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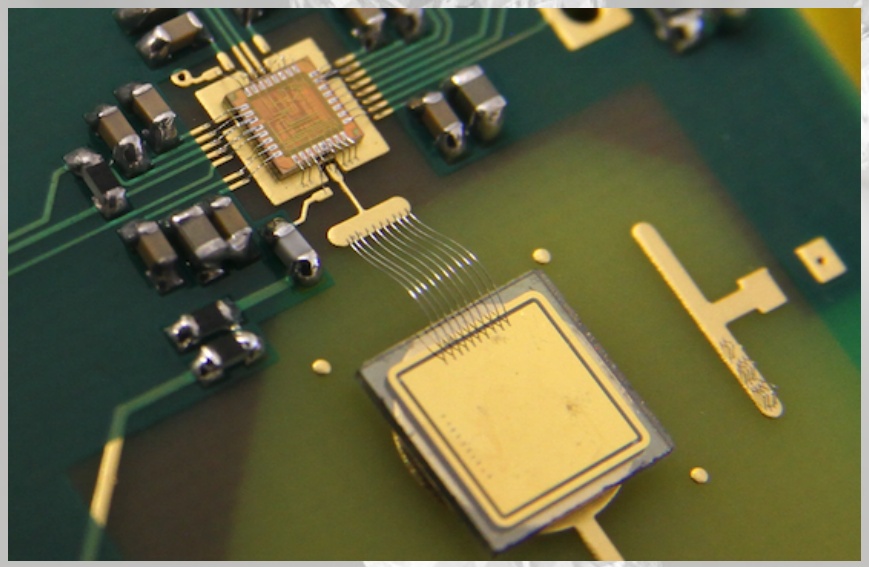

High Rate Tests of CVD Diamond Pad Detectors

RD42 Meeting

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Section 2

Website

Website

- finished analysis of all the pad data taken at PSI (Oct 2015 - Oct 2018)
- most of the following results on the website (https://diamond.ethz.ch/psi)

Section 3

Setup


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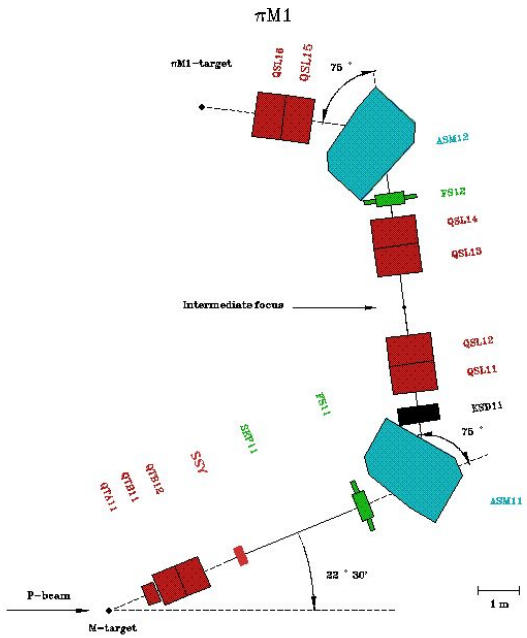
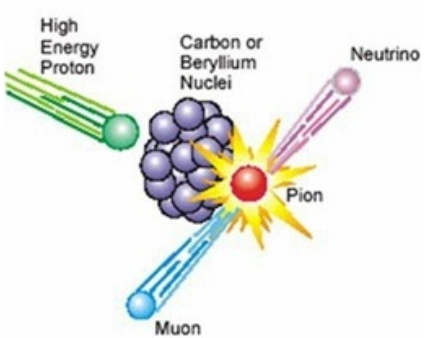
Test Site

- High Intensity Proton Accelerator (HIPA) at PSI (Cyclotron) $\rightarrow$ beam line PiM1
- clean positive pion beam ($>$90 % π^+) with momentum of 260 MeV/c
- **tunable particle fluxes from $\mathcal{O}\left(1\,\mathrm{kHz/cm^2}\right)$ to $\mathcal{O}\left(10\,\mathrm{MHz/cm^2}\right)$** with collimators
- **significant multiple scattering $\rightarrow$ worsens resolution**





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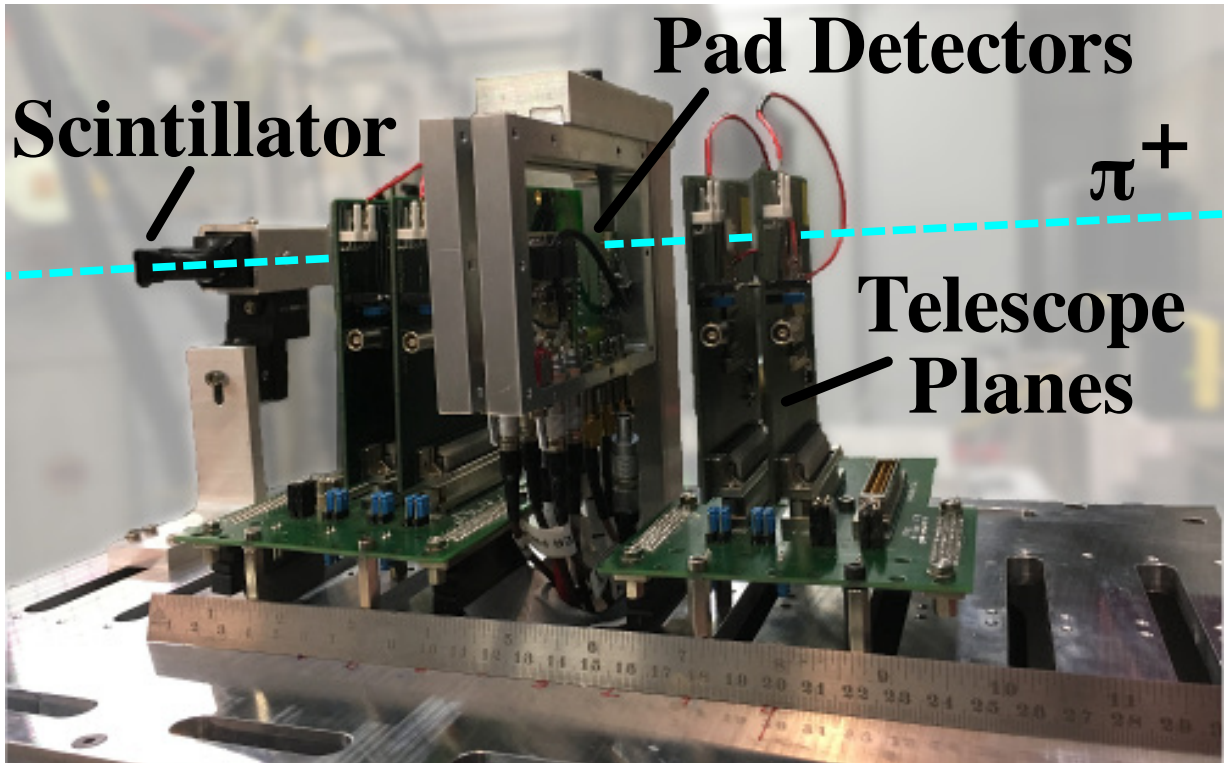

Figure: Modular Beam Telescope

- 4 tracking planes → trigger (fast-OR) with adjustable area (max 8 mm × 7.8 mm)
- diamond pad detectors in between tracking planes
- fast scintillator → precise trigger timing of $\mathcal{O}(1\,\text{ns})$

Setup Development

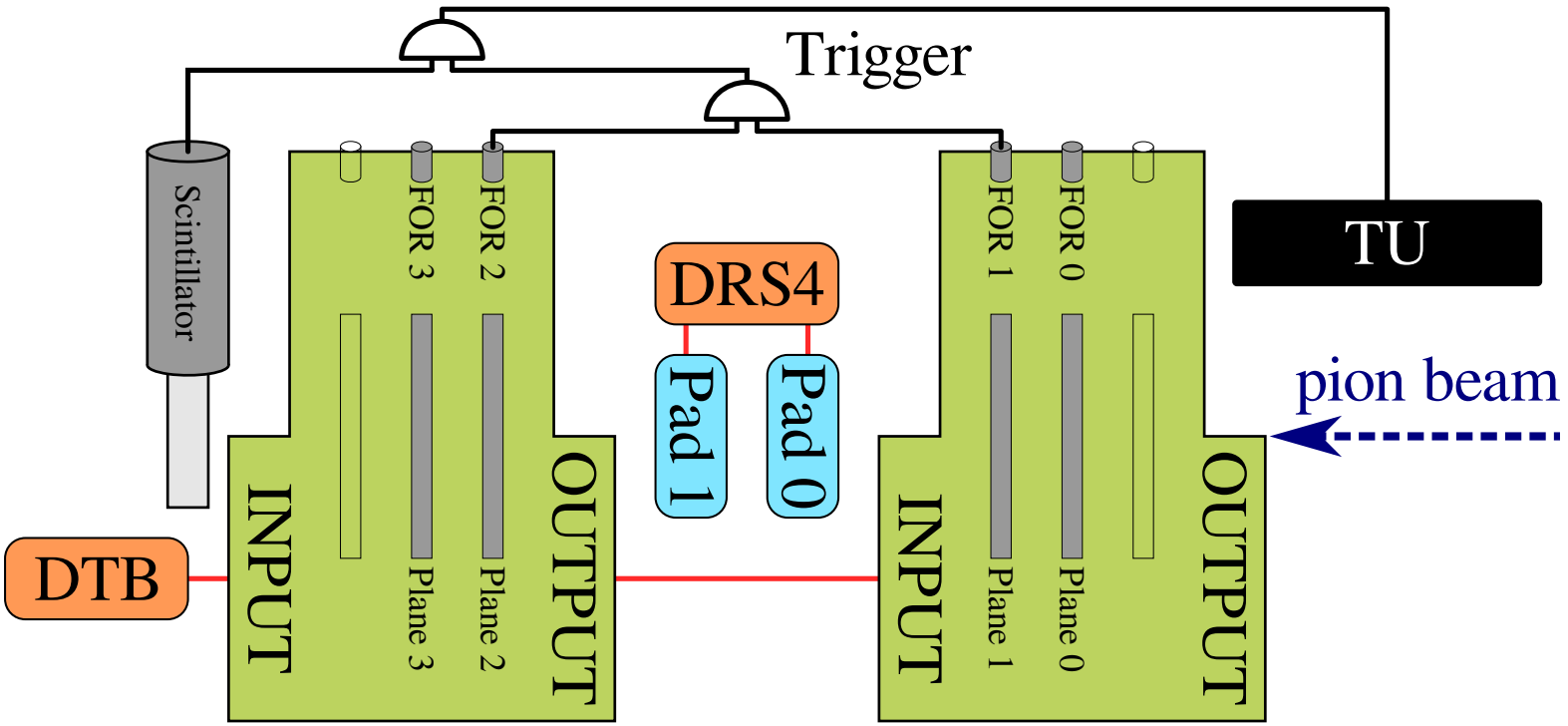

Figure: Current Setup (Aug16 - Oct18)

- scintillator $\rightarrow$ precise trigger timing of $\mathcal{O}(1\,\text{ns})$
- Trigger Unit (TU) $\rightarrow$ strongly simplifying setup
- global trigger $\rightarrow$ (Plane 1 AND Plane 2) AND Scintillator

Section 4

Measurements

Tested Detectors

Name	Nick	Producer	Type	T [µm]	$\mathbf{Irr_{max}}$	Comments
S129	S129	e6	scCVD	528	0	reference
IIa-3	IIa-3	IIa	scCVD	?	$5 \cdot 10^{13}$	
SiD1	SiD1	PSI	Si-Diode	300	0	calibration
SiD2	SiD2	IJS	Si-Diode	100	0	calibration
2A87-e	2A87-e	II-VI	pCVD	?	$5 \cdot 10^{13}$	
II6-78	poly-A	II-VI	pCVD	?	0	
II6-79	poly-B	II-VI	pCVD	?	0	fixed surface
II6-81	poly-D	II-VI	pCVD	?	$1 \cdot 10^{14}$	
II6-94	94	II-VI	pCVD	?	0	also as pixel
II6-95	95	II-VI	pCVD	?	$5 \cdot 10^{14}$	also as pixel
II6-96	96	II-VI	pCVD	?	0	
II6-97	97	II-VI	pCVD	510	$3.5 \cdot 10^{15}$	irradiation studies
II6-B2	B2	II-VI	pCVD	455	$8 \cdot 10^{15}$	irradiation studies
II6-E5	E5	II-VI	pCVD	520	0	bcm prime test
II6-H0	H0	II-VI	pCVD	515	0	bcm prime test
II6-H8	H8	II-VI	pCVD	505	0	bcm prime test

Table: Pad Detector Information.

2015 - 2016

Diamond	May15	Aug15	Oct15	Aug16	Oct16
S129	✓(0)	✓(0)	✓(0)	✓(0)	✓(0)
IIa-3	✗	✗	✓($5 \cdot 10^{13}$)	✗	✗
SiD1	✗	✗	✗	✓(0)	✓(0)
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II6-95	✓(0)	✗	✗	✓($5 \cdot 10^{14}$)	✗
II6-96	✓(0)	✗	✗	✗	✗
II6-97	✗	✓(0)	✓(0)	✓($5 \cdot 10^{14}$)	✓($1.5 \cdot 10^{15}$)
II6-B2	✗	✓(0)	✓($5 \cdot 10^{14}$)	✓($1 \cdot 10^{15}$)	✓($2 \cdot 10^{15}$)
II6-E5	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
II6-H0	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗
II6-H8	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗

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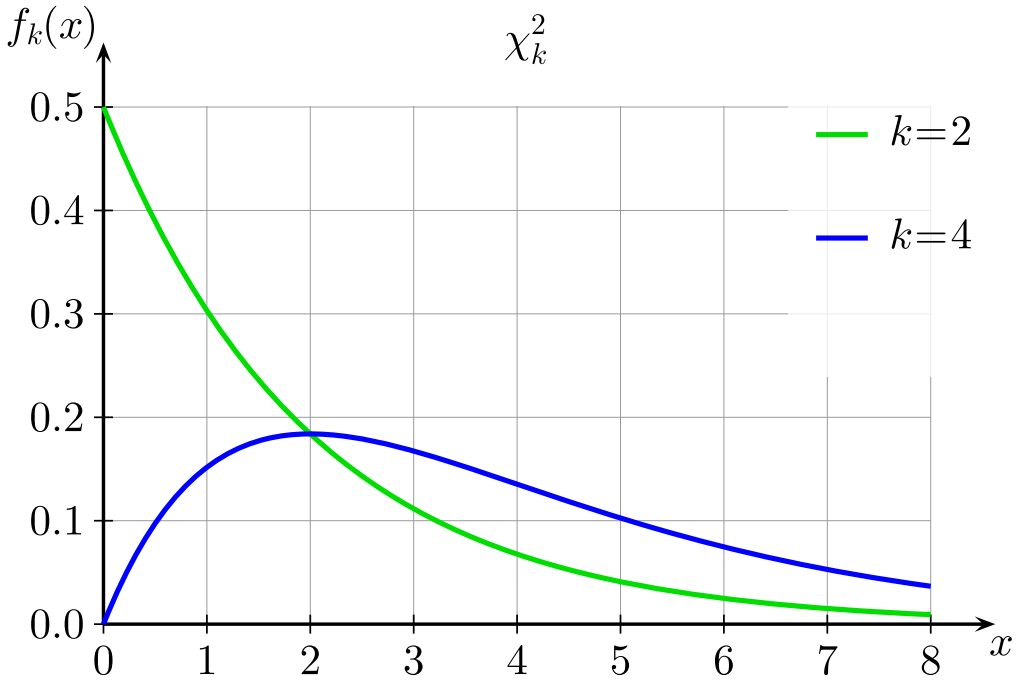
Section 5

