

Alignment control of Dual-pass Fabry-Perot cavity for DECIGO

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Abstract

- Summarize what I did last year about DECIGO experiment
- Current situation of my experiment
- I will mention plans toward my master thesis

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 - WaveFront Sensor
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- Summary

How to control DECIGO interferometer

What is DECIGO, B-DECIGO ?

Ground-Based or Space ?

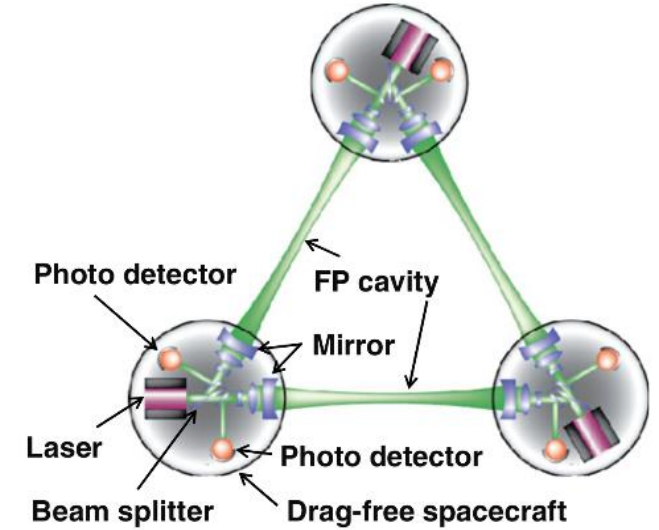
Space gravitational wave detector

Target

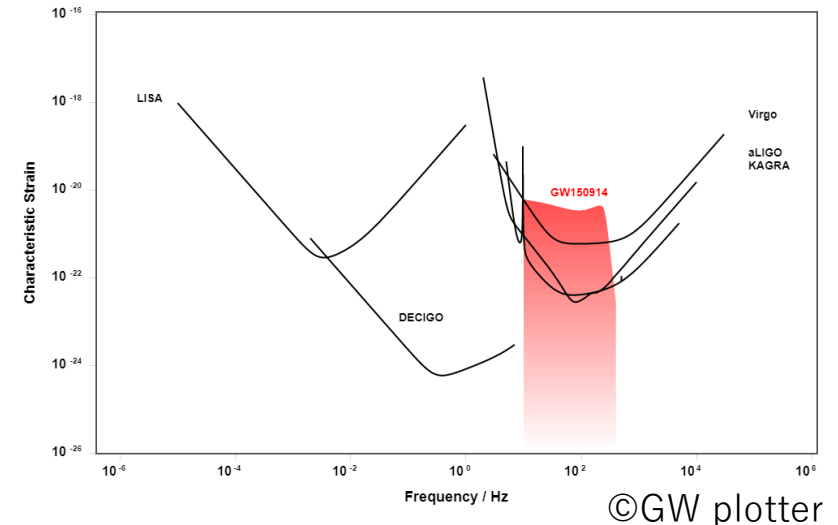
- Frequency band 0.1 Hz – 10 Hz
- The middle between Ground-Based detectors (LIGO, Virgo, KAGRA) and another space gravitational wave detector, LISA

Expected Science

Directly detecting gravitational wave background
→ Verification of Inflation theory



(S. Kawamura et al, CQG, 2011)



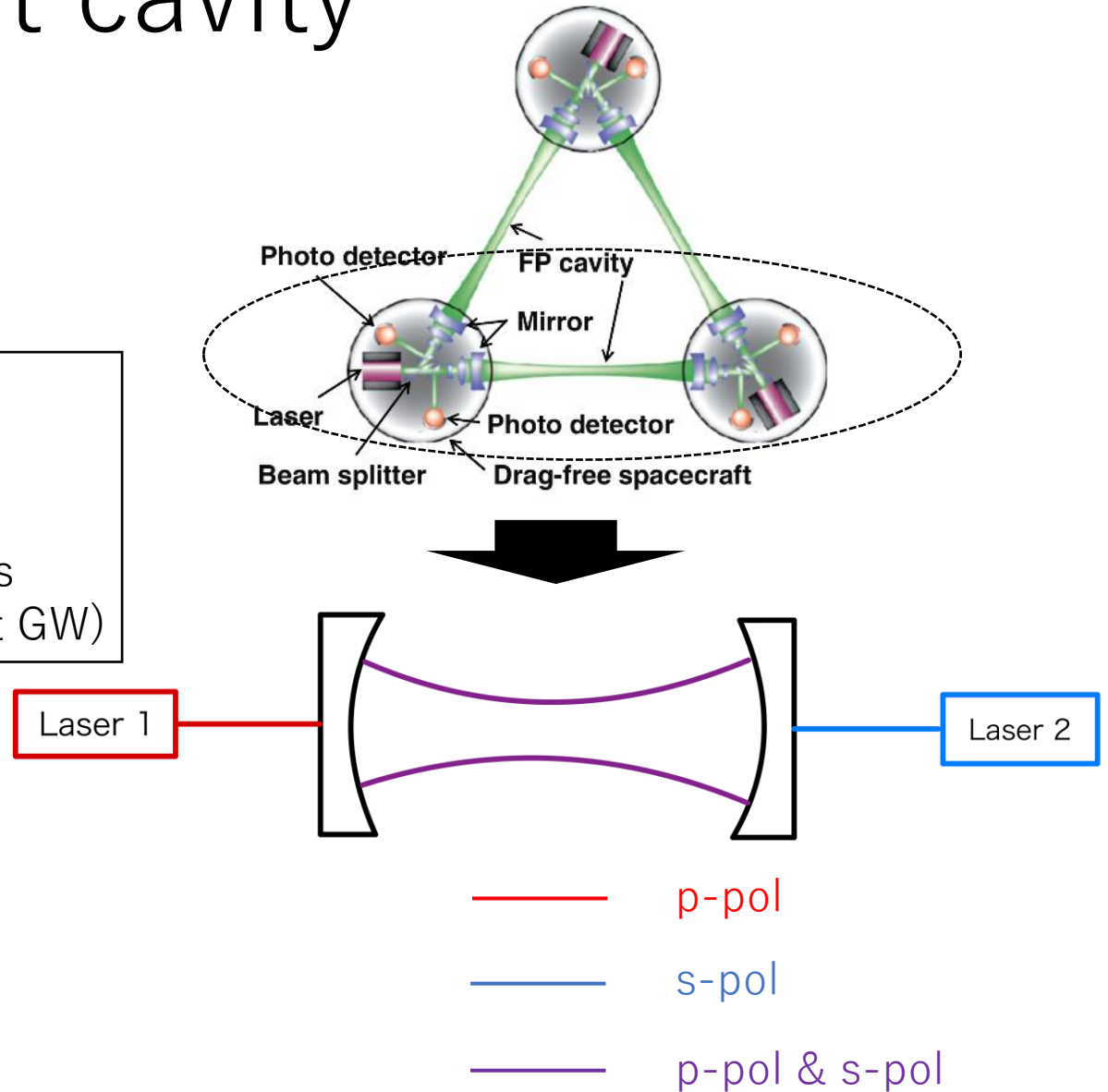
Dual-Pass Fabry-Perot cavity

In DECIGO, two lasers are incident on a Fabry-Perot cavity from its both sides

Merits

- Good sensitivity
 - FP cavity shares two lasers
- ➔ It provides a margin (even if one laser is damaged, we can use another to detect GW)

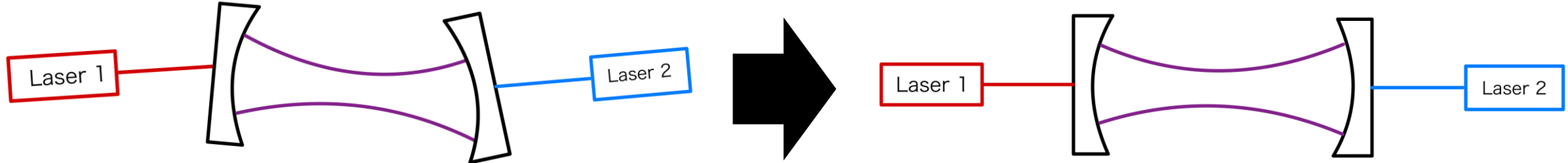
Polarization of light is used to distinguish which the laser it is



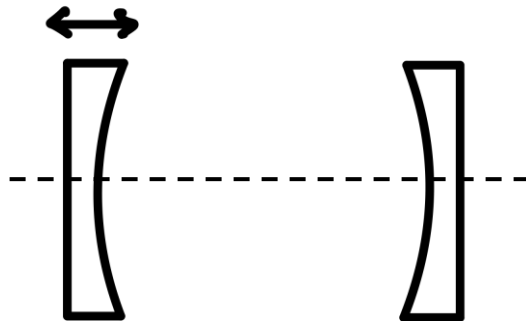
Control of Dual-Pass Fabry-Perot cavity

the establishment and the demonstration of how to control the dual-pass Fabry-Perot cavity is needed

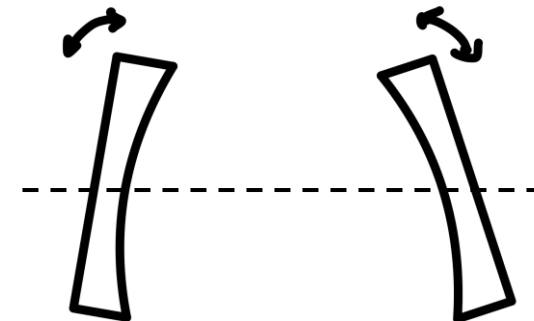
How to control ?



