

# **TPC Hodoscope**

## **Hodoscope cosmic test**

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# CIRCUIT ISSUES

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## 1. Baseline shift

Parameter	Test Conditions/Comments	Min	Typ	Max	Unit
DC PERFORMANCE Input Offset Voltage			1	10	mV :

**The input offset value in the data sheet of the ad8000 is 1 mV. (maximum 10 mV)**

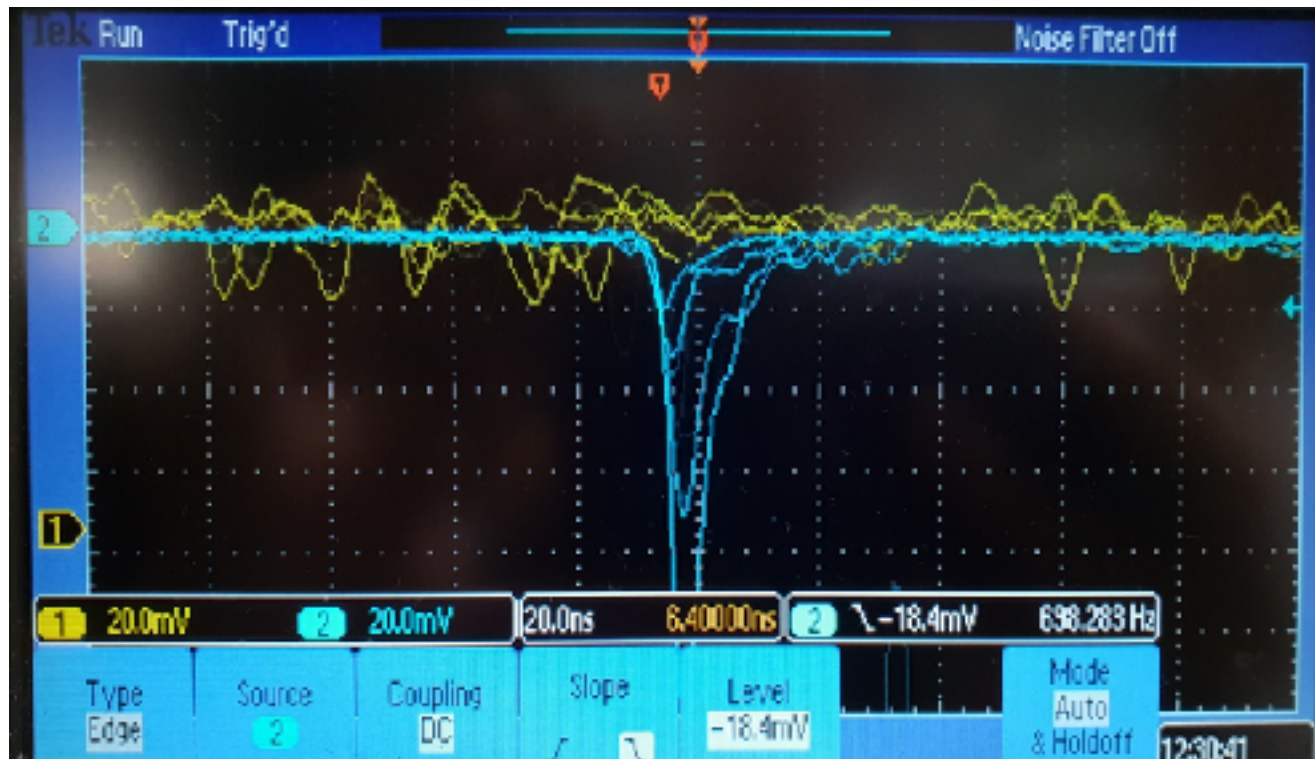
**Therefore, each preamplifier has an offset.**

**And also there is an positive offset in the circuit.**

**Especially when the circuit amplifier gain is set high(x4), the offset value is + 50 mV**

# CIRCUIT ISSUES

## 2. Noise of circuit



(MPPC is turned off)

Ch 1(Yellow) - Circuit baseline

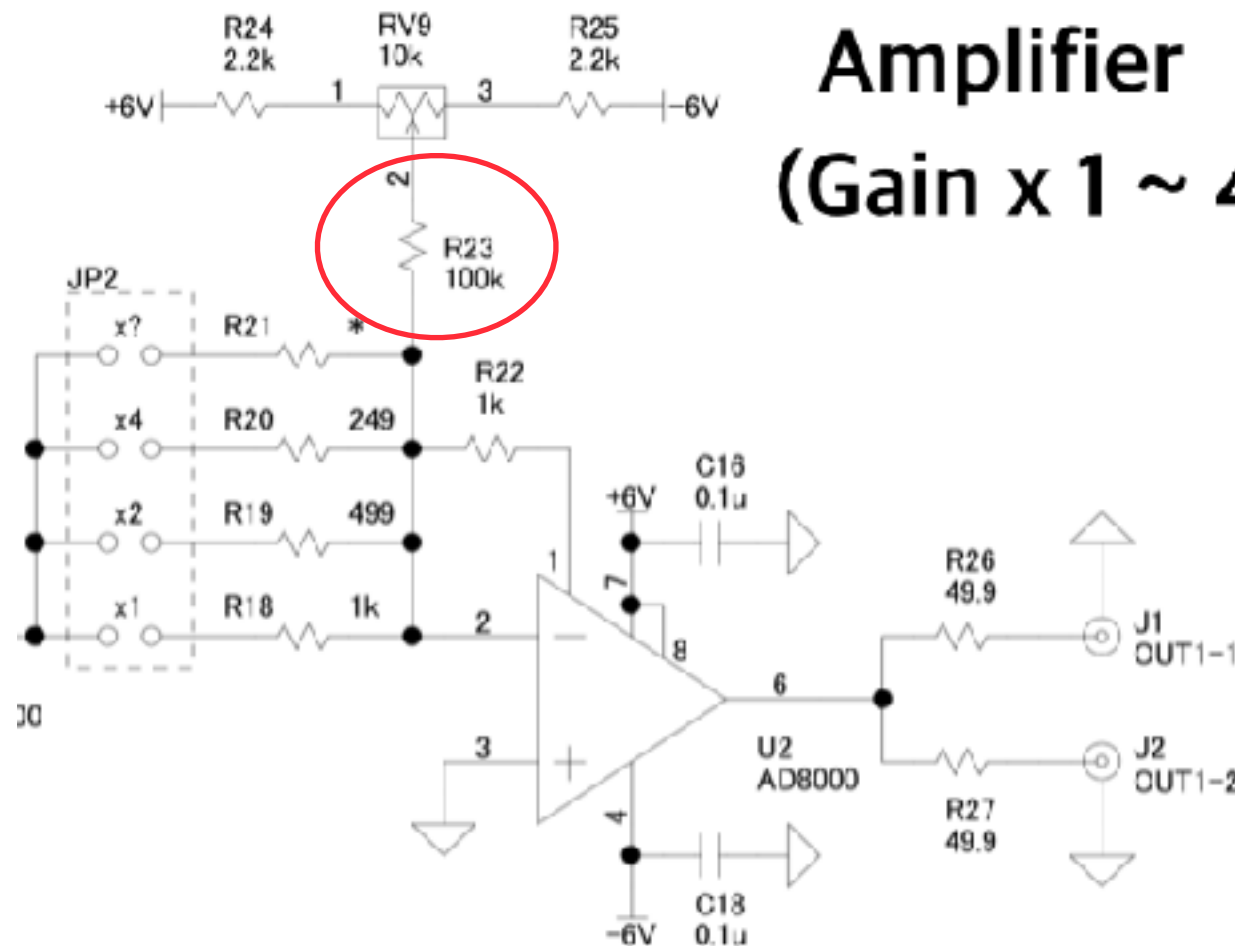
Ch 2(Blue) - PMT

There is about 20 mv of noise in the circuit itself.

# CIRCUIT ISSUES

## Suggestion of Giga Company

### Amplifier (Gain $\times 1 \sim 4$ )



for reduce the baseline shift

1. By changing the R23 resistance smaller, we can reduce the baseline shift.

-> But in that way, a stability of gain becomes bad

2. Put a coupling capacitor (0.01 uF ) in the circuit to remove a DC offset

After 8/25, we will send boards to GIGA company.

They will try to do the test for improving a S/N ratio.

And also they will check the coupling capacitor effect.

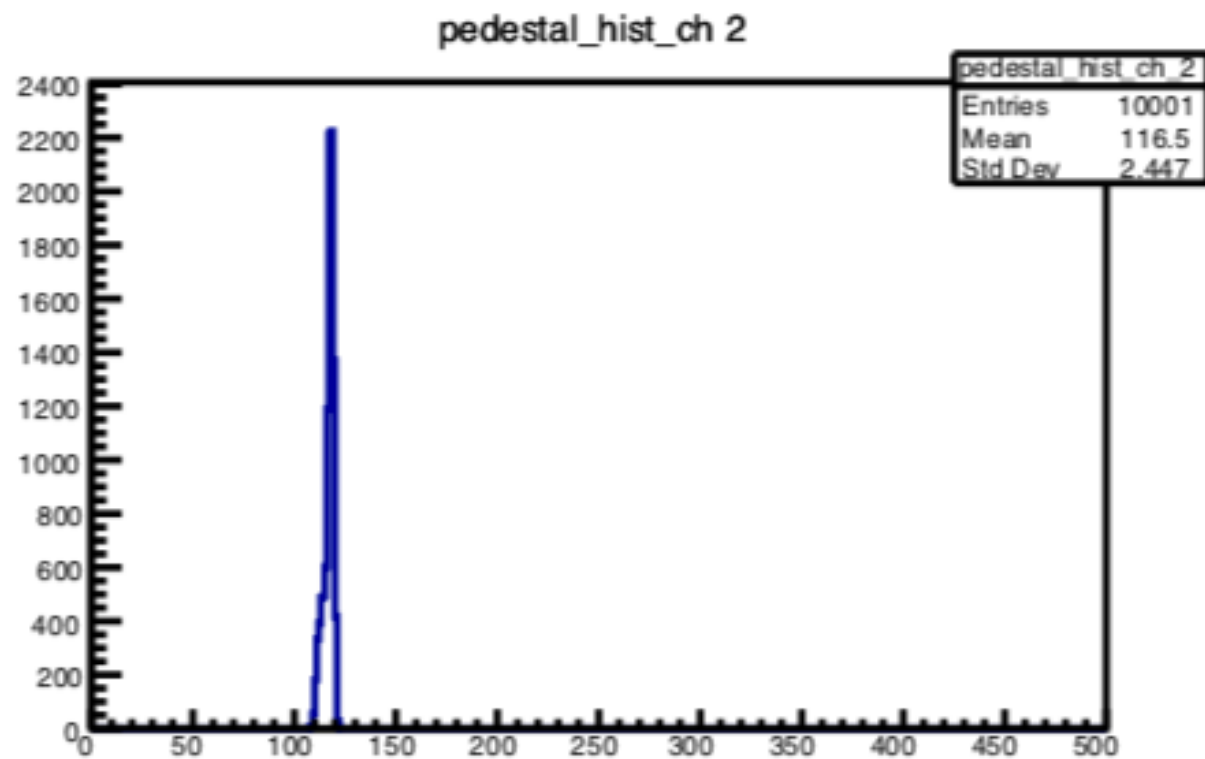
# PEDESTAL HISTOGRAMS

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The MPPC's pedestal's very thick because of the circuit noise.

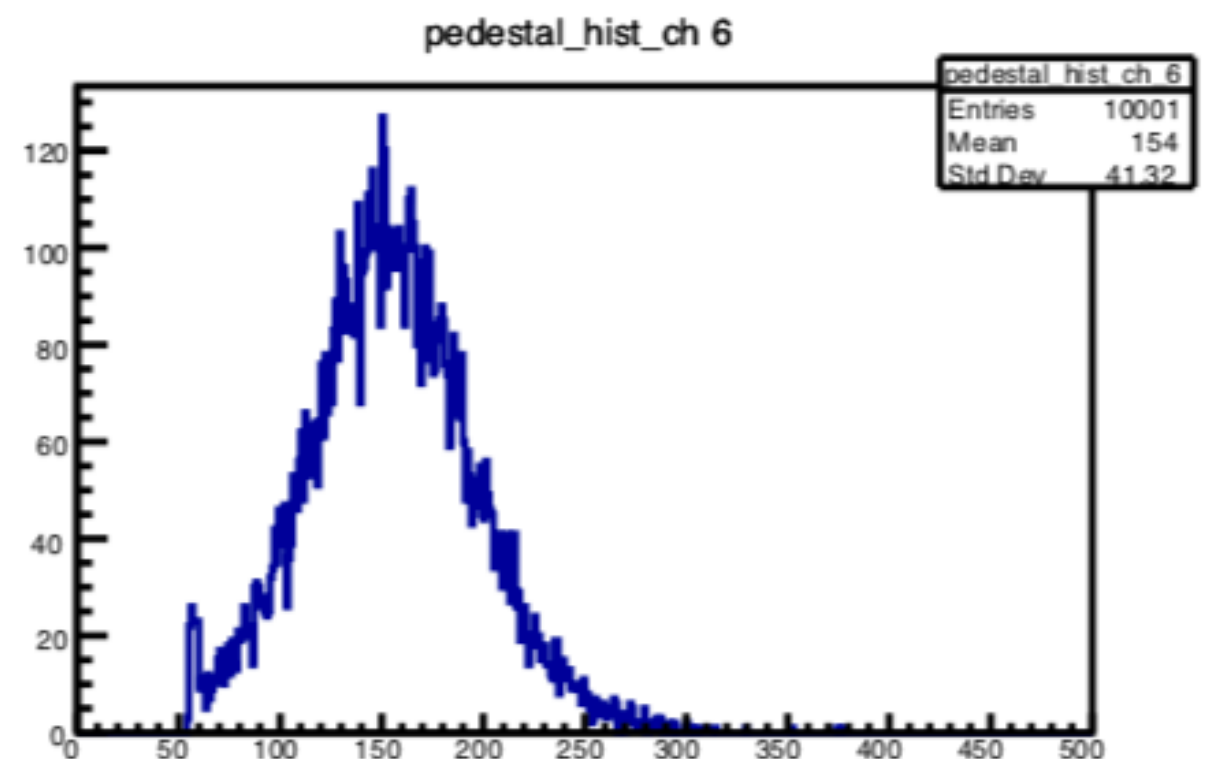
Trigger counter's PMT

Std Dev : 2.447 ch



MPPC

Std Dev : 41.32 ch



# EVENT SELECTION

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## 1. Exclude the dummy events

In the  $ADC_{\text{right}} : ADC_{\text{left}}$  2D distribution of trigger counters, there are dummy events with no correlation.

