### PROTON DETECTOR DISCUSSION

CCFE, FIU, PPPL

#### **Attendance**

FIU: Werner Boeglin, Ramona Perez

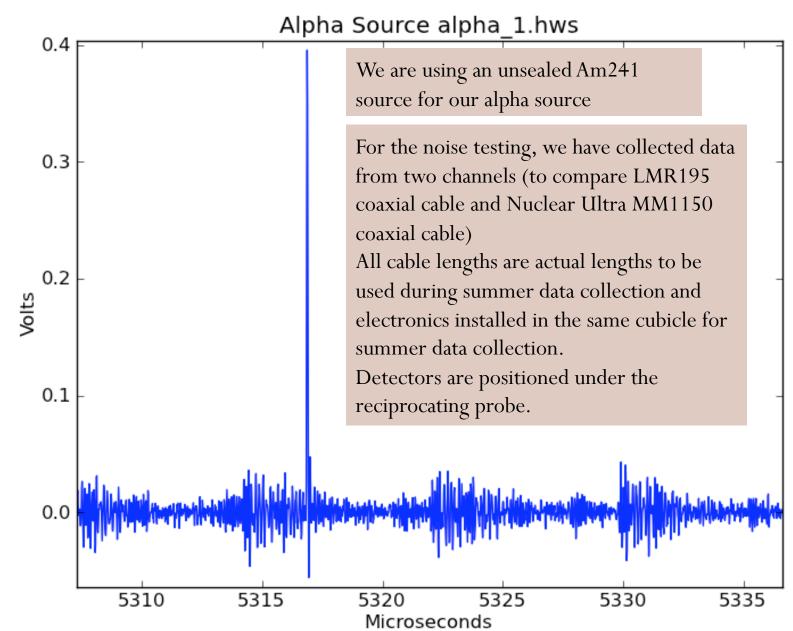
PPPL: Douglass Darrow

CCFE: Rob Akers, Scott Allan, Vasili Kiptily, Ken McClements,

Sergei Sharapov, Nigel Thomas-Davis