Analysis

Theoretical Distribution

Chi-squared distribution:

$$\frac{1}{2^{k/2}\Gamma\left(k/2\right)} x^{k/2-1} e^{-x/2}$$



- k = degrees of freedom
- special case of Gamma-Distribution
- theoretical distribution of the χ^2 from the track fits fully known

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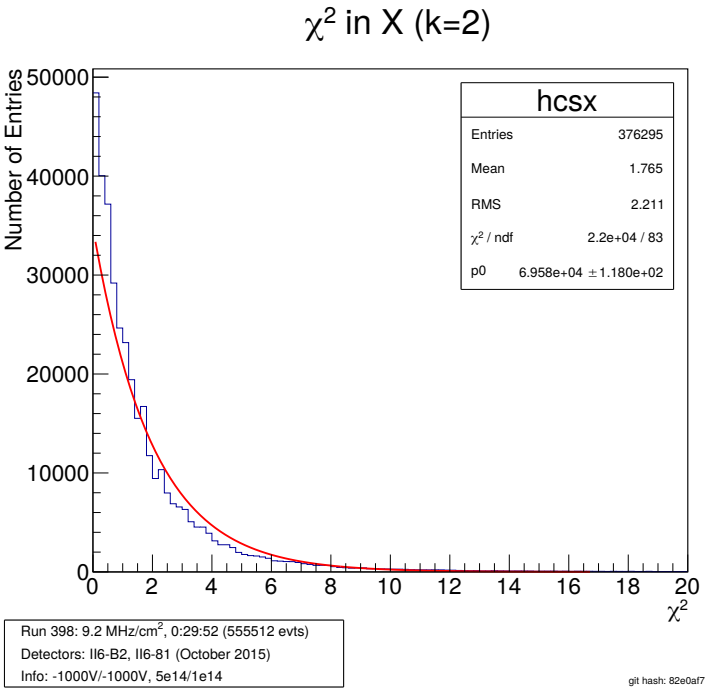

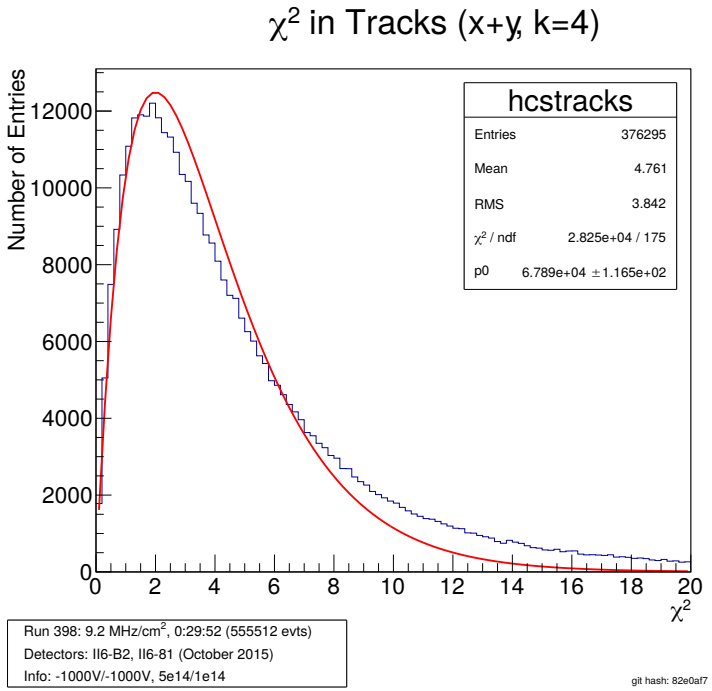

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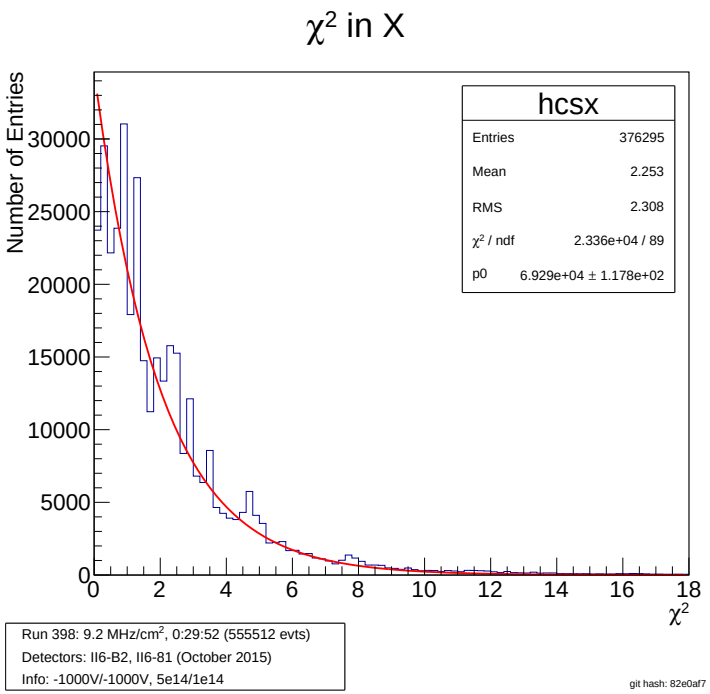

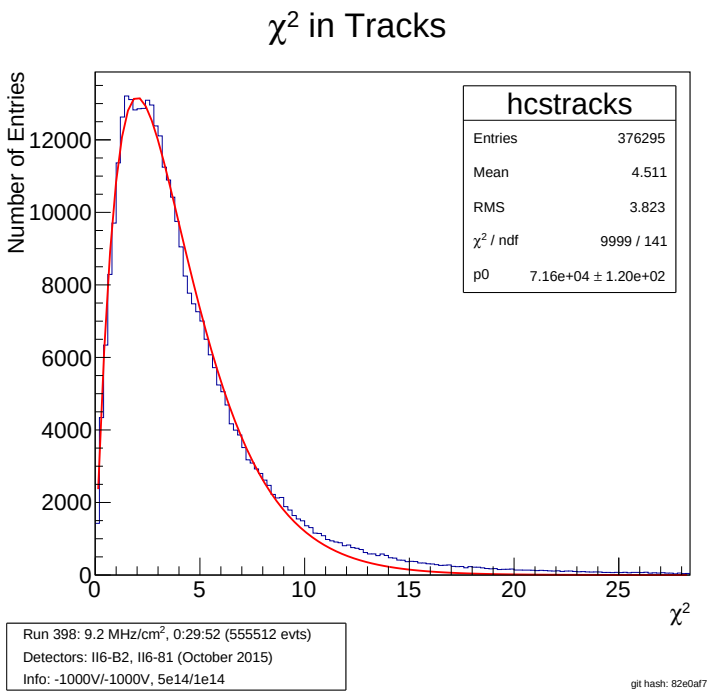

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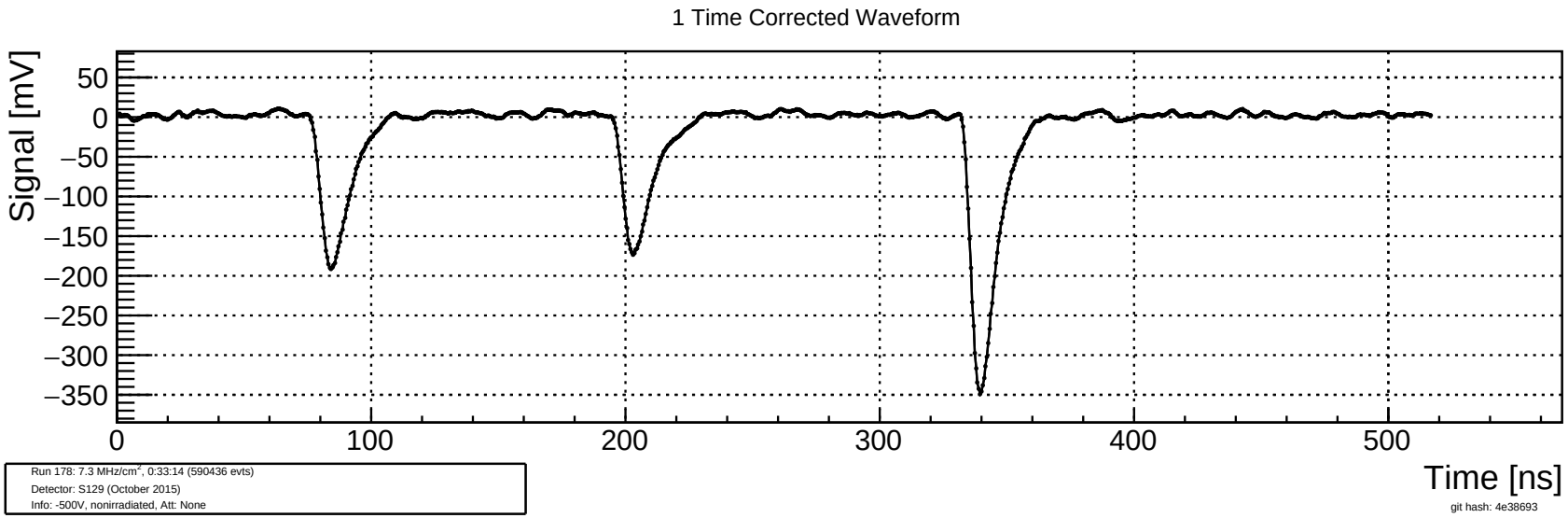

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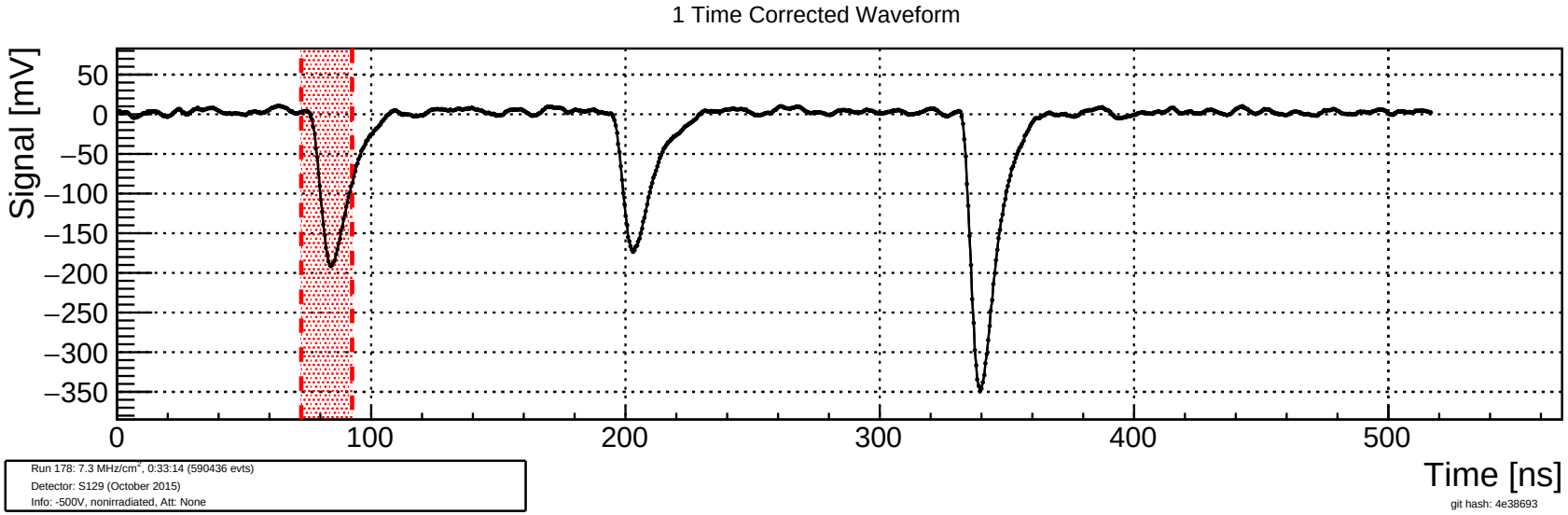

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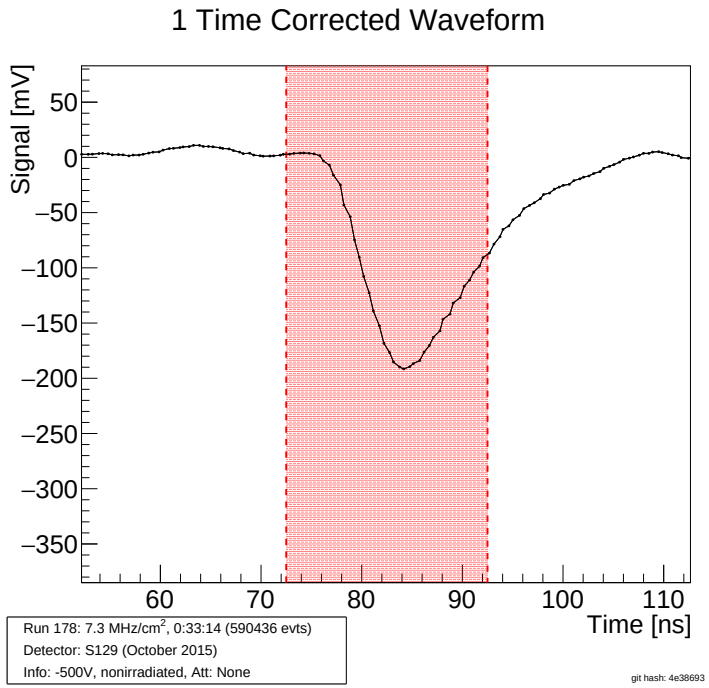

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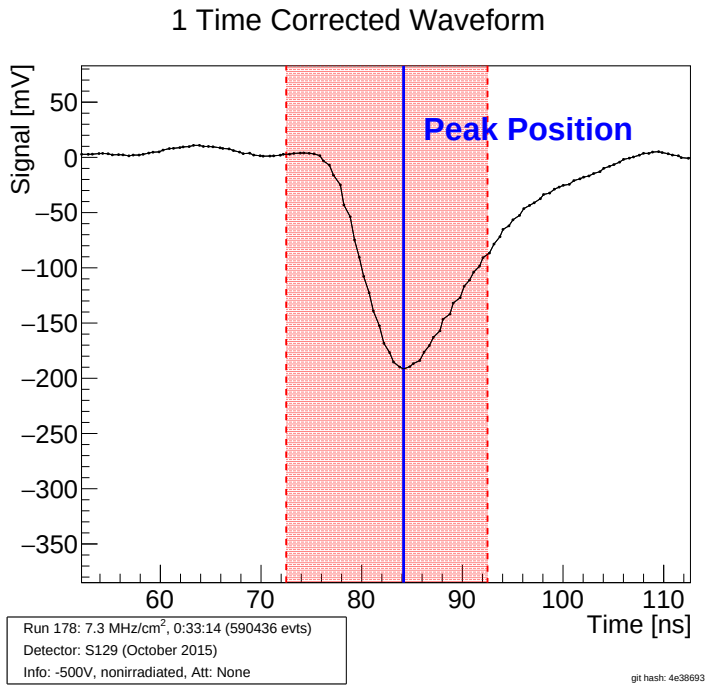

