

AFE characterization

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CBPM meeting: May 19, 2023

Where we were at

Previously: 10 pF capacitors (C146, C147 forming voltage divider) removed

x factor ~ 2 amplification expected

x beam characterization on Tuesday May 9: [instr elog 2115](#)

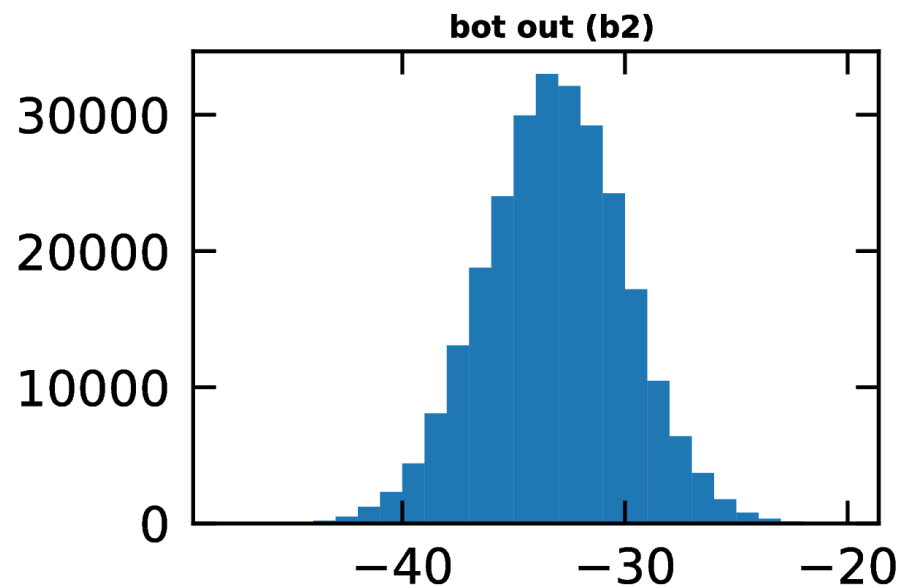
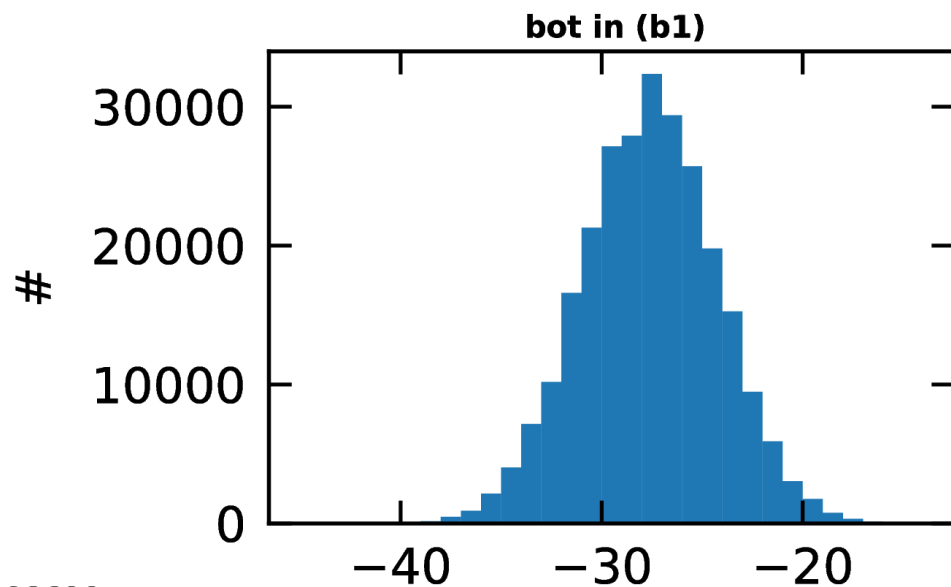
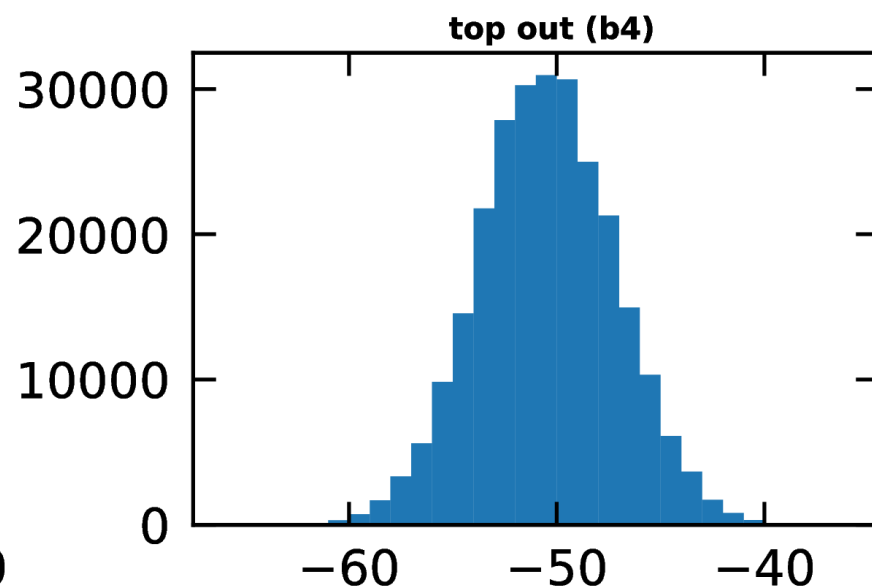
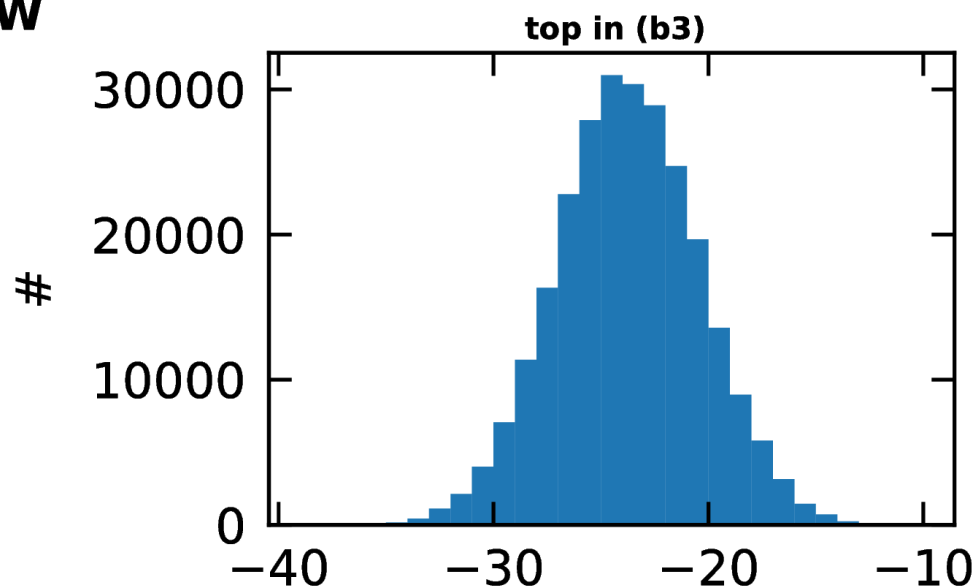
Observed:

