ProtoDUNE TPC pulser data

ProtoDUNE simulation and reconstruction

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Introduction

I have been studying the December external pulser data

- Internal (ASIC) and external (FEMB) pulsers
- HV off and on
- 15 amplitude settings for each
 - A = 1, 2, 3, 4, ..., 30
 - $Q = A \times (3.43 \text{ fC}) = A \times (21.4 \text{ ke}) \approx A \text{ MIP}$
- Standard preamp setting (14 mV/fC, 2 us)

Analysis

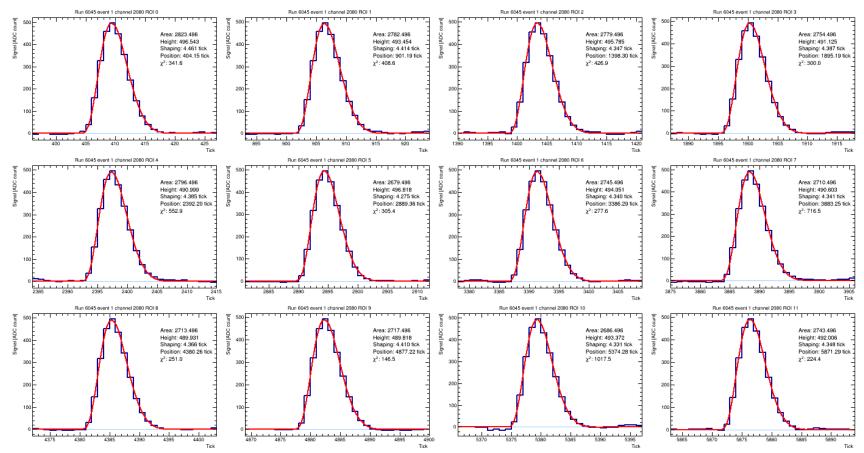
- Processed December external pulser, HV off data
- ROI's found with AdcThresholdSignalFinder
 - Threshold of 100 or 600 ADC counts (A ≥ 15)
- Data processed using AdcRoiViewer
 - \circ $\,$ Each ROI fit to CE response function $\,$
 - Histogram ROI area and fitted height and width
 - Channel summary histograms of mean and truncated RMS of area, height

Response fits

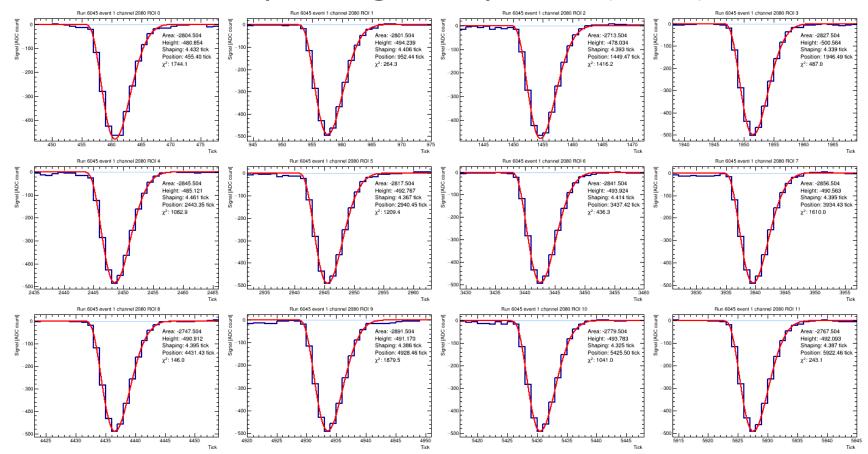
Response obtained from signal vs. pulser setting

- Each pulse is fit with CE response function
 - o Fit → height, shaping time, time (tick)
 - Area evaluated as integral over full ROI
 - Here, from 10 ticks to 20 after crossing threshold
- Summary plots constructed from 50 events (600 pulses)
 - Summary histograms made for area, height, shaping time and more
 - Separately for positive and negative pulses
- Each summary plot is fit to obtain mean and RMS
 - Fit is truncated RMS algorithm described in earlier talk
- Results from multiple pulser settings used to construct response plots
 - \circ $\,$ Response is area or height vs. A
- For today's plots, $0 \le 7$ is fit to a non-offset line
 - I.e. one parameter = slope = 1/gain
- Residual plots are shown of the following pages
 - Data signal slope*A
 - Error bars are RMS/sqrt(N_{ROI}) from underlying distribution

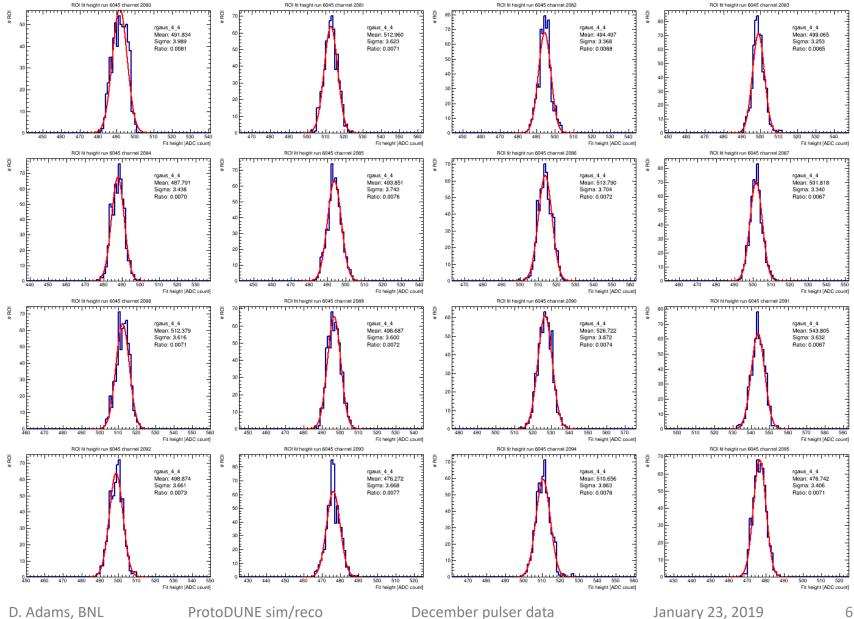
Example positive pulses (A=3)



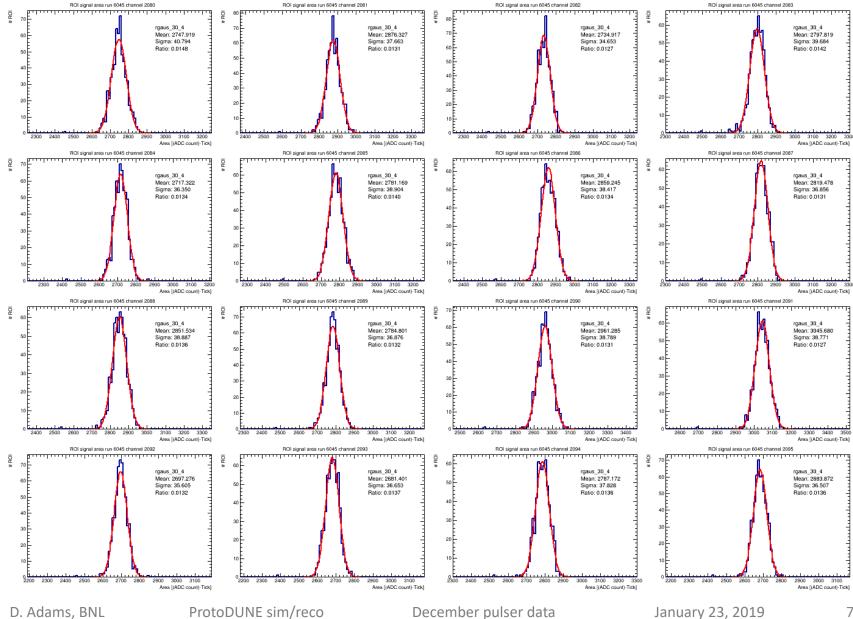
Example negative pulses (A=-3)



