

# SiPM読み出しによる 高時間分解能 シンチレーションカウンターの開発

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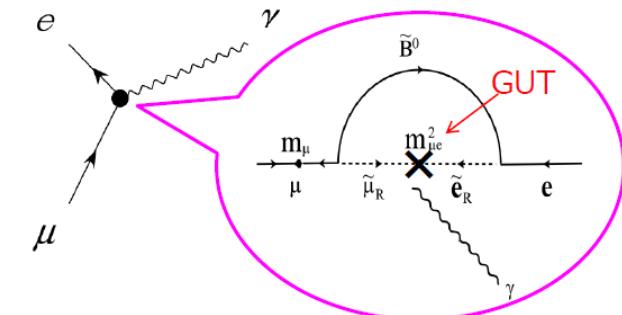
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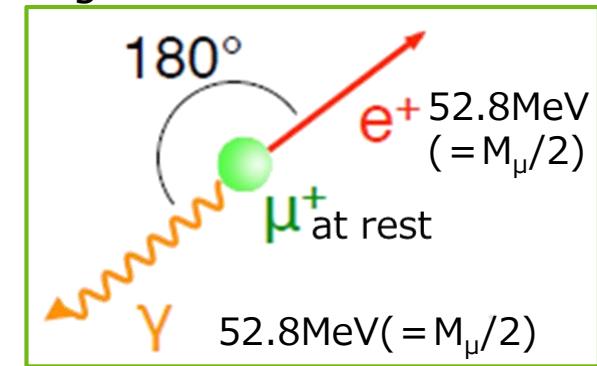
# Motivation



- **Search for lepton-flavor-violating  $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$  decay**
  - Forbidden in SM
  - But enhanced in many BSM
- **MEG experiment**
  - Searching for  $\mu \rightarrow e\gamma$  down to  $O(10^{-13})$
  - Completed data-taking Aug. 2013
  - Analysis for final result ongoing
- **Upgrade**
  - Push down to  **$O(10^{-14})$**
  - Approved by PSI, R&D progress
  - To start DAQ in 2016



Signature



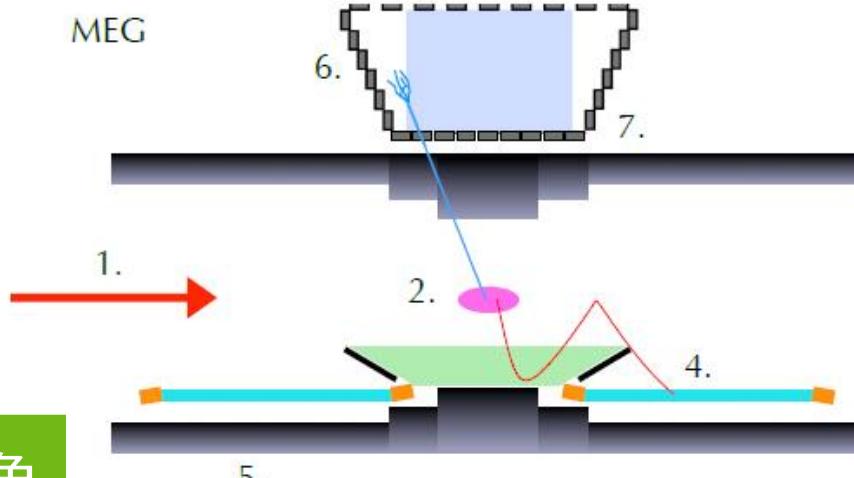
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Required to suppress accidental BG

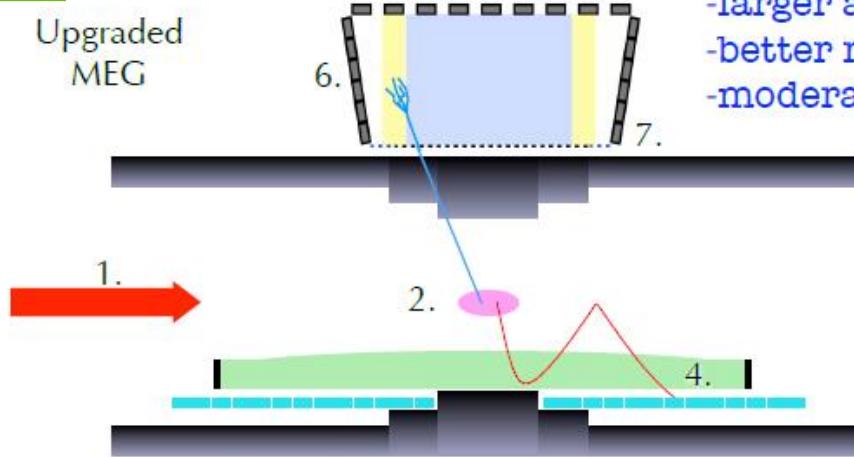
# MEGアップグレード



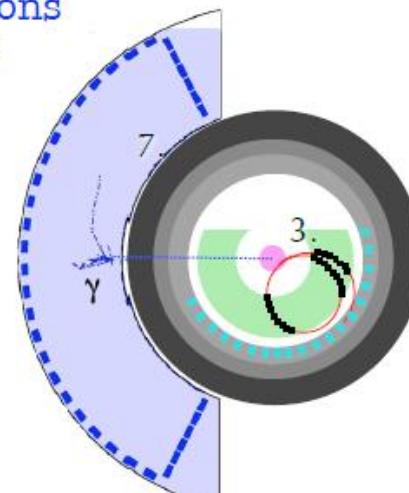
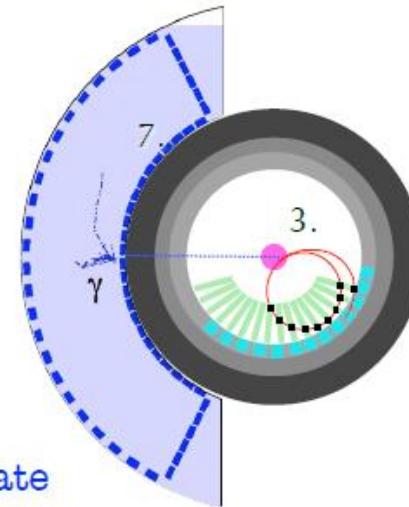
upgrade design based on  
our long time experience



全体像



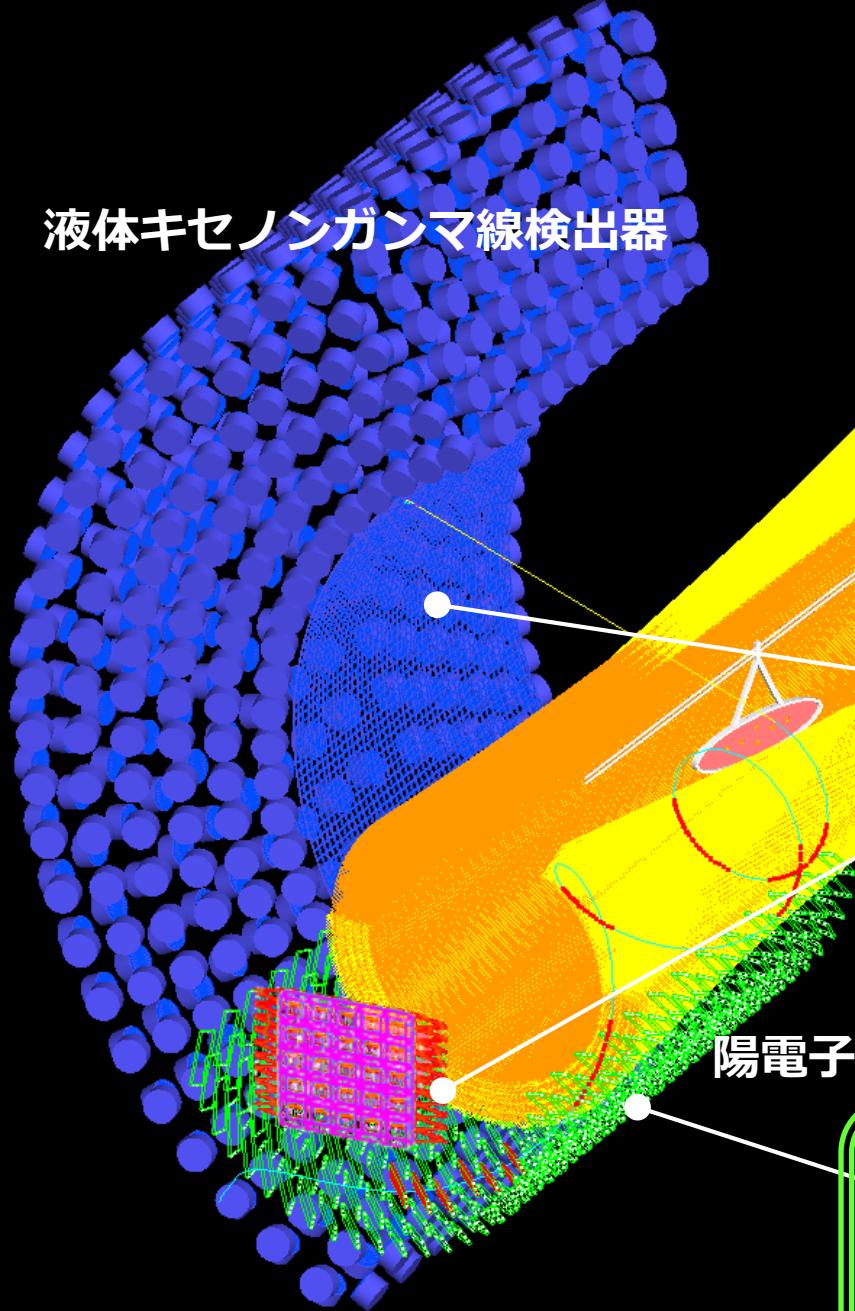
- higher beam rate
- larger acceptance
- better resolutions
- moderate cost



MEG Upgrade Proposal  
(<http://arxiv.org/abs/arXiv:1301.7225>)

# SiPM in MEG upgrade

液体キセノンガンマ線検出器



陽電子時間測定器

高速プラスチックシンチレータ読み出し

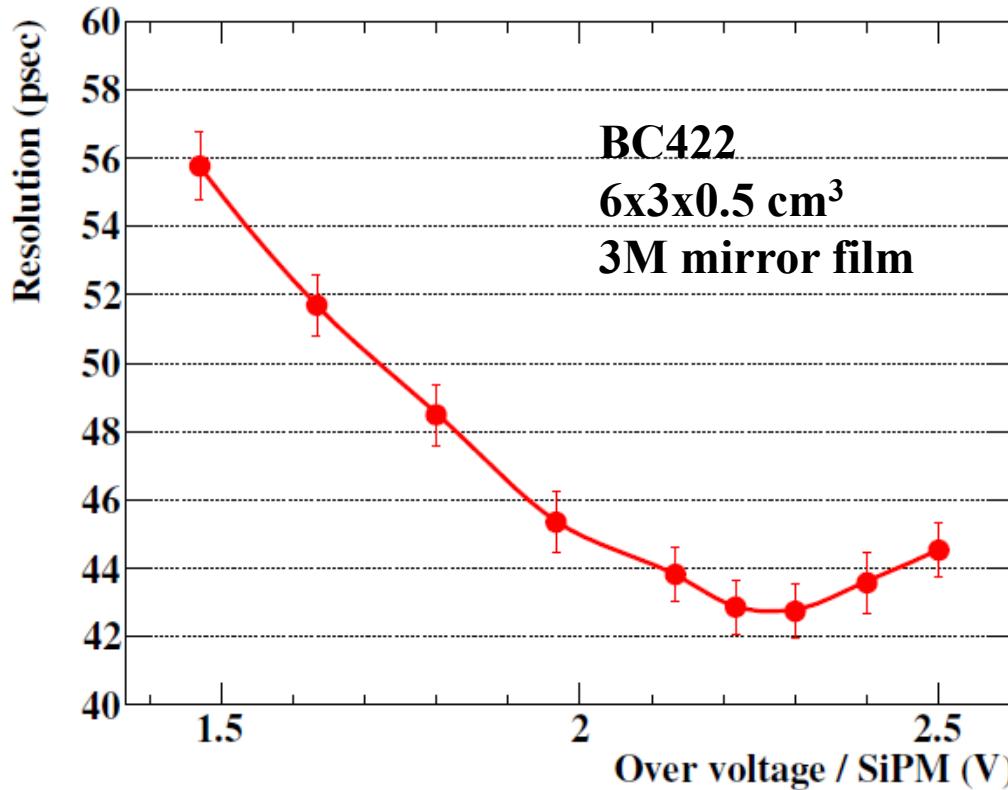
- 近紫外光
- 高精度時間測定
- ~500 counters × 2ch (3000 SiPMs)

BG同定検出器

新たに導入を検討  
□ GSO+プラシン  
+ファイバー

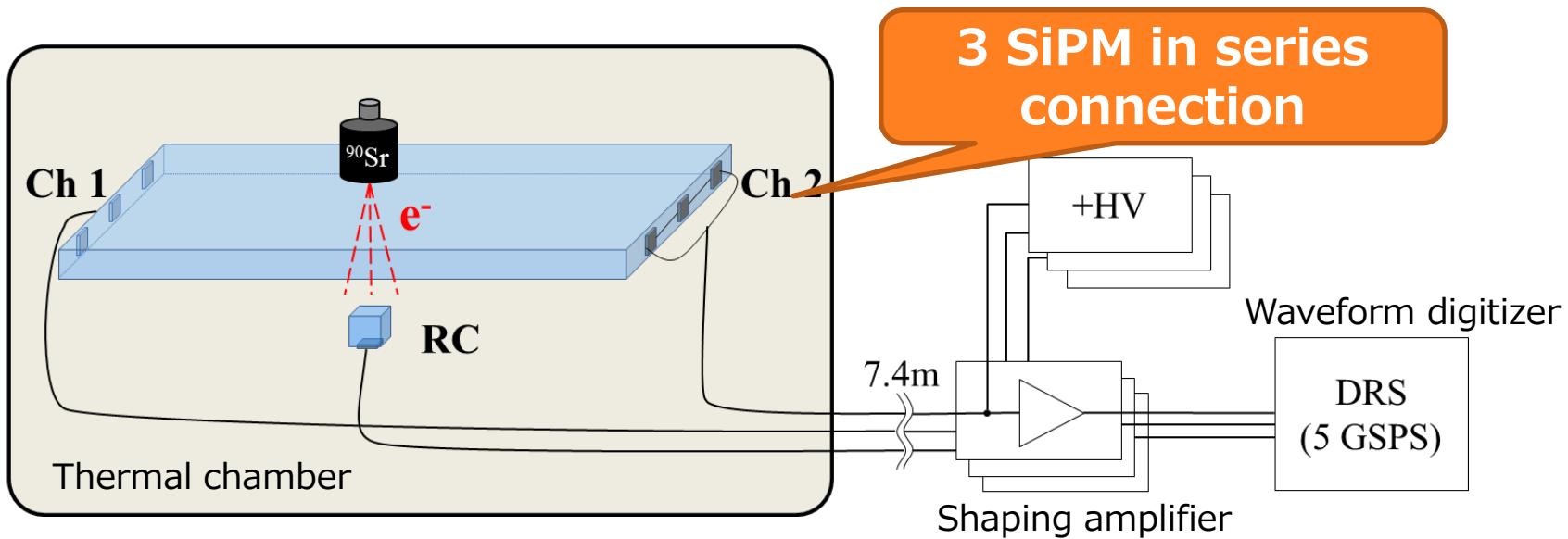
ガンマ線入射面をPMTから  
MPPCに置き換える  
□ 真空紫外光に有感  
□ 大型  
□ 電荷測定・時間測定  
□ ~4000ch

