



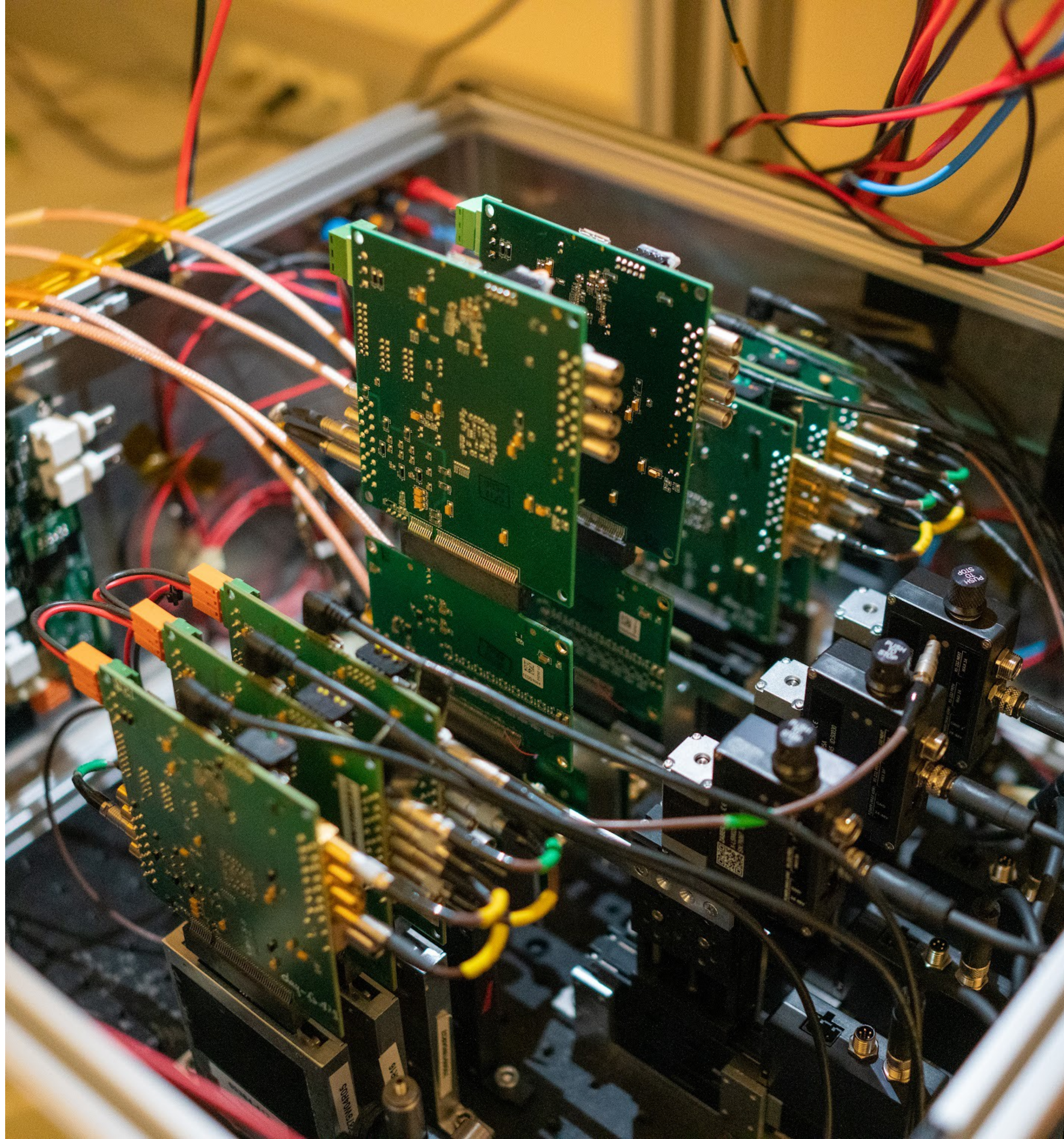
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# APTS-OA TB for the Timing resolution

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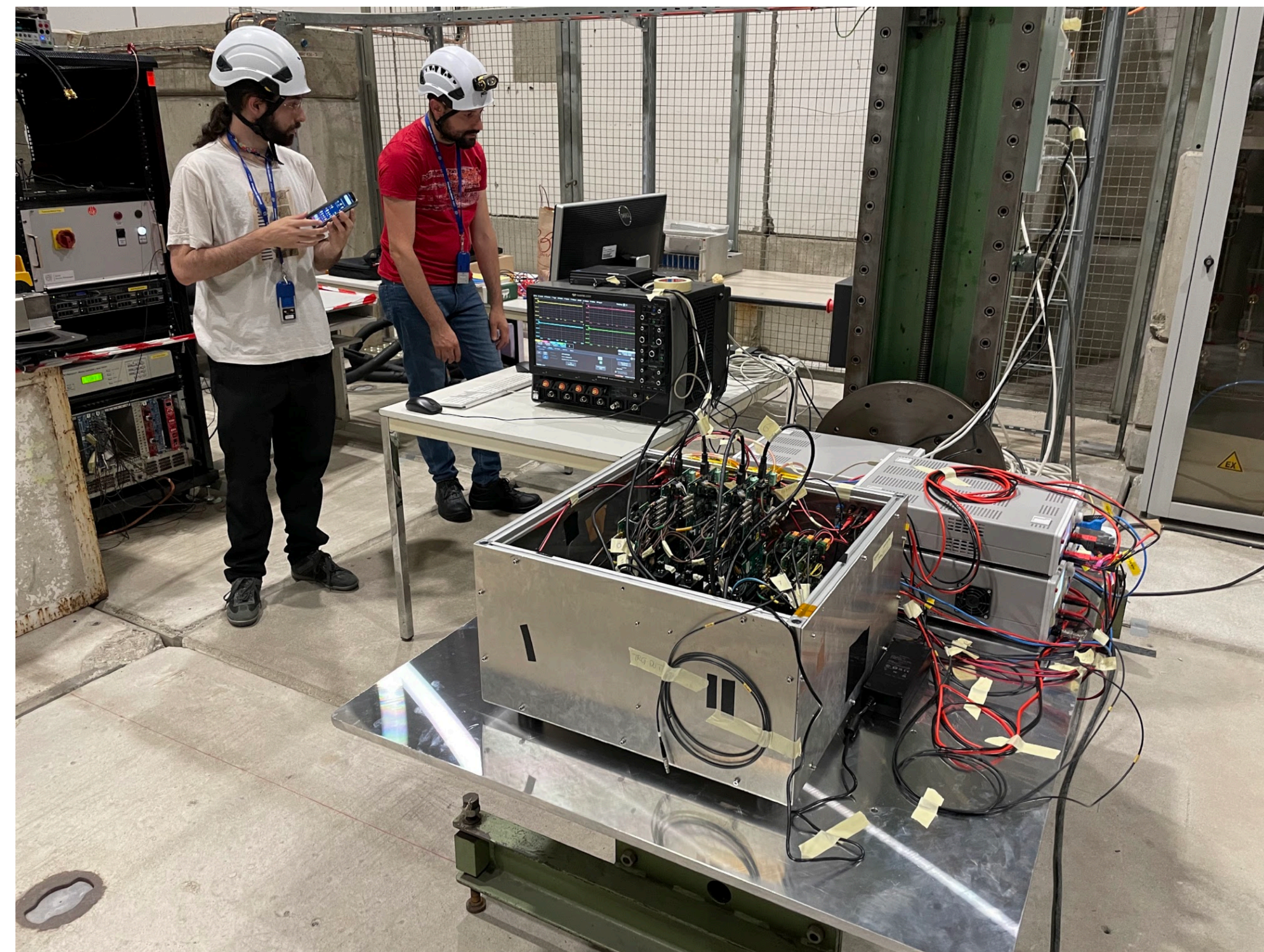
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## Target and Schedule

- **Beam:**
  - CERN-SPS, T4-H6, 120 GeV pion
- **Schedule:** 15/06/2022 ~ 07/06/2022 (~ 3 weeks)
  - ~ a week of data taking
- **Target:** Testing the chip performance of APTS-OA
  - **Time resolution**
  - Cluster size, Efficiency
- **Specification:**
  - Use an additional oscilloscope for the fine time resolution.
  - Use APTS-SF for triggering the pixel-level alignment.
  - Use the scope as a trigger (2 pixels trigger)
- **Miscellaneous:**
  - Twiki: <https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/bin/view/ALICE/ITS3WP3SPS2022June>
  - Utilities: <https://gitlab.cern.ch/alice-its3-wp3/opamp-utils>



**Setup at SPS, T4-H6**

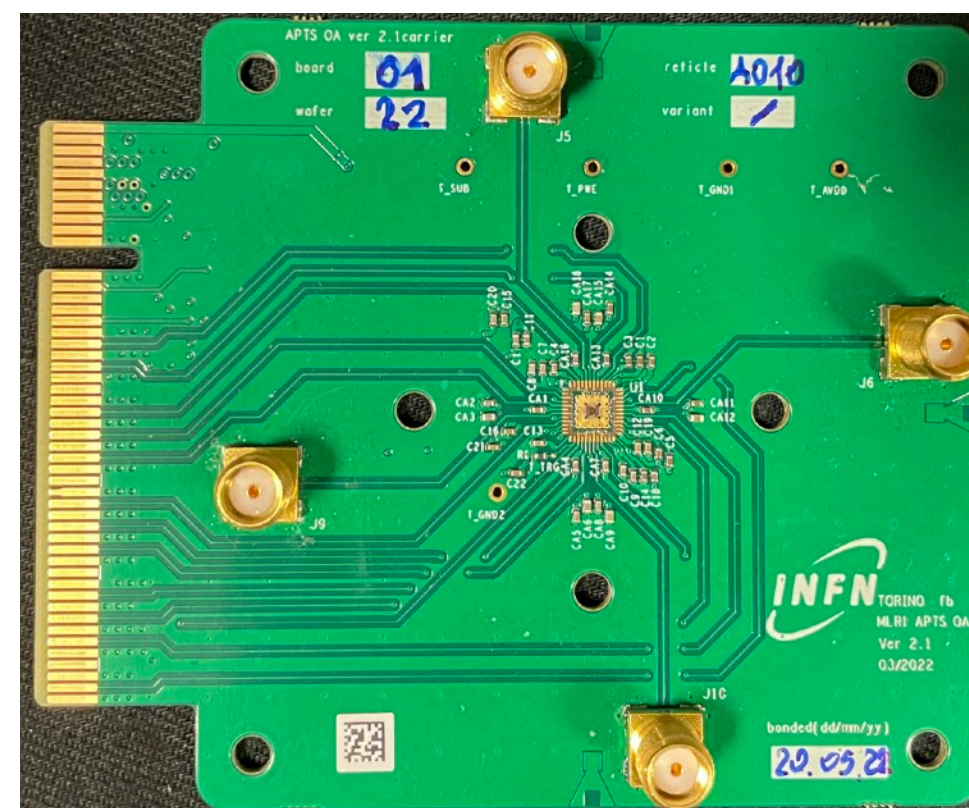
- 3 REF / **APTS-SF** / **2 APTS-OA** / **APTSF-SF** / 3 REF

## Detector Under Test (DUT)

- AO10\_06\_W22\_P:  $V_{bb} = 2.4 V$
- AO10\_09\_W22\_P;  $V_{bb} = 2.4 V$
- bonded on the **APTS carrier V2** [Twiki](#)
  - 2 SMA outputs for the oscilloscope
  - 2 outputs connected to the edge connector

## Oscilloscope

- LeCroy WaveMaster 820Zi-B
- 20 GHz, 4 x 80 GS/s, 25 ps interval
  - 2 ch for AO10\_06\_W22\_P
  - 2 ch for AO10\_09\_W22\_P



APTS-OA carrier V2

Moving stage



LeCroy WaveMaster 820Zi-B

## 3 Moving stages

- 2 for APTS-OA
- 1 for APTS-SF

125 mm ——— Ref.

100 mm ———

75 mm ———

50 mm ——— **APTS-SF**

0 mm ——— **APTS-OA**

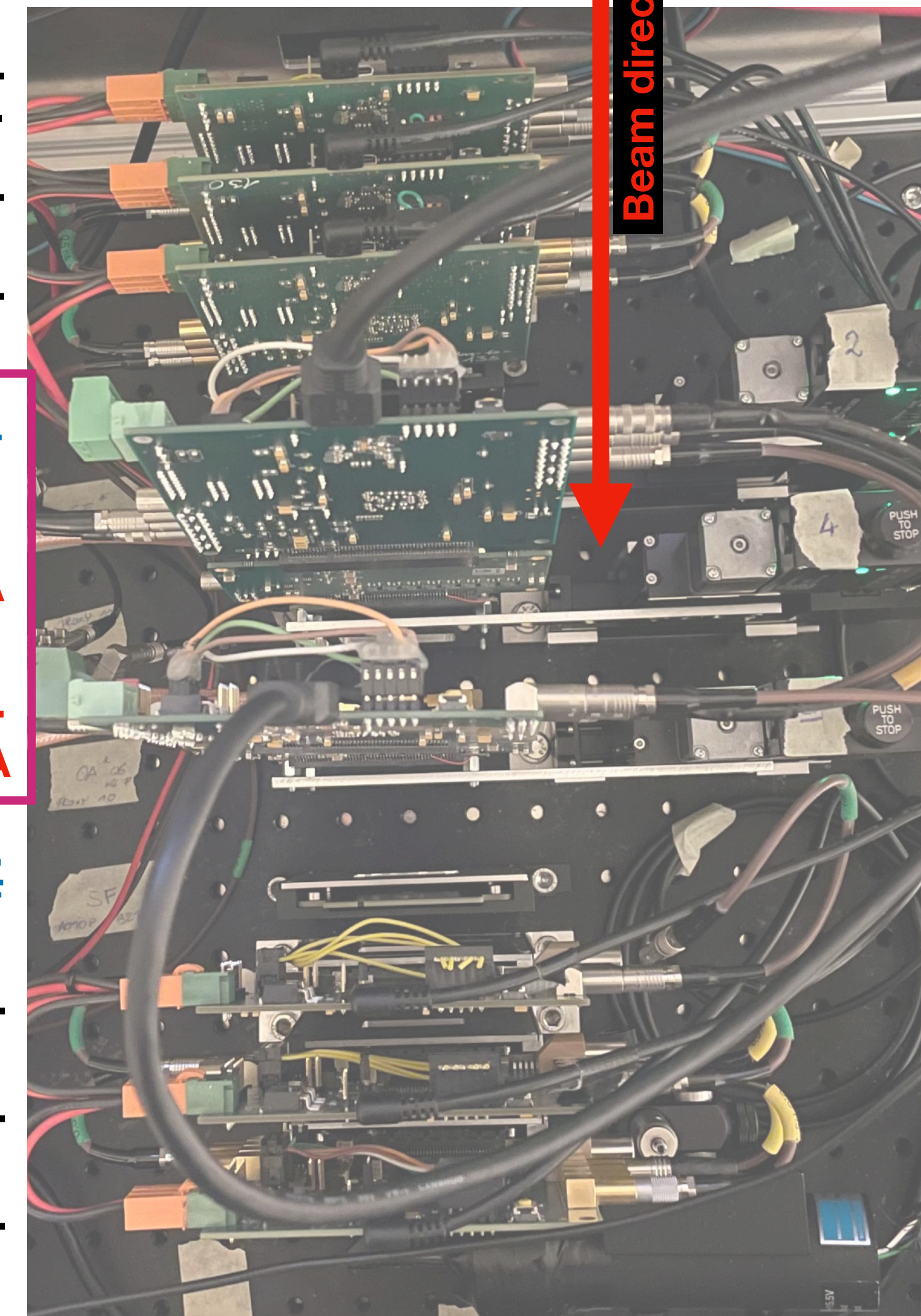
-50 mm ——— **APTS-OA**

-100 mm ——— **Fixed APTS-SF**

-125 mm ———

-150 mm ———

-175 mm ———

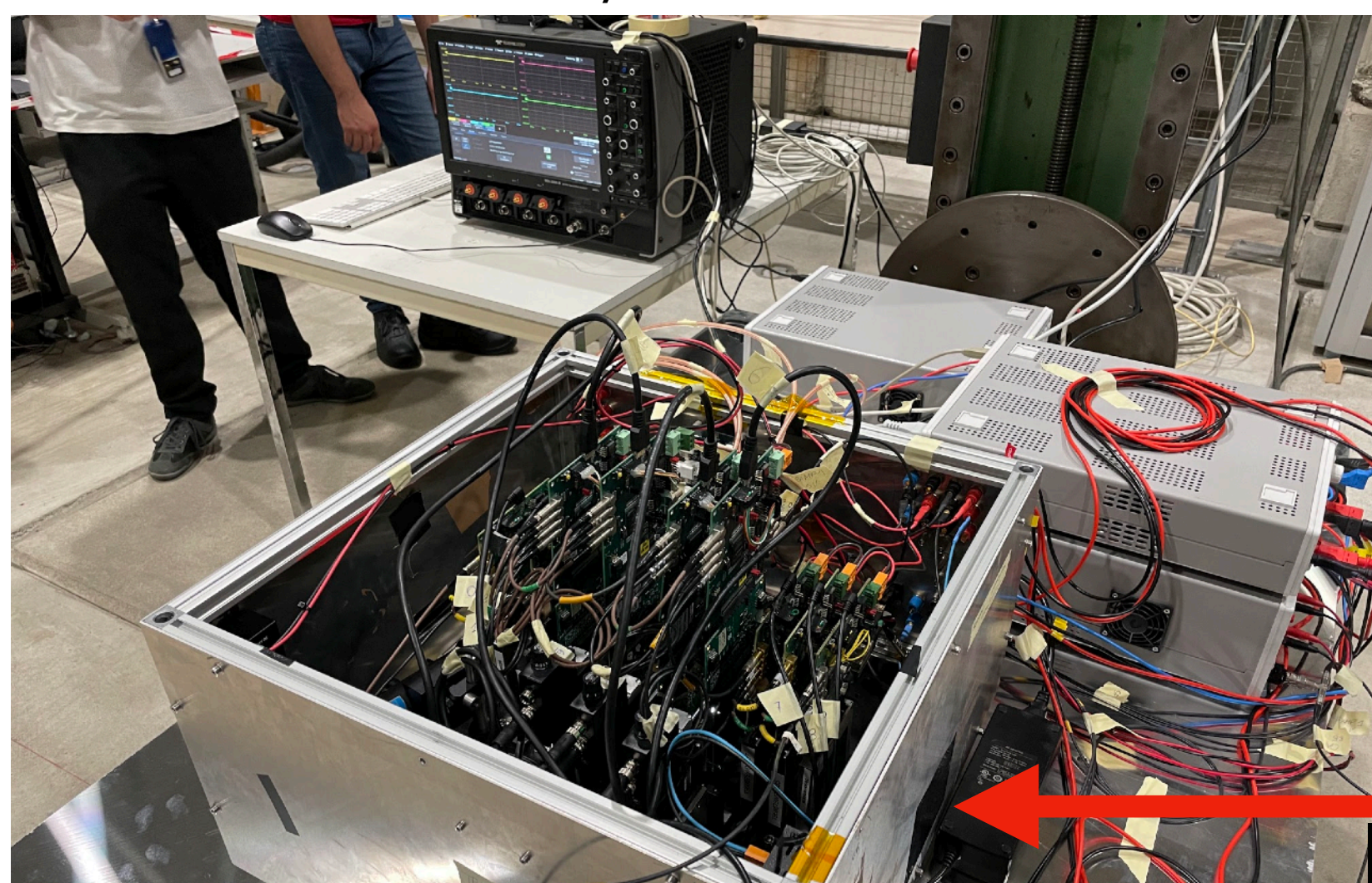


Beam direction

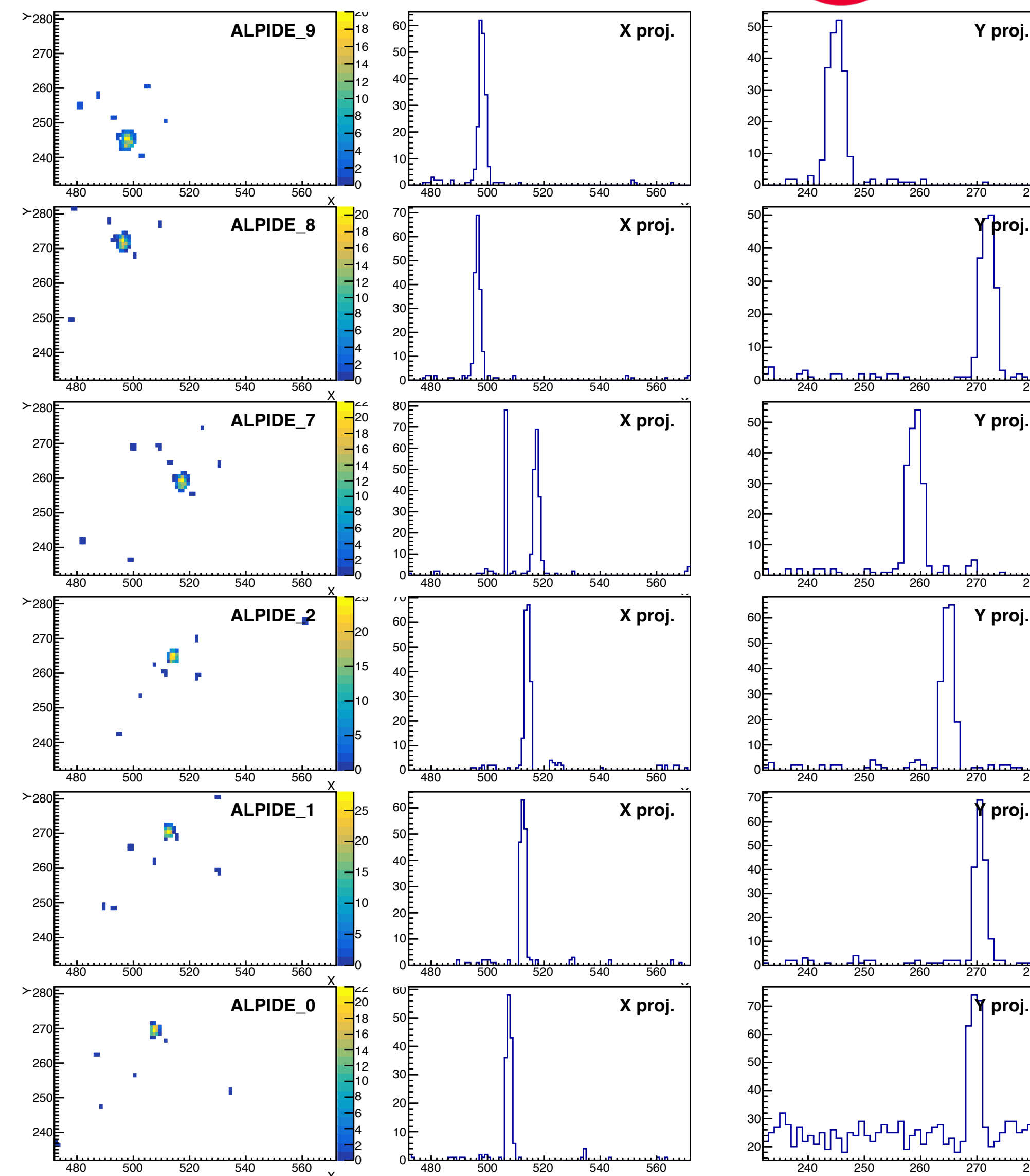
Telescope setup

*Umberto, Andrea, Paolo, Luciano*

- Telescope setup is installed in SPS-T4-H6
  - Setup is on the moving table.
  - Scope and DAQ PC is on the another table.
- **Alignment** of the telescope setup
  - First alignment - using **ALPIDEs** with PMT trigger **DONE**
    - High precision w.r.t. the beam direction
  - Second alignment - using (fixed) **APTS-SF** **On going**
    - To align APTS-SF - APTS-OA- APTS-OA - APTS-SF in um level accuracy.



Telescope setup and Oscilloscope



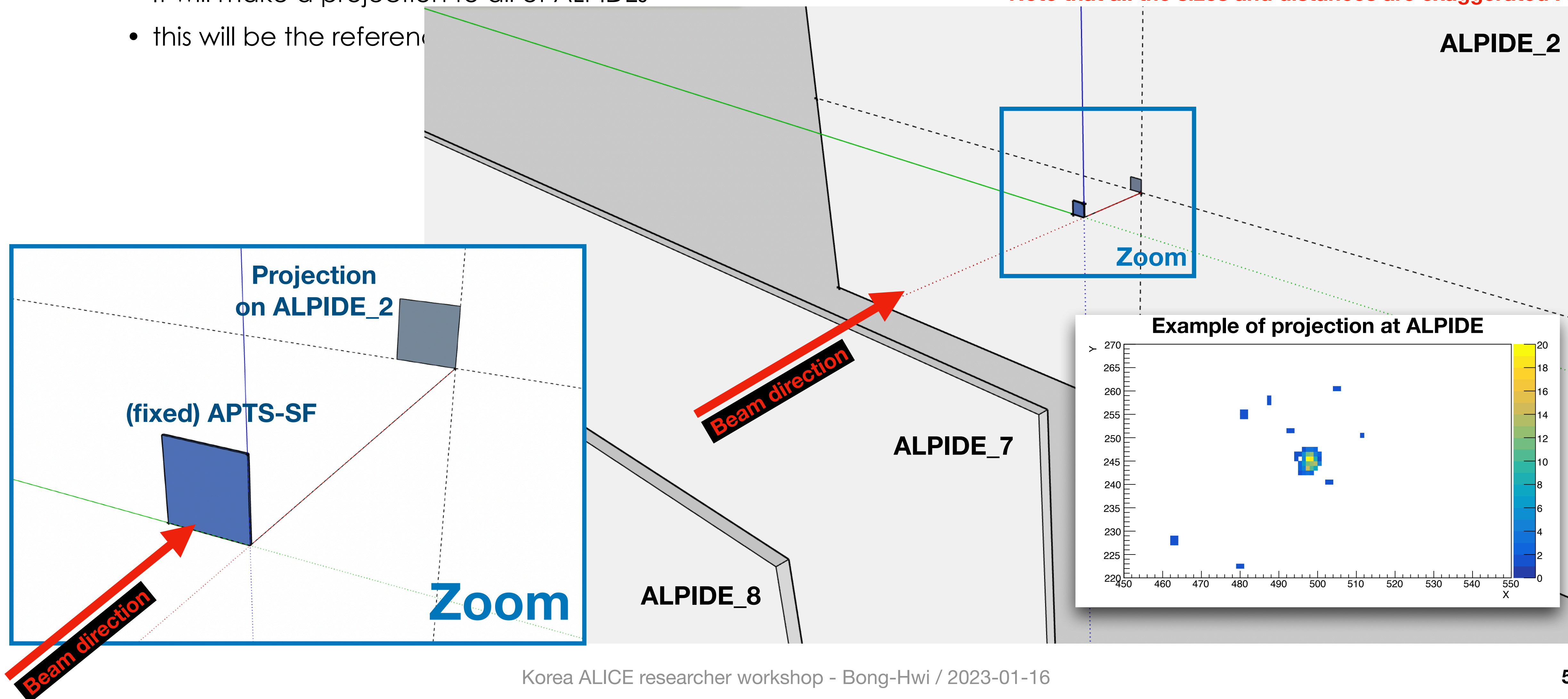
First look of APTS-SF triggered hit map of ALPIDEs

# Detailed alignment procedure

## #1 Find the position of the shadow(projection) of APTS-SF

- Use a trigger from **the (fixed) APTS-SF**
  - It will make a projection to all of ALPIDEs
  - this will be the reference

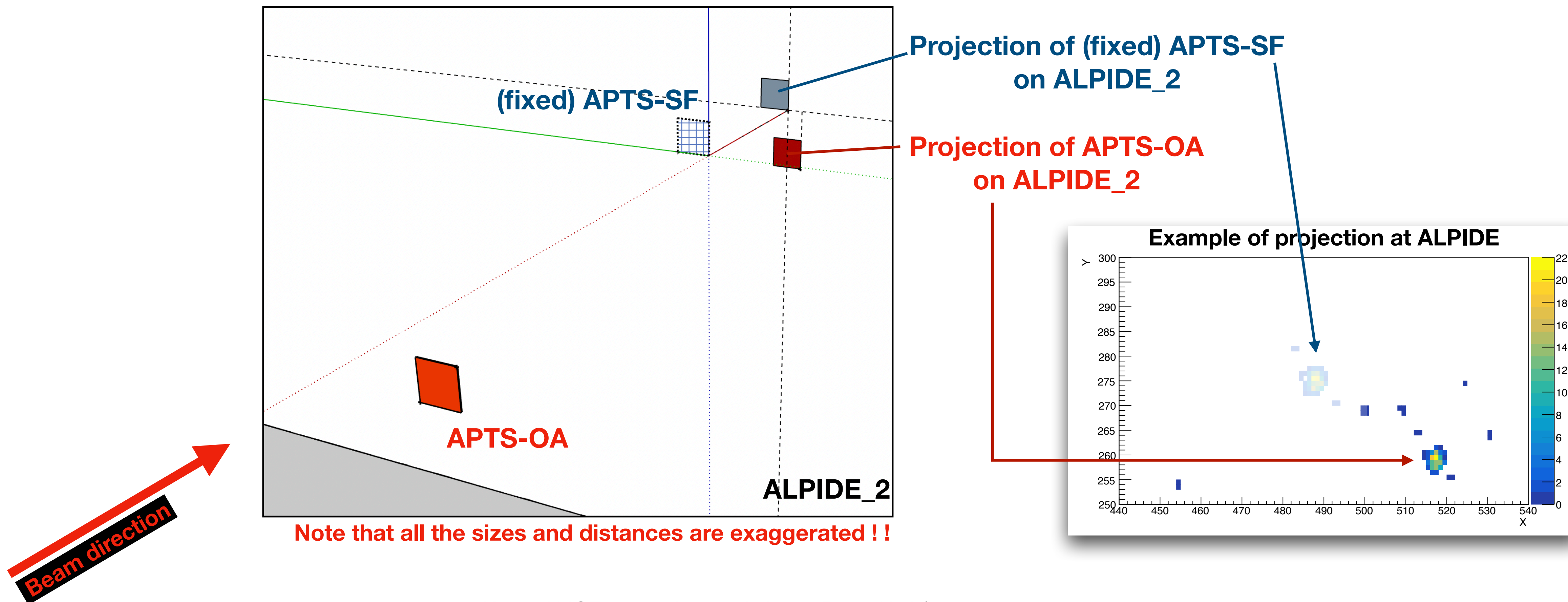
Note that all the sizes and distances are exaggerated !!