Example fitted height summaries

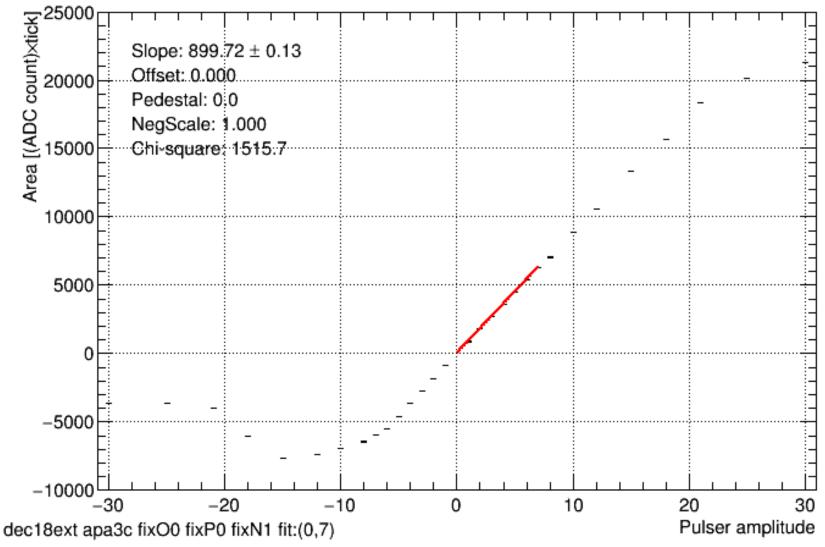


Example fitted area summaries

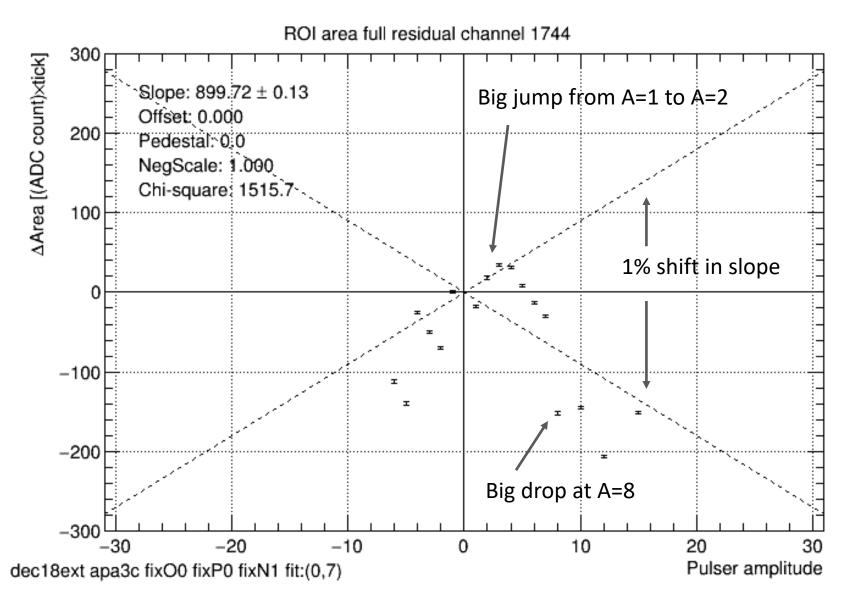


Example response plot

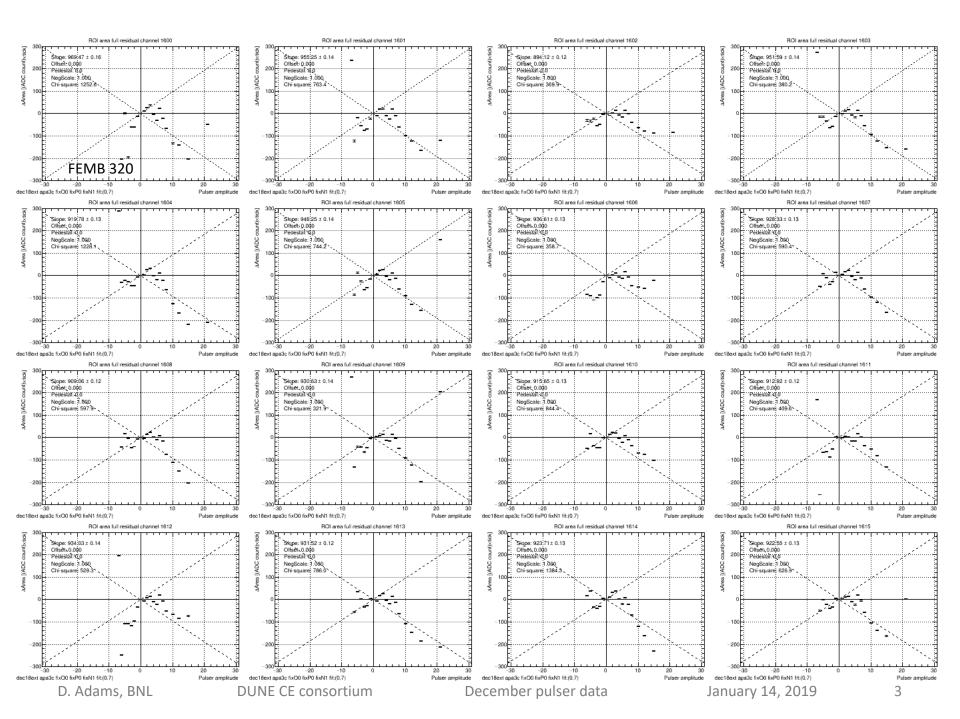


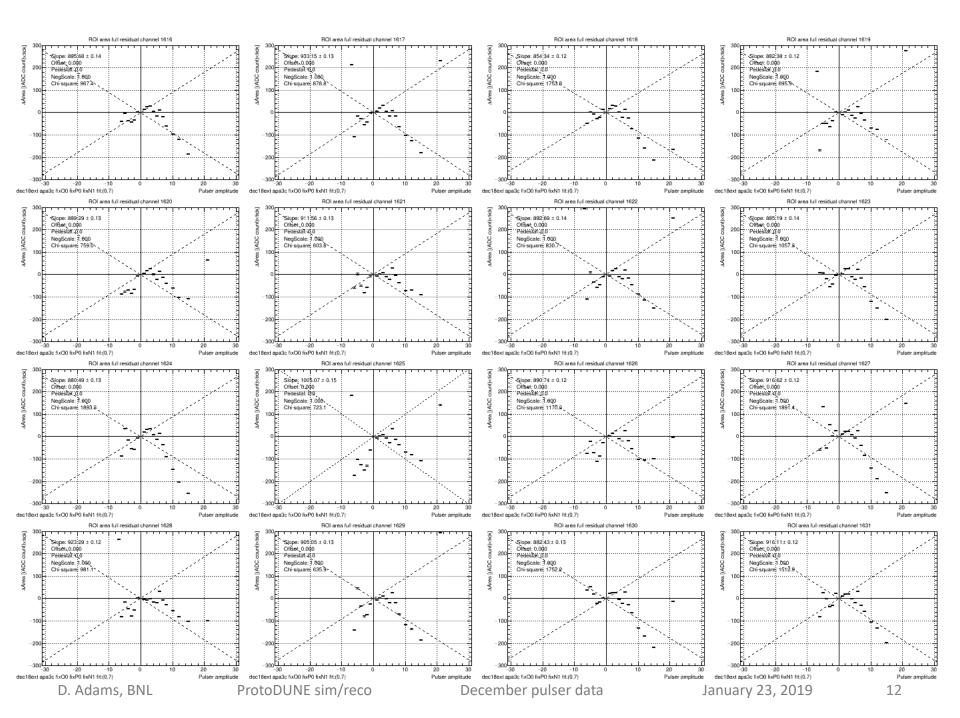


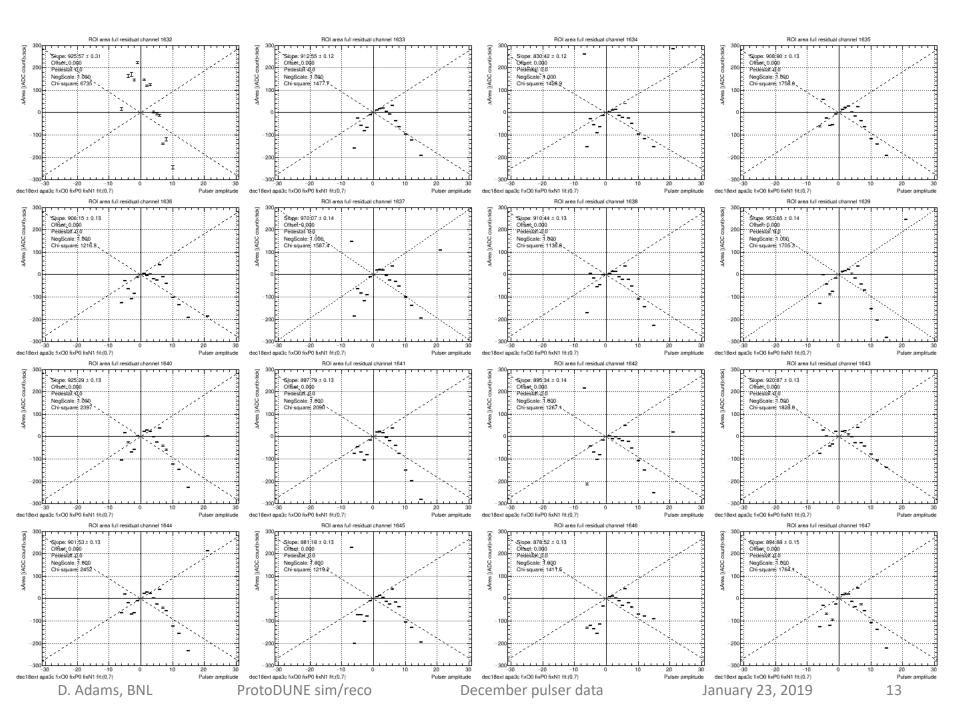
Example response residual

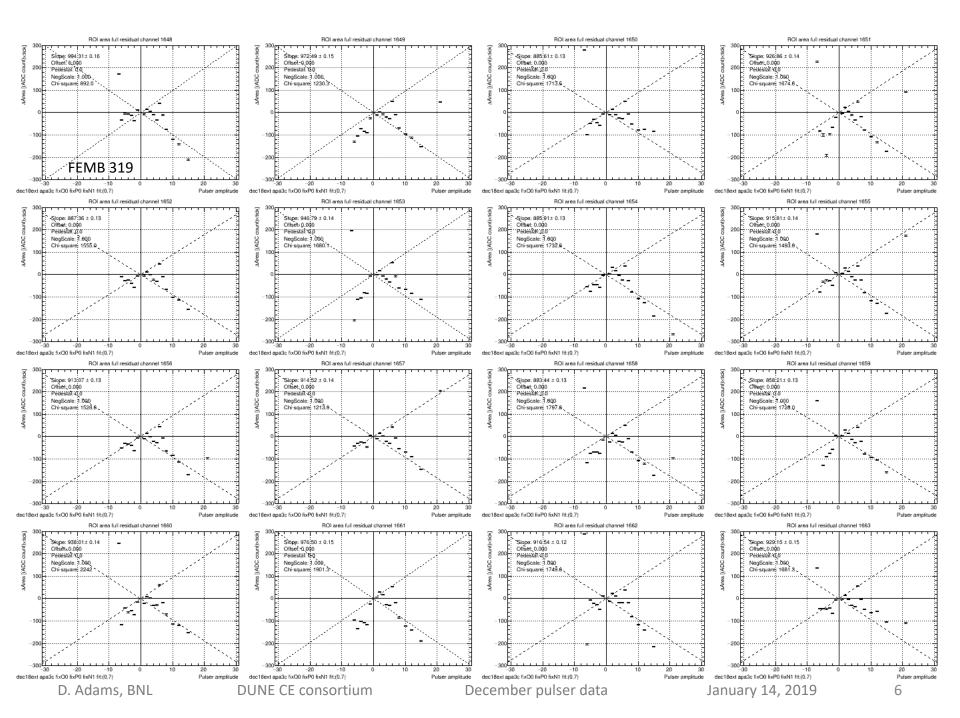


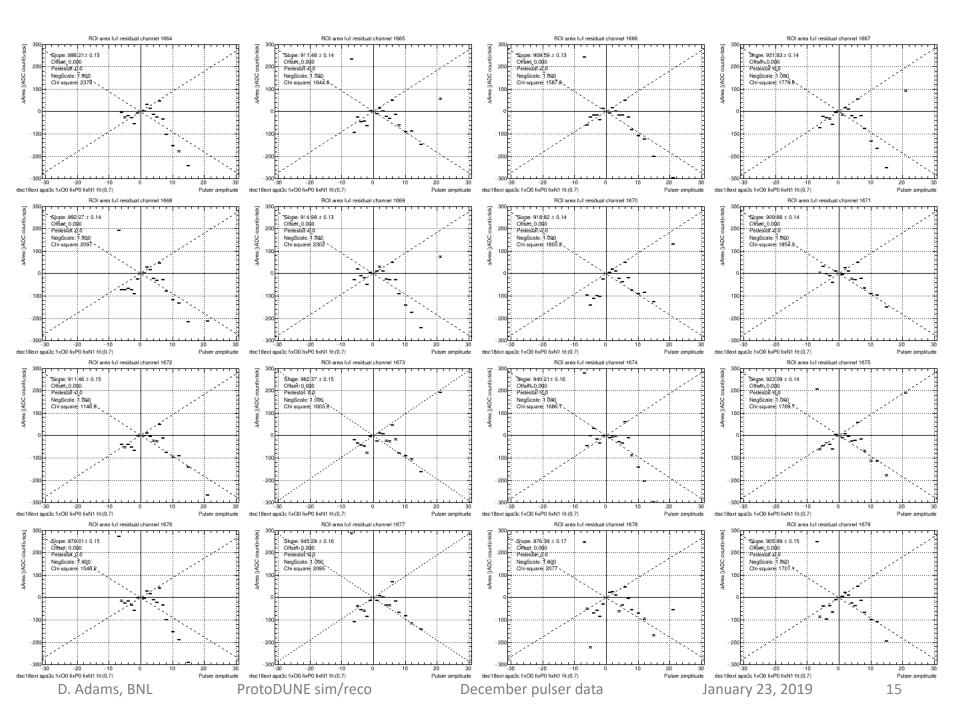
Response fits for APA 3c

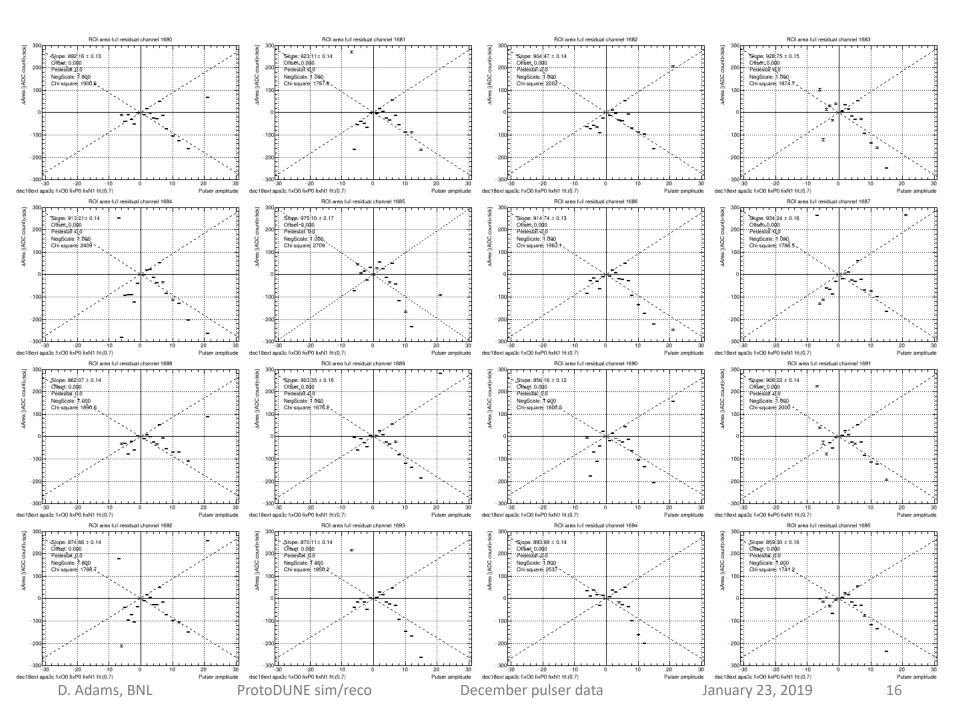


