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# Inorganic Scintillators for Future HEP and NP Experiments

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# Why Inorganic Scintillators?



arXiv: 2203.06731 and arXiv: 2203.06788

- Precision  $e/\gamma$  enhance physics discovery potential.
- Performance of total absorption ECAL is well understood for  $e/\gamma$  and jets:
  - Energy resolution achieved:  $2\%/\sqrt{E} \oplus 1\%$
  - Position resolution: sub-mm can be achieved;
  - Good identification and reconstruction efficiency;
  - Excellent jet mass resolution with dual readout: C/S light or S/L gate.
- On-going Development in Caltech Crystal Lab:
  - Rad-hard LYSO:Ce crystals and LuAG:Ce ceramics (RADiCAL) for HL-LHC and FCC-hh;
  - Ultrafast BaF<sub>2</sub>:Y and Lu<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>:Yb for future ultrafast calorimetry and time of flight;
  - Cost-effective ABS and DSB glasses for Higgs factory (Calvision) and HHCAL.



# Precision e/ $\gamma$ Physics in HEP

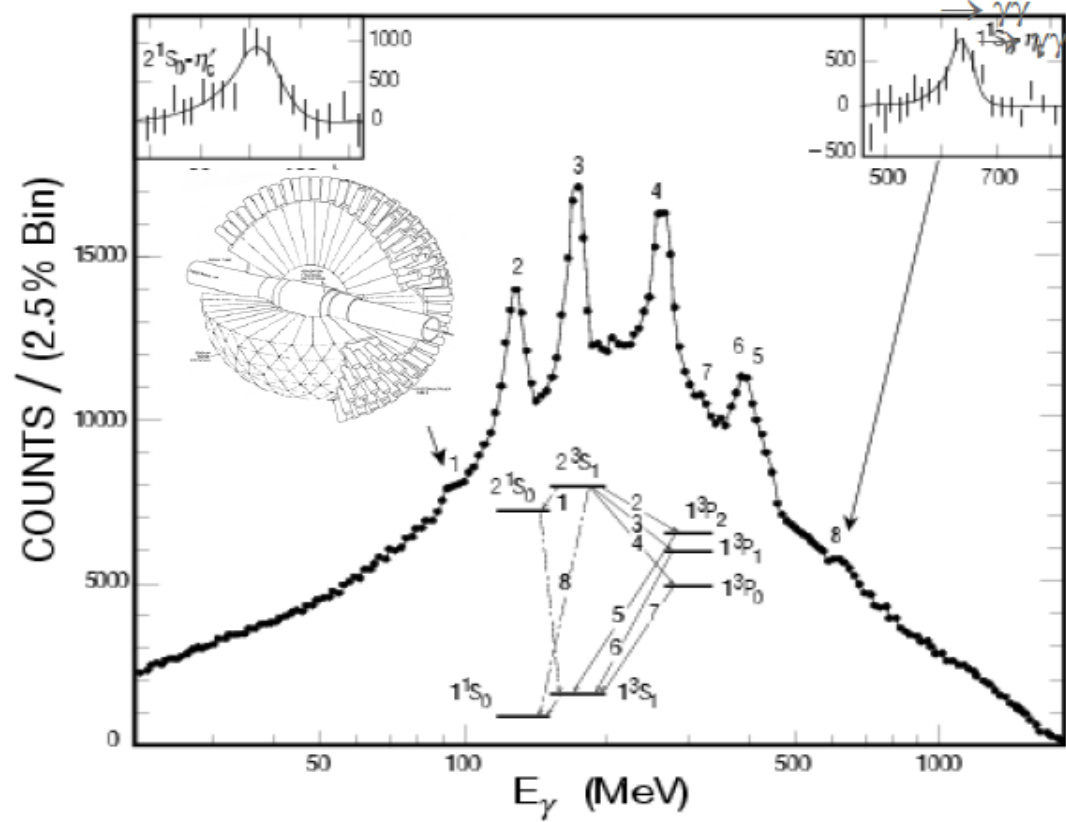


Charmonium system observed by CB through Inclusive photons

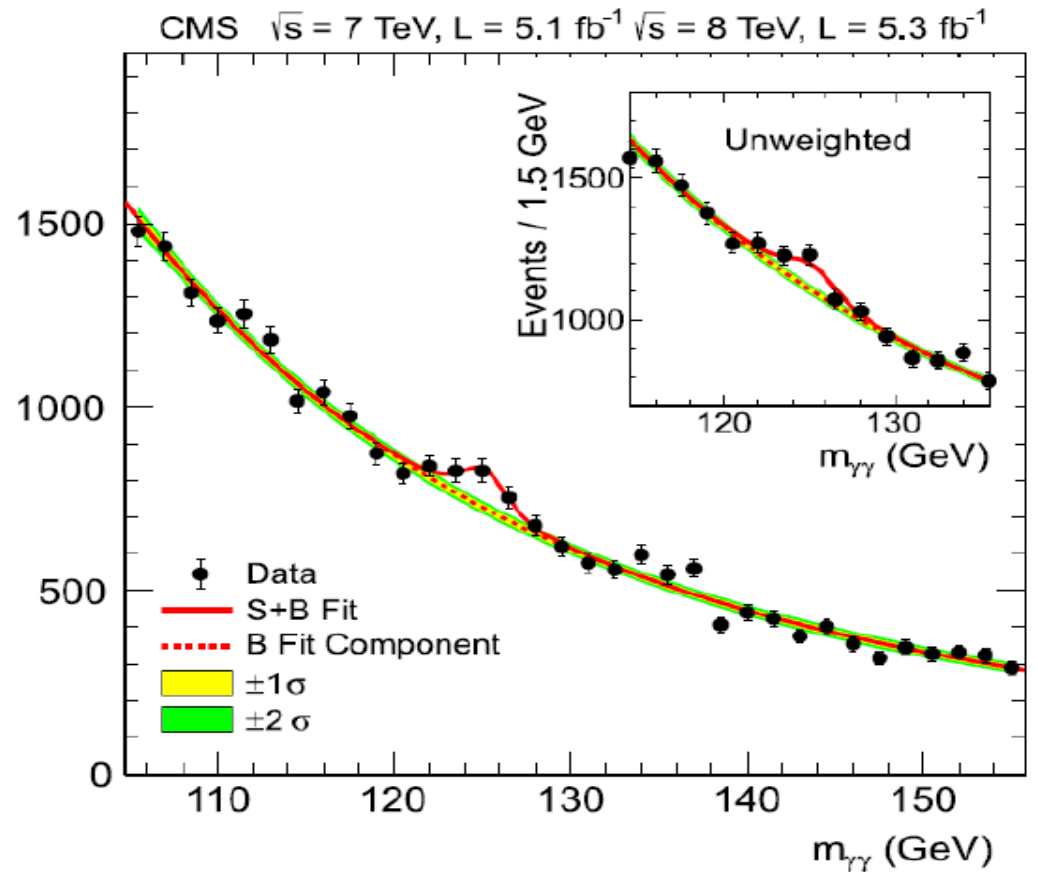
Higgs  $\rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  by CMS through reconstructing photon pairs

**CB NaI(Tl)**

**CMS PWO**



S/(S+B) Weighted Events / 1.5 GeV





# Crystals Used in HEP Calorimeters



Crystal	NaI:TI	CsI:TI	CsI	BaF <sub>2</sub>	BGO	LYSO:Ce	PWO	PbF <sub>2</sub>
Density (g/cm <sup>3</sup> )	3.67	4.51	4.51	4.89	7.13	7.40	8.3	7.77
Melting Point (°C)	651	621	621	1280	1050	2050	1123	824
Radiation Length (cm)	2.59	1.86	1.86	2.03	1.12	1.14	0.89	0.93
Molière Radius (cm)	4.13	3.57	3.57	3.10	2.23	2.07	2.00	2.21
Interaction Length (cm)	42.9	39.3	39.3	30.7	22.8	20.9	20.7	21.0
Refractive Index <sup>a</sup>	1.85	1.79	1.95	1.50	2.15	1.82	2.20	1.82
Hygroscopicity	Yes	Slight	Slight	No	No	No	No	No
Luminescence <sup>b</sup> (nm) (at peak)	410	550	420 310	300 220	480	402	425 420	-
Decay Time <sup>b</sup> (ns)	245	1220	30 6	650 0.9	300	40	30 10	-
Light Yield <sup>b,c</sup> (photons/MeV)	38,000	63,000	1,400 420	13,680 1,560	8,000	32,000	114 40	-
d(LY)/dT <sup>b</sup> (%/°C)	-0.2	0.4	-1.4	-1.9 0.1	-0.9	-0.2	-2.5	-
Experiment	Crystal Ball	BaBar BELLE BES III	KTeV Mu2e S. BELLE	TAPS Mu2e-II?	L3 BELLE	COMET CMS BTL PIONEER	CMS ALICE PANDA EIC	A4 G-2

a. at emission peak; b. up/low row: slow/fast component; c. with QE of readout device taken out.



# L3 BGO, BaBar Csl, CMS PWO ECAL



11.4k BGO

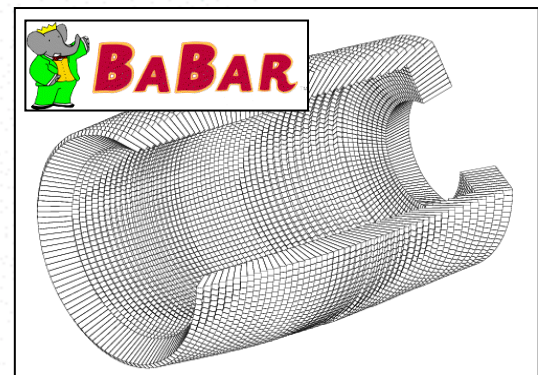
FORWARD CALORIMETER

MUON CHAMBERS

TRACKER

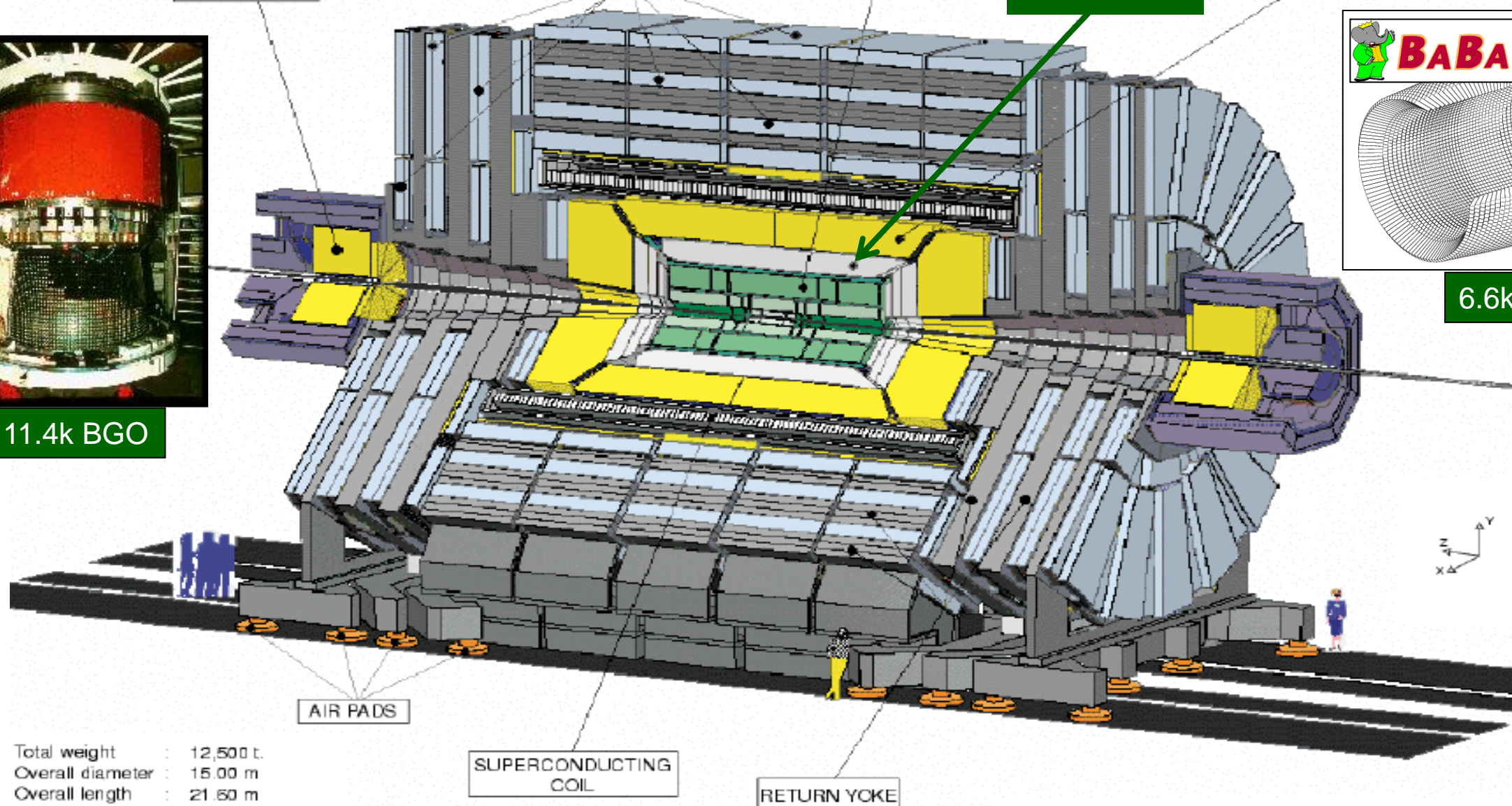
75.8k PWO

HCAL



BABAR

6.6k Csl:TI



AIR PADS

SUPERCONDUCTING COIL

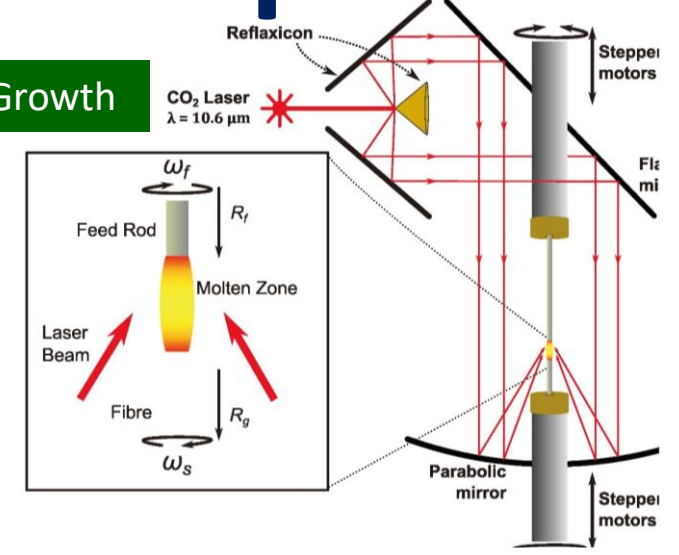
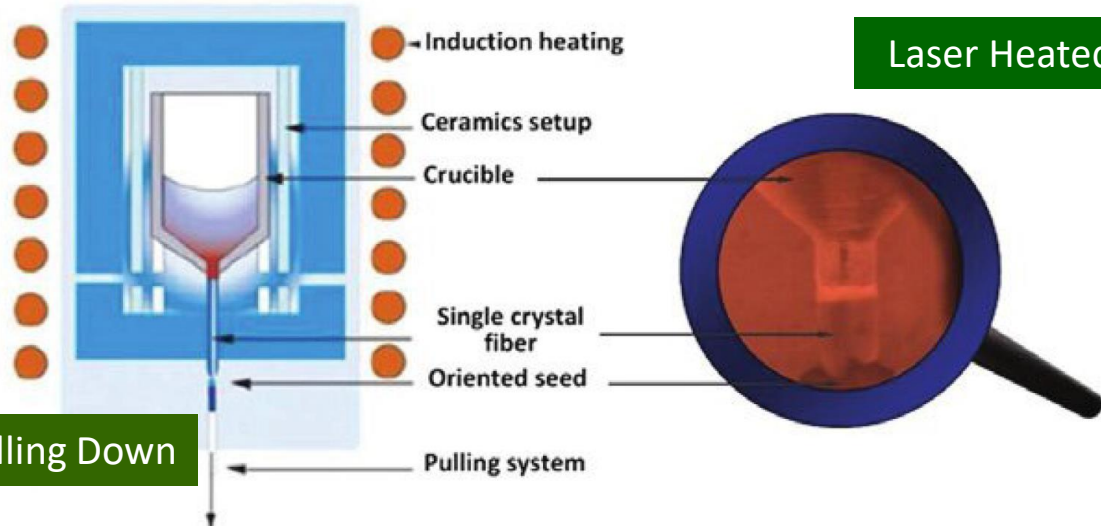
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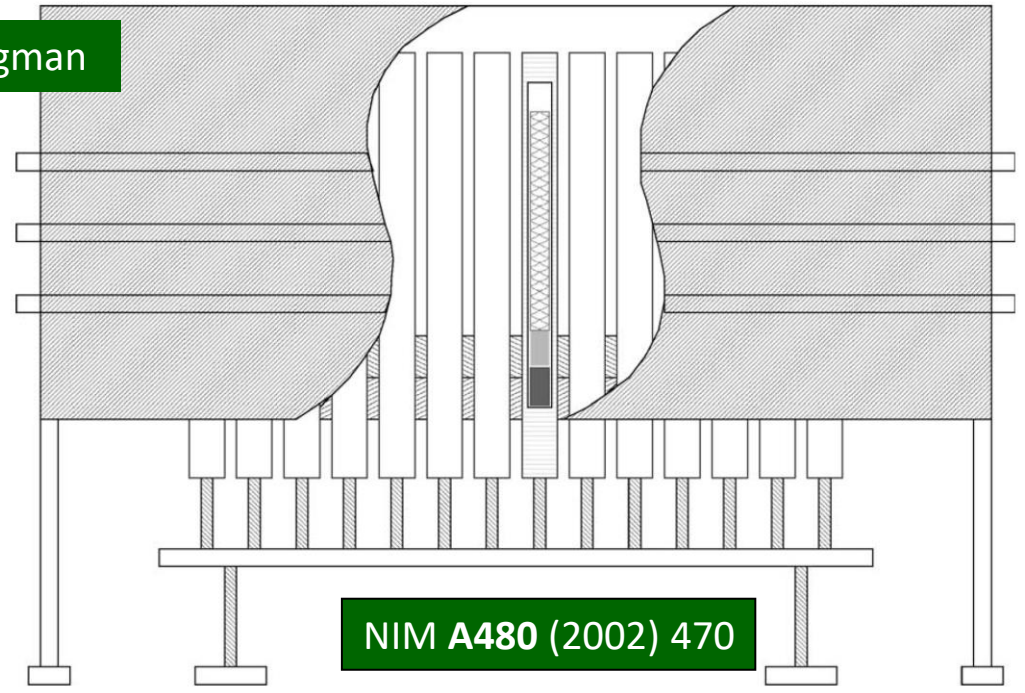
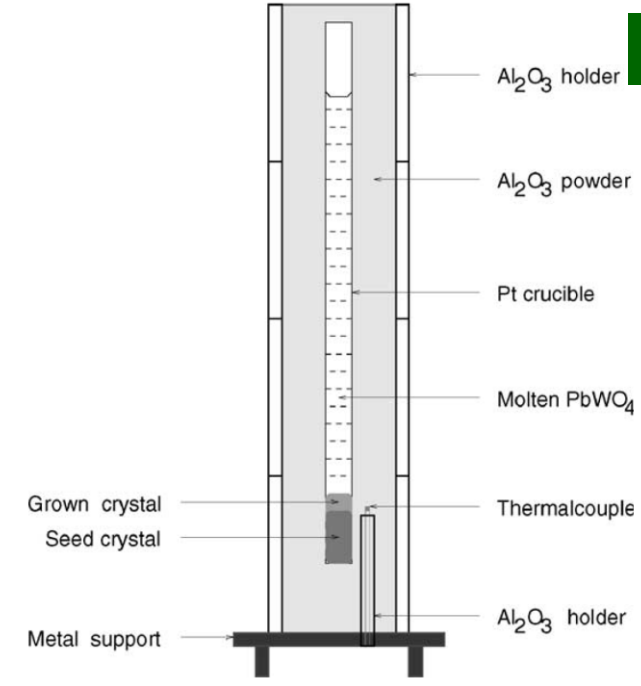
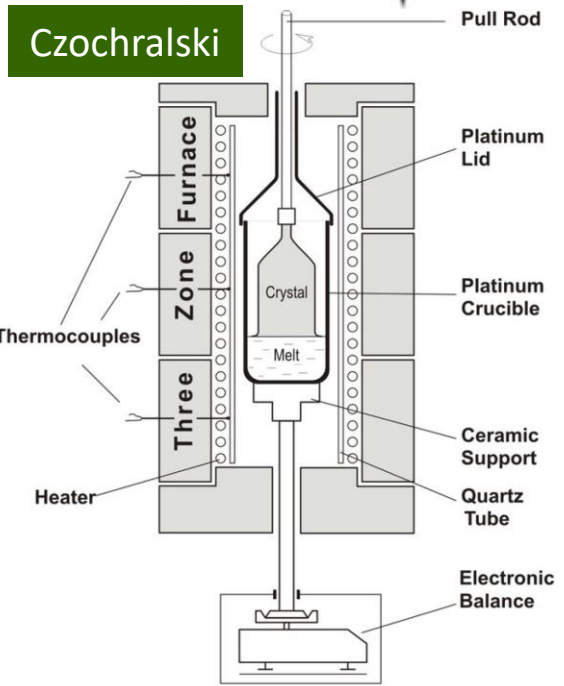
Total weight : 12,500 t.  
 Overall diameter : 15.00 m  
 Overall length : 21.50 m  
 Magnetic field : 4 Tesla



# Crystal Growth Techniques

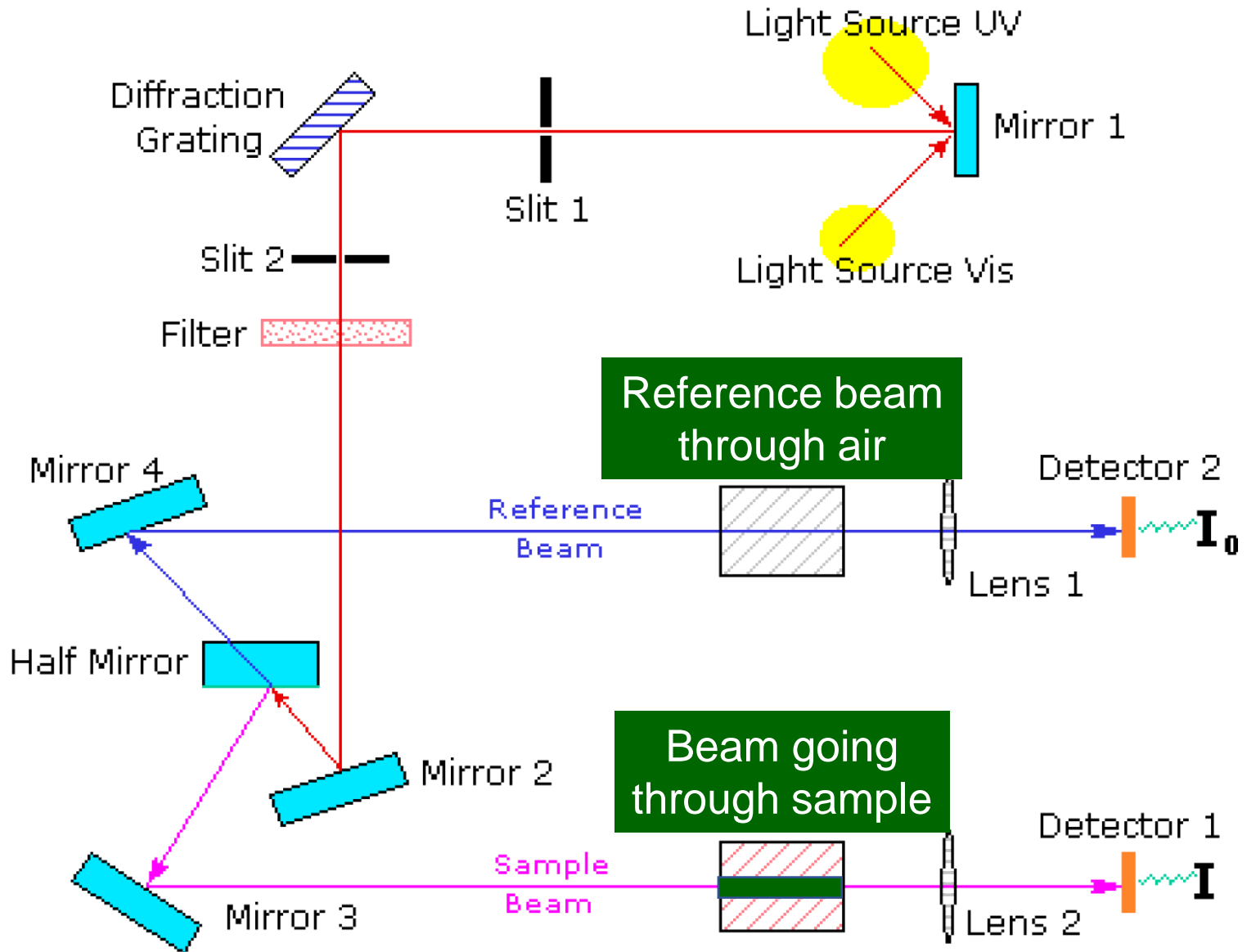


## Micro-Pulling Down





# Transmittance and Absorption



HITACHI U3210 UV/VIS and PerkinElmer Lambda 950 UV/VIS/NIR spectrophotometer with large sample compartment to measure transmittance and absorption

