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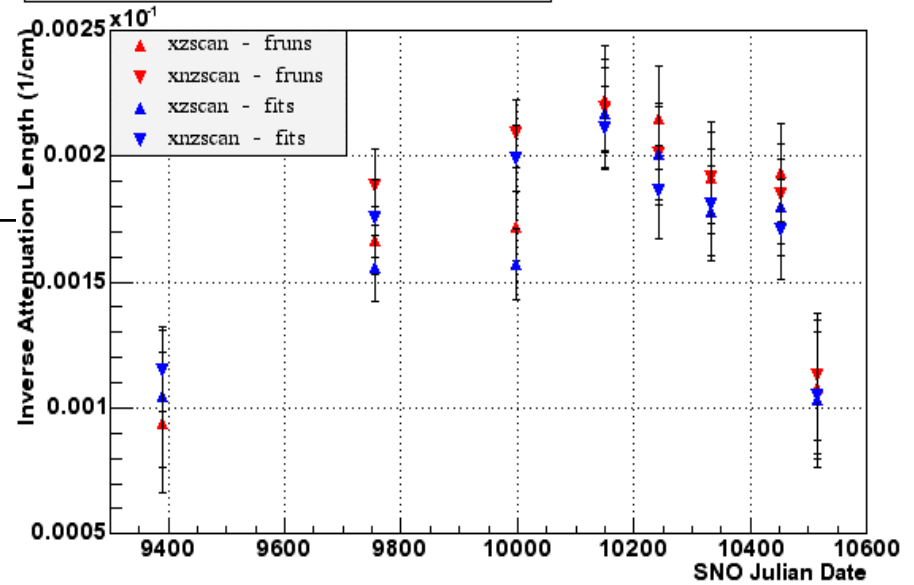
- Diagonal analysis of post-salt D₂O
- PMT Efficiency Variability in the fits
- Laserball in SNOMAN
- NCD Mask Function

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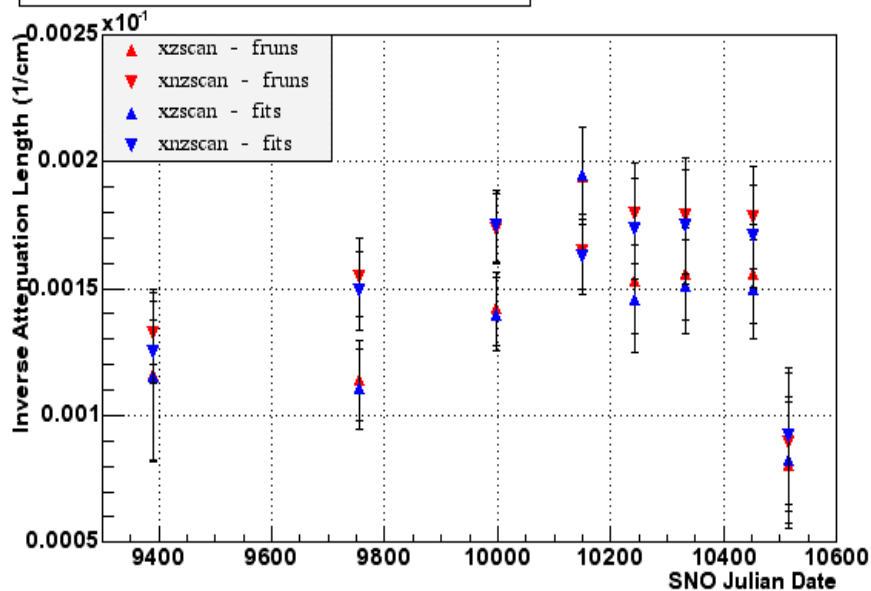
Diagonal

