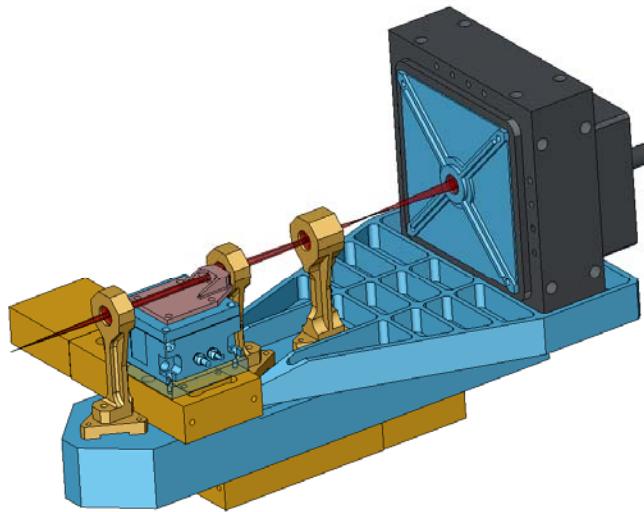


NGAO NGS WFS design review



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Presentation outline

- Requirements (including modes of operation and motion control)
- Introduction
- NGSWFS input feed (performance of the triplet and effect of atmospheric dispersion)
- Modes of operation and pupil mapping
- NGS WFS design (sensor design in all three modes, post-lenslet relay design and performance
- Summary
- Outstanding issues
- Brief outline of CCID74 performance specs.

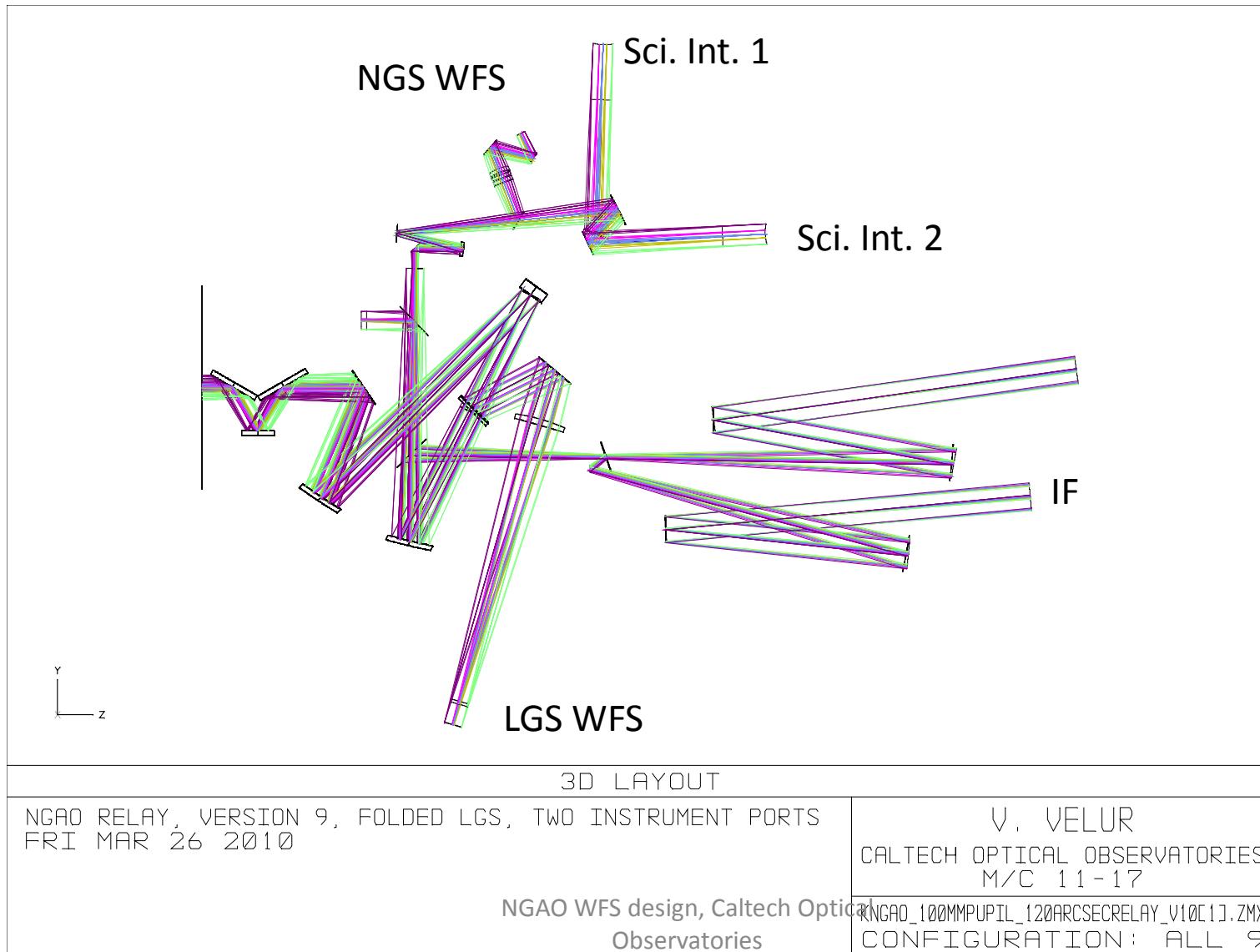
NGS WFS Requirements

- Modes of operation (FR-130 and FR-3247)
 - 63 x 63 sub-apertures
 - 5 x 5 sub-apertures
 - Pupil imaging mode
- Transmission & Operating wavelengths (FR-203 and FR-3444)
 - 500 to 900 nm with transmission of (500nm: 78%, 550nm: 80%, 633nm: 77%, 700nm: 74%, 880nm: 78%).
- Patrol Field of Regard (FR-127)
 - 40 x 60 arcsec rectangle (limited by narrow field relay)
 - NGS WFS Field Steering Mirror Ass'ly based pick-off design
- WFS FoV
 - 4 arcseconds in 60 x 60 mode (FR-131)
- Dynamic range (FR-141) = +/-1.77" @ 700 nm.
- Static non-calibratable aberrations in the NGSWFS = 25 nm (FR-138)
- NGS WFS operates with no ADC (B2C decision)

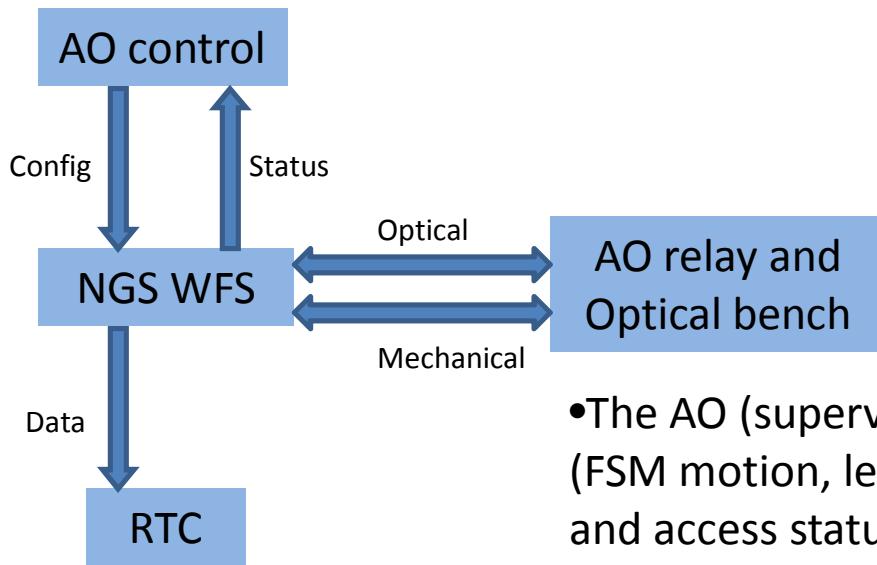
Motion control requirements

- Field steering mirrors – need to be able to pick any star in a 60x40 arcsecond Field of Regard
- Whole WFS motion – the WFS must work with and without the IF dichoric
- Lenslet XY motion & post-lenslet relay and camera focus – the WFS needs to operate in 63x63, 5x5 and pupil imaging modes.

NGAO optical relay – the packaging problem



Context diagram of the NGS WFS

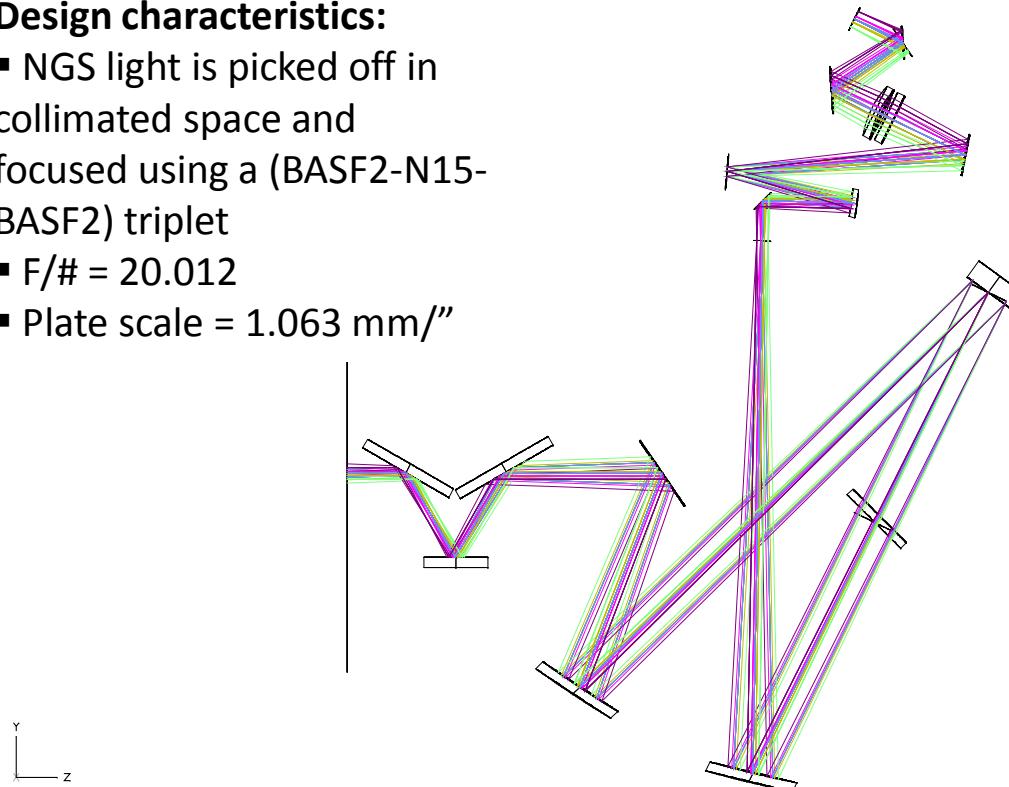


- The AO (supervisory) control can configure (FSM motion, lenslets, read-out mode etc.) and access status signals from the NGSWFS sub-system.
- NGS WFS needs to interface mechanically and optically to the AO relay/ optical bench.
- NGSWFS needs to send pixel data to the RTC.
- Note that the RTC has no control path to the sensor (unlike the LGSWFS where there is a TT mirror control).

Input to the NGS sensor

Design characteristics:

- NGS light is picked off in collimated space and focused using a (BASF2-N15-BASF2) triplet
- F/# = 20.012
- Plate scale = 1.063 mm/''