# Detailed alignment procedure

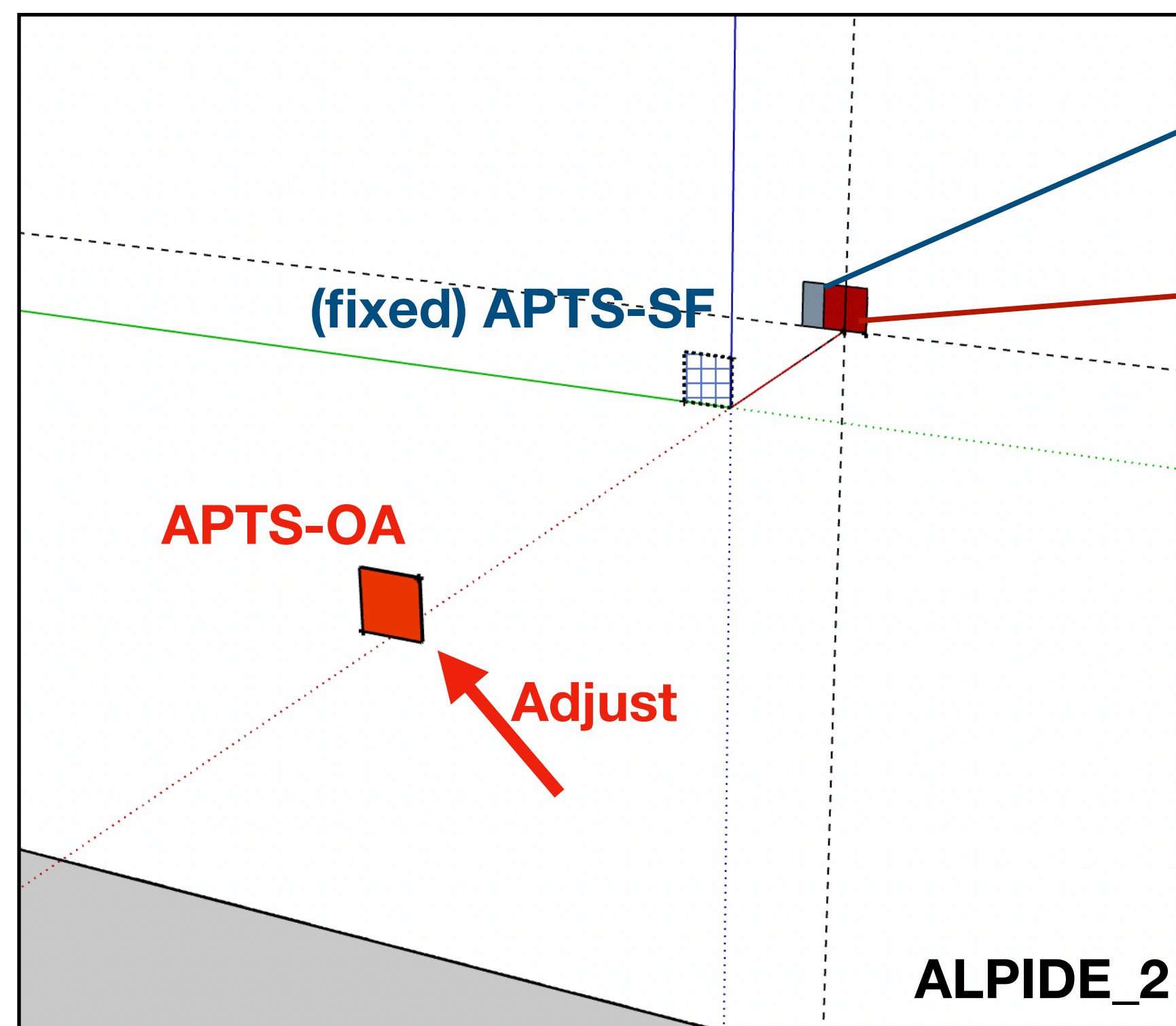
## #2 Find the position of the shadow(projection) of the other APTSs

- Use a trigger from the **other APTS-SFs**
  - It will make a projection to all of ALPIDEs (Figure, APTS-OA is trigger)
  - The new projection **should be in the same position of the reference.**



## #3 Adjust the position of the APTS

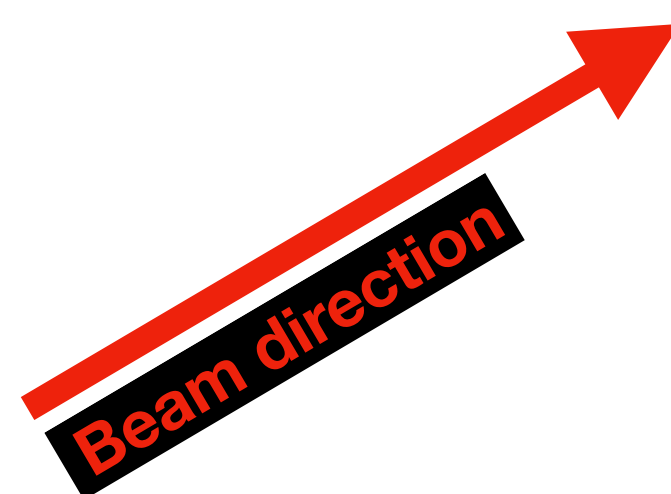
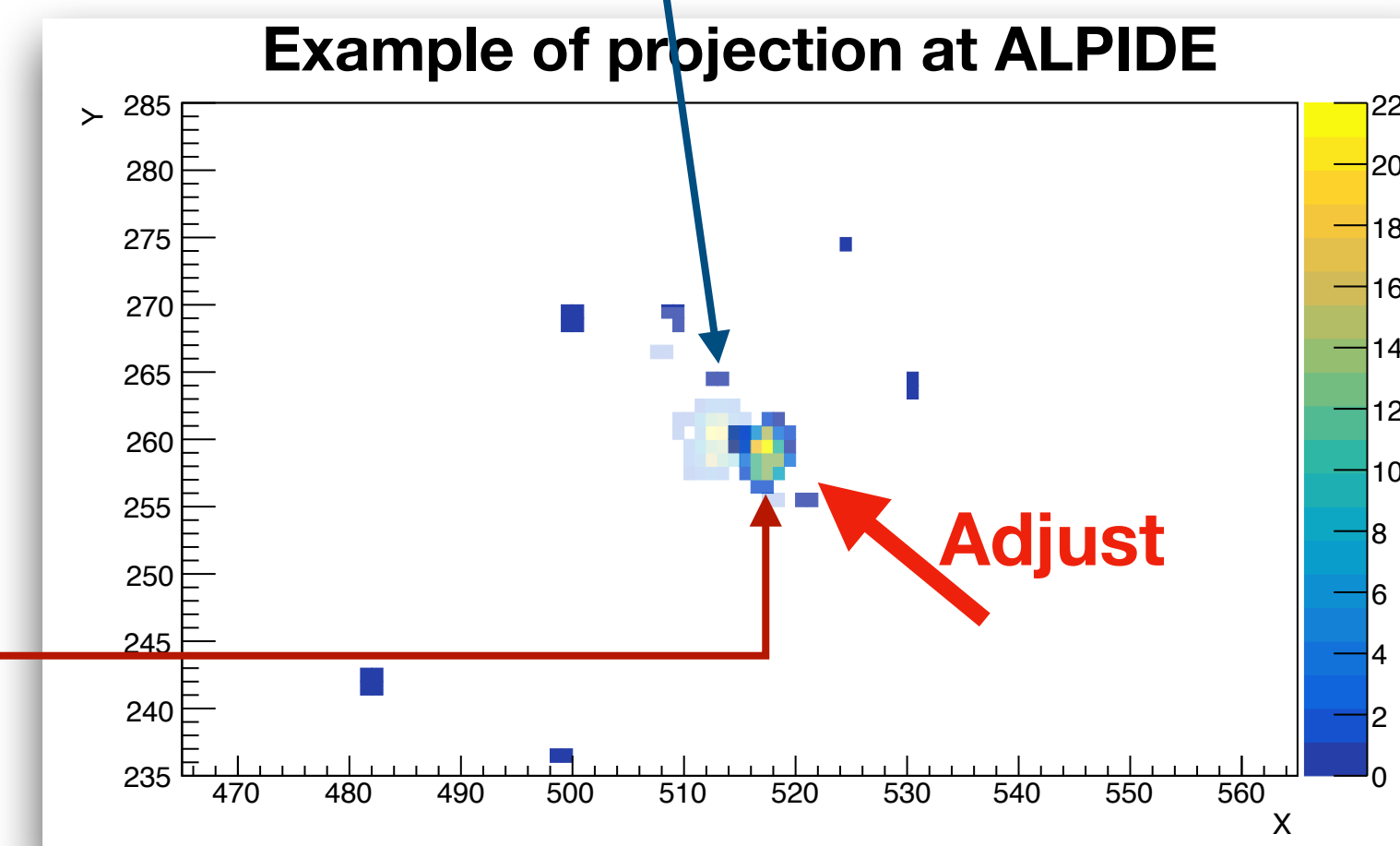
- Use ZABER (moving stage) to adjust the position of the new projection
  - Once it is well-matched, iterate this procedure to all APTSs (OPAMP\_0, OPAMP\_1, APTS\_1)



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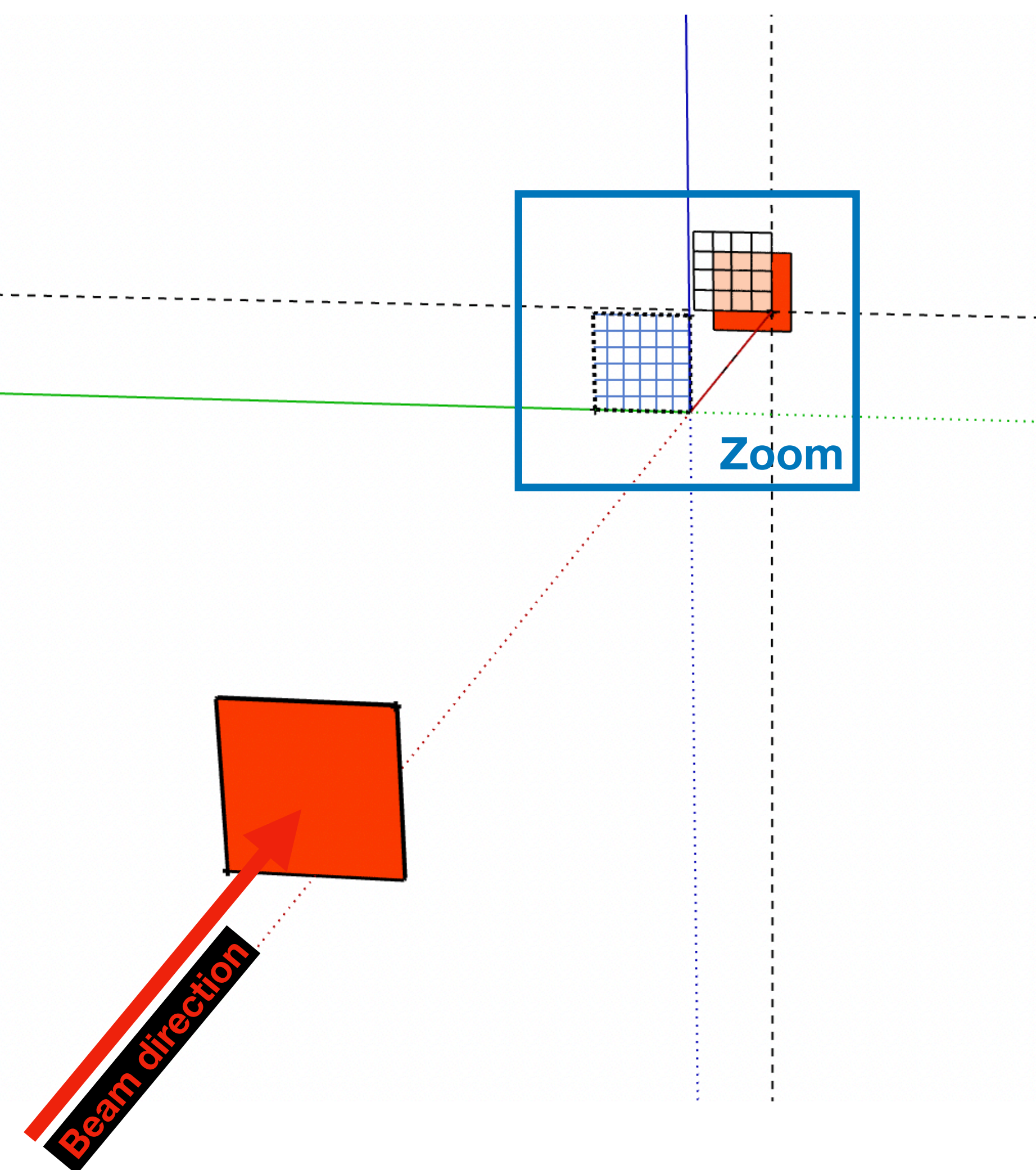
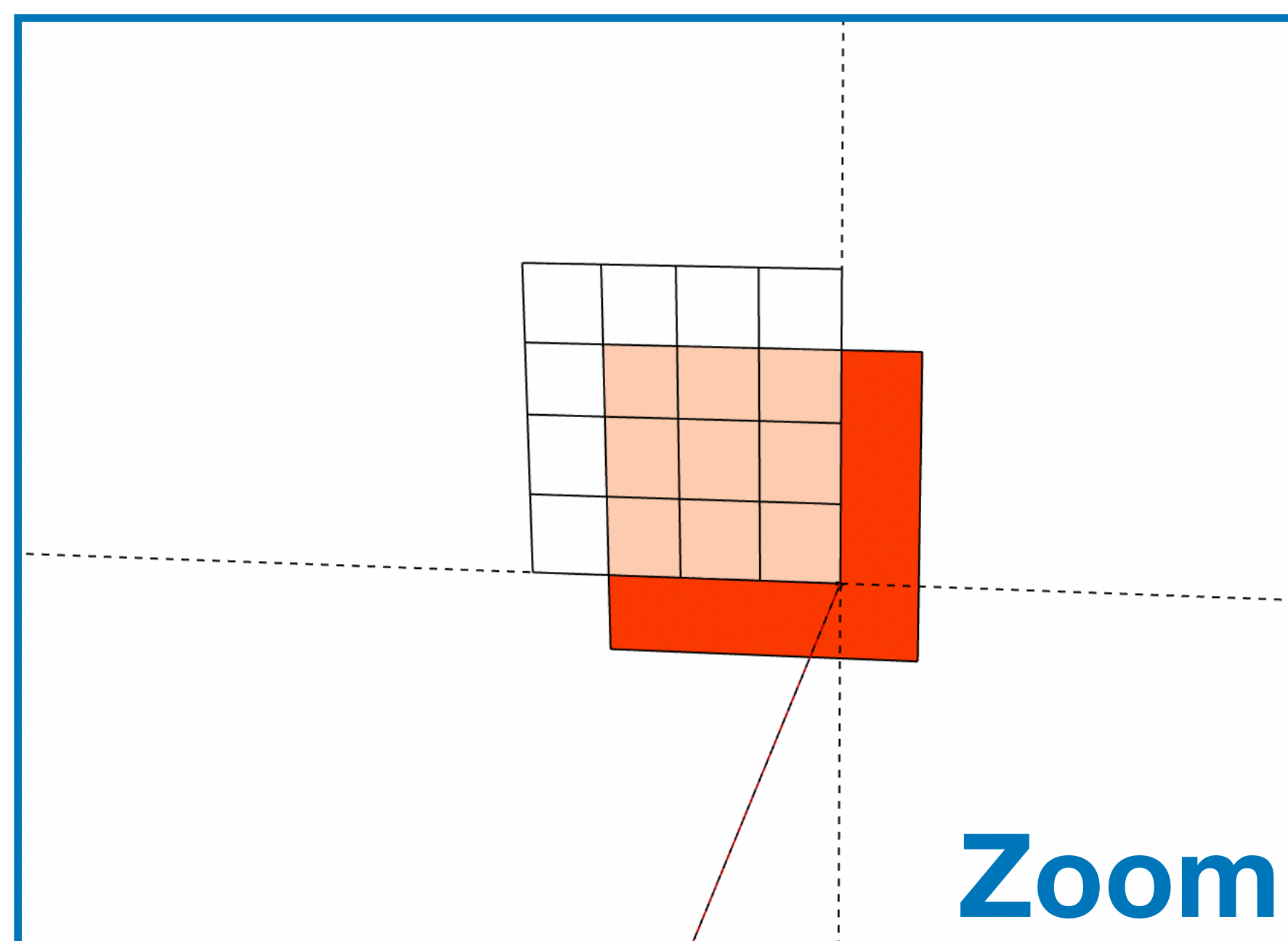
Projection of (fixed) APTS-SF  
on ALPIDE\_2

Projection of APTS-OA  
on ALPIDE\_2

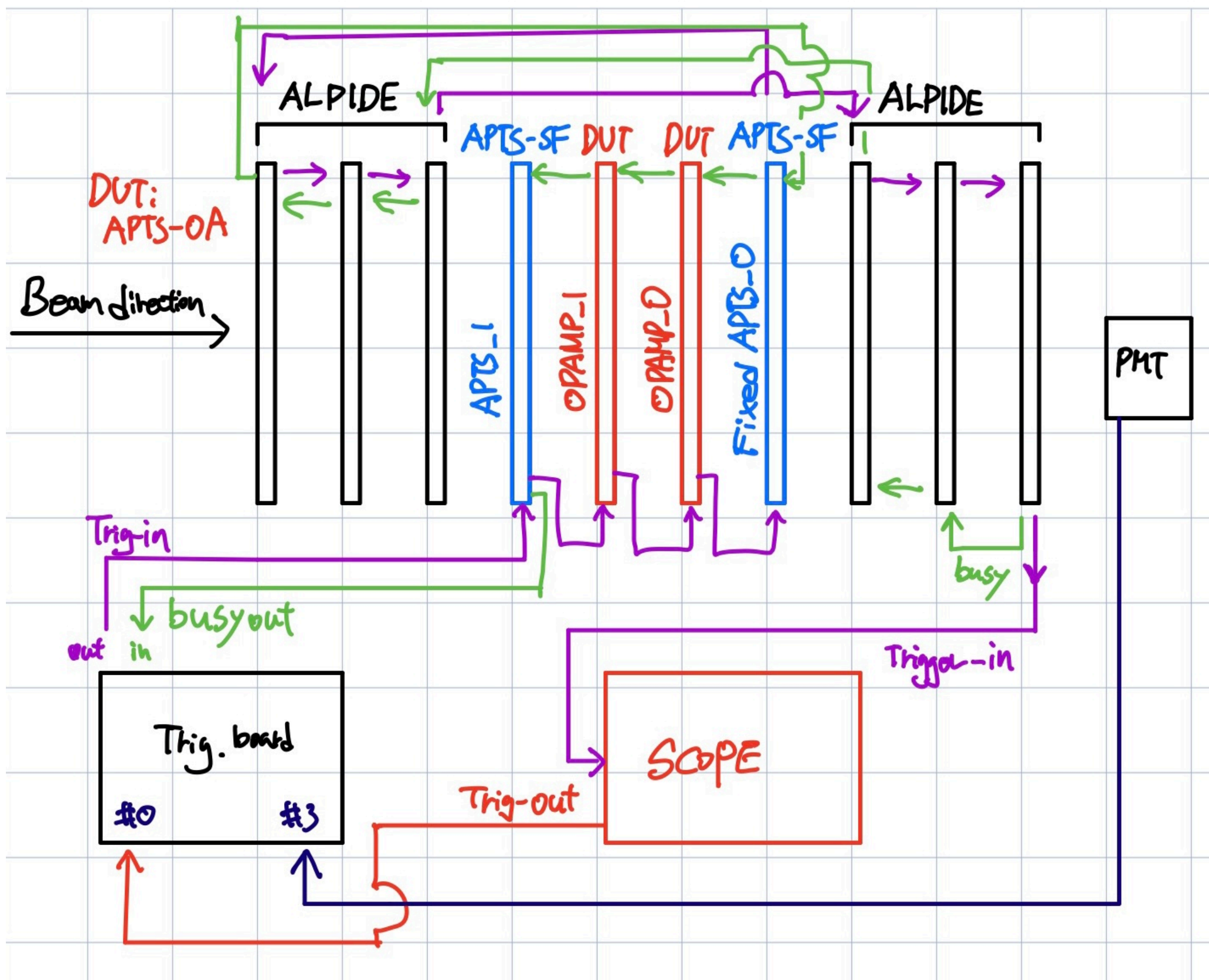


## #4 Fine tuning using APTS hitmap

- It is also be **possible(?)** to have a **pixel level alignment based on APTS hit map**.
  - Adjust to cover 4x4 matrix or similar level.
  - Pixel mask even can give a 2x2 pixel leve
    - **Issue: lack of statistics** due to the low  
(4x4matrix gives about 1 or 2 triggers p



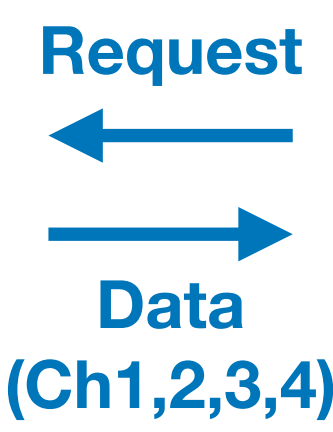




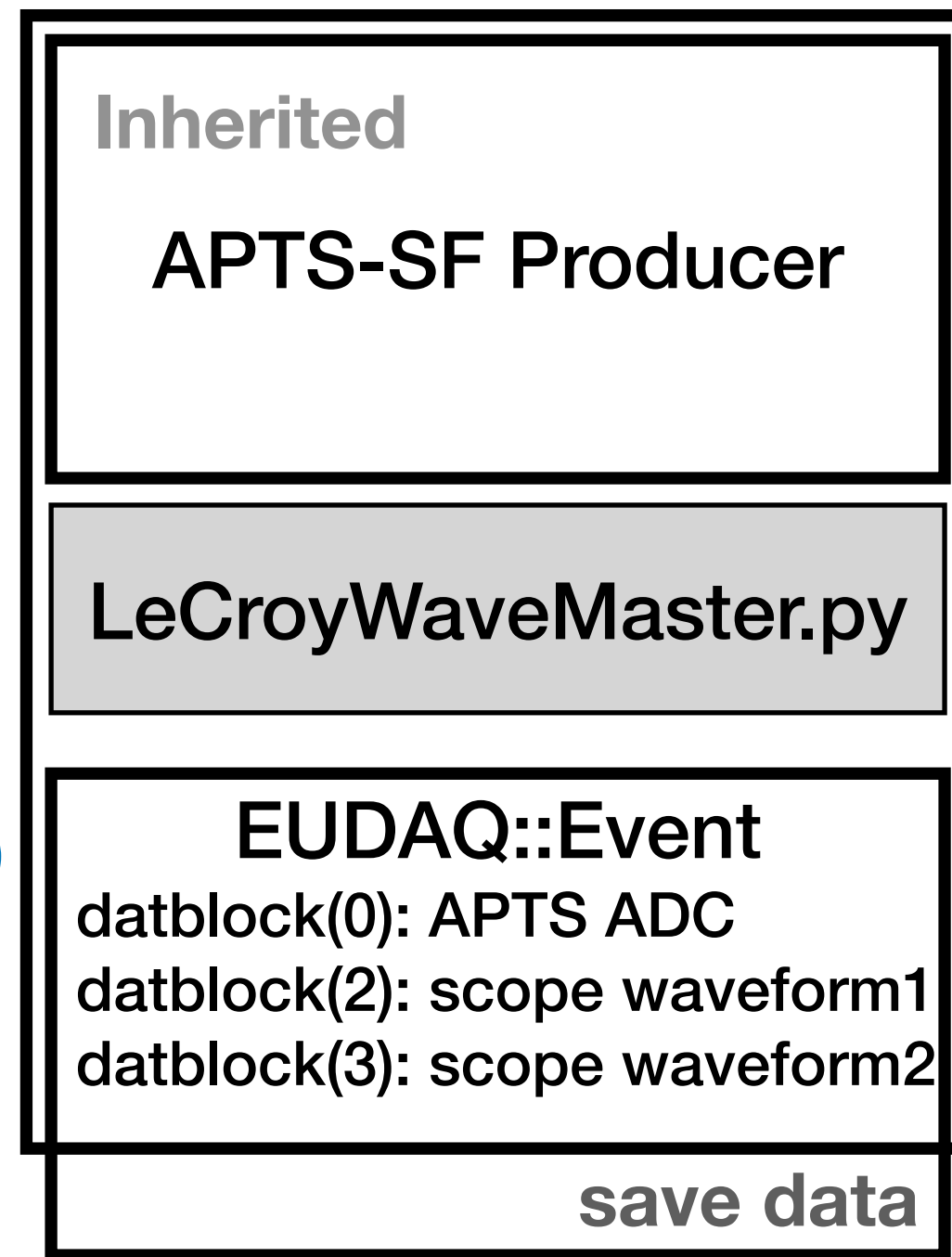
Connection scheme

- **Trigger** starts from **APTS\_1**
  - Self-trigger (*APTS trigger*)
  - External trigger: Oscilloscope
- **Busy** came from the **last ALPIDE**
  - No busy connection from the scope
- **Adopted for the alignment and data taking**
  - No needs for additional modification.
  - Eg. OPAMP\_0 trigger for alignment.
    - Run APTS\_1 and OPAMP\_1 as **standalone data taking** with the highest threshold **to prevent any busy signal**.
  - Taking the data using EUDAQ only including OPAMP\_0 and APTS\_0 and ALPIDEs.

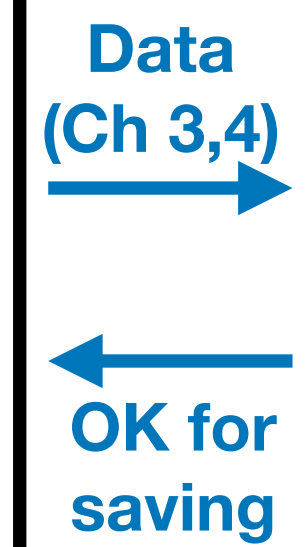
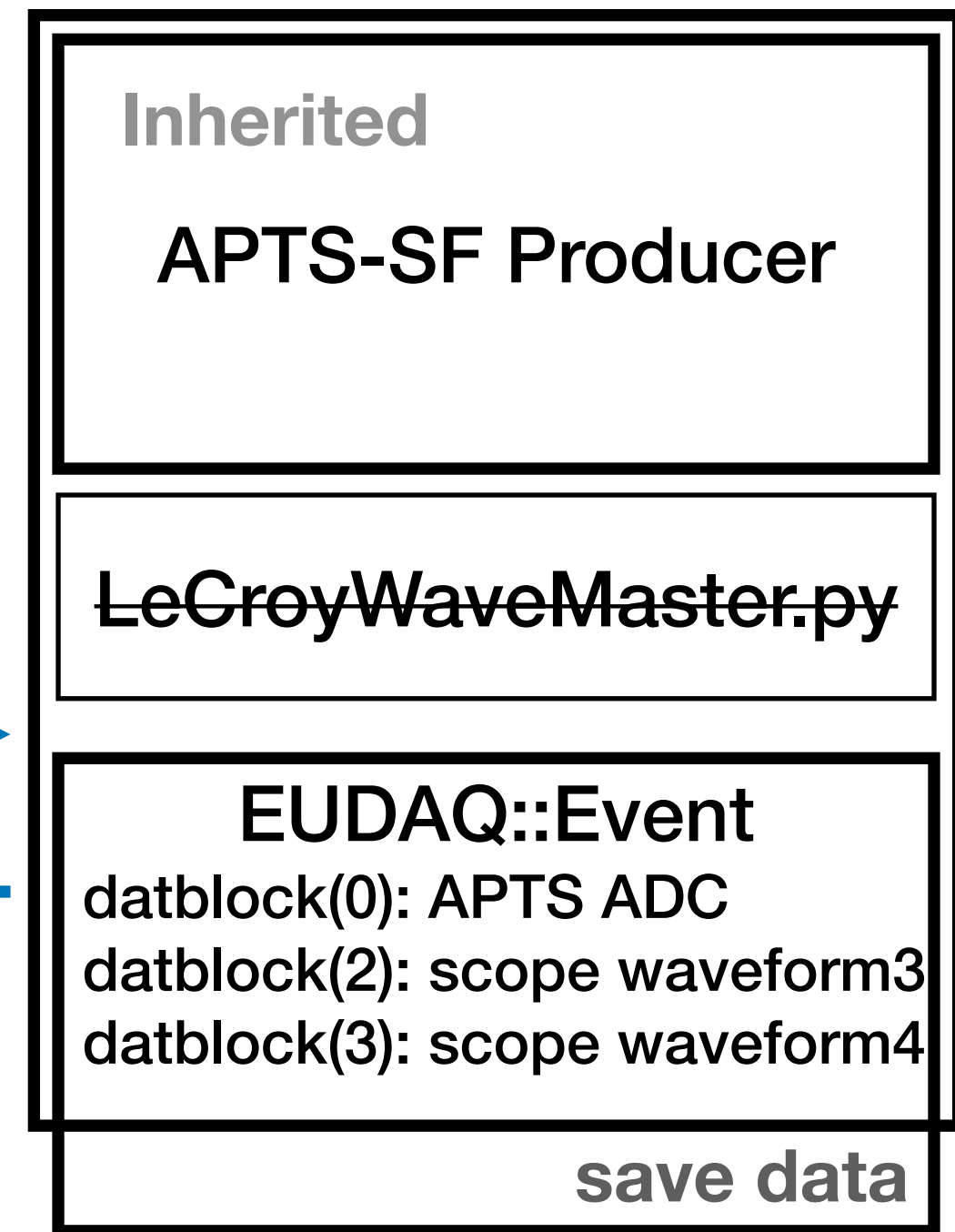
- **OPAMP Producer:** **READY** *Andrea, Bong-Hwi, Luciano, Miko*
  - Waveforms from the scope is saved in [block\(2\)](#) and [block\(3\)](#)
  - Waveforms will be stored in *EUDAQ.Event* as a [int8 array](#) and will be handled in the converter.
- **OPAMPDump.py**
  - Basically **READY TO USE** (first QA of the scope data)
- **OPAMPRawEvent2StdEvent converter** *Andrea, Chiara*
  - *EUDAQ::Event* (raw) to *EUDAQ::StdEventSP*
    - Converted data saved as *EUDAQ::Plane*
  - Based on the APTS-SF converter, 2 pixel data will be overwritten based on the scope information.



## OPAMPProducer.py

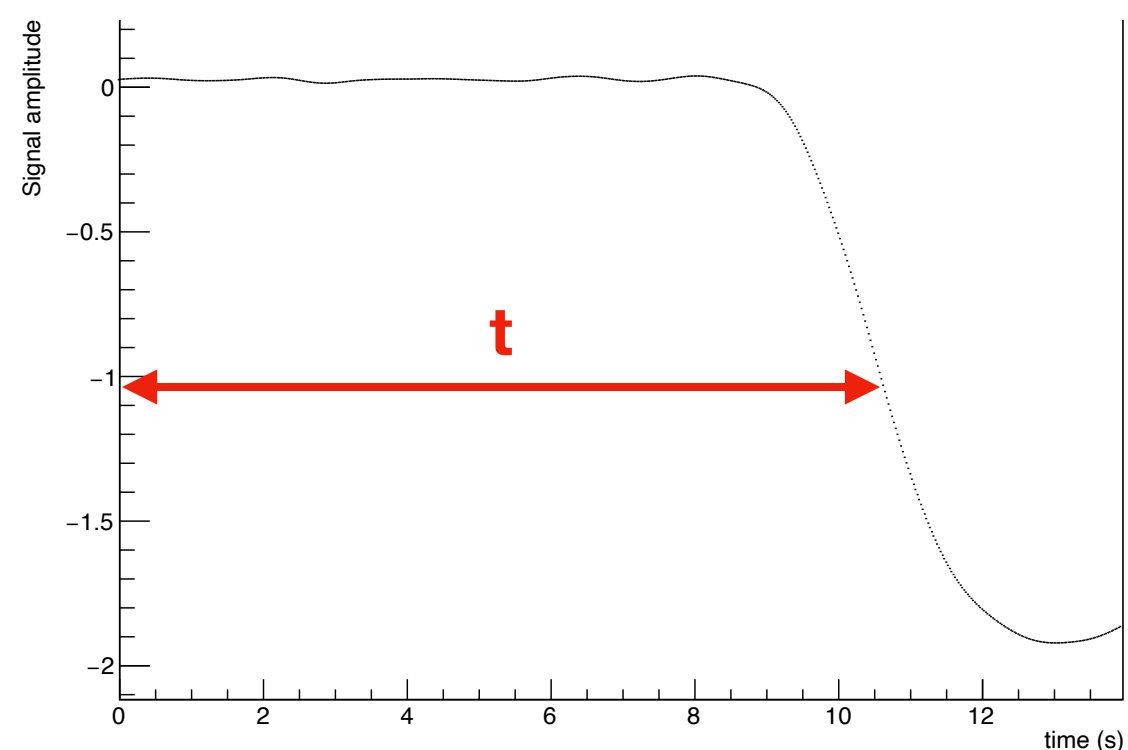


## OPAMPProducer.py



```
array([67, 49, 58, 87, 70, 32, 68,
65, 84, 49, 44, 35, 57, 48, 48, 48,
48, 48, 48, 56, 48, 50, 80, 78, 77,
77, 77, 77, 79, 78, 82, 81, 81, 81,
81, 81, 79, 80, 79, 80, 80, 82, 78,
80, 79, 79, 82, 81, 80, 80, 80, 80,
79, 77, 79, 80, 82, ... ],
dtype=np.float32)
```

Expected waveform (array)

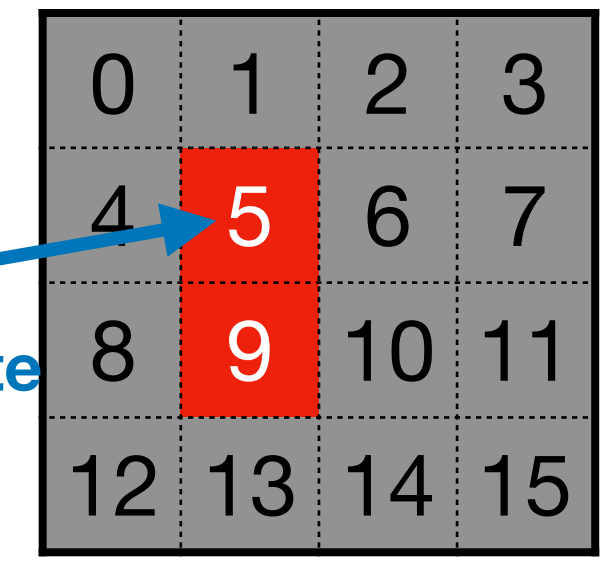


Expected waveform (graph)

Convert →

t = 10

Overwrite



EUDAQ::StandardPlane

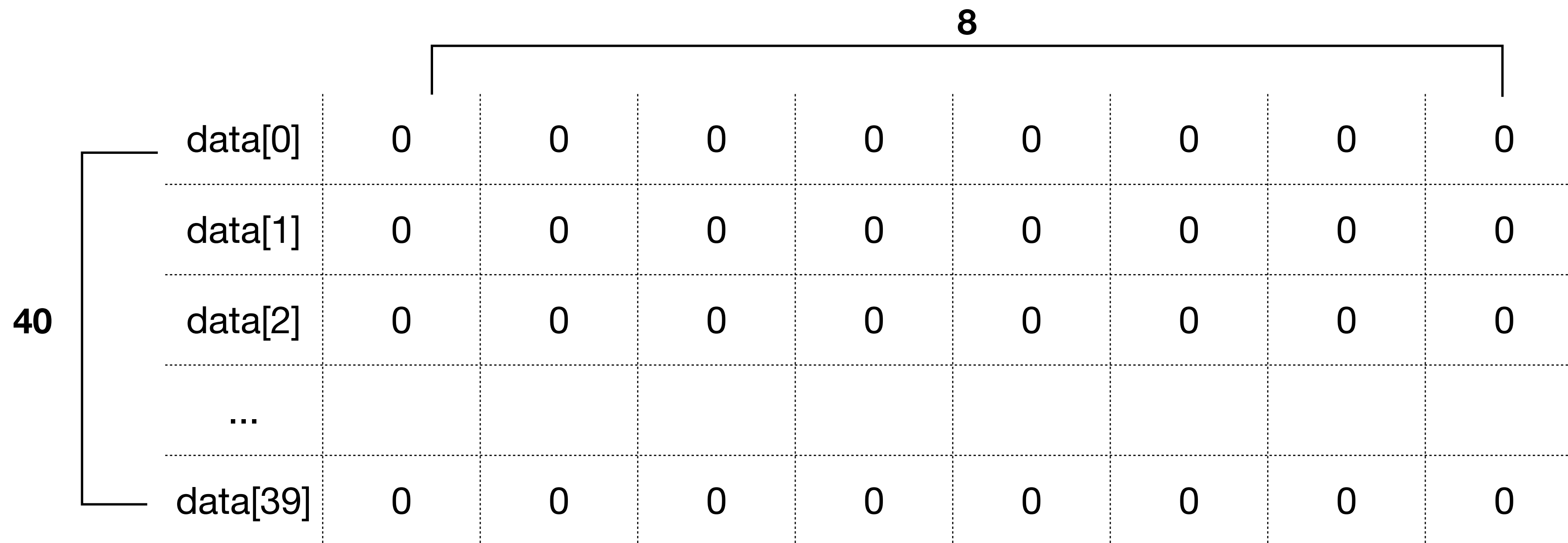
**Studying the unscramble function  
in APTS-SF raw event converter**

# MLR1 DAQ Board data



## Process to understand

- **APTS "Data"**
  - Coming from 16 ch output from DAQ board
  - Composed with **40** block of uint8\_t (**8 bit**) numbers





# MLR1 DAQ Board data

## Data taking from DAQ board #1

- When taking the data, output from DAQ boards are transferred in a row..

