

Advanced LIGO

Triple Update

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Triple Update

Triples are the triple pendulum suspensions mounted in the HAM chambers – the mode cleaner (MC) mirrors and the recycling mirrors (RM)

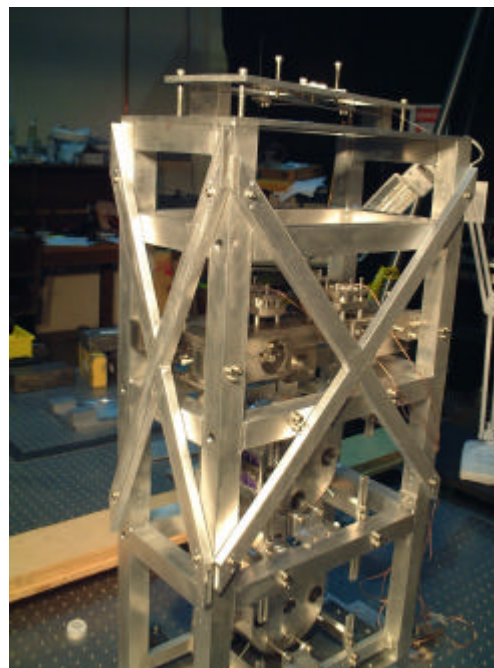
SUS Preliminary Design – 2 Controls Prototype MC triples and 1 Controls RM Prototype

Controls Prototypes demonstrate mech. & controls requirements – use metal masses and metal suspension wires.

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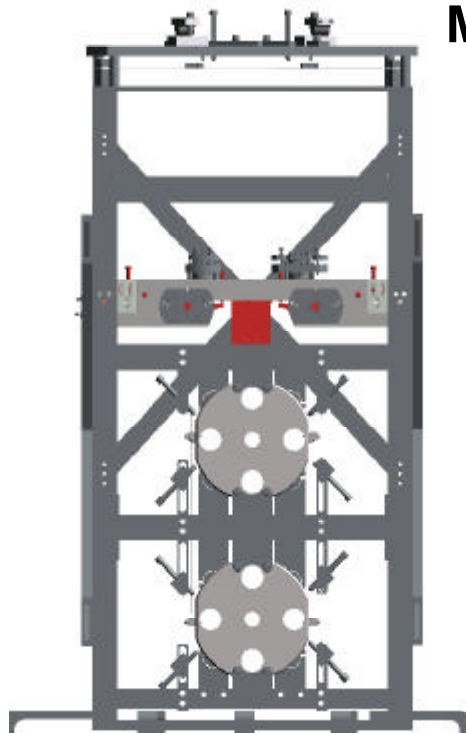
- Mode Cleaner Controls Prototype Suspension
 - » Optic:
 - 15cm dia x 7.5cm thick
 - 2.9kg.
 - Metal for controls, fused silica for noise.
 - » Metal wires for controls, fused silica fibers/ribbons for noise.
 - » No reaction chain
 - » 3 kg, 3kg, 3kg
- Recycling Mirror Controls Prototype Suspension
 - » Optic:
 - 26.5cm dia x 10cm thick
 - 12.1 kg.
 - Metal for controls, fused silica for noise.
 - » Metal wires for controls and noise.
 - » No reaction chain
 - » 12.1kg, 12.1kg, 12.1kg

Mode Cleaner Triple



MODE CLEANER SUSPENSION

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Mode Cleaner: - MASS & CG

- **FOOTPRINT**

220mm x 400mm x 890mm

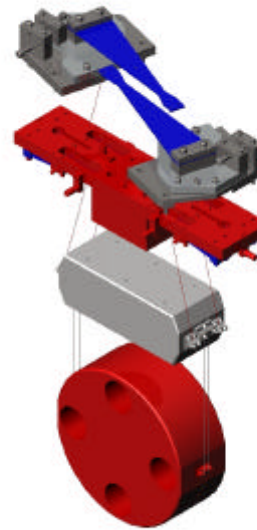
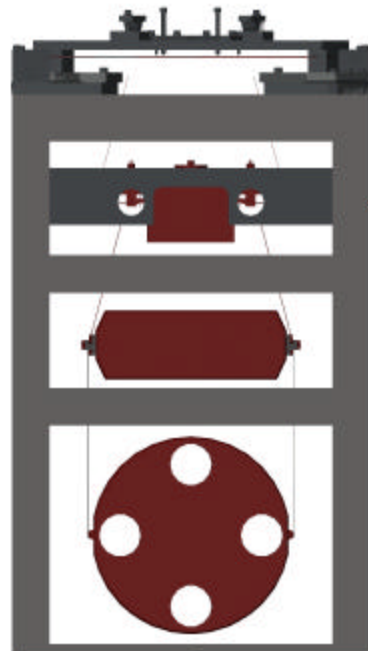
- **MASS**

Suspension	= 9 kg
Non-Suspended	= 18 kg
Structure	= 11 kg
+ new	= 20 kg
TOTAL	= 58 kg
TOTAL + 25%	= 72.5 kg

- **CG**

The Centre of Gravity is **365 mm** from the bottom of the structure.

