

Status of BCM1F4LHC

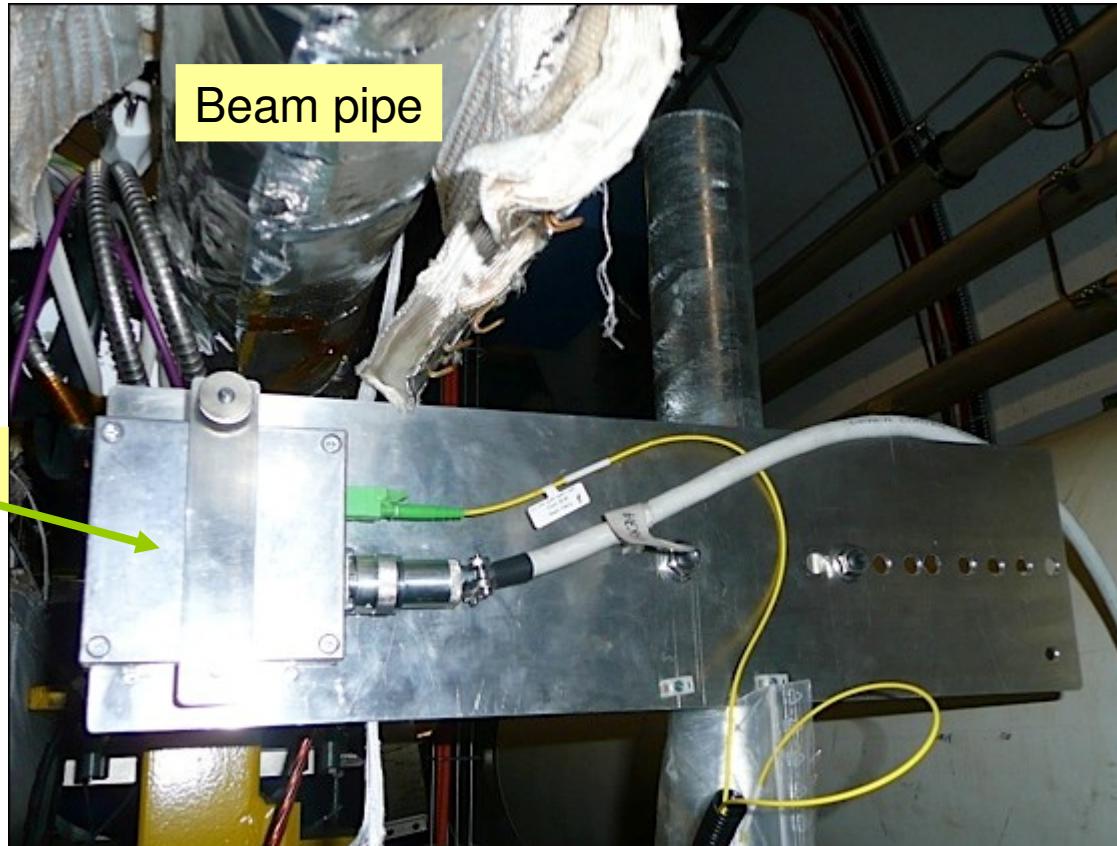
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FCAL-CMS meeting

17th Oct 2011

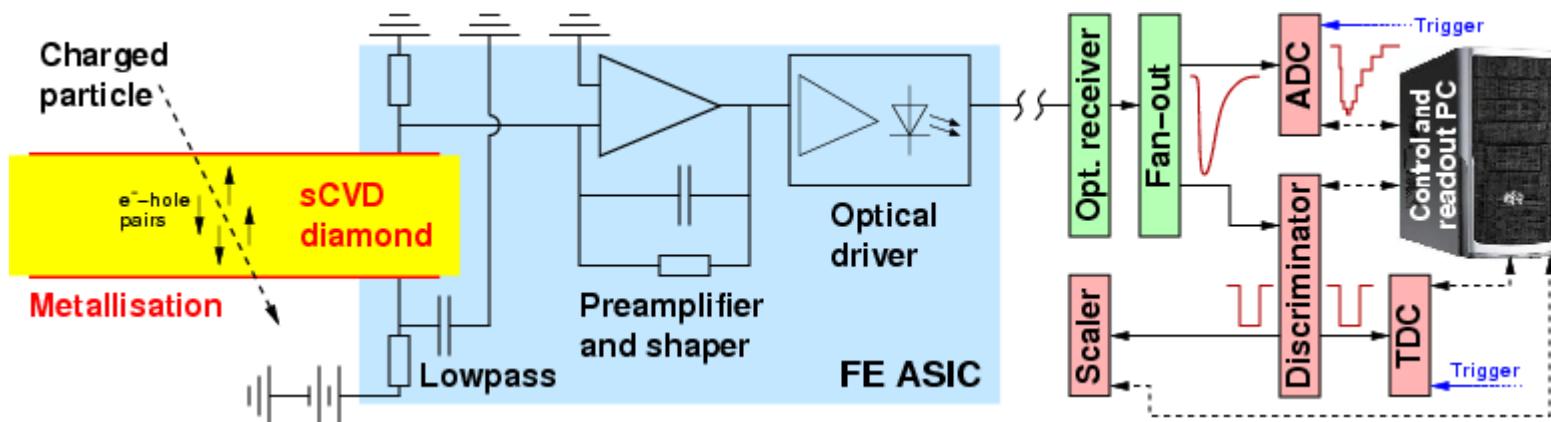
Installation of the diamond

- The diamond is installed in the IP#8 of the LHC ring, cell 4 R8, close to the TCTVB (collimator) and at 70.501 m from the LHCb IP on the side closest to IP#1.
It is located below the vacuum chamber and it is about 20 cm away from the center of the beam pipe.
- Losses are created by the impact of protons on the collimator TCTVB (vertical collimator). LHCb **lumi and losses due to vacuum degradation can also be observed????**



DAQ chain

- The signal from the diamond is carried out from P2 to Prevessin site via optical fiber.
- An optical receiver converts back the sensor's optical signal into an electrical signal.
- With a Fan In-Fan Out several copies of the signal are provided to the data acquisition devices.
- The data acquisition is done using CAEN VME boards:
An **ADC** digitizes the signal that comes out from a DC output of the Fan In-Fan Out.
A **discriminator** discriminates the signal that comes out from the AC output of the Fan In-Fan Out (baseline set to 0mV).
From the discriminator the signal is distributed to:
A **scaler** that counts the rates (hits/sec)
A **Time to Digital converter (TDC)** that obtains time information of the hits with respect to the Orbit trigger.



First results: scope screenshots

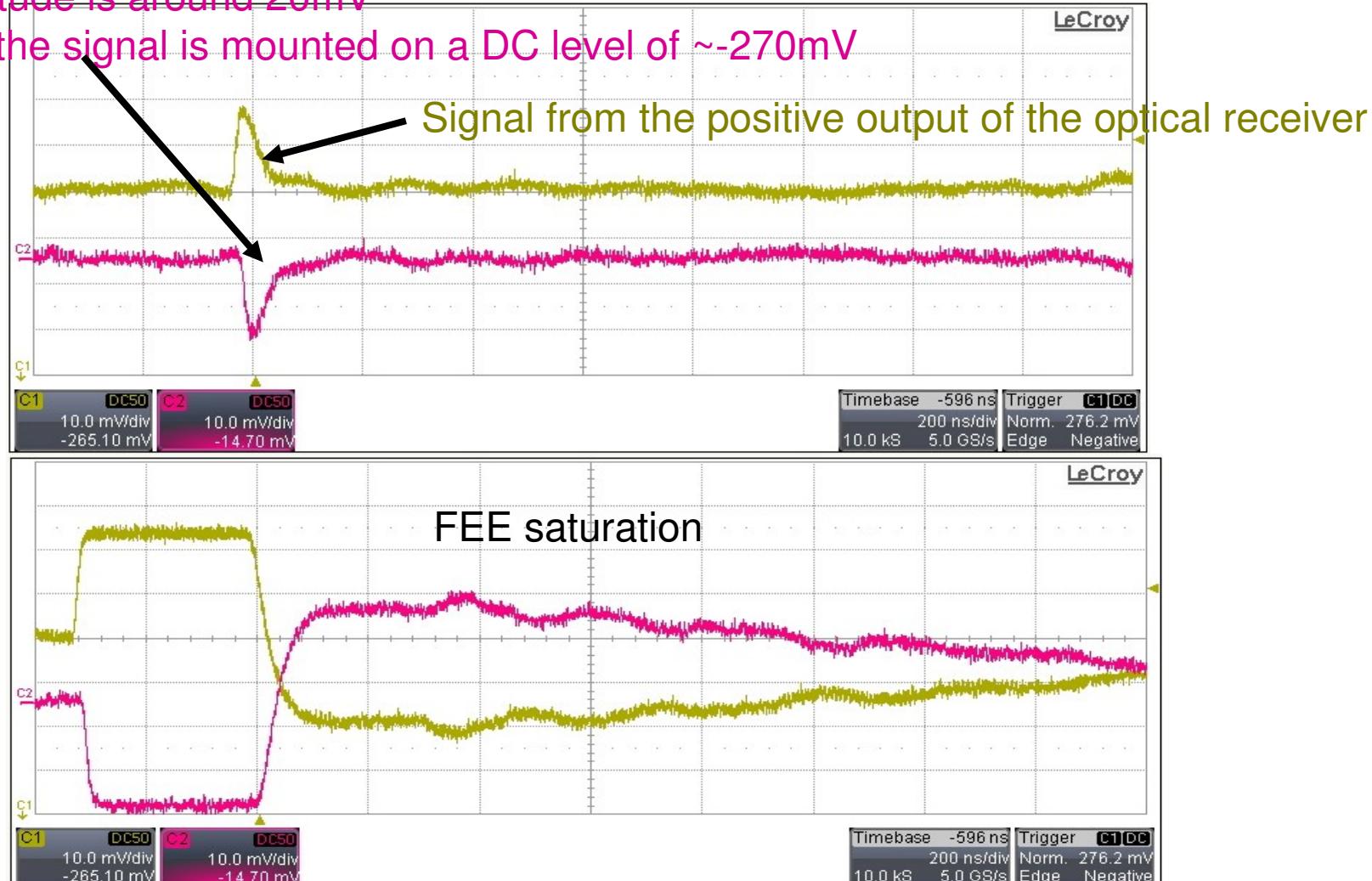
Signal coming out from the Fan in –Fan out through the

