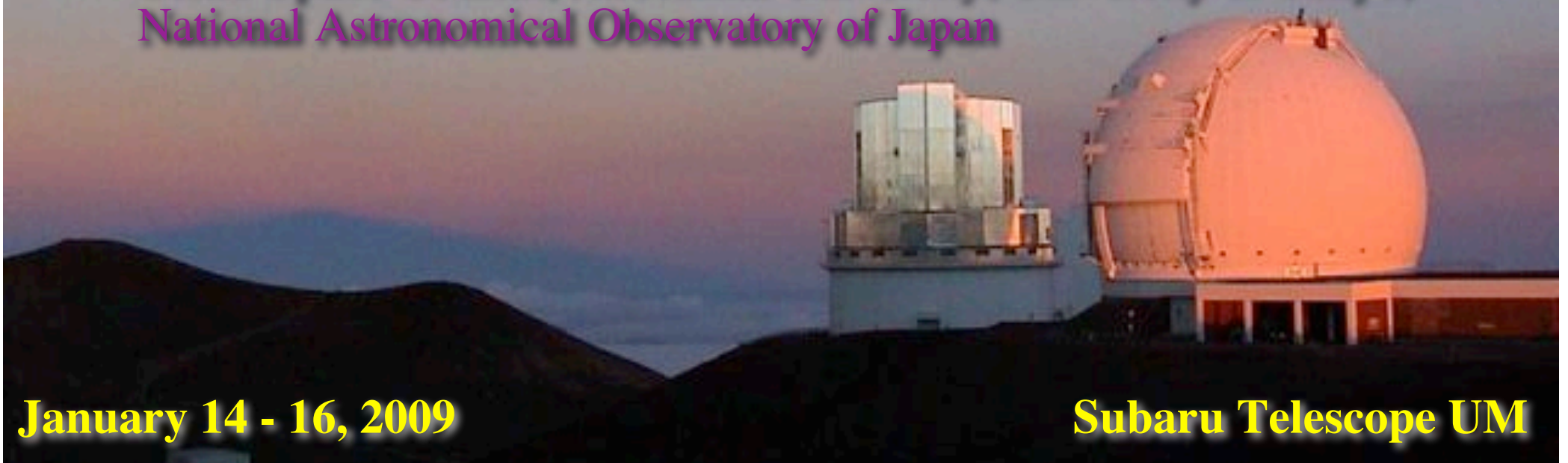


VPH grism for Subaru Telescope

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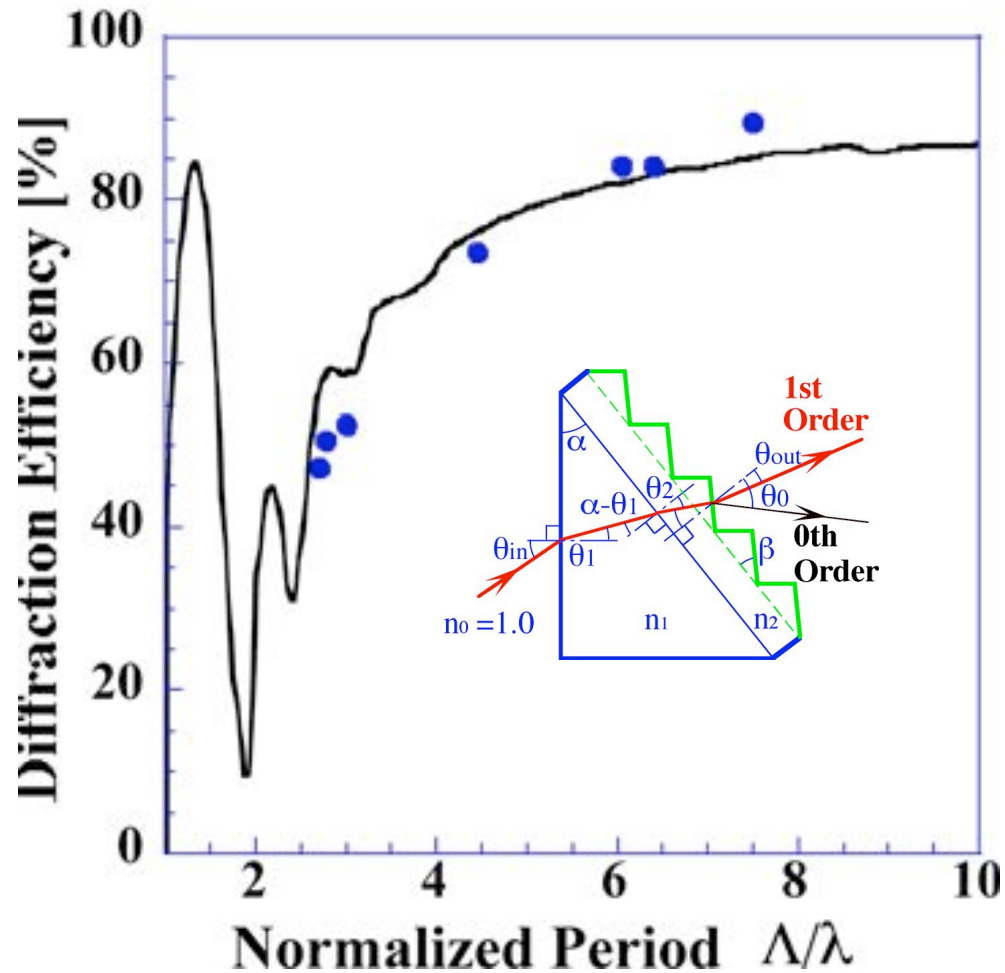
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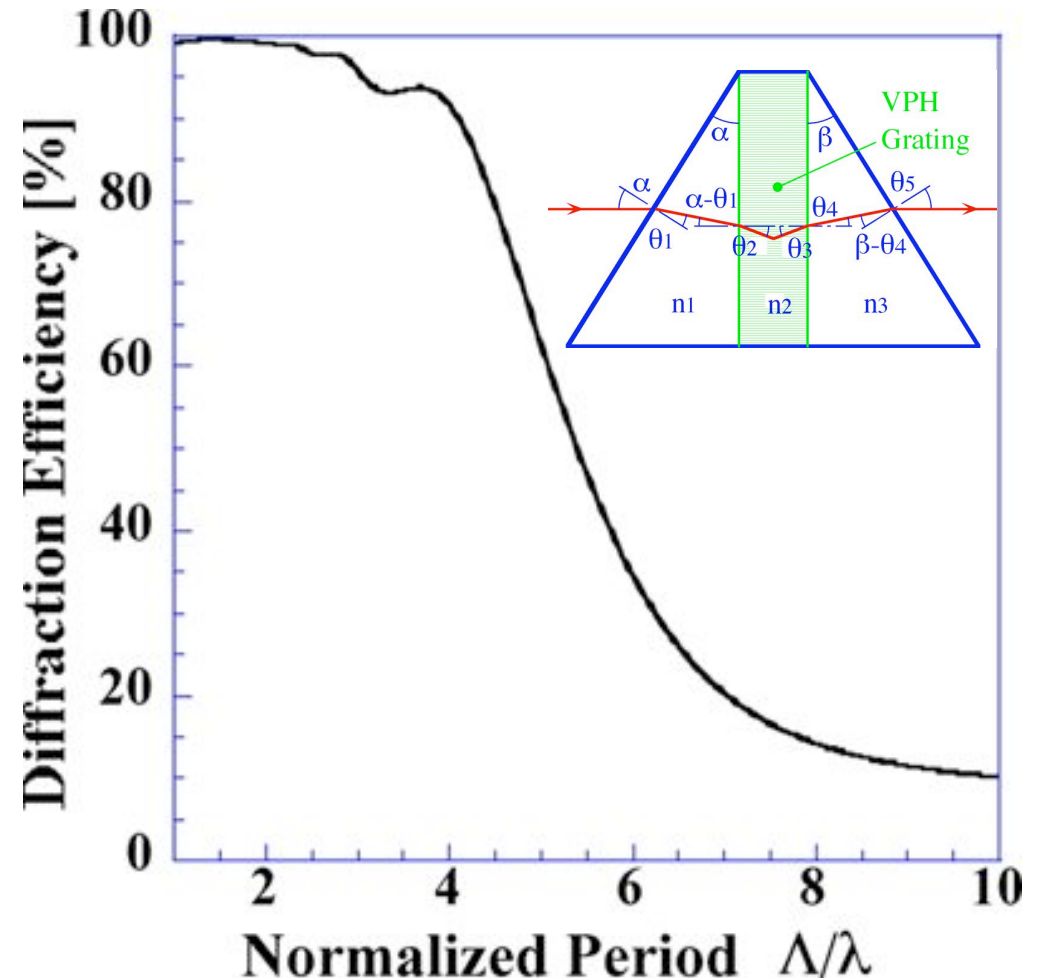
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Subaru Telescope UM

