

A Compilation of Results for Solid State Photo-detectors

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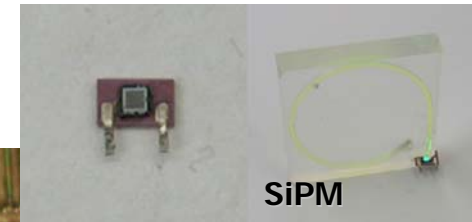
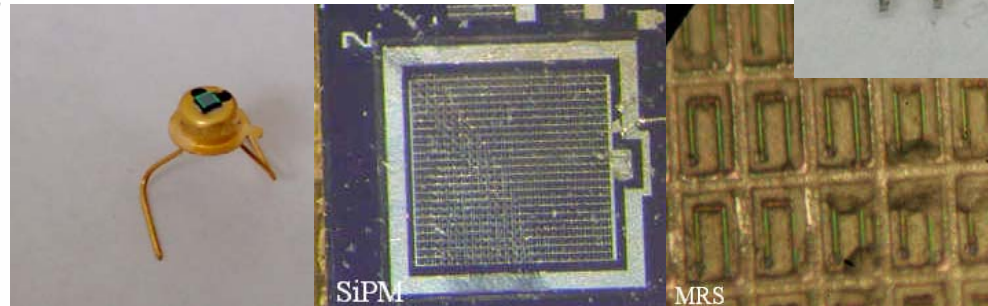
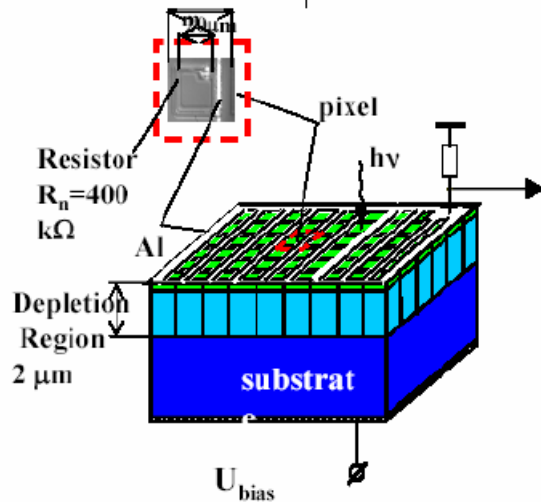
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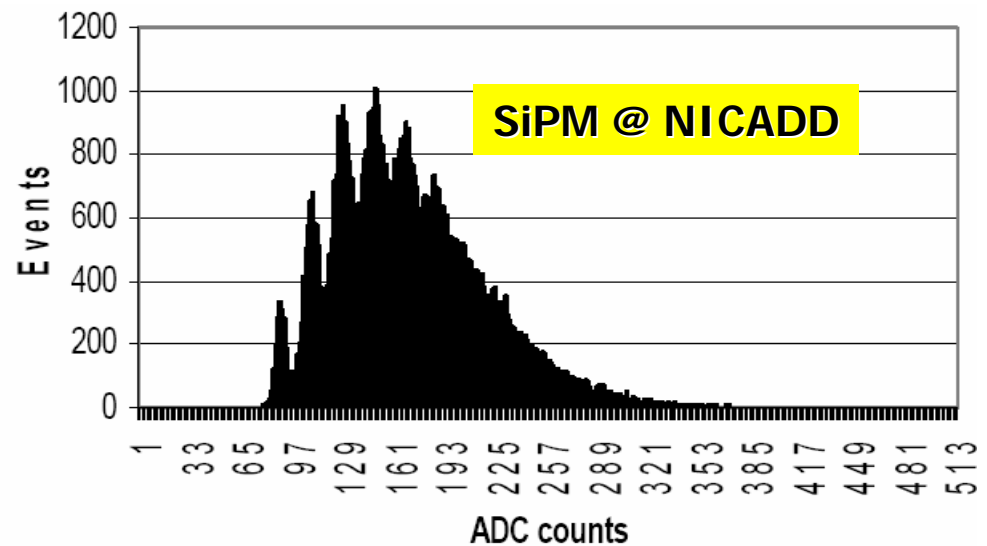
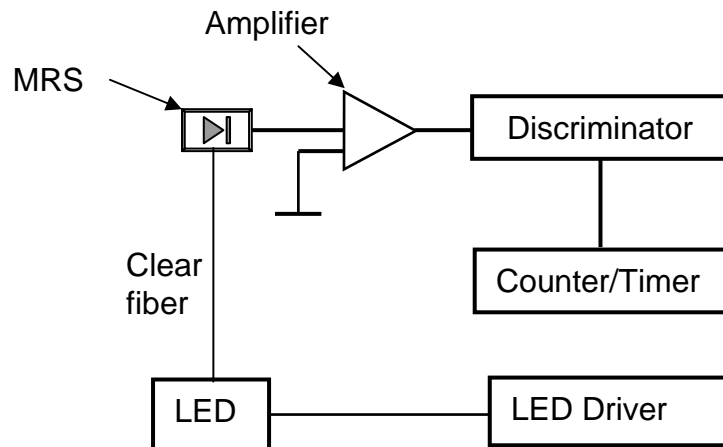
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- **`` Investigation of a Solid-State Photodetector", D. Beznosko et al, submitted to NIM A.**
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SiPM/MRS