Typical Precision: 0.2 to 0.3%

Watch out: Birefringence, sample surface and scattering centers



# LAL and Birefringence



Light attenuation length (LAL), or inverse of its light absorption coefficient, extracted from transmittance

$LAL(\lambda)$

$$= \frac{l}{\ln \left\{ \frac{[T(\lambda)(1 - T_s(\lambda))^2]}{\left[ \sqrt{4T_s^4(\lambda) + T^2(\lambda)(1 - T_s^2(\lambda))^2} - 2T_s^2(\lambda) \right]} \right\}} \quad (2)$$

where  $T(\lambda)$  is the longitudinal transmittance measured along crystal length  $l$ , and  $T_s(\lambda)$  is the theoretical transmittance assuming multiple bouncings between two crystal ends and without internal absorption:

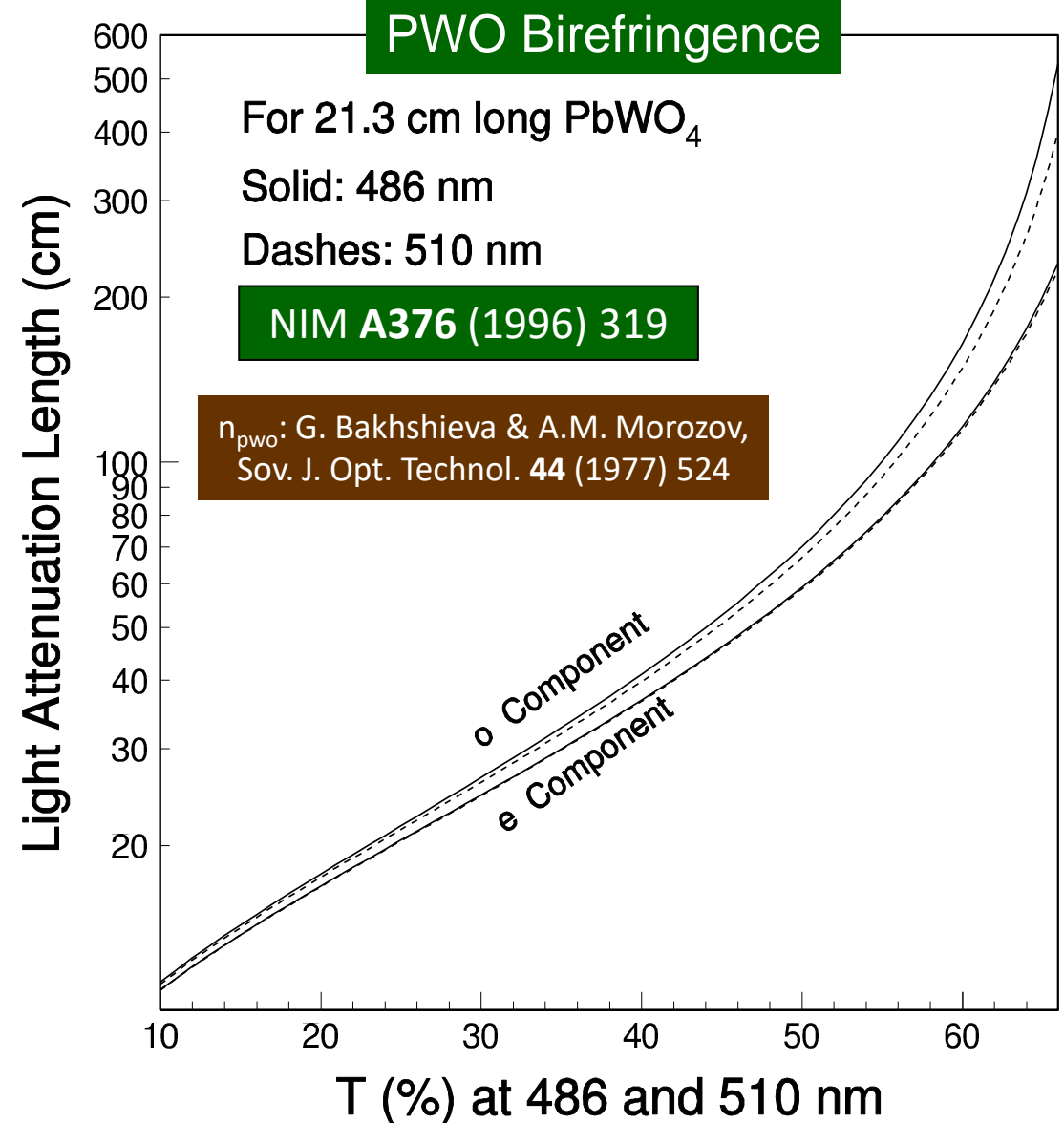
$$T_s(\lambda) = (1 - R(\lambda))^2 + R^2(\lambda)(1 - R(\lambda))^2 + \dots = (1 - R(\lambda)) / (1 + R(\lambda)) \quad (3)$$

and

**NIM A333 (1993) 422**

$$R(\lambda) = \frac{(n_{\text{crystal}}(\lambda) - n_{\text{air}}(\lambda))^2}{(n_{\text{crystal}}(\lambda) + n_{\text{air}}(\lambda))^2} \quad (4)$$

where  $n_{\text{crystal}}(\lambda)$  and  $n_{\text{air}}(\lambda)$  are the refractive indices for crystal and air, respectively.

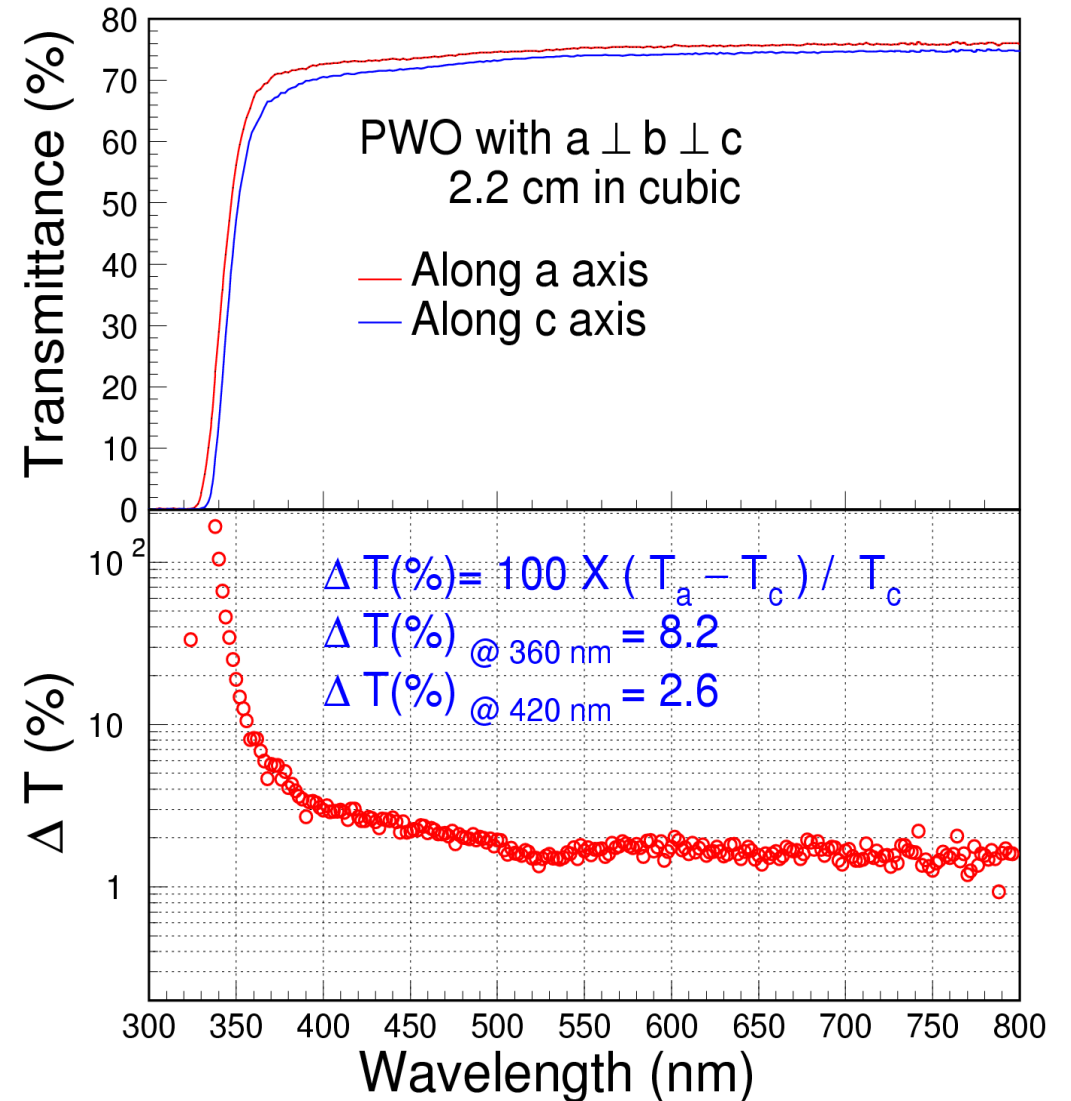
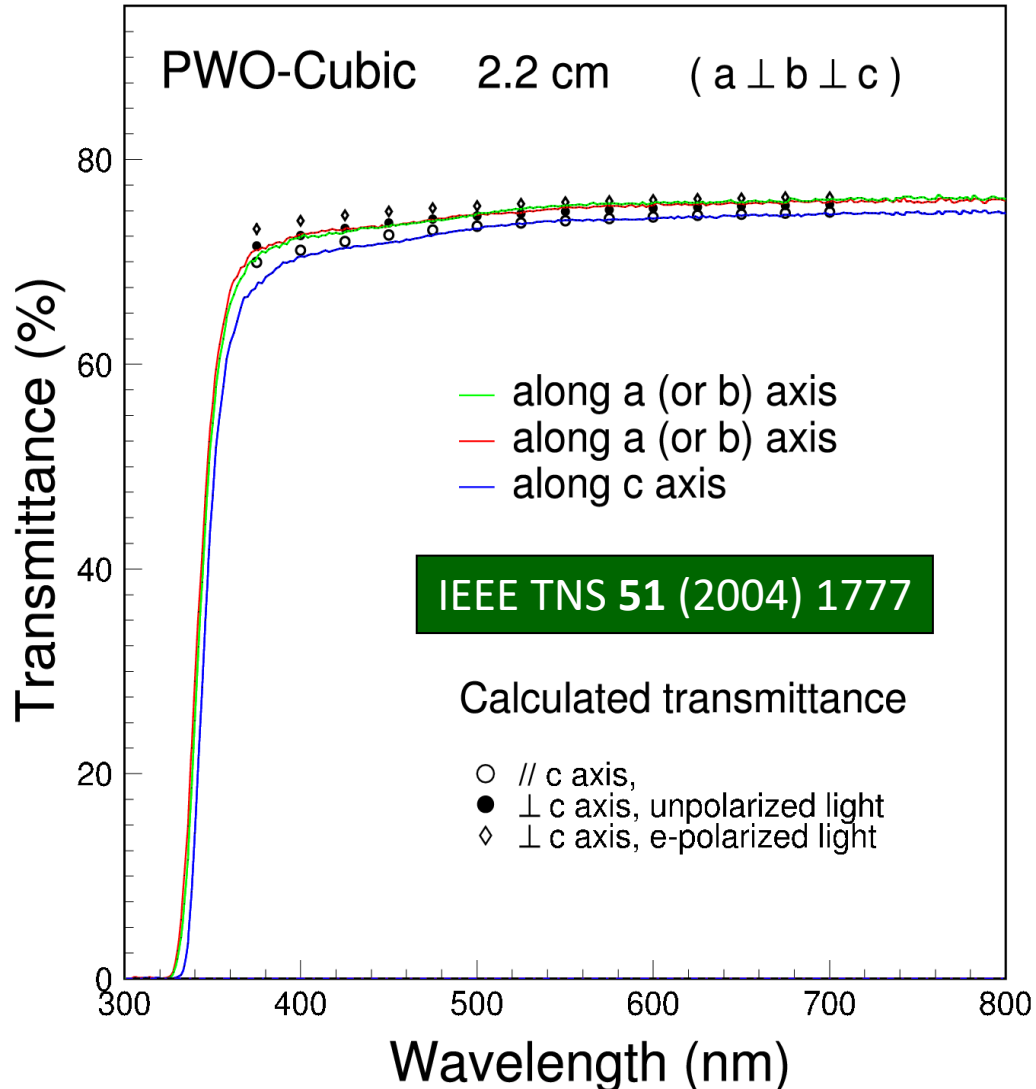




# PWO Birefringence



Attention to be paid to the crystal orientation vs. optical axis





# LY, LO, LCE and LRU



Crystal light yield (LY) in photons/MeV energy deposition:  
 $\beta E_g$  is the energy required for an e-h pair, S is energy transferred to the luminescence center and Q is its quantum efficiency.

LCE is sample dependent

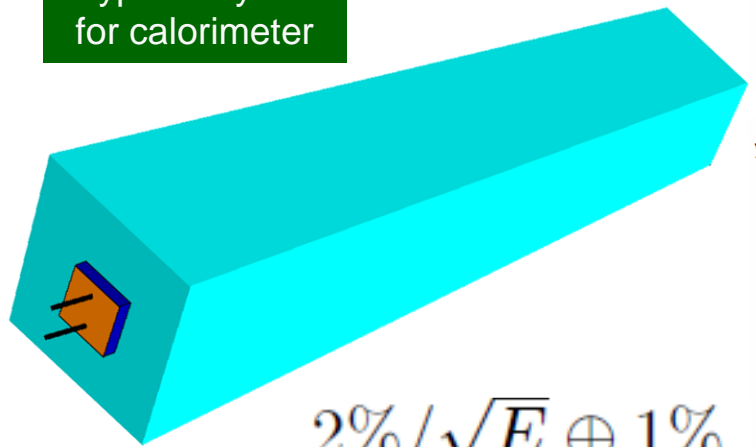
$$LY = 10^6 S \cdot Q / (\beta \cdot E_g)$$

Measured light output (LO) in photoelectrons/MeV depends on crystal LY, light collection efficiency (LCE) and the quantum efficiency of the photodetector used for the measurement.

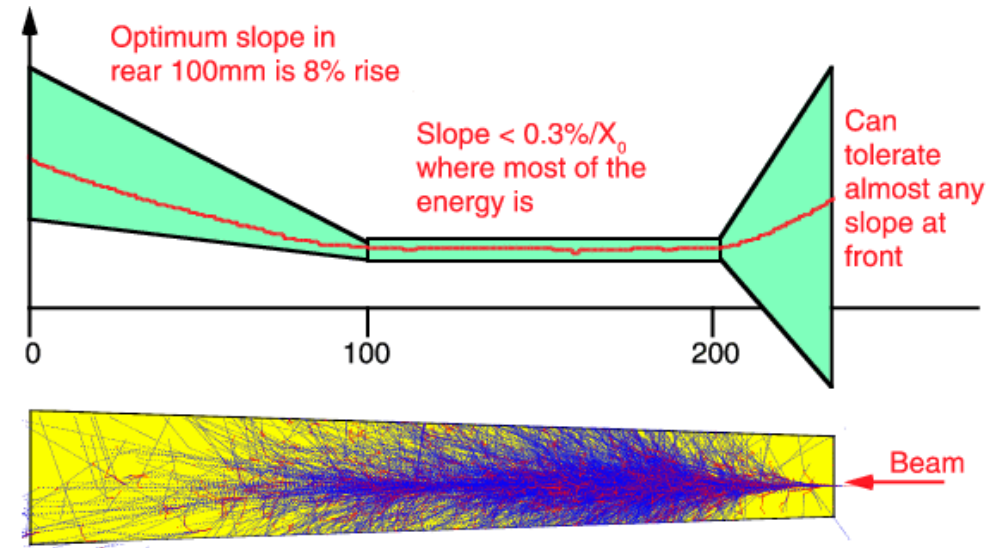
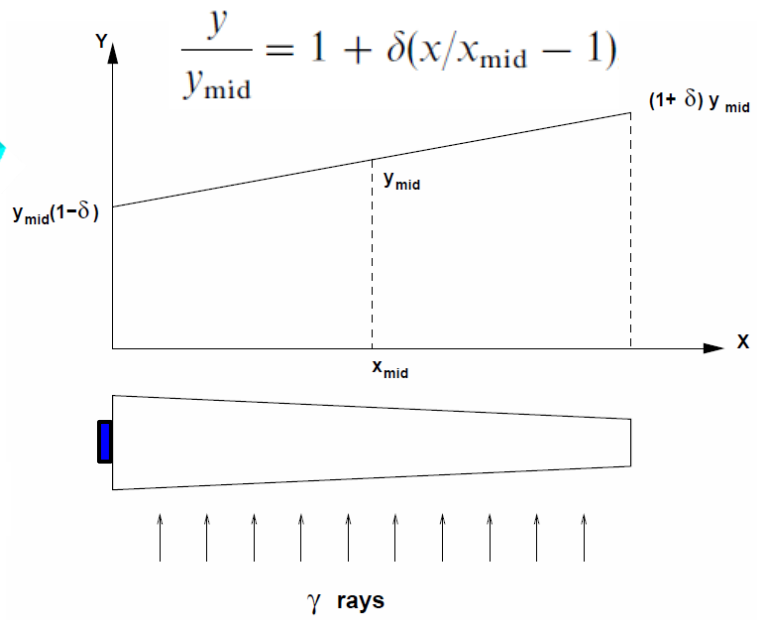
$$LO = LY \cdot LCE \cdot QE$$

Light Response Uniformity (LRU)  
CMS Specification

Typical crystal for calorimeter



$$2\% / \sqrt{E} \oplus 1\%$$





# Radiation Damage Effects



NIM A413 (1998) 297, [https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-47999-6\\_22-2](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-47999-6_22-2)

- **Scintillation mechanism damage: reduced LY and LO and maybe also LRU;**
- **Radiation-induced phosphorescence (afterglow): increase dark current, dark counting rate and readout noise;**
- **Radiation-induced absorption (color centers): reduced light attenuation length, LO and maybe also LRU.**

	CsI:Tl	CsI	BaF <sub>2</sub>	BGO	PWO	LSO/LYSO
Scintillation mechanism	No	No	No	No	No	No
Phosphorescence (afterglow)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Absorption (color centers)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Recovery	slow	No	No	Yes	Yes	No
Dose rate dependence	No	No	No	Yes	Yes	No
Thermal Annealing	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Optical Bleaching	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

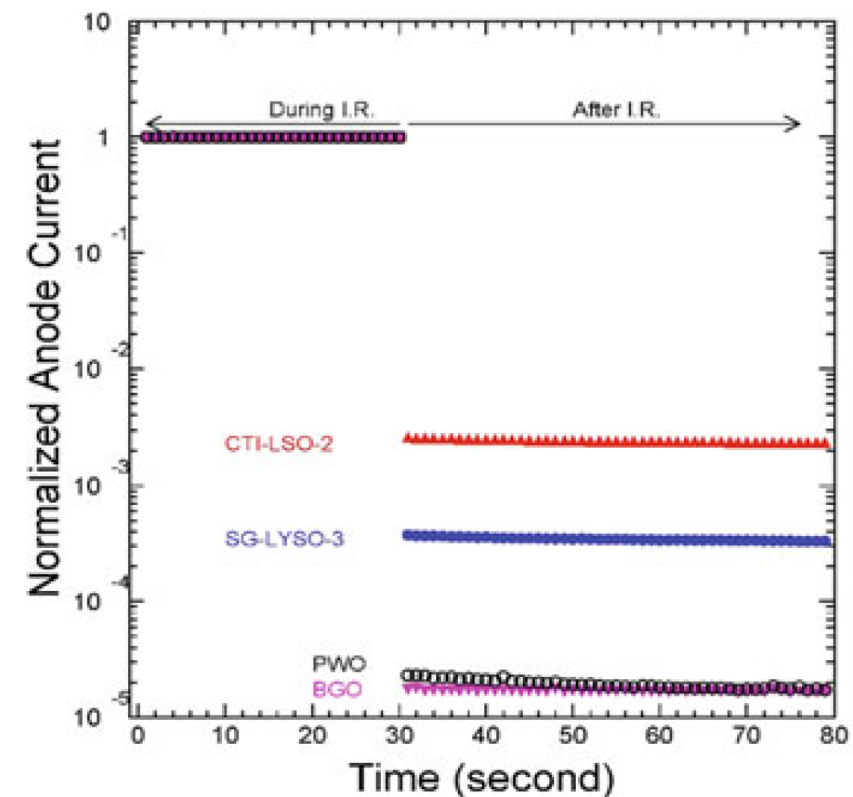
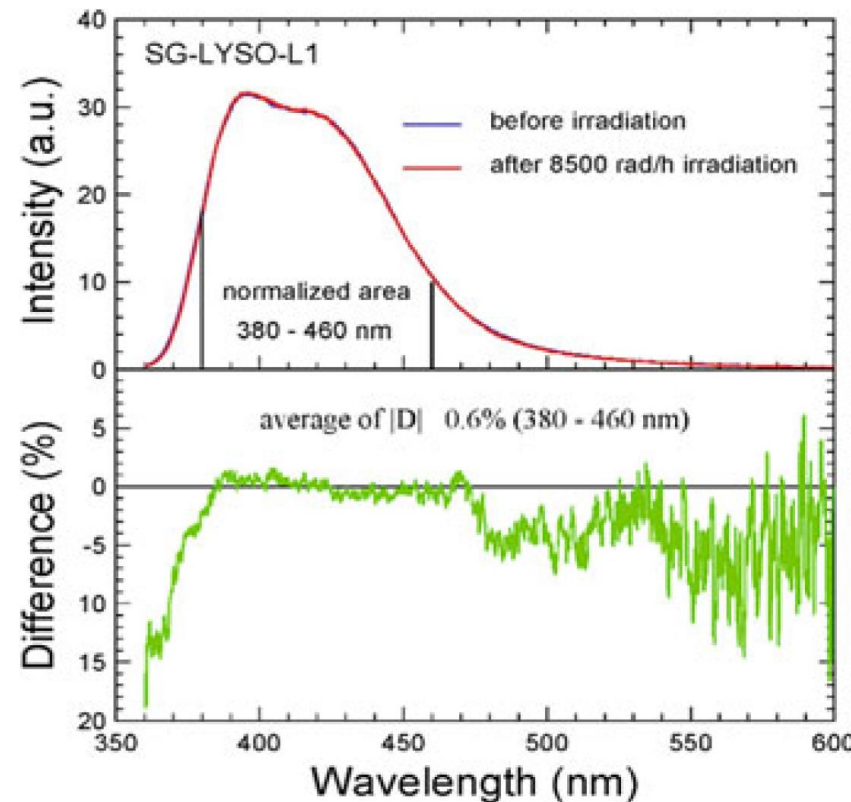
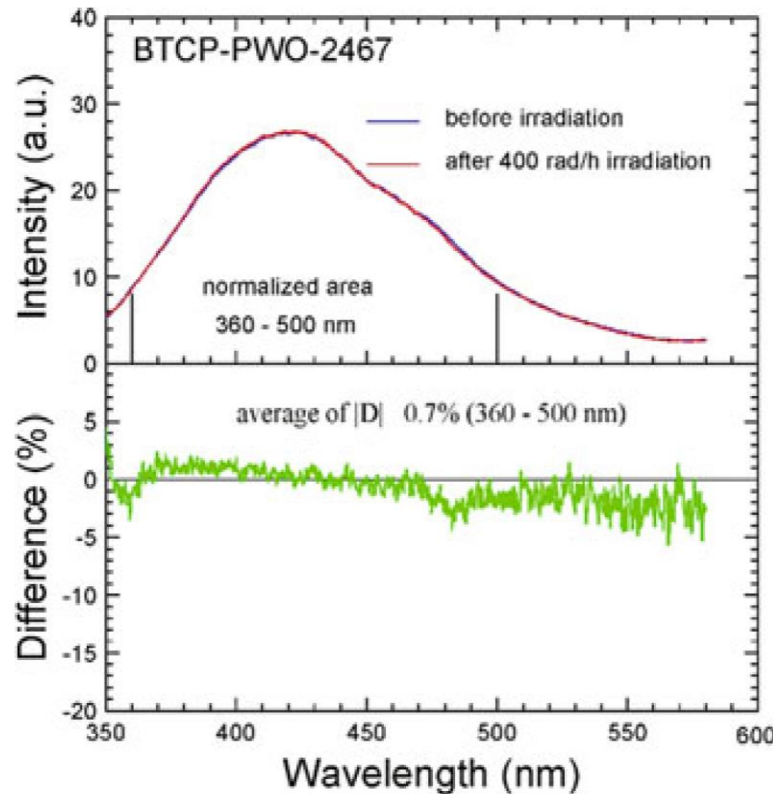


# Scintillation Mechanism and Afterglow



[https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-47999-6\\_22-2](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-47999-6_22-2)

Crystal's scintillation mechanism is not damaged by  $\gamma$ -rays, neutrons and charged hadrons, as shown in no variation in the emission spectra measured before and after irradiations. Radiation-induced phosphorescence is measured as the photo-current after radiation, which is at a level of  $10^{-5}$  for BGO and PWO and  $3 \times 10^{-4}$  for LYSO, and  $2 \times 10^{-3}$  for LSO.

