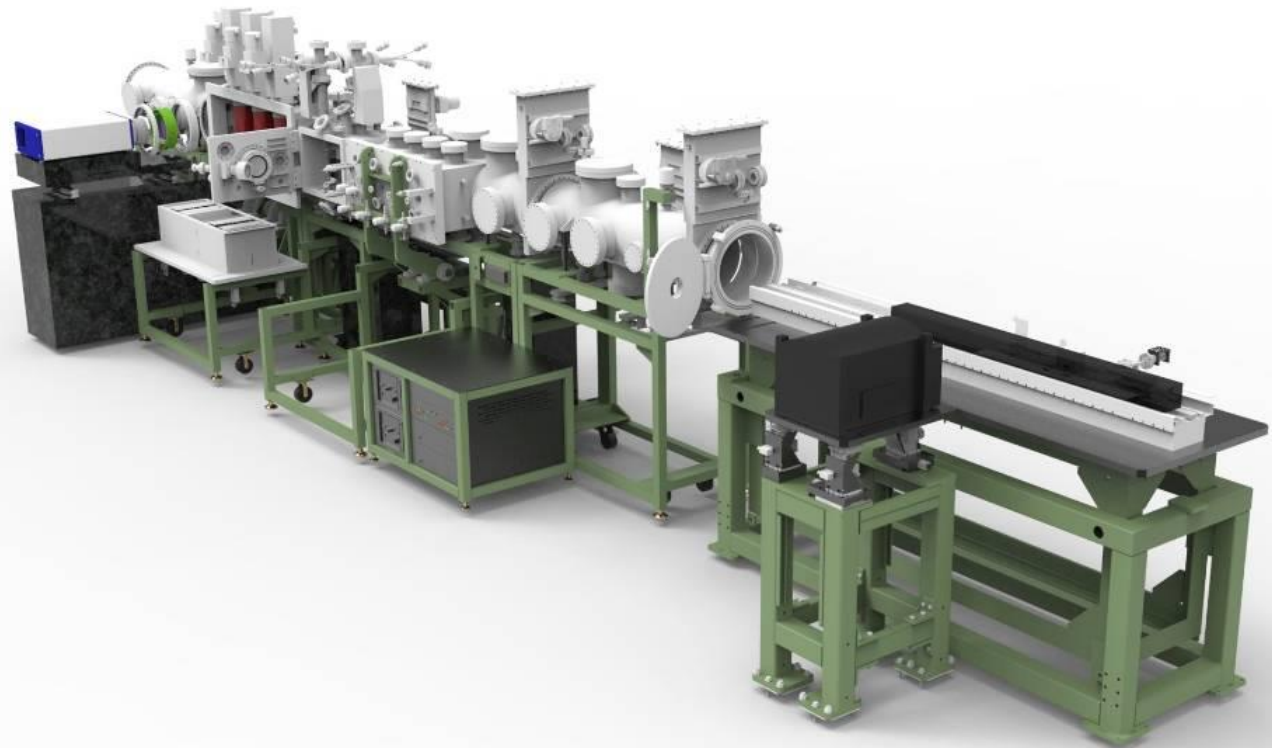


# A new state of the art instrument for x-ray optics fabrication: scope, capabilities, and design of the Modular Deposition System

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# Modular Deposition System Goals and Scope

- Figure correction of large flat mirrors up to 1.5 m
- Figure correction of aspherical mirrors up to 1.5 m (metrology limited)
- Thin-film recoating and figure correction for dynamically bent K-B mirror systems
- Multilayer monochromators, energies from ~250eV up to 100's keV
- Fabrication of 3-D graded multilayer optics for focusing and collimation
- Fabrication of fixed-geometry K-B mirrors
- Advanced multilayer optics and supermirrors such as
  - Multilayer monochromators for high-energy (>30 keV) x-rays
  - Supermirrors of x-ray energies up 100 keV (Depth-graded)
  - Advanced high-aspect-ratio ML grating structures for interferometry and other spectroscopy with high energy x-rays
  - Low-stress multilayer coatings for nanofocusing KB mirrors
- Multilayer Laue lens R&D
  - Grow thicker than the cathode limitation with cylindrical cathodes (1mm apertures or greater-film stress limited)
  - Deposit "Jelly Roll" zone plates
- Deposit crystallographically-oriented thin films for user requirements
  - Ion beam deposition, Ion Assisted Sputtering



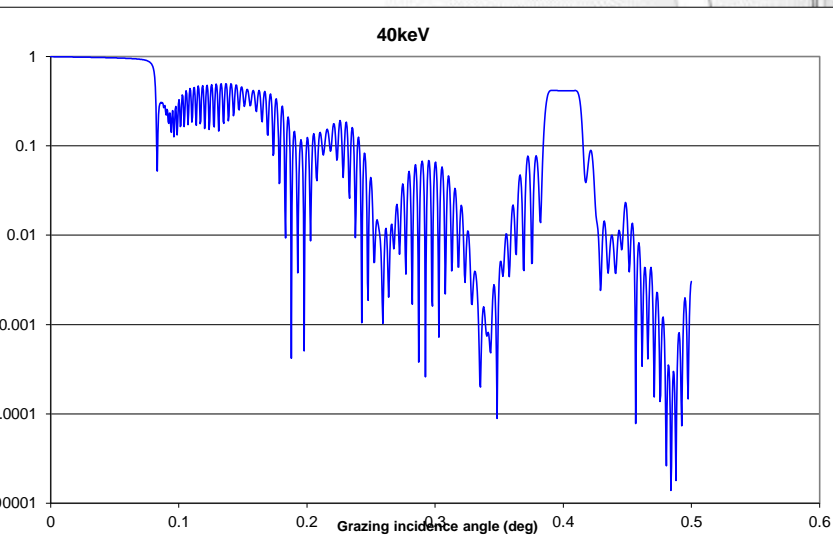
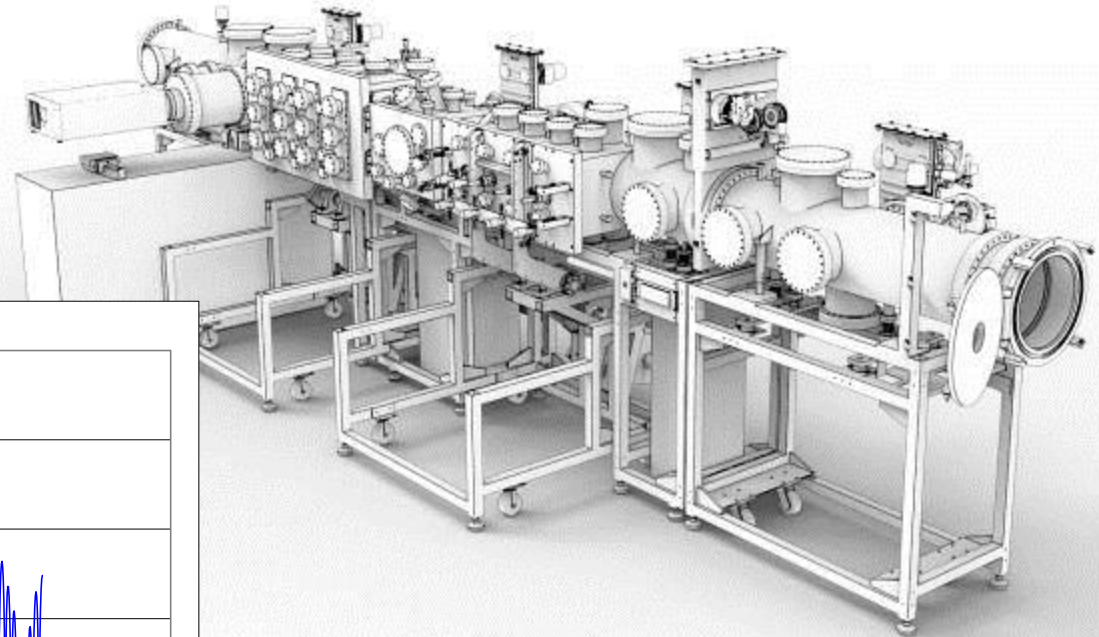
# Modular Deposition System Specifications

- 22 feet long, 16" dia. Main chamber size
- Loadlocked
- Five 3" dia. Round cathodes, three 250mm planar cathodes
- In-vacuum direct drive brushless DC linear servo
- Precision in-vacuum direct drive brushless linear DC motor
  - Velocity stability better than 0.0025%
  - Homing precision of 50nm or better
  - Slope error ~1.5 mrad
- ~5x10<sup>-8</sup> torr base pressure
- Multi-gas capable for reactive sputtering
- Reconfigurable deposition source ports for flexibility:
  - Cylindrical (rotating) cathodes
  - Atomic Absorption Flux Monitoring
  - Dual ion-milling, both an RF-ICP 100mm vertical source and a 6mm focused DC mill
  - In-situ surface measurement
  - Ability to add automated ex-situ surface measurement with the **same** servo drive system (best method for mirror-position registration)
  - Ion beam deposition
  - Confocal ion-assisted sputtering (one target only)
  - Dynamic Aperture slit masking apparatus
    - Marriage of deformable masking with velocity profiling
- Mirrors up to 1.5 meters/ 80Kg
- Substrate biasing (electrical signal lines available at the mirror)
- Will sit in the OCR400 cleanroom on the experimental floor



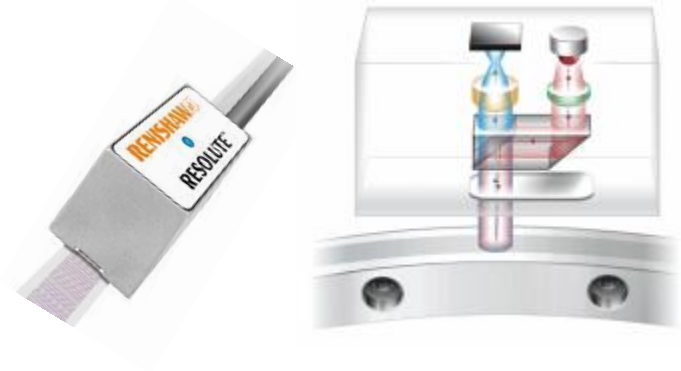
# Modular Deposition System Scope (Phase 1)

- Thin-film recoating for dynamically bent K-B mirror systems
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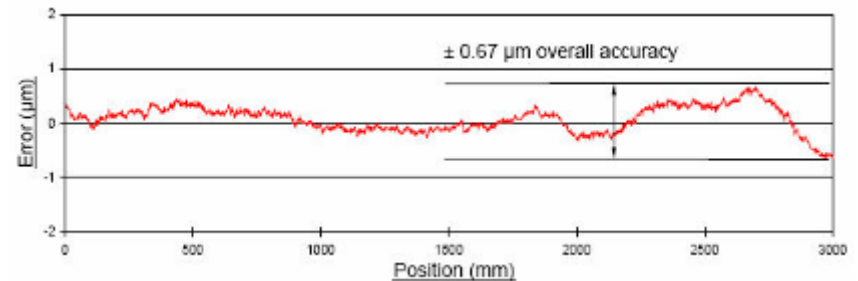
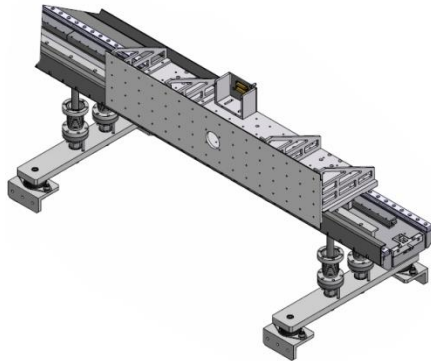
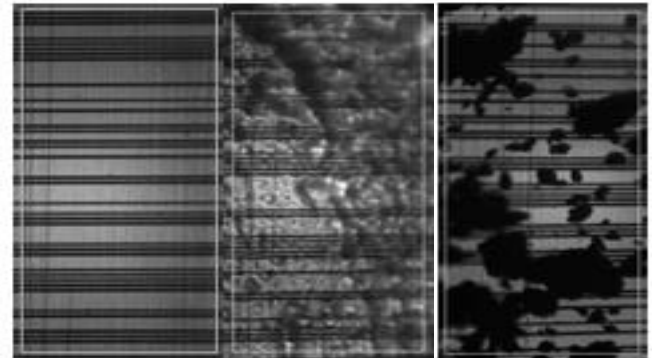


# Precision Linear Motion

- In-vacuum brushless DC linear motor
- Velocity error <math><0.0025\%</math>
- Stage slope error  $\sim 1.5 \mu\text{rad}$  rms over 4.5 meter travel length
- 10nm position resolution,  $\pm 670\text{nm}$  PV accuracy
- 10nm homing resolution



Commercially Available Linear Motor



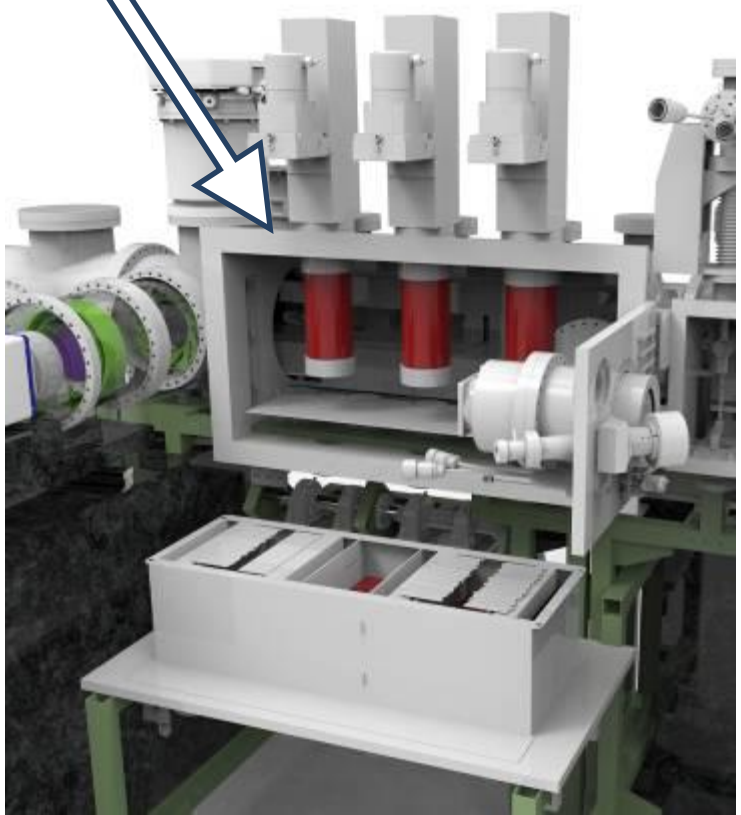


# Deposition Sources

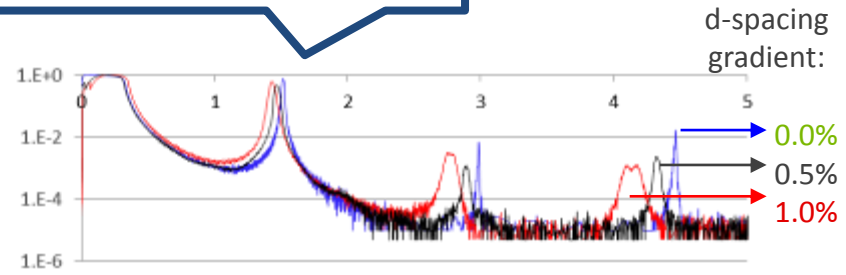
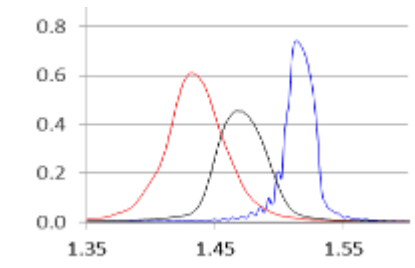
Five 75mm diameter round cathodes for routine user coatings  
Three 250 mm x 90 mm cathodes for multilayer deposition



Flexible source accommodation  
Cylindrical rotating cathodes shown



Factor of ~100 lower target erosion rate  
Larger magnets-lower pressure/smoothier films  
Higher vertical uniformity without masking



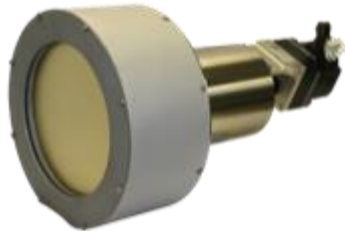
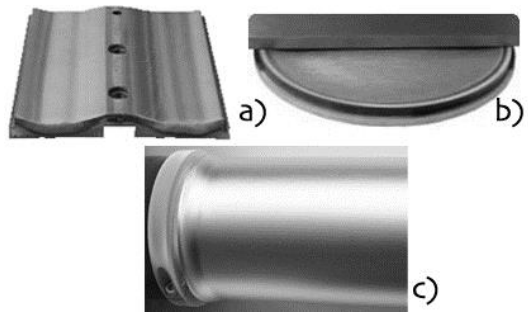
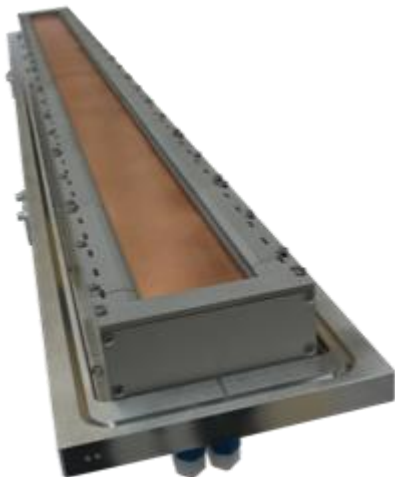
Eliminating target erosion compensation with planar cathodes  
- significant production rate gains



# Cathode Selections

## The new machine will be able to use any combination of sources (MODULAR)

Feature:  
Flexible acceptance of many deposition sources



### Considerations:

- Higher strength magnetic field – lower discharge voltage
- Target erosion-> growth rate change
  - Necessitates correction for ML
- Node formation on targets
  - Caused by chamber impurities

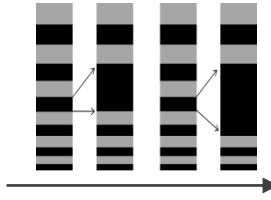




# Can also be used for MLL

## Status

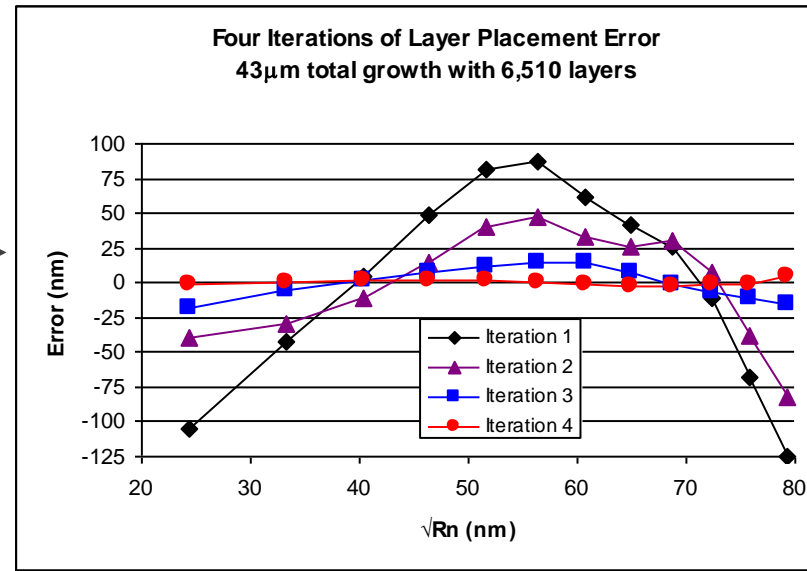
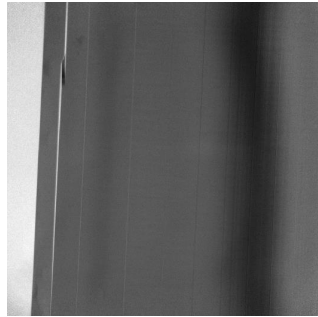
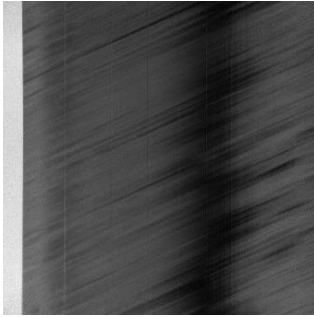
- 105 $\mu\text{m}$  thick deposition (Al/WSi<sub>2</sub>)
- Routine RIE/FIB sectioning
- Absolute layer placement is highly accurate
- Arbitrary number of layers possible (15,170 is current record)
- Zero roughness propagation
- Significant decrease in film stress



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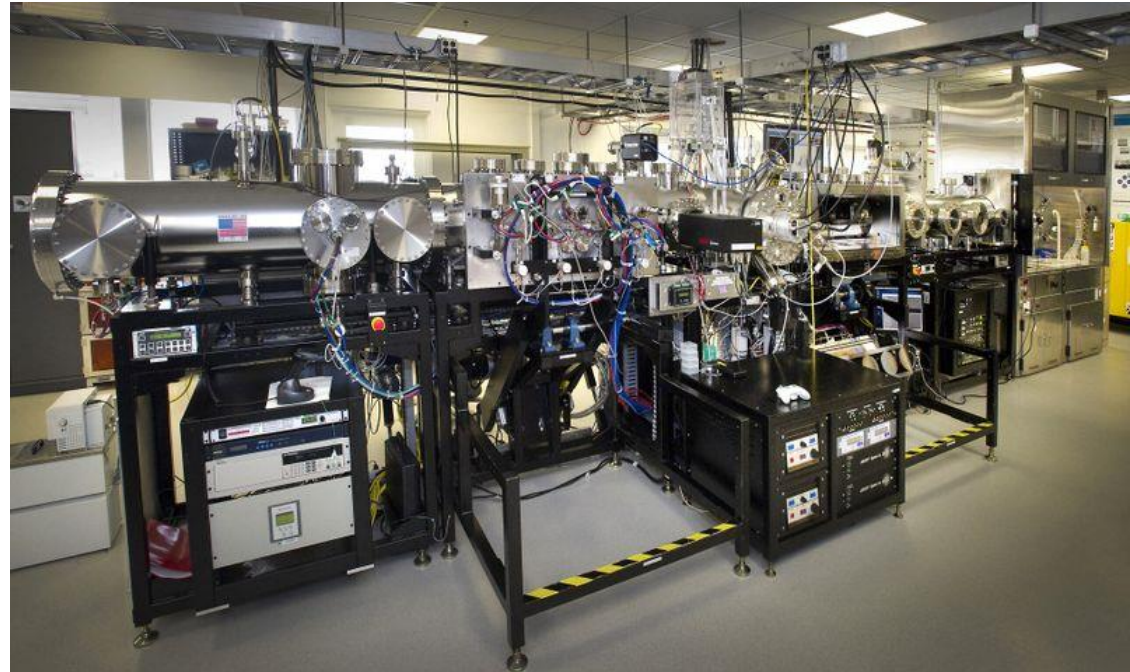
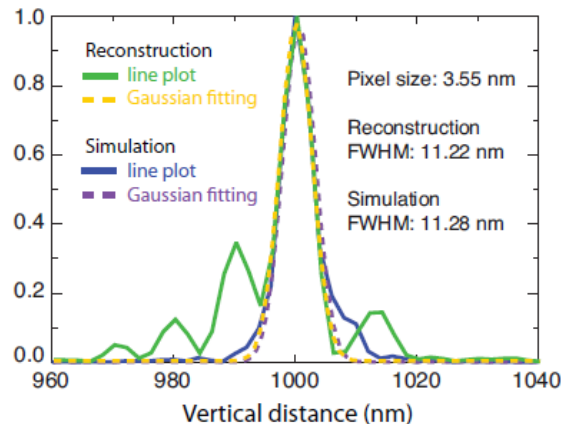
Normal growth – stress defects

Reactive growth – no defects



Mirror Equivalent: 0.015nm RMS!

