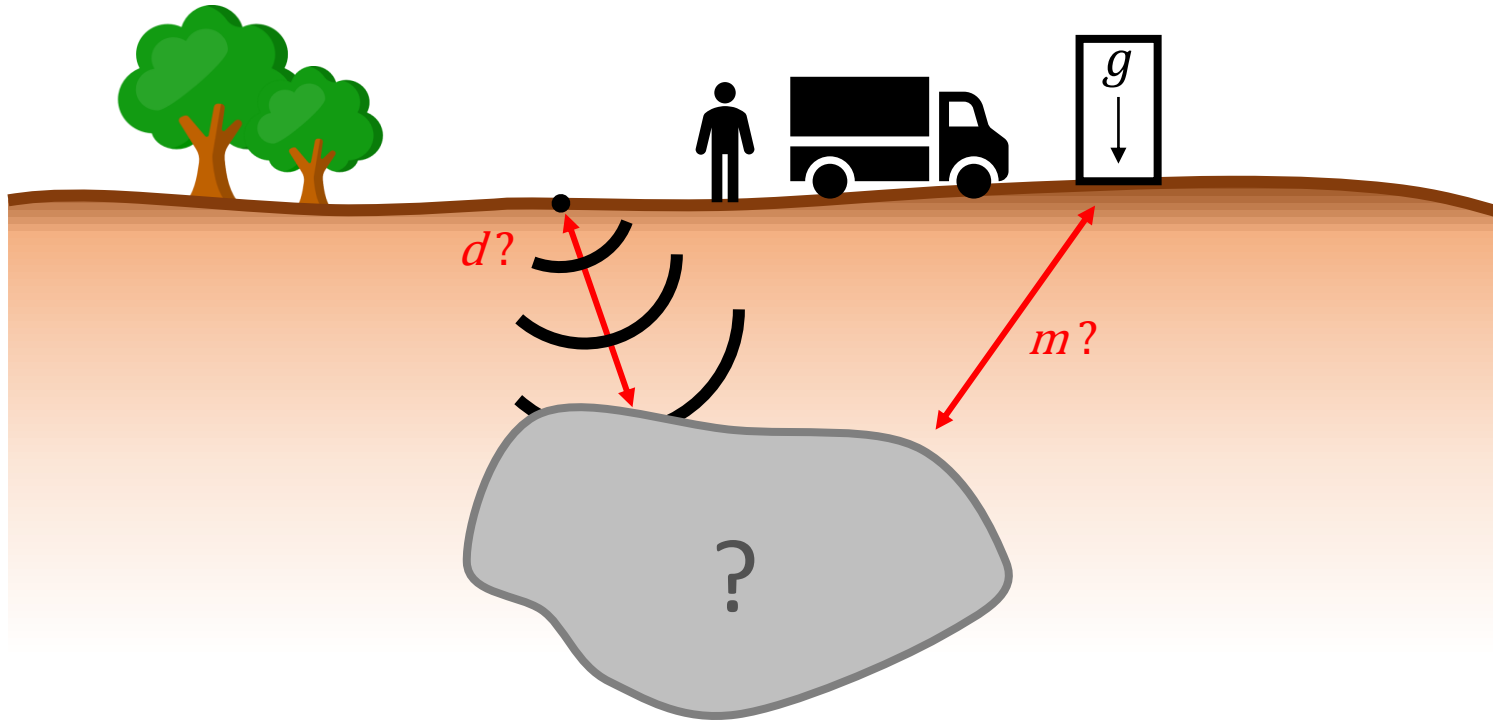


High resolution compact vertical inertial sensor for atomic quantum gravimeter hybridizing

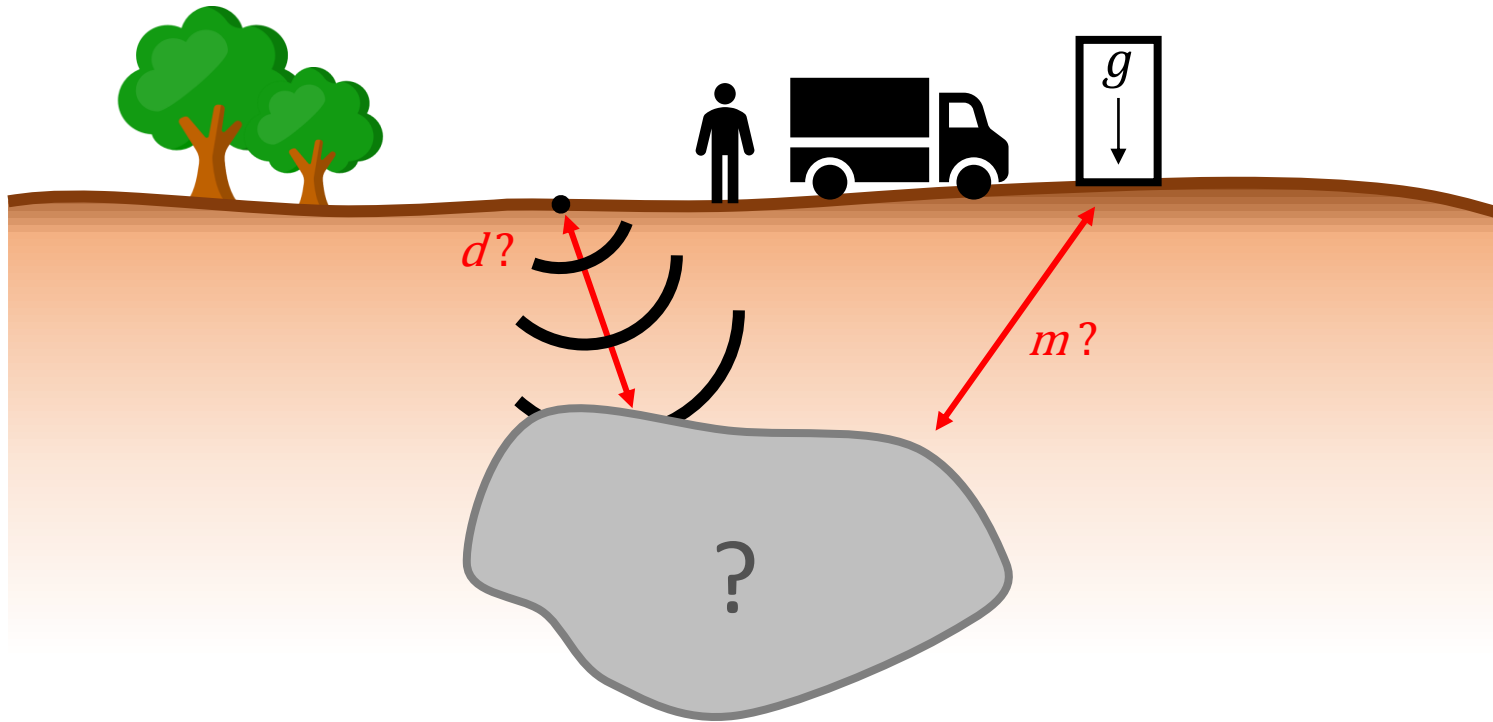
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Gravimetry



Gravimetry



Deployment of the AQG on Mount Etna, [a]



