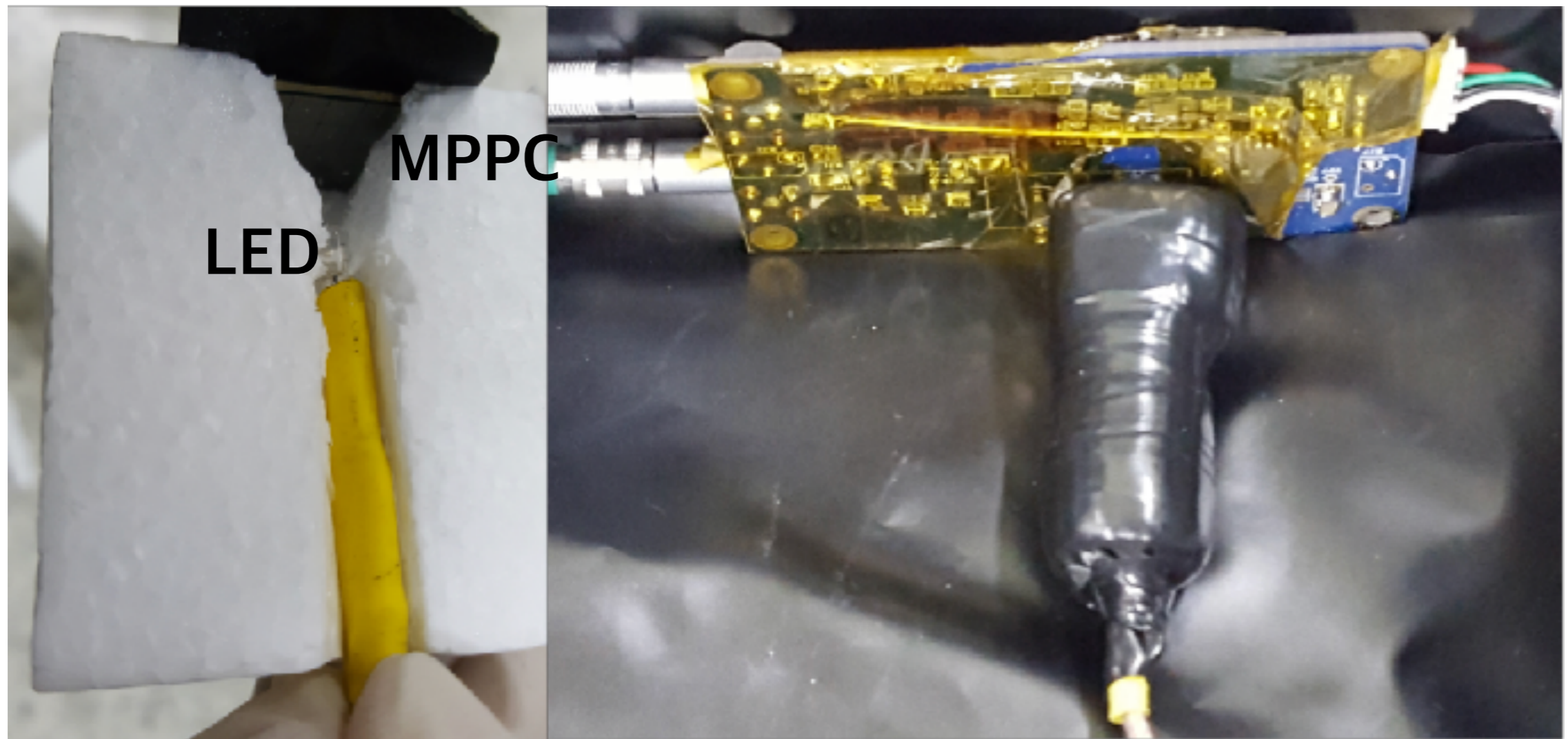


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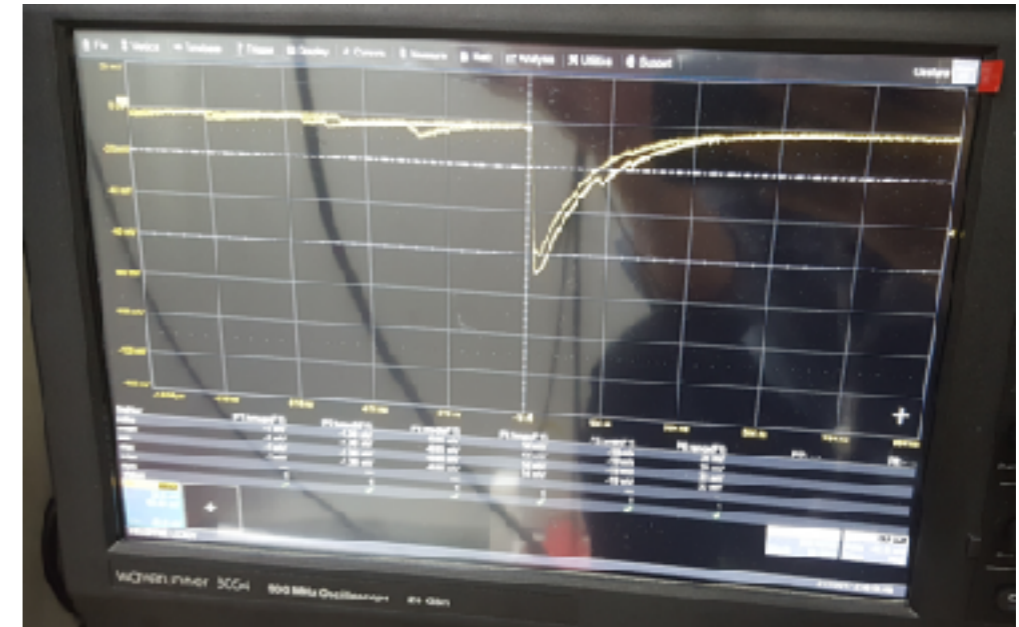
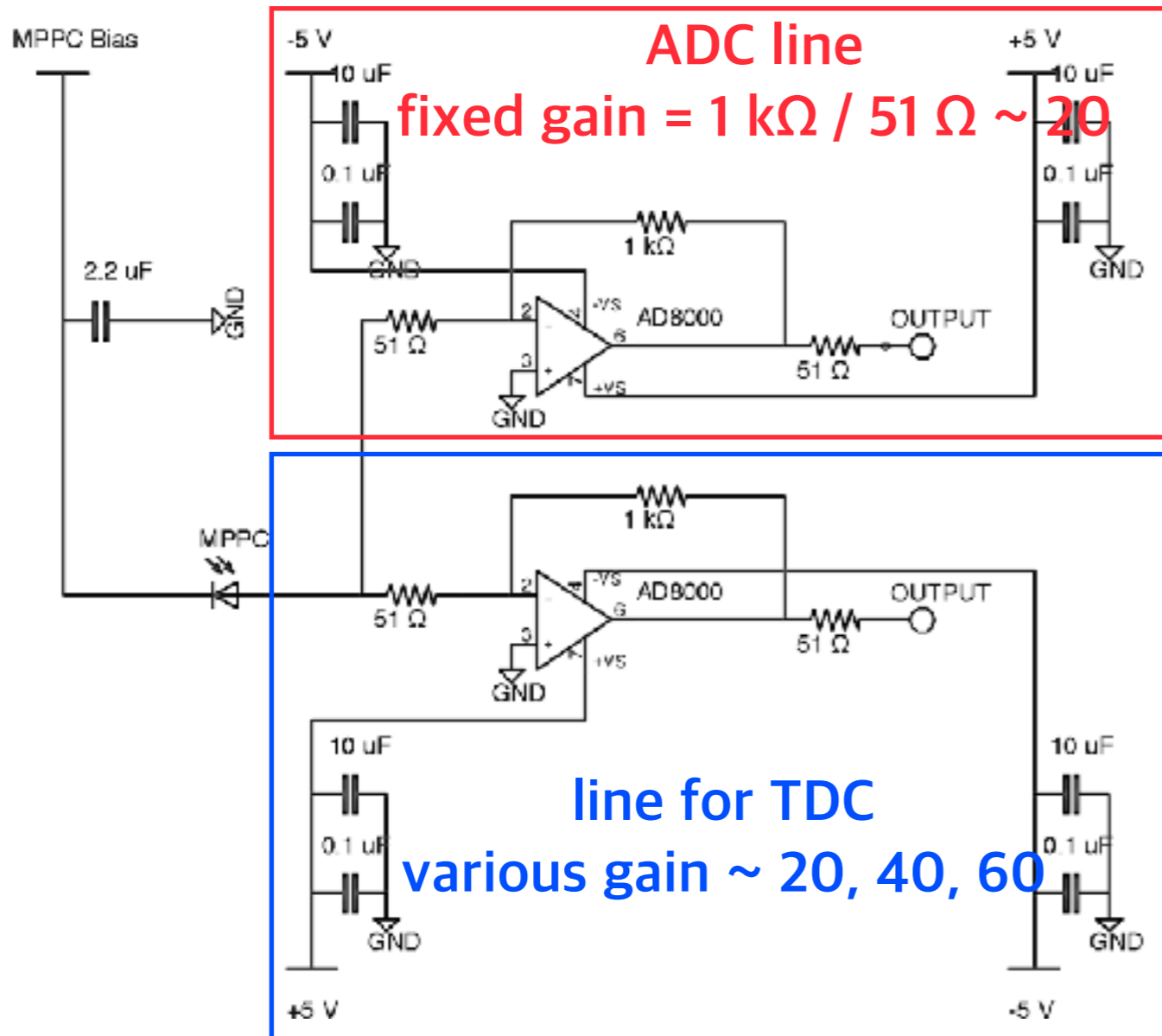
PURPOSE

