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## Outline

#### Brief Outline of Technique

#### Look at 'Superglue'

- Transmission properties
- Time evolution of Transmission
- Issues arising during curing
- Prototype tests
  - Planned tests prior to beam time.

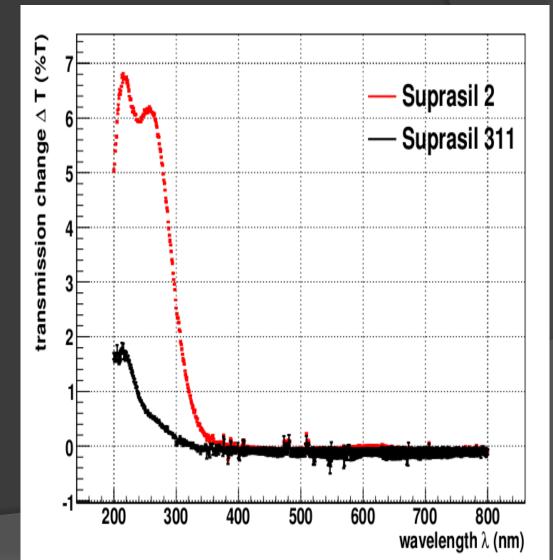
# Technique

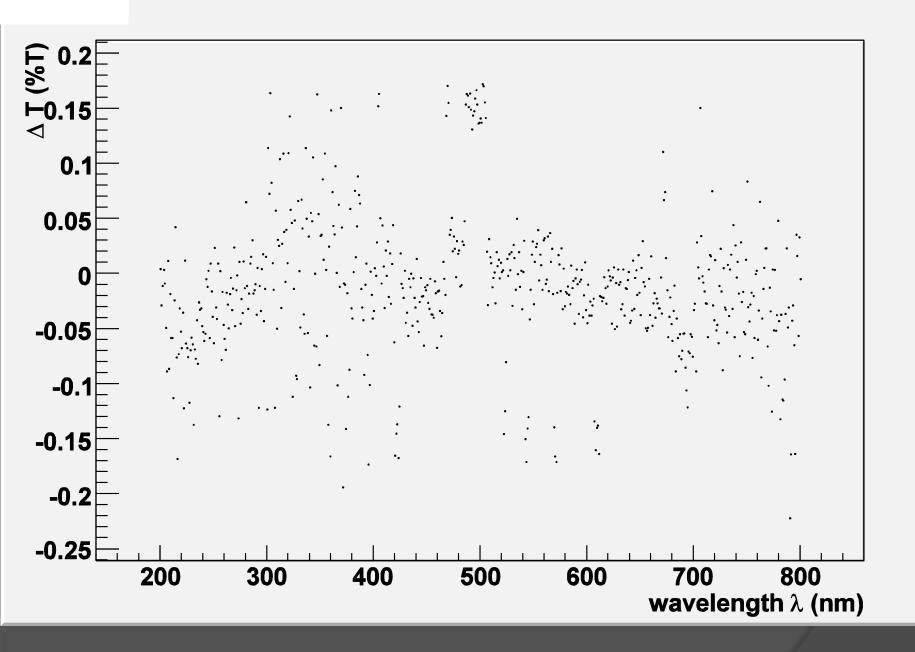
- Varian Cary-300 UV-Vis-NIR
   Spectrophotometer used
- Beam shone through sample and compared with reference beam
- Estimation of systematic errors allows for parameter optimisation