So, from the  $ADC_{\text{right}} : ADC_{\text{left}}$  2D distribution, removed the dummy events with ADC cut conditions.

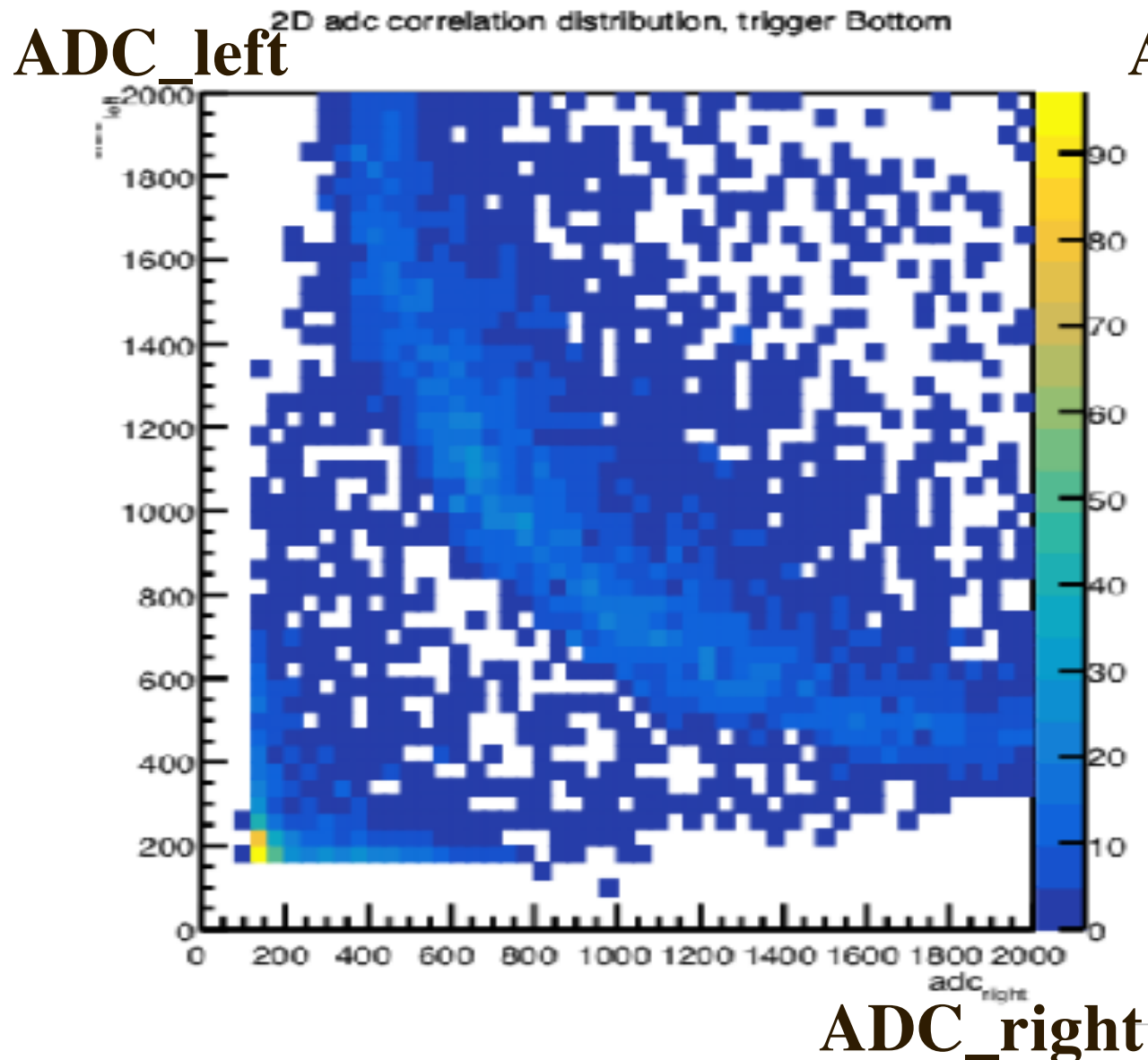
## 2. Hit position

The bottom counter is 5 cm and the top counter is 12 cm. Select only 3cm on both sides and select only events that pass through the center.

# EVENT SELECTION

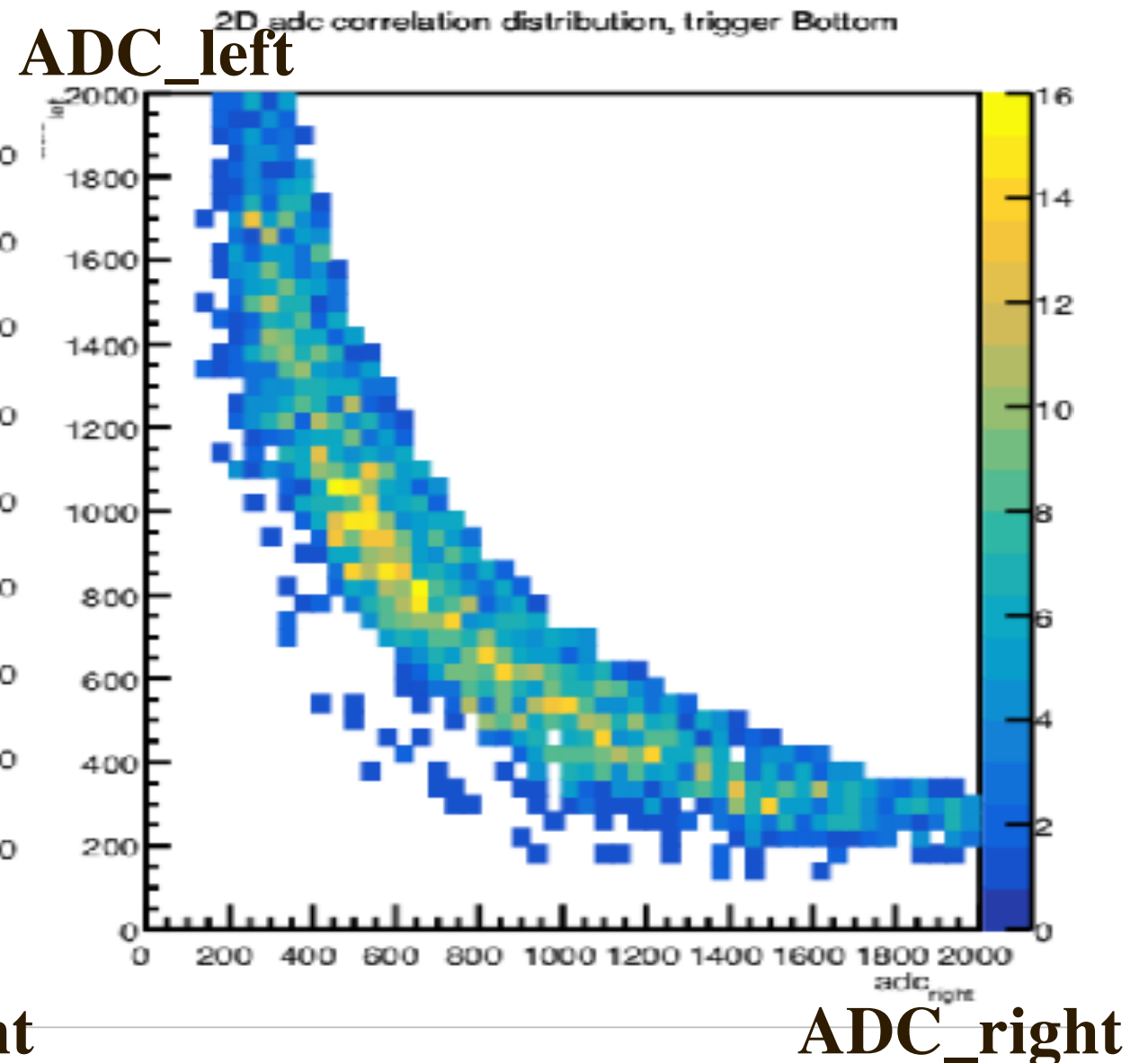
From the  $\text{ADC}_{\text{right}} : \text{ADC}_{\text{left}}$  2D distribution, removed the dummy events.

