

# Einstein-Podolsky-Rosen (EPR) Squeezing Experiments from ANU & Hamburg

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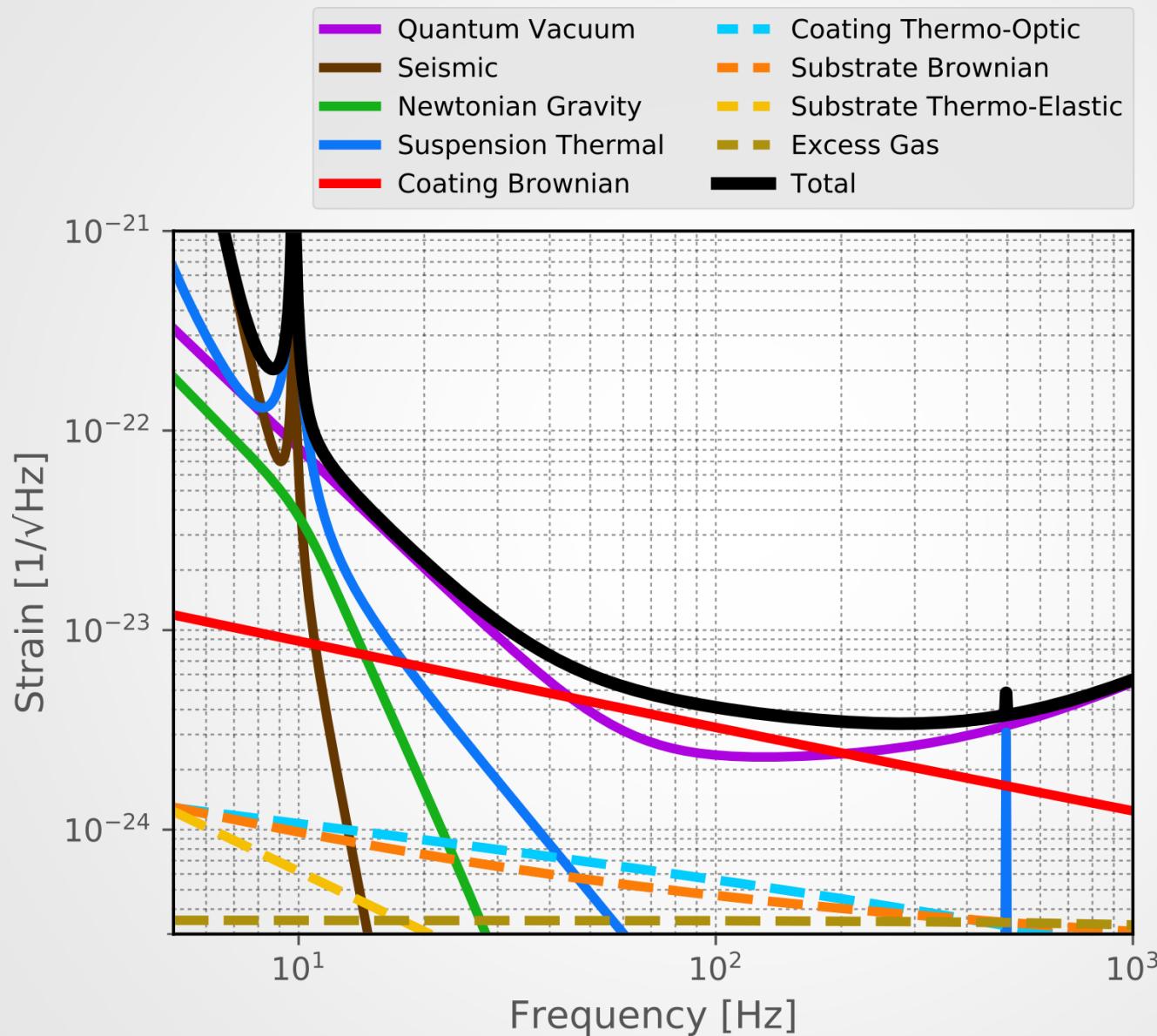


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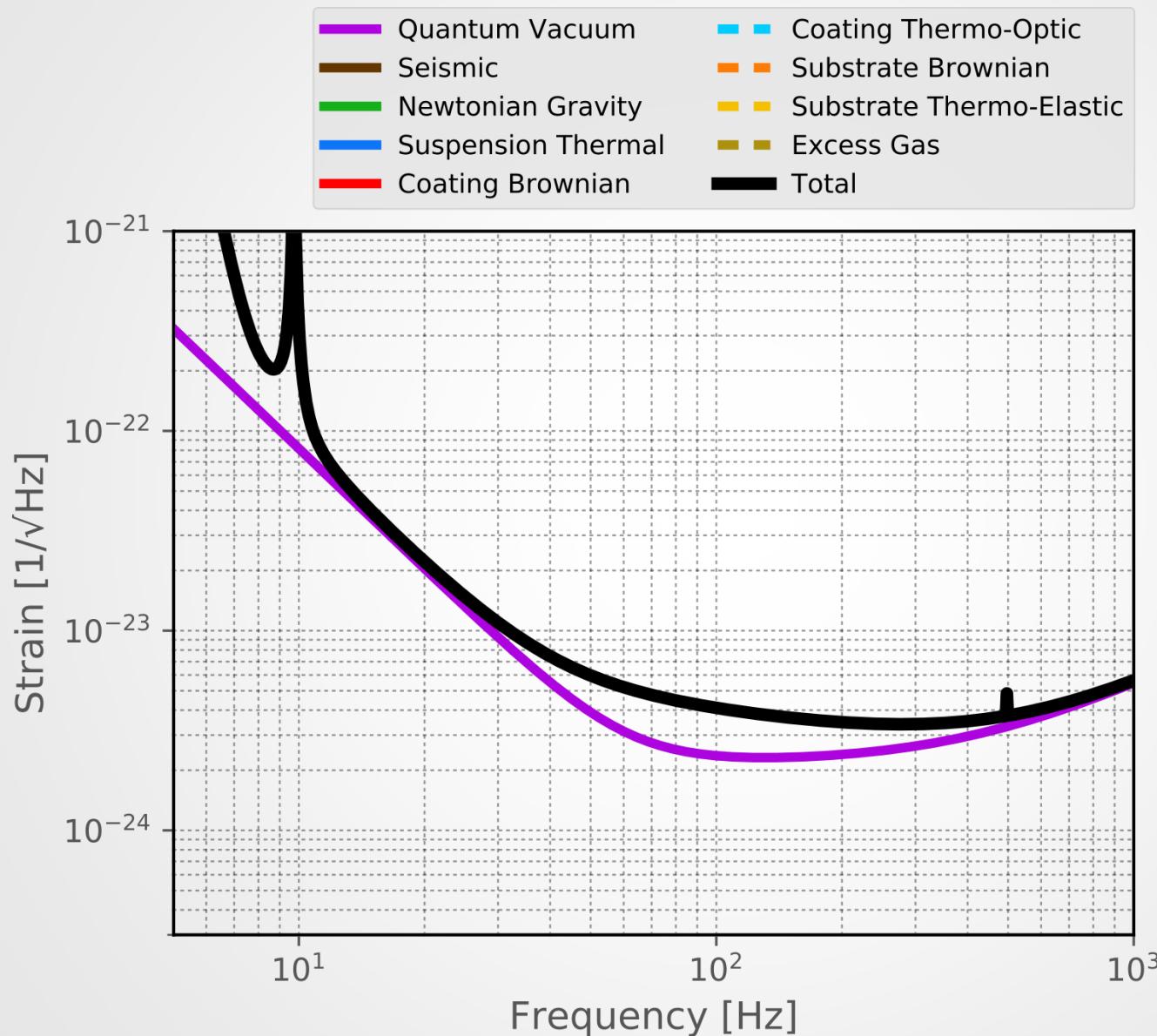


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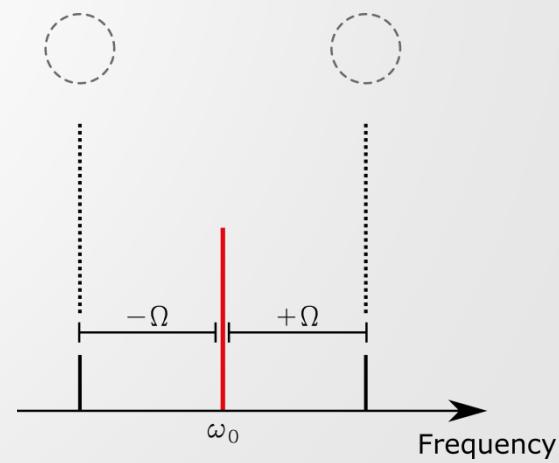
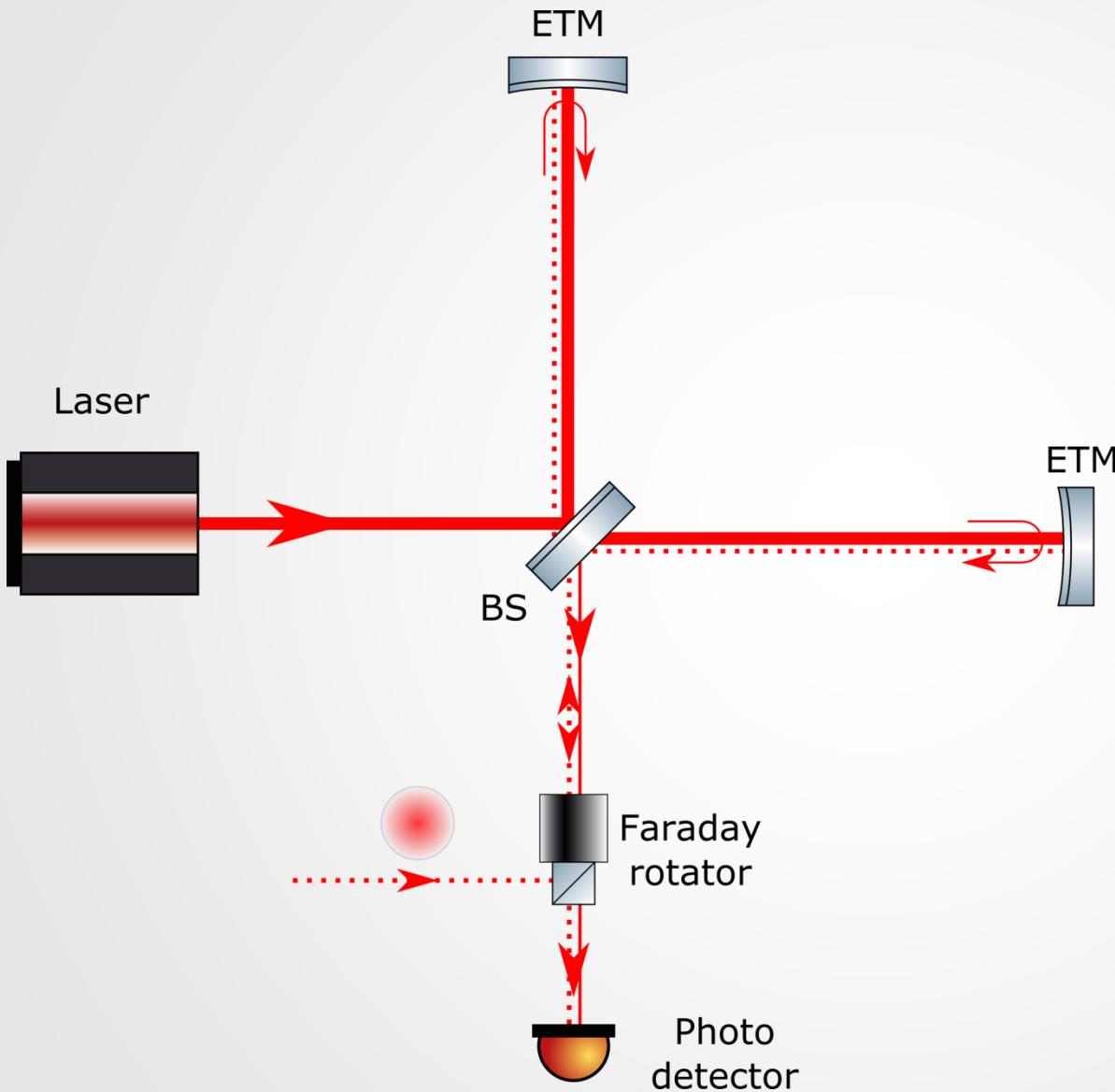
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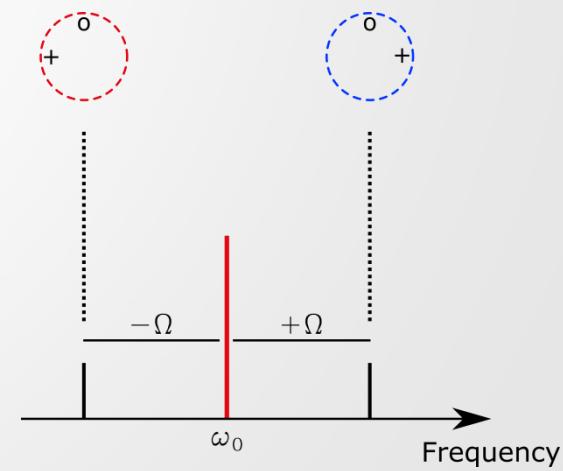
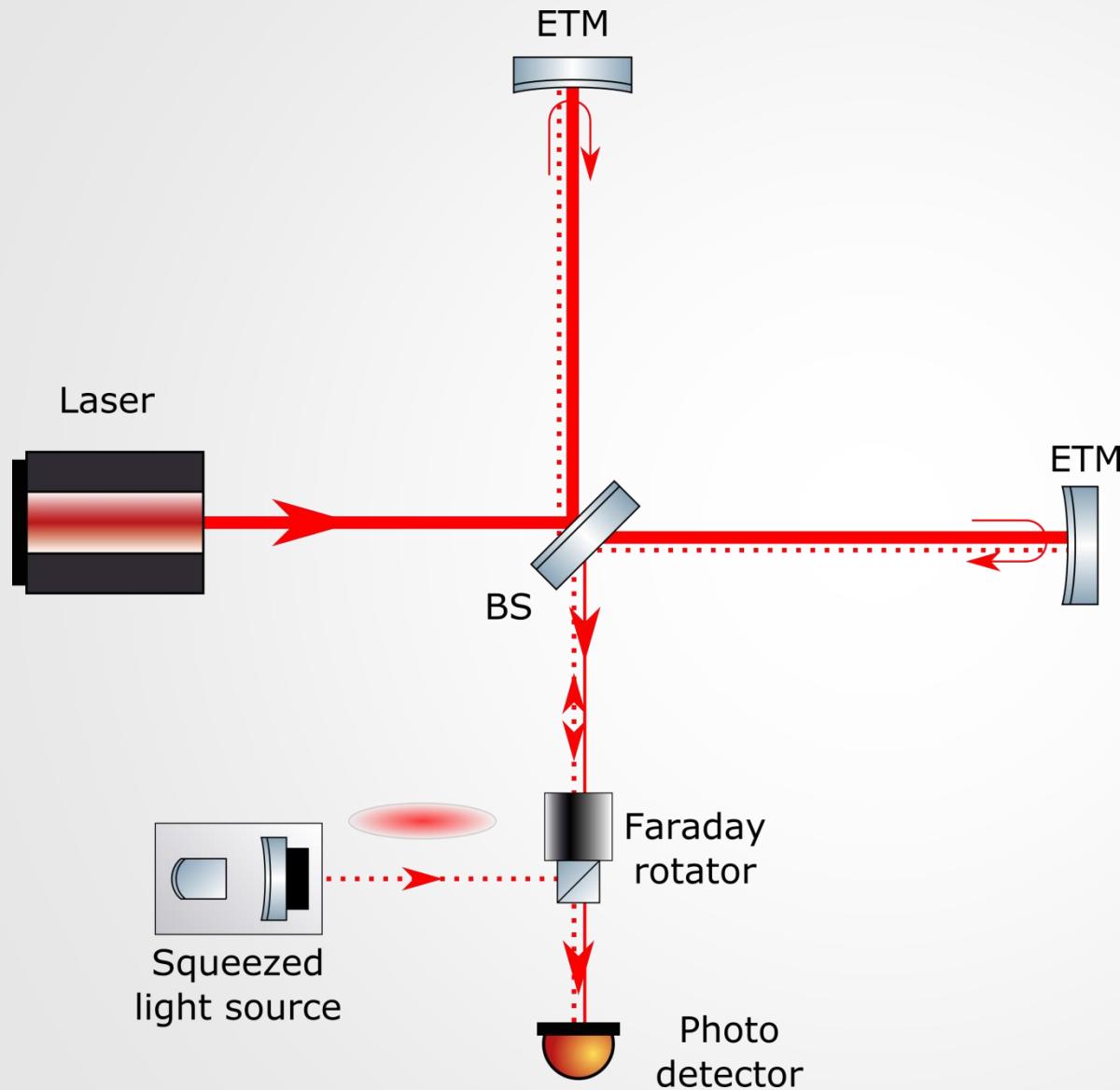
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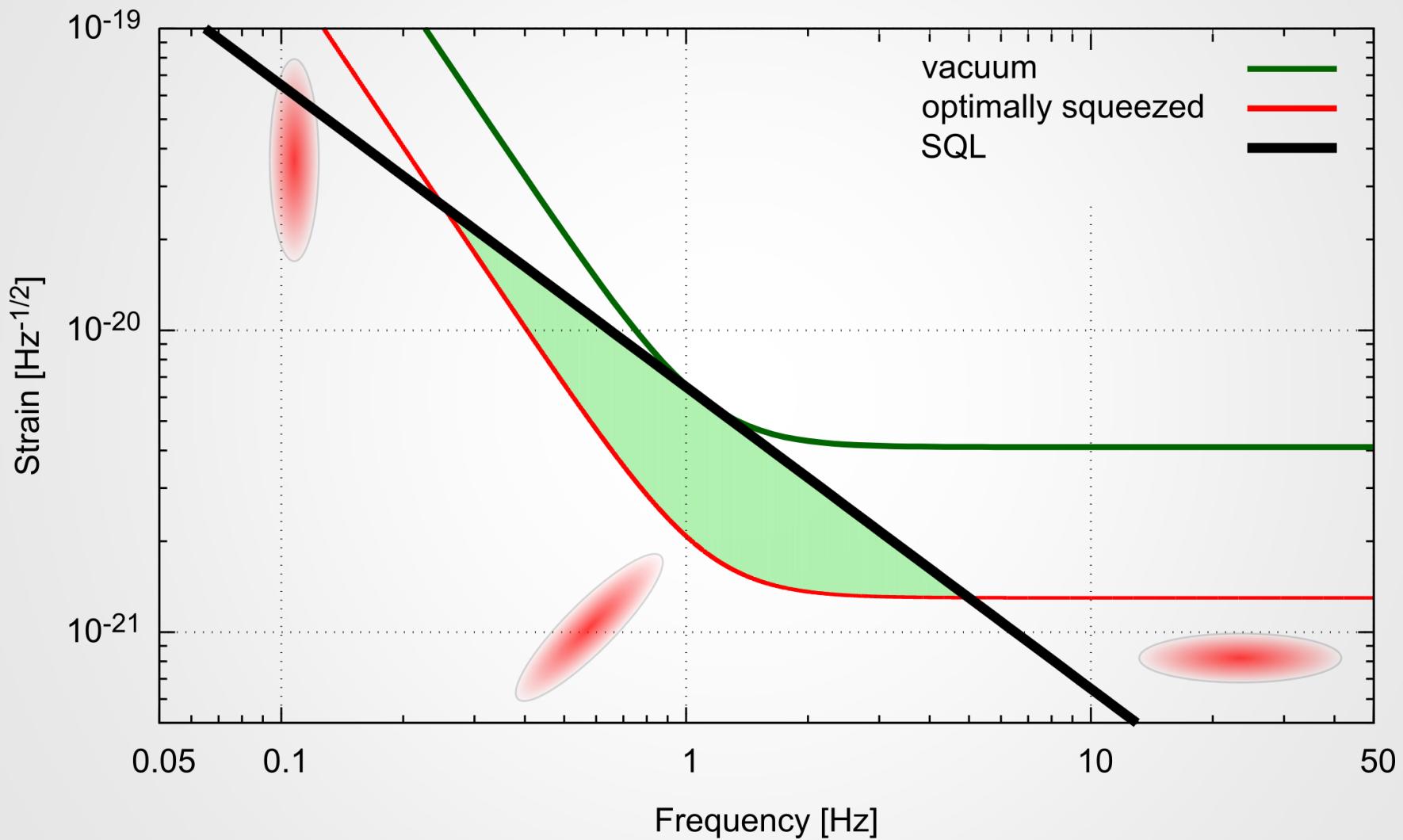
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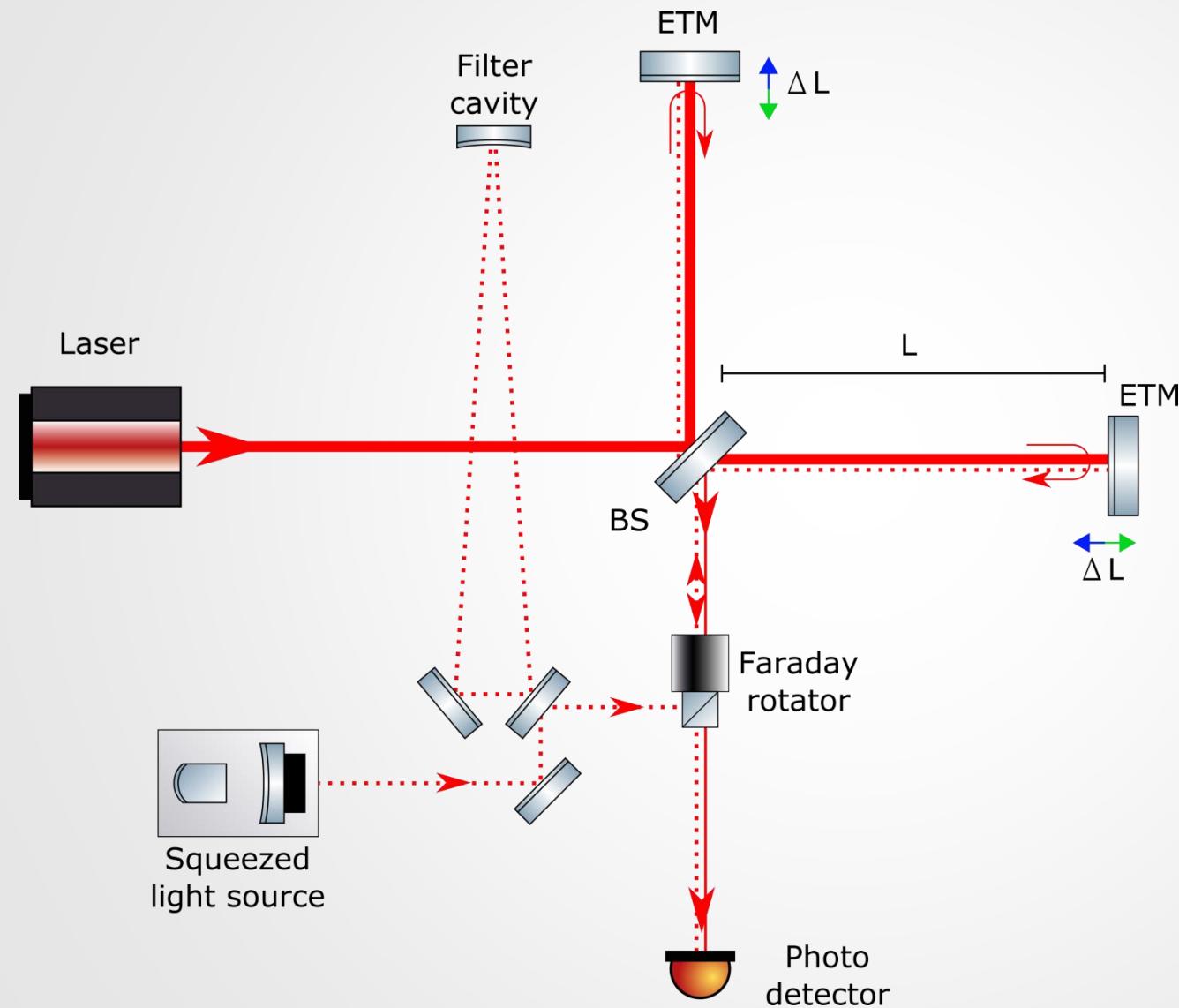
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# Squeezed Quantum Noise Spectra



