

MULTI-LASER-WIRE DIAGNOSTIC FOR THE BEAM PROFILE MEASUREMENT OF NEGATIVE HYDROGEN ION BEAM IN THE J-PARC LINAC



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1. Introduction / Objective

Laser-wire profile monitor

- Beam profile monitor plays an important role in the high-current and high-brilliance accelerators.
- To avoid the thermal damage of the metallic wire scanner monitor and to reduce the radiation during an operation, the laser-wire method is the possible candidate for the profile measurement.
- The photon energy with only 0.75 eV is required for the photo detachment to generate H^0 from H^- .

Multi-laser-wire

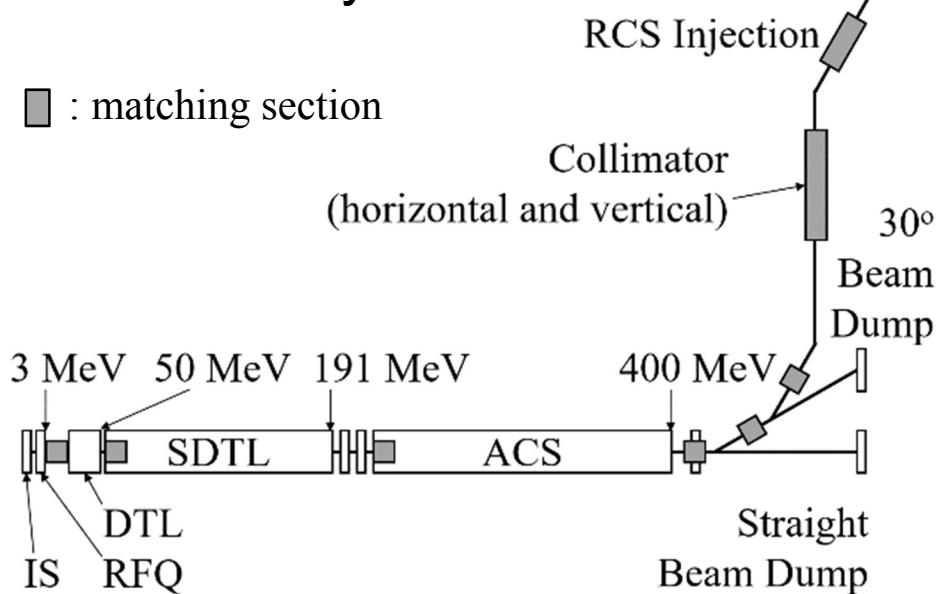
- A simple optical design with only a pair of concave mirrors brings the multi-laser paths.
- No scanning device and no multiple-shots of the accelerated beams are required for the system.

Objective of the study

- To design the system for the J-PARC linac, the feasibility check and the demonstration of the multi-laser-wire formation are key missions of our study.

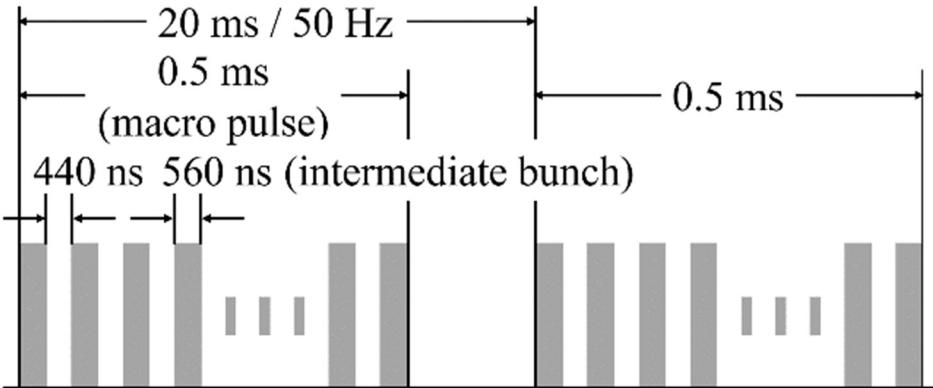
2. Beam specification of J-PARC linac

Beam-line layout of J-PARC linac



- Linac accelerates the H⁻ beam up to 400 MeV.
- There are 8 matching sections where the transverse matching is conducted using the wire scanner monitors.

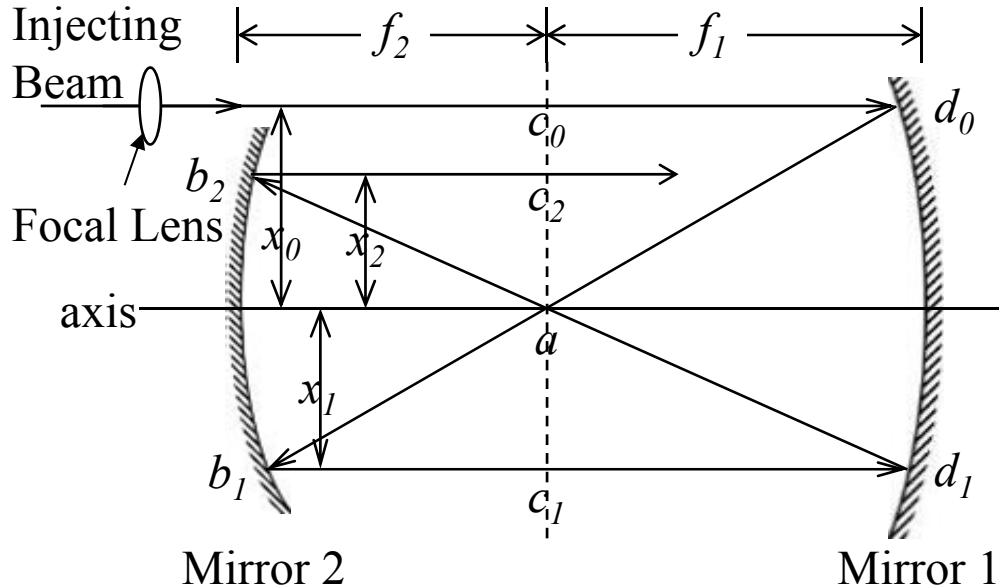
Time structure of pulsed beam



- H⁻ beam is accelerated by 324 MHz RF which is the smallest time structure (3.01 ns).
- Intermediate bunch with 560 ns is for the injection to the downstream RCS.
- The longest pulse duration is 500 μ s.

3. Design of the multi-laser-wire

Asymmetrical confocal cavity



A pair of concave mirrors with different diameters to make multi-paths of laser beam, and the beam waists of the laser paths are aligned in principle.

- The distance from axis is defined as x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n .

$$x_1 = \left(\frac{f_2}{f_1}\right) x_0$$

$$x_2 = \left(\frac{f_2}{f_1}\right) x_1 = \left(\frac{f_2}{f_1}\right)^2 x_0$$

$$x_n = \left(\frac{f_2}{f_1}\right)^n x_0$$

- The $1/e^2$ radius at c_0, c_1, \dots, c_n as w_0, w_1, \dots, w_n using a wave length (λ).

$$w_0 w_1 = \frac{\lambda f_1}{\pi}$$

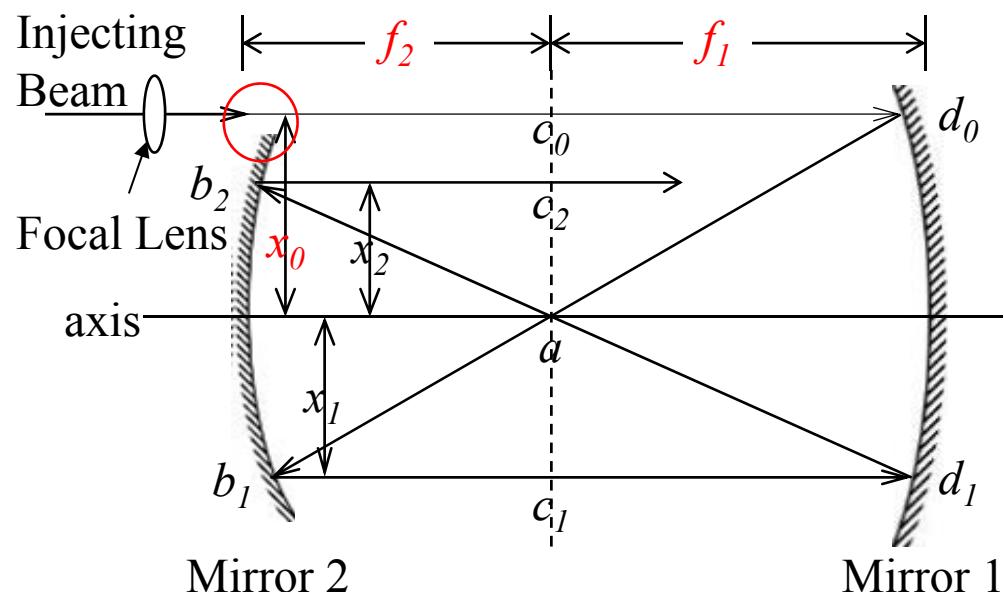
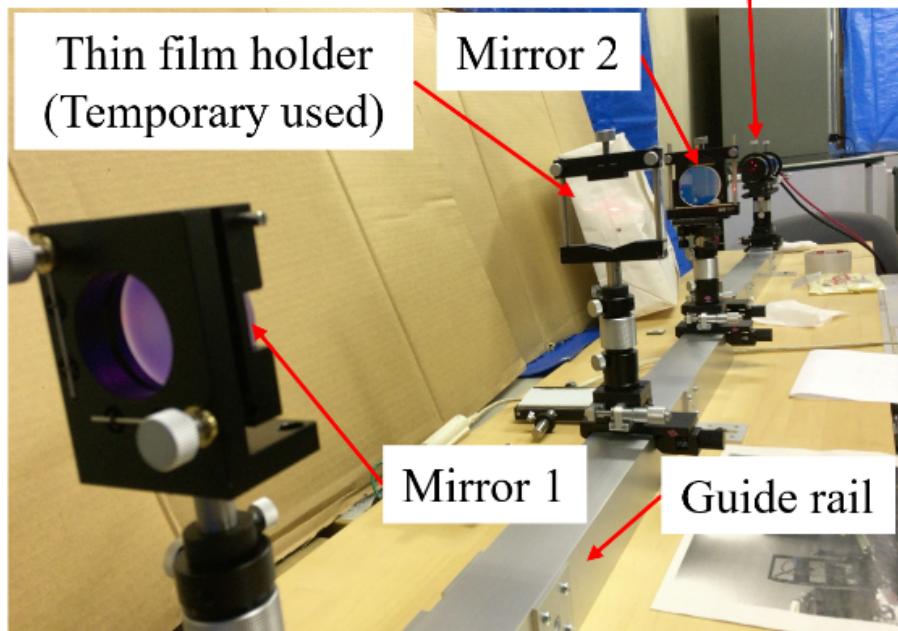
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$$w_n = \left(\frac{f_2}{f_1}\right)^{n-1} w_0$$

4. Demonstration of the multi-laser-wire formation

Optical set-up of asymmetrical confocal cavity.

He-Ne Laser (515 nm, 2.4 eV, 300 mJ, $M^2 < 1.2$)



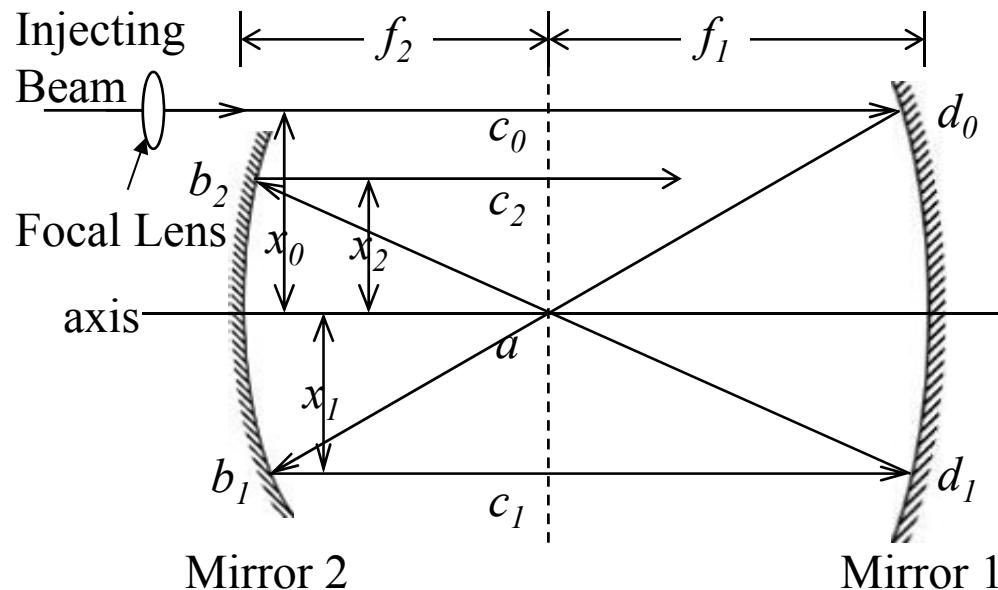
- A pair of mirrors with focus length of f_1 (435 mm) and f_2 (417 mm) are used.
- Distance between the mirrors are set to 852 mm ($L = f_1 + f_2$).
- We cut an edge of 2.0 mm of mirror 2, and set an offset of 25 mm from the centre axis (x_0).