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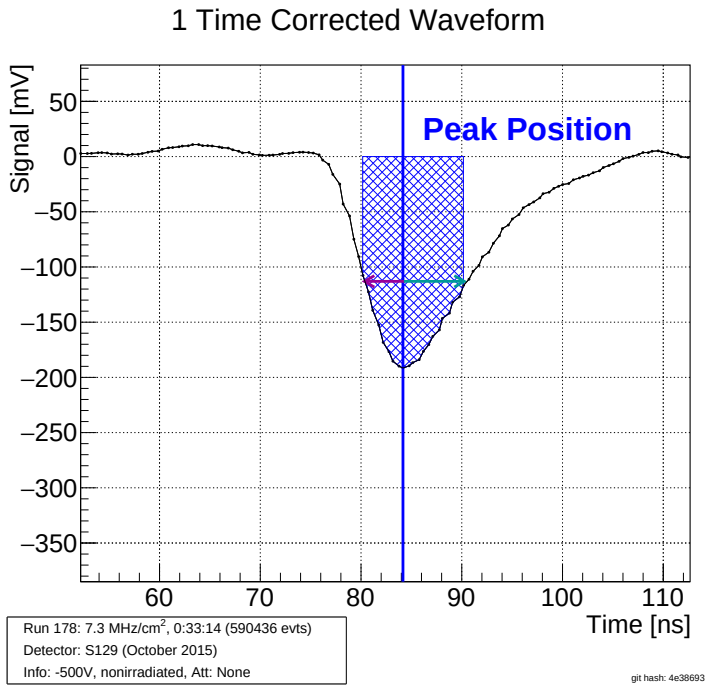

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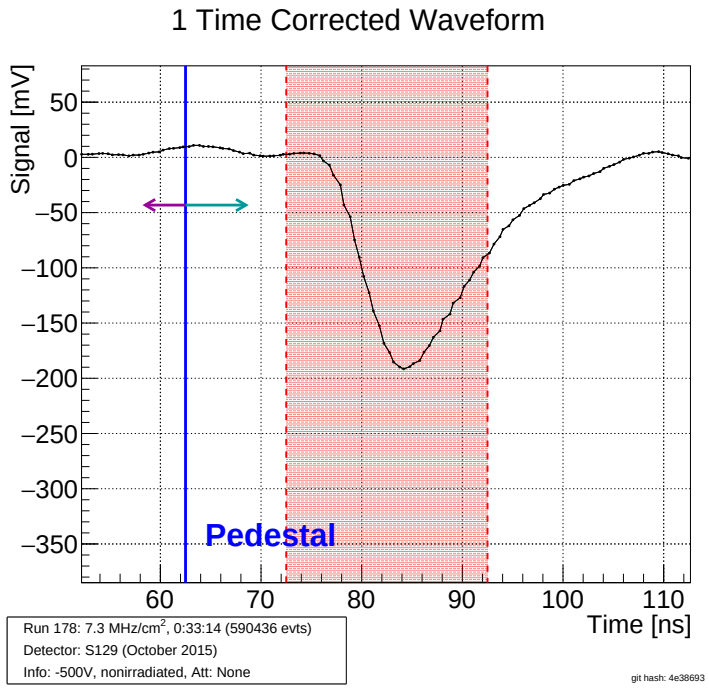

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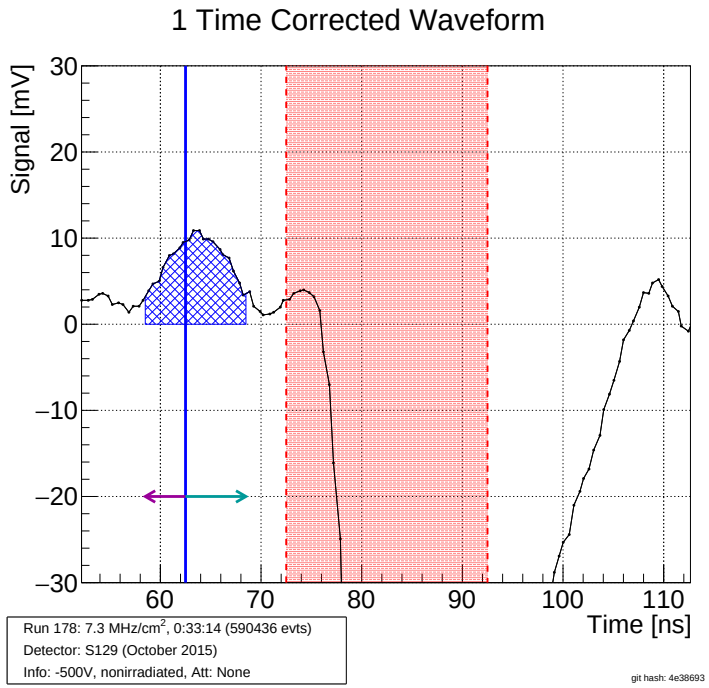

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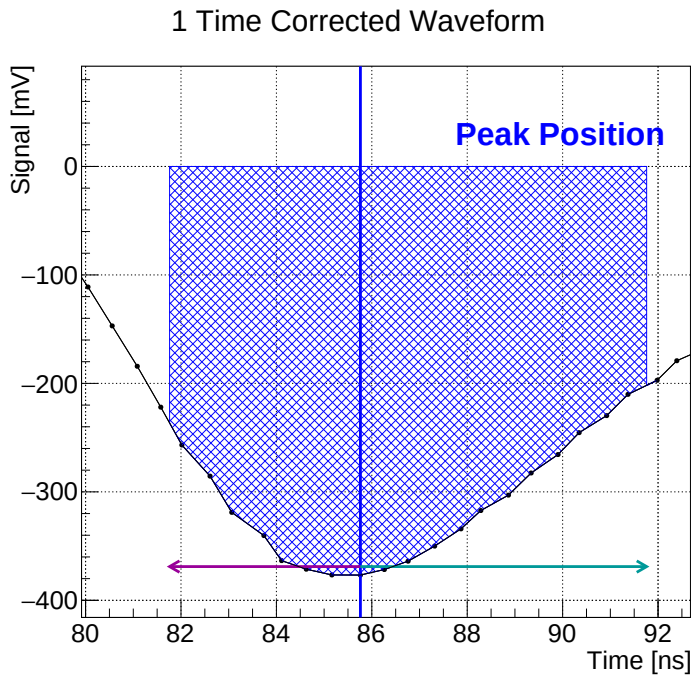


- integration performed on time corrected waveform
- single bin integral: (w) times the mean of the two values: $w \cdot (v1 + v2)/2$
- sum up the single integrals + interpolated edges to get the exact integration width
- normalise by the width of the integral

Cuts

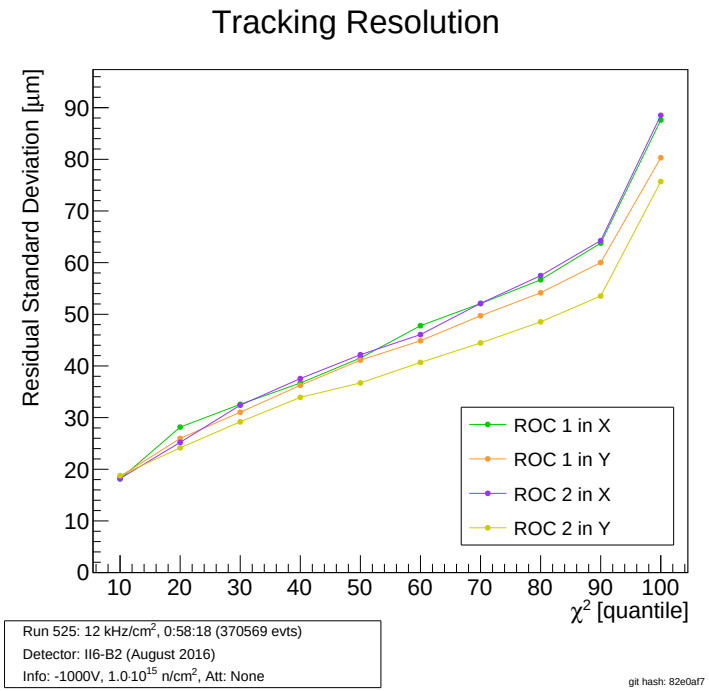
Cut	Excluded Events
saturated	saturated waveforms
pulser	pulser (reference) events
event range	first minute of the run due to various beam conditions
beam interruptions	during rate changes of the beam due to beam interruption
pedestal sigma	baseline offsets, strange waveforms
timing	wrong timing of the peak of triggered signal
bucket	flat waveforms due to wrong trigger
aligned	Waveforms and Telescope are not aligned (event-wise)
tracks	not all telescope planes have exactly one cluster
chi2 (x/y)	badly fit tracks ($>$50 % quantile)
track slope (x/y)	large angles of the tracks ($>$2 deg)
fiducial	not in selected (fiducial) area of the DUT

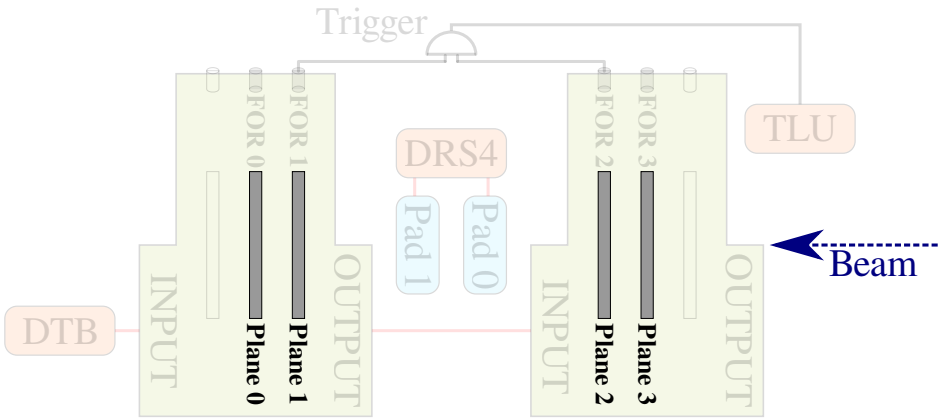
Table: Analysis cut flow.

Section 6

Results

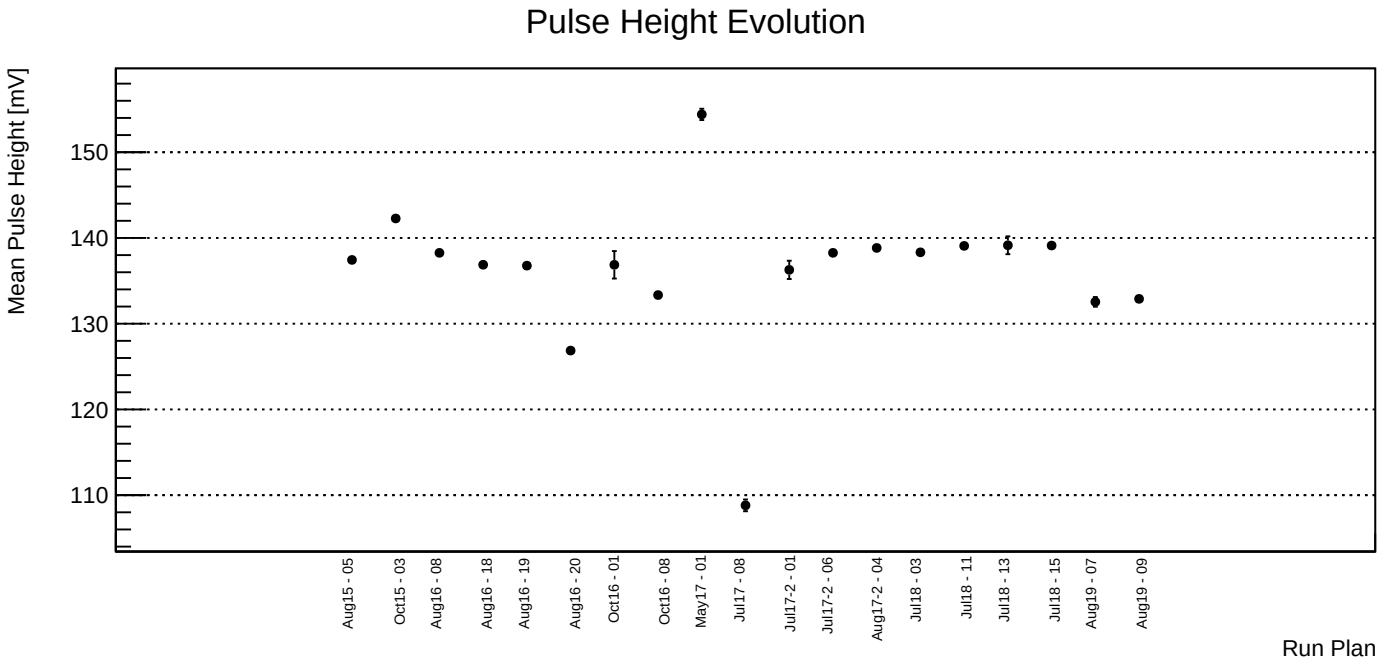
Tracking Resolution





- ROC = Plane
- resolution = width of the residual distribution at the plane under test
- can achieve ∼20 µm resolution at very low χ^2
- resolution at the front slightly better than in the back
  - less multiple scattering

S129 - Mean Pulse Heights



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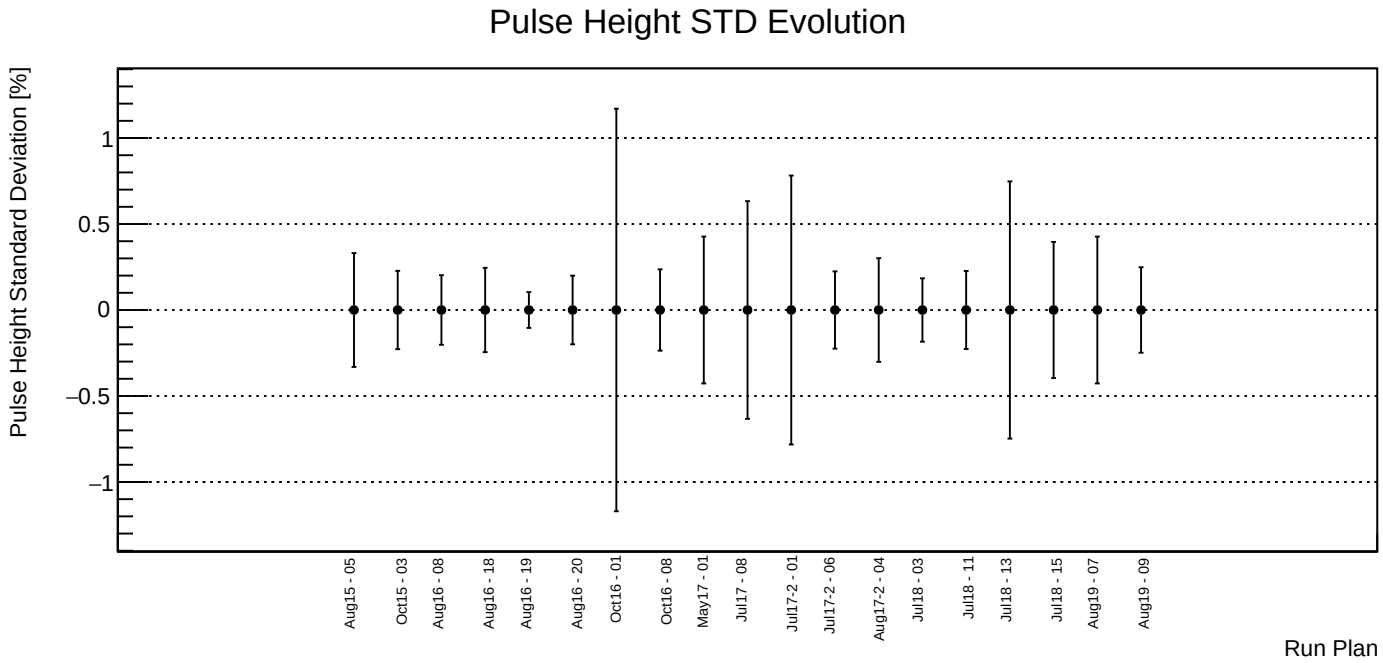

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- standard deviation in general below 0.5 % of the mean pulse height