MLR1  
DAQ board



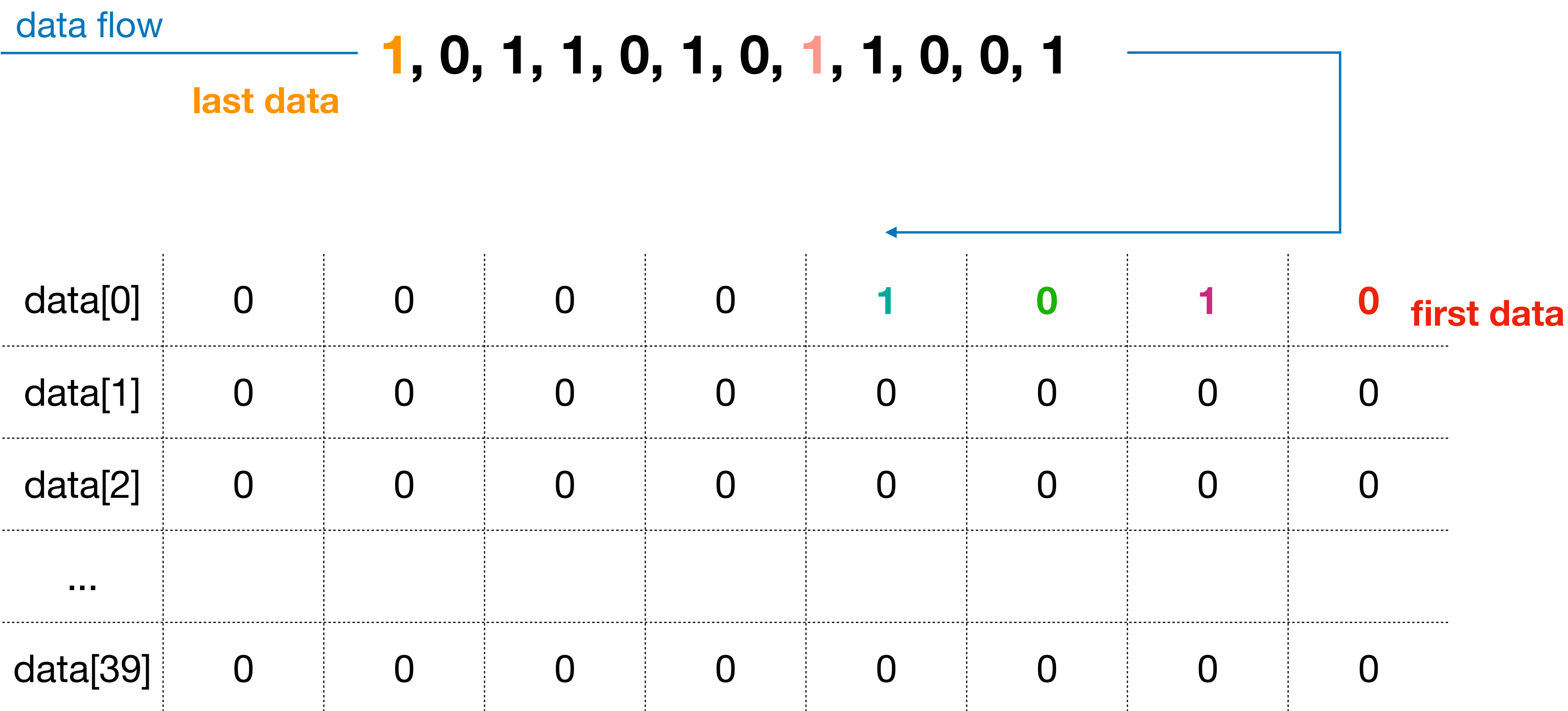
data[0]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
data[1]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
data[2]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
...									
data[39]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

# MLR1 DAQ Board data

## Data taking from DAQ board #2

- They are saved in a row from the lowest bit(0) to the higher bit(7)

MLR1  
DAQ board



# MLR1 DAQ Board data

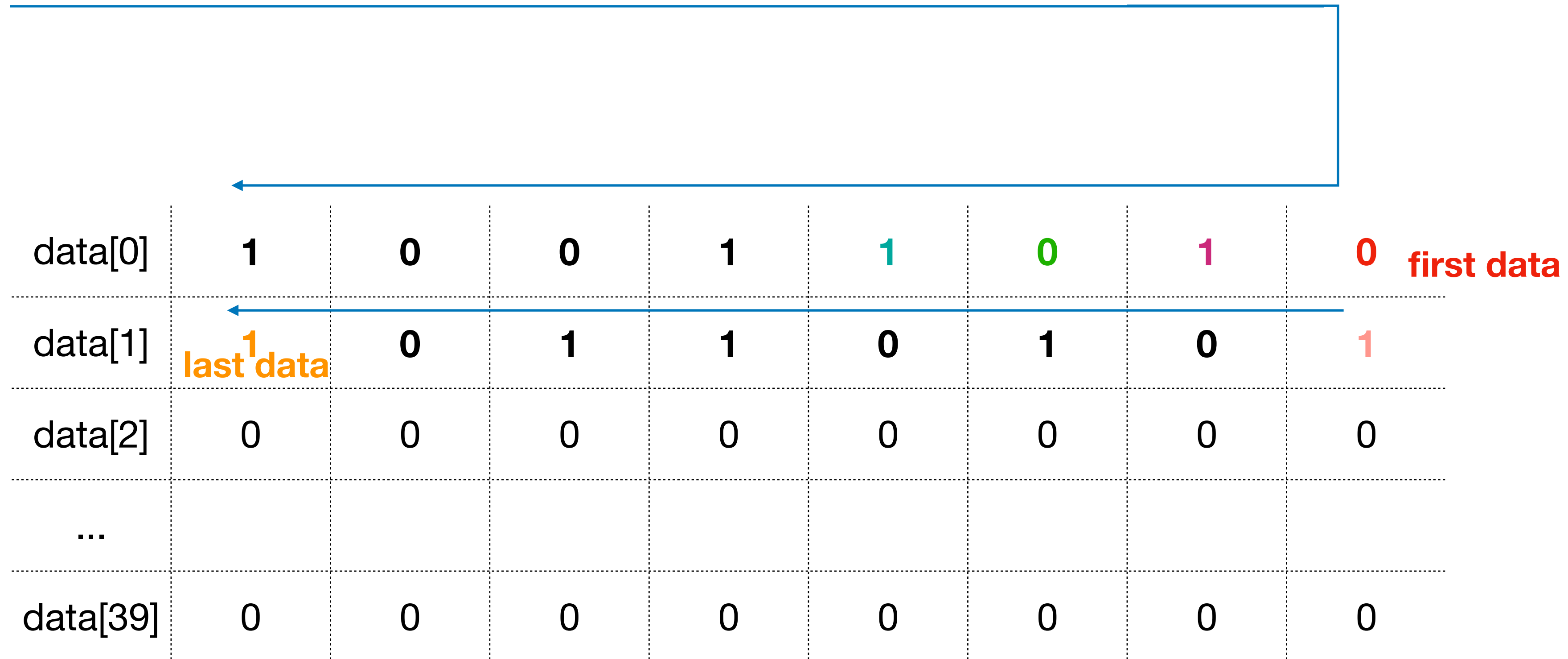


## Data taking from DAQ board #3

- In the end, 2 row of 'data' is filled and it continues until it fills data[39]

MLR1  
DAQ board

data flow



# MLR1 DAQ Board data

## Decoding data #1

- When decoding data, it is divided into a unit of 40 items.
  - Let's focus on the first block.

First block

data[0]	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0
data[1]	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1
data[2]	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1
...								
data[39]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

second block

data[0]	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0
data[1]	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1
data[2]	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1
...								
data[39]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



# MLR1 DAQ Board data

## Decoding data #2

- In `unscramble` function in the `APTSRawEvent2StdEventConverter`,
  - it tries to decode the data by dividing it into 2 sectors (`data[2*ib]` and `data[2*ib+1]`)

<code>data[0]</code>	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	<code>data[1]</code>	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0
<code>data[2]</code>	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	<code>data[3]</code>	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1
<code>data[4]</code>	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	<code>data[5]</code>	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1
...									...								
<code>data[30]</code>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<code>data[31]</code>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0



```

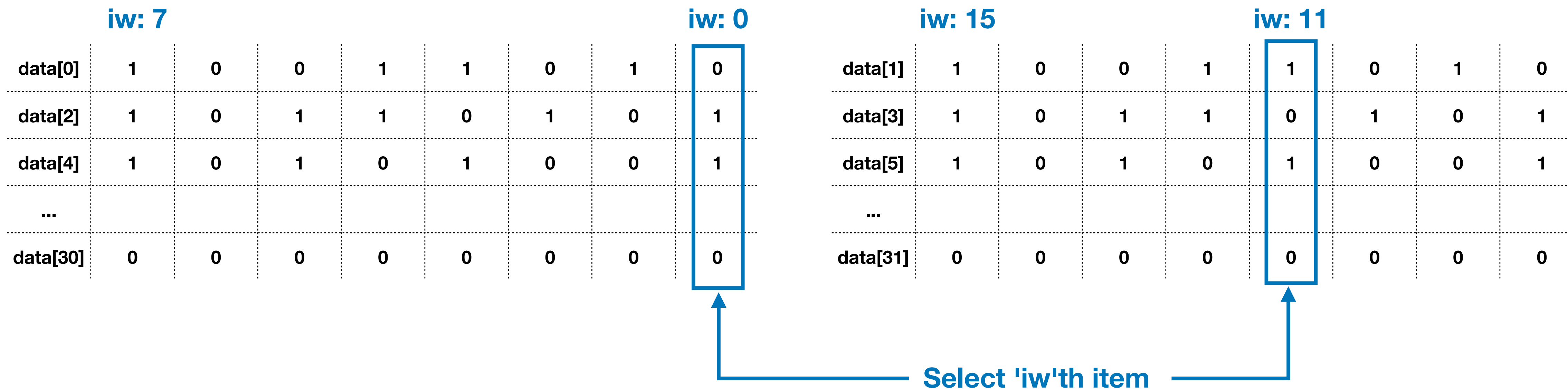
for(int iw=0;iw!=16;++iw) {
    out[chmap[iw]]=0;
    for(int ib=0;ib!=16;++ib)
        out[chmap[iw]] |= (in[ib<<1 | ((iw>>3)&1)]) >> (iw&0x7)&1 << (15-ib);
}
    
```

# MLR1 DAQ Board data



## Decoding data #3

- In `unscramble` function in the `APTSRawEvent2StdEventConverter`,
  - `iw` stands for each channel, `ib` stands for each bit



```
for(int iw=0;iw!=16;++iw) {  
    out[chmap[iw]]=0;  
    for(int ib=0;ib!=16;++ib)  
        out[chmap[iw]]|=(in[ib<<1|((iw>>3)&1)]>>(iw&0x7)&1)<<(15-ib);  
}
```

# MLR1 DAQ Board data



## Decoding data #4

- In `unscramble` function in the `APTSRawEvent2StdEventConverter`,
  - Each bits are saved to `uint16_t out[]` from first to last(16th) bit in order

	iw: 7							iw: 0		iw: 15							iw: 11	
data[0]	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0		data[1]	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0
data[2]	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	total 16 bits	data[3]	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1
data[4]	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1		data[5]	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1
...										...								
data[30]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		data[31]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Save 'iw'th bit into uint16\_t value from top to bottom

```

for(int iw=0;iw!=16;++iw) {
    out[chmap[iw]]=0;
    for(int ib=0;ib!=16;++ib)
        out[chmap[iw]] |= (in[ib<<1 | ((iw>>3)&1)] >> (iw&0x7)&1) << (15-ib);
}
    
```

# MLR1 DAQ Board data



## Decoding data #5

- In `unscramble` function in the `APTSRawEvent2StdEventConverter`,
- Collect all bits in `uint16_t out[]` array

```
for(int iw=0; iw!=16; ++iw) {
    out[chmap[iw]]=0;
    for(int ib=0; ib!=16; ++ib)
        out[chmap[iw]] |= (in[ib<<1 | ((iw>>3)&1)] >> (iw&0x7)&1) << (15-ib);
}
```

iw: 0	0	1	1	...	0
iw: 1	1	0	0	...	0
...					
iw: 11	1	0	1	...	0
...					
iw: 16	1	1	1	...	0

unit16\_t array

data[0]	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	data[1]	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	0
data[2]	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	data[3]	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	1
data[4]	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	data[5]	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	1
...									...								
data[30]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	data[31]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

iw: 0

iw: 11

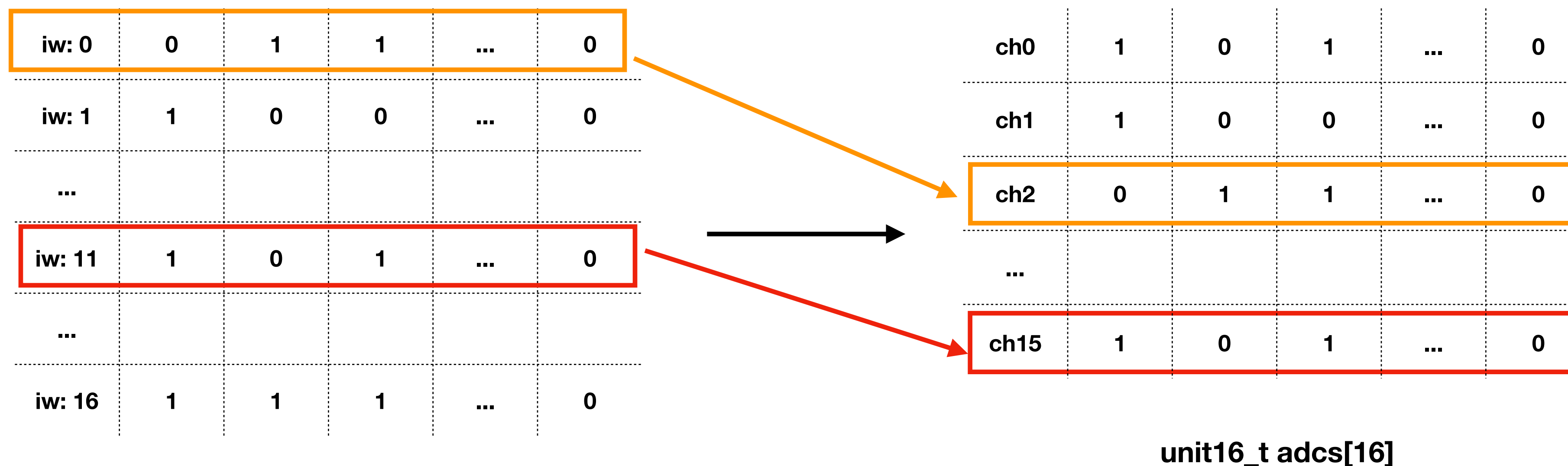
total 16 bits

# MLR1 DAQ Board data



## Decoding data #6

- In `unscramble` function in the `APTSRawEvent2StdEventConverter`,
  - Re-order it using the channel map (chmap)

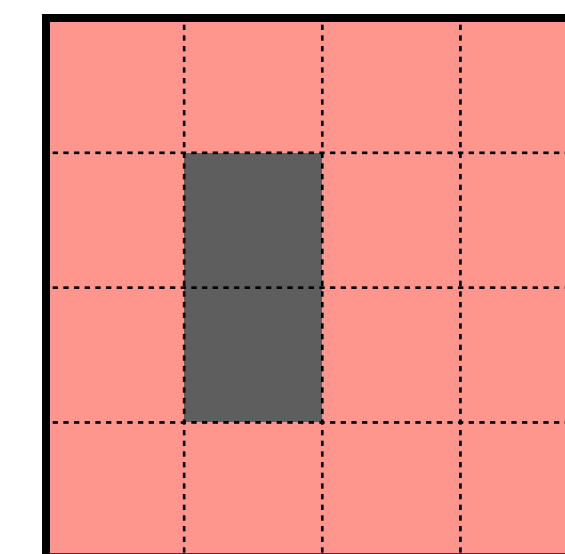


```
const int chmap[]={2,1,5,0,4,8,9,12,13,14,10,15,11,7,6,3};
```

# Data analysis

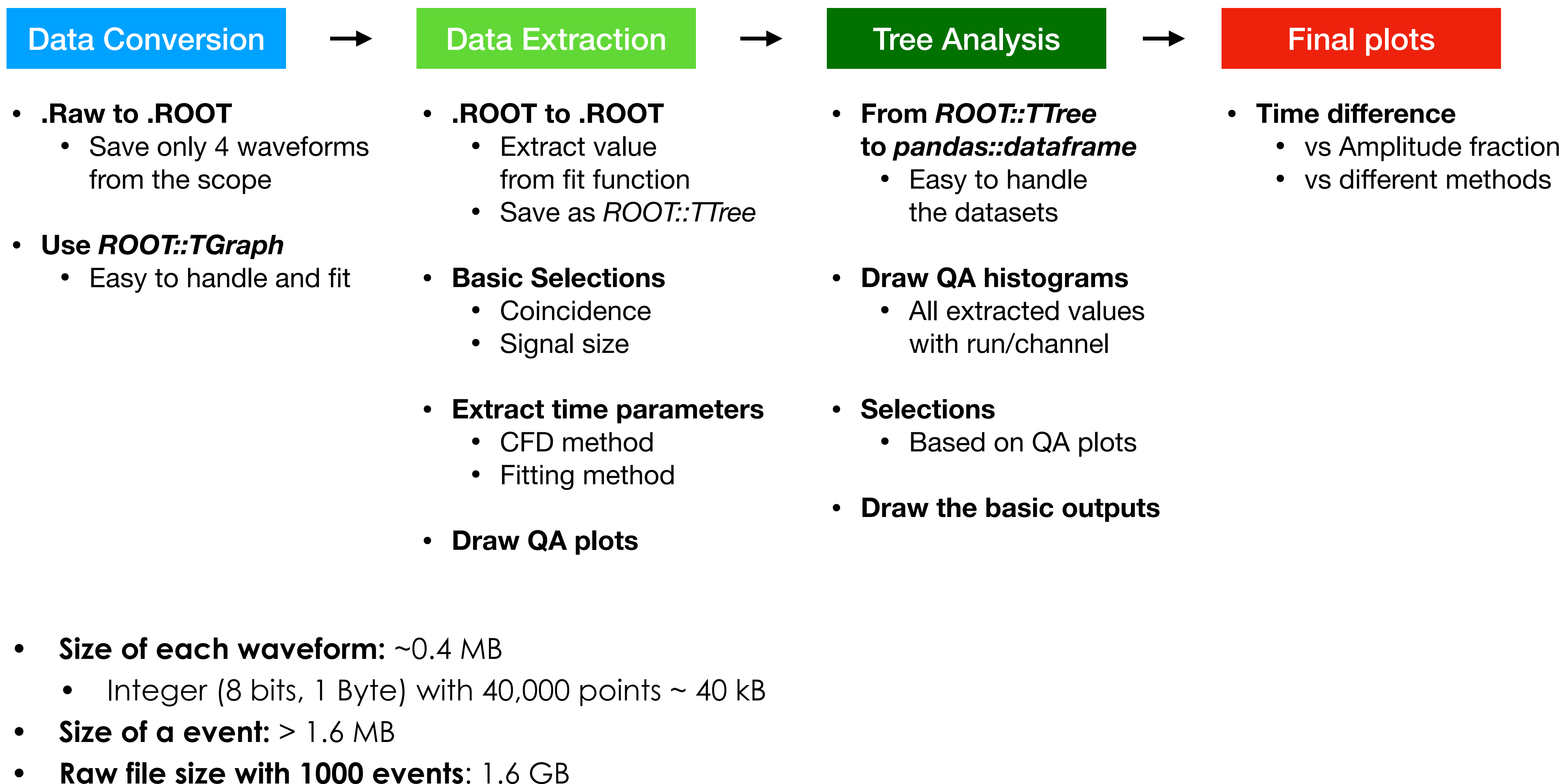
Run number	# of events	Remarks
run264020927_220630021003.raw	9643	APTS trigger
run264214855_220630214931.raw	13605	APTS trigger
run265113818_220701113854.raw	23072	APTS trigger
run266124048_220702124125.raw	2506	APTS trigger
run266143343_220702143419.raw	22056	APTS trigger
run267142125_220703142202.raw	11893	APTS trigger
run271223026_220704223103.raw	535	OPAMP pixel trigger (scope)
run272093909_220705093946.raw	191	OPAMP pixel trigger (scope)
run272111314_220705111352.raw	273	OPAMP pixel trigger (scope) / modified APTS conf
run272151341_220705151418.raw	190	OPAMP pixel trigger (scope) / modified APTS conf
run272174811_220705174848.raw	1083	OPAMP pixel trigger (scope) / modified APTS conf
run273075645_220706075721.raw	12	OPAMP pixel trigger (scope) / modified APTS conf

- **# of events of the APTS triggered runs** are including all events that track passing the other pixels.
  - **OPAMP pixel trigger:** using the scope trigger connected to the 2 pixels on OPAMP.
    - Pros: concentrated data taking only for the **interesting region**.
- **modified APTS conf:** n\_frames\_before/after from 20/50 to 100/100
- Full run list and raw files: [https://cernbox.cern.ch/index.php/apps/files/?dir=/\\_\\_myprojects/aliceits3/ITS3-WP3/Testbeams/2022-06\\_SPS&](https://cernbox.cern.ch/index.php/apps/files/?dir=/__myprojects/aliceits3/ITS3-WP3/Testbeams/2022-06_SPS&)



**APTS trigger**  
vs OPAMP pixel trigger

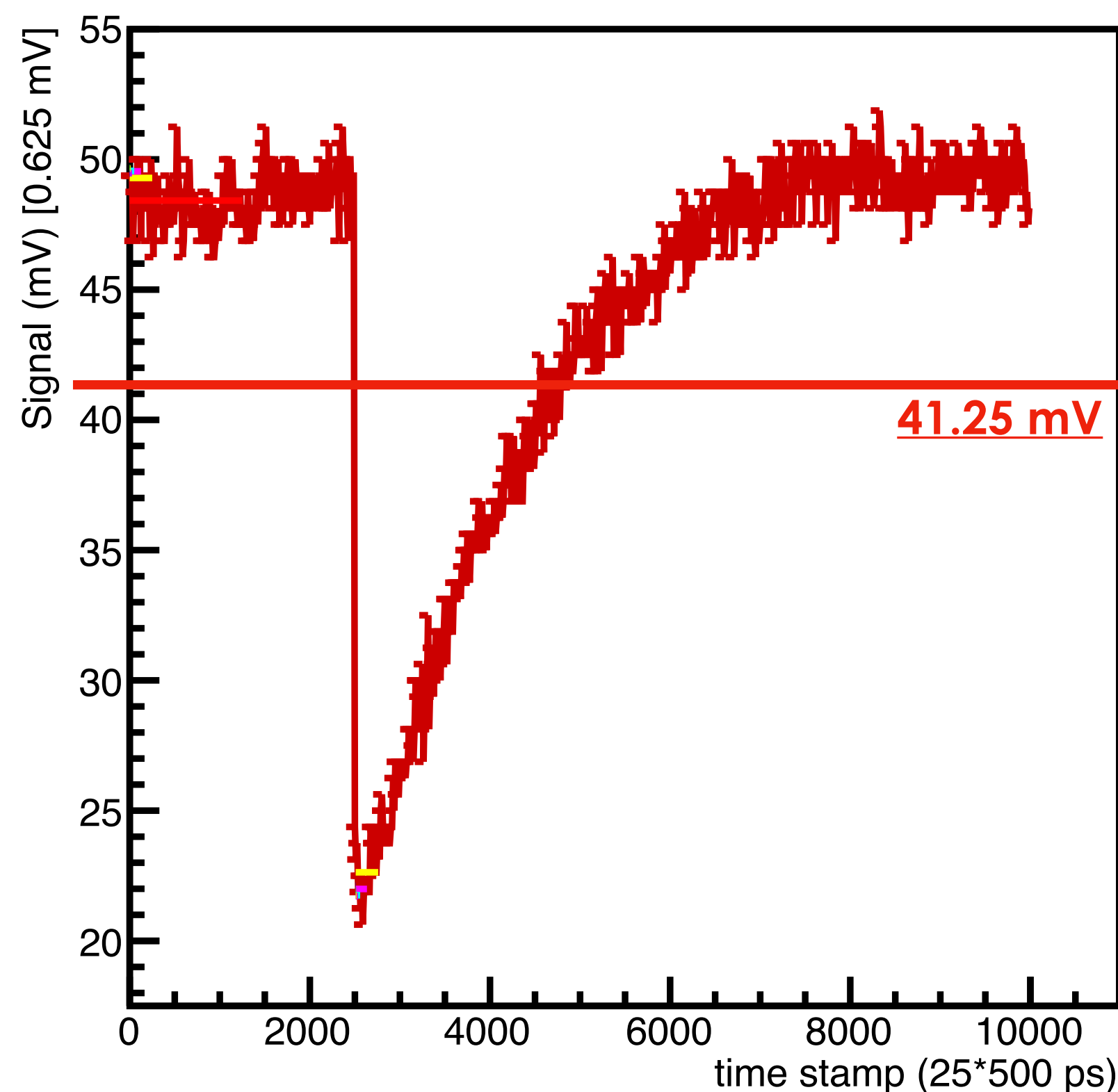
## Applied in this analysis





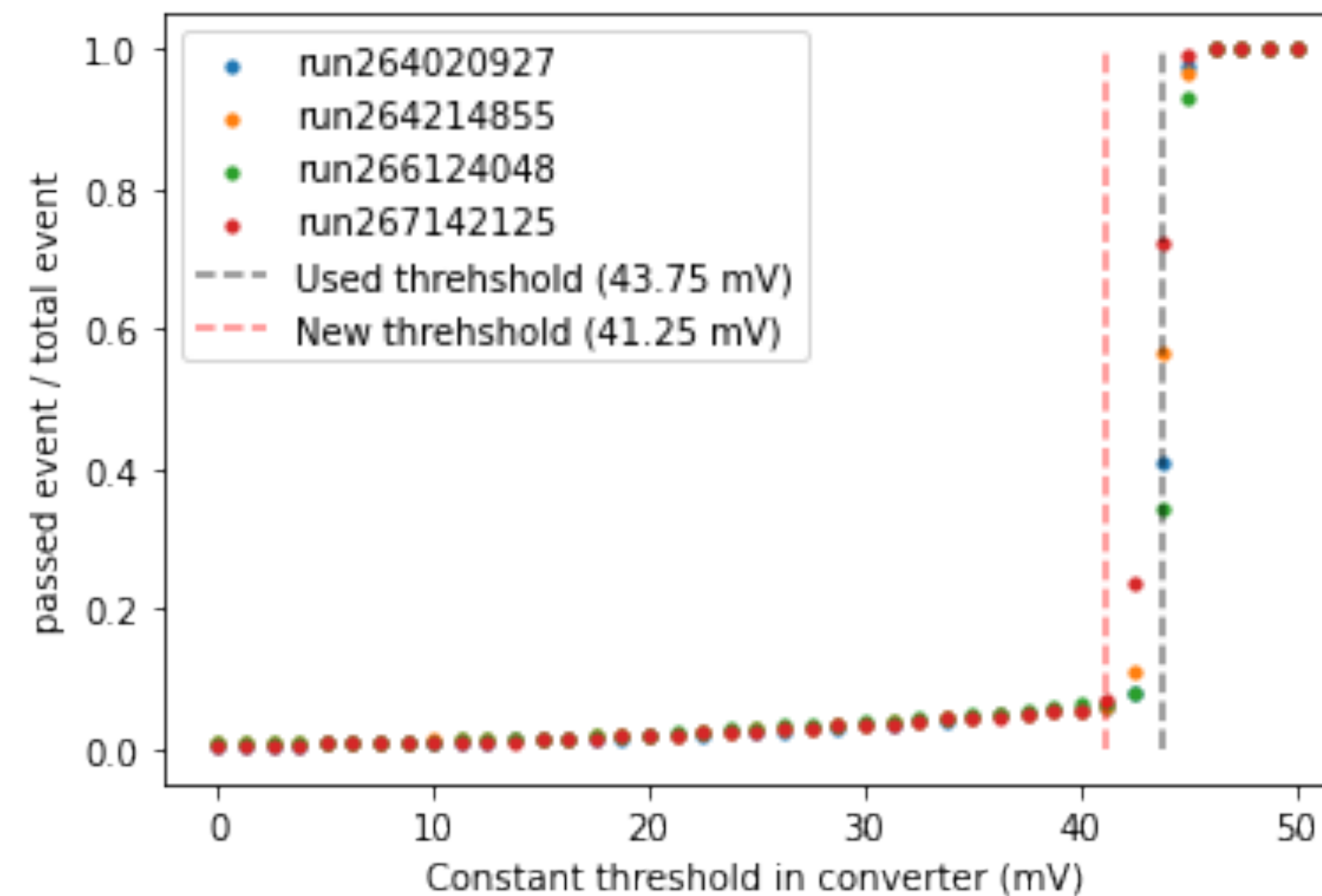
## Data Conversion

- Import the **binary** and Convert the int8 array to **ROOT::TGraph**
  - **Constant filtering threshold** applied: **41.25 mV**
    - To minimise computation.
    - Threshold was selected based on the study



Example of **ROOT::TGraph** with threshold

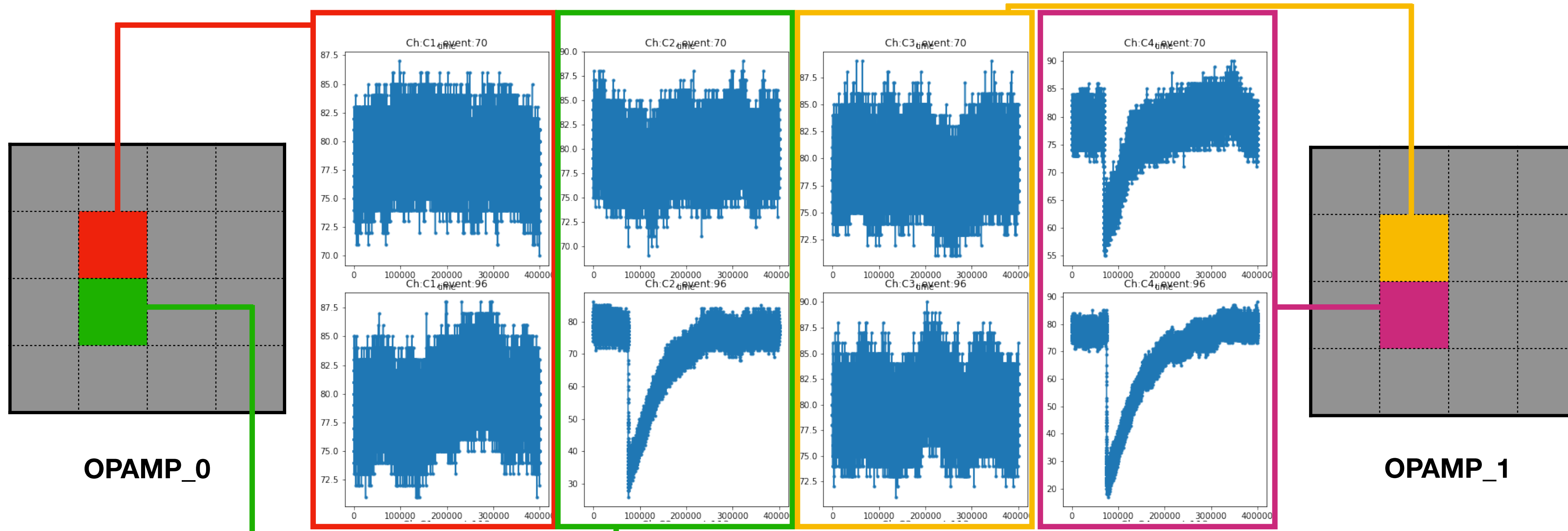
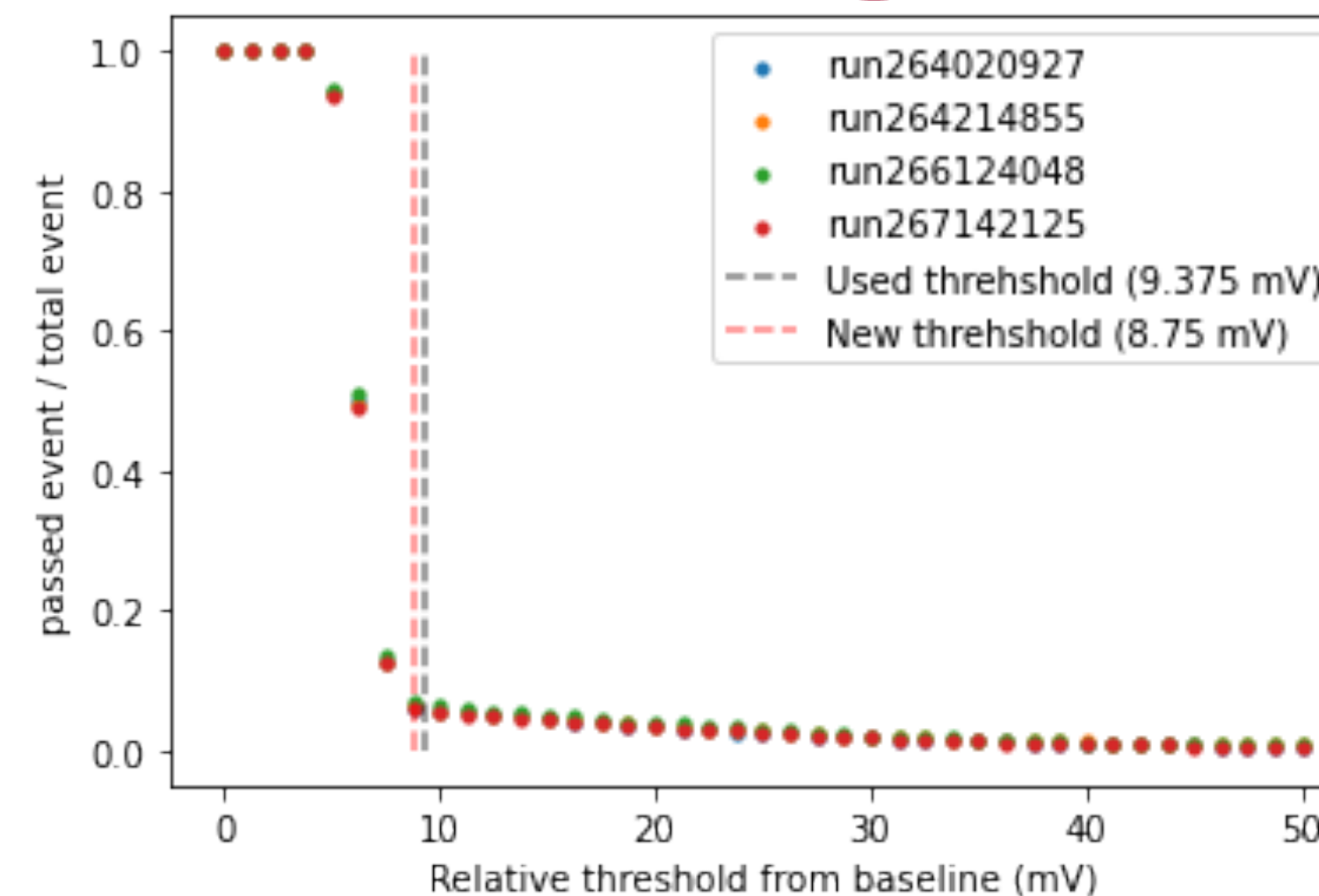
## Passed event vs Constant threshold



- **The fraction of passed event to total events**
  - vs constant thresholds
  - APTS triggered run: most events don't have signals in the pixels of interest.
  - Choose the first point in the stable trend.