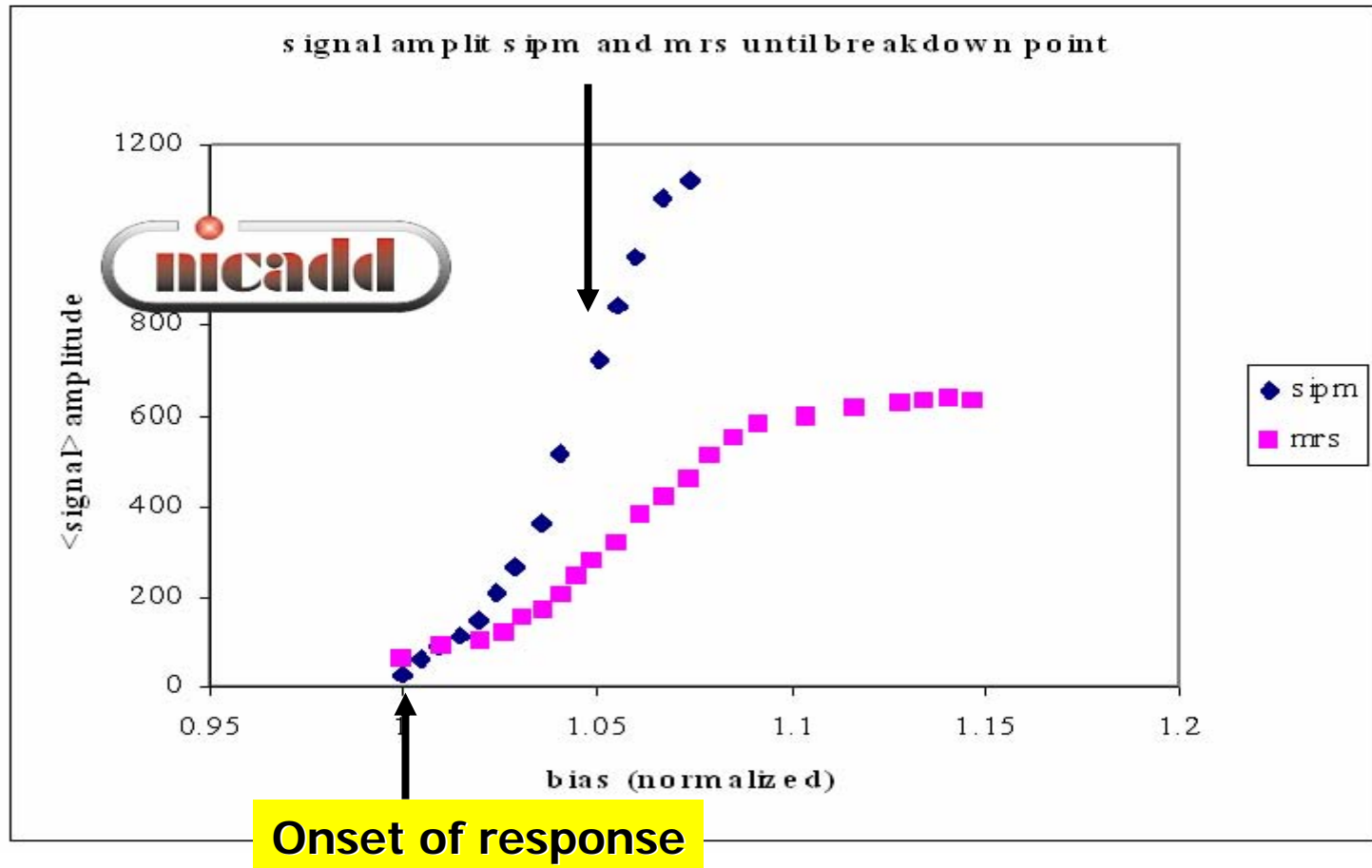
~1000 pixels on 1mm x 1mm; Limited Gieger multiplication mode;
Bias voltage ~ 50-60V; Gain ~ 10^6 ; Quantum $\epsilon \times \text{geom}$ ~ 12-15%



*SiPM --> MEPHI/Pulsar
MRS---> CPTA

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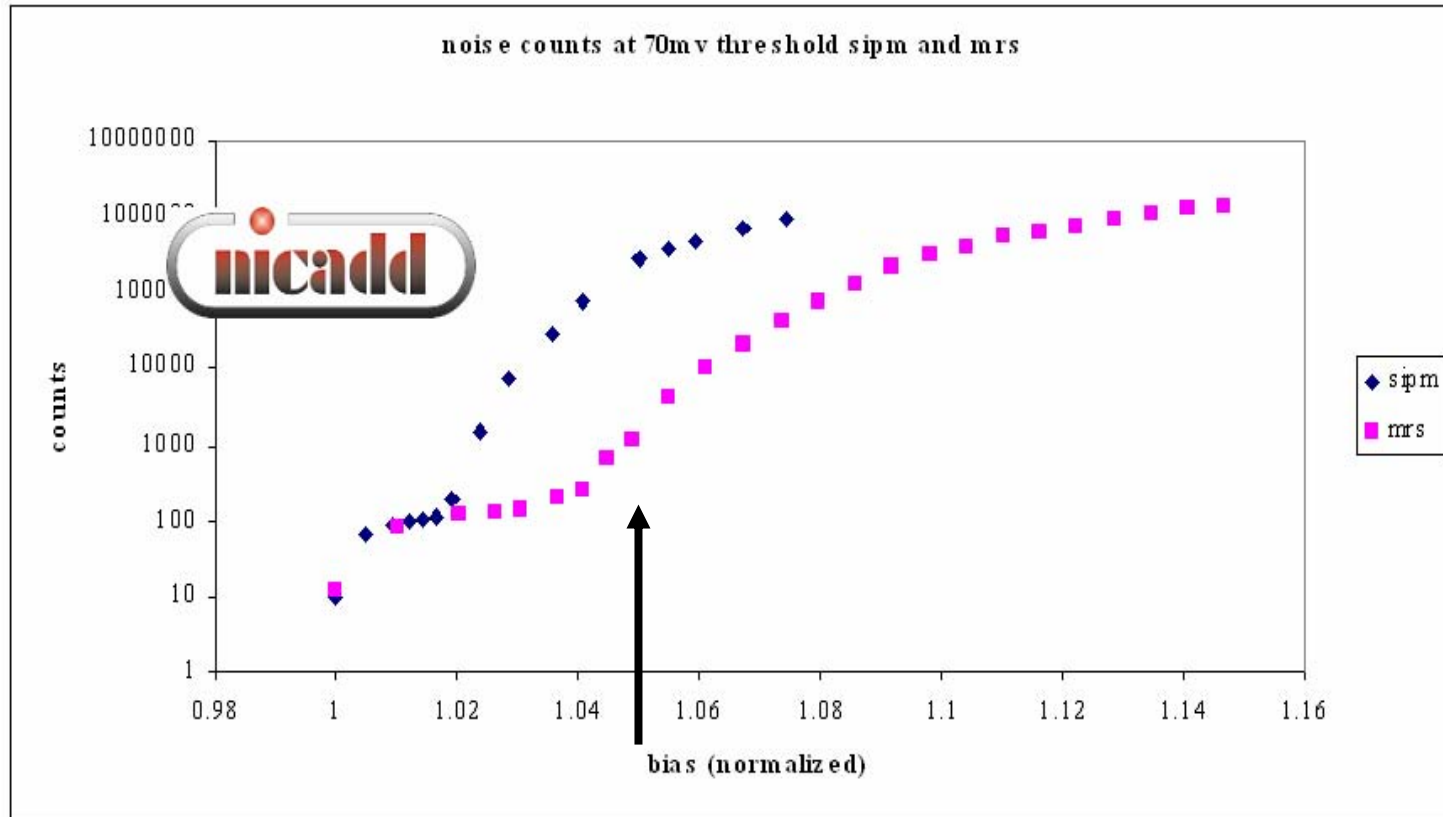
Signal Amplitude vs. Bias