# Approach by Filter Cavities



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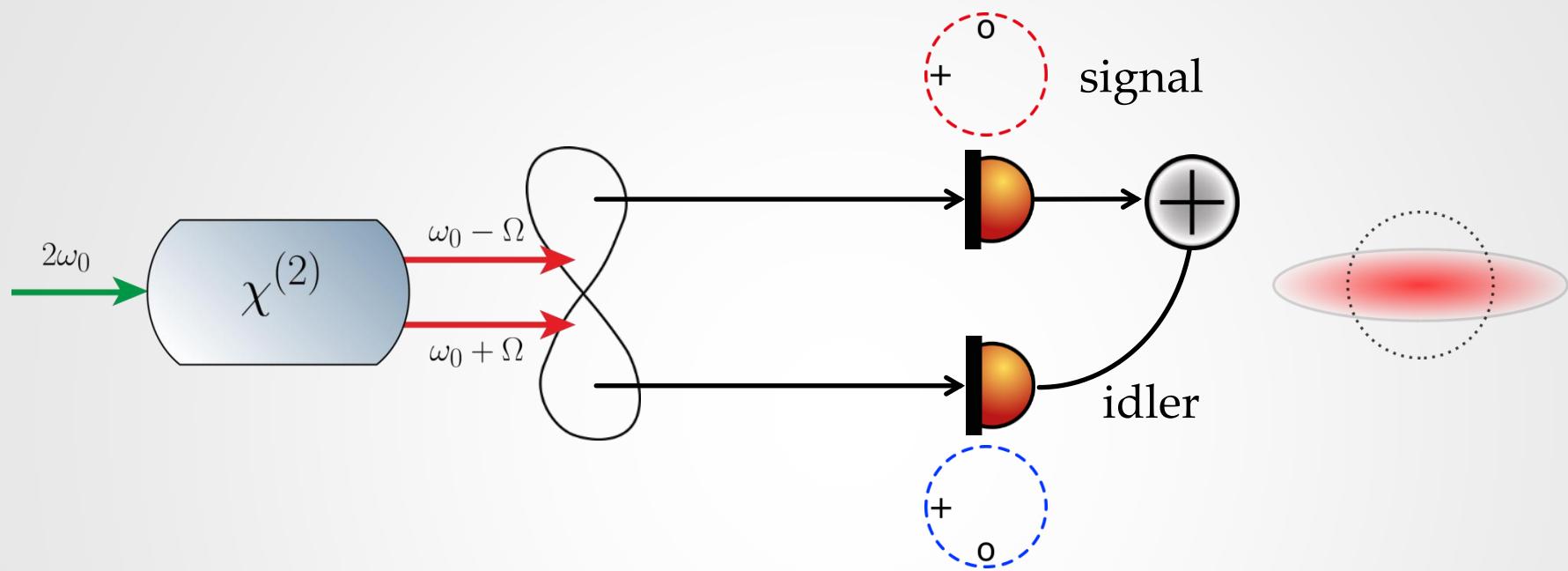
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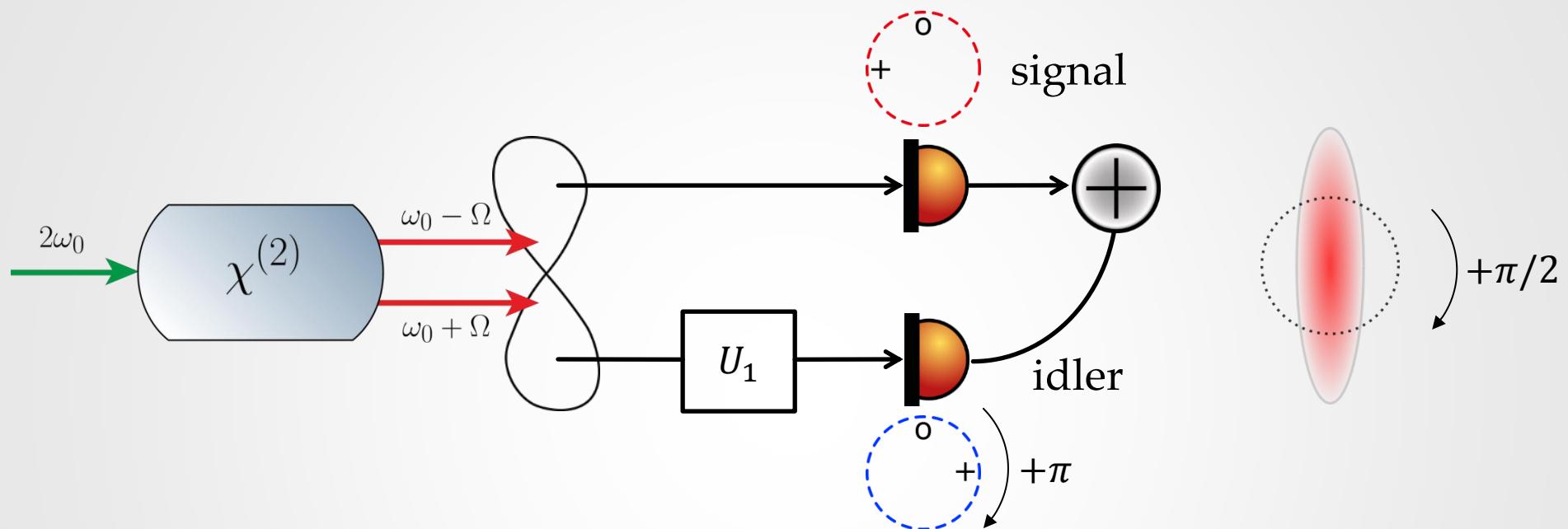
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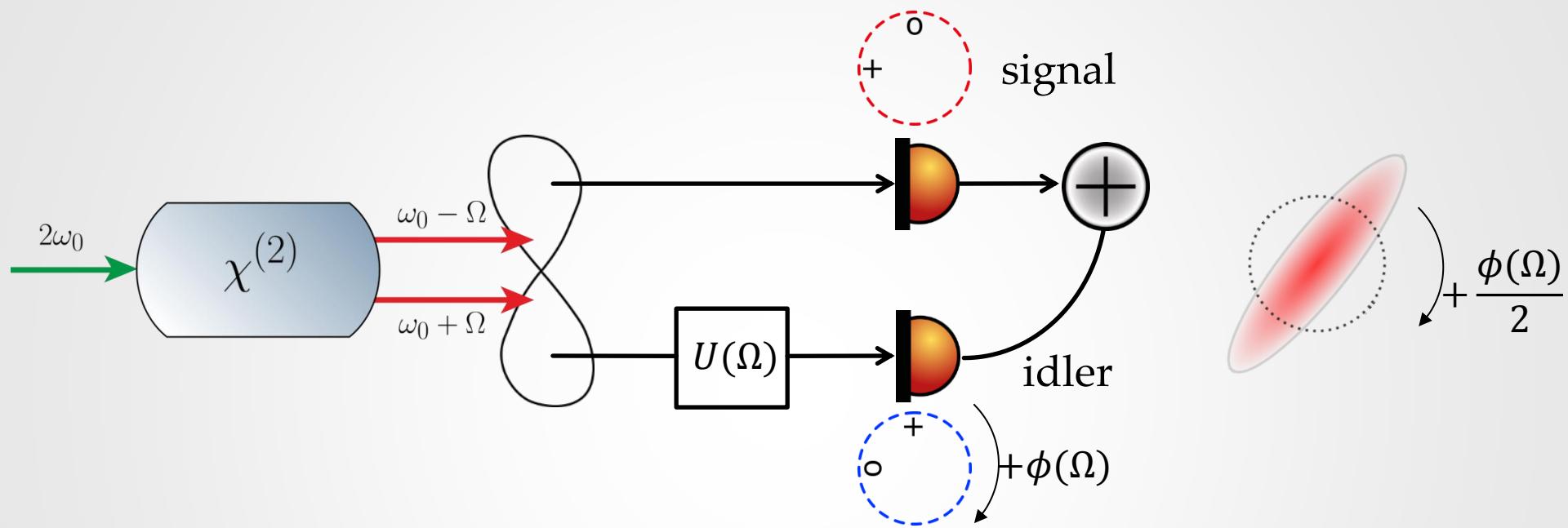
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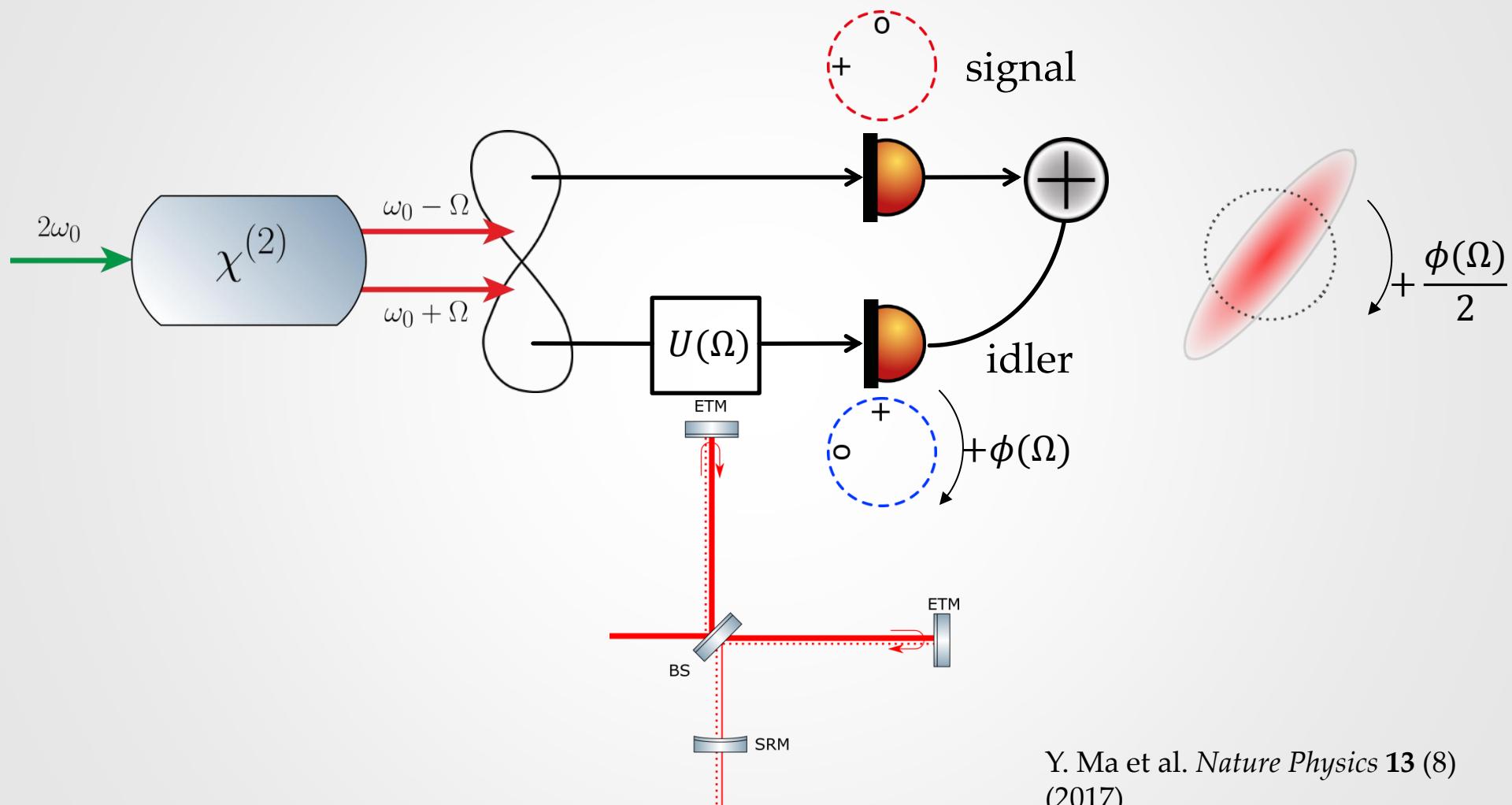
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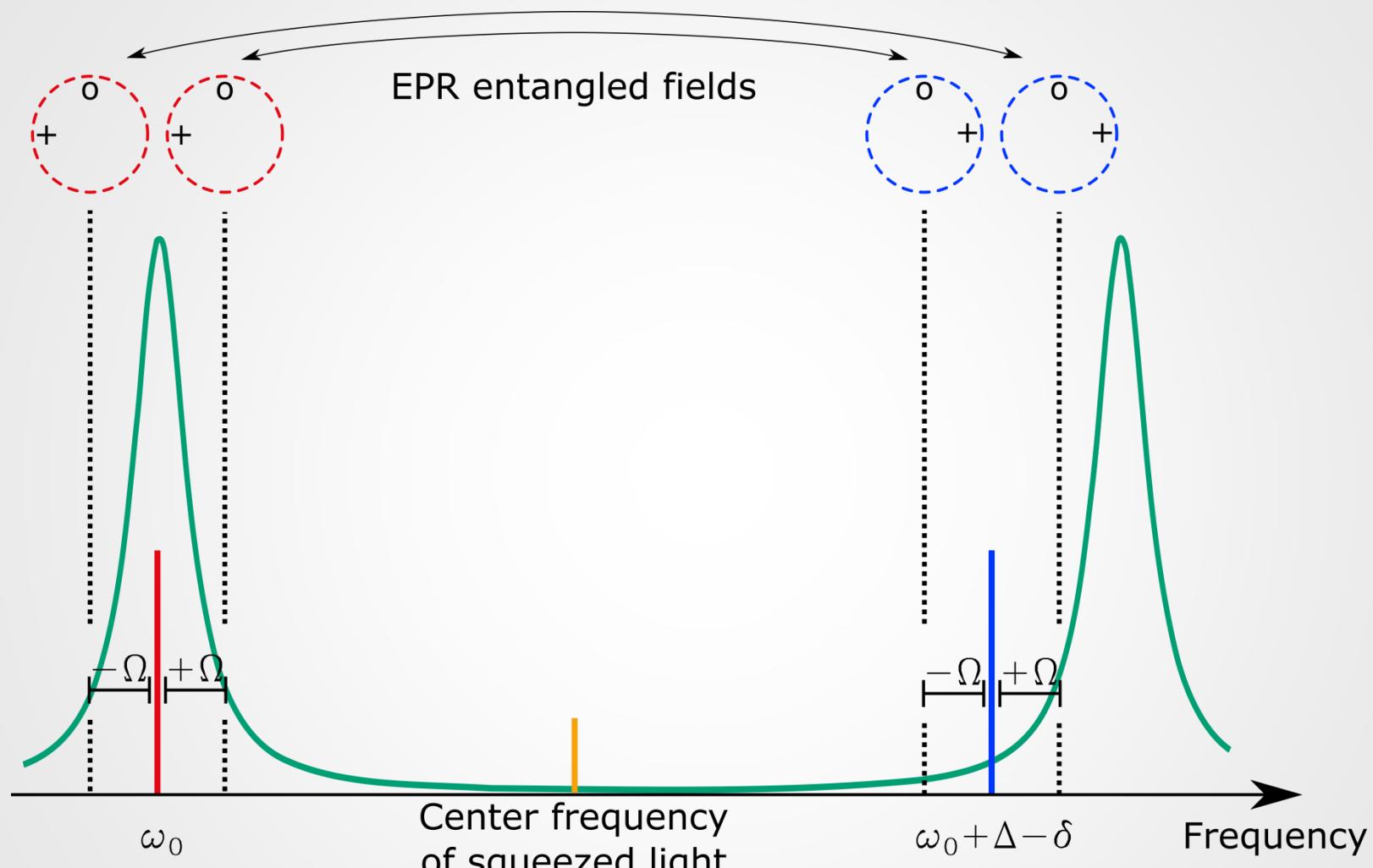
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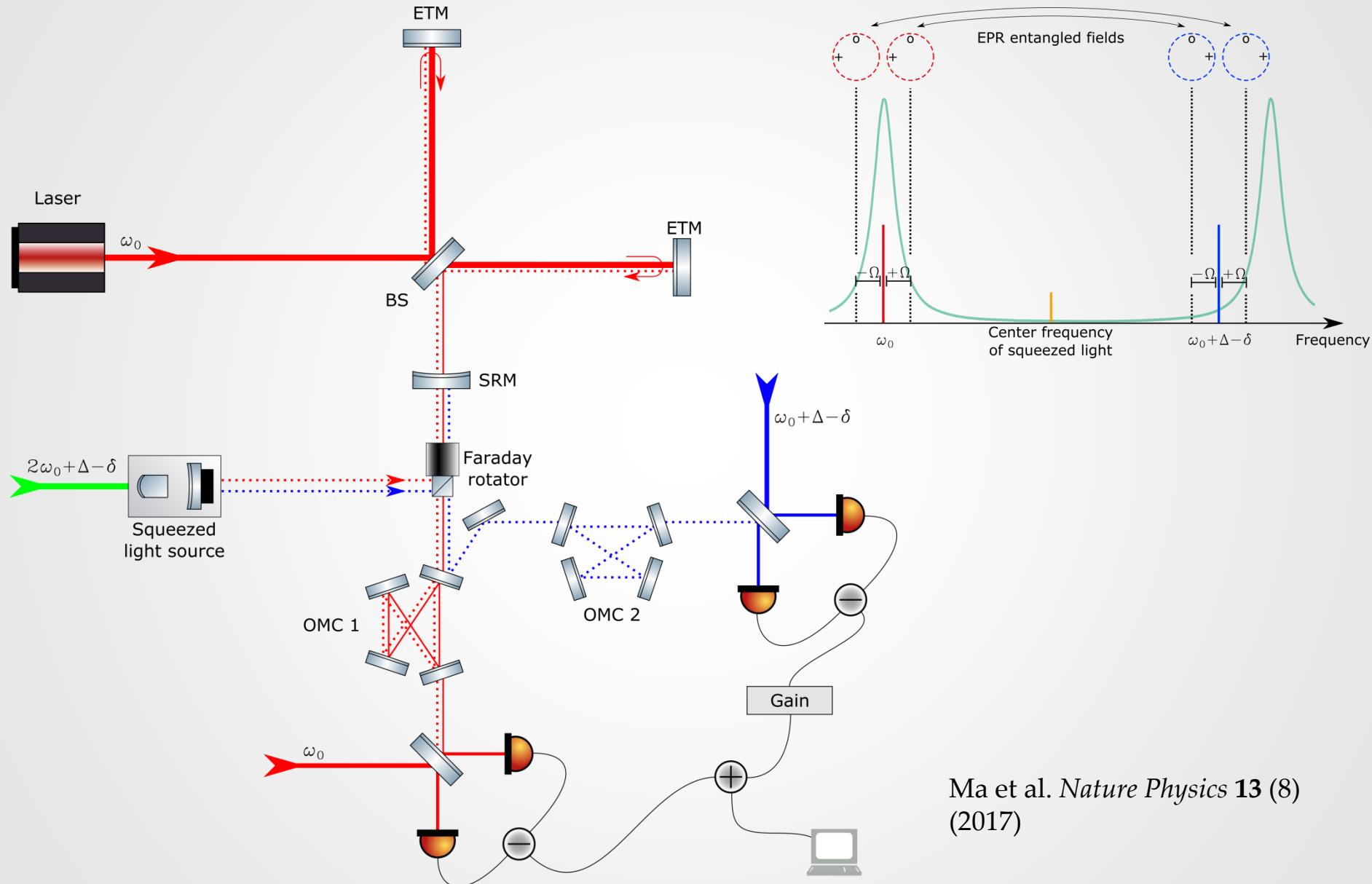