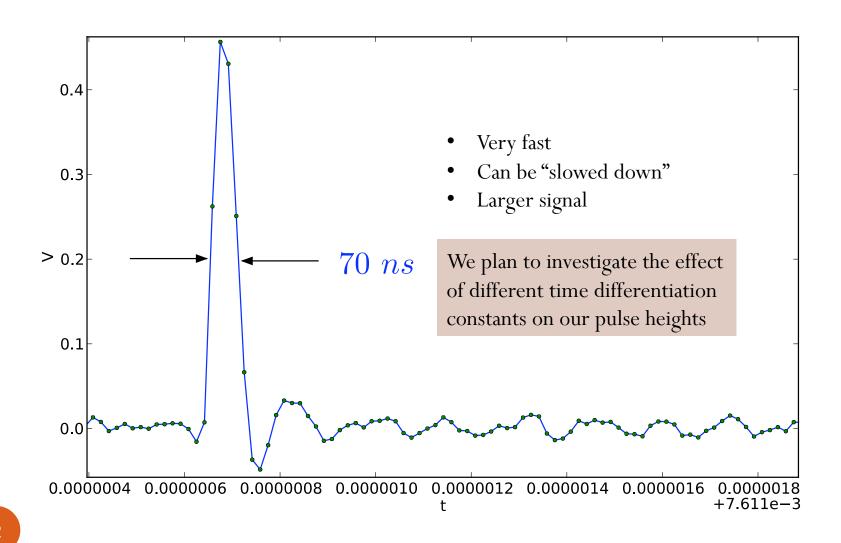
Comments in these boxes

# Alpha source - Background Noise

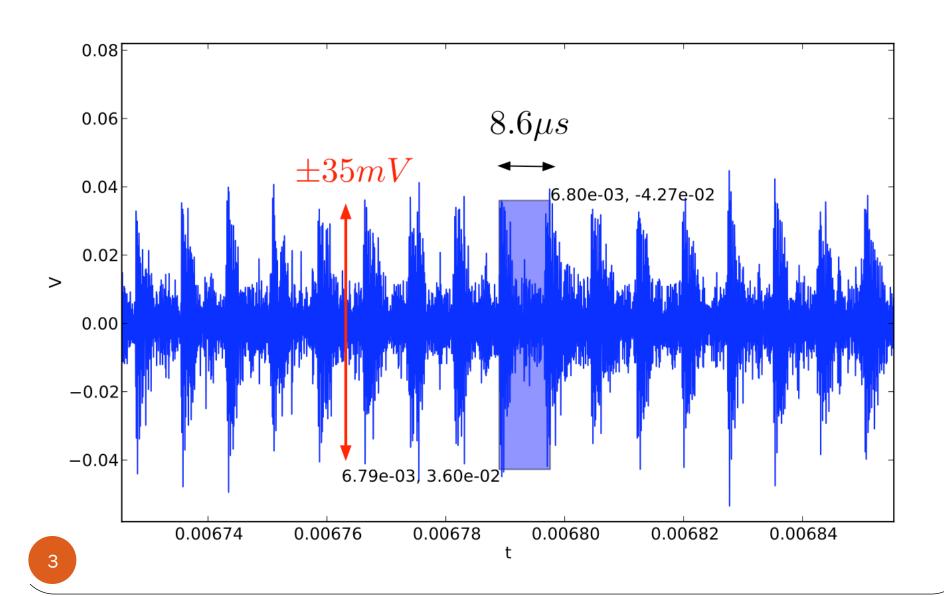


### Alpha signal pulse = 1 Event

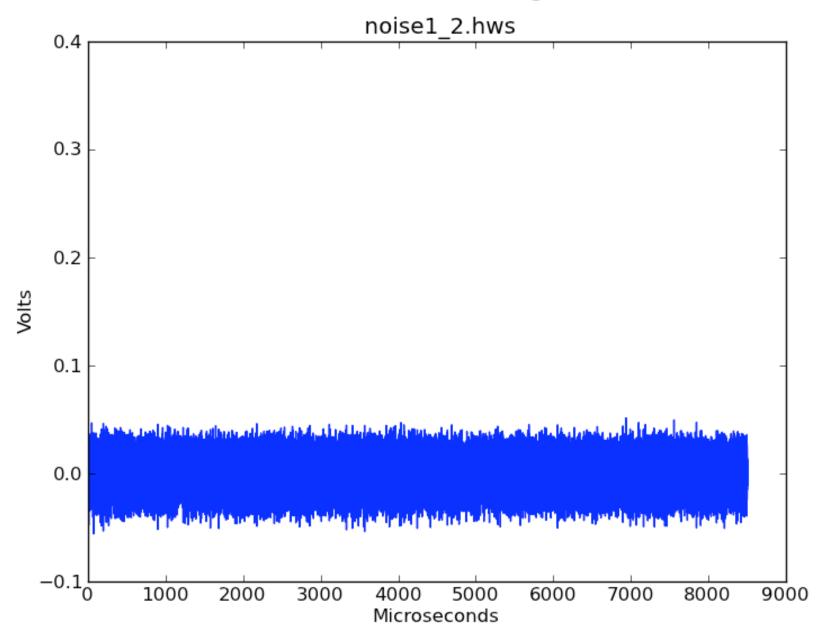
$$E_{\alpha} \approx 3 - 3.5 \; MeV$$



