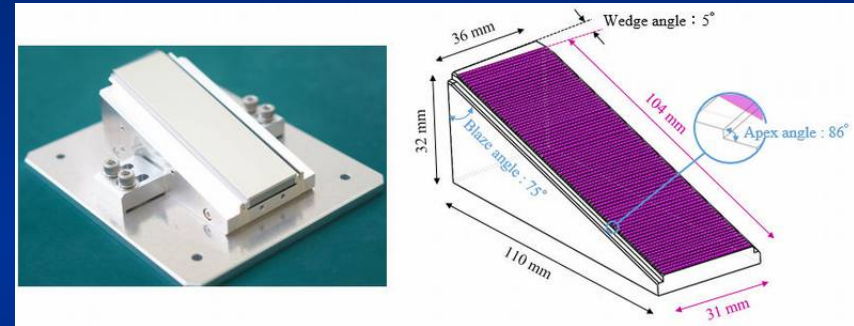
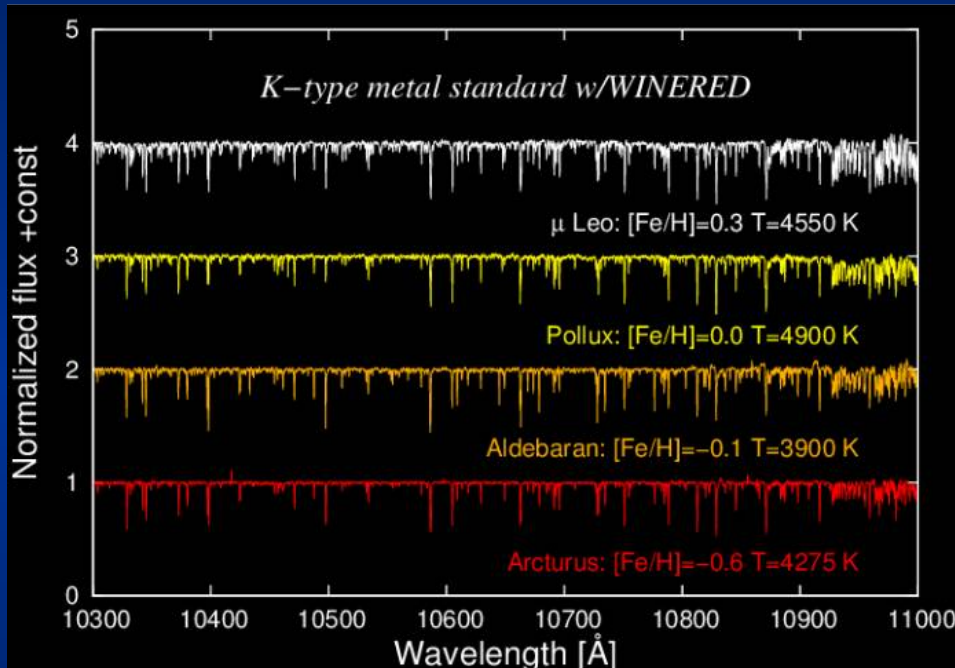


NIR High-resolution Spectrographs for the TMT



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IR High-resolution Spectroscopy

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Getting into high-precision era



Three fields
w/overlap

Astronomy

天文学

Solar System (chemistry) 彗星など

Exoplanets (kinematics, chemistry)

Stars (kinematics, chemistry)

ISM (kinematics, chemistry) 星間ガス

Star Formation (kinematics, chemistry)

Mass-loss Stars (kinematics, chemistry)

Galactic nuclei G.C. (kinematics)

IGM (kinematics, chemistry) 銀河間ガス

Almost all
Astronomy fields

Short IR (<2.5 μ m)

Re-ionization era (chemistry)

Cosmic expansion (kinematics)

Physical constants

Physics

物理学

Thermal IR (>2.5 μ m)

Astrochemistry

Astrobiology (bio-marker)

Chemistry / Biology

化学・生物学

TMT



1-6 μ m IR High-resolution Spectrograph In the world (before 2011)

©Only few instruments have been available for long time....

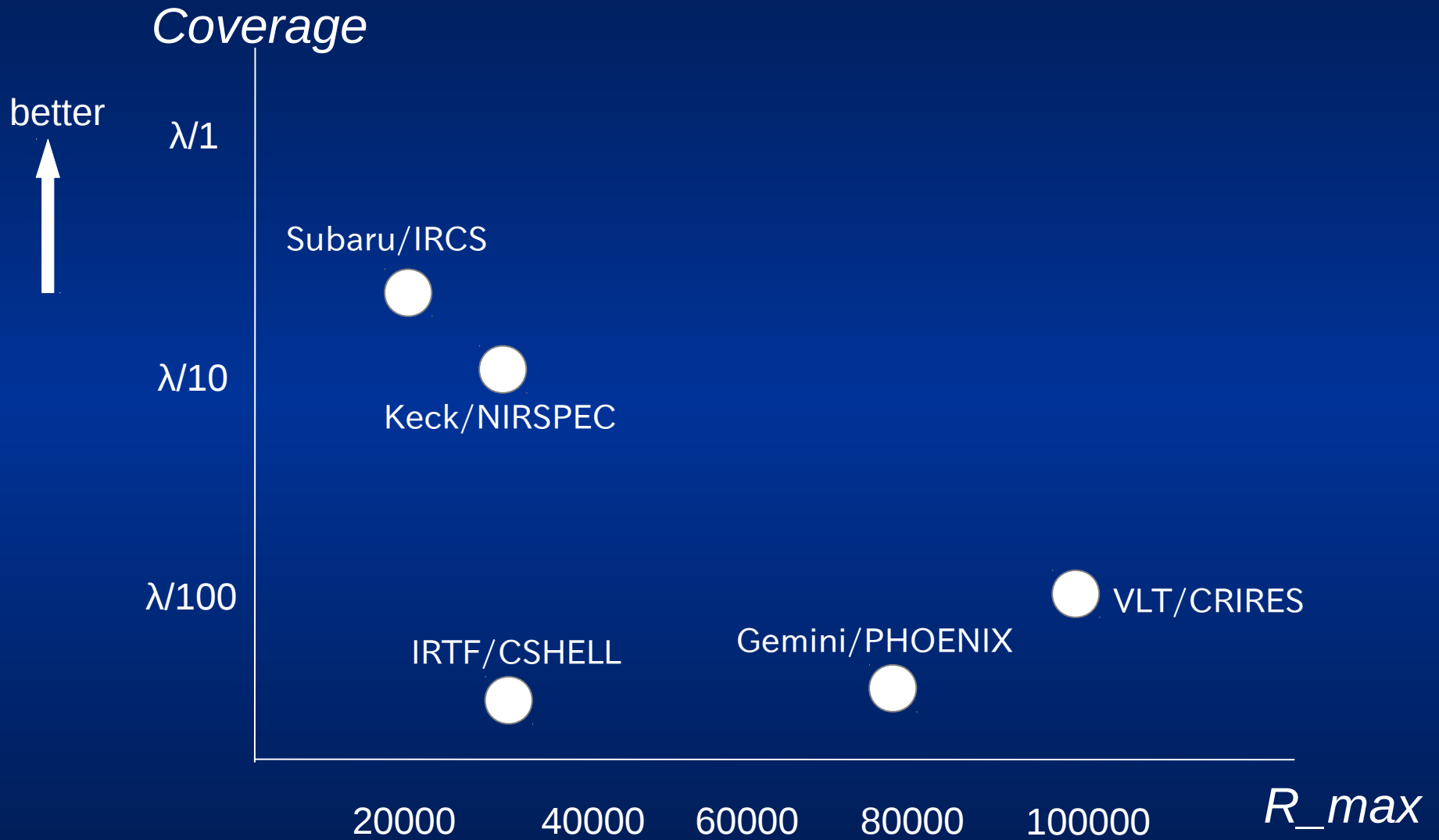
Sorted by R_max

Instrument	Telescope	λ [μ m]	R_max	Slit w.	Coverage
CRIRES	VLT 8m w/NGSAO	1-5.5	100,000	0".2	$\lambda/70$
PHOENIX	Gemini 8m	1-5.5	80,000	0".2	$\lambda/200$
NIRSPEC	Keck 10m w/LGSAO	1-5.5	30,000	0".3	$\lambda/10$
CSHELL	IRTF 3m	1-5.5	30,000	0".5	$\lambda/240$
IRCS	Subaru 8m w/LGSAO	1-5.5	22,000	0".15	$\lambda/6.5$

•Little coverage

•Started w/8m-class telescopes, which has a larger budget

Before 2011



1-6 μ m IR High-resolution Spectrograph

Newly commissioned (after 2011-)

©The number of NIR HRSGs is rapidly increasing

©Clear trend of wider wavelength coverage with large format IR array

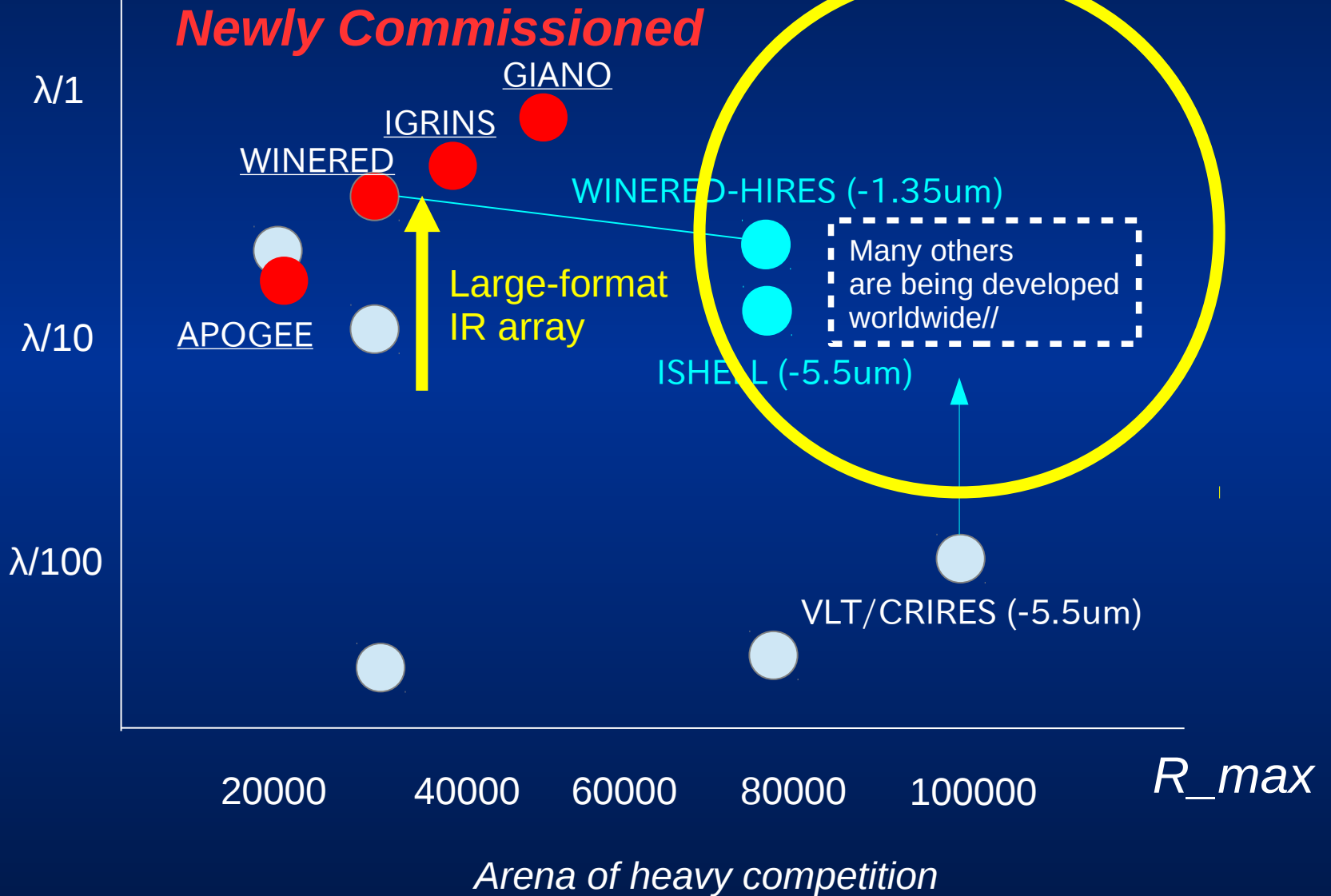
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iSHELL*	IRTF 3m	1.3-5.5	80,000	0".25	$\lambda/10$
GIANO	TNG 3.5m	0.9-2.5	50,000	0".5	$\lambda/1.3$
IGRINS*	HJST(McD) 2.7m	1.4-2.4	40,000	0".68	$\lambda/2$
WINERED	Any1-10m	0.9-1.4	28,000	0".2-0".6	$\lambda/3$
WINERED**	w/high-throughput		80,000		$\lambda/6$
APOGEE	SDSS 2.5m w/300 fibers	1.5-1.7	22,500	0".5 ?	$\lambda/8$

*: w/immersion grating, **:w/high-blazed echelle

●Expanded to smaller telescopes (for long-term observations)

After 2011

Coverage



Three New Directions



Diversity?

Specific features are required for cutting-edge results//

1. Extremely-wide λ coverage GIANO@TNG

→ *Radial velocity search, object classification*

Pros: No. of lines, Cons: throughput

2. Multi-objects w/fibers SDSS-APOGEE

→ *Field stars (bulge, disk), globular clusters, dSph...*

Pros: No. of objects, Cons: modal noise (fringe)?

