

# Test Result for the bar-type Neutron Detector with a modified electronic set-up.

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# Modified electronic set-up

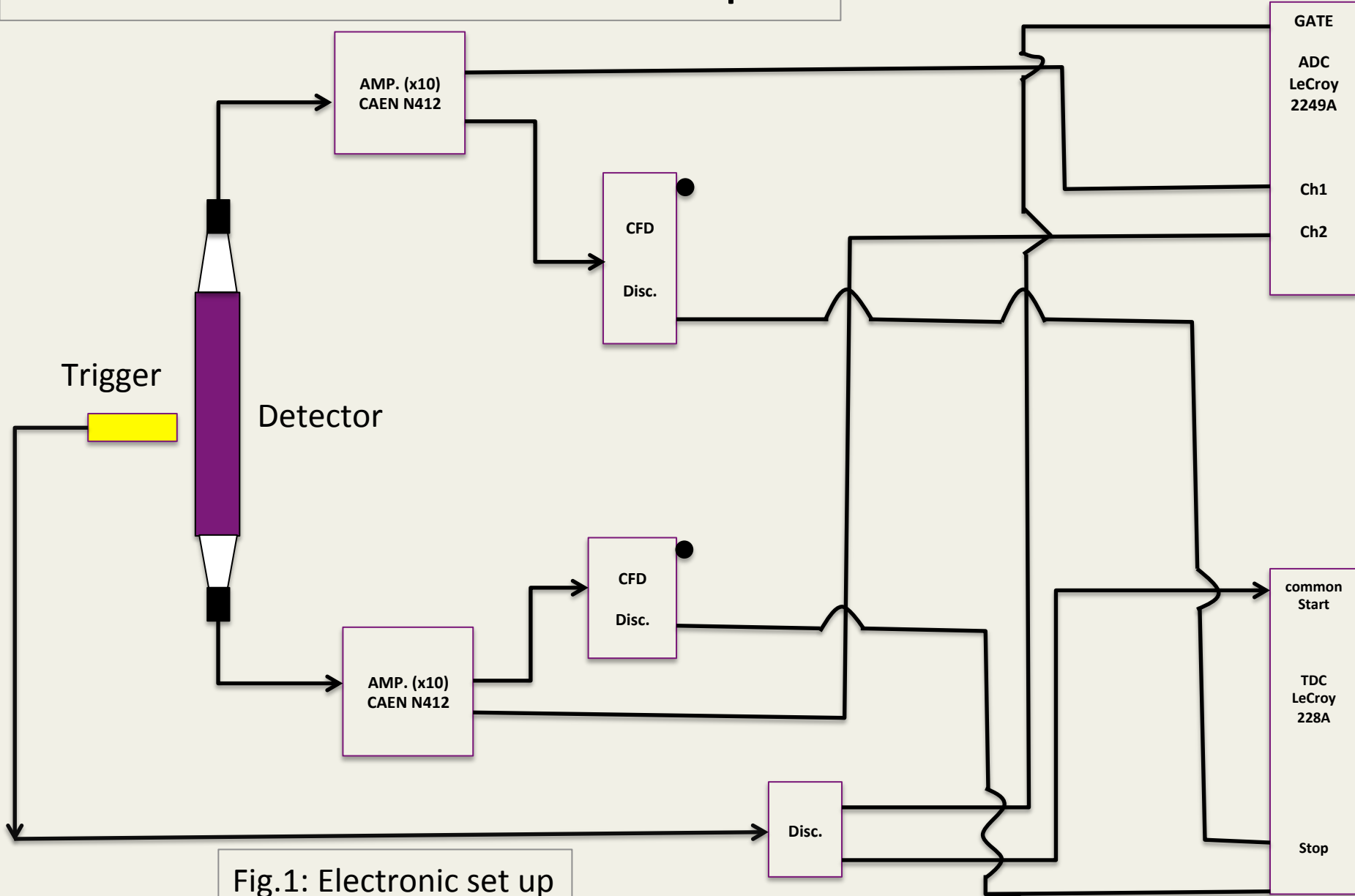


Fig.1: Electronic set up

# $^{60}\text{Co}$ source experimental set-up

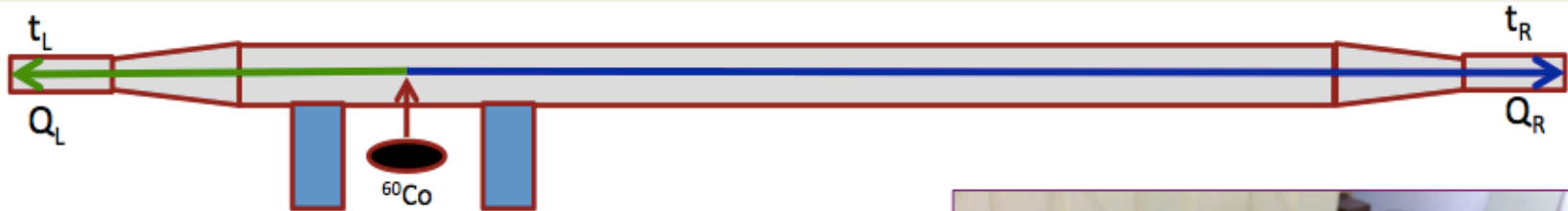


Fig. 2: 2 m-long neutron detector bar

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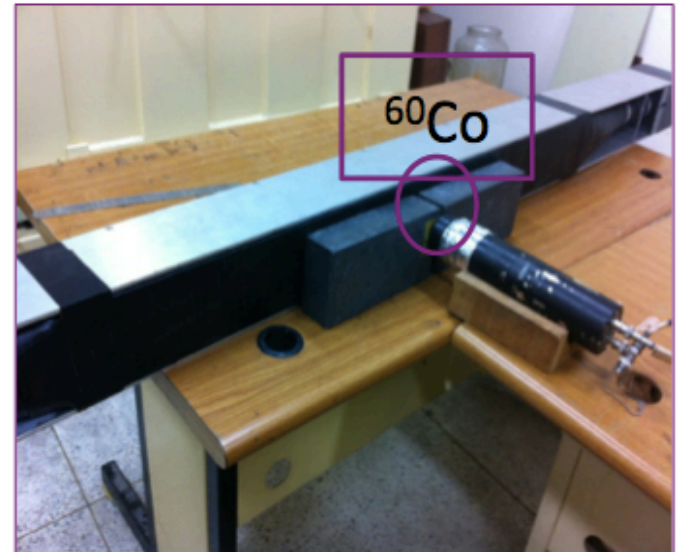


Fig. 3: Expt. set-up with  $^{60}\text{Co}$

# Test result with $^{60}\text{Co}$ source

Ch1 (Left: 2090 V)

Ch2 (Right: 2160 V)

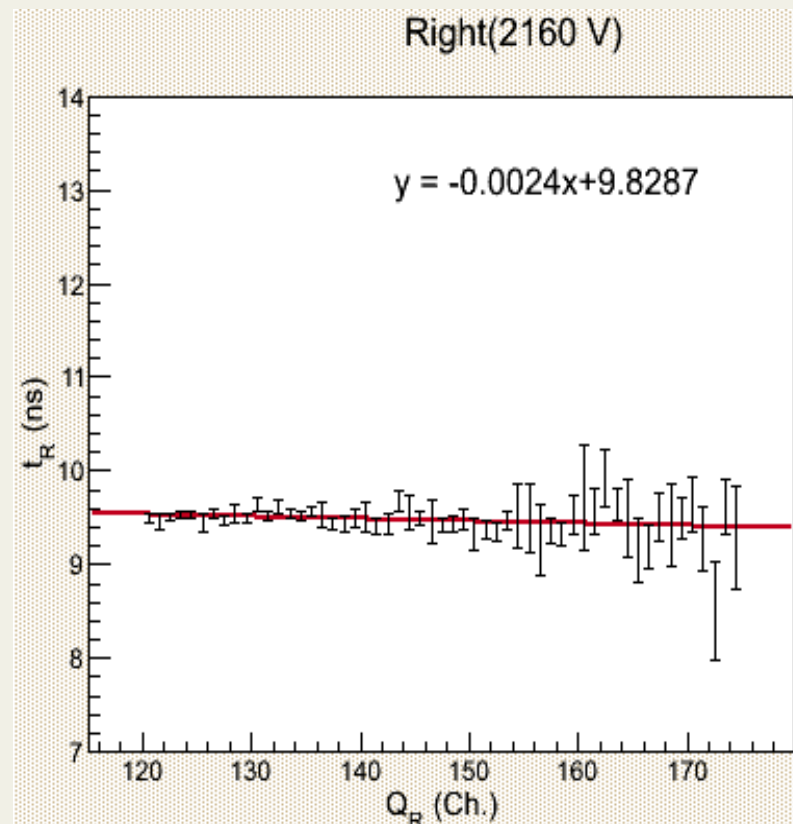
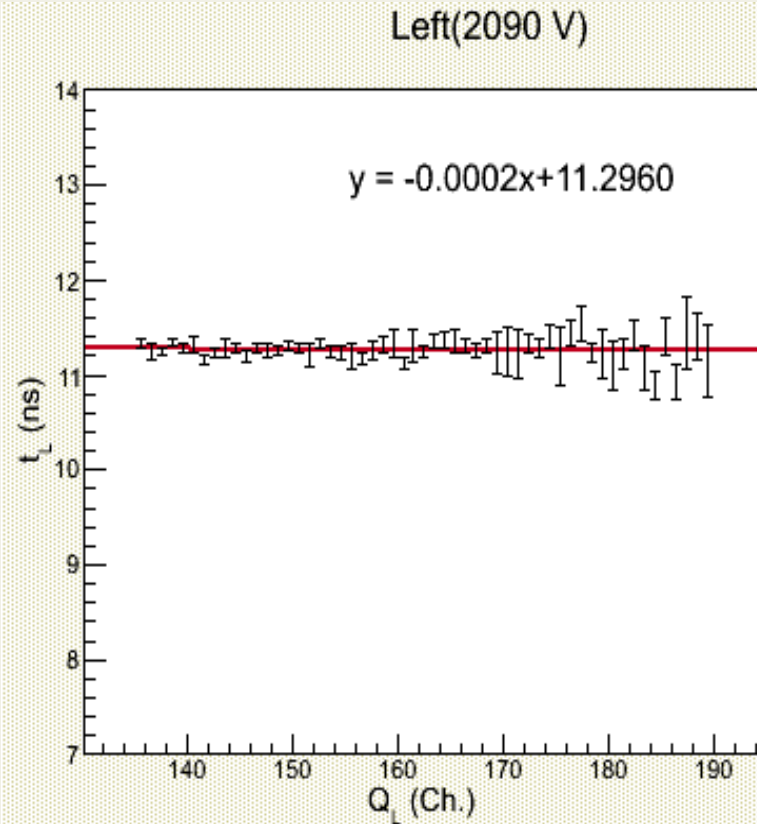


Fig. 4 : Correlations between time and charge values of two scintillator PMTs

# Test result with $^{60}\text{Co}$ source

Time resolution

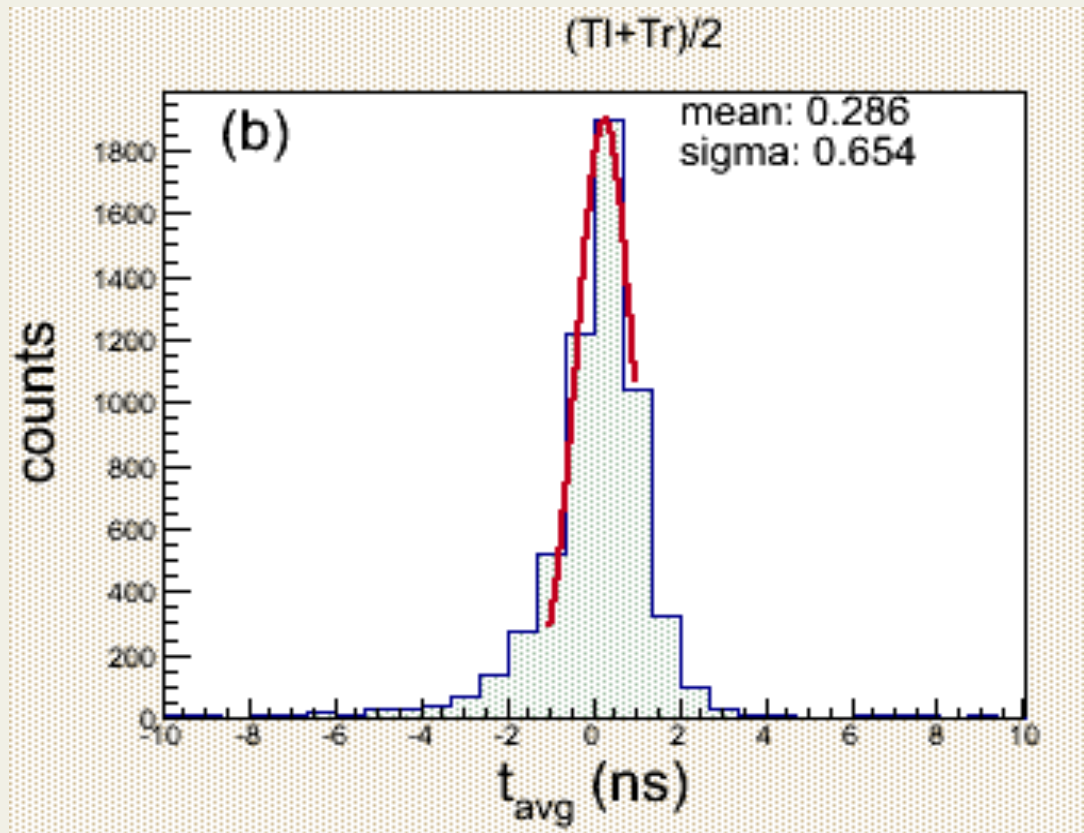


Fig. 5: Average time distributions of two scintillator PMTs after slewing effect was corrected.

