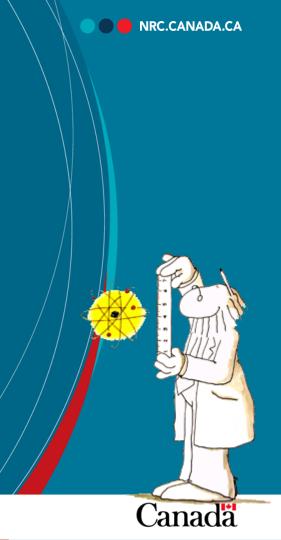
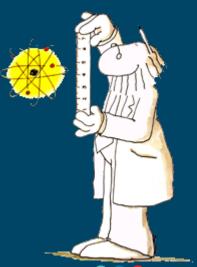
Overview of digitizers available at NRC

Raphael Galea

RMO-SIRTI workshop



I would like to begin by acknowledging that the NRC has offices across the country which are located on unceded, shared, current and traditional territories of Indigenous peoples. The land upon which I live and work is on the traditional unceded territory of the Algonquin Anishinaabe people. I recognize my privilege to be able to conduct research here and I pay respect to the peoples who were here long before us. It is our responsibility, in the spirit of reconciliation, to improve our understanding of and relationships with local Indigenous communities and their cultures.



Compton Imaging: Audrey Macleod

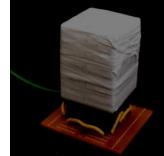


Digizitizer Inventory

- -5 x 64-channel V1740 VME digitizers (CAEN)
- -2 x 64-channel V2740B VME digitizers (CAEN) with plans to buy 3 more
- –4-channel CAEN DTS 724 desktop digitizer







CAEN desktop digiziter for testing individual CsI scintillator+ SiPMs



Radionuclide metrology: Raphael Galea

4π βγ coincidence counting

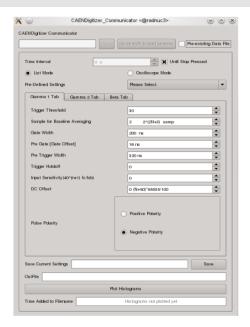
- N6720: DPP-CI (now no longer supported)
- DT5495 with scaler boards (FPGA available) used to digitize old NRC in-house built coincidence NIM modules
- NI-PCI-7831R initially purchased to copy NIST-TDCR DAQ but never developed

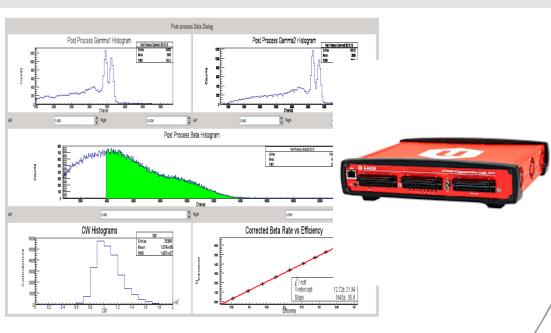
TDCR

DT5751: DPP-PSD



Radionuclide metrology: Raphael Galea





TDCR

DT5751: DPP-PSD



Internal gas counting: James Renaud

Trying 2 CAEN digitizers:

N6725S: DPP-PHA

DT5781 : DPP-PHA

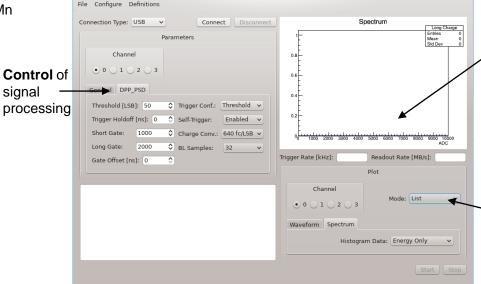
Lots of electronic noise

 Currently DAQ uses commercial CoMPASS CAEN software for list-mode output



Neutrons: JP Archambault

 Initially a learning project for NRC Mn Bath



Caen Digitizer

ROOT Canvas with Histogram Ability to view spectrum or waveform

Qt interface for CAEN Digitizer (DT5720B)

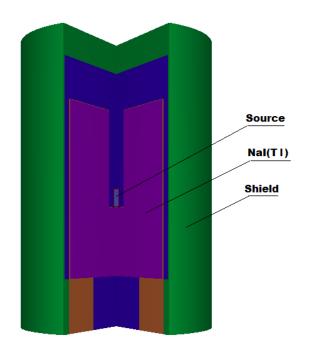
Modes: List

Oscilloscope

- Currently tested using signal generator for input
- Need to implement write-out and offline analysis

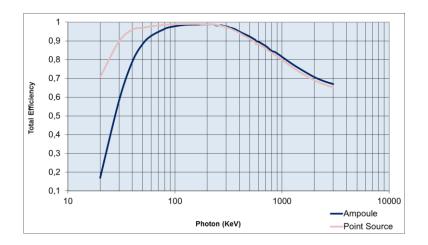
THE LMR-CNEA DIGITAL $4\pi\gamma$ System with a Nai Well-Type Detector





- The system is made up of a 17.5 \times 17.5 cm NaI(TI) –well type detector with a coaxial re-entrant hole of 3 cm diameter and 10 cm height.
- The characterization of the detector in terms of the gamma detection efficiency was carried out with PENELOPE.
- The signal digitalization is performed by a time and amplitude recorder (TAR) NIM module, provided by ULS-KOREA.
- Selection of gamma gates, dead time corrections, and counting corrections are carried out offline by a code written in MATLAB.





Summary

Mostly CAEN desktop and NIM based 4-channel digitizers.

Compton Imaging is the most advanced use with solutions being commercialize with a Canadian company.

Other applications (Coincidence counting, TDCR, internal gas counting, Mn Bath) all in various levels of development and not validated.





THANK YOU, MERCI, GRACIAS & OBRIGADO

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