

# Large-scale Cryogenic Gravitational wave Telescope

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# *0. Abstract*

Review of Large-scale **Cryogenic** Gravitational wave Telescope (LCGT)

**Japanese future** interferometer project

**Caution !**

I will focus the attention on **my previous work**.

**Cooling** mirrors and suspensions

Seismic motion at **underground** site

**Better** review: K. Kuroda *et. al.*,

Progress of Theoretical Physics Supplement 163 (2006) 54.

<http://ptp.ipap.jp/link?PTPS/163/54>

46 pages !

Proceeding of **Amaldi 8** is **coming soon**.

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# *1. Introduction*

**Gravitational wave** : Ripple of spacetime

Prediction of gravitational wave (1916 : A. Einstein, General Relativity)

**Indirect** proof : Observation of period of binary pulsar

(Nobel prize (1993) : R.A. Hulse, J.H. Taylor Jr.)

**No direct detection**

**Purpose** of detection of gravitational wave

**Physics** : Experimental check of theory of gravitation

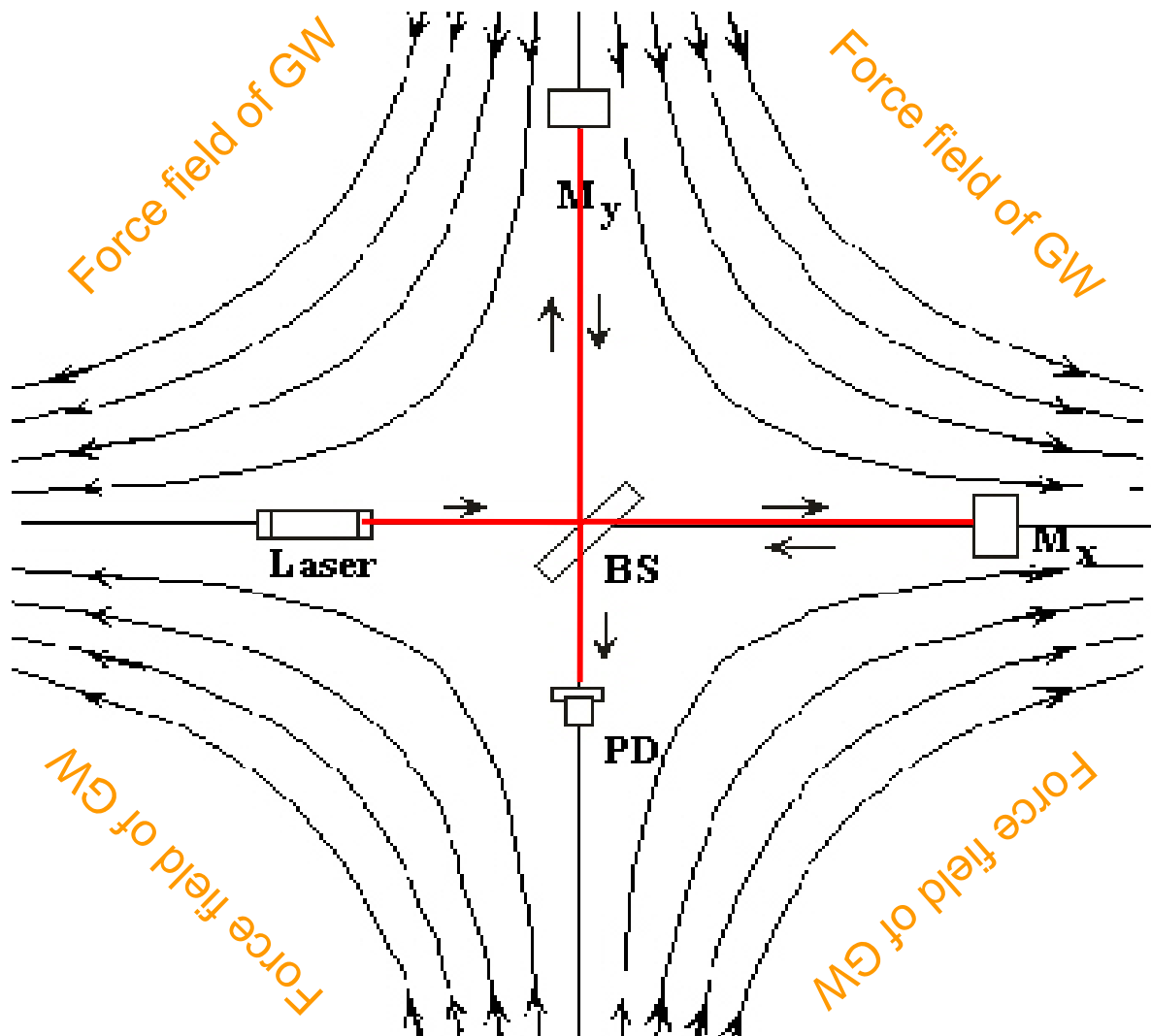
**Astronomy** : New window for observation of universe

Compact binary coalescence, Supernova, Pulsar,  
Gravitational wave background, and so on



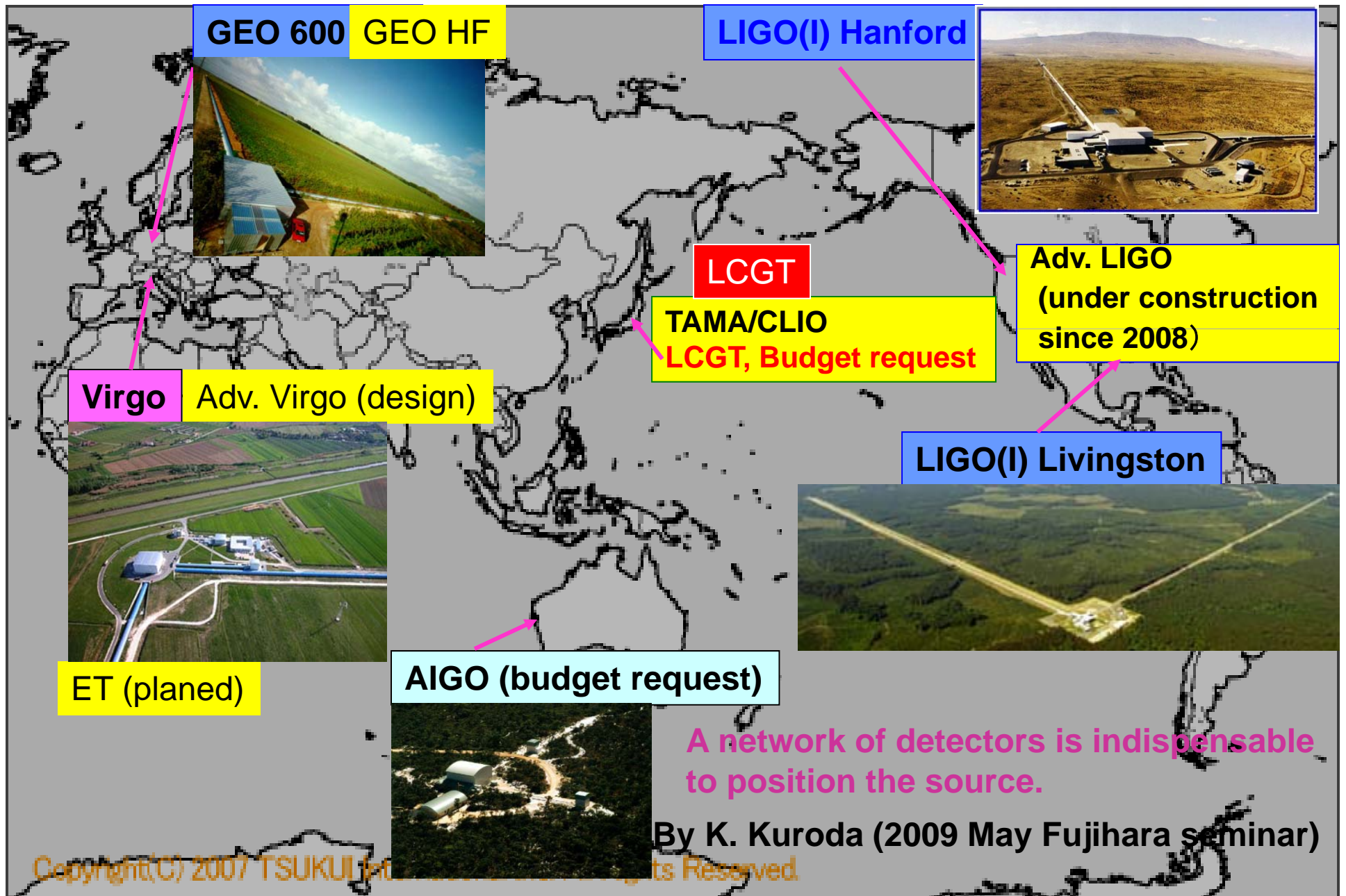
# Detection of Gravitational wave by Laser interferometer

By K. Kuroda (2009 May Fujihara seminar)



- Suspended mirror ( $M_x$ ) and suspended beam splitter (BS) behave as test masses for GW
- Michelson Interferometer measures differential displacement between two arms
- Typical magnitude of the event at Virgo cluster is  $10^{-14}$  rad,  $10^{-18}$  m for 1km baseline
- To increase phase sensitivity, optical path is folded many times using Delay-Line, Fabry-Perot, and so on

# World wide network for GW astronomy



# Generations of **interferometric** gravitational wave detector

## **First** generation (Current interferometer)

Observable distance: **15 Mpc**

(**Chirp** wave from neutron star binary coalescence)

**A few event per a century**

## **Second** generation (**LCGT**, Advanced LIGO, Advanced VIRGO)

Observable distance: **200 Mpc**

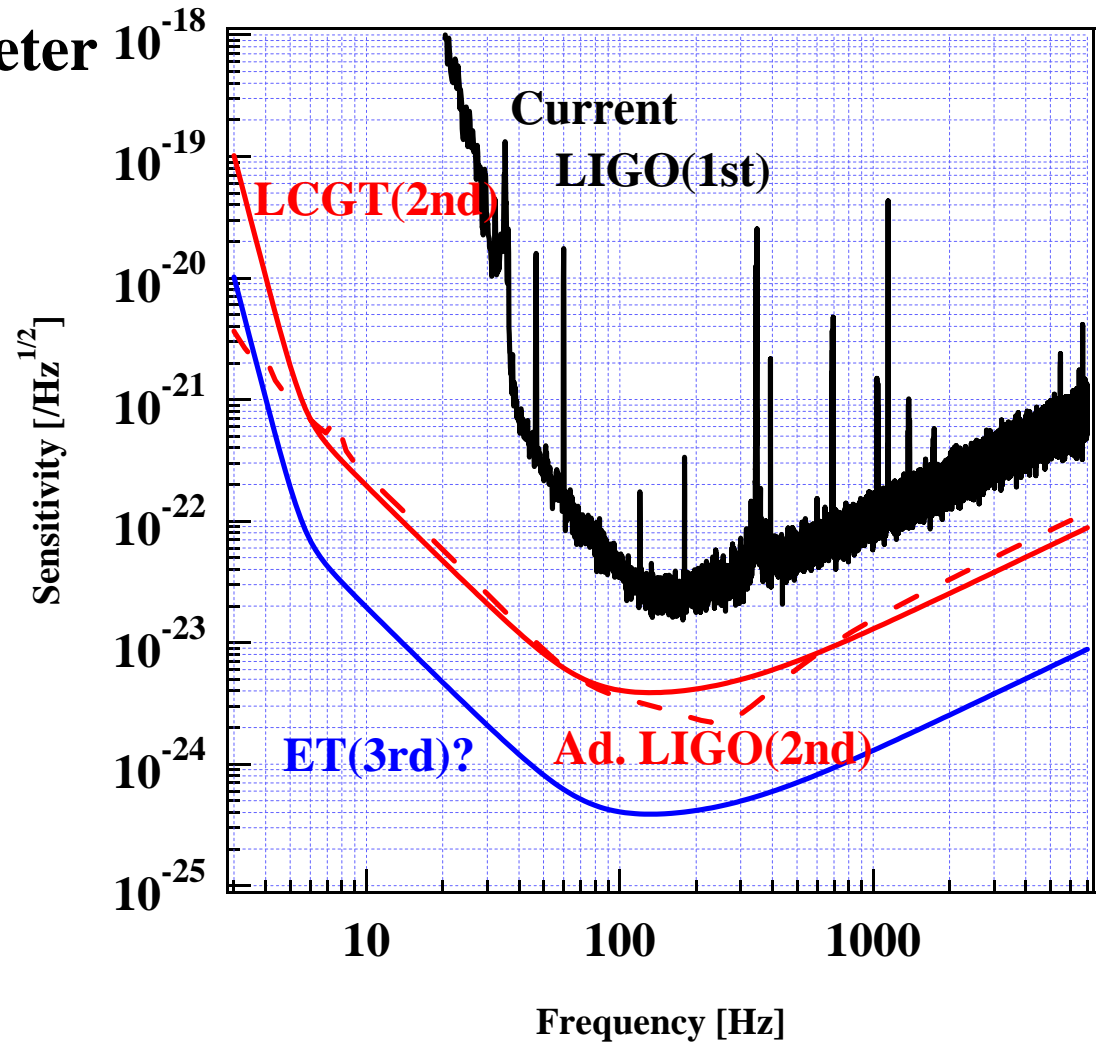
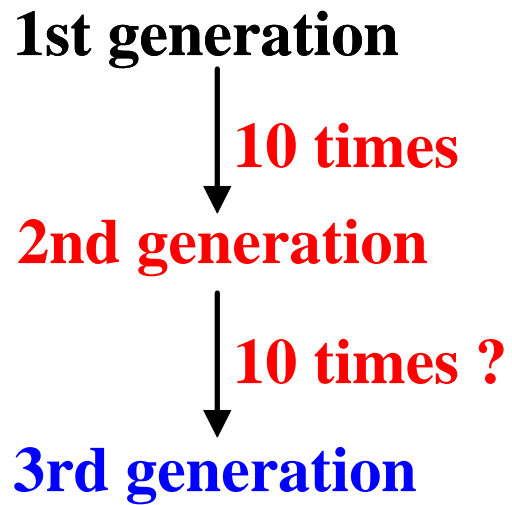
**A few event per a month**

## **Third** generation (Einstein Telescope)

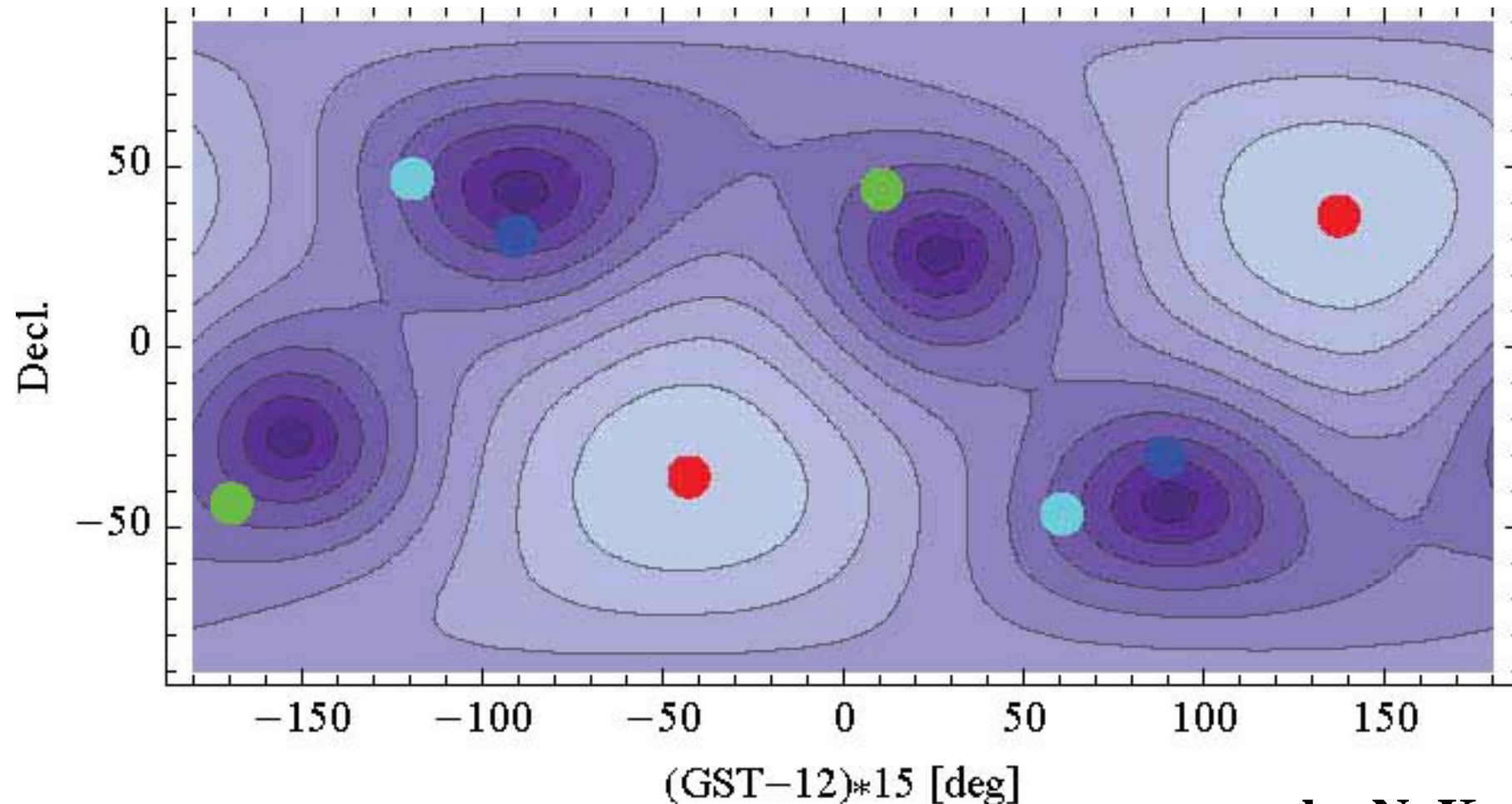
Observable distance: **2 Gpc ?**

**Many events !**

# Sensitivity of interferometer



# International network of GW observation



by N. Kanda

**LCGT** plays an **complementary** role

with interferometers in **U.S.A.** and **Europe.**

Contour: **LCGT** sensitivity

Circles: Best sensitivity direction

(**LCGT**, **LIGO Hanford**, **LIGO Livingston**, **VIRGO**)

**How will we construct such an excellent detector ?**

**smaller noise**

**3 fundamental noise sources**

**Quantum noise** (shot noise and radiation pressure noise)

**Quantum limit of interferometric measurement**

**Seismic noise**

**Motion of ground**

**Thermal noise**

**Energy from heat bath**

**(Mechanical vibration of suspension and mirror itself)**

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**High power laser    Resonant Sideband Extraction**