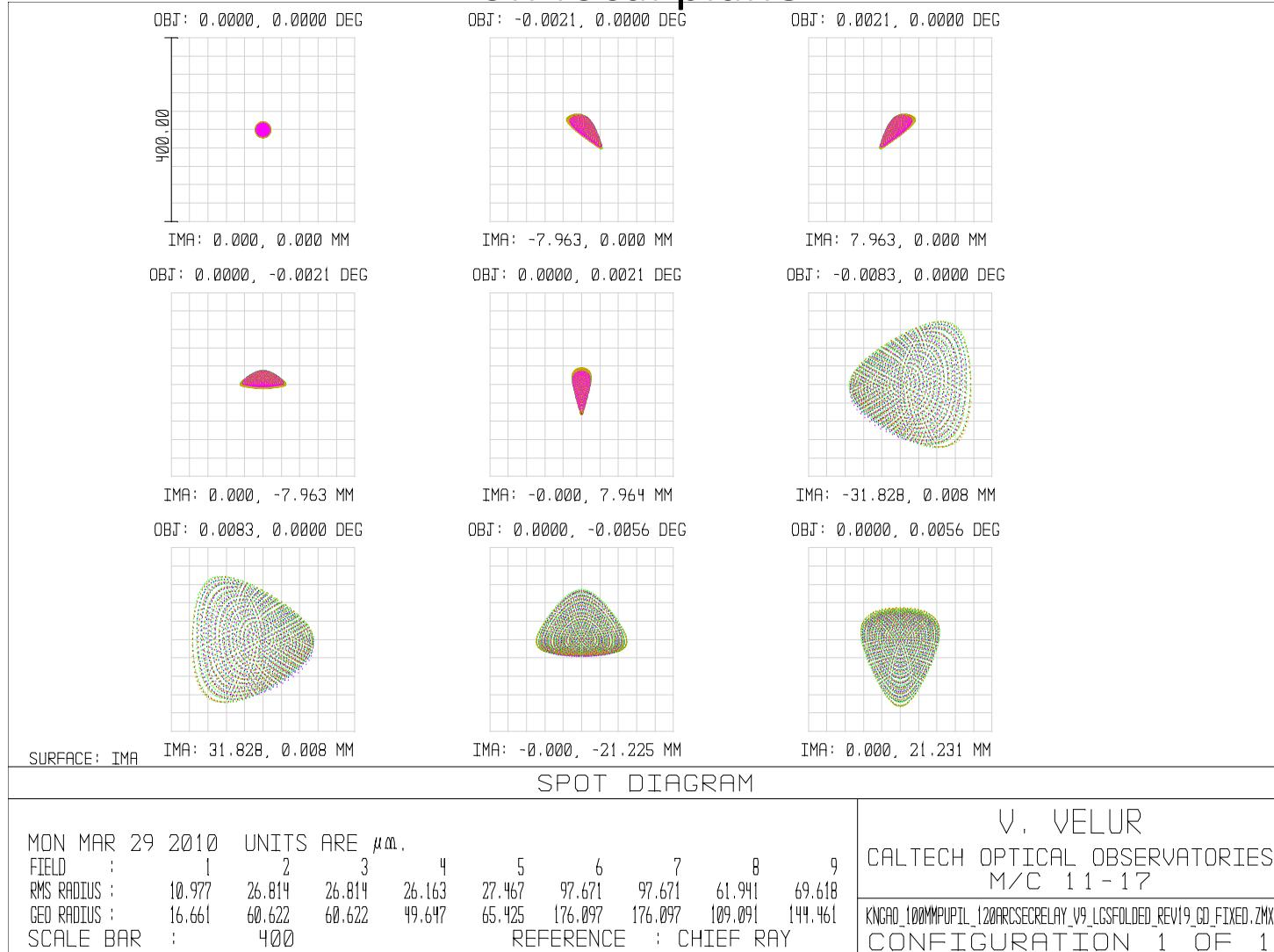


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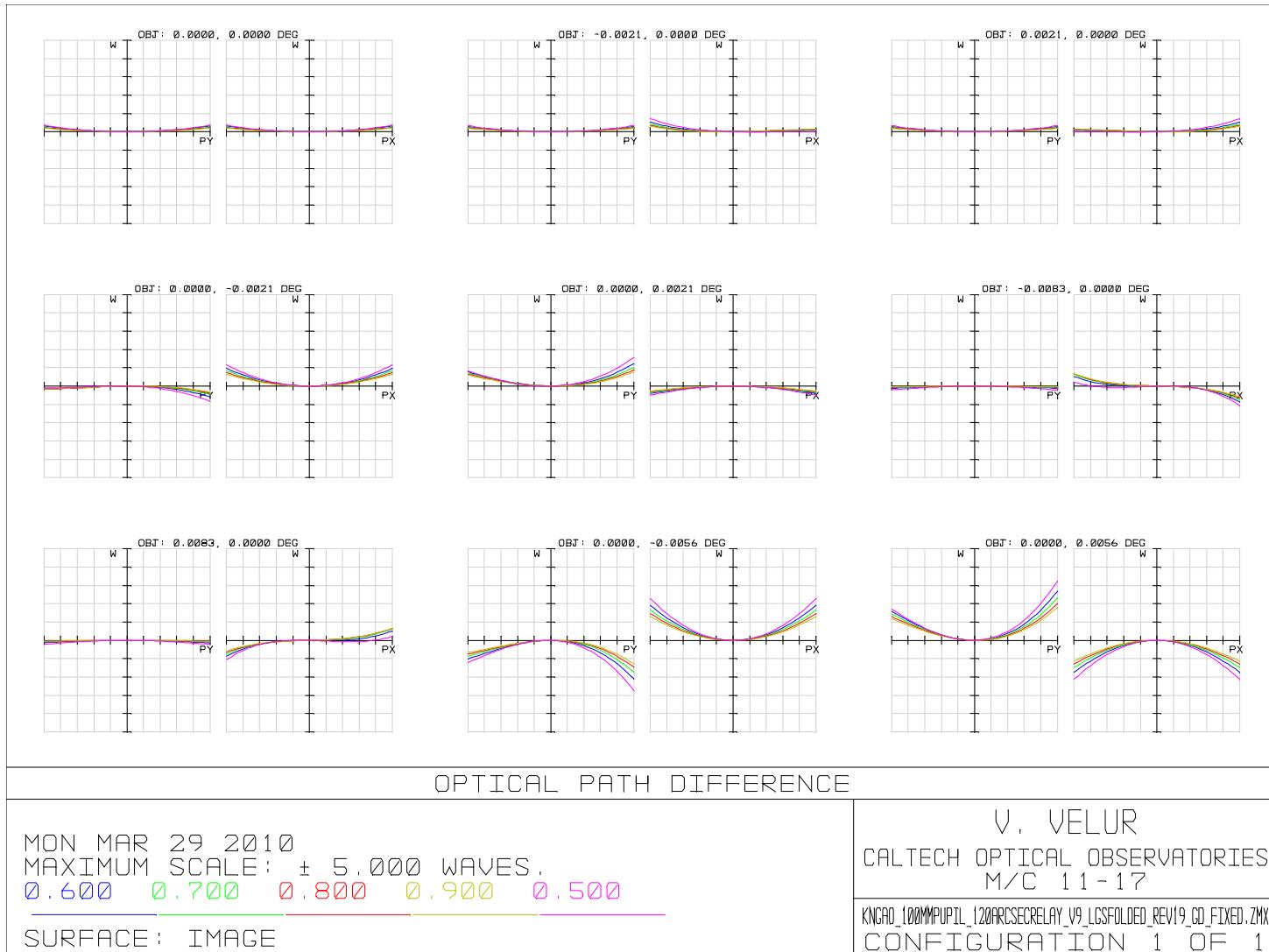
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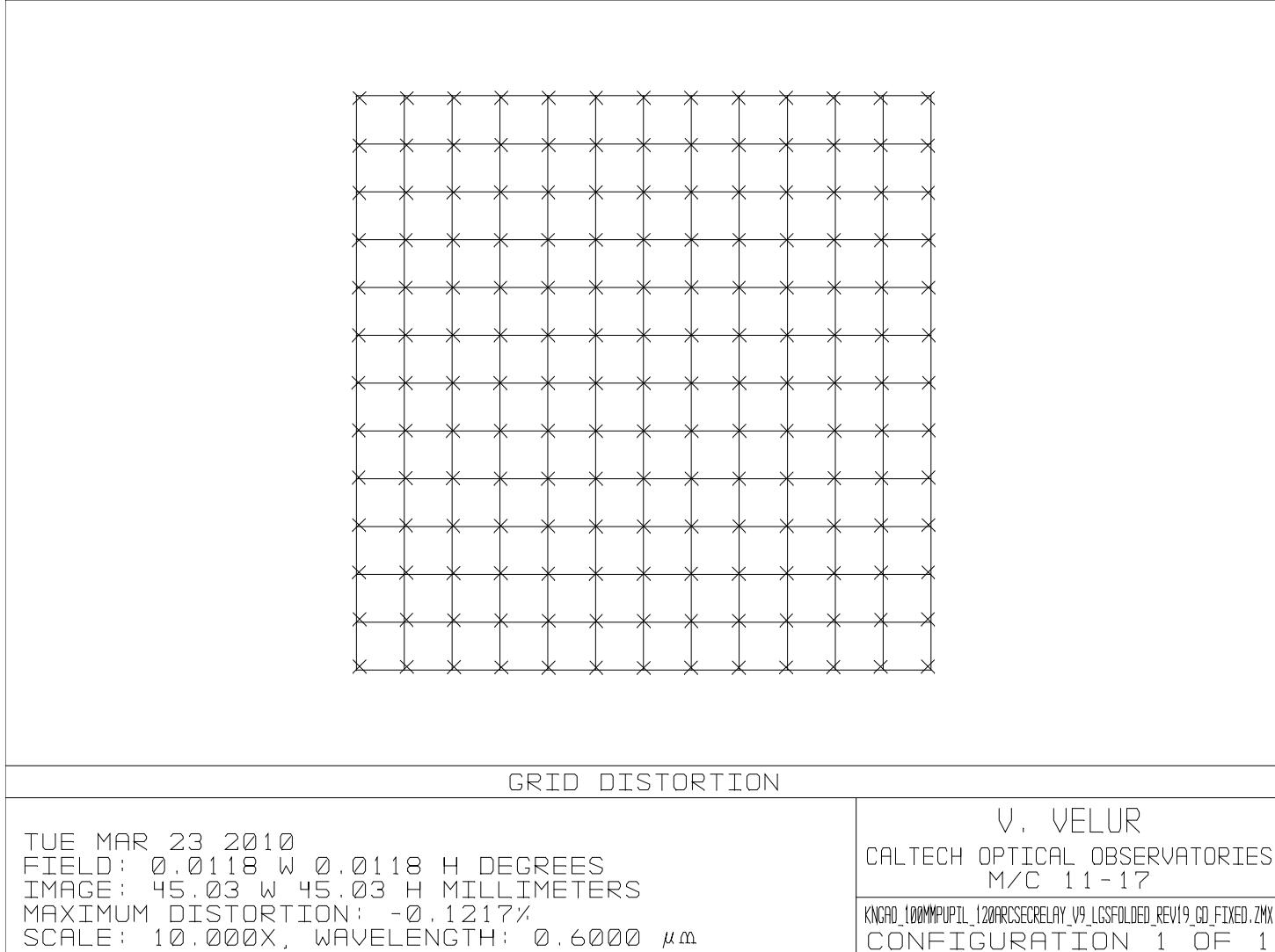
Input to the NGS sensor – spot diagram at the NGS sensor pick-off focal plane



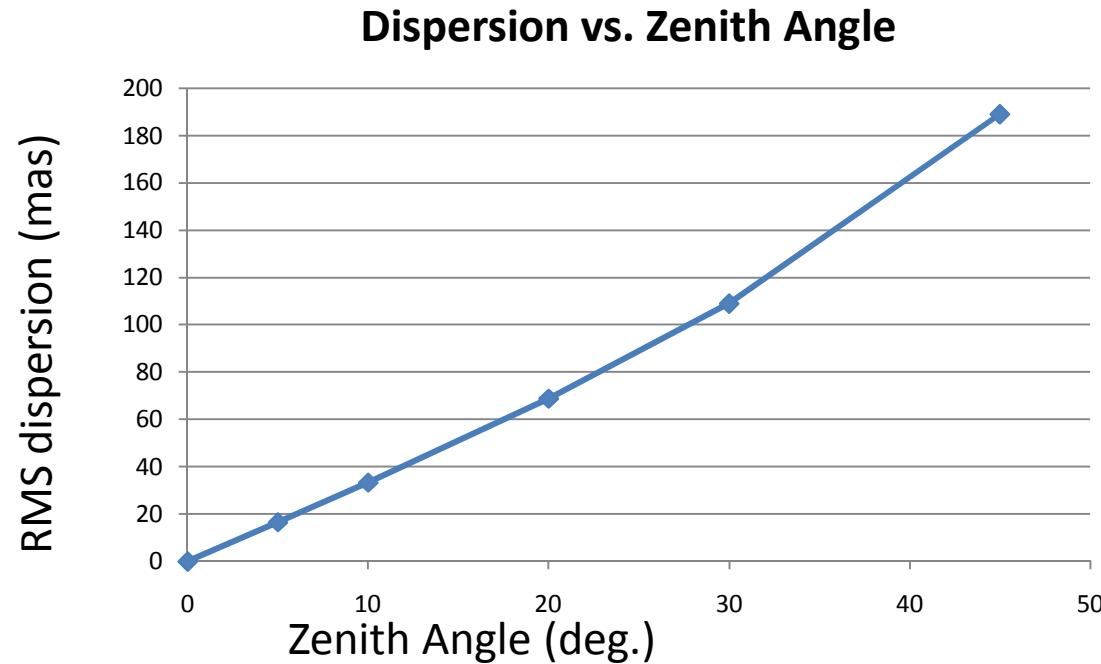
Ray fans at the NGS sensor pick-off focal plane



Grid distortion at the NGS WFS input



Effect of atmospheric dispersion on high order NGS wavefront sensing



Max. dispersion introduced by the atmosphere between 500-900 nm = 189 mas at 45 degree zenith angle – ***results spot blurring of 0.2"*** [as opposed to 10 mas (RMS) ‘nominal’ spot blurring with an ADC]

Static aberrations

- Geometric spot size at the relay (RMS) = Error budget alloc. (asec, FWHM)/2.355
 $(FWHM/RMS) * 21 (\mu m/pixel)/(1 \text{ asec}/pixel)$
 - ⇒ We know from the relay design that the spot size is 3 μm (RMS), hence **error budget allocation must be 0.33 asec instead of 0.25 asec**. This leads to a 6% change in apparent spot size at the detector.
 - ⇒ Since we will use the NGS WFS with bright stars ($M_v >= 8$), atmospheric fitting error and not measurement error is the dominating error term in the error budget (Fitting error/Measurement error ~2)
- ⇒ We do have an alternate relay design with an extra (field flattening) optic that delivers performance within specs. - it is not clear if this is useful given the sensitivity analysis.

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Natural seeing FWHM at GS wavelength	0.43	arcsec
Subaperture Tip/Tilt corrected FWHM	0.20	arcsec
AO-compensated FWHM	0.06	arcsec
Contribution due to seeing	0.20	arcsec
System Aberrations		
Aberrations in AO thru to WFS	0.25	arcsec
Atmospheric Dispersion		
ADC in HOWFS? (NO)		
RMS blurring due to atmospheric dispersion	0.109	arcsec
Total size of detected return beam:	0.34	arcsec
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What's the implication for the NGS WFS?

