

# Towards observation of quantum radiation pressure fluctuation acting on a massive torsion pendulum

Middle presentation in Ando laboratory

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# Motivation

Observation of quantum radiation pressure fluctuation



R&D for GW detectors

Tests of quantum mechanics

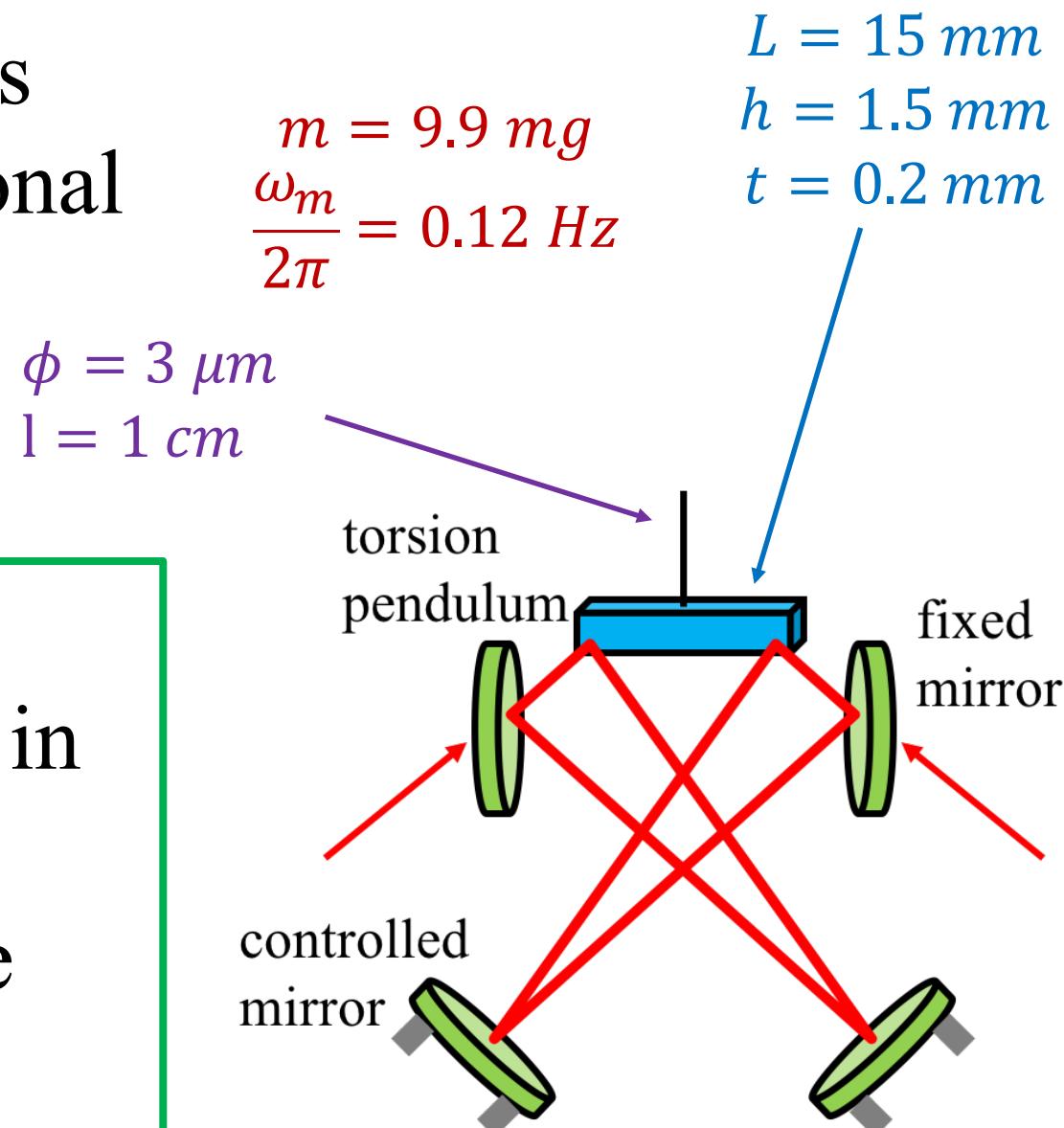
- radiation pressure noise
  - observation and reduction on the table ahead
  - ✓ No precedent ever with a massive pendulum over wide frequency range
- opto-mechanics experiment
  - toward superposition of macroscopic objects
- Torsion pendulum

# Torsion pendulum as test mass

- two triangle cavities at both edges
- read out differential signal (torsional mode)

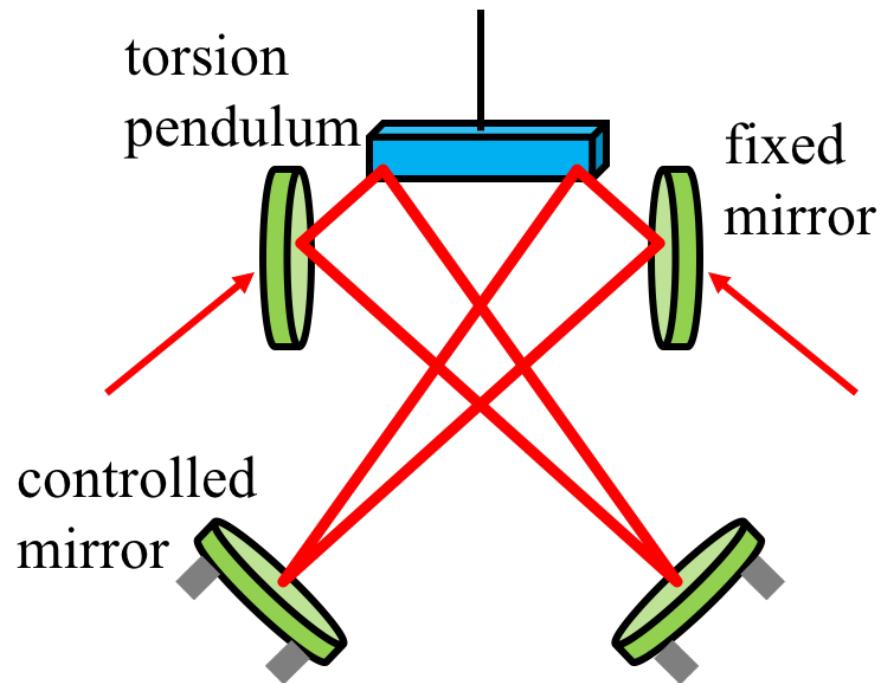
## Advantages

- small effective mass
- low resonant frequency resulting in suspension thermal noise
- common mode rejection with one test mass



# Parameter

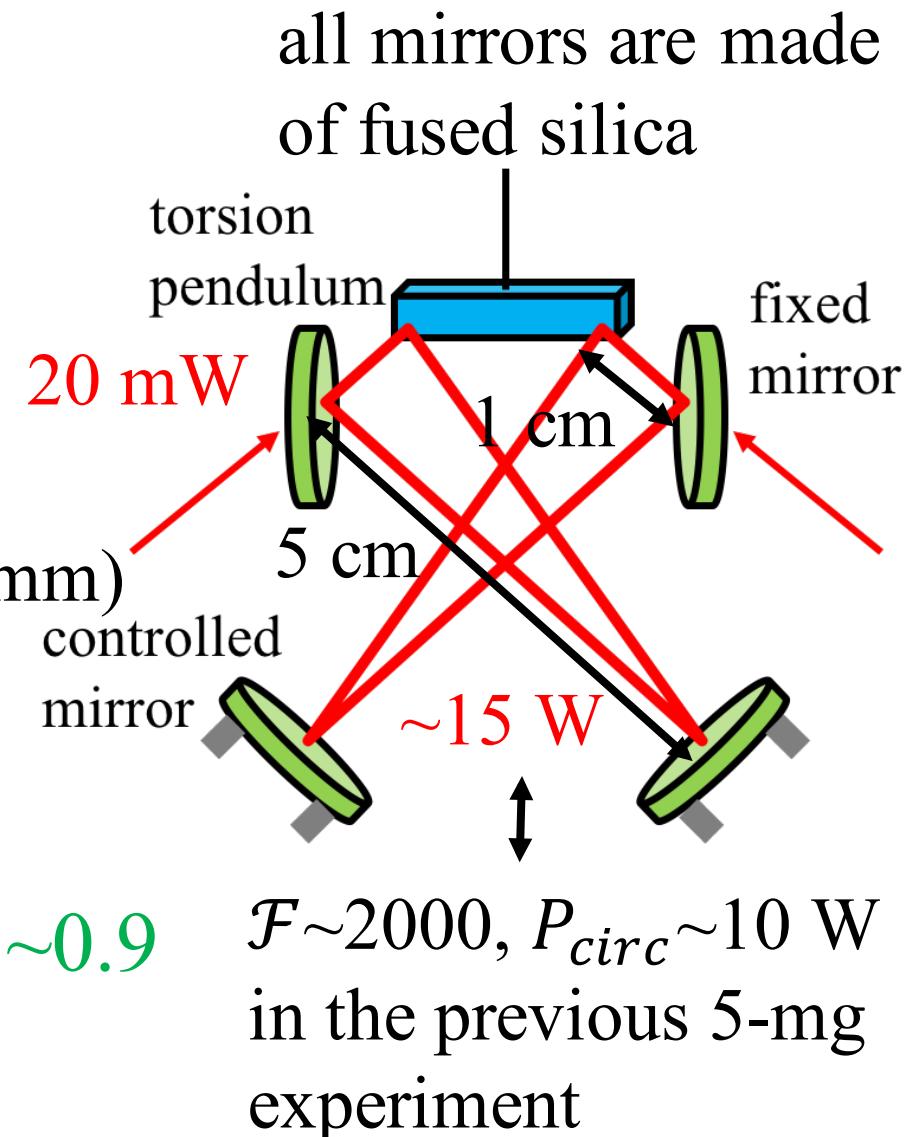
- finesse : 2000
- each input power : 20 mW
- resonant frequency : 0.12 Hz
- Q of rotational mode : 2000
- Q of pendulum mode :  $1 \times 10^5$
- air pressure :  $1 \times 10^{-4}$  Pa
- frequency stabilization :  $100/f$  Hz/ $\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$  (below SQL)
- intensity stabilization :  $1 \times 10^{-8} / \sqrt{\text{Hz}}$  (2 times shot noise)
- cavity round trip length : 11 cm
- common mode rejection rate : 10
- on a platform suspended from intermediate mass