# Previous results



- Achieved excellent resolution of **43 ps( $\sigma$ )** at relatively high over-voltage
- Observed deterioration at further over-voltage
  - ◆ Increase of dark noise, after pulsing

# Test setup



- **Scintillator** : BC422, 60x30x5mm<sup>3</sup>
- **Sensor** : 3x3mm<sup>2</sup>, 50μm-pixel SiPMs
- **Reference counter** : BC422, 5x5x5mm<sup>3</sup>, 1 MPPC  
for trigger & collimation
- **${}^{90}\text{Sr}$  β-source** (<2.28MeV)
- **Amplification & shaping** (pole-zero cancellation)
- **High speed sampling with waveform digitizer**



# Topics today

- Further study to understand the timing resolution of plastic scintillation counter from SiPM properties
- Detail comparison of different type of SiPMs
  - Recently, many manufacturers produce **blue-sensitive** SiPMs with 'p-on-n' structure
  - **New MPPCs** from Hamamatsu
    - New standard MPPC
    - New trench MPPC

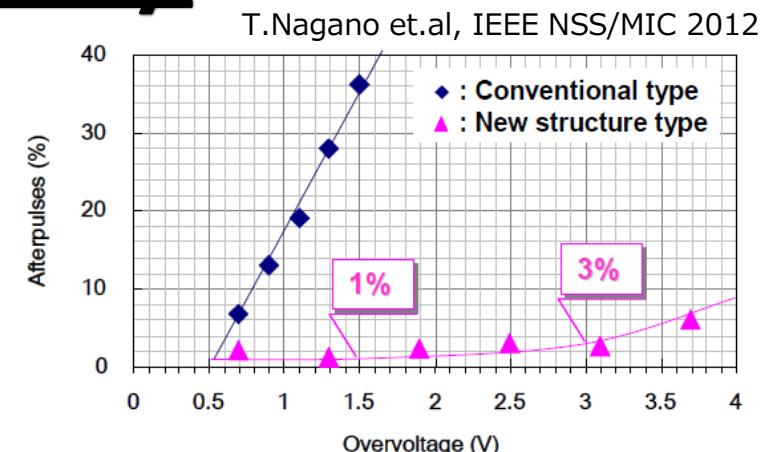


Fig.10. Afterpulse probability compared with conventional MPPC and new structure MPPC

HPK has recently developed new technologies

- ◆ After pulse suppression
- ◆ Trench for cross-talk suppression
- ◆ Metal quench resistor
- ◆ High fill factor for small pixel
- ◆ Etc.

IEEE NSS/MIC 2012,  
VCI 2013 Id:180

Pursue ultimate timing performance  
of general scintillation counter

# **SINGLE SENSOR**

# **PROPERTIES**

# Test samples

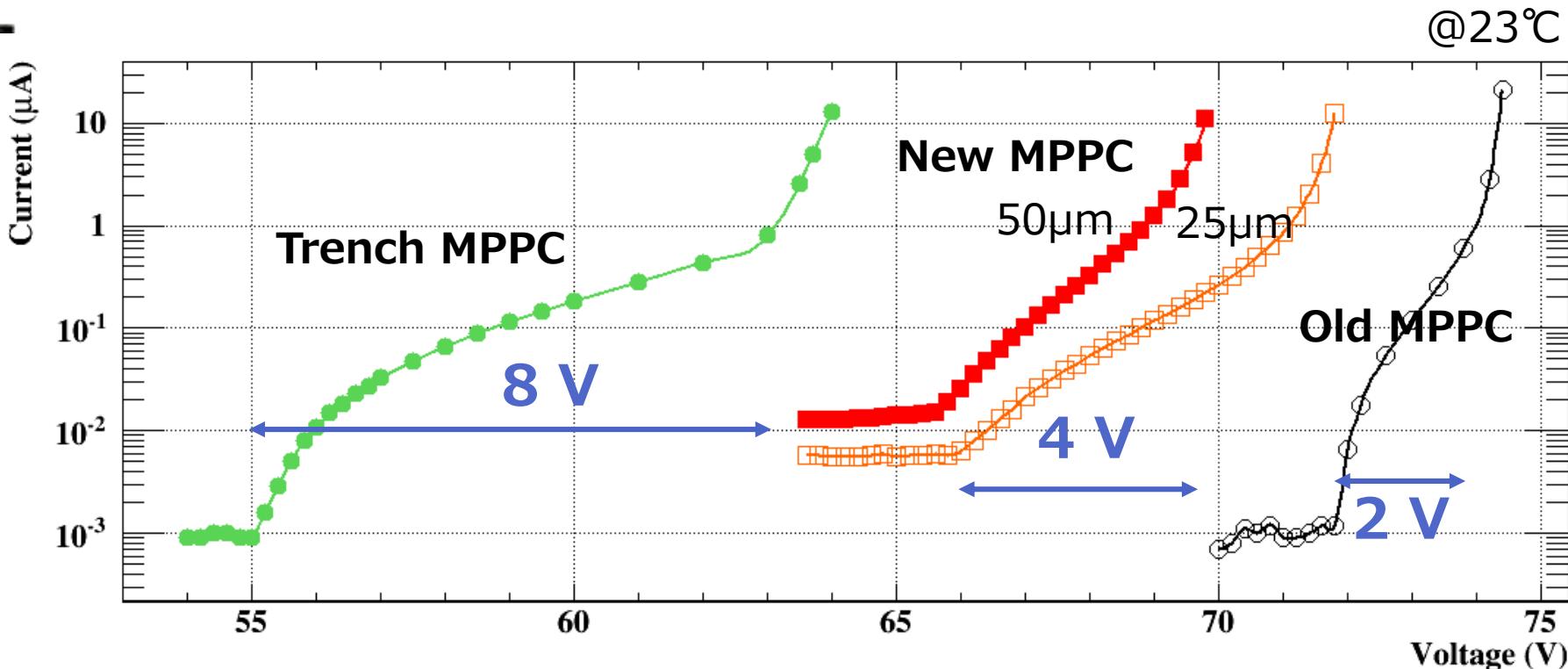


Manufacturer	Model number	Type	
HPK	S10362-33-050C	Conventional MPPC ( <b>Old</b> )	Ceramic package
	S10931-050P		Surface mount
	S12572-050C(X)	<b>New</b> MPPC (Standard)	
	S12572-025C(X)		25 $\mu$ m pixel
	S12652-050C(X)	<b>Trench-type</b> MPPC	
	3X3MM50UMLCT-B		Improved fill factor
AdvanSiD		NUV type	
KETEK	PM3350 prototype A	Trench type	
SensL	MicroFB-30050-SMT	B-series with fast output	
	MicroFB-30035-SMT		35 $\mu$ m pixel

Common features:

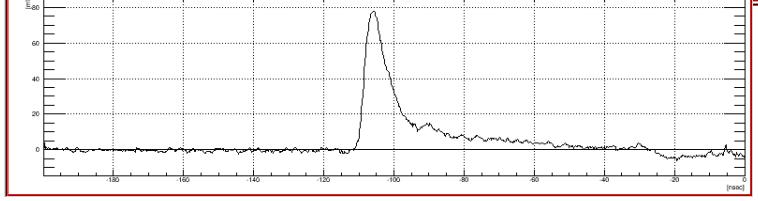
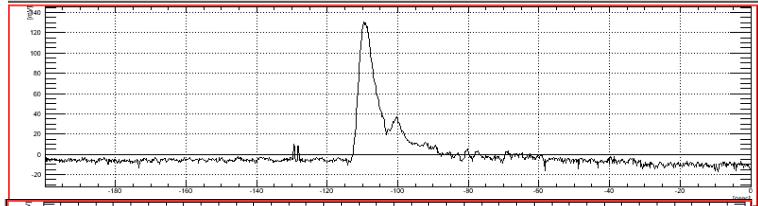
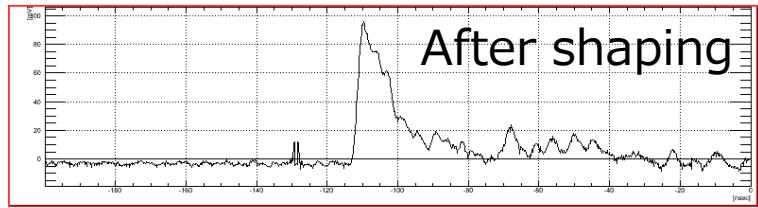
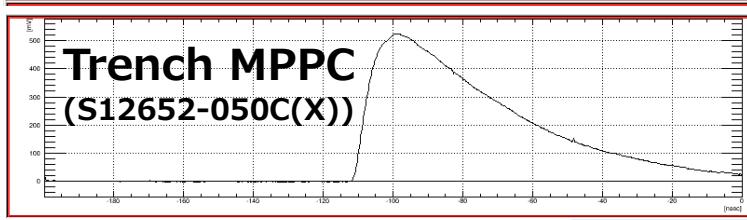
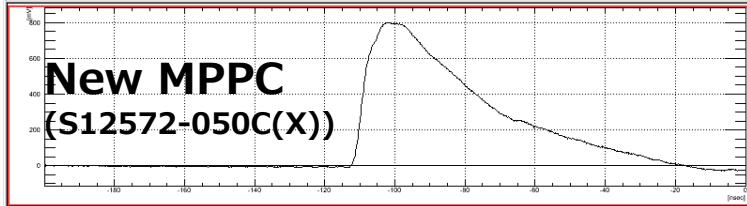
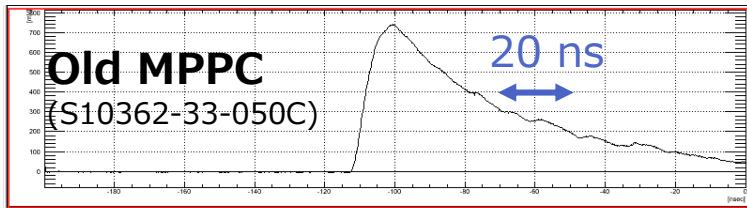
3×3 mm<sup>2</sup> dimension, p-on-n structure

# I-V characteristics



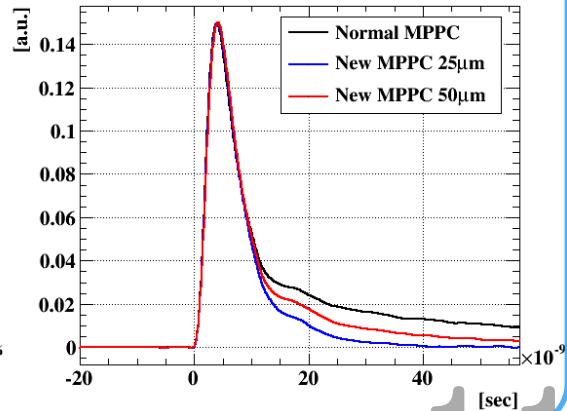
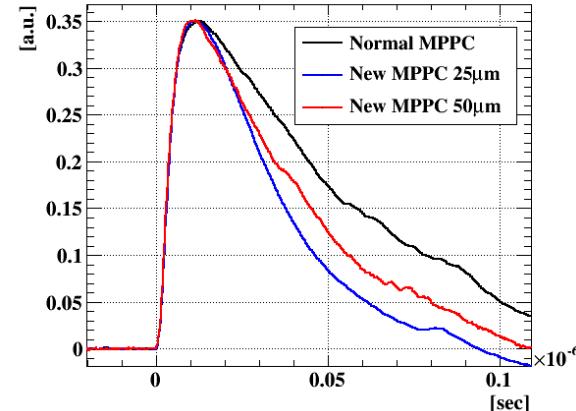
- Much wider operational range.
- Breakdown voltages are lower by 5 V (standard), 15V (trench)

# Snapshot of waveform



- Confirmed less after-pulsing

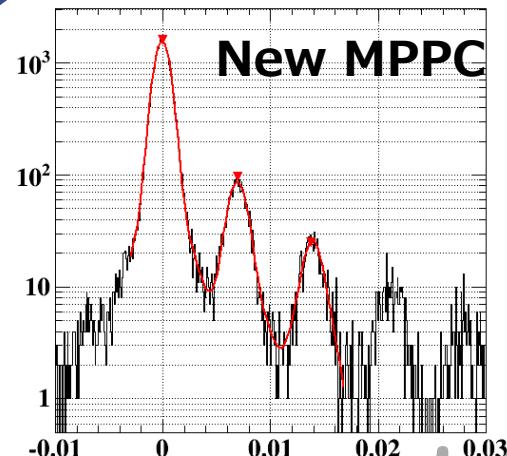
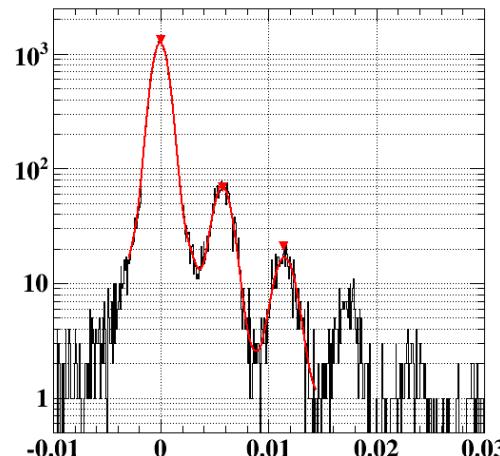
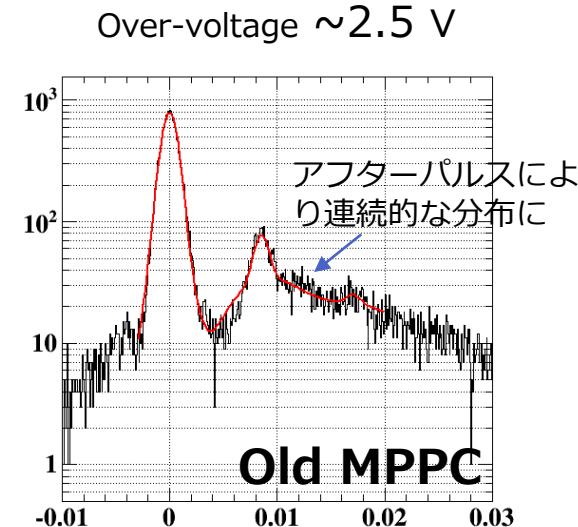
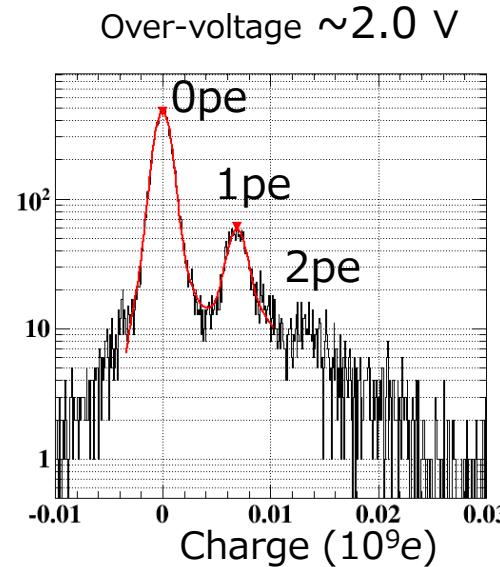
Average waveform



