

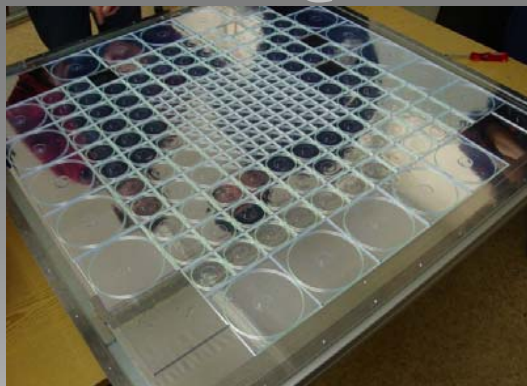
# **Calibration and Monitoring of the analogue HCAL prototype**

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**Calibration procedure  
Monitoring system**

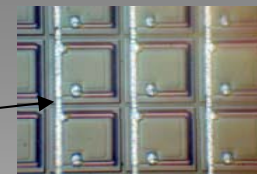
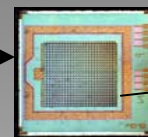
# Quick system overview



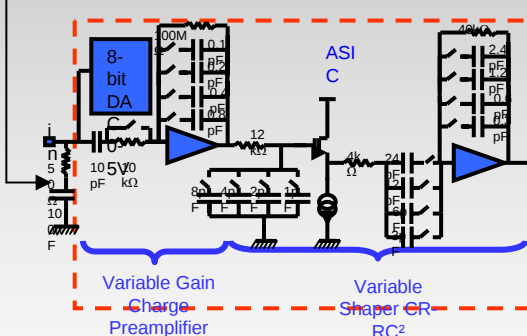
Read out 220 tiles/module  
~8000 channels



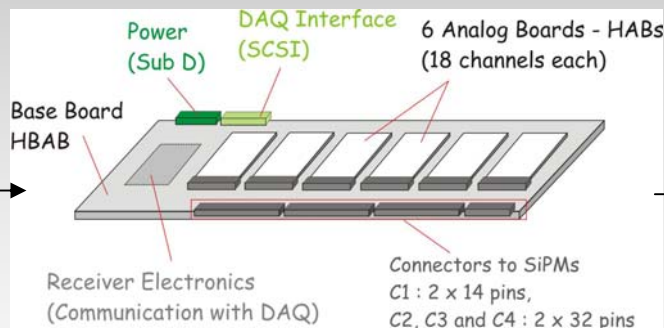
Single tile readout  
with SiPM



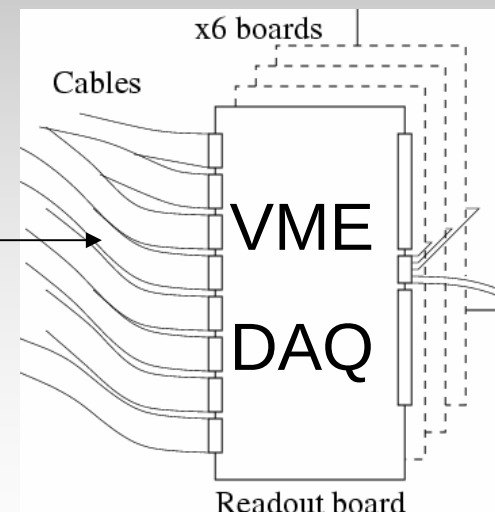
SiPM: pixel device  
operated in Geiger  
mode



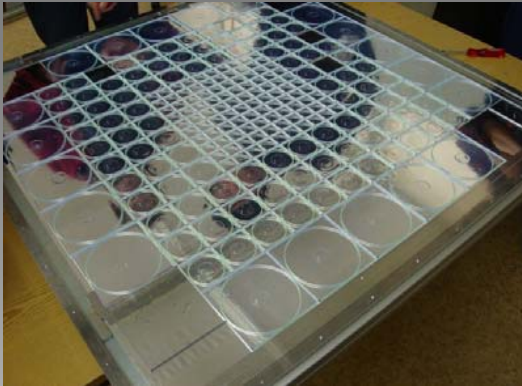
ASIC: amplification +  
shaping + multiplexing



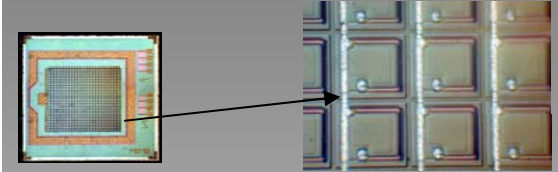
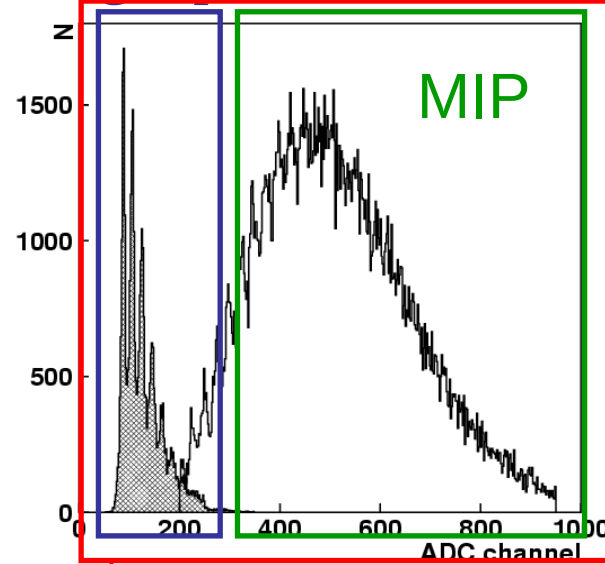
VFE: control 6 ASICs  
connect to SiPM