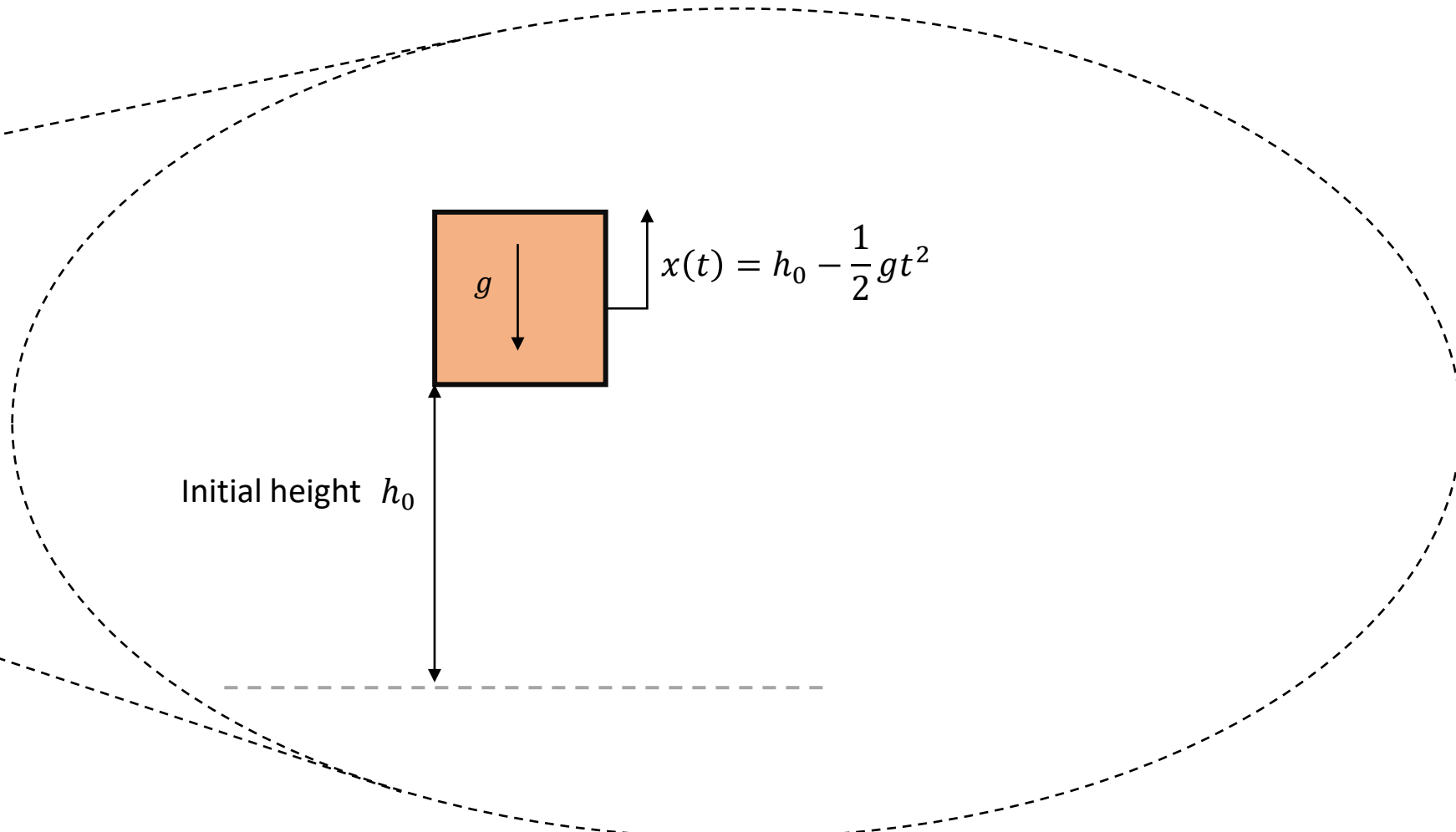
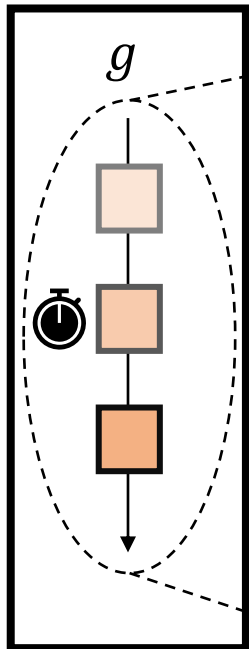
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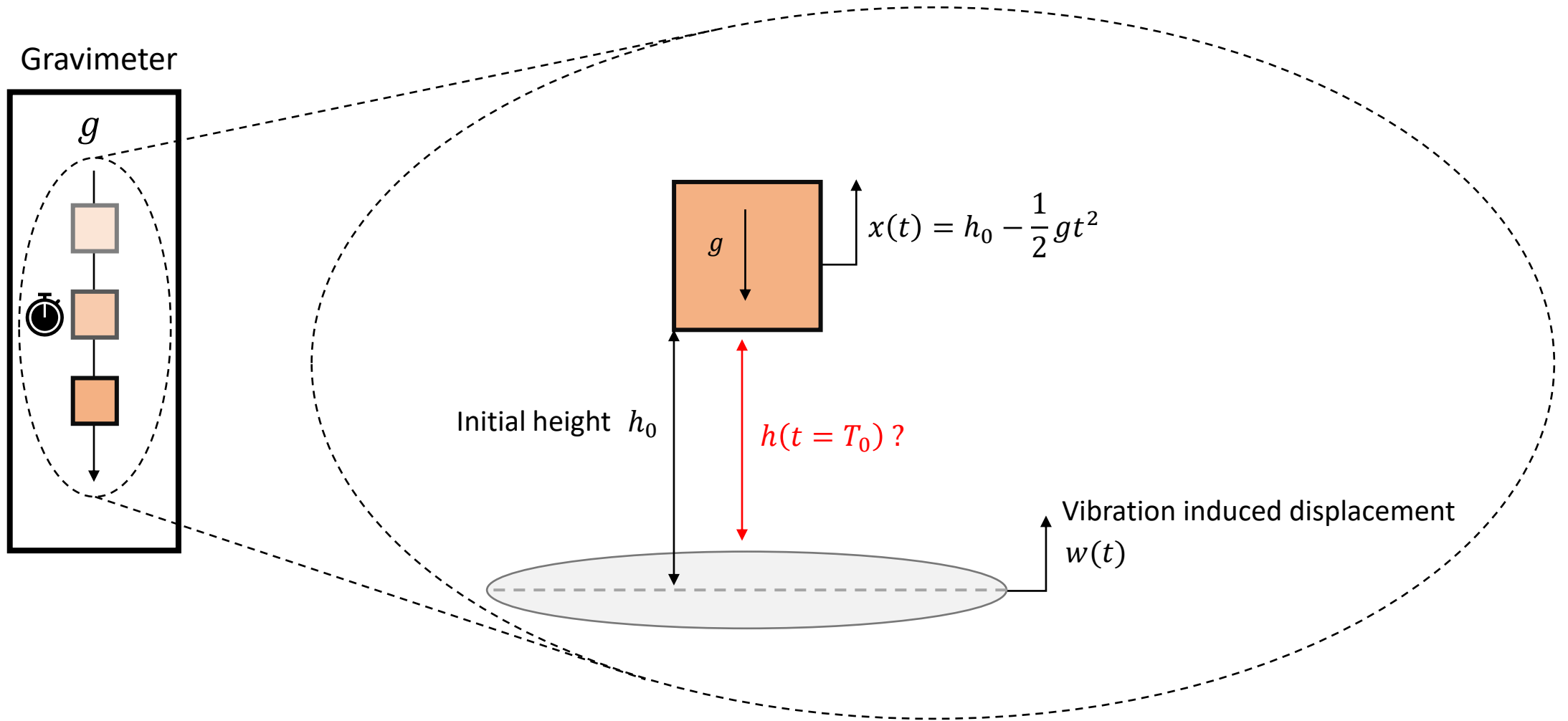
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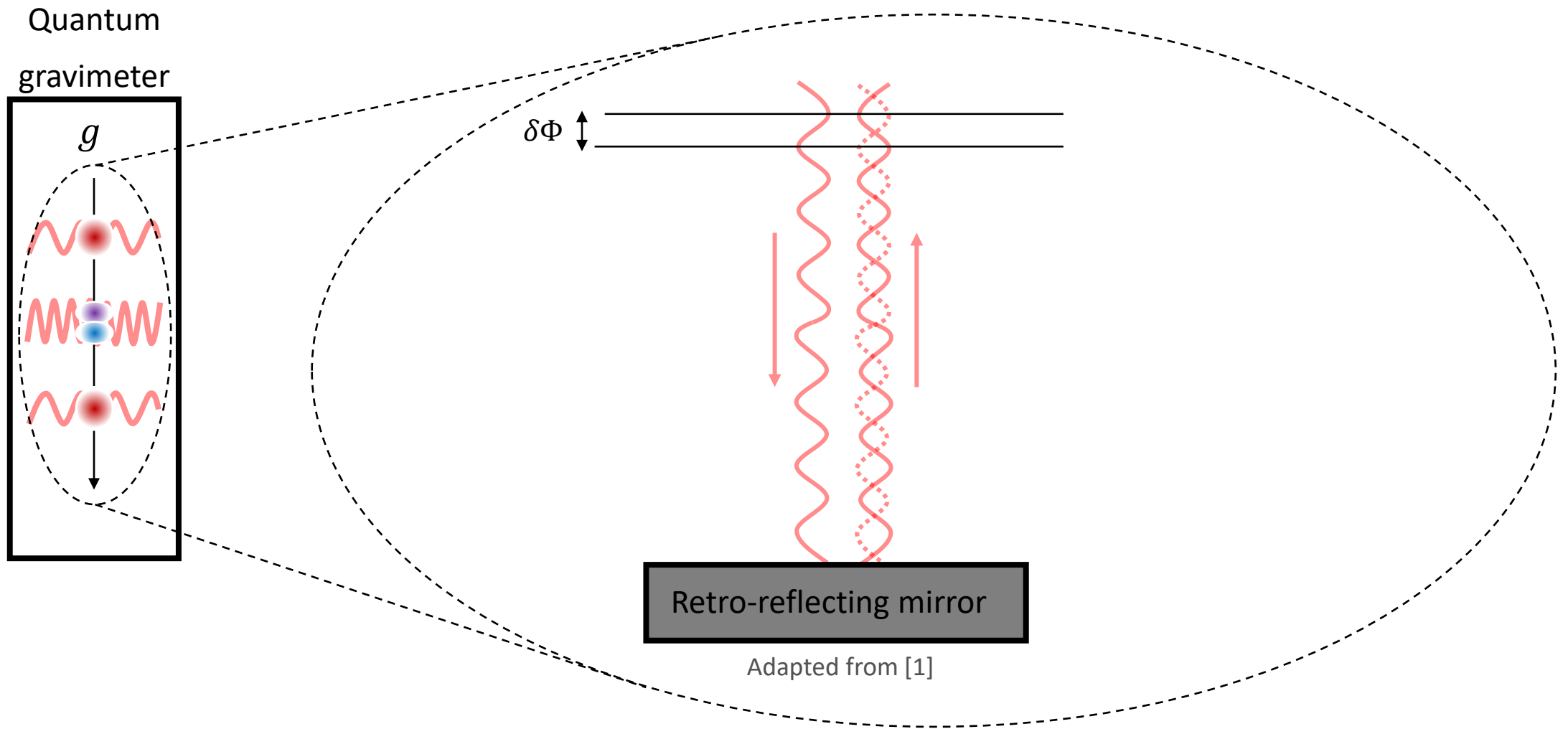
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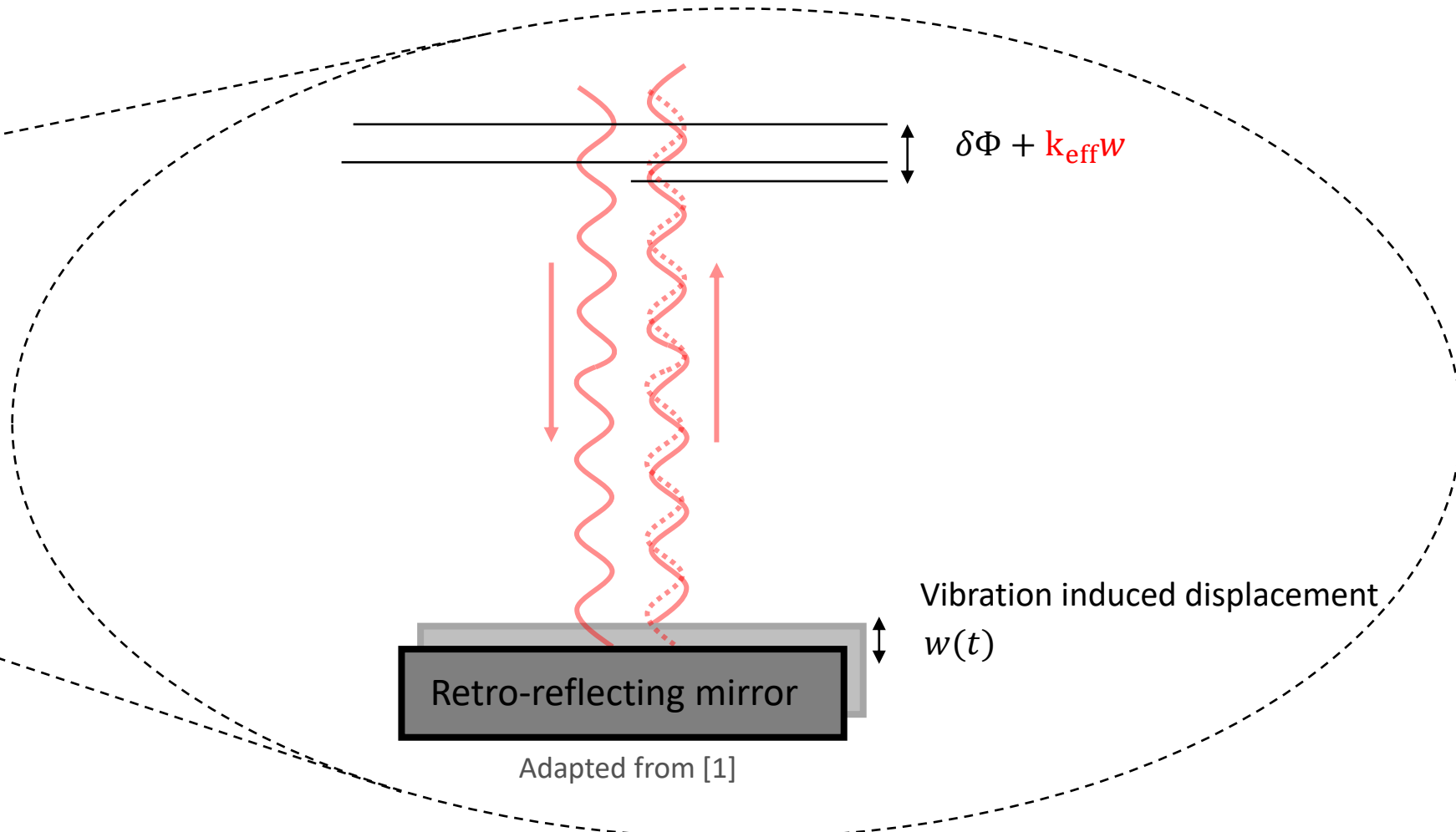
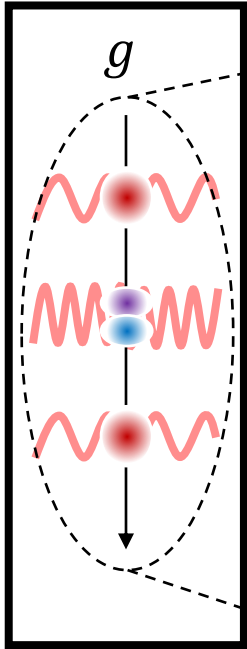