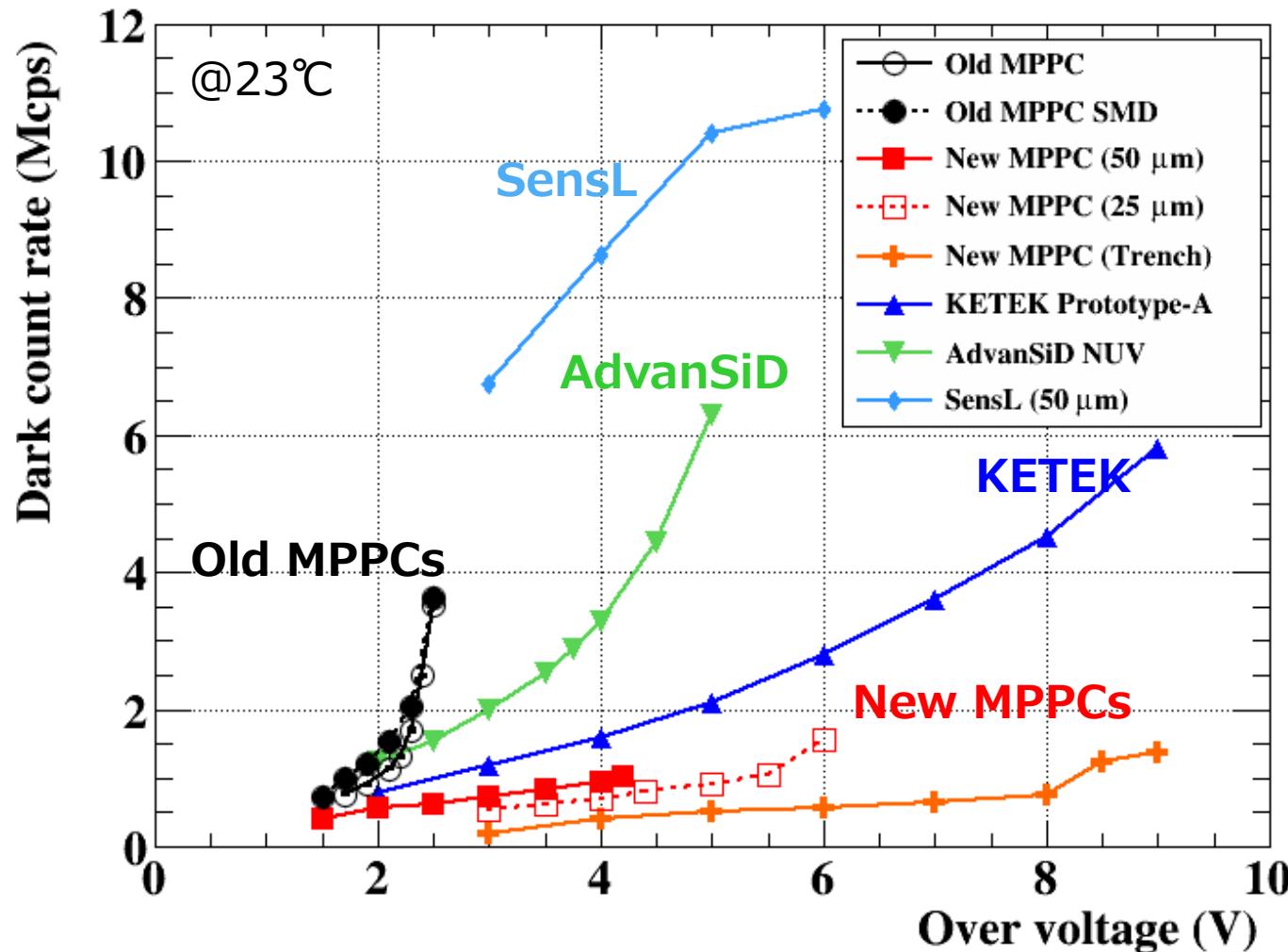
# p.e. counting



- **Dark measurement**
  - Random trigger
- **Photo-electron counting capability**
  - Large improvement in the separation



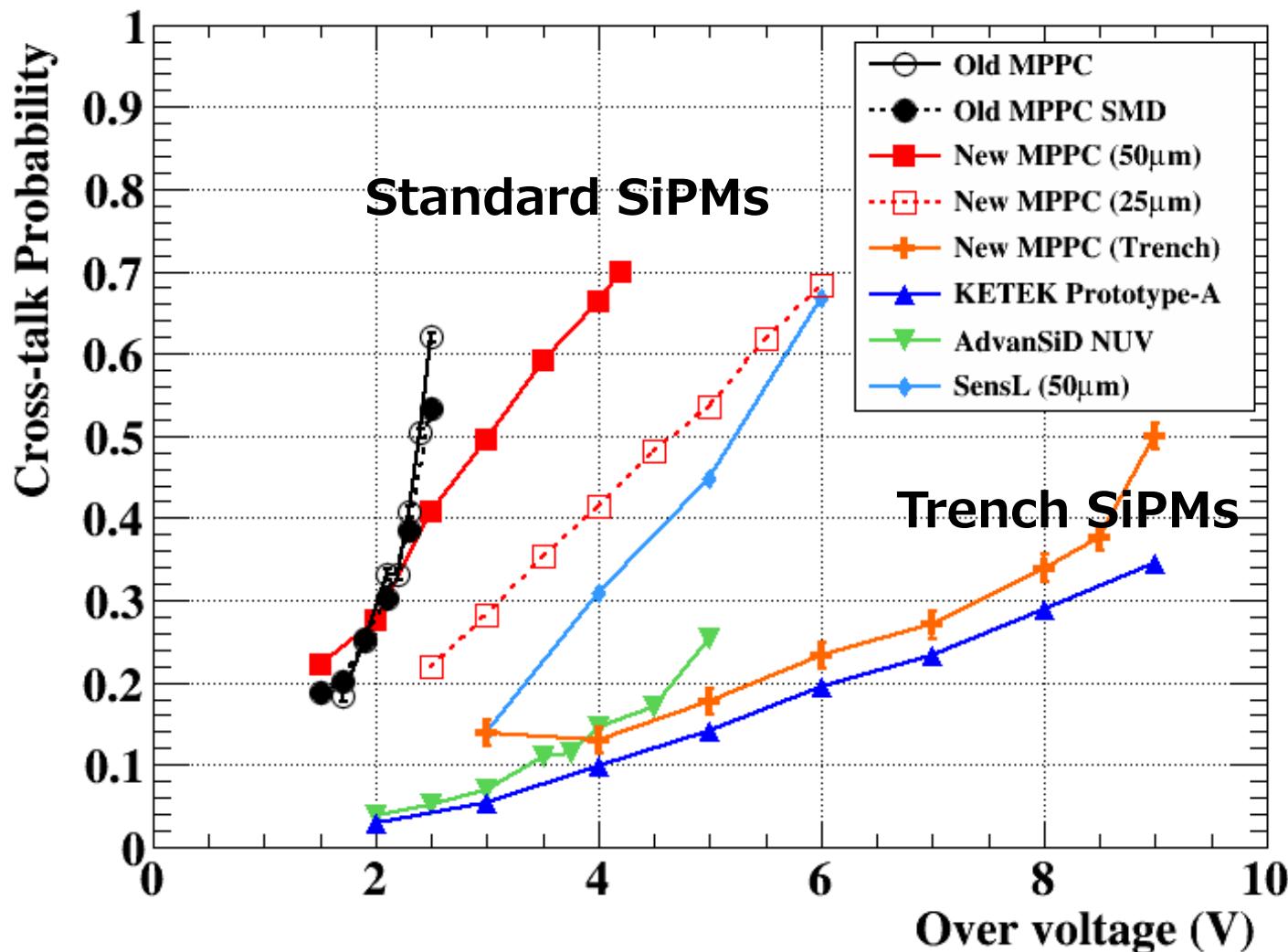
# Dark count



Kept controlled up to high  $V_{\text{over}}$  due to the after-pulse suppression

# Cross talk

@23°C

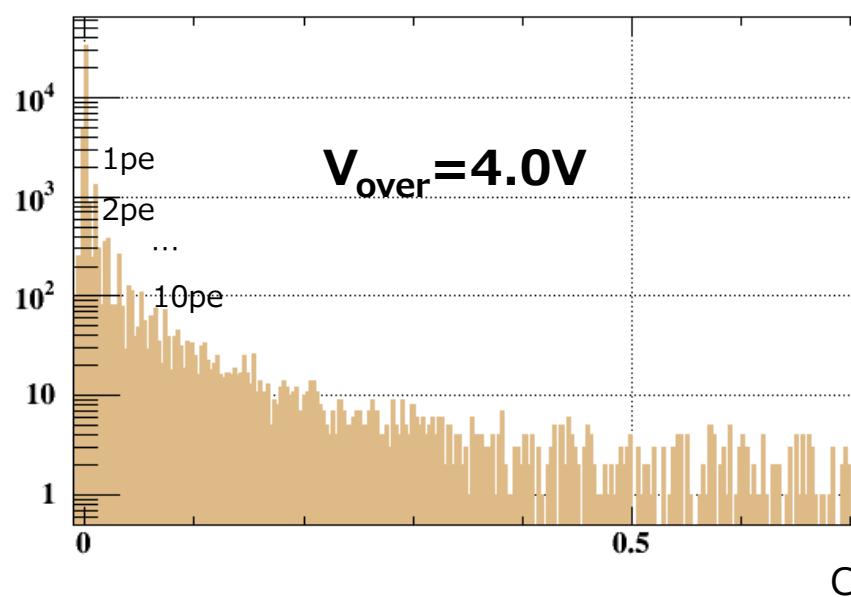
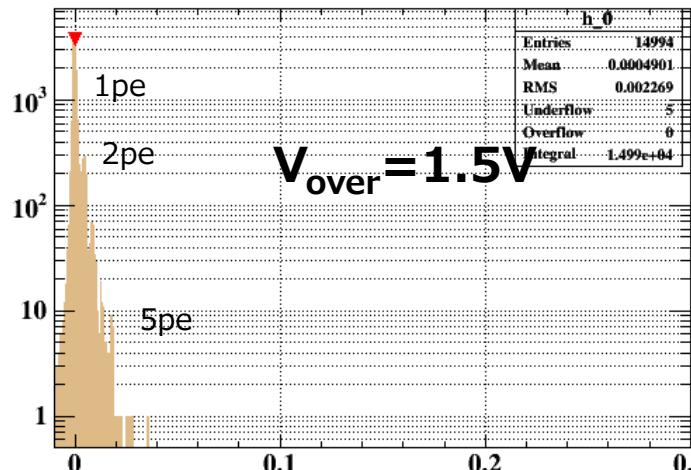


Cross-talk  
Probability

$$\equiv \frac{\# \geq 2pe}{\# \geq 1pe}$$

# Cross talk

## Standard NEW MPPC



## □ Cross talk increases at high bias

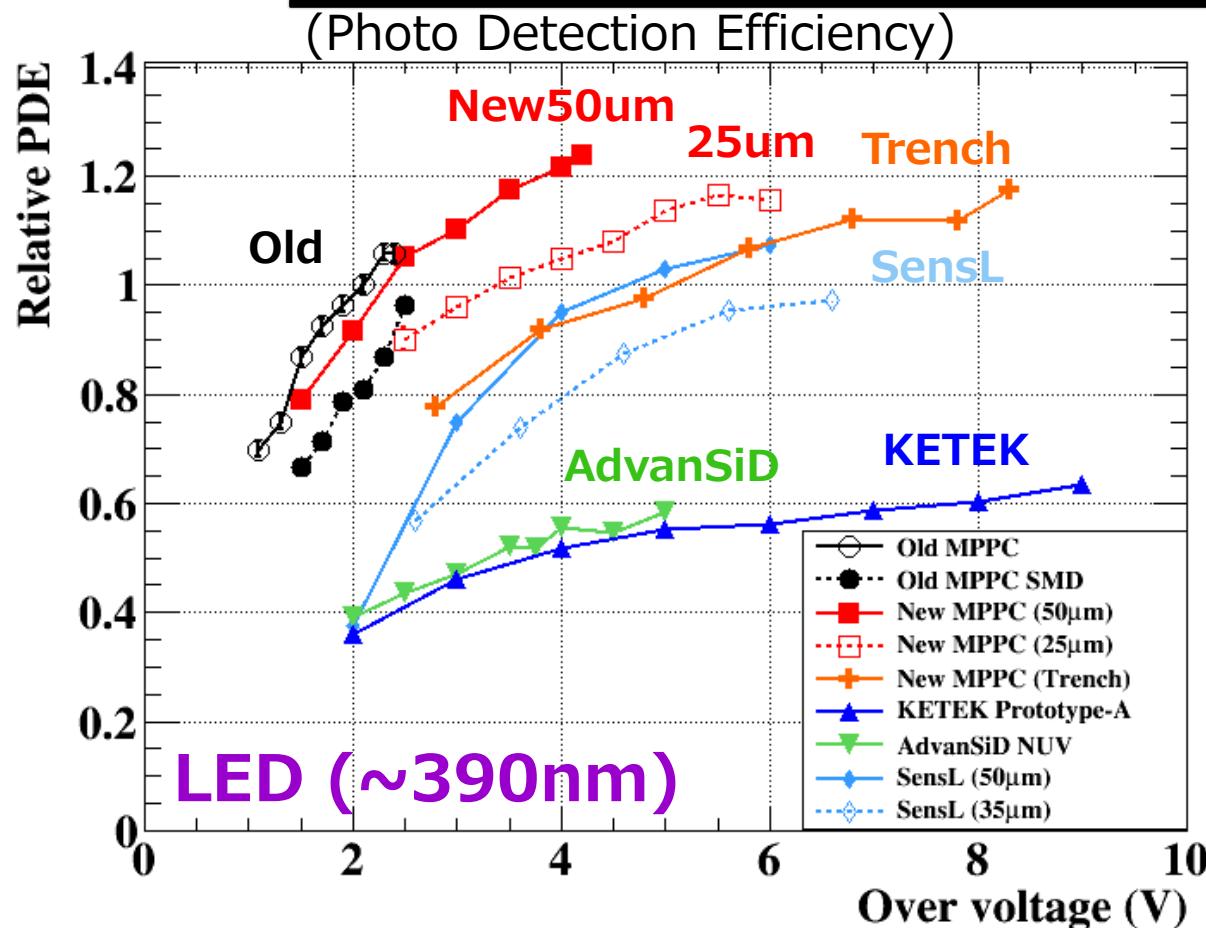
- Very long tail in charge distribution
- Cross-talk process runaway
- Big impact on energy measurement (excess noise factor)
- Impact on time measurement?

