

# Quantum non-demolition measurement with CHRONOS gravitational wave detector

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# Introduce myself

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- Research history:
  - 2011-2016: POLARBEAR/Simons Array (Cosmic Microwave Background)
  - 2016-2021: KAGRA (Gravitational Wave experiment in Japan)
    - Calibration and Reconstruction
  - 2021-Now: LIGO (Gravitational Wave experiment in US)
  - 2025-Now: CHRONOS



# Taiwan-LIGO instrumentation group

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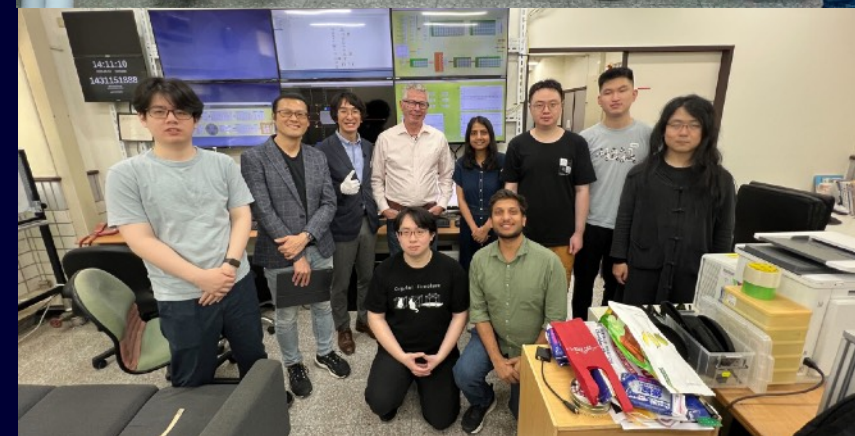
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# NCU-CMB group (from 2025 April)

## National Central University

Yuki Inoue  
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## Calibration Analysis

Data analysis and pipeline  
development for Ongoing  
Observation

## Core-Optics R&D

R&D for the new technology of  
GW with Taiwan semiconductor  
technology

## Experimental Cosmology

Landscape of Gravitational wave  
stochastic background study with  
GW and CMB data

17 staffs and students join our group



# GW-CMB 2025 (Nov.6-7)

## New Frontiers in Observational Cosmology with Gravitational Waves and Cosmic Microwave Background (GW-CMB 2025)

6–7 Nov 2025  
National Central University  
Asia/Taipei timezone



Overview

Timetable

Contribution List

My Conference

My Contributions

Registration

### Overview

We live in an era striving to uncover the origin of the Universe through observation. A century after Hubble's discovery of cosmic expansion, our instruments have advanced dramatically. Through diverse probes—the cosmic microwave background (CMB), galaxy surveys, supernovae, and gravitational waves—the Universe's history has become a subject of direct measurement rather than theory.

Cosmology has entered a stage where **precision observations open new physics**, and at its frontier lies the search for the **stochastic gravitational-wave background (SGWB)**.

Within the next five years, two landmark discoveries may be within reach:

- (1) **primordial gravitational waves** from inflation or cosmological phase transitions; and
- (2) an **astrophysical SGWB** from compact binary mergers across cosmic time.

These goals unite cosmology and gravitational-wave astronomy, driving international efforts such as **LIGO–Virgo–KAGRA** and the **Simons Observatory** toward the next breakthrough.

In this mini-workshop, we explore the combined impact of **GW and CMB observations** on the emerging **Gravitational-Wave Landscape**, the cosmology and astrophysics they enable, and new ideas for **cross-correlations** with other probes.

The program mainly consists of invited talks, but we can accept poster presentations and a few short oral presentations.



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# Outline

- Introduction
  - CHRONOS project
  - Principle
  - Science
  - Summary
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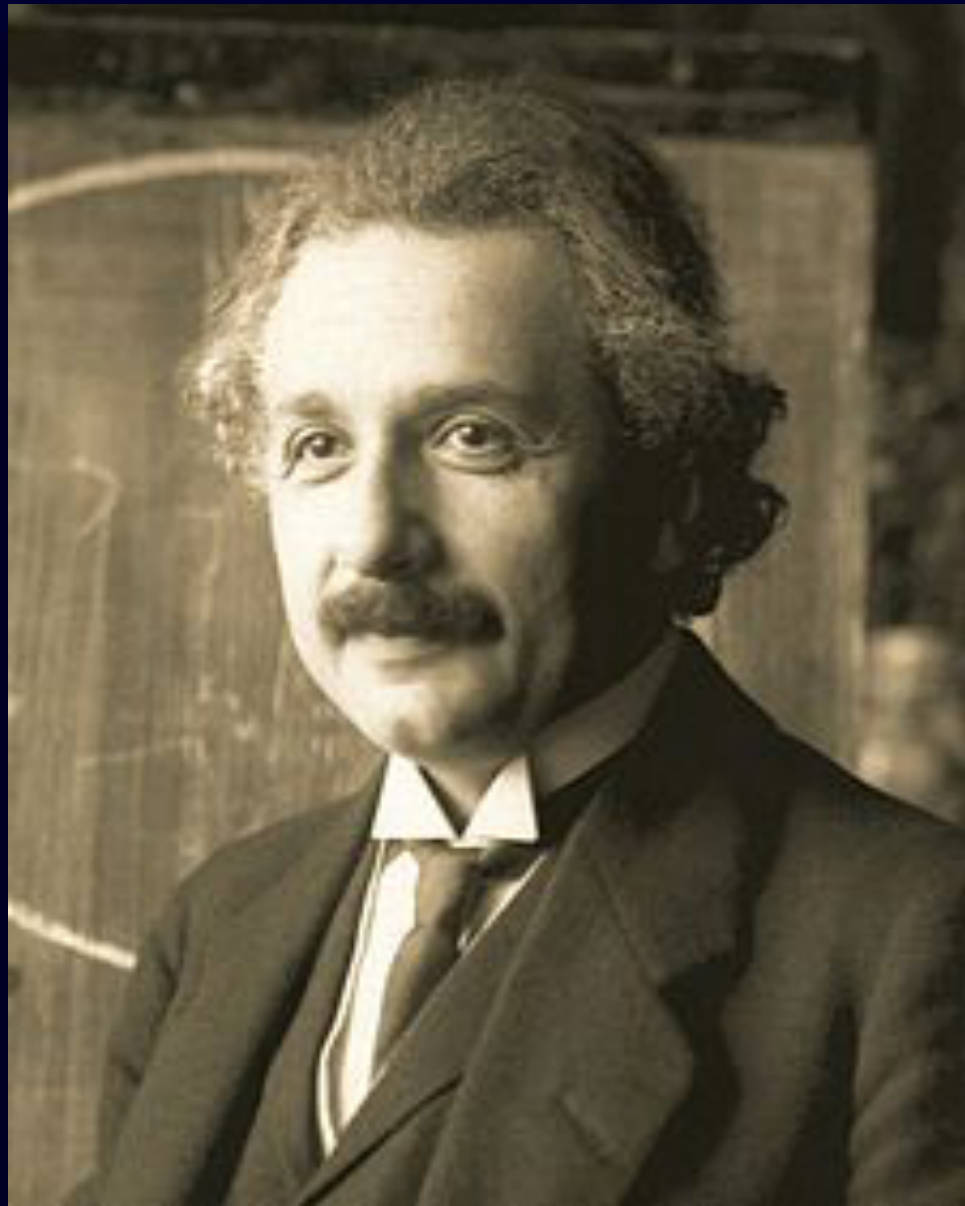
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# Introduction

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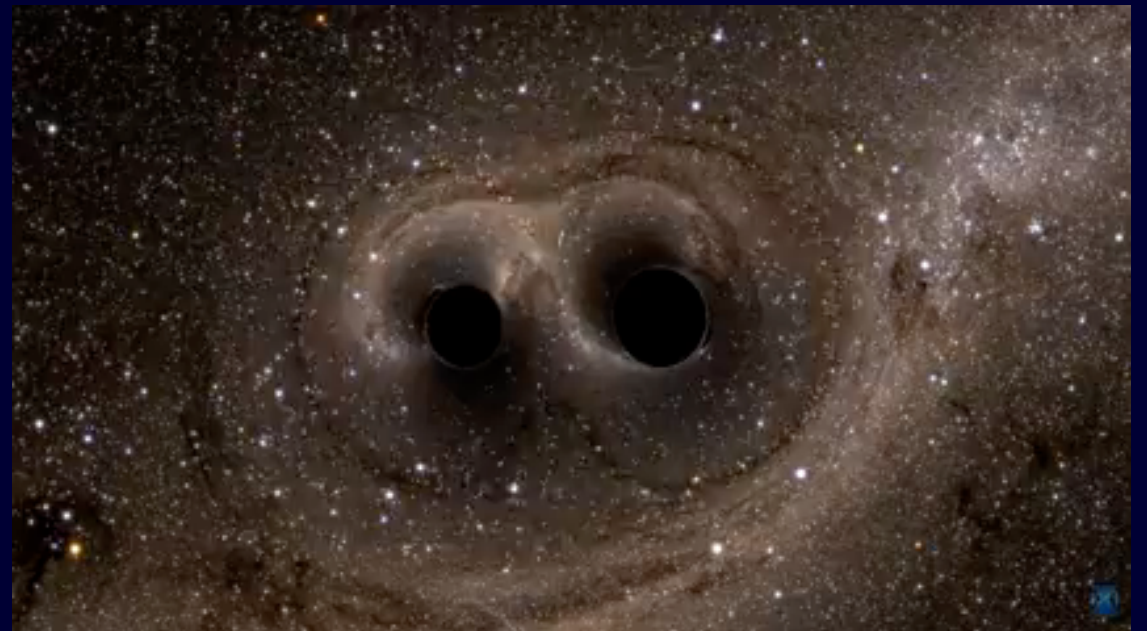


# Introduction



- Albert Einstein
- 1916 General Relativity
  - ‘Distortion of Space and Time’
- One of the most important predictions:

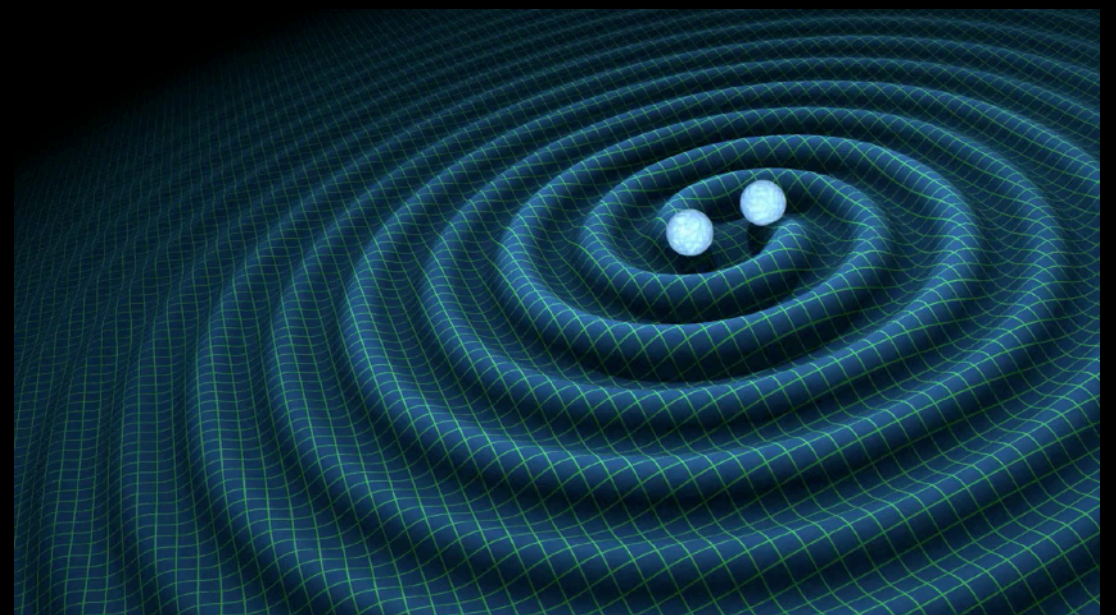
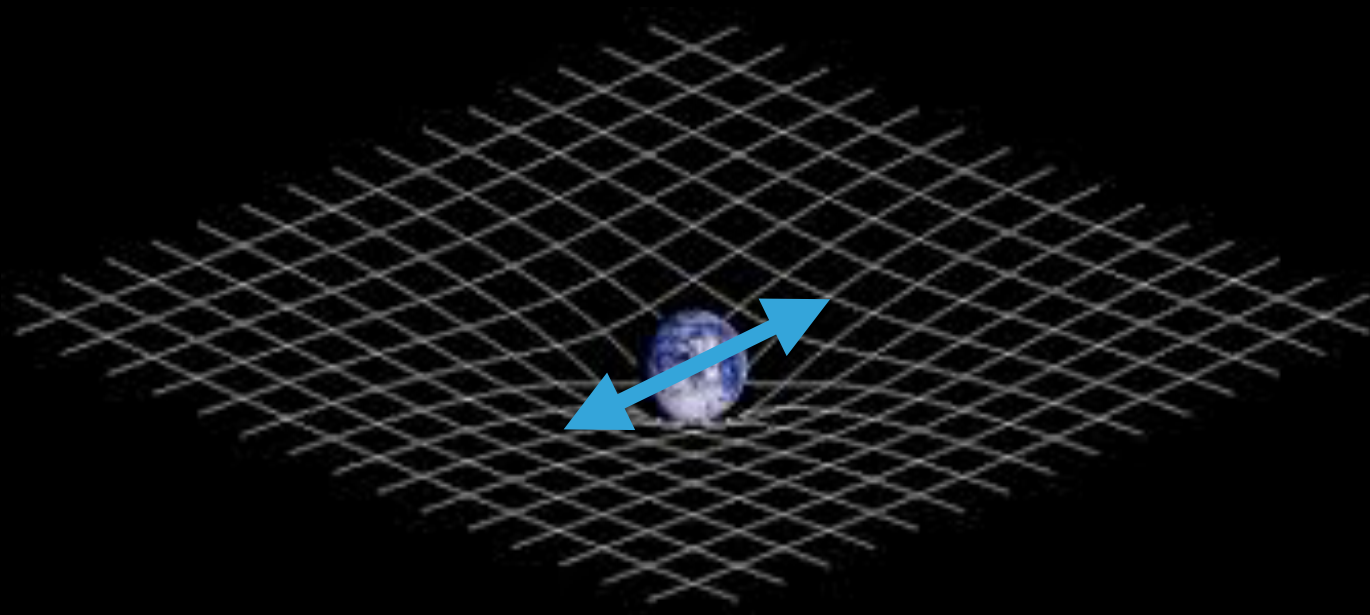
## Gravitational Wave!



**Nowadays, GW is observable target to know the astronomical phenomena.**

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# How to generate Gravitational Waves



- Science target is observation of gravitational waves.
- GW is generated by the oscillation of the massive object.



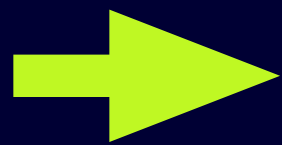
# Metric

$$ds^2 = g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu$$

Metric

$$g_{\mu\nu} = \eta_{\mu\nu} + h_{\mu\nu}$$

Perturbation



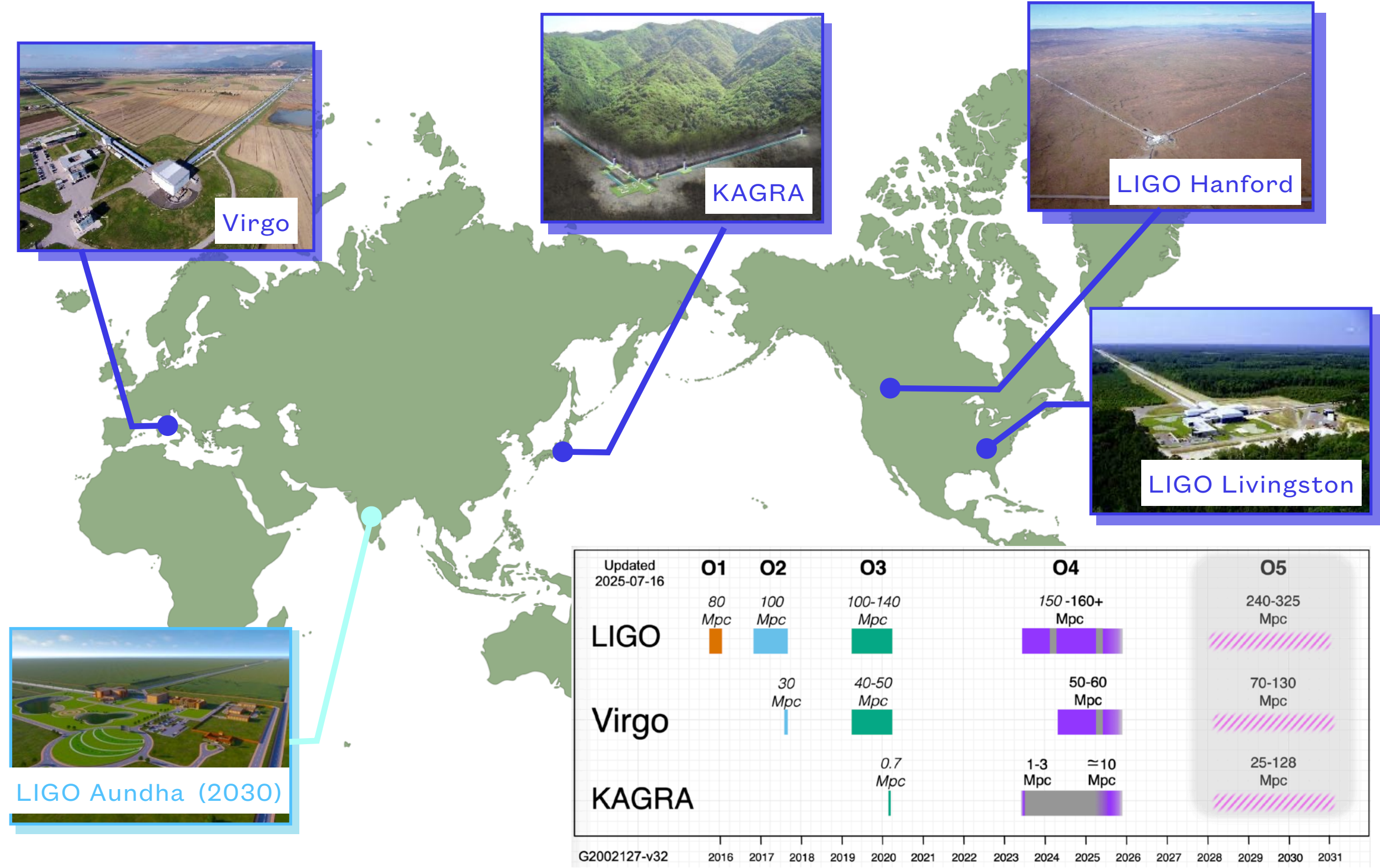
$$\left( \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} \right) h = 0$$

$$h_{ij} = A_{ij} \times \exp [i(\omega t - kz)]$$

$$A_{ij} = \begin{bmatrix} h_+ & h_\times & 0 \\ h_\times & -h_+ & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

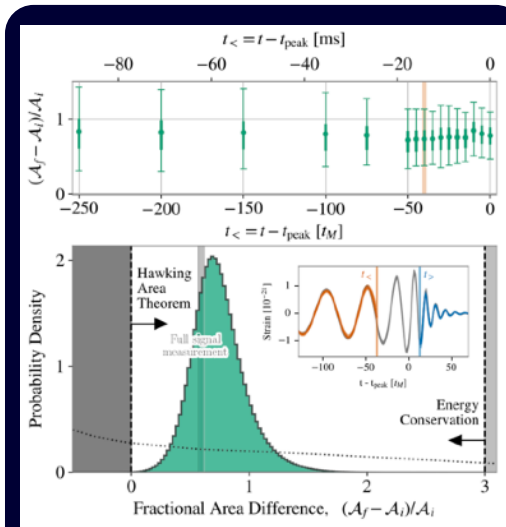
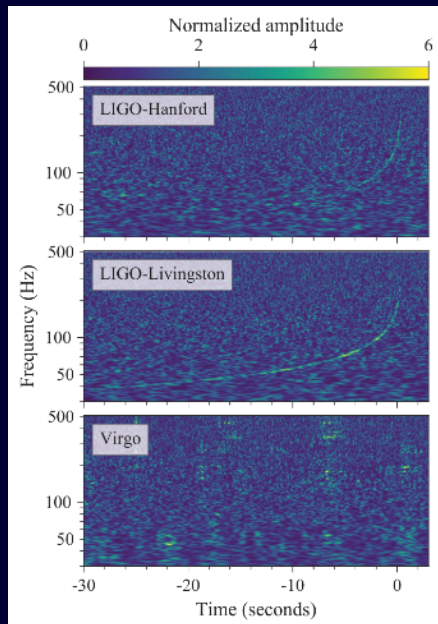


# Gravitational wave observation network





# 10 years anniversary

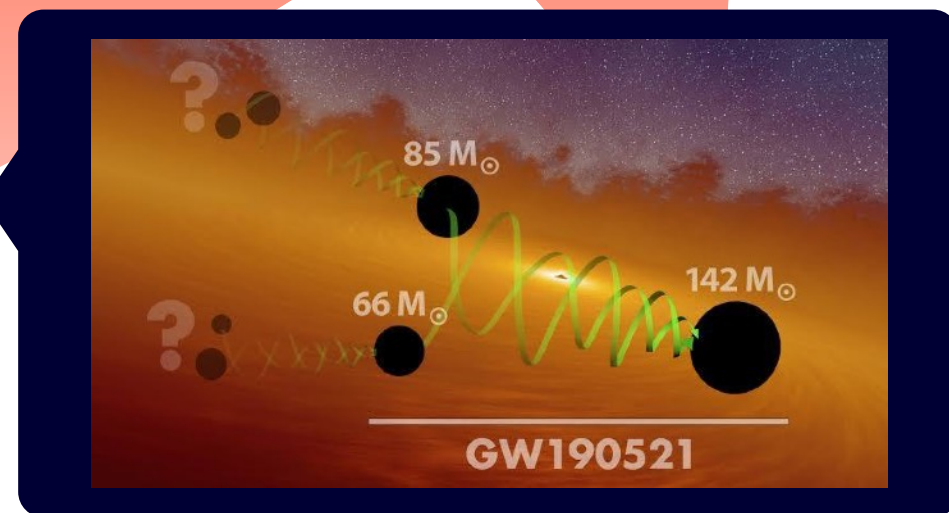
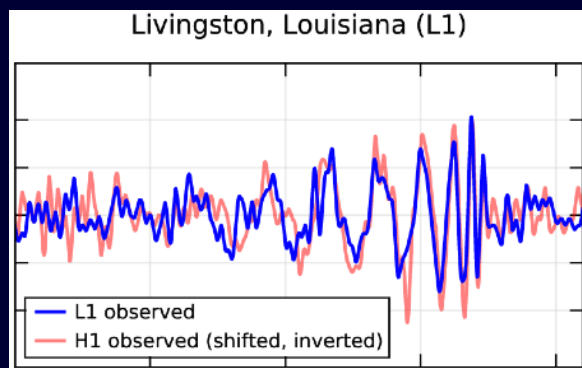


2025 Jan.14 Hawking's area law

2023 Nov.23 The largest Kerr black hole

2019 May. 21 IMBH

2017 Aug. 17 BNS



2015 Sep.14 The first detection

Before the great history of LIGO, there are discussion of quantum principle.

# Quantum Non-demolition

## Quantum Nondemolition Measurements

VLADIMIR B. BRAGINSKY, YURI I. VORONTSOV, AND KIP S. THORNE [Authors Info & Affiliations](#)

*SCIENCE* • 1 Aug 1980 • Vol 209, Issue 4456 • pp. 547-557 • DOI: 10.1126/science.209.4456.547

[C.M. Caves, K.S. Thorne, R.W.P. Drever, V.D. Sandberg, M. Zimmermann, Rev. Mod. Phys. 52, 341 \(1980\)](#)

**GW detector can improve the sensitivity more than standard quantum limit.**

One of the historically important questions for the quantum measurement.

1927 Heisenberg Uncertainty principle

$$\epsilon(x)\eta(p) \geq \frac{\hbar}{2}$$

Challenge to Heisenberg Uncertainty principle!





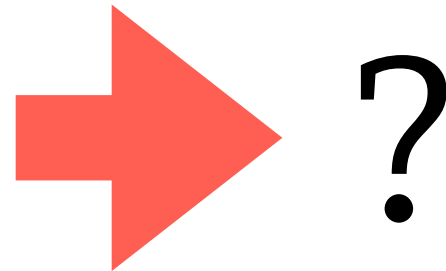
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1927 Heisenberg Uncertainty principle

$$\epsilon(x)\eta(p) \geq \frac{\hbar}{2}$$



M.Ozawa modified Heisenberg Uncertainty principle (2003)!

$$\epsilon(A)\eta(B) + \underbrace{\sigma(A_{in})\eta(B) + \epsilon(A)\sigma(B_{in})}_{\text{Additional term}} \geq \frac{1}{2} |\langle \psi | [\hat{A}_{in}, \hat{B}_{in}] | \psi \rangle|$$

Additional term

J. Erhart et al. Nature Physics (2012) doi:10.1038/nphys2194.

Experimentally confirm the formula on neutron spin system.

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1927 E

‘quantum non-demolition (QND) system’

is

**keyword** of today’s talk! We would like to discuss  
beyond the Heisenberg principle based on  
Taiwanese Gravitational wave detector project.

