





PPAC monitoring at EAR2

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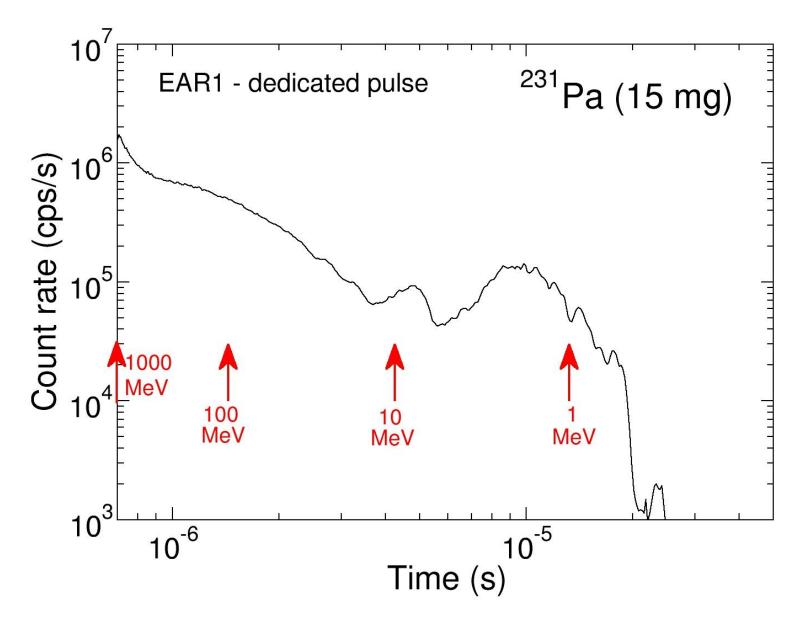
Topics and tasks

- Construct a new vessel with 2 or 3 PPACs and 1 or 2 targets (USC)
- New dedicated gas regulation (USC)
- Change the front end electronics to stand the high counting rate (IPNO)
- Make 2 or 3 PPAC dedicated to the monitoring (IPNO)

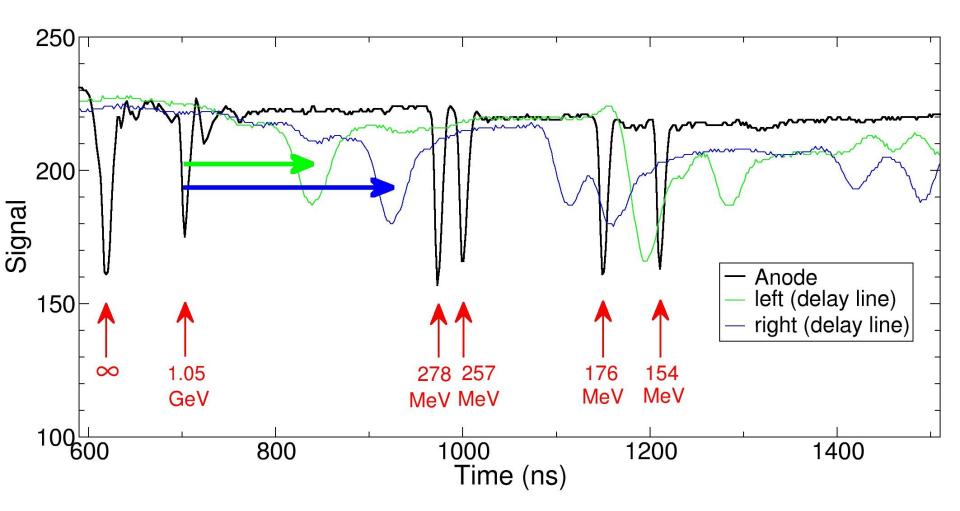
DAQ requirements

- Beam characterization mode: 10 or 15 FADC channels
- Monitoring mode: 2 or 3 FADC channels