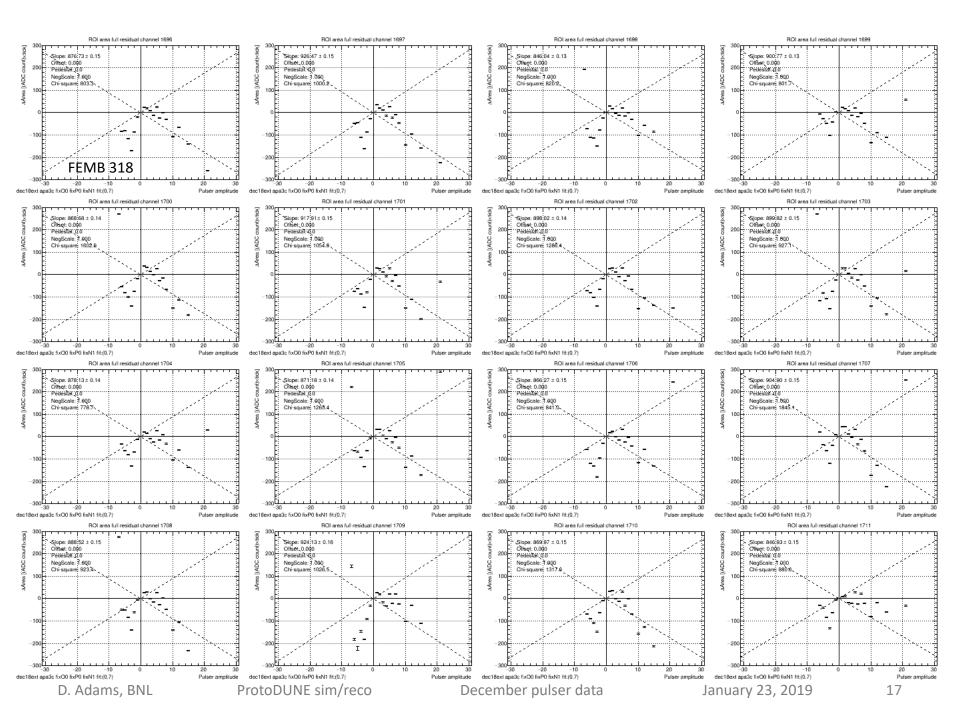


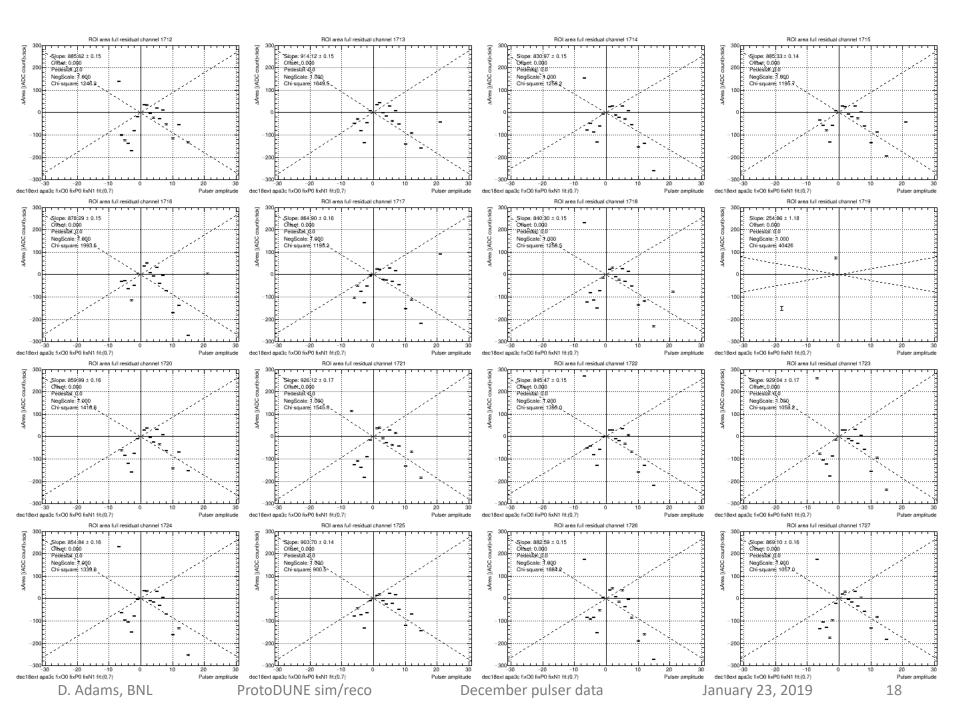


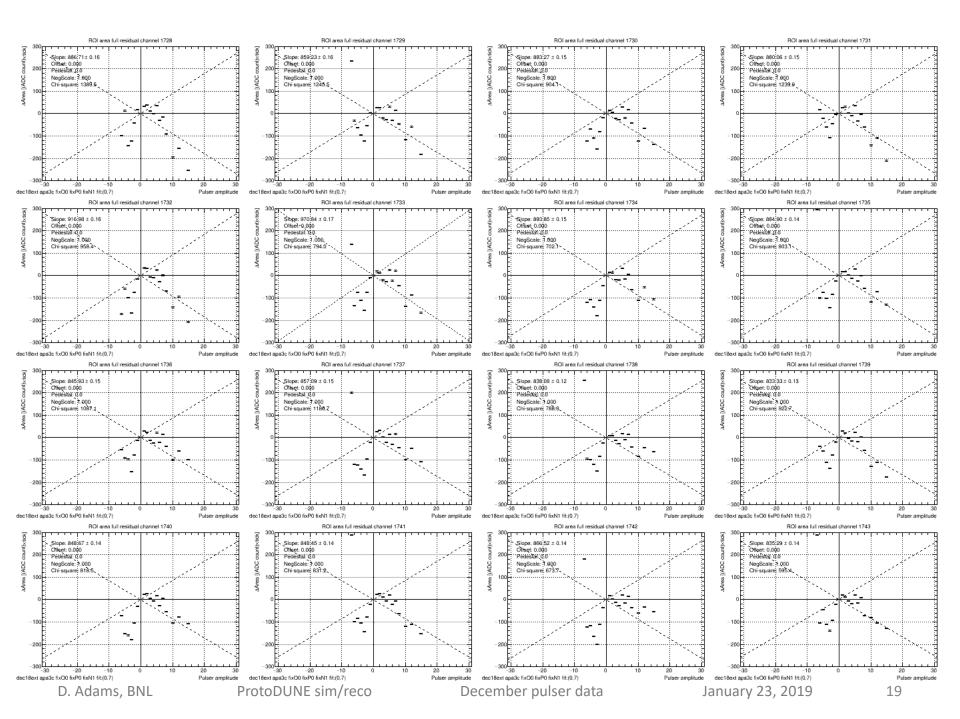


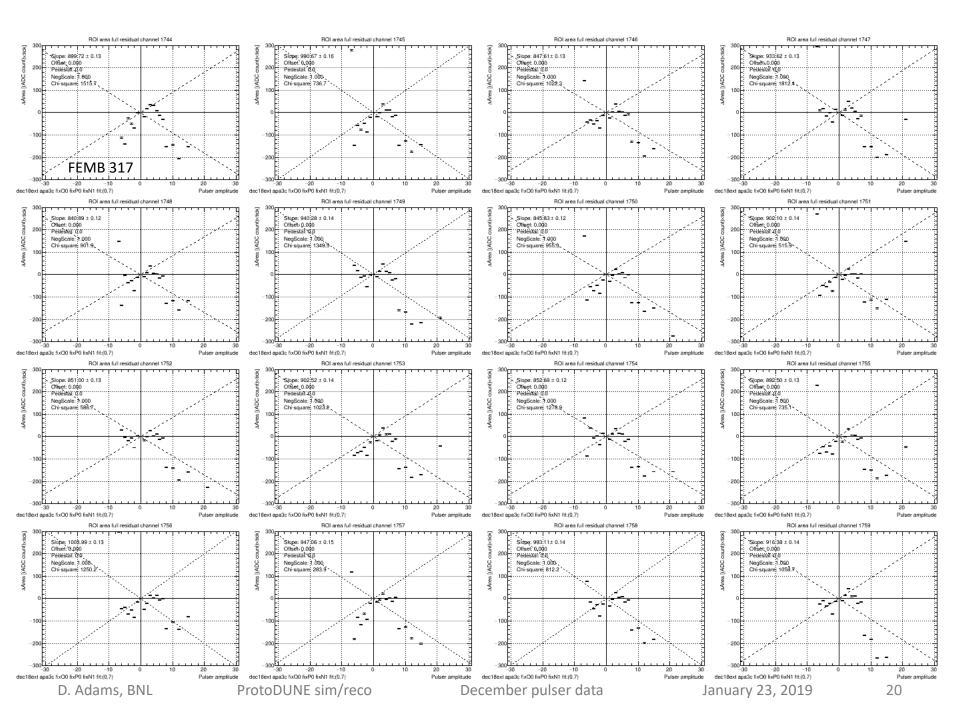


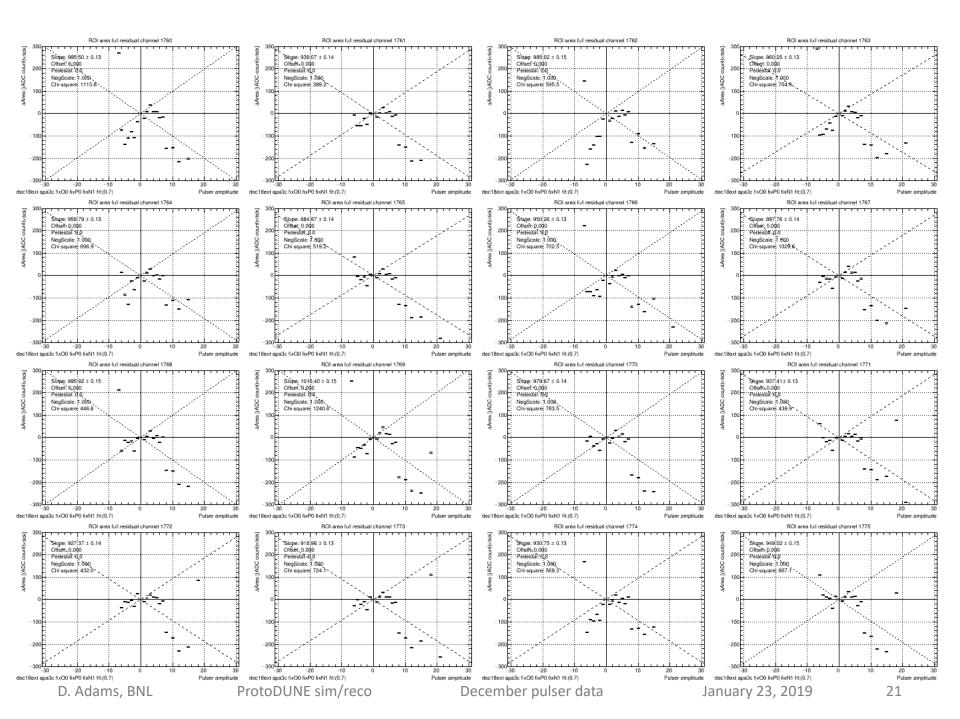


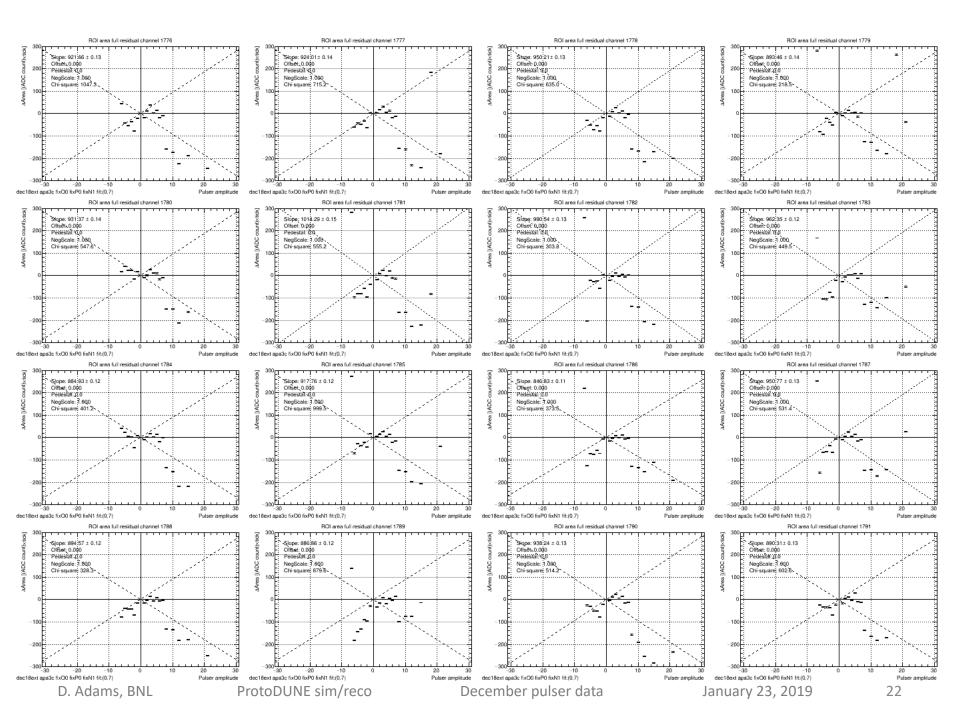


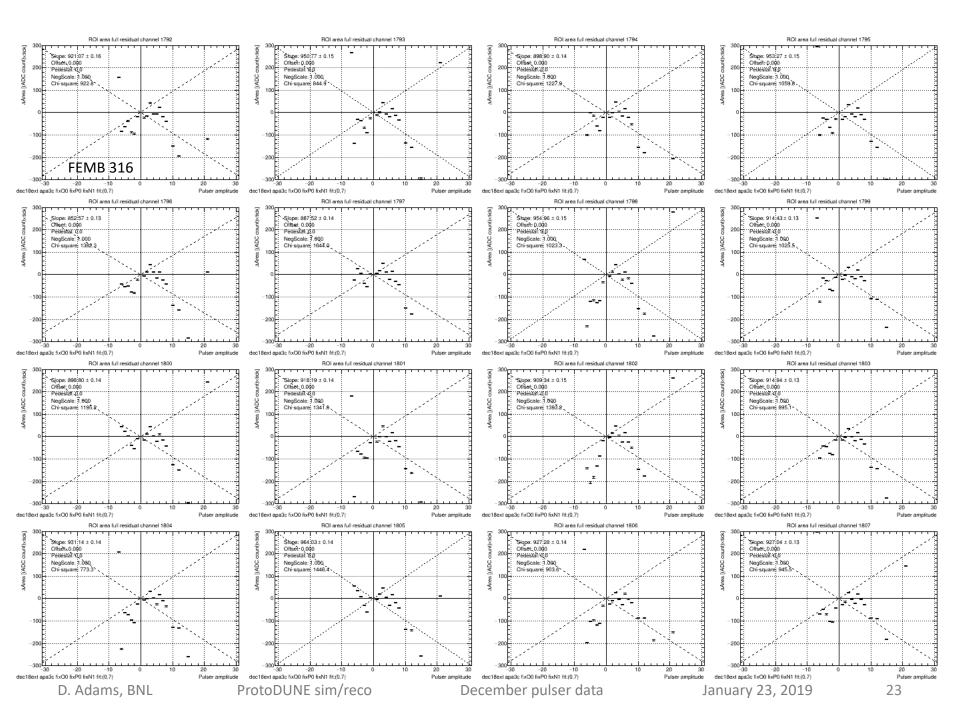


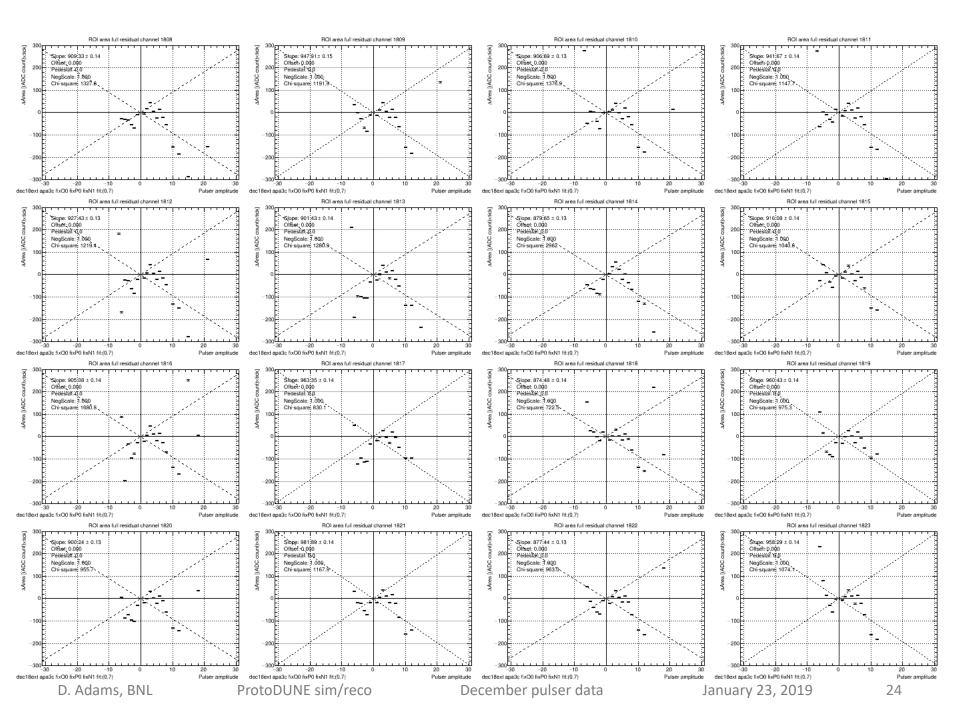


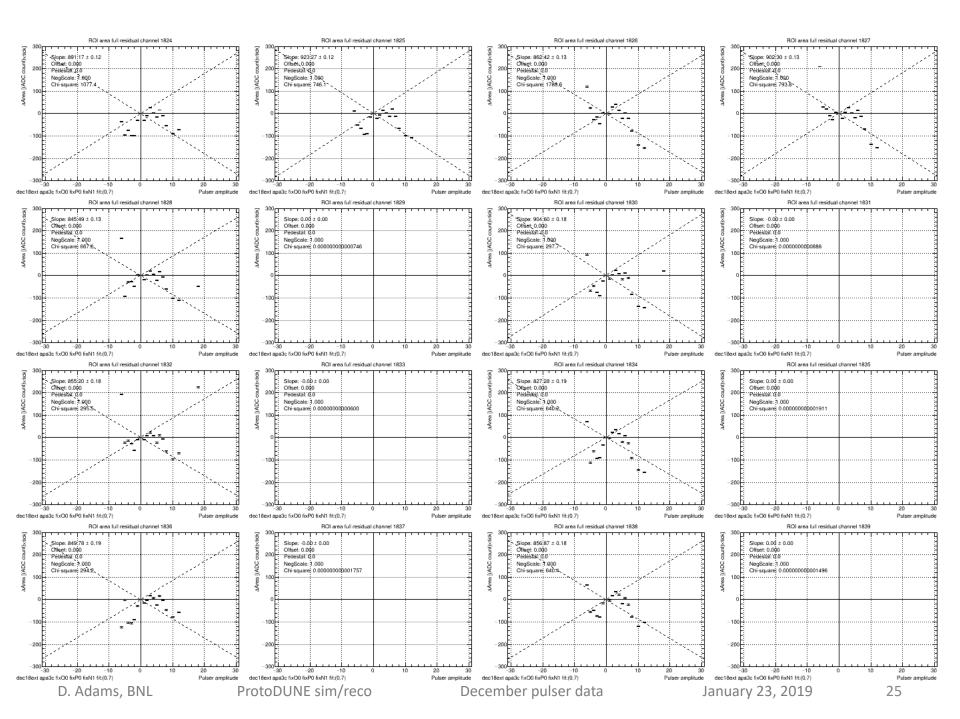


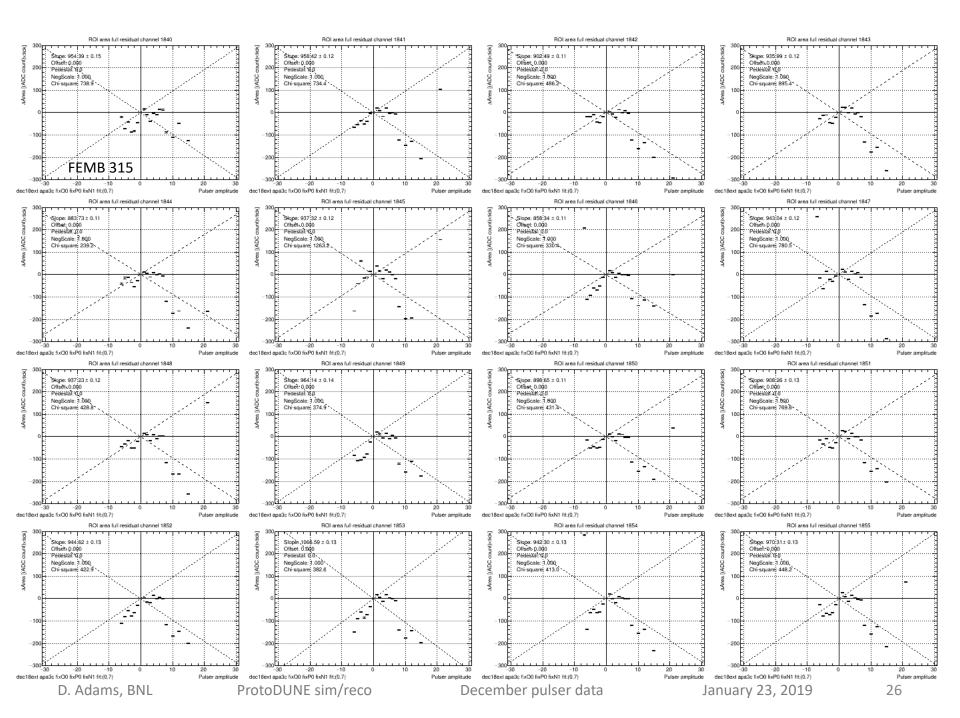


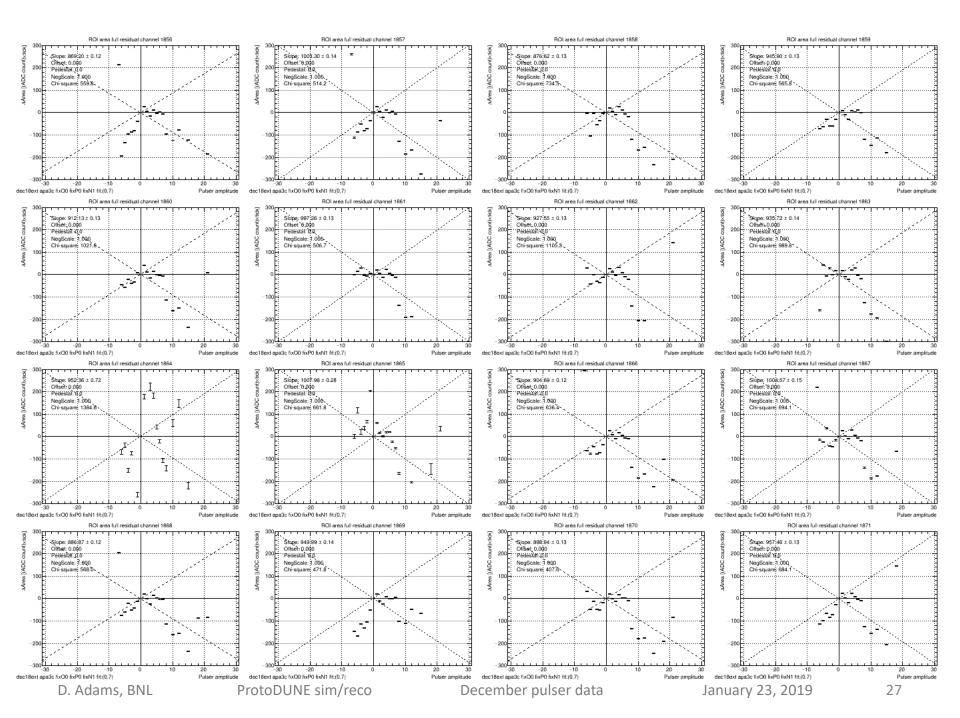


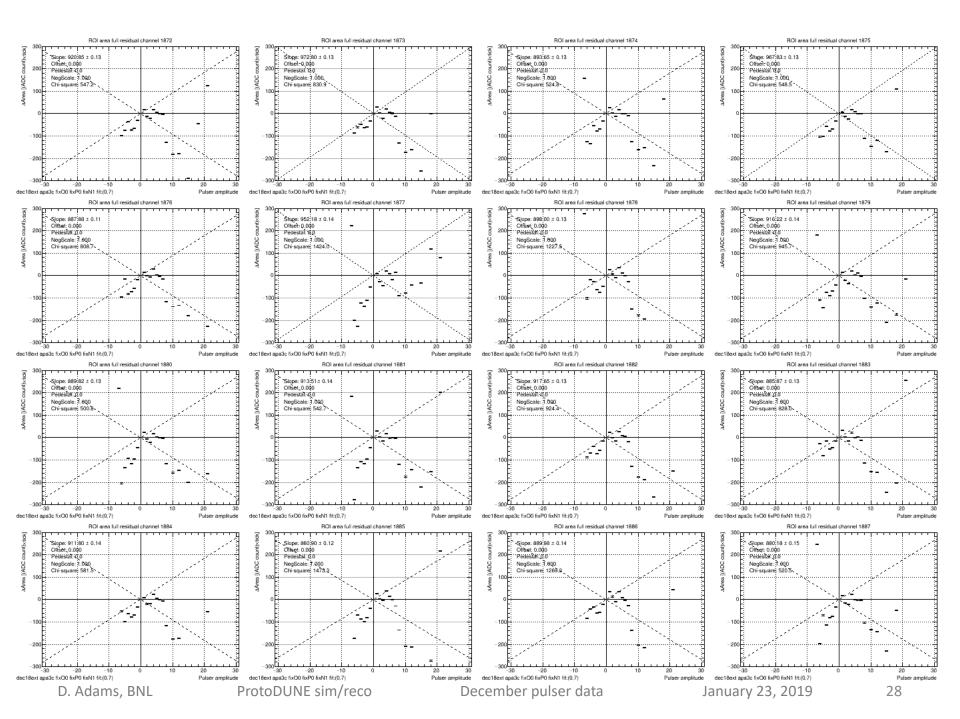


