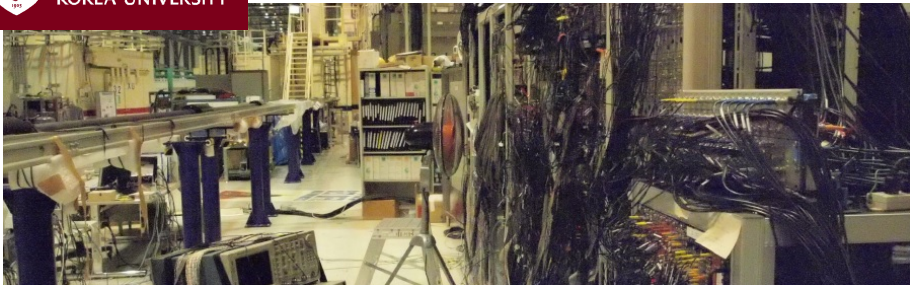




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## **Development of a Beam Hodoscope(BH2) with Fast Scintillators and MPPC Readout for J-PARC E42**

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# BH2 for J-PARC E42

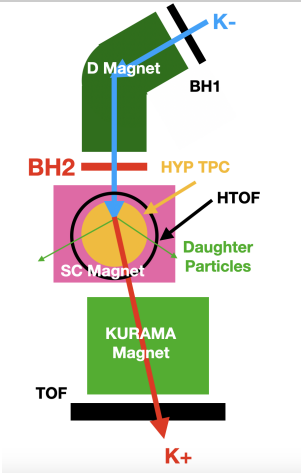


Figure: K1.8 Beamline

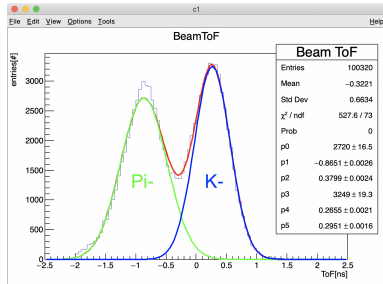


Figure: ToF of the Beam.

$$T_{Beam} = T_{BH2} - T_{BH1}; \quad T_{Scat} = T_{HTOF} - T_{BH2}$$

- J-PARC E42 searches for the H-dibaryon, by ( $K^-$ ,  $K^+$ ) reaction at  $^{12}\text{C}$  target.

# BH2 Board

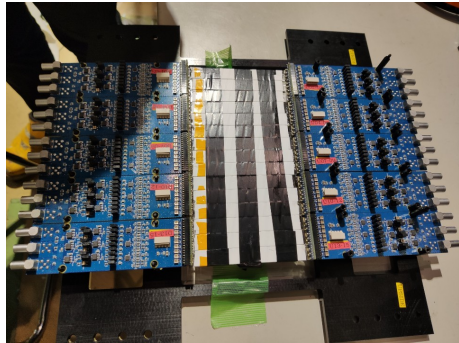
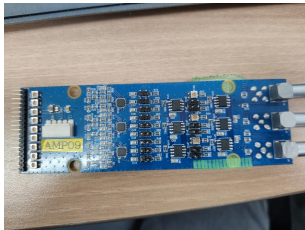
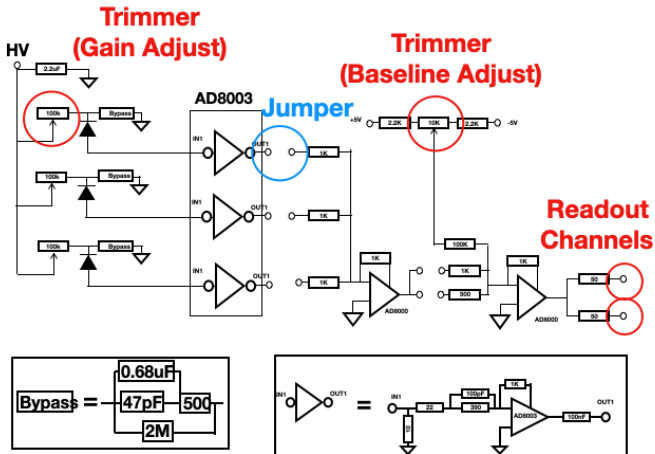


Figure: BH2 at J-PARC.

- MPPC and Signal Amplifying circuit is on separate board.

# MPPC Readout Logic



- AD8003 contains 3 AD8000 OPamp.
- 3 MPPC reads 1 scintillator (13mm) output.
- 2 Output channels are required for ADC/TDC

# PCB Design to Avoid MPPC Crosstalk

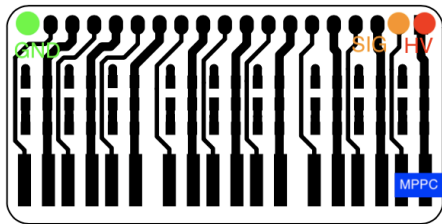


Figure: Front side

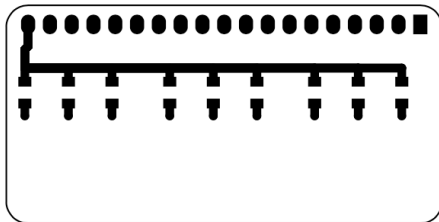


Figure: Back Side

- MPPC is placed on separate board, to bend the circuit.
- Placing conductor under middle of MPPC causes Crosstalk.

