Template fit feasibility for Crilin SiPM timing: report on laser data

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Template fit concept

- Individual SiPM pulse templates can be generated for each channel and for different particle types
- Templates are ROOT TSpline5 objects with fixed proportions
- For timing reconstruction a template object is fitted over each waveform using a 3 parameter optimization (scale, time, baseline)
- Low computational cost (good for online analysis)
- Template is generated by aligning and averaging a large dataset of SiPM pulses
- For alignment, a pseudo-time variable is used yielding an estimate of the real wave time position as a fraction of the sampled bin containing the true wave peak (or the true constant fraction threshold crossing)
- Pseudo-time and real-time cumulative distribution are correlated





Setup and data

Crilin new front-end prototype

- Two Hamamatsu S14160-3015PS (15 um px size) in series
- SiPM readout and biasing via micro-coax lines
- Two stage amplifier (gain_tot = 7) w/ pole-zero cancellation
- Prototype validate, production in progress

Setup

- Picosecond pulsed UV laser source w/ 100 kHz pulse repetition
- Digitisation via 40 Gsps oscilloscope

Data

- 1) Scan @ fixed laser amplitude and various sampling frequencies (run1)
- 2) Scan @ 40 Gsps and variable laser amplitude (run2)

amp1:time1 {evt == 10}



S14160-3015PS



Template generation: pseudotime

- Pseudo-time generation •
 - Wave interpolation
 - Pseudo-time using constant fraction •
 - wave normalisation by fitting wave peak (w/ gaus)
- Template generation as a TProfile of the waveform • dataset



0.8

0.6

0.4

pkV=0.921256 CF=0.262558 rt=17.478917 type=1

40 Gsps

Template generation: profiles (1 V @ 2.5, 5, 10, 20, 40 Gsps)



Template fit

240 ⊢

220

200

180

160

140

120

100

80

60 40

20 0⊾ 1

1.2

1.4

Entries / 0.0 ns

- Waveform errors: •
 - $ex = time_bin/sqrt(12)$ ٠
 - $ey = ADC_{lsb/sqrt(12)} \oplus baseline_RMS$
- Fit efficiency is 100 % for these runs •



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Template fit X^{2}_{red} check

Splines generated @ 40 Gsps

Data sampled at different

reconstruction

rates

Fit range is fixed

frequencies used for timing

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Digitiser time bias check

T_reco – T_bin @ 40 Gsps



Template fit optimisation

- Data used for optimisation (run1):
 - Spline generated @ 40 Gsps
 - Data sampled @ 5 Gsps
- Pseudotime constant fraction → optimum @ 30 %
- Fit range [psT Tmin, psT + Tmax]
 - T_start fixed \rightarrow Tmin = 7.5 ns
 - T_stop optimised → optimum @ Tmax = 1.8 ns
- Template spline bin width → optimum @ 20 ps/bin



Effect of spline training dataset sampling frequency on resolution

- Data used (run1):
 - Data sampled at 2.5 Gsps
 - Splines generated on data sampled at 5 different frequencies

Spline generation Gsps effect for 2.5 Gsps data



Effect of fitted data sampling frequency

- Data used (run1):
 - Spline generated @ 40 Gsps
 - Data sampled at 5 different frequencies

• Further study needed by offline down sampling 40 Gsps data to remove systematic effects!!



Combined effects

- Data used (run1):
 - Data taken at various sampling rates fitted with spline generated at same sampling rates
- This is the real case scenario for templates generation/adjustment (for each channel) during run time !
- Further study needed by offline down sampling 40 Gsps data!!





[0] Template time slewing

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Time resolution vs charge

- Data used (run2):
 - Splines generated at 40 Gsps
 - Data sampled at 5 Gsps
 - 6 different laser amplitudes

Time resolution [ps] 50 χ^2 / ndf 7.588/4 Prob 0.1079 40 **p0** $\mathbf{2187} \pm \mathbf{34.03}$ **p1** 13.19 ± 0.1424 30 $\sigma_t = \frac{p_0}{O} \oplus p_1$ 20 10 0 100 200 300 500 600 400 Charge [pC] 600 pC = 1480 PE

Time resolution vs charge for 5 Gsps data

Template vs logn

- Results are consistent
- Template fit has slightly superior timing resolution
- Template fit is computationally less expensive (3 vs 5 parameters optimisation)



Data sampled at 1 Gsps

- Some runs were performed w/ 1 Gsps sampling
- For these runs, timing reconstruction is problematic
- The same procedure as before results in O(120 ps) resolution
- There are too few points (1 or 2) on the rising edge to correctly perform the waveform reconstruction
- Further investigation needed!!!



Conclusions

- A preliminary attempt at demonstrating a template fit procedure for Crilin timing was demonstrated with laser data
- Minor effects relative to the spline generation dataset sampling frequency were shown
- First characterisation of digitisation rate effect on timing resolution in the range 1 Gsps \rightarrow 40 Gsps
- Expectations with template fit procedures: from O(30 ps) @ 2.5 Gsps to O(15 ps) @ 40 Gsps for amplitudes @ ½ Crilin FEE dynamic range (IF we chose to digitise our signals)
- Sampling rates around 2 Gsps seems a good compromise for digitisation (at least 4 points required on the rising edge)

Caveats

- Laser data will need a comparison with actual particle hits
- Waveforms were really noisy due to the prototypal nature of the demonstrated FEE → better SNR and lower distortions in the final prototype will yield better results
- Trigger jitter was ignored

Improvements and next steps

- Check waveform deterioration after TNID irradiation
- The test spanned a signal range up to ~ 1500 PE \rightarrow conversion from charge to energy scale is due (w/ test beam @ LNF-BTF)
- Approx. 1000 PE / 1 GeV deposit are expected from last TB
- An overall 1/sqrt(2) improvement on timing resolution to be expected due to Crilin's dual crystal readout

BACKUP

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 - Spline generated @ 40 Gsps
 - Data sampled @ 40 Gsps
 - 6 laser amplitude increments



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Trigger

- Acquisition was triggered using Laser's trigger out
- All times were referred to to Laser's trigger out



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