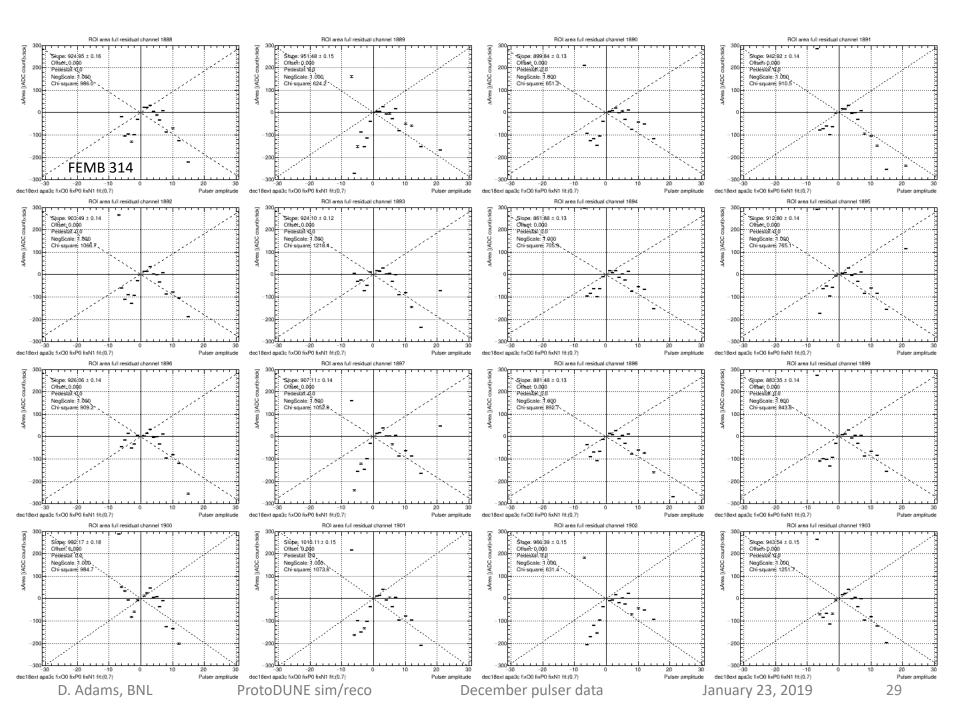


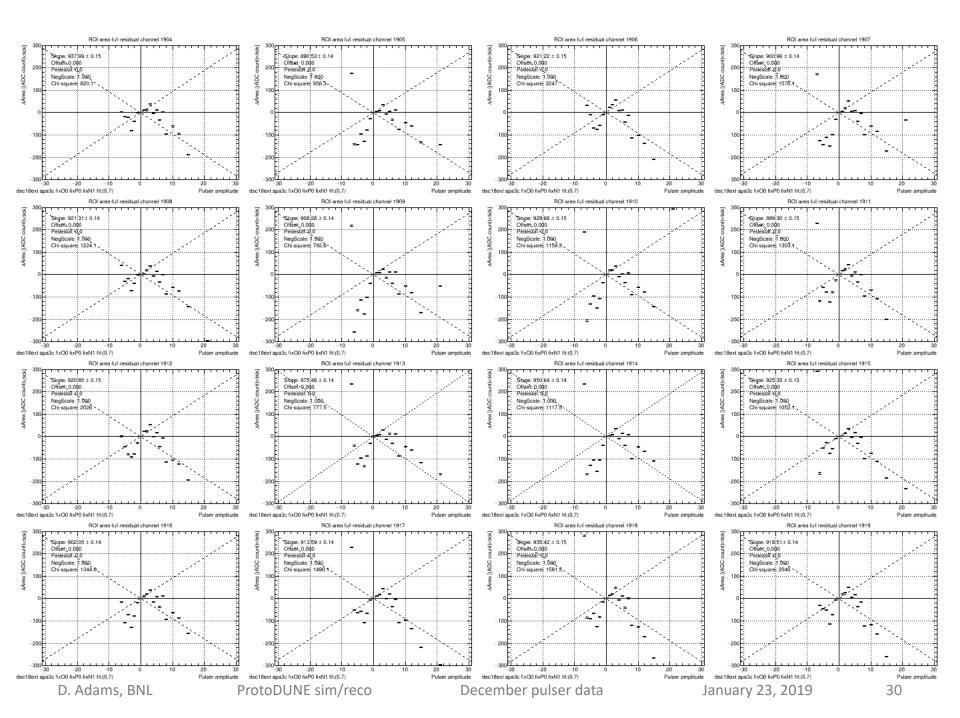


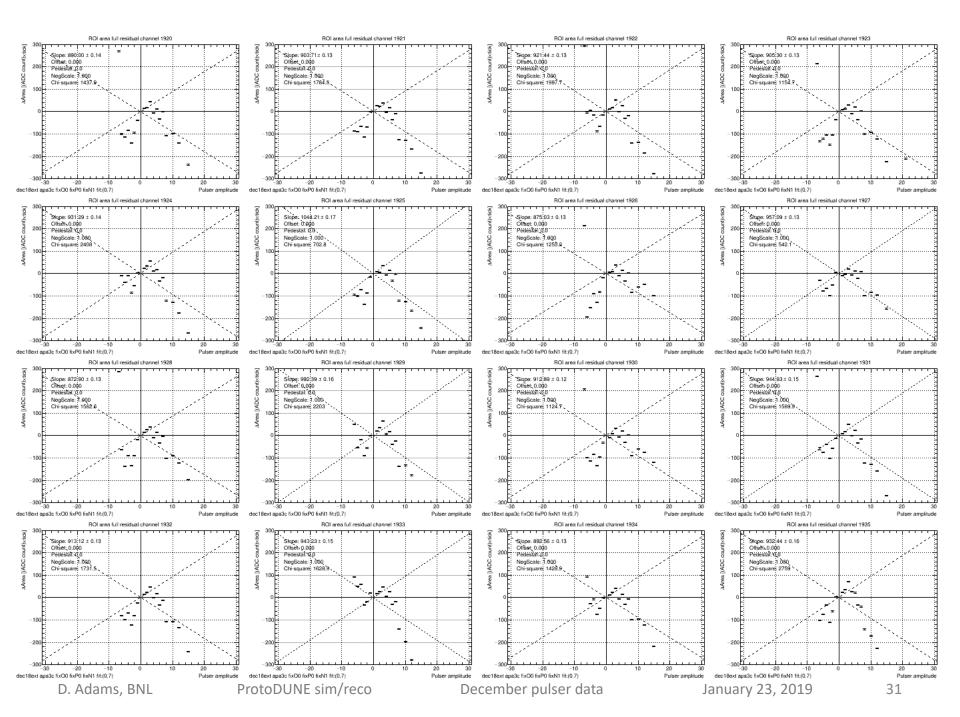


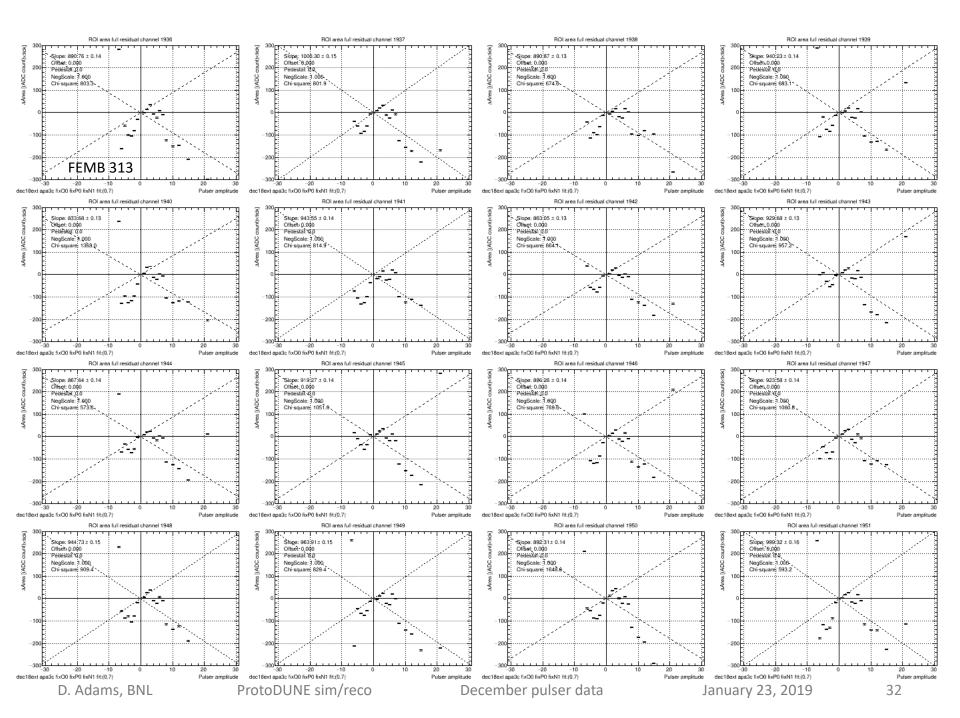


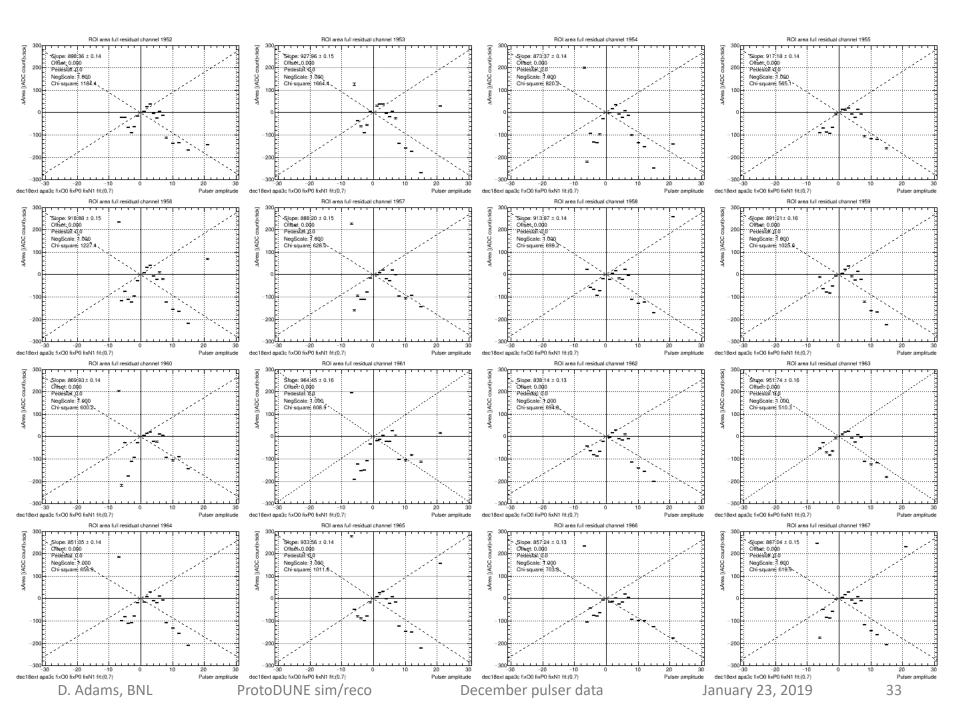


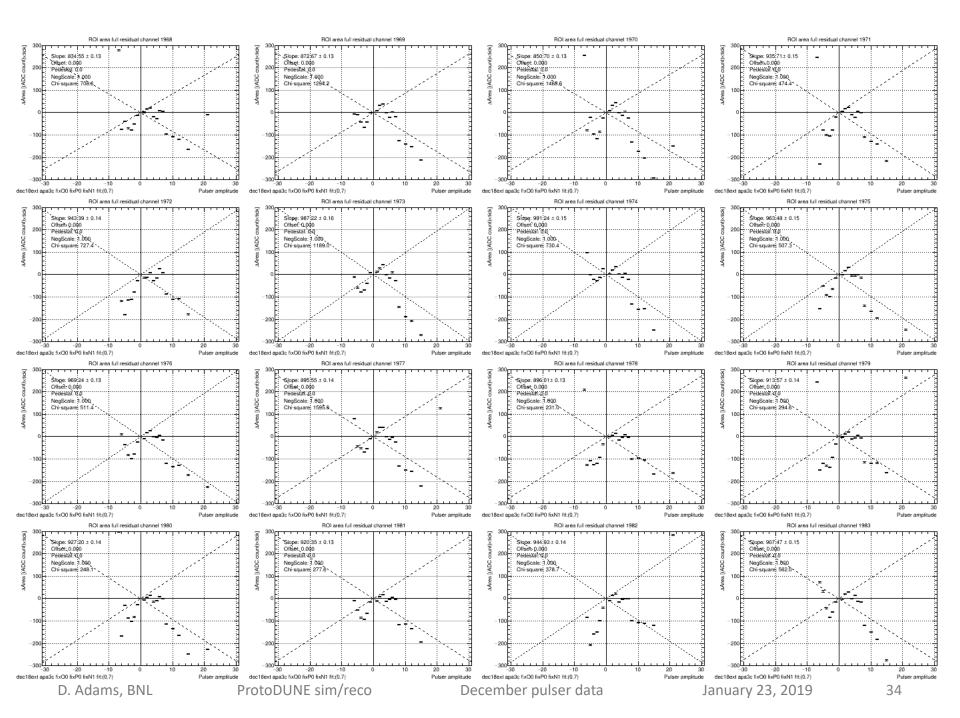


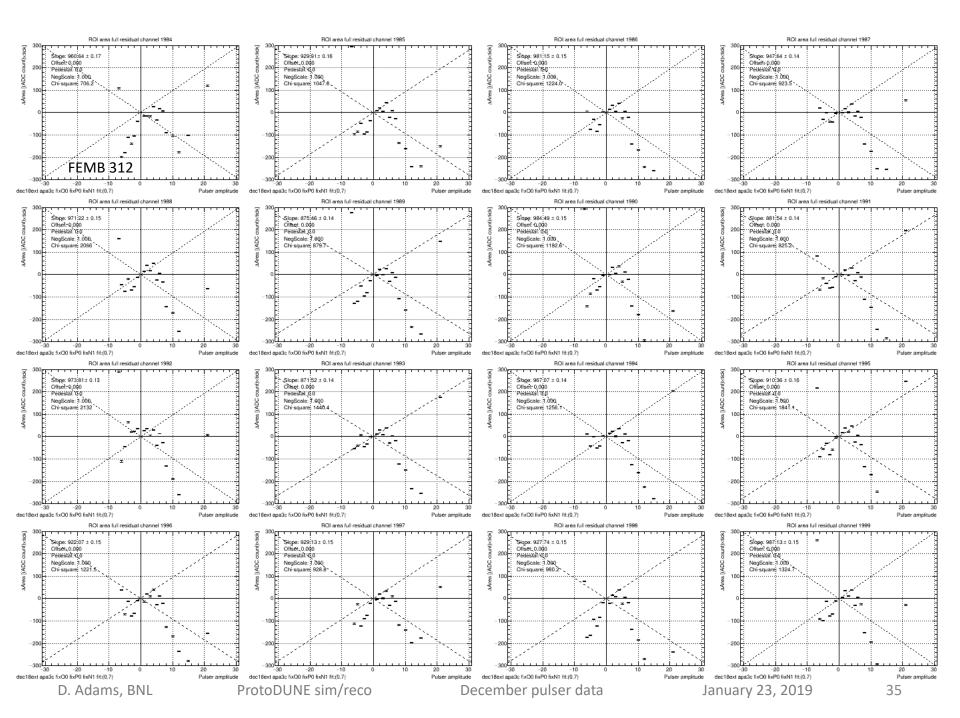


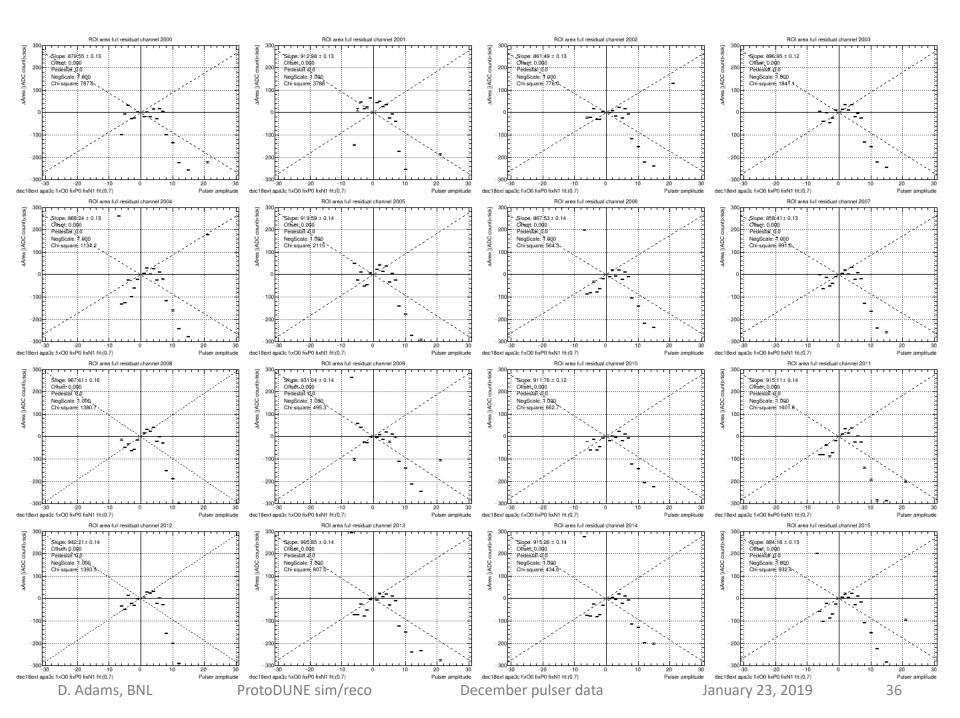


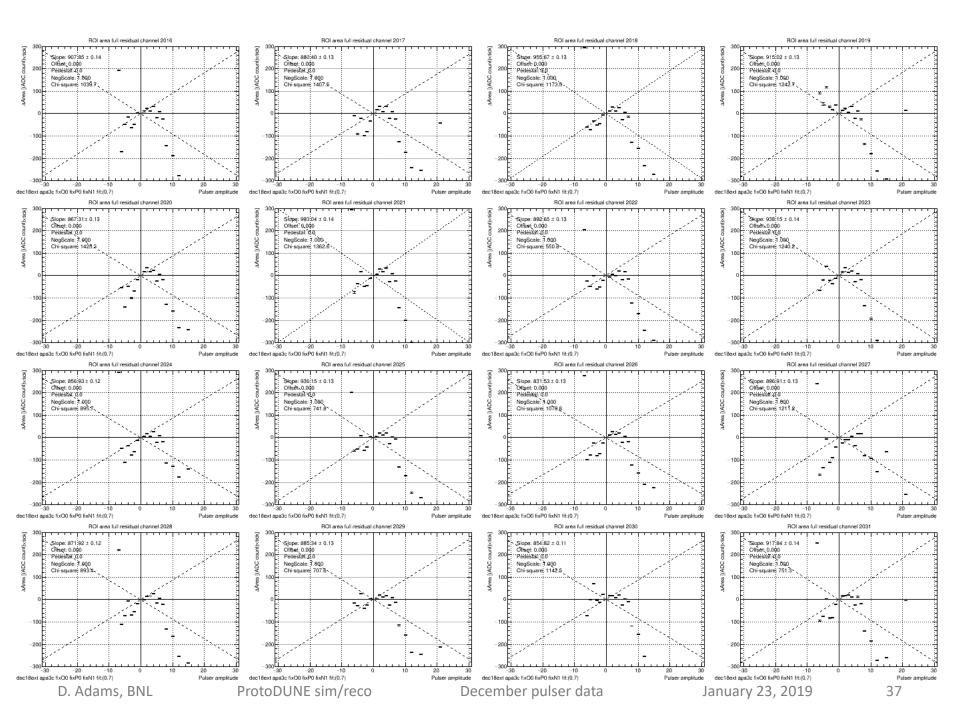


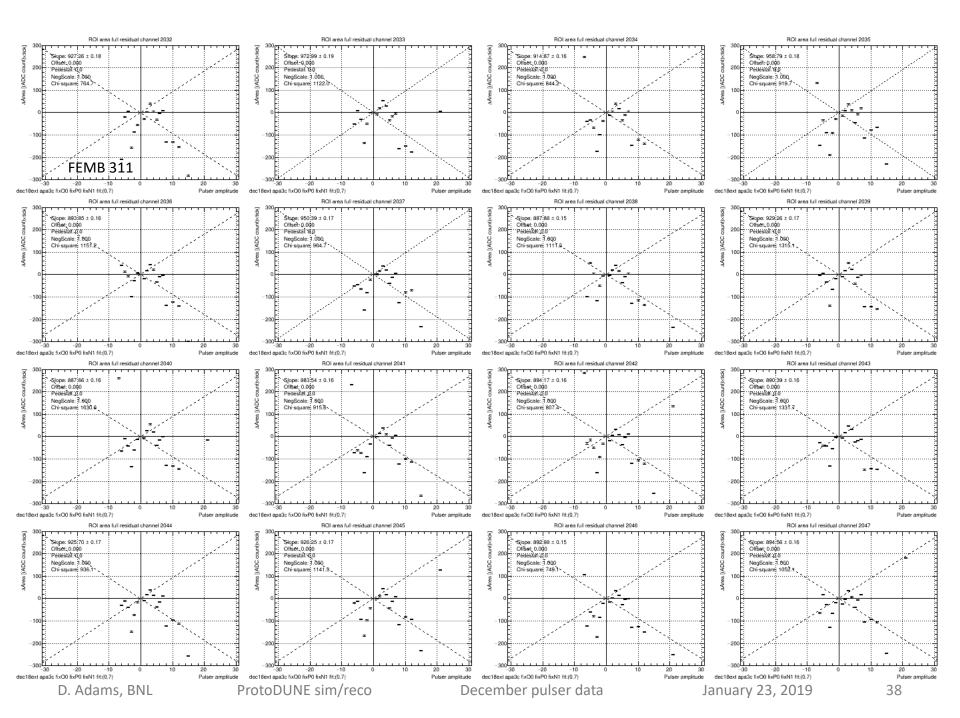


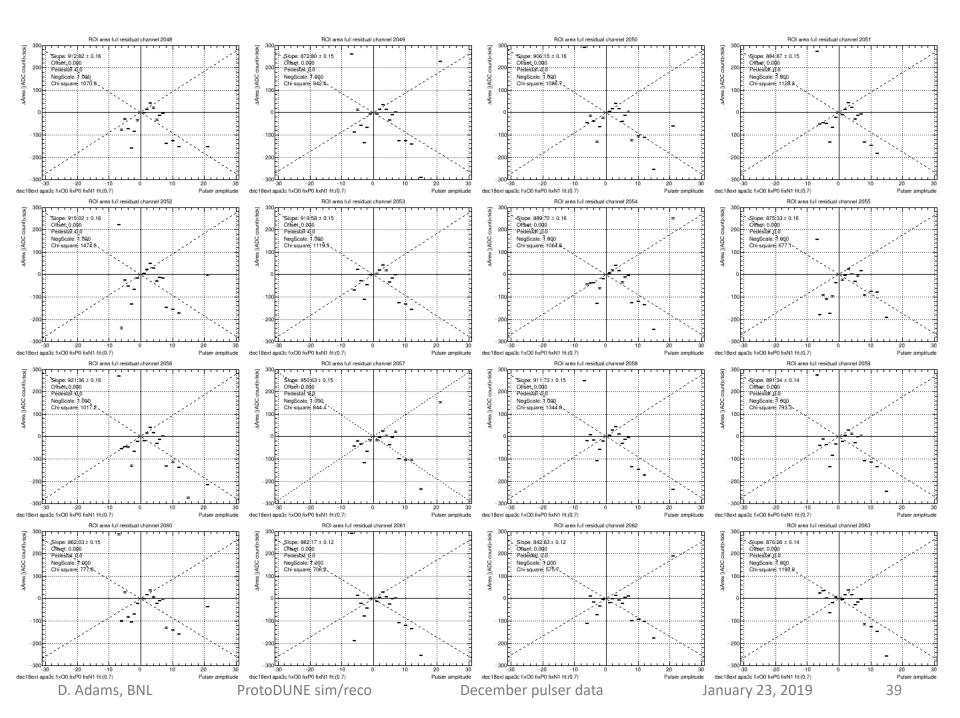