- Comparing a timing performance of KU circuit with tohoku group's circuit
- Optimization of amplifier's gain, amplification method in the circuit
- Get relation between time resolution and # of photons

CIRCUITS

Inverting amplifier(KU circuit)

-mppc signal divided into 2 lines

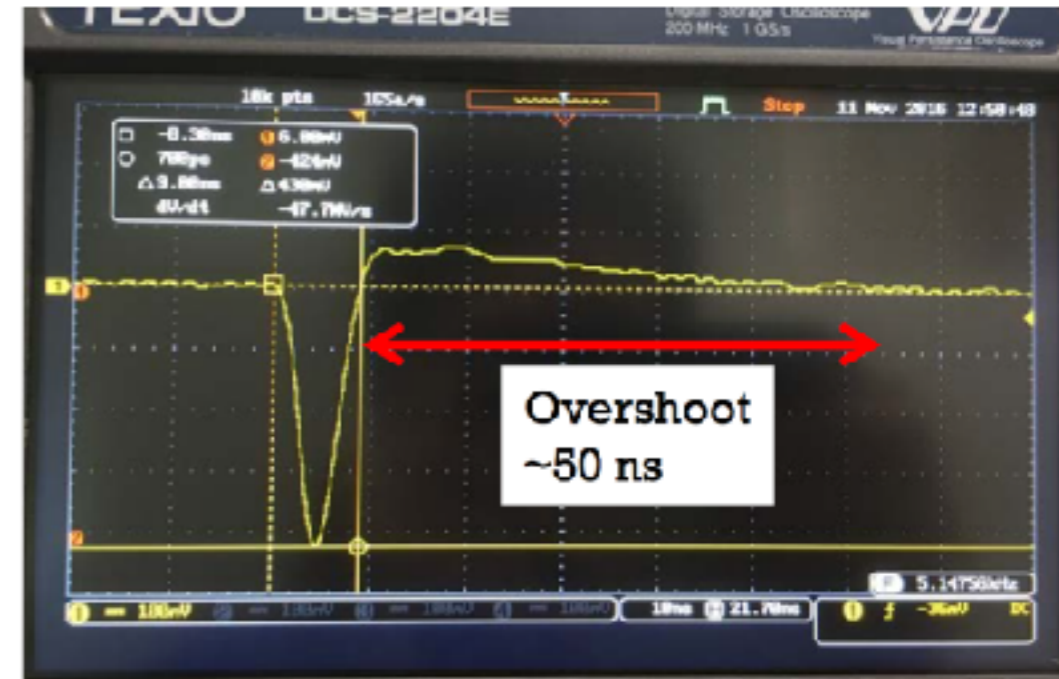
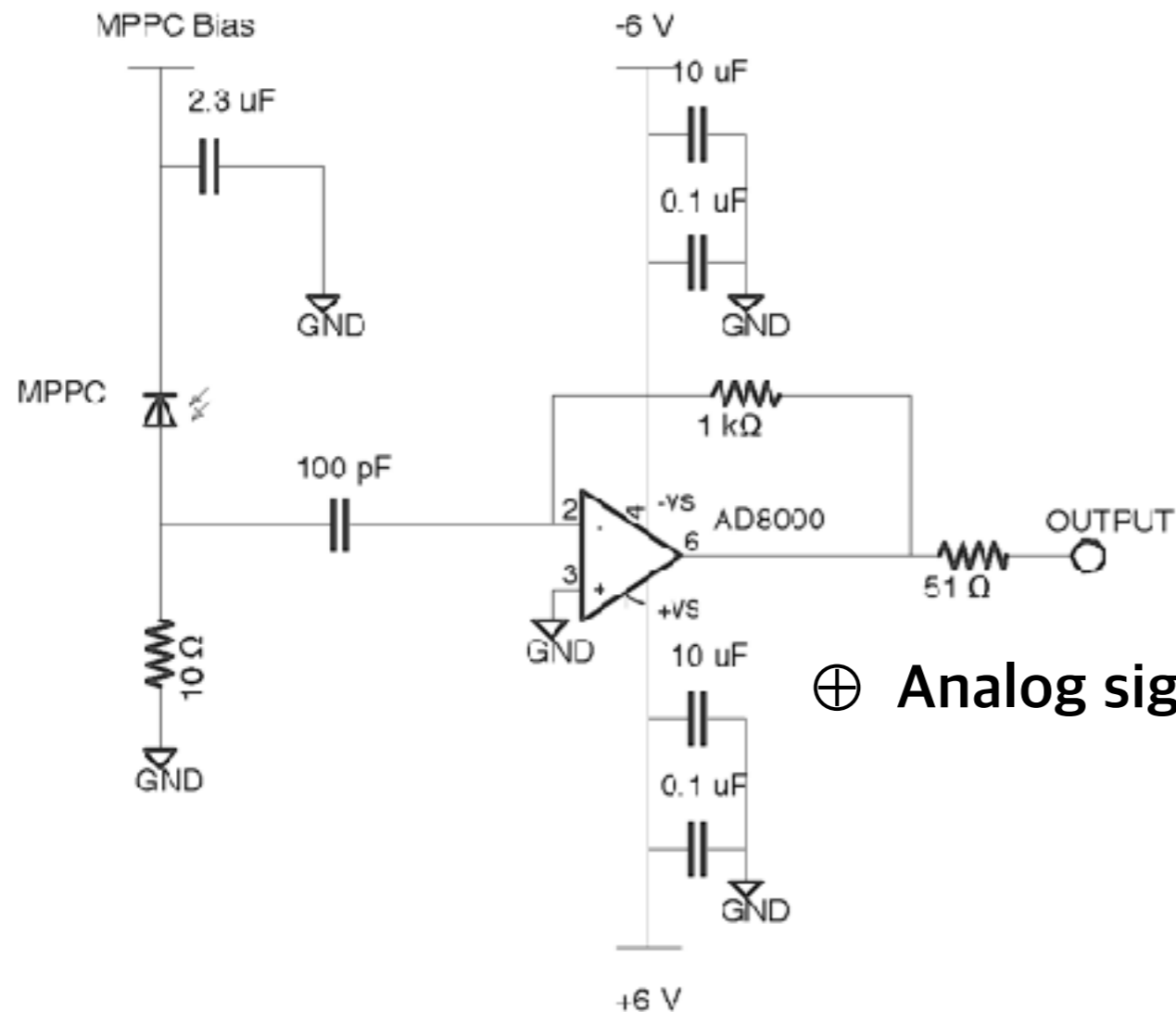


