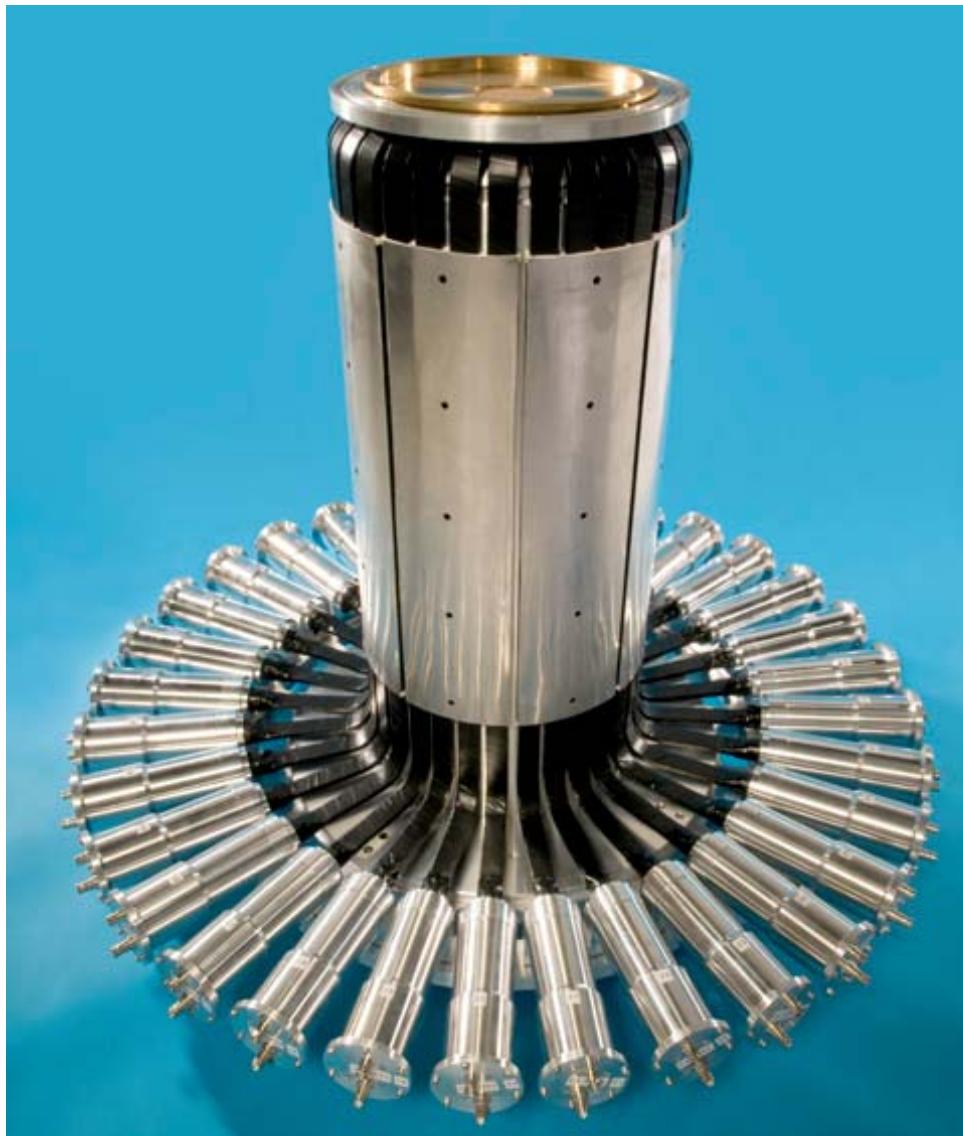
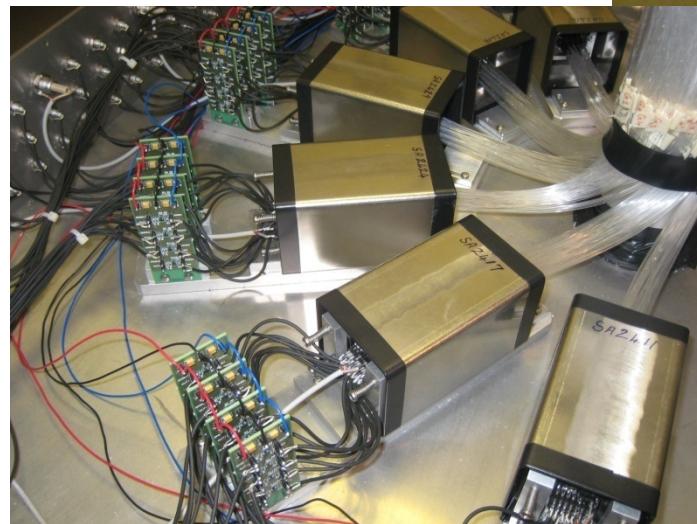