Length control and **alignment control** are needed



Length control



Alignment control

Current situation of controls

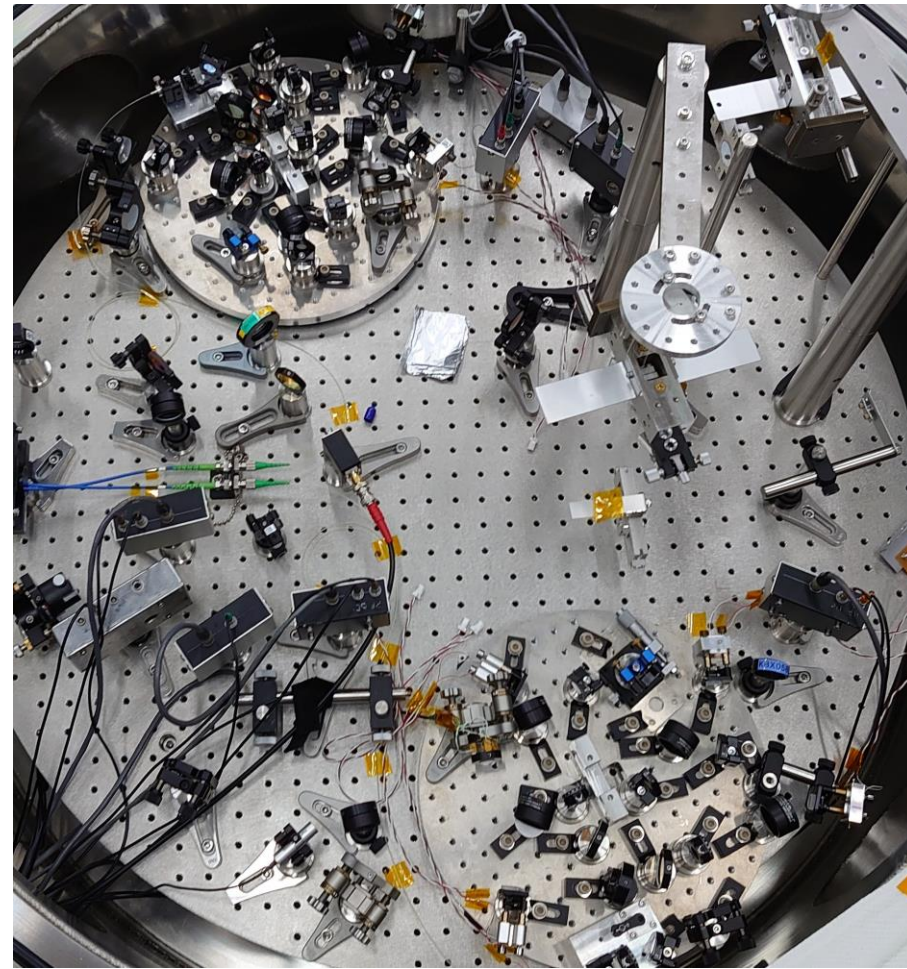
- **Length control**

Nagano-san did an experiment to lock the dual-pass Fabry-Perot cavity in the direction of length and demonstrated we can keep the resonance using PDH technique.

Koji Nagano et al. , CQG, 2021

- **Alignment control**

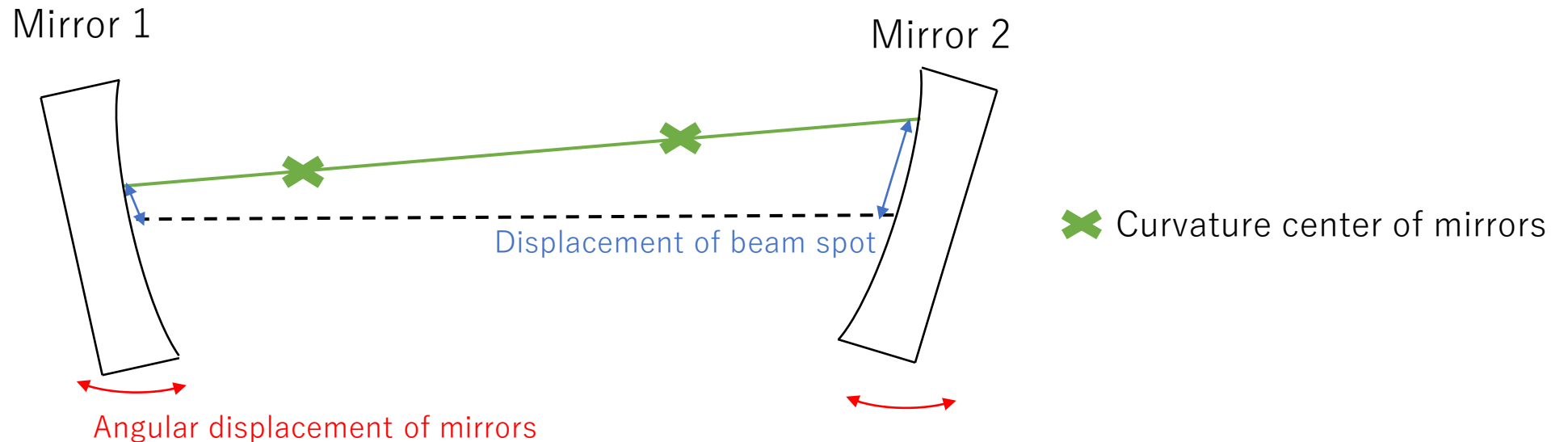
Proposed how to control (WaveFront Sensor and Beam Pointing Control) but it is not demonstrated yet.



Request values of Alignment control

Request values for Alignment control

	B-DECIGO	DECIGO
<u>Residual angular displacement of mirrors</u>	$1.0 \times 10^{-14} \text{rad}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}@0.1\text{Hz}$	$1.0 \times 10^{-14} \text{rad}/\sqrt{\text{Hz}}@0.1\text{Hz}$
<u>Residual angular displacement of mirrors (RMS)</u>	$3.5 \times 10^{-10} \text{rad}$	$3.5 \times 10^{-11} \text{rad}$
<u>Displacement of beam spot in a cavity</u>	0.1mm	0.1mm



Requirement of Alignment control

It is necessary to align 4 axes

- Axis of **laser 1**
- Axis of **laser 2**
- Axis of **a cavity** (a straight line connecting two curvature centers of mirrors)
- Standard line (a straight line connecting two center of mirrors)

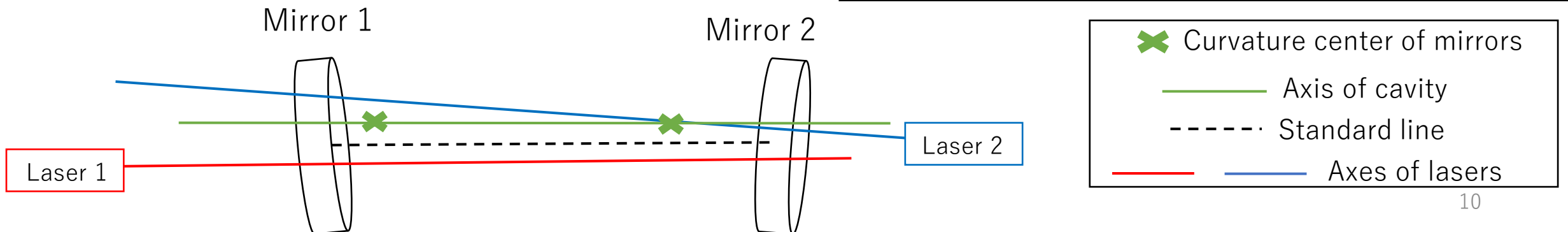
6 degrees of freedom should be controled

For the standard line,

Shifted error, Tilted error of axis of **laser 1**

Shifted error, Tilted error of axis of **laser 2**

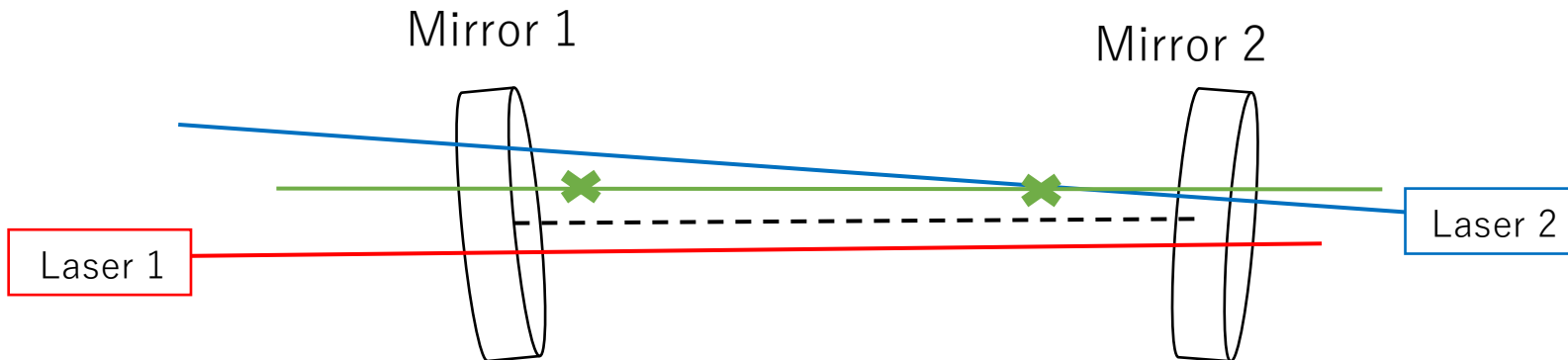
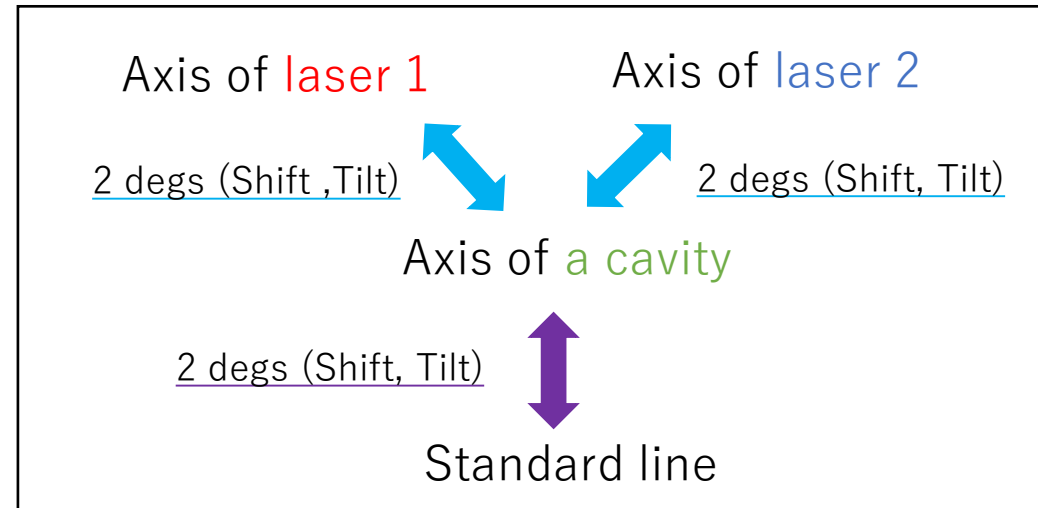
Shifted error, Tilted error of axis of **a cavity**