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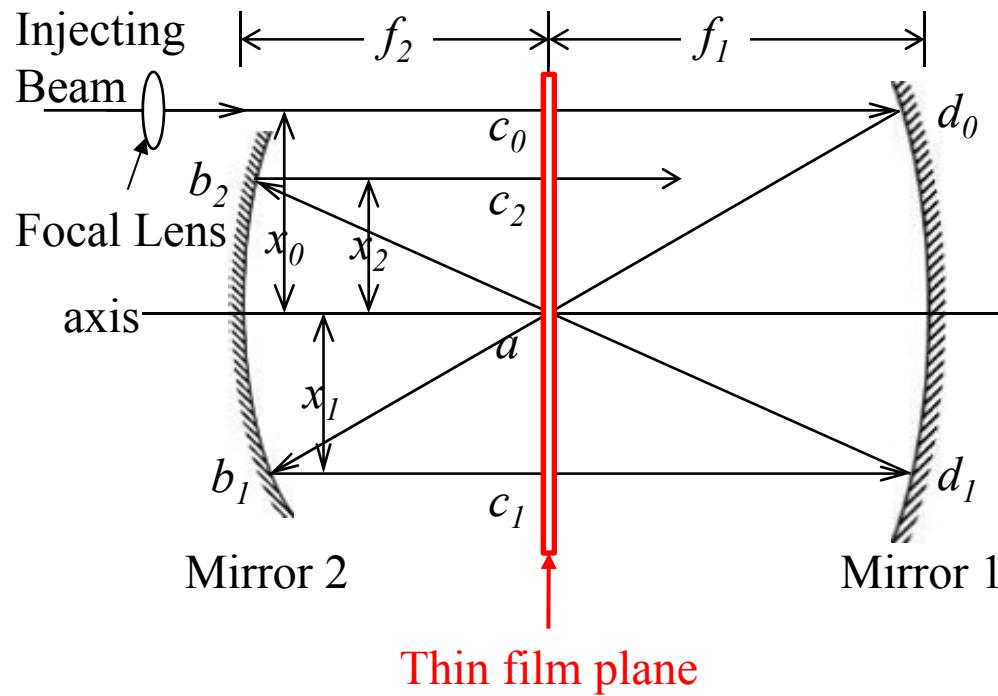
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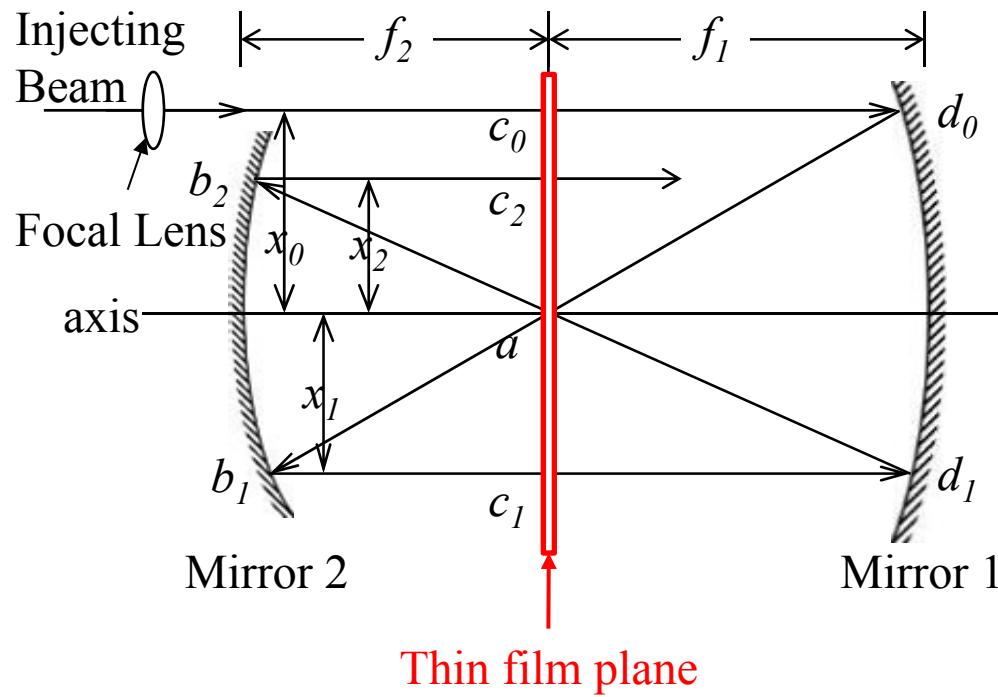
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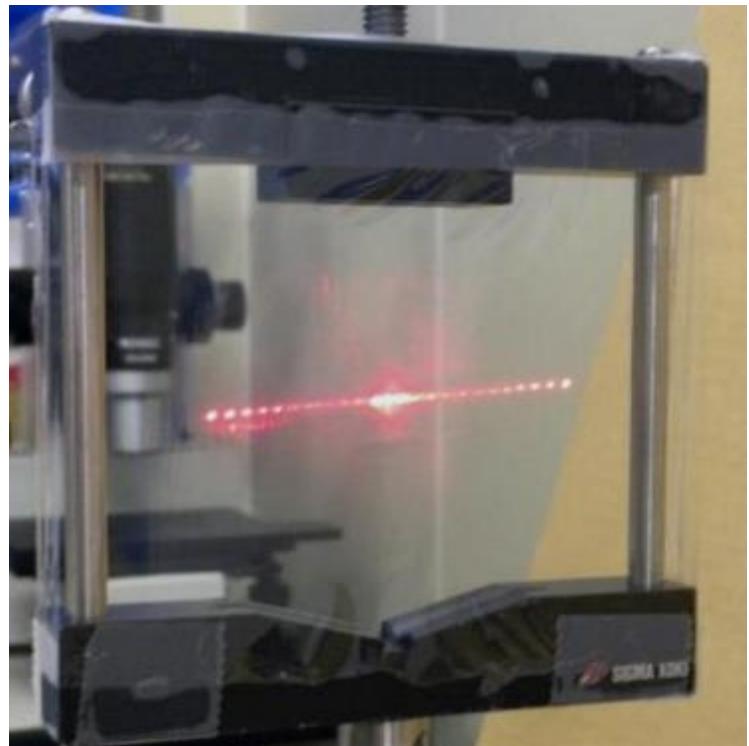
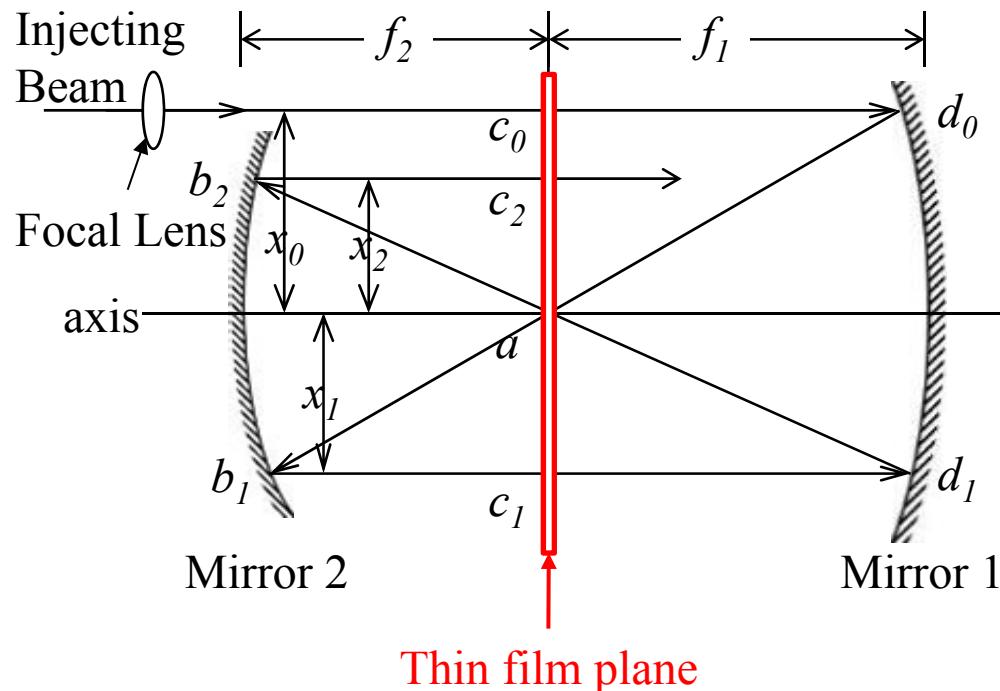
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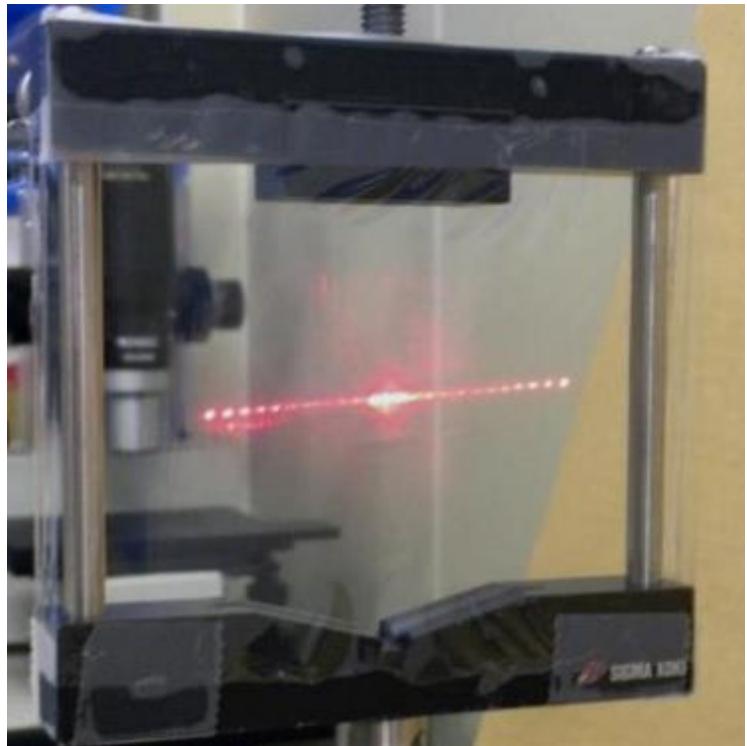
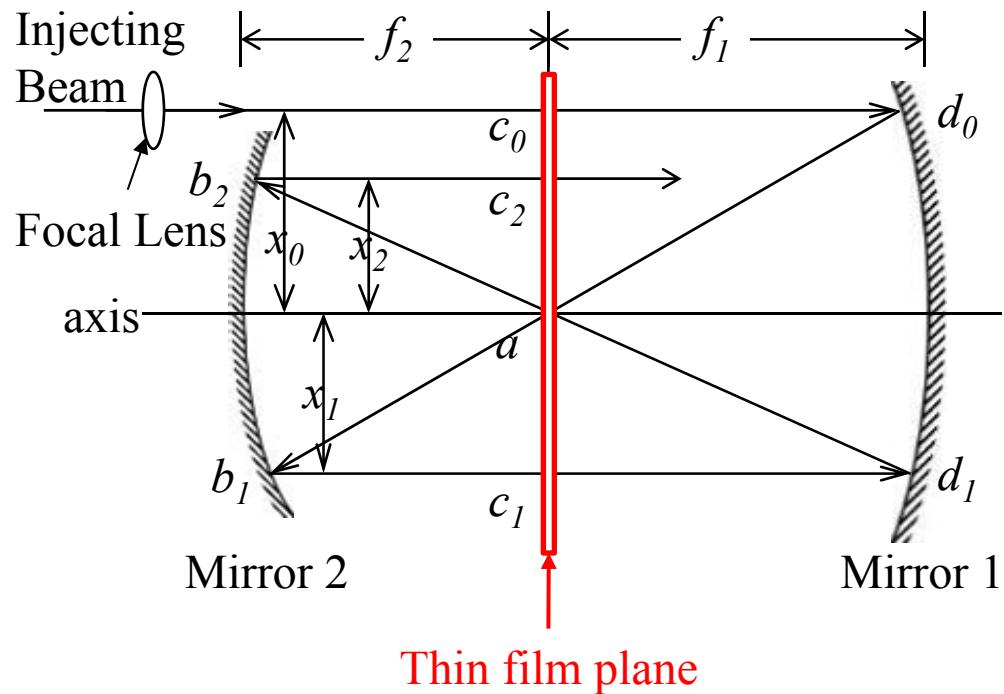
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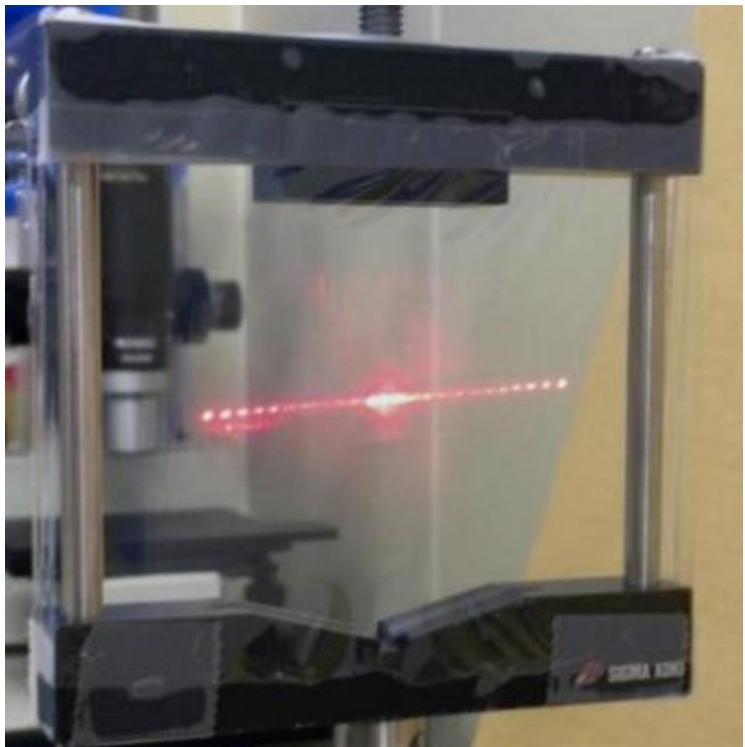
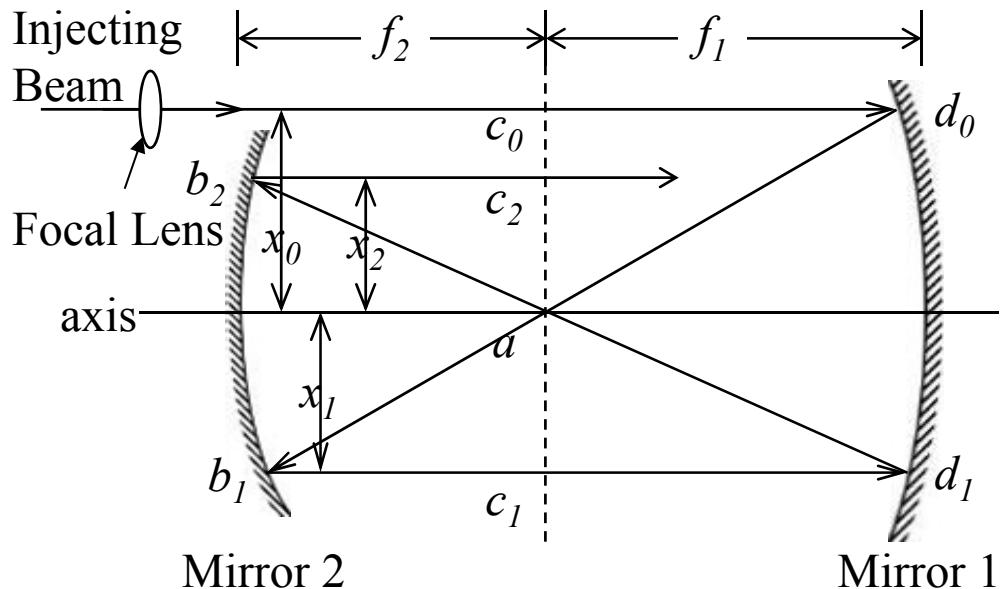
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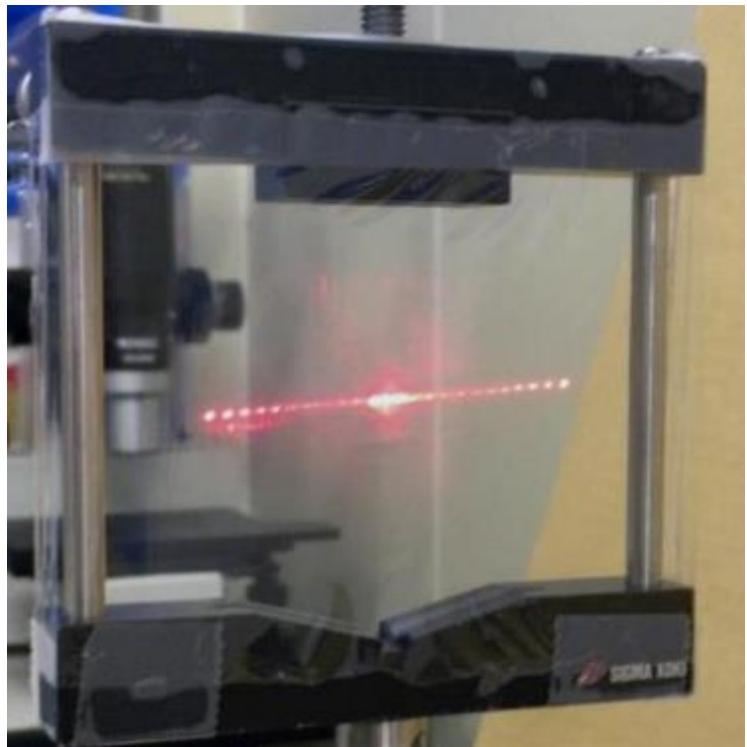
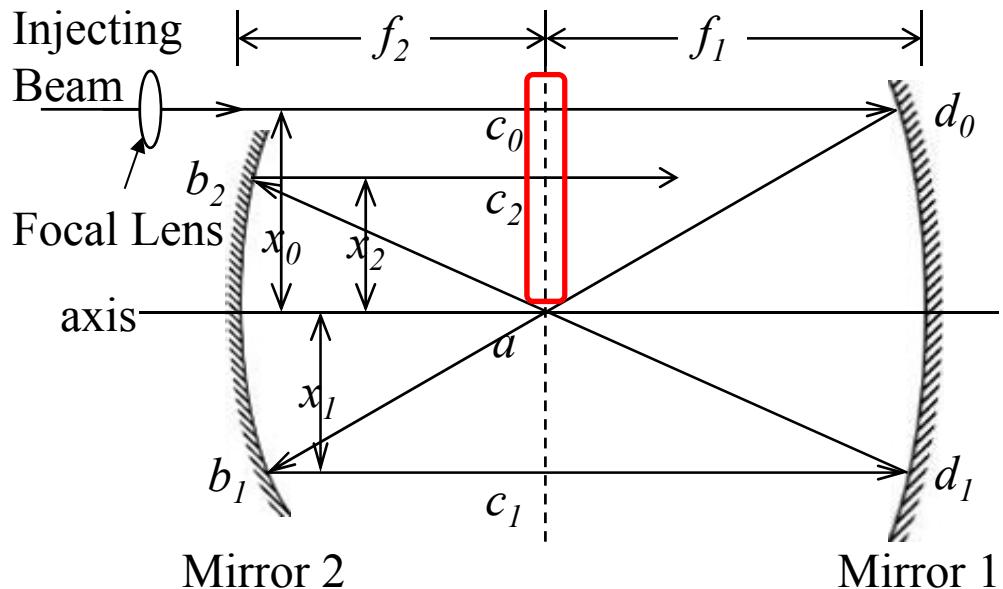
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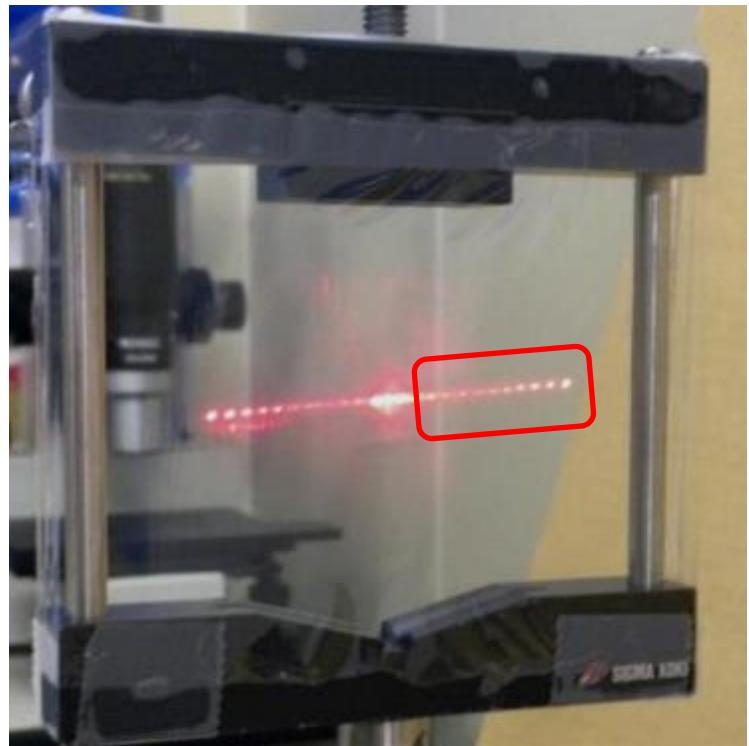
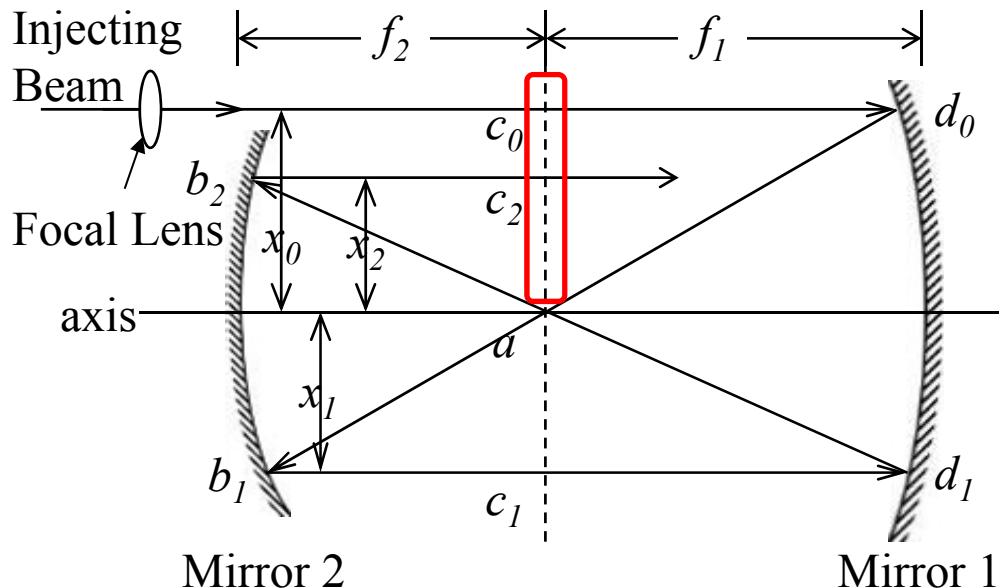
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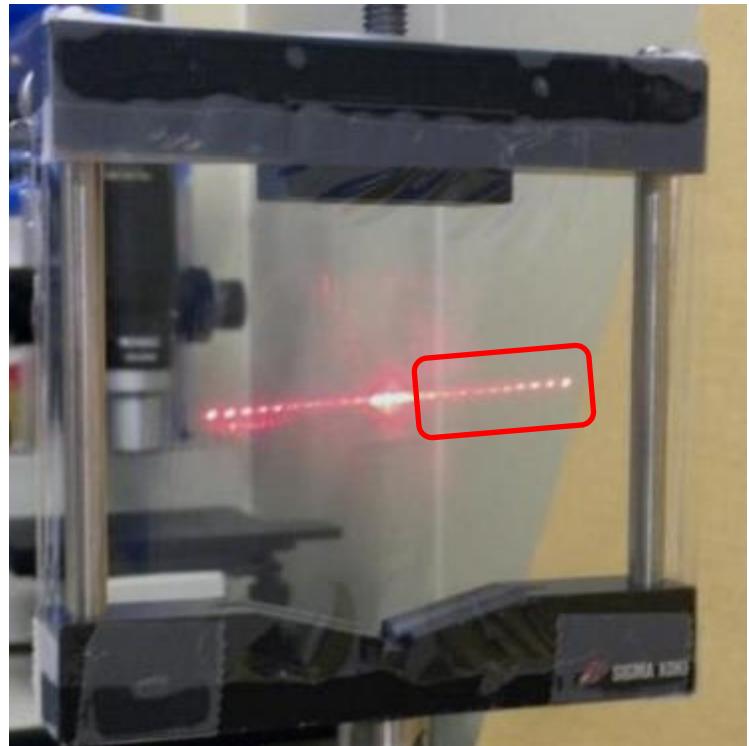
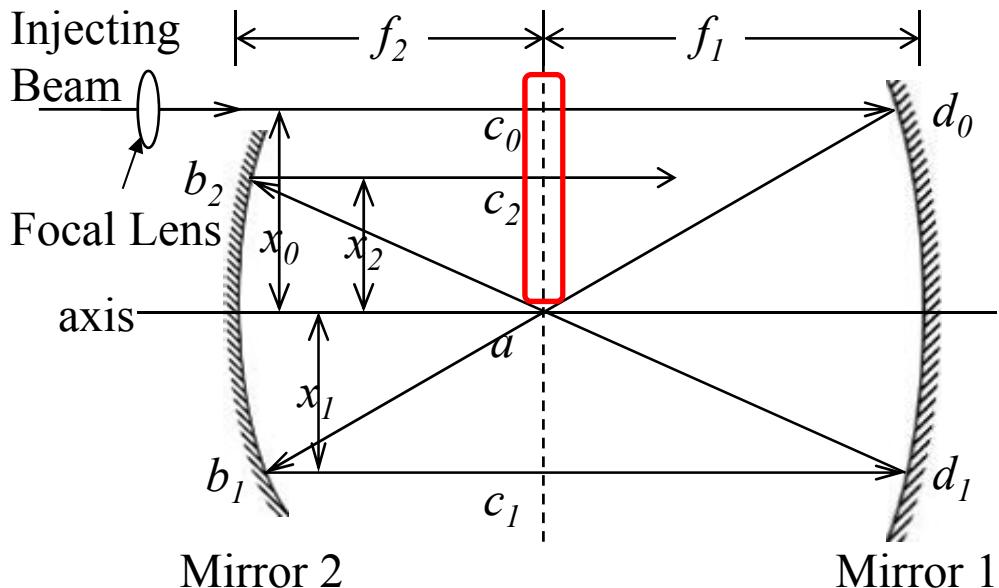
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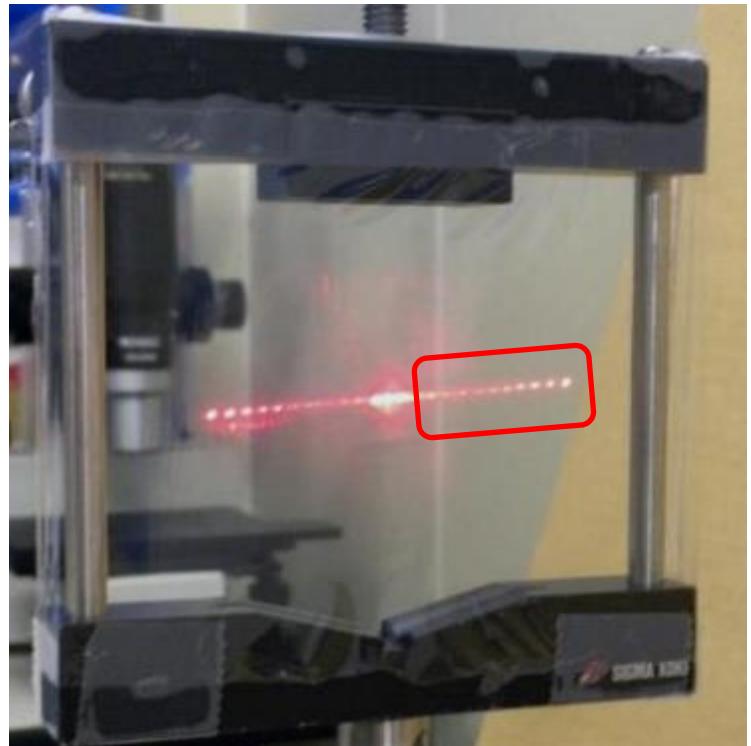
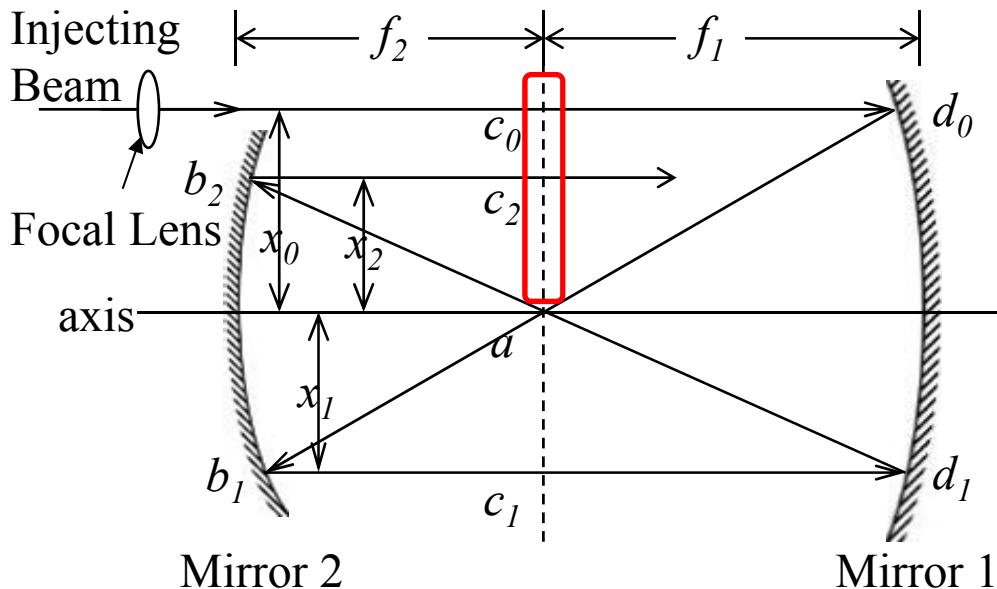
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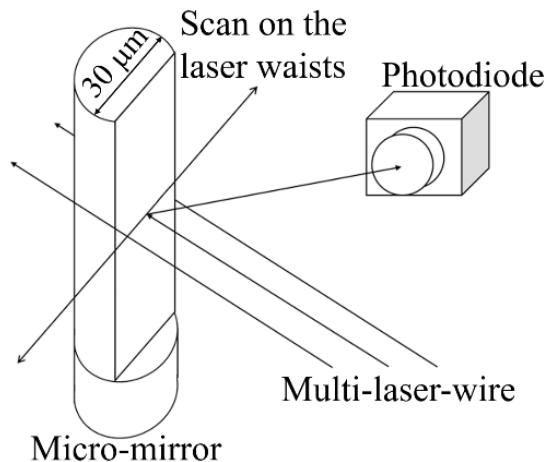