Recycling Mirror

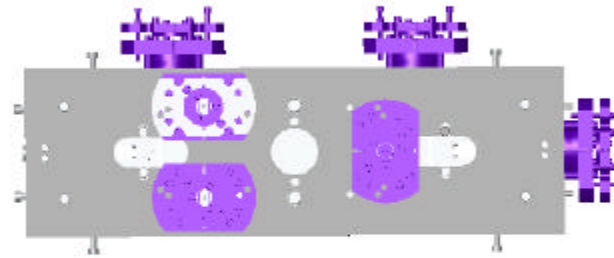
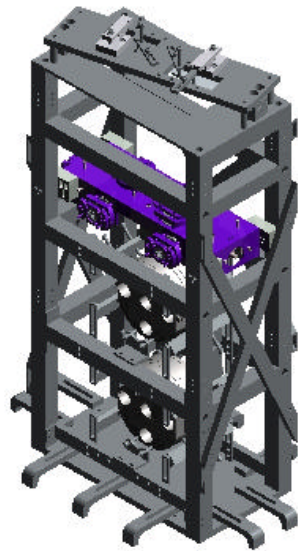


RECYCLING MIRROR

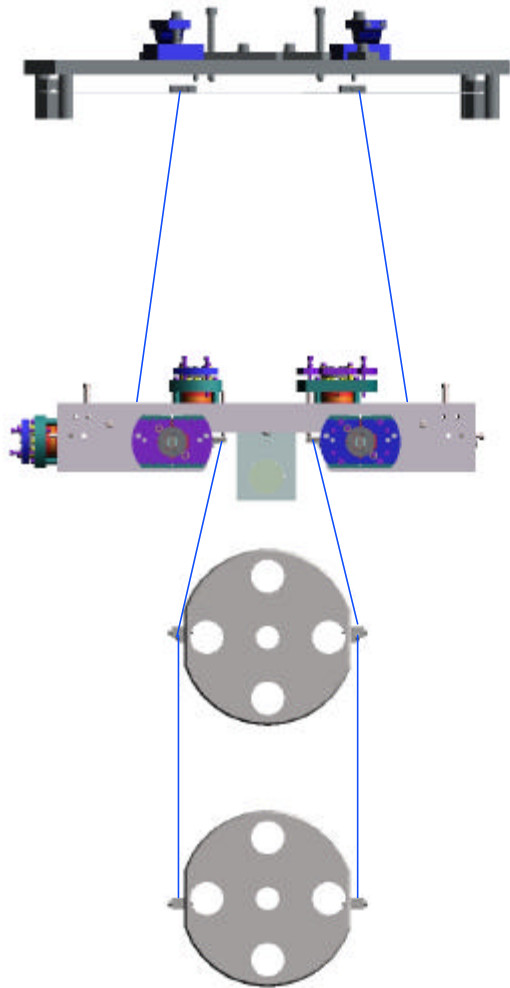
Mode Cleaner Progress

- MC controls
 - » 6 Hybrid co-located sensor/actuators (osems) developed and prototyped by GEO & LIGO Lab for the local controls at the upper mass.
 - » LIGO 1 osems for global control on lower 2 masses.
- 1 Mode Cleaner Controls prototype will be delivered to LASTI for testing.
 - » Installation practice
 - » Initial LIGO/HEPI installation and test