- gain is proportional to a feedback resistance
- by changing the feedback resistance from 1k to 2k,3k (gain 20 ~ 60), took TDC data (with a leading edge discriminator)

CIRCUITS

Differentiator(Tohoku group)

-for the performance comparison with KU circuit



Tohoku (and J-PARC E50) group's circuit design T. Nishizawa, IEEE Trans. Nucl. Sci. 61 (2014) 1278

- gain is proportional to a feedback resistance
- by changing the feedback resistance from 1k to 2k, 5k, 10k, took TDC data (with leading edge discriminator)
- to take both ADC and TDC together, used analog signal divider

TEST LIST

Inverting amplifier(KU circuit)

with feedback resistance : 1k ohm(reference) + 2k, 3k ohm

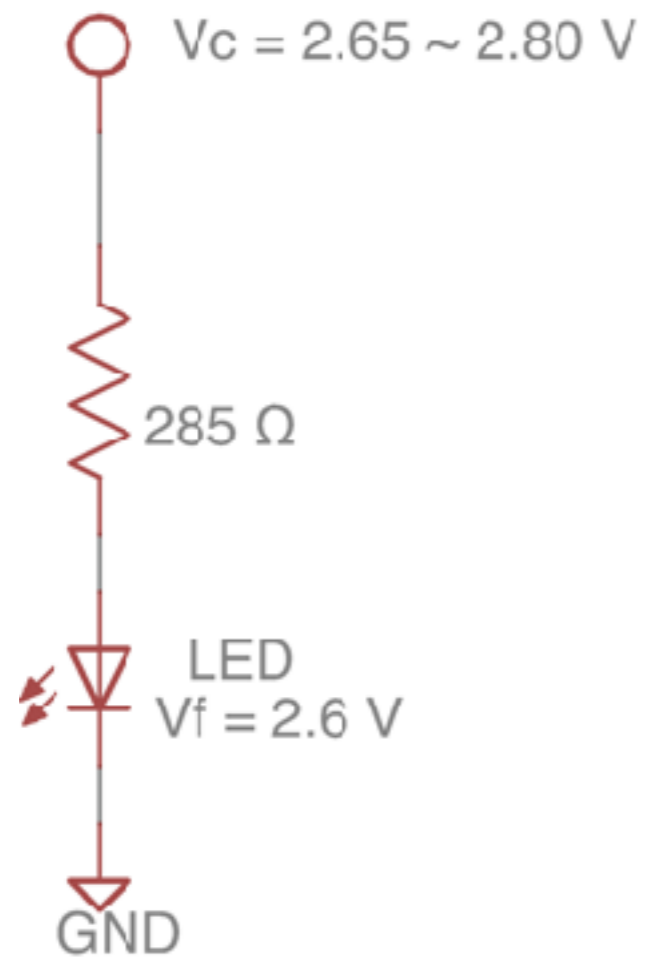
Differentiator(Tohoku group)

with feedback resistance : 1k(same value as Tohoku group) , 2k, 5k ,10k ohm

2 types of circuits ⊗ various gain ⊗ LED light yield(bias voltage)

TEST SET UP

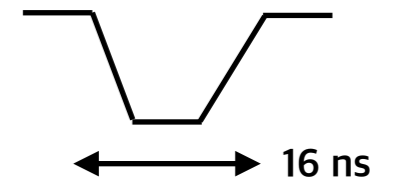
LED SOURCE



Function generator

Pulse height : $2.65 < V < 2.80 \text{ V}$

Pulse width : 16 ns



LED

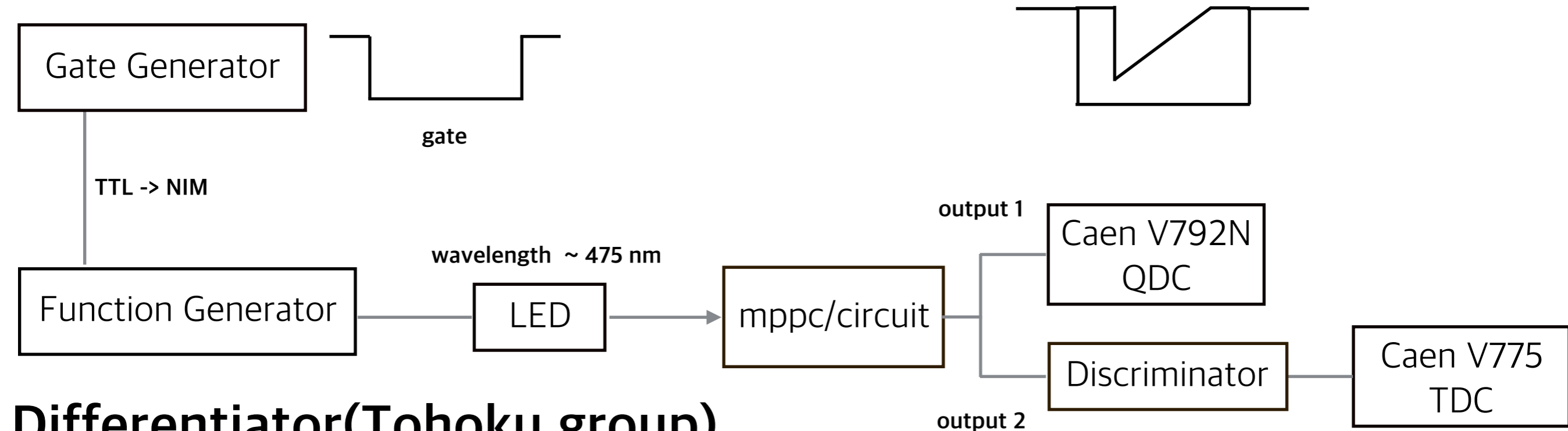
$V_f = 2.6 \text{ V}$

V_f : LED voltage drop

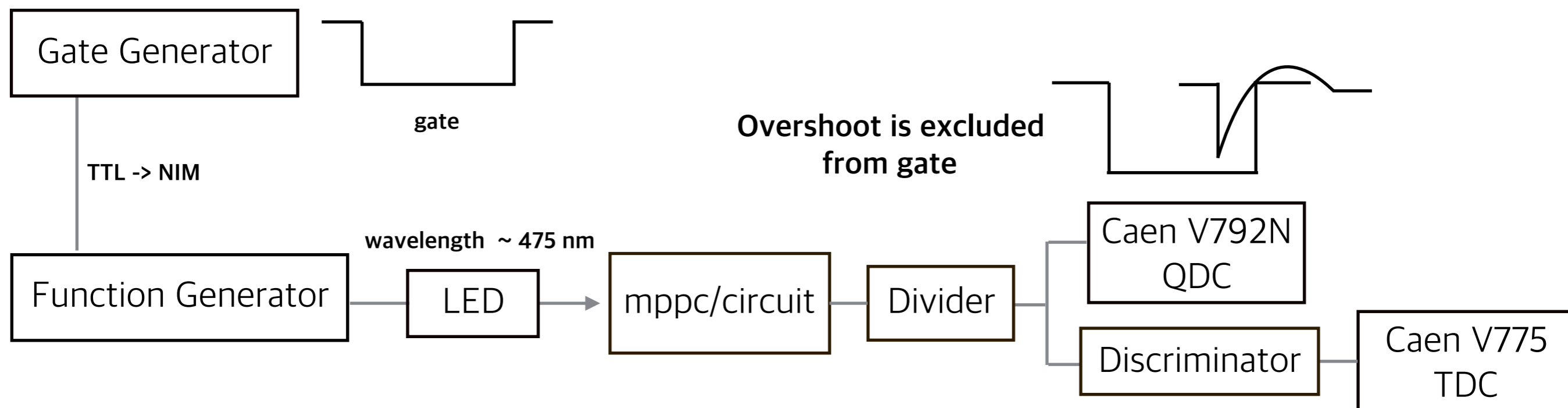
$460 < \lambda < 490 \text{ nm}$ (Blue LED)