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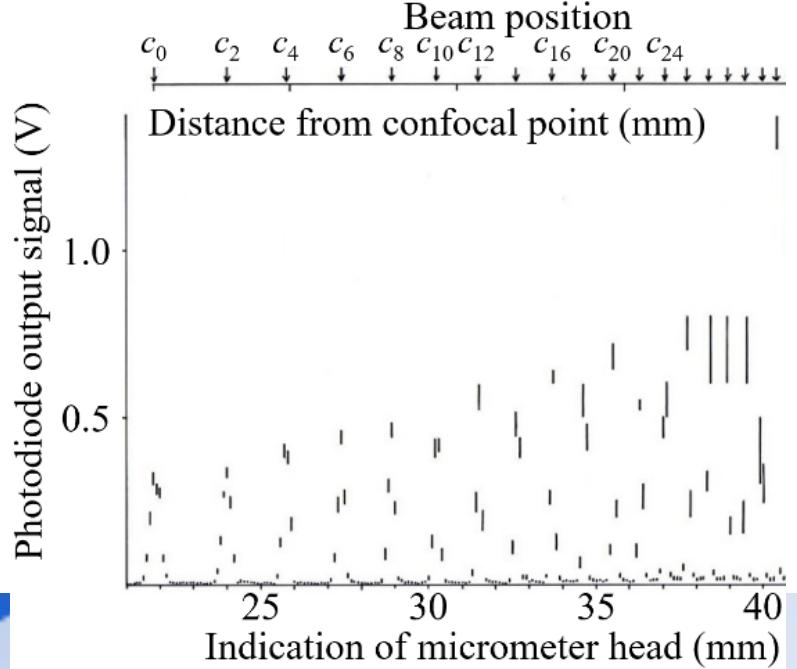
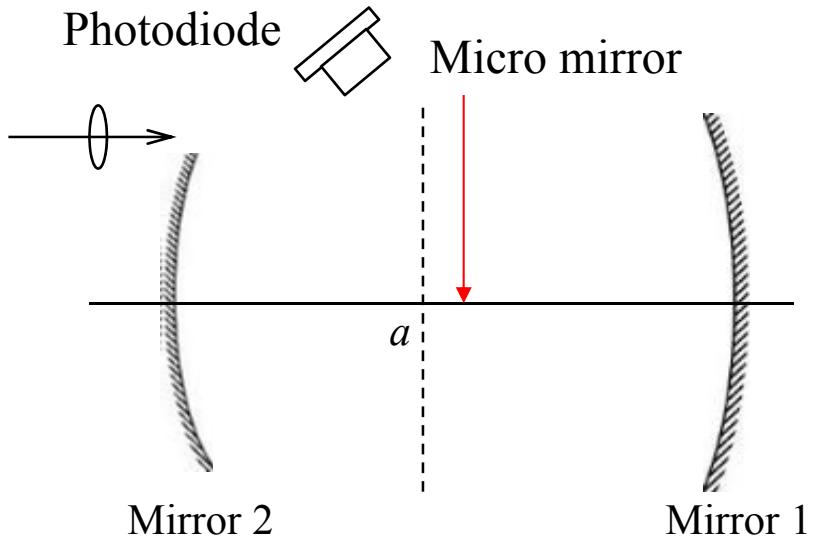
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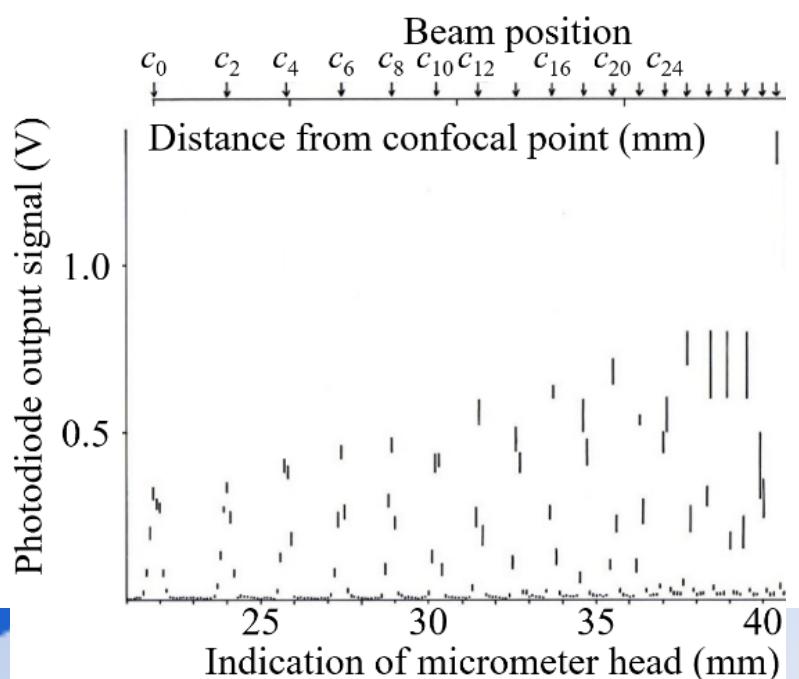
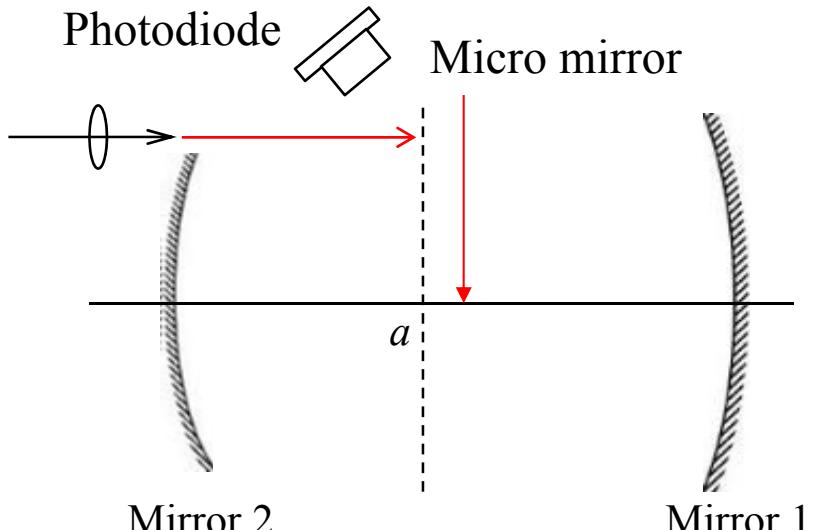
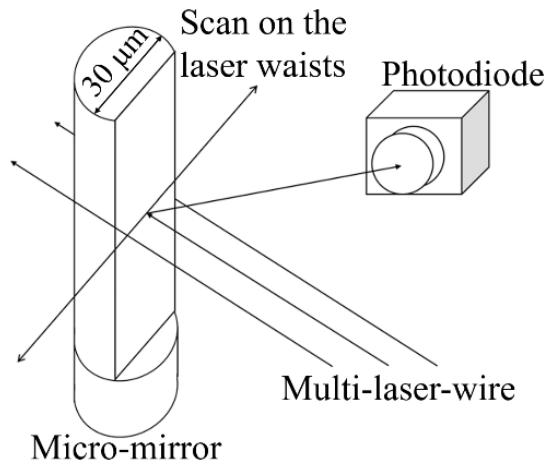
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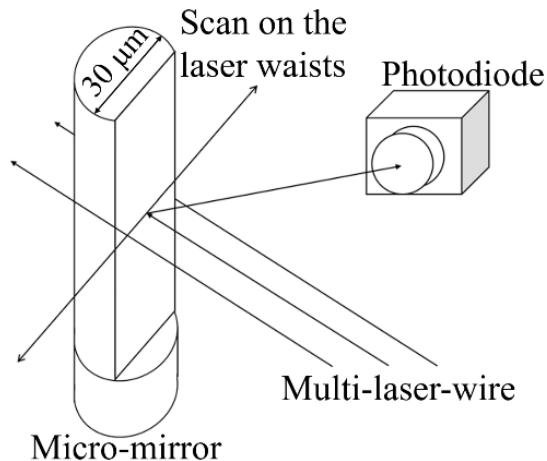


