

Integration Report

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 - FTSW clock/trigger receiver
 - Clock multiplexing to use distributed or local clock
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 - Temperature readout
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→ For initial cosmic ray running, N_{hit} and very coarse timing will be easiest comparisons to MC.

→ Yesterday, first confirmation of real ASIC data readout from front-end through fiberoptic to cPCI crate!

Still need to integrate command receiver and proper packetizing/formatting of data.

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→ Lynn working on this now.

→ Basic data path now exists, but these will need to be finalized to take any meaningful data.

Hardware (original plan)

- No significant problems have been found in the low voltage boards.
- Need another version of front-front board.
 - Matt is preparing this.
- Will attempt to leave 3 full board stacks in Nagoya for now, taking some back to Hawaii to assist in debugging.
 - Enough for up to 16 MCP-PMTs, should be adequate for initial running.

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Interconnect	4	2	3
Carrier0/1/2/3	16	8	12
IRS2_DC revB	64	32	39
front-front	4	2	2
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Hardware (amended)

- No significant ^{design} problems have been found in the low voltage boards.
- Before leaving, tested the following on all boards:
 - (Major) FTSW clock and trigger receiving.
 - (Major) Plausible ASIC data out.
 - (Minor) Trigger bits on each channel of each daughter card responsive.
- A number were found to have issues:
 - Brought back all boards with major faults, left some with minor faults.

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*"wrong" DAC addresses on some...

Documentation / etc.

- As part of moving toward complete system, code-base and documentation is growing:

- To check out current code:

svn checkout http://idlab-scrod.googlecode.com/svn/iTOP-BLAB3A-boardstack/branches/beam_test_or_bust idlab-scrod-read-only

svn checkout http://idlab-scrod.googlecode.com/svn/iTOP-BLAB3A-boardstack/branches/pseudo-data_by_fiber idlab-scrod-read-only

- Documentation is available on wiki:

<http://code.google.com/p/idlab-scrod/w/list>

- Including preliminary hardware setup guide at:

http://idlab-scrod.googlecode.com/files/bPID_Electronics_Setup.pdf

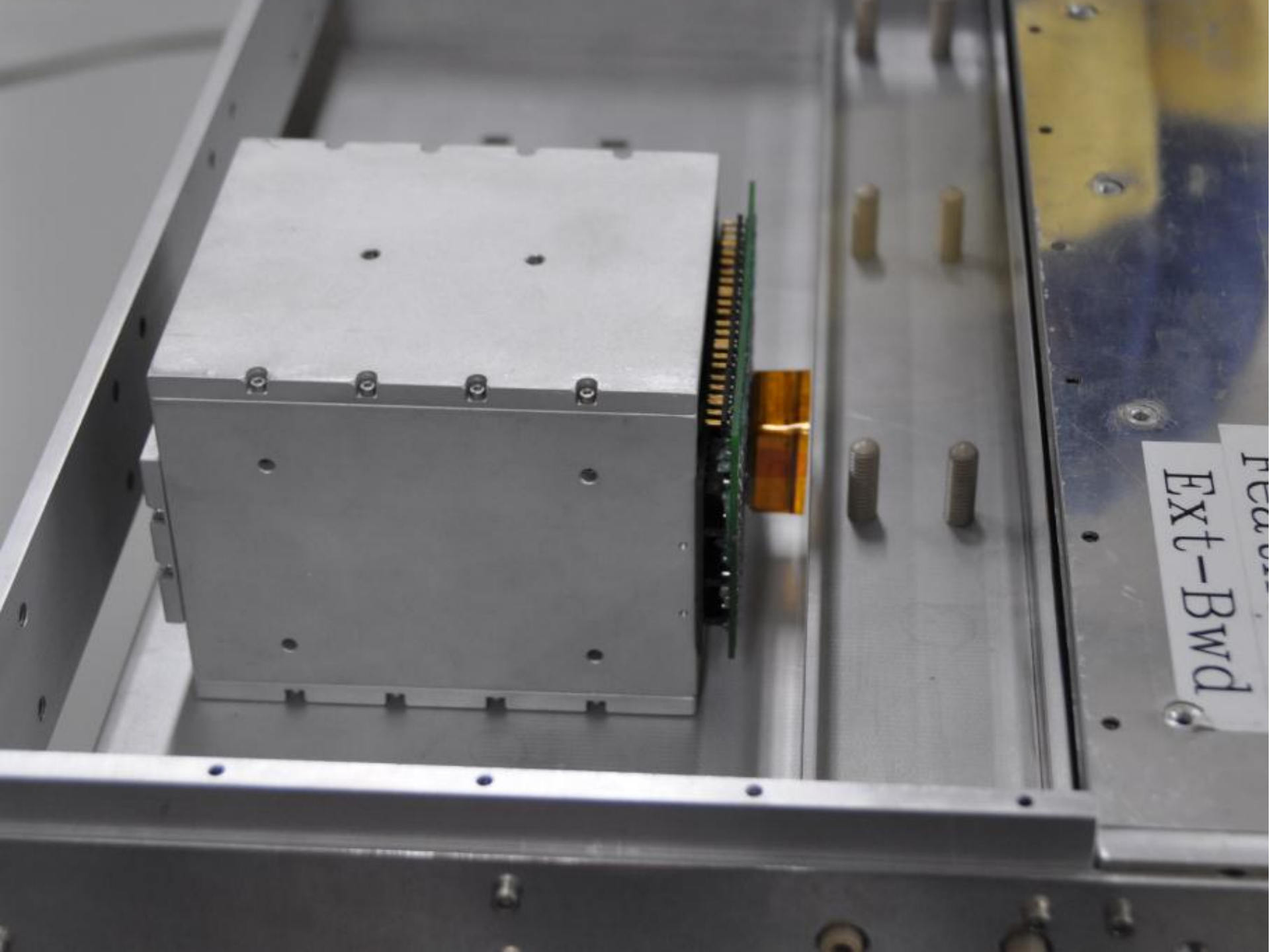
***Matsuoka-san is now trained in hardware setup and minimal data collection. Need to add some more information to this guide (or a separate guide) on operating the DAQ system.**