**Seismic noise**

**Silent underground site    Vibration isolation system**

**Thermal noise**

**Cryogenic technique**

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# Noise budget of LCGT

**Above 10 Hz**

**Quantum noise limited**

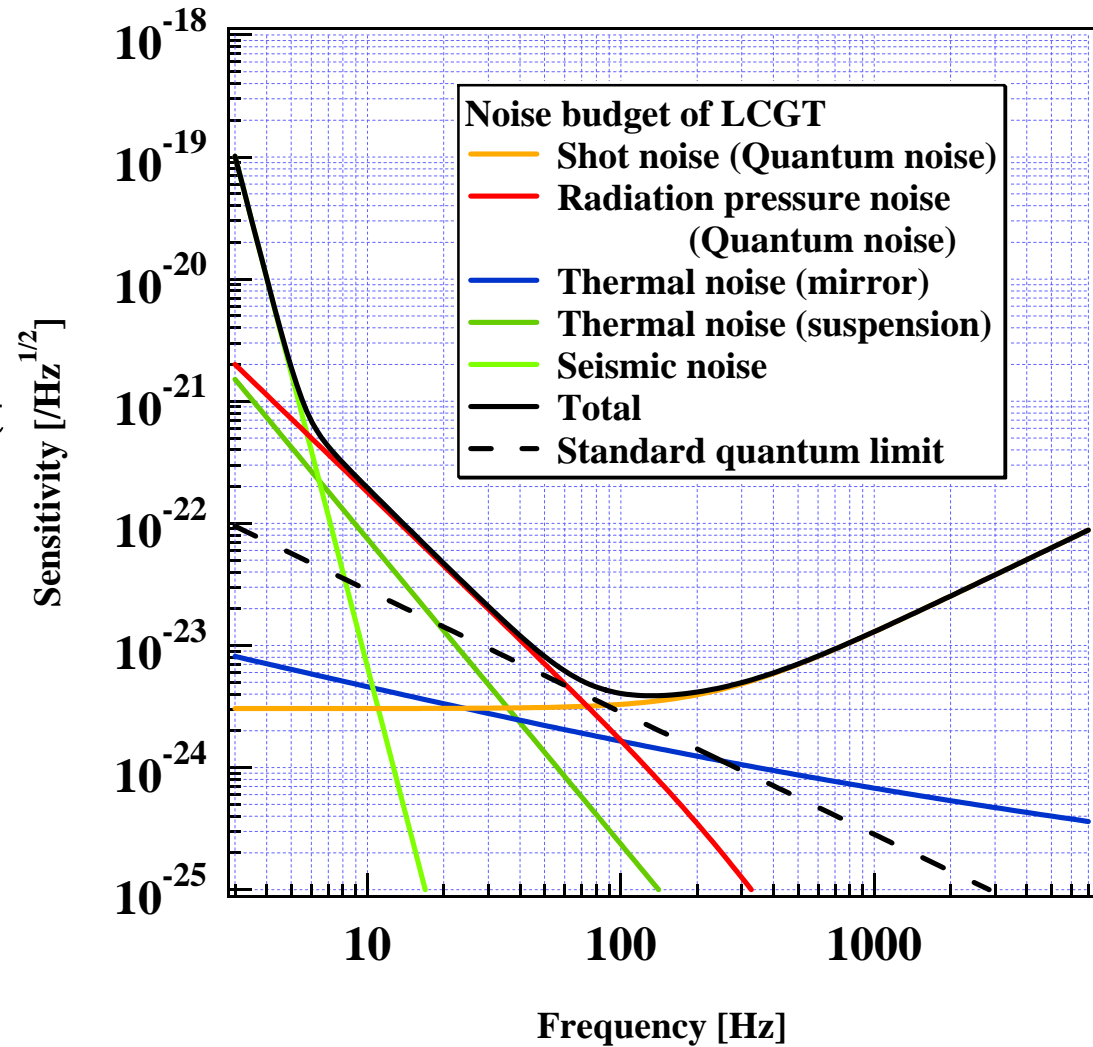
**Standard Quantum Limit**

**Around 80 Hz**

**Thermal noise**

**never limits**

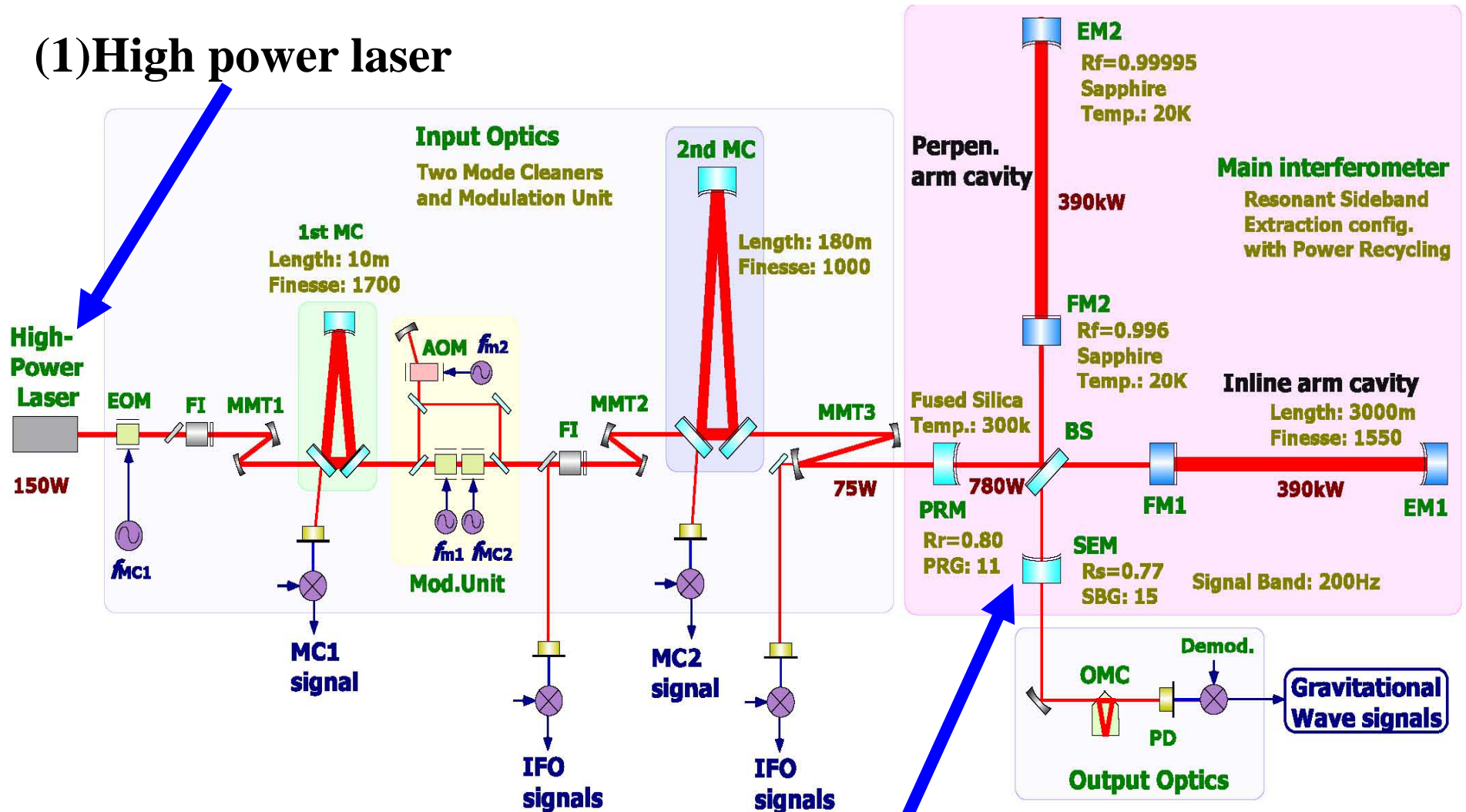
**sensitivity.**



# Configuration of LCGT interferometer

by M. Ando

## (1) High power laser



## (2) Resonant Sideband Extraction

**Einstein Telescope : 3rd generation interferometer project in Europe**

**10 times better** sensitivity than that of 2nd generation

**Same** keywords as those of **LCGT**

**Silent underground site, Cryogenic technique**

**Of course, ET needs more tricks ...**

**Gravity gradient noise**

**Silent underground site** and noise subtraction scheme

**Thermal noise**

**Cryogenic technique**

**Mirror substrate: Sapphire (LCGT), Silicon (ET)**

**Other thermal noise suppression scheme**

**Khalili cavity ? Waveguide grating mirror ?**

**Larger or Higher Laguerre-Gaussian mode beam ?**

**LCGT and ET have common R&D items.**

# ET Sensitivity (ET-B)

- As previously stated (slide #5), the target sensitivity is build through a series of compromises
- Considering a list of “conventional” technologies and 10km arms it is “feasible” to have:
  - Very low frequency sensitivity still to be justified (refinement under evaluation)
  - Compatibility between high freq and low freq technologies probably too challenging
    - Need of a multi-detectors solution

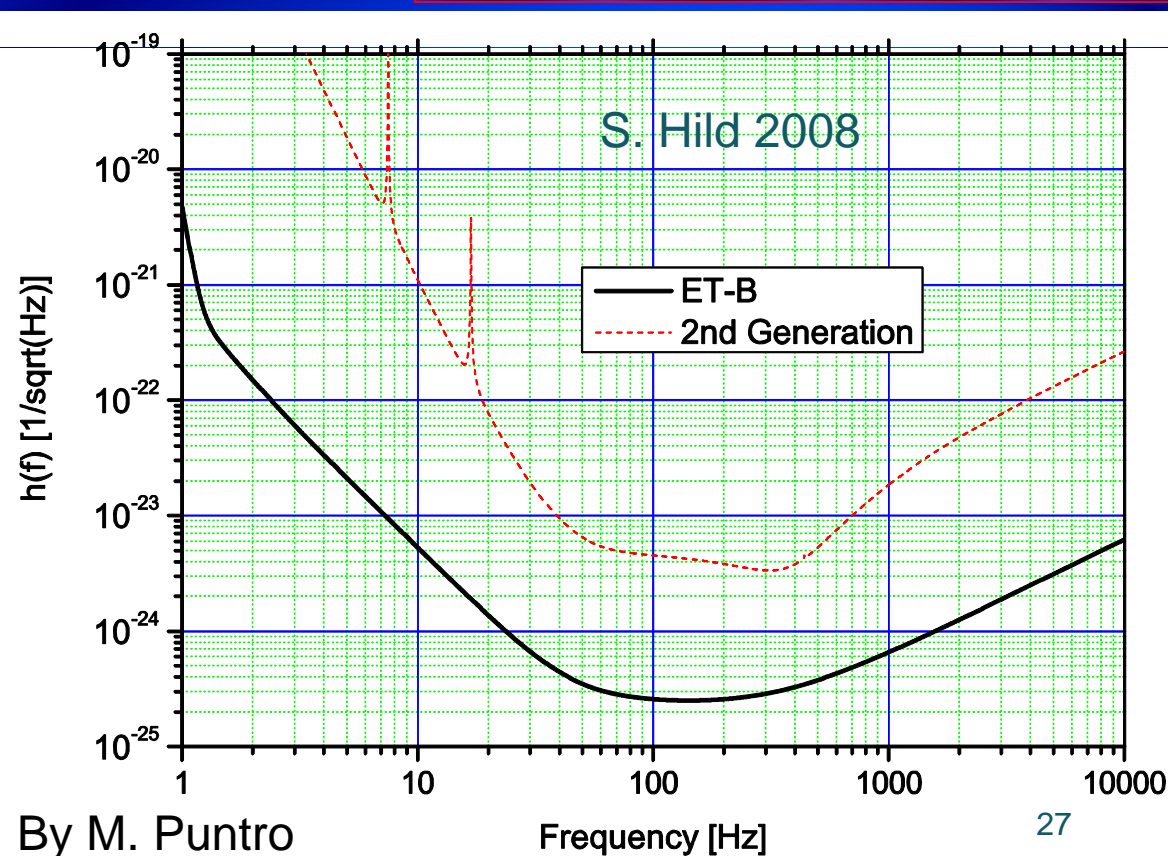
GWDAW-Rome 2010

## Target Sensitivity

- Target sensitivity of a new, 3<sup>rd</sup> generation “observatory” is the result of the trade off between several requirements
  - Infrastructure & site costs
  - Available technologies (detector realization)
  - Science targets
- As starting point of our studies we defined two rough requirements:
  - Improvement by a factor 10 the advanced sensitivities
  - Access, as much as possible, to the 1-10Hz frequency range
- Let see the new possibilities open by such as observatory

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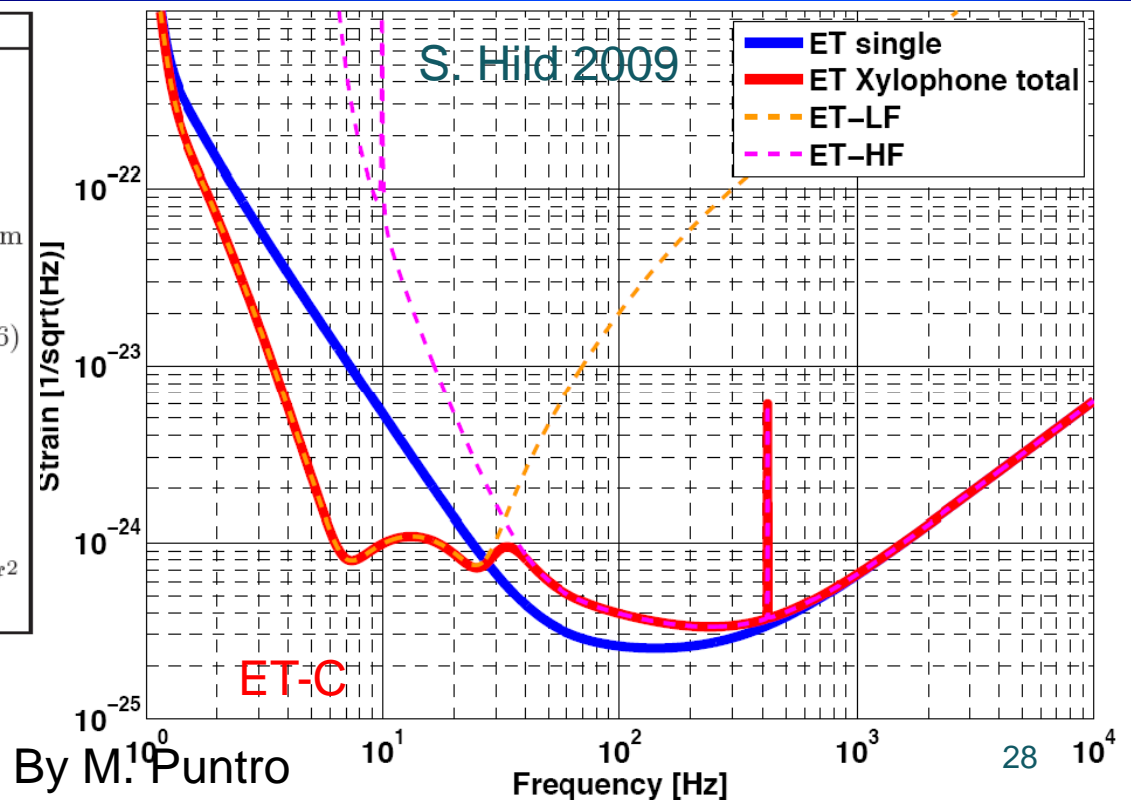


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# Xylophone design

- In a Xylophone design (Shoemaker 2001, DeSalvo 2004) the sensitivity of an observatory is built through 2 or more detectors specialized in different frequency bands
  - This could permit to separate the difficulties (i.e.) to realize a cryogenic detector compliant with several MW circulating in the FP cavities

Parameter	ET-HF	ET-LF
Arm length	10 km	10 km
Input power (after IMC)	500 W	3 W
Arm power	3 MW	18 kW
Temperature	290 K	10 K
Mirror material	Fused Silica	Silicon
Mirror diameter / thickness	62 cm / 30 cm	62 cm / 30 cm
Mirror masses	200 kg	211 kg
Laser wavelength	1064 nm	1550 nm
SR-phase	tuned (0.0)	detuned (0.6)
SR transmittance	10 %	20 %
Quantum noise suppression	10 dB	10 dB
Beam shape	LG <sub>33</sub>	TEM <sub>00</sub>
Beam radius	7.25 cm	12 cm
Clipping loss	1.6 ppm	1.6 ppm
Suspension	Superattenuator	5 × 10 m
Seismic (for $f > 1$ Hz)	$1 \cdot 10^{-7} \text{ m}/f^2$	$5 \cdot 10^{-9} \text{ m}/f^2$
Gravity gradient subtraction	none	factor 50





## 2. *Seismic noise*

**Silent site**



**Kamioka mine  
underground site**

**Small seismic motion**

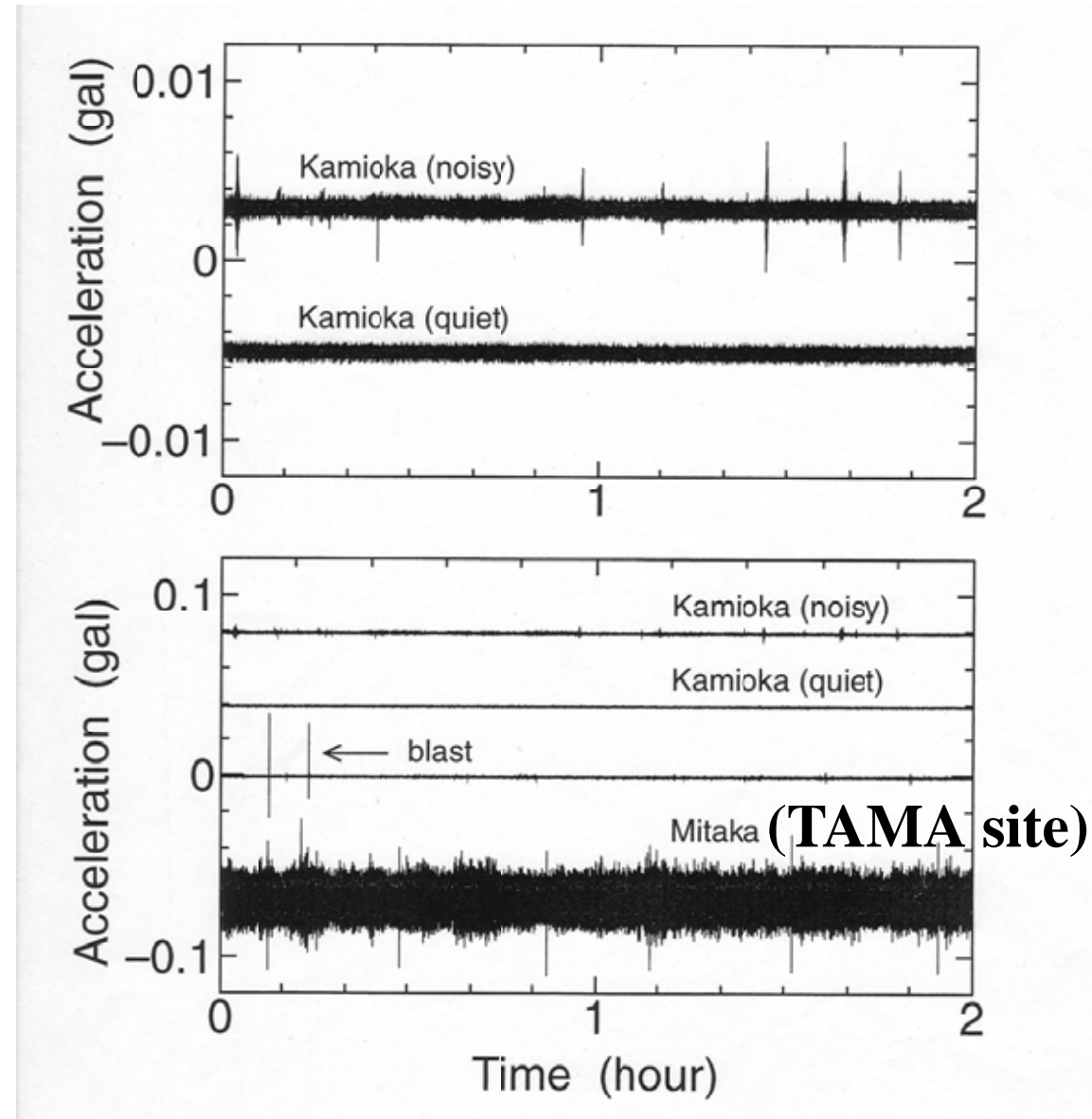
**Easy and stable lock**

**Stable temperature and humidity**

**S. Sato *et al.*,**

**Physical Review D**

**69 (2004) 102005.**



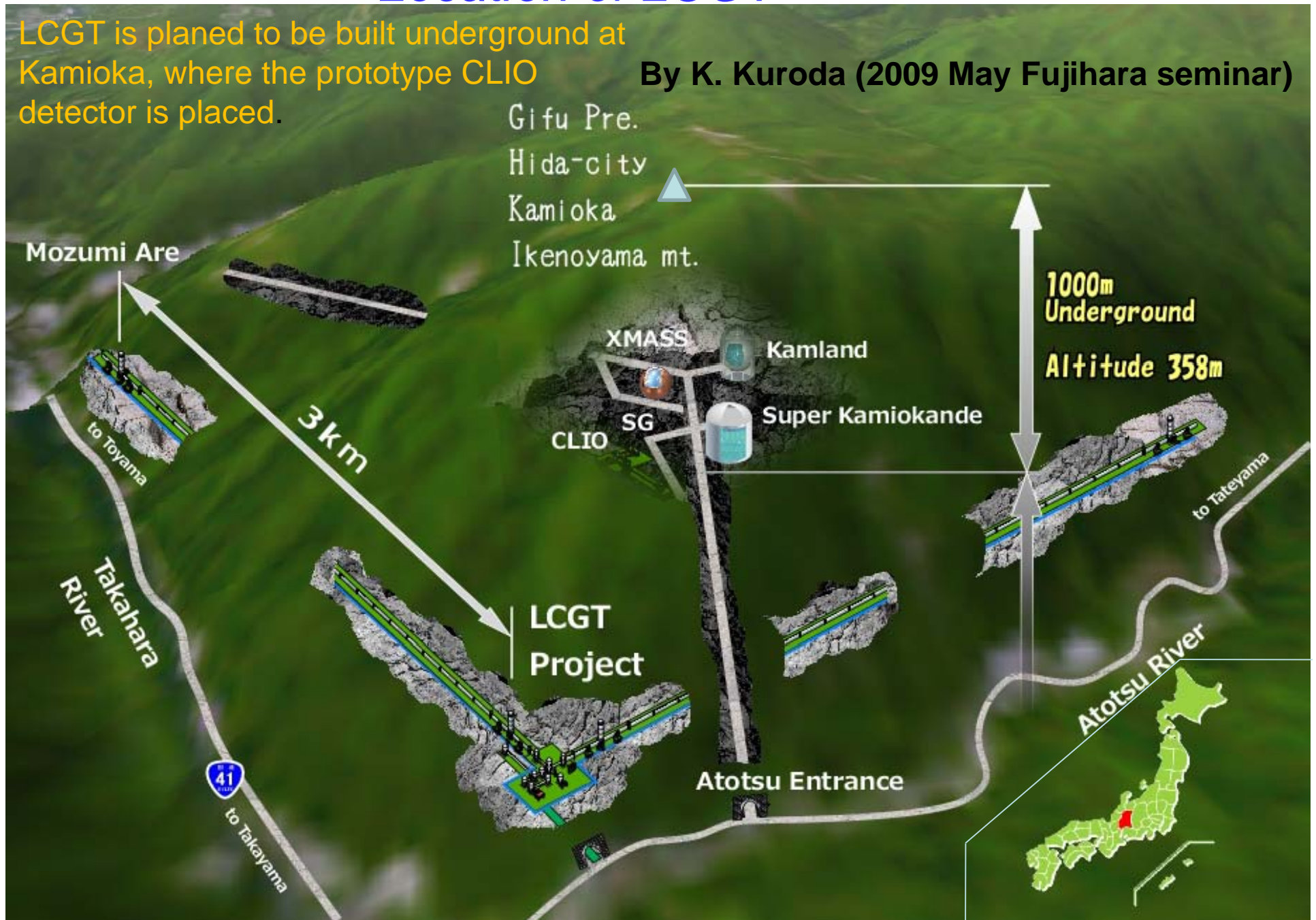
# Location of Kamioka mine



# Location of LCGT

LCGT is planned to be built underground at Kamioka, where the prototype CLIO detector is placed.