# Mirrors

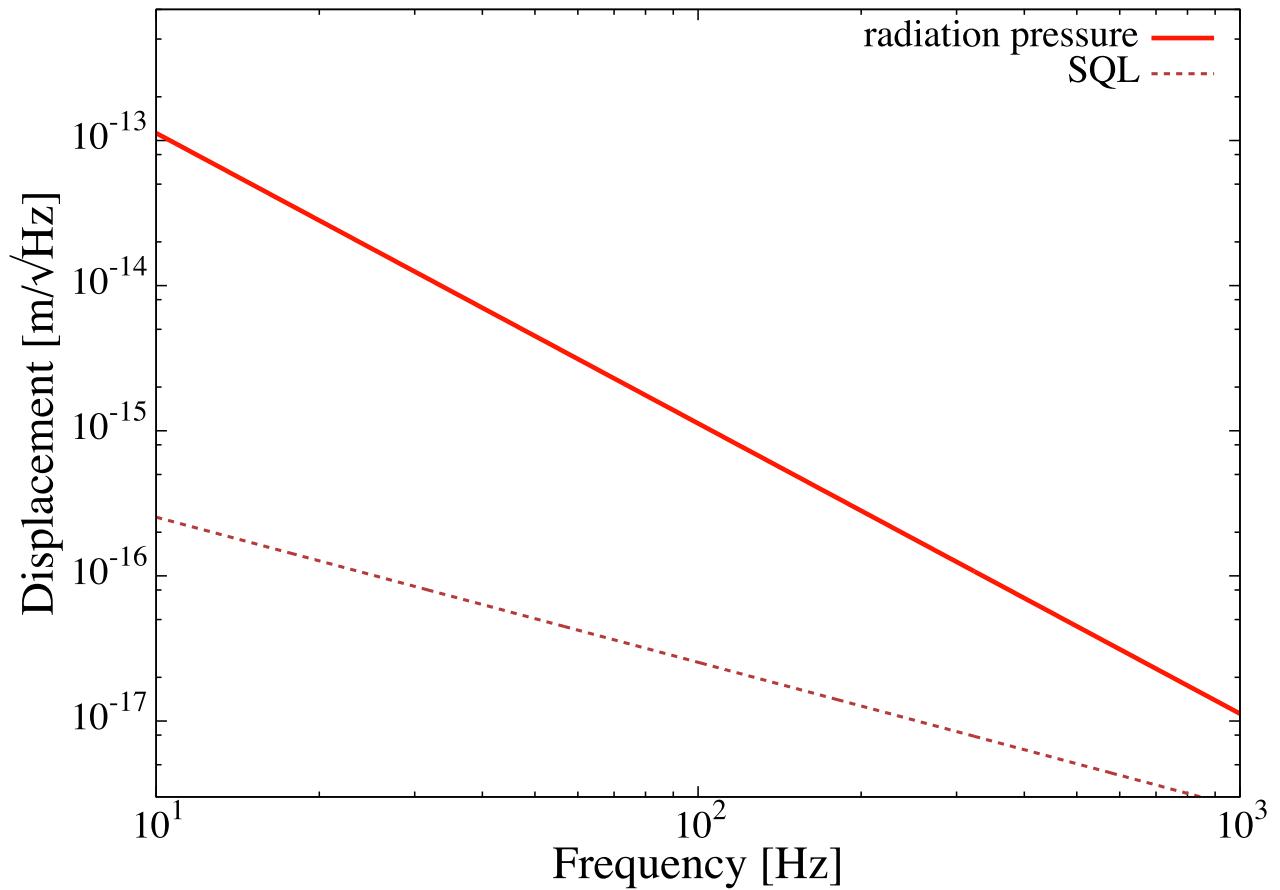
- torsion pendulum (prepared)
  - dimension : 1.5 mm \* 15 mm \* 0.2 or 0.3 mm
  - reflectivity : R>99.99% (1064 nm, p-pol, 42°)
  - curvature : flat
- controlled mirror (prepared)
  - dimension : 0.5 inch covered with holders ( $\phi=35\text{mm}$ )
  - reflectivity : R>99.98% (1064 nm, 0°)
  - curvature : 500 mm
- fixed mirror (ordered)
  - dimension : 0.5 inch, t=3 mm
  - reflectivity : R>99.8% (1064 nm, p-pol, 43°)
  - curvature : flat

Designed  
 $\mathcal{F} \sim 2800$ ,  $\kappa_{in}/\kappa \sim 0.9$



# Radiation pressure

$$\sqrt{S_{qrp}(\omega)} = \frac{\mathcal{F} \cos \beta \sqrt{16\hbar\omega_c P_{in}}}{\pi c(1 + \delta^2)} \frac{12}{m\omega^2}$$



$1 \times 10^{-15} \text{ m}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$

@100 Hz

➤ SQL frequency  $\sim 4 \text{ kHz}$

$$\mathcal{F} = 2000$$

$$\beta = 42.6^\circ$$

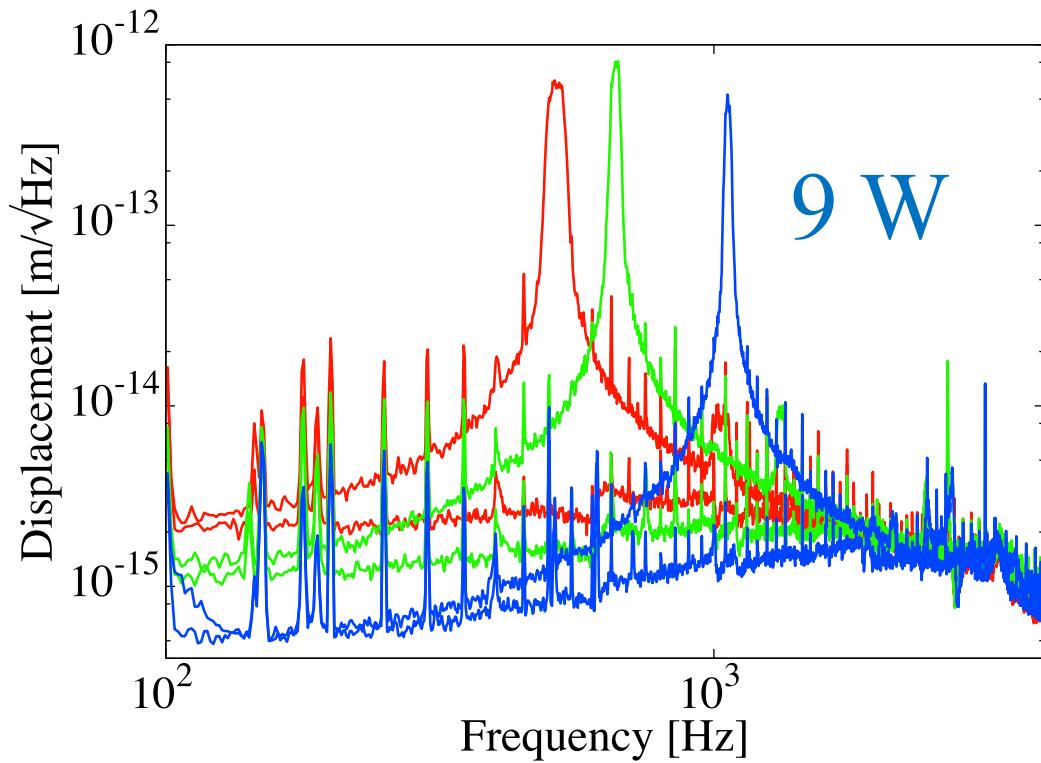
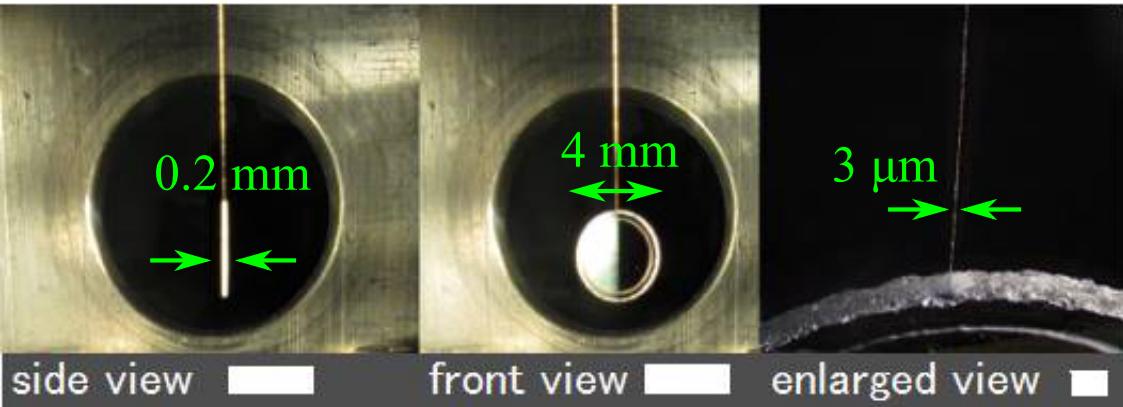
$$P_{in} = 20 \text{ mW}$$

$$\delta = 0$$

$$m = 9.9 \text{ mg}$$

$$P_{circ} \sim 15 \text{ W}$$

# Radiation pressure



$1 \times 10^{-15} \text{ m}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$   
 $\text{@} 100 \text{ Hz}$

← achieved

achieved →  $\mathcal{F} = 2000$   
 $\beta = 42.6^\circ$   
stabilized →  $P_{in} = 20 \text{ mW}$   
 $\delta = 0$   
suspended  
achieved →  $m = 9.9 \text{ mg}$   
→  $P_{circ} \sim 10 \text{ W}$

