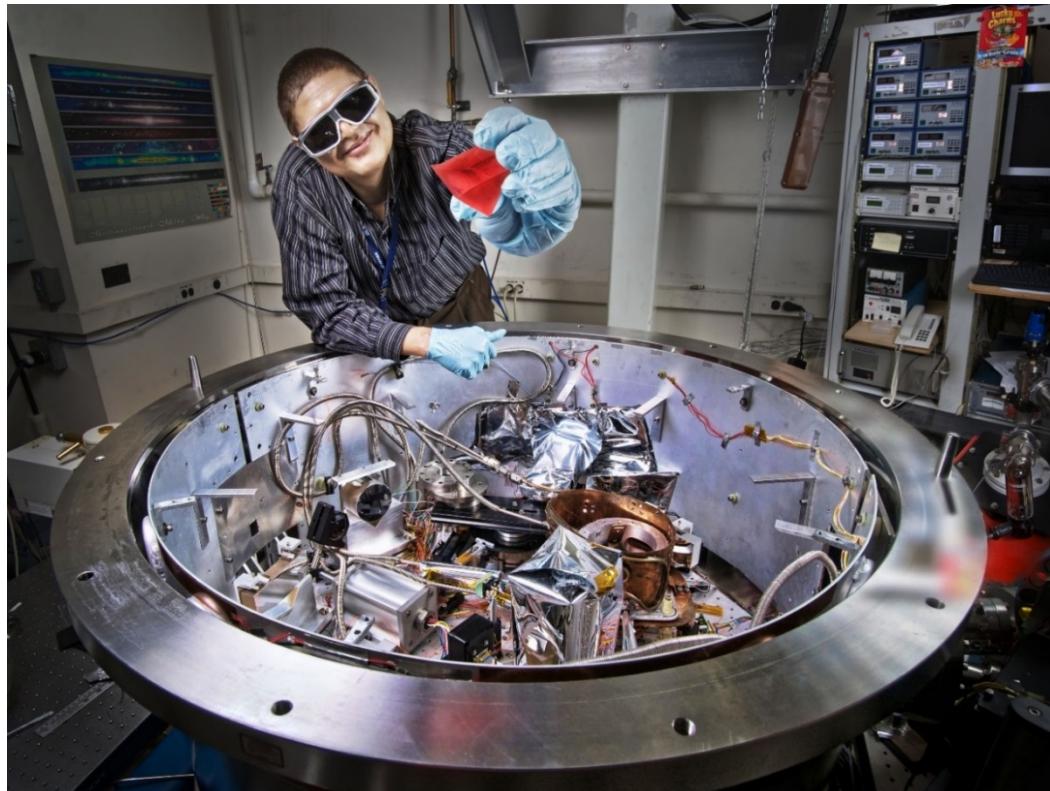


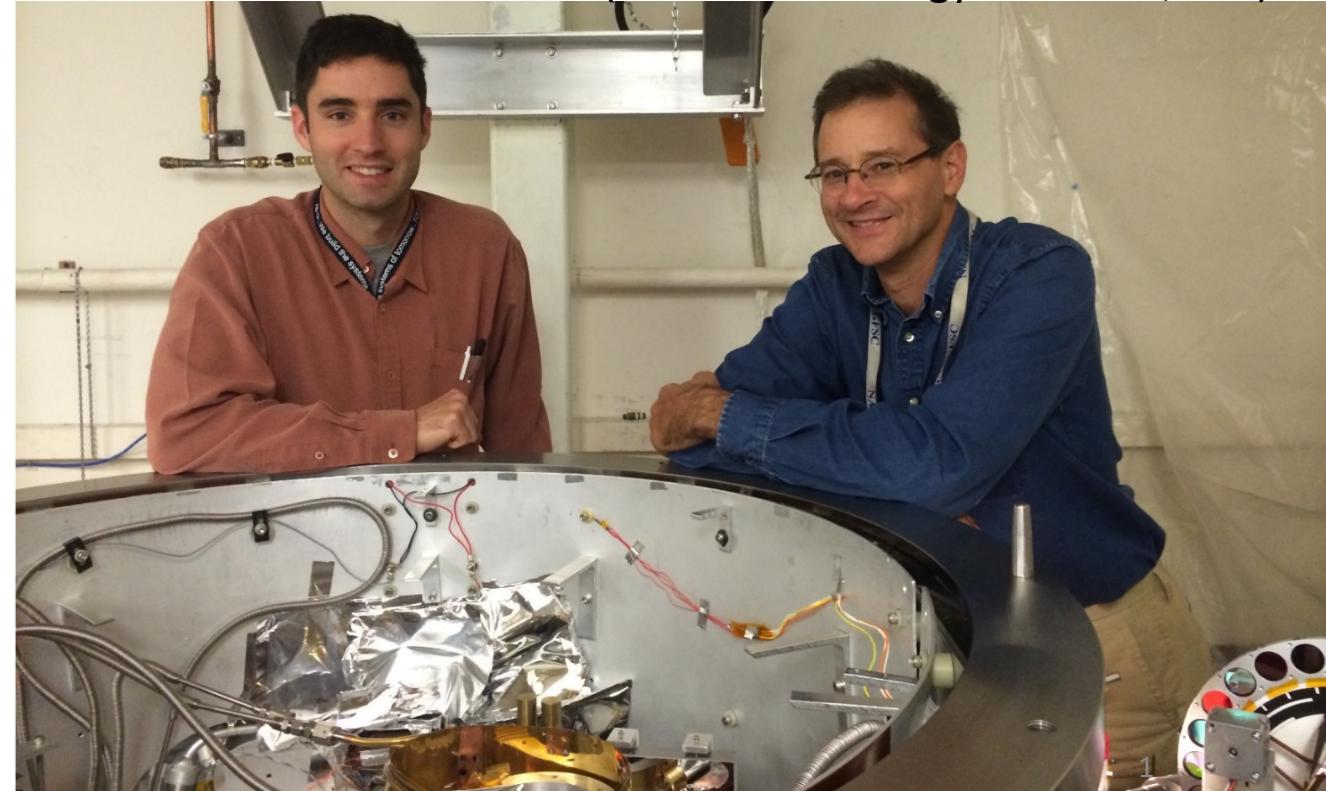
# Cryogenic High Accuracy Refractive Measuring System (CHARMS): Recap of Recent Work

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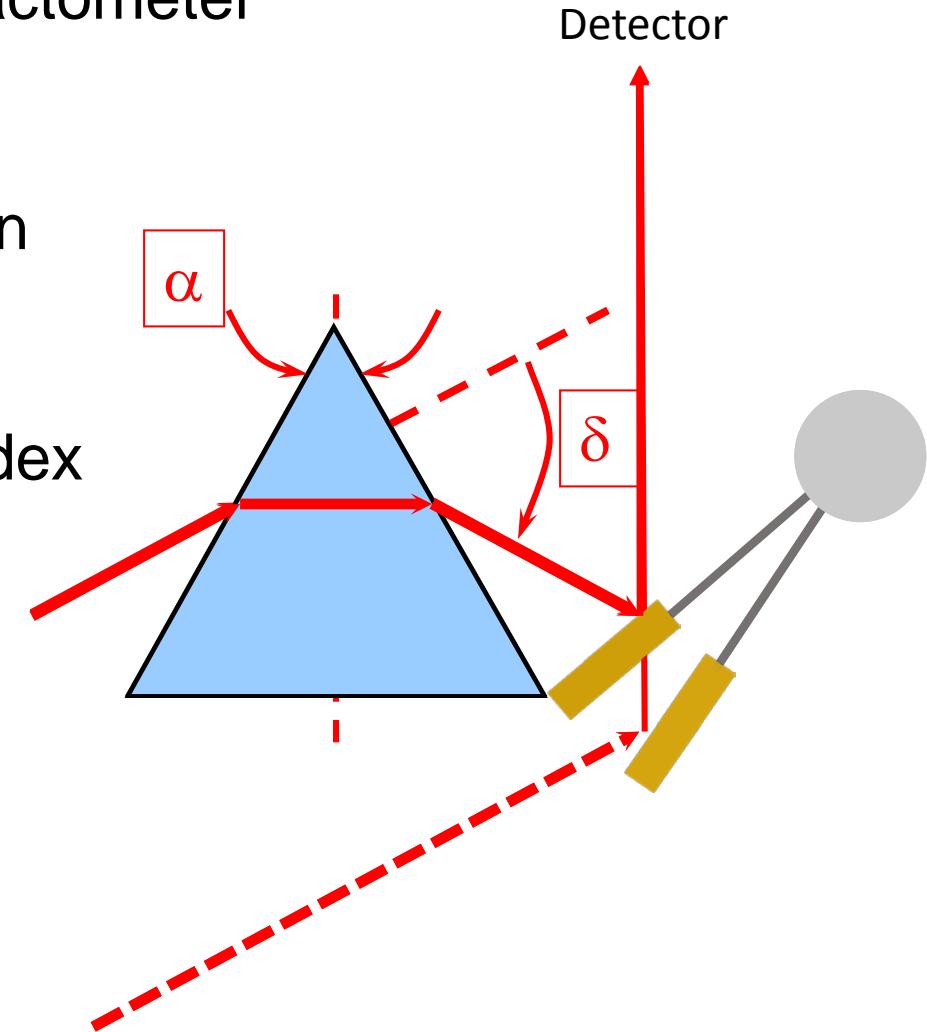
# CHARMS Capabilities

- Absolute minimum deviation refractometer (in vacuum)
- Wavelength coverage: 0.35 to 5.6  $\mu\text{m}$
- Temperature coverage: 15 K (using LHe) to 340<sup>+</sup> K (67 C)
- Single measurement ABSOLUTE accuracies as good as  $5 \times 10^{-6}$  at cryo (depending on material)
- Measures absolute refractive index,  $n(\lambda, T)$
- Accurate values of thermo-optic coefficient,  $dn/dT$ , and spectral dispersion,  $dn/d\lambda$ , derived from measured  $n(T)$