By K. Kuroda (2009 May Fujihara seminar)



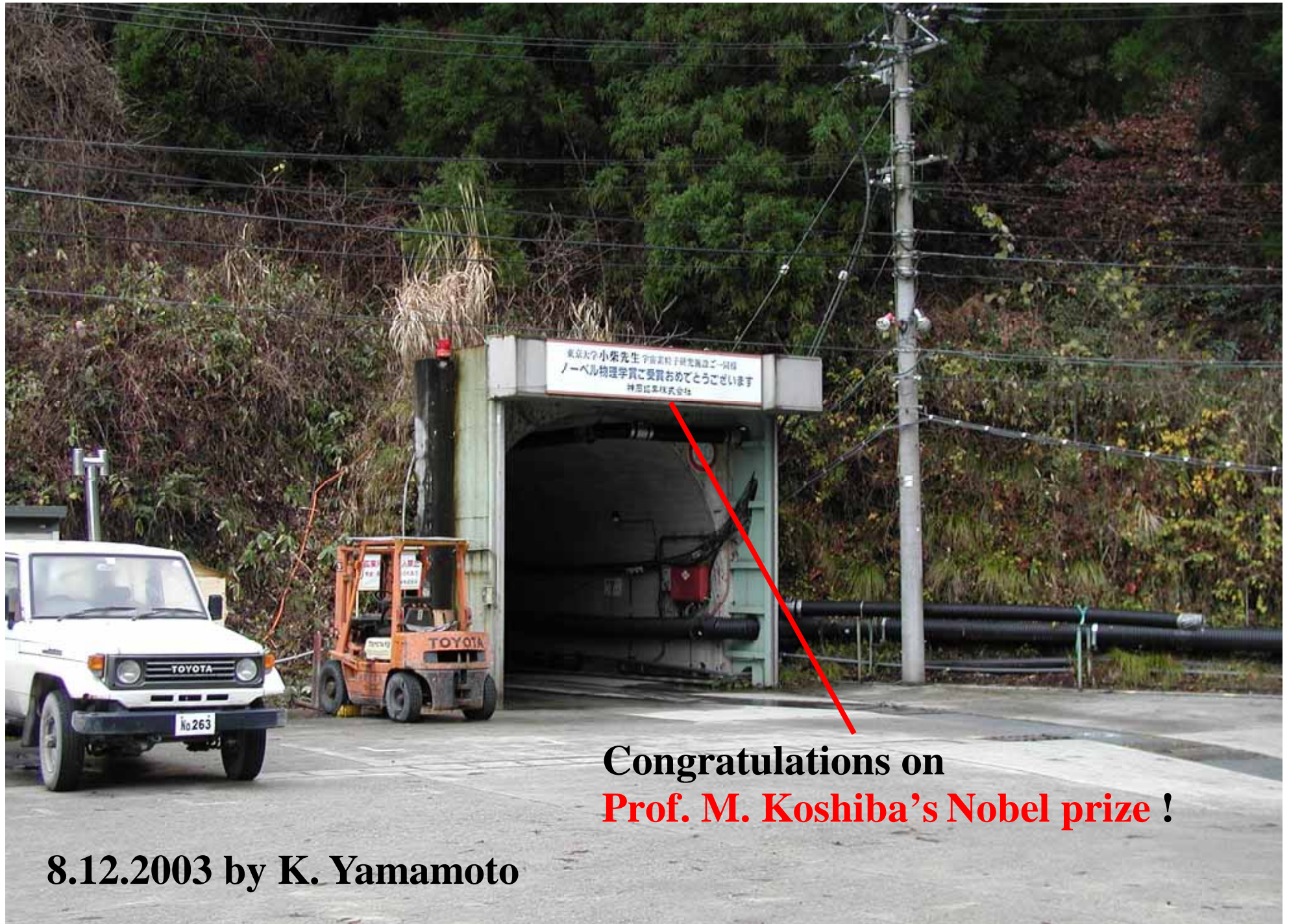




by O. Miyakawa



# Mine entrance



東京大学 小柴先生 宇宙素粒子研究所 創立20周年  
ノーベル物理学賞ご受賞おめでとうございます  
神原産業株式会社

**Congratulations on  
Prof. M. Koshihara's Nobel prize !**

8.12.2003 by K. Yamamoto



**Prof. M. Koshiba won  
Nobel prize  
for pioneering contributions  
to astrophysics, in particular  
for the **detection of cosmic neutrino.****

**Koshiba group has constructed  
Kamiokande in Kamioka mine  
and detected  
neutrinos from SN1987A.**

**10.12.2002 by Hans Mehlin**

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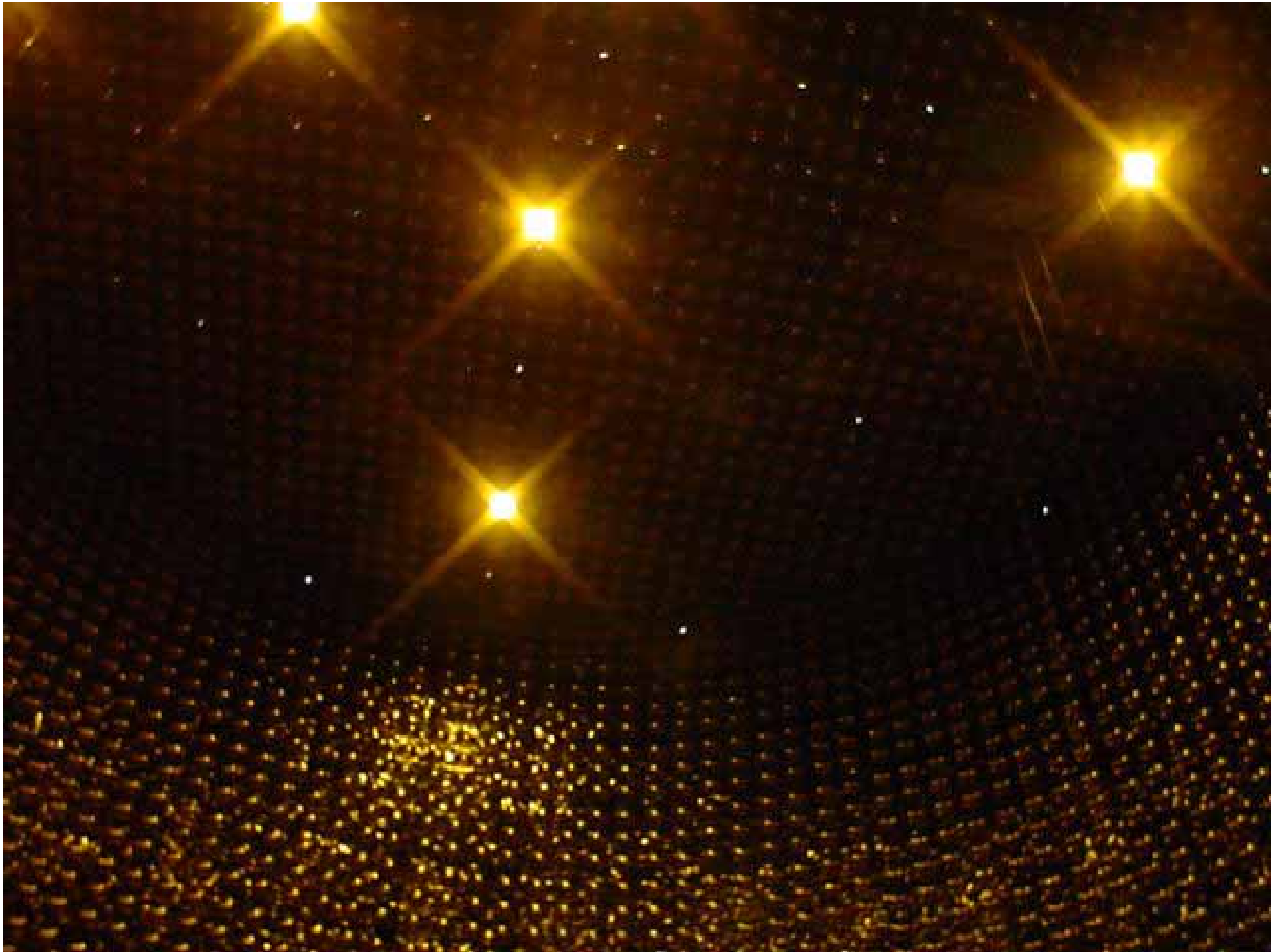
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# SuperKamiokande

16.2.2006

by K. Yamamoto



## What is CLIO ?

**CLIO** (**Cryogenic** Laser Interferometer Observatory)

**Prototype** for **LCGT**

Demonstration of **thermal noise suppression** by **cooling mirror**

**LCGT** and **CLIO** site : **Kamioka mine**

**100 m** arm length

## References

**M. Ohashi *et al.*, Classical and Quantum Gravity 20 (2003) S599.**

**S. Miyoki *et al.*, Classical and Quantum Gravity 21 (2004) S1173.**

**S. Miyoki *et al.*, Classical and Quantum Gravity 23 (2006) S231.**

**K. Yamamoto *et al.*, Journal of Physics:Conference Series 122 (2008) 012002.**

**T. Akutsu *et al.*, Classical and Quantum Gravity 25 (2008) 184013.**

**K. Agatsuma *et al.*, Proceedings of Amaldi 8**

**(Classical and Quantum Gravity) accepted.**

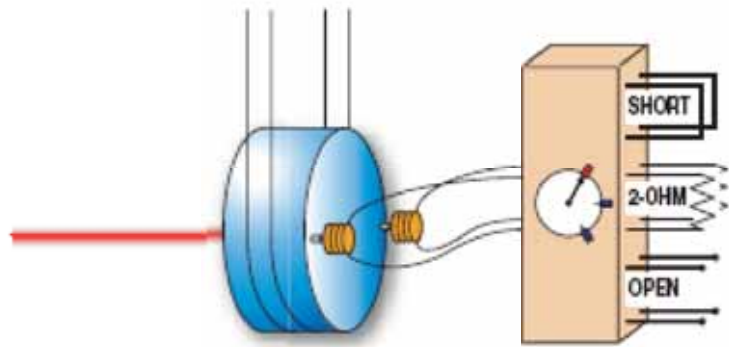
**K. Agatsuma *et al.*, Phys. Rev. Lett. 104 (2010) 040602.**

K. Agatsuma *et al.*, **Phys. Rev. Lett.** 104 (2010) 040602.

## ”Direct Measurement of Thermal Fluctuation of High-Q Pendulum”

(Room temperature, dissipation of coil magnet actuator,

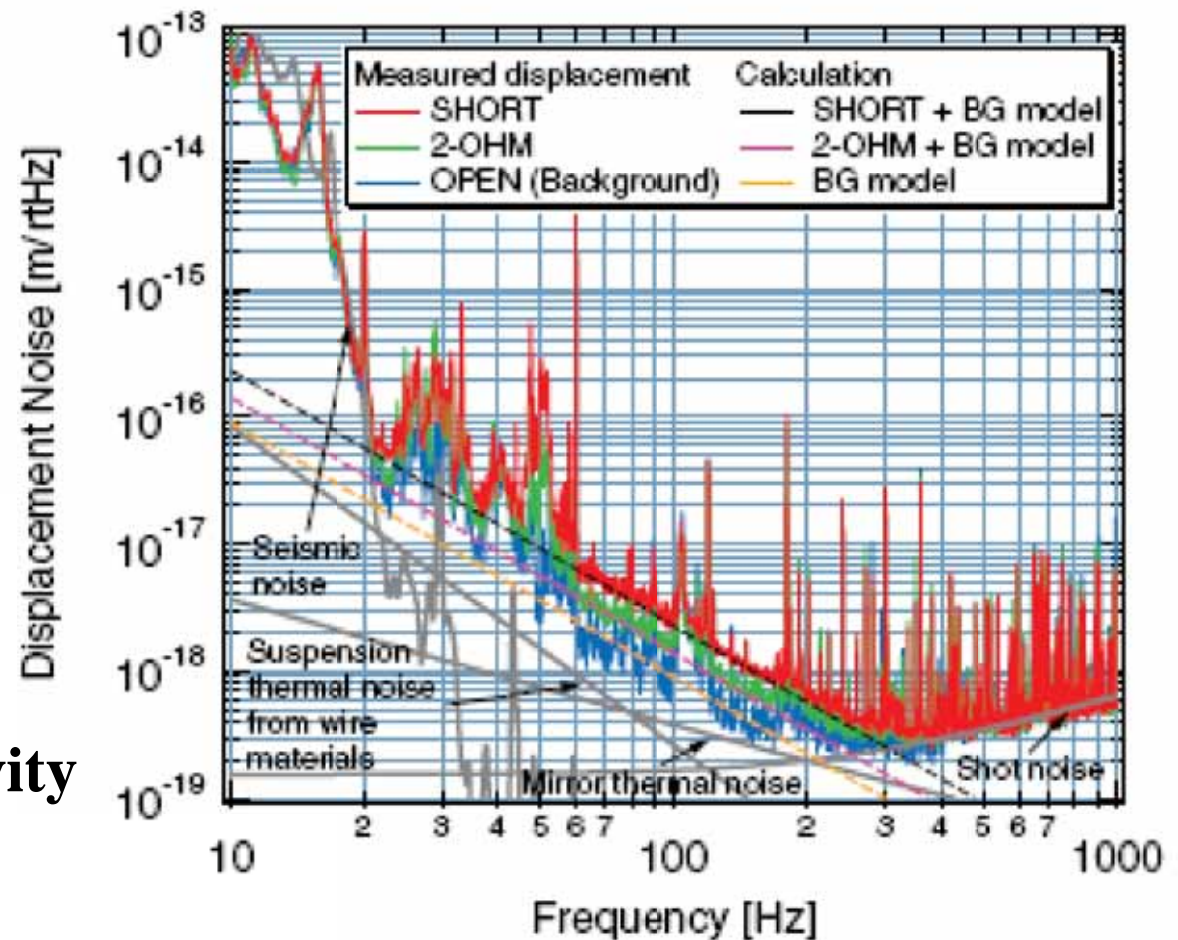
Mass: 1.8 kg, Resonance: 0.8 Hz, Q-value:  $\sim 10^5$ )