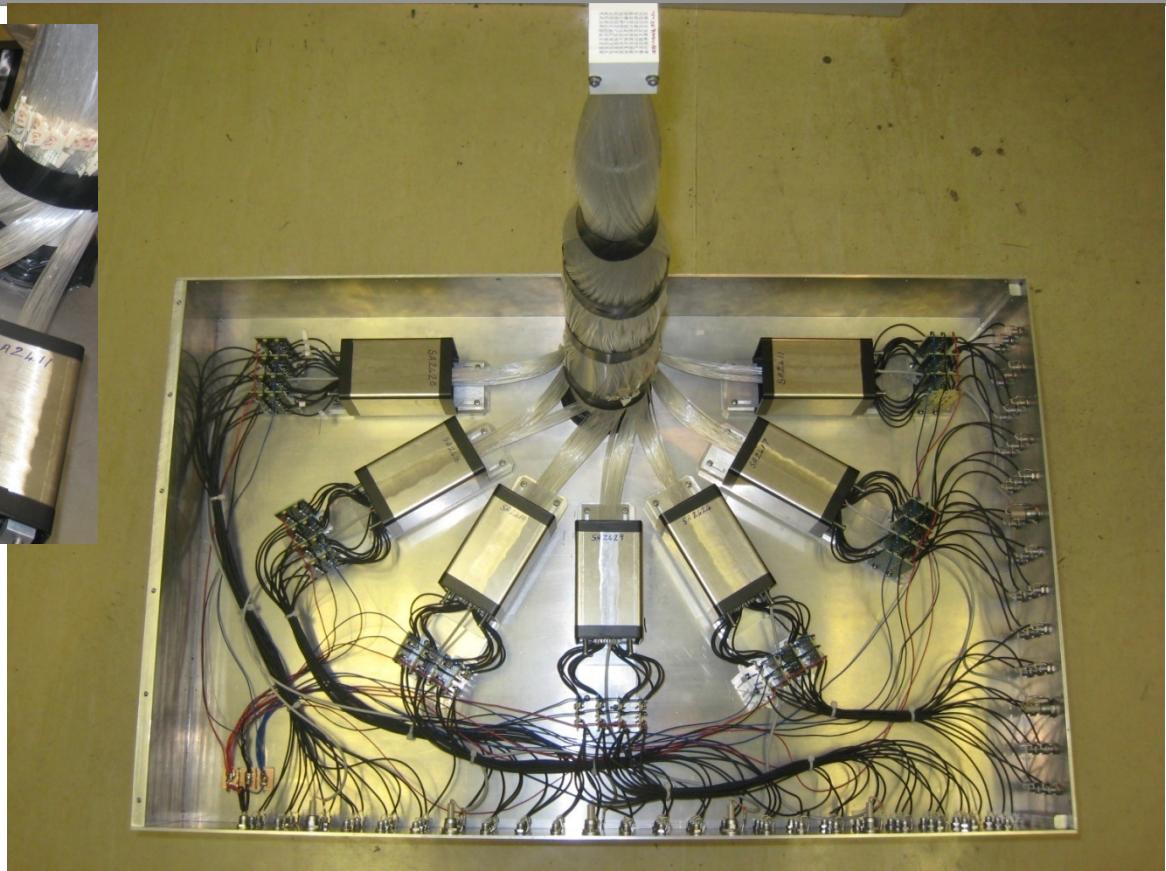
# HiFi : A scintillation detector for muons