SIGNAL PROCESSING

Inverting amplifier(KU circuit)

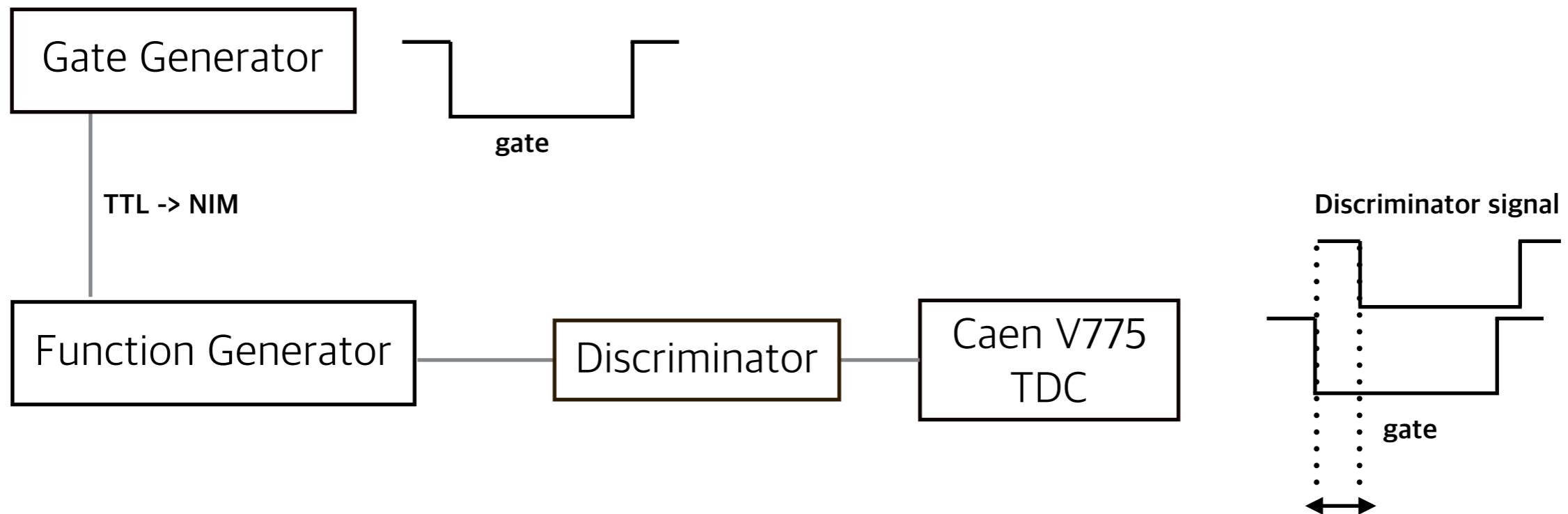


Differentiator(Tohoku group)



PRE-TEST

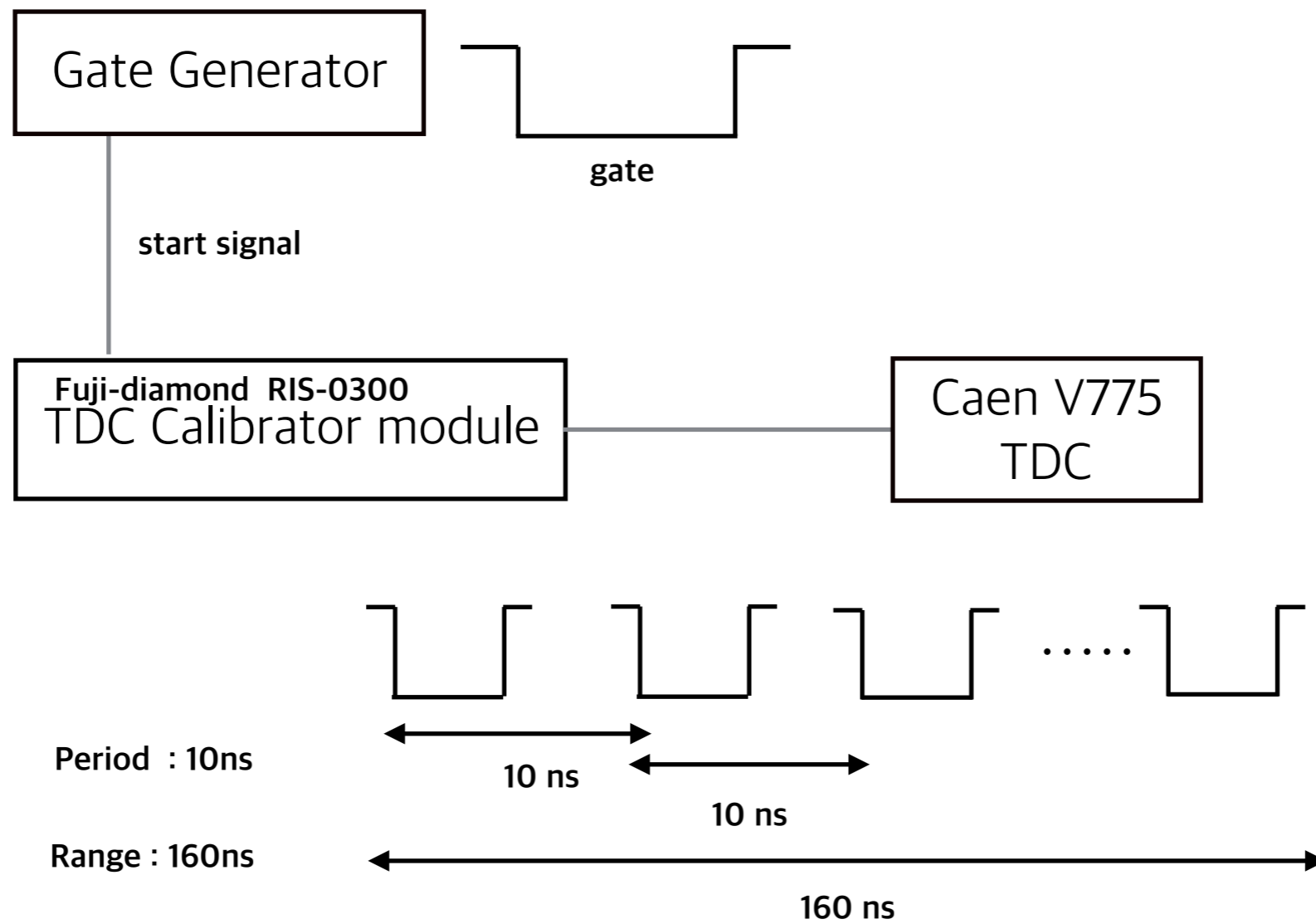
TRIGGER SWINGING CHECK



trigger swinging < 1 TDC ch (35 ps)