Definition:  $[H, A] = 0 \Rightarrow$  quantity A meet QND

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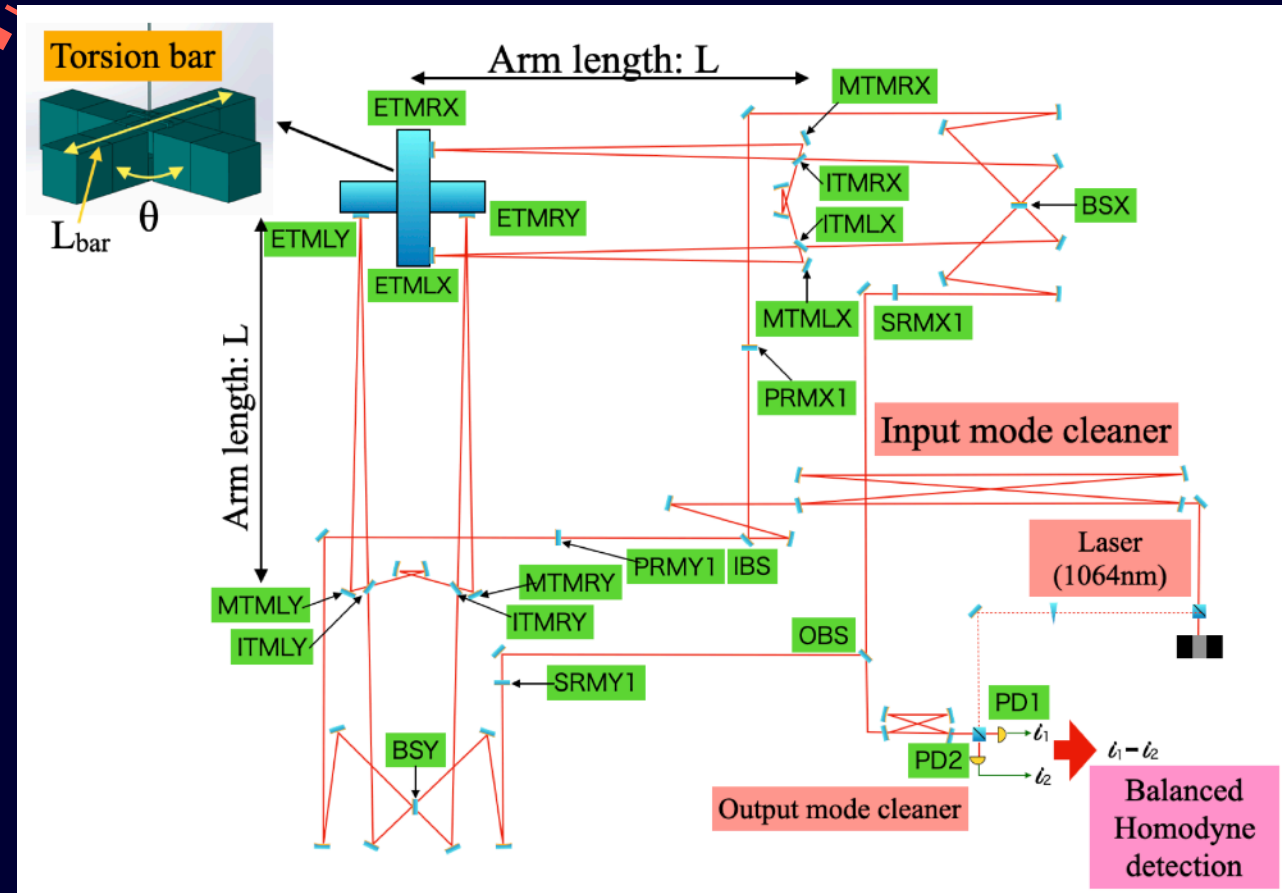
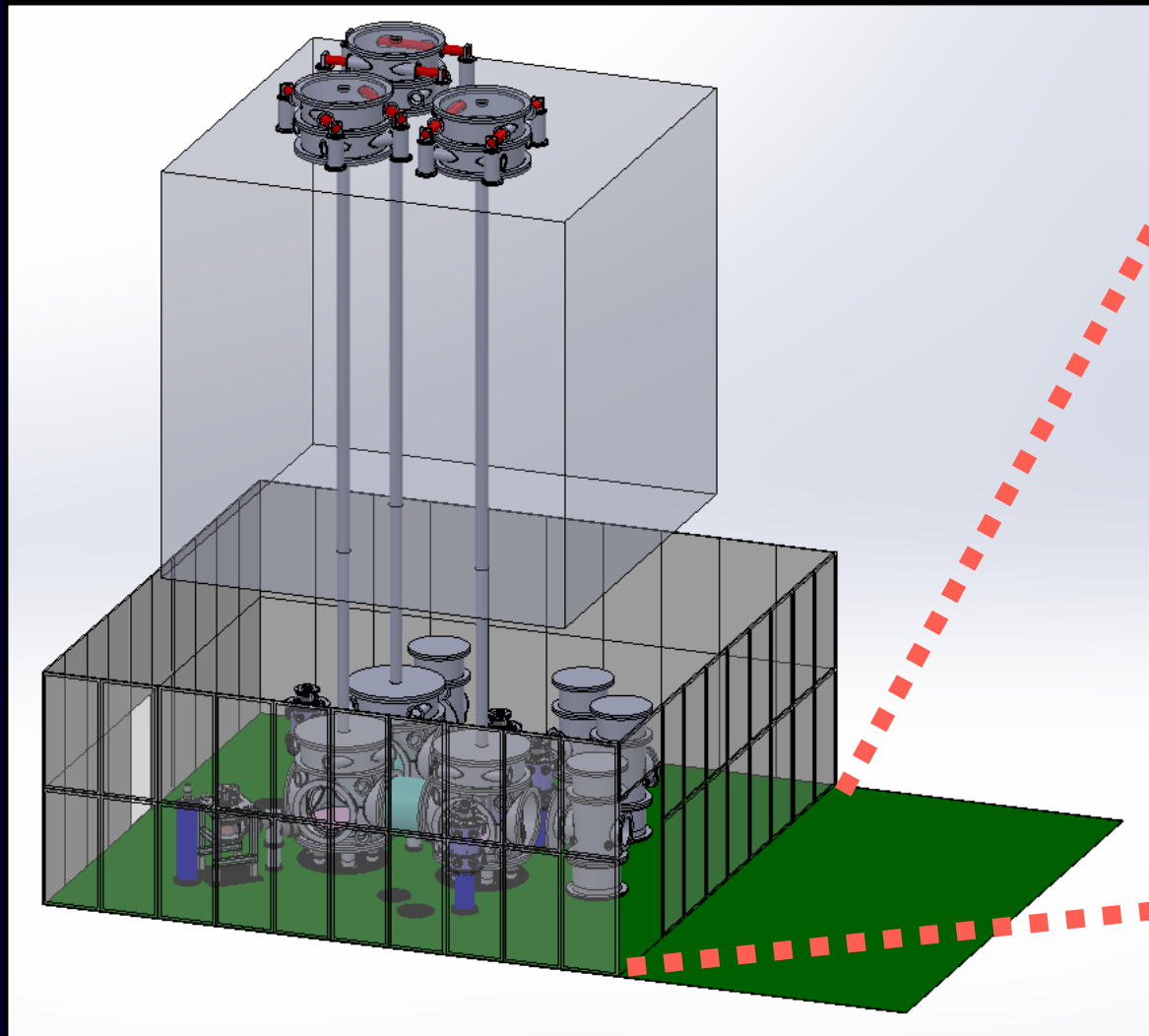
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# CHRONOS project

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# CHRONOS Overview



**C**ryogenic sub-**H**z c**R**Oss torsion bar detector  
with quantum **N**on-demolition **S**peed meter

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# *CHRONOS* Overview

- Mission: Search for Intermediate black hole on Sub-Hz range
- Method: Interferometrical Speed meter
- Full success: First detection of Intermediate Black hole merger on  $O(10^4 M_{\odot})$  range
- Unique point: 10m x 10m Observatory

**SPEED METER**

Key technologies

**CRYOGENIC**

**TORSION BAR**

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# *CHRONOS* Overview

- Location: Underground site in Taiwan
- R&D is ongoing
  - Phase 1: R&D for Key technologies (2020-2025)
  - Phase 2: Integration test (2025-2033)
  - Phase 3: Construction of CHRONOS in Underground lab (2030-2035)

CHRONOS's target observation year = 2035



# Recent paper

## CHRONOS: Cryogenic sub-Hz cROSS torsion bar detector with quantum NOn-demolition Speed meter

Yuki Inoue,<sup>1,2,3,4,\*</sup> Hsiang-Chieh Hsu,<sup>3</sup> Hsiang-Yu Huang,<sup>1,2</sup> M.Aff Ismail,<sup>1,2,3</sup> Vivek Kumar,<sup>3,5</sup> Miftahul Ma'arif,<sup>1,2</sup> Avani Patel,<sup>1,2</sup> Daiki Tanabe,<sup>3,2,4</sup> Henry Tsz-King Wong,<sup>3,2</sup> and Ta-Chun Yu<sup>1,2</sup>

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(Dated: October 25, 2025)

## Optical design and sensitivity optimization of Cryogenic sub-Hz cROSS torsion bar detector with quantum NOn-demolition Speed meter (CHRONOS)

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<sup>6</sup>National Institute of Physics, University of the Philippines - Diliman, Quezon City 1101, Philippines

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## Torque cancellation effect of Intensity noise for Cryogenic sub-Hz cROSS torsion bar detector with quantum NOn-demolition Speed meter (CHRONOS)

**Daiki Tanabe<sup>a,b,d†</sup>, Yuki Inoue<sup>c,d,a,b‡</sup>, Vivek Kumar<sup>e,a</sup>, Miftahul Ma'arif<sup>c,d</sup>, Ta-Chun Yu<sup>c,d</sup>**

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## Main project paper

Y.Inoue et. al.

arXiv: 2509.23172

Submitted to PRL. Under reviewing.

## Optical feasibility paper

Y.Inoue and D.Tanabe et. al.

arXiv: 2510.24780

Submit to PRD. 3 hours ago!

## Intensity noise paper

D.Tanabe and Y.Inoue et. al.

arXiv: 2510.24779

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Today's contents are based on these articles!

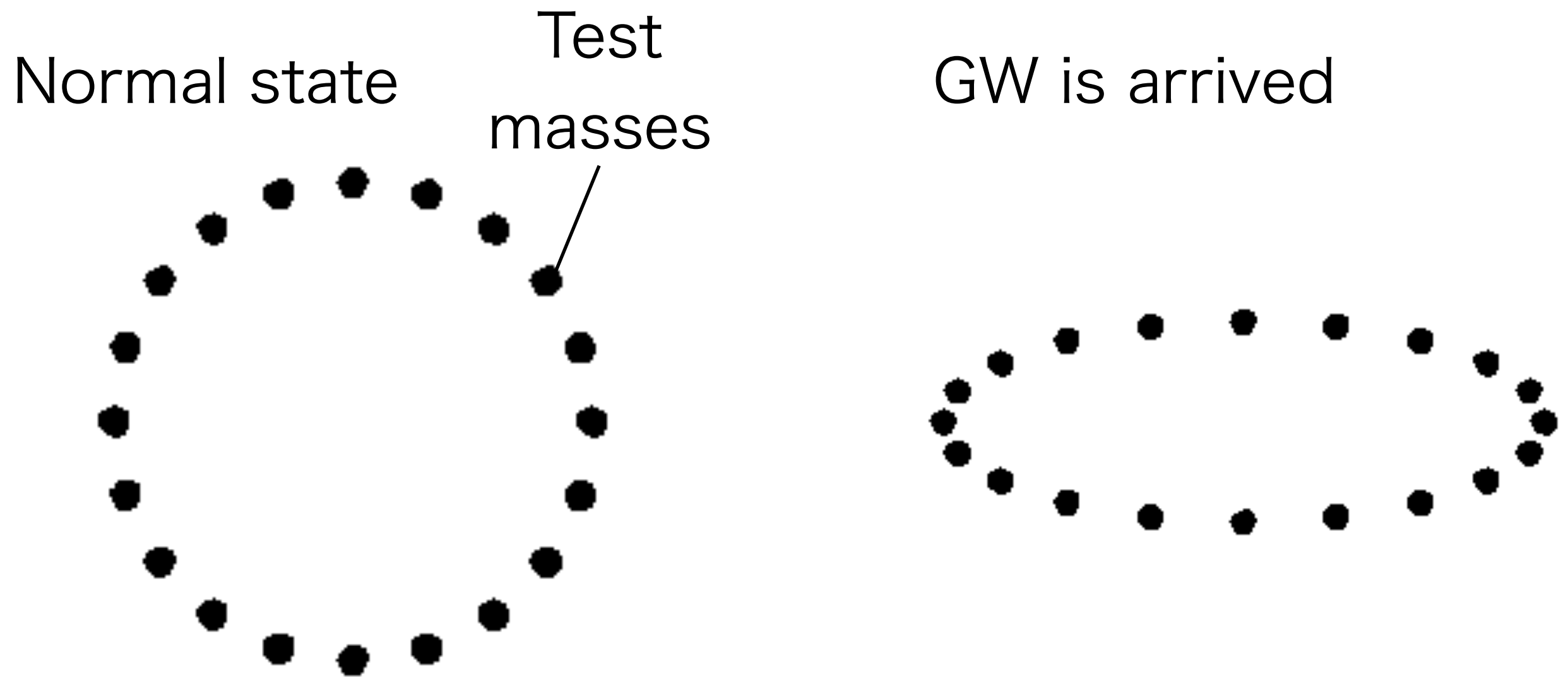
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# Principle

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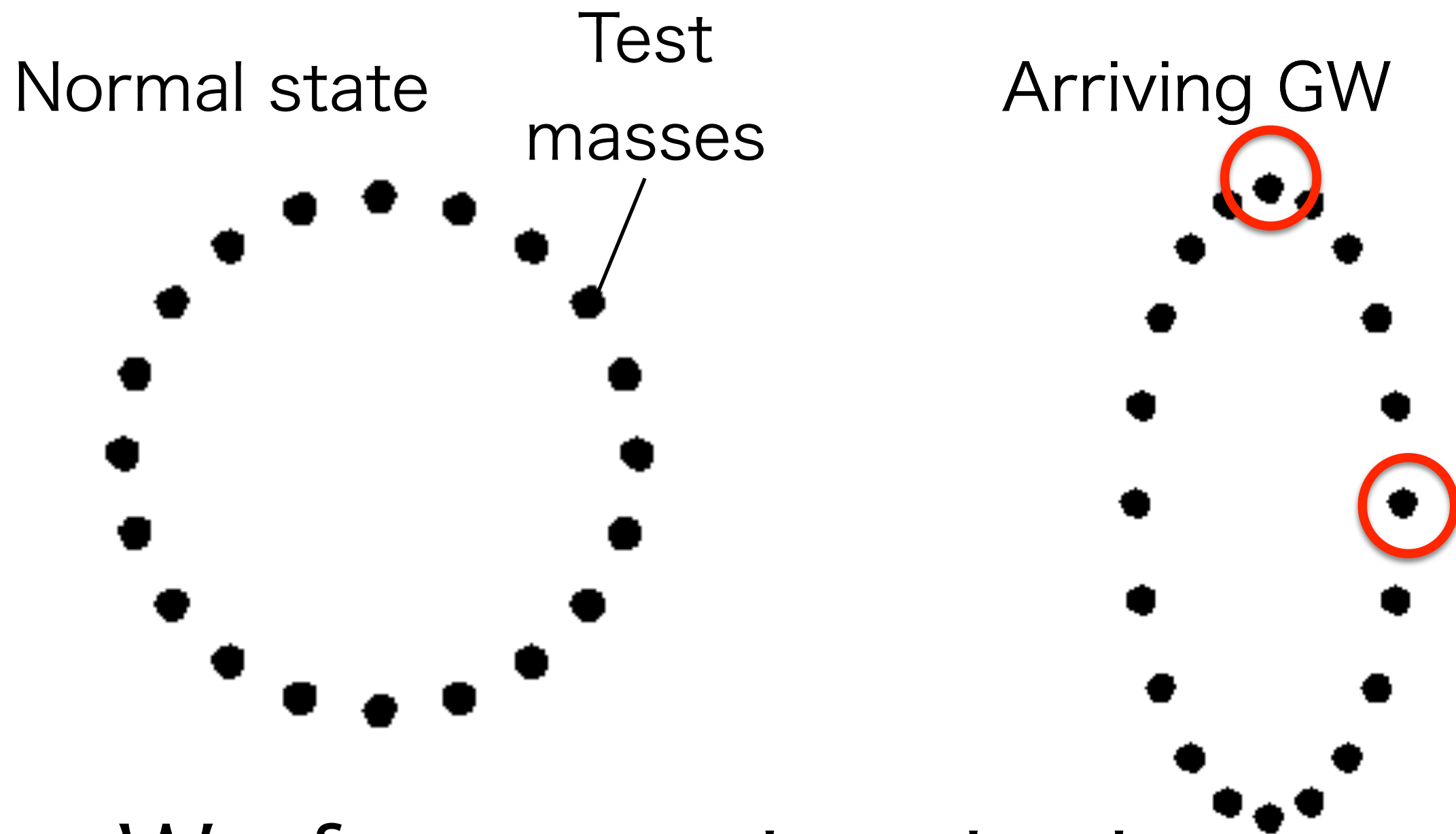
# Principle of Observation



Test masses are moved by GWs.

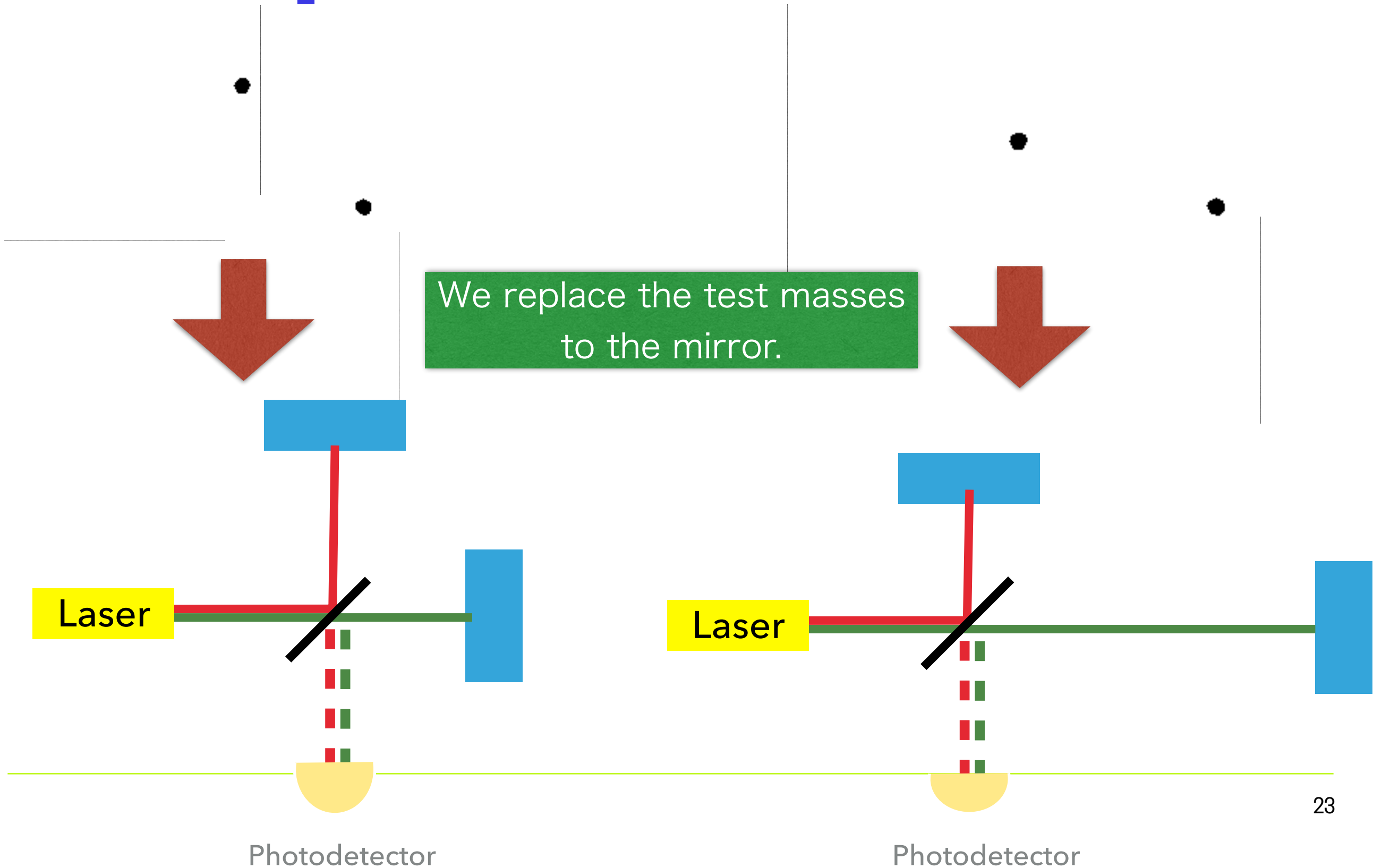


# Principle of Observation



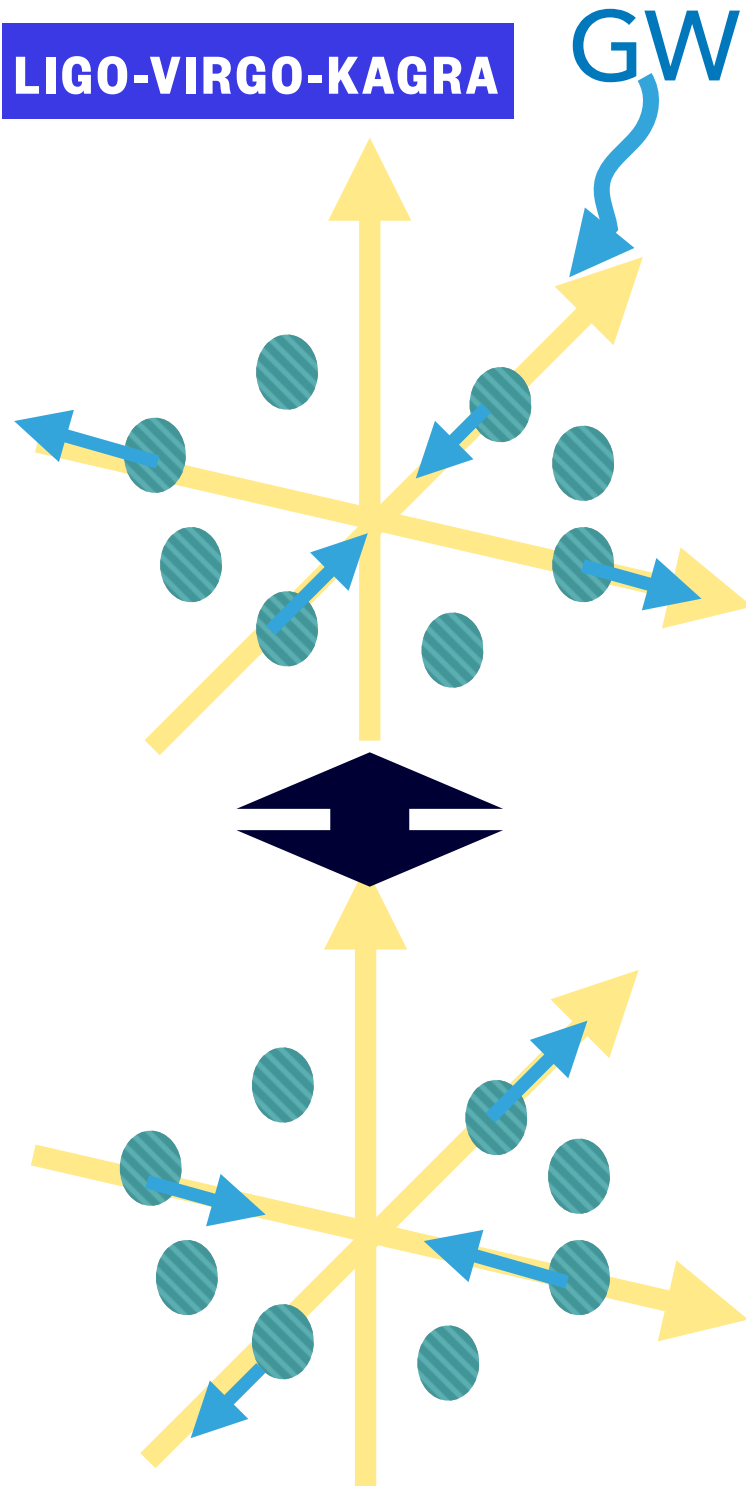
We focus on two test masses.

# Principle of Observation

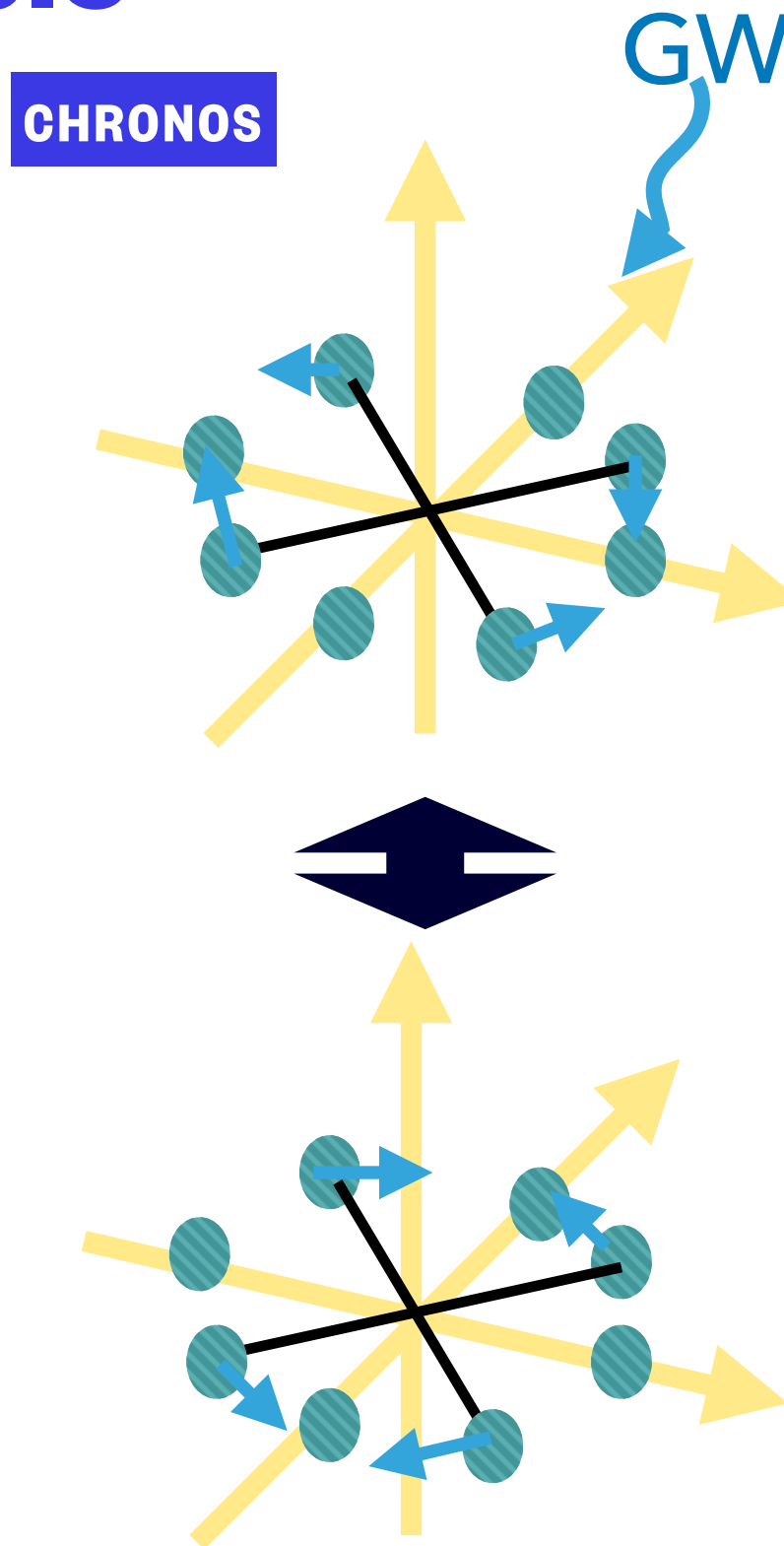


# Comparison of principle

LIGO-VIRGO-KAGRA



CHRONOS



LIGO and CHRONOS have Independent detection method<sup>24</sup>



# CHRONOS test mass

We need to monitor the angle by laser interferometer method.

