

PBC technology WG

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PHYSICS :-)

- New particles (Dark Matter etc)
- Low-energy fundamental physics (vacuum magnetic birefringence)

From past WG

report (2018:

<https://cds.cern.ch/record/2652165>)

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| Vacuum, concretely: large-scale leak testing | experience & availability | participate in research beyond collider | mandate through TE-VSC | DarkSide, JURA, aKWISP, CNT |

From past WG report:

Two highlights of the past mandate:

- **VMB@CERN** proposed and presented to SPSC
- **babyIAXO** magnet design finalized



Described in dedicated talks!
-> will flash through news of all initiatives now

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DarkSide (input from Livio Mapelli)

- > purify UAr from Ar39, leaving only Ar40 by exploiting slightly different volatility
- > 350m Aria high column
- > excellent results on prototype column (26m)
- > first Aria paper. Leak checks carried out at CERN

Acknowledgements

arXiv.org > physics > arXiv:2101.08686

Physics > Instrumentation and Detectors

[Submitted on 21 Jan 2021 (v1), last revised 23 Jan 2021 (this version, v2)]

Separating ^{39}Ar from ^{40}Ar by cryogenic distillation with Aria for dark matter searches

The second phase of the leak checks, carried out at CERN, was performed under service agreement KN3155/TE. We

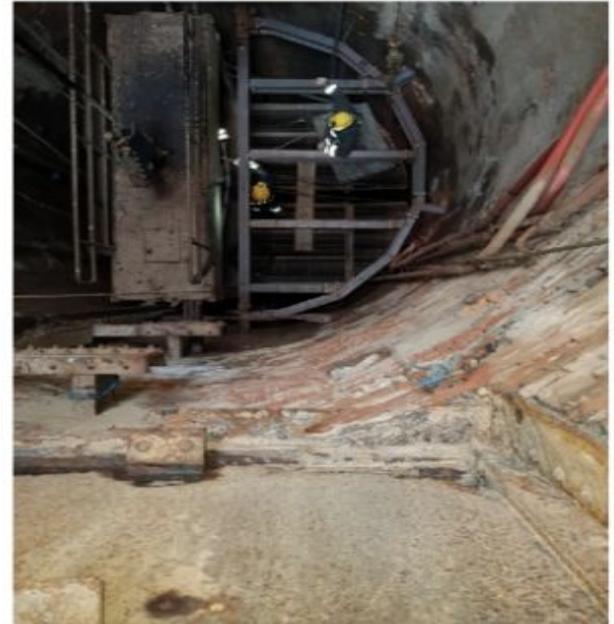
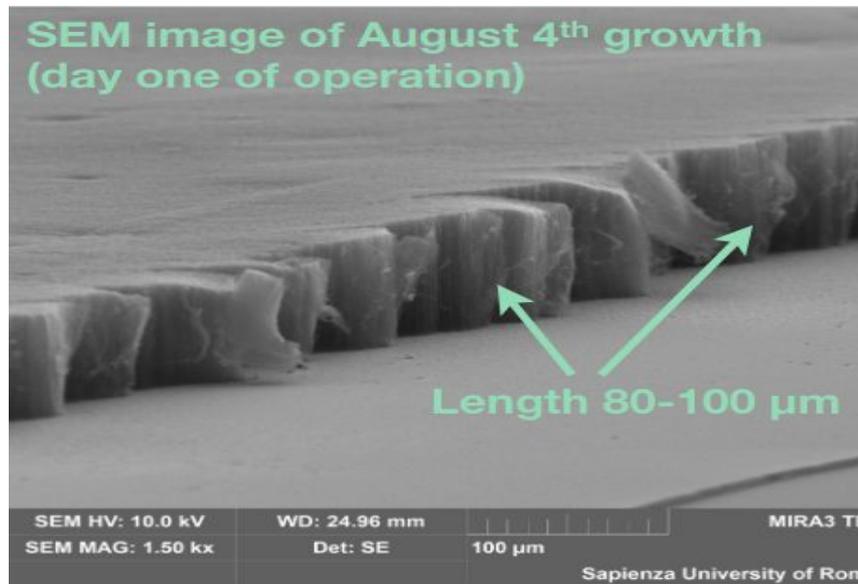
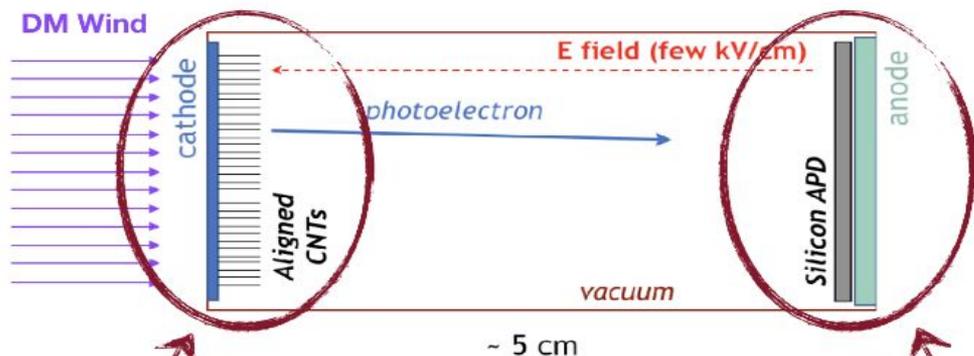