6 co-located sensor/actuators



SWITCH TO TALK ON COILS & ECDs



MODE FREQUENCIES

- Ongoing, measured in red: -
 - » Vertical

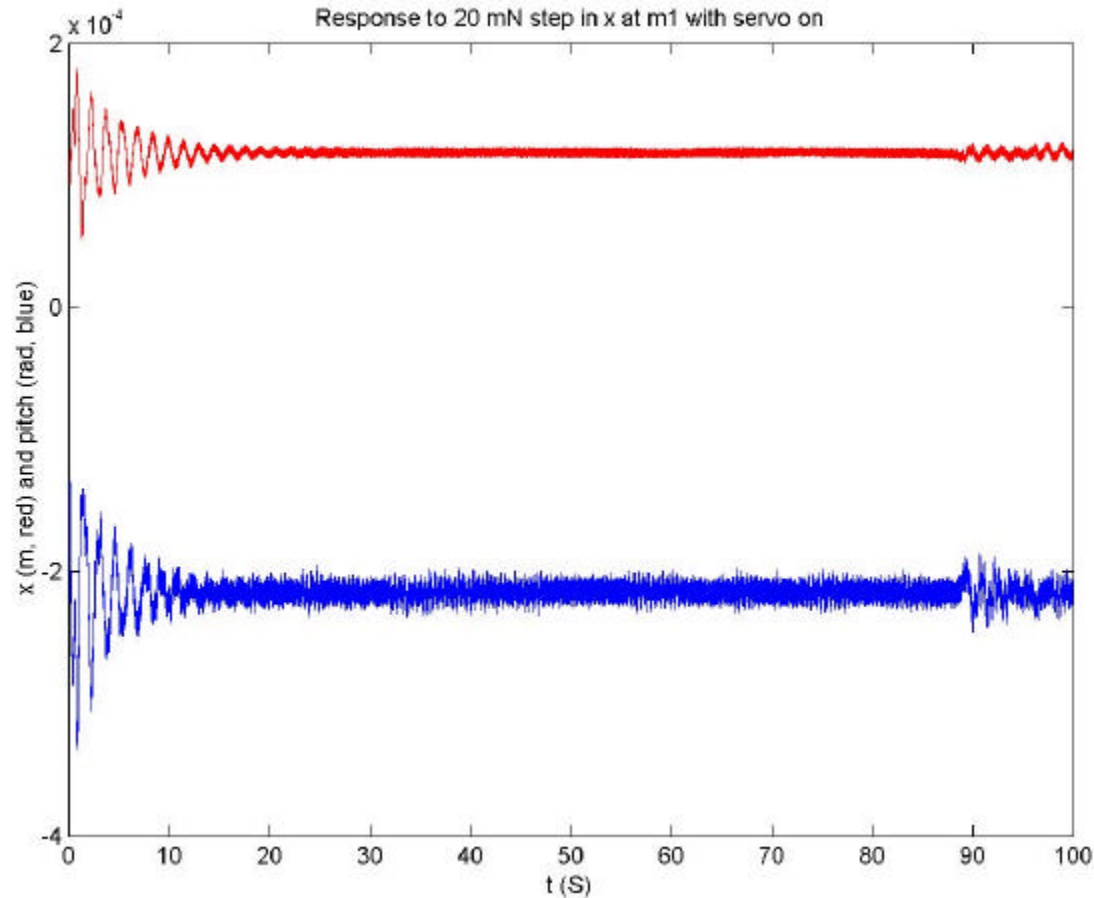
34.5 Hz	4.22 Hz	1.19 Hz
35 Hz	4.2 Hz	1.1 Hz
 - » Yaw

1.09 Hz	3.52 Hz	1.96 Hz
1.09 Hz	3.6 Hz	2.0 Hz
 - » Pitch / Longitudinal

0.67, 1.06, 1.52, 2.8, 3.6, 4.84 Hz
2.8, 3.56, 4.84 Hz
 - » Transverse / Roll

49, 3.8, 2.8, 1.2, 2.13, 1.52, 2.8 Hz

TRANSFER FUNCTIONS



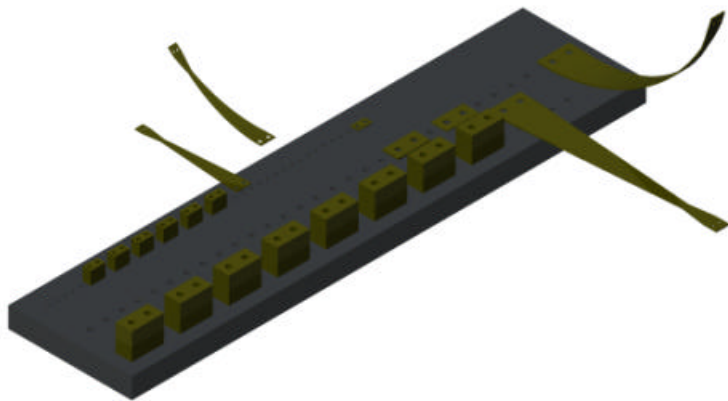
- 20 mN Step in x at the top mass
- Response in x, longitudinal and Q, pitch
- Settling time <10s, as expected
- Compares very well with the model

