



Visible pyramid wavefront sensor for MAPS -
MMT Adaptive optics exoPlanet characterization
System

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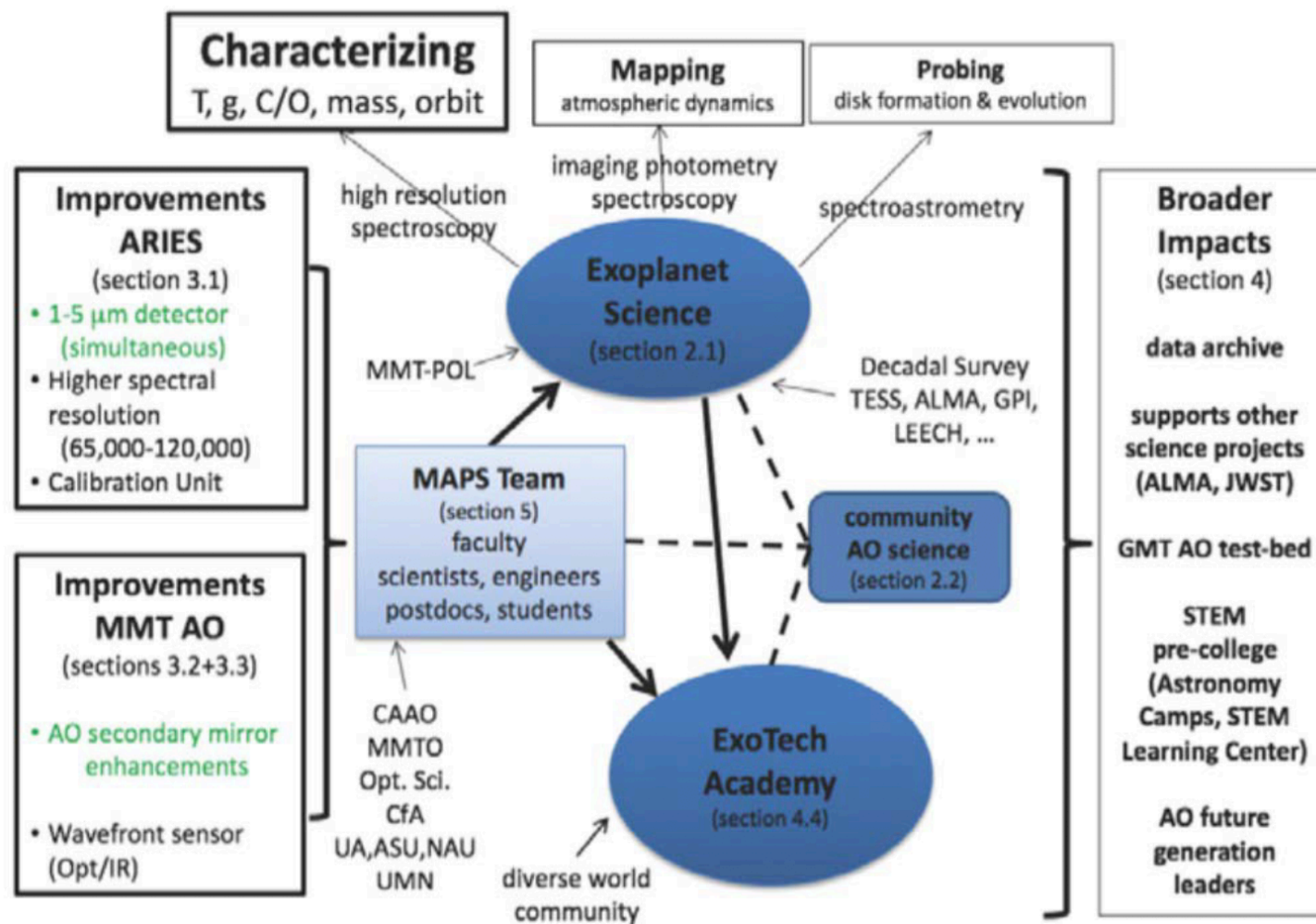
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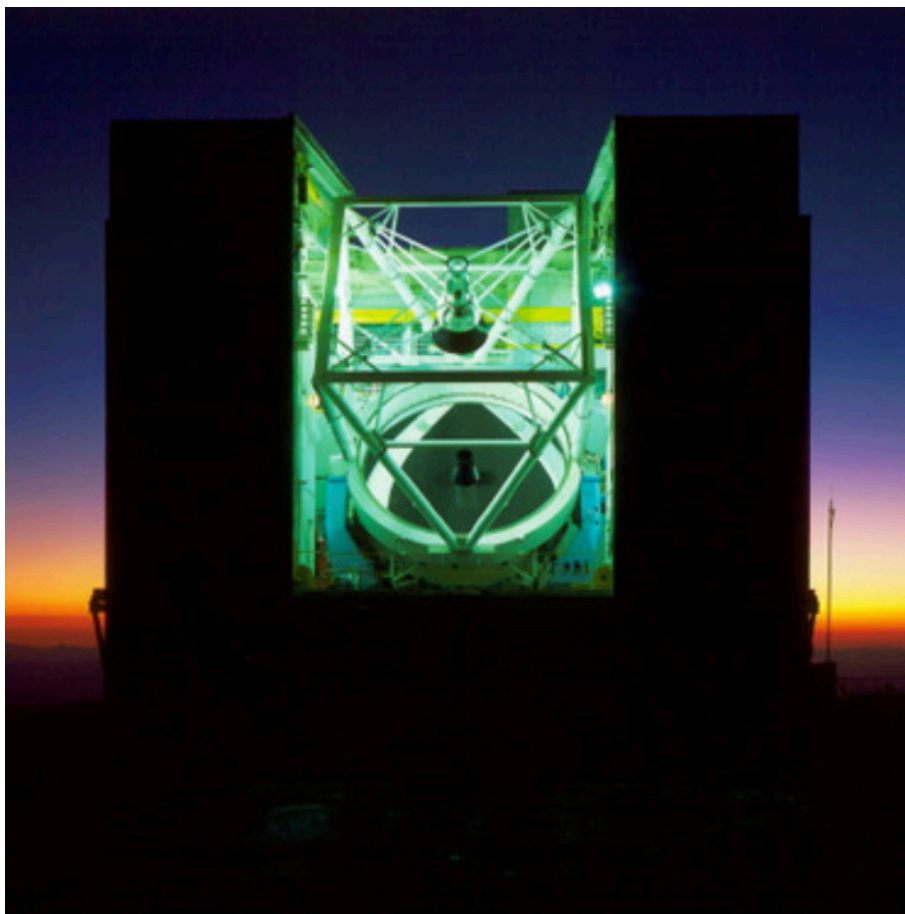
4 year NSF MSIP funded project

- upgrade of MMT - adaptive secondary mirror (ASM)
- Upgrade of ARIES (1-5 μm imager and spectrograph) for 60,000 spectral resolution
- When built is comparable to ESO/CRIRES