Quantum gravimeter



Quantum gravimeter

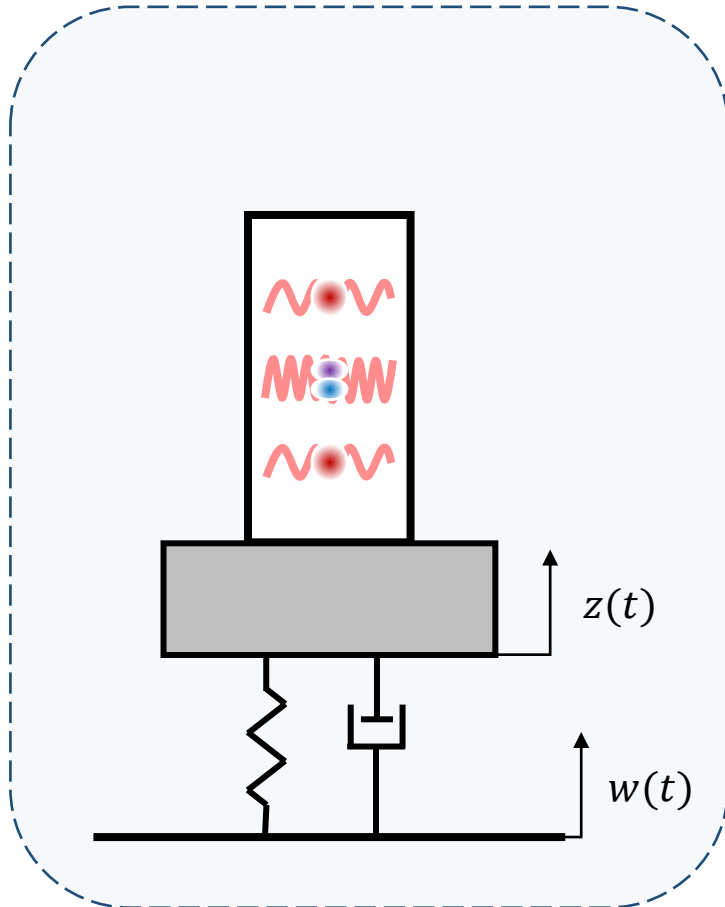
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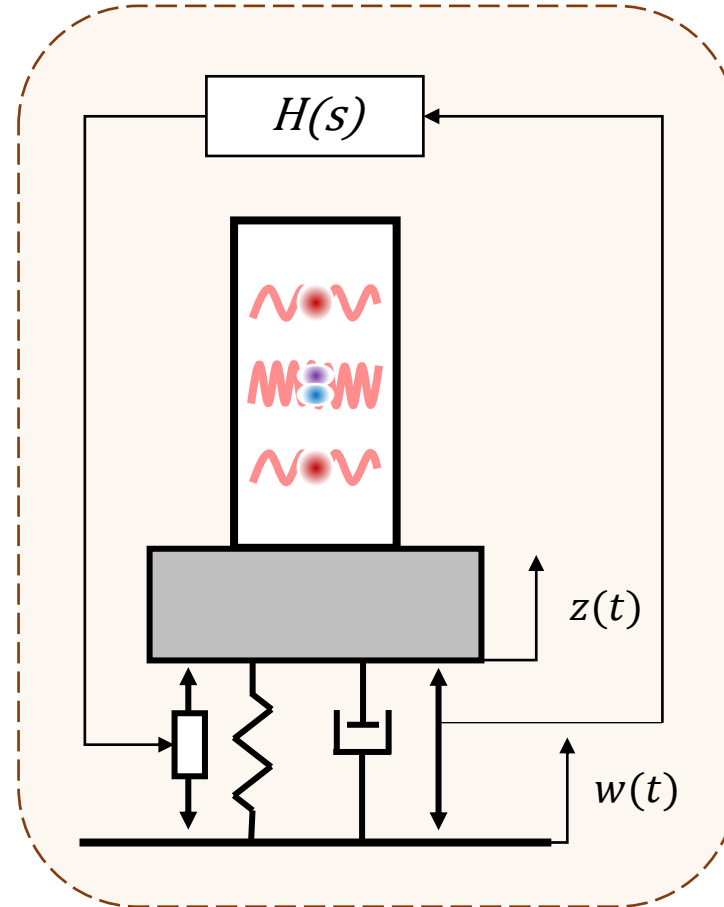
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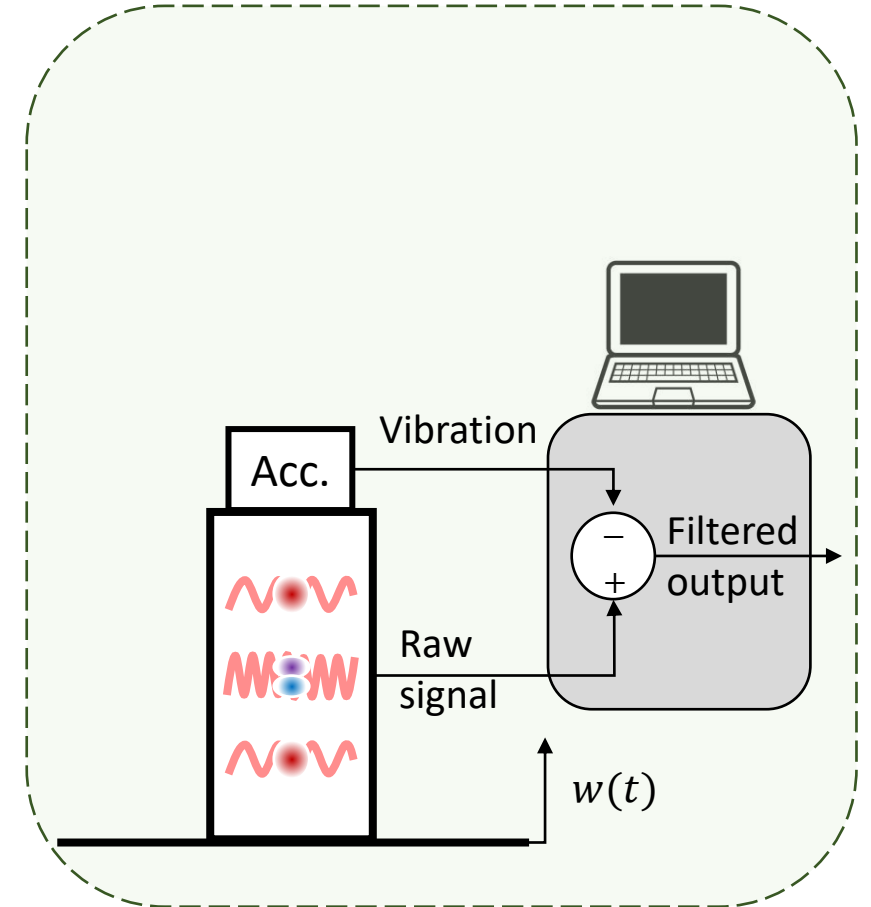
Passive vibration isolation



Active vibration isolation

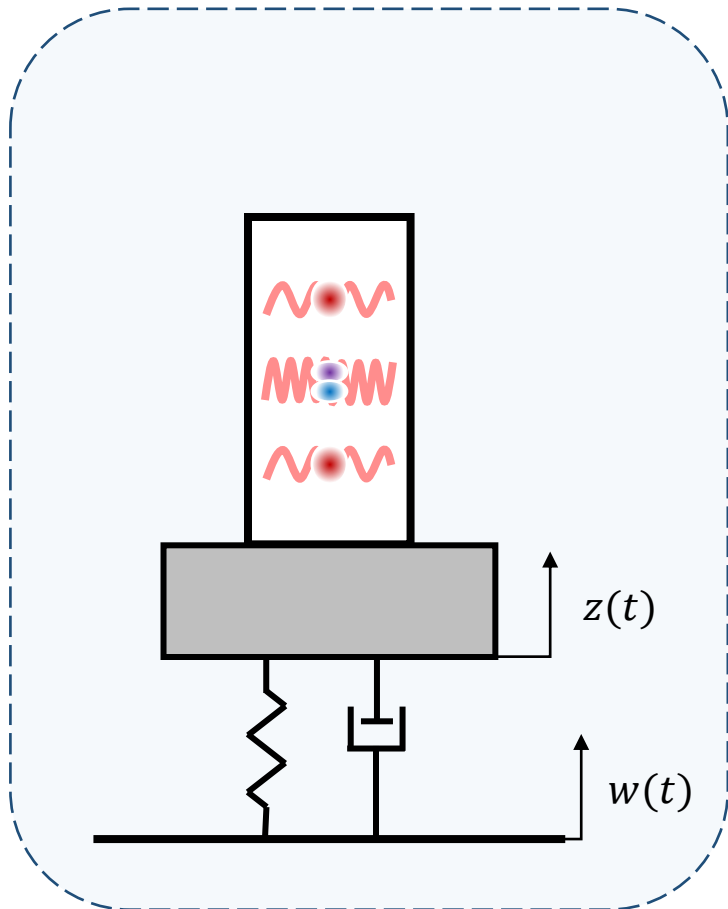


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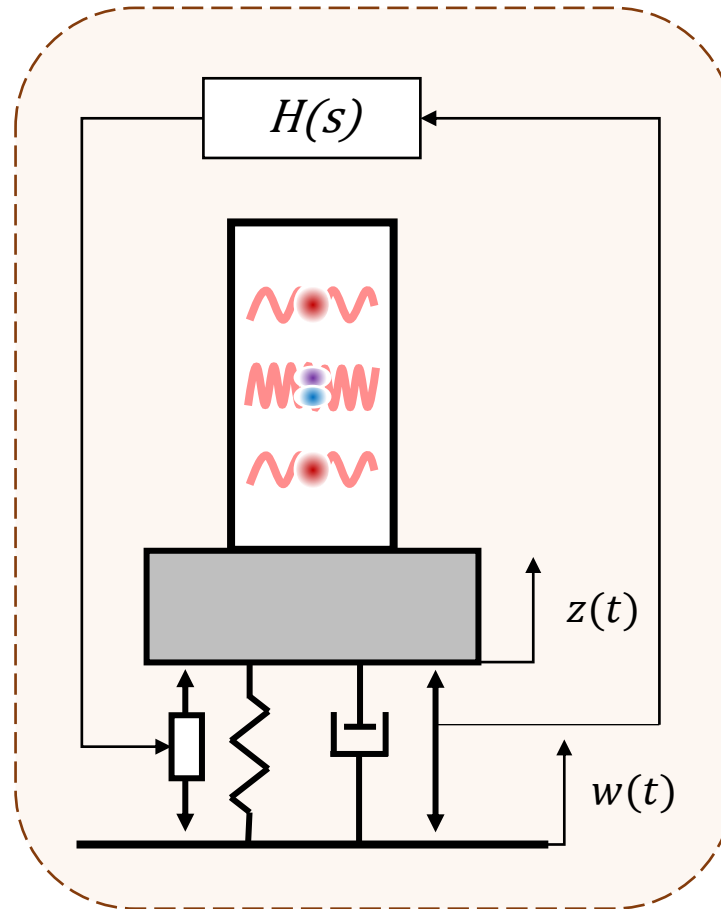


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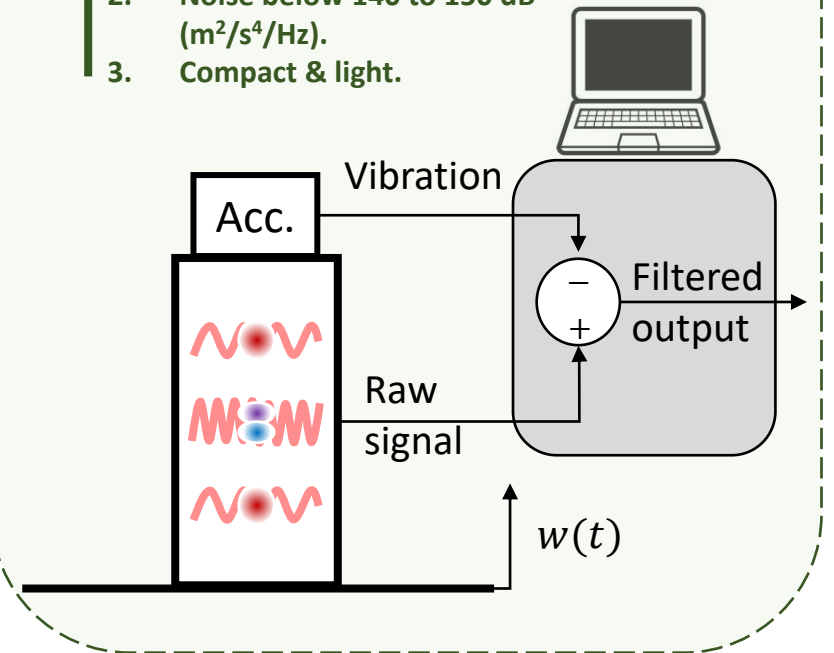
Active vibration isolation



Software rejection

Ideal sensor performance:

1. Bandwidth from several seconds to 100 Hz.
2. Noise below 140 to 150 dB ($\text{m}^2/\text{s}^4/\text{Hz}$).
3. Compact & light.

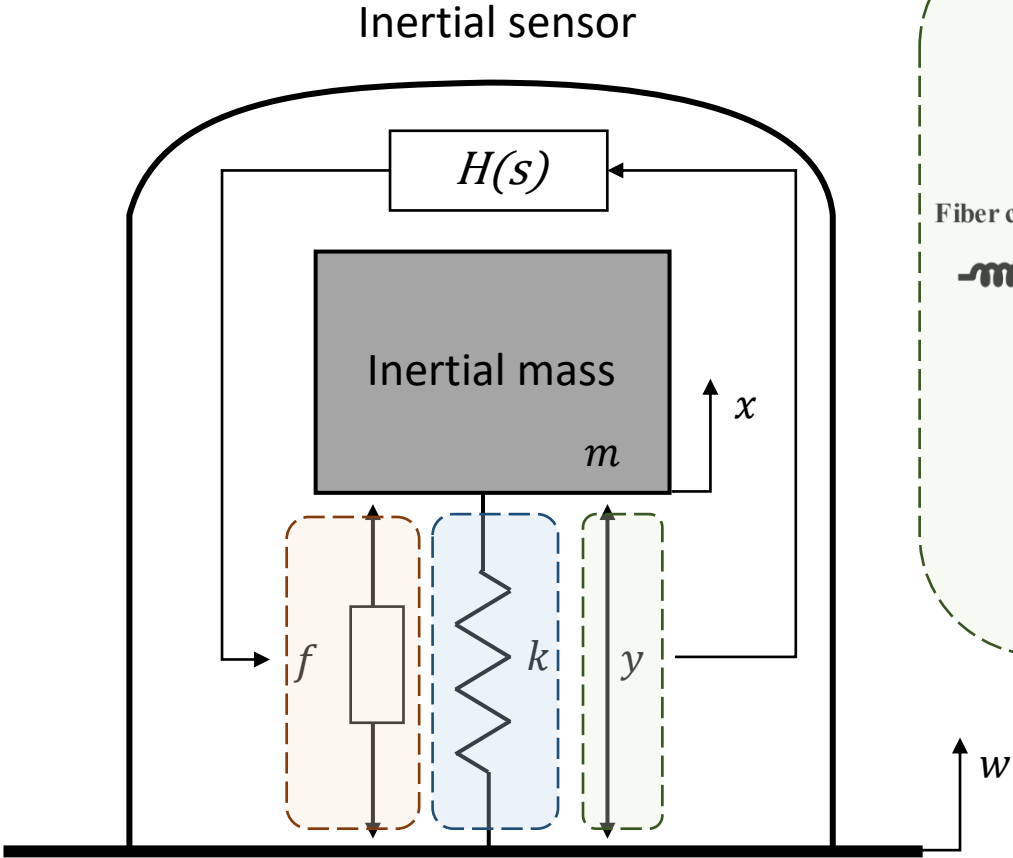
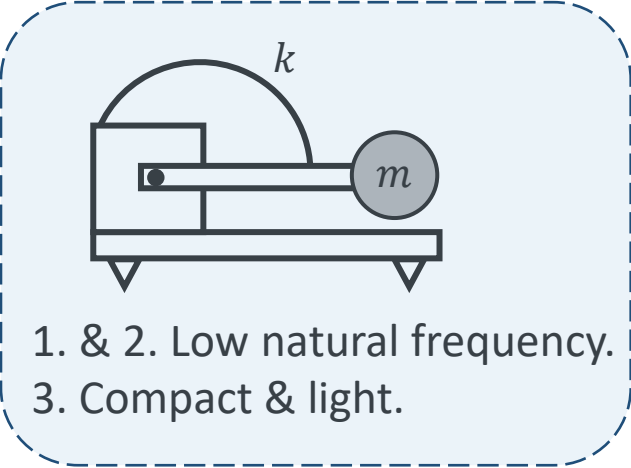