○ D₂O
attenuation

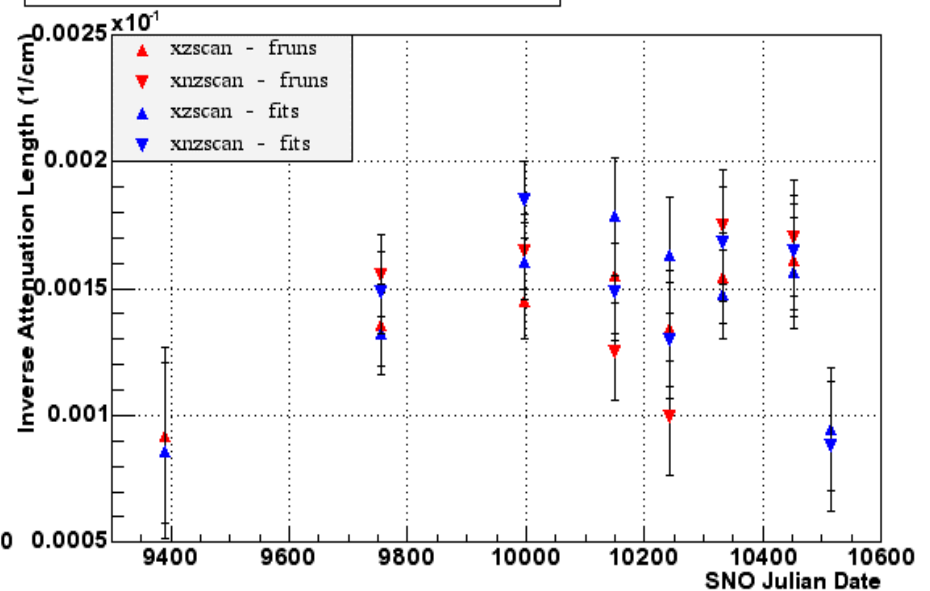
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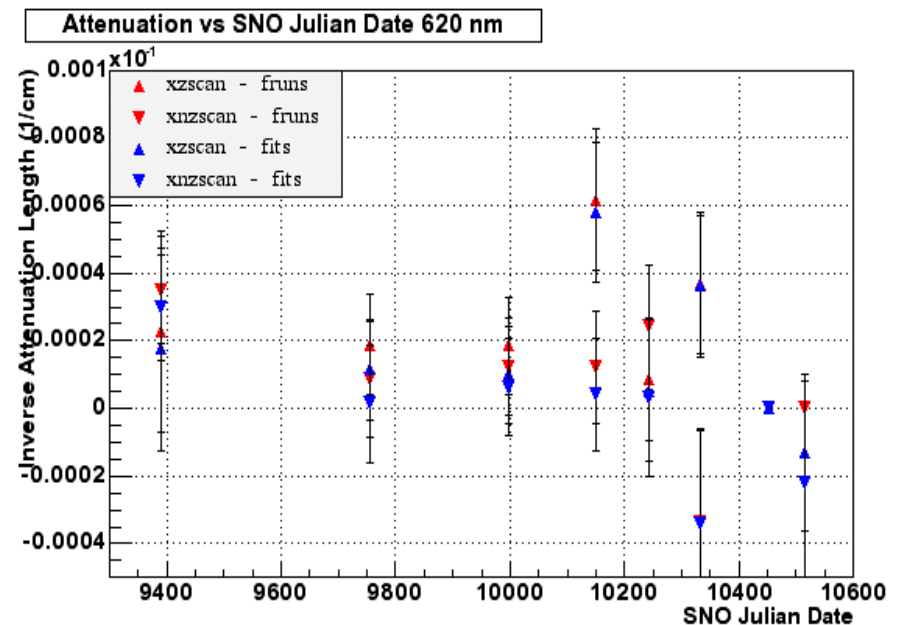
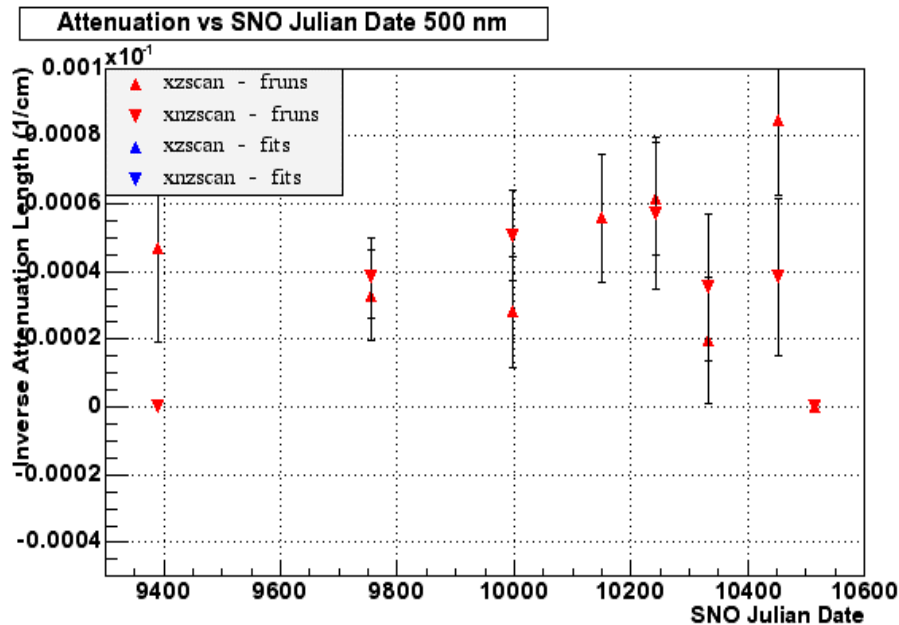
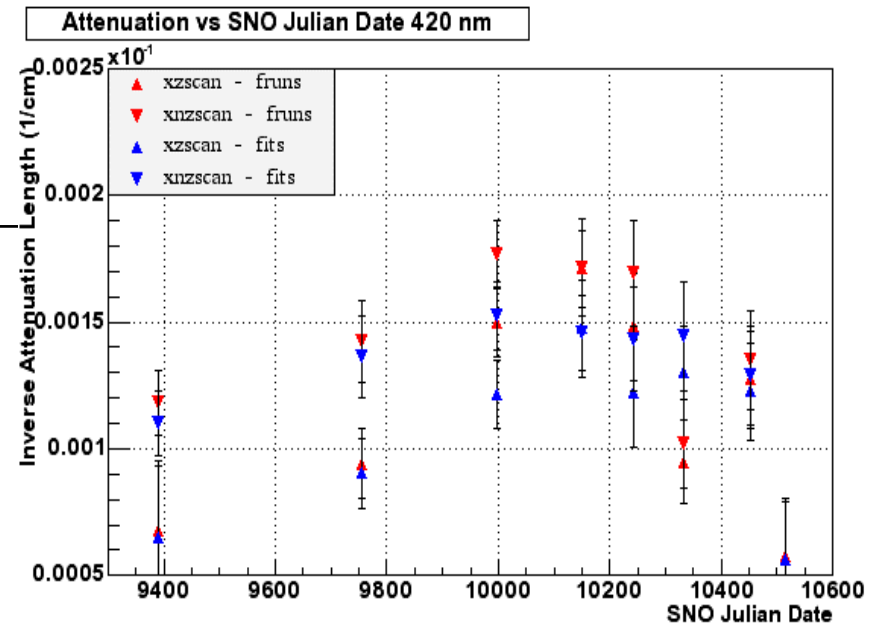