# HCAL Calibration

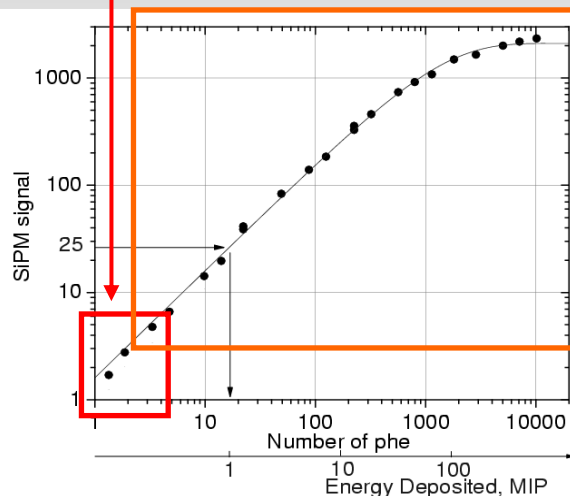


Single pixel



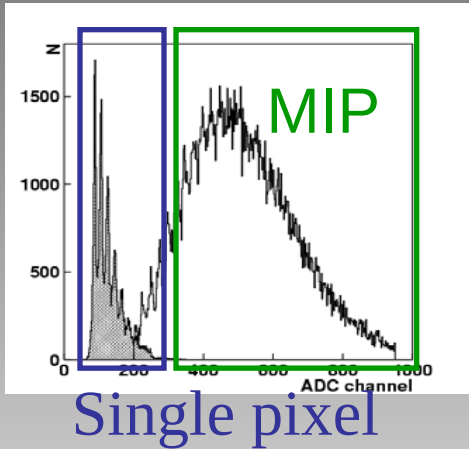
- MIP calibration
- Pixel calibration:  
SiPM non-linearity
- SiPM response  
function

$$E \text{ (GeV)} = A(\text{ADC}) * \frac{px}{\text{ADC}} * \frac{pe \text{ (px)}}{\text{MIP/pe}} * \text{GeV/MIP}$$



$$\text{Energy} = \text{ADC-count} * \frac{\text{electronics}}{\text{SiPM response}} * \frac{\text{Light yield}}{\text{sampling}}$$