Change of **resistance**

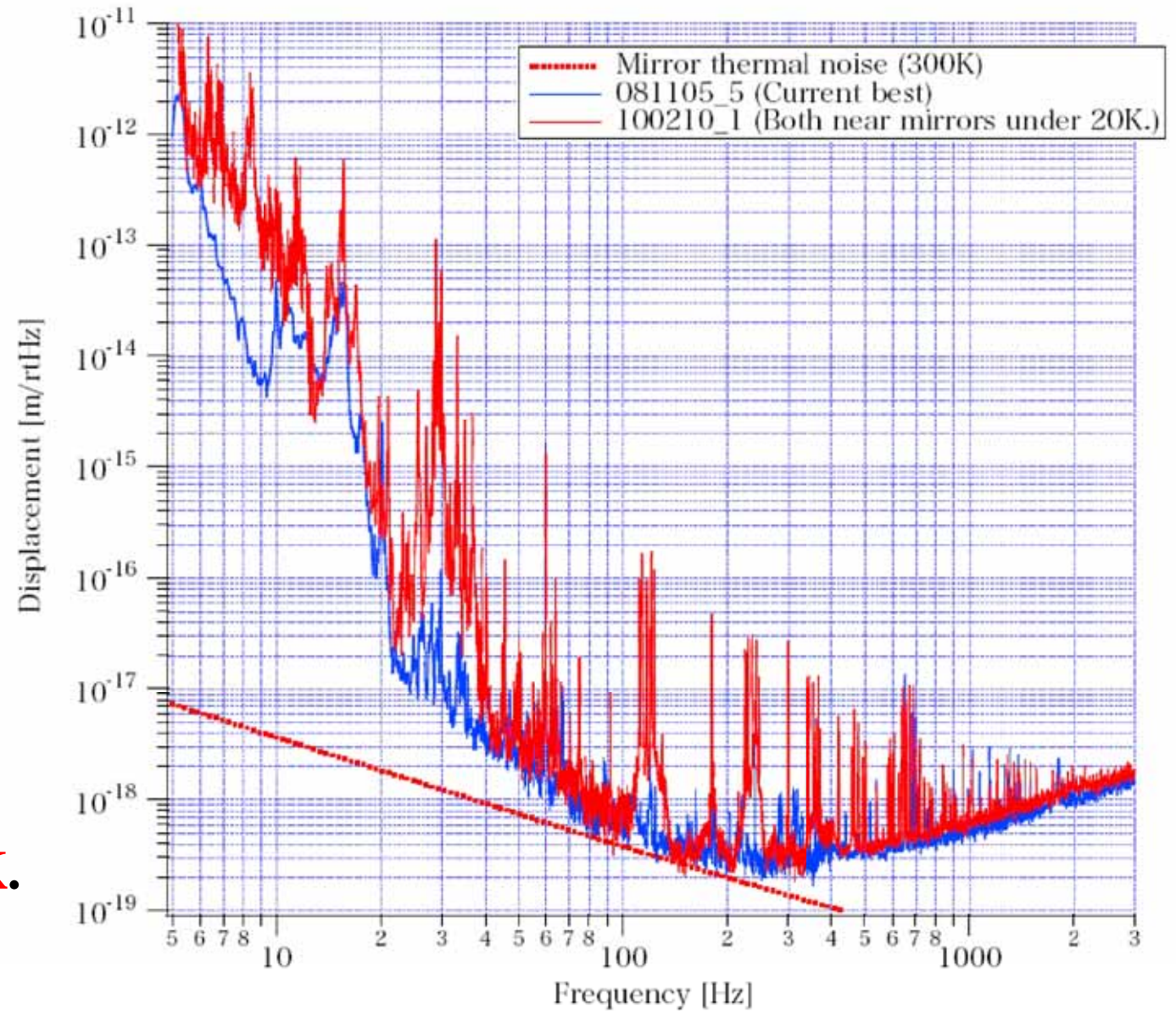


Change of **observed** sensitivity  
as **theoretical** prediction





# Cryogenic experiment of CLIO is **in progress**.

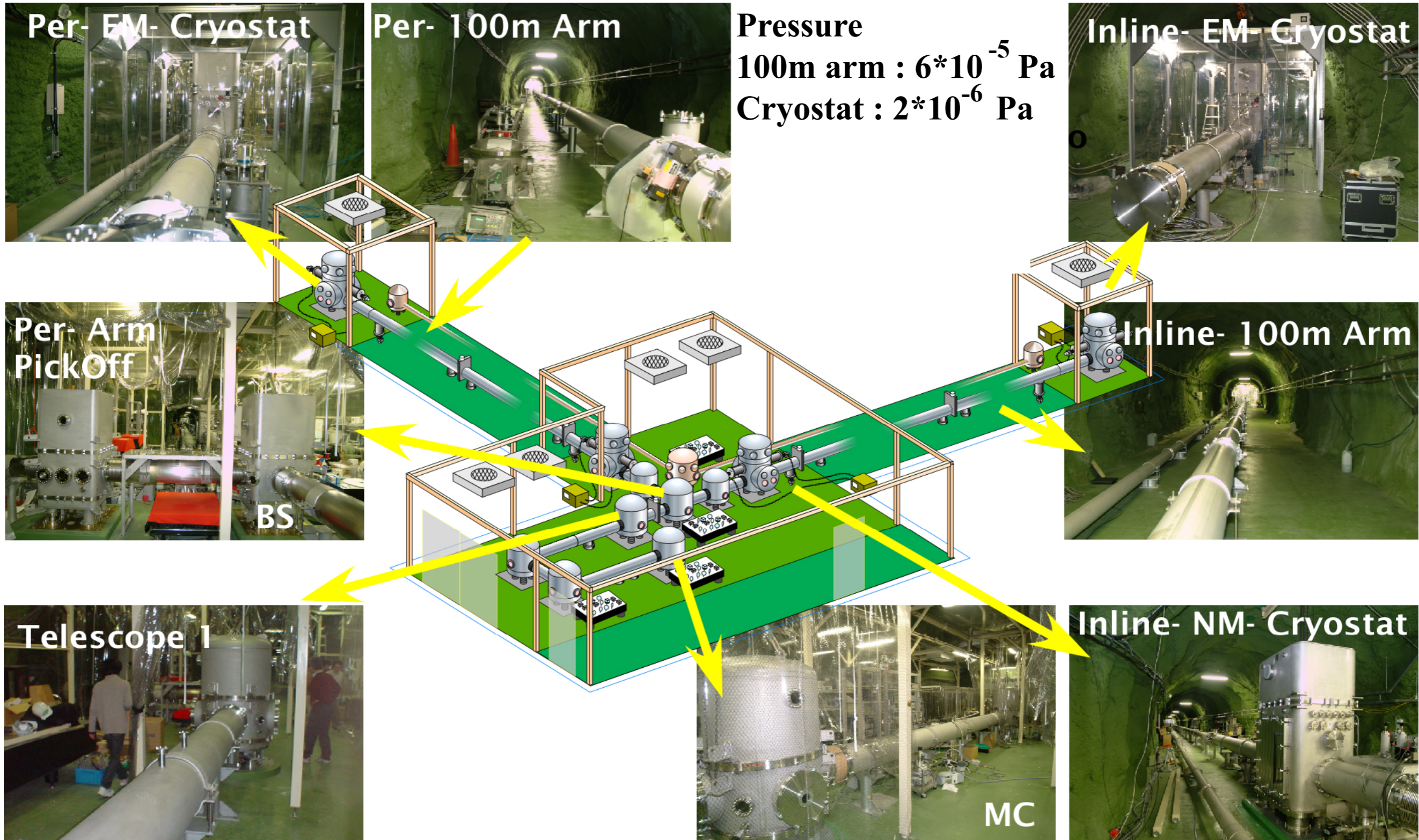


Sensitivity at **20 K**  
is **comparable** with  
best sensitivity at **300 K**.



# Photographs of CLIO interferometer

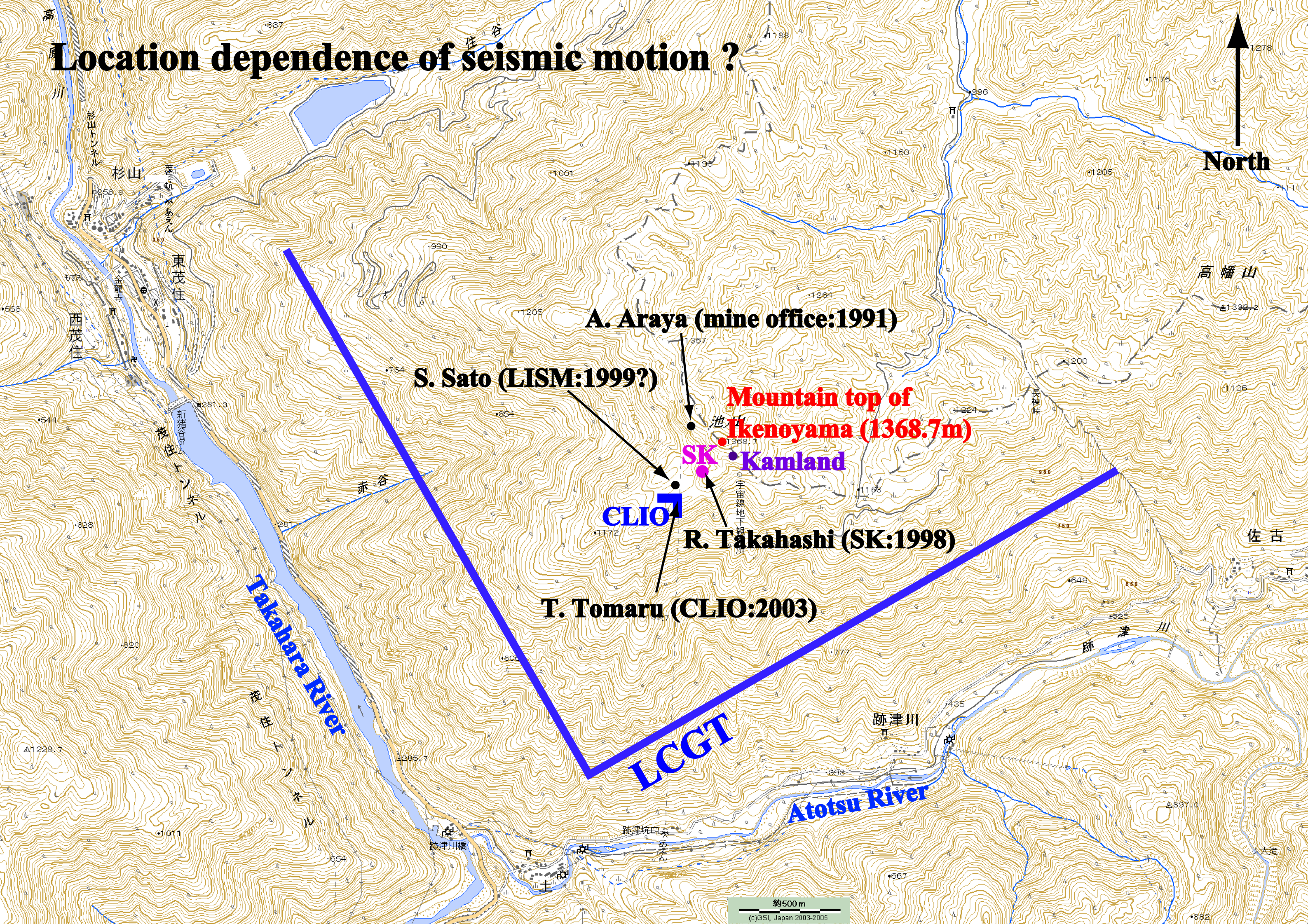
by S. Miyoki and S. Telada





# Location dependence of seismic motion ?

North



A. Araya (mine office:1991)

S. Sato (LISM:1999?)

Mountain top of Ikenoyama (1368.7m)

SK

Kamland

R. Takahashi (SK:1998)

T. Tomaru (CLIO:2003)

CLIO

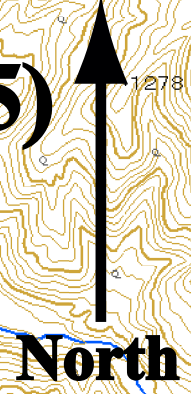
LCGT

Takahara River

Atotsu River



# Location of measurement (red circles) by K. Yamamoto *et al.* (2005)



**Outside of Mozumi office**

0 m  
50 m  
100 m  
200 m  
500 m

**Mozumi shaft**

800 m

**CLIO  
(Cryostat)**

**Kamland  
SK**

**LCGT**

**West of Atotsu office (500 m)**

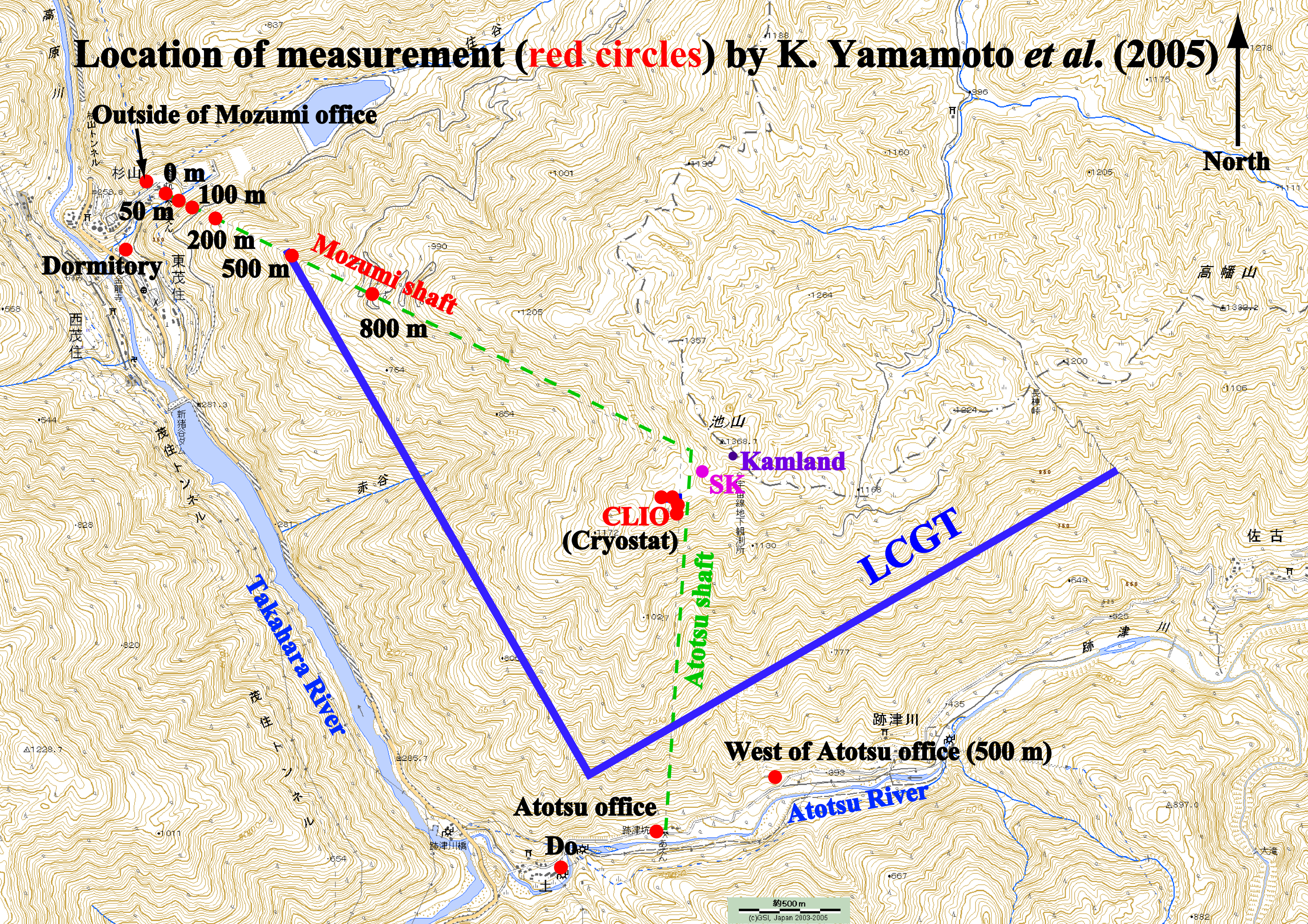
**Atotsu office**

**Do**

**Takahara River**

**Atotsu River**

約500m  
(c)GSI, Japan 2003-2006





# Fixed accelerometer



Outside of mine

(mine entrance)

< 1 Hz

(Outside of mine) = (CLIO)

> 1 Hz

(Outside of mine) > (CLIO)

> 10 Hz

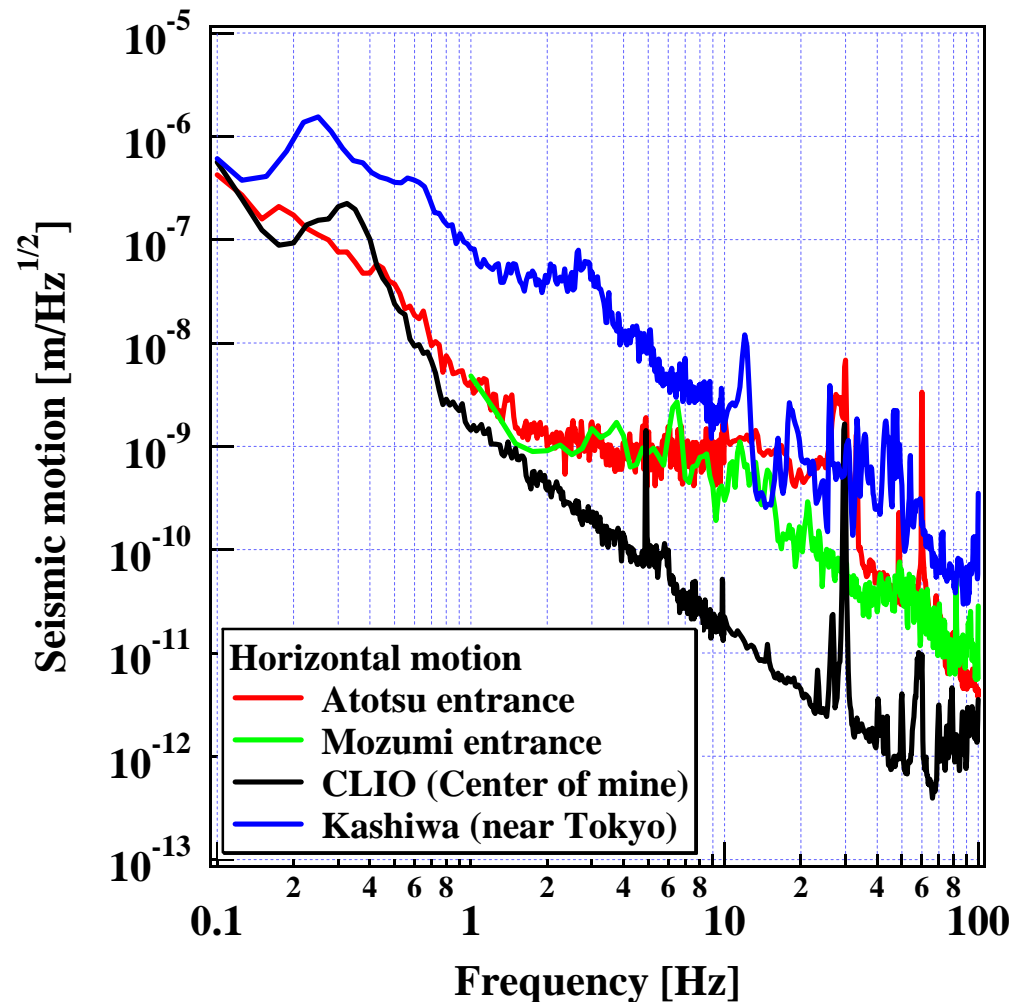
(Outside of mine) = (Tokyo)

**Vertical** motion is  
**similar** to horizontal one.

Results of **other locations**  
are **similar**.

**Underground is essential.**

K. Yamamoto *et al.* (2005)



K. Yamamoto *et al.* (2005)

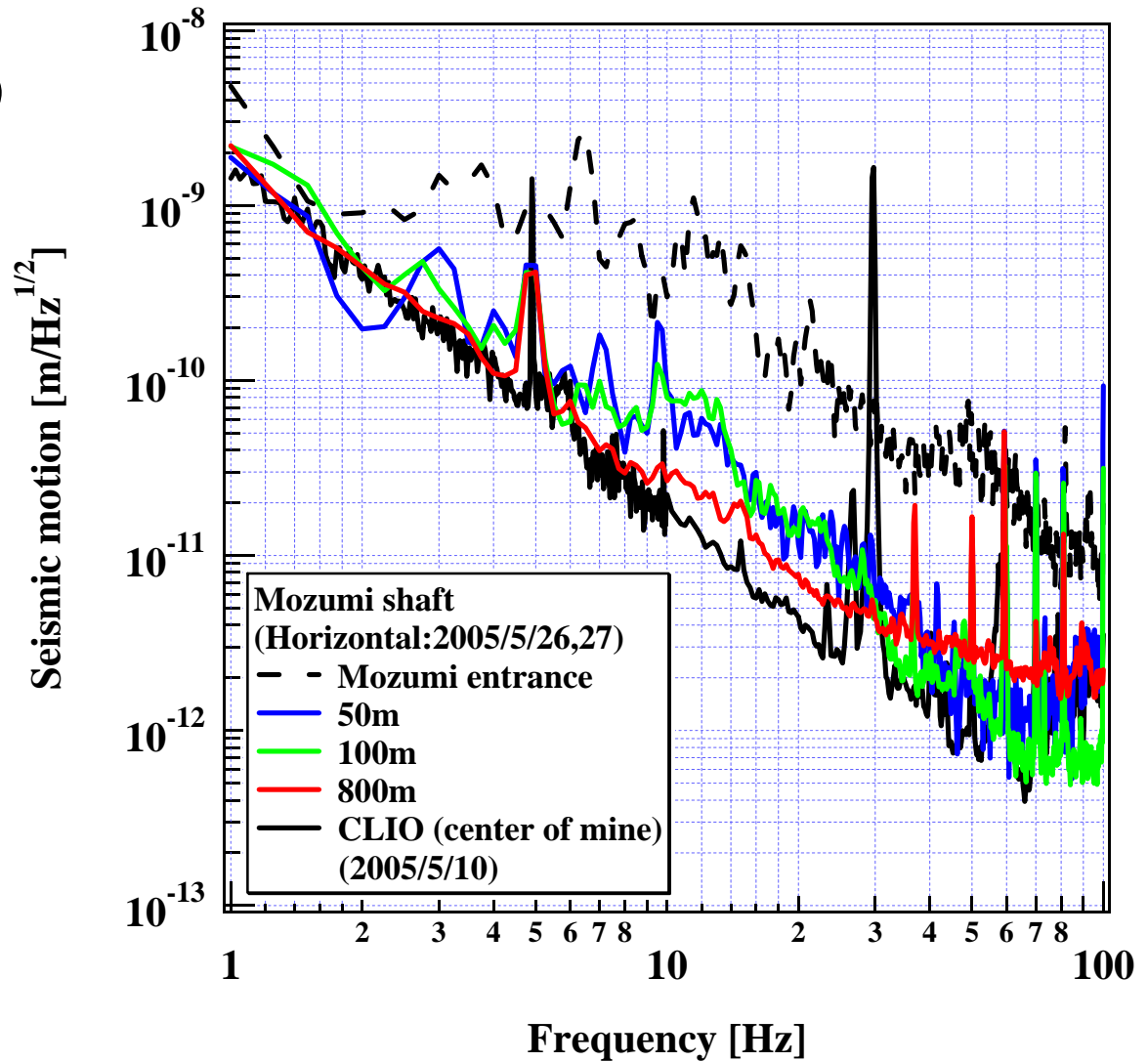
Inside of mine  
(Mozumi shaft)

> 50 m

silent sufficiently !