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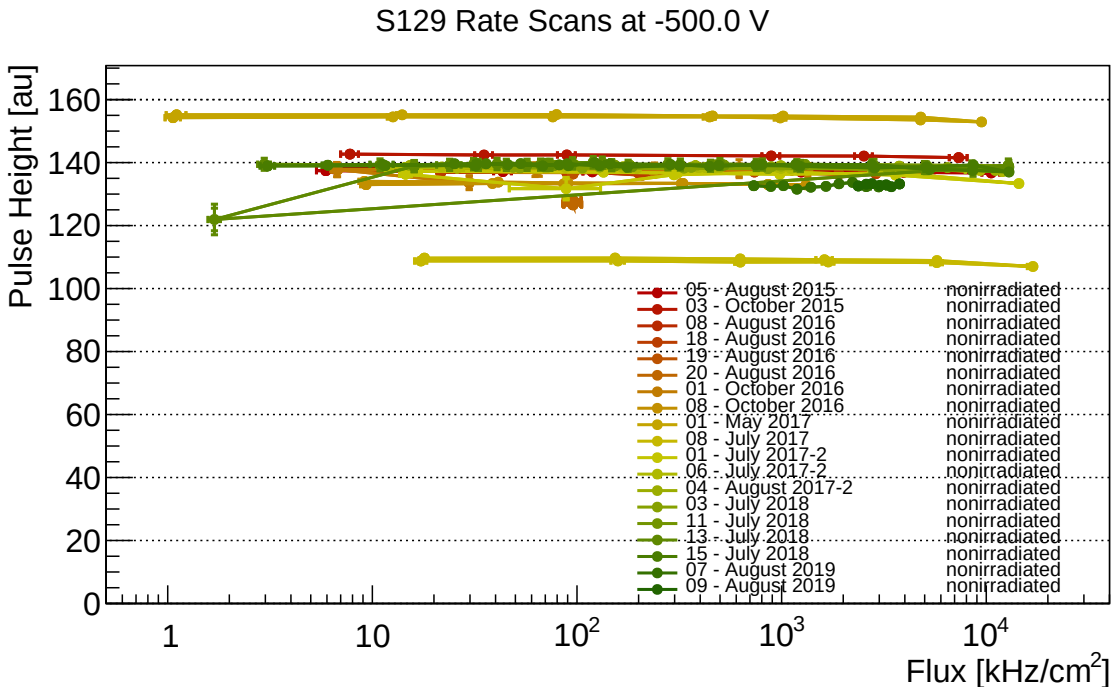
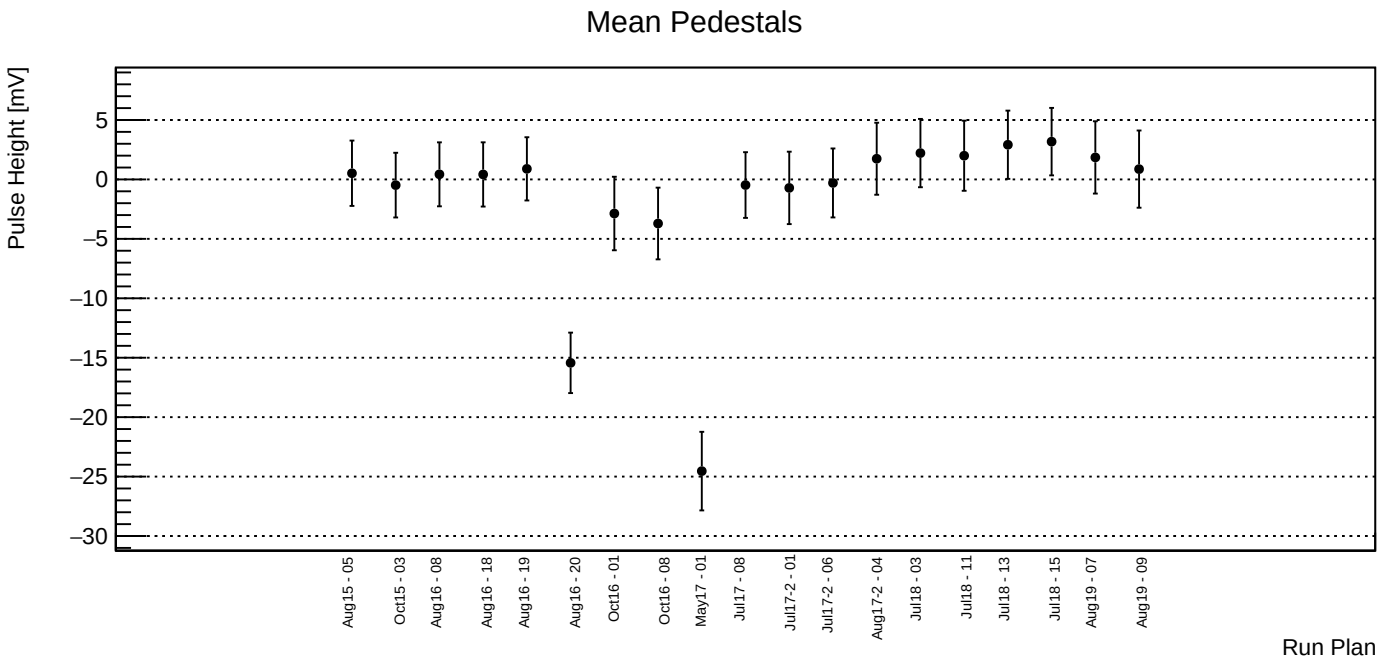


- all rate scans almost show no dependence on rate
- **BUT:** the highest rate point is consistently lower by 1 %

S129 - Mean Pedestals



- every point the mean pedestal whole rate scan
- if pedestal is not around zero → indicator for no voltage calibration in the DRS4 (digitiser)
- runs without voltage calibration match the runs with inconsistent pulse height
- except for scan 7 in Jul17 → does not mean that voltage calibration was correct

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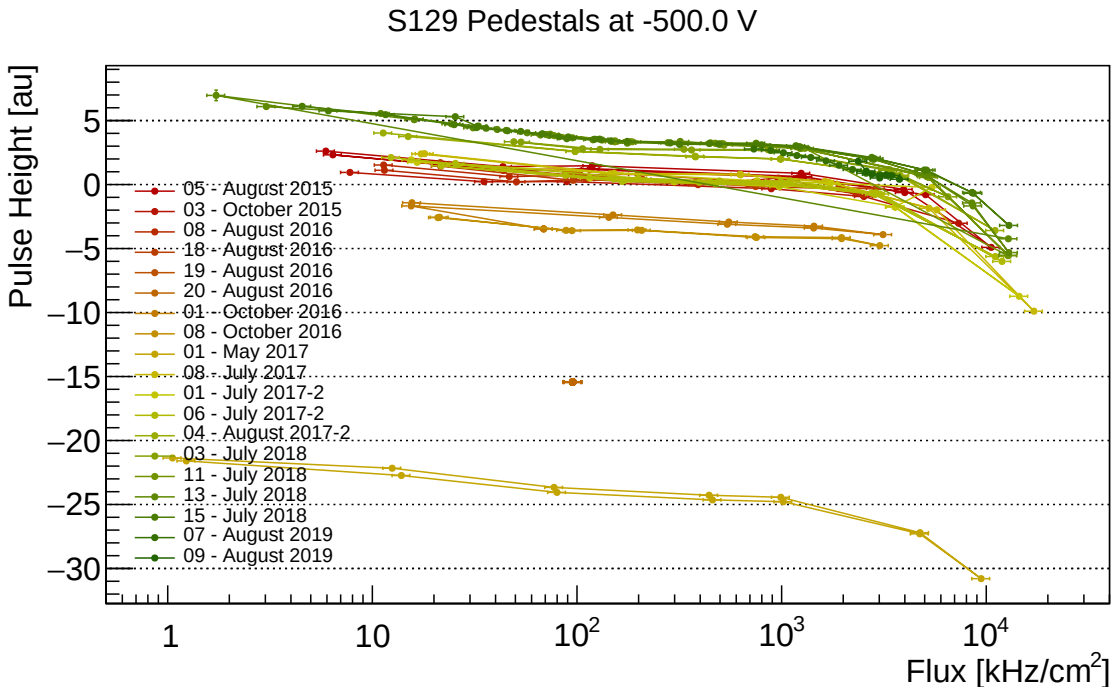

- very consistent behaviour for all scans

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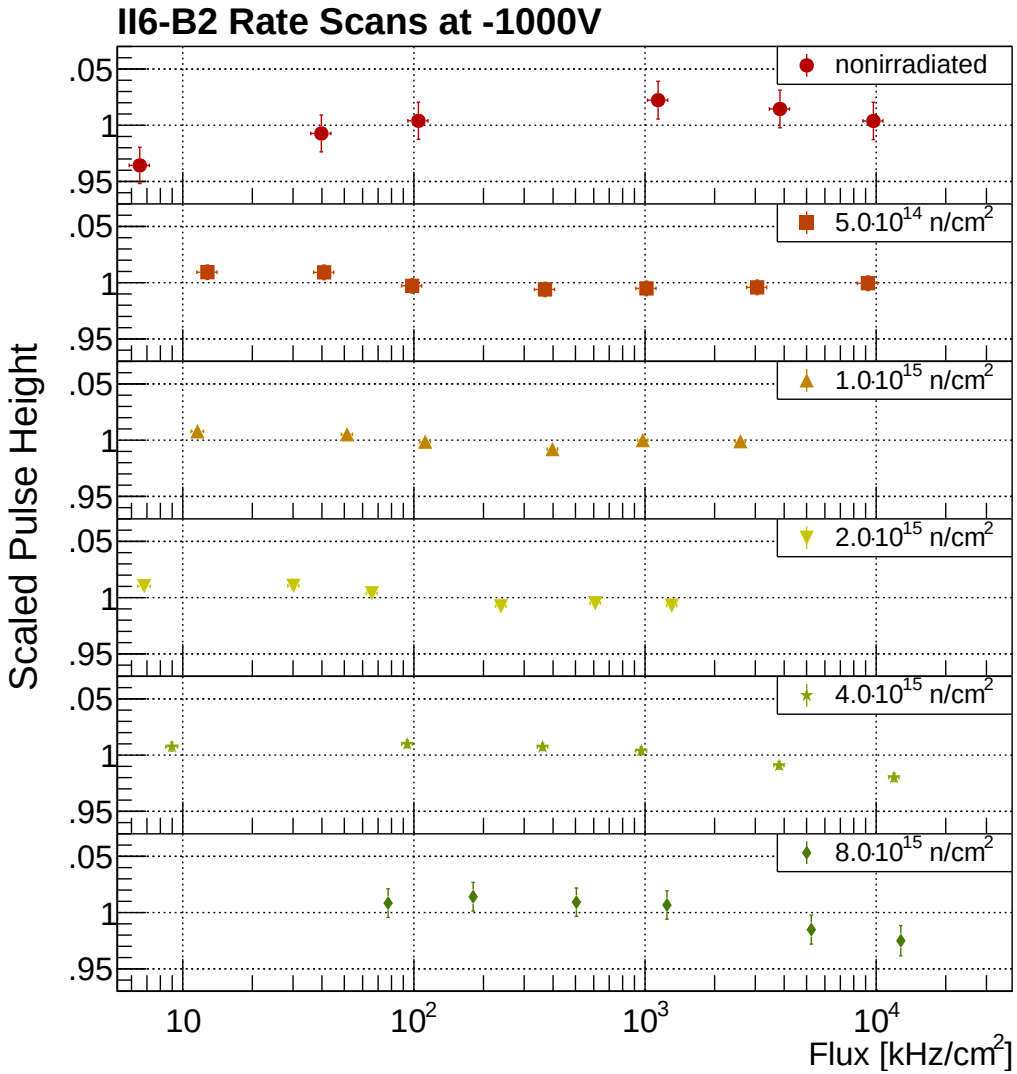

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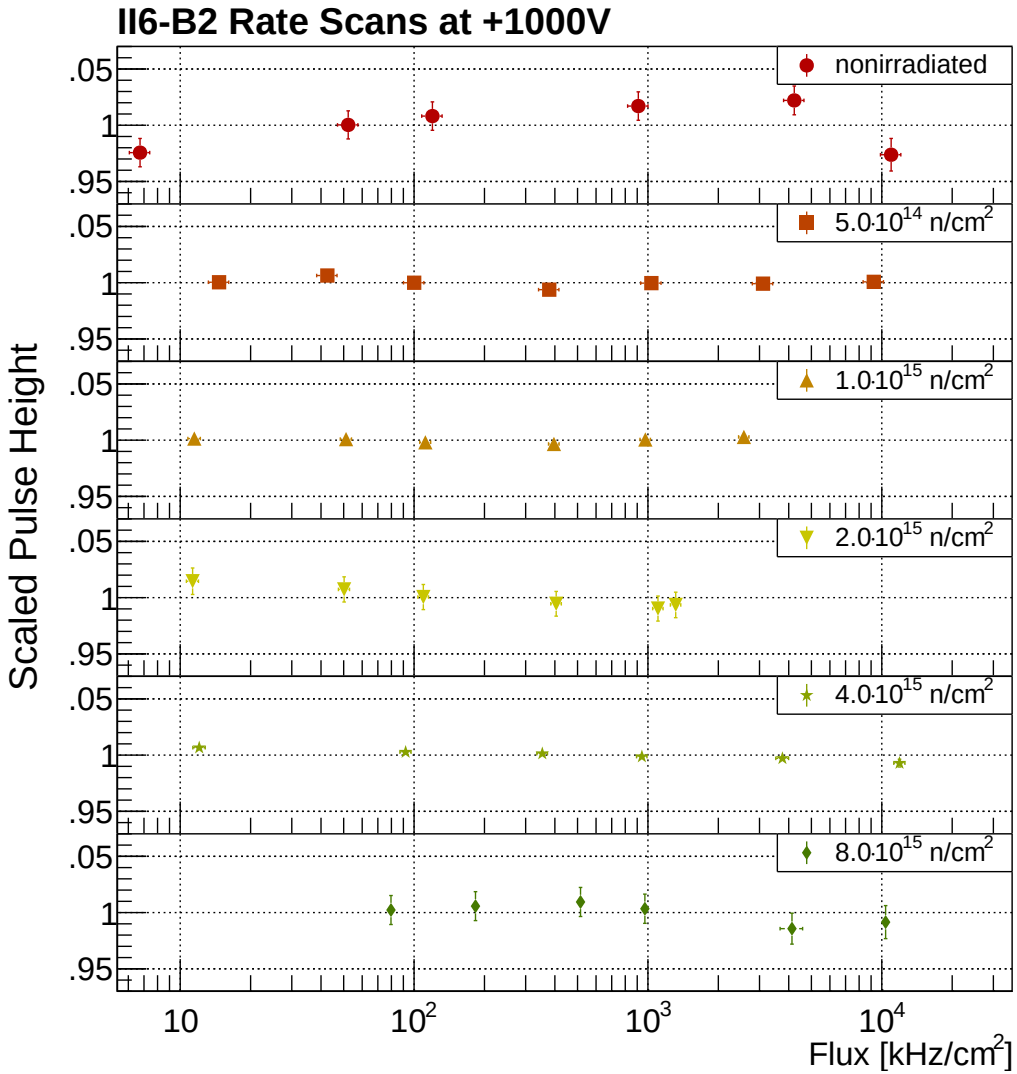
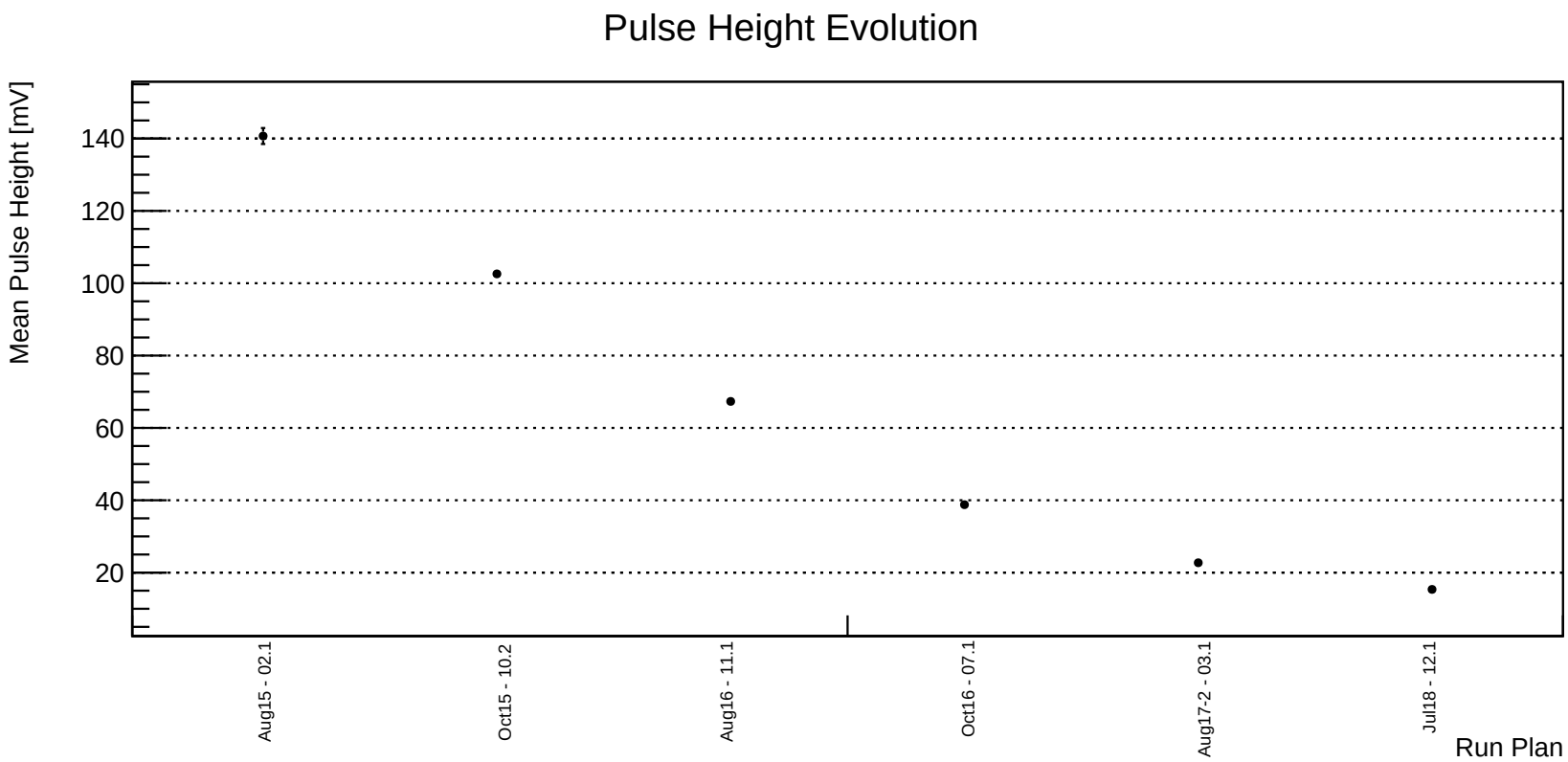


