



Changes in effective points of reflection in the ALPS II regeneration cavity

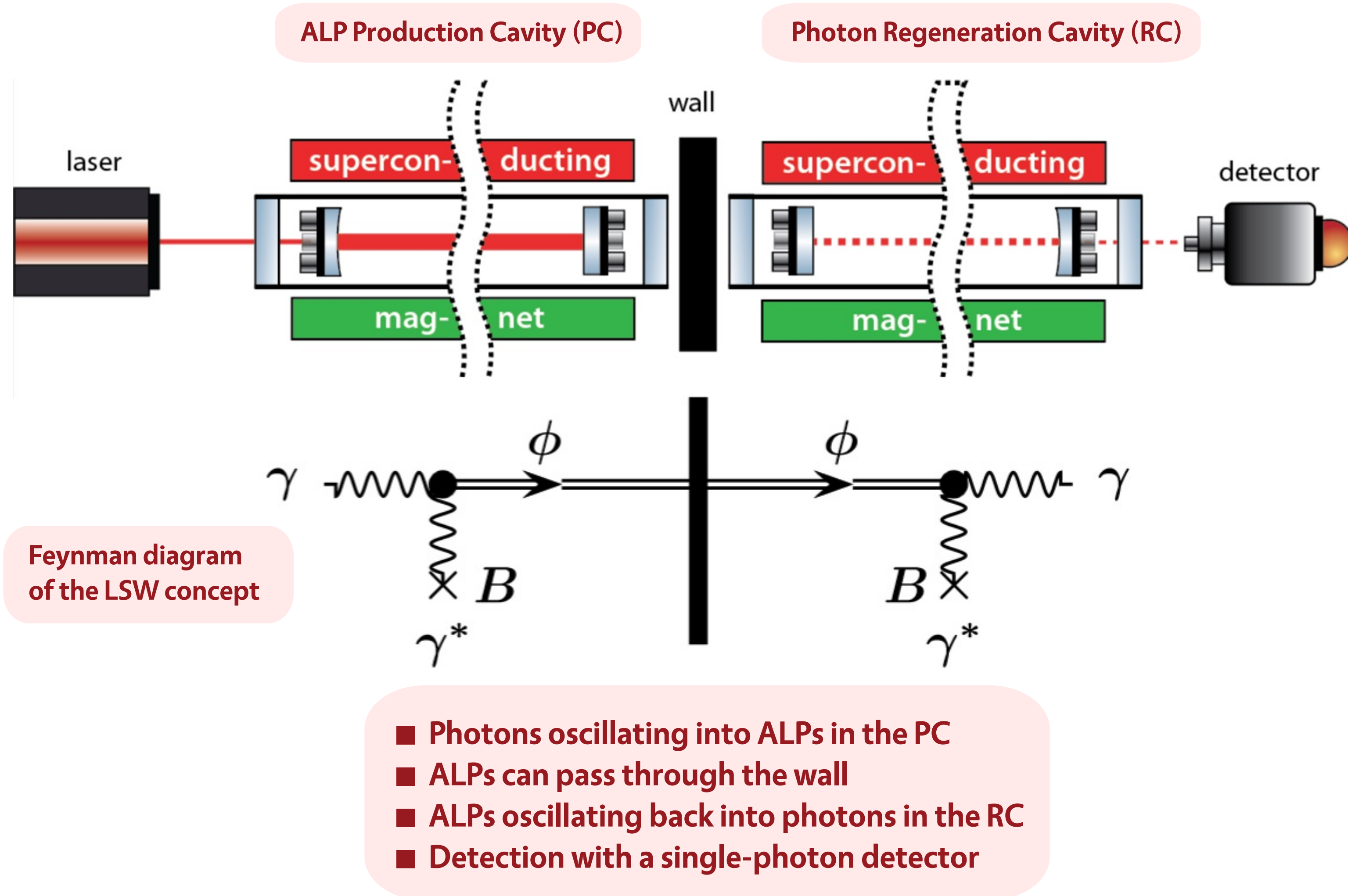
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Light-Shining-Through-a-Wall (LSW)

Any Light Particle Search (ALPS II)