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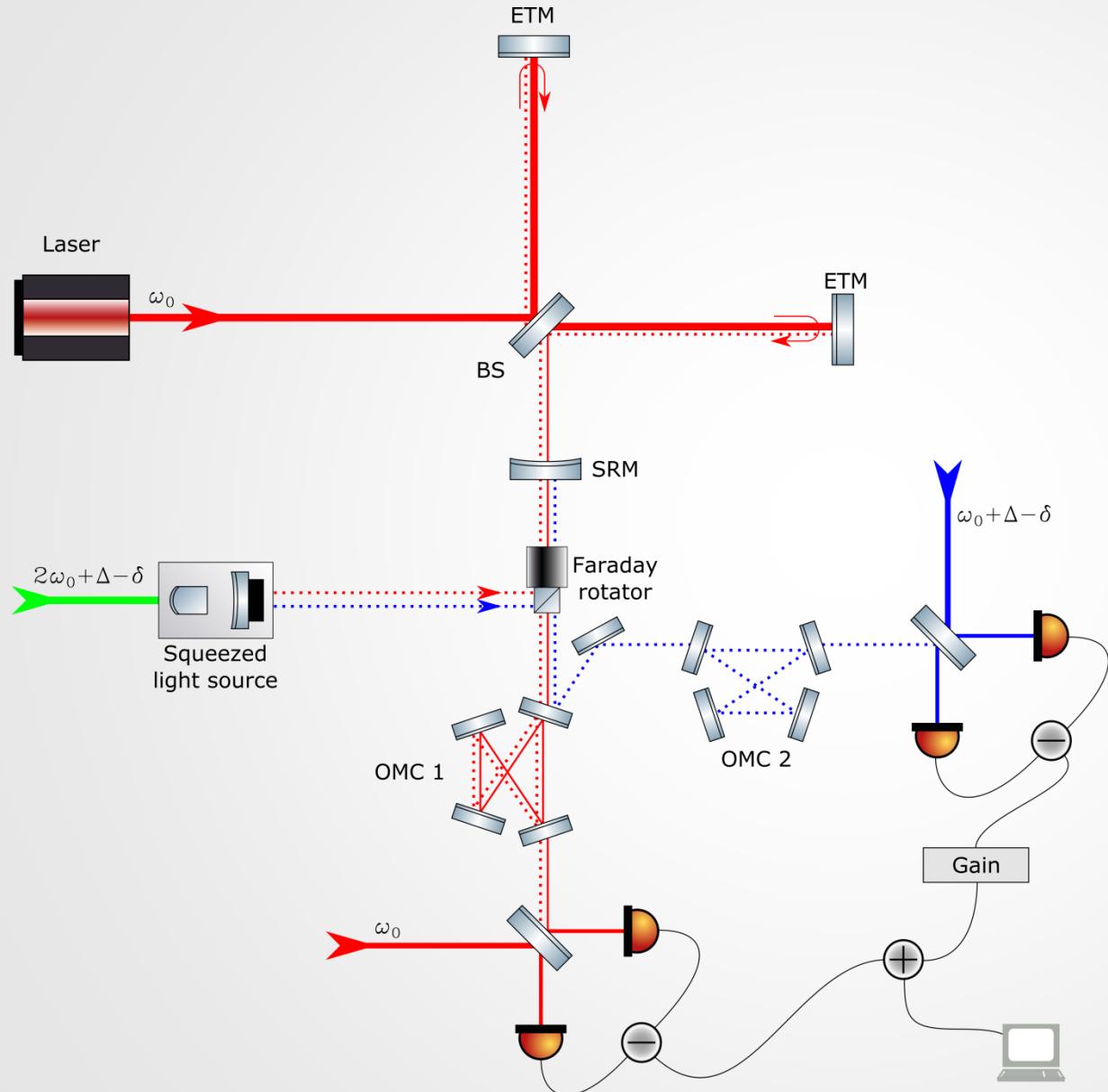
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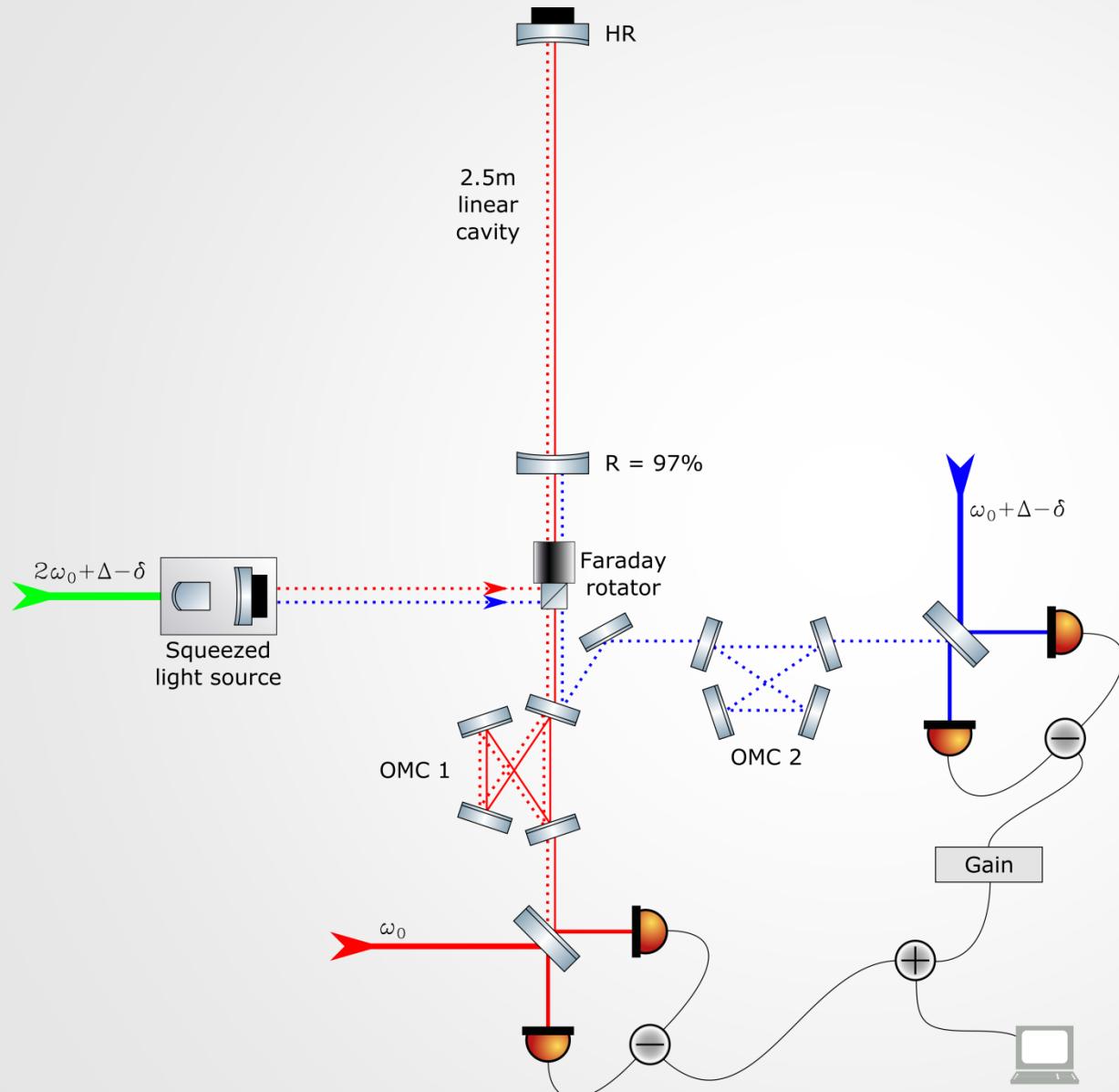
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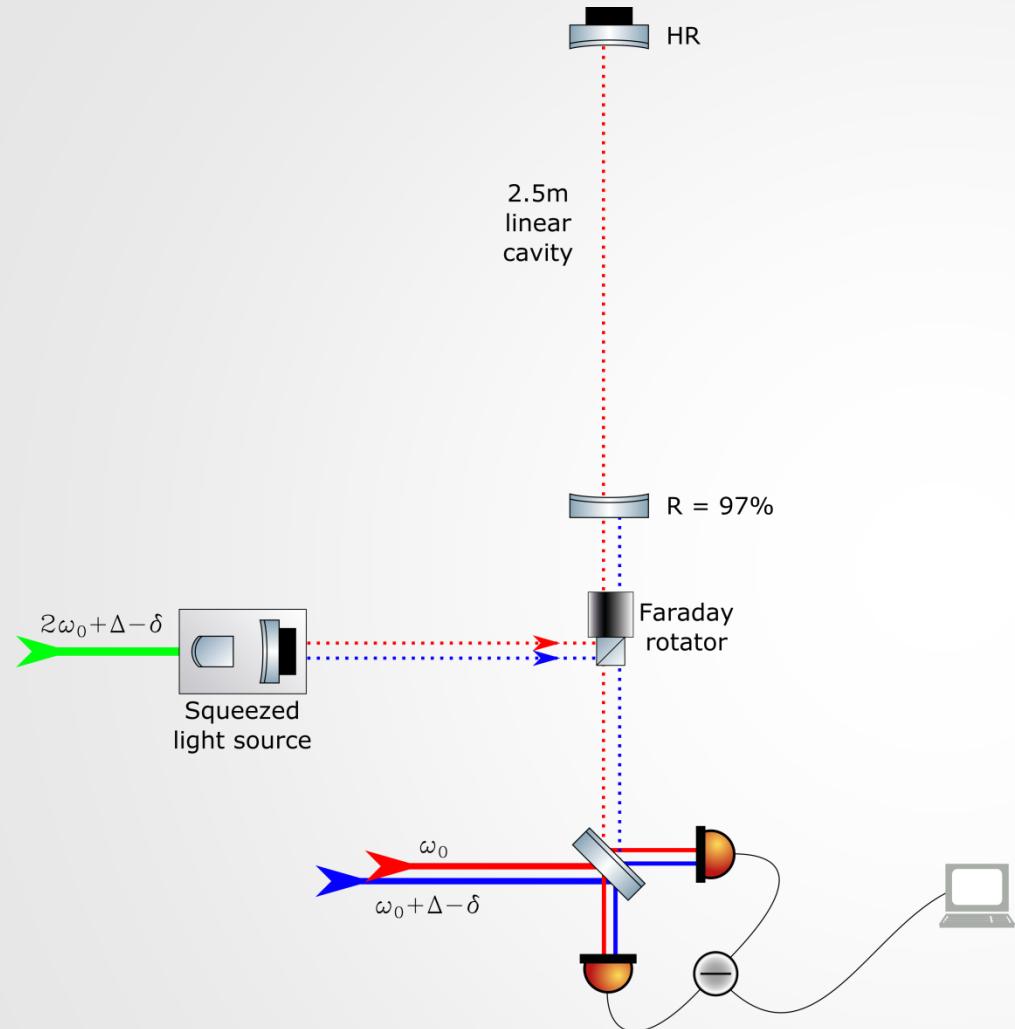
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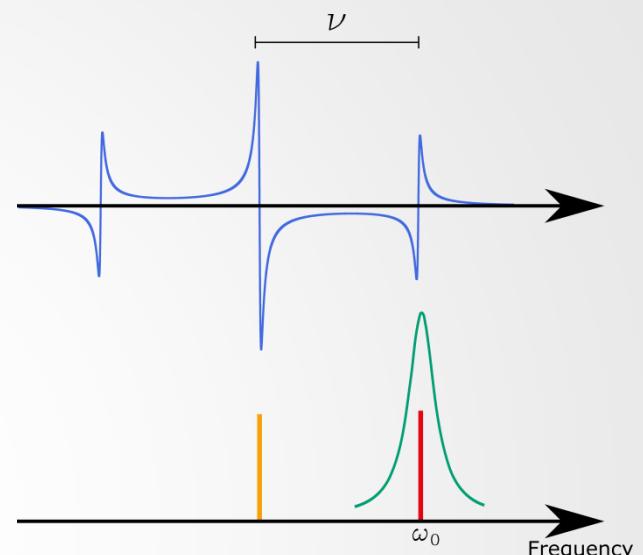
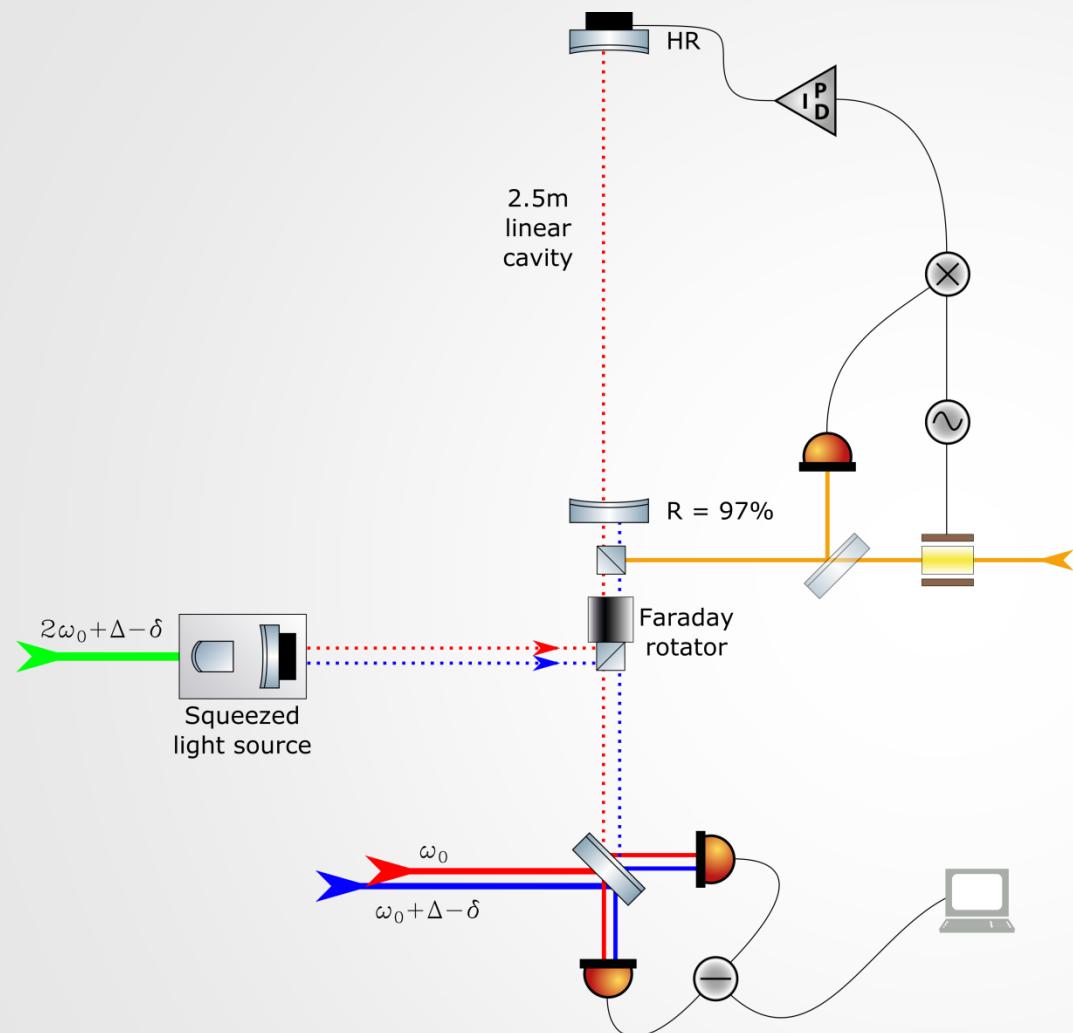
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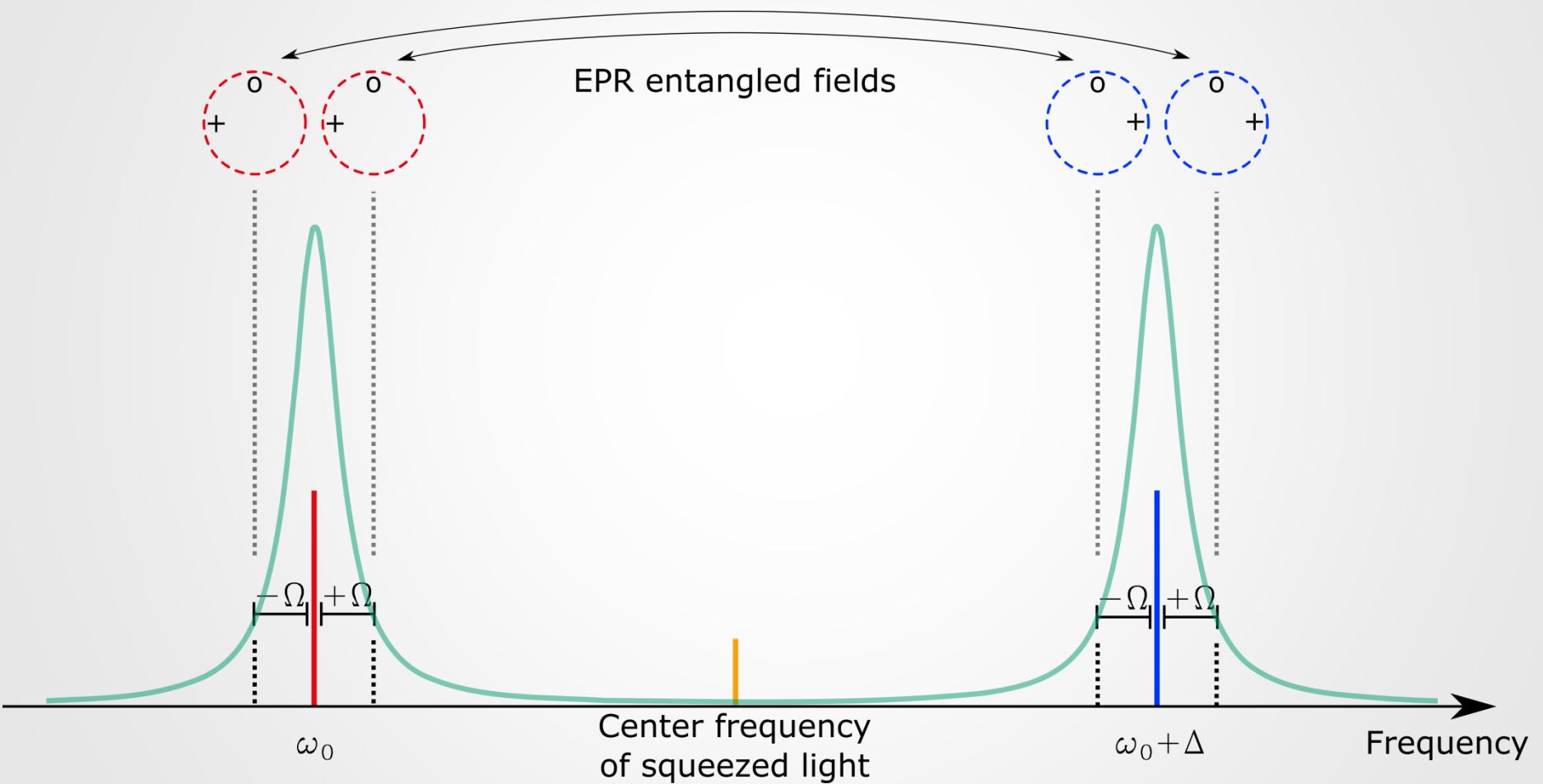
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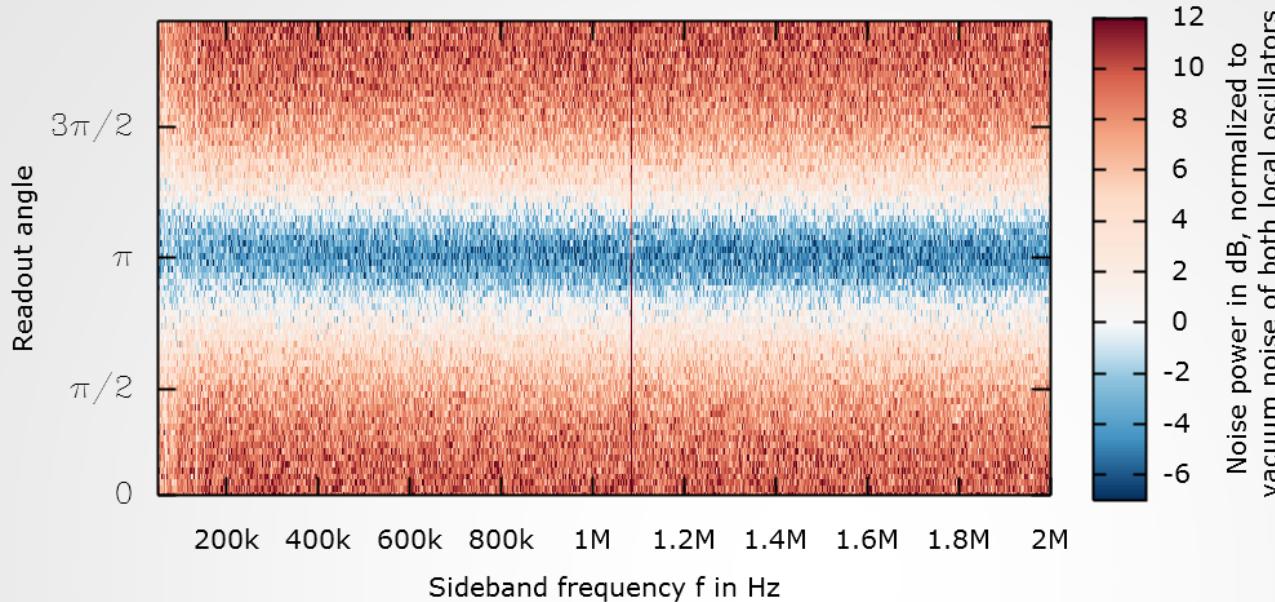


