

Cavity BCM Digital Receivers Bench Test

Devi L. Adhikari – November 8, 2023

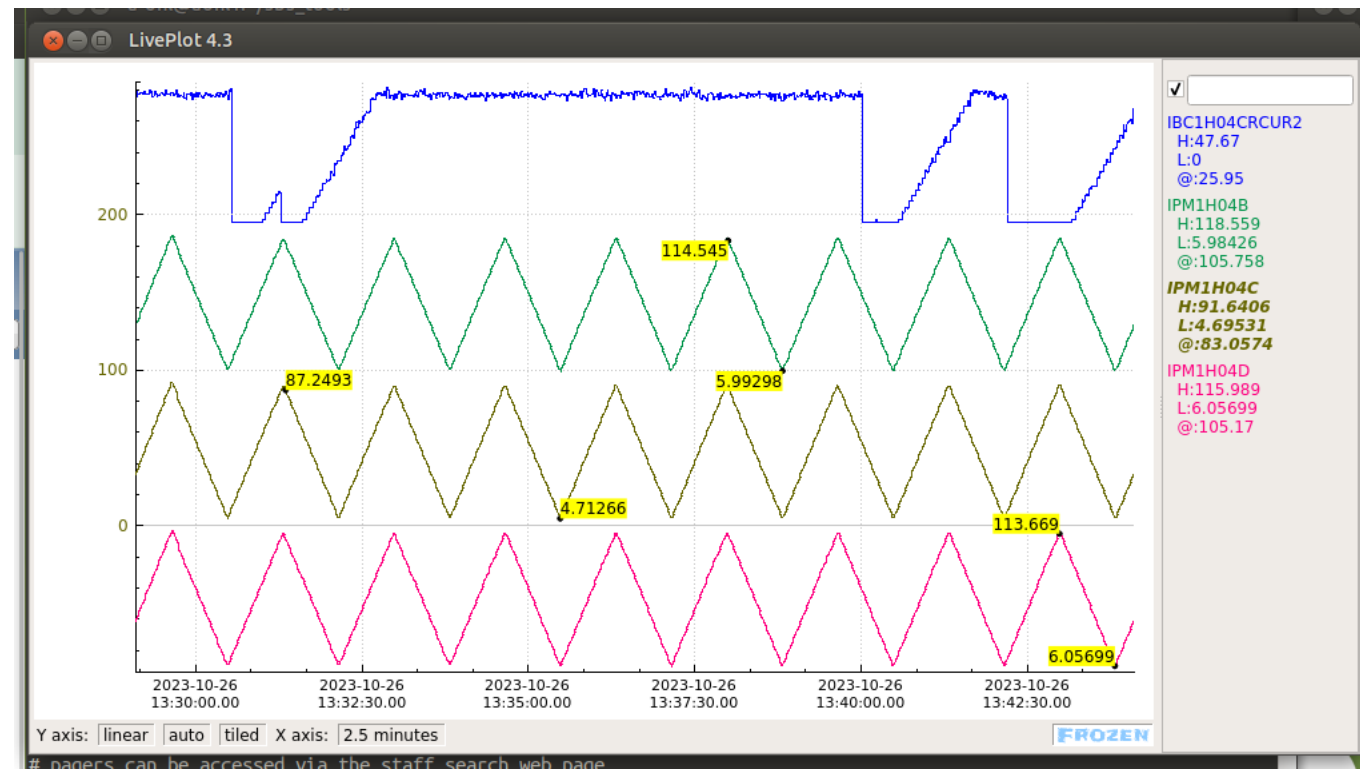
Virginia Tech

Blacksburg, Virginia, USA



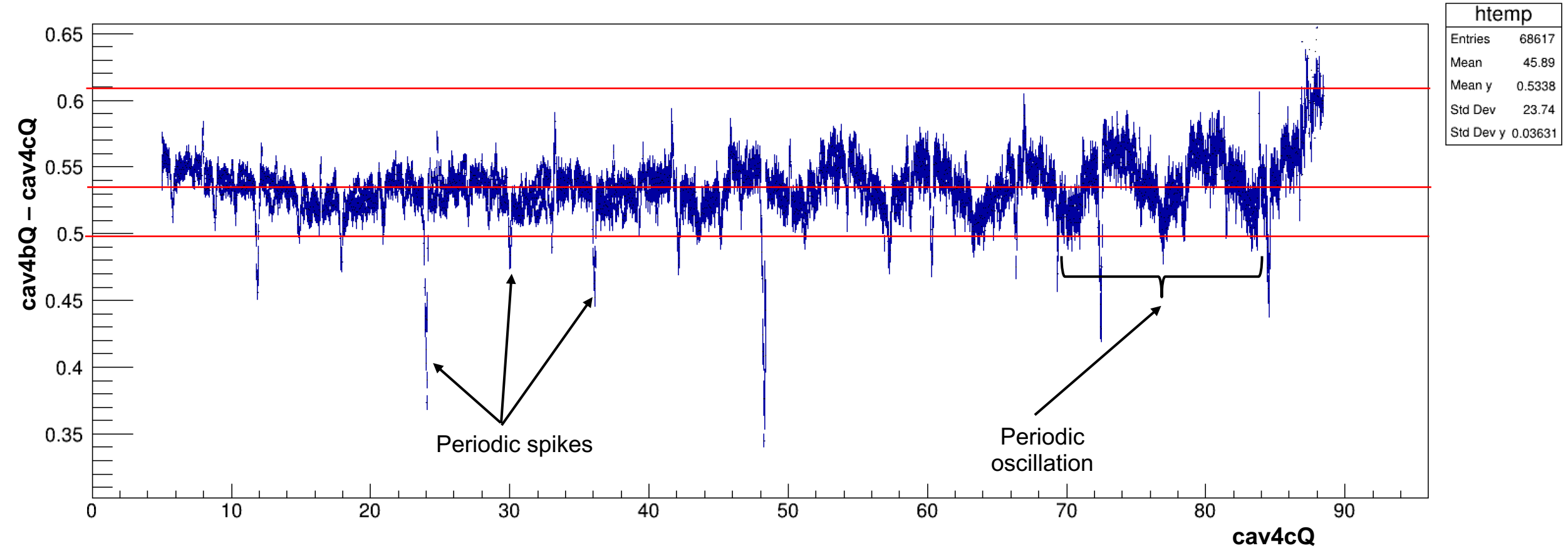
How was the bench test performed?

- Bench test was performed on the three digital BCM receivers
- RF source was connected to the three digital receivers with the following settings
 - Frequency: 1497 MHz
 - RF Level: -20 dB
 - AM1 Depth: 91 % ON
 - Modulation wave: Sawtooth with 0.01 Hz frequency
- This generates triangular wave patterns with equivalent current range nearly 5 μ A to 100 μ A
- Took a couple of parity run with this settings and the analysis is presented in the following slides
- In the following slides, the three digital receivers are labeled as cav4bQ, cav4cQ, and cav4dQ