# Test results with $^{60}\text{Co}$ source

## Time difference of scintillator PMTs

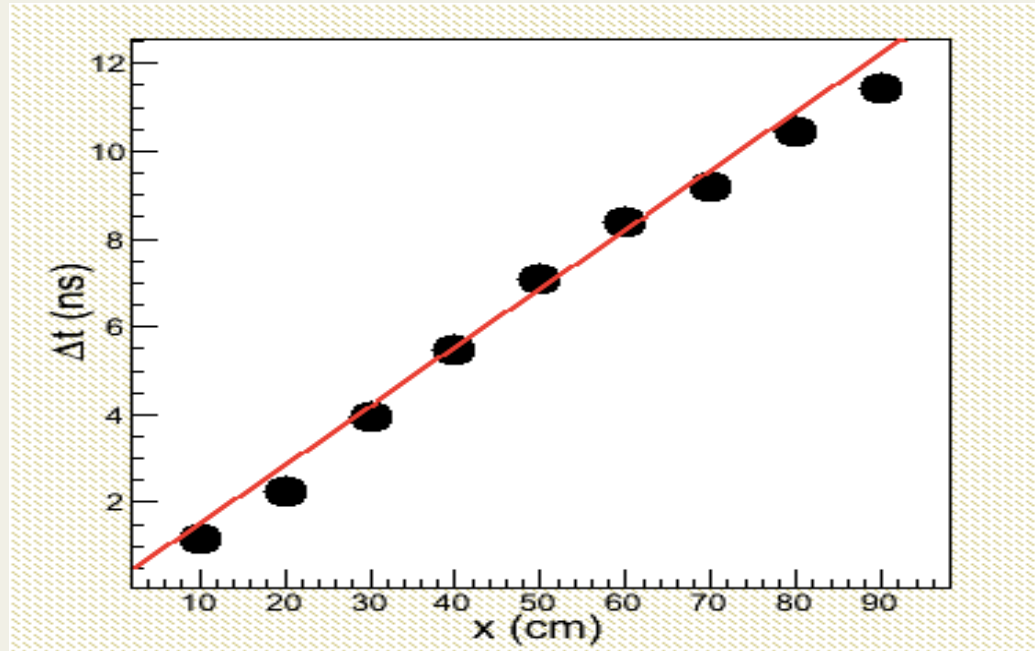
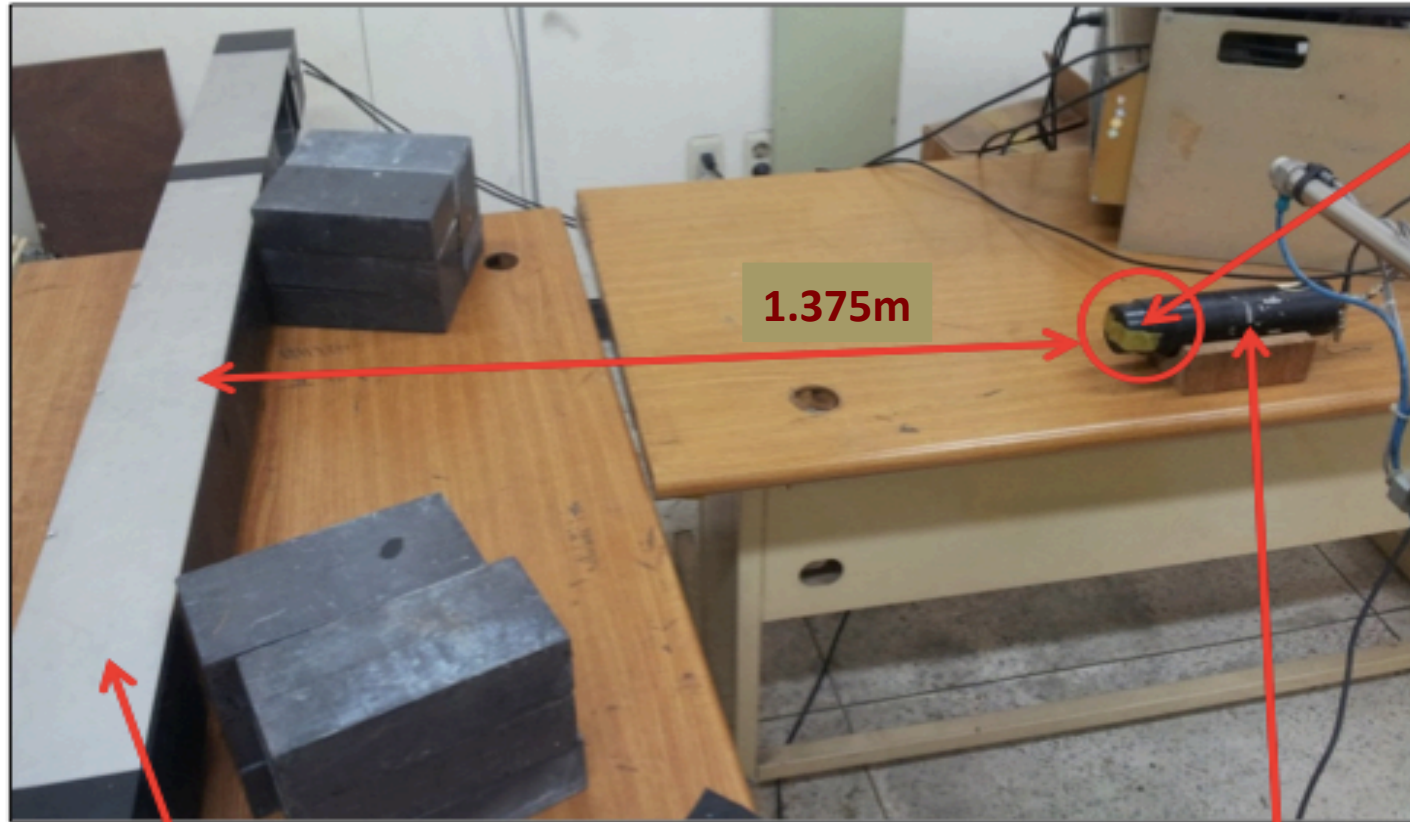


Fig. 6: Time difference between two scintillator PMTs

	$\alpha$ (cm/ns)	$\beta$ (cm)	$\sigma_x$ (cm)
CFD result	$7.44 \pm 0.05$	$-1.25 \pm 0.34$	6.93

Table 1: Fitting parameters for the linear functional form (  $x = \alpha\Delta t + \beta$  ) in figure 6

# $^{252}\text{Cf}$ experimental set-up



$^{252}\text{Cf}$   
source

1.375m

Scintillator  
bar

Trigger  
PMT

# Test result with $^{252}\text{Cf}$

Time of flight distributions

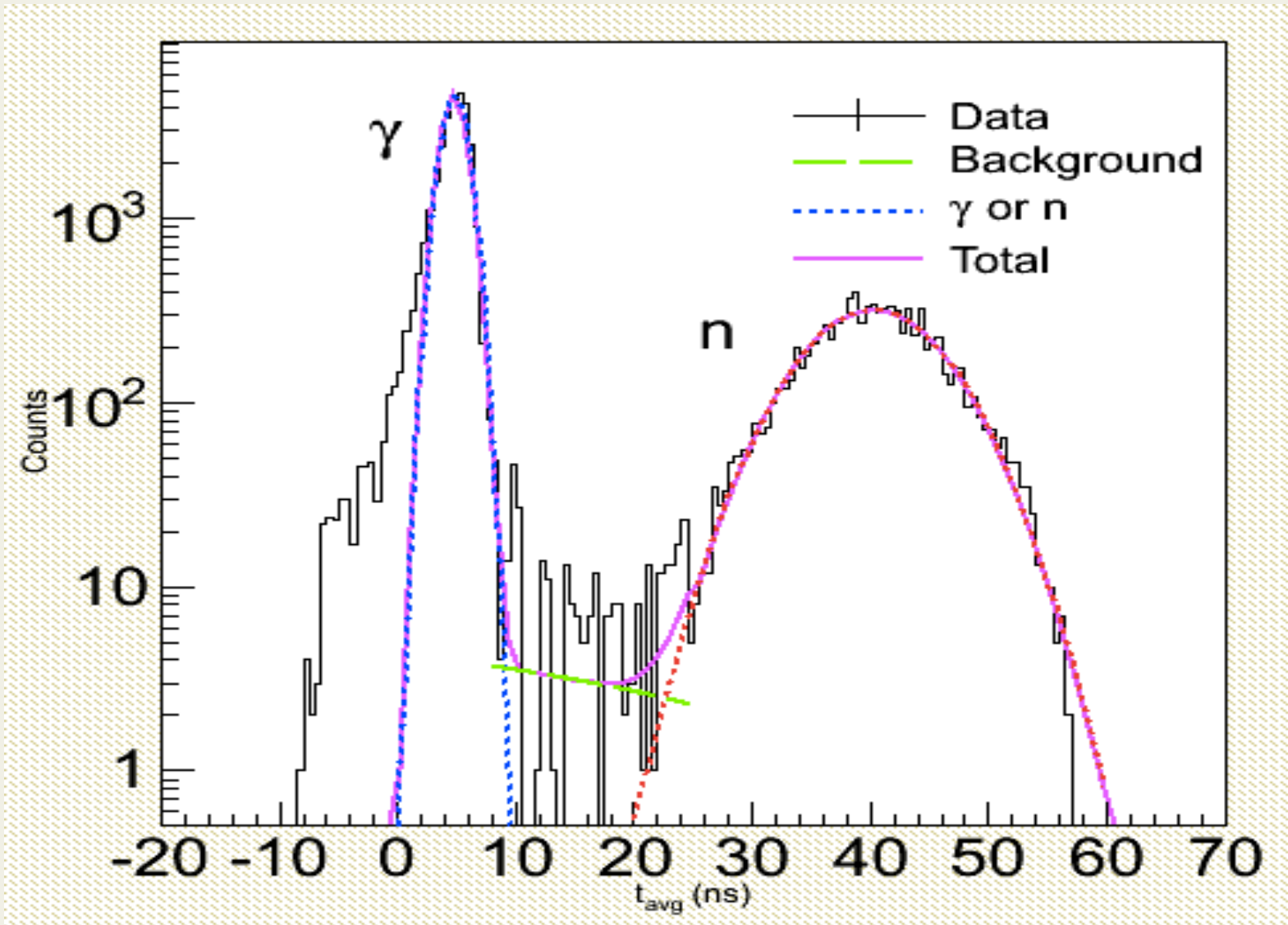
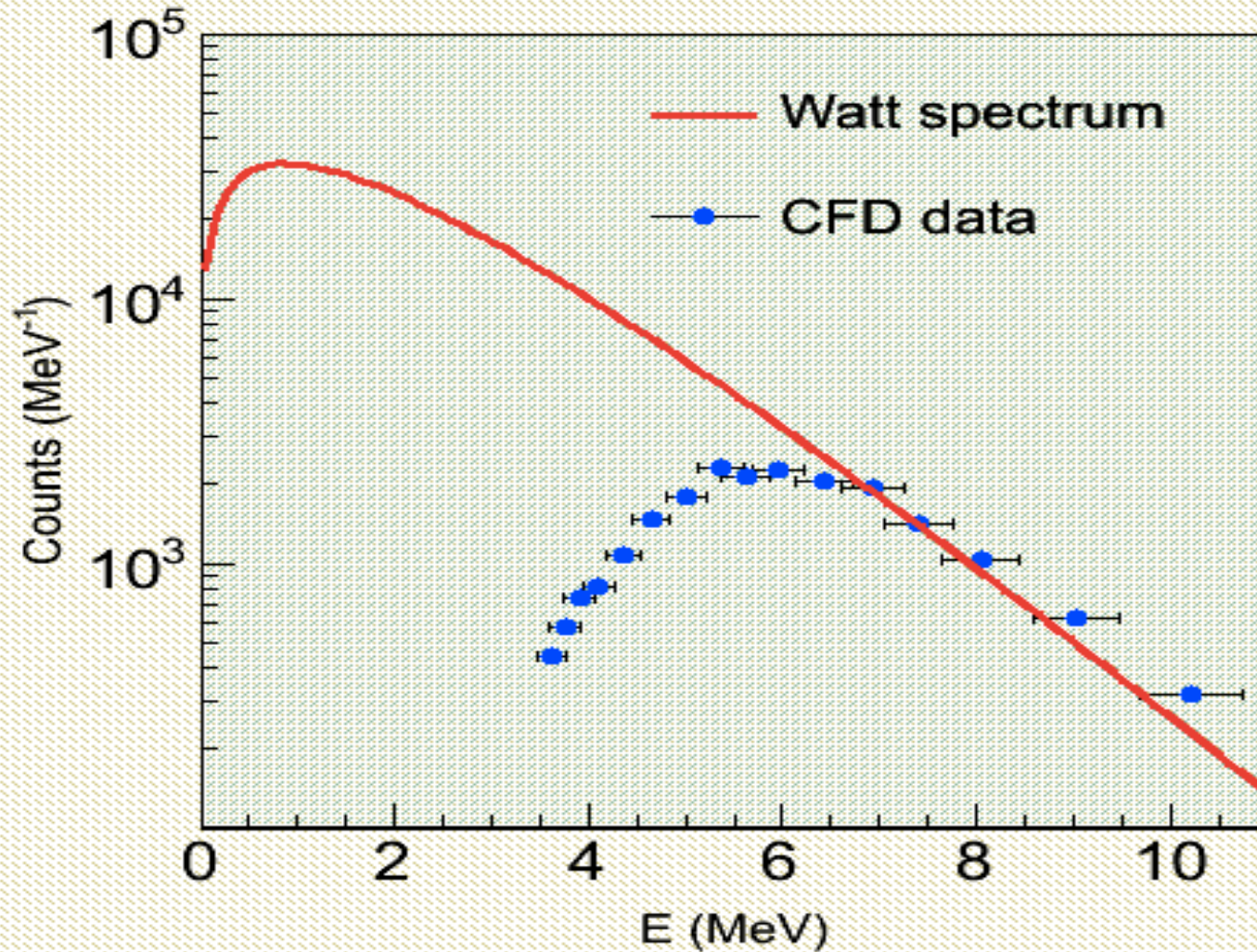