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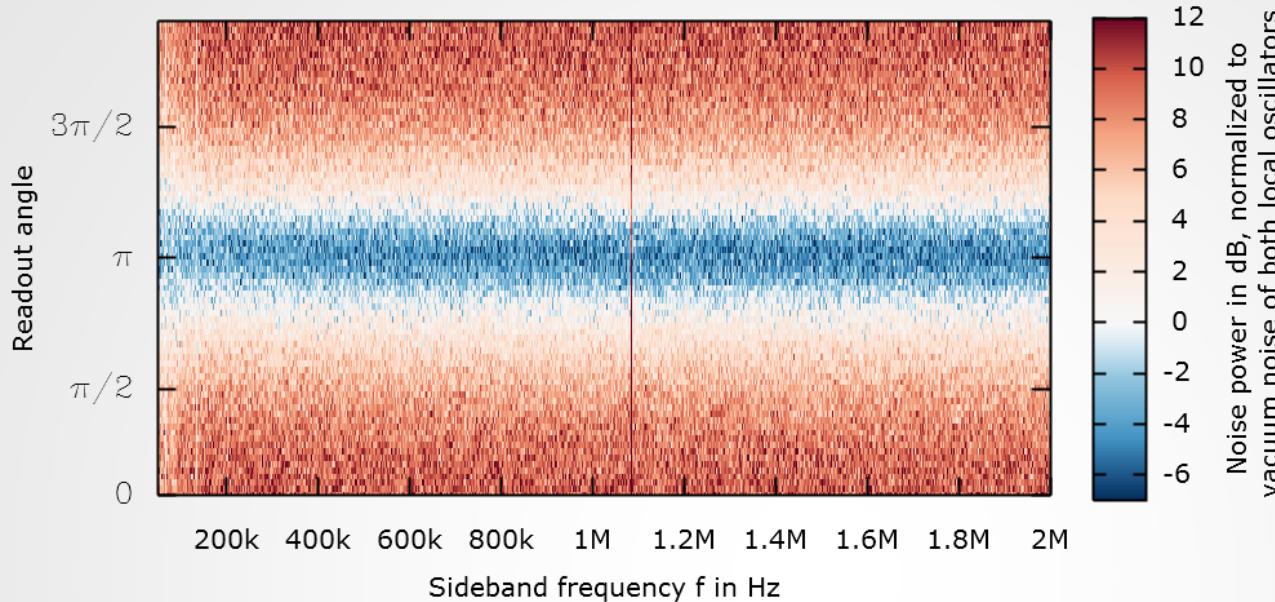
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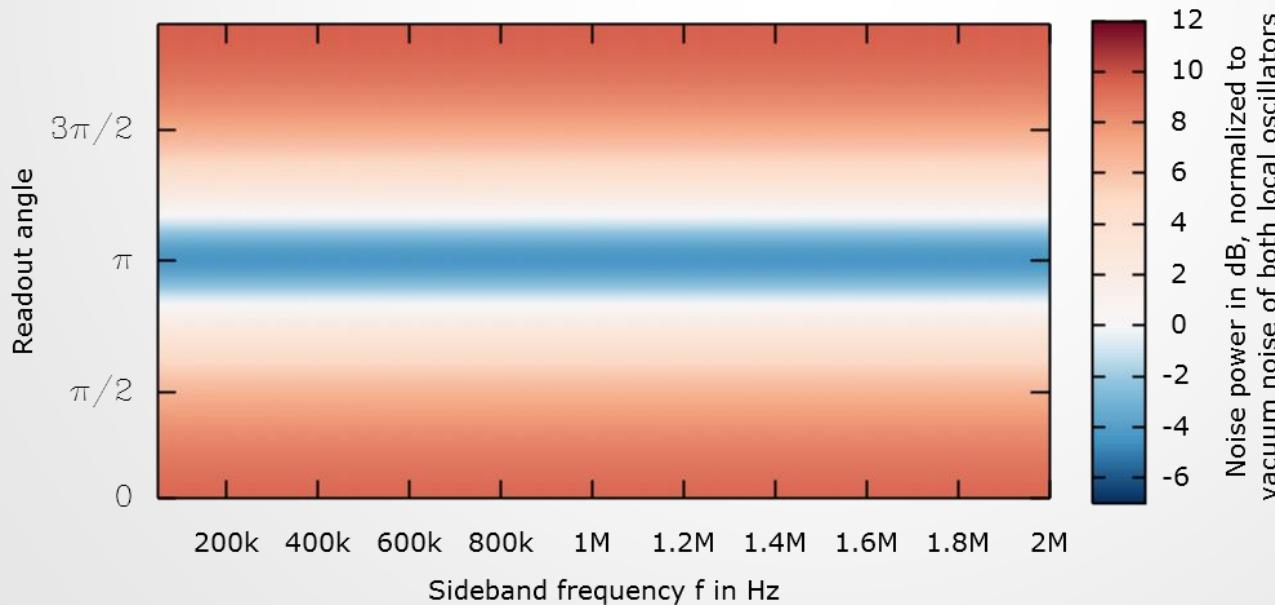


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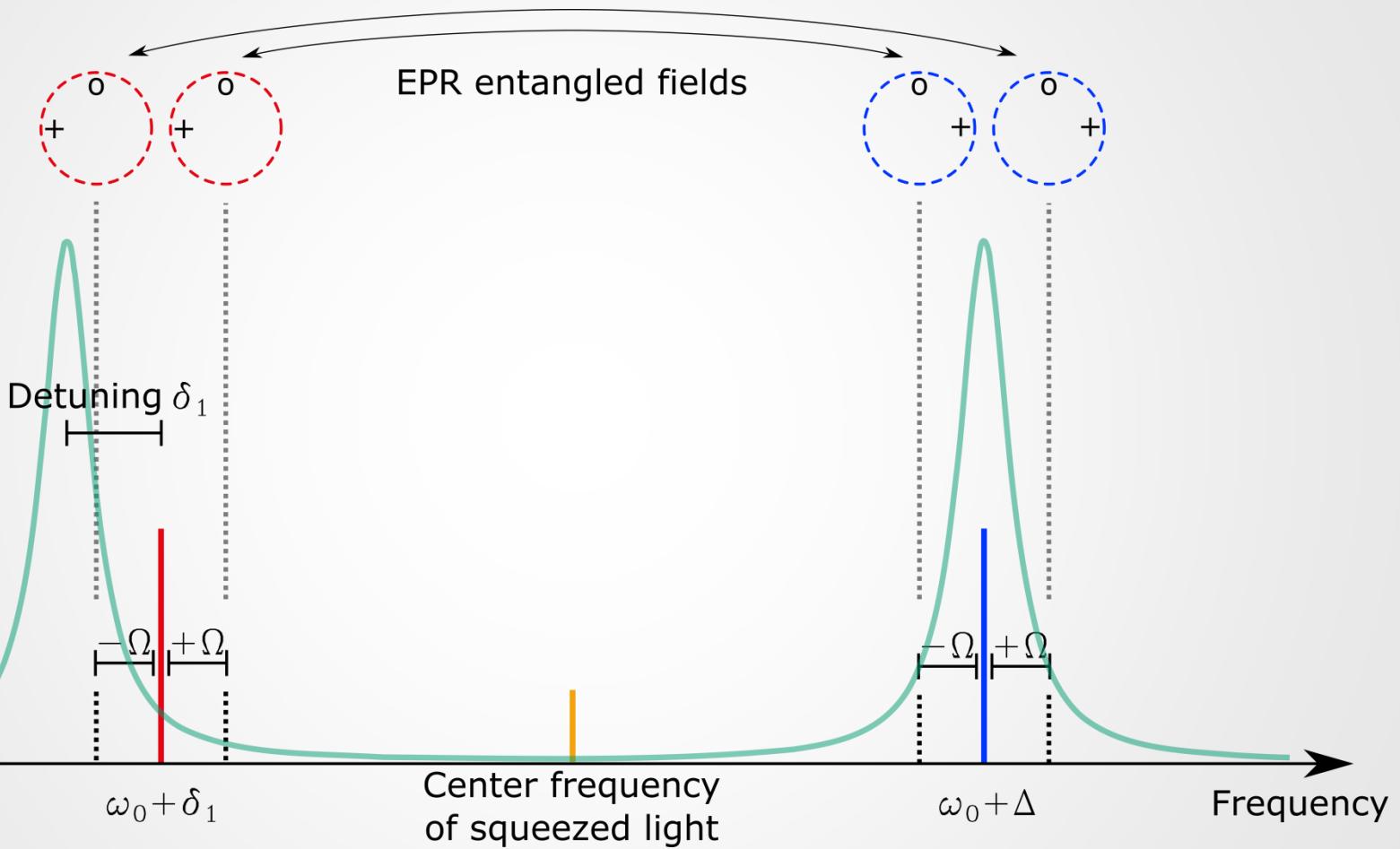
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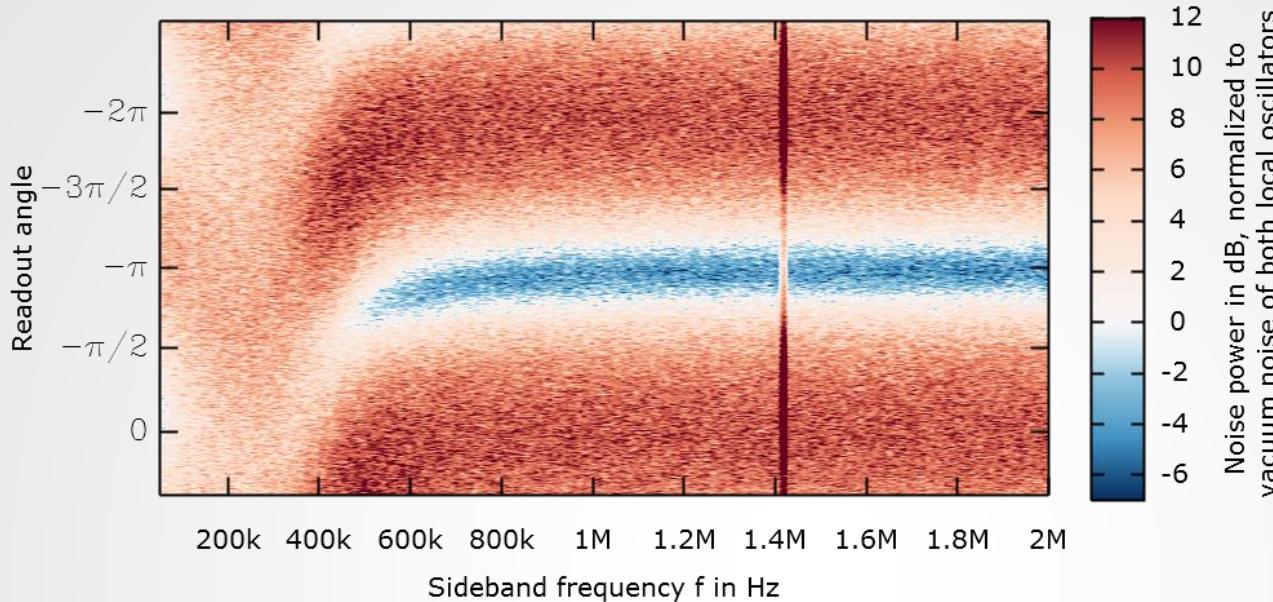


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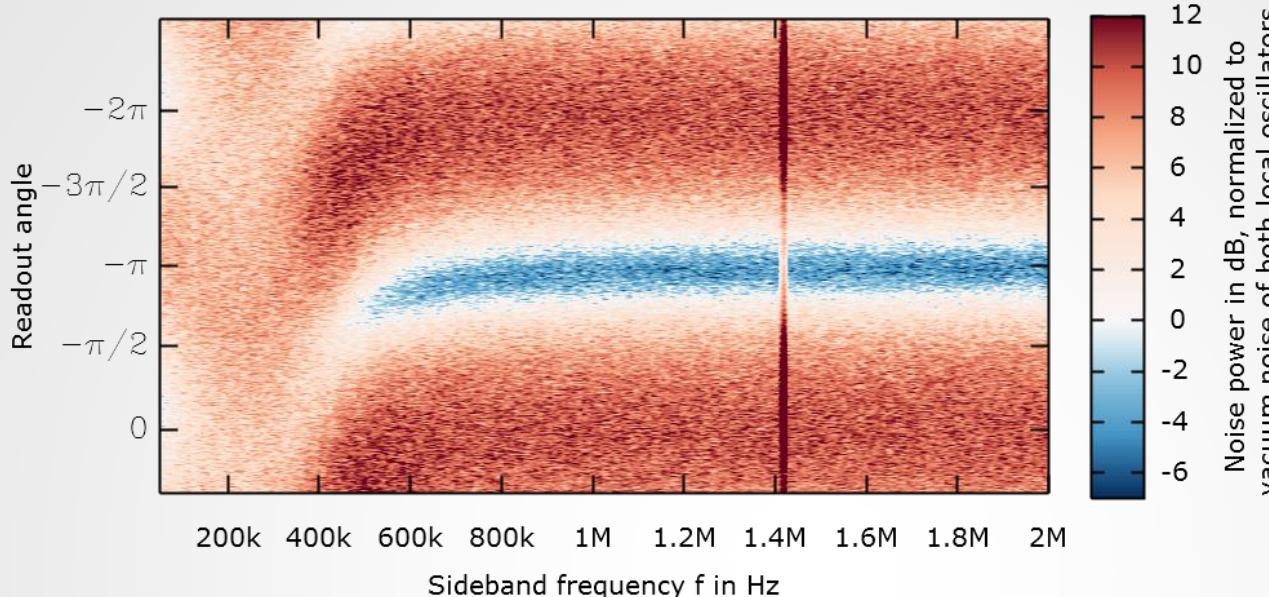
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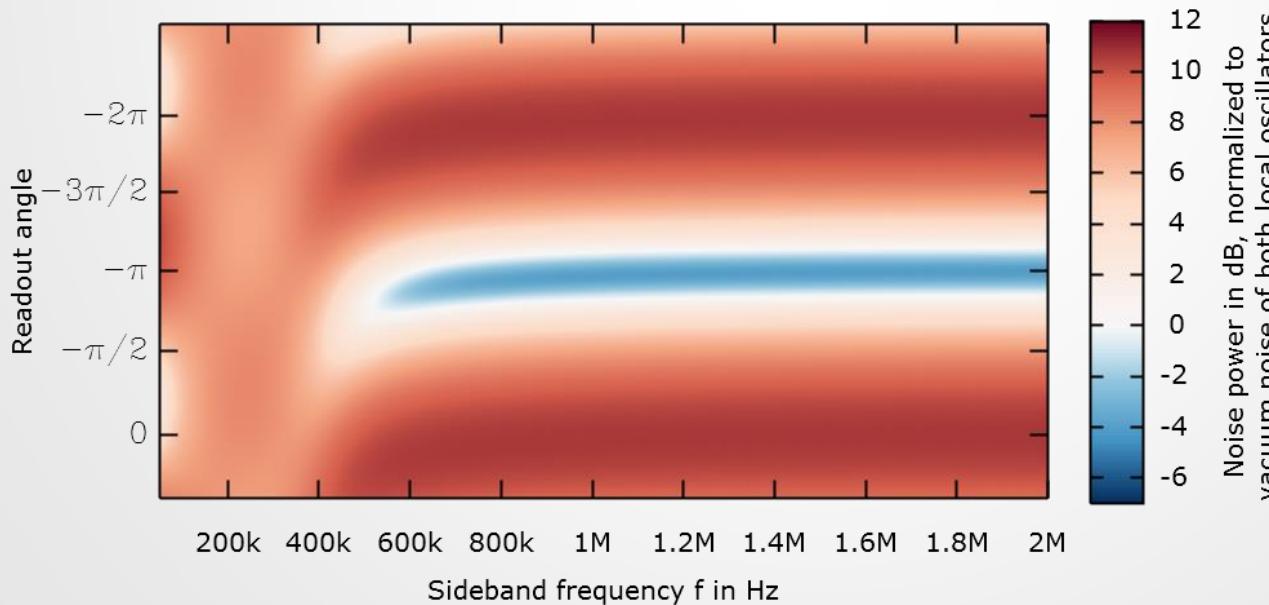