## Latest Results: Phase Reconstruction



# Reactive Sputtering Growth Rate

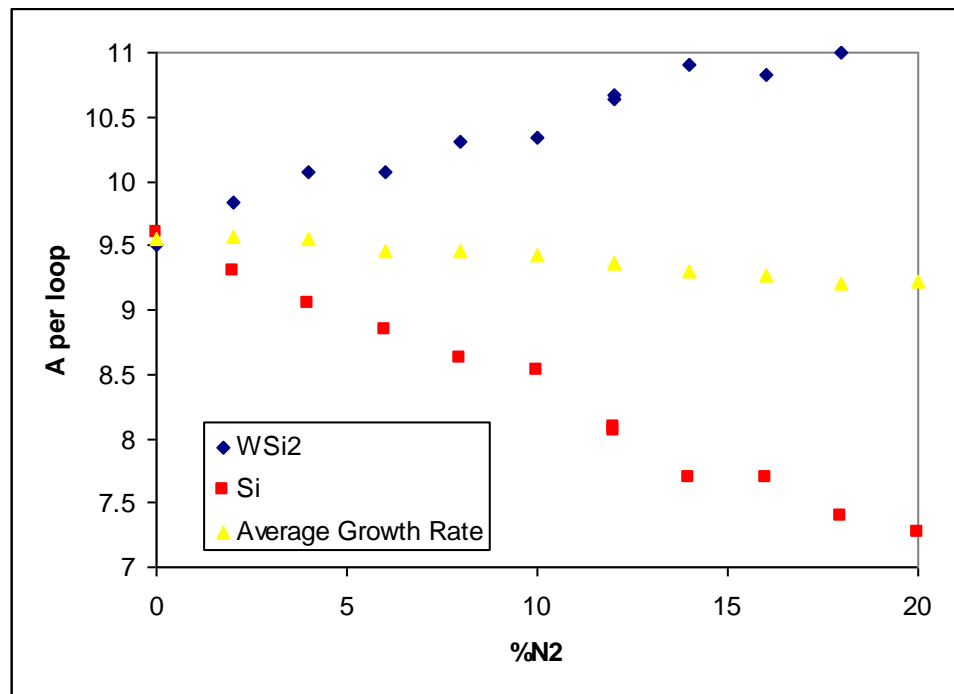
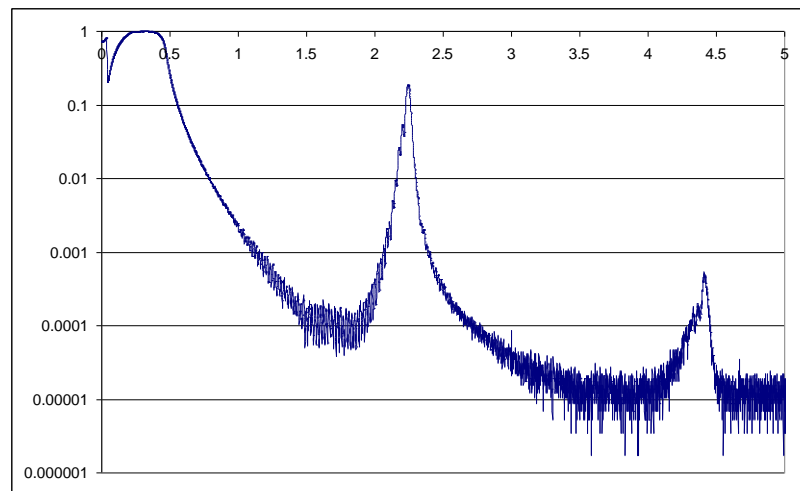
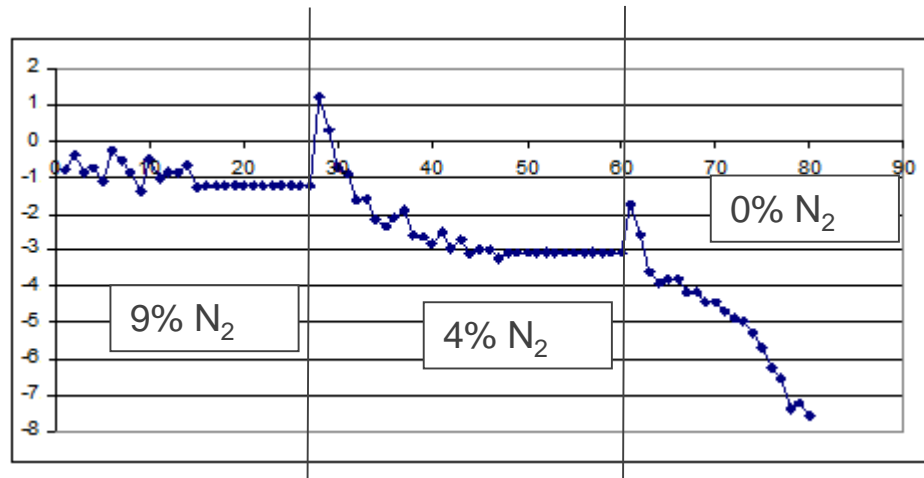
Why reactive sputtering?

Film stress reduction, nitrides, oxides

However:

Reactive sputtering growth rate very sensitive to pressure/temperature

Requirement:  
Equipment Temperature Stability

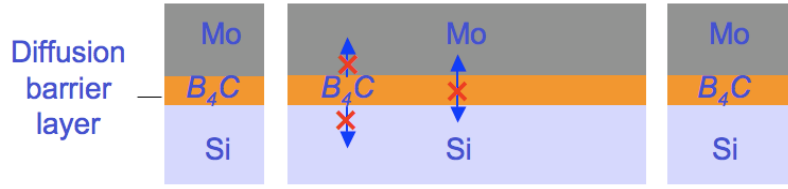


# Multilayer Interface Engineering, Growth Dynamics

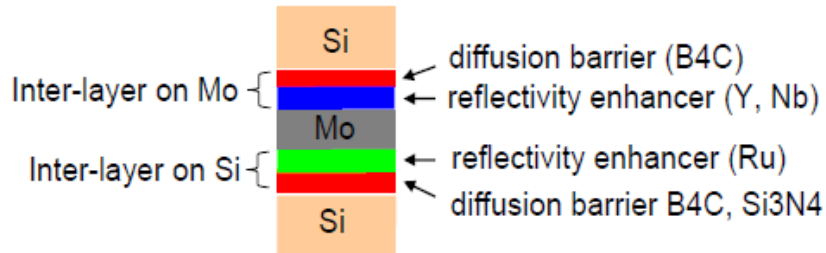
Issues:  
Material chemistry, intermixing

Extreme environments  
Temperature, corrosion

Uses:  
Polarizers, Analyzers  
Narrow bandpass MLs  
Conformal deposition  
Highly-corrugated surfaces

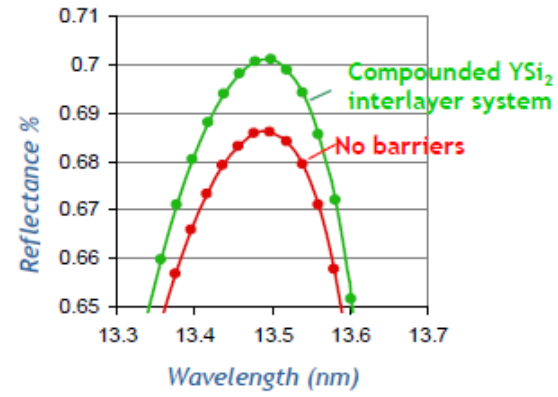


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Yakshin, et al, SPIE 6517-17 (2007)

Feature:  
Multiple cathodes  
or sources



# Multilayer Interface Engineering, Growth Dynamics

Possible route:

Modulated ion-assisted deposition

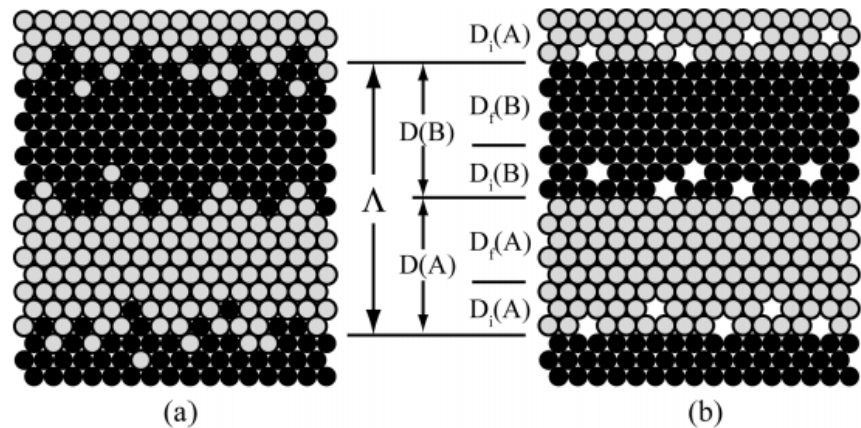
Low energy leads to **low intermixing** but **high surface roughness**

High ion energy leads to **more intermixing** but **lower surface roughness**.

**Combine the two!**

Requires magnetically guiding secondary electrons to the sample

**Feature:**  
Modulated negative bias at the sample



(a) Single ion-energy growth.

(b) Modulated ion-energy assistance.

**Atomic scale interface engineering by modulated ion-assisted deposition applied to soft x-ray multilayer optics**

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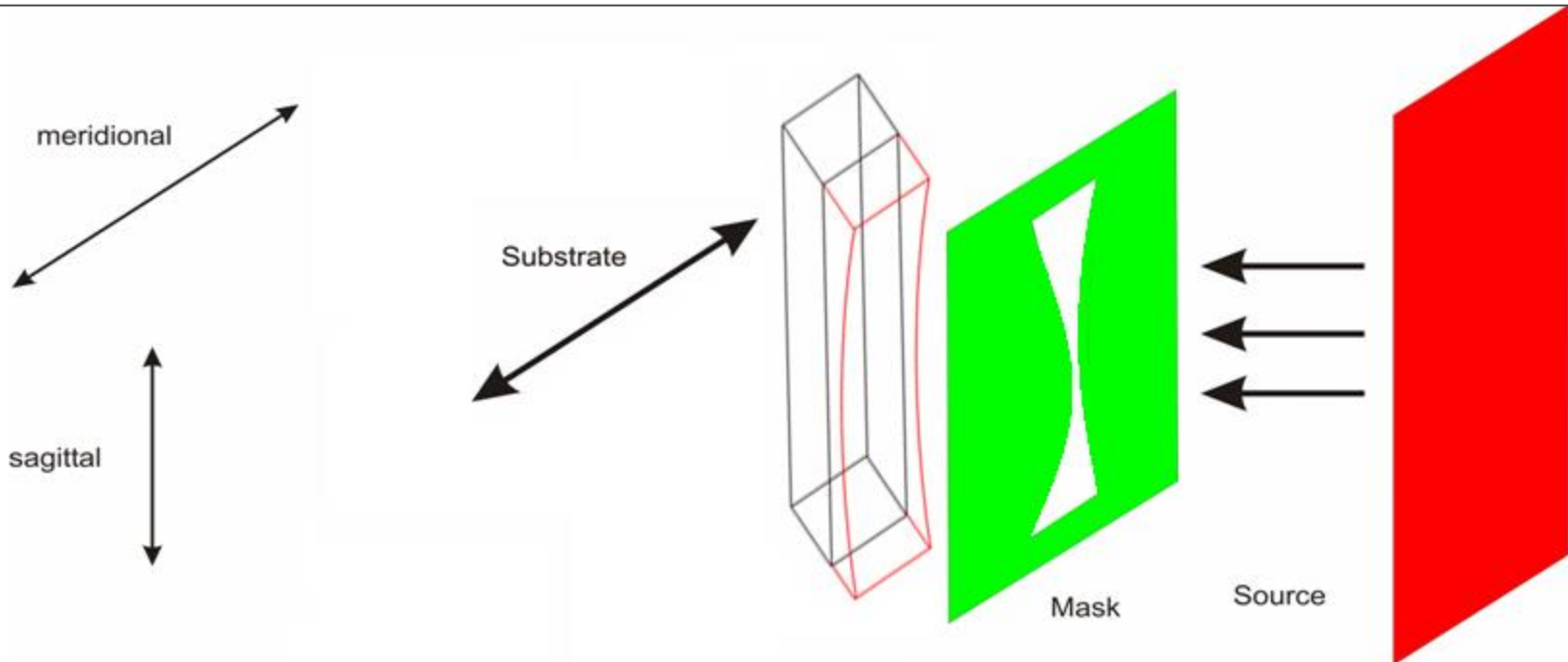
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# Thickness Gradient Control

## Profile Deposition (or profile coating)

- Linear substrate motion with respect to source
- Sagittal thickness control via masks
- Uniform meridional thickness via constant velocity

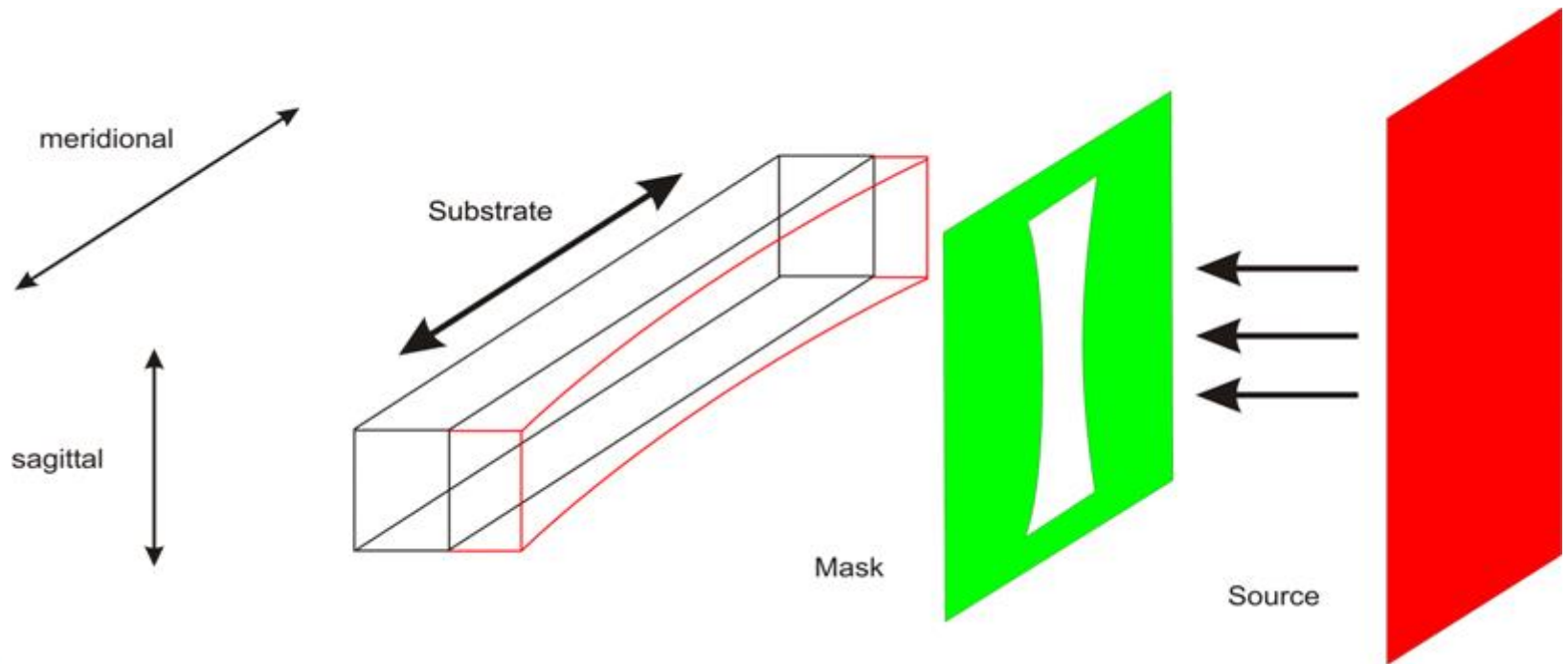


# Thickness Gradient Control

## Differential deposition (Slide from C. Morawe)

- Linear substrate motion with respect to source
- Meridional thickness control via speed variation
- Sagittal thickness tuning via masks

$$t(x_s) = \int_{-S}^{+S} R \cdot f(x_m - x_s) \cdot \frac{dx_m}{v(x_m)}$$

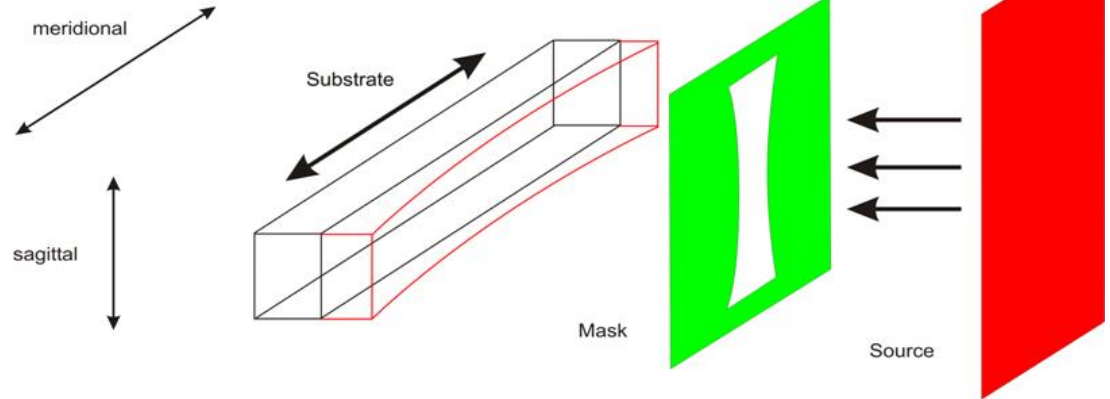




# Thickness Gradient Control - What's the difference?

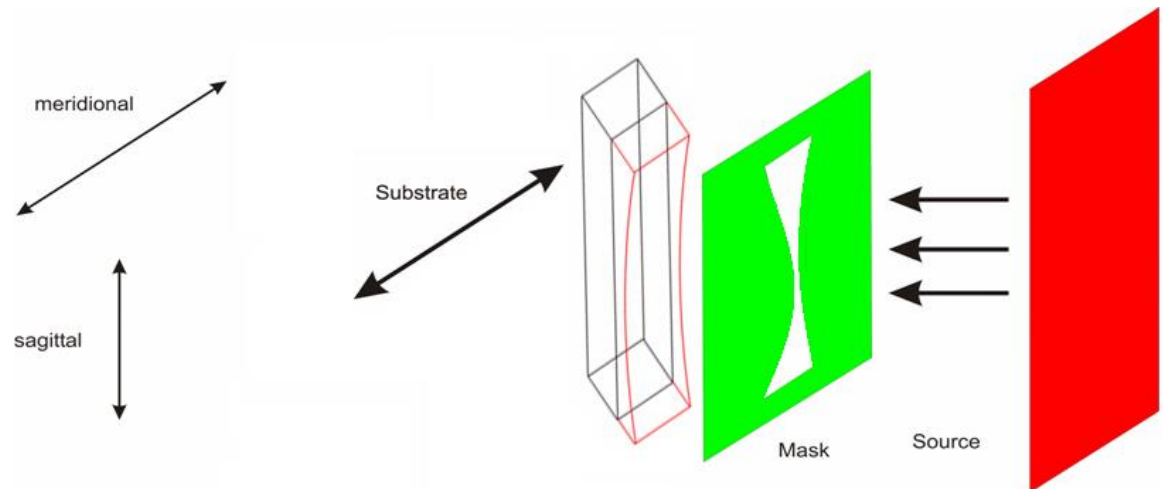
## Differential Deposition

- Precision thickness-graded multilayers
- Final phase correcting layer

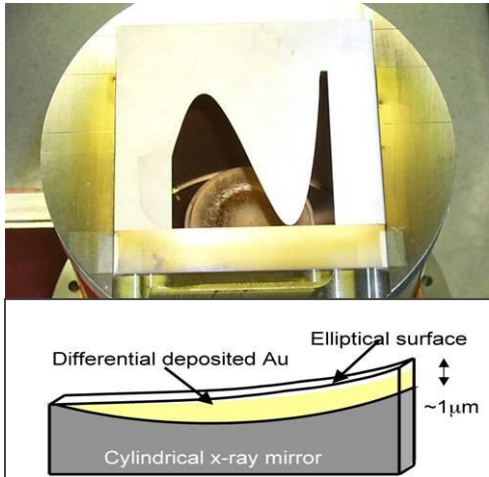


## Profile Coating

- Efficient figure changes
- Universal masking technique



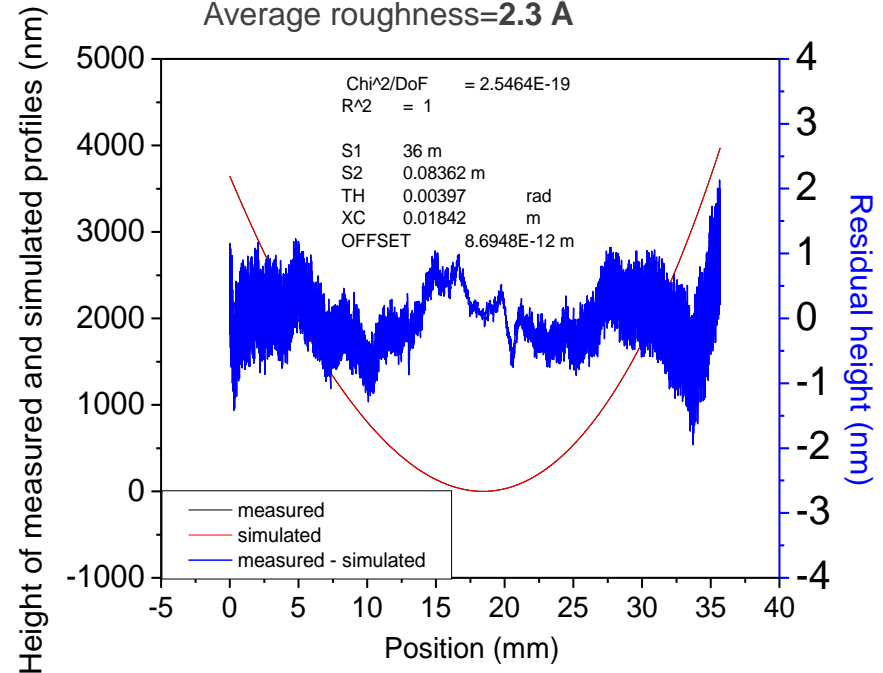
# Profile Coating



Direction of substrate translation



Pt-profiled KB on spherical Si  
 RMS figure error=0.5nm  
 Average roughness=2.3 Å



