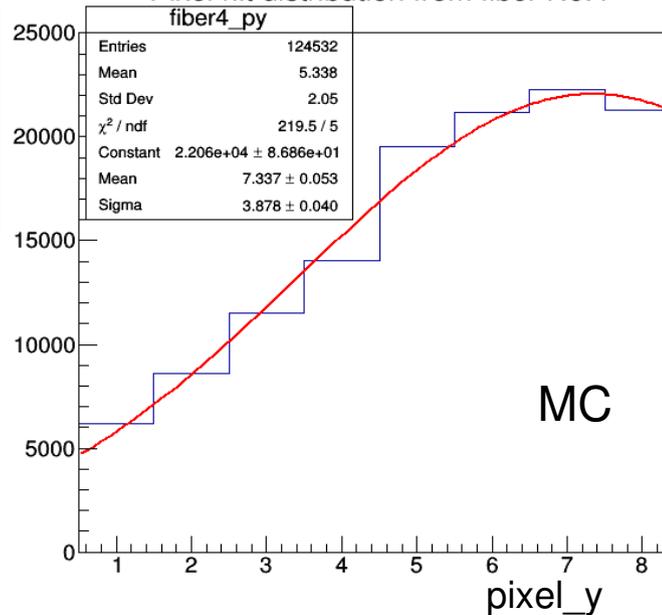


Projection x

hitmap of the direct laser light



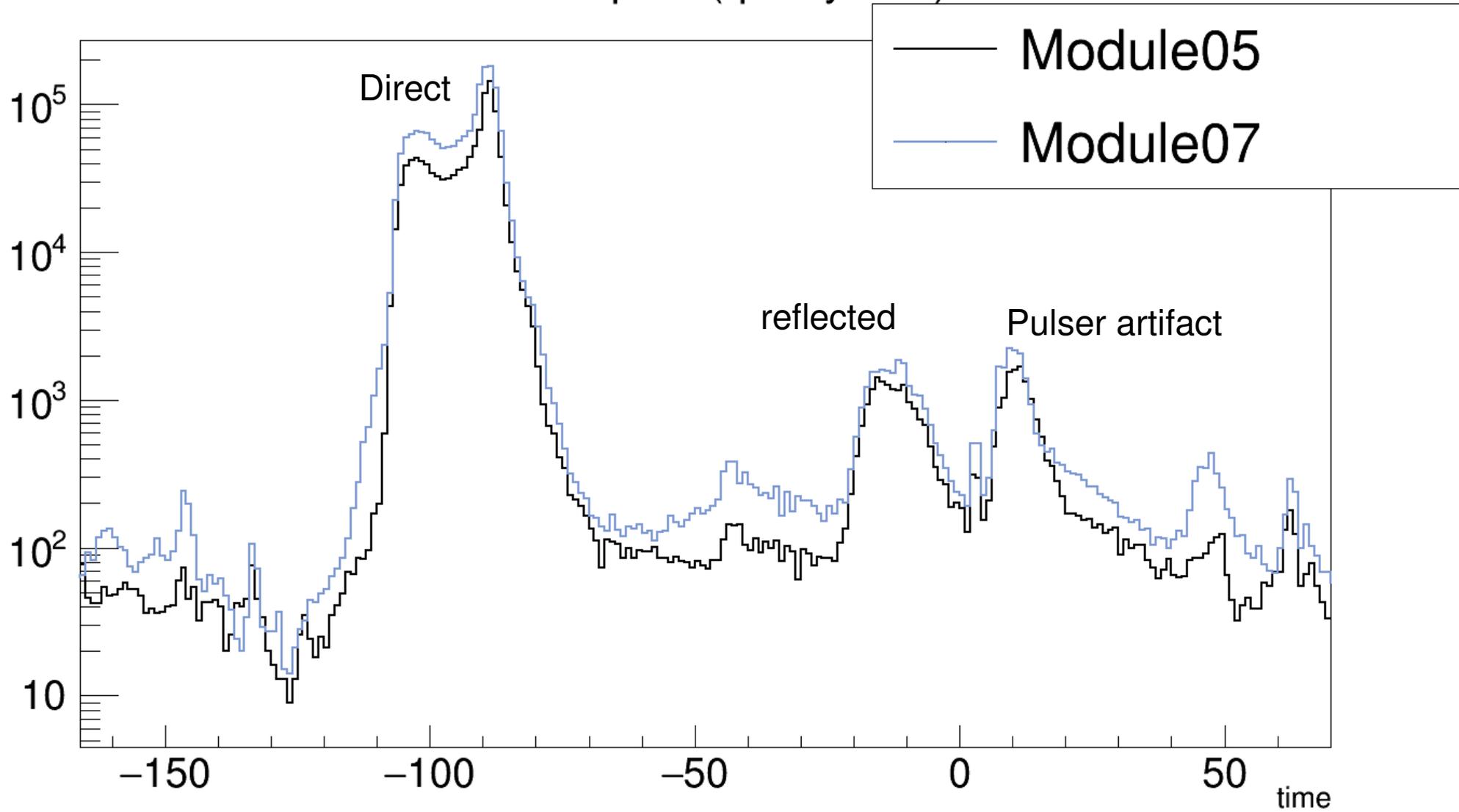
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Projection y