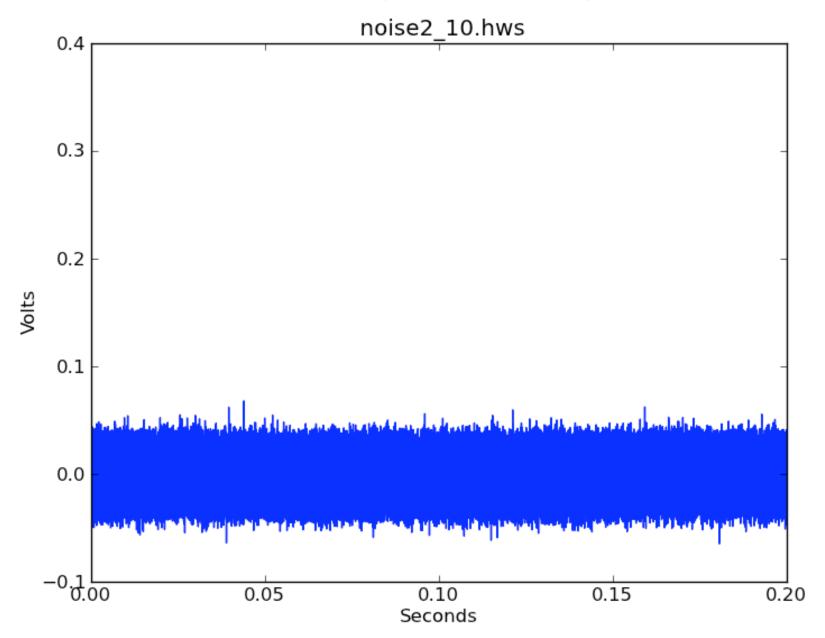
# Noise with Alpha source



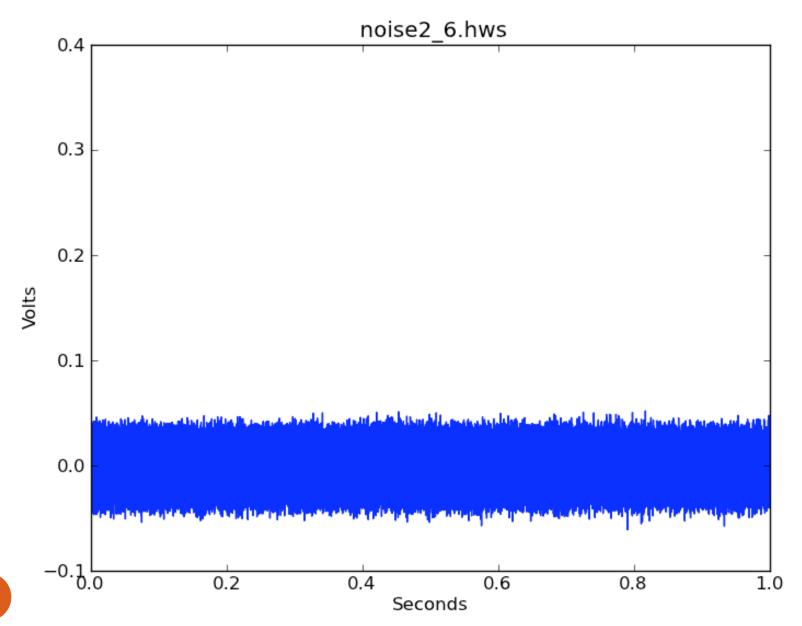
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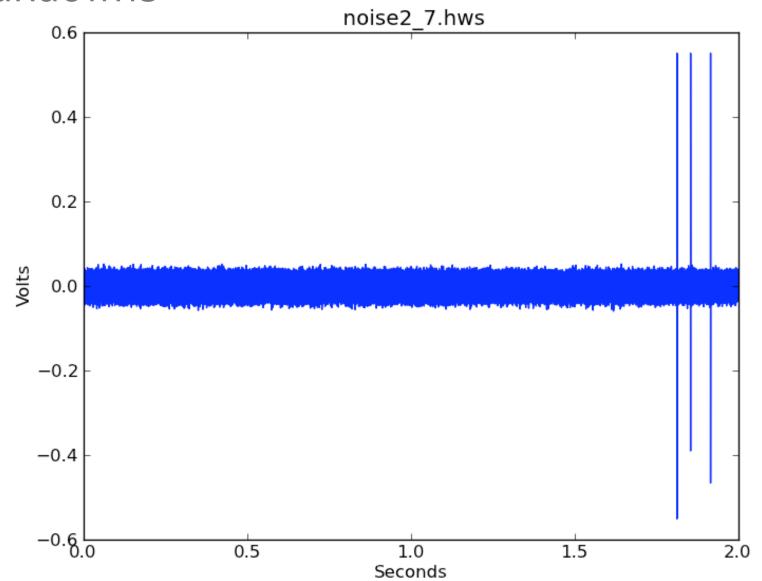
# No Alpha source – Signal during TF Trip Test

