



EMIR, the NIR MOS and imager for GTC

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Summary

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- ✠ Science with EMIR
- ✠ Instrument integration
- ✠ Verification Plan
- ✠ Results up to now
- ✠ Plan to first light

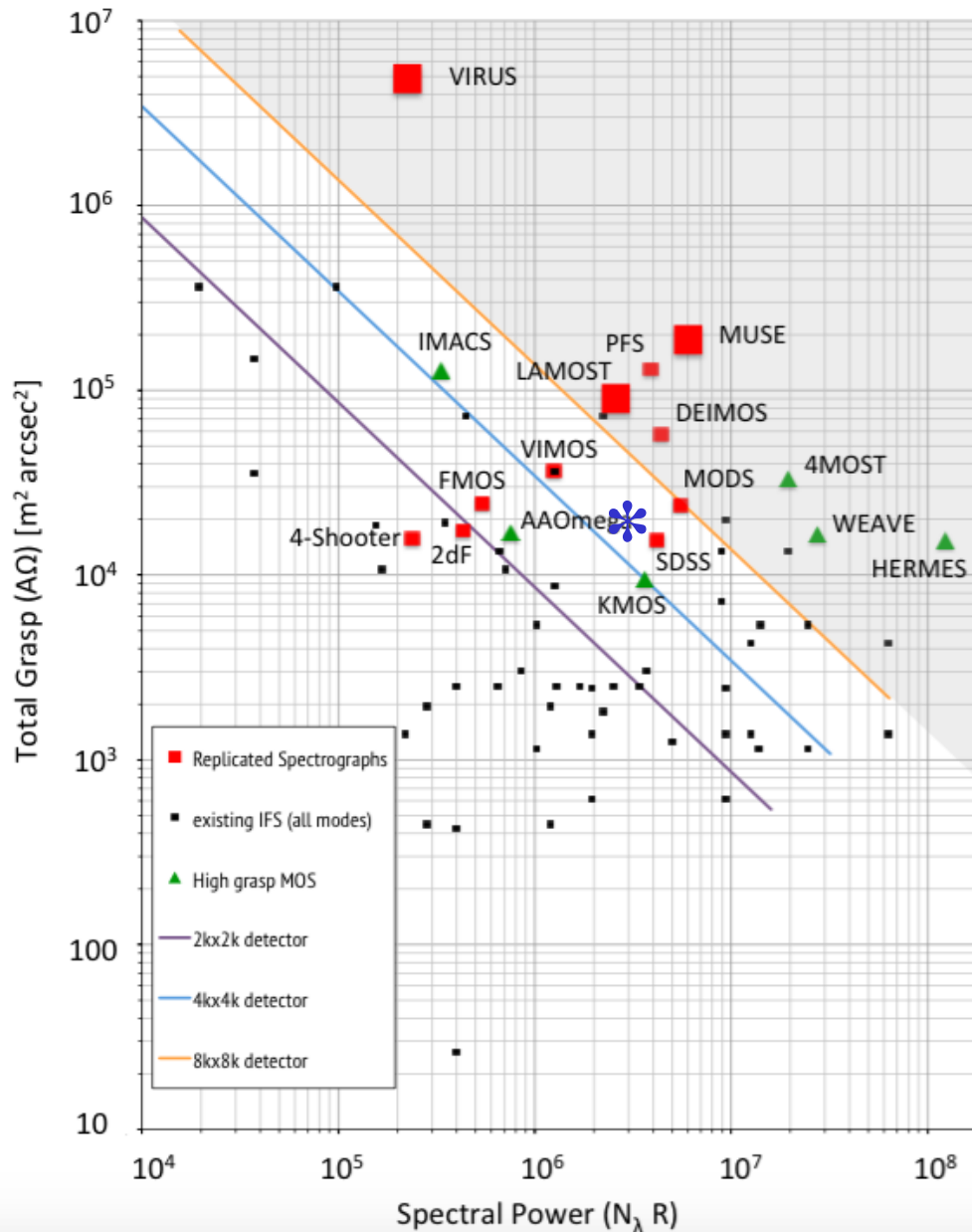


EMIR

✚ NIR Imager and Multiobject Spectrograph, common user instrument at GTC.

Spectral Range	0.9-2.5 μ m[1.1-2.5 μ m]	MOS mode	
Top priority	MOS in K band	FOV	6,7x4 arcmin (55 slitlets)
Spectral Resol.	5000,4250,4000 (JHK)	Sensitivity	K~20.1 in 2h @ S/N=5 (continuum)
Spectral coverage	1 single window/exp.		1.4x10 ⁻¹⁸ erg/s/cm ² /Å @ S/N=6 (line)
Detector	HAWAII2 2048 ²	Image mode	
Plate Scale	0.2 arcsec/px	FOV	6.7x6.7 arcmin
Image quality	$\lambda_{80} < 0.3$ arcsec	Sensitivity	K~22.8 in 1h @ S/N=5 in 0.6 arcsec aperture

EMIR metrics



Hill, 2014



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Science with EMIR

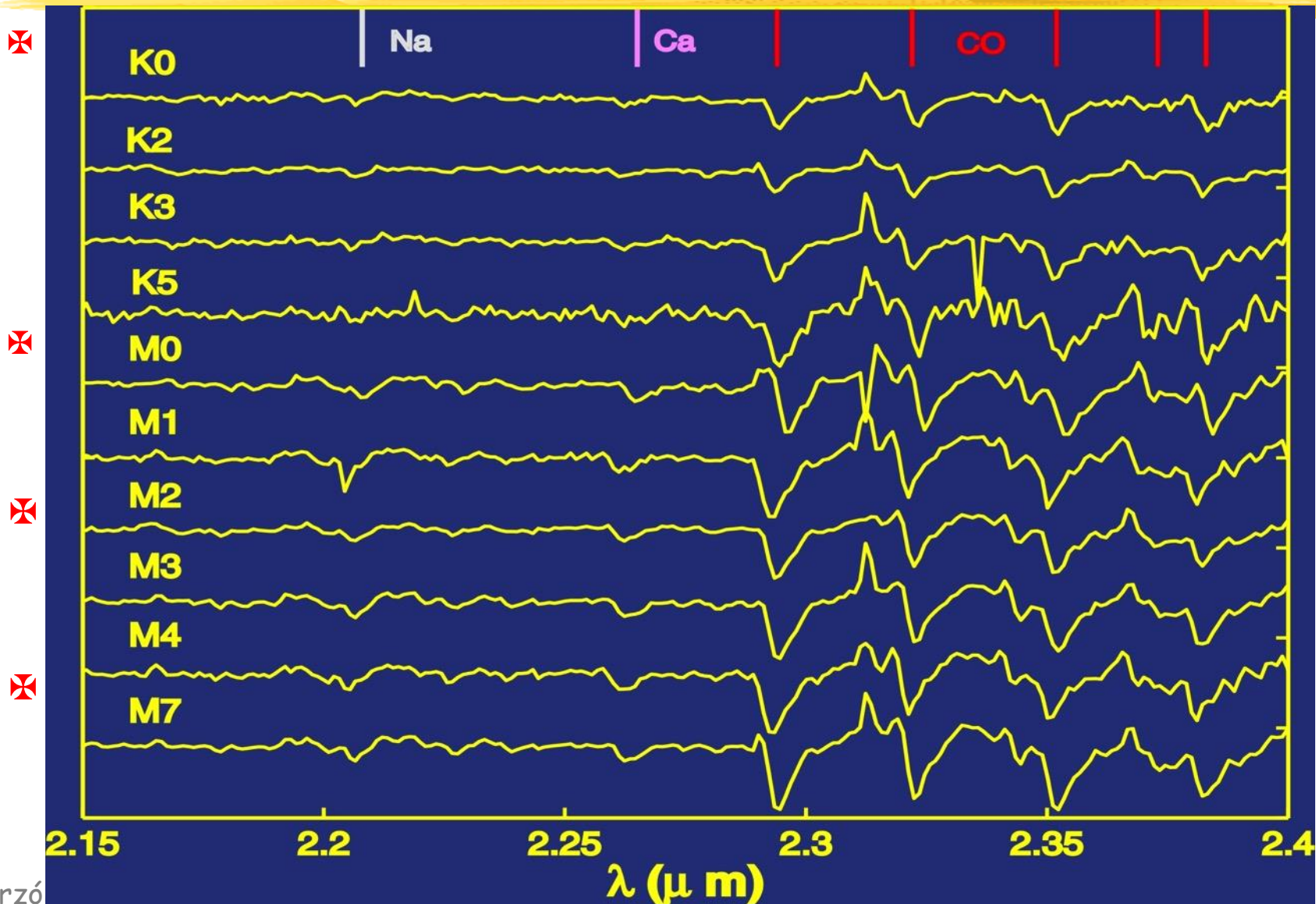
- ✠ Early sci. mainly coming from GOYA and EAST groups
 - ✠ GOYA
 - ✠ GALEP
 - ✠ MASGOMAS
 - ✠ HIGH-Z
 - ✠