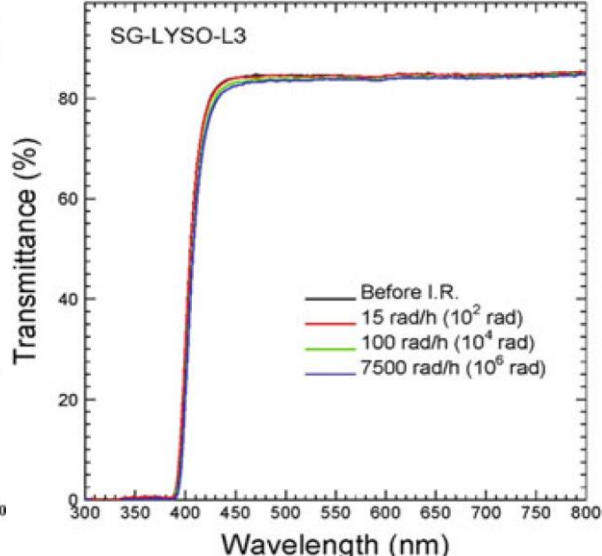
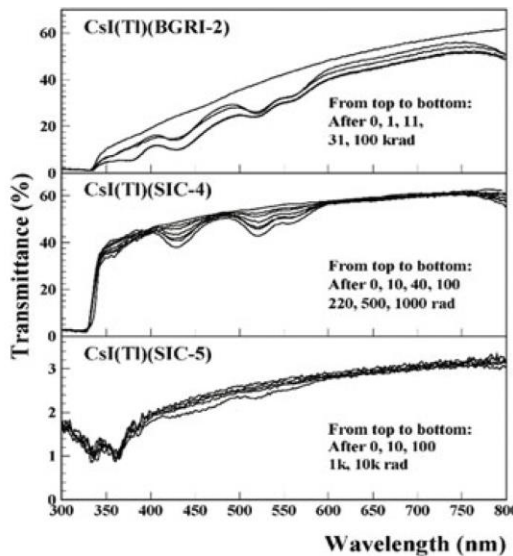




# Radiation-Induced Color Centers



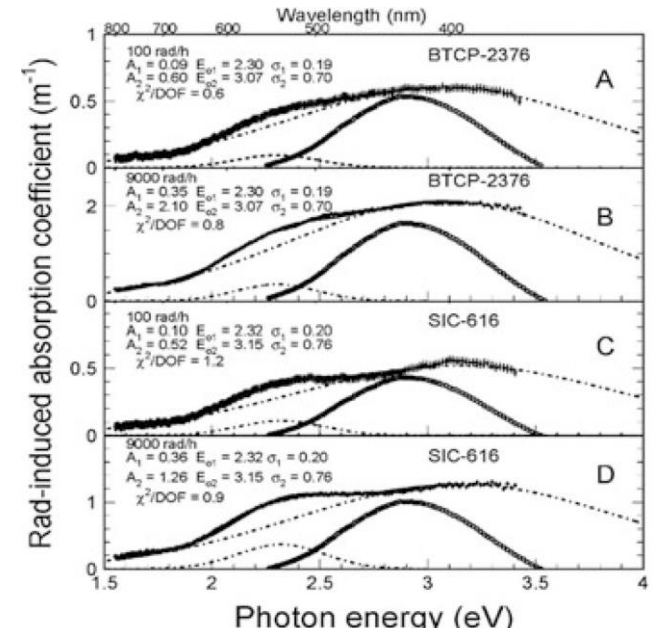
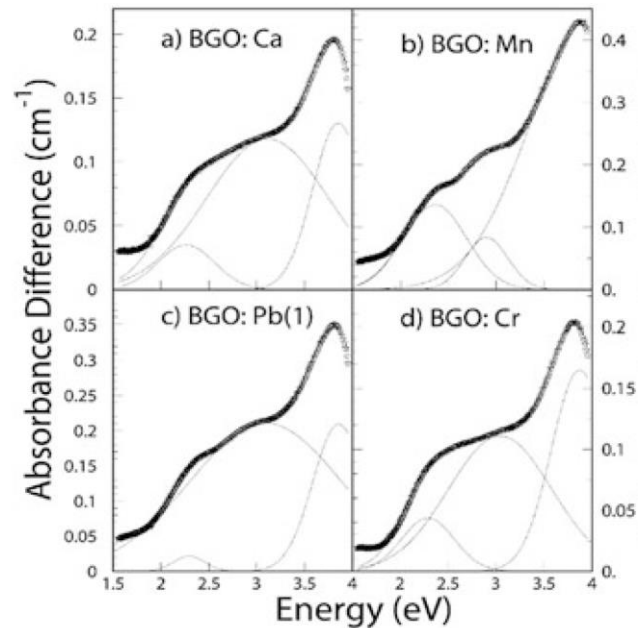
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$$EWLT = \frac{\int LT(\lambda) Em(\lambda) d\lambda}{\int Em(\lambda) d\lambda}$$

$$RIAC(\lambda) \text{ or } D(\lambda) = 1/LAL_{\text{after}}(\lambda) - 1/LAL_{\text{before}}(\lambda)$$

$$RIAC(\lambda) = \frac{1}{l} \ln \frac{T_0(\lambda)}{T(\lambda)}$$



$$EWRIAC = \frac{\int RIAC(\lambda) Em(\lambda) d\lambda}{\int Em(\lambda) d\lambda}$$

$$RIAC(\lambda) = \sum_{i=1}^n A_i e^{-\frac{(E(\lambda)-E_i)^2}{2\sigma_i^2}}$$

NIM A302 (1991) 69, NIM A376 (1996) 319



# Dose Rate Dependent Damage in PWO

PWO light reached an equilibrium under a dose rate, showing a dose rate dependent damage  
Damage/recovery requires continuous light monitoring to maintain PWO energy resolution

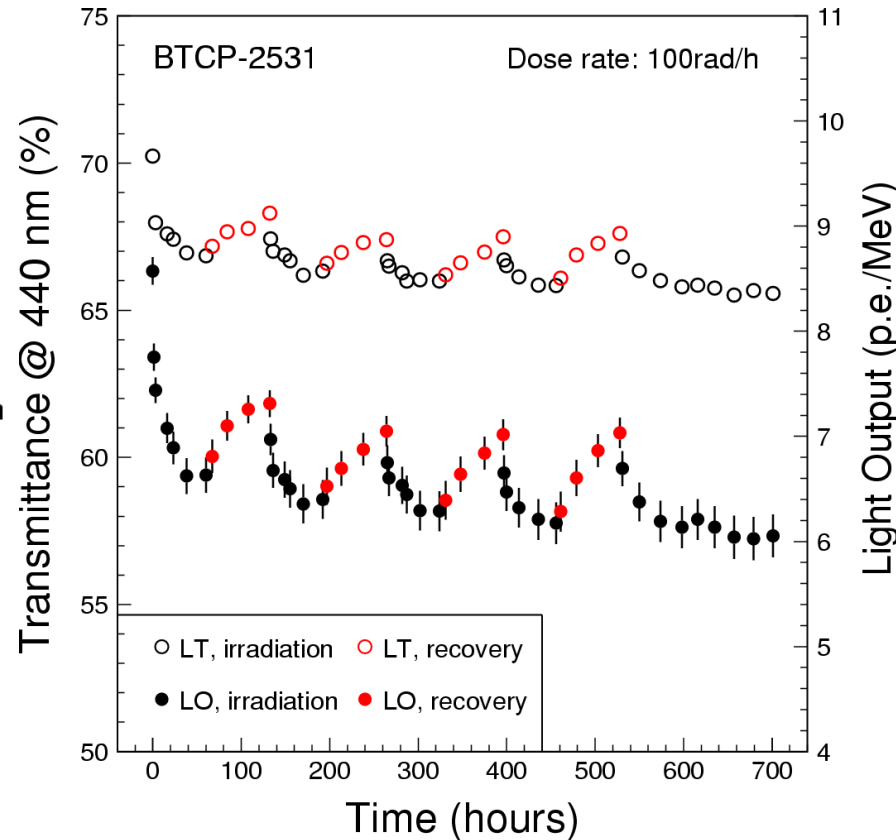
Damage/recovery observed in early lab investigation:  
IEEE Trans. Nucl. Sci., Vol. 44 (1997) 458-476

$$dD = \sum_{i=1}^n \{-a_i D_i dt + (D_i^{all} - D_i) b_i R dt\}$$

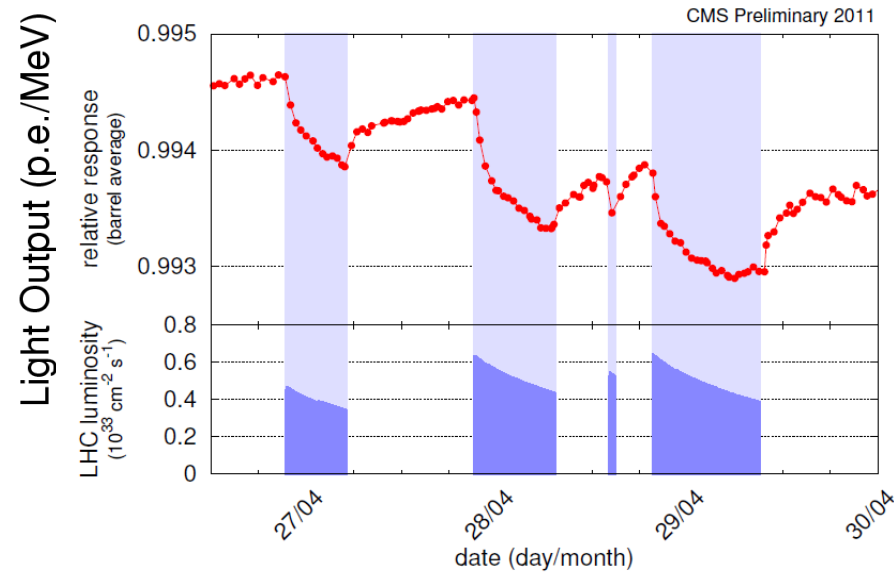
$$D = \sum_{i=1}^n \left\{ \frac{b_i R D_i^{all}}{a_i + b_i R} [1 - e^{-(a_i + b_i R)t}] + D_i^0 e^{-(a_i + b_i R)t} \right\}$$

- $D_i$ : color center density in units of  $m^{-1}$ ;
- $D_i^0$ : initial color center density;
- $D_i^{all}$  is the total density of trap related to the color center in the crystal;
- $a_i$ : recovery constant in units of  $hr^{-1}$ ;
- $b_i$ : damage constant in units of  $kRad^{-1}$ ;
- $R$ : the radiation dose rate in units of  $kRad/hr$ .

$$D_{eq} = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{b_i R D_i^{all}}{a_i + b_i R}$$



Damage and recovery observed *in situ* at the LHC by the CMS light monitoring system

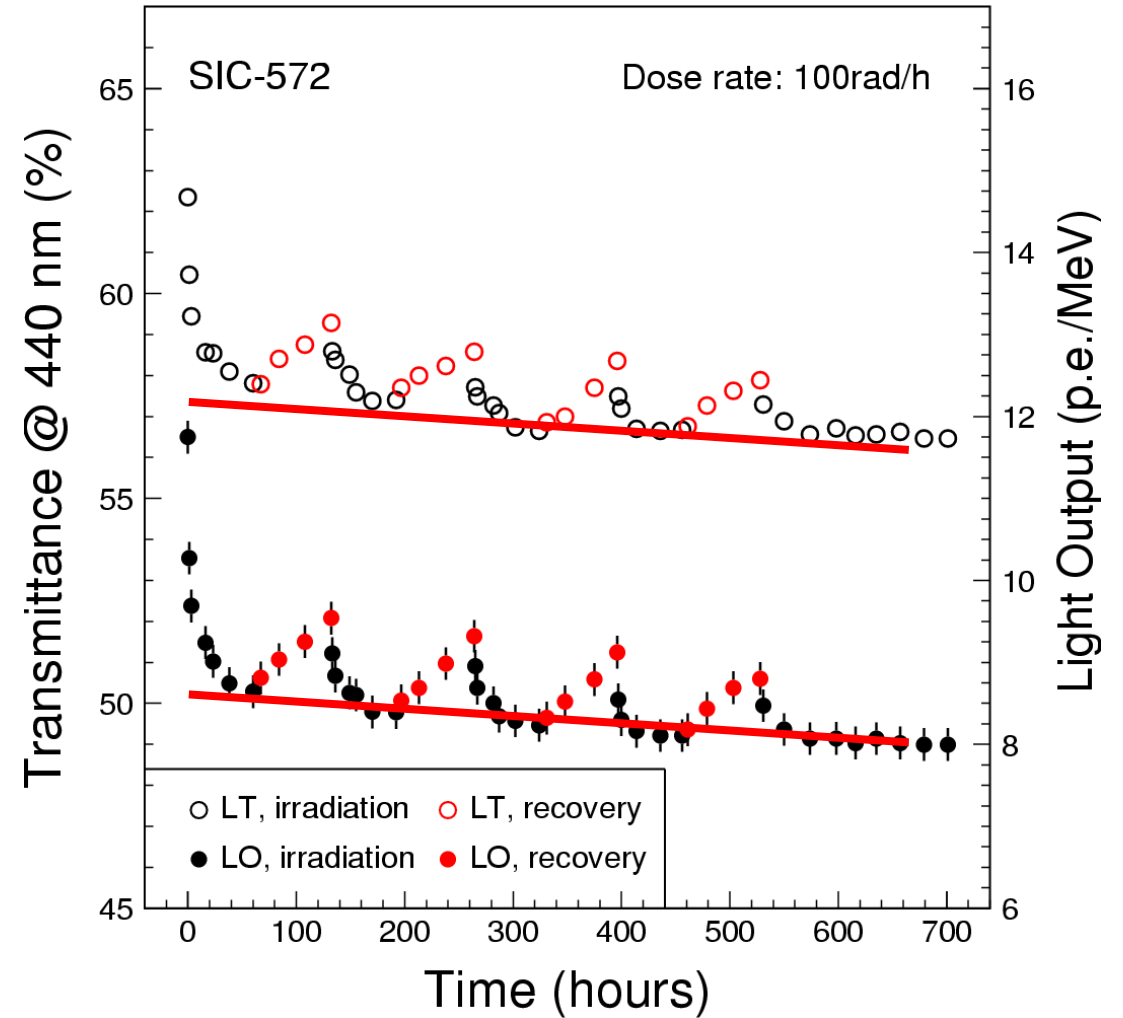
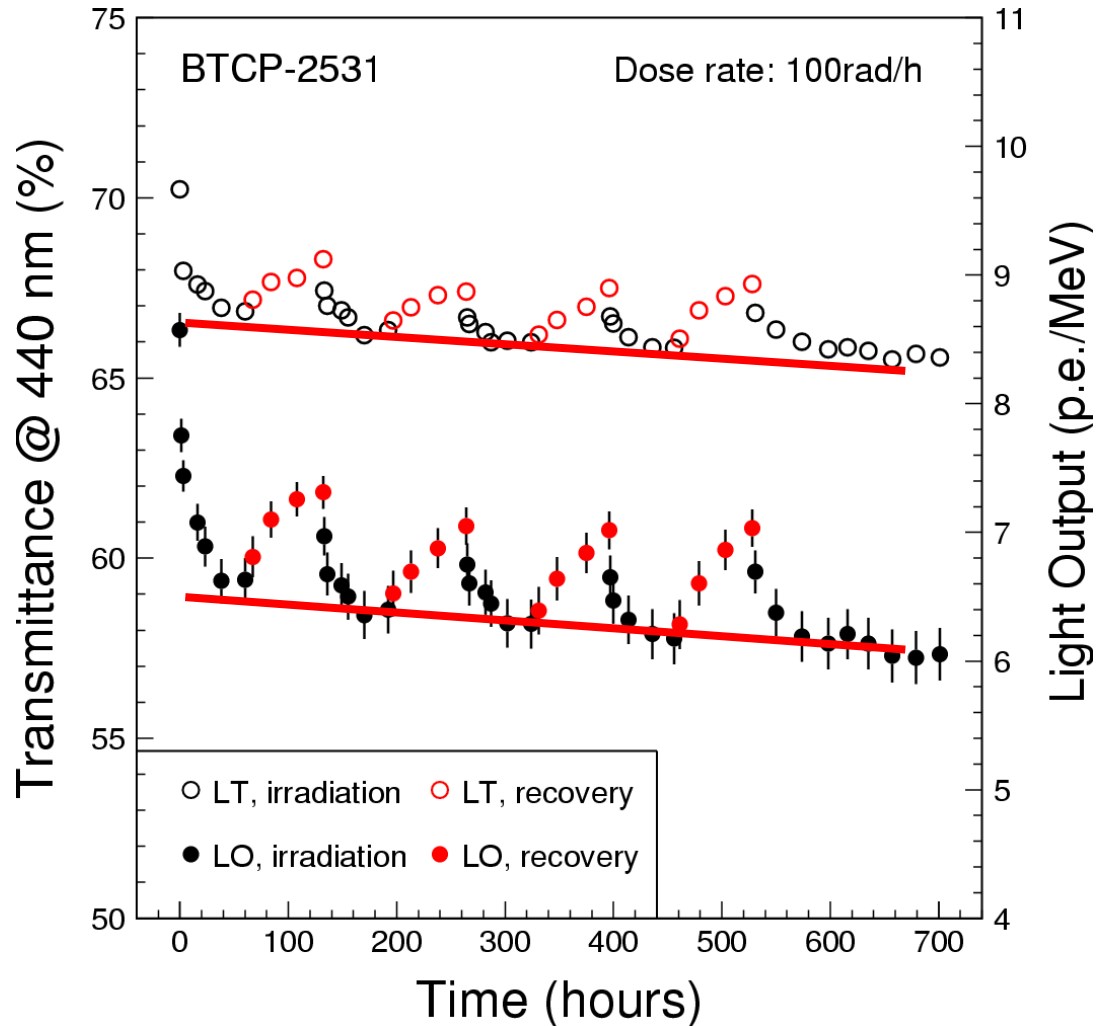




# Effect of Multiple Color Centers



BTCP & SIC PWO @ 100 rad/h and recovery  
AIP Conference Proceedings 867 (2006) 252





# Radiation Damage Mechanism



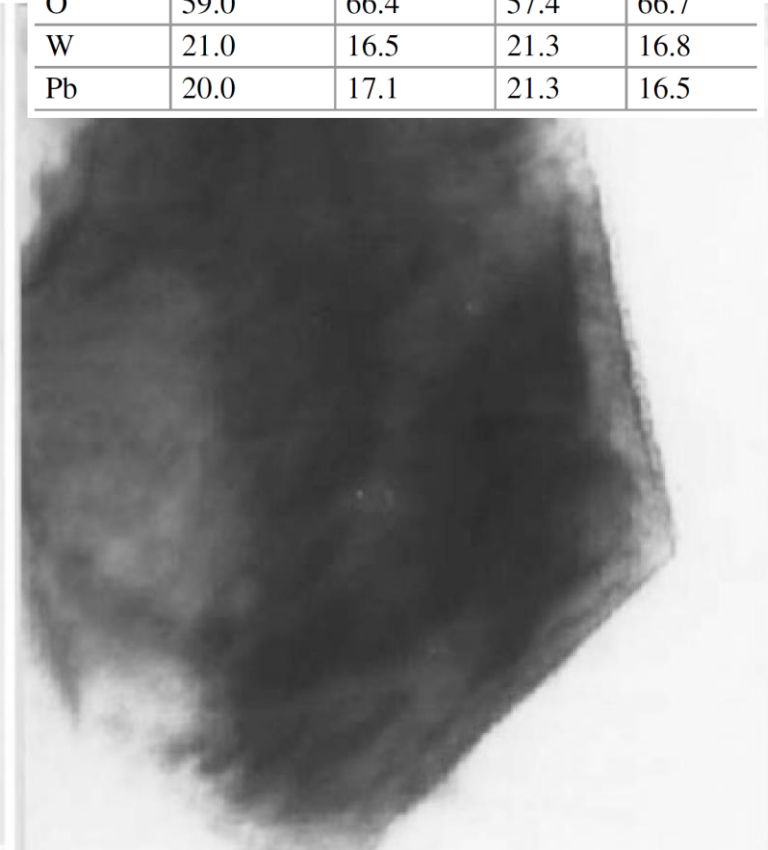
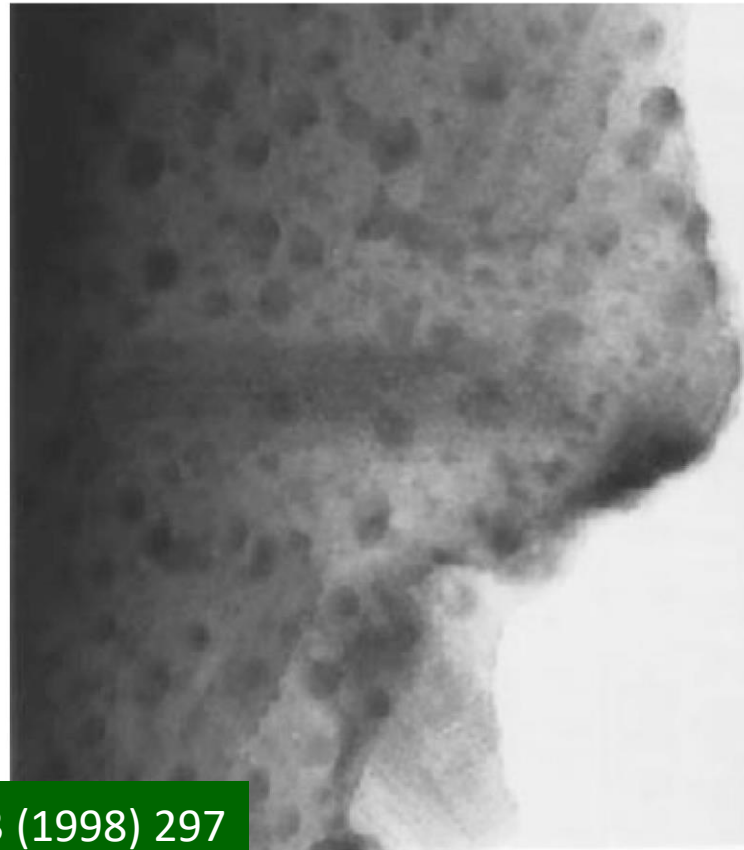
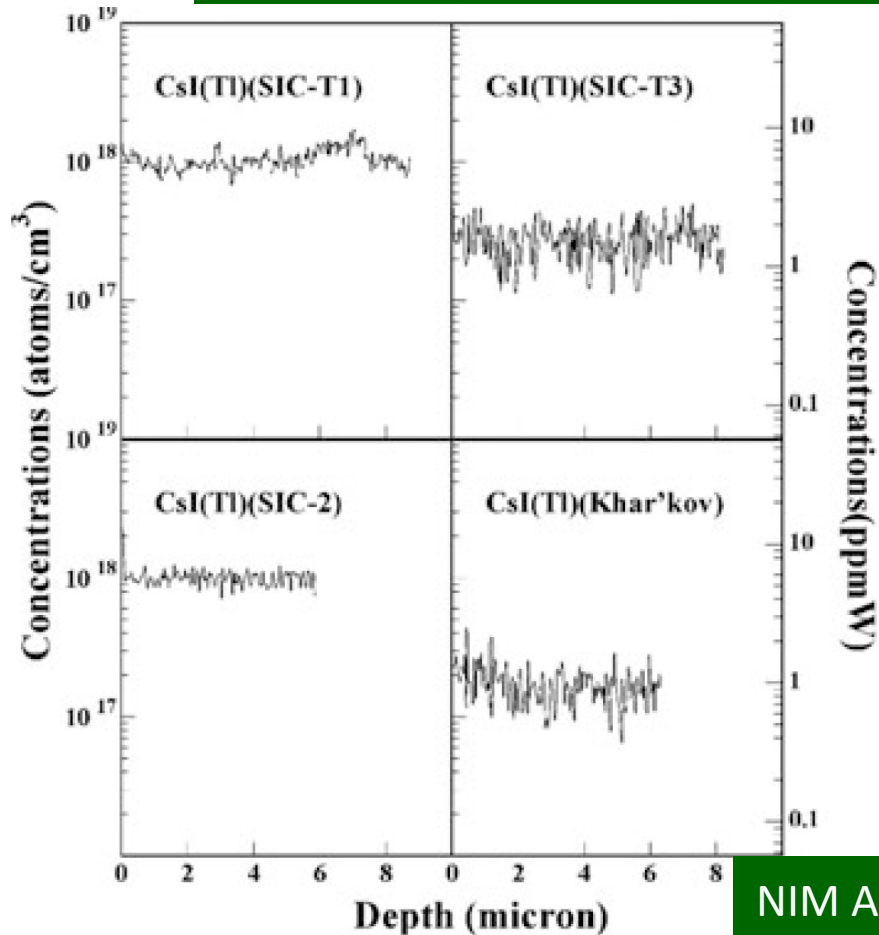
SIMS analysis revealed that damage in alkali halides was caused by the oxygen and/or hydroxyl contamination. Localized stoichiometry analysis by TEM/EDS revealed that damage in oxides was caused by stoichiometry-related defects, e.g. oxygen vacancies.

