

Status of the frequency dependent squeezing experiment at TAMA

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Motivation and context

- Frequency dependent squeezing goal: broadband quantum noise reduction
- Especially beneficial for KAGRA (larger quantum noise limitation, difficult to increase power)
- 300 m filter cavities planned for LIGO and Virgo in O4
- KAGRA future plan committee is including filter cavity among future upgrades in the white paper



Frequency independent squeezing

- Installed in LIGO and Virgo for O3
- Can only improve the high frequency (shot noise)



Frequency dependent squeezing

- Counteract IFO squeezing rotation
- Planned for O4 in LIGO and Virgo
- Broadband quantum noise reduction



How to produce frequency dependent squeezing?

- Reflect frequency independent squeezing off a detuned Fabry-Perot cavity
- Rotation frequency depends on the cavity line-width





Squeezing angle rotation already realized

@ MHz frequency



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Experimental characterization of frequency-dependent squeezed light

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@ kHz frequency



Audio-Band Frequency-Dependent Squeezing for Gravitational-Wave Detectors

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Our goal: **full scale filter cavity** prototype to demonstrate frequency dependent squeezing with **rotation at 70 Hz**

Experiment overview

- Cavity length: 300 m (TAMA arm)
- Finesse: 4400
- Freq. independent squeezing source based on AEI/Virgo design





Squeezing bench



TAMA central building

Squeezed vacuum source



First squeezing measurement done!

 About 3 dB of squeezing (and 5dB of anti-squeezing) down to ~100 kHz



Squeezed vacuum source: ongoing

- Implementation of a control loop to reduce phase noise (coherent control)
- Upgrade and automation of the analog servos for the control of cavities and other loops on the bench
- Noise hunting to reach low frequency squeezing (~tens of Hertz)

Cavity mirror suspensions

- TAMA vibration isolation stack and double pendulum suspension (type C)
- Virgo-like optical levers used for local control damping



duble pendulum





Control system upgrade on-going

 Thanks to the help of KAGRA DGS people, we are replacing our old LabVIEW based control system with a standalone KAGRA digital system



 Useful to train students who will work on KAGRA site and for future use of TAMA infrastructure

Injection path and alignment

- IR beam and green beam (used for the control) recombined in vacuum
- Dichroic mode matching telescope
- Automatic alignment on green will be implemented soon



Cavity control

- Main laser locked on the cavity length using a part of the green beam from SHG
- Analog servo with 20 kHz bandwidth (green beam finesse: 170)
- IR beam detuning controlled with a AOM on the green path





IR resonance crossing by driving AOM

Cavity characterization: round trip losses measurement

- Important quantity for the squeezing degradation: losses per unity length
- Crucial measurement for designing filter cavities in GW detectors upgrades



Squeezing degradation for different round trip losses values

Cavity design: requirement on the mirrors flatness

- FFT simulation to measure round trip losses using real Virgo Mirror map
- In order to set the loss threshold we needed to consider also the other squeezing degradation sources



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Estimation of losses in a 300 m filter cavity and quantum noise reduction in the KAGRA gravitational-wave detector

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Cavity mirrors characterisation

- Tama size: 10 cm diameter, 6 cm thickness
- Beam radius: ~1 cm
- Requirement on surface quality set to have 80 ppm of round trip losses

	diameter		diameter	
	$0.05 \mathrm{m}$		0.02 m	
Mirror	RMS	PV	RMS	PV
	(nm)	(nm)	(nm)	(nm)
#1	1.96	11.5	0.52	3.28
#2	2.09	12.2	0.52	3.28
#3	1.5	8.3	0.48	3.36
#4	1.94	14.8	0.48	3.28







Substrates coated and characterised at LMA

Round trip losses measurement

- Round trip losses computed from cavity reflectivity
- Set of on/off resonances switches to measure the cavity reflectivity



Round trip losses measurement

Round trip losses between 45 and 85 ppm in agreement with what expected



Expected squeezing level

 Round trip losses below 85 ppm allows for ~ 4 dB of squeezing at low frequency (assuming 9 dB of injected squeezing)



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Measurement of optical losses in a high-finesse 300 m filter cavity for broadband quantum noise reduction in gravitational-wave detectors

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Visitors and collaborations

- Fruitful collaboration with groups from Virgo and Taiwan
- Many contributions given from visitors