- Wavefront error on input beam is 1.15 waves RMS (6 waves P-V) @ 600 nm at the extreme (and worst case) field points. This is mostly astigmatism.
- As per KAON 685 we know that this corresponds to ($y = ar^2 \rightarrow 0.69 * 10^{-6} = 25 * a \rightarrow a = .276 * 10^{-7}$);
 $dy/dr = 2*a*r \rightarrow dy/dr=0.2*10^{-6}$) [c.f. *Figure 13 in the KAON*]
- KAON 692 Figures 9 and 10 along with corresponding analysis also indicate that for a large # of sub-apertures (60 in our case) the sub-ap spot size due to input aberration is going to be of the order of 2 um (RMS).

Analysis result

- Impact of input aberrations
 - Negligible impact on sub-aperture spot size.
 - Acceptable centroid offsets (~ 0.1 pixel worst case)
 - Small amount of distortion (0.13%) will be calibrated using stimulus and acquisition camera.
 - Chromatic aberrations acceptable
- The dynamic range of the sensor is ± 2 asec (within spec.)
- Atmospheric dispersion introduces **0.19 asec** of spot blurring.
- **The WFS relay is slightly out of spec., but sensitivity analysis reveal that this is not the bottleneck for performance with bright guide stars (request for change of specs).**

NGS WFS parameters

- Following Keck Drawing [Drawing #1410-CM0010 Rev. 1](#), we have 59 ($+1/2+1/2$) WFS sub-apertures across the a circle that inscribes the Keck primary mirror. We also support another calibration mode with 5x5 pupil samples across the Keck primary mirror.
- The WFS FoV is 4" because the sensor needs to track extended objects that are 4" in diameter. One could also work out the spot size. This give us a p-value (ratio of pixel size to spot size) = 1

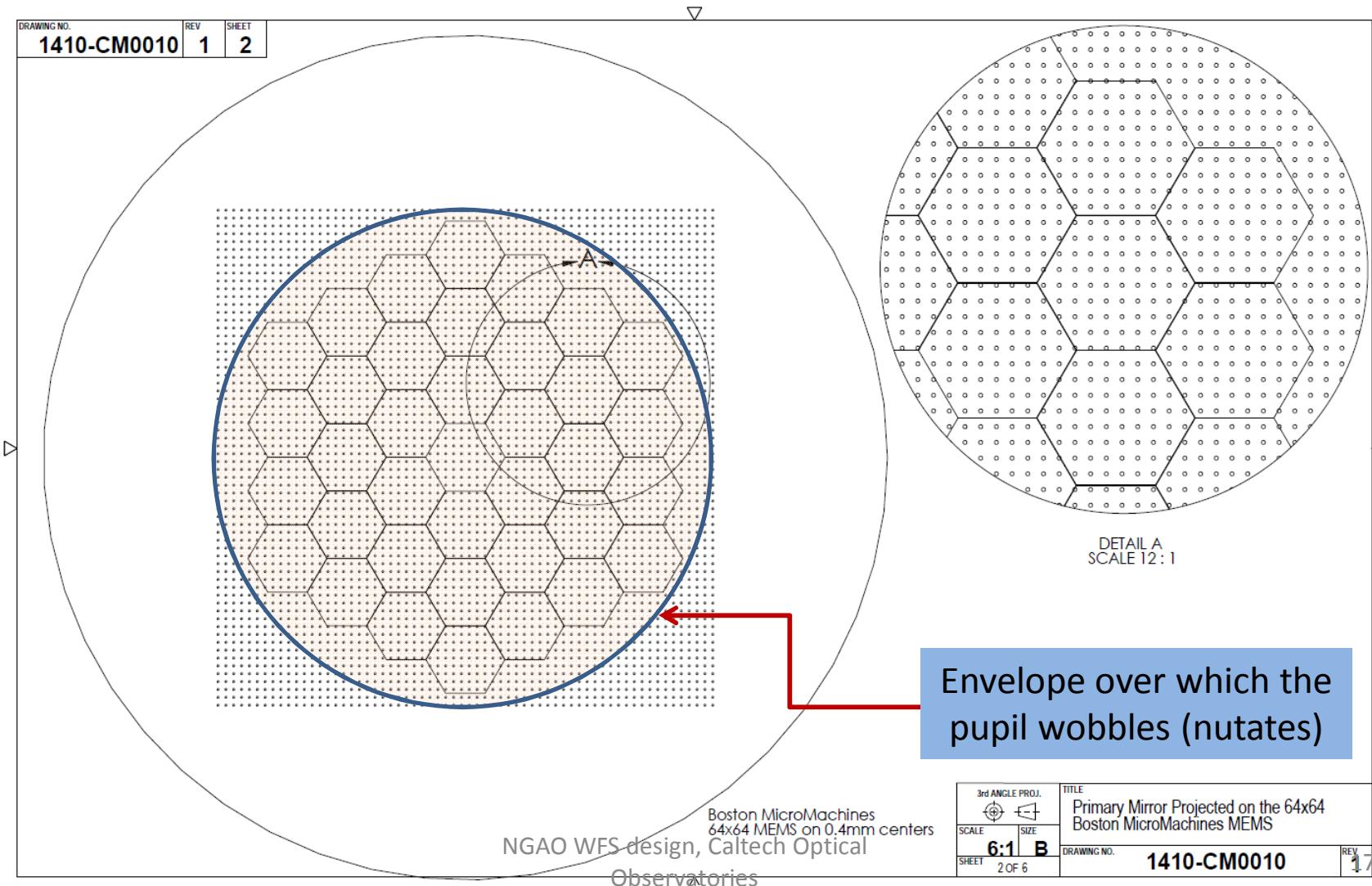
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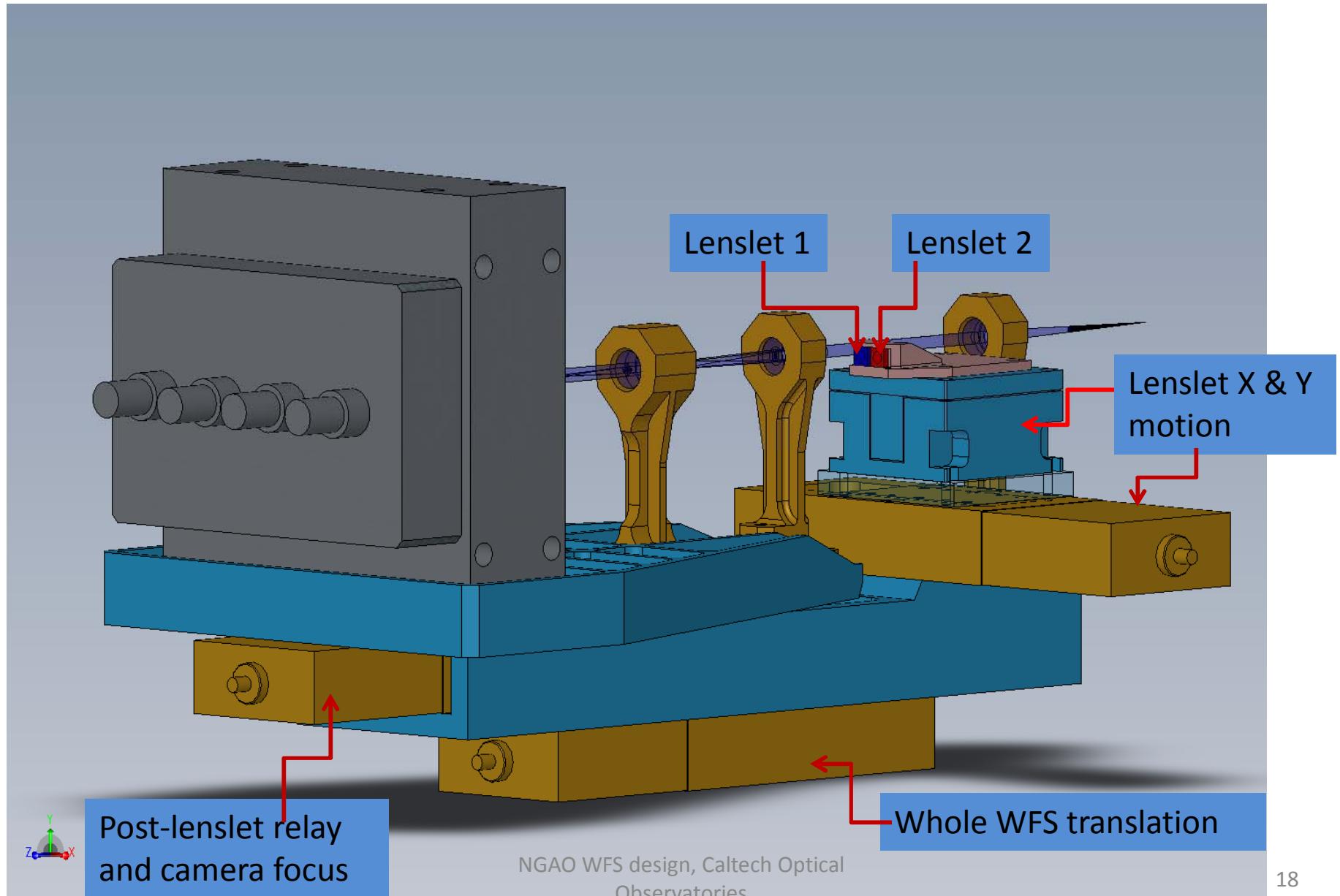
Modes of operation

- 63x63 sub-ap. mode of operation
 - We use 4 physical pixels per sub-ap. Which can be binned on chip and read as 2x2 pixels/sub-aperture with almost zero read noise penalty. This gives us the flexibility of 2 modes, one with high linearity and another with lower read noise.
 - Only 59x59 sub-apertures are lit by NGS star light at any time. The pupil imaged by the WFS nutates around the 63x63 sub-apertures.
- 5x5 mode of operation
 - to simplify the size of moving parts while facilitating the two pupil sampling modes, we use the same collimator and post-lenslet relay for both the 63 and 5 sub-ap mode of operation.
 - We choose 48 pixels/sub-aperture (instead of 50 pixels/sub-ap) to enable 4x4 binned pixel/sub-aperture operation with standard centroiding algorithms.
 - A small fraction of light will be lost from the outer-most sub-apertures due to pupil nutation.
- Pupil imaging mode – The NGS WFS can image the pupil using the WFS camera.

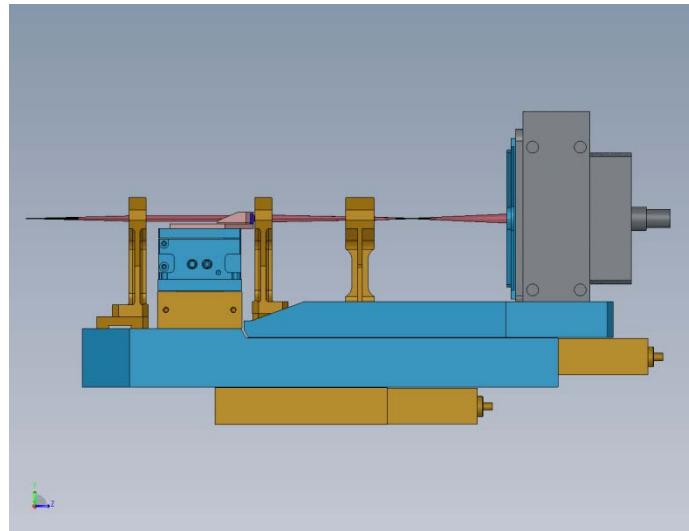
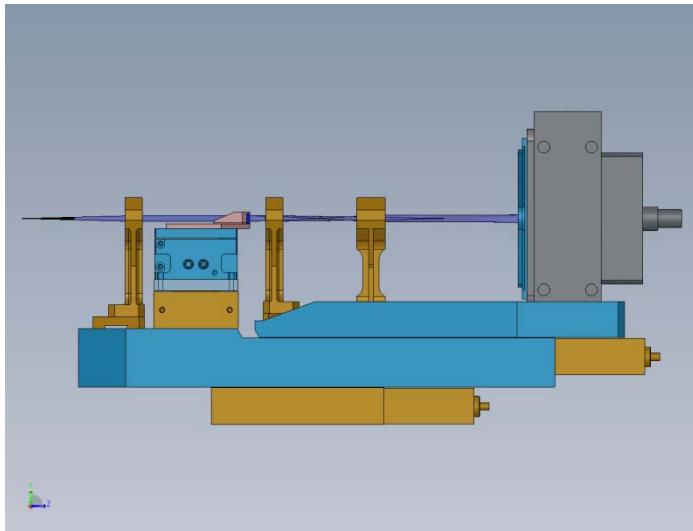
Keck primary projected on the 64x64 actuator BMM HODM



