

Skydip calibration

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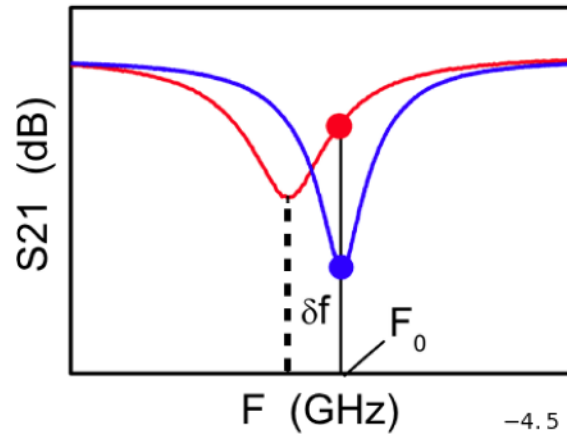
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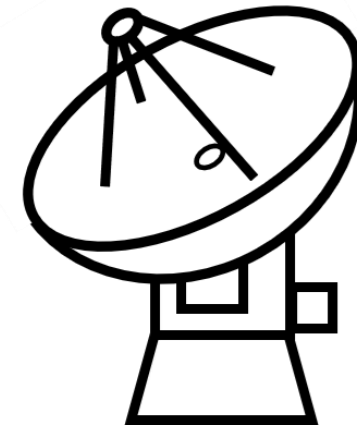
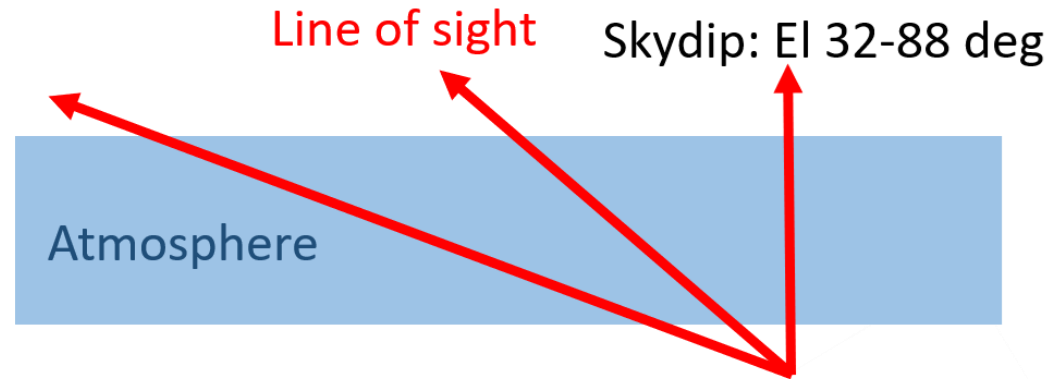
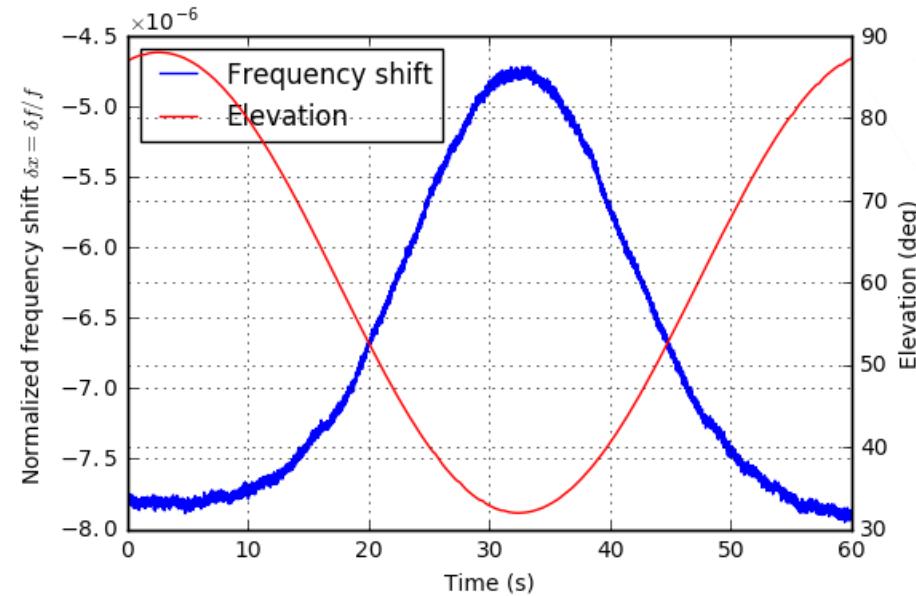
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Responsivity calibration method

- MKID readout $\delta x = \delta f/F_0 \rightarrow$ line-of-sight brightness temperature T_{sky}



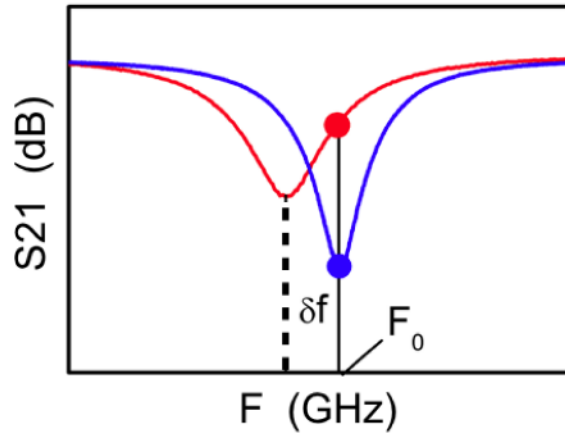
Baselman+2017, A&A
601, A89 (2017)



Takekoshi et al. (2020)

On-sky calibration equation

- MKID readout $\delta x = \delta f / F_0 \rightarrow$ line-of-sight brightness temp. T_{sky}



$$\delta x(T) = p_0(\sqrt{T_w - T_0} - \sqrt{T_{load} - T_0})$$

$$T_0 = -\frac{h\nu}{2k_b} (= -8.4\text{K@}350\text{GHz}): 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ order RJ approx. term}$$

T_{load} : Chopper temperature

$$T_w = \eta_{fwd} T_{sky} + (1 - \eta_{fwd}) T_{amb}$$



$$T_{sky}^{\text{resp}}(\delta x) = \frac{1}{p_0^2 \eta_{fwd}} (\delta x + p_0 \sqrt{T_{load} + T_0})^2 - \frac{1}{\eta_{fwd}} (T_0 + (1 - \eta_{fwd}) T_{amb}).$$

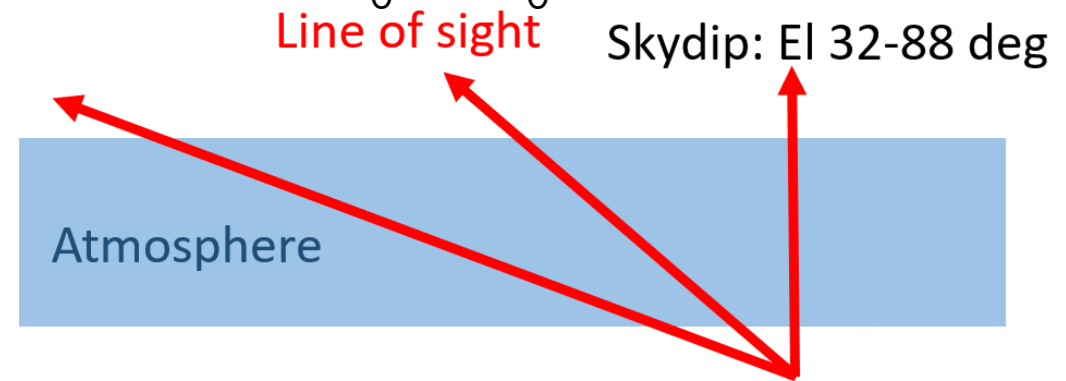
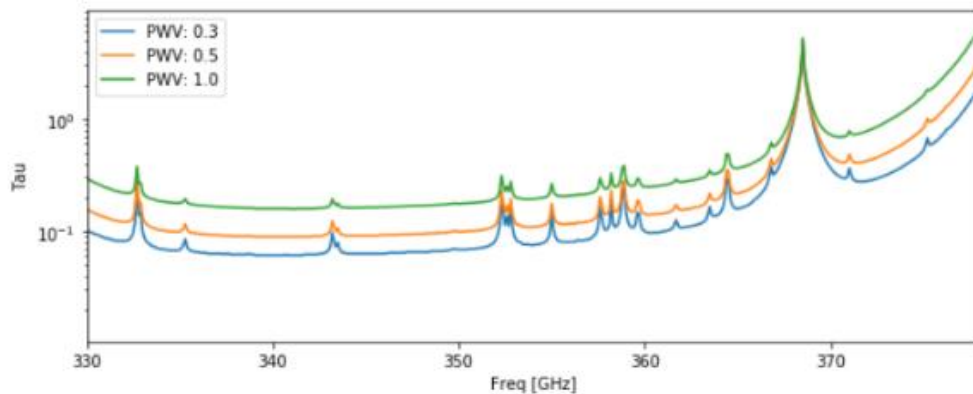
Parameter: p_0 and η_{fwd}

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Tsky estimate from PWV and El

- PWV: precipitable water vapor (mm)
- Assume ATM model (Pardo 2001) $\rightarrow \tau_0 = \tau_0(\nu, \text{PWV})$



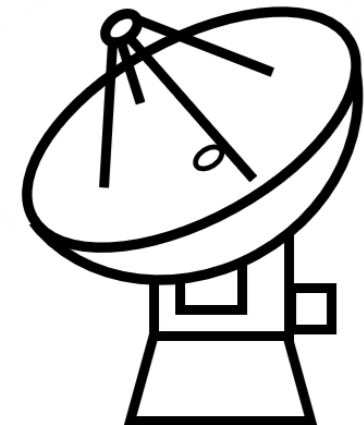
- Atmospheric transmission

$$\eta_{\text{atm}}(\text{El}, \text{PWV}) = \frac{\int g(\nu) e^{-\tau_0(\nu, \text{PWV}) \csc(\text{El})} d\nu}{\int g(\nu) d\nu}$$

$g(\nu)$: Response function of a MKID

- Line-of-sight sky temperature
 - Ignore CMB contribution ($< \sim 1\%$ systematics)