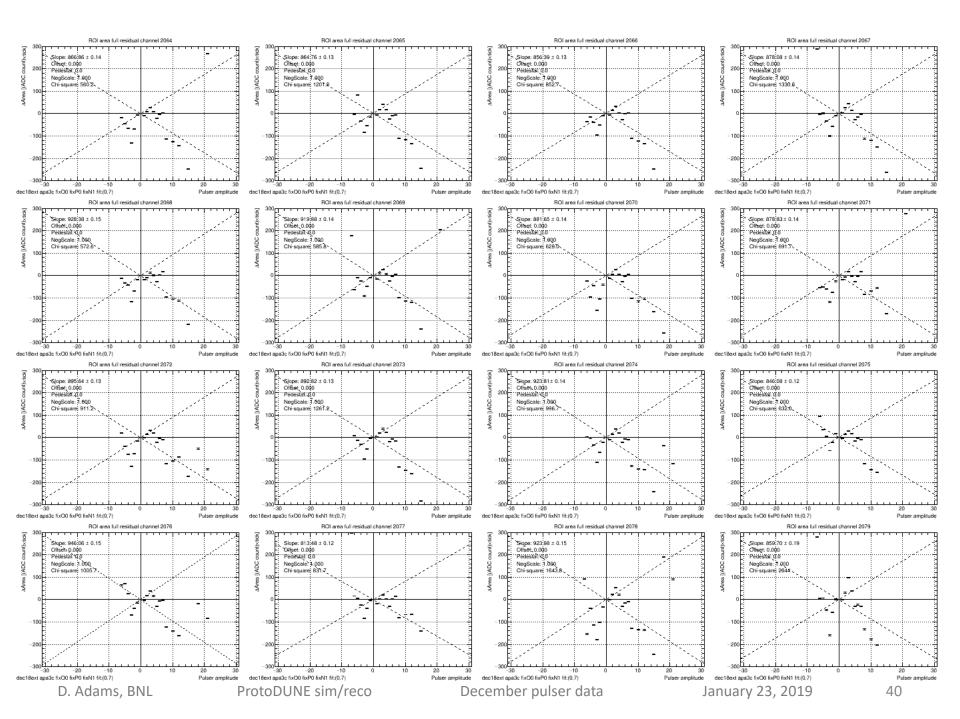












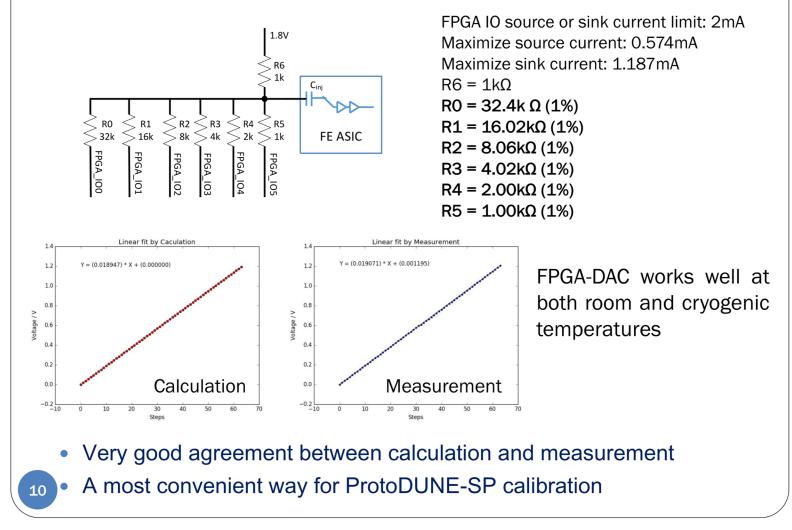
Comments on residual distributions

Fitted area slopes are around 900 ADC/Q_{step}

- $Q_{step} = 3.43$. fC = 21.4 ke (nominal)
- slope = 260 ADC/fC = 40 ADC/ke
- Scale on plots is ±300 ADC = ±7100 e
- Points in response plots show a lot of scatter
 - Range ±1000 e for the first seven (fitted) points
 - RMS (i.e. the error on any one measurement) is similar to this value
 - But the error on the mean (error bars) is much smaller