TDC CALIBRATION

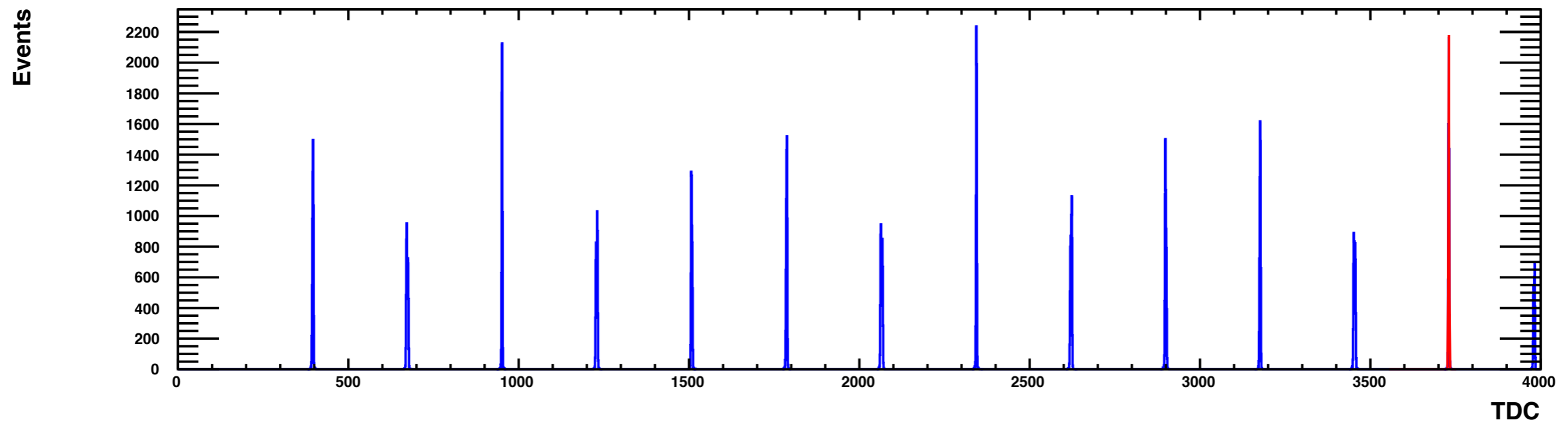
set-up



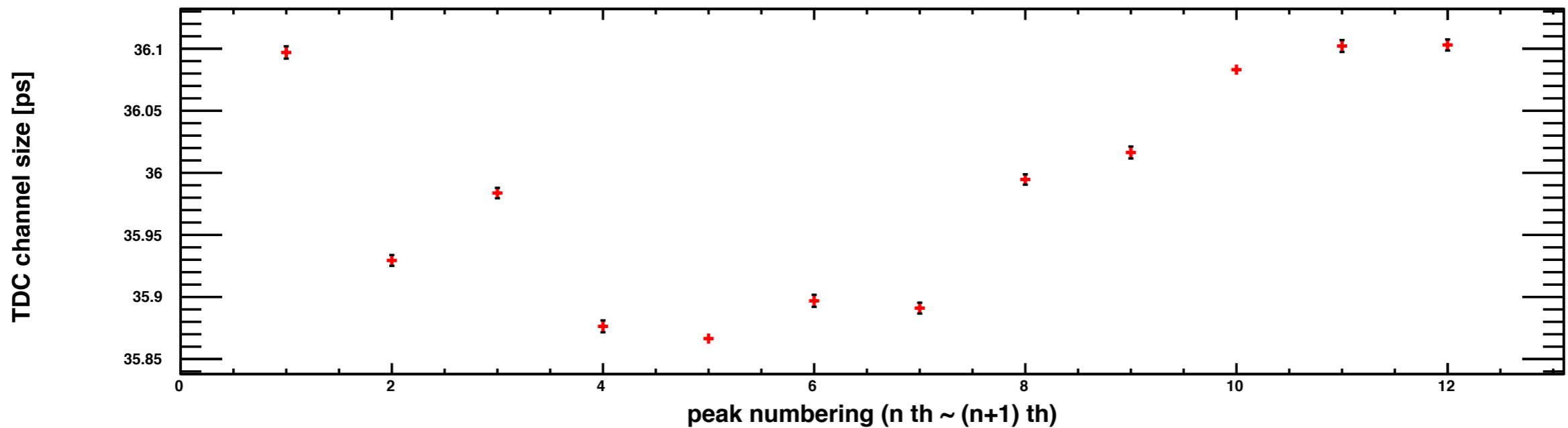
TDC CALIBRATION

A single TDC channel's data(10 ns pulse)

TDC calibration

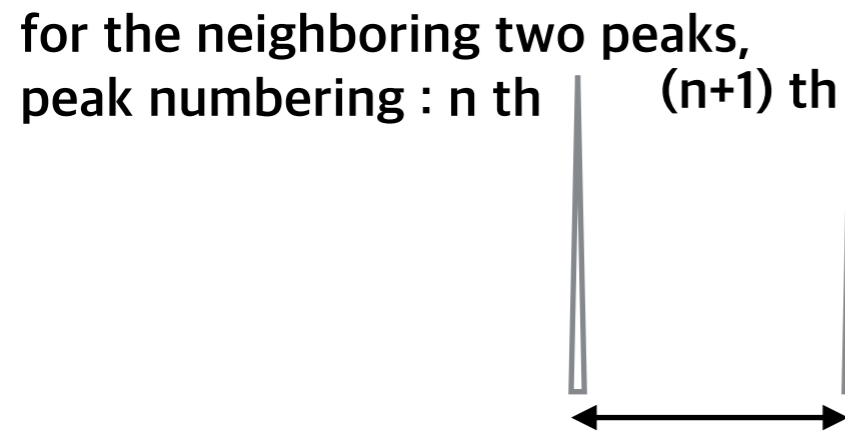


TDC single channel's size calculation from neighboring peaks distance (10 ns)