GOYA

- ❖ The Nature of $\sim L^*$ SF population at $1 < z < 5.5$
 - ✦ SFR ($H\alpha$, [OII])
 - ✦ Metallicity ($[OIII+OII]/H\beta$, $[NII]/H\alpha$)
 - ✦ Extinction ($H\alpha/H\beta$)
 - ✦ Kinematics & Virial Masses (velocity widths)
- ❖ Characterize $\sim L^*$ E/SO population at $1 < z < 2$
 - ✦ Stellar ages/metallicities (4000\AA , $H\beta$, $Mg2$, Fe)
 - ✦ Kinematics & Virial Masses (velocity dispersions)
 - ✦ Scaling Laws: structure, kinematics, stellar pops.
- ❖ Characterize the AGN population $1 < z < 4$
 - ✦ SMBH ($H\alpha$ and $H\beta$ velocity widths)
- ❖ Detect primeval galaxies at $z \sim 9$: ($Ly\alpha$)

GALEP



MASGOMAS

North:

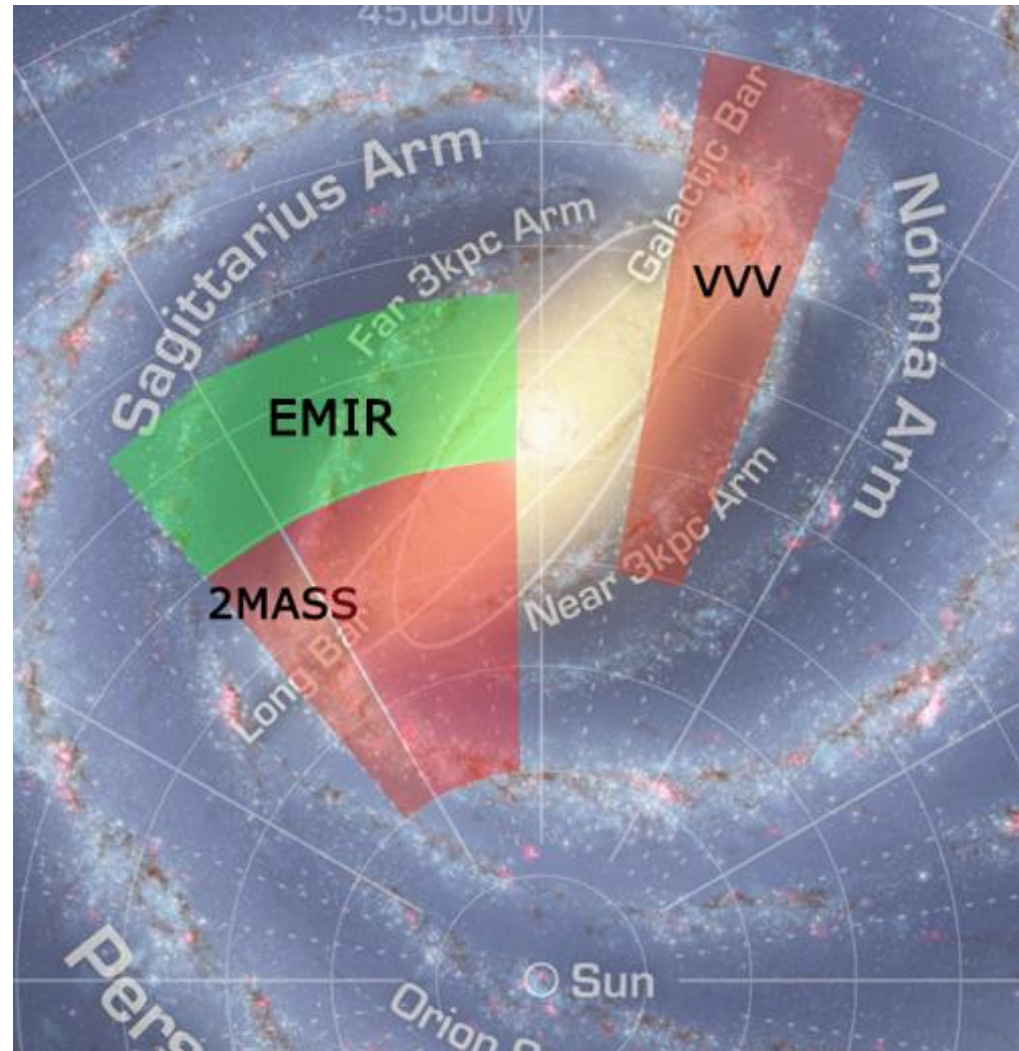
-WHT, $K_s < 12.5$ ($d < 3-4$ kpc)

South:

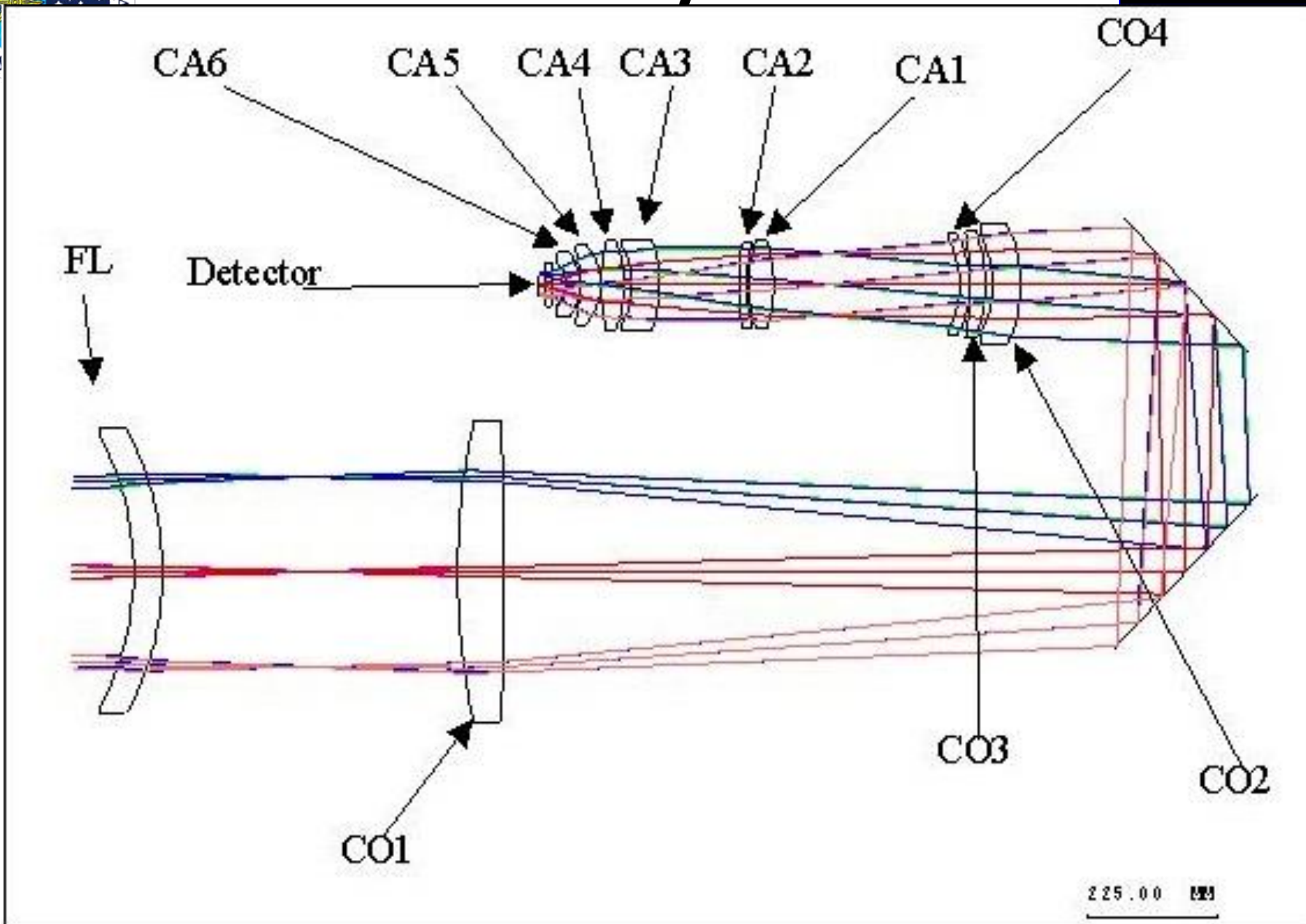
-VLT, $K_s < 17$ (covers the whole MW)

With EMIR@GTC:

-We will extend the spectroscopic follow-up in the North to similar magnitudes than in the south