## Small deposition system (APS) dedicated to mirror fabrication

- Routine elliptical Pt coating up to ~10µm thick
- Single-process gas only
- No monitoring or feedback system
- **Translation stage is failing**
- **Sputters up**
- No provision for velocity profiling, erosion compensation, depth-graded MLs, etc



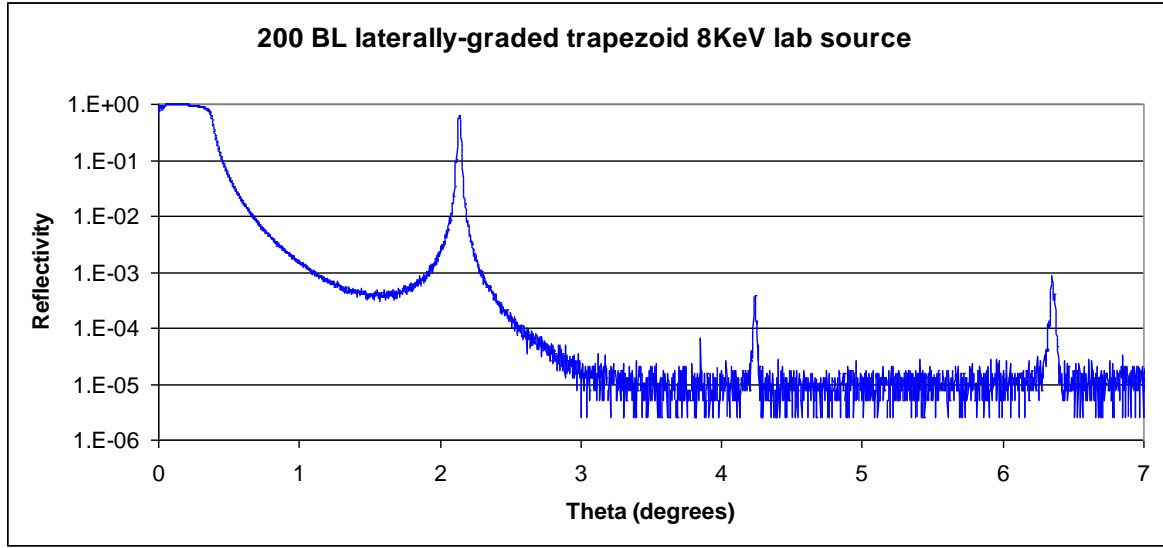
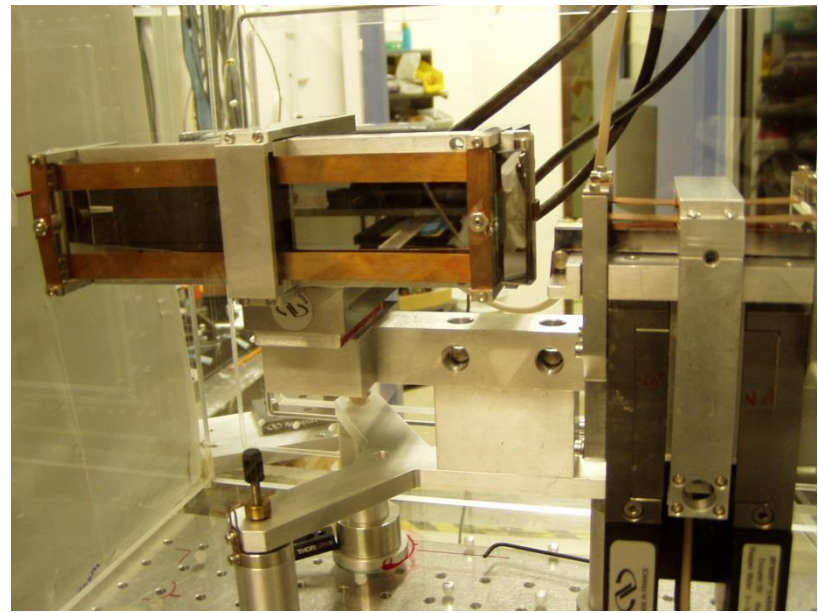
# 200mm Laterally-Graded ML KB

For 80 KeV focusing at NSLS

W/B<sub>4</sub>C, d=1.8 to 2.2 nm

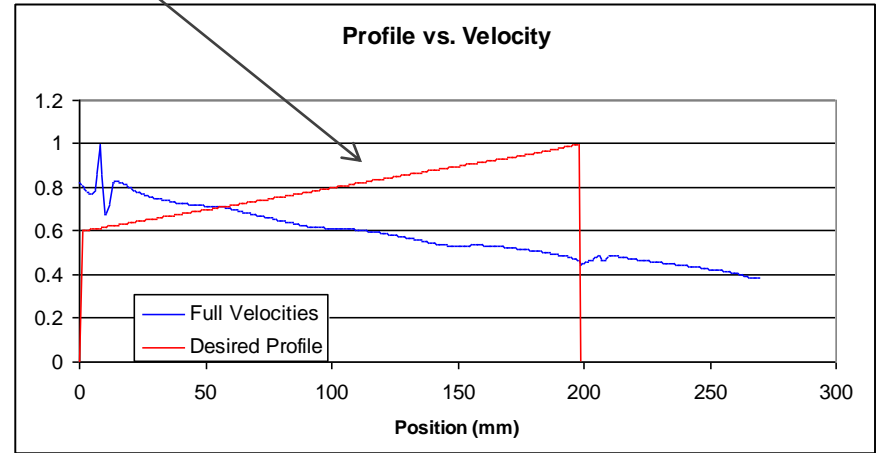
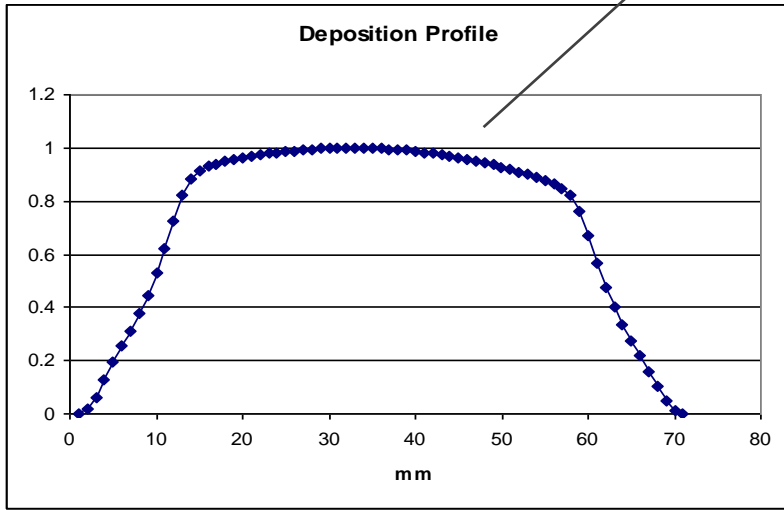
Deposited with velocity profiling

Individual erosion rate compensation

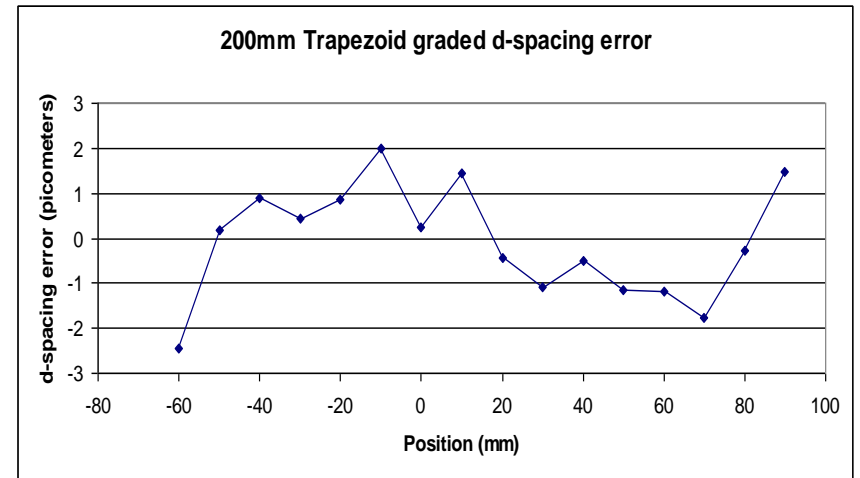
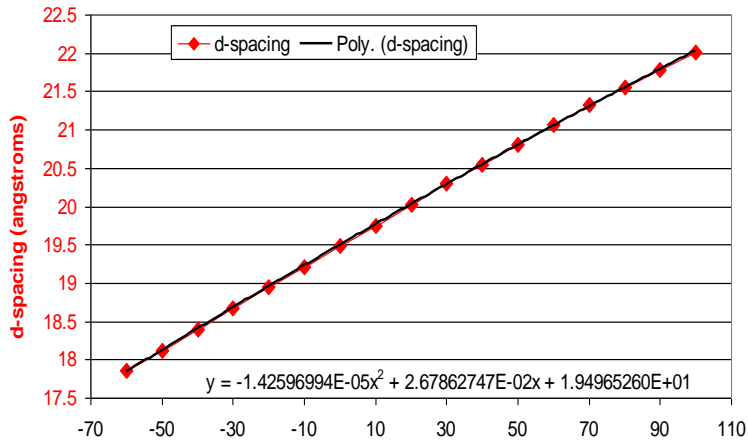


# 200mm Laterally-Graded ML

## Convolution



200mm Trapezoid W/B4C x 300 ML *graded* d-spacing



# Modular Deposition System Impact (Phase 2)

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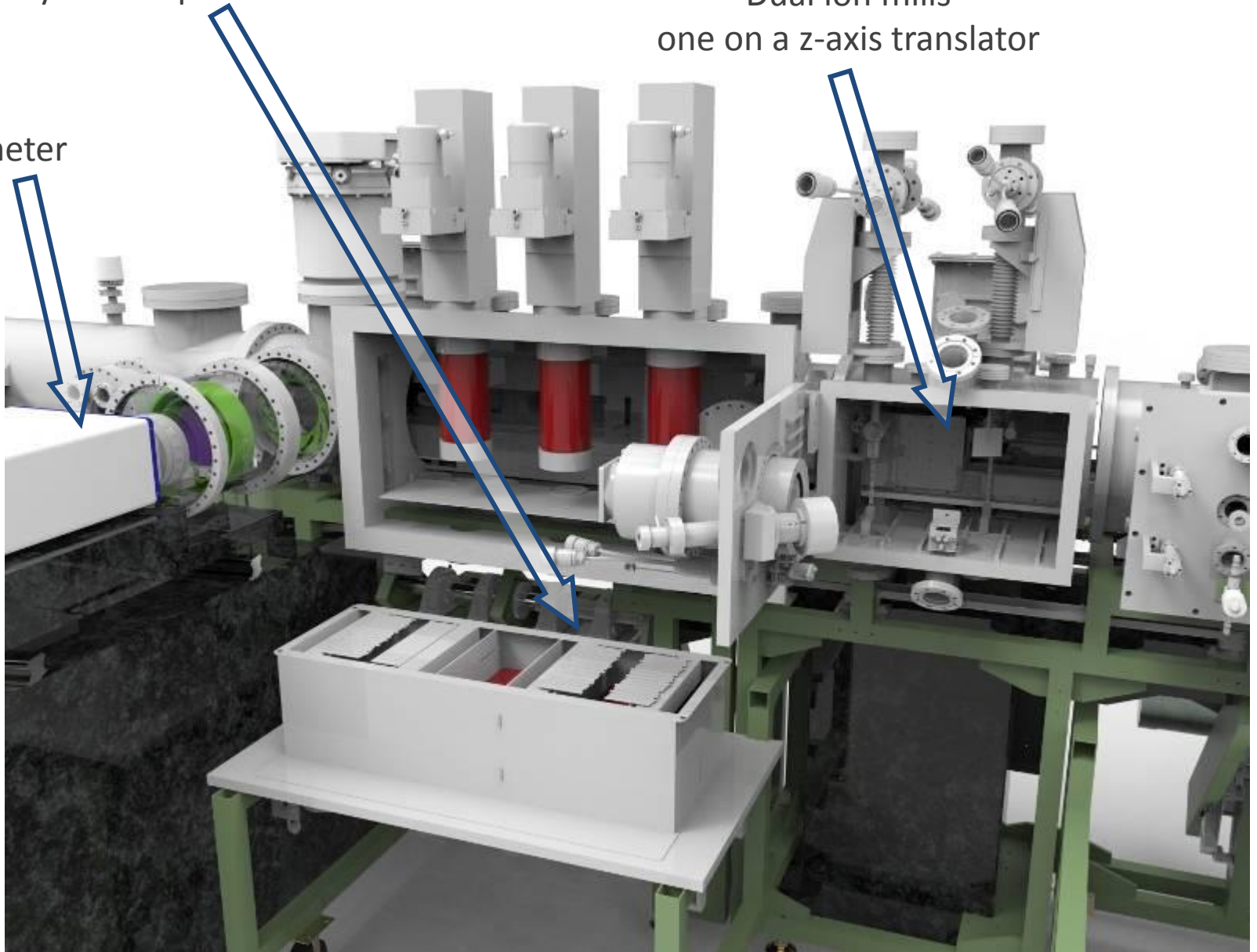


# Phase 2

Dynamic Aperture

Dual ion mills  
one on a z-axis translator

In-situ  
interferometer



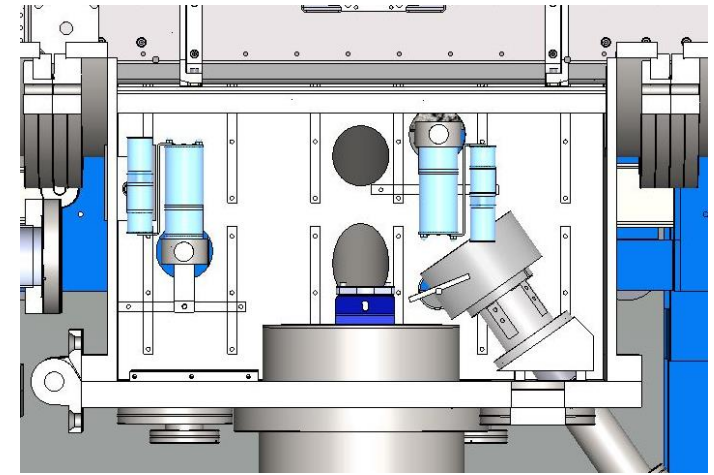
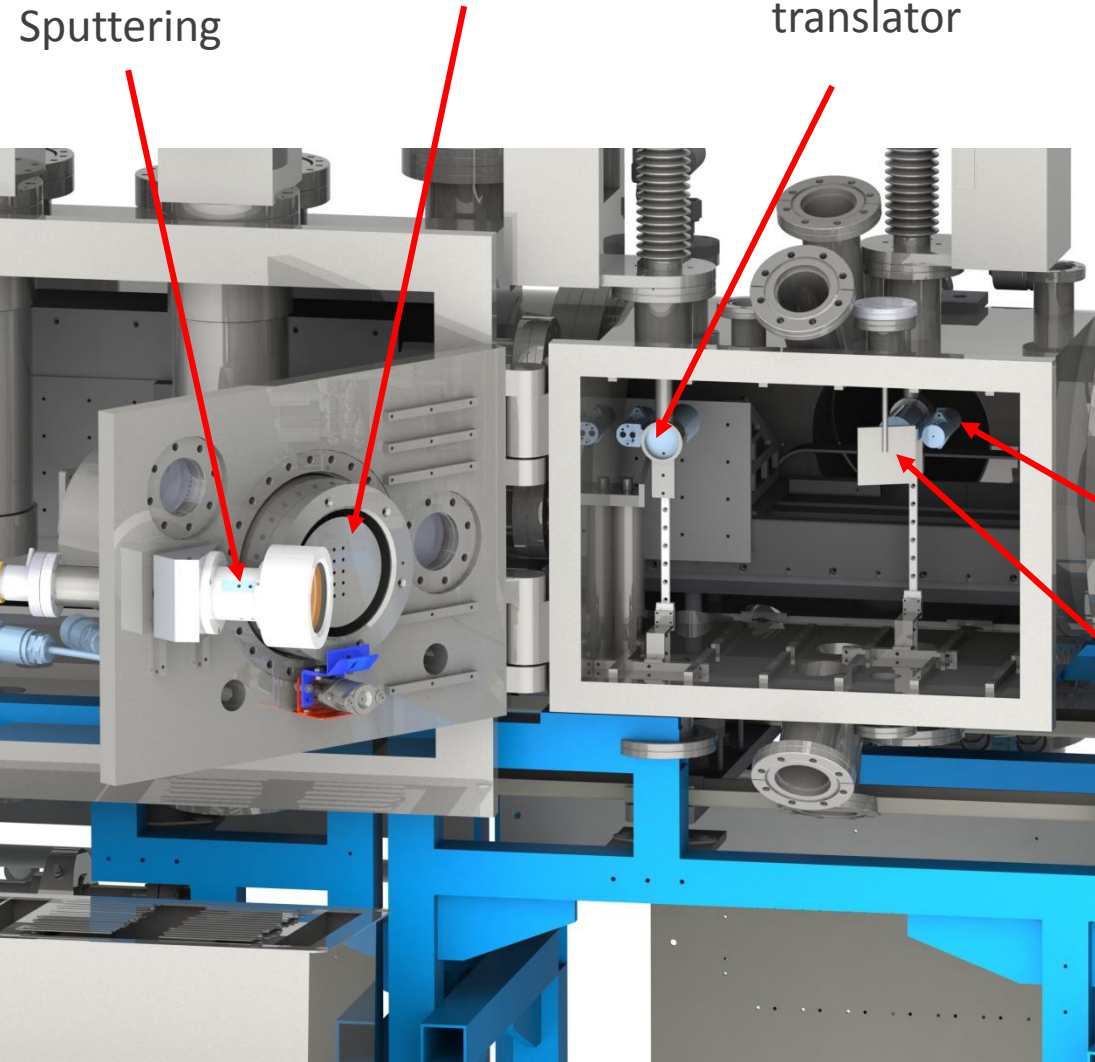