AC output and that is used by the discriminator.

Before 12th Oct 2011 @ 11am

Hits amplitude is around 20mV

In reality, the signal is mounted on a DC level of ~270mV



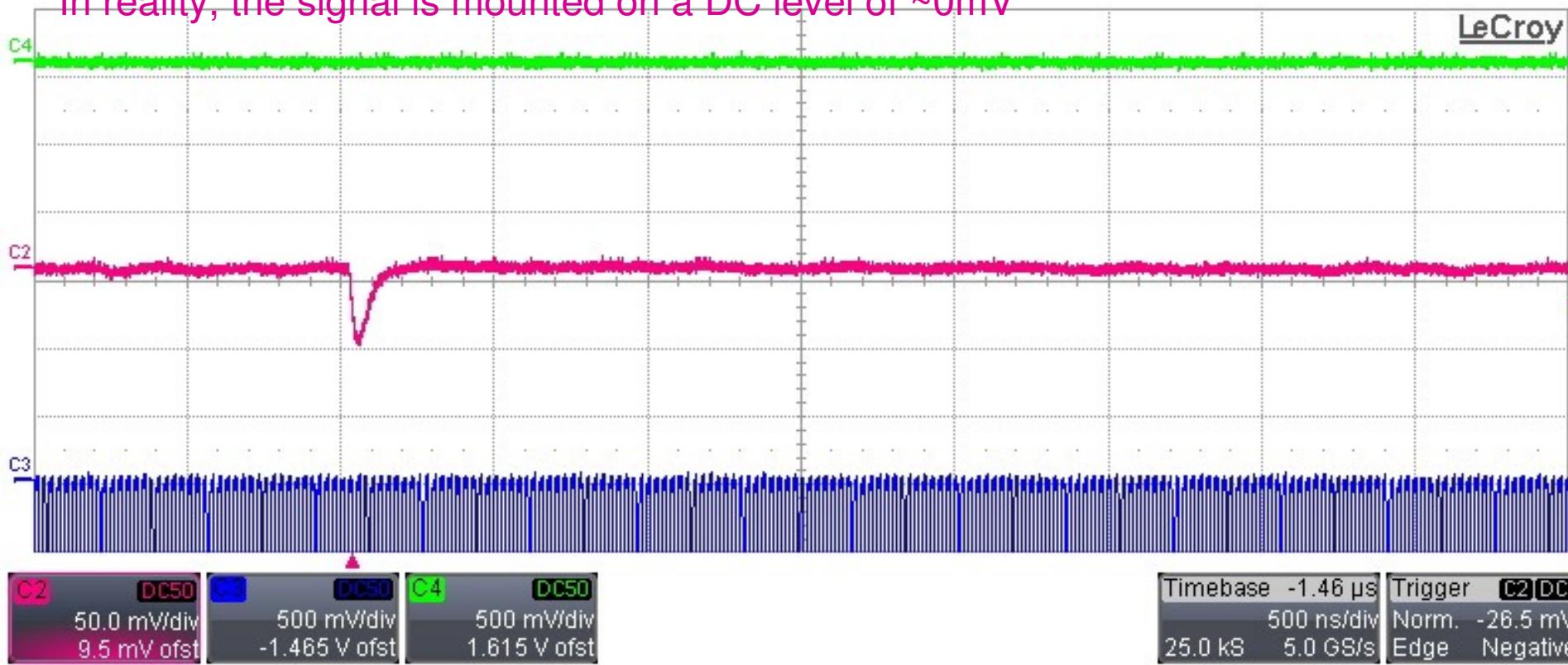
Scope screenshot

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Signal coming out from the Fan in –Fan out through the AC output and that is used by the discriminator.

Hits amplitude is around 50mV

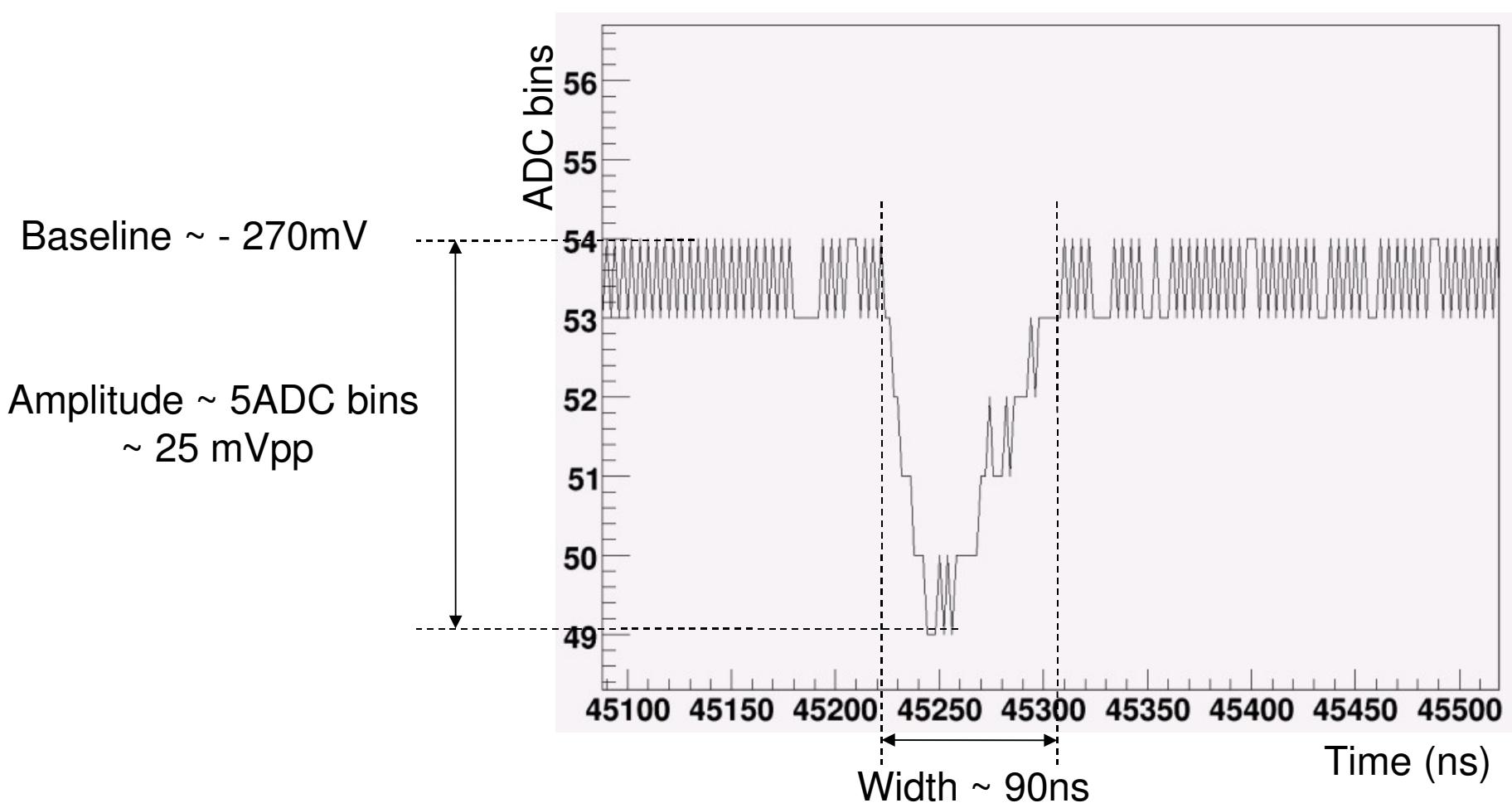
In reality, the signal is mounted on a DC level of ~0mV



