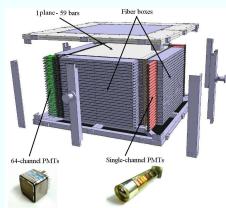
# Electron-Muon Ranger (EMR) Progress Report

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### **EMR Overview**



EMR detector is designed to fully stop muons from the MICE cooling channel, provide distinct signatures for muons and electrons and measure their range.

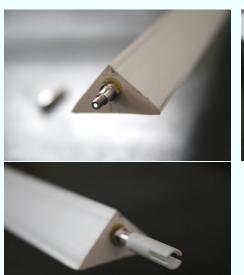
#### Characteristics

- 24 modules (module = 2 X&Y planes)
- 59 triangular scintillator bars per plane → 2832 bars
- light is collected by WLS fiber transfered to PMTs by light guide
- total energy per plane is detected by single-channel PMT (PHILIPS)
- energy in every bar is detected by 64-channel PMT (HAMAMATSU)
- readout is performed by custom made electronics based on MAROC/FPGA ISICs and CAEN fADC
- custom made buffer board stores all hits (time over threshold) within MICE spill gate; pulse hight information is available at low rate

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### WLS-to-Light-Guide Coupling



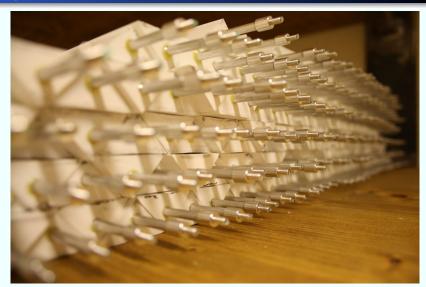


- All connectors manufactured (plastic injection and machining)
- Light guide selected and tested
- Light losses and attenuation parameters measured
- Special polishing stand for bar connectors assembled

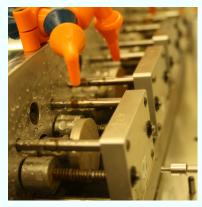
# New Module Assembly without lightguides

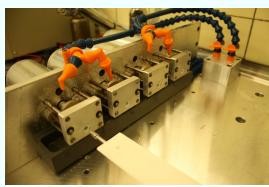


### Reprocessed Bars



### Polishing Stand





- 5664 connectors (on bars) need to be polished
- 4 motors equipped with different polishing papers from course to fine grade

### Light Guide



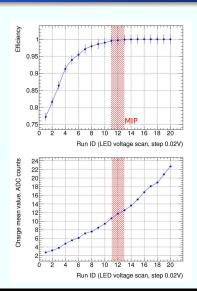
### Test Bench

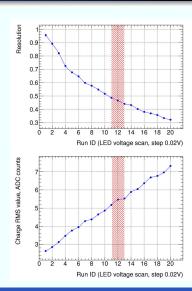




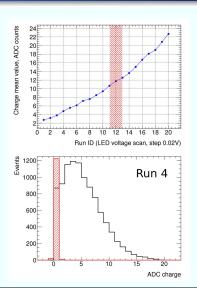
- It is used to measure the attenuation in WLS fiber, light losses in connectors etc.
- Light source: LED or scintillation from cosmic muons

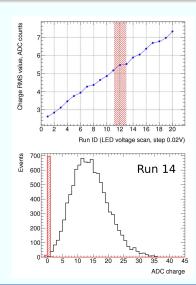
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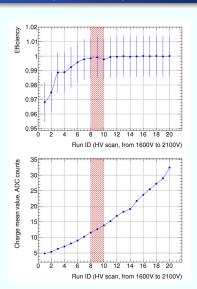


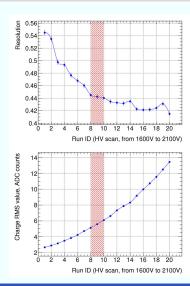
## LED Voltage Scan (2)





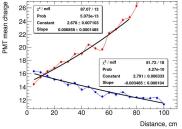
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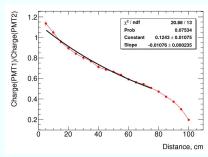




### Light Attenuation in WLS fiber



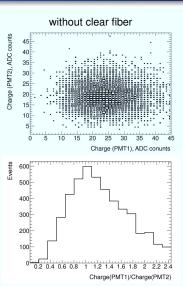


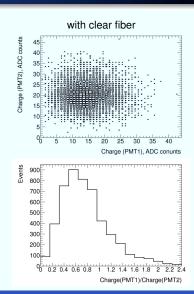


#### Light attenuation in WLS fiber:

- 1 m 42%
- 1.2 m 48%
- 2 m 66%

### **Dual Signal Readout**

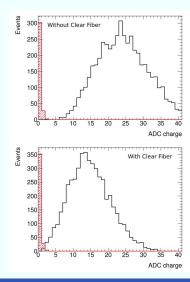




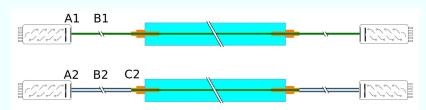
### Light Attenuation in Clear Fiber



Light attenuation in clear fiber and losses in the connector consitute 38%. It is mainly due to insertion loss.



## Comparison Between Old and New Configuration



A - insertion loss, B - attenuation in fiber, C - insertion loss

#### WLS Fiber Only

A1 = unknown

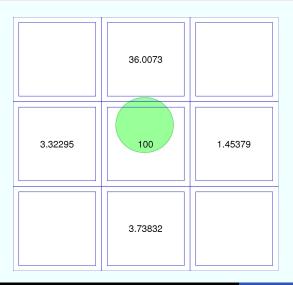
B1 = 48%

#### WLS+Clear Fiber

A2 = unknown

B2+C2 = 38%

#### Cross-Talk in 64-ch PMT



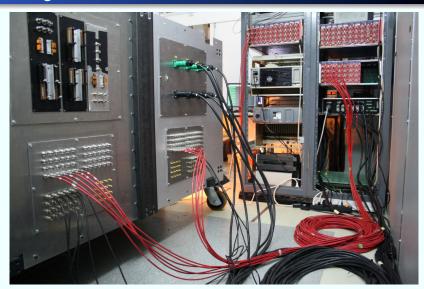
- Cross-talk due to larger clear fiber cross-section is well within acceptable limits and comparable with anode cross-talk
- More attention will be paid to the misalignment of the fiber with respect to a PMT mask

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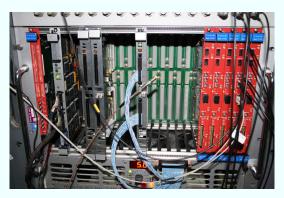
#### Cabling Electronics Racks FEB/DBB Test Bend

### Cabling



#### **Electronics Racks**

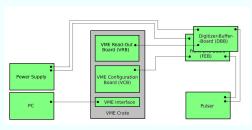




- All high voltage and low voltage channels set up
- Monitoring and testing equipment set up
- All available boards are under tests

### FEB/DBB Test Bench





#### It is used to:

- test Front-End and Buffer Boards
- develop DAQ software
- test 64-ch PMTs

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#### **EMR Schedule**



Additional manpower (master students) is available

# Thank you for your attention!