3. High sensitivity WINERED

→ *Highest-z objects, fainter objects*

Pros: sensitivity/clean spectra, Cons: smaller coverage

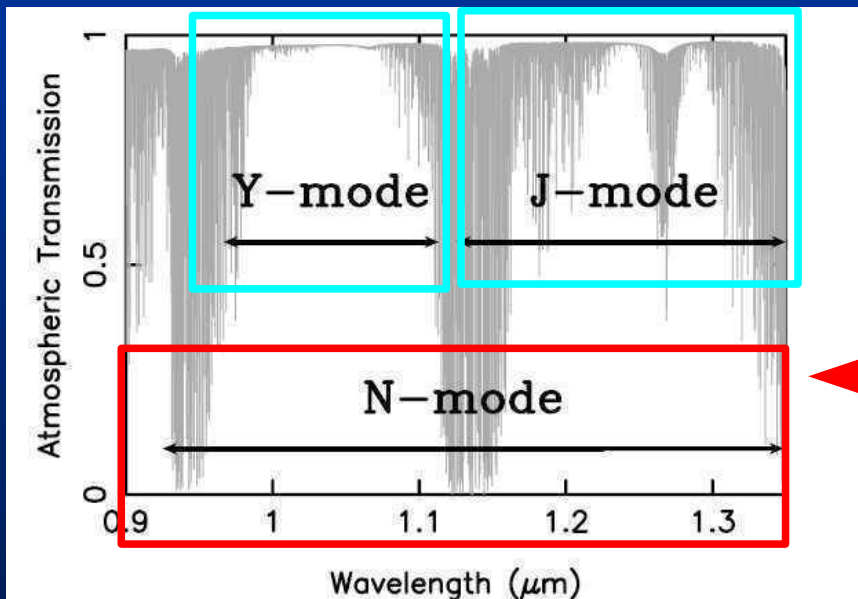
WINERED by LiH (U.of Tokyo & Kyoto S.U.)

(First-light on May 2012, now under normal operation)

Ikeda+2016, in prep for SPIE

Specifications

- * Limiting the λ -coverage to shorter NIR (0.9-1.4 μ m) “*niche*”
 - * Non-cryogenic optics except for the camera. “*unusual*”
- Very high optical throughput (~50% w/Q.E.) “*double*”



High res-mode

R~80,000

w/high-blazed(R5.3) echelle
(Just commissioned
in June AY2016)

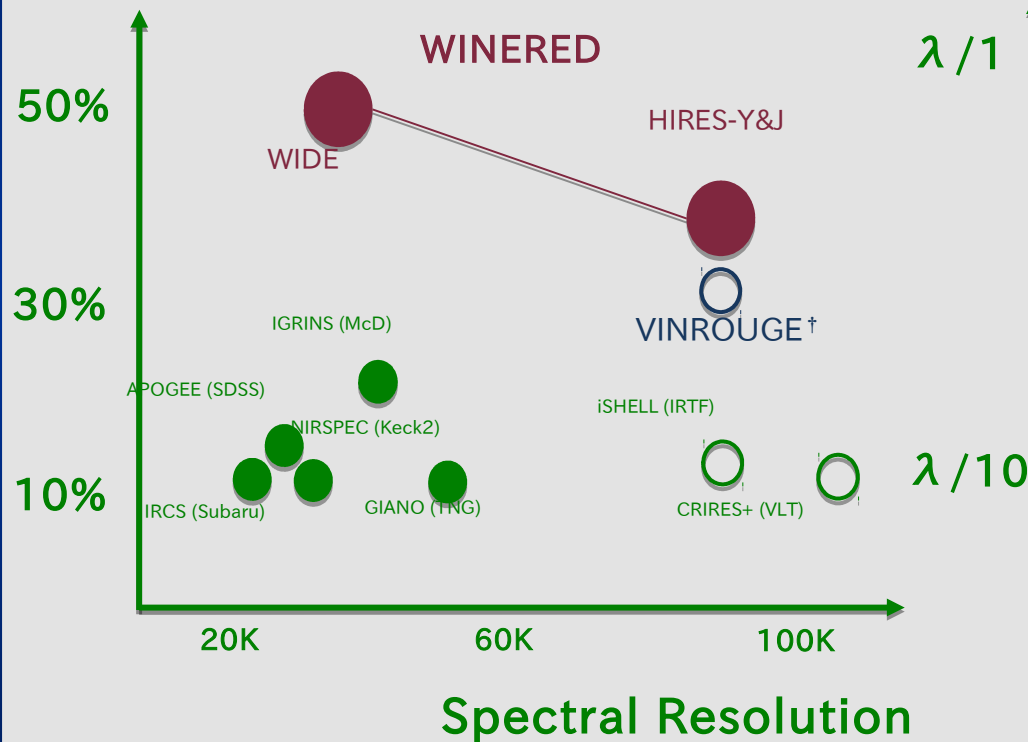
Wide-mode

R~30,000

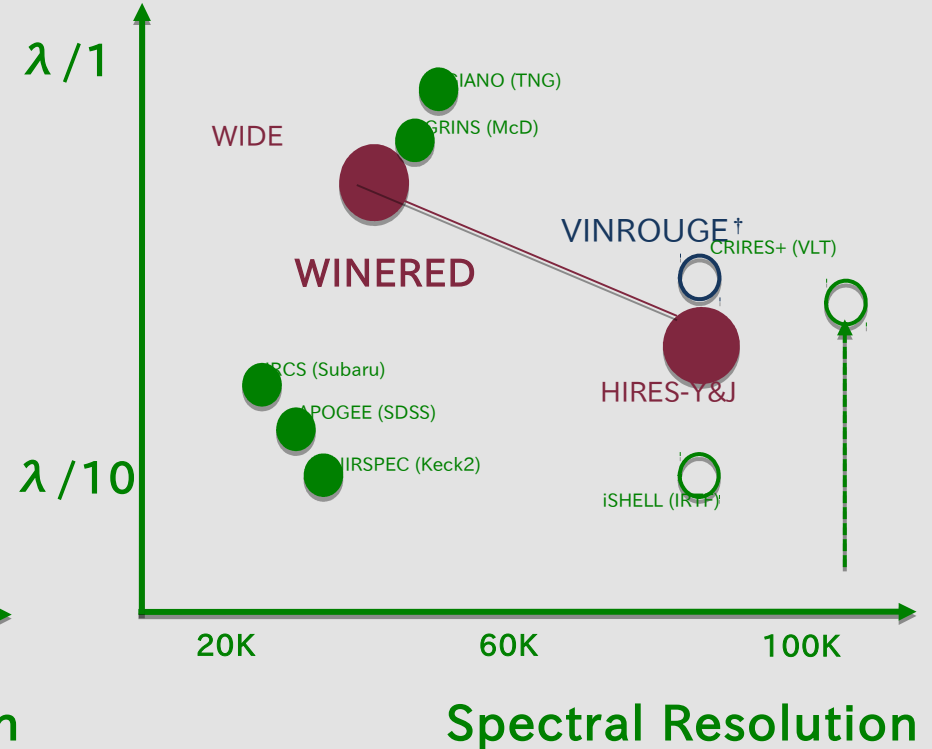
w/R2 echelle



Throughput



Coverage[‡]



For commissioned instruments as of Y2015 (open circles show instruments close to commissioning).

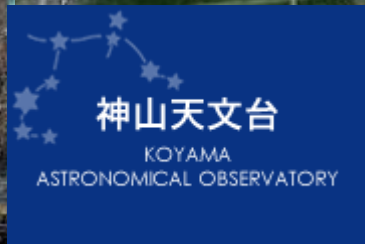
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LiH (Laboratory of infrared High-resolution spectroscopy) at Koyama Astromical Observatory (Kyoto Sangyo Univ.)

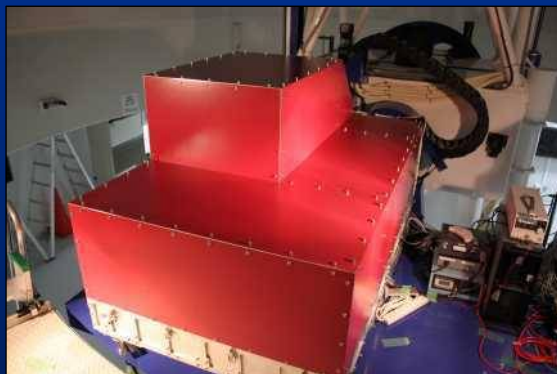


Koyama Observatory w/telescope and LiH labs

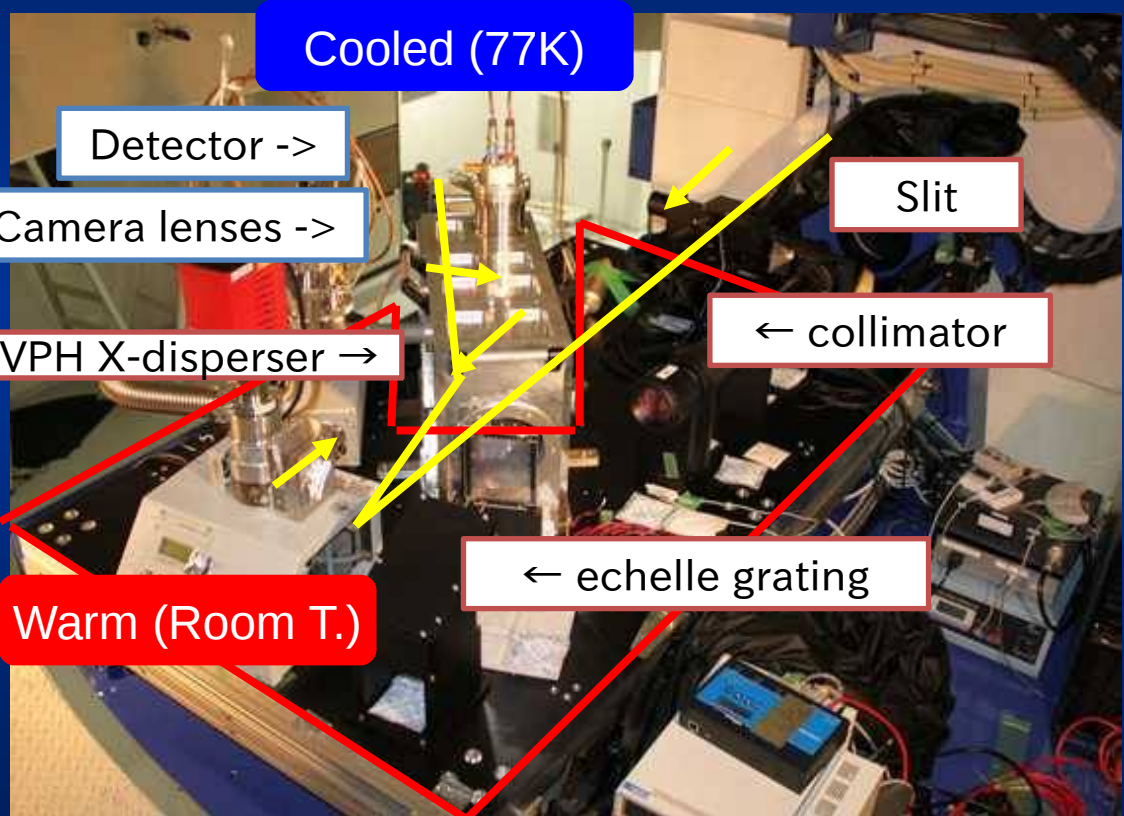




Kyoto Sangyo U. 1.3 m telescope
(in the middle of the city)