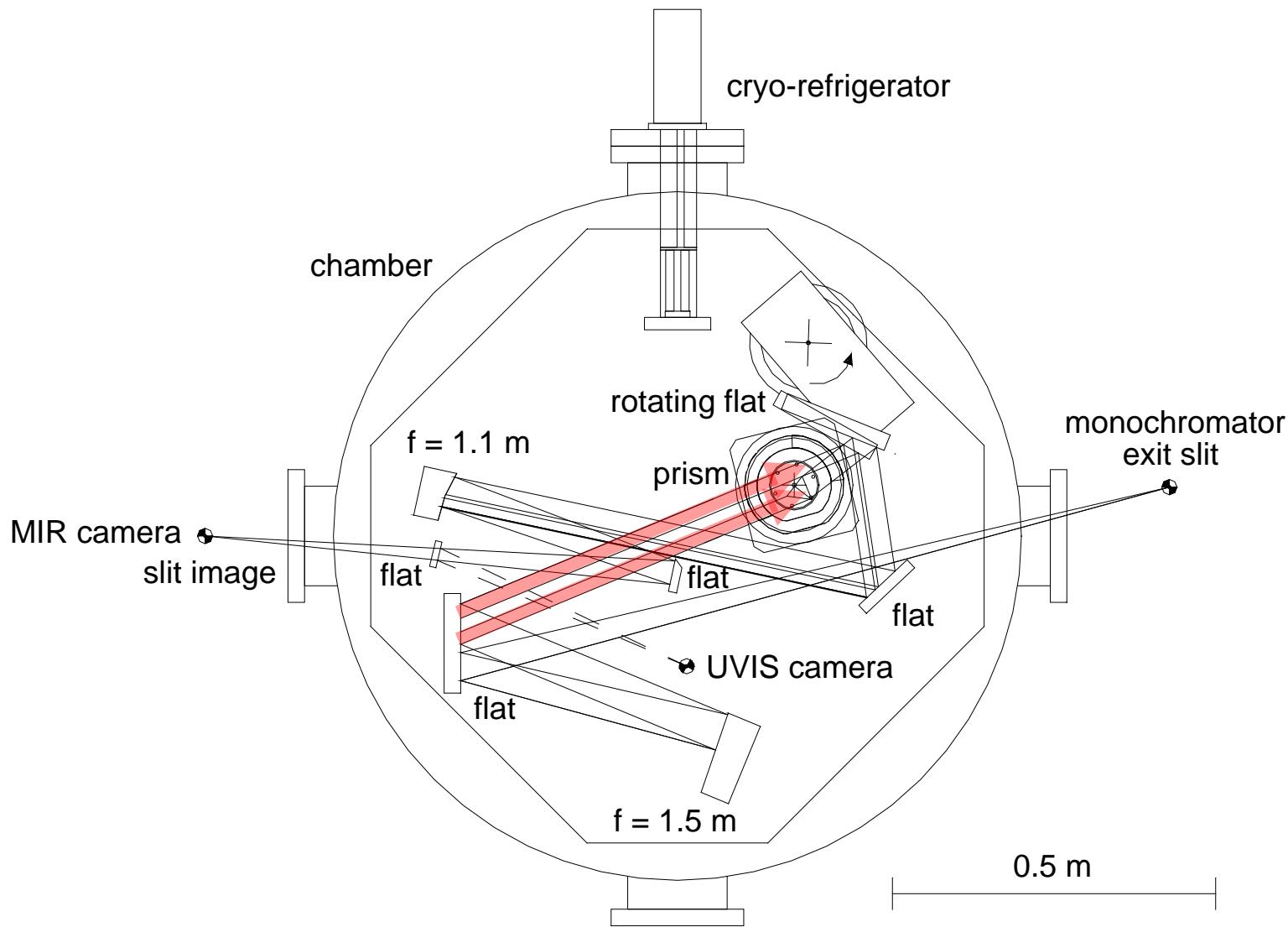
# CHARMS: Operation and Capabilities

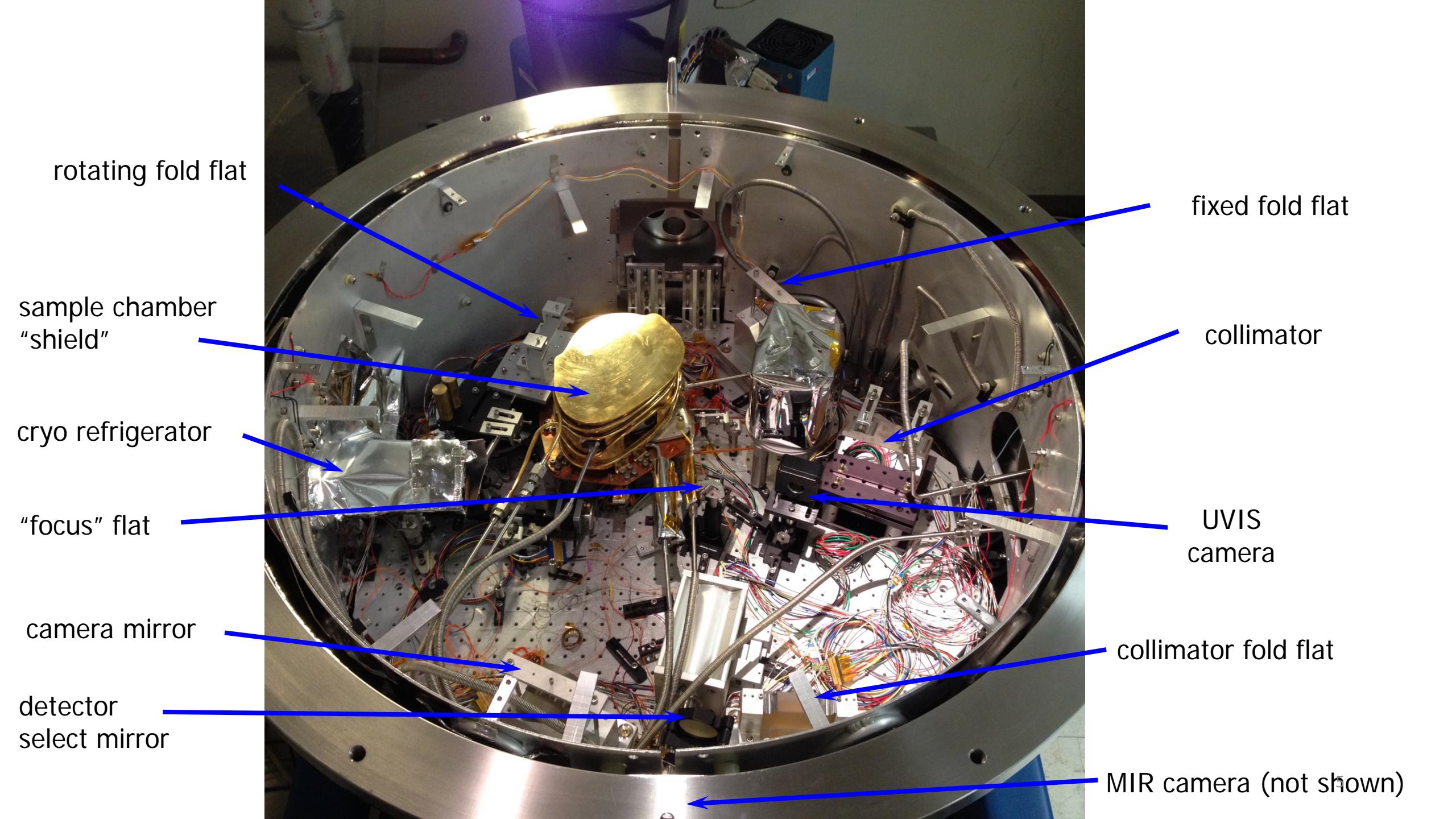
- CHARMS is a minimum deviation refractometer
- Five simple steps:
  1. Measure the apex angle of the prism
  2. Establish the condition of min deviation
  3. Measure angle of undeviated beam
  4. Measure angle of deviated beam
  5. Compute deviation angle; compute index