First results: ADC sampling

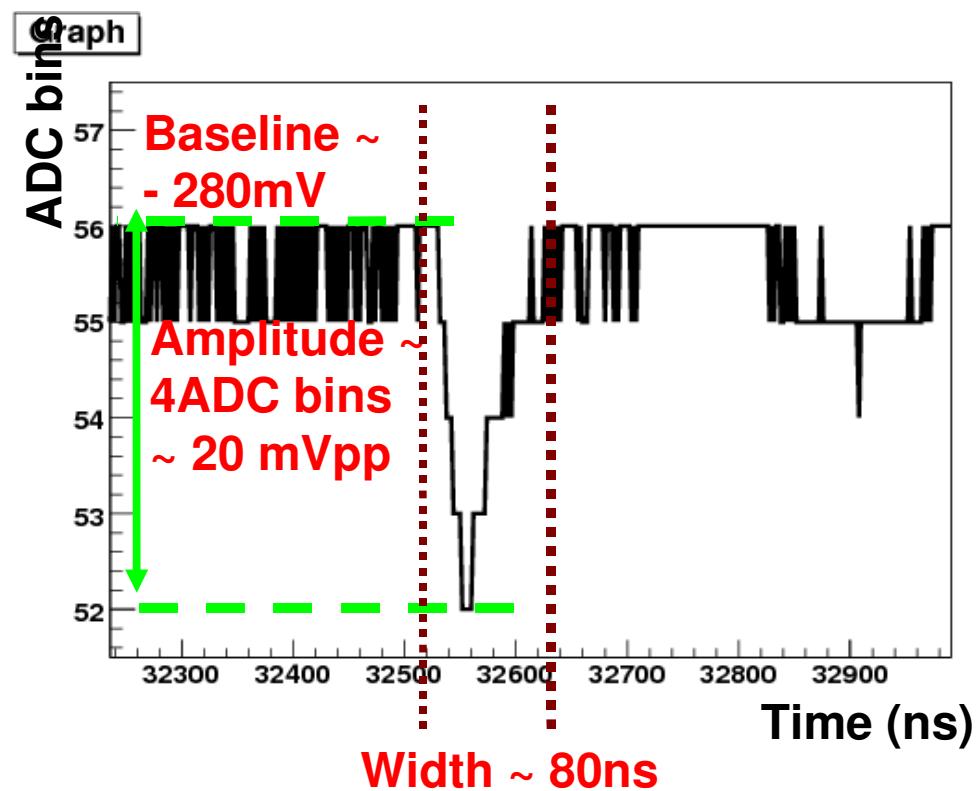
- ADC daq time window = 1 orbit (89000 ns)
- 1 ADC bin \sim 5mV

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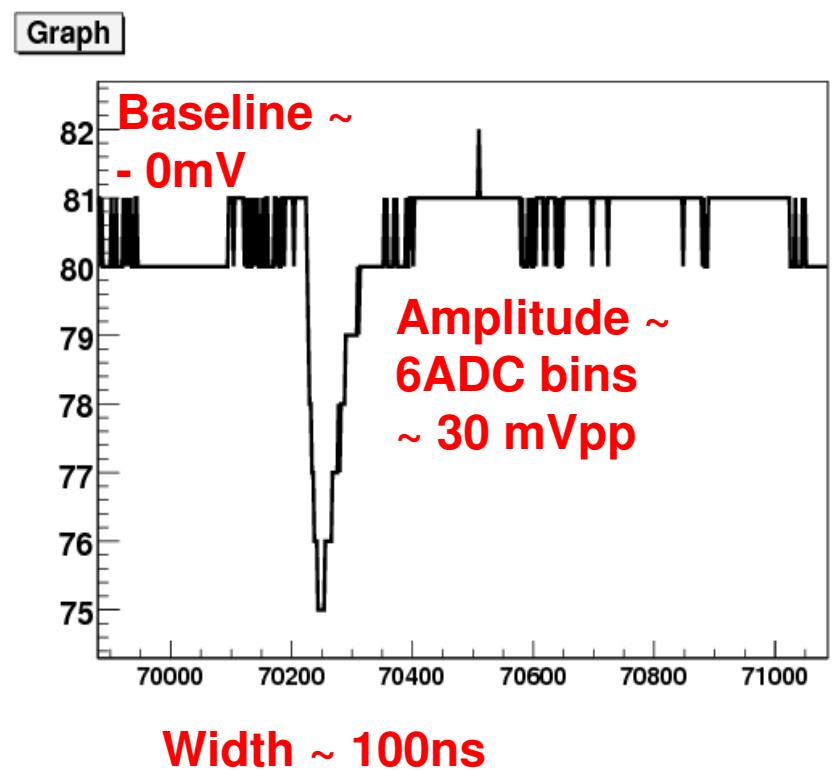


Sampled signals

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From Olga Novgorodova

ADC spectra

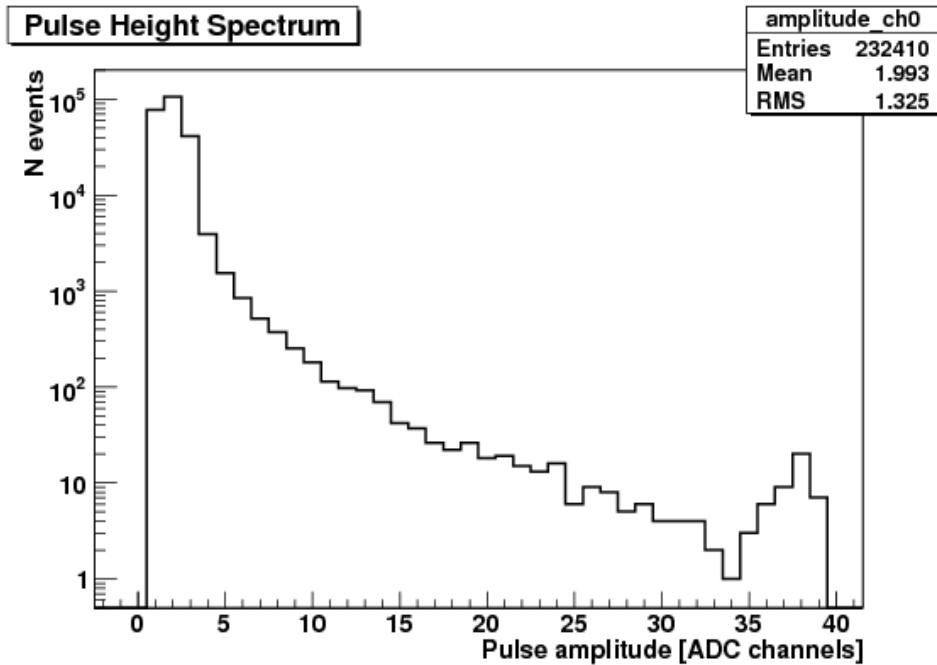
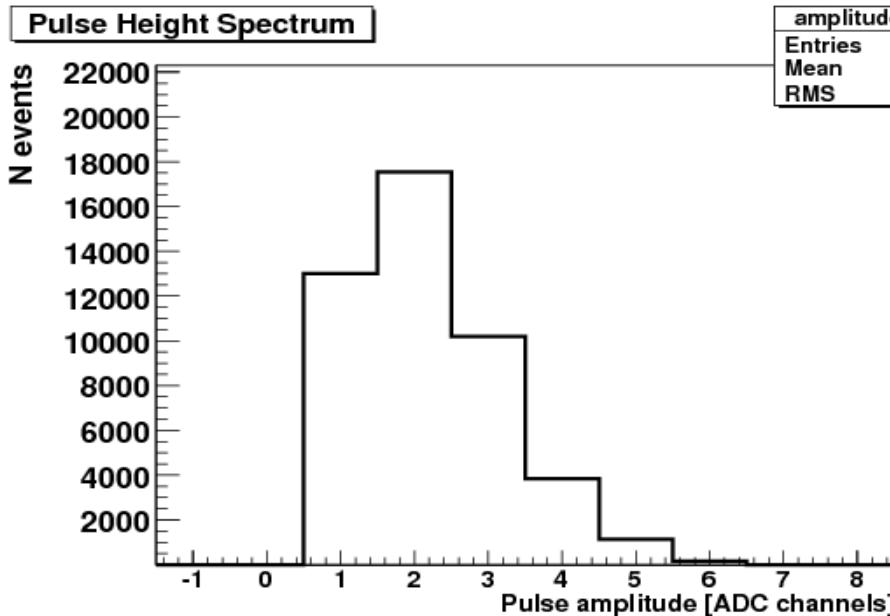
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From Olga:

"Now amplitude spectrum looks like for the BCM1F setup, but smaller and MIP signals are not visible on the spectrum.