x factor ~ 2 signal amplification

x factor ~ 1.7 noise amplification

Noise distribution: **BEFORE** capacitor removal

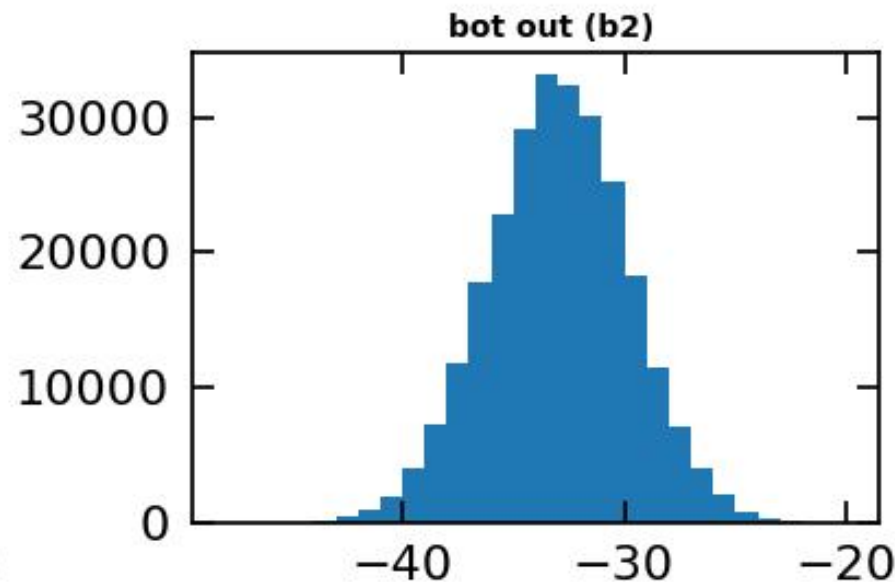
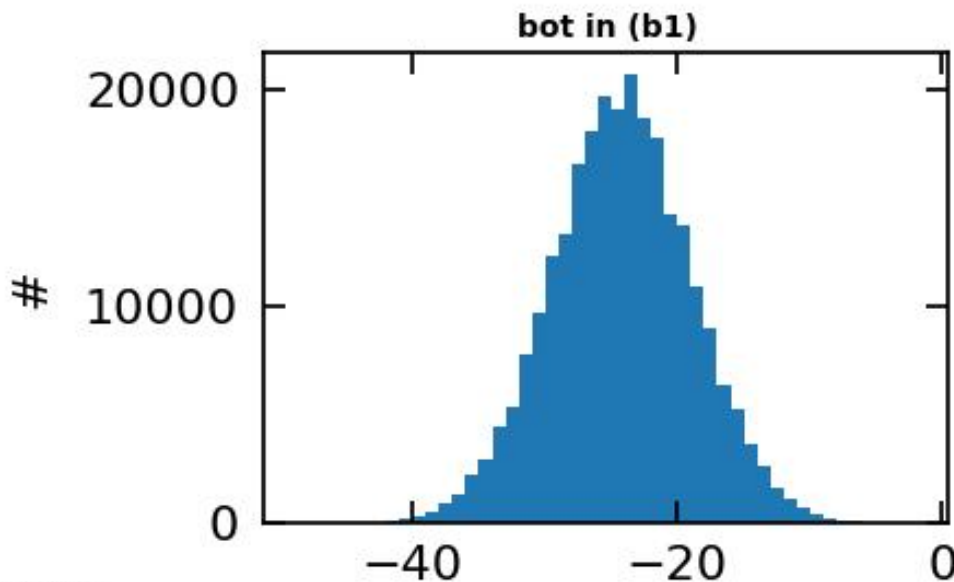
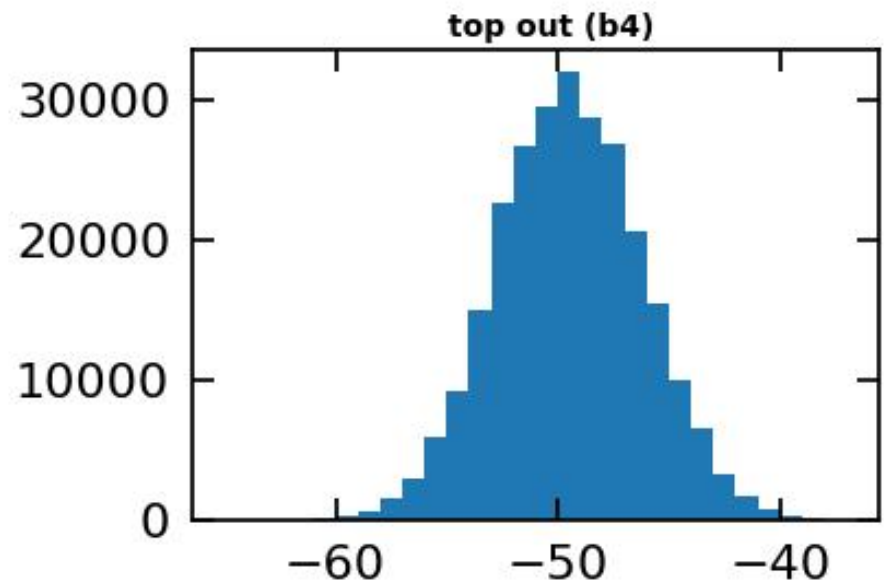
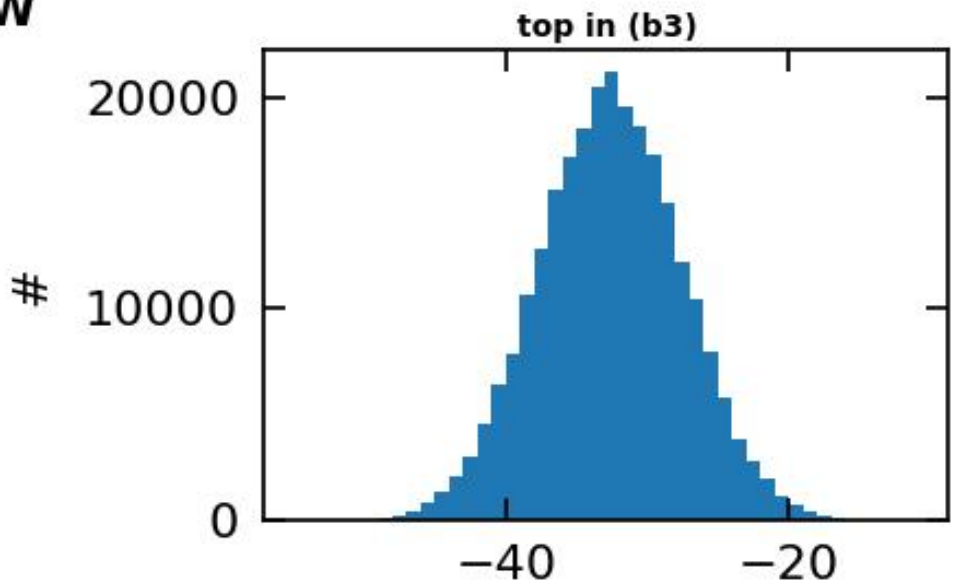
12W