Double difference profile plot between cav4bQ and cav4cQ

cav4bQ/1.265-cav4cQ/0.9:cav4cQ {CodaEventNumber>36.28e3&&cav4cQ>5}

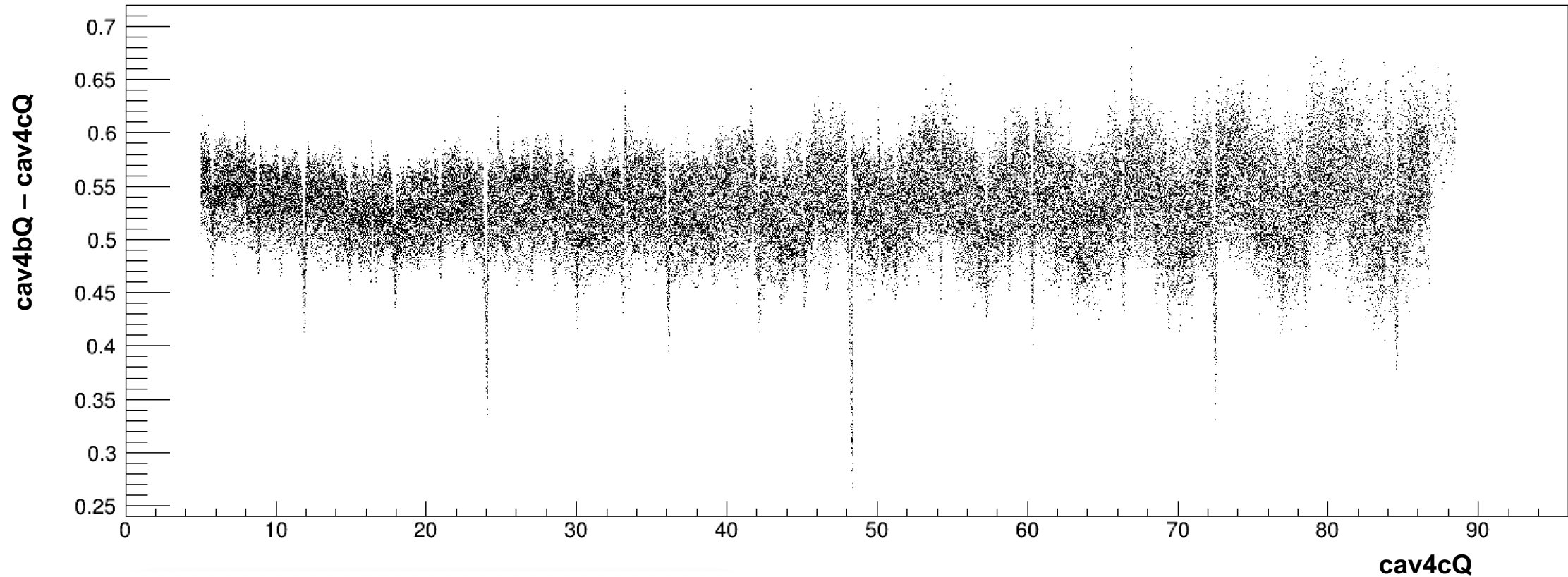


Two important features are observed:

1. Periodic spikes