*As grown sample*

Element	Black spot	Peripheral	Matrix <sub>1</sub>	Matrix <sub>2</sub>
O	1.5	15.8	60.8	63.2
W	50.8	44.3	19.6	18.4
Pb	47.7	39.9	19.6	18.4

*The same sample after oxygen compensation*

Element	Point <sub>1</sub>	Point <sub>2</sub>	Point <sub>3</sub>	Point <sub>4</sub>
O	59.0	66.4	57.4	66.7
W	21.0	16.5	21.3	16.8
Pb	20.0	17.1	21.3	16.5



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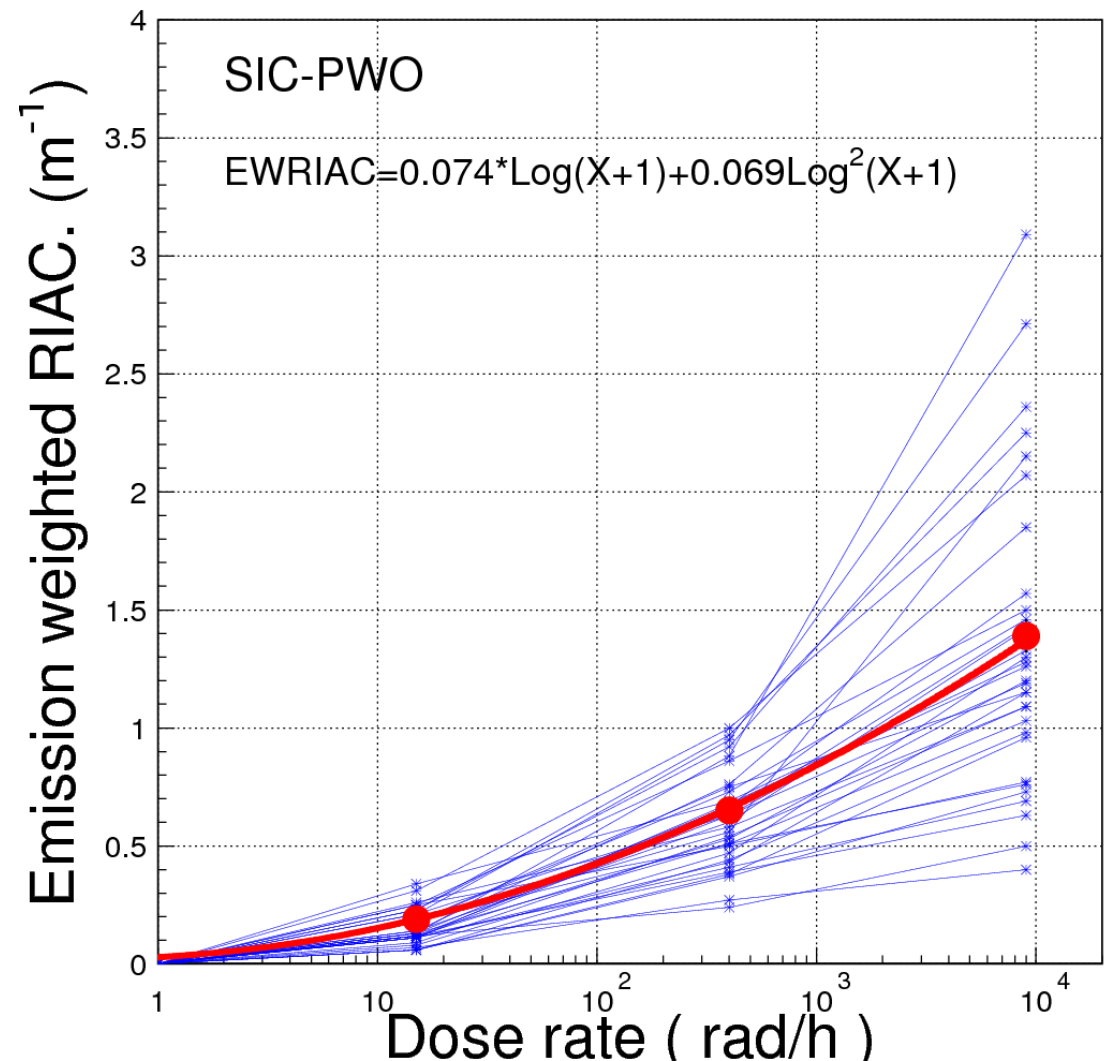
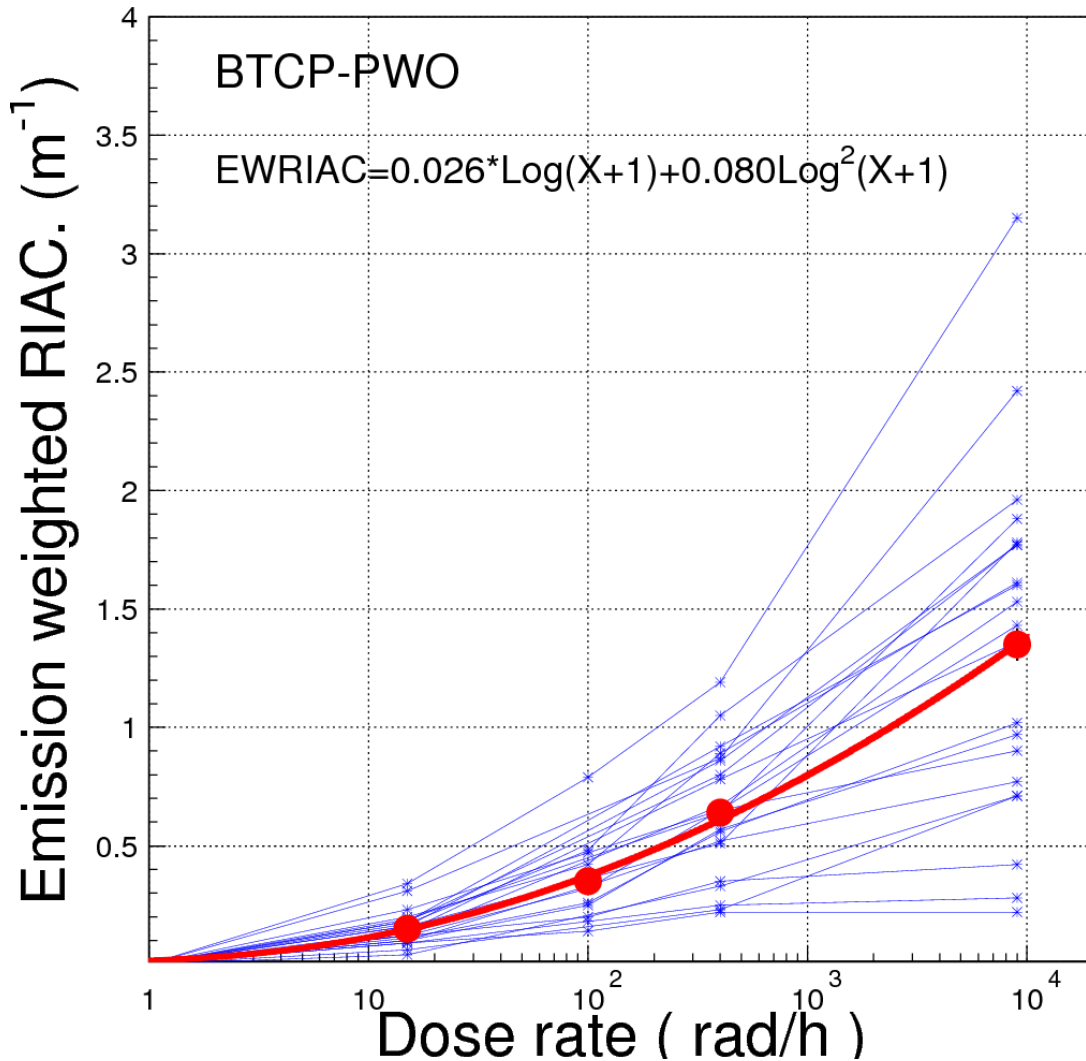




# EWRIAC vs. Ionization Dose Rate



Large spread observed for both BTCP and SIC PWO with EWRIAC fit to 2<sup>nd</sup> order polynomials of dose rate. IEEE Trans. Nucl. Sci. NS-51 (2004) 1777

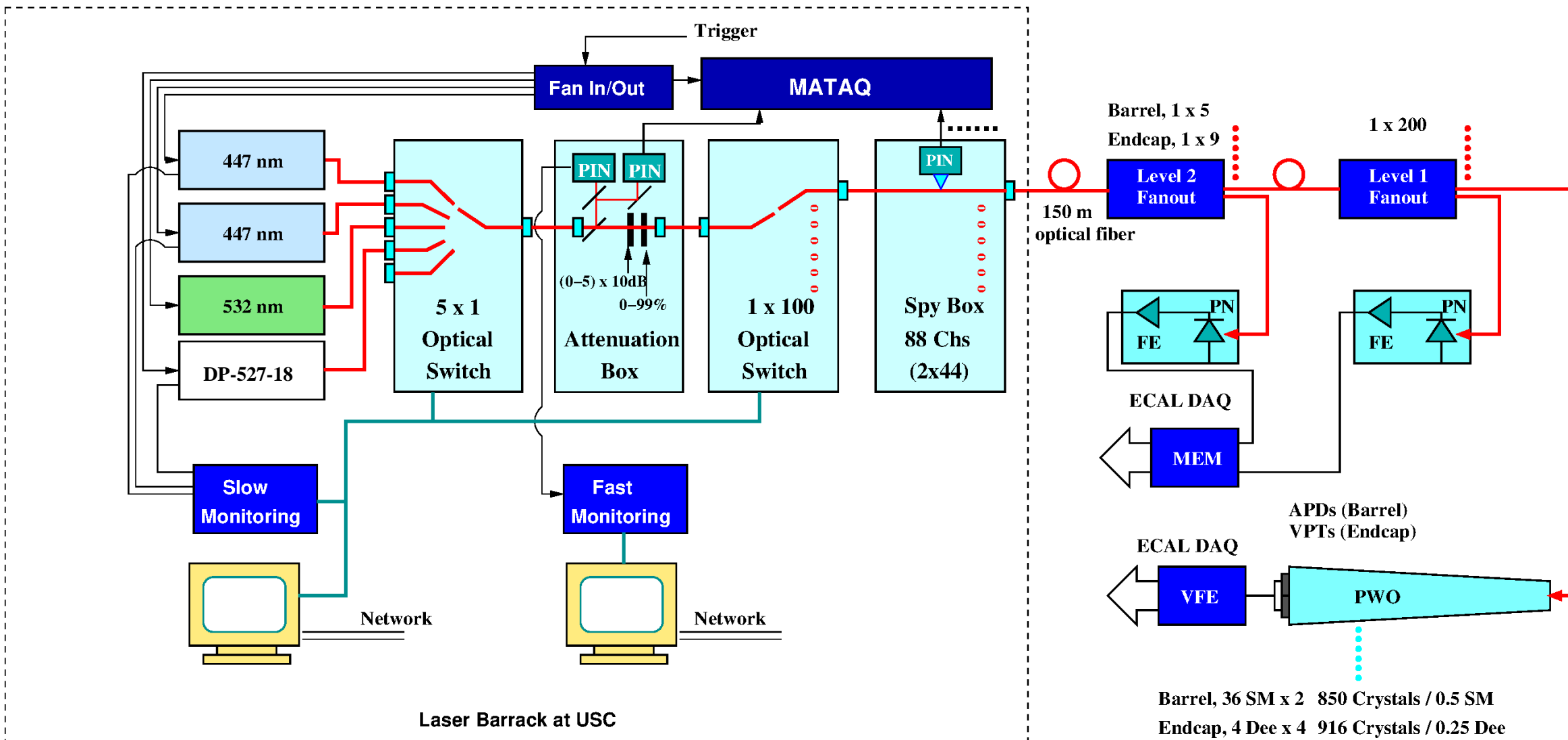




# CMS PWO ECAL Laser Monitoring



Runs 24/7 providing 600 laser pulses/crystal at 100 Hz every 30 min



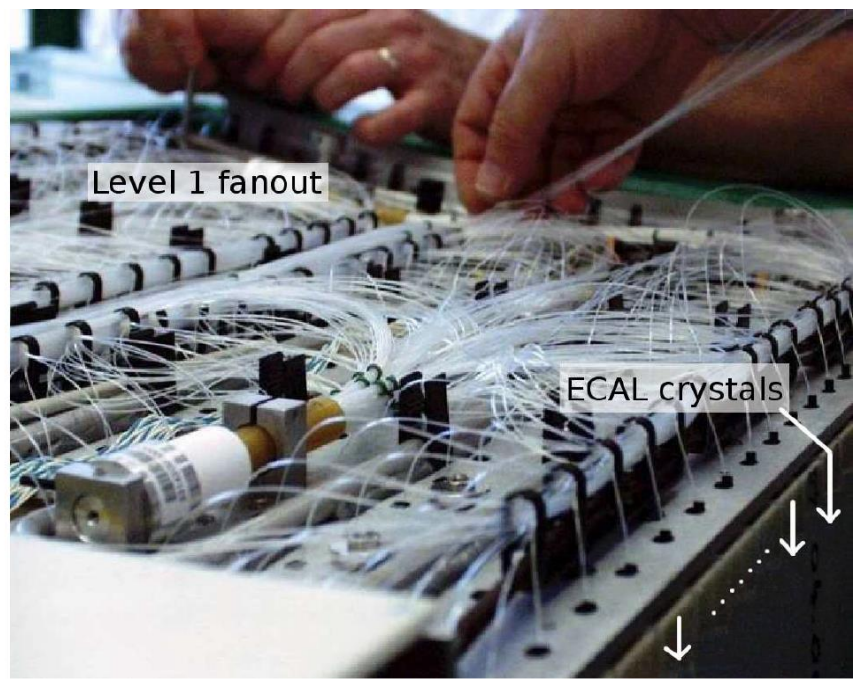
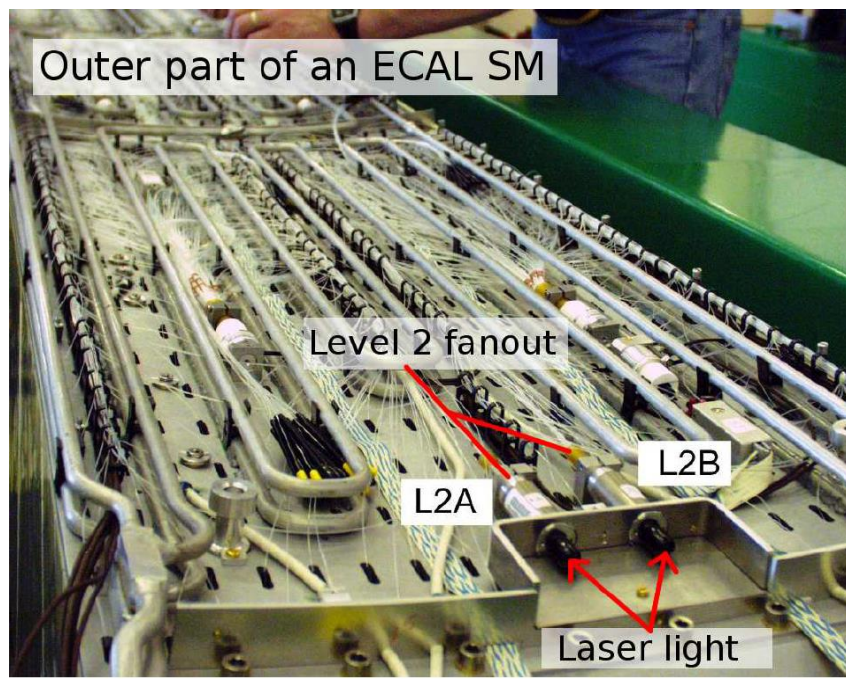
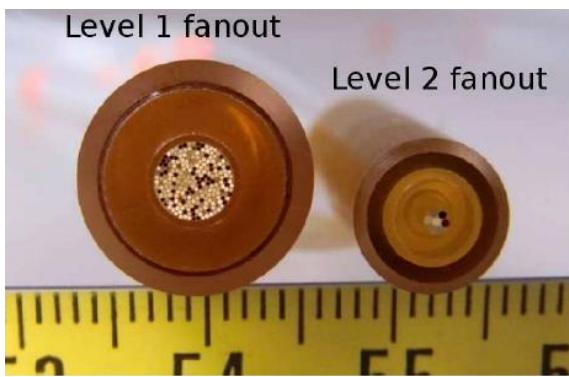
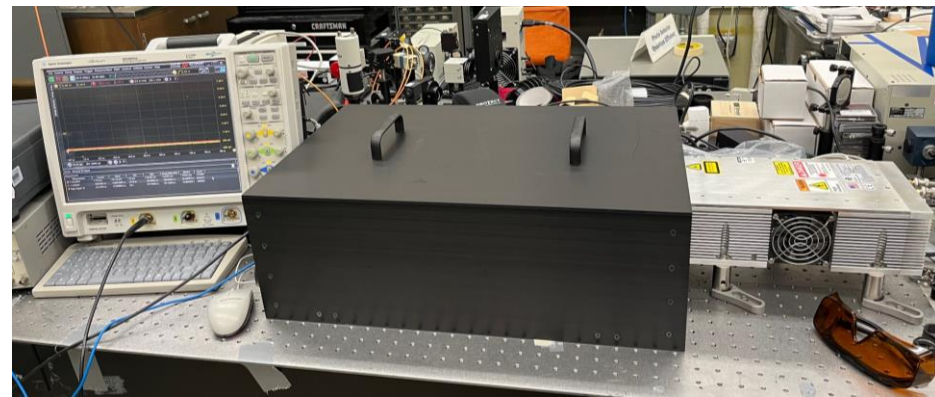
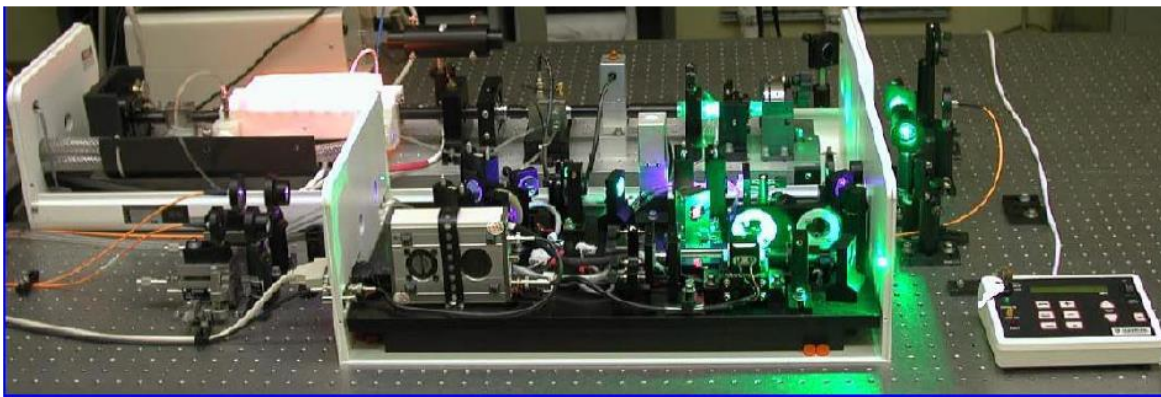


# CMS Laser Monitoring Hardware



Lamp Pumped Lases: 2002 to 2012

Diode Pumped Lases: since 2012

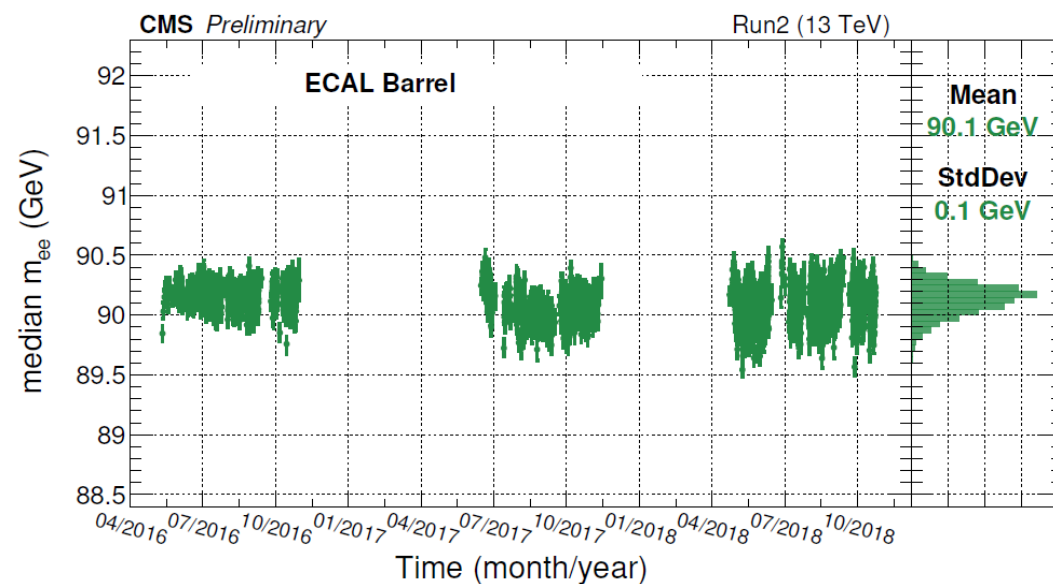
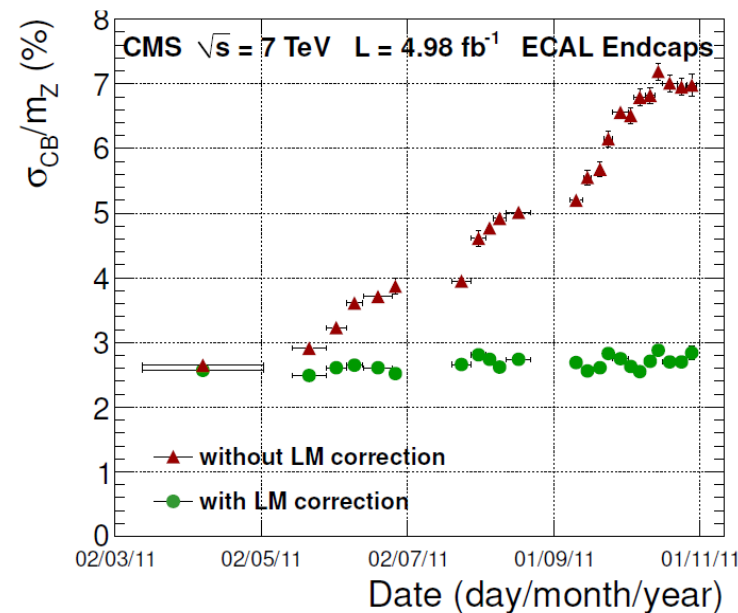
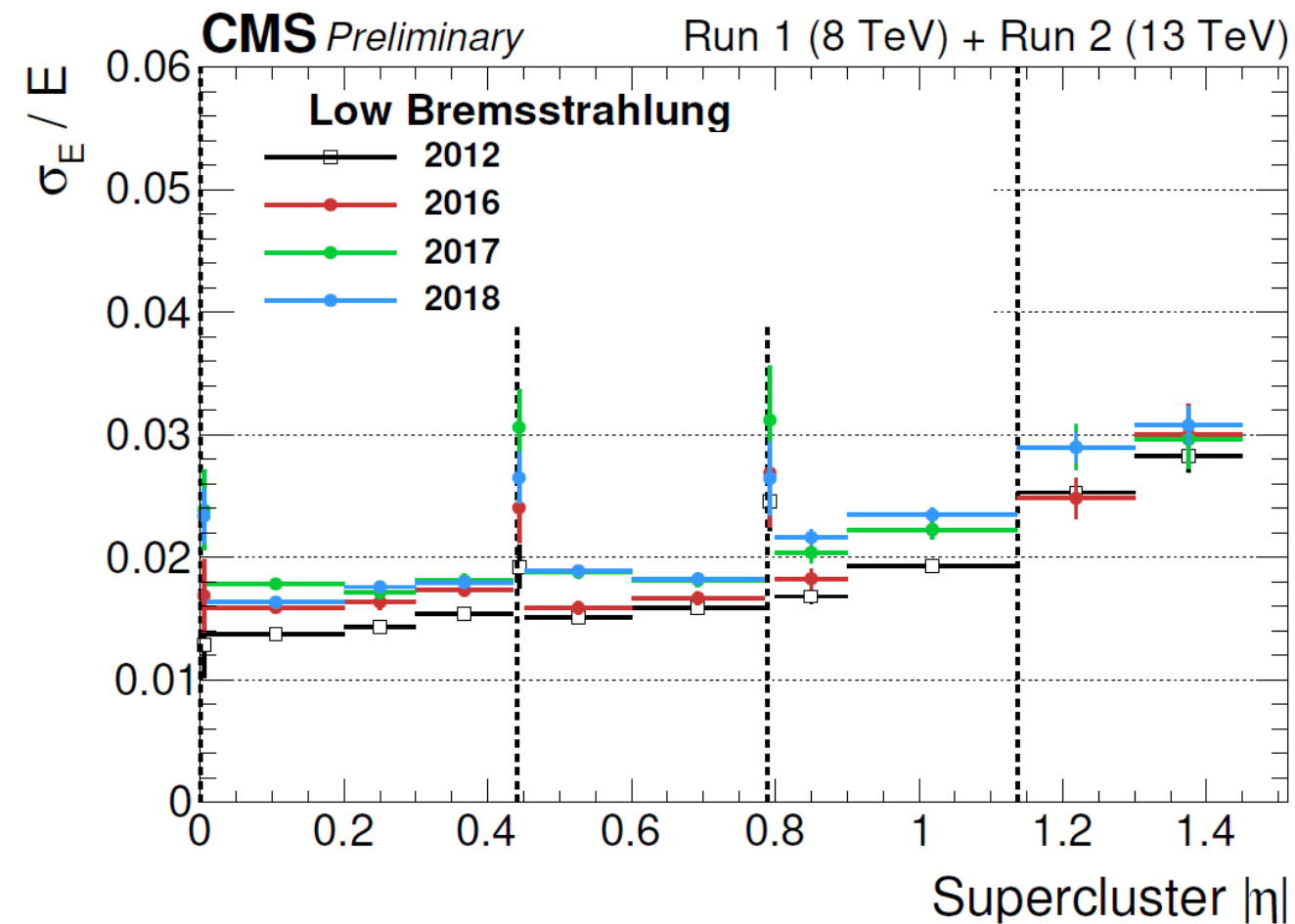