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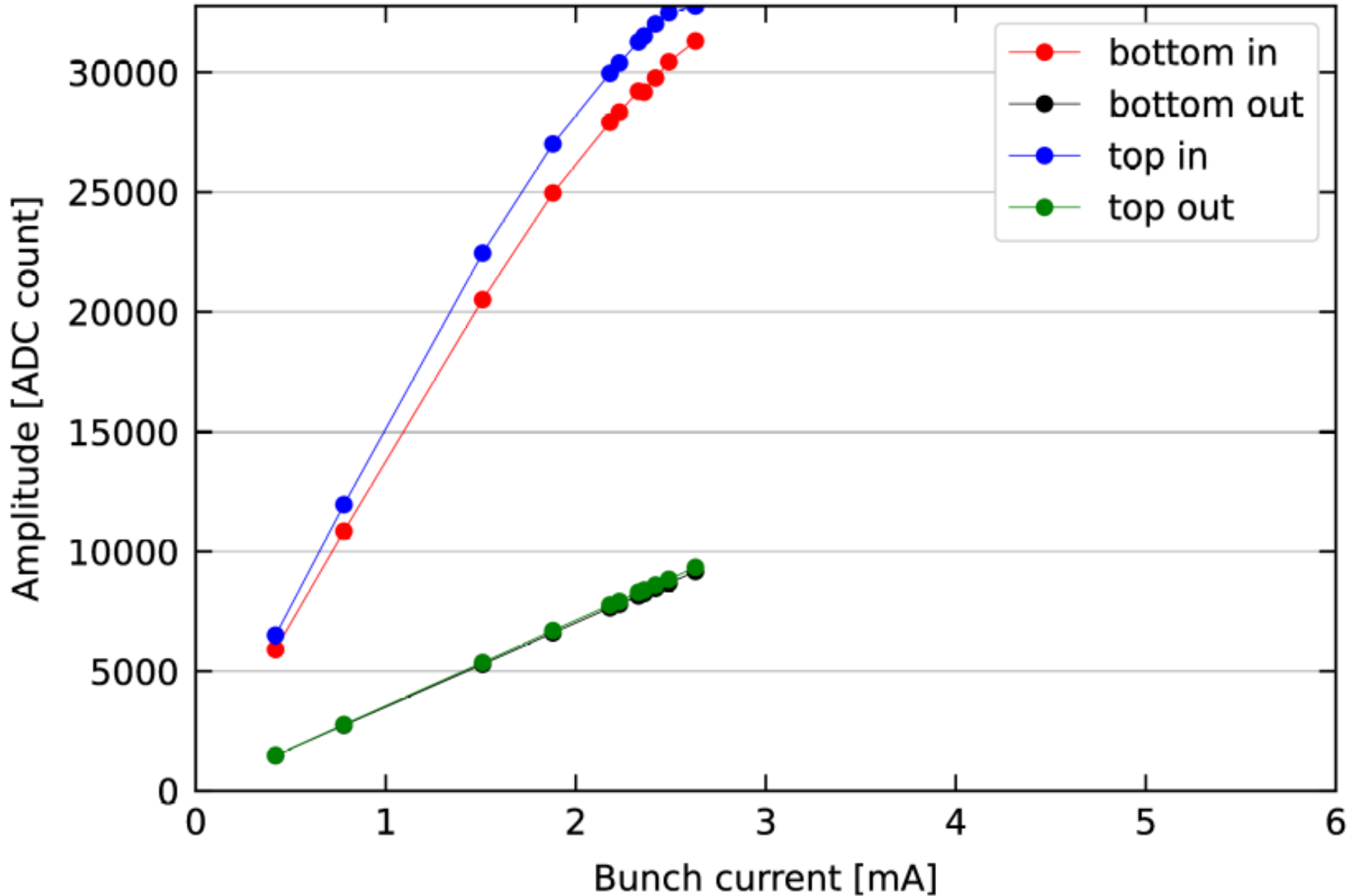
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After capacitor removal