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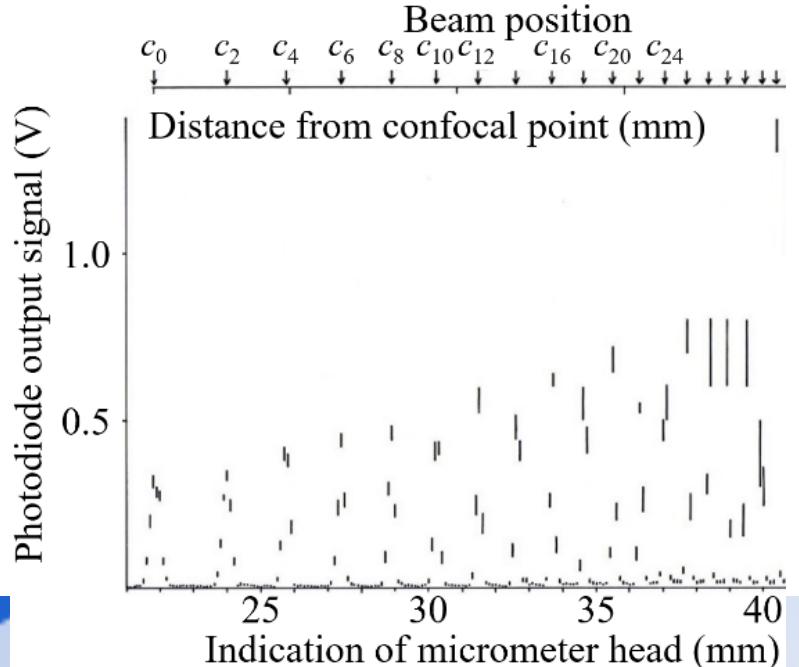
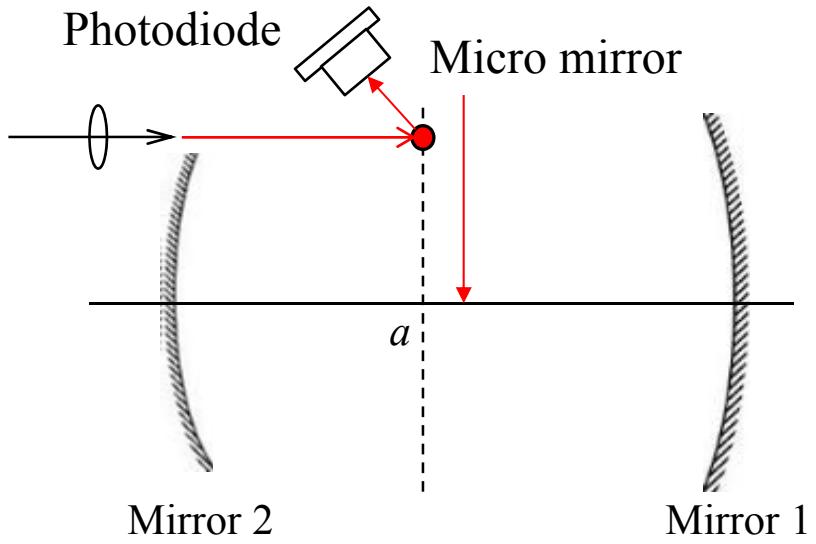
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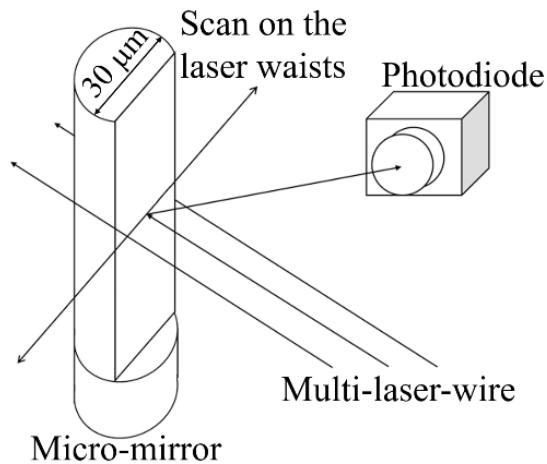
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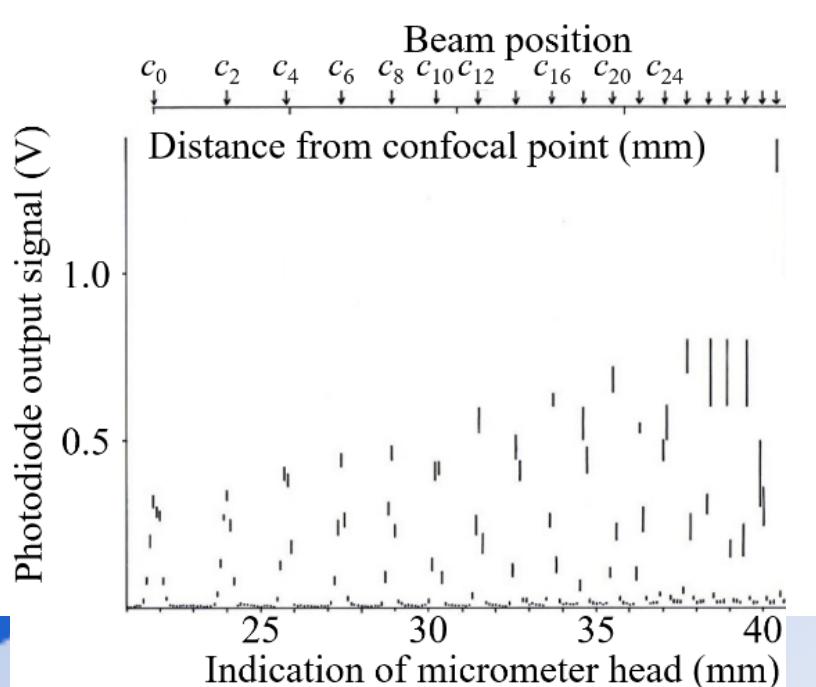
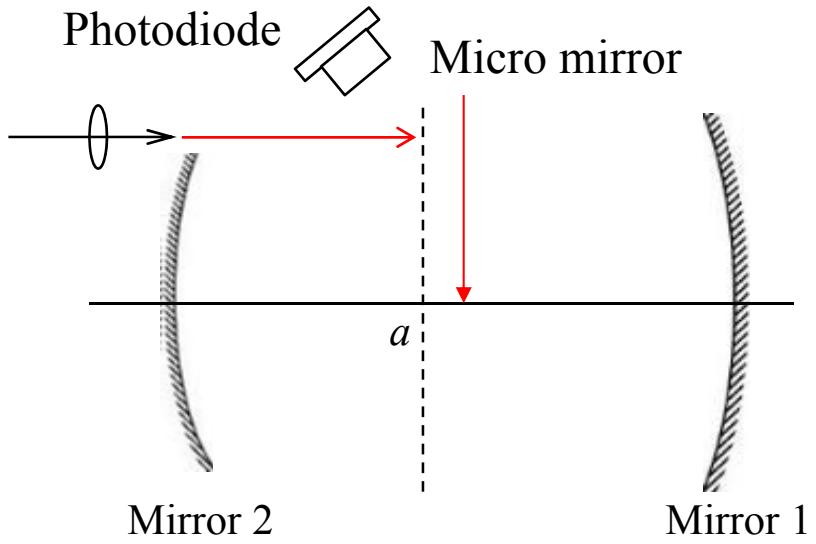
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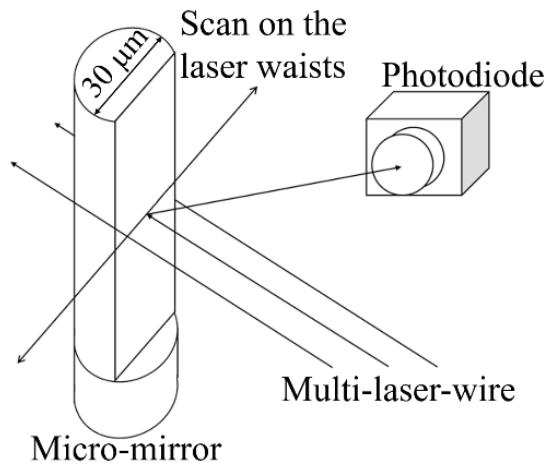
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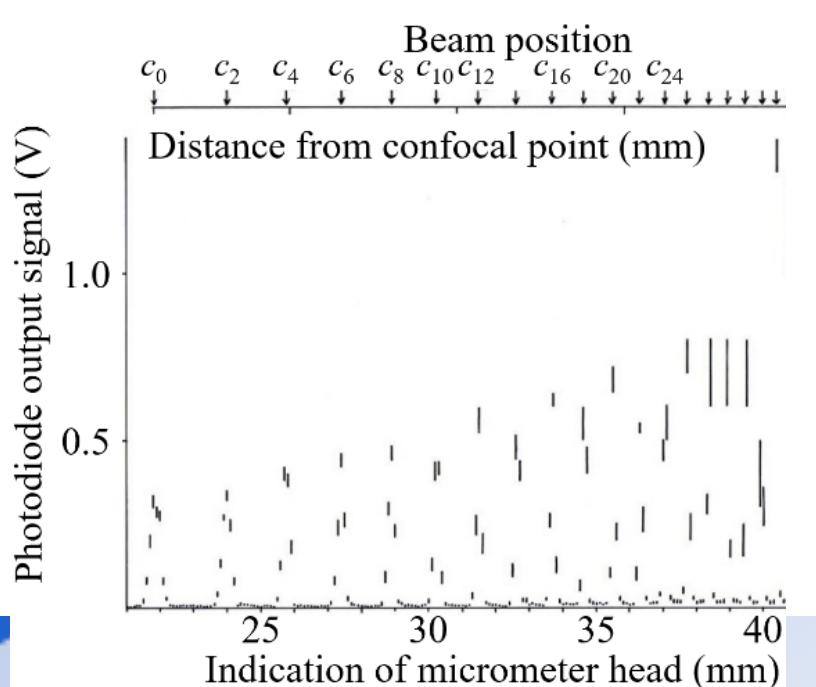
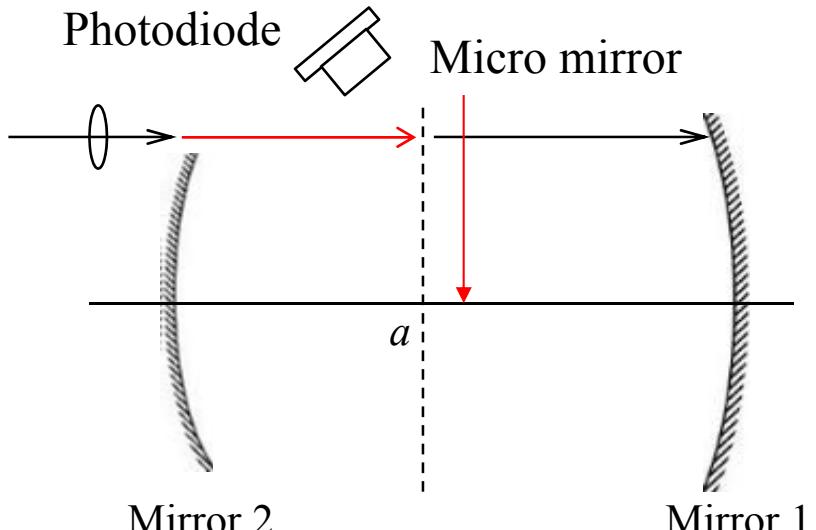
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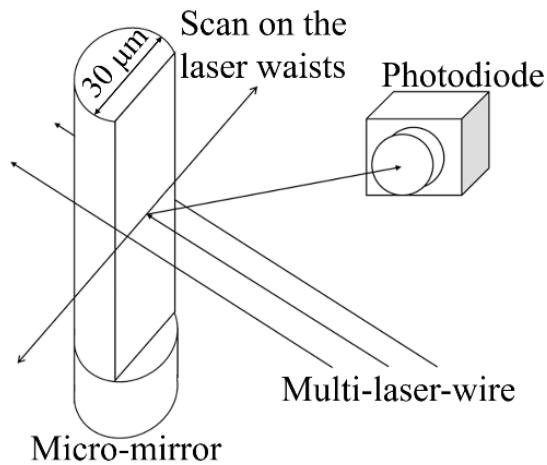
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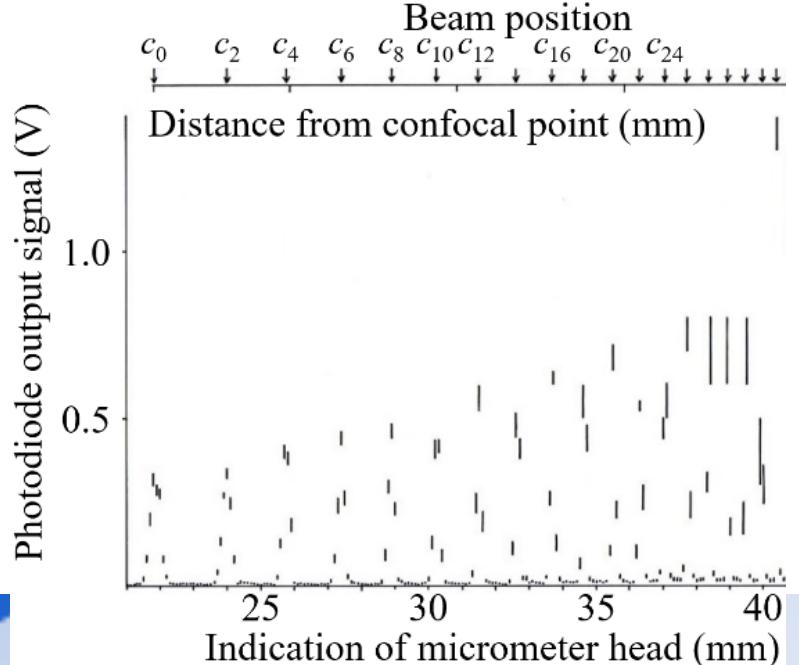
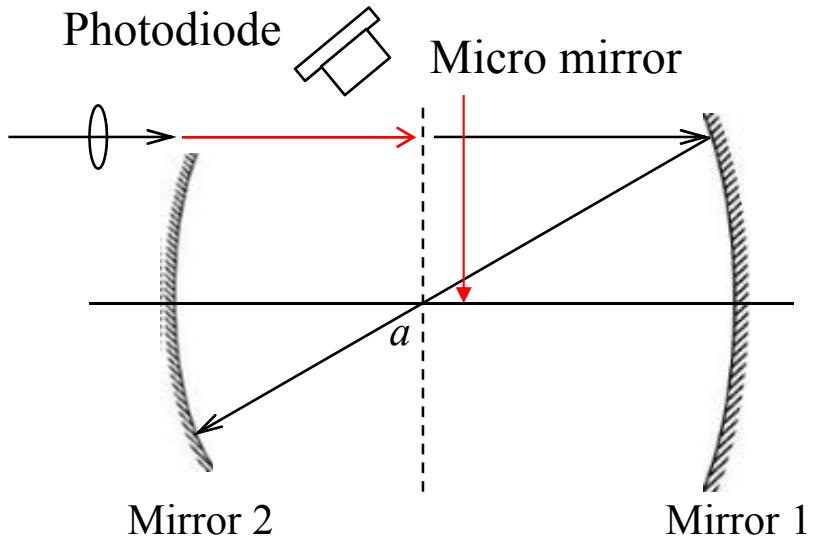
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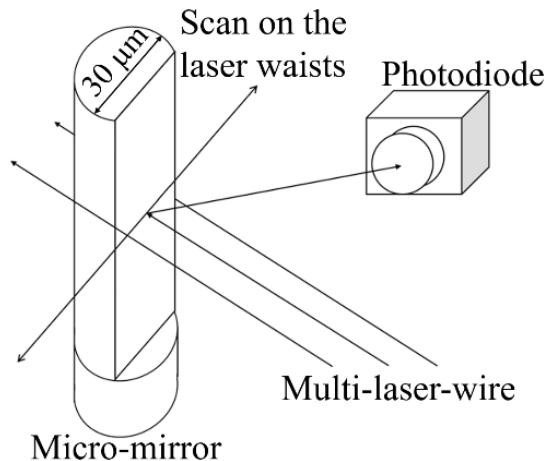