Fig. 8: Time of flight distributions for gammas and neutrons



# Test result with $^{252}\text{Cf}$ source

Final neutron energy distribution



# Test Result for the bar-type Neutron Detector with a modified electronic set-up.

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# Synopsis

- ❖ Second test result for the bar-type neutron detector with a modified electronic set-up.  
*(Fig.1 on slide 4).*

# Objective

With a modified electronic circuit, we aimed to study the performance of the neutron detector in terms of:

- ⊙ Time resolution
- ⊙ Position resolution
- ⊙ Time of flight distributions.

# Modified electronic set-up

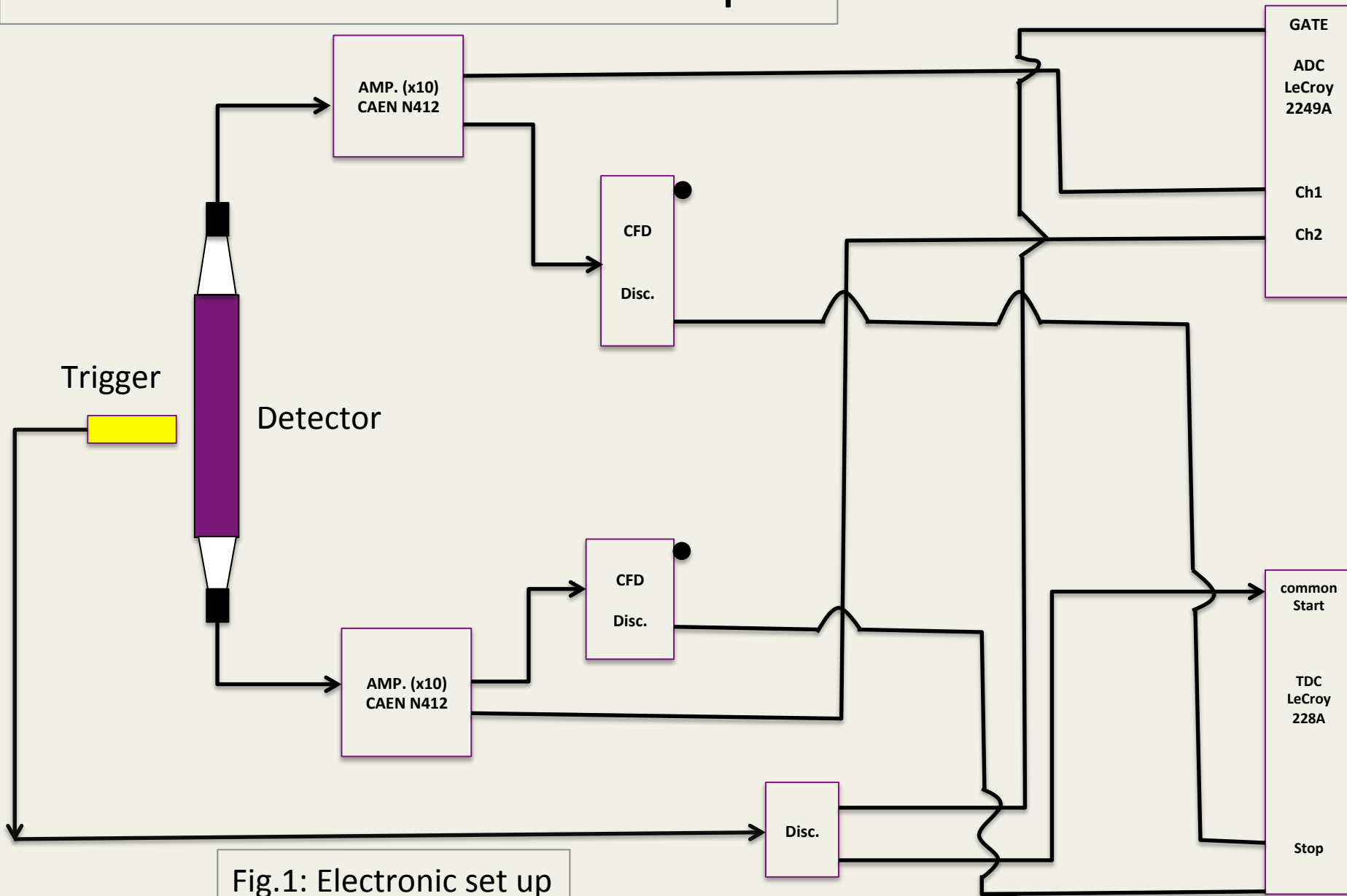


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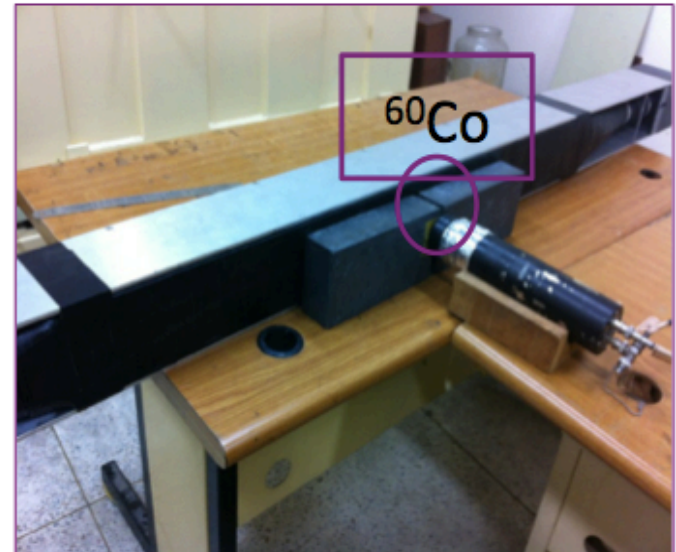


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# Test results with $^{60}\text{Co}$ source

**Ch1 (2090 V): ADC raw data**

**Ch2 (2160 V): ADC raw data**

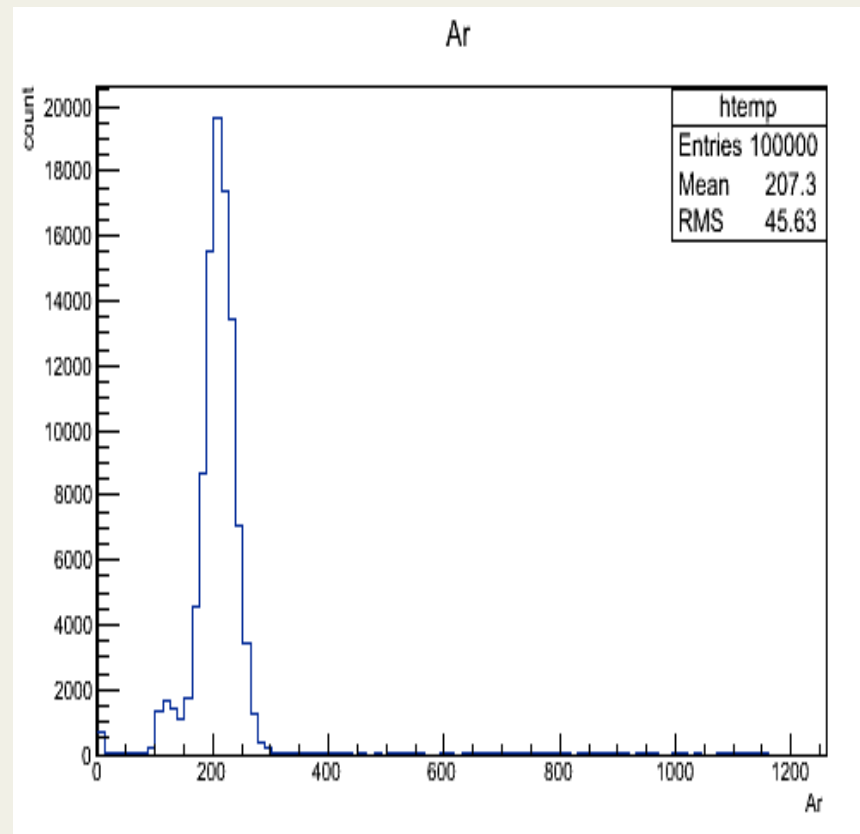
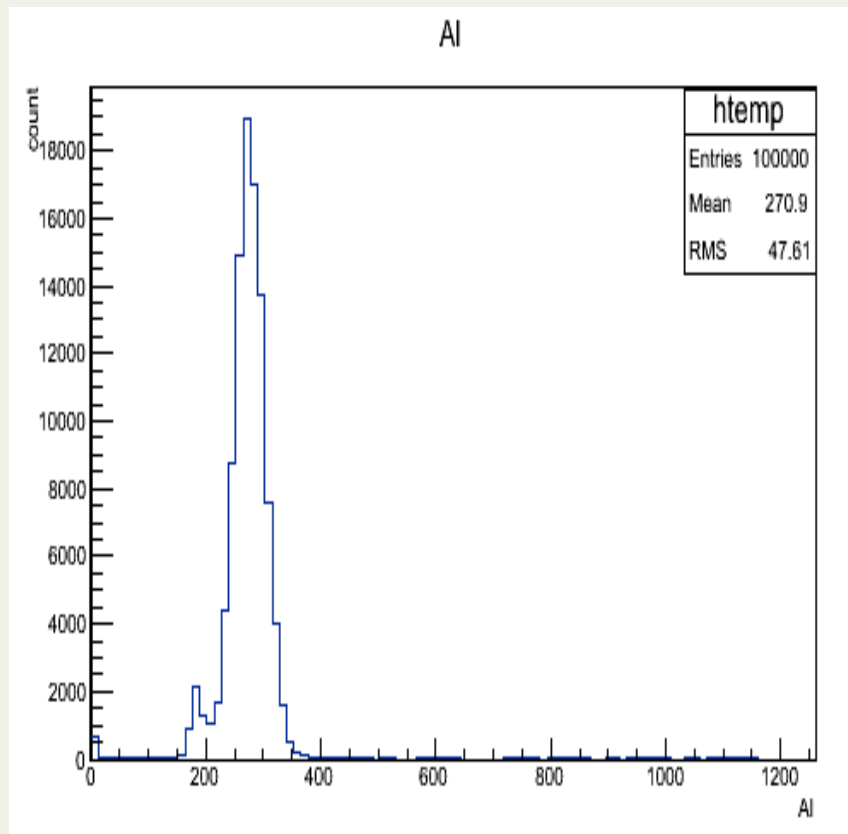