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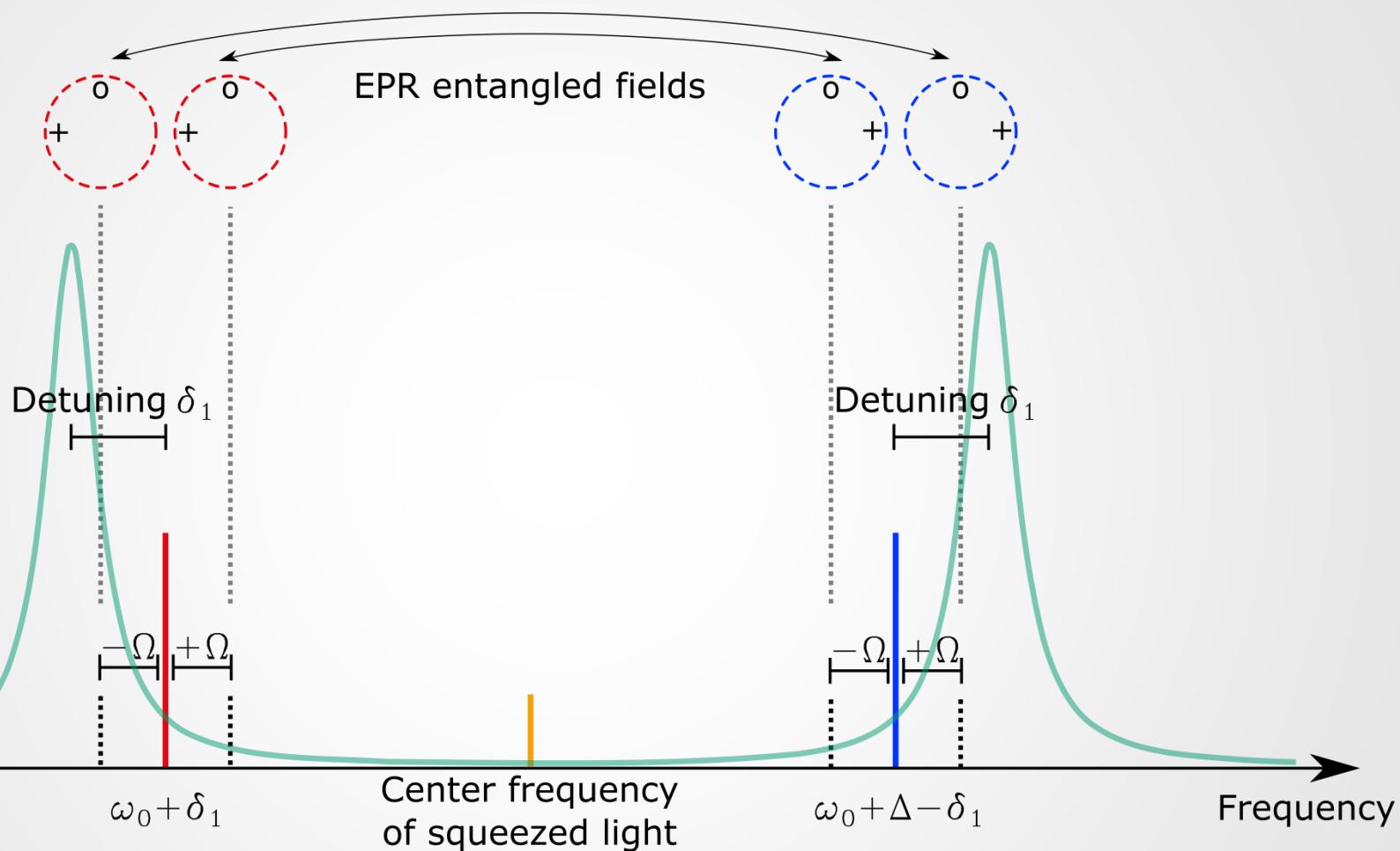
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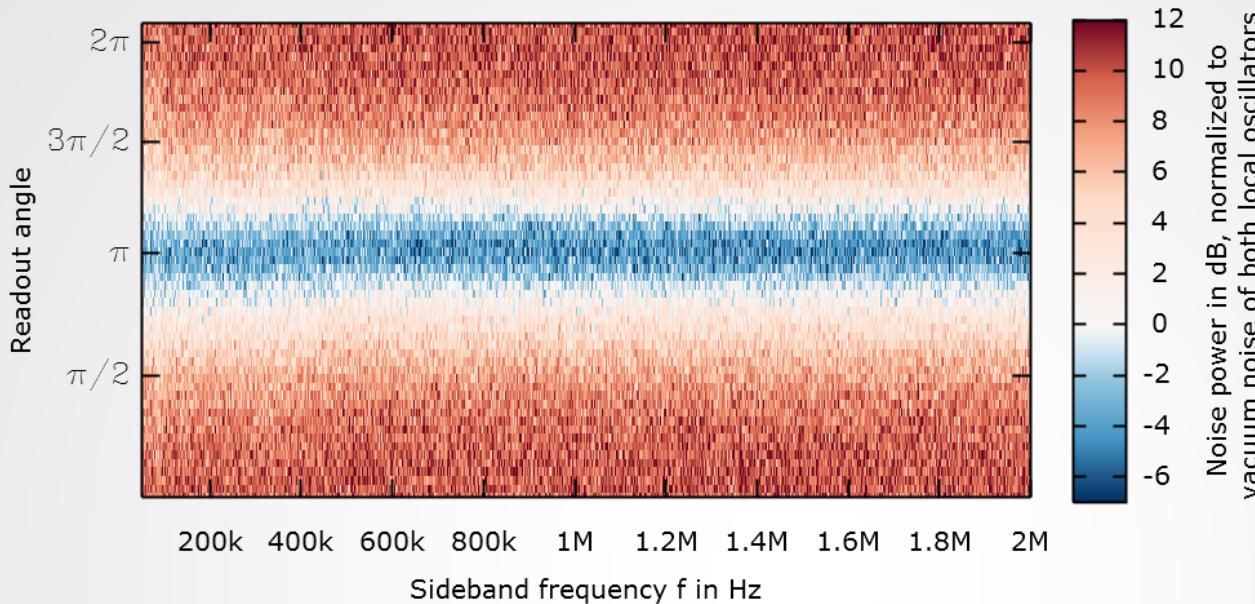


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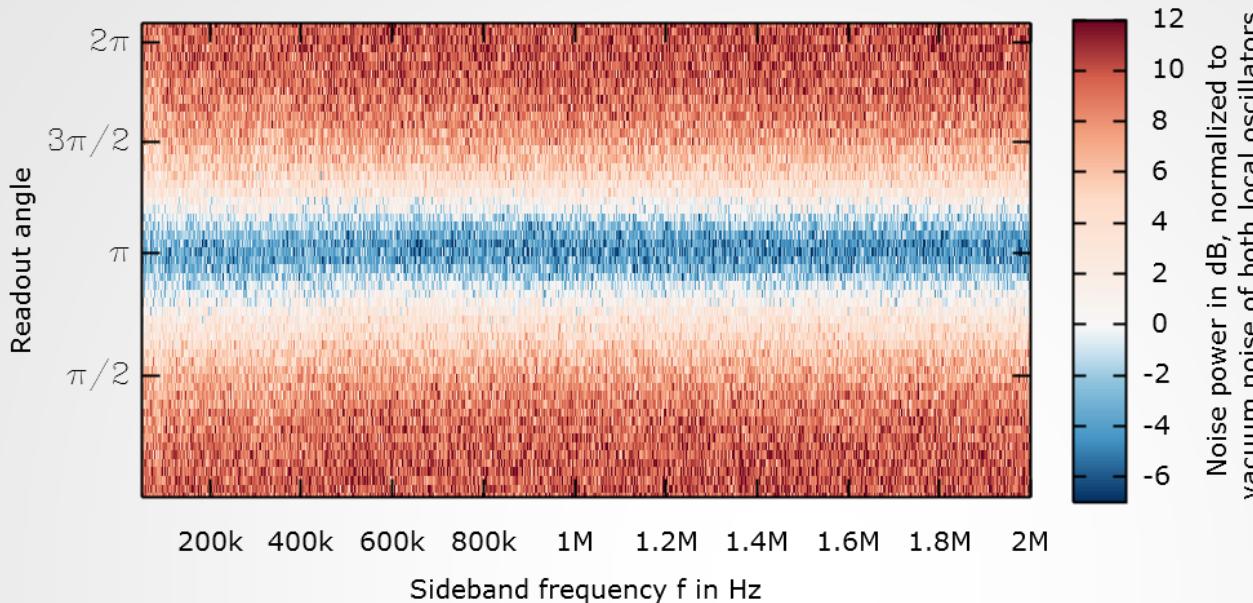
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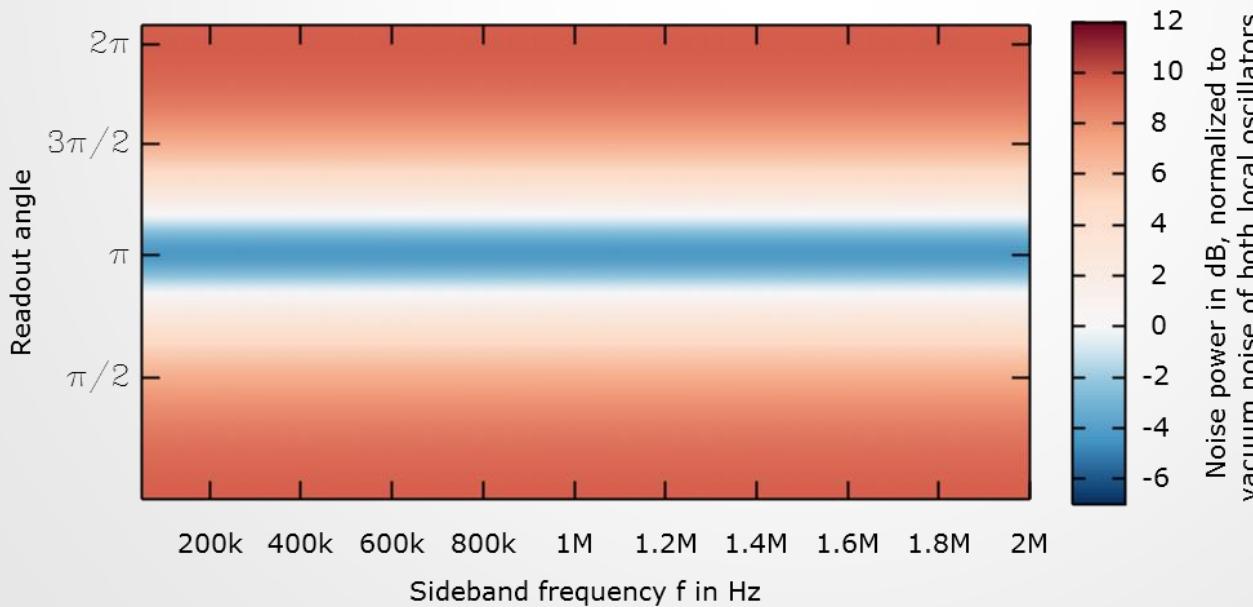


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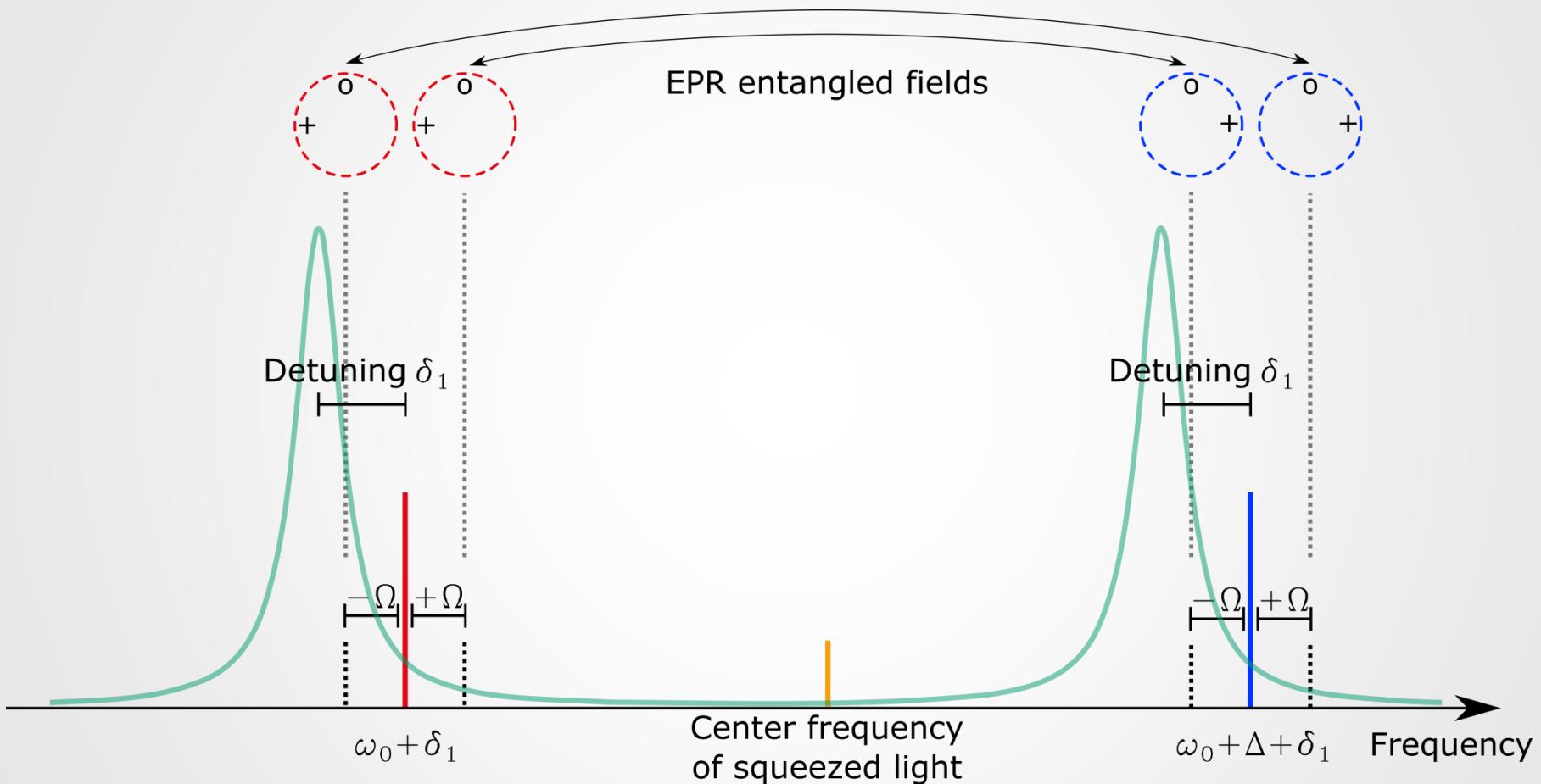
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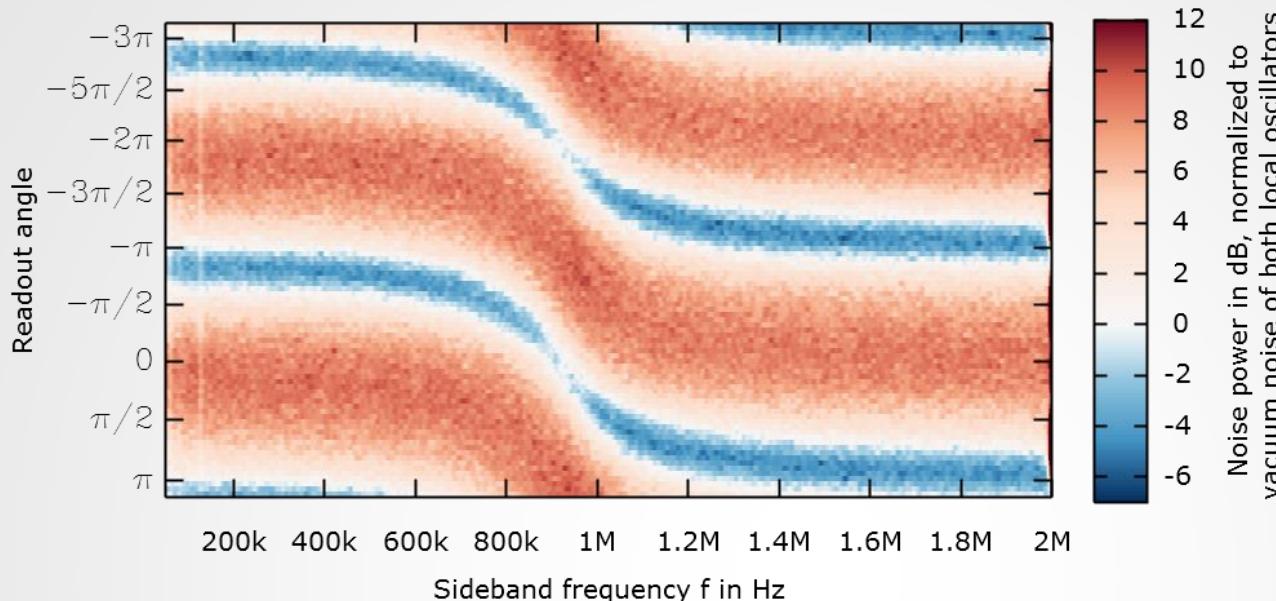