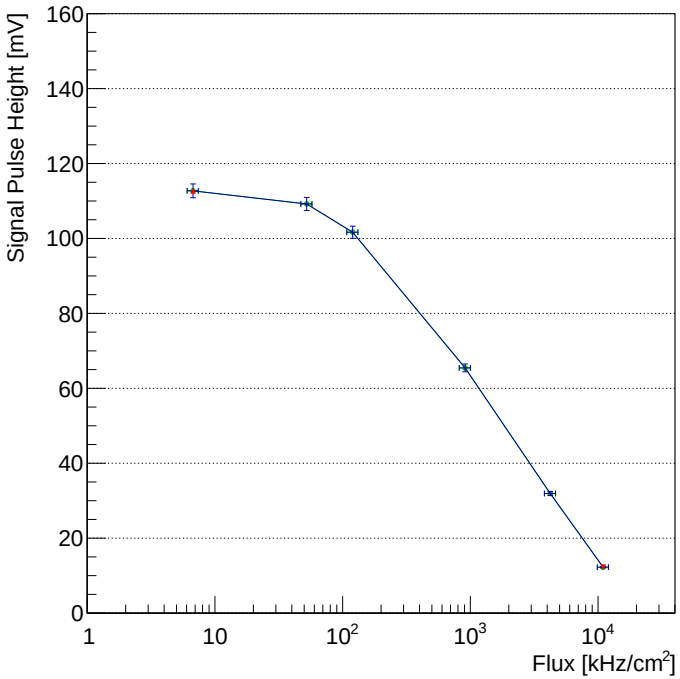
B2 Pulse Height Evolution



$$0 \rightarrow 5 \cdot 10^{14} \rightarrow 1 \cdot 10^{15} \rightarrow 2 \cdot 10^{15} \rightarrow 4 \cdot 10^{15} \rightarrow 8 \cdot 10^{15}\,\mathrm{n/cm^2}$$

- absolute pulse height decreases exponentially
- SNR at highest irradiation only 2/1 $\rightarrow$ prevents next step with this amplifier $\rightarrow$ use new OSU amp?

Fix Rate Dependence



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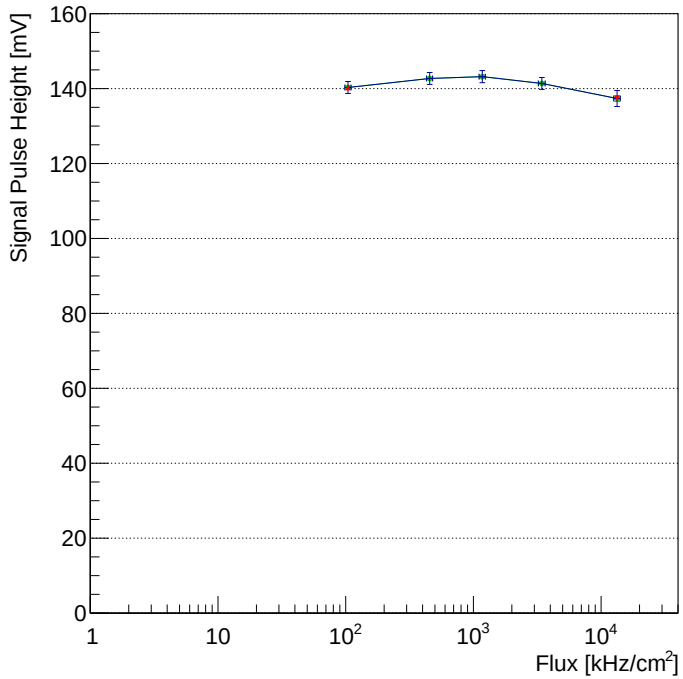

(b) After reprocessing

- less than 20 % of the tested diamonds show rate dependence >10 %
- very large rate dependence at the first measurement (>90 %)
- after reprocessing and surface cleaning with RIE very stable behaviour (∼2 %)
- feasible to “fix” bad diamonds

Section 7

Conclusion

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- all the data we took with the digital ETH Telescope at PSI was analysed
  - needs to be fully checked
- most important results are available on the website
- improved and sped up alignment procedure
- iteratively adjust errors of the individual planes to fix χ^2-distribution
- improved integration procedure of the waveforms
- scCVD diamond is stable over the year
  - mean pulse height of the rate scans stays constant
  - standard deviation of the rate scans in general $<0.5\,\%$
- irradiated pCVD diamond does not show dependence on rate to $\mathcal{O}\,(2\,\%)$ up to $20\,\mathrm{MHz/cm^2}$
- possible to fix diamonds that show rate dependence due to surface issues

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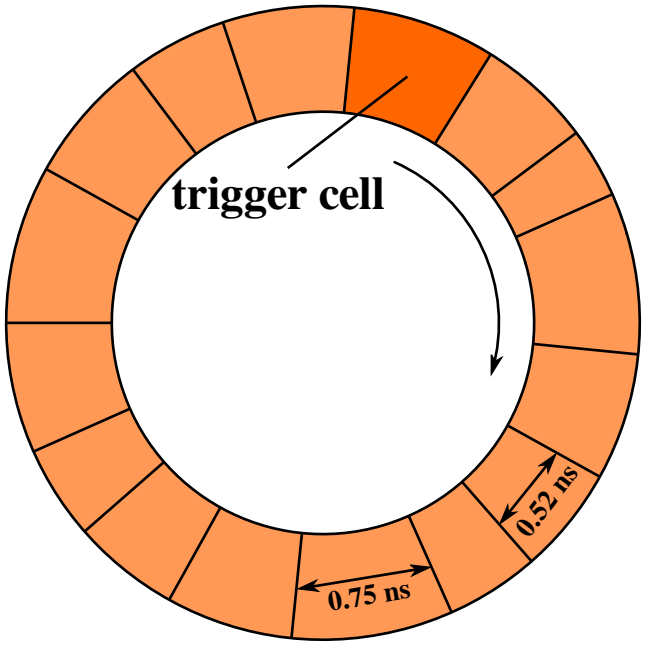
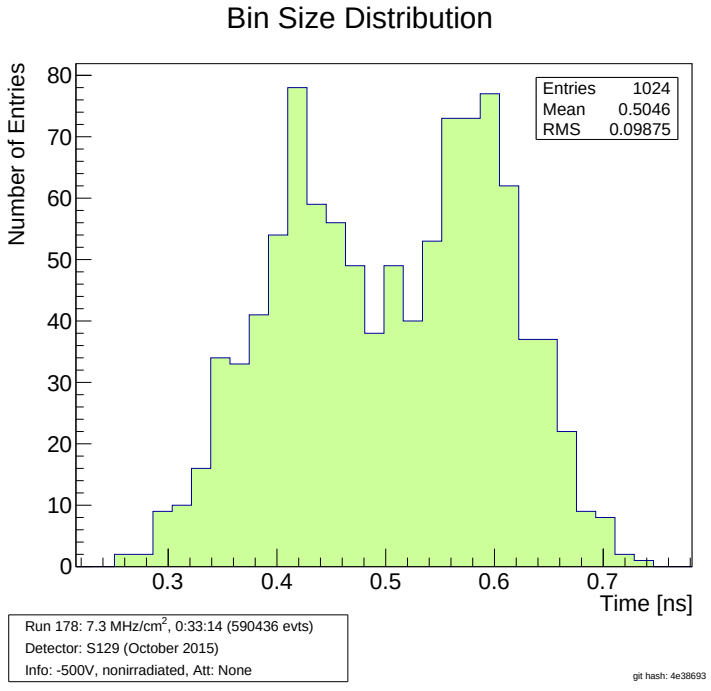
Section 8

Backup

Ringbuffer



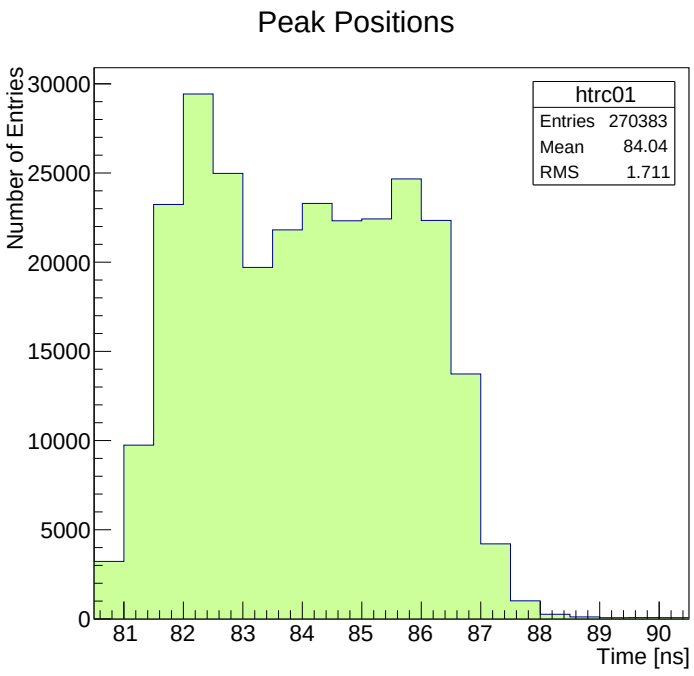
(a) Ringbuffer



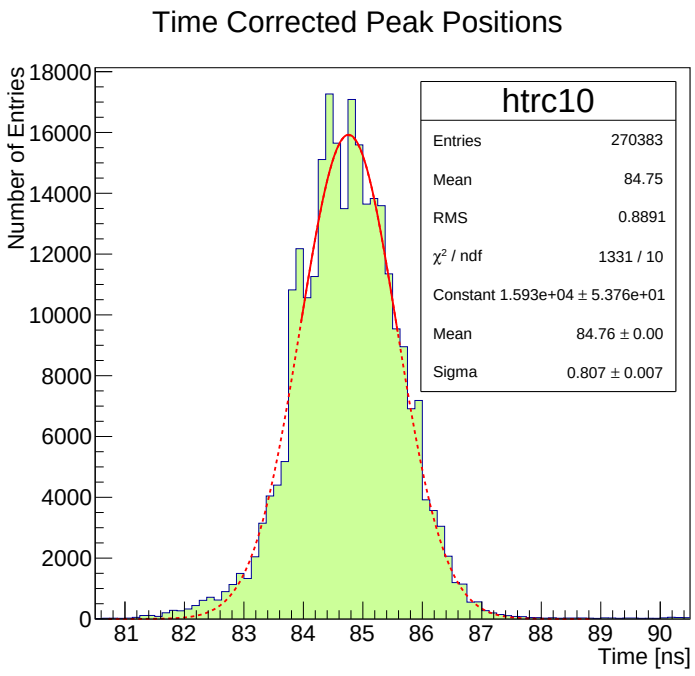
(b) Length of memory cells.