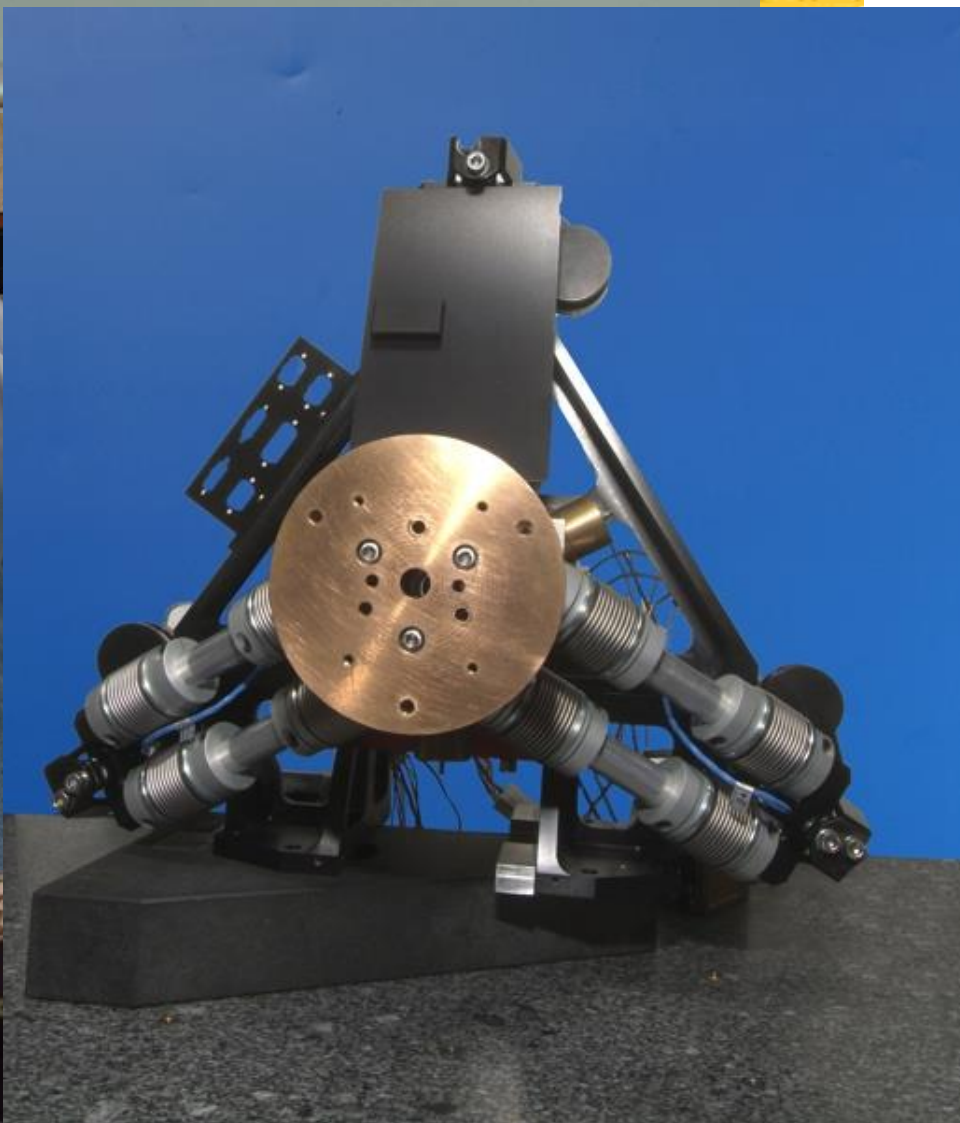
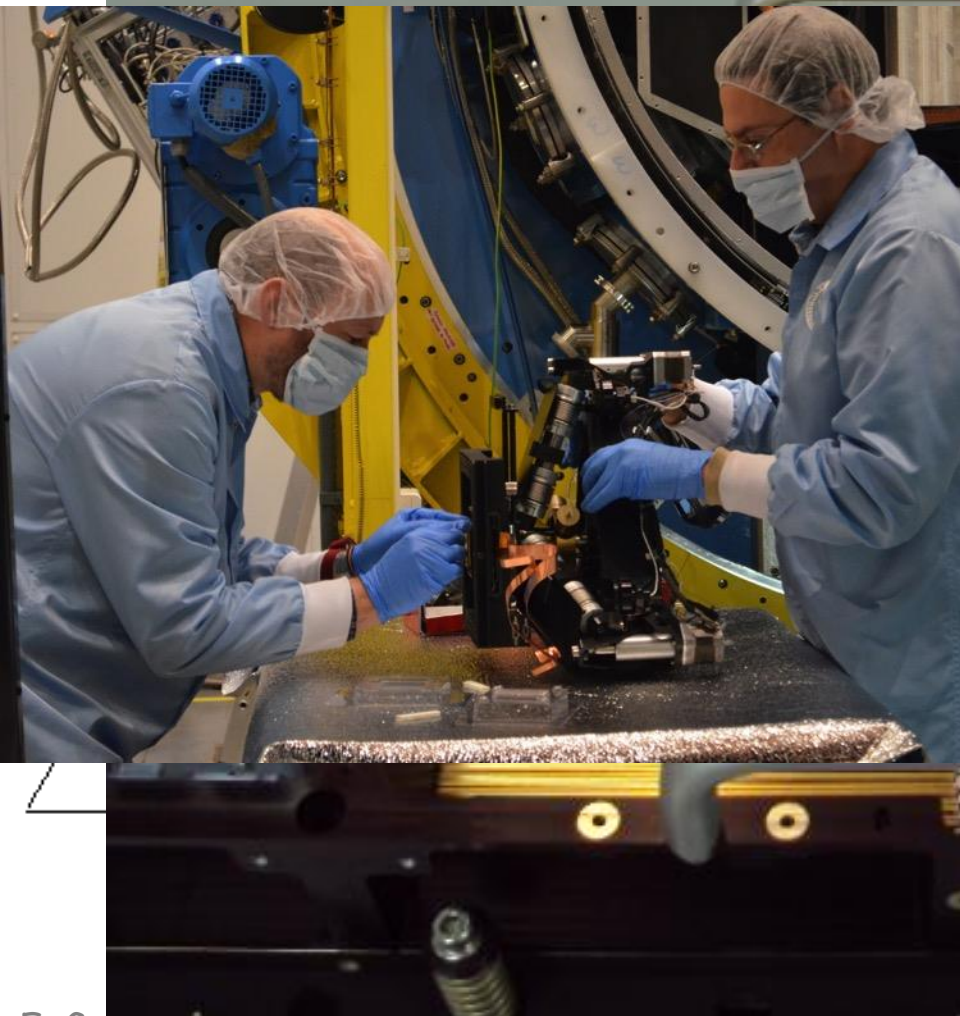


EMIR lay-out





Novel elements



Verification Plan

Cycle 0

Ceramic Detector
Wheels
DTU
Optics – Periscope
FP – open

Temperature
Filter Wheel movement
Pupil Wheel Movement
DTU movement

Cycle 1

Mux
R band filter
1 GRISM + focus mask
Optics full
DTU
FP – Pinhole mask

Detector cool down
Detector alignment
Image quality
Spectral alignment
DTU movement calibration
Filter wheel movement
Pupil wheel movement

Cycle 2

Engineering Detector
IR filters
Grisms + focus mask
Optics – Full
DTU
FP – Pinhole mask

Characterize Detector
Detector Alignment
Image quality
Grism Alignment
Repeatability test
DTU movement
Vignetting tests
Flexure compensation
Ghosts