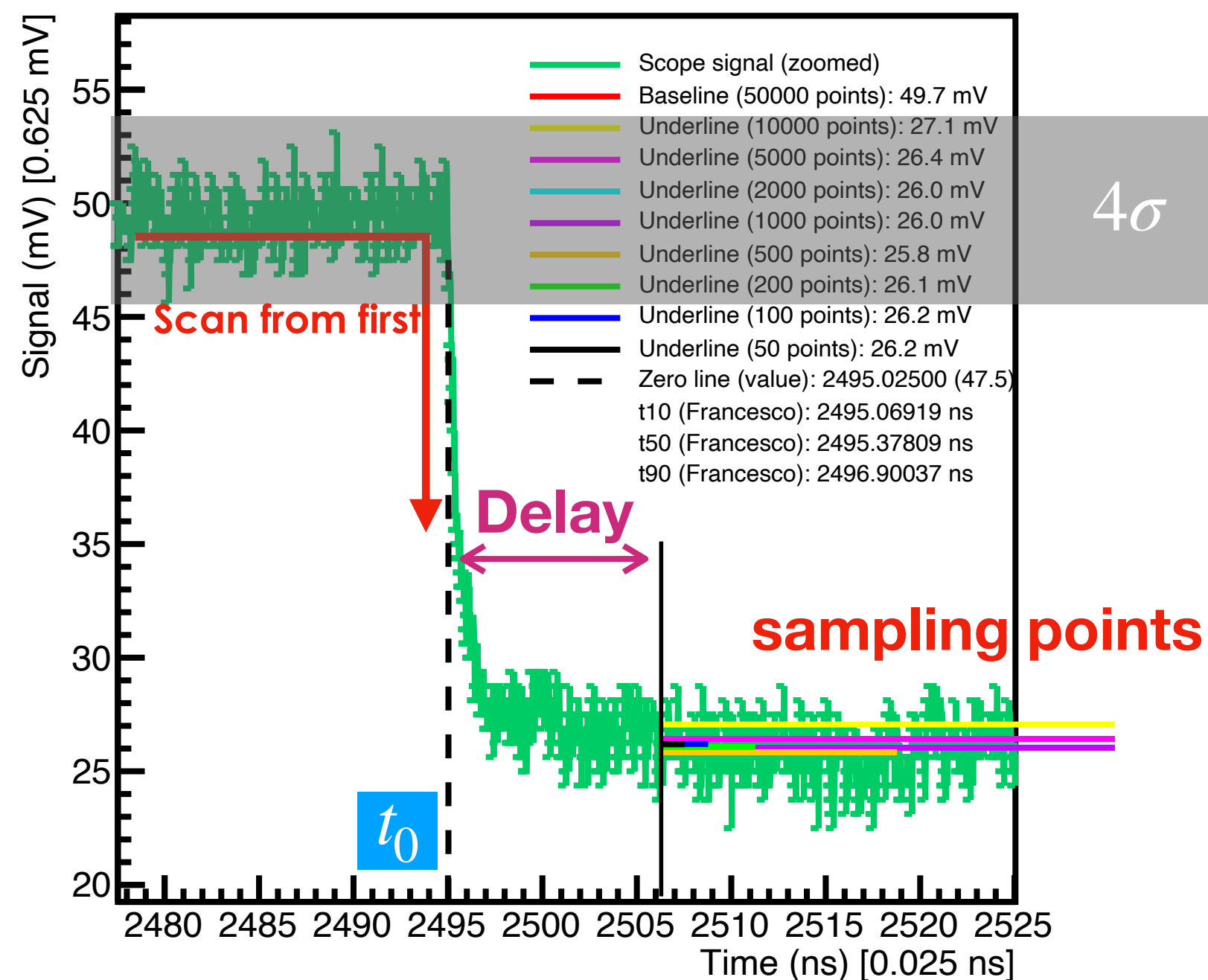
## Data Extraction

1. Import all **ROOT::TGraph** from the input file.
2. Apply the threshold of the signal
  - Calculated the signal size from the baseline.
  - Applied threshold: **8.75 mV** (Right figure)
3. Find the coincidence event
  - Simply check:  $(Ch1 \mid \mid Ch2) \&\& (Ch3 \mid \mid Ch4)$



Waveforms (Top: no coincidence / Bottom: coincidence)

Ch:2, event:272175495



## Determination of $t_0$

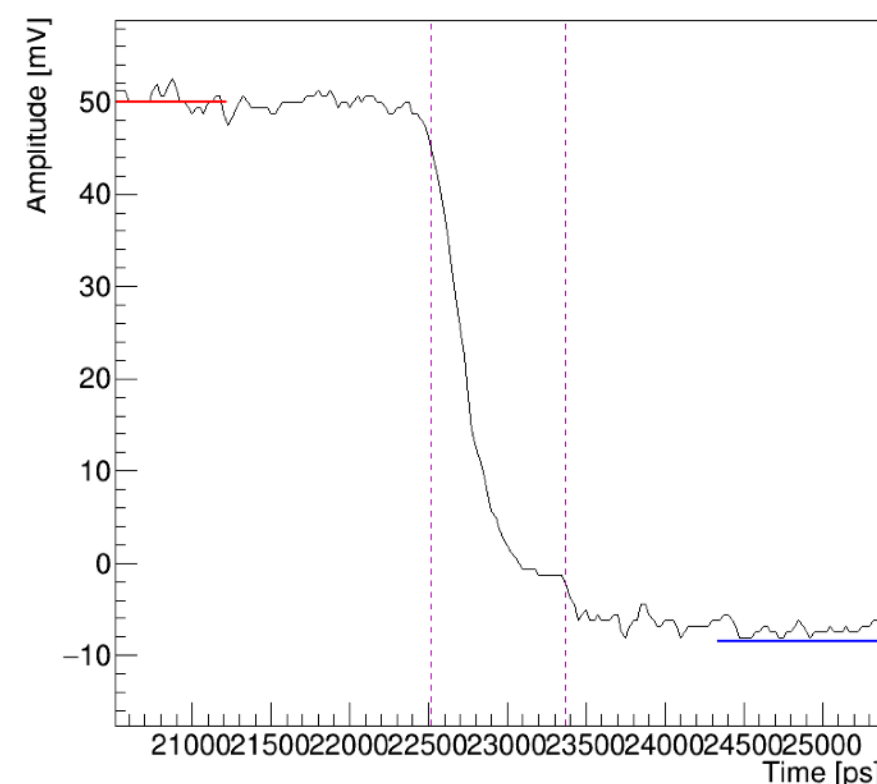
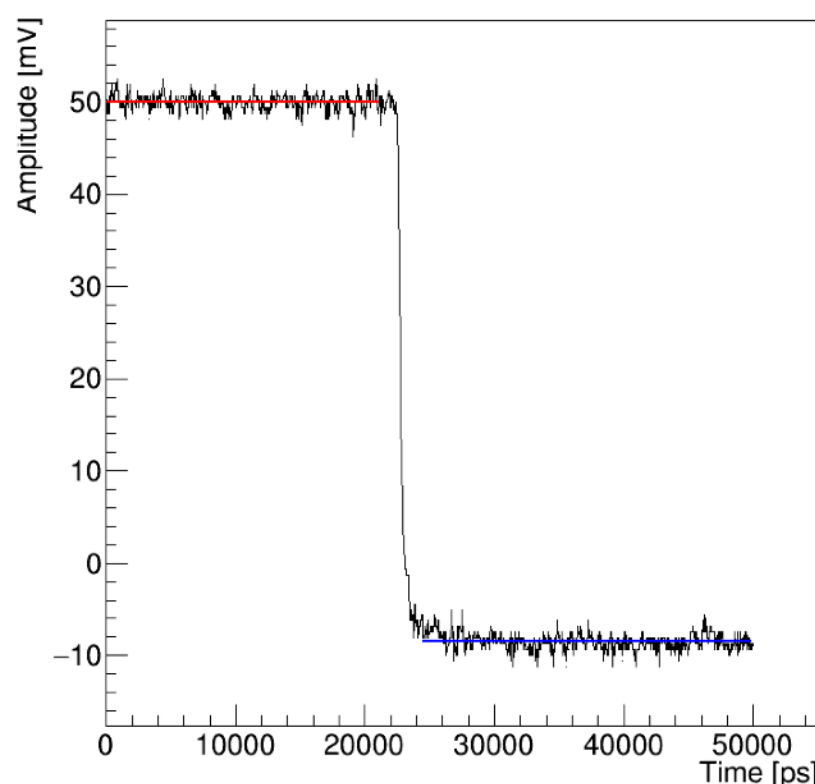
- Important for the stabilisation of the underline value
- Procedure
  - Compare the signal with the baseline, starting from the left.
  - Count the number of points **~4 sigmas (~4.3 mV)** smaller than the **baseline**.
    - Count **10 points in a row**  
250 ps
    - If there is any point within ~ 4 sigmas during the check, remove the current count stack and scan next point.
  - If the above test is passed, use the point placed **10 points** before as a  $t_0$   
250 ps
    - $t_0$  is not exactly pointing the starting point of signal. but this value is used as a standard point to obtain a relative position eg.  $t_0 + 5ns$

## Underline

- Underline values are determined based on the relative starting point from  $t_0$ .
- Similar to the determination of baseline
  - But the falling signal has a **tail** - need to put a **delay**
- Dependency on the delay and **number of sampling points** studied.

Signal Shape

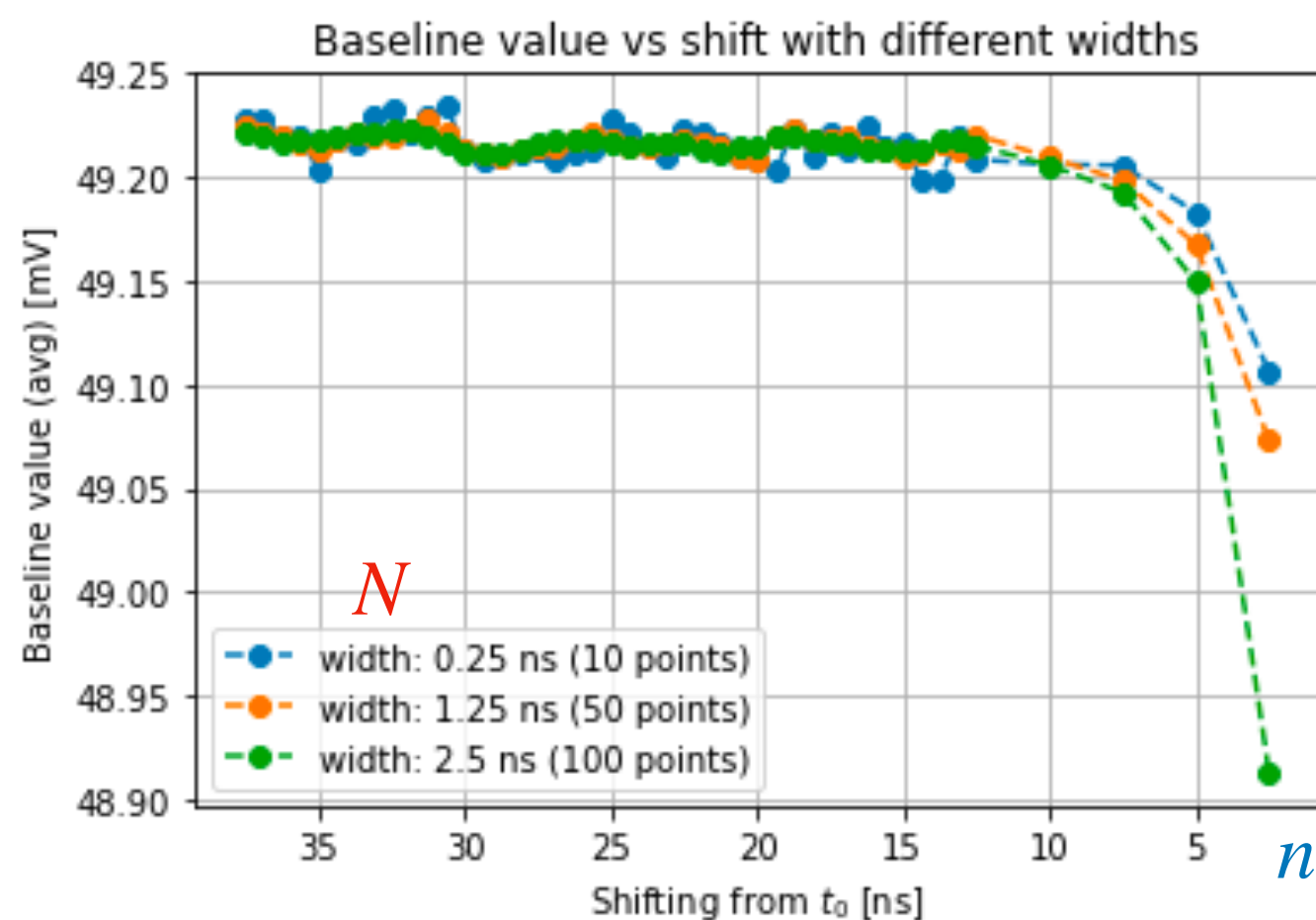
Signal Shape



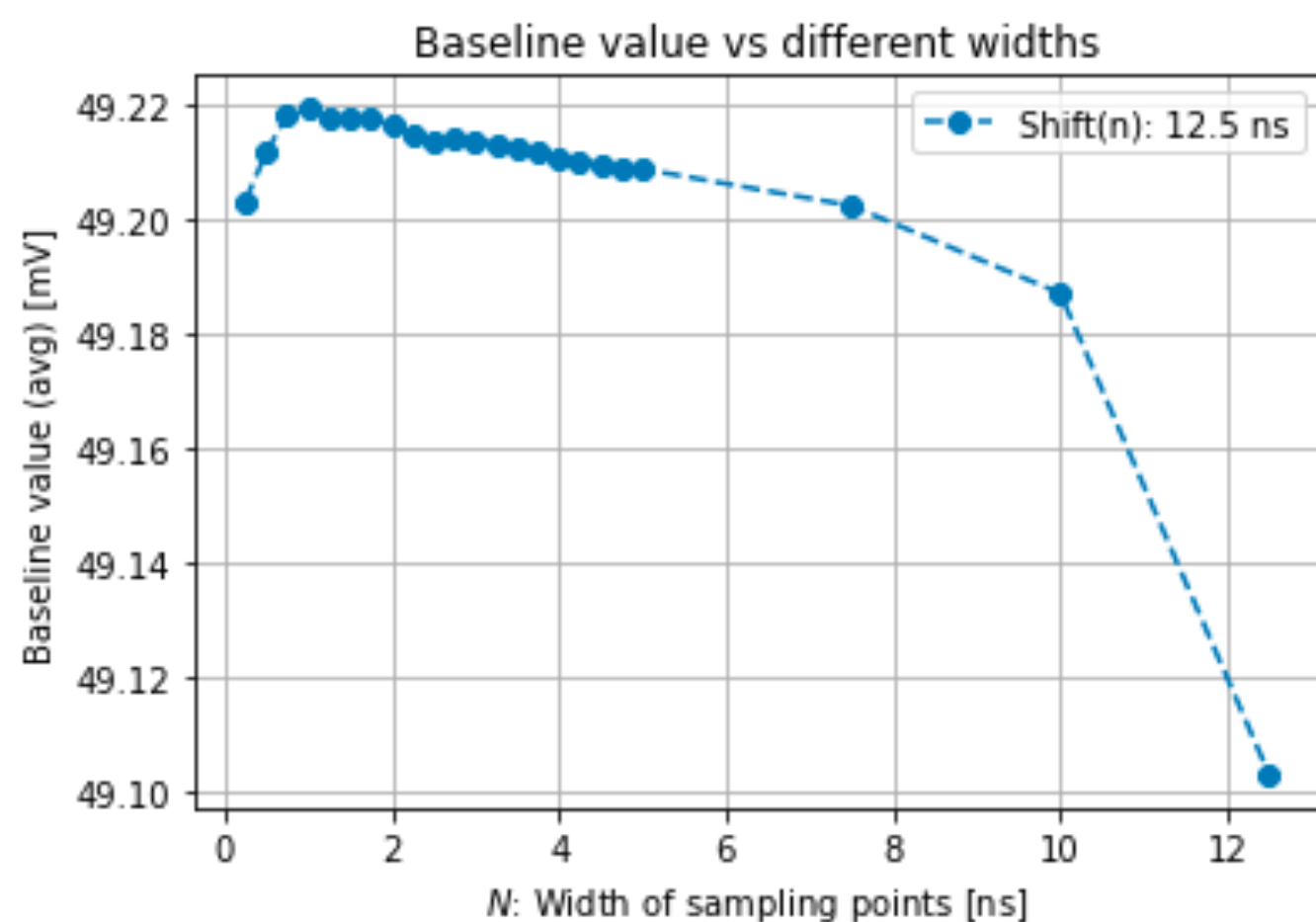
## Data Extraction

- **Baseline calculation:**

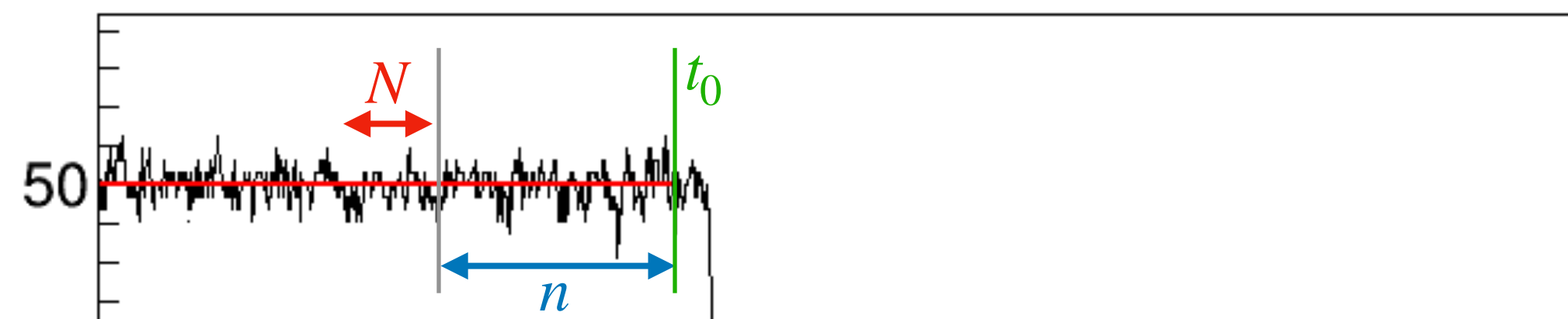
- Average value of  $N$  sampling points (**width**) counting from  $n$  ns **shifting** to  $t_0$



Baseline with different shift/sampling points



Baseline with different sampling points ( $N$ )

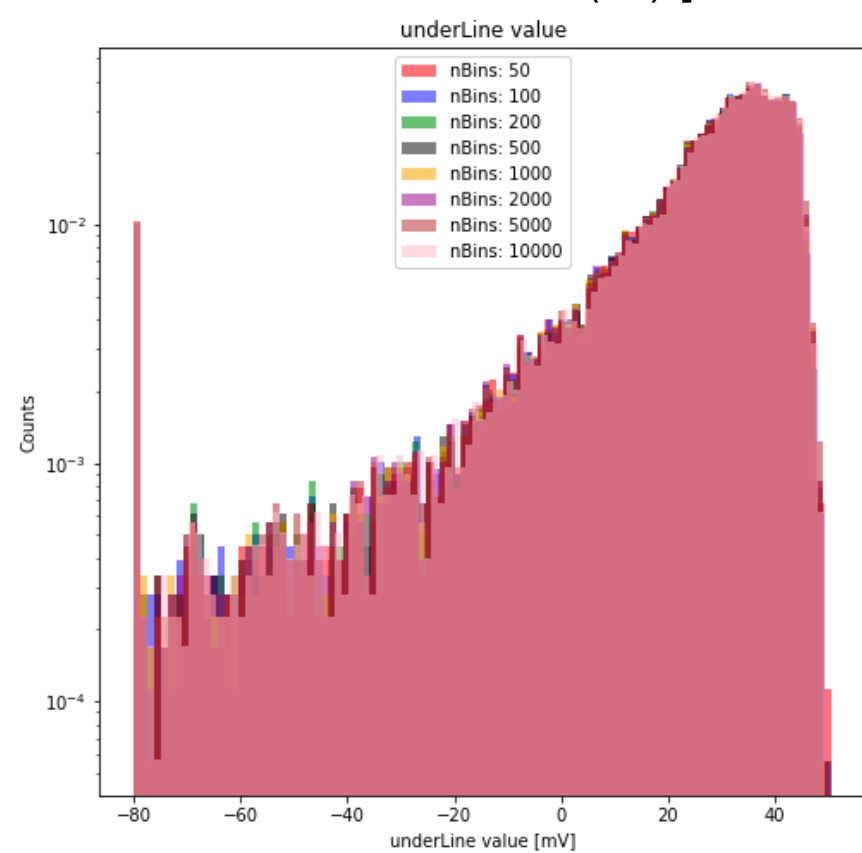
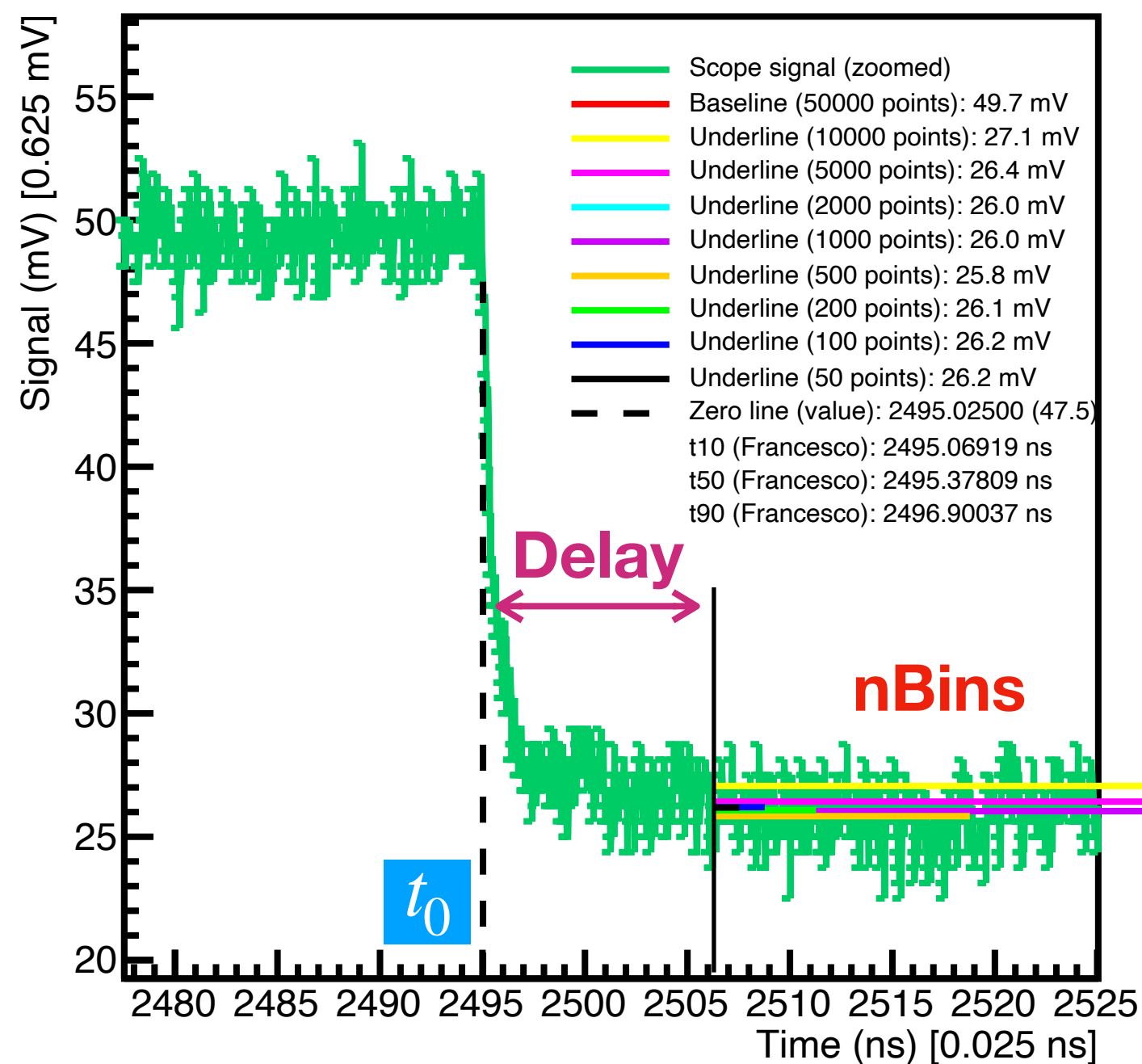


Baseline calculation example with  $t_0$ ,  $n$  shifting,  $N$  sampling

- Average value converges around 49.215 mV after **12.5 ns shift**
  - Standard deviation of sampling points: **~1.6 mV**
- Average baseline vs various sampling points ( $N$ , width)
  - The value has the **maximum at 1 ns width**.
    - Relatively stable until 5 ns
    - **Between 0.75 and 2 ns** will be suitable.