# CMS ECAL Performance at LHC



Degradation of energy resolution due to radiation damage  
F. Ferri, presented in Calor 2022, Brighton

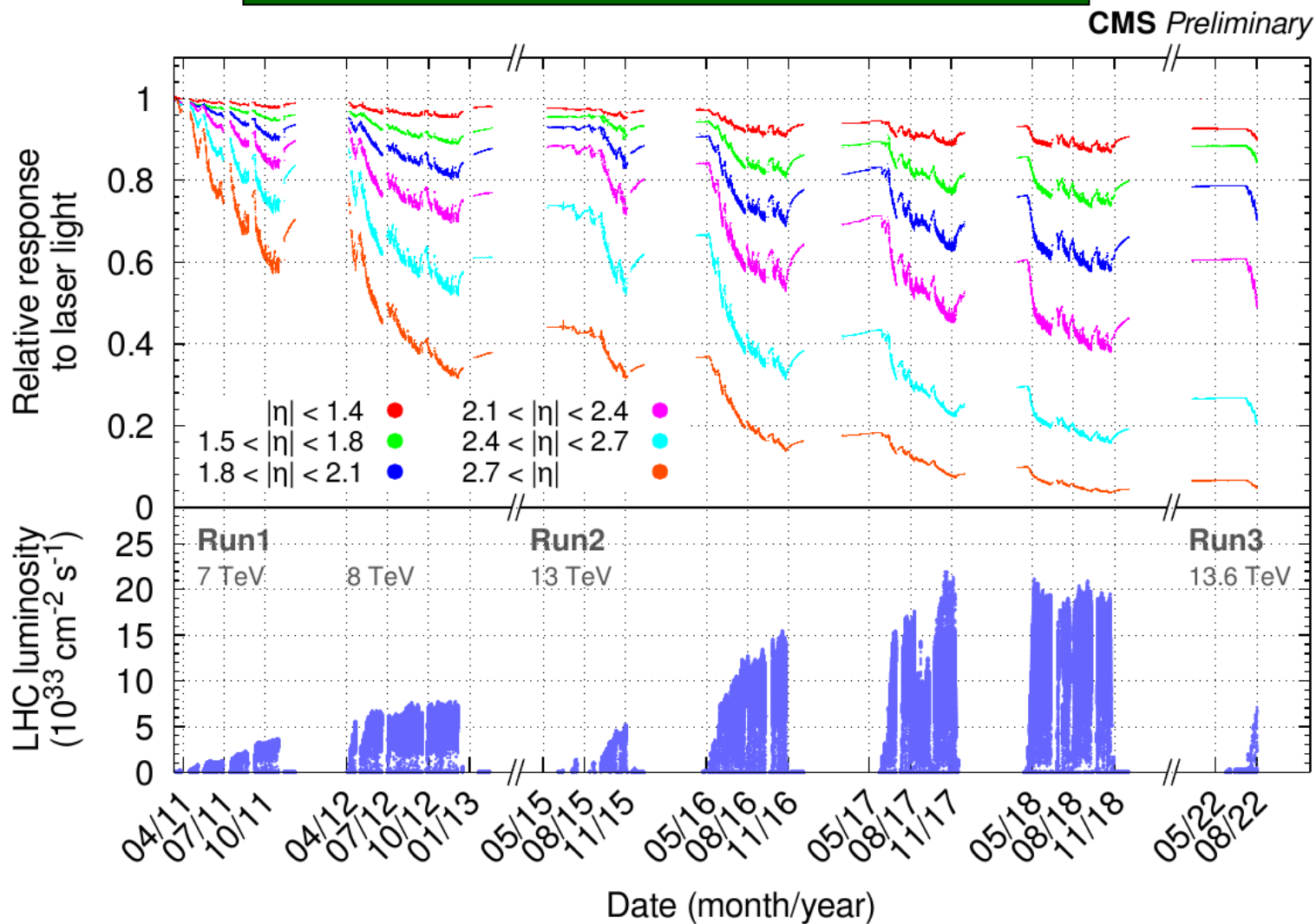
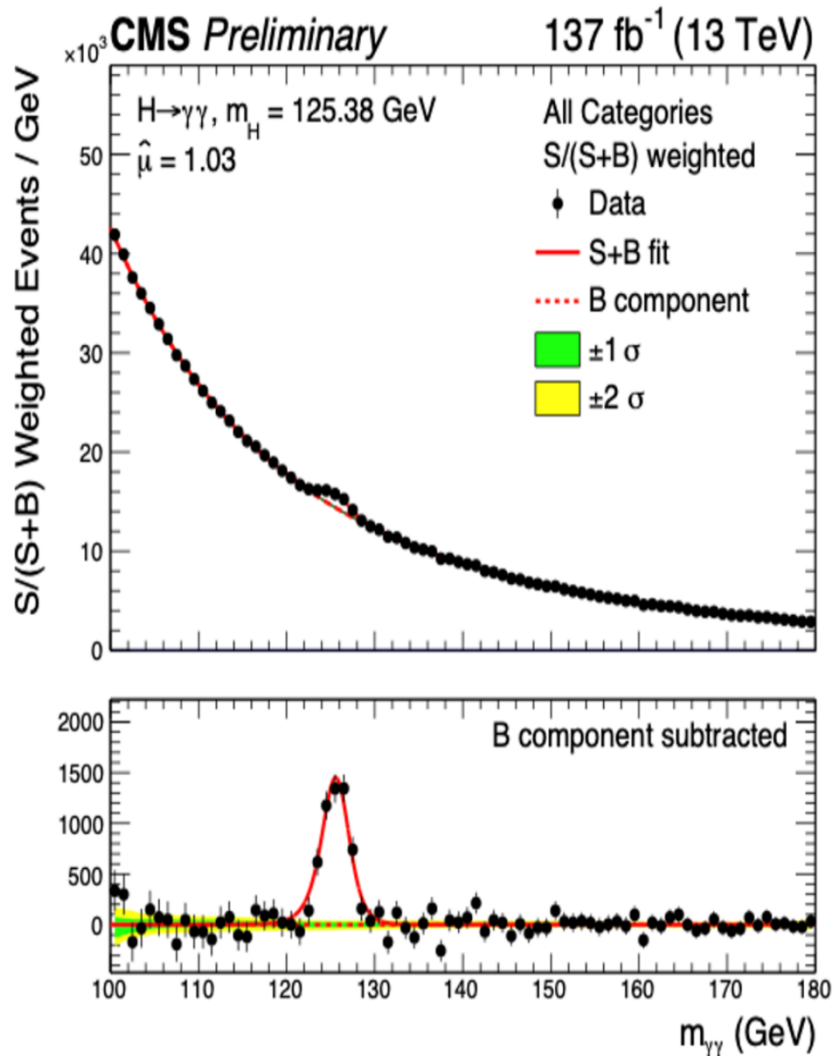




# CMS H $\rightarrow$ $\gamma\gamma$ and PWO Damage



T. Dimova, TIPP2023, light monitoring data



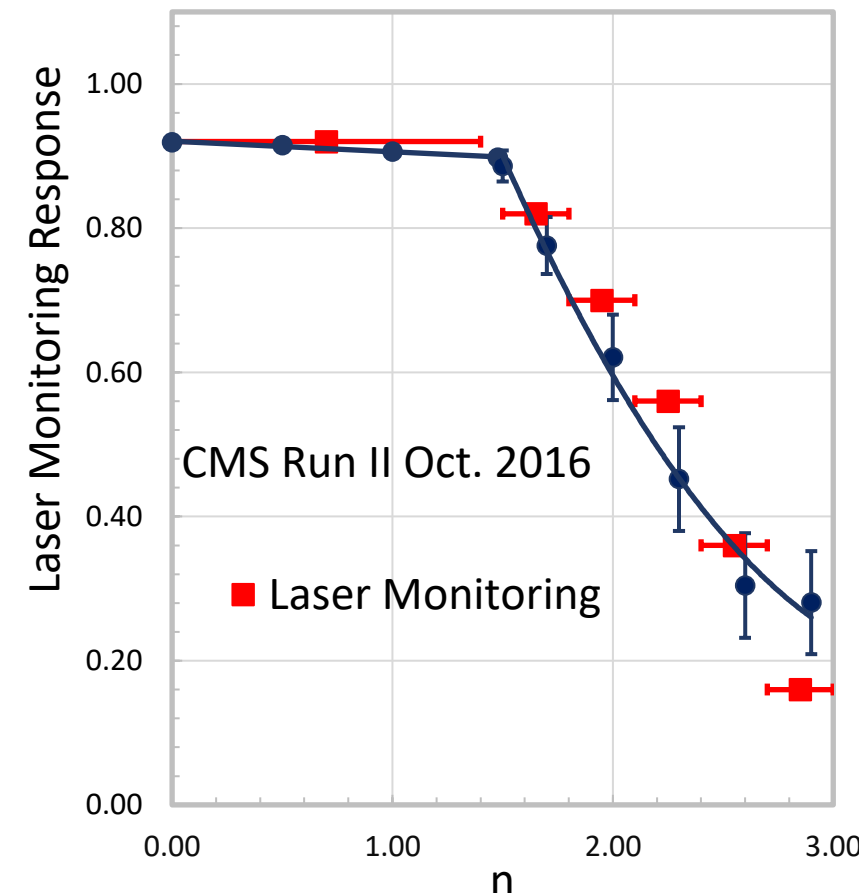
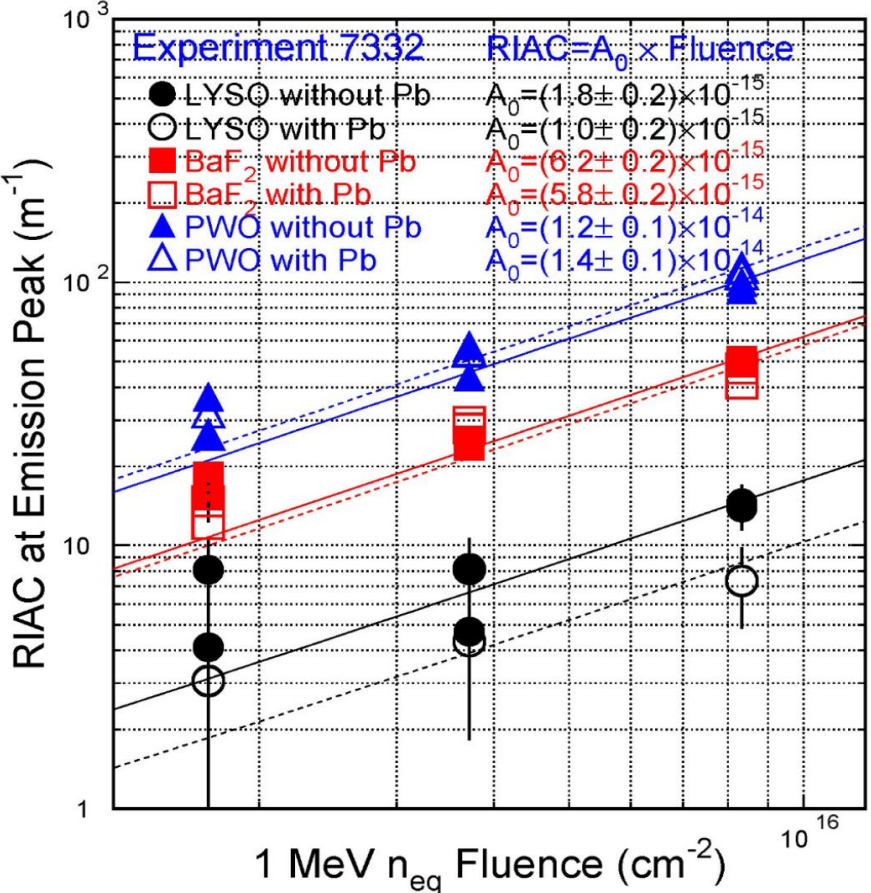
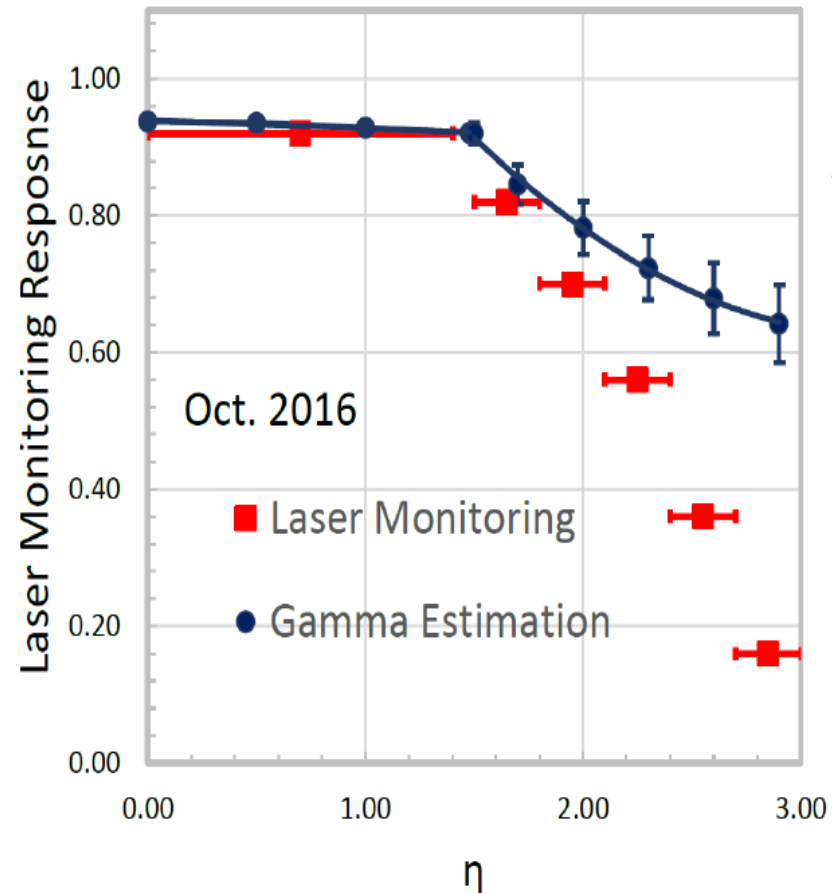
PWO damage due to ionization dose and hadrons



# PWO Damage by Ionization & Neutrons

RIAC in PWO =  $1.4 \times 10^{-14} \times 1 \text{ MeV } n_{eq} \text{ Fluence}$

$\gamma$ -ray and hadron induced absorption explains CMS PWO monitoring data  
[http://www.its.caltech.edu/~rzhu/talks/ryz\\_161028\\_PWO\\_mon.pdf](http://www.its.caltech.edu/~rzhu/talks/ryz_161028_PWO_mon.pdf) & Trans. NS. 67 (2020) 1086-1092





# Comparison: ePIC and BTL at HL-LHC



The ionization dose rate and neutron flux of the ePIC PWO ECAL are two to three orders of magnitude lower than that of the CMS BTL (LYSO:Ce+SiPM) at the HL-LHC  
The expected RIAC values are small. QC is needed for mass-produced PWO crystals

Radiation	EIC / Year	EIC*	CMS BTL** / 4000 fb-1 ( $\eta=0-1.45$ )	CMS BTL** ( $\eta=0-1.45$ )
Ionization Dose	3 Krad	1.3 rad/h	2.7-4.8 Mrad	110-190 rad/h
1 MeV eq. Neutrons	$10^{10}$ /cm <sup>2</sup>	$1.2 \times 10^3$ /cm <sup>2</sup> /s	$(2.5 \sim 2.9) \times 10^{14}$ /cm <sup>2</sup>	$(2.8 \sim 3.2) \times 10^6$ /cm <sup>2</sup> /s
Charged Hadrons			$(2.2 \sim 2.5) \times 10^{13}$ /cm <sup>2</sup>	$(2.4 \sim 2.8) \times 10^5$ /cm <sup>2</sup> /s

\*Estimated by assuming 100 days operation per year.

\*\* IEEE Trans. Nucl. Sci. NS-68 (2021) 1244-1250



# 2019 DOE Basic Research Needs Study Priority Research Directions for Calorimetry

- Enhance calorimetry energy resolution for precision electroweak mass and missing-energy measurements;
- Advance calorimetry with spatial and timing resolution and radiation hardness to master high-rate environments;
- Develop ultrafast media to improve background rejection in calorimeters and particle identification detectors.

DOE 2019: <https://www.osti.gov/servlets/purl/1659761>

ECFA 2021: <https://cds.cern.ch/record/2784893>

Snowmass 2021: <https://arxiv.org/abs/2209.14111>

Fast/ultrafast, radiation hard and cost-effective inorganic scintillators



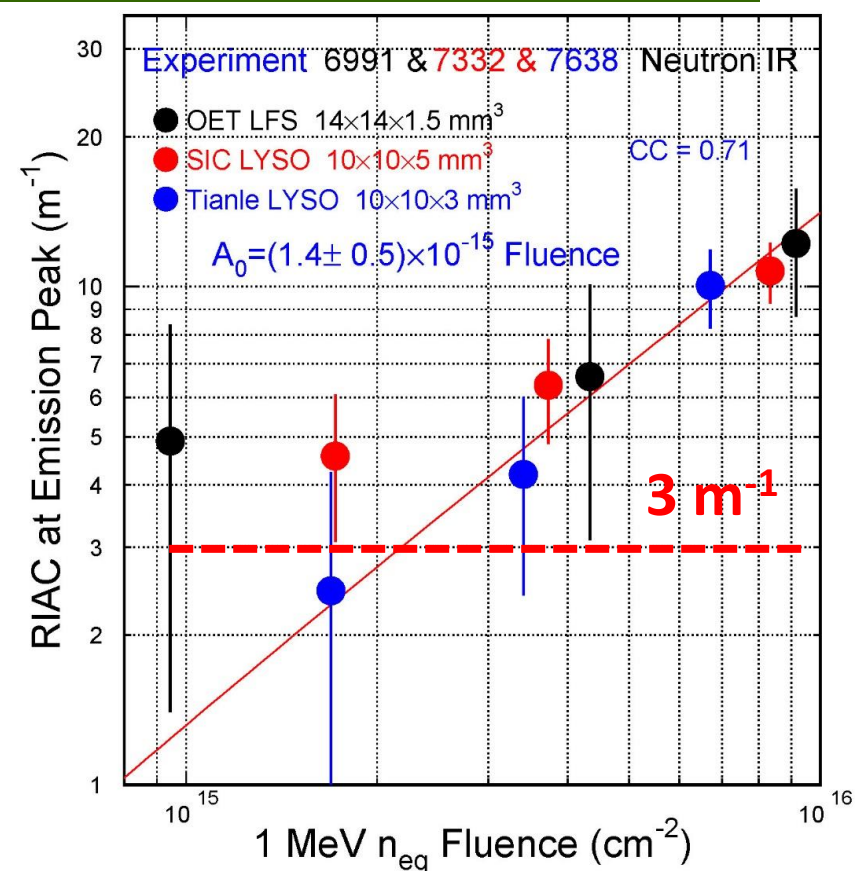
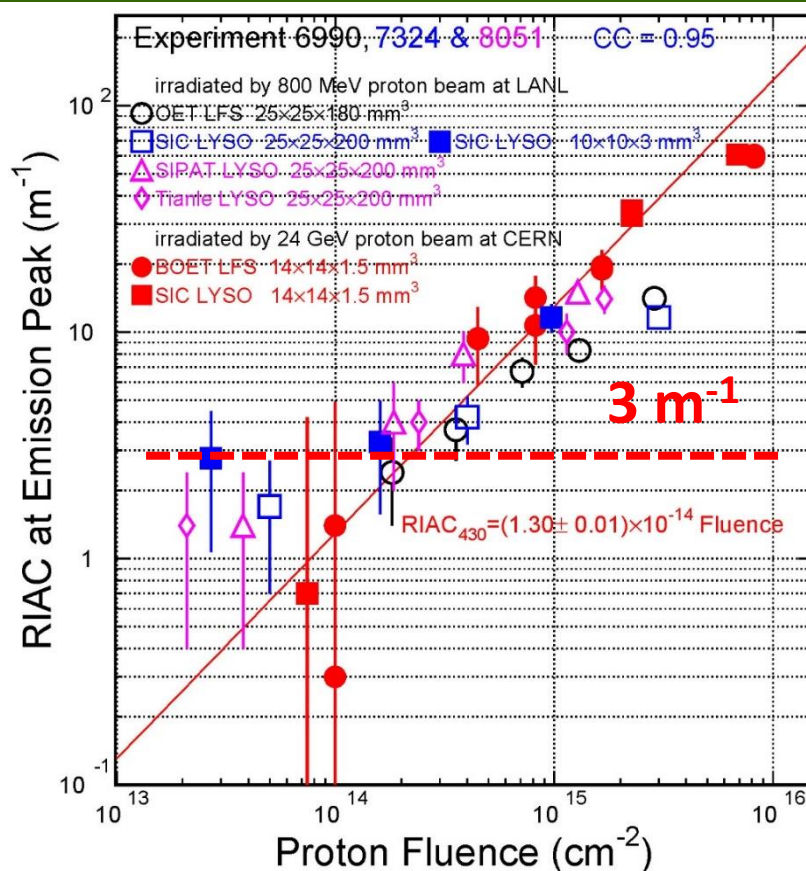
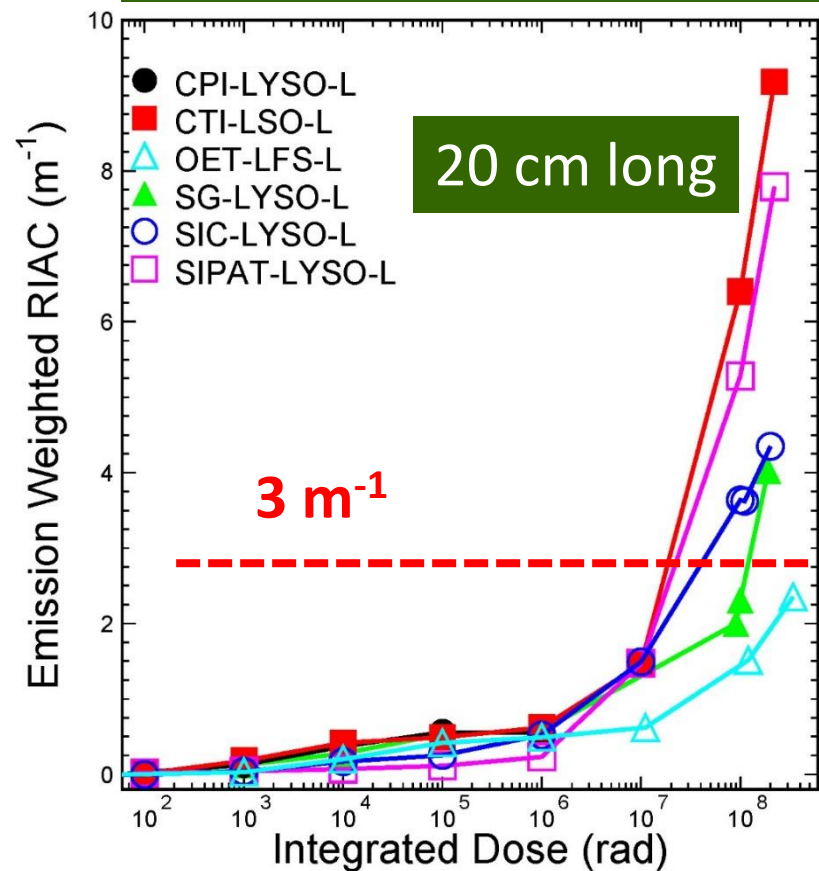


# LYSO:Ce Radiation Hardness



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CMS BTL LYSO spec: RIAC < 3 m<sup>-1</sup> after 4.8 Mrad, 2.5 x 10<sup>13</sup> p/cm<sup>2</sup> and 3.2 x 10<sup>14</sup> n<sub>eq</sub>/cm<sup>2</sup>



Damage induced by protons is larger than that from neutrons  
Due to ionization energy loss in addition to displacement and nuclear breakup