WINERED



Inside WINERED

2D Spectra

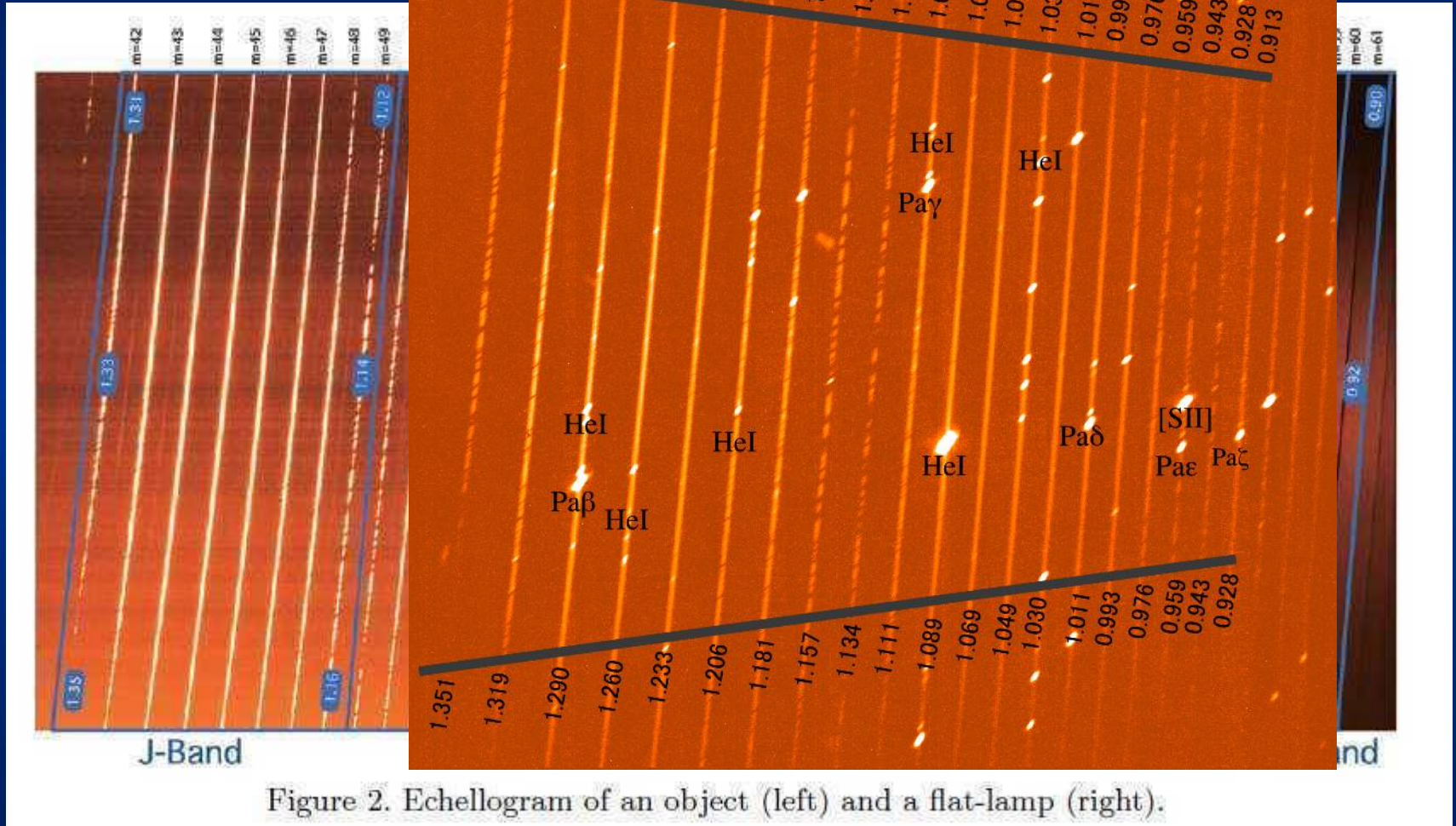
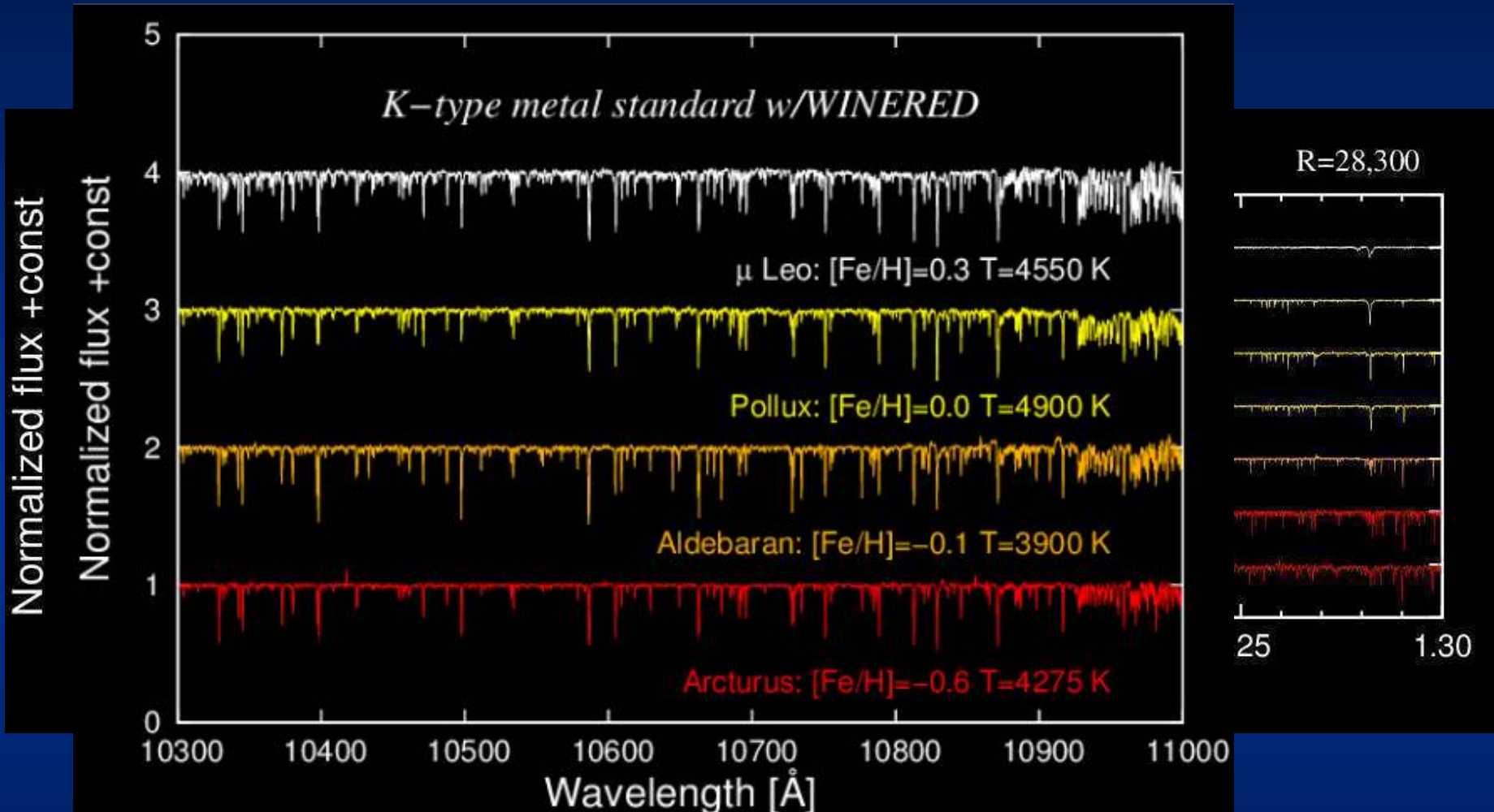


Figure 2. Echellogram of an object (left) and a flat-lamp (right).

Wide coverage (0.9-1.35um) w/2kx2k HAWAII 2RG array



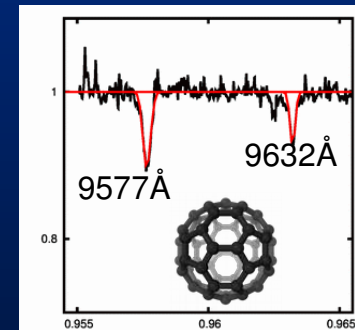
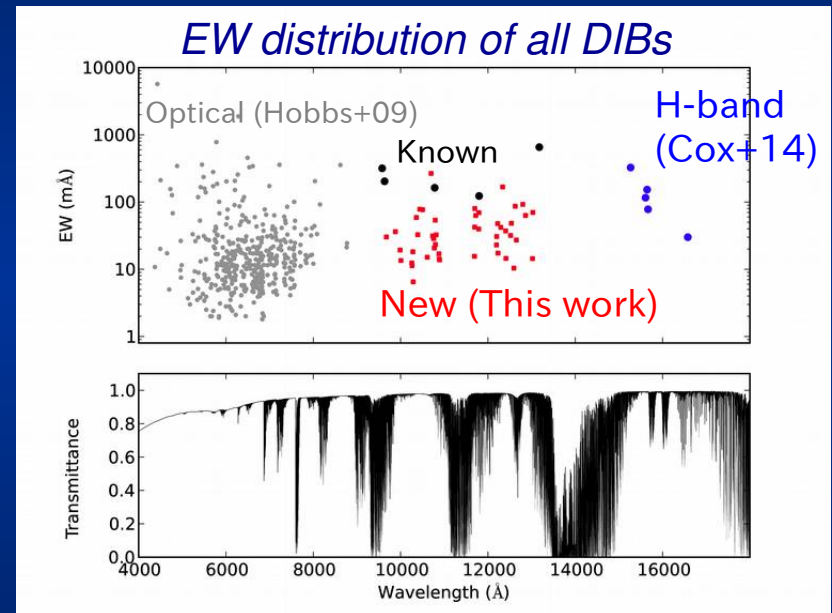
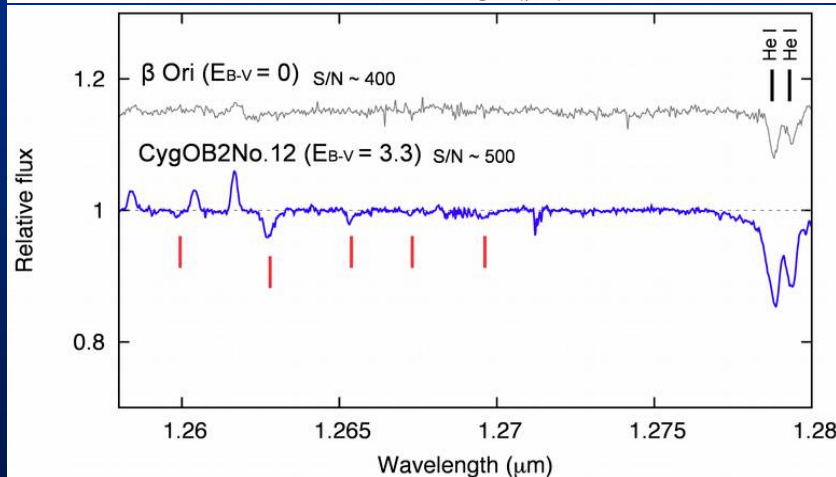
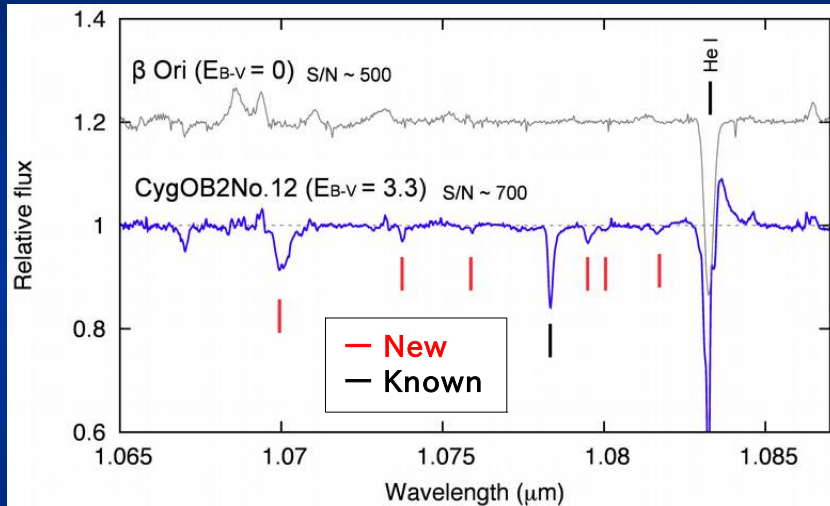
Kondo+2016, in prep

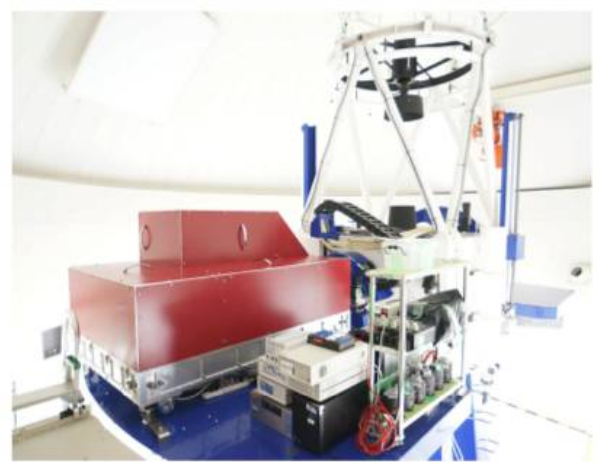
Spectra with high-quality close to those of optical HRS ($S/N > 300$)

NIR Diffuse interstellar bands (DIBs)

Hamano+2015, ApJ, 800,137, Hamano+2016, ApJ, 821,42, Hamano+2016, in prep.

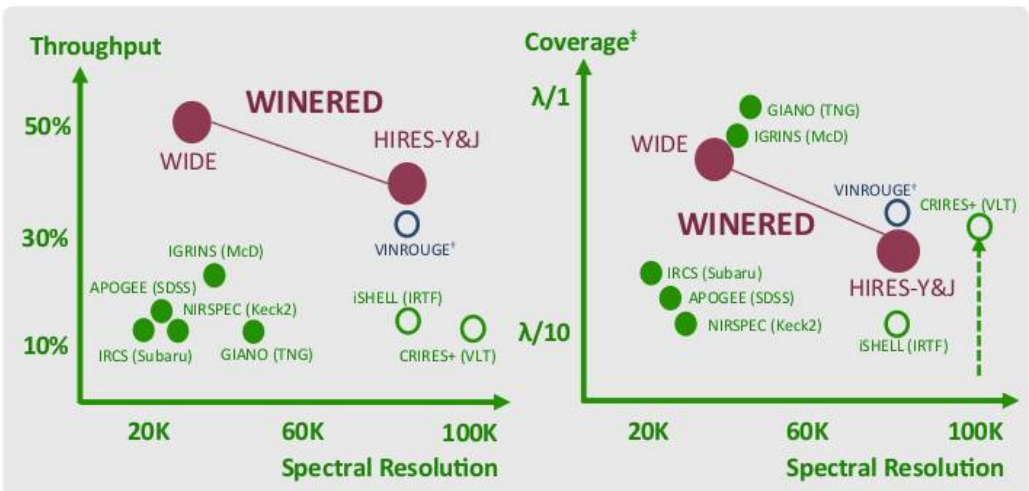
- Systematic search for DIBs in NIR region w/WINERED (S/N=300-700) to identify many new faint NIR DIBs in 0.9-1.35 micron (~50 so far)





WINERED (Warm INfrared Echelle spectrograph to Realize Extreme Dispersion and sensitivity) is a near-infrared high-resolution spectrograph developed by LiH. WINERED has three distinctive features: warm optics (no cold stop), wide spectral coverage (0.90–1.35 μm), and high sensitivity. WINERED has three observing modes: “WIDE” ($R_{\text{max}}=30,000$) and “HIRES-Y&J” ($R_{\text{max}}=80,000$); the latter employs a specially designed high-blazed echelle grating. HIRES-Y&J modes are going to be in science operation by the middle of Y2016. WINERED is a PI-type instrument, which can be attached to various telescopes with a Nasmyth focus.