$$n = \frac{\sin(\frac{\alpha+\delta}{2})}{\sin(\frac{\alpha}{2})}$$

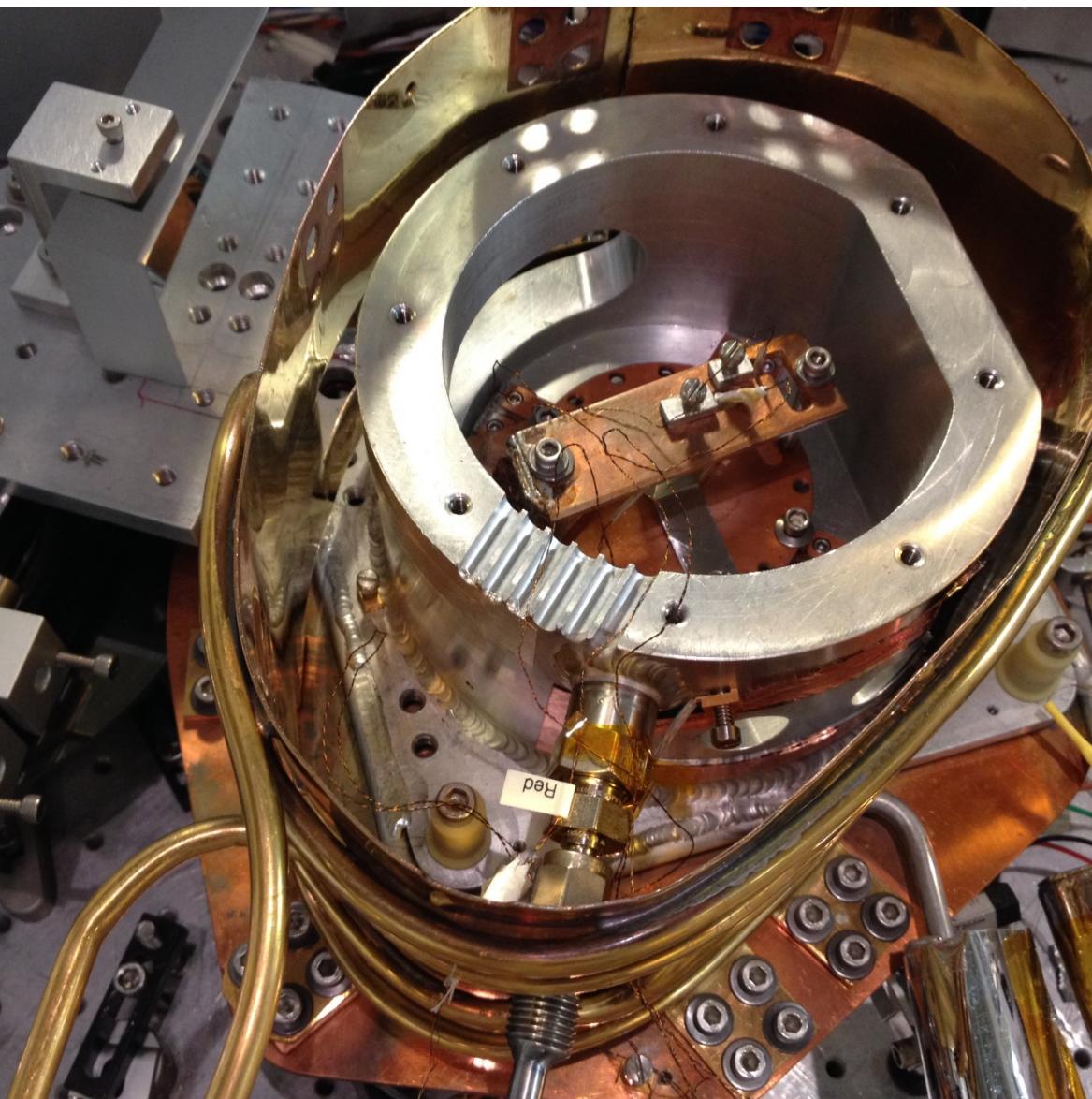


# CHARMS optical layout

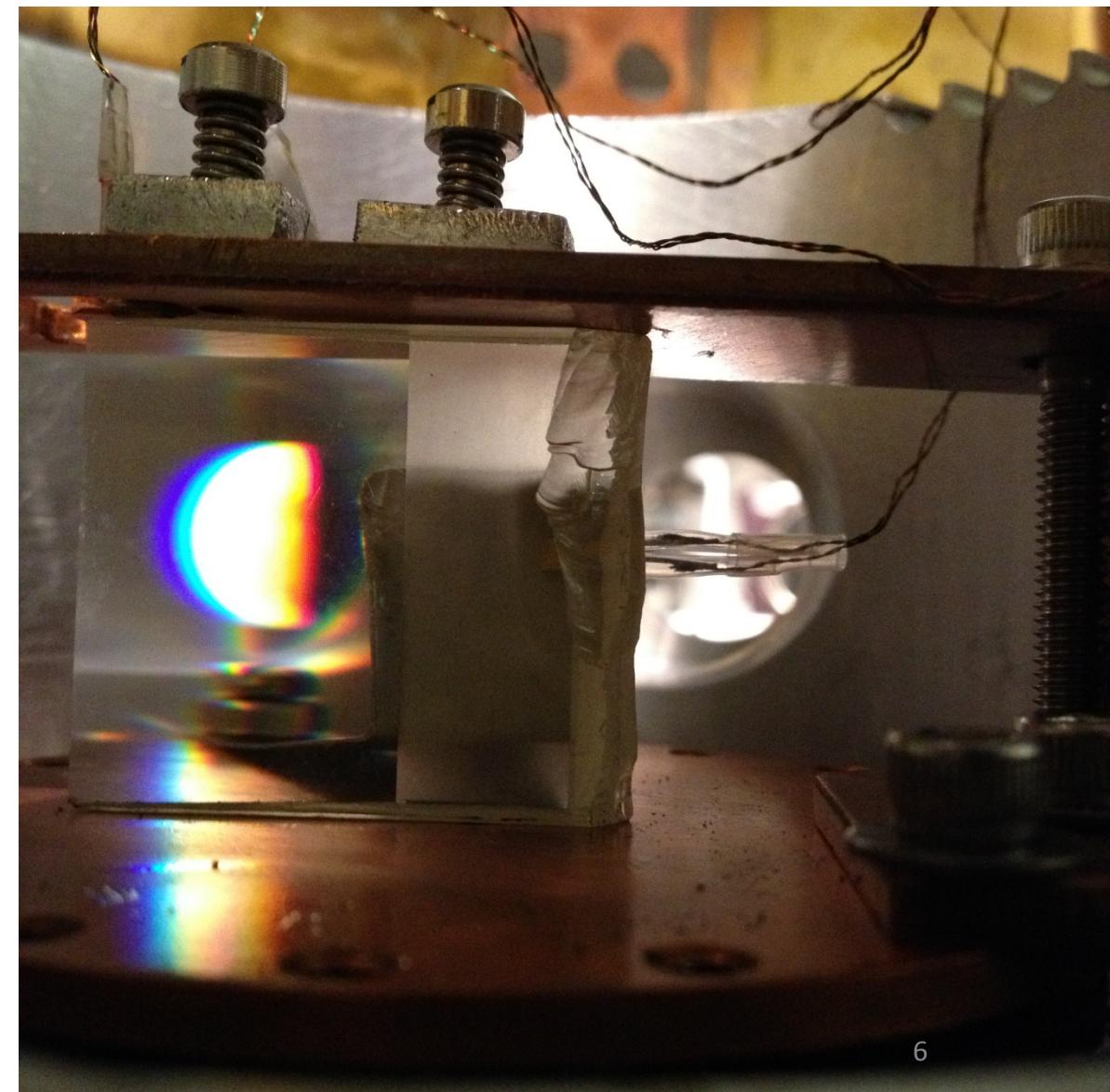




Top view of sample chamber

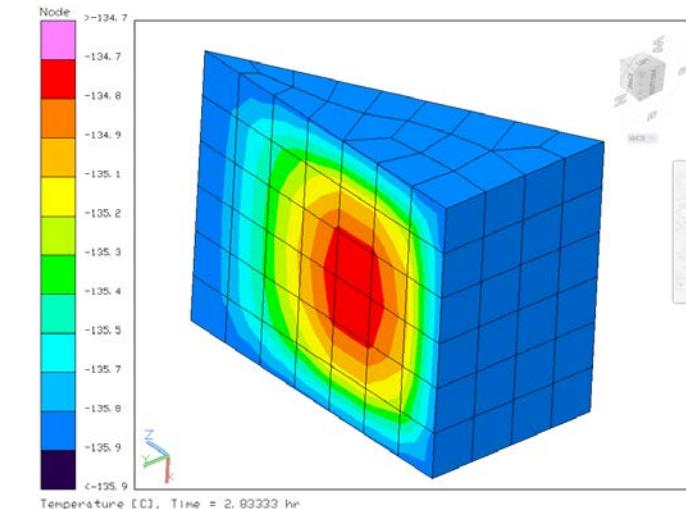
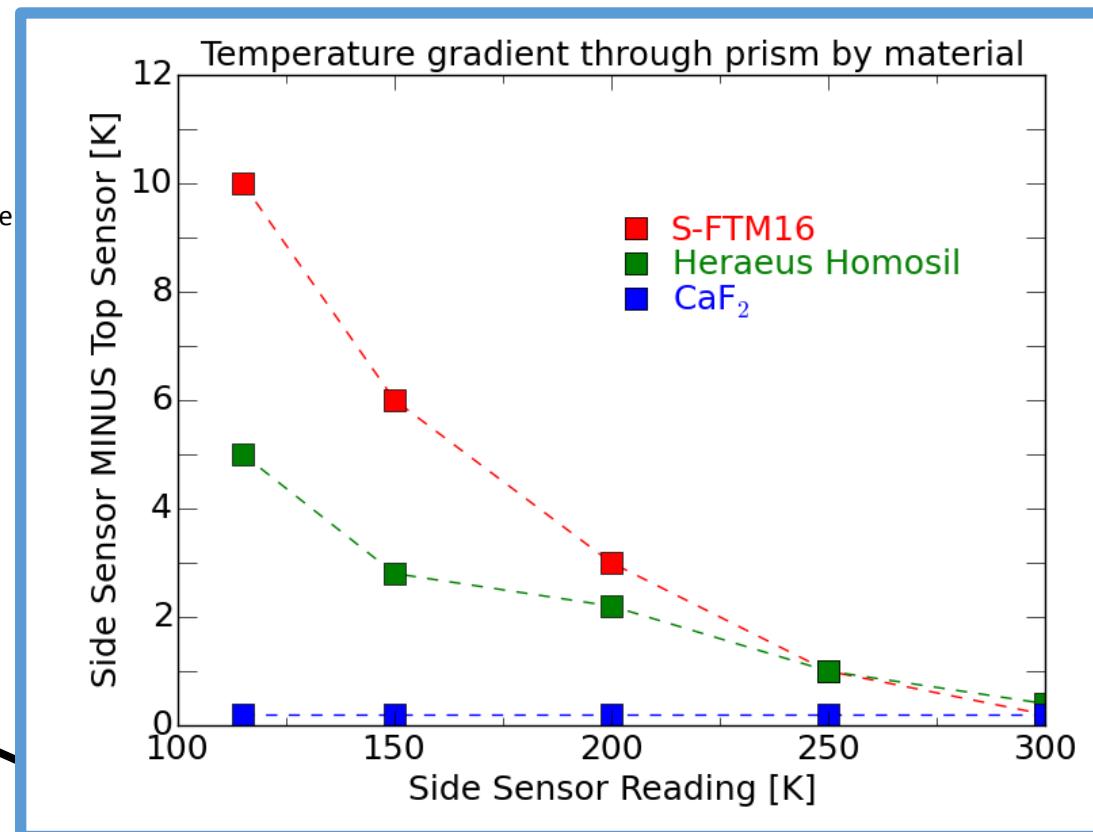
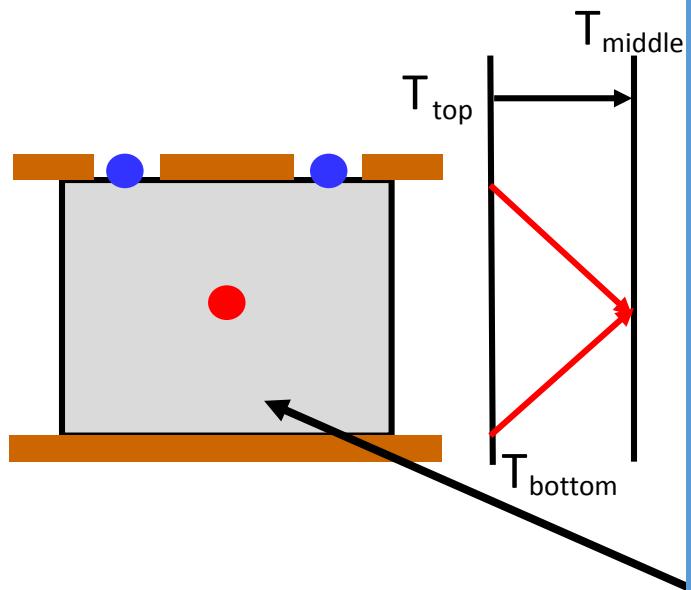


Eye level with prism



# Sample Temperature, T

- sample sandwiched between two cryogen-cooled copper plates at essentially same T
- two T sensors on top of prism
- $T_{\text{sample}}$  attributed to reading from sensor halfway up side of non-refracting face

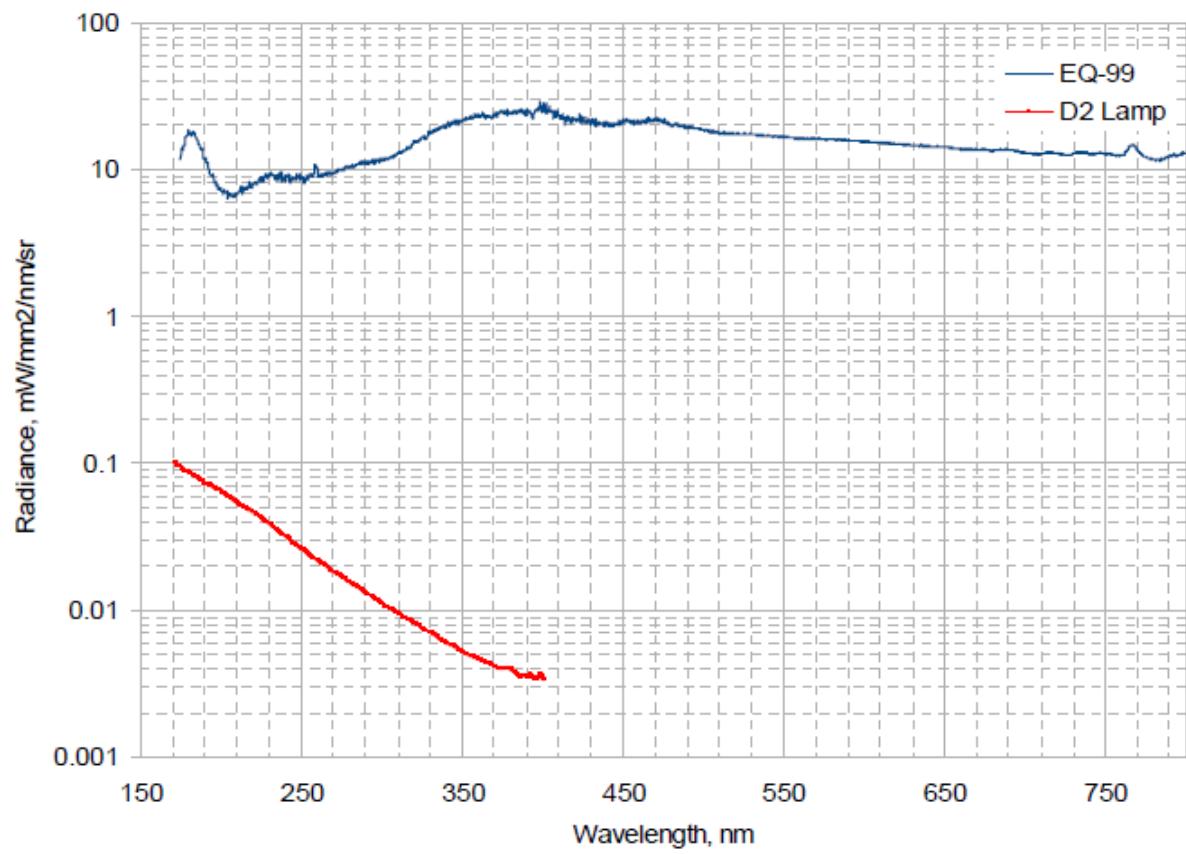
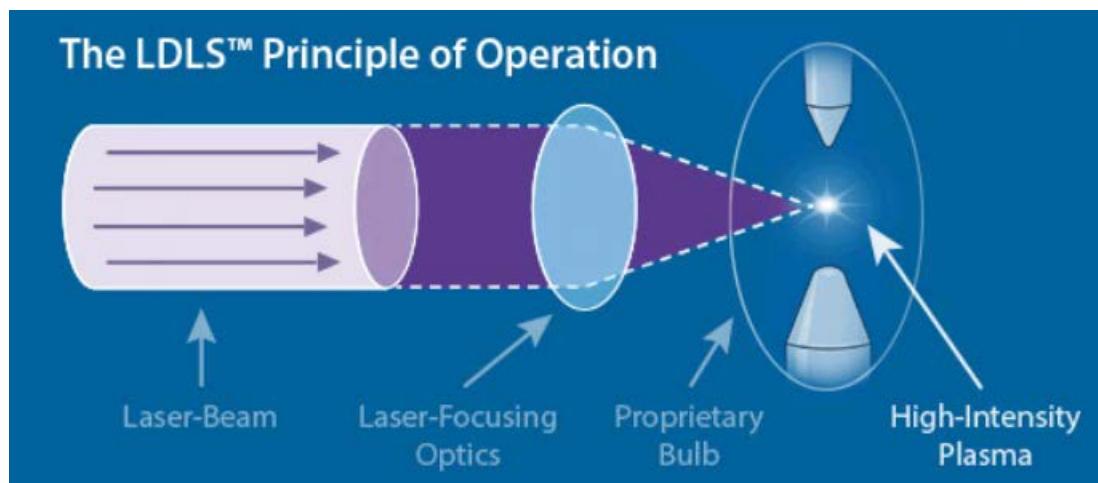


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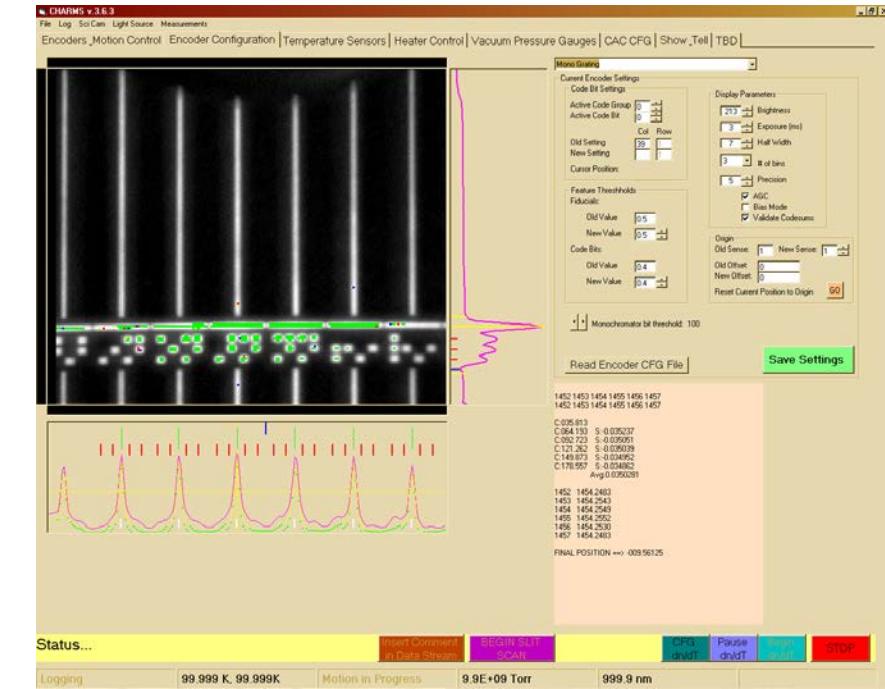
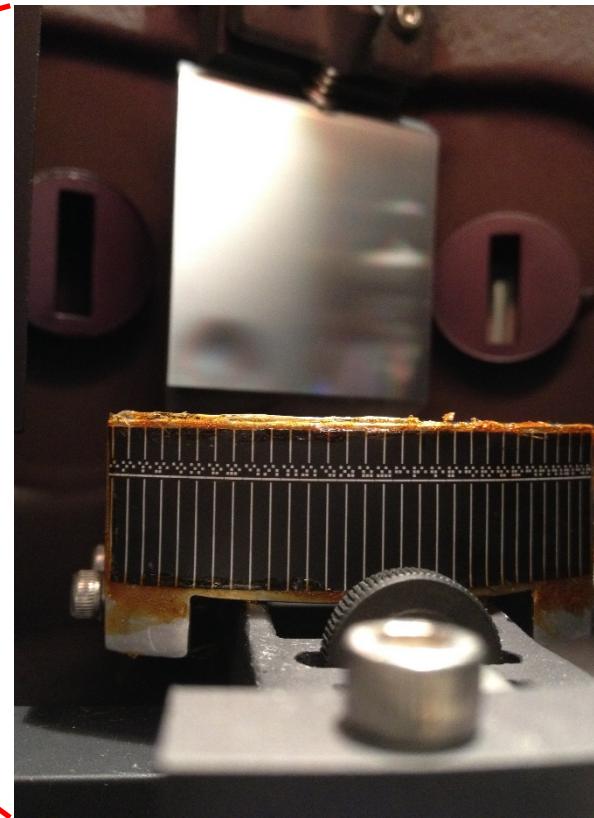
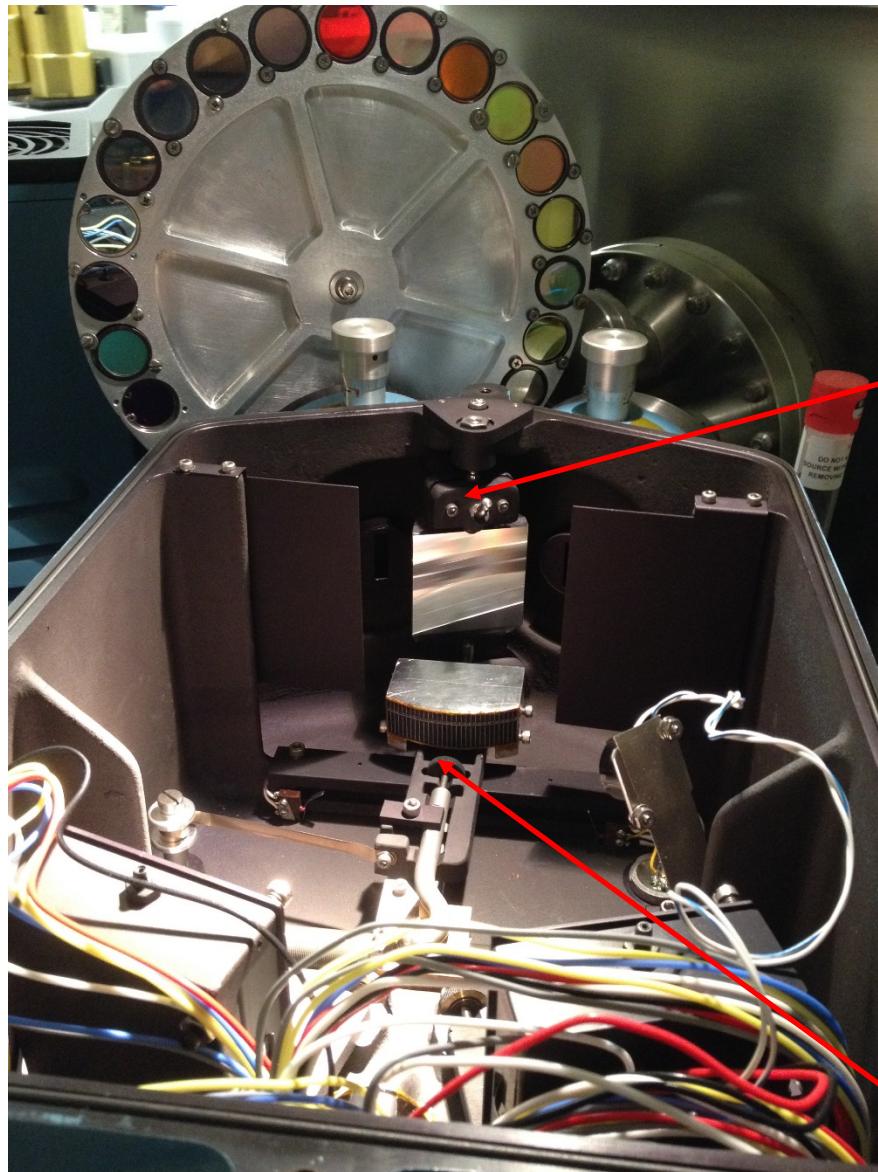
# Laser Driven Plasma Light Source