Before event selection



After event selection

$600 < \text{Sqrt}(\text{ADC}_{\text{left}} * \text{ADC}_{\text{right}}) < 1000$

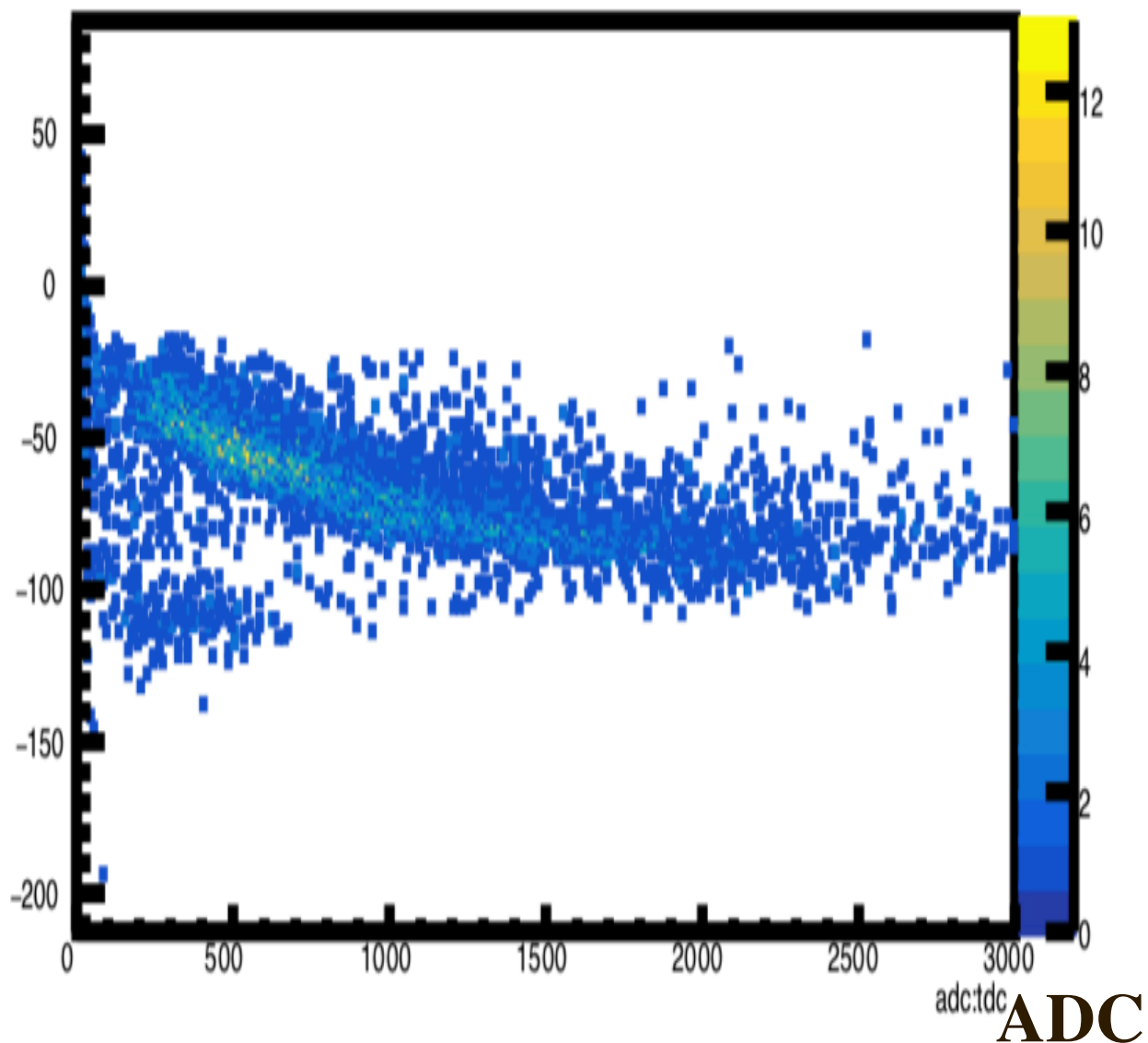




# COMPARISON WITH AND WITHOUT EVENT SELECTION

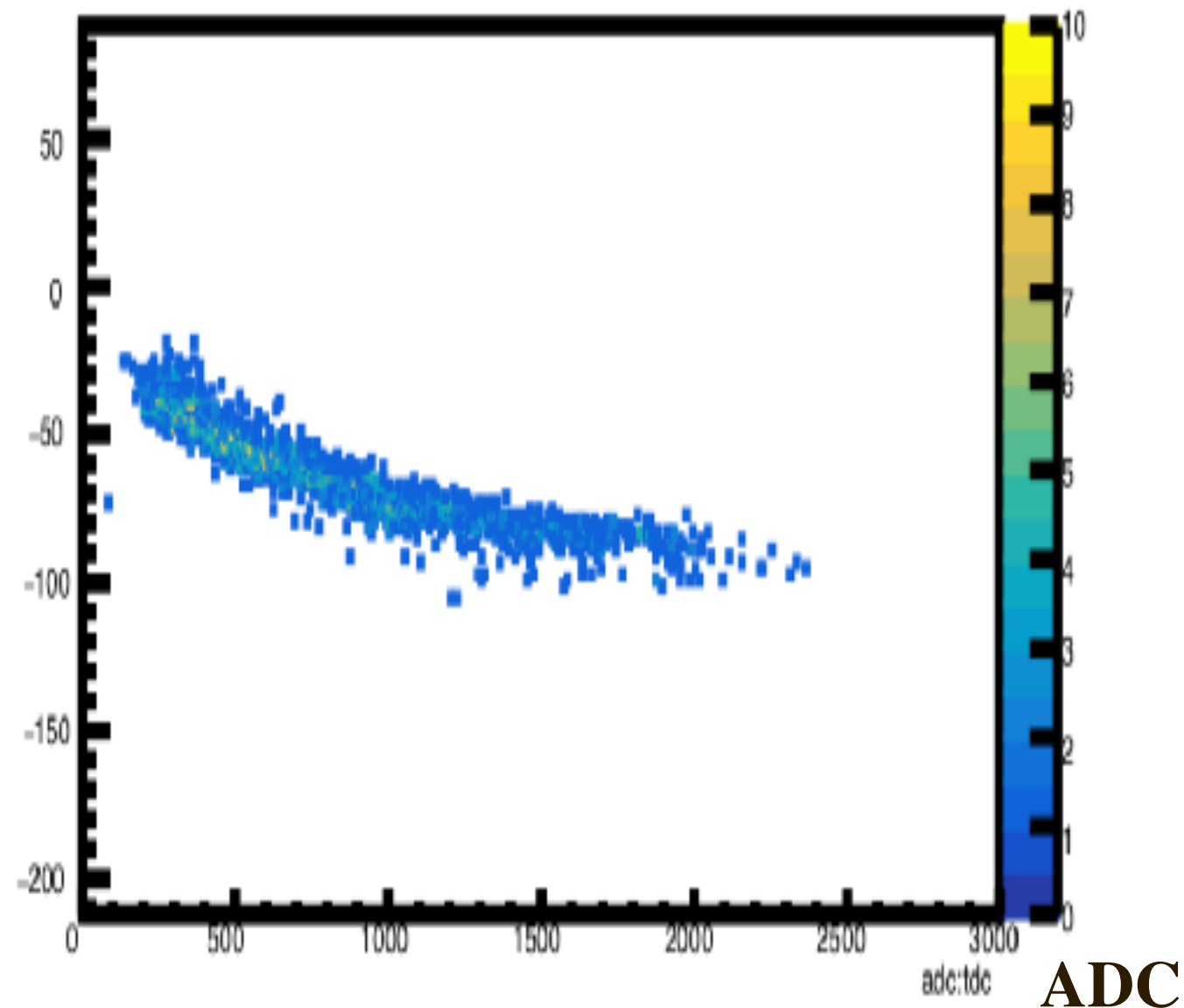
**ADC : TDC distribution  
without the event selection**

**TDC** 1 times, before timewalk correction, Trigger Bottom2



**with the event selection**

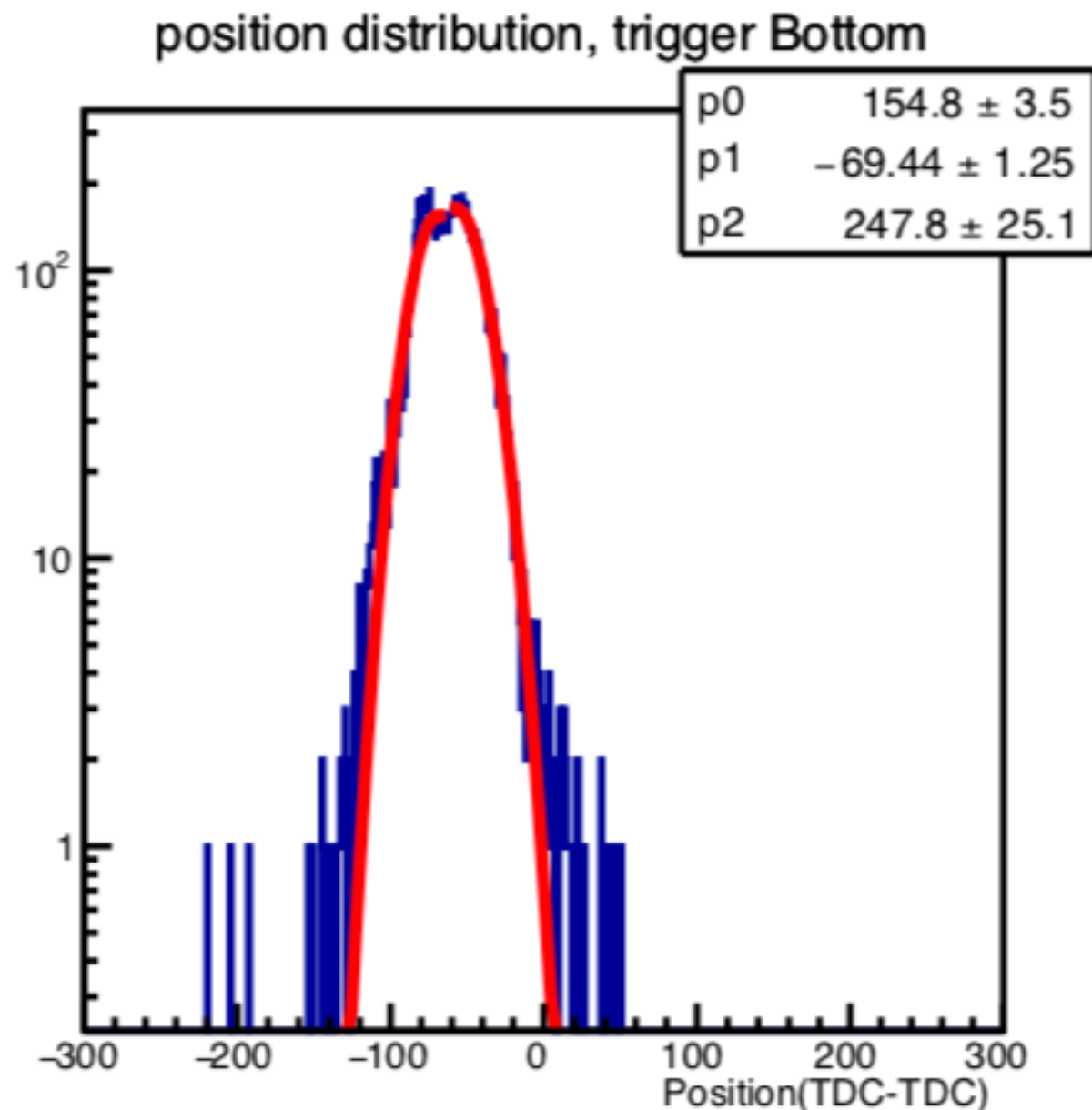
**TDC** 1 times, before timewalk correction, Trigger Bottom2



# POSITION DISTRIBUTION

## Position distribution

In the position distribution, selected the 3 cm section of the both triggers.



## Fitting functions

$$p_0 \exp\left[-\frac{(\min(z, p_1) - p_1)^2}{2p_2^2}\right]$$

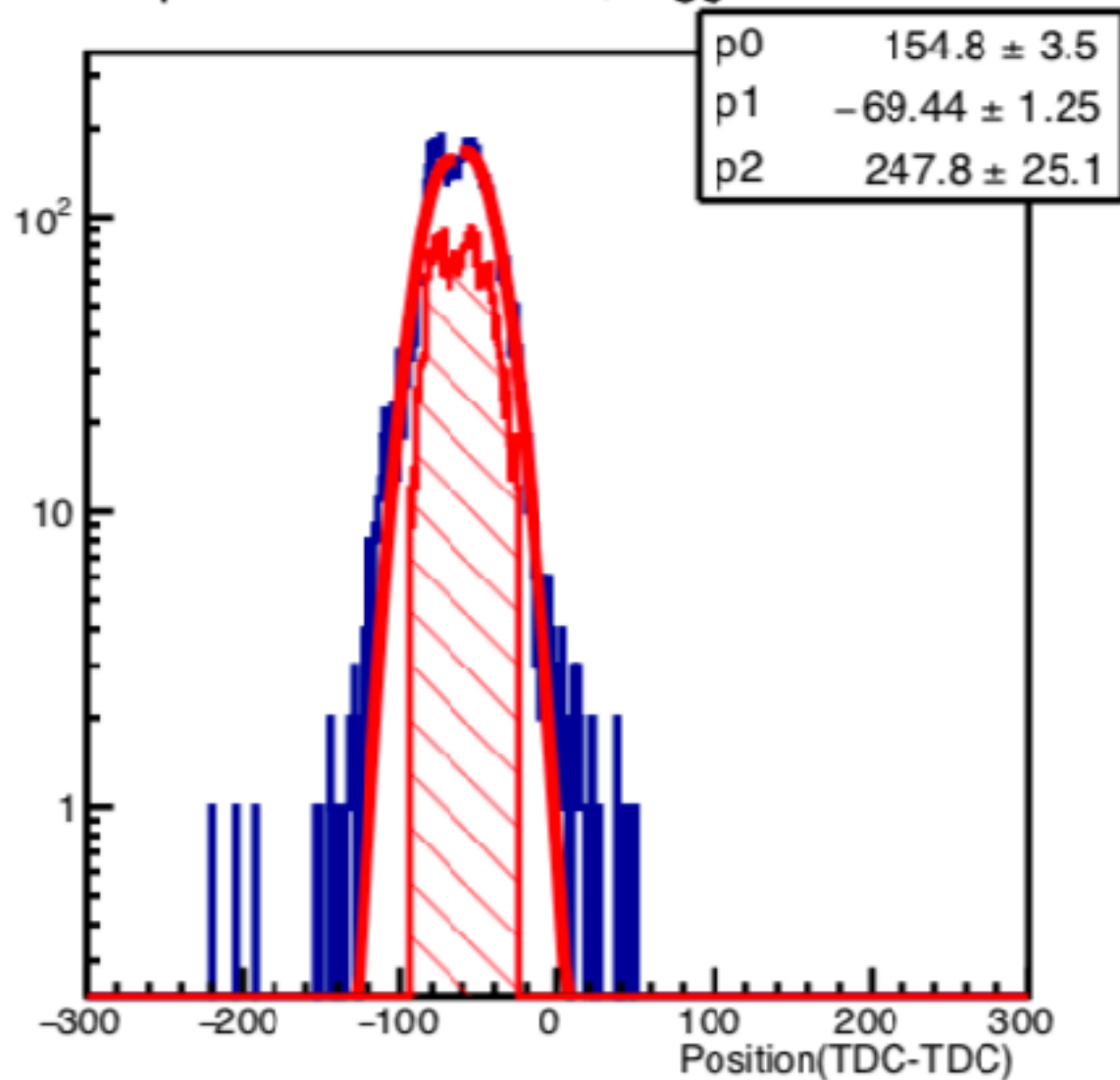
$$p_0 \exp\left[-\frac{(\max(z, p_1) - p_1)^2}{2p_2^2}\right]$$