2. Periodic oscillation, whose amplitude increases as a function of current
3. $\sim 0.1\%$ differential nonlinearity

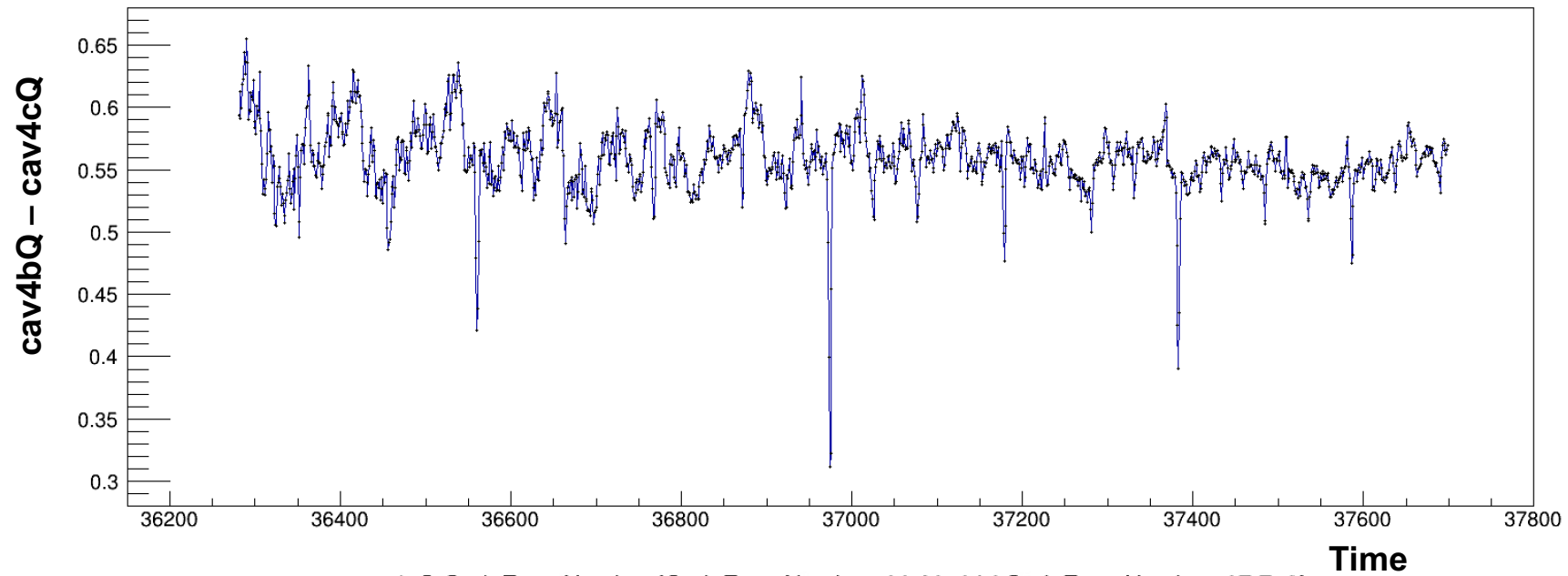
Double difference profile plot between cav4bQ and cav4cQ