Fig.4: ADC raw data

# Test result with $^{60}\text{Co}$ source

Ch1 (2090 V): pedestal left

Ch2 (2160 V): pedestal right

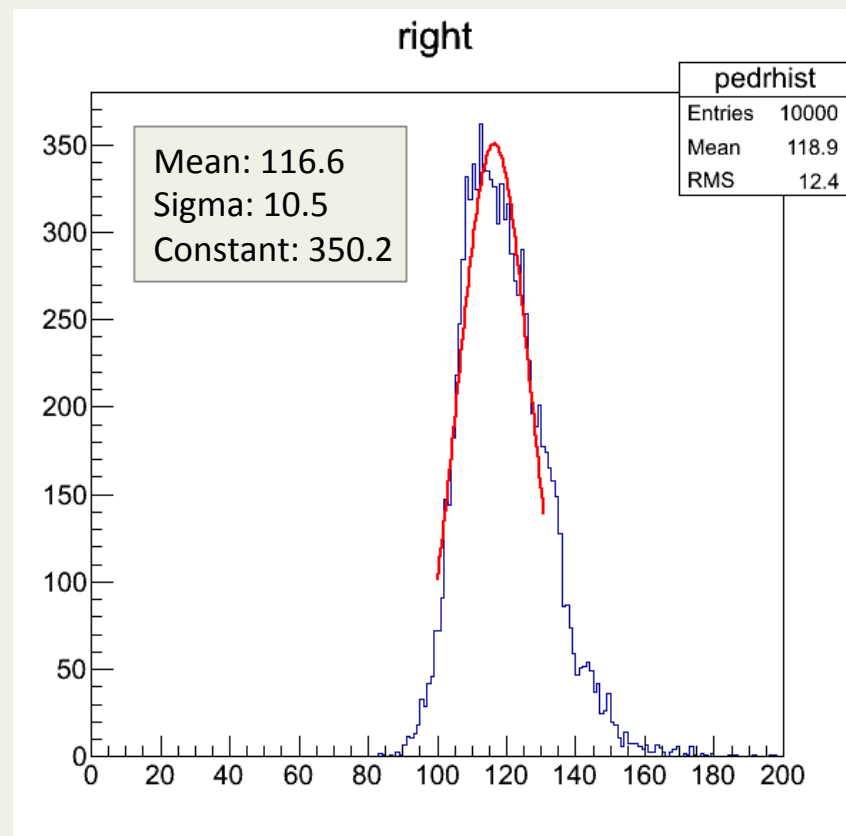
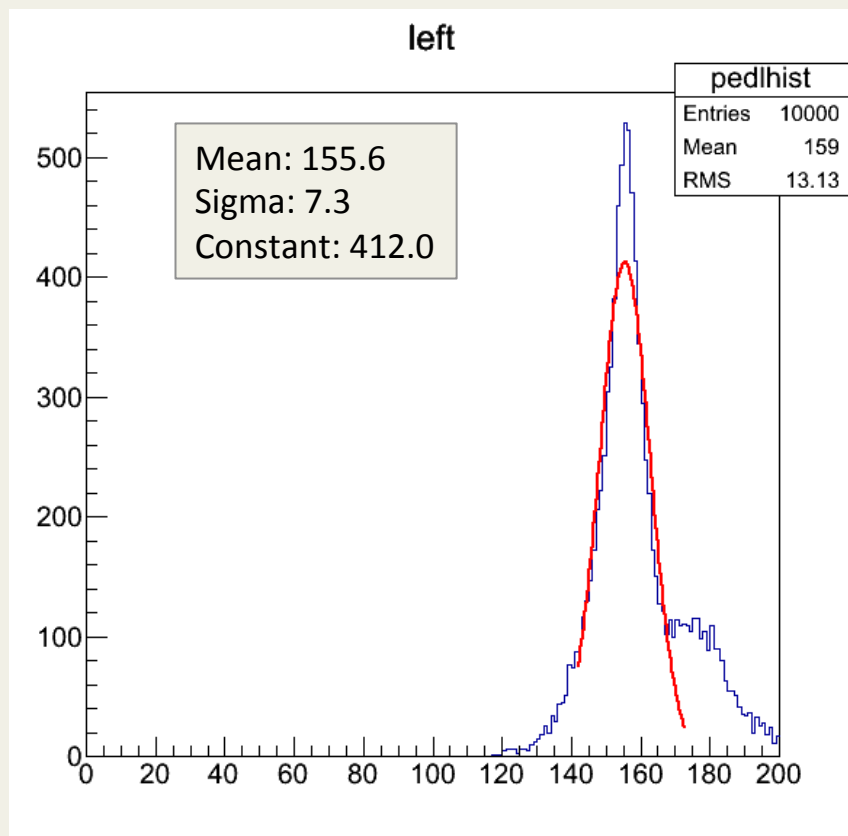
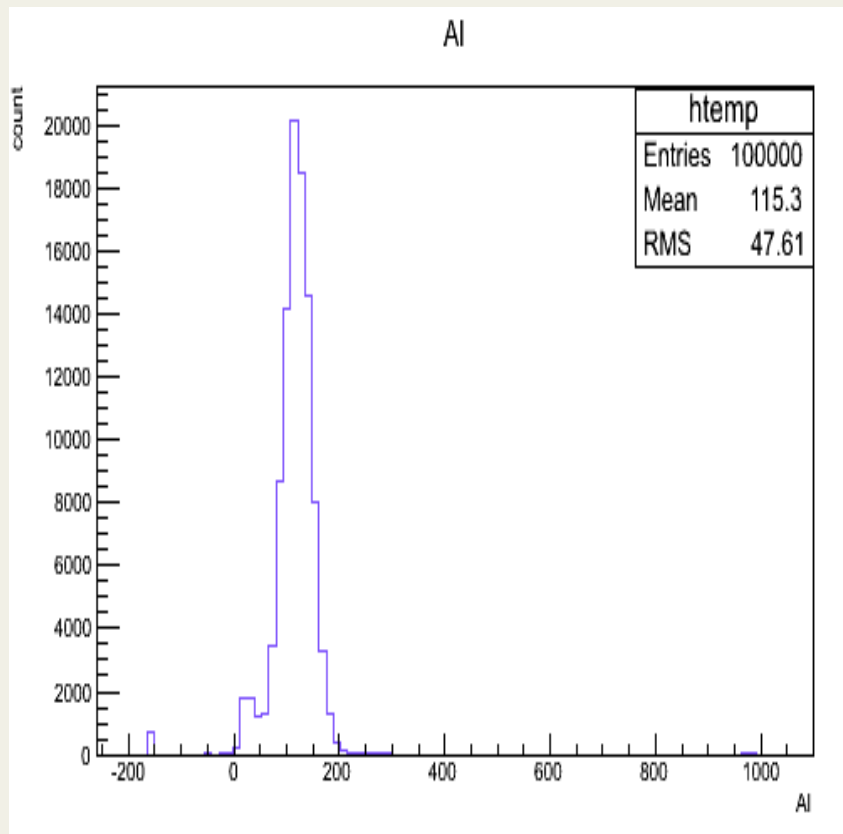


Fig.5: Pedestal data



# Test result with $^{60}\text{Co}$ source

**Ch1 (Left-2090 V): After pedestal subtraction**



**Ch2 (Right-2160 V); After pedestal subtraction**

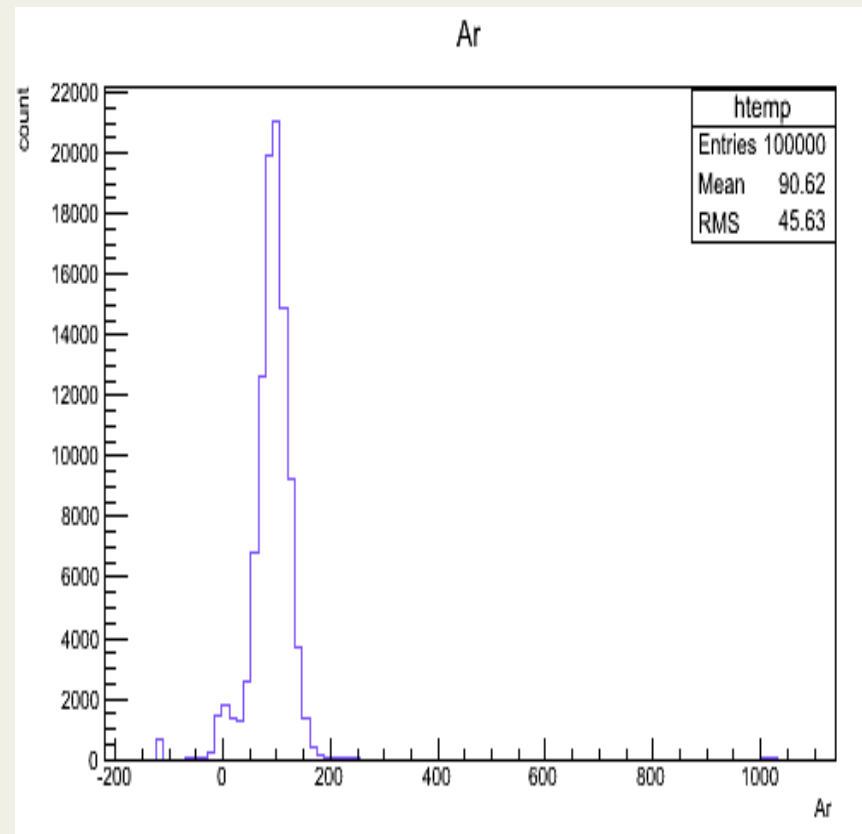
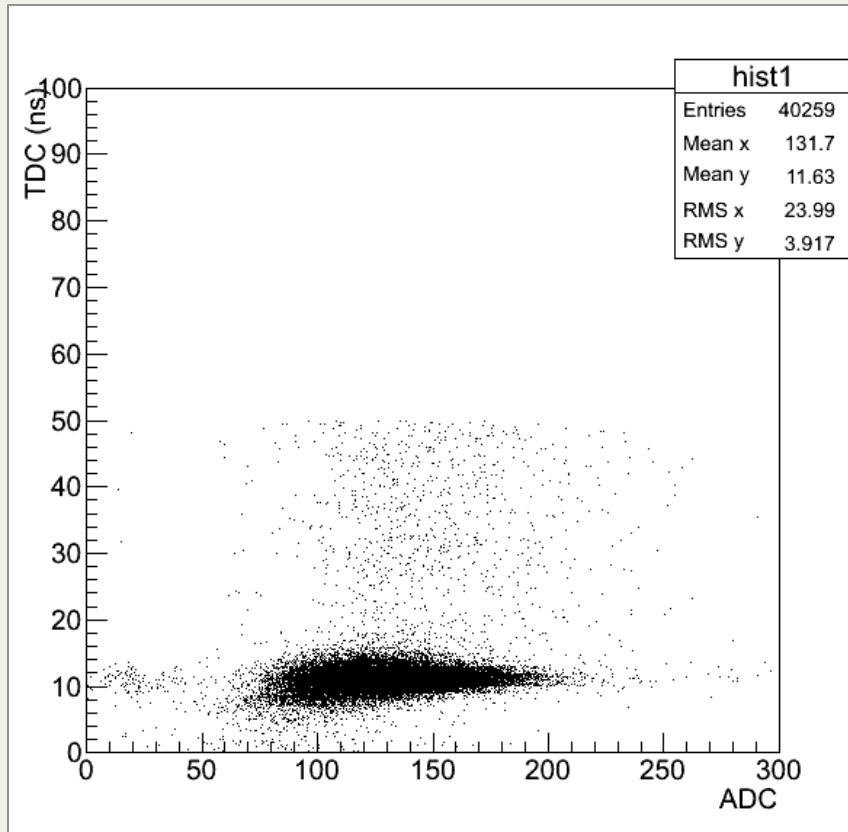