# Ion Source Chamber

Sputtering cathode for Ion Assisted Sputtering

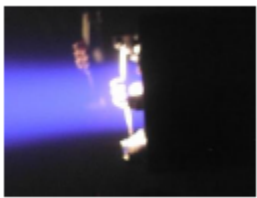
100mm RFICP mill

6mm focused DC mill on z-axis translator

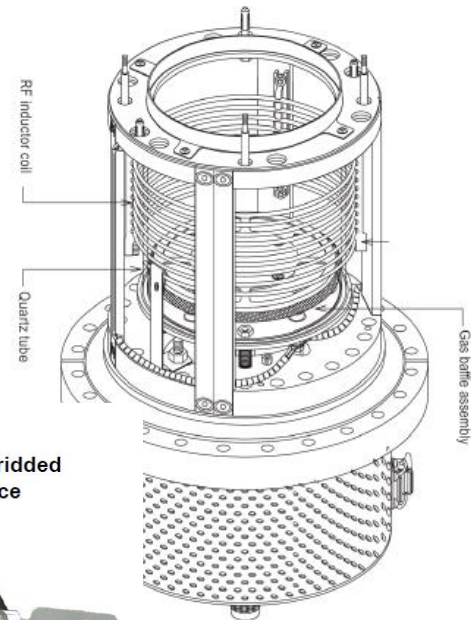


Focused ion mill for ion beam deposition

Target

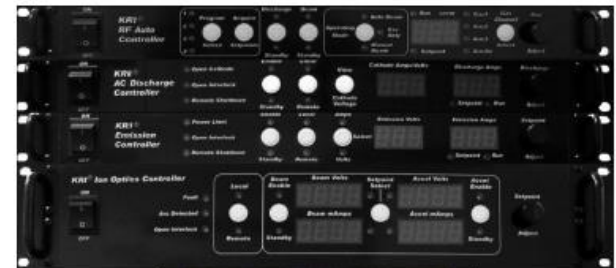


# RF-ICP 100mm broad-beam source

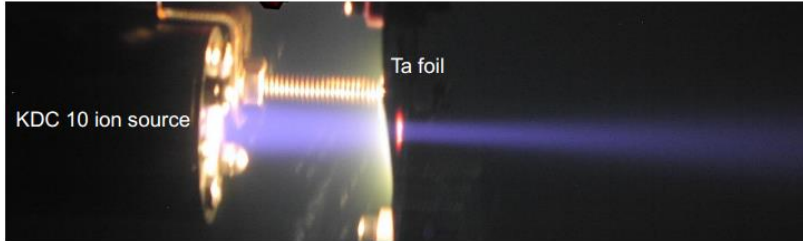


LFN 2000 electron source neutralizer

Product	RFICP 100
Discharge	Inductively coupled
RF Discharge Power (max)	800W
Beam current (max)	>400mA
Voltage range	100-1200V
Gases	Inert (Ar,Xe, etc) & reactive (O2, N2, others)
Typical flows	5-30sccm
Ion optics (self-align)	OptiBeam™
Beam size @ grids	10cm Φ (typical)
Grids	Molybdenum & Graphite
Beam Shape	Collimated, convergent, divergent
Neutralizer	Non-immersed
Height (nominal)	9.25" (23.5cm)
Diameter (nominal)	7.525" (19.1cm)
Feedthrough direct:	10" CF



# KDC 10mm focused source



Models	KDC10
<b>Discharge</b>	DC magnetic confinement
Filament cathodes	One
Anode voltage	0-100V VDC
<b>Ion optics</b>	OptiBeam™
Grids	Application specific
Alignment	Self-aligned
Beam size @ grid	1cm (typical)
<b>Neutralizer (std)</b>	Filament
<b>Power controller</b>	KSC 1202
<b>Options</b>	
Ion optics	Collimated, focused, defocused
Controller options	4 gas channels, recipe storage
Neutralizer	Sidewinder or LFN 2000
Mount	Remote or direct flange

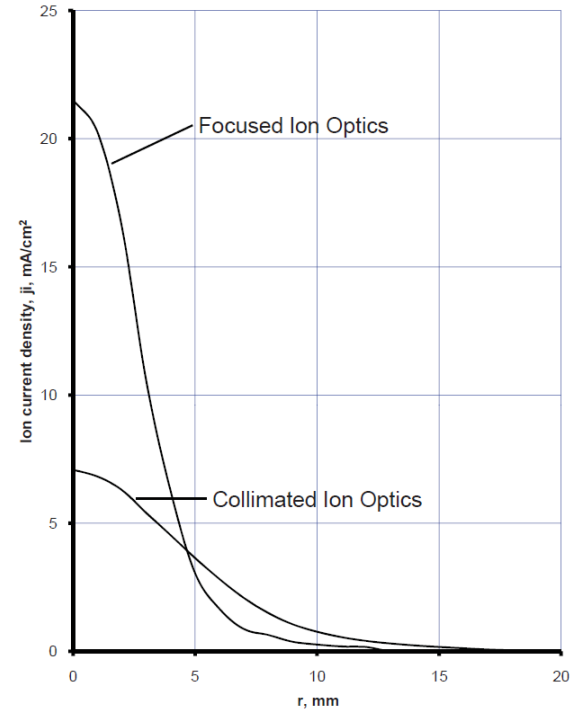


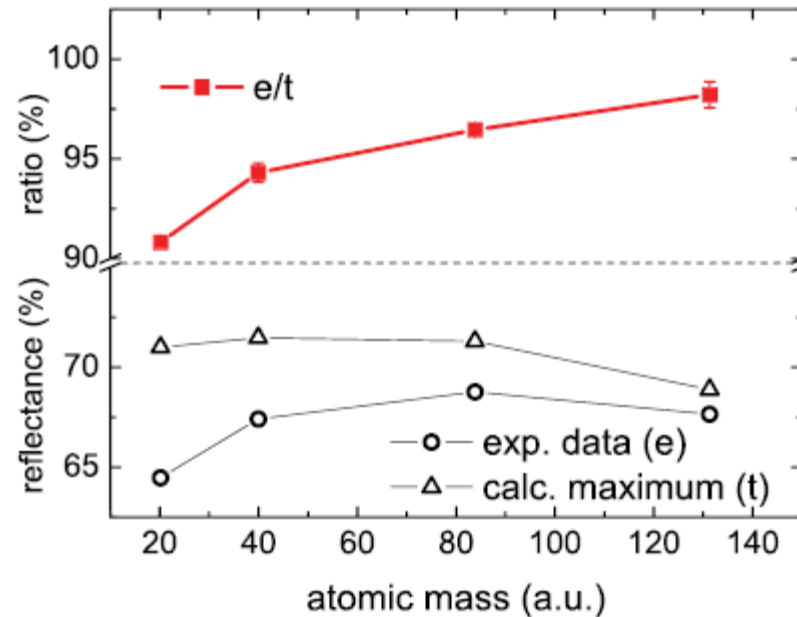
Fig. 4-5 Ion-beam profiles for focused and collimated two-grid graphite ion optics. The ion-beam current is 10 mA, the beam voltage is 600 V, the accel voltage is 90 V, and the argon flow is 4 sccm.



# Ion-Beam Polishing with Various Noble Gases

Feature:

Ion-Mill and  
Sputtering  
Gas Species  
Flexibility



(Ne, Ar, Kr, Xe)

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## Influence of noble gas ion polishing species on extreme ultraviolet mirrors

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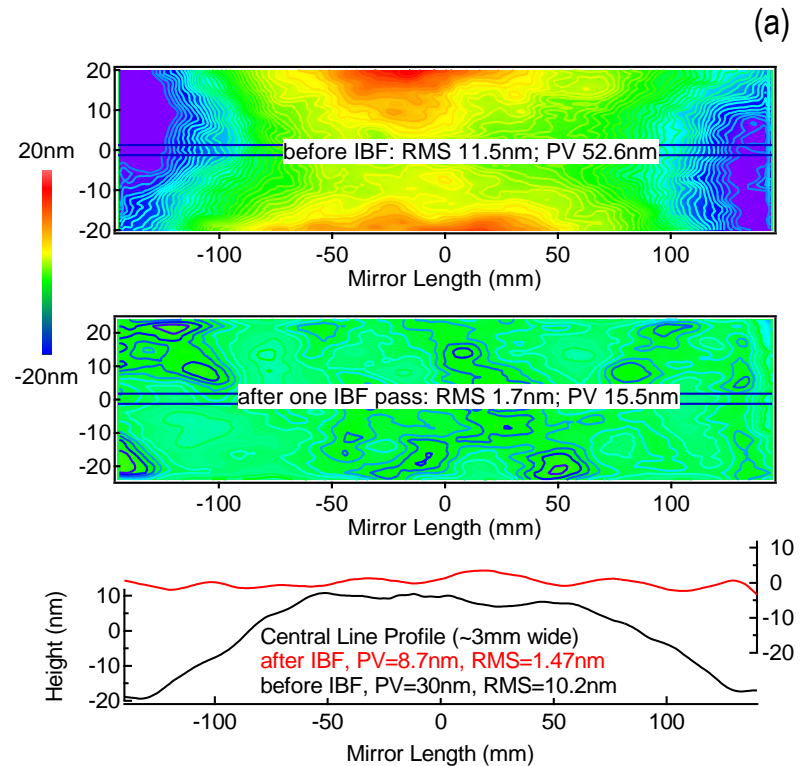
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# Ion Milling

- 15 APS beamlines have identified mirrors that would benefit from figure correction
- Inexpensive alternative to complete mirror replacement
- Potential to utilize equipment for other applications
- In-situ metrology + ion milling offers fast turn-around (1 week vs. 6 months) and ability to utilize reactive materials



Example mirror figure correction courtesy ZEISS

**Real challenges:**

**mirror surface measurement + mirror position targeting**





# In-situ UHV Mirror Figure Measurement

Basic idea:

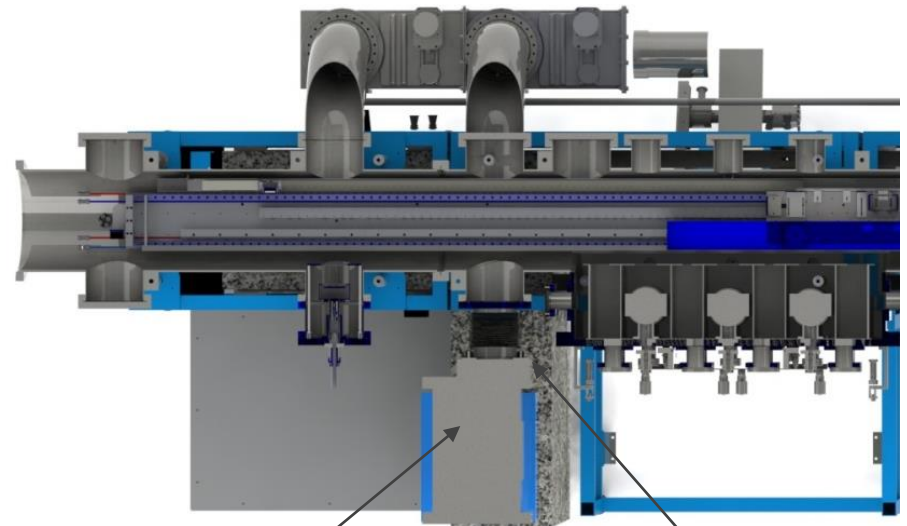
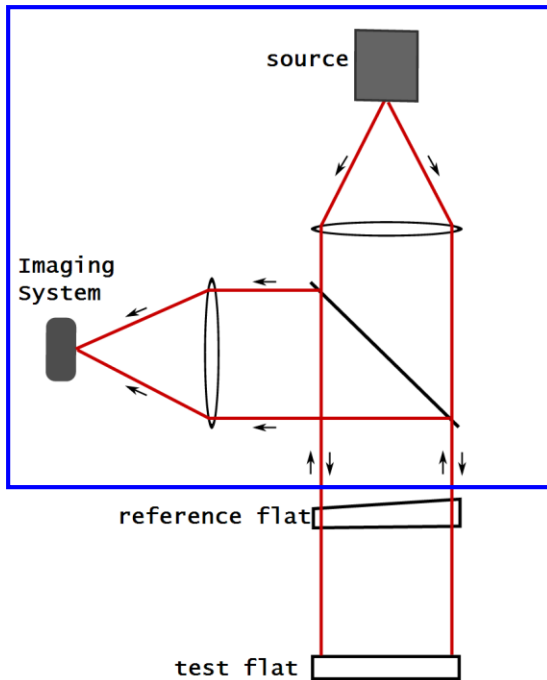
Attach a Fizeau interferometer to a viewport, which is then attached to a bellows  
Use autocollimator to track stage trajectory during stitching

Measurement of flats:

Tip-tilt on the interferometer is required  
No reference sphere required

Measurement of aspheres:

Tip-tilt on the interferometer is required  
Reference sphere required  
May need to track angular alignment of Fizeau during stitching



Interferometer

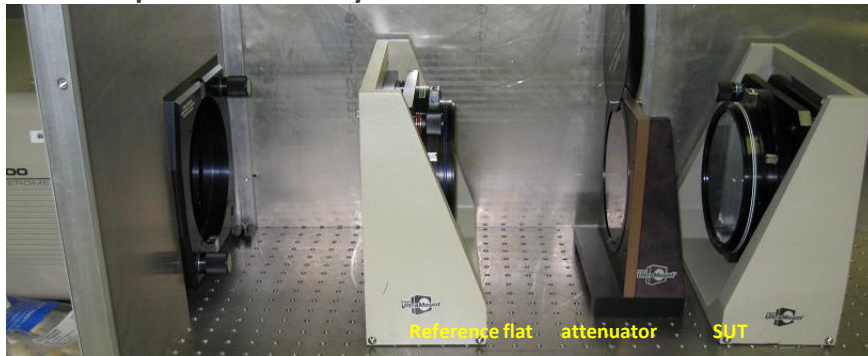
The problem is the vacuum window



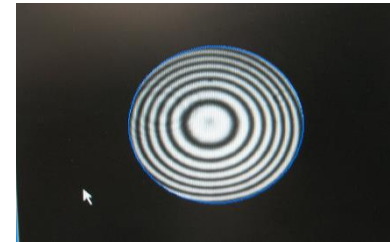
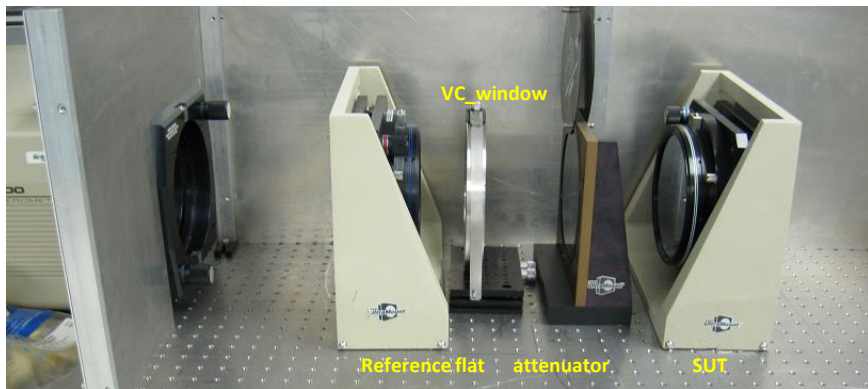


# Vacuum Window Issues

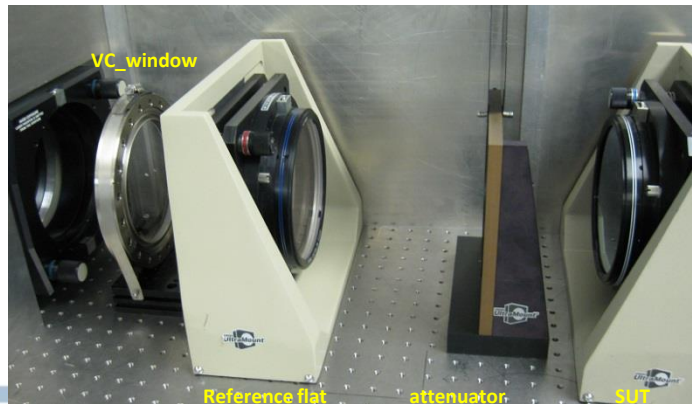
Experiment by Jun Qian



Interference pattern



Interference pattern



Interference pattern



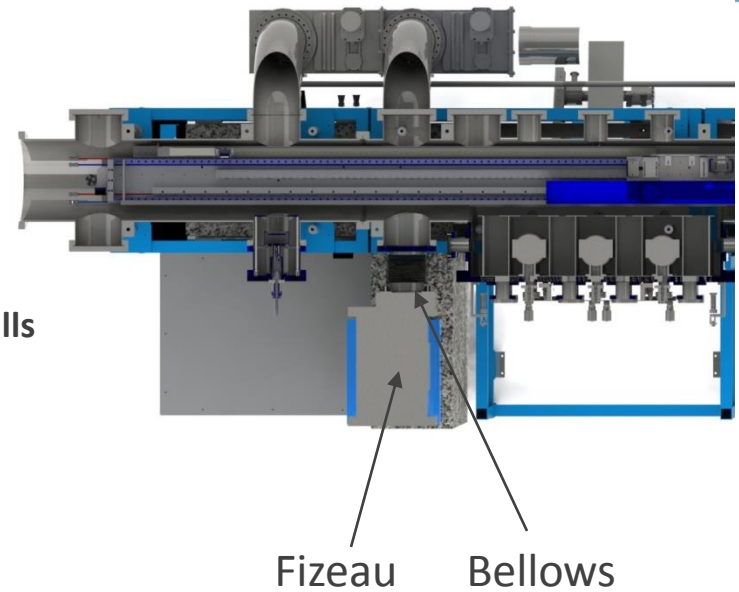
# In-situ Fizeau Measurement

Pros:

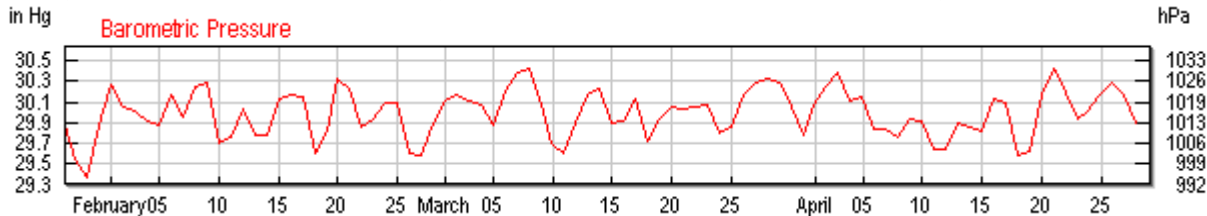
- Keeps the mirror under vacuum
- Fast iteration rate
- Ability to avoid oxidation (metals, etc)
- Accurate registration between measurement and ion mills**

Cons:

- Cannot place the mirror in vertical deflection mode
- Need to consider viewport deflection
- Cannot use the instrument for normal metrology usage

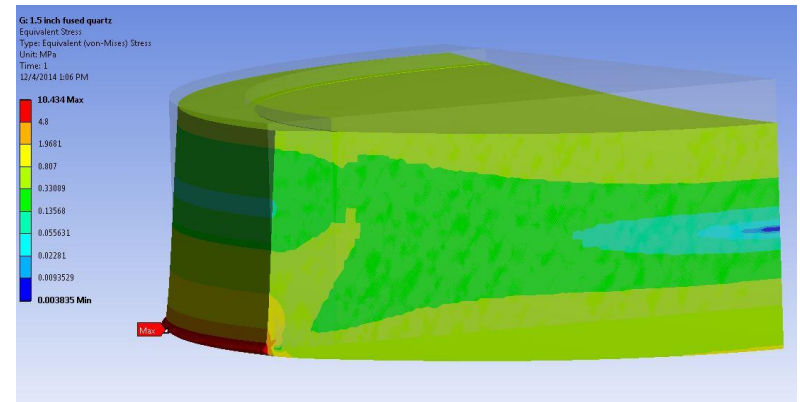


Impact of barometric pressure variation in viewport:



Viewport radius of curvature vs pressure and thickness

	0.25"	0.5"
772.16 Torr	63.2 m	1597 m
744.22 Torr	60.9 m	1660 m



# In-situ Surface Measurement Using Interferometry

## Pros

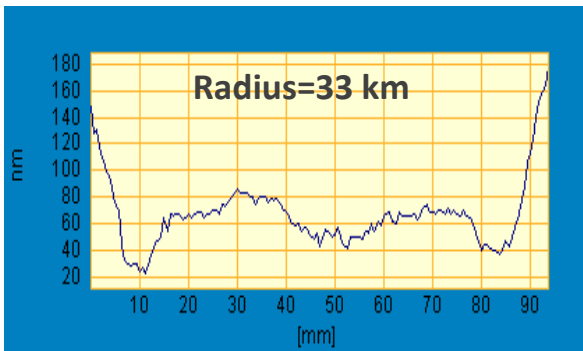
- Keeps the mirror under vacuum
- No air turbulence
- No humidity effects
- Fast iteration rate
- Avoid oxidation (metals, etc)
- Accurate registration between measurement & ion mills

## Cons

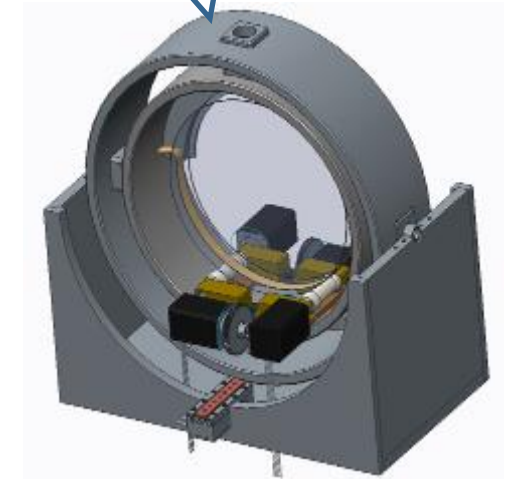
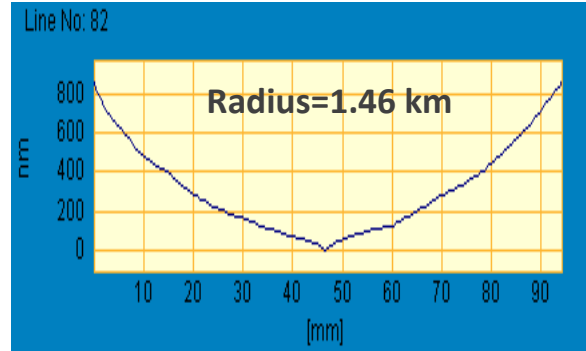
- Must dedicate the instrument
- Viewport deflection & internal stress