## ORIGINAL PAPER

### Torsion-bar Antenna for Low-frequency Gravitational-wave Observations

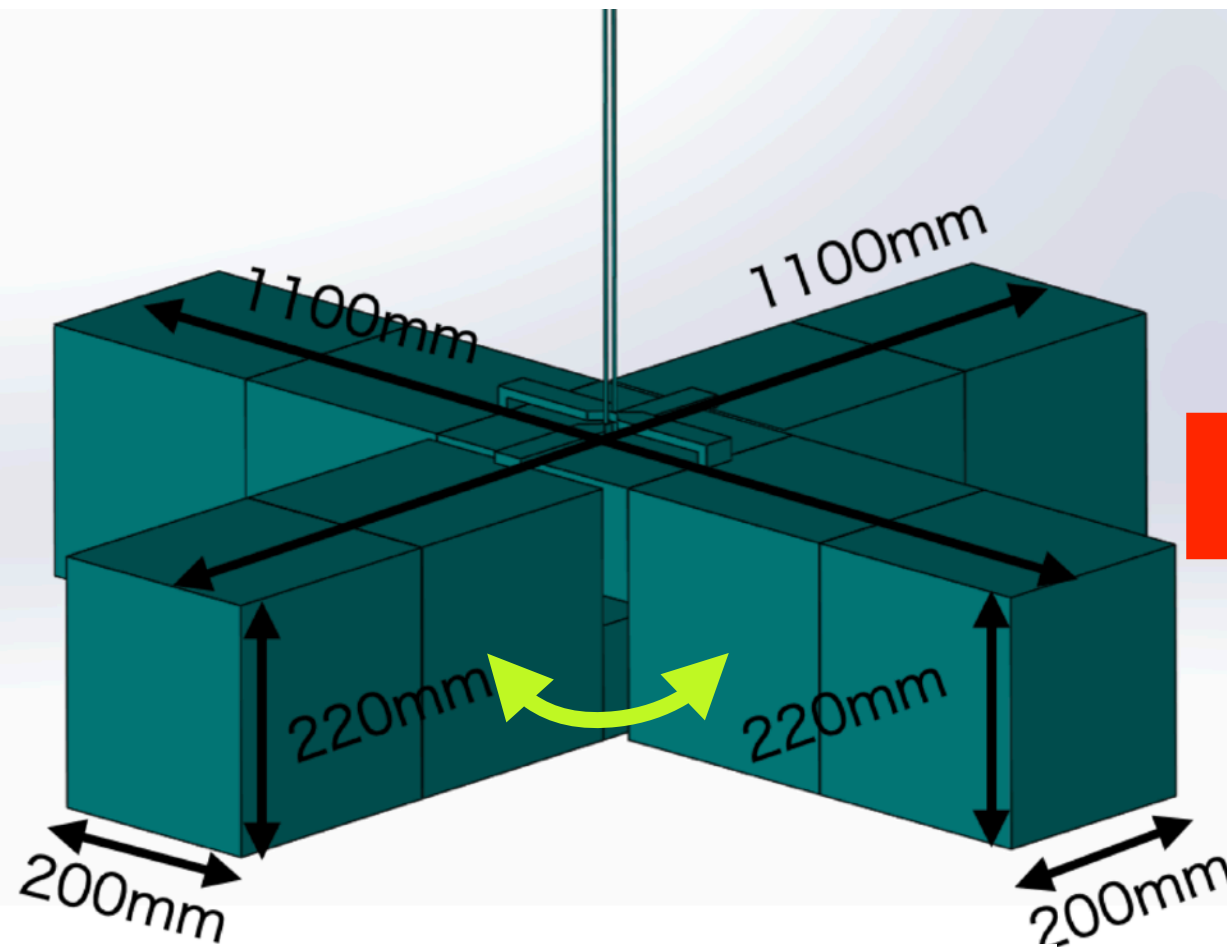
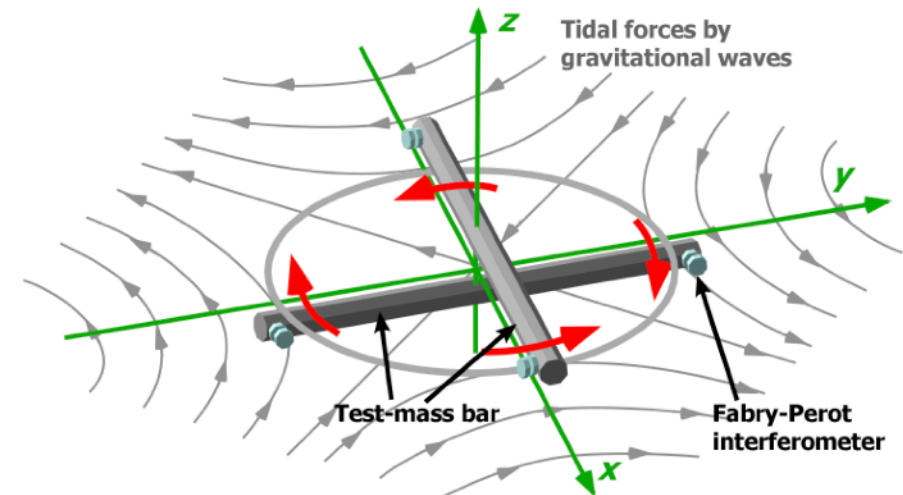
Masaki Ando,<sup>1,\*</sup> Koji Ishidoshiro,<sup>2,†</sup> Kazuhiro Yamamoto,<sup>3</sup> Kent Yagi,<sup>1</sup>  
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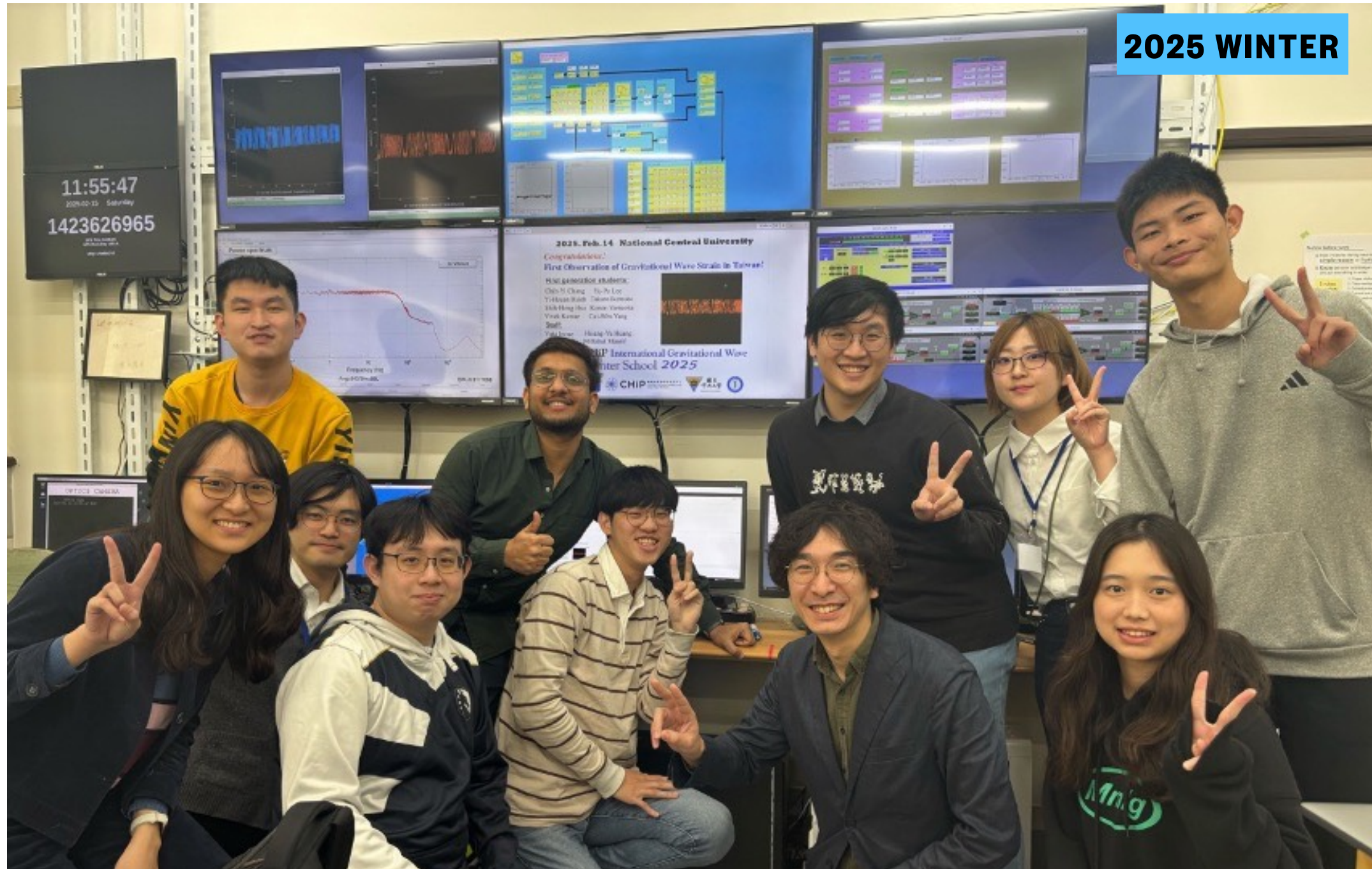
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$$\theta(\Omega) \simeq \frac{I_{\text{eff}}}{2I} (h_+ F_+ + h_\times F_\times).$$

TOBA and TorPeDOR already demonstrate the principle of torsion bar detector.

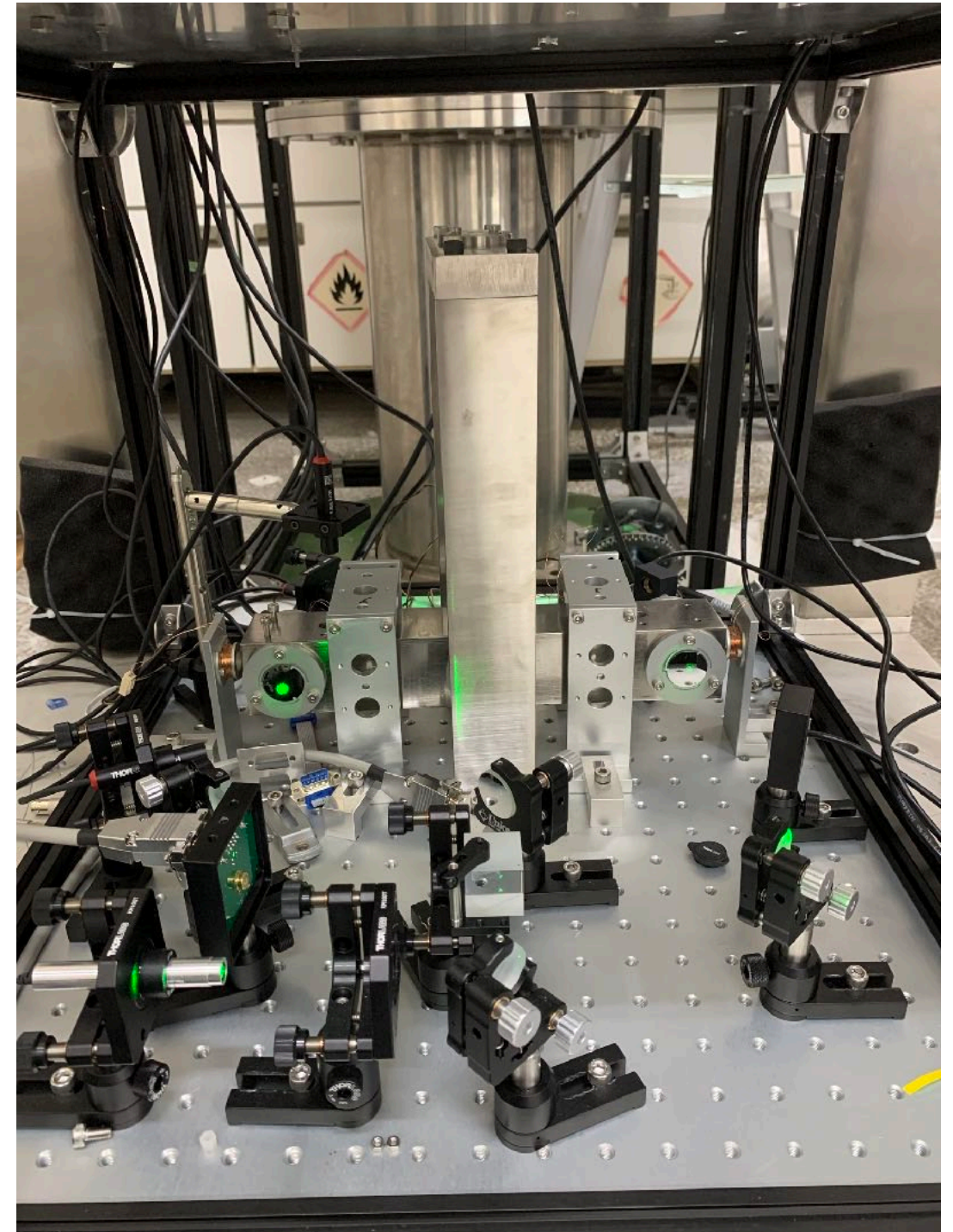
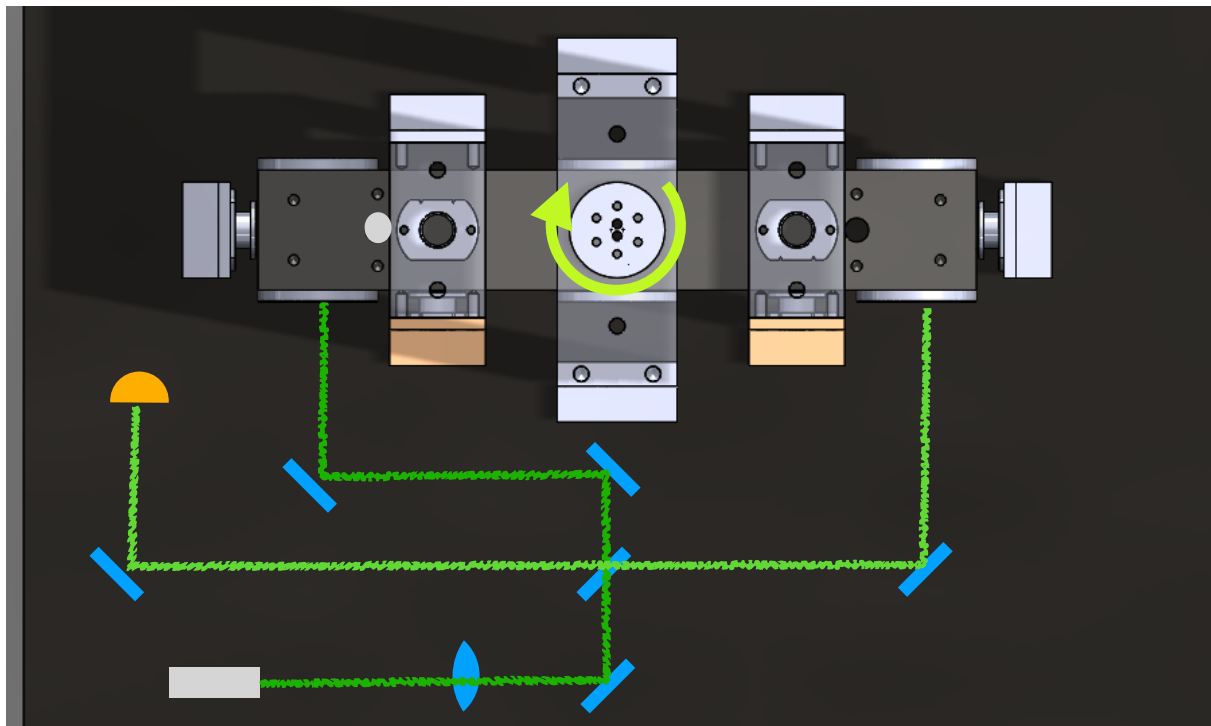
# CHiP international GW Winter school



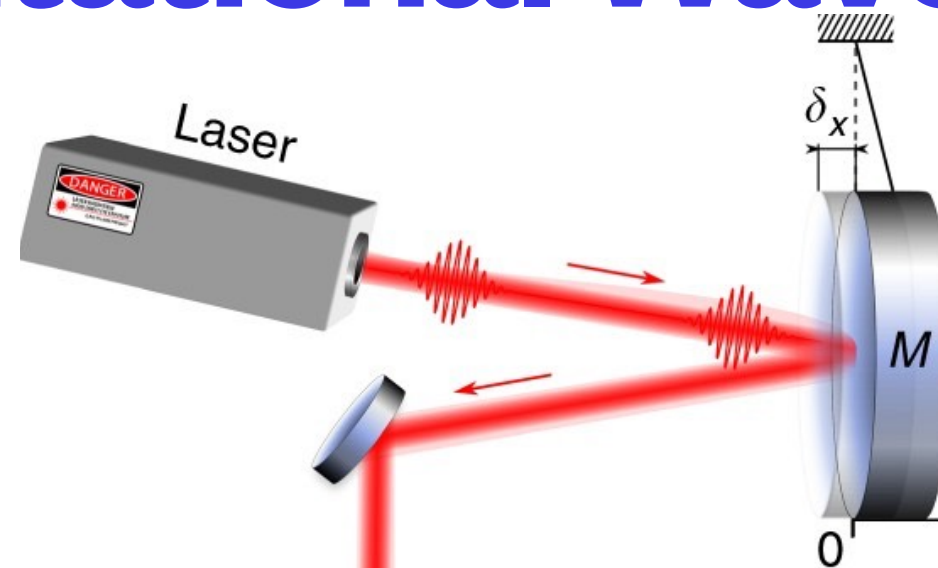


# Demonstration with mini-CHRONOS

- 300mm torsion bar
- First Demonstration of technology
- Educational system
- Text book and lecture
- 10days program



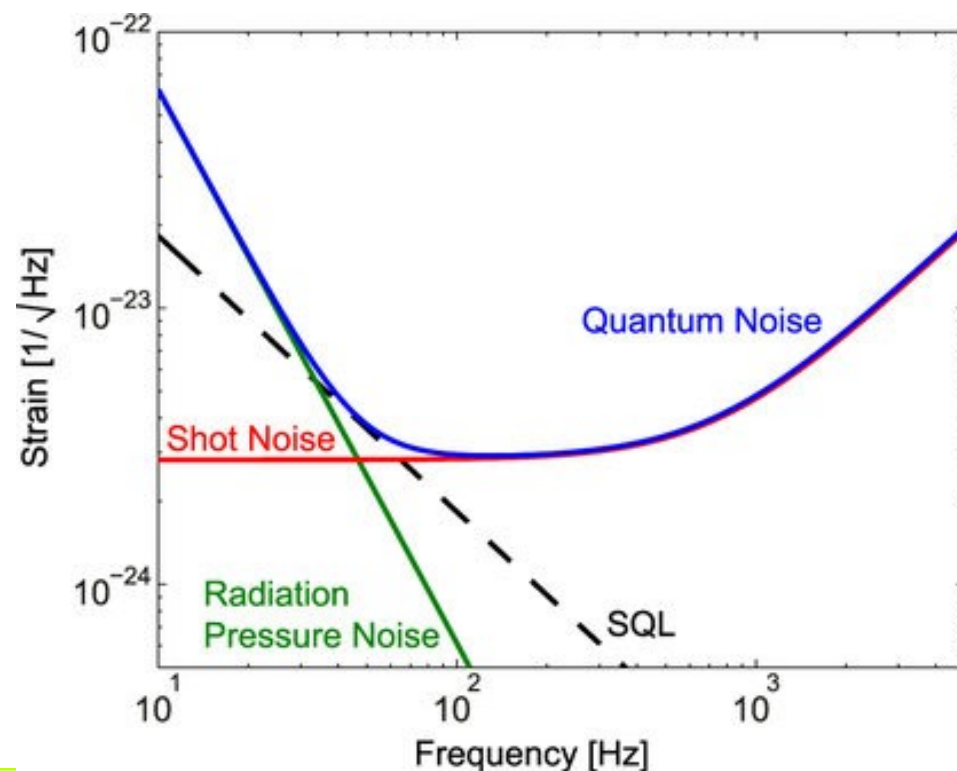
# Gravitational Wave Experiment



$$\epsilon(x)\eta(p) \geq \frac{\hbar}{2}$$

Back action disturbance

Displacement Measurement



Injection of photon =  $\Delta x$  measurement

→ If we increase the power, we can improve  $\delta x(t)$  measurement

→ But, it causes back action and changes future  $\delta x(t + \tau)$

$$dx/dt = [H, x] \neq 0$$



# Comparison of Technology

	Thermal noise	Bar thermal noise	Quantum noise
<b>TorPeDO</b>	Room temperature	SUS(Low-Q) High Optical availability	1m torsion bar
<b>TOBA</b>	Cryogenic technology	Silicon (High-Q)	10m torsion bar
<b>CHRONOS</b>	Cryogenic technology	Sapphire(High-Q)	1 meter torsion bar Speed meter

Diagram illustrating the evolution of technology from TorPeDO to CHRONOS, showing improvements in thermal noise, bar thermal noise, and quantum noise.

Annotations:

- Red arrows indicate the progression from TorPeDO to TOBA and from TOBA to CHRONOS.
- Red arrows point to the "Thermal noise" and "Bar thermal noise" columns, with labels "Thermal noise" and "Radiation noise" respectively.
- A red arrow points to the "Quantum noise" column, with a label "Small size".

By unifying speed meter, we solved mirror size problem.

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# Quantum approach

1927 Heisenberg Uncertainty principle

$$\epsilon(x)\eta(p) \geq \hbar$$

photon

$\gamma$

$$\Delta x: \epsilon(x) \sim \lambda$$

Displacement  
Measurement

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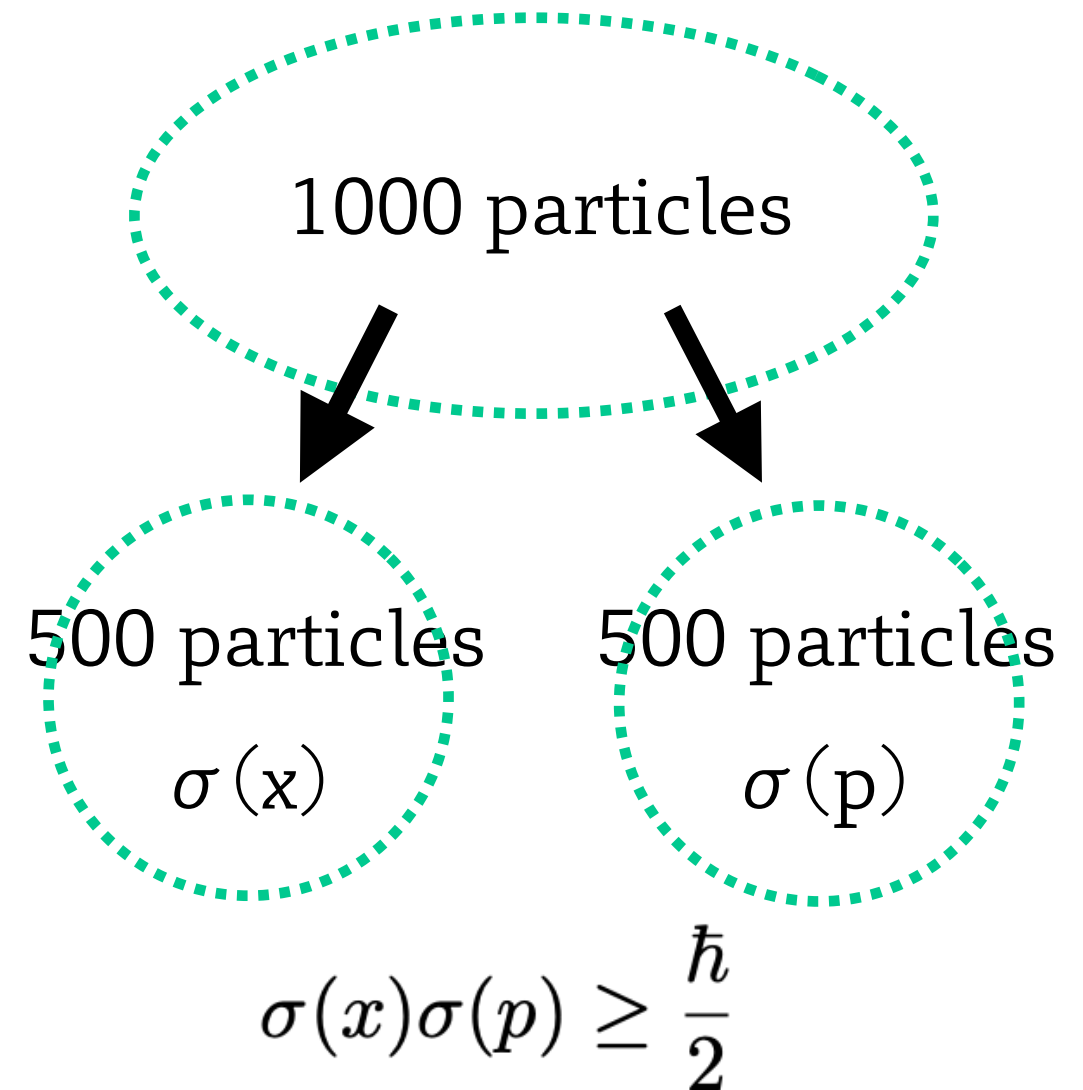
Compton scattering

$$\Delta p: \eta(p) \sim \hbar / \lambda$$

Back action disturbance

1929 Robertson relation

$$\sigma(A)\sigma(B) \geq \frac{1}{2} |\langle [\hat{A}, \hat{B}] \rangle|$$

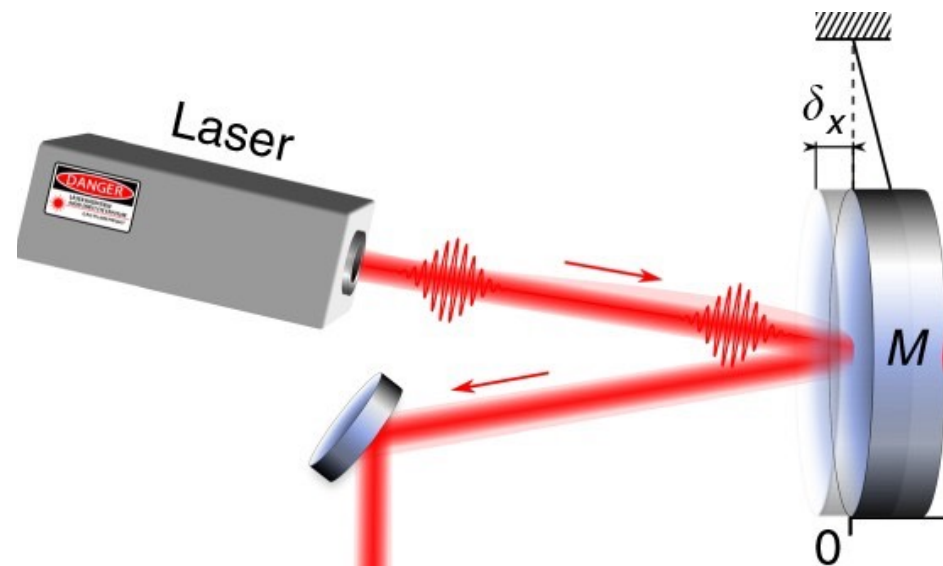


# Ozawa's Inequality

Prof. Ozawa modified Heisenberg Uncertainty principle (2003)!