Main mirrors

50 m from ground



### ***3. Thermal noise***

**Cryogenic sapphire mirror (20K) and pendulum (sapphire fiber)**

**T. Uchiyama *et al.*, Physics Letters A 242 (1998) 211.**

**T. Tomaru *et al.*, Physics Letters A 301 (2002) 215.**

**Merit of cooling mirror and suspension**

**Technique for cooling mirror and suspension**

## ***4-1. Merit of cooling mirror and suspension***

### **(1) Thermal noise**

**T. Uchiyama *et al.*, Physics Letters A 261 (1999) 5.**

**T. Uchiyama *et al.*, Physics Letters A 273 (2000) 310.**

**K. Yamamoto *et al.*, Physical Review D 74 (2006) 022002.**

### **(2) Thermal lens**

**T. Tomaru *et al.*, Classical and Quantum Gravity 19 (2002) 2045.**

### **(3) Parametric instability**

**K. Yamamoto *et al.*,**

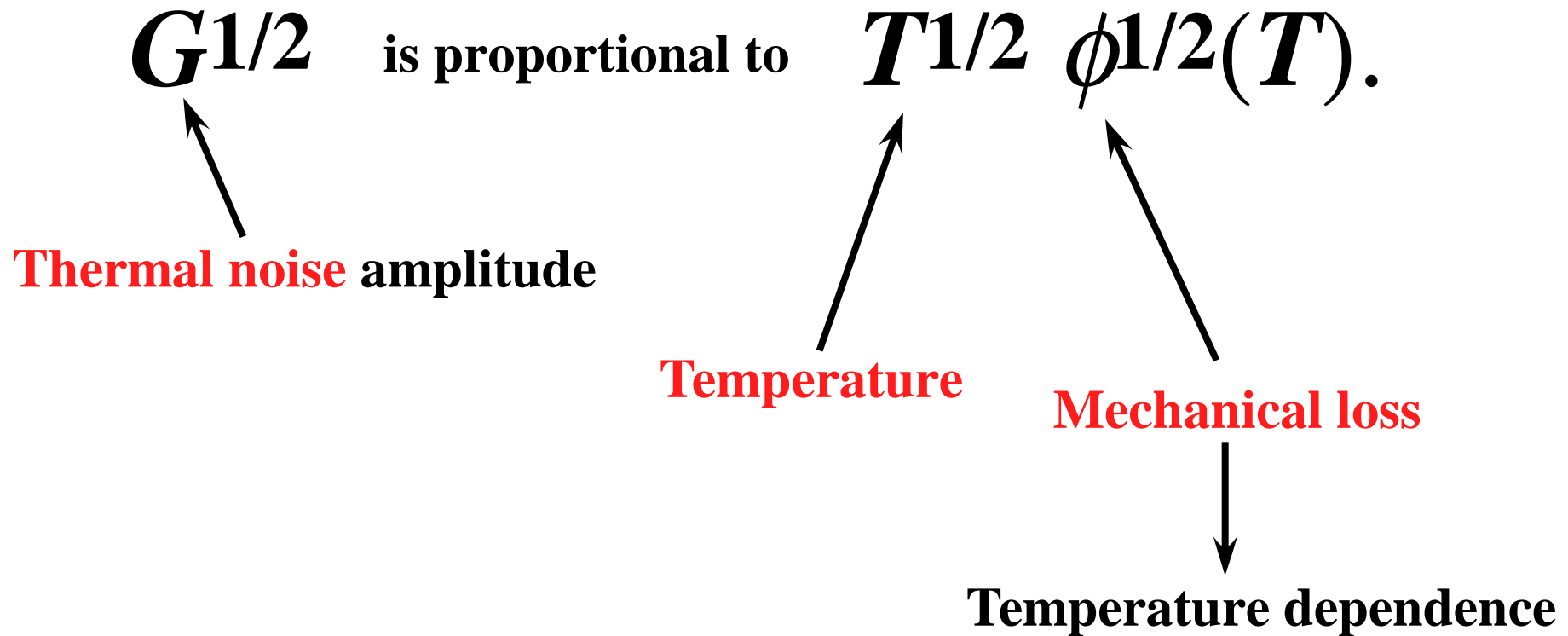
**Journal of Physics:Conference Series 122 (2008) 012015.**

### **(4) Cosmic ray particles**

**K. Yamamoto *et al.*, Physical Review D 78 (2008) 022004.**

# (1) Thermal noise

## Fluctuation-Dissipation Theorem



**Mechanical loss** at **low temperature** is necessary.



# Measurement of mechanical loss at low temperature

Vacuum tank in liquid He or N<sub>2</sub>

Ring down method

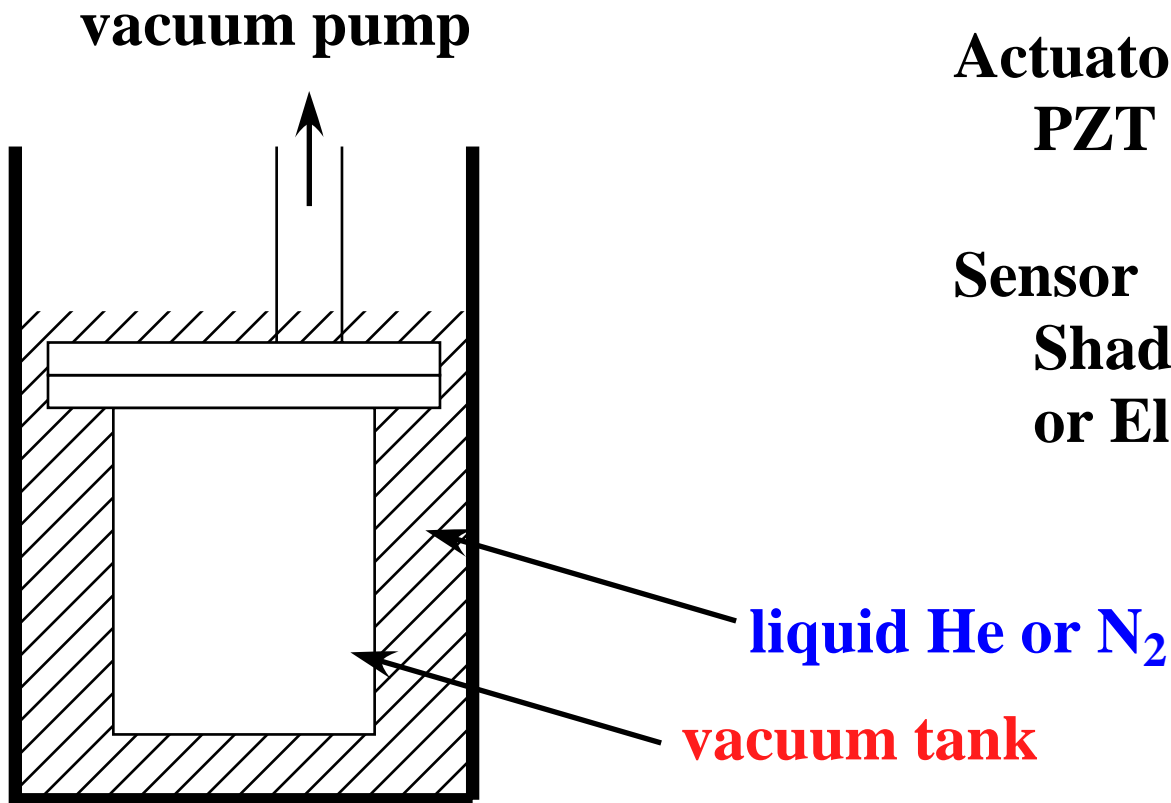
Measurement of decay time of resonant motion

Actuator

PZT or Electrostatic actuator

Sensor

Shadow sensor  
or Electrostatic transducer



# Thermal noise of **suspension**

## Measurement of decay motion of **sapphire fiber**

Sapphire **fiber**

$$Q = 1/\phi = 5 \cdot 10^6$$

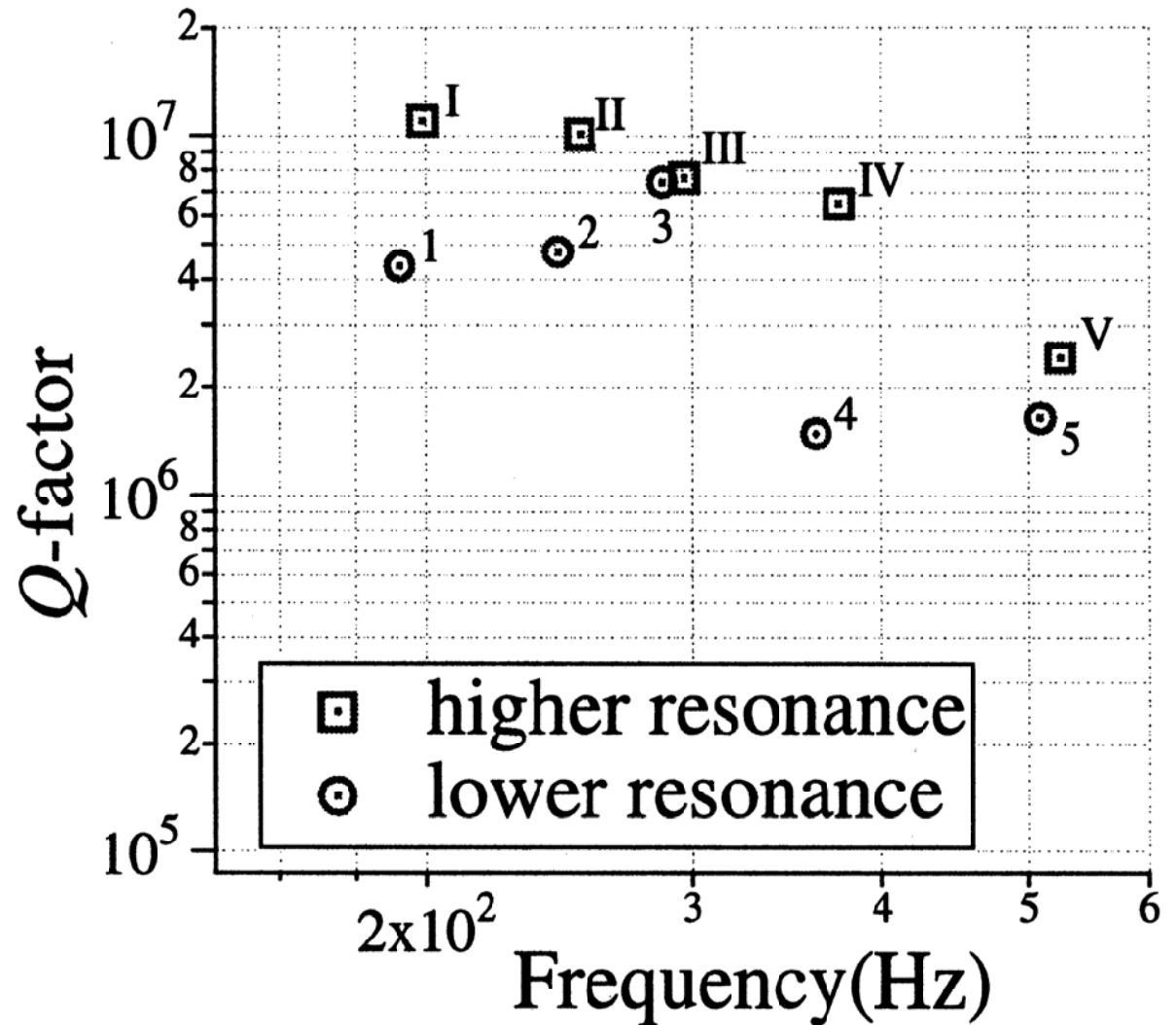


**Pendulum**

$Q$  : the order of  $10^7$

Sufficiently **small loss**

**Pendulum** thermal noise is **smaller** than **quantum noise** above a few Hz.



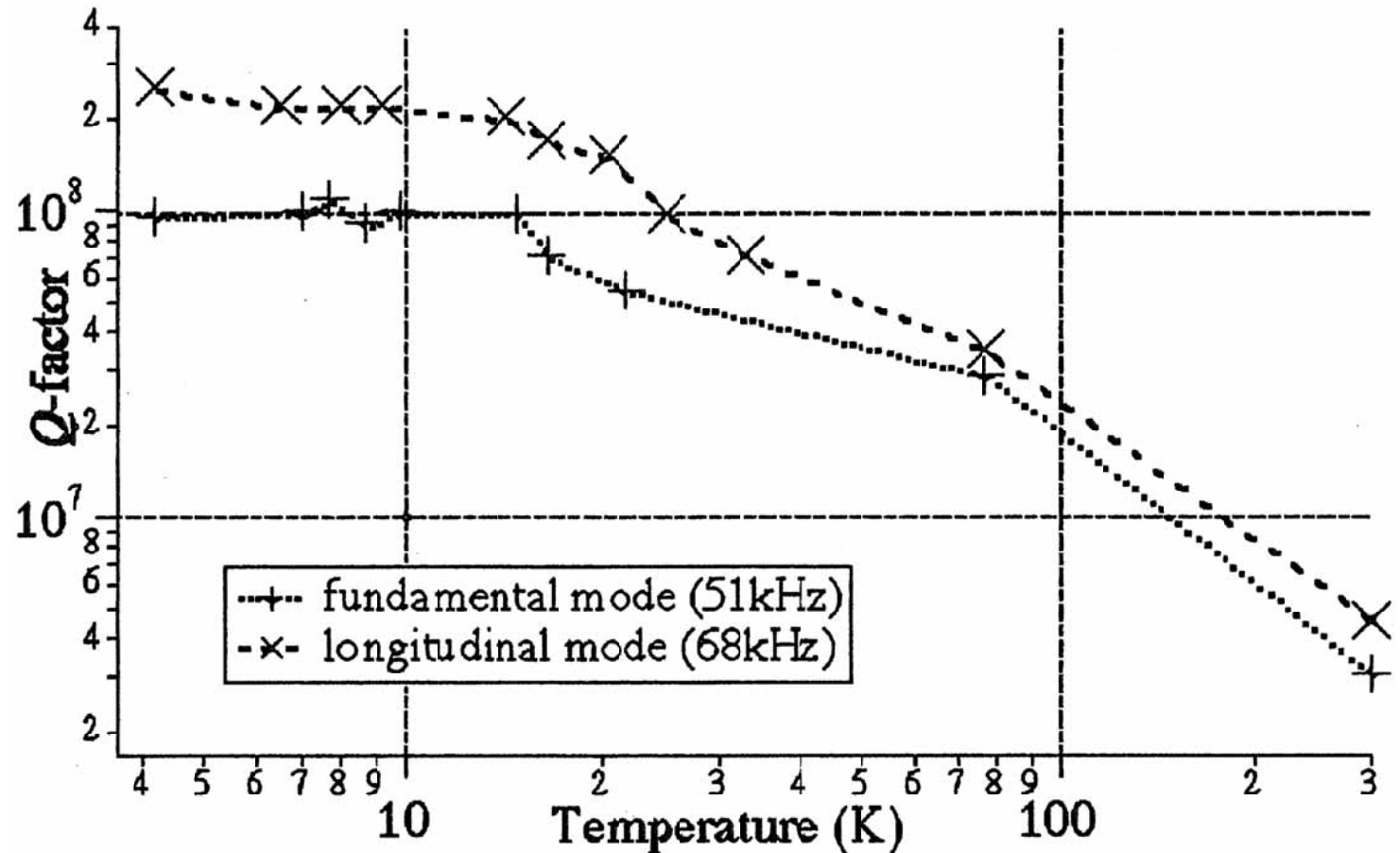
T. Uchiyama *et al.*, Physics Letters A 273 (2000) 310.

# Thermal noise of **mirror substrate**

## Measurement of decay motion of **cylindrical sapphire bulk**

$$Q = 1/\phi = 10^8$$

Sufficiently **small loss**



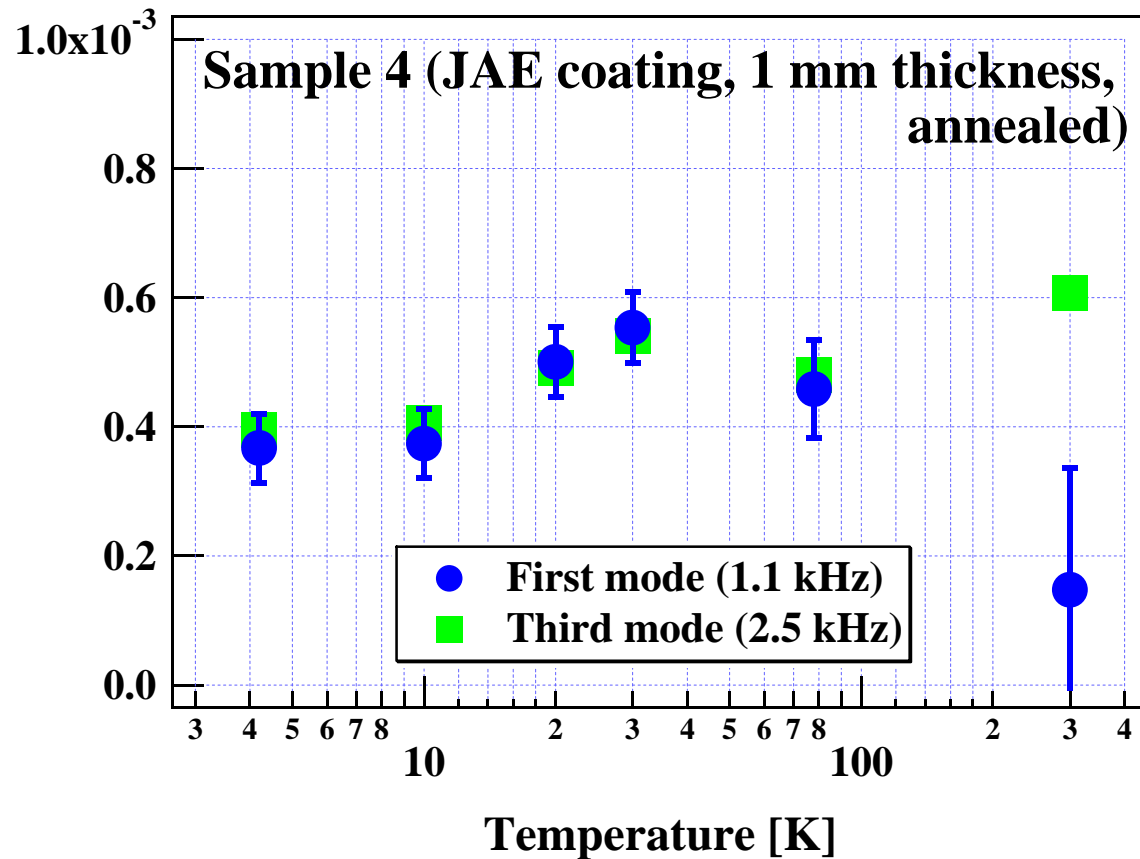
T. Uchiyama *et al.*, Physics Letters A 261 (1999) 5.

