

# Weekly Update

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# Scanning more than 25 mm x 12 cm areas

- Addition to the code has been implemented.
- Some preliminary data has been taken, but there was an improvement in the 'finding center' method (see next slides).
- The whole small stave cannot be scanned yet because the side bars are not long enough to cover the length of the stave.
- It is very easy to select the area (25 mm x 12 cm) to scan, just adjust a parameter in the interface (fancy user friendly).
- Also, I am not getting the peaks BNL was getting when moving the stave.

# But first, problem with the laptop

- Windows Office was changed from 2016 to 2013, since it was making the program run much slower.
- Everything else seems to be working fine and fast now.
- The process of scanning an area of 25 mm x 12 cm takes 15 seconds. Early this week was taking about a minute to do so.

# Problem with the 'Finding Center' code

- After some indications, I found that the whole 'Finding Center' option was WRONG! If the weighted center was selected, the code selected the NO-weighted center... so the whole time we have been taking data with the more primitive method to find the center.
- It was easy to fix, and the new plots included the weighted center method.

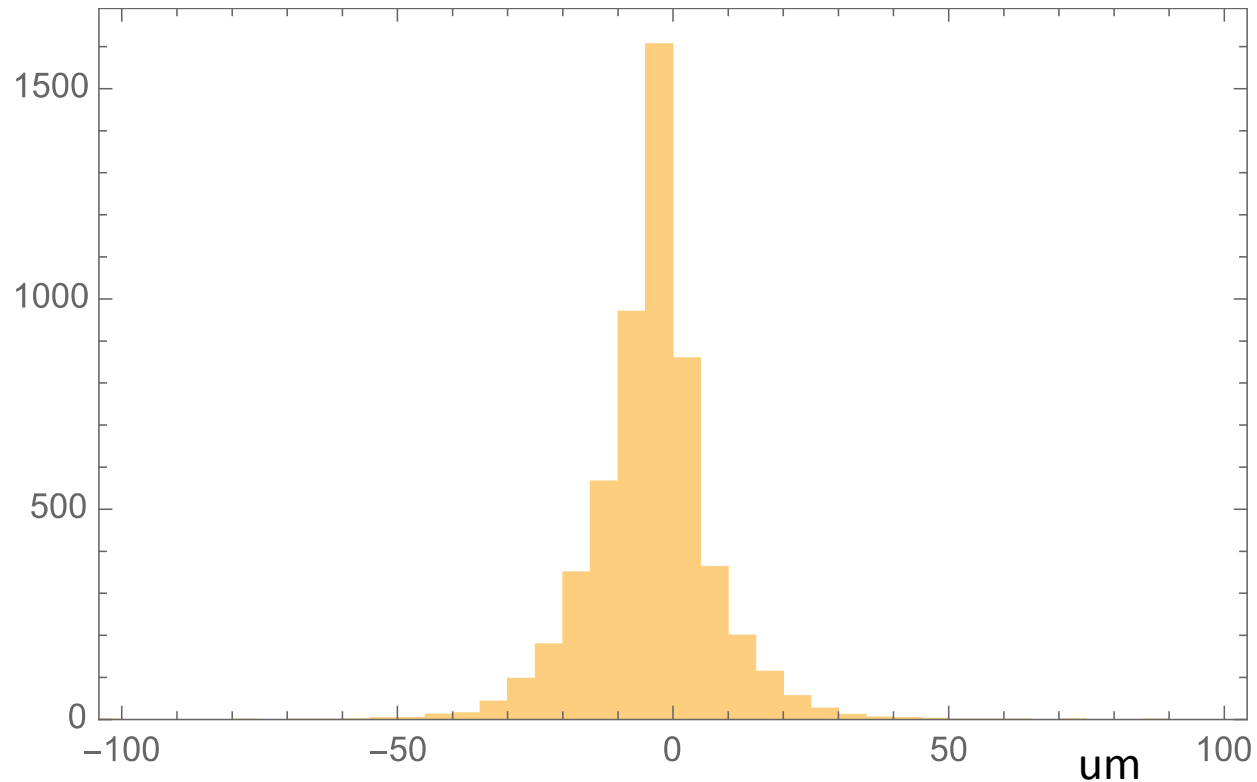


# Histogram of the difference between empty and empty

Now we see one Gaussian distribution and not two as before.

The sigma is 14.11  $\mu\text{m}$ .

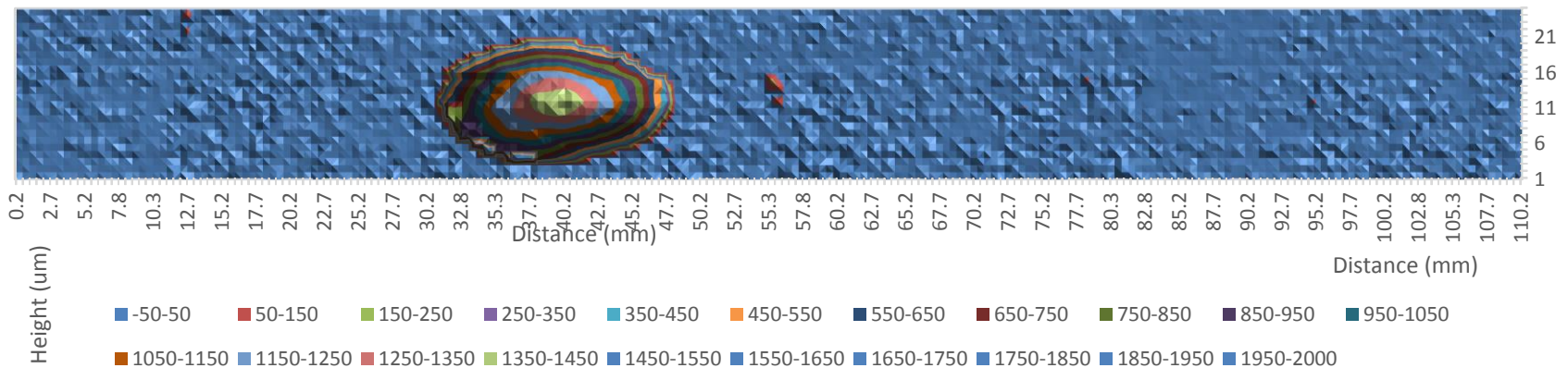
The difference between two measurements is not longer quantized.



In the previous case, excluding the 0.0 values, the sigma was 22.27  $\mu\text{m}$ .

# Seeing a flaw

In this plot, the difference between the measurement with a flaw and without anything is shown. Finally, I was able to change the color resolution to 100  $\mu\text{m}$ . In this case, the flaw is clear in a blue (-50 to 5-  $\mu\text{m}$ ) background.



# Work to do

- Take data with more than one area (25 mm x 12 cm) and calculate the resolution in this case.
- Change the preset values to only the SF and not the other parameters.