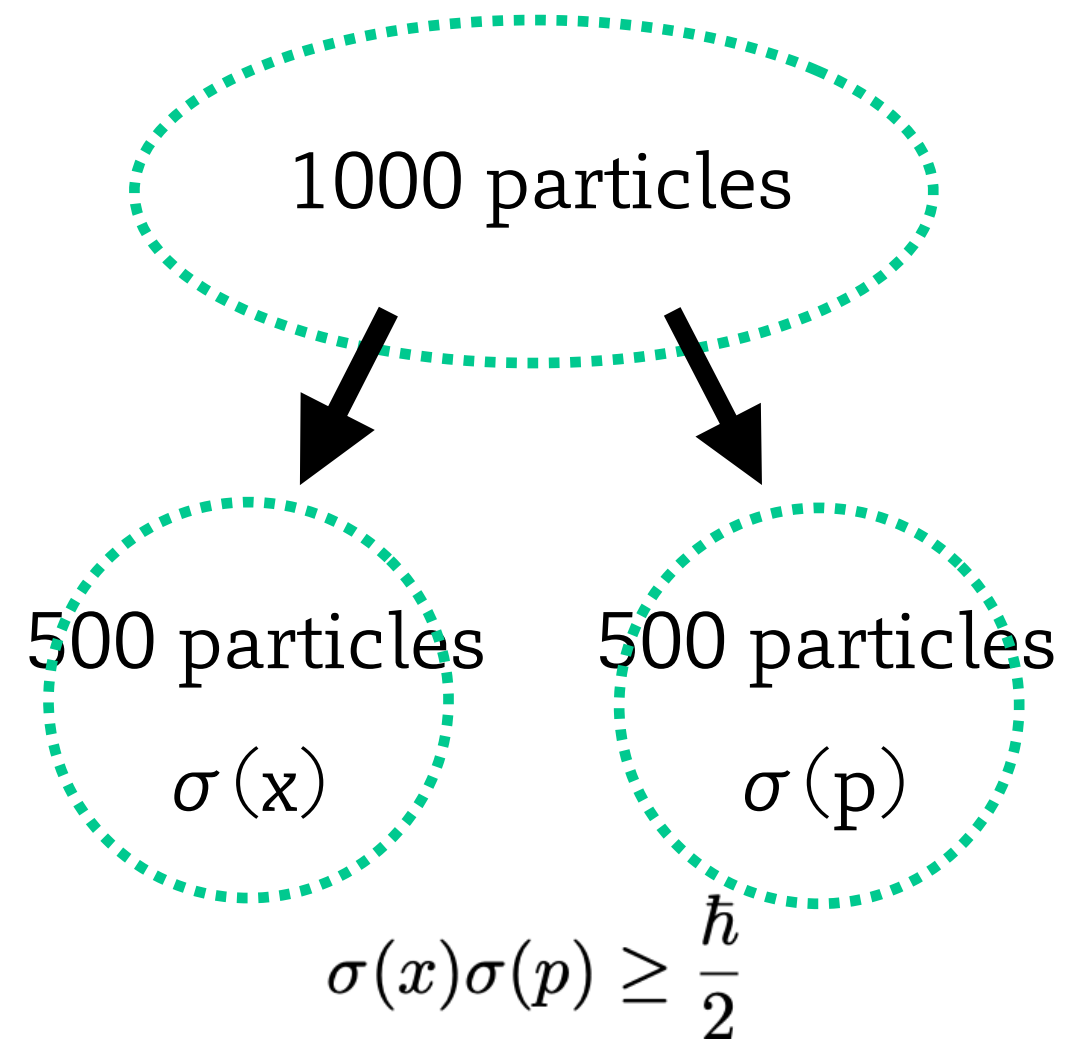
$$\epsilon(A)\eta(B) + \sigma(A_{in})\eta(B) + \epsilon(A)\sigma(B_{in}) \geq \frac{1}{2} |\langle \psi | [\hat{A}_{in}, \hat{B}_{in}] | \psi \rangle|$$

$\Delta p: \eta(p) \sim \hbar / \lambda$   
Back action disturbance



$\Delta x: \epsilon(x) \sim \lambda$

Displacement Measurement





# How to realize non-demolition system?

## Speed meter!

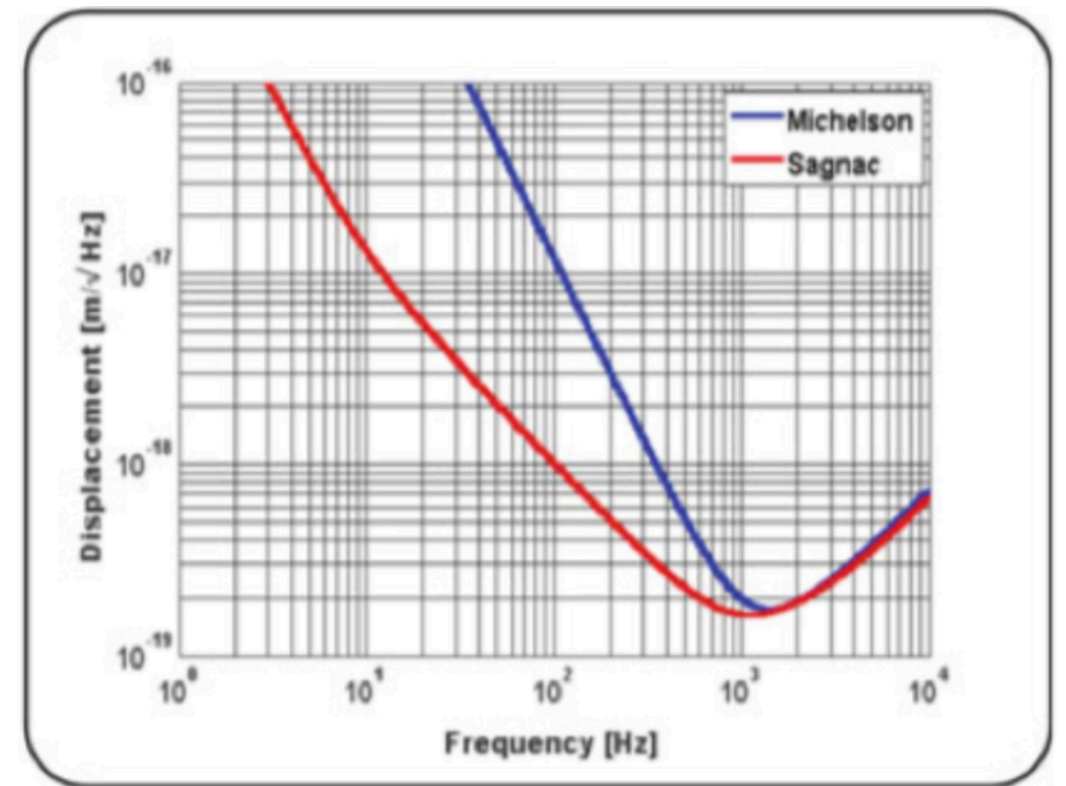
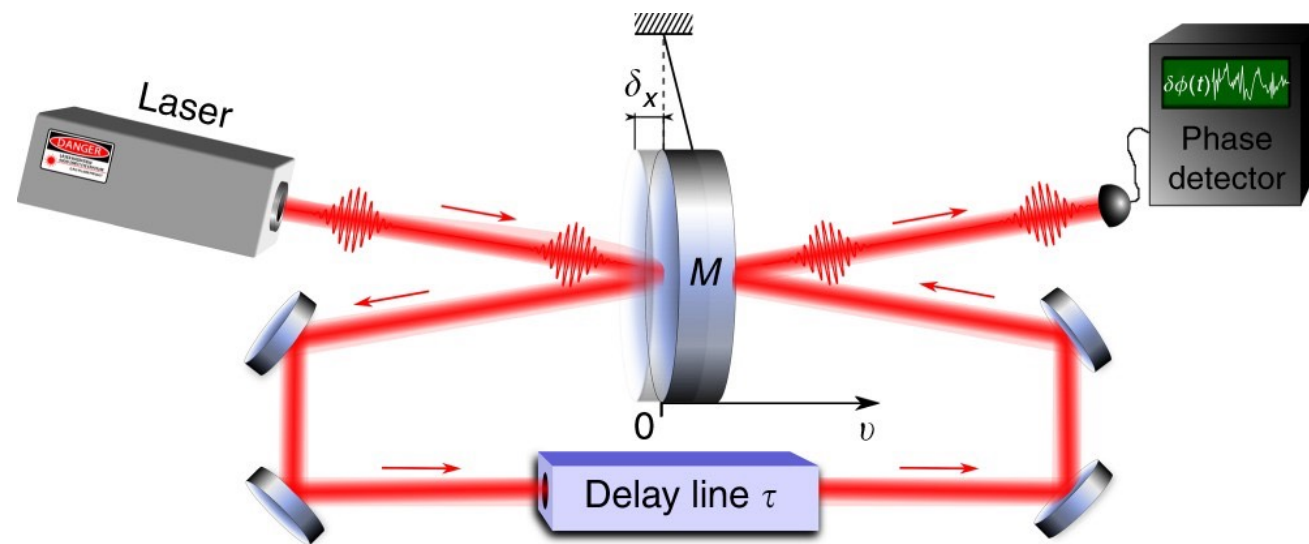


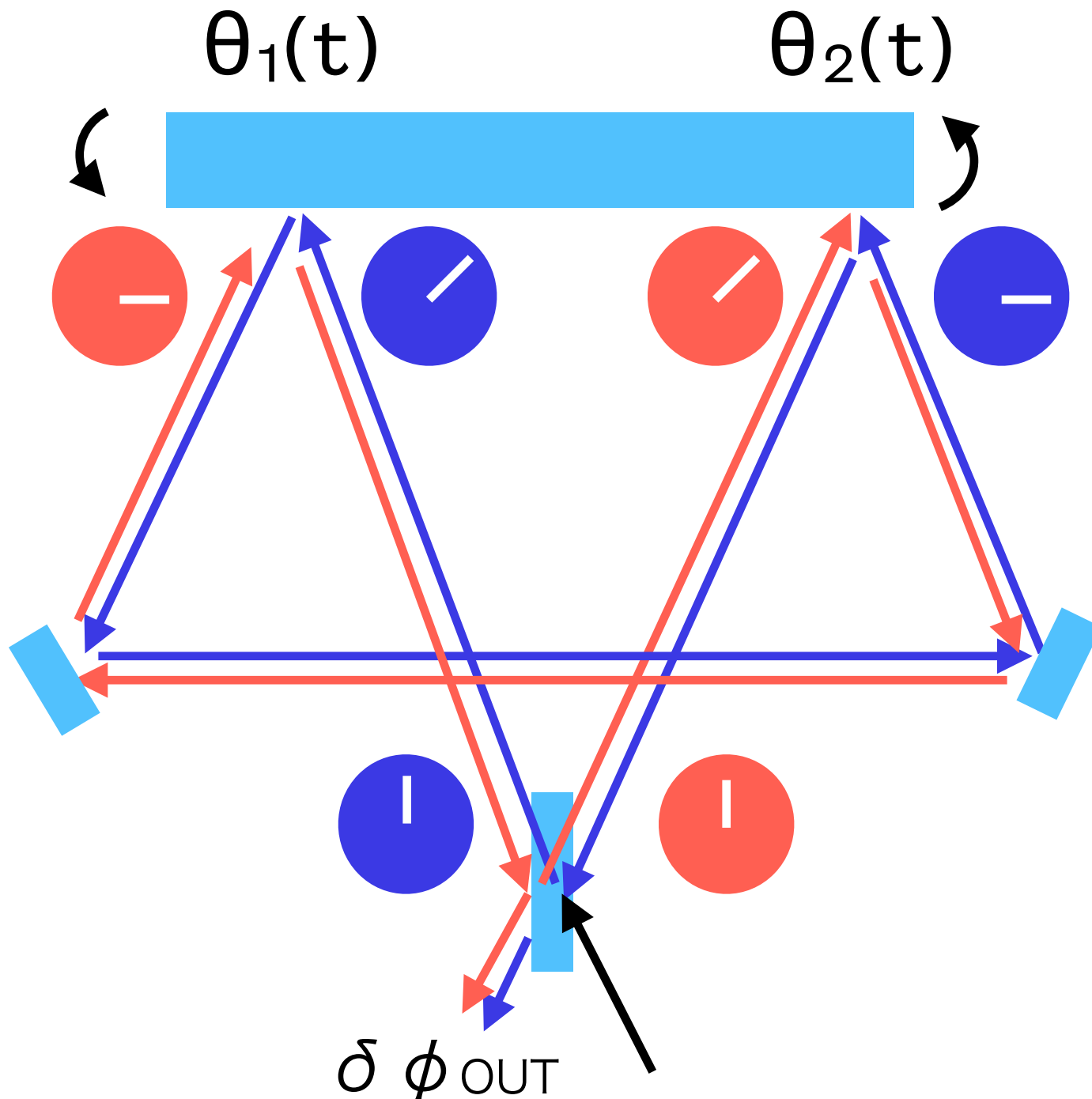
Photo detector =  $\delta x(t+\tau) - \delta x(t) = v\tau$  measurement,  
where  $\tau$  is constant.

Probe is proportional to momentum!

$$[\hat{H}, \hat{p}] = 0 \longrightarrow \text{non-demolition!}$$

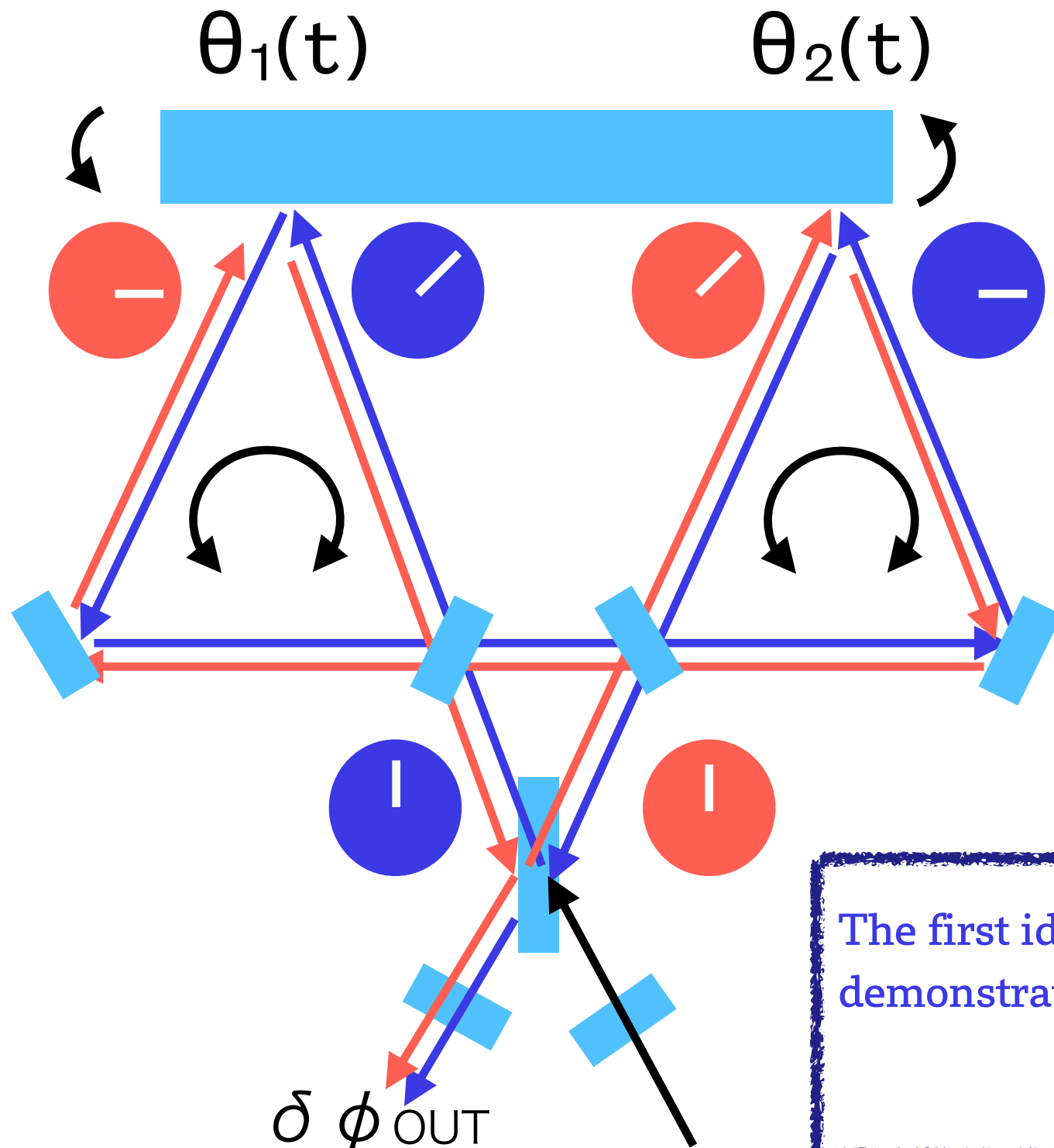
Demonstration of non-demolition system is also unique science

# Speed meter for torsion bar



- $\delta \phi_{CW} \propto \theta_2(t) + \theta_1(t + \tau)$
- $\delta \phi_{CCW} \propto \theta_1(t) + \theta_2(t + \tau)$
- $\delta \phi_{OUT} = \tau (\omega_1 - \omega_2)$
- We employ Sagnac interferometer.
- We measure the phase delay of CW and CCW beams.
- Time interval,  $\tau$ , should be same because of common path.

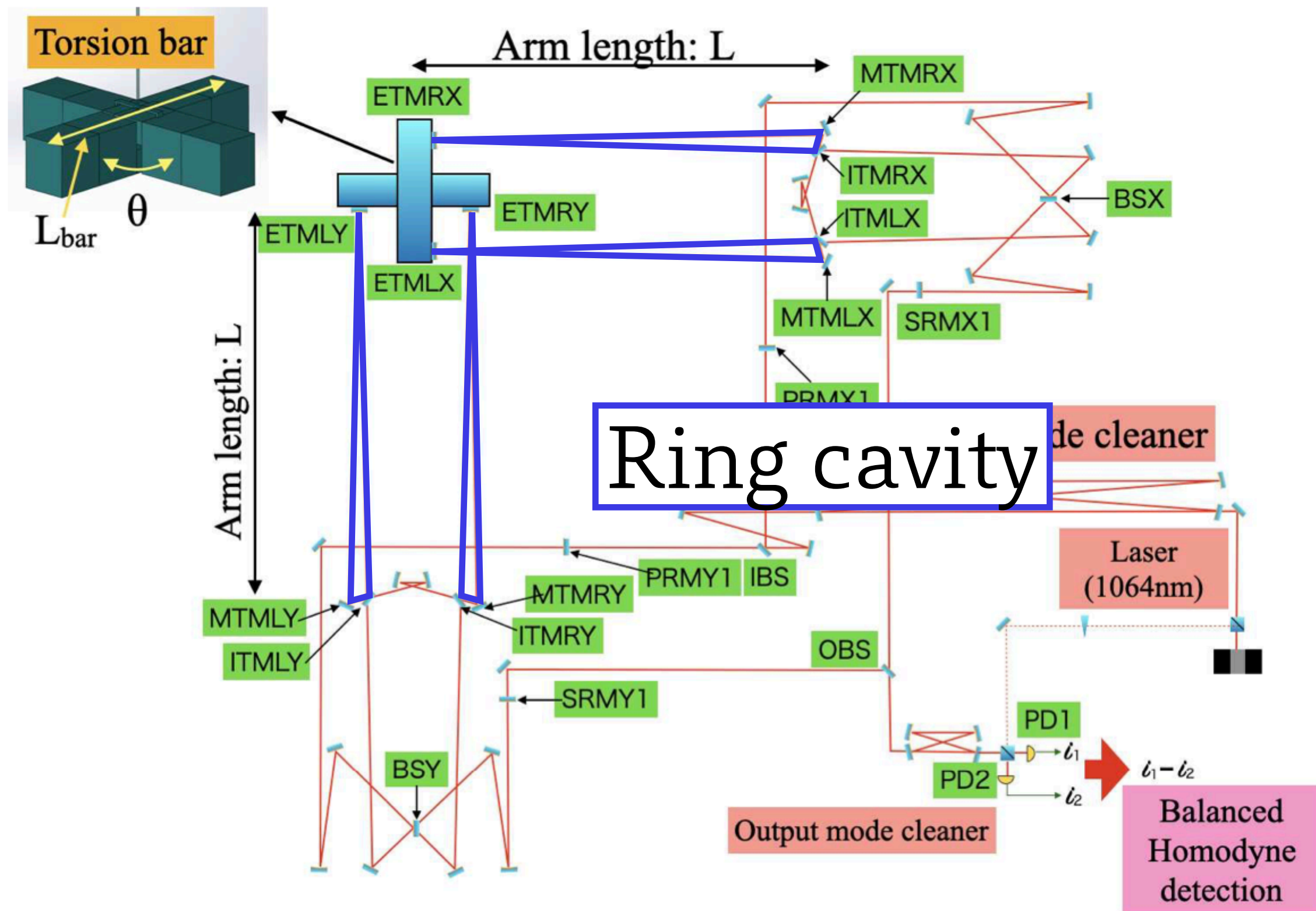
# Speed meter technique



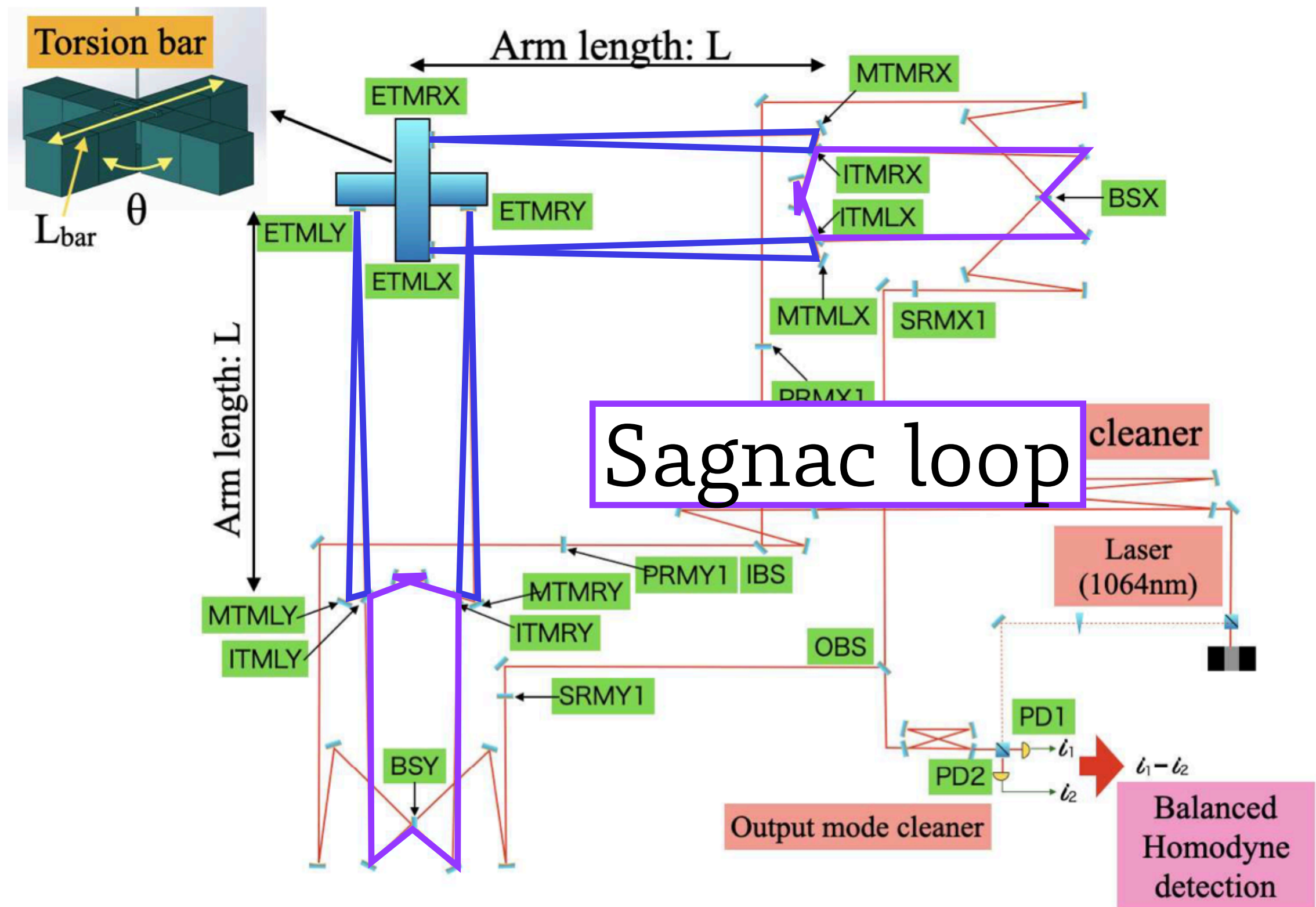
- $\delta \phi_{CW} \propto \theta_2(t) + \theta_1(t + \tau)$
- $\delta \phi_{CCW} \propto \theta_1(t) + \theta_2(t + \tau)$
- $\delta \phi_{OUT} = \tau_{eff}(\omega_1 - \omega_2)$ 
  - Install the ring cavity to amplify the signal.
- Power recycling cavity and Signal recycling cavity are also employed

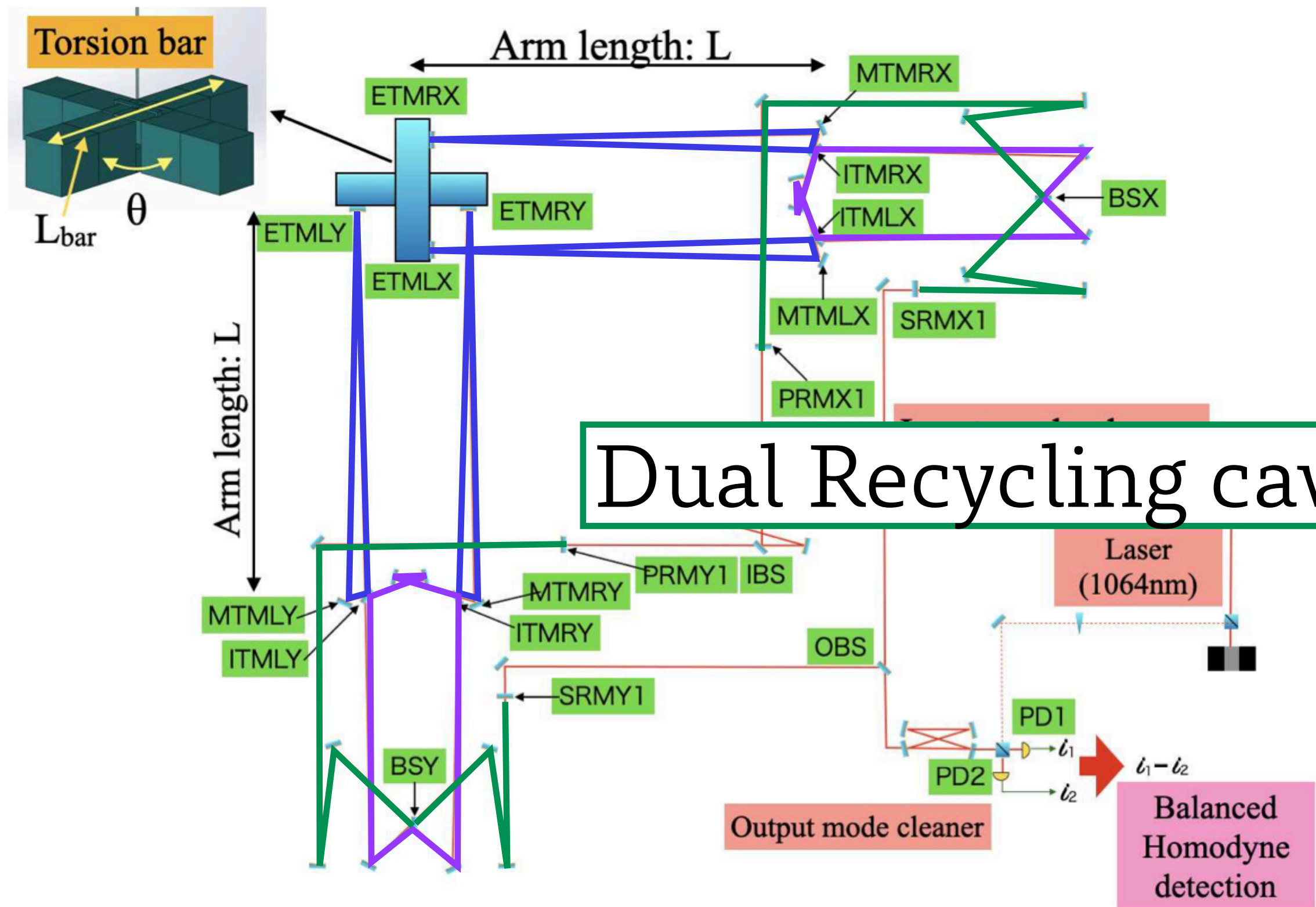
The first idea of Quantum non-demolition demonstration on angular momentum for GW detector:

$$\dot{\hat{L}} = [\hat{H}, \hat{L}] = 0$$









# Comparison

Ozawa's inequality

$$\underbrace{\epsilon(A)\eta(B)}_{\text{SQL}} + \underbrace{\sigma(A_{in})\eta(B)}_{\text{Radiation noise}} + \underbrace{\epsilon(A)\sigma(B_{in})}_{\text{Shot noise}} \geq \frac{1}{2} |\langle \psi | [\hat{A}_{in}, \hat{B}_{in}] | \psi \rangle|$$

(i) aLIGO:  $A=\hat{x}$ ,  $B=\hat{p}$

$$d\hat{x}/dt = [\hat{H}, \hat{x}] \neq 0 \Rightarrow \text{tradeoff b/w } \eta(\hat{p}) \text{ and } \epsilon(\hat{x})$$

(ii) aLIGO+speed meter:  $A=\hat{p}$ ,  $B=\hat{x}$

$$d\hat{p}/dt = [\hat{H}, \hat{p}] = 0 \Rightarrow \text{minimize } \eta(\hat{x}) \text{ by keeping shot noise } \epsilon(\hat{p})$$

(iii) TOBA:  $A=\hat{\theta}$ ,  $B=\hat{L}$

$$d\hat{\theta}/dt = [\hat{H}, \hat{\theta}] \neq 0 \Rightarrow \text{tradeoff b/w } \eta(\hat{L}) \text{ and } \epsilon(\hat{\theta})$$

(iv) CHRONOS (This work):  $A=\hat{L}$ ,  $B=\hat{\theta}$

$$d\hat{L}/dt = [\hat{H}, \hat{L}] = 0 \Rightarrow \text{minimize } \eta(\hat{\theta}) \text{ by keeping shot noise } \epsilon(\hat{L})$$

※Squeezing is corresponding to  $\sigma$  term.

