3"PMT Test: Uniform light @IPMU TYPE: R14374 (Hamamatsu Photonics K.K.)

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3"PMT: R14374



- R14374: produced by Hamamatsu Photonics K.K.
 - Dynode type: Circular and Linear-focused type
- Test on two serial numbers: BC0035 and BC0038

Setting @IPMU



Charge histogram



- event by event..
- 1. baseline of integral: the mean of noise
- 2. integrate in 100 nsec region
- 3. convert integral value to charge, then fill it

Charge histogram: distribution



- charge distribution = Poisson dist. *Gaussian dist.
 - Poisson dist. : prob. of generating k (≥ 0) photoelectrons on photocathode
 - Gaussian dist. : fluctuation of charge output at each event
 - 0 p.e. distribution (so-called "pedestal") has different σ from k (\neq 0) p.e.'s distribution. (σ is Gaussian's σ .)

Gain



• Gain

- # of electrons at the anode when 1 p.e. is generated on the photocathode
- = 1.0×10^7 @1172 V (BC0035)
 - We couldn't find significant difference btw Negative and Positive HV.
 - Gain(BC0035) / Gain(BC0038) ~ 1.4 @ 1250 V

Peak-to-Valley ratio



- using the value of the fitting function
- Q_0 and Q_1 is the mean of pedestal and 1 p.e. distribution, respectively
- The HV in actual operation could be set above 1250 V.

TTS: Transit Time Spread

- Transit Time: TT
 - Flight time of electrons from photocathode to anode
- TTS: Calculate as FWHM of TT histogram



- Threshold = 1/2 x (noise average + peak max/min)
 - like Constant Fraction Discriminator
- TT = PMT time Trigger time, for 1 p.e. events
 - use the events where one photoelectron is generated on the photocathode.



- TT distribution: Exponentially modified Gaussian distribution
 - FWHM is directly gained by looking for the position with half the value of the peak, not by using some mathematical formula.
- TTS < 1.65 nsec above 1250 V
 - BC0035 has better TTS than BC0038

TTS: number of p.e.'s



- When creating a TT histogram of n>1 p.e., the corresponding events are extracted to satisfy $nQ_1 \pm 0.5\sigma_1$ (blue area),
 - where Q_1 and σ_1 are mean and sigma of 1 pe peak.
 - $Q_1 \pm \sigma_1$ for 1 p.e. events extraction.
- The overlap effect of n p.e. peaks is not considered
 - this might cause worse fit result
 - but we can see the curve of $1/\sqrt{x}$



Summary

- Uniform light source test of R14374 @IPMU
 - 3"PMT from Hamamatsu Photonics K.K.
 - Test on two serial number: BC0035 and BC0038
- Gain = 1.0×10^7 @1172 V (BC0035)
 - No significant difference btw Negative and Positive HV
- Peak-to-Valley ratio > 3.0 above 1250 V (BC0035)
 - above 1250 V is enough to separate noise and signal in this meas.
 - No significant difference btw Negative and Positive HV
- TTS < 1.65 nsec above 1250 V
- Dependence of TTS on photoelectron number n
 - the trend of $1/\sqrt{n}$ could be seen

Back up

Schematic of the set up



Gain vs. Peak-to-Valley Ratio



• There is no difference btw Negative and Positive HV

Poisson mean



Poisson mean / Monitor mean

- Poisson mean should be stable
 - Poisson mean: the fitted parameter
 - Monitor mean: the mean of histogram
 - x-axis(time) is roughly estimated
 - the measurements were done in turn from 1300 V to 1000 V

Fitting function: Charge histogram

- Number of photoelectron: Poisson distribution
- Output fluctuation: Gaussian distribution

$$arg = x - Q_0$$

$$S_{\text{ped}} = \frac{1 - W}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_0} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{arg}{\sigma_0}\right)^2 - \mu\right)$$

$$P_0 = p_1 = p_2 = p_3 = p_4$$

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$$S_{\text{noise}} = \alpha W \exp\left(-\alpha \cdot arg - \mu\right), \quad 0 \text{ (if } arg < 0) = \sigma_1 = Q_1 = Q_1$$

$$S_{\text{sig1}} = \frac{\mu^k e^{-\mu}}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_1} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{arg - Q_1 - Q_{\text{sh}}}{\sigma_1}\right)^2\right)$$

$$S_{\text{sigN}} = \sum_{n=2}^{10} \frac{\mu^k e^{-\mu}}{n!} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}n\sigma_1} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2n}\left(\frac{arg - nQ_1 - Q_{\text{sh}}}{\sigma_1}\right)^2\right)$$

$$\overline{\sigma_1 \to \sqrt{\sum_{k=1}^n \sigma_1}} = \sqrt{n\sigma_1}$$

Fitting function: Transit Time histogram

• Convolution of Gaussian and exponential:

$$h(x) = \frac{N}{2} \exp\left(-\lambda \cdot (x-\mu) + \frac{1}{2}\lambda^2 \sigma^2\right) \quad \begin{array}{c|c} p\mathbf{0} & p\mathbf{1} & p\mathbf{2} & p\mathbf{3} & p\mathbf{4} \\ \hline \text{Norm} & \lambda & \sigma & \mu & C \end{array}$$
$$\times \left[1 + \operatorname{erf}\left(\frac{(x-\mu) - \lambda\sigma^2}{\sqrt{2}\sigma}\right)\right] + C$$
$$\operatorname{error function:} \operatorname{erf}(x) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^x e^{-t^2} dt$$

• Gaussian distribution :
$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma}} \exp\left(-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)$$
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Exponential : $g(x) = \exp(-\lambda x)$

• Then,
$$h(x) = f(x) * g(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} dx' f(x') g(x - x')$$

• called Exponentially modified Gaussian distribution