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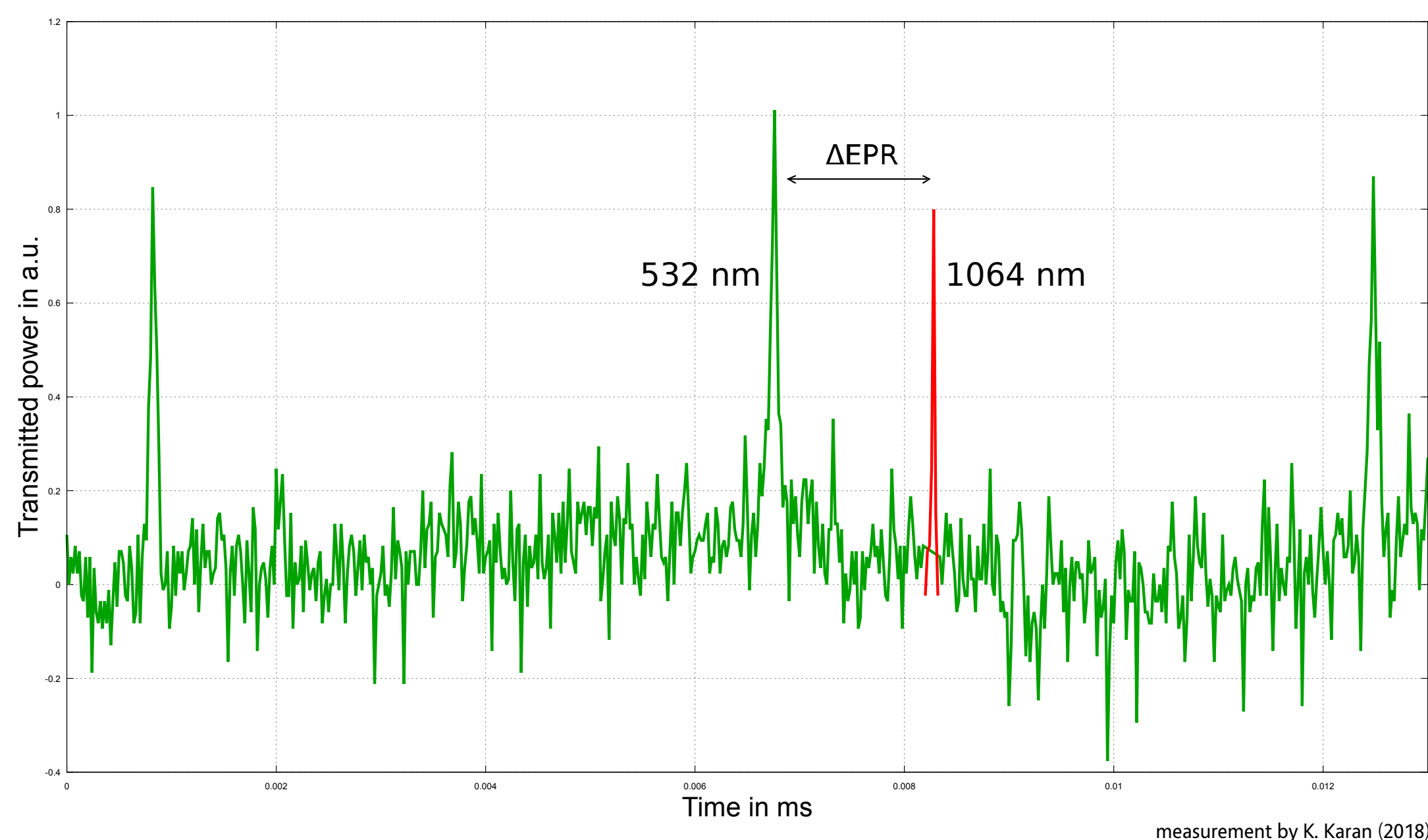
- Placed in the HERA North tunnel at DESY
- Two 100 meter long cavities
- Both cavities resonate with identical modes
- 30 W laser input power @ 1064 nm
- Power buildup: 5,000 in PC
40,000 in RC
- 10 HERA dipole magnets per cavity: 468 Tm

Parameter	Scaling	ALPS I	ALPS IIc	Sens. gain
Effective laser power P_{laser}	$g_{a\gamma} \propto P_{\text{laser}}^{-1/4}$	1 kW	150 kW	3.5
Rel. photon number flux n_γ	$g_{a\gamma} \propto n_\gamma^{-1/4}$	1 (532 nm)	2 (1064 nm)	1.2
Power built up in RC P_{RC}	$g_{a\gamma} \propto P_{\text{RC}}^{-1/4}$	1	40,000	14
BL (before & after the wall)	$g_{a\gamma} \propto (BL)^{-1}$	22 Tm	468 Tm	21
Detector efficiency QE	$g_{a\gamma} \propto QE^{-1/4}$	0.9	0.75	0.96
Detector noise DC	$g_{a\gamma} \propto DC^{1/8}$	0.0018 s ⁻¹	0.000001 s ⁻¹	2.6
Combined improvements				3082

adapted from Any light particle search II - Technical Design Report (2013)