# EVENT SELECTION

Red histograms are the selected event

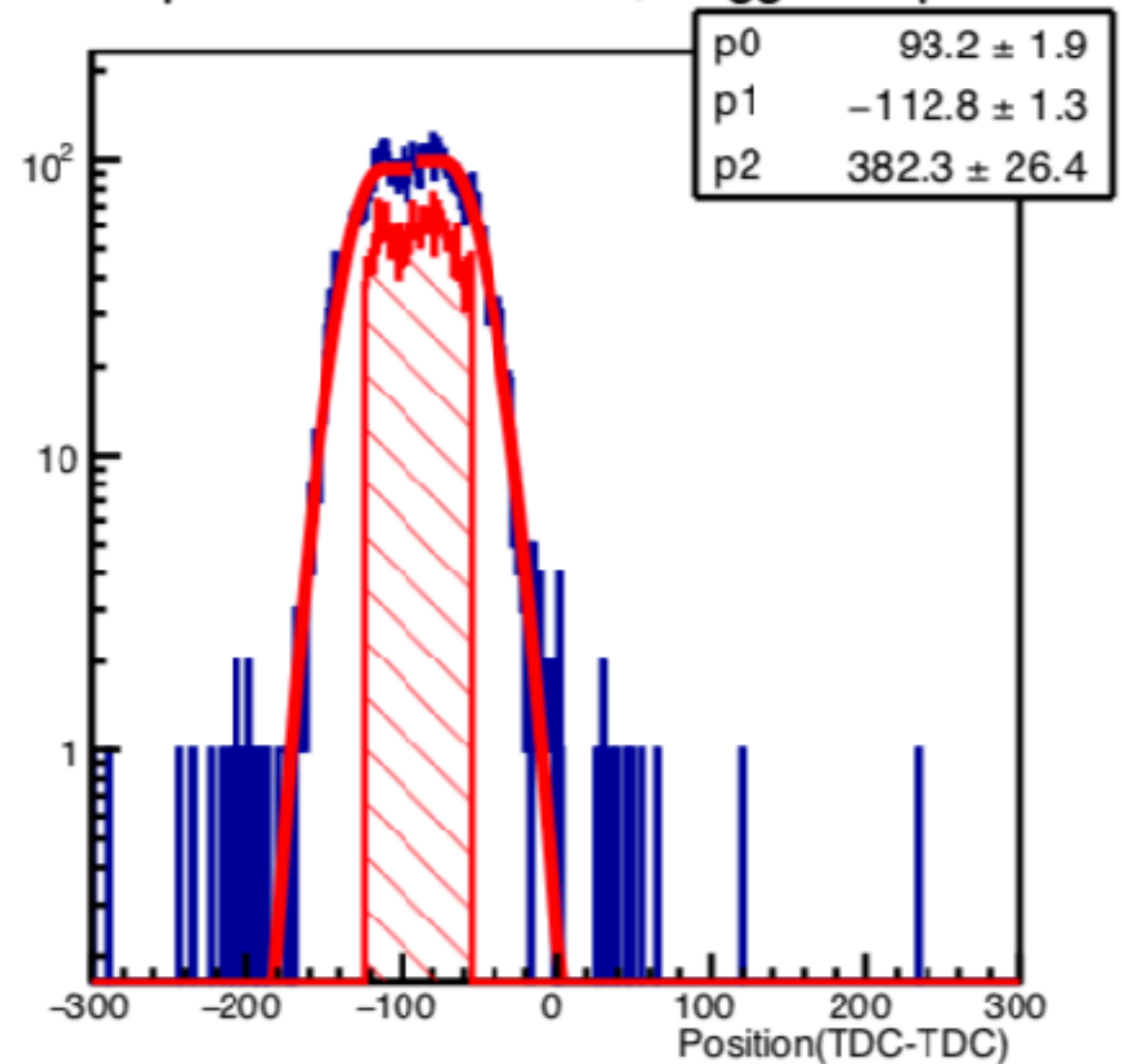
## Bottom trigger

position distribution, trigger Bottom



## Top trigger

position distribution, Trigger Top



# TIME WALK CORRECTION

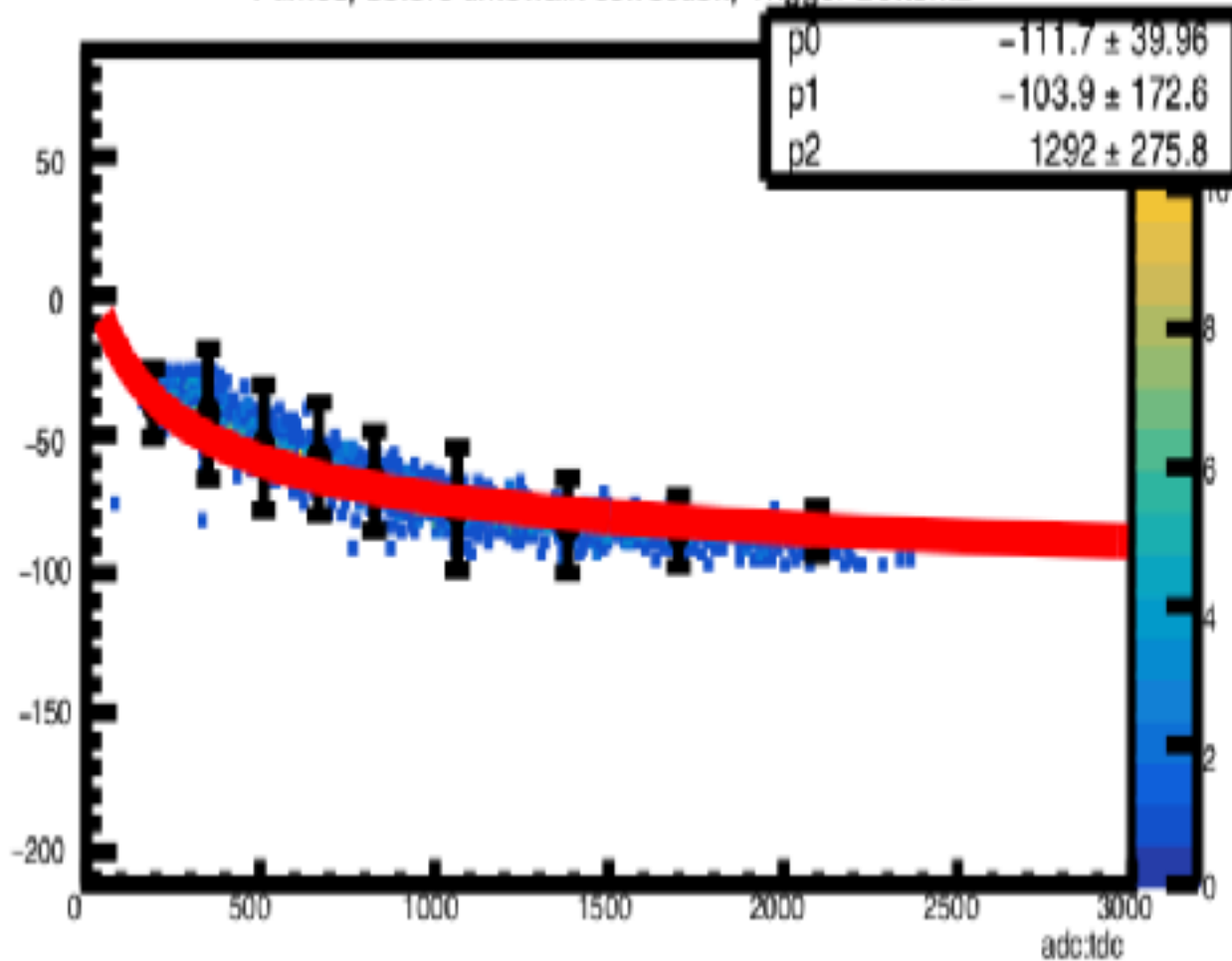
## Timewalk correction of trigger counters

before

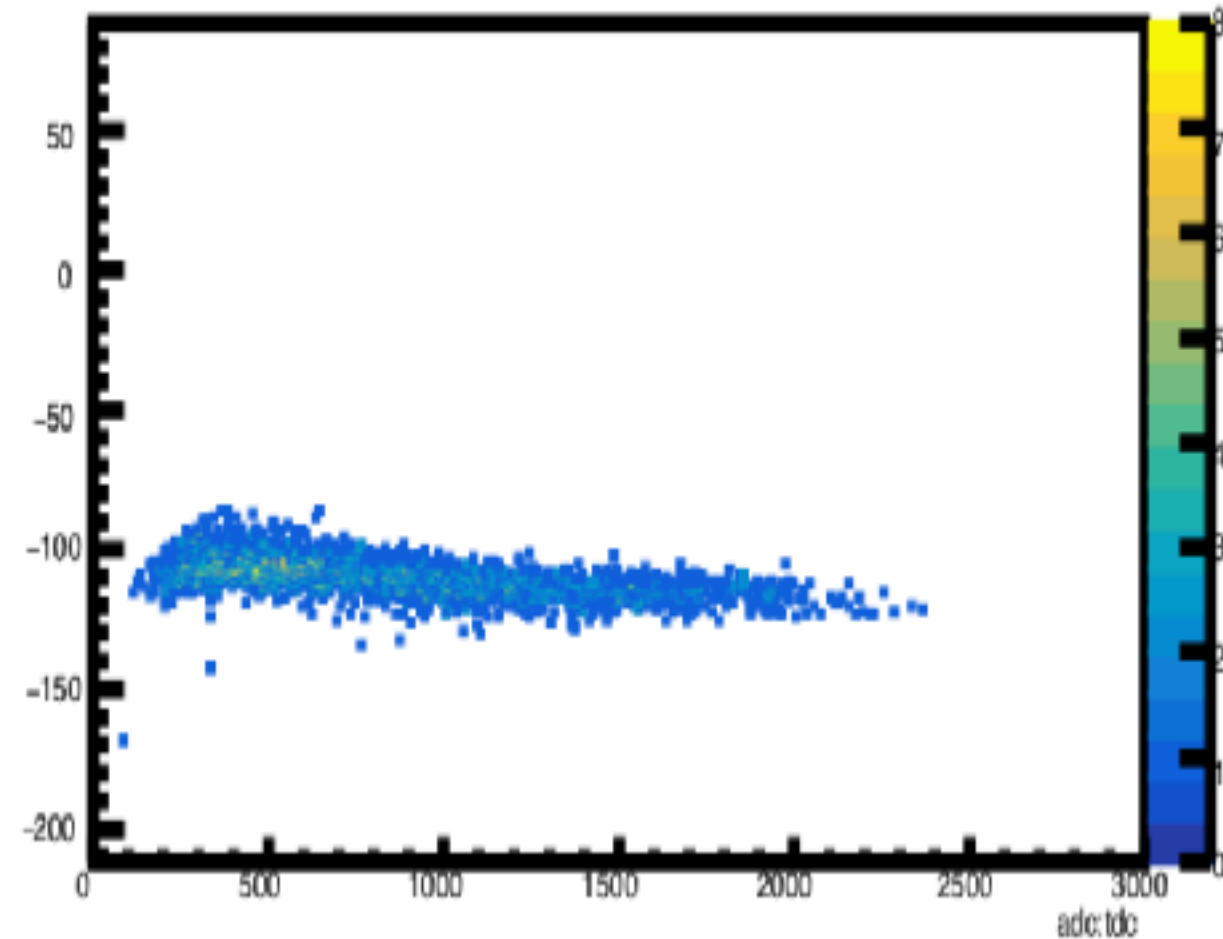
after

$$t' = t + \frac{a}{\sqrt{Q - Q_0}}$$

1 times, before timewalk correction, Trigger Bottom2



1 times, after timewalk correction, Trigger Bottom2

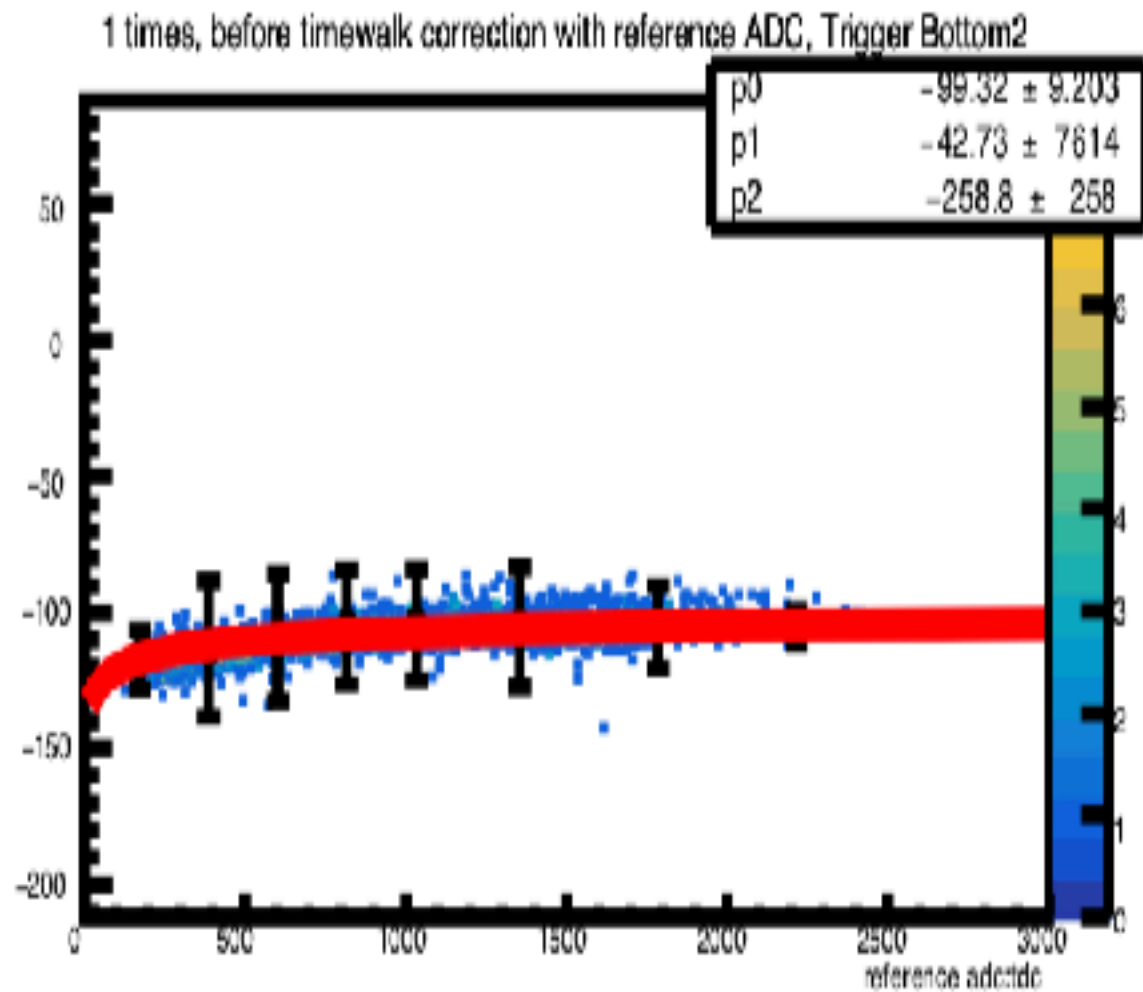


Three times of collections were done in this way.