## Data Extraction

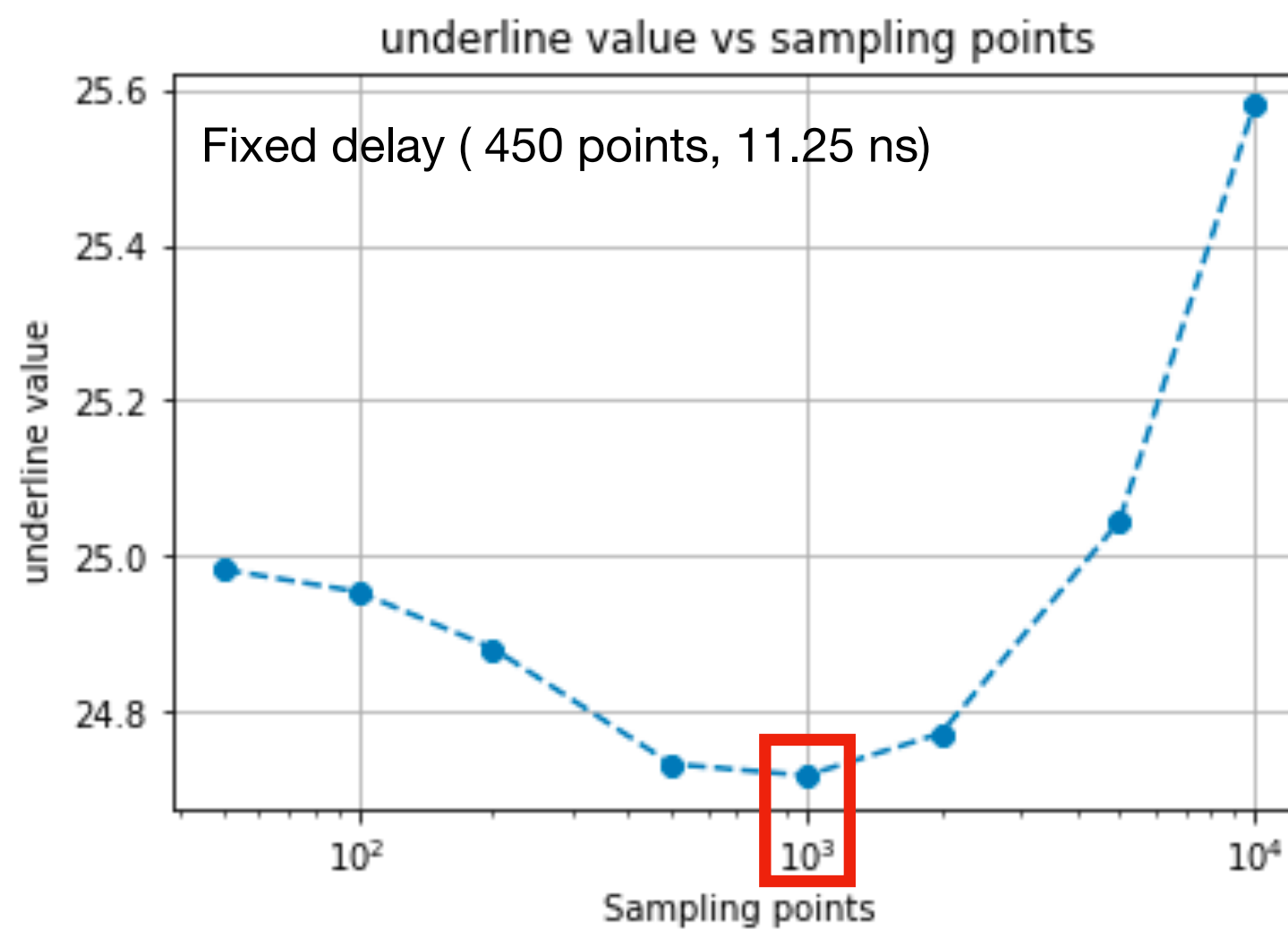
Ch:2, event:272175495



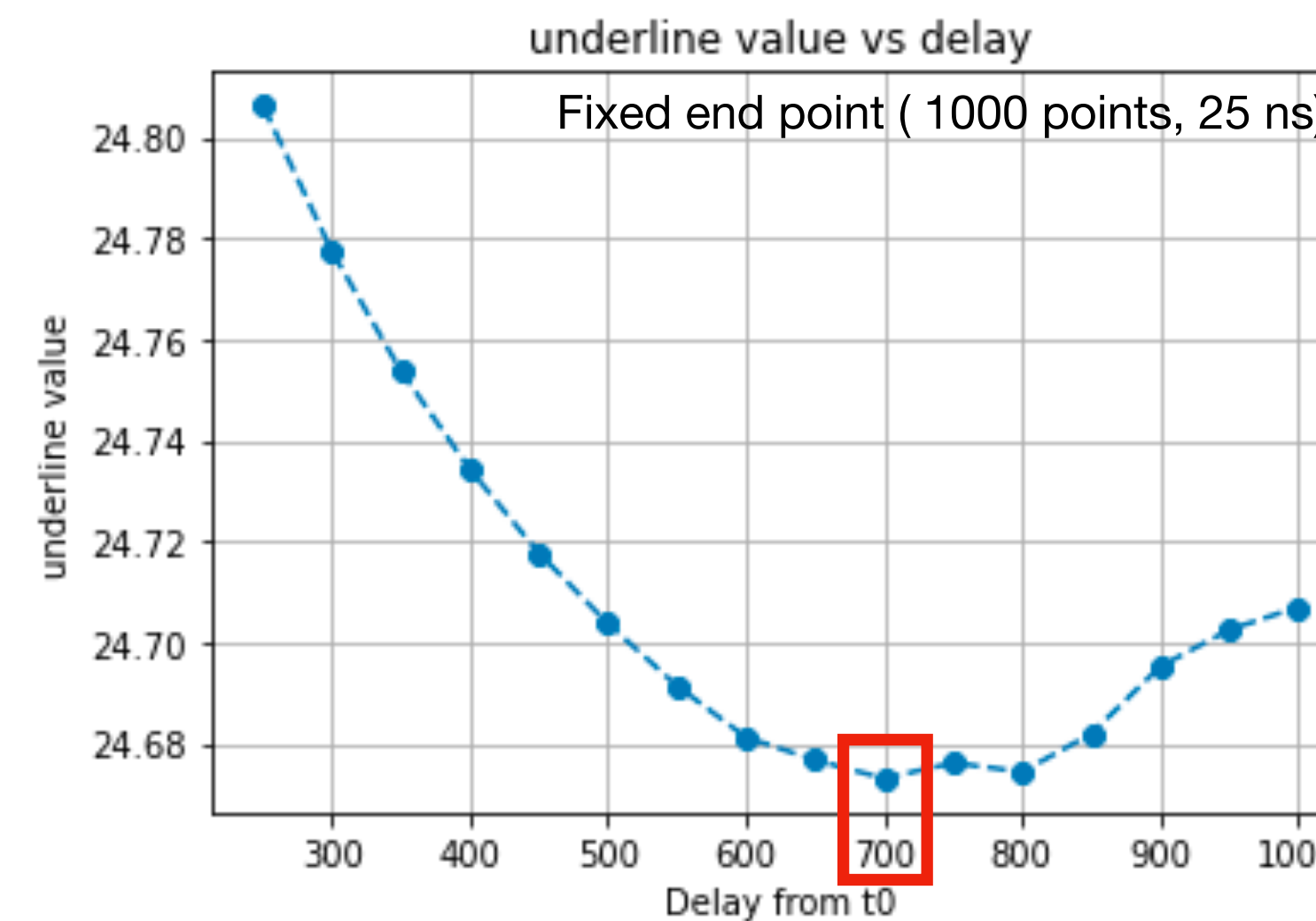
Histograms with nBins

### Underline

- Underline values are determined based on [the relative starting point from  \$t\_0\$](#) .
- Similar to the determination of baseline
  - But the falling signal has a **tail** - need to put a **delay**
- Dependency on the delay and nBins studied (below 2 plots)

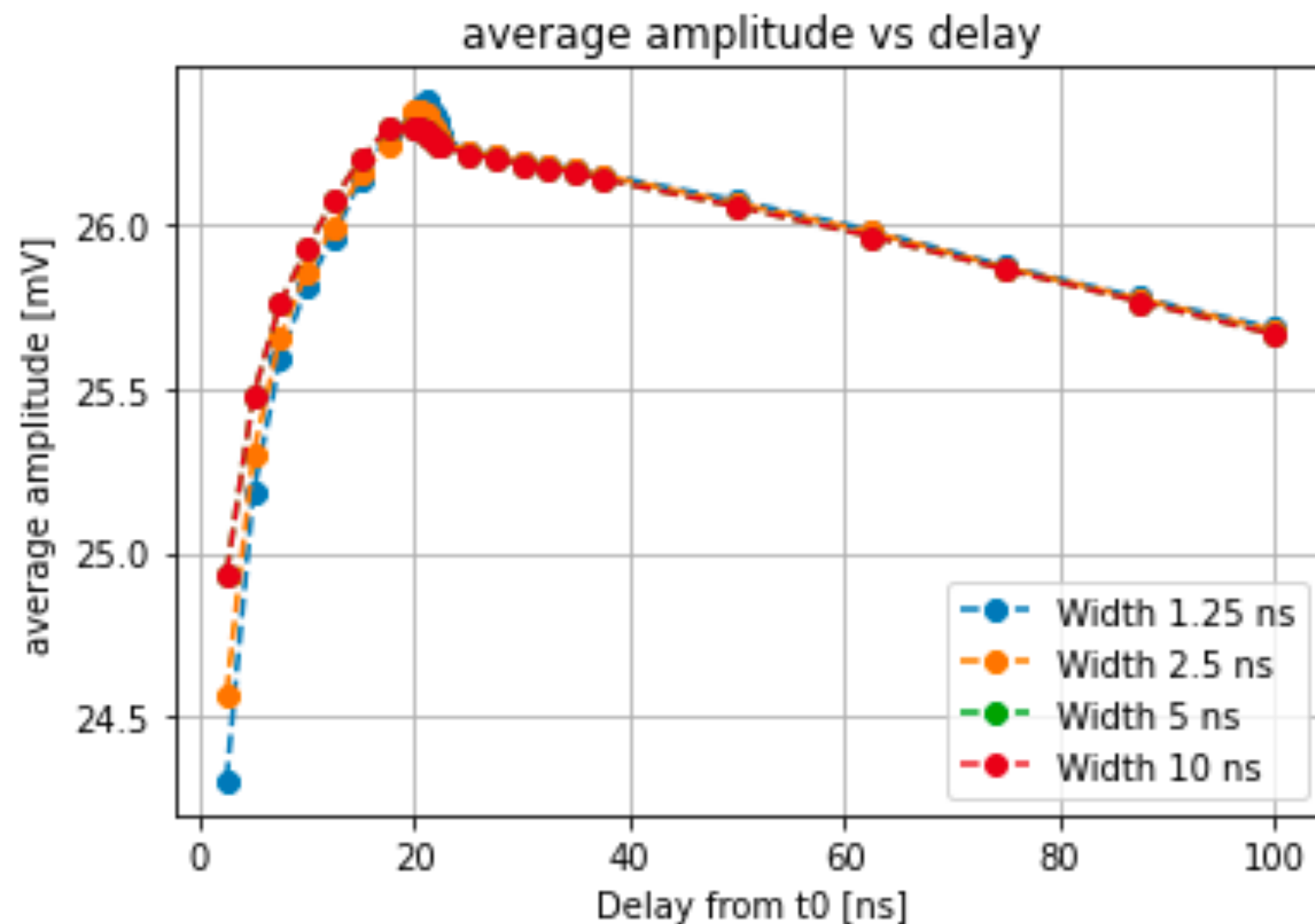


Mean vs N sampling point

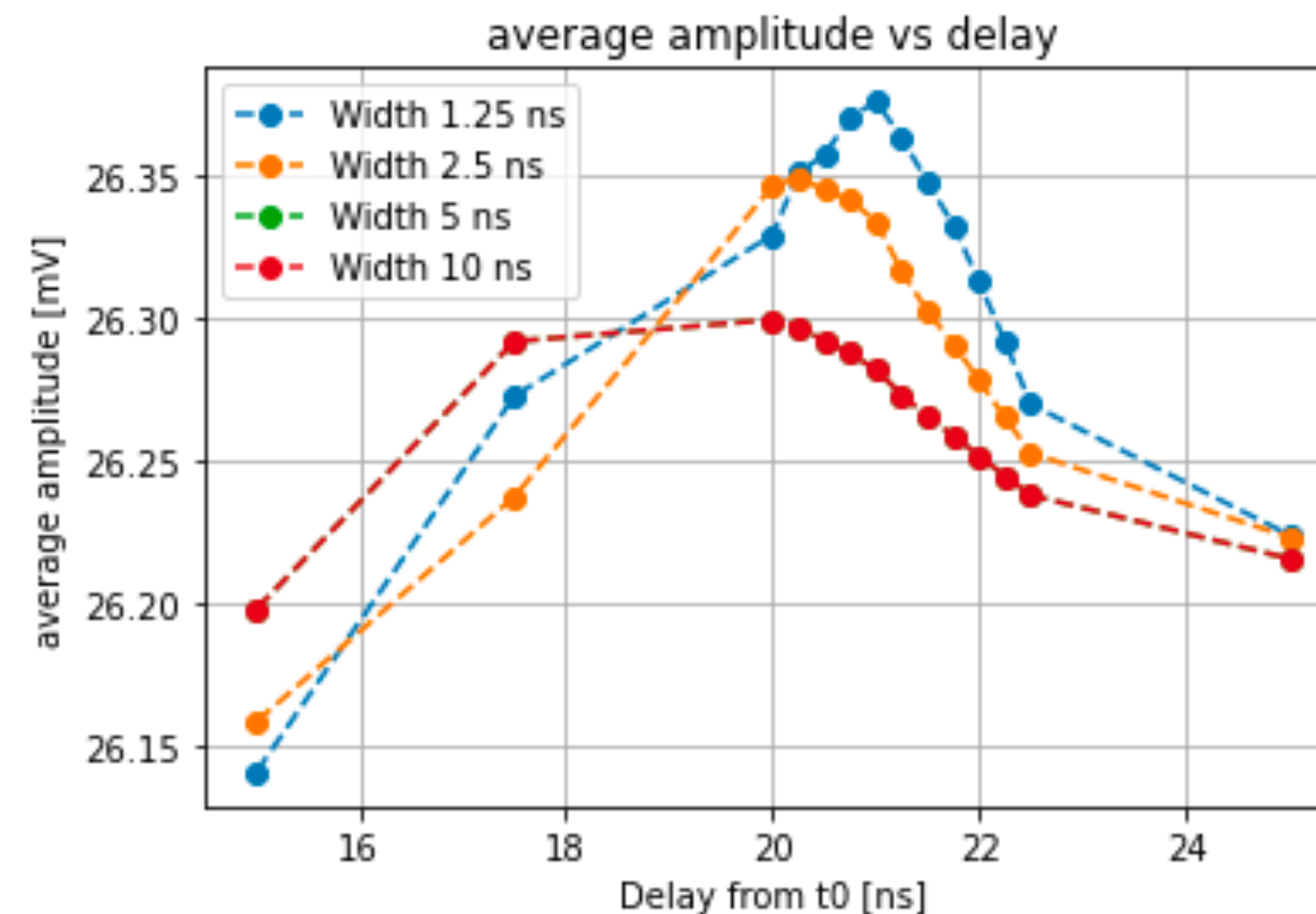


Mean vs delay

Baseline: 5 ns from  $t_0$  + 5 ns sampling



Cumulated signal



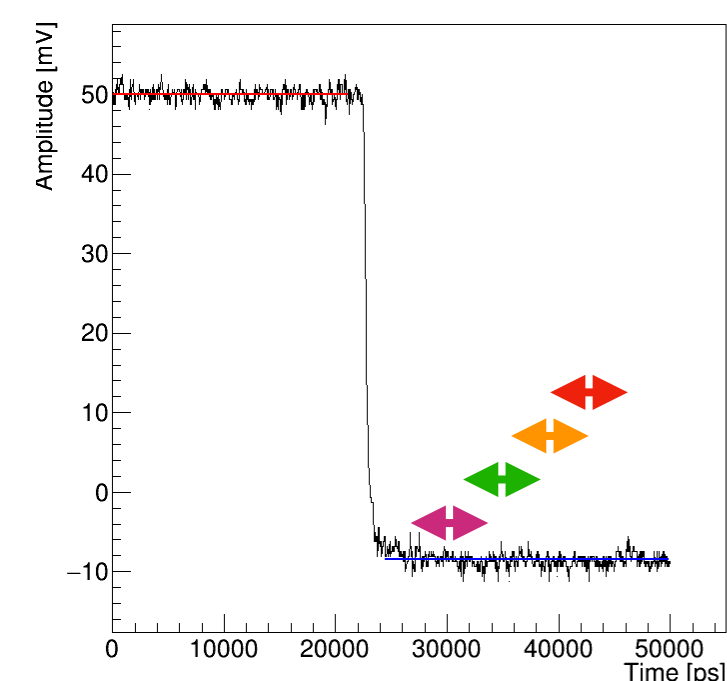
Zoom up around 21 ns delay

- **Maximum amplitude point scan**

- The maximum amplitude can be obtained when the underline value is the minimum.
  - The signal decreases continuously even after rapid fall.

- **The maximum point can be found around 21 ns delay (1.25 ns width)**

- If we choose around 200 sampling points (10 ns), the between 17.5 to 20 ns will be stable.



Delay variation of underline  
(fixed width as 1.25 ns)

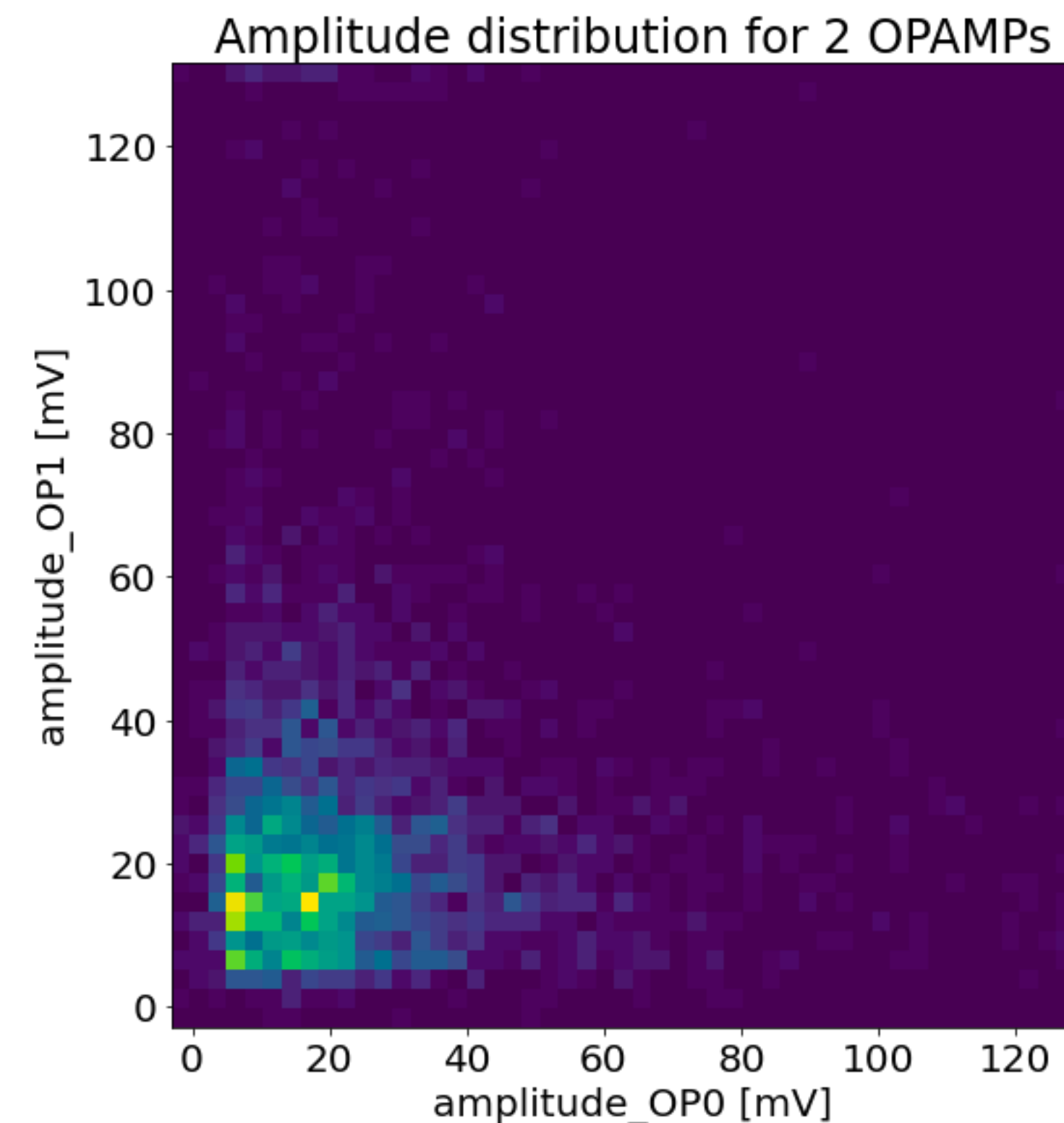
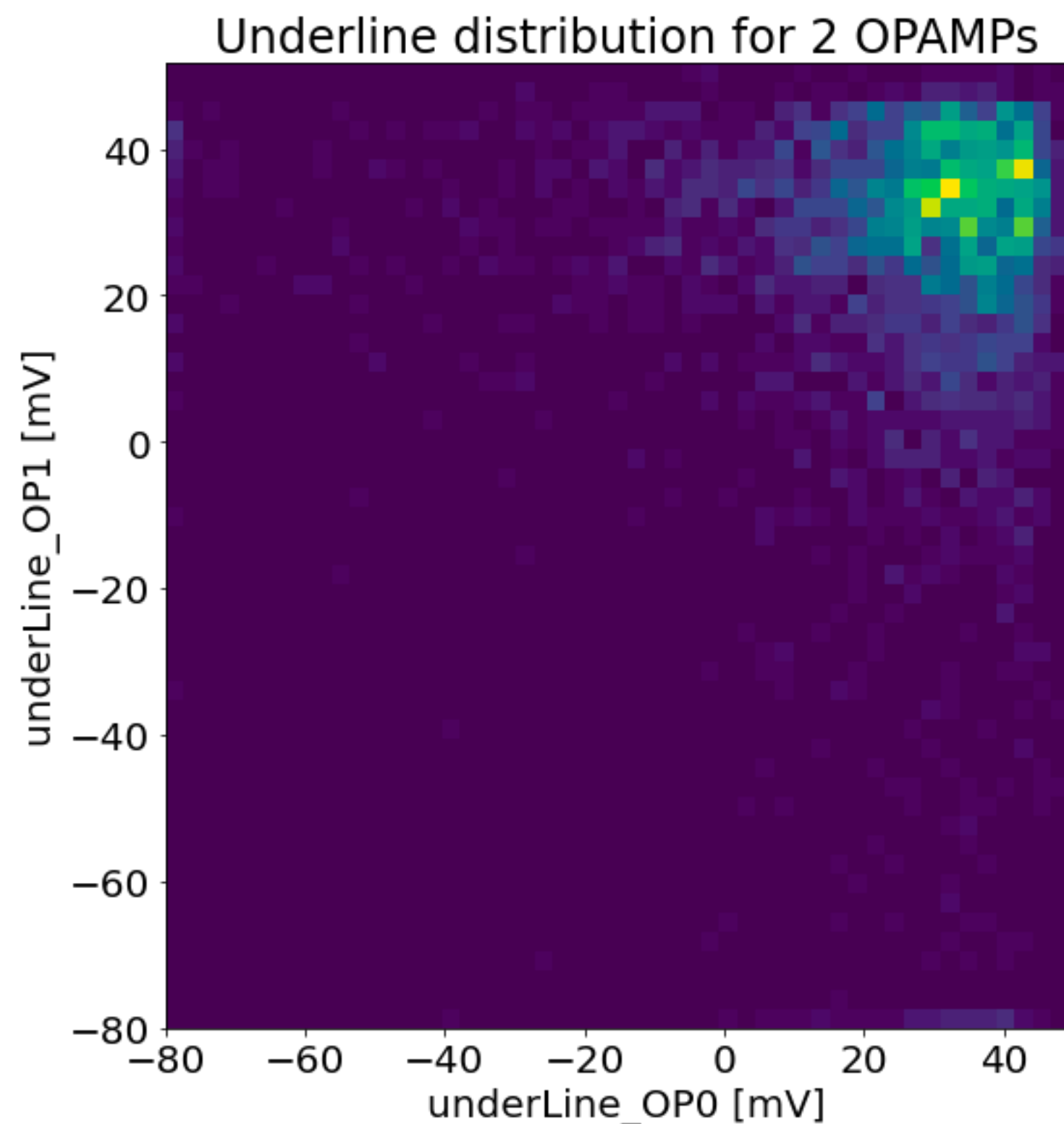
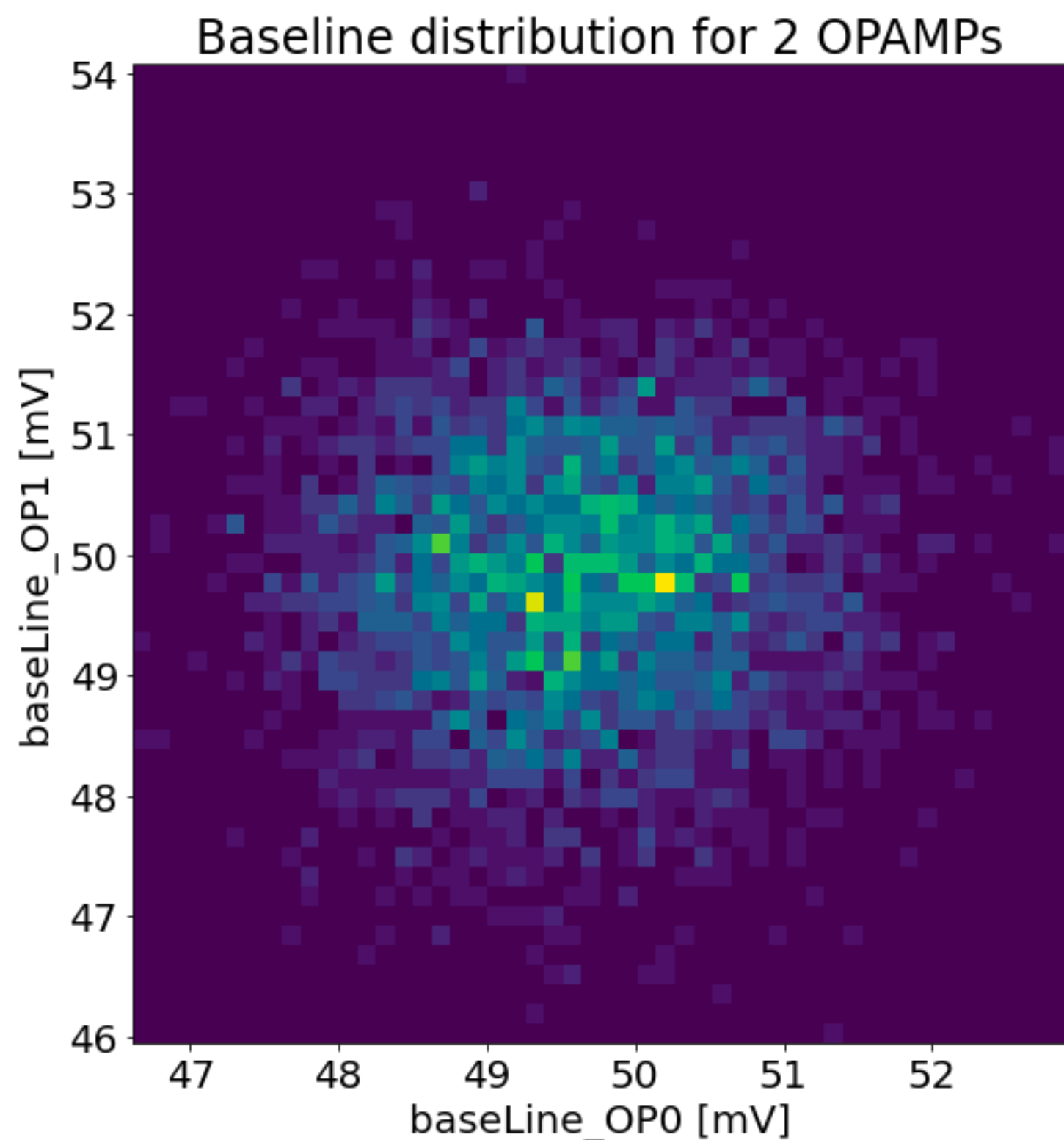
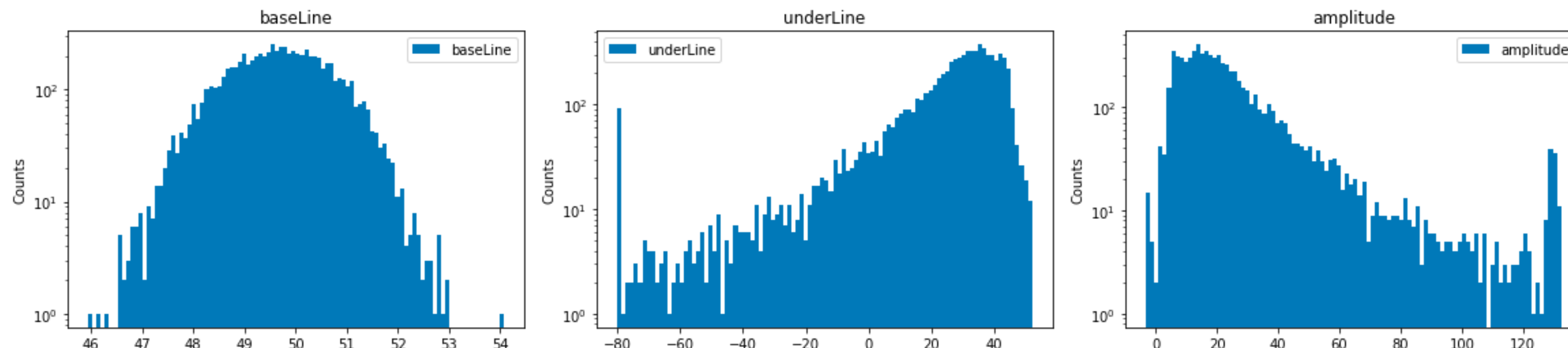
# Extraction#5: Basic selections

## Data Extraction

- **Basic selections (applied both OPAMPs):**

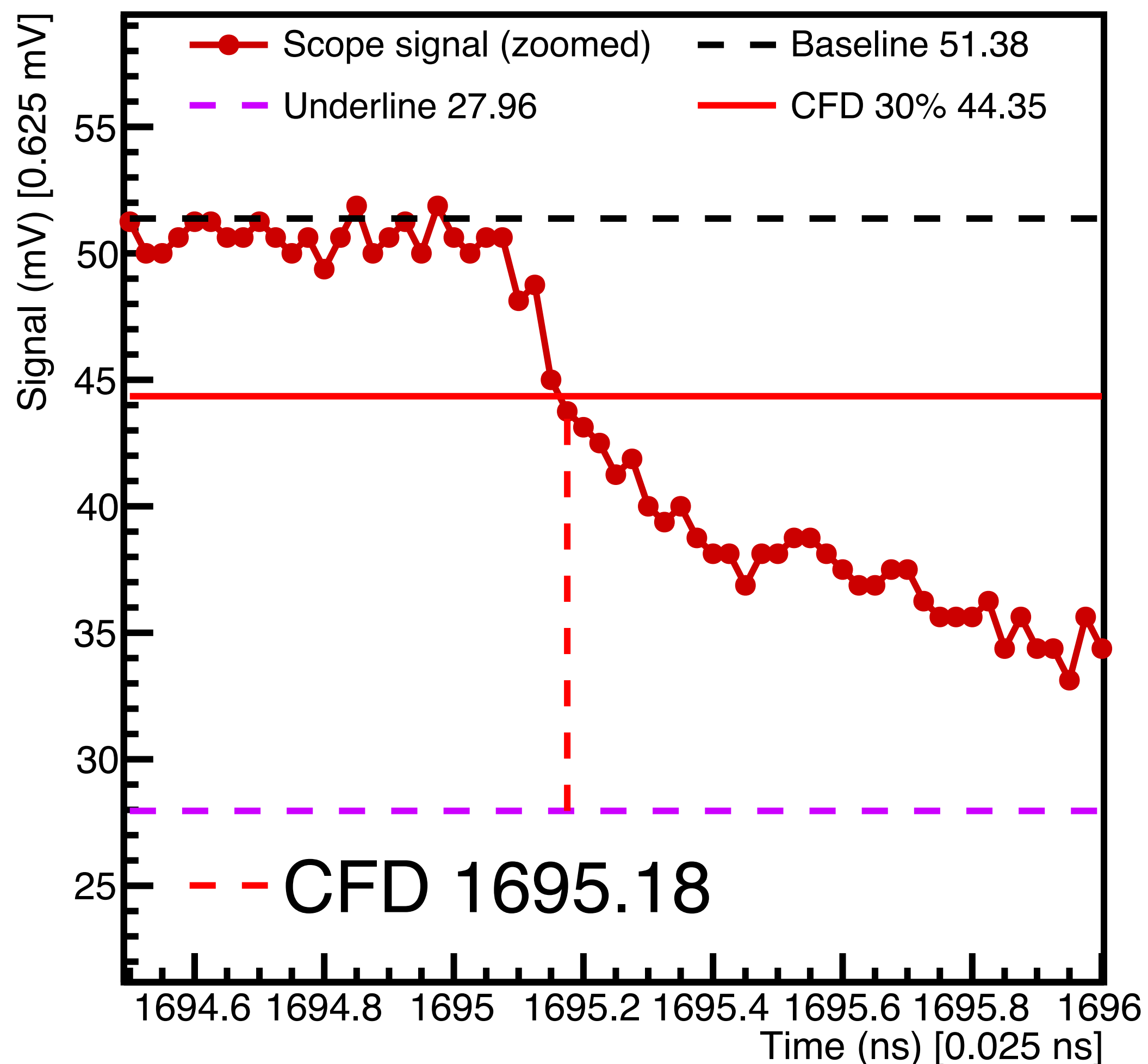
- $45 \text{ mV} < \text{baseline} < 55 \text{ mV}$  (not affecting)
- Underline  $> -79 \text{ mV}$  (overflow)
- Amplitude  $> 8.75 \text{ mV}$

- **Entries:** Original(3345)  $\rightarrow$  underline selection (3278)  $\rightarrow$  amplitude selection (2287)



**Data Extraction** Numerical computation with most simplest approach

Ch:0, event:266143379

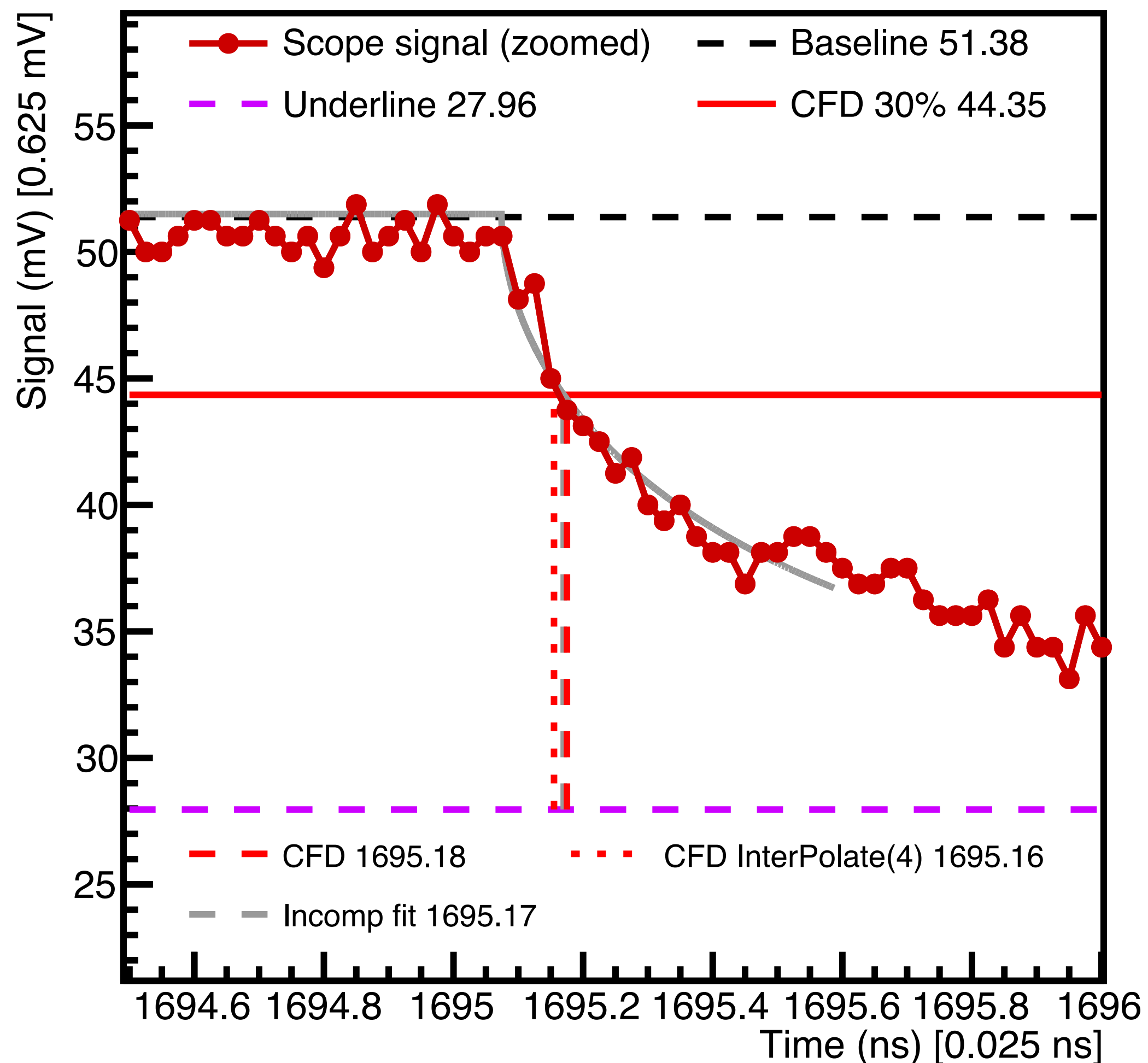


- **Constant Fraction Discriminator (CFD)**
- **Process:**
  - Scan the data point from left(or right)
  - Compare the point with a reference value (eg. CFD 30%)
    - **If the value is lower (higher) than the reference, use the time stamp as a CFD time stamp.**
    - If we have more than one point, **use the centre of these points.**
- Used scan signal amplitude fractions for this study: **10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60%**
- As a systematic trial, also try to use the average x position between 2 points crossing the reference value.