- analogue signals of the diamonds constantly digitised and saved in ringbuffer
- overwrite old data once again at first cell
- once triggered data is saved starting from the current cell $\rightarrow$ trigger cell
- measure the length the of memory cells of the DRS4 (before every beam test)
- record trigger cell for every event

Peak Position



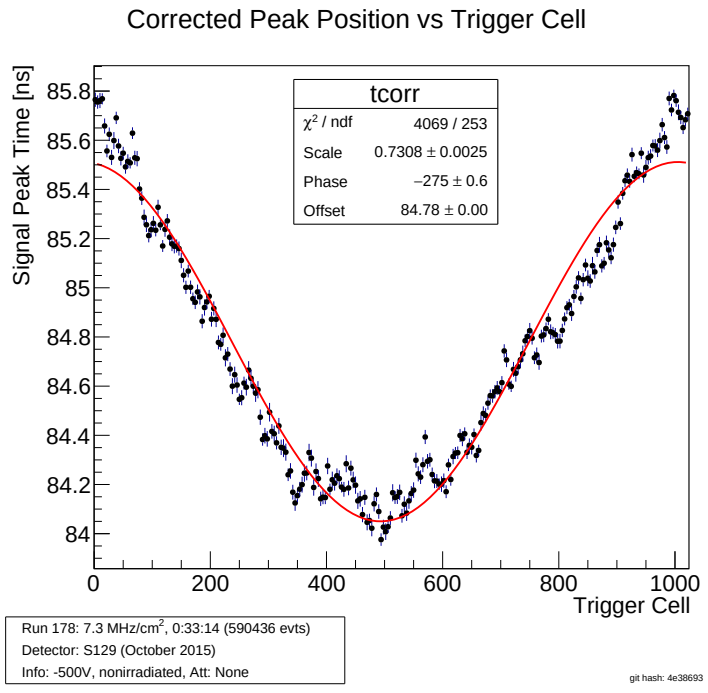
(a) no correction



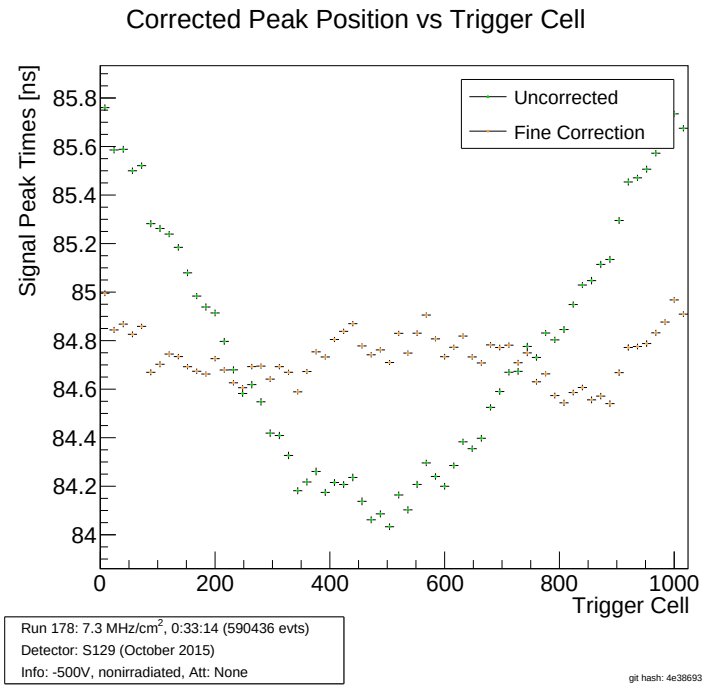
(b) with correction

- timing of the signals should be fixed and determined by the scintillator
- non-corrected peak time distribution resembles cell size distribution
- correcting for the different cell sizes $\rightarrow$ strong improvement in timing

Fine Correction



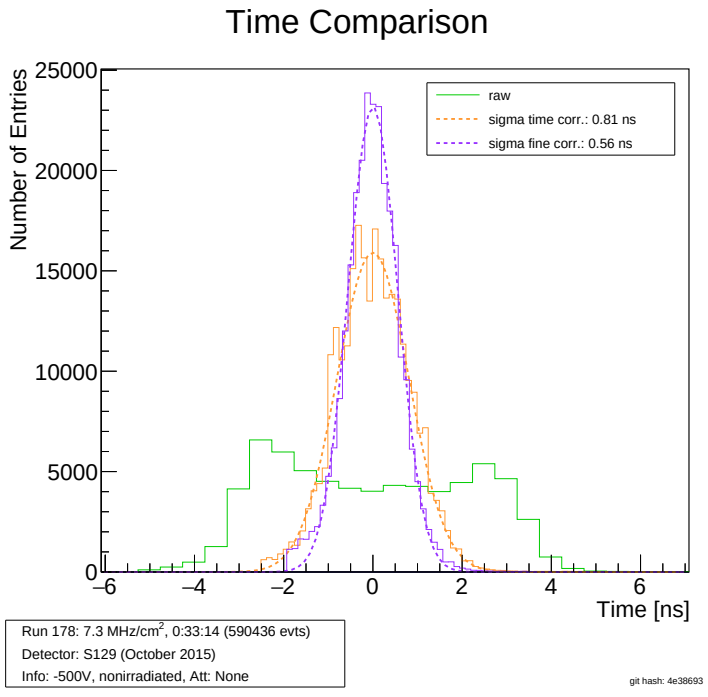
(a) Dependence on trigger cell.



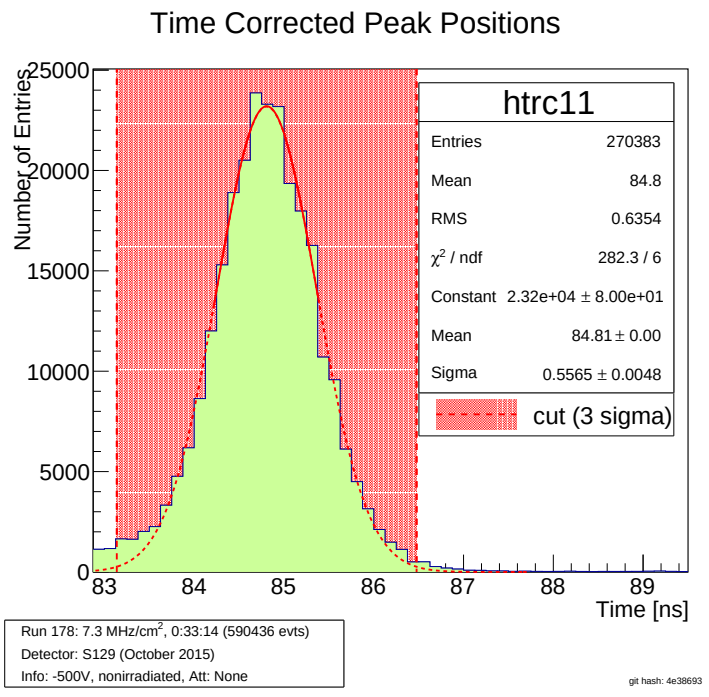
(b) fine correction

- after drs4 time correction $\rightarrow$ still timing depends periodically on the trigger cell (why?)
- fit with periodic function with known period

Timing Correction + Cut



(a) All corrections



(b) Timing cut

- achieve $\sim$500 ps timing resolution
- exclude signals outside $3\,\sigma$) of this distribution
  - wrong timing means something went wrong in the data-taking or the waveform is bad

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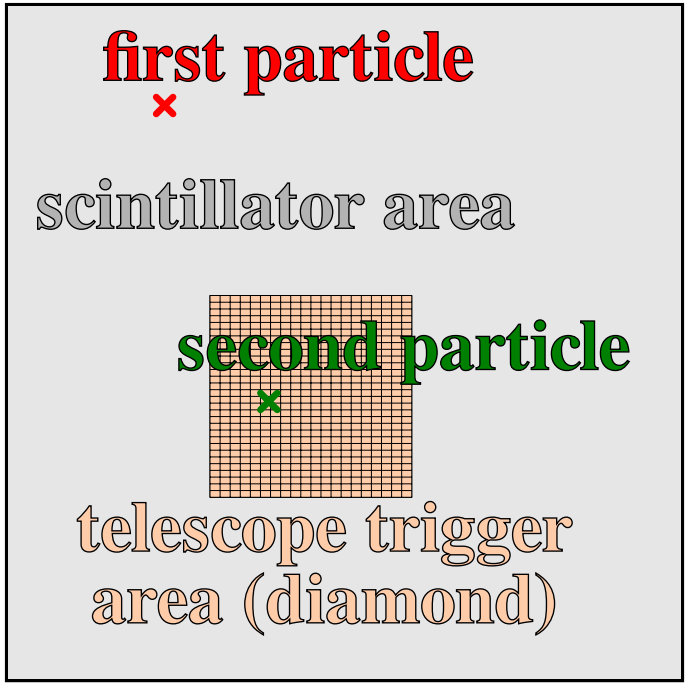

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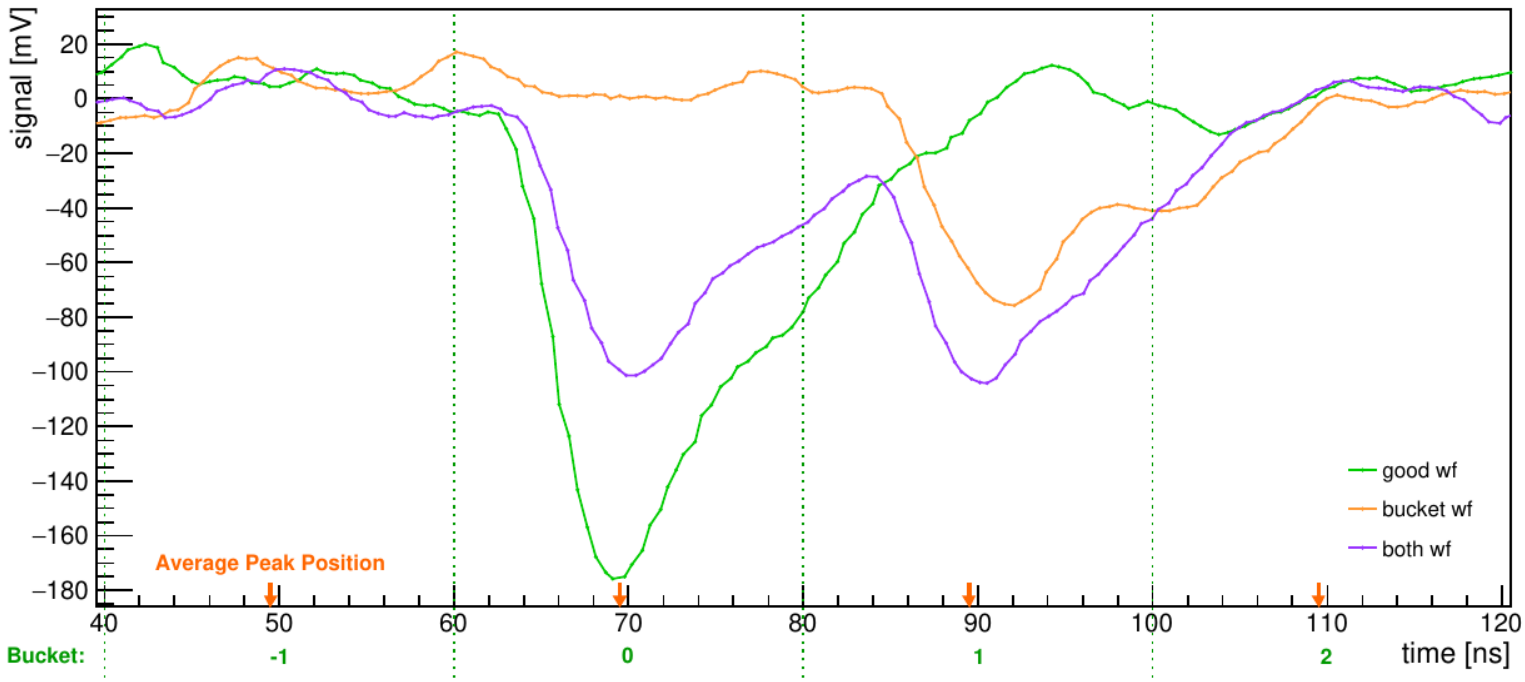

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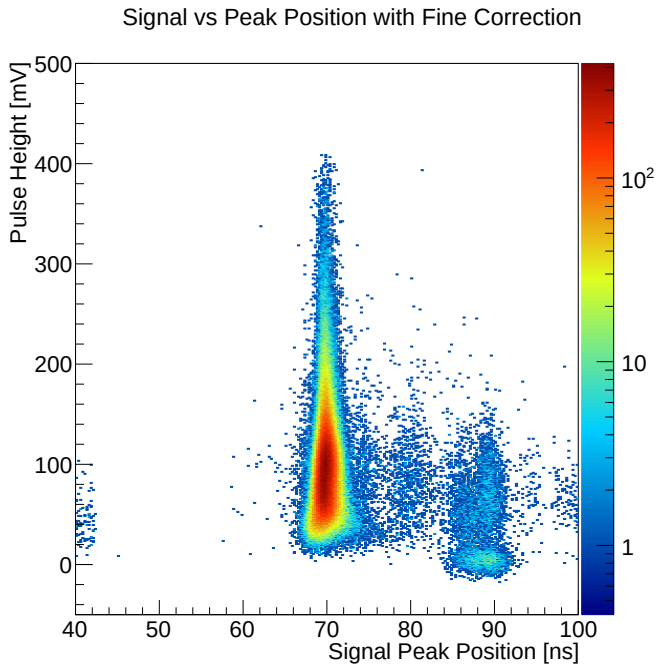

- flat lines only when the highest peak is in the bunch after the trigger

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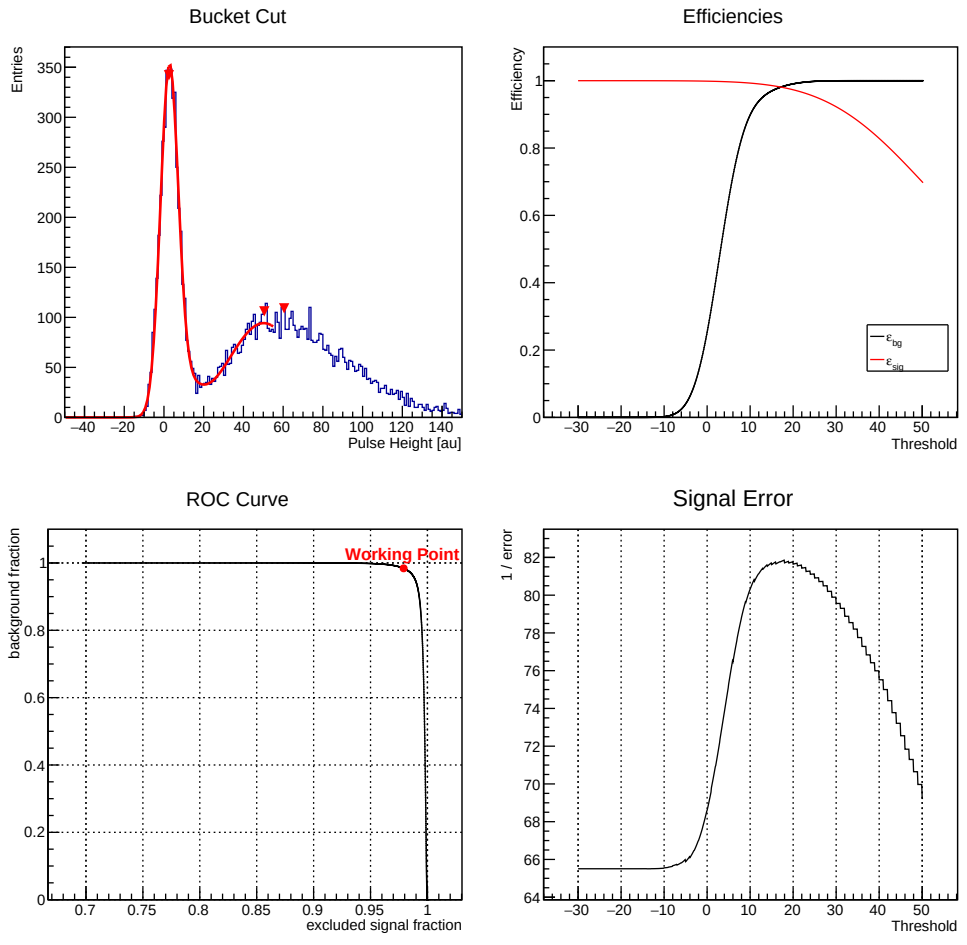
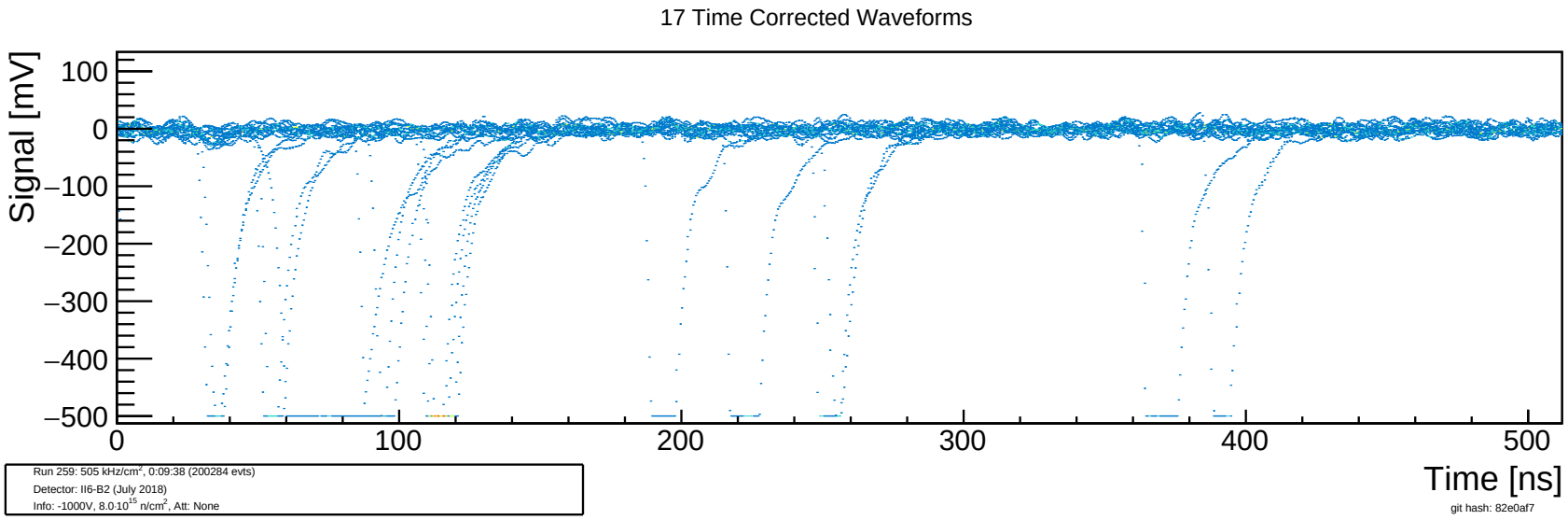