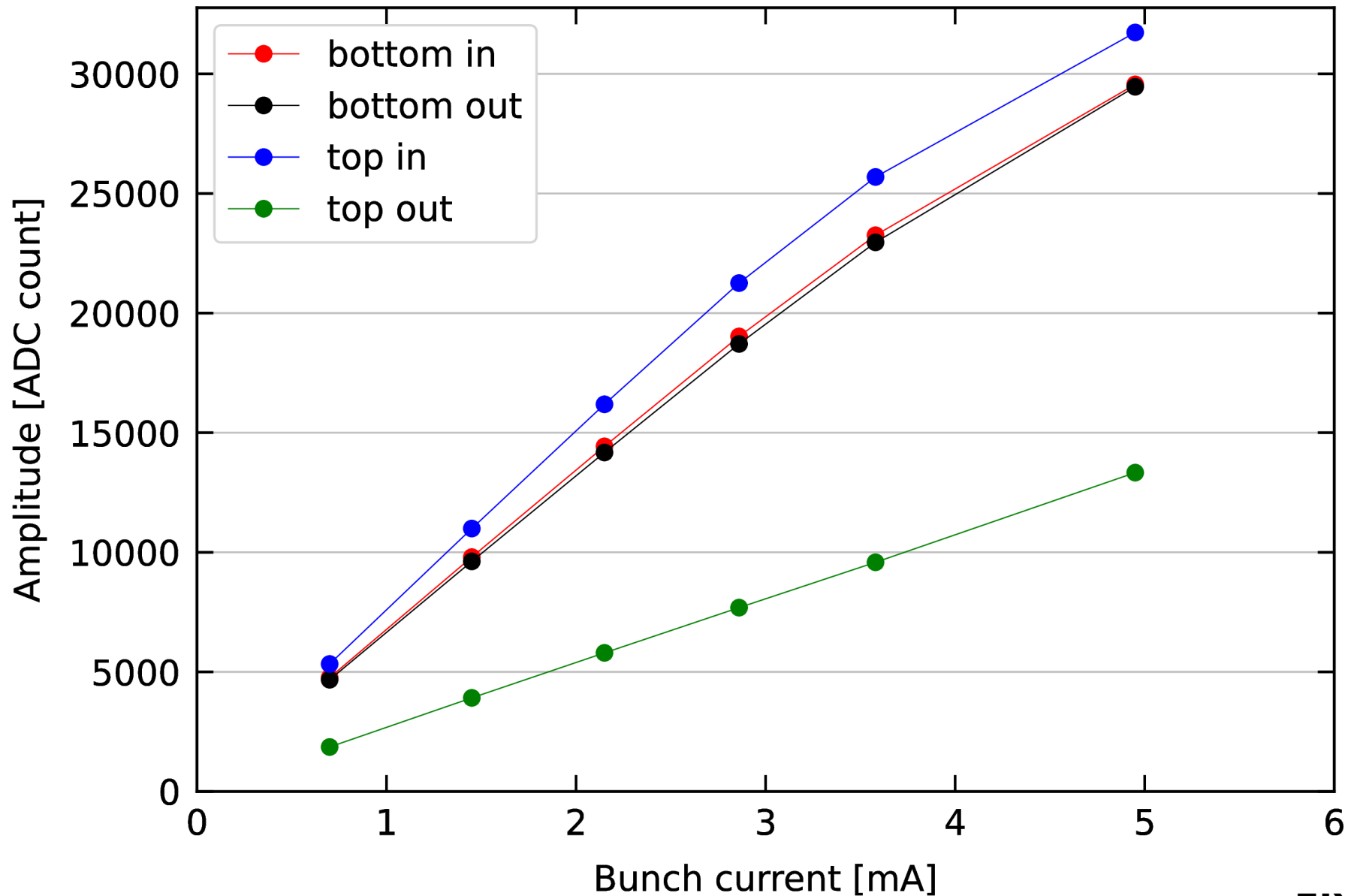
12W (ctactf133), peak-aligned at each current step - Tuesday **5/9**



FIXED GAIN

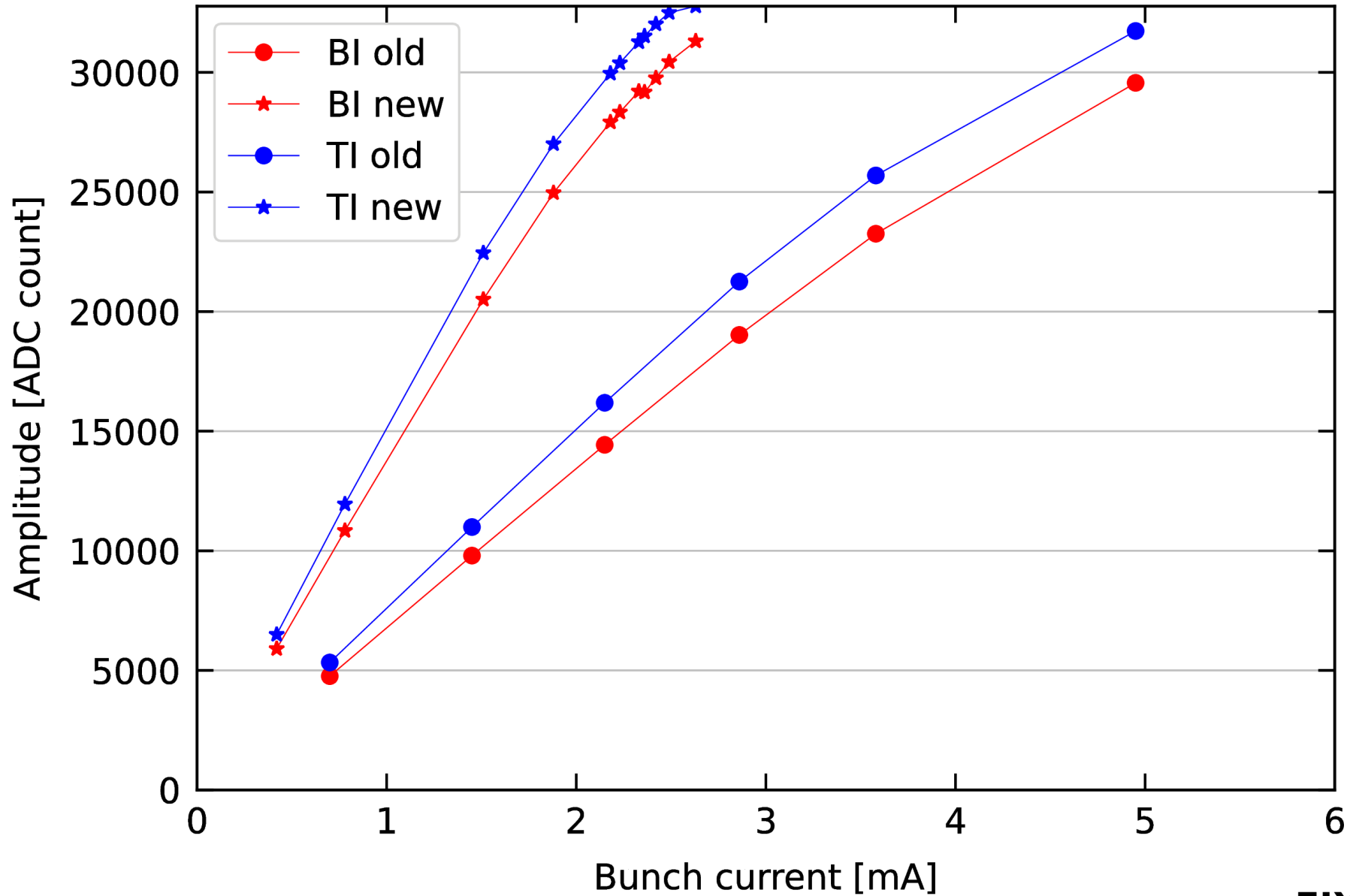
“Old” board with unity gain (only modification)