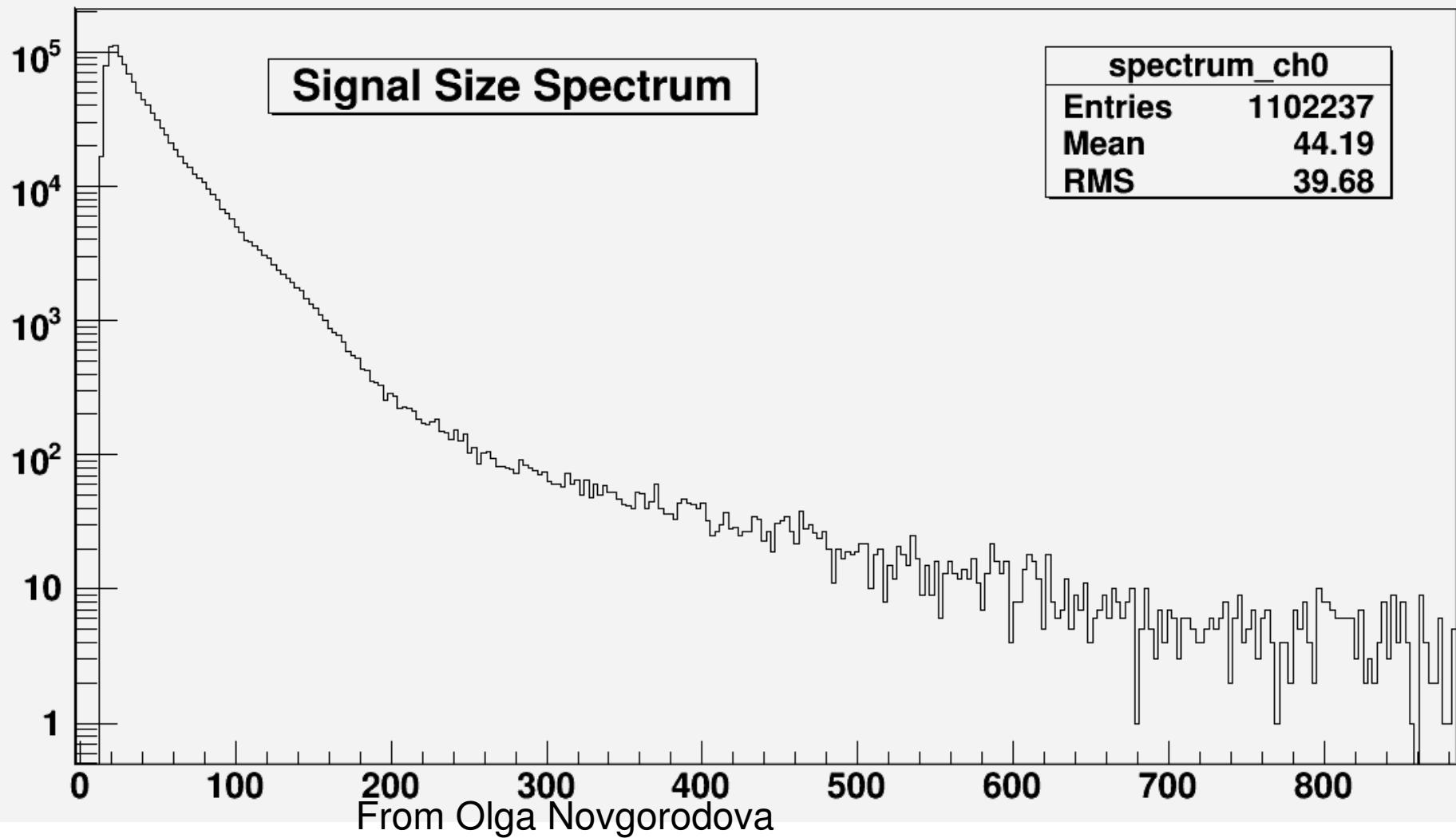
Signals became bigger, I did not find that signals in all orbits up to now"

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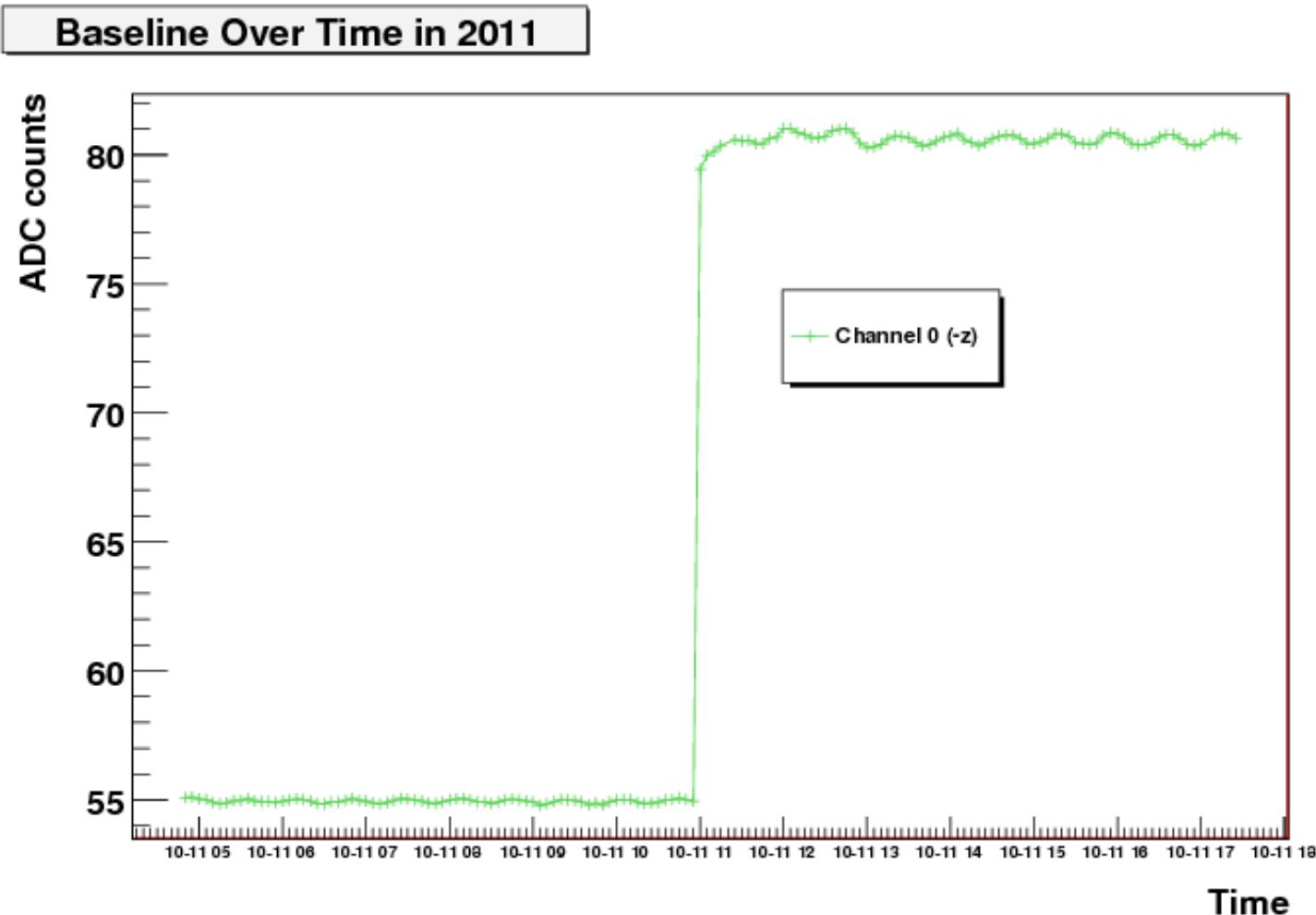