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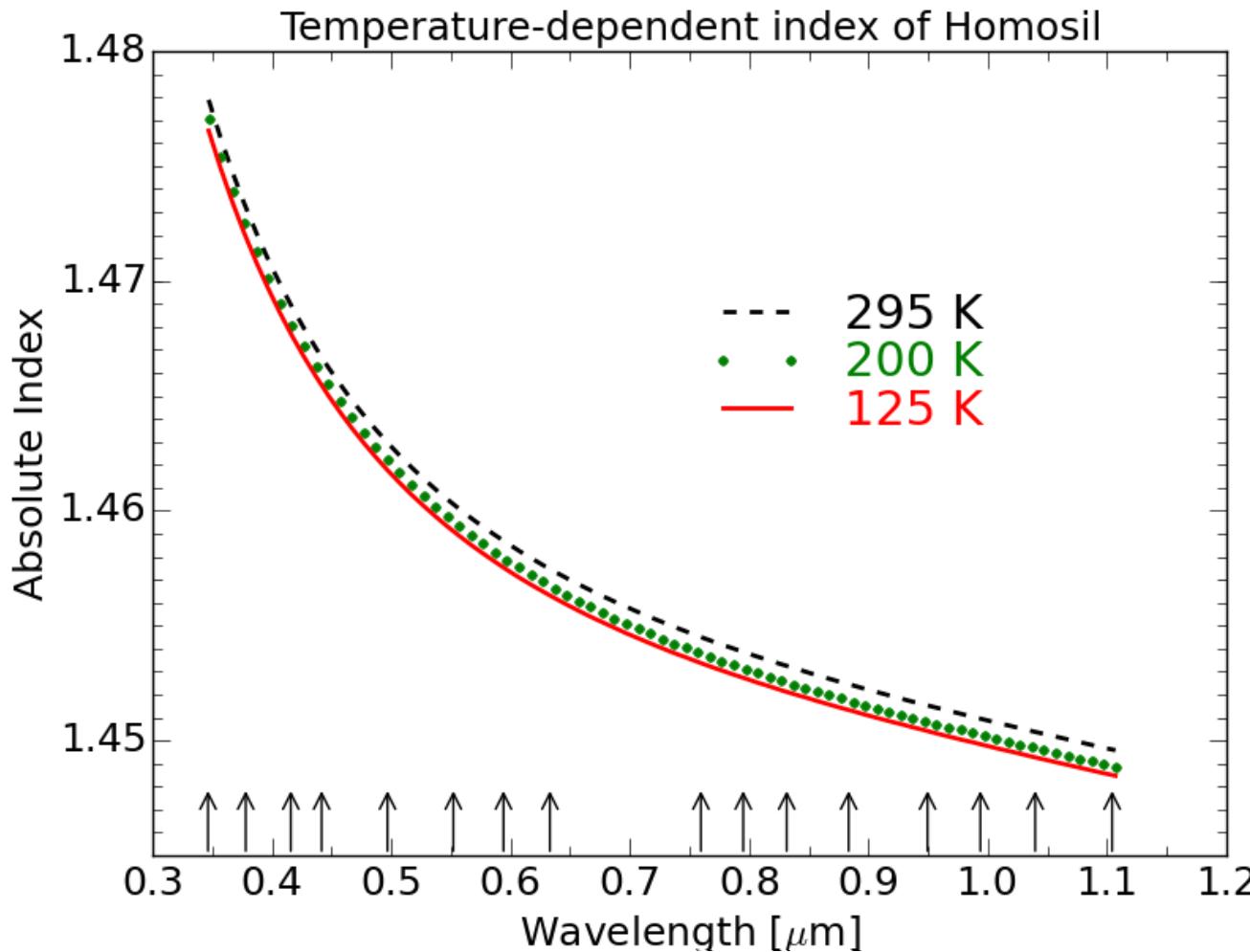
- CW laser heats Xenon plasma
- Electrodeless
- 100 micron plasma size



# Wavelength Calibration & Encoder Technology



# CHARMS Measurements of Heraeus Homosil



## Sellmeier Equation

$$n^2(\lambda, T) - 1 = \sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{S_i(T) \cdot \lambda^2}{\lambda^2 - \lambda_i^2(T)}$$

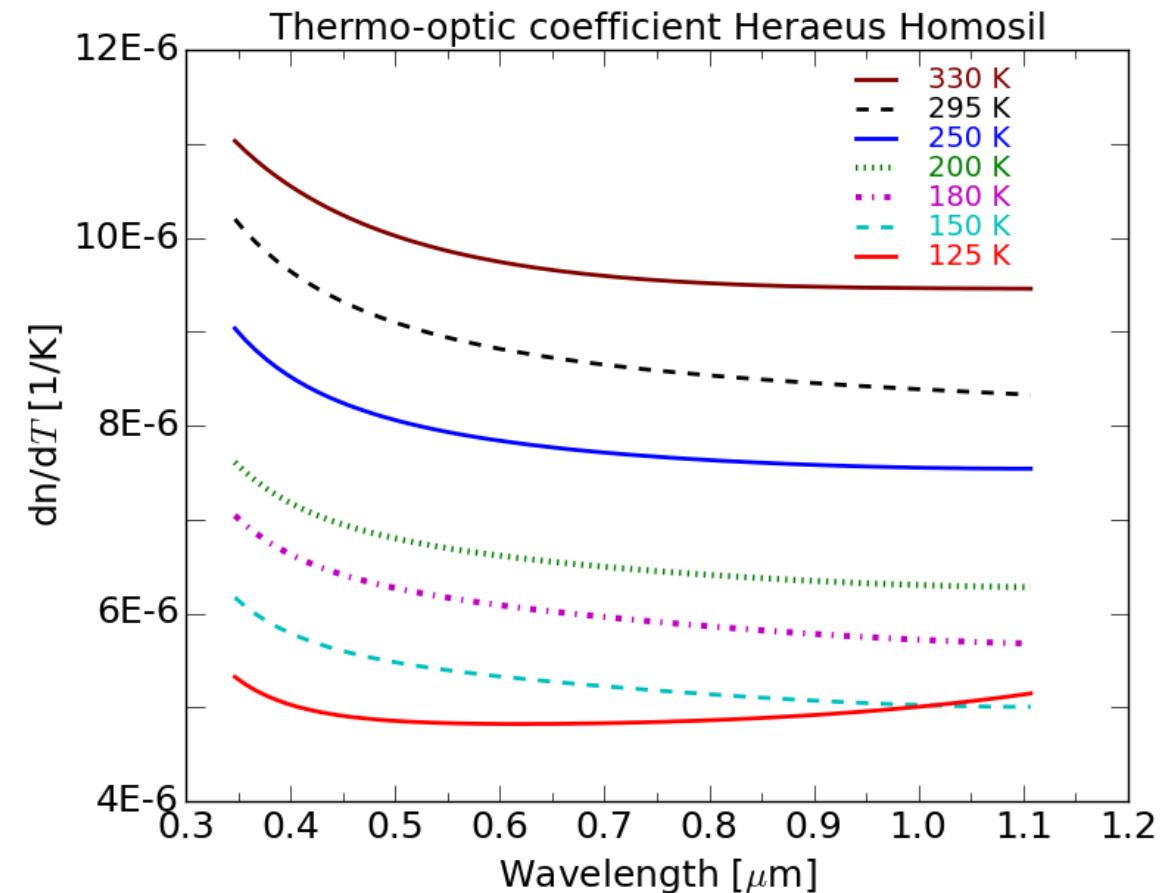
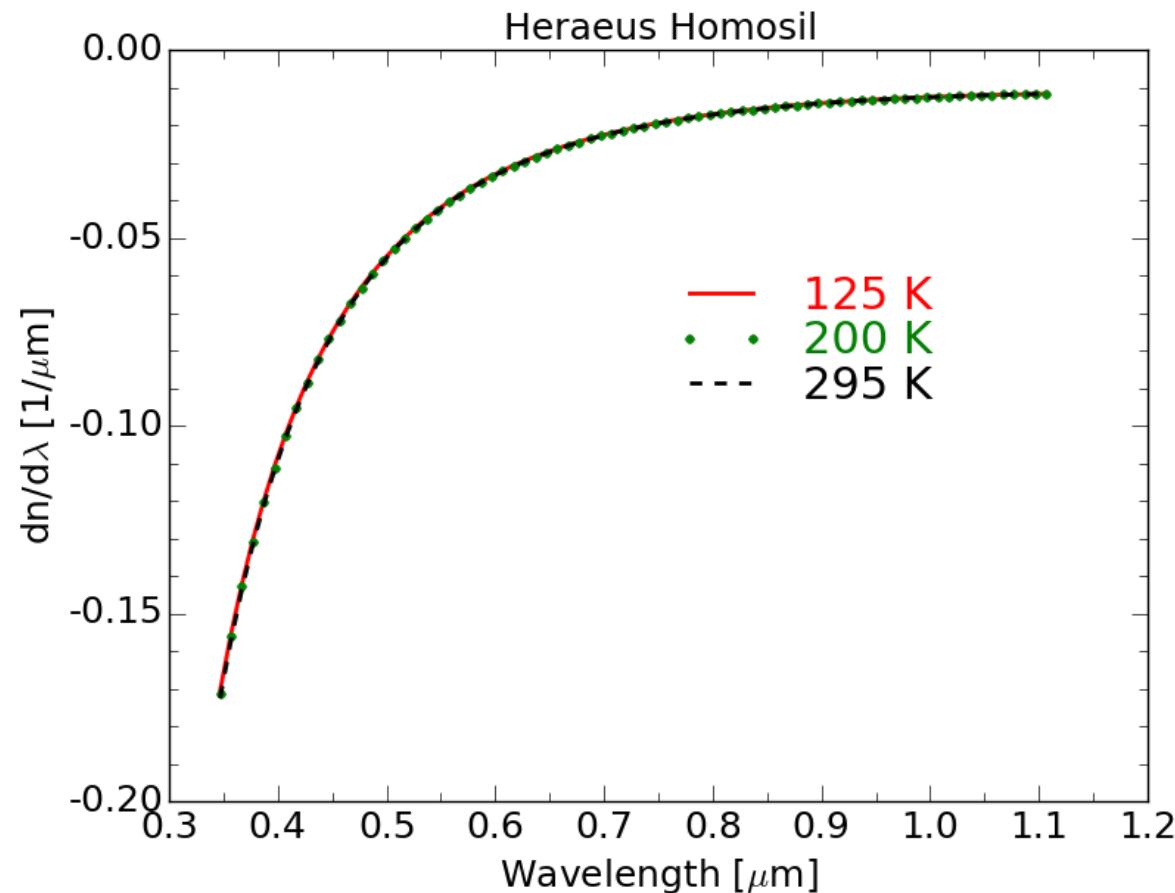
$$S_i(T) = \sum_{j=0}^3 S_{ij} \cdot T^j$$

$$\lambda_i(T) = \sum_{j=0}^3 \lambda_{ij} \cdot T^j$$

$$AAR = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^n |index_{measured} - index_{fit}|}{n}$$