12W (ctactf133), peak-aligned at each current step - Tuesday **4/25**



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“Old” vs “New” board



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Where we are at now

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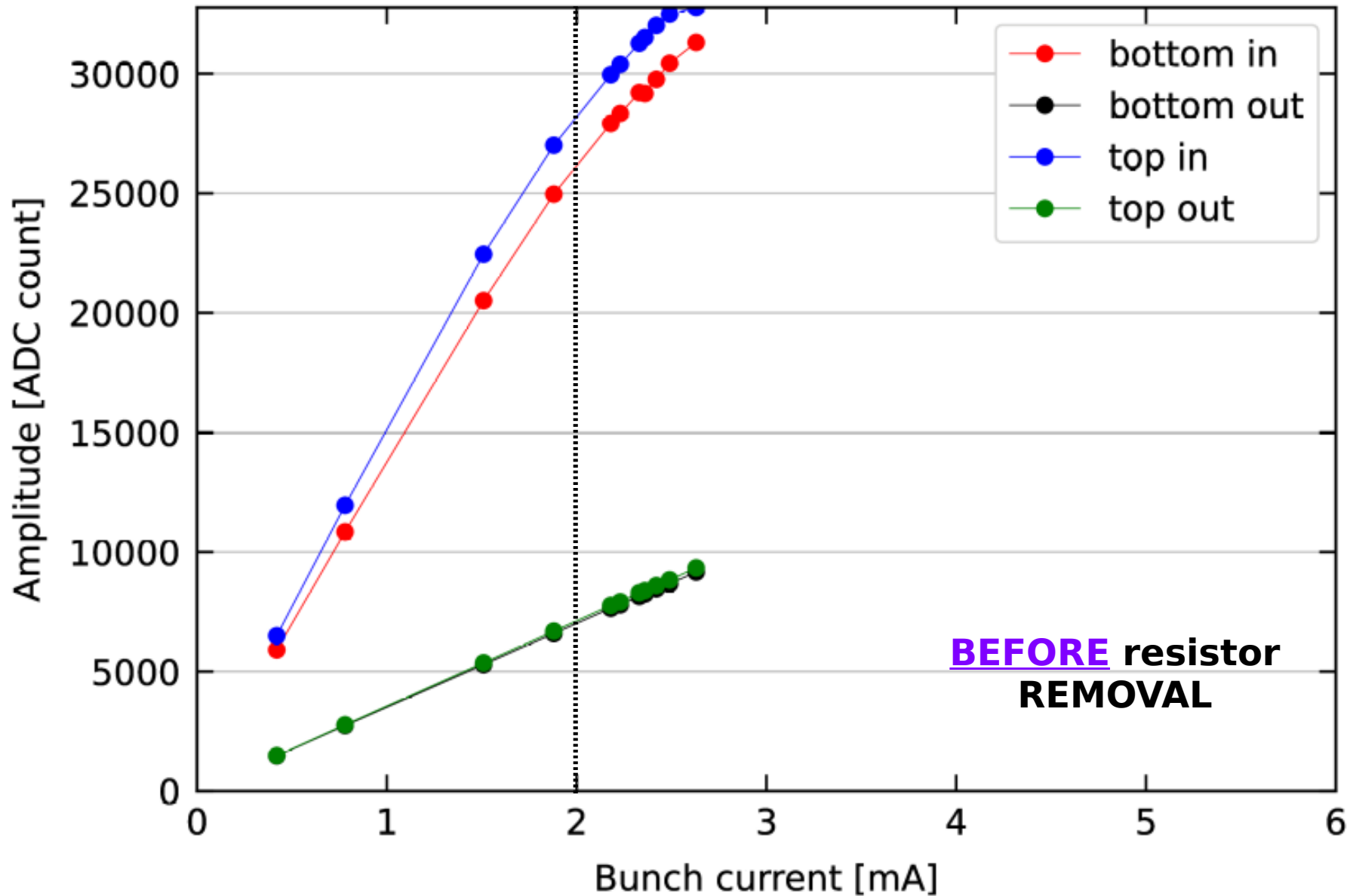
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Now: 33 ohms R134 resistor replaced by 0 ohm resistor

x beam characterization on Tuesday May 16: [instr elog 2119](#)

