

# Status Report on Scintillator/SiPM counters for the FES Lumi Trigger System

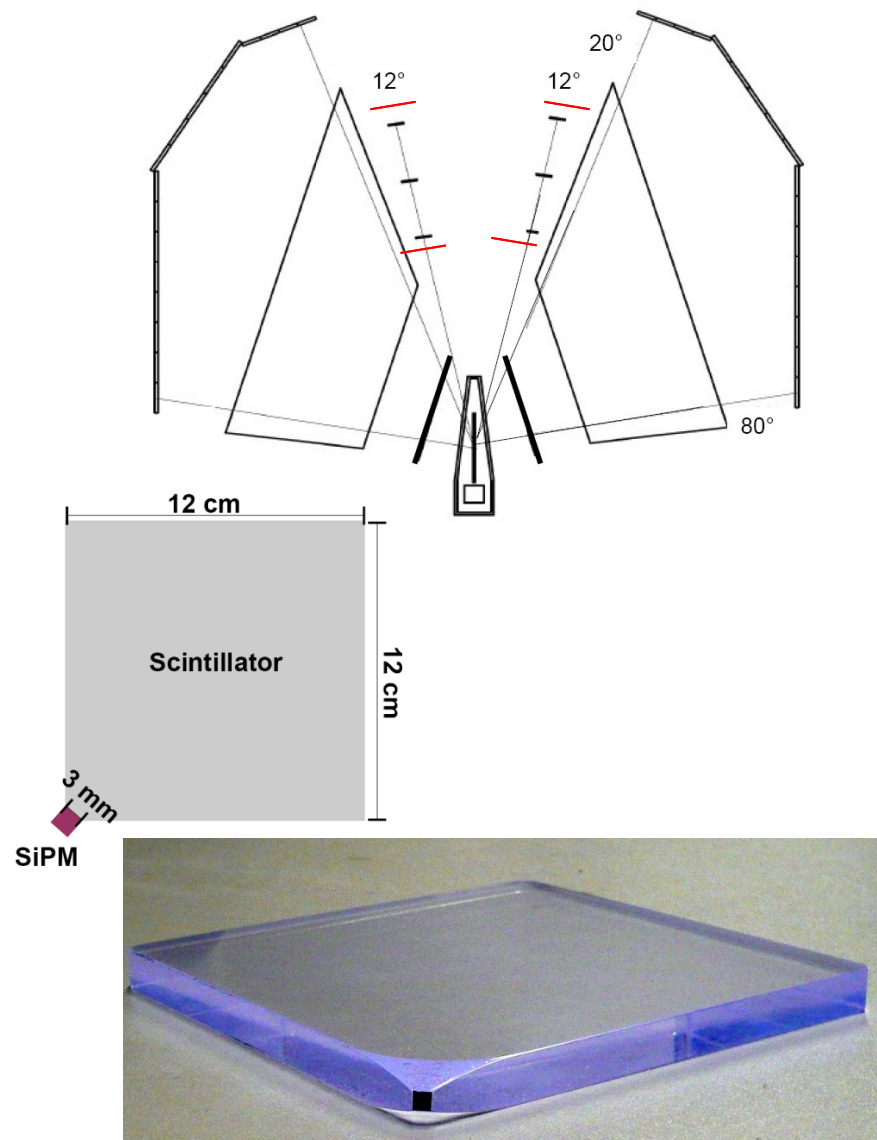
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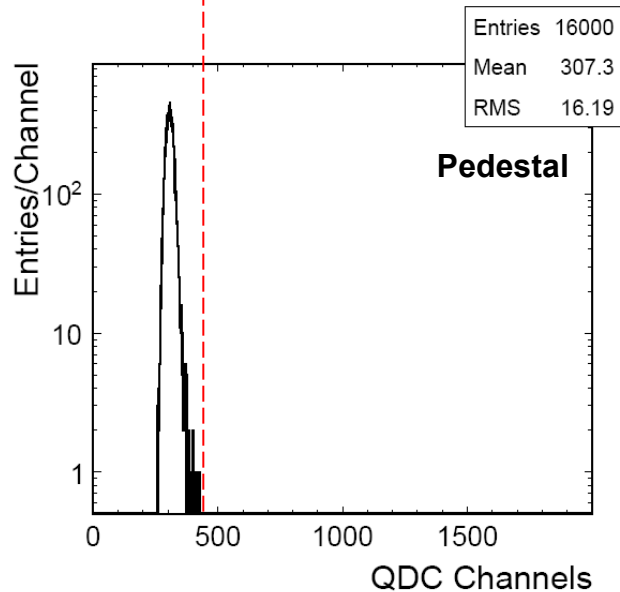
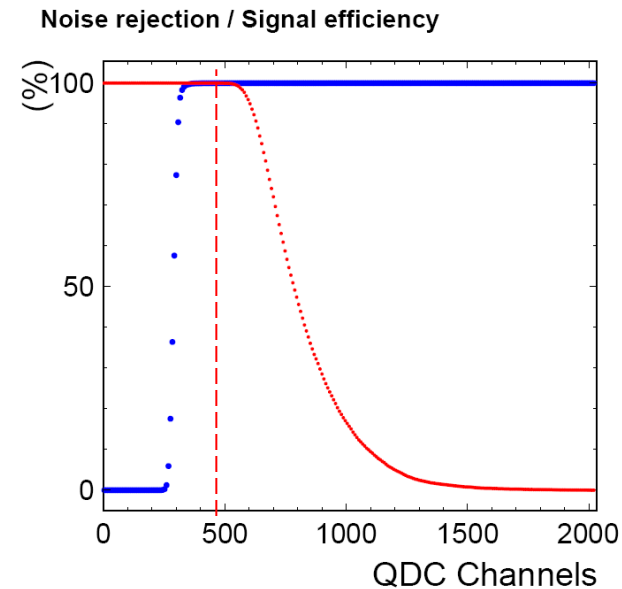
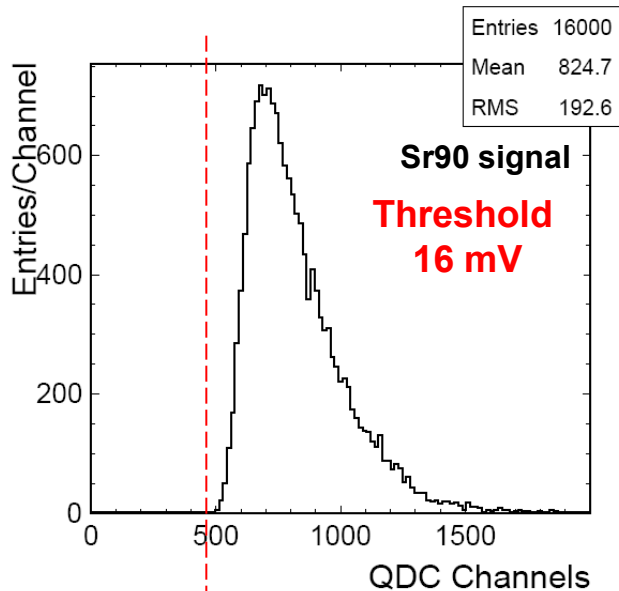
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# The FES LUMI trigger system