arXiv:1109.2014

Crosstalk Models	Single primary event $N \geq 1$ e.g. SSPM Dark Spectrum	Poisson number of primaries $\langle N \rangle = \mu$ e.g. SSPM Photon Spectrum
Geometric Chain Crosstalk Process	Non-random (Dark) event  Random CT events Primary 1 <sup>st</sup> CT 2 <sup>nd</sup> CT No CT	Random primary (Photo) events  Random CT events
Branching Poisson Crosstalk Process	Non-random (Dark) event  Random CT events	Random primary (Photo) events  Random CT events

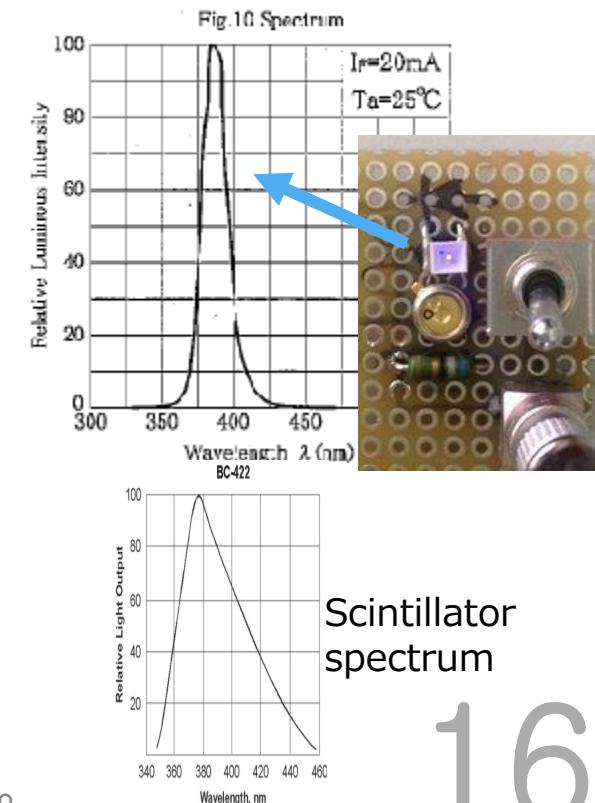
Saturation  
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# PDE with UV-LED

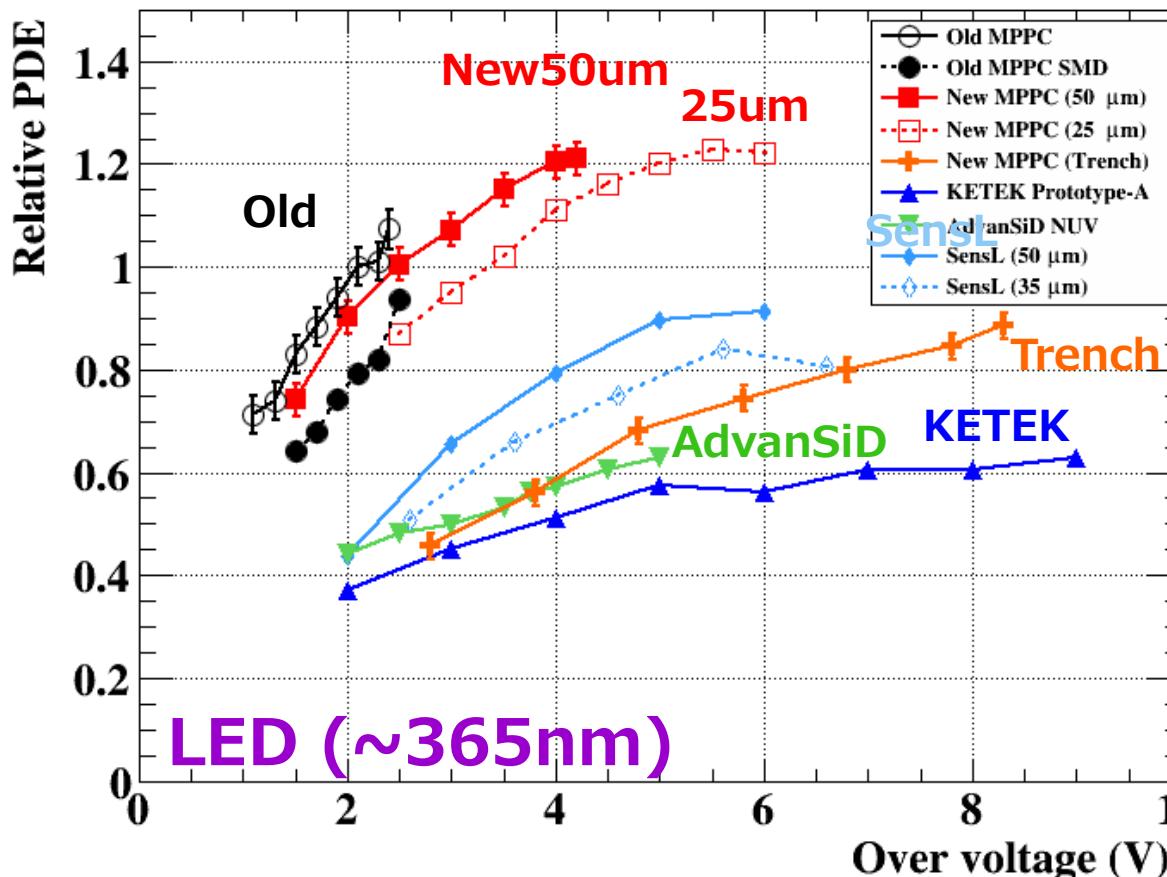


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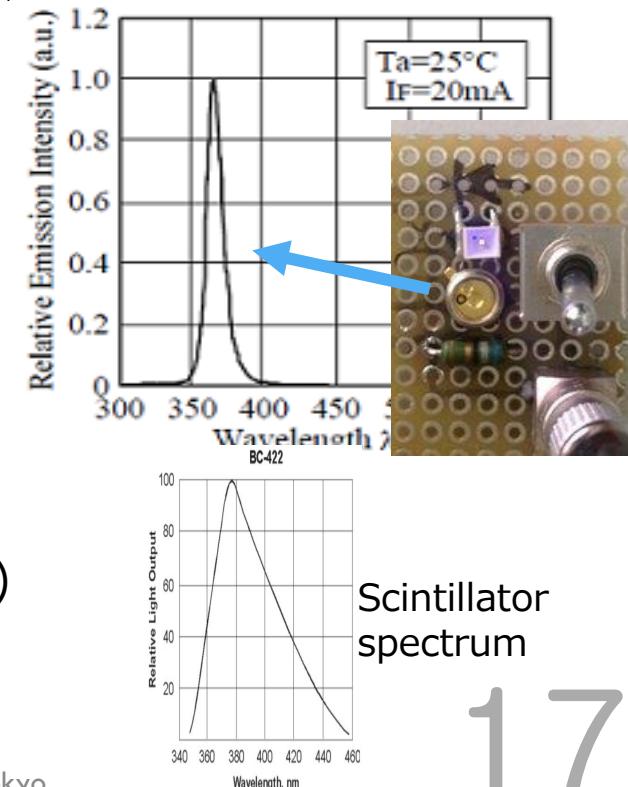
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- Calculate PDE from 0 p.e. probability



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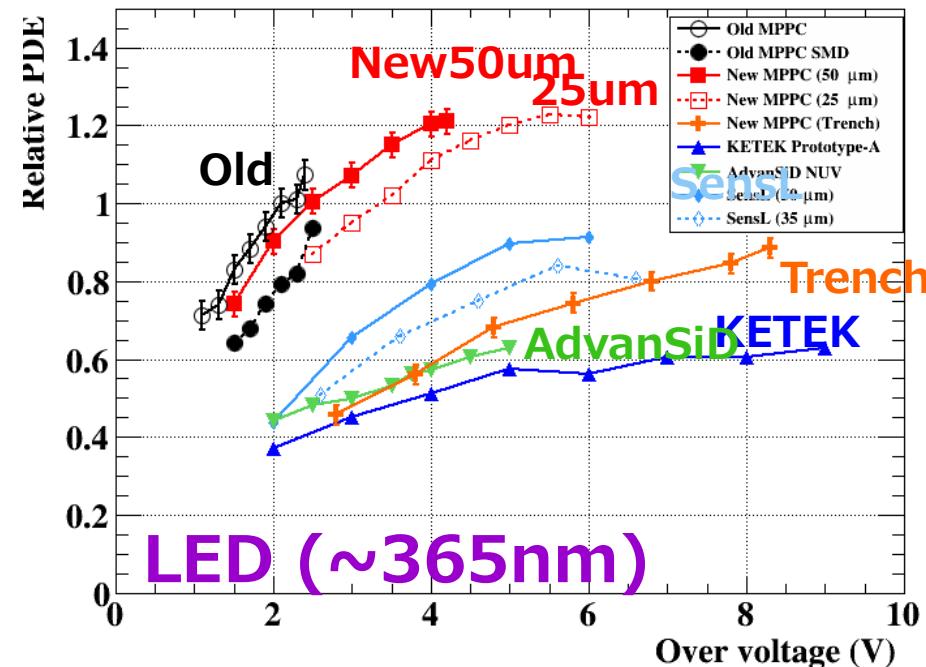
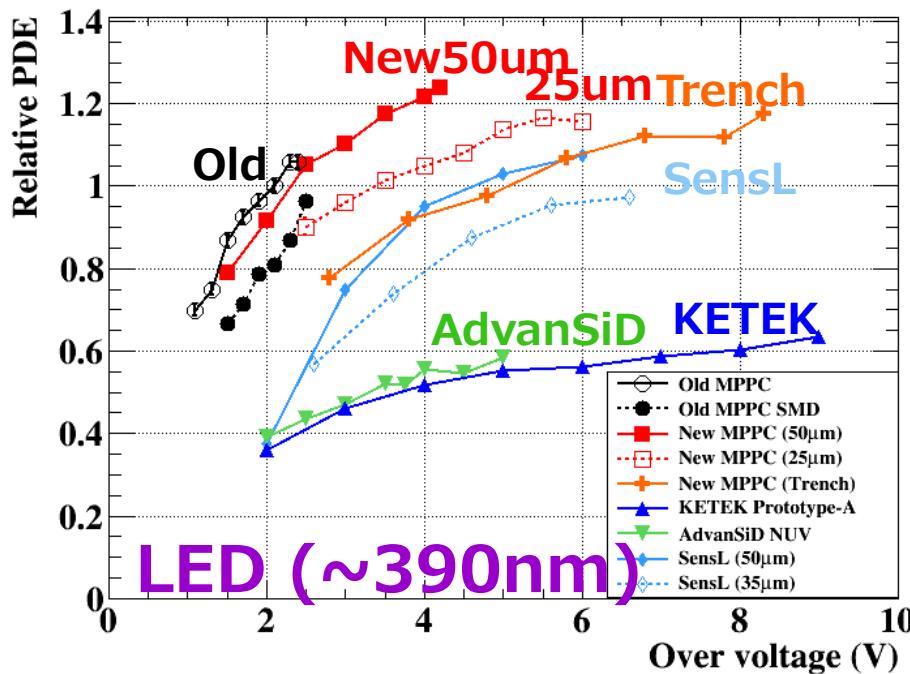


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# PDE with UV-LED



\*Relative scales for the two plots are not same

HPK MPPCs show higher PDE for near-UV

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- But PDE is suppressed at shorter wave length (?)