Green LED(~ 130Hz) with clear fiber used
Representative, wafer behavior uniform

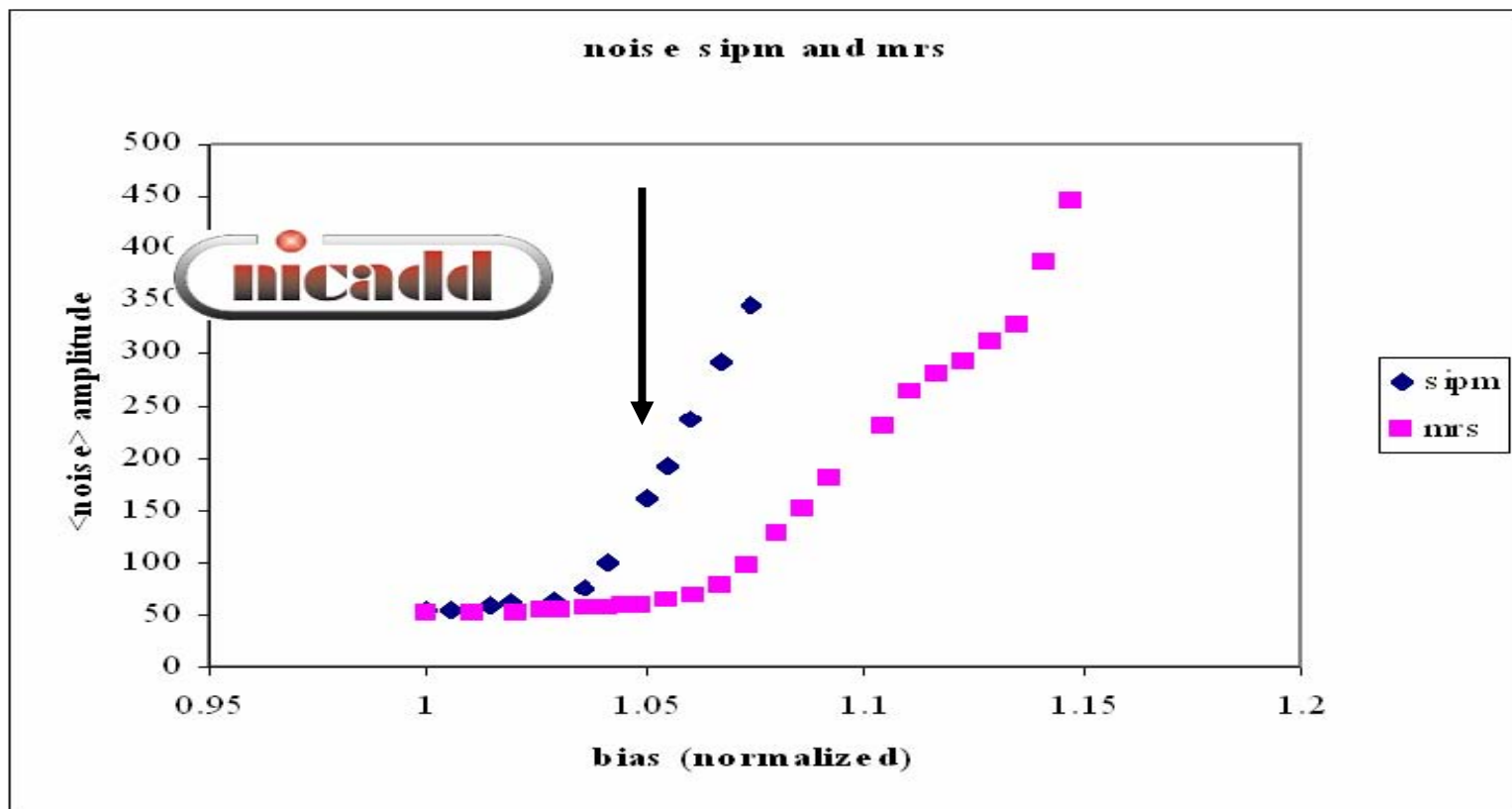
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Count Rate vs. Bias