Fig. 7 Installation of the first support structure in the shaft of the Carbosulcis mine, Seruci site.

CNTs for DarkPMTs (input by G. Cavoto)

Relevant techno: (hv in **vacuum**, secondary e⁻-emission in **vacuum**)

Prototype INFN Roma, coupled to UV source



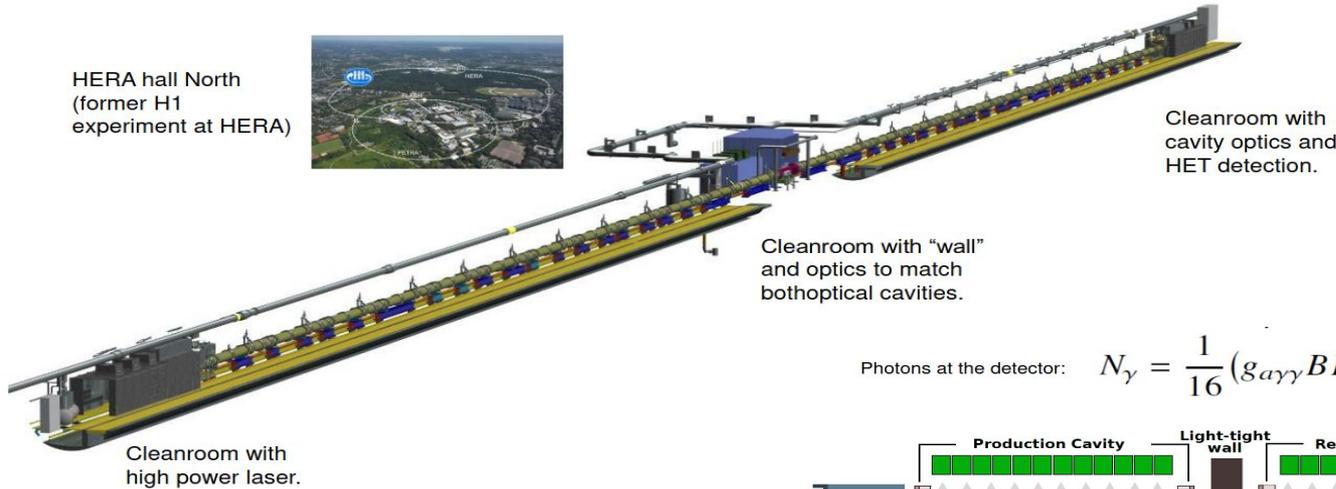
NanoUV, P.I.: Francesco Pandolf

Relevant techno:
MAGNET/optics

JURA (input by Jörn Schaffran)

- JURA could be the "ultimate" optical LSW experiment on a long time-scale, combining forces of ALPS-II and OSQAR using current/future accelerator magnets

HERA hall North
(former H1
experiment at HERA)

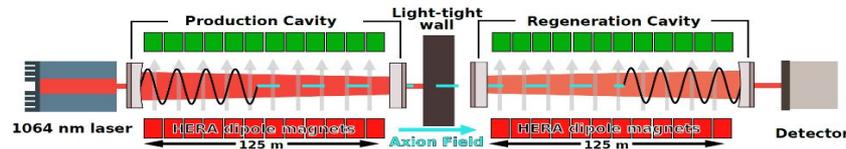


Cleanroom with
high power laser.