Timing

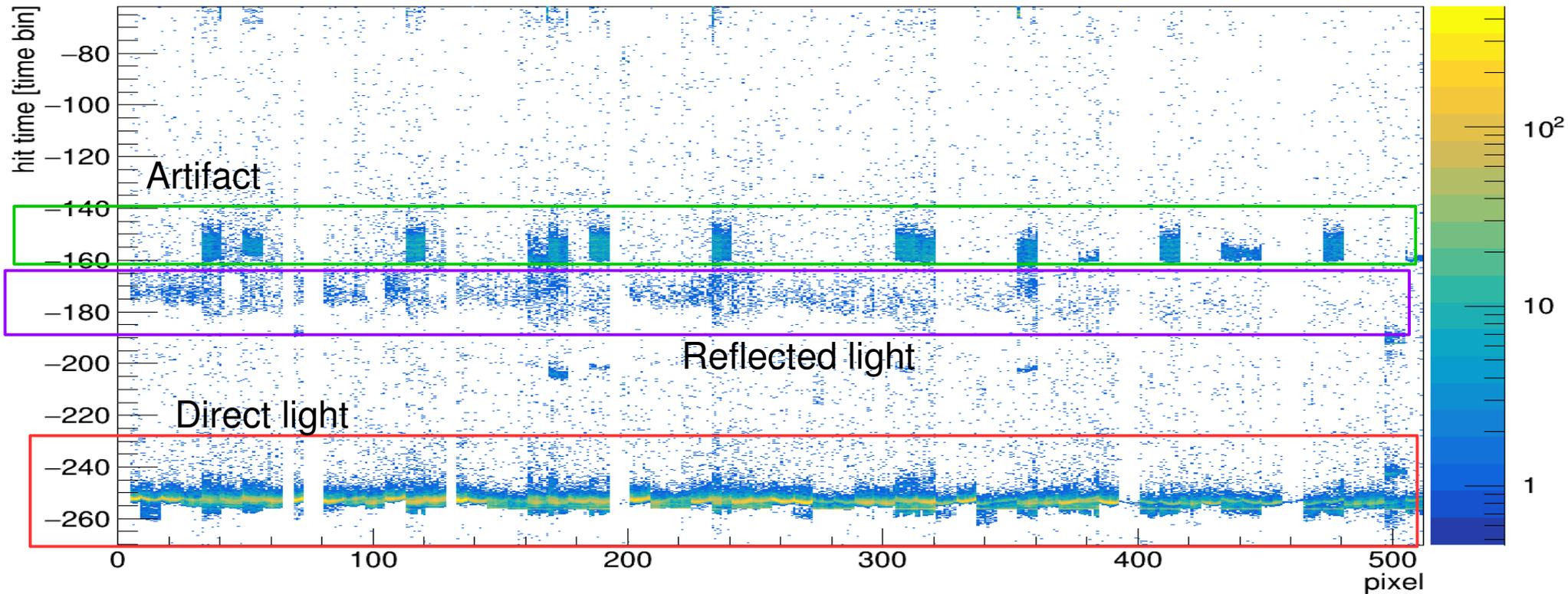
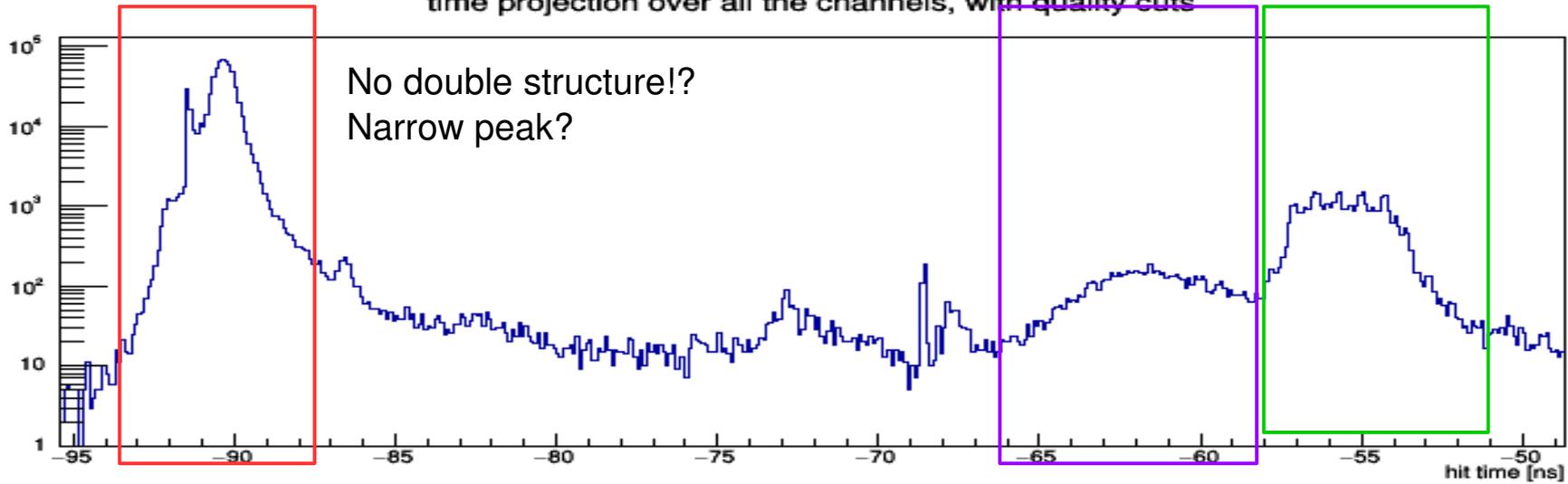
time vs pixel (quality cuts)