Instantaneous counting rate



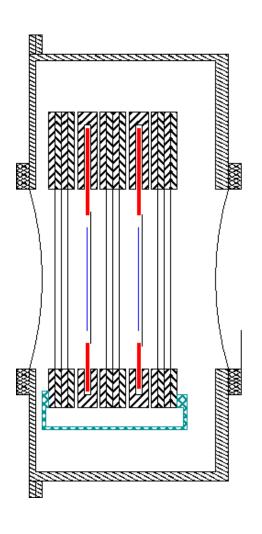
Pile up of localisation signals

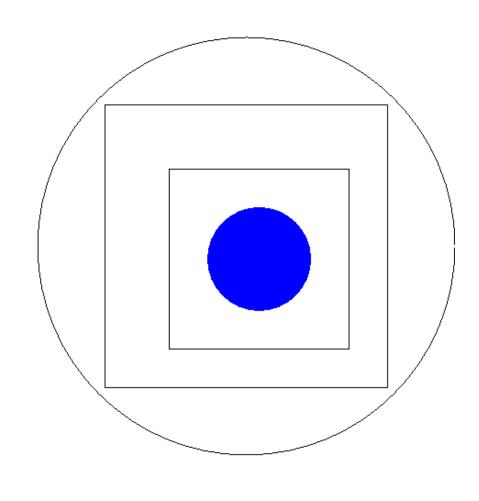


EAR2 modification of electronics

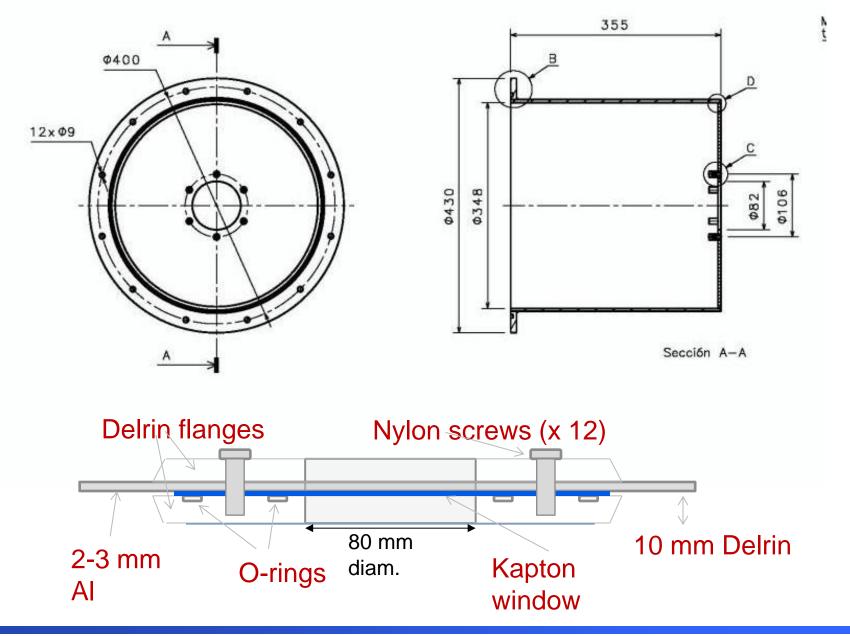
- Change the 20 delay lines: 320 ns 80 ns
- Change the charge sensitive preamps to fast current preamps
- FADC at 1 GS/s desired
- For fission: beam spot of 3cm in diameter is enough

Conceptual drawing

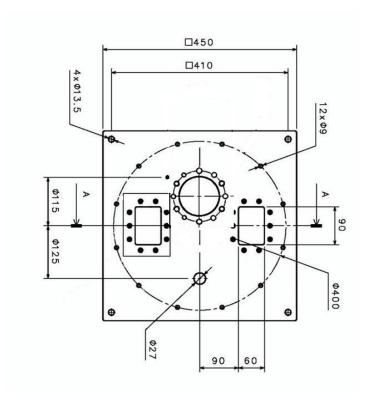


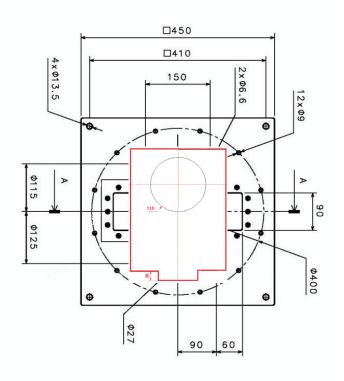


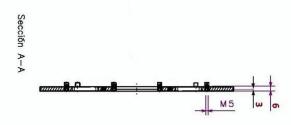
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Present status

- Front end electronics funded by Needs, will start in January
- PPACs not financed, but for commissioning we have 2 spare PPACs
- 235U targets have to be done, but we have 2 in spare for the commissioning
- Gas regulation hopefully financed by USC. Will come late but for commissioning we can use the IPNO one.
- Vessel hopefully financed by Vigo, absolutely needed for the commissioning, only first draft at the moment and a lot of design has still to be done. For the commisionin the IPNO chamber could be used, but cumbersome.