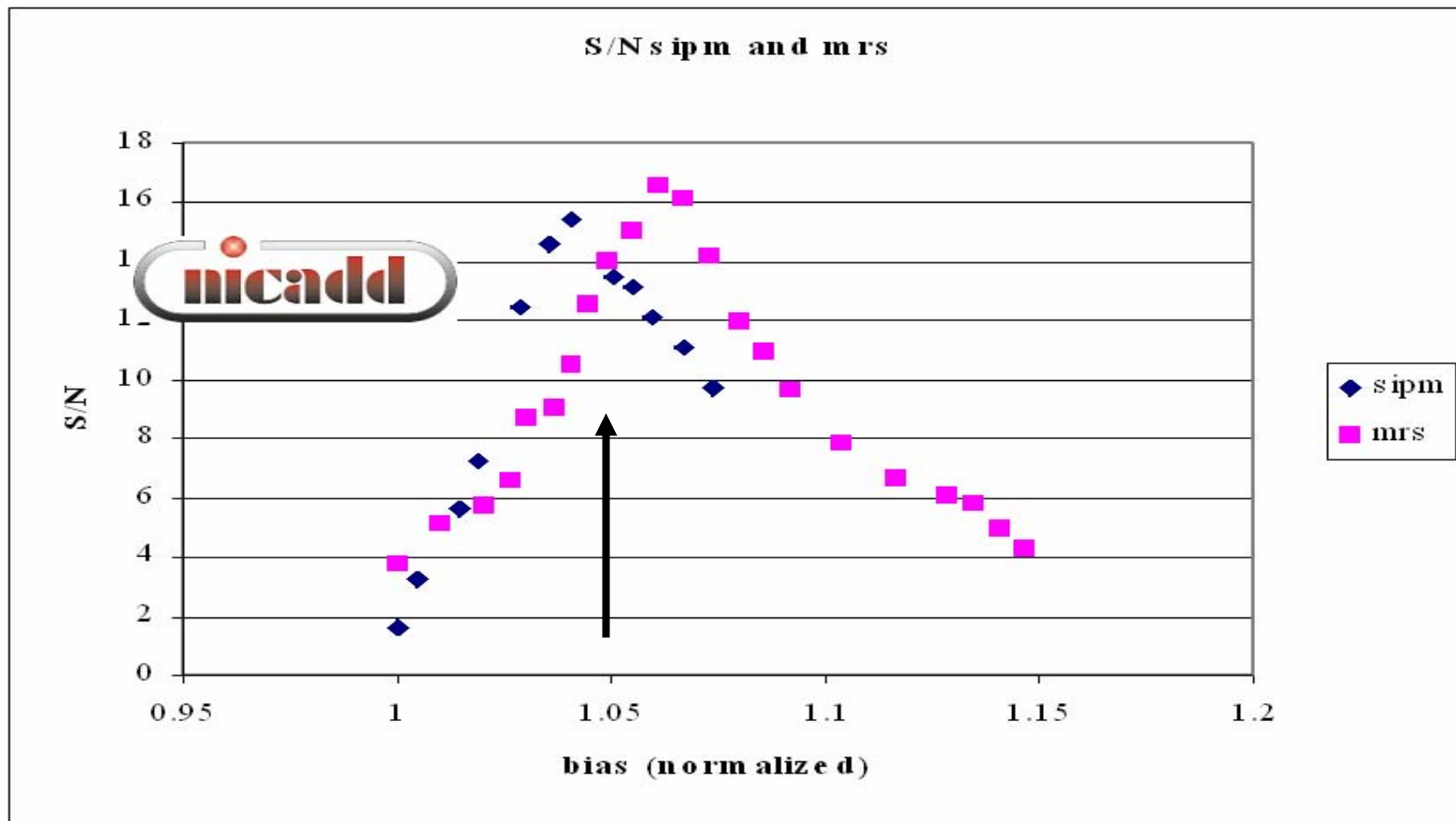
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Noise Amplitude(LED off) vs. Bias



S/N vs. Bias Voltage

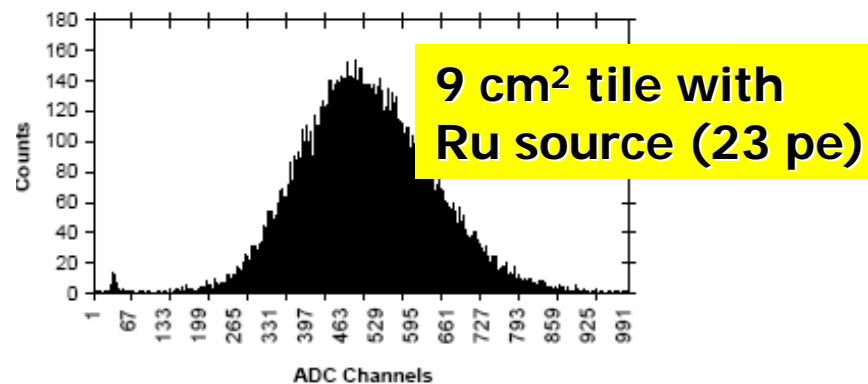
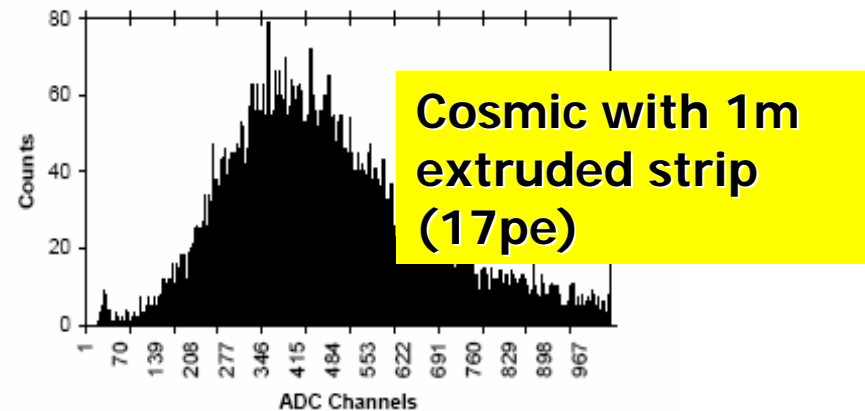
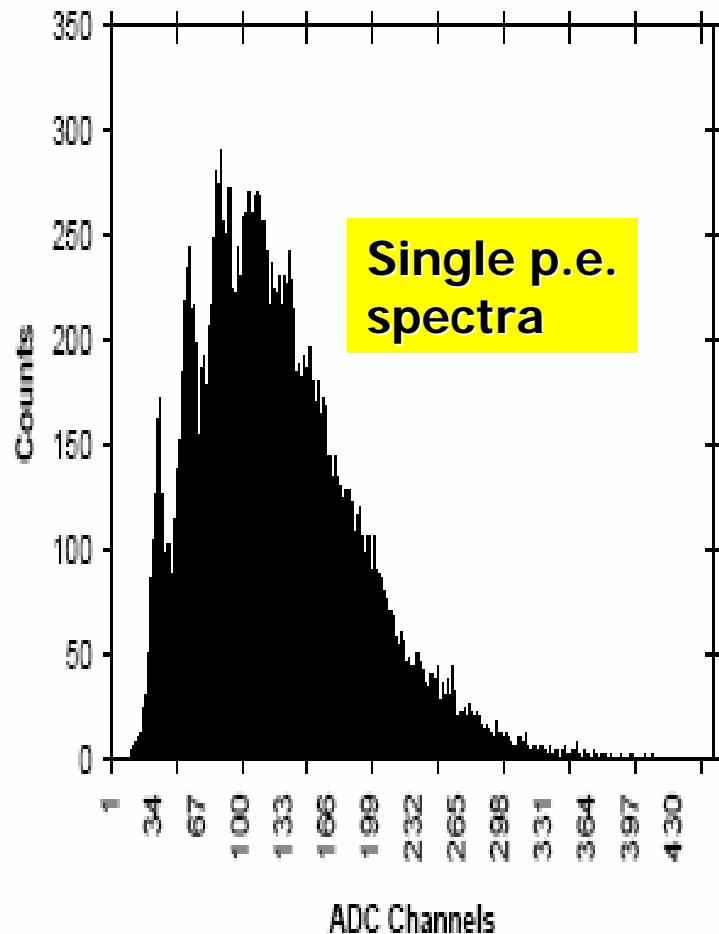
Slide 7 Divided by Slide 5