# Ancient Charm – A detector for Cultural Heritage applications

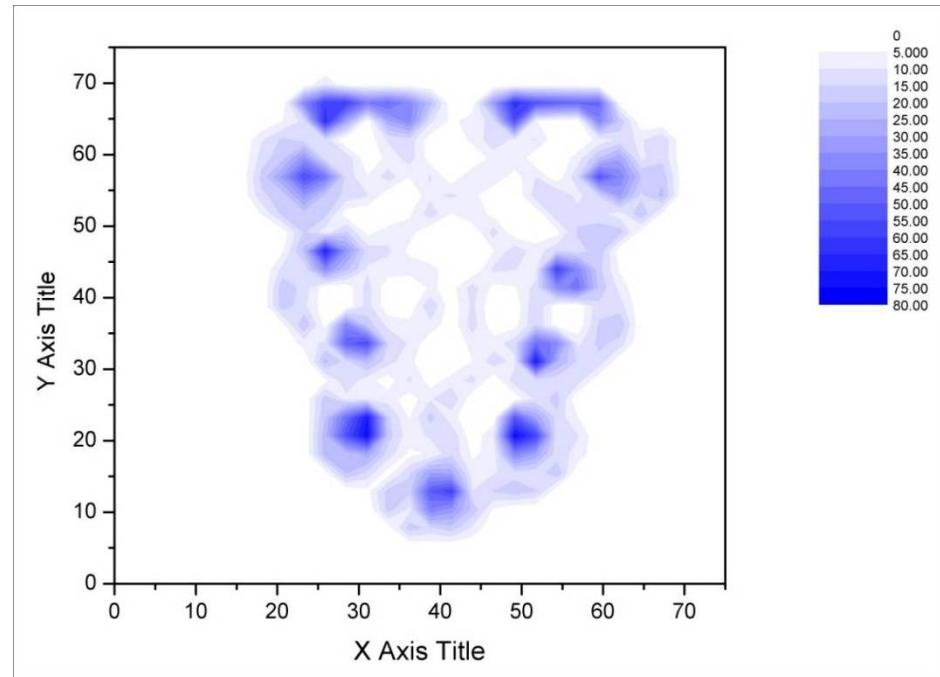


1.8 x 1.8 mm<sup>2</sup>  
pixels, 9 mm deep  
on a 2.5 mm pitch



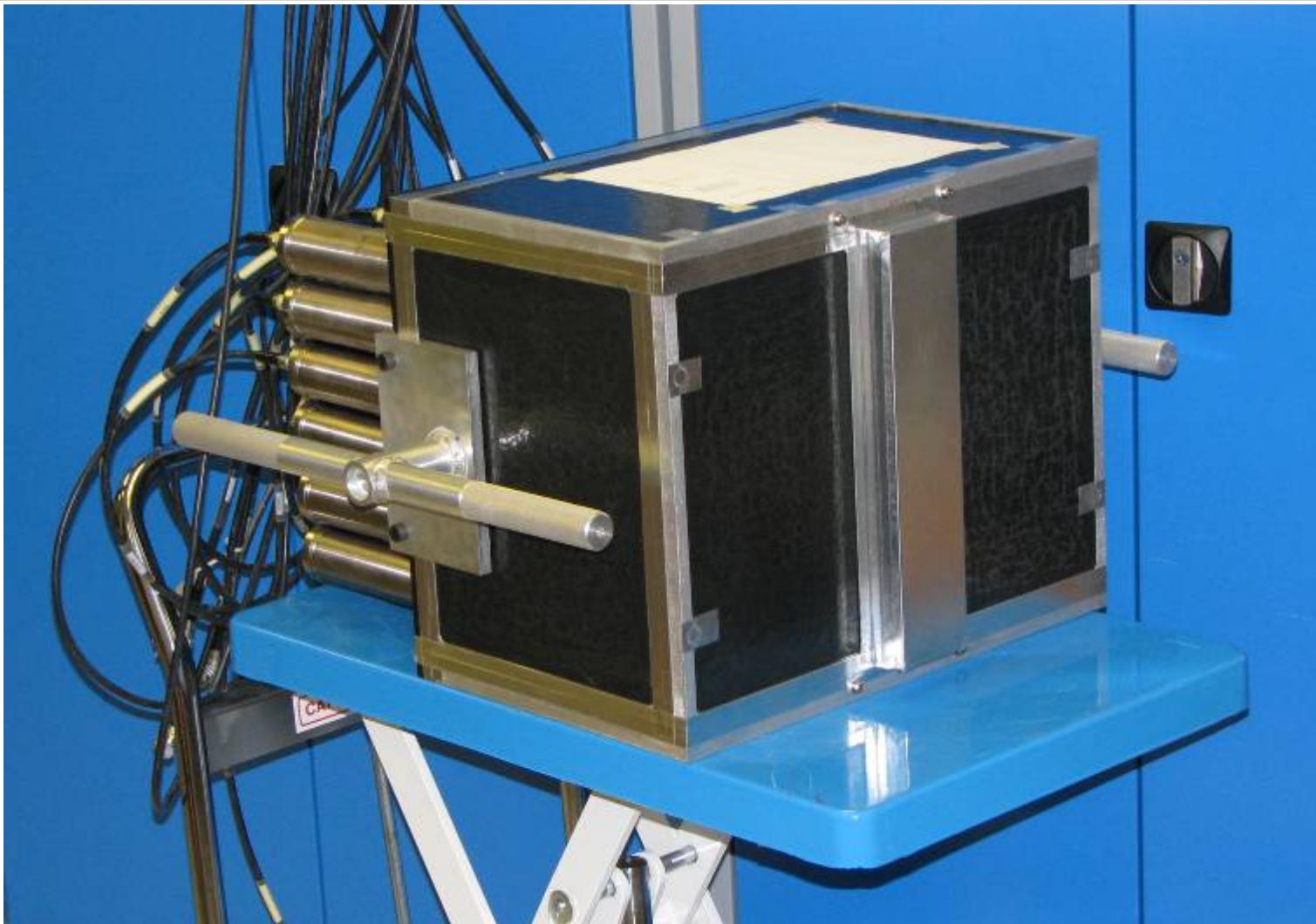
A 100 pixel detector for neutron resonance transmission imaging

