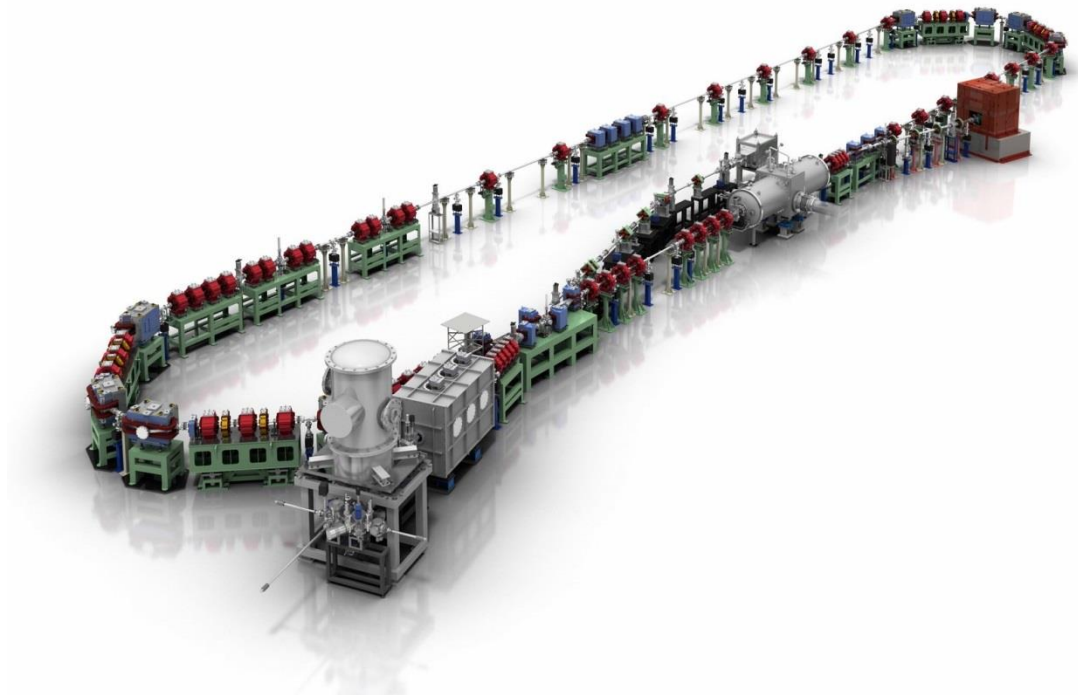




Disturbance observer-based control in LLRF system in a compact ERL at KEK

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Main content

- Introduction of LLRF systems in the cERL at KEK.
- Idea of disturbance observer-based control.
- Application of disturbance observer-based control.