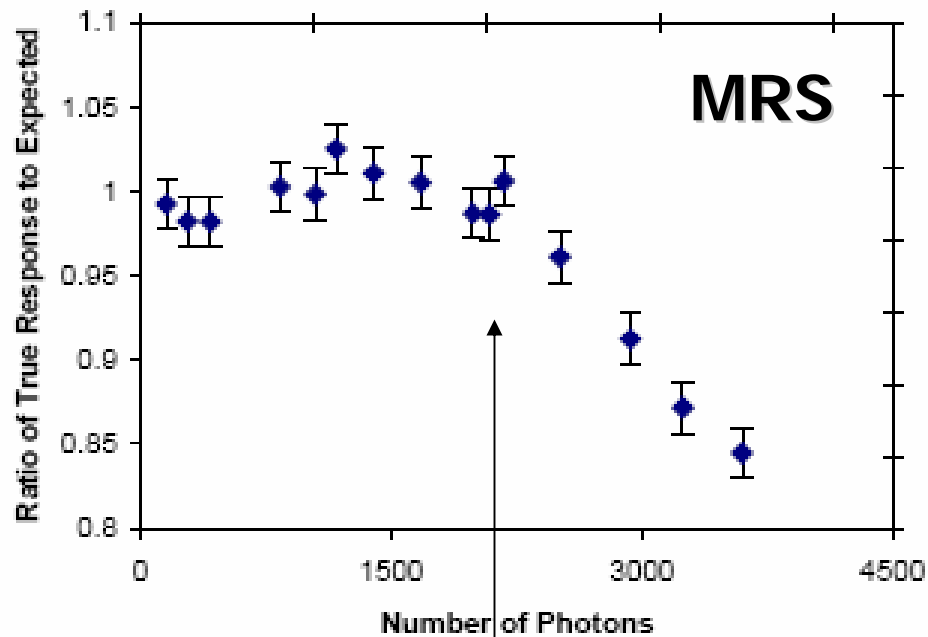
Maximum offers operating point with high amplitude and controllable rate, can be adjusted to ensure linearity if needed.

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MRS Light Yield



Linearity



~ 30 MIPS



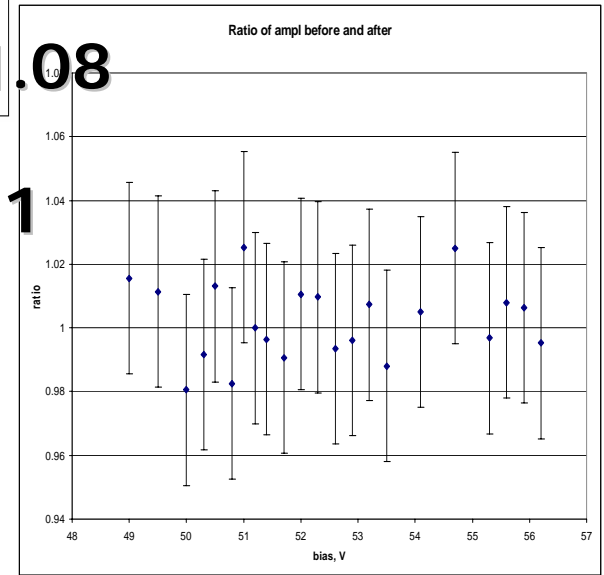
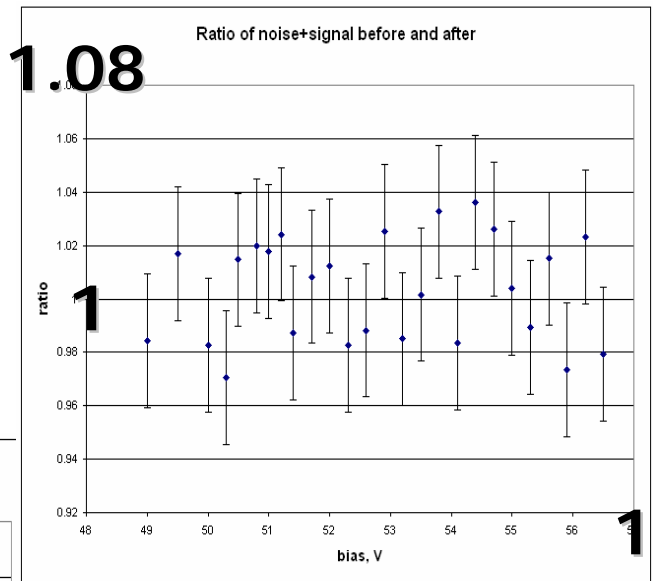
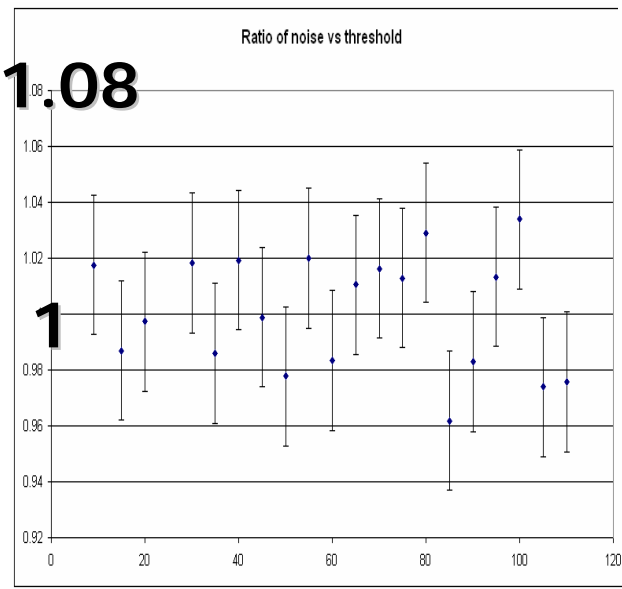
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Other studies.... response of photodetector to irradiation