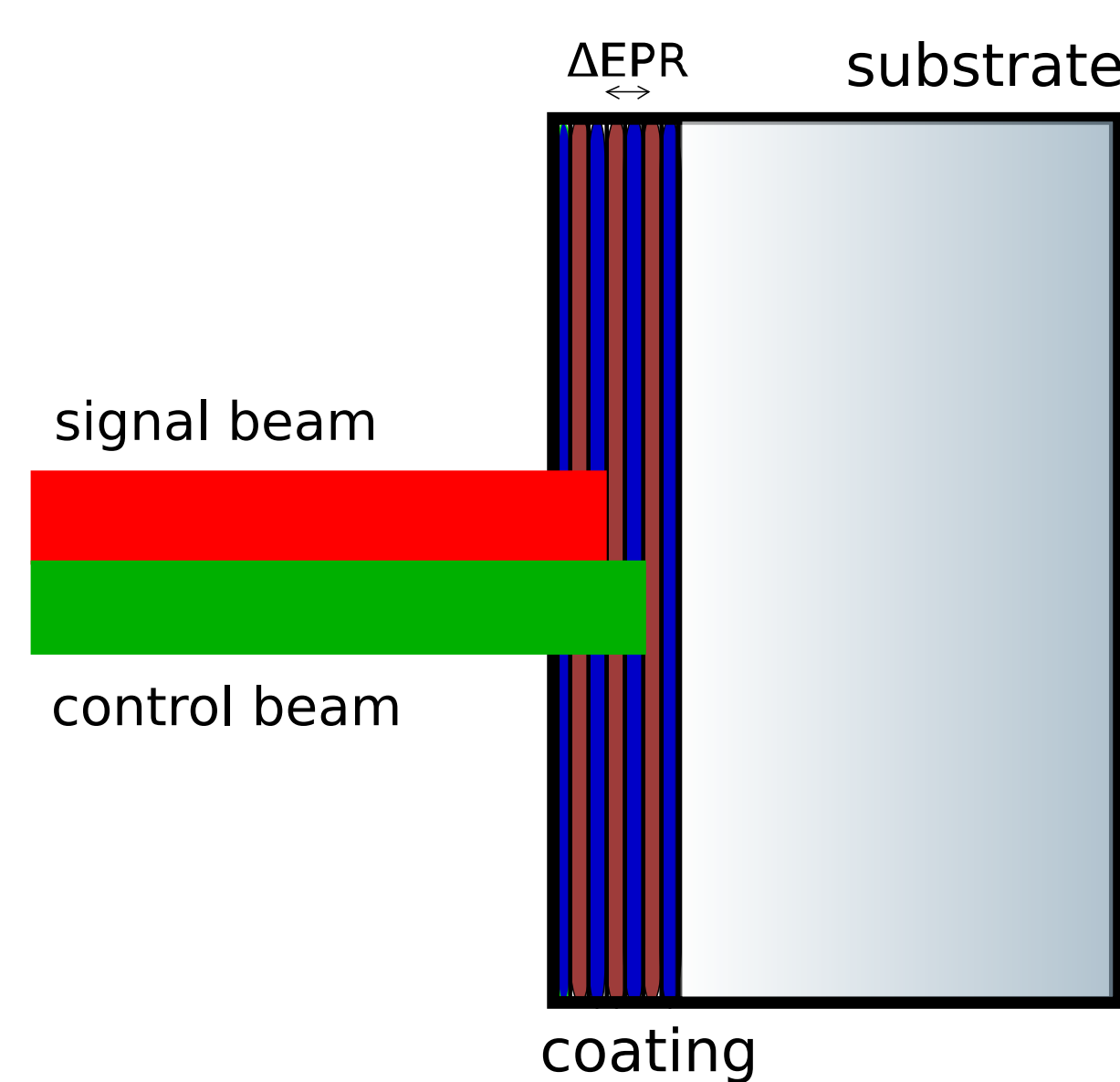
Effective point of reflection (EPR)

- LSW experiment with infrared light (1064 nm)
- RC is length controlled with a 532 nm beam
- Mirrors of RC are specified for IR and green
- EPR depends on wavelength
- Control beam probes a different cavity length than the regenerated ALP signal beam
- ΔEPR is compensated with an offset in the control loop



RC scan of 1 m prototype at AEI ($\Delta\text{EPR} = 170$ nm)

Temperature induced changes in EPR



- ΔEPR depends on temperature
- Requirement for ALPS IIc: Change of $\Delta\text{EPR} < 1$ pm over days for 0.2 K temperature stability