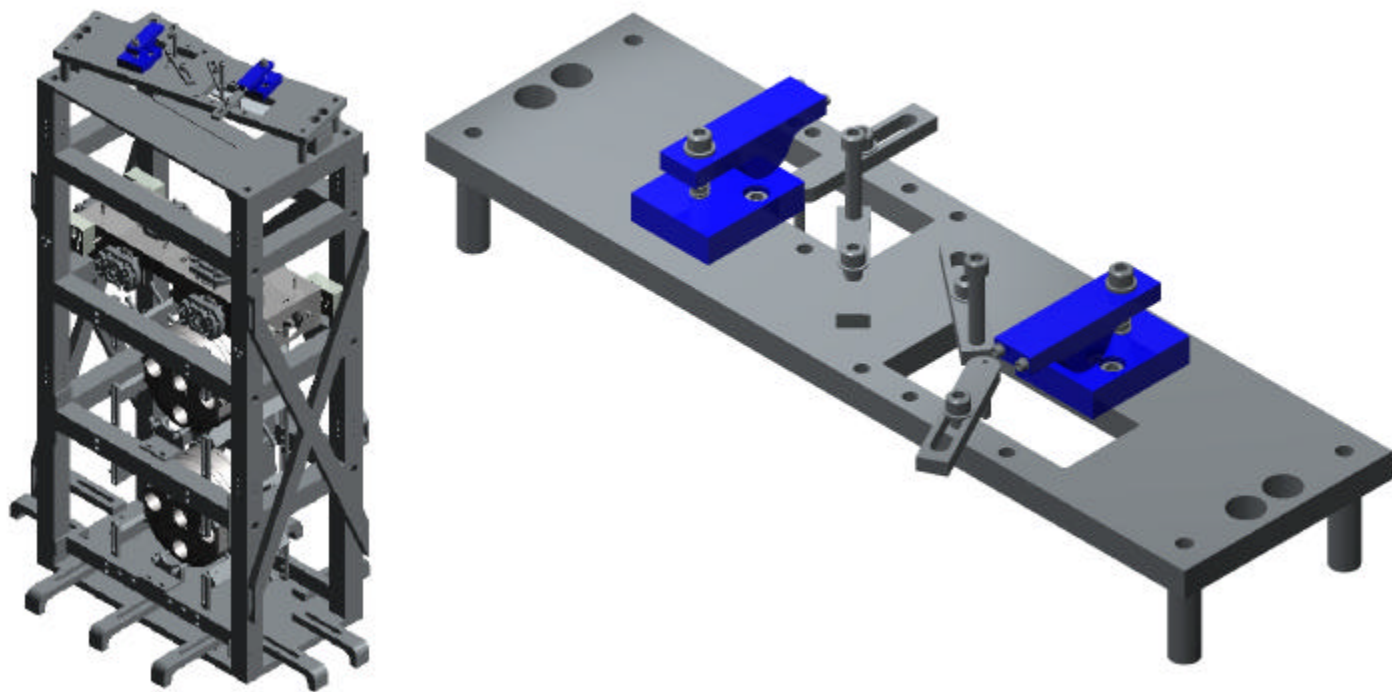
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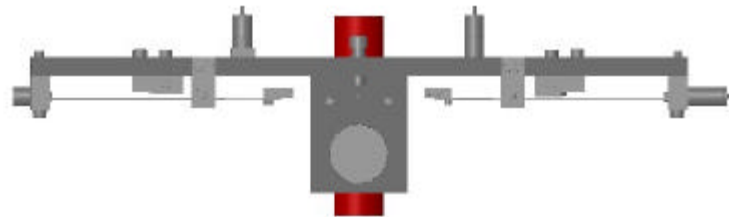
- “Are Reaction Chains needed for AdLIGO HAM Optics” by Phil Willems, LIGO-T020059
 - » Conclusion – no
 - » Based on worst case scenario of RF readout scheme.
 - » Vetted by P. Fritschel/Systems Engineering
 - » Magnets (LIGO 1 size – 2mm dia x 3mm long NEO-35) may be glued on penultimate mass for global control and DC actuation.
 - » Less powerful magnets may be attached to test mass with Vac Seal