# Ancient Charm – A detector for Cultural Heritage applications

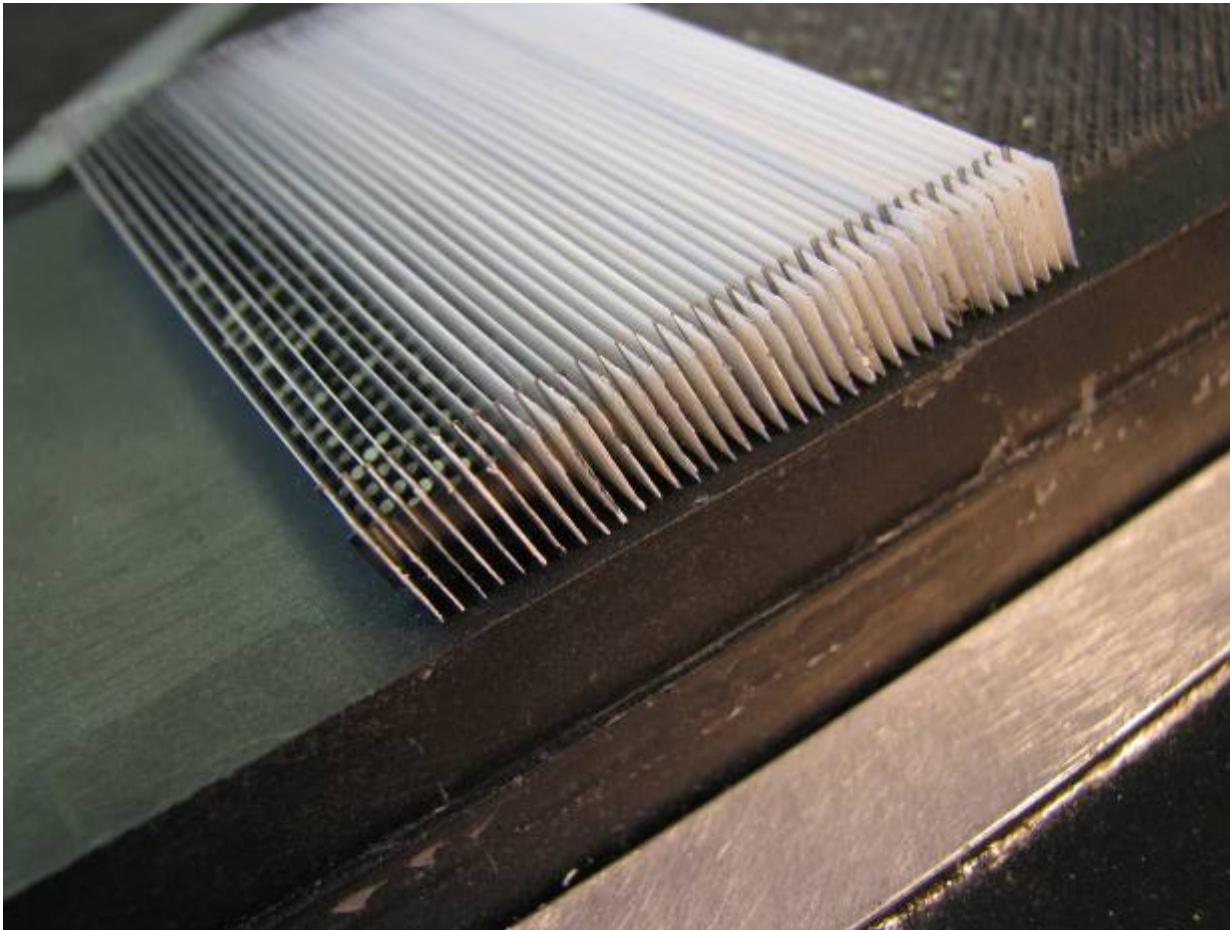


The map on the right shows the distribution of silver in this replication of a belt buckle