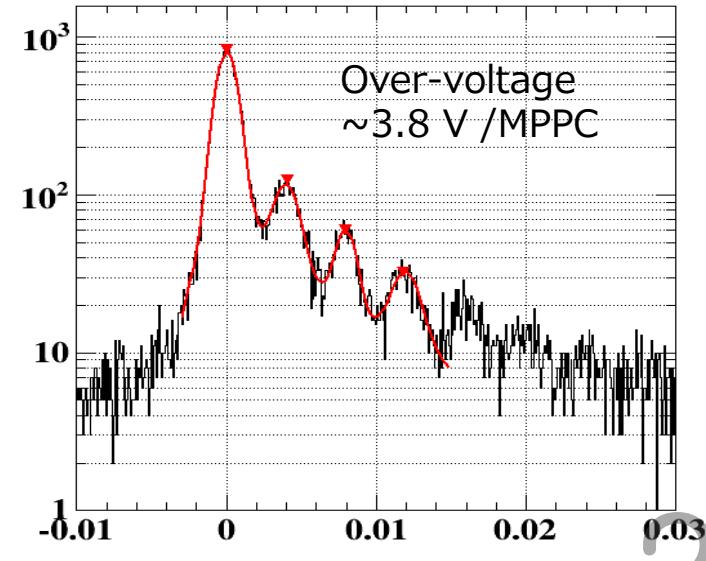
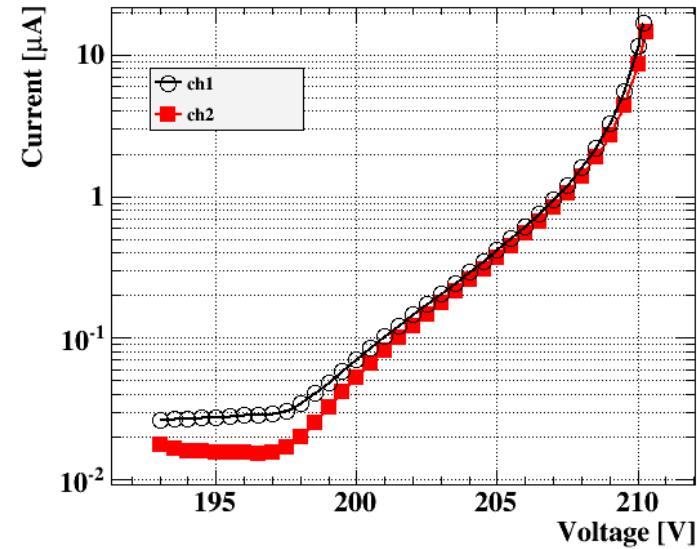
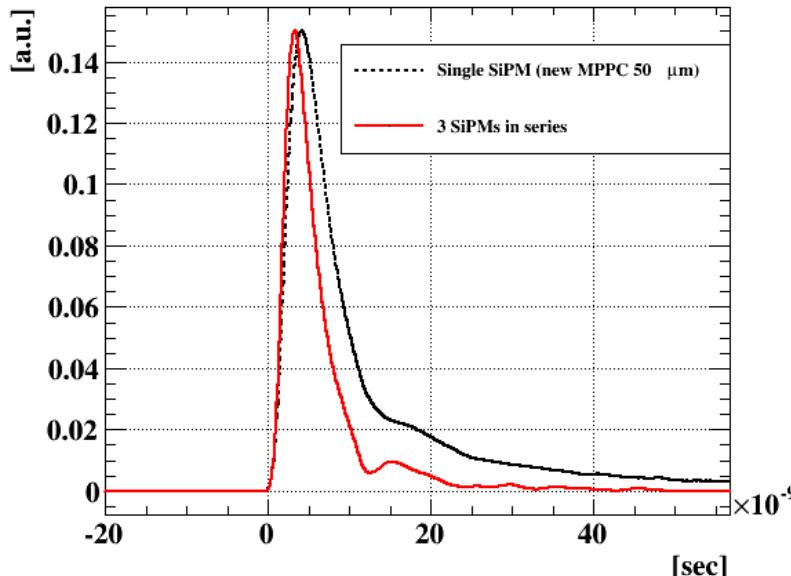
**SCINTILLATOR SIGNAL**

**READOUT BY 3 MPPC**

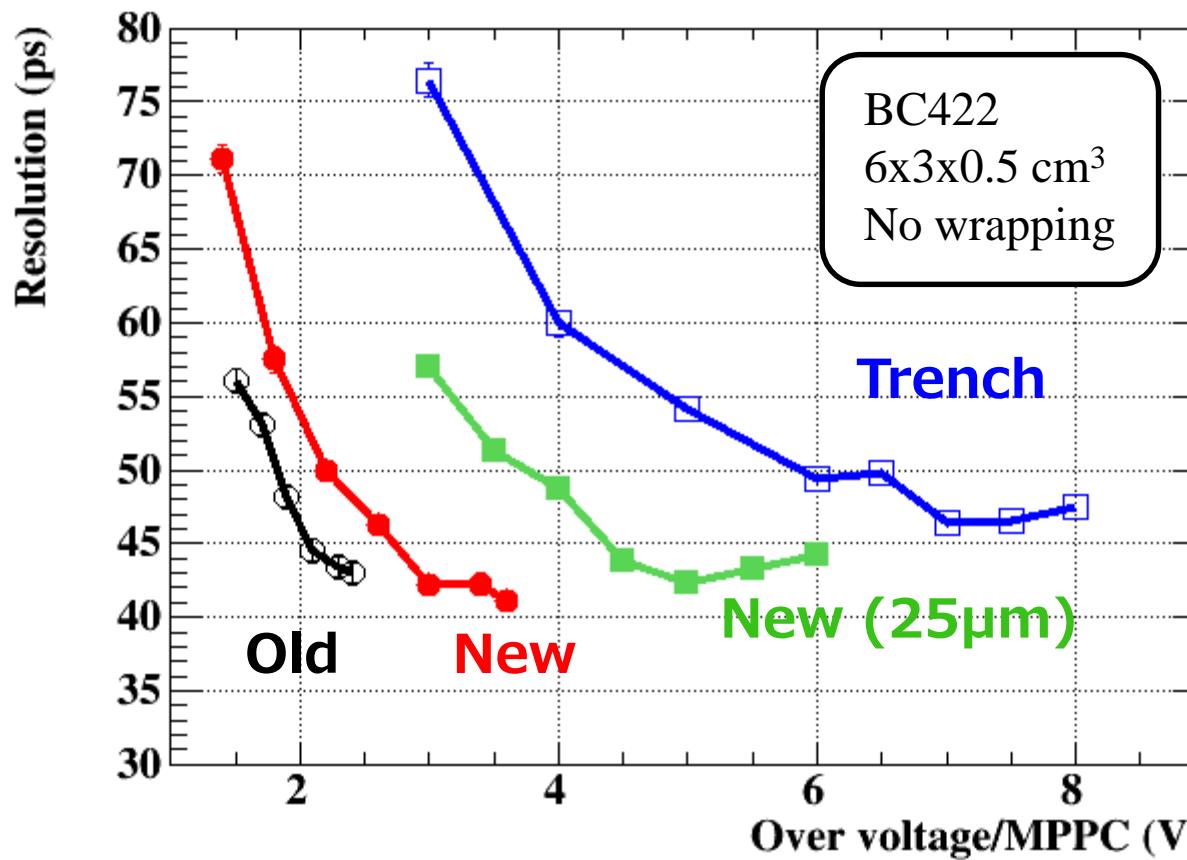
**SERIES CONNECTION**

# 3 series connection

- 直列につないだ3つのセンサーを1チャンネルで読み出す
  - 実効的に大面積化。検出光量の増加で分解能をあげる。
  - 両端に3倍のバイアス電圧を供給。
- 共通電流で個々のセンサーにかかる電圧が調整される
  - Over-voltageが自動的に大体そろう
- 直列接続でキャパシタンス減少
  - シャープな波形
  - ゲイン減少 (~40%)

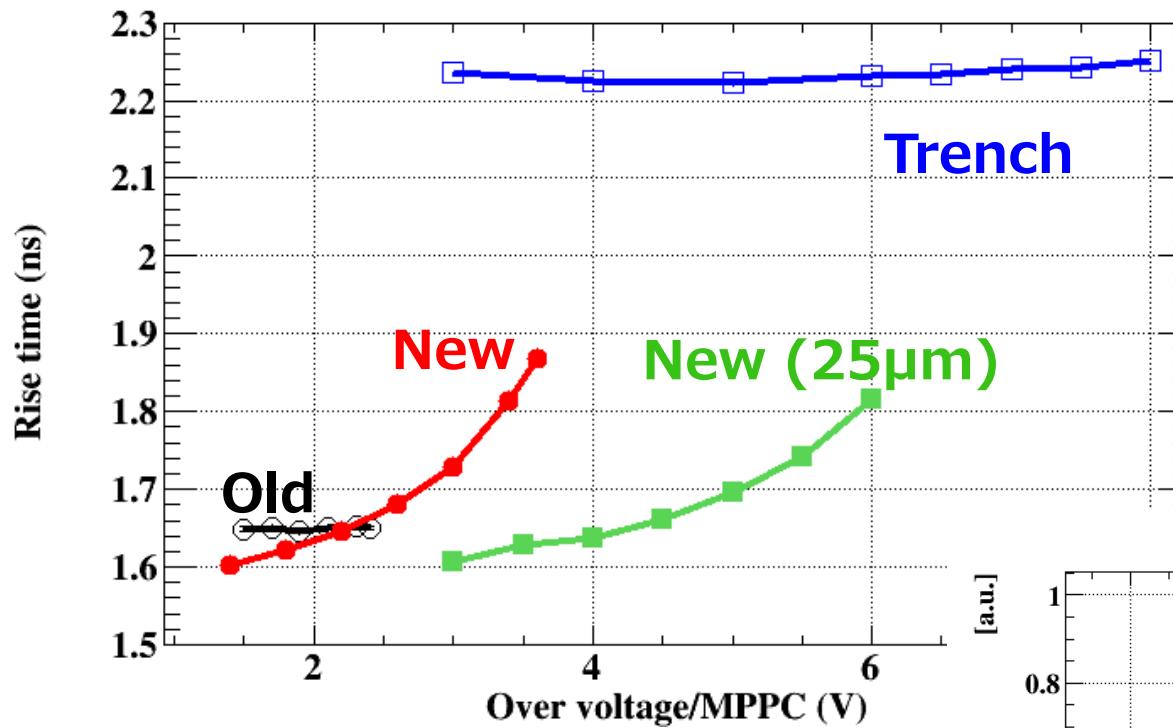


# Time resolution

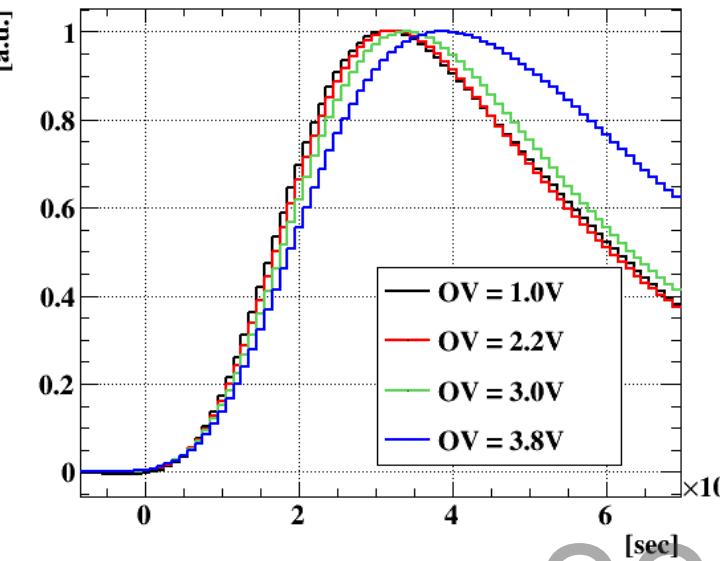


- Almost same resolution attained at each optimal bias. (No major improvement)
- Trench-type shows slightly poorer resolution

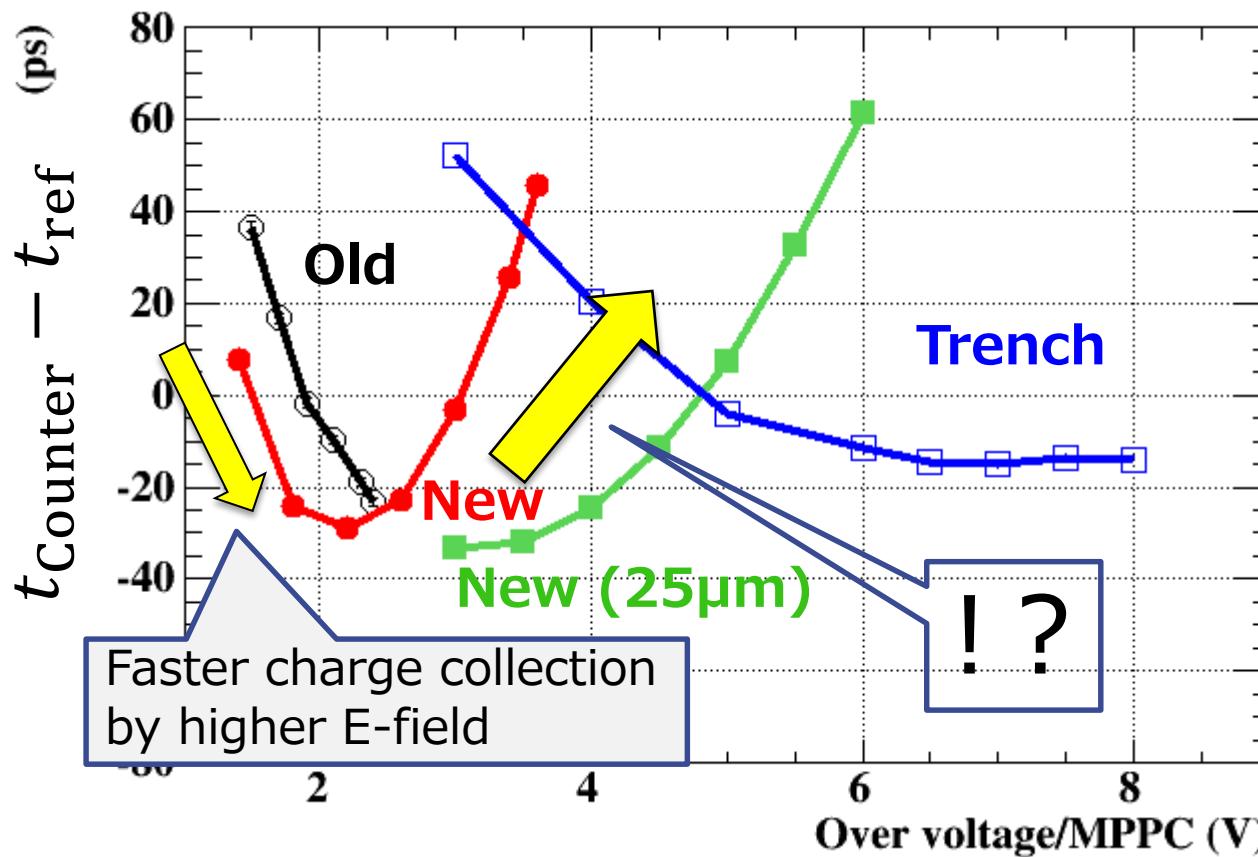
# Rise time



- Observe **softening** of waveform as  $V_{\text{over}}$  for standard new MPPC
- **Slower** pulse shape for Trench MPPC
  - ✓ This sample is not the final version.
  - ✓ HPK is trying to improve this