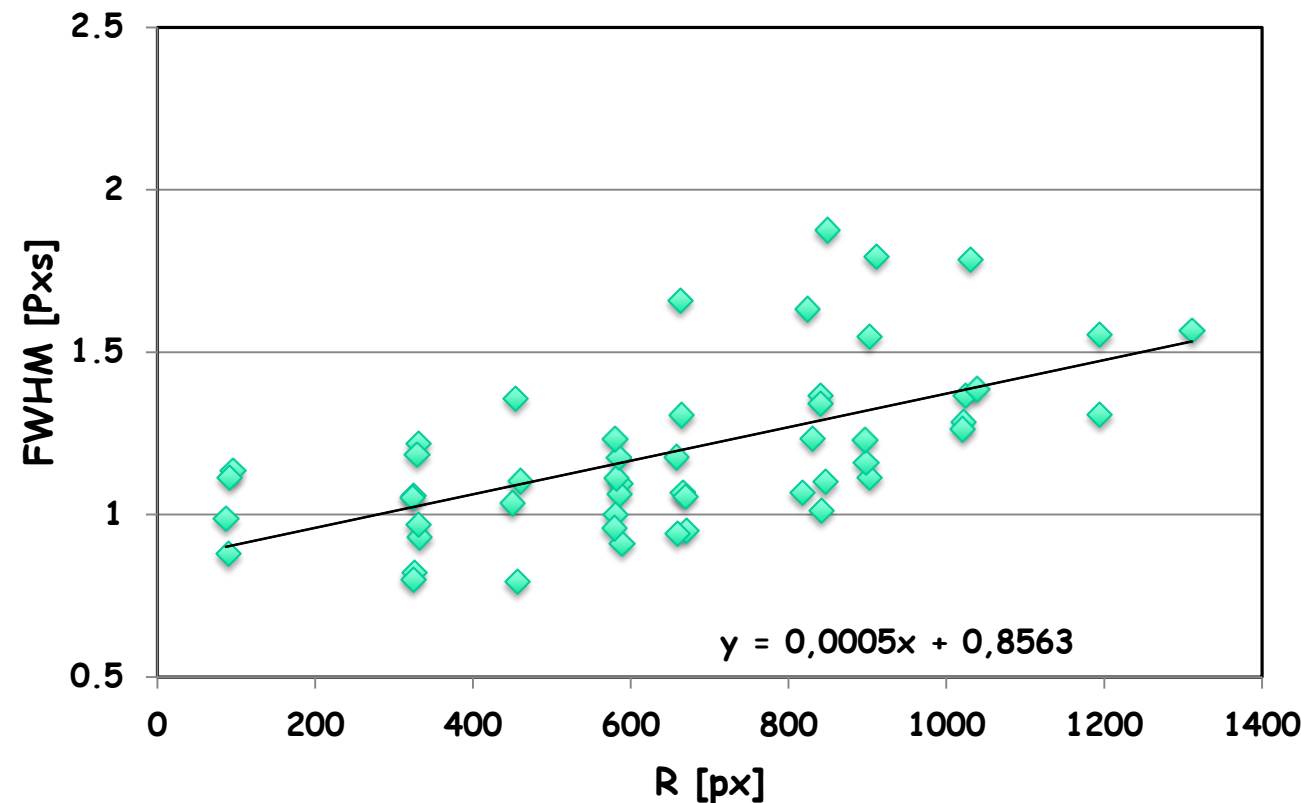
Cycle 3

Science Array
IR filters
Grisms + focus mask
Optics – Full
DTU
FP – CSU

Characterize Science array
Alignment of Science array
Standard Responses
Stay light
CSU Characterization

E-II: img. - PSF

Ratio FWHM/ Φ (pinhole) [Br- γ]



1px=166 μ m

$\langle \text{ratio} \rangle = 1,20$

$\sigma = 0,27$

$\text{FWHM}_{\text{opt}} = 0.75 \text{px}$

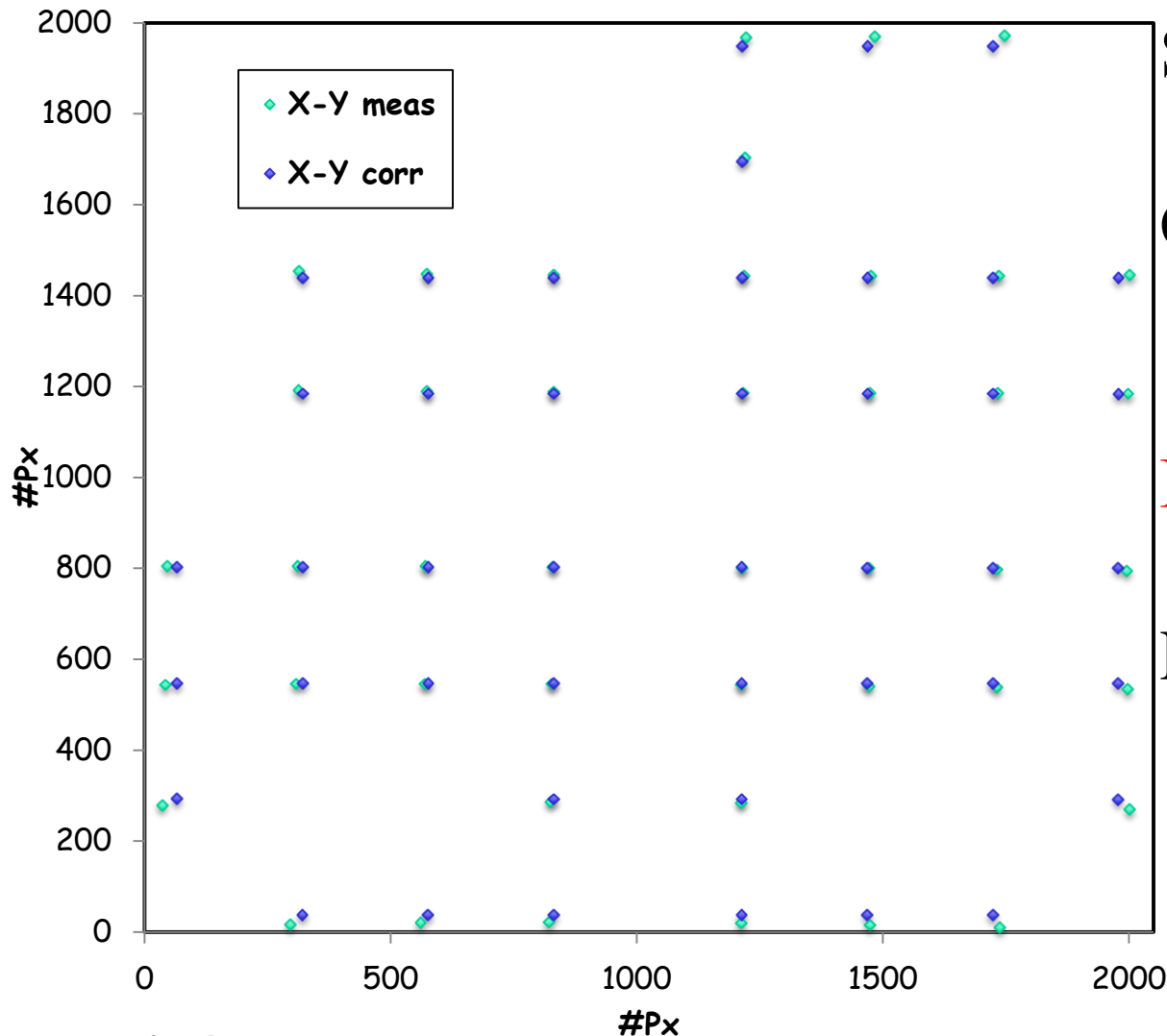
req. EED80 $\leq 1.5 \text{px}$

si PSF \sim gauss

\rightarrow FWHM \sim EED80

E-II: img. - distorsion

X-Y



S_FP: 1,1746"/mm

Geometric distorsion :
 1,61% ± 0,59%
 (0,23% – 2,76%)

Req. < 2.5% @ 4.2'