Methods to detect angular fluctuations

Actually, we use

- ① WaveFront Sensor
- ② Beam Pointing Control



WaveFront Sensor

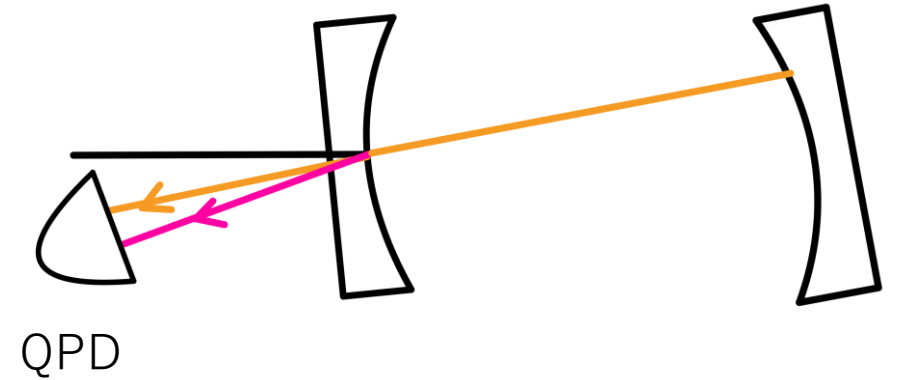
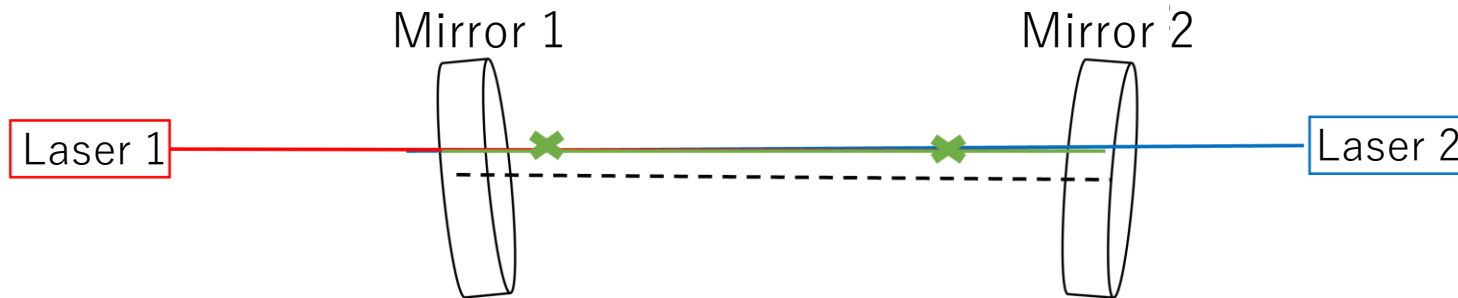
- WFS detects the gap between “axis of lasers” and “axis of a cavity”

- Comparing with “Carrier” and “Sidebands”

Carrier : trips around the inside of the cavity

Sidebands : do not get in the cavity and only reflected on FM

- We can align the axes of “laser 1”, “laser 2”, and “the cavity”



$$P_{WFS} \propto \frac{\delta x}{w_0} \sin \eta(z) - \frac{\delta \theta}{\alpha_0} \cos \eta(z)$$

δx : shifted error

$\delta \theta$: tilted error

w_0 : radius of the beam waist

α_0 : spread angle

$\eta(z)$: Gouy phase at the position z

Beam Pointing Control

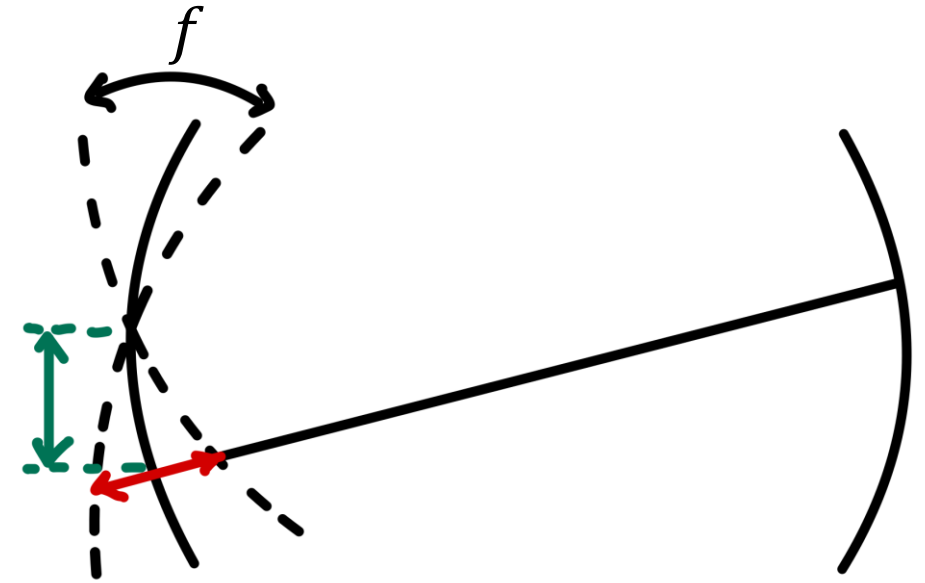
- BPC detects the gap between “Standard line” and “axis of a cavity”
- If dithering the mirror of the cavity,

The distance between the Beam spot and the center of mirror



Fluctuation of Length of the cavity

- We can align “the standard line” and “the axis of the cavity”



Current Situation of the experiment

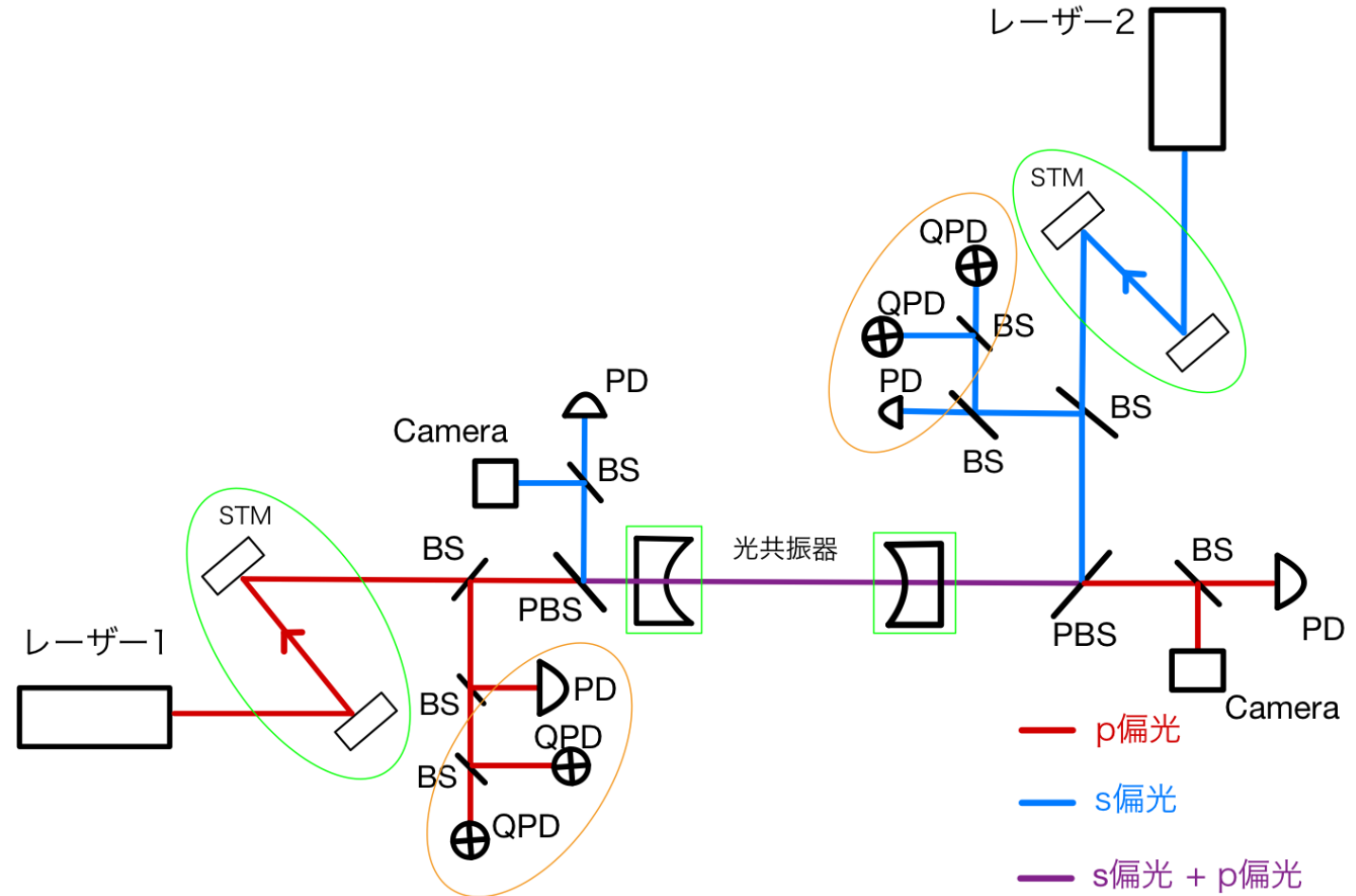
Experiment

Purpose

- Get WFS signals
- Get BPC signals
- Practice simultaneous resonance using fixed mirrors