Fig.6: ADC channels after pedestal subtraction

# Test results with $^{60}\text{Co}$ source

## Ch1 (Left: 2090 V) TDC vs ADC



## Ch2 (Right: 2160 V) TDC vs ADC

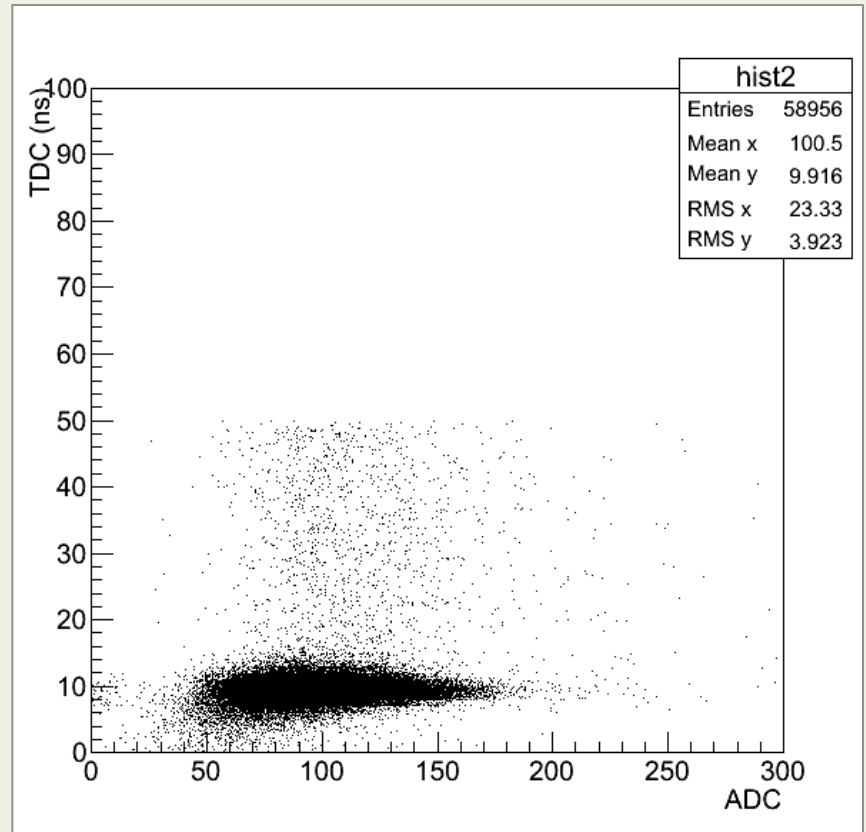
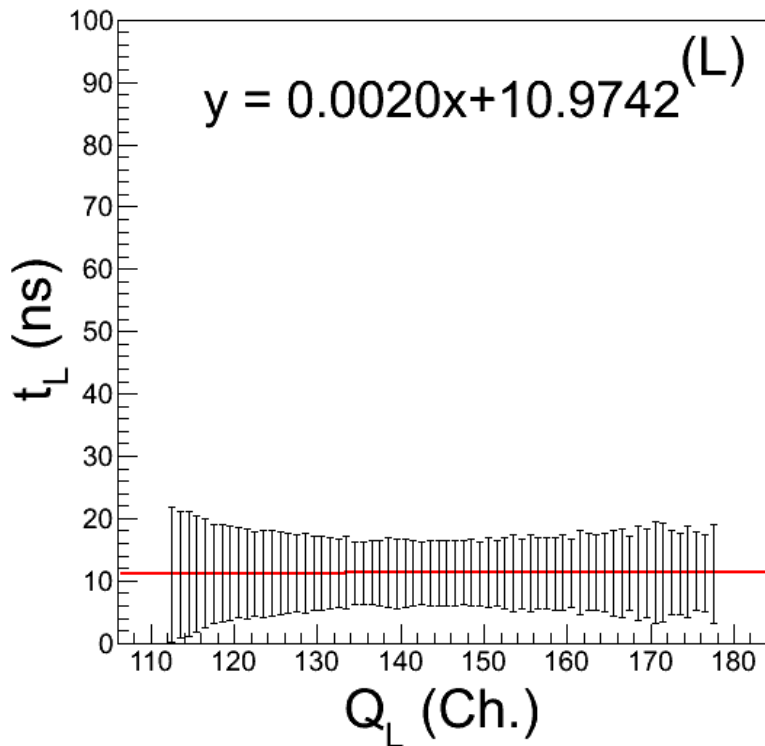


Fig.7: Charge distribution in channels 1 and 2

# Test result with $^{60}\text{Co}$ source

Ch1 (Left: 2090 V) Time walk



Ch2 (Right: 2160 V) Time walk

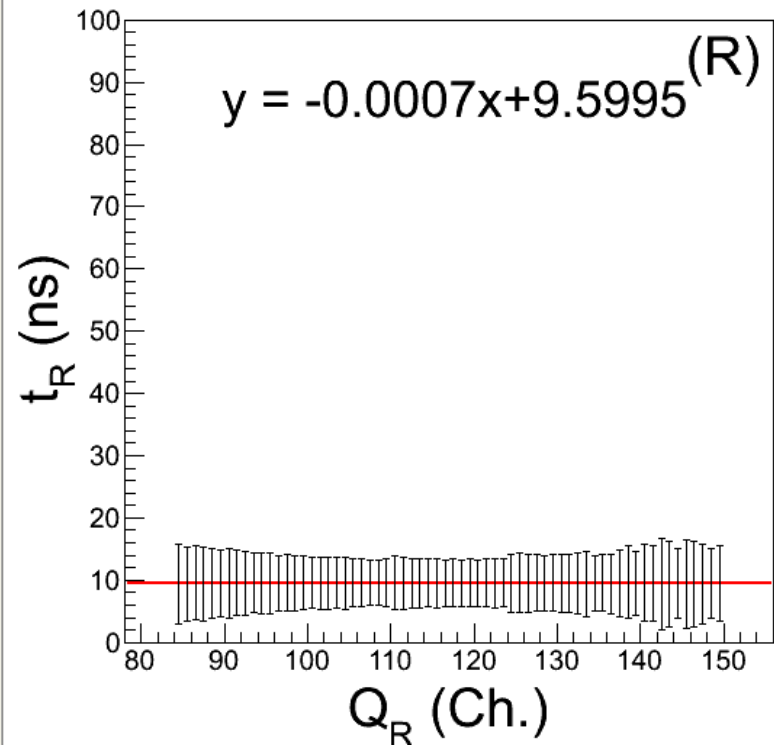
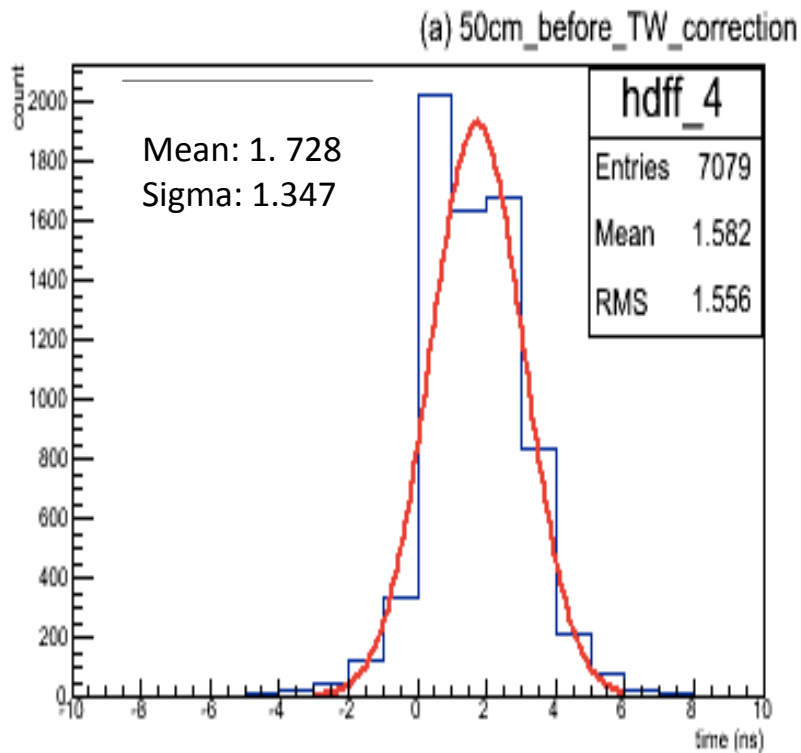


Fig. 9 : Correlations between time and charge values of two scintillator PMTs

# Test result with $^{60}\text{Co}$ source

## Time resolution before



## Time resolution after

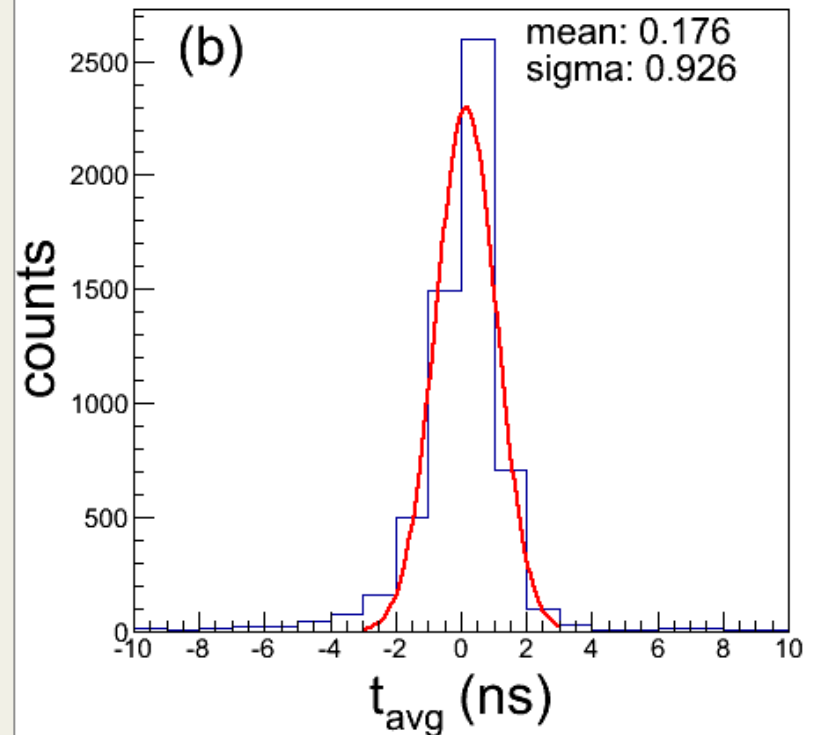
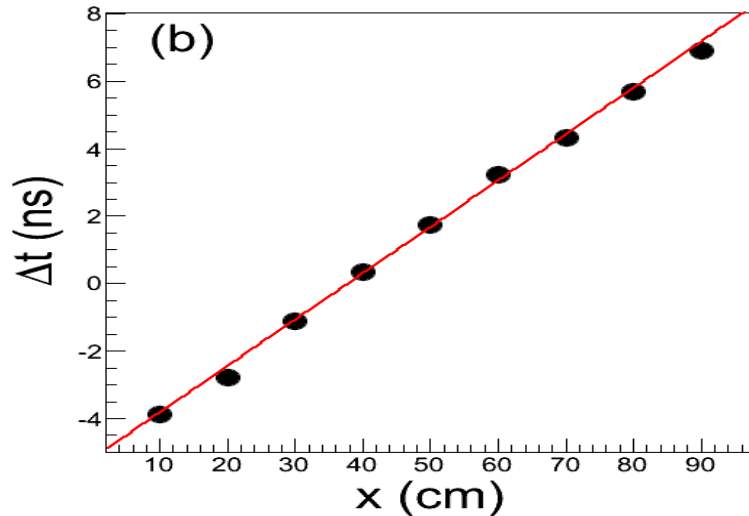


Fig. 10: Average time distributions of two scintillator PMTs before and after slewing effect was corrected.