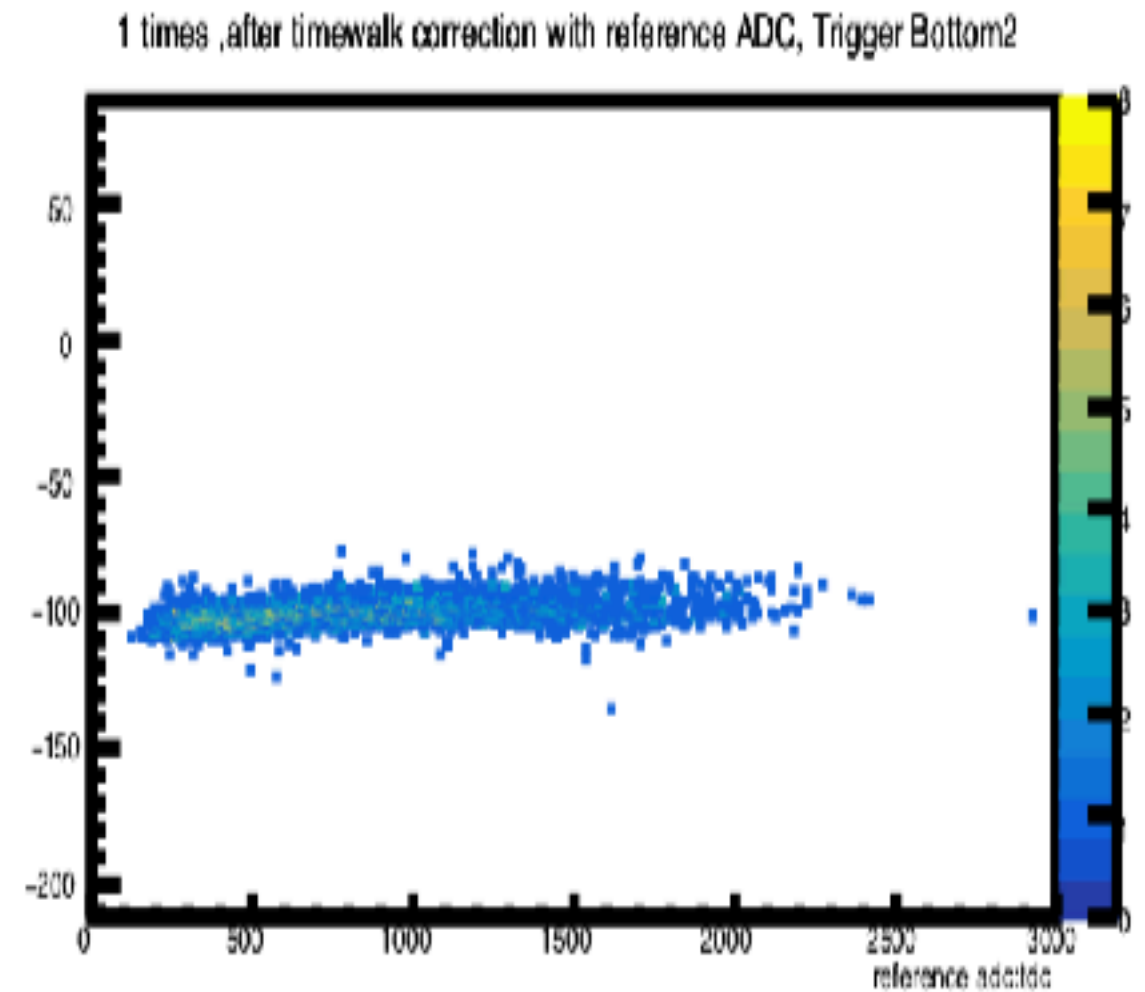
# TIME WALK CORRECTION

## Timewalk correction of trigger counters with reference counter's ADC

before



after



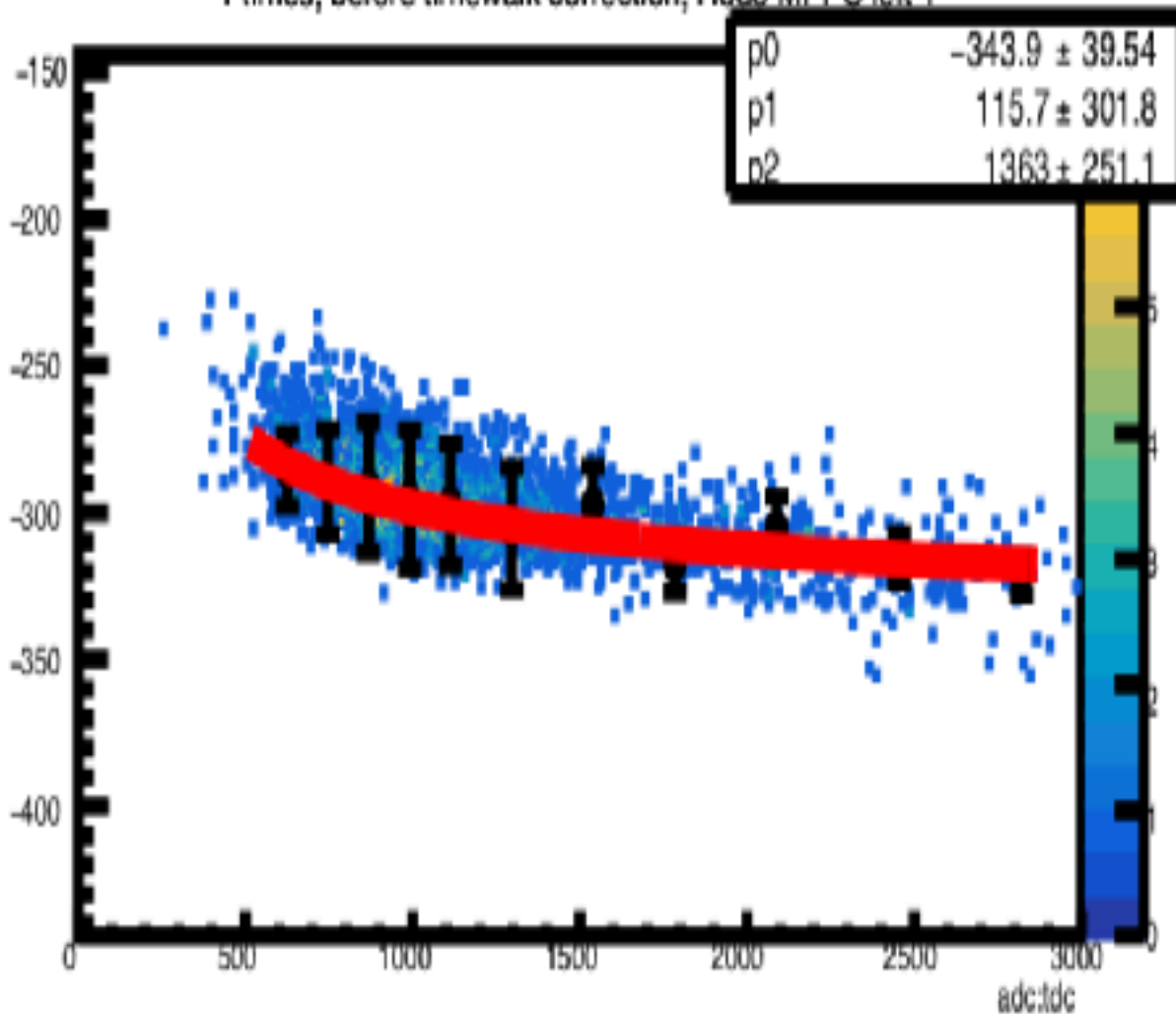
Two times of collections were done in this way.

# TIME WALK CORRECTION

## Timewalk correction of MPPCs

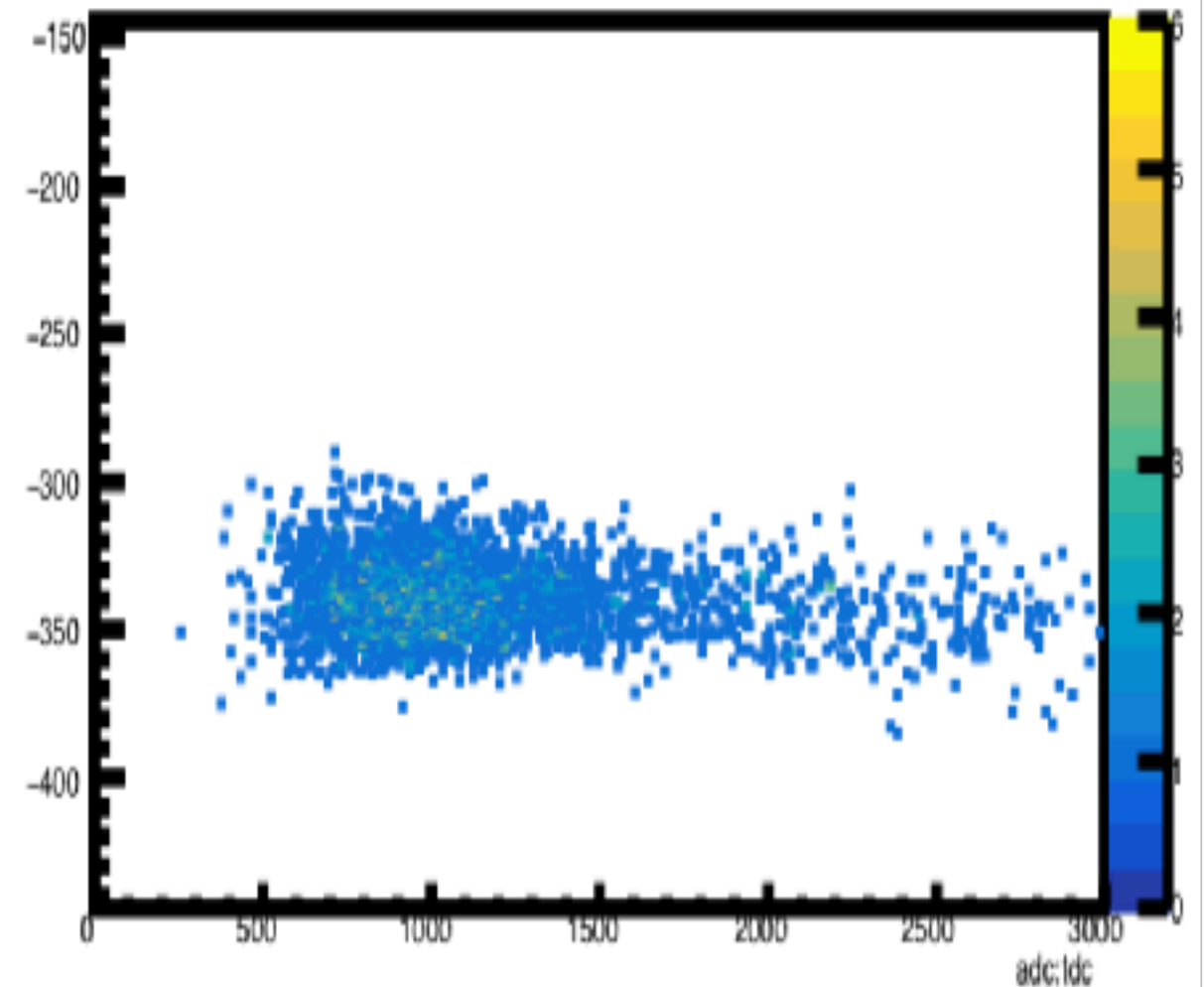
before

1 times, before timewalk correction, Hodo MPPC left 1



after

1 times, after timewalk correction, Hodo MPPC left 1



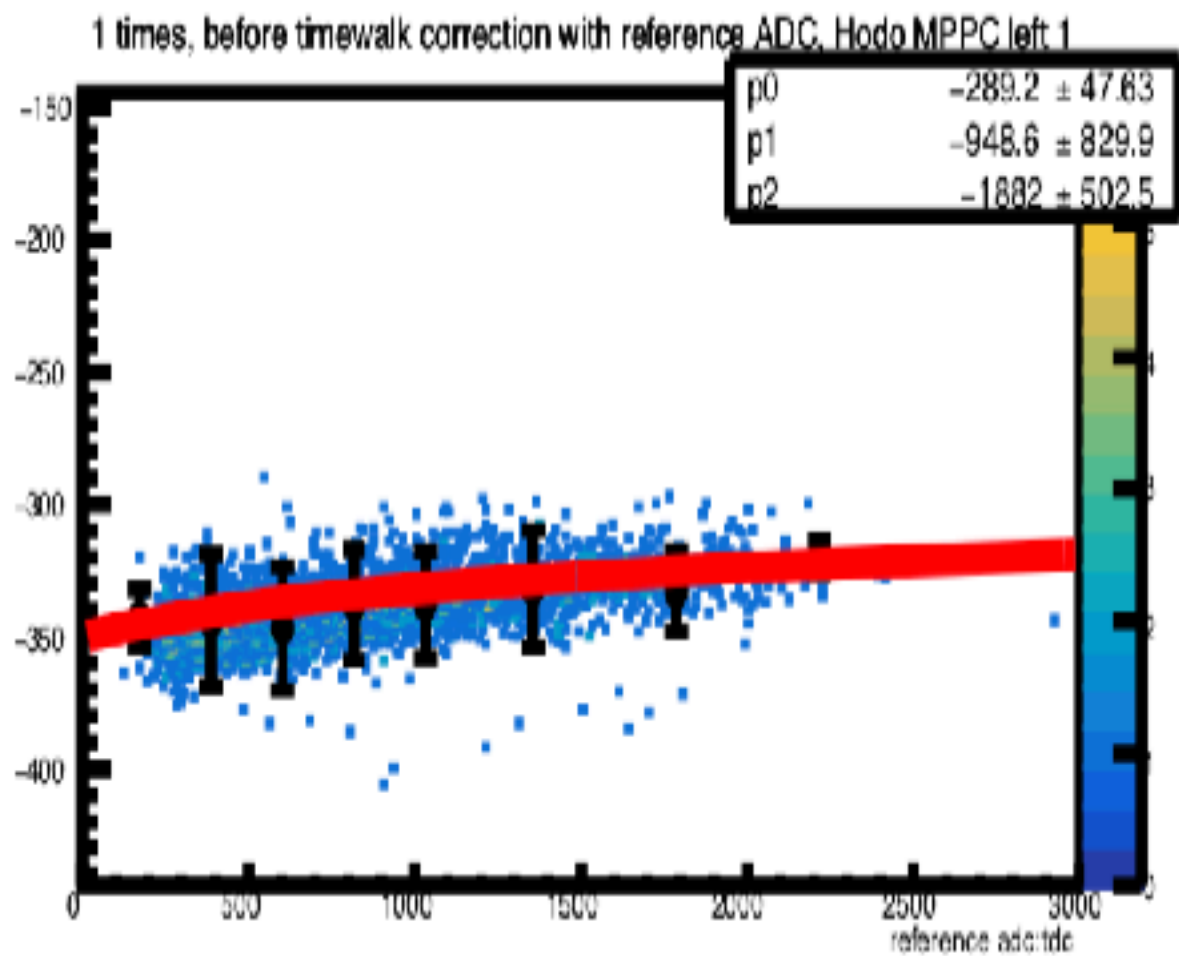
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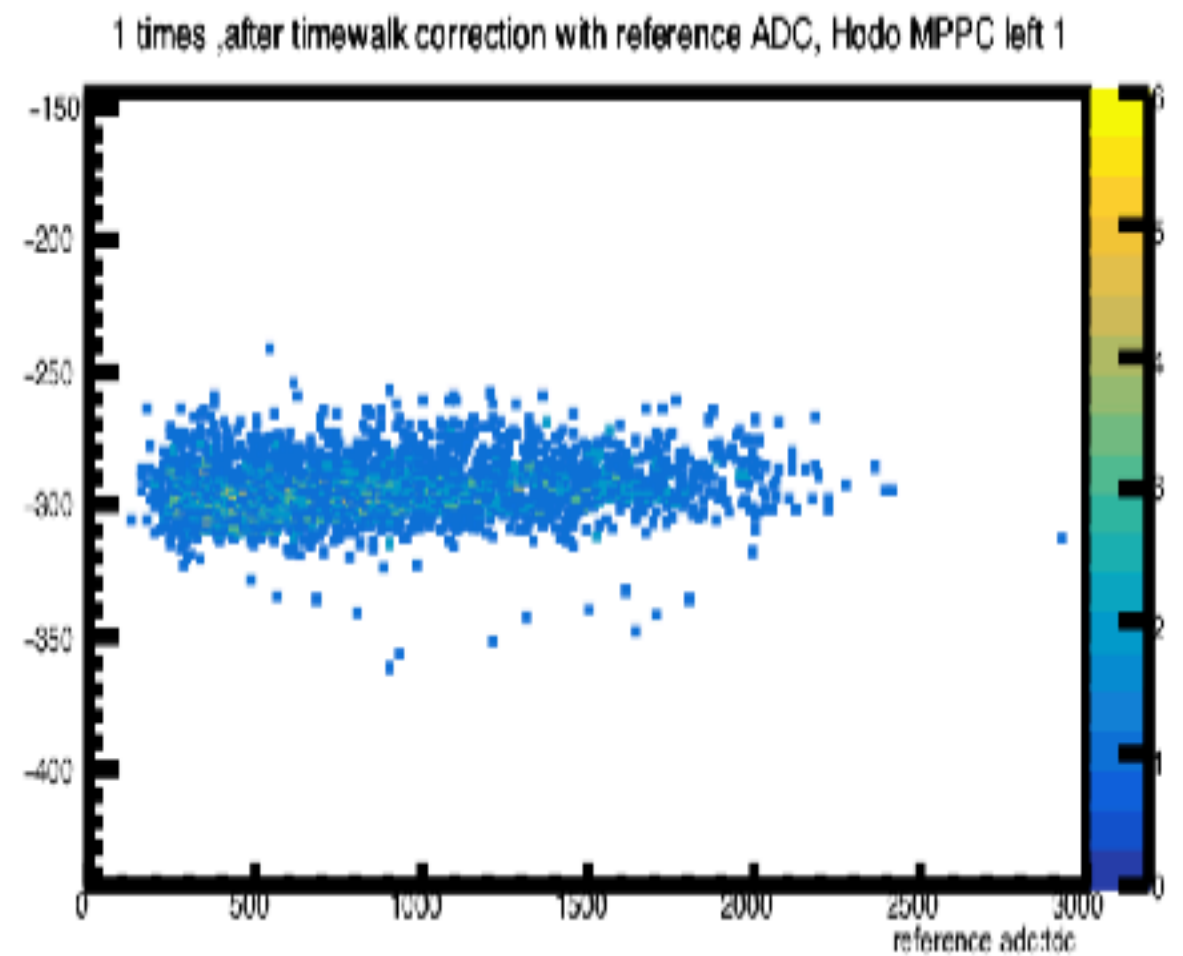
# TIME WALK CORRECTION