Timing (II)

Zoom in the laser light region

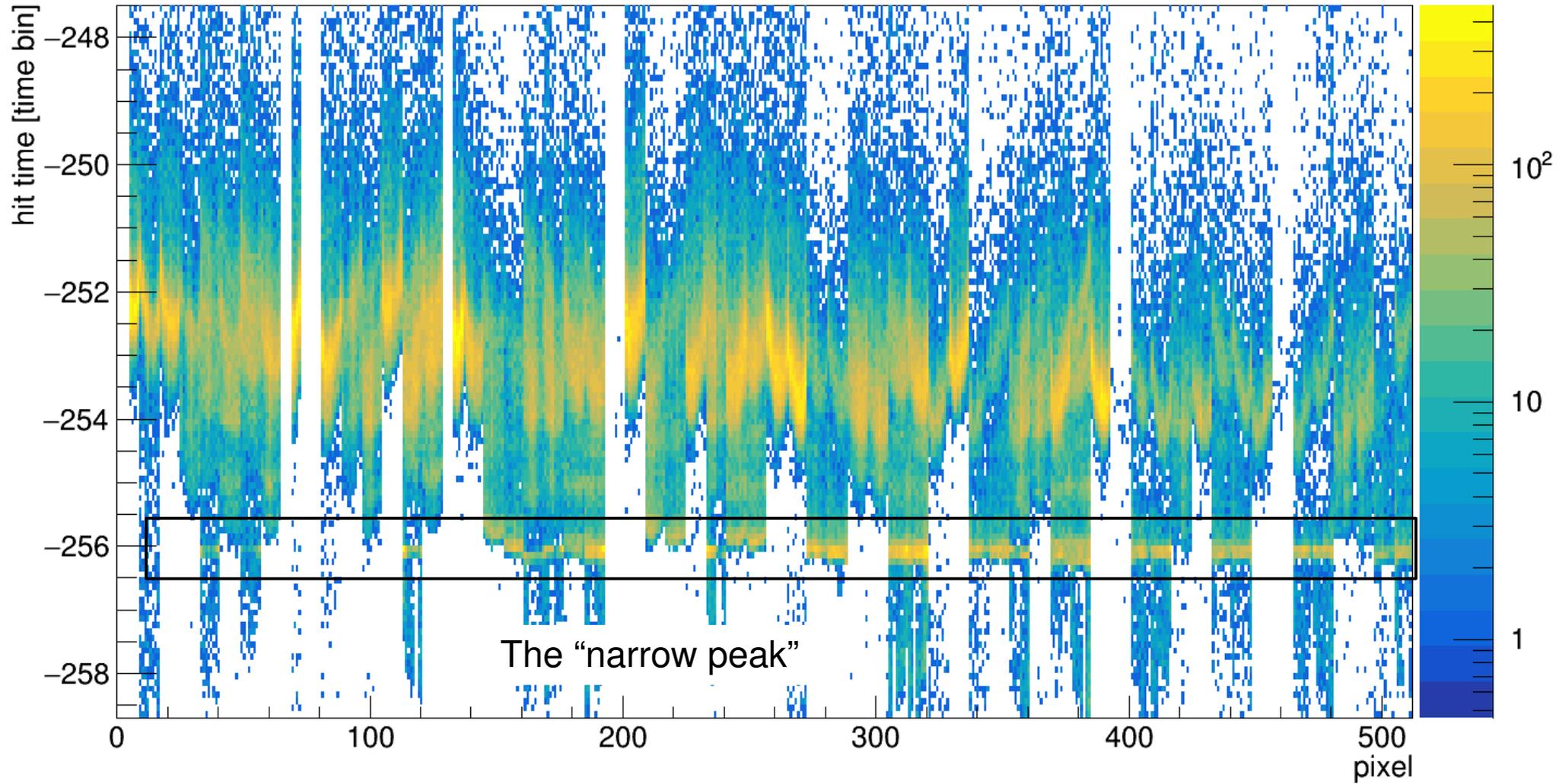
time projection over all the channels, with quality cuts



Timing (III)