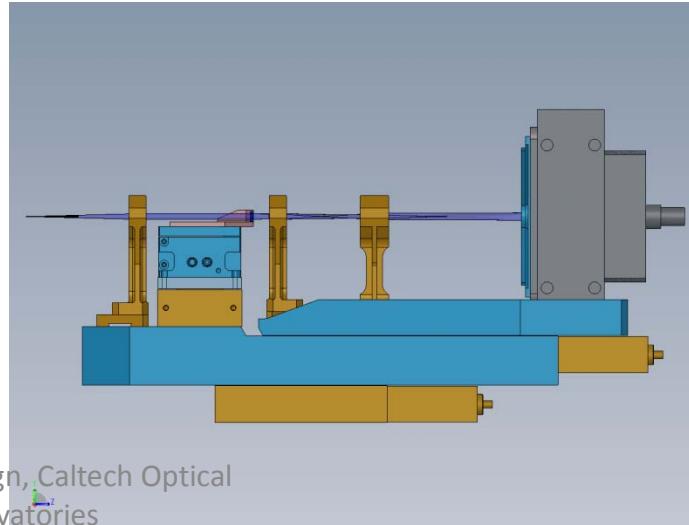
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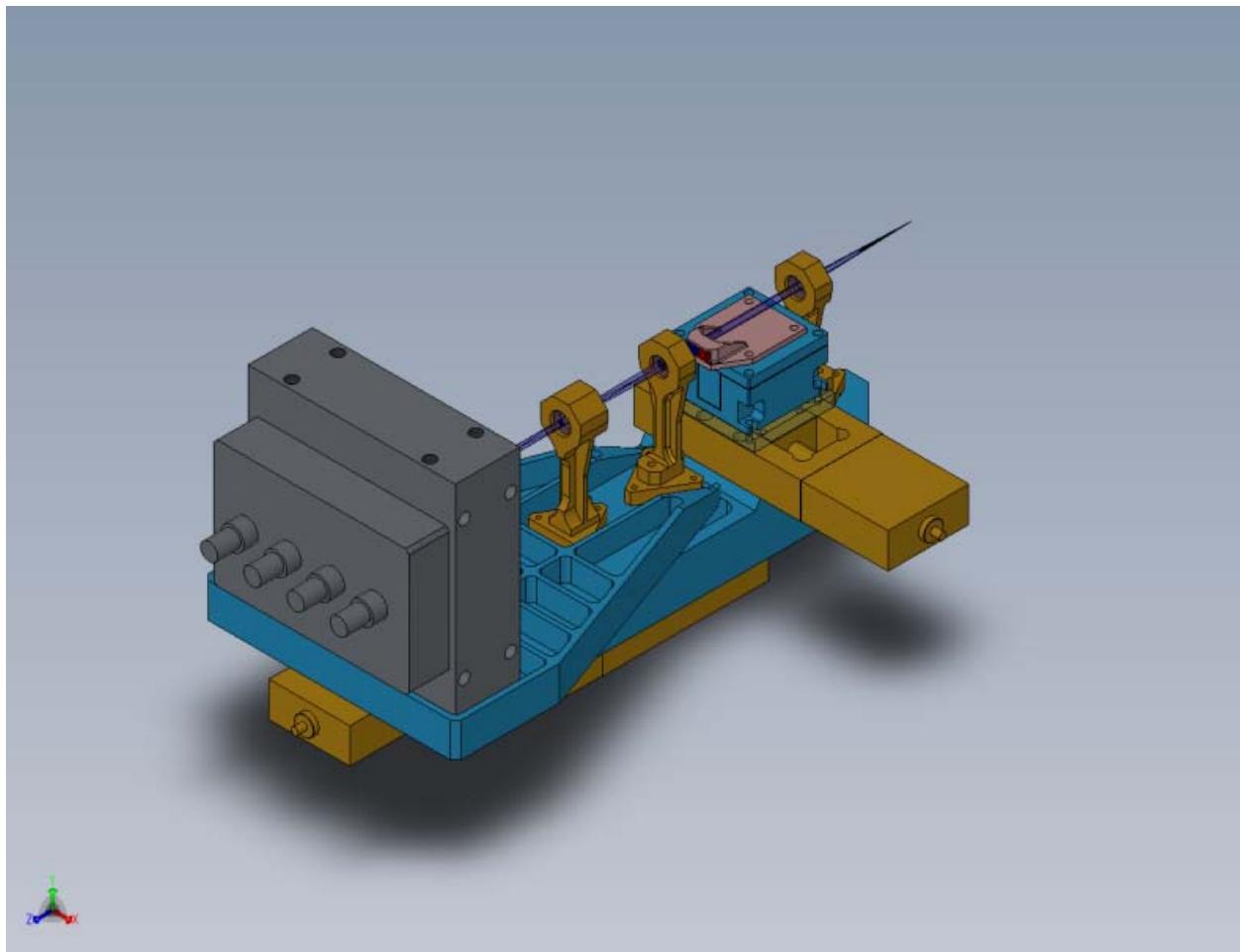
Modes of operation cont'd



Modes(Clockwise from top): 5x5, 63x63 and pupil imaging modes



Modes of operation cont'd



Pupil mapping between NGSWFS-DM and primary mirror

As per [Drawing #1410-CM0010 Rev. 1](#), :

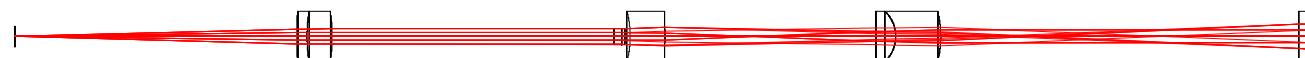
- The whole DM would be mapped by using a pupil that is $25.2 \text{ mm}/24 \text{ mm} * 10.949 = 11.49645 \text{ m}$ and has the same focal length (149.583 m). This corresponds to an $F/\# = 13.01123$.
- Plate scale = $13.01123 * 11.49645 / (180/\pi * 3600)$
 $= 725.1979 \text{ um/''}$ at the telescope focal plane
- The apparent plate scale at the NGS pick off focal plane is 19.06163 (instead of 20.012). The plate scale is 1.0623 mm/".

WFS design parameters

Parameter	60x60 mode	5x5 mode	units
f_collimator	60	60	mm
Input plate scale	1.0623	1.0623	mm/"
Binned pixel size (# of pixels)	1	12	pixels
Detector plate scale (mm/")	0.0210	0.2520	mm/"
Plate scale ratio (IPS/DPS)	50.58	4.22	
input f/#	19.06	19.06	
pupil sampling	63	5	sub-aps across pupil
d_lenslet	0.05	0.60	mm
de-magnification (m)	1.68	1.68	
f_lenslet	0.71	8.47	mm
f# lenslet	14.12	14.12	
wavelength (for worst case FN calc.)	0.90	0.90	um
fresnel #	0.98	11.80	
radius of curvature of lenslet	0.36	4.38	mm

63x63 NGS WFS layout

- Total relay length = 262 mm
- Components from (left to right) –collimating doublet, lenslet array, field singlet, focusing doublet followed by the window and the detector.
- Wavelength of operation – 500-900 nm (*TBC*)

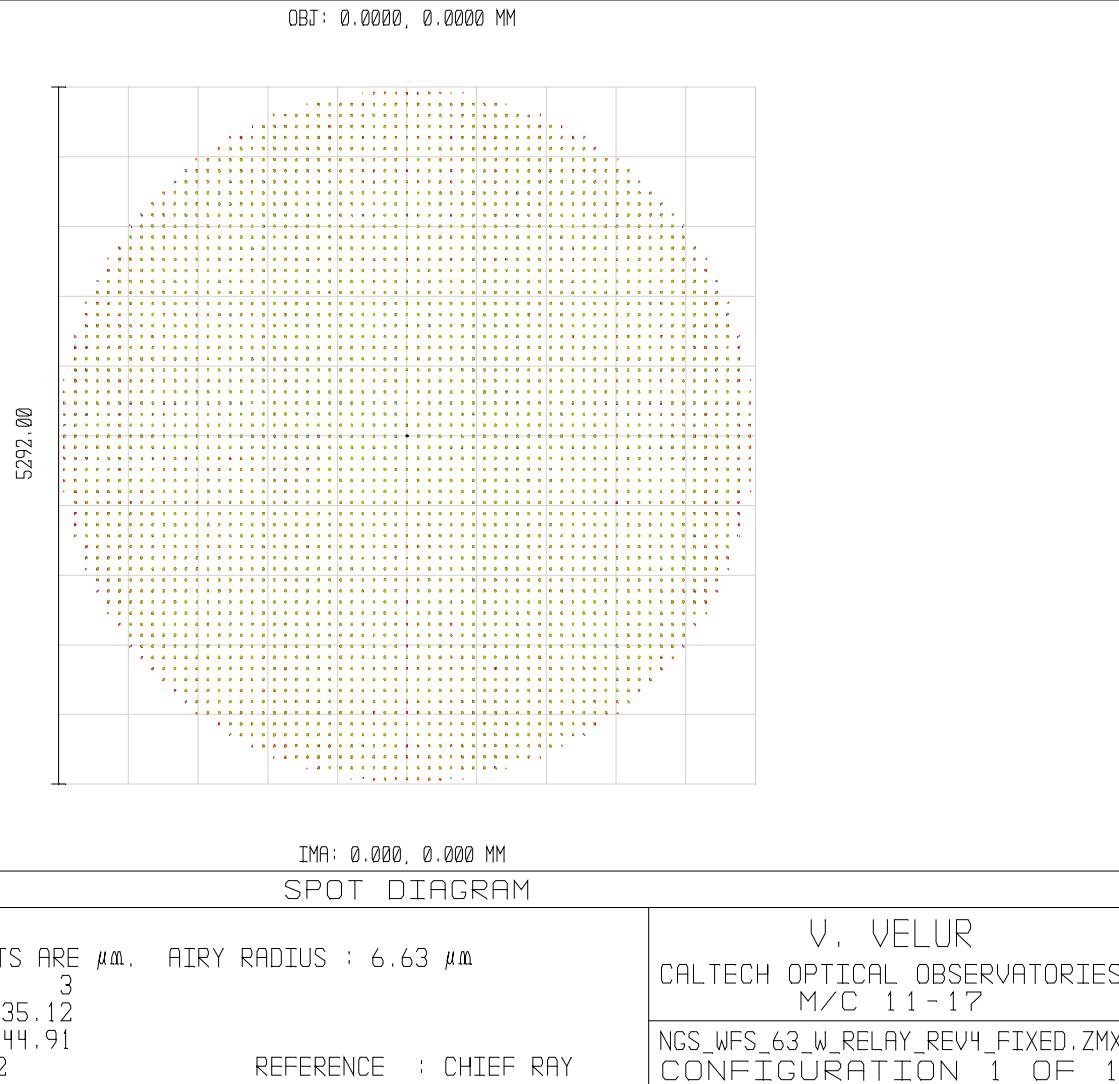


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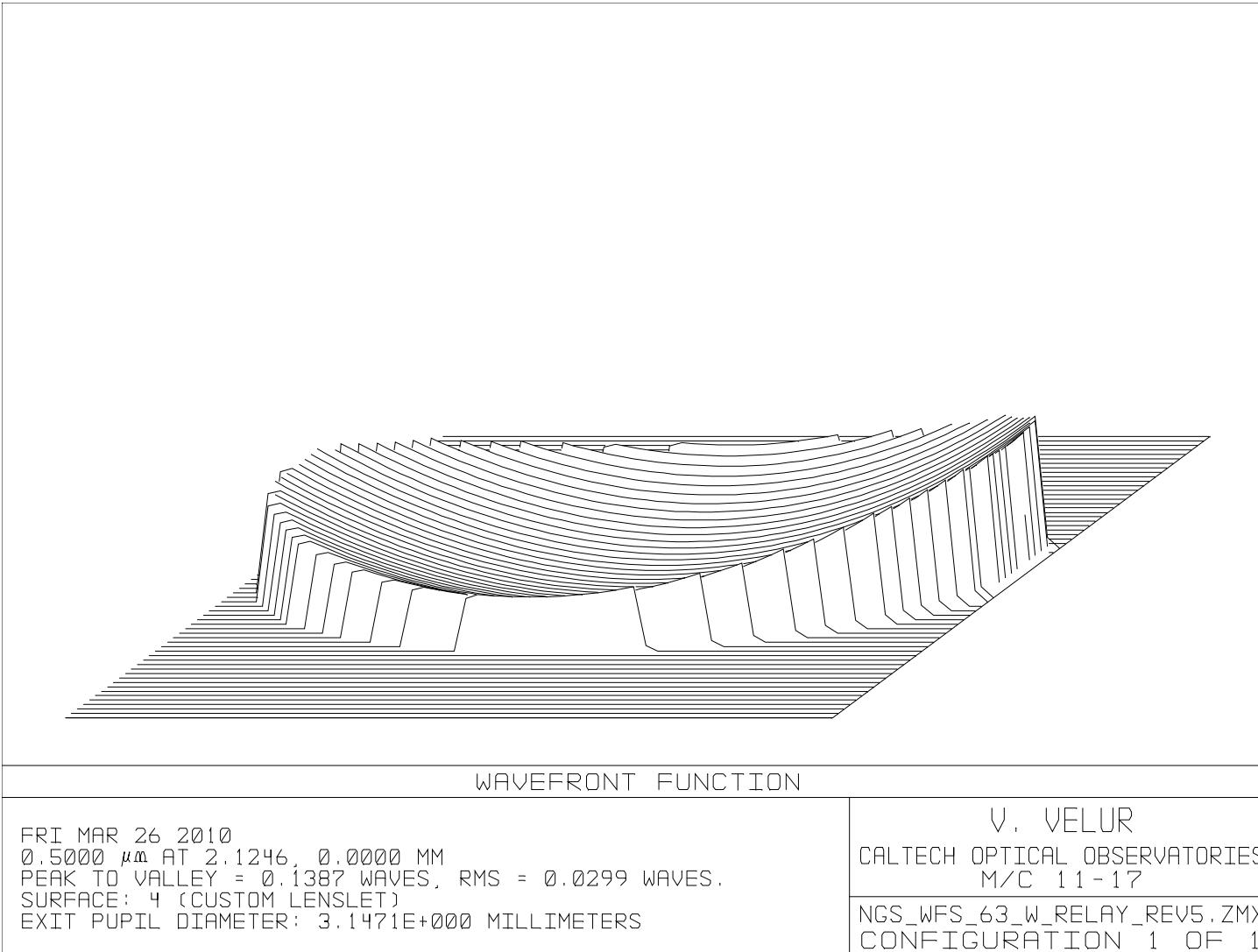
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63x63 sub-aperture NGS WFS spots

21 μm pixel detector
with 63 spots with 4x4
pixels/sub-aperture.