# INTER 1.2 mm scintillation detector

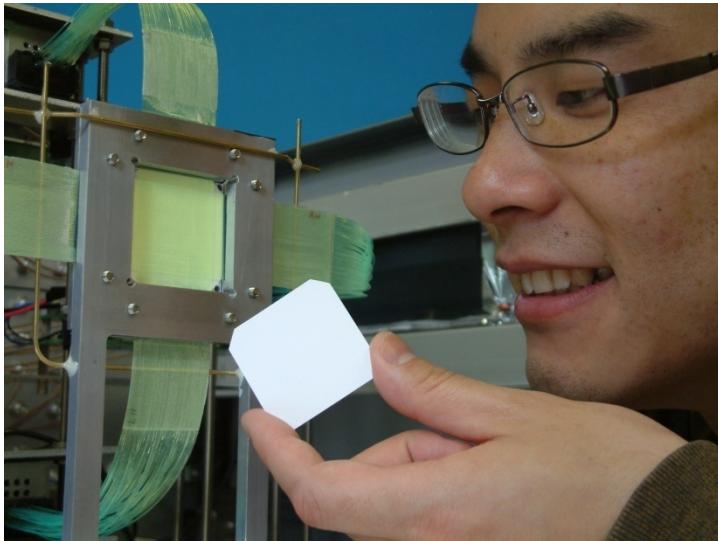


# INTER 1.2 mm scintillation detector



**Fibre coupled ZnS scintillation detector  
Linear position sensitivity, 1.2 mm  
resolution**

# WLS Fibre development



Carried out in collaboration with JAEA

Currently manufacturing a linear position sensitive WLS fibre detector for reflectometry

320 x 60 mm<sup>2</sup>

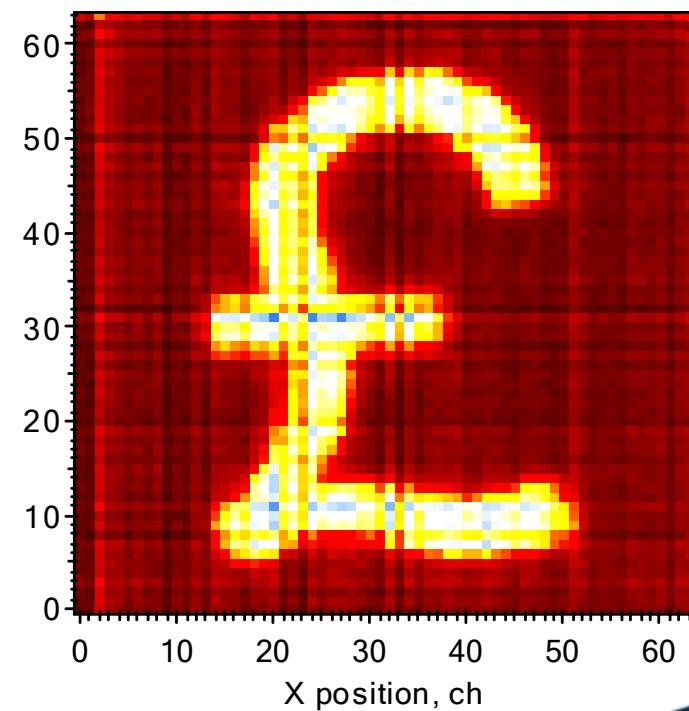
Mechanics and electronics in manufacture

Hope to start assembly in June

Linear position sensitivity ~ sub mm

Coded fibre array –

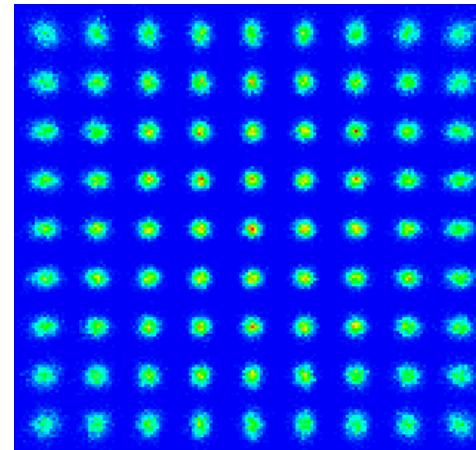
using twenty-four 16 channel MA PMTS



# GSPC Simulation and measurement

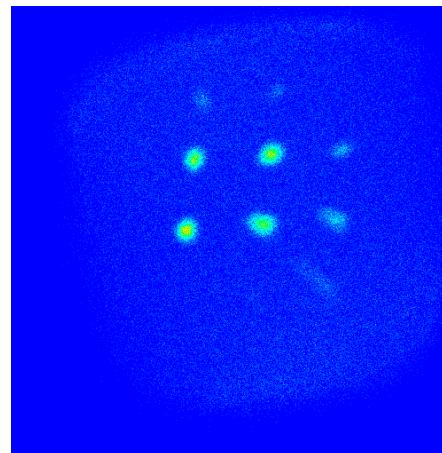
## Simulation

- 36mm MSGC-PMT gap.
- 2x2, 30 mm  $\varnothing$  PMT.
- 2E6 photons/neutron.
- Holes on 4.3mm pitch.
- FWHM in centre 1.4mm
- Measurements close to simulation