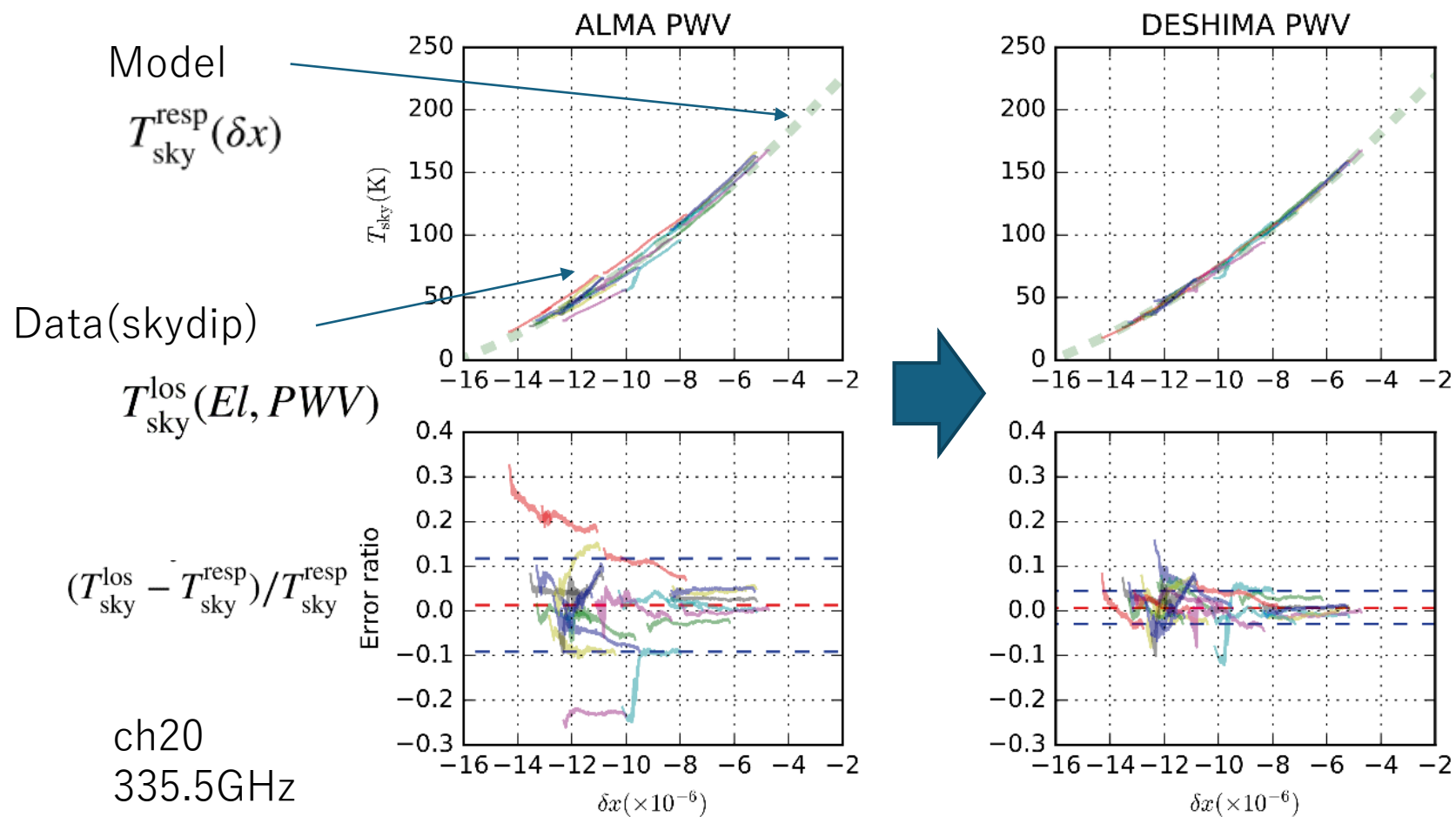
$$T_{\text{sky}}^{\text{los}}(\text{El}, \text{PWV}) = (1 - \eta_{\text{atm}}) T_{\text{atm}}$$



[Takekoshi et al. \(2020\)](#)

Responsivity model in DESHIMA1.0

- Responsivity calibration using 22 skydip data ($El=32-88^\circ$)
- Use PWV obtained by ALMA as initial parameter



Parameters for all channels in DESHIMA1.0

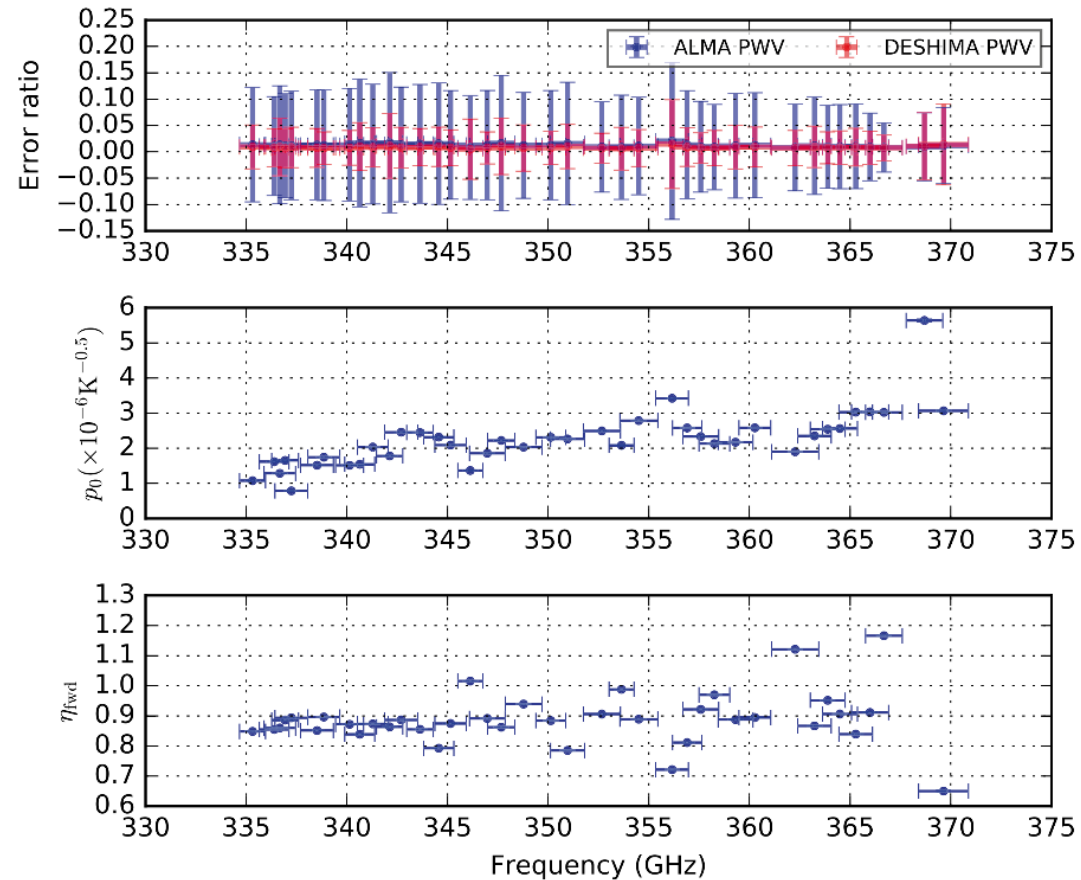
- Error ratio

PWV	Mean offset	Mean 1σ error
ALMA	1.0 %	9.9 %
DESHIMA	0.8 %	4.0 %

- Forward efficiency

$$\eta_{\text{fwd}} = 88 \pm 2\%$$

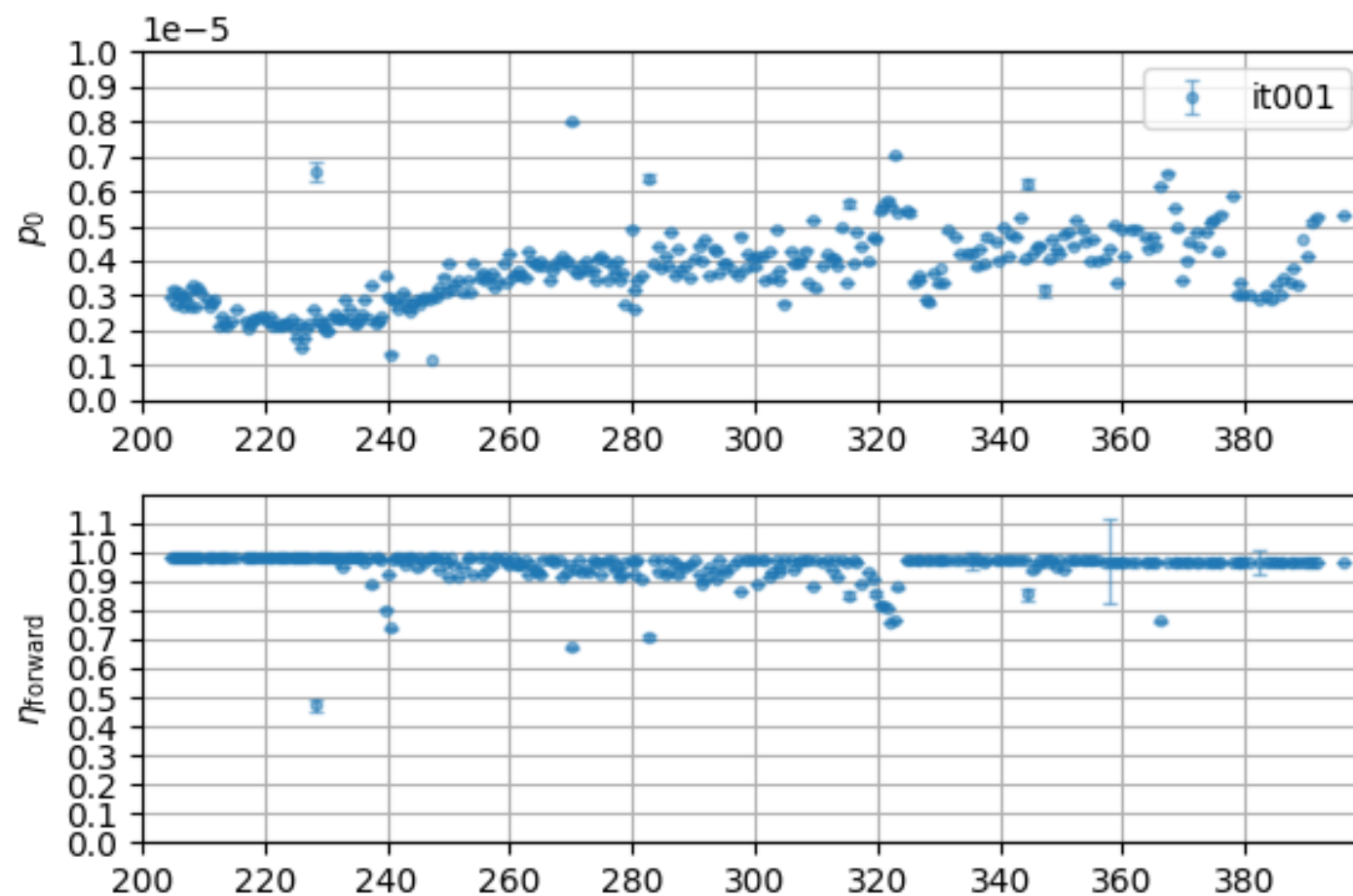
➔ Consistent with ASTE expected value of 0.87