# Comparison

Ozawa's inequality

$$\epsilon(A)\eta(P) + \sigma(A)\sigma(P) + \epsilon(A)\sigma(P) \geq \frac{1}{2} |\langle [\hat{A}, \hat{P}] \rangle|$$

SQL

(i) aLIGO:

$$dx/dt = [H, p]$$

(ii) aLIGO+e

$$[H, p] = 0$$

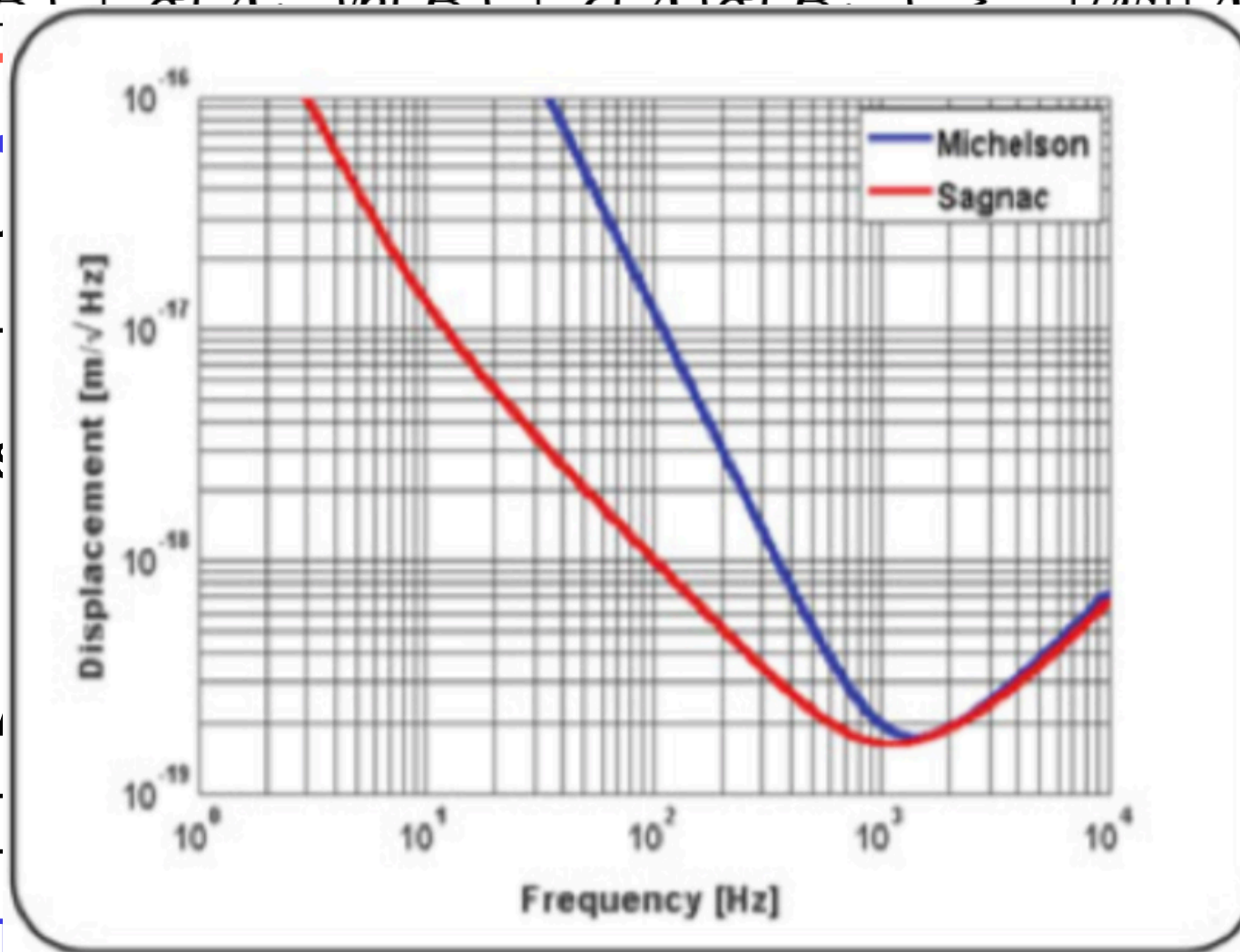
(iii) TOBA:

$$d\theta/dt = [H, \hat{\theta}]$$

(iv) CHRONOS

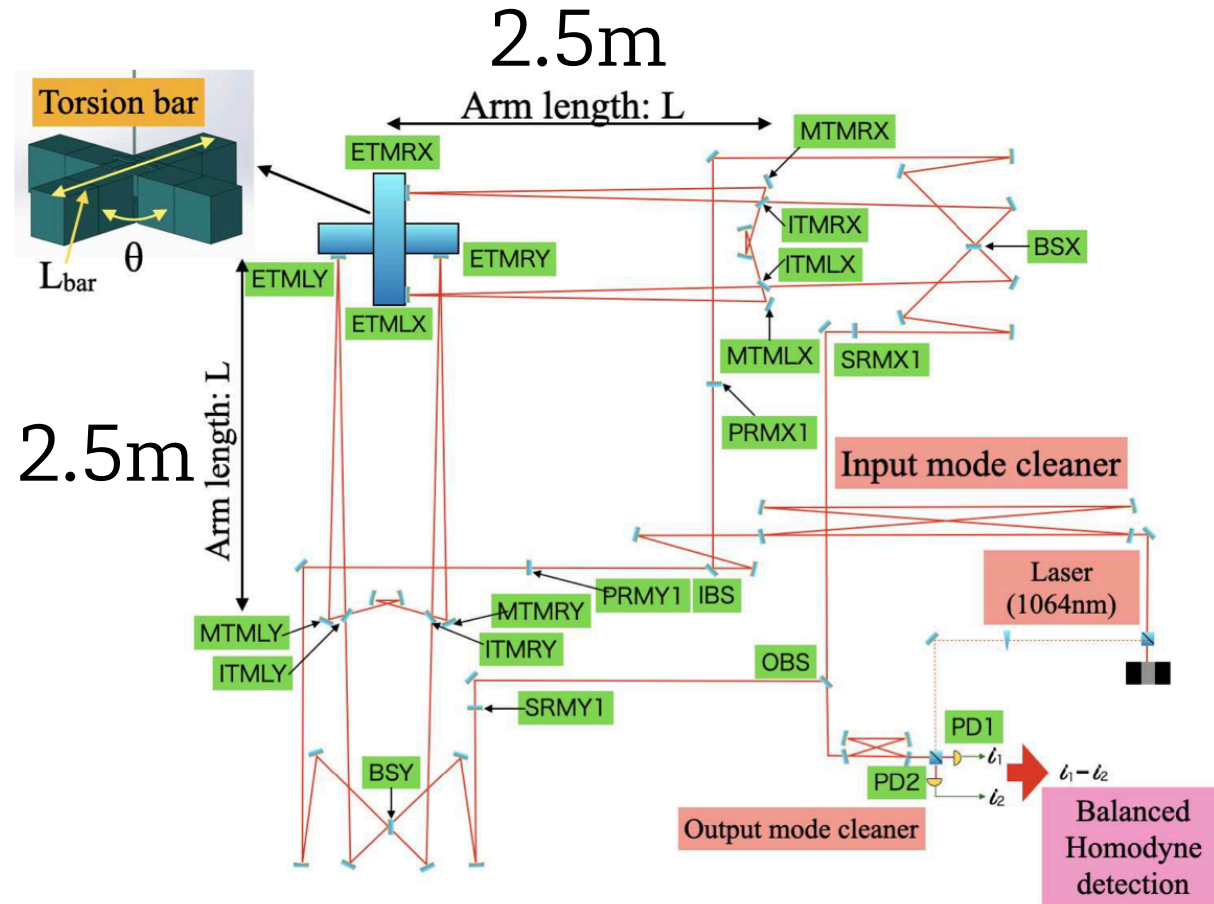
$$[H, \hat{L}] = 0 \Rightarrow \text{minimize } \eta(\hat{\theta}) \text{ by keeping shot noise } \epsilon(\hat{L})$$

※Squeezing is corresponding to  $\sigma$  term.





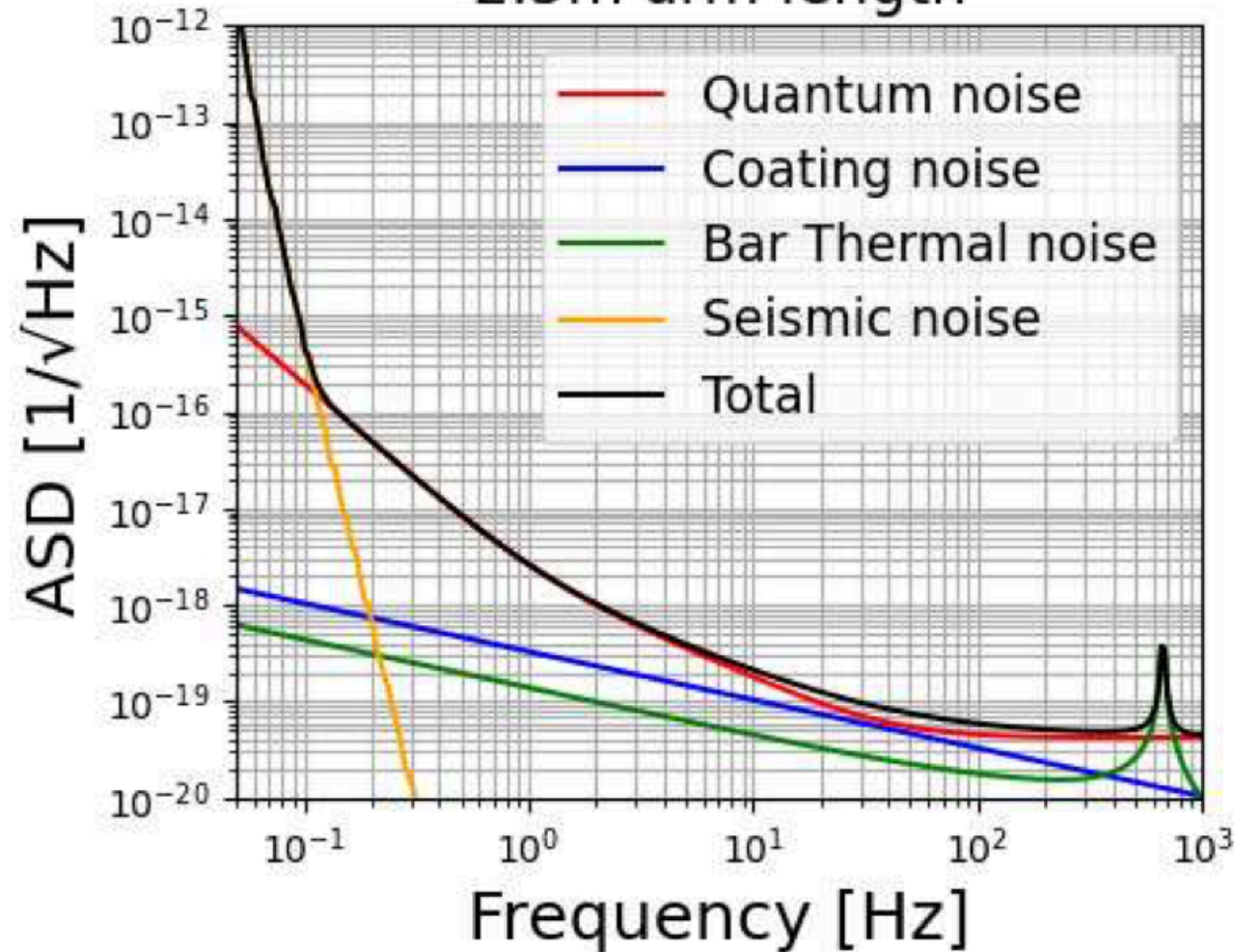
# Specification



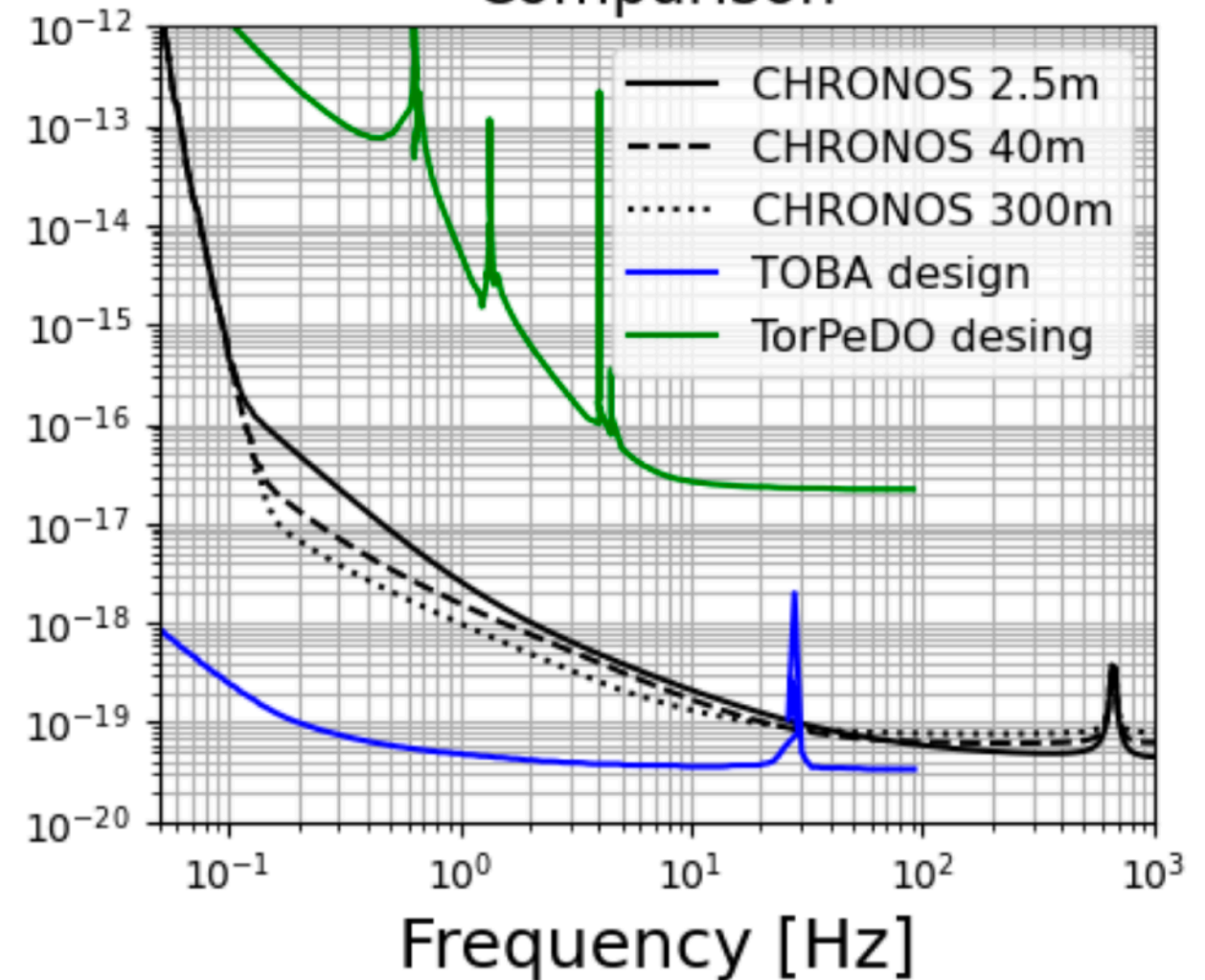
Definition	Symbol	Value
Signal-recycling mirror reflectivity	$R_s$	0.5
Power-recycling mirror reflectivity	$R_p$	0.9
Input test-mass reflectivity	$R_i$	0.9999
Input laser power	$P_{\text{in}}$	1 W
Circulating power in arm cavity	$P_{\text{arm}}$	444 W
PRC detuning phase	$\phi_p$	$-85^\circ$
SRC detuning phase	$\phi_s$	$0^\circ$
Homodyne detection angle	$\zeta$	$46^\circ$
Ring-cavity finesse	$F_{\text{ring}}$	$3.14 \times 10^4$
Beam radius on ETM	$w$	2.6 mm
ETM mass	$M_{\text{ETM}}$	171 kg
ETM moment of inertia	$I_{\text{ETM}}$	$19.9 \text{ kg m}^2$
Torsion-bar length	$L_{\text{bar}}$	1 m
Geometrical coupling factor	$\eta$	0.936

# Sensitivity

2.5m arm length



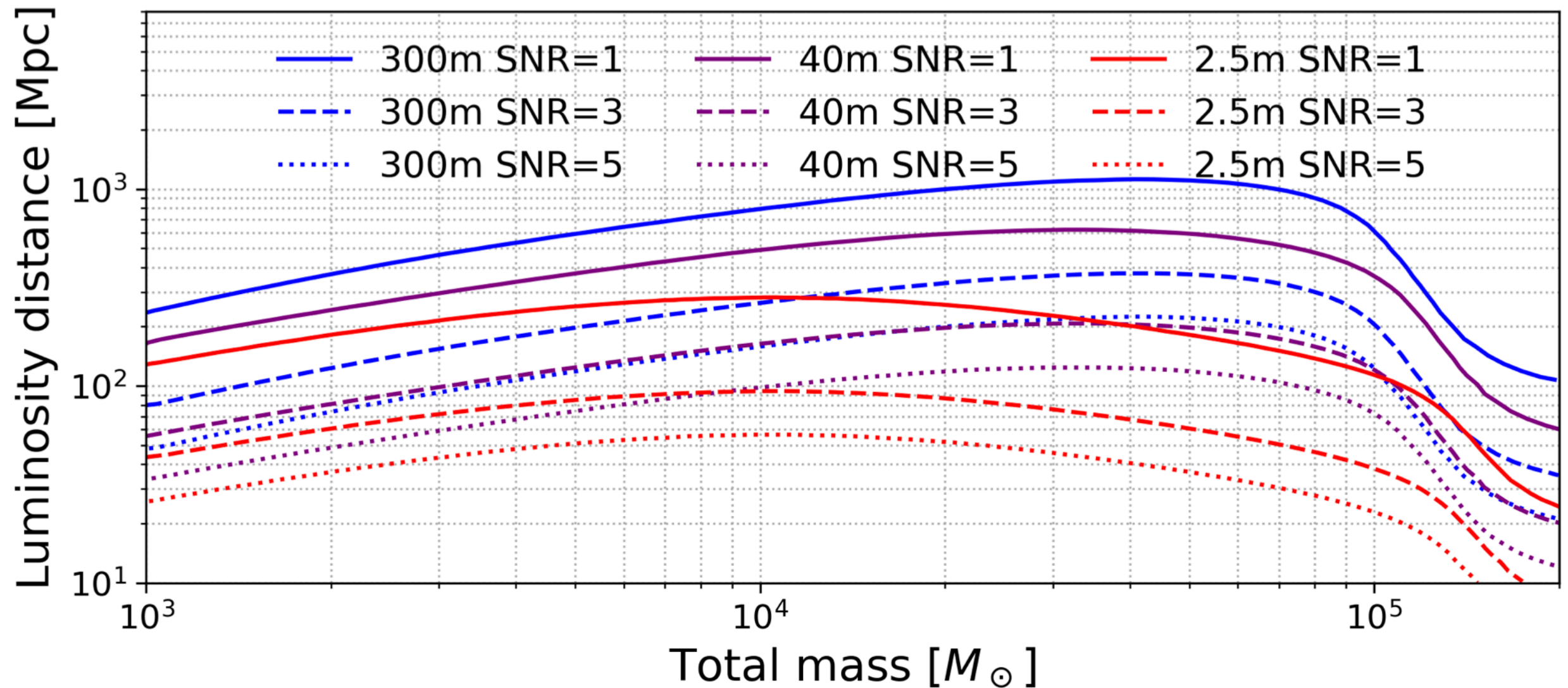
Comparison



$$\theta = \frac{\theta_{\text{SQL}}}{\sqrt{2\Gamma(\phi_s, \zeta) \kappa_{\text{sag}}}} \sqrt{1 + (\cot \zeta_{\text{eff}} - \kappa_{\text{eff}})^2},$$

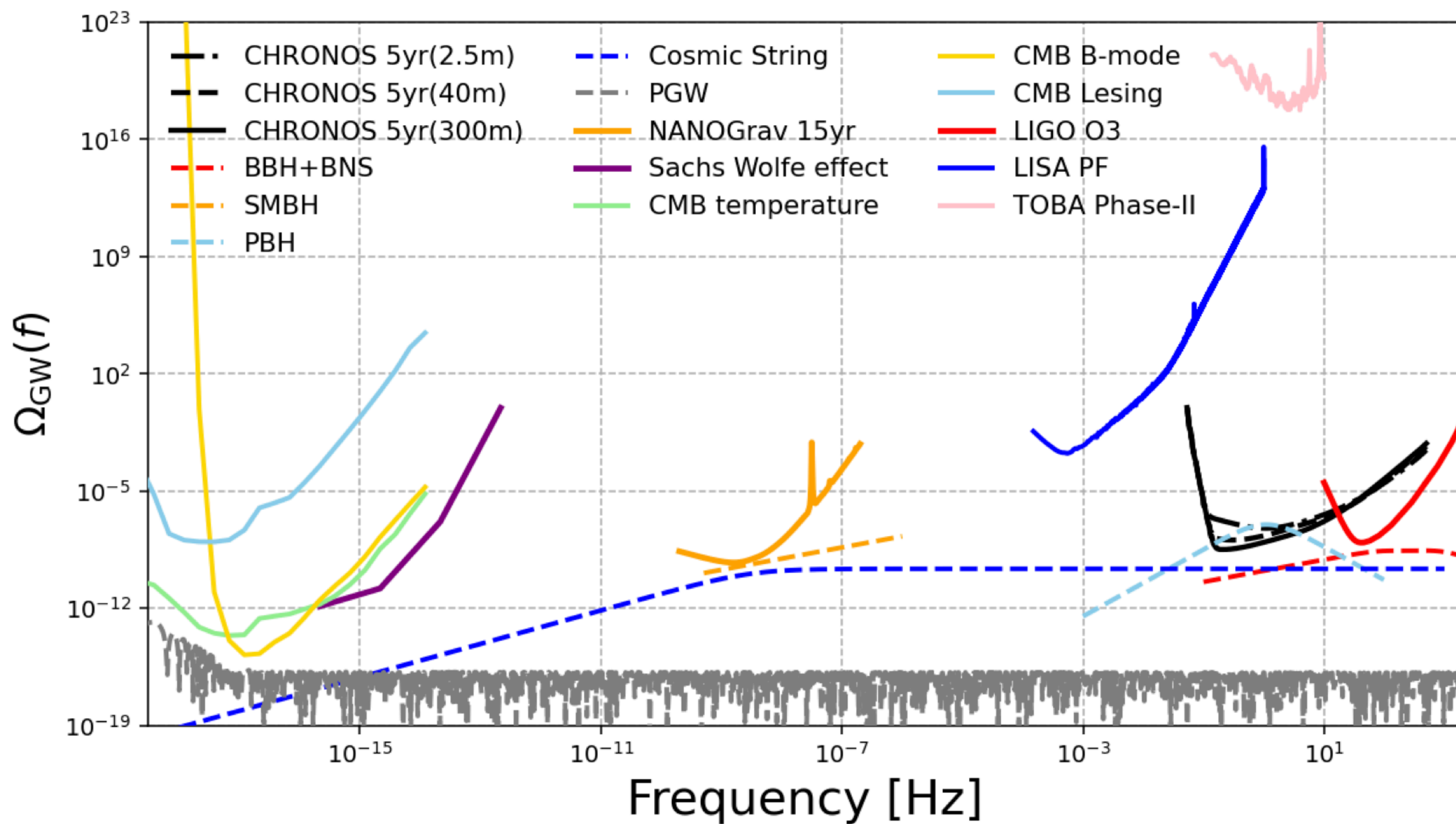
$3 \times 10^{-18} \text{ [1/}\sqrt{\text{Hz}}\text{] at 1Hz}$

# Inter mediate black hole





# Stochastic background



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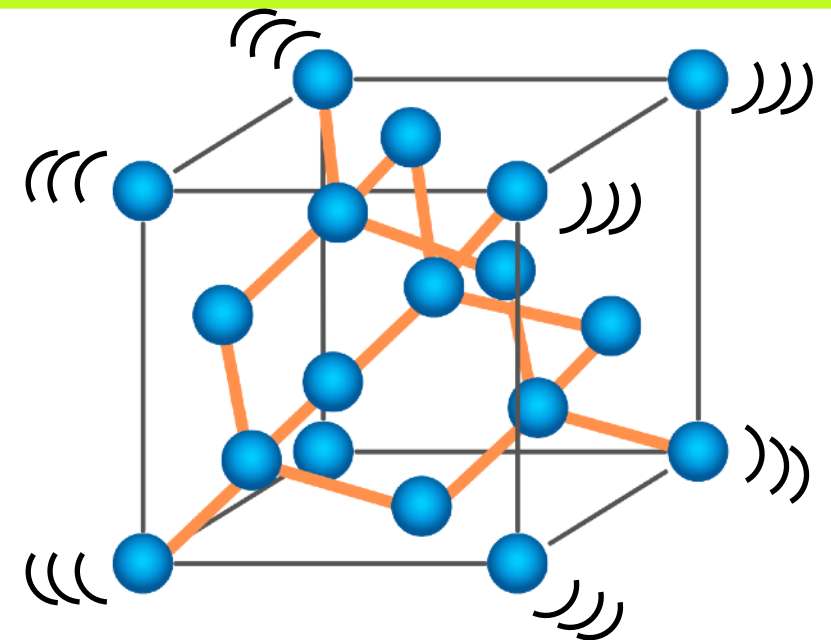
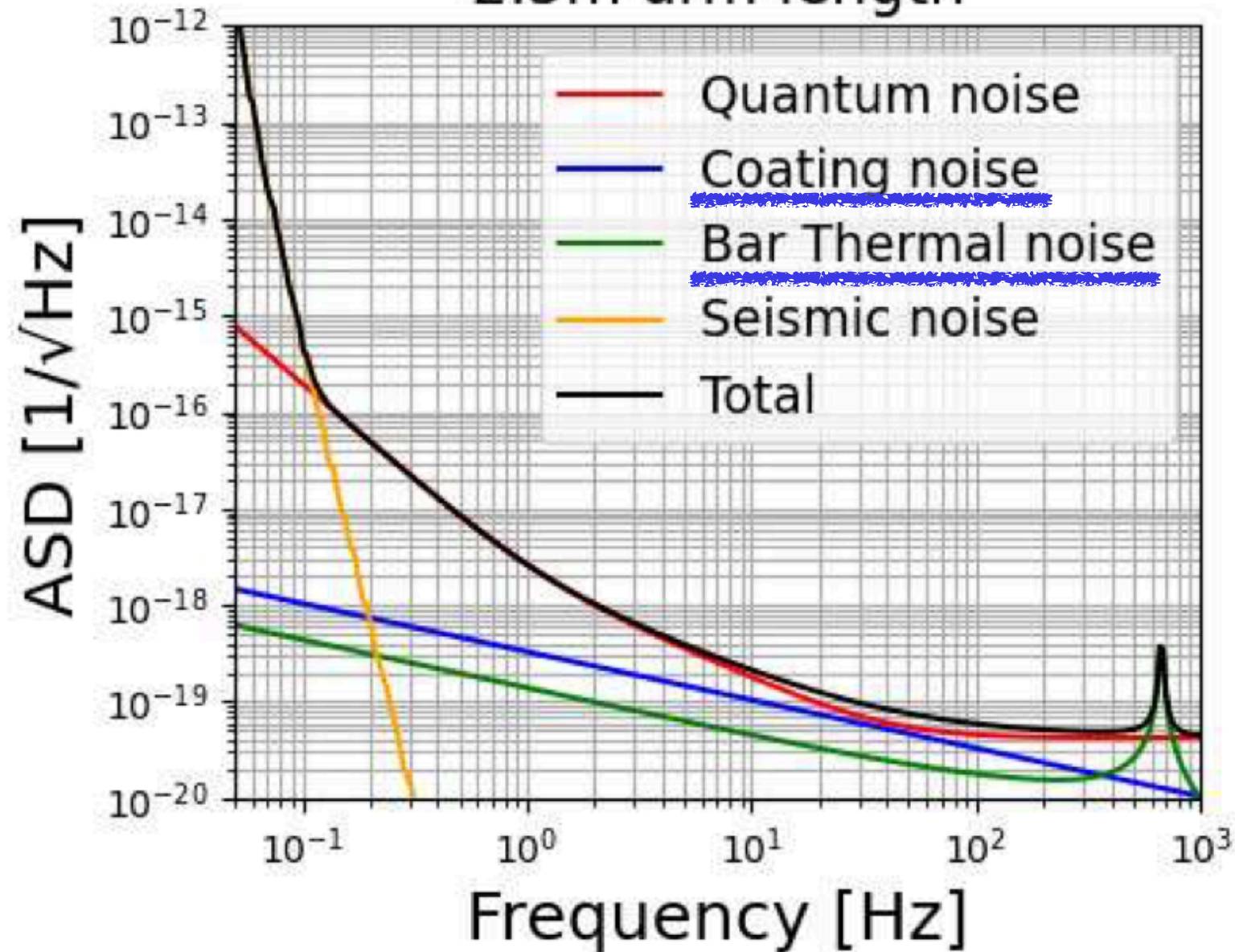
# Instrumental Noise