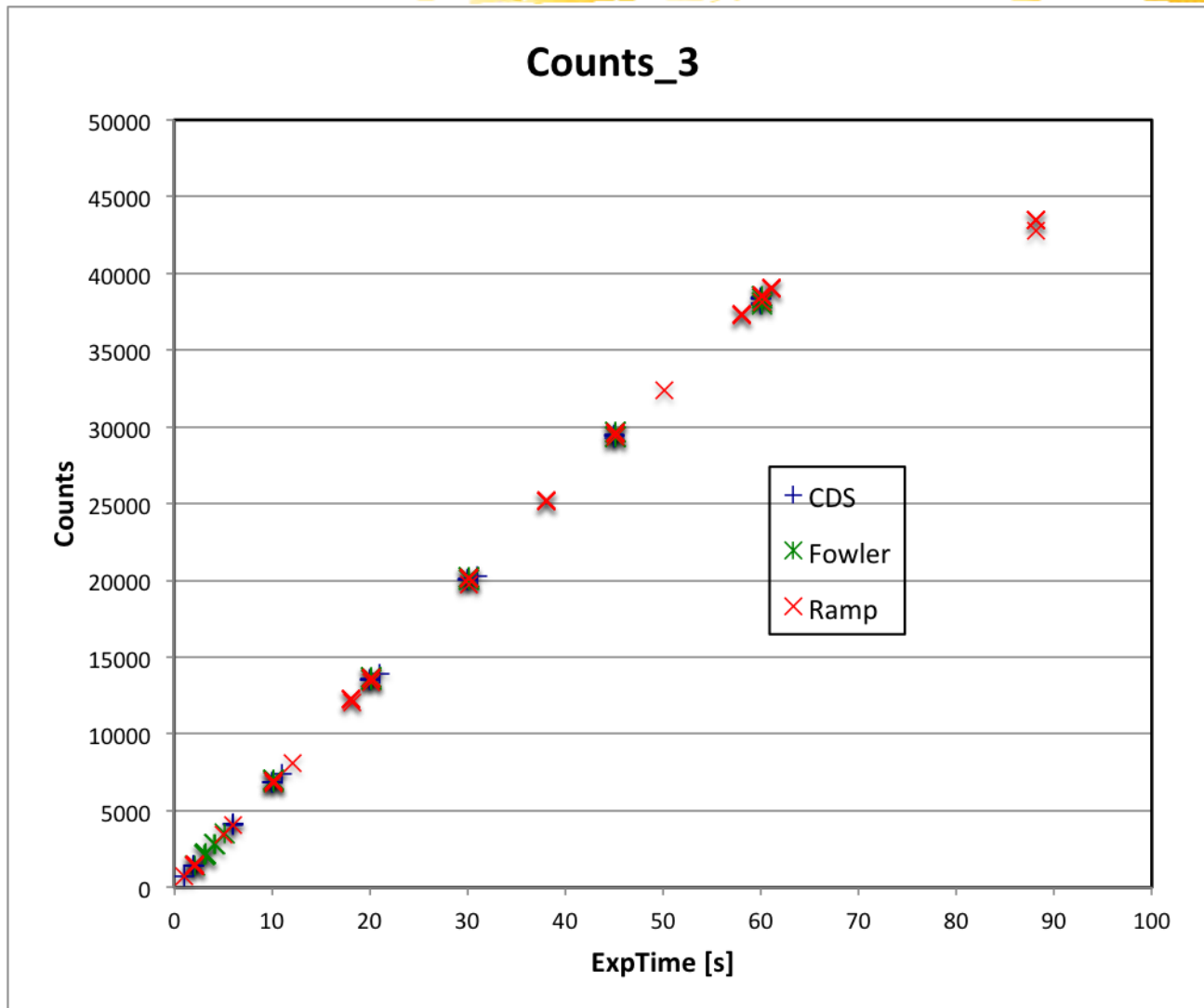
Plate scale

Px_X: 0,1917 arcsec

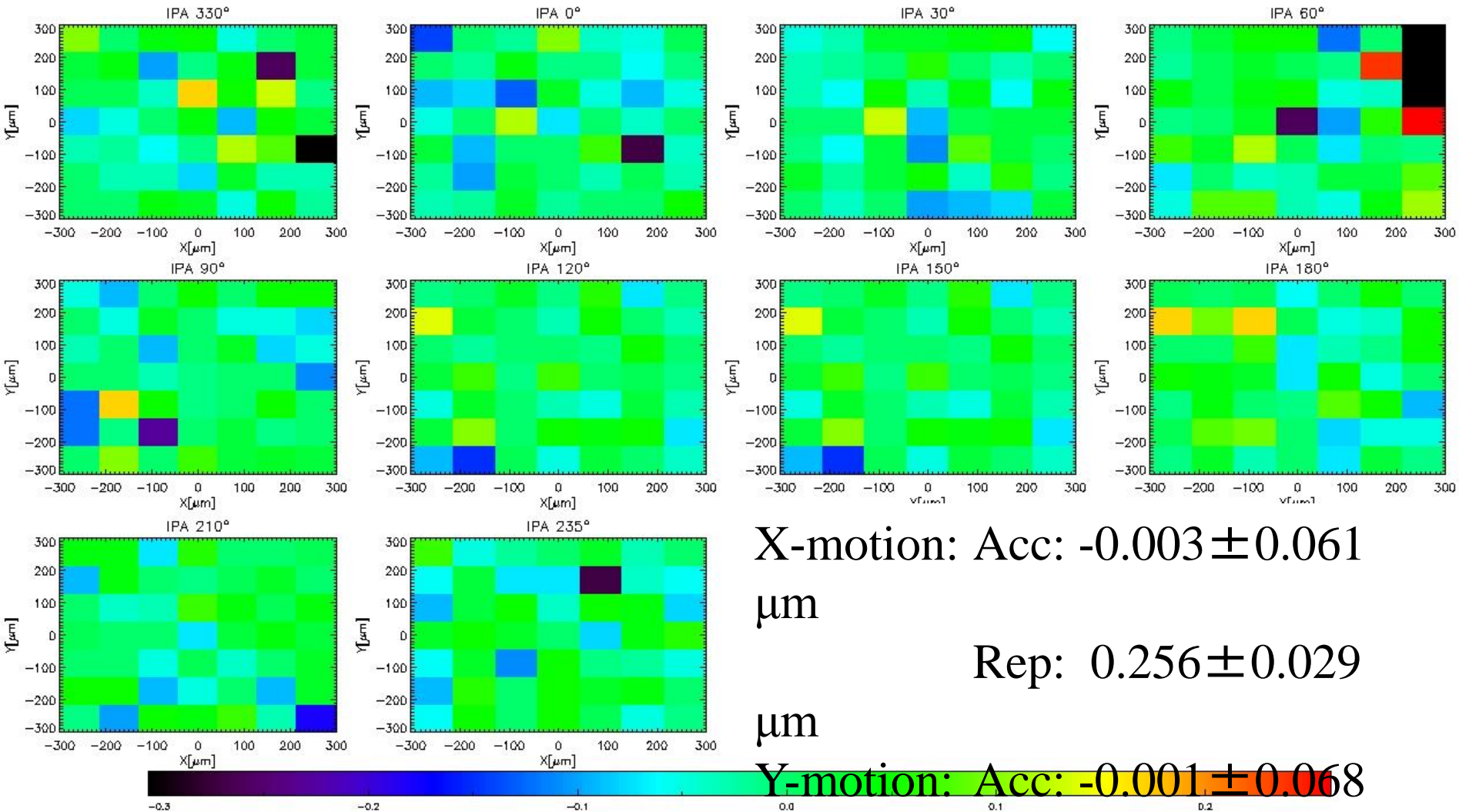
Px_Y: 0.1923 arcsec

Design: 0,1946 arcsec

E-II: readout modes



E-II: DTU



X-motion: Acc: -0.003 ± 0.061

μm

Rep: 0.256 ± 0.029

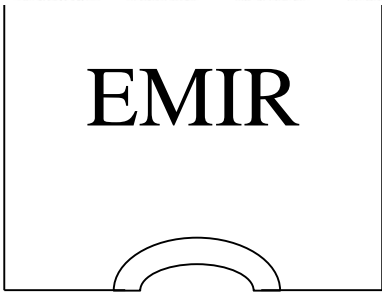
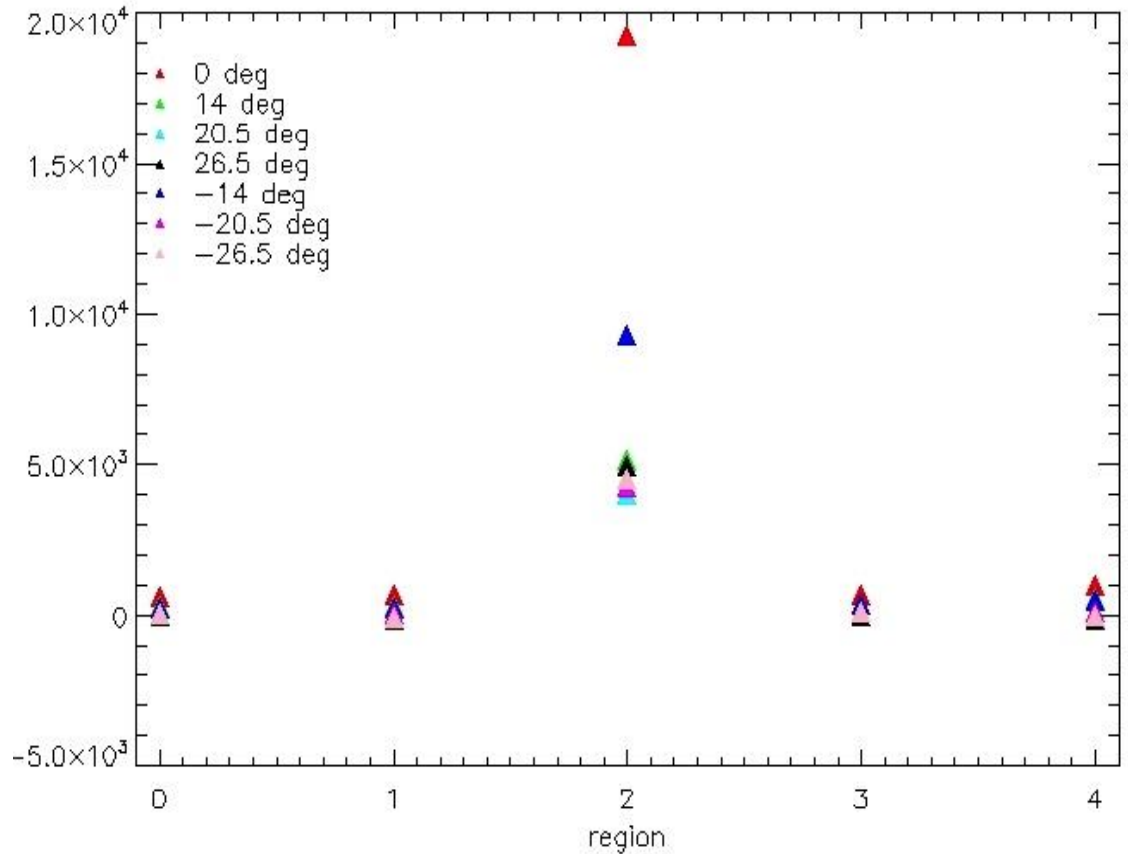
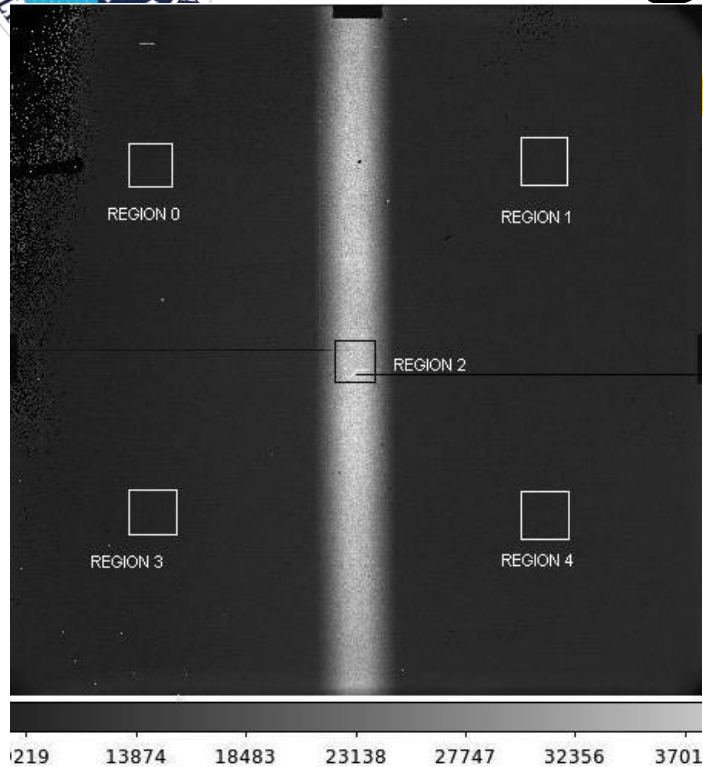
μm