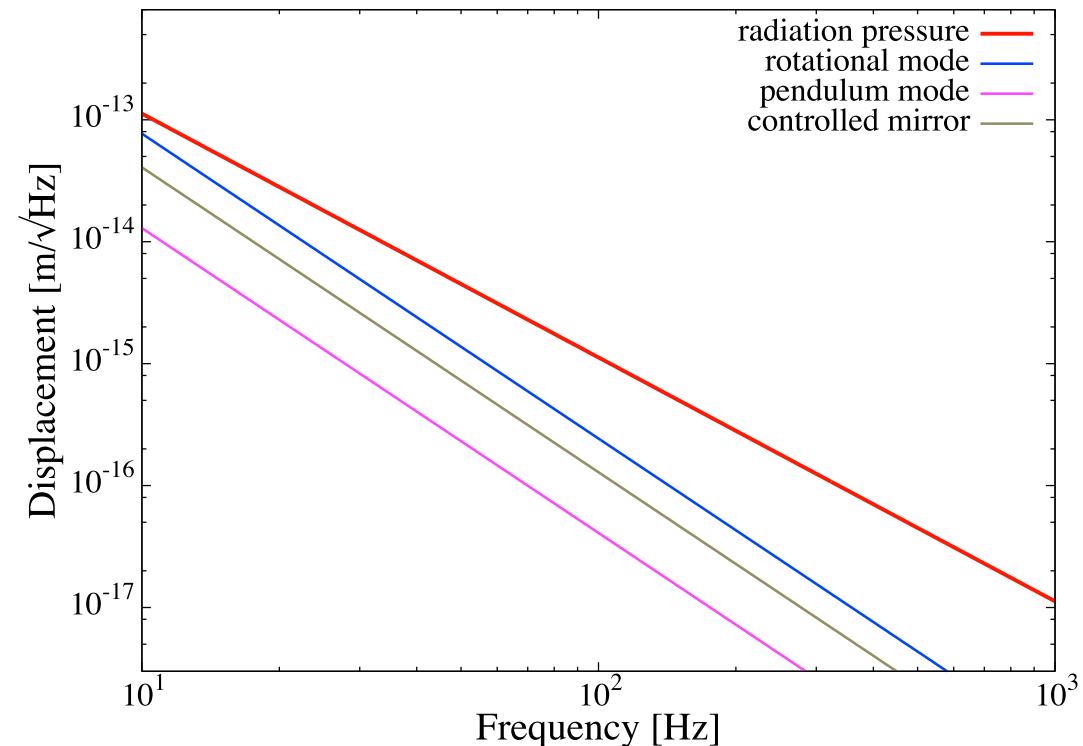
# Suspension thermal

$$\sqrt{S_{rs}(\omega)} = \sqrt{\frac{4k_B T_{th} m \omega_{rot}^2}{Q_{rot} \omega}} \frac{\sqrt{12}}{m \omega^2}$$

$$\sqrt{S_{ps}(\omega)} = \sqrt{\frac{4k_B T_{th} m \omega_{pend}^2}{Q_{pend} \omega}} \frac{r_{CMRR}}{m \omega^2}$$

$$\sqrt{S_{ms}(\omega)} = \sqrt{\frac{4k_B T_{th} M \omega_M^2}{Q_M \omega}} \frac{1}{M \omega^2}$$

$$f_{rot} = 0.12 \text{ Hz}, f_{pend} = f_M = 5 \text{ Hz}$$



$$Q_{rot} = 2000$$

$$Q_{pend} = 10^5$$

$$Q_M = 10^2$$

# Suspension thermal

$$Q_{rot} = 2000$$

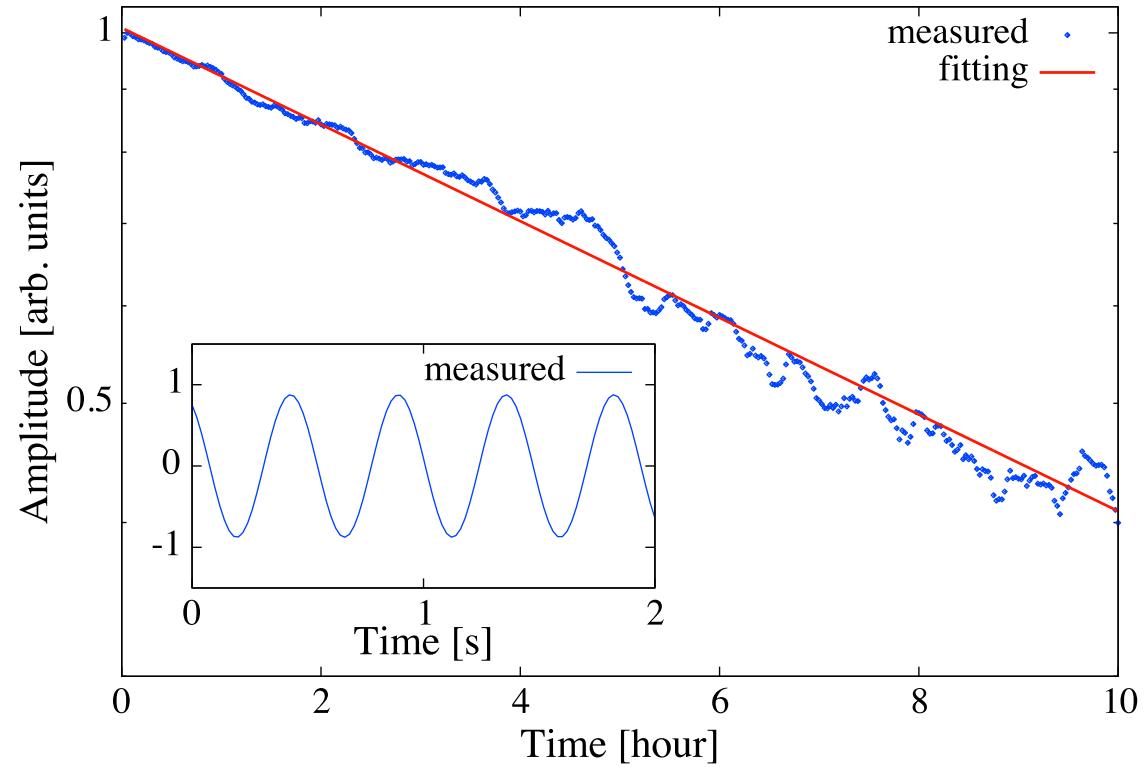
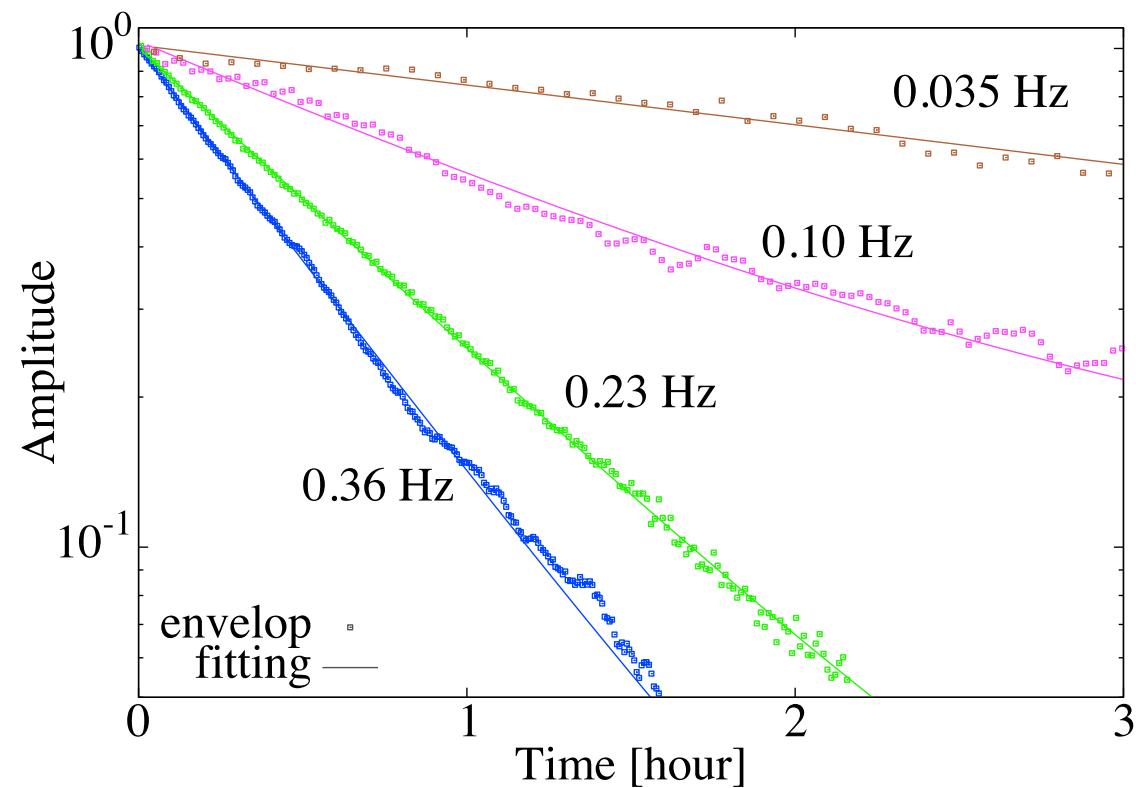
↑ achieved with 3um wire and various bars

$$Q_{pend} = 10^5$$

↑ achieved with 3um wire

$$Q_M = 10^2$$

↑ easy



# Residual gas

$$\sqrt{S_{f,gas}(\omega)} = \sqrt{4P_{air}S\sqrt{m_{mol}k_B T_{th}}}$$

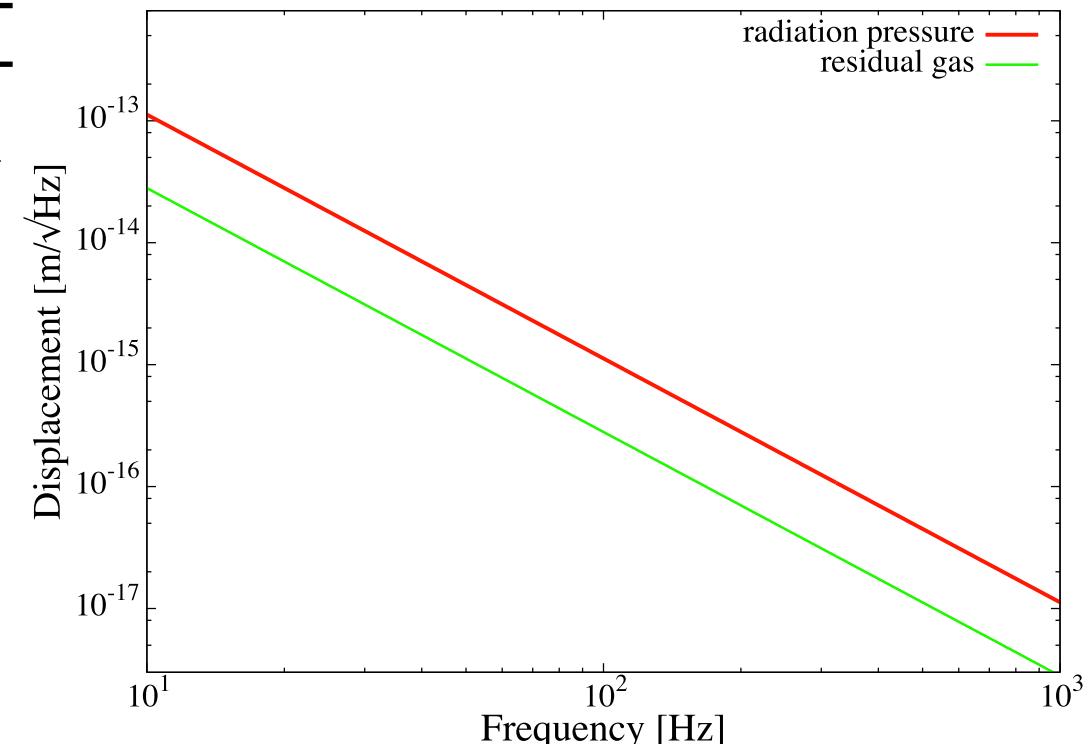
$$P_{air} = 1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ Pa}$$

$$S = 15 \text{ mm} \times 1.5 \text{ mm}$$

molecule : H<sub>2</sub>O

$$\sqrt{S_{gas}(\omega)} = \sqrt{\int_{-L/2}^{L/2} 4P_{air}\sqrt{m_{mol}k_B T_{th}}lx^2 dx} \frac{L}{I\omega^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{4P_{air}S\sqrt{m_{mol}k_B T_{th}}} \frac{\sqrt{12}}{m\omega^2}$$