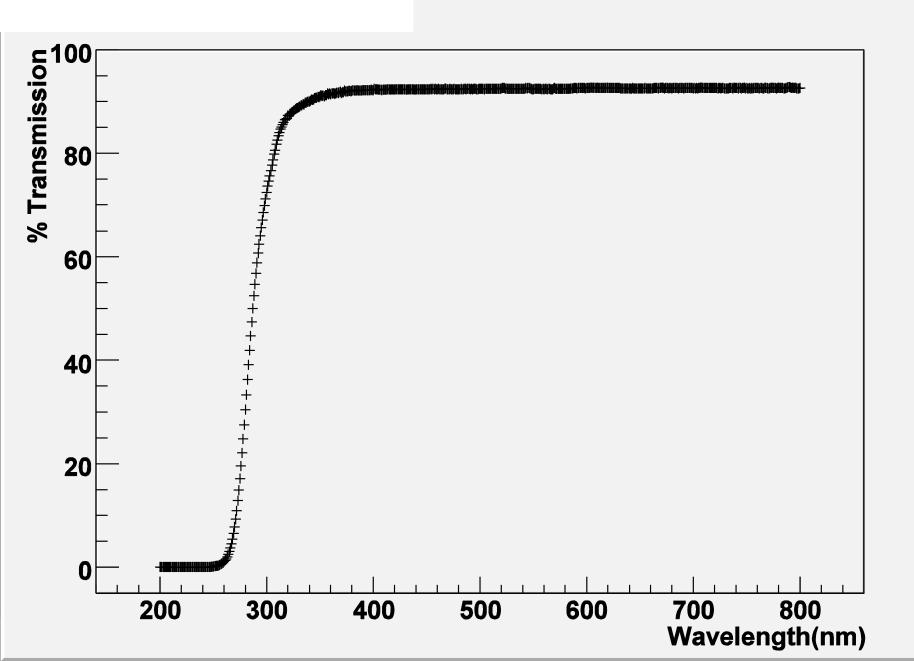


### Past results

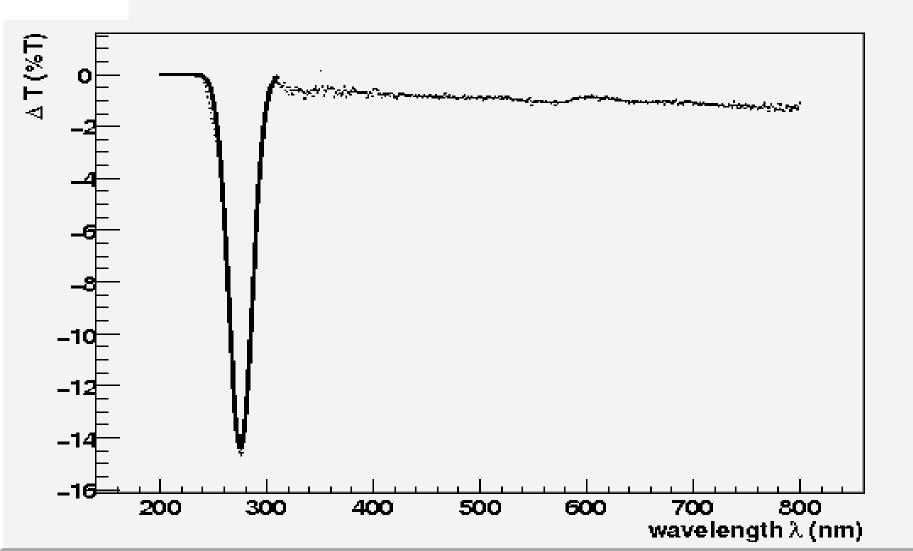
- 100krad dose on
   Suprasil 2 &
   Suprasil 311
- Transmission measured
- Direct comparison between the 2 and 311 shows different behaviour