# Calibration: more technically



## -Cosmics

→ # events:  $10^5/\text{tile} \sim 4 \cdot 10^7$

→ time 4-5 days

assuming 100Hz DAQ

## - broad muon beam

## - hadron beam + brick

→ # events:  $6 \cdot 10^5$

→ time 1-2 hours

## -Low intensity LED light

→ # events:  $10^5$ , time: ~20 min

→ daily

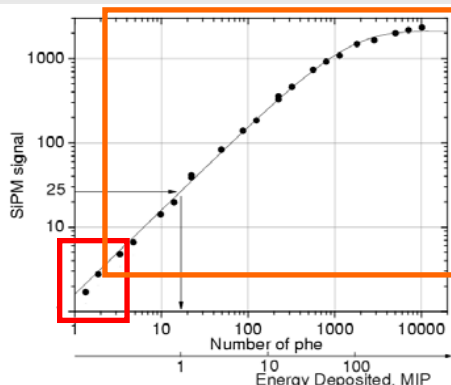
→ weekly / monthly

## -Variable LED light of stable short duration

→ universal curve  $f(T,V)$

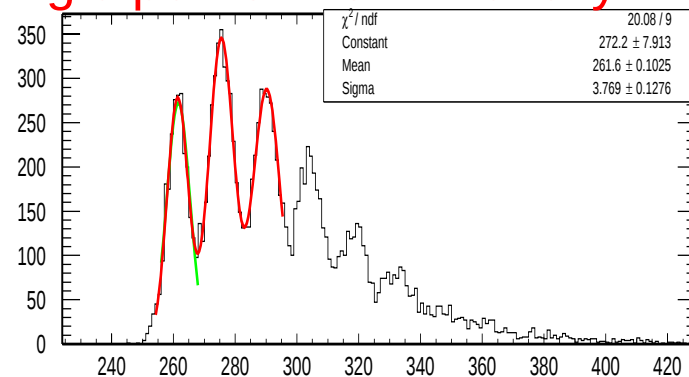
→ monthly crosscheck

→ large dynamic range

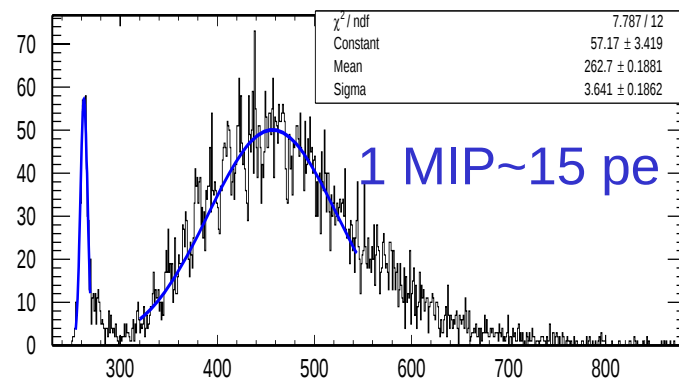


# Light yield

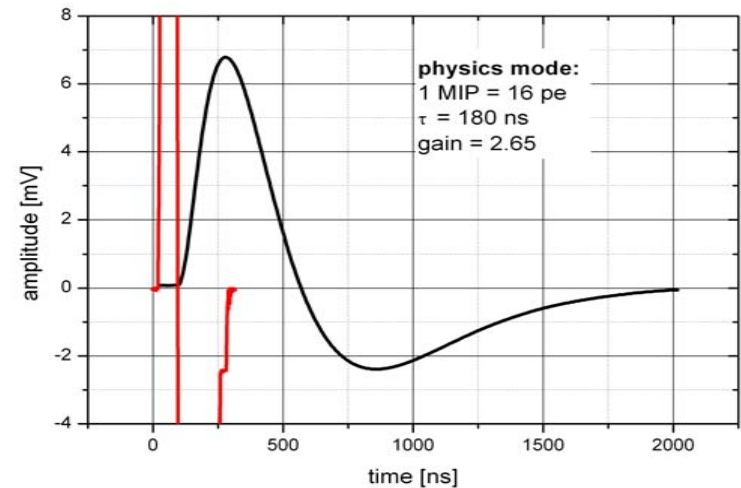
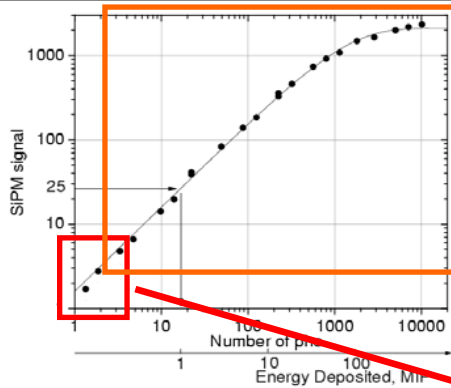
Single pe from low intensity LED



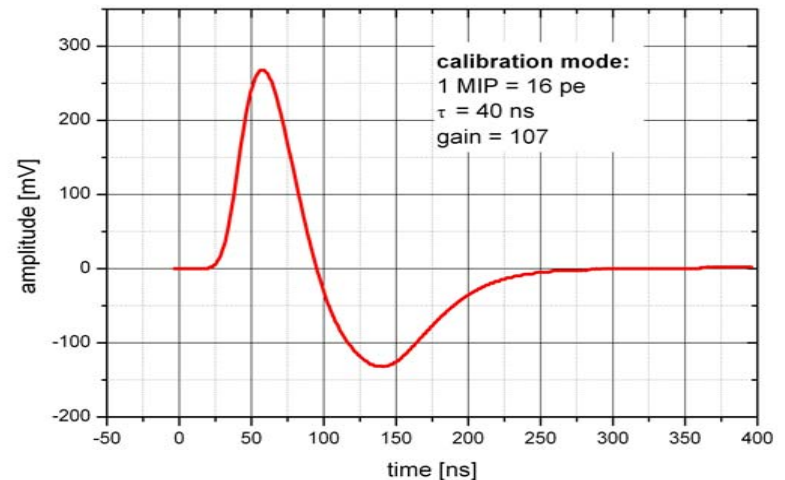
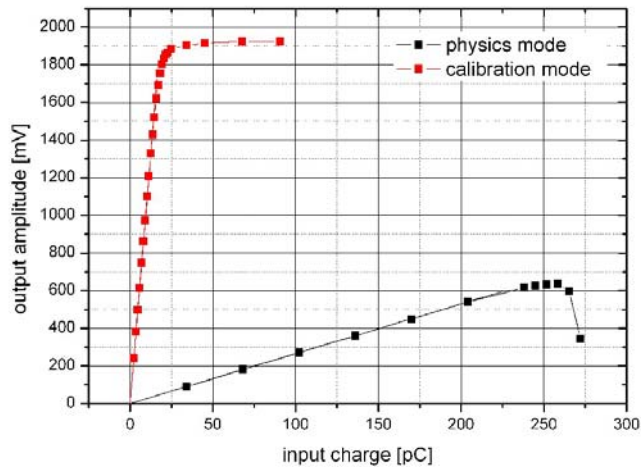
MIP from source



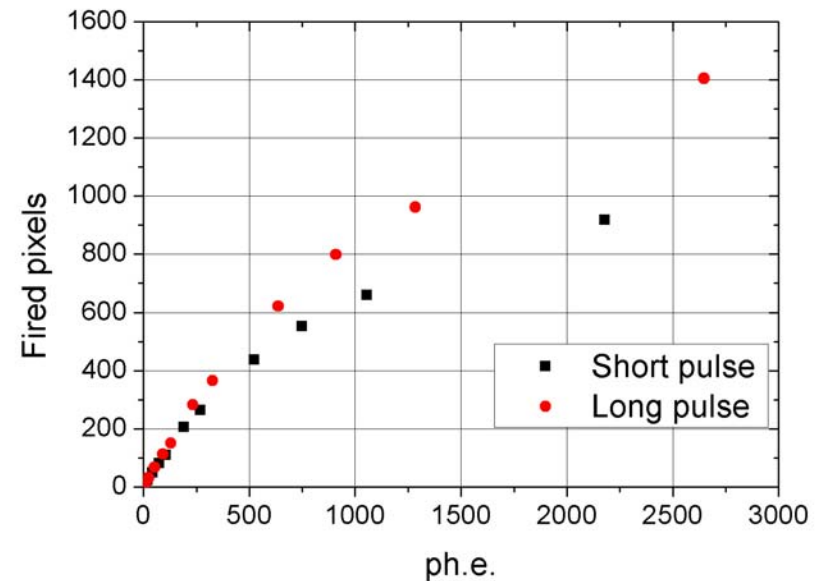
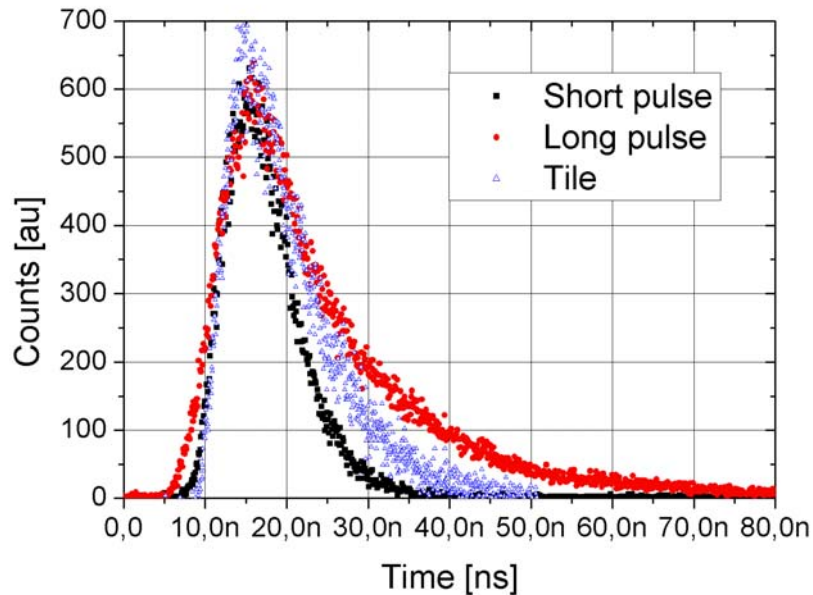
# Calibration: electronics



