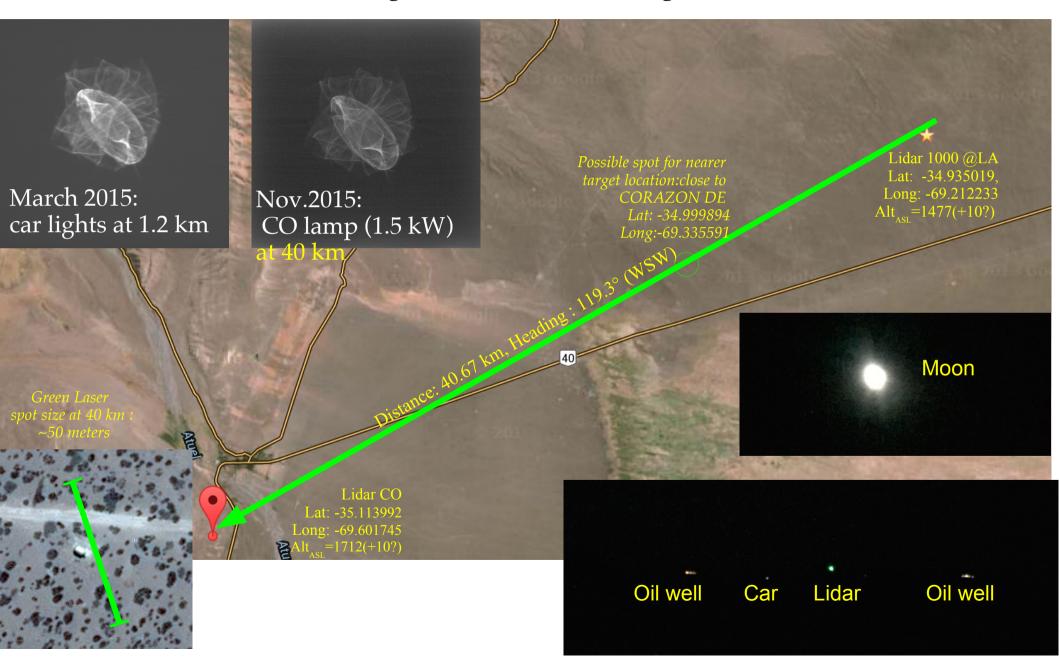
Elastic Lidars



R.Mussa Torino Richieste Servizi Base 30/6/2016

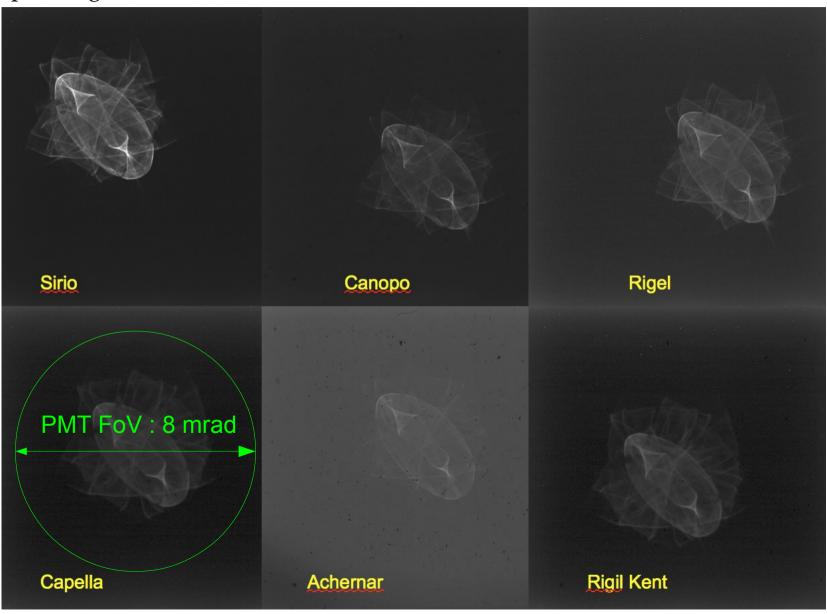
Lidar to Lidar: Coihueco ↔Loma Amarilla

In April 2016, we used the Coihueco lamps to compare the PSF of the old lidar mirror with the new one, shifting the CCD camera along its focal axis.



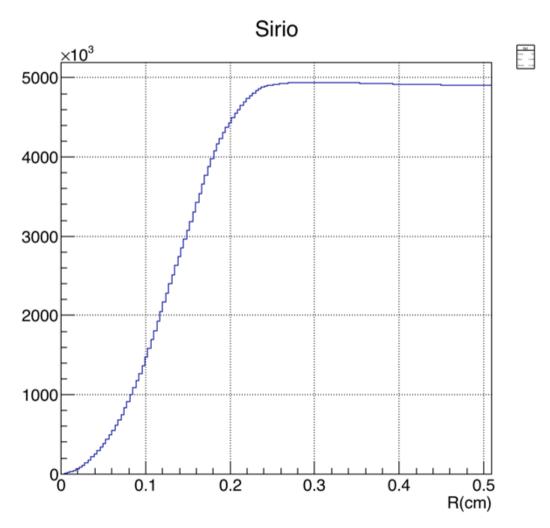
PSF of new Lidar optics

Last Malargue meeting we showed that the relative alignment between ancillary mirrors and central one is not changing with pointing direction.