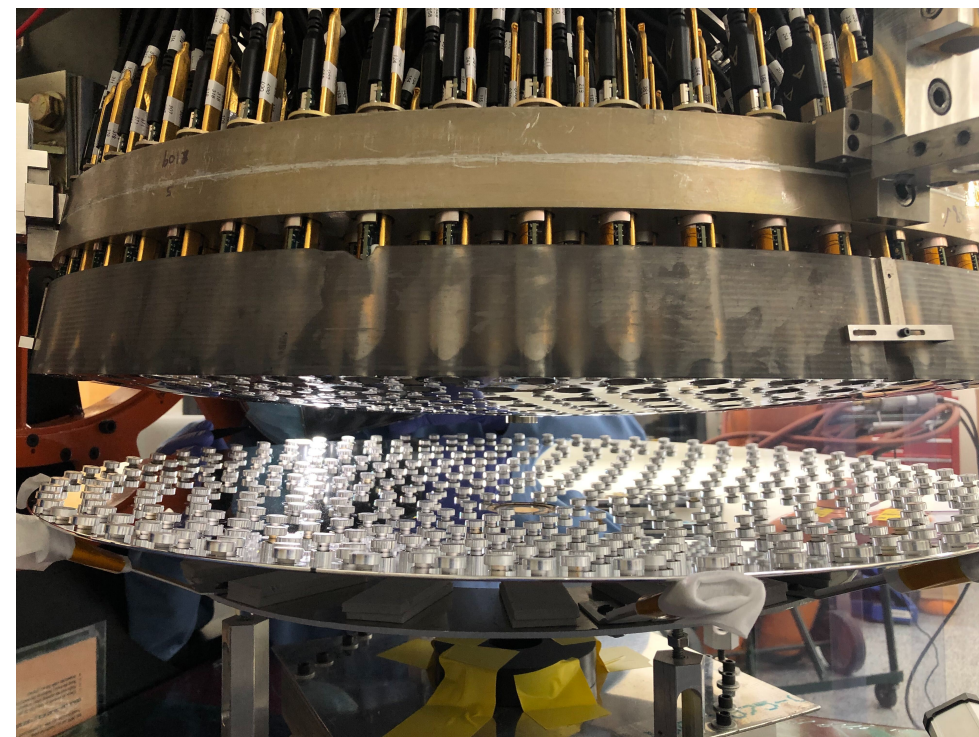
60 MMT nights committed



MMT adaptive secondary mirror



MMT 6.5 m telescope, located in Arizona, US



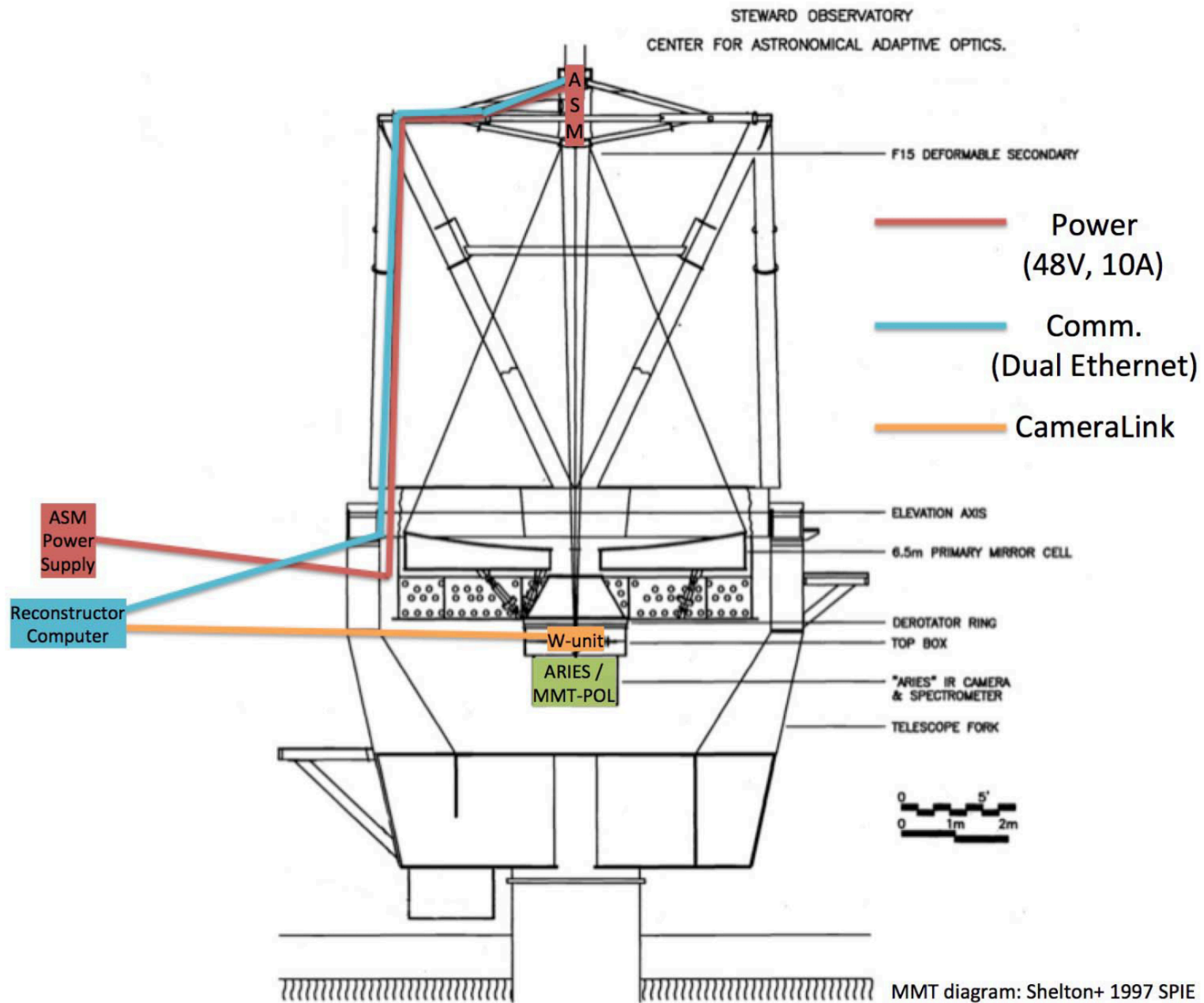
336 adaptive optics secondary mirror (ASM)