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ADC spectra

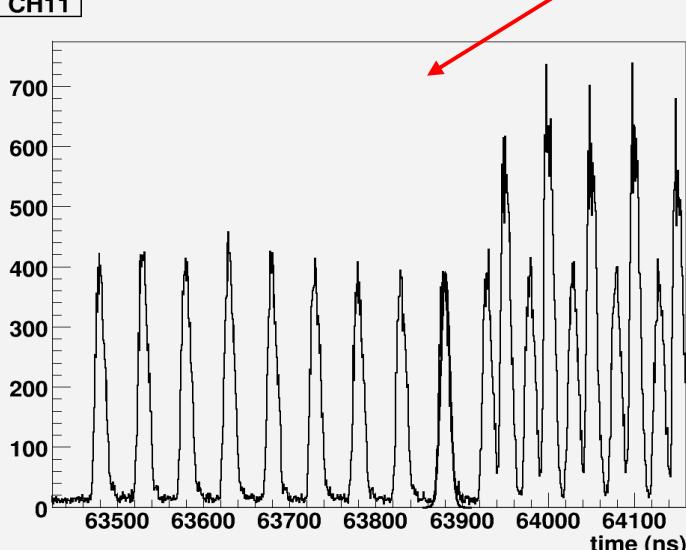
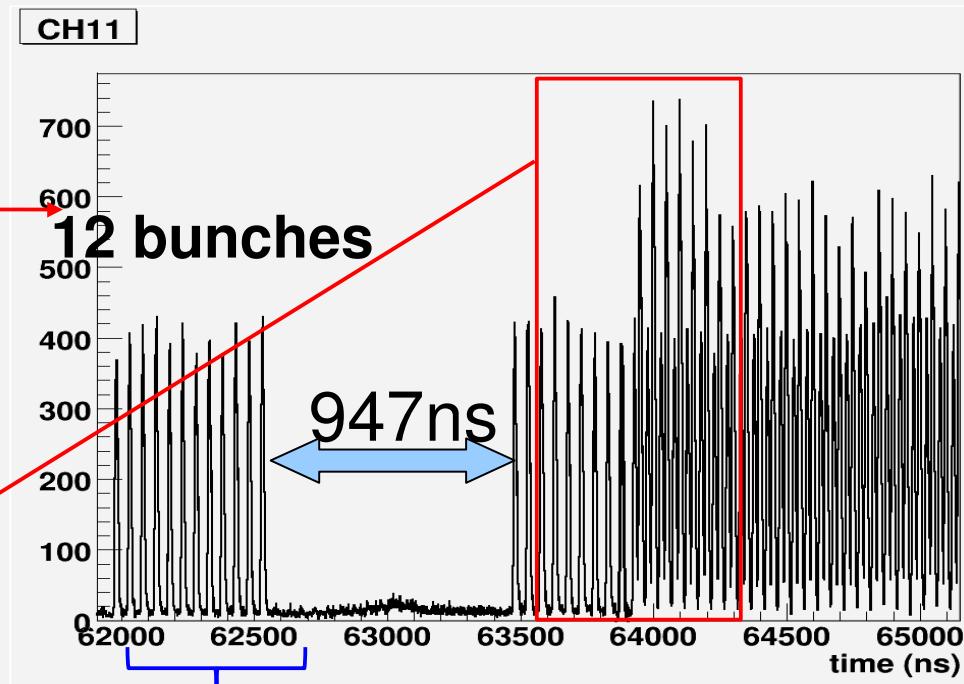
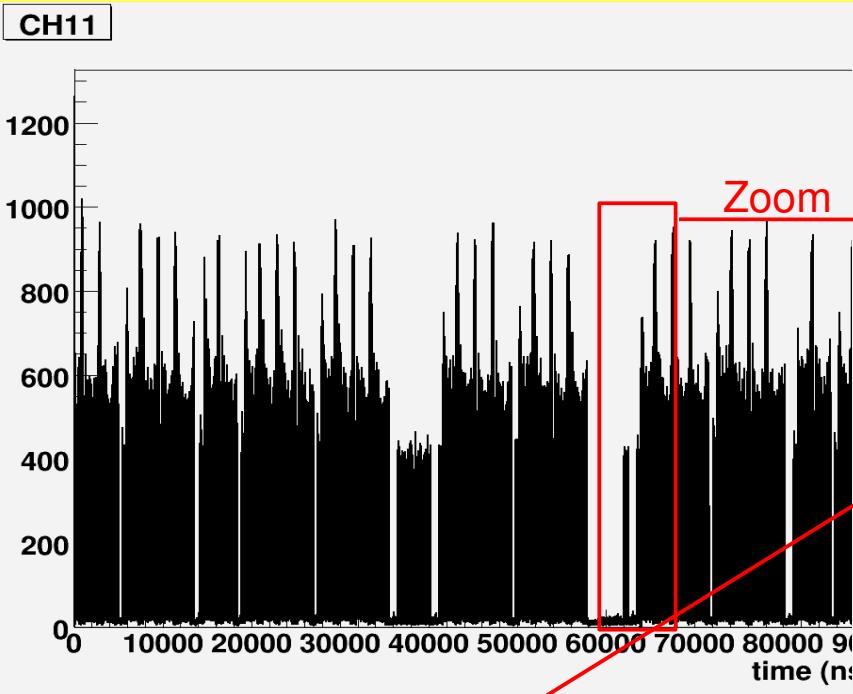


Baseline monitor: running continuously and publishing data



From Olga Novgorodova

5.3 TDC Time Plot

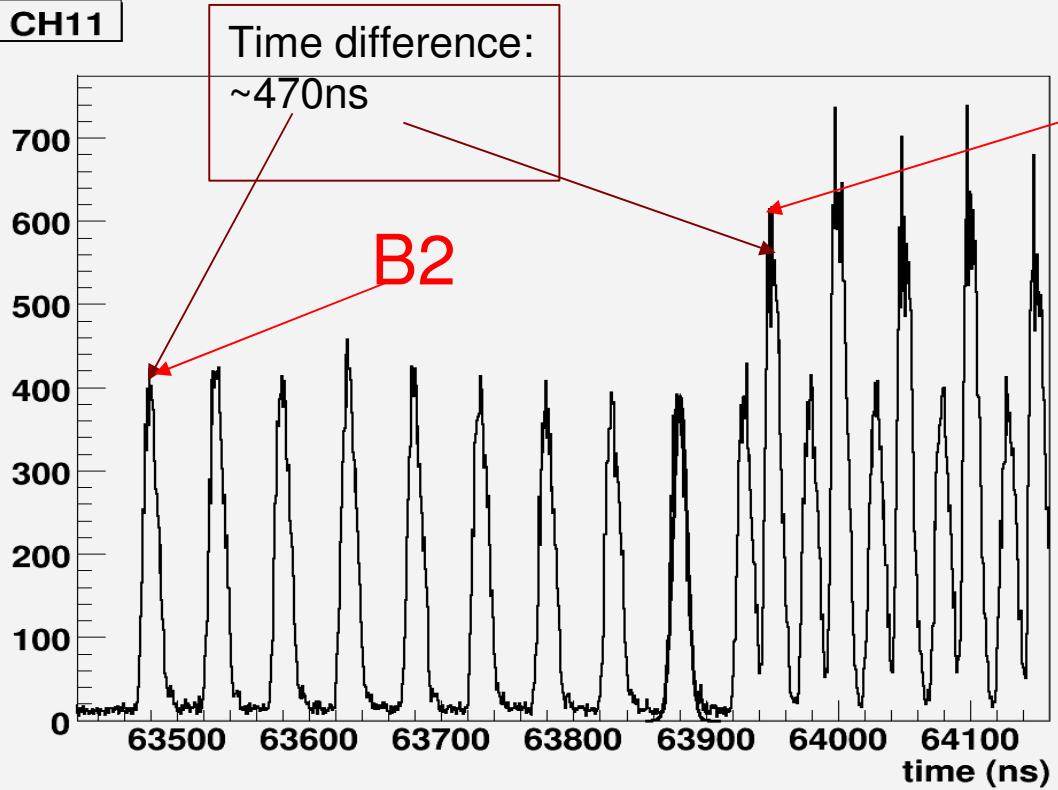


LHC fill scheme:

50ns_1380b+1small_1318_39_1296_144bpi

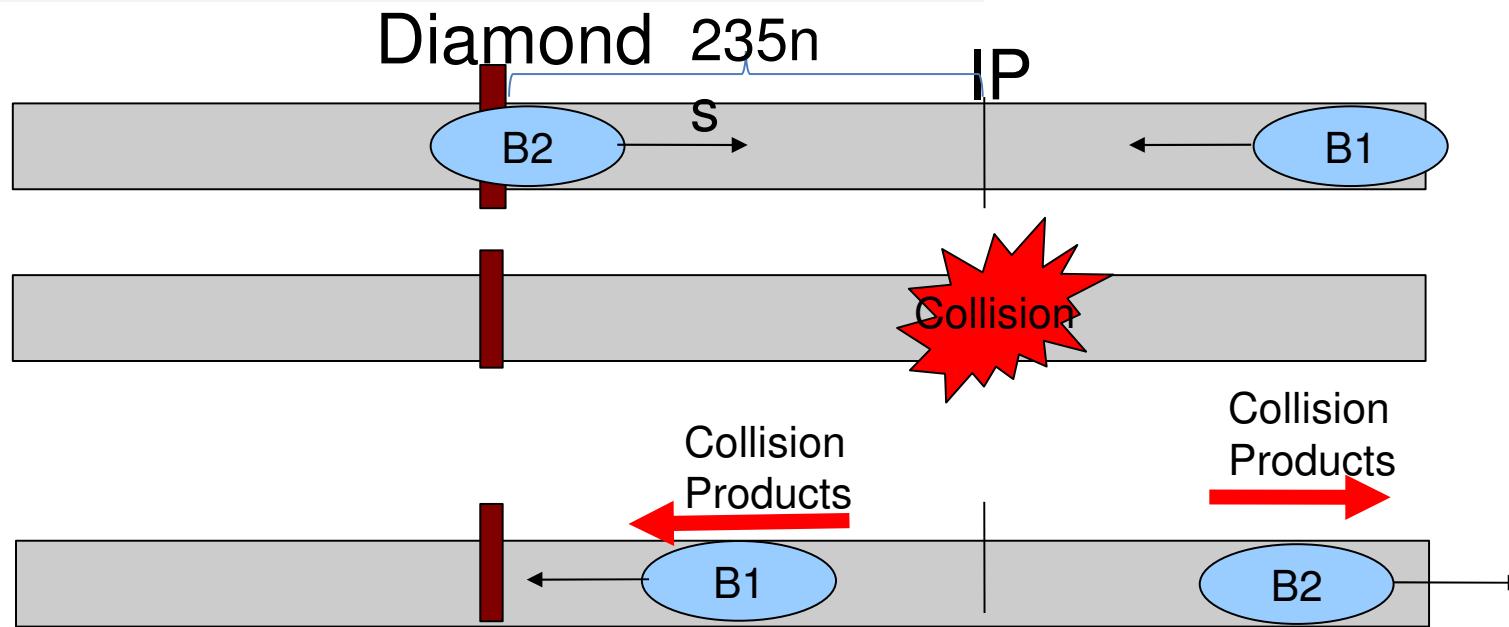
- B1: 12 bunches, 1100ns difference to next bunch
- B2: 12 bunches, 950ns difference to next bunch