Homosil\_AAR =  $2.04 \times 10^{-6}$

# Derived Properties of Heraeus Homosil



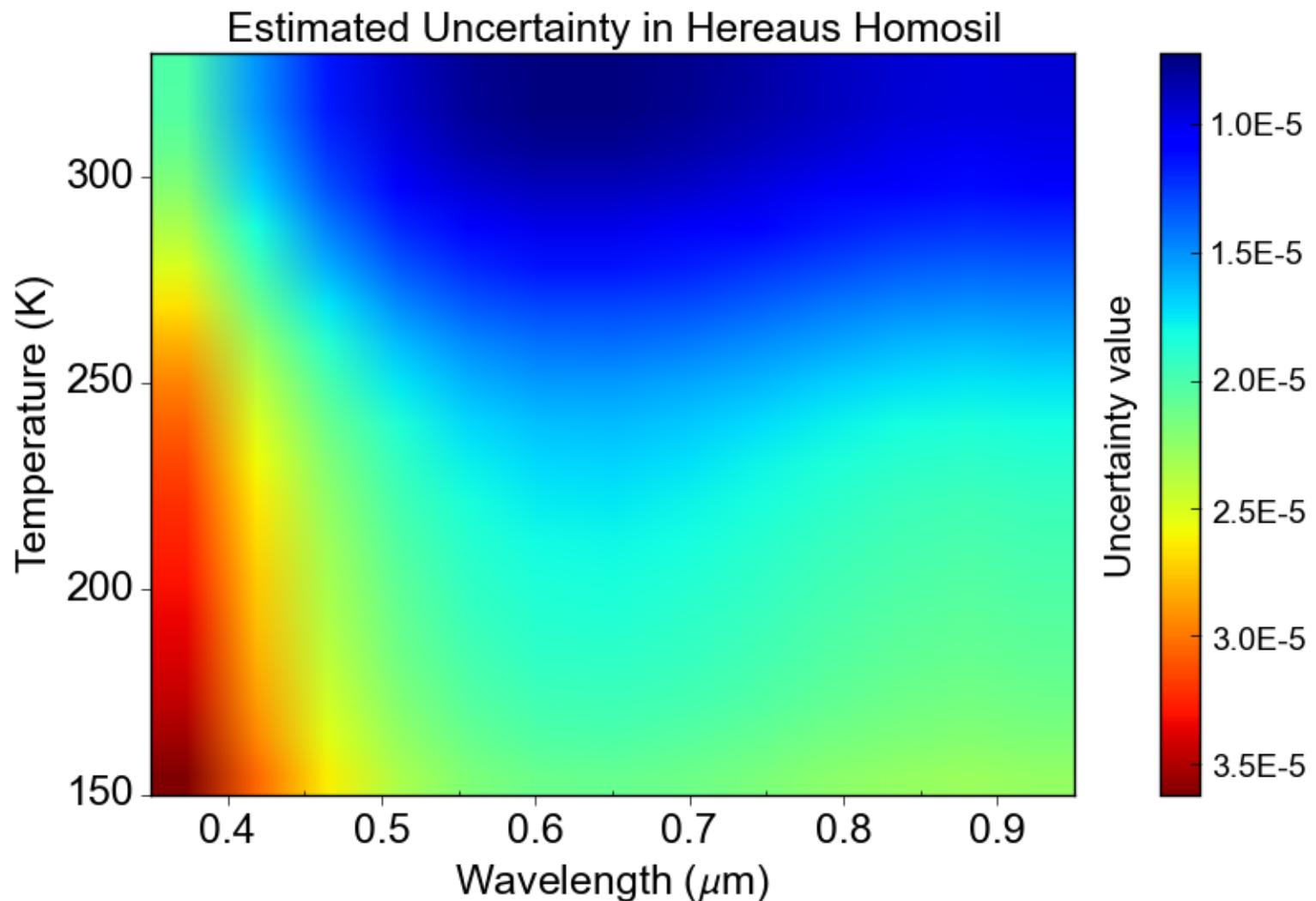
# Example of Bookkeeping Error Budget

| index n apex $\alpha$ deviation $\delta$ |          |            | dn/d $\lambda$        | dn/dT      | dn/d $\alpha$ | dn/d $\delta$       | d $\lambda$ | dT      | da      | d $\delta$ | →       | dn                             |                                 |         |           |
|--|----------|------------|-----------------------|------------|---------------|---------------------|-------------|---------|---------|------------|---------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------|-----------|
|  |          |            | SENSITIVITIES         |            |               | FOR SPECIFIED PRISM |             |         |         |            |         | FOR SPECIFIED PRISM            |                                 |         |           |
| index n                                  | apex a   | alpha      | delta d               | dn/dwv     | dn/dT         | dn/da               | dn/d        | dwv     | dn(dwv) | dT         | dn(dT)  | da                             | dd                              | dn(dd)  | dn r.s.s. |
| 1.4574                                   | 10.0 deg | 0.175 rads | 4.595 deg 0.080 rads  | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -2.64/rad           | 5.690/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -6.4E-06 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 1.5E-04 | 1.7E-04 |           |
| 1.4574                                   | 20       | 0.349 rads | 9.319 deg 0.163 rads  | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -1.35/rad           | 2.786/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -3.3E-06 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 7.3E-05 | 9.5E-05 |           |
| 1.4574                                   | 30       | 0.524 rads | 14.321 deg 0.250 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -0.93/rad           | 1.789/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -2.3E-06 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 4.7E-05 | 7.4E-05 |           |
| 1.4574                                   | 40       | 0.698 rads | 19.796 deg 0.346 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -0.73/rad           | 1.267/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -1.8E-06 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 3.3E-05 | 6.4E-05 |           |
| 1.4574                                   | 50       | 0.873 rads | 26.038 deg 0.454 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -0.63/rad           | 0.932/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -1.5E-06 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 2.4E-05 | 5.9E-05 |           |
| 1.4574                                   | 58       | 1.012 rads | 31.912 deg 0.557 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -0.58/rad           | 0.730/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -1.4E-06 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 1.9E-05 | 5.6E-05 |           |
| 2.6                                      | 10       | 0.175 rads | 16.195 deg 0.283 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -9.27/rad           | 5.588/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -2.3E-05 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 1.5E-04 | 1.7E-04 |           |
| 2.6                                      | 15       | 0.262 rads | 24.677 deg 0.431 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -6.27/rad           | 3.603/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -1.5E-05 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 9.4E-05 | 1.2E-04 |           |
| 2.6                                      | 20       | 0.349 rads | 33.678 deg 0.588 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -4.80/rad           | 2.569/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -1.2E-05 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 6.7E-05 | 9.1E-05 |           |
| 2.6                                      | 25       | 0.436 rads | 43.491 deg 0.759 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -3.95/rad           | 1.910/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -9.7E-06 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 5.0E-05 | 7.7E-05 |           |
| 2.6                                      | 30       | 0.524 rads | 54.587 deg 0.953 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -3.42/rad           | 1.429/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -8.4E-06 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 3.7E-05 | 6.7E-05 |           |
| 3.4                                      | 10       | 0.175 rads | 24.475 deg 0.427 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -13.95/rad          | 5.479/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -3.4E-05 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 1.4E-04 | 1.6E-04 |           |
| 3.4                                      | 14       | 0.244 rads | 34.958 deg 0.610 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -10.11/rad          | 3.734/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -2.5E-05 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 9.8E-05 | 1.2E-04 |           |
| 3.4                                      | 18       | 0.314 rads | 46.265 deg 0.807 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -8.03/rad           | 2.707/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -2.0E-05 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 7.1E-05 | 9.6E-05 |           |
| 3.4                                      | 22       | 0.384 rads | 58.895 deg 1.028 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -6.75/rad           | 1.994/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -1.6E-05 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 5.2E-05 | 8.0E-05 |           |
| 4.0                                      | 10       | 0.175 rads | 30.806 deg 0.538 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -17.48/rad          | 5.377/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -4.3E-05 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 1.4E-04 | 1.6E-04 |           |
| 4.0                                      | 12.5     | 0.218 rads | 39.130 deg 0.683 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -14.13/rad          | 4.134/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -3.5E-05 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 1.1E-04 | 1.3E-04 |           |
| 4.0                                      | 15       | 0.262 rads | 47.947 deg 0.837 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -11.92/rad          | 3.267/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -2.9E-05 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 8.6E-05 | 1.1E-04 |           |
| 4.0                                      | 17.5     | 0.305 rads | 57.461 deg 1.003 rads | 0.00040/nm | 0.000120/K    | -10.39/rad          | 2.608/rad   | 0.10 nm | 4.0E-05 | 0.1 K      | 1.2E-05 | 0.00014 deg 0.5 sec # -2.5E-05 | 0.00150 deg 5.4 sec ### 6.8E-05 | 9.5E-05 |           |

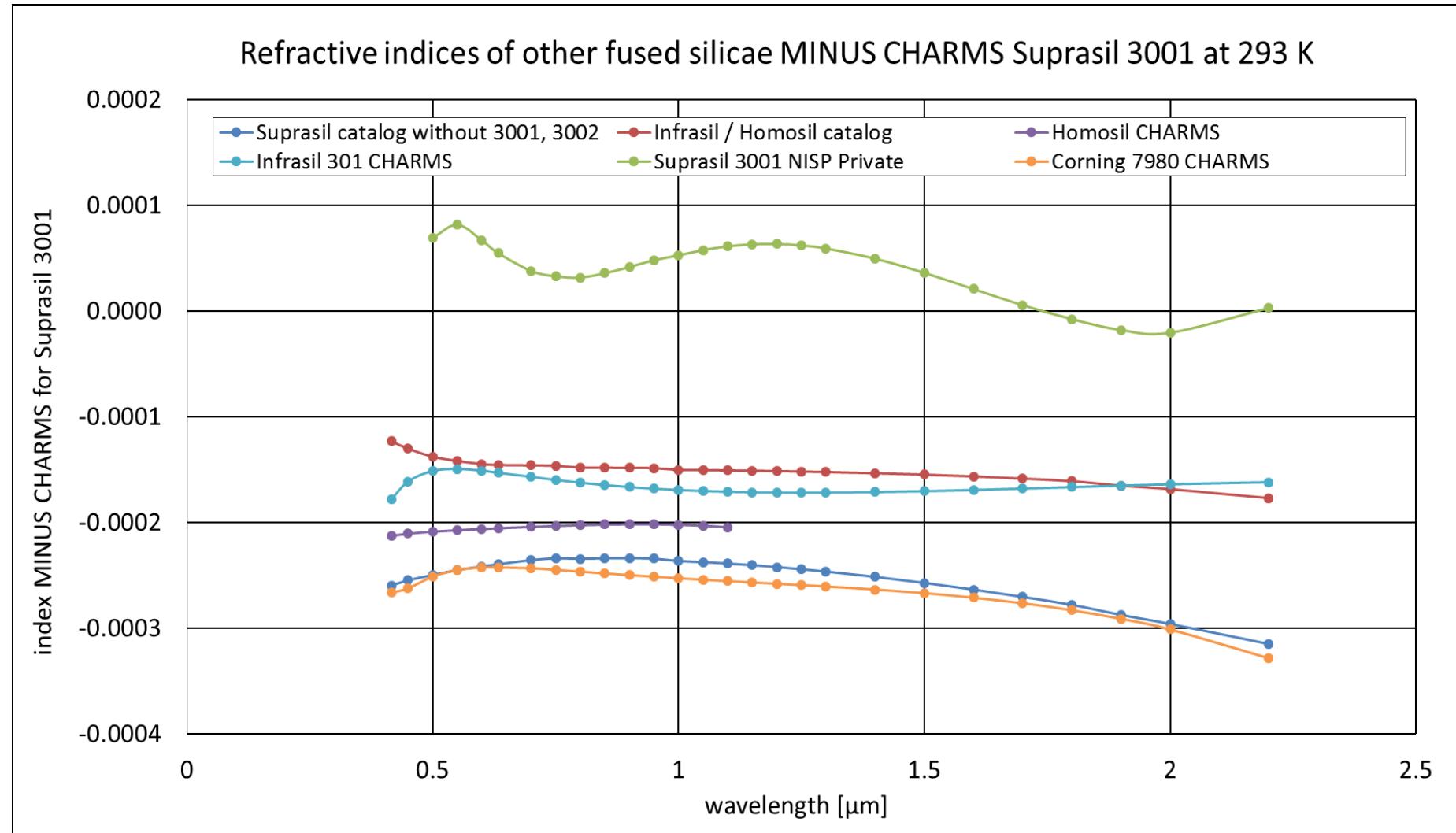
- uncertainty governed by all eight quantities in the red box for each measurement for a given specimen (green box)