- All detectors, front end electronics are NEW,
- 2 x 2 Scintillator/SiPM detection system installed on the detector.
- **Scintillators:**
  - 12x12x0.8 cm<sup>3</sup>
  - Curvilinear shape of the SiPM read out window for better scintillation light collection.
- **SiPMs:**
  - Hamamatsu 3x3 mm<sup>2</sup> , 1600 pixels
  - Better sensitivity to blue scintillation light (P.D.E. 40% at 400 nm)

# Counters efficiency Lab Test

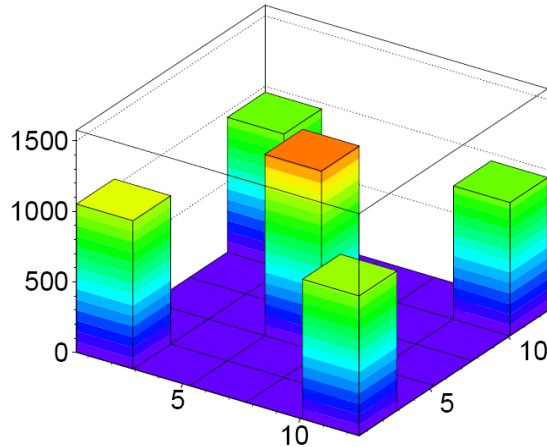


Test with  $^{90}\text{Sr}$  (0.546 MeV, 2.28 MeV  $\beta^-$ -emitter)

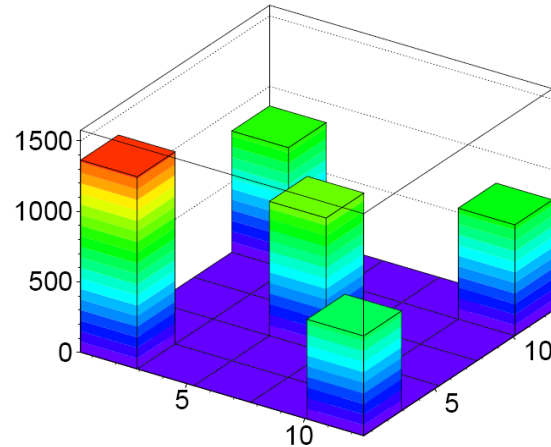
Excellent signal separation (100%) at all impact positions in the scintillator