Even finer zoom: direct laser light only

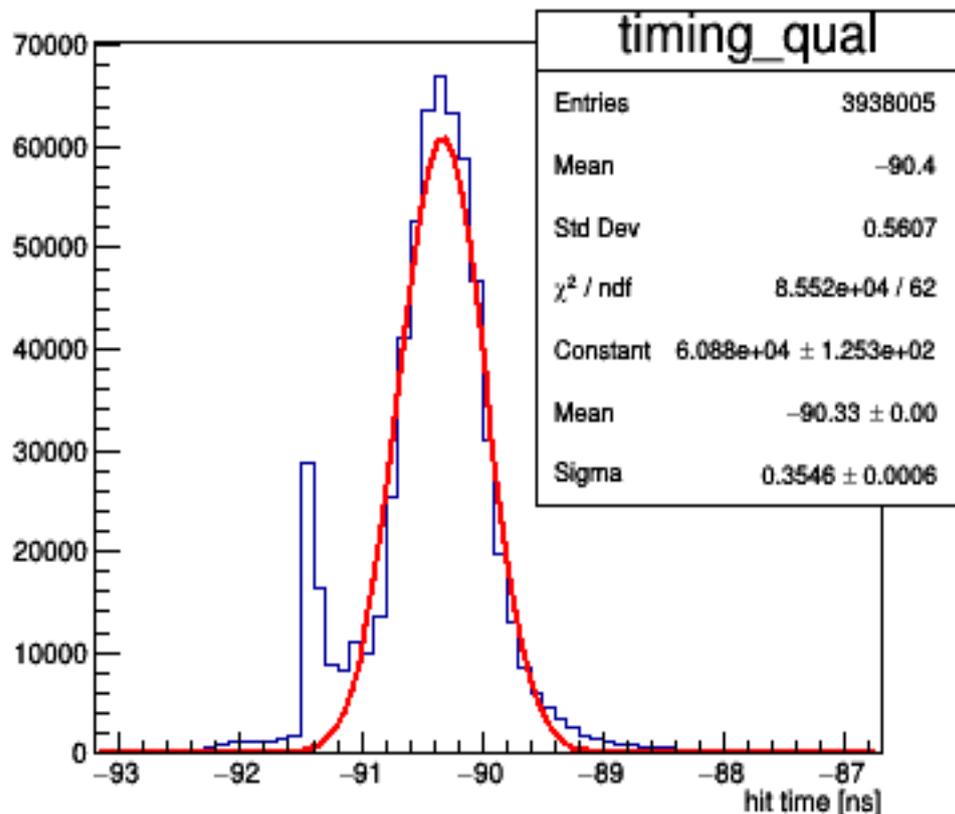
time vs pixel



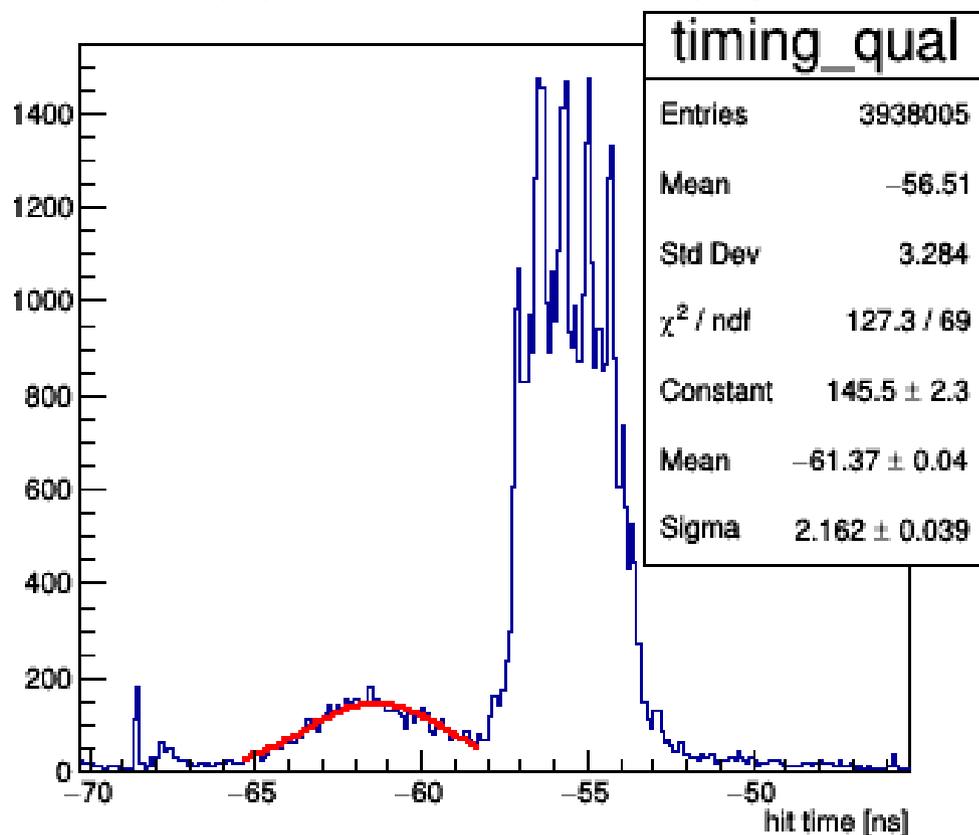
Timing: all channels

Integrating over all the channels (assuming 1 time bin = 0.357 ns, which is not correct probably)