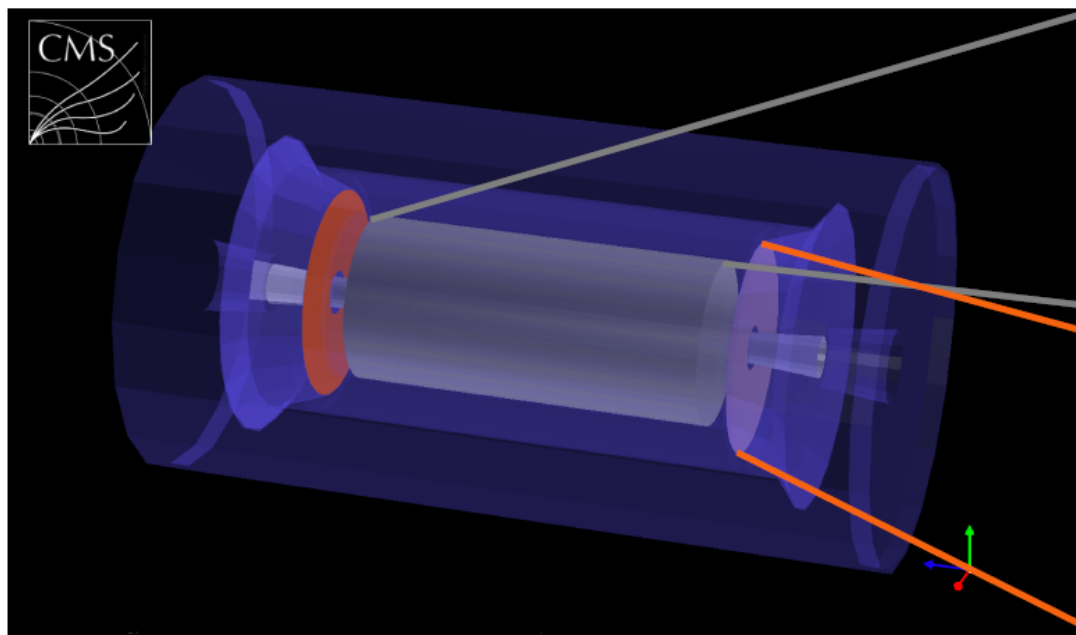
# LYSO:Ce for CMS MIP Timing Detector



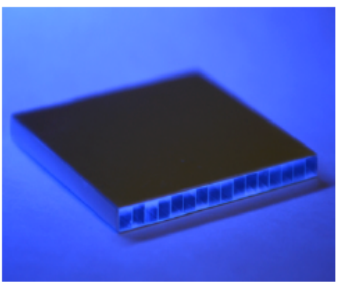
MTD performance goal: 30-40 ps at the start degrading to  $< 60$  ps at  $3000 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

Barrel Timing Layer: arrays of LYSO crystal bars connected to SiPMs at both ends and readout by TOFHIR

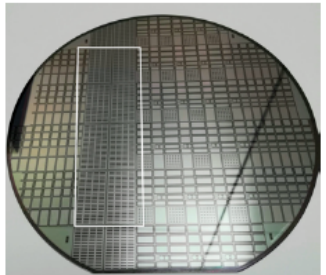
Ultrafast inorganic scintillators would help to break the pico-second time barrier



- BTL: LYSO bars + SiPM read-out**
- ▷ TK / ECAL interface  $\sim 45$  mm thick
  - ▷  $|\eta| < 1.45$  and  $p_T > 0.7$  GeV
  - ▷ Active area  $\sim 38 \text{ m}^2$ ; 332k channels
  - ▷ Fluence at  $3 \text{ ab}^{-1}$ :  $2 \times 10^{14} \text{ n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$



- ETL: Si with internal gain (LGAD)**
- ▷ On the HGC nose  $\sim 65$  mm thick
  - ▷  $1.6 < |\eta| < 3.0$
  - ▷ Active area  $\sim 14 \text{ m}^2$ ;  $\sim 8.5\text{M}$  channels
  - ▷ Fluence at  $3 \text{ ab}^{-1}$ : up to  $2 \times 10^{15} \text{ n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$



LYSO + SiPM with Thermal Electric Cooler (TEC) for CMS Barrel Timing Layer (BTL) in construction



SiPM array prototypes from FBK



SiPM arrays mockup for TECs testing

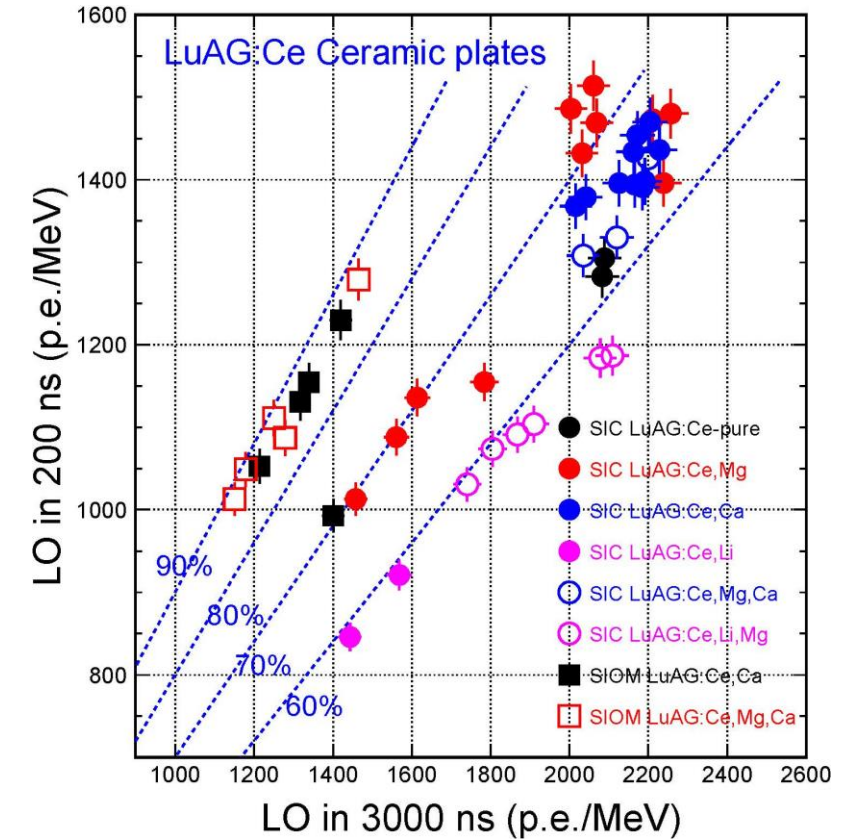
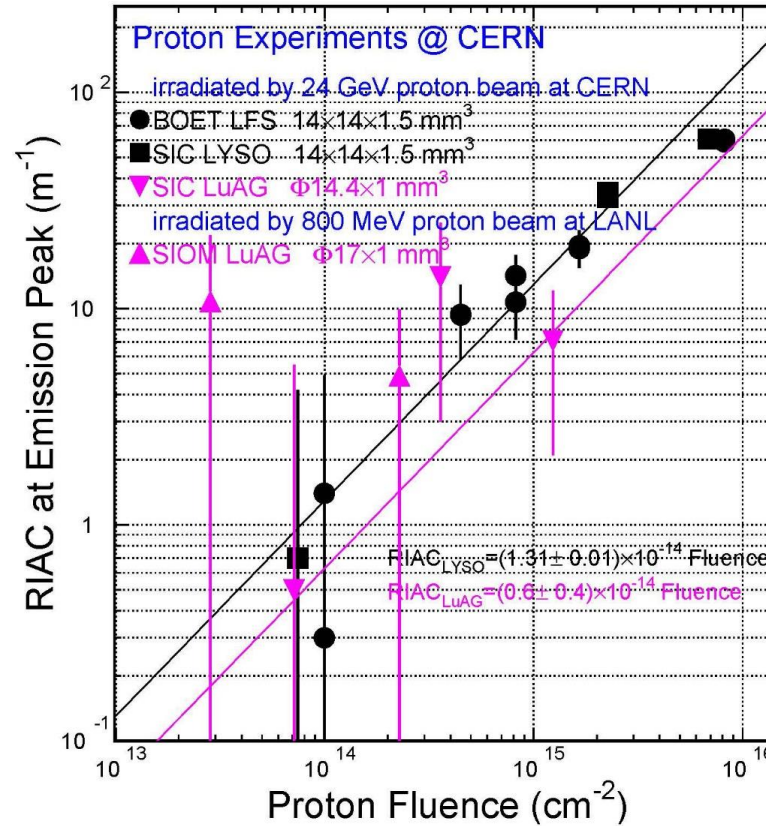
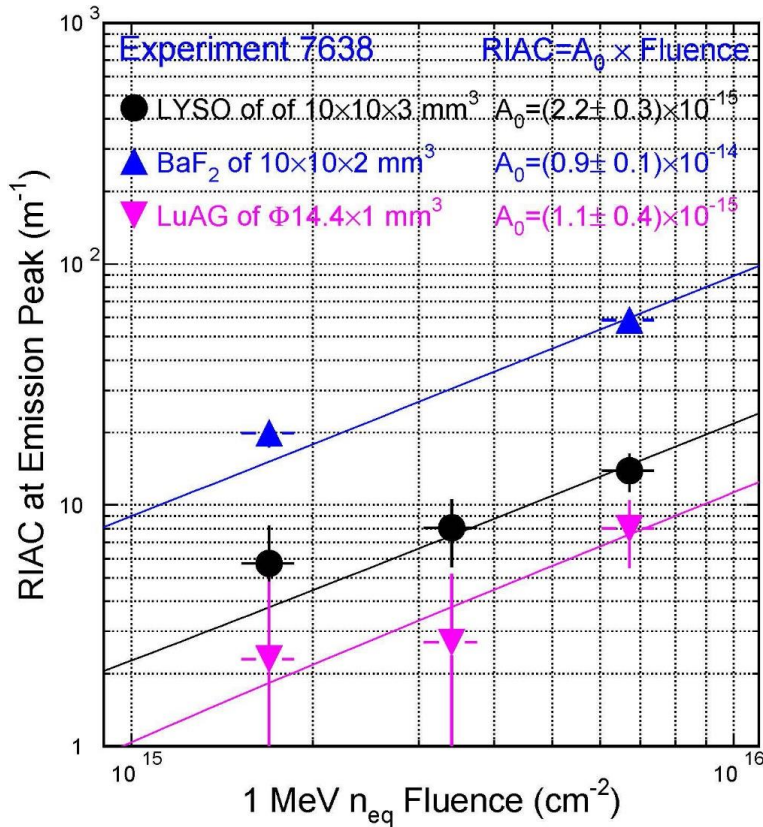


# LuAG:Ce Ceramics Radiation Hardness



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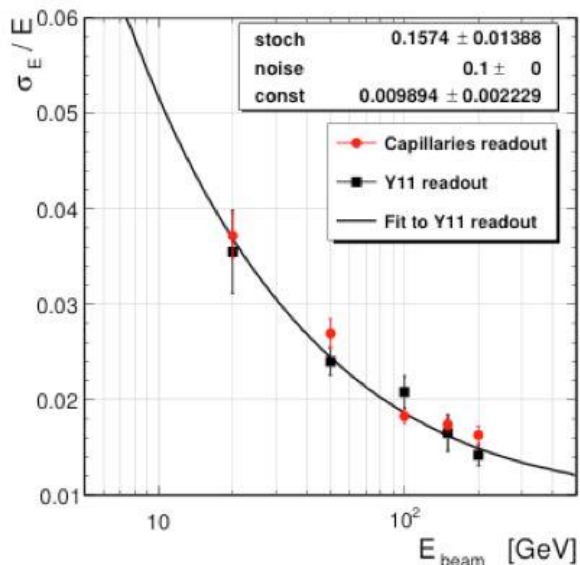
LuAG:Ce ceramics show a factor of two smaller RIAC values than LYSO:Ce up to  $6.7 \times 10^{15} \text{ n}_{\text{eq}}/\text{cm}^2$  and  $1.2 \times 10^{15} \text{ p}/\text{cm}^2$ , promising for FCC-hh



R&D on slow component suppression by Ca co-doping, and radiation hardness by  $\gamma/p/n$

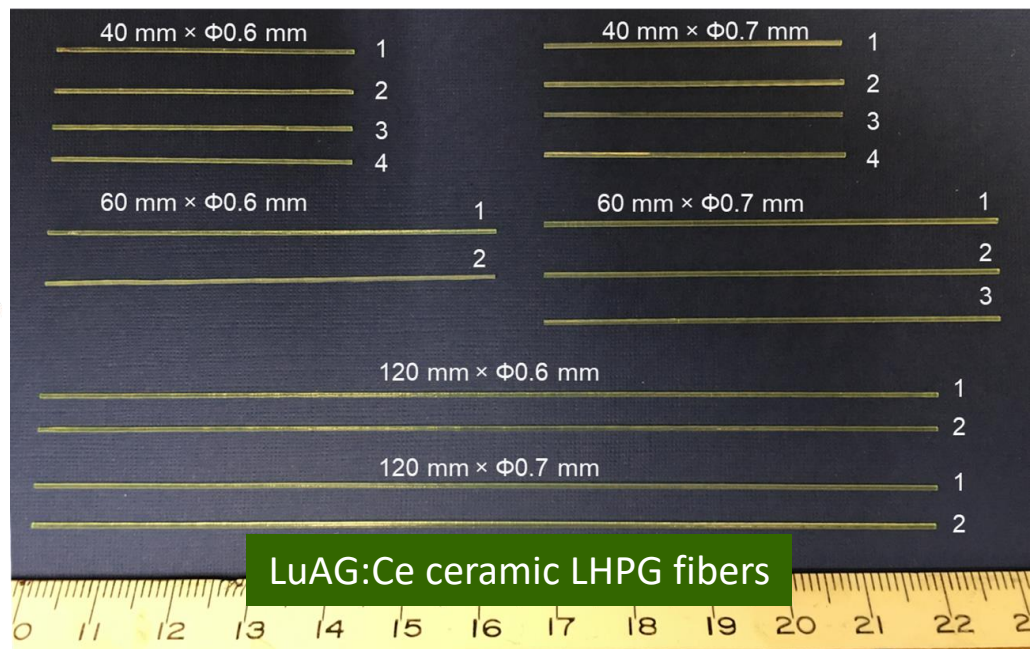
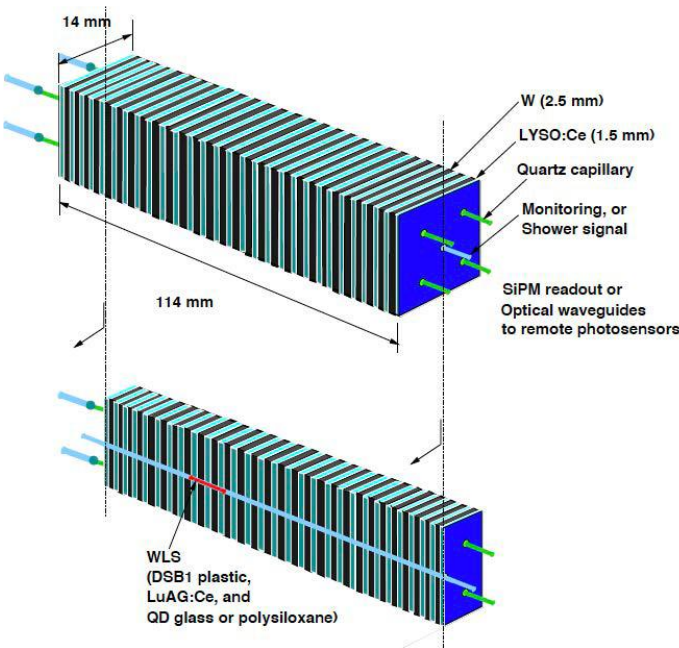
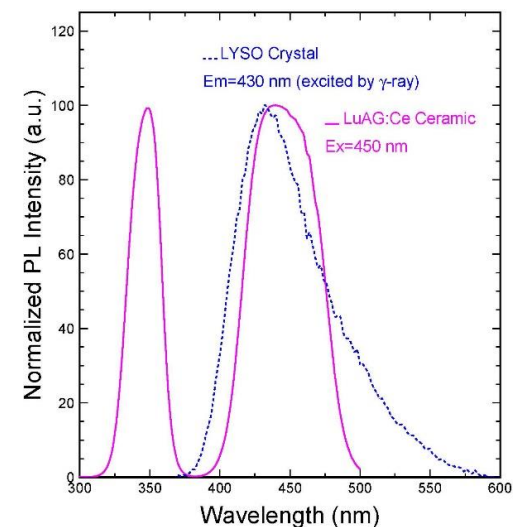


# RADiCAL: LYSO/LuAG Shashlik ECAL

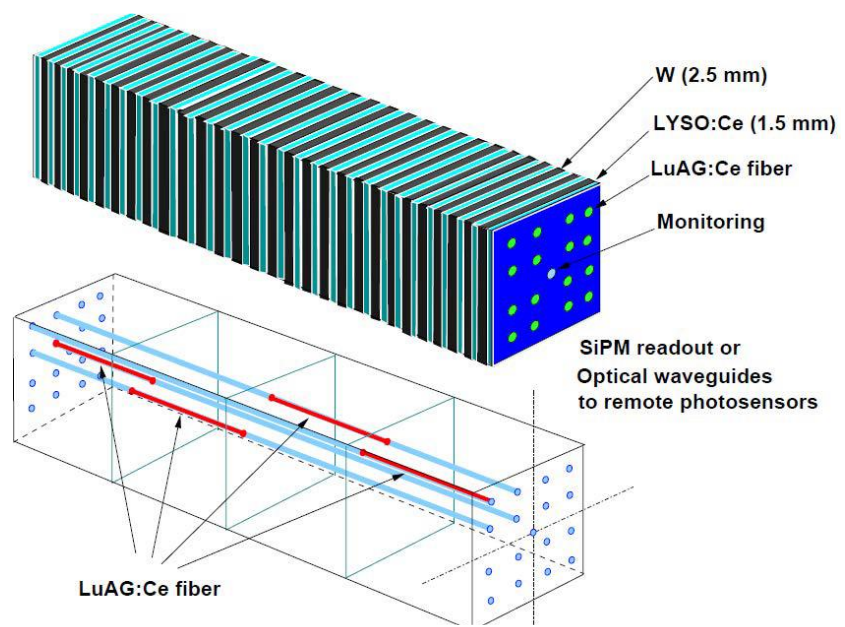


arXiv: 2203.12806

**RADI**ation hard **CAL**orimetry  
 Reducing light path length to mitigate radiation damage effect  
 Using radiation hard materials:  
 LuAG:Ce ceramics excitation matches LYSO:Ce emission



LuAG:Ce ceramic LHPG fibers



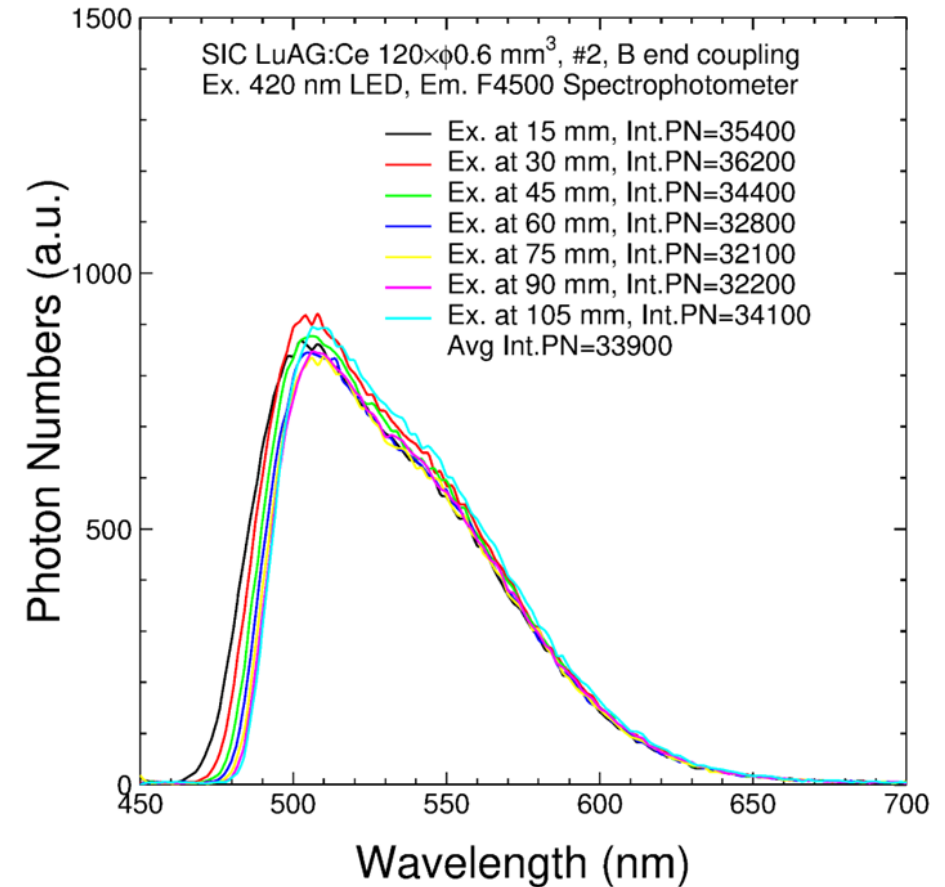
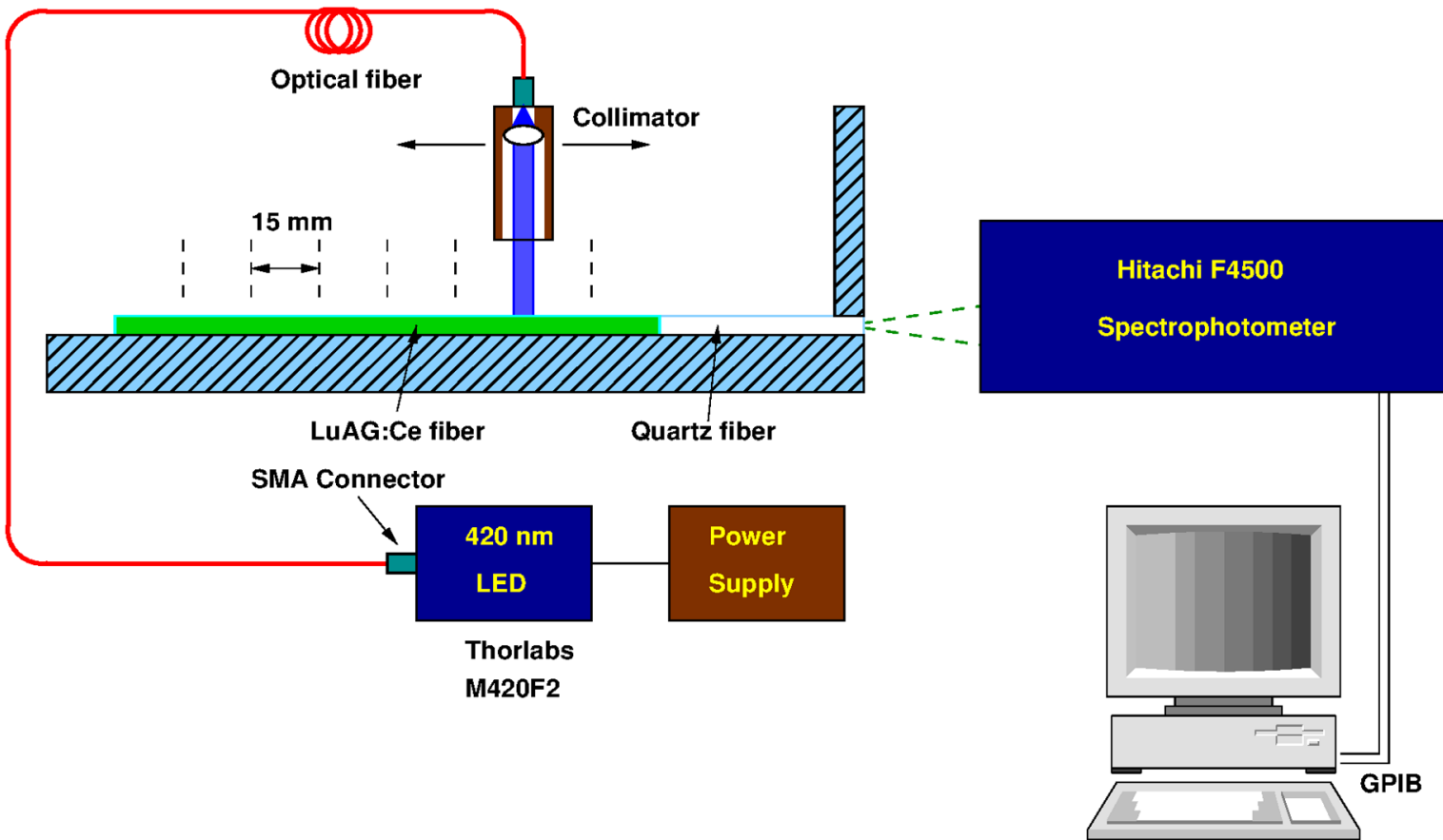


# Light Output and Response Uniformity



10.1109/NSS/MIC44867.2021.9875908

Excellent longitudinal uniformity observed for a  $\Phi 0.6 \times 120 \text{ mm}^3$  LuAG:Ce ceramic excited by a 420 nm LED at different location, with a solid coupling to a quartz fiber, mimicking its application in RADiCAL