Diffraction Efficiency of Gratings



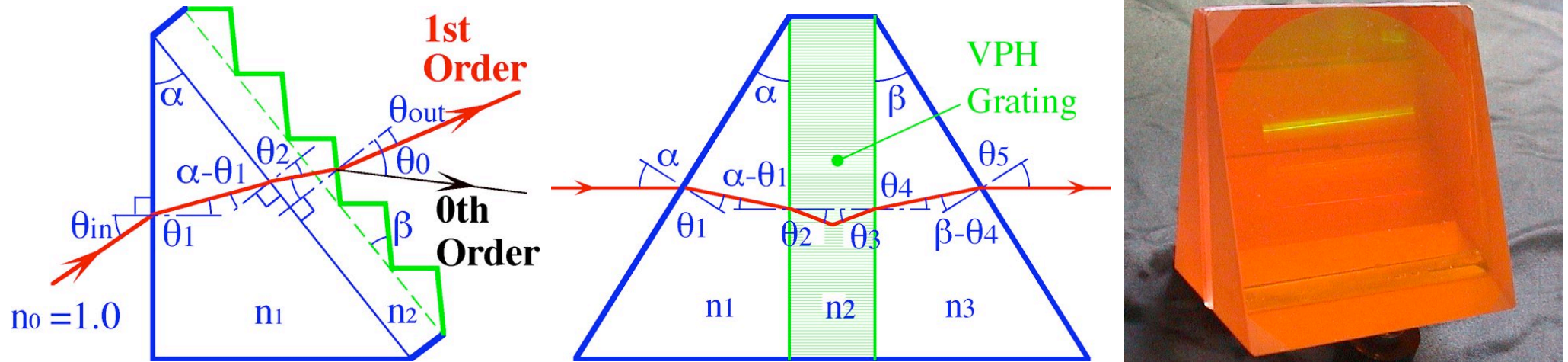
Surface relief grating



VPH grating

[K. Oka et. al., SPIE 5005, 2003]

Grism with High Index Prisms



Critical angle of refractive indices 2.6 and 1.5 is 35.2 degree ($\theta_{in} = 0$, $\alpha = 35.2$).

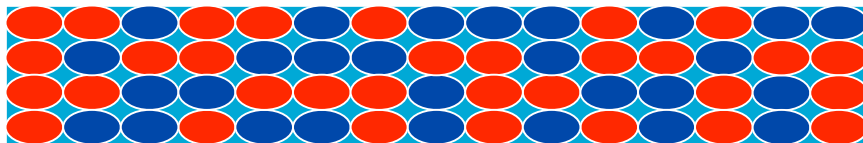
Grism with VPH or Quasi-Bragg grating is less sensitive to critical angle.

[Ebizuka et. al., SPIE 4842, 2002]

Resin for Volume Hologram

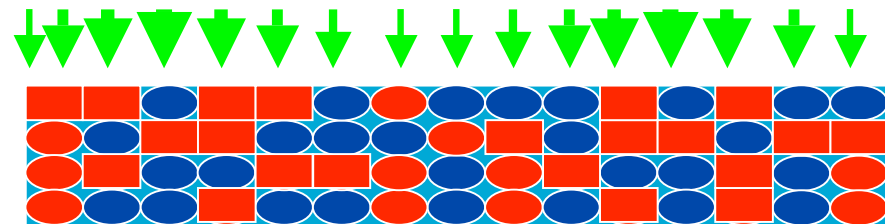
- RPM: Radical polymerization monomer, Polymerized by UV and 460 - 600 nm.
- CPM: Cation polymerization monomer, Polymerized by UV.
- RPP: Radical polymerization polymer.
- CPP: Cation polymerization polymer.

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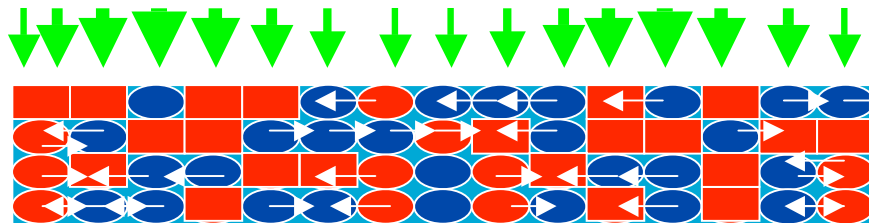
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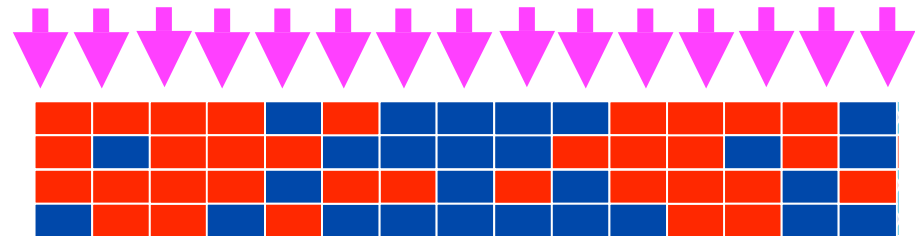
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Laser Exposure