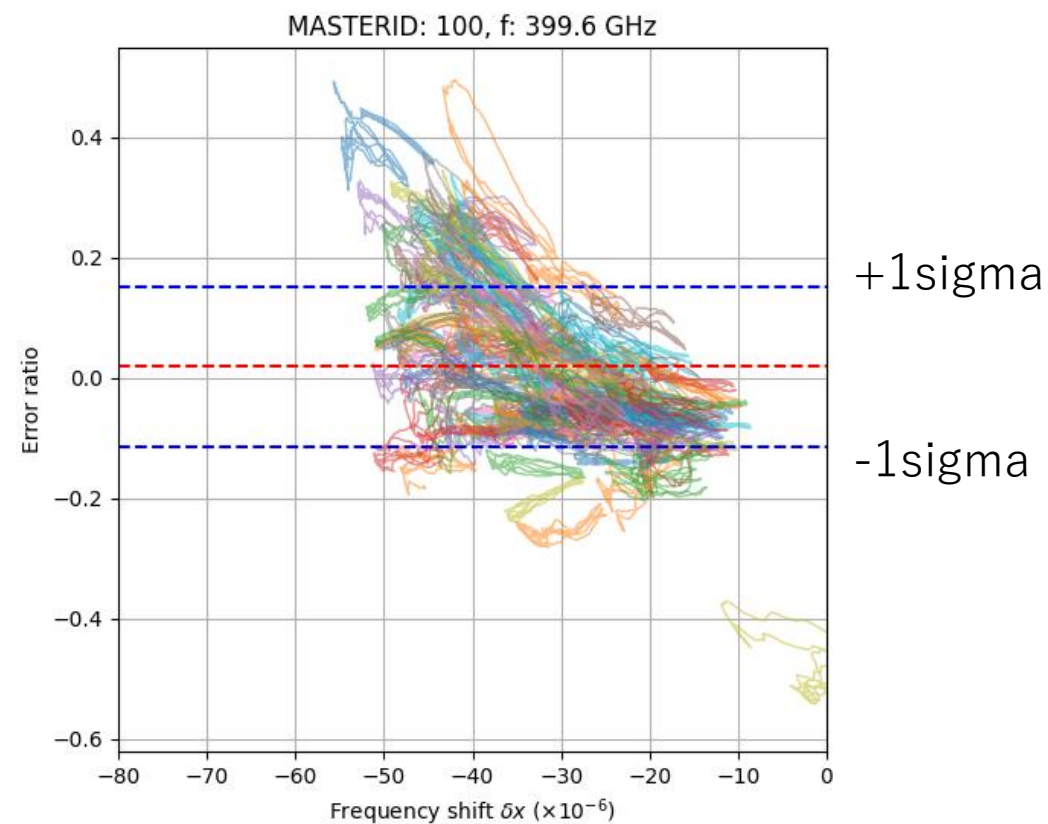
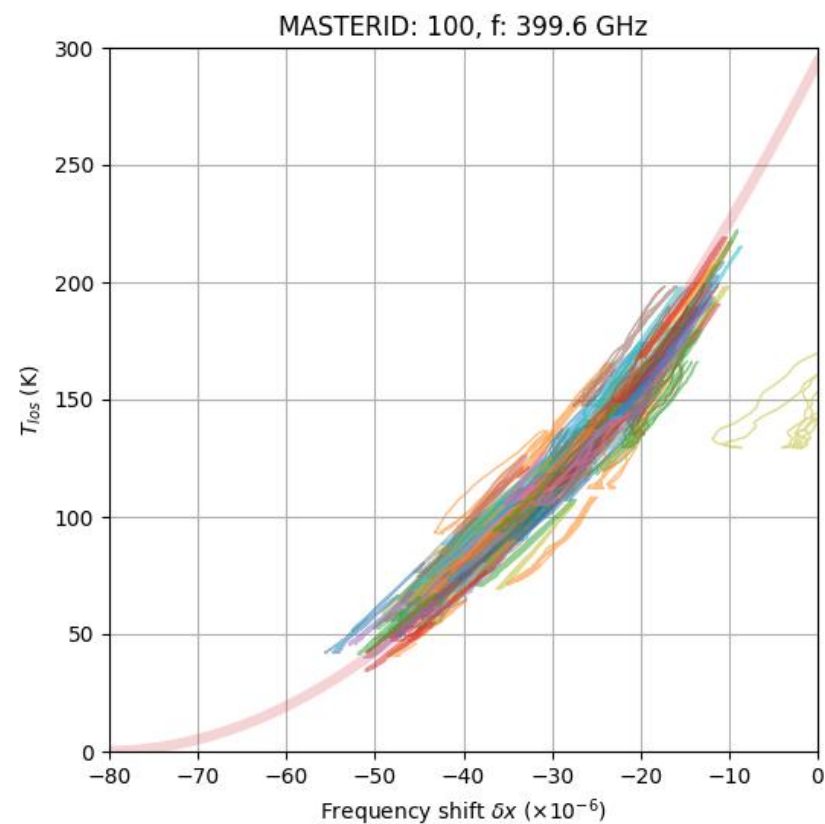
Skydip calibration in DESHIMA2.0

- Data
 - 20240706-20241103
 - az(-)180el60_skydip_beamA: 193 data
 - APEX PWVs
- DDB 20250819
 - <https://deshima.kibe.la/@takekoshi/9792>
- Available in demerge 2025.8.4
 - <https://github.com/deshima-dev/demerge/releases/tag/2025.8.4>

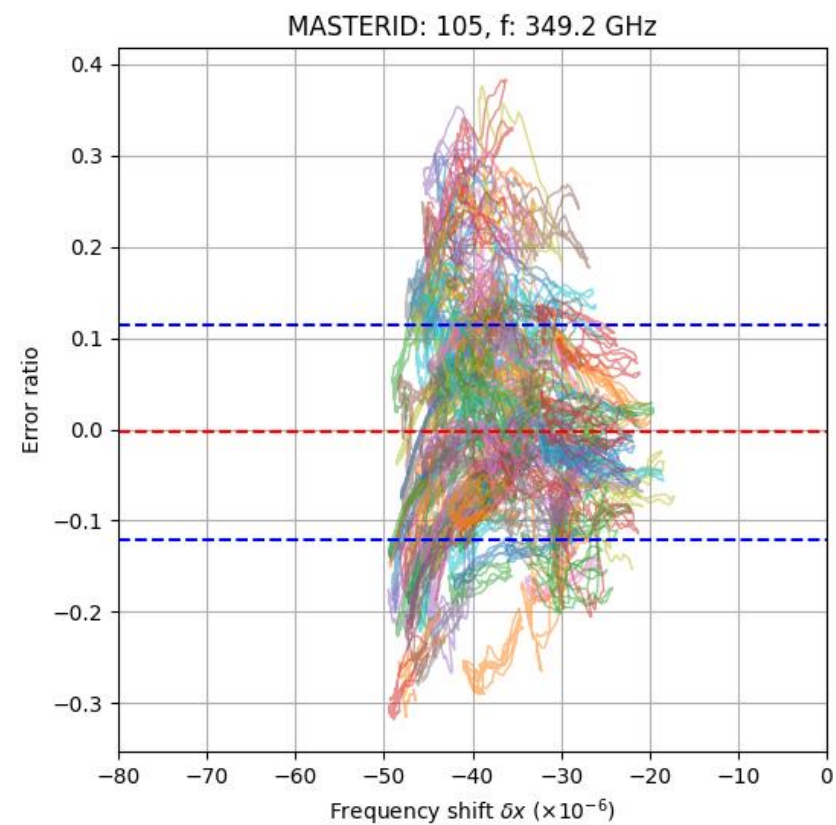
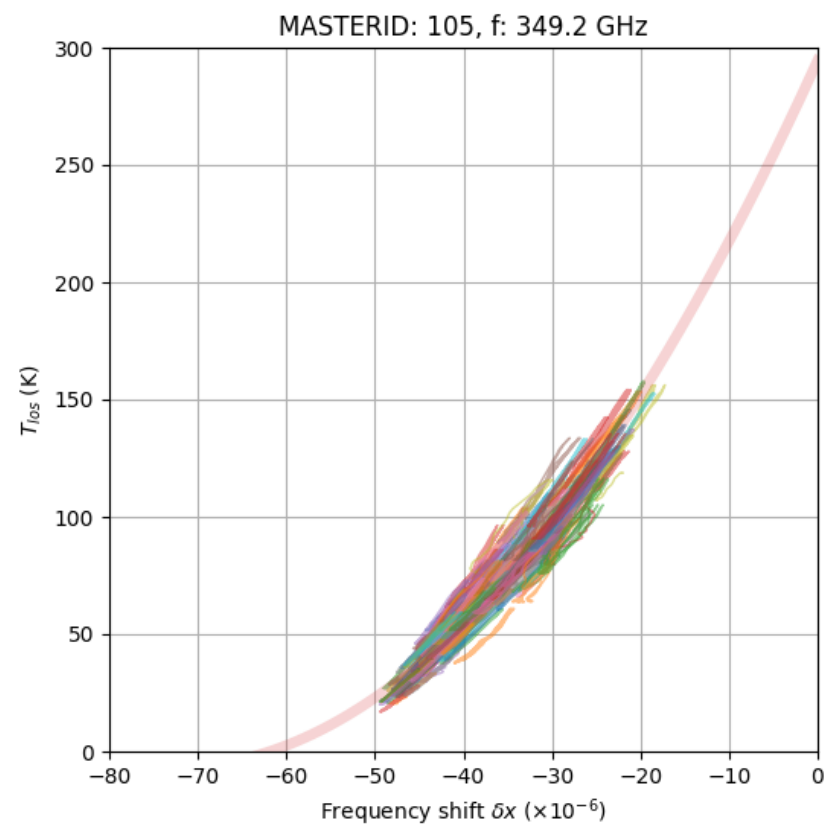
Fit parameters