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# 1. Cryogenic

2.5m arm length



$$\text{Noise} = \text{source} \times \text{TF}$$

TF = Transfer function

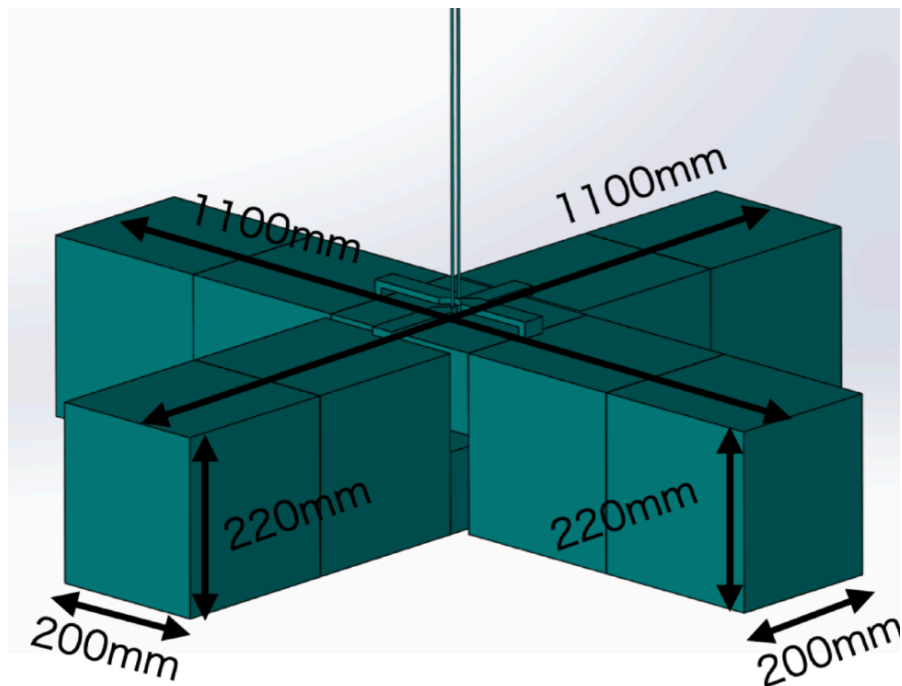
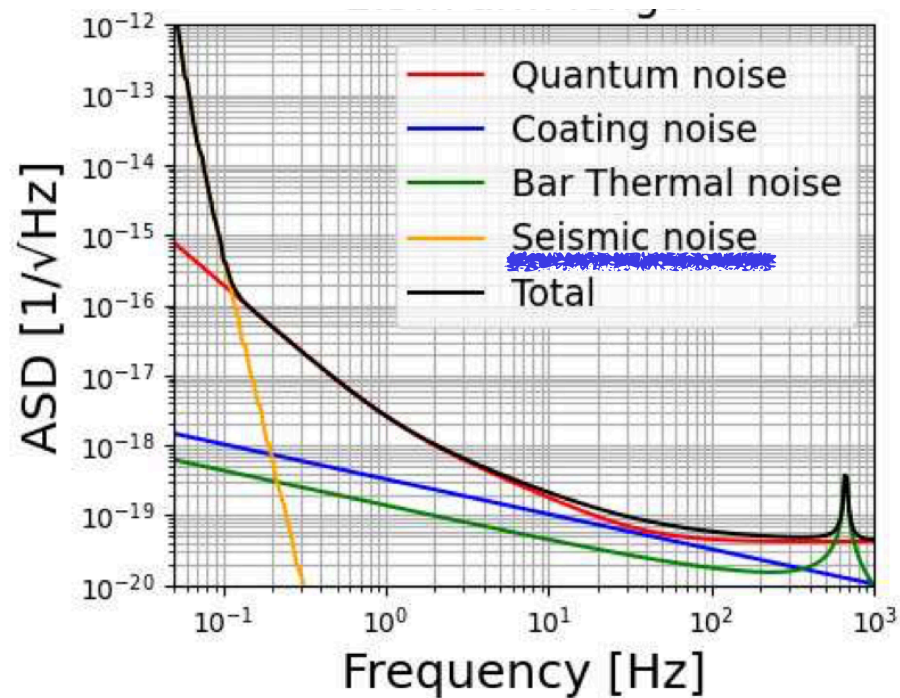
Brownian motion of  
crystal causes vibration  
source

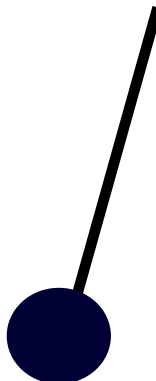
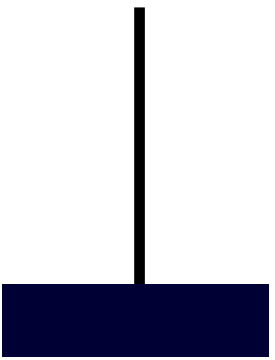
Temperature

Resonant peak and its  
tail amplify the source  
signal

Q factor

# 2. Torsion bar system



	LVK	CHRONOS
type	 Pendulum	 Torsion bar
EOM	$m\ddot{x} + c\dot{x} + kx = F$	$I\ddot{\theta} + \Gamma\dot{\theta} + \mu\theta = \tau$
Resonant Freq.	$f = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{g}{l}}$	$f = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{I}}$ $\mu = \frac{\pi G r^4}{2l}$ $G = \frac{E}{2(1+\nu)}$
Typical value ( $l=10\text{m}$ , $d=1\text{mm}$ )	0.15Hz	0.004Hz

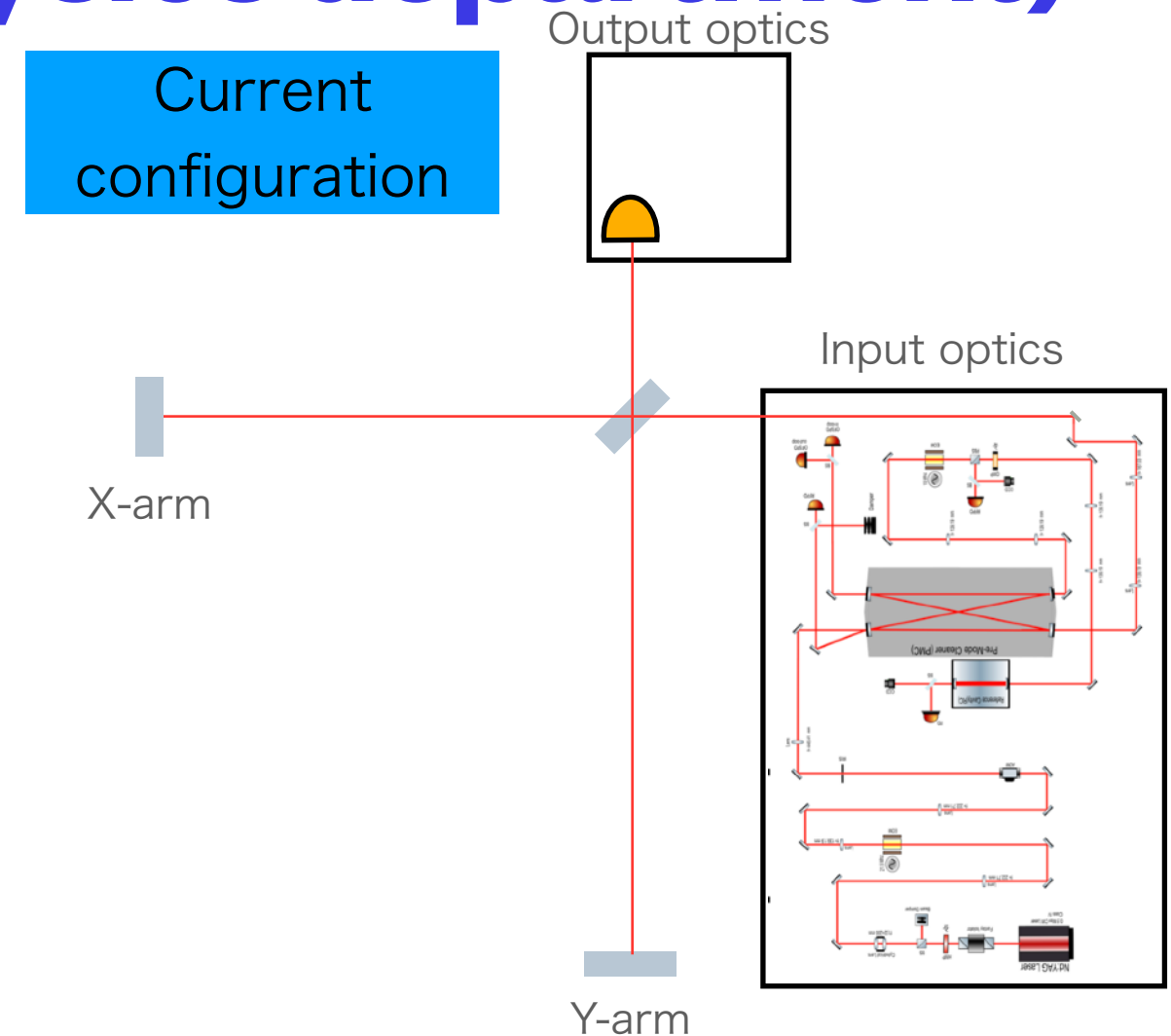
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# Project Status

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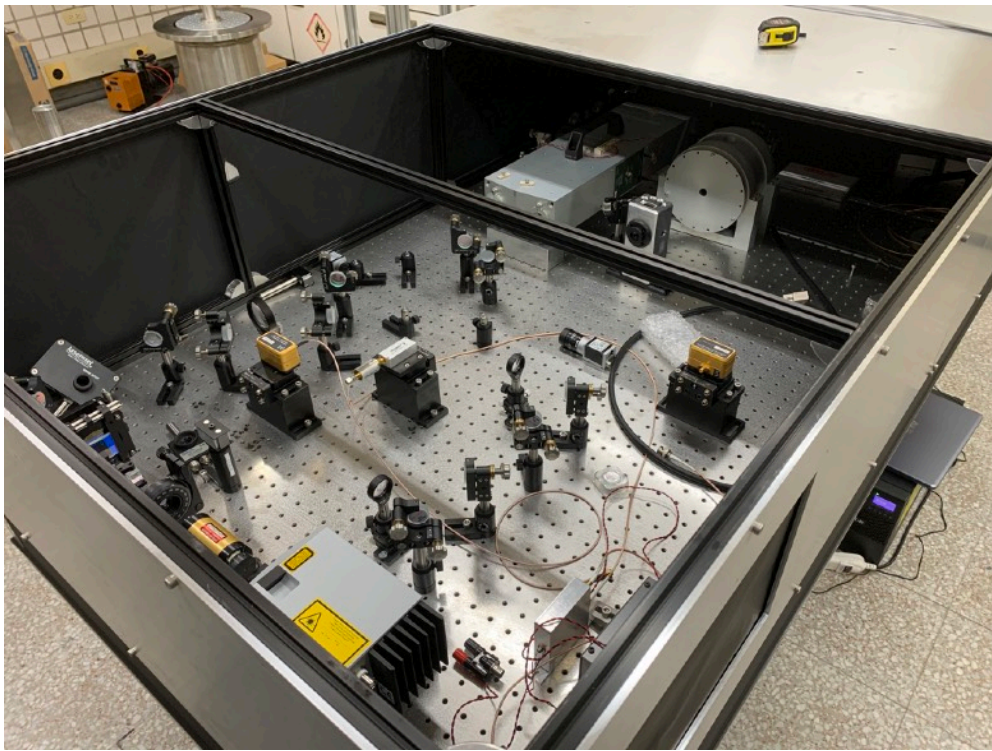
# NCU observatory (Physics department)



Michelson type interferometer  
We demonstrate the interferometer operation with real suspension system



# Input optical system



- To keep the lock acquisition state constantly, we need to provide high quality laser beam
- By using feedback control system, we stabilize the laser beam.

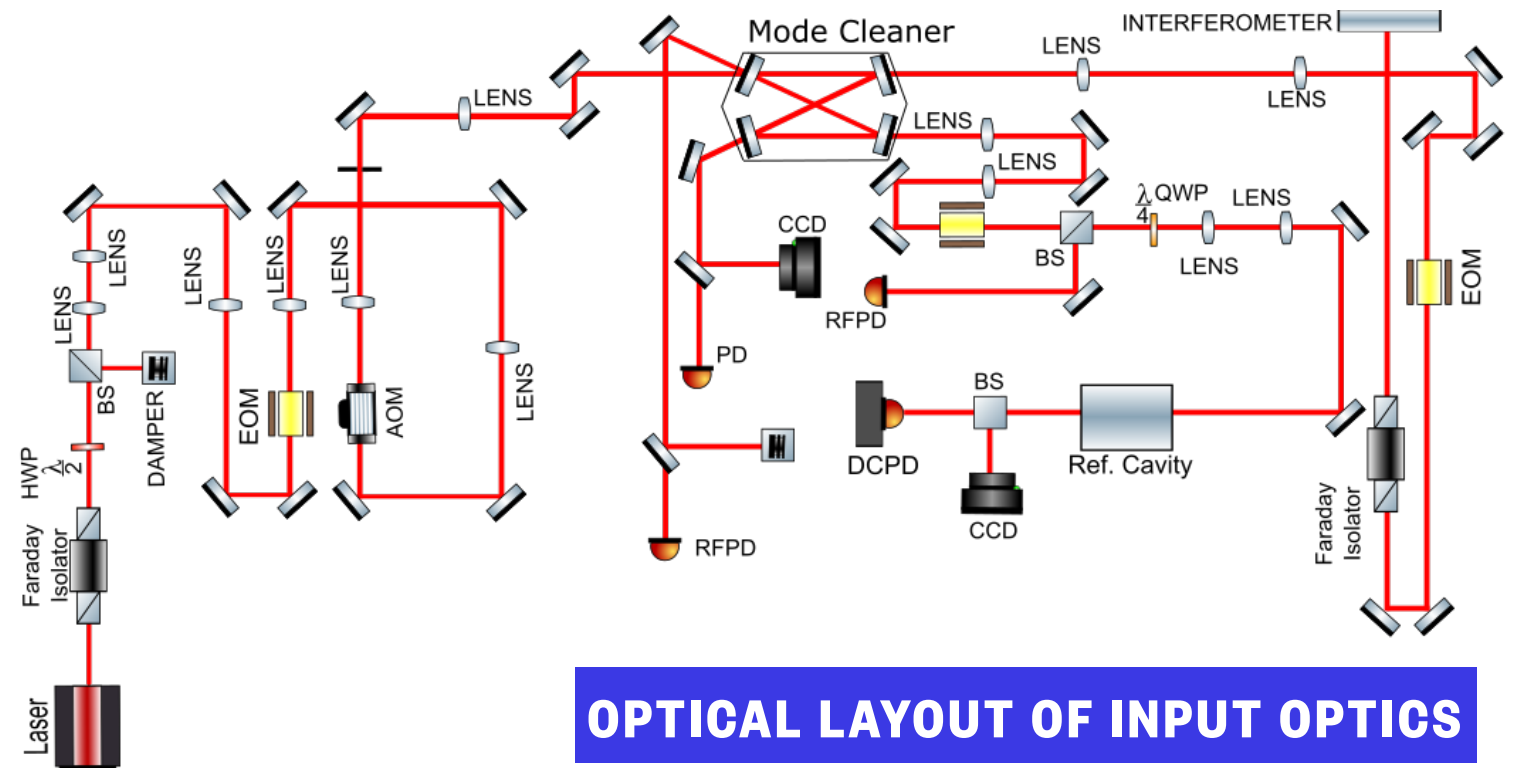
$$E(x,y)=A\exp(i\omega t)$$

Beam Intensity Phase

Mode  
cleaner

Intensity  
Stabilization

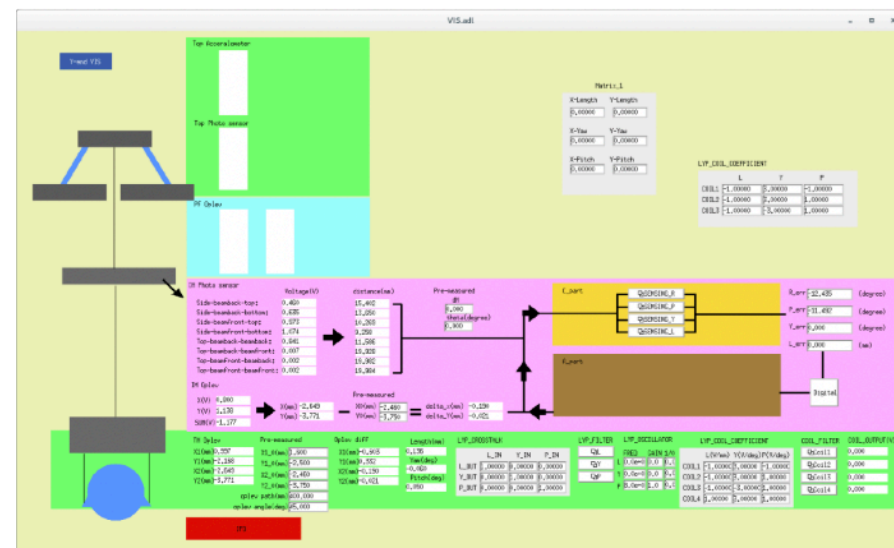
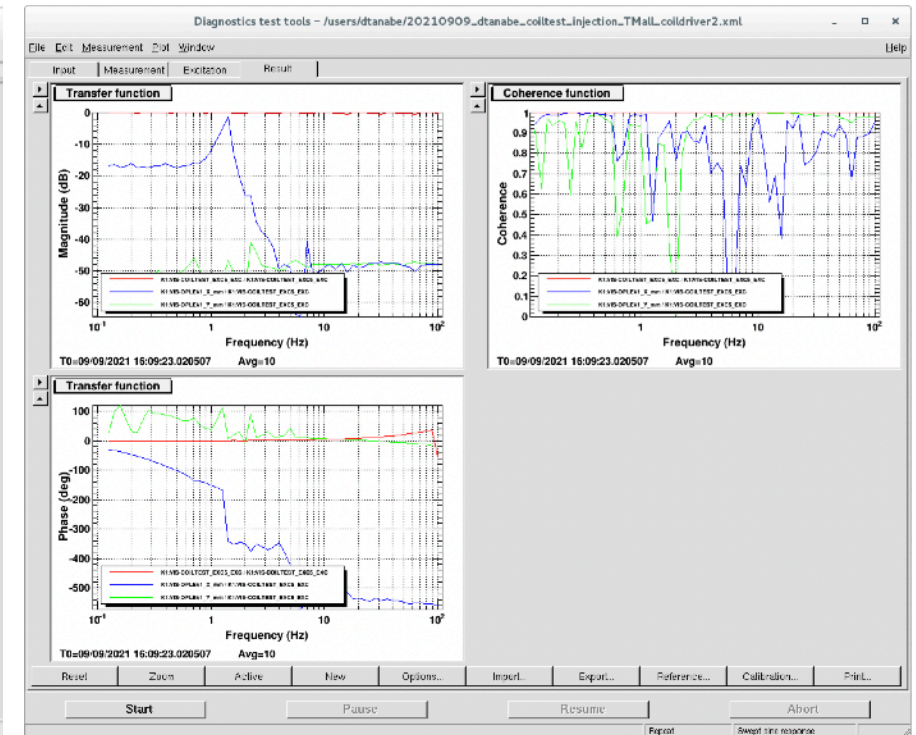
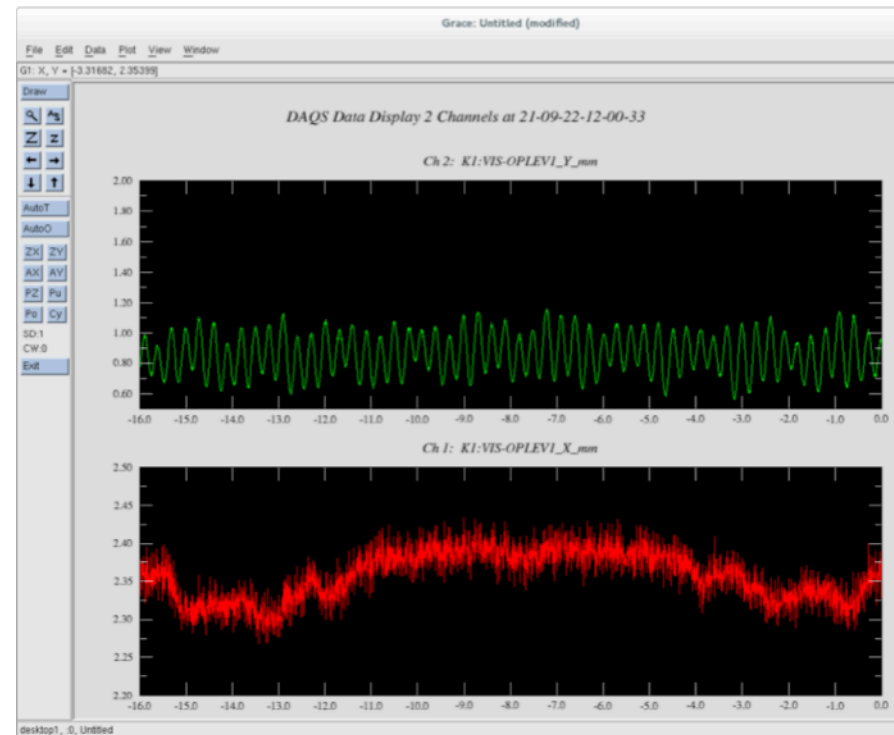
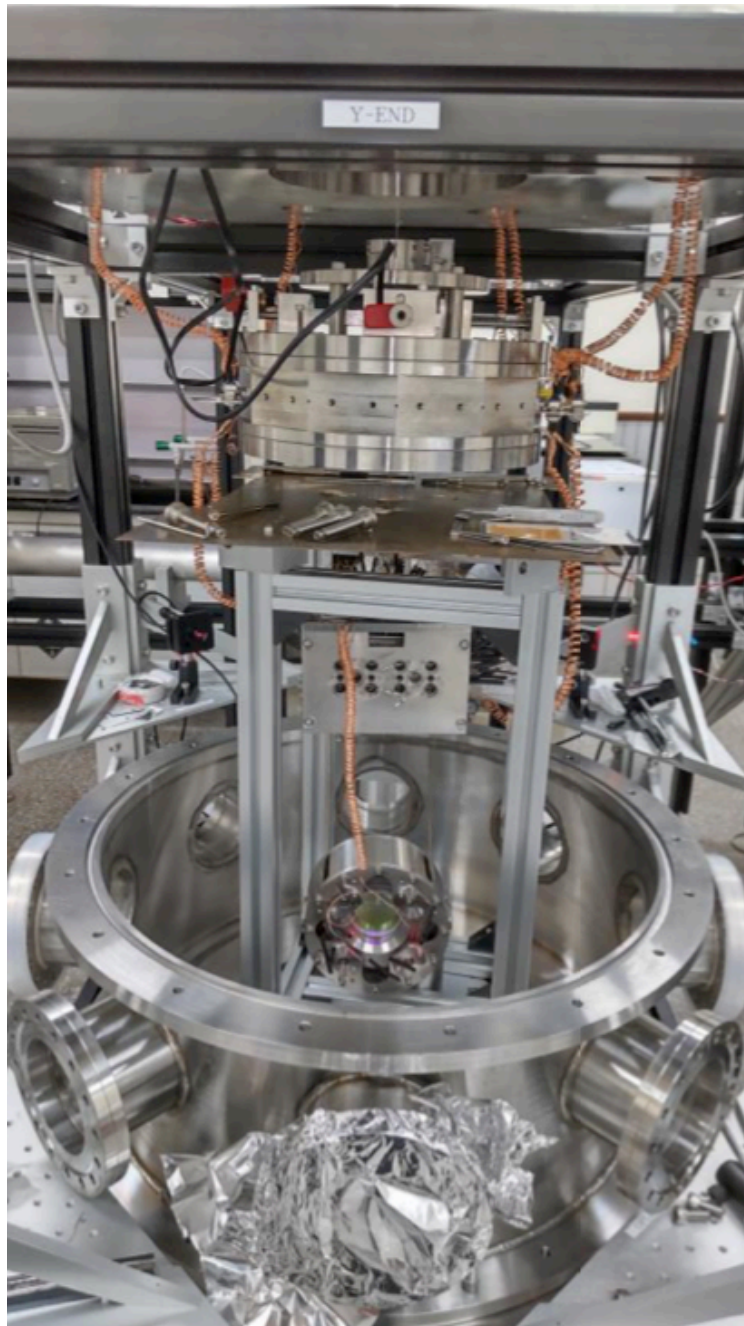
Frequency  
Stabilization