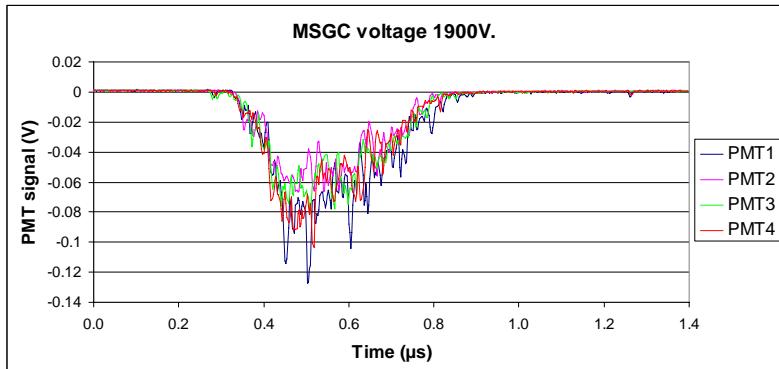


## Measurement

- 2250V BIDIM 80
- MSGC-PMT gap 35 mm
- Holes on 4.3mm pitch
- FWHM in centre 1.3mm
- FWHM in centre 1.3mm



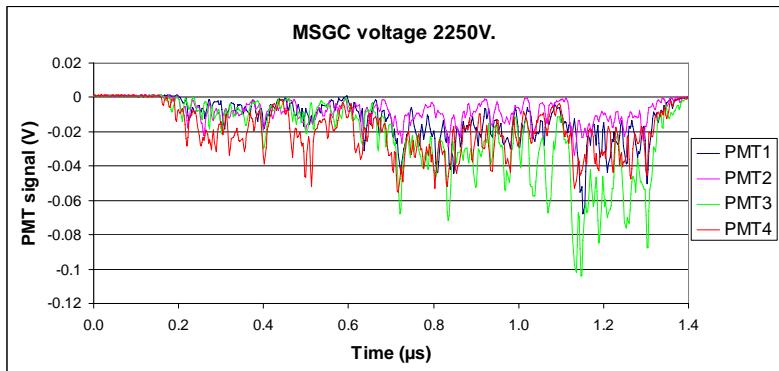
# GSPC output signals



BIDIM 80 1900 V 3He/CF4 2b / 2b

MSGC virtual

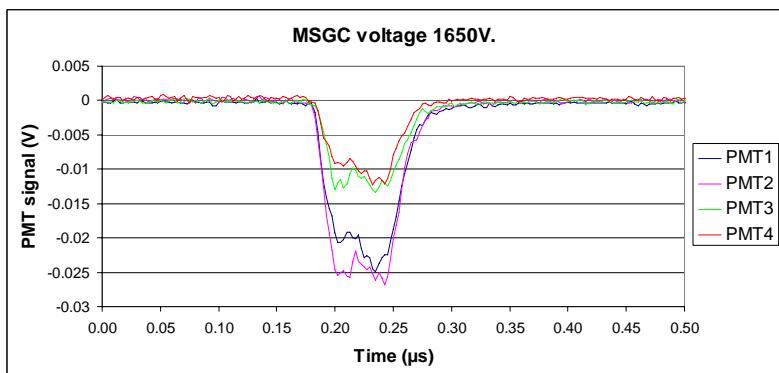
➤ > 300 ns long



BIDIM 80 2250 V 3He/CF4 2b / 2b

MSGC virtual

➤ > 1  $\mu$ s long

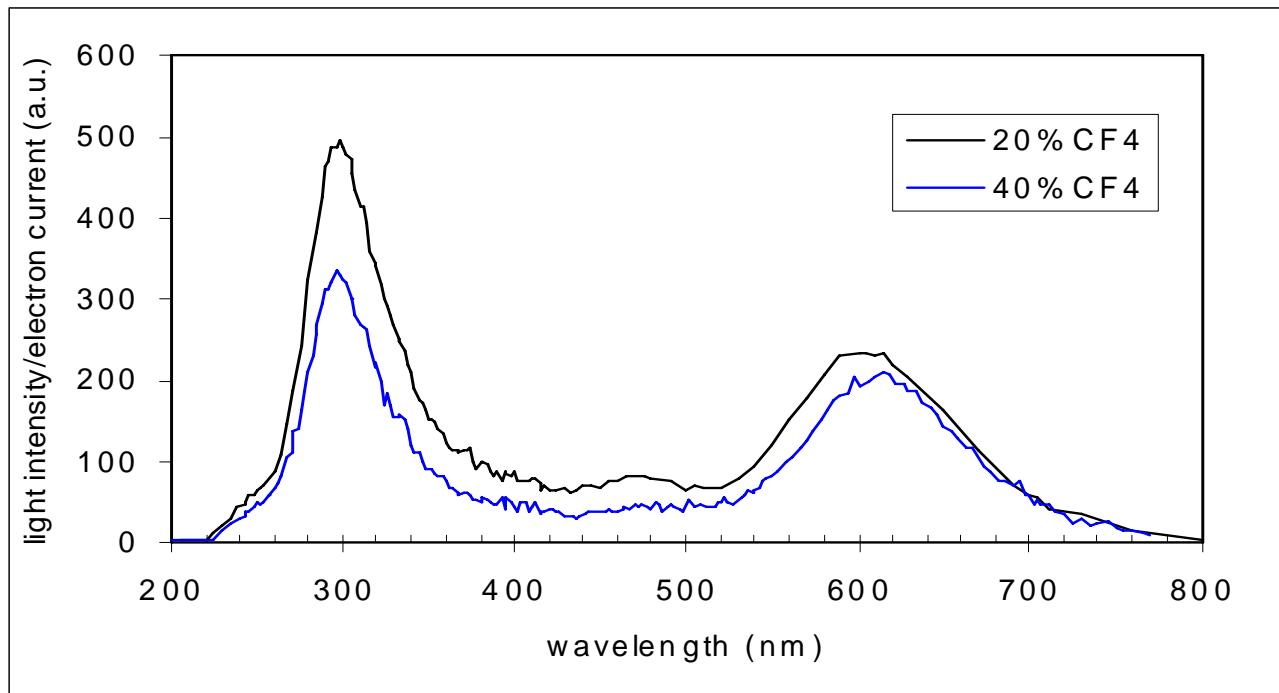


LIP GSPC 1650 V 3He/CF4 2b / 3b

MSGC real

➤ 60 ns long

# Task How can we exploit this spectrum

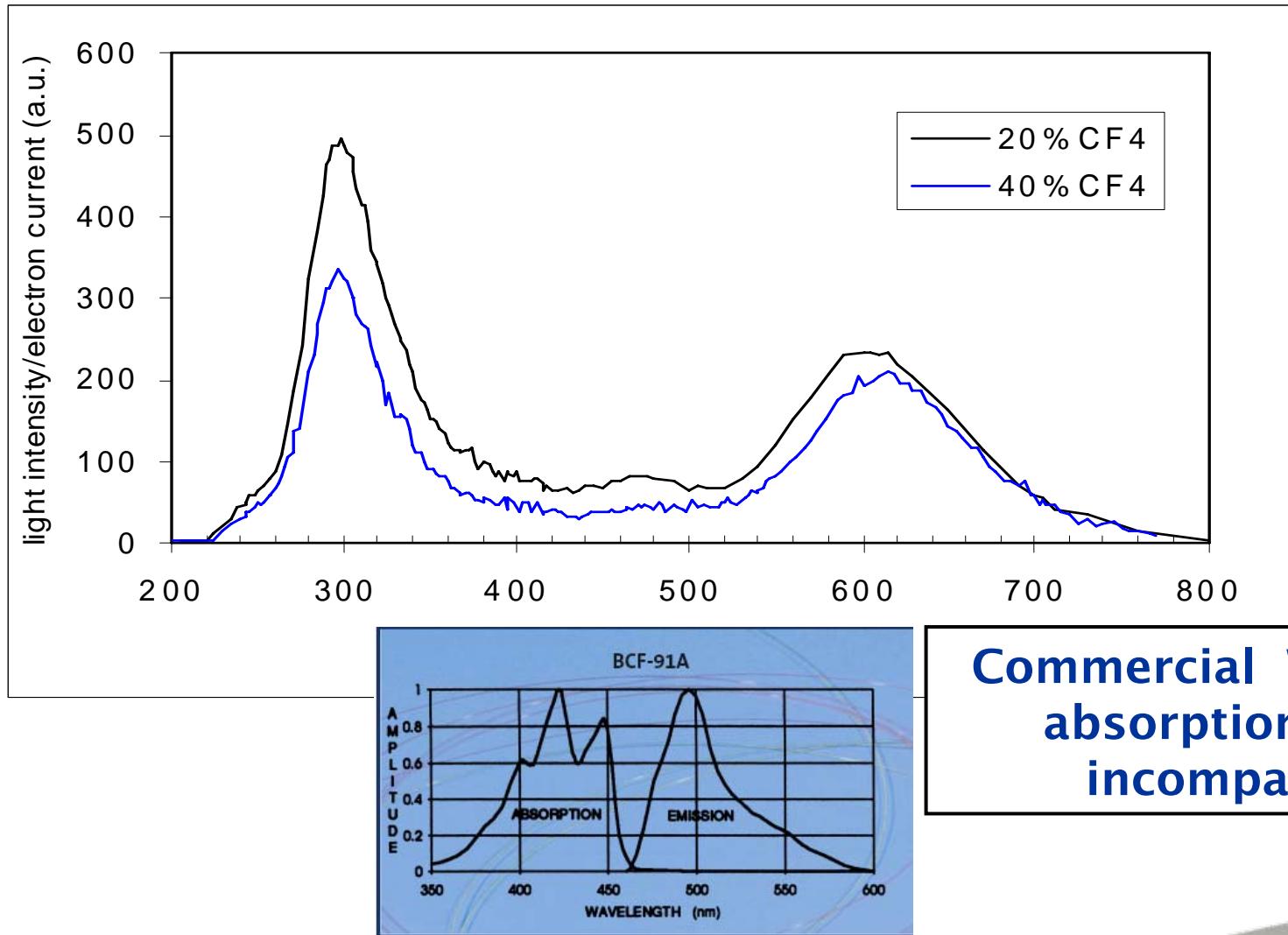


**Anger camera PMT readout  
Quartz window PMTs  
Blue sensitive PMTs  
Red sensitive PMTs  