# MPPC on PSpice

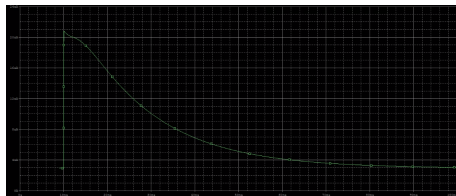
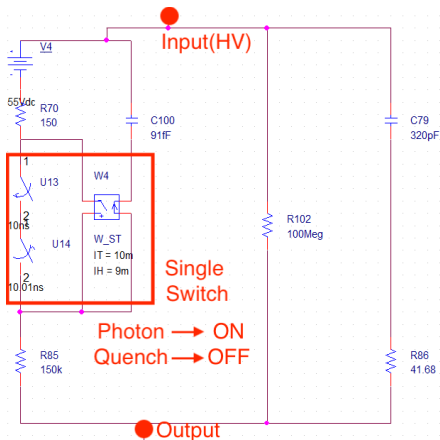


Figure: 0 ns~100 ns:0  $\mu\text{A}$ ~24  $\mu\text{A}$

- R102 for Dark current( $\sim 0.5\mu\text{A}$ )
- Unfired pixels are implemented(C79-R86 line)
- MPPC Intrinsic risetime is very fast.

- OpAMP(AD8000) property was offered by the Manufacturer

# Selection of Scintillator

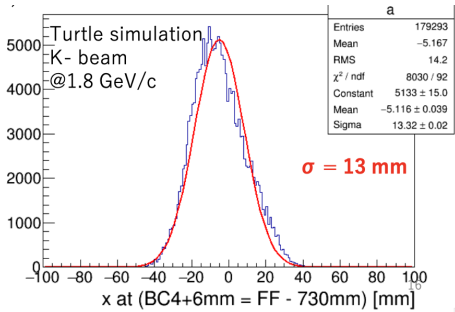


Figure: Simulation result:  $1\sigma \sim 0.5 \text{ MHz}$

- Time resolution gets worse, if  $\text{rate/slat} > 0.5 \text{ MHz} \rightarrow \text{Slat width} \leq 13 \text{ mm}$
- Slat height = Height of Drift Chamber (100 mm), to use for Magnet tuning
- EJ232 was selected, for fast rise/decay time (0.35 ns / 1.4 ns)



# Scintillator Selection

T \ W	9 mm	13 mm
	5 mm	$71.3 \pm 6.9$ ps
3 mm	-	$66.3 \pm 2.8$ ps

Table: Time resolution table of candidate scintillators. Length= 100 mm

- 3 candidate scintillators with different dimensions were tested, before producing BH2 Circuit.
- $100^L 13^W 5^T$  EJ232 was selected for BH2
- Time resolution of BH2 with new circuit:  $69.2 \pm 2.6$  ps.

# PSpice VS Oscilloscope

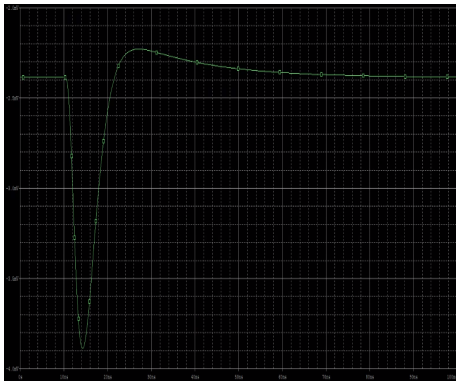


Figure: width: 15ns, height: 1.5 mV

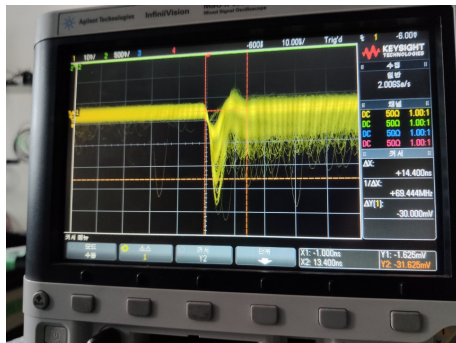
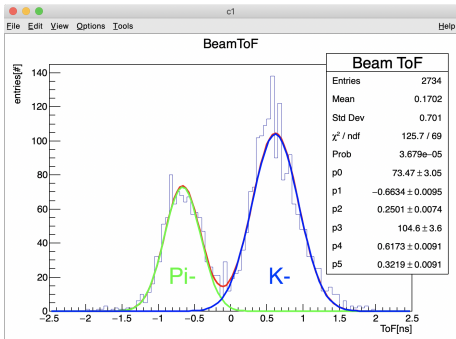


Figure: width: 8ns, height: 3.3 mV. Gain is X3 than actual value.

# Data taking at J-PARC



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