Amplitude vs bunch current

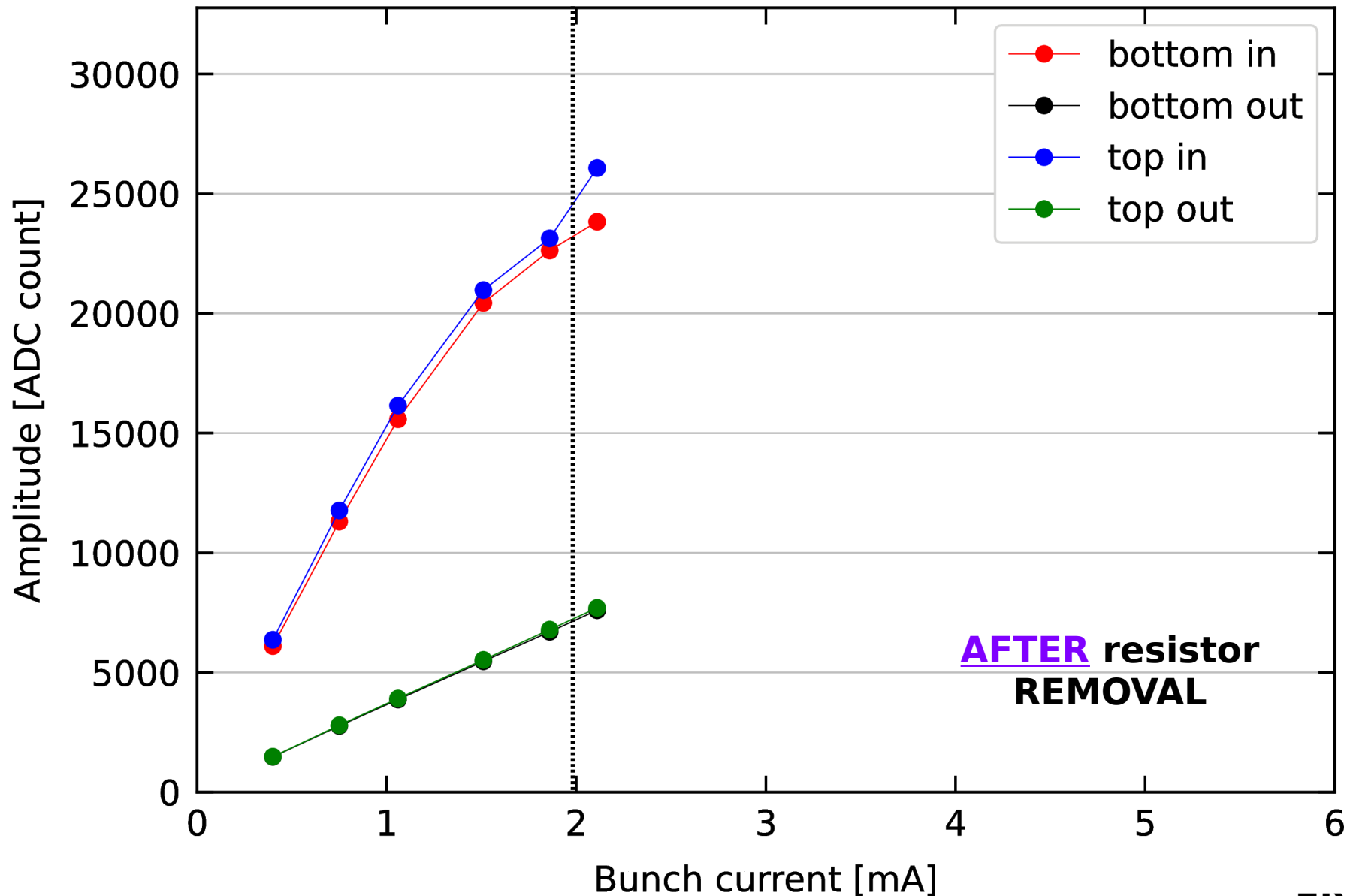
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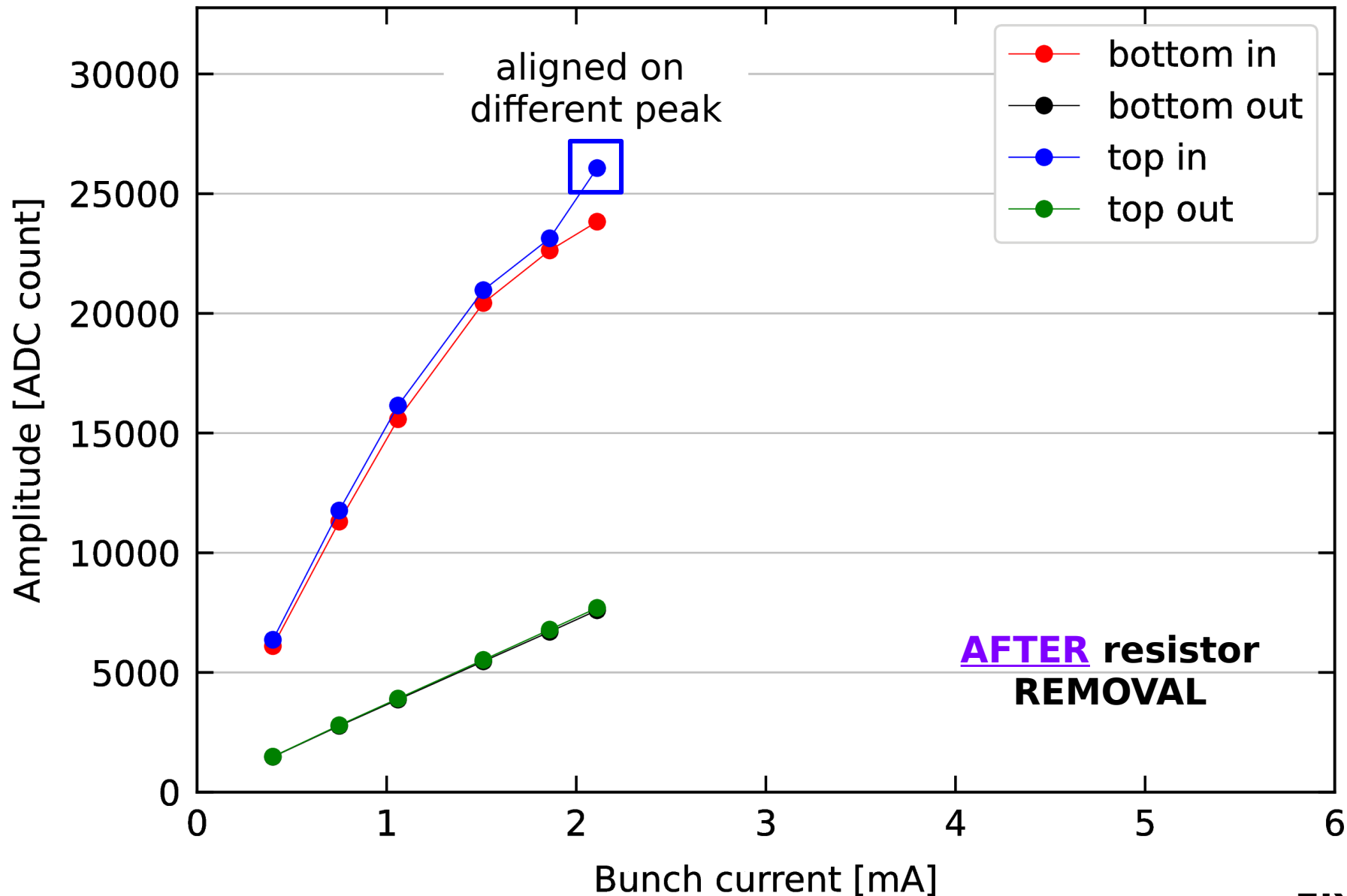
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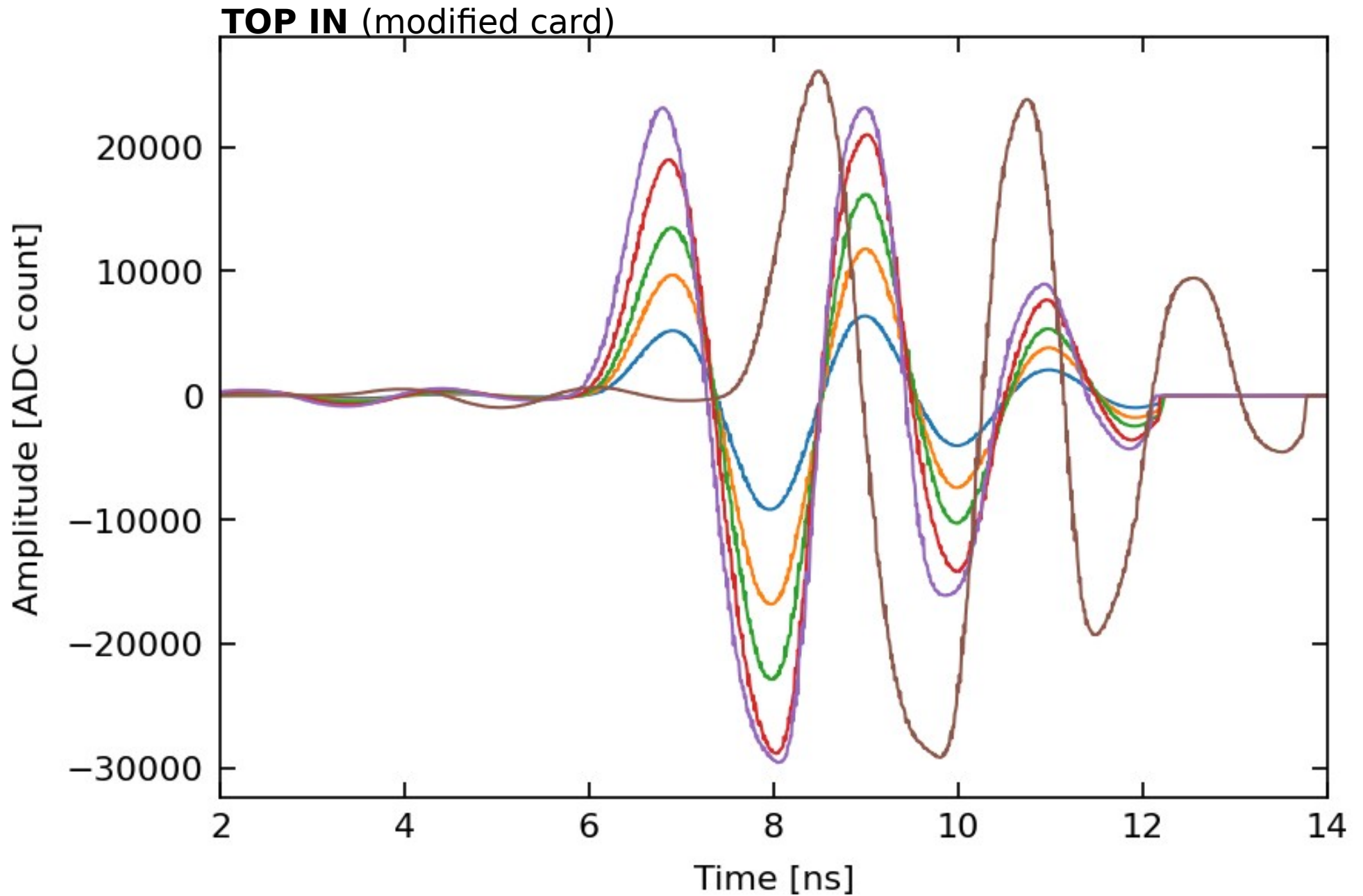
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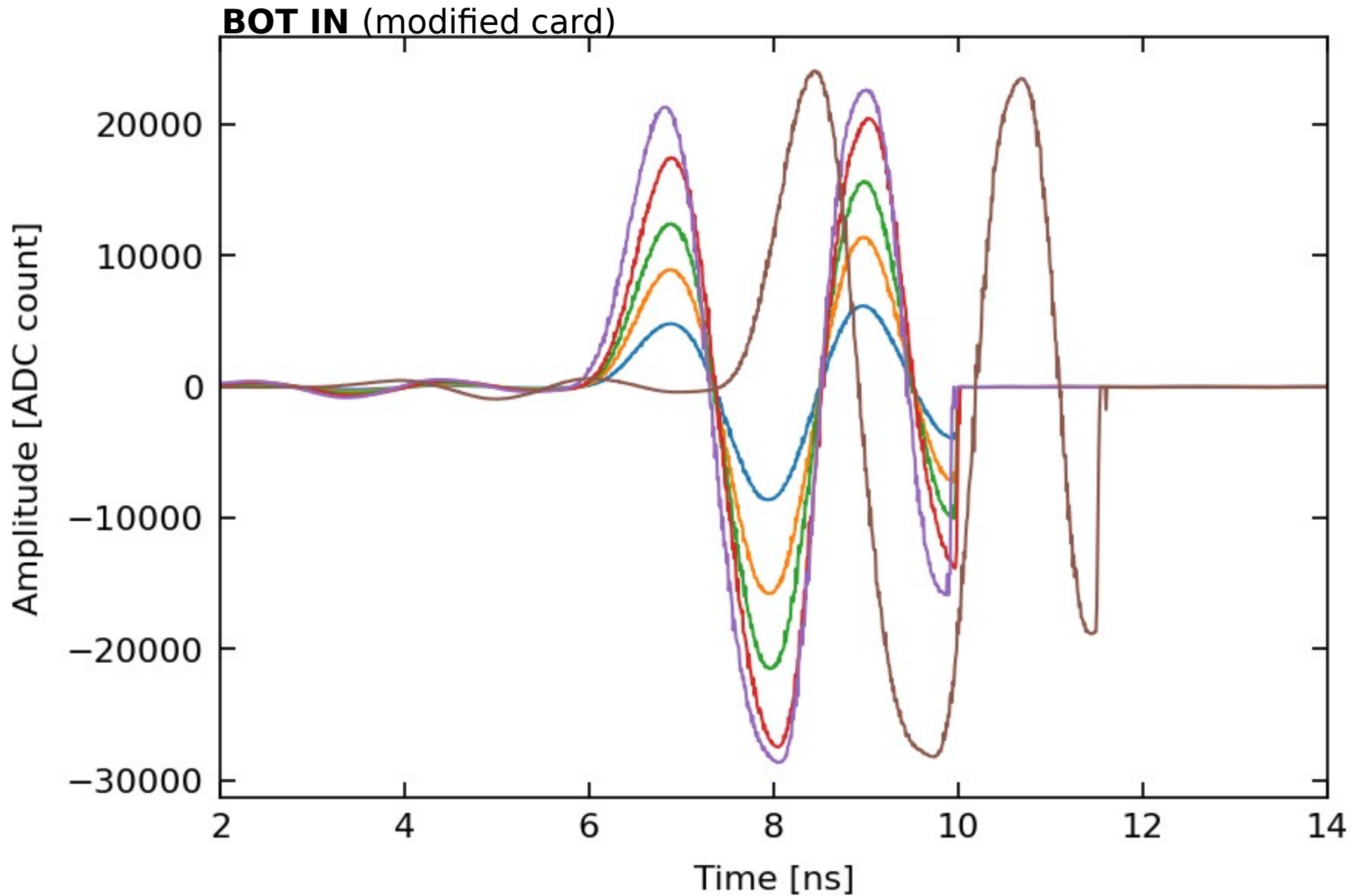