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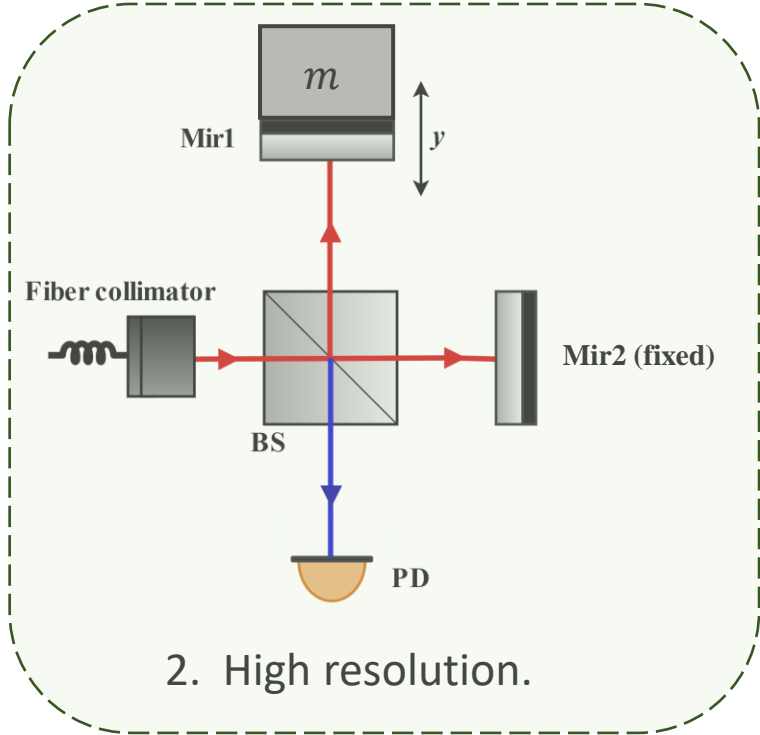
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Vertical inertial sensor

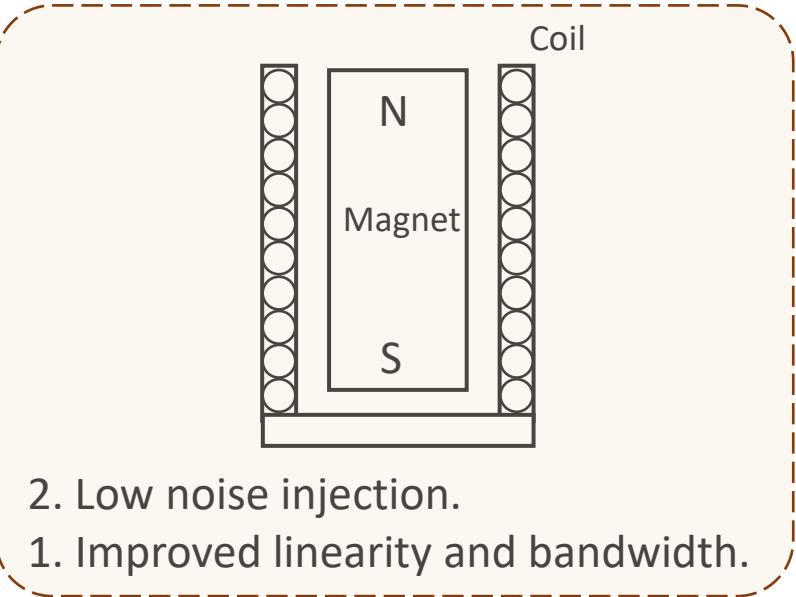
Low stiffness mechanics and guidance



Contactless actuation

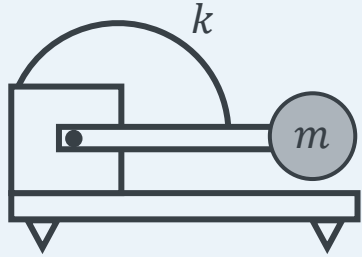


Contactless readout

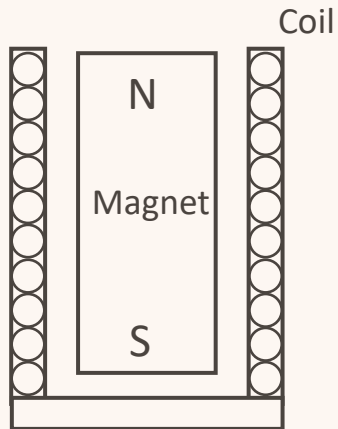


μ - Vertical INterferometric inertial Sensor

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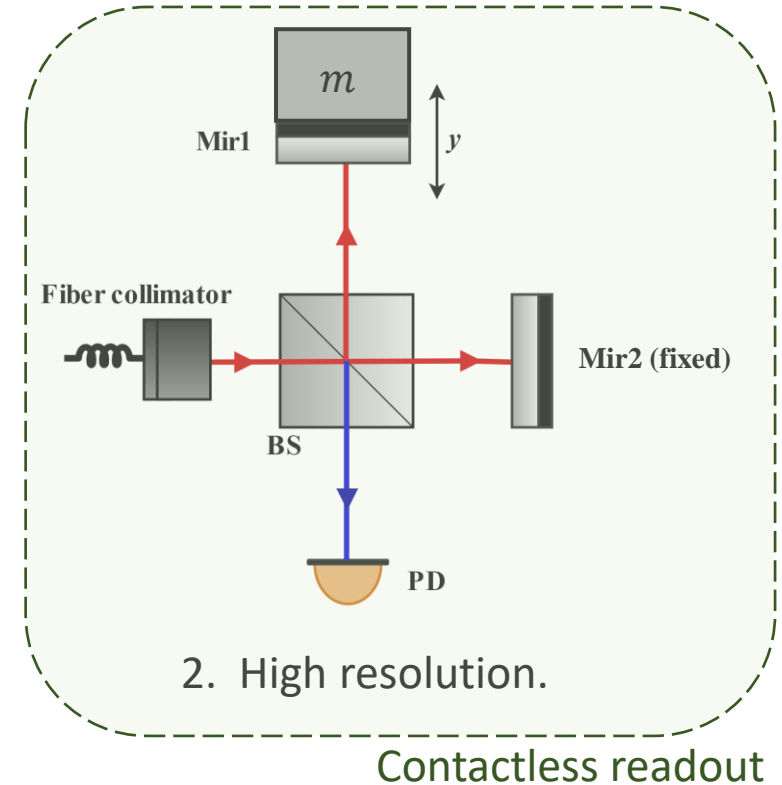
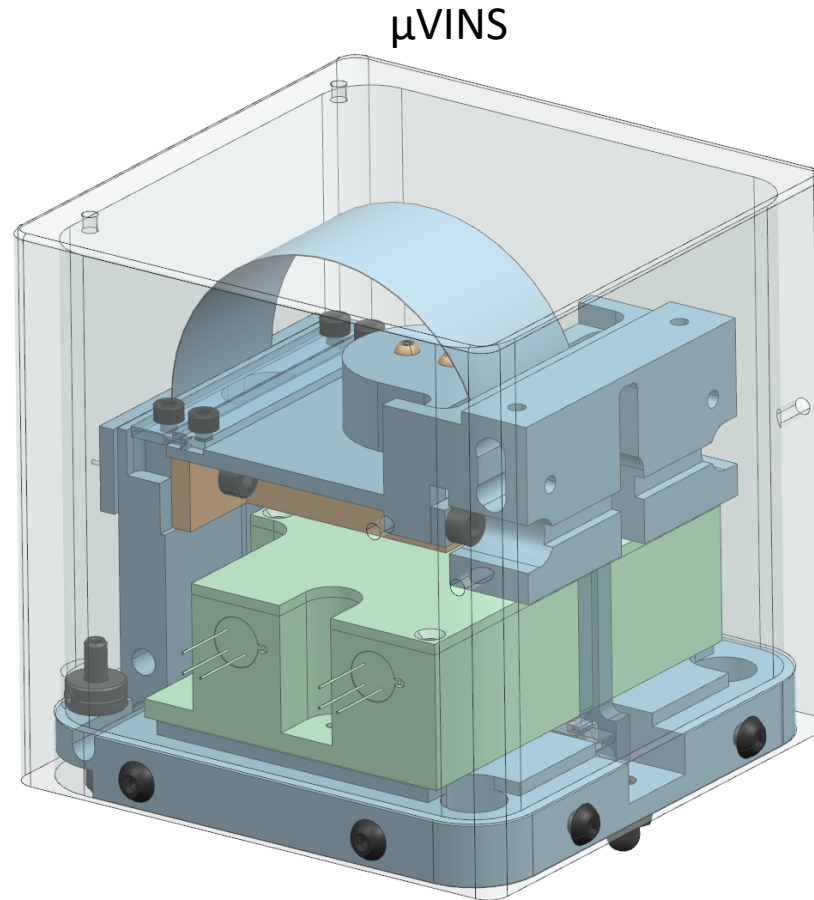


1. & 2. Low natural frequency.
3. Compact & light.