63x63 NGS WFS layout



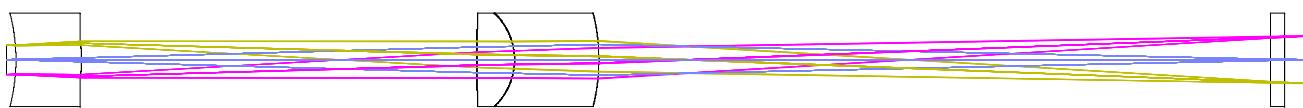
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4	Standard	custom lenslet	Infinity	1.500	N-BK7	1.607	0.000									
STO	Lens Array		-0.365	0.706		1.581	0.000		63.000	63.000	0.051	0.051				
6	Standard		Infinity	1.000		1.606	0.000									
7*	Standard	custom singlet	-19.621 V	7.000	F2	5.000 U	0.000									
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13	Standard		Infinity	3.000		2.503	0.000									
14	Standard		Infinity	0.000		2.652	0.000									
IMA	Standard		Infinity	-		2.652	0.000									

63x63 NGS WFS post lenslet relay

- Mag. = 1.681
- Total relay length = 139 mm



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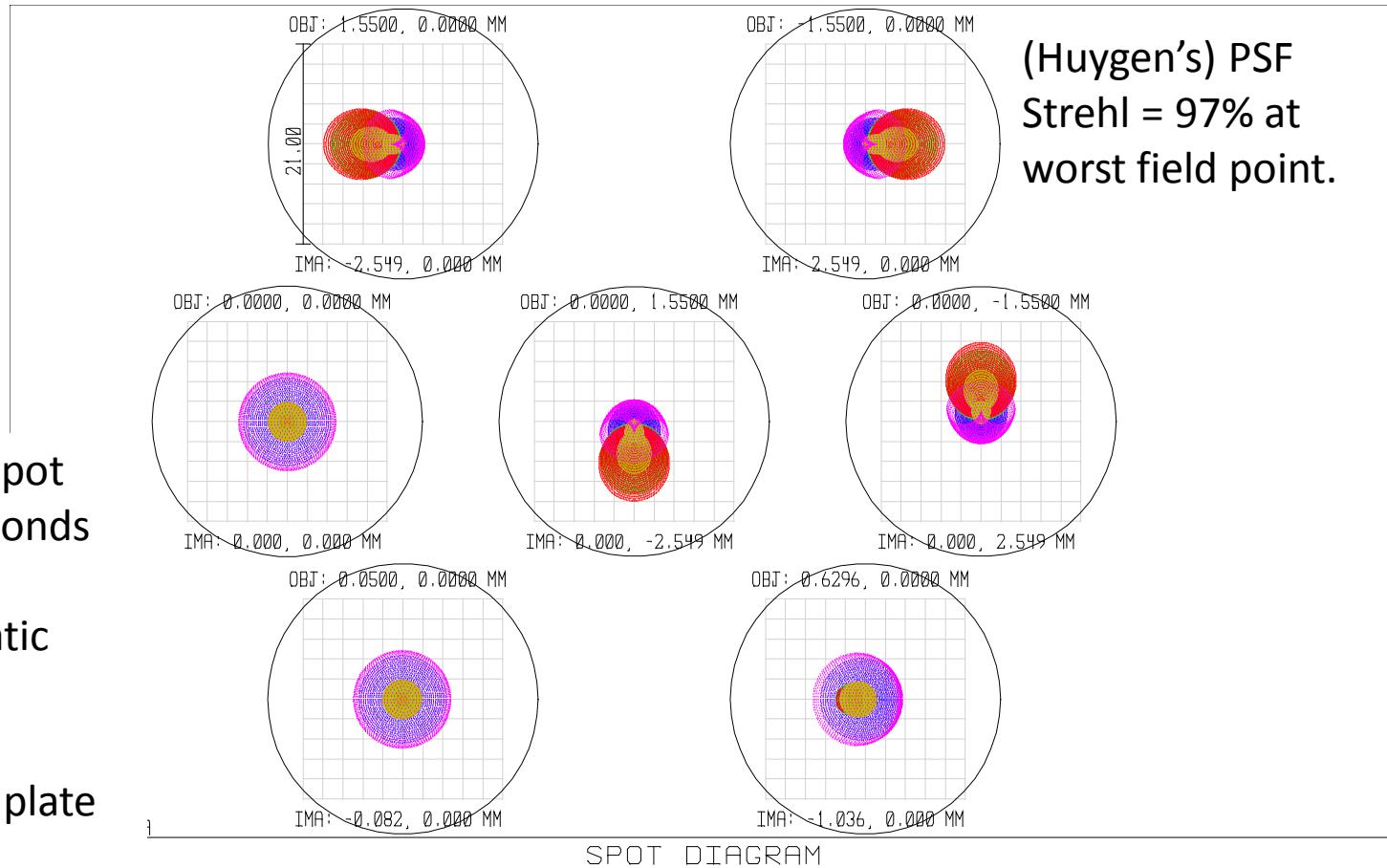
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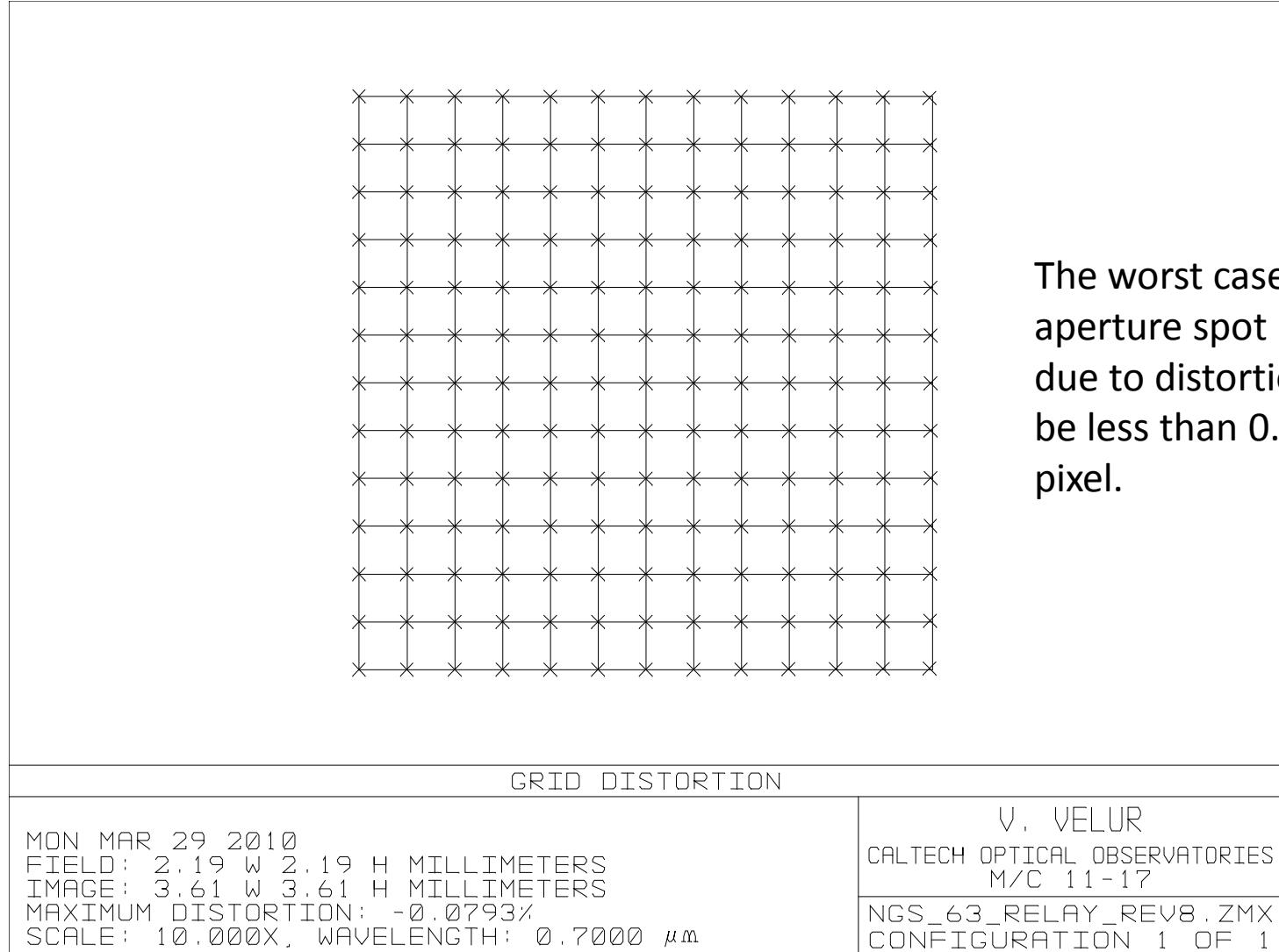
Post lenslet relay – spots delivered by the relay

3 um RMS spot size corresponds to 0.33asec (FWHM) static error in the sensor @ 1asec/pixel plate scale



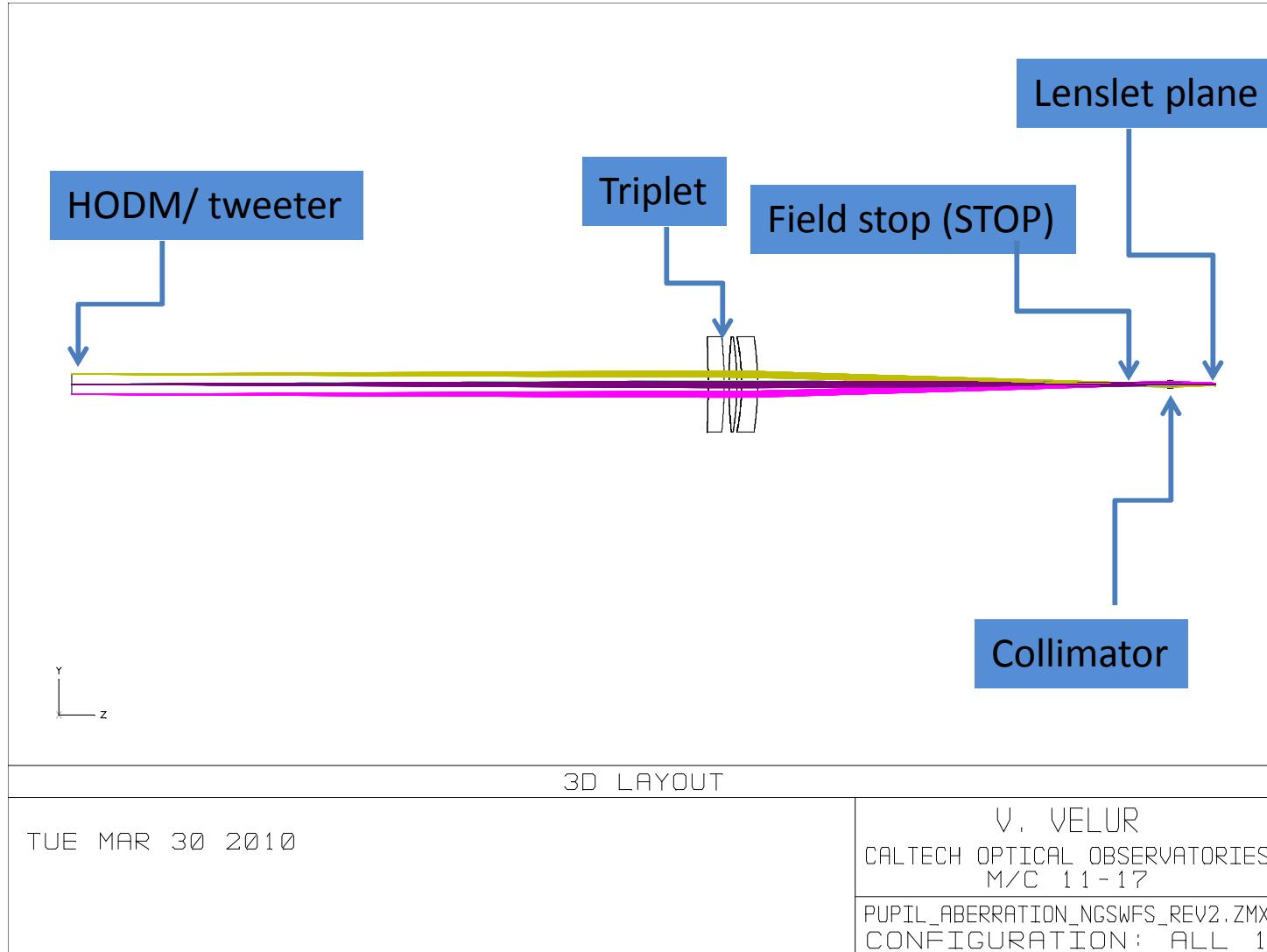
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Post lenslet relay – grid distortion