# Pulse timing

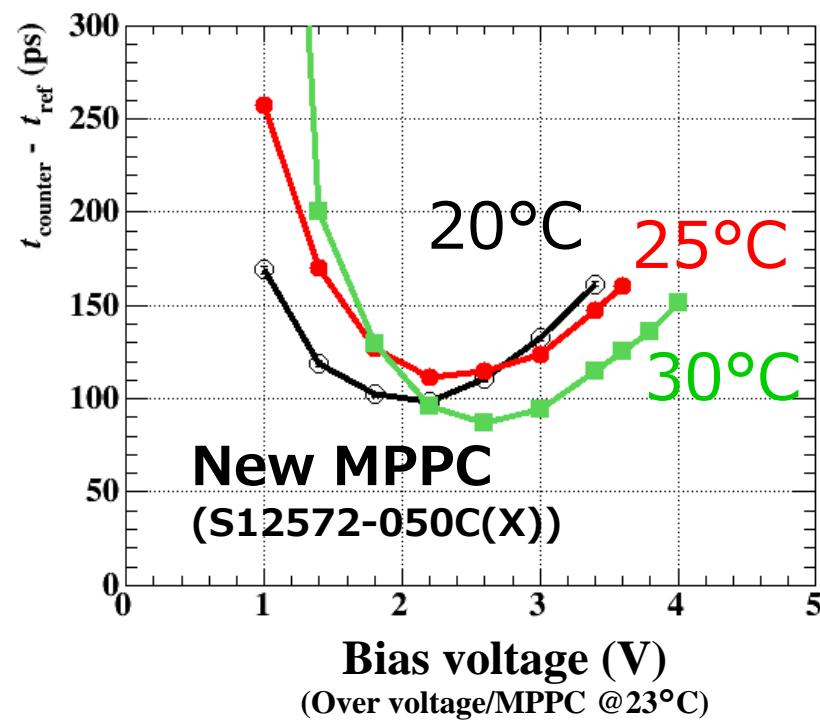
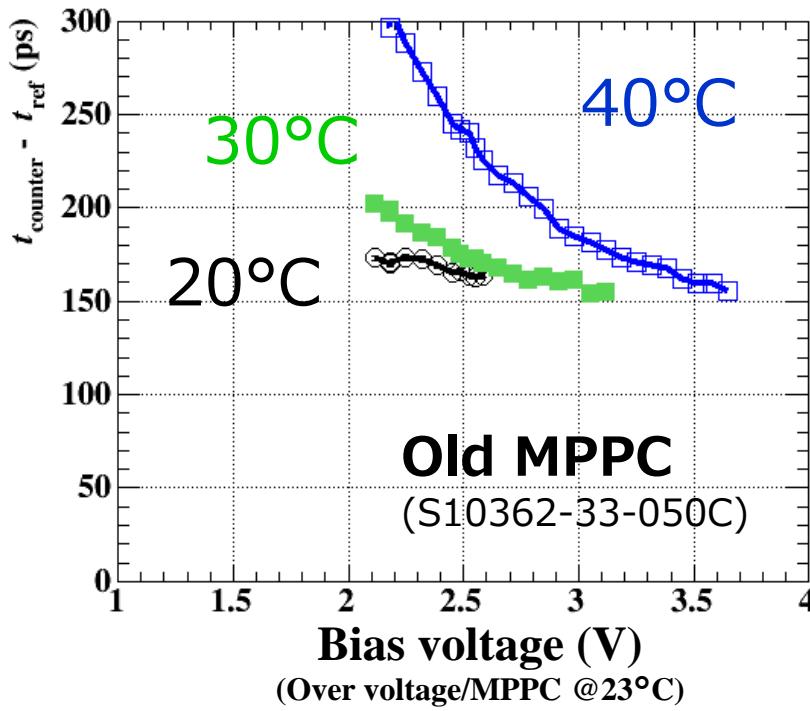


Pulse time by Constant-Fraction method

- As a consequence of softened pulse shape, **time measurement drifts** for applied bias
- → Larger **temperature dependence** of time measurement

Old	2.5 ps/°C
New	5.5 ps/°C
New 25um	2.8 ps/°C
Trench	0.1 ps/°C

# Temp vs Timing



- バイアス一定の場合の時間測定( $\text{mean}$ )の温度依存性
- 高バイアス下での時間のドリフト(波形のなまり)により  
新型では温度依存性が大きくなってしまった。(5度の変  
化で~30ps)

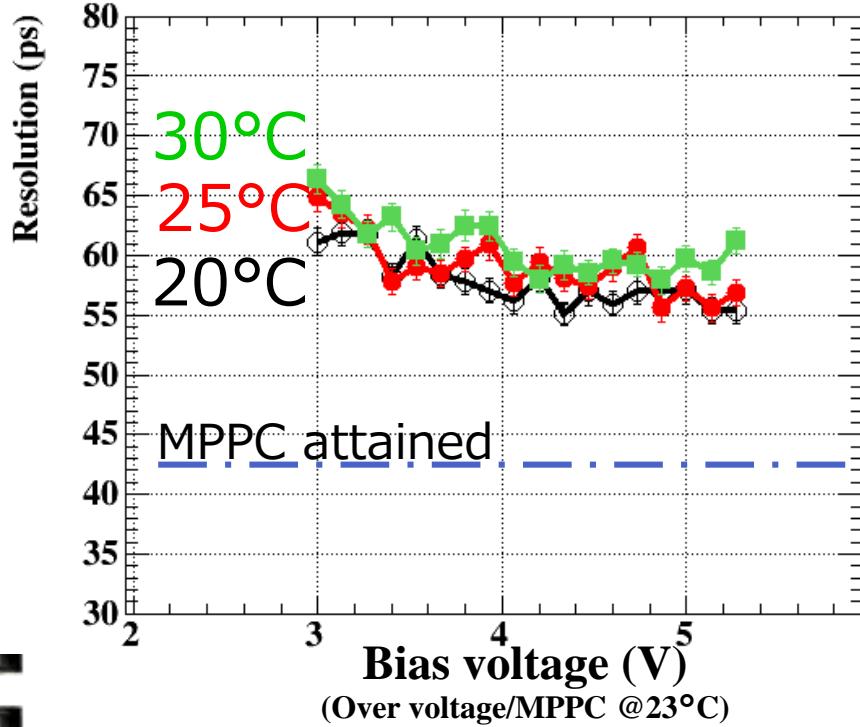
温度変化の寄与(一様分布仮定)

$$30 \oplus 30/\sqrt{12} = 31.2 \text{ ps}$$

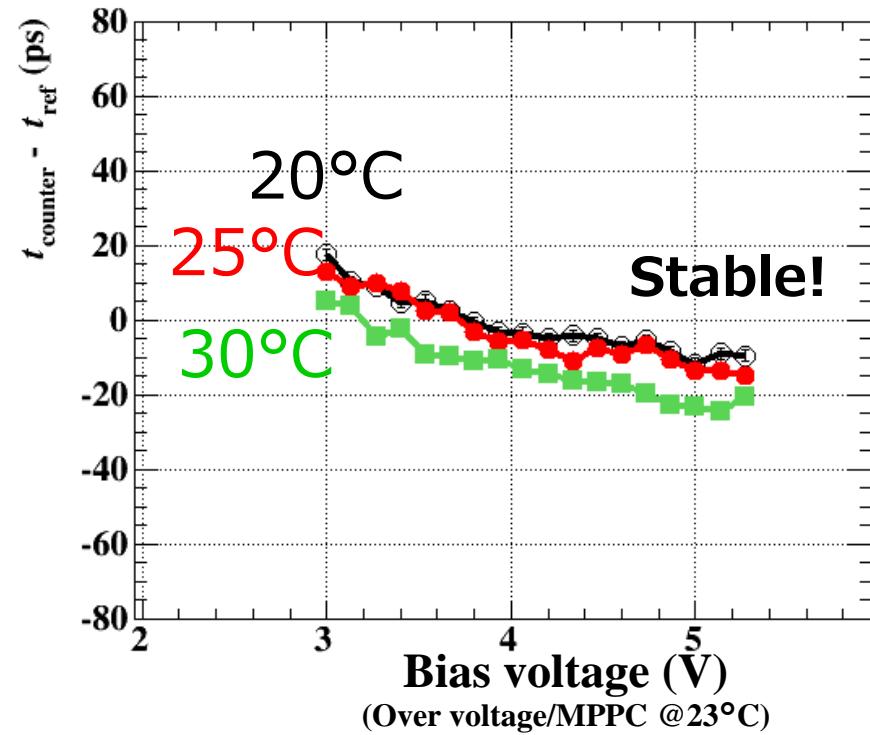
検出器の分解能(最終目標値)

問題となるレ  
ベルではない

# AdvanSiD



- ◆ 10–15 ps poorer resolution
- ◆ Good stability for wide bias range
  - ✓ No more care for temperature



Breakdown coefficient  
AdvanSiD: **24 mV/°C**  
KETEK : **16 mV/°C**  
  
MPPC Old: **49 mV/°C**  
MPPC New:**59 mV/°C**

# まとめ



## ● New MPPC

- after pulseの大幅削減, 動作領域の拡大
  - ✓ パルス後の安定性向上。高計数率下測定で有効。
- Trench-type, 加えてcross talk抑制
- Small pixelでもfill factor改善で同等のPDE

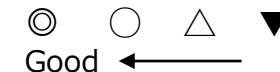
## ● 時間測定の温度依存性

- New MPPCで悪化
- Trench-typeではKETEK, AdvanSiD同様安定

## ● シンチレータ時間分解能

- p.e. statisticsがドミナント → PDEが重要
  - ✓ 近紫外光で高いPDEを有する浜松MPPCで高分解能
- New MPPCでは到達分解能に大幅な改善は見られない。

	After pulse, noise	Cross talk	PDE	Bias, Temp. stability	Time resolution
Old MPPC	△	▼	○	△	○
New MPPC (Standard)	○	▼	○	▼	○
New MPPC (25um)	○	▼	○	△	○
New Trench MPPC	○	○	○	○	○
AdvanSiD NUV	▼	○	▼	○	△
KETEK	▼	○	▼	○	▼



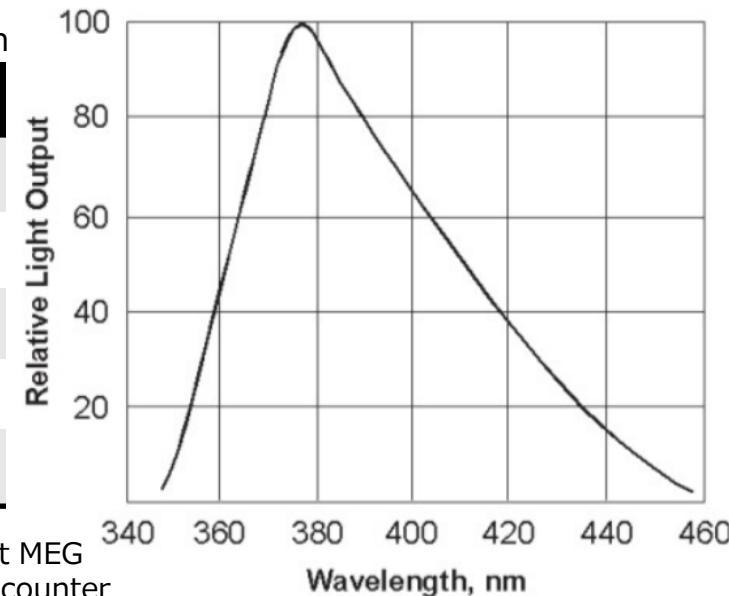
時間分解能追求ならStandard MPPC (50 or 25 μm pixel)  
総合性能ならTrench MPPC

# Scintillator



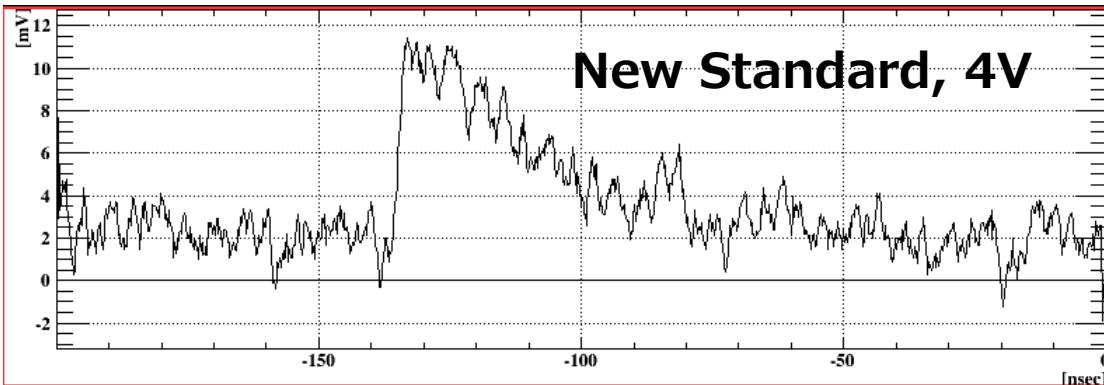
properties	Fast scintillators from Saint-Gobain			
	BC418	BC420	BC422	BC404
Light Output [% Anthracene]	67	64	55	68
Rise Time [ns]	0.5	0.5	0.35	0.7
Decay Time [ns]	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.8
Wavelength [nm]	391	391	370	408
Attenuation Length [cm]	100	110	8	140

Used in the beam test      Used in this study (Best)      Present MEG timing counter

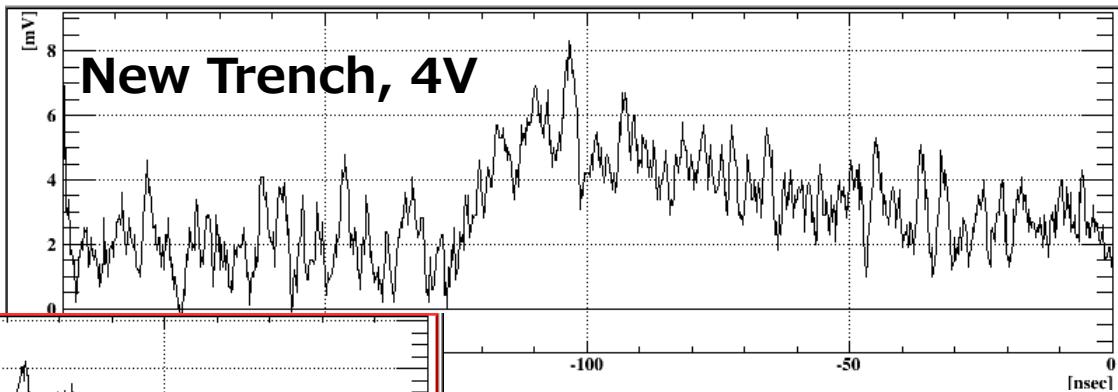


- **Faster scintillator gives higher time resolution**
  - P.e. at the earliest part are only effective
  - Scintillation with fast response given in near-UV light