time projection over all the channels, with quality cuts



time projection over all the channels, with quality cuts

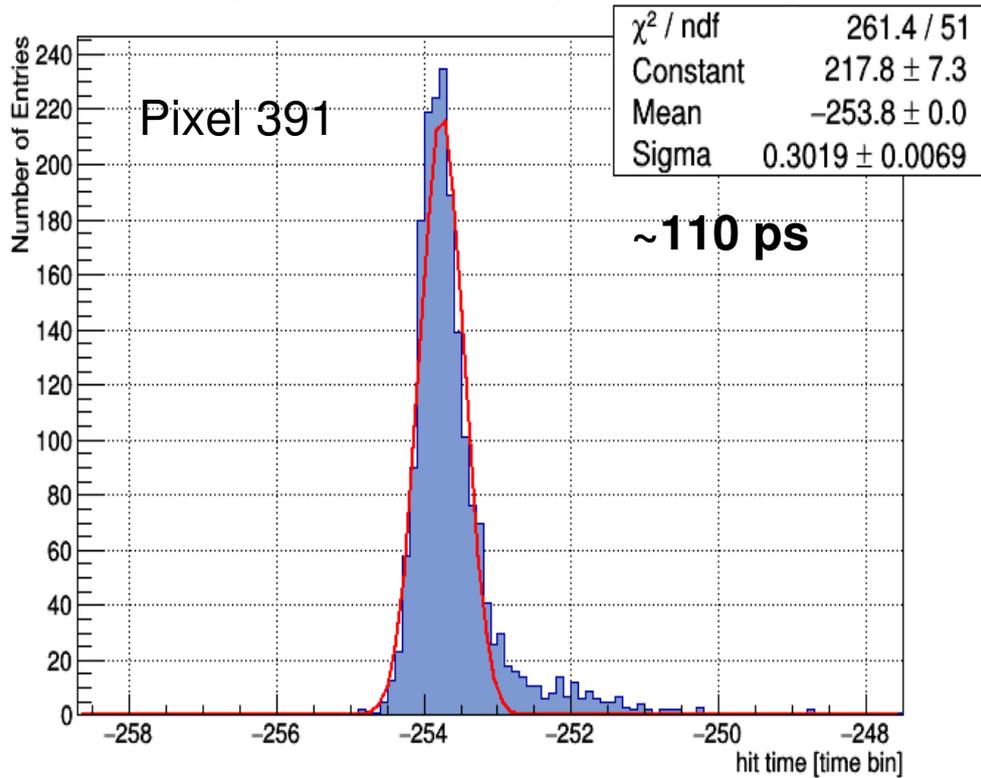


Direct light resolution: ~350 ps (360 assuming time bin = 0.370 ns)