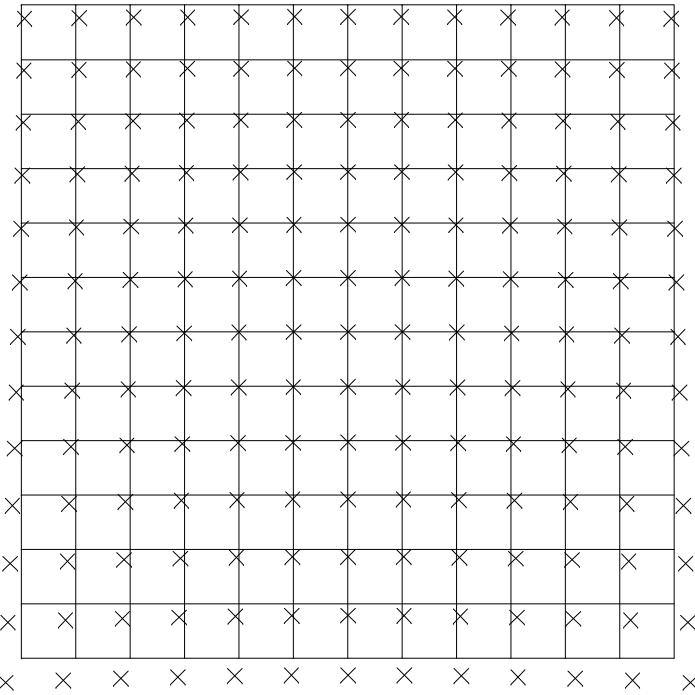


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Pupil (HODM to Lenslet) mapping layout



Grid distortion in pupil mapping



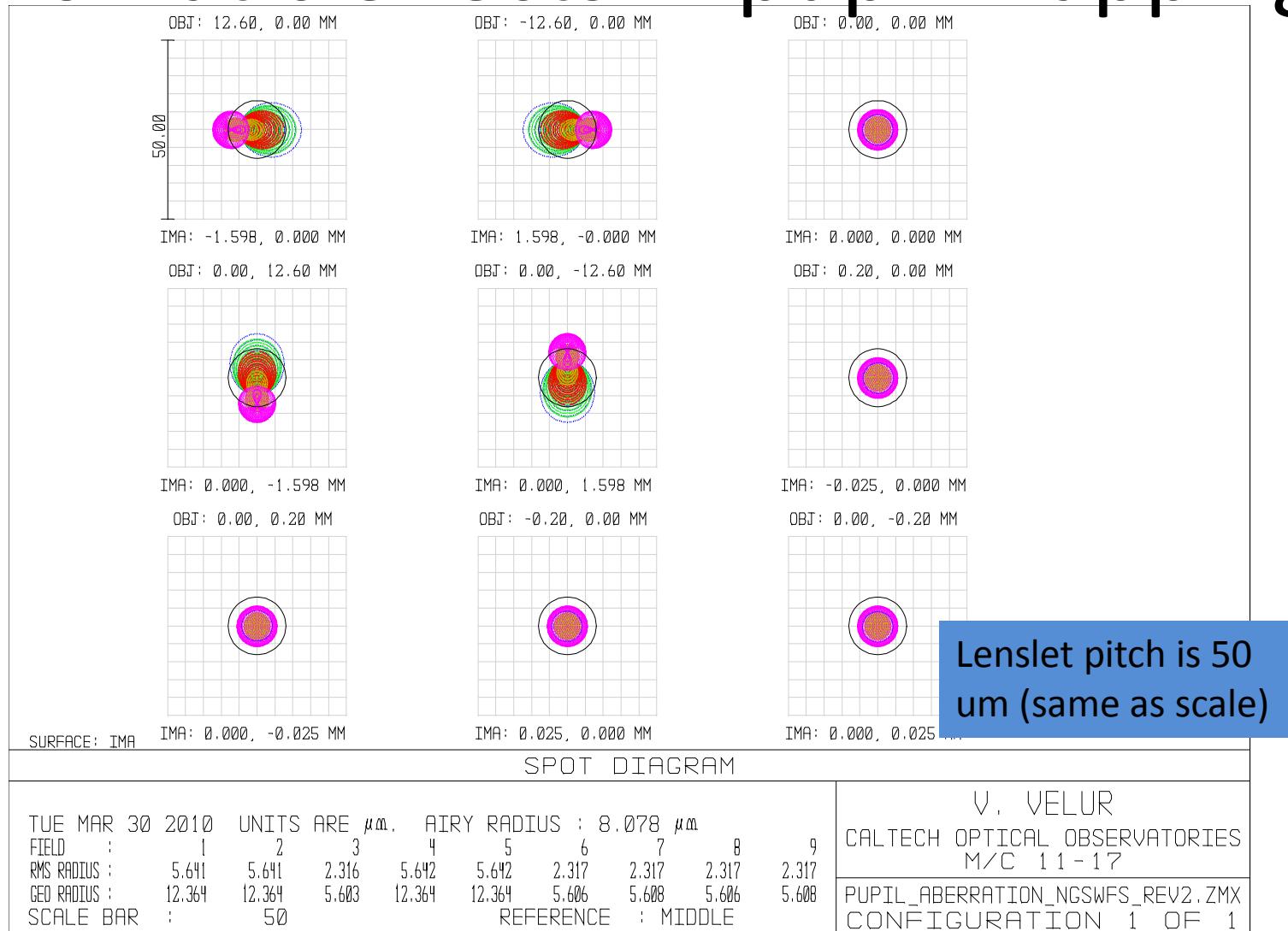
Extreme actuator-lenslet mapping is off by 2%

GRID DISTORTION

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MAXIMUM DISTORTION: 0.0626%
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Chromatic effects in pupil mapping

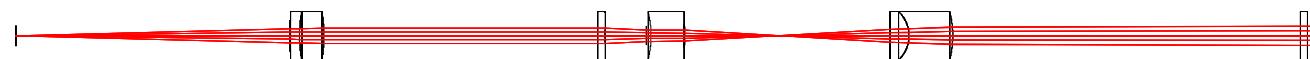


Results of pupil mapping analysis

- Distortion in mapping of actuators to lenslets is >2% at the extreme sub-apertures.
- Point actuators are mapped onto >4 um RMS dia. Blobs [*compare to influence function of an actuator*].
- Chromatic effects make this blob as big as 12um (RMS) [*compare to influence function of an actuator*].
- **Need to model chromatic effects all the way from the field points on the primary mirror with entrance window, LGS dichroic, w/ and w/o IF dichroic in the optical relay to the WFS lenslet and compare with the actuator influence function.**

5x5 NGS (calibration) WFS layout

- Total relay length = 269 mm
- Components from (left to right) –collimating doublet, lenslet array, field singlet, focusing doublet followed by the window and the detector.
- Wavelength of operation – 500-900 nm



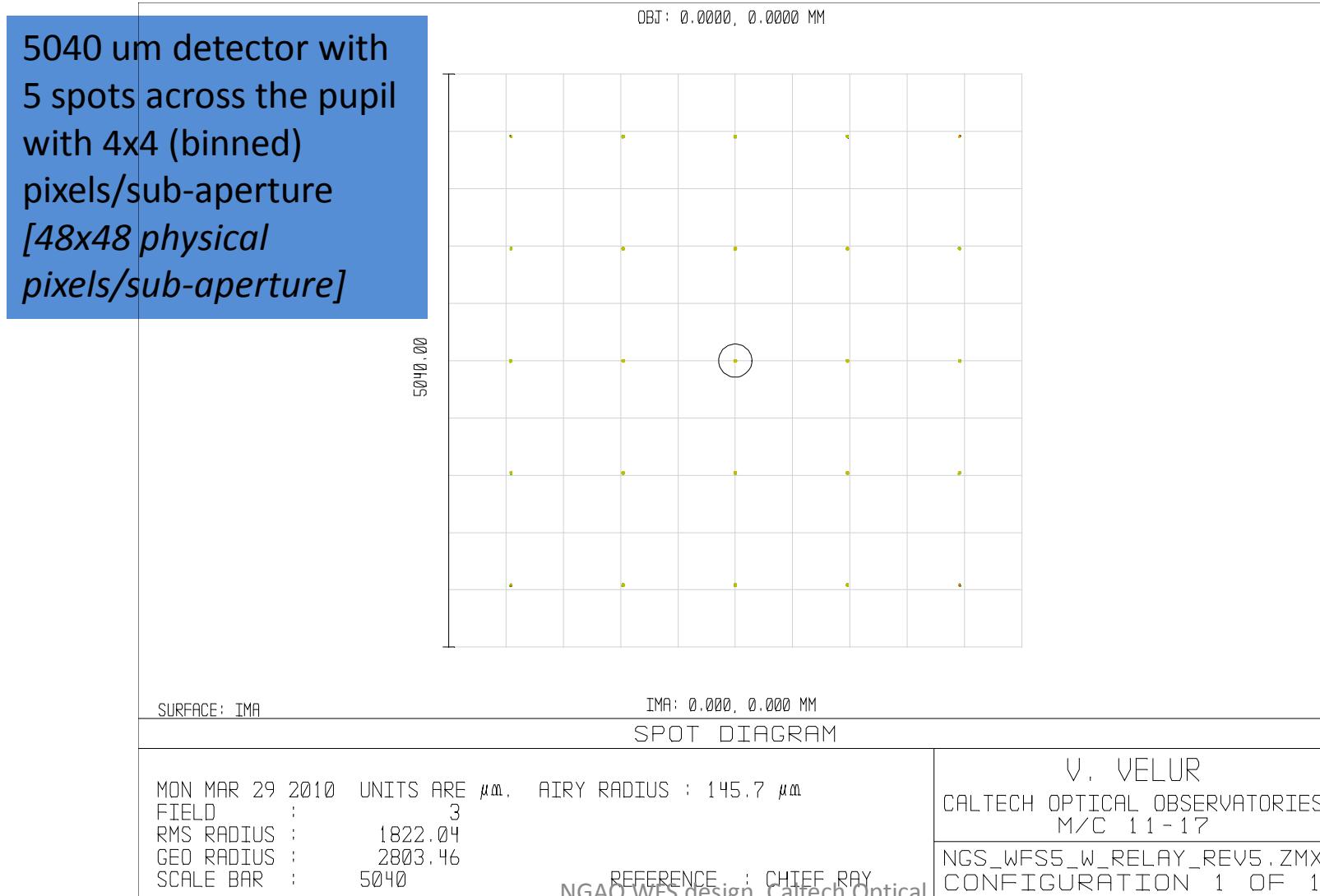
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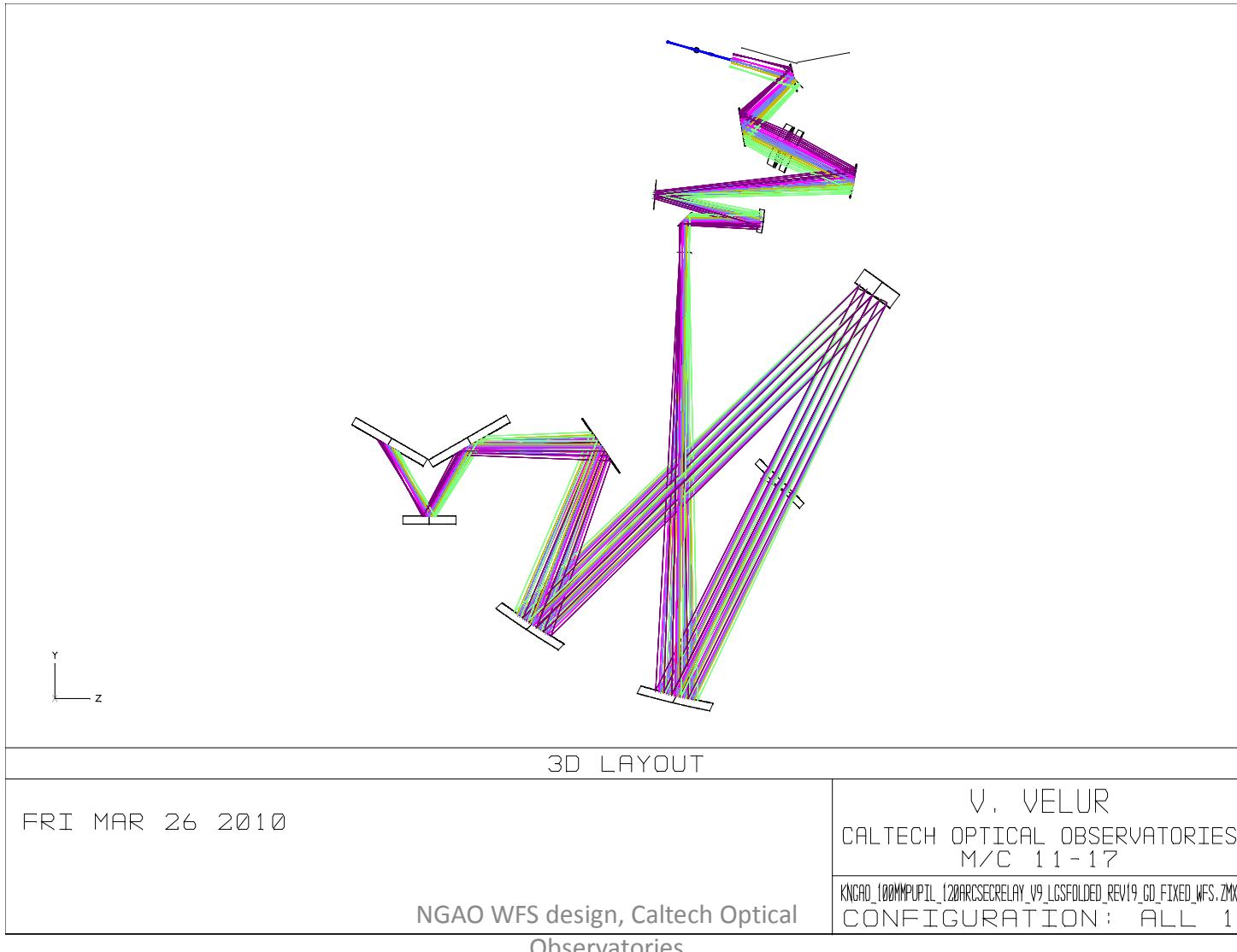