## Charge injection calibration of ASIC



# SiPM response function



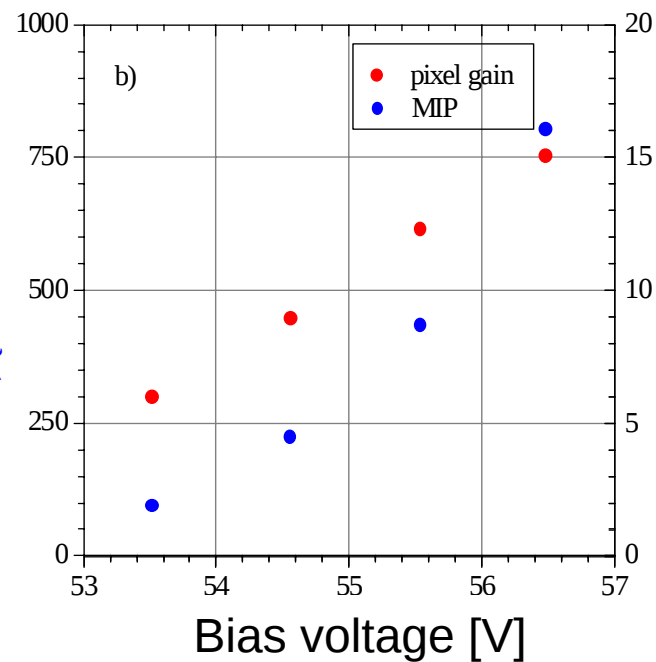
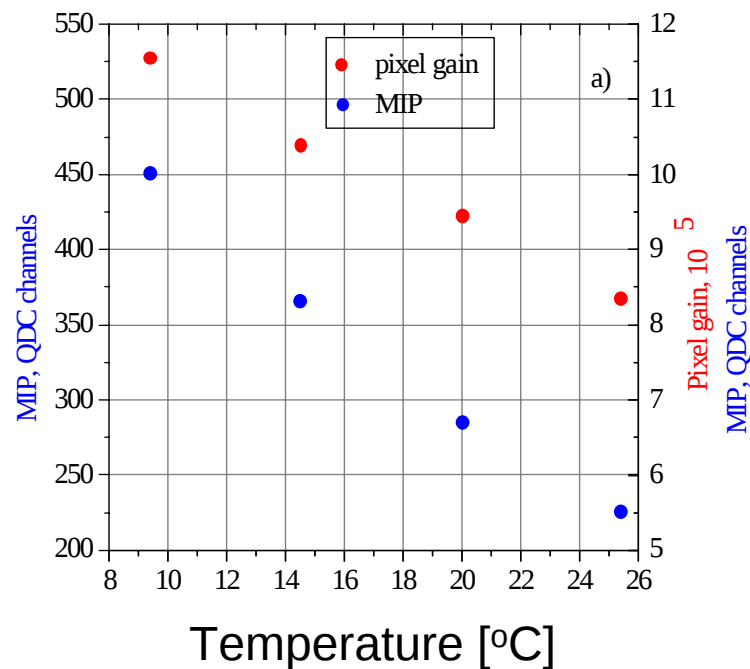
Fast pixel recovery  
time  $\sim 10$  ns