# Thermal noise of **reflective coating**

## Measurement of decay time of sapphire disk

**with and without coating**

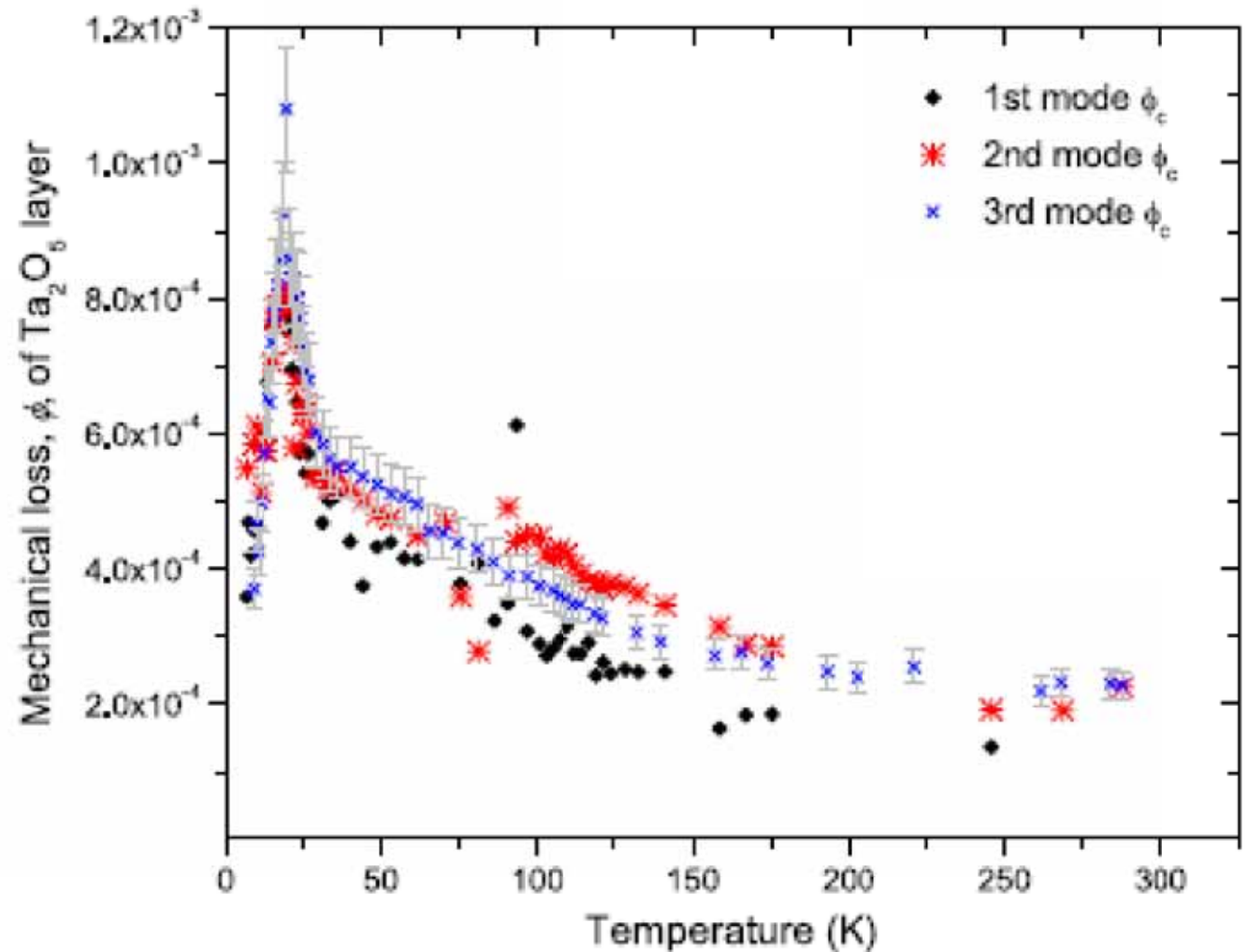
$\phi = (4 - 6) * 10^{-4}$   
Loss angle  
**first measurement**  
coating loss  
at **low temperature**



K. Yamamoto et al., Physical Review D 74 (2006) 022002

However, Glasgow group discovered **loss peak** around **20 K** !

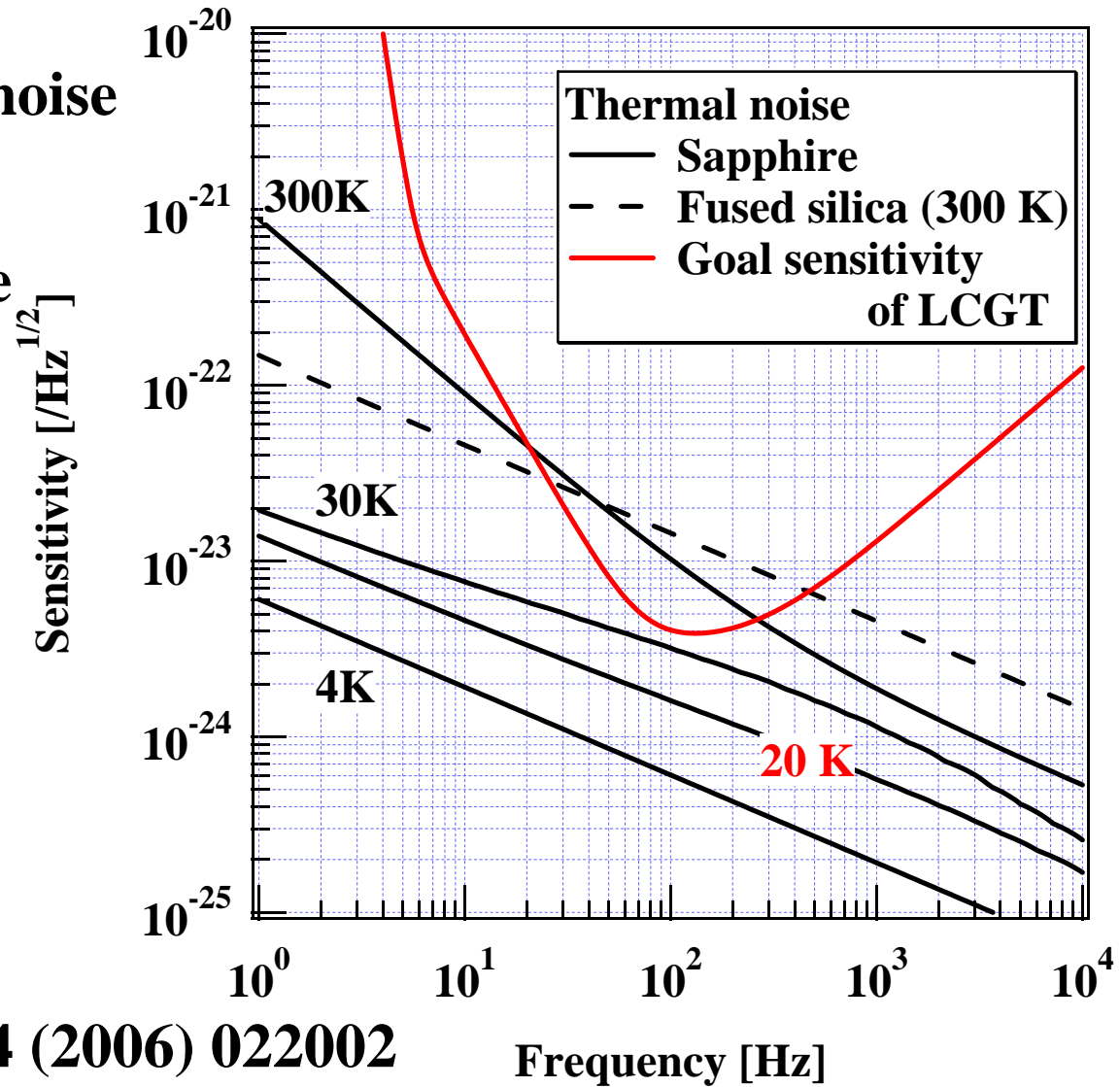
Difference of vander ???  
Investigation is necessary.



I. Martin *et al.*, *Classical and Quantum Gravity* 25 (2008) 055005.

# Summary of mirror thermal noise

## Mirror thermal noise in LCGT



K. Yamamoto et al.,

Physical Review D 74 (2006) 022002



## (2) Thermal lens

T. Tomaru *et al.*, *Classical and Quantum Gravity* 19 (2002) 2045.

Thermal lens : **Optical deformation** of mirror by **power absorption**

**Thermal gradient**  
and **temperature coefficient of refractive index**

At **low temperature** (Sapphire)

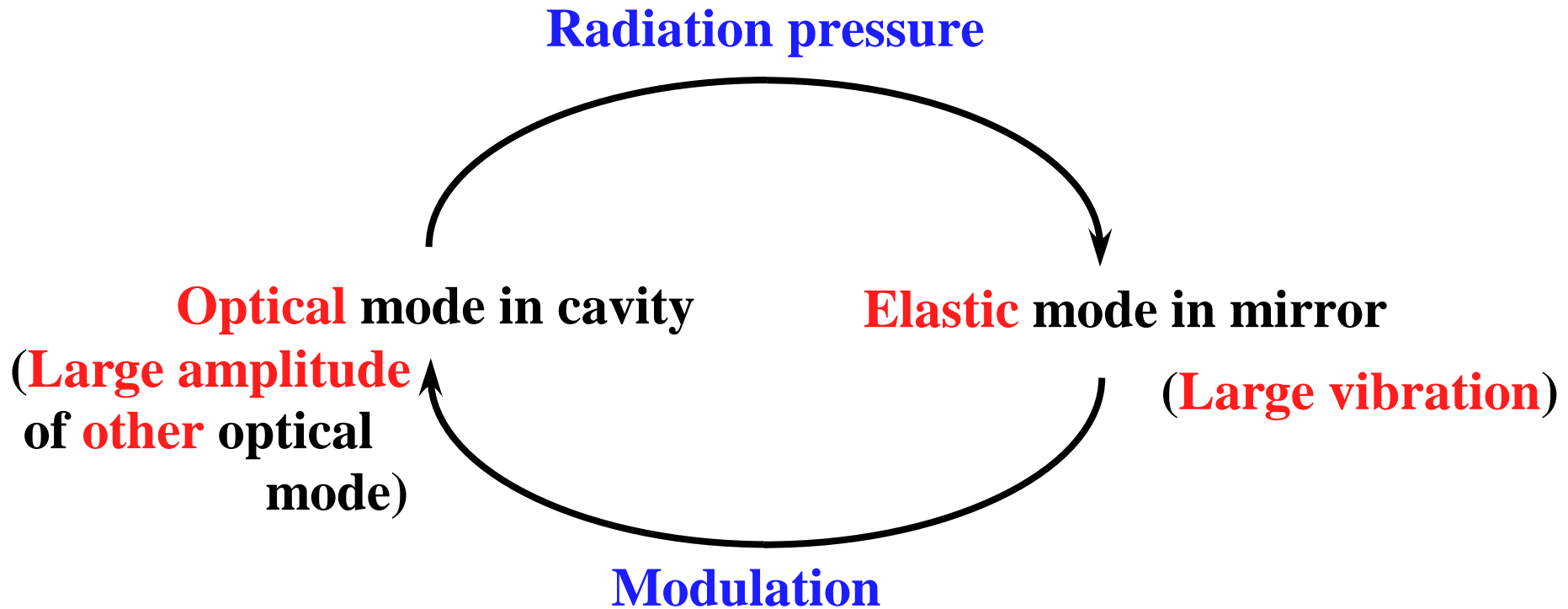
**Large thermal conductivity** : **No thermal gradient**  
**Small temperature coefficient of refractive index**

Thermal lens effect is **negligible**.

### (3) Parametric instability

K. Yamamoto *et al.*,

Journal of Physics:Conference Series 122 (2008) 012015.



V.B. Braginsky *et al.*, Physics Letters A 287 (2001) 331.

### (3) Parametric instability

K. Yamamoto *et al.*,

Journal of Physics:Conference Series 122 (2008) 012015.

**Less serious problem** (than that of **Advanced LIGO**)

Number of unstable modes

Advanced LIGO : **20 ~ 60**      LCGT : **2 ~ 4**

Mirror curvature

Advanced LIGO : Instability strength **strongly depends on mirror curvature.**

LCGT : Instability strength **weakly depends on mirror curvature.**

Why ?

**Mirror material** (LCGT:Sapphire, Ad. LIGO:fused silica)

**Larger beam** in Advanced LIGO **to reduce thermal noise**

← **Thermal noise reduction**



#### (4) Cosmic ray particles

K. Yamamoto *et al.*, Physical Review D 78 (2008) 022004.

##### Process of cosmic-ray excitation

- (i) **Passage** of cosmic ray particle in mirrors
- (ii) **Energy** deposition and **temperature gradient**
- (iv) **Thermal stress** and **elastic** vibration of mirror

##### At low temperature (Sapphire)

**Large thermal conductivity**  
**Small specific heat**                       $\longrightarrow$                       **Fast thermal relaxation**

##### Decay time of thermal stress

**Room** temperature                      : about **1000 sec**

**Cryogenic** temperature                : about **10 msec**

Since **thermal stress disappears immediately** in **cryogenic** mirror,  
the effect of **cosmic ray** particles is **small**.

*How about these merit of cooling mirror and suspension in **Einstein Telescope** ?*

(1) Thermal noise

LCGT : Sapphire at 20 K

ET : **Silicon** at **20 K** or **120 K** ?

Thermal expansion is **zero**.

—————→ Thermal noise by **thermoelastic damping** is zero.

Temperature tuning system is necessary.

Some methods to suppress the coating thermal noise

Khalili cavity ? Waveguide grating mirror ?

Larger or Higher Laguerre-Gaussian mode beam ?

(2) Thermal lens

**Thermal conductivity** of **silicon** at low temperature is **high**.

—————→ **Small** thermal gradient

Temperature coefficient of refractive index ? Absorption in silicon ?

**Waveguide grating** mirror (**all reflective**)

—————→ **Thermal lens** and substrate absorption is **not problems**.

*How about these merit of cooling mirror and suspension in **Einstein Telescope** ?*

**(3) Parametric instability**

Parametric instability **depends on configuration of interferometer.**

Some **tricks for thermal noise** suppression make instability **serious.**

Investigation is necessary.

**K. Yamamoto ET-029-09**

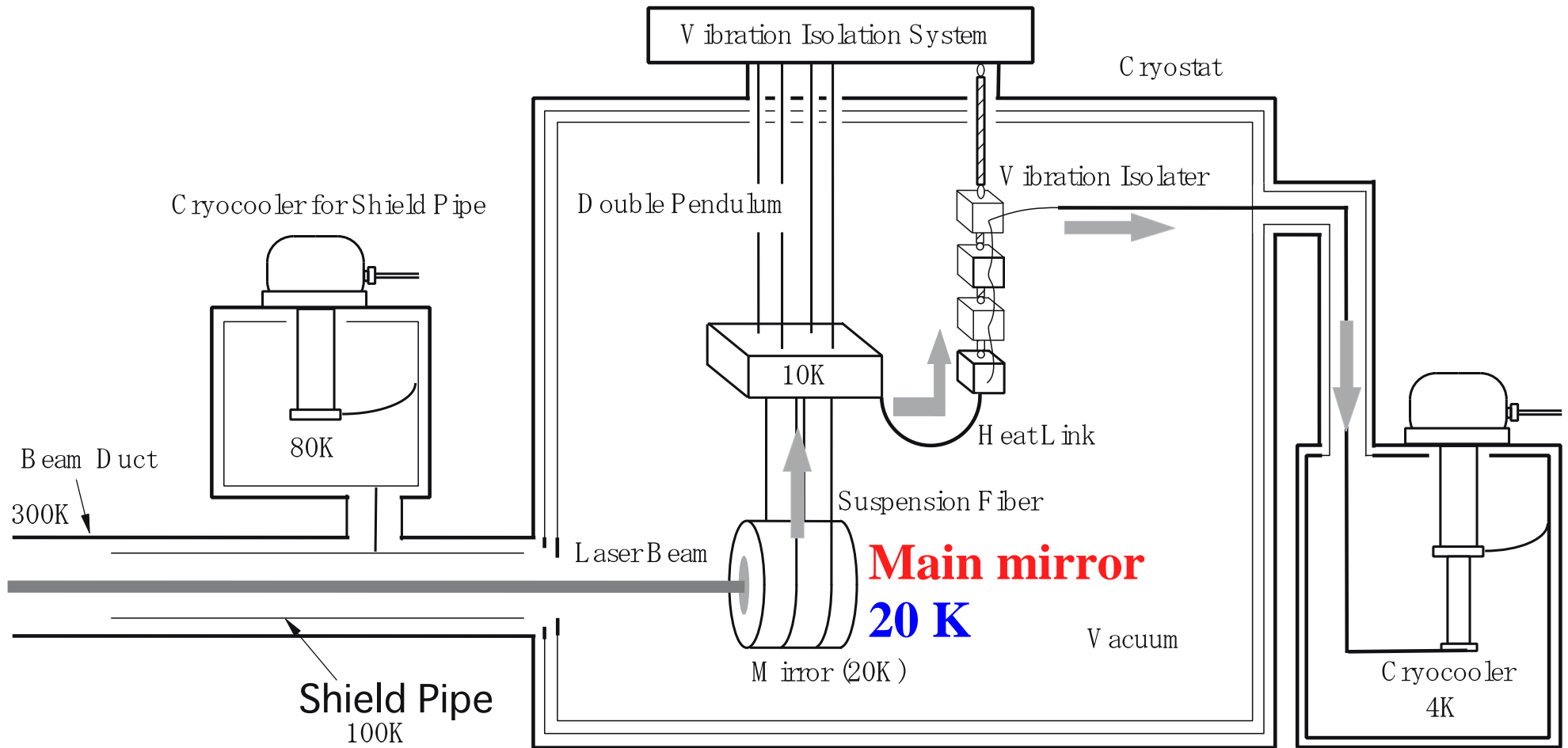
**(4) Cosmic ray particles**

This effect is **small** as like LCGT.



## 4-2. Technique for cooling mirror and suspension

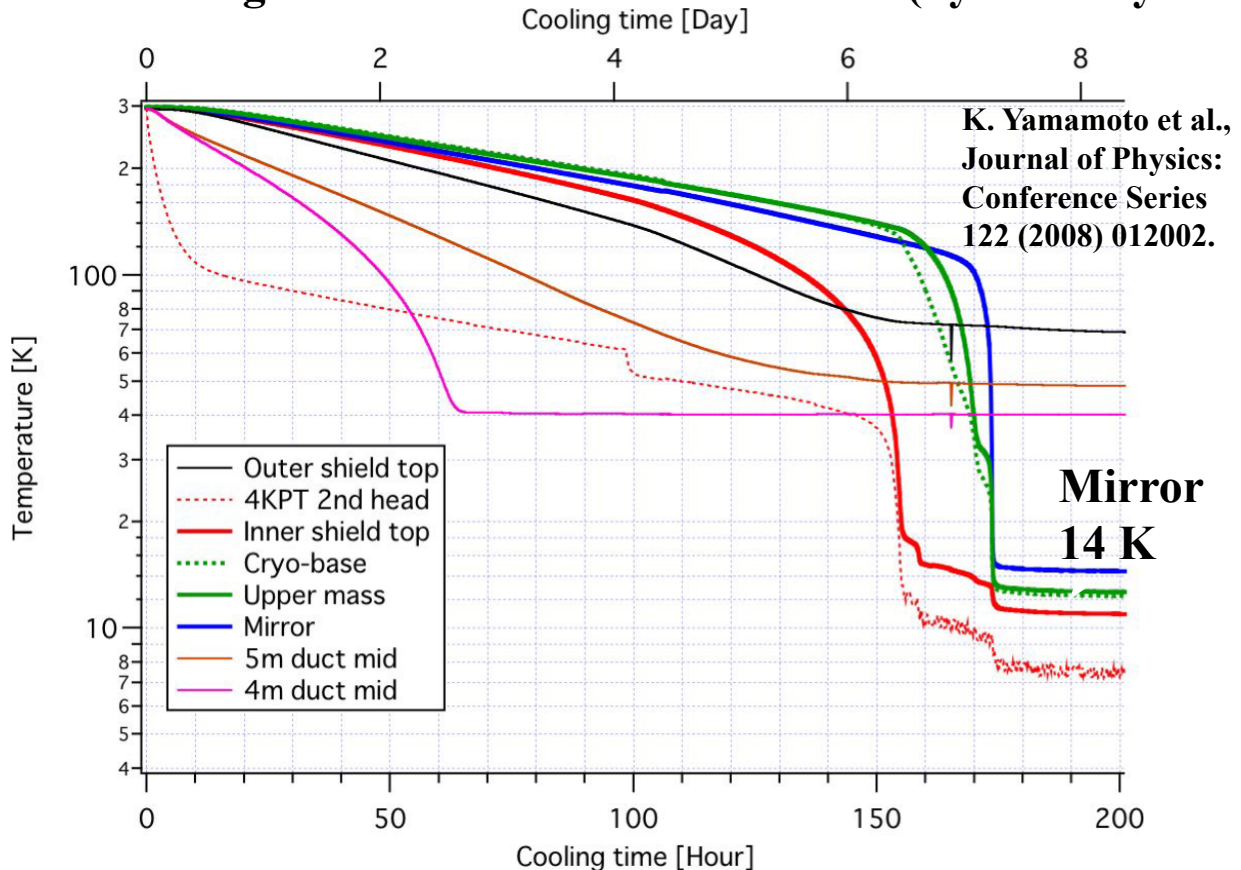
### Schematic view of cryostat (by T. Tomaru)