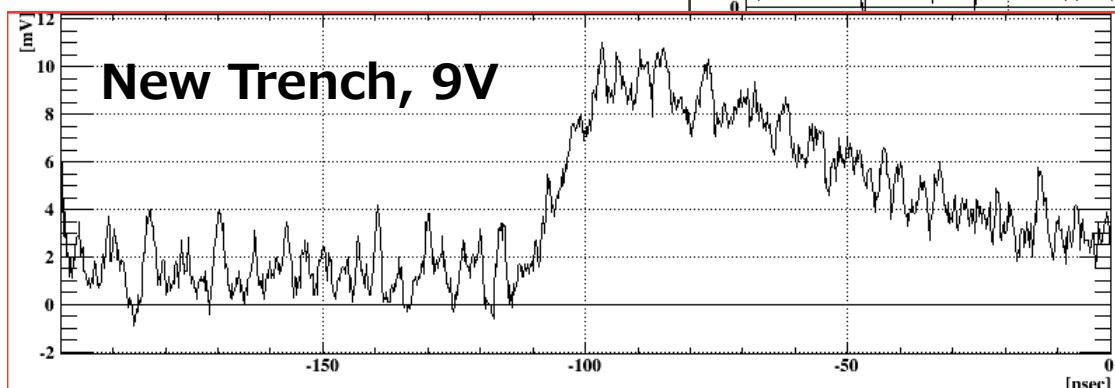
# 1 pe signal



New Standard, 4V



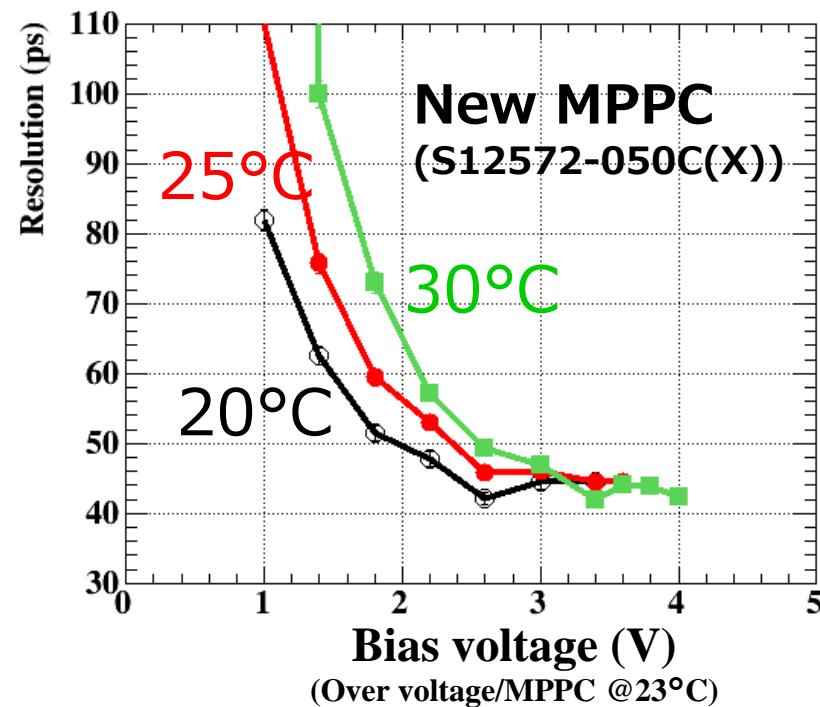
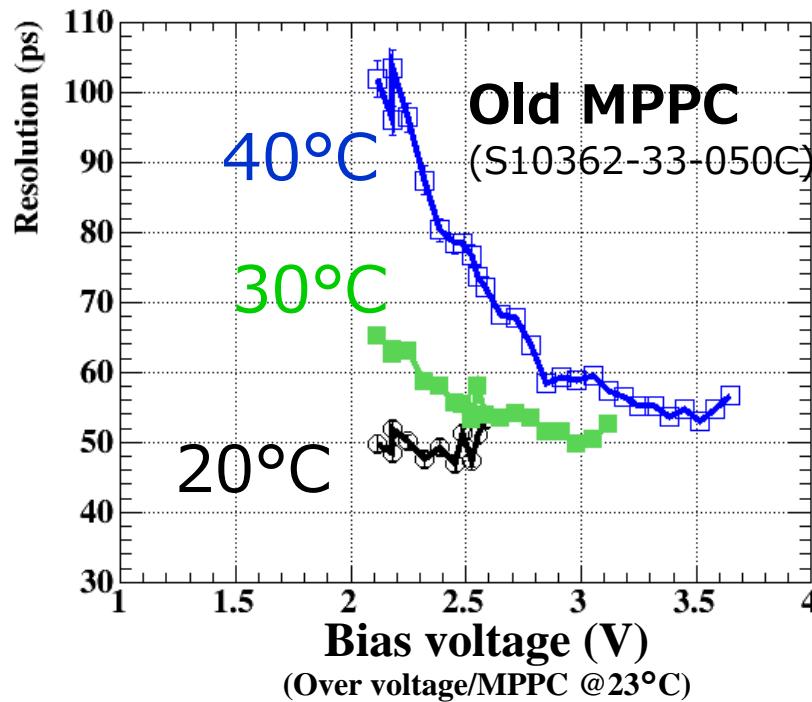
New Trench, 4V



New Trench, 9V

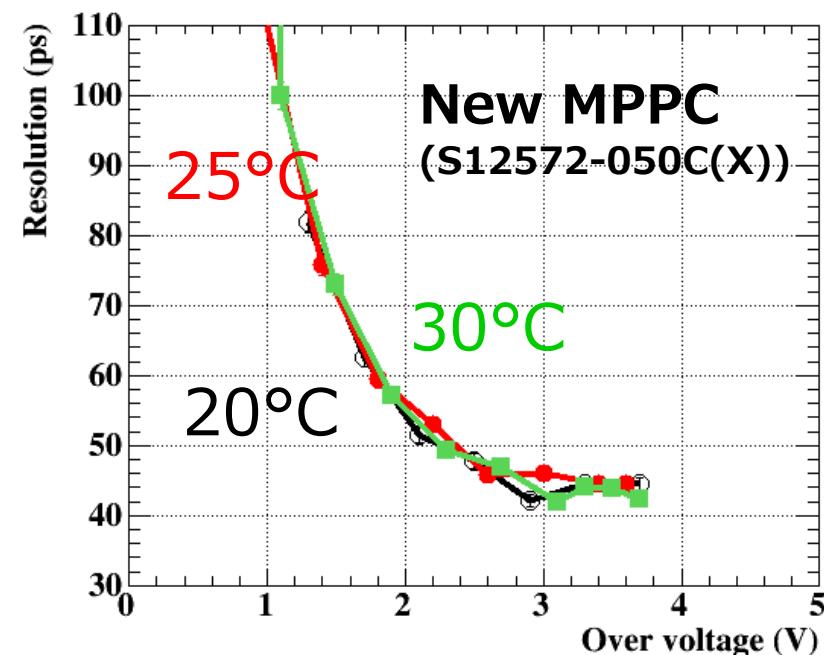
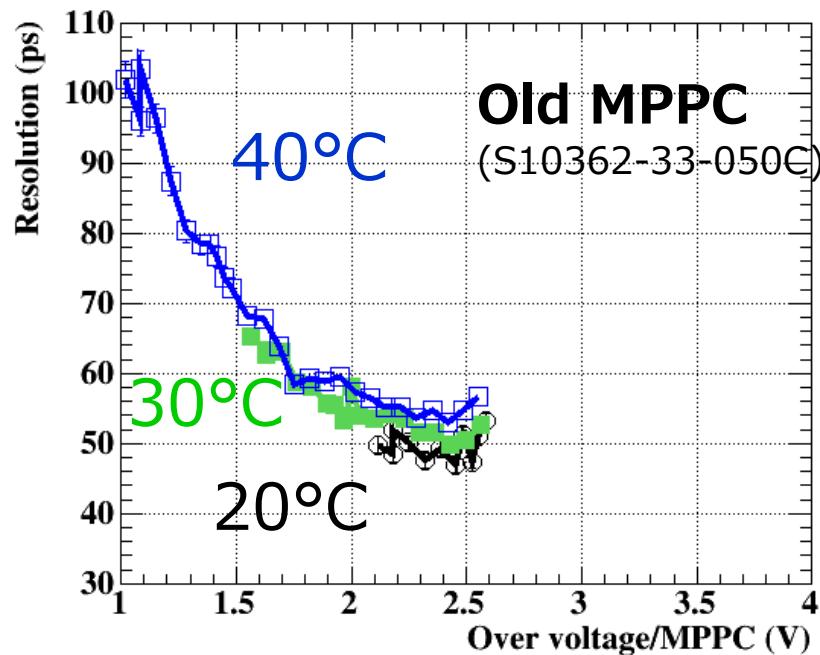
Trench型で大幅な波形の  
なまりを観測。

# Temp. vs Resolution



- **バイアス一定の場合の分解能の温度依存性**
  - ✓ レファレンスカウンタは各温度でOver-voltageをそろえてある
- 新型では高バイアスをかけることで、到達分解能は安定に得られる。

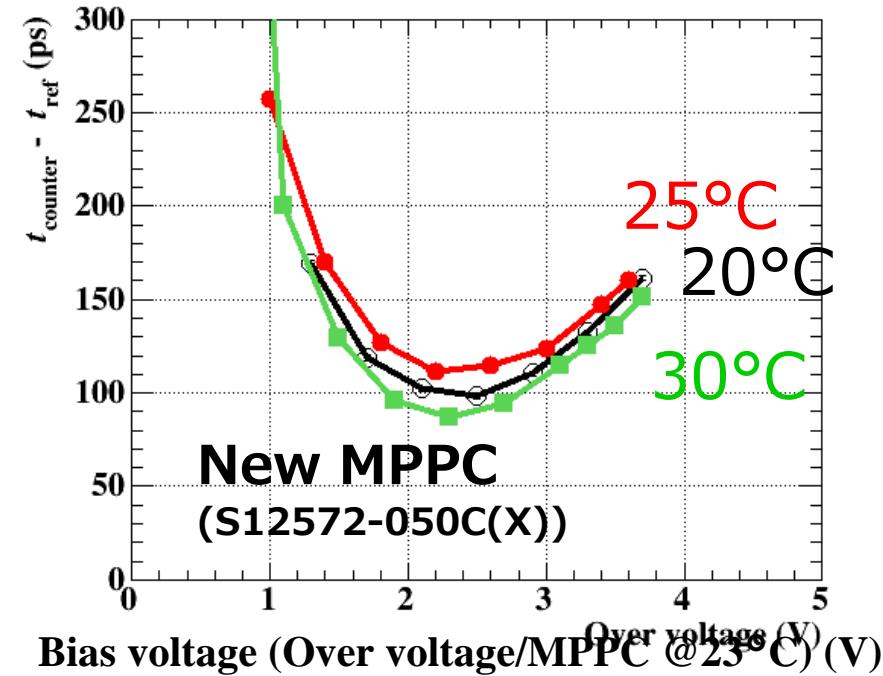
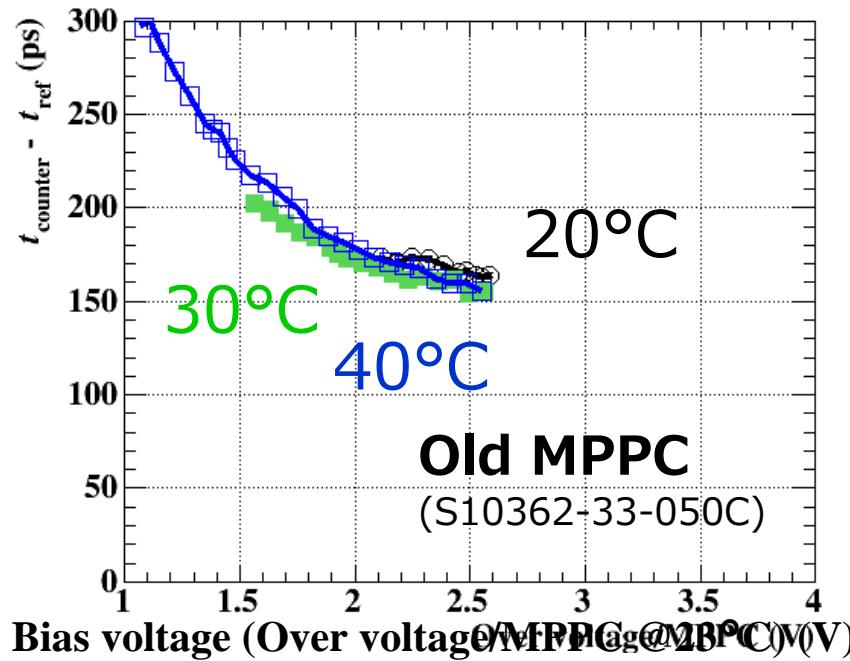
# Temp. vs Resolution



- Over voltage一定での分解能温度依存性。

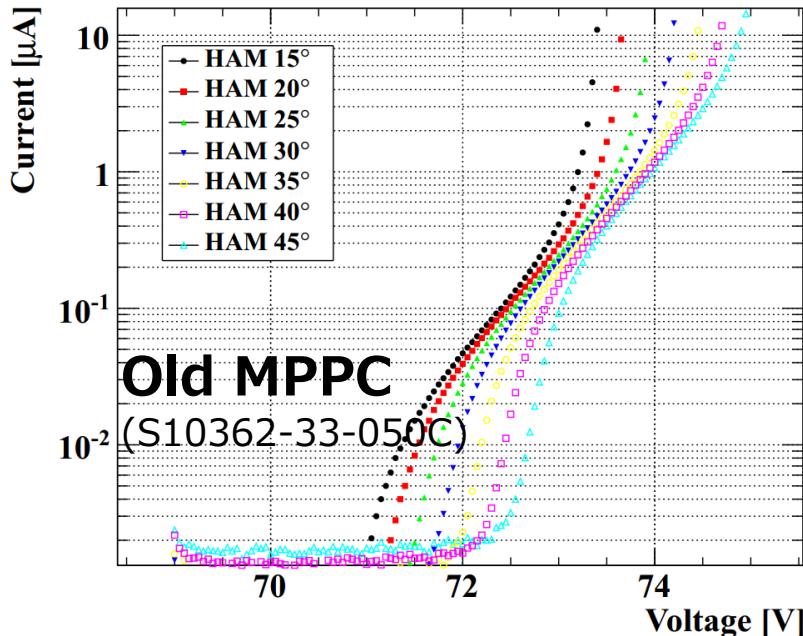
✓ 新型(旧型)60mV/°C(55mV/°C)の温度係数を仮定して補正。

# 温度依存性・時間測定



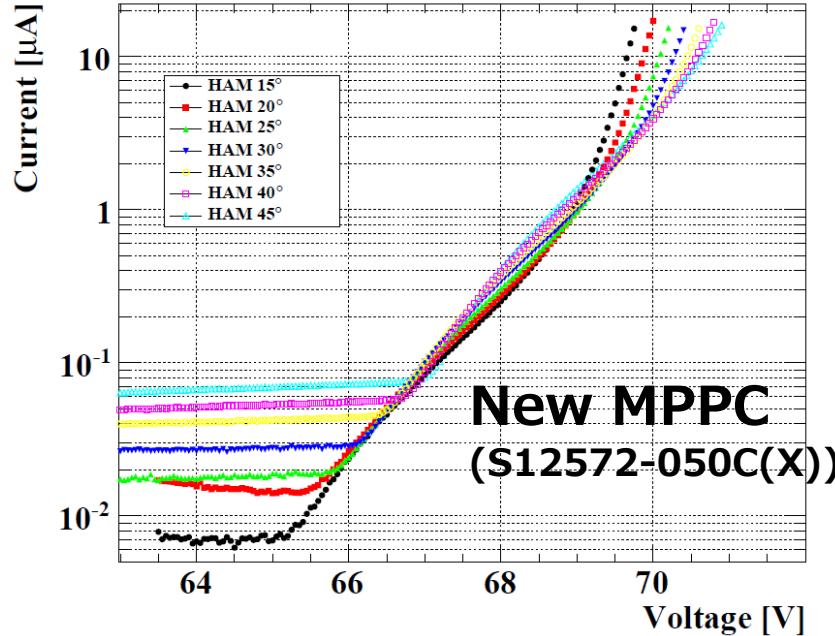
- Over voltage一定での時間測定温度依存性。
  - ✓ 新型(旧型)60mV/°C(55mV/°C)の温度係数を仮定して補正。
- もし温度変化をバイアスコントロールでアクティブに補正できれば影響を最小限にできる。