# Test results with $^{60}\text{Co}$ source

## Position resolution before



## Position resolution after

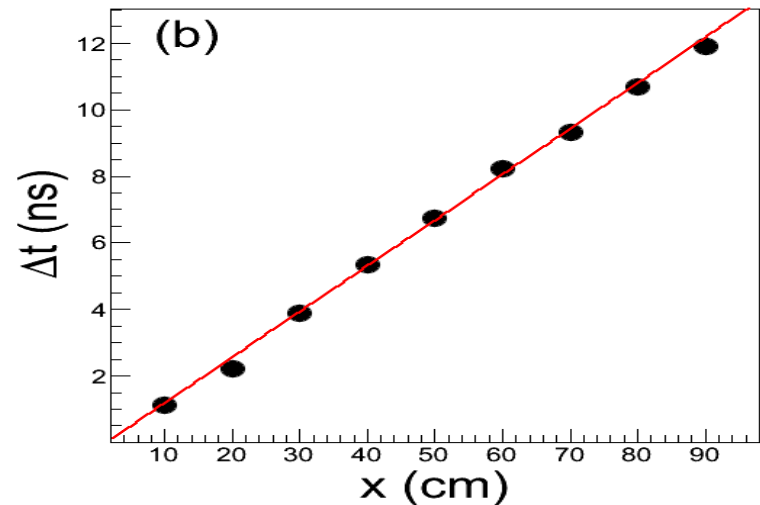
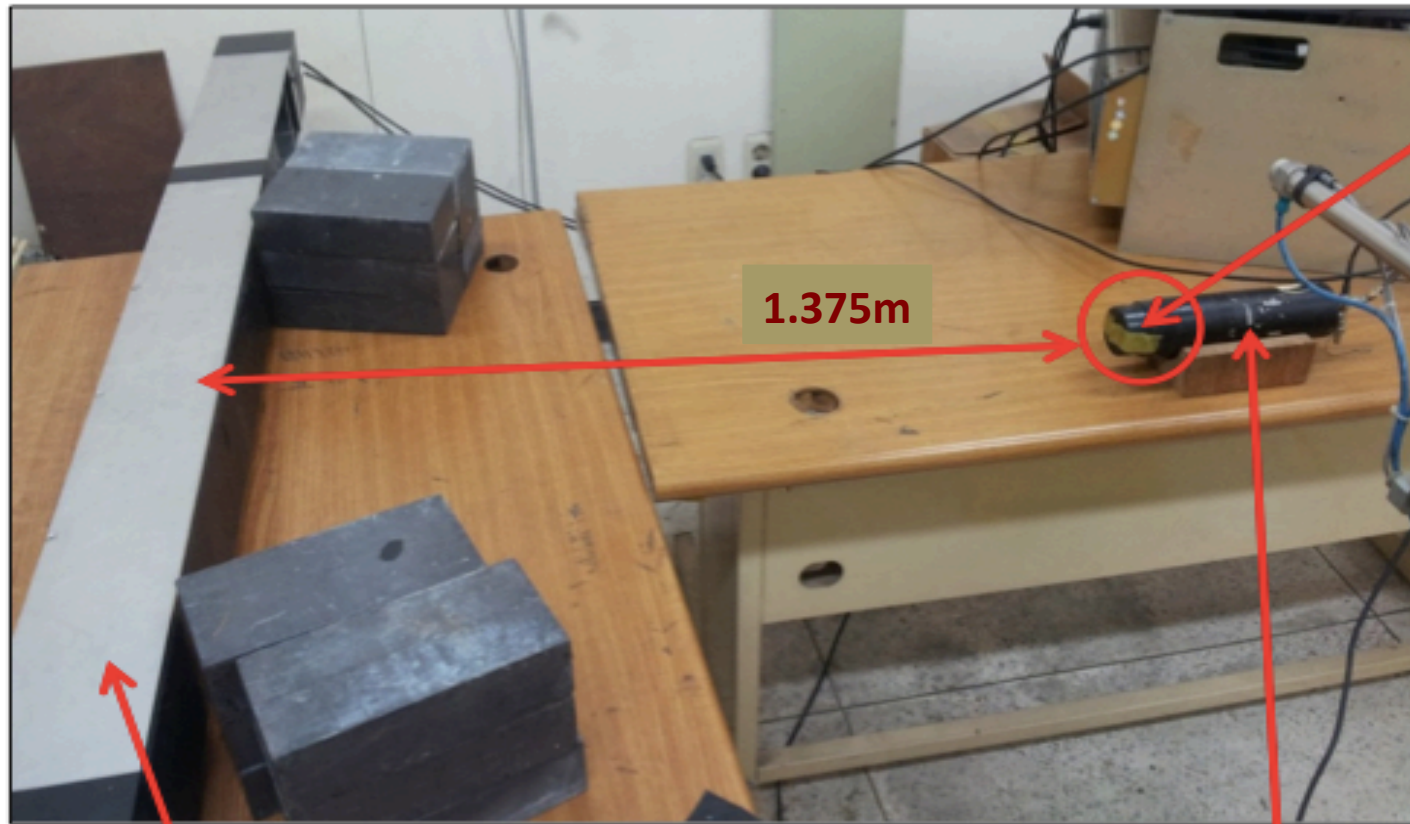


Fig. 8: Time difference between two scintillator PMTs

	$\alpha$ (cm/ns)	$\beta$ (cm)	$\sigma_x$ (cm)
CFD result	$7.28 \pm 0.03$	$1.53 \pm 0.22$	9.81

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# $^{252}\text{Cf}$ experimental set-up



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source

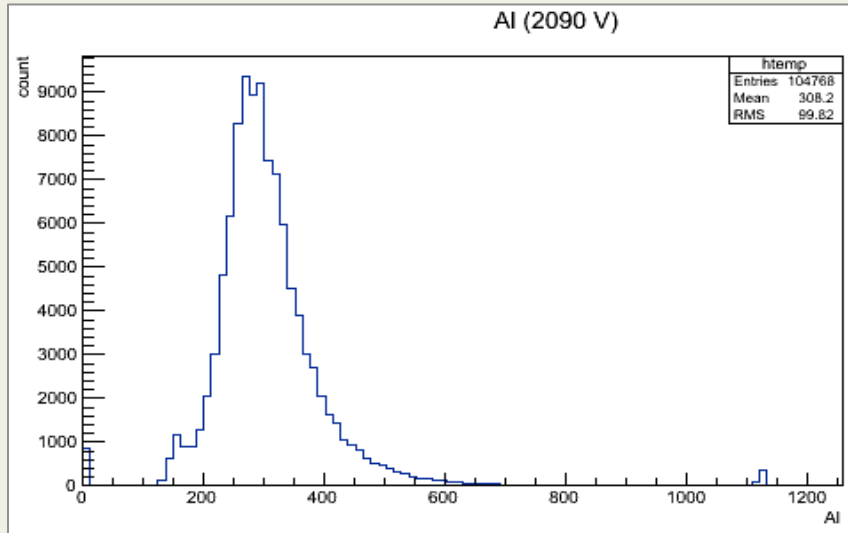
1.375m

Scintillator  
bar

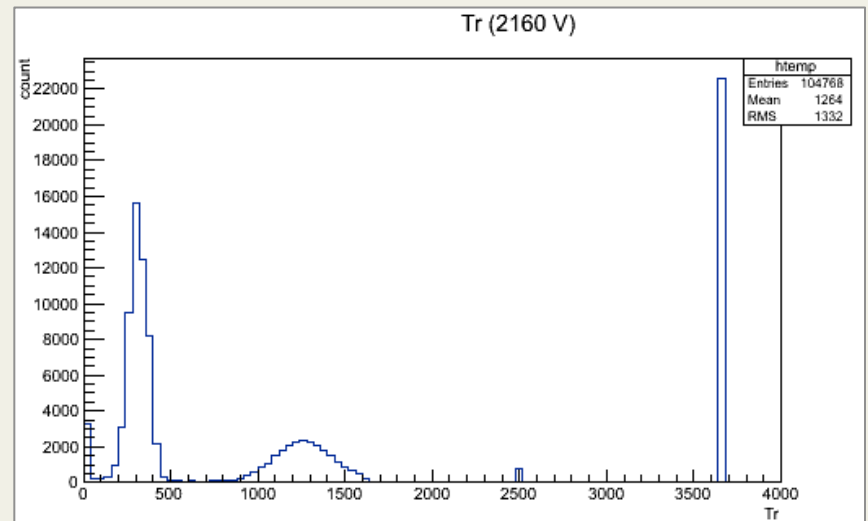
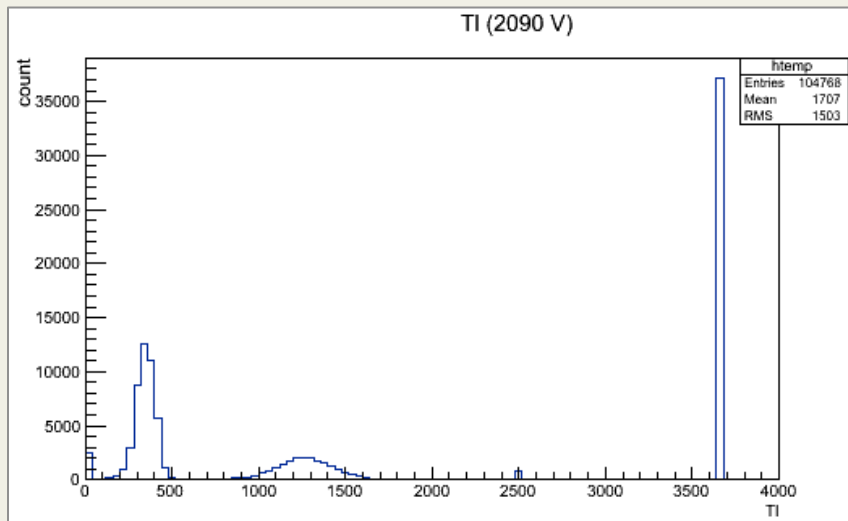
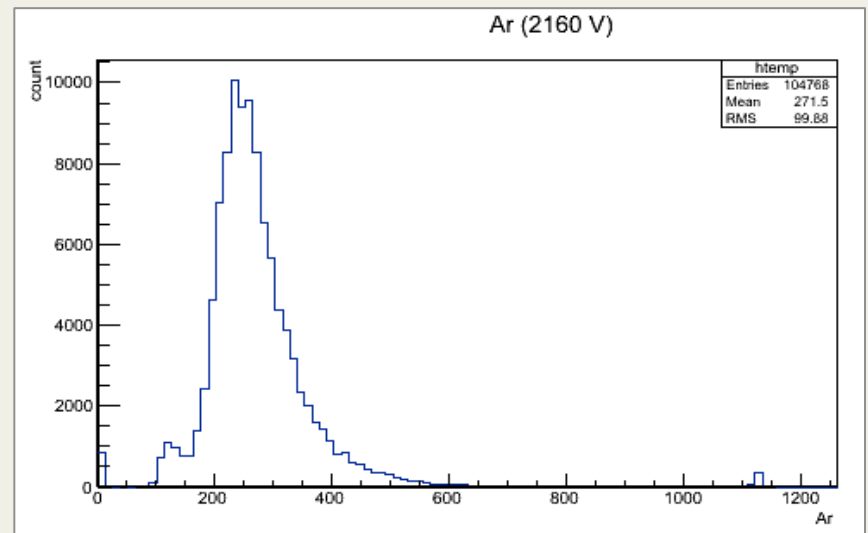
Trigger  
PMT