Y-motion: Acc: -0.001 ± 0.068

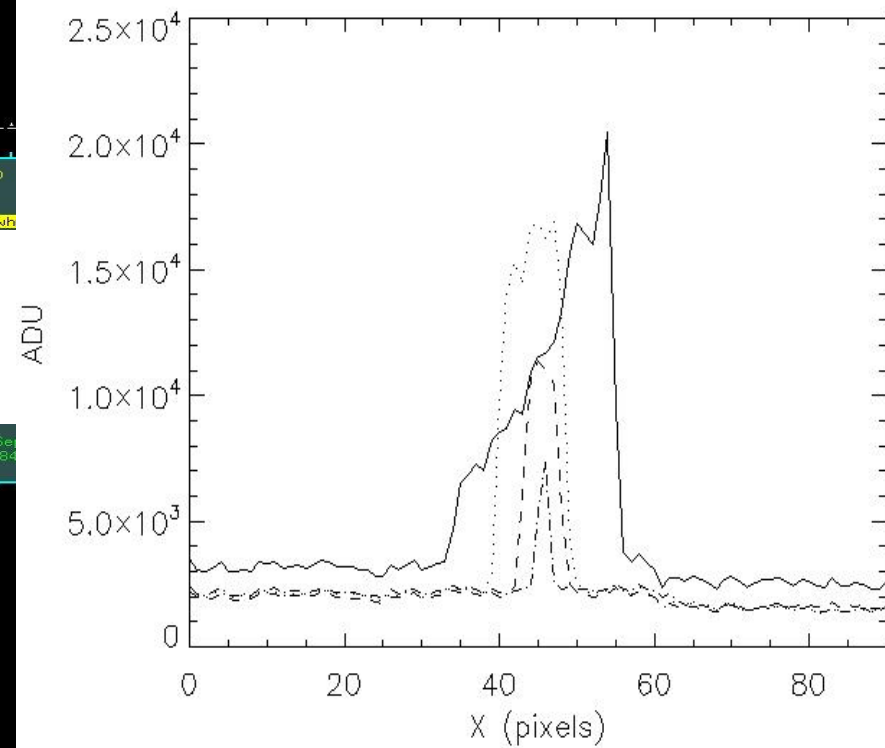
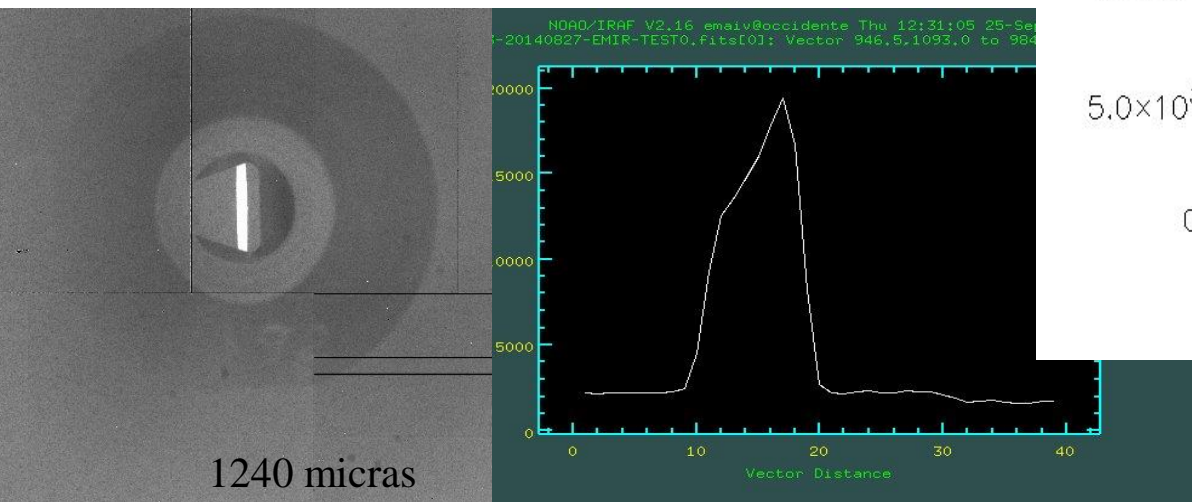
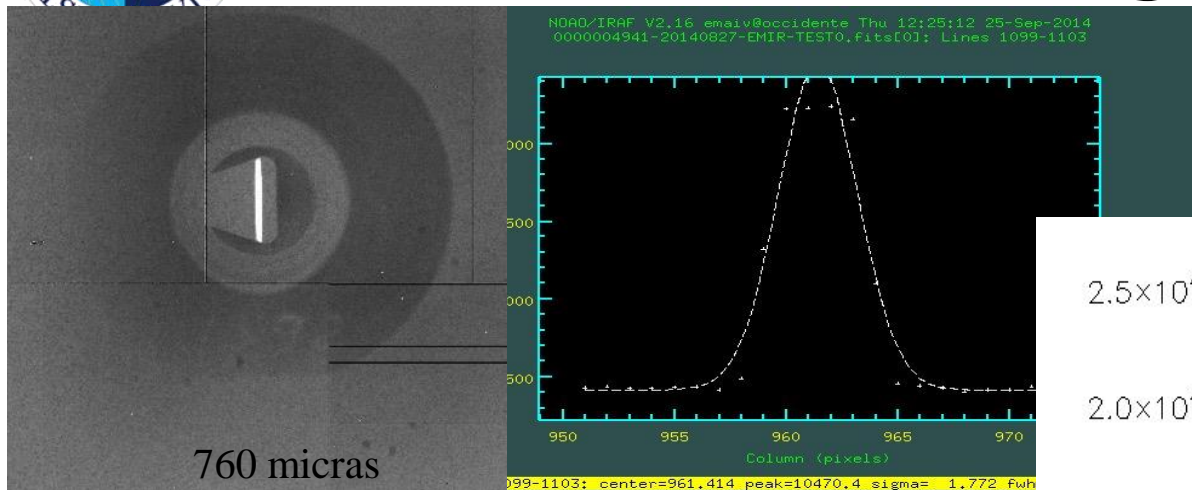
μm