Strong dependence of response  
function on duration of light pulse

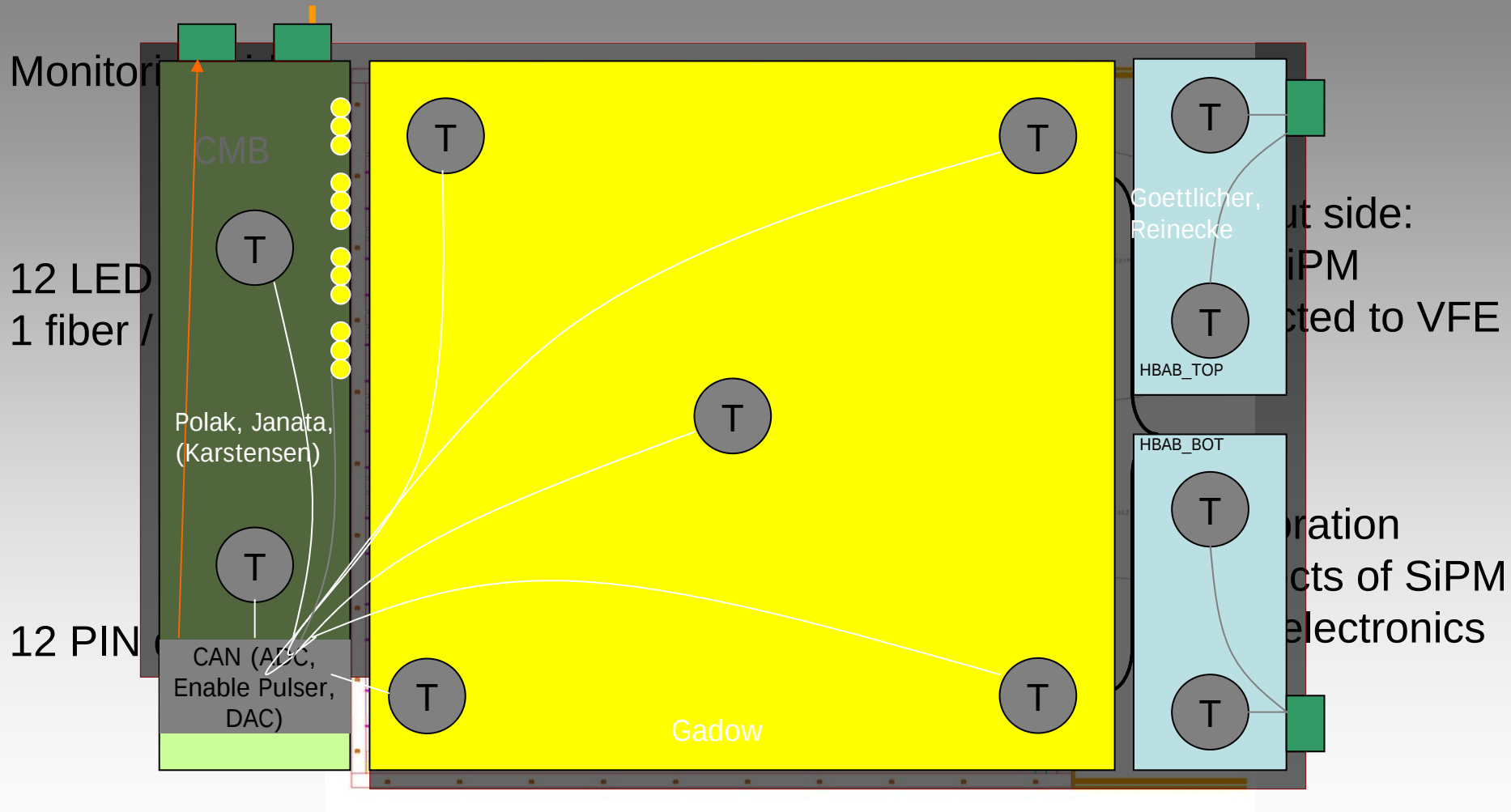
# Monitoring

# SiPM T and V dependence

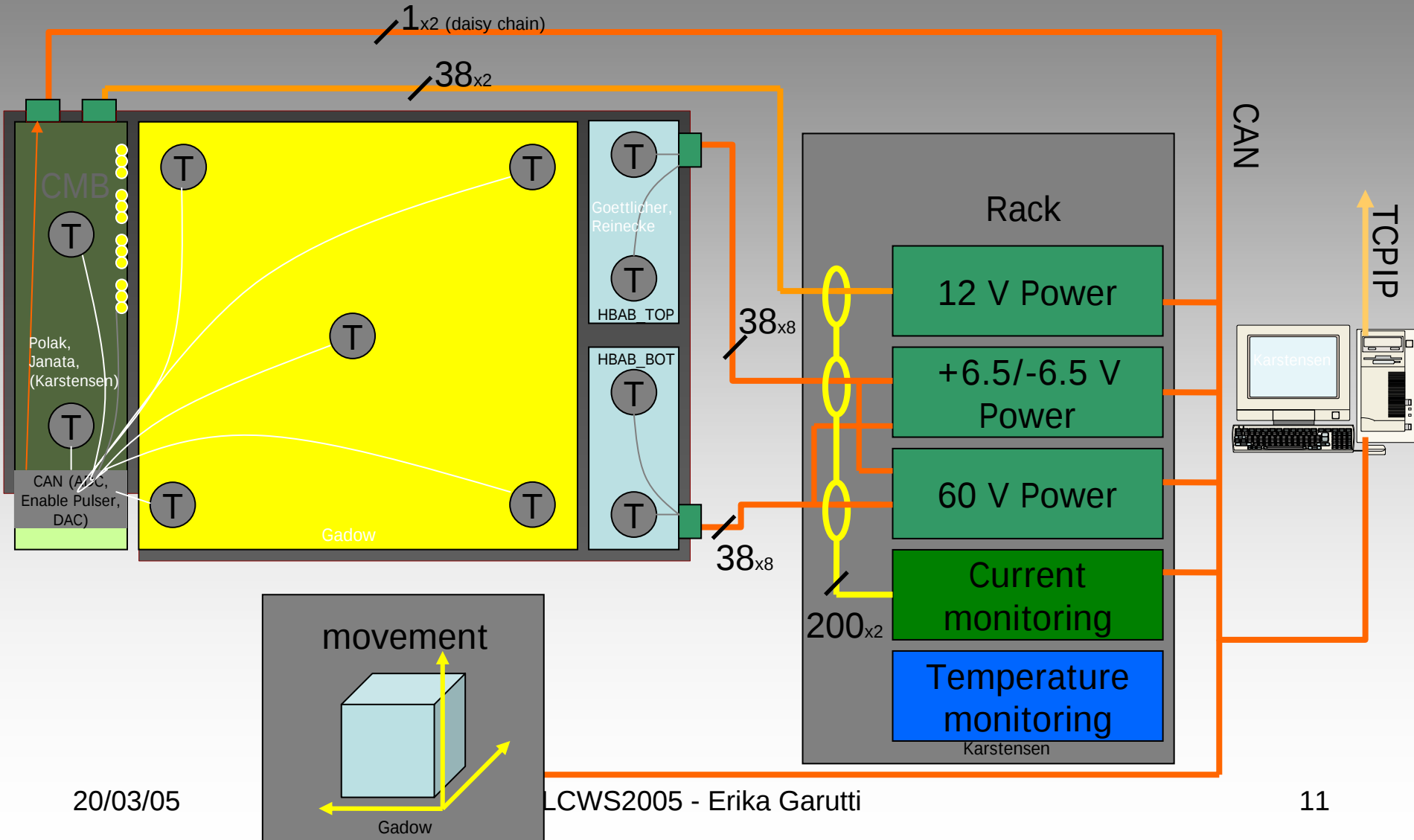


Gain  $\rightarrow 1.7\% / K, 2.5\% / 0.1V$   
Signal Amplitude  $\rightarrow 4.5\% / K, 7\% / 0.1V$