so, a refractometer should not list a single number for accuracy

# Measurement Uncertainties

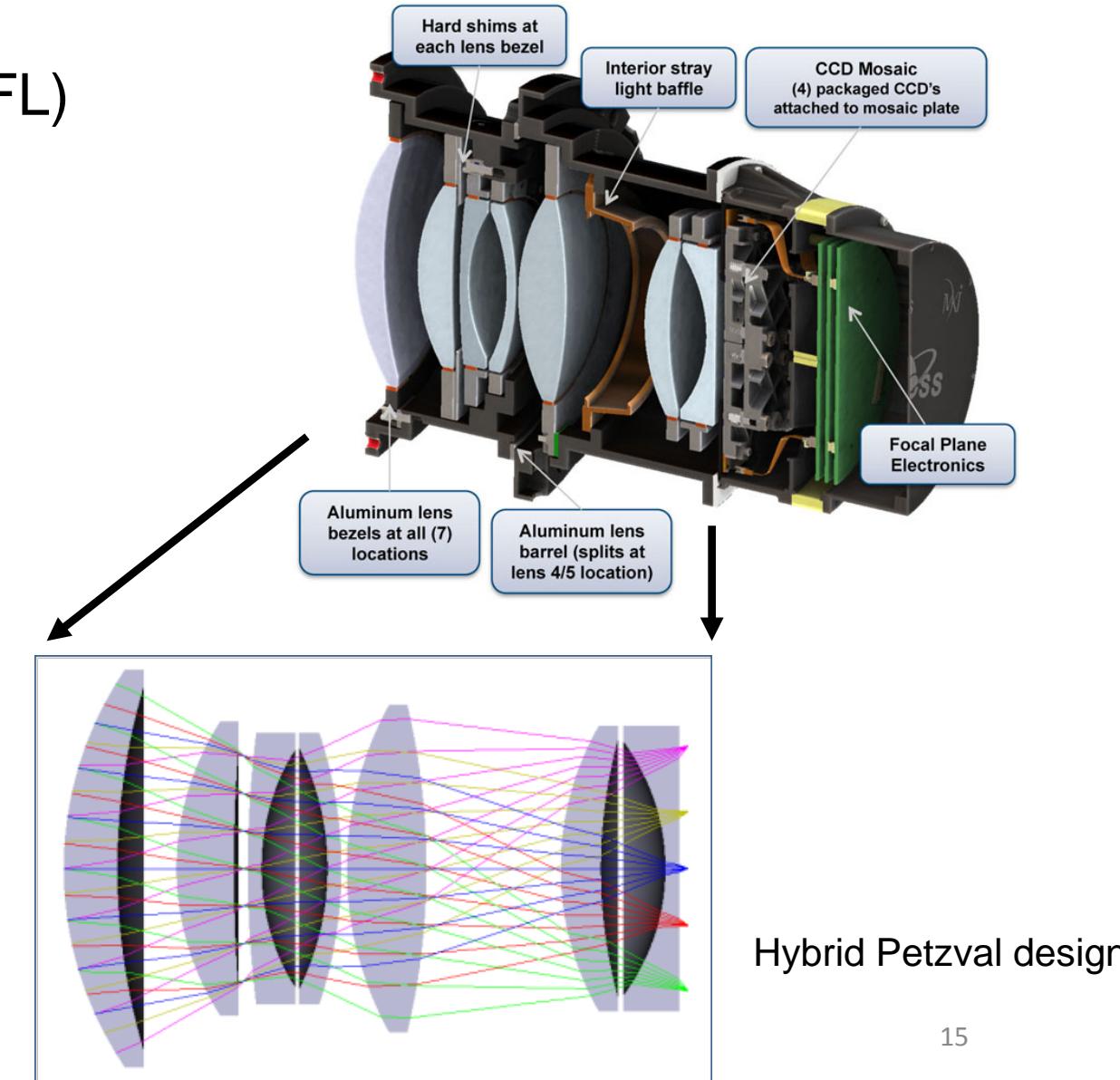
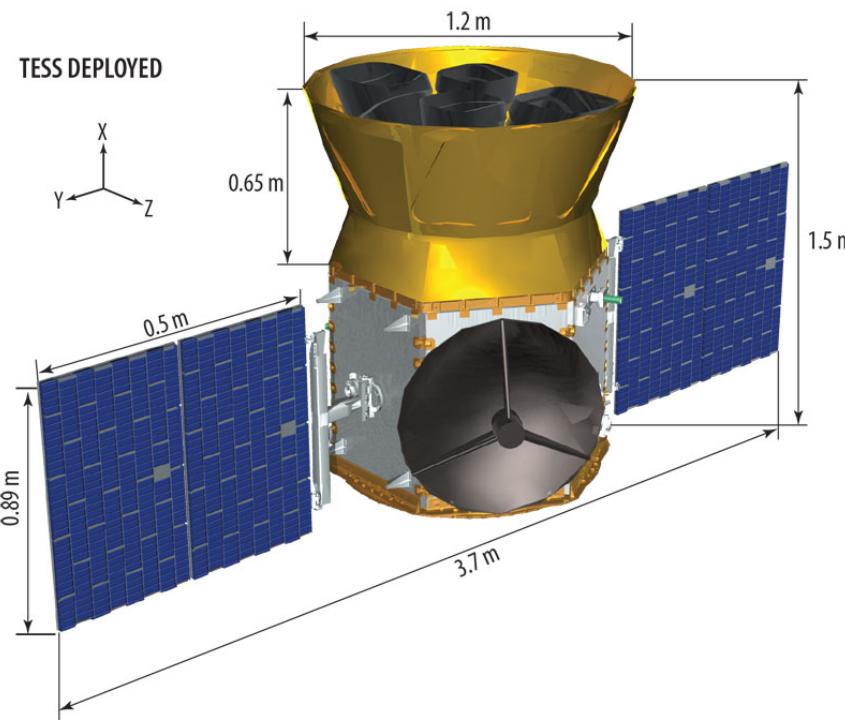


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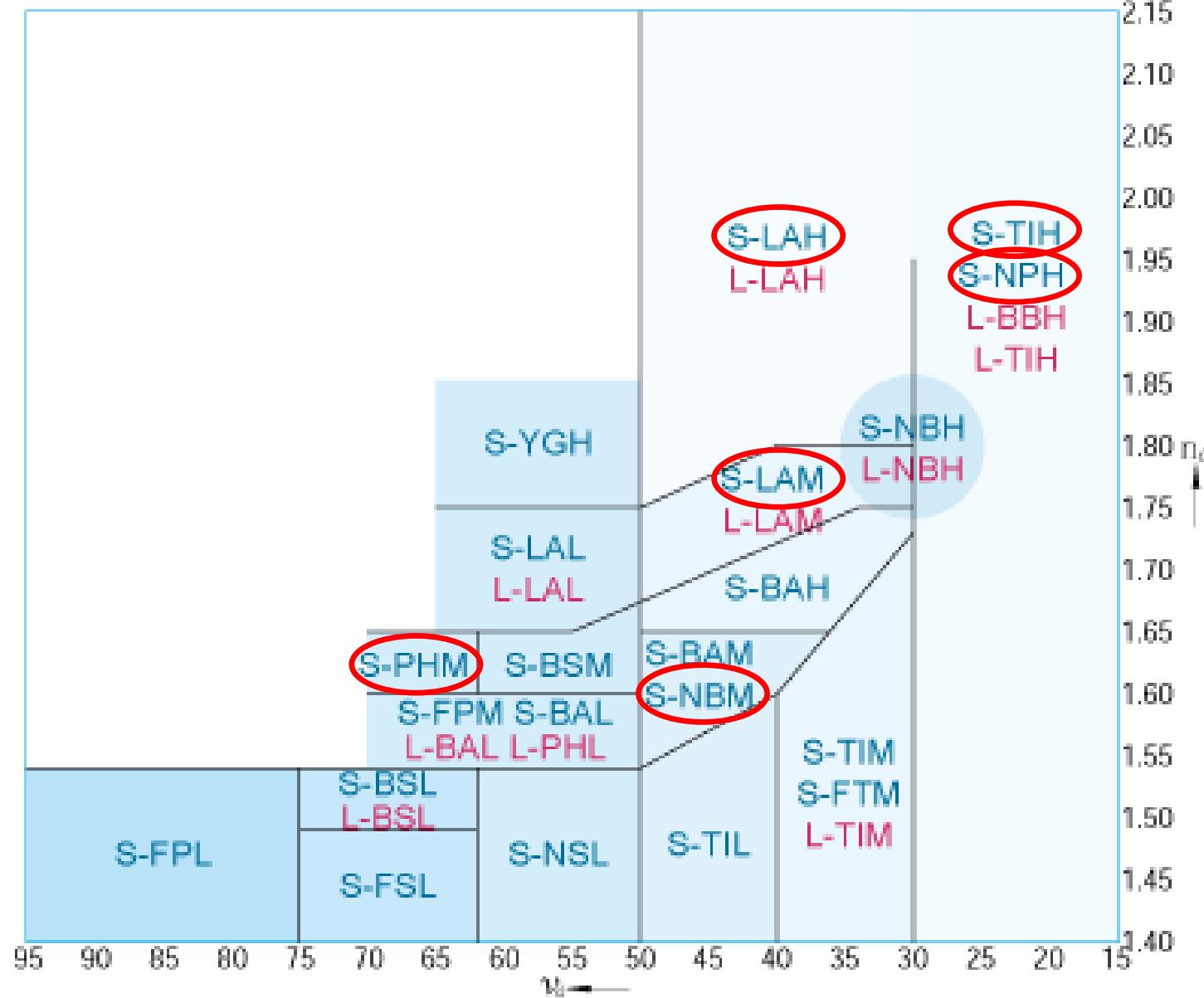


# Motivation: Transiting Exoplanet Survey Satellite (TESS)

- Planet finder
- 2017 Launch date (Cape Canaveral, FL)
- 4 identical cameras  $90^\circ \times 90^\circ$  FOV
- $\lambda: 0.6 - 1.0 \mu\text{m}$ ; Temp: 183—213 K
- **$\lambda: 0.42 - 1.1 \mu\text{m}$ ; Temp: 120—300 K**



# Ohara Glasses



Ohara nomenclature example:

Environmentally “safe”

“H” for  
high index

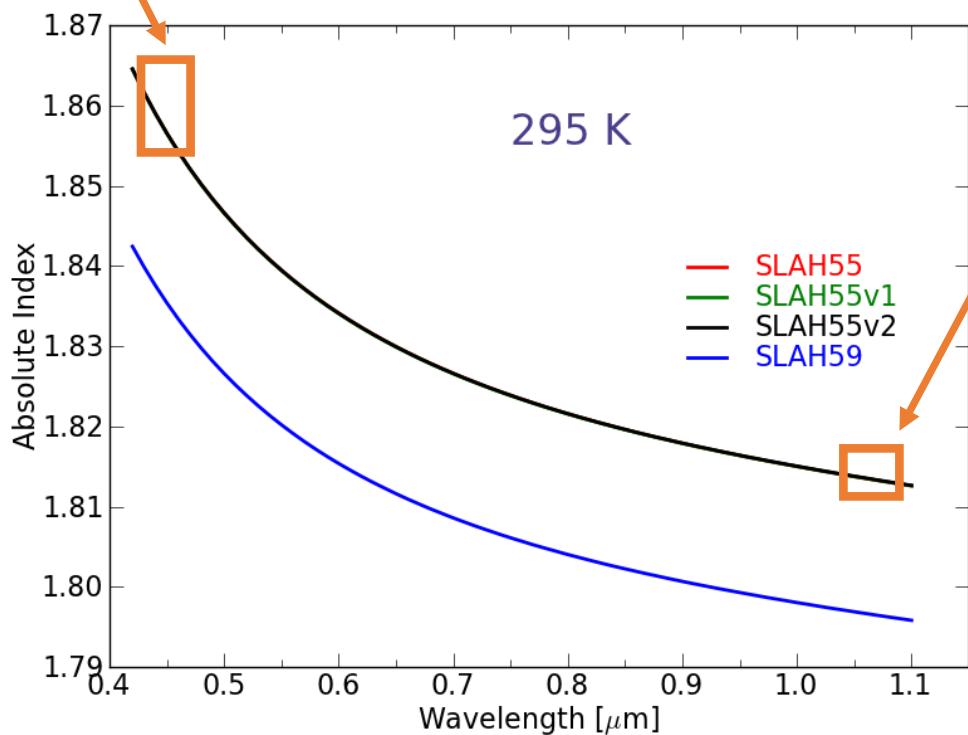
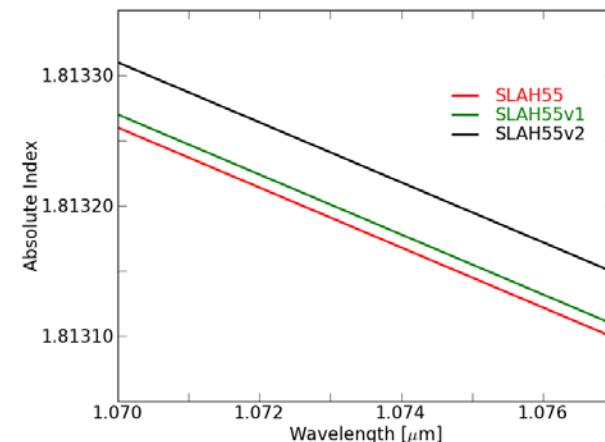
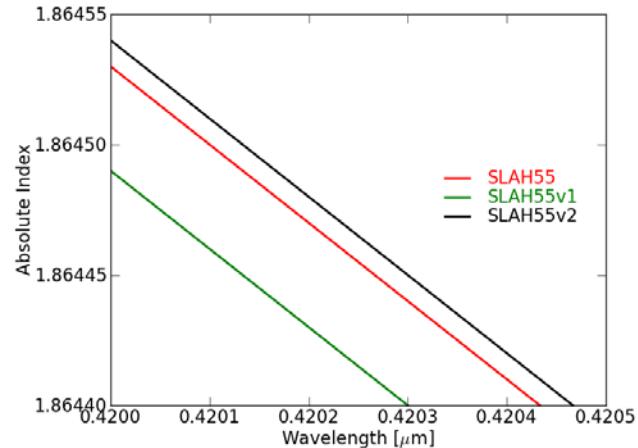
S-LAH59

