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ACIGA Mission

- High Optical Power Test optics in collaboration with LIGO
- Low noise 80m base line Demonstrate noise performance of high power interferometer
- Advanced gravitational wave

First in the Southern Hemisphere

Primary Institutions:

University of Adelaide Australian National University University of Western Australia

Affiliate Institutions:

Monash University CSIRO-Optics







Vacuum System

Single increment

3.5m high vacuum tanks

400mm diameter pipes? (R. De Salvo)



Input Laser

 Injection locked 10W Nd:YAG laser has been developed by The University of Adelaide.





- High power laser clean room near Class 100.
- Future laser >100W
 Talk by Peter Veitch

High Optical Power Mode Cleaner

- Astigmatism and thermal lensing calculations.
- Isolation system transfer function shows good performance.
- Control system design and implementation underway.





Test Masses

Fused Silica or Sapphire?

Start with small test masses ~10kg

Second stage 40kg (Advanced LIGO)



Rayleigh Scattering Measurements Talk by Zewu Yan

Sapphire Input Test Mass

Suspension System

Stage 1: Niobium Flexures **9** Stage 2 : Fused Silica Flexures



Isolation System





Robust isolation system

Built for heavy test masses

Talk by Jean Charles and Eu-Jeen

Digital Control

- Digital Control already under development.
- DSP based?
- LIGO EPICS?
- Is there a way of combining both?



Mode-Cleaner Geometry



Coating and Substrate Absorptions

50

45

40

35

Diameter [mm] 25 20

15

10

45

40

35

Diameter [mm] 25 20

15

10

5

0 0



High reflectivity coating absorption produces astigmatic thermal lensing. The spot ellipticity produce different distribution between X and Y axis.



used as output coupler the M2 diagonally transmitted beam produces strong astigmatic thermal lensing.



Eccentricity variation with Power









AIGO Future Interferometer



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Actual Interferometer Configuration



AIGO Proposed Configuration



Rule of Thumb

- Carrier should be resonant in the arms and the PRC.
- Carrier resonant in the SRC for resonant sideband extraction (RSE), and anti-resonant for signal recycling.
- SB1 should be nearly anti-resonant in the arms, and resonant in the PRC.
- SB2 also nearly anti-resonant in the arms, and resonant in the PRC.
- One of the SB should be resonant in the SRC and the other nearly anti-resonant.

AIGO Constrains

Limiting values for the cavities length are defined by the vacuum envelop:



$$3600mm < L_{PRC}, L_{SRC}$$

Integer ratios between the cavities are not recommended, in order to avoid harmonics sidebands to resonate in the recycling cavity.

Actual Configuration

• Length PRC = 11727 mm

$$L_{PRC} = l_{pr} + \frac{(l_1 + l_2)}{2}$$

- **9** Mode Cleaner shorter than Recycling Cavities?
- PRC Free Spectral Range: 12.782 MHz
- PRC as a coupled cavity

 half integer of PRC FSR
- "Longest" Mode Cleaner 7818 mm **9** FSR = 19.173 MHz

AIGO Interferometer Sidebands

For transmission of modulation sidebands by the mode-cleaner, L_{MC} and f_m must satisfy: $f_m = n_1 \frac{c}{2L_{max}}$

For sideband coupling into the recycling cavity,
$$L_{PRC}$$
 and f_m must satisfy:

$$f_m = \left(n_2 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \frac{c}{2L_{PRC}} \qquad n_2 = 1$$

$$n_3 = f_m \left(\frac{2L_{Arm}}{c}\right)$$

$$n_3 = 255.82$$

 $n_1 = 1$

 $n_2 =$

AIGO Interferometer Sidebands

To choose the high frequency sideband we look to demodulate at:

 $f_1 + f_2 \le 200 MHz$

Schnupp asymmetry given by:

$$\delta l = \frac{c}{4f_2}$$

$$\delta l = 434 \text{ mm}$$

For a peak frequency of 300Hz (Adv LIGO) the carrier phase shift will be:



 $L_{SRC} = 12569 mm$

Proposed Configuration

• Length PRC = 4450 mm

$$L_{PRC} = l_{pr} + \frac{\left(l_1 + l_2\right)}{2}$$

- PRC Free Spectral Range: 33.685 MHz
- PRC as a coupled cavity

 half integer of PRC FSR
- "Longest" Mode Cleaner 8900 mm **9** FSR = 16.842 MHz

AIGO Interferometer Sidebands

For transmission of modulation sidebands by the mode-cleaner, L_{MC} and f_m must satisfy: $f_m = n_1 \frac{c}{2L_{\text{true}}}$

For sideband coupling into the recycling cavity,
$$L_{PRC}$$
 and f_m must satisfy:

$$f_m = \left(n_2 + \frac{1}{2}\right) \frac{c}{2L_{PRC}} \qquad n_2 = 0$$

$$n_3 = f_m \left(\frac{2L_{Arm}}{c}\right)$$

$$n_3 = 225.55$$

 $n_1 = 1$

 $n_2 =$

AIGO Interferometer Sidebands

To choose the high frequency sideband we look to demodulate at:

 $f_1 + f_2 \le 200 MHz$

Schnupp asymmetry given by:

$$\delta l = \frac{c}{4f_2}$$

$$\delta l = 445 \text{ mm}$$

For a peak frequency of 300Hz (Adv LIGO) the carrier phase shift will be:



 $L_{SRC} = 5313 mm$

AIGO, Adv LIGO and VIRGO

	Adv LIGO	VIRGO	AIGO 2K (sh)	AIGO 2K (lg)
PRM - BS	4	6	1.8	1.8
BS - ITM _{Inline}	4.536	6.4	2.873	10.144
BS - ITM _{Perp}	4.119	5.6	2.427	9.71
L_PRC _{Inline}	8.536	12.4	4.673	11.944
L_PRC _{Perp}	8.119	11.6	4.227	11.510
SRM - BS	4.821	5.562	2.663	2.642

AIGO, Adv LIGO and VIRGO

	Adv LIGO	VIRGO	AIGO 2K (sh)	AIGO 2K (lg)
L_MC	16.656	143.52	8.9	7.818
L_PRC	8.328	11.96	4.45	11.727
L_Arms	4000	3000	2007	2000
L_SRC	9.148	11.562	5.313	12.569
Asymmetry	0.416	0.399	0.445	0.434
SB 1 (MHz)	9	6.27	16.84	19.17
SB 2 (MHz)	180	188	168.42	172.56

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- Seismic 'cutoff'
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Conclusions

- AIGO 2K Dual Recycling Interferometer
- Test masses Fused Silica or Sapphire?
- Digital control system. EPICS, DSP or both?
- Short or long Recycling Cavities?

Conclusions

More information at:

ACIGA http://www.anu.edu.au/Physics/ACIGA/

Australian National University http://www.anu.edu.au/Physics/ACIGA/ANU/

University of Adelaide http://www.physics.adelaide.edu.au/optics/res/hi_powerc.html

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http://www.gravity.pd.uwa.edu.au/