OPTICAL LAYOUT OF INPUT OPTICS



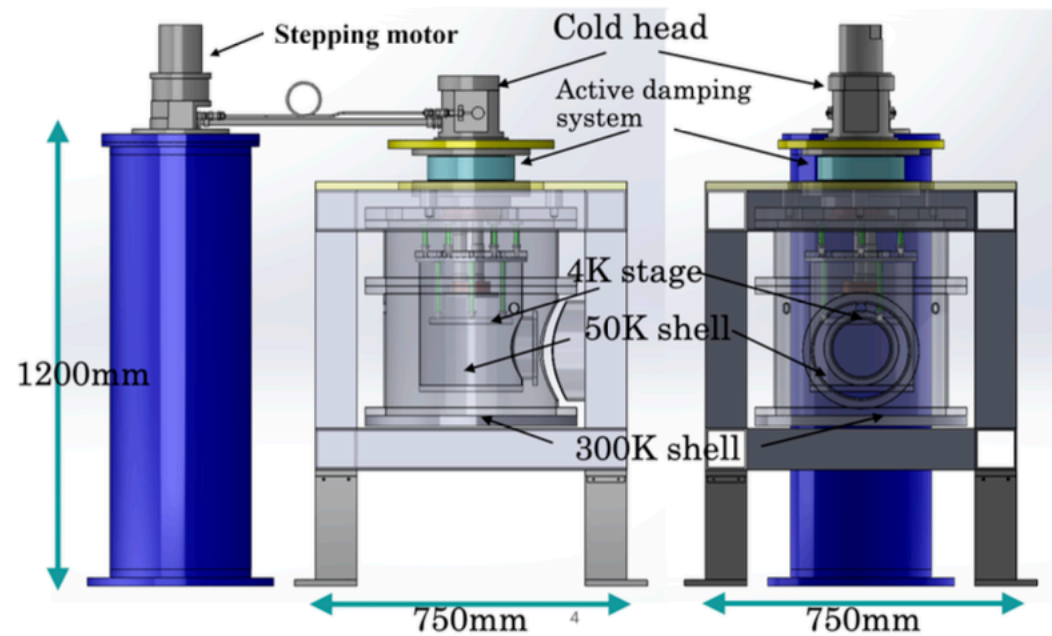
# Vibration Isolation system



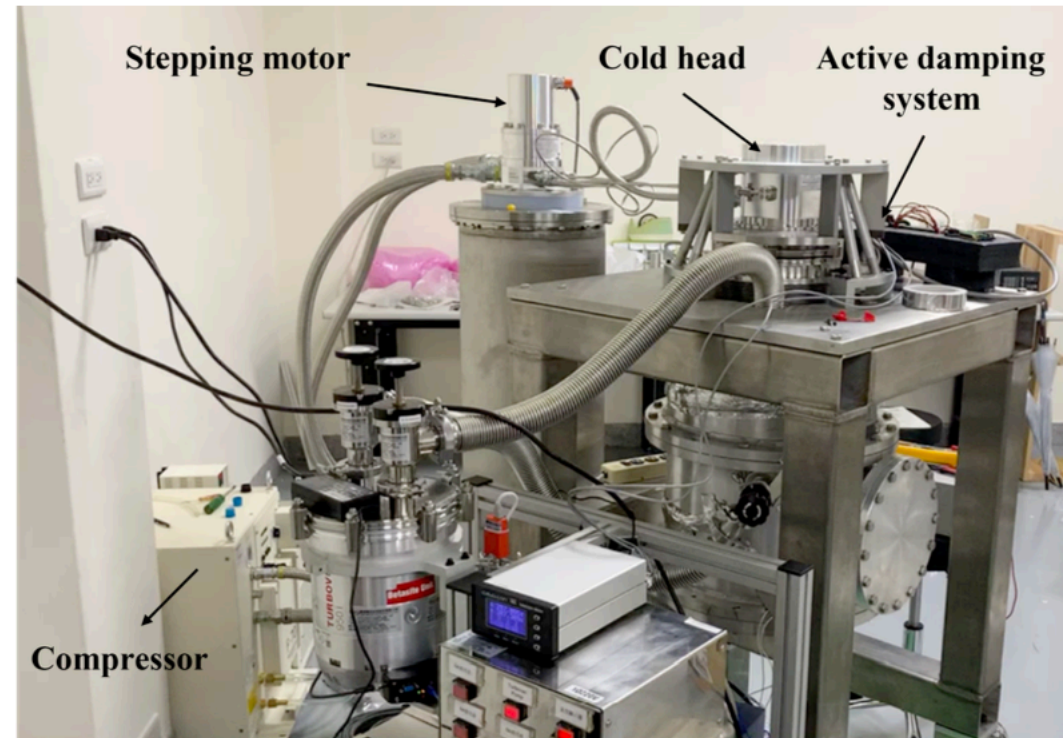
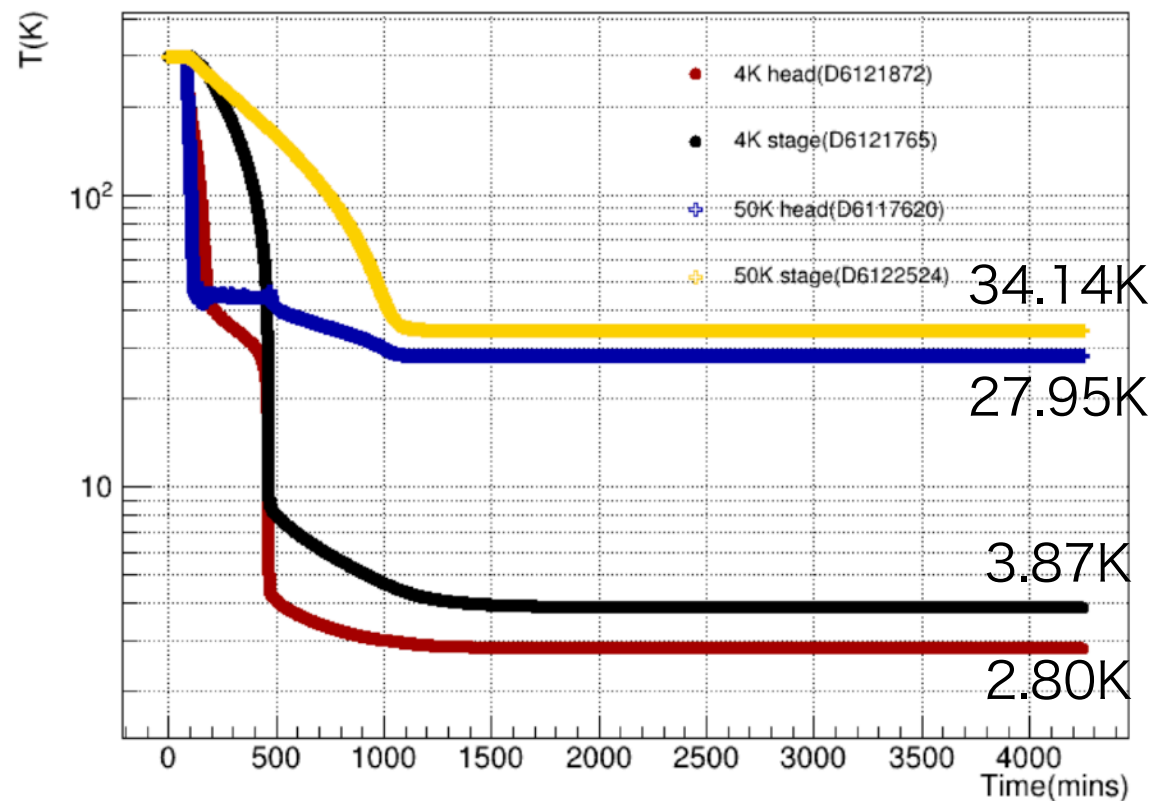
- Isolation from ground motion with feedback control system
- Small suspension test is ongoing.



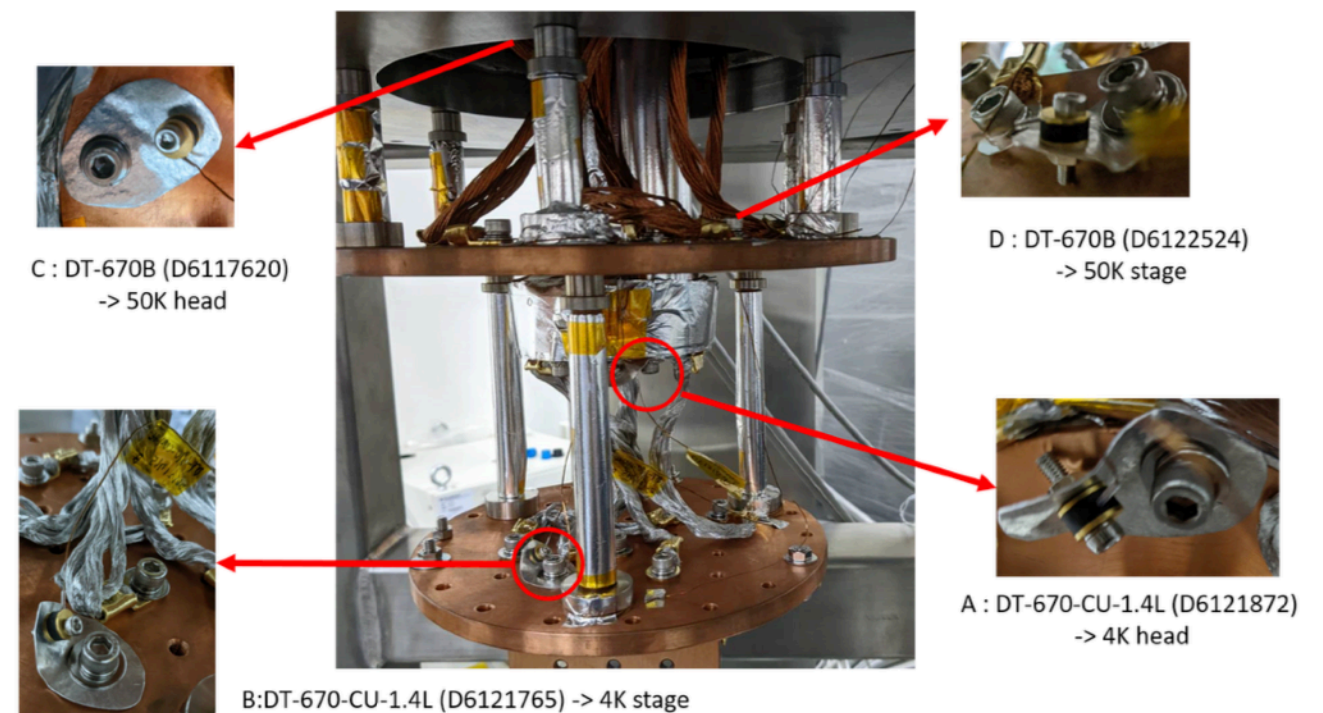
# Cryogenic performance



(a) The CAD rendering of the cryogenic  
Temperature v.s. T



(b) The picture of the cryogenic chamber.



# Low Pressure CVD Coating

a-Si coating ( $n \approx 3.95$ )

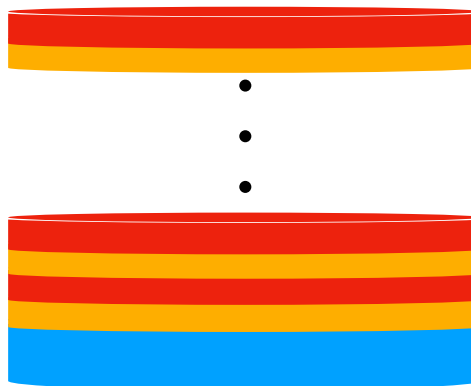
- Fabrication: Done
- Optical absorption: Ongoing
- Mechanical loss: Ongoing



SiNO coating ( $n \approx 1.62$ )

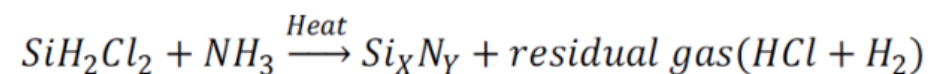
- Fabrication: Done
  - Optical absorption:  $2.8 \times 10^{-6}$  @ 1550nm (Preliminary)
  - Mechanical loss: Ongoing
  - Taiwan demonstrated with PECVD
- $$\text{SiH}_2\text{Cl}_{2(g)} + \text{N}_2\text{O}_{(g)} + \text{NH}_3_{(g)} \longrightarrow \text{SiO}_x\text{N}_y\text{H}_z(s) + \text{residual gas}$$

High-Low coating



SiN coating ( $n \approx 2.68$ )

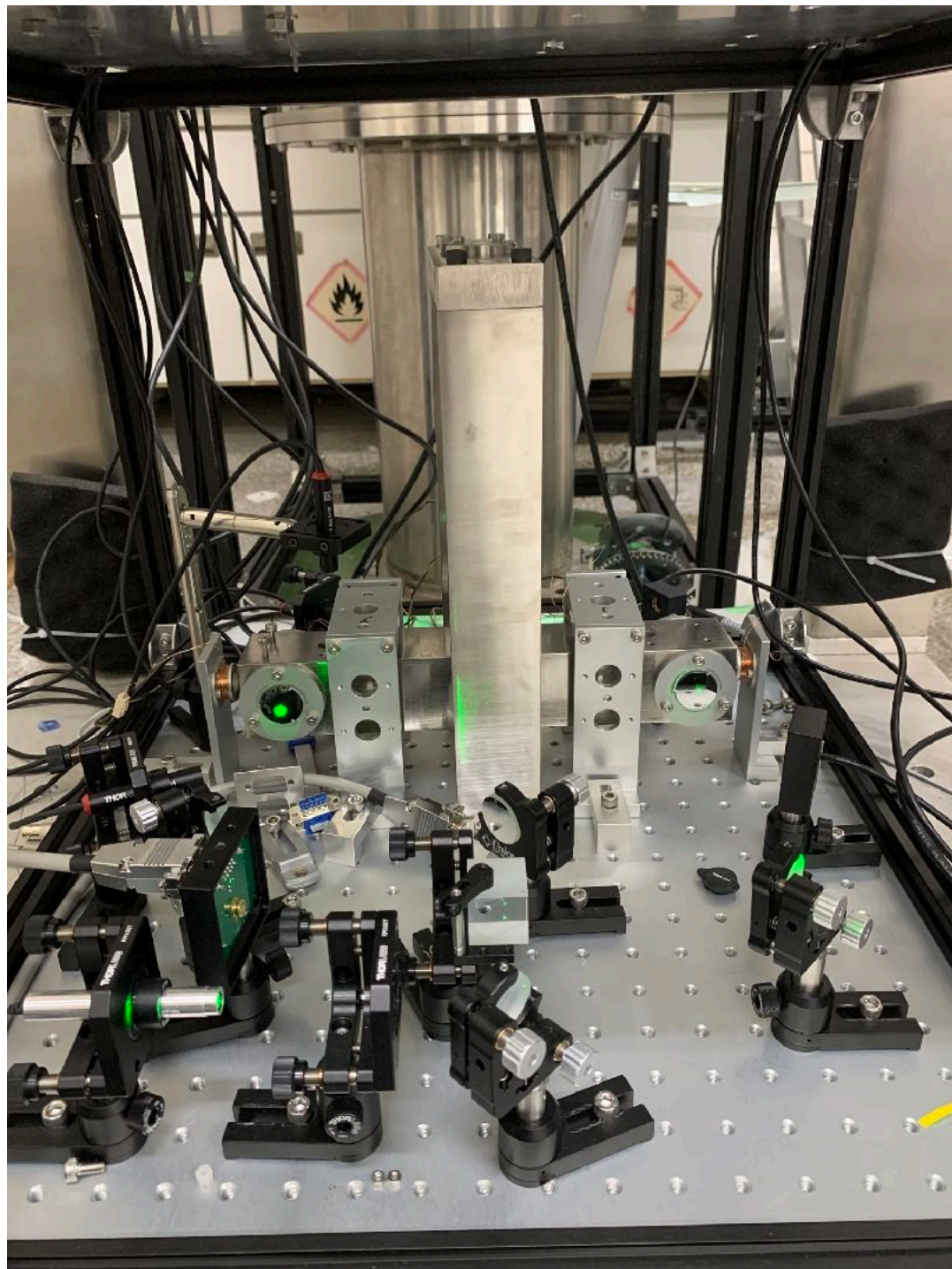
- Fabrication: Done
- Optical absorption:  $5.8 \times 10^{-6}$  @ 1550nm
- Mechanical loss: Ongoing



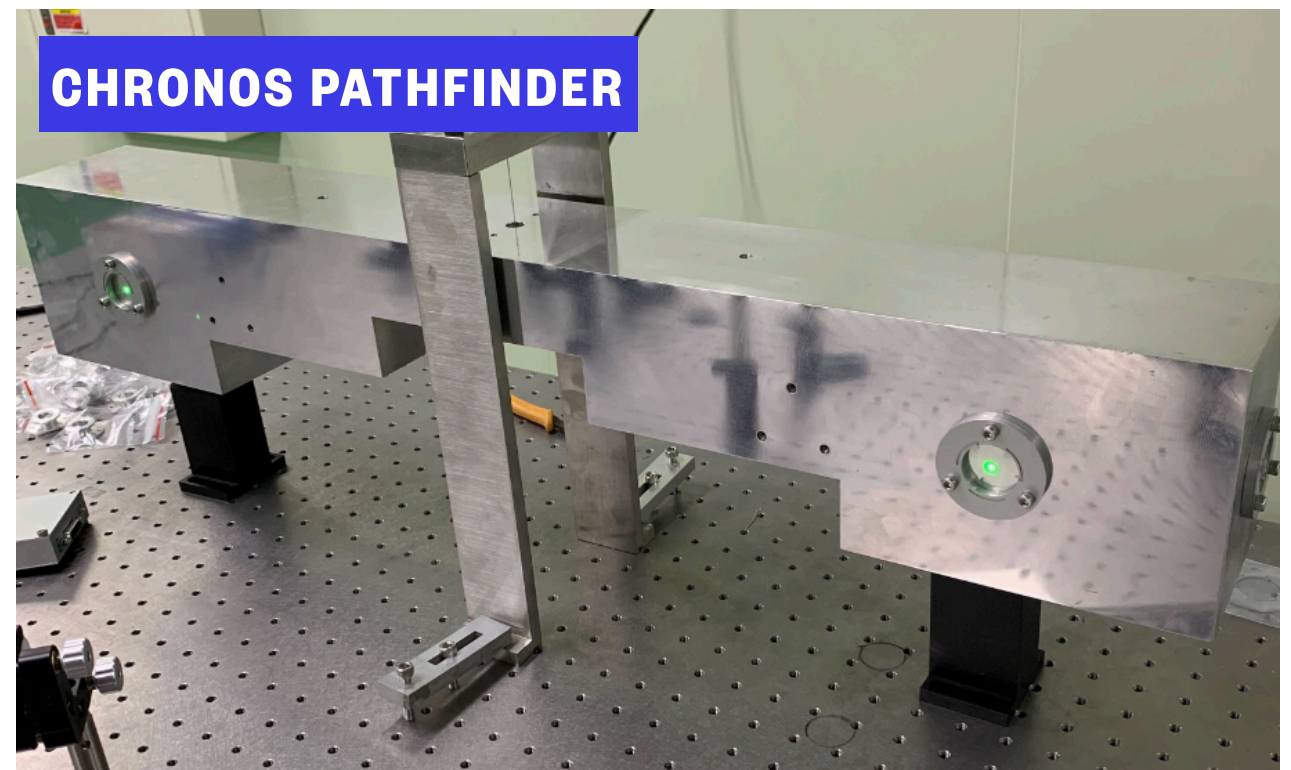
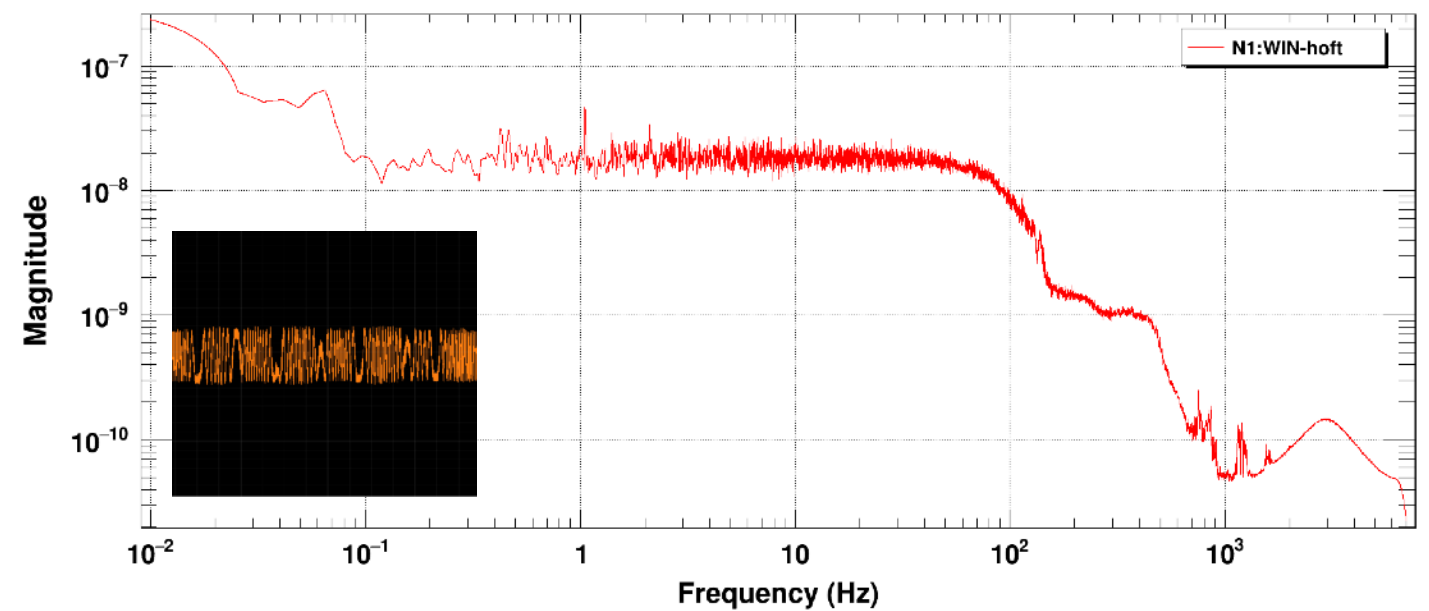
Nobody have tried three combinations! Candidate of LIGO voyager.



# Demonstration with mini-CHRONOS and CHRONOS Pathfinder

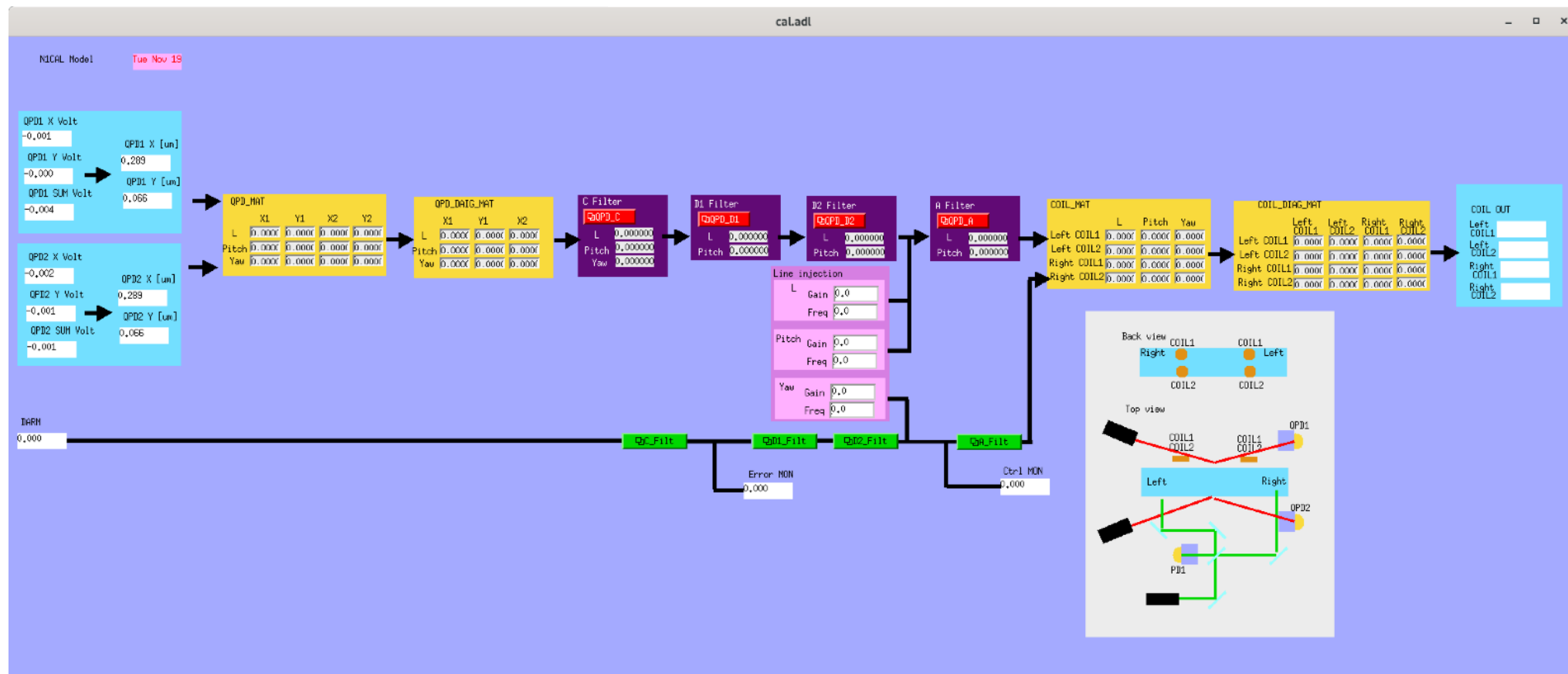
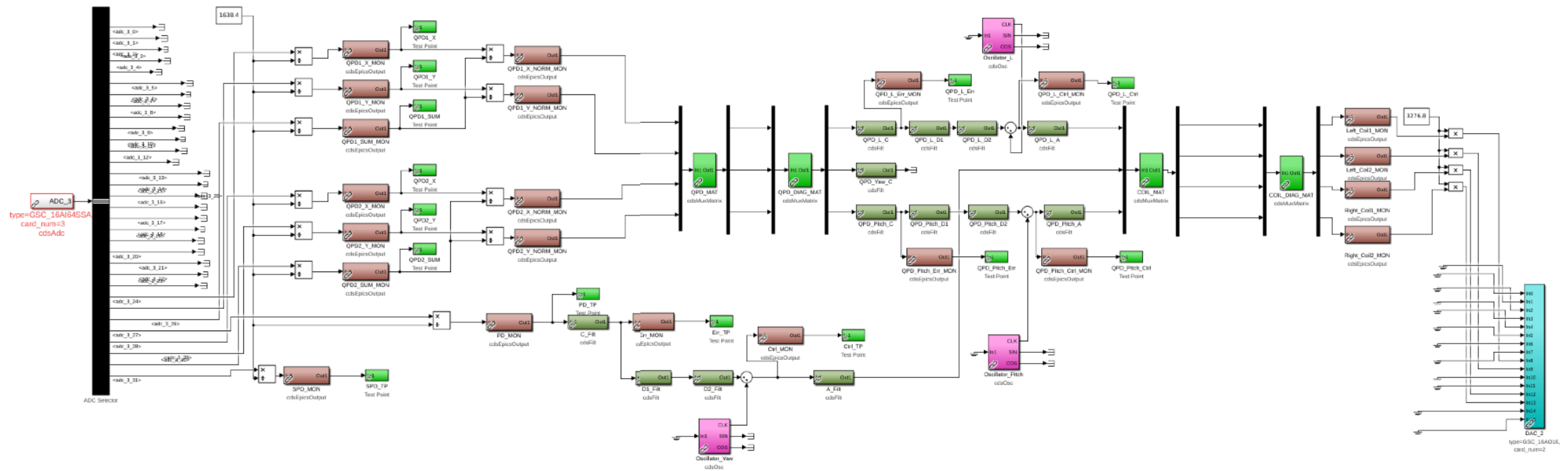


300mm bar length



800mm bar length

# Digital Control System



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# Summary

- CHRONOS is an idea of Taiwanese GW experiment.
  - By using Speed meter, Cryogenic, and Torsion bar system, we will improve the low frequency noise for Sub-Hz region.
  - CHRONOS is corresponding to the demonstration of non-demolition measurement system for angular momentum.
  - By assuming realistic parameter of CHRONOS instruments, we can reach  $3 \times 10^{-18} / \sqrt{\text{Hz}}$  Strain sensitivity.
  - Instrumental demonstration is ongoing.
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# two-photon mode

Single freq. + Noise



ideal case  
 $\omega_1/2\pi$



actual case  
 $\omega_1/2\pi$   
 $(\omega_1 \pm \omega_{sb})/2\pi$

Caria

Sideband

Operator of sideband

$$\hat{a}_{\pm} \equiv \hat{a}_{\omega_1 \pm \omega}, \quad \hat{a}_{\pm}^{\dagger} \equiv \hat{a}_{\omega_1 \pm \omega}^{\dagger}$$