“**Laboratory of Infrared High-resolution spectroscopy**” (LiH) was established at the Koyama Astronomical Observatory, Kyoto Sangyo University, in collaboration with the University of Tokyo and other domestic institutes/industries, for pursuing astrophysics, astrochemistry, astrobiology and planetary sciences as well as instrumentation, based on high-resolution spectroscopic techniques in infrared wavelength region.



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Mode	WIDE	HIRES-Y	HIRES-J
Wavelength coverage	0.90 – 1.35 μm (z, Y, J bands)	0.96 – 1.11 μm (Y band)	1.14 – 1.35 μm (J band)
Spectral resolution ($R \equiv \lambda/\Delta\lambda$)	30,000 (max)	80,000 (max) [†]	
Throughput	> 50%	> 35%	
Main disperser	Reflective echelle grating	Mosaicked high-blazed echelle grating	
Array	1.7 μm cut-off HAWAII-2RG		
Size	1.75m(L) x 1.07m(W) x 0.50m(H)		

[†]: Due to the characteristics of high-blazed echelle grating, R ranges from 70,000 to 80,000 in each cross-disperser order.

Telescope	4 m (f/11)		6.5 m (f/11)		10 m (f/11)	
Slit width	0.49 arcsec		0.30 arcsec		0.19 arcsec	
Slit length	14.6 arcsec		9.00 arcsec		5.85 arcsec	
Pixel scale	0.245 arcsec / pix		0.150 arcsec / pix		0.098 arcsec / pix	
J-band limiting magnitude [†]	16.7 (WIDE)	15.5 (HIRES)	17.1 (WIDE)	15.9 (HIRES)	19.2 [‡] (WIDE)	17.9 [‡] (HIRES)

[†]: S/N = 3σ, integration time = 8 hrs.
[‡]: Assuming the use of adaptive optics.

Warm optics with no cold stop

- Optics are at room temperature except for the infrared camera system (camera lenses and an infrared array).
- Beneficial to reduce time and cost for development, alignment, and maintenance.

Wide spectral coverage

Achieved by a combination of decent optical design with a cross-dispersed echelle and a large format infrared array (2k x 2k).

High sensitivity

High throughput

- Gratings with high diffraction efficiency
 - WIDE mode: replica echelle grating by Newport Co. (~83%), VPH cross-disperser (~86%).
 - HIRES-Y&J modes: high-blazed echelle gratings by Canon Inc. (>70%), VPH cross-dispersers (~90%).
- Extremely-low reflection BBAR: R < 0.5% per lens surface.
- The minimum number of optical elements: no-use of white pupil optics.
- High Q.E. of an array: 1.7 μ m cut-off HAWAII-2RG (~86% @1.23 μ m).

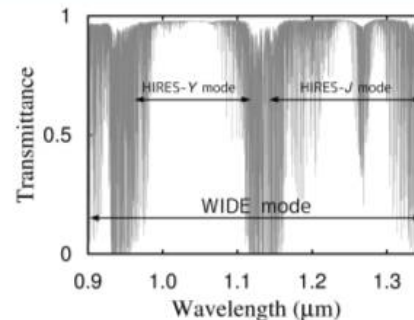
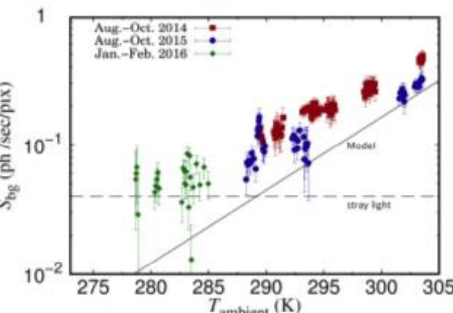
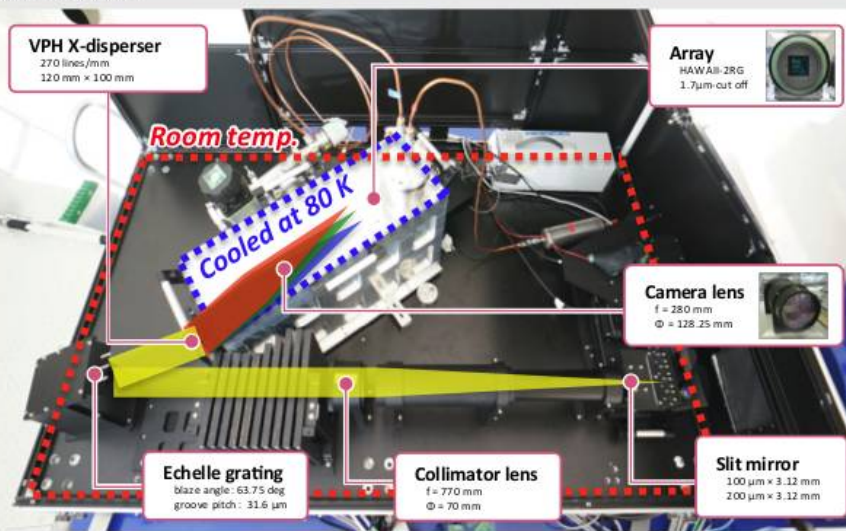
Low noise

- Low readout noise: 5.3 e⁻, rms (NDR=32). Low-dark noise: < 2 e⁻, rms (900sec)
- Suppressed ambient thermal background (0.05e⁻/sec/pix @280 K) with custom thermal-cut filters.

PI-type spectrograph

- Compact [1.8m(L) x 1.1m(W) x 1.0m(H)] and light weight [~250kg].
- Attachable to any telescopes with a Nasmyth focus (slower than f/11).

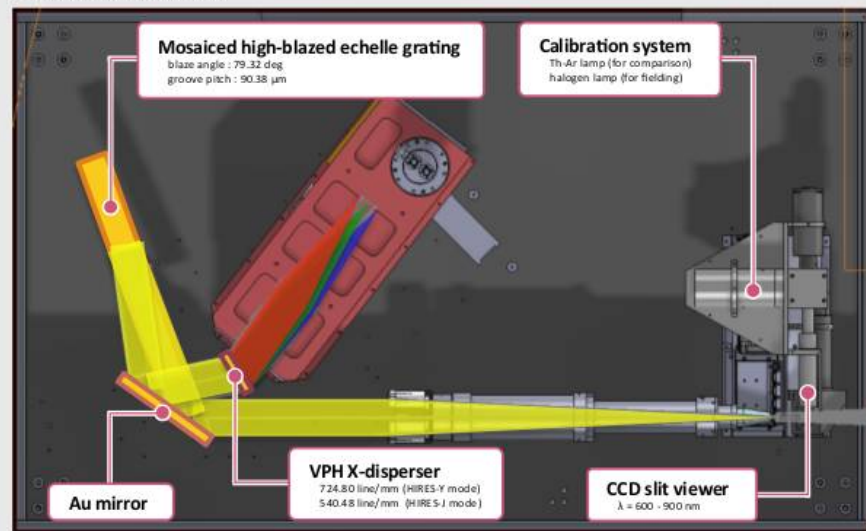
WIDE mode



Left: The measured thermal background radiation reaching the array for various the ambient temperatures. The difference of plots shows different season. The solid line is a predicted flux with an assumption that the ambient environment is the black body. The dashed lines is the level of measured stray light in the cryostat.

Right: Wavelength coverages of all the WINERED modes superimposed on an atmospheric transmission curve.

HIRES-Y&J modes



Quality of spectra

- The high-sensitivity of WINERED enables us to obtain NIR high-resolution spectra with high signal-to-noise ratio in much shorter time, or bring us to unexplored faint-end by NIR high-resolution spectroscopy. For example, WINERED mounted on a 10-m telescope equipped with AO can be used for the study of the absorption line systems of $z > 6$ QSOs or GRBs ($J > 18$ mag).
- In HIRES-Y&J modes, the spectral resolution ranges from $R=70,000$ to $80,000$ due to the non-linearity of dispersion of high-blazed echelle grating.

Data reduction pipeline

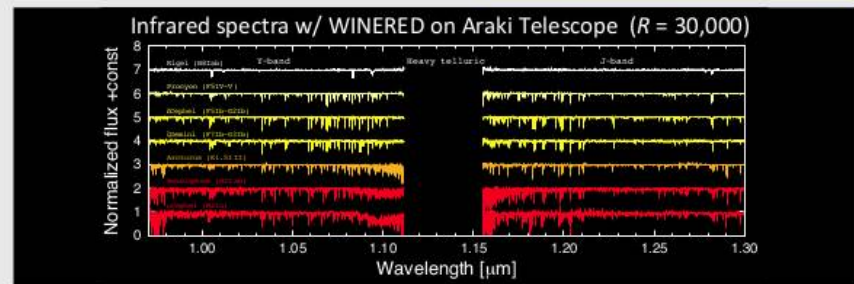
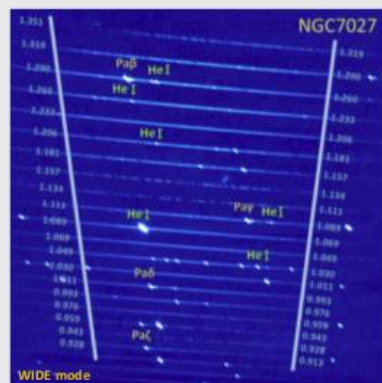
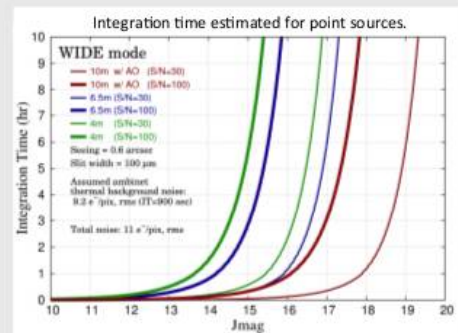
- We developed the WINERED data-reduction pipeline, which automatically produces 1D spectra from raw data in less than 20 minutes/frame.
- Automatic correction for telluric absorption, which is mandatory for infrared spectroscopy, is under development and is planned to be incorporated into the WINERED data-reduction pipeline.

Observation

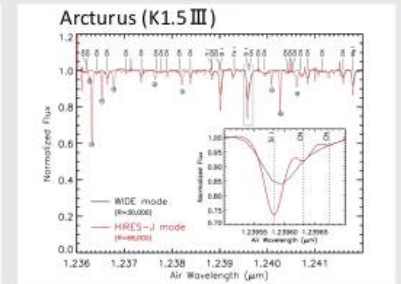
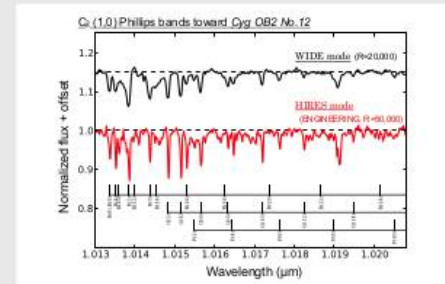
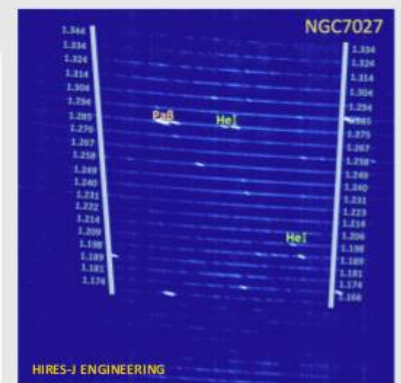
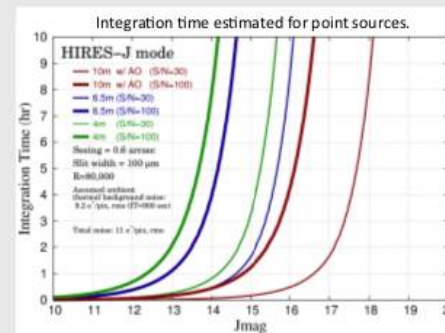
- Observers can select one of the three modes (WIDE, HIRES-Y&J) depending on their priority on spectral resolution¹ and wavelength coverage².
- Two slits of 100 μm -width ($R=R_{\text{max}}$; 2-pix sampling) and 200 μm -width ($R=0.5 \cdot R_{\text{max}}$; 4-pix sampling) are available.
- A sophisticated user interface customized for WINERED enables efficient observations.

1. Note that the WIDE and HIRES-Y&J modes cannot be switched during the observing night to avoid any hardware trouble.
 2. In HIRES mode, the wavelength coverage can be changed between Y- and J-bands via GUI.