## Timewalk correction of MPPCs with reference counter's ADC

before

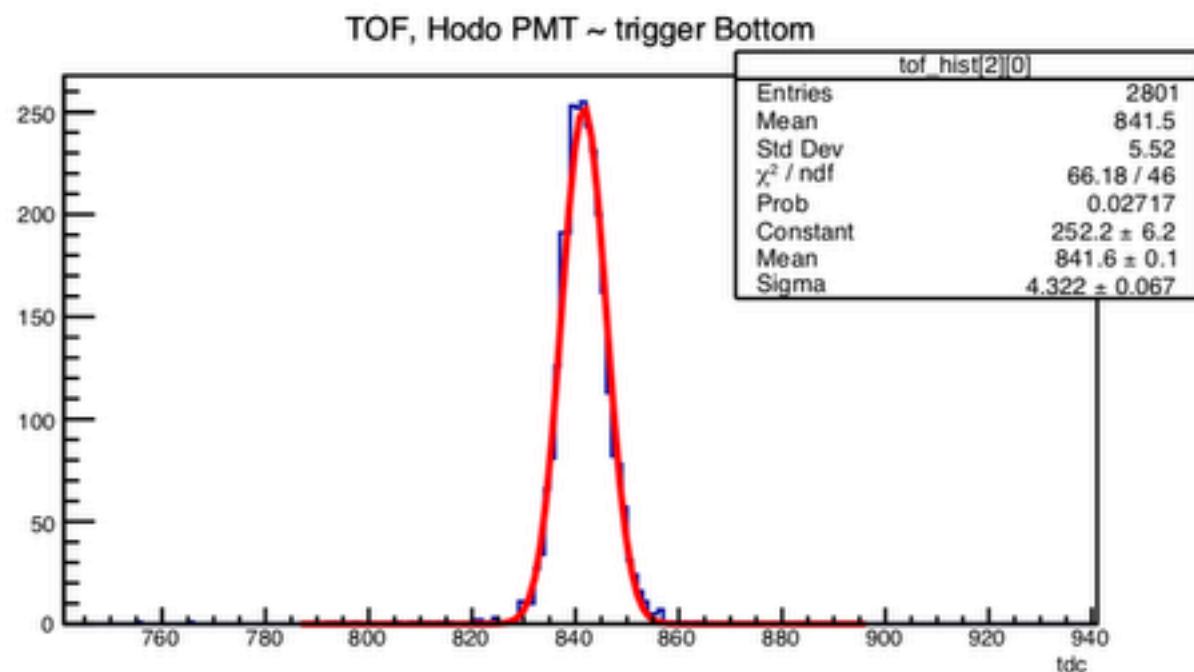
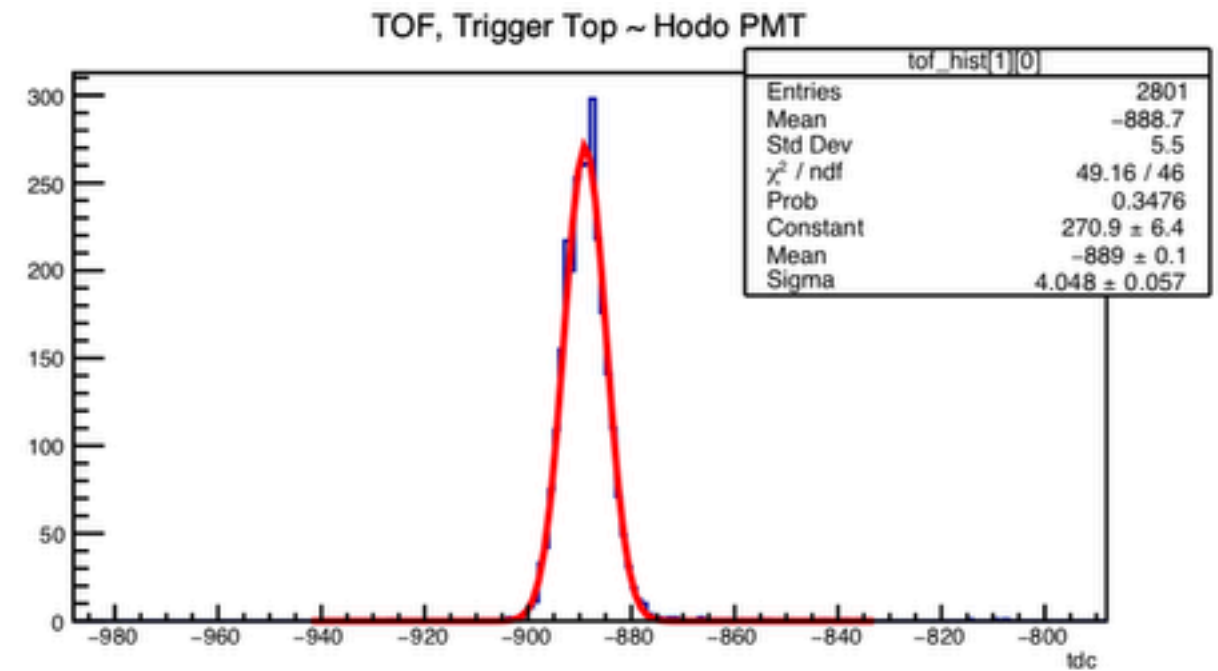
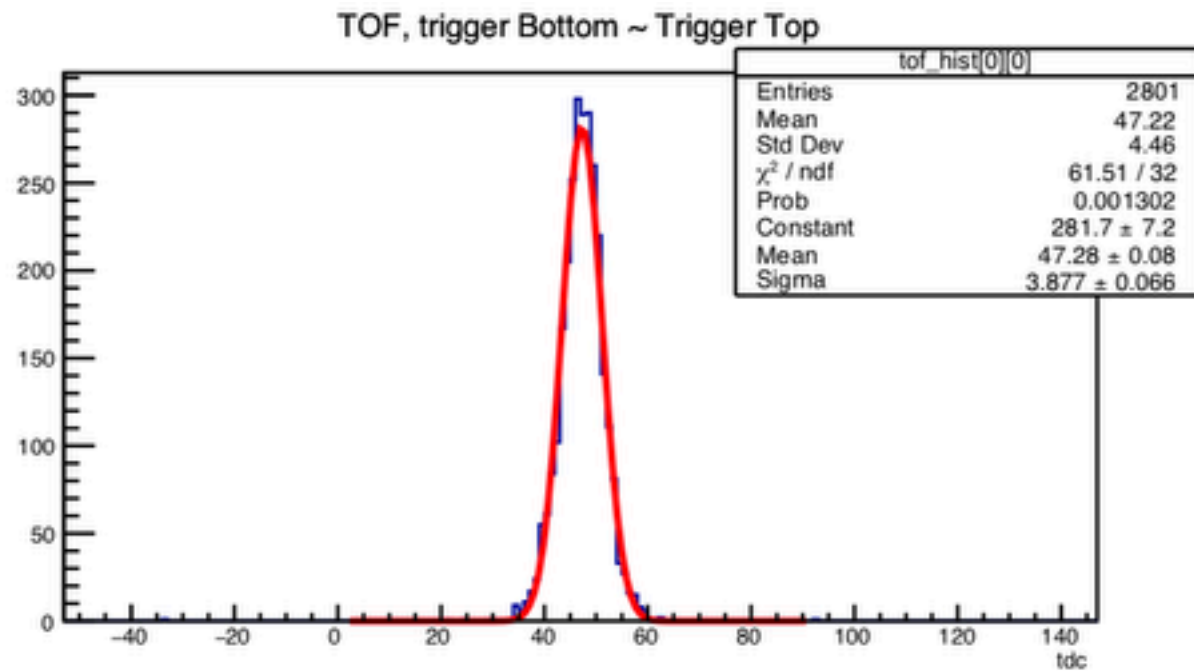


after



Two times of collections were done in this way.