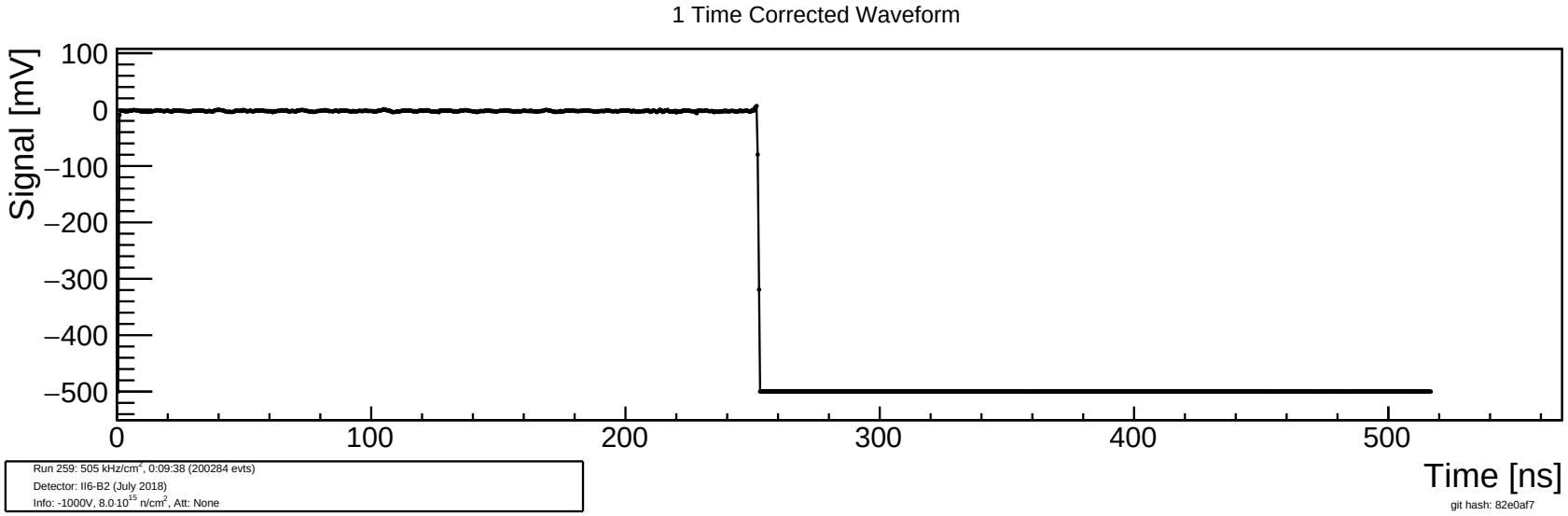
- fit signal distribution when signal in the bunch after the trigger is higher
- signal and background well separated
- shift threshold and minimise the error on the signal

Saturated



- DRS4 signal range: [-500, +500] mV
- exclude saturated waveforms → full pulse height information lost
- main source should be protons
- 17/200000 events in example above

Pulser



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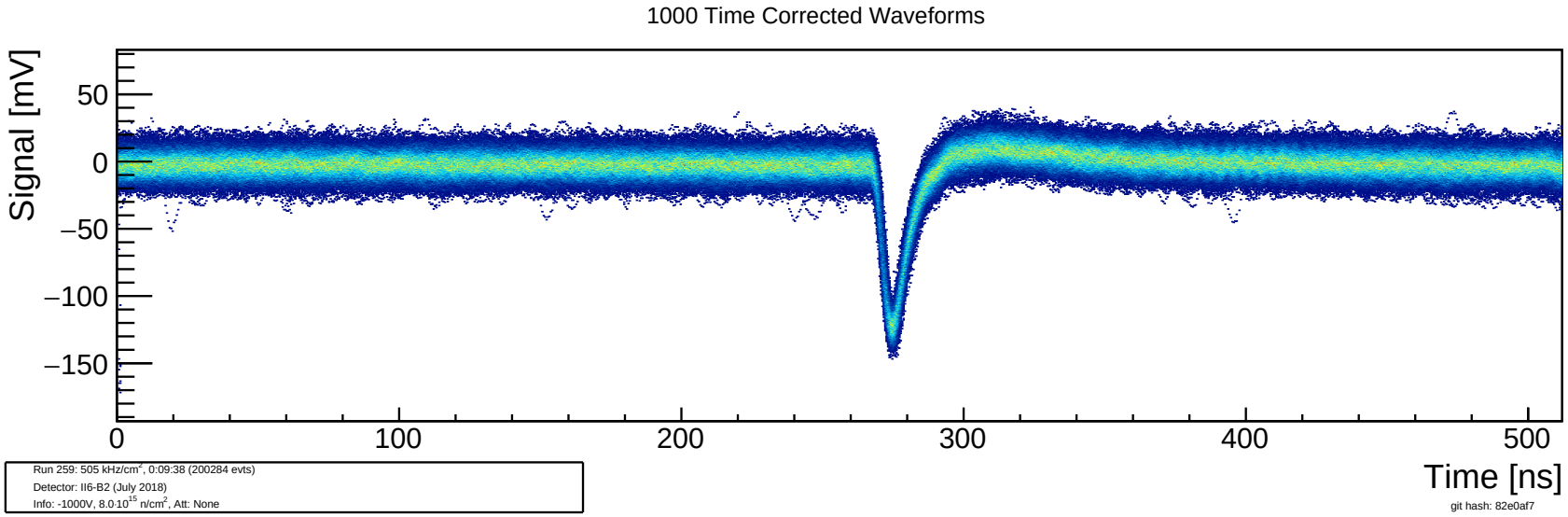

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- exclude these event since they don't have a diamond signal
- use for pulser analysis to compare to diamond signal

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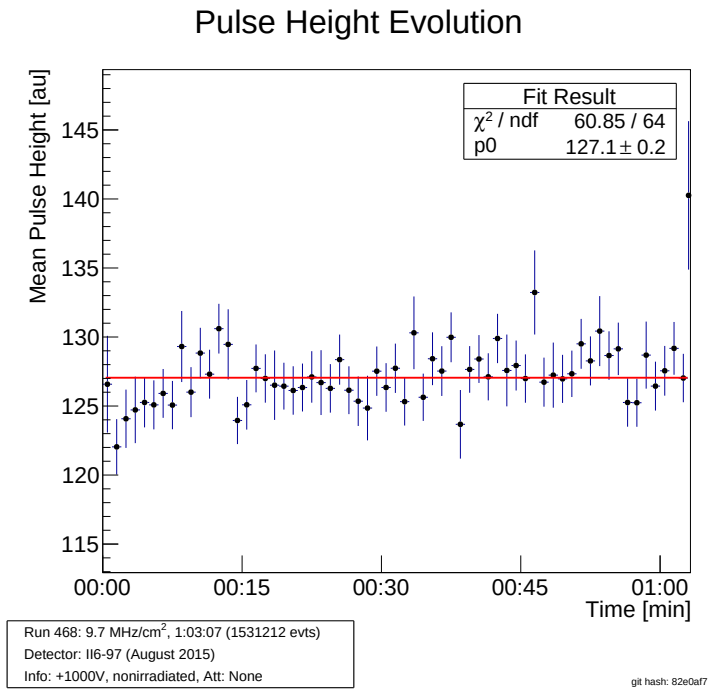

- until October 2015 $\rightarrow$ beam shutter opened after run was started
  - unstable conditions
  - exclude first five minutes of the run
- past October 2015 exclude first minute as safety margin
  - sometimes small adjustments made (e.g. collimator changed too late)

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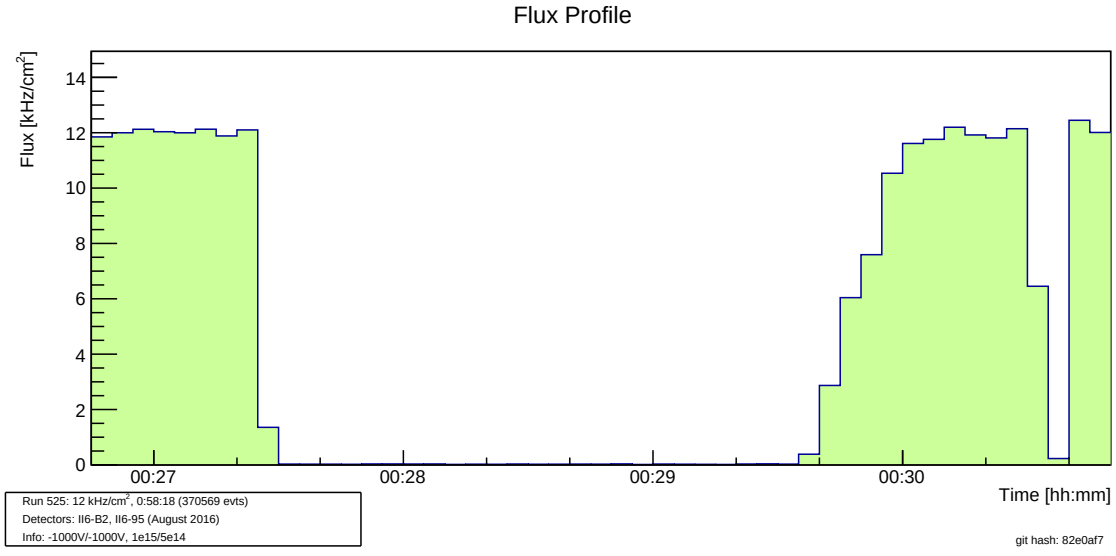
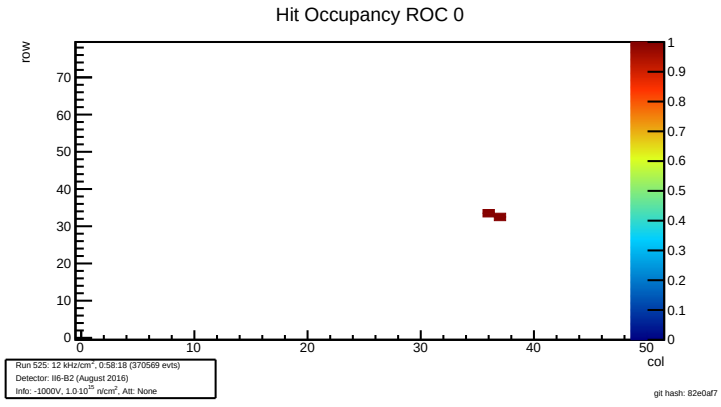
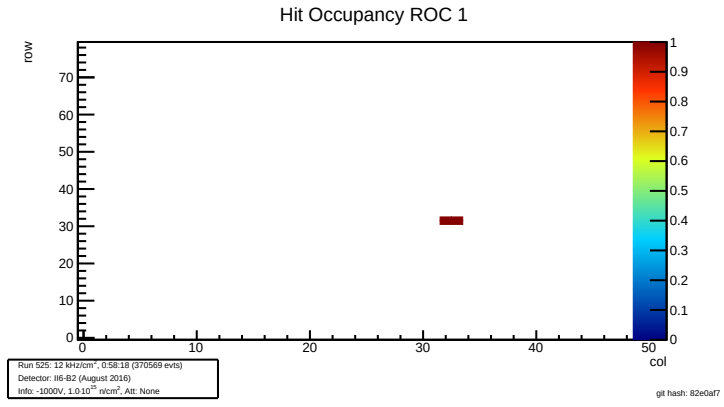
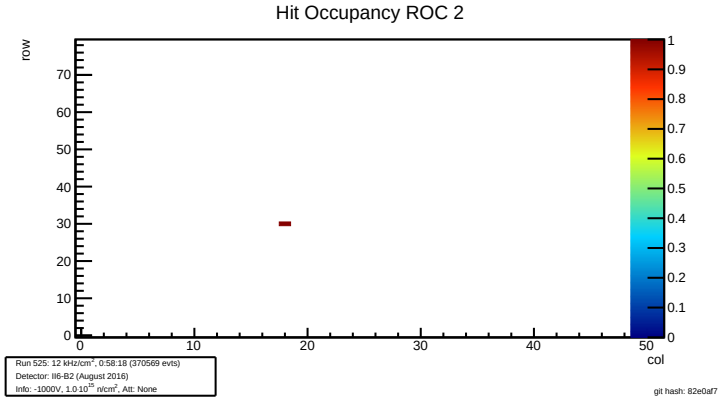


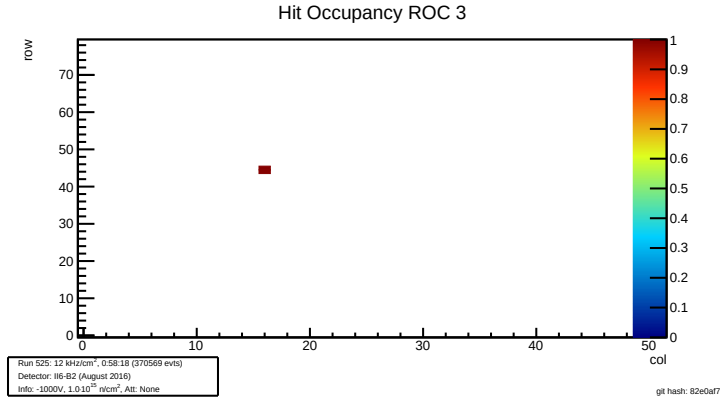
- usually short beam interruption every 5 min at PSI + other interruption
- particle rate slowly ramps up after interruption
- exclude events when rate drops less than 40 % + 5 s before
- until rate is larger than 40 % + 20 s after this
- let pulse height adjust after beam interruption (safety margin)