TDC CALIBRATION

summary



peak to peak distance

$$\#ch = \text{mean}_n - \text{mean}_{(n+1)}$$

$$\text{Error}_{ch}^2 = \text{Error}_n^2 + \text{Error}_{(n+1)}^2$$

real size of single TDC channel = 10 ns / #ch

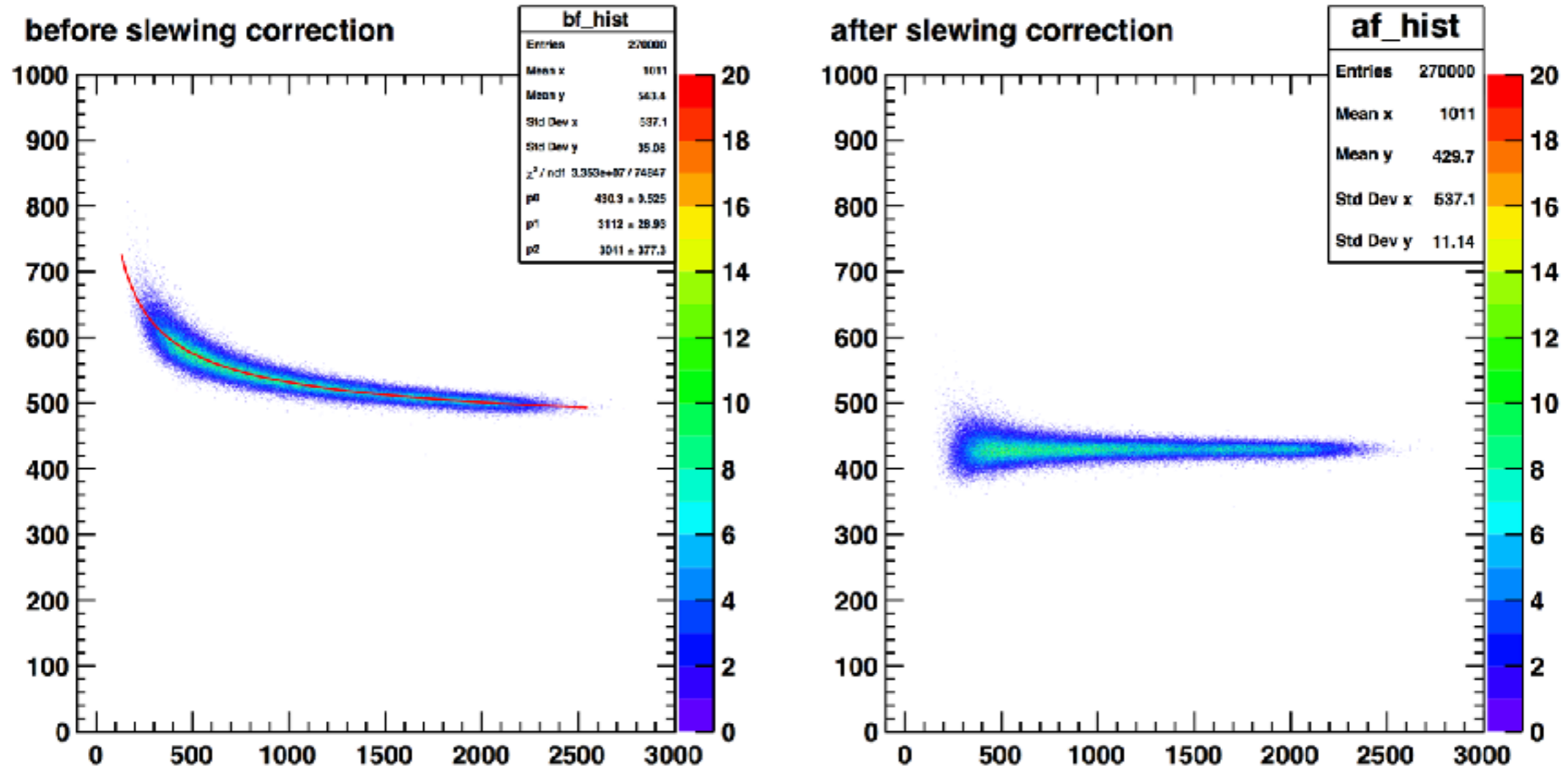
$$\text{Error}_{\text{tdc channel}} = (10 \times \text{Error}_{ch} / \#ch^2) \text{ ns}$$

Average : 36.0 +/- 0.00130 [ps/channel]

LED TEST

DATA ANALYSIS