Control electronics and software developed by our University of Arizona team

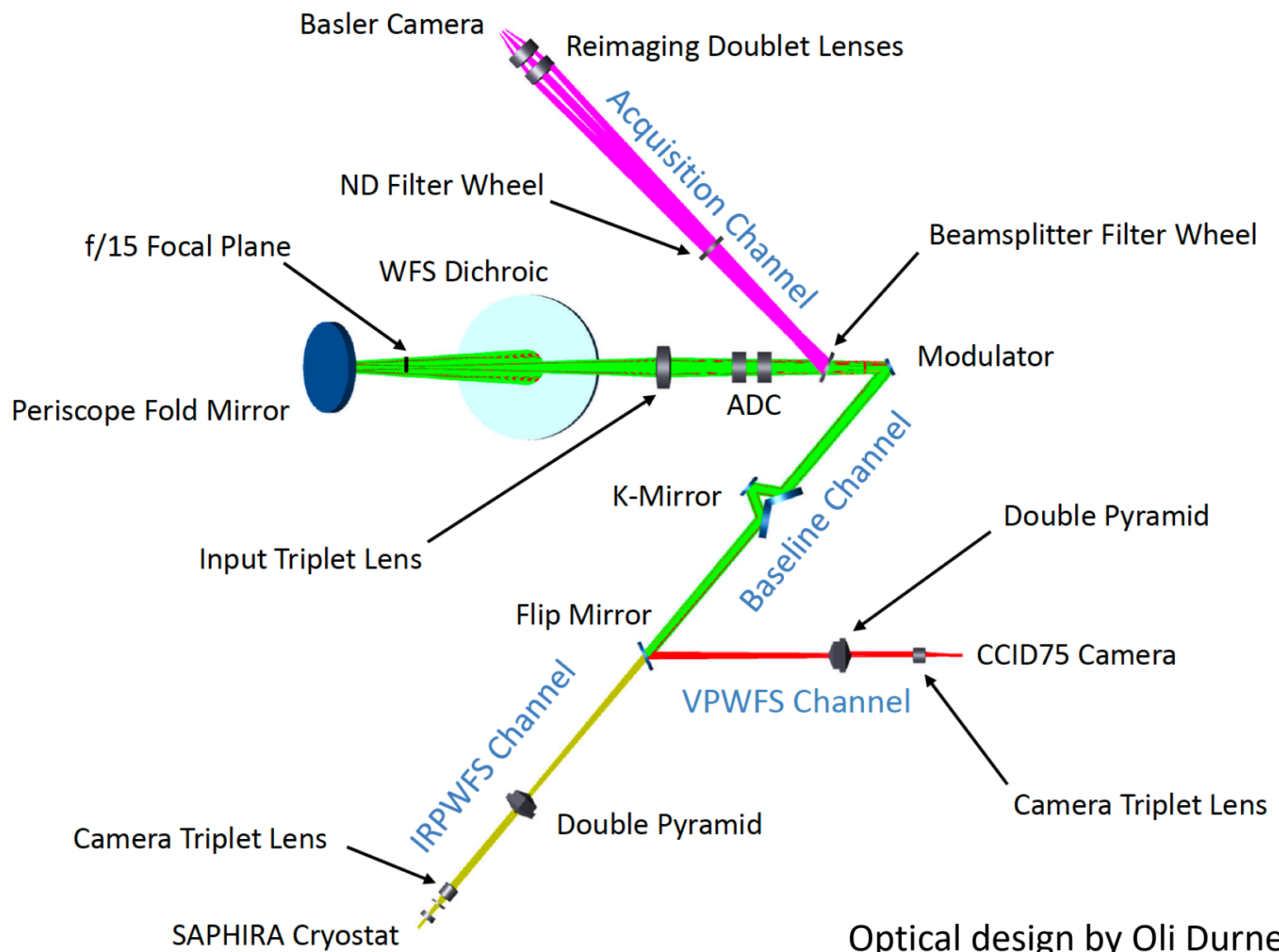
Optimized for:

- higher modes of correction
- Low power emission

MAPS overview

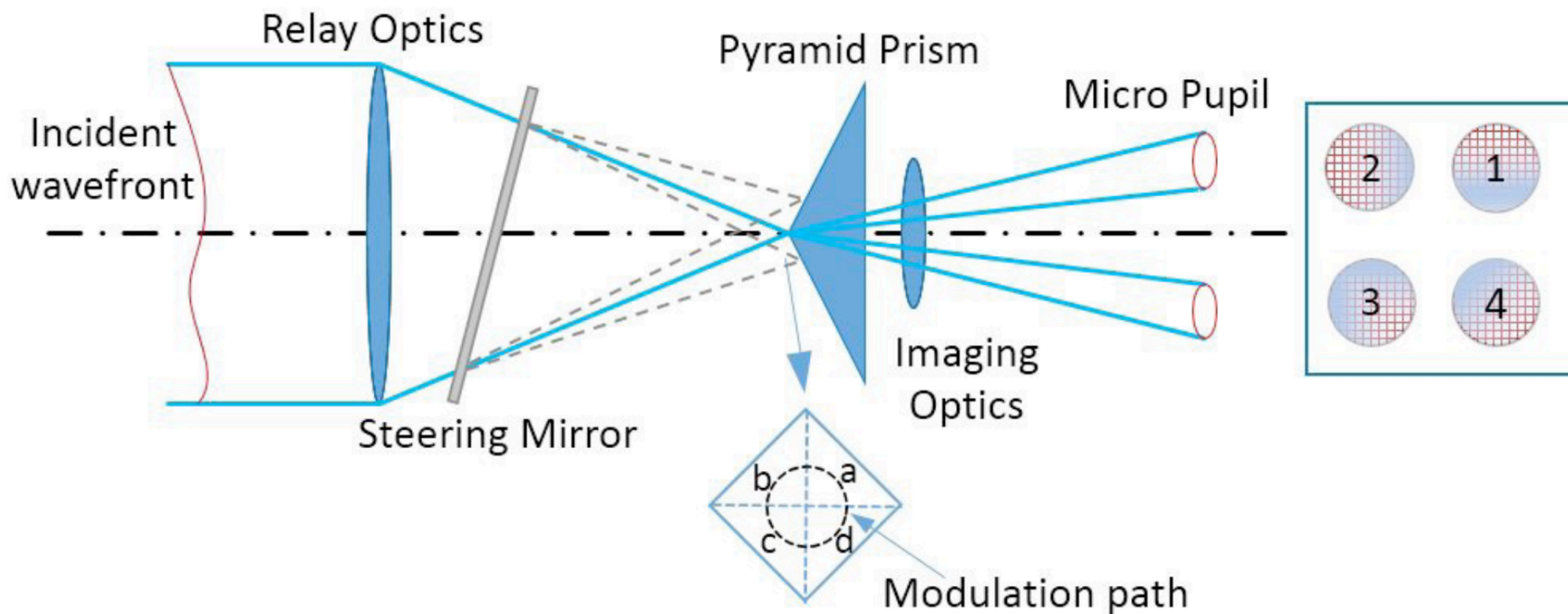


Optical design



Optical design by Oli Durney and Shaojie Chen

Pyramid wavefront sensor



$$S_x(x, y) = \frac{I_1(x, y) + I_4(x, y) - [I_2(x, y) + I_3(x, y)]}{I_1(x, y) + I_2(x, y) + I_3(x, y) + I_4(x, y)}$$

$$\frac{\partial W(x, y)}{\partial x} \approx \frac{\pi V}{2f} S_x(x, y)$$

$$S_y(x, y) = \frac{I_1(x, y) + I_2(x, y) - [I_3(x, y) + I_4(x, y)]}{I_1(x, y) + I_2(x, y) + I_3(x, y) + I_4(x, y)}$$