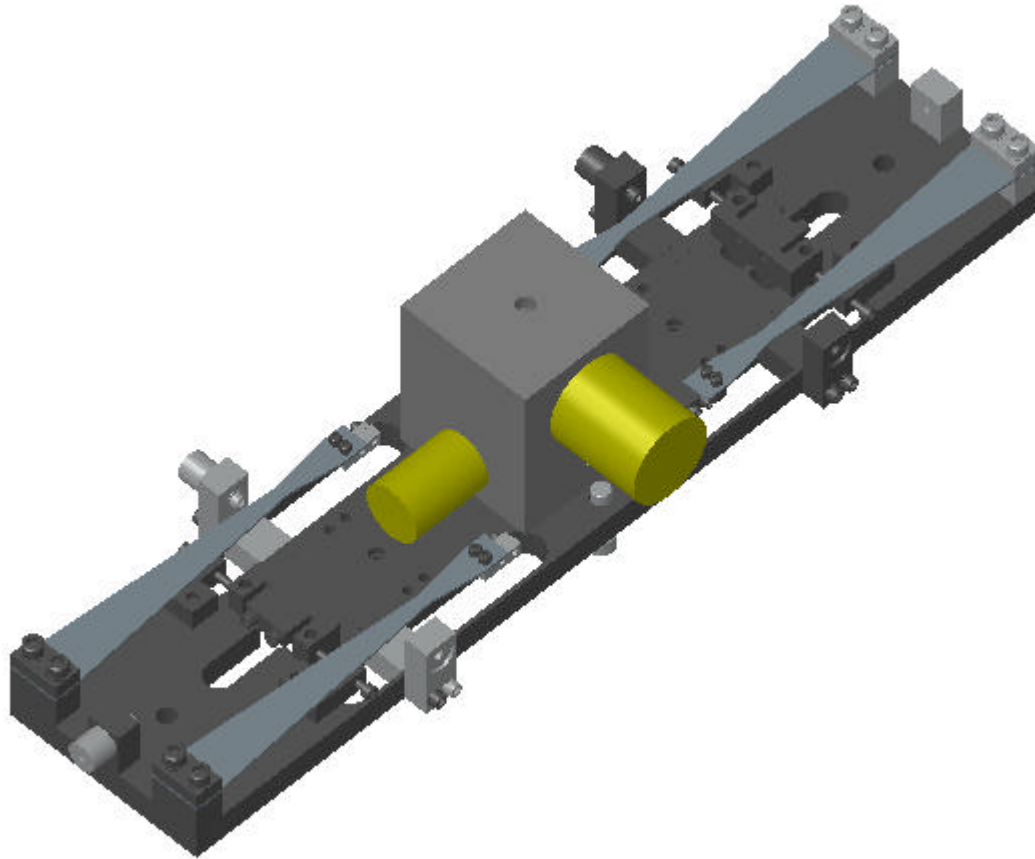
Suspension work

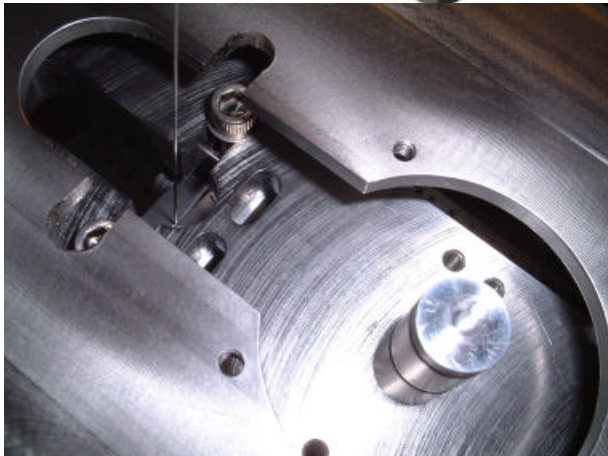
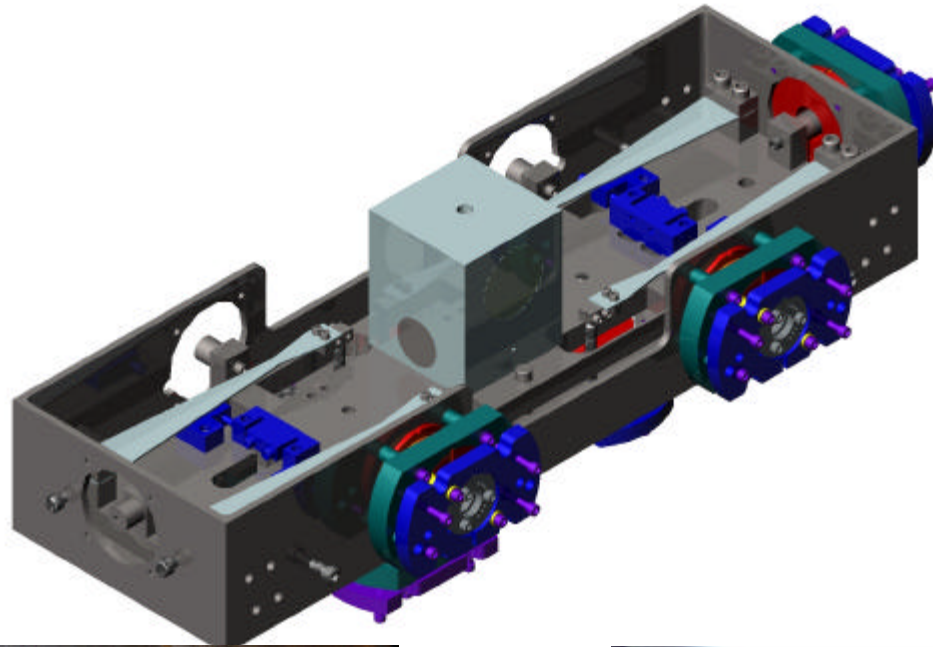
- Numerous **adjustment methods** have been created, fabricated and tested on the MC.
 - » Vertical adjustments – used in combination
 - Library of clamps – to match blades after testing.
 - Winch - See T030068.
 - Fixed added mass
 - » Moving mass – adjusts pitch & roll position of optic.
 - » Moving wire clamp – fine adjustment of pitch.