Cleanroom with "wall"
and optics to match
both optical cavities.

Cleanroom with
cavity optics and
HET detection.

Photons at the detector:
$$N_\gamma = \frac{1}{16} (g_{a\gamma\gamma} B L)^4 \eta \beta_R P_c \tau, \quad (m^2 \ll 2\omega/L)$$

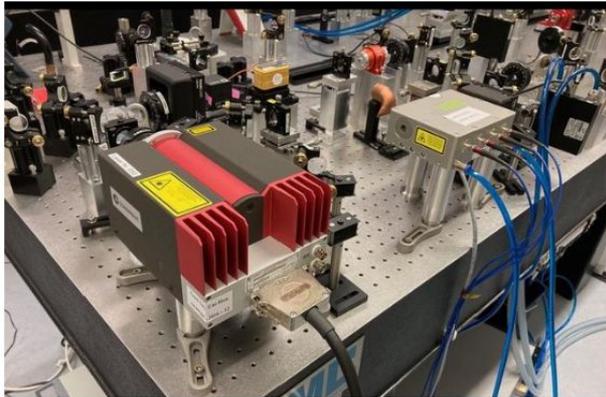


$g = 2.0 \times 10^{-11} \text{ GeV}^{-1}$
 $B = 5.3 \text{ T}$
 $L = 106 \text{ m}$
 $P_c = 150 \text{ kW}$
 $\beta = 16,000$
 $N_\gamma = 1 \text{ photon per day!}$

Relevant techno:
MAGNET/optics

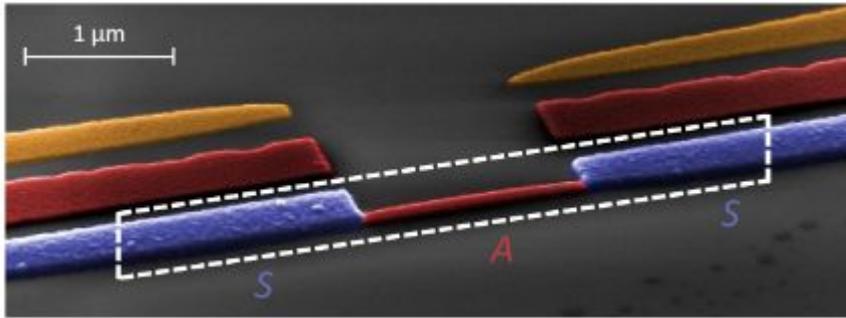
JURA (input by Jörn Schaffran)

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- ALPS-II: first light expected in 2021, cryogenic magnet operation planned for fall 2021



STAX (input by P. Spagnolo)

-> idea to exploit higher photon flux from Gyrotrons (10s of GHz). To detect:



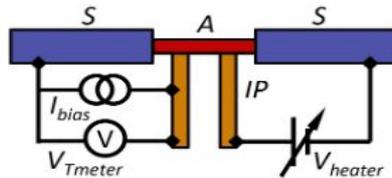
TES Nanowire

F. Paolucci et al arXiv:2007.08320

A (Red) TiAu

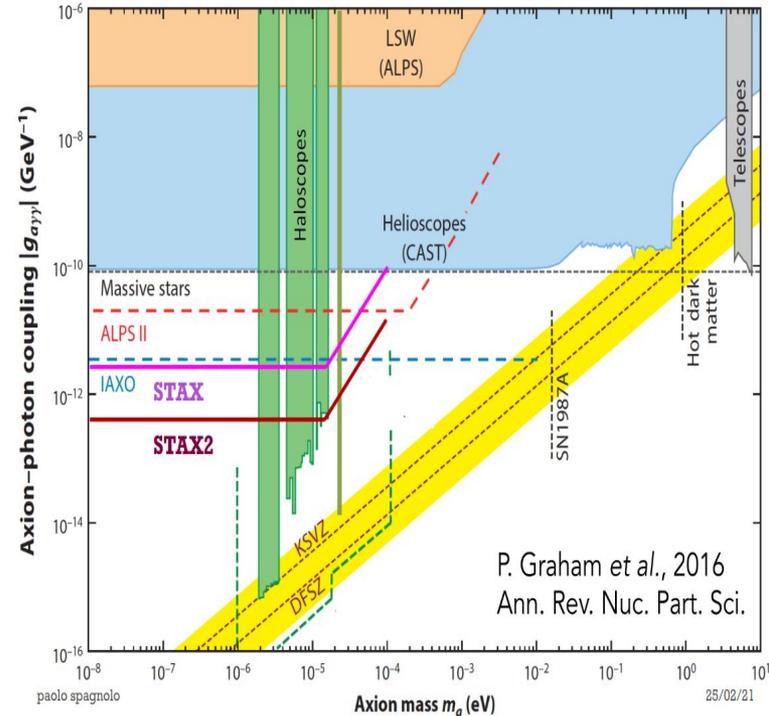
B (Blue) Al electrode

IP (Yellow) Al-O tunnel probe



T_c suppression by vertical inverse proximity effect
Superconductivity Of Metals And Alloys, Advanced Books Classics (Westview Press, 1999)

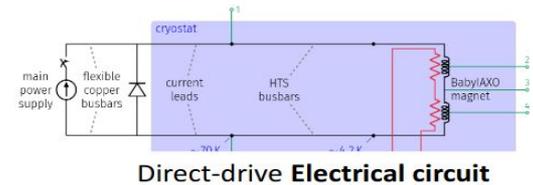
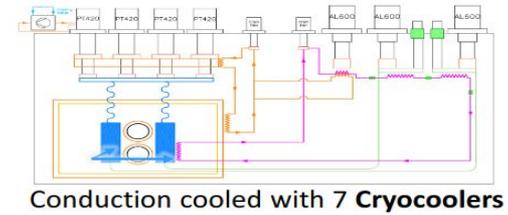
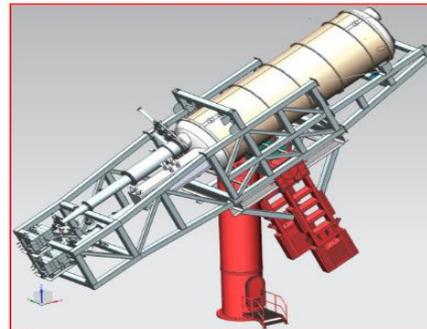
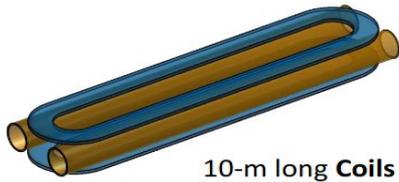
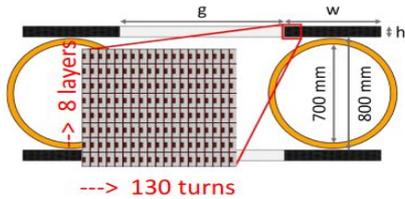
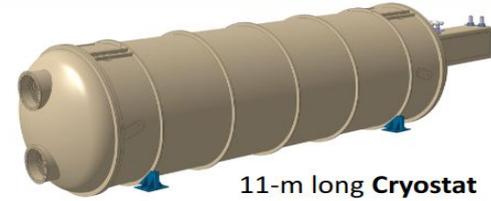
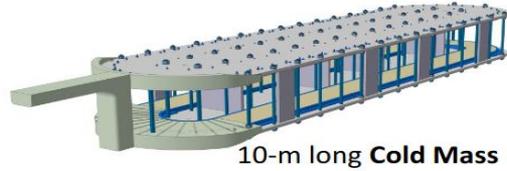
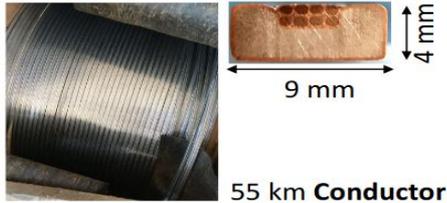
Relevant techno:
MAGNET/optics, photon
detection/MW



