# **PDS Report on APA 3 Colbox**

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### **Summary**

- Cold box of APA3 finished with successfully results
- Noise studies were conducted at cold temperature.
- ► LED acquisition to prove alignment between channels
- Tested different grounding configurations of grounding in DAPHNE
- ► Cold cables for APAs 3 and 4 are at CERN and will be installed next week.
- ► Flange and lifting of the cables is planed for the 1st 2nd week of November



# **Setup for Integration**





### **DAPHNE V2A Integration with DAQ**

#### **Procedure:**

For this test we used the gateware provided by FERMILAB.

This prove of concept includes:

- ► Analog chain with proper alignment <sup>1</sup>
- 4 Channel streaming on each SFP
- Gb ETH Spy Buffers
- Timing Interface (using CDR chip)
- ► Prove of slow control response of the gateware (using the Gb ETH)



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Some readout errors using software trigger **October 26, 2022** 

# **DAPHNE V2A Integration with DAQ**

#### Procedure:

We made a set of unitary tests on the DAQ barracks

- 1. Using internal clock and streaming of Skew pattern
- 2. Using timing clock and streaming of different patterns
- 3. No CRC errors founded.

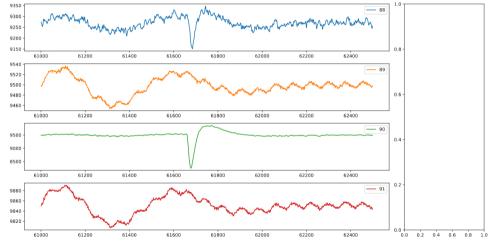
### On top of NP04 Cryostat boards were programmed using the full streaming

We found the following issues:

- 1. CRC errors were present on some fibers
- 2. Software trigger produce some readout errors
- 3. Synchronization on different channels was proved

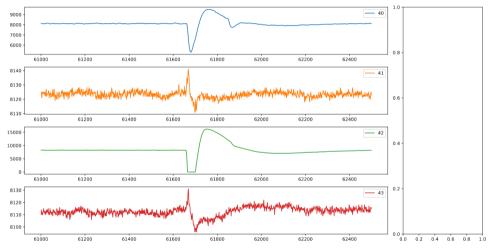


# **Alignment prove (DAQ Plots provided by Alessandro Thea)**



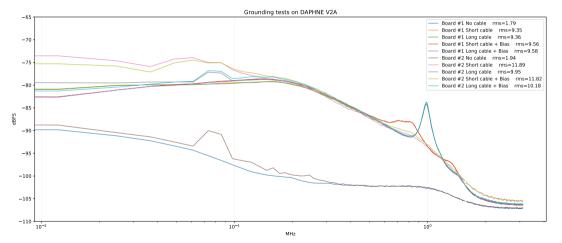


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# Noise studies with short and long cables properly shielded





#### **Conclusions:**

- ► System version of the firmware for ProtoDUNE II has been tested using streaming
- Self trigger has NOT been integrated
- ► Time interface uses CDR version
- Noise studies suggest multiple noise sources
- ► Regardless the noise, the gain spread on APA3 PD modules is so big we cannot estimate gain factor on those, as we did on previous modules f.e. APA 1 or 2
- noise increases with warm cable length
- further studies with grounding should be conducted at lab conditions

APA3 FFT data can be found here