- Where does the non-linearity come from?
 - We were blaming the ADCs
 - Now see we also expect a significant contribution from the pulser
 - \circ $\,$ See the following...

Pulser circuit (Hucheng)

FEMB Optimization (2): FPGA-DAC for Calibration



Pulser charge

Circuit on previous page is a voltage divider

- IO lines are 0 (off) or 1.8 V (on)
- Bits in pulser setting A correspond to switching lines on

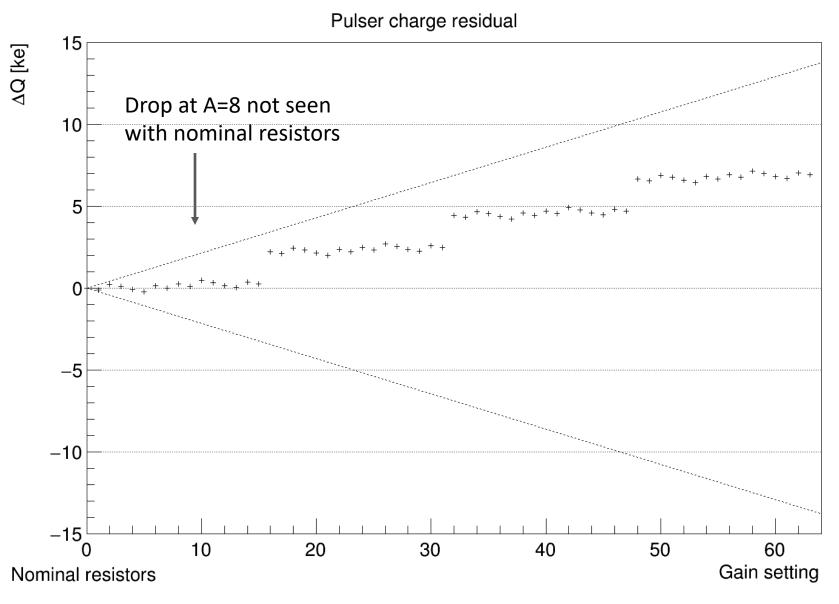
Code in dunetpc to give V/Q as function of A