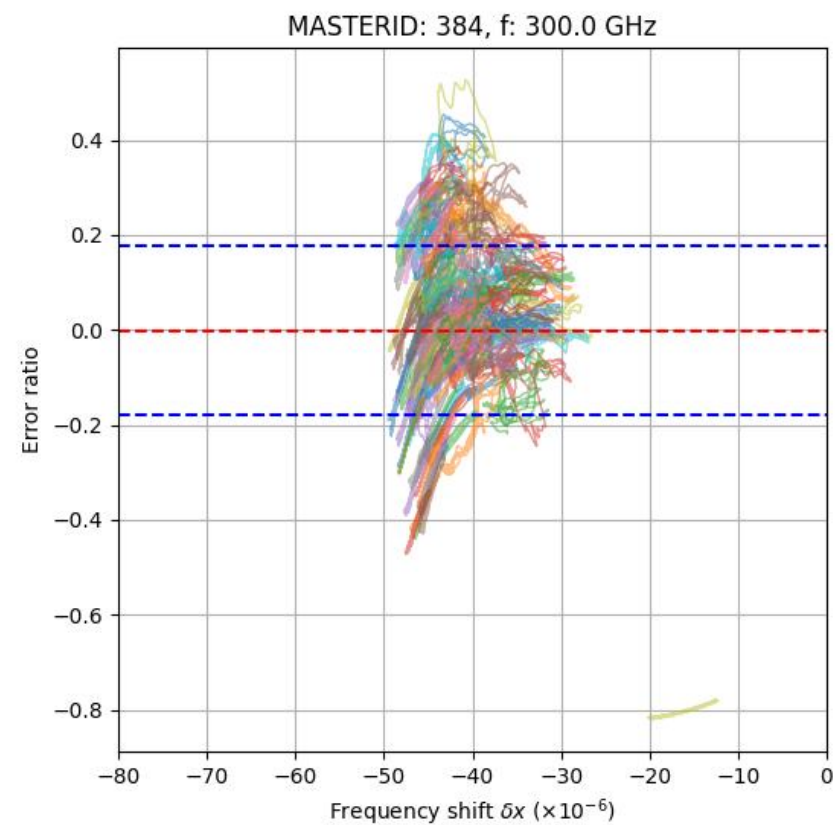
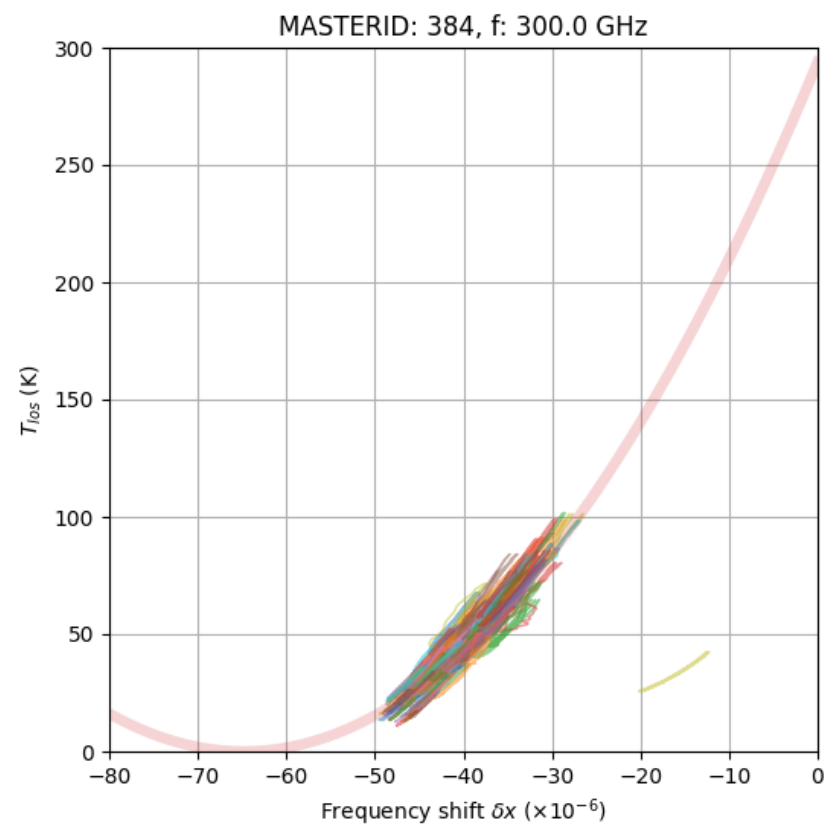
MasterID 100, 399.6 GHz



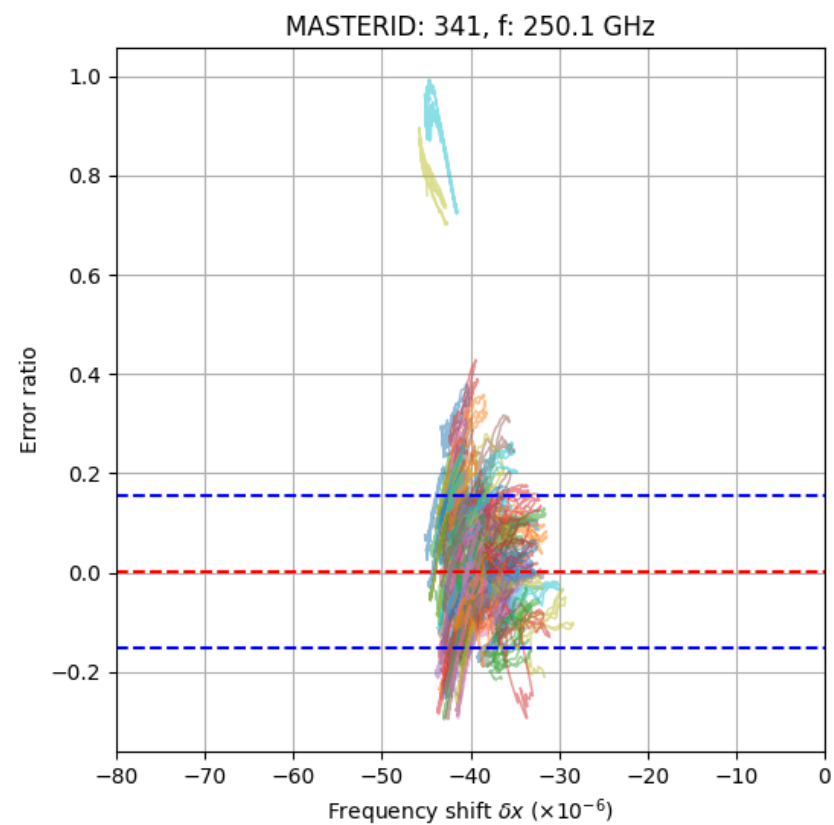
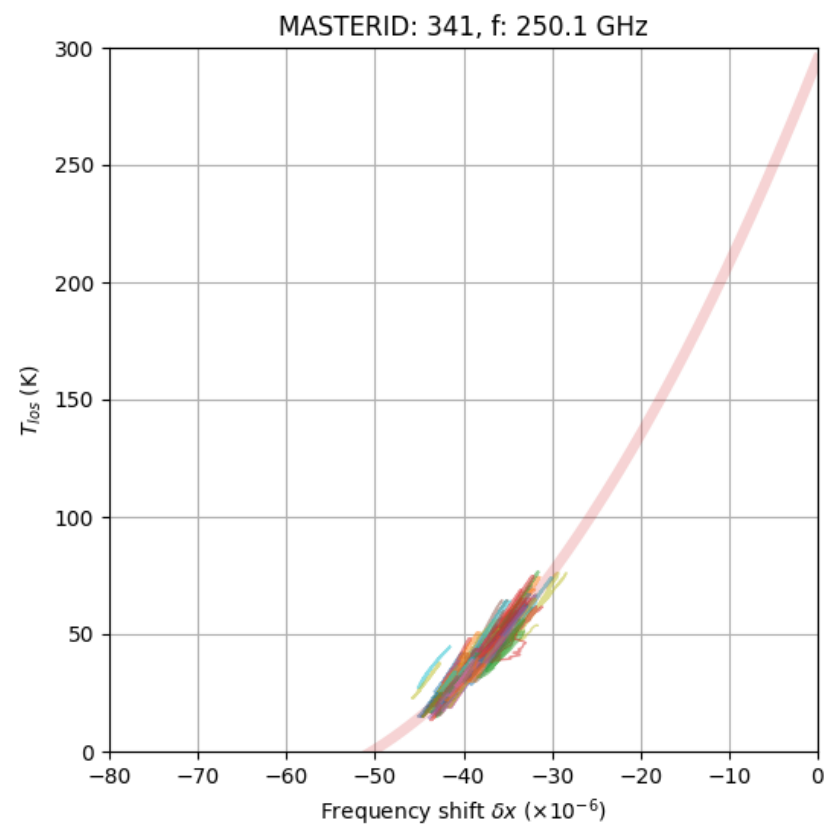
MasterID 105, 349.2 GHz