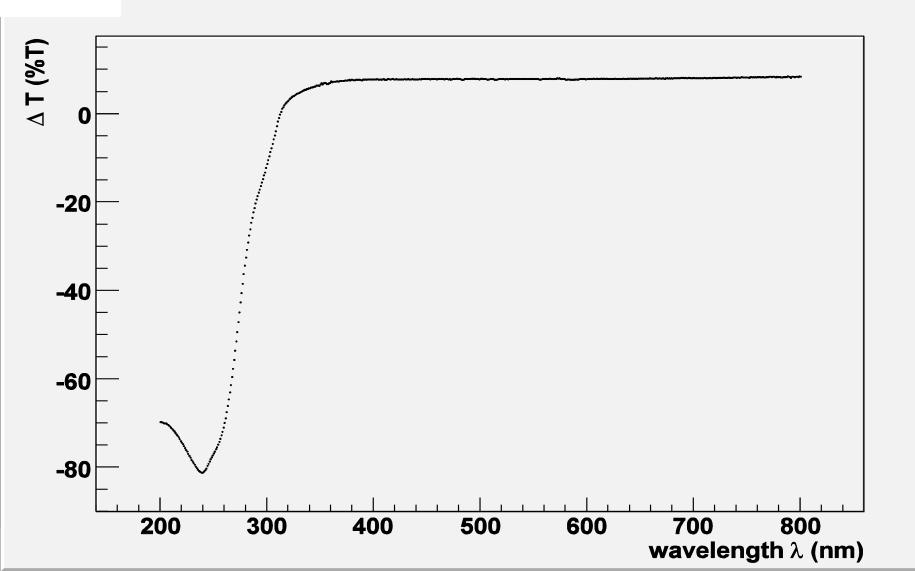




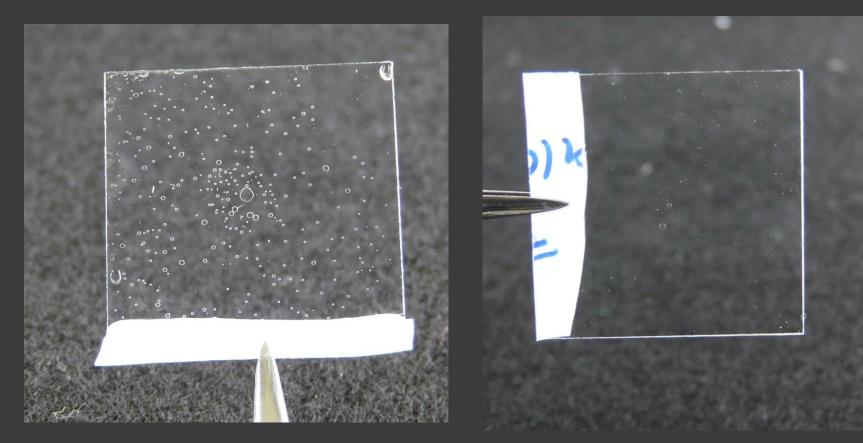
#### "Super" Glued Samples



#### "Not-So-Super" Glue?



#### Importance of Gluing Method

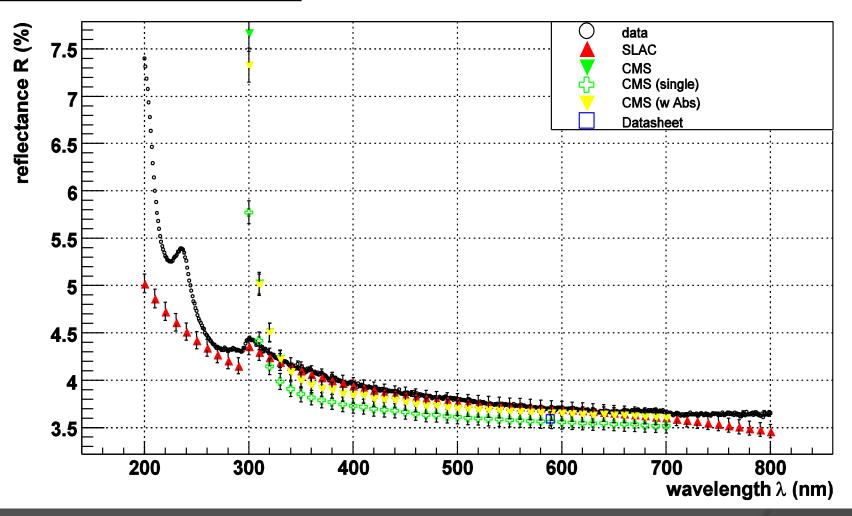


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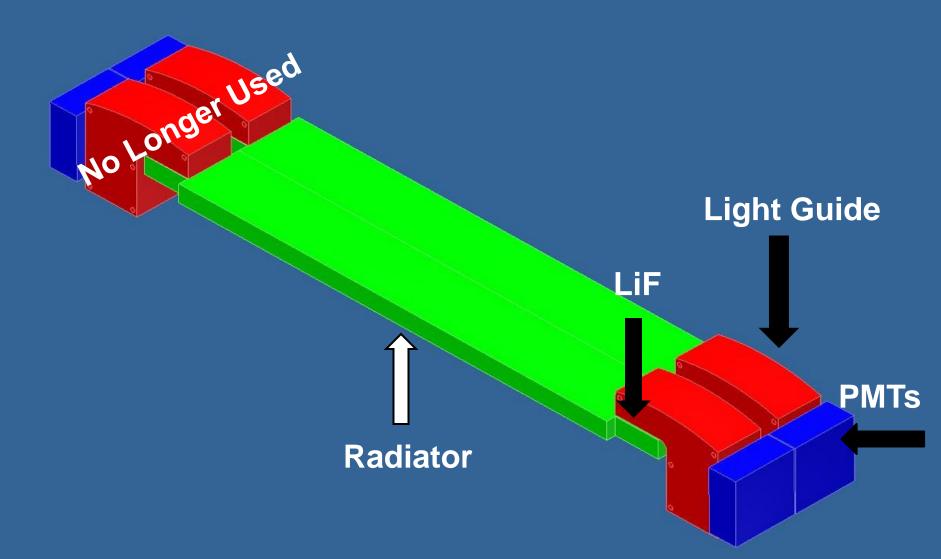


## Reflectivity of Epotek 301-2

#### Epotek 301-2 reflectance



#### Prototype Design



#### Future work

Light yield measurements

Prediction of chromatic correction

Assembly and testing using full prototype

- Photon transport
- "Real" data
- Pattern Recognition
- Unforeseen Challenges