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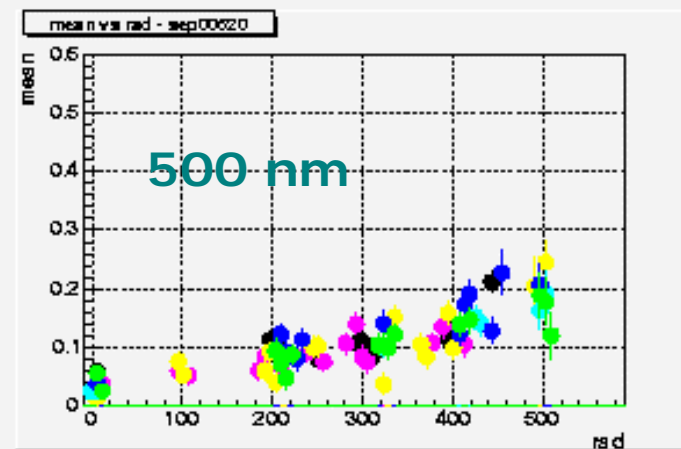
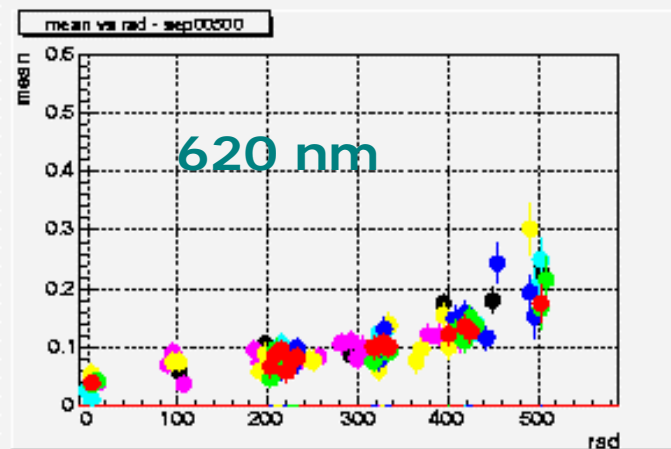
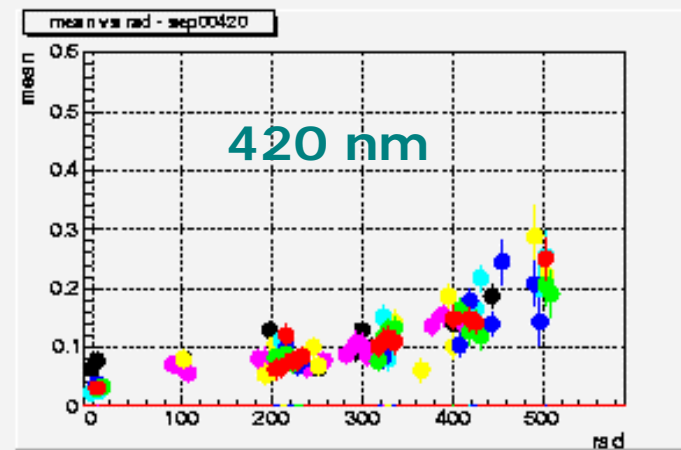
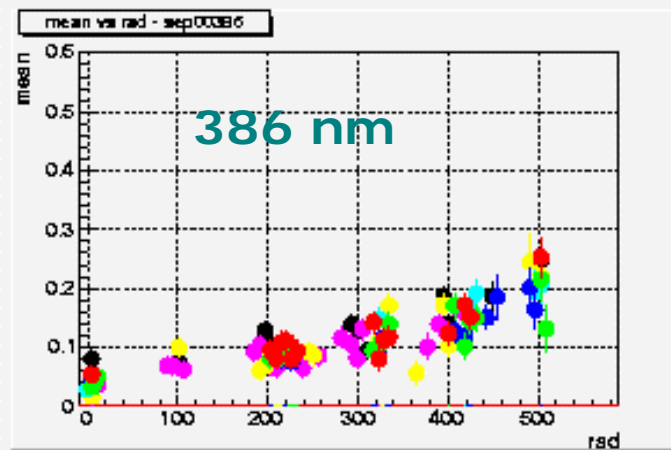
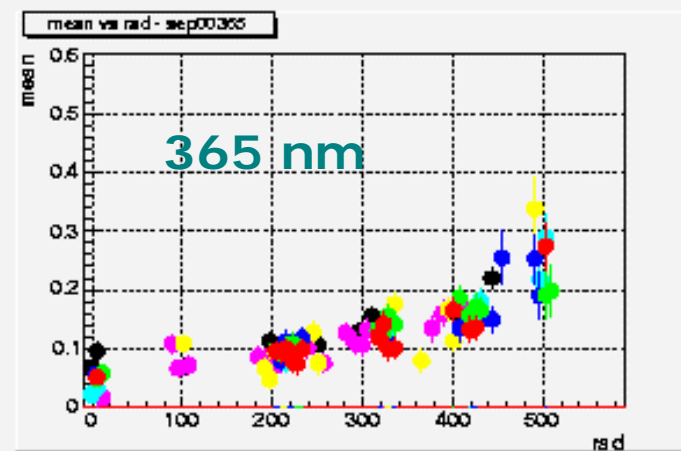
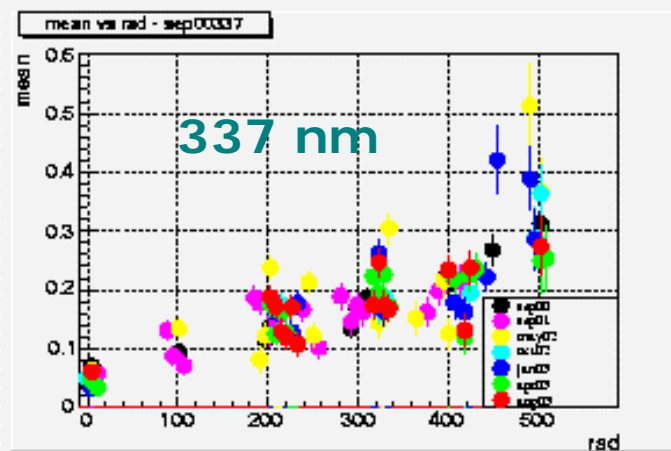
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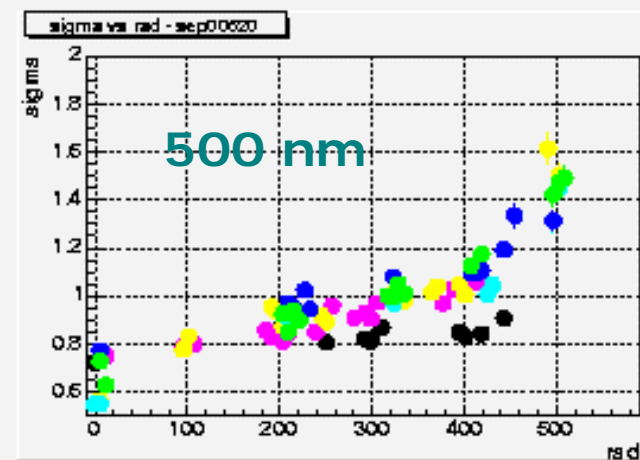
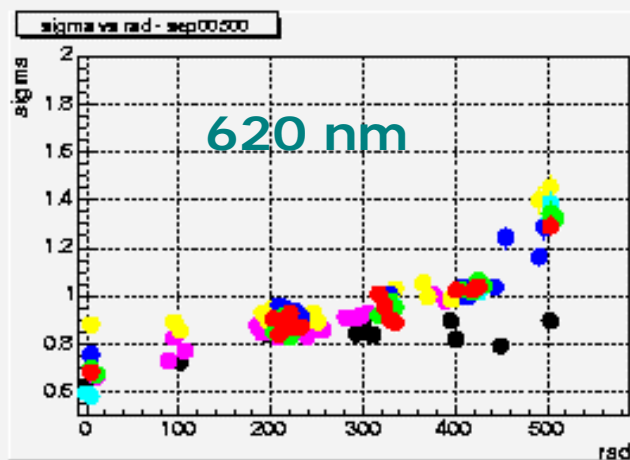
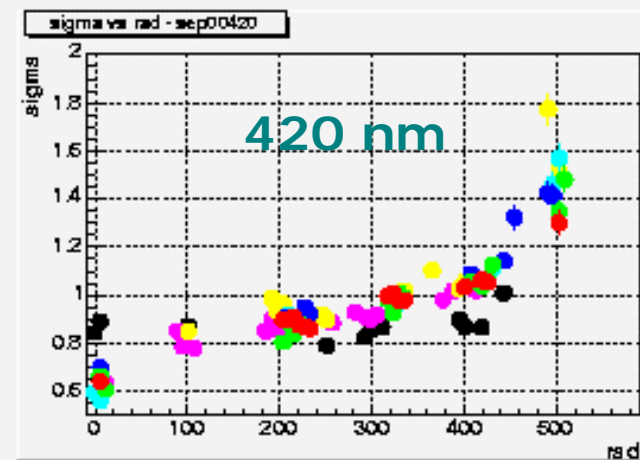
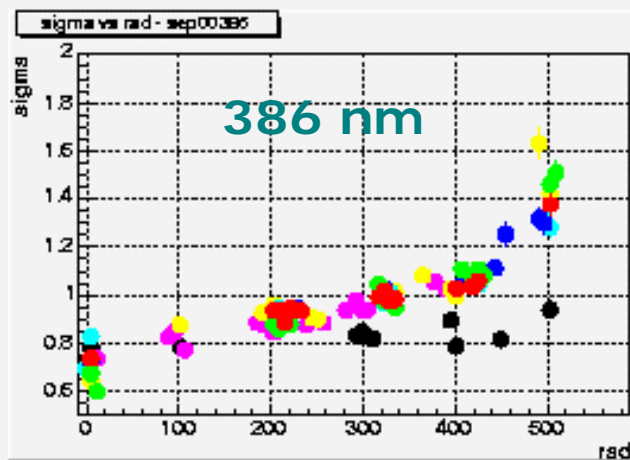
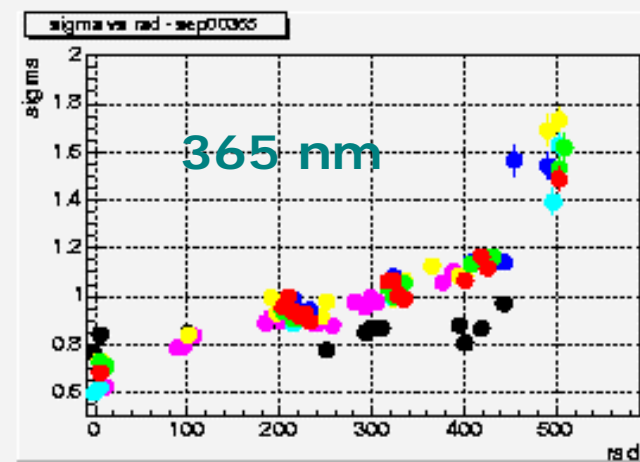
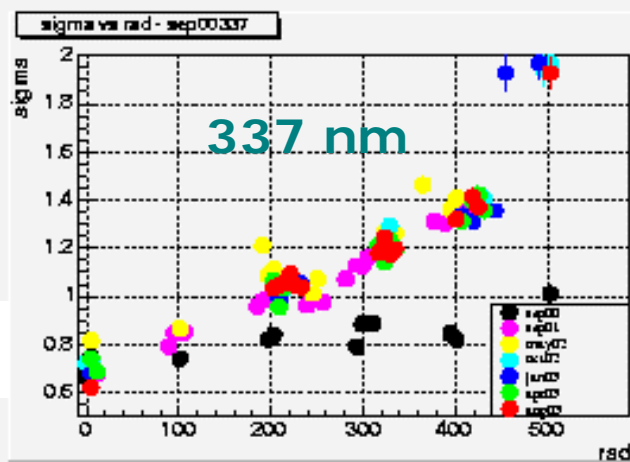
Mean of
QOCAFit pulls
vs.
Radius

