

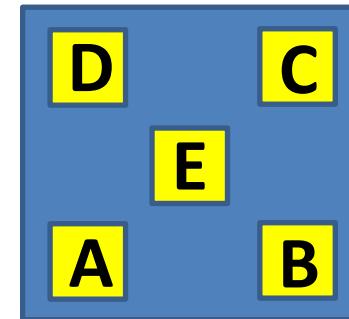
Transmittance of optical elements irradiated/not-irradiated at LNF

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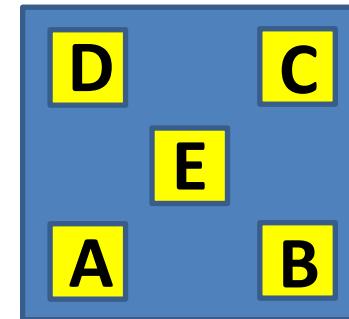
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H8500 glass windows

L14U2 (irradiated)	
T(A)	92.19 ± 0.03
T(B)	92.06 ± 0.01
T(C)	92.29 ± 0.01
T(D)	91.98 ± 0.03
T(E)	92.14 ± 0.01
spread	0.3%
Mean	92.13 ± 0.12

L14U (not irradiated)	
T(A)	92.31 ± 0.01
T(B)	92.44 ± 0.00
T(C)	92.48 ± 0.01
T(D)	92.36 ± 0.01
T(E)	92.36 ± 0.01
spread	0.2%
Mean	92.39 ± 0.07

L141 (irradiated)	
T(A)	88.59 ± 0.01
T(B)	89.82 ± 0.01
T(C)	89.70 ± 0.00
T(D)	88.91 ± 0.01
T(E)	89.53 ± 0.01
spread	1.4%
Mean	89.31 ± 0.53

L14 (not irradiated)	
T(A)	91.98 ± 0.01
T(B)	92.17 ± 0.01
T(C)	92.18 ± 0.01
T(D)	92.04 ± 0.03
T(E)	92.07 ± 0.01
spread	0.2%
Mean	92.09 ± 0.09

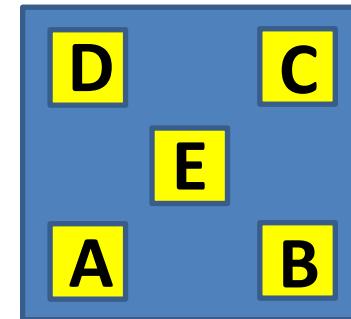
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Lucite foils

Short tape (irradiated)		Long tape (not irradiated)	
T(A)	89.04 ± 0.01	T(A)	90.82 ± 0.01
T(B)	89.87 ± 0.01	T(B)	90.37 ± 0.01
T(C)	89.88 ± 0.01	T(C)	90.52 ± 0.01
T(D)	88.82 ± 0.01	T(D)	90.84 ± 0.01
T(E)	89.25 ± 0.01	T(E)	90.69 ± 0.01
spread	1.2%	spread	0.5%
Mean	89.37 ± 0.48	Mean	90.65 ± 0.20

$\sim 2.5\sigma$ effect

Global results and conclusions

Name	Irrad.	spread	Average	Old meas
L14U2	Yes	0.3%	92.13 ± 0.12	91.83 ± 0.05
L14U	No	0.2%	92.39 ± 0.07	92.53 ± 0.12
L141	Yes	1.4%	89.31 ± 0.53	89.37 ± 0.12
L14	No	0.2%	92.09 ± 0.09	91.87 ± 0.05
Lucite S.	Yes	1.2%	89.37 ± 0.48	85.87 ± 0.90
Lucite L.	No	0.5%	90.65 ± 0.20	89.73 ± 0.12

Conclusions:

- Effects of irradiation on optical quality are in general small (but significant in 2 cases)
- Local variations are small (largest spread ($\sim 1\%$) observed for L141 and Lucite S, both irradiated)
- Glass windows L14U2 and L14U have similar average transmittance (no effect)
- Glass windows L141 and L14 have different average transmittance (effect of radiation?)
- Lucite samples have more or less the same average transmittance (tiny effect)
- New measurement for Lucite S. (irradiated) differs substantially from previous one (Oct. 11):
 - transmission recovered after ~ 1 month?
 - previous measurement was wrong.

Backup

Name	Irrad.	T(A) [%]	T(B) [%]	T(C) [%]	T(D) [%]	T(E) [%]	Average	Old meas
L14U2	Yes	92.19 \pm 0.03	92.06 \pm 0.01	92.29 \pm 0.01	92.19 \pm 0.03	91.98 \pm 0.03	92.13 \pm 0.12	91.83 \pm 0.05
L14U	No	92.31 \pm 0.01	92.44 \pm 0.00	92.48 \pm 0.01	92.36 \pm 0.01	92.36 \pm 0.01	92.39 \pm 0.07	92.53 \pm 0.12
L141	Yes	88.59 \pm 0.01	89.82 \pm 0.01	89.70 \pm 0.00	88.91 \pm 0.01	89.53 \pm 0.01	89.31 \pm 0.53	89.37 \pm 0.12
L14	No	91.98 \pm 0.01	92.17 \pm 0.01	92.18 \pm 0.01	92.04 \pm 0.03	92.07 \pm 0.01	92.09 \pm 0.09	91.87 \pm 0.05
Lucite S.	Yes	89.04 \pm 0.01	89.87 \pm 0.01	89.88 \pm 0.01	88.82 \pm 0.01	89.25 \pm 0.01	89.37 \pm 0.48	85.87 \pm 0.90
Lucite L.	No	90.82 \pm 0.01	90.37 \pm 0.01	90.52 \pm 0.01	90.84 \pm 0.01	90.69 \pm 0.01	90.65 \pm 0.20	89.73 \pm 0.12

Previous measurements: Oct. 11 2013

Sample	T measurements (@ 400 nm)	Average
L14U2	91.8 – 91.9 – 91.8	91.83 \pm 0.05
L14U	92.4 – 92.5 – 92.7	92.53 \pm 0.12
L14	91.9 – 91.9 – 91.8	91.87 \pm 0.05
L141	89.5 – 89.2 – 89.4	89.37 \pm 0.12
Lucite short tape	85.0 – 85.5 – 87.1	85.87 \pm 0.90
Lucite long tape	89.6 – 89.9 – 89.7	89.73 \pm 0.12