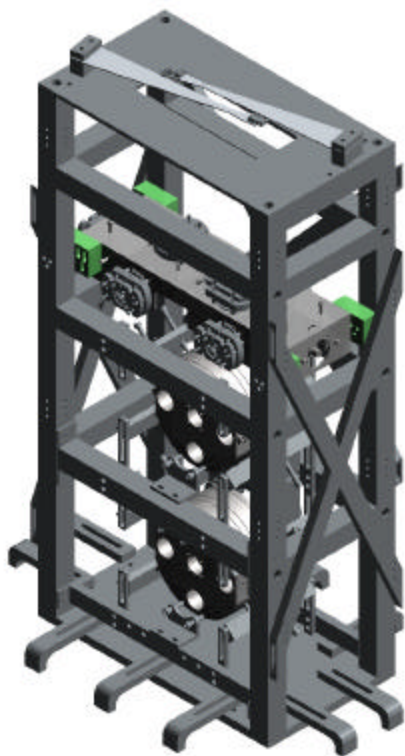




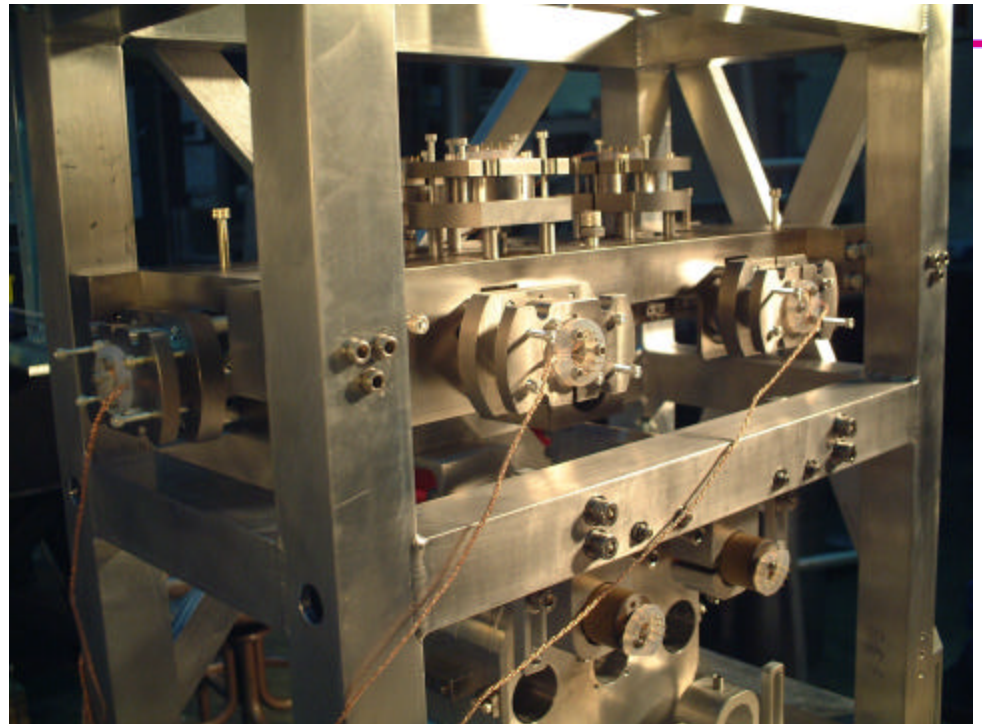


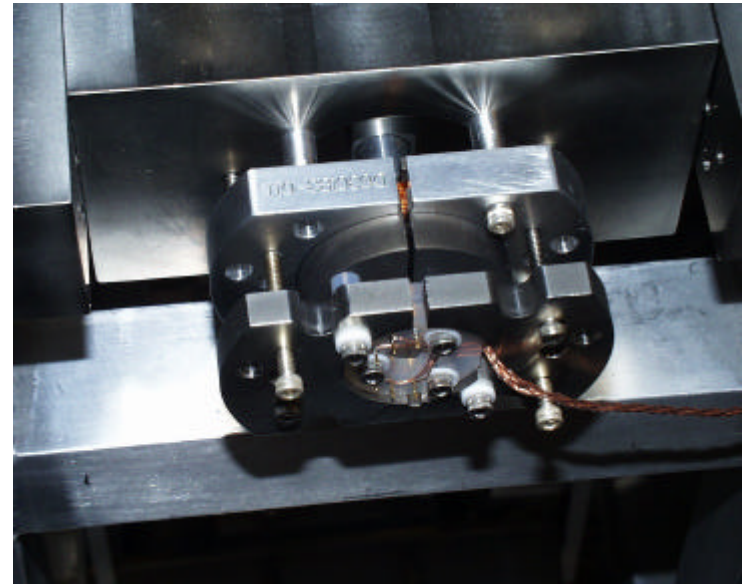
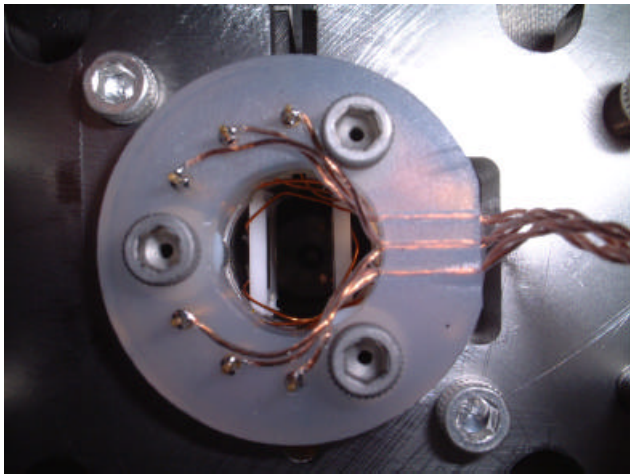
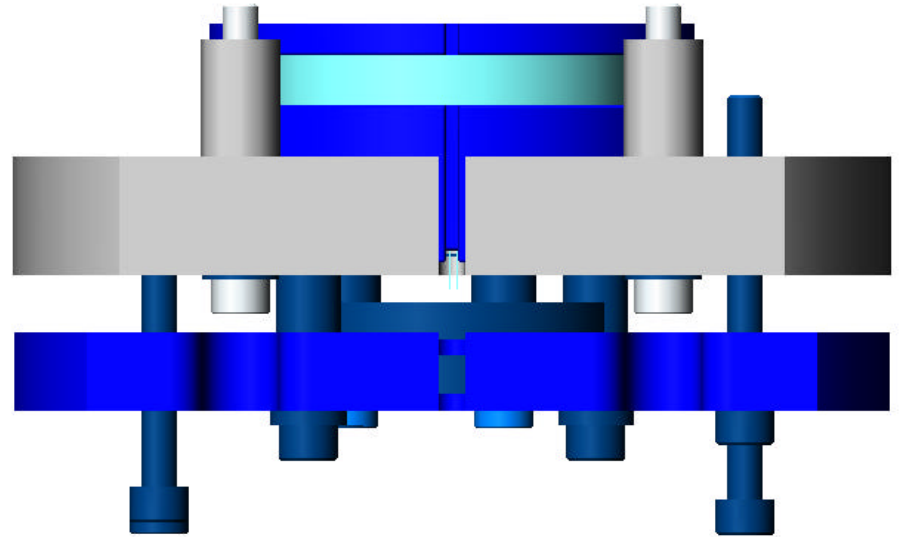
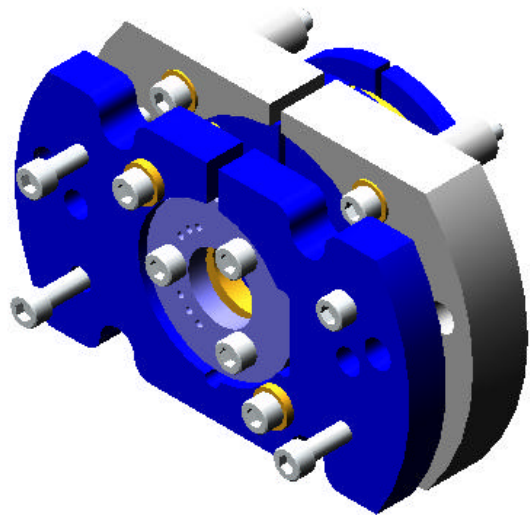