All scans
up to
Aug03
(last salt)



Spread of
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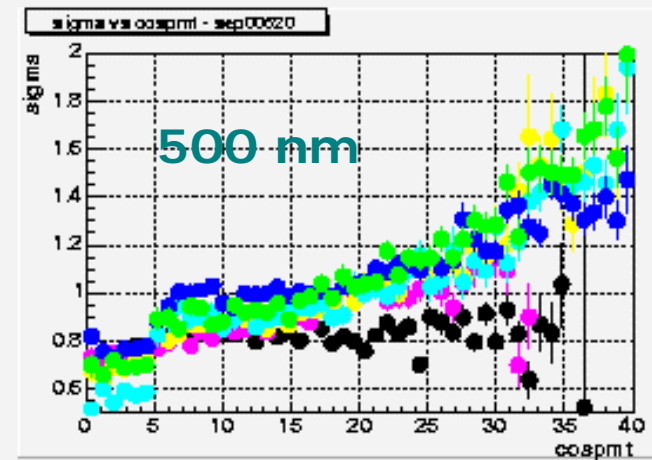
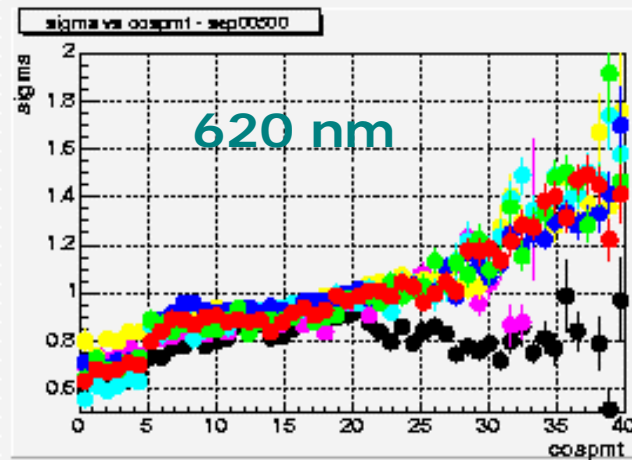
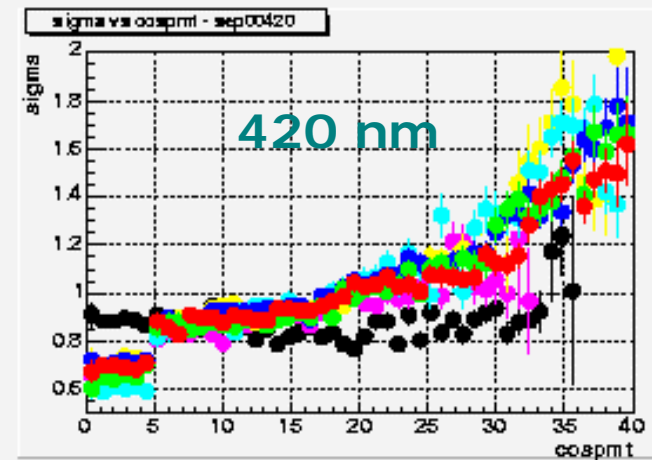
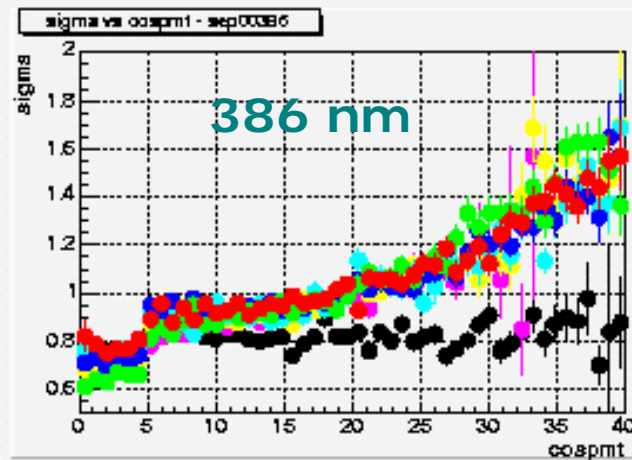
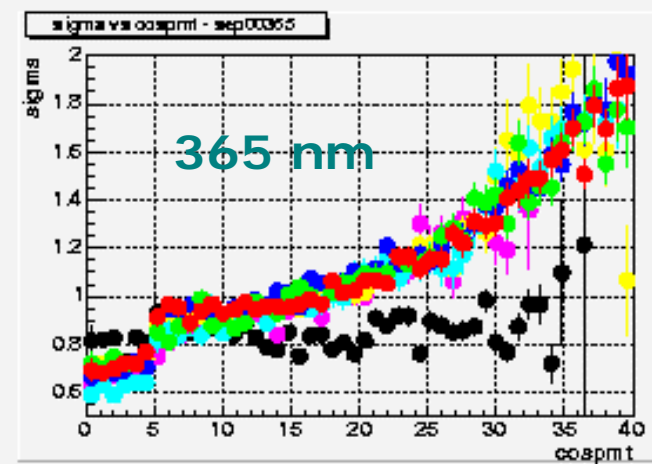
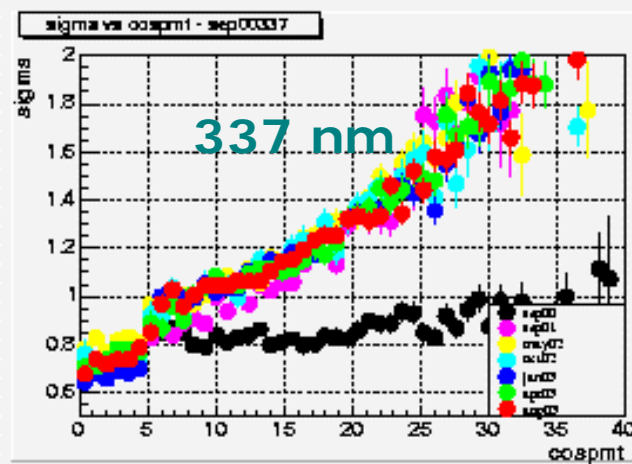