# Counters efficiency Lab Test

Scintillator/SiPM counter R.1



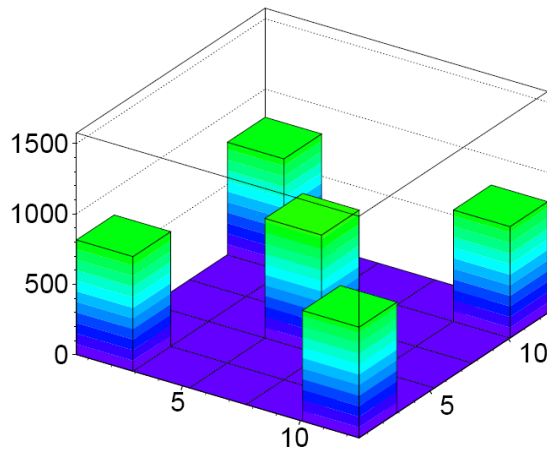
Scintillator/SiPM counter L.1



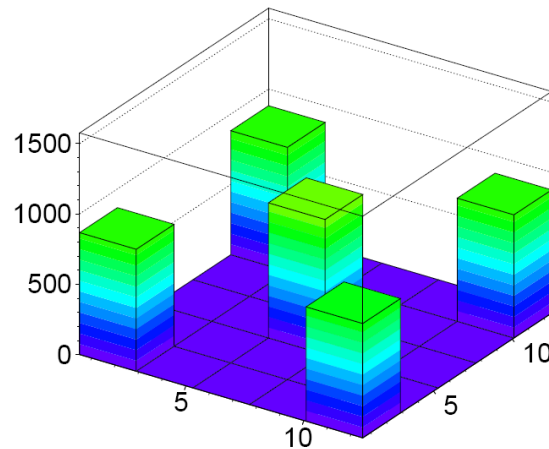
Scintillator/SiPM counters in test setup

$^{90}\text{Sr}$  source placed on five different point on the scintillator.