# Residual gas

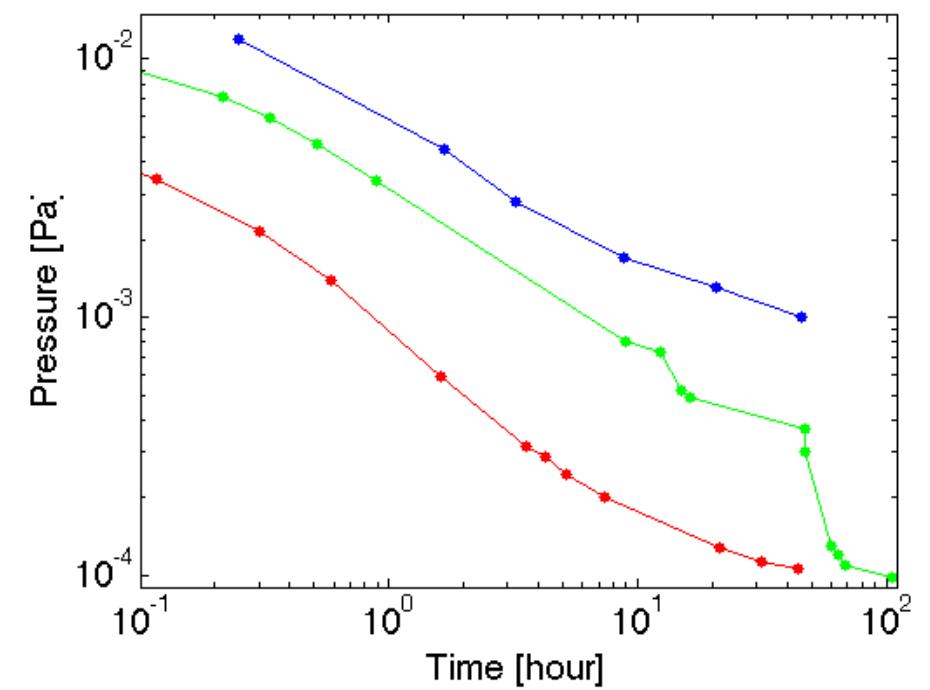
$$\sqrt{S_{f,gas}(\omega)} = \sqrt{4P_{air}S\sqrt{m_{mol}k_B T_{th}}}$$

$P_{air} = 1 \times 10^{-4}$  Pa  $\leftarrow$  achieved ( $< 2 \times 10^{-4}$  Pa with some parts)

$S = 15 \text{ mm} \times 1.5 \text{ mm}$

molecule : H<sub>2</sub>O

$$\begin{aligned}\sqrt{S_{gas}(\omega)} &= \sqrt{\int_{-L/2}^{L/2} 4P_{air}\sqrt{m_{mol}k_B T_{th}}lx^2 dx} \frac{L}{I\omega^2} \\ &= \sqrt{4P_{air}S\sqrt{m_{mol}k_B T_{th}}} \frac{\sqrt{12}}{m\omega^2}\end{aligned}$$



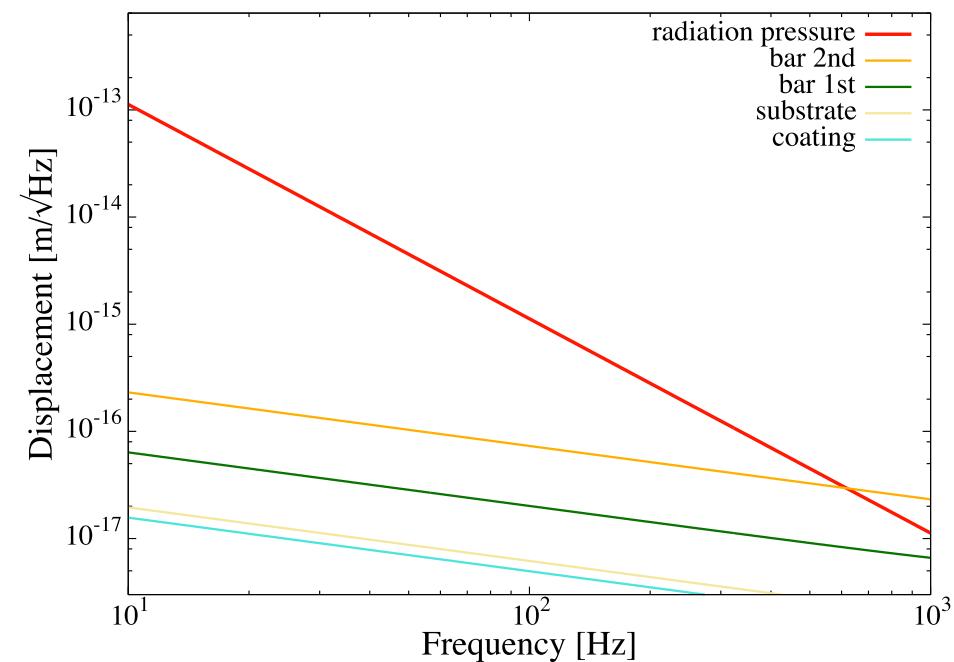
# Mirror and bar thermal

$$\sqrt{S_{mir}(\omega)} = \sqrt{\frac{4k_B T_{th}}{\sqrt{\pi} w_0} \frac{1 - \nu_s^2}{Y_s} \frac{\phi_{eff}}{\omega}}$$

$$\sqrt{S_{bar}(\omega)} = \sqrt{\frac{4k_B T_{th}}{m \omega_{bar}^2} \frac{\phi_{eff}}{\omega}}$$

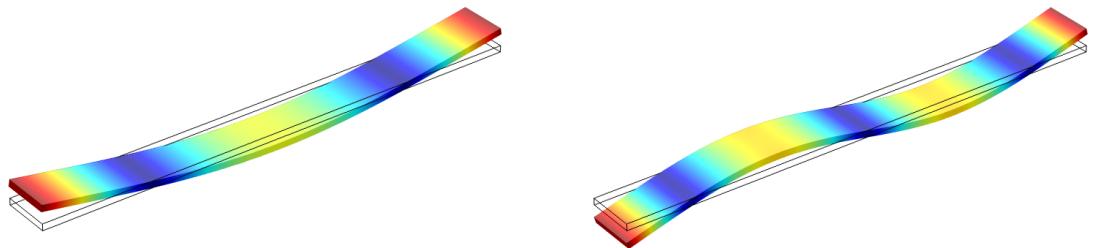
$$\phi_{eff} = \phi_s + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi} w_0} \left[ d_1 \phi_1 \left( \frac{Y_1}{Y_s} + \frac{Y_s}{Y_1} \right) + d_2 \phi_2 \left( \frac{Y_2}{Y_s} + \frac{Y_s}{Y_2} \right) \right]$$

$\phi_s = 1 \times 10^{-5}$  : SiO<sub>2</sub>  
 $\phi_1 = 1 \times 10^{-4}$  : SiO<sub>2</sub>  
 $\phi_2 = 4 \times 10^{-4}$  : Ta<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>  
 $w_0 = 0.21$  mm



# Mirror and bar thermal

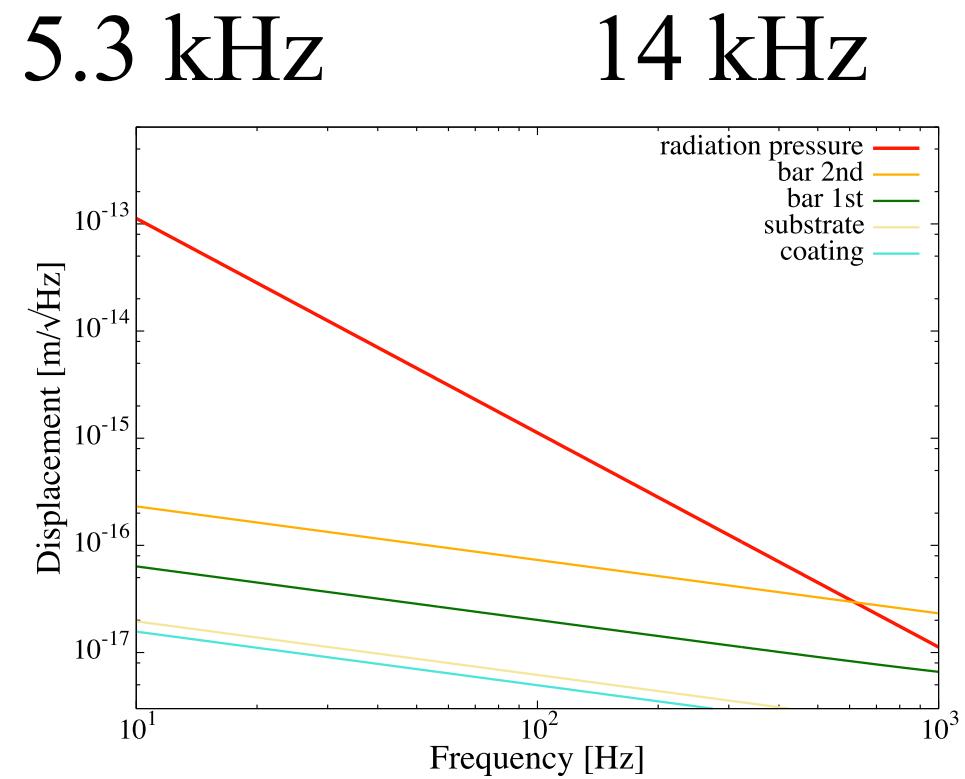
$$\sqrt{S_{bar}(\omega)} = \sqrt{\frac{4k_B T_{th}}{m\omega_{bar}^2} \frac{\phi_{eff}}{\omega}}$$