Spread of
QOCAFit pulls
vs.
PMT
Incid. angle

All scans
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What's different
in Sep00
(pre-salt)?

Angular
dependence of
PMT error factor
in χ^2 was hard-
coded for Sep00
but not for salt



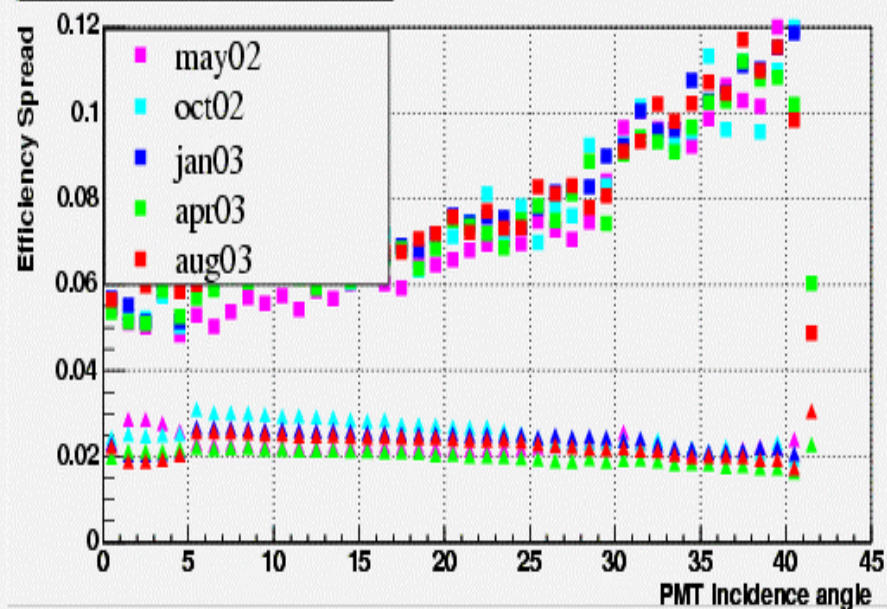


PMT efficiency variability

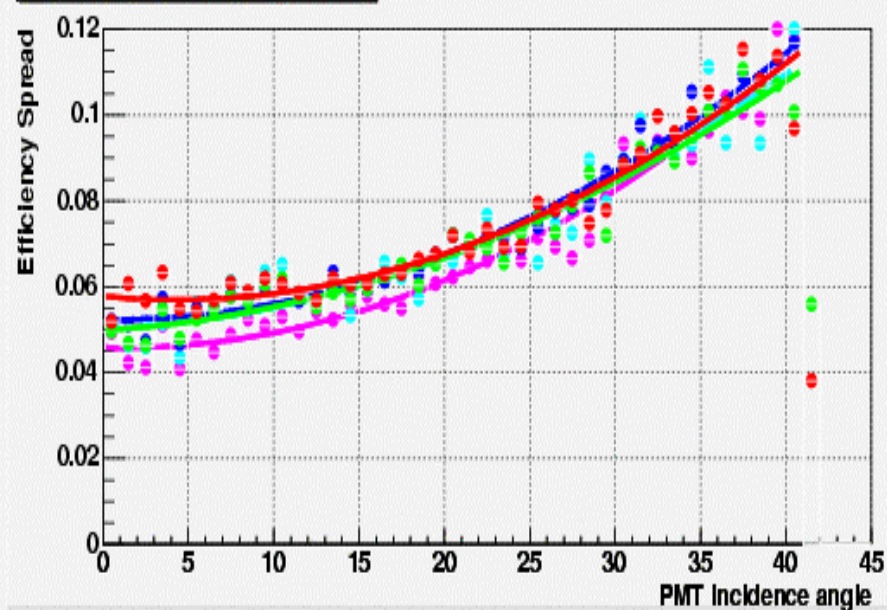
- Following Chris Ouellet's work, use QOCAFit efficiencies
- Normalize each PMT to average efficiency in a scan
- Quadratically subtract the $1/\sqrt{\text{occupancy}}$ from the efficiency RMS
- Remove dependency from optics
- Remove tube-to-tube variations
- Remove statistical spread

