# LAr R&D Progress Updates

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### Lab Safety and Space Management

### Safety Month in June

- A series of safety events hosted by the lab
- https://www.bnl.gov/newsroom/results.php?kw=safety\

#### Stock room closure

- Department admin decided to shutdown the stock room for Bldg 510
  - Due to financial reasons
  - No items will be provided
  - Receiving shipping items will be stored in cages, no personal monitoring

### Nal Detector Moving

- The smear test results showed it is clean
- Clear for shipping to JLab/UVA



#### Comparison Spectral Measurement

Now we have two spectrometers in hand:

Loaner from Thomas: QE65000

Our own: QEPro XR500

 Spectrum measurement conducted on all samples with both spectrometers in transmission mode only

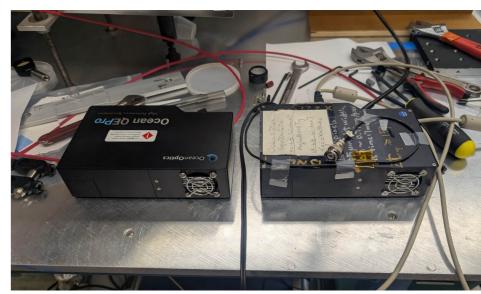
Measurement in two batch

First: Fermilab sample and #42, #50 from SBU

Second: Yimin's sample: Quartz, Sapphire, B33

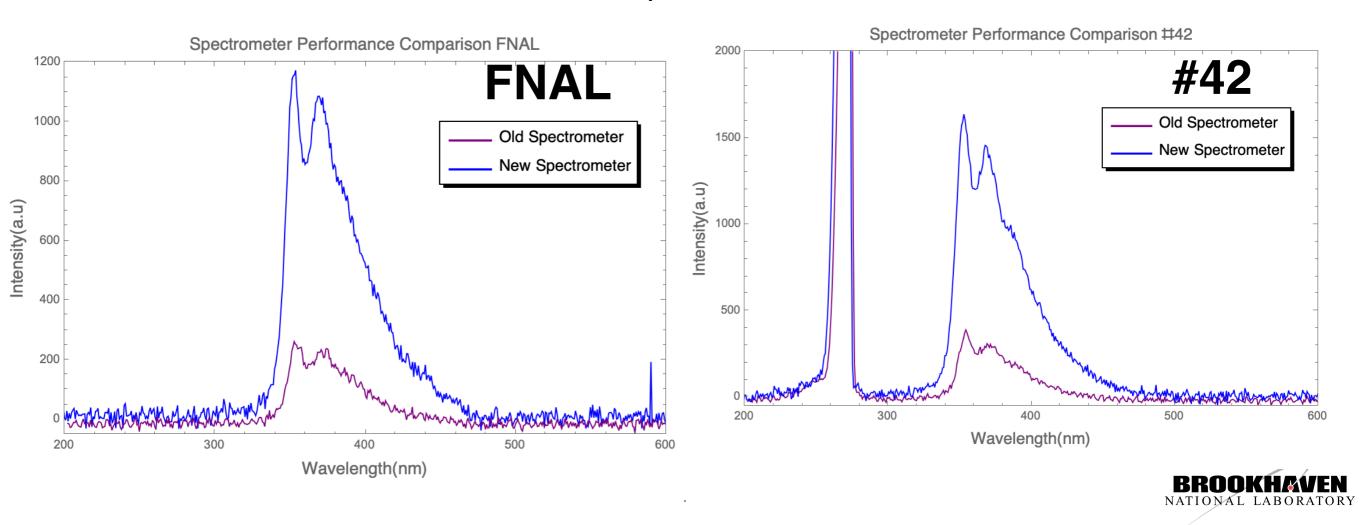
Sample Name	Note
Quartz	from LaserFiberOptics
Sapphire	from LaserFiberOptics
B33	from LaserFiberOptics
Fnal	from Fermilab, used in VD
#42	From SBU
#50	From SBU