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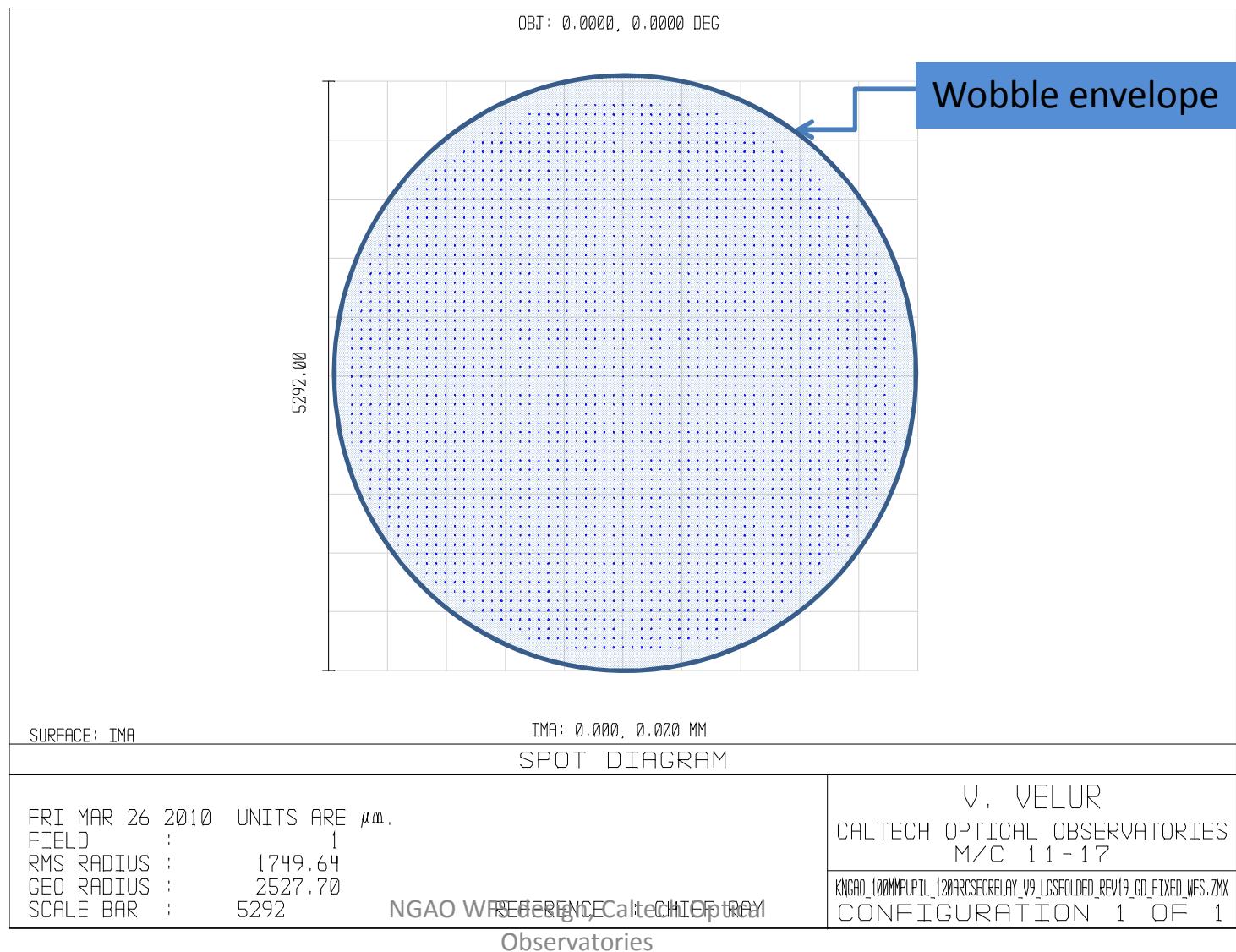
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Reminder: The 5x5 and the 63x63 modes
use the same post-lenslet relay

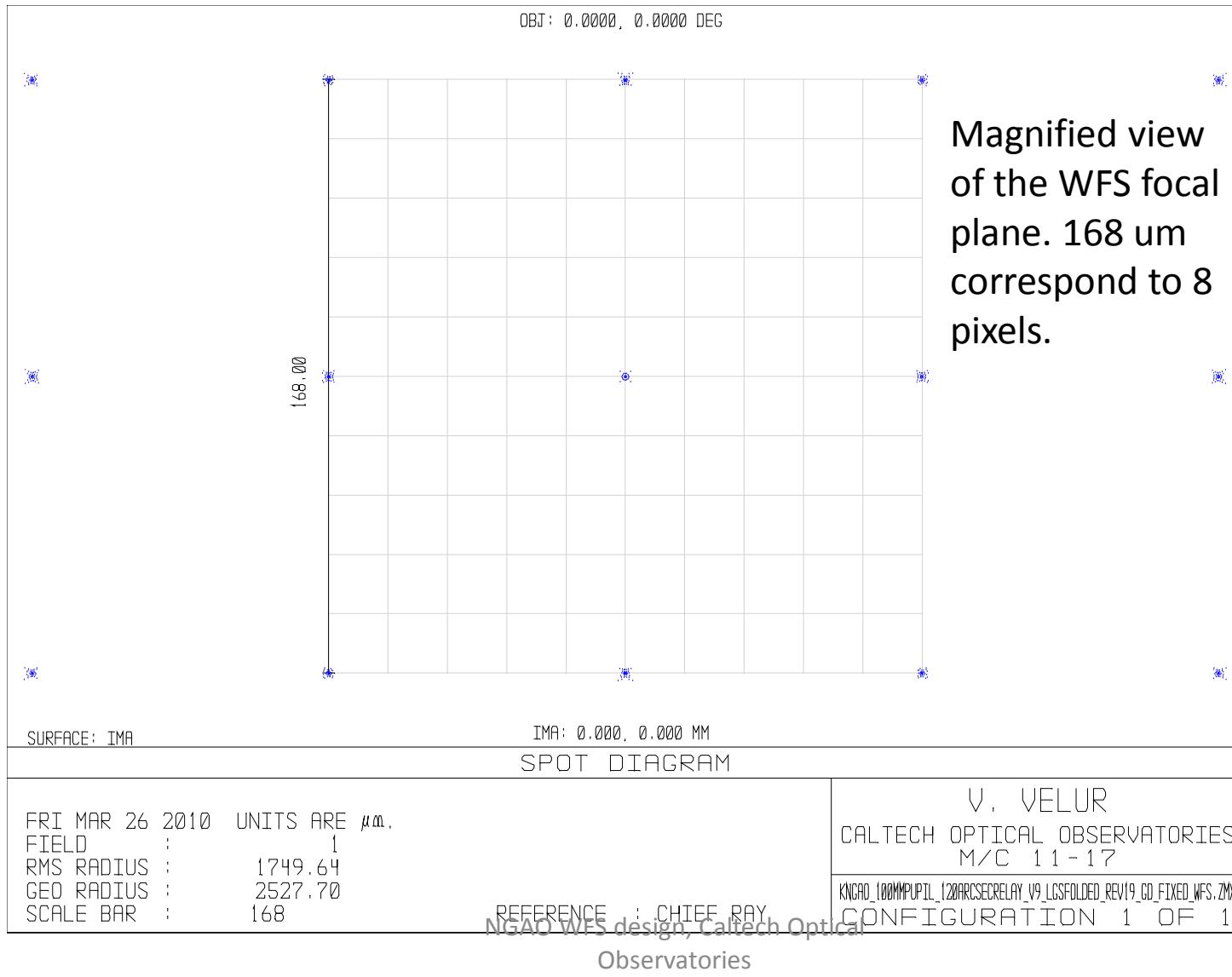
NGS WFS behind the NGAO optical relay



NGS WFS spots showing 59 'lit' sub-apertures



Post lenslet relay – magnified view



NGS WFS operating in pupil imaging mode

- Total relay length = 260 mm
- Components from (left to right) –collimating doublet, field singlet, focusing doublet followed by the window and the detector.
- Wavelength of operation – 500-900 nm



This mode is for alignment only and doesn't have any special requirement.