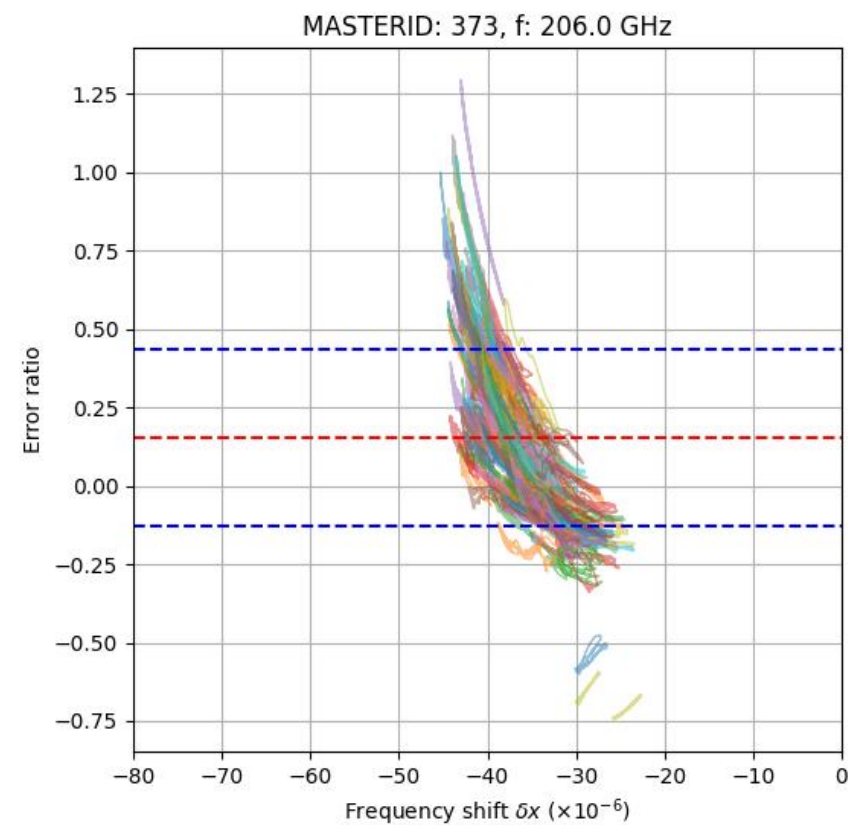
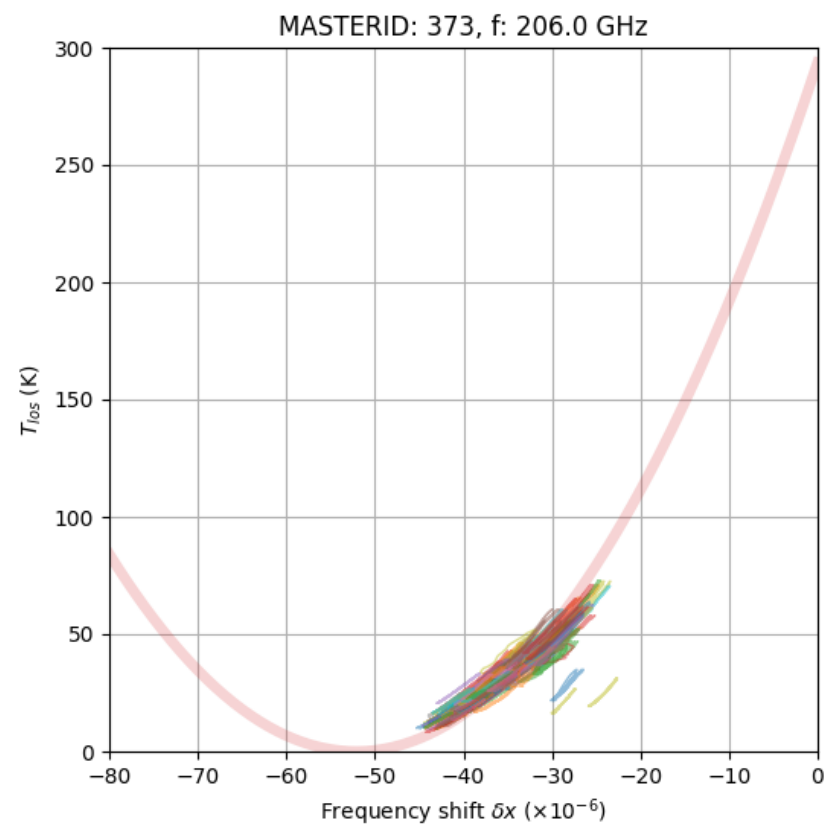
MasterID 384, 300.0 GHz



MasterID 341, 250.1 GHz

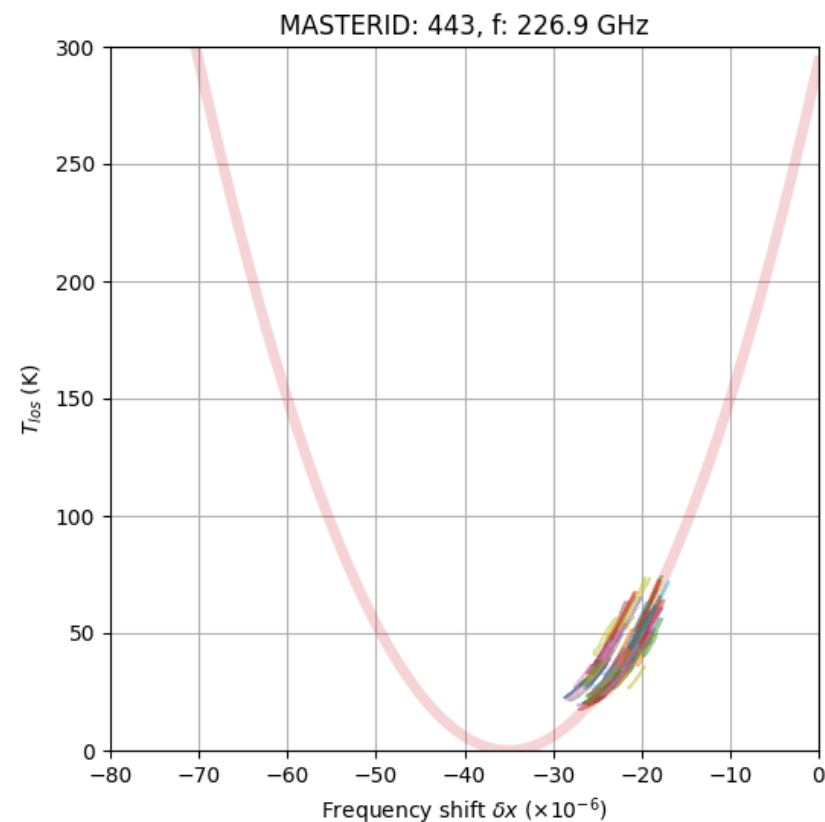
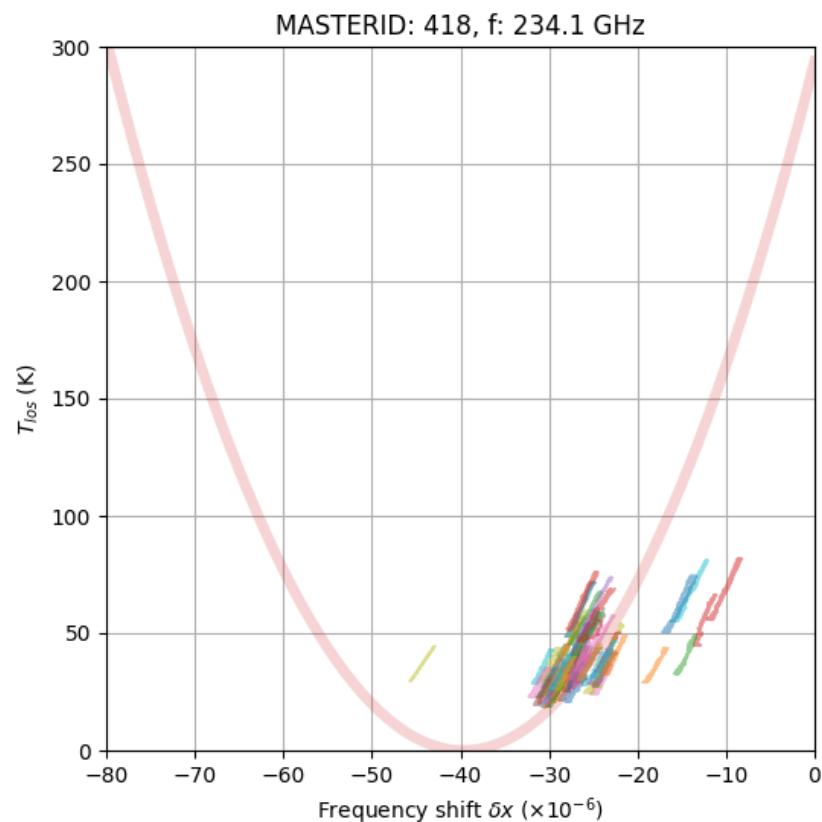


MasterID 373, 206.0 GHz



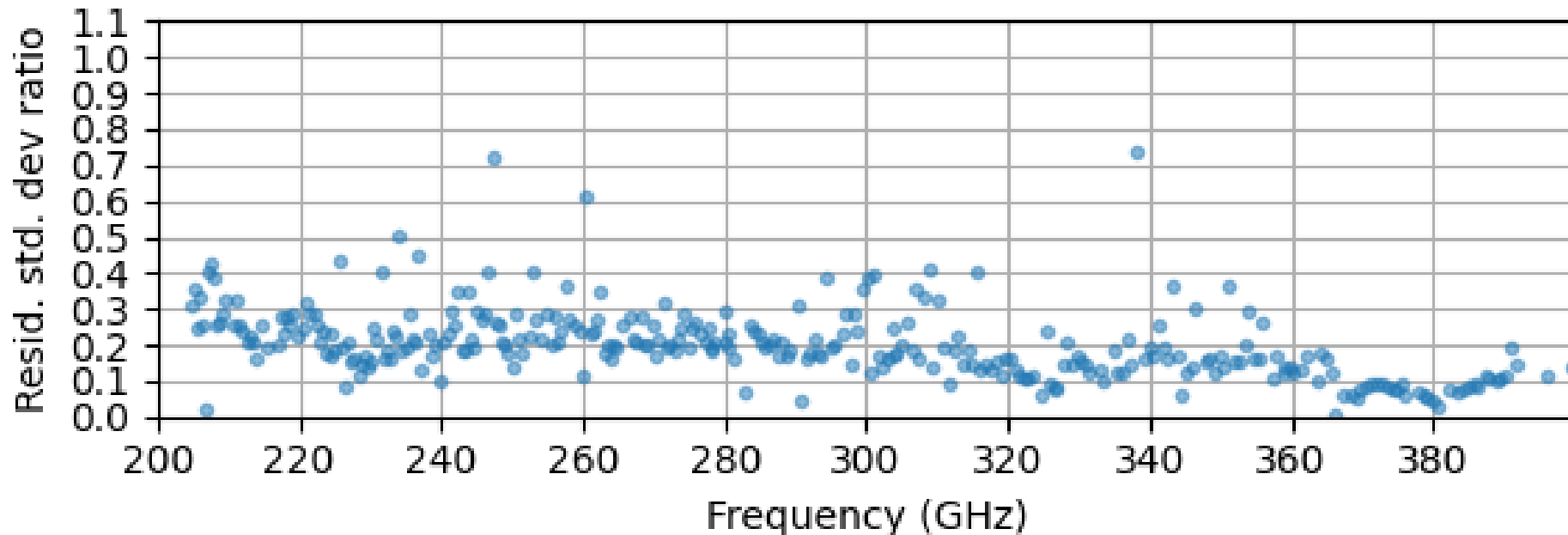
Kid corresp is not perfect?