Slewing correction



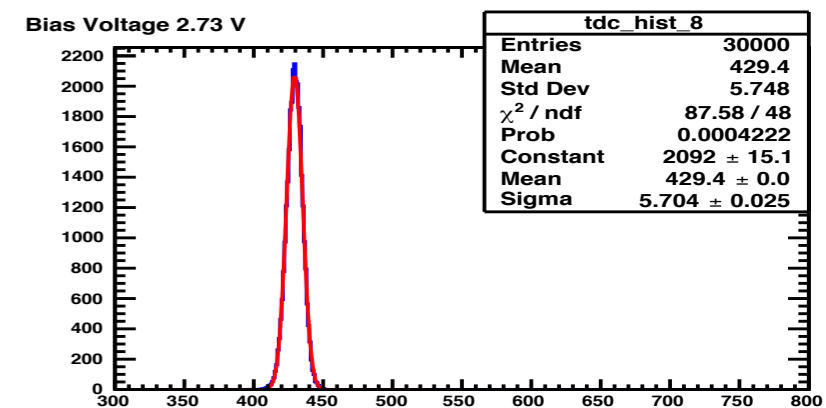
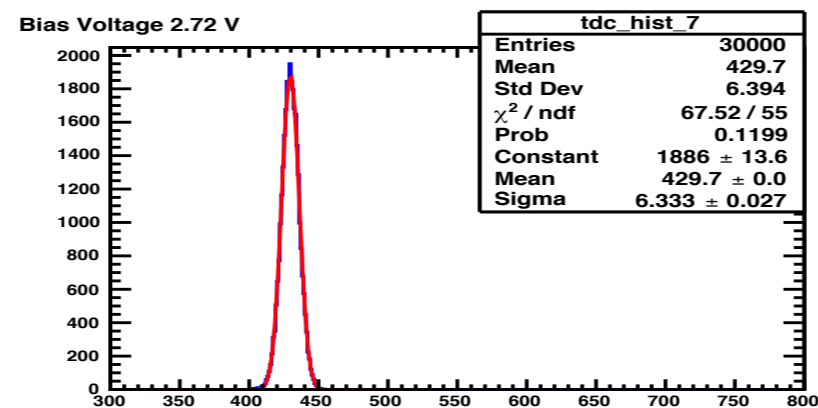
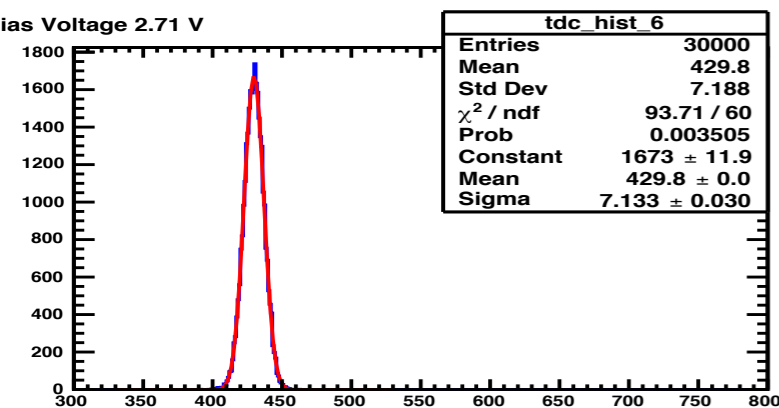
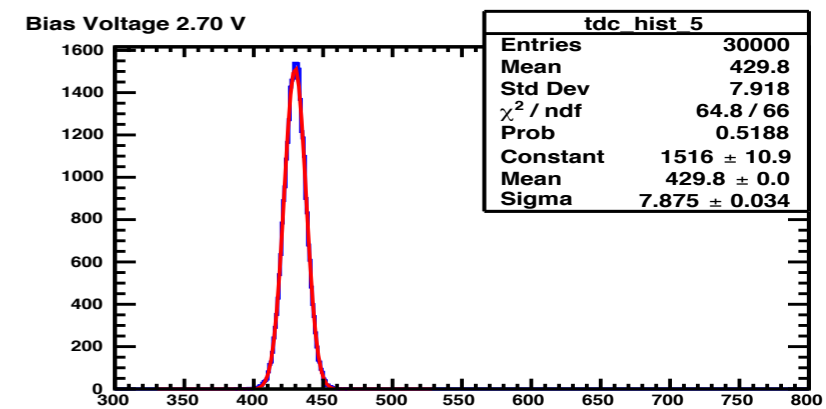
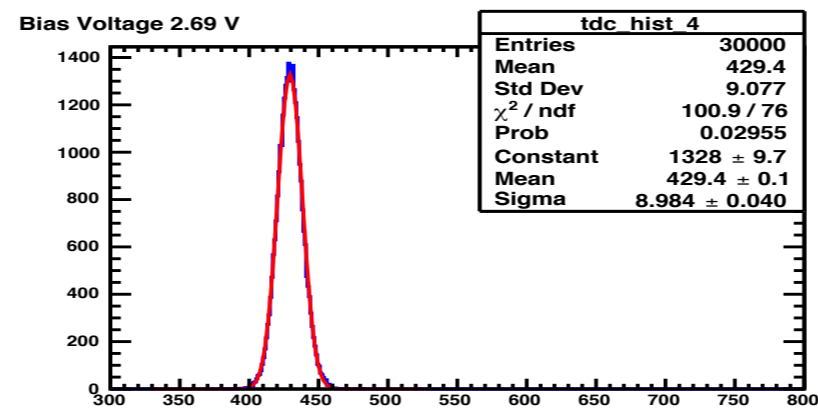
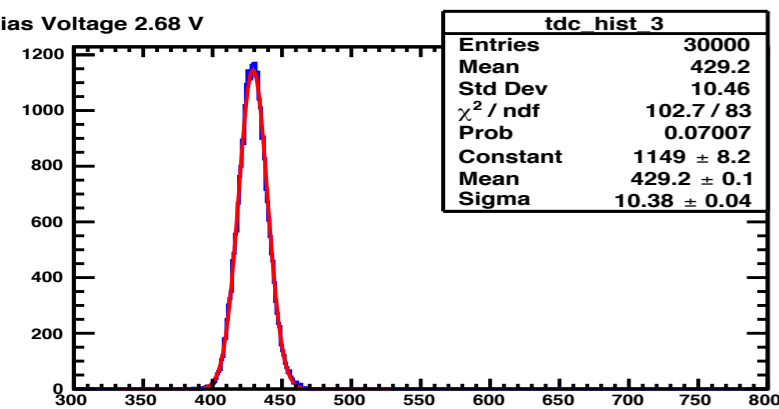
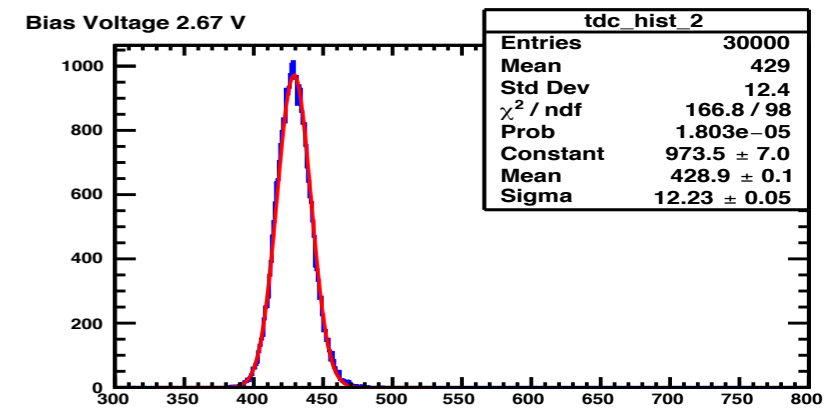
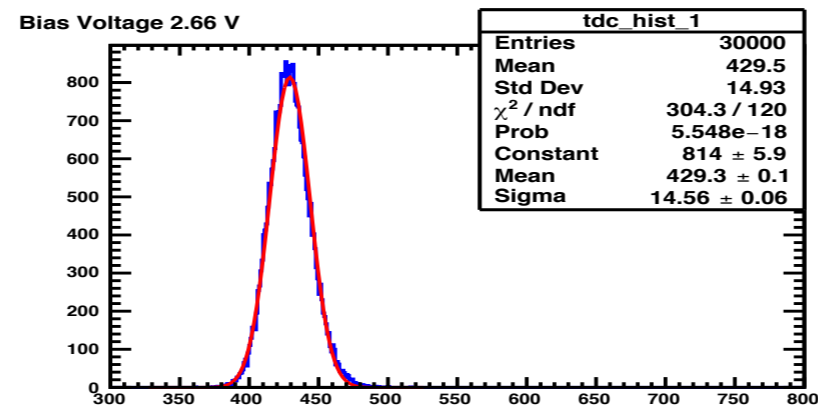
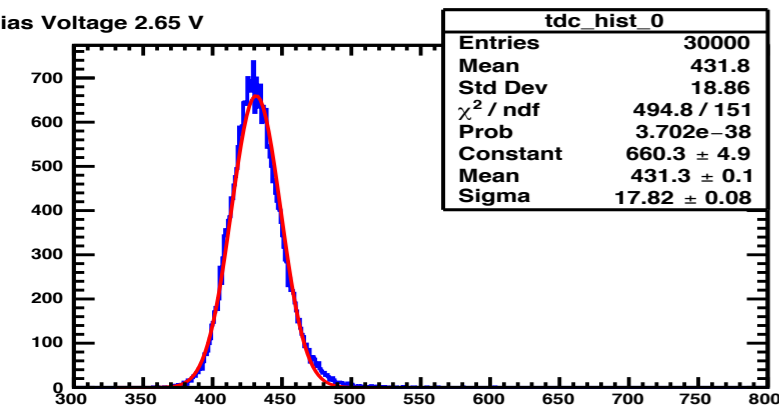
9 data points are drawn together