## Data Extraction

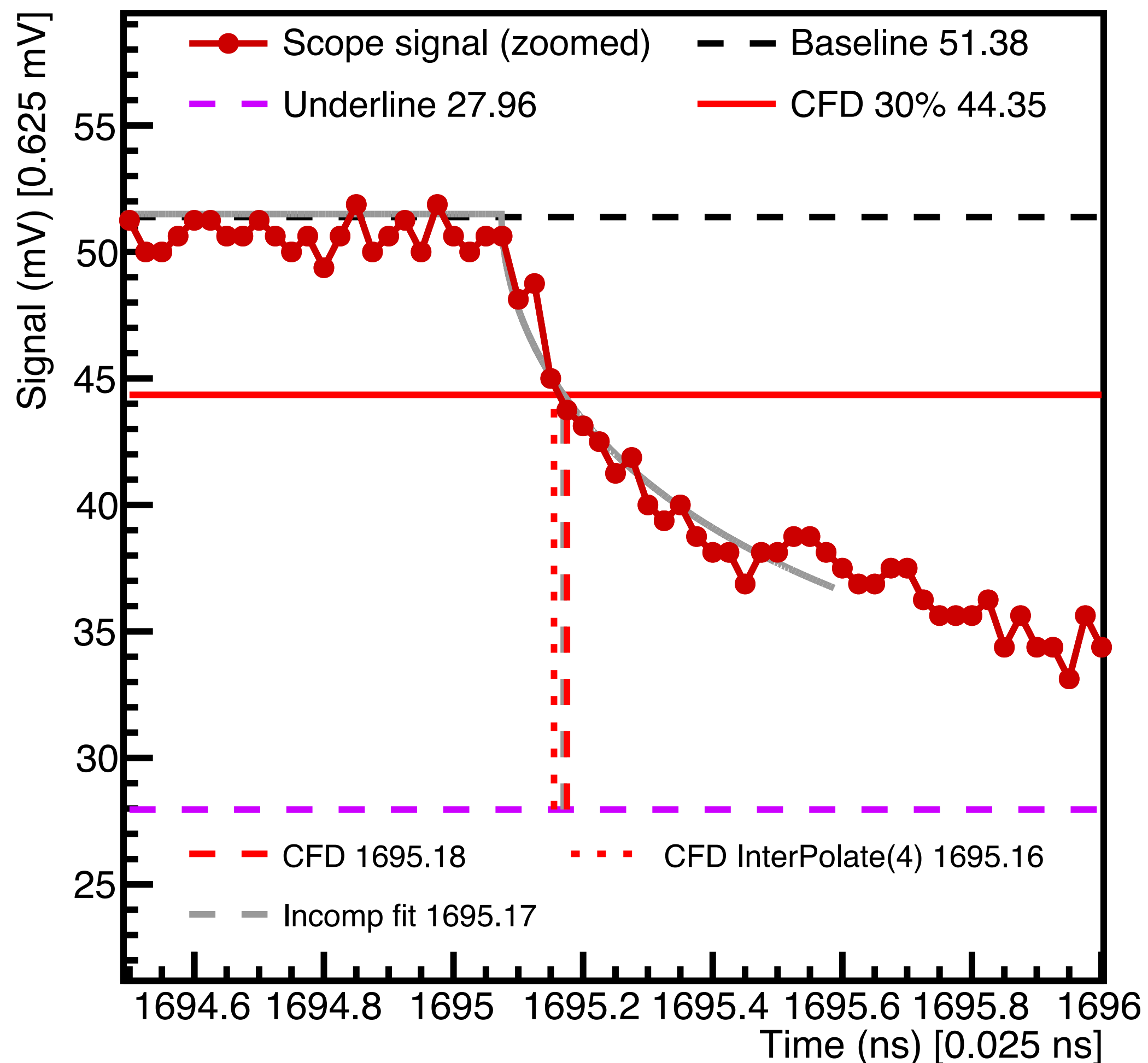
Ch:0, event:266143379



- Similar to the simple CFD approach but considers **neighbourhoods**.
  - default: 4 points before/after the point
  - Systematic checks: 1,2,3,4(default) variation + backwards(4)
- Interpolation method: **Linear Regression**
  - Assume: the slope will have a linear trend in local region
 
$$y = ax + b$$
    - $$b = \frac{(\sum y)(\sum x^2) - (\sum x)(\sum xy)}{n(\sum s^2) - (\sum x)^2}$$
    - $$a = \frac{n(\sum xy) - (\sum x)(\sum y)}{n(\sum x^2) - (\sum x)^2}$$
    - $$x = (y - b)/a$$
- Used scan signal amplitude fractions for this study: **10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60%**

## Data Extraction

Ch:0, event:266143379



- **Incomplete gamma fit:**

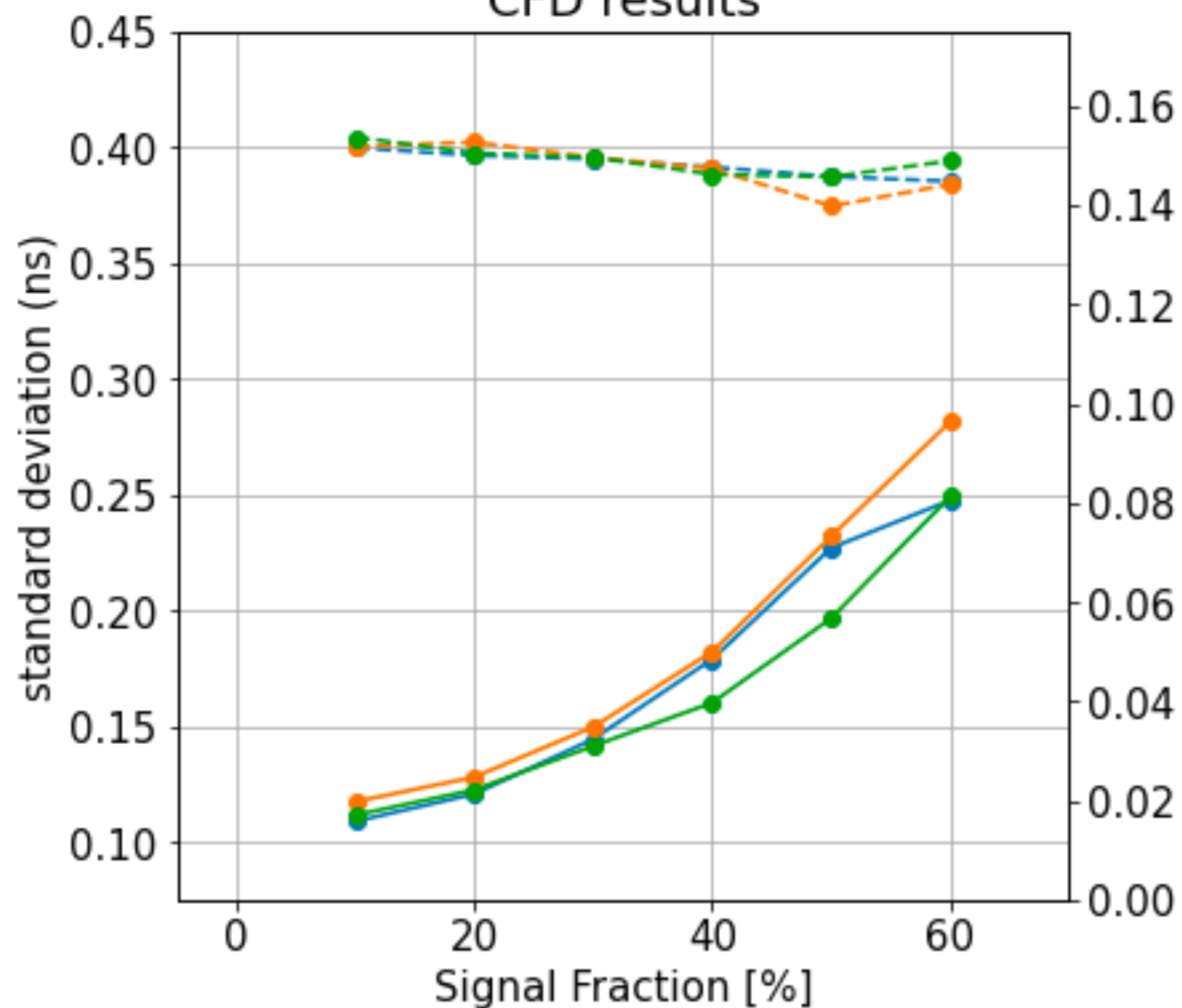
- Fit the total signal using the

$$F(t) = \begin{cases} c & t \leq t_0 \\ c - \Delta \cdot \gamma\left(\alpha, \frac{t-t_0}{\beta}\right) & t > t_0 \end{cases}$$

- 5 parameters ( $c, t_0, \Delta, \alpha, \beta$ )
- Reference: [Appendix.B, CERN-THESIS-2017-304](#)
- Extract the time stamp position based on fit function
- fit range variation
  - Full size
  - up to CFD 60% positions.
- Tested for comparison.

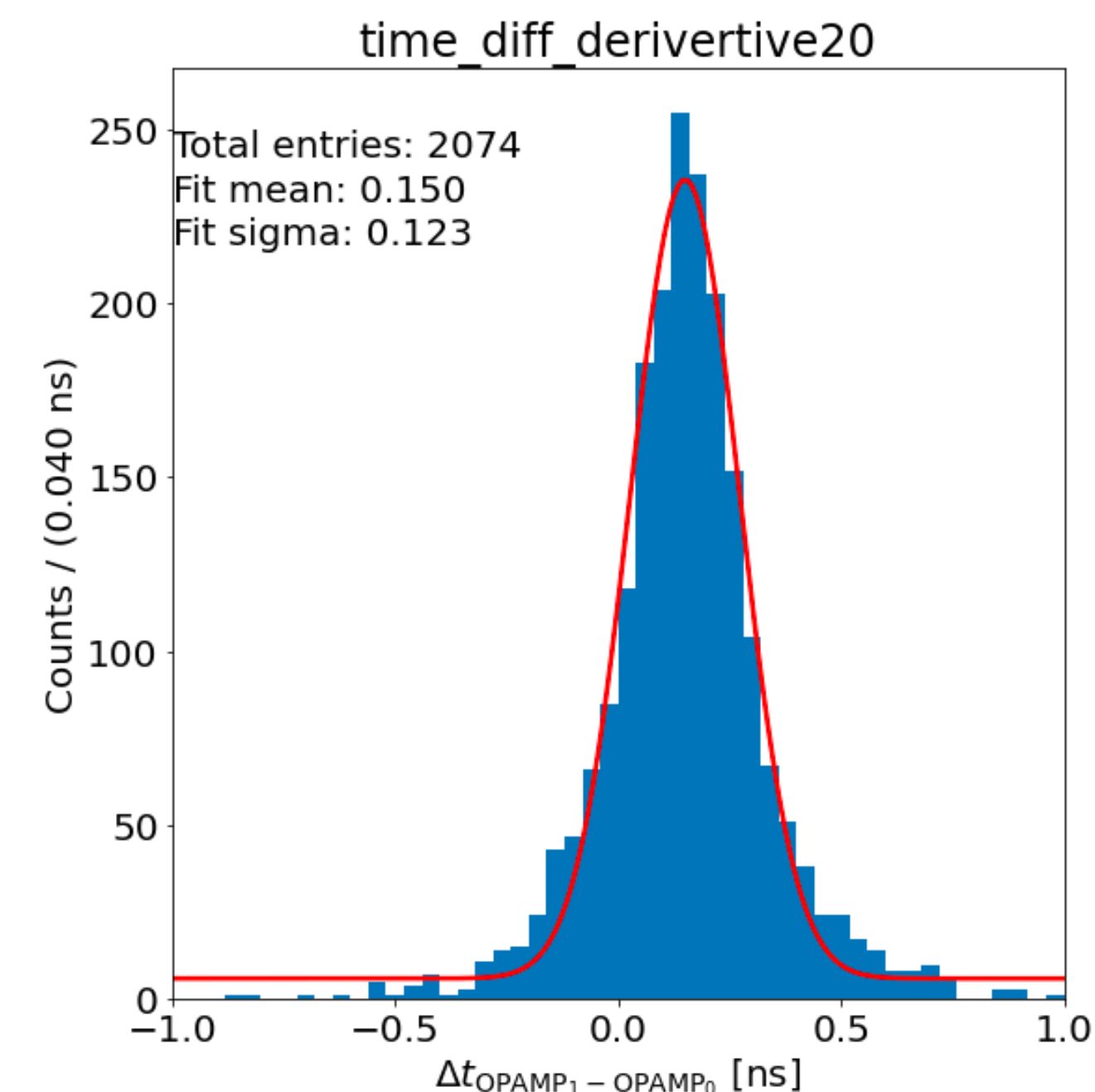
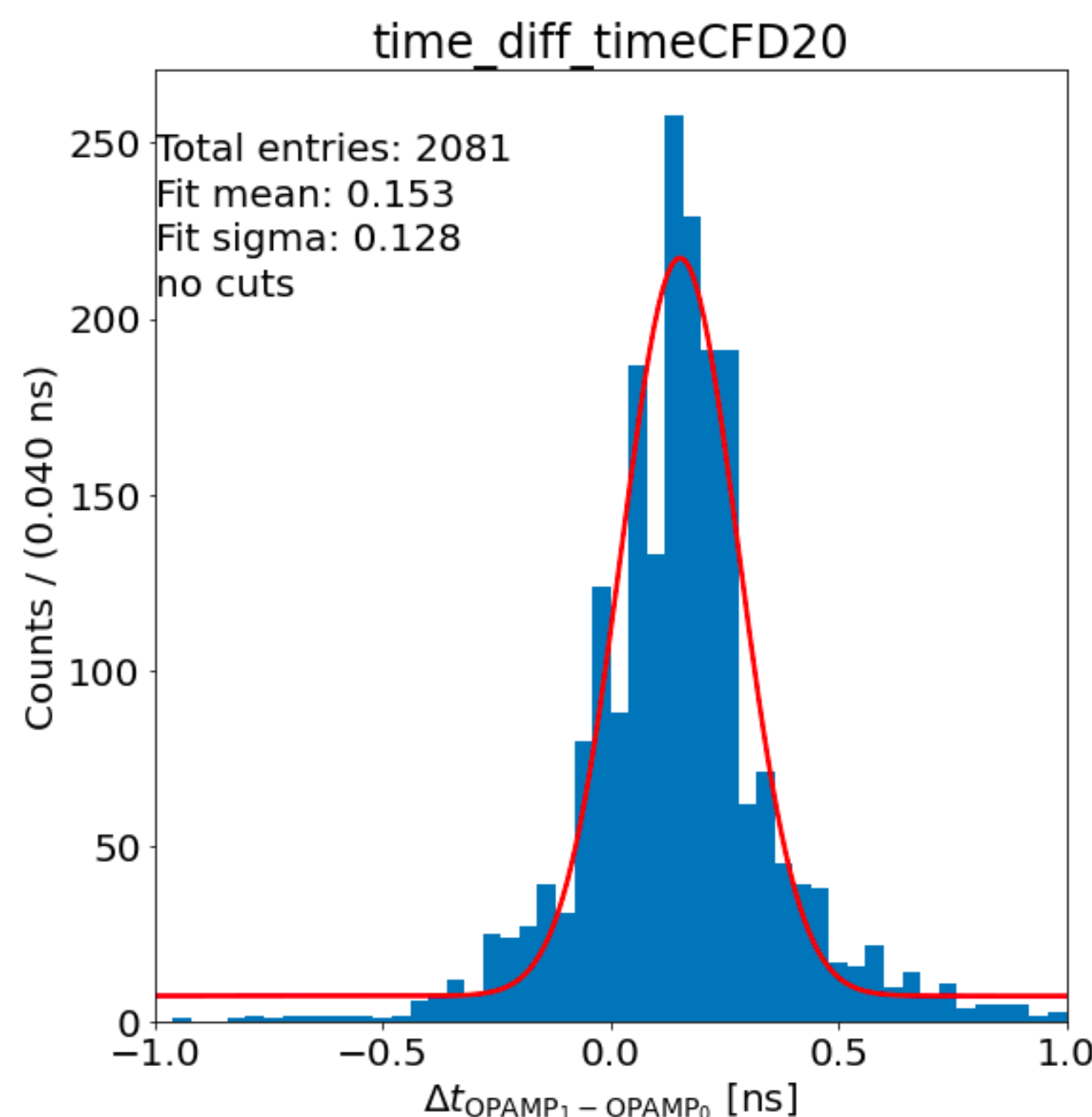
## Final plots

CFD results

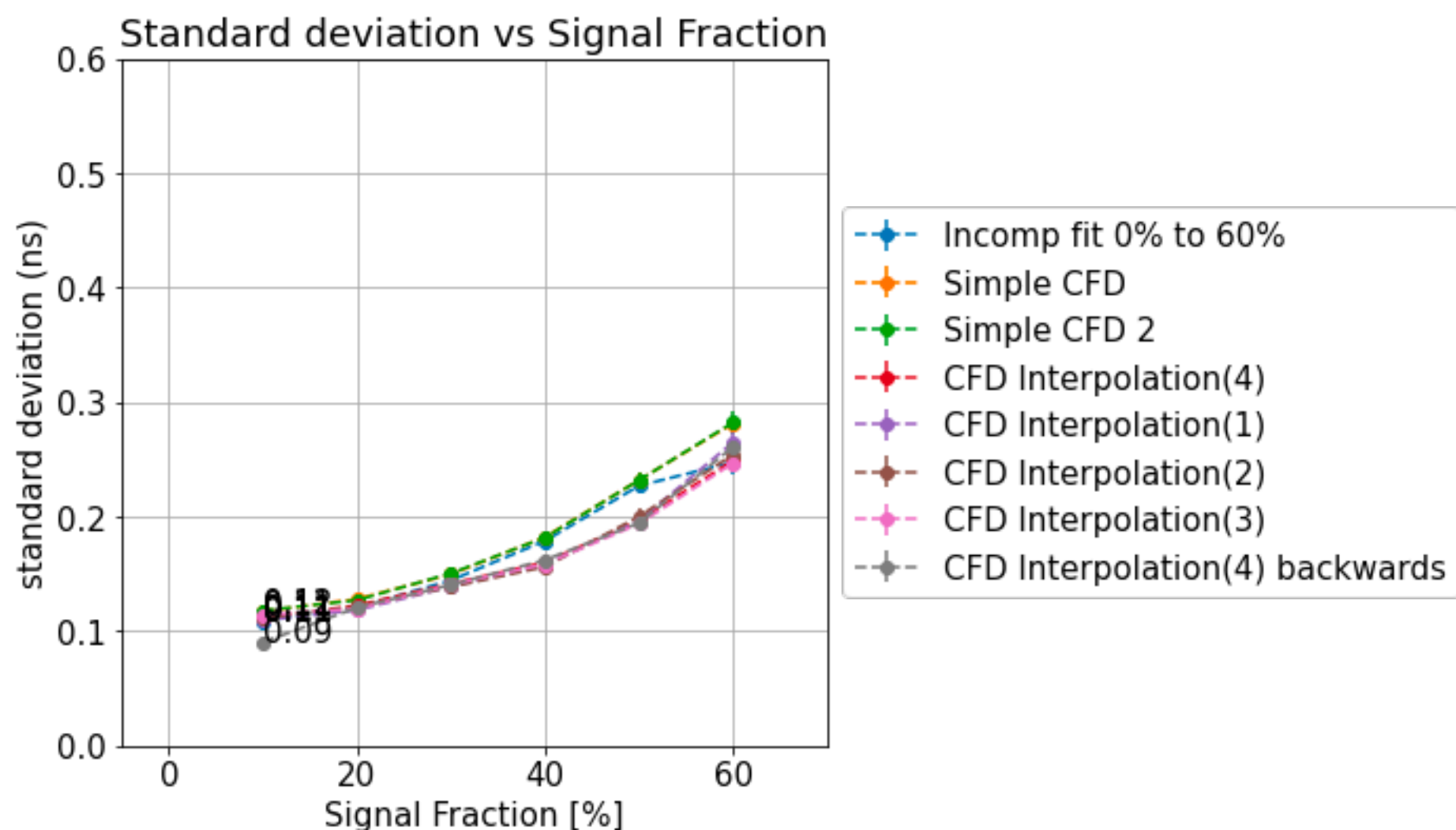


- Incomp fit 0% to 60%
- Simple CFD
- CFD Interpolation

- Time difference was calculated and fitted with gauss function.
  - eg.  $\Delta t_{30\%} = t_{30\%|OPAMP1} - t_{30\%|OPAMP0}$
  - Expected gauss mean:  $\sim 0.167$  ns ( $\sim 5$ cm interval with speed of light)
- The result extracted from the mean is roughly compatible with expected value
  - Gauss mean shows a small fluctuation.
  - Standard deviation from Gauss fit shows smallest value at 10% signal fraction.



## Final plots

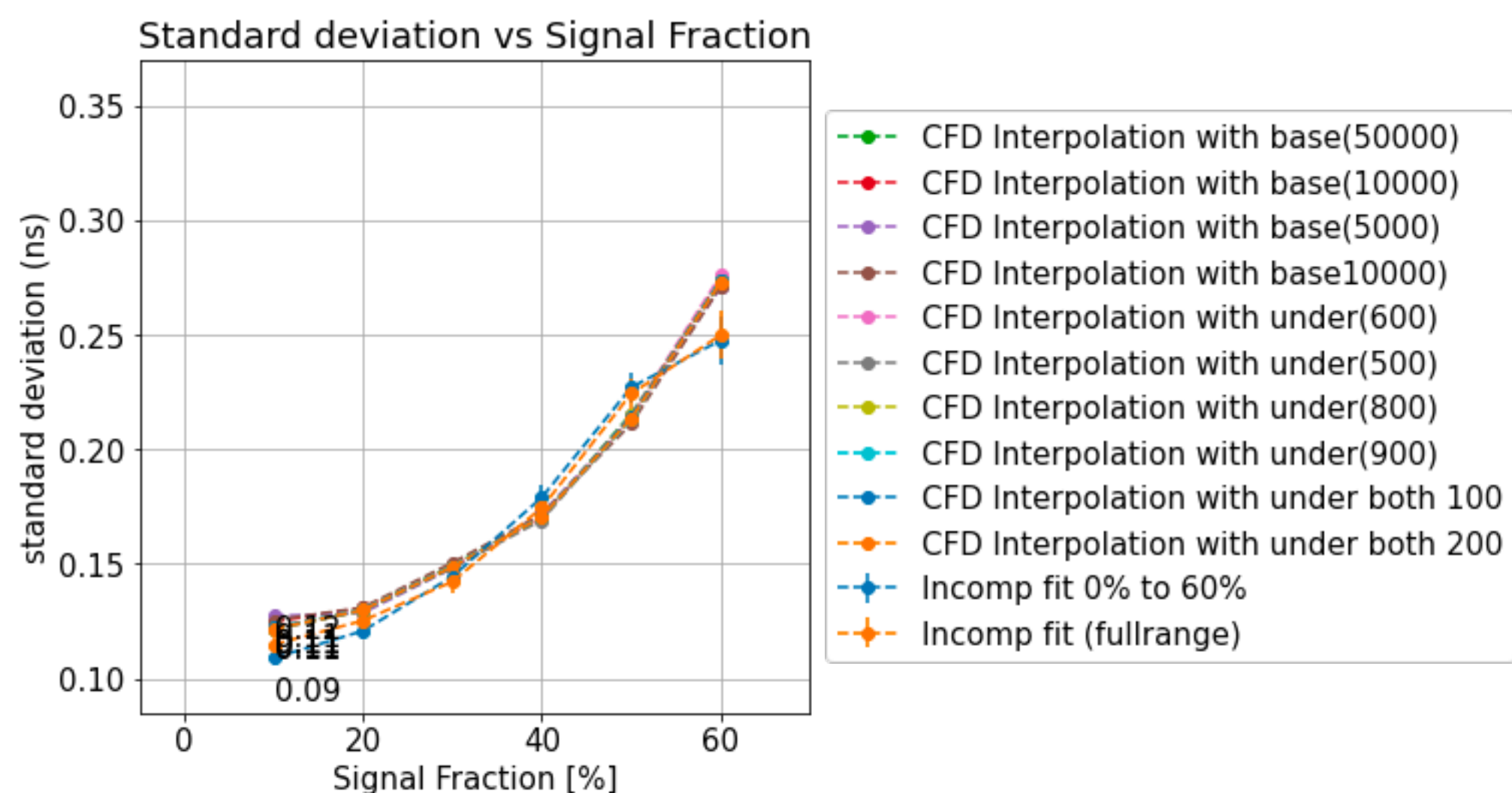


- **Systematic studies**

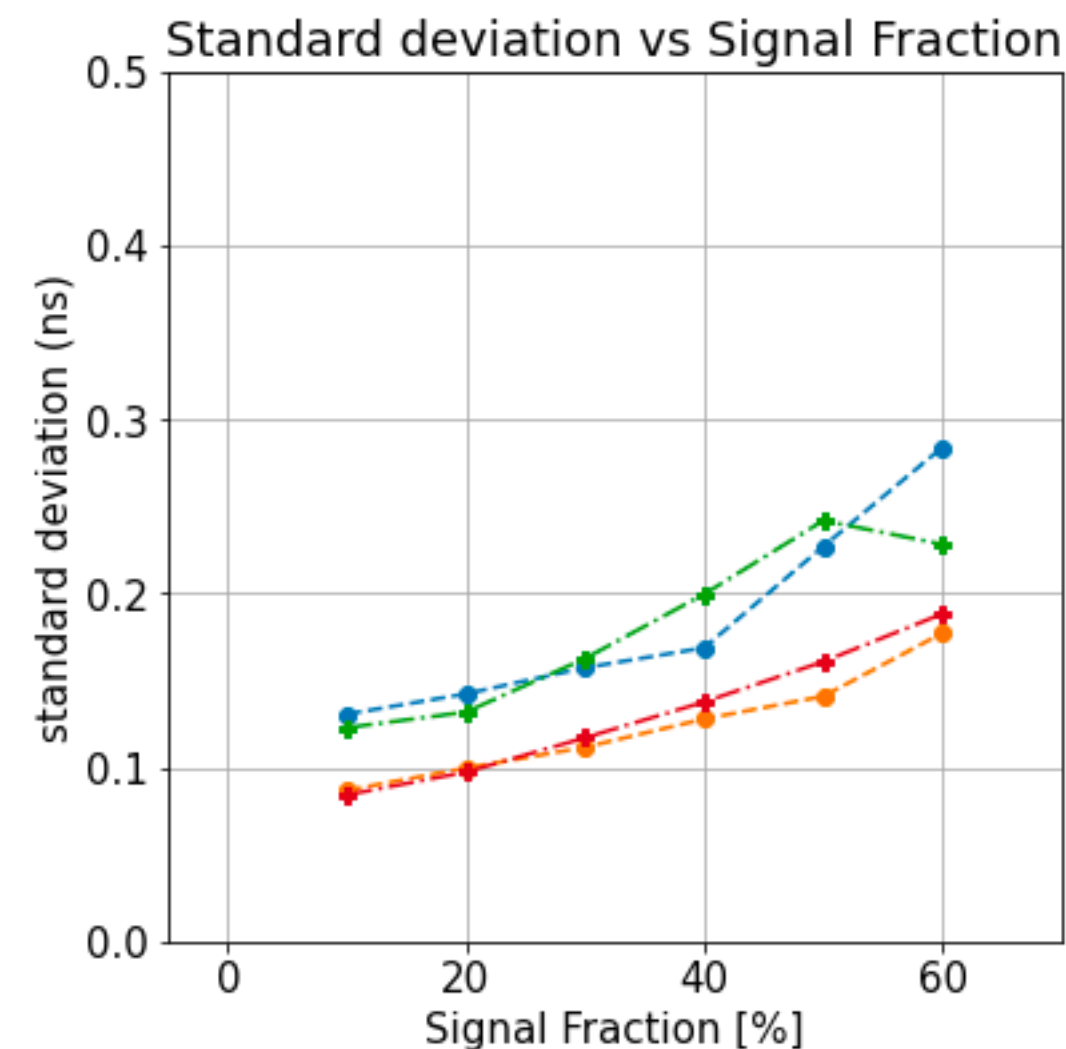
- Based on the previous analysis methods
- Incomplete gamma fit with full signal range
- Simple CFD2 - Using average between CFD value and before.
- CFD Interpolations - Using various intervals for the linear regression 1,2,3,4 with counting from backward
- CFD interpolation with various baseline and underline determination trials.
  - Baseline: 50000/10000/5000/1000 bins
  - Underline: try to move the window to left/right/both directions.

- They can be used as a systematic uncertainties.