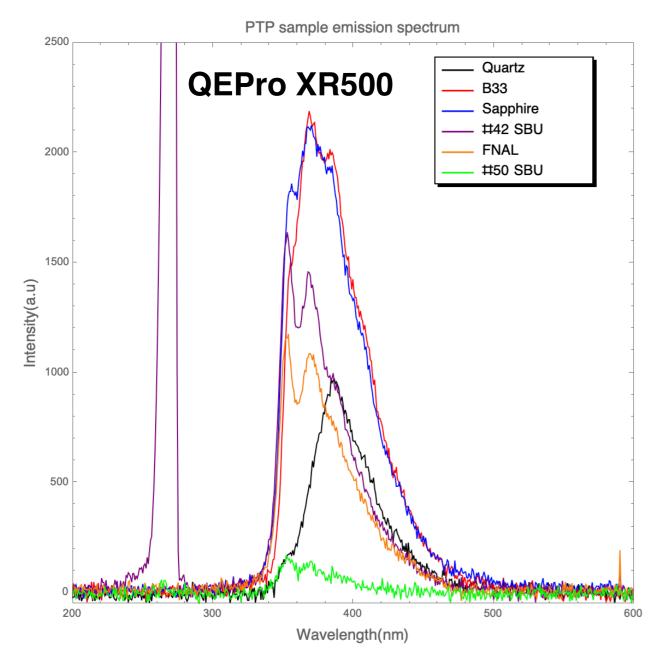


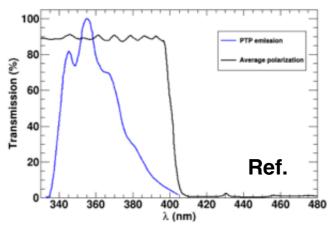
- Spectrometer comparison measurement
  - Emission spectral taken with 266nm excitation
  - The optical setup is fixed at the sample and light collection side
  - Only change at the spectrometer side by re-plugging the fiber
  - Higher signal amplitude and better resolution
    - Better observation on the fine peak structure

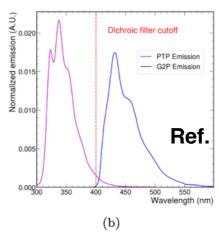


### Results for all samples

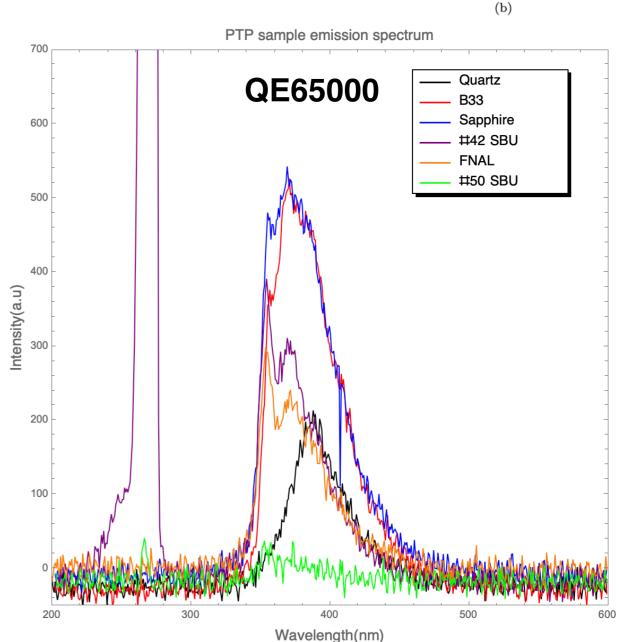
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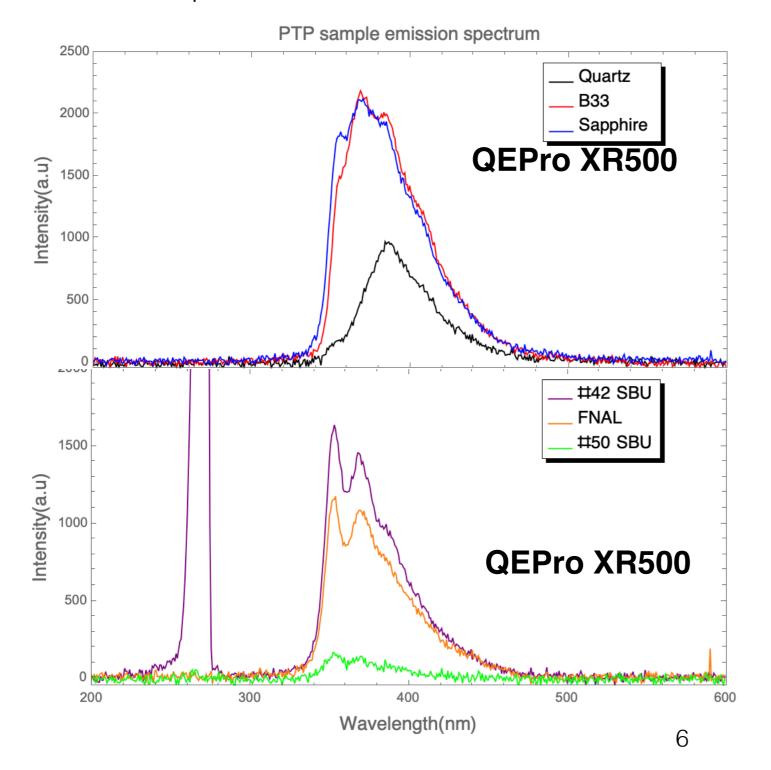