time walk function

$[0] + [1]/QDC^{0.5} + [2]/QDC$ ([0], [1], [2] : parameters)

DATA ANALYSIS

Slewing corrected TDC

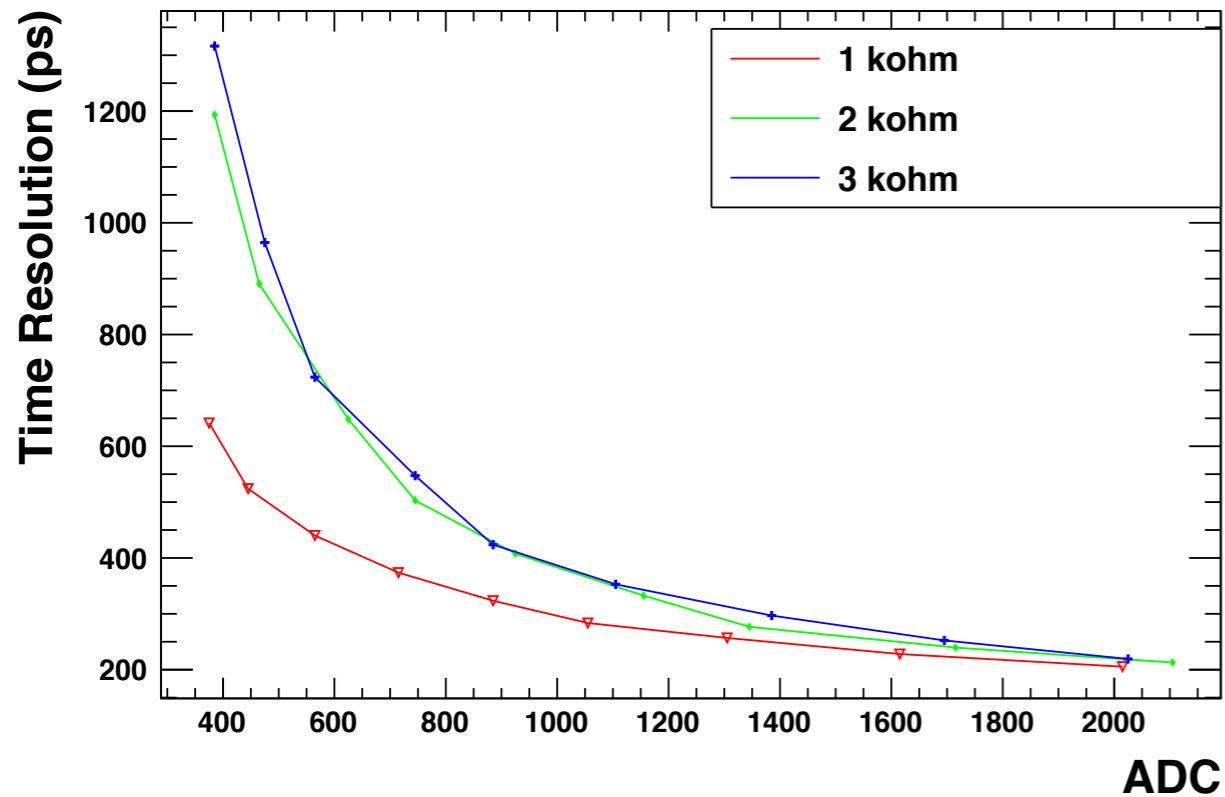


time resolution = Gaussian fitting \rightarrow GET Sigma value

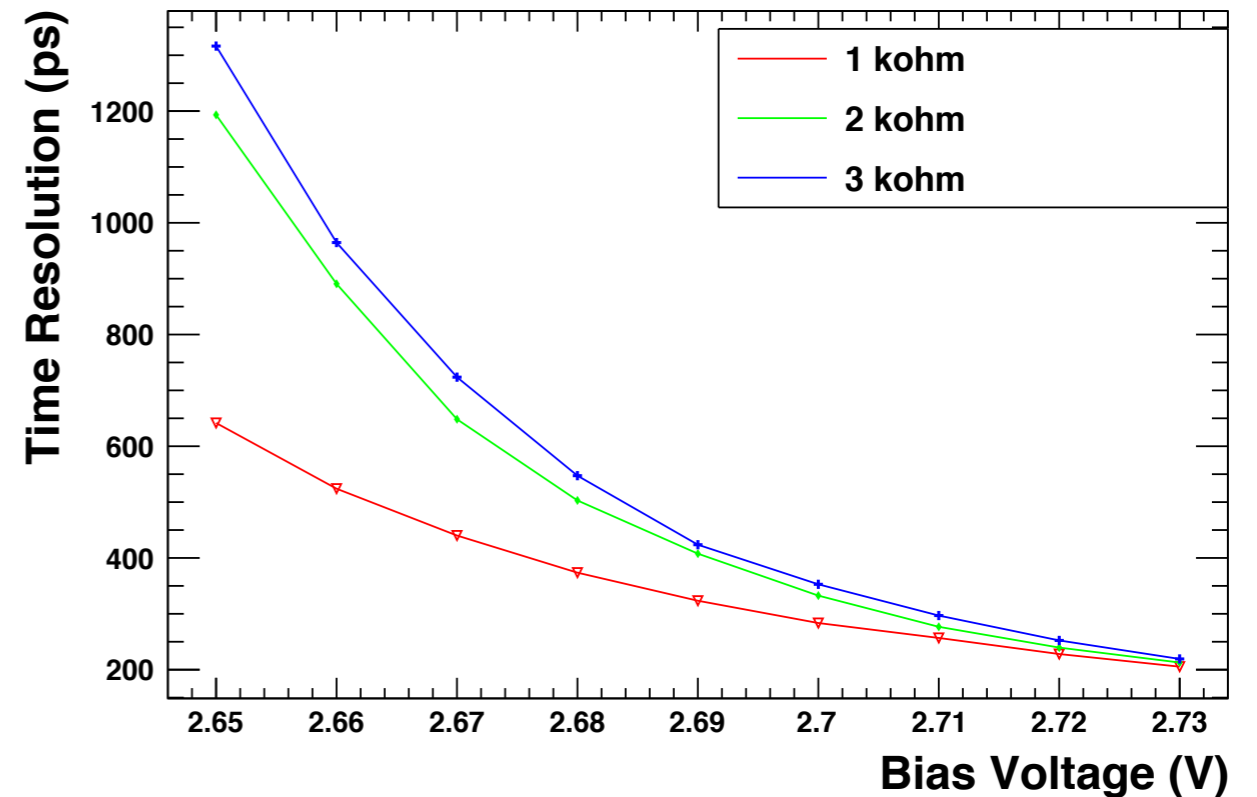
RESULT

Inverting amplifier(KU circuit)

LED test : Inverting amplifier



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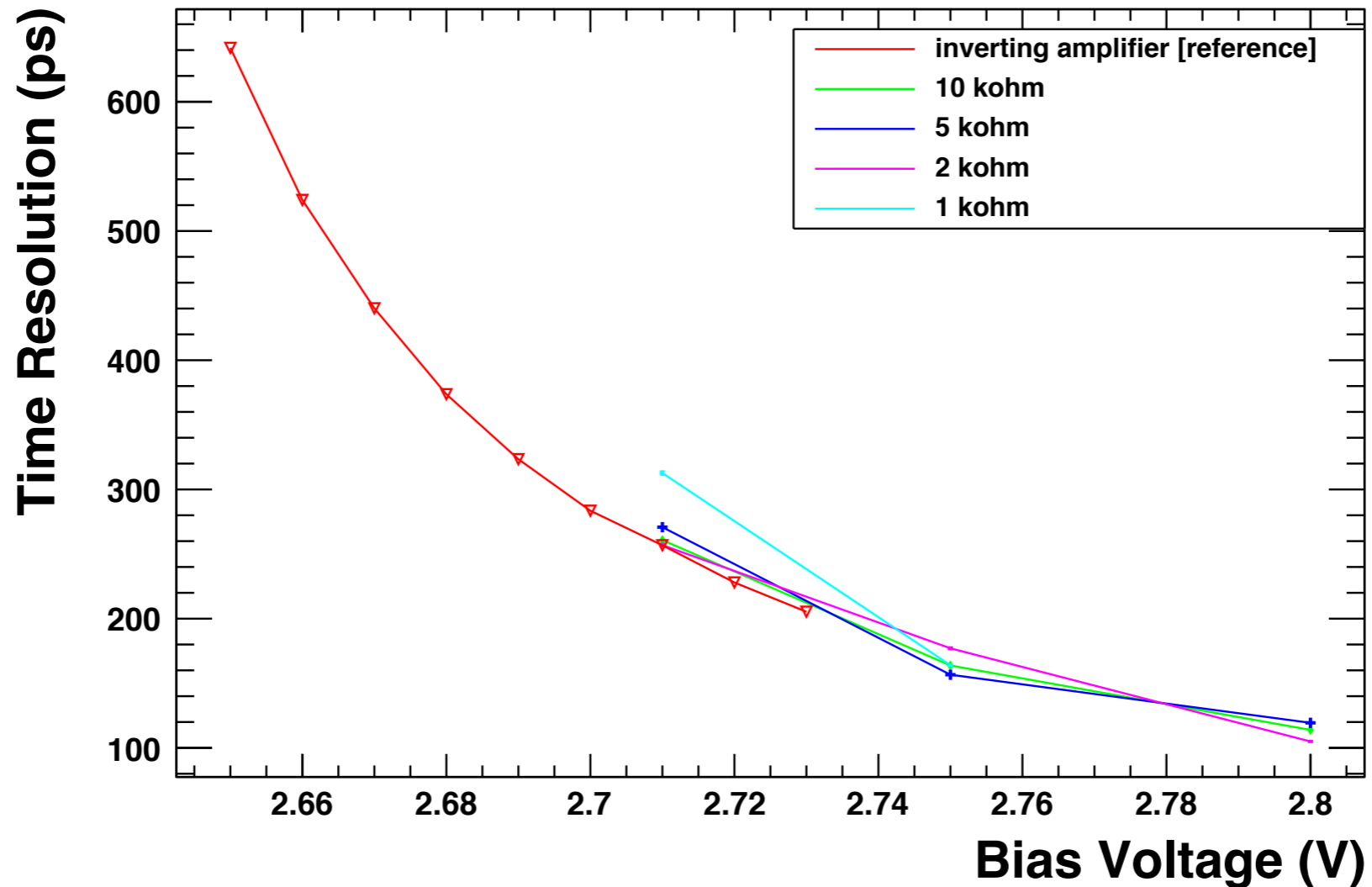


A red line is a reference (1 k Ω inverting amplifier)

RESULT

Differentiator (Tohoku Group) data with ku circuit as a reference

LED test : Differentiator



A red line is a reference 1 k Ω inverting amplifier

all lines have the same tendency even their gains and circuit types are different

SUMMARY

- Circuit type and feedback resistance(gain) are not a dominant factor for the timing resolution
- For the low ADC region, lower gain circuit has better time resolution.

To do

- Test the circuits which has a smaller feedback resistance than 1k ohm
- Have to figure out that the MPPC's bias voltage and the time resolution (very important study but missed out in this test)

BACK UP

P-Pi delta tof, 3sigma seperation