Deflection at Atmosphere



Deflection Under Vacuum

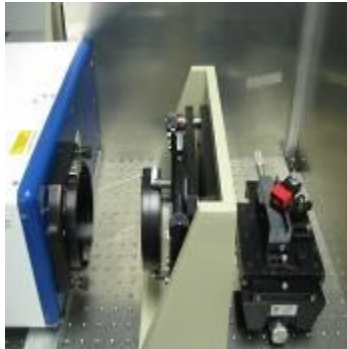


UHV gimbal

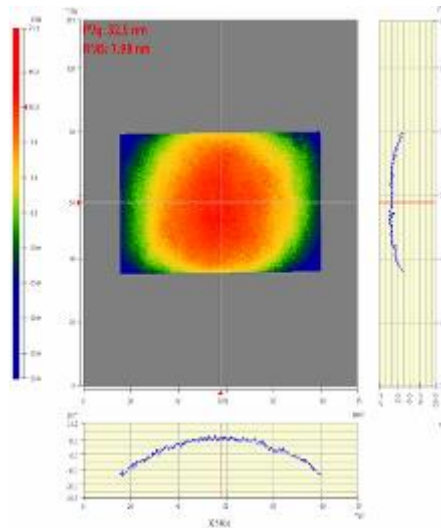


# Measurements

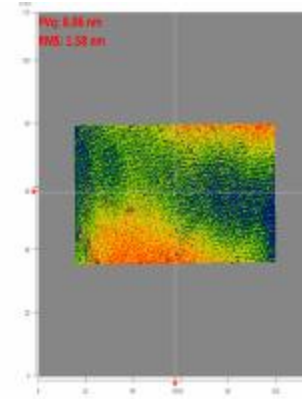
A)



Reference Flat SUT



$C=A-B$

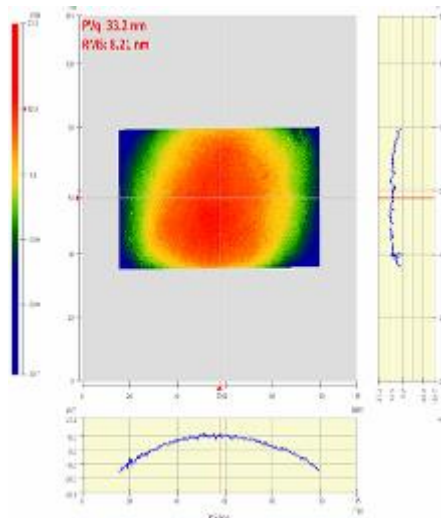


- RMS=1.58 nm and PV=8.06 nm.
- Recent tests by Jun Qian indicate ~0.05 nm repeatability with simulated UHV condition

B)



Reference Flat SUT



\*Wavelength tunable on-axis dynamic interferometer (Not a Fizeau)



**A curved TF simulating the VC window**



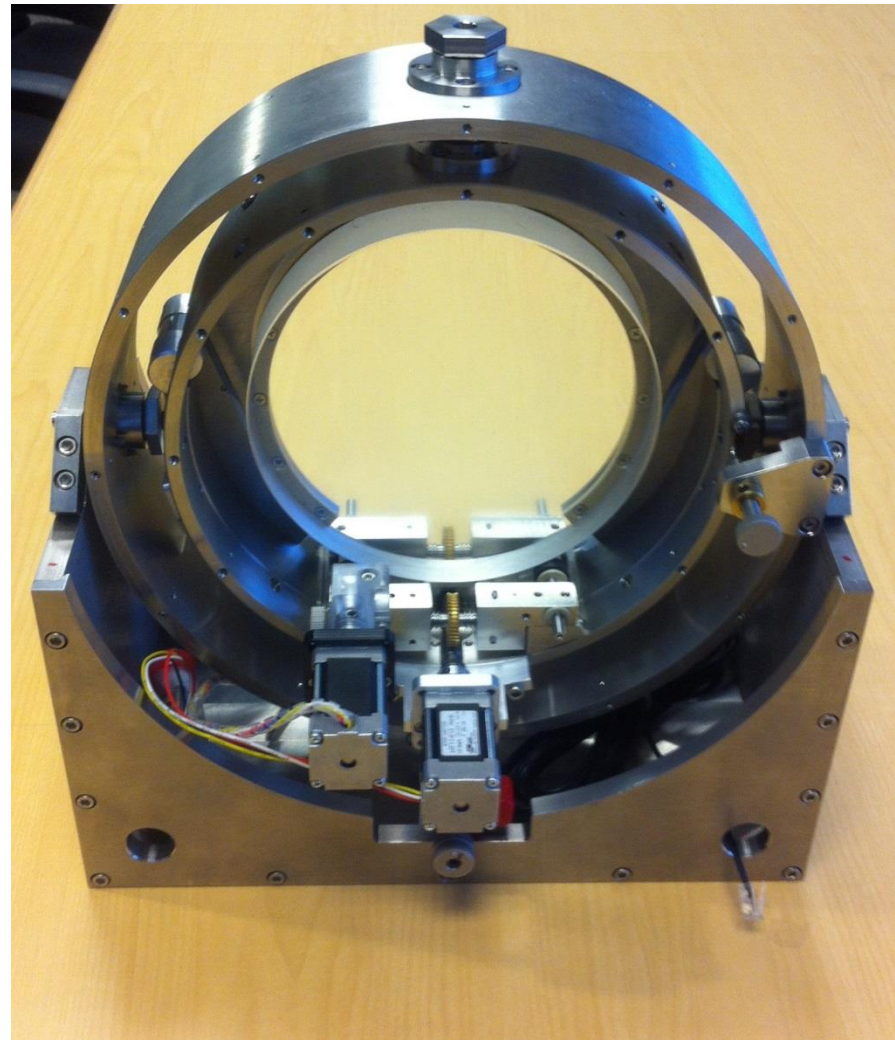


# UHV Gimbal

Transmission flat supported by steel band during measurement

Wheels engage to lift and then rotate the t-flat for calibration

Both axes rotate on c-flex bearings for zero backlash and drag



# Alternative ex-situ design (Backup plan)

in-vacuum cart is  
used ex-situ  
for best possible  
position registration

Dual ion mills  
one on a z-axis translator

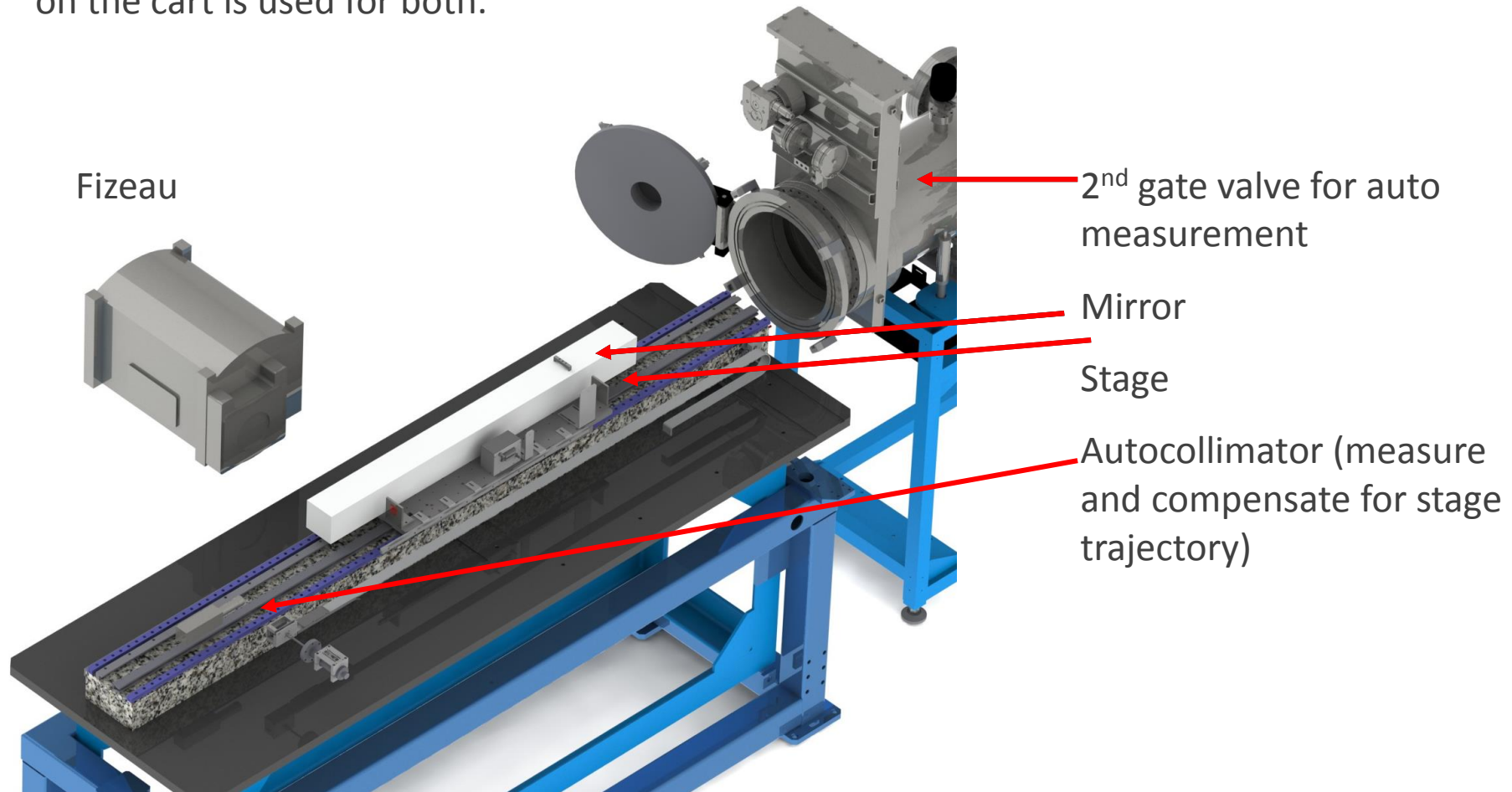
Ex-situ Interferometer





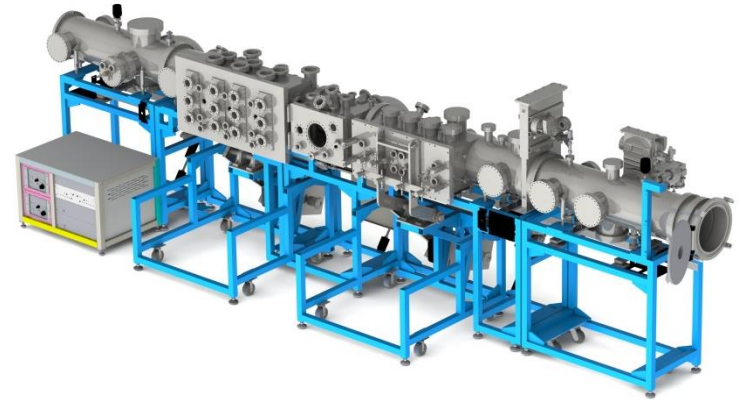
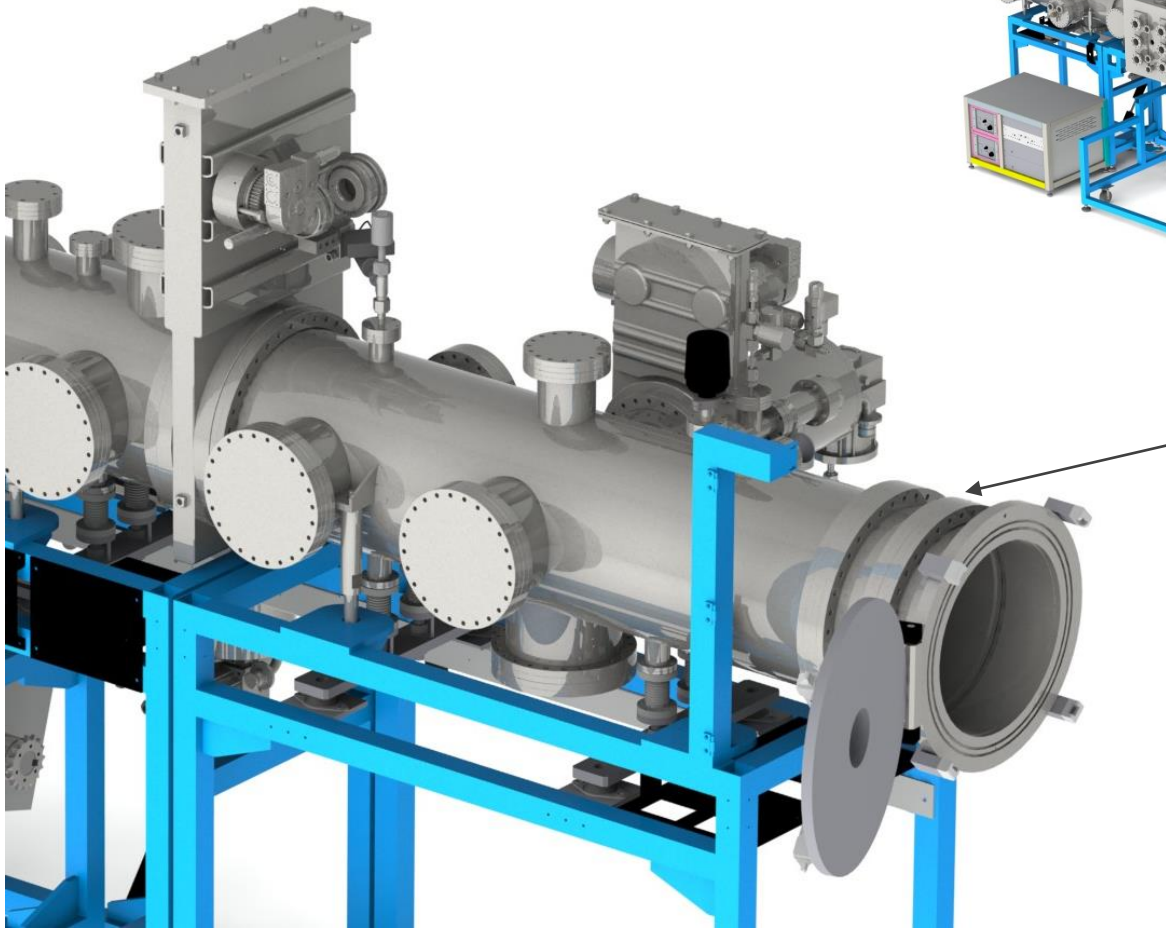
# Alternative automated ex-situ design (backup plan)

The in-vacuum rail and ex-situ stage use identical encoder tape, and the read-head on the cart is used for both.



# Alternative automated ex-situ design

## What's required of the "base system"?



A spool piece

1 spring-loaded car stop (not shown)

1 set of extra car rails for the ex-situ table (also not shown)

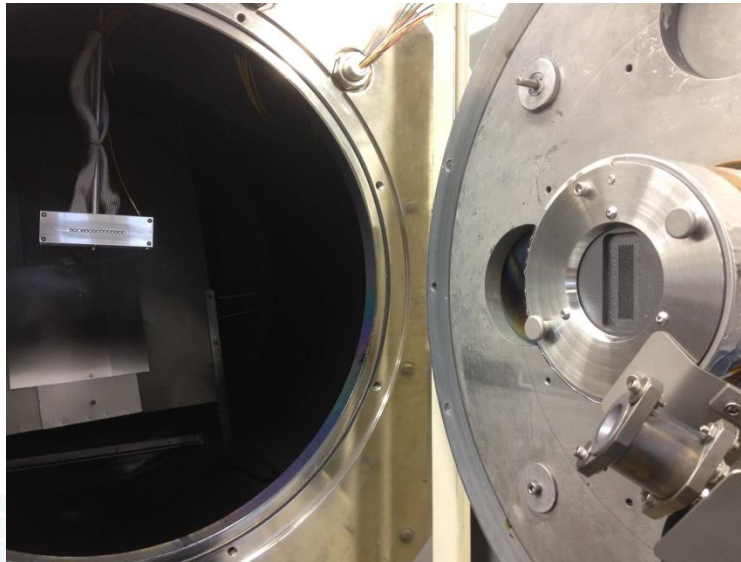
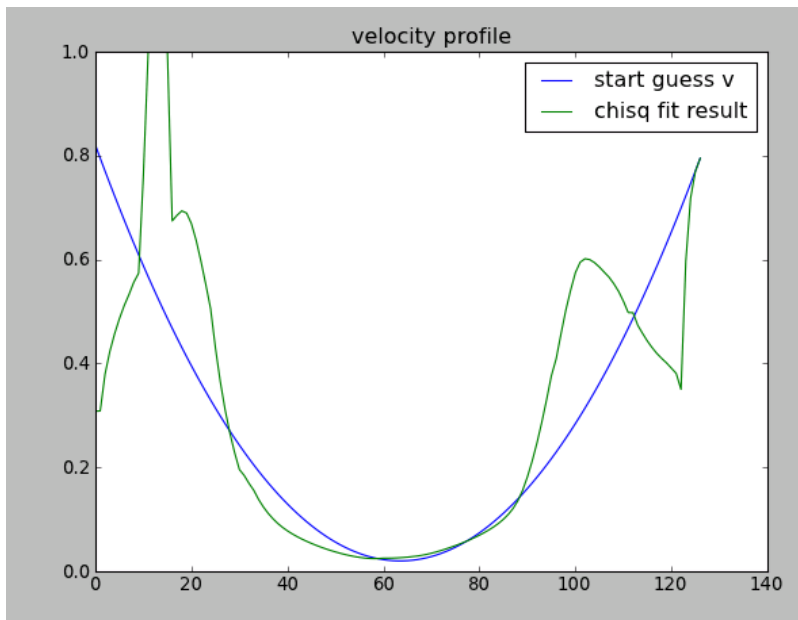
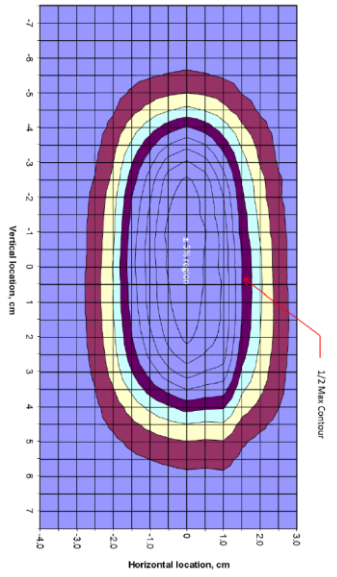
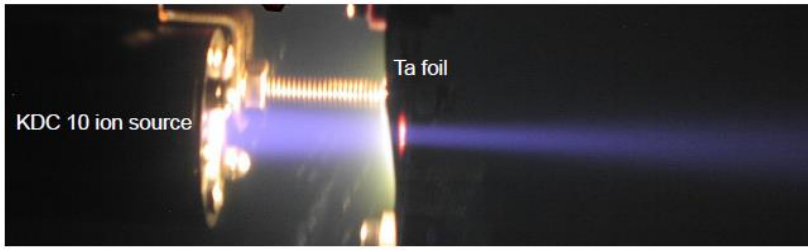


# Differential profiling can be used for ion milling

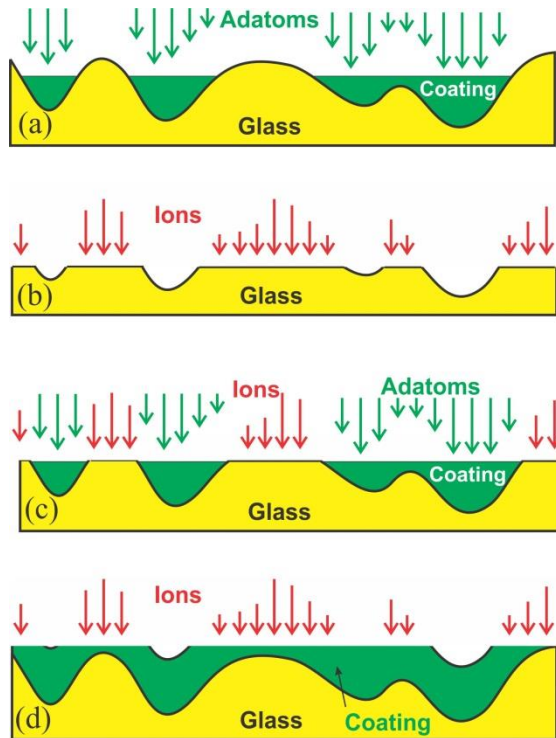
RF required for processes involving insulating materials/gases

Filamentless – source lasts for a very long time between rebuilds

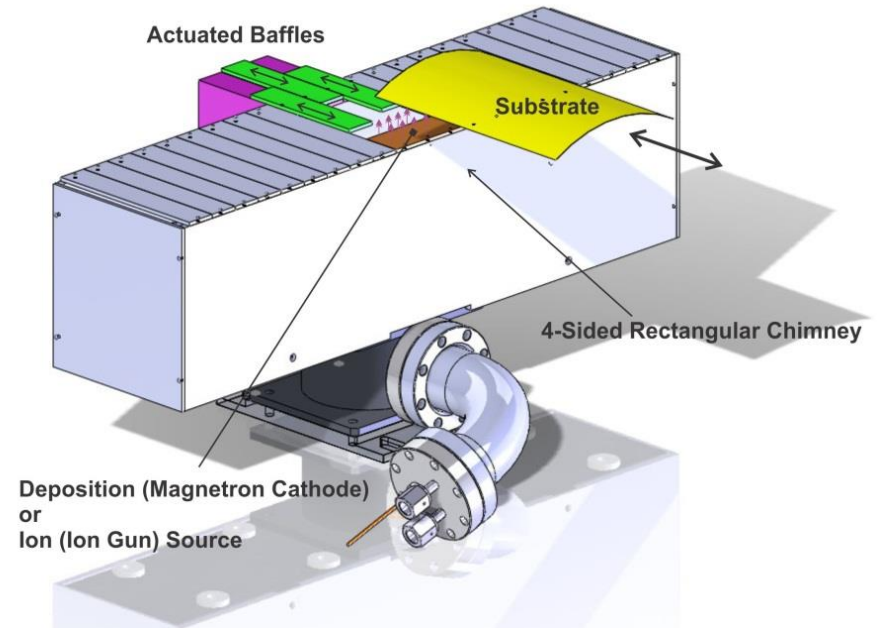
Mo optics for reactive gases (O<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>, N<sub>2</sub>, + exotics, SF<sub>6</sub>, C<sub>4</sub>F<sub>8</sub>, etc...)