Number of glass  
within given family

Most important chemical  
elements contained

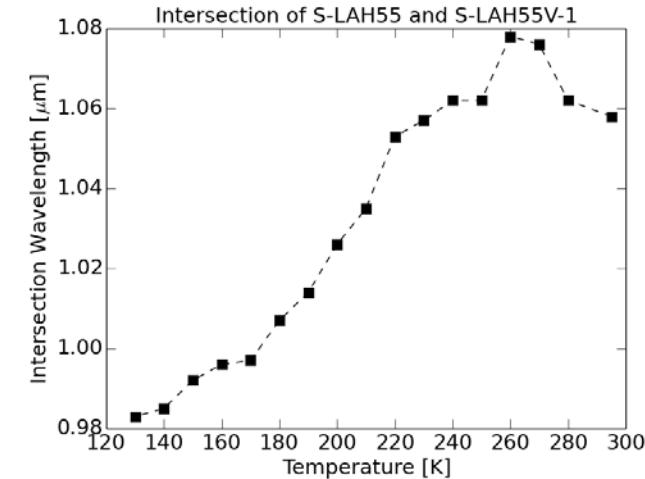
S-LAH55 vs. S-LAH55V

# S-LAH55, S-LAH55V, S-LAH59



## Constituent % by weight

|                         | S-LAH55 | S-LAH59 |
|-------------------------|---------|---------|
| $\text{La}_2\text{O}_3$ | 40-50 % | 20-30 % |
| $\text{Gd}_2\text{O}_3$ | 2-20 %  | 30-40%  |



# S-LAM3, S-NBM51, S-PHM52

$\text{La}_2\text{O}_3$  : 10—20 %

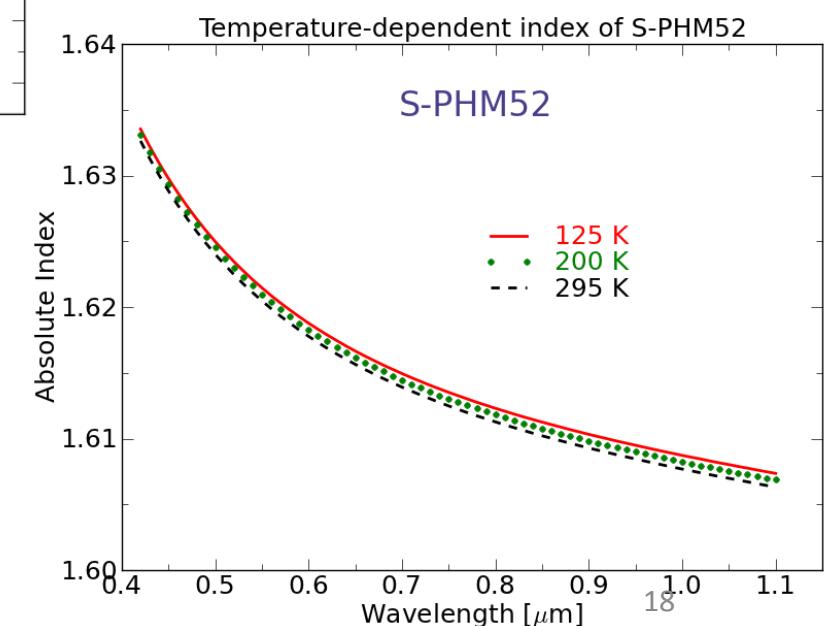
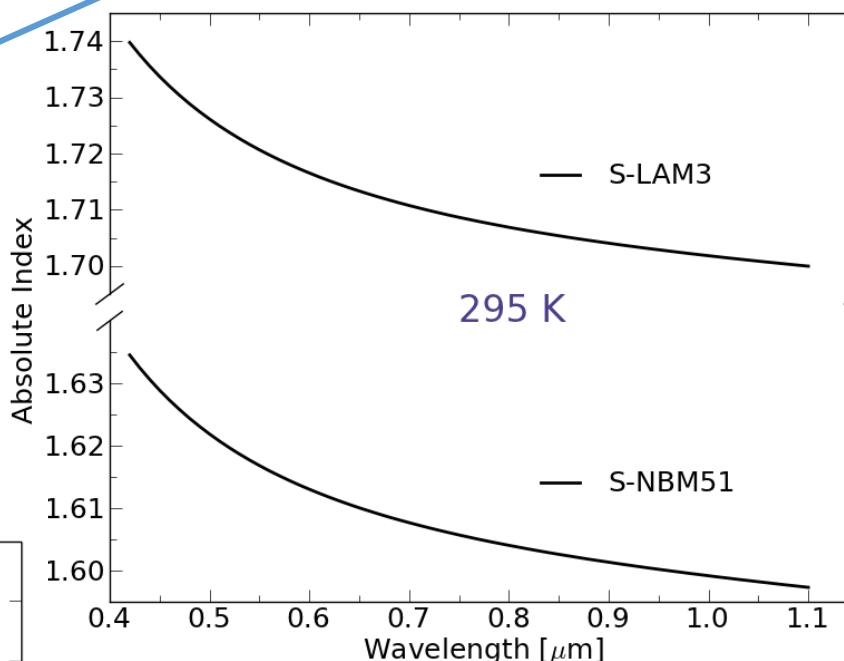
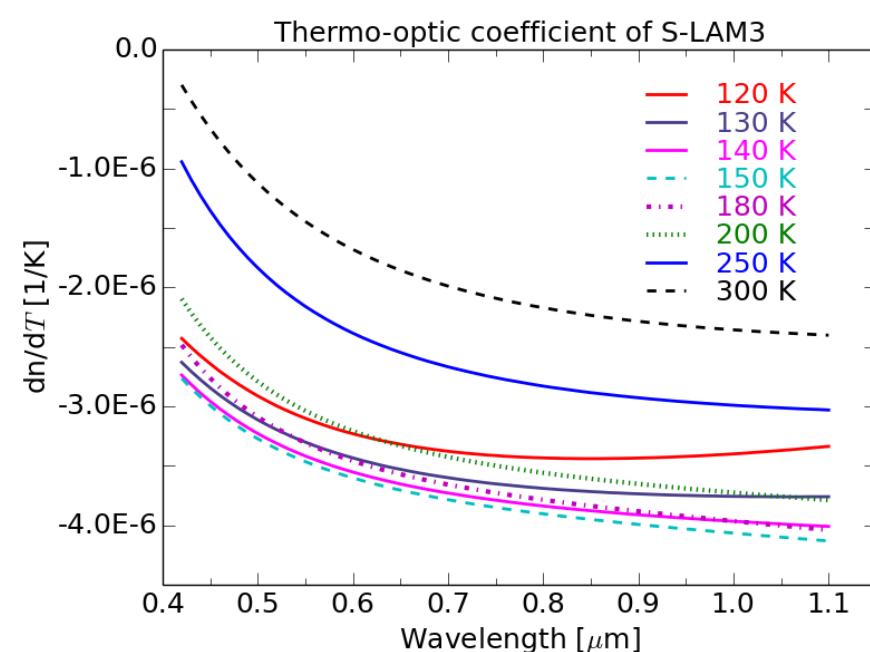
$\text{BaO}$  : 40—50 %

$\text{Nb}_2\text{O}_5$  : 10—20 %

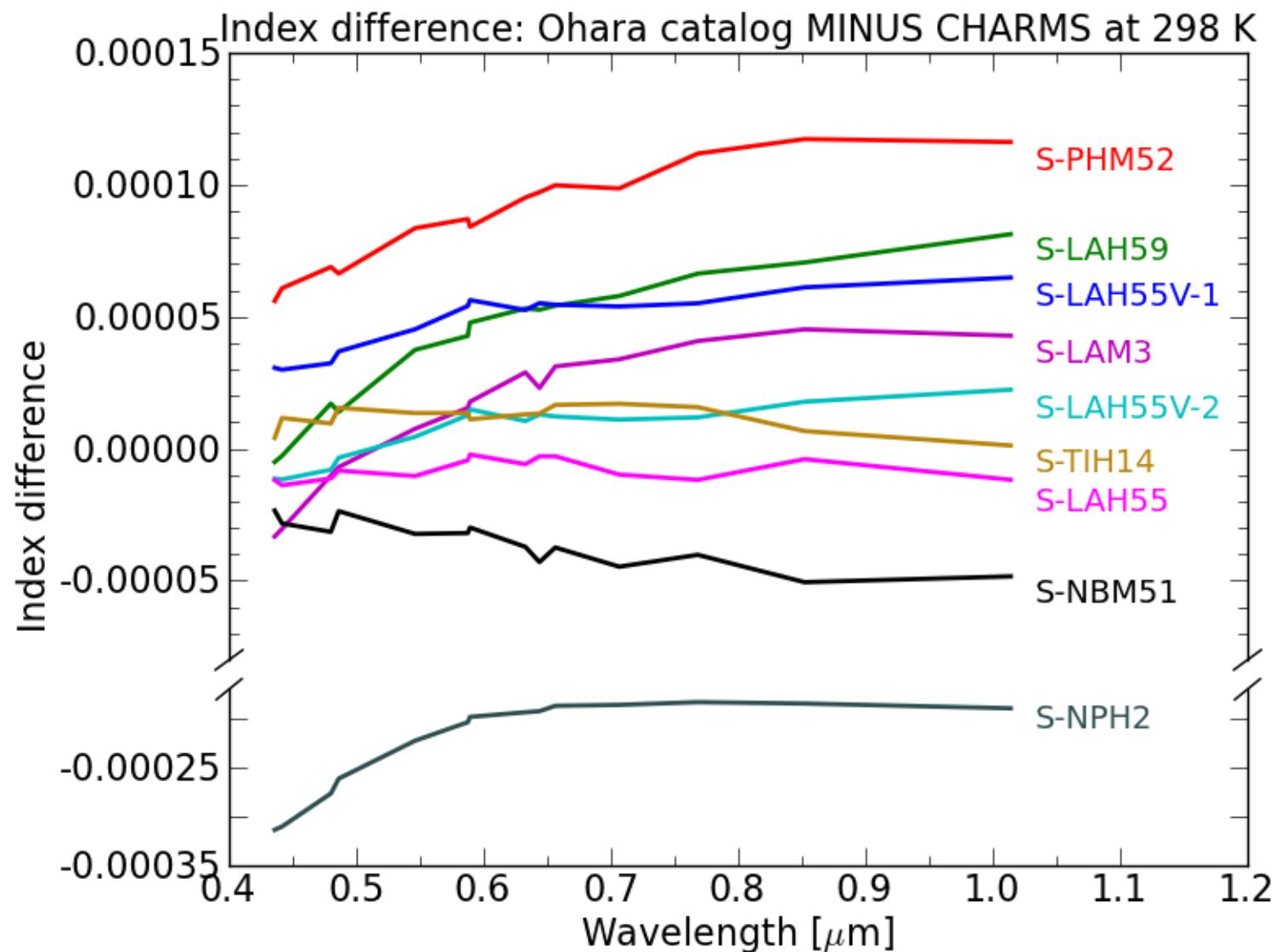
$\text{SiO}_2$  : 30—40 %

$\text{P}_2\text{O}_5$  : 40—50 %

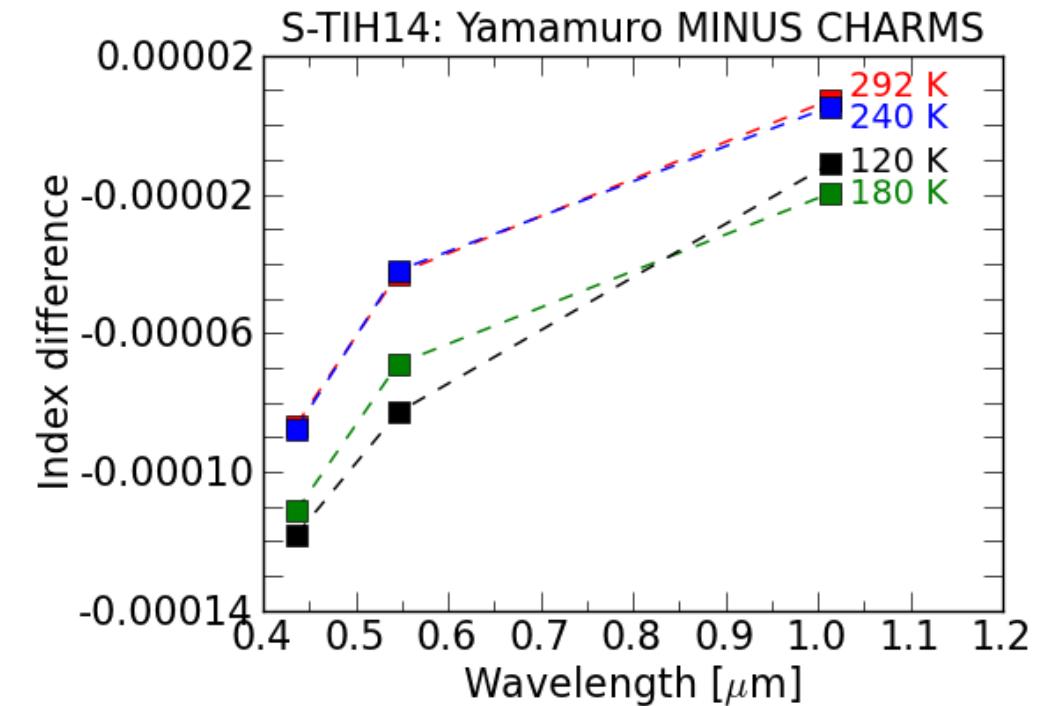
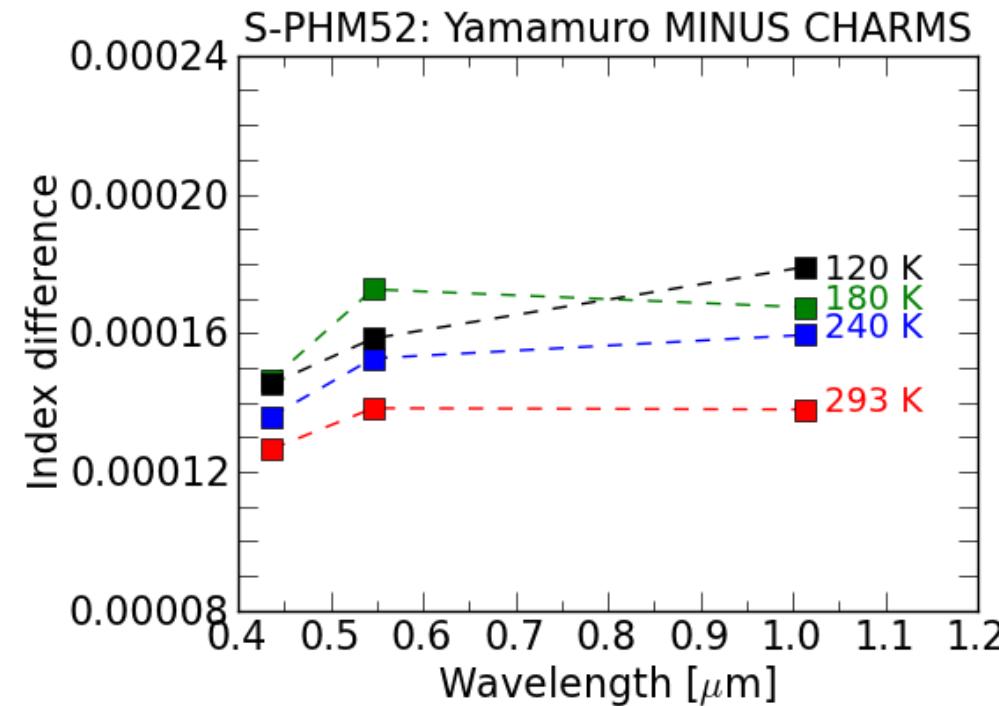
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# Index Comparison: Ohara MINUS CHARMS



