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Comments on optical system for calibration II.

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Present system: one tile – one optical fibre complicated system

Idea: use one fibre for more tiles, ideally one row of tiles – one fibre

How to do it? Side-emitting fibres

- •'Easy' solution to buy, lace through tiles and connect to LED driver
- Problems: search thin (~1mm) fibres, unknown parameters, cost → *FiberTech* (SLS600 series), *CeramOptec* (GF400/3T), *Mitsubishi* (СК40)
- Non-uniformity of emitting light \rightarrow *measurement*
- Need to focus enough LED light into fibre \rightarrow *in progress*



Measurement setup



3-meter-long setup to have straight line fiber position (avoid twisting) CMB + UV LED pulsing light - PMT R647 Hammatsu – Scope Readout

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Short emitting FibreTech (SLS600UV)



Dependence of signal amplitude [mV] on position of PMT + relative (both direction measurement) position in cm from the UV LED source normalized to 10cm' position





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Long emitting FibreTech (SLS600T)



Side emitting light intensity decreases along fiber (position in cm from the UV LED source)



Attenuation of side emitting light @ length of 50, 100, 150 and 200 cm averaged of 75%, 55%, 40% and 30%

Exponential decrease expectation softly violated (At beg and end fiber pos. problematic measurement)



Short x Long eff. length 2m .vs. >10m

Absolute measurement: Intensity of side-emitting light

- at front side of fiber up to 50% higher
- at rear side at same level down to 20-30%

'Short' fiber radiates absolutely more than 'Long' as expected

But

Relative decrease of intensity is smaller, more homogenous for 'long' fiber



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Attenuation Short x Long



Exponential decrease expectation softly violated

Attenuations of side emitting light @ length of 50, 100, 150 and 200 cm are similar, Slightly better for long side-emitting fiber in averaged by 5-10% (At beg and end fiber pos. problematic measurement)

Conclusion I

- All found and measured fibers show same results
 within systematic uncertainties
- Side-emitting light intensity decreases along the fiber going from UV LED light source to the free end of fiber
 - down to 20-30% at position > 2.5 m from source
- Attenuation of side-emitting light at length of 1m and 2m are approx. level of 55% and 25%, resp.
 - slightly depending on position of the detection

Conclusion II

- We certainly need more absolute light intensity \rightarrow focusing enough LED light into one fiber
 - We estimate ratio of light intensity going directly from fiber end to side-emitting one at level of 20-50 more
- This is currently being done by optical colleagues

For further developing of system for new prototype of TileHCAL we need several (~10) tiles with SiPMs



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