Phase stability per mirror:

$$\frac{d\Delta\Phi}{dT} \cdot \Delta T_{\text{max}} = \left| \frac{d\Phi_{532}}{dT} - 2 \cdot \frac{d\Phi_{1064}}{dT} \right| \cdot \Delta T_{\text{max}} < 2.88 \mu\text{rad} \text{ (0.5 pm)}$$

coating design

environment control

Experimental setup to probe EPR changes for designed coatings

Measurement scheme:

- Laser 1 is frequency locked to the EPR test cavity
- The second harmonic of laser 2 is frequency locked to the EPR test cavity
- Laser 1 and laser 2 interfere and the beat is sensed by photo diode PD - EPR
- The beat signal on PD - EPR is proportional to ΔEPR

Coatings:

- Coating design by the University of Florida, USA: Simulated $\Delta\Phi$ with 0.2 K temperature stability $2.4 \mu\text{rad} < 2.88 \mu\text{rad}$

Fabry-Pérot cavity:

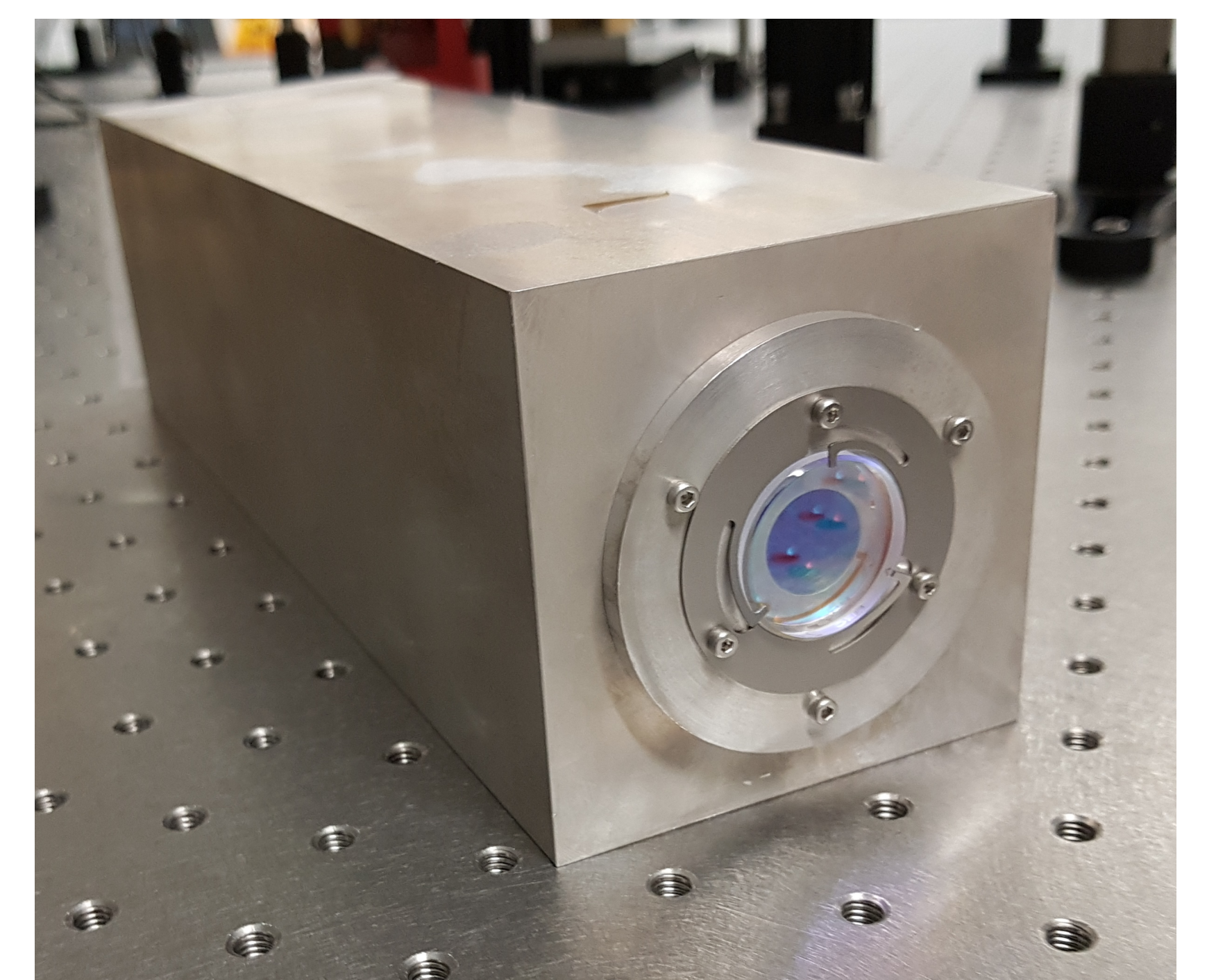
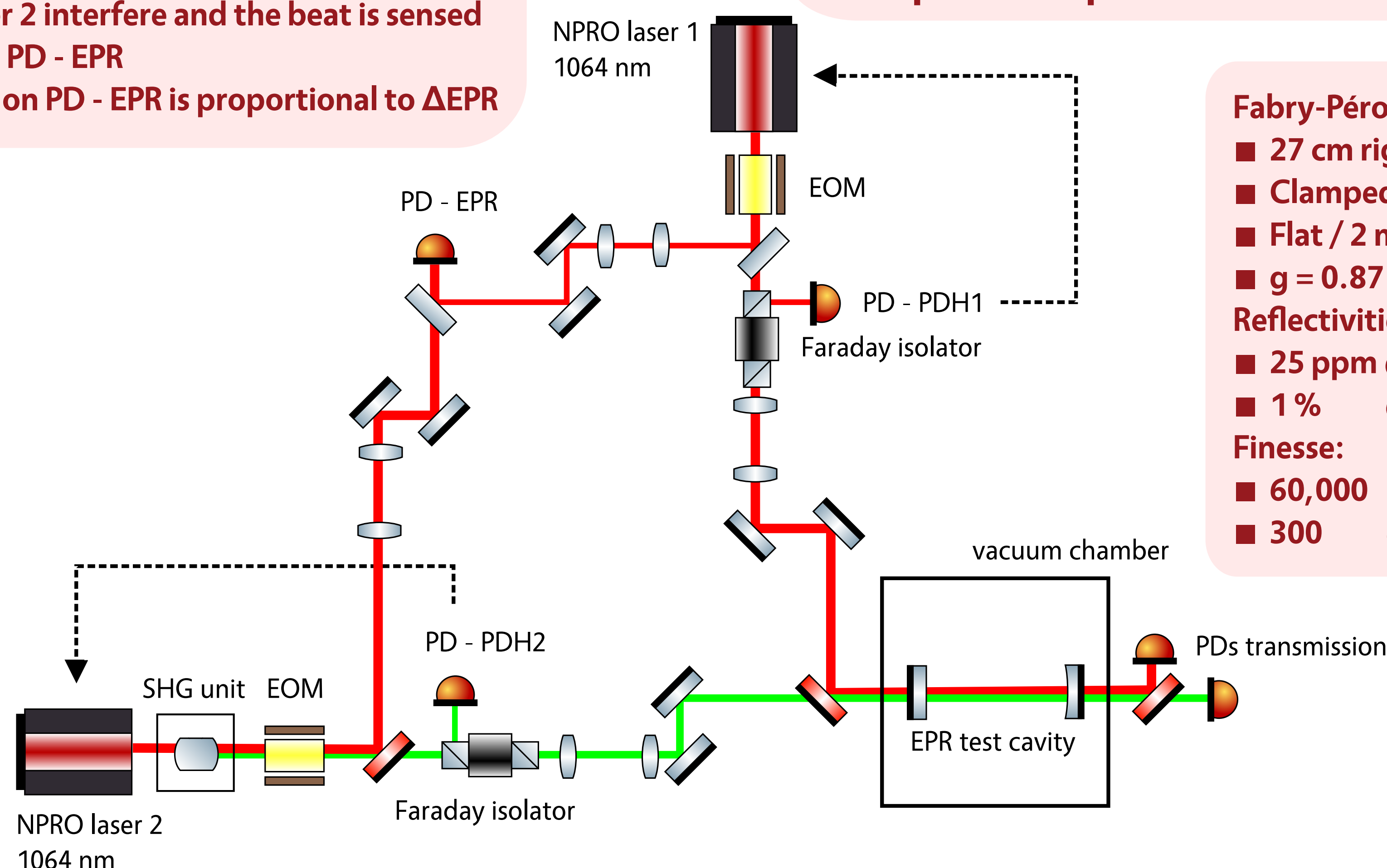
- 27 cm rigid spacer
- Clamped mirrors
- Flat / 2 m RoC
- $g = 0.87$

Reflectivities:

- 25 ppm @ 1064 nm
- 1% @ 532 nm

Finesse:

- 60,000 @ 1064 nm
- 300 @ 532 nm



Goal:

- Find mirror coatings with small enough temperature dependence of the EPR not to limit the ALPS IIc sensitivity



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