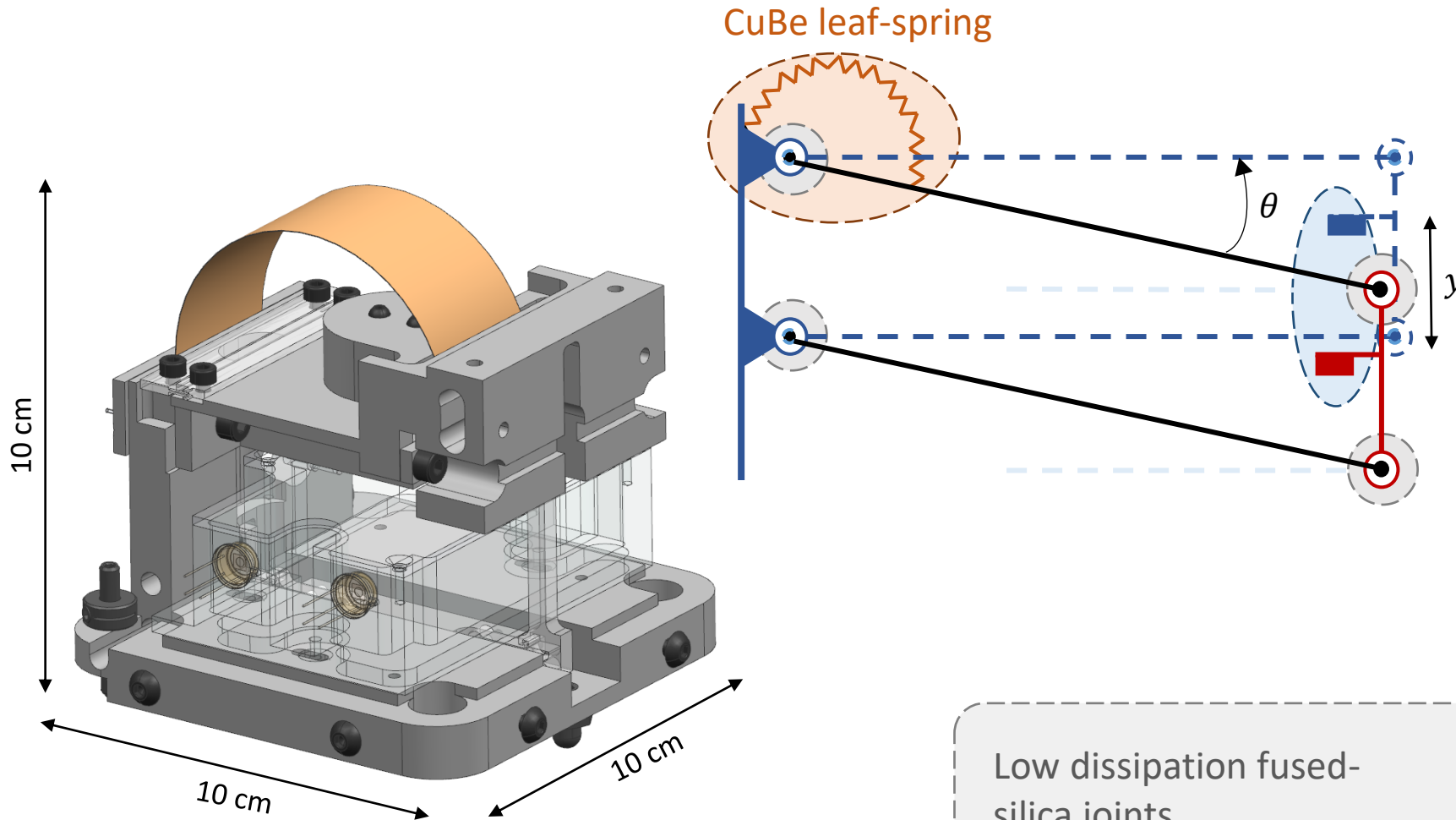


2. Low noise injection.
1. Improved linearity and bandwidth.

Contactless actuation



Low stiffness mechanical guide



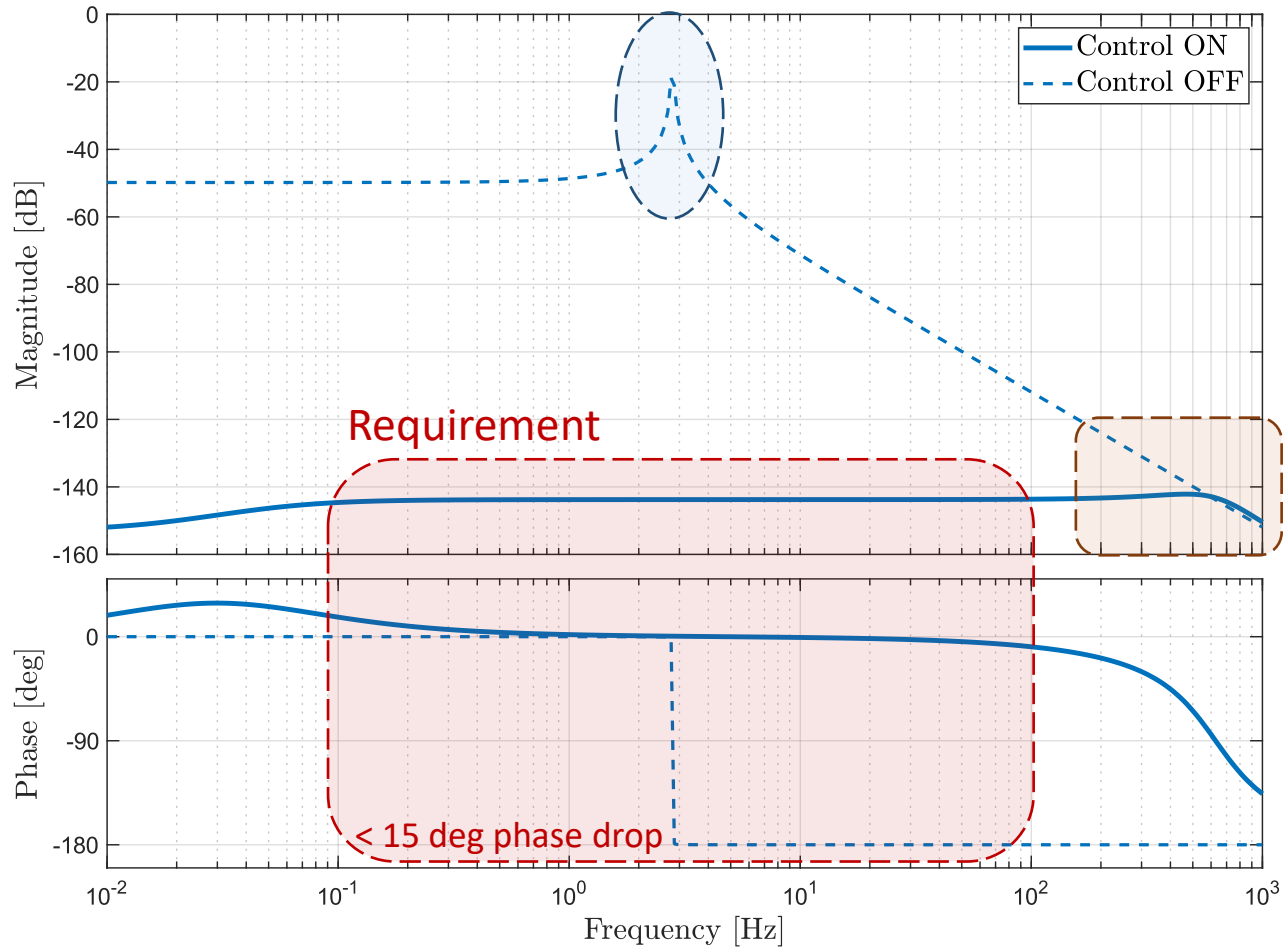
CuBe leaf-spring

2.8 Hz natural frequency suspension.

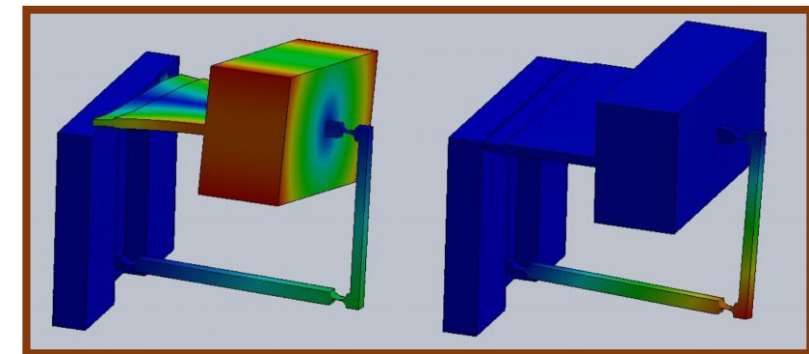
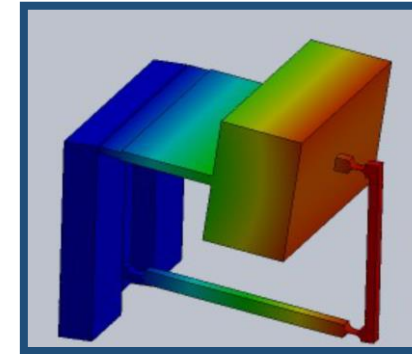
Linear, angle-maintaining, motion of the mirror.

Low dissipation fused-silica joints.

Low stiffness mechanical guide



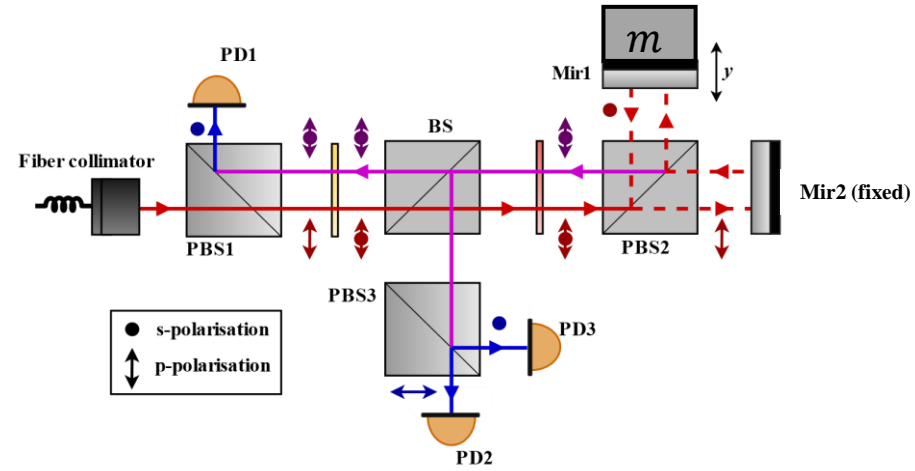
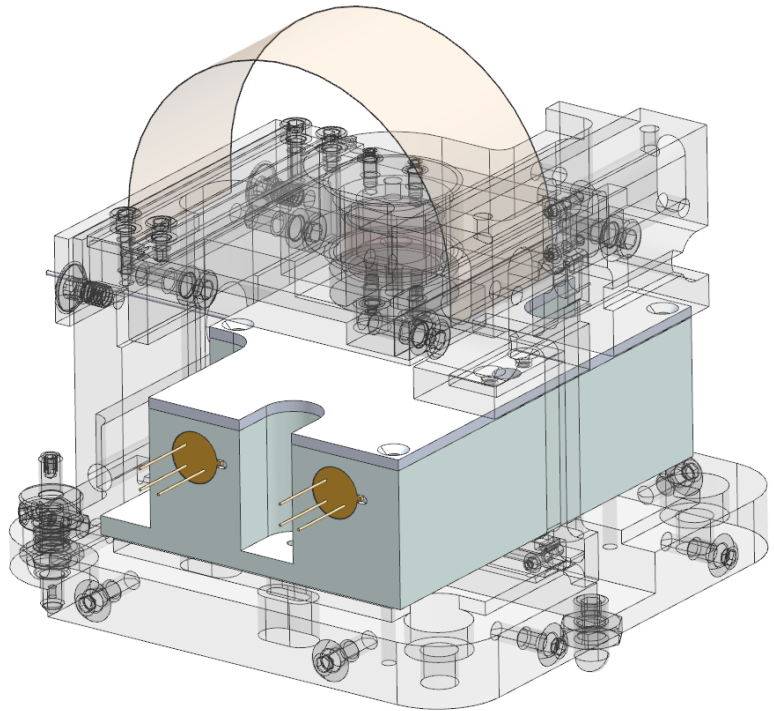
2.8 Hz



270 Hz

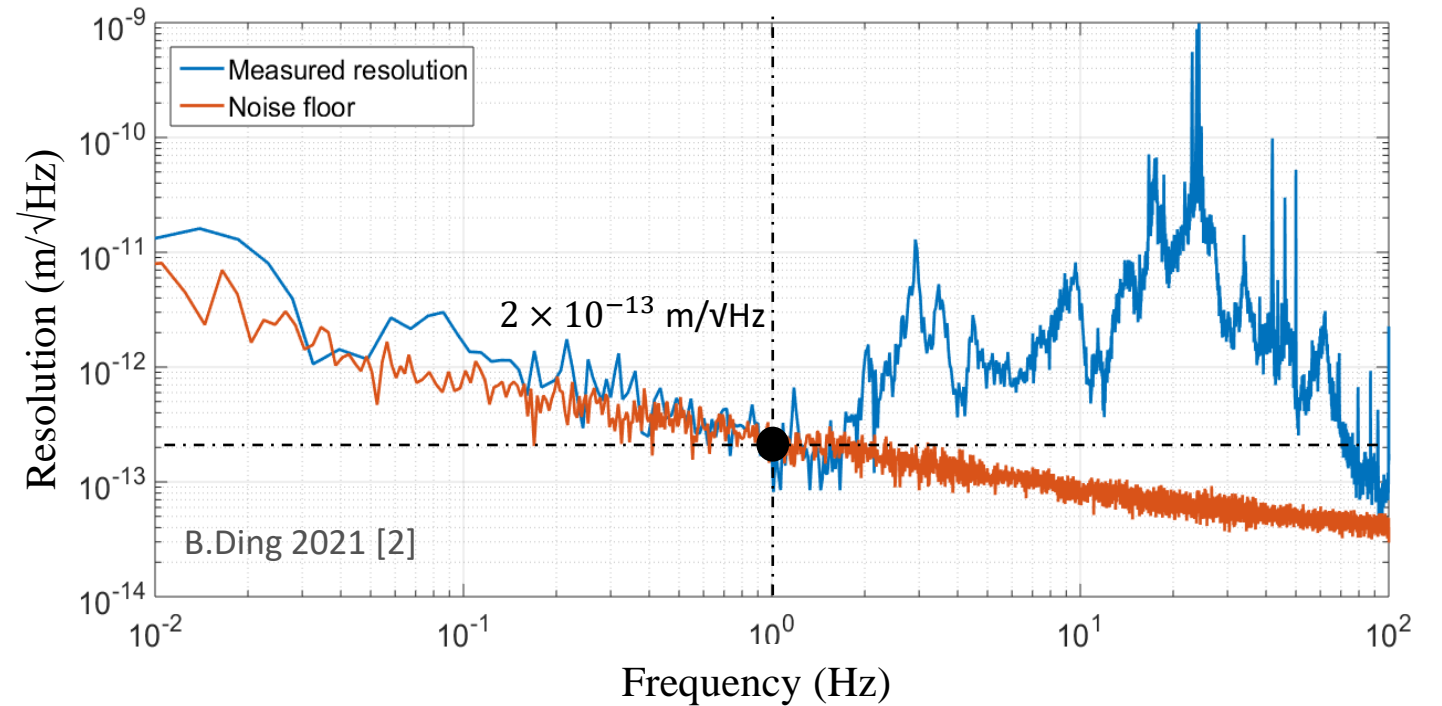
327 Hz

Interferometric readout

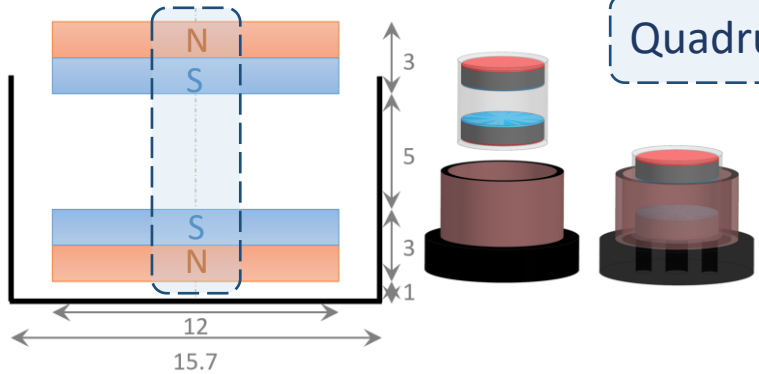
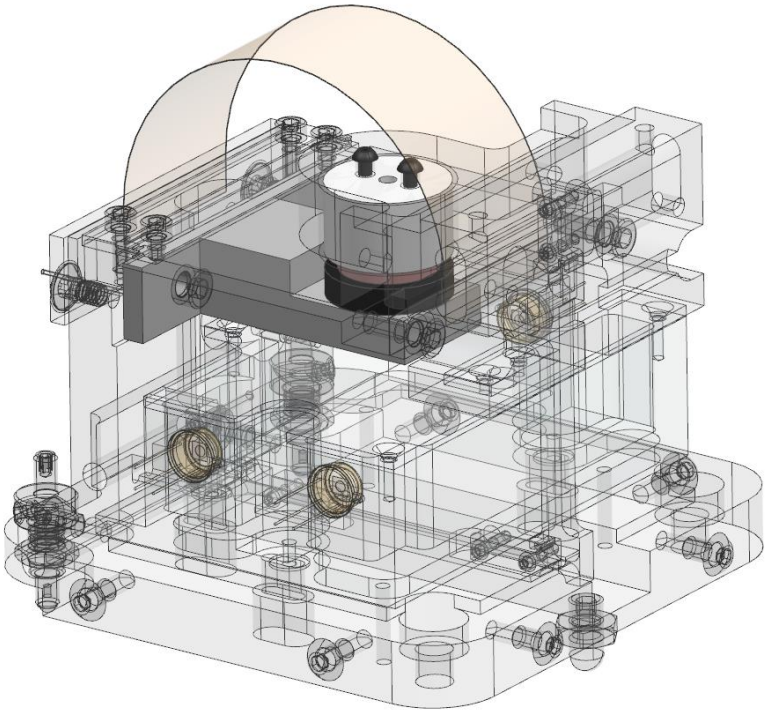