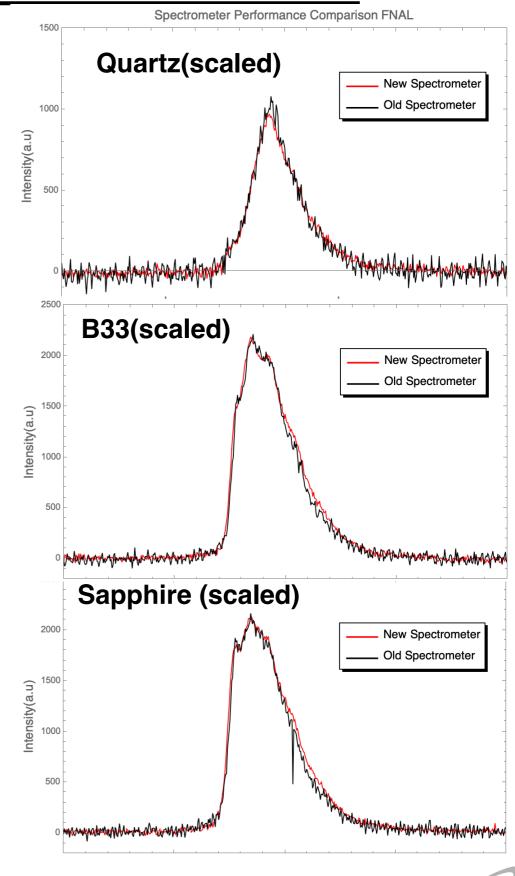
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#### Results for all samples

- · Each of our sample has slightly different structure
- The shapes between spectrometers agree with each other
- New spectrometer has better resolution

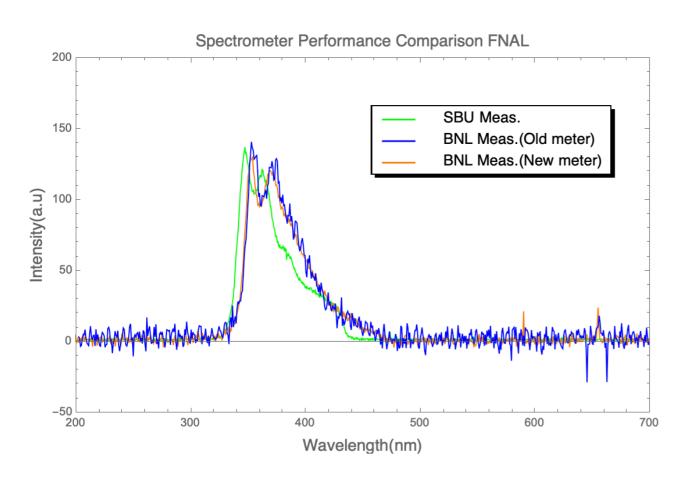


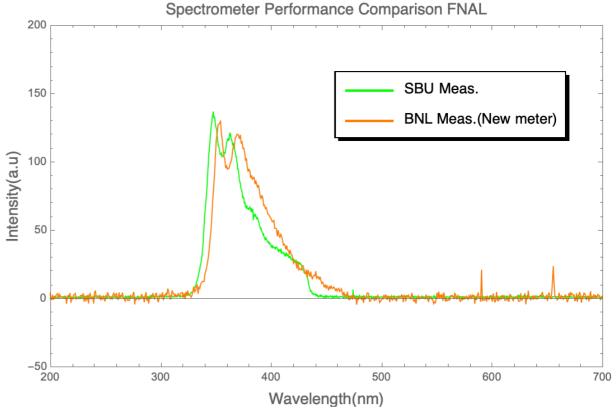




### Comparison to SBU measurement

- Spectrum measurement comparison on the same sample from Fermilab
- Measurement conducted with both old and new spectrometer
- Slight different from SBU measurement







## Data Collection

#### Coating sample progress

- All data has been put on my OneDrive: Spectrometer\_Data
- The data filename is self-explained
- [number]\_
  - Wavelength from monochromator
- Spectro\_
  - Spectro1: USB4F06248 spectrometer, from Thomas
  - Spectro2: SR600698 new spectrometer, from Sean
  - Spectro3: High sensitivity QE65000, from Thomas
  - Spectro4: High sensitivity QEPro XR500, our own
- Coll\_
  - Collimator size, we have a 1/8 and 1/4" one, mainly use 1/8 UV collimator now
- · [sample]\_
  - · Sample specification
- · -[number]s\_
  - Total integration time in seconds
- · \_r[number]\_.....
  - · Round ID and index



## Plan for measuring new samples

- I will be on vacation 6/29-7/16
- Jay and Vyara will conduct measurement with new samples from Yimin expected by the end of June
- SOP draft in progress
- We are going to meet tomorrow to go through the measurement
- Will conduct repeat measurement on the diamond samples