- Sent sensors to Michigan γ irradiation facility
- Dosage \sim 1MRad
- Comparison of noise & signal before & after irradiation
- Plan to irradiate with protons



MRS Rate, Noise, and Amplitude Before & After

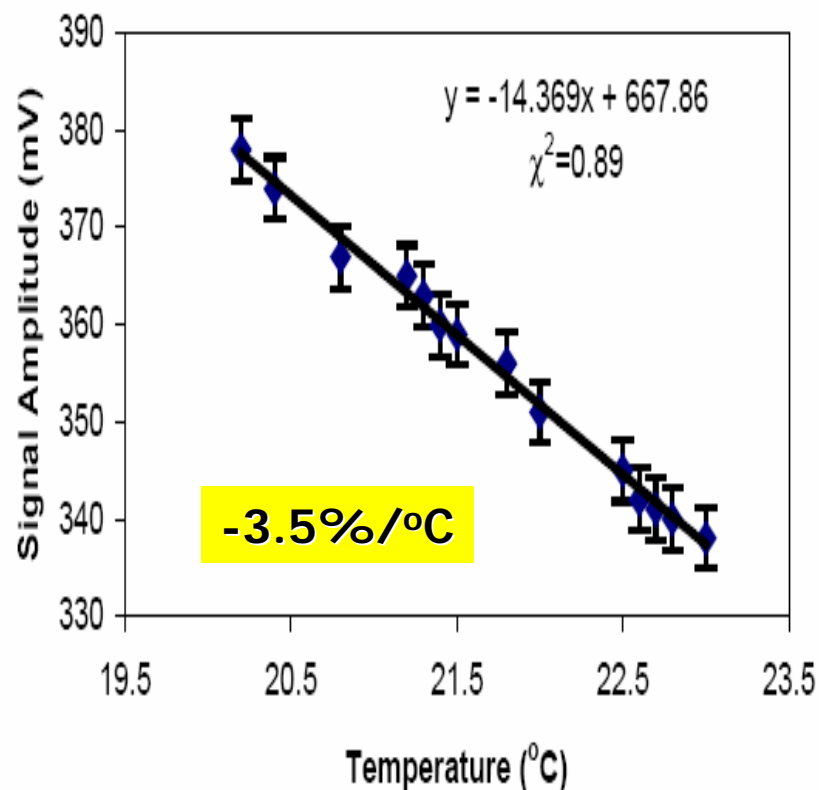
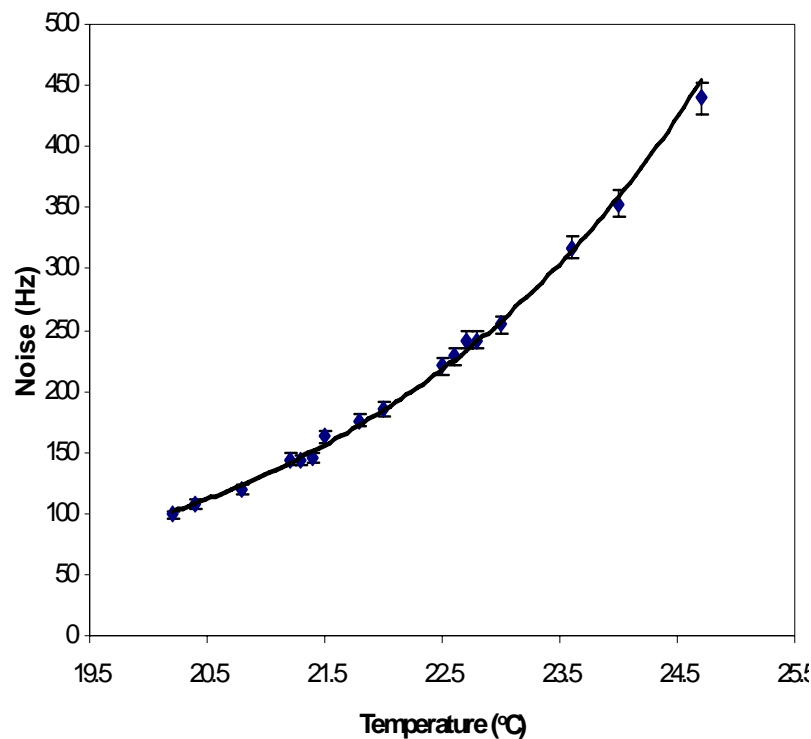


No measurable
change in response



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MRS Temperature dependence of Noise and Amplitude