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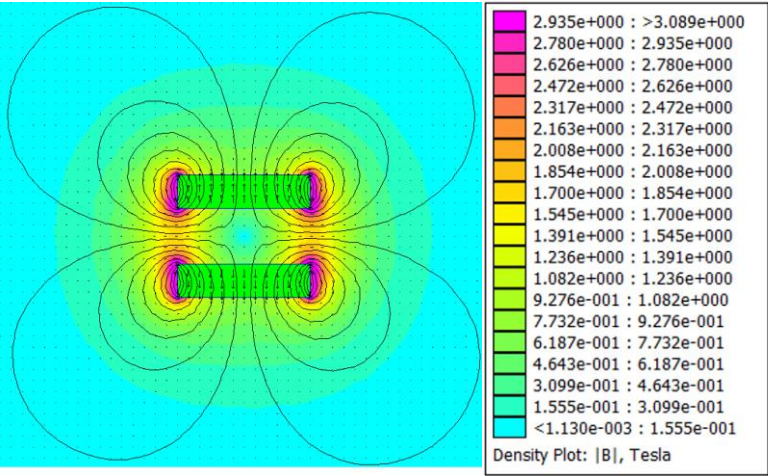
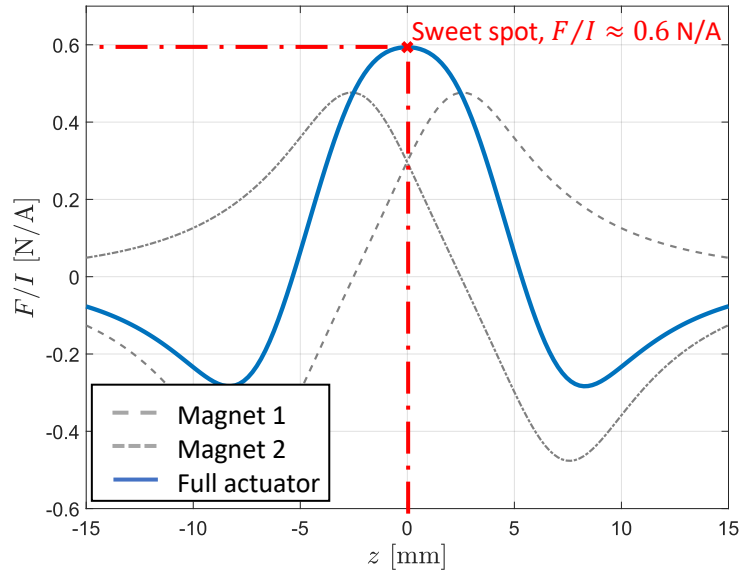
Sub-pm resolution.



Quadrupole voice-coil actuator

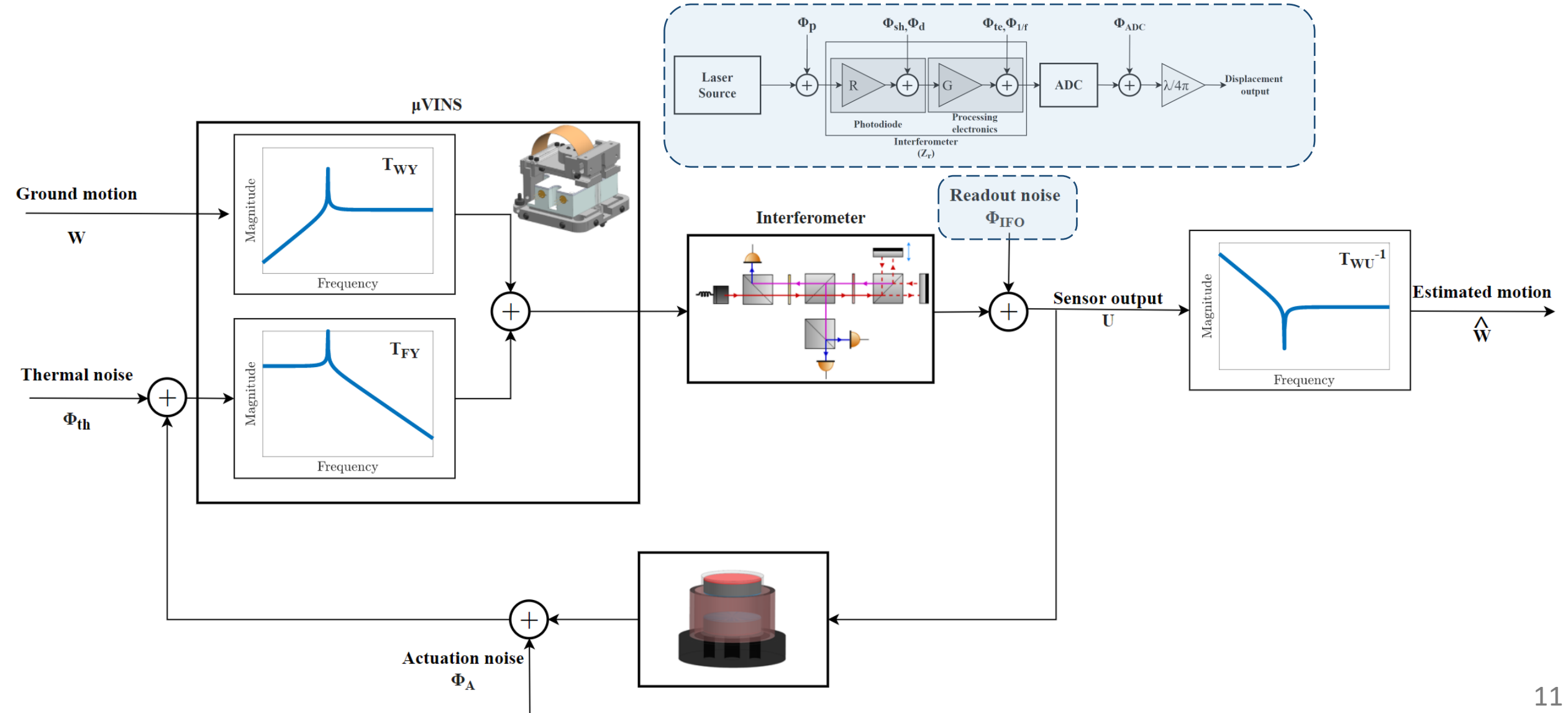


Quadrupole, selfshielded, magnet.

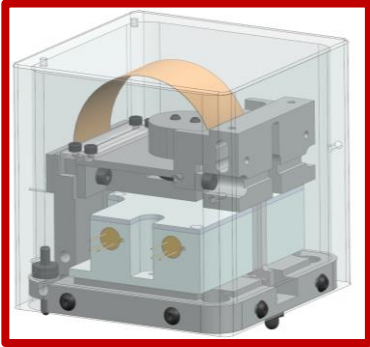


Numerical optimization of the geometry.

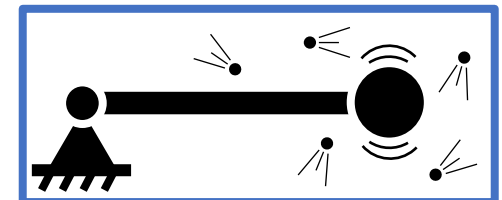
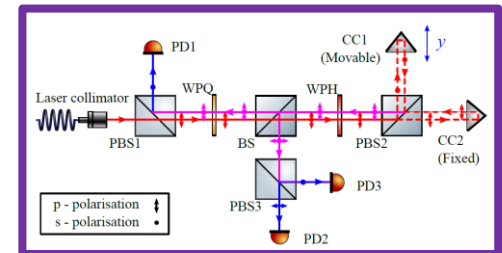
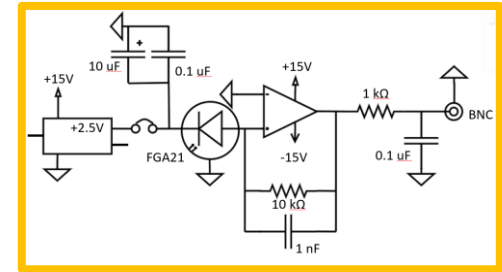
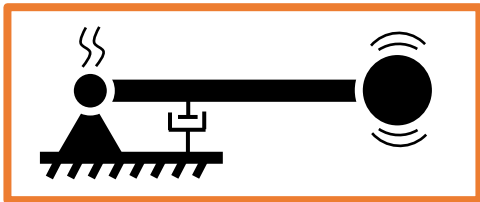
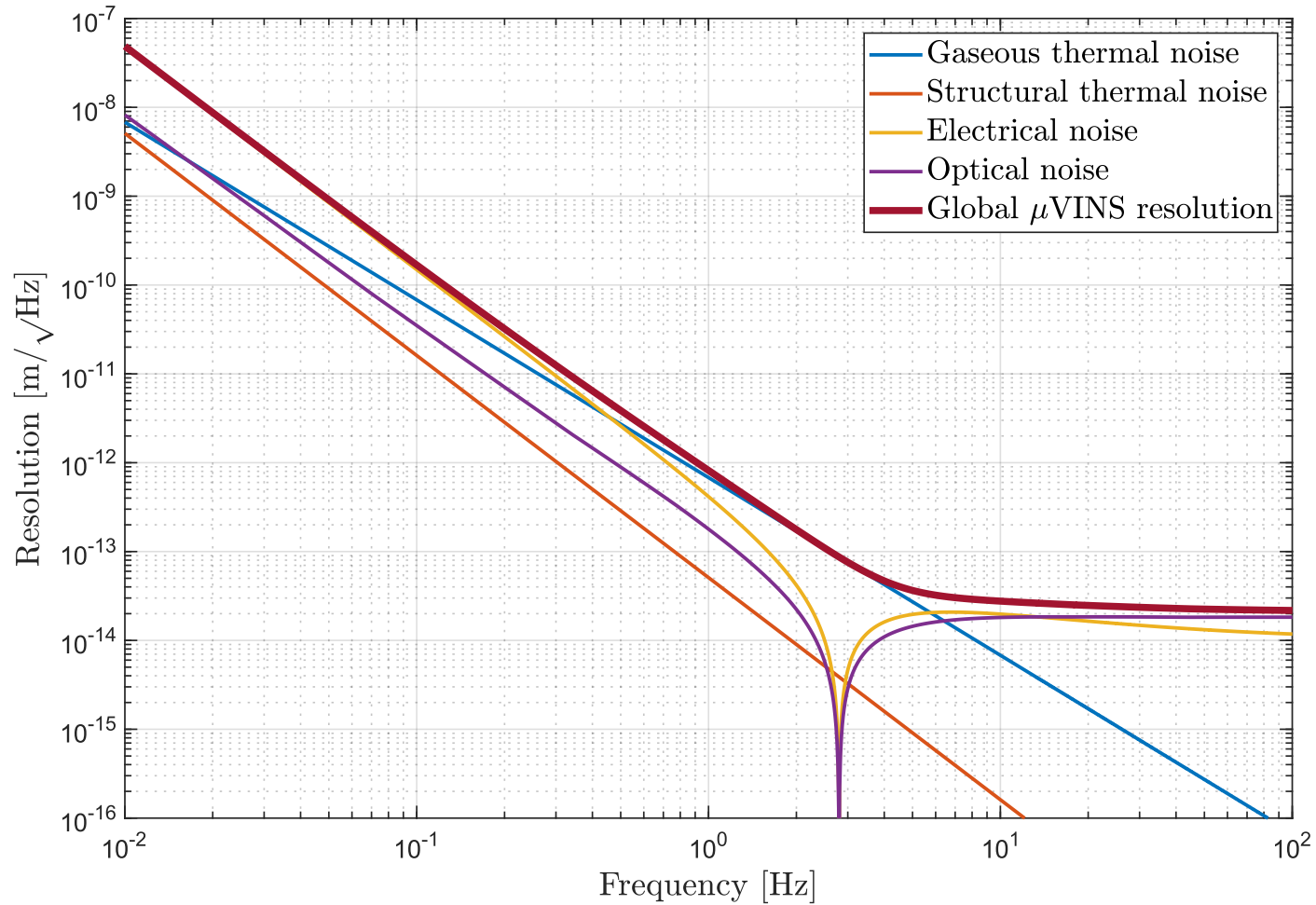
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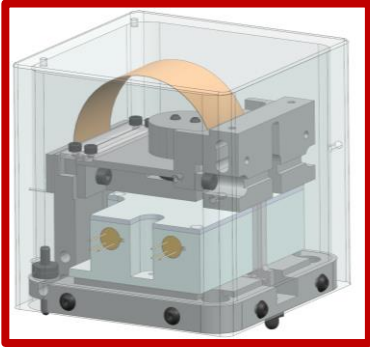
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μ VINS