# Deterministic Deposition/ Ion Beam Figuring



Surface correction techniques: (a) differential deposition, (b) ion-beam figuring, (c) combination, (d) ion-beam figuring of over-coating.



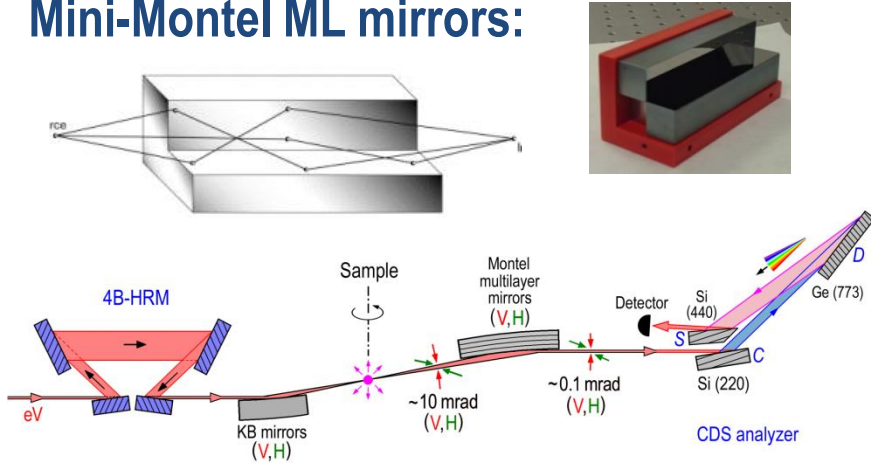
Ion source or sputtering source inside a chimney with dynamic apertures





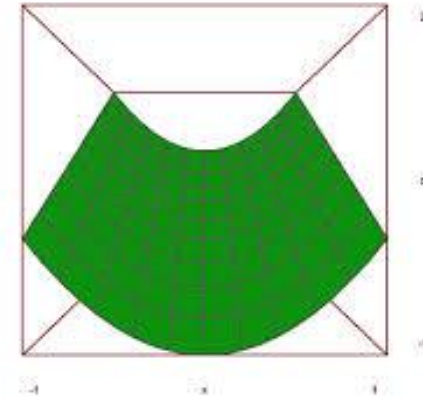
# Conformal Coatings-Extreme Figure ML Mirrors

- **Mini-Montel ML mirrors:**



- **Single-reflection toroid mirrors:**

- Convert divergent beam from a target into a parallel beam



- One multi-crystal analyzer per edge
- Flat crystal technology and expertise sufficient
- Incident side optics proven, in existence
- Performance dependent on collimating Montel mirror

Slide from DOE Lehman CD-2 Review of the APS Upgrade Project 4-6 December 2012

Challenge: (Ignoring the difficult substrate) Graded-d ML within the interior of the steep concave surface. Requires flux change in both axes simultaneously, and off-normal growth + low roughness.

Solutions? -Differential Deposition and simultaneous controllable slit aperture (perhaps)

True three-dimensional flux gradients may be possible!

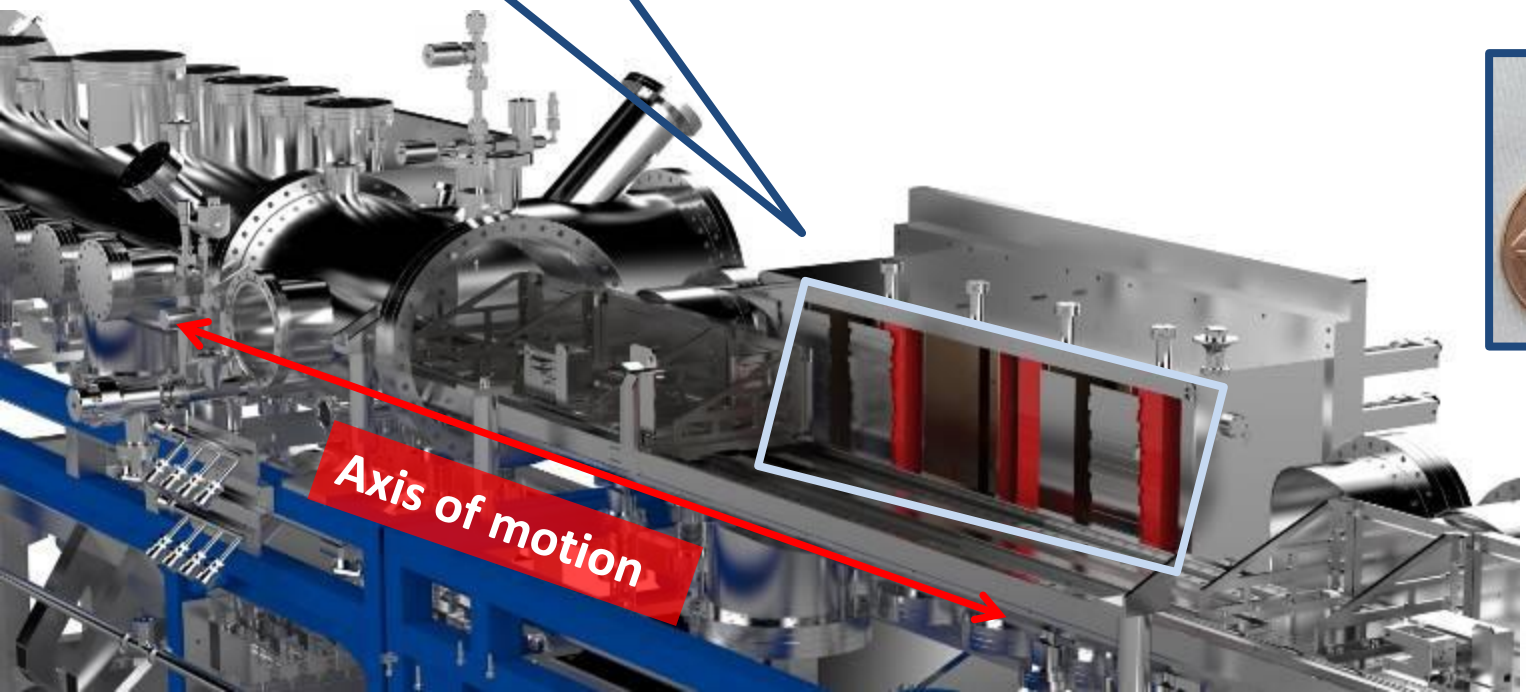
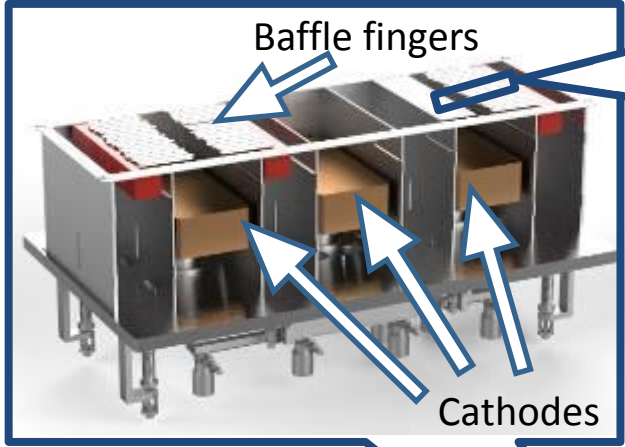


# Dynamic Aperture

Currently, transverse thin-film/ion milling profile is defined by a static aperture

Flux gradients possible along both X and Y axes

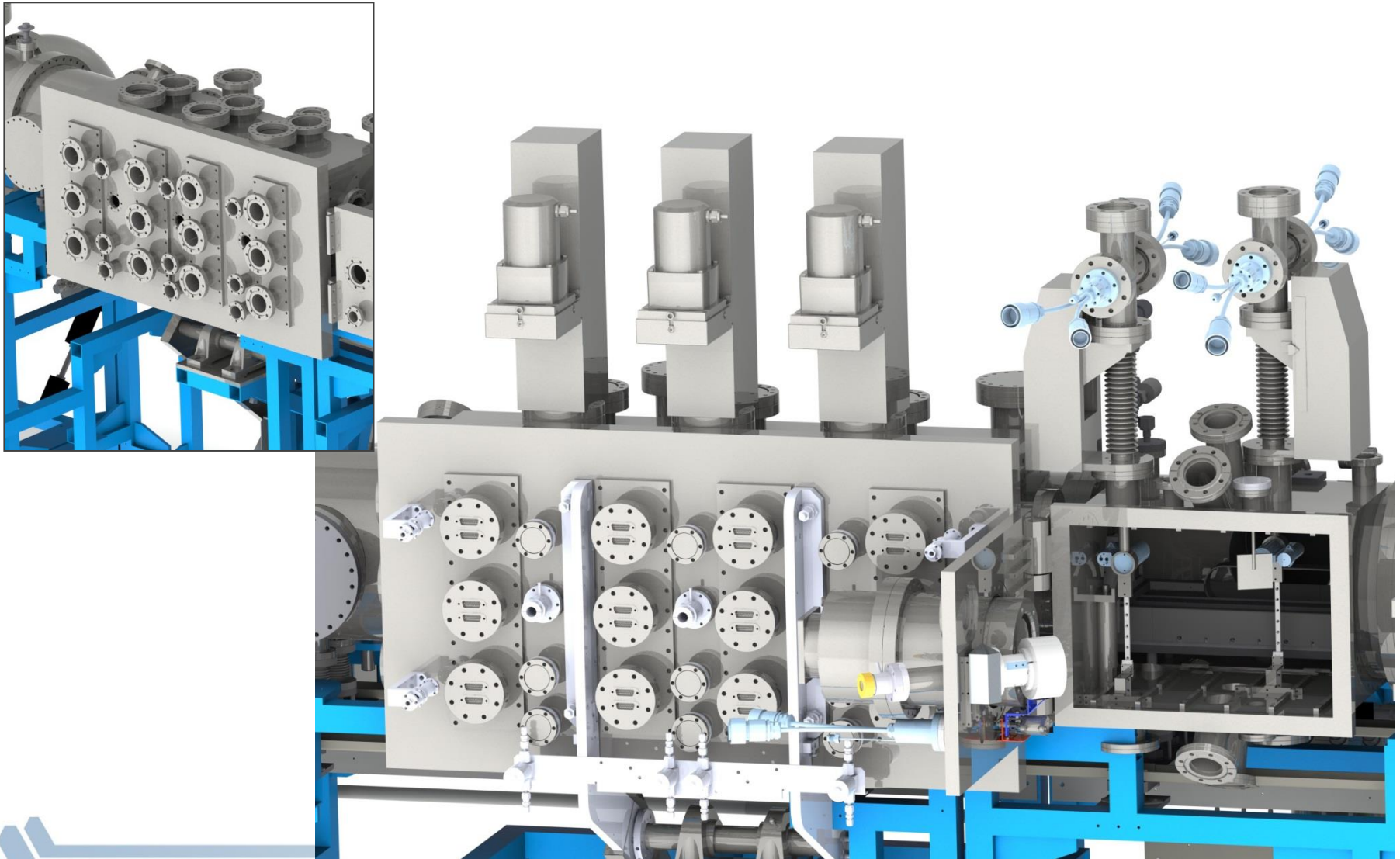
For figure correction or 3-dimensional multilayer profiles



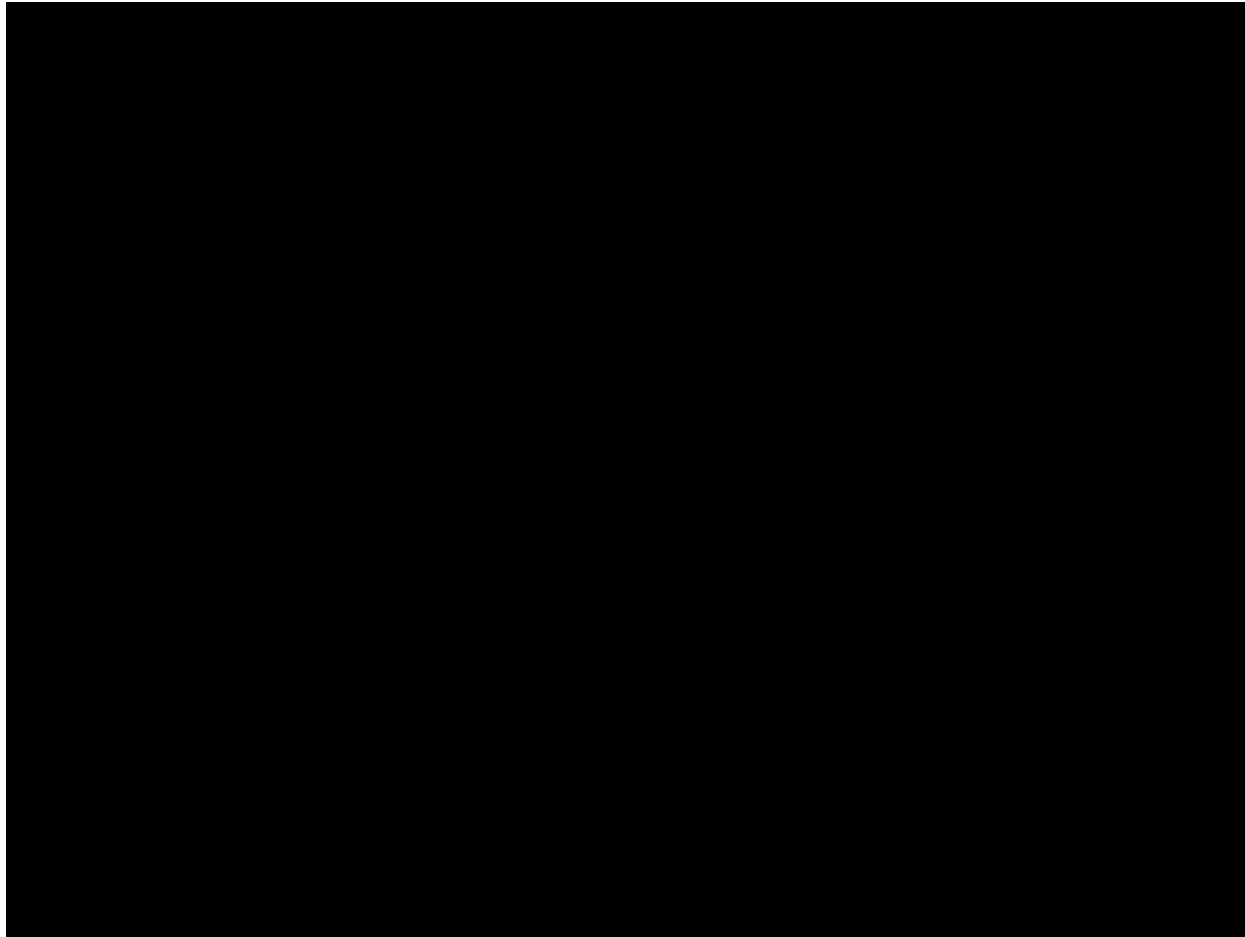


# Modular Deposition System Considerations

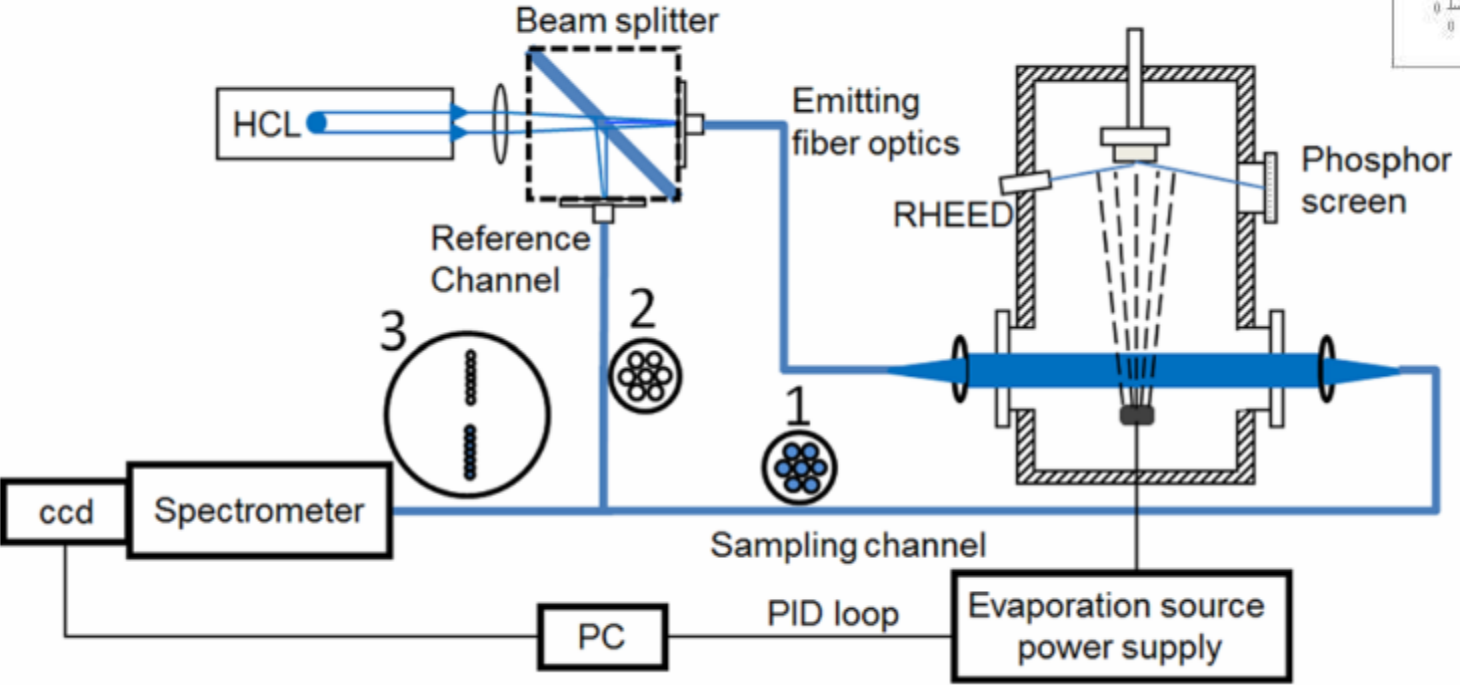
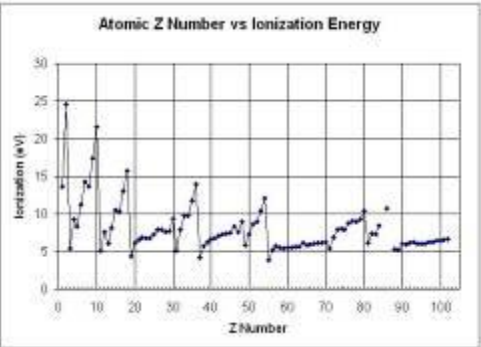
## -Feedthroughs! Lots of feedthroughs! (and space)



# Dynamic Aperture/Actuated Baffle Design Underway



# In-situ deposition flux density monitoring Atomic Absorption Spectroscopy



APL 2014, Du, Et. Al.

## 5. OPTICS DEVICES FOR LIGHT SOURCE FACILITIES

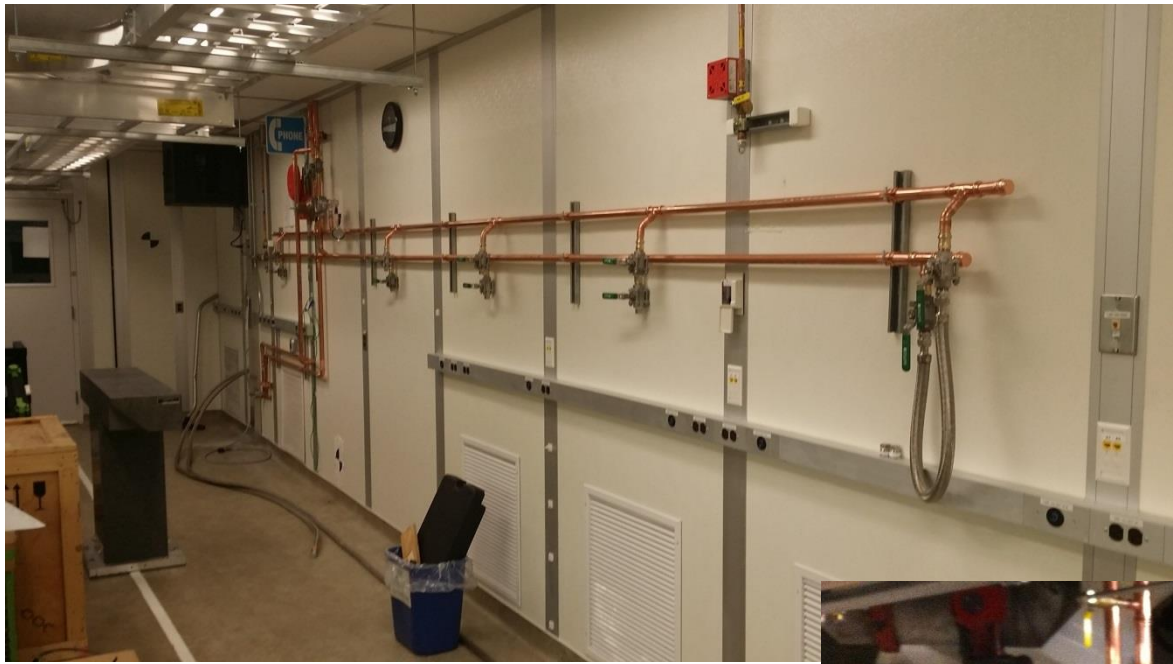
Maximum Phase I Award Amount: <b>\$150,000</b>	Maximum Phase II Award Amount: <b>\$1,000,000</b>
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Accepting STTR Phase I Applications: <b>YES</b>	Accepting STTR Fast-Track Applications: <b>YES</b>

The Office of Basic Energy Sciences, within the DOE's Office of Science, is responsible for current and future synchrotron radiation light sources, free electron lasers, and spallation neutron source user facilities. This topic seeks the development of x-ray optics devices to support the light source user facilities.