CH11

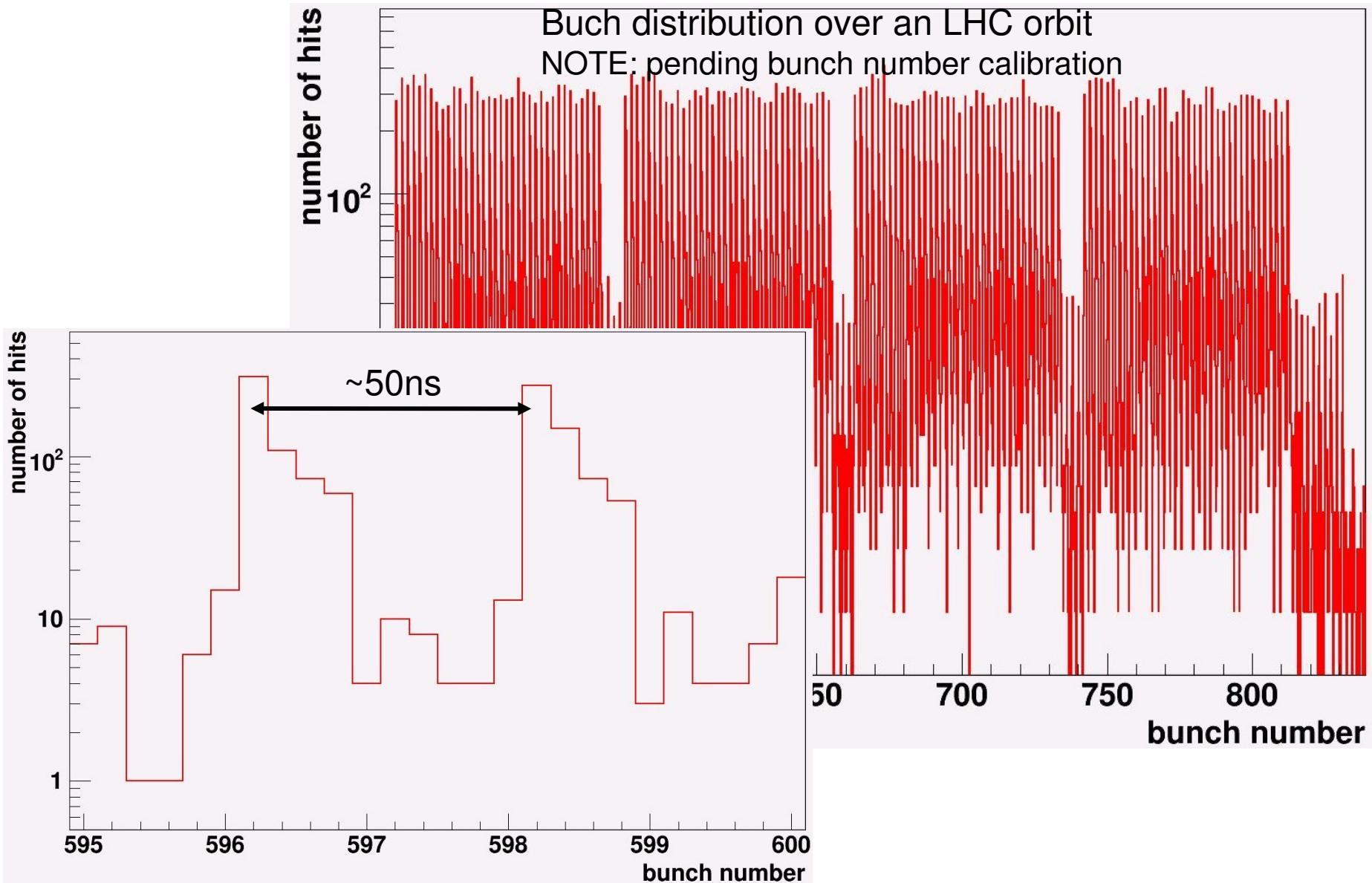


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n products

Distance between
IP and diamond:
70m → 235ns

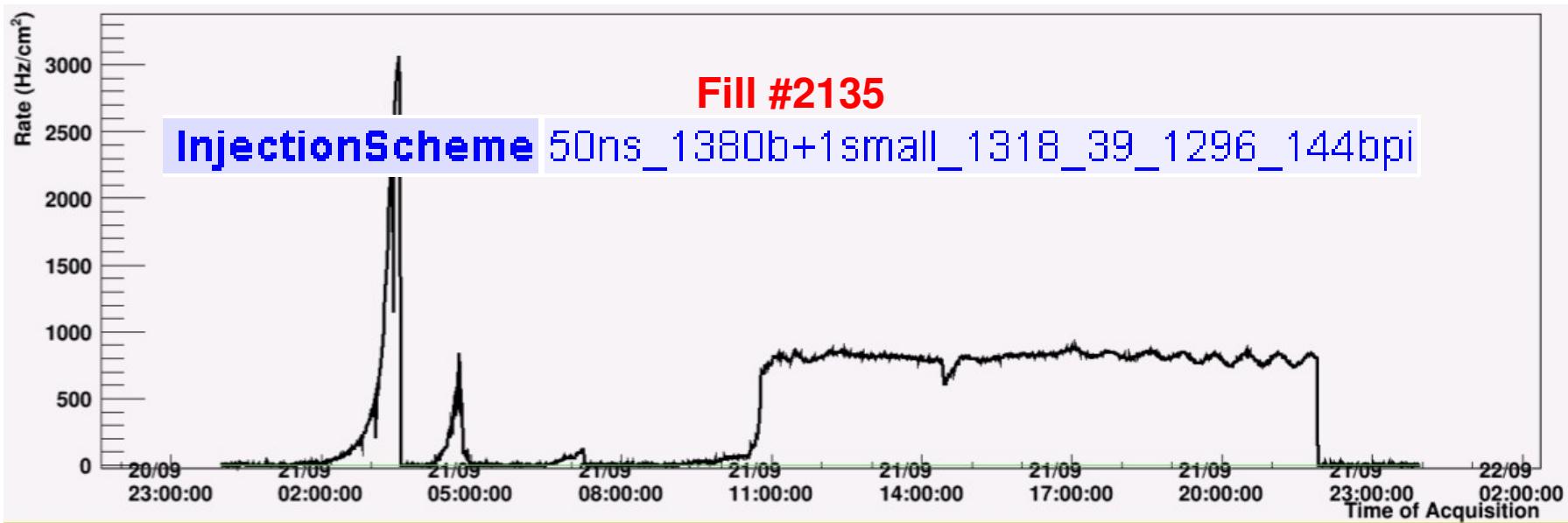


First results: TDCs time information



InjectionScheme 50ns_1380b+1small_1318_39_1296_144bpi

First results: Scalers rates



Fill #2518

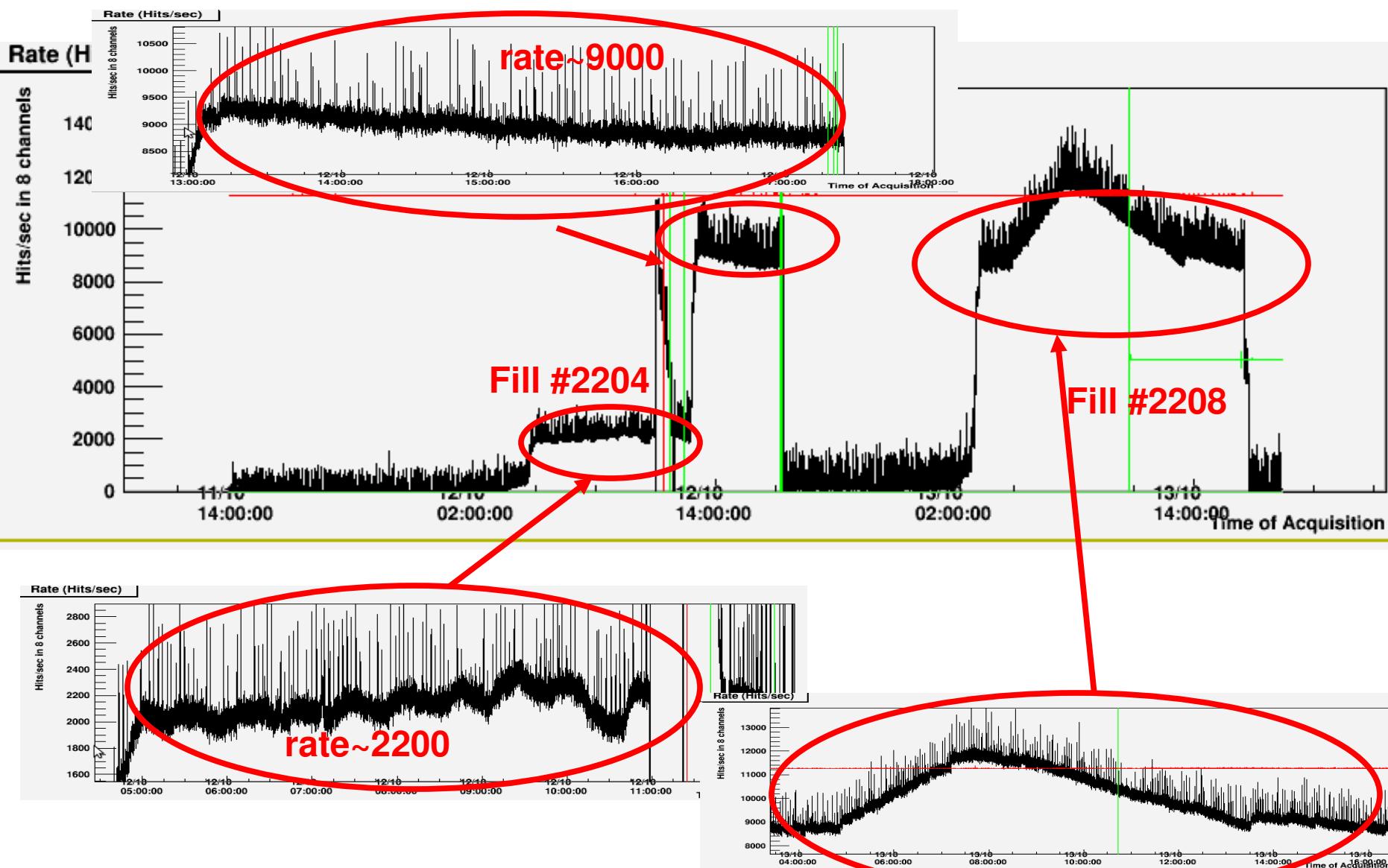
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Typical rates for a fill observed with the diamond sensor