$$\frac{\partial W(x, y)}{\partial y} \approx \frac{\pi V}{2f} S_y(x, y)$$

Visible pyramid wavefront sensor

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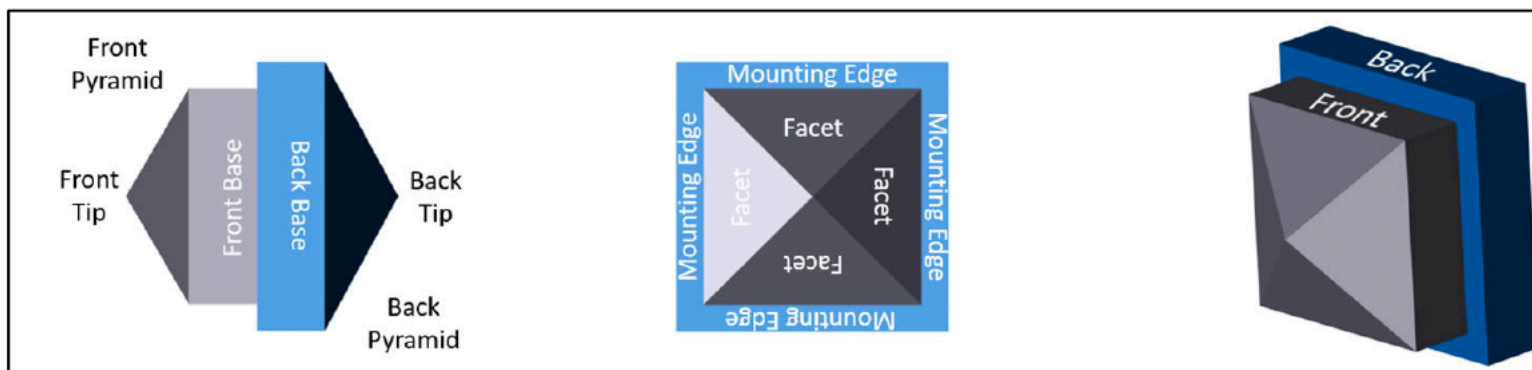
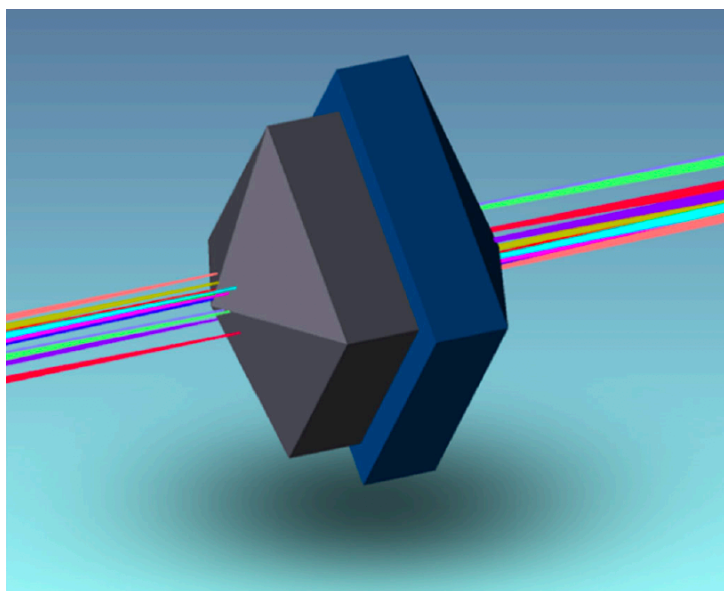
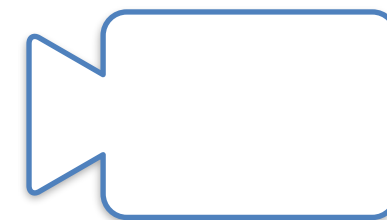


Flip mirror

Double pyramid

Camera triplet lens

CCID75



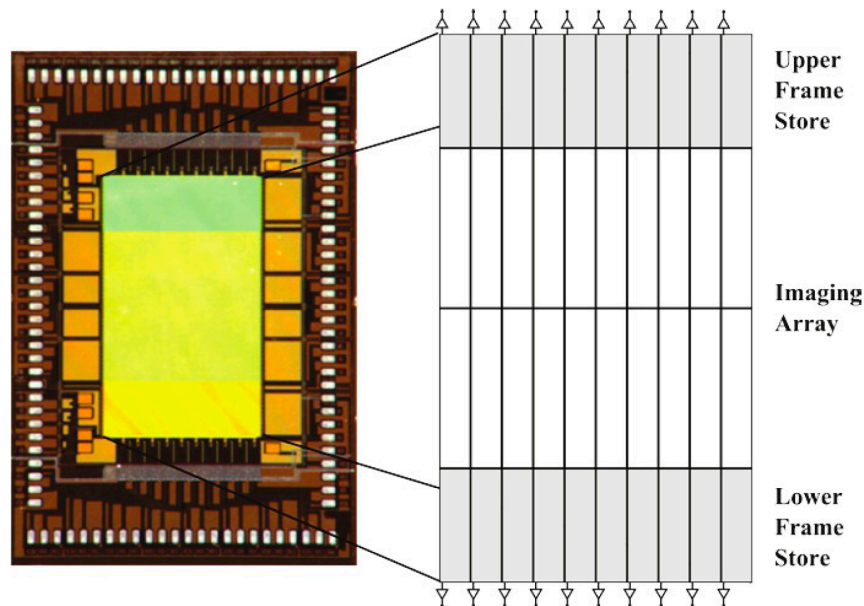
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Glass substrates: N-BAK1, N-KZFS5, and S-LAM60
 Status: in procurement from WZOPTICS

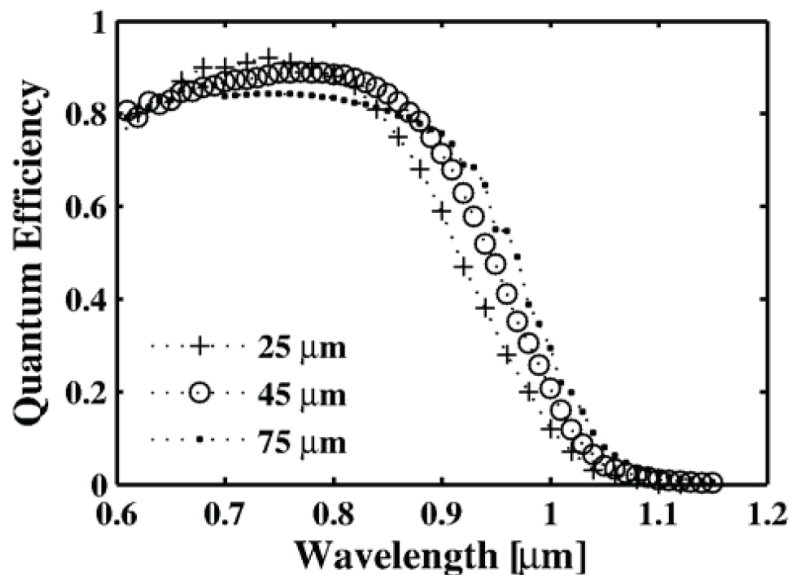
Specifications

Parameter	Requirement
Pupil Diameter [pixel]	30
Pupil Separation [pixel]	39
Waveband [μm]	0.6 – 1.0
Field of View [asec]	2.0 x 2.0
Modulation [λ/D]	≤ 10
Static Pupil Image Quality * [RMS pixel]	$< 1/10$
Dynamic Pupil Image Quality ** [RMS pixel]	$< 1/10$
Pupil Jitter [pixel]	$< 1/10$
Residual Pupil Chromatism [RMS pixel]	$< 1/10$
Pupil Distortion [RMS pixel]	$< 1/10$
Detector Size [pixel]	CCID75, 160 x 160
Region of Interest [pixel]	80 x 80
Pixel Pitch [μm]	21
Frame Rate [kHz]	1
Telescope Input f/#	f/15