Mechanics

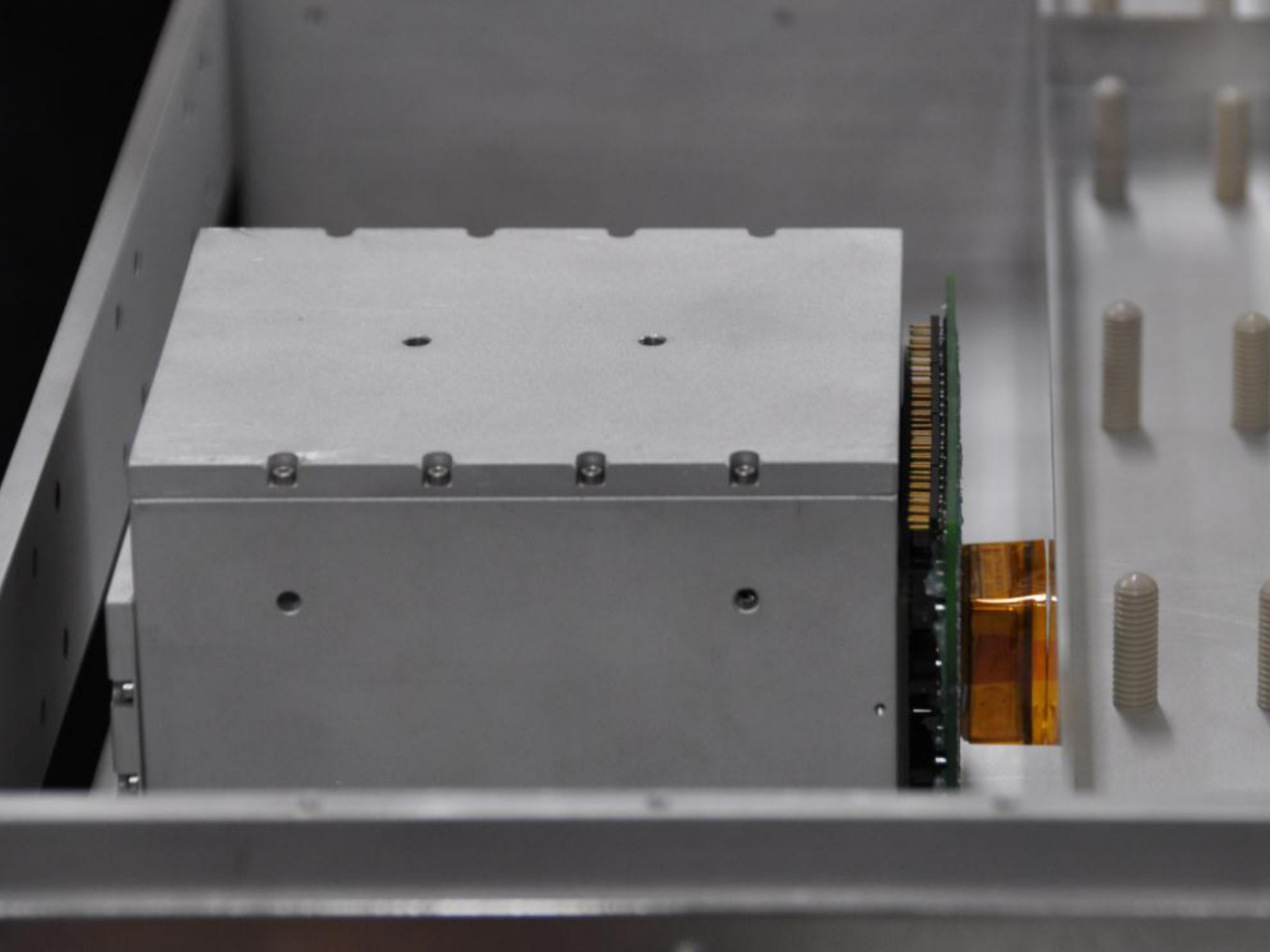
- (Hours) Before leaving, Nagoya group did a run-through of assembly procedure.
 - Bar <-> Expansion <-> 1 PMT <-> 1 Elec. Module