Sinusoidal shape in the rates still not understood ($T \sim 40\text{min}$)
They were present since start of monitoring of rates (14th Sept 2011)
From Annika Nordt:

„For the oscillations I would rather say, that they are probably not beam related, otherwise the BLMs should see them as well.“

Time of Acquisition

Scaler rates before and after change of optical receiver



Energy:

3500 GeV

I(B1):

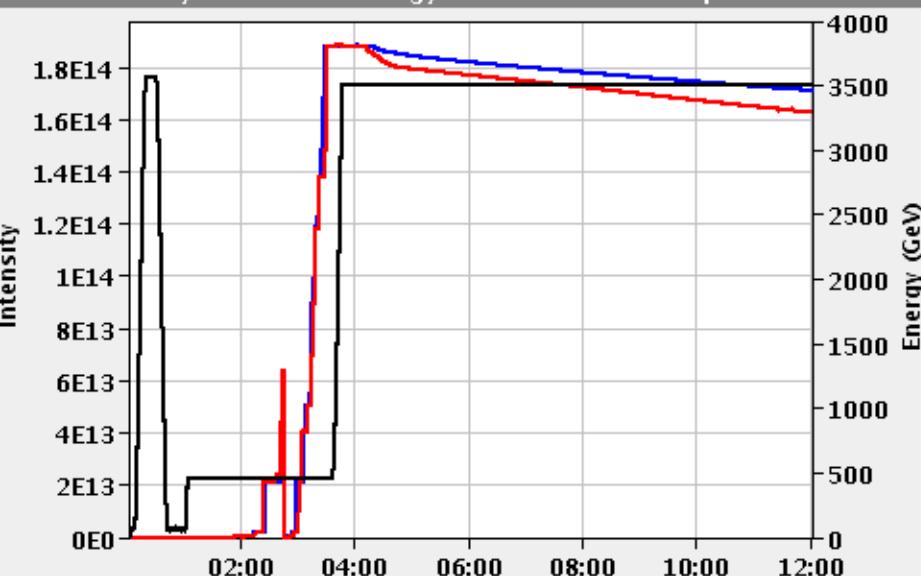
1.75e+14

I(B2):