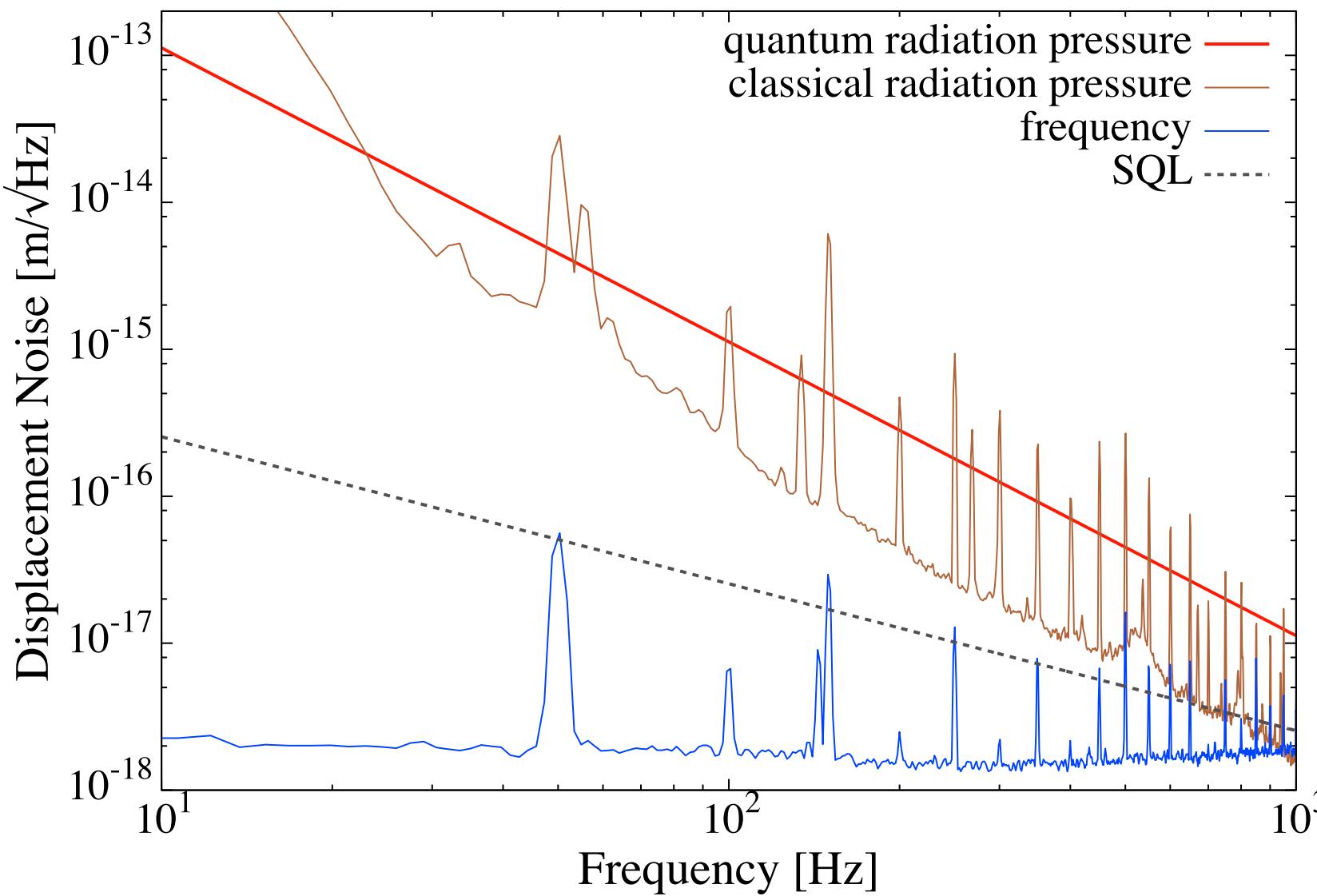
$$\phi_{eff} = \phi_s + \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi} w_0} \left[ d_1 \phi_1 \left( \frac{Y_1}{Y_s} + \frac{Y_s}{Y_1} \right) + d_2 \phi_2 \left( \frac{Y_2}{Y_s} + \frac{Y_s}{Y_2} \right) \right]$$

$1 \times 10^{-5}$        $6 \times 10^{-6}$

↑                    ↑

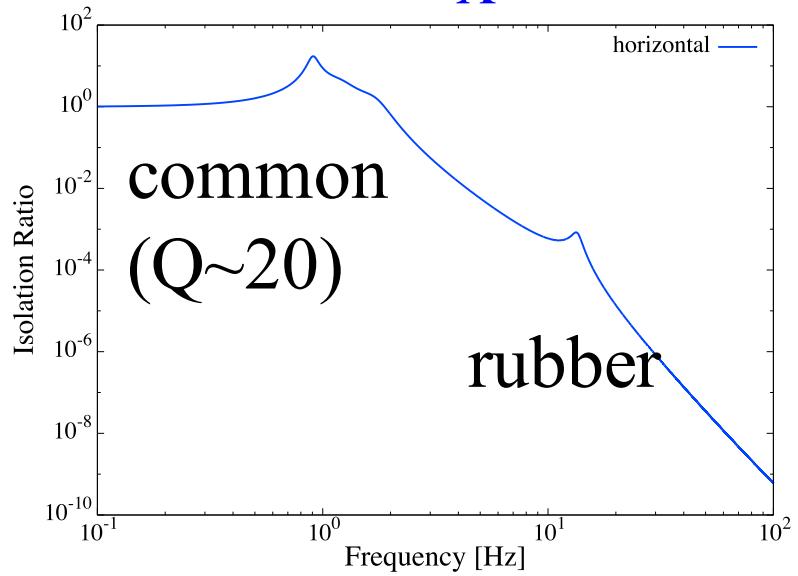
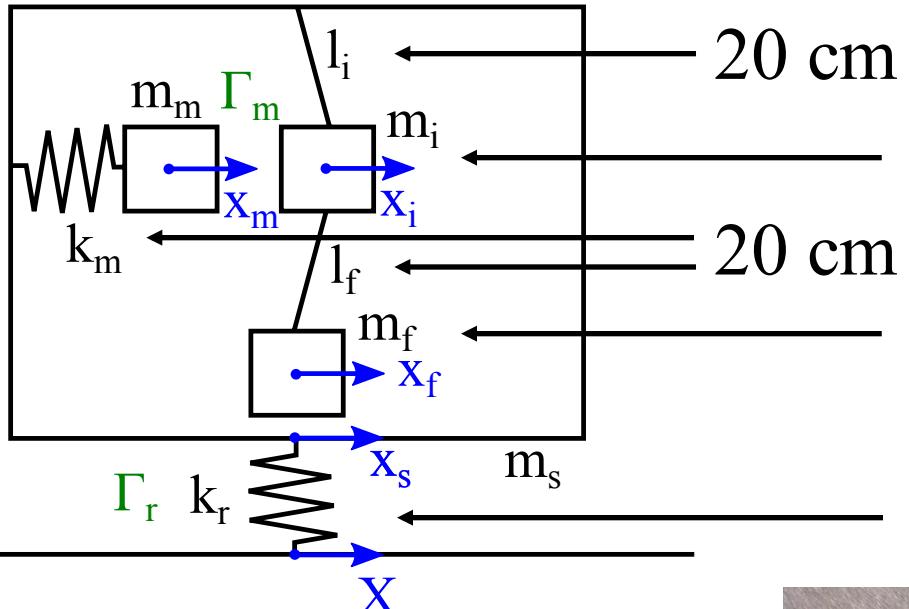


# Frequency and Intensity



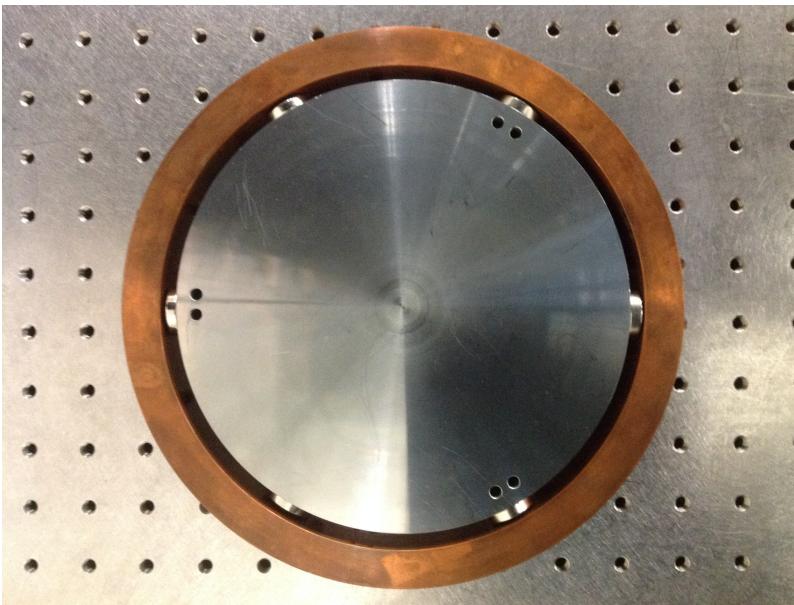
achieved  
but not yet with the  
turbo pomp on