WIDE mode



HIRES-Y&J modes



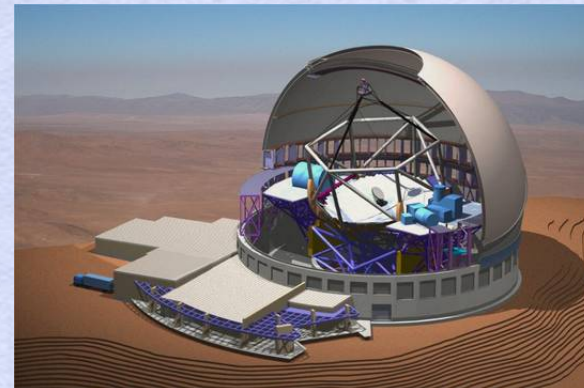
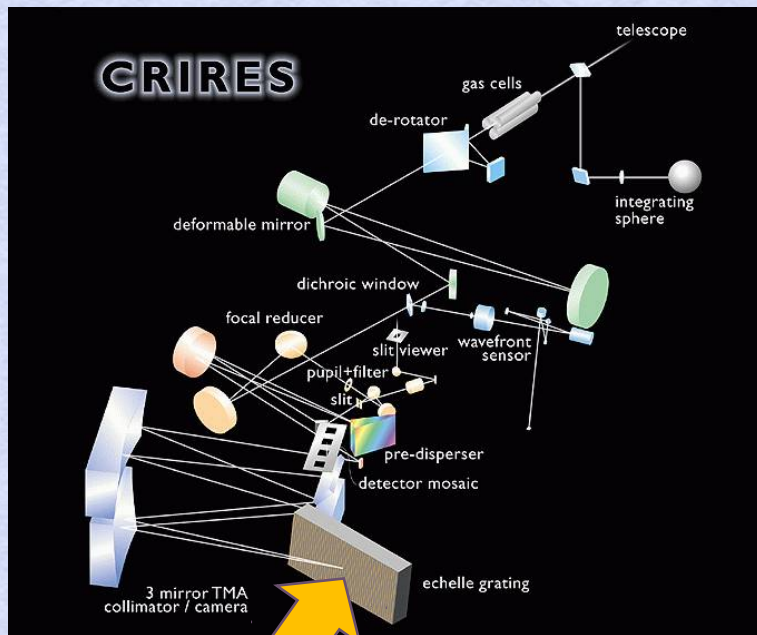
Problems for large telescopes

- Huge grating/instrument required

$$R_{\max} = \frac{\lambda}{\Delta\lambda} = \frac{2n\Phi \tan\theta}{Ds}$$

e.g., CRIRES/VLT ($R_{\max}=100,000$) grating
 → simple scale-up to D=30m telescope

~ 400mm
 ~ 1400mm(!!)



→ Some novel technique is necessary//

Two possible solutions

1) High-blazed echelle grating

$$R_{\max} = \frac{\lambda}{\Delta\lambda} = \frac{2n\Phi \tan\theta}{Ds}$$

Ikeda 2008

“High blazed UV excimer laser grating can be applied to NIR echelle”
→ WINERED, IRD@Subaru, etc.

$\theta=64\text{deg}$ → $\tan\theta=2$ “R2-grating” (standard)

$\theta=75\text{deg}$ → $\tan\theta=3.7$

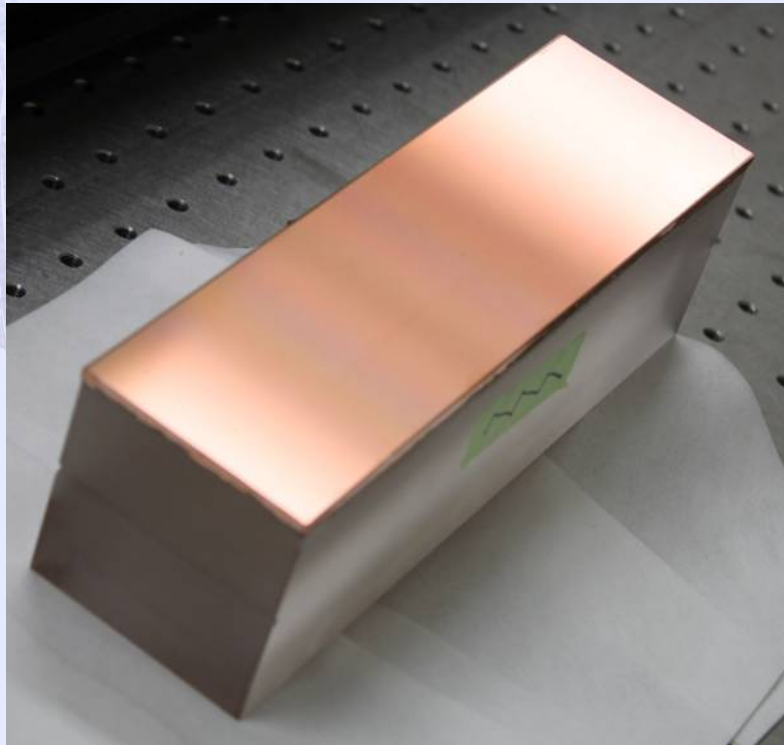
$\theta=83\text{deg}$ → $\tan\theta=8$...maybe possible @CANON



R5.3 gratings (master)
By CANON

High-blazed echelle grating for WINERED

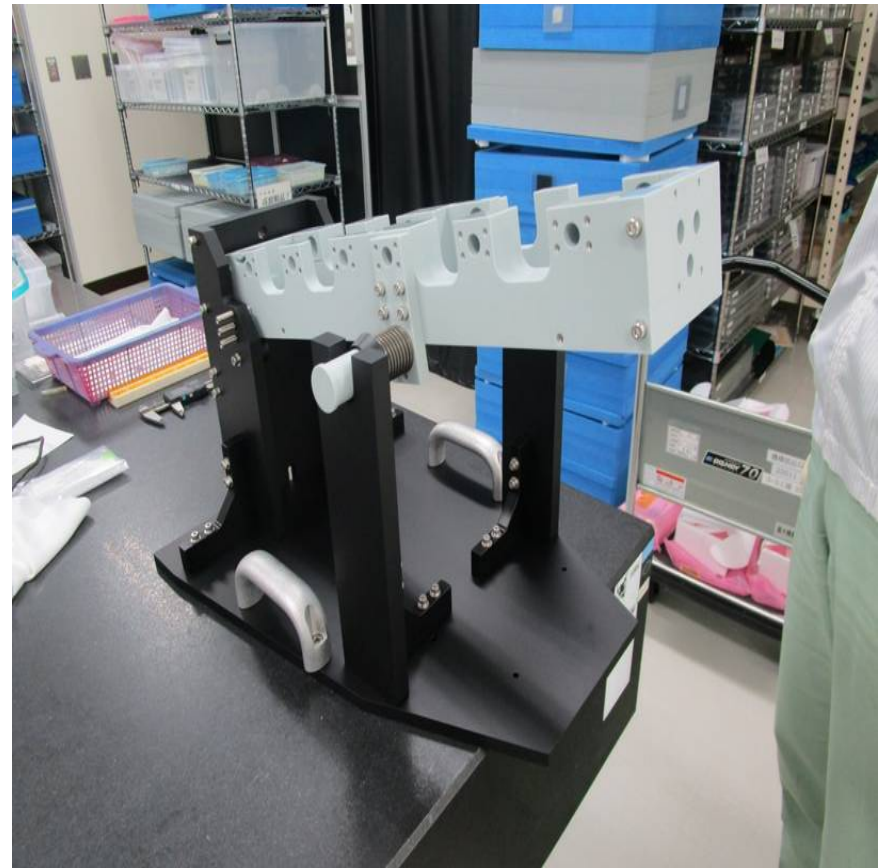
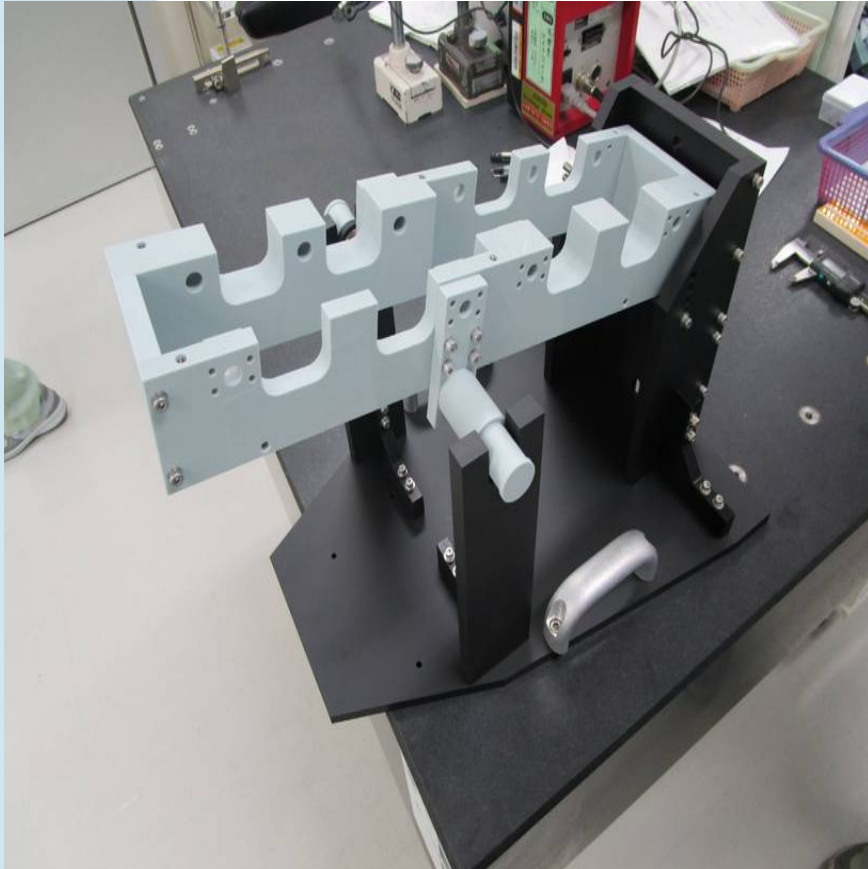
By Photocoding, CANON, and LiH (Otsubo+2016, SPIE)



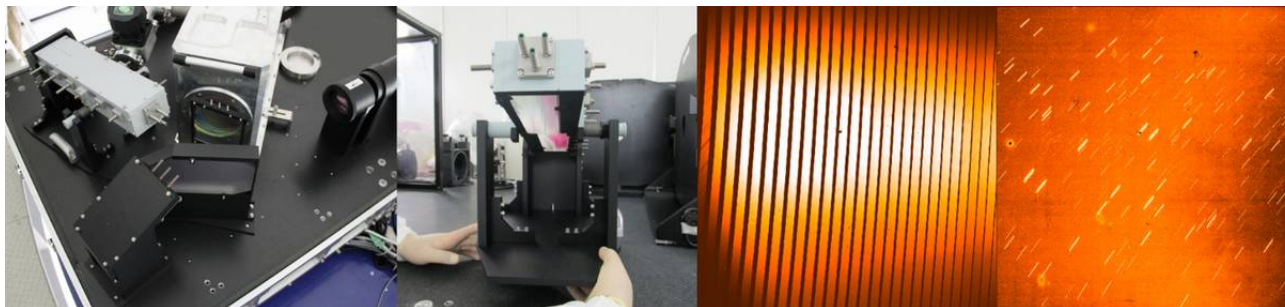
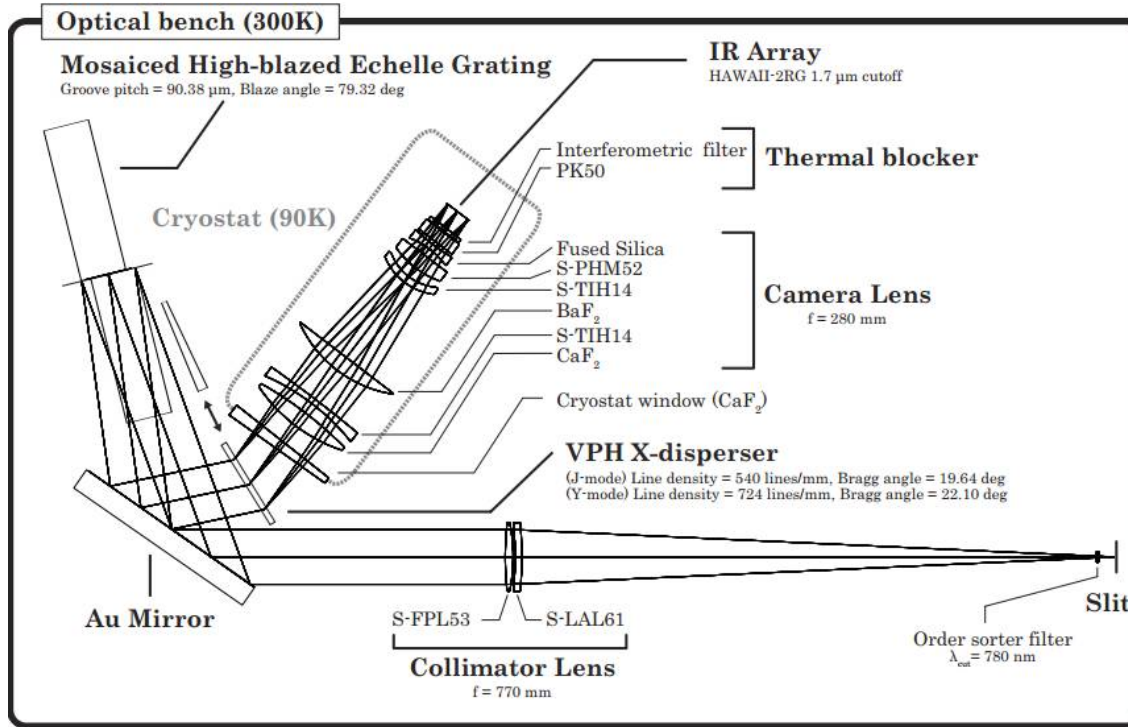
	Specificatins
blaze	79.32° (R5.3)
pitch	90.38 μ m
Apex angle	88°
Pitch error	< 8nm (rms)
Surface irregularity	< 150nm (PV), < 30nm (rms)
Surface roughness	RMS < 10nm
Roland ghost	< 0.1%
Efficiency	> 70%max @1.5um
coating	protected Ag
size	400mm× 60mm × 60mm 200mm L x2 mosaic