Grant applications are sought in the following subtopics:

- a. Advanced *In Situ* Thin Film Growth Monitors















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# The End



# March 2013 DOE Optics Workshop

## Thin Film Summary (Four bullets, no particular order)

- R&D on damage origins, mitigation, recovery, and long lifetime of coatings is crucial.
- Comprehensive investigation of the physics of thin-film growth, interfaces and atomistic modeling is necessary to advance performance of all thin-film optics, including structured coatings, ultra short d-spacing multilayers, gratings, Laue lenses etc.
- Multilayer Laue lens research, including stress reduction, larger thicknesses, manual thinning, focused ion-beam milling, and mounting needs to continue and the results of this effort will be applicable towards other thick or diffractive multilayer optics.
- Investigation of methods for 3-dimensional multilayer deposition on highly profiled surfaces will enable new science (such as IXS and small angle scattering).





# Focusing/Collimating Multilayer Mirrors

## Three basic types

### -Depth periodic, laterally graded

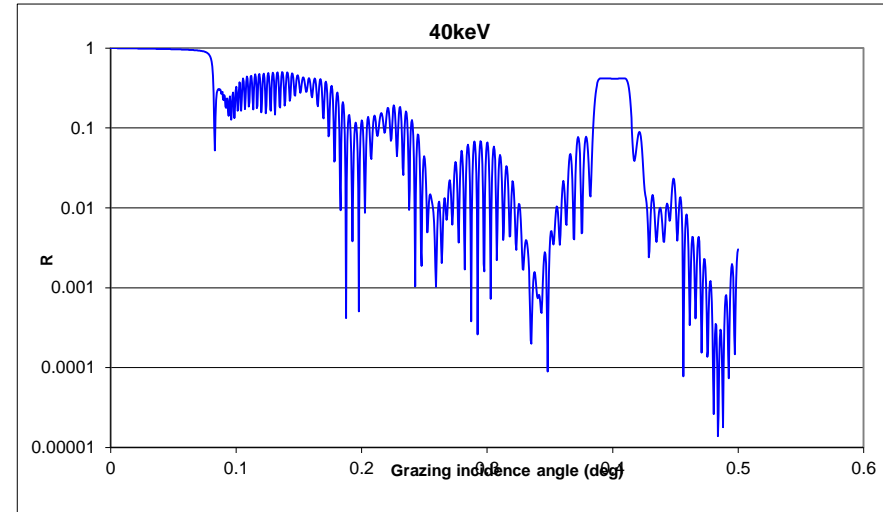
Highest integrated reflectance for single energy

### -Depth graded, laterally uniform

Lowest integrated reflectance for single energy  
Allows wavelength changes w/o optics adjustments

### -Depth graded + laterally graded

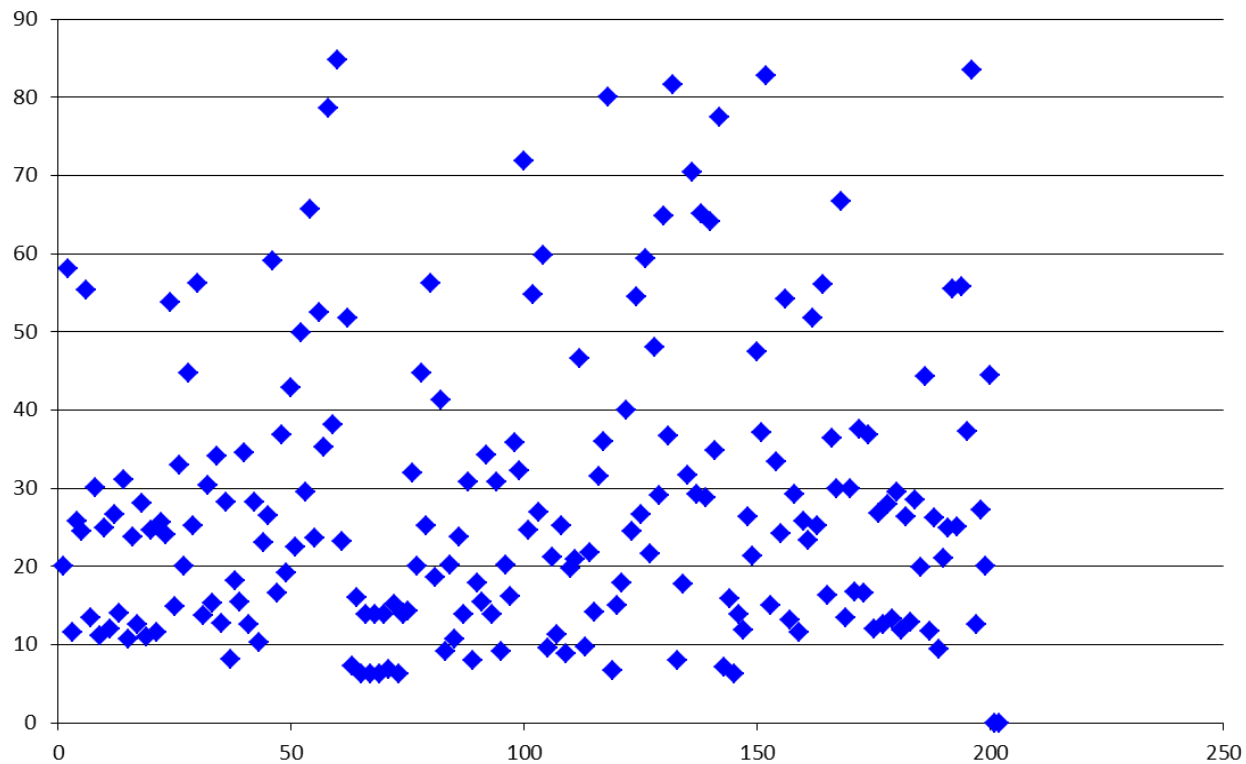
Can be matched to source  
Slight energy tunability w/o flux loss



## Double thickness gradient multilayer calculations

Coded entirely by Ken Lauer

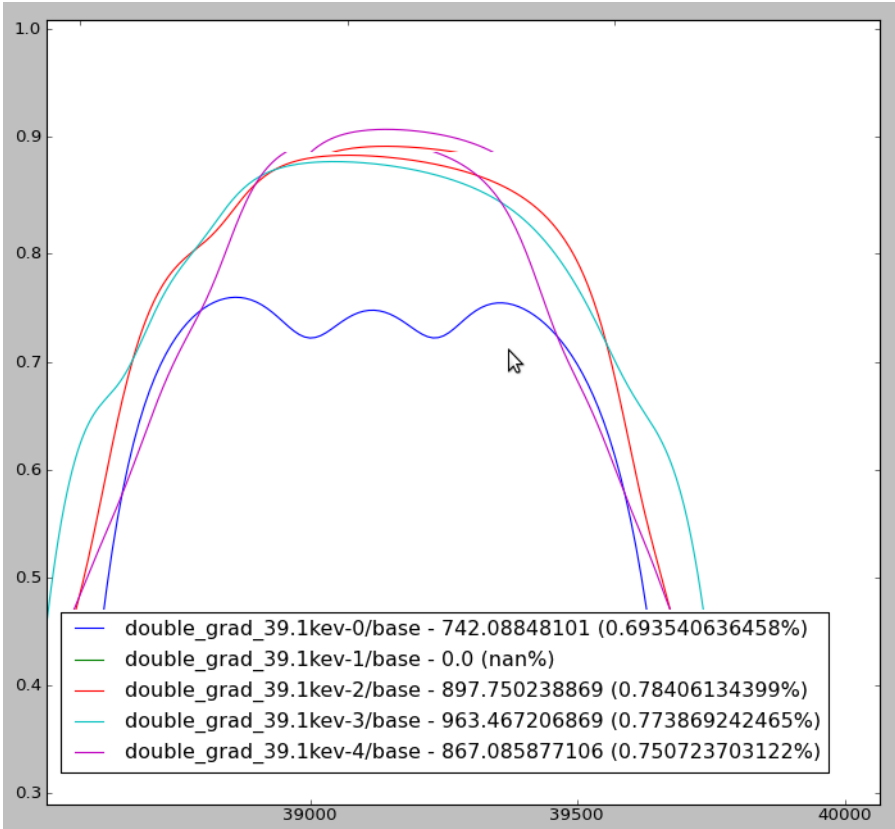
The below graph is layer thickness through the stack, but only at the center position of the mirror.  
The materials are W/B4C



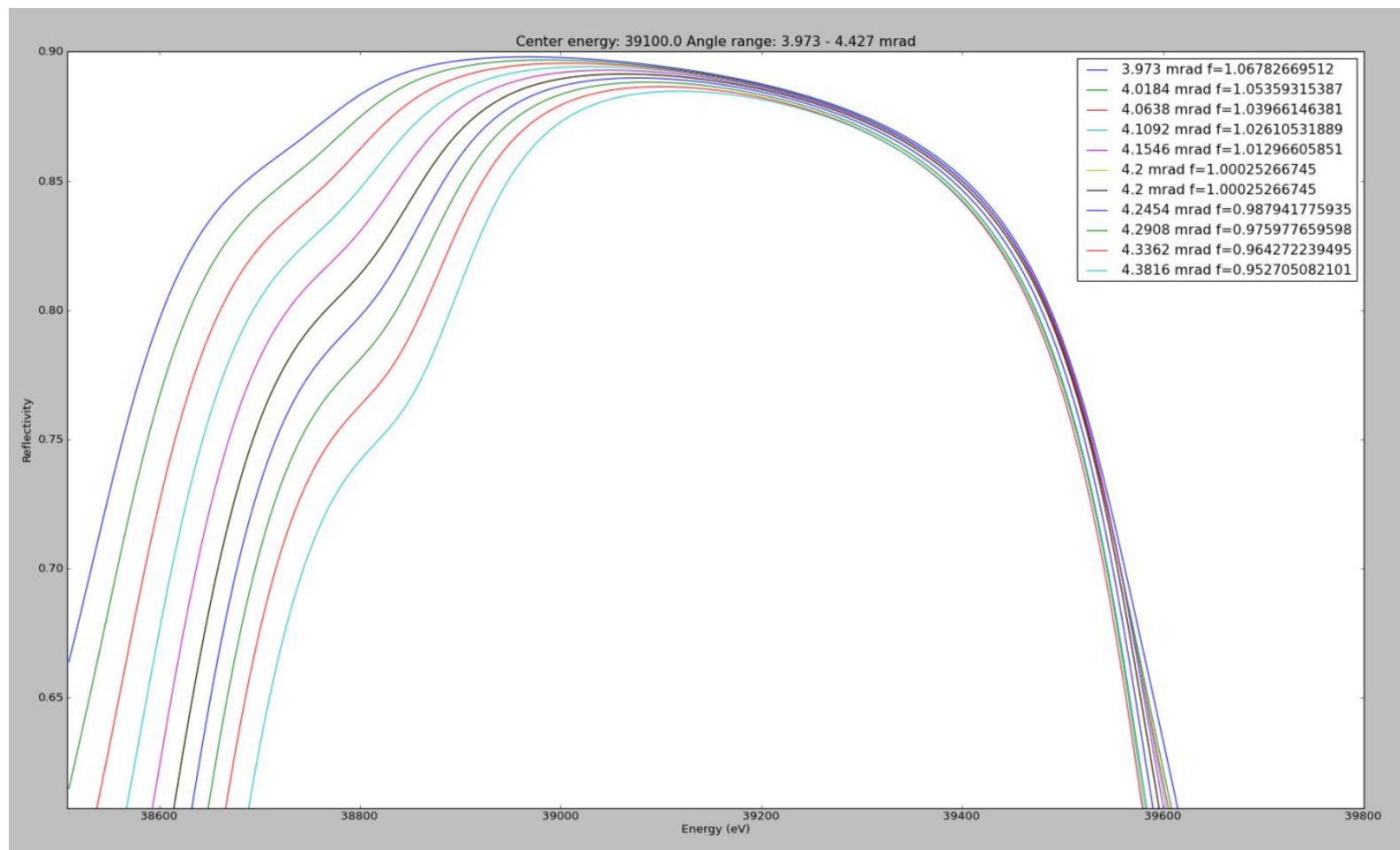


“Supermirror” Design – both lateral and depth gradients  
Figure of merit – highest integrated reflectivity across the entire stack  
Genetic evolution algorithm

Reflectance vs. energy at the central point in the mirror for 5 different stacks.



# Reflectance vs. angle for the central energy (39.1KeV).



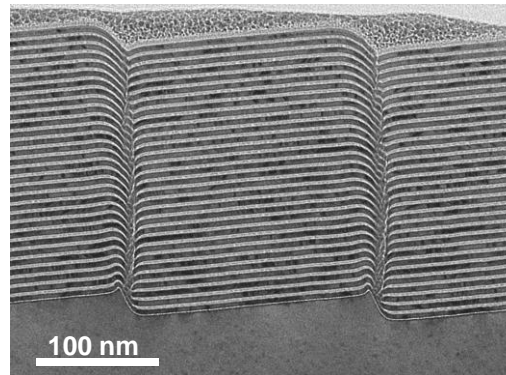
# Multilayer Optimization Algorithms

What is missing/What needs more work?

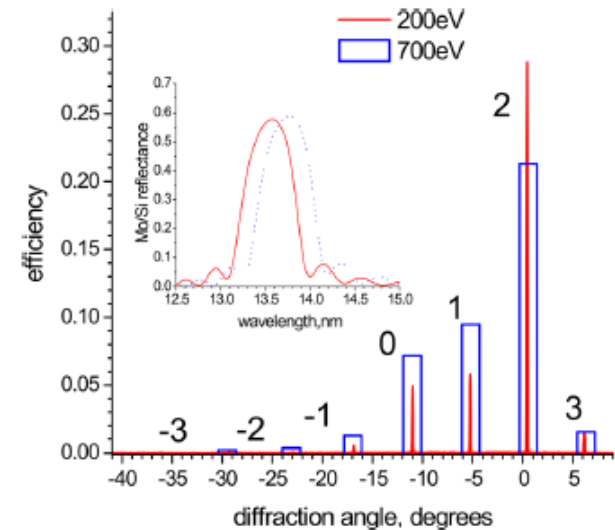
- Extensive deposition process modeling
- Experimental verification
- Investigation of new deposition techniques
- Environment modification
- Explore new materials
- Flux collimation
- Geometry

What would Benefit

- Narrow-BP MLs
- Gratings/structured coatings
- MLs in extreme environments
  - Cryo-cooled MLM
- Interface engineering
- ... The entire field!



IBS growth – change in energy altered mobility + performance



**Conformal growth of Mo/Si multilayers on grating substrates using collimated ion beam sputtering**

D. L. Voronov,<sup>1,a)</sup> P. Gawlitza,<sup>2</sup> R. Cambie,<sup>1</sup> S. Dhuey,<sup>1</sup> E. M. Gullikson,<sup>1</sup> T. Warwick,<sup>1</sup> S. Braun,<sup>2</sup> V. V. Yashchuk,<sup>1</sup> and H. A. Padmore<sup>1</sup>

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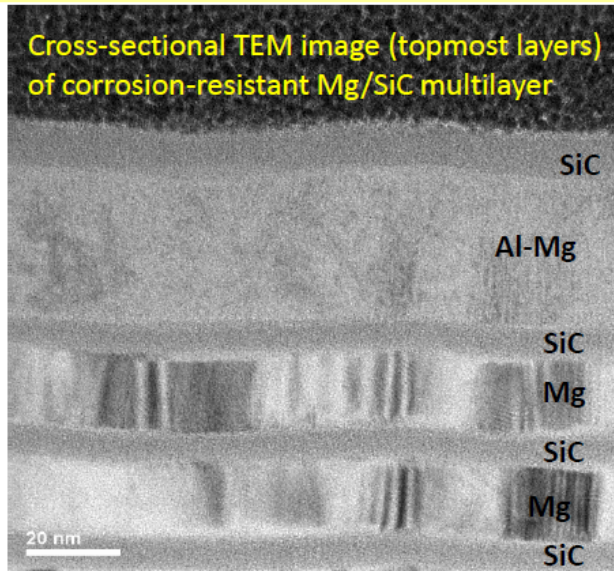


# Thin Film Damage

- Thin-films often have very different properties from the bulk
- Peak power, environment
- Radiation damage, thermal damage
- Chemical excitation

Corrosion barriers enable use of Mg-based multilayer coatings in x-ray laser applications and in solar physics telescopes

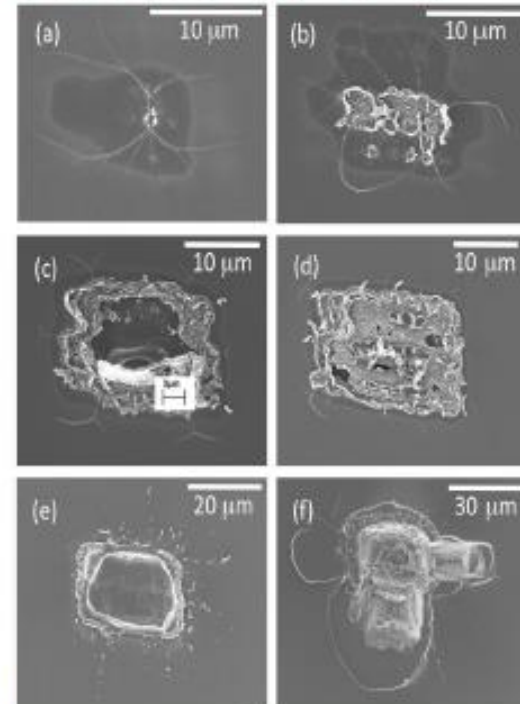
Cross-sectional TEM image (topmost layers) of corrosion-resistant Mg/SiC multilayer



Corrosion barrier

R. Soufli, *et al*, *App. Phys. Lett.* 101, 043111 (2012).

SEM images of SiC film exposed to single LCLS FEL pulses at 0.83 keV and peak fluences of (a) 1.0, (b) 1.6, (c) 2.9, (d) 5.8, (e) 14.8, and (f) 57.5 J/cm<sup>2</sup>.

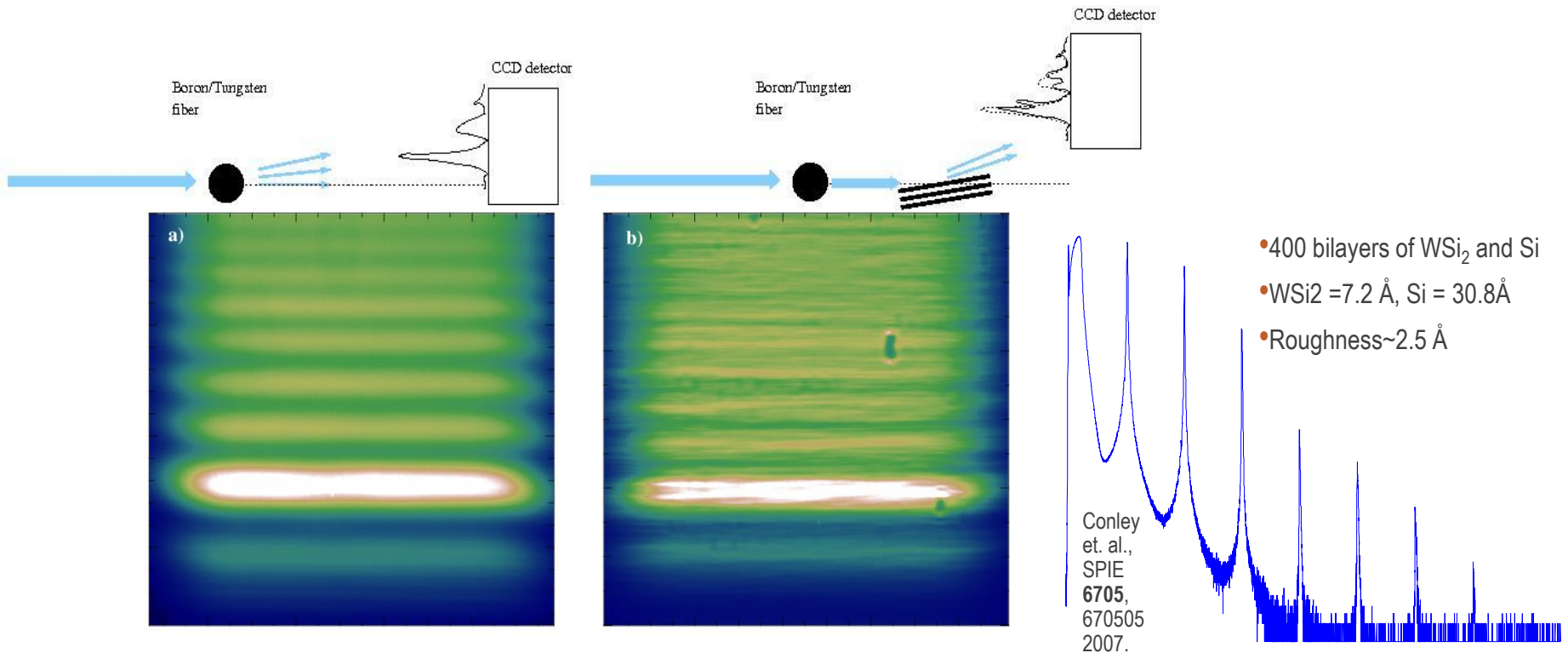


S. P. Hau-Riege *et al*, *Opt. Express* 18, 23933-23938 (2010).



# Another Issue: Coherence Preservation

Quantitatively characterize and ultimately control wavefront disturbances introduced by optic elements (mirrors, multilayers, focusing devices, windows)



Effect of a WSi<sub>2</sub>/Si ML on the fringes created by a well-defined object (100 μm diameter B fiber)  
A. Fluerasu, L. Berman, R. Conley, A. Snigirev





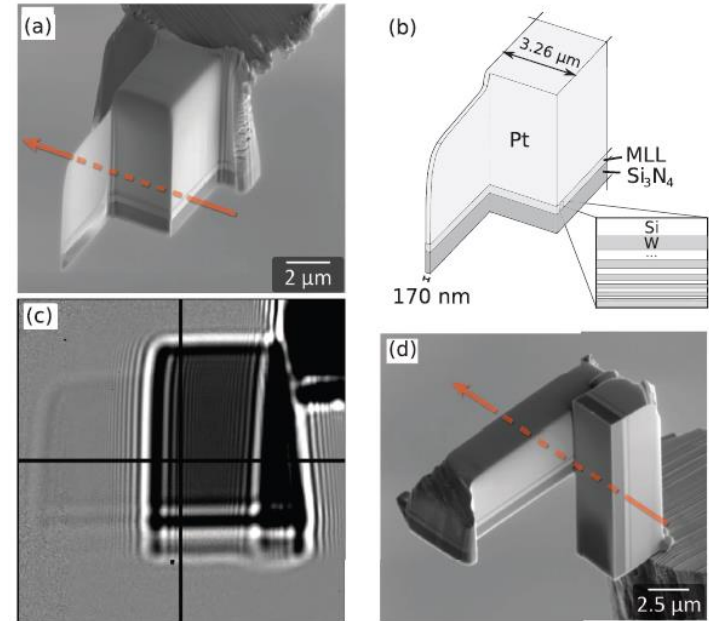
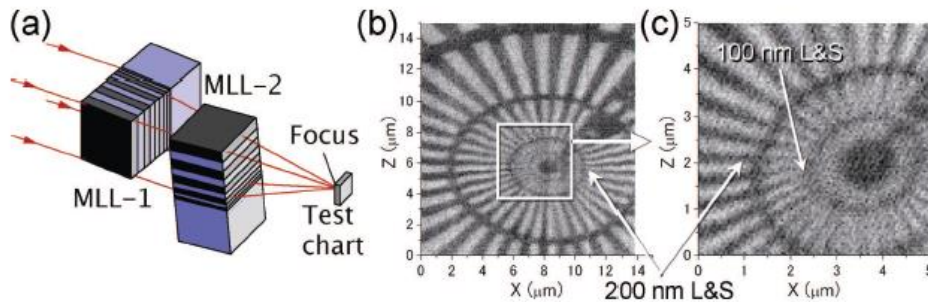
# Worldwide MLL efforts

Three groups: German, Japanese, and Chinese

W/Si or Ti/ZrO<sub>2</sub> PLD, 400nm thick.