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Summary

- ~100 m scale filter cavities planned in near term upgrades of 2nd generation detectors
- Integration of squeezed vacuum source in TAMA completed
- First measurement of squeezed vacuum achieved:
 ~3dB of squeezing and 5dB of anti-squeezing down to ~100 kHz
- Filter cavity installed, controlled and characterized:
 - Cavity round trip losses between 45 and 85 ppm, in agreement with the requirement

Next steps

- Increase the squeezing level and reach the low frequency
 - Phase noise control implementation
 - Servos upgrade and automation
 - Intensive noise-hunting
- Upgrade of the filter cavity control
 - Switch to KAGRA digital control system
 - Automatic alignment implementation
- Preparation for squeezing injection into the filter cavity
- Meanwhile: study of the filter cavity implementation in KAGRA

Useful experience for designing filter cavities planned for near term upgrades of 2nd generation GW detectors

Thanks for your attention!

More information can be found on our wiki page: <u>https://gwpo.nao.ac.jp/wiki/FilterCavity</u>

EXTRA SLIDES

First squeezing measurement done!

• ~3 dB of squeezing and (5db of anti squeezing) down to ~100 kHz



Zero span measurement at 200kHz

Homodye detection



- Developed at AEI
- Successfully shipped to NAOJ
- Clearance >20 dB
- Shot noise limited down to 1kHz
- Noise hunting ongoing



Phase lock loop (PLL) for AUX lasers

- Two AUX lasers are used for OPO length lock and control of the squeezing field phase (coherent control). They need to be phase locked to the main laser
- PLLs realized with fibered beam splitter and fiber coupled photodiode
- Electronics based on commercial Phase Frequency Detector (ADF4002)
- Residual phase noise ~4 mrad RMS between 100 Hz and 100 kHz





Round trip losses budget

RTL REQUIREMENT : 80 ppm

- ~ 40 ppm from flatness (simulation)
- ~ 15 ppm from roughness and point defect (measured)
- ~ 5 ppm from absorption and transmission (measured)



TOTAL EXPECTED RTL : ~ 60 ppm

How to measure round trip losses?

- From the cavity reflectivity at resonance
- Reflectivity is less affected from the input mirror transmissivity (with respect to finesse or decay time)

Comparison with round trip losses in literature



Lconfocal is the length of the confocal cavity which has the same spot size at its mirrors as the cavity whose losses are reported PHYSICAL REVIEW D 88, 022002 (2013)

Realistic filter cavities for advanced gravitational wave detectors

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How to estimate the reflected power

 Power reflected has some fluctuation which show different features if the cavity is locked or unlocked



- Cavity unlocked: Gaussian histogram. Main influence: input power fluctuations
- Cavity unlocked: asymmetric distribution. Influence of the input power fluctuations, cavity alignment fluctuations, finite lock accuracy

Squeezing degradation budget



length	16 m 300 m	
RTL00	16ppm 40ppm	
injection losses	5%	
readout losses	5%	
squeezer-filter cavity mismatch	2%	
squeezer-local oscillator mismatch	5%	
δL (rms)	0.3 pm	

- Important quantity: ppm per meter
- RTL of 80 ppm (corresponding to Virgo mirrors quality) are low enough
- RTL of 6 ppm (corresponding to AdVirgo mirrors quality) makes degradation from cavity losses completely negligible

Squeezing degradation sources



- Filter cavity losses
- Injection/readout losses
- Mode mismatch
- Frequency-dependent phase noise

P.Kwee et al. "Dechoerence and degradation of squeezed states in quantum filter cavities" Phys. Rev. D 90 062006 (2014)

Quantum fluctuation entering with the losses should be taken into account

Scattering from mirror defects



Why ppm/meter are important?

Total losses: RTL per number of round trip $N \sim 1/T_f$

$$\mathcal{E} pprox rac{\epsilon}{T_f}$$

Optimal rotation: filter Cavity bandwidth comparable with ITF bandwidth γ

$$T_f \approx \frac{4\gamma L_f}{c} \longrightarrow \mathcal{E} \approx \frac{c \epsilon}{4\gamma L_f} \propto \frac{\epsilon}{L_f}$$

Optical losses degrade squeezing

• Naive model

 $\hat{a} \qquad \hat{b} = \sqrt{\eta}\hat{a}$

 $[\hat{a}, \hat{a}^+] = 1$ $[\hat{b}, \hat{b}^+] = \eta \neq 1$

Consistent model