# horizontal



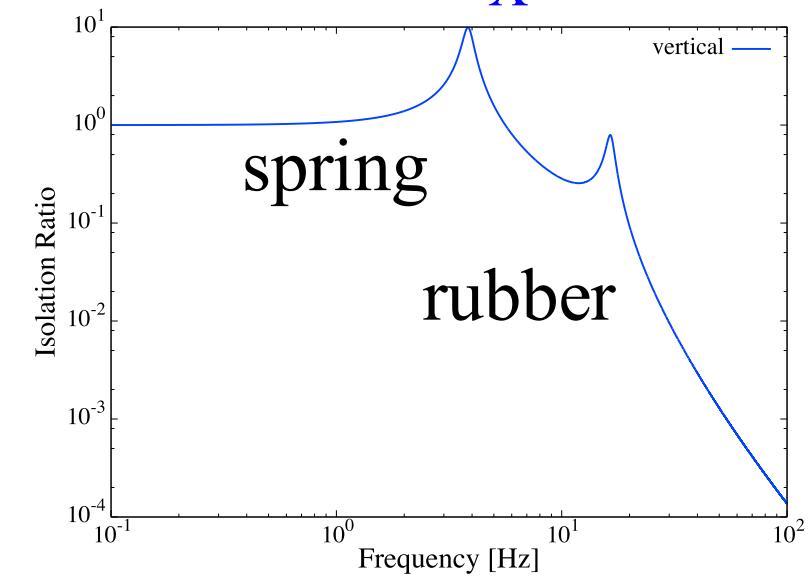
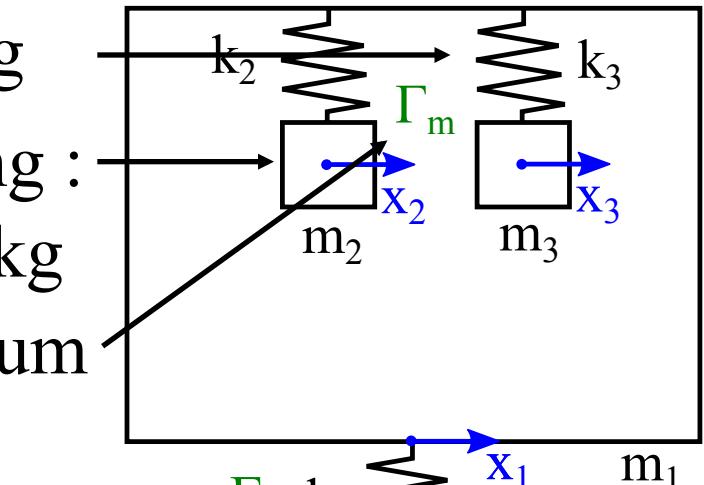
# VIS

intermediate :  
Cu 2.2 kg  
platform :  
Al 1.5 kg  
rubber viton

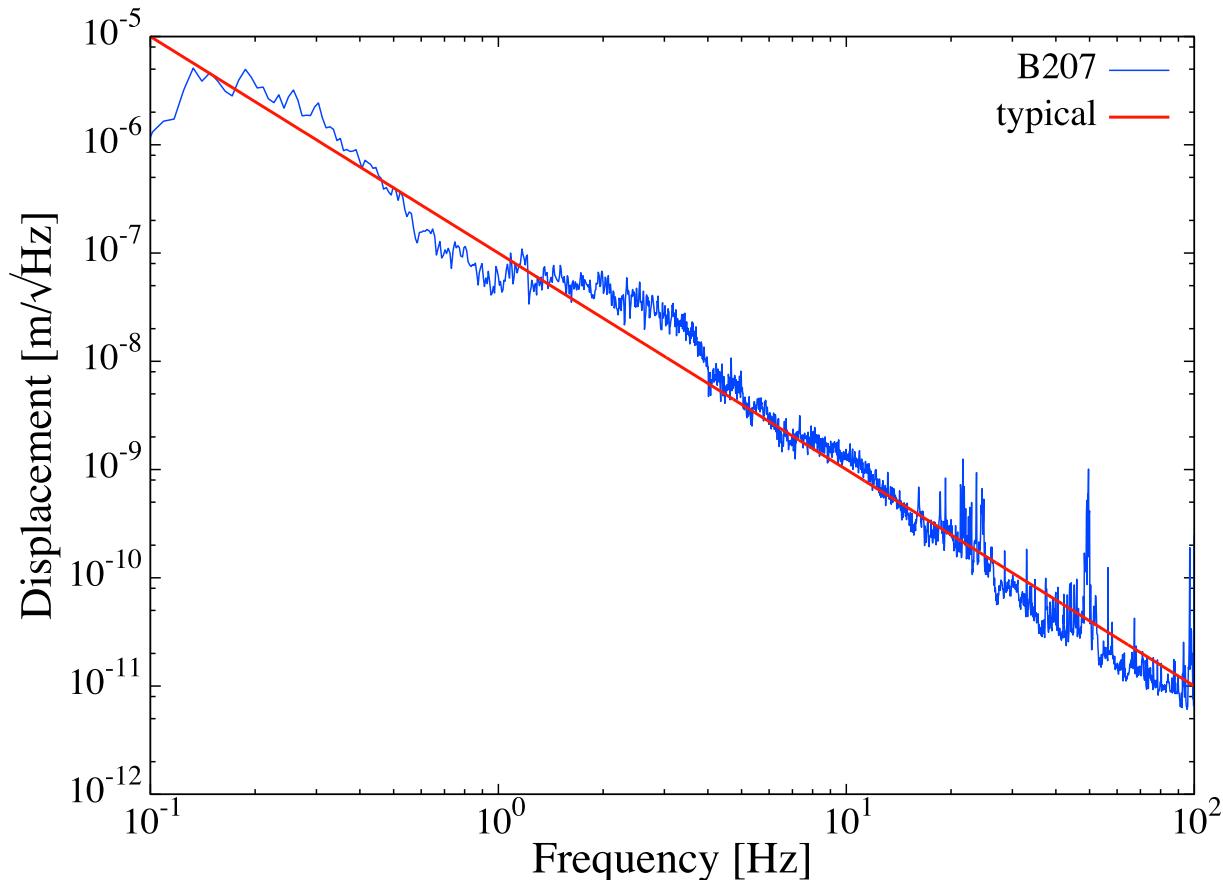


# vertical

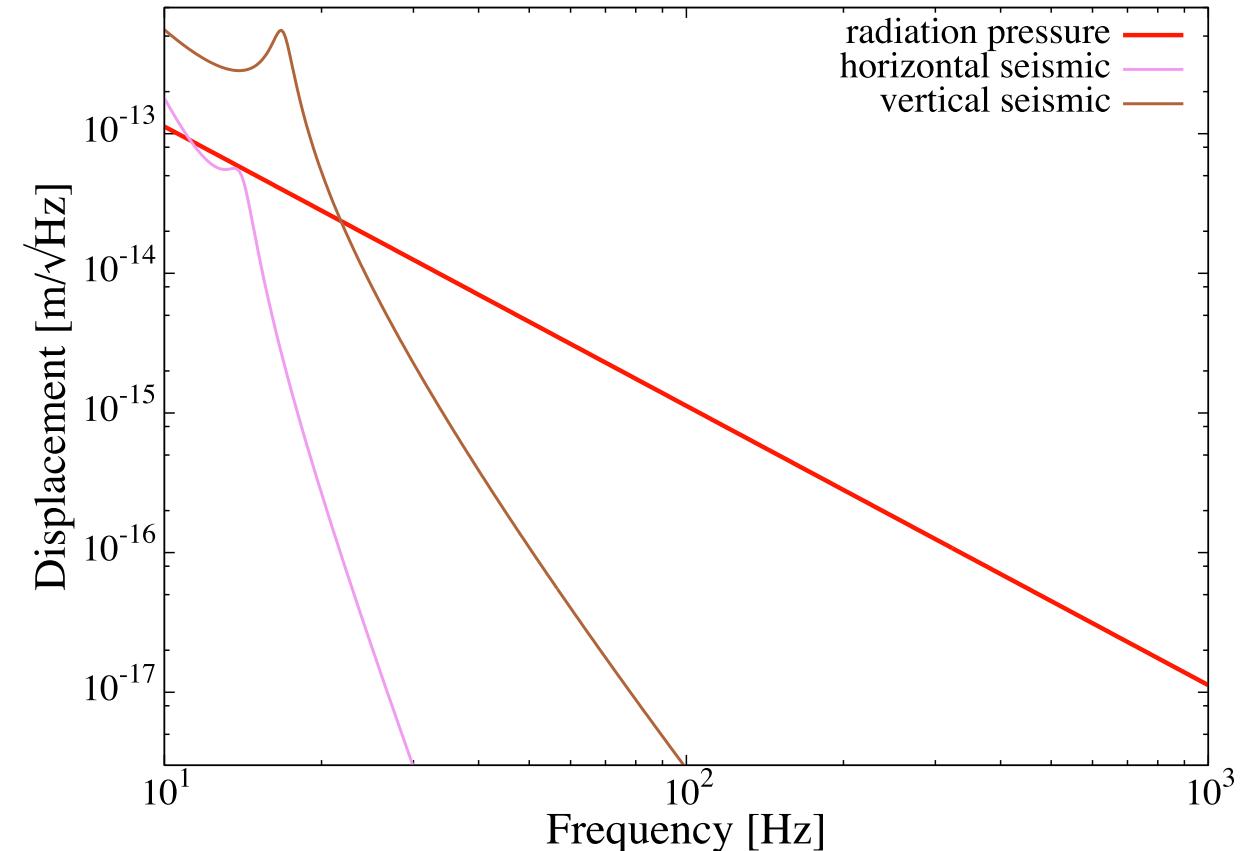
spring  
damping :  
Fe 4.9 kg  
neodymium



# Seismic



measured by Shimoda-kun



vertical and horizontal  
coupling : 1/50

# Lock acquisition

$$v_{rms} < \sqrt{\frac{F_{act}\lambda}{MF}} = 2 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m/s}$$

$$F_{act} = 1 \times 10^{-3} \text{ N}$$

$$H_{act} = 1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ N/V}$$

$$x_{plat}(\omega_{pend}) < 8 \times 10^{-11} \text{ m}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}$$