# Cryogenic Index Comparison: Yamamuro MINUS CHARMS

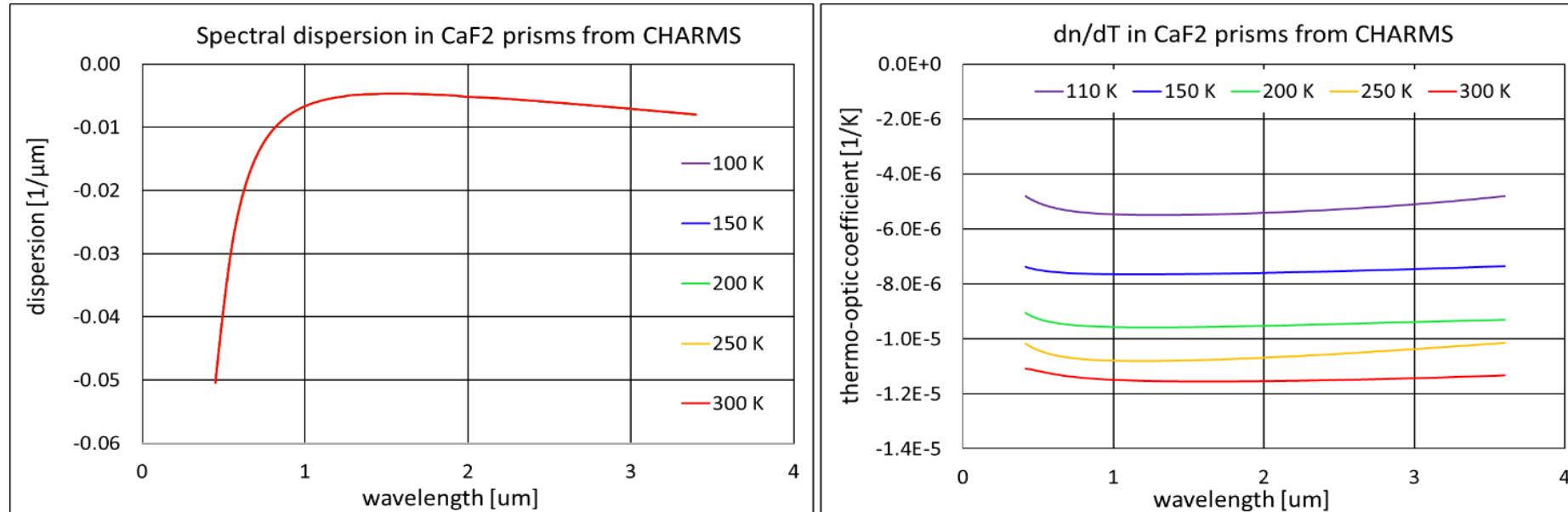
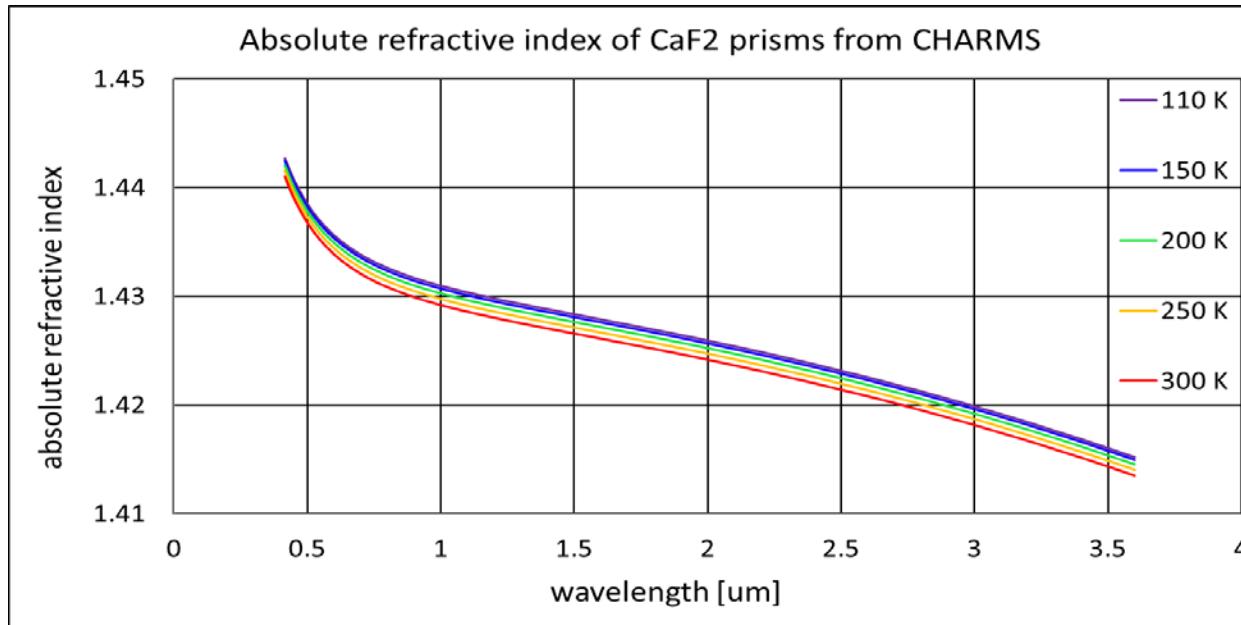


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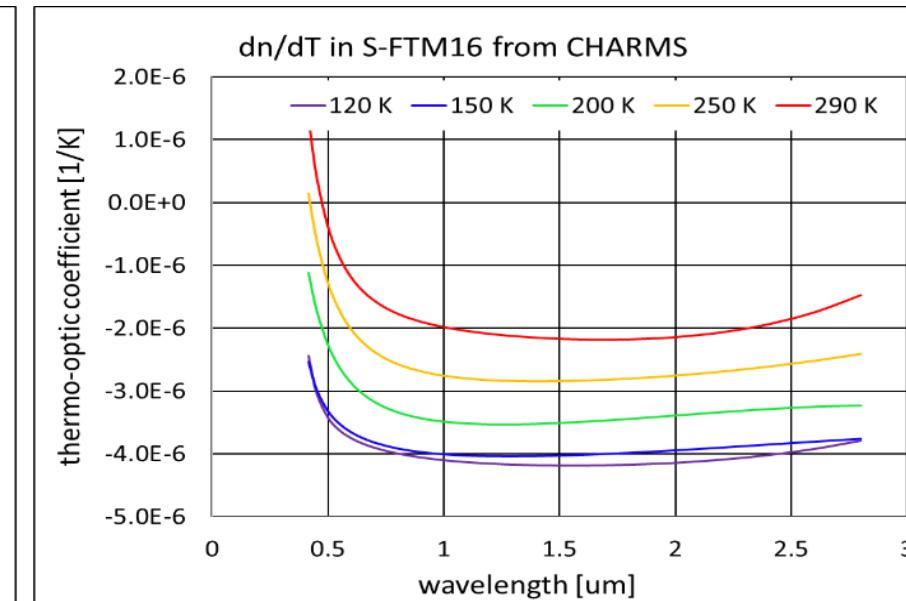
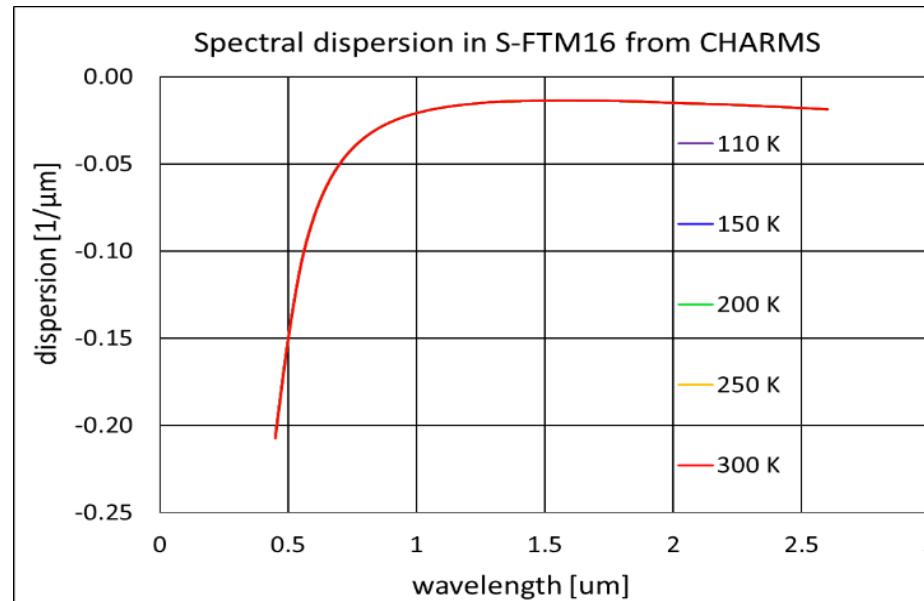
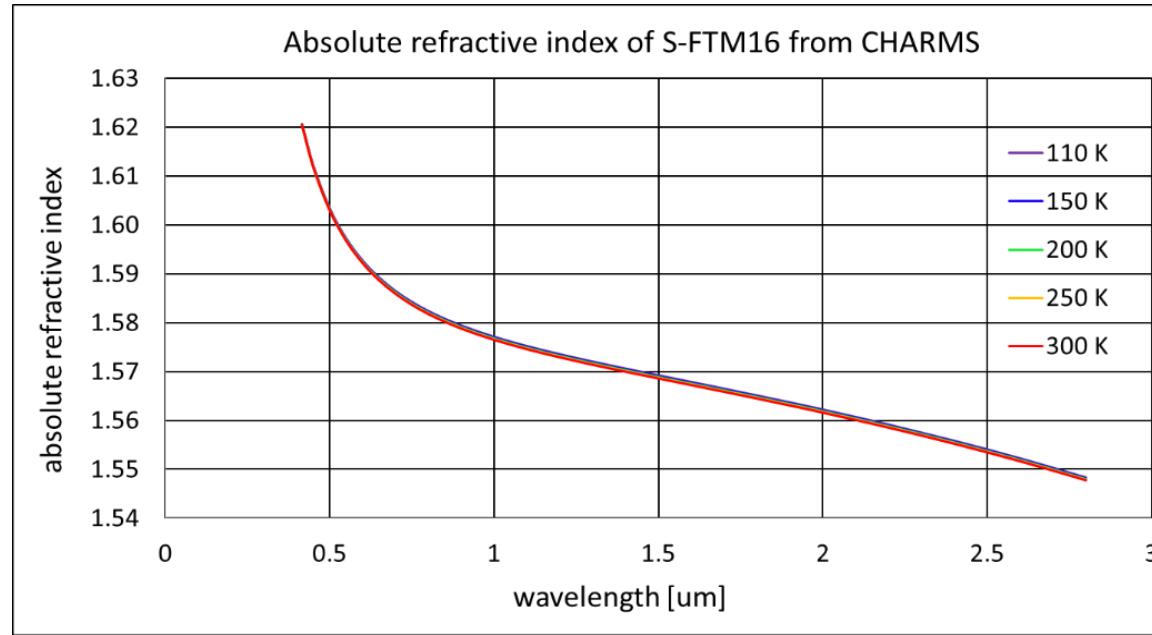
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# Backup

# CHARMS measurements of CaF<sub>2</sub> (Euclid)



# CHARMS measurements of S-FTM16 (Euclid)



# CHARMS measurements of Suprasil 3001 (Euclid)