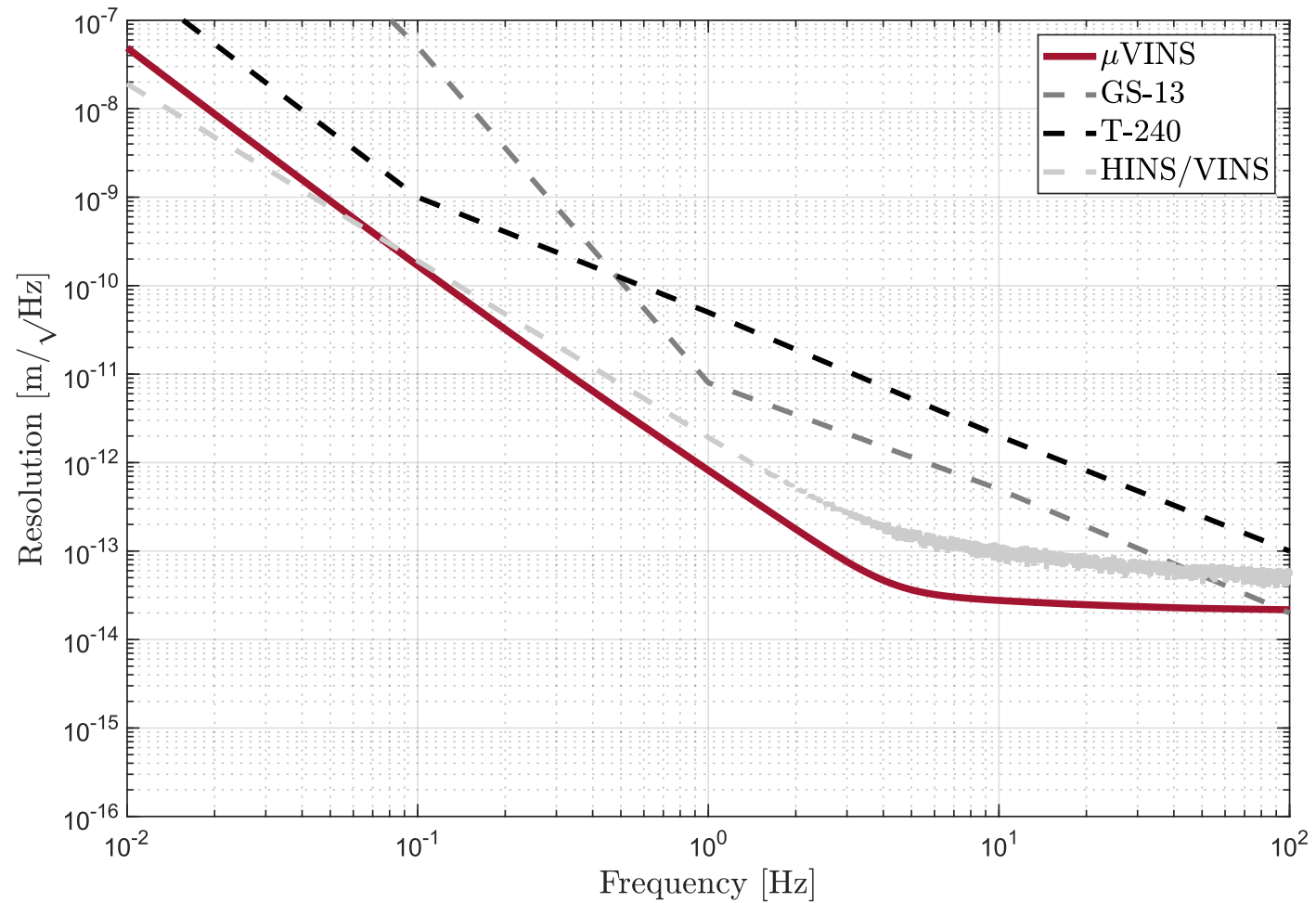
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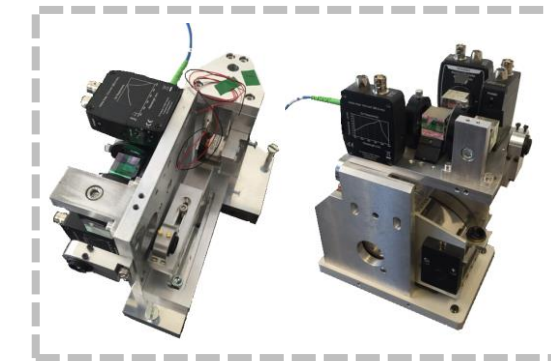
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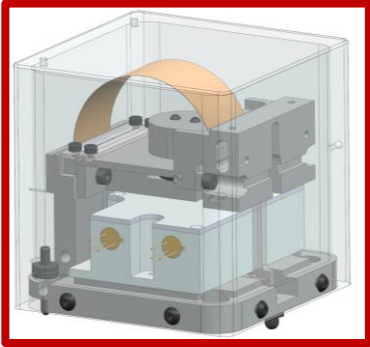


VINS & HINS



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Noise budget



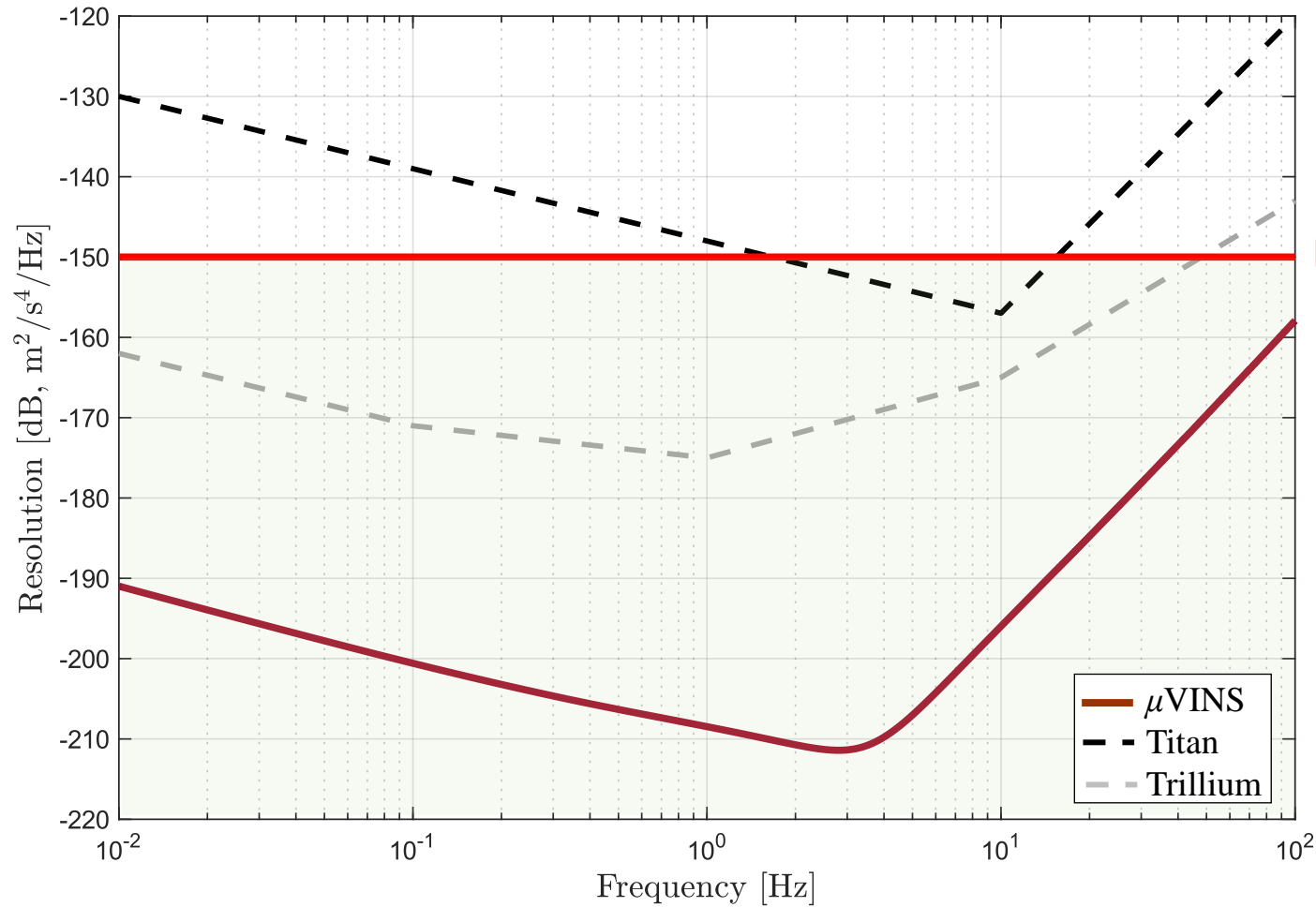
μ VINS



Trillium



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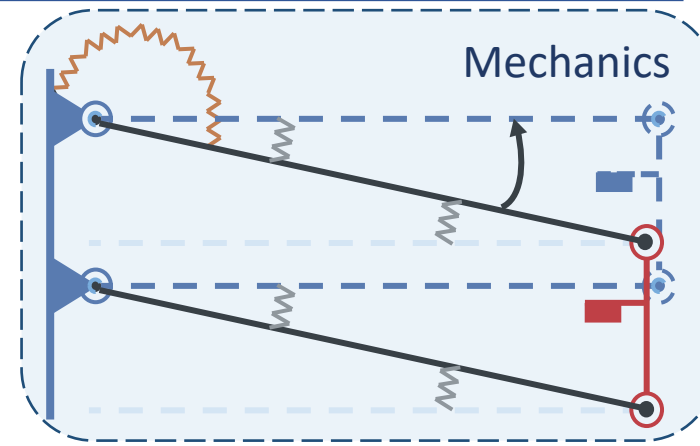
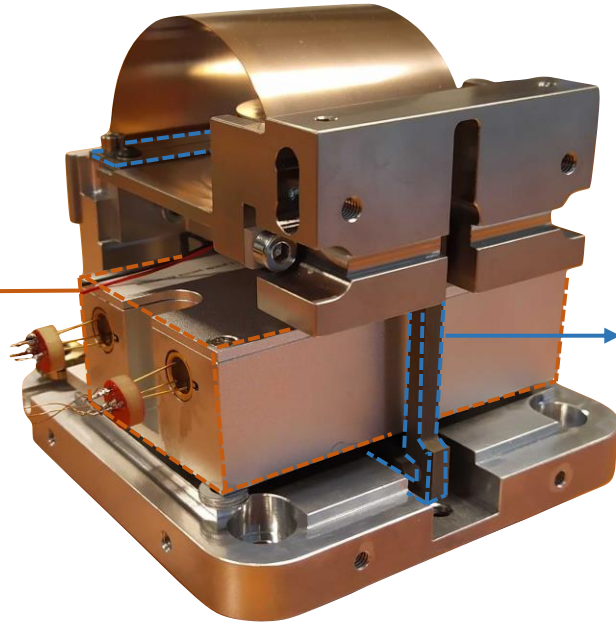