Methods

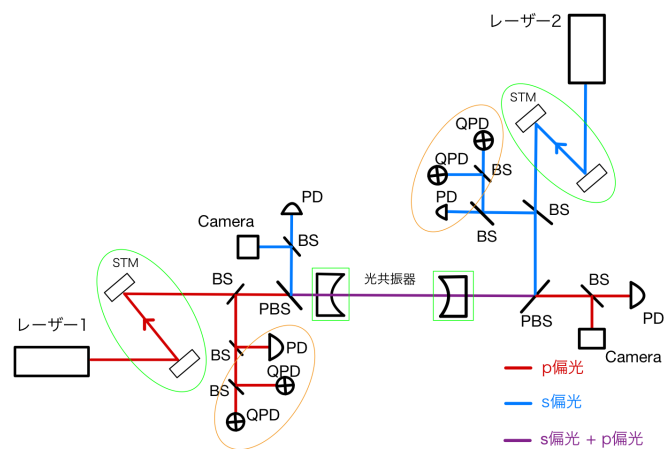
- Length control is achieved by lock each laser's frequency
- WFS signals are got by PZT of steering mirrors (STM)
- BPC signals are got by PZT of mirrors of the cavity



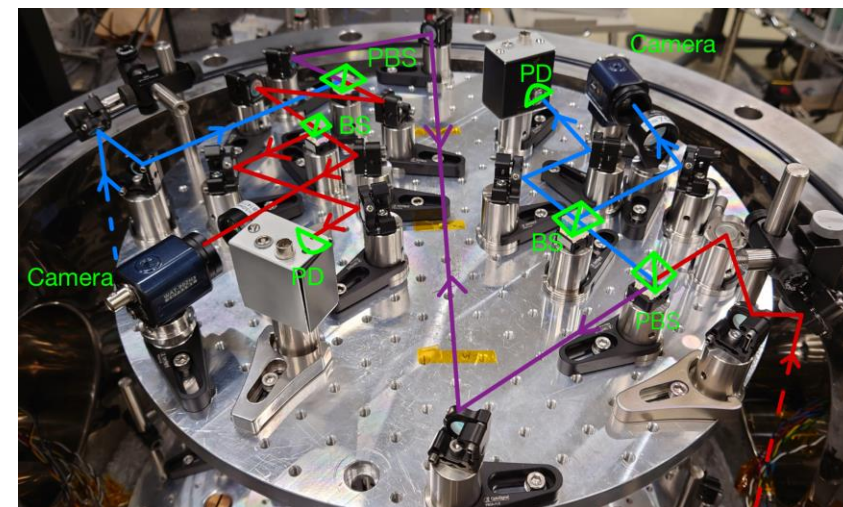
Setup

Updated

- Wiring
- Put mirrors of the cavity
- Put RFPD for PDH
- Alignment of **one laser**
- Locked the frequency



2nd floor



Parameters

Wavelength : 1064 nm

Length of the cavity : 24.7 cm

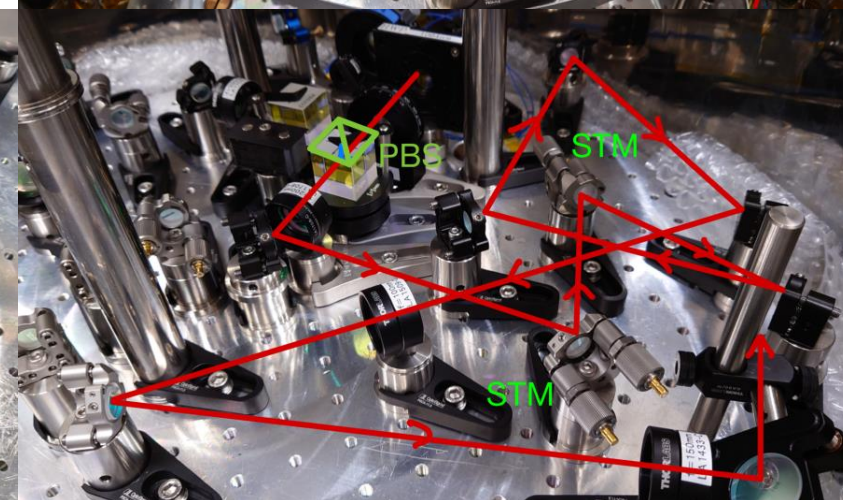
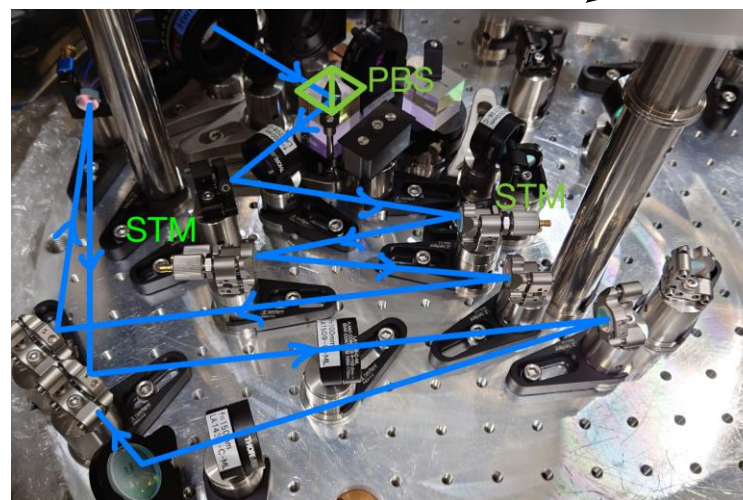
FSR : 607 MHz

Curvature of the mirror : 15 cm

g-factor : -0.64

Reflectance : 99 %

Finesse : 313 (Design value)



1st floor

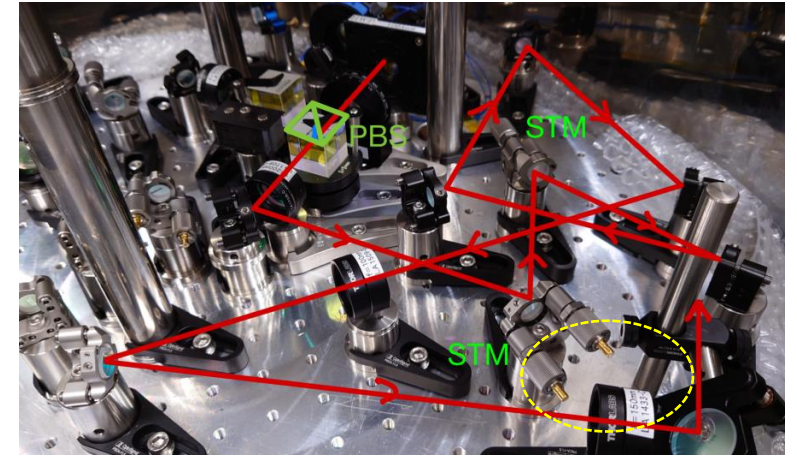
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Trivial problem and cause

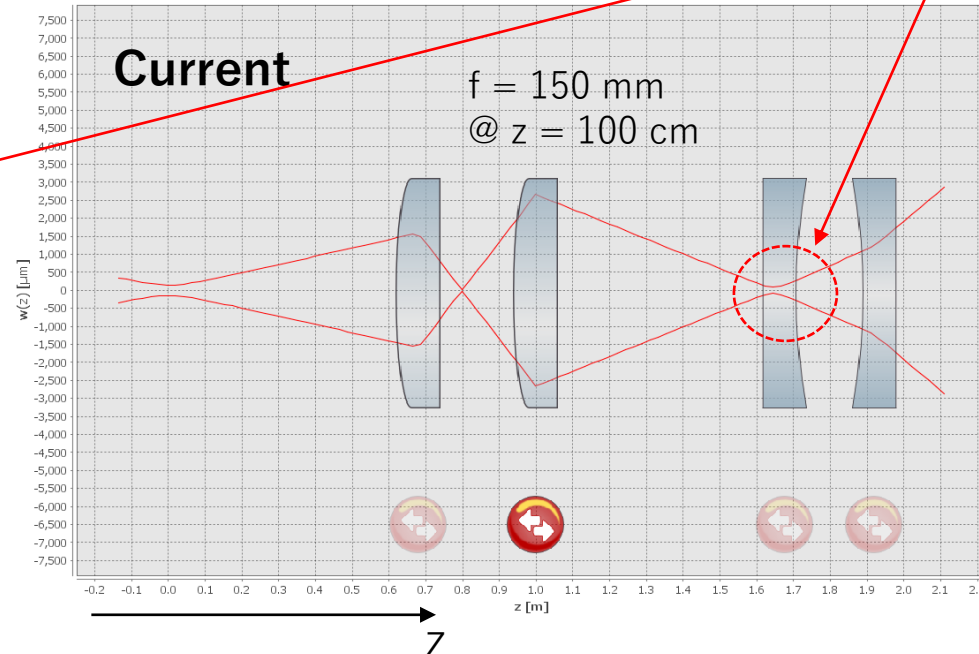
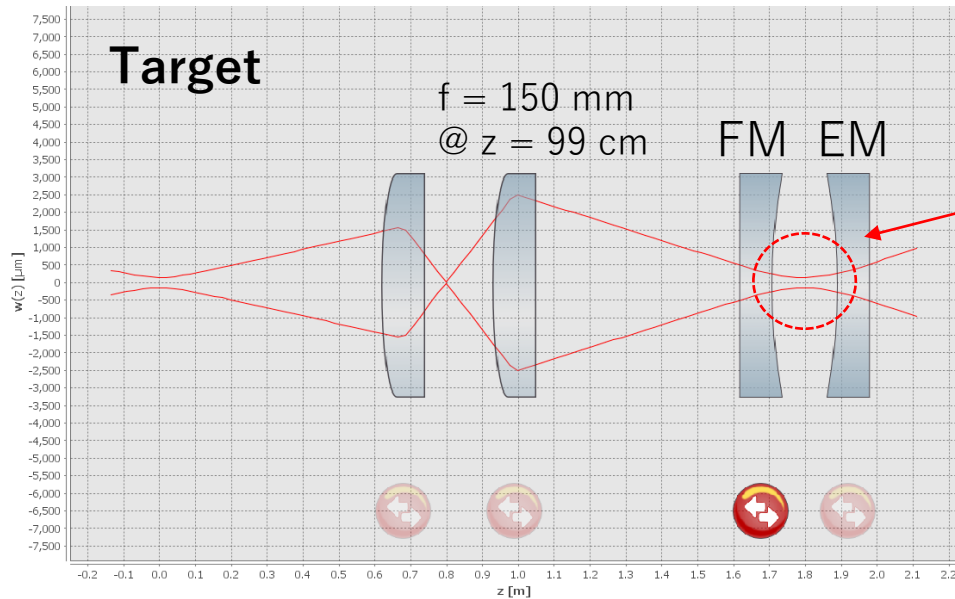
- I put mirrors of the cavity
- And Aligned
- However, the **mode match was in a bad situation** (Large LG10 mode exists)
- Looked back my simulation result (JamMt)
- Remembered I had moved a lens when wiring