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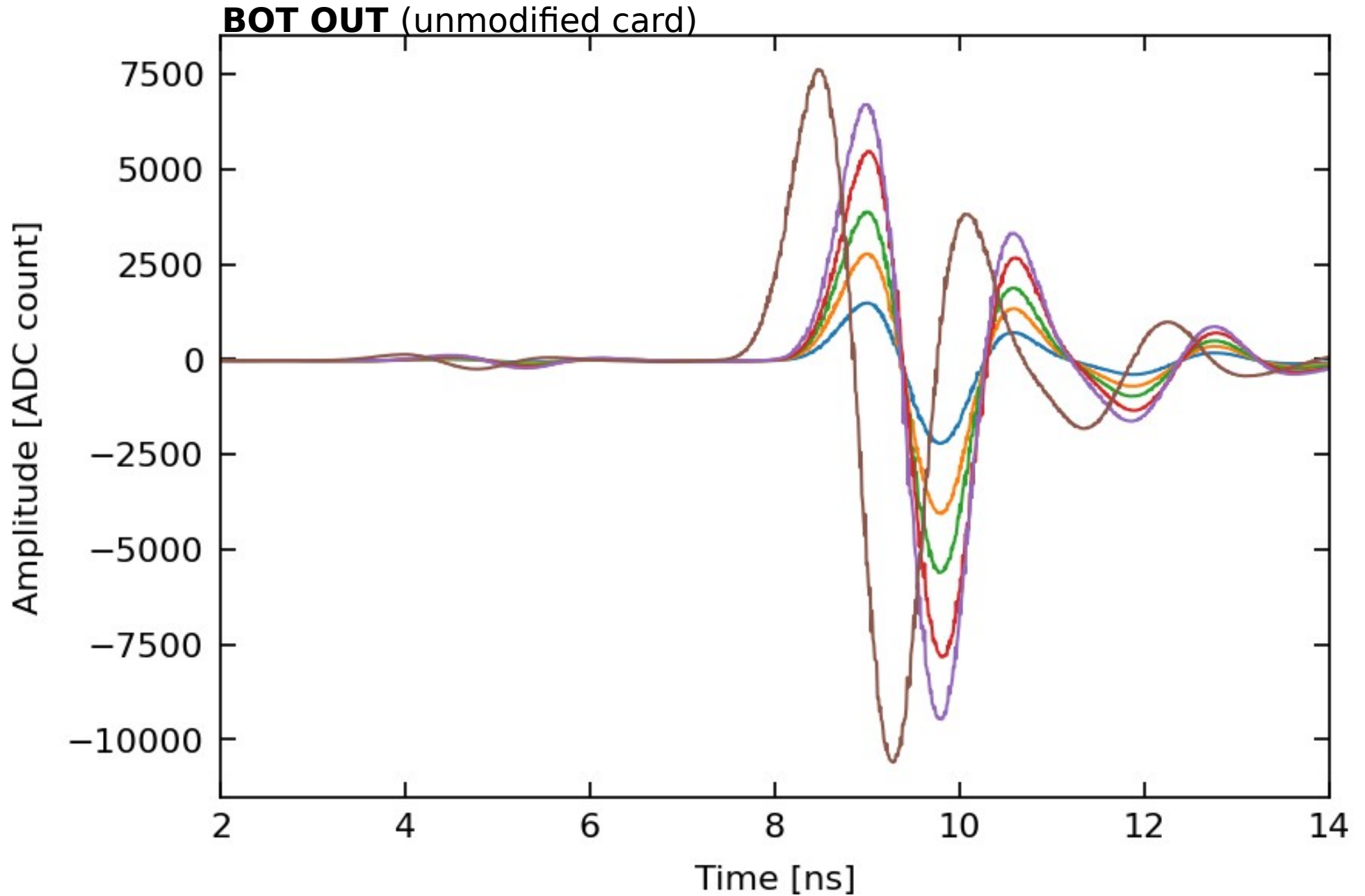
Waveform vs beam current