337 nm

Total and statistical spread 337 nm

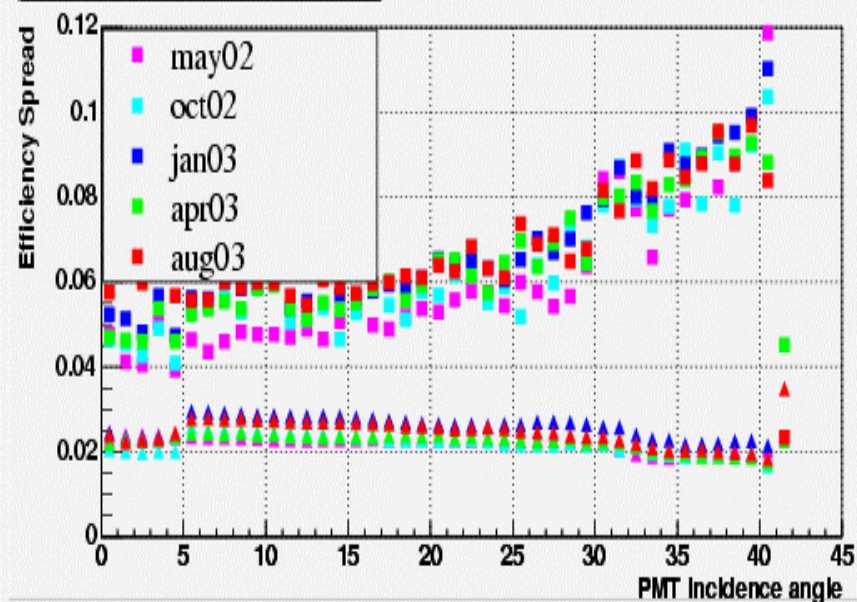


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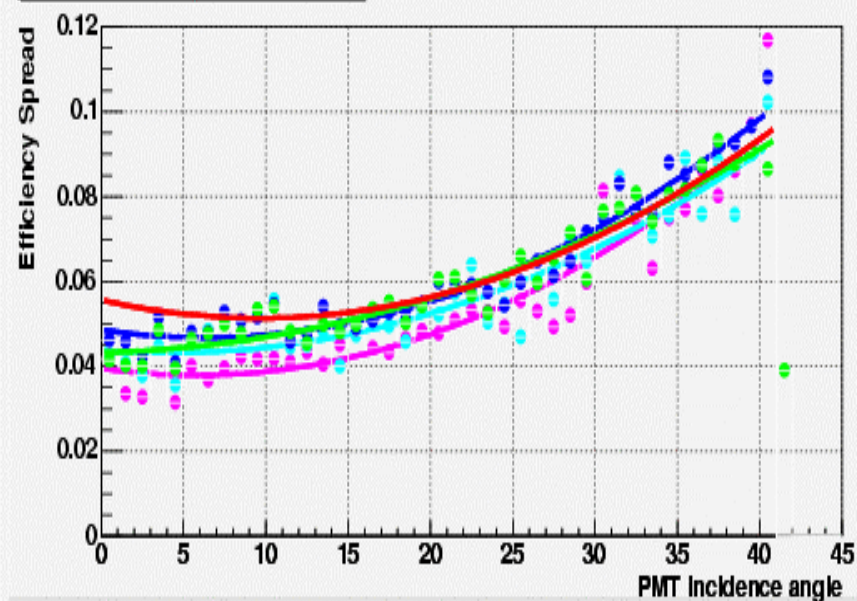