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UV exposure



Hologram Plate Making

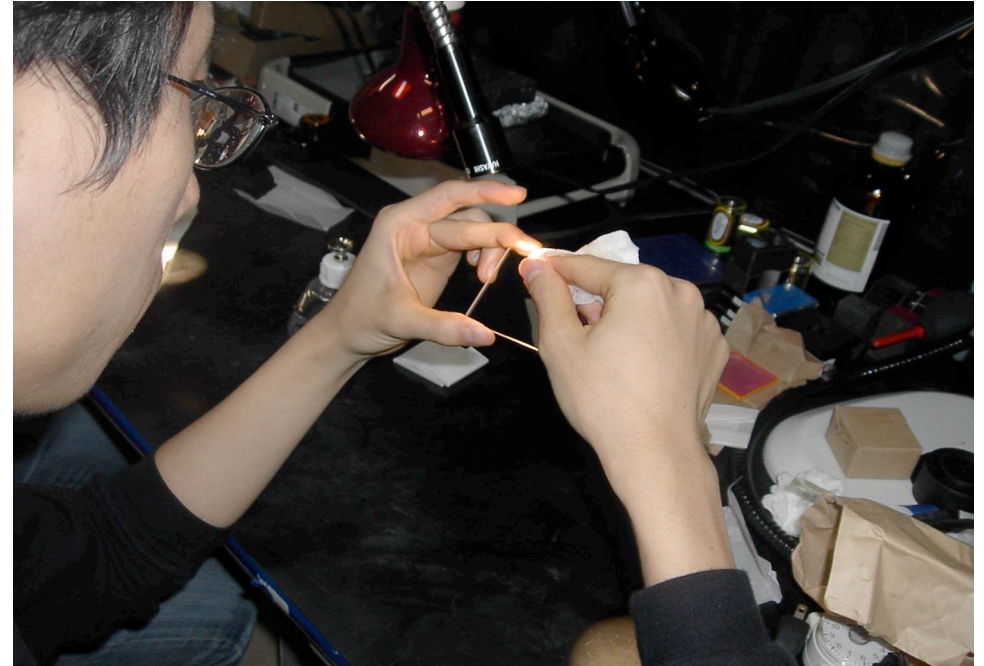
Cleaning of glass substrates.



Dropping resin (liquid) on a substrate, heating up to 80°C.



Sandwich resin with substrate. **Thickness is adjusted by glass beads.**

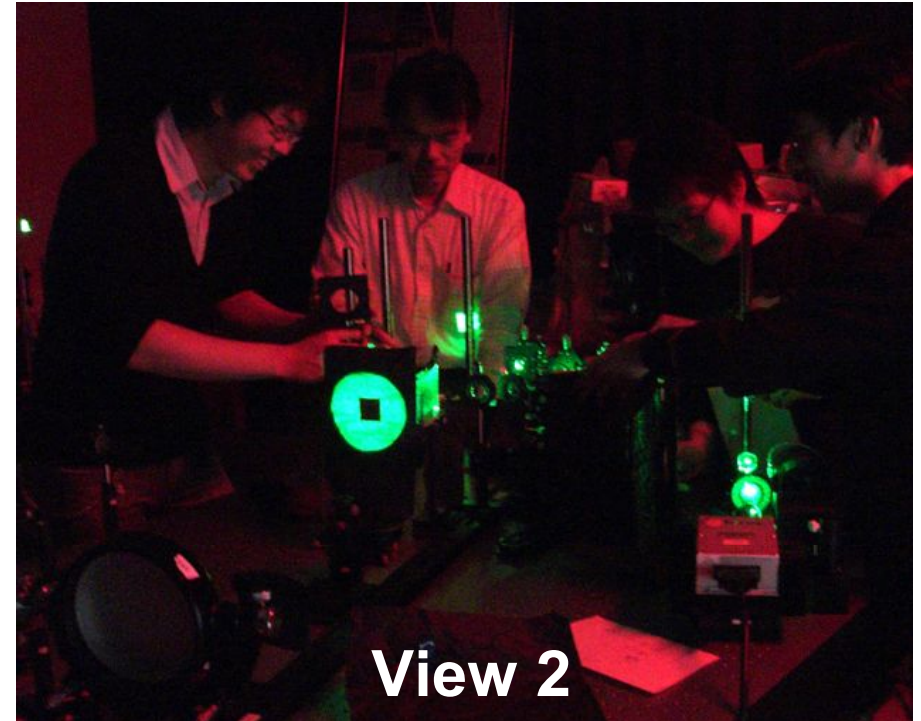


Hologram resin (Nippon Paint Co. Ltd.) Glass substrates



Glass beads

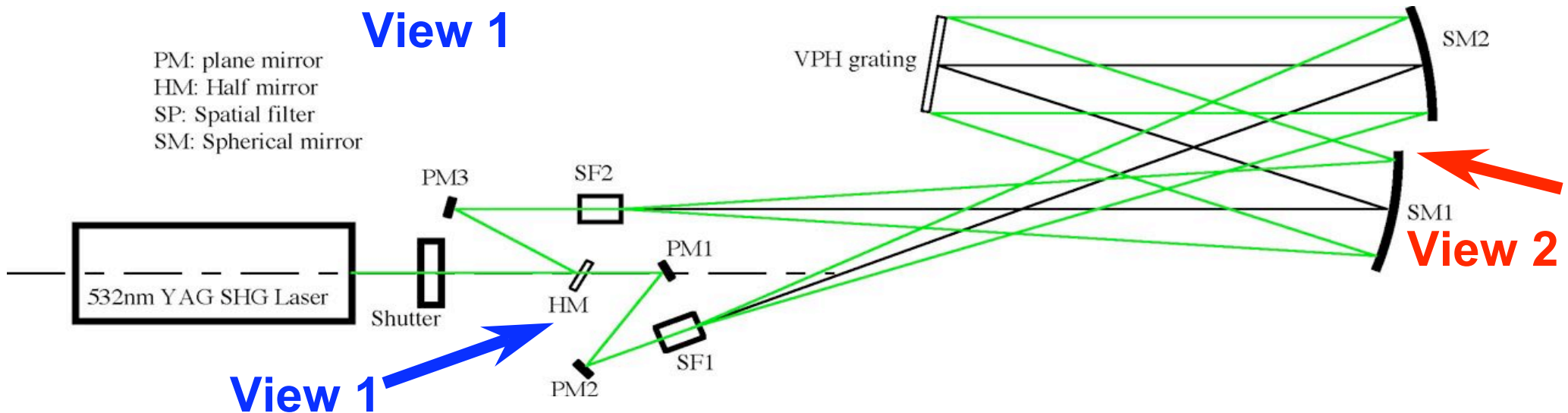
Optical System for Holographic Exposure



View 1

View 2

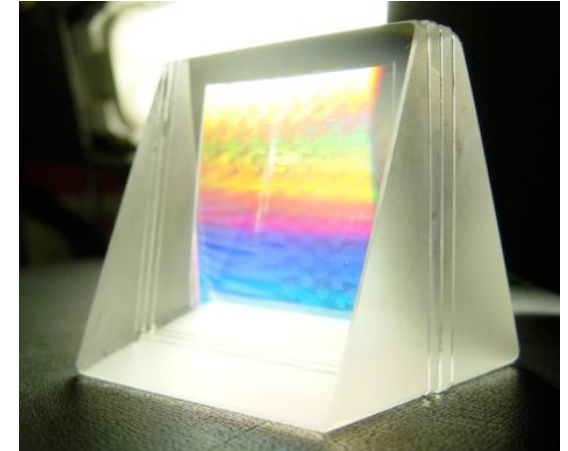
PM: plane mirror
HM: Half mirror
SP: Spatial filter
SM: Spherical mirror