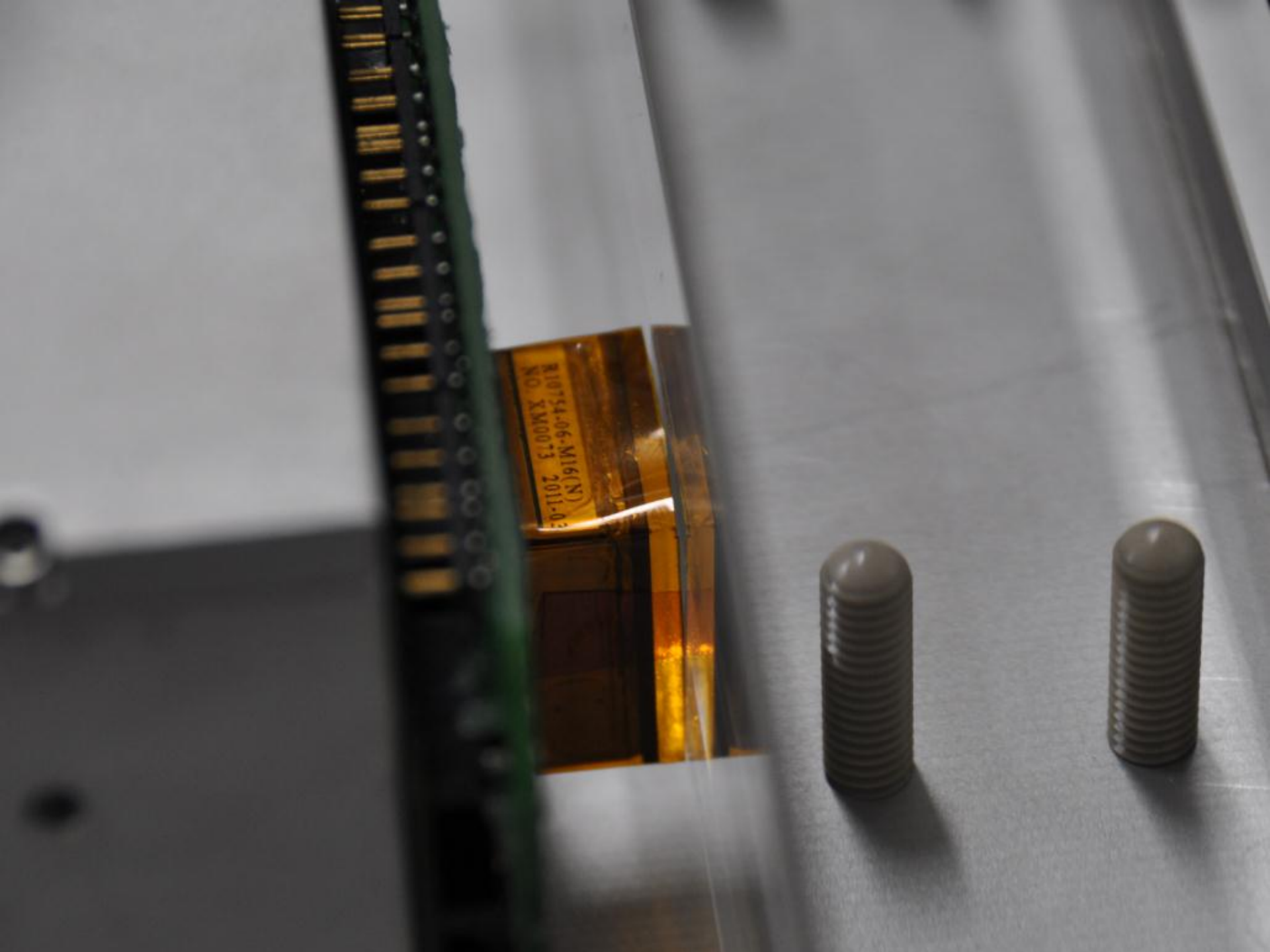
***Some concerns about this interface...**





Ext-Bwd





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