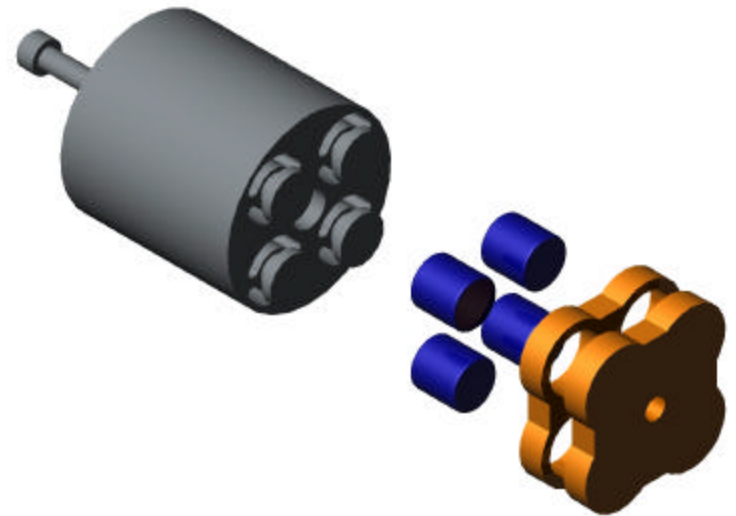
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Suspension Work

- Prototype, light-weight, suspension eddy current dampers have been fabricated and are being tested.
- Blade rotation
 - adjusts position yaw & longitudinal position of optic