Efficiency close to the theoretical limit

High-blazed echelle grating holder: Corderite+Al(A5052)



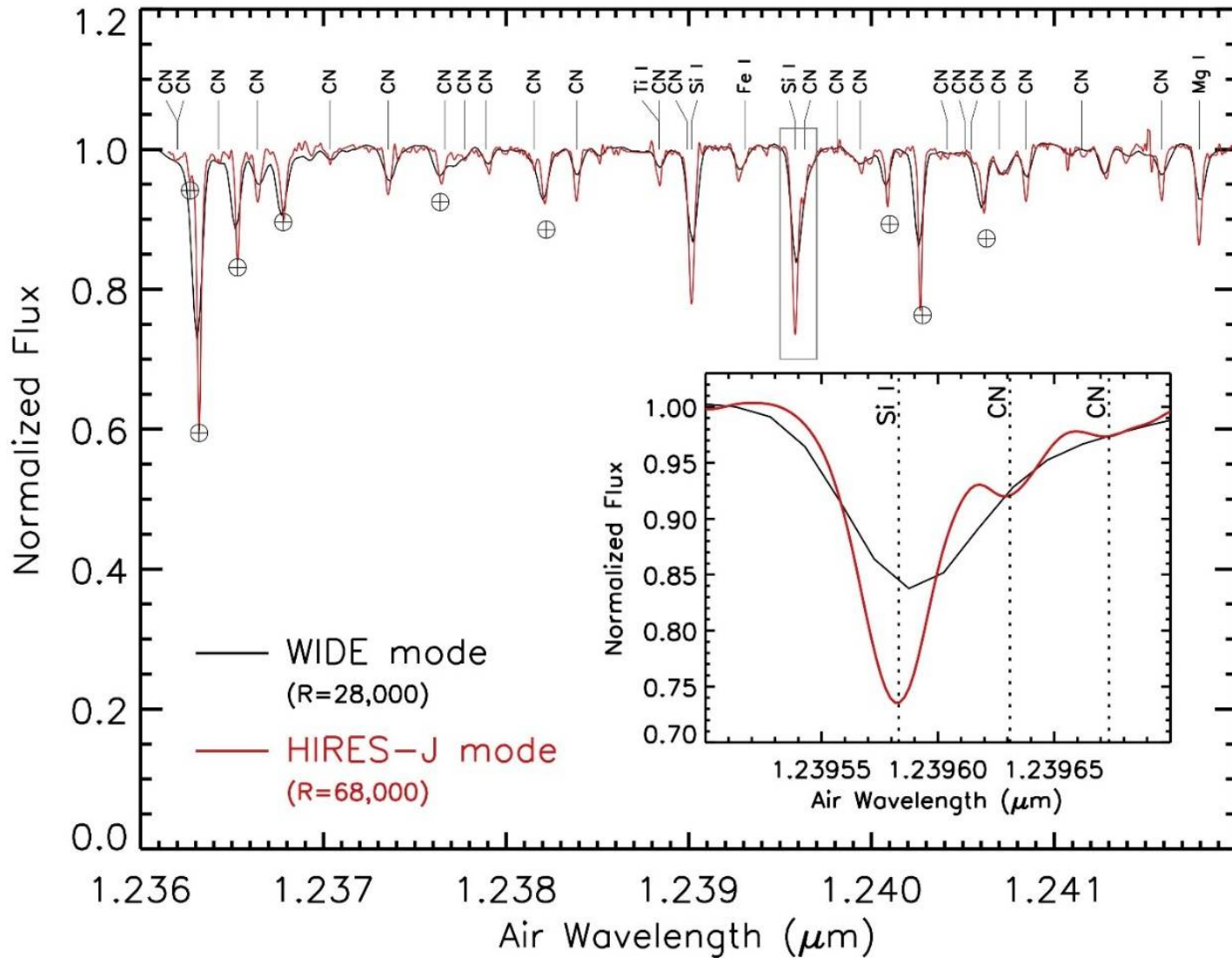
WINERED: Hires-J&Y modes



flat field

arc lamp

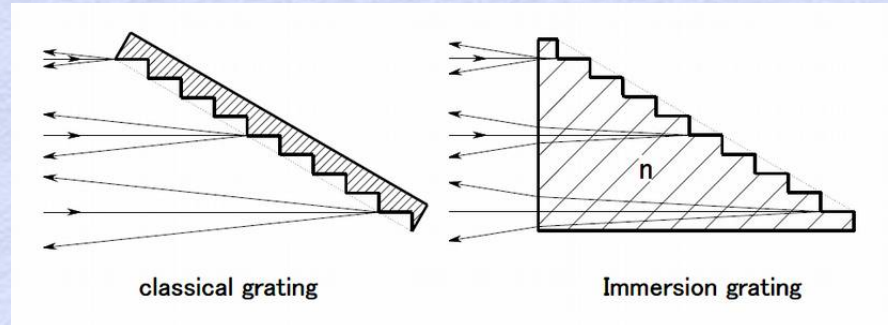
First light spectrum (Arcturus)



Two possible solutions

2) Immersion grating

$$R_{\max} = \frac{\lambda}{\Delta\lambda} = \frac{nD \tan\theta}{Ds}$$



Idea is simple:

If diffraction surface is immersed in a medium of refractive index n , wavelength shrinks by $1/n$ that effectively increases the angular dispersion by n -times.

→ you can get either

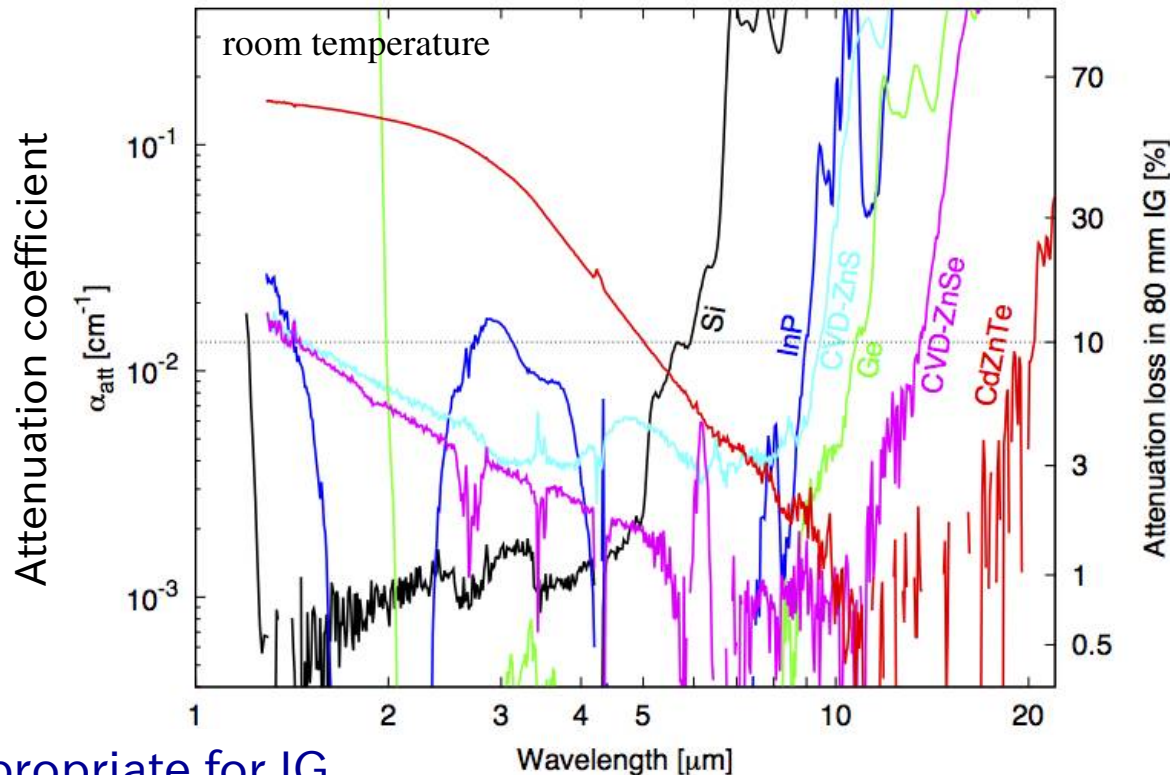
n -times higher spectral resolution or

$1/n$ -th smaller instrument with the same resolution

Candidate materials

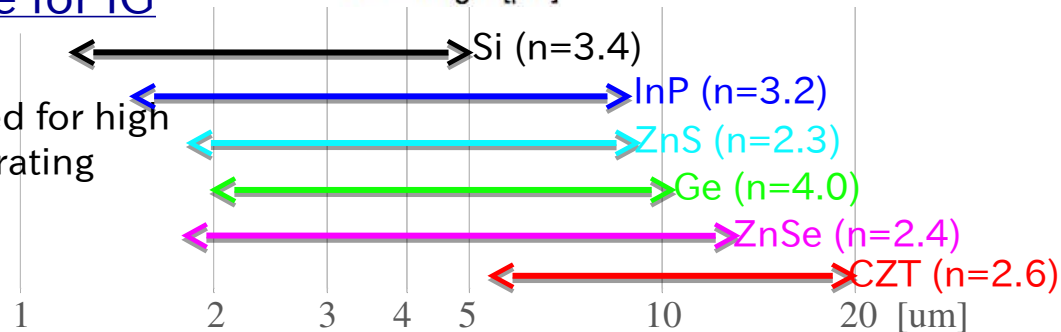
Kaji+2014,SPIE
Sarugaku+2016,SPIE

Attenuation coefficients of IR materials



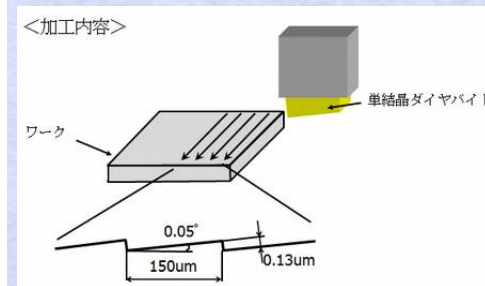
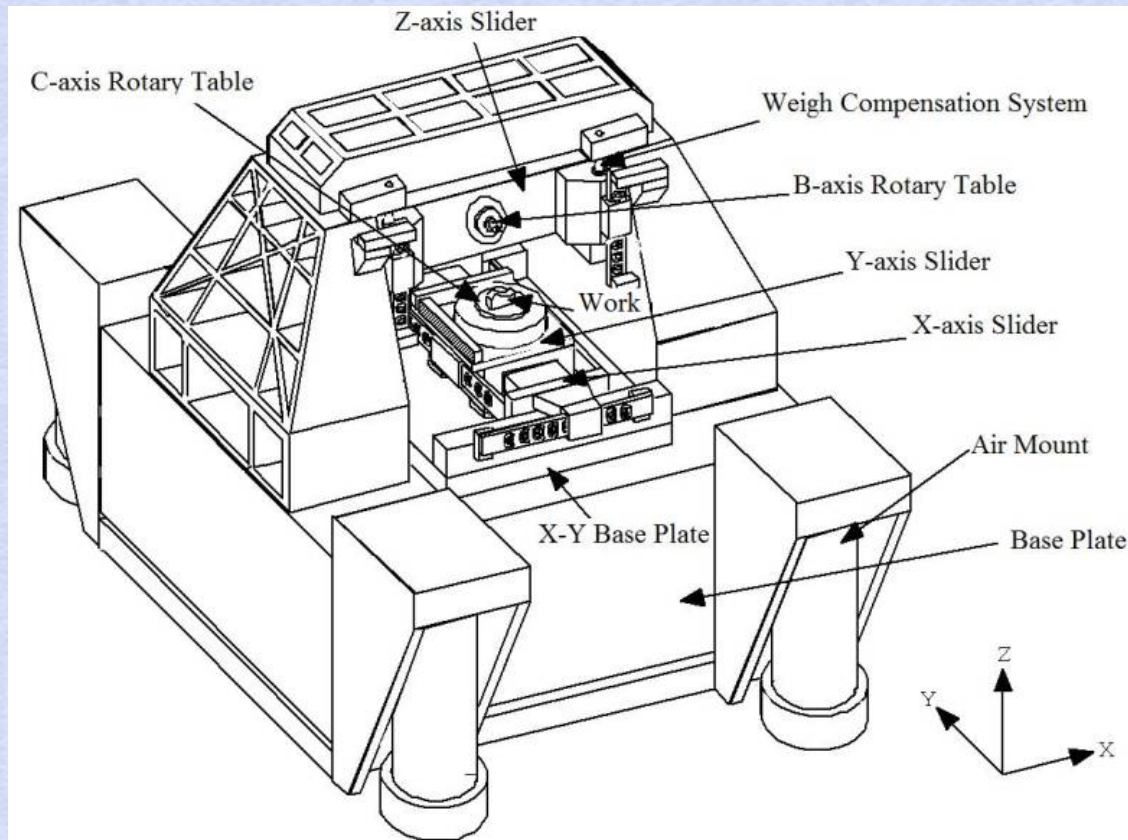
Material appropriate for IG