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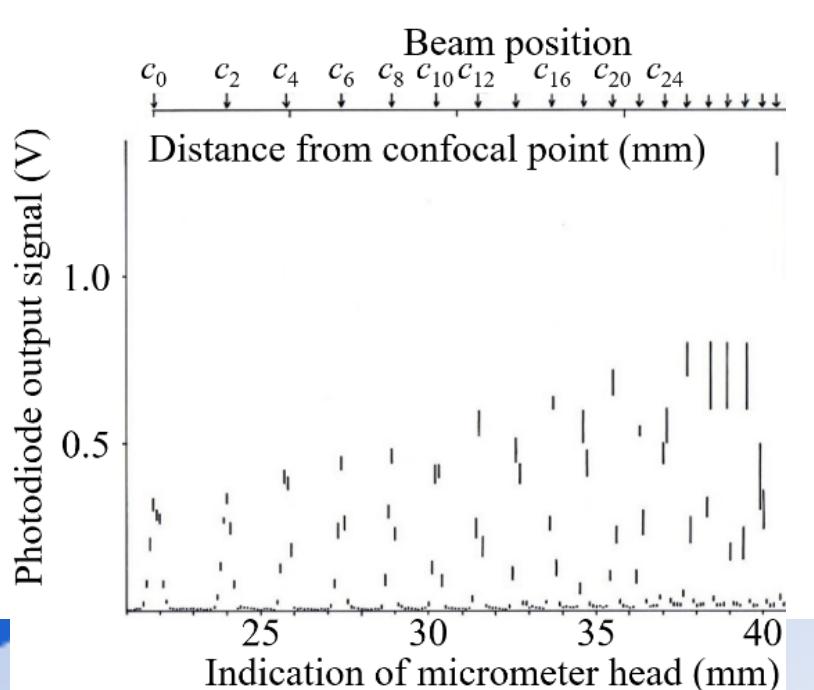
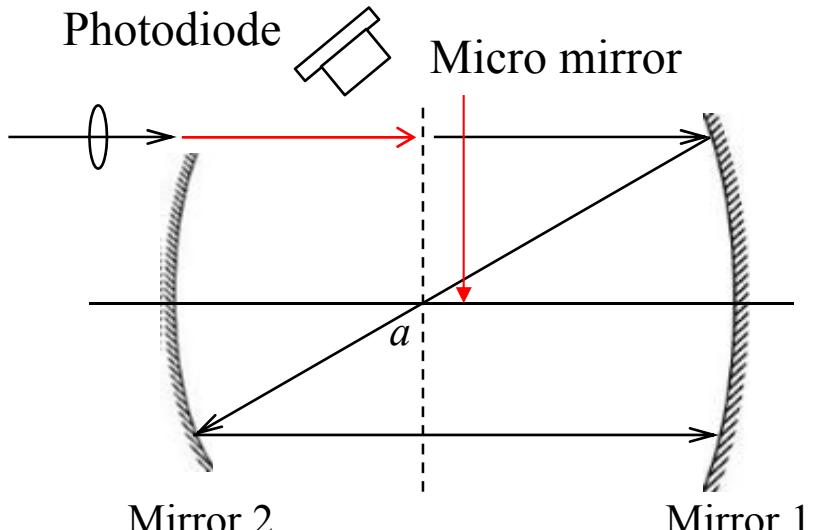
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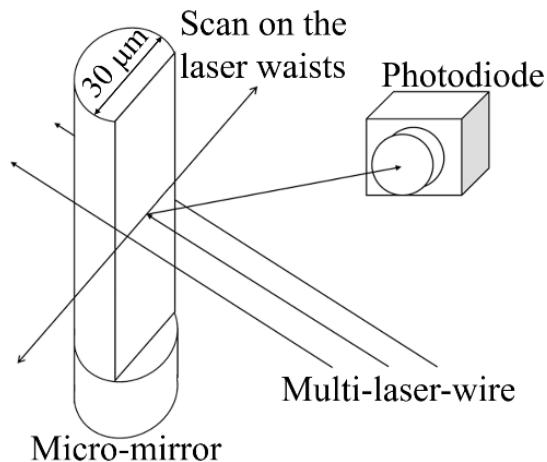
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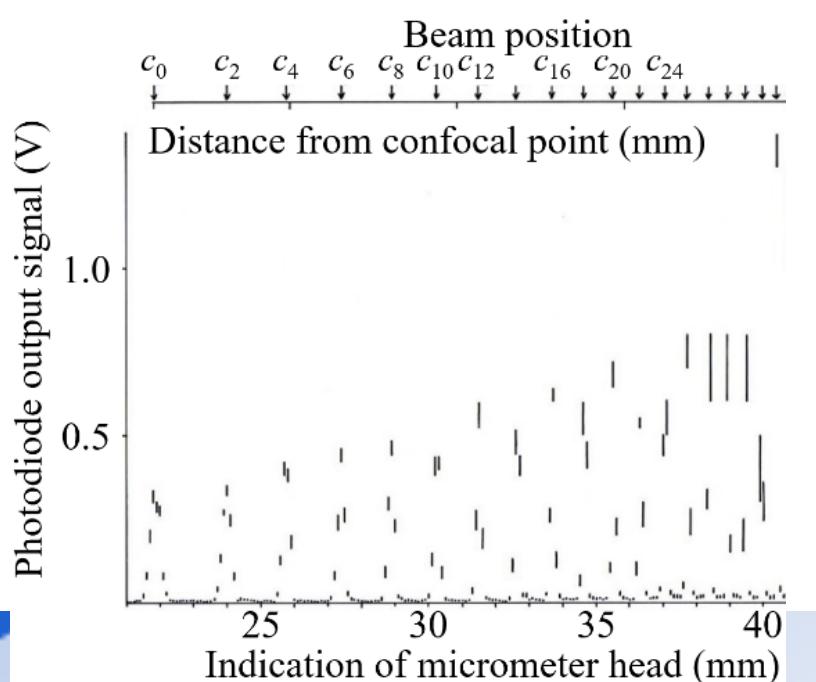
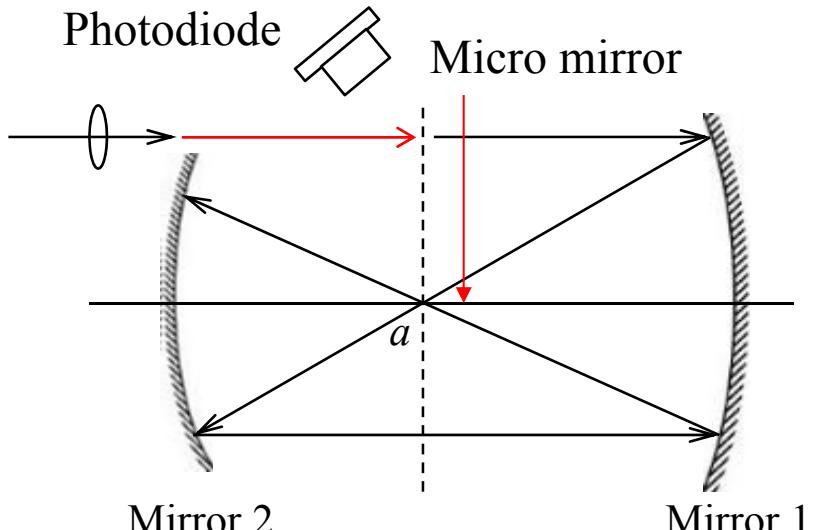
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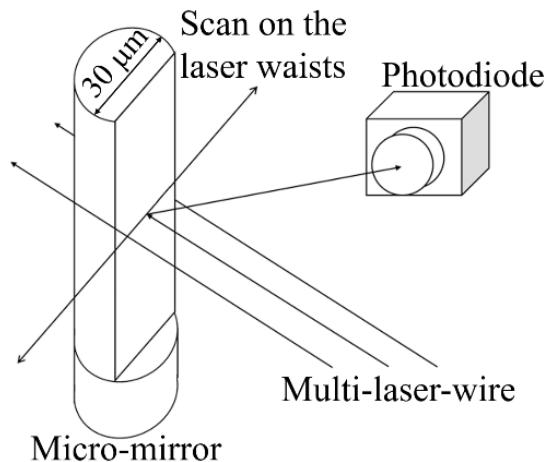
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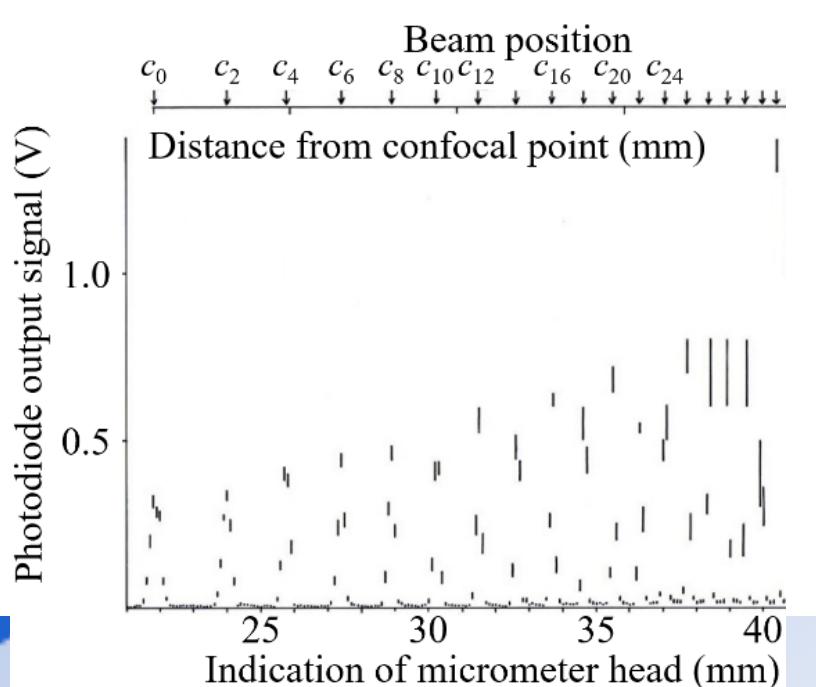
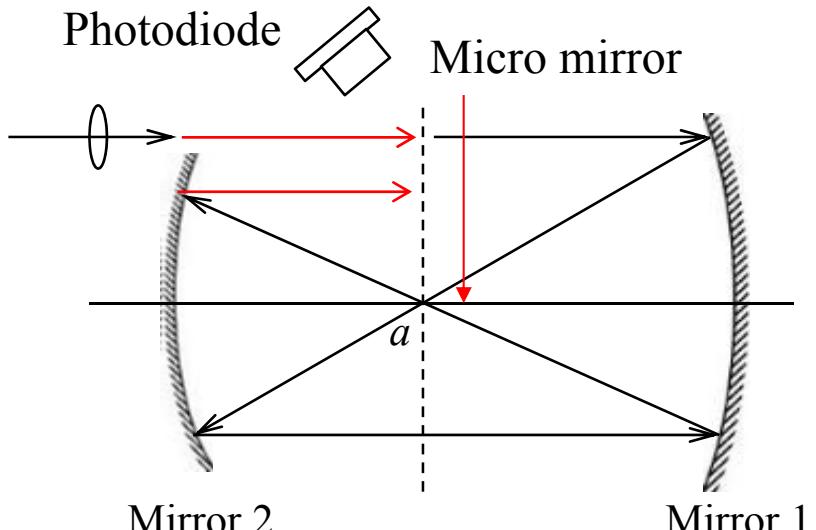
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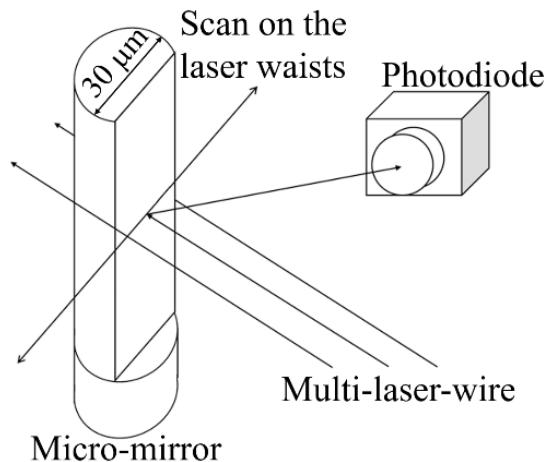
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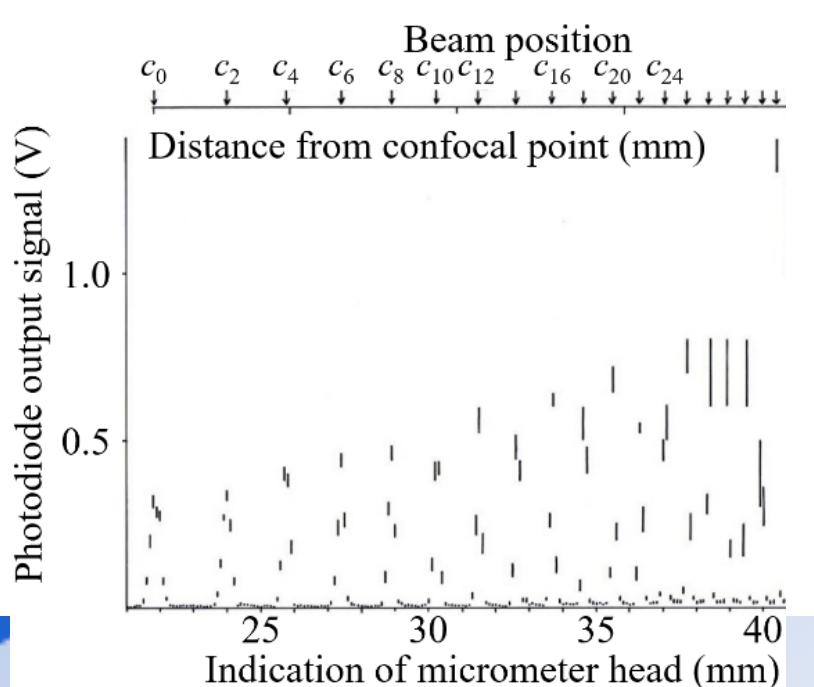
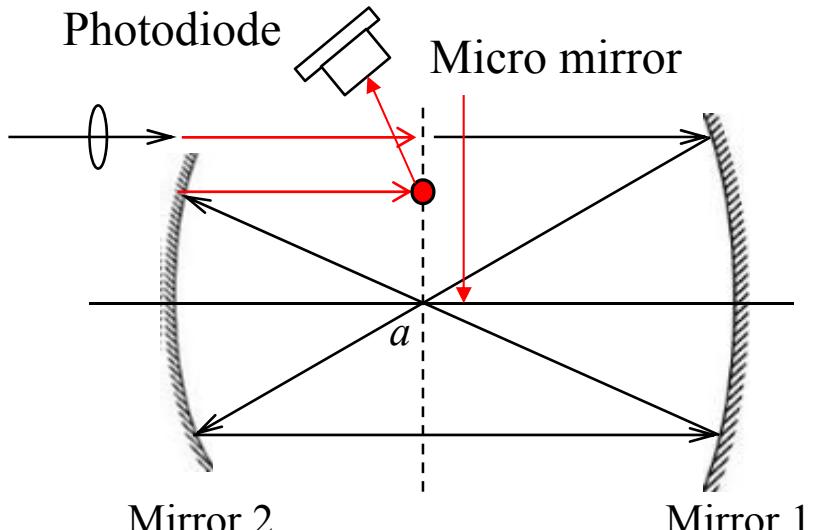
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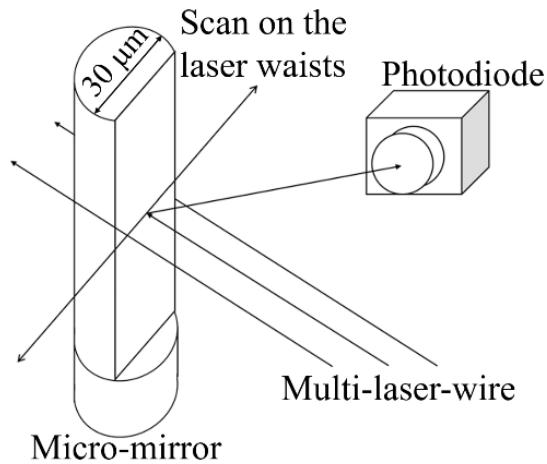