LG10

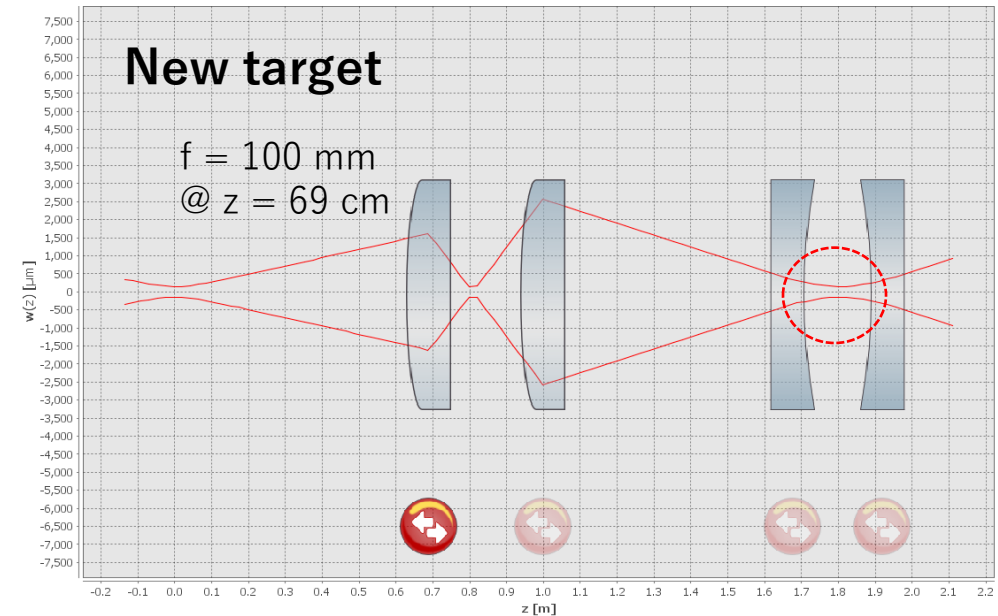
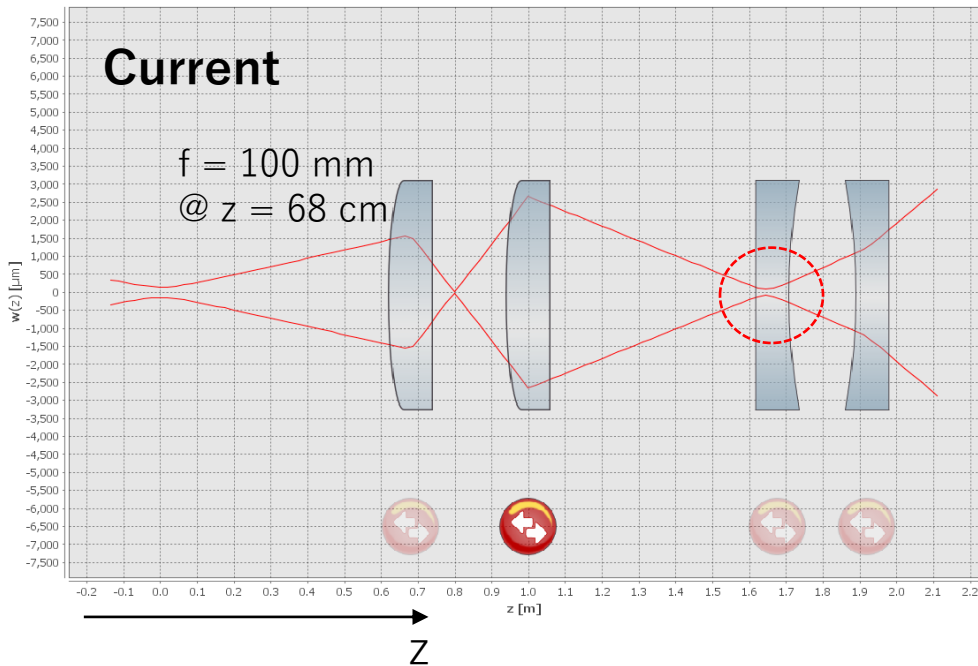
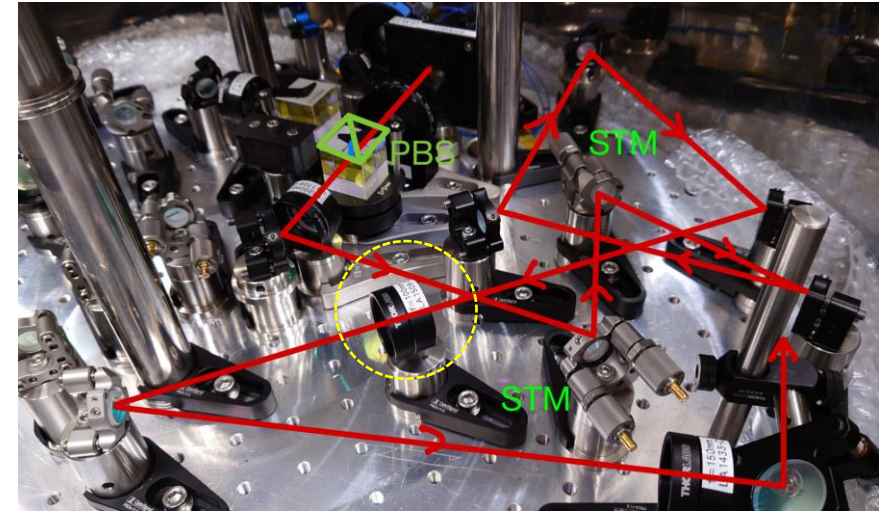


The position of the beam waist is sensitive to the position of the lens. It corresponds to the real situation.



To improve

- Will move another lens to improve this problem



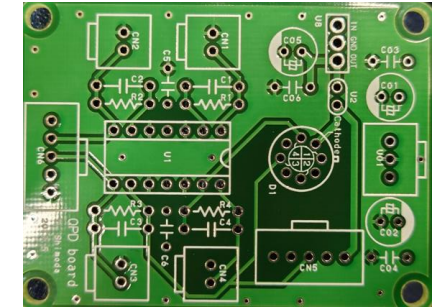
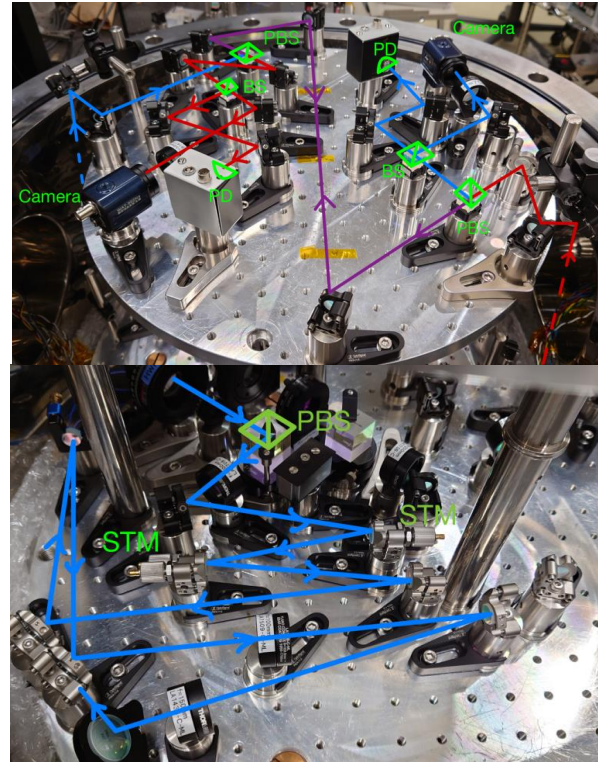
To-do

Circuits

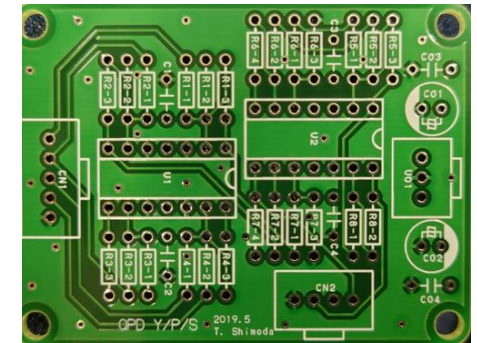
- make DCQPD circuits
- make pitch/yaw/sum circuits
- order RFQPD circuits
- Crimp a connector for frequency modulation

Optics

- Alignment of **another laser**



DCQPD circuit board



pitch/yaw/sum circuit board



Plans for Master thesis

Setup

I will update ...