- $R_1, ..., R_6$ and V_{fpga} are variable parameters
- Confirmed the code gives almost (0.001) the same values as plot

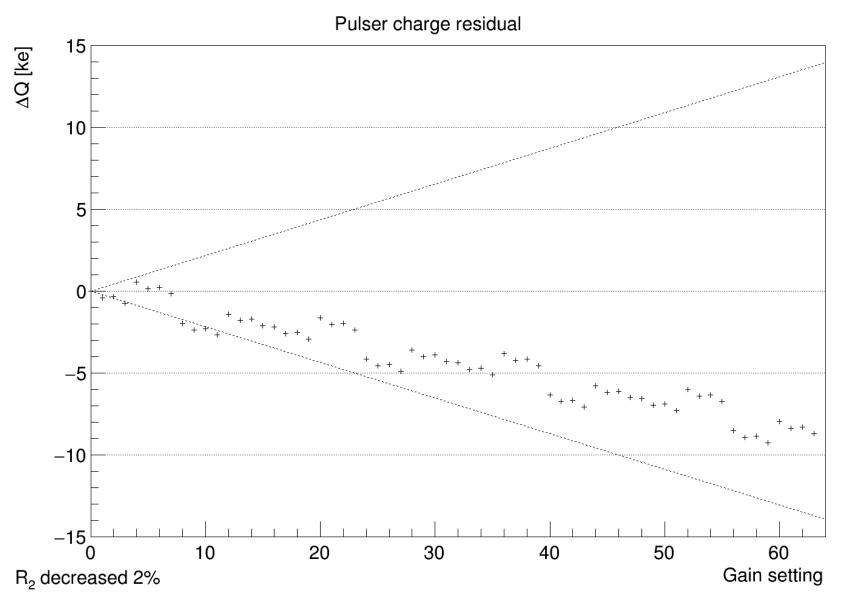
Use this to study nonlinearity

- As with protoDUNE data, I fit $A \le 7$ to line passing through origin
- Then plot residual: Q slope*A
- Example plots on following pages
 - \circ I try to reproduce the protoDUNE drop at A = 8
 - Need to shift R_2 by 2%
 - Resistor tolerance is 1%

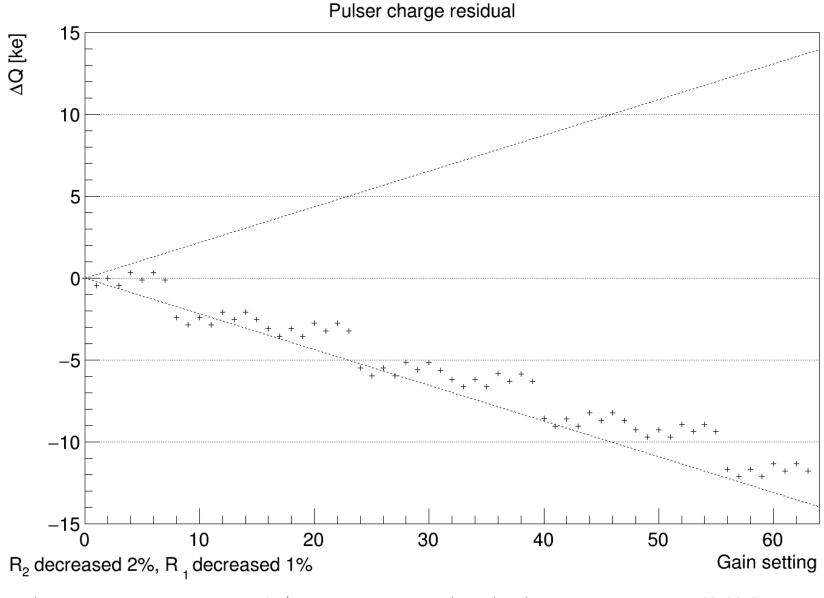
Pulser non-linearity with nominal resistors



Pulser non-linearity shifting R₂



Pulser non-linearity shifting R₂ and R₁



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Next

Like to get more pulser data

- Fill in missing settings: 9, 11, 13, 14, 16, 17
- External pulser data at gain of 7.8
 - To distinguish ADC and pulser nonlinearities

Analysis

- Try fitting pulser parameters (resistances) to protoDUNE data
- Can we find best fit values for each FEMB (128 channels)?