Can we Wavelength Shift?**

**WLS fibre readout?**

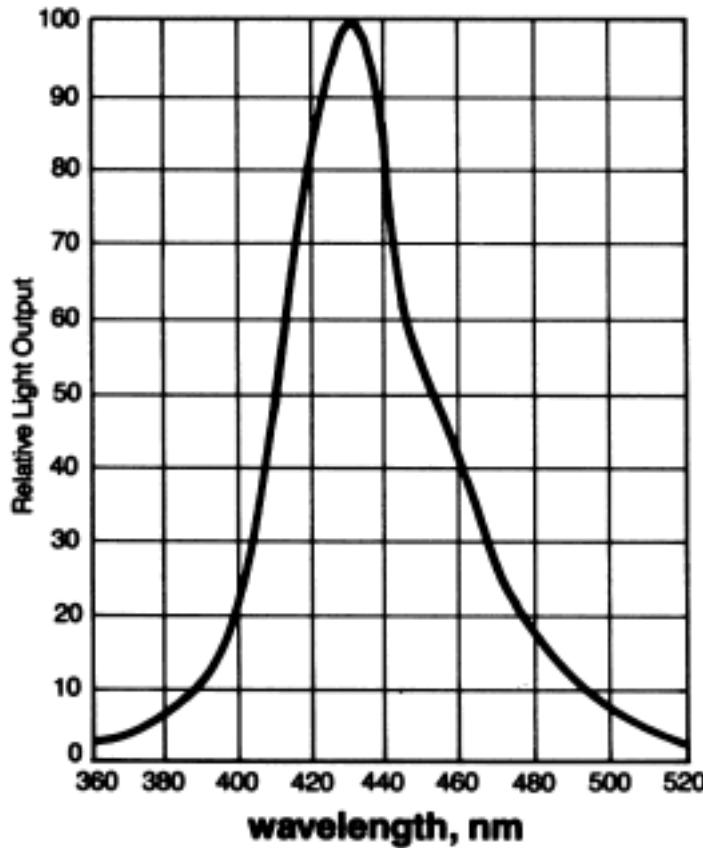
**Other?  
APDs?**

# WLS Fibre readout?



# WLS Fibre readout

## Absorption spectrum



Bicron WLS bar

300 – 360nm to 425 nm

Francisco's experiences of  
coating GEMs with P-terphenyl?

# Task 22.3: What we said

**Readout investigation**

**Quantify the advantages of using quartz, blue and red PMTs**

**Explore the potential of:**

Single cathode PMTs	PS PMTs	MA PMTs
APDs	SiPMTs	Hybrid PMTs
		Other

**Utilize digitizer systems to capture detector / readout responses for analysis and optimisation and algorithm development**

**Electronics**

**Develop suitable**

**Voltage divider networks,**

**Front end electronics**

**Signal processing hardware to carry out neutron identification and position reconstruction in real time and display to a PC**

**Use results in the production of a scalable demonstrator detector**

# Task 22.3: What we said

To progress readout and electronics development

ISIS, Julich and Munich desire access to GSPC detectors

Is it feasible to construct a further two prototype detectors within the project?

What size?

Capable of evaluating 3 x 3 array of 30 mm dia PMTs?

Or mounting a 5 inch PM PMT

What cost?

How long to produce?

Needs input from ILL and LIP

# Task 22.3: Deliverables

Deliverable	Description	Month
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