Swapping still exists in some KIDs



Standard deviation

- 10~30%
 - Mainly caused by APEX PWV error?
 - Higher frequency has smaller error
 - ➔ dynamic range of atmospheric emission is important?
 - TODO: PWV re-estimate of calibrated DEMS (for all DEMS)



Toward TIFUUN

- Skydip calibration model
 - The skydip calibration model can be established in the 200–400 GHz frequency range.
 - But for the TIFUUN LF (130–180 GHz), can the model still be established under smaller dynamic-range conditions?
- Alternative calibration option?
 - TESCAM add-on and cryogen-free calibrator
 - Takekoshi et al. 2018, Oshima et al. 2018

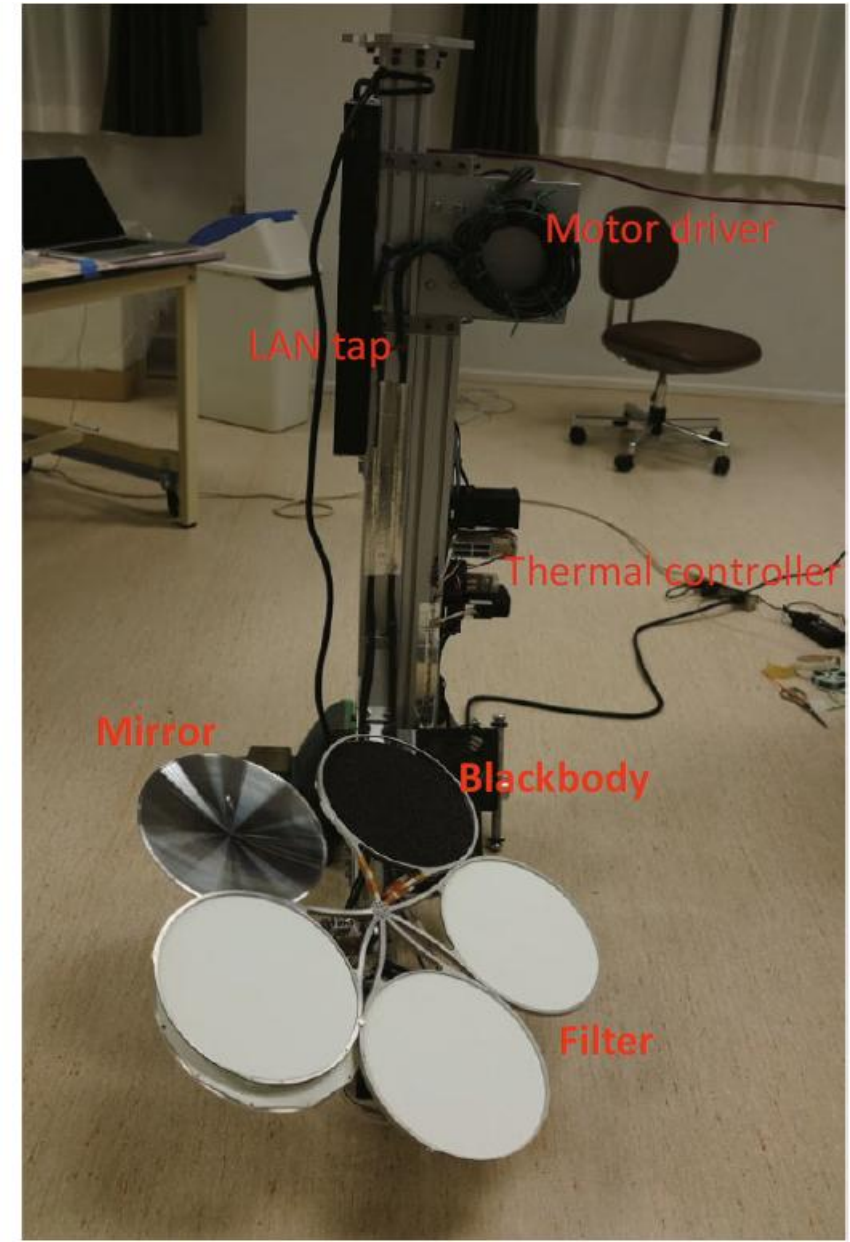
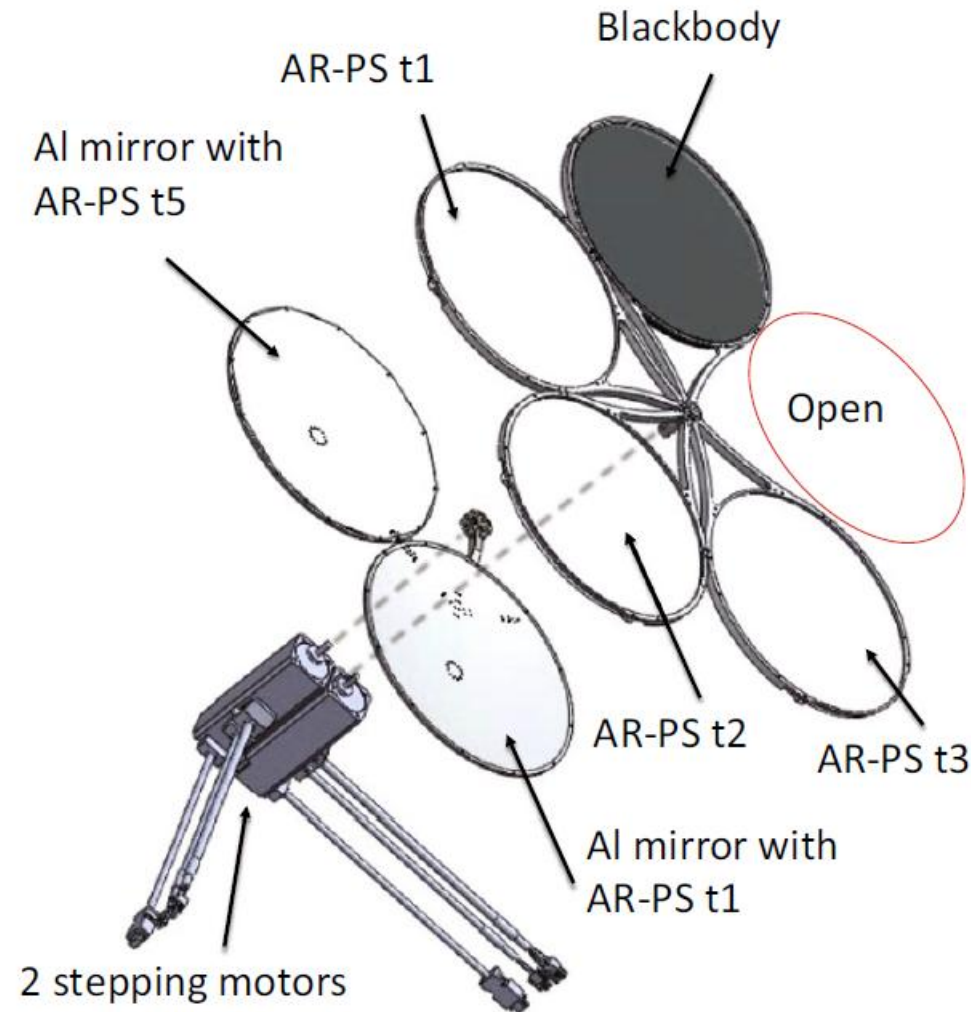
TES bolometer camera for the ASTE telescope 2012-16

- ASTE
 - 10 m submillimeter telescope
 - The Atacama desert, Chile (alt. 4800 m)
- TES bolometer camera
 - 2 band simultaneous observation
 - Band1 at 1.1mm(270GHz): 169 pix
 - Band2 at 0.85mm(350GHz): 271 pix
 - Field of view: 8 arcmin.
- Calibration system was installed in 2016 commissioning.