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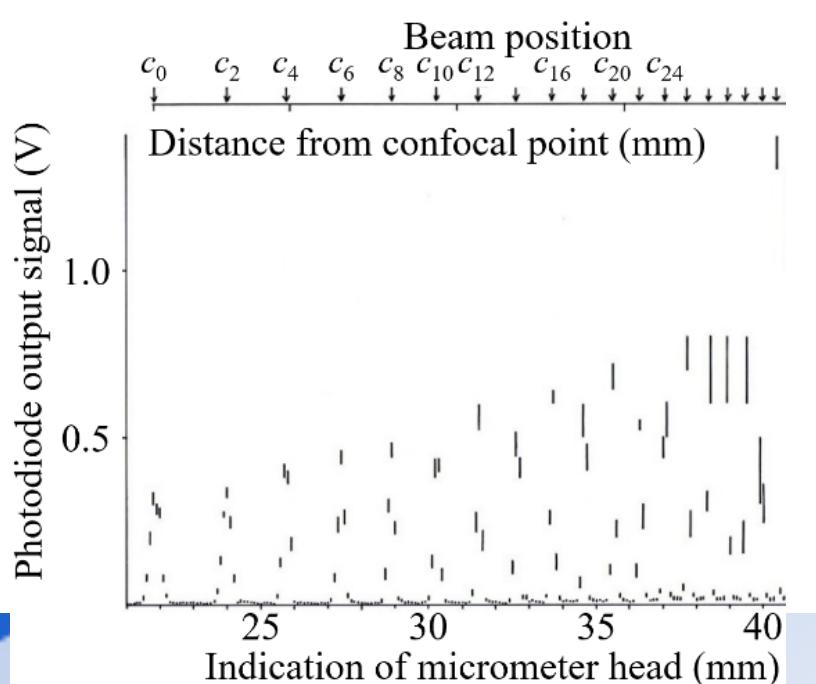
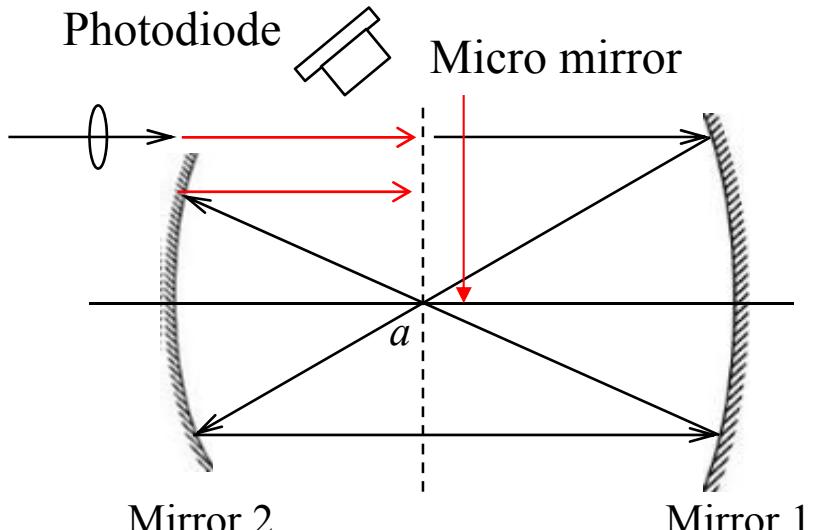
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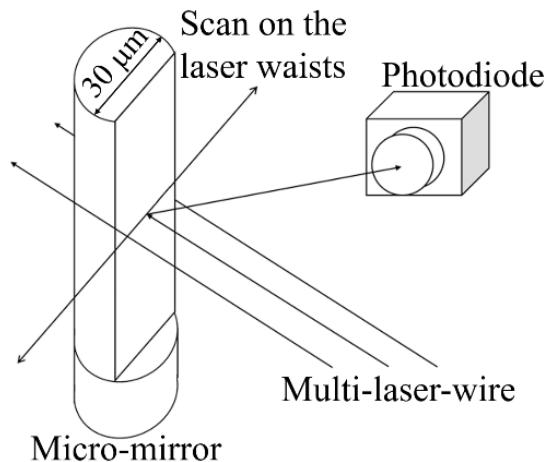
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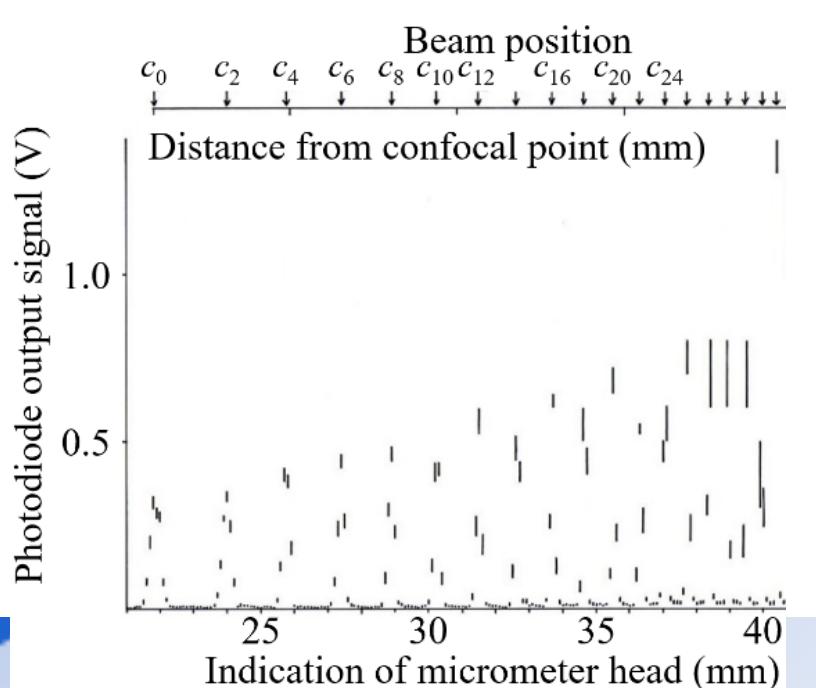
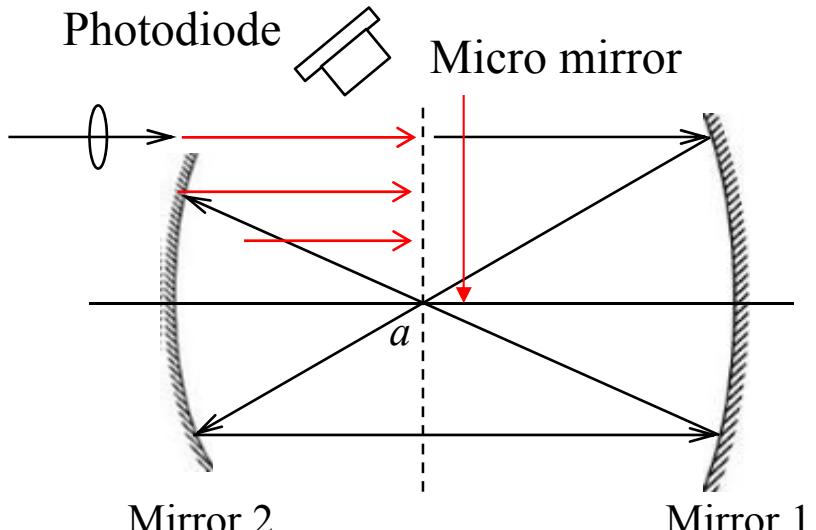
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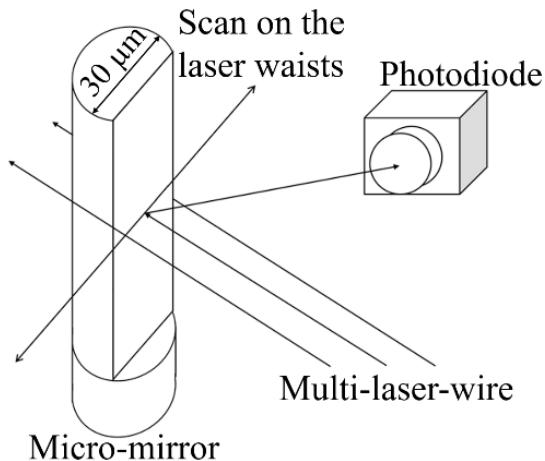
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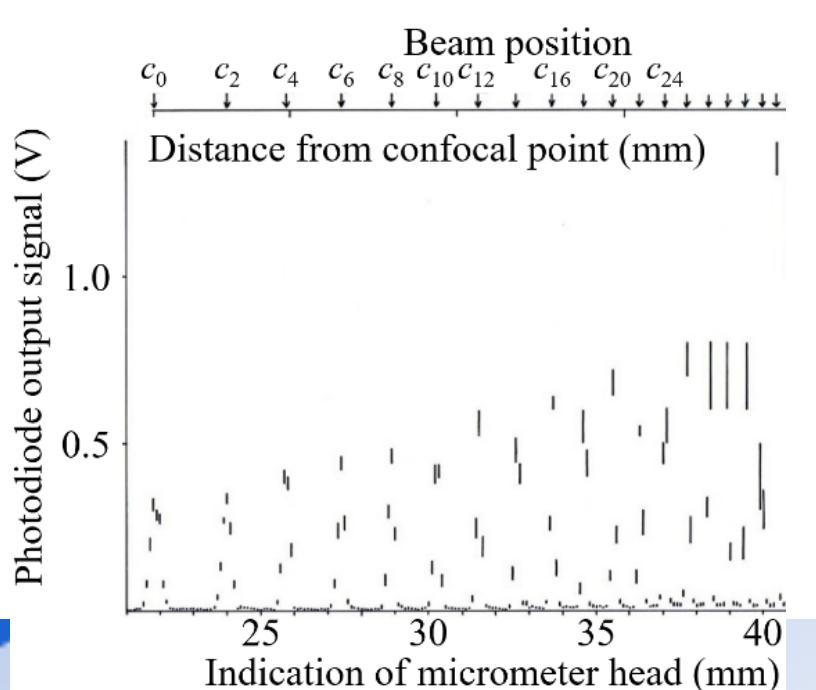
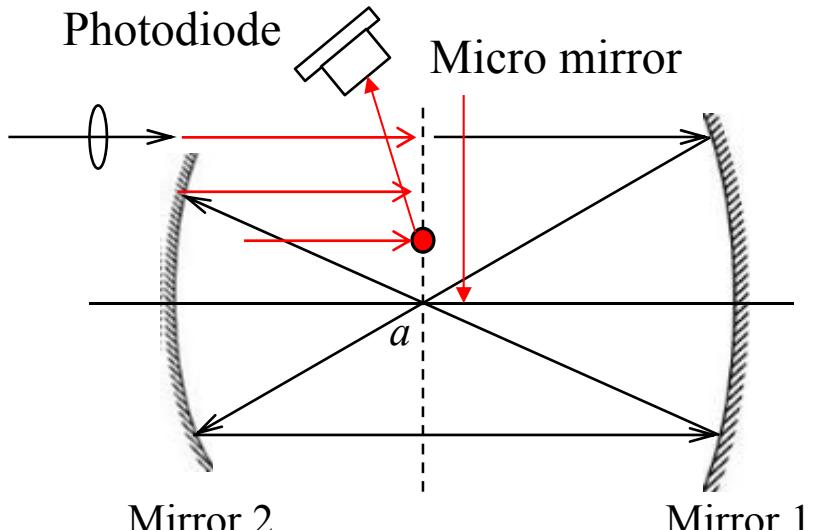
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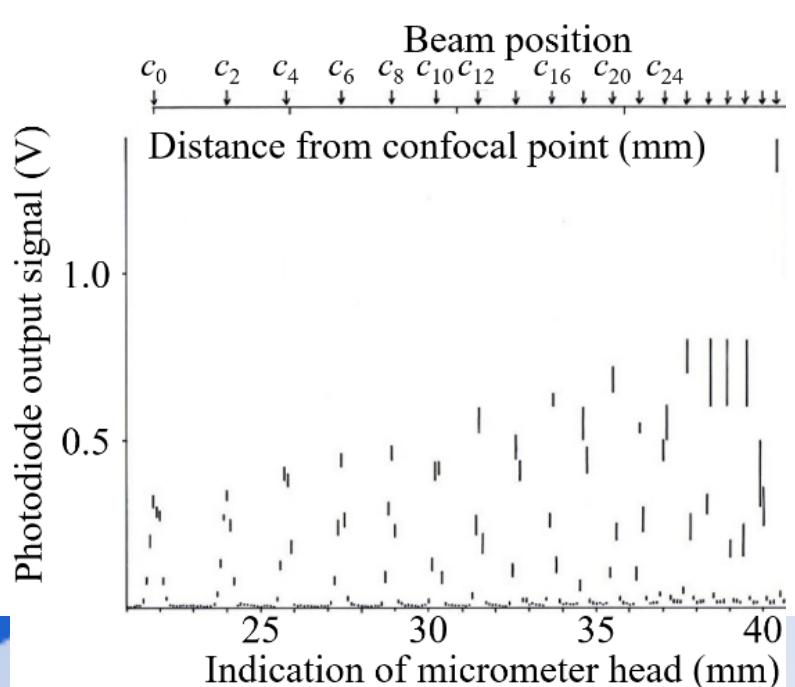
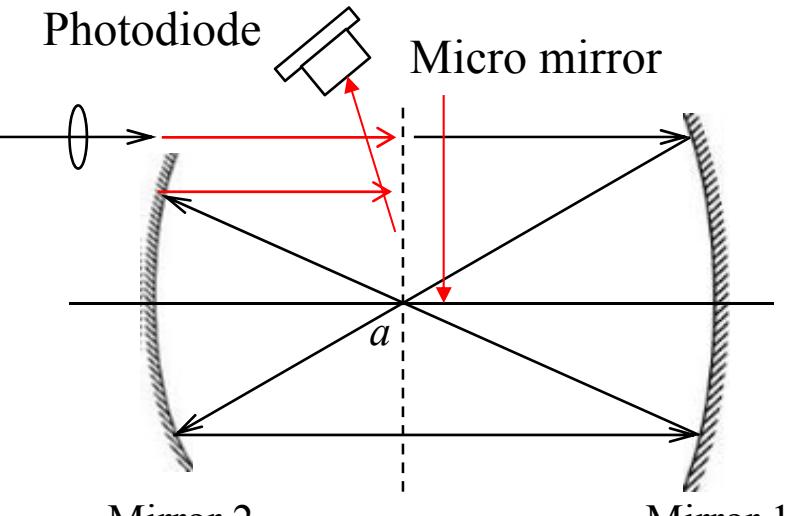
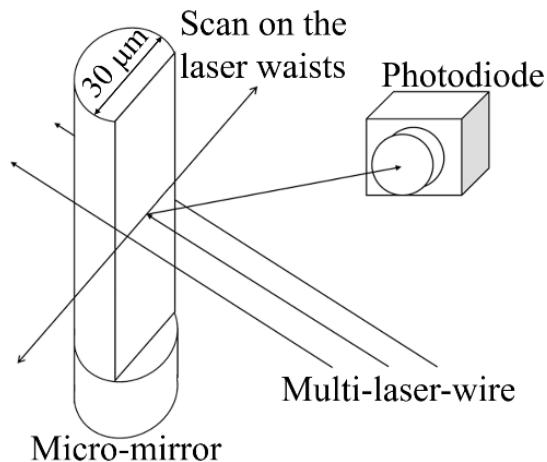
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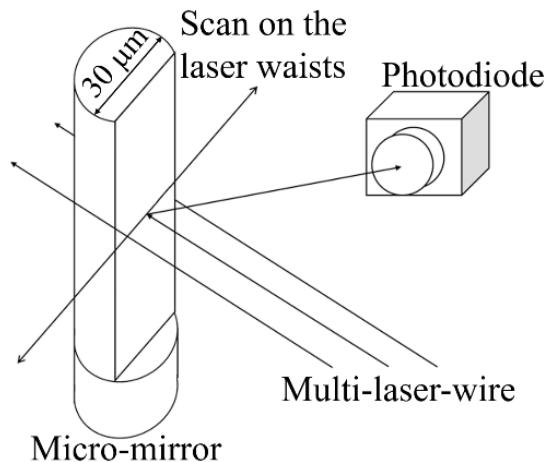