**CLIO** cryostat have already been **installed**  
(**different scale** from that of **LCGT**).

# Mirror cooling test in CLIO

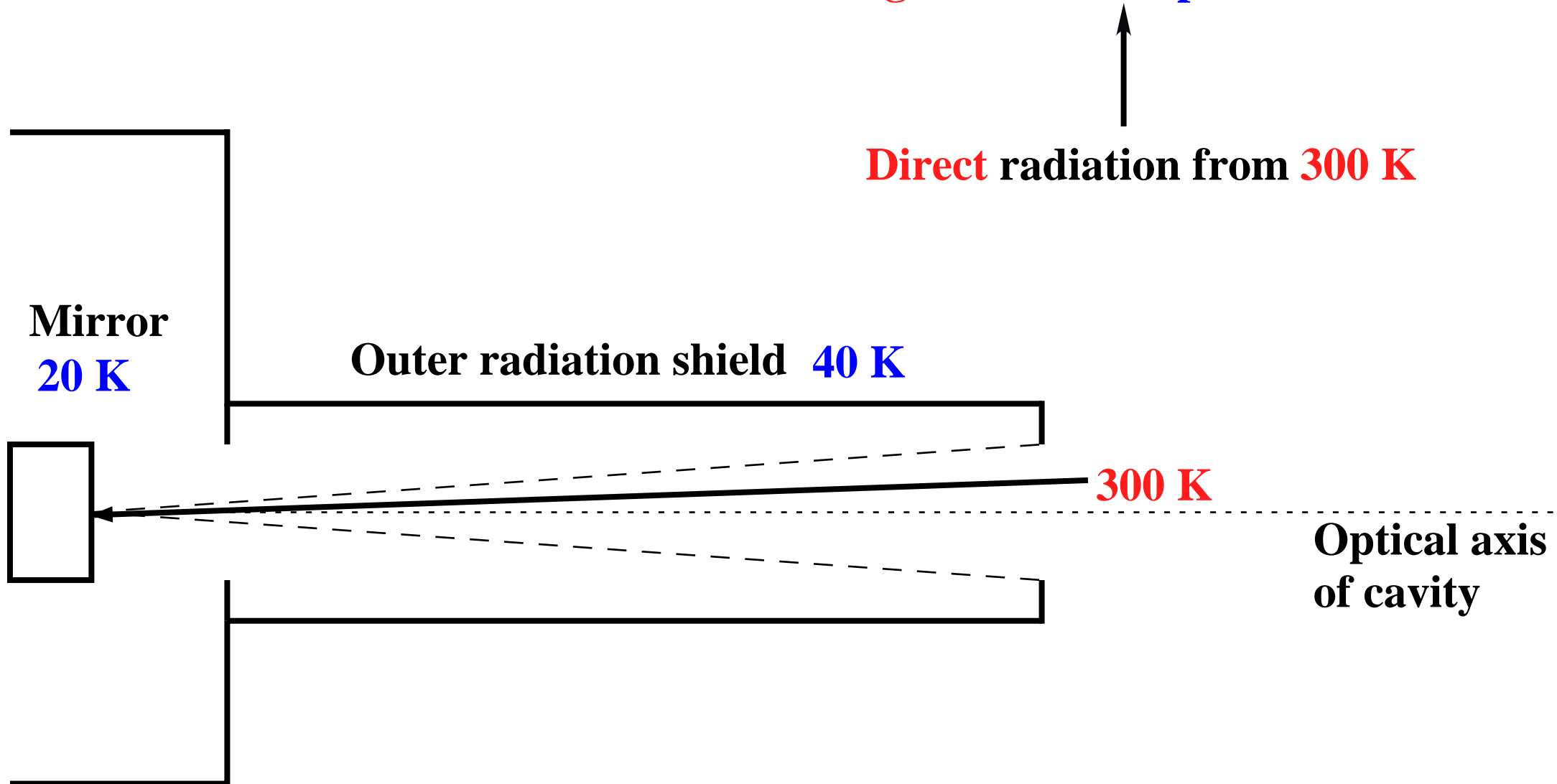
(by T. Uchiyama)



Within **about a week**, mirror temperature became about **14 K**  
(mirror temperature must be **below 20 K**), but ...

# Heat into mirrors

**Heat into a mirror is about 1000 times larger than the expected value !**





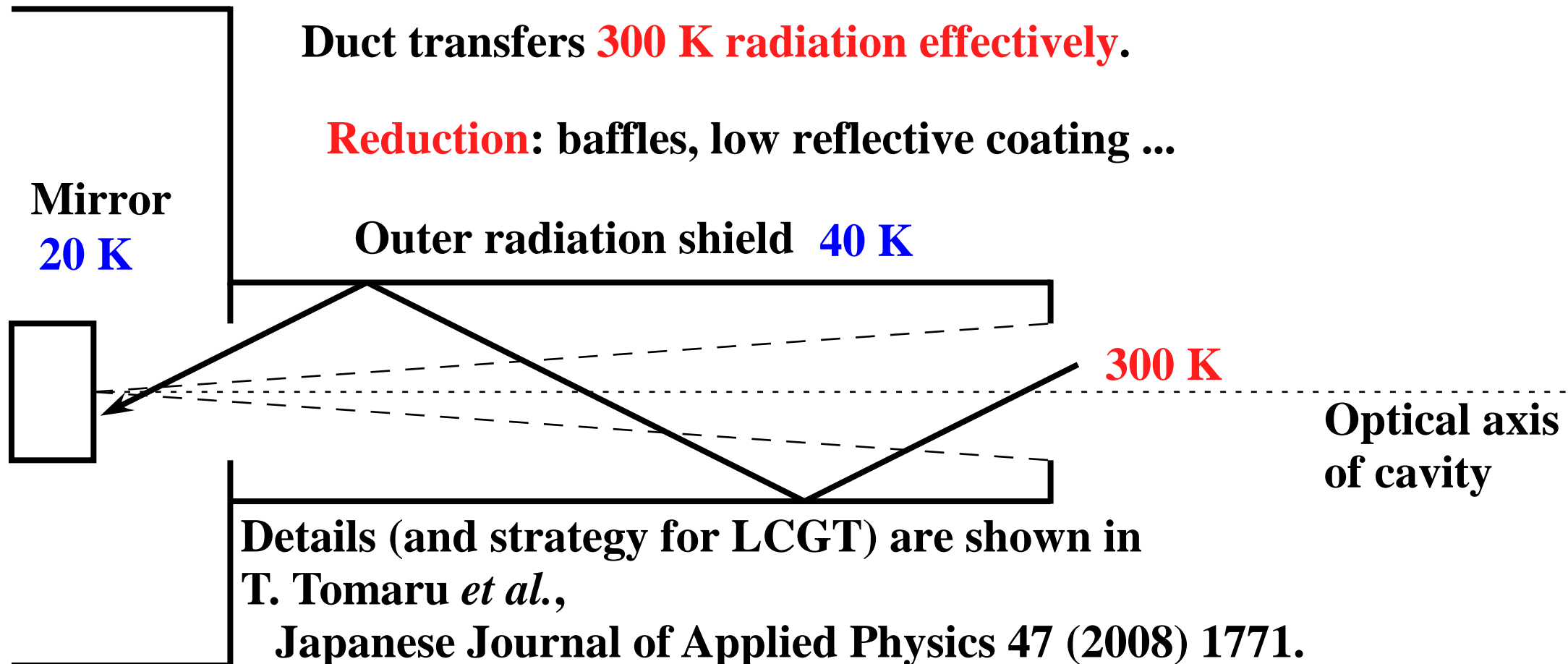
## Heat into mirrors

Outer radiation shield **does not absorb**, but **reflects** radiation !

**Indirect radiation (reflected by shield) from 300 K is large !**  
(We neglected it ... )

Duct transfers **300 K radiation effectively.**

**Reduction:** baffles, low reflective coating ...



Details (and strategy for LCGT) are shown in  
*T. Tomaru et al.,*

*Japanese Journal of Applied Physics* 47 (2008) 1771.

*Journal of Physics:Conference Series* 122 (2008) 012009.

# Cryocooler

Why ?

Usual case : **Liquid nitrogen** and **helium**

**Safety** and **maintenance** in **mine**



**Cryocooler**

Usual cryocooler : **Gifford-McMahon** cryocooler



**Large vibration**

**Pulse-tube** cryocooler (without solid piston)

But, vibration of **commercial** one is **not enough small**.

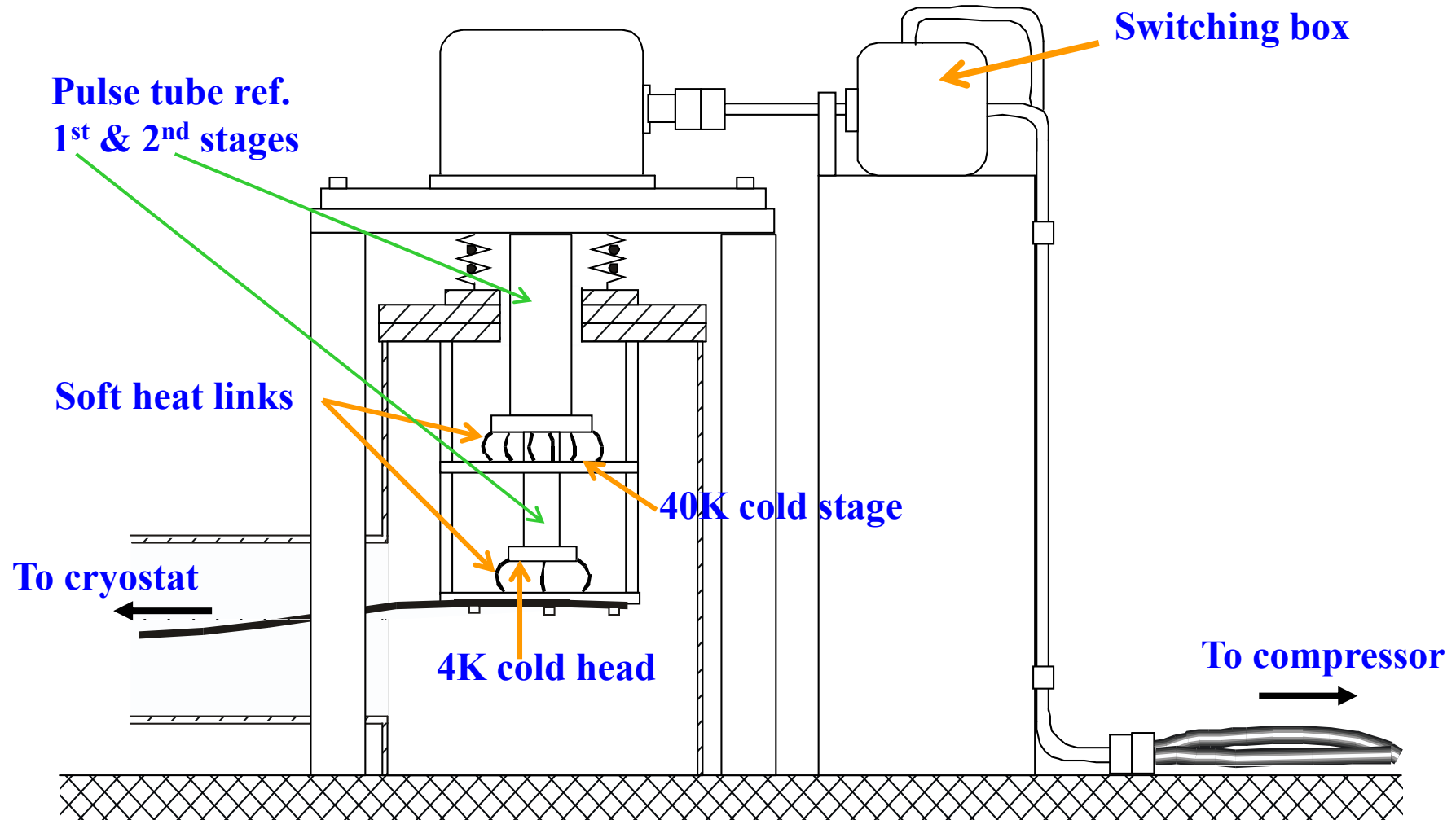
## Quiet refrigerator was developed (design in 2003)

T. Tomaru *et al.*, Classical Quantum Gravity 21 (2004) S1005.

T. Tomaru *et al.*, Cryocoolers 13 (2005) 695.

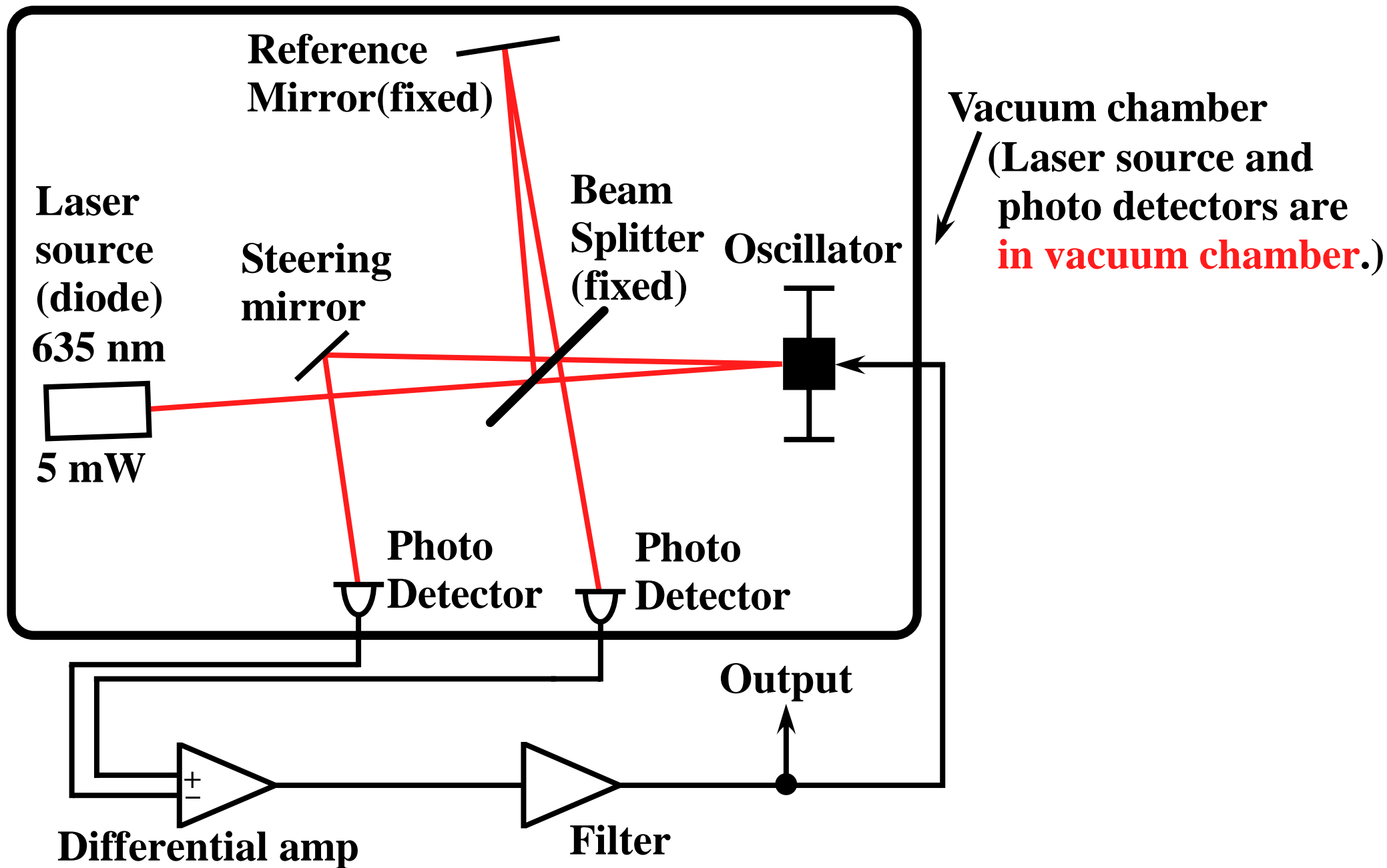
R. Li. *et al.*, Cryocoolers 13 (2005) 703.

patent: Pa-3 Tomaru *et al.*, 2003; Suzuki *et al.*, 2003.



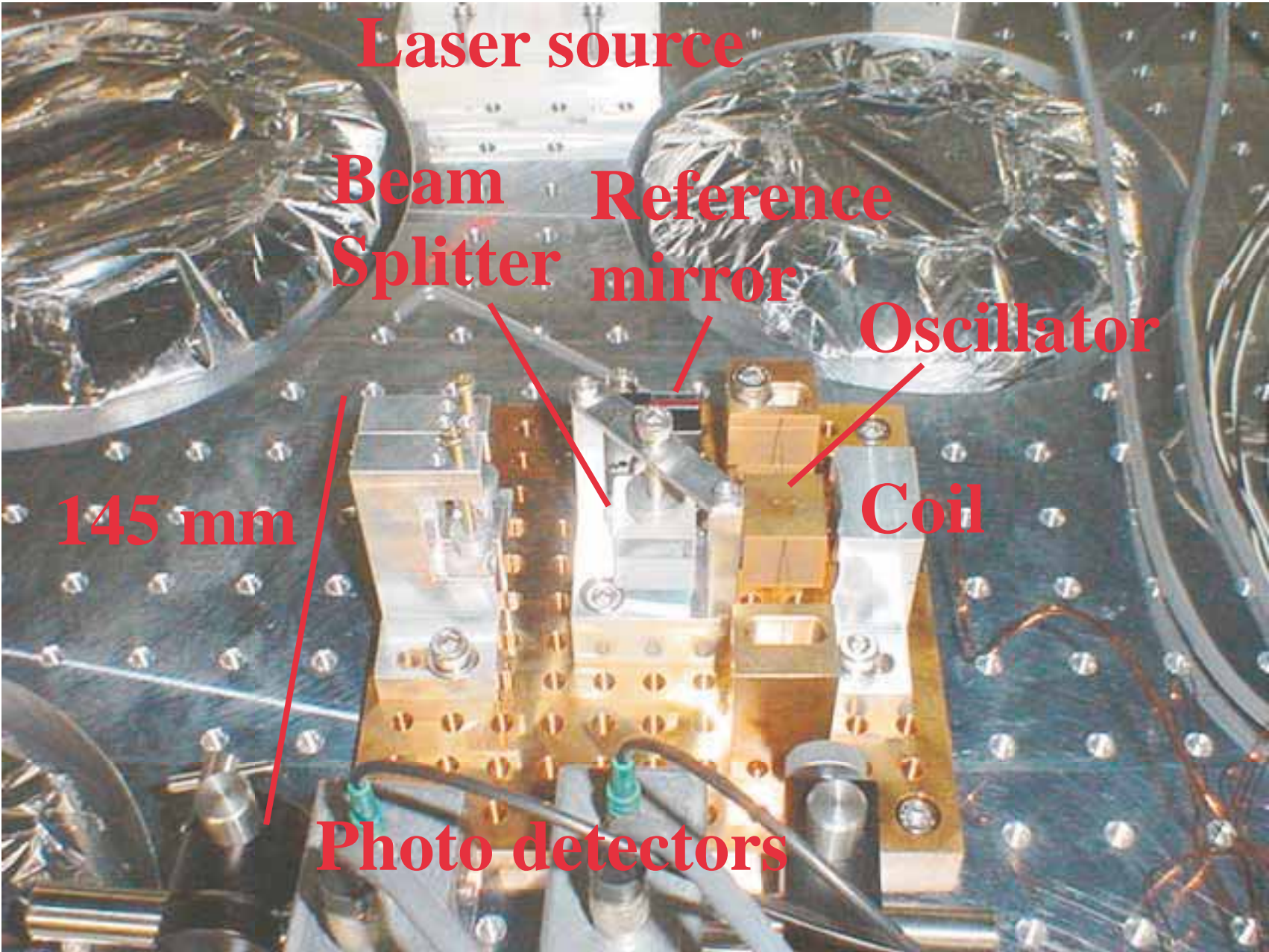
We **measured vibration** caused by **new** cryocoolers in **Kamioka** mine !  
(suspension top of CLIO)