TABLE (1). Parameters of MLLs for KB configuration.

	MLL-1	MLL-2
Layer Thickness (nm)	8.5 ~ 11.4	7.3 ~ 9.8
Total Thickness ( $\mu\text{m}$ )	6.6	5.6
No. of Layers	670	670
Focal Length @ 20 keV (mm)	9.5	6.3



## Development of Multilayer Laue Lenses; (1) Linear Type

T. Koyama<sup>a</sup>, H. Takenaka<sup>b</sup>, S. Ichimaru<sup>b</sup>, T. Ohchi<sup>b</sup>,  
T. Tsuji<sup>a</sup>, H. Takano<sup>a</sup>, and Y. Kagoshima<sup>a</sup>

<sup>a</sup>Graduate School of Material Science, University of Hyogo, 3-2-1 Kouto, Kamigori, Ako, Hyogo 678-1297, Japan

<sup>b</sup>NTT Advanced Technology Corporation, 3-1 Morinosato Wakamiya, Atsugi, Kanagawa 243-0124, Japan

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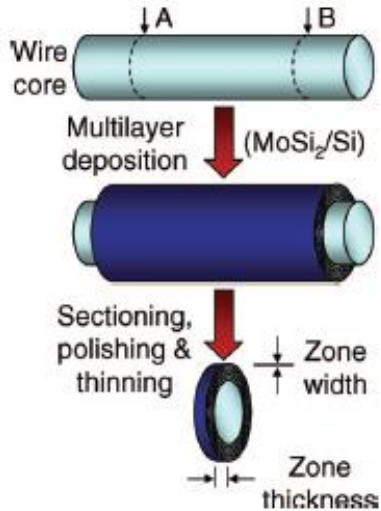
## A combined Kirkpatrick-Baez mirror and multilayer lens for sub-10 nm x-ray focusing

A. Ruhlandt,<sup>1</sup> T. Liese,<sup>2</sup> V. Radisch,<sup>2</sup> S. P. Krüger,<sup>1</sup> M. Osterhoff,<sup>1</sup> K. Giewekemeyer,<sup>1</sup> H. U. Krebs,<sup>2</sup> and T. Salditt<sup>1,a</sup>

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# Jelly-Roll Multilayer Zone Plates



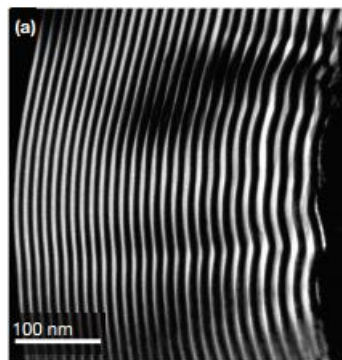
Sub-5 nm hard x-ray point focusing by a combined Kirkpatrick-Baez mirror and multilayer zone plate

F. Döring,<sup>1</sup> A.L. Robisch,<sup>2</sup> C. Ebert,<sup>1</sup> M. Osterhoff,<sup>2</sup>  
 A. Ruhlandt,<sup>2</sup> T. Liese,<sup>1</sup> F. Schlenkrich,<sup>1</sup> S. Hoffmann,<sup>2</sup>  
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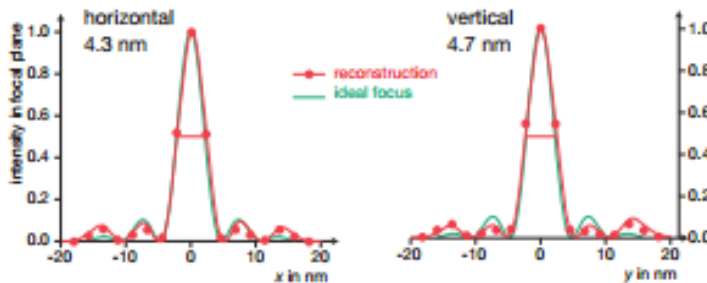
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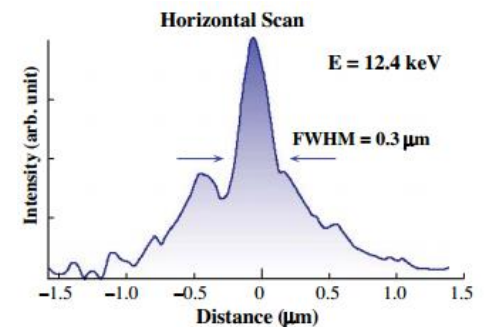
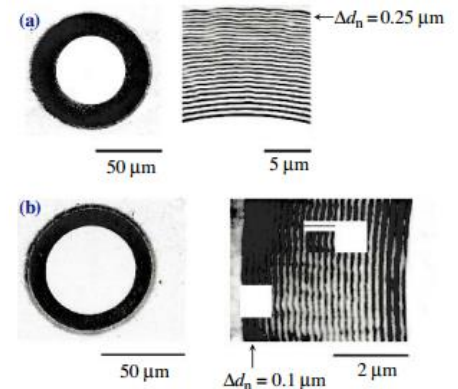
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Hard X-ray microbeam experiments with a sputtered-sliced Fresnel zone plate and its applications

N. Kamijo,<sup>a,b\*</sup> Y. Suzuki,<sup>b</sup> M. Awaji,<sup>b</sup> A. Takeuchi,<sup>b</sup>  
 H. Takano,<sup>b</sup> T. Ninomiya,<sup>c</sup> S. Tamura<sup>b,d</sup> and  
 M. Yasumoto<sup>e,b</sup>

JSR 2002



# Summary

Some needs for thin-film based optics at APS met currently

All needs for thin-film based optics at APS will be met soon, given minor metrology equipment upgrades

New deposition equipment, existing staff expertise puts APS at the forefront for the foreseeable future

The APS upgrade only puts further emphasis on existing R&D topics

APS contributes to the synchrotron community with optics, and expertise



# Metrology equipment

1.5 KW maximum power

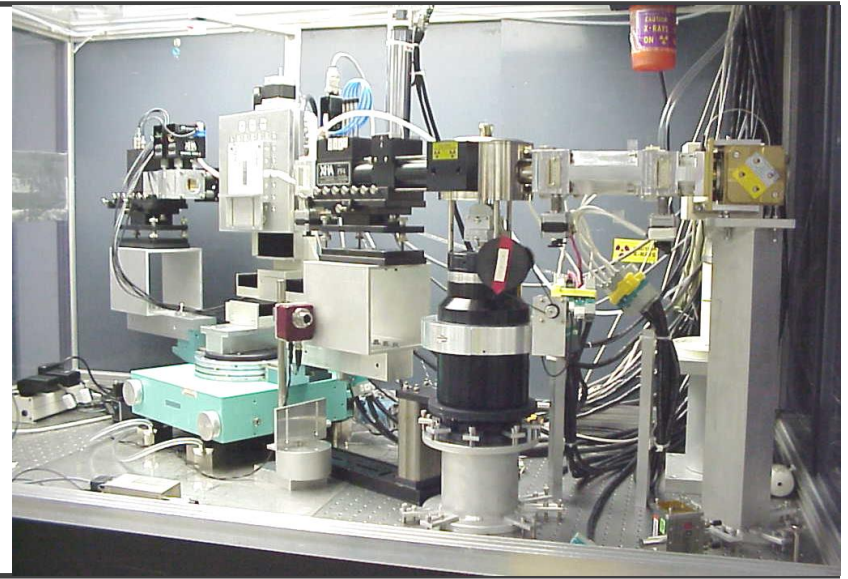
$E = 8.048 \text{ keV (CuK}\alpha_1)$

Ge  $\langle 111 \rangle$  symmetrically-cut monochromator

5 slit sets

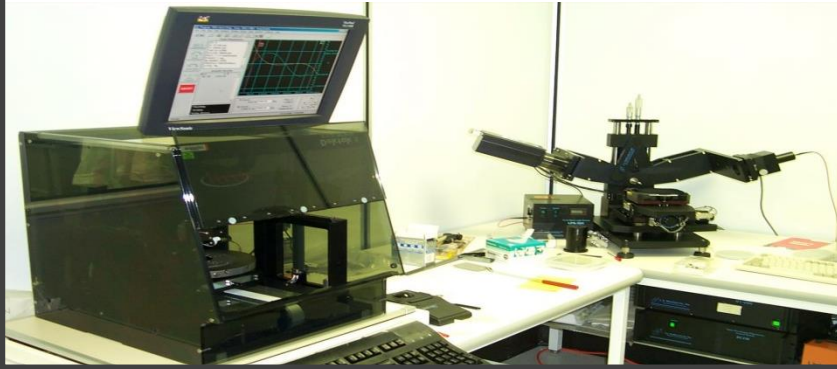
Custom sample-tilt stage

Essential tool for multilayer fabrication



**DekTak 8  
Stylus Profiler**

**M-44  
Ellipsometer**



And...

WYKO interferometer

AFM

MicroXAM Michelson interferometer

KSA MOS in-situ stress monitor

SEM, EDX available at CNM

New APS LTP

**1BM**





# APS Thin Film Laboratories- Current Coating systems

## Profile coating

Coat up to  
22x10x2.5 cm

Two 3"  $\phi$   
sputtering  
guns

DC only



## General purpose

Coat up 150x15x14 cm

Four 3"  $\phi$  Sputtering guns

DC & RF

Two evaporators, one ion  
mill

Three cryopumps –  
base pressure <  $1 \times 10^8$  Torr



## Specialty multilayers & MLL

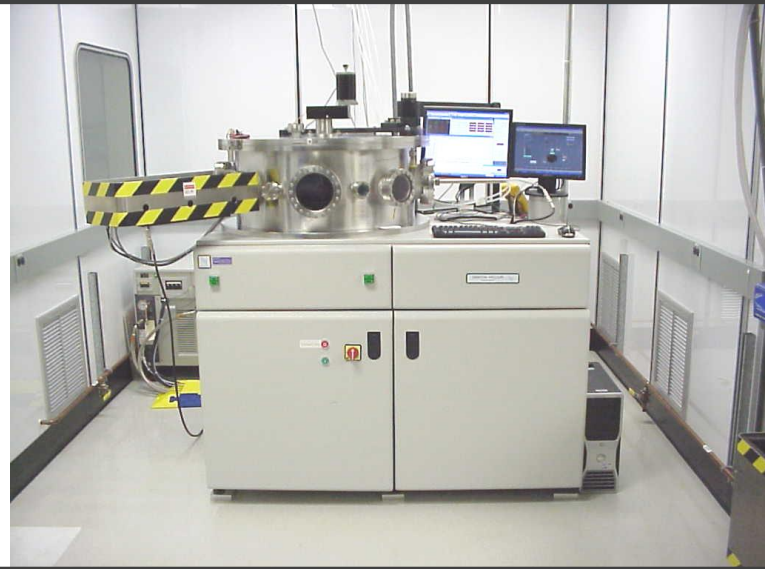
Coat up 12x5x4 cm

Two 3" dia. and two 2"x6" sputtering guns

At present, DC only

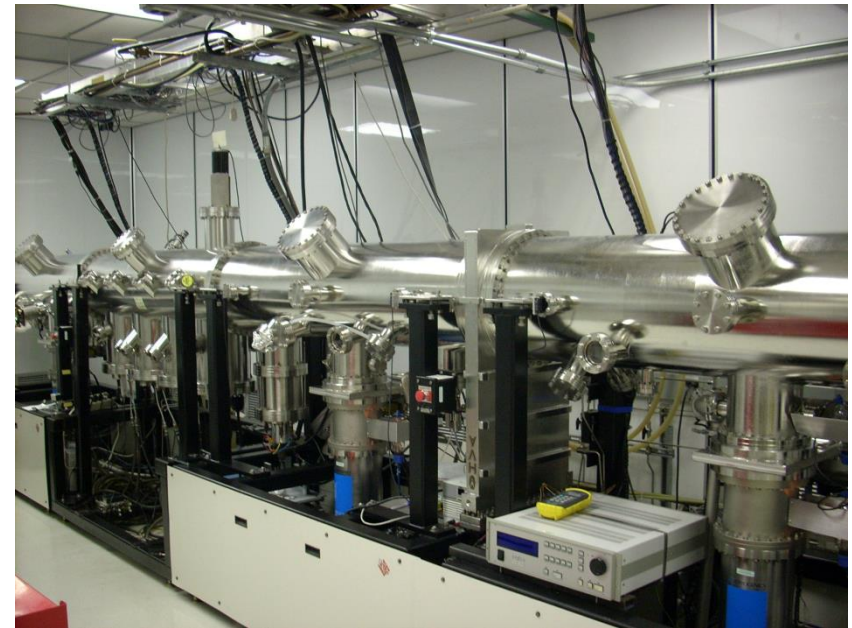
One cryopump –

base pressure <  $3 \times 10^9$  Torr



# Existing Large Deposition System

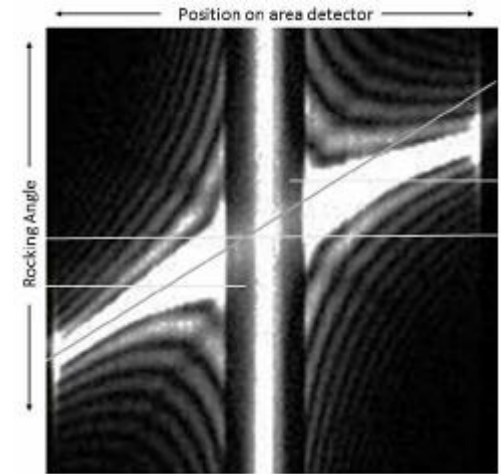
- **Delivered 1000's of coatings over nearly 20 years!!!**
- -Cryopumped, with fixed upstream gas flow control.
- -Currently, four 3" dia. round MAK cathodes.
  - Sputter up (debris disruption for long depositions)
- 10 to 15 year old gas delivery and monitoring (prone to drift)
- Cable-based linear translation stage which is intrinsically unstable and unreliable.
- Single-process gas system.
- -The machine is adequate for **some** (large d-spacing multilayer deposition, certain thick coatings, flat MLL deposition, and metallization of large mirrors).
- -No velocity profiling, data logging, etc.



# Where will we be soon?

## Goals

- Support all coating needs for the APS community. Support other laboratories and SR facilities
  - Precision multilayers up to ~1.5 meters long
  - Profile coated KB micro and nanofocusing mirrors
  - Mirror metallization, user science sample coatings
  - Figure correction with in-situ metrology and ion beam figuring
  - Existing, long term collaborations with all USA lightsources
    - LNLS, NIF and other high-energy laser labs
  - Use 1BM for more diverse investigation →
- Contribute to the x-ray optics scientific community
- Explore R&D topics highlighted by DOE Funding Agency



1BM MLL Characterization

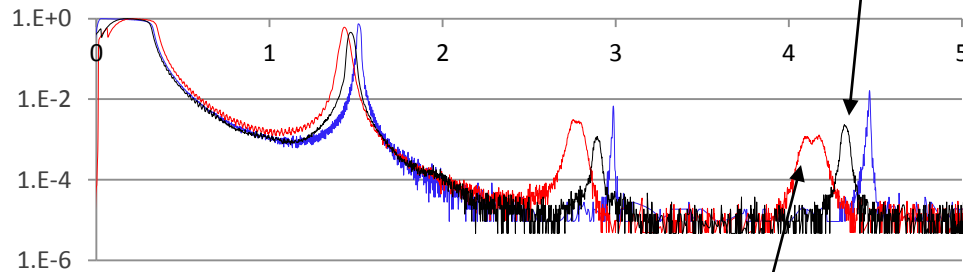
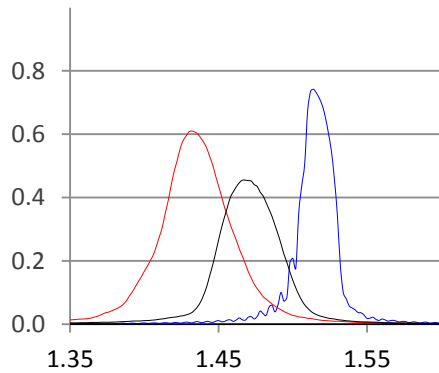
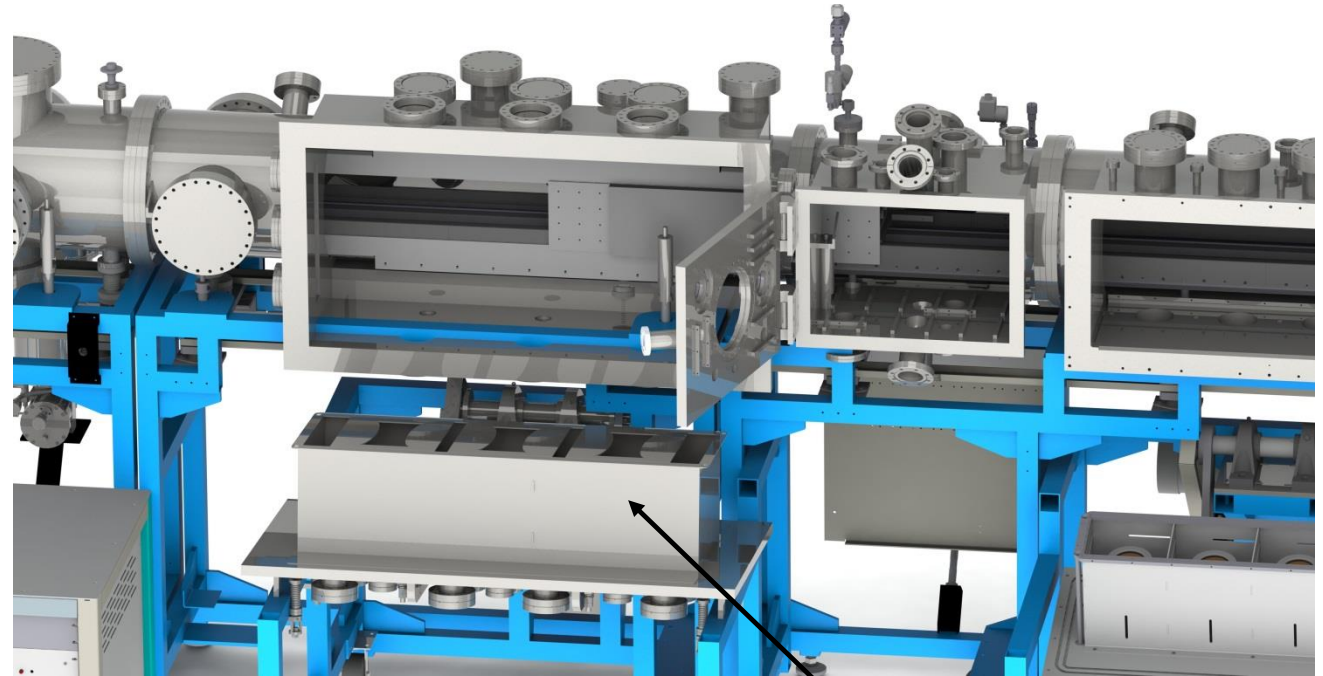
### DOE Optics Workshop Thin Film R&D Directions:

- R&D on damage origins, mitigation, recovery, and long lifetime of coatings is crucial.
- Comprehensive investigation of the physics of thin-film growth, interfaces and atomistic modeling is necessary to advance performance of all thin-film optics, including structured coatings, ultra short d-spacing multilayers, gratings, Laue lenses etc.
- Multilayer Laue lens research, including stress reduction, larger thicknesses, manual thinning, focused ion-beam milling, and mounting needs to continue and the results of this effort will be applicable towards other thick or diffractive multilayer optics.
- Investigation of methods for 3-dimensional multilayer deposition on highly profiled surfaces will enable new science (such as IXS and small angle scattering).



# 250mm Planar Cathodes

- Factor of  $\sim 100$  lower target erosion rate
- Larger magnets-lower pressure
- Higher intrinsic vertical uniformity w/o masking



$\sim 0.5\%$  thickness variation through the stack

1% thickness variation through the stack