# TRIGGER COUNTER'S TIME RESOLUTION



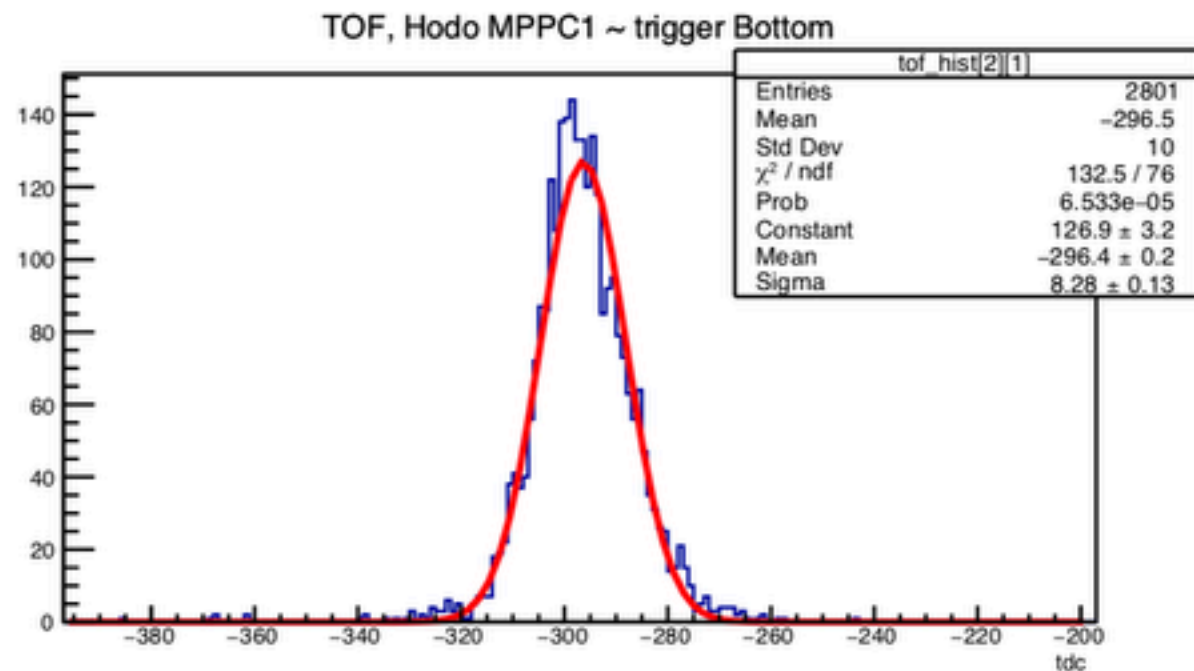
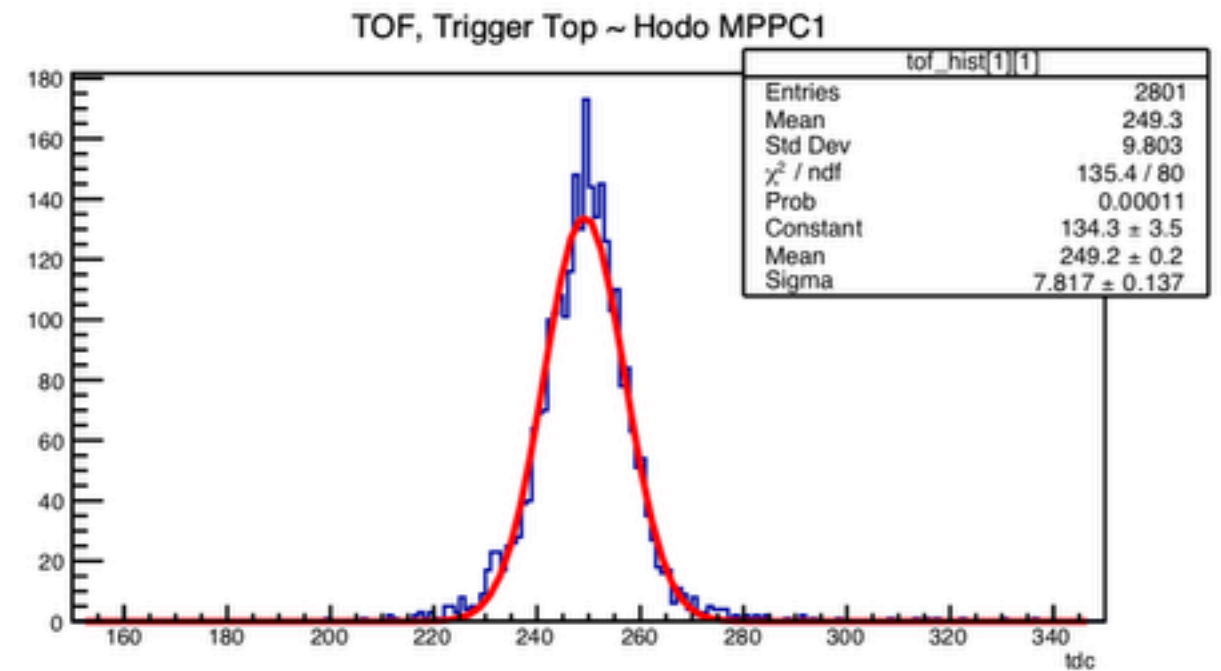
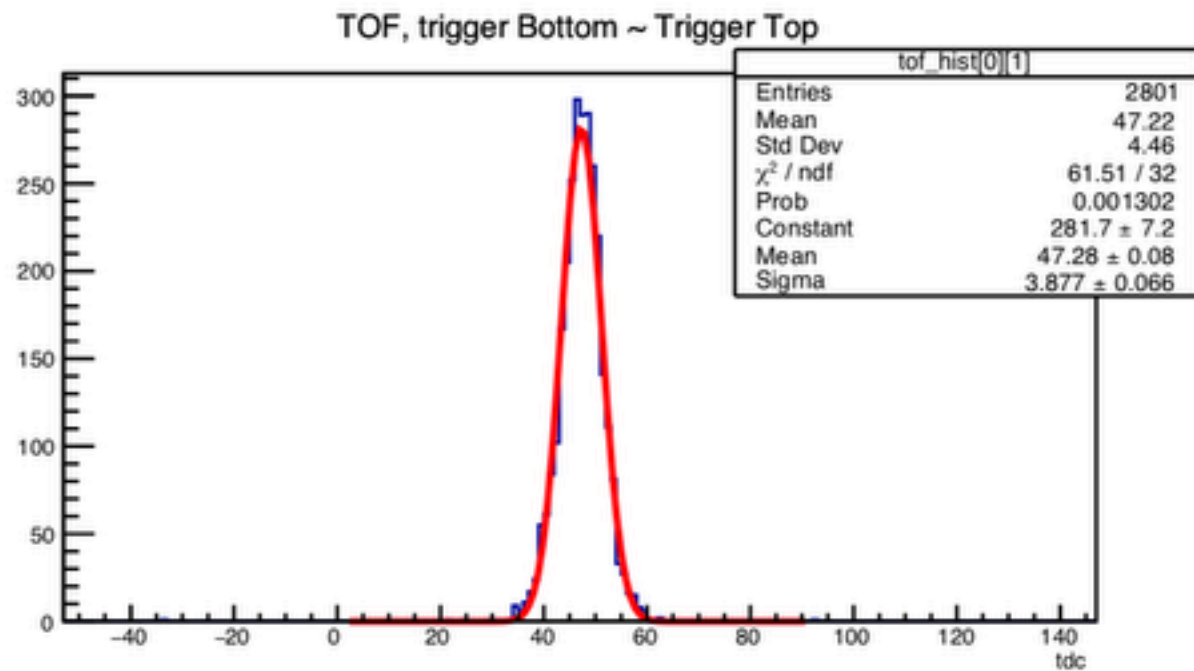
Bottom trigger :  $103 \pm 3$  ps

Top trigger :  $88 \pm 3$  ps

Hodoscope with PMTs :  $111 \pm 2$  ps

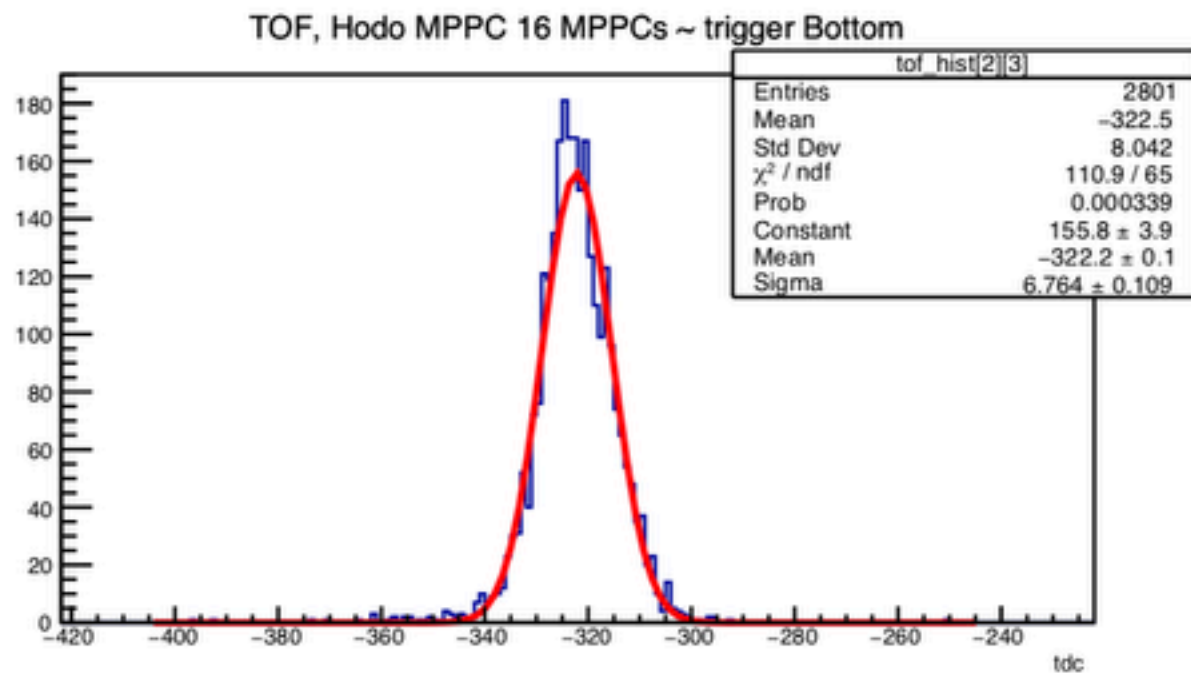
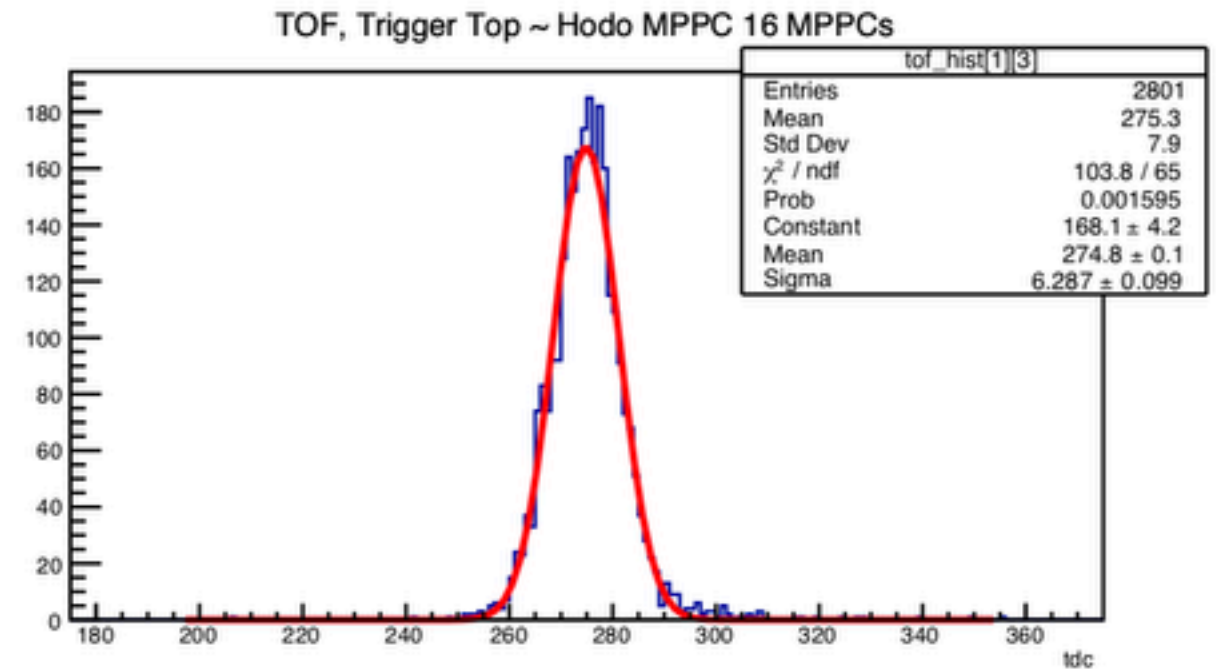
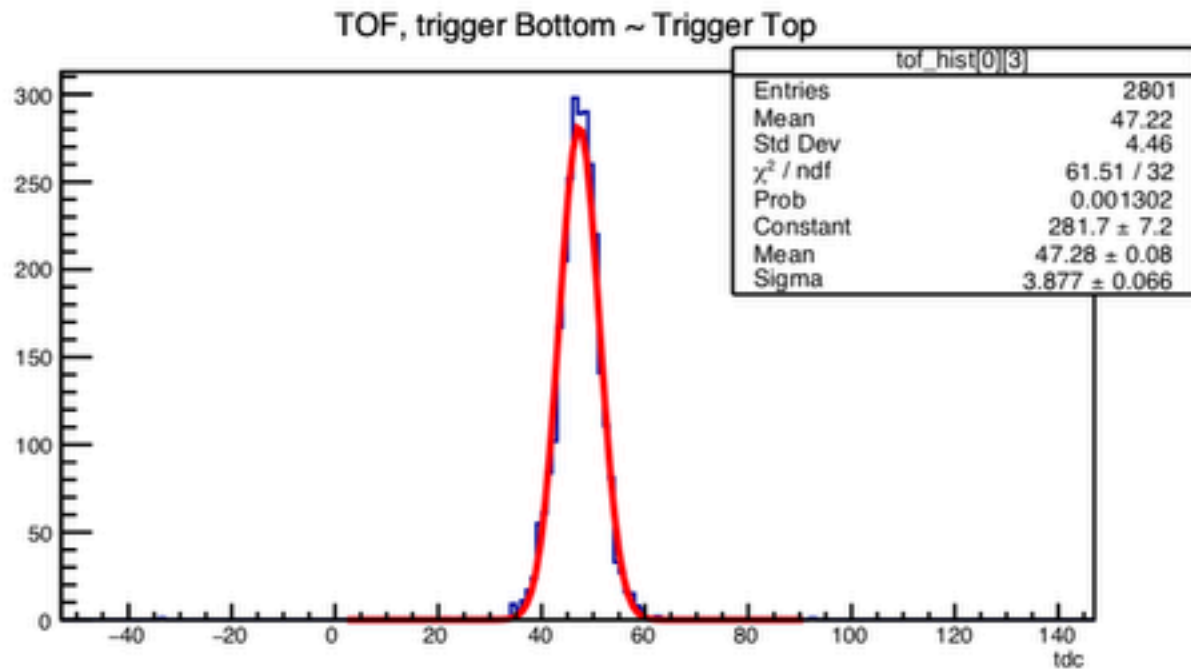