Schematic view of interferometer for vibration measurement





# Interferometer



## Results(1)

floor level (1 Hz-100 Hz)

$$10^{-9}/f^2 \text{ [m/Hz}^{1/2}\text{]}$$

Cryocoolers

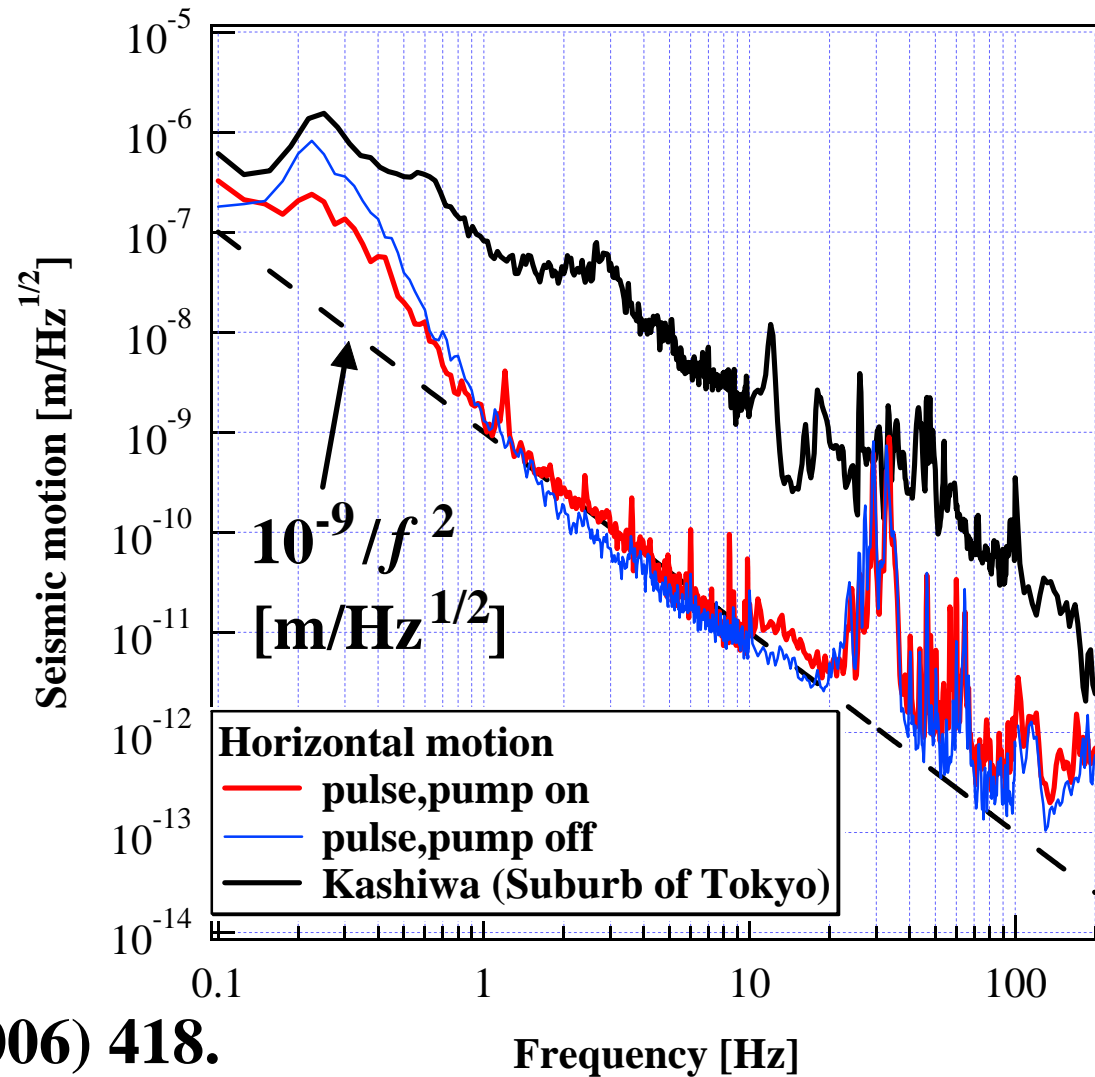
do **not increase**

vibration.

K. Yamamoto et al.,

Journal of Physics:

Conference Series 32 (2006) 418.



## Result(2)

Gifford-McMahon cryocooler  $10^{-5}$

GM cryocooler

**increases** vibration.

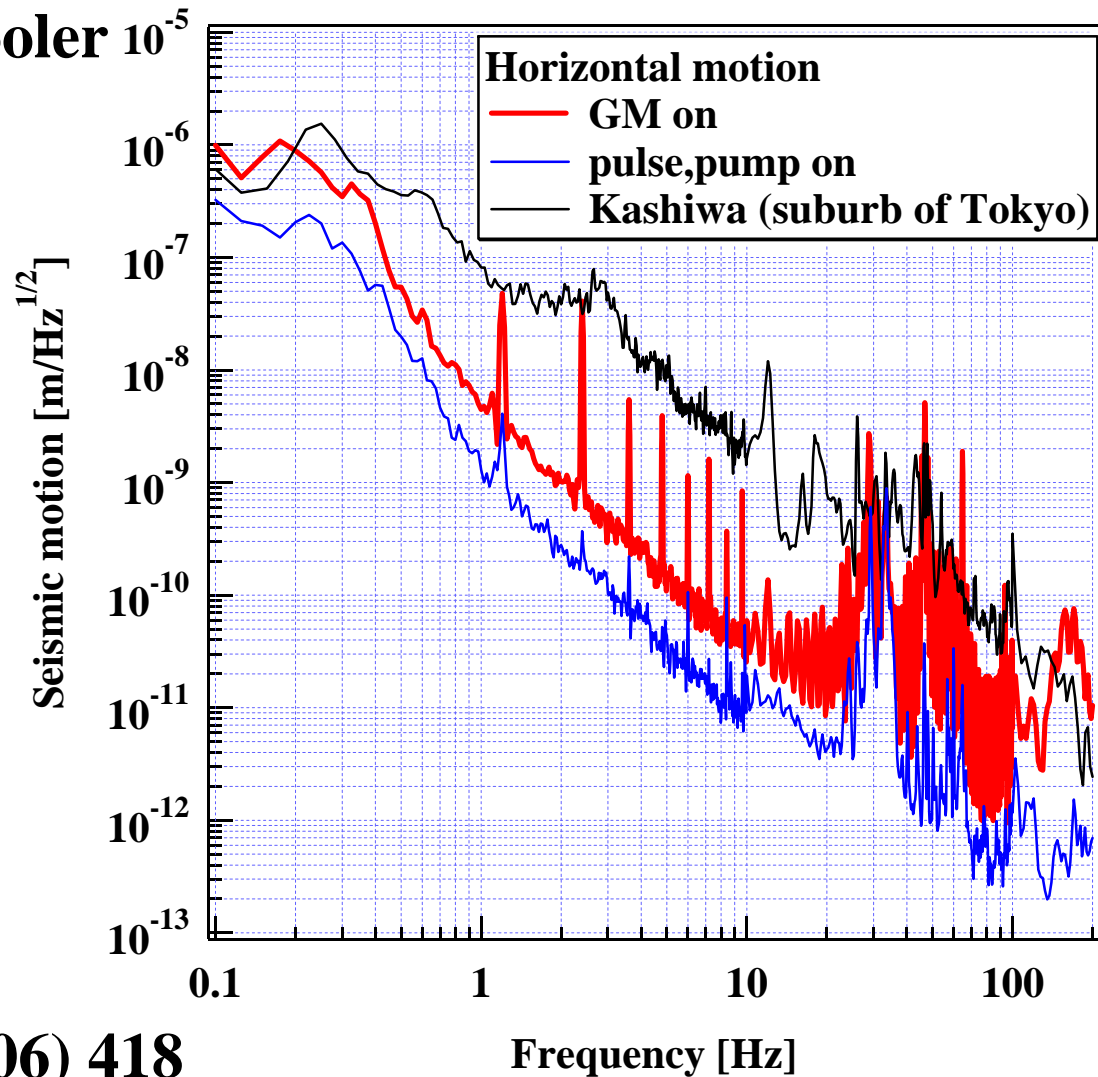
**Above 30 Hz**

**Kashiwa (Tokyo) level !**

K. Yamamoto et al.,

Journal of Physics:

Conference Series 32 (2006) 418



# Heat absorption in sapphire

Goal : **20 ppm/cm**

Calorimetric measurement  
at **low temperature**

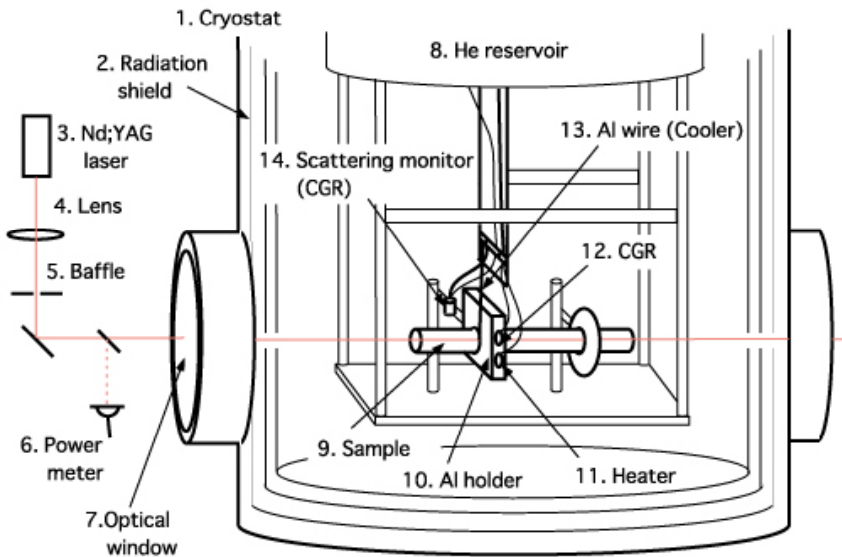
**Short** thermal relaxation **time**  
**High sensitivity** measurement

Large thermal conductivity  
Small specific heat

Result : **100 ppm/cm**

Recently, smaller values  
are reported (10-50 ppm/cm?).

Our R&D is in progress.



by T. Tomaru

Sample	LCGT (5K)	Stanford	UWA
Hemex	-	-	24
Hemlite	90 - 99	-	-
CSI White	88 - 93	-	-
CSI White	-	-	3.4
CSI White	-	-	40
CSI White	-	47	-
CSI White	-	25	-

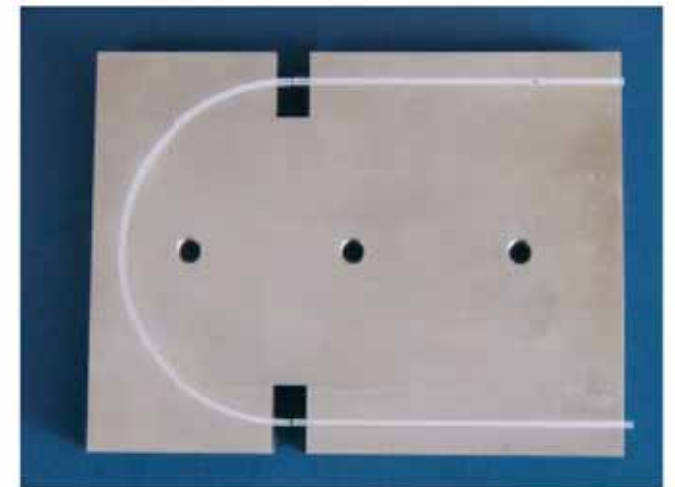
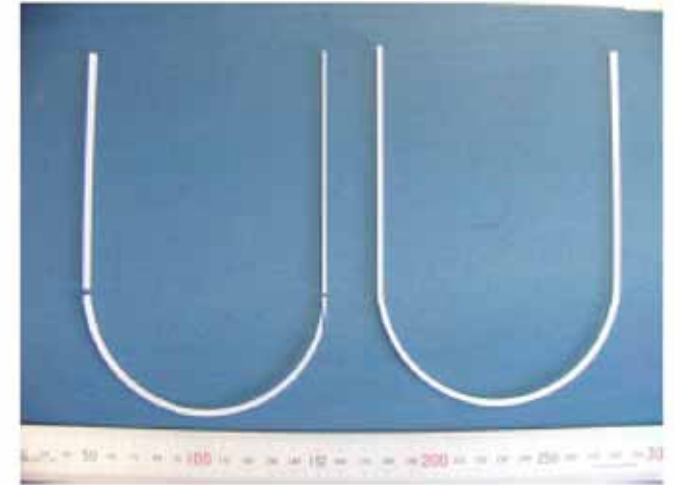
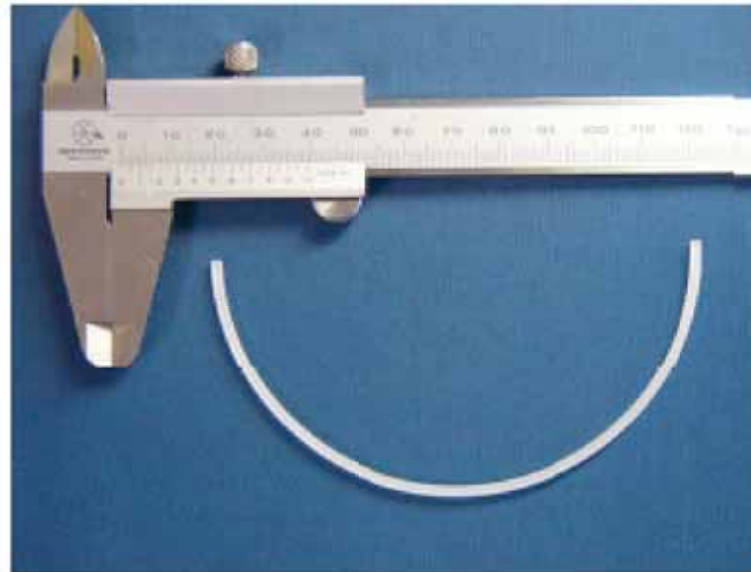
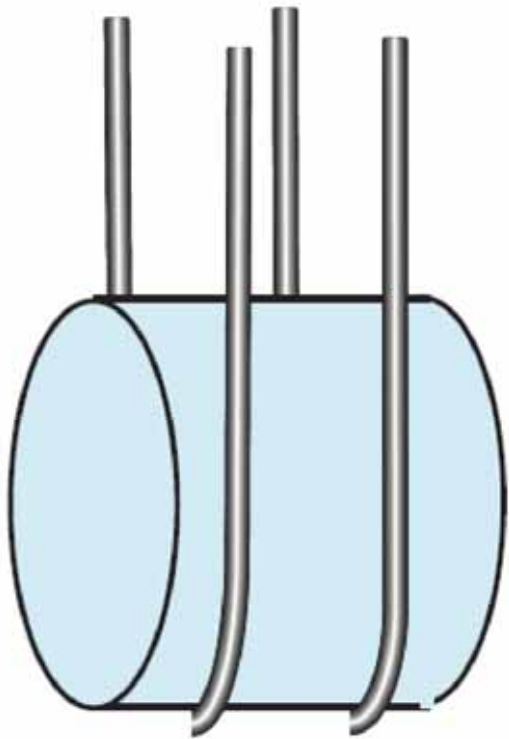
ppm/cm

T. Tomaru *et al.*, Physics Letters A 283(2001)80.



# Sapphire mirror suspended by sapphire rods

## (1) Making rods : Mechanical cutting



Samples in photo are **smaller** than LCGT mirror.

# Sapphire mirror suspended by sapphire rods

## (2) Sapphire-sapphire bonding

### Direct bonding

(optical contact + diffusion bonding, without bonding agent, with heating)

### Hydroxide-catalysis bonding

(polish + aqueous solution of potassium hydroxide, at room temperature)

Thermal conductivity: **OK**

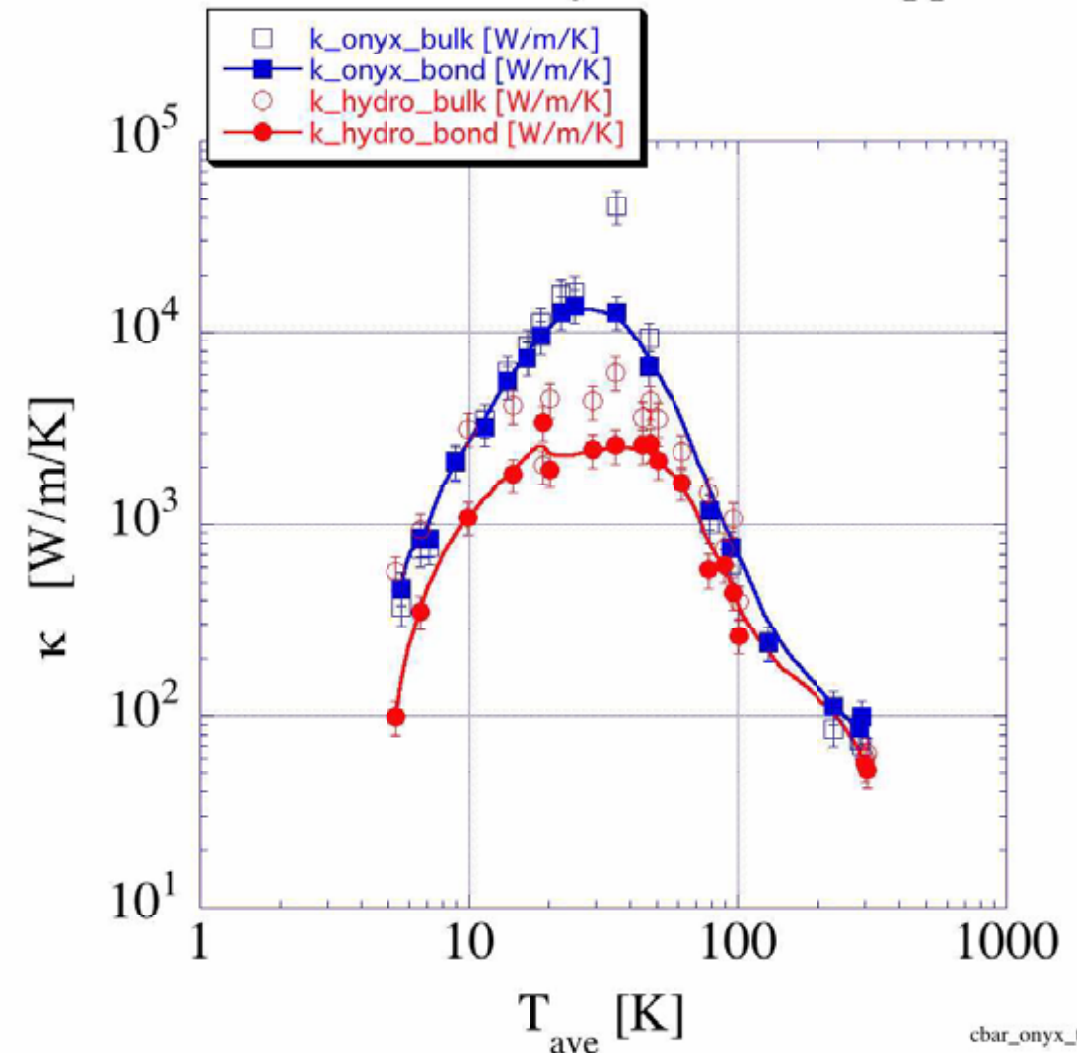
Strength: **OK**

Q-value of suspension: **?**

R&D is in progress.  
(other method (glue) also is tested.)

T. Suzuki *et al.*,  
Journal of Physics:  
Conference Series 32 (2006) 309.

Thermal Conductivity of Bonded Sapphire



## **Other Cryogenic R&D papers**

### **Mirror contamination**

**S. Miyoki *et al.*, *Cryogenics* 40 (2000) 61; 41 (2001) 415.**

### **Actuator for cryogenic mirror**

**N. Sato *et al.*, *Cryogenics* 43 (2003) 425.**

## 4. *Summary*

**LCGT: Japanese 2nd generation interferometric gravitational wave detector**

**10 times better sensitivity than that of current LIGO and VIRGO**

**Complementary role with interferometers in U.S.A. and Europe**

**Quantum noise (shot noise and radiation pressure noise)**

**High power laser    Resonant Sideband Extraction**

**Seismic noise**

**Silent underground site    Vibration isolation system**

**Thermal noise**

**Cryogenic technique**

**Same keywords as those of Einstein Telescope (European 3rd generation)**



**Most important and serious problem is**

**budget !!!**

**About 100 millions Euro**

**Thank you for your attention !**

**Vi ringrazio molto per la vostra attenzione !**

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