PSF of new Lidar optics

- spherical mirror
 composite mirror: 1 central+4 side units
 one known defect: astigmatism
 well reproduced in simulations





Remote Control of New (and old) Lidars

May 2015:

- Installed Licel + PMT
- Installed RPC (for remote control of all switches)
- Installed UPS
- Cabled FD Trigger (from LA-1) to allow simultaneous operation of the two lidars.
- installed Pelco webcam

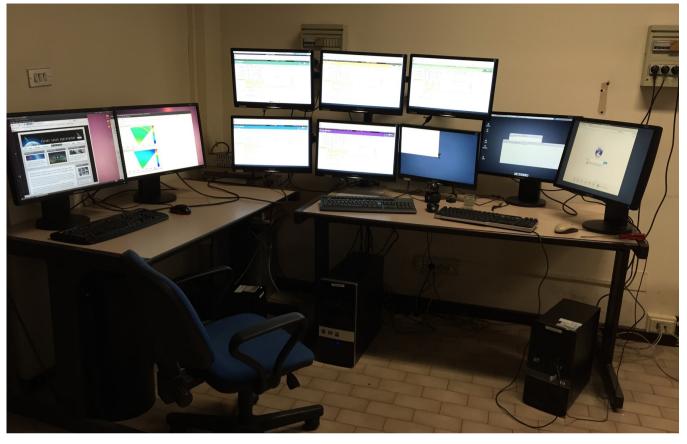
June 2015:

- Torino Remote ControlRoom

Is finally ready to operate

What's left to do?

FIX THE OLD LASERS







Maintenance of Old Lidars

April 2015:

- Trip to Bariloche, to learn how to do laser maintenance from CNEA expert E.Cortizo.
- We used both IR viewer and IR sensitive paper, to ubicate the beam and to adjust the input fiber direction
- More work needed to fix the other lasers : a maintenance room is being prepared in Malargue.





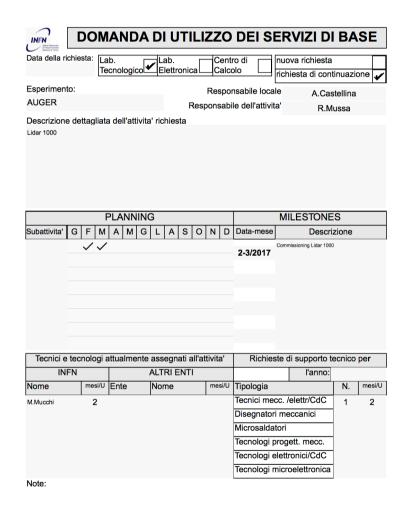


E.Cortizo fixed the laser head 07-194 that will be installed in Loma Amarilla new Lidar in September-October

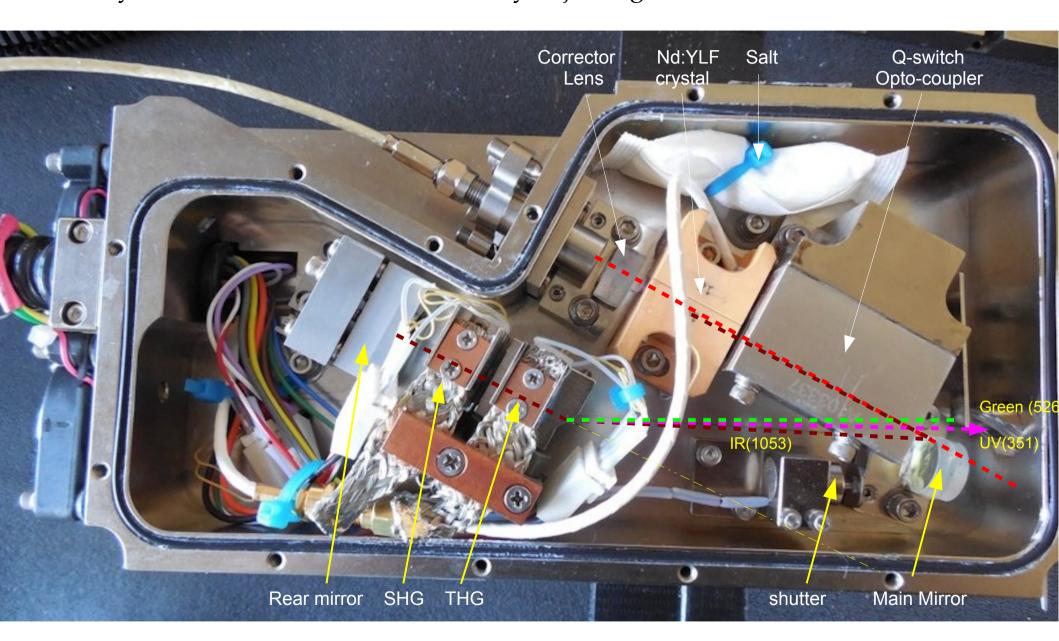
Richieste in Sezione

Avro' bisogno di ~2 mu di M.Mucchi e del mitico Simonetti per installare il Laser sul nuovo Lidar di Loma Amarilla e allinearlo, sperabilmente entro fine 2016. Nel 2017 avro' bisogno di Mucchi per la manutenzione degli altri lidar.





Photonics 07-194 Laser Head, (fixed by Eduardo Cortizo in Bariloche, by adjusting the Rear mirror)



LIDAR upgrade

Looks closer (0.8 km to 0.2 km)

Looks farther (30 km to > 35 km)

- * 10x dynamic range
- * 1/3 field of view
- * 1/10 star background
- * less forgiving on misalignments