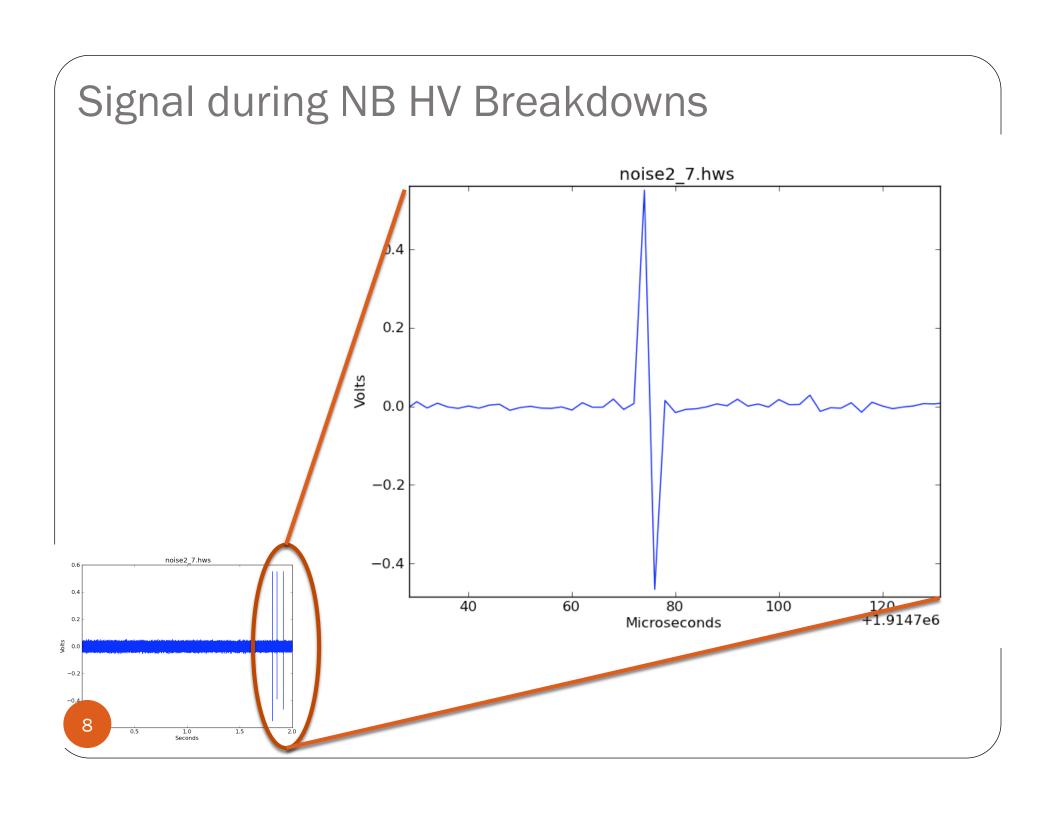


## No Alpha source - Signal during NB

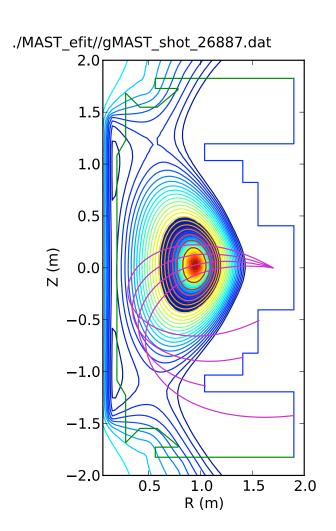


# No Alpha source – Signal during NB HV Breakdowns

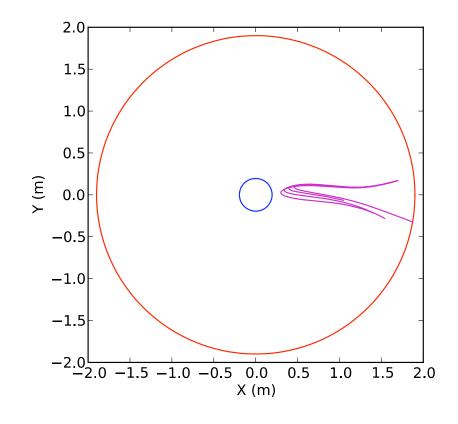




### **Probe Head Orientation**

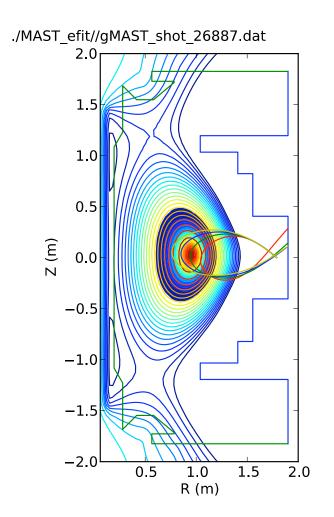


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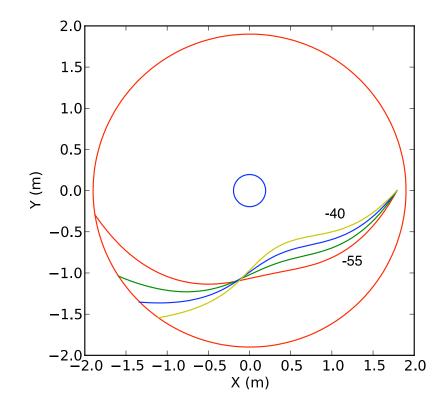


- Original orientation
- Sensitive to vertical position/ structure
- Difficult to compare with neutron camera

### Probe Head Orientation Cont'd



We want to compare simulations with Rob Akers



- New orientation
- Sensitive to radial structure
- Closer to neutron camera views
- Need to adjust probe head design

# Remote testing might continue until April 26<sup>th</sup> Proton Detector (PD) Timeline

DATE RANGE	GOALS
March 11 <sup>th</sup> –March 22 <sup>nd</sup>	• PD noise testing
March 22 <sup>nd</sup> –April 19 <sup>th</sup>	• Remote PD noise testing (FIU: Ramona, CCFE: Scott)
April 22 <sup>nd</sup> —April 26 <sup>th</sup>	<ul> <li>Uninstall PD (CCFE: Scott)</li> <li>Take all equipment to Rory Conway for return shipping by morning of April 25<sup>th</sup> (CCFE: Scott)</li> </ul>
July 1 <sup>st</sup> –July 15 <sup>th</sup>	• PD installation (FIU, CCFE)
July 16 <sup>th</sup> –July 26 <sup>th</sup>	PD data collection (FIU)
July 27 <sup>th</sup> -End of campaign	<ul> <li>PD remote parasitic data collection (FIU: Ramona, CCFE: Scott)</li> </ul>
End of campaign	• Uninstall PD and take equipment to Rory Conway (CCFE: Scott)

# END OF SLIDES

CCFE, FIU, PPPL

### **Total Exploded View**

Silicon surface barrier detectors

Detectors connected to preamplifier (3m away), and amplifier/digitizer/PC system (12m away)

Please note that for the noise testing we have simulated all of these coaxial cable lengths