VPH Grisms for FOCAS

(Faint Object Camera and Spectrograph)

| Band | Blaze [nm] | Range [nm] | R ($\lambda/\Delta\lambda$) @0.4" Slit | Developer |
|-------|---------------|---------------|---|--------------|
| U-B | 450 | 346 – 522 | 2,600 | JWU |
| B-V | 520 | 432 – 606 | 3,000 | JWU |
| V-R | 650 | 516 – 781 | 2,500 | Ralcon |
| R* | 680 | 631 – 725 | 7,200 | JWU |
| R-z** | 800 | 550 – 1,047 | 1,600 | Nagoya Univ. |
| I* | 800 | 741 – 856 | 7,000 | Ralcon |
| I-Y** | 950 | 792 – 1,104 | 3,100 | JWU |
| z* | 950 | 879 – 1,027 | 6,400 | Ralcon |



* ZnSe prisms.

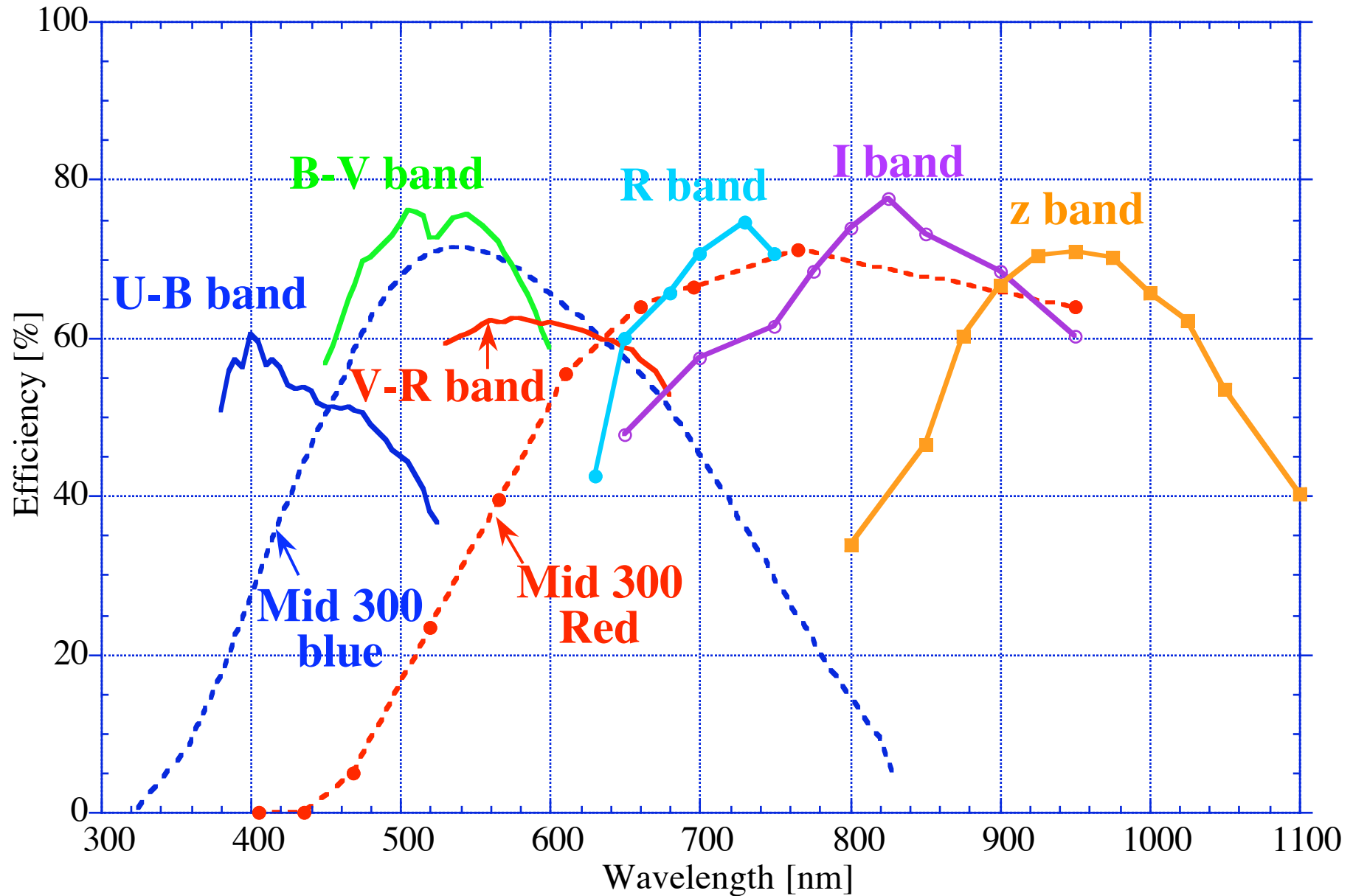
** Under development.