Visible wavefront sensor detector: CCID75



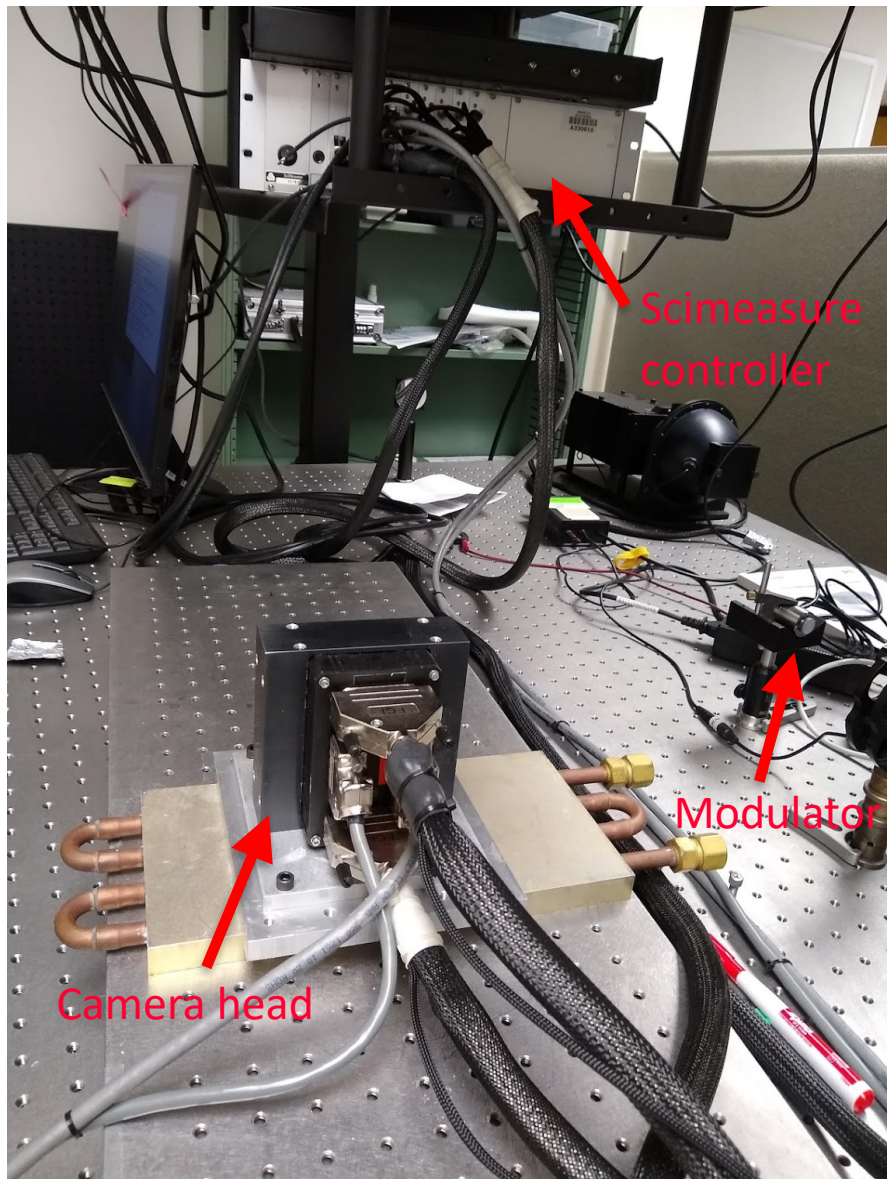
- 21 um pixel pitch
- Split frame transfer CCD
- High frame rate with 20 outputs
- Each output reads 16 x 80 pixels, i.e., 160 x 160 pixels
- Two storage areas: upper and lower
- 16-bit analog to digital conversion



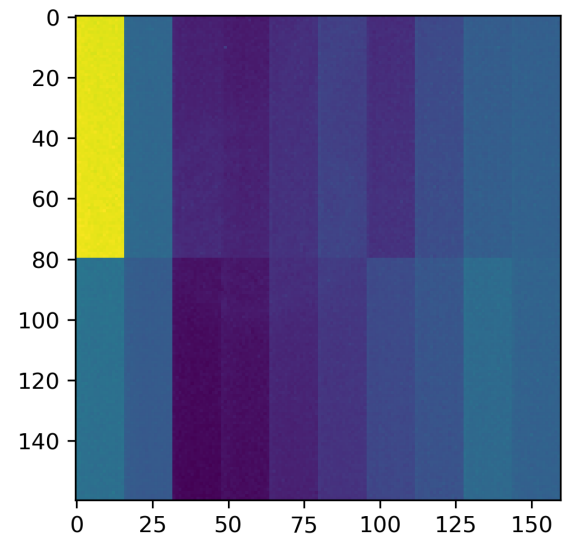
Interface: Extended CameraLink		= new columns
PED is 2.3 to 3.8um		
QE depends on CCD thickness		= significant difference from request

PROGRAM SEQUENCE 0 PWFS											
Mode	Type Array	Guard Ring	Bin	Actual Readout	Actual Readout	Pixel Rate (MHz)	Max FR (KHz)	Max FR (kHz)	% diff	RON(e ⁻)	RON(e ⁻)
0	160 x 160	0	No	160 x 160	160 x 160	4.54	2150	2151	0%	4.4e-	4.2e-
1	128 x 128	0	No	128 x 128	160 x 128	3.85	2250	2287	2%	3.9e-	3.7e-
2	160 x 160	0	No	160 x 160	160 x 160	2.78	1350	1441	7%	2.7e-	2.7e-
3	96 x 96	0	No	96 x 96	160 x 96	2.78	2150	2303	7%	2.7e-	2.7e-
4	128 x 128	0	No	128 x 128	160 x 128	1.47	1025	1014	-1%	2.1e-	2.1e-
5	96 x 96	0	No	96 x 96	160 x 96	1.47	1204	1332	11%	2.1e-	2.1e-
6	96 x 96	0	No	96 x 96	160 x 96	1.01	850	931	10%	<2.0e-	2.0e-
7	128 x 128	0	No	128 x 128	160 x 128	5.56	3150	3083	-2%	7e-	5.9e-

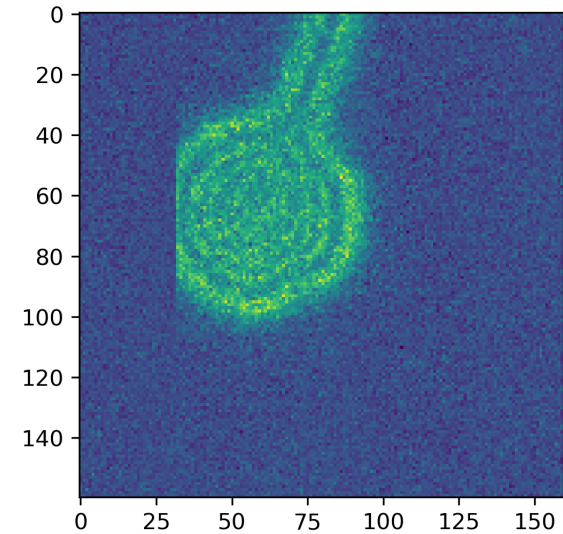
CCID75 lab installation and testing



- Installed in Nov 2019
- SciMeasure's Little Joe controller
- EDT frame grabber
- Camera link cables are extended with VisionLink fiber extender
- 30 x 30 sub-aperture wavefront sensing
- Read: 96 x 96 pixels ROI (4 quadrants + separation)