# Test results with $^{252}\text{Cf}$ source

## Raw data for adc and tdc (left)



## Raw data for adc and tdc (right)



# Test result with $^{60}\text{Co}$ source

Ch1 (2090 V): pedestal left

Ch2 (2160 V): pedestal right

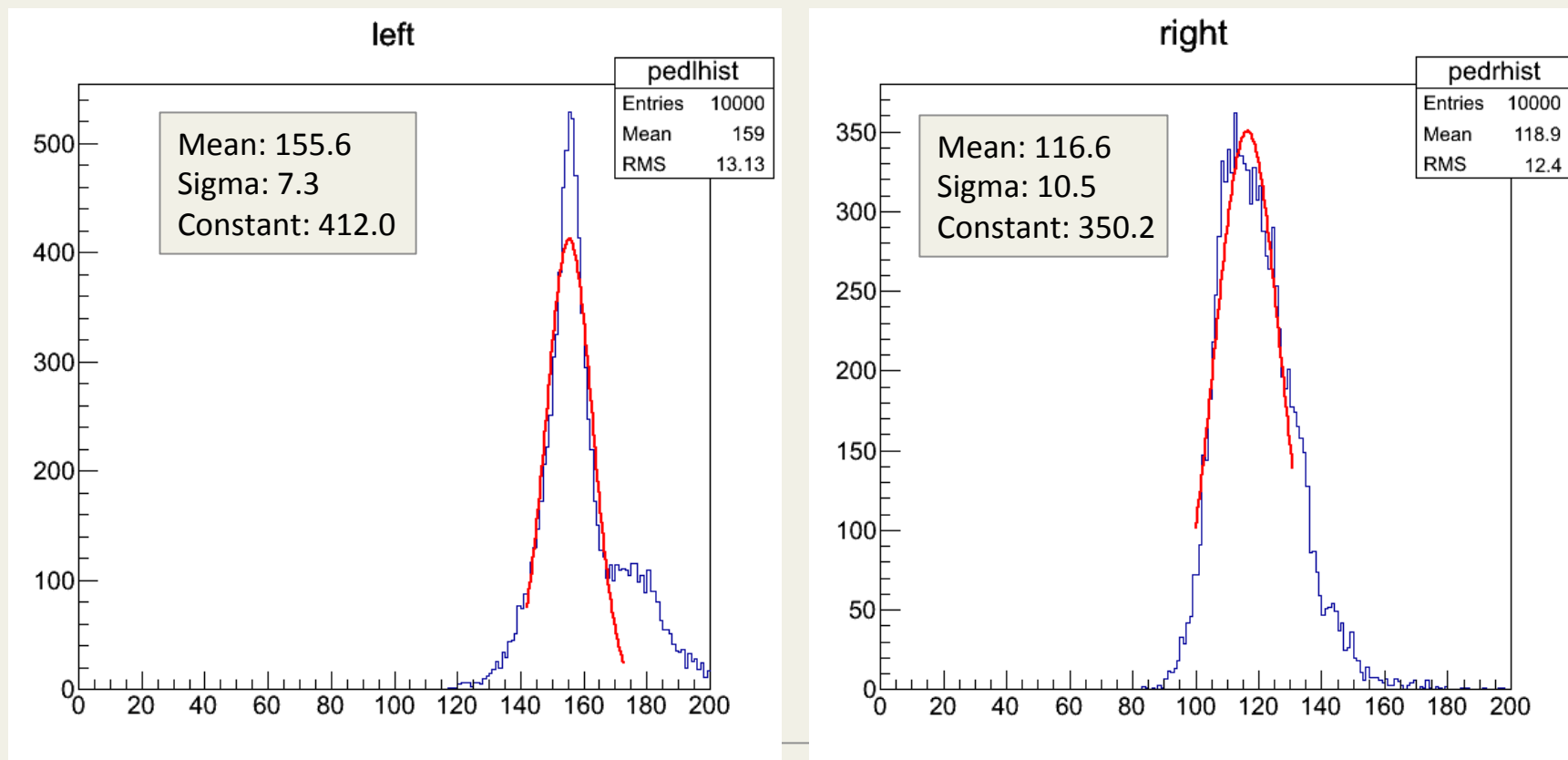


Fig.13: Pedestal data



# Test results with $^{252}\text{Cf}$ source

CFD\_accidental\_left

CFD\_accidental\_right

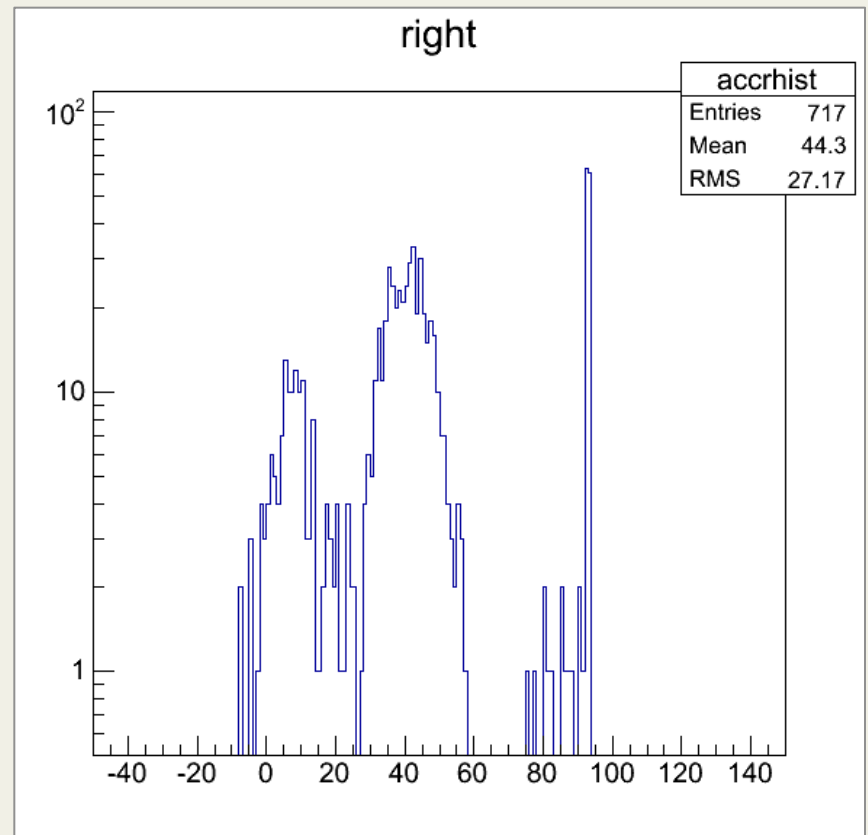
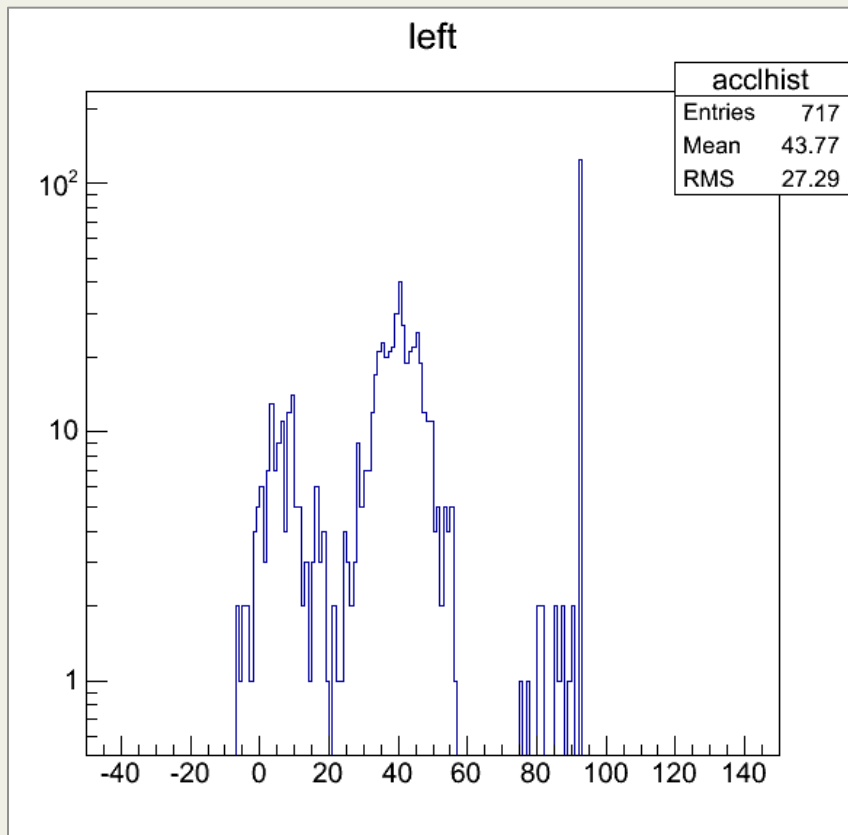
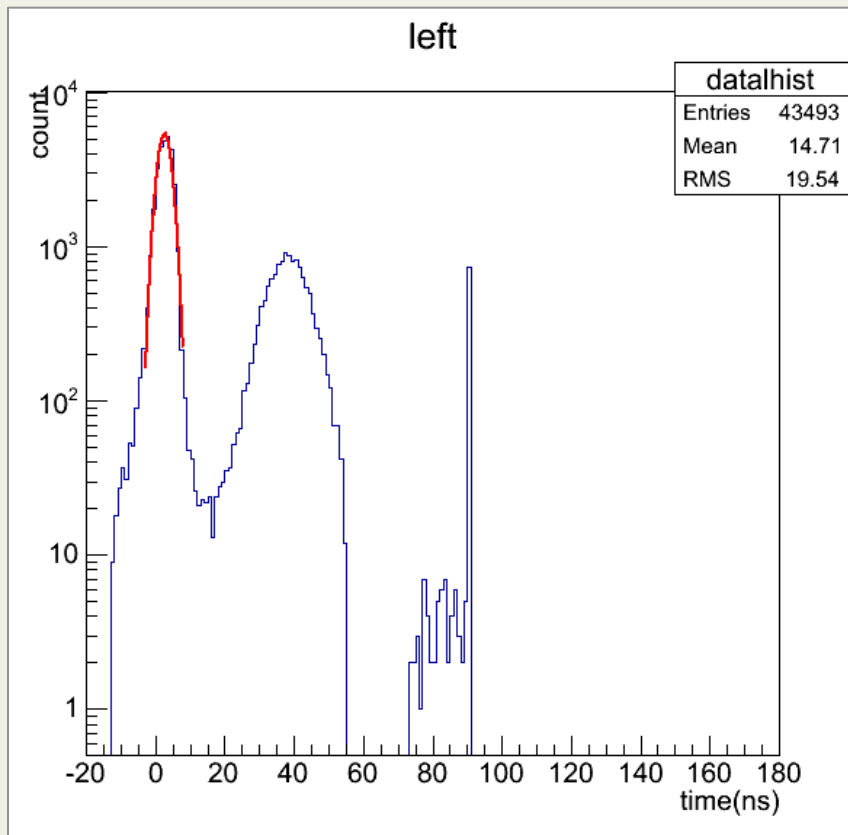


