# **Xylophone and thermal noise**

WP3 meeting @ Paris

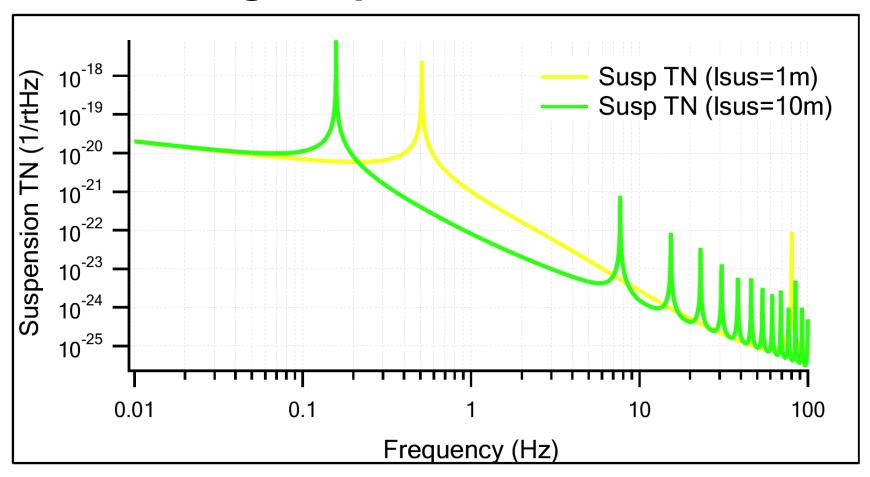
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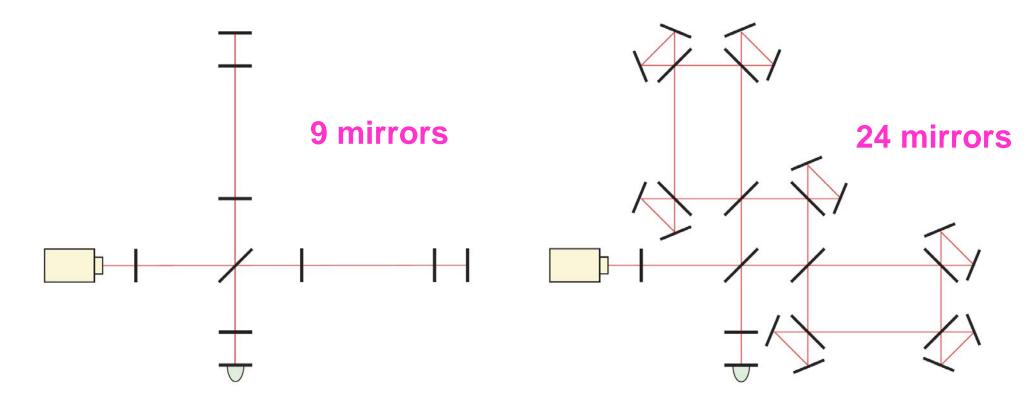


# Long-suspension dilemma



Better sensitivity with long suspensions at a few Hz, but many violin modes at a few ten Hz.

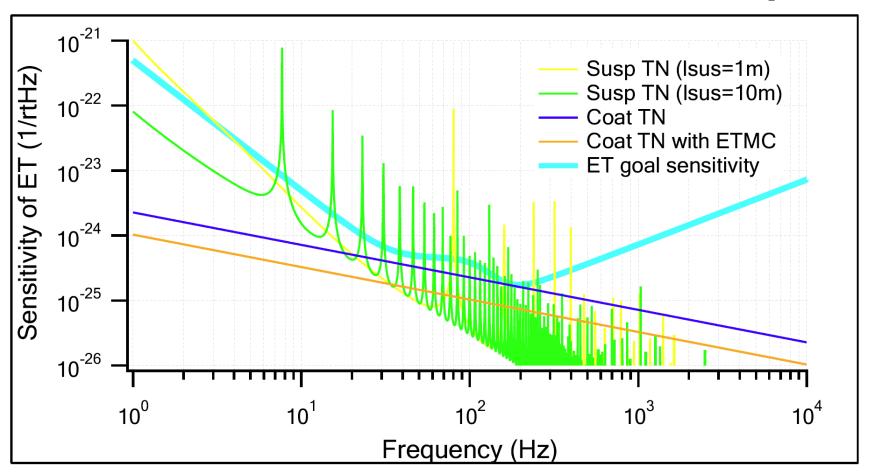
### **ETMC dilemma**



- Too many mirrors for some configurations
- Maybe we can use this for the mid-freq band

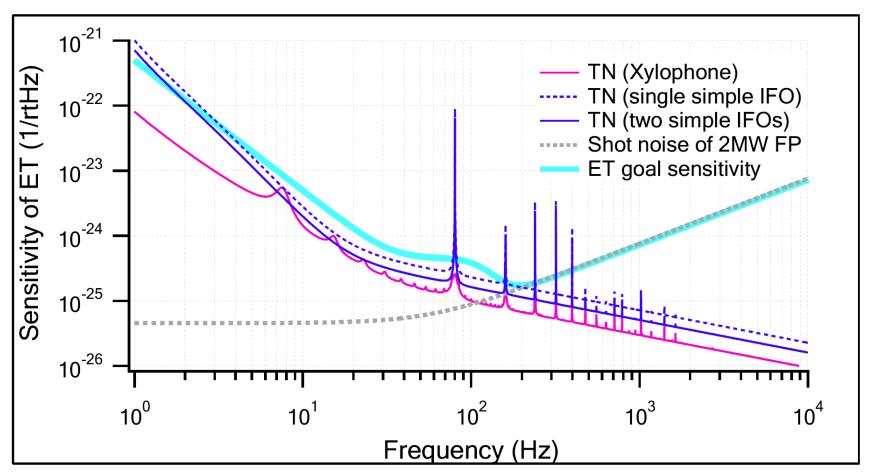
(but not for LF/HF)

# Thermal noise w/ or w/o these techniques



- Long susp at f<10Hz, short susp at f>10Hz
- ETMC may be necessary at f>10Hz

# Xylophone spectrum



- Xylophone seems better than two simple IFOs
- Classical noise can be lower than the ET sensitivity