Tracks



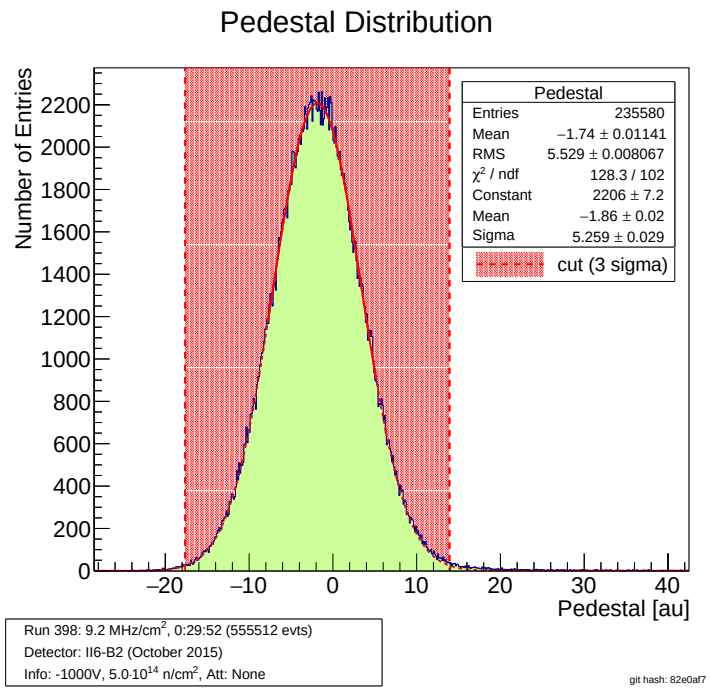


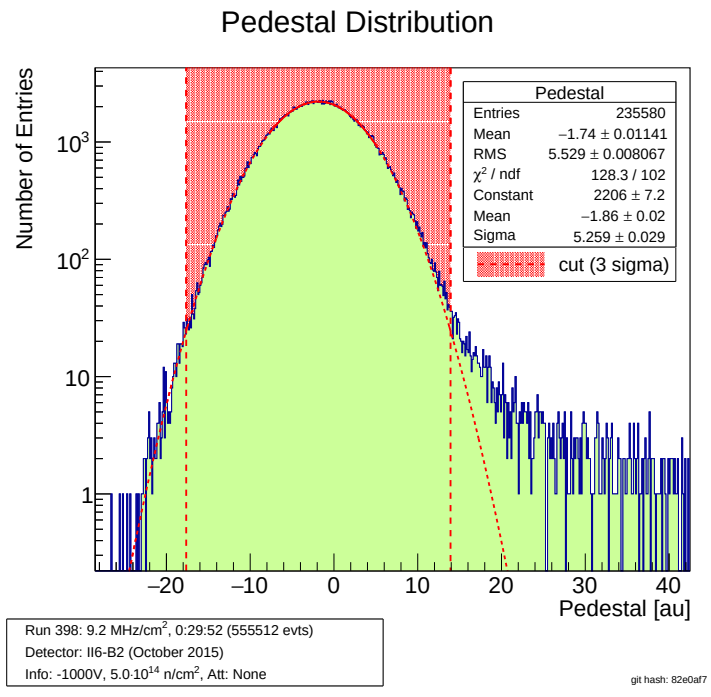




- only use events with exactly one track
- require one and only one cluster per plane

Pedestal Sigma





- exclude pedestals outside the 3 sigma region
- baseline shifts
- bad waveforms

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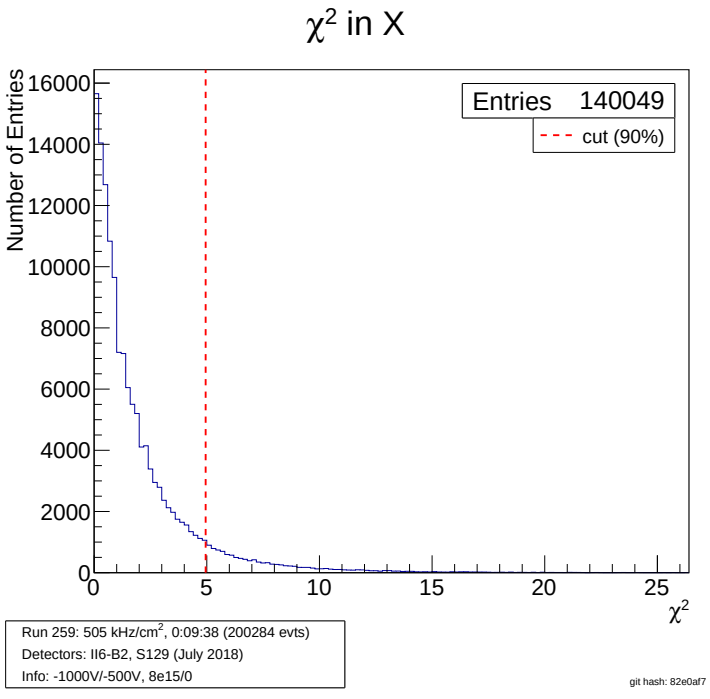
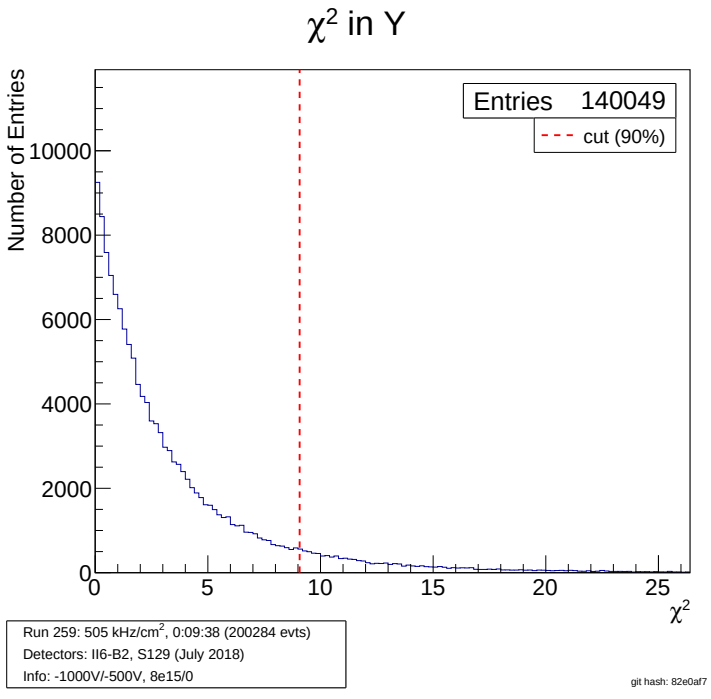
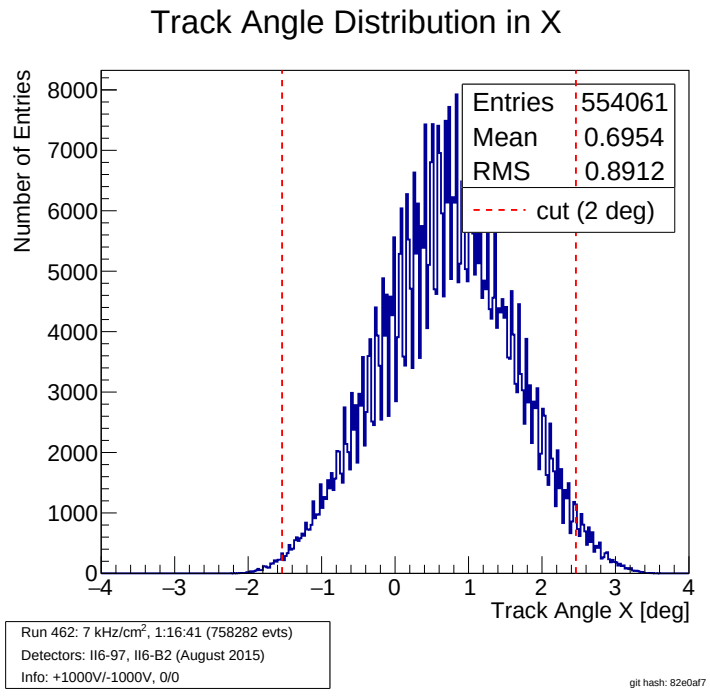
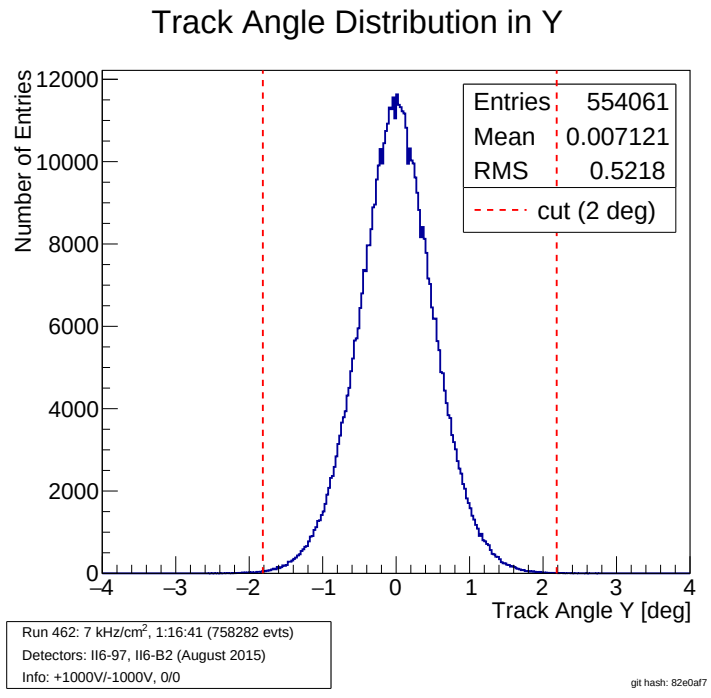




- exclude the bad tracks

Tracking Angle





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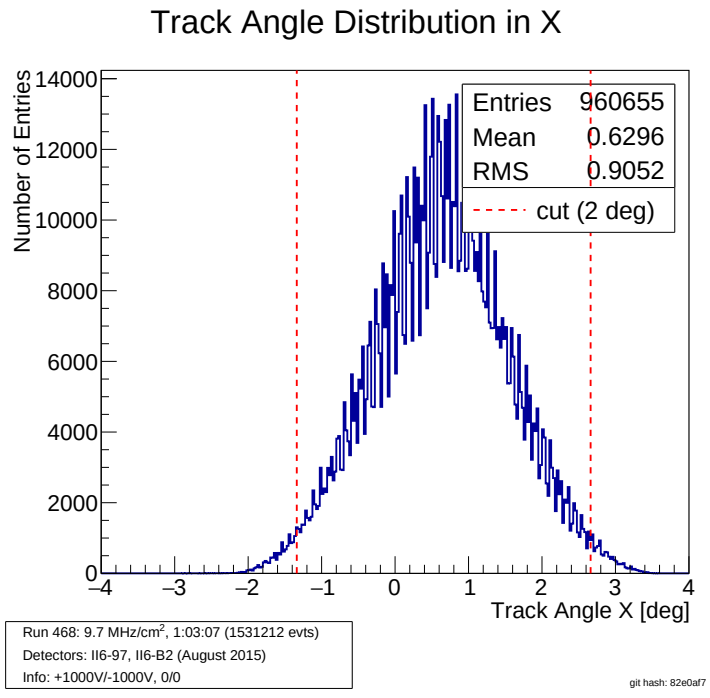
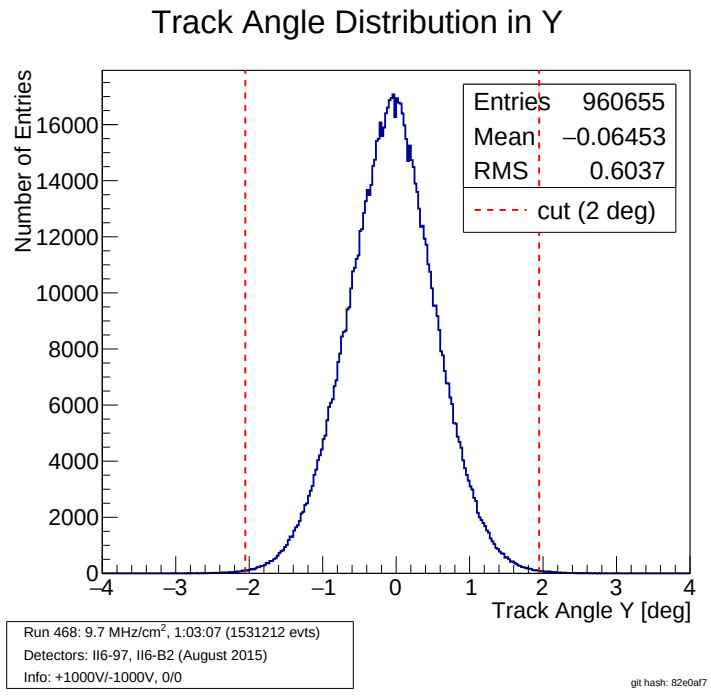
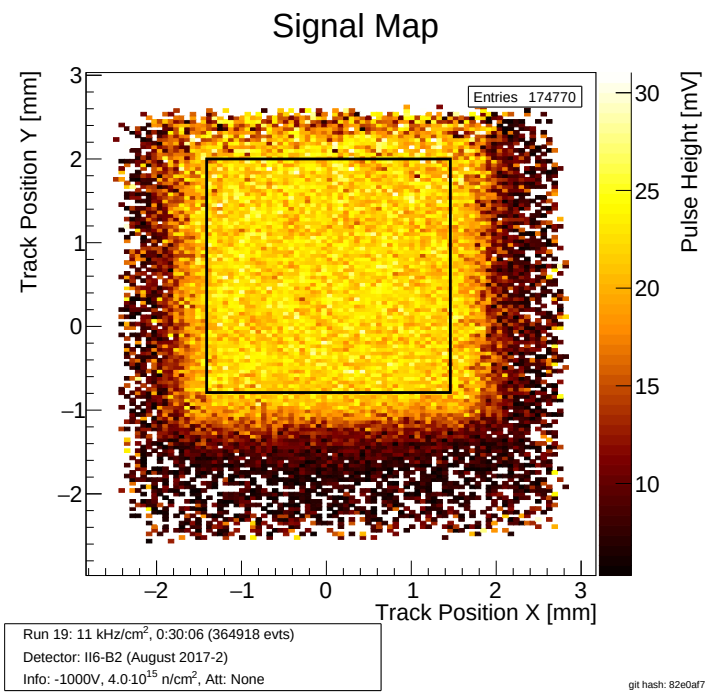
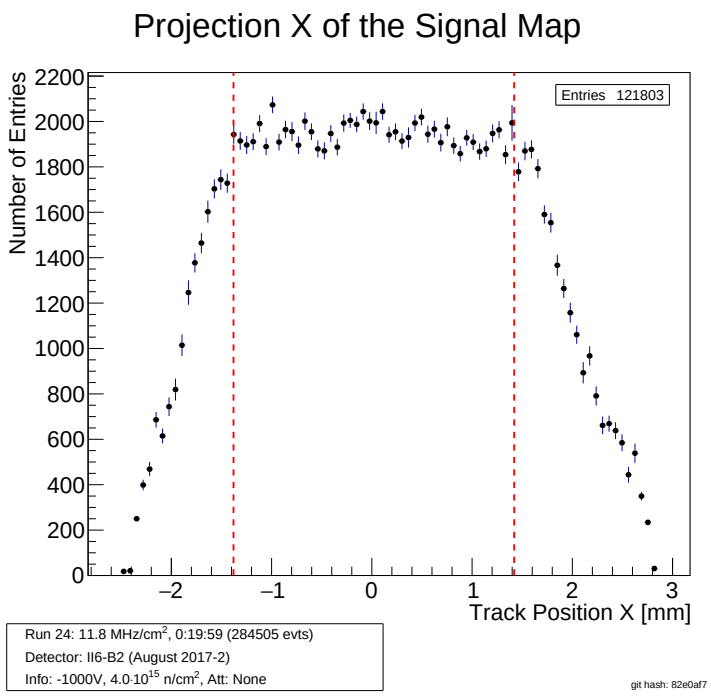




- only accept tracks with small angles
- angle only very slightly changes with rate

Fiducial Cut





- select area of the diamond
- find first and last bin when signal drops lower than 93 % of the maximum value
- interpolate with the adjacent bins when threshold is exactly hit
- adjust manually if it fails or still pedestal left