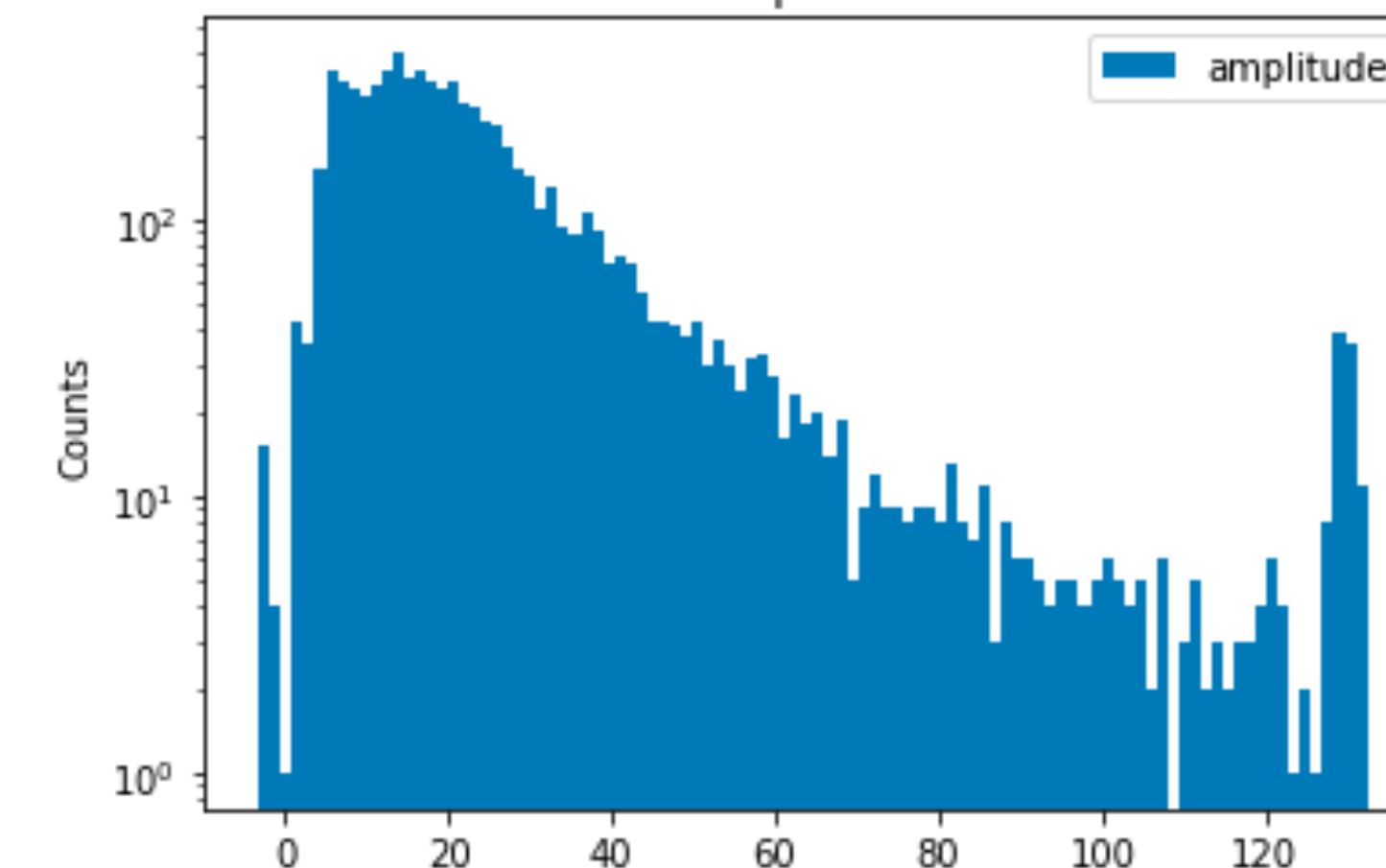
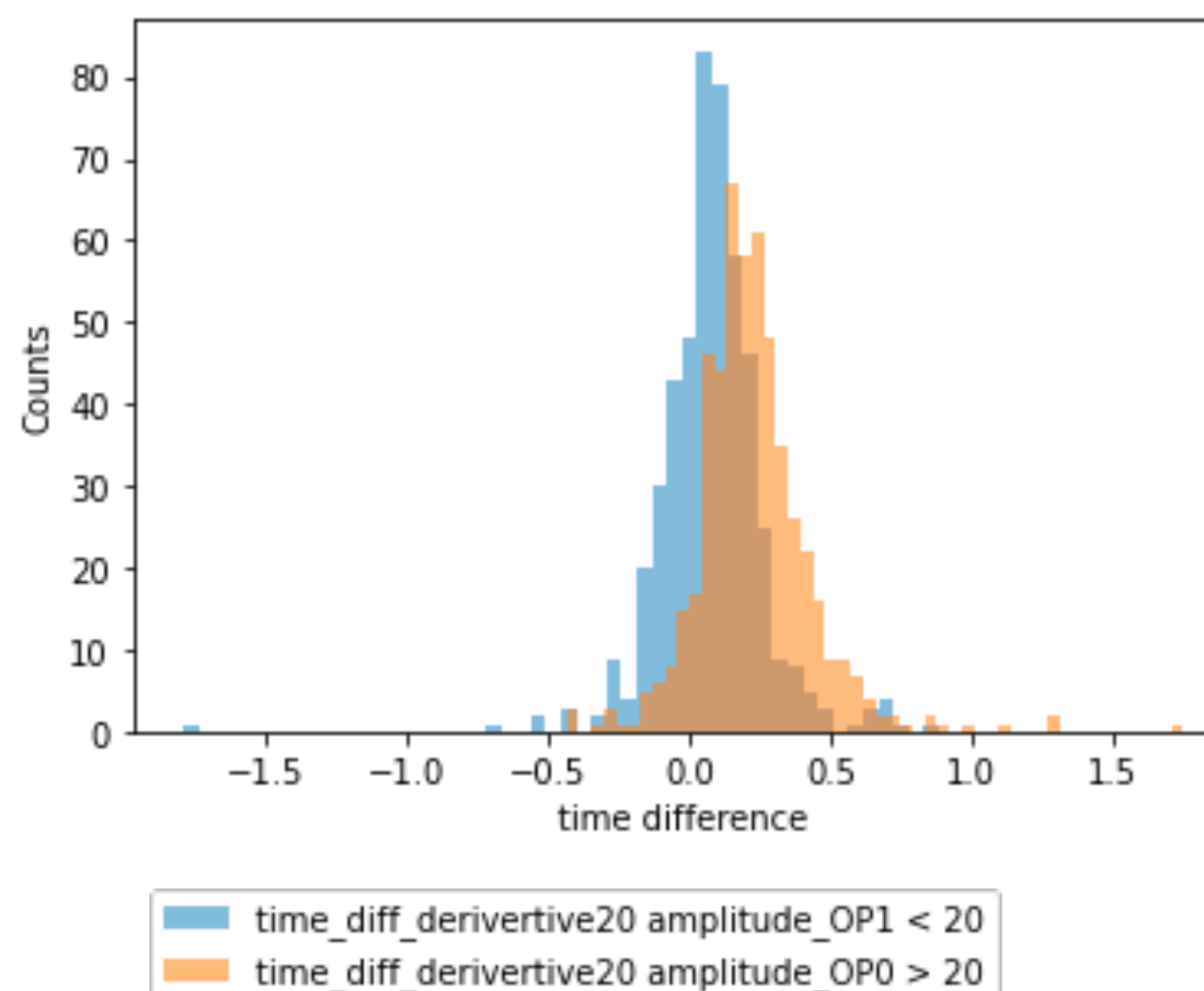
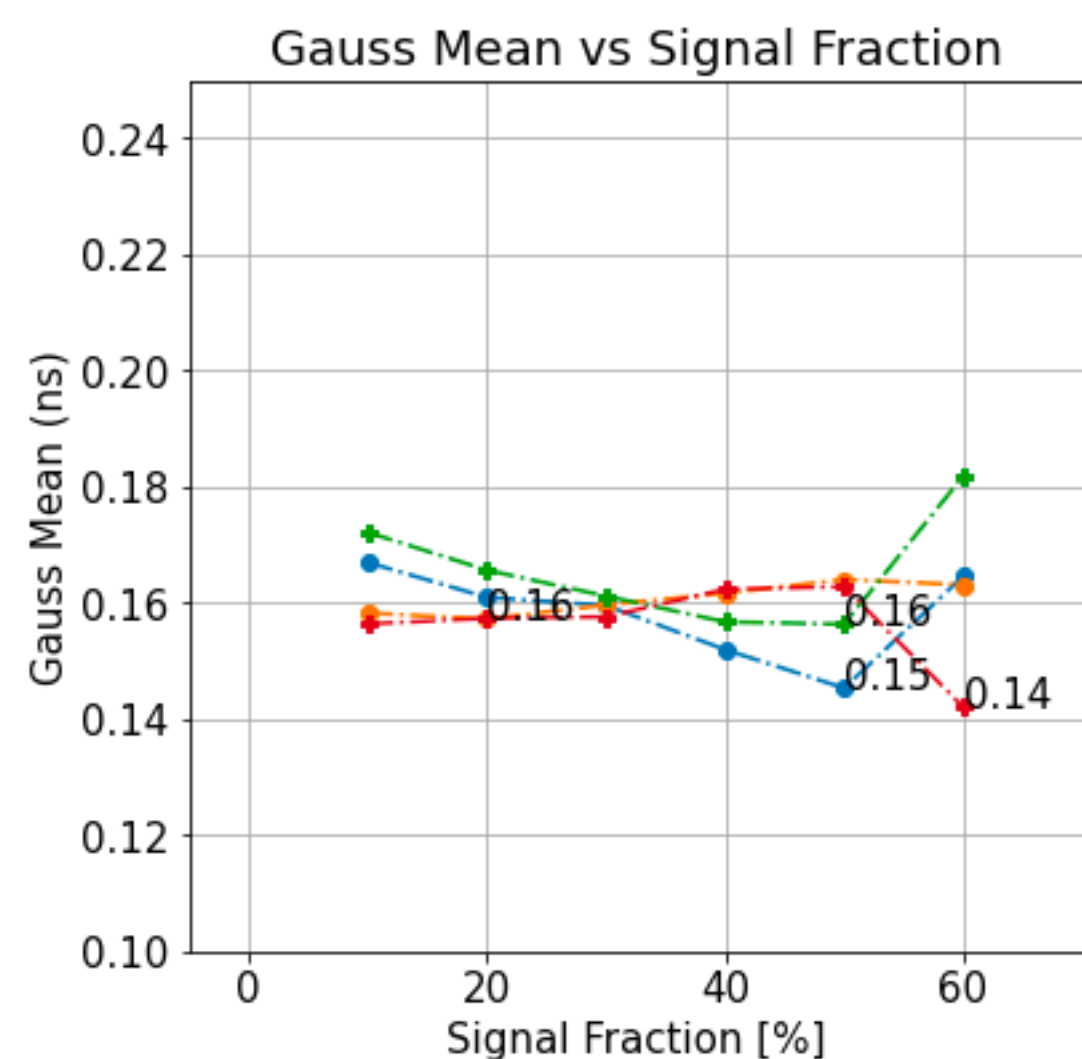
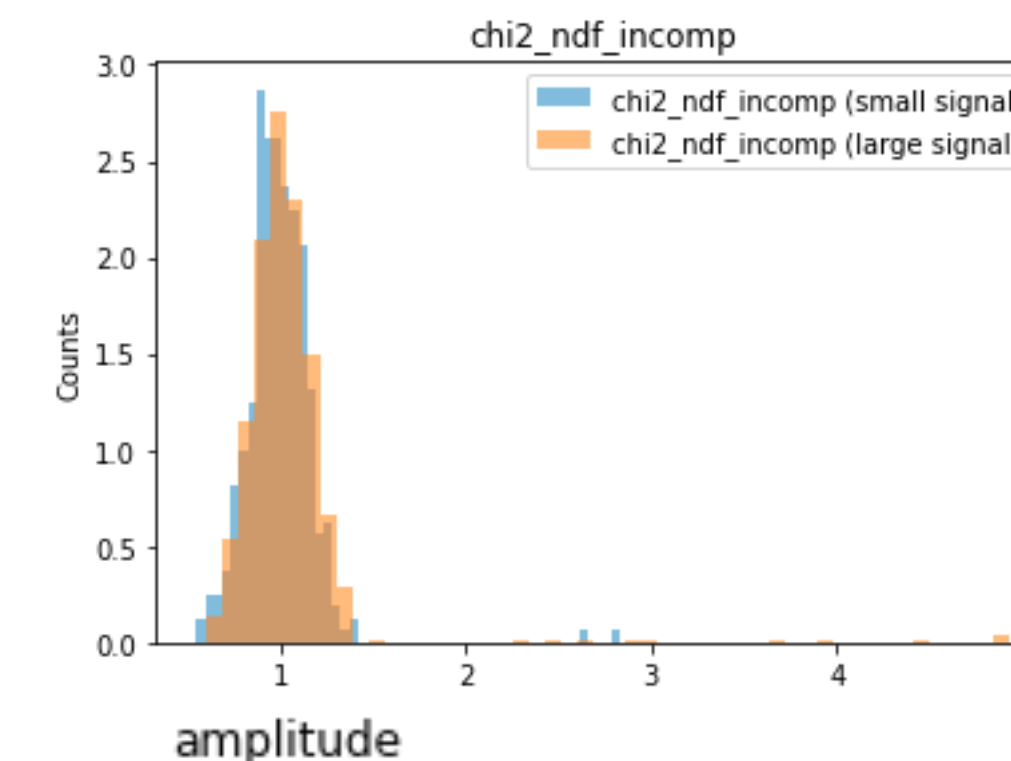
- 30% case looks stable.



## Final plots



- **Signal amplitude dependence**
  - Larger signal (> 20 mV) has systematically lower standard deviations.
    - Amplitude median: ~19 mV
  - Their mean values are compatible.
- Bad fit results due to the different signal shape?
  - > Fit  $\chi^2$  looks similar for these 2 types
  - This is not the case.
- Time difference shows clear difference.



- **TB analysis of APTS-OA time resolution has been performed.**
  - Conversion -> Extraction -> Analysis process
  - Determination of Baseline and Underline (Amplitude)
  - Time difference based on various methods are shown:
    - Simple CFD method
    - CFD method with interpolation
    - Fitting method
- **Outlook**
  - Detailed study of the dependence on the signal amplitude
  - Compute proper error estimation
    - Stat: ROOT Fit parameter uncertainty
    - Syst: Update based on the systematics studies

**Back up**

**Comparison of chip to carrier board connection  
between  
APTS-SF V1.1 and APST-OA V2**

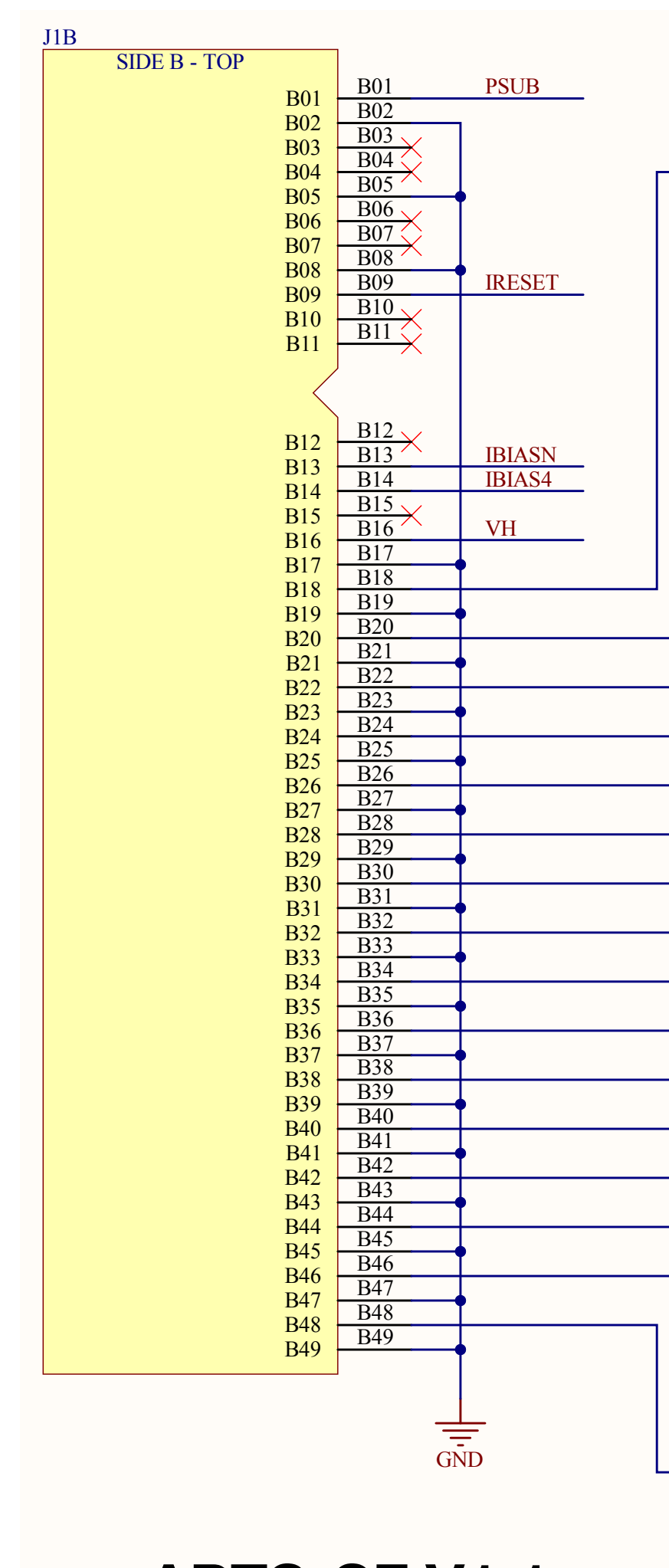
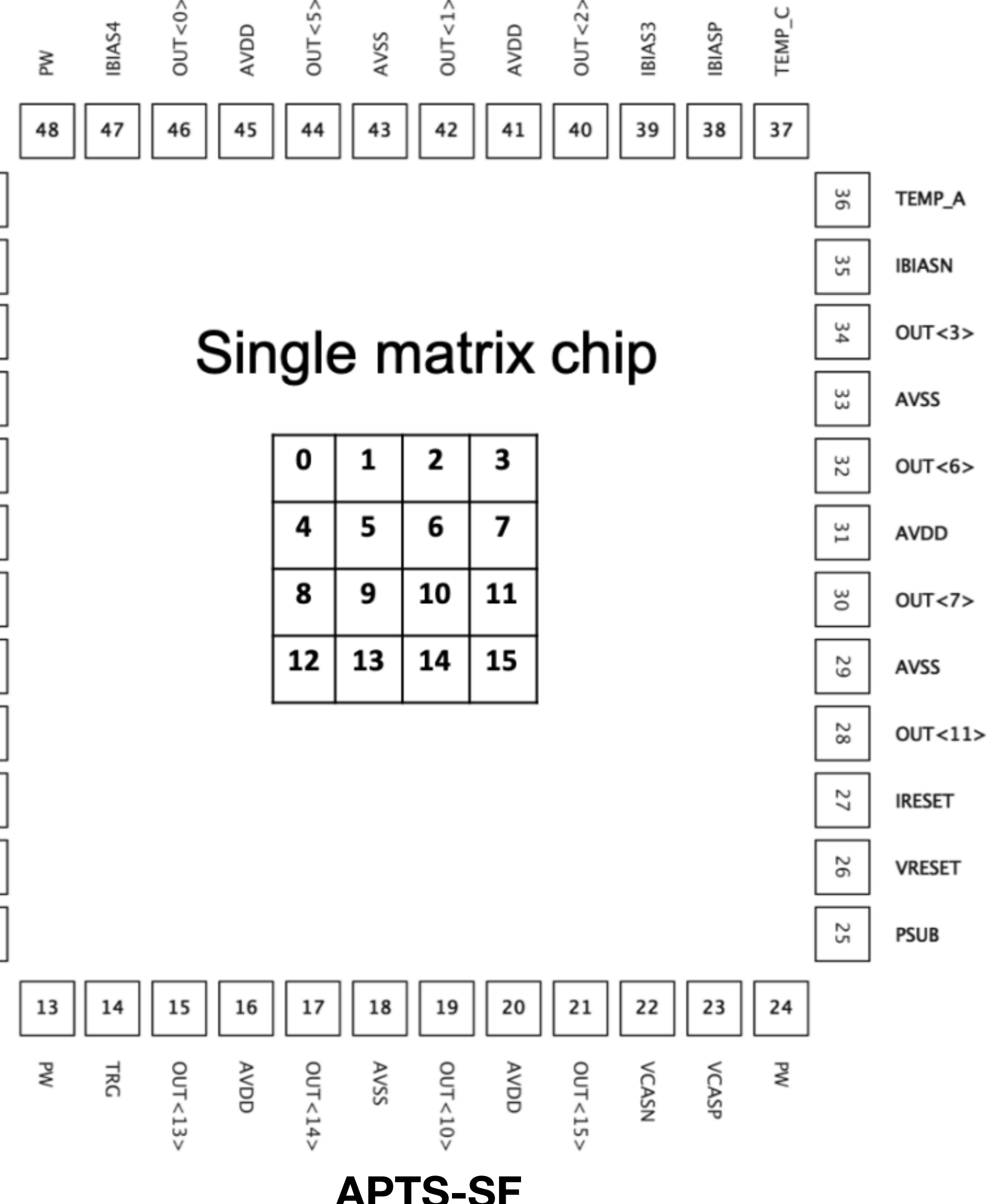
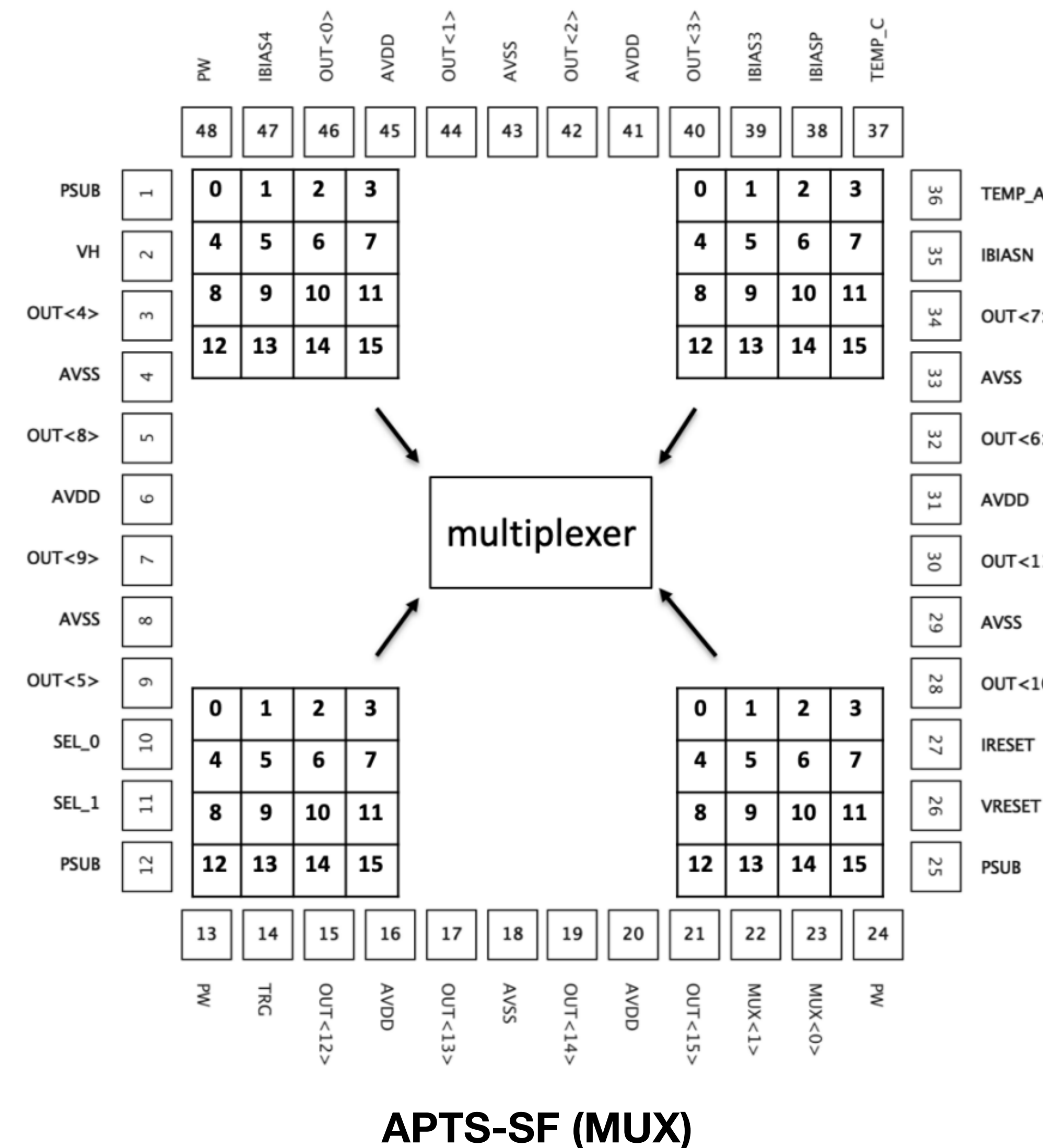


# APTS-SF



## Materials

Reference: [https://espace.cern.ch/ep-project-rnd-tpsco65/Shared%20Documents/MLR1/Datasheets/APTS\\_Datasheet\\_v1.7.pdf](https://espace.cern.ch/ep-project-rnd-tpsco65/Shared%20Documents/MLR1/Datasheets/APTS_Datasheet_v1.7.pdf)

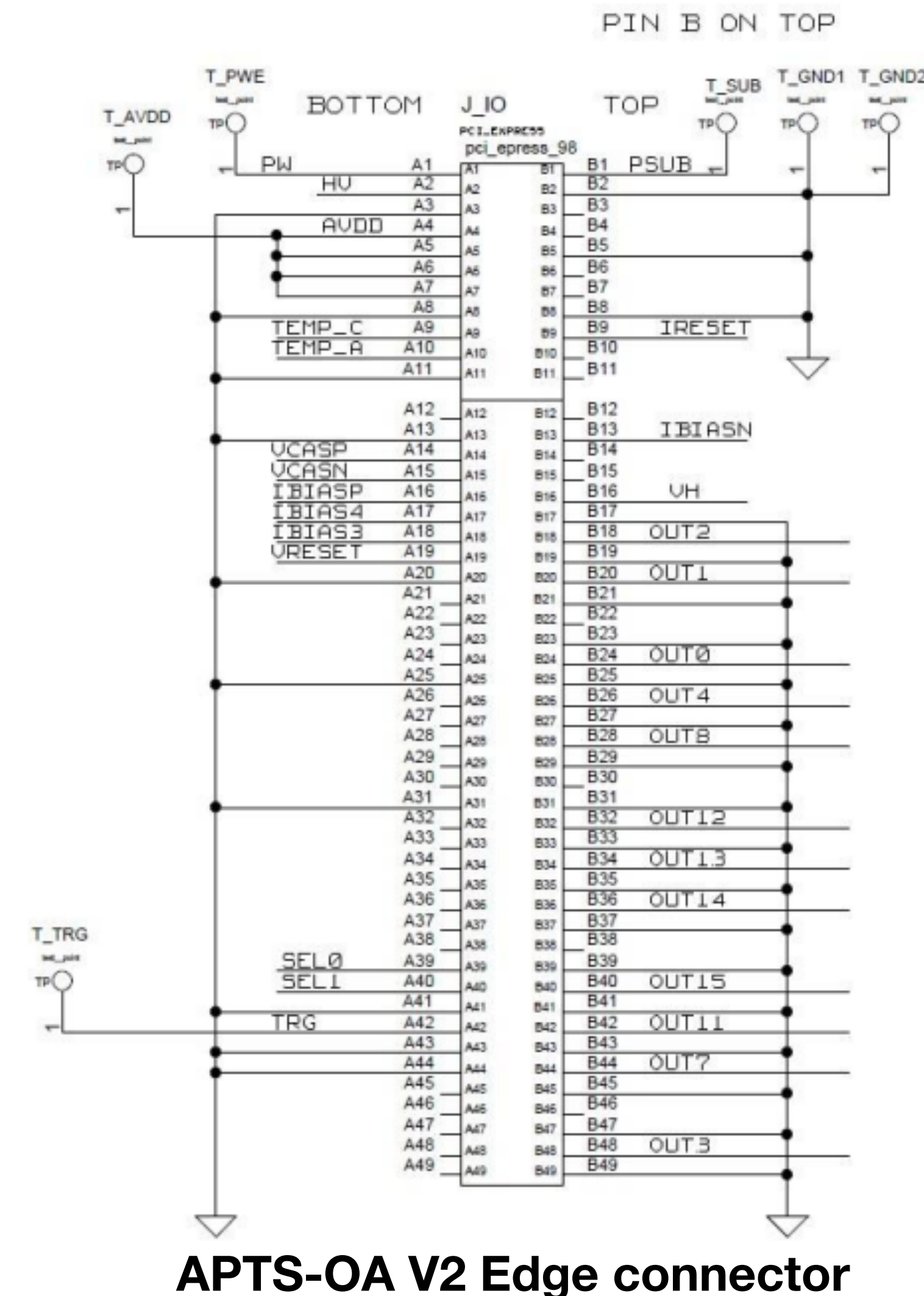
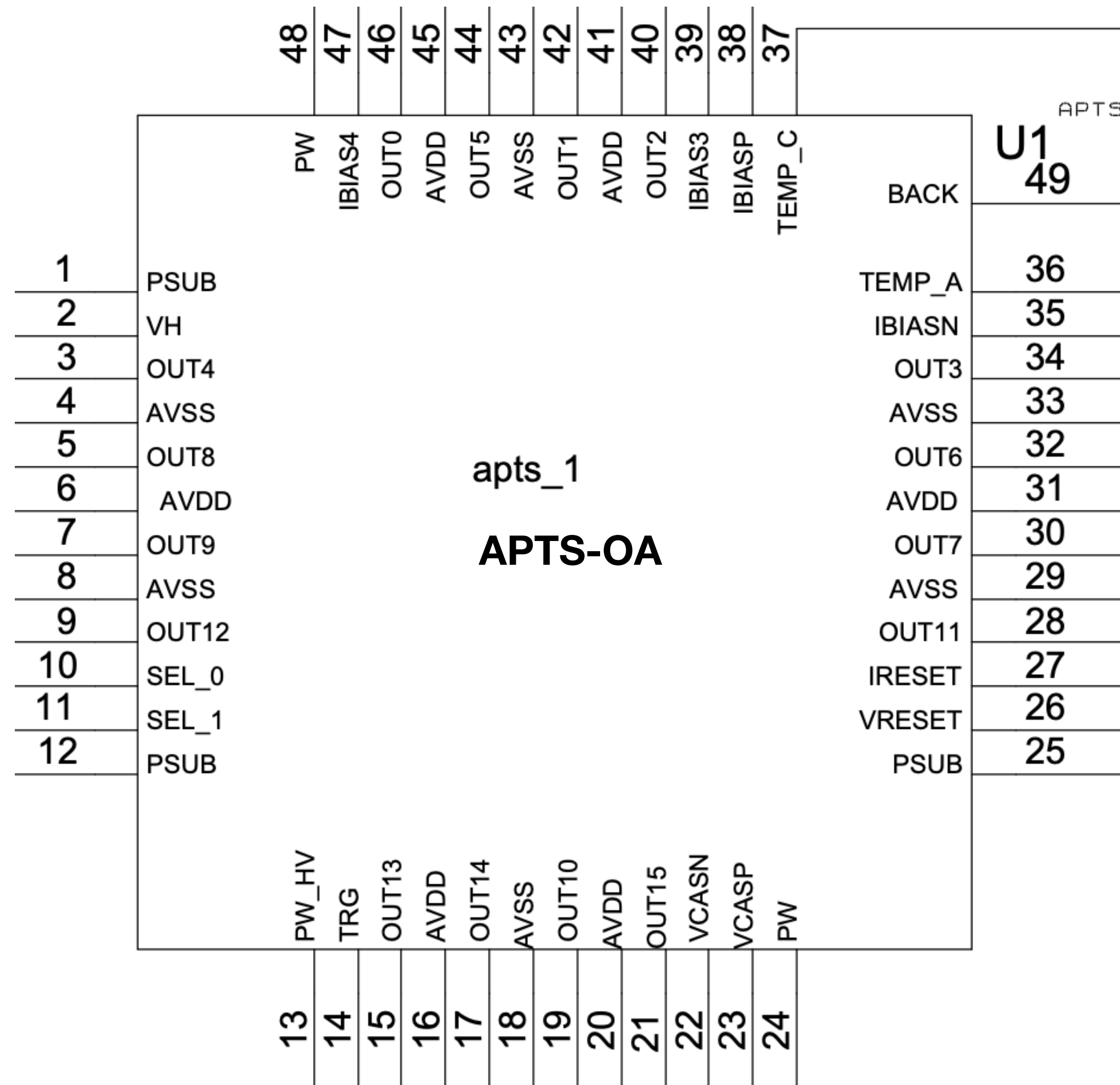


# APTS-OA (OPAMP)



## Materials

Reference: [https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/pub/ALICE/ITS3WP3MLR1TestSystem/APTS\\_OA\\_ver1\\_schematic.pdf](https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/pub/ALICE/ITS3WP3MLR1TestSystem/APTS_OA_ver1_schematic.pdf)



APTS-OA V2 Edge connector

# APTS: Chip output to Edge connector



## Details

Chip to Edge	APTS-SF (MUX)	APTS-SF	APTS-OA
OUT0	46	46	46
OUT1	44	42	42
OUT2	42	40	40
OUT3	40	34	34
OUT4	3	3	3
OUT5	9	44	44
OUT6	32	32	32
OUT7	34	30	30
OUT8	5	5	5
OUT9	7	7	7
OUT10	28	19	19
OUT11	30	28	28
OUT12	15	9	9
OUT13	17	15	15
OUT14	19	17	17
OUT15	21	21	21

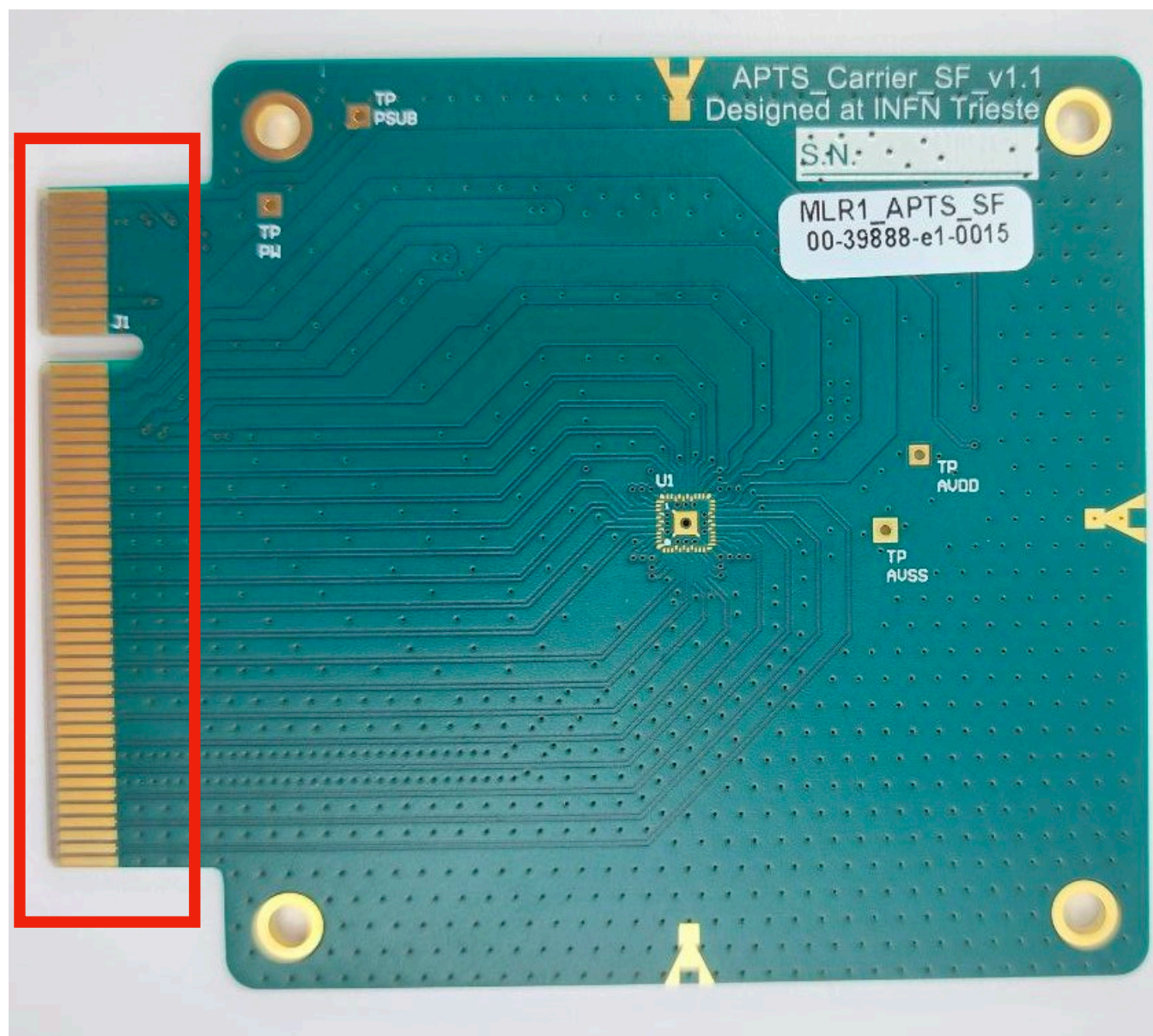
- APTS-SF and APTS-OA have the same connection to the Edge.
- APTS-SF (MUX) has slightly different connections.