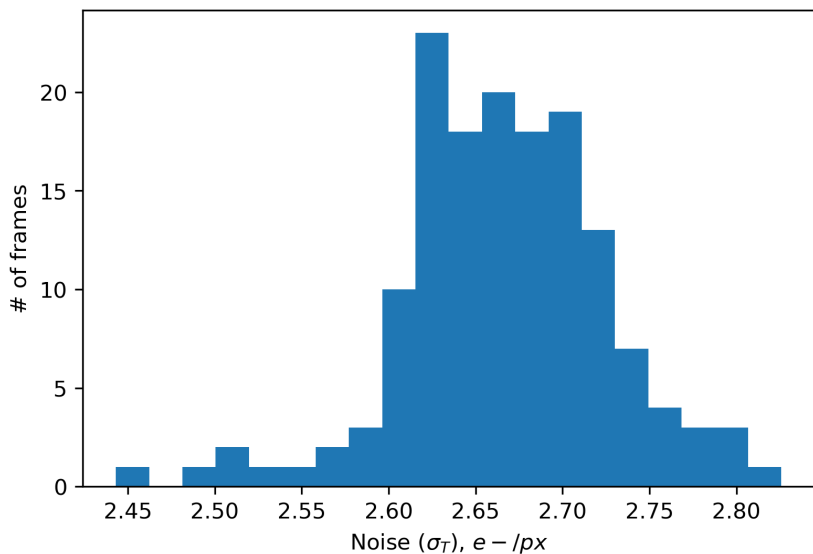
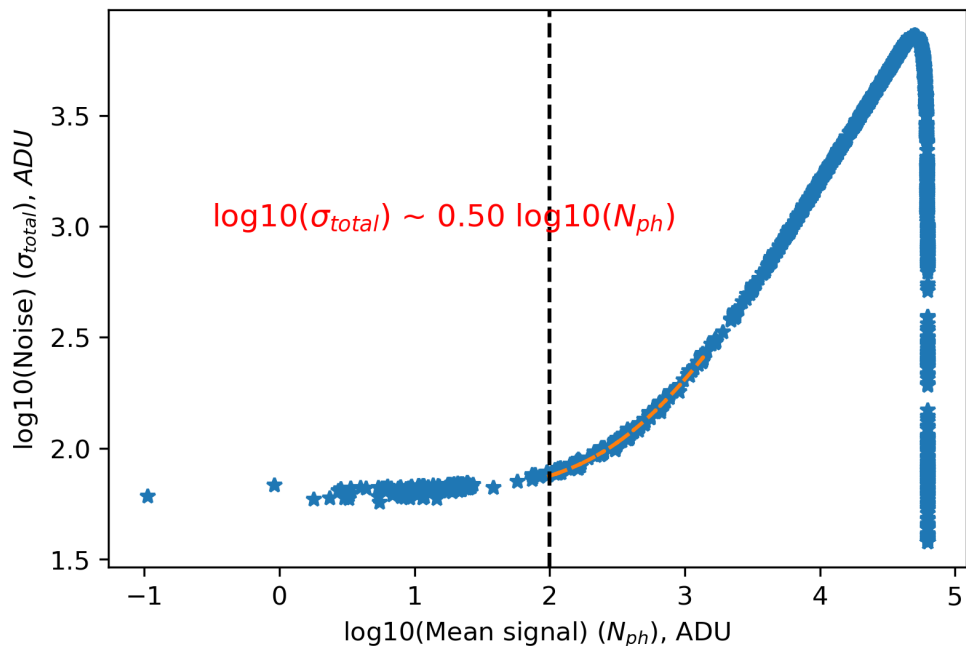


Bias image

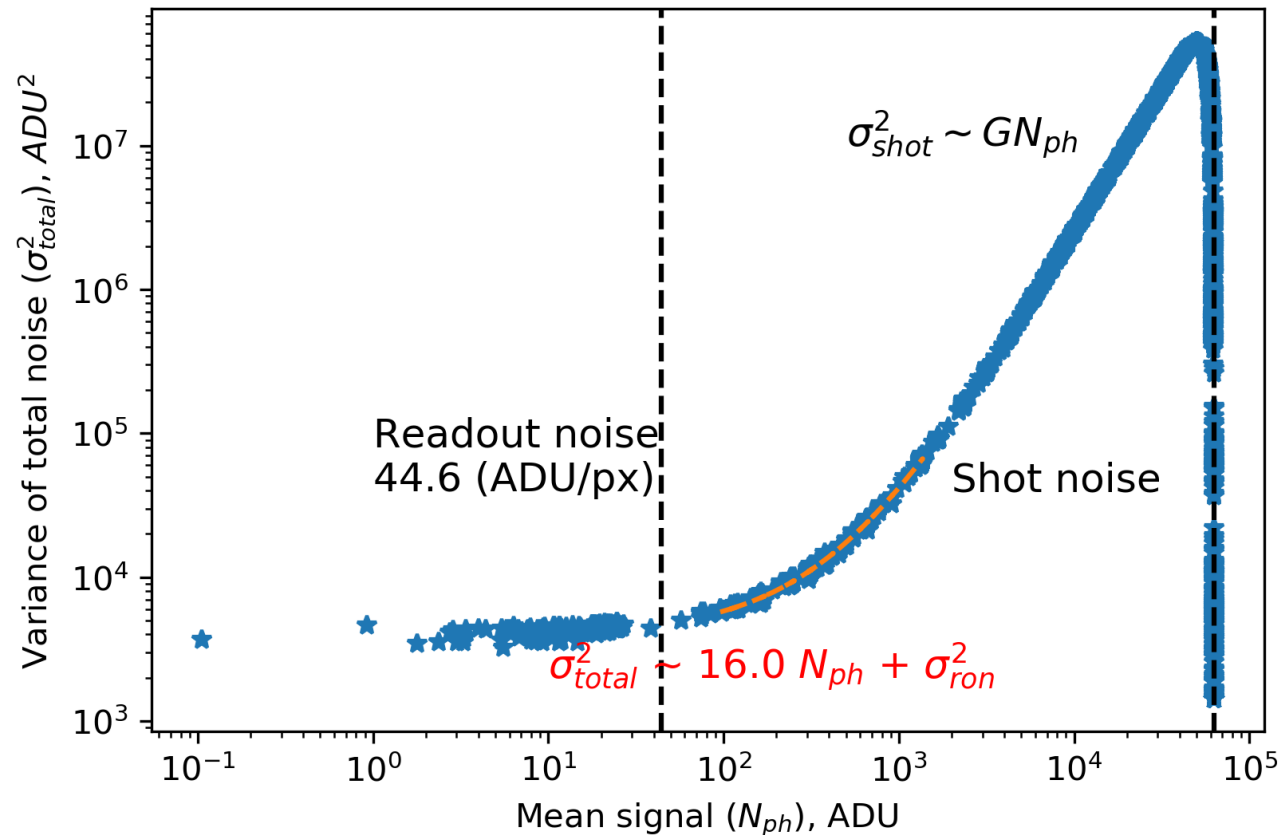


Scene image

CCID75 photon transfer curve



Photon Transfer Curve:
gain (G) = 16.0 ADU/e⁻, σ_{ron} = 2.78 e⁻/px



CCID75 readout noises for different readout modes

Readout mode	RON [e-/px] (measured)	RON [e-/px] (expected)	Total gain (ADU/e-)	Frame rate (KHz)	Clock speed (MHz)
RCL0 (G=0)	3.62	4.2	13.8	2.149	4.55
RCL2 (G=0)	2.77	2.7	15.8	1.44	2.78
RCL8 (G=1)	4.59	4.2	8.23	2.149	4.55
RCL16 (G=2)	8.0	4.2	0.94	2.149	4.55
RCL24 (G=3)	9.33	4.2	0.73	2.149	4.55