Fixed mirrors \rightarrow suspended mirrors

1 cavity \rightarrow 2 cavities

Purpose

Length control of suspended cavities

Demonstration of alignment control

Parameters and Design value

Wavelength : 1064 nm

Length of the cavity : 70 cm

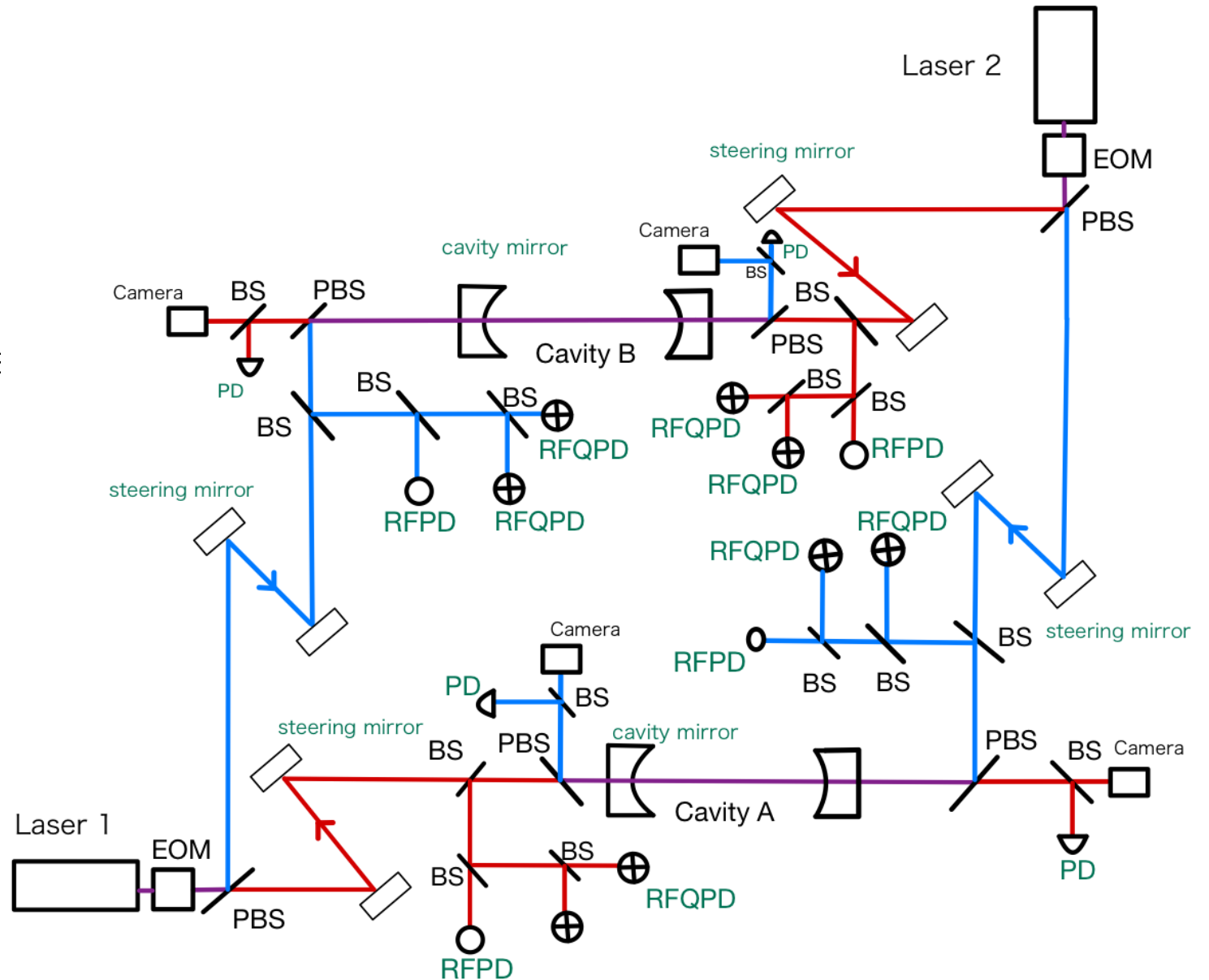
FSR : 214MHz

Curvature of the mirror : 40 cm

g-factor : -0.75

Reflectance : 99 %

Finesse : 313



Digital system is used

I will use a digital system to lock cavities

Motivations

There are many sensors and actuators

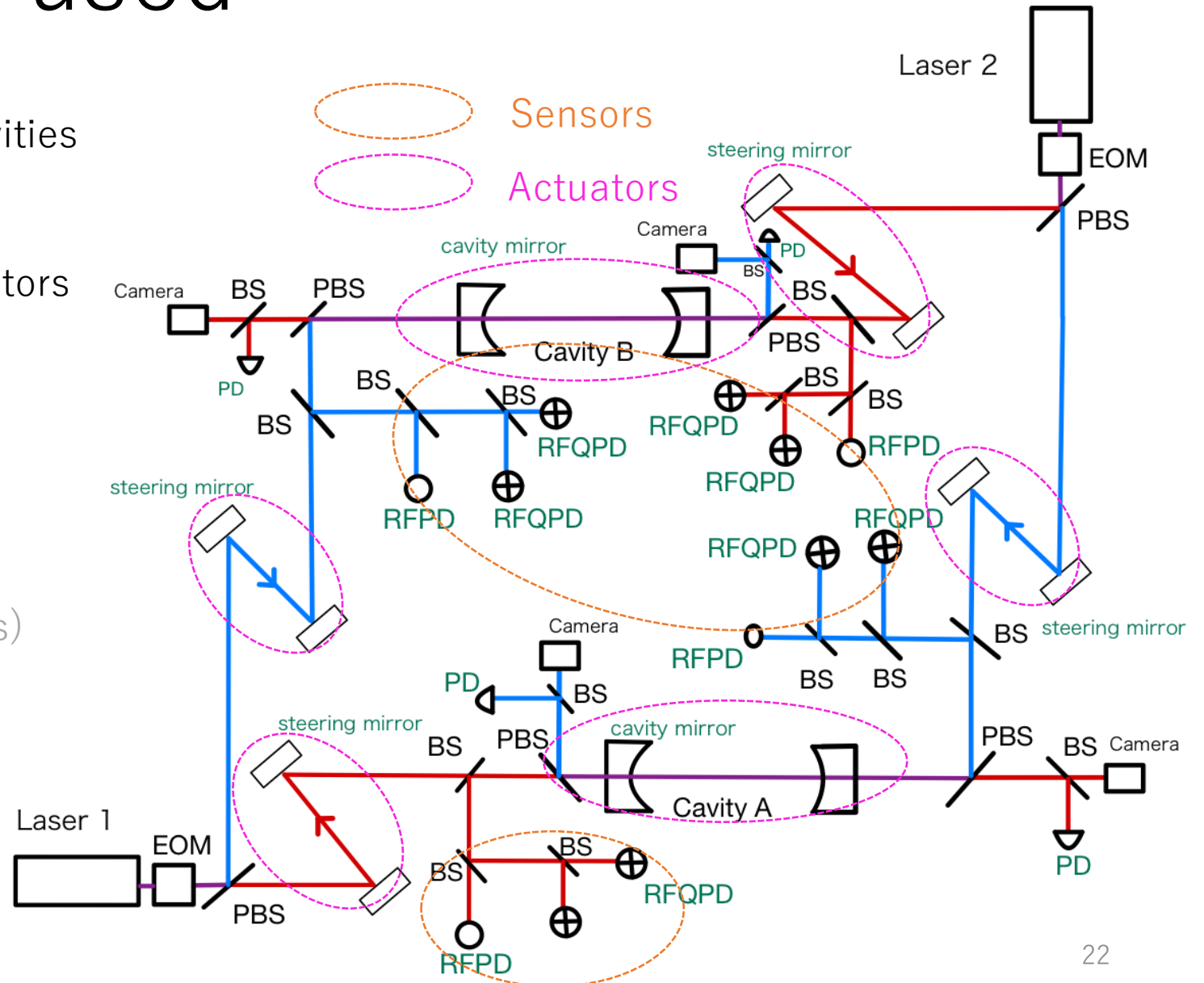
System name

LIGO CDS

Usage

Filters for WFS and BPC

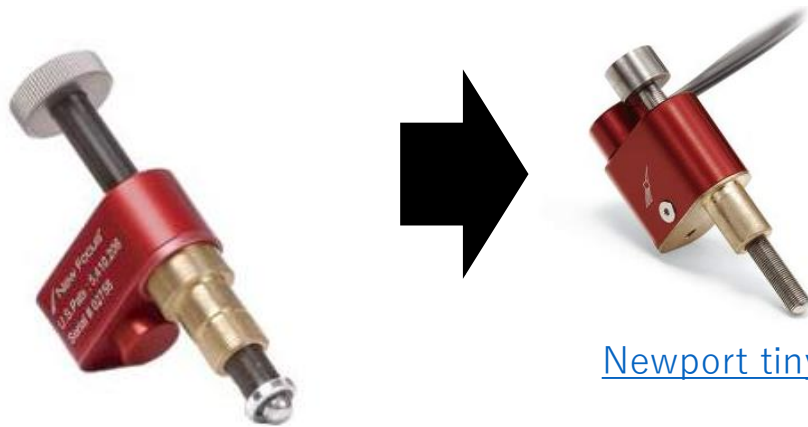
(Filters for PDH are analog circuits)