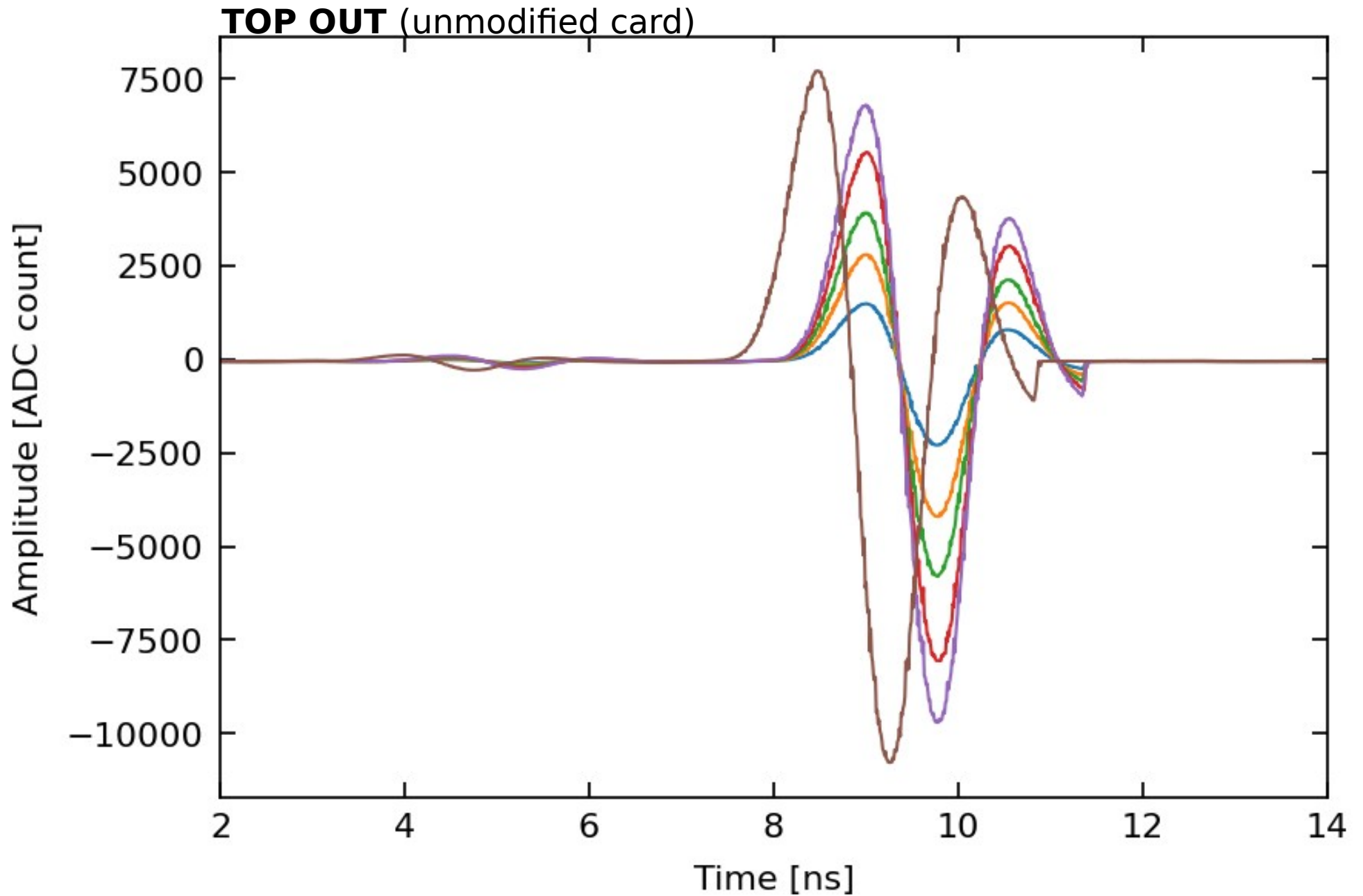
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After resistor removal:

- x less damping → more ringing
- x increased nonlinearities → less signal amplitude
- x second peak larger than first one below 2 mA
- x first peak becomes larger above 2 mA

Highest current of 2.11 mA saw a timing shift in the 4 cards

Additional materials