# Ultrafast BaF<sub>2</sub>:Y Calorimeter for Mu2e-II

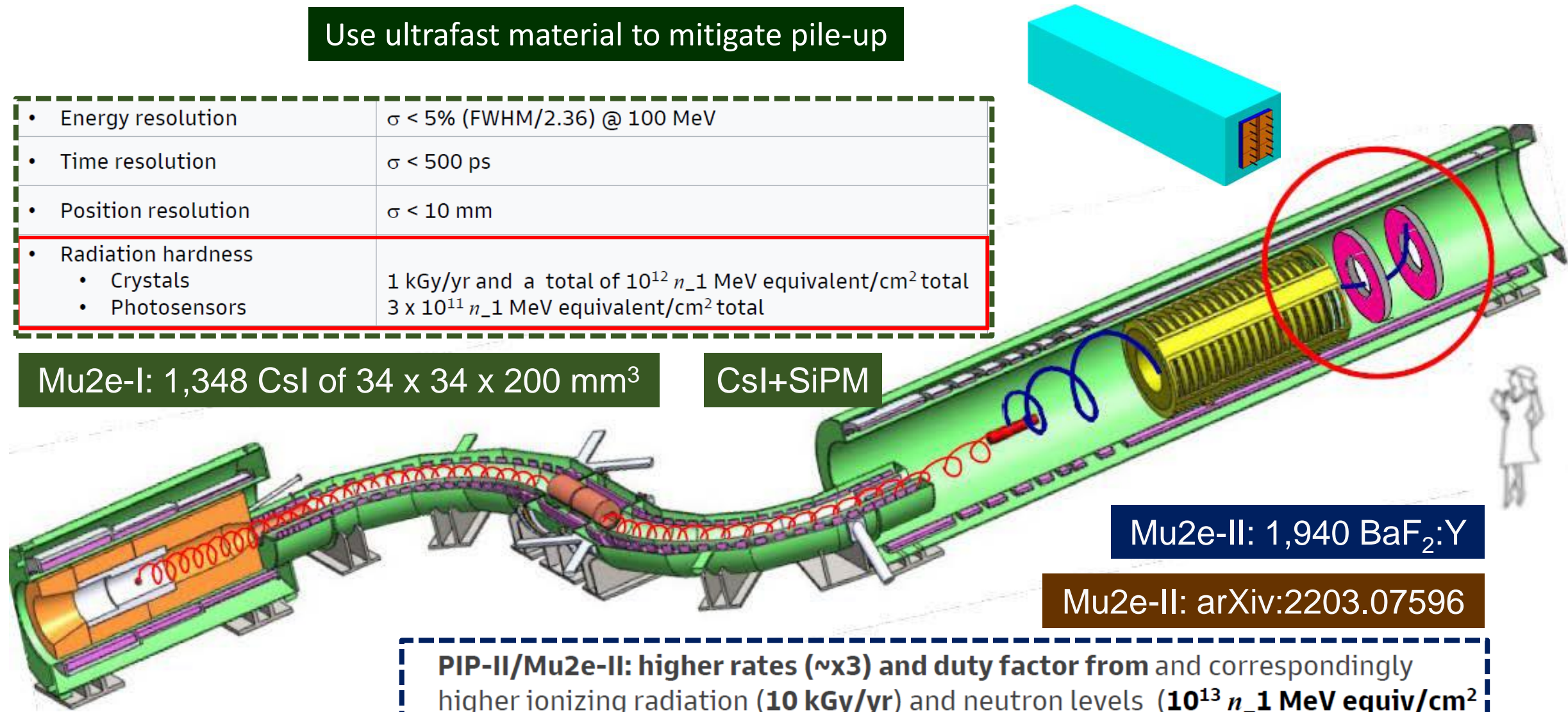


Use ultrafast material to mitigate pile-up

• Energy resolution	$\sigma < 5\%$ (FWHM/2.36) @ 100 MeV
• Time resolution	$\sigma < 500$ ps
• Position resolution	$\sigma < 10$ mm
• Radiation hardness	
• Crystals	1 kGy/yr and a total of $10^{12}$ n <sub>-1</sub> MeV equivalent/cm <sup>2</sup> total
• Photosensors	$3 \times 10^{11}$ n <sub>-1</sub> MeV equivalent/cm <sup>2</sup> total

Mu2e-I: 1,348 CsI of 34 x 34 x 200 mm<sup>3</sup>

CsI+SiPM



Mu2e-II: 1,940 BaF<sub>2</sub>:Y

Mu2e-II: arXiv:2203.07596

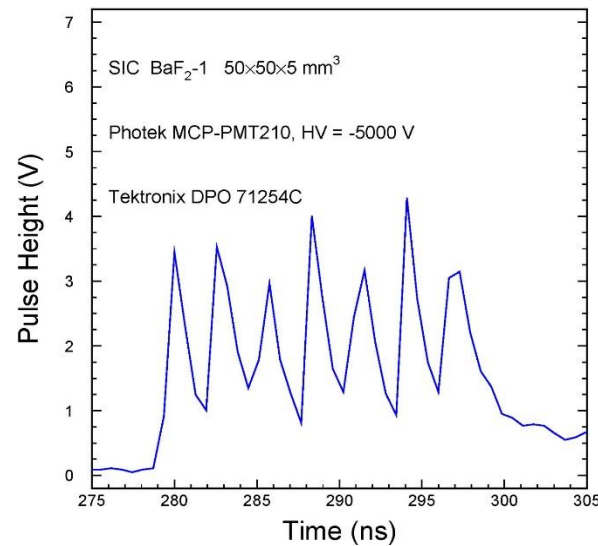
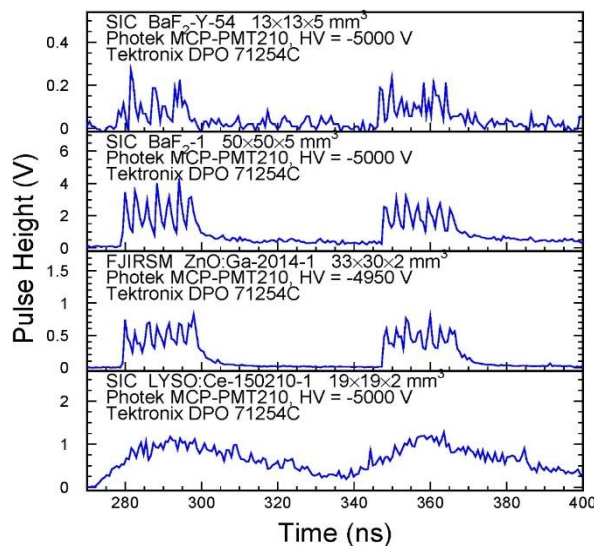
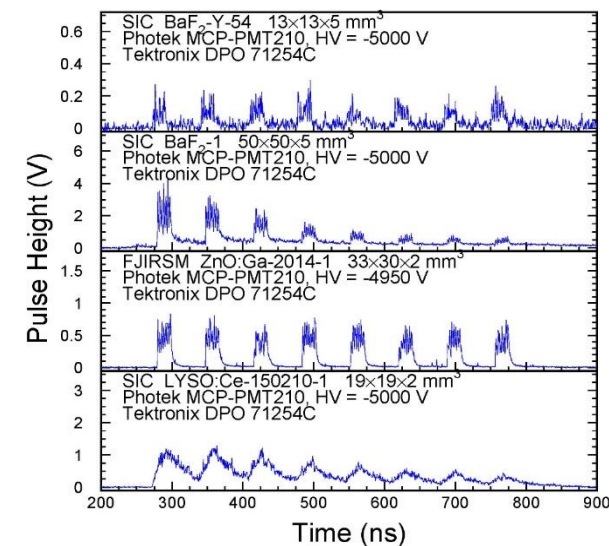
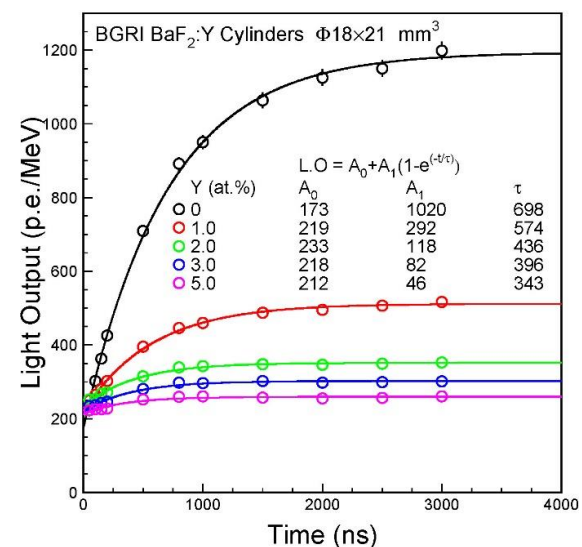
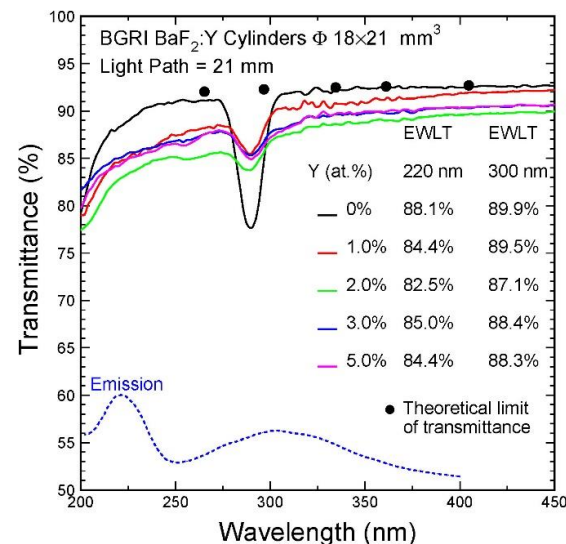
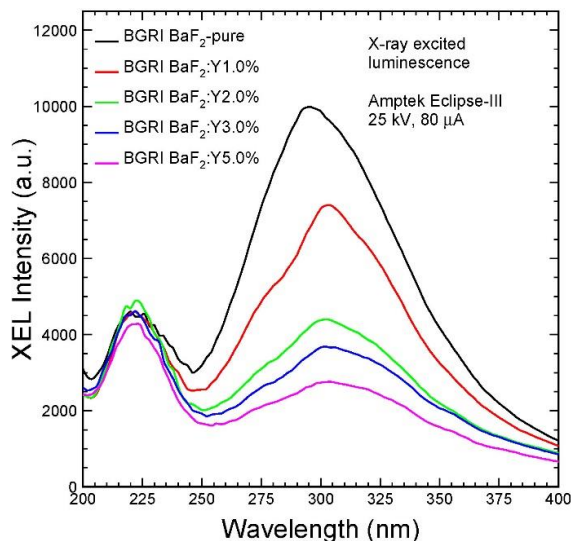
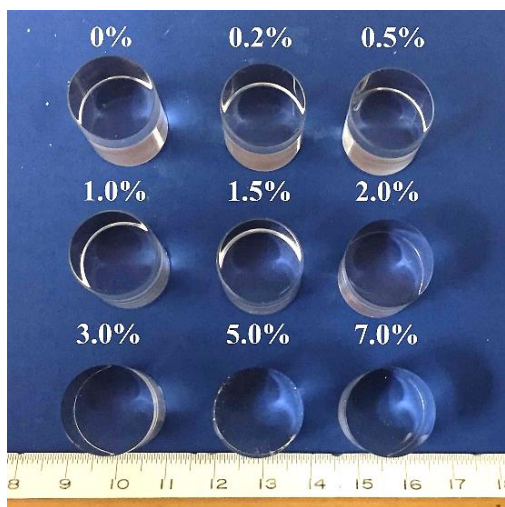
**PIP-II/Mu2e-II: higher rates (~x3) and duty factor from and correspondingly higher ionizing radiation (10 kGy/yr) and neutron levels (10<sup>13</sup> n<sub>-1</sub> MeV equiv/cm<sup>2</sup> total), which are particularly important at the inner radius of disk 1**



# BaF<sub>2</sub>:Y for Calorimetry & Imaging



Increased F/S ratio observed in BGRI BaF<sub>2</sub>:Y crystals: Proc. SPIE 10392 (2017)



X-ray bunches with 2.83 ns spacing in septuplet are clearly resolved by ultrafast BaF<sub>2</sub>:Y and BaF<sub>2</sub> crystals: for GHz Hard X-ray Imaging NIMA 240 (2019) 223-239



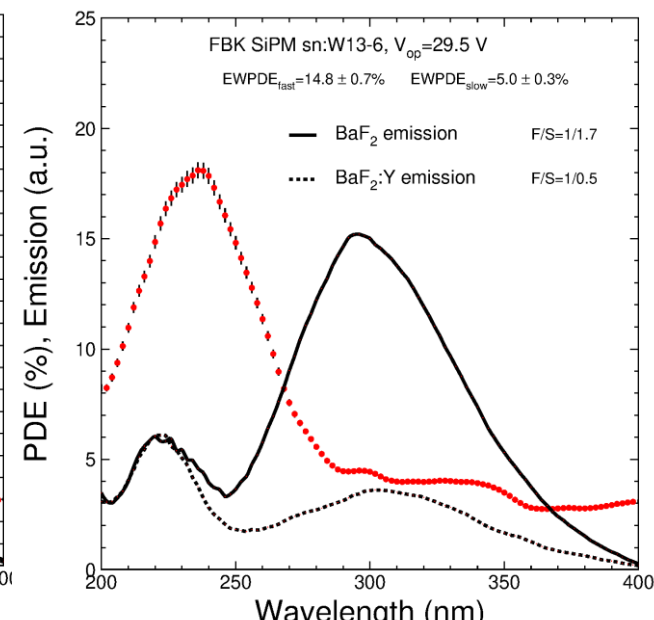
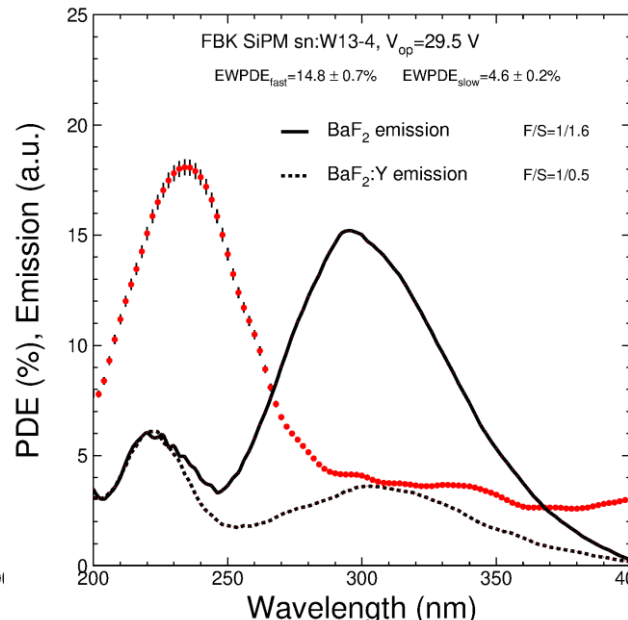
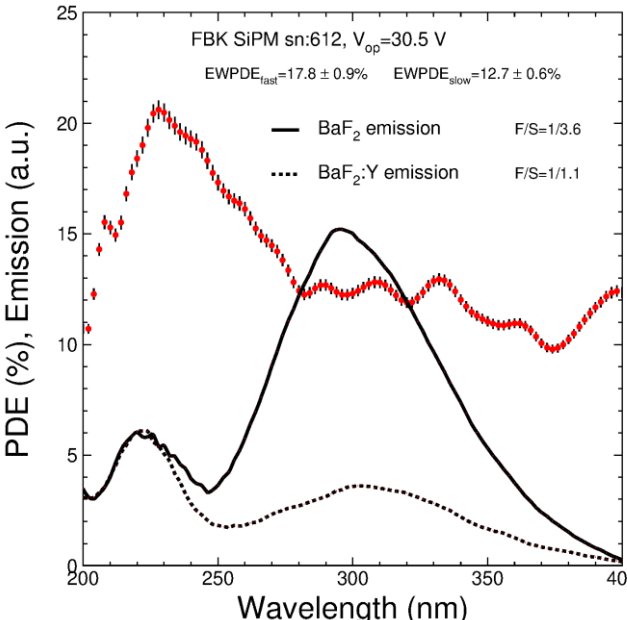
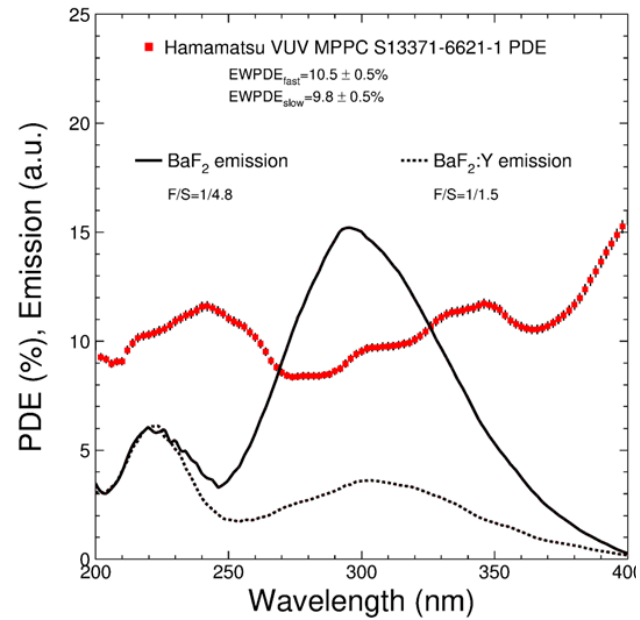
# PDE of UV SiPM for BaF<sub>2</sub> and BaF<sub>2</sub>:Y



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Photodetector	EWPDE <sub>fast</sub> (%)	EWPDE <sub>slow</sub> (%)	Relative F/S <sub>BaF</sub>	Relative F/S <sub>BaF:Y</sub>
Hamamatsu MPPC	10.5	9.8	1/4.8	1/1.5
FBK SiPM 2021	17.8	12.7	1/3.6	1/1.1
FBK SiPM 2023-1	14.8	4.6	1/1.6	1/0.5
FBK SiPM 2023-2	14.8	5.0	1/1.7	1/0.5

γ-ray induced readout noise is reduced by BaF<sub>2</sub>:Y slow suppression & solar-blind PDE



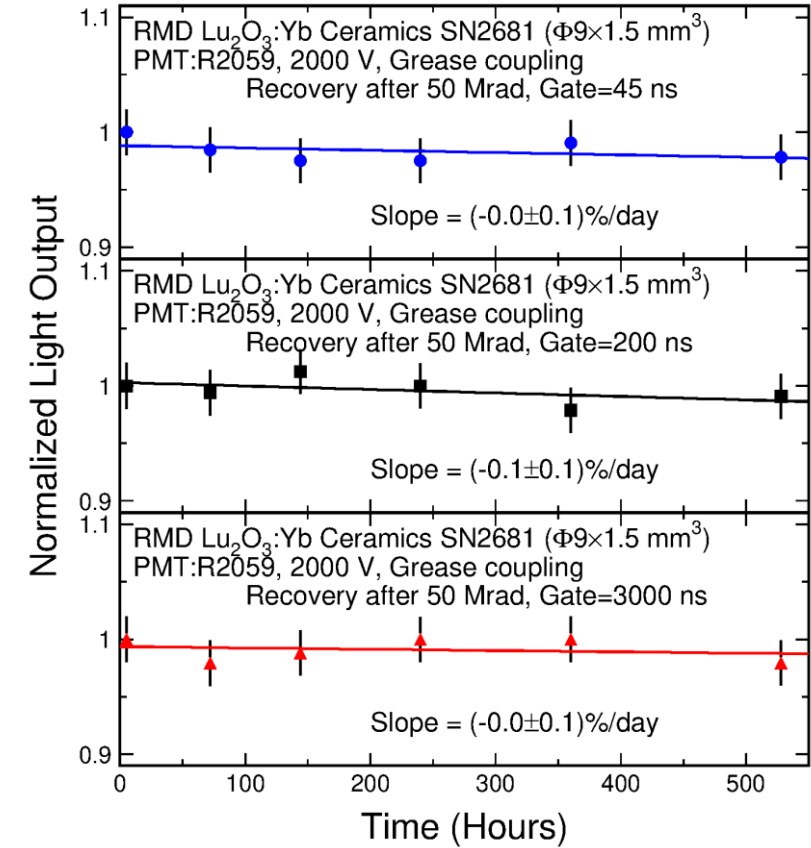
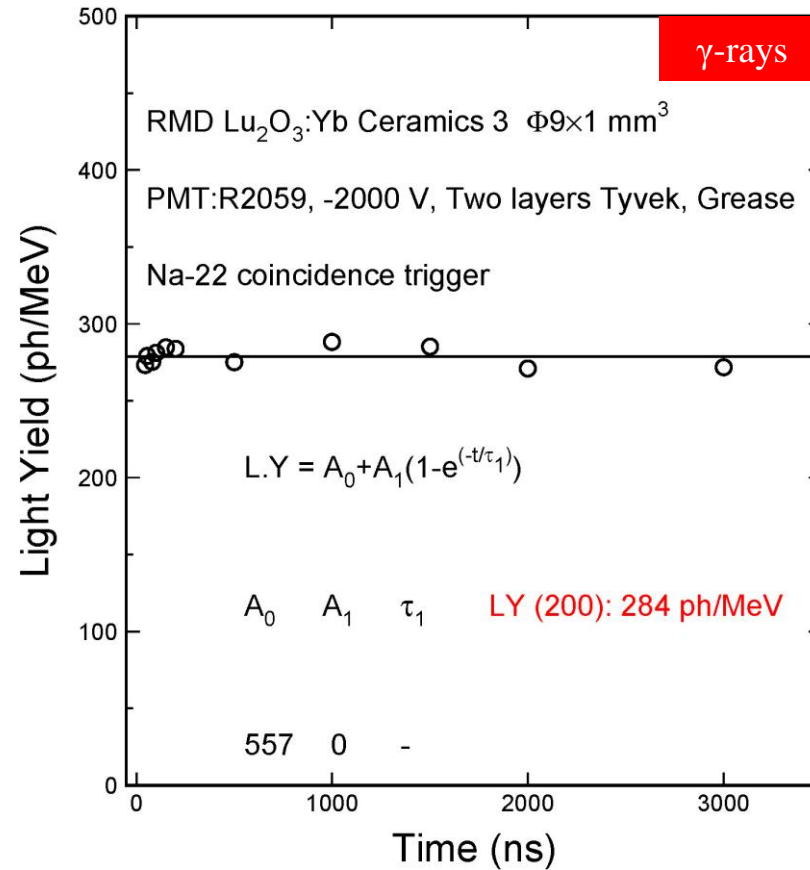
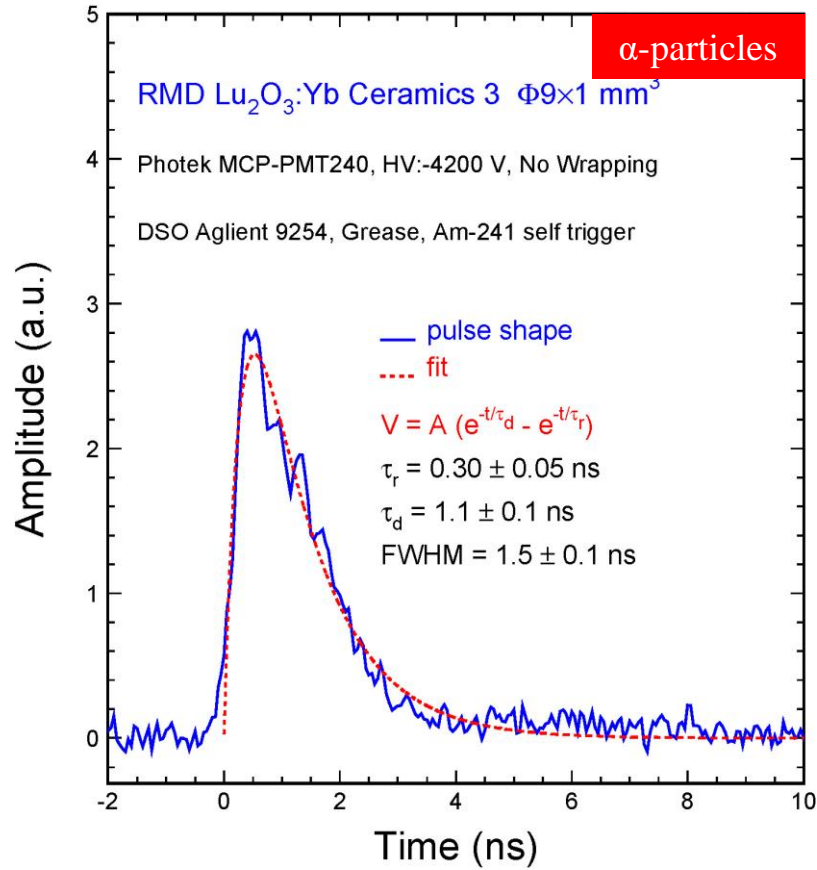




# Novel Lu<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>:Yb Ceramics



Presented in the NSS2022 conference [https://www.its.caltech.edu/~rzhu/talks/NSS22\\_N21-03.pdf](https://www.its.caltech.edu/~rzhu/talks/NSS22_N21-03.pdf)