Preparation for Instruments

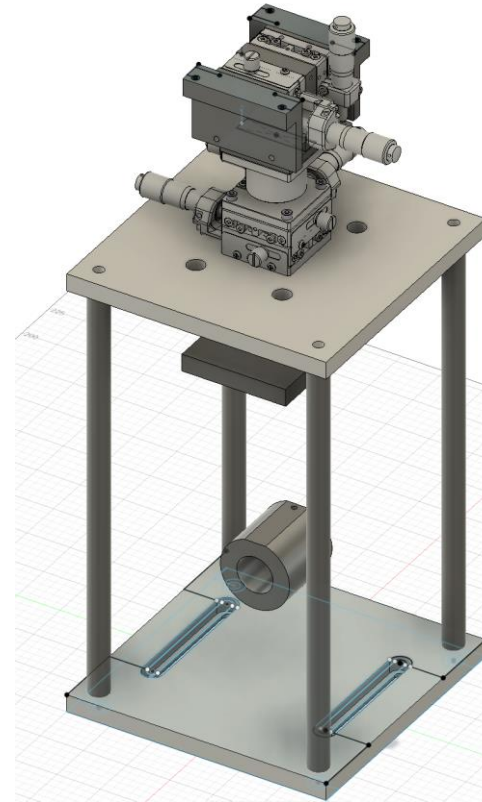
Instruments ~Suspension~

- Need to suspend mirrors of cavities
- Referred to the prototype of TAMA suspension
- 5 axes (x, y, z, pitch, yaw) can be adjusted by micrometers or picomotors
- Will update
 - Frame for damping magnet
 - Make it small

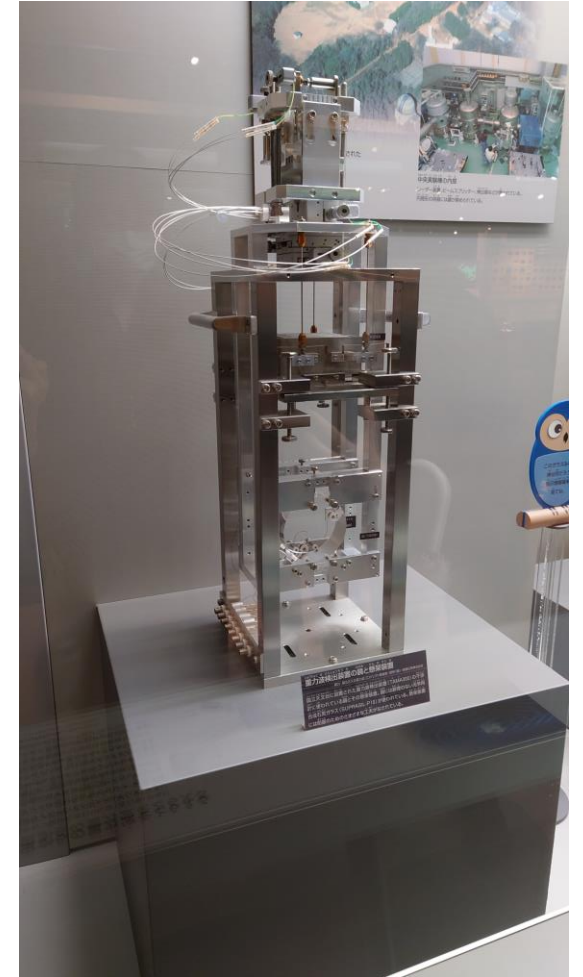


[Newport picomotor 8302](#)

[Newport tiny picomotor 8353](#)



Drawing now



Prototype of TAMA suspension

Instruments ~Chamber~



I will put suspensions on the vacuum environment (0.1 Pa)

Drawings are shared by 小野電機製作所 on April 22 (Fri)

Issues

- Size
- Electropolishing or Alumite
- Position of holes

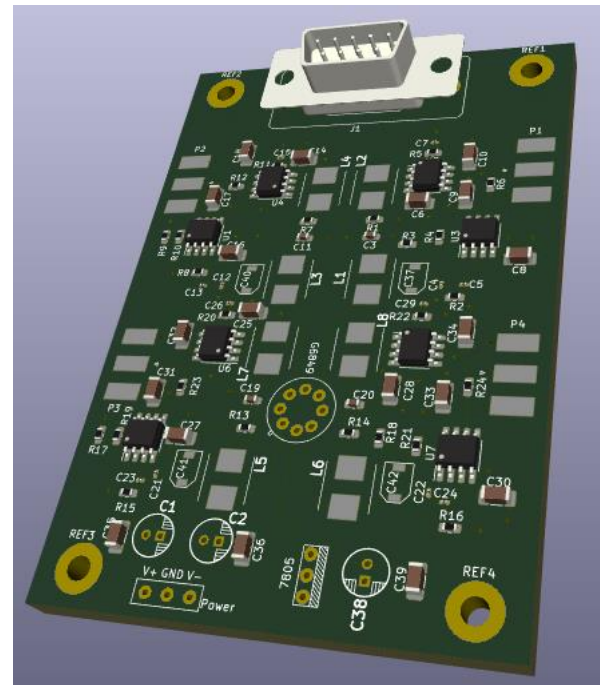
Hope to be delivered by the mid of June

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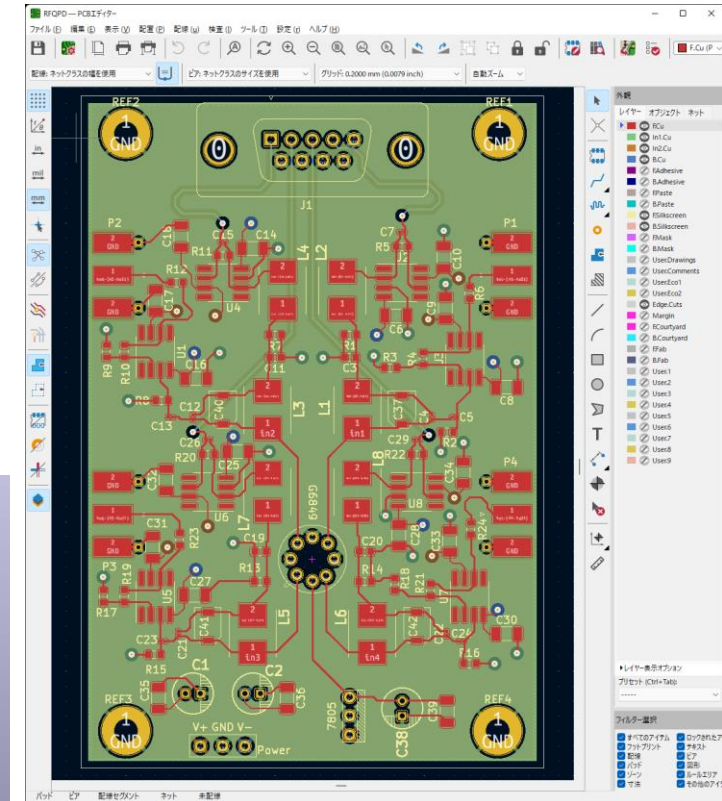


Instruments ~RFQPD~

- Made a drawing of RFQPD for WFS
- Referred to Enomoto-san's RFPD circuit board
- 15 MHz resonance
- Used KiCAD to design
 - 1 D-sub for DC signal
 - 4 SMA for RF signal
- Will place an order with p板.com



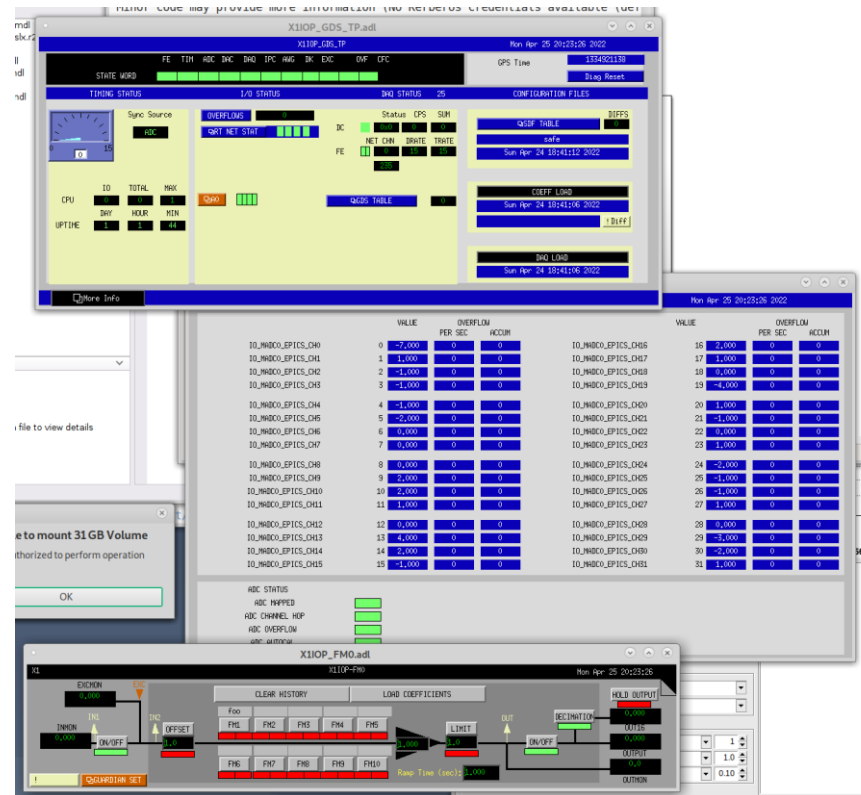
3D view



Instruments ~Digital system~

- We installed LIGO CDS
- Reference
 - <https://git.ligo.org/cds/advligorts/-/wikis/home>
- Software is working well now

Standalone PC
(Supermicro)