Fig. 14:Accidental data

# Test results with $^{252}\text{Cf}$ source

## CFD\_data\_t0\_fit (Left)



## CFD\_data\_t0\_fit (Right)

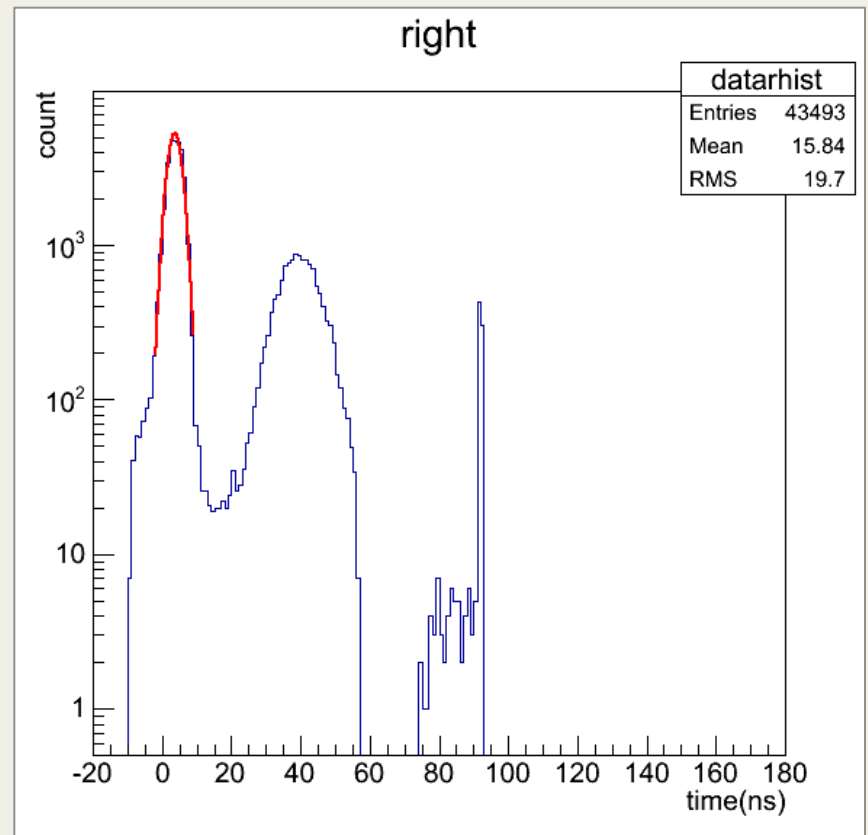


Fig. 15: Zero base time of gamma

# Test result with $^{252}\text{Cf}$

Time of flight distributions

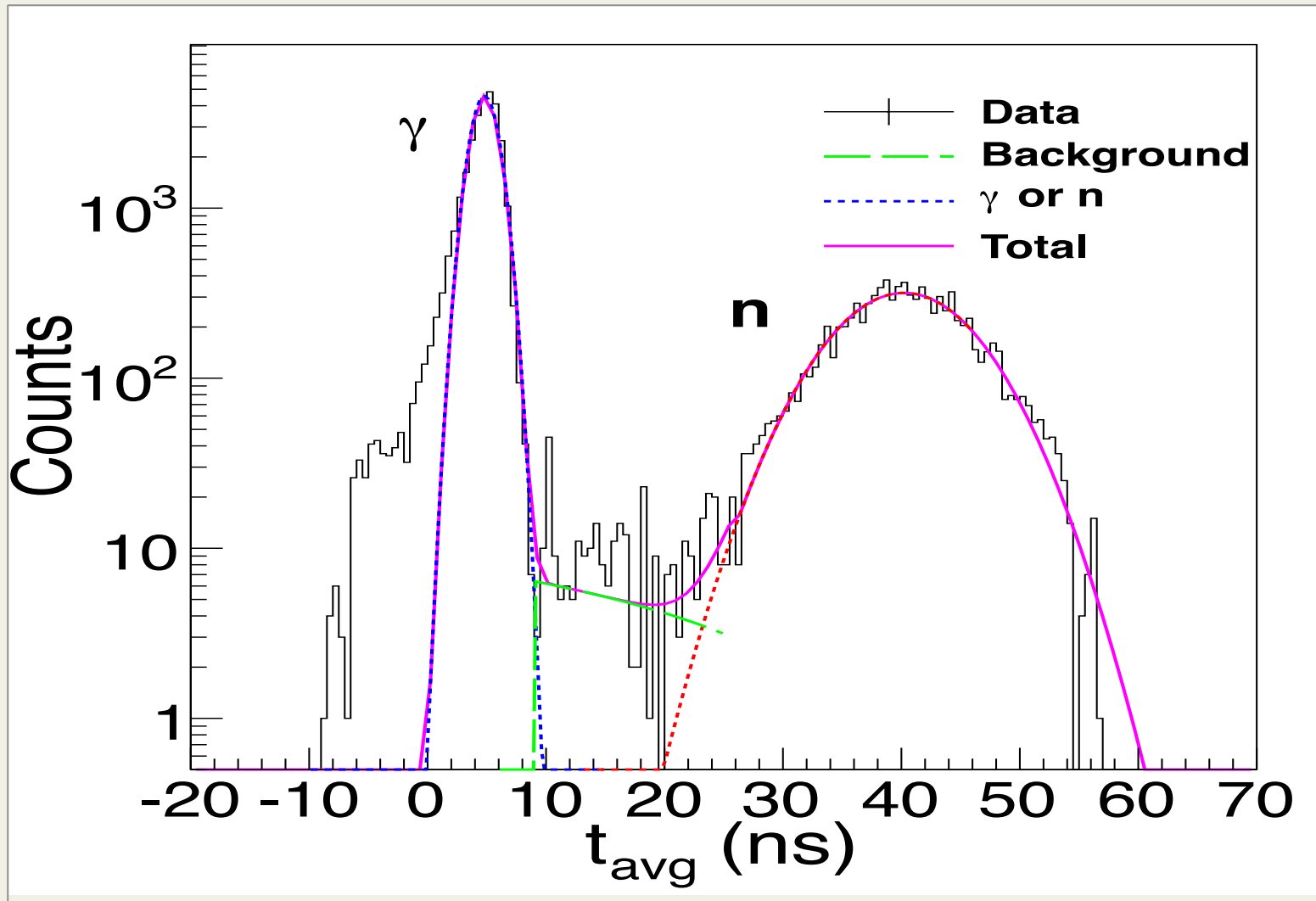


Fig. 16: Time of flight distributions for neutrons and gammas

# Test result with $^{252}\text{Cf}$ source

Final neutron energy distribution

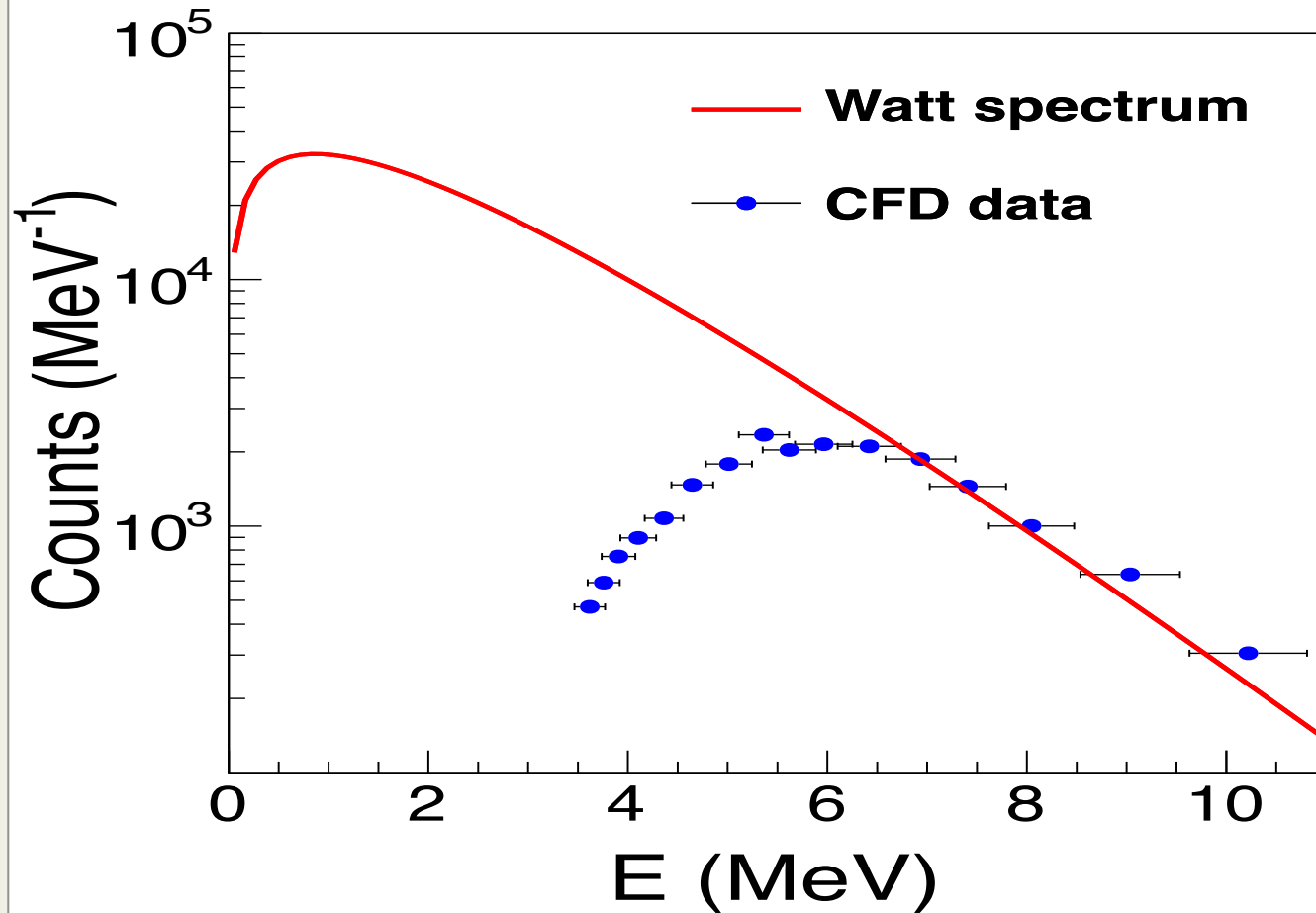
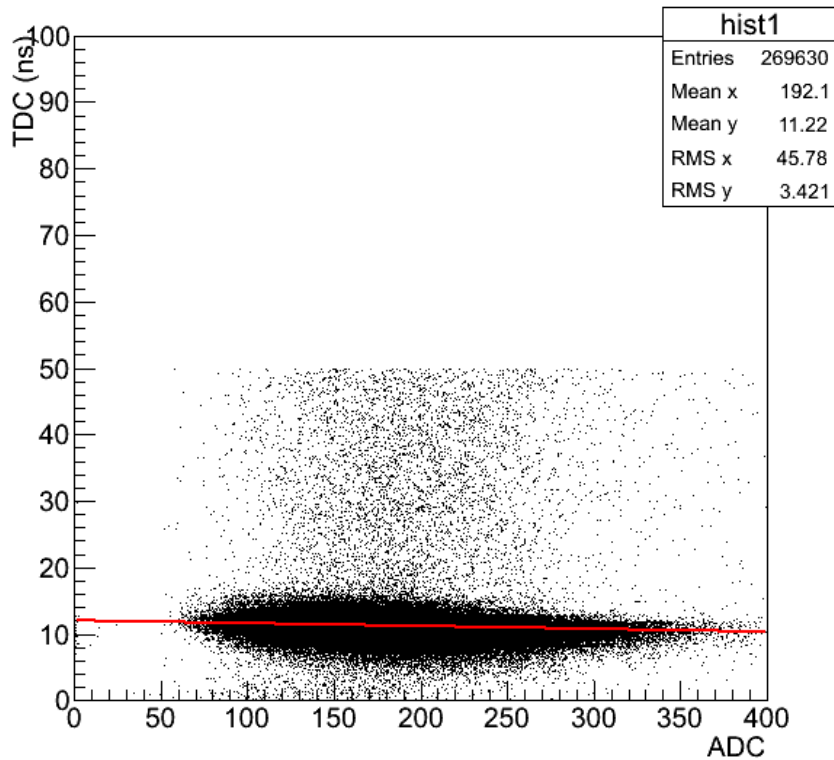


Fig. 17: Final neutron energy

# BACK UP

## CH1 ( 2100 V ) TDC vs ADC



## CH2 ( 2187 V ) TDC vs ADC

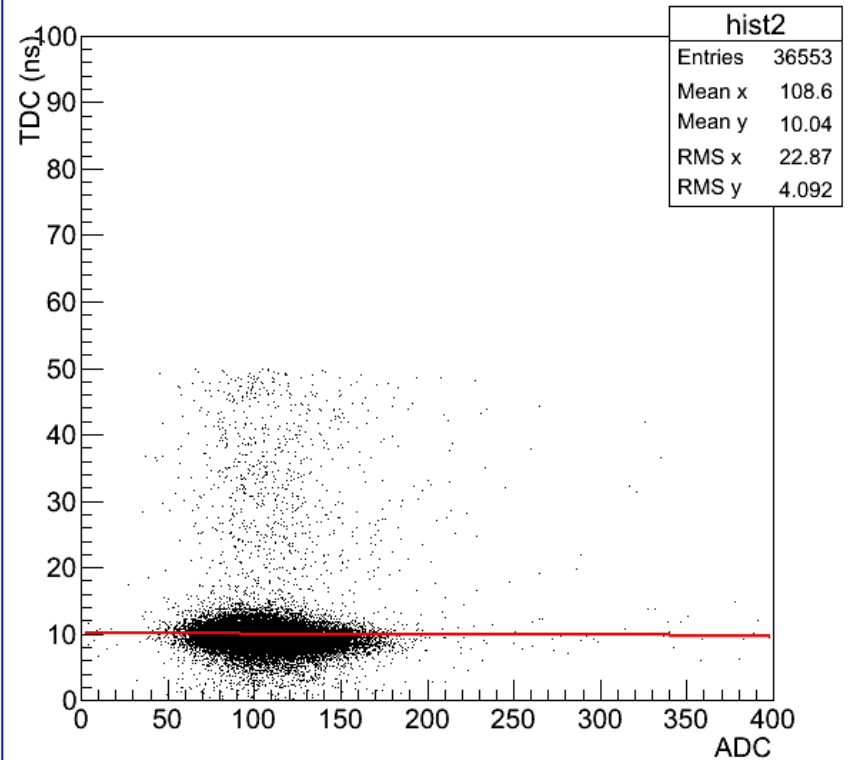


Fig.1: Huge difference in the number of charge entries in the two channels

# TIMING RESOLUTION AND TIME WALK

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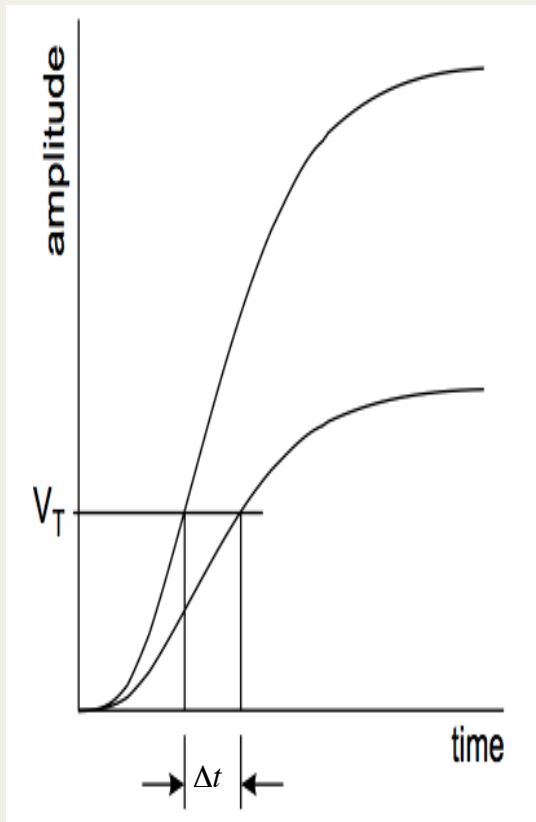


Fig.12: Time Walk depends on Amplitude

- ✧ **Time walk** is time shift ( $\Delta t$ ) depending on signal amplitude.
- ✧ **Limits** Time Resolution.
- ✧ **Discriminator** produces logic output signal when charge input **crosses threshold**.
- ✧ **Measured time** is time at **crossing point** and happens a **little later** than incidence of particle.
- ✧ This time difference is **Time Walk**.

# Experimental setup

- VTD(C.A.E.N. Mod. N844)
- Coincidence measurement
- Threshold for signal: 140 mV
- Threshold for trigger: 20 mV

- CFD(C.A.E.N. Mod. N415A)
- Coincidence measurement
- Threshold for signal: 35 mV/ns
- Threshold for trigger: 5 mV/ns