JWU: Japan Women's University

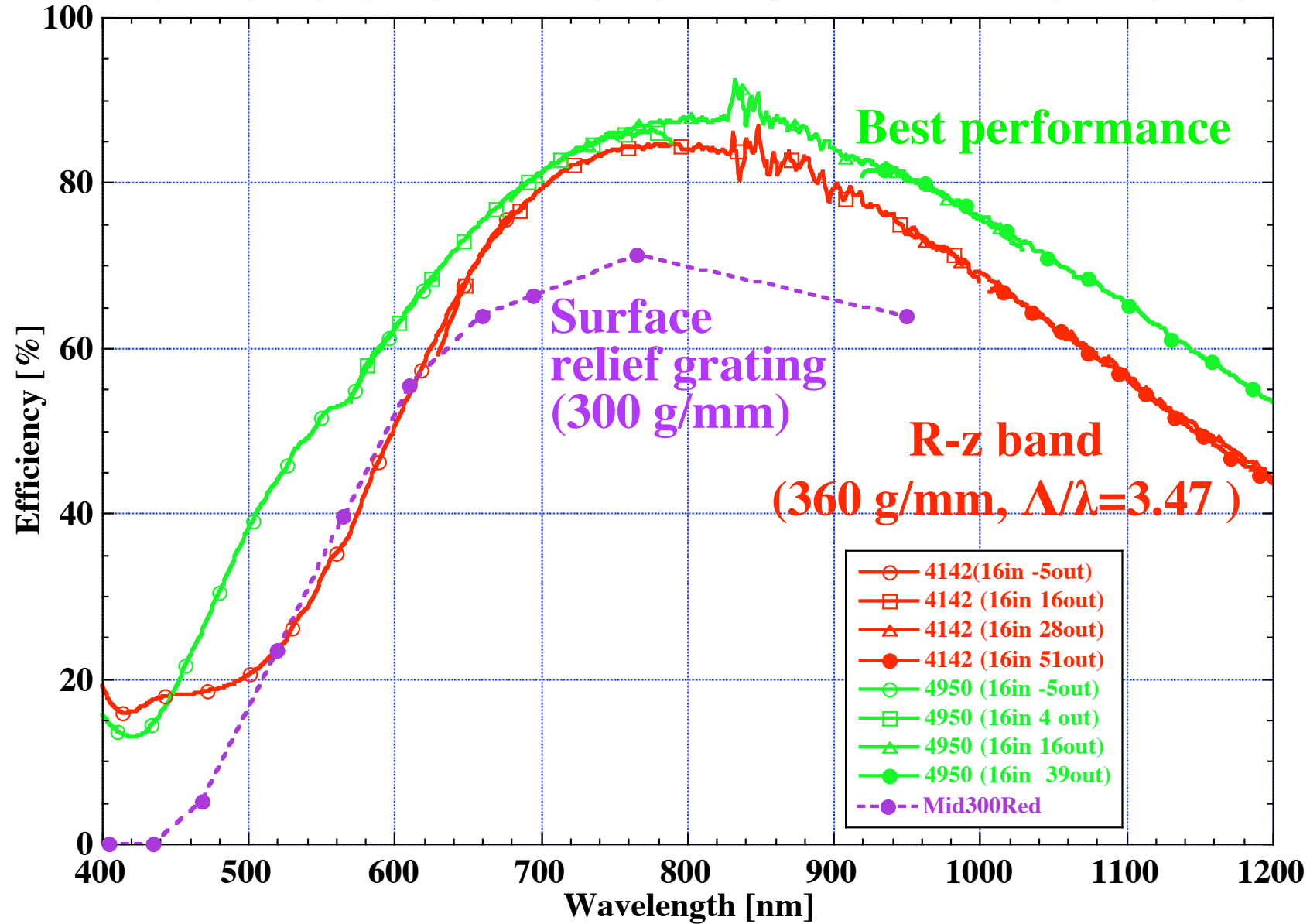
Size: 110 x 106 x 106 (max) mm

[M. Kashiwagi et. al., SPIE 5494, 2004; K.S. Kawabata et. al. SPIE 4841, 2003]

Efficiencies of FOCAS VPH Grisms



Efficiencies of FOCAS R-z Band Grism



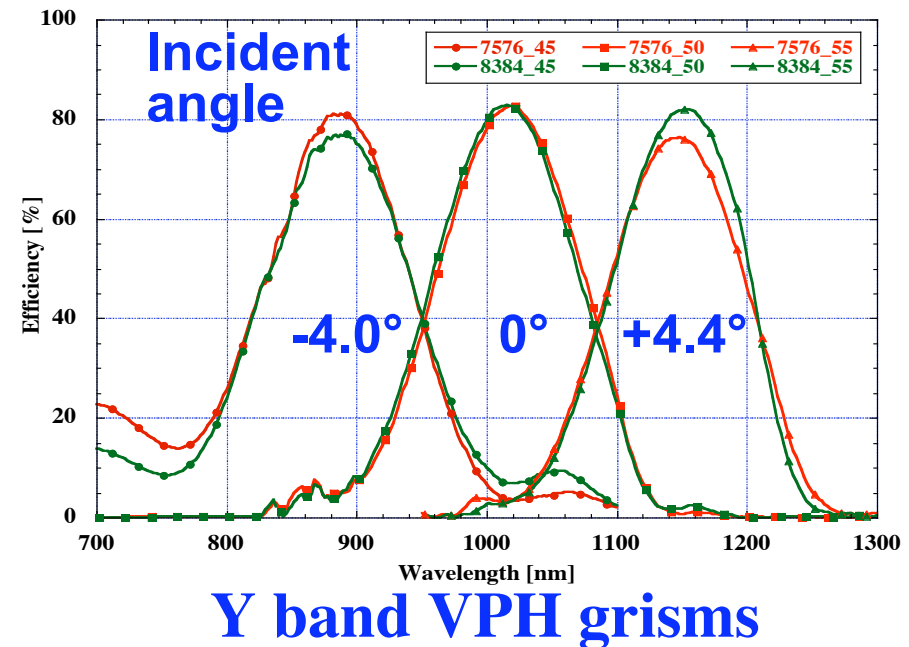
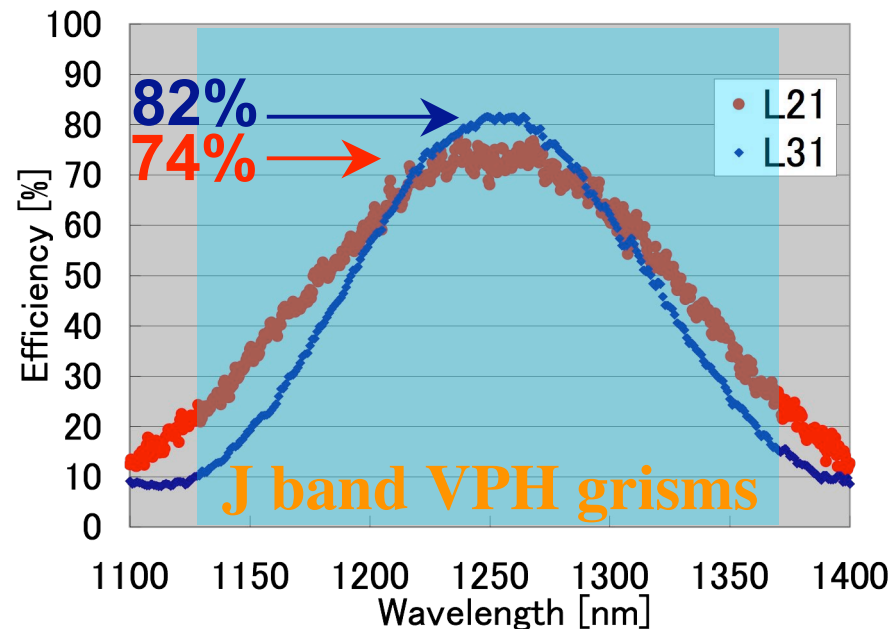
VPH grism is versatile for mideum dispersion !