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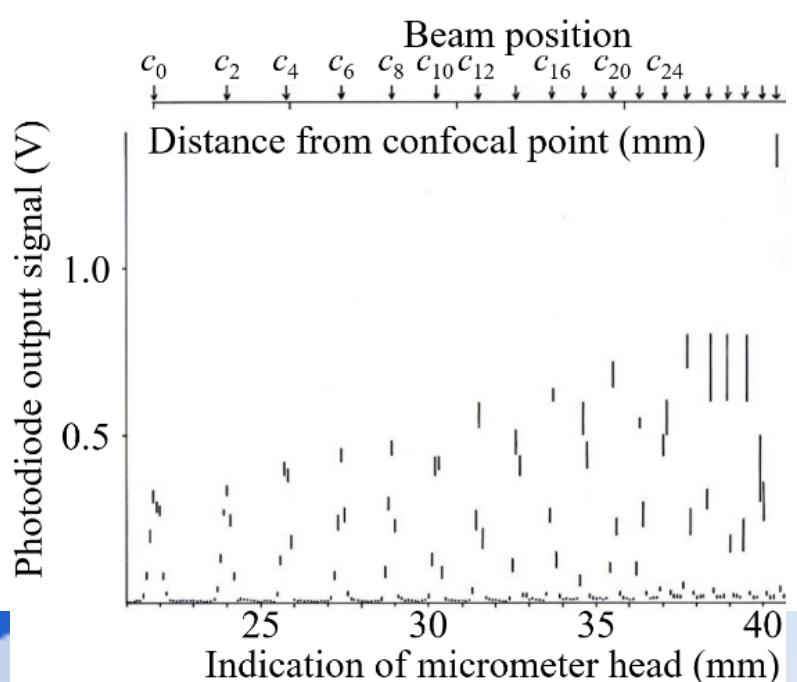
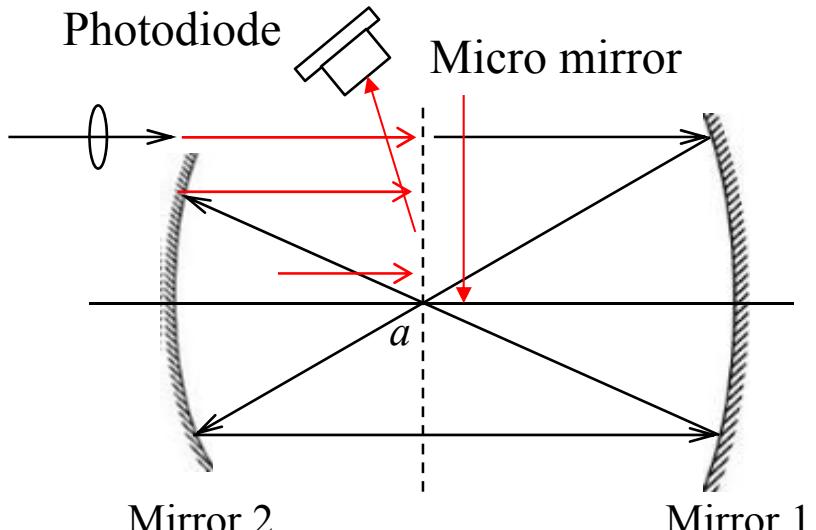
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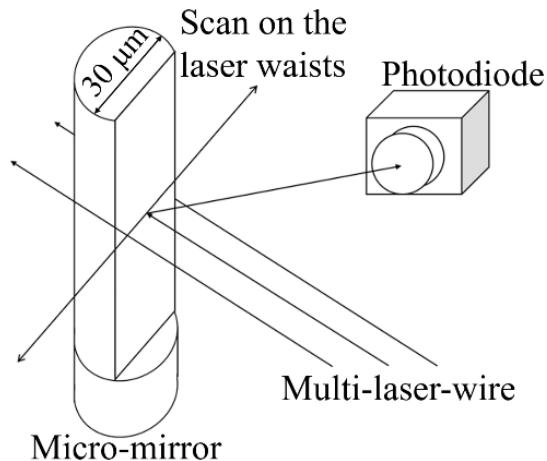
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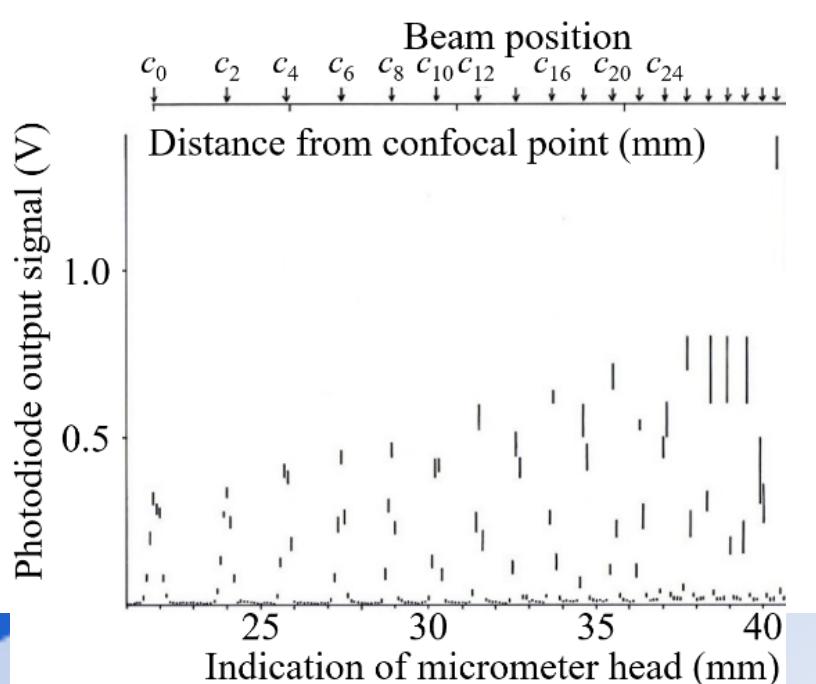
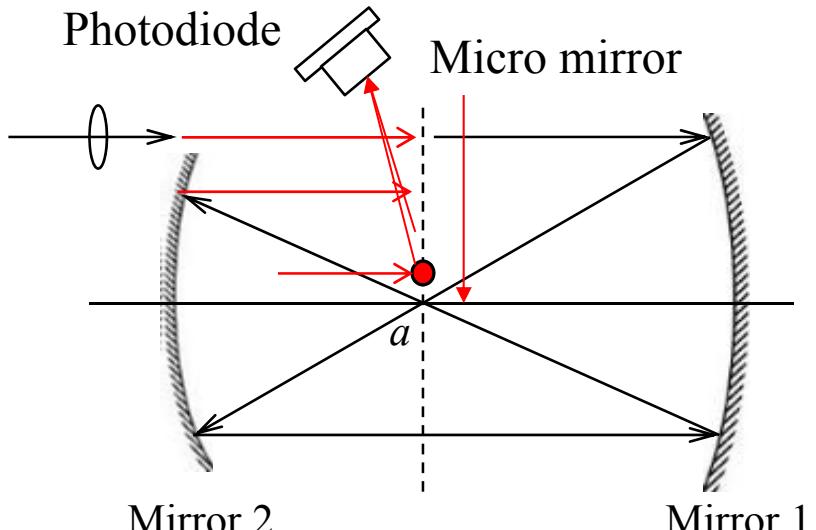
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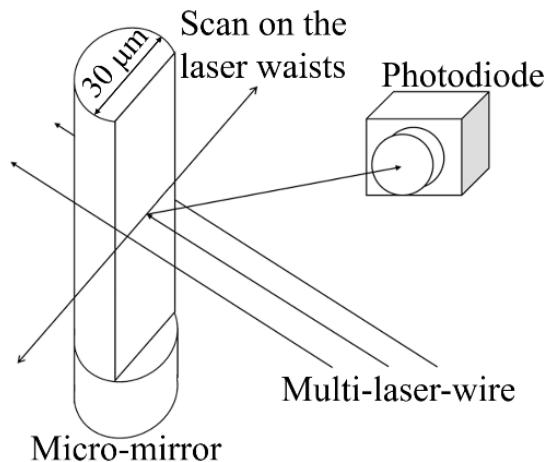
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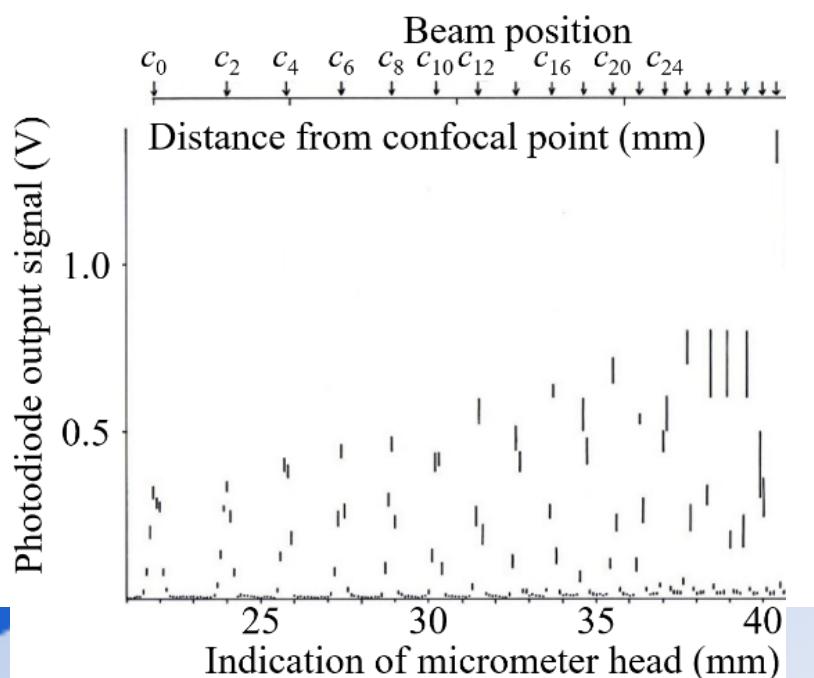
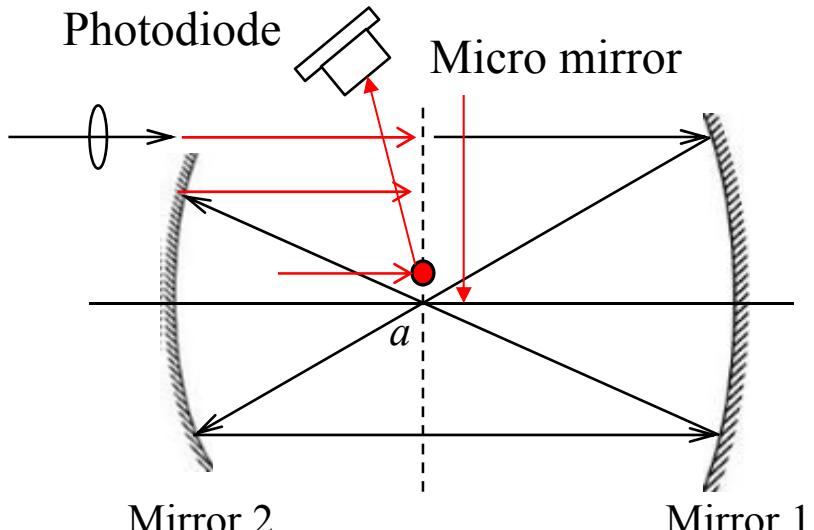
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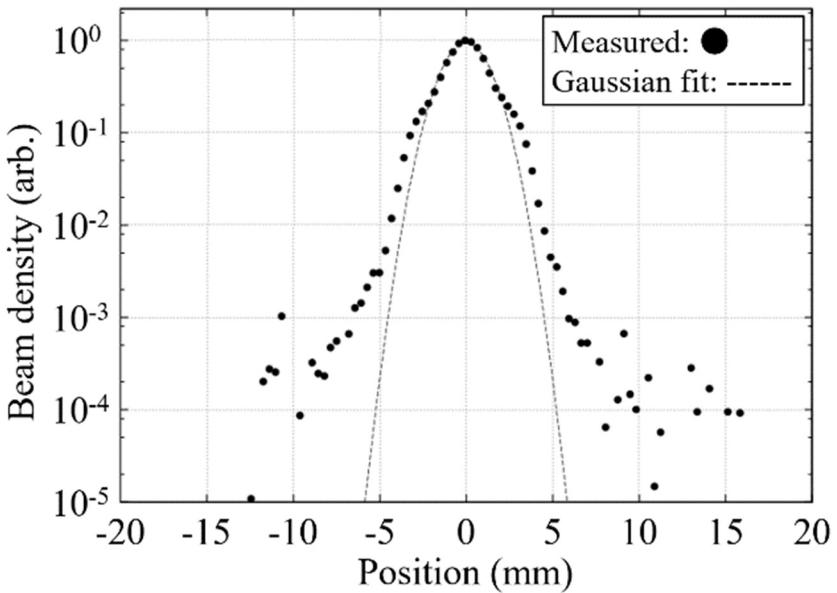
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5. Design of the multi-laser-wire profile monitor