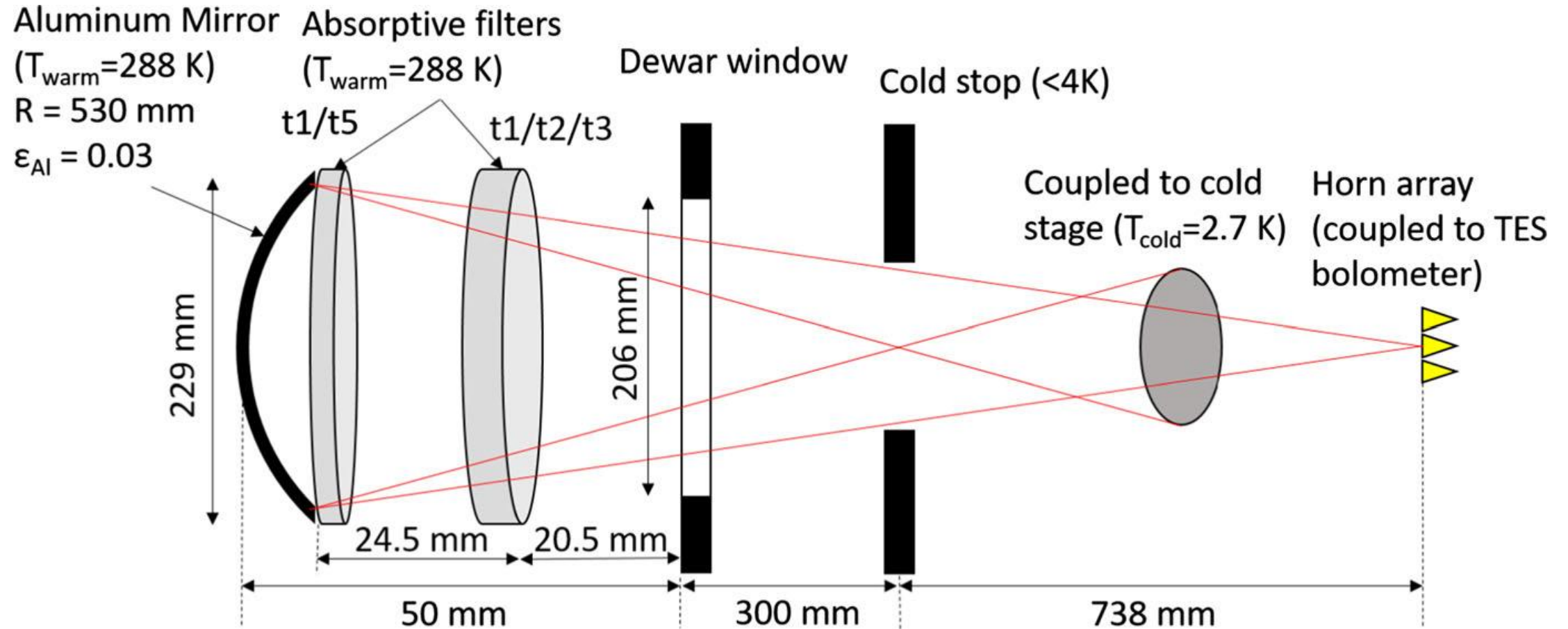


TESCAM Calibrator

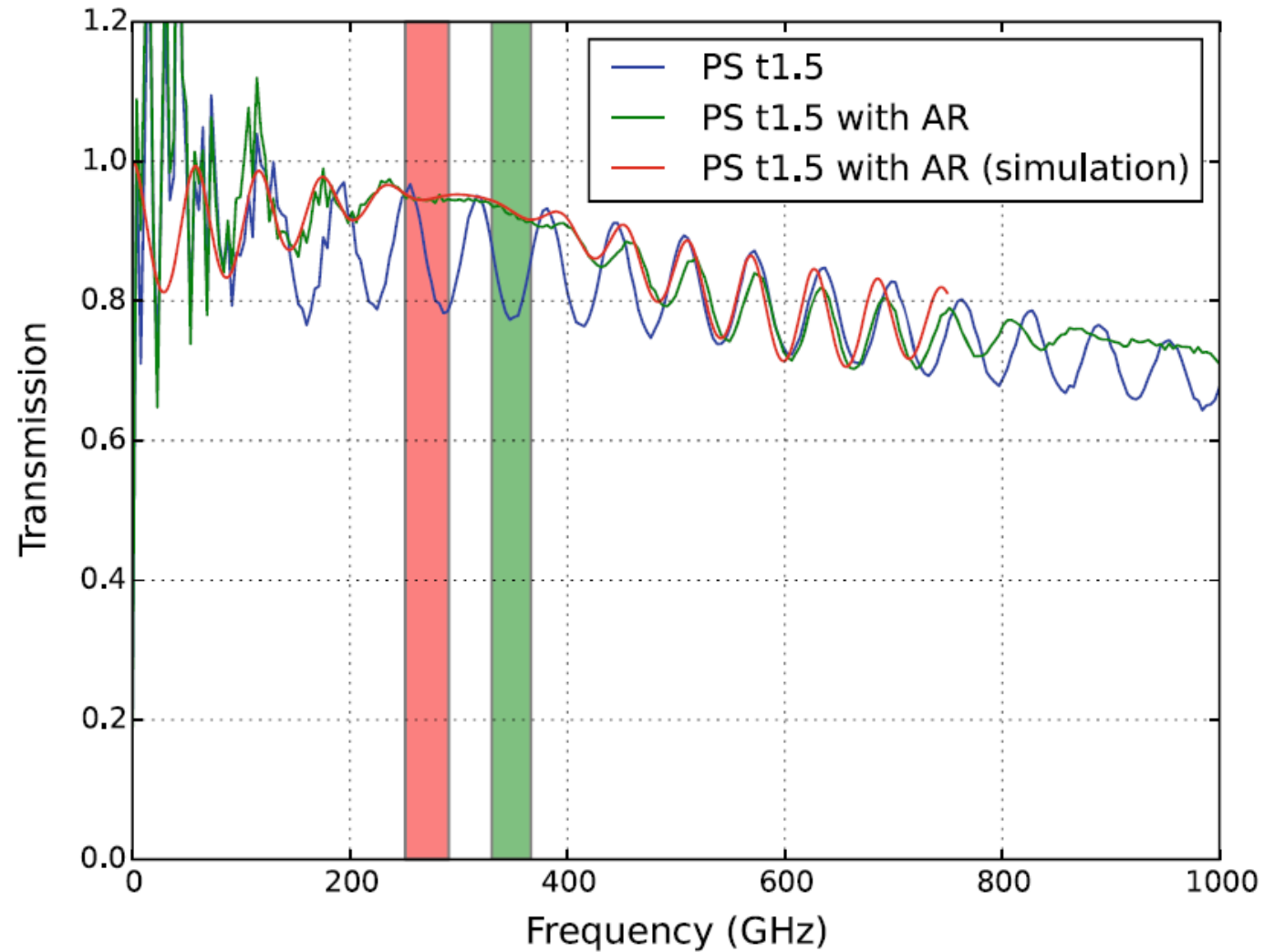
Simple add-on, cryogen-free calibrator that imitates typical sky condition in the ASTE site (PWV=0.5—4mm).



Optical configuration



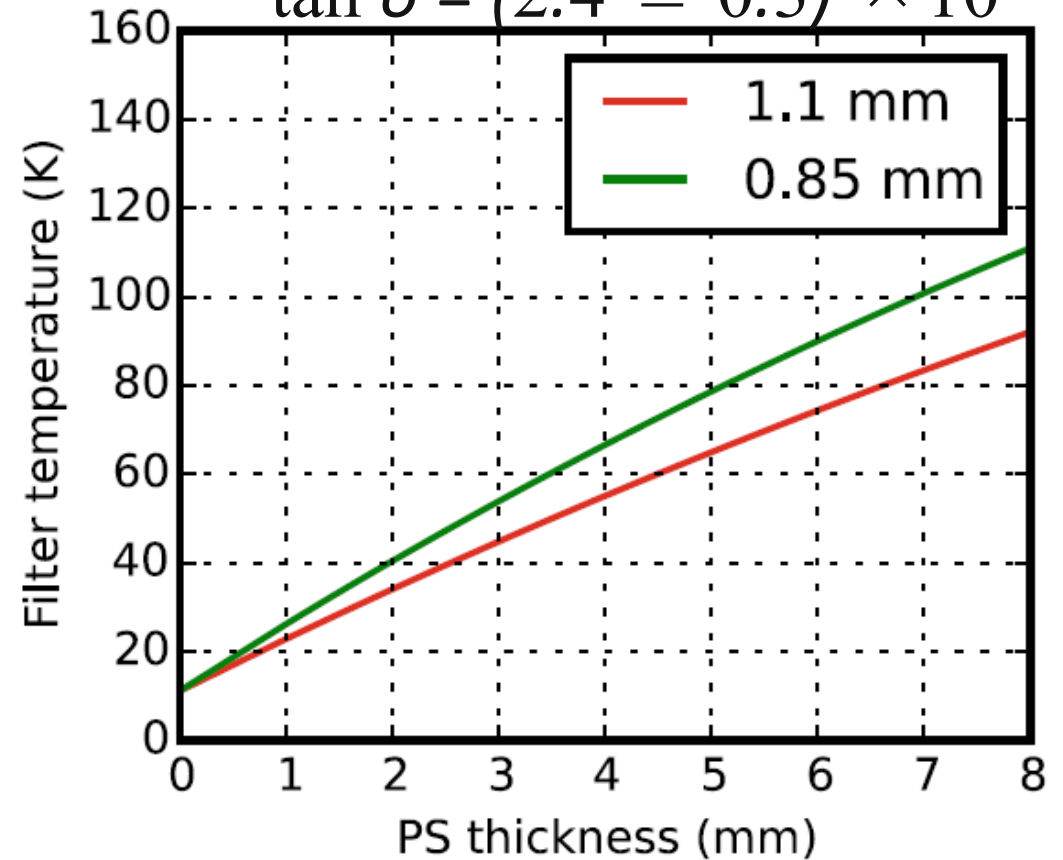
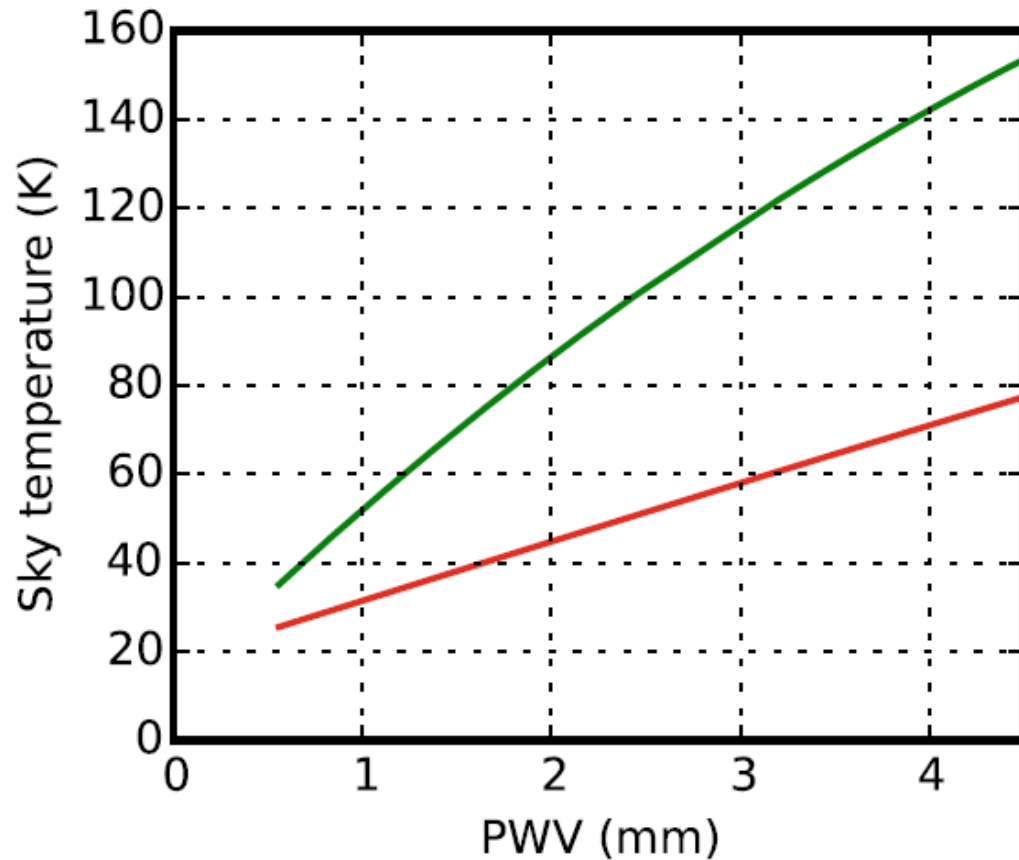
Transmission measurement AR-PS filter