Relevant techno: magnet, cryo

babylAXO (input by H. ten Kate)

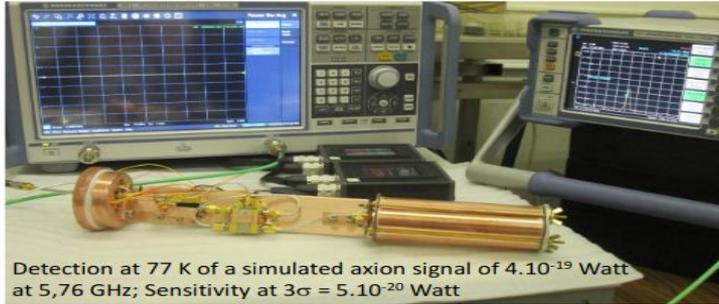
Tendering design complete - next step: manufacturing, assembly & installation design



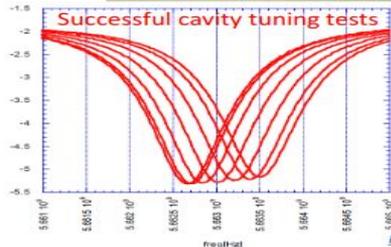
GrAHal (input by P. Pugnât)

-> hybrid magnet in Grenoble:
43T/34mm, steps to 9T/800mm

RF Cavity developments at 



Detection at 77 K of a simulated axion signal of $4 \cdot 10^{-19}$ Watt at 5,76 GHz; Sensitivity at $3\sigma = 5 \cdot 10^{-20}$ Watt

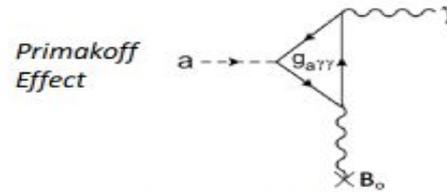


First data taking in 2021 at 2 K & 16 T in 55 mm dia. sc coil

Ref. (p.77) : http://lncmi.cnrs.fr/wp-content/uploads/2021/02/LNCMI_AR2020vwB D.pdf

Relevant techno: RF, magnet, vacuum

Axion & ALPs Haloscope (Sikivie 1983)

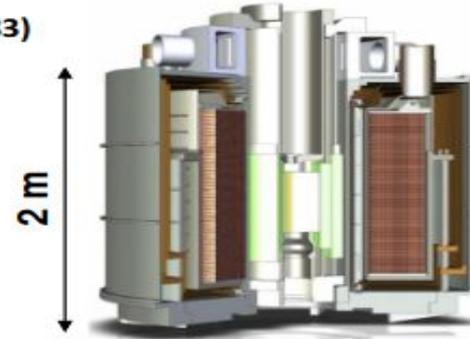


$$P \propto g_{a\gamma\gamma}^2 B_0^2 V < 10^{-21} \text{ W}$$

⇒ RF cavities (0.3-30 GHz) at 20 mK & quantum amplifiers SQUID & JPA (IN) in strong magnetic field (LNCMI)



Large & small scale dilution fridges



RADES-HTS (Input by J.Golm)

-> synergy with groups studying e.g.