$\alpha < 0.01 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ is required for high efficiency immersion grating



Planing w/A-FORMER @CANON Inc. (Sukegawa+2012)

- Diamond-cutting machine with *planing* (“shaper”)
- Temperature control/laser feedback
- Nano-meter precision* with actively controlled cutter placement
...also cutting is quite fast compared to other machining methods



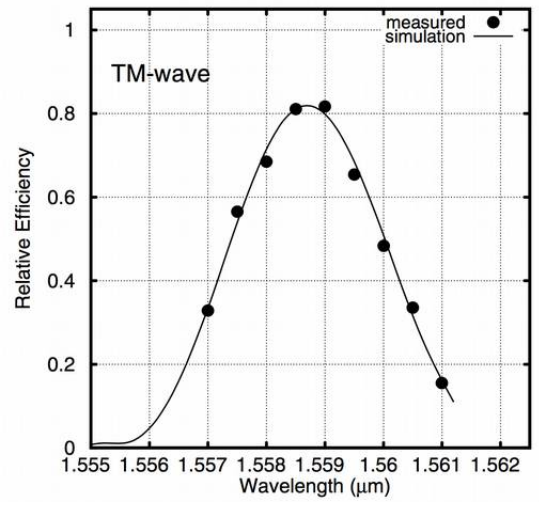
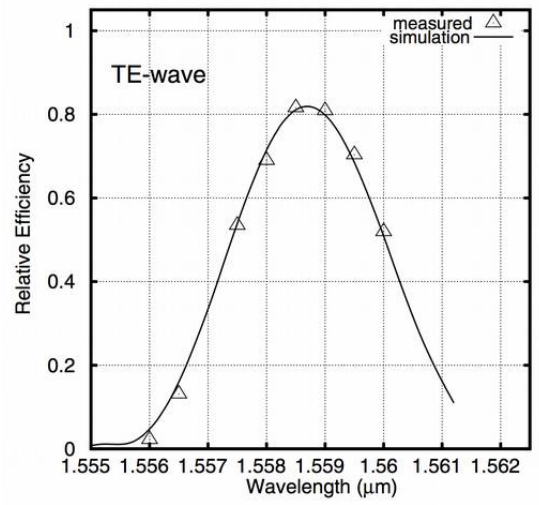
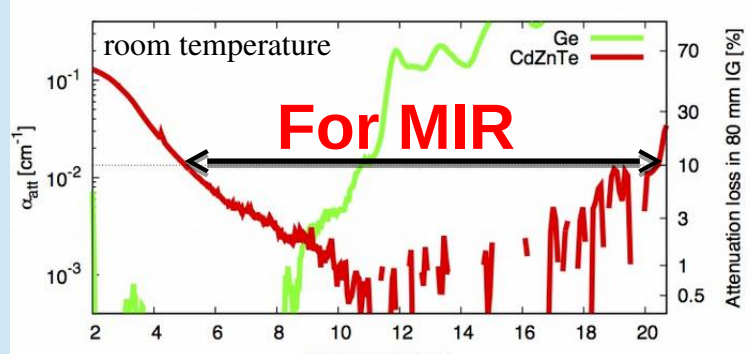
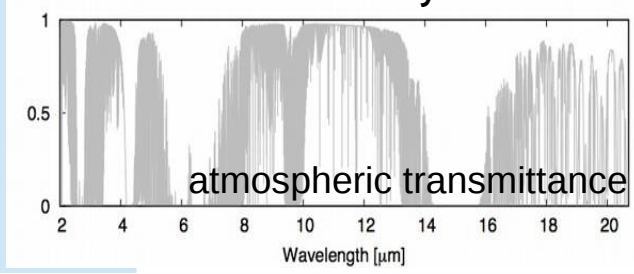
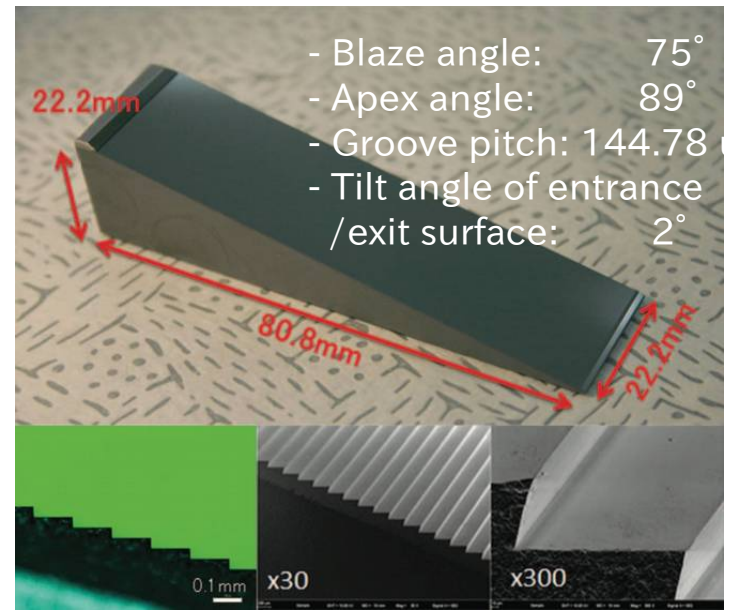
A-FORMER
@CANON

Sukegawa+2012

CZT-IG by CANON, Photocoding & LiH

First machine-cut immersion grating

- ✓ **Material:** single crystal CdZnTe ($n=2.7$)
- ✓ **Available wavelength:** 5-20 μm
- ✓ **Processing:** Machining
- ✓ **Coating:** non (R&D in progress)
- ✓ **Diffraction efficiency:**
> 80% at peak (relative)
Theoretically maximum efficiency



Attenuation coefficient

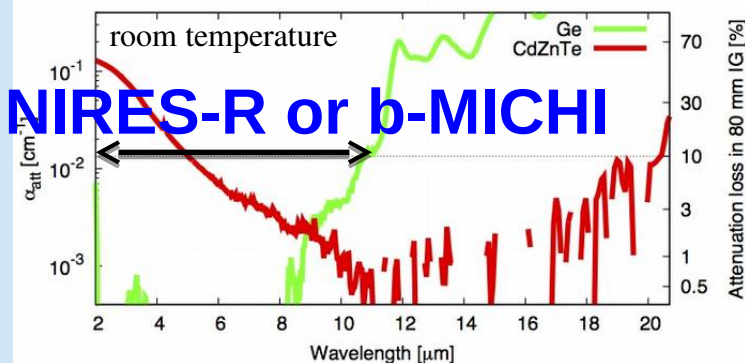
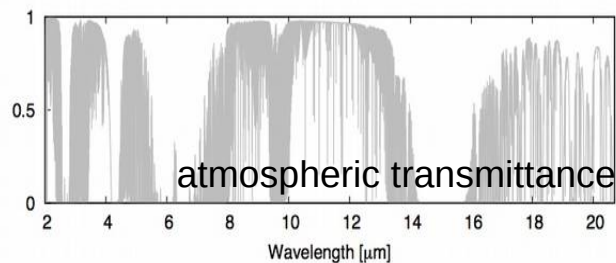
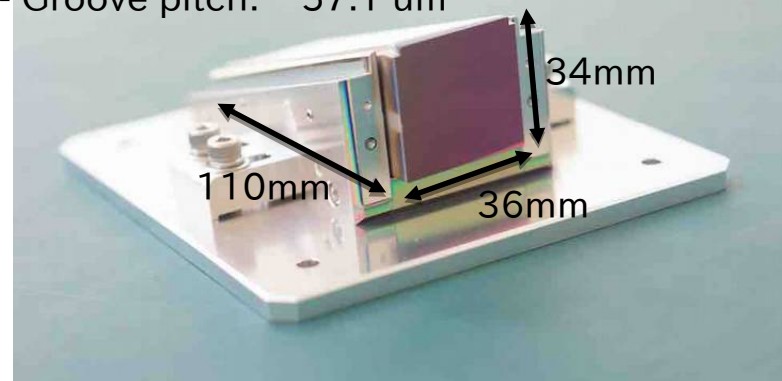
Relative diffraction efficiency

Ge-IG by CANON, Photocoding & LiH

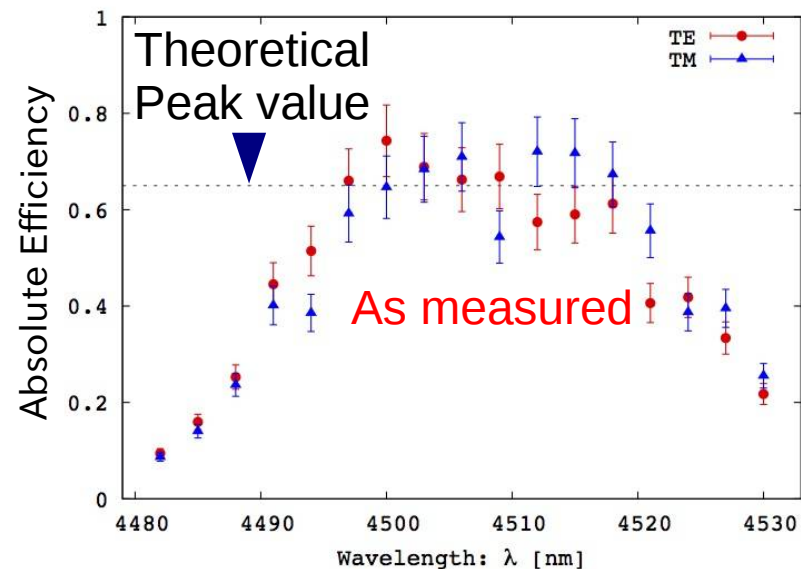
First practical Ge-immersion grating

- ✓ **Material:** single crystal Ge ($n=4.0$)
- ✓ **Available wavelength:** 2-10 μm
- ✓ **Processing:** Machining
- ✓ **Coating:** AR coat on entrance surface
metal coat on diffraction surface
- ✓ **Diffraction efficiency:**
> 65% at peak (absolute) as expected

- Blaze angle: 75° - Tilt angle of entrance
- Apex angle: 86° / exit surface: 5°
- Groove pitch: 57.1 μm



Attenuation coefficient



Absolute diffraction efficiency

VINROUGE at LiH (2014-)

Arasaki+2016, SPIE

Prototype HRS for TMT NIRES-R or b-MICHI

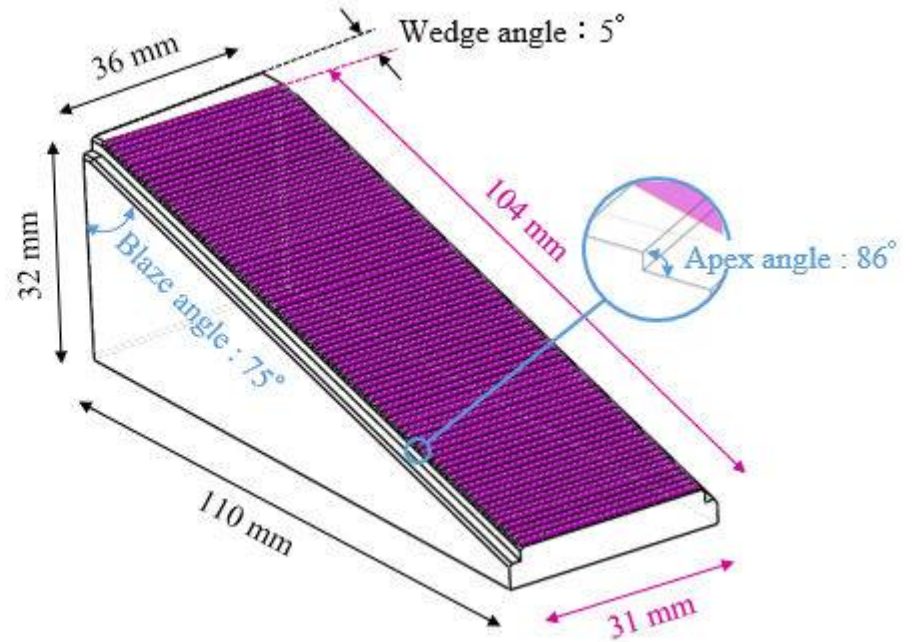
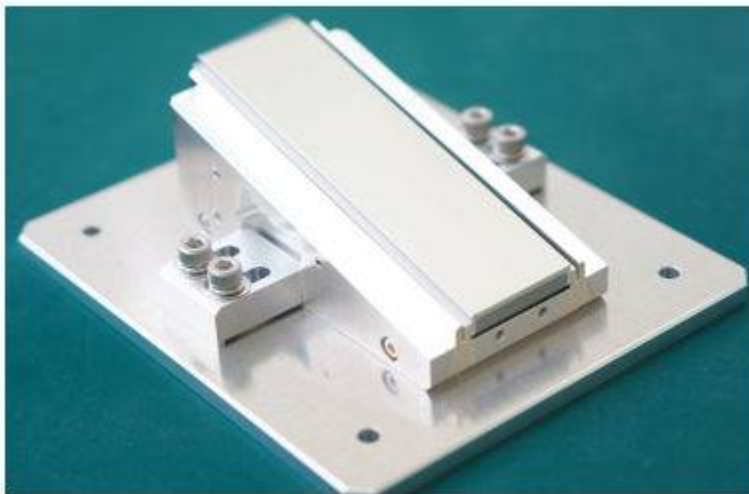
- Ge-immersion(110mm) based HRS
- 2-5.5um
- R=80,000

- Nominal slit: 0".18 x 5"-slit (case for Keck)
- Optional long slit [for observing comets]