Scintillator/SiPM counter R.2



Scintillator/SiPM counter L.2

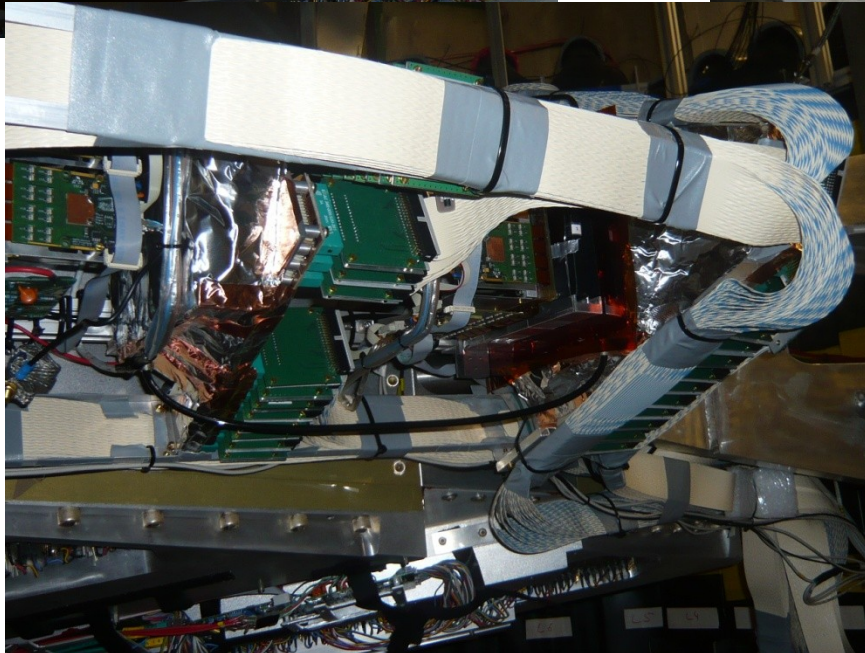


On the plot:  
MPV of the energy distribution

 Noise level

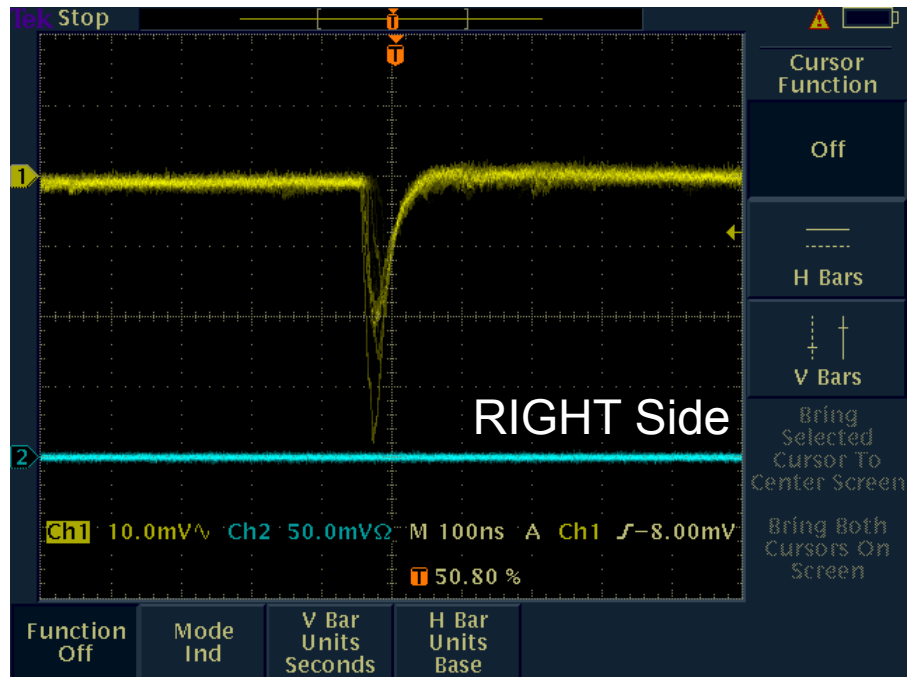
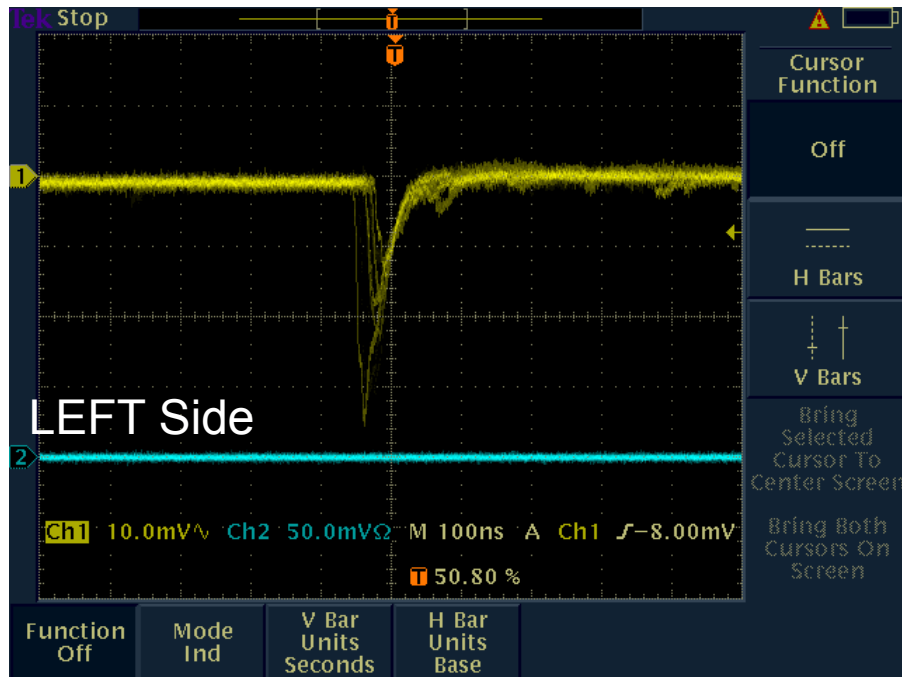
 100 % signal detection efficiency level.

# Installation at Exp Hall





# Counters performance at Exp Hall



Scintillator/SiPM counters installed on the OLYMPUS experimental setup.

Signal from  $^{90}\text{Sr}$   $\beta^-$  source.  
Preamplification (10).

**Noise:** < 5 mV  
**Signal:** 30 mV

The main goal is to suppress the pickup Noise

# Trigger Efficiency and Redundancy

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- First goal for Run is to get good performance (Trigger Efficiency) of the Scintillator/SiPM detectors (one SiPM per Scintillator),
- Estimation of the Trigger Efficiency, using the MWPC,
- For the future we will consider (redundancy):
  - Monitoring of analog signals from SiPM,
  - Possibility of installation additional scintillator/SiPM detectors, position at second stations,
  - Possibility of preparation the new scintillator/SiPM detector, equipped by 2 SiPM.

# Conclusions

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- FES luminosity trigger system based on scintillator/SiPM technology installed,
- Excellent efficiency signal detection (100%) at low discriminator threshold,
- The test in the Experimental Hall Coinditions is good,
- Pickup Noise Suppression (if will be necessary),
- Plans of the Trigger Efficiency determination and monitoring.