# 8 MPPCS' TIME RESOLUTION



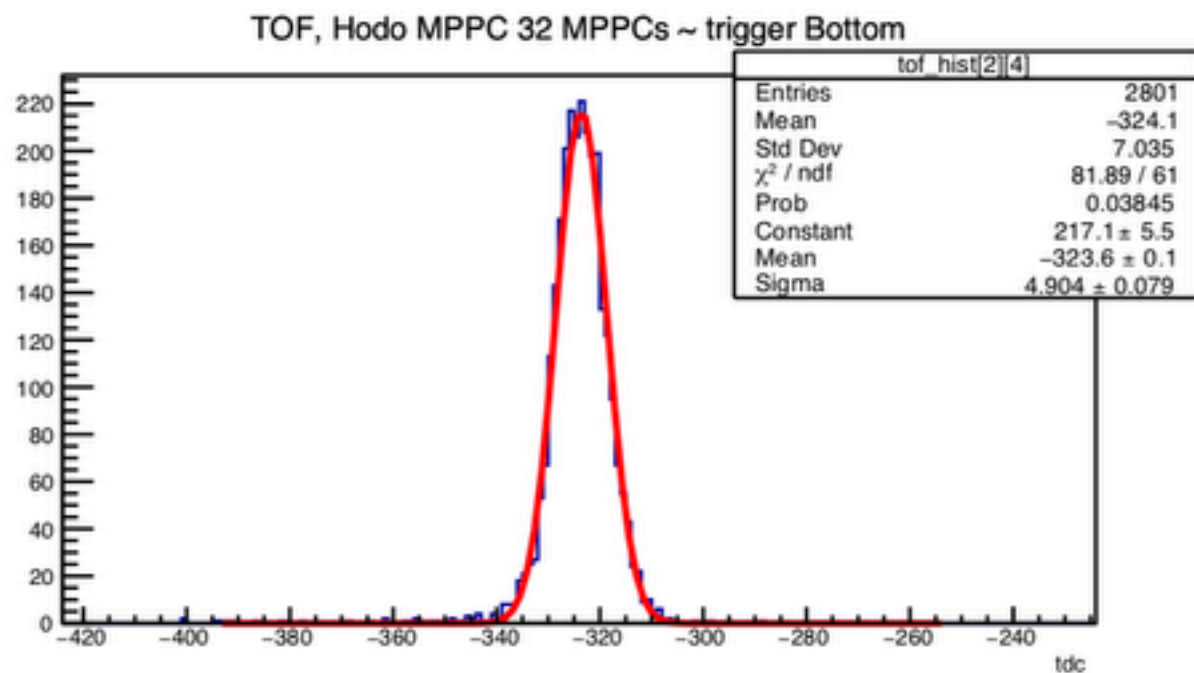
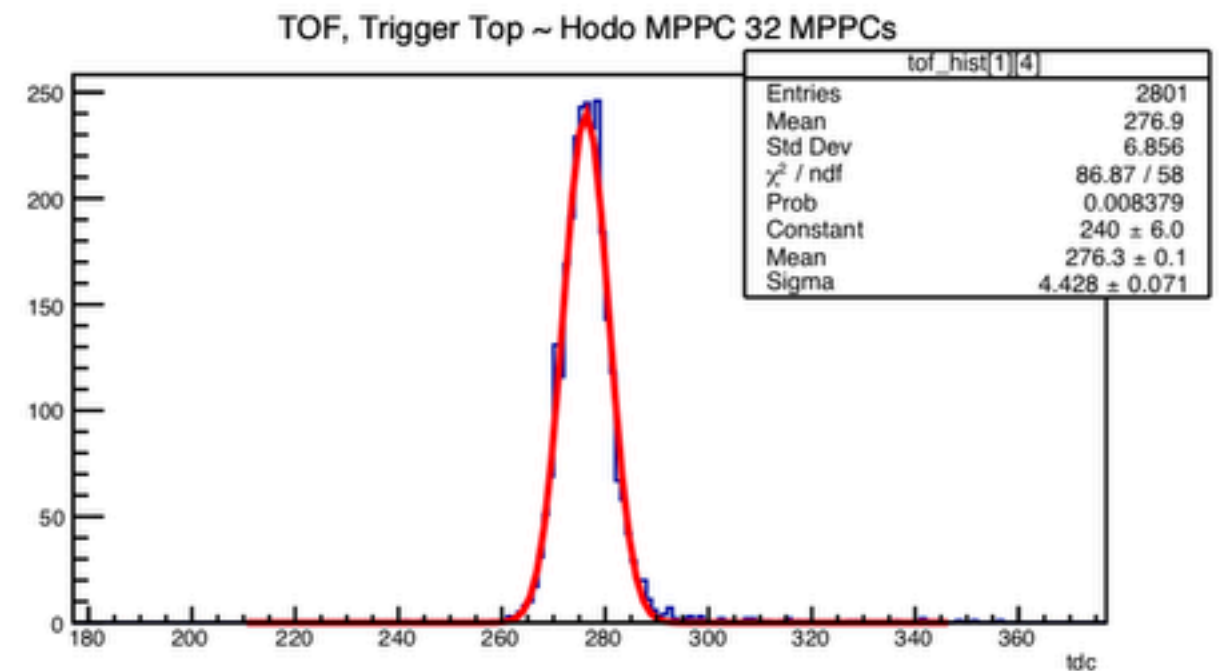
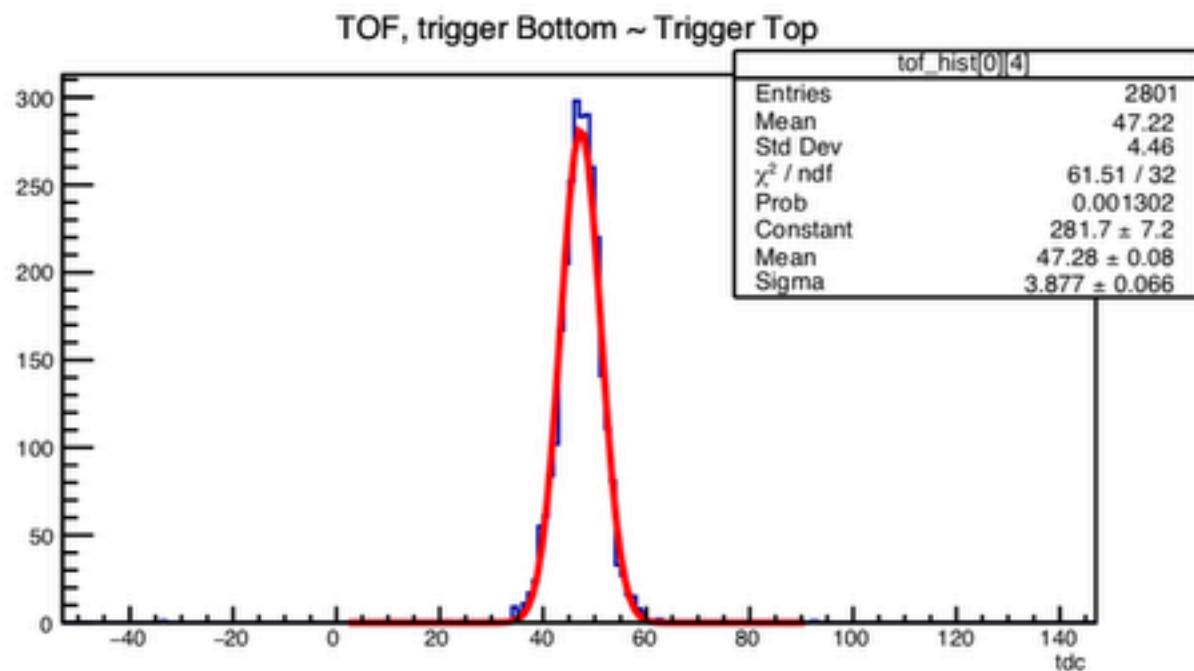
Fix the Top trigger's resolution to 88 ps  
Hodoscope with 8 MPPCs :  $259 \pm 5$  ps

# 16 MPPCS' TIME RESOLUTION



Fix the Top trigger's resolution to 88 ps  
 Hodoscope with 16 MPPC :  $202 \pm 3$  ps

# 32 MPPCS' TIME RESOLUTION



Fix the Top trigger's resolution to 88 ps  
Hodoscope with 32 MPPC :  $127 \pm 2$  ps

# BACKUP

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# TRIGGER COUNTERS

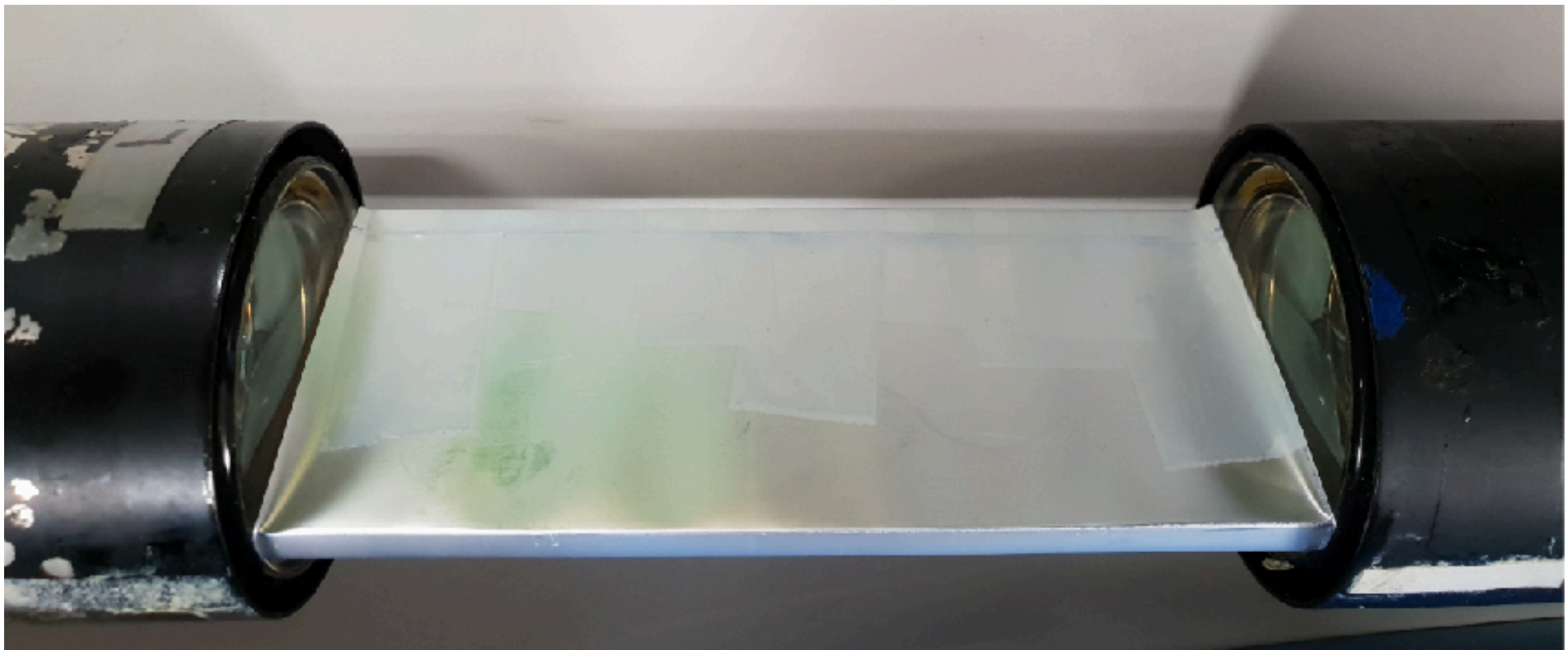
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Wrapped the scintillator with the ESR reflection paper.

(light collection efficiency becomes 1.2 times better)

Scintillator size :  $5^L \times \underline{5^W} \times 0.5^T$  cm (Bottom)

$5^L \times \underline{12^W} \times 0.5^T$  cm (Top)

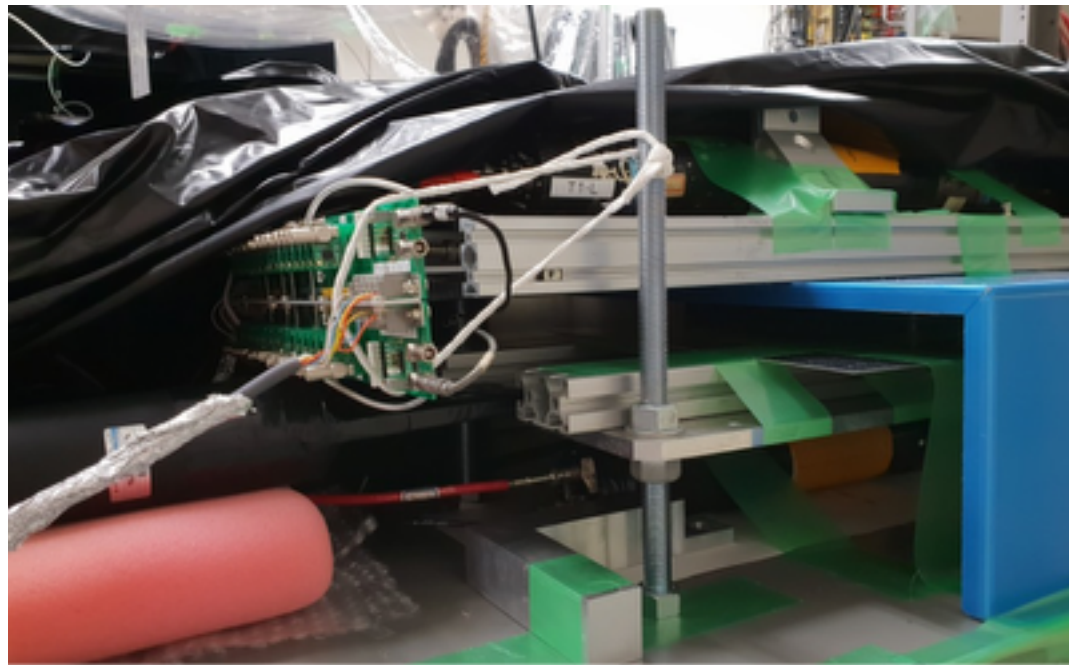




# TEST BENCH

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Four detectors are stacked



*Trigger counter*

*Hodoscope with MPPCs*

*Hodoscope with PMTs*

*1 mm thick metal plate*

*Trigger counter*

*(time reference)*

Adhesive optical tapes were used for coupling between the scintillator and the MPPC.

Optically Clear Adhesive Tape LUCIACS®  
CS986 Series (Acrylic adhesive)

# AFTER THE TIME WALK CORRECTION