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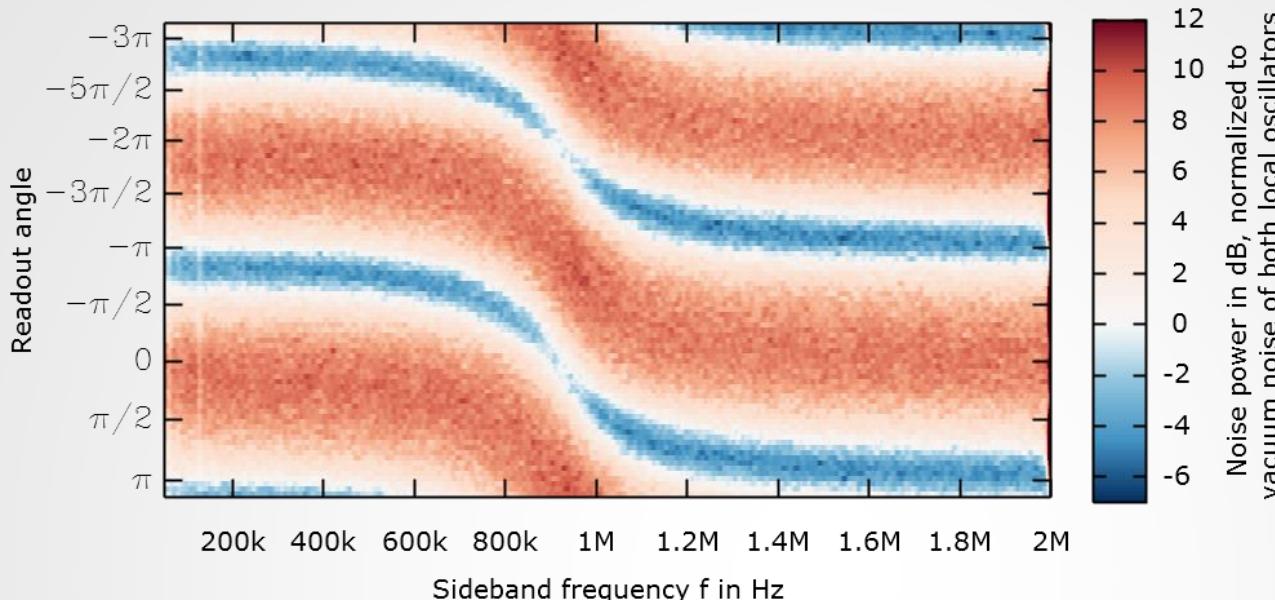
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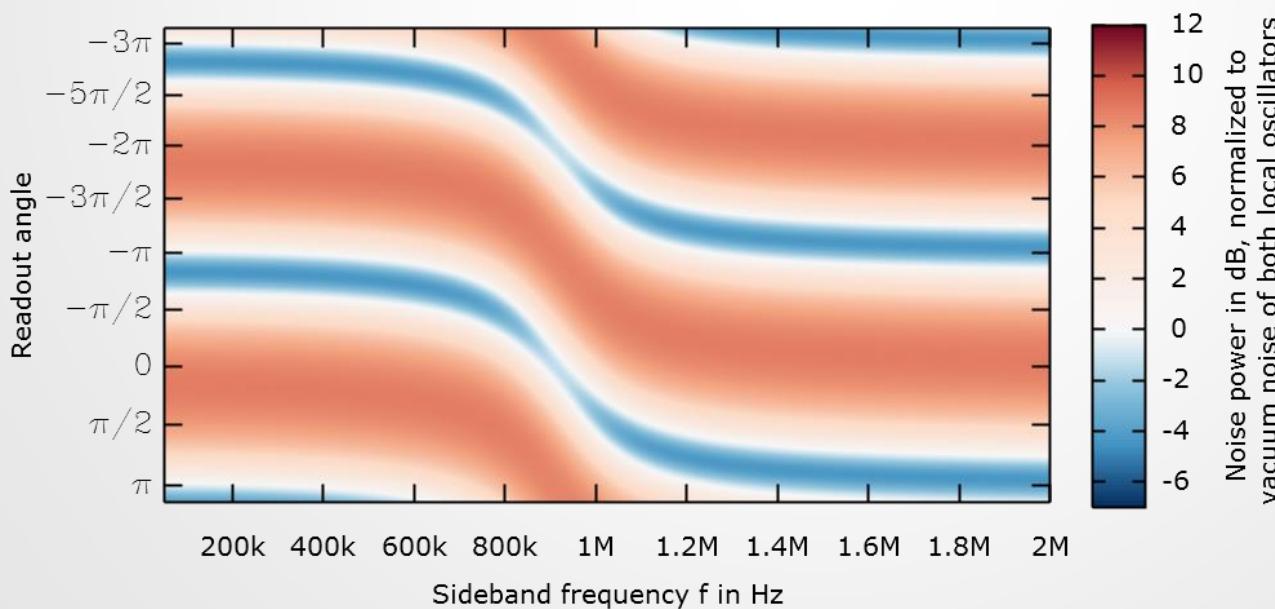


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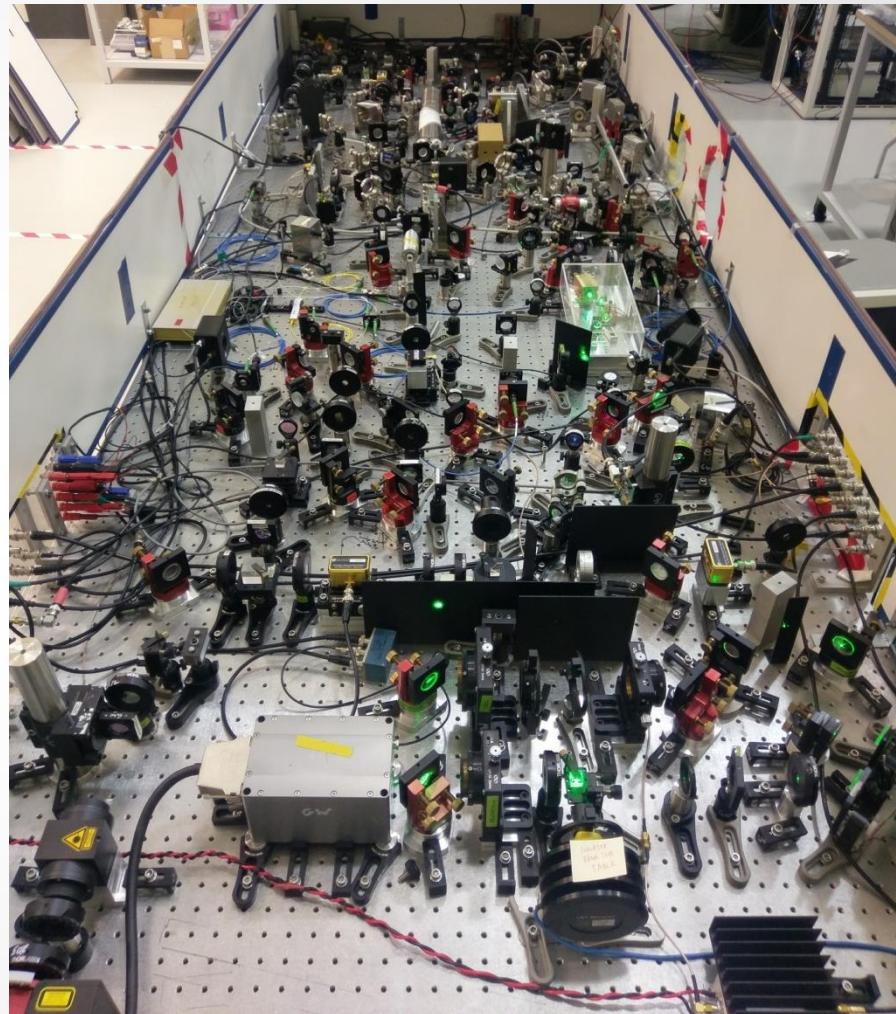
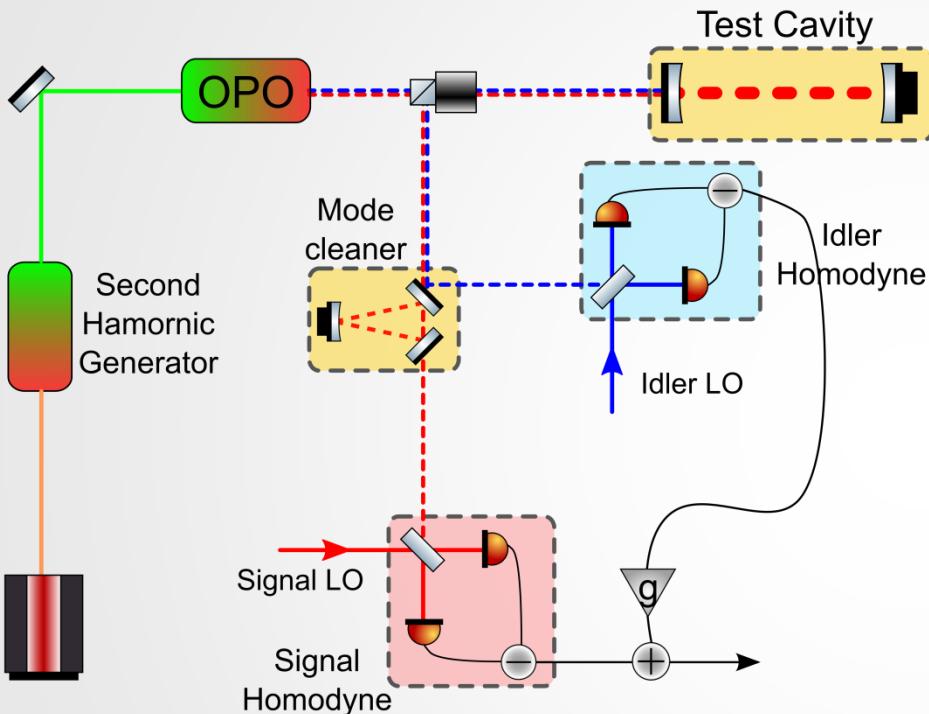


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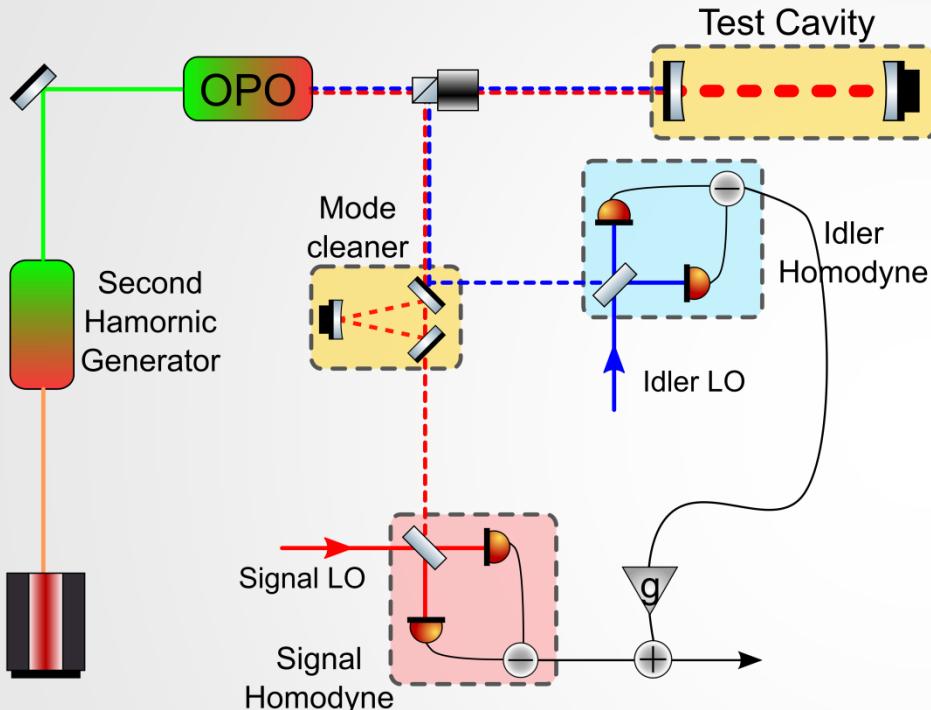
# **EXPERIMENTAL REALIZATION AT ANU**

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## OPO

- Signal/Idler separation =  $\sim 850$  MHz (OPO FSR)

## Test cavity

- FSR = 283 MHz ( $L = \sim 0.5$ m)
- HWHM = 1.38MHz

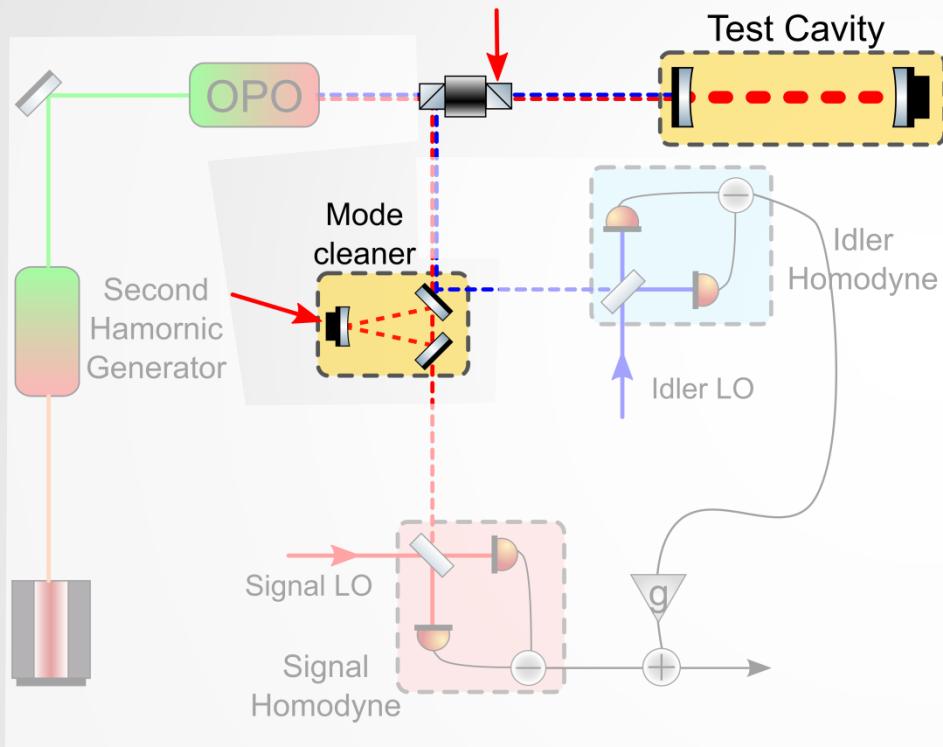
## OMC

- HWHM = 60MHz

## Readout

- Combined via passive combiner

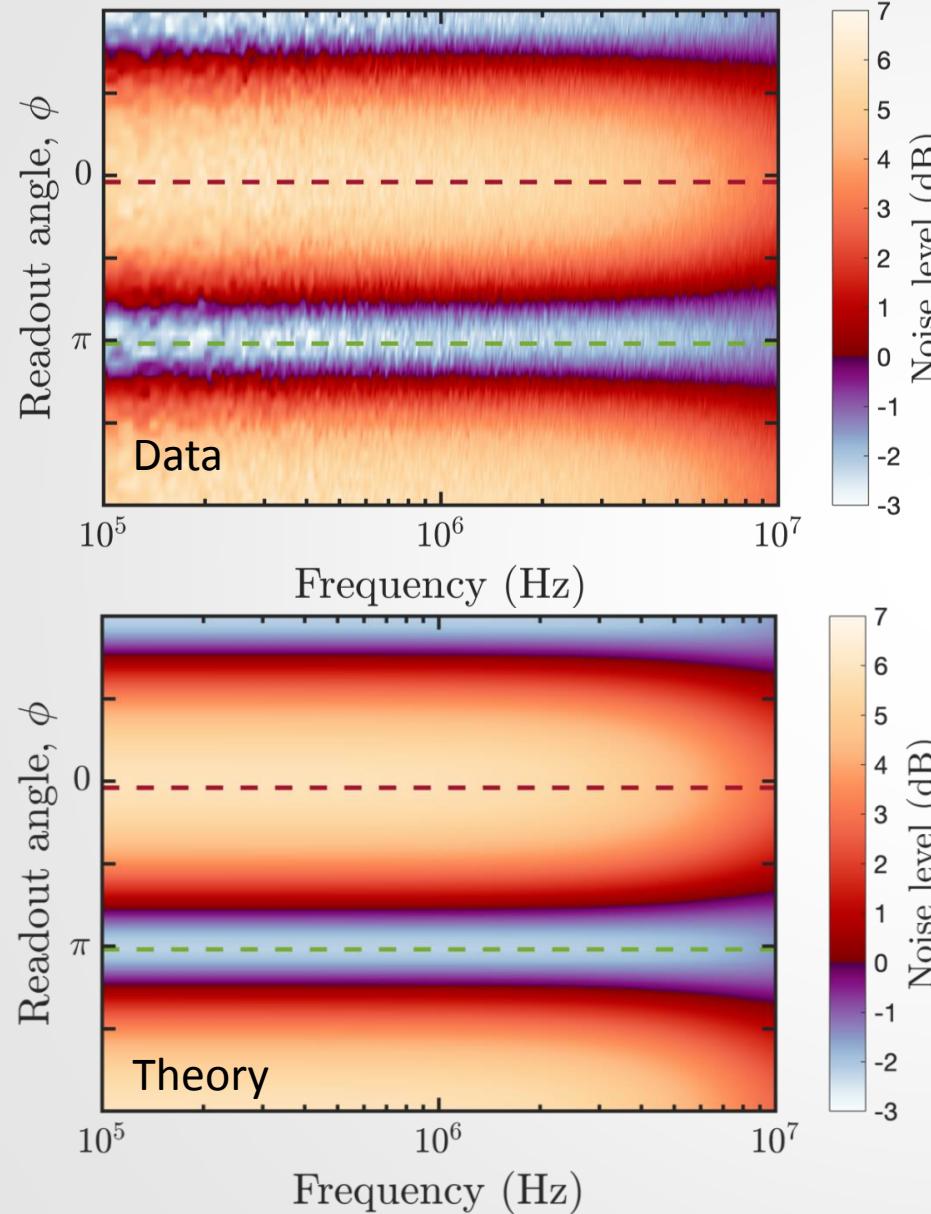
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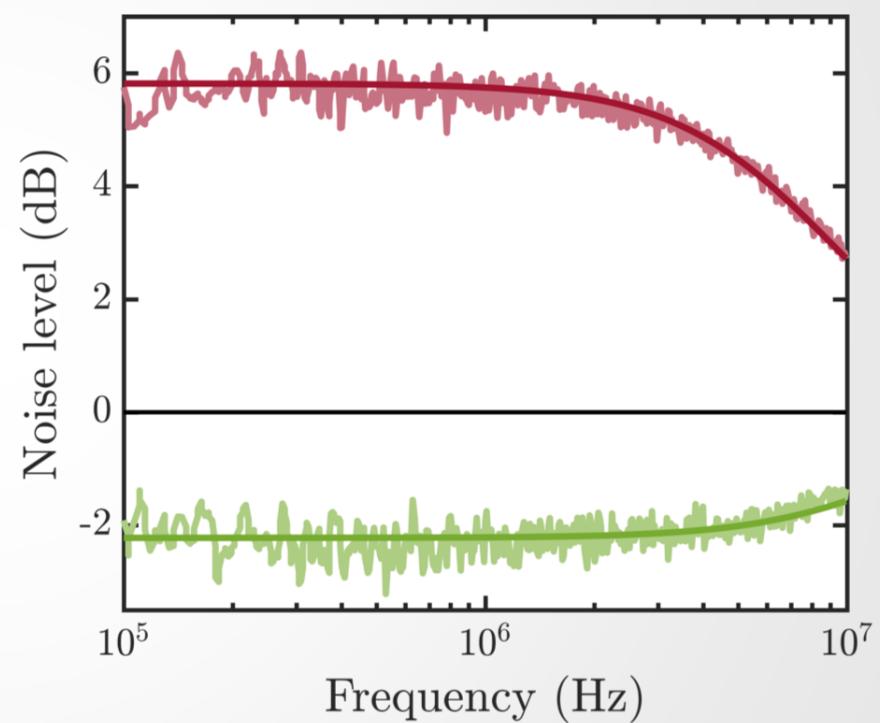
## Locking scheme

Mode cleaner: counter-propagating field  
Test cavity: orthogonal polarization /  
AOM shifted