VPH Grisms for MOIRCS

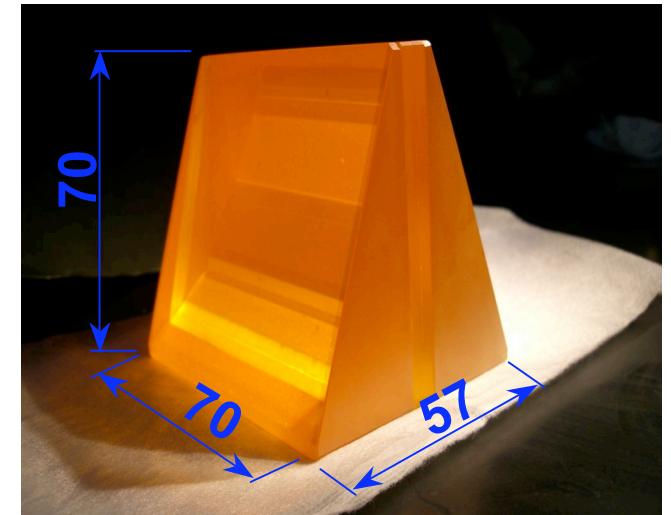
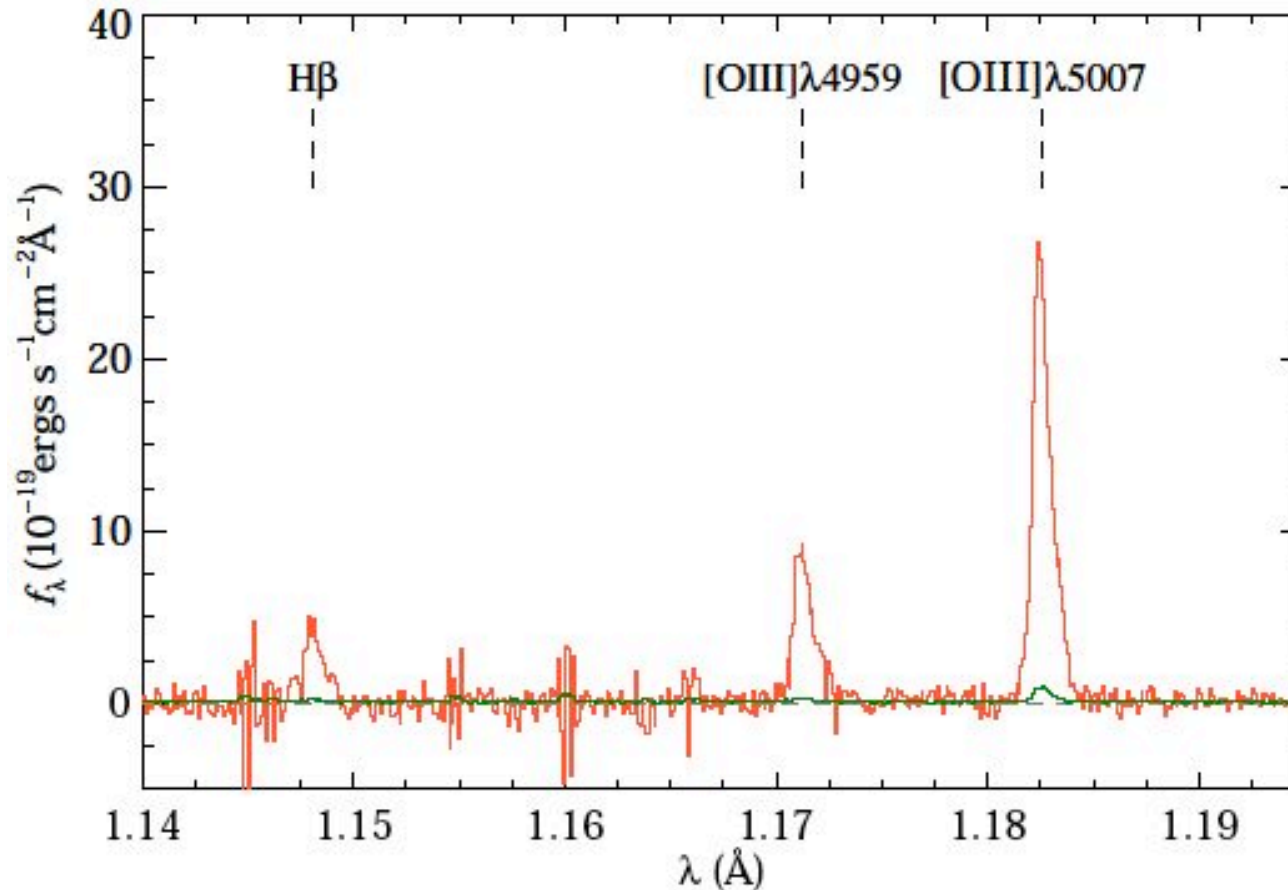
(Multi-Object InfraRed Camera and Spectrograph)

| Band | Blaze [μm] | Range [μm] | R@0.5'' Slit | Efficiency (Max) | Developer |
|------|----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|
| Y | 1.02 | 0.94 – 1.09 | 3,200 | ~ 0.80 | Soma Optics |
| J | 1.25 | 1.13 – 1.37 | 3,100 | 0.82, 0.74 | Tohoku Univ. |
| H | 1.65 | 1.52 – 1.78 | 3,000 | ~ 0.75 | Tohoku Univ. |
| K* | 2.20 | 2.00 – 2.40 | 2,600 | > 0.90 | JWU |

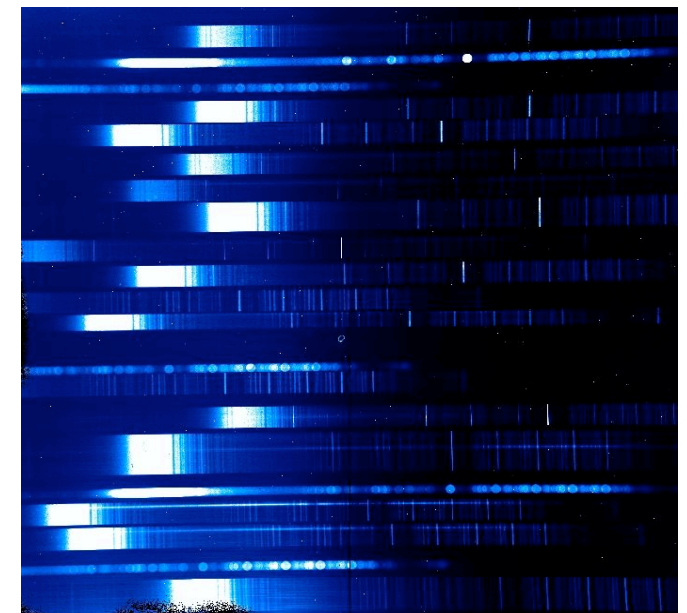
* Under development.



Spectrum of a galaxy (z = 1.618)



Size: 70 x 70 x 57 (max) mm.



MOIRCS, J band VPH grism, 0".8 slit
[Onodera in private communication].