cav4bQ/1.265-cav4cQ/0.9:cav4cQ {CodaEventNumber>36.28e3&&cav4cQ>5}

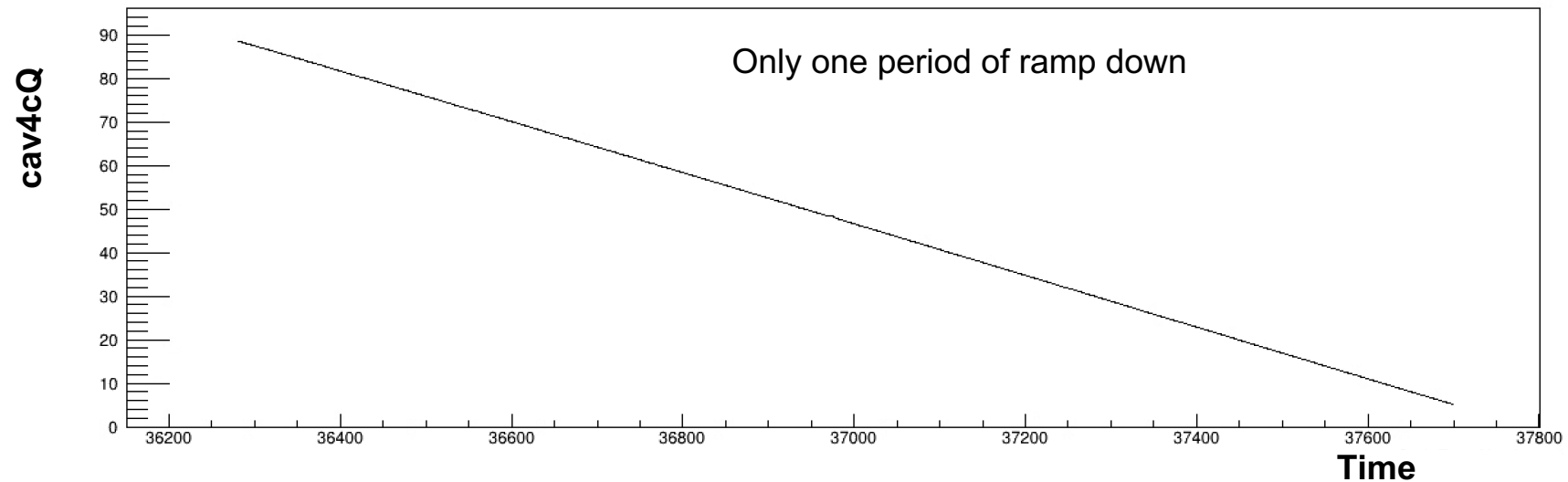


Double difference between cav4bQ and cav4cQ over time

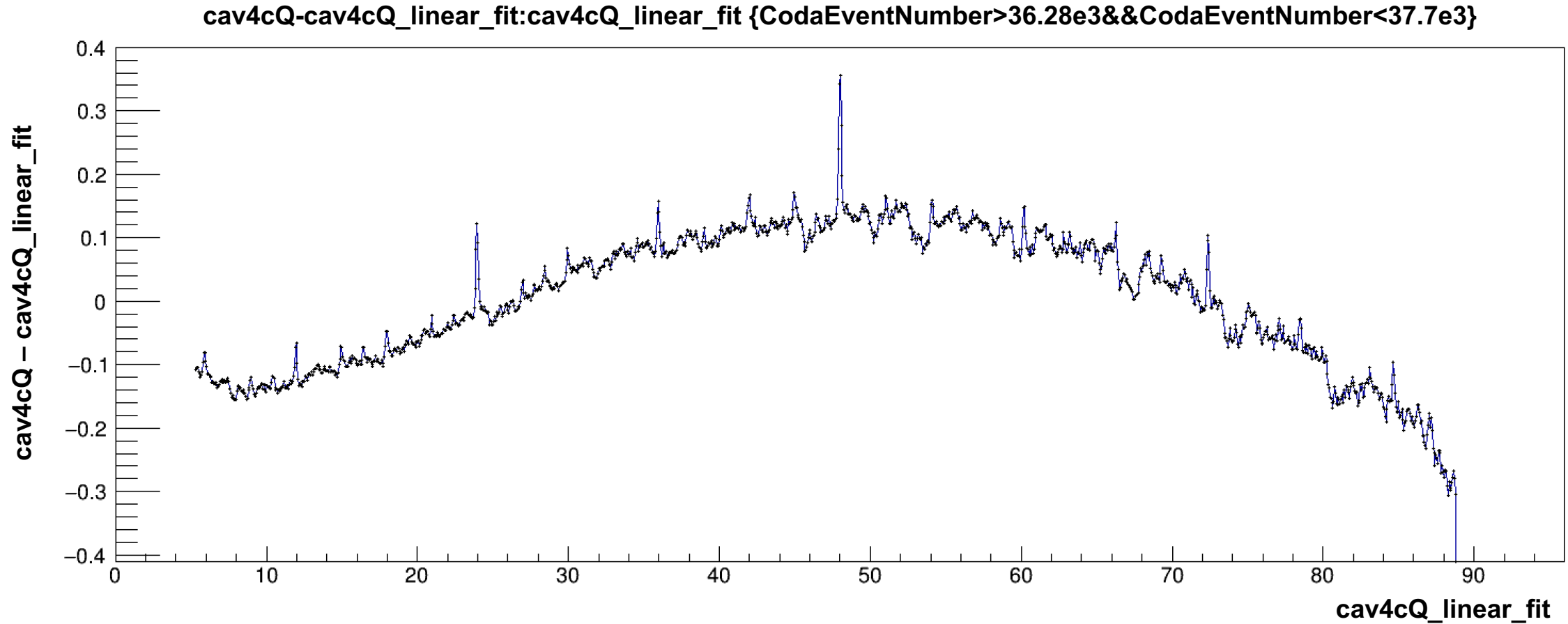
cav4bQ/1.265-cav4cQ/0.9:CodaEventNumber {CodaEventNumber>36.28e3&&CodaEventNumber<37.7e3}