1. There are total 32 readout program modes
2. We yet to find out how to read binning modes on the chip

Tip-tilt modulator to increase dynamic range of WFS

E-727.3SDAP:

Three-Channel digital Piezo Controller,
with Strain Gauges with increased output
power

S-331.2SH:

High-Dynamics, High-Stiffness Piezo Tip/
Tilt Platform

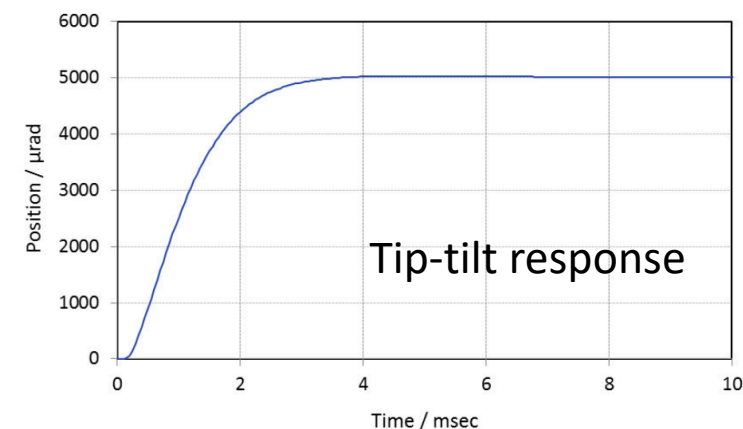
Edmund Optics:

#34-388, $\lambda/20$ quality 15 mm
mirror onto the S-331.2SH, epoxied.

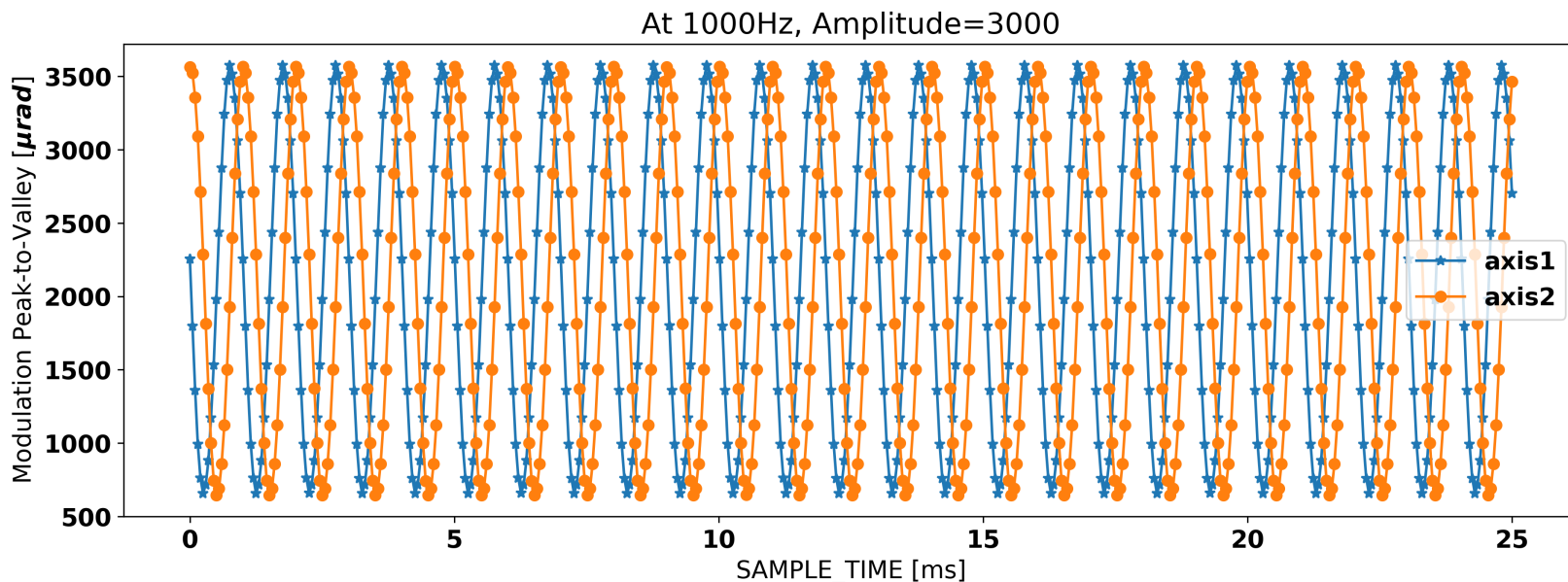
Software: C/C++

Ethernet and TCP/IP protocol
communication

WFS synchronization trigger output

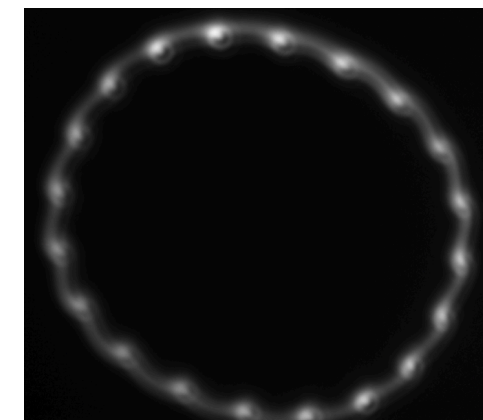
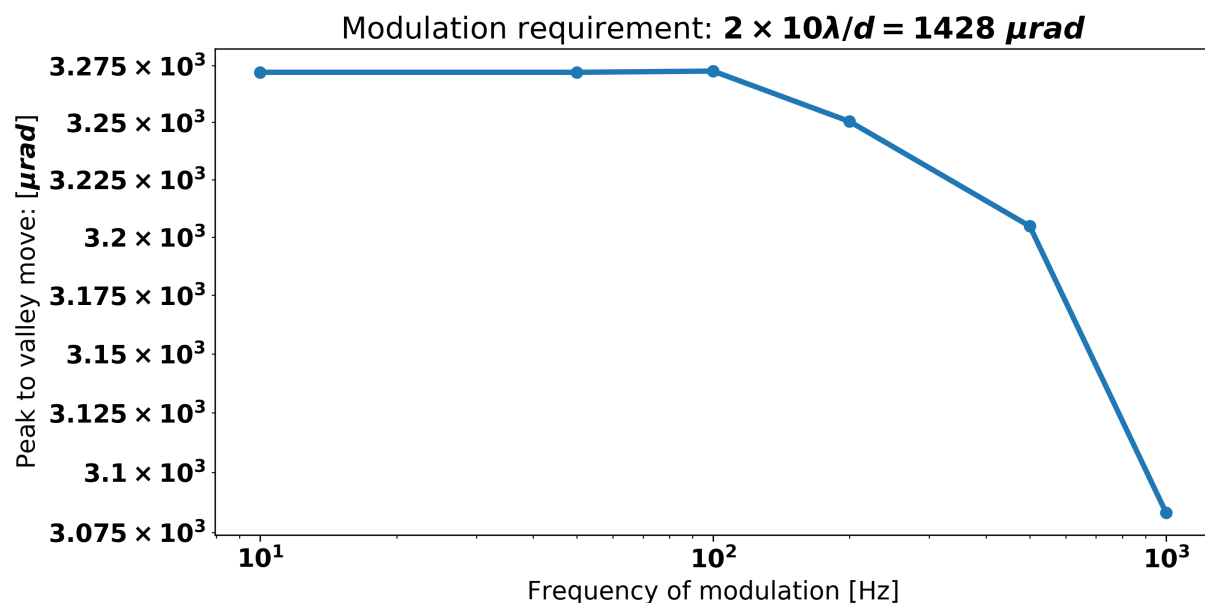