Rep: 0.241 ± 0.025

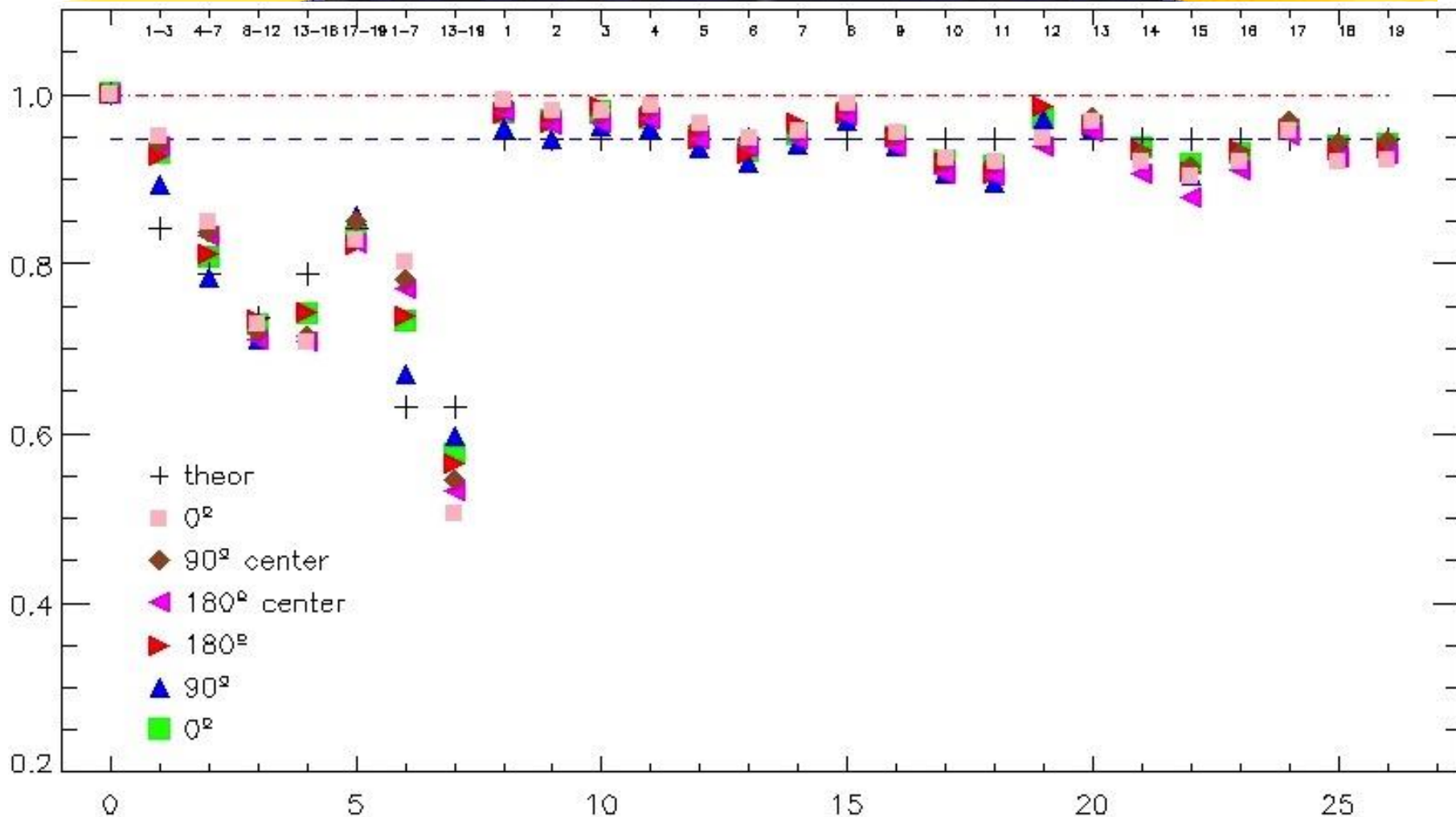
Stray light



Scattered light

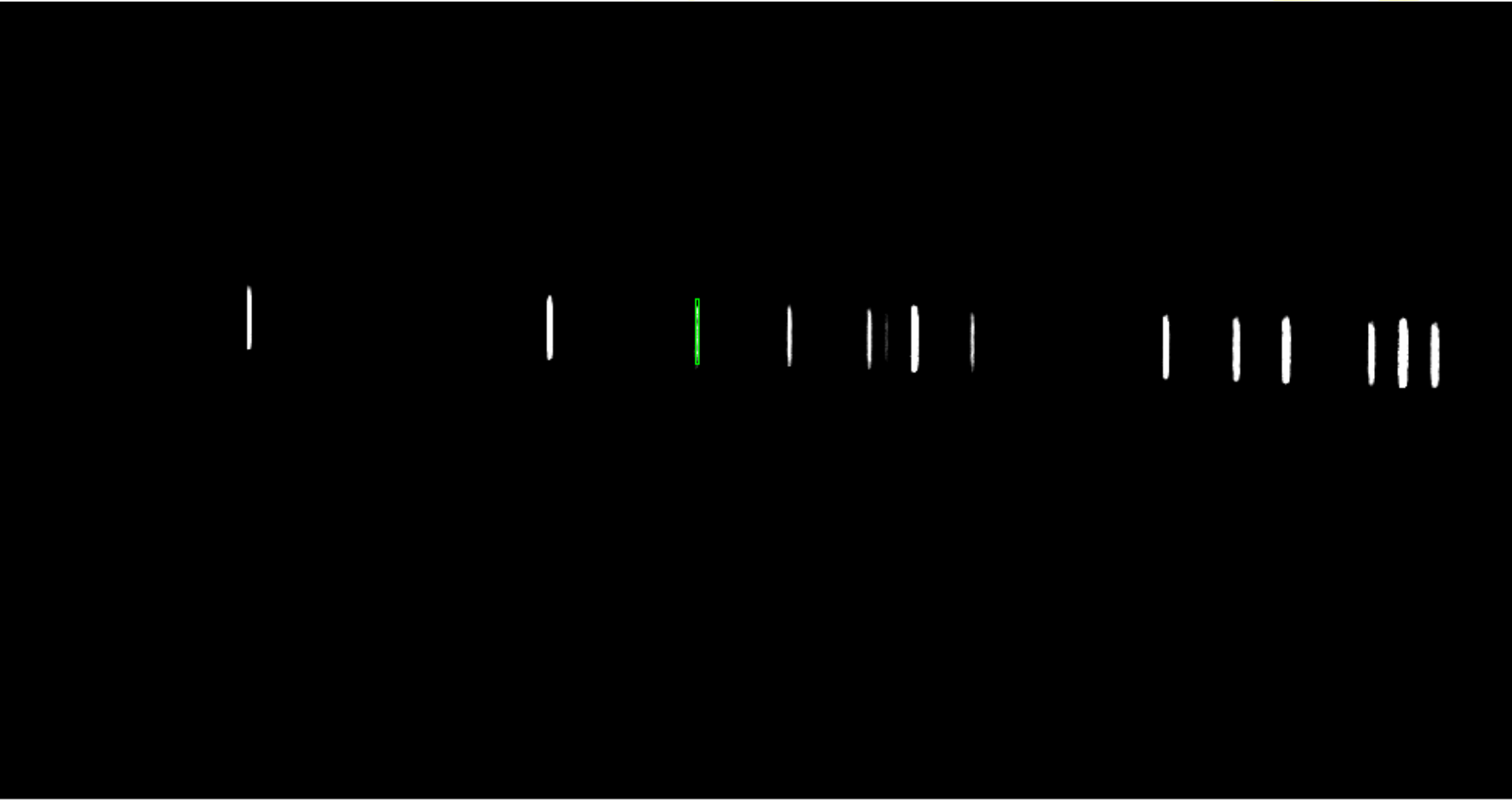


Pupil alignment





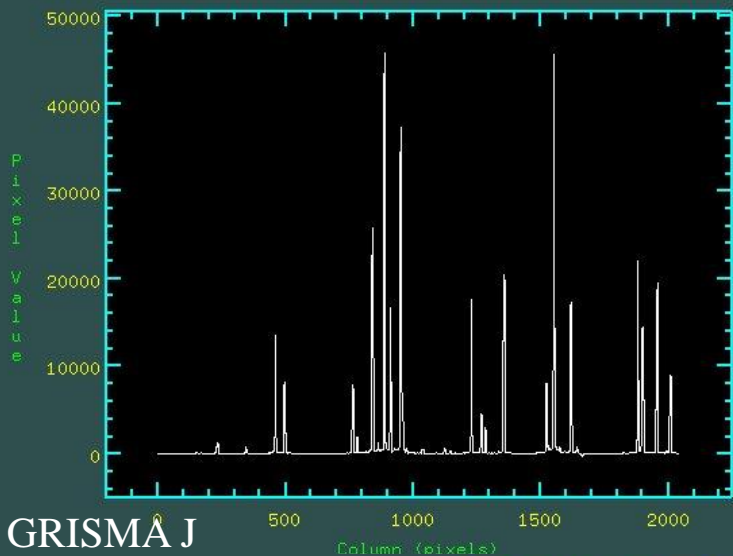
Some spectra



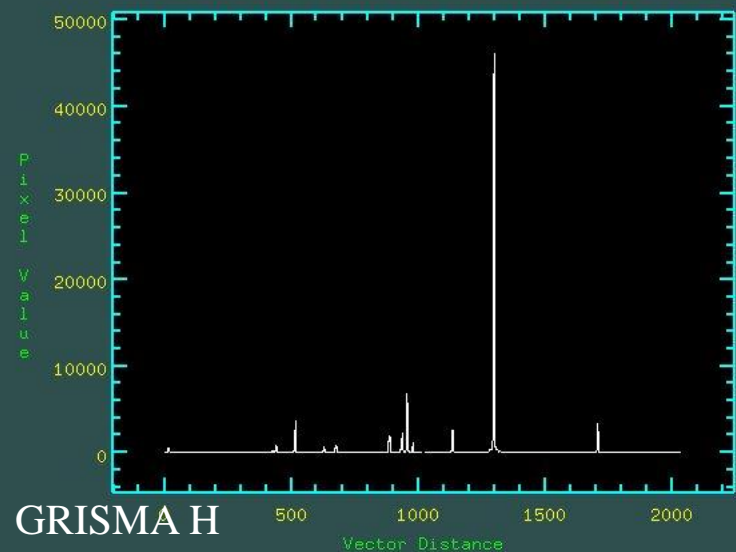
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Wavelength calibration