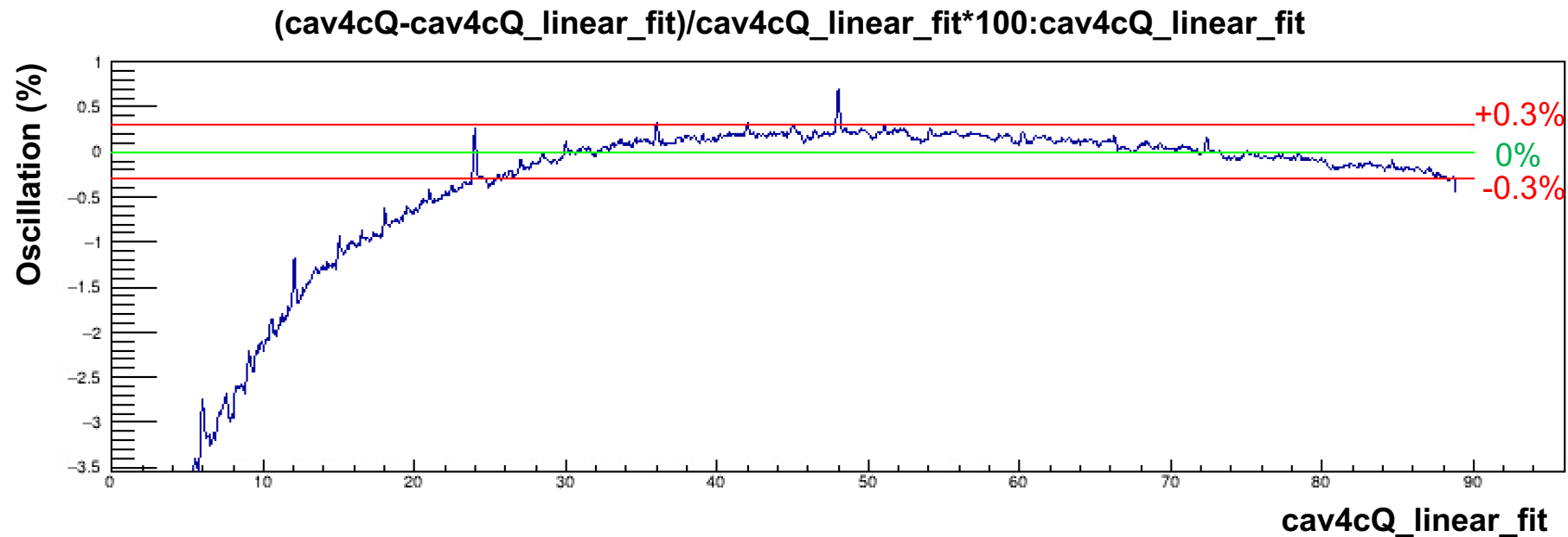
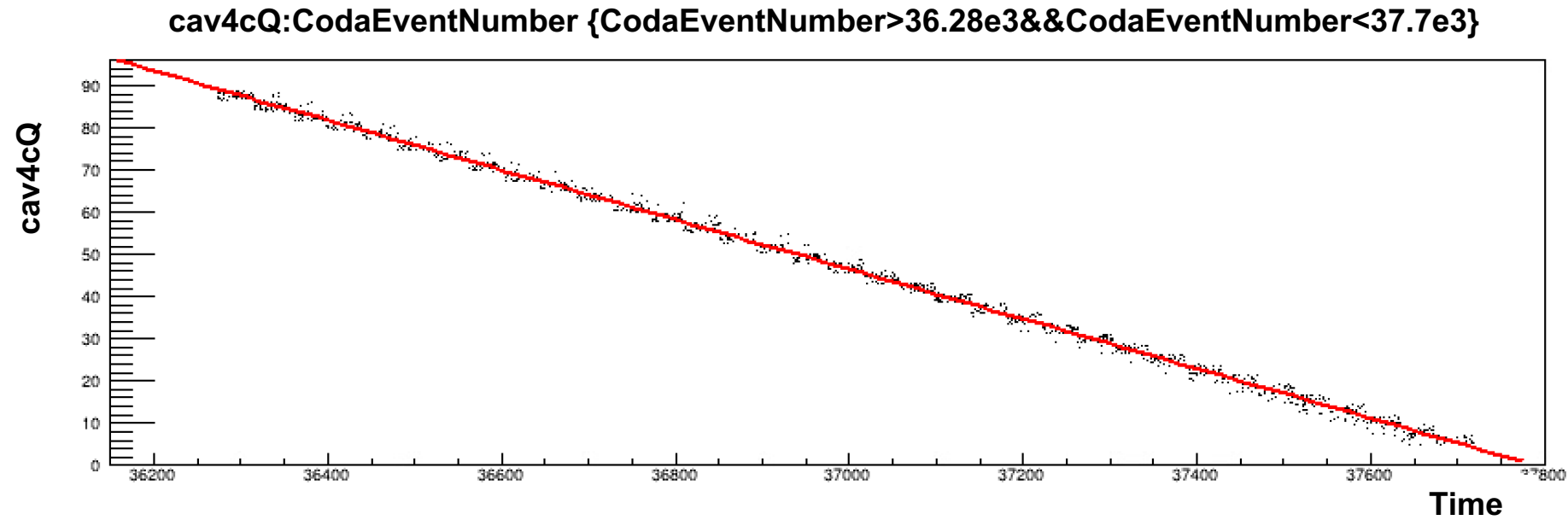
cav4cQ:CodaEventNumber {CodaEventNumber>36.28e3&&CodaEventNumber<37.7e3}