Polystyrene (PS) thickness and PWV

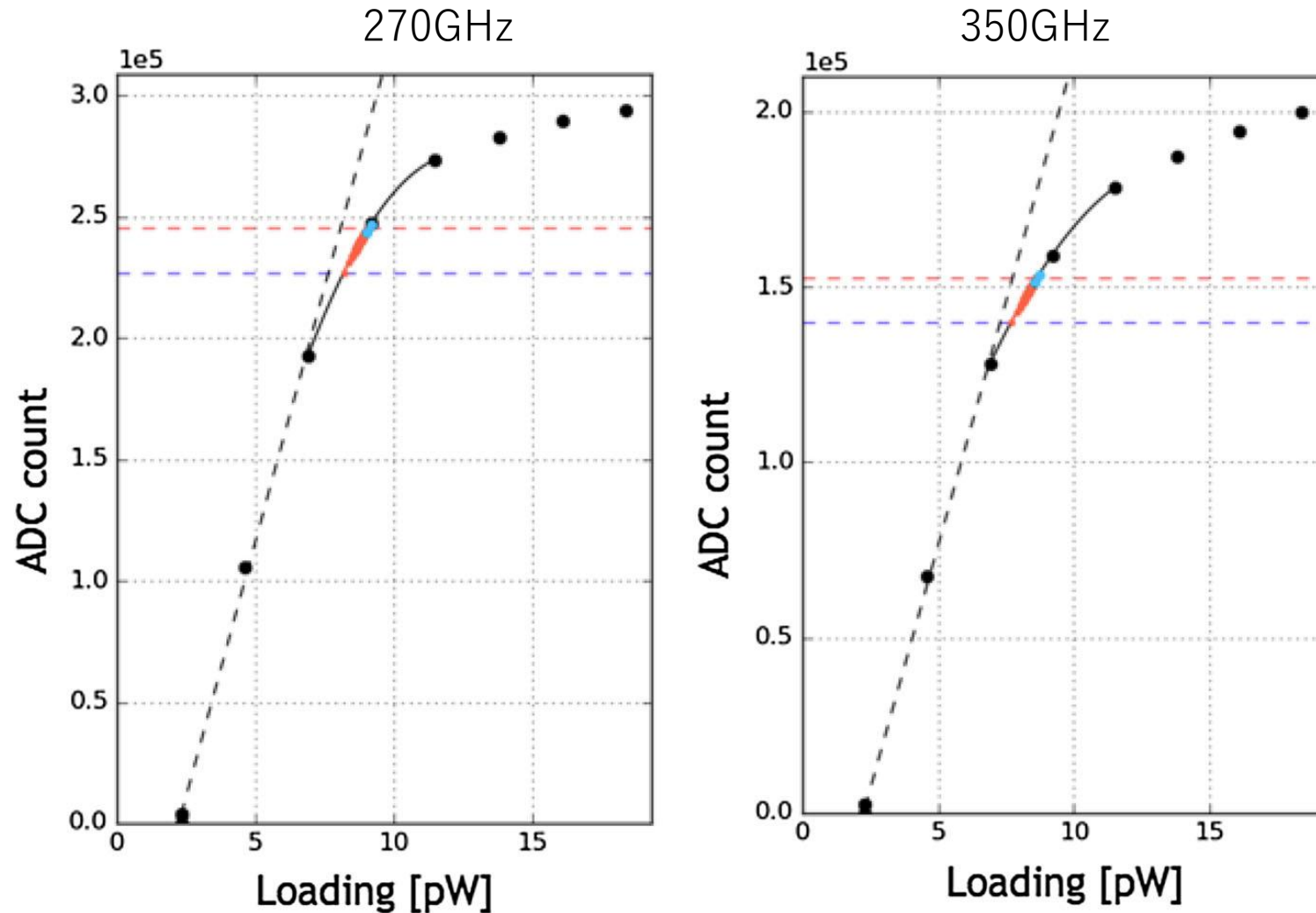
$$n = 1.571 \pm 0.001$$

$$\tan \delta = (2.4 \pm 0.3) \times 10^{-3}$$

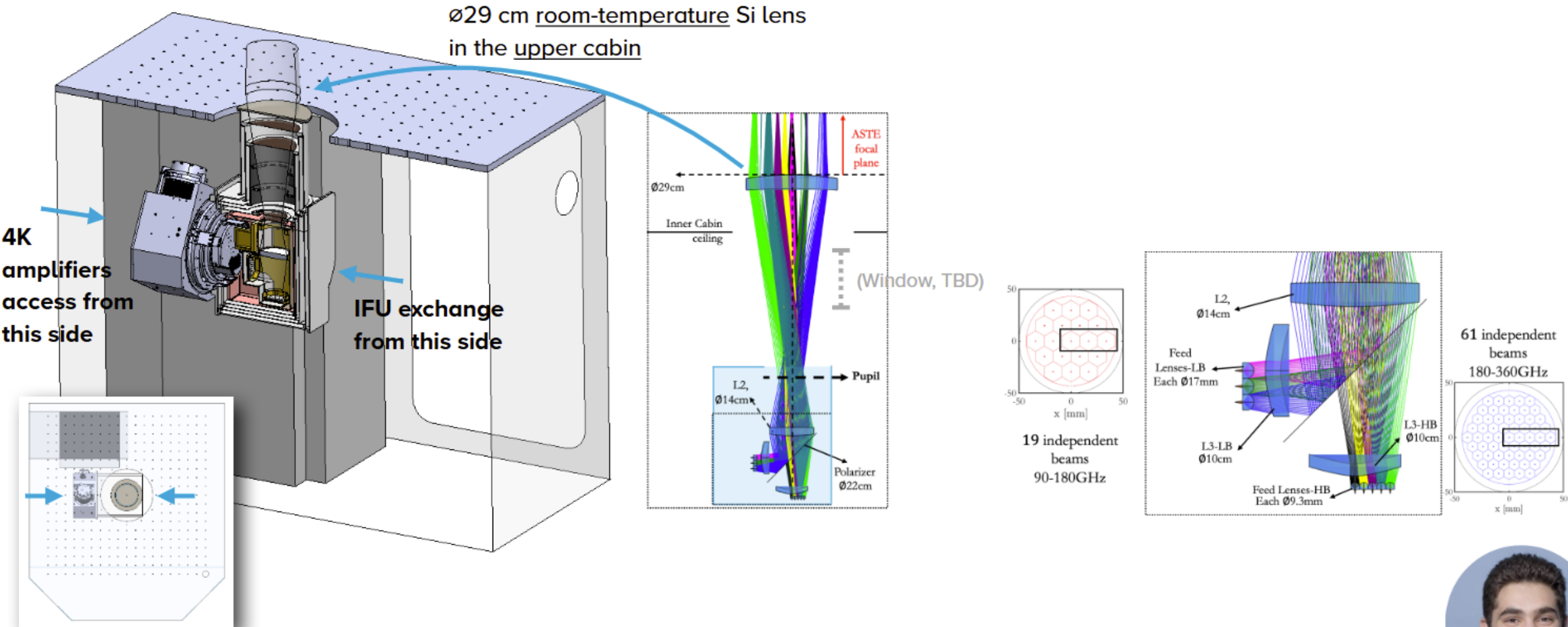




Non-linearity correction (TES bolometers)



TIFUUN in the ASTE Receiver Cabin



For details and updates, see presentation by **Shahab Dabironezare**



Summary

- Skydip calibration in DESHIMA 2.0
 - 10~30% standard deviation: mainly caused by APEX PWV error?
 - Higher frequency has smaller standard deviation
- Toward TIFUUN
 - More serious dynamic range in LF detectors
 - Add-on type calibrator?

D2 data access

- Data server desql1 (Kitami)
 - Need registration of ssh-key to access
 - Raw and merged (DEMS) dataset
 - <https://deshima.kibe.la/notes/8099>
- Qlook web monitor
 - Observation log
 - Qlook analysis log
 - etc...
- (The latest DEMSs are also available on Google drive)

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DESHIMA

Quick Look Web Monitor

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Observations FILTERED (554)

Src Name

Obs File

Obs User

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Mars

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Analysis Comments

Observation Comments

Qlook Versions

Cabin Logs

Environment Graph

OBSID	src_name	obs_datetime	start_datetime	end_datetime	Az	El	Ra	Dec	obs_file	TEMP(degC)	PRES.
20241121083832	MARS	2024/11/21 8:38	2024/11/21 8:38	2024/11/21 8:46	5.45	45.70	127.16	21.26	mars_azel_daisy_120_t4_4min_beamA	-1.8	572.2
20241121074234	MARS	2024/11/21 7:42	2024/11/21 7:42	2024/11/21 7:48	23.51	42.52	127.15	21.26	mars_azel_pswsc_t10_n5_beamAB	-3.6	572.2
20241121073541	MARS	2024/11/21 7:35	2024/11/21 7:35	2024/11/21 7:41	25.51	41.87	127.15	21.27	mars_azel_pswsc_t10_n5_beamAB	-0.9	572.1
20241121070624	MARS	2024/11/21 7:06	2024/11/21 7:06	2024/11/21 7:20	32.20	39.12	127.15	21.27	mars_azel_raster_240_d3_t4_beamA	-2.0	572.0
20241120090906	MARS	2024/11/20 9:09	2024/11/20 9:09	2024/11/20 9:16	-3.73	45.74	126.95	21.27	mars_azel_daisy_120_t4_4min_beamA	-5.2	570.9
20241120080320	MARS	2024/11/20 8:03	2024/11/20 8:03	2024/11/20 8:10	17.85	43.97	126.94	21.27	mars_azel_daisy_120_t4_4min_beamA	-3.6	570.6
20241120075049	MARS	2024/11/20 7:50	2024/11/20 7:50	2024/11/20 7:56	21.99	42.96	126.94	21.27	mars_azel_pswsc_t10_n5_beamAB	-3.6	570.7
20241120074237	MARS	2024/11/20 7:42	2024/11/20 7:42	2024/11/20 7:48	24.38	42.24	126.94	21.27	mars_azel_pswsc_t10_n5_beamAB	-3.9	570.7
20241120071931	MARS	2024/11/20 7:19	2024/11/20 7:19	2024/11/20 7:33	29.56	40.28	126.94	21.27	mars_azel_raster_240_d3_t4_beamA	-3.4	570.7
20241120071131	MARS	2024/11/20 7:11	2024/11/20 7:11	2024/11/20 7:14	33.07	38.61	126.93	21.27	mars_azel_raster_240_d3_t4_beamA	-4.2	570.8
20241117085331	MARS	2024/11/17 8:53	2024/11/17 8:53	2024/11/17 8:59	4.87	45.70	126.25	21.31	mars_azel_pswsc_t10_n5_beamAB	-1.9	570.4

(b)

Observation

OBSID	Src Name	Obs Datetime	Temperature Outside	Pressure Outside
20241121073541	MARS	2024/11/21 7:35	-0.925	572.09

Start Time	2024/11/21 7:35	End Time	2024/11/21 7:41	Season	2.1
Az	25.512	Az Min	24.546	Az Max	26.284
El	41.871	El Min	39.361	El Max	44.364
Ra	127.151	Ra Min	127.151	Ra Max	127.152
Dec	21.265	Dec Min	21.265	Dec Max	21.265

Project proj0	Group a23007
Obs User csv	Obs File mars_azel_pswsc_t10_n5_beamAB
Rx Name DESHIMA	Scan Categ

300 K chopper

- Action: R (300K BB), sky (through), 10Hz(rotation)
 - Local sweep (before each observation): R
 - Calibration: sky or 10Hz
 - Science: 10Hz