- 2K x 2K 5.5um-cutoff H2RG array

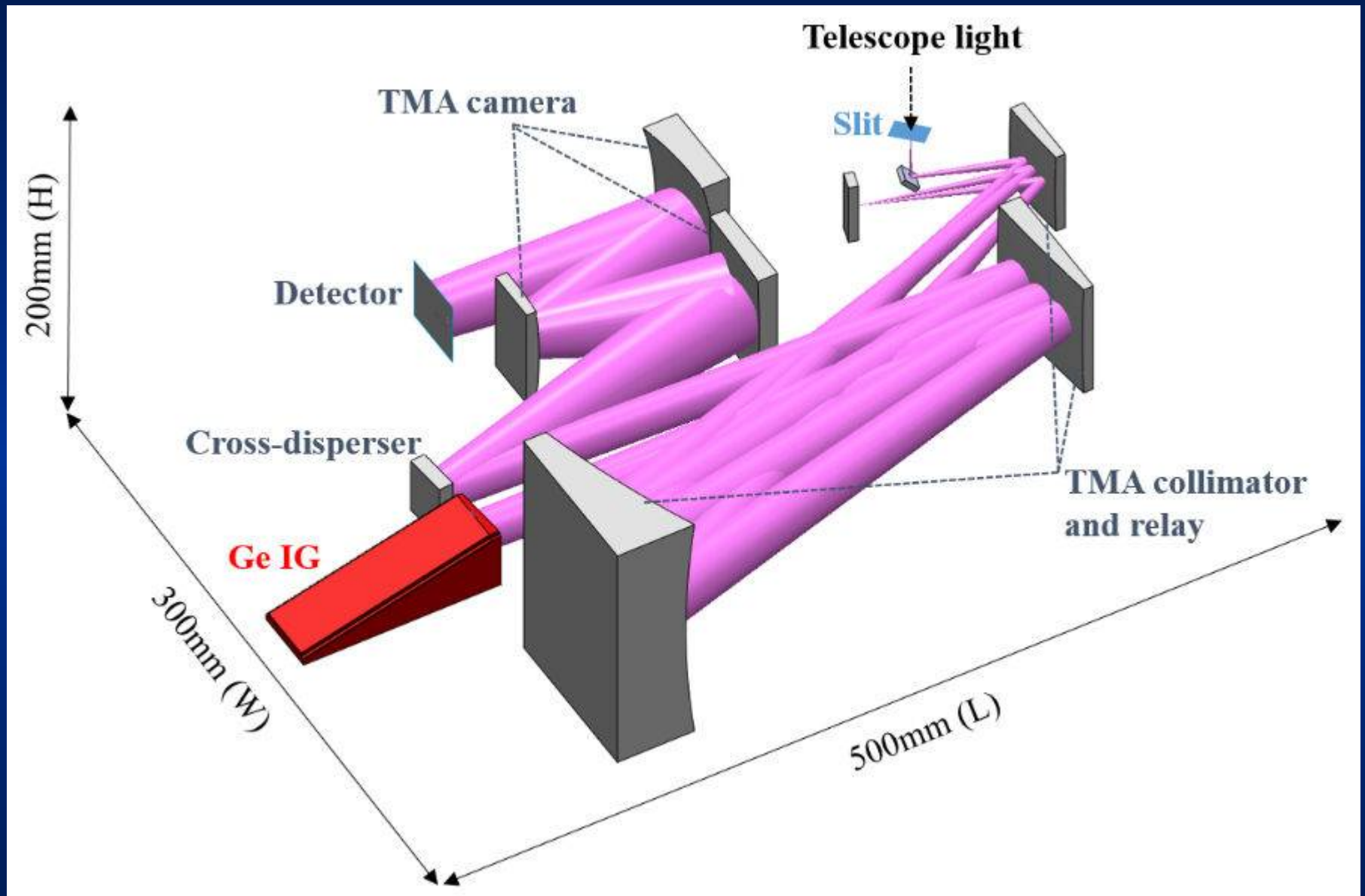
- \$3M-class instrument

- Funded by Monbu-sho (ministry) and KSU (2014-2018)



Ge-immersion grating (Sarugaku+2016)

...completed

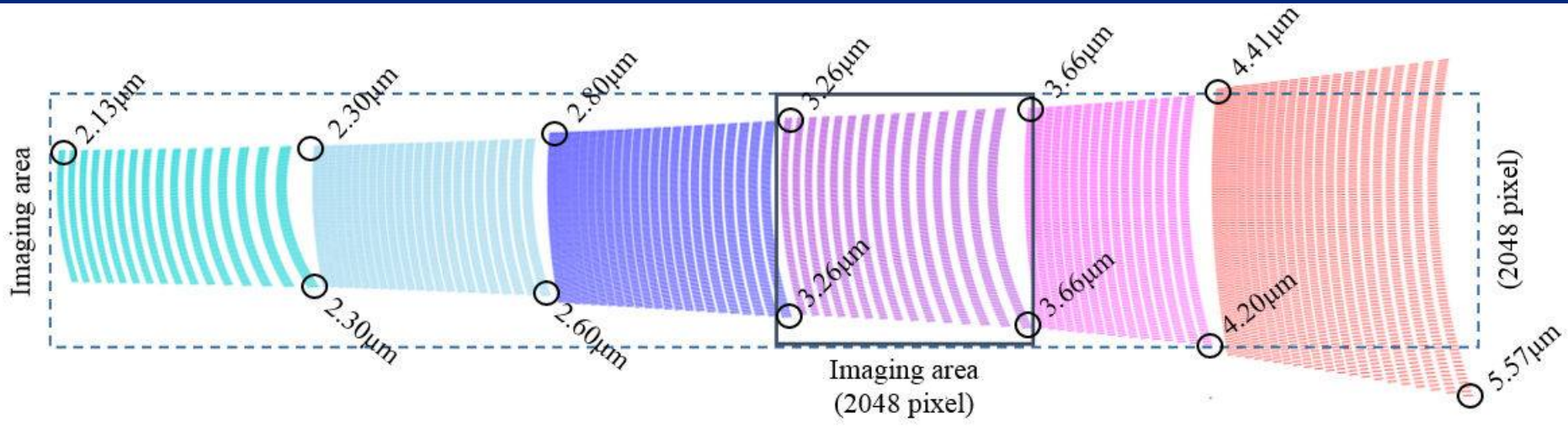


VERY compact design ...“Table size spectrograph”

K

L

M



VINROUGE spectral format (Arasaki+2016)

VINROUGE

Overview & Instrumental Facts

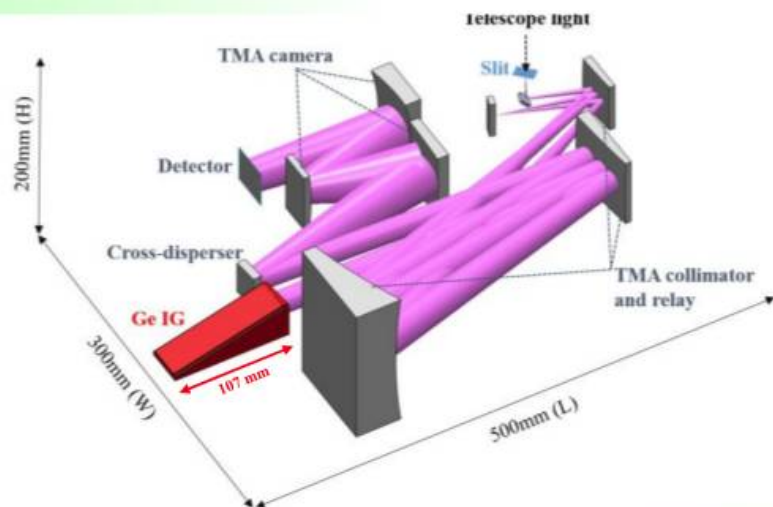
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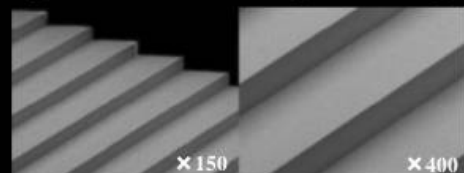
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VINROUGE (Very-compact INfrared high-ResOIution Germanium immersion Echelle spectrograph) is the first NIR high-resolution ($R = 80,000$) spectrograph utilizing high-quality Germanium immersion grating. Owing to the high-refractive index of Ge ($n = 4$), the size of VINROUGE is very compact (600mm (L) x 600mm (W) x 500mm (H)) despite the high-resolution, thus it can be attached to Cassegrain focus of any 3-8m telescopes. VINROUGE employs a white pupil type echelle spectrograph and reflective optics with high-reflective Au or Ag coating in IR, based on three mirror anastigmat (TMA) configurations. The first light of VINROUGE is expected in 2018.

OPTICAL LAYOUT



High-diffraction and high-efficiency Immersion Grating by Canon Inc.



- Material : Single crystal Germanium
- Size : 110mm(L), 34mm(W), 36mm(H)
- Blaze angle : 75 degree
- Apex angle : 86 degree
- Groove pitch : 57.1 μm
- Absolute diffraction efficiency : 65% @4.15 μm

<http://www.canon.com/news/2015/aug06e.html>

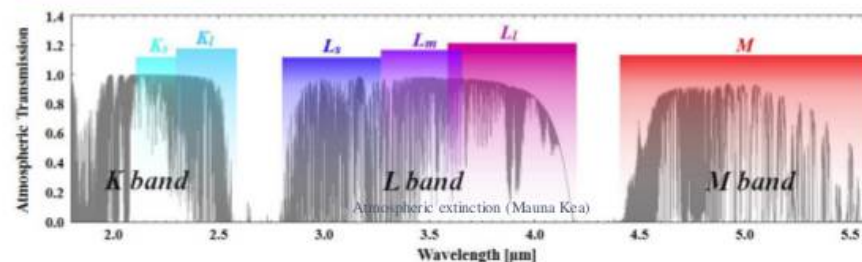
SPECIFICATIONS

Band	<i>K</i>	<i>L</i>	<i>M</i>	
Wavelength coverage	2.1-2.6 μm	2.8-4.1 μm	4.4-5.5 μm	
Spectral resolution	80,000			
Total throughput	> 25%			
Limiting magnitude ^(*1,2)	(S/N=10)	13.7 mag	12.5 mag	10.3 mag
	(S/N=100)	10.0 mag	9.0 mag	7.5 mag
Slit width × length ^(*2)	0.13 mm (0.18'') × 3.64 mm (5.0'')			
Pixel scale ^(*2)	0.07 [arcsec / pixel]			
Array	5.3 μm cutoff HAWAII-2RG			

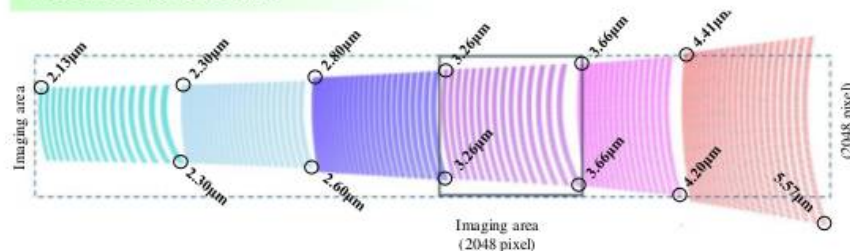
*1 The integration time of 1 hr.

*2 In case of 10m and *f*/15telescope with AO.

WAVELENGTH COVERAGES



ECHELLOGRAMS



Possible NIRES scheme @TMT (1)

○NIRES-B 0.90-1.35 μ m (0.6-octave)

R(max)=80,000-100,000

Could be expanded to 0.7 μ m

HAWAII-2 or -4RG 1.7 μ m-cutoff

NON-CRYOGENIC optics, but in vacuum (like HARPS)

High-blazed echelle + XD (VPH)

...WINERED-type

VERY HIGH SENSITIVITY

cosmology/extra-galactic stellar spectroscopy

○NIRES-G 1.40-2.50 μ m (0.8-octave)

R(max)=80,000-100,000

Could be expanded to 3 μ m

HAWAII-2 or -4RG 2.5 μ m-cutoff

Fully cryogenic

Si or InP immersion grating +XD (ref.grating or VPH)

...IGRINS/iSHELL-type

VERY COMPACT std. IR astronomy/reddened objects

Possible NIRES scheme @TMT (2)

○NIRES-R 2.1-5.5 μ m (1.5-octave) or b-MICHI

R(max)=80,000-100,000

HAWAII-2RG 5.5 μ m-cutoff x 2 or HAWAII-4RG

Fully cryogenic

Ge-immersion grating + XD (ref.grating)

...VINROUGE-type

VERY COMPACT astro-chemistry/astro-biology

- Rapid increase of background causes serious difference in integration time between short/long lambda
- Low-background AO is MUST
 - b-MICHI w/MIRAO would be adequate

Advantages

Division into two or three *decently independent* arms are:

- ☆ Good for sensitivity optimization (> 40% throughput)
(NIR wavelength range is VERY WIDE ... 2.5-octave)
- ☆ Good for project management-wise (fail-safe)
- ☆ Good for directly making use of experiences in
on-going prototypes
(short lead time, cost saving, but no-compromise in sensitivity)

Summary



1. **NIR HRSpectroscopy** with “optical-quality” is now feasible up to KLM-band.
2. **High-blazed echelle grating/immersion grating** technology is already available to realize TMT NIR HRSs with a reasonable 3D-volume.
3. We (LiH) have been developing NIR-HRSs that can be regarded as prototypes for TMT.