Horizontal resolution and dynamic range

- Minimum beam size is 2.0 RMS. Less than 0.2-mm intervals are required.
- The beam halo appears around 1/10 magnitude of the beam core. Over 10^2 dynamic range is required.

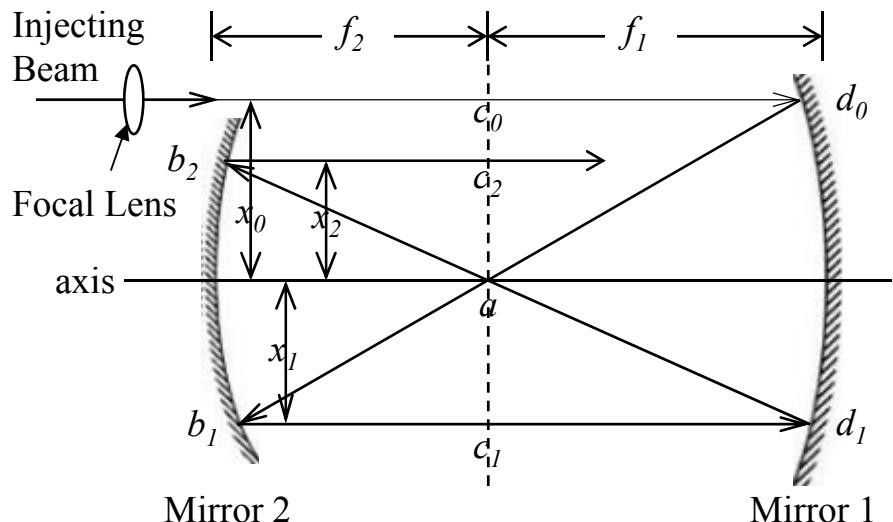


Transverse profile taken by WSM

Time intervals

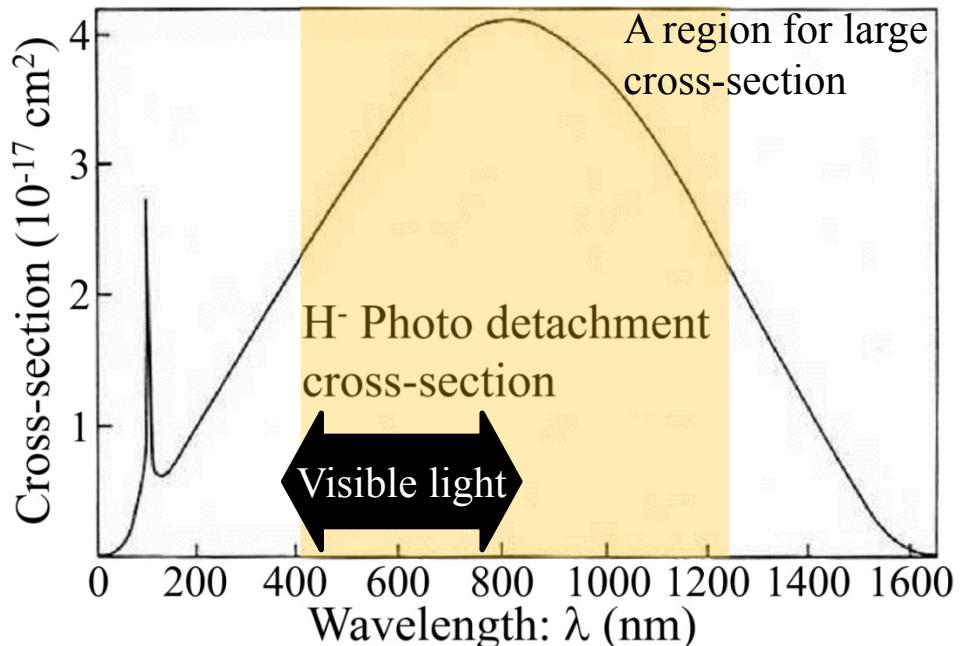
- Accelerated beam duration is 3.01 ns intervals due to 324 MHz RF.
- Time of the laser beam round trip is $4L/c$ ($L = f_1 + f_2$).
- Laser beam flight time should be in the RF repetition timing, i. e.,

$$\frac{4L}{c} = \frac{n}{324 \times 10^6}.$$



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Wavelength of laser beam



- Wavelength should be matched the cross section of the photo detachment of H^- to H^0 .
- Visible light ($\lambda = 380\text{-}800 \text{ nm}$) is included in the large cross sectional region.
- When we chose the longer or shorter wavelength, we can take a match to the largest cross section with incident angle described by following eq.

$$\lambda_{PRF} = \frac{\lambda_{LF}}{\gamma(1 + \beta \cos\alpha)}$$

Requirements of the laser profile monitor

Wavelength	400 – 1200 nm
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Horizontal resolution	< 0.2 mm
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Dynamic range	$> 10^2$
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Measurement time	2.5 mins / profile
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6. Conclusion

Advancement of the multi-laser profile monitor

- ◆ No scanning device is required.
- ◆ It is non-destructive to the accelerated beam.
- ◆ Fast data taking.

Summary

- ◆ Demonstration of the multi-laser-wire formation was conducted.
- ◆ We set the specification of the laser profile measurement.

Future works / Discussions

- ◆ Noise reduction due to electrons come from physical process.
- ◆ Need to decide the electron detector.
- ◆ Design, fabrication and test at 3-MeV beam line.
- ◆ Application to the 400-MeV beam line.