Residual plot for cav4cQ

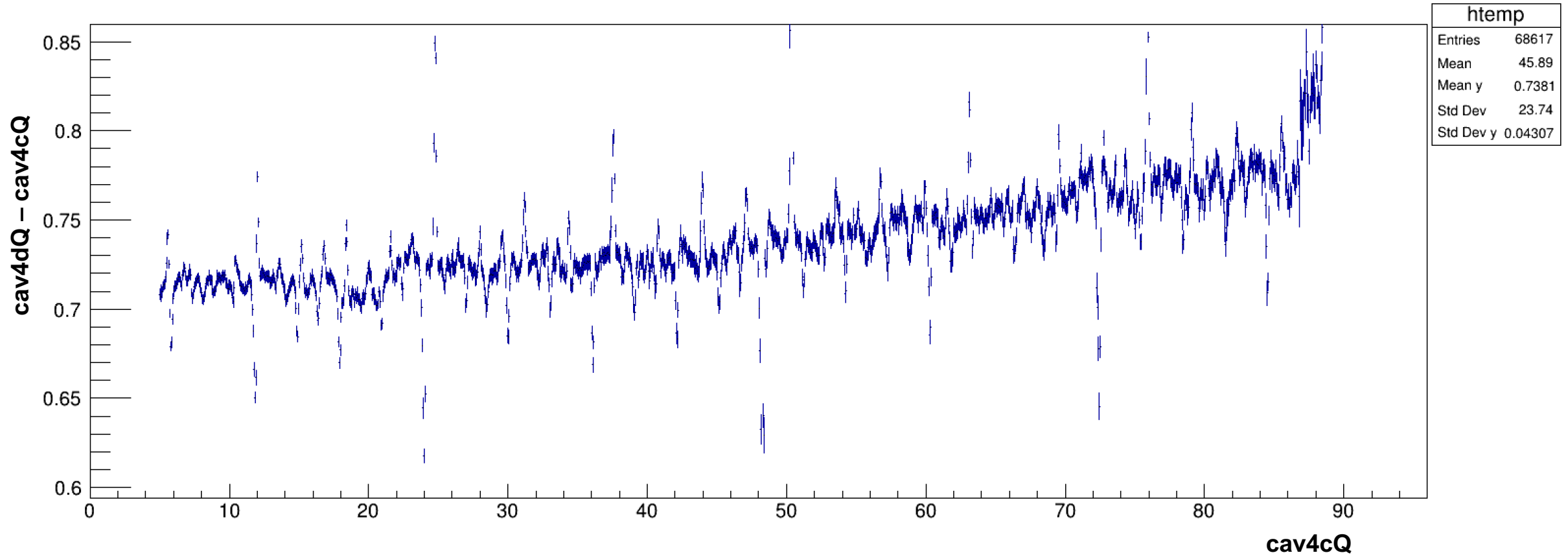


cav4cQ sees up to 0.3 % level of amplitude oscillation for 25 μ A – 90 μ A



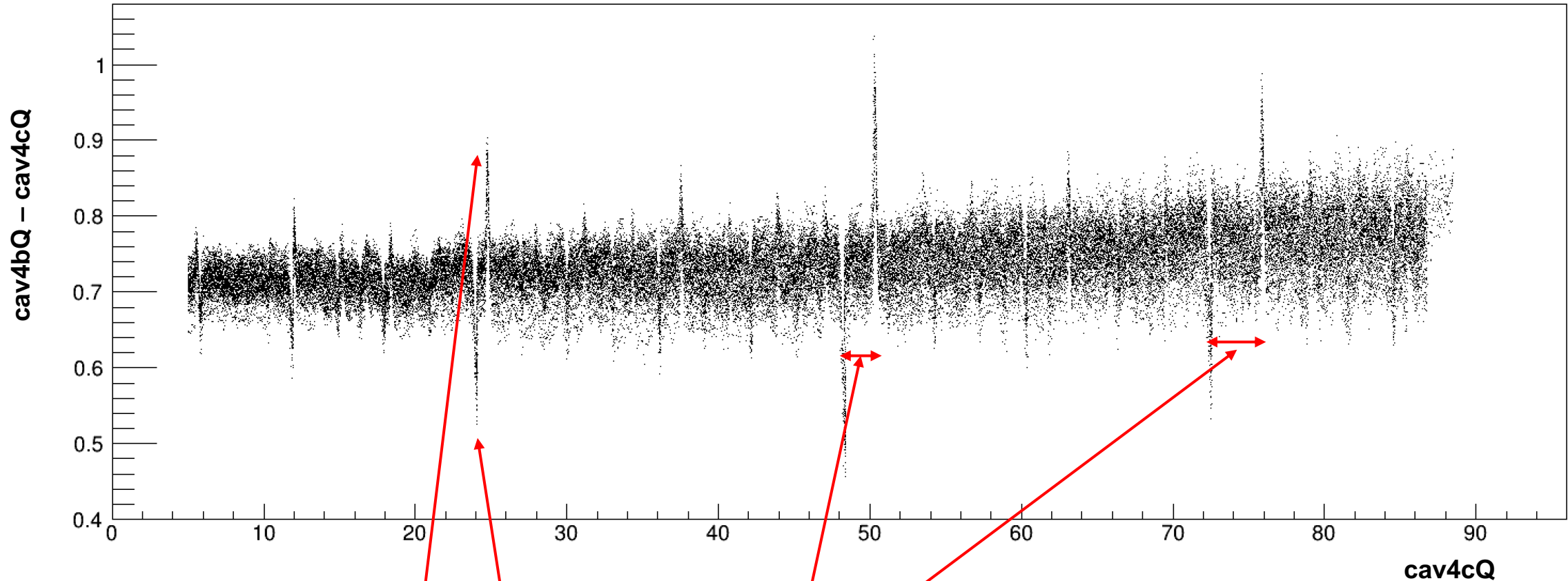
Double difference profile plot between cav4dQ and cav4cQ

cav4dQ/1.096-cav4cQ/0.9:cav4cQ {CodaEventNumber>36.28e3&&cav4cQ>5}



Double difference scatter plot between cav4dQ and cav4cQ

cav4dQ/1.096-cav4cQ/0.9:cav4cQ {CodaEventNumber>36.28e3&&cav4cQ>5}



- Periodic spikes up and down; possibly the two receivers spike at different times
- The gap between the up and down spikes gets larger as the current increase
- A larger spike appears after a few smaller spikes (periodically)

Thank You