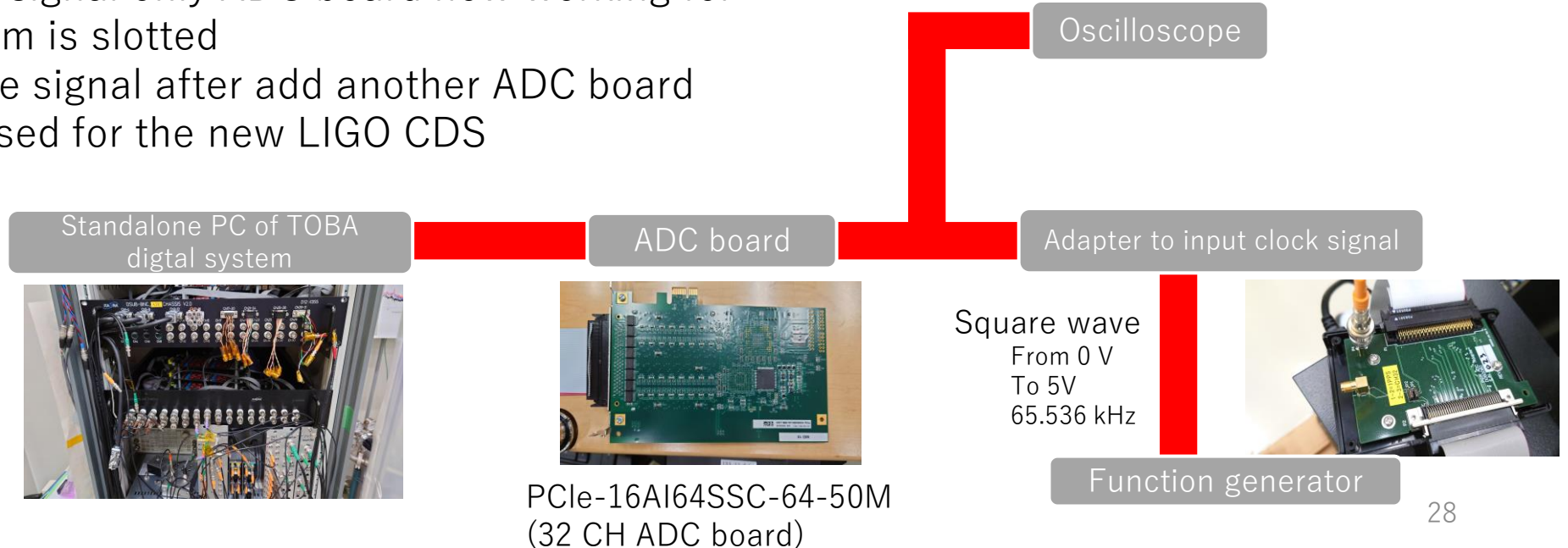
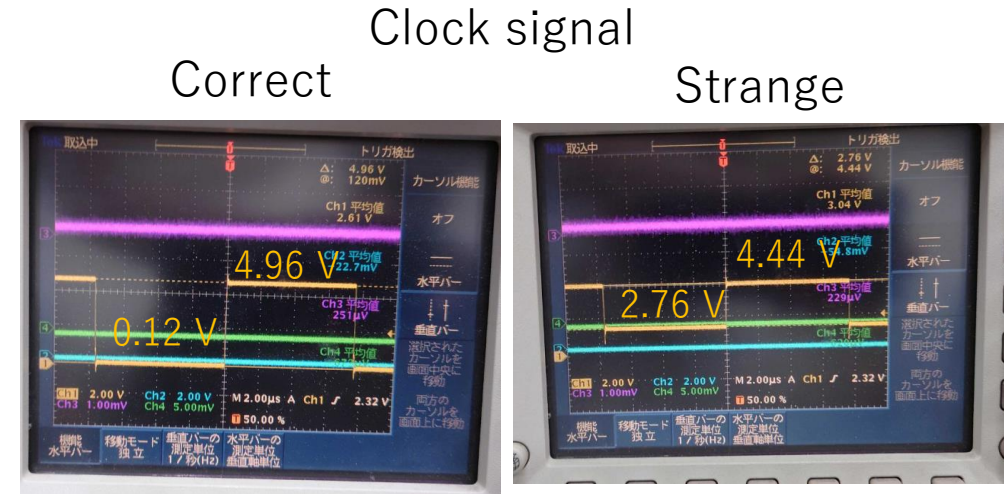


Troubles in LIGO CDS

- Now we have 2 ADC boards and 1 DAC board
- However, these 3 boards have problems
 - ADC boards : **structure for clock signal** is damaged ?
 - DAC board : not recognized

About ADC...

- Yellow lines shown in the figures are clock signals
 - The left one is the signal only ADC board now working for TOBA digital system is slotted
 - The right one is the signal after add another ADC board which was purchased for the new LIGO CDS



Required ADC channels

- 36 channels are needed at least
- Two 32CH (64 CH) ADC boards are necessary

Required channels for sensors

	Qty	Channels	Uses	Remarks
PD	4	4	Monitor transmitted power	2 pols \times 2 cavities
RFPD (DC)	4	4	Monitor reflected DC power	2 pols \times 2 cavities
RFPD (RF)		4	PDH and BPC technique	2 pols \times 2 cavities
QPD	4	16	Monitor fluctuations of light axes	2 pols \times 2 cavities \times 4 ports
RFQPD (DC)	8	32	Monitor reflected DC power	2 pols \times 2 cavities \times 4 ports \times 2 degs
RFQPD (RF)		32	WFS technique	2 pols \times 2 cavities \times 4 ports \times 2 degs
Sum (required)		36		
Sum (full)	20	92		

Required DAC channels

- 32 channels are needed at least
- Two 16CH (32 CH)DAC boards are necessary

Required channels for sensors

	Qty	Channels	Uses	Remarks
Steering Mirrors	8	16	Actuate incident beam axes	2 pols \times 2 cavities \times 2 directions \times 2deg
Coil magnet	16	16	Actuate cavity axes	4 coils(2 for pitch 2 for yaw) \times 2 mirrors \times 2 cavities
Sum		32		

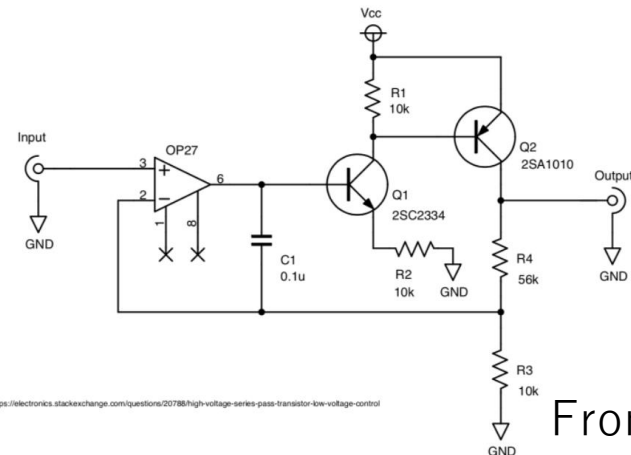
PZT amplifier and coil driver

PI E-663



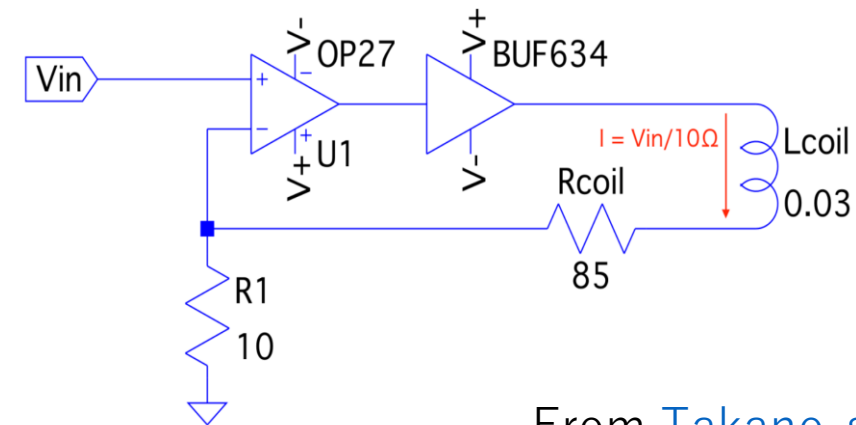
- PZT amplifier and coil driver are needed to use actuators

PZT amplifier



From [Shimoda-san's elog](#)

Coil driver



From [Takano-san's elog](#)

- Will design boards
- Other references (Shimoda-san and Miyazaki-san's elogs)
[High voltage amplifier for PZT actuator | Ando Lab ELOG \(u-tokyo.ac.jp\)](#)
[Issues on the performance of PZT amplifier | Ando Lab ELOG \(u-tokyo.ac.jp\)](#)
[status of a high voltage amplifier | Ando Lab ELOG \(u-tokyo.ac.jp\)](#)

Summary and Important other tasks

- **Summary**

- Explained how to control the dual-pass Fabry-Perot cavity in the direction of angle
 - WaveFront Sensor and Beam Pointing Control
- Current situation of the experiment for the demonstration
 - Purpose is to get error signals of WFS and BPC
- So many things to prepare forward my master thesis experiment

- Chamber
- Suspension
- Circuits (RFQPD, coil driver, PZTamp)
- Digital system

Experiments

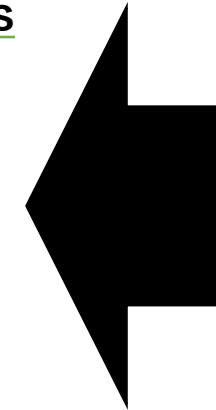
- **Important other tasks**

Writings

- DC 1 application
- Master thesis
- Defense

Conferences

- JPS
- GWADW
- KIW
- DECIGO-WS
- Others



What I do this year !!

Thank you for listening

Extra slides

Required ADC channels (Single cavity)

- 18 channels are needed at least
- one 32CH (32 CH) ADC boards are necessary

Required channels for sensors

	Qty	Channels	Uses	Remarks
PD	2	2	Monitor transmitted power	2 pols
RFPD (DC)	2	2	Monitor reflected DC power	2 pols
RFPD (RF)		2	PDH and BPC technique	2 pols
QPD	2	8	Monitor fluctuations of light axes	2 pols × 4 ports
RFQPD (DC)	4	16	Monitor reflected DC power	2 pols × 4 ports × 2 degs
RFQPD (RF)		16	WFS technique	2 pols × 4 ports × 2 degs
Sum (required)		18		
Sum (full)	20	46		

Required DAC channels (Single cavity)

- 16 channels are needed at least
- One 16CH (16 CH)DAC boards are necessary

Required channels for sensors

	Qty	Channels	Uses	Remarks
Steering Mirrors	4	8	Actuate incident beam axes	2 pols \times 2 directions \times 2degs
Coil magnet	8	8	Actuate cavity axes	4 coils(2 for pitch 2 for yaw) \times 2 mirrors
Sum		16		

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