# 温度依存性



Old MPPC

(S10362-33-050C)



New MPPC

(S12572-050C(X))

## ● 降伏電圧の温度依存性

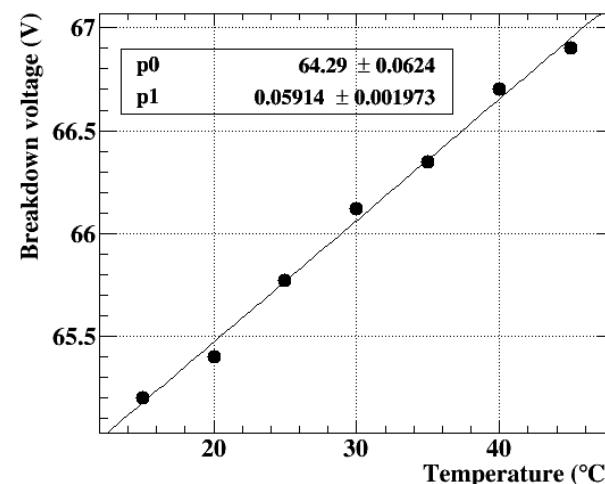
- Old: 49 mV/°C
- New: 59 mV/°C

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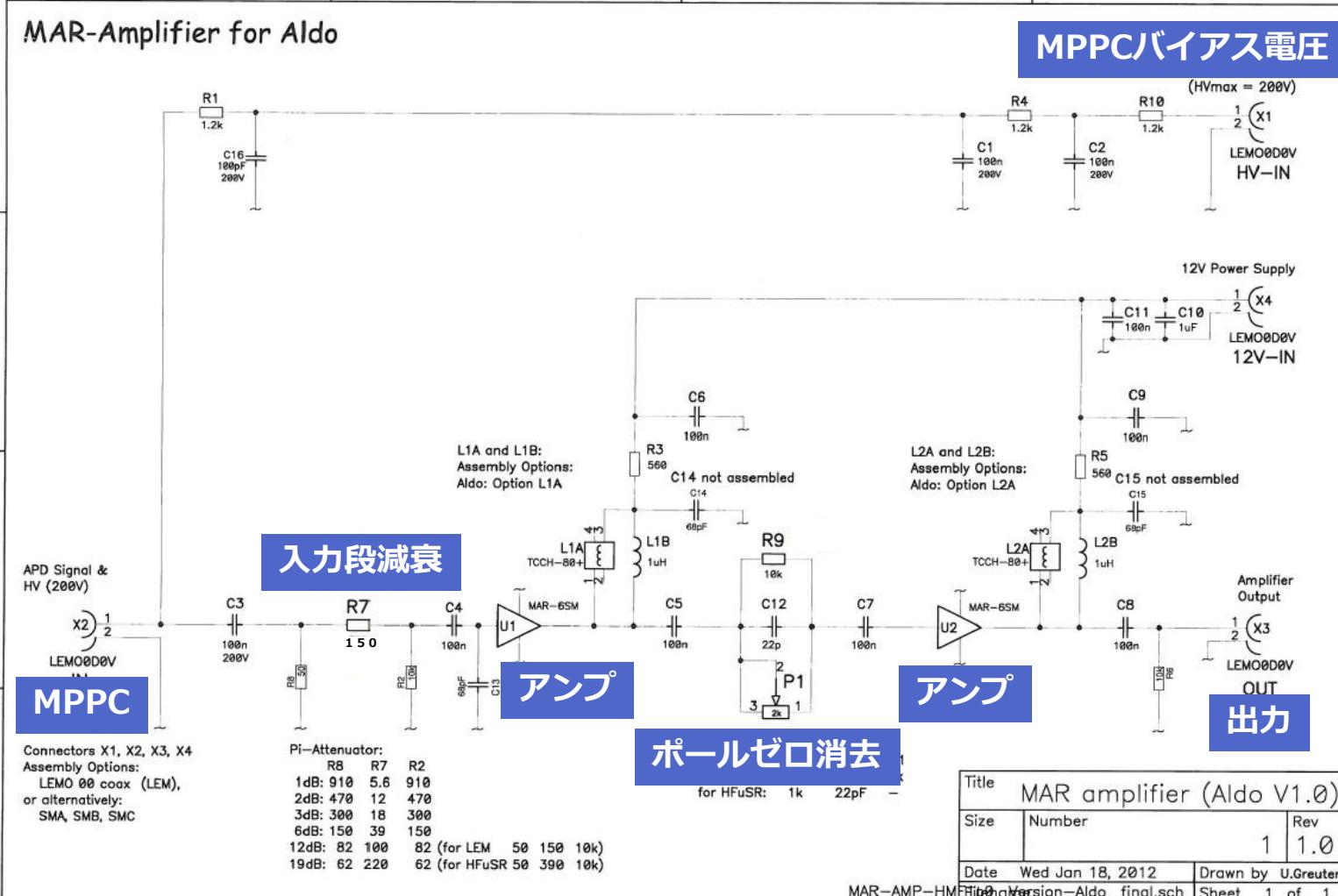
AdvanSiDセンサー: 24 mV/°C

KETEKセンサー: 16 mV/°C

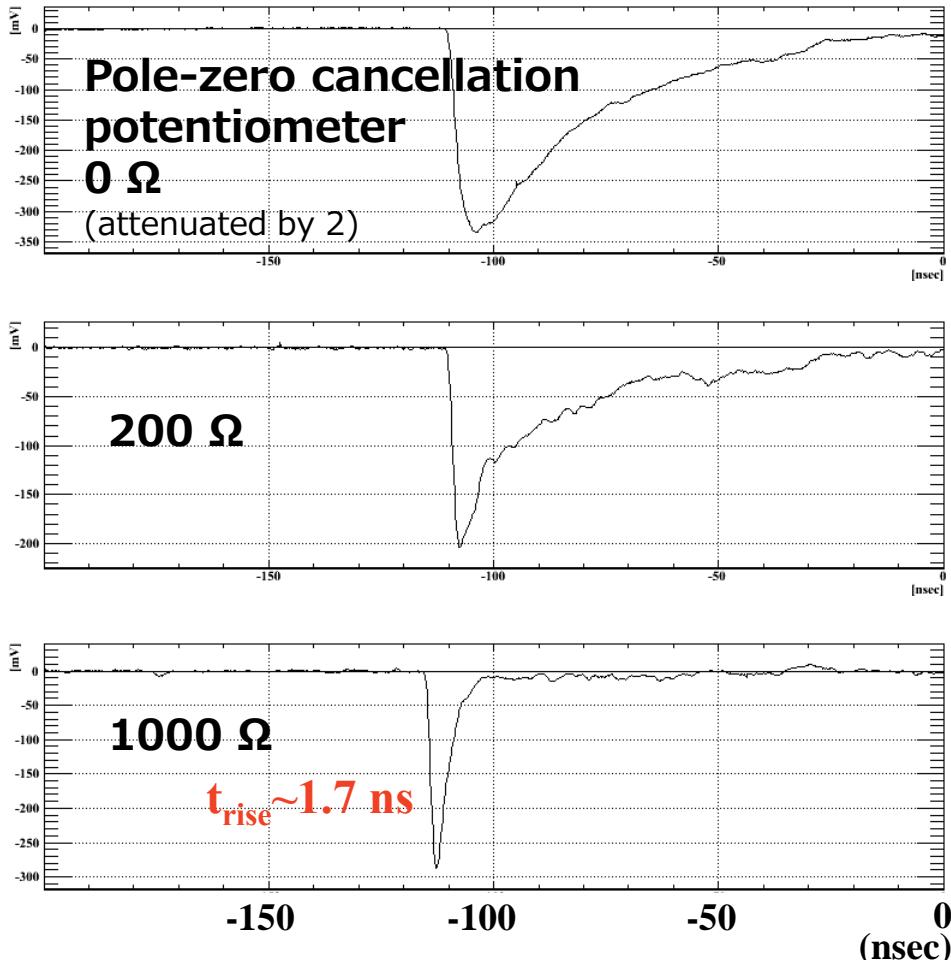
(どちらもp-on-n, blue sensitive type)



# 整形・増幅器



# Shaping



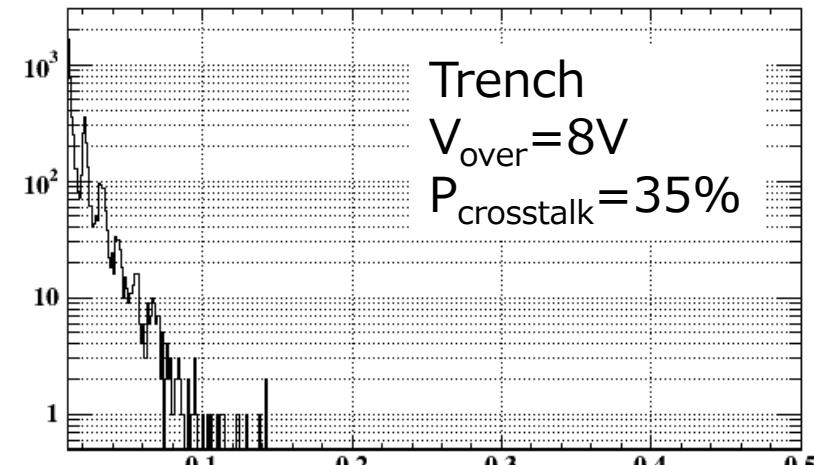
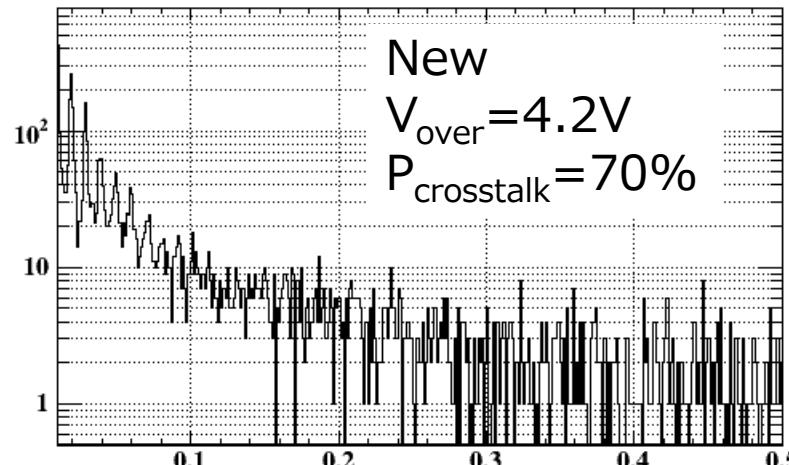
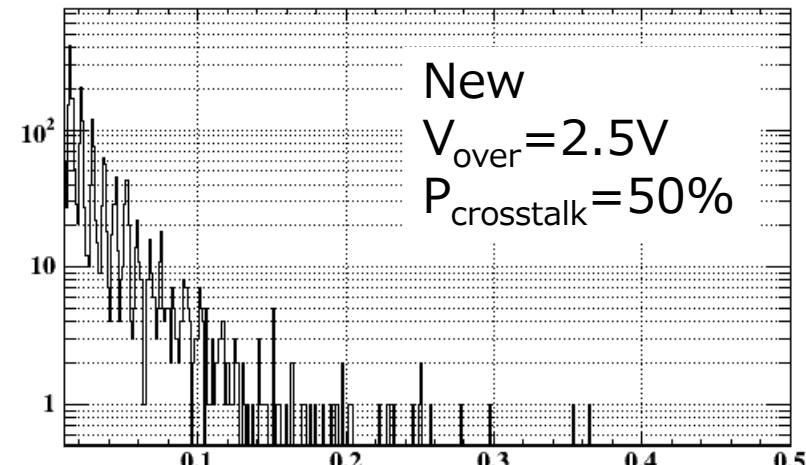
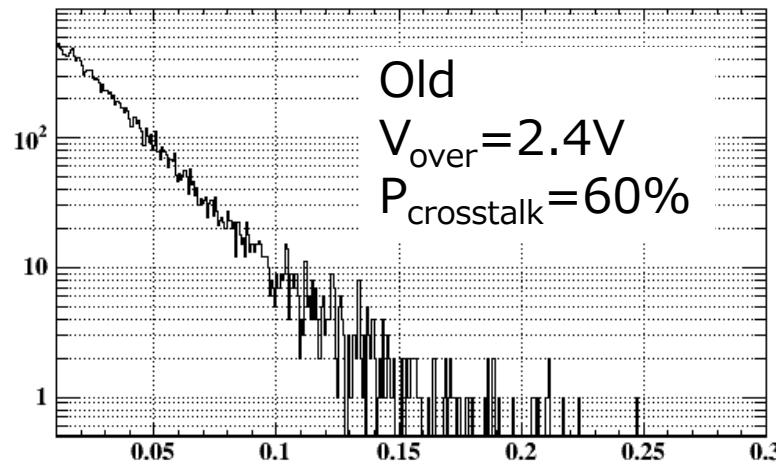
Signal from scintillator  
( 3 MPPC in series connection)

- For precise time measurement
  - Restore baseline by pole-zero cancellation, and
  - Extract fast rise-part



# Excess noise factor

 MEG  
Mu-E-Gamma Collaboration



# Gain

- 数光子ピークからゲインの見積もり
  - バイアス依存性
    - 線形性はかねがねよい。
    - 高バイアスですか？
  - 同じover-voltageではゲインは従来型より低い。

Total gain includes amp,  
splitter, offline shaping.