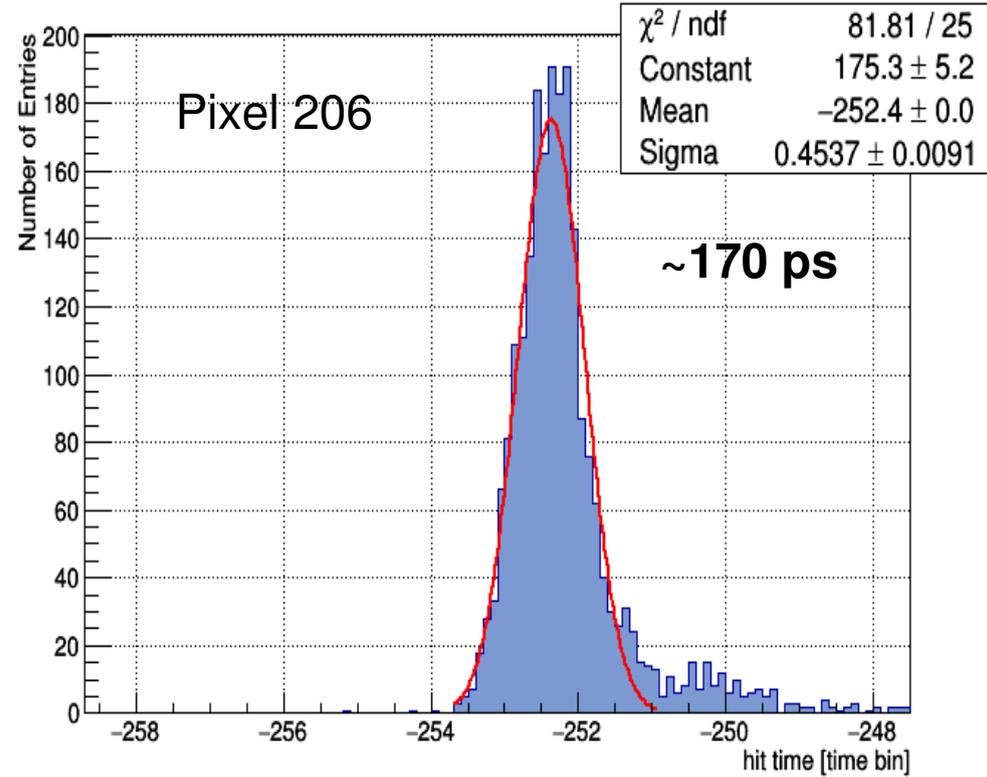
Timing: single channel

Some single channel time distributions

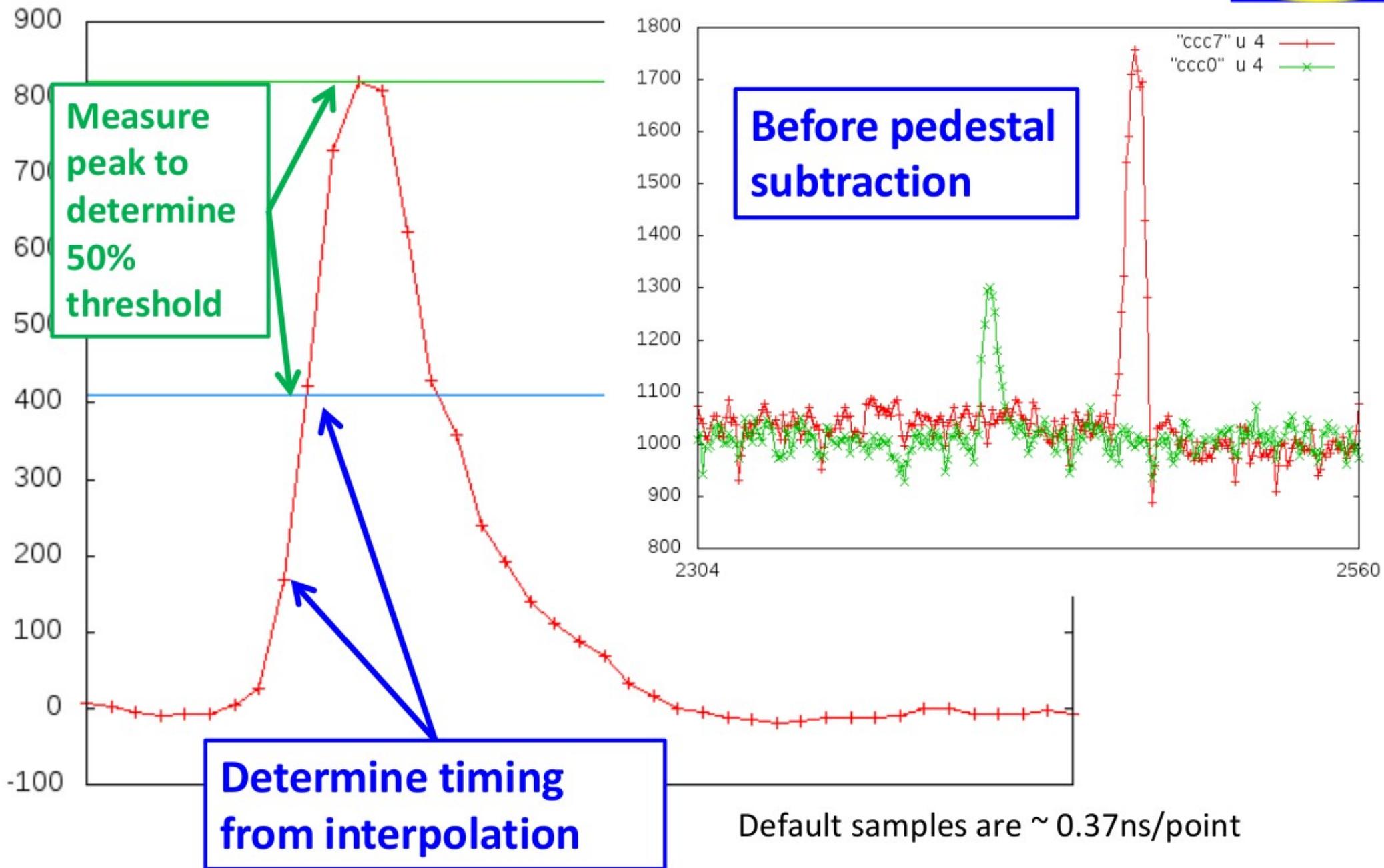
ProjectionY of binx=392 [x=391.0..392.0]



ProjectionY of binx=207 [x=206.0..207.0]



1. Ped subtract & 50% CFD



Example laser timing Residual



Laser timing: laser_pixel3_0_gain4_HV3201_18may2015