# The HCAL module



# Slow Control System



# Redundant monitoring system

The stability of the system in within MIP calibrations is checked by the monitoring system:

1. Reference LED light pulse

→ stability of LED system after PIN diode correction <1%

2. Gain calibration of SiPM

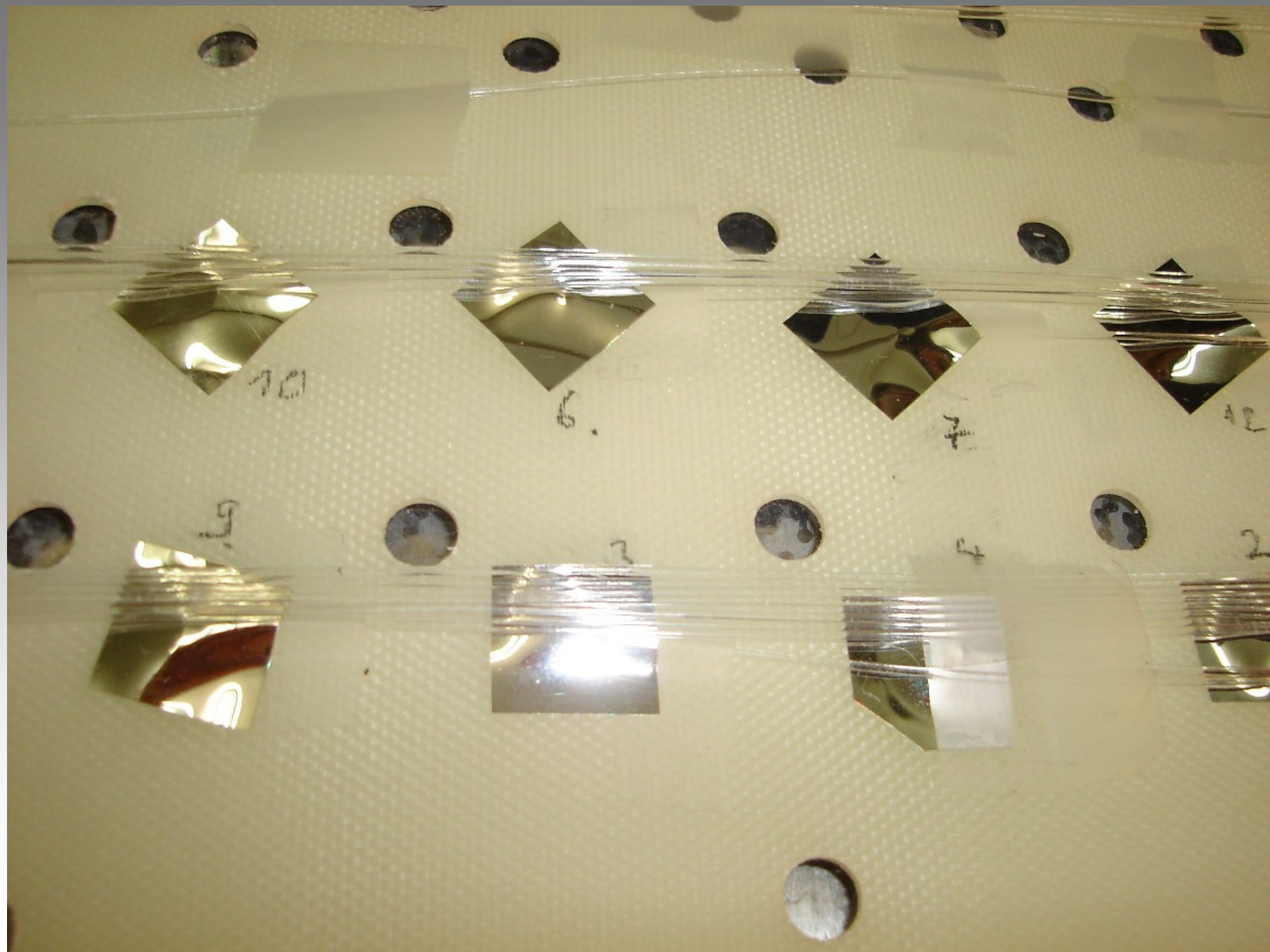
variation of gain → 1.7% / K , 2.5% / 0.1V