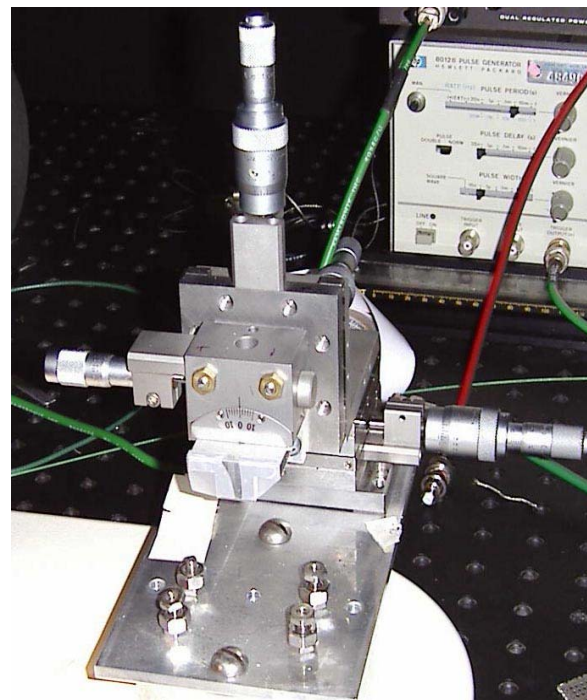
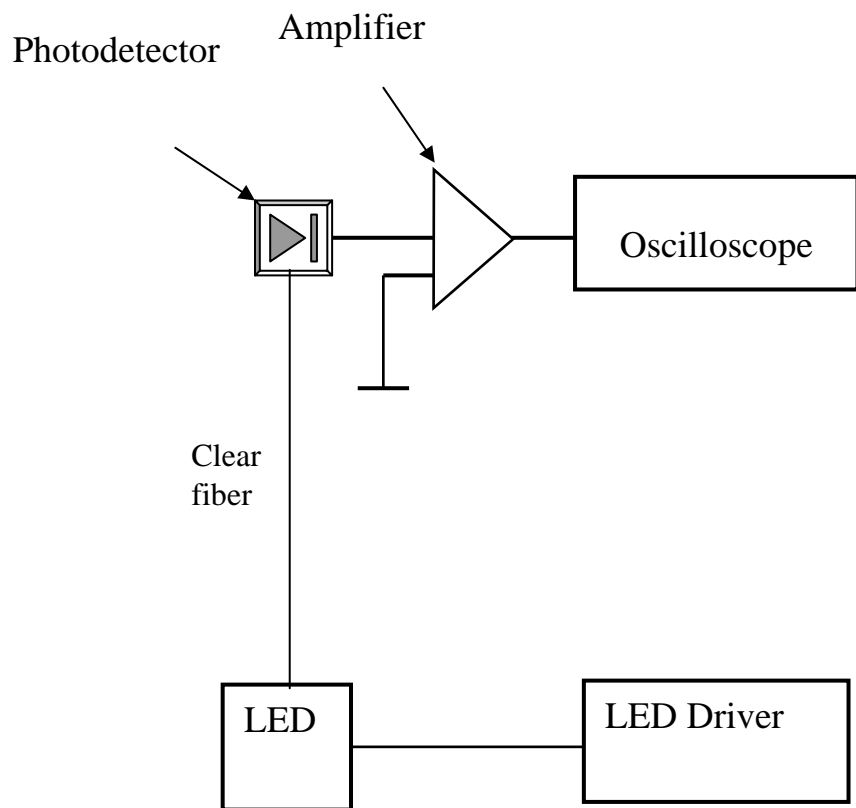


Will require control, monitoring...



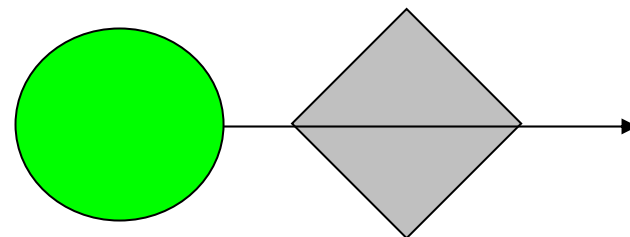
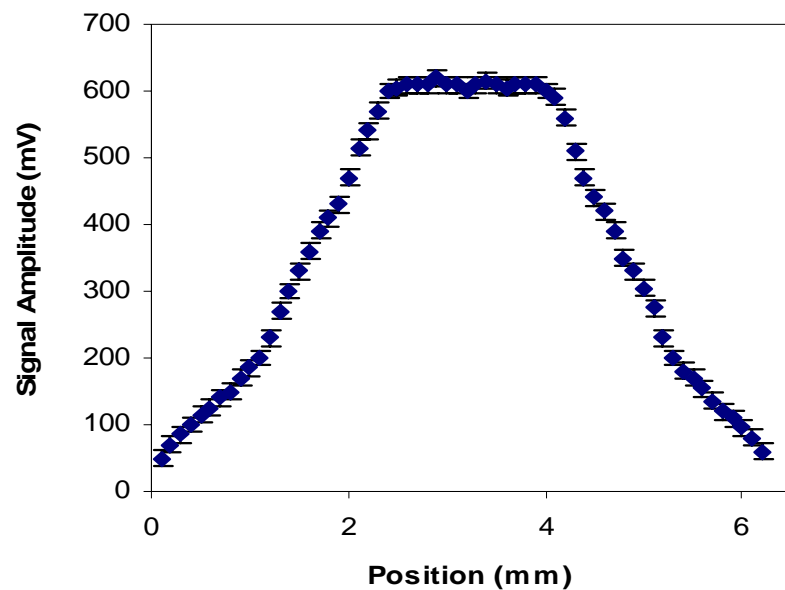
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Studies of fiber position and response...



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Uniformity across MRS Photodetector

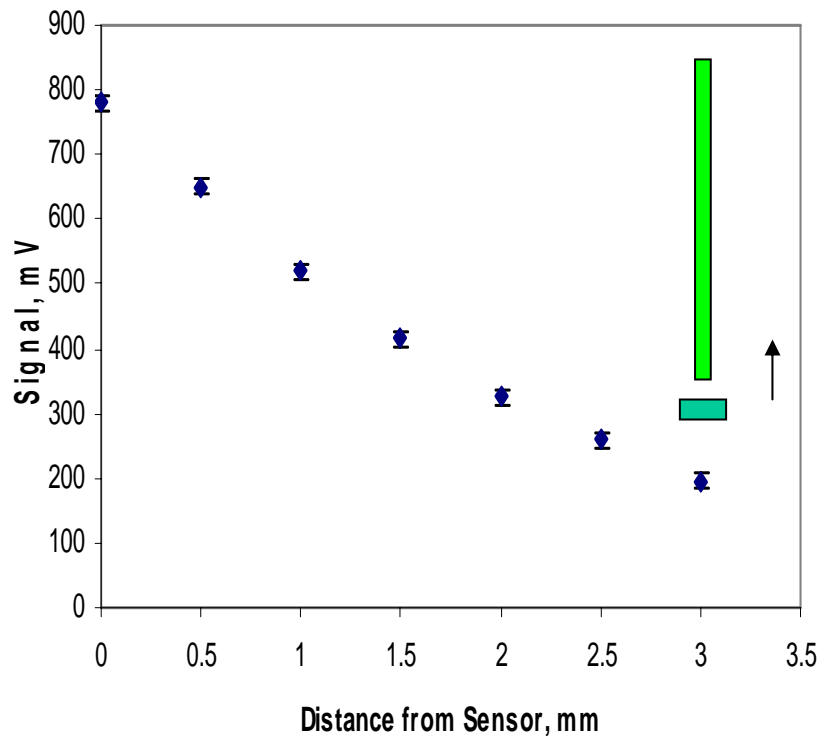


Some leeway in positioning...