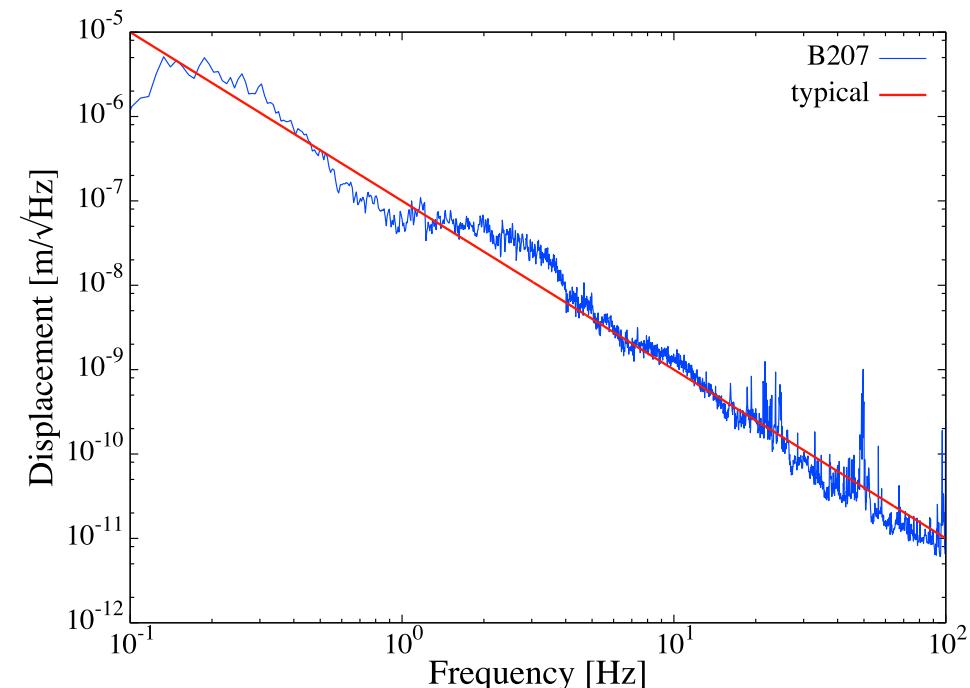
$$x_{rms} = \frac{\sqrt{\omega_{pend} Q_{pend}}}{2} x_{plat}(\omega_{pend})$$

$$\Rightarrow x_{plat}/x_{seis}(\omega_{pend}) < 1/50$$



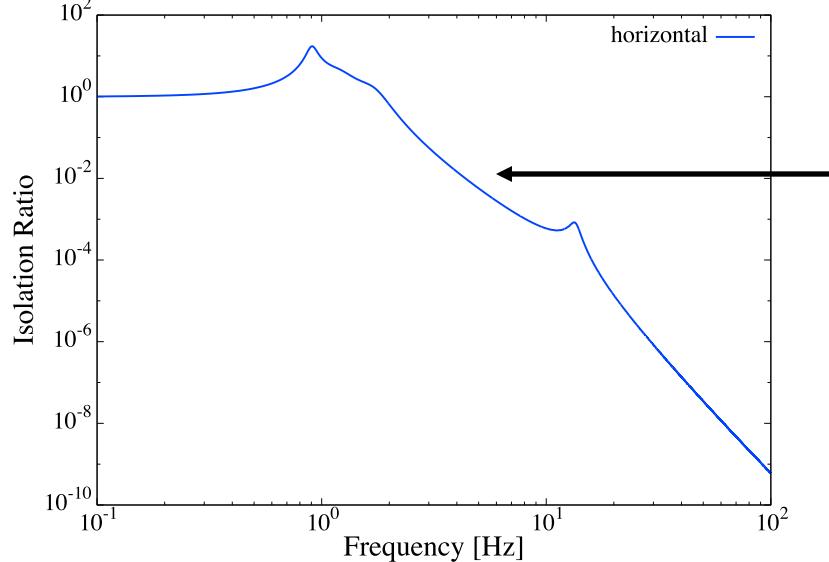
$$x_{rms} < 7 \times 10^{-8} \text{ m}$$

$$f_{pend} = 5 \text{ Hz}$$



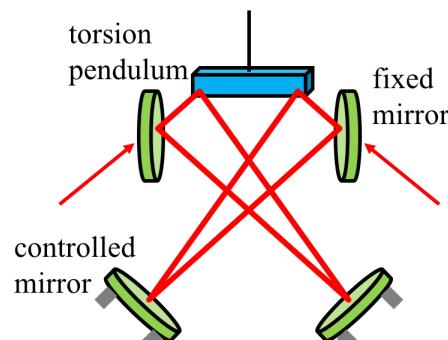
# Lock acquisition

$$x_{plat}/x_{seis}(\omega_{pend}) < 1/50$$



0.006  
(cleared)

- One arm can be locked easily.



$$F_{rad} = \frac{2 \cos \beta}{c(1 + \delta^2)} \frac{\mathcal{F} P_{in}}{\pi}$$

$$\delta = 2, P_{in} = 1 \text{ mW}$$

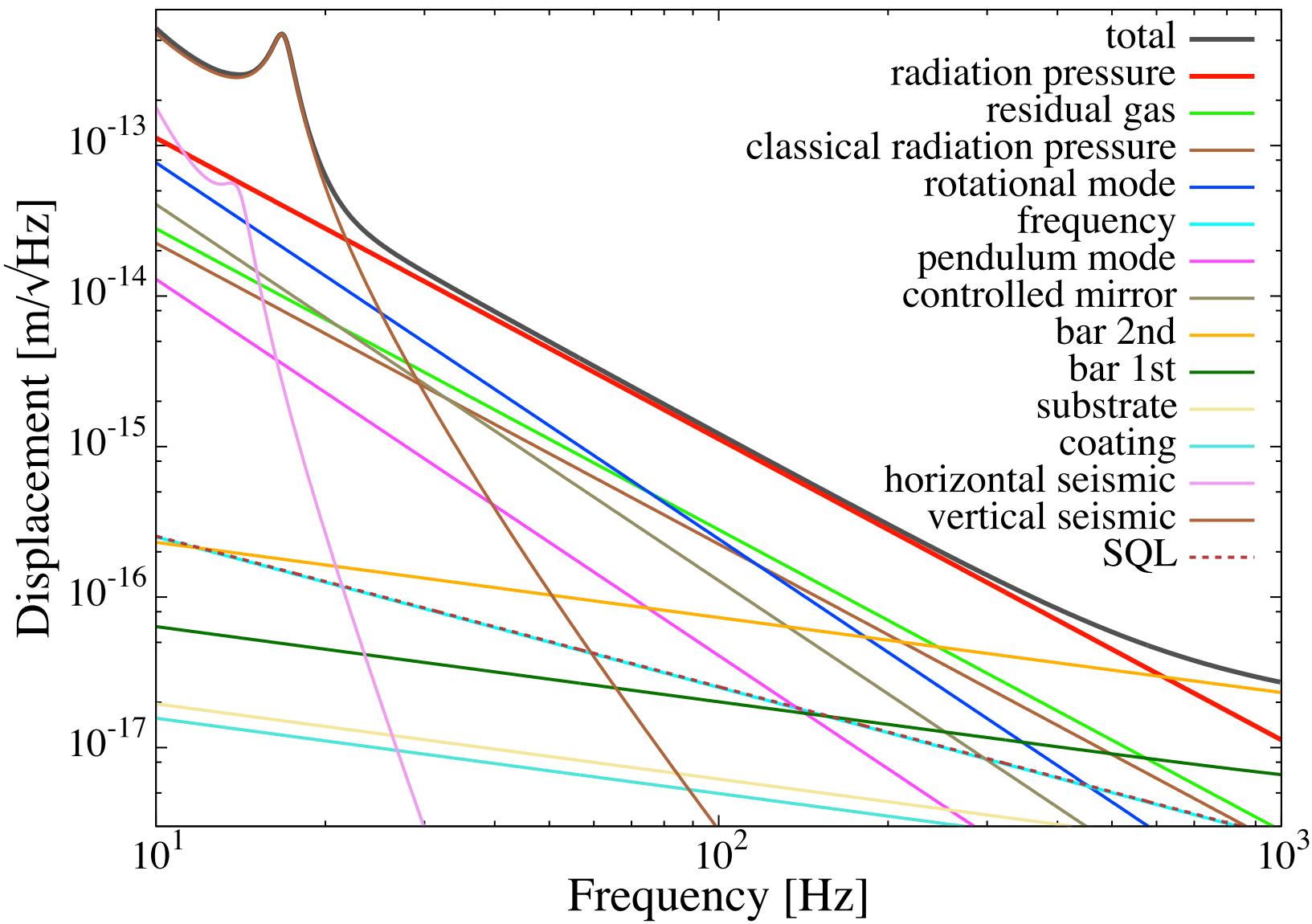
$$v_{arm} = \sqrt{6F_{rad}x_d/m} \\ = 2 \times 10^{-6} \sqrt{x_d/10^{-8}} \text{ m/s}$$

$$v_{rms} < 2 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m/s}$$

$$x_{rms} < 1 \times 10^{-8} \text{ m}$$

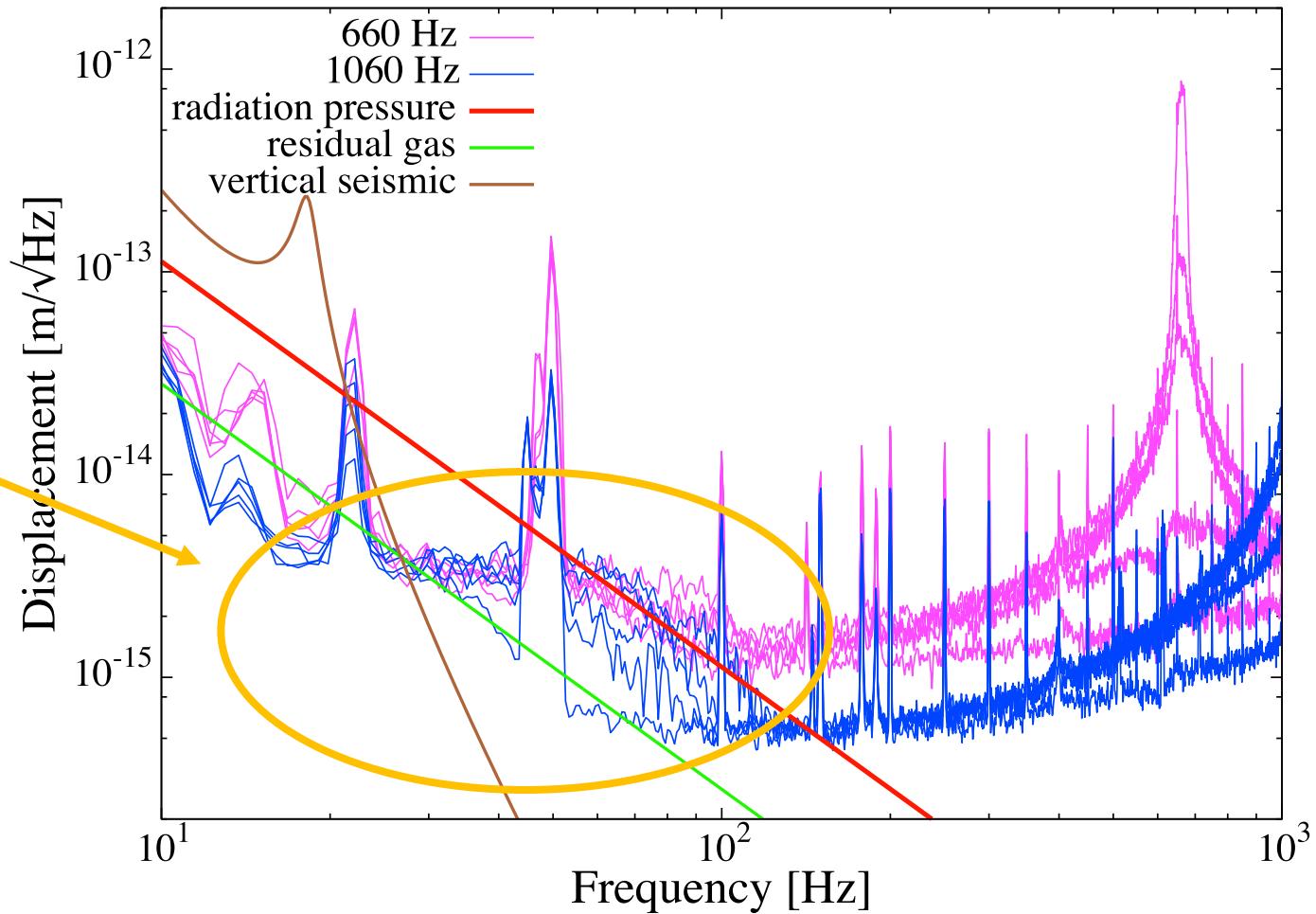
$$x_{pend} = 2 \times 10^{-8} \text{ m} \quad \text{not bad}$$