3. Temperature and voltage monitoring from slow control

variation of signal amplitude → 4.5% / K , 7% / 0.1V

→ compare the 3 correction factors

→ apply correction if 2 / 3 agree



# LED system

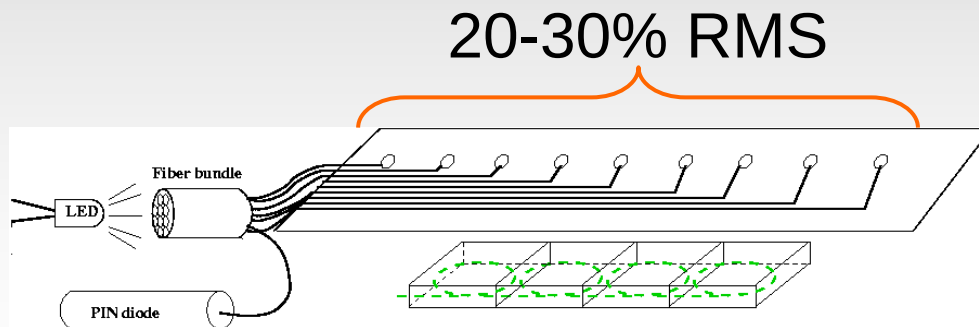
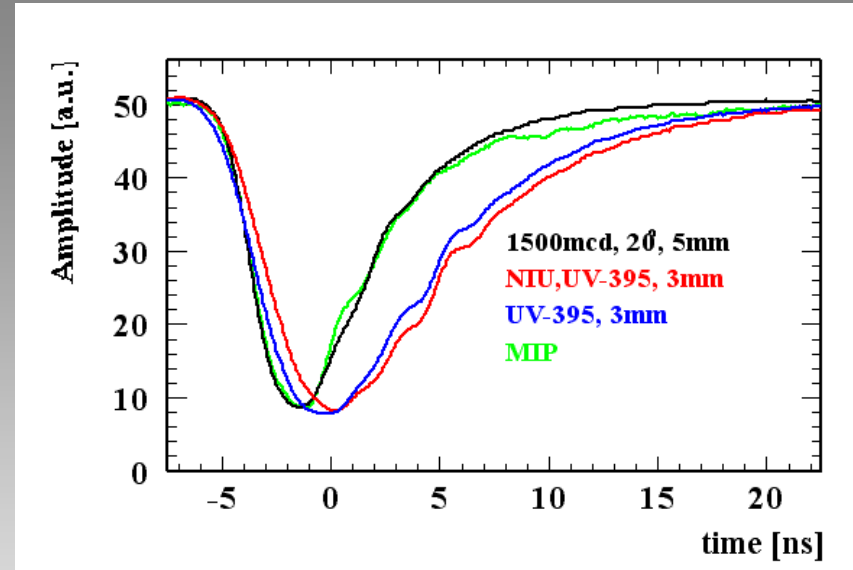
LED choice:

→ best matching to MIP shape

Fiber bundle production:

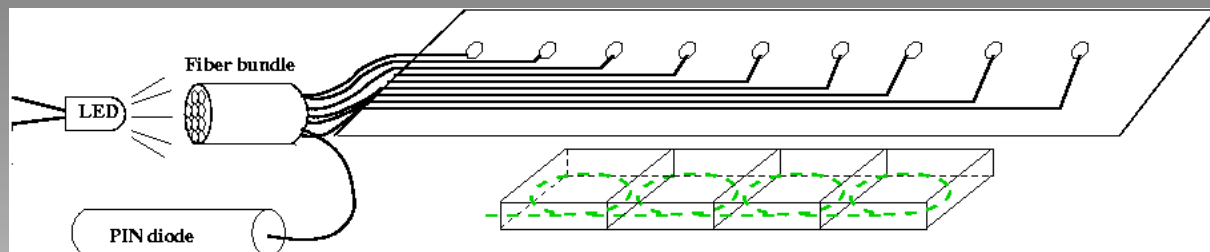
18 to tiles + 1 to PIN diode

◇ 2-3 LY variation brightest/darkest



# PIN diode readout

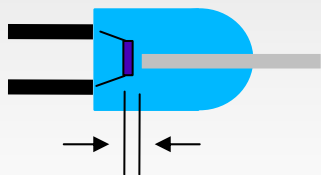
PIN diode:  $G = 1$   
SiPM:  $G = 10^6$



Due to WLS fiber + scintillator tile:

