

# AUTOMESS Bluetooth Project as part of the CERN – HEPIA Collaboration

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# Outline

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## Optimization of Dose Rate Measurements with AUTOMESS devices

- Motivations
- Project Scope
- Project requirements
- Project roadmap
- Python CODE
- Measurement results
- Practical demonstration
- Further options



# Optimization of Dose Rate Measurements

## - Motivation / Goals -

### **Dose rate measurements shall be**

- Reliable
- Representative
- Reproducible
- Operator and device “independent”

# Optimization of Dose Rate Measurements

## - Project Scope -

### **Possible action fields**

- Data acquisition
- Data handling

### **Development with focus on**

- User-friendly software
- Easy to use
- Robust

# Optimization of Dose Rate Measurements

## - Project Requirements -

### **Detector types to consider**

- AUTOMESS AD-6 and AD-b

### **TREC 3.0 compatibility for data type and result format**

- Equivalent dose rate value with dimension
- Detector type and serial number
- Measurement distance
- Measurement date
- Background radiation value
- Operator

# Optimization of Dose Rate Measurements

## - Project Roadmap -

### First Ideas

- Wireless integration (Bluetooth and Wi-Fi)
  - Device to computer via BT
  - Computer to “TREC” via Wi-Fi
- Barcode reader as Operator -> Computer communication
- Python as programming language

# Interface

## - Serial Connection -

- Bluetooth serial connection
- AUTOMESS adaptor
- Synchronization 1Hz



Sends:

- Start of communication
- Detector Type
- Equivalent Dose Rate
- Checksum

# Interface

## - Bar Code Input -

- Bar code Reader with Bluetooth connection
- Necessary Input:
  - Operator
  - Background
  - Object
  - Detector