[T. Ichikawa et. al., SPIE 7014, 2008]

Conclusions

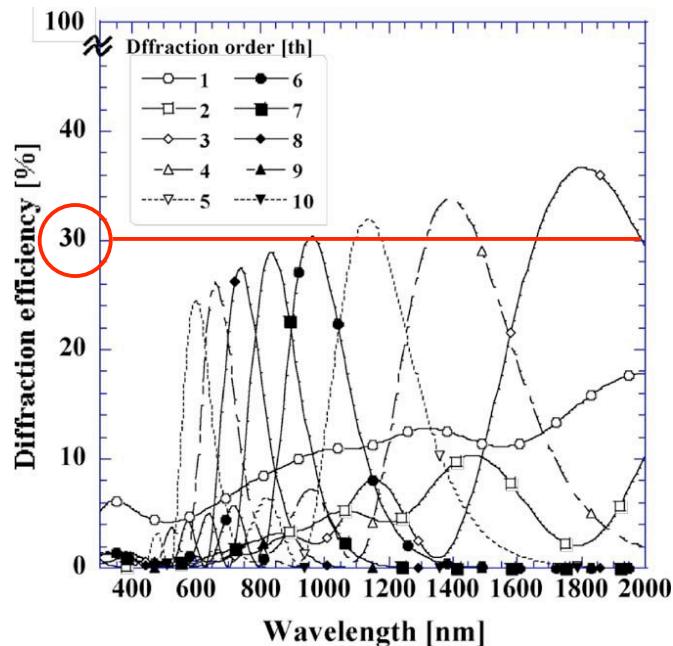
- **U-B, B-V, V-R, R, I and z band grisms for FOCAS, and J and H band grism for MOIRCS are available.**
- **Y band grism for MOIRCS is ready for installation.**
- **R-z and I-Y band grisms for FOCAS, and K band grism for MOIRCS are under development.**

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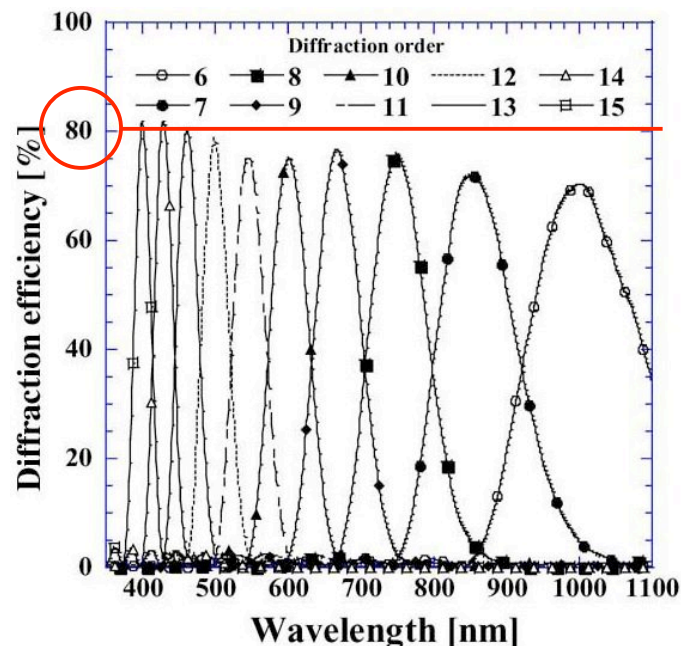
Quasi-Bragg grating



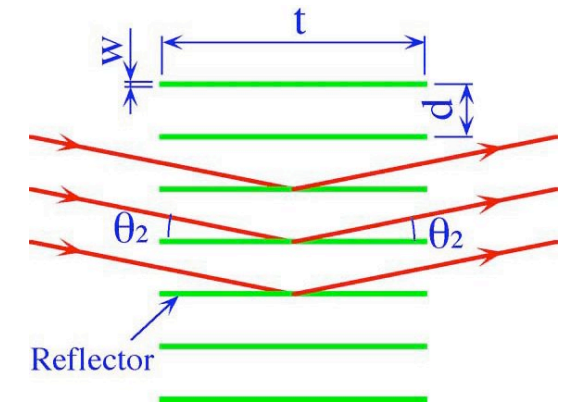
- Echelle mode, a higher order grating with a cross disperser, effectively utilizes 2 dimensional detector.
- Diffraction efficiency of a VPH grating decreases at higher orders.
- Diffraction efficiency of a surface relief grating changes slightly.



Diffraction efficiency of VPH grating of higher order

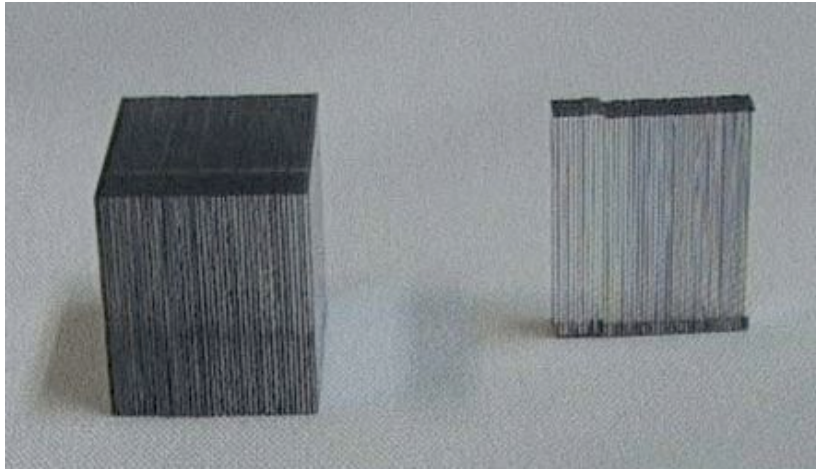


Diffraction efficiency of Quasi-Bragg

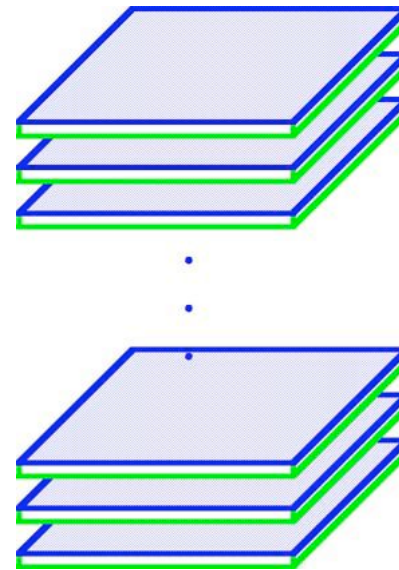
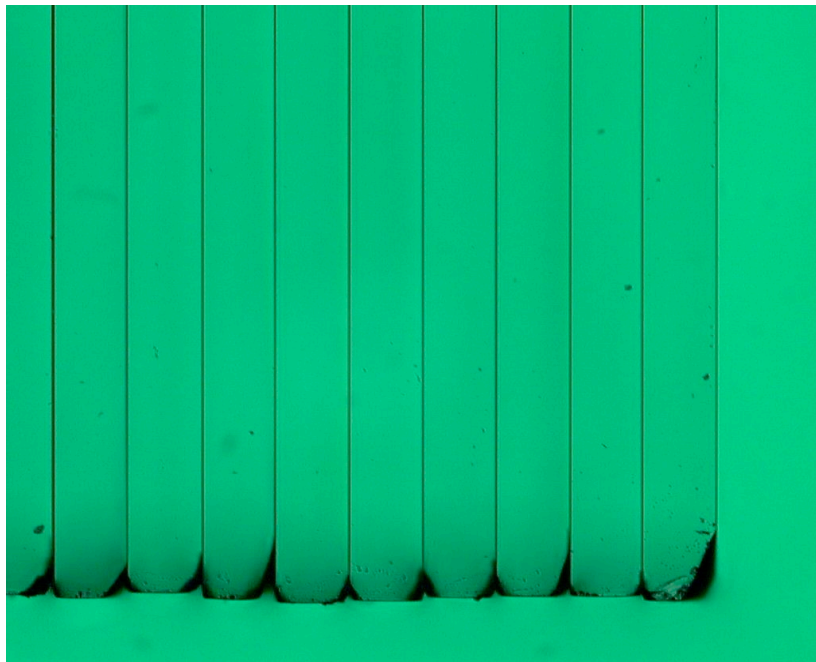