FCC beamscreen

-> measurements slot via ARIES in May

2021

Relevant techno: RF, magnet, vacuum

$$\mathcal{F} \sim g_{Ay}^4 Q T_{sys}^{-2} V^2 G^4 m_A^2 B^4$$

Increase Q
copper coating →
superconducting
coating

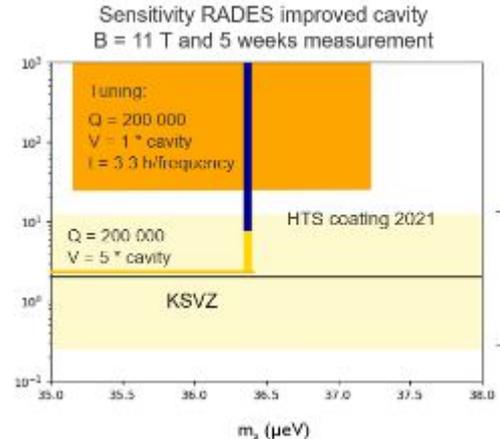
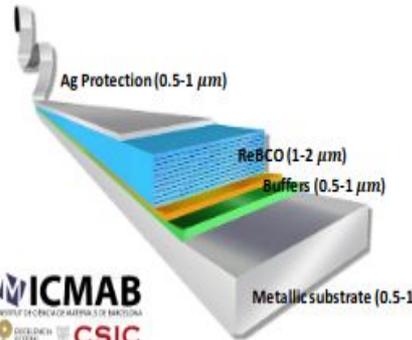
Requirement:
High quality factor
in a high magnetic
field

Coating
material/
methods:

Nb₃Sn coating

ReBCO coating
→ first buffer layer successful applied

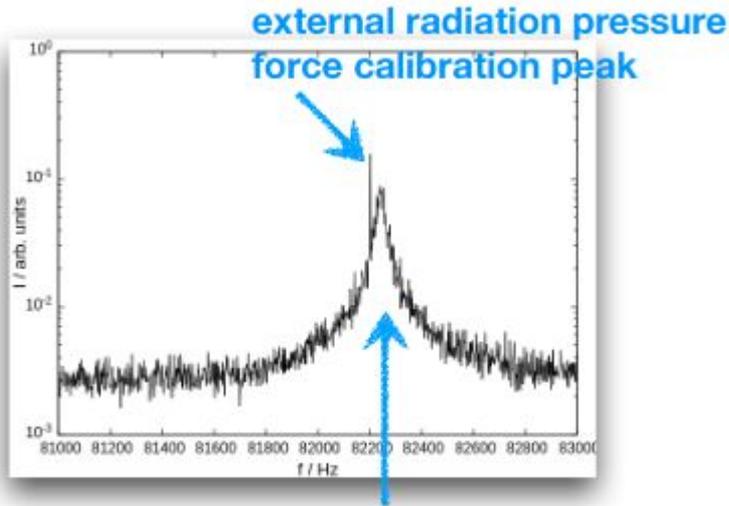
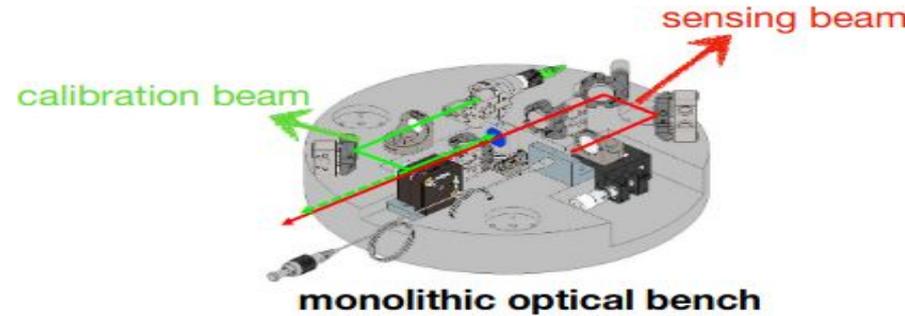
ReBCO tape → scalable
ICMAB technology to strip of Cu and Ag layers
REBCO layer is exposed to the RF fields



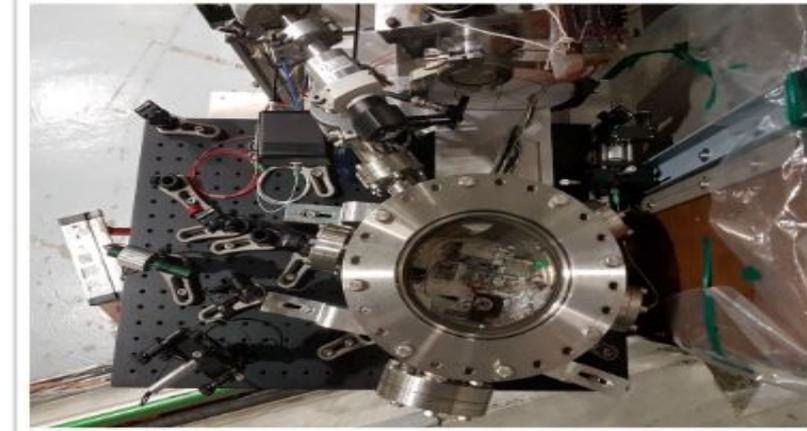
aKWISP (input by G. Cantatore)