# Results – no test cavity

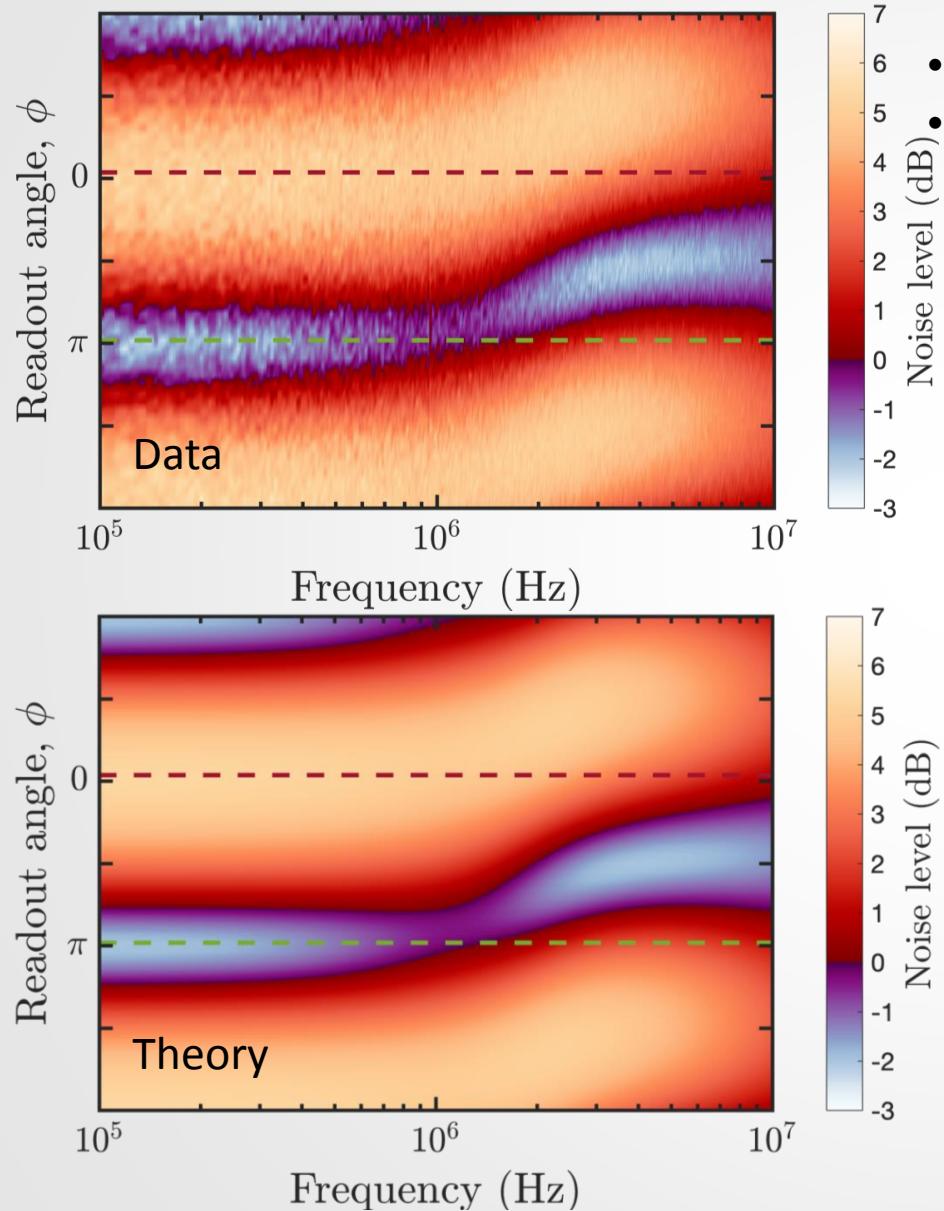


- Noise level of combined output
- Relative to shot noise level of both signal and idler field

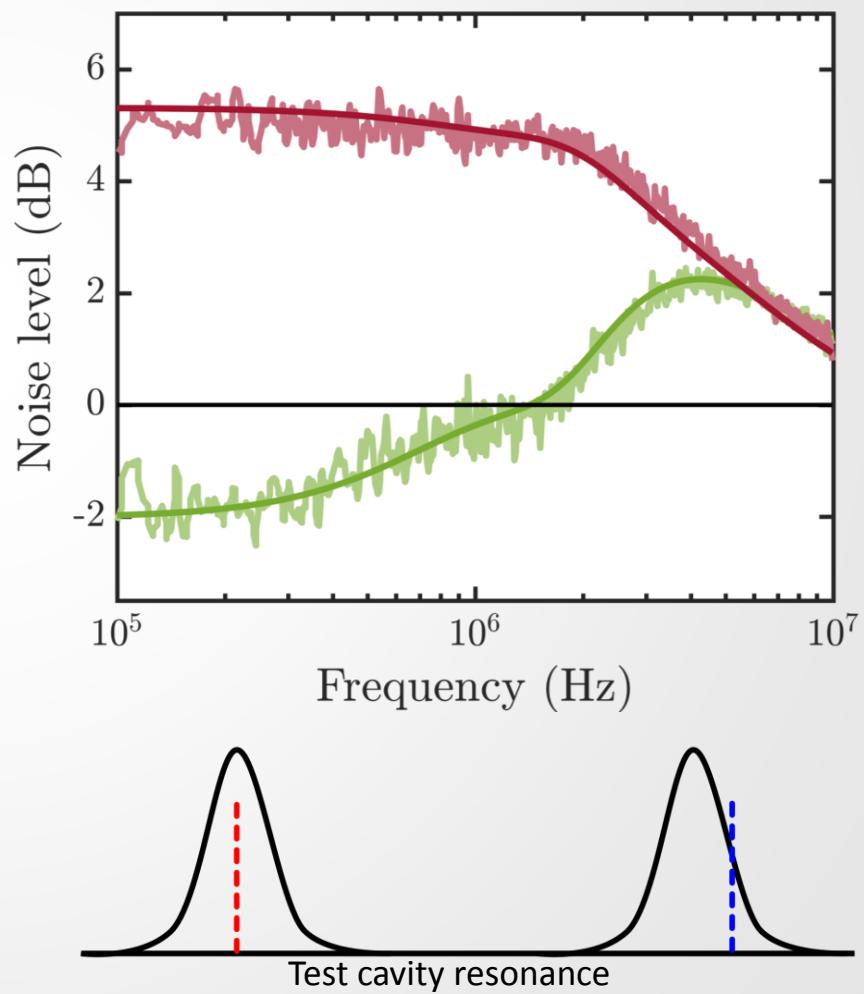


- Total loss =  $53 \pm 4\%$
- Limited by low QE diodes and double pass Faraday isolator.

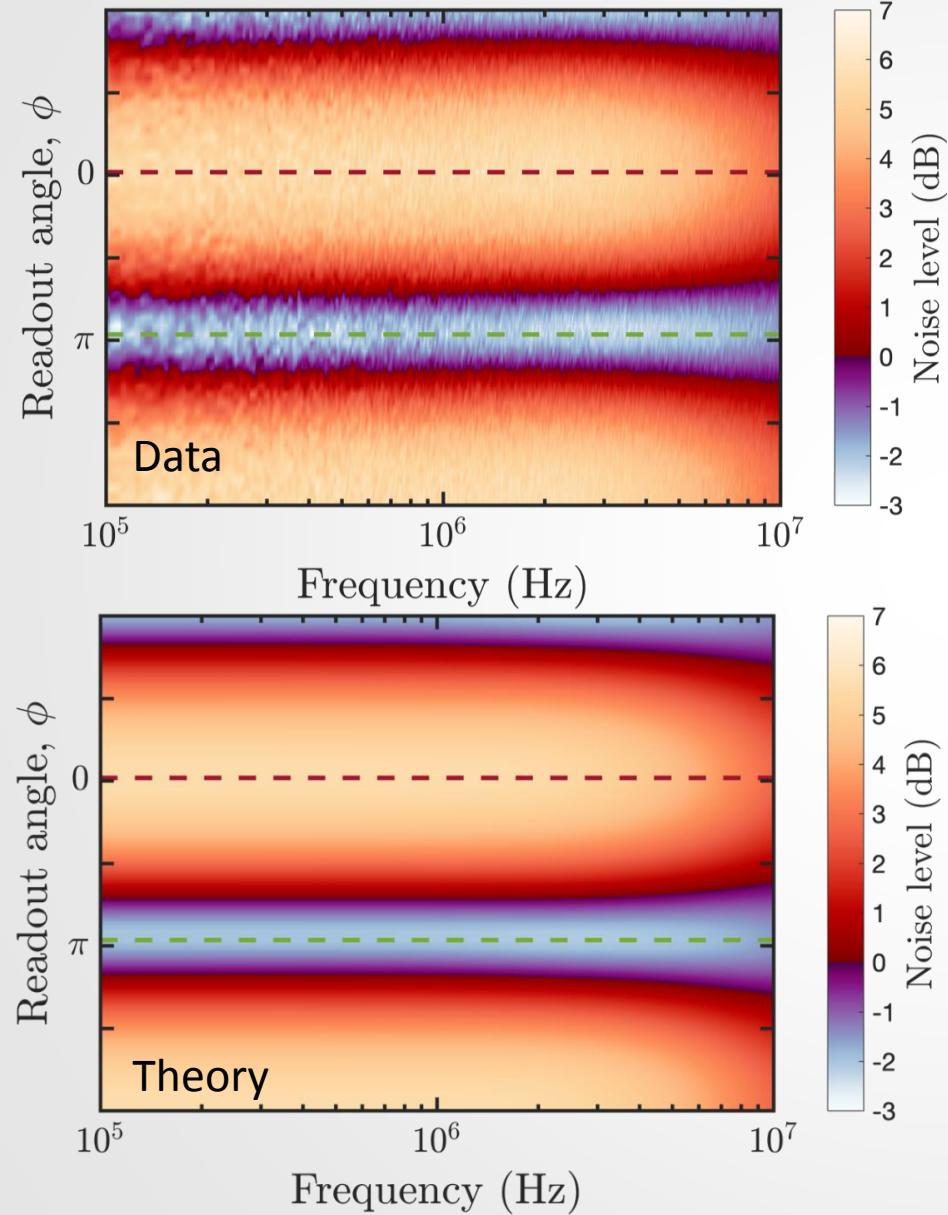
# Results – only idler detuned



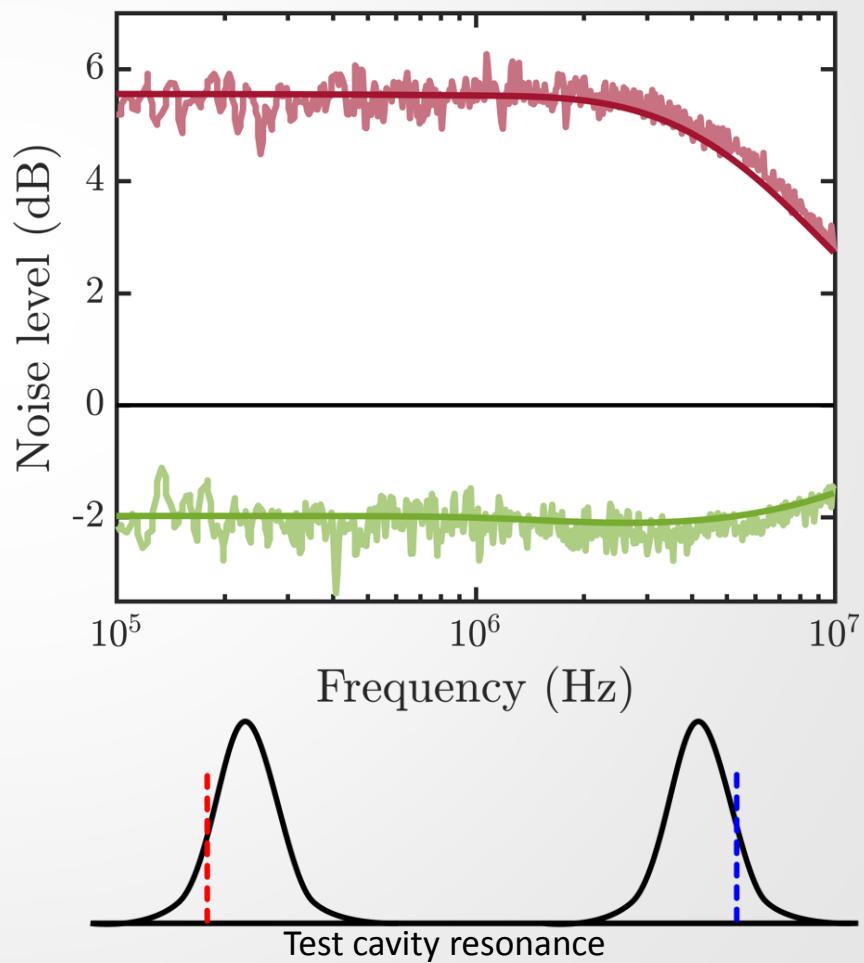
- Idler detuned by 1.38MHz (cavity HWHM)
- Signal on resonance



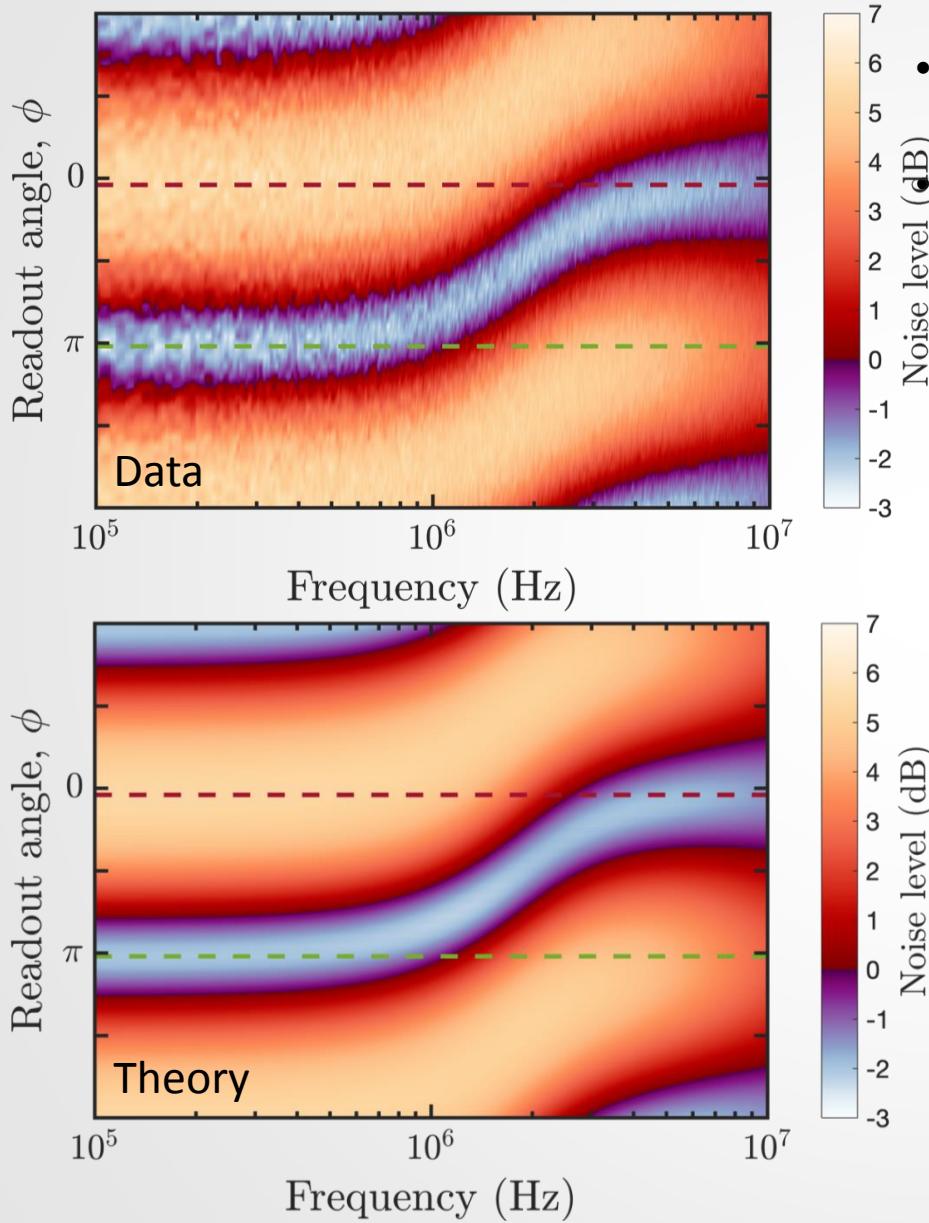
# Results – detuned anti-symmetrically



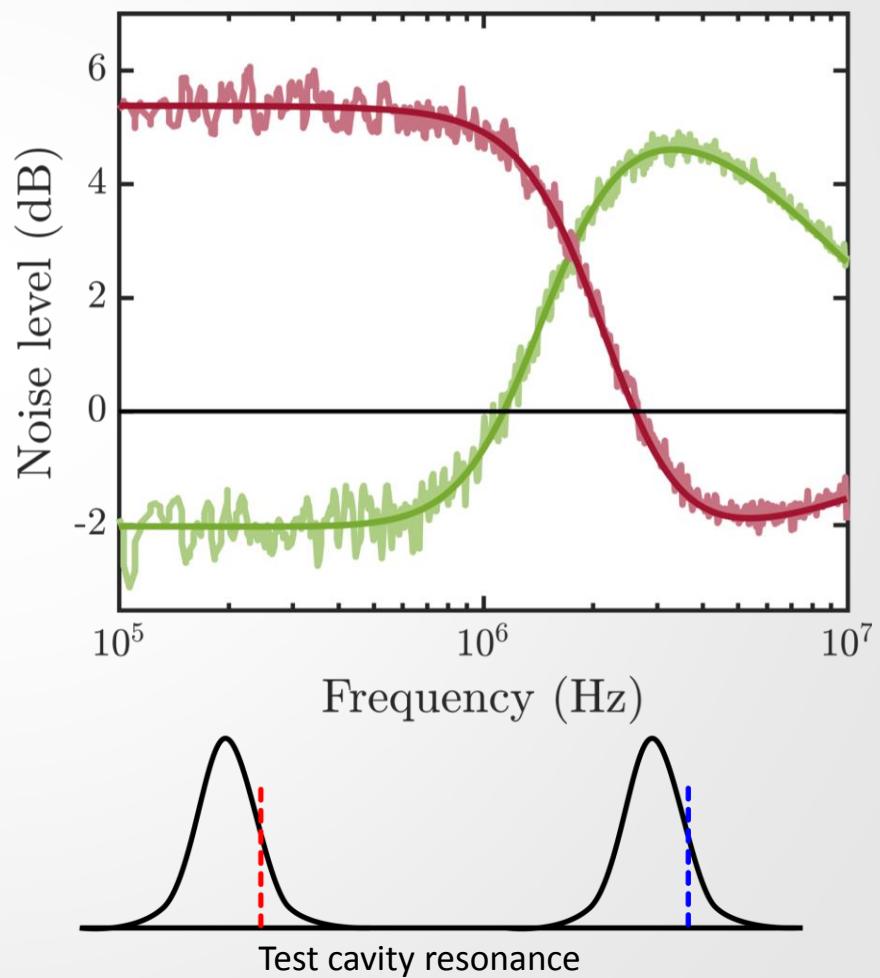
- Signal and idler detuned anti-symmetrically by 1.3MHz
- Case for detuned SRC



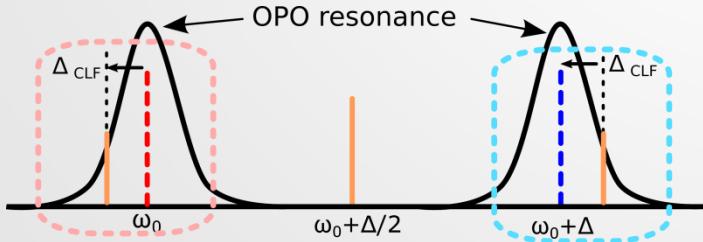
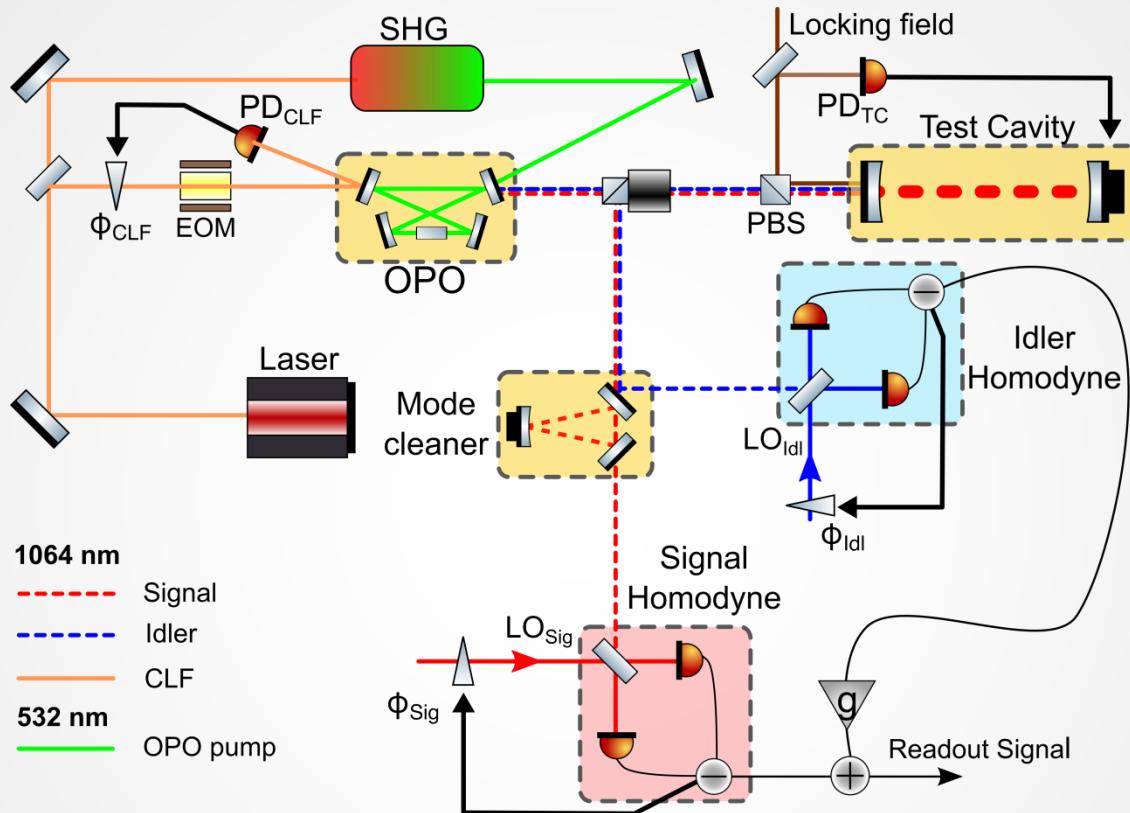
# Results – signal and idler detuned