[K. Oka et. al., SPIE 5290, 2004]

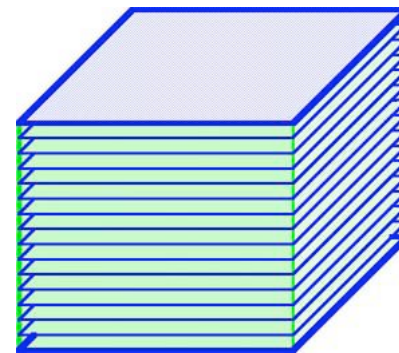
Trial Fabrication of Quasi-Bragg Grating



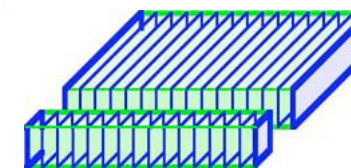
**A: 10 x 10 x 0.2 x 40 pcs (left),
B: 1.5 x 10 x 0.2 x 40 pcs (right)**



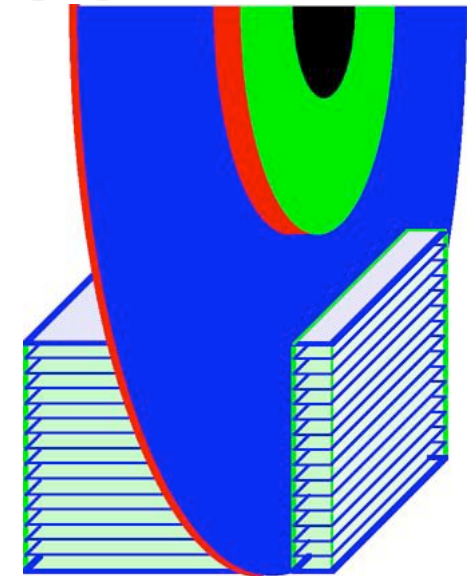
**Laminating
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**Lapping and
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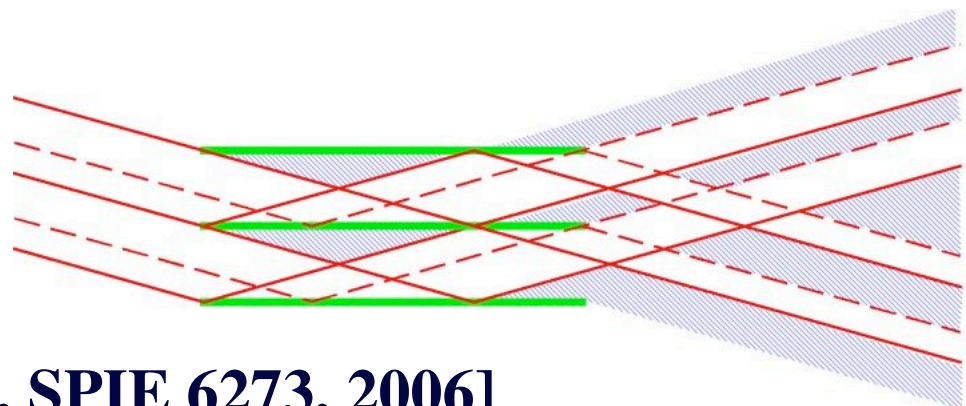
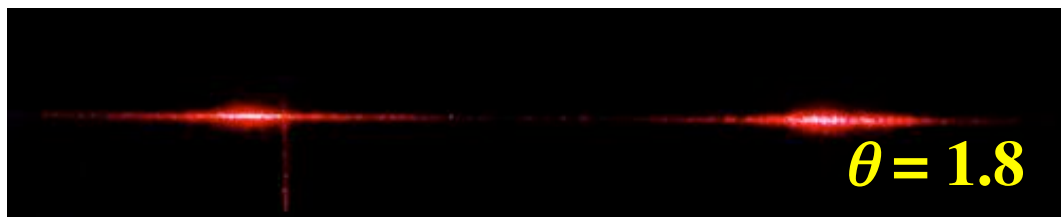
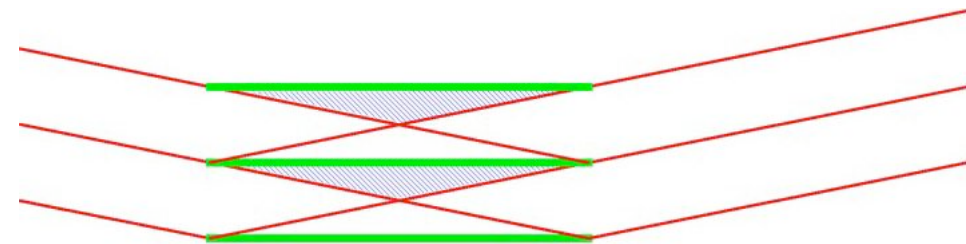
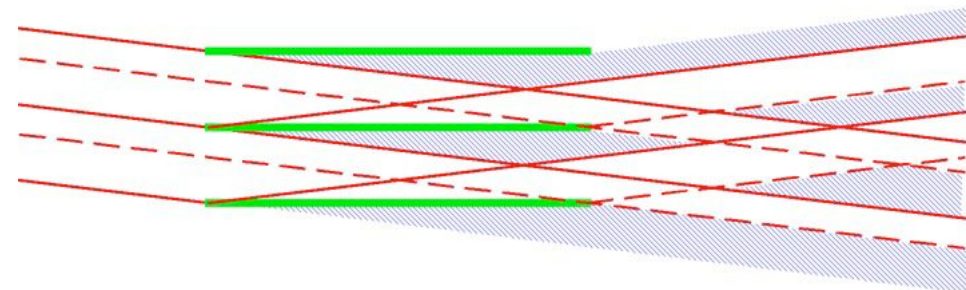


**for Wave
Guide**



Cutting

Diffraction of Quasi-Bragg Grating



[N. Ebizuka et. al., SPIE 6273, 2006]