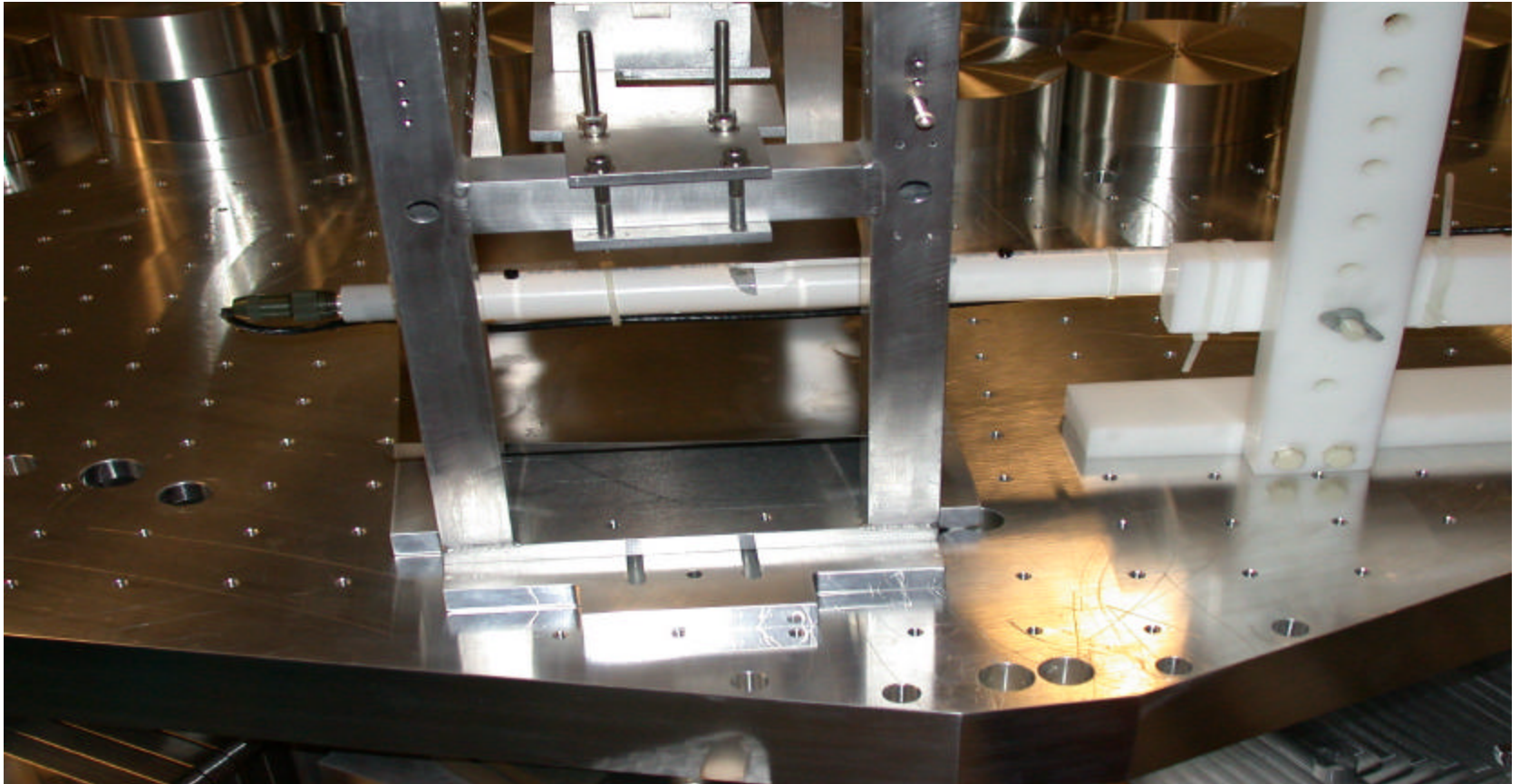
Suspension Work

- MC structure natural mode frequency testing done.
 - » Not stiff enough to meet the 150 Hz req. from SEI
 - » Analysis performed - design close to 150 Hz – FEA on-going
 - » Plan to fabricate stiffer structure and test again.
- Catcher to assemble the optics, ears and fibers is being developed for noise prototype.
- For SEI: updating mass, cg and footprint details.

Magnetic Field Measurements

- Magnetic field measurements done at ETF at Stanford.
 - » Will stray fields from magnetic actuators on the platform induce unacceptable noise forces on actuator magnets in the SUS local/global control system?
 - With table locked, current was applied to one of each of 4 different types of actuator, and a search made for field and gradient hot spots in the volume above the table.
 - » Preliminary result: strongest fields were from horizontal actuator between the ground and stage 1 of the table.
 - » Rob Schofield is analyzing the data for problems for coil excitation at normal operation

Magnetic Field Measurements



Suspensions

- Short term challenges

- » Lots of work/Not a lot of time/Not a lot of manpower
 - Finish up MC work, complete RM design and start fab., complete quad and start fab.
 - Meetings ongoing to establish manpower loading
- » Infrastructure questions
 - Solidworks and ProE
 - DCC and Solidworks incompatibility
 - PDMWorks – hasn't been security-tested yet.