# Total noise



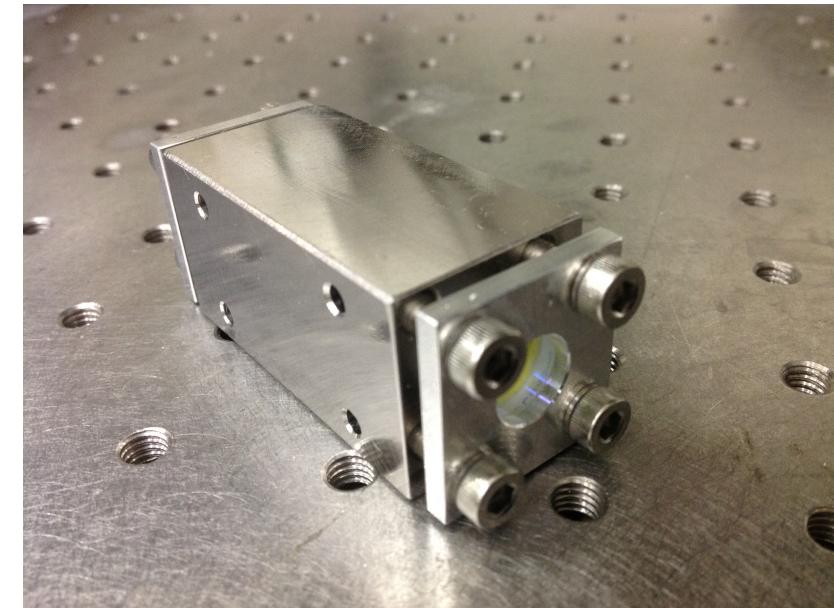
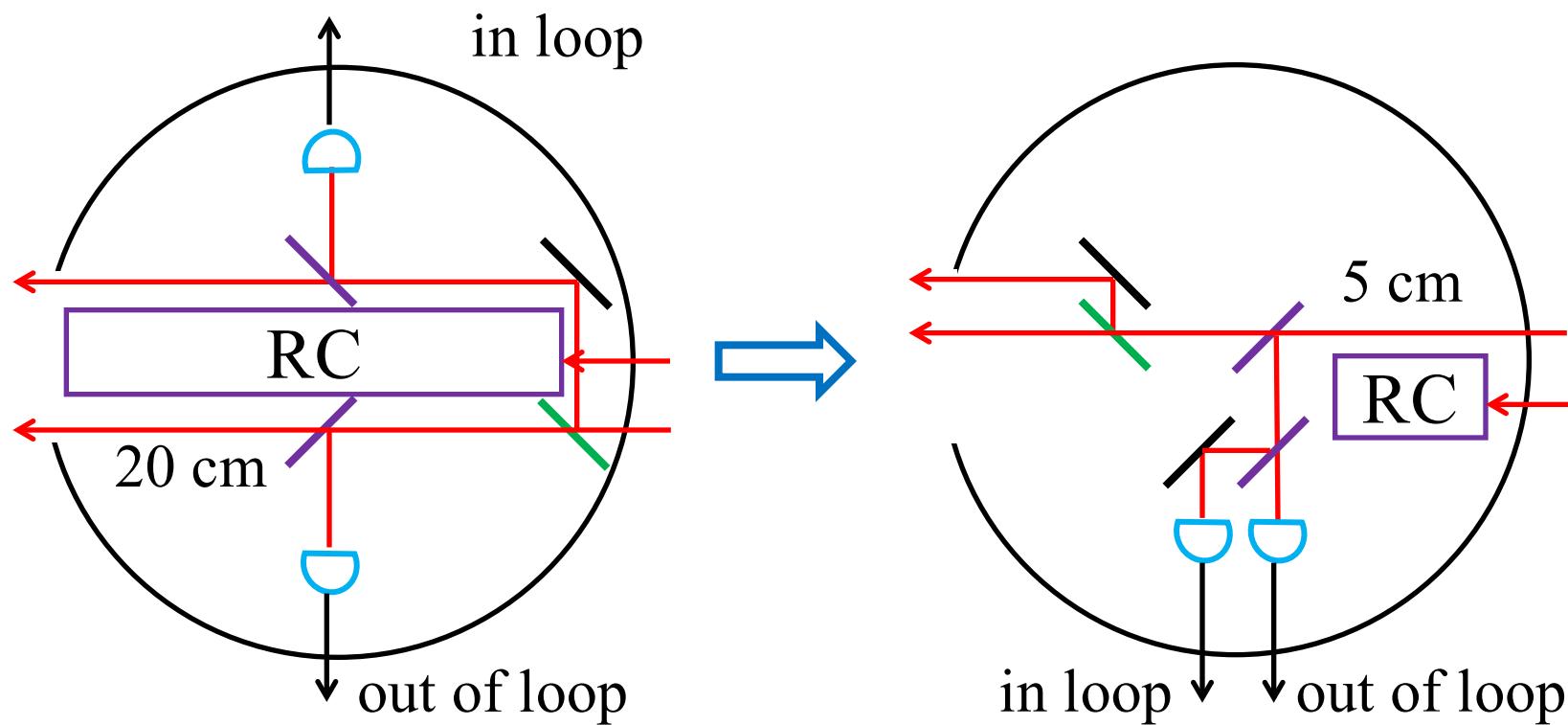
# Matters of concern

- Almost nothing
- Scattering ?
- Other fluctuation of the cavity length at initial lock



# Current status

- finish to design the set up for the main cavity and to order short parts (maybe)
- change the set up of the platform for stabilization system



# Future plan

Month

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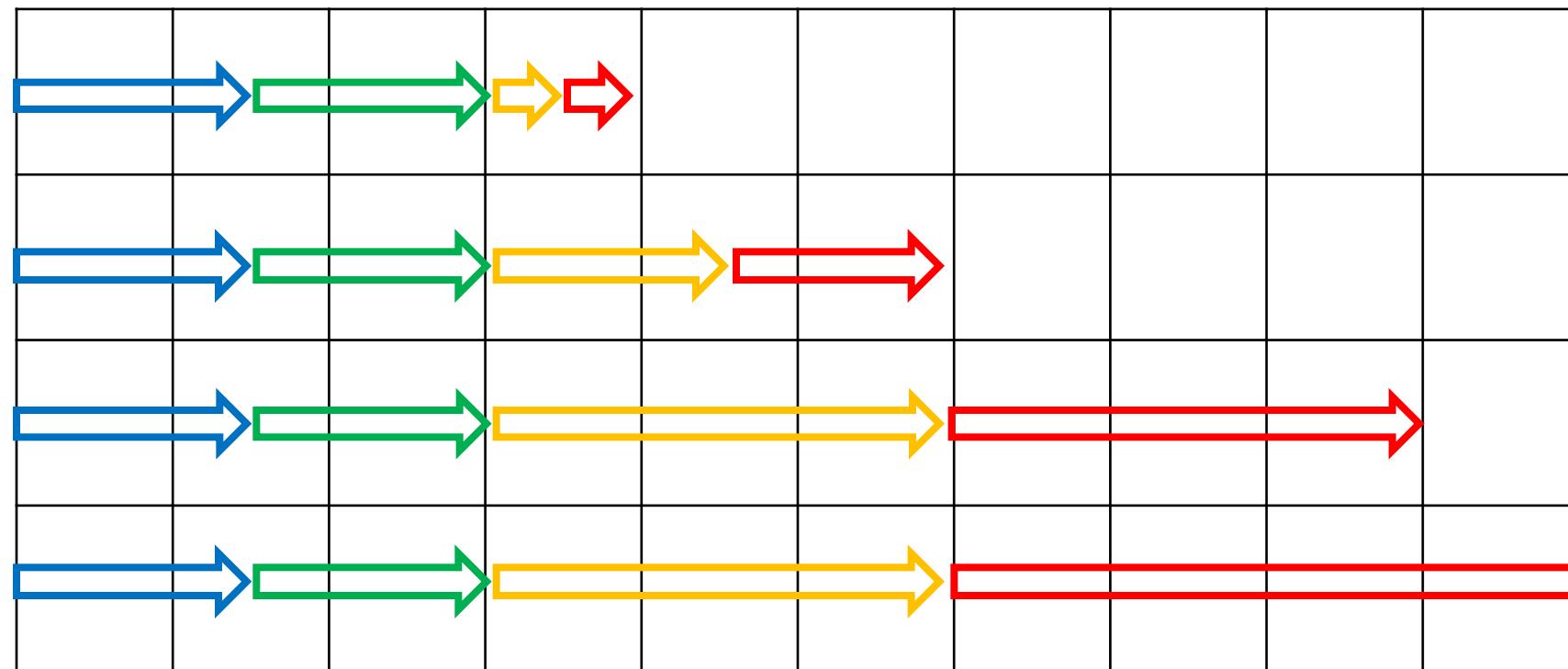
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- ultra-super lucky case
- wonderful case
- likely case
- garbage case



ordering short parts

constructing

improving the

→ and recovering  
stabilization system

→ system for  
main cavity

→ locking

→ sensitivity and  
observing QRPF