- Signal and idler detuned by 1.3MHz (~cavity HWHM)
- Equivalent to ‘regular’ FD squeezing



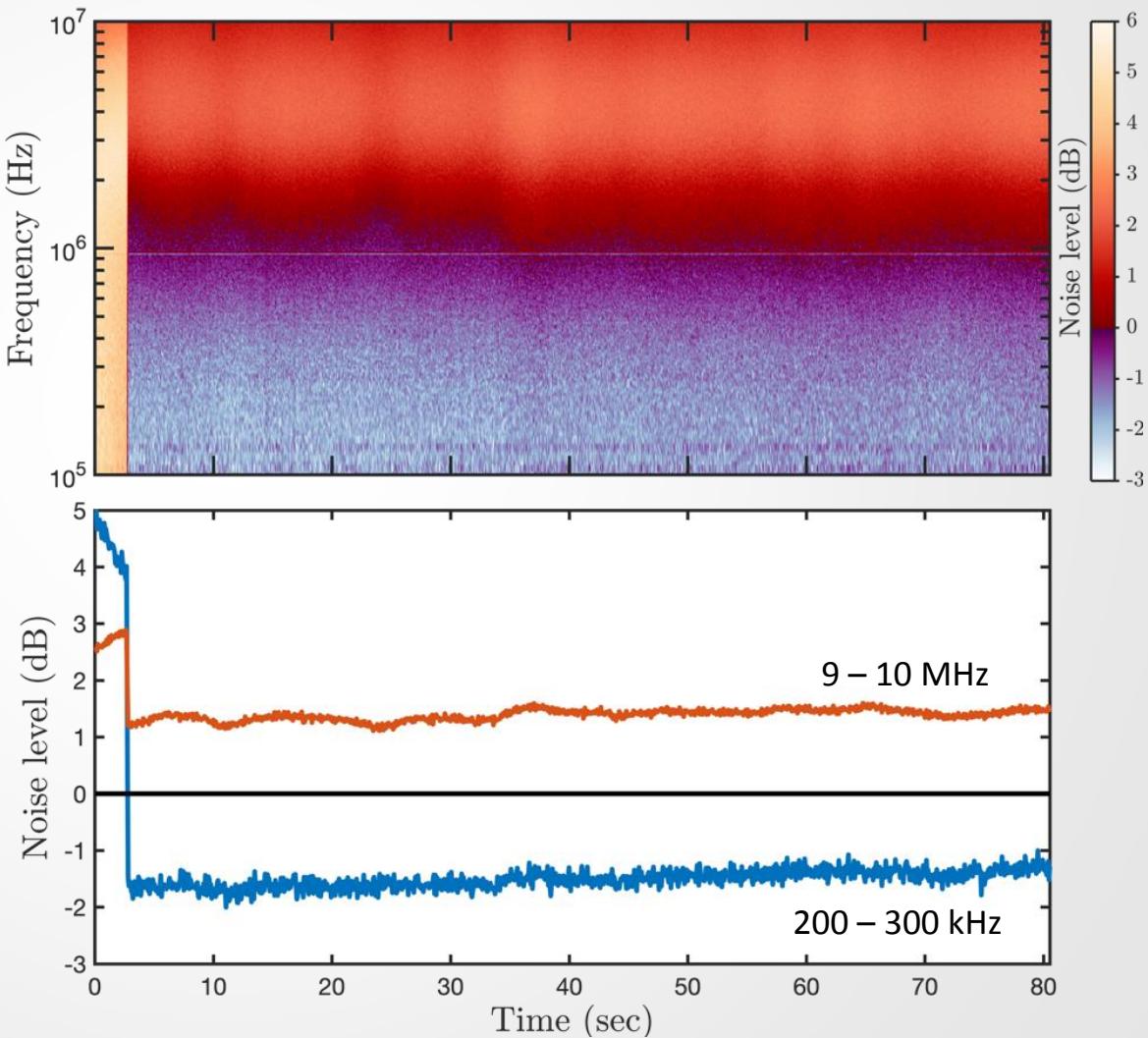
# CLF locking scheme



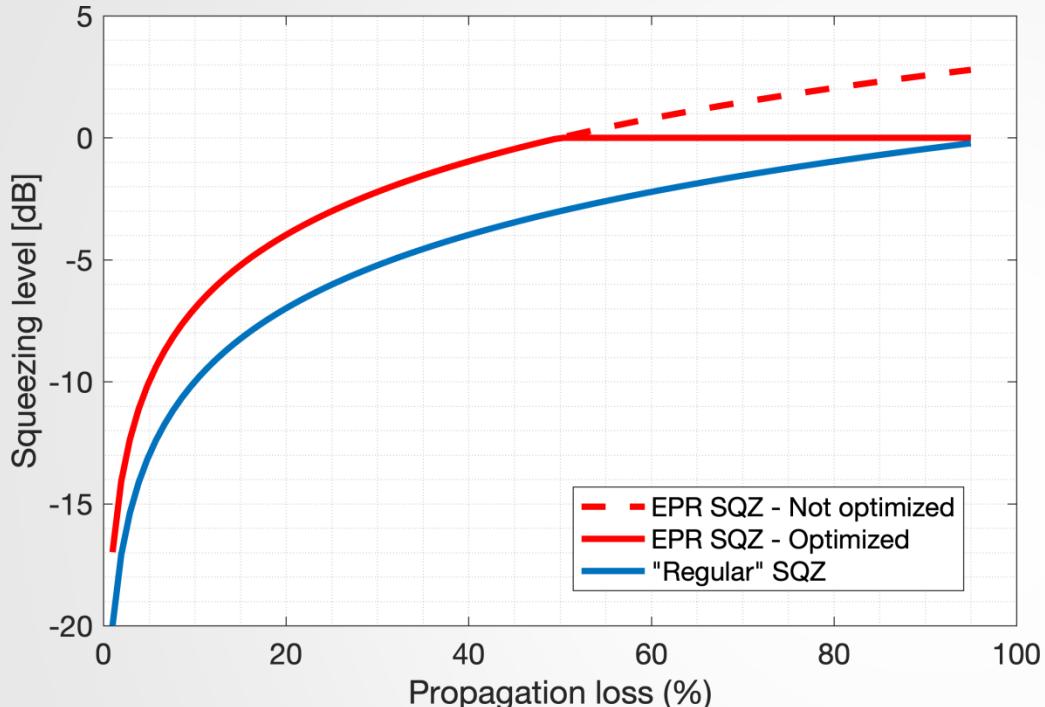
- CLF refl feedback to CLF phase
- Idler output feedback to idler LO phase
- Signal output feedback to signal LO phase
- CLF detuning = 12.07MHz

# CLF engaged, squeezing angle locked

- Locked spectrum with 3 CLF lock engaged.
- Current limitations:
  - CLF error signal offset drift (drift in EOM residual AM)
  - Free running OMC



# Is this a viable alternative to filter cavities?

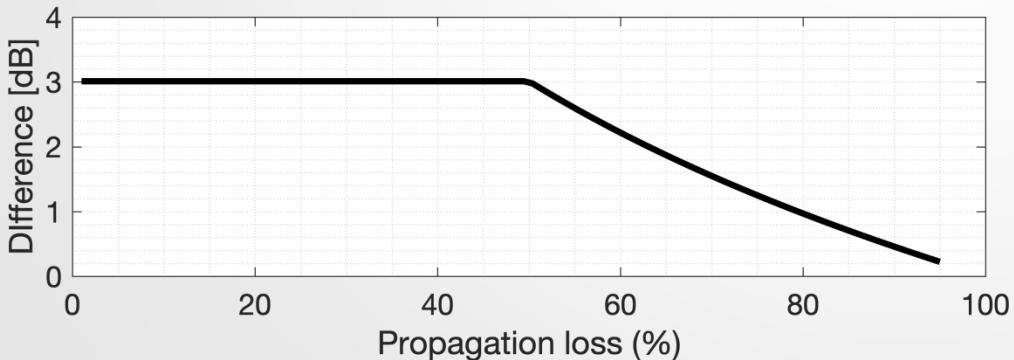


## Pros:

- No external filter cavity (FC phase locked to IFO).
- “Simpler” optical configuration (apart from an additional homodyne and OMCs)

## Cons:

- 3dB loss penalty



# Conclusion

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- Demonstrated EPR squeezing is indeed possible.
- Developed a coherent phase control system for EPR squeezing

Future works:

- Improve CLF robustness
- Implement frequency dependent filtering

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Thanks for listening!

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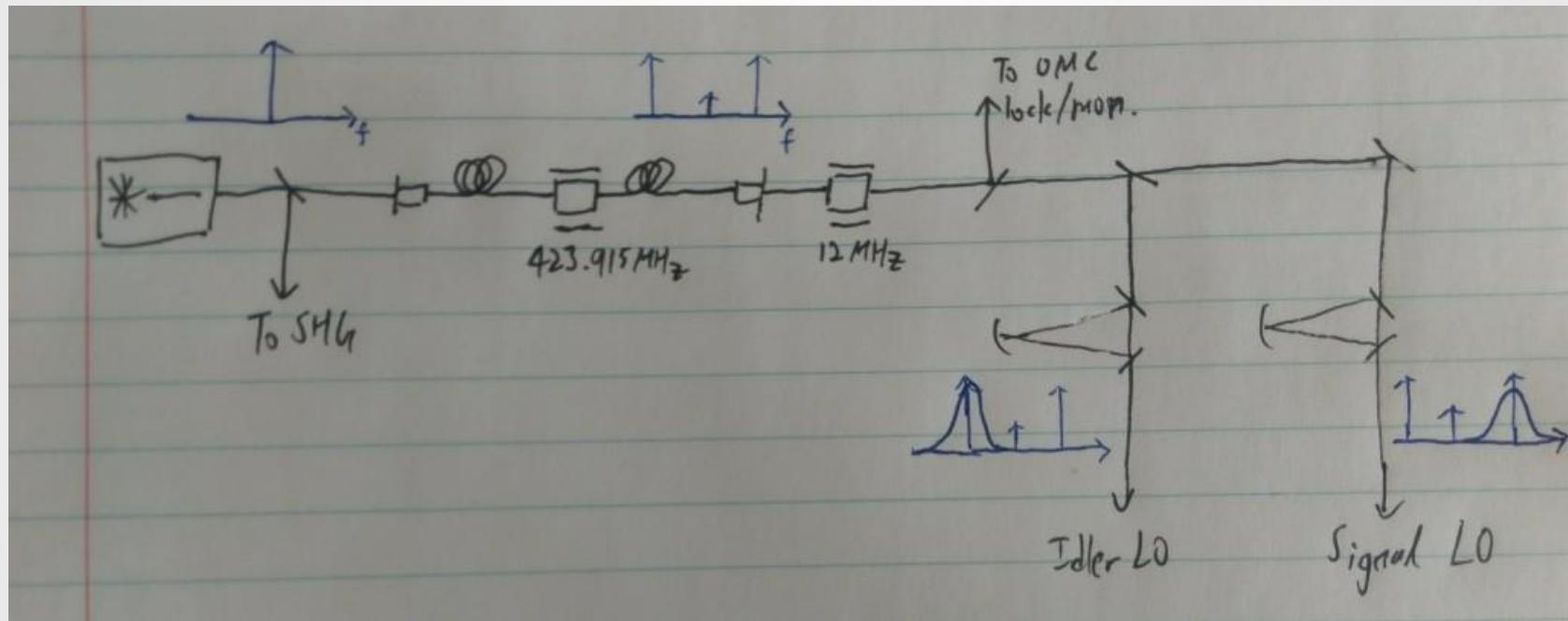
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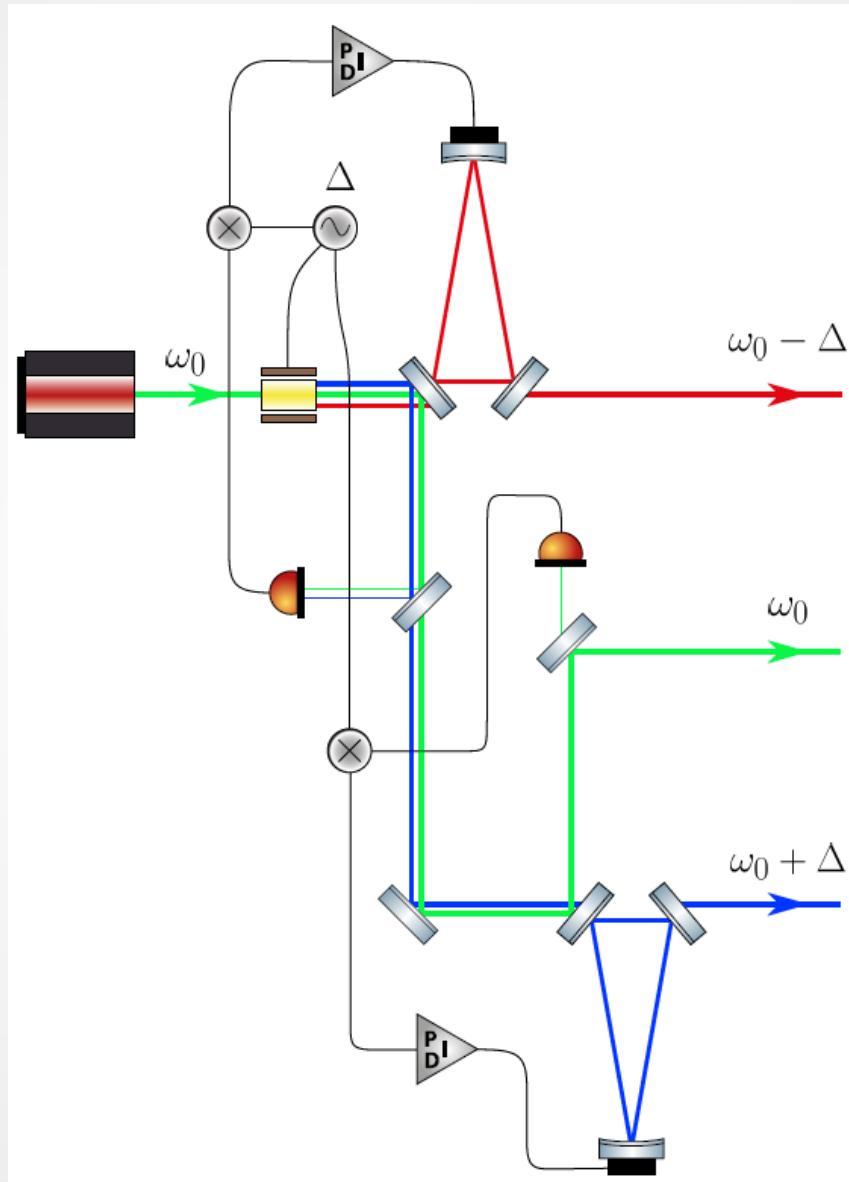
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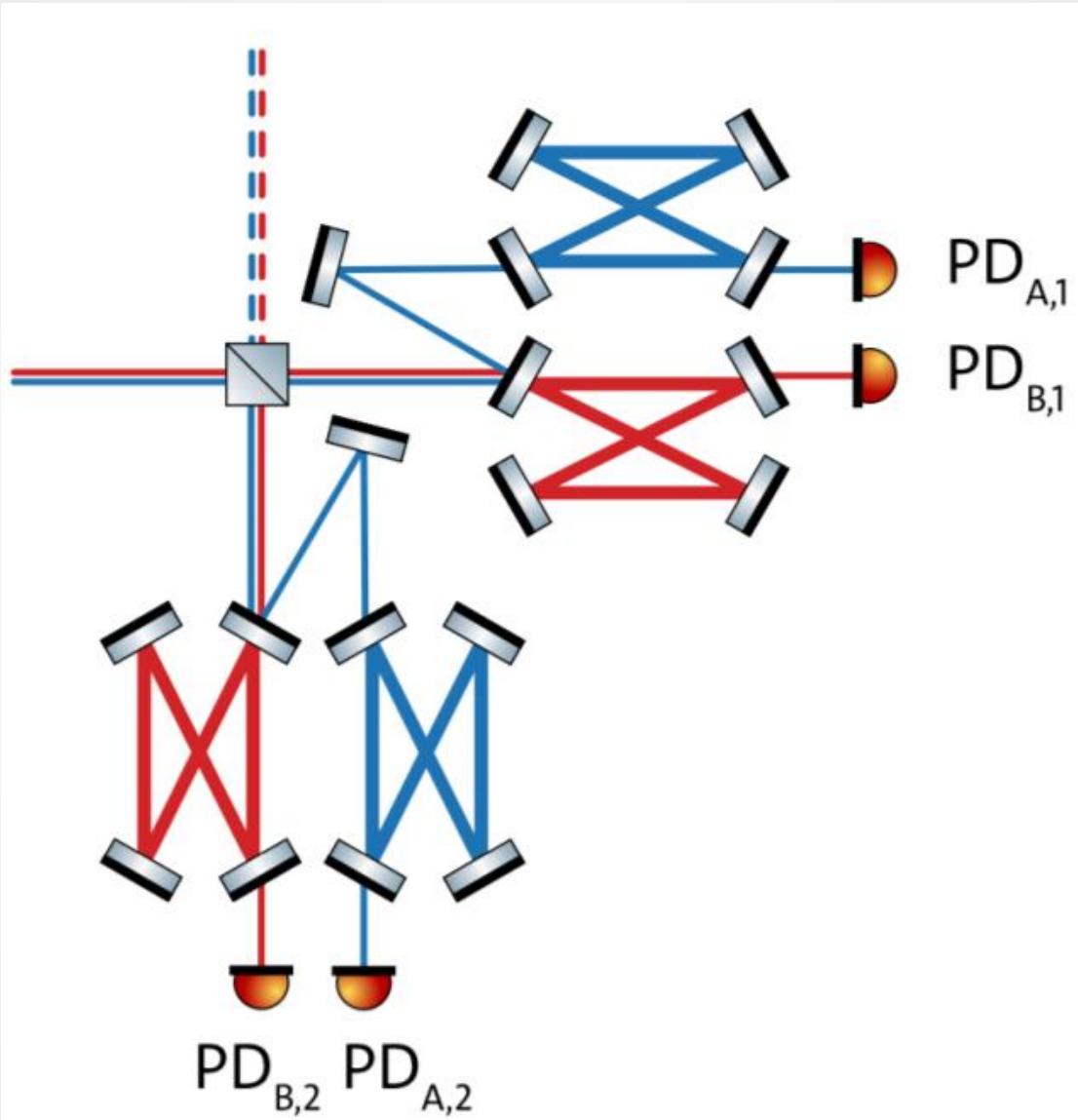
# Generation of LOs ANU



# Generation of Los Hamburg



# Realistic Filter-Cavity Configuration



# Theoretical Model Hamburg

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