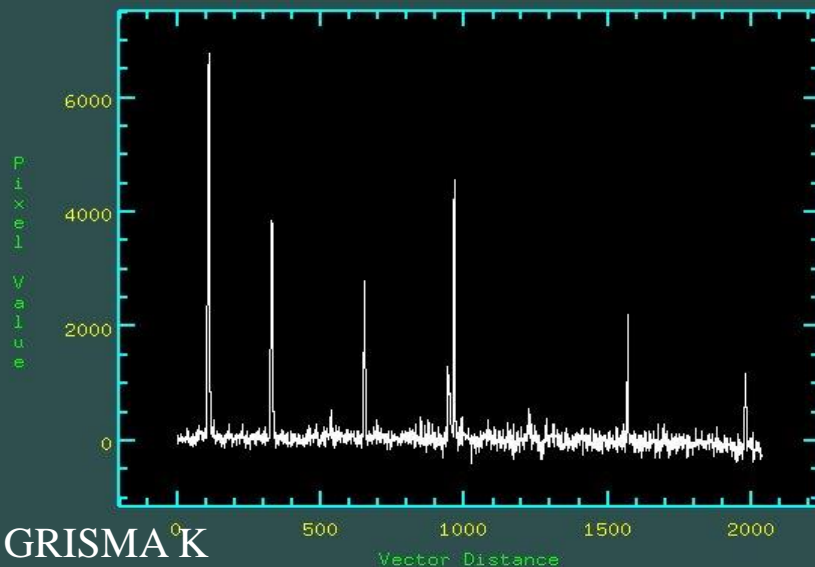
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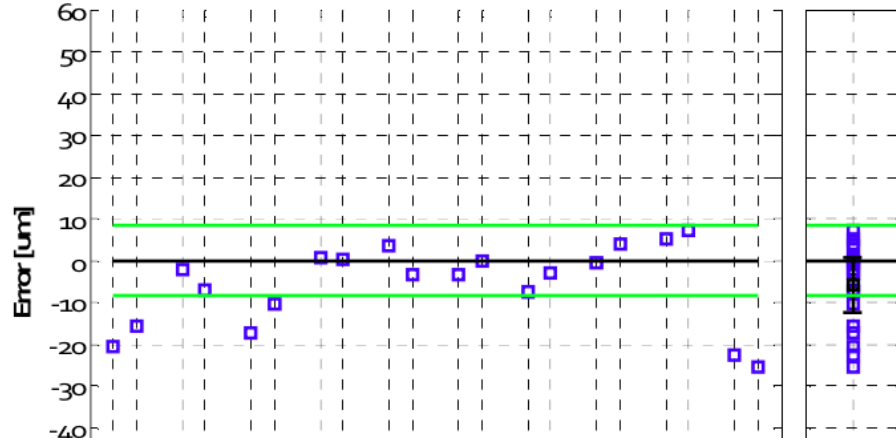


**Argon
lamp**

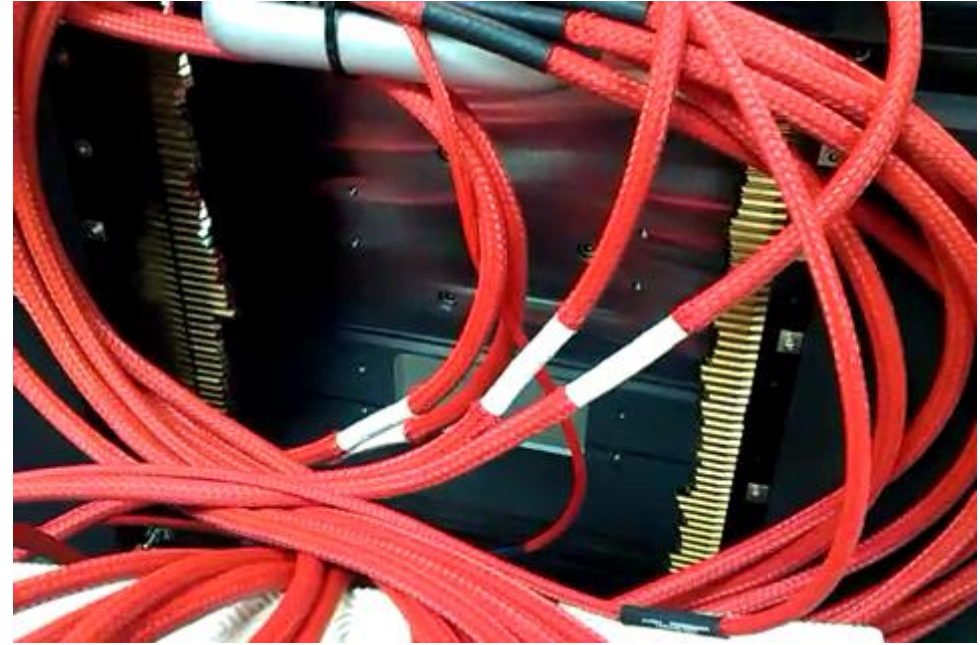
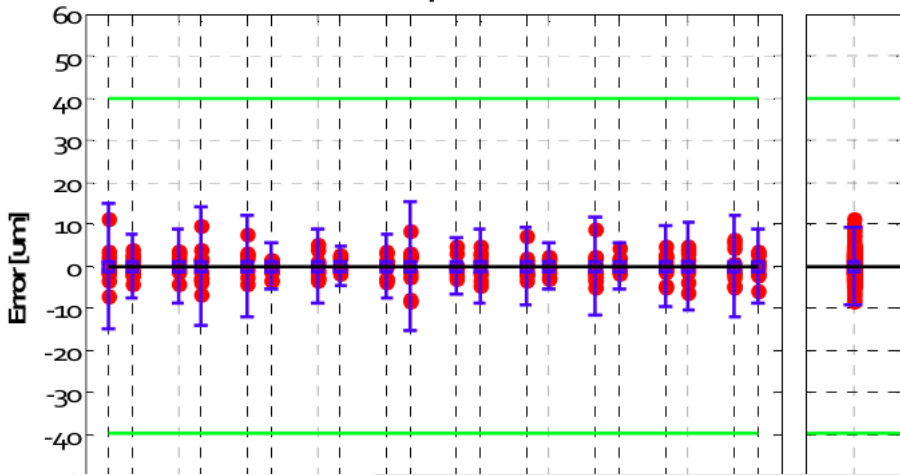
GRISM J	0.771 Å/pix (~5400)
GRISM H	1.216 Å/pix (~4500)
GRISM K	1.710 Å/pix (~4270)

CSU status

SAT1.1 - Accuracies



SAT1.1 - Repeatabilities



	Requirement @ bar level	Measured performance	Background	Unit
Accuracy	< 8.5	< 12.5	$ \bar{X} \pm 3\sigma/\sqrt{n} = -6.0 \pm 6.5 $	[µm]
Repeatability	< 39.6	< 9.4	$\pm 3\sigma = \pm 9.4$	[µm]
Total	< 48.1	< 35.8	$ \bar{X} \pm 3\sigma = -5.8 \pm 30.0 $	[µm]



E-II: ECS + DRP

- ❖ System of high complexity
 - ★ Instrument component
 - ★ Data Factory Agent
 - ★ Branch
 - ★ ScienceDB
 - ★ Data Factory Manager
 - ★ Inspector
 - ★ ...
- ❖ Been configured along the verification stages
- ❖ Fine tuning needed before going to telescope



Summary of ver. status

- ✘ All mech. fully functional
 - ✦ Window covers
 - ✦ Wheels
 - ✦ DTU
 - ✦ CSU (pending of final accept.)
- ✘ Img. Quality param. well within specs
- ✘ Scattered & Stray light under control
- ✘ Det. readout modes ready and phot. comp.
 - ✦ HDR & window modes yet untested
- ✘ ECS+DRP run stable
 - ✦ Further opt. on the way



Plan to first light

- ❖ Accept CSU
- ❖ Complete AIV stage III
- ❖ Agree and execute EMIR AT campaign
- ❖ Finalise the commissioning plan
 - ✦ 2/3 stages (+ Sci. Val)
- ❖ Ship EMIR and execute integration at GTC

Due for somewhen in 2015