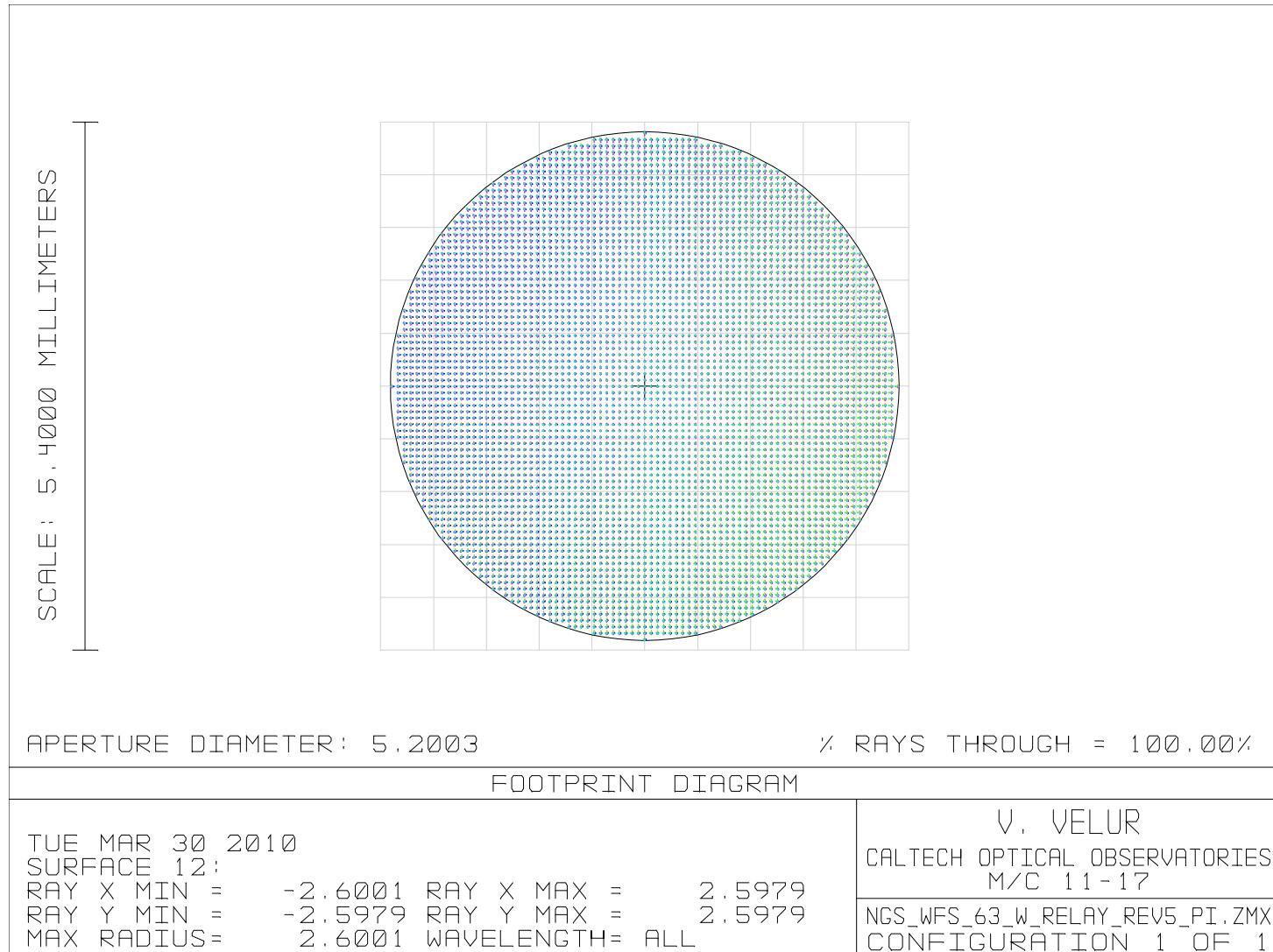


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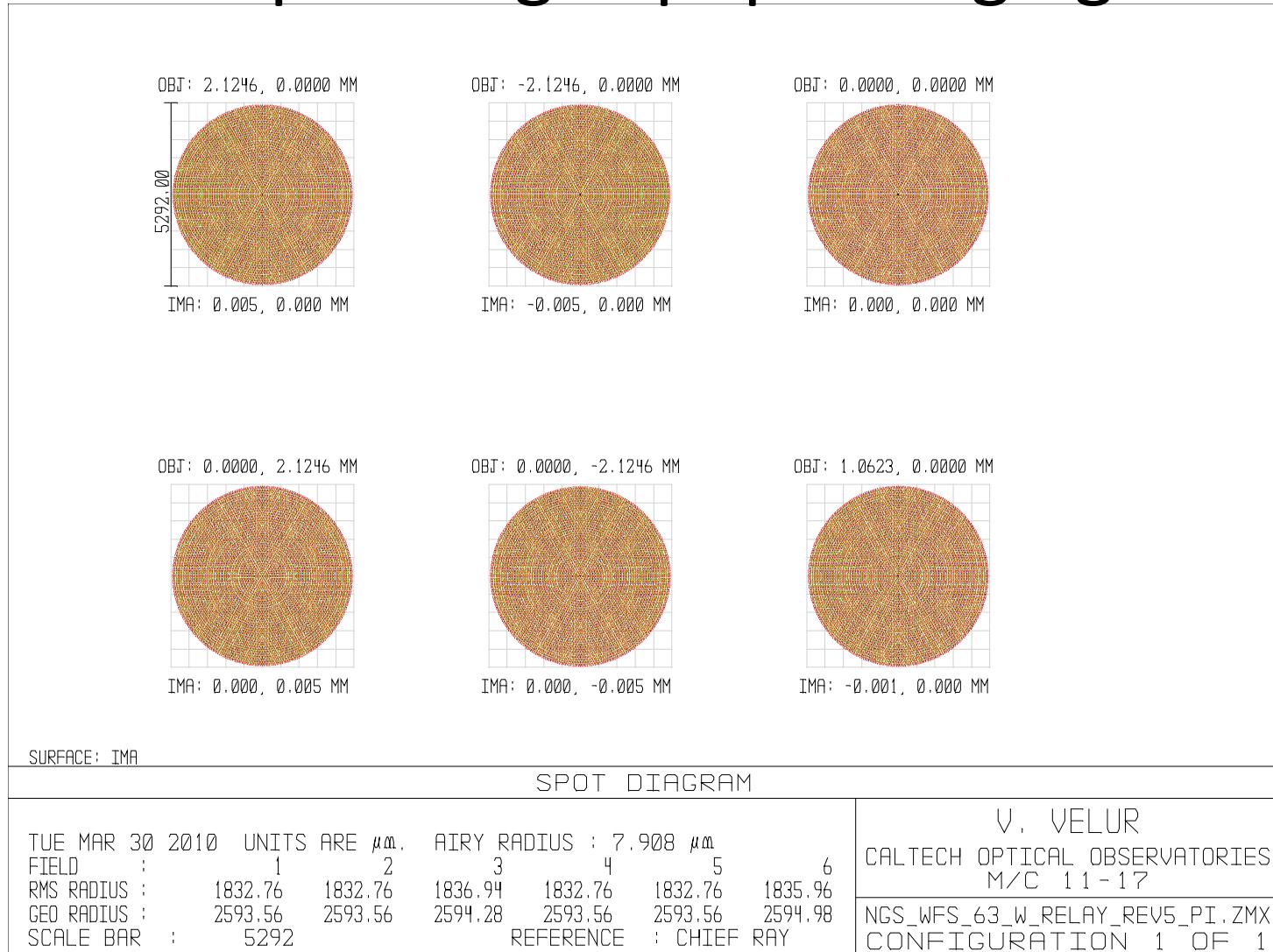
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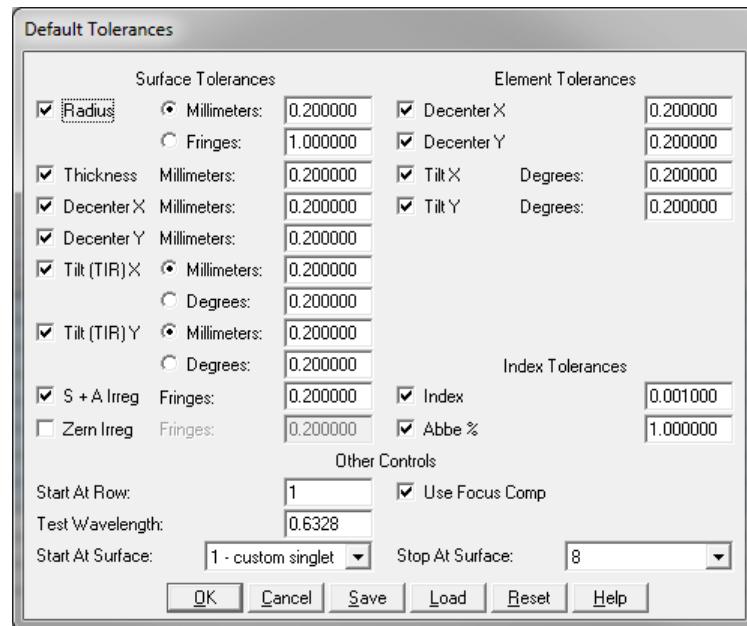
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Preliminary tolerance analysis (using built in tolerancing in Zemax)



Since most of Zemax's tools don't work with a lenslet in the optical relay the simplest means to tolerance the WFS is to do it in 2 pieces, viz. post-lenslet relay and the collimator-to-lenslet part.

Tolerance Data Editor								
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1 (TEZI)	TEZI	1	3	3	0 . 0 0 0	-1 . 0 0 0 E - 0 0 3	1 . 0 0 0 E - 0 0 3	
2 (TEZI)	TEZI	2	3	3	0 . 0 0 0	-1 . 0 0 0 E - 0 0 3	1 . 0 0 0 E - 0 0 3	
3 (TEZI)	TEZI	3	3	3	0 . 0 0 0	-1 . 0 0 0 E - 0 0 3	1 . 0 0 0 E - 0 0 3	
4 (TEZI)	TEZI	4	3	3	0 . 0 0 0	-1 . 0 0 0 E - 0 0 3	1 . 0 0 0 E - 0 0 3	
5 (TEZI)	TEZI	5	3	3	0 . 0 0 0	-1 . 0 0 0 E - 0 0 3	1 . 0 0 0 E - 0 0 3	
6 (TEZI)	TEZI	6	3	3	0 . 0 0 0	-1 . 0 0 0 E - 0 0 3	1 . 0 0 0 E - 0 0 3	
7 (TEZI)	TEZI	7	3	3	0 . 0 0 0	-1 . 0 0 0 E - 0 0 3	1 . 0 0 0 E - 0 0 3	
8 (TEZI)	TEZI	8	3	3	0 . 0 0 0	-1 . 0 0 0 E - 0 0 3	1 . 0 0 0 E - 0 0 3	
9 (TOFF)	TOFF	-	-	-	0 . 0 0 0	-	-	

Preliminary tolerance analysis (using built in tolerancing in Zemax)

11: Text Viewer

Analysis of Tolerances

File : C:\Users\Visva Velur\Desktop\NGS_WFS_opt_design\ngs_63_relay_rev8_tolerancing.ZMX

Title:
Date : TUE MAR 30 2010

Units are Millimeters.
All changes are computed using linear differences.

Paraxial Focus compensation only.

WARNING: Boundary constraints on compensators will be ignored.

Criterion : RMS Wavefront Error in waves
Mode : Sensitivities
Sampling : 20
Nominal Criterion : 0.01519820
Test Wavelength : 0.5000

Fields: XY Symmetric Object height in Millimeters

#	X-Field	Y-Field	Weight	VDX	VDY	VCX	VCY
1	0.000E+000	0.000E+000	4.000E+000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
2	0.000E+000	1.085E+000	1.000E+000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
3	0.000E+000	-1.085E+000	1.000E+000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
4	0.000E+000	1.550E+000	1.000E+000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
5	0.000E+000	-1.550E+000	1.000E+000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
6	1.085E+000	0.000E+000	1.000E+000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
7	-1.085E+000	0.000E+000	1.000E+000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
8	1.550E+000	0.000E+000	1.000E+000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
9	-1.550E+000	0.000E+000	1.000E+000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000

Sensitivity Analysis:

Type	Value	Minimum	Criterion	Change	Type	Value	Maximum	Criterion	Change
TEZI	1	-0.00100000	0.01520071	2.5172E-006	TEZI	2	0.00100000	0.01520071	2.5172E-006
TEZI	2	-0.00100000	0.01523119	3.2991E-005	TEZI	3	0.00100000	0.01523119	3.2991E-005
TEZI	3	-0.00100000	0.01525502	5.6821E-005	TEZI	4	0.00100000	0.01525502	5.6821E-005
TEZI	4	-0.00100000	0.01525503	5.6821E-005	TEZI	5	0.00100000	0.01559543	0.00039723
TEZI	5	-0.00100000	0.01559543	0.00039723	TEZI	6	0.00100000	0.01519831	1.1190E-007
TEZI	6	-0.00100000	0.01519831	1.1190E-007	TEZI	7	-0.00100000	0.01519851	3.1115E-007
TEZI	7	-0.00100000	0.01519851	3.1115E-007	TEZI	8	-0.00100000	0.01519851	3.1842E-007

Worst offenders:

Type	Value	Criterion	Change
TEZI	5	0.00100000	0.01559543
TEZI	5	-0.00100000	0.01559543
TEZI	3	-0.00100000	0.01525502
TEZI	3	0.00100000	0.01525503
TEZI	4	0.00100000	0.01524933
TEZI	4	-0.00100000	0.01524933
TEZI	2	-0.00100000	0.01523119
TEZI	2	0.00100000	0.01523119
TEZI	1	0.00100000	0.01520071

Estimated Performance Changes based upon Root-Sum-Square method:

Nominal RMS Wavefront	0.01519820
Estimated change	0.00040587
Estimated RMS Wavefront	0.01560407

Compensator Statistics:

Change in back focus:

Minimum	0.000000
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Number of trials: 20

Initial Statistics: Parabolic Distribution

Trial	Criterion	Change
1	0.01569850	0.00050030
2	0.01564422	0.00054602
3	0.01562663	8.8031E-005
4	0.01578568	0.00058748
5	0.01549968	0.00030149
6	0.01522484	2.6643E-005
7	0.01529687	9.8674E-005
8	0.01556191	0.00036371
9	0.01546792	0.00026972
10	0.01522266	2.4461E-005
11	0.01546792	0.00026972
12	0.01531412	0.00011593
13	0.01617162	0.000197343
14	0.01522264	0.00014444
15	0.01525219	5.3991E-005
16	0.01578669	0.00058850
17	0.01553688	0.00033868
18	0.01523008	3.1881E-005
19	0.01571600	0.00051780
20	0.01615611	0.00095791

Number of traceable Monte Carlo files generated: 20

Nominal	0.01519820
Best	0.01522266
Worst	0.01617162
Mean	0.01555459
Std Dev	0.00028077

Compensator Statistics:

Change in back focus:

Minimum	0.000000
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Monte Carlo Analysis:

Number of trials: 20

Initial Statistics: Parabolic Distribution

Trial	Criterion	Change
1	0.01569850	0.00050030
2	0.01574422	0.00054602
3	0.01528623	8.8031E-005
4	0.01578568	0.00058748

90% < 0.01597140
80% < 0.01576495
50% < 0.01551828
20% < 0.01526921
10% < 0.01522746

End of Run.

NGAO WFS design, Caltech Optical
Observatories

Summary of work done by WFS team

- Contributed to systems engineering and requirements ratification process
- Designed a NGS feed using a refractive triplet to solve NGAO's packaging problem while delivering a f/20 beam to the NGS sensor and analyzed its performance
- Designed a compact WFS that works in 63x63, 5x5 and pupil imaging modes.
- Quantified the effects of color and distortion in mapping the HODM pupil to the lenslet.
- Did very preliminary tolerancing for the WFS.
- Made a list of outstanding issues and analysis for the DD phase.
- Built a compliance matrix and risk register.

Other issues

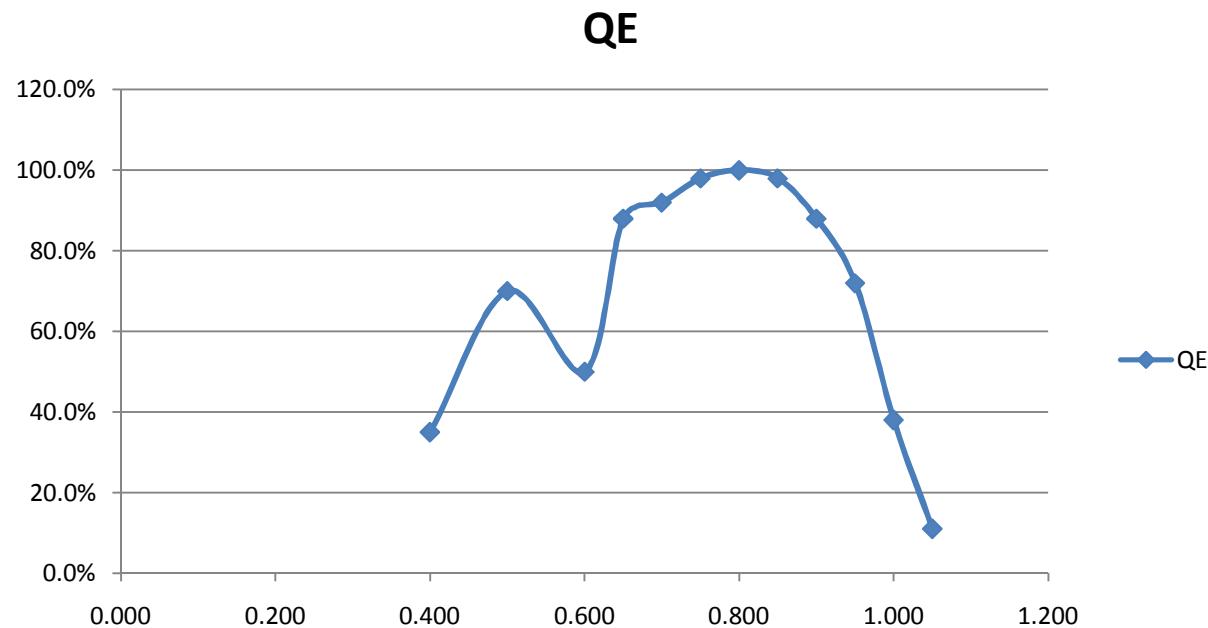
- Thermal issues
 - -15C operation (does this matter?)
- Stray light
 - Baffles / filters (unnecessary?)
 - Ghosts (usually not an issue of NGS WFS, but for PDR mention for completeness)

Detector choice and performance

- NGAO envisages the use of 256x256 pixel CCID74 detector with 21 um pixels that is under development at Lincoln Labs for wavefront sensing.

Predicted Quantum efficiency*

(based on 75 micron substrate, Bodacious Black AR coating[^] on Pan-STARRS CCID-58)



[^] - LL plans to use a different AR coating that will result in ~90% QE at 589 nm

*-Source - S. Adkins, Pvt. Comm.

Read noise [*predicted and measured*]