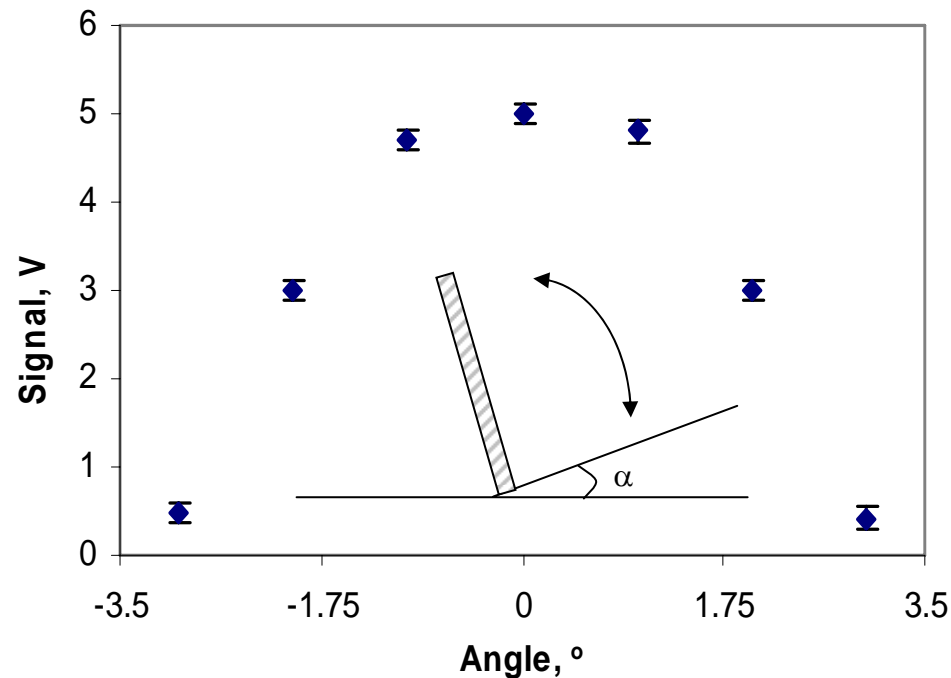


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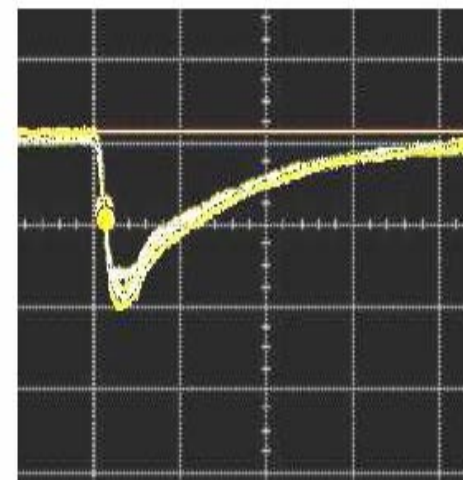
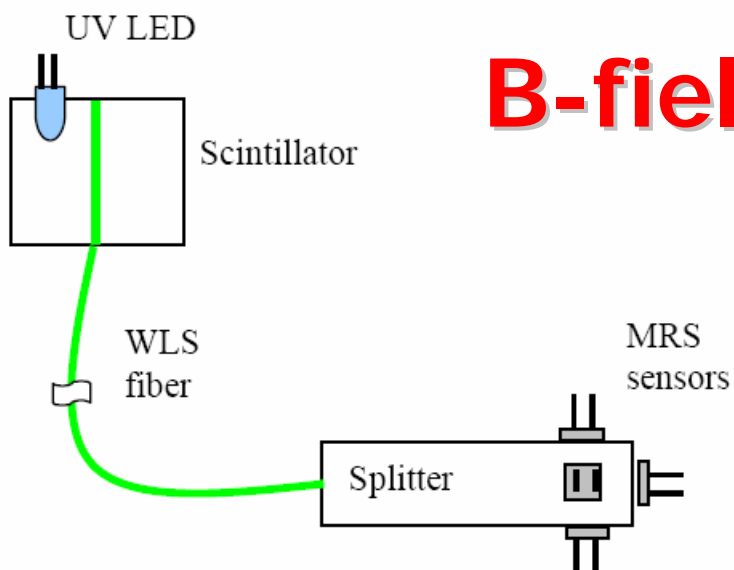
SiPM Response & Fiber Position/Angle



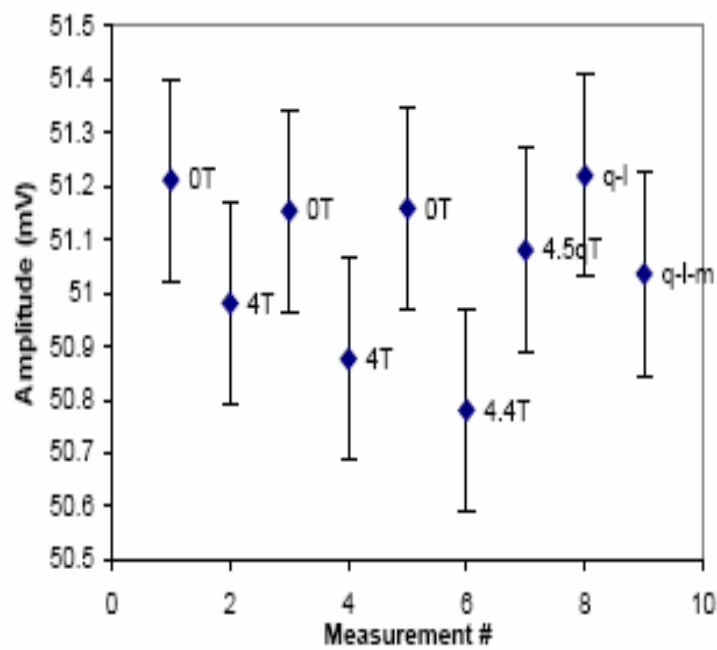
Response very sensitive to proximity & mildly to normality, need to be minimized.



B-field Sensitivity



Signal shapes at 0, 4, 4.4 & after quench at 4.5T



Conclusions/Closing Comments

- MRS/SiPM excellent photodetector candidates.
- Ample MIP signal & linear
- Operating point easily selected for reasonable noise rates and amplitude
- Fiber positioning tolerance can be controlled
- Robust to irradiation
- Impervious to magnetic field
- See related talks
 - Today 2PM, CALICE TCMT, D. Chakraborty
 - Sunday 3:15PM, Studies of NICADD Extruded Scintillator Strips, S.Dychkant