Tip-tilt modulator characterization



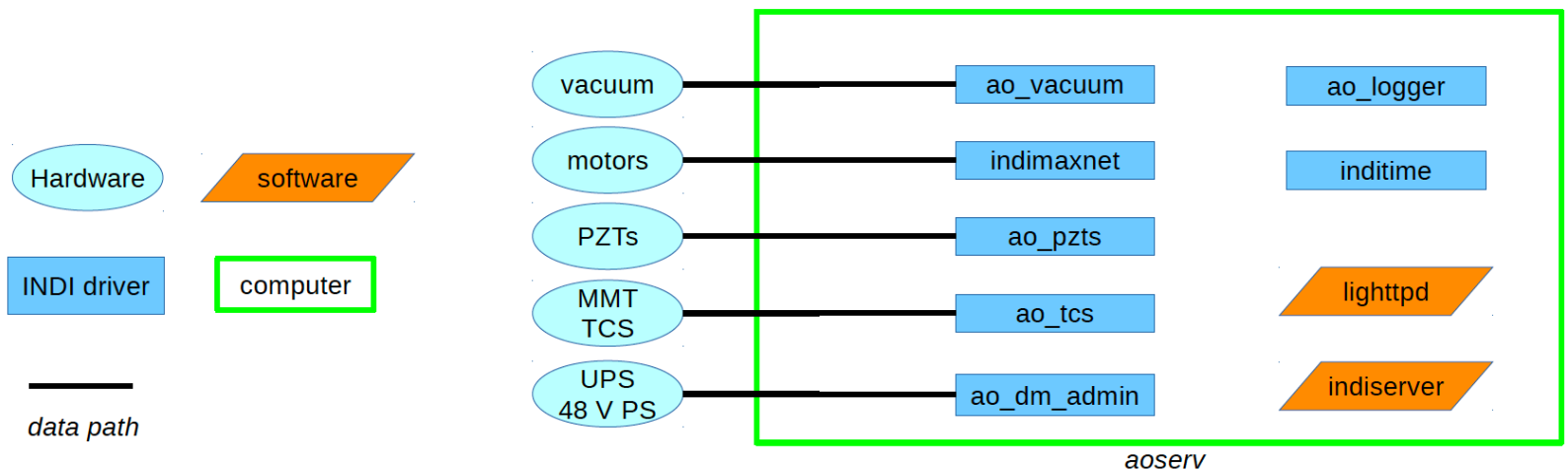
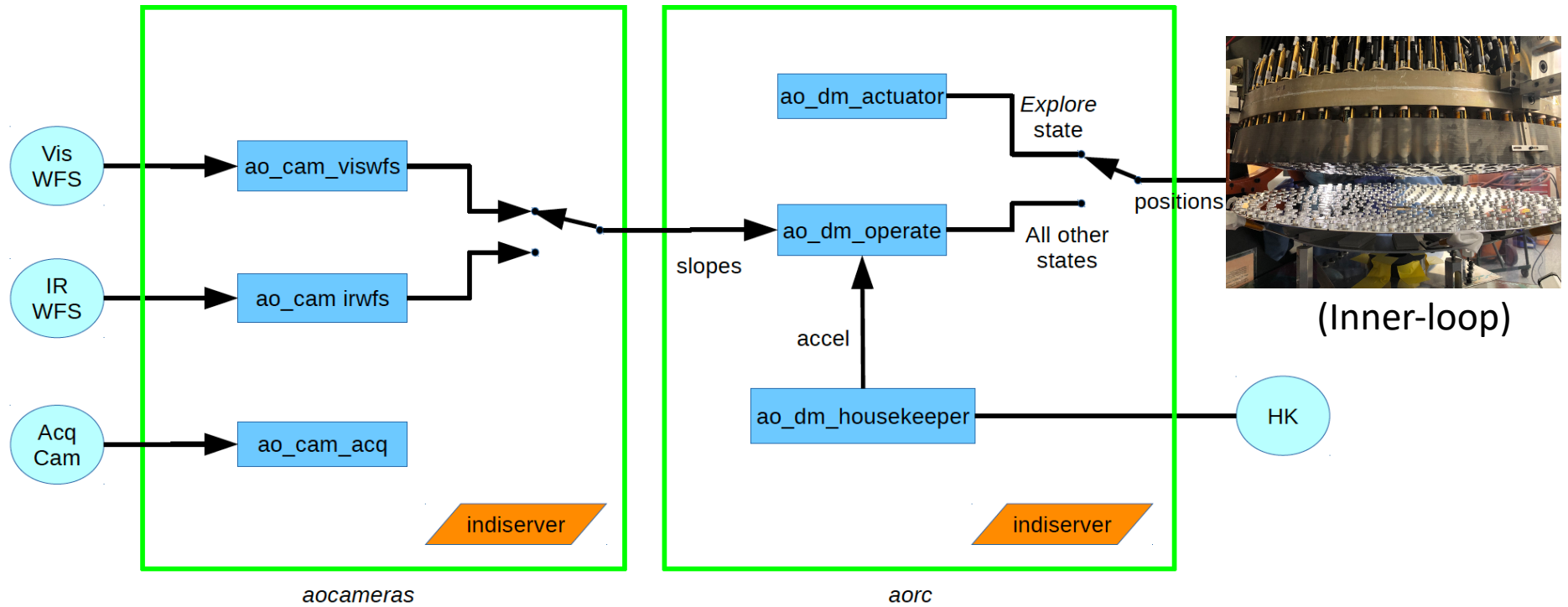
Lookup table prepared for various:

- frequency (with magnitude)
- amplitudes (with seeing)



1. Modulation at 3000 urad at 1k Hz
2. Recording of modulation was done at 15 Hz
3. This image is old, now wiggles are corrected. 14

Computers and software modules



Current status and future tests

Current status:

- We have working CCID75, tip-tilt modulator and acquisition camera in the lab
- We measured quantum efficiency of CCID75 with a black body source (~70%)
- We have implemented software drivers for CCID75, tip-tilt modulator and acquisition camera.

Future:

- WFS frame synchronization between the modulator and WFS is not yet done.
- We will use PZT camera lens XY positional controller (1/10 px ; E-727.3CD For XY)
but that is under procurement

Summary

- Deformable mirror
 - 336-actuator adaptive secondary mirror (ASM)
- Wavefront sensors: 2 pyramids
 - 1 visible PyWFS – CCID-75 detector
 - 1 IR PyWFS – SAPHIRA detector
 - Tip/tilt modulator for PyWFS
 - Visible-light acquisition camera
- Control and sampling
 - Closed loop: up to 1000 Hz, with 100 μ s ASM comm. lag
- Science cameras
 - ARIES 1-5 μ m high-res spectrograph
 - MMT-POL 1-5 μ m imaging polarimeter

I-band Strehl vs. guidestar mag.