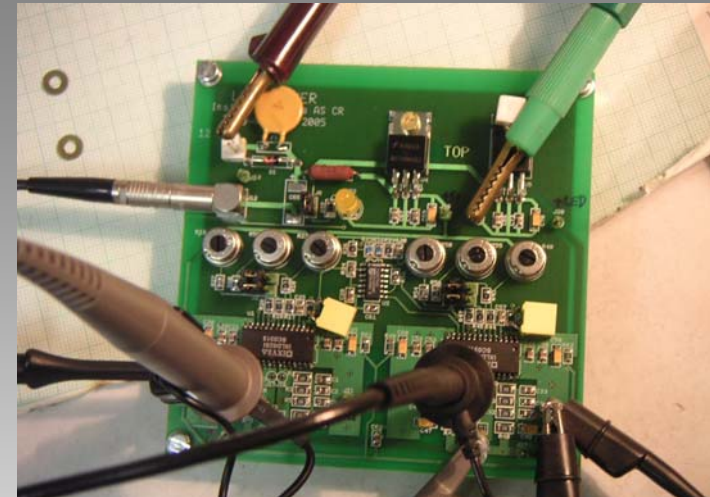
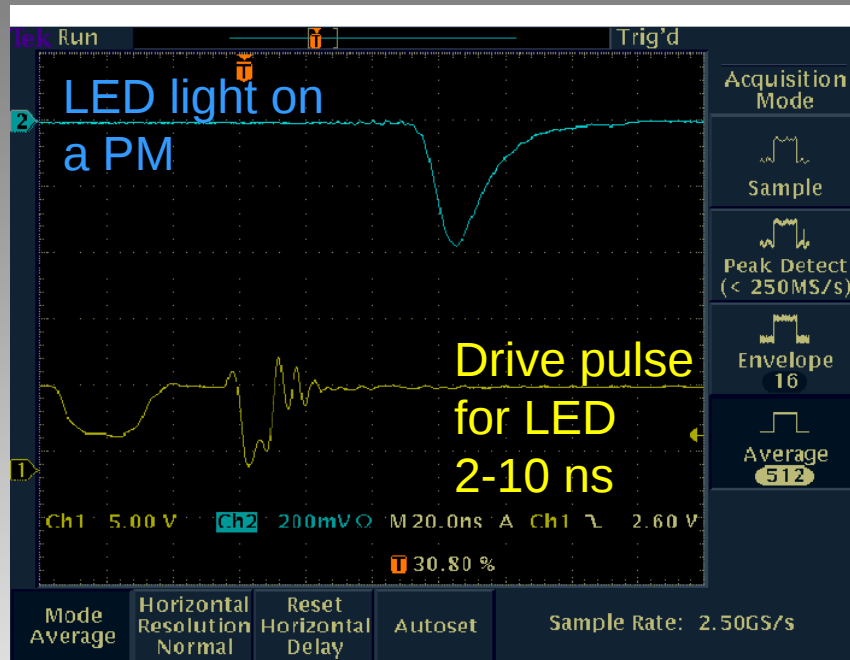
$$LY_{PIN} \text{ (⚠️)} 200 LY_{SiPM}$$

→ large pre-amplification needed for PIN diode signal:  $\sim 500$

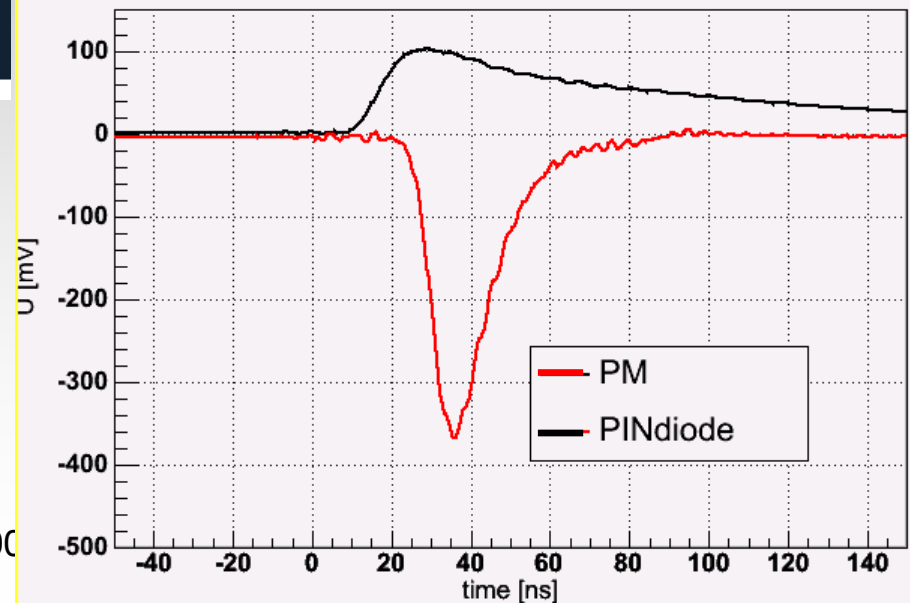


- observed strong LY reduction for increased fiber/PIN distance:  $\sim 30\% / \text{mm}$
- constraint on alignment tolerances

# Calibration & Monitoring board



PM and Ivos Pinamplifier



LED driver allows controlled pulse steering over the range 1-100 MIP with same rise and fall time

PIN diode signal  $\sim 4 <$  PM signal  
➔ Can be readout on the ASIC

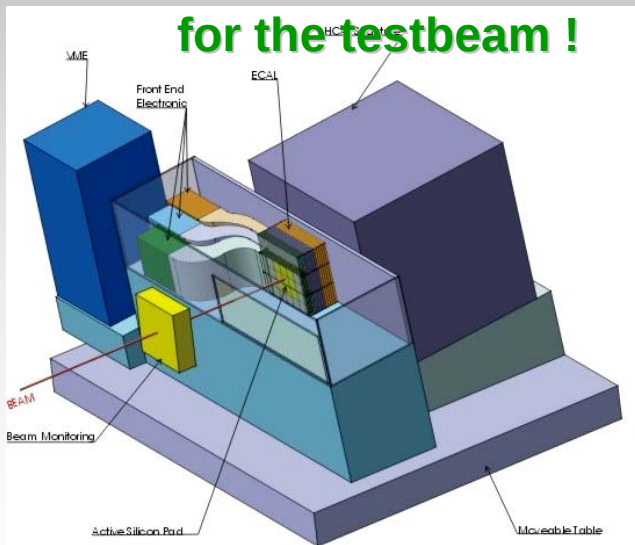
# Conclusion & Outlook

Established calibration procedure

- already successfully applied to 100 ch. technical prototype
- now to be extended to 8000 ch.

Very ambitious monitoring system required ... on its way

**We are actively preparing  
for the testbeam !**



**The very popular plot...**

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow WW\nu\bar{\nu}, e^+e^- \rightarrow ZZ\nu\bar{\nu}$$