Detection of membrane displacements
by novel particles, wish to upgrade to 4K

Relevant techno: optics/cryo



"thermal" mechanical resonance peak

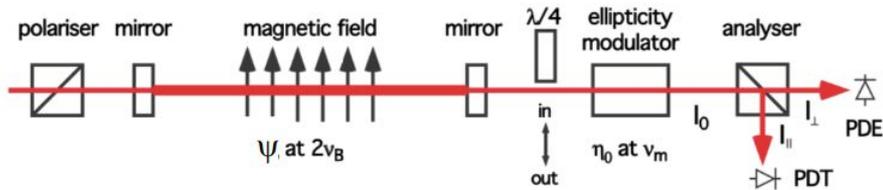


KWISP 3.5 on-beam at CAST

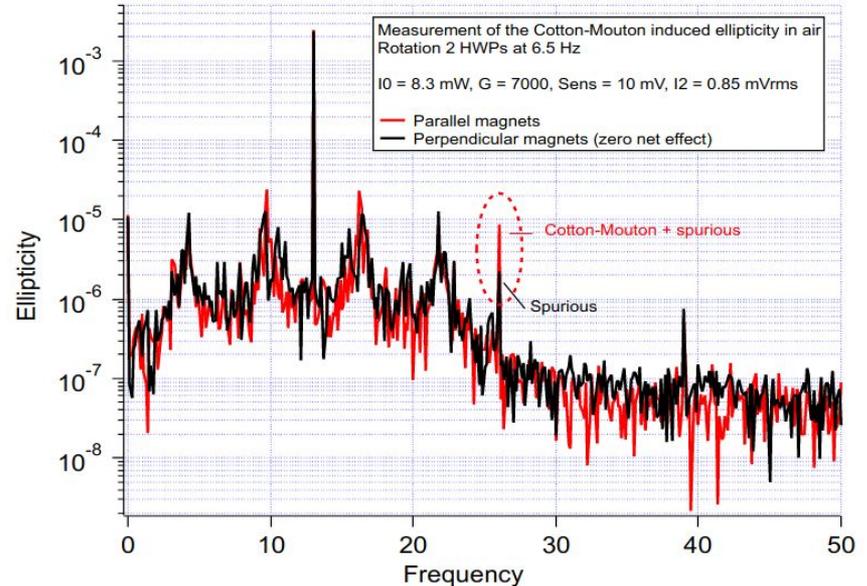
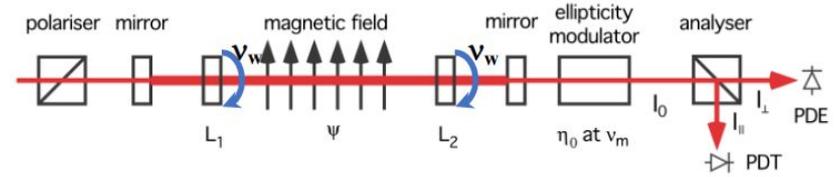
Relevant techno: magnet

VMB@CERN (input by G. Zavattini)

-> measure vacuum magnetic birefringence using
A macroscopic external magnetic field



The PVLAS experiment was limited
by the intrinsic noise coming from
the Fabry-Perot mirrors.



That was ... a lot! What to take away?

Nota bene: Our exact mandate for the `new PBC' to be sharpened: All the following statements potentially subject to update (e.g. experiments followed up in SPSC vs PBC, interplay with CERN quantum initiative? etc...)

- > In principle this was/is an open working group, contact the PBC coordinators if you think you fit (we wish to cross-fertilize communities)
- > work to establish contacts to CERN technological expertise for initiatives where appropriate
- > work to connect experiments with common/complementary expertise
- > enjoy discussing some physics
- > ~ monthly to bi-monthly meetings <https://indico.cern.ch/category/8816/> (need to request mailing-list membership)