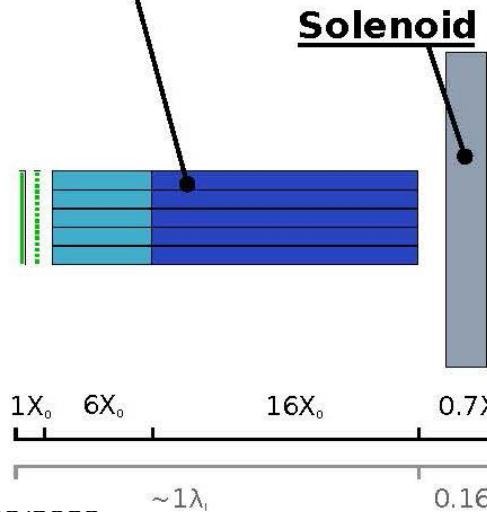
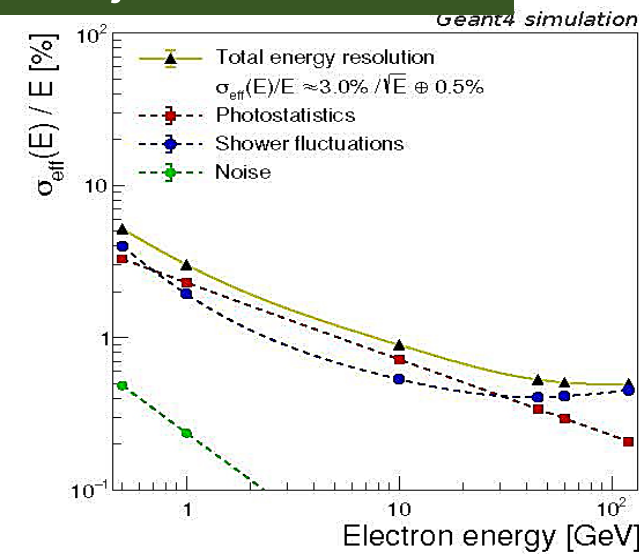
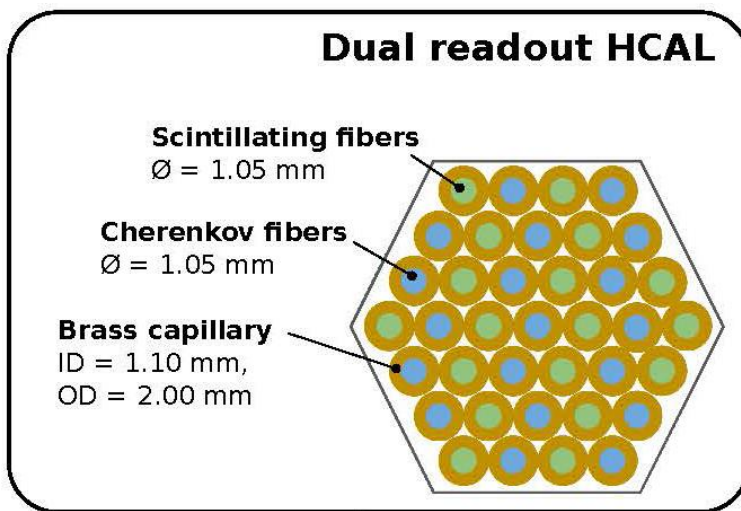
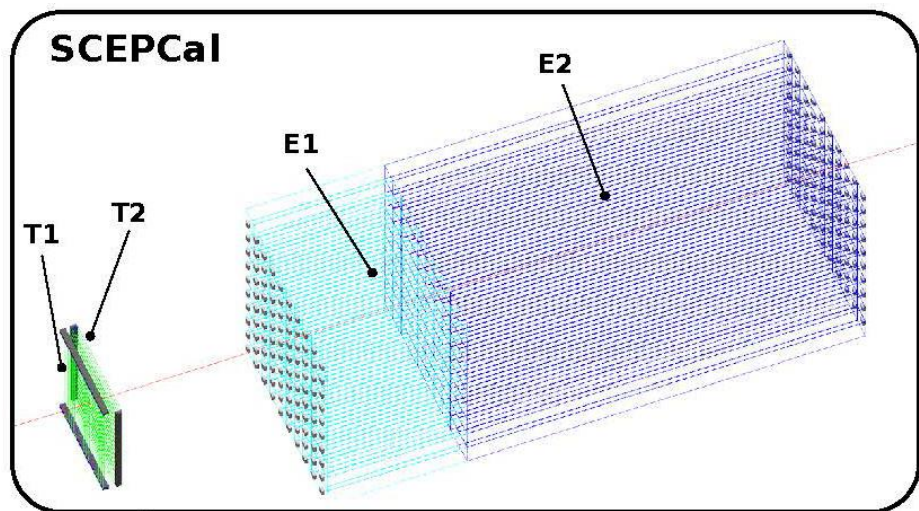
Lu<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>:Yb ceramic of 9.4 g/cc shows an ultrafast decay time of 1.1 ns by Am-241 with negligible slow component observed in integrated light output measurement



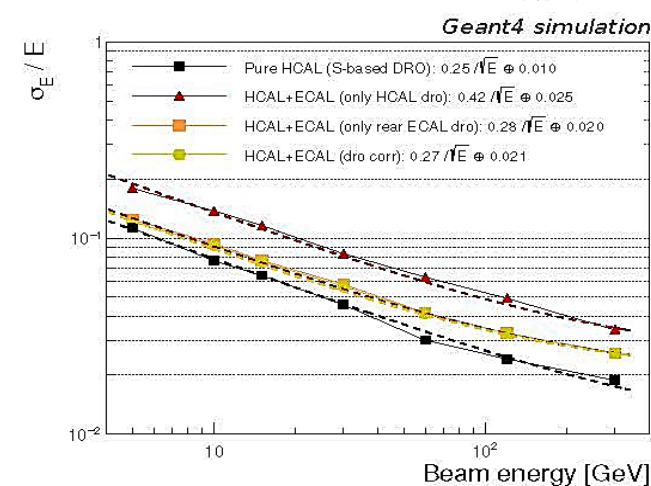
# CalVision: Segmented Crystal ECAL

arXiv: 2203.04312

Followed by the IDEA DR HCAL, aiming at both EM and jet resolution

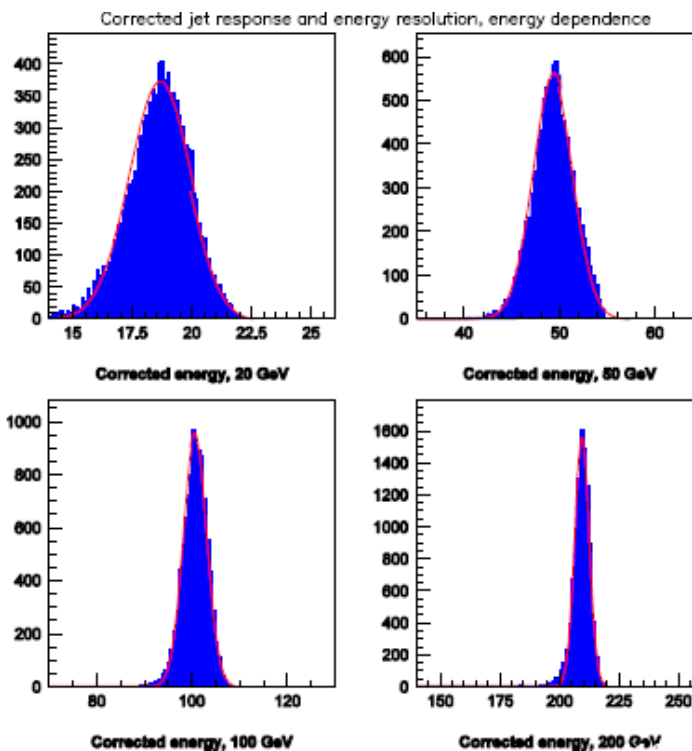
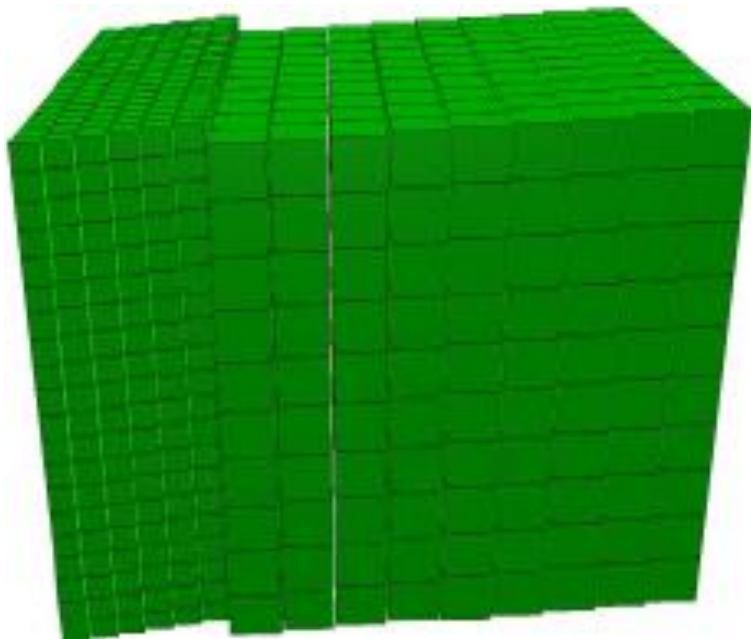


M. Lucchini et al., JINST 15 (2020) P11005

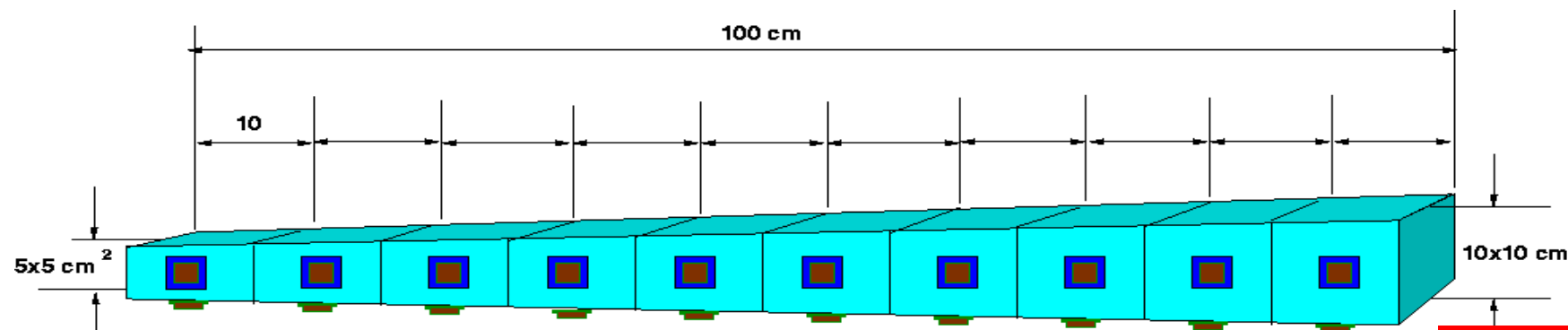
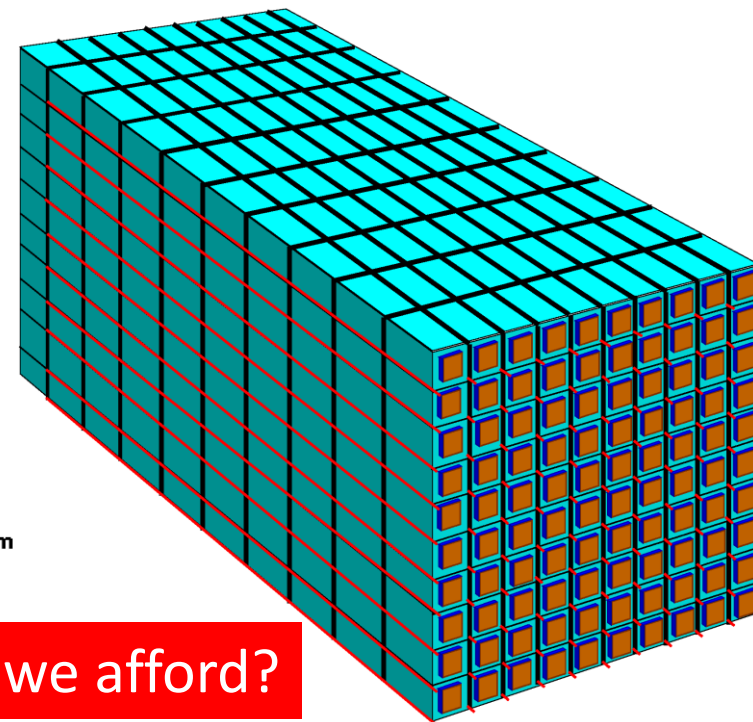




# The HHCAL Concept



A. Para, H. Wenzel and S. McGill in Callor2012 Proceedings and A. Benaglia *et al.*, IEEE TNS 63 (2016) 574-579: a jet energy resolution at a level of  $20\%/\sqrt{E}$  by HHCAL with dual readout of S/C or dual gate.  
M. Demarteau, 2021 CPAD Workshop



R.-Y. Zhu, ILCWS-8, Chicago: a HHCAL cell with pointing geometry

Can we afford?



# Crystal Cost for CEPC (Mar 2019)

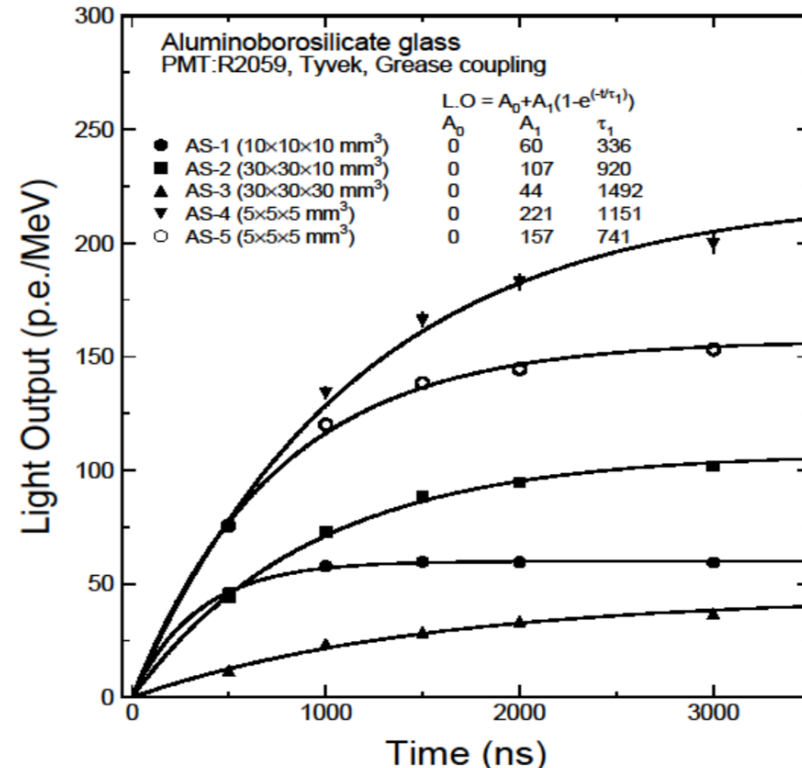
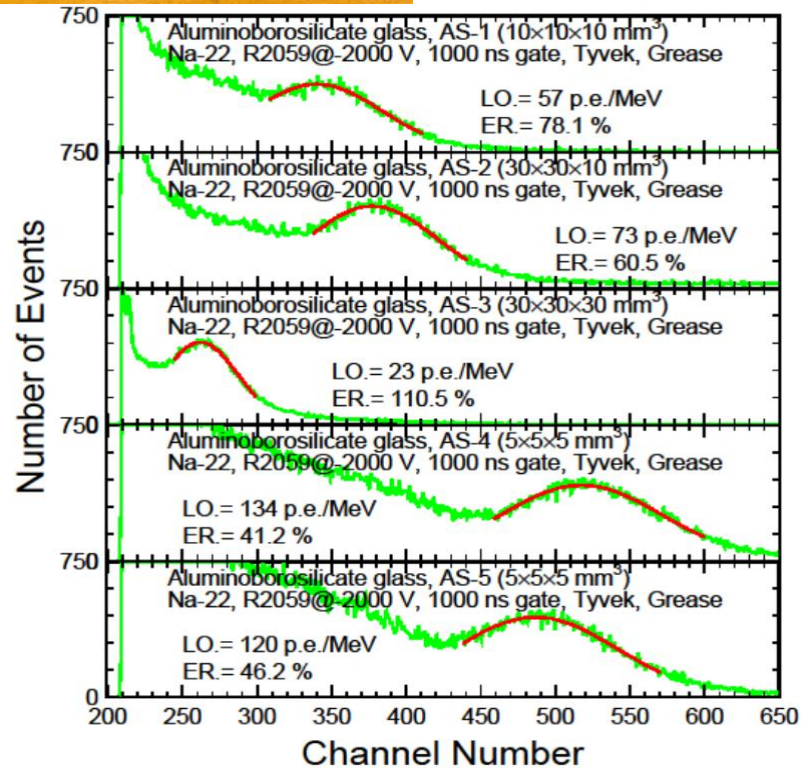
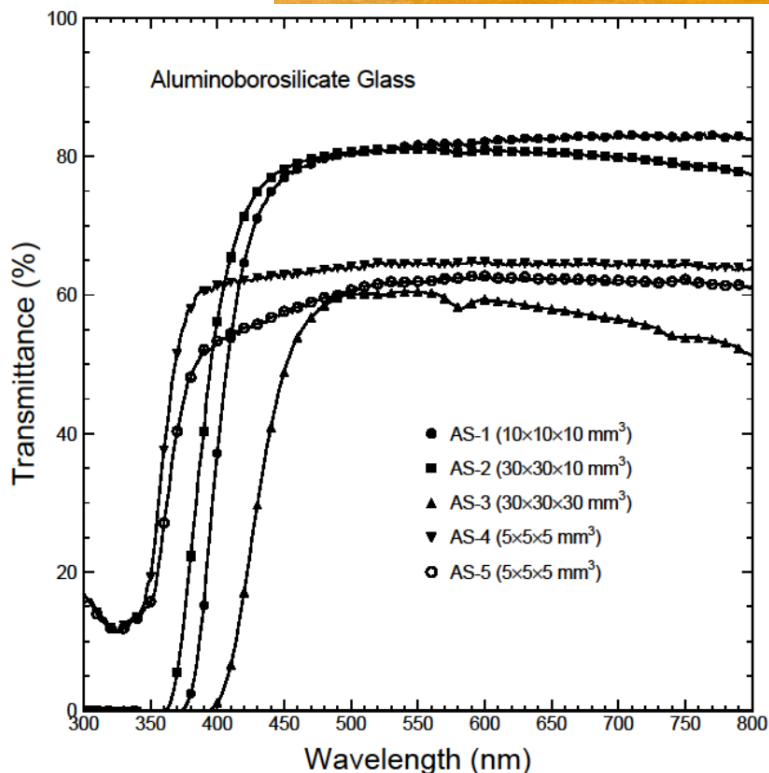
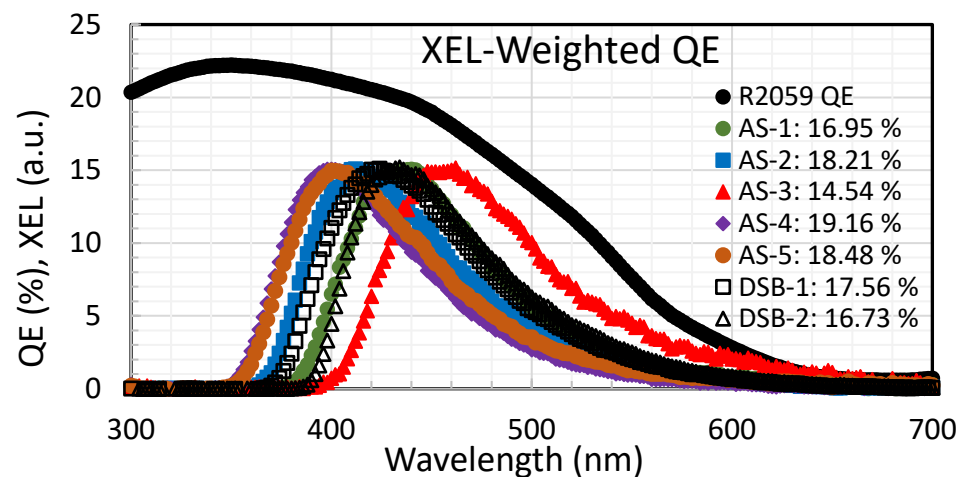
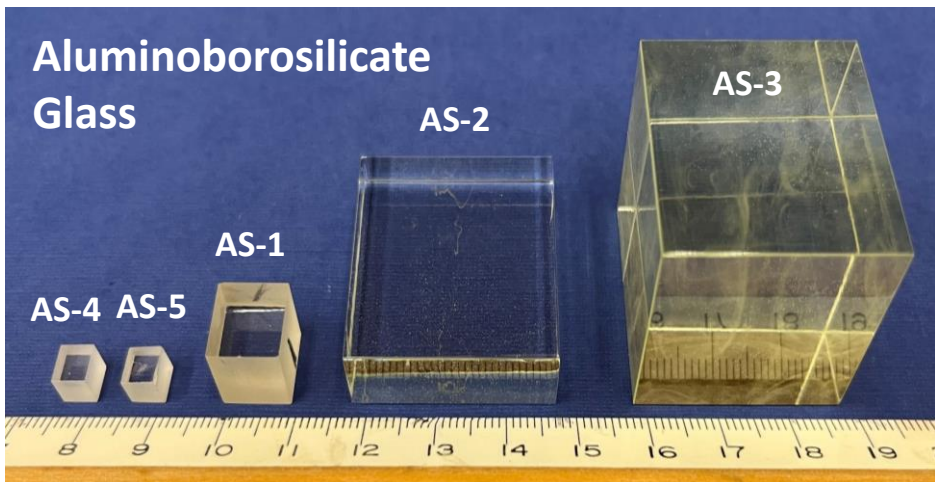


Cost-effectiveness scaled with  $X_0$ : PWO, BGO, CsI, BSO, BaF<sub>2</sub>:Y, LYSO

Item	Size ( $R_M \times R_M \times 25 X_0$ )	1 m <sup>3</sup>	10 m <sup>3</sup>	100 m <sup>3</sup>	Scaled to $X_0$
BGO	22.3×22.3×280 mm	\$8/cc	\$7/cc	\$6/cc	1.23
BaF <sub>2</sub> :Y	31.0×31.0×507.5 cm	\$12/cc	\$11/cc	\$10/cc	2.28
LYSO:Ce	20.7x20.7x285 mm	\$36/cc	\$34/cc	\$32/cc	1.28
PWO	20x20x223 mm	\$9/cc	\$8/cc	\$7.5/cc	1.00
BSO	22x22x274 mm	\$8.5/cc	\$7.5/cc	\$7.0/cc	1.29
CsI	35.7x35.7x465 mm	\$4.6/cc	\$4.3/cc	\$4.0/cc	2.09



# ABS ( $B_2O_3-SiO_2-Al_2O_3-Gd_2O_3-Ce_2O_3$ ) Glass





# Inorganic Scintillators for HHCAL



Presented in the 9/14/2023 CalVision meeting all samples measured at Caltech

	BGO	BSO	PWO	PbF <sub>2</sub>	PbFCI	Sapphire:Ti	AFO:Ce Glass	DSB:Ce Glass	ABS:Ce Glass
Density (g/cm <sup>3</sup> )	7.13	6.8	8.3	7.77	7.11	3.98	4.6	4.3	6.0
Melting point (°C)	1050	1030	1123	824	608	2040	980 <sup>7</sup>	1550	?
X <sub>0</sub> (cm)	1.12	1.15	0.89	0.94	1.05	7.02	2.96	2.58	1.56
R <sub>M</sub> (cm)	2.23	2.33	2.00	2.18	2.33	2.88	2.90	3.24	2.49
λ <sub>1</sub> (cm)	22.7	23.4	20.7	22.4	24.3	24.2	26.4	30.9	24.2
Z <sub>eff</sub> value	71.5	73.8	73.6	76.7	74.7	11.1	41.4	49.5	56.6
dE/dX (MeV/cm)	8.99	8.59	10.1	9.42	8.68	6.75	6.84	6.1	8.0
Emission Peak <sup>a</sup> (nm)	480	470	425 420	\	420	300 750	365	420	400
Refractive Index <sup>b</sup>	2.15	2.68	2.20	1.82	2.15	1.76	?	?	?
LY (ph/MeV) <sup>c</sup>	7,500	1,500	130	\	150	7,900	450	1,360	1,150
Decay Time <sup>a</sup> (ns)	300	100	30 10	\	3	300 3200	40	500	740
d(LY)/dT (%/°C) <sup>c</sup>	-0.9	?	-2.5	\	?	?	?	0.3	?
Cost (\$/cc)	6.0	7.0	7.5	6.0	?	0.6	2.0	2.0	<1



# Summary

The HL-LHC and FCC-hh require fast and radiation hard inorganic scintillator.

**RADiCAL** proposes an ultra-compact, fast timing and longitudinally segmented shashlik calorimeter with LuAG:Ce ceramics as wavelength shifter for LYSO:Ce crystals. R&D is on-going to suppress slow components in LuAG:Ce.

**Mu2e-II** considers ultrafast BaF<sub>2</sub>:Y calorimeter. R&D is on radiation hardness of BaF<sub>2</sub>:Y and solar-blind SiPM. Industry is developing ultrafast Lu<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>:Yb ceramics.

**CalVision** proposes a dual readout longitudinally segmented crystal ECAL combined with the IDEA HCAL promising excellent EM and Hadronic resolutions for the proposed lepton Higgs factory.

Homogeneous HCAL (**HHCAL**) promises the best jet mass resolution by total absorption. Novel cost-effective heavy scintillating glass is under development.

Acknowledgements: DOE HEP Award DE-SC0011925



# R&D On-going at Caltech



Fast/ultrafast, radiation hard and cost-effective heavy scintillators

Bright, fast and radiation hard inorganic scintillators for the severe radiation environment expected by the proposed FCC<sub>hh</sub>. YAG, LuAG, GGAG, GYAG and GLuAG suffer from slow scintillation component.

Ultrafast inorganic scintillators: Cross-luminescence. Wide gap semiconductor-based scintillators with sub-ns decay time and quantum confinement-based inorganic CsPbX<sub>3</sub> (X = Cl, Br, I, mixed Cl/Br and Br/I), halide perovskite quantum dots may help to break the ps timing barrier for future HEP TOF.

Dense, UV-transparent, cost-effective heavy inorganic scintillators for the homogeneous hadron calorimeter (HHCAL) concept for the Higgs factory.

Compact UV sensitive photodetectors with sufficient dynamic range for ultrafast calorimeters.

Presented in the DRC9 round table discussion in 2023 CPAD Workshop, SLAC