Operator meets following relation:

$$[\hat{a}_{+}, \hat{a}_{+'}] = 0, \quad [\hat{a}_{-}, \hat{a}_{-'}] = 0, \quad [\hat{a}_{+}, \hat{a}_{-'}] = 0,$$

$$[\hat{a}_{+}, \hat{a}_{+'}^{\dagger}] = 2\pi\delta(\omega - \omega'), \quad [\hat{a}_{-}, \hat{a}_{-'}^{\dagger}] = 2\pi\delta(\omega - \omega')$$

Define:

Creation and Annihilation operator

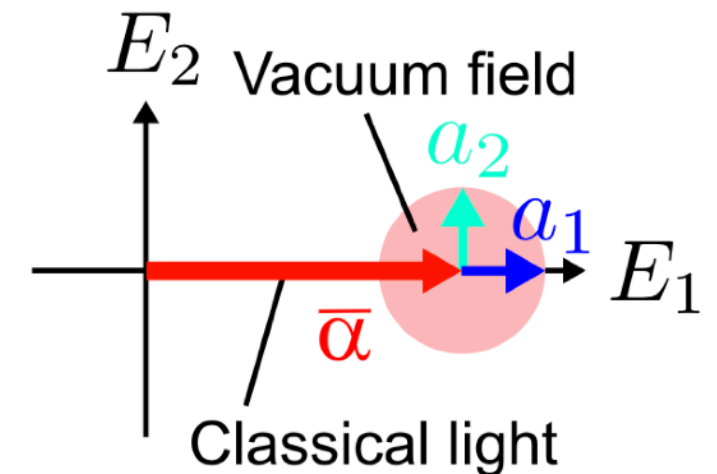
Define

Amplitude quadrature

$$\hat{a}_1 \equiv \frac{\hat{a}_{+} + \hat{a}_{-}^{\dagger}}{\sqrt{2}}$$

Phase quadrature

$$\hat{a}_2 \equiv \frac{\hat{a}_{+} - \hat{a}_{-}^{\dagger}}{i\sqrt{2}}$$



$$[\hat{a}_1, \hat{a}_{1'}] = 0, \quad [\hat{a}_2, \hat{a}_{2'}] = 0, \quad [\hat{a}_1, \hat{a}_{2'}] = 0,$$

$$[\hat{a}_1, \hat{a}_{2'}^{\dagger}] = 2i\pi\delta(\omega - \omega'), \quad [\hat{a}_2, \hat{a}_{1'}^{\dagger}] = -2i\pi\delta(\omega - \omega')$$

Finally, we can describe the photo-electro field as

$$\hat{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = u(\mathbf{r}) \sqrt{\frac{4\pi\hbar\omega_1}{\mathcal{A}c}} [\hat{a}_1(z, t) \cos \omega_1 t + \hat{a}_2(z, t) \sin \omega_1 t]$$

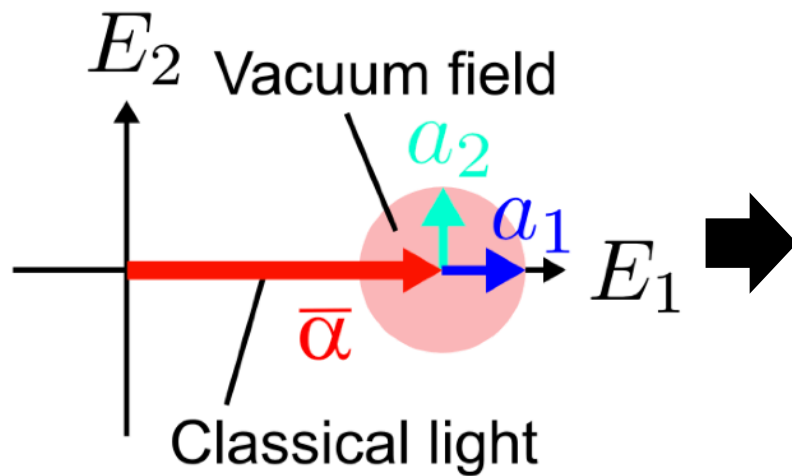
$$\hat{a}_j(z, t) \equiv \int_0^{\infty} \left[ \hat{a}_j e^{-i(\omega t - kz)} + \hat{a}_j^{\dagger} e^{i(\omega t - kz)} \right] \frac{d\omega}{2\pi} \quad (j = 1, 2)$$

We will neglect the following factor in this discussion

$$\hat{E}(\mathbf{r}, t) = u(\mathbf{r}) \sqrt{\frac{4\pi\hbar\omega_1}{\mathcal{A}c}} e^{\pm ikz}$$



# Squeezed state



No correlation for AQ and PQ fluctuation.

However, we can make a correlation state with non-lender optical system

We call is as 'Squeezed state'

Squeezed state:  $|\chi\rangle$

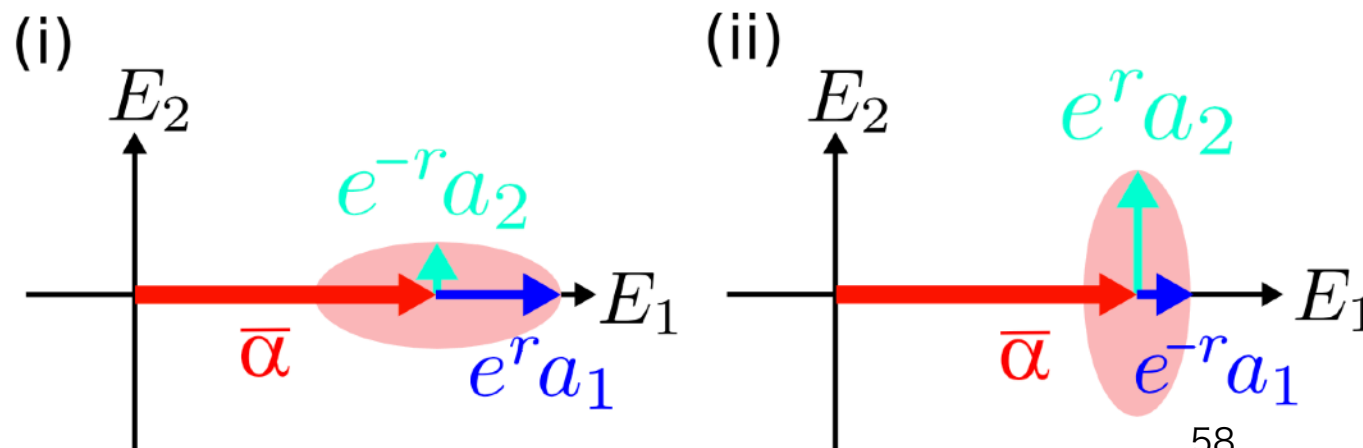
$$|r, \phi\rangle \equiv \exp \left[ r \left( \hat{a}_+ \hat{a}_- e^{-2i\phi} - \hat{a}_+^\dagger \hat{a}_-^\dagger e^{2i\phi} \right) \right] |0\rangle \equiv \hat{S}[r, \phi] |0\rangle$$

squeezed state operator

Action for operator:

$$\hat{S}^\dagger[r, \phi] \hat{a}_1 \hat{S}[r, \phi] = \hat{a}_1 (\cosh r + \sinh r \cos 2\phi) - \hat{a}_2 \sinh r \sin 2\phi$$

$$\hat{S}^\dagger[r, \phi] \hat{a}_2 \hat{S}[r, \phi] = \hat{a}_2 (\cosh r - \sinh r \cos 2\phi) - \hat{a}_1 \sinh r \sin 2\phi$$



(i)  $\phi = 0$

$$\hat{S}^\dagger[r, 0] \hat{a}_1 \hat{S}[r, 0] = e^r \hat{a}_1,$$

$$\hat{S}^\dagger[r, 0] \hat{a}_2 \hat{S}[r, 0] = e^{-r} \hat{a}_2$$

Squeezed to AQ direction!

(ii)  $\phi = \pi/2$

$$\hat{S}^\dagger[r, \pi/2] \hat{a}_1 \hat{S}[r, \pi/2] = e^{-r} \hat{a}_1$$

$$\hat{S}^\dagger[r, \pi/2] \hat{a}_2 \hat{S}[r, \pi/2] = e^r \hat{a}_2$$

Squeezed to PQ direction!





# Coating

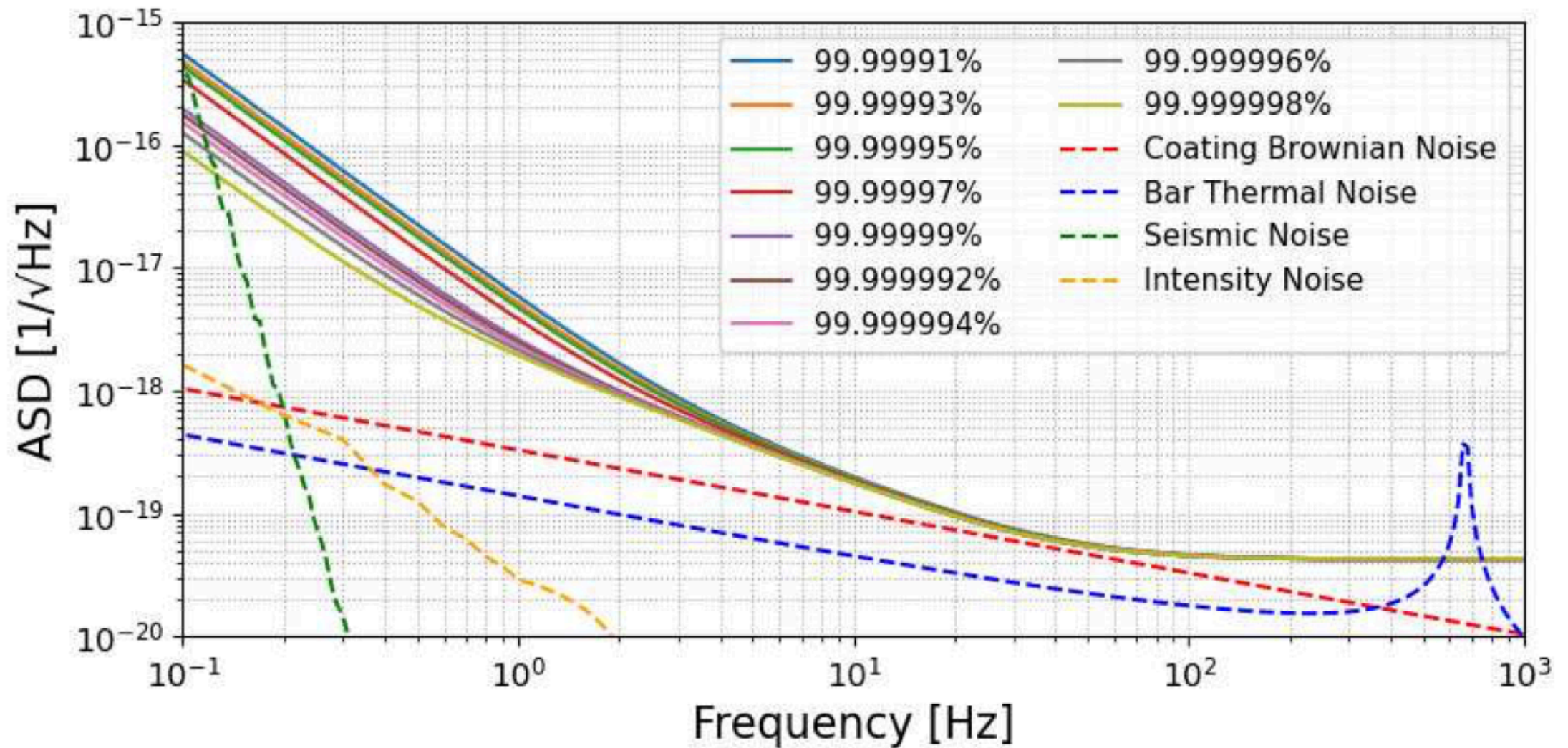


Figure 5: Total quantum-noise spectra including shot noise, radiation-pressure noise, and other technical noise sources. Coating effects dominate the sensitivity in the 0.1-10 Hz band. The intensity noise is calculated elsewhere [34].

# Power recycling detuning

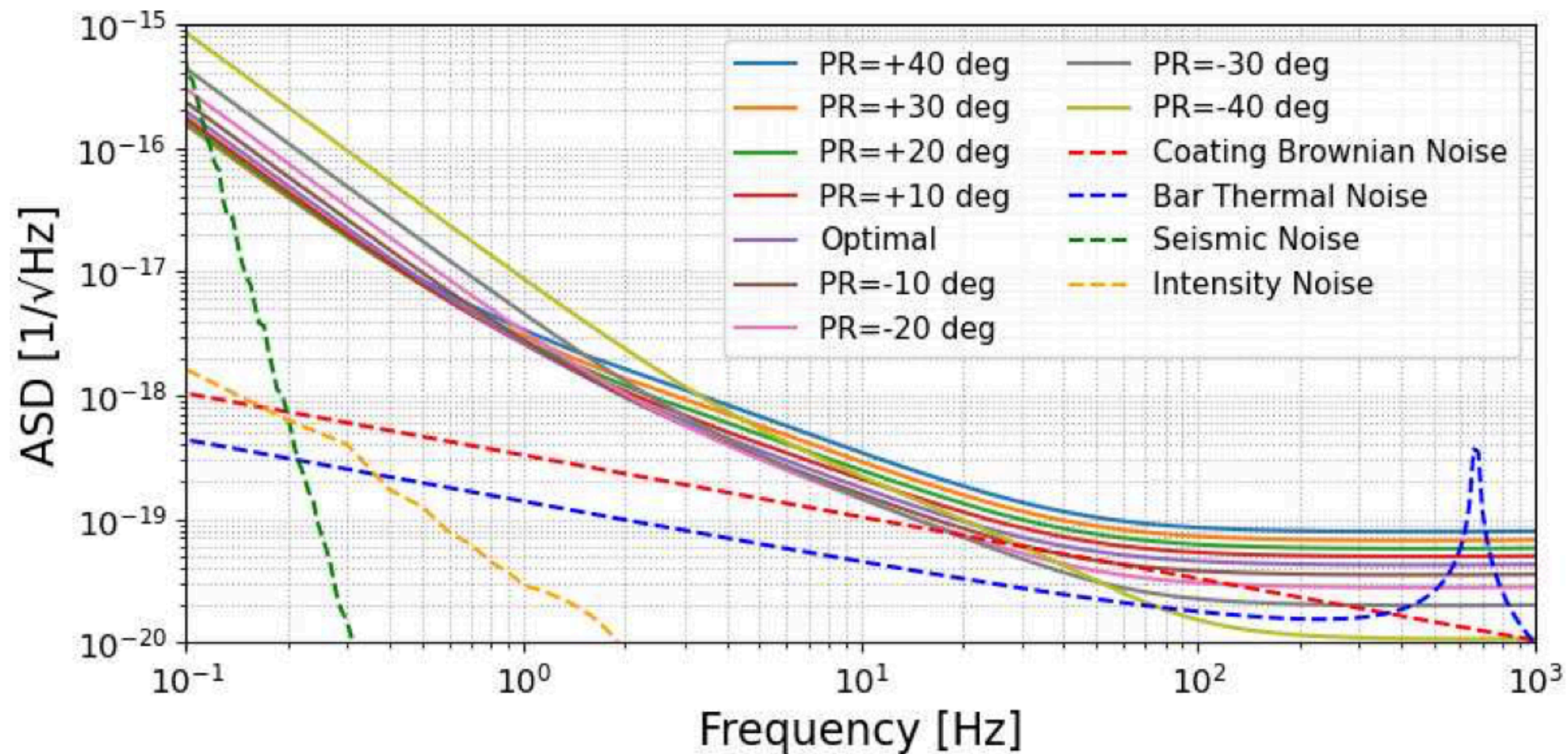


Figure 8: Total quantum-noise spectra including shot noise, radiation-pressure noise, and technical noise sources. The optimal point balances the three contributions, while detuning leads to degraded sensitivity. The intensity noise is calculated in elsewhere [34]



# Signal recycling detuning

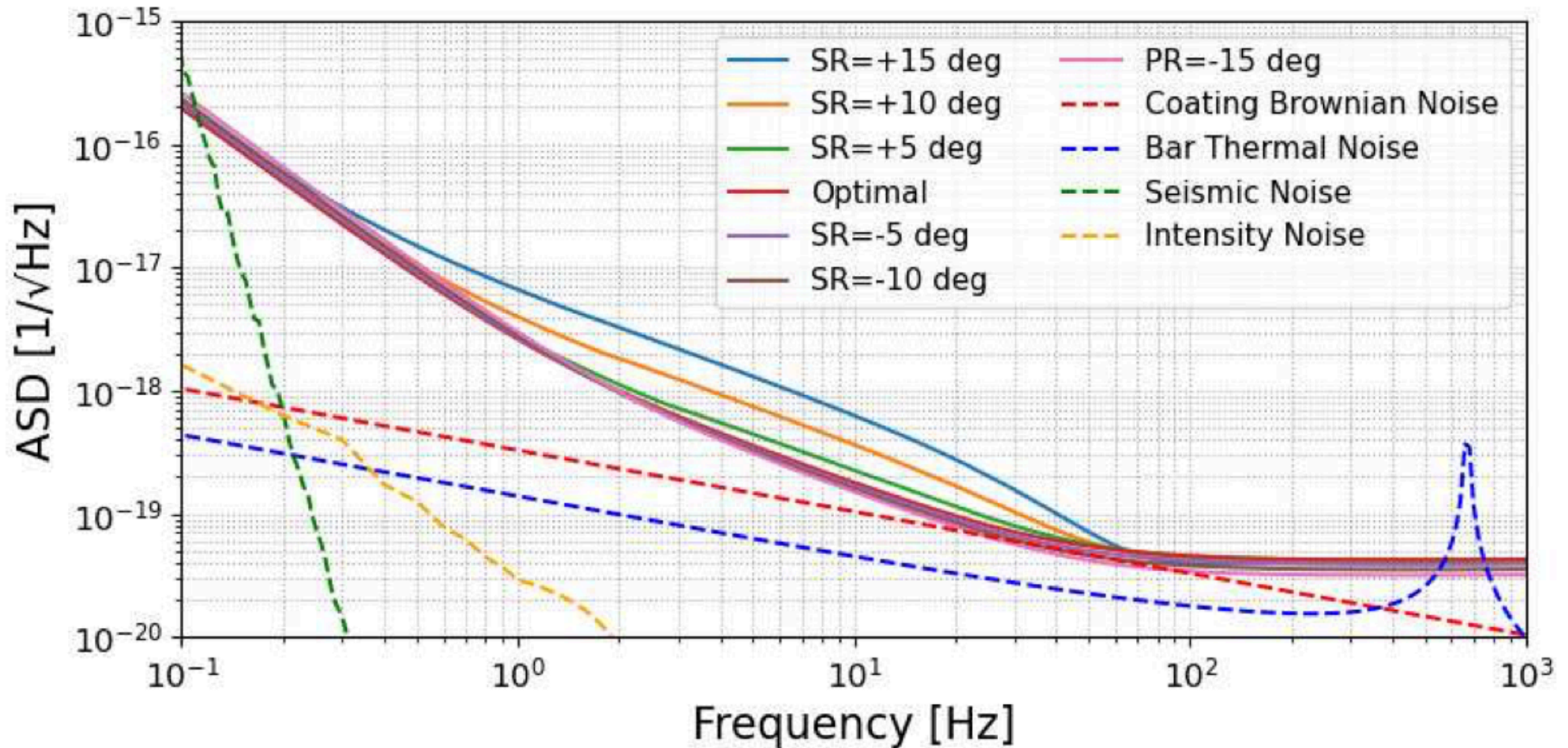


Figure 11: Total quantum-noise spectrum including shot noise, radiation-pressure noise, and technical noise. At resonance, the three contributions balance near 1–10 Hz, while detuning leads to significant degradation. The intensity noise is calculated in elsewhere [34]

# Homodyne angle

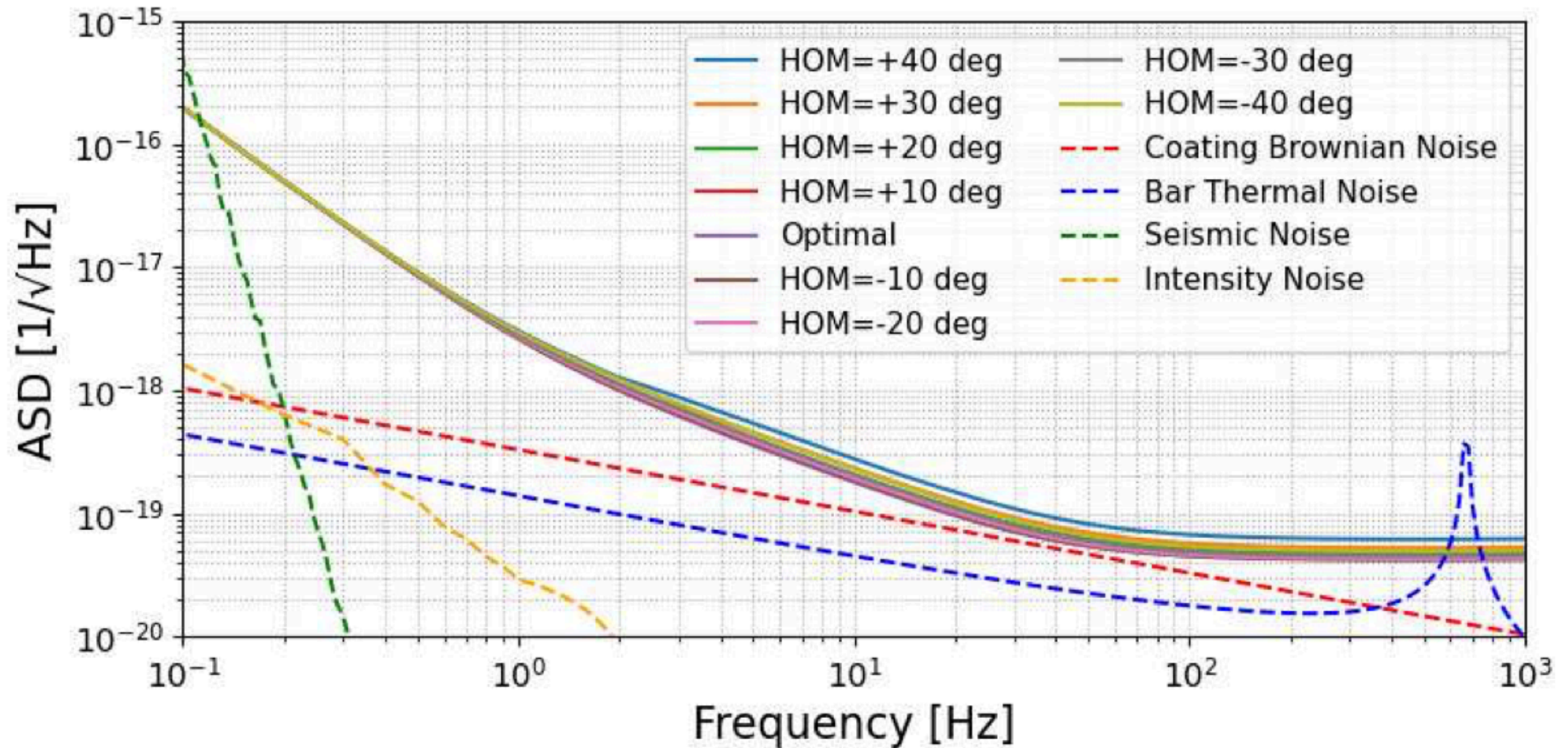


Figure 14: Total quantum-noise spectra for various homodyne angles. The optimal configuration at  $\zeta_{\text{opt}} \simeq 46^\circ$  achieves balanced suppression of radiation-pressure and shot noise, yielding the best sensitivity near 1 Hz. The intensity noise is calculated in elsewhere [34].



# Earthquake

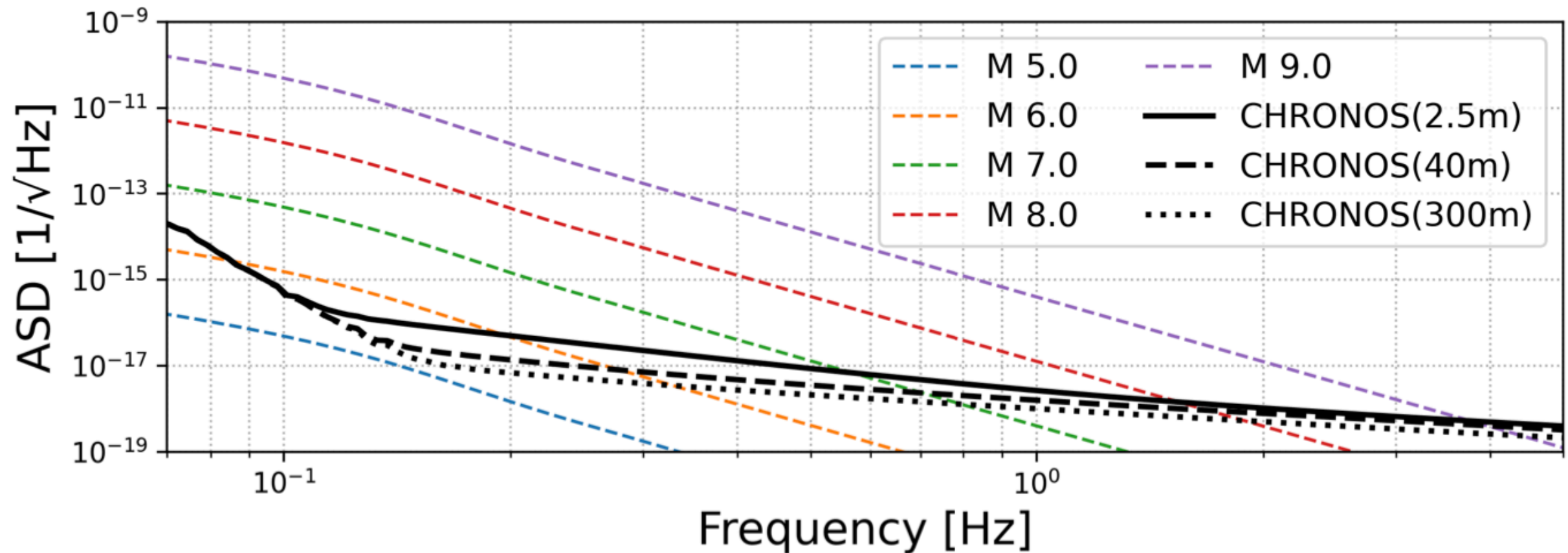


Figure 5: Predicted sensitivity to prompt gravity signals from large earthquakes. By detecting gravitational perturbations at the speed of light, CHRONOS enables warnings before surface-wave arrival.



# Long arm length

Table I: Interferometer parameters for sensitivity estimates. Definitions:  $R_i = r_i^2$ ,  $R_p = r_p^2$ ,  $R_s = r_s^2$ ;  $P_{\text{in}}$  input power,  $P_{\text{arm}}$  arm power;  $\phi_p$  PRC detuning,  $\phi_s$  SRC detuning,  $\zeta$  homodyne angle;  $F_{\text{ring}}$  finesse,  $w$  beam radius at ETM.

	2.5 m	40 m	300 m
$R_s, R_p, R_i$	0.5, 0.9, 0.9999	0.5, 0.95, 0.999	0.5, 0.99, 0.995
$P_{\text{in}}, P_{\text{arm}}$	1 W, 444 W	20 W, 2391 W	100 W, 18.3 kW
$\phi_p, \phi_s, \zeta$	$-85^\circ, 0^\circ, 46^\circ$	$26^\circ, 0^\circ, -50^\circ$	$41^\circ, 2^\circ, -66^\circ$
$F_{\text{ring}}$	$3.14 \times 10^4$	$3.14 \times 10^3$	$6.27 \times 10^2$
$w$ at ETM	2 mm	20 mm	35 mm