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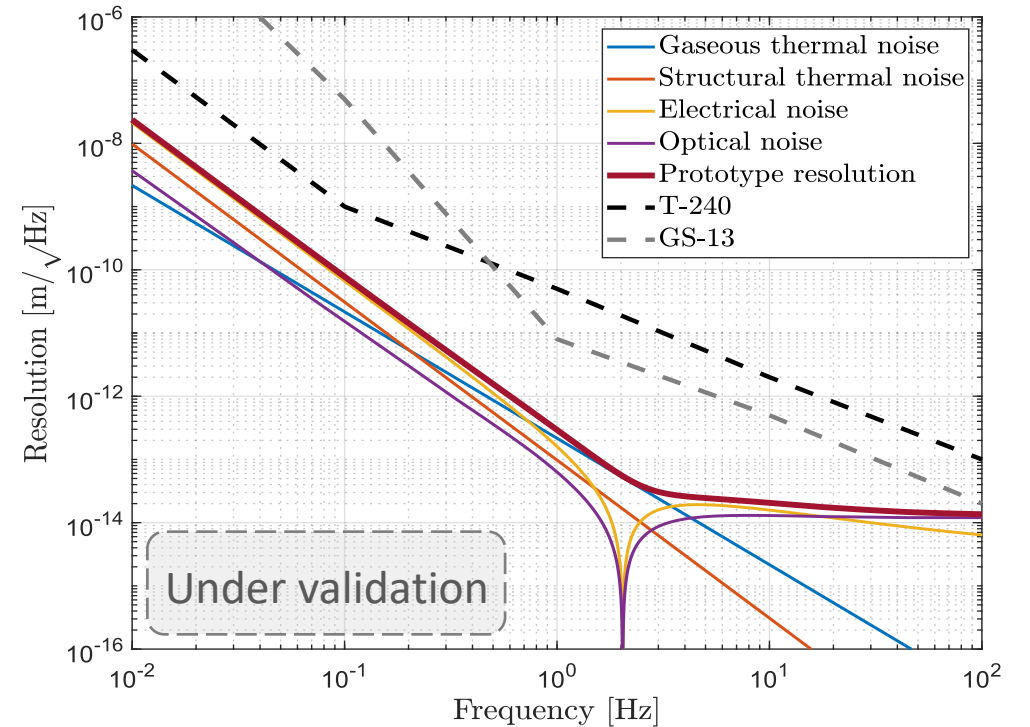
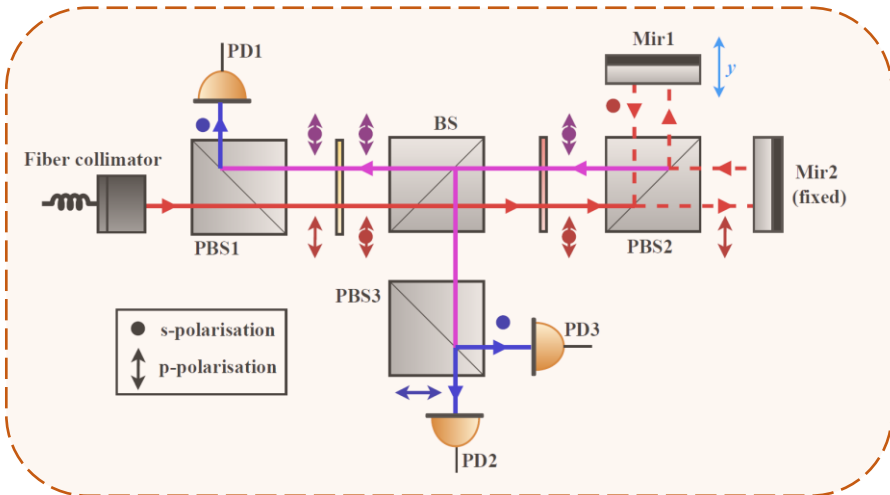
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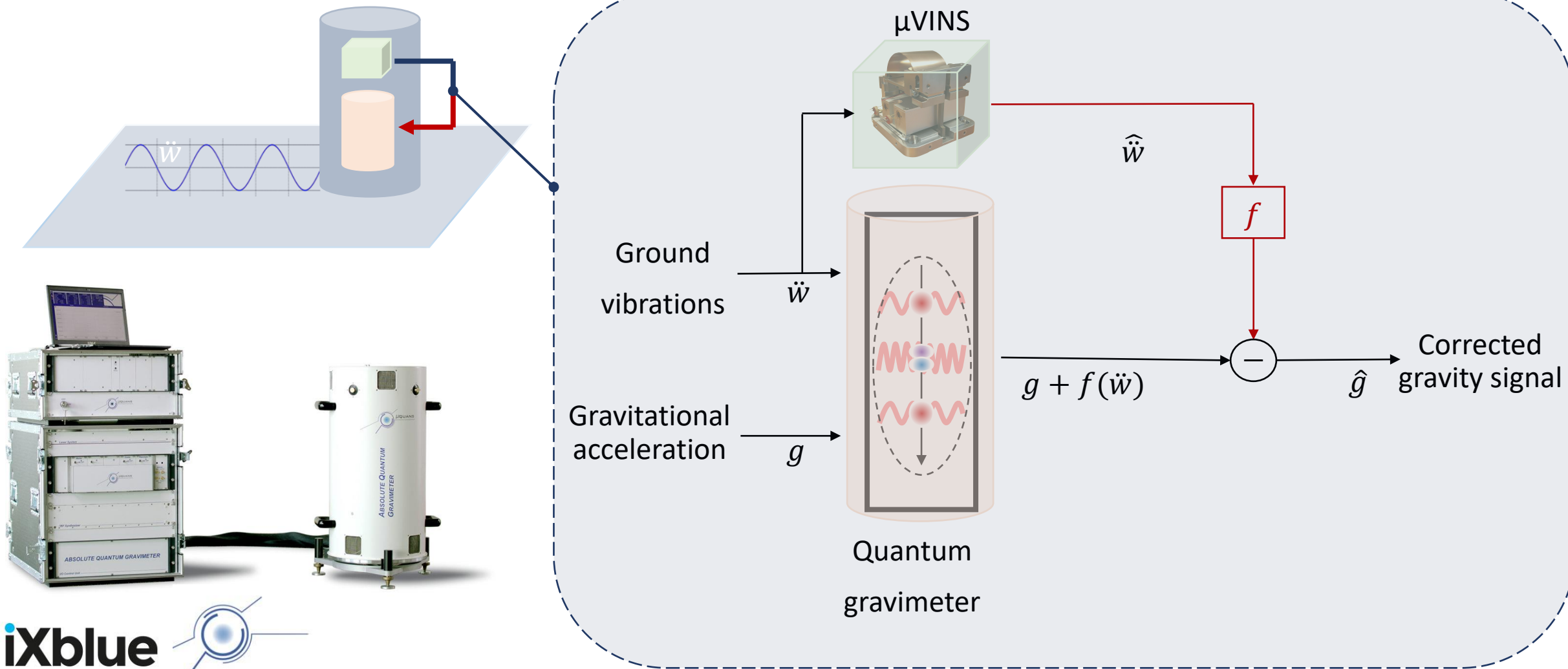
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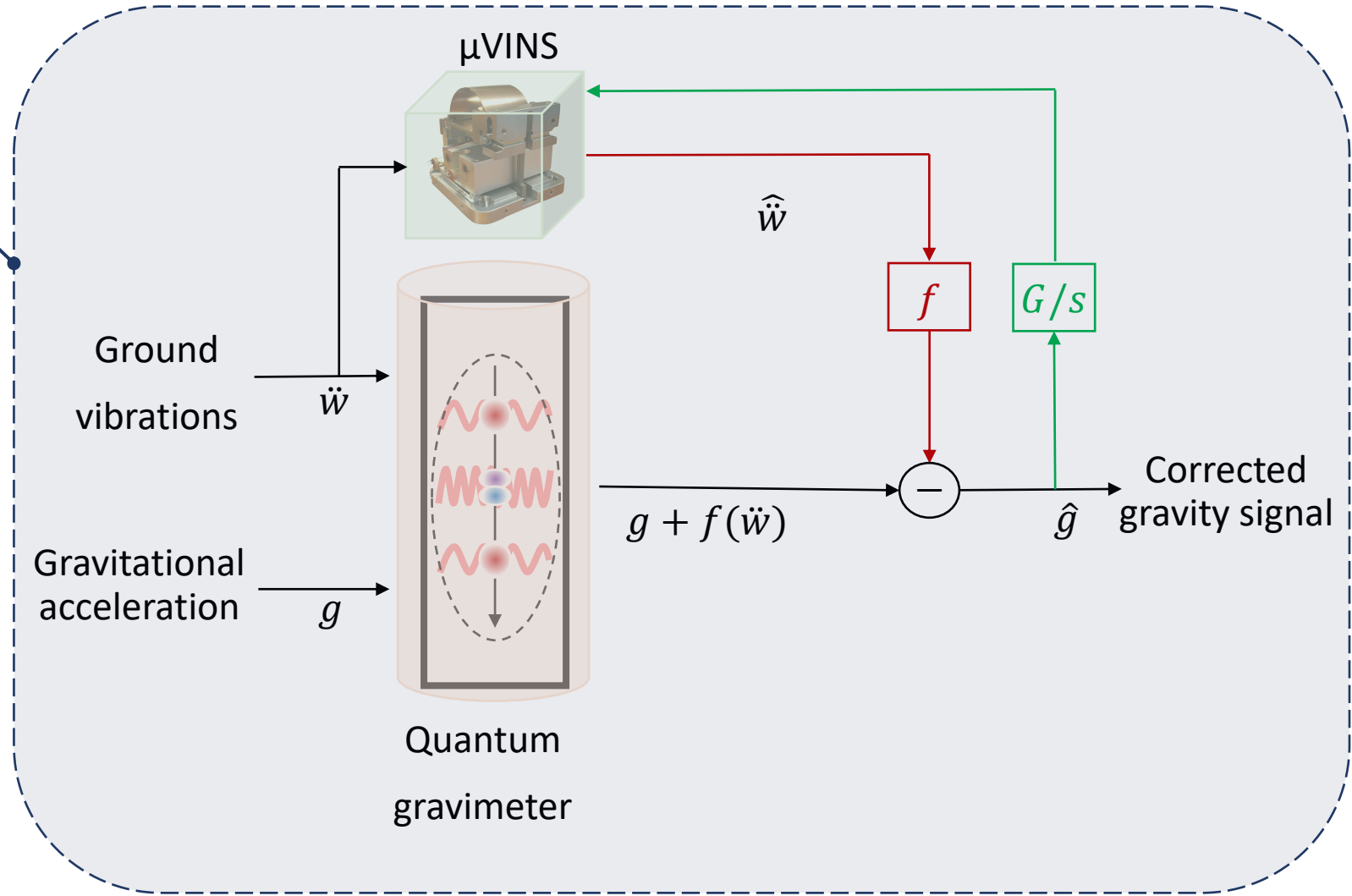
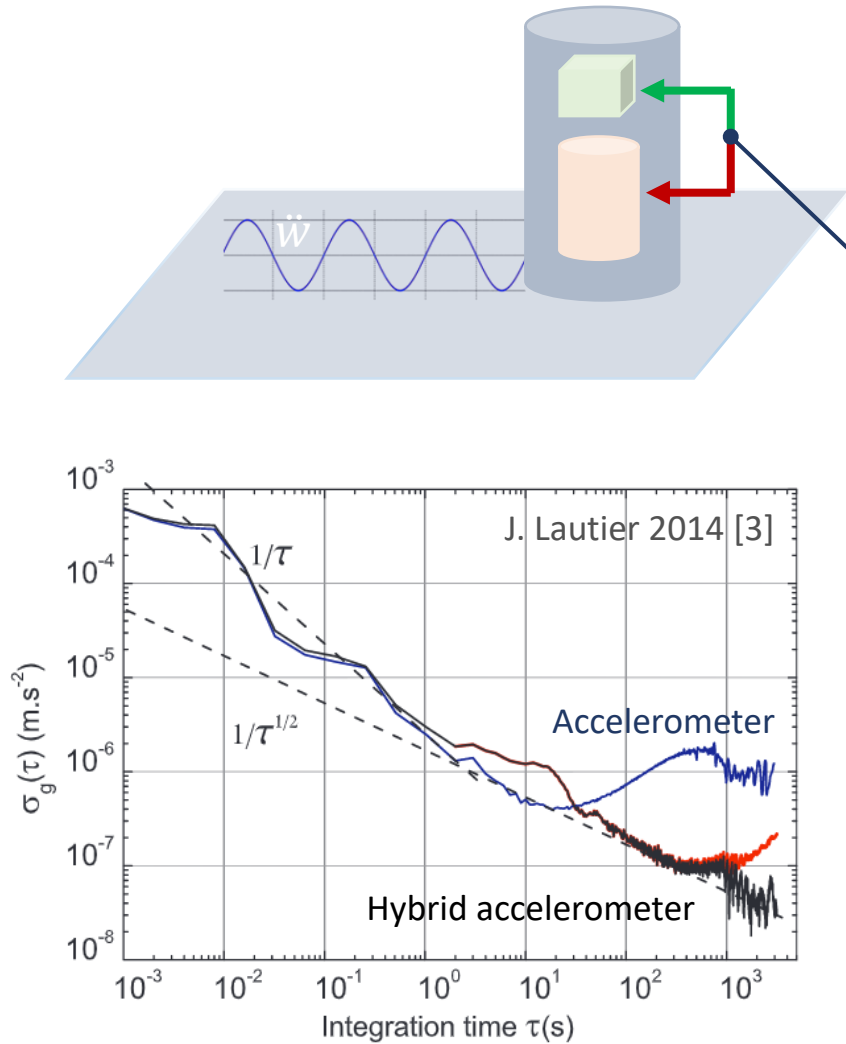
Quadrature optical readout



Vibration compensation



Full hybridizing



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