# Real connection: APTS-SF v1.1

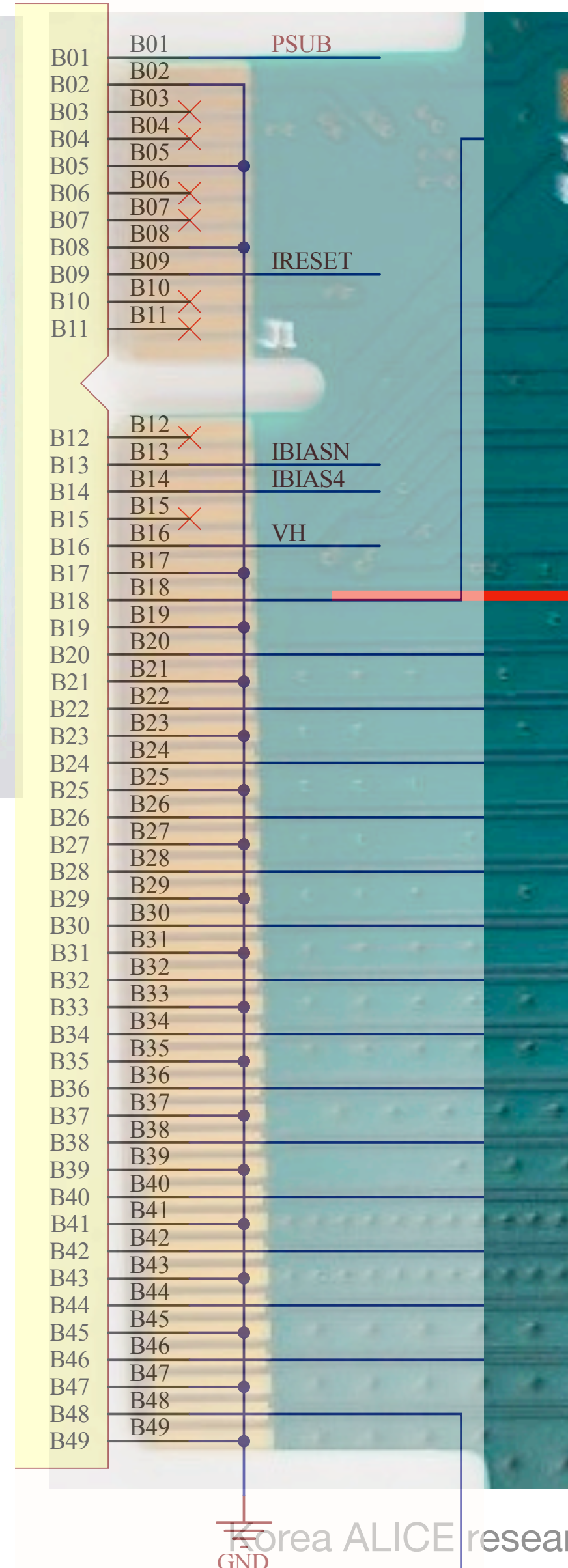


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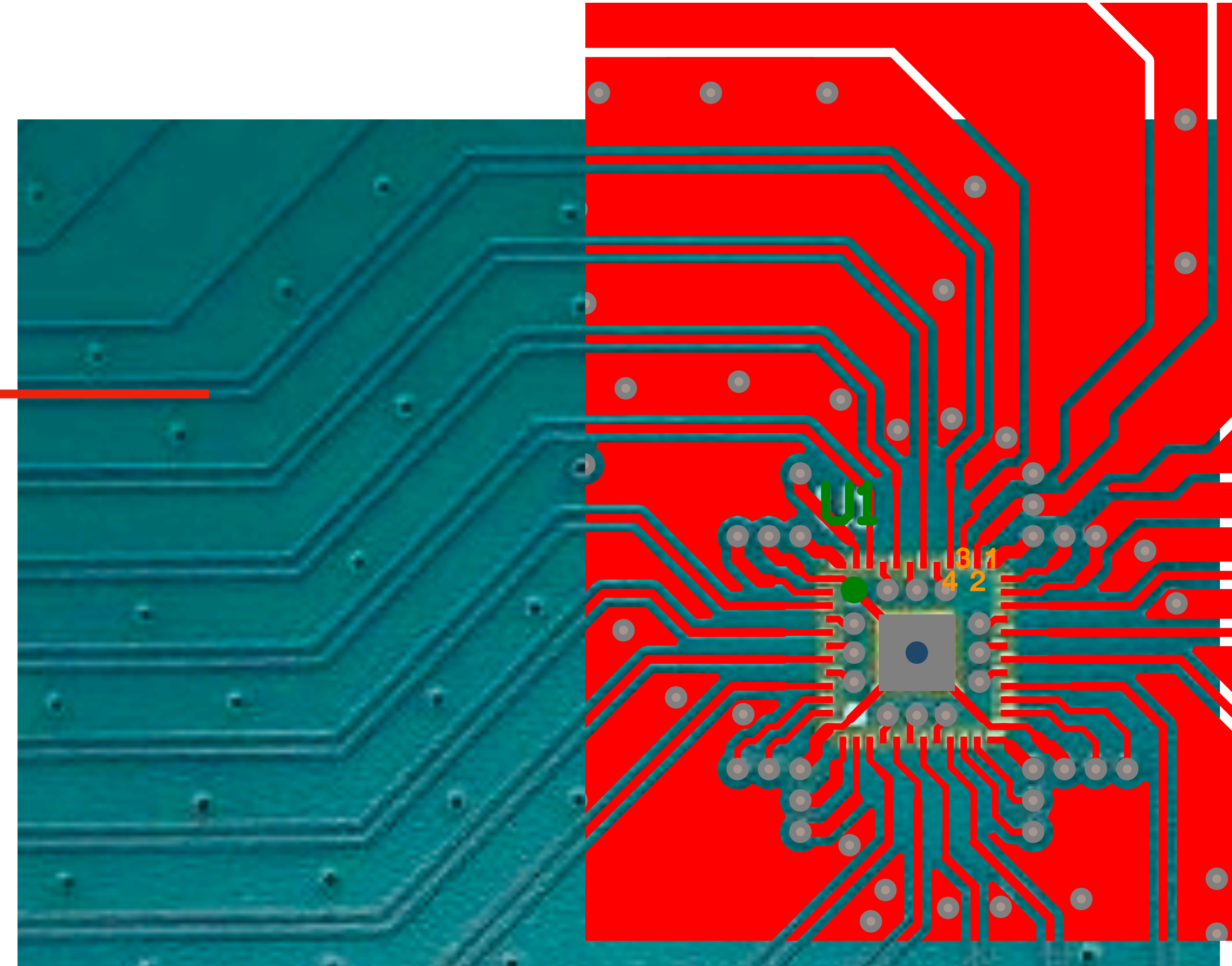
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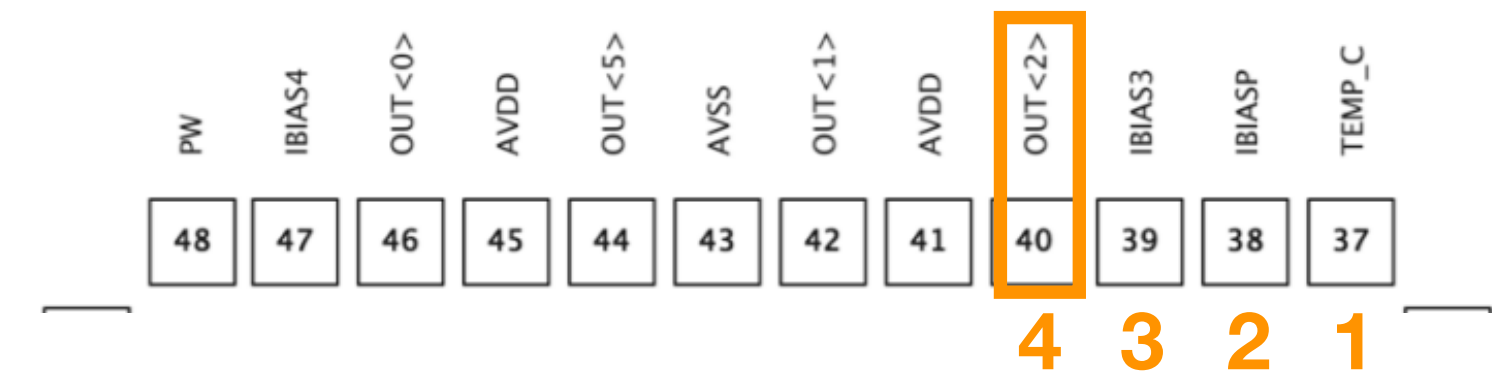
APTS-SF v1.1



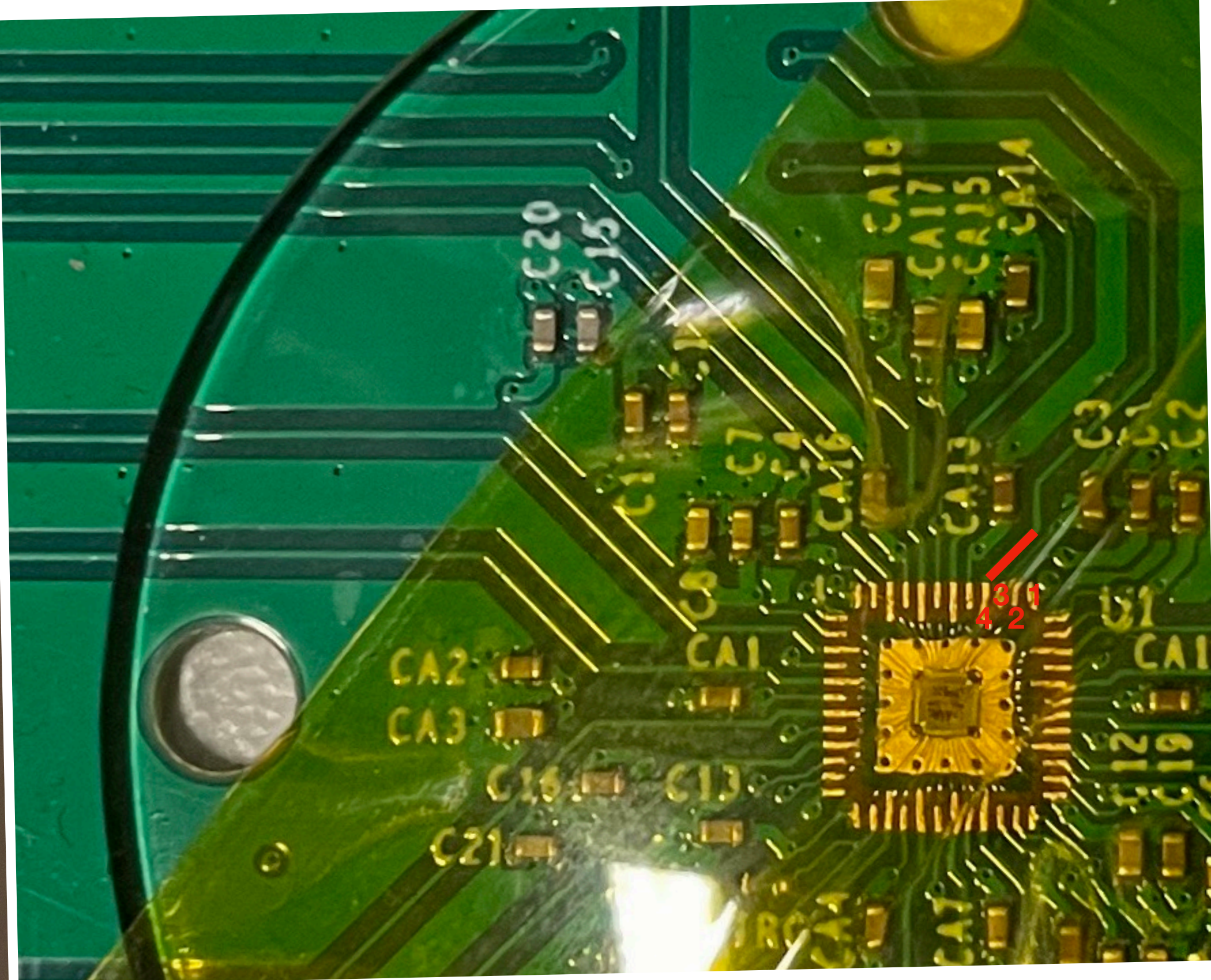
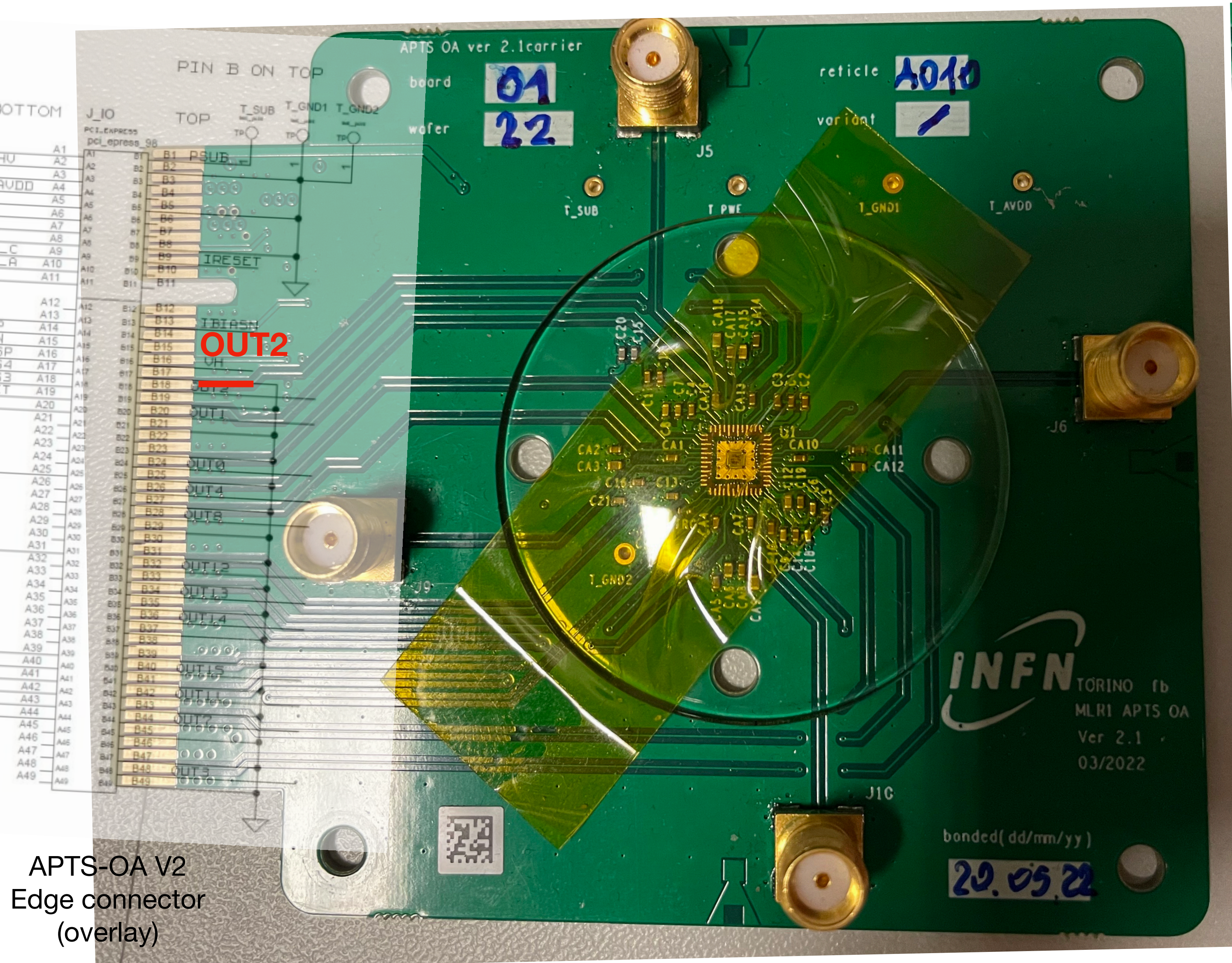
OUT2



APTS-SF V1.1  
Edge connector  
(overlay)



# Real connection: APTS-OA v2.1



48	47	46	45	44	43	42	41	<b>40</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>37</b>
PW	IBIAS4	OUT0	AVDD	OUT5	AVSS	OUT1	AVDD	<b>OUT2</b>	IBIAS3	IBIASP	EMP_C

APTS-OA V2  
Edge connector  
(overlay)

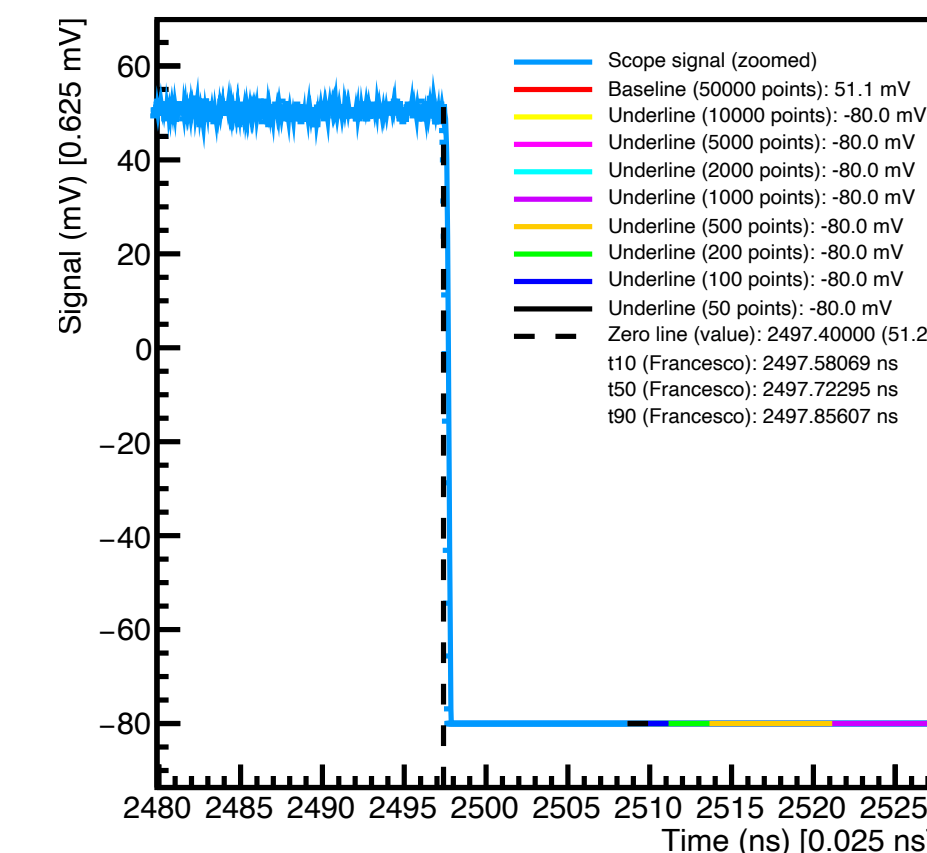
## Baseline & Underline

### • Additional check:

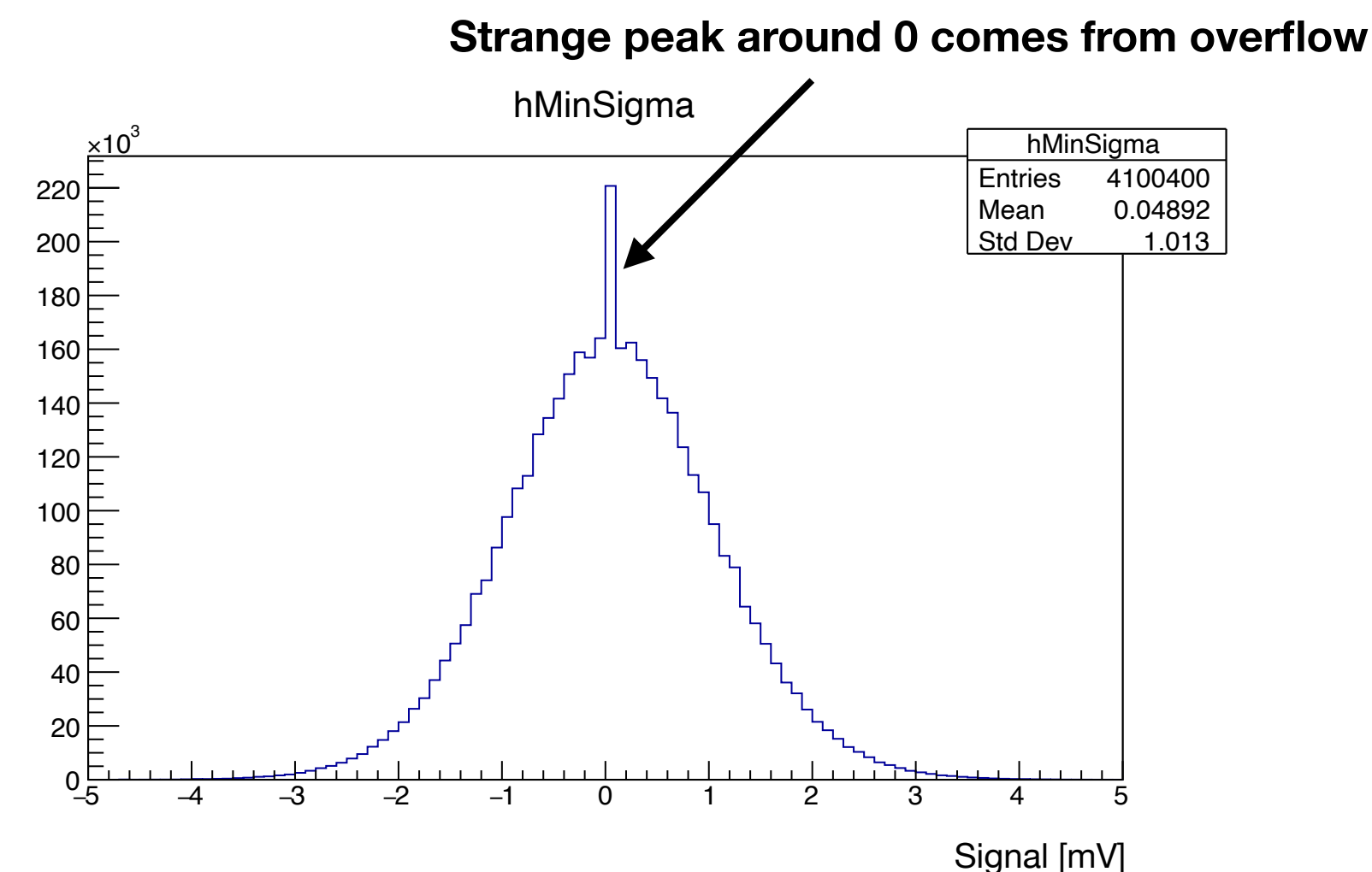
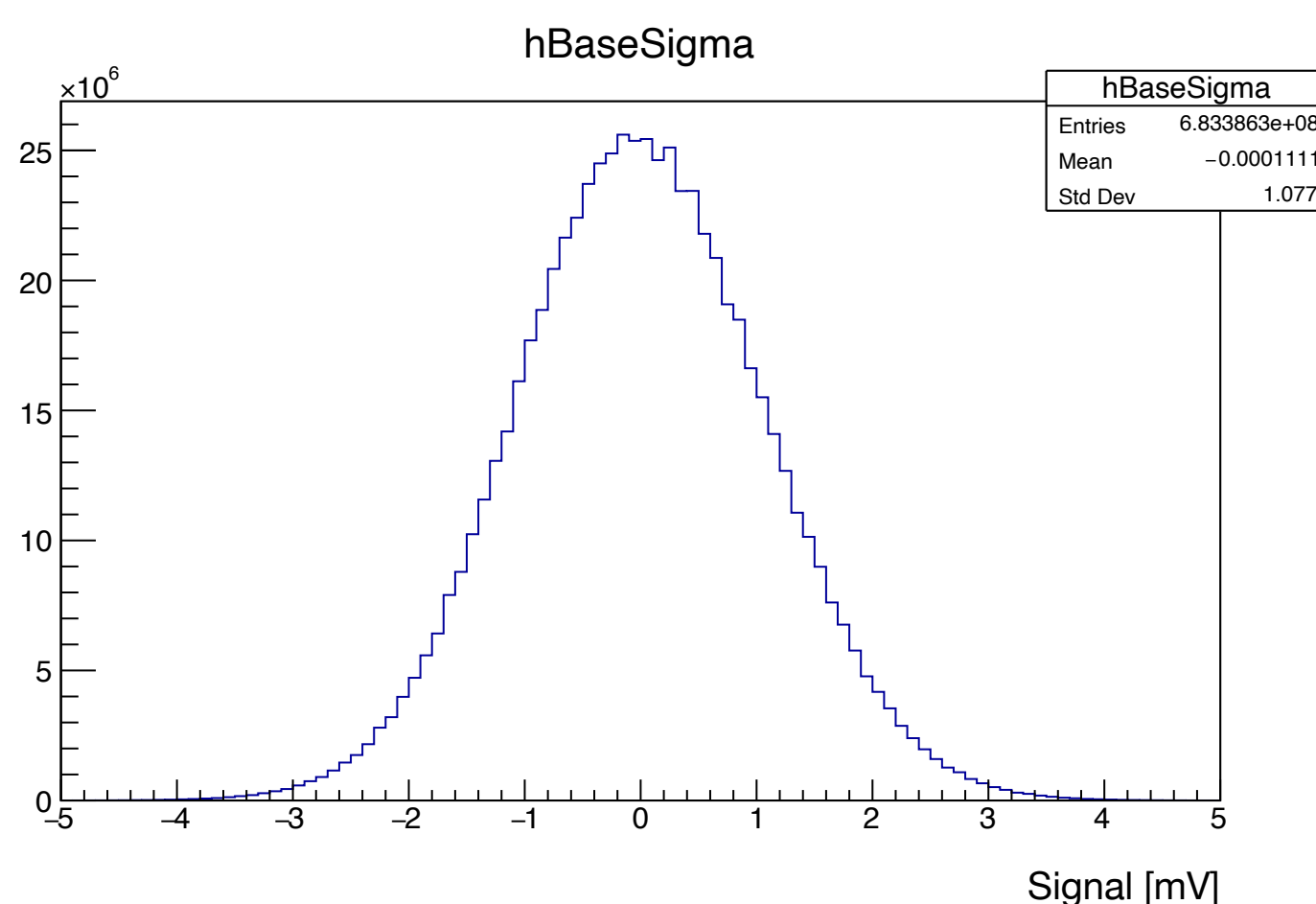
- Intrinsic signal fluctuation - Make the histogram from each values
  - **Method:** Get differences from the each mean values, fill the histogram from all events.
  - **Baseline sigma:**  $\sigma_{\text{baseline}} \approx 1\text{mV}$
  - **Underline:**  $\sigma_{\text{underline}} \approx 1\text{mV}$
- **Uncertainty of signal amplitude:**
  - Signal amplitude is calculated based on the baseline and underline.
  - Uncertainty will be quadrature sum of uncertainties:

$$\sigma_{\text{Amplitude}} = \sqrt{\sigma_{\text{baseline}}^2 + \sigma_{\text{underline}}^2} \approx 1.41\text{mV}$$

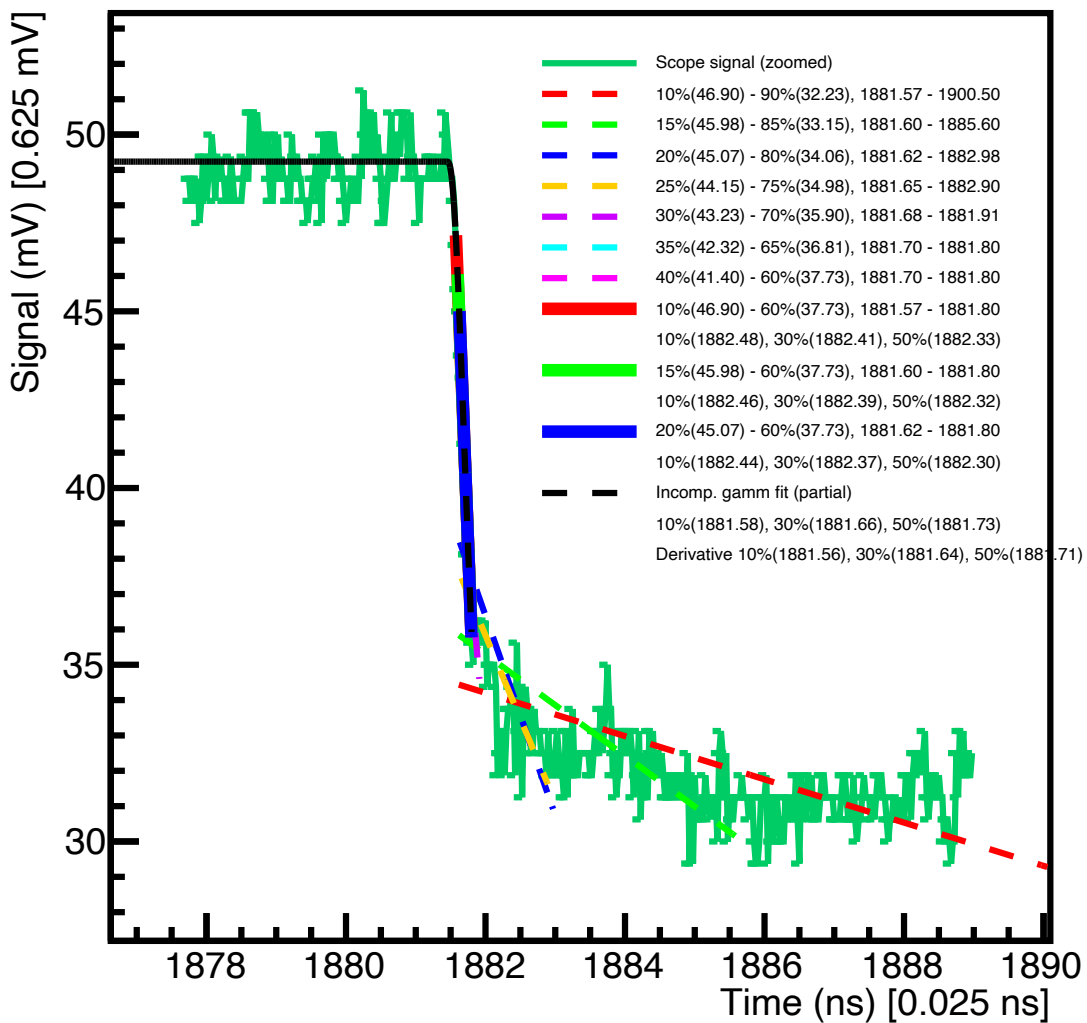
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Example of overflow



Ch:2, event:264218779



Ch:2, event:264218930