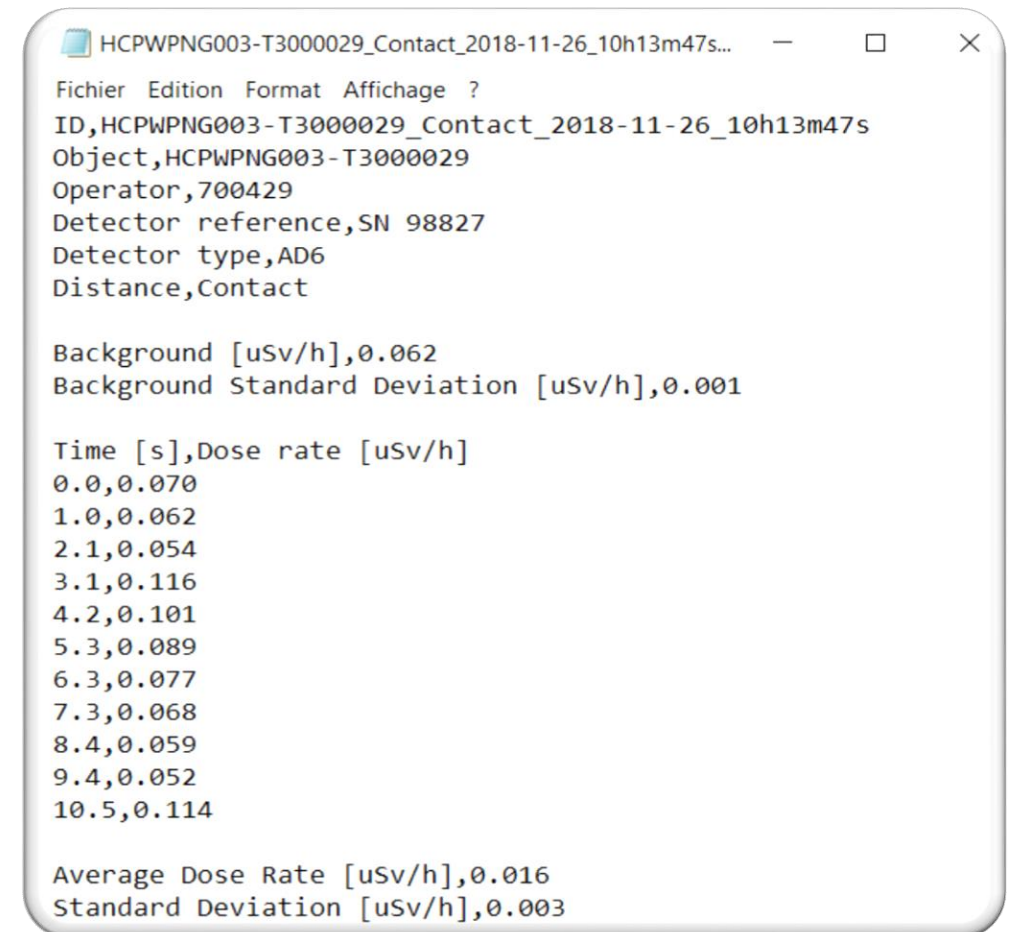


# Optimization of Dose Rate Measurements

## - Measurement Results -

### Automatically generated result file

- Standard file format => .txt or .csv (conforms with specifications of EDMS 1964700)
- Unique file name: TREC-ID, measurement mode and time stamp
- Data conforms with TREC 3.0 requirements



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HCPWPNG003-T3000029_Contact_2018-11-26_10h13m47s...
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ID,HCPWPNG003-T3000029_Contact_2018-11-26_10h13m47s
Object,HCPWPNG003-T3000029
Operator,700429
Detector reference,SN 98827
Detector type,AD6
Distance,Contact