365 nm

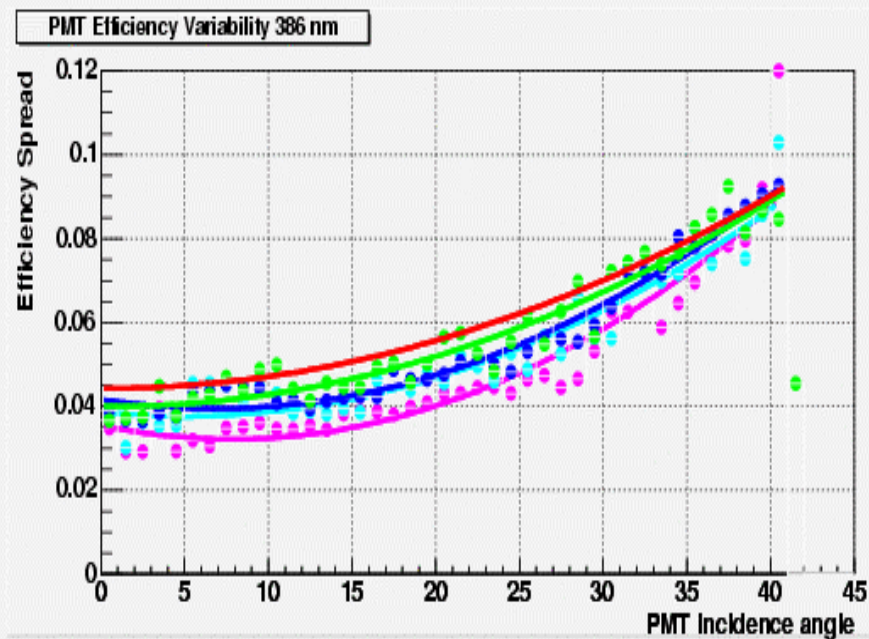
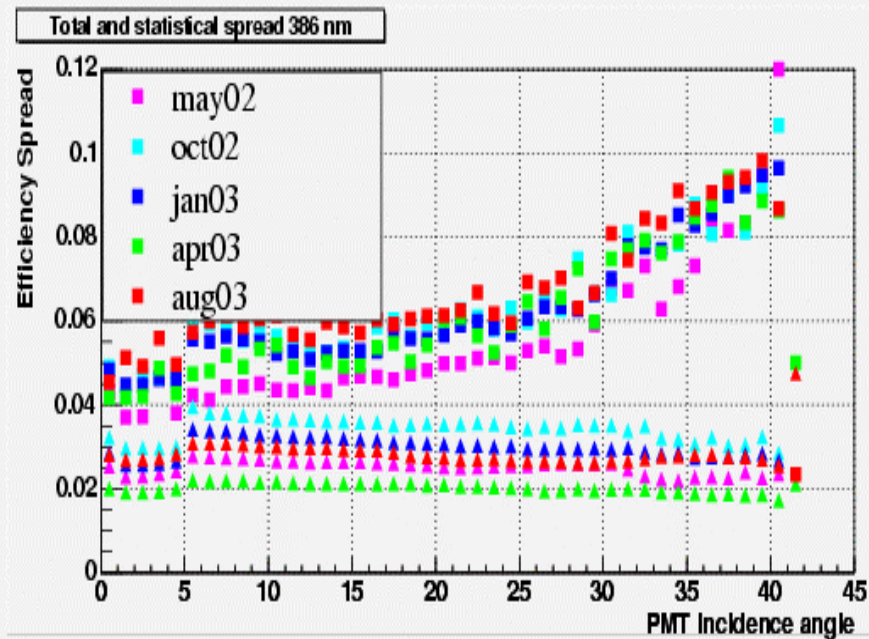
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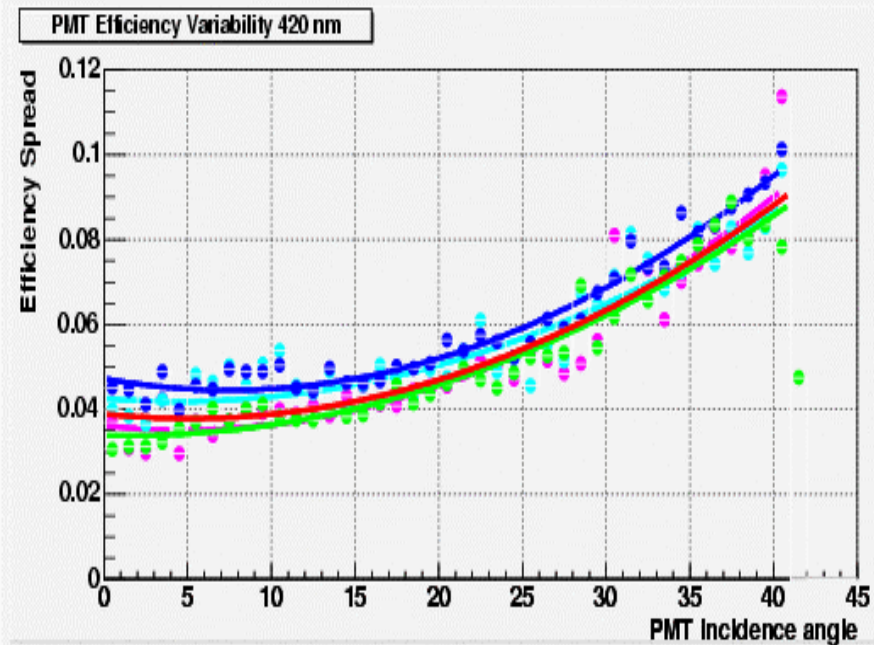
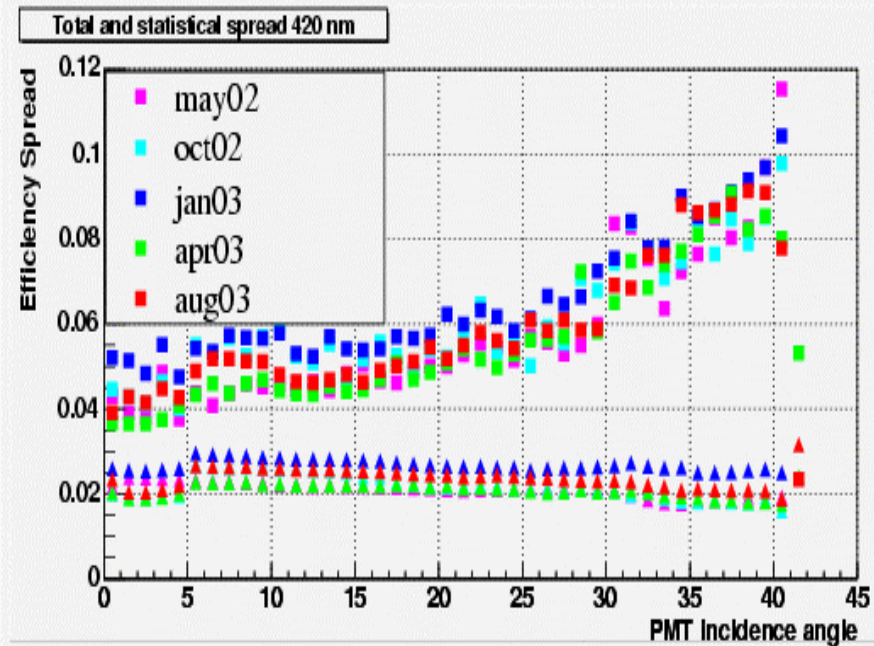
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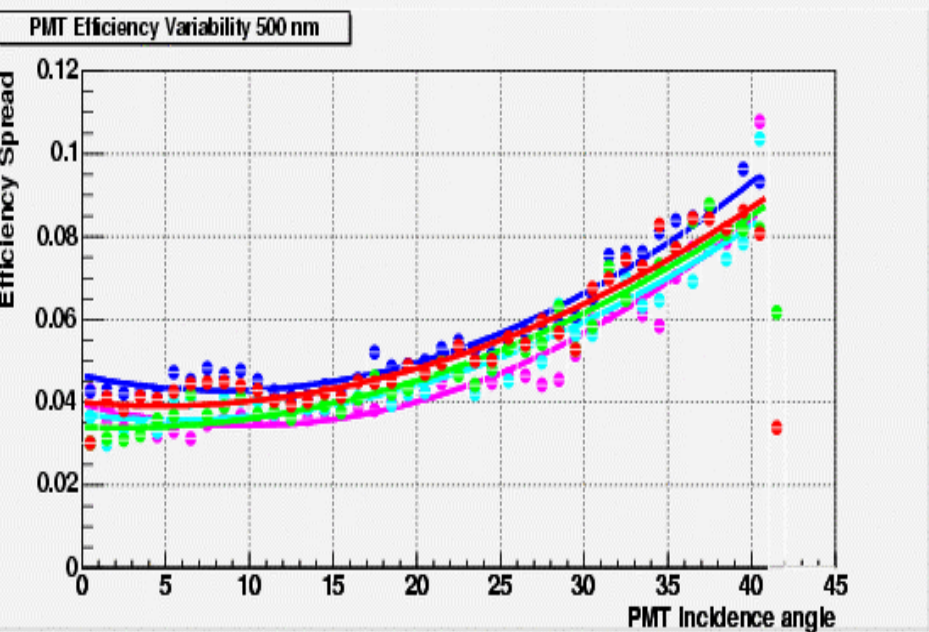
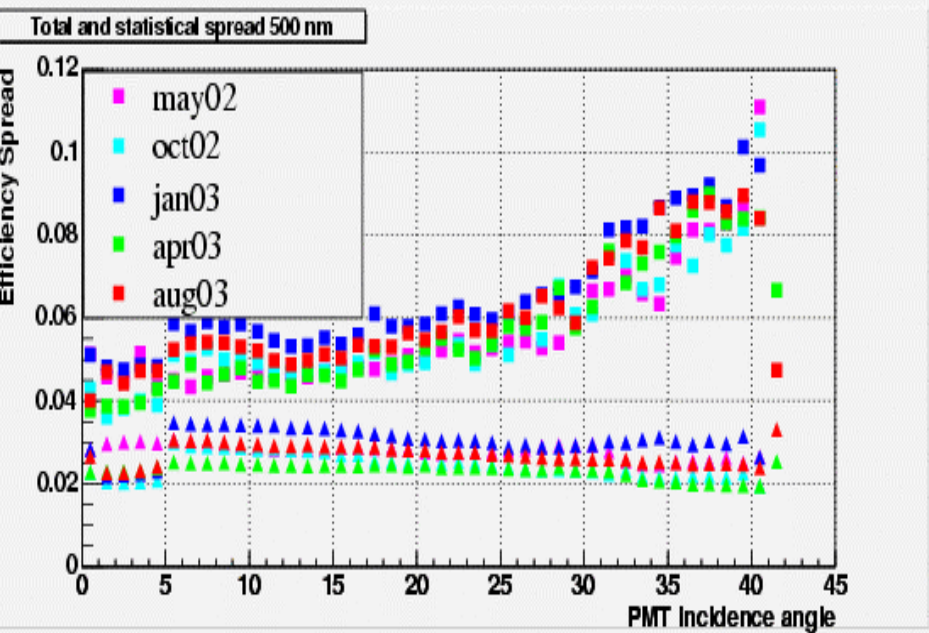
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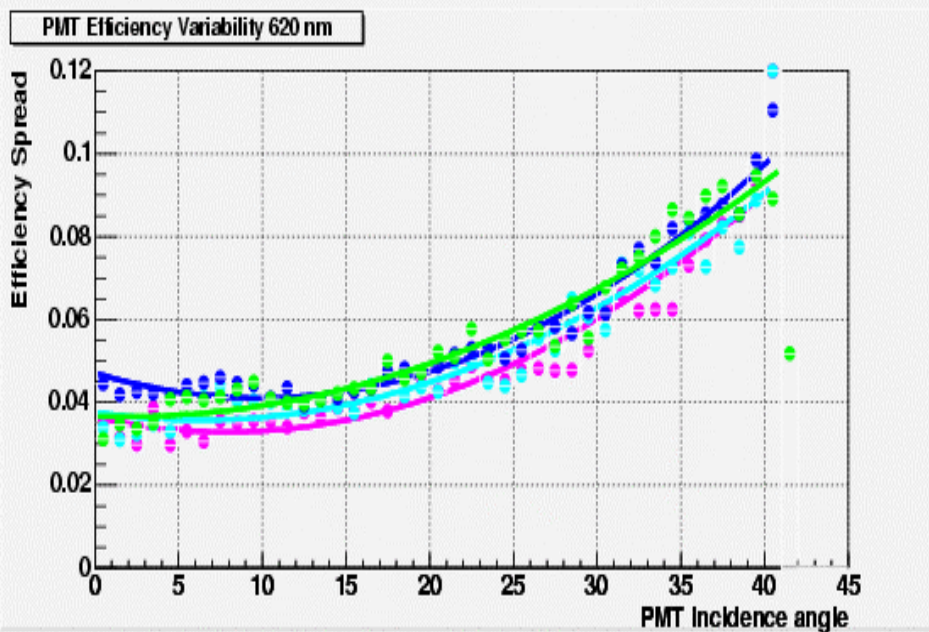
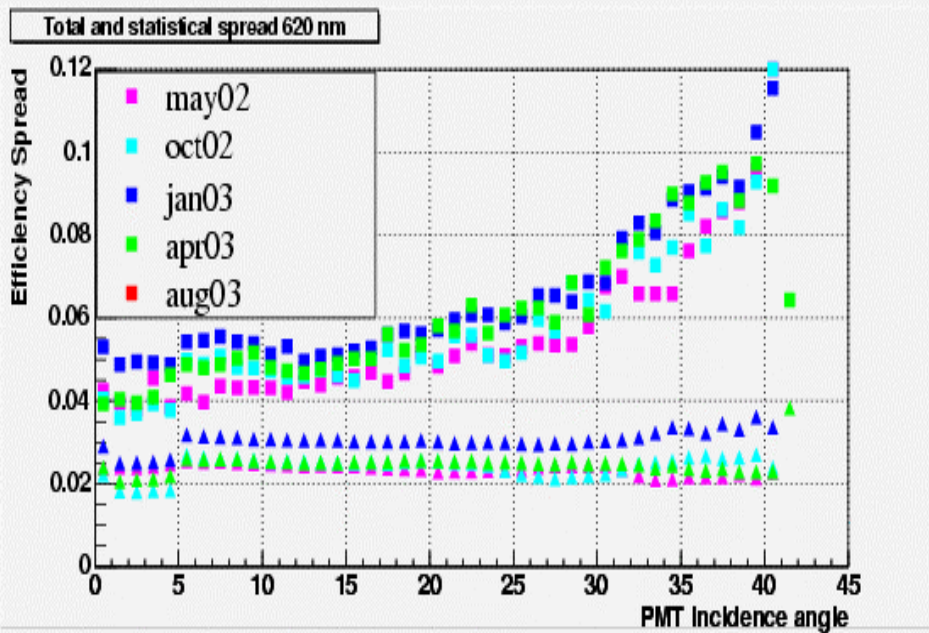
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500 nm