1.66e+14

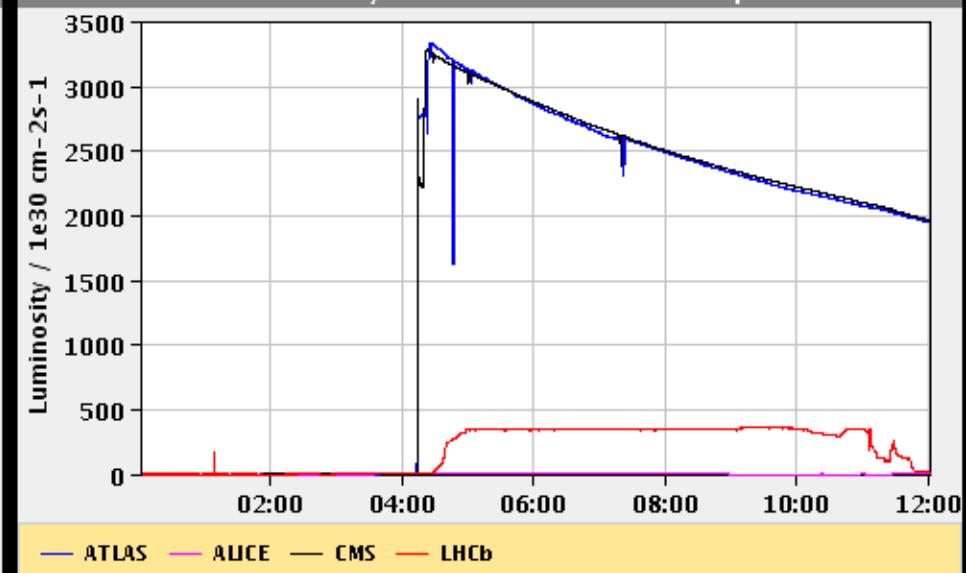
FBCT Intensity and Beam Energy

Updated: 12:01:30



Instantaneous Luminosity

Updated: 12:01:33



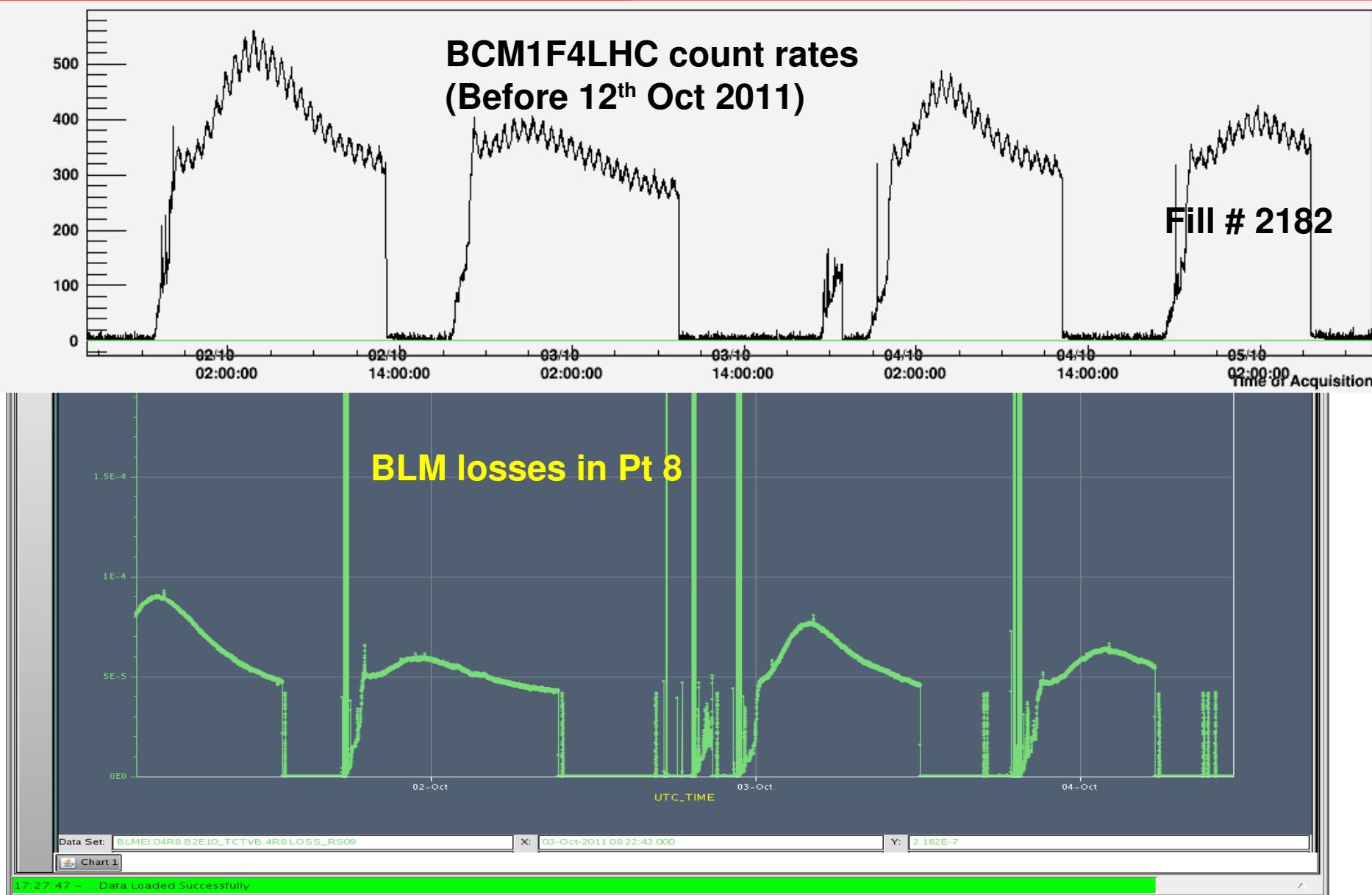
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BIS status and SMP flags

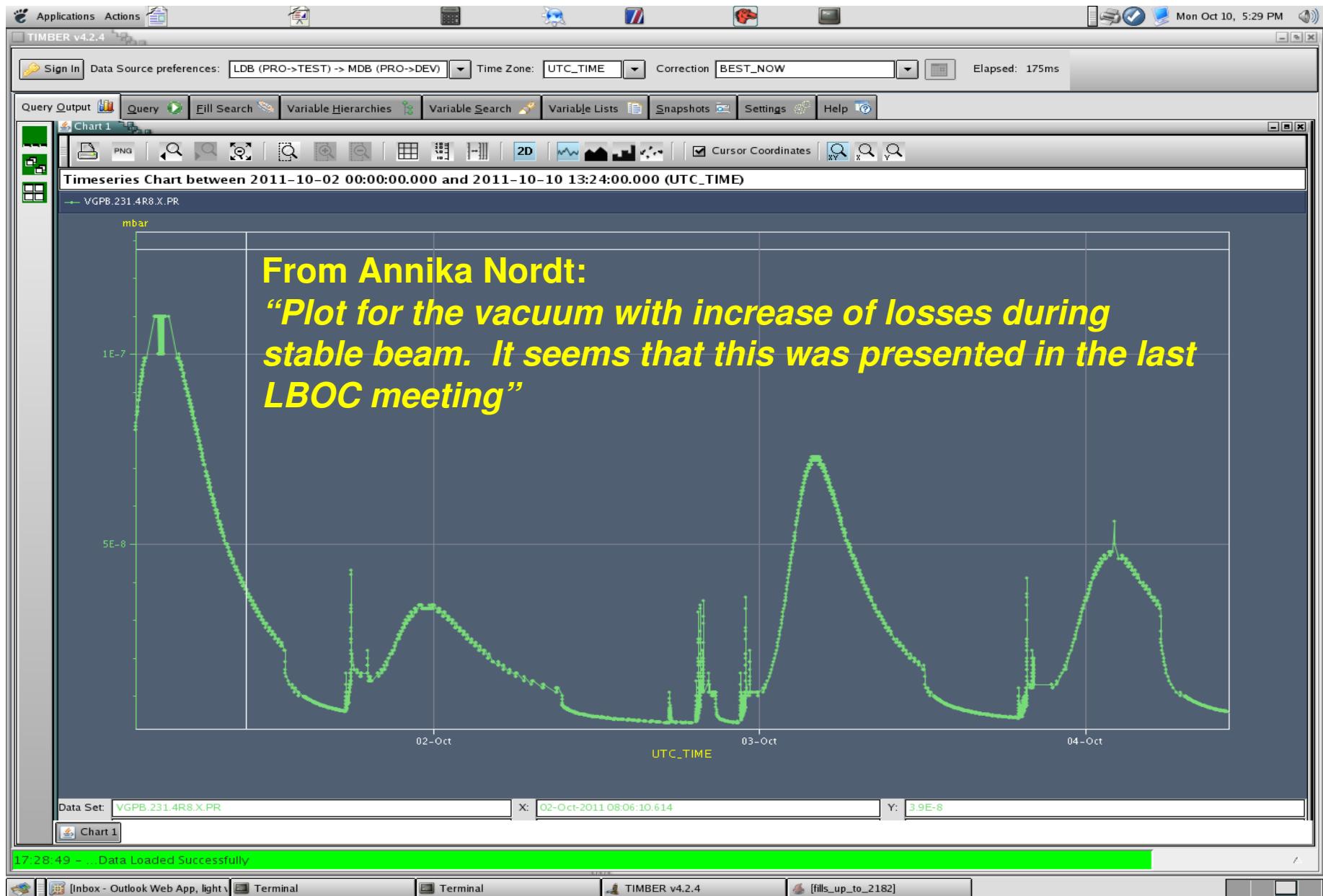
B1

B2

Correlations with LHCb lumi and vacuum quality

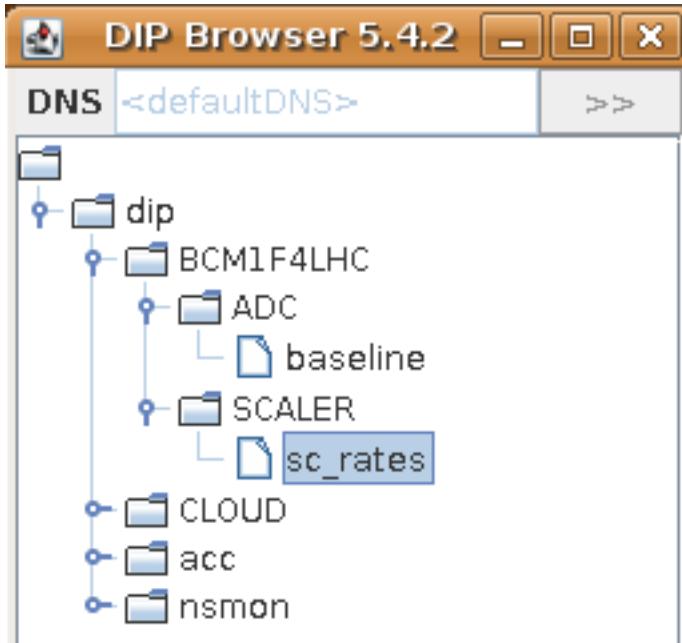


Vacuum



Data management

- Data files being stored locally-> move them to some central storage place
- Some data published to the GPN->needs to be exported to the CMS TN (David is on negotiations...)



DIP publishing

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ssh -X blm@pimpizord.cern.ch  
>cd /home/blm/software/dip-5.4.2  
>./browser.sh
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Baseline

Subscription to dip/BCM1F4LHC/ADC/baseline

Name	Type	Value
presenttime	int	0
uptime	int	0
Baseline	int[8]	84,141,140,139,139,143,143,140,

Click here to enable log. Logging is disabled. Get Server Info

2011.10.13 20:16:39.599 CEST(1318529799599) ~ Quality = Good :

Scaler rates

Subscription to dip/BCM1F4LHC/SCALER/sc_rates

Name	Type	Value
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ScalerRates	int[16]	11271,40170891,0,0,0,0,0,0,1127,91,50,0,0,0,0,0,

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2011.10.13 20:18:58.194 CEST(1318529938194) ~ Quality = Good :

To do list

- Calibration of offset of discriminator
- Threshold scan (has to be done before of proton run)
- Scalers, ADC, TDCs monitors
- Data migration to some central storage place