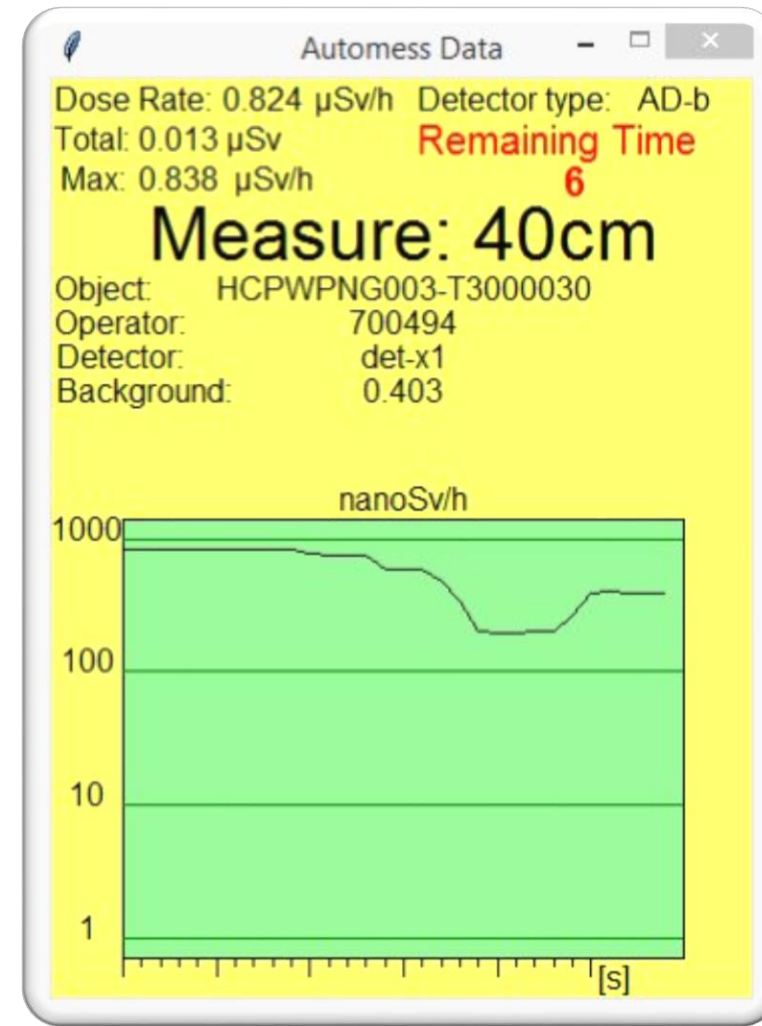
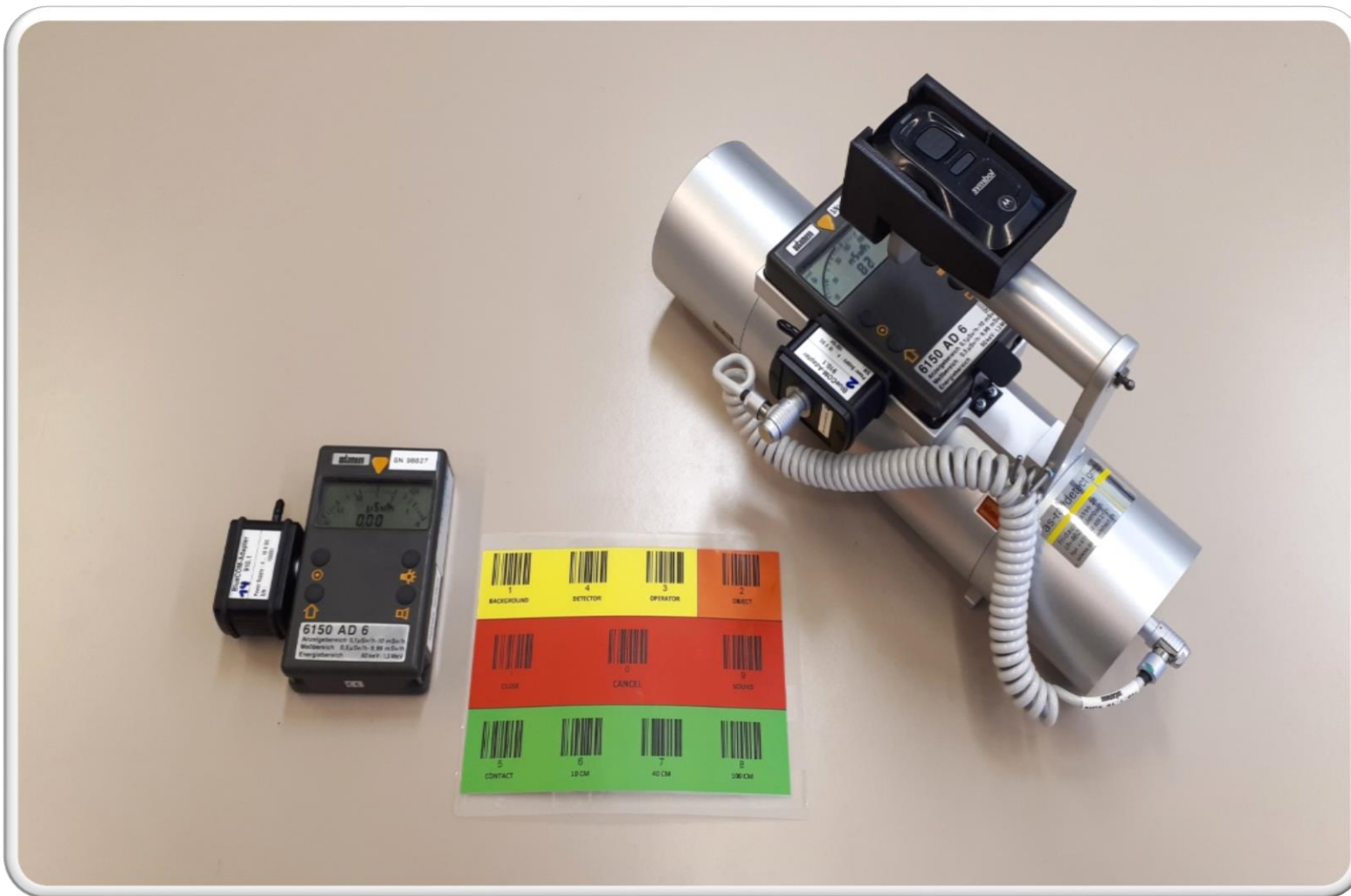
Background [uSv/h],0.062
Background Standard Deviation [uSv/h],0.001

Time [s],Dose rate [uSv/h]
0.0,0.070
1.0,0.062
2.1,0.054
3.1,0.116
4.2,0.101
5.3,0.089
6.3,0.077
7.3,0.068
8.4,0.059
9.4,0.052
10.5,0.114

Average Dose Rate [uSv/h],0.016
Standard Deviation [uSv/h],0.003
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# Optimization of Dose Rate Measurements

## - Practical Demonstration -



# Optimization of Dose Rate Measurements - Further Options -

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## Modular structure allows flexible development

- Display Pictures: object photo or exact measurement position;
- Play Sounds: interactive beep or confirmation via voice
- Connect to database data: device calibration or operator formation
- Ultra minimalistic hardware configurations possible: raspberry Pi
- ...



**Thank you for your attention!**