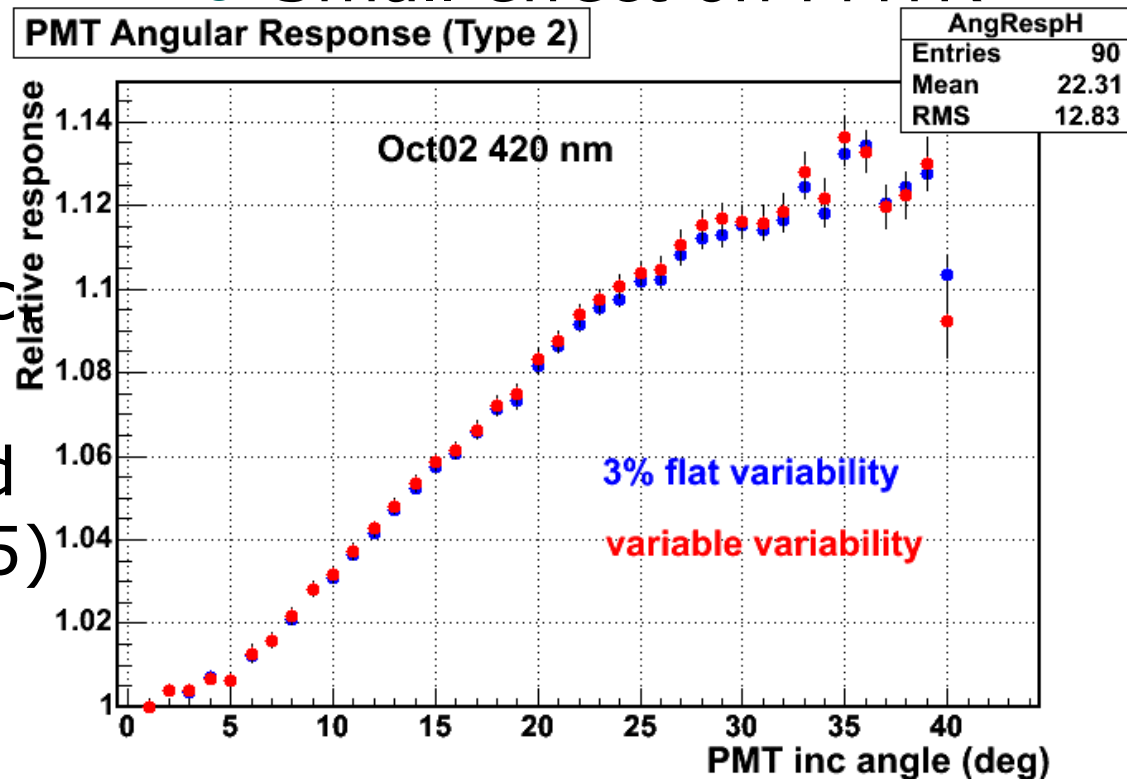


620 nm



QOCAFit tests

- Added salt variability function
- Tested with oct02 scan
- Flat pulls on inc angle
- Overall reduced $\chi^2 < 1$ (was ~ 1.5)
- Almost no effect on attenuations
- Small effect on PMTR





Laserball in SNOMAN

- Point-like source is not good enough for NCD shadow and other studies
- Code added implementing physical radius and weakly peaked angle of emission ($\sim \cos \theta$)
 - Hopefully in snoman 4_0286
- Assymetries from QOCAFit not yet in
- Used to generate a MC laser scan by Kevin



NCD mask function

- Necessary for Optics fits (but maybe also RSP)
- Conservatively throw out every tube even partially shadowed, taking laserball radius into account
- Code done in QSNO, starting from Aksel's QNCD classes
 - Some debugging left to do, but...
 - Should be able to fit laser MC w/ NCDs quite soon