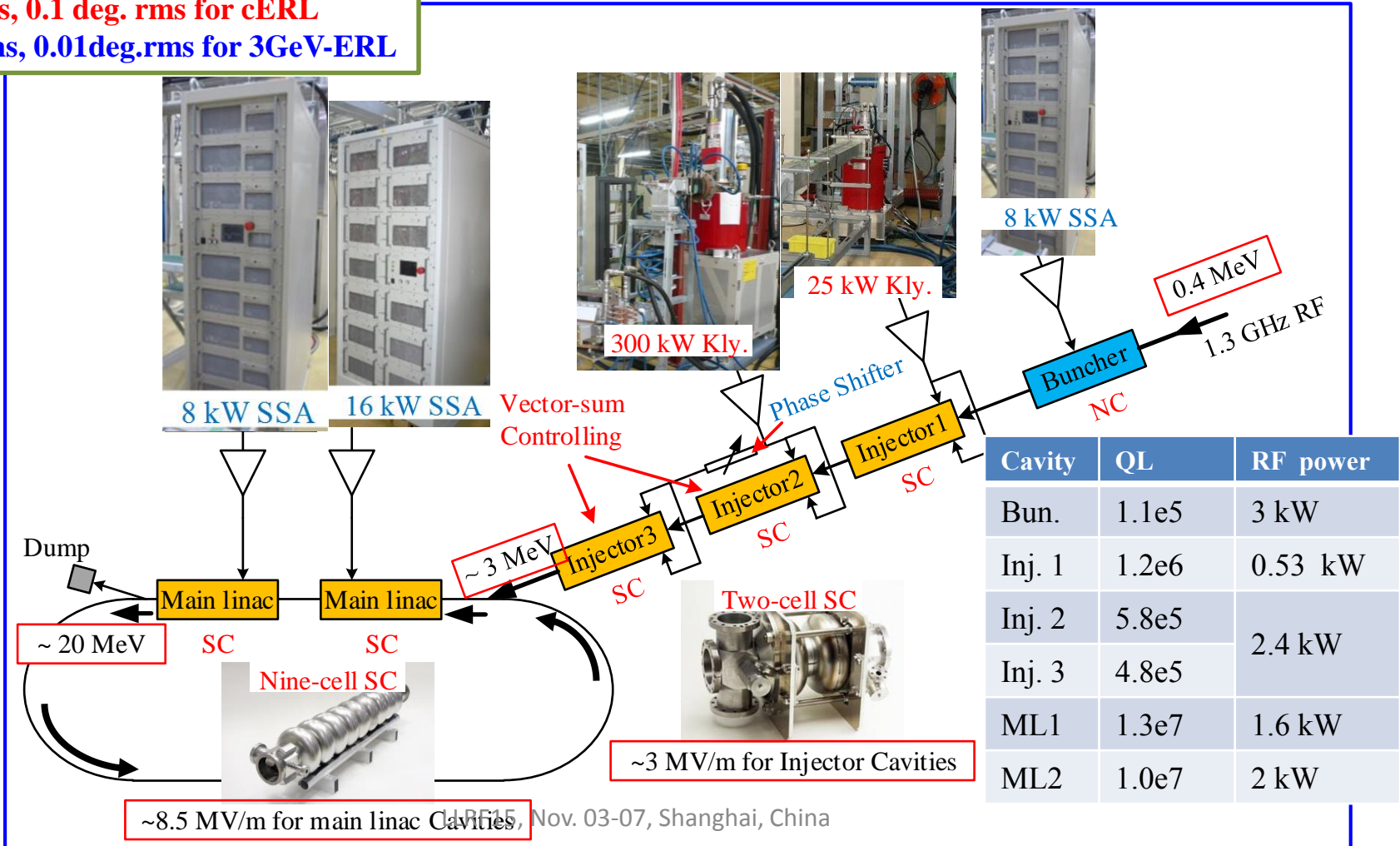
Introduction

- Compact ERL (cERL) is a test facility for the future 3-GeV ERL project. It is a 1.3-GHz superconducting system and is operated in CW mode.
- April, 2013, injector commissioning. Oct. 2013, main linac commissioning.

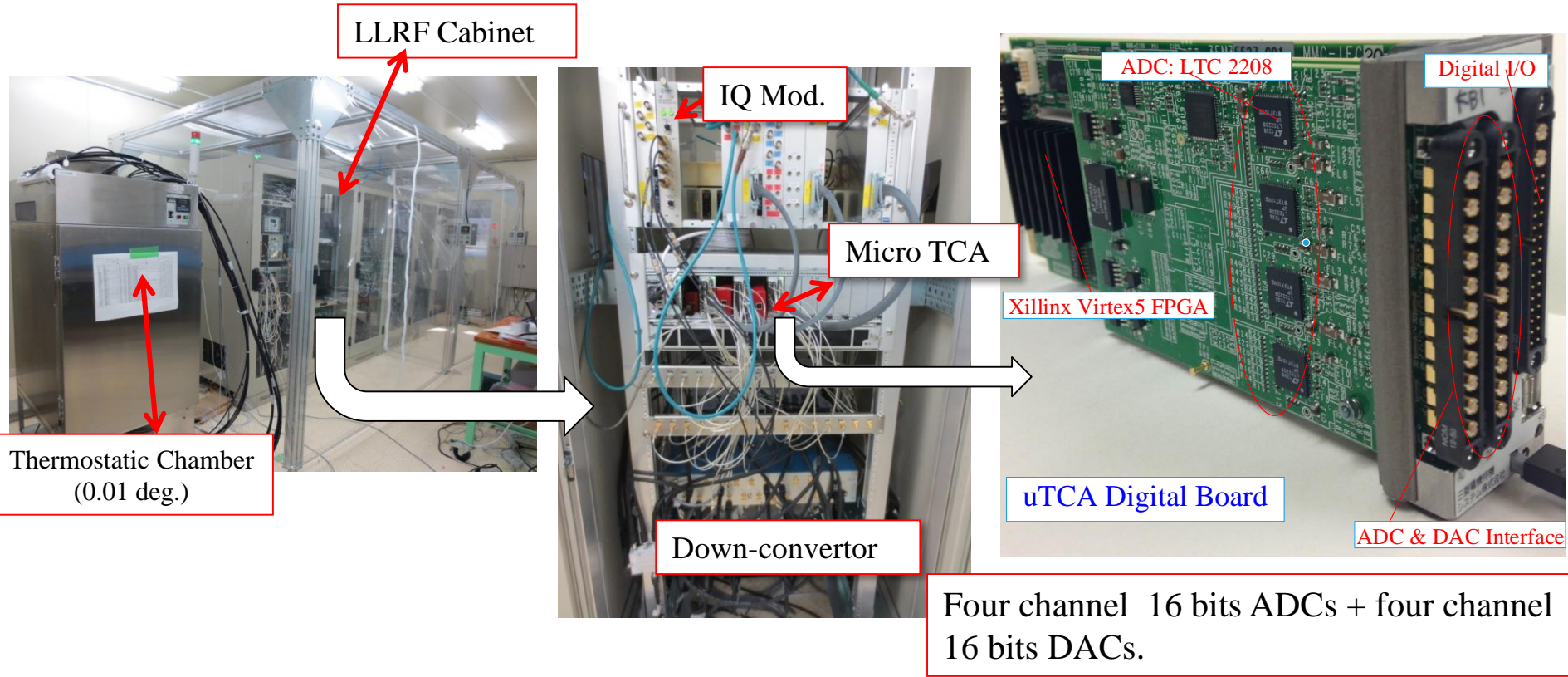
RF requirements

0.1 % rms, 0.1 deg. rms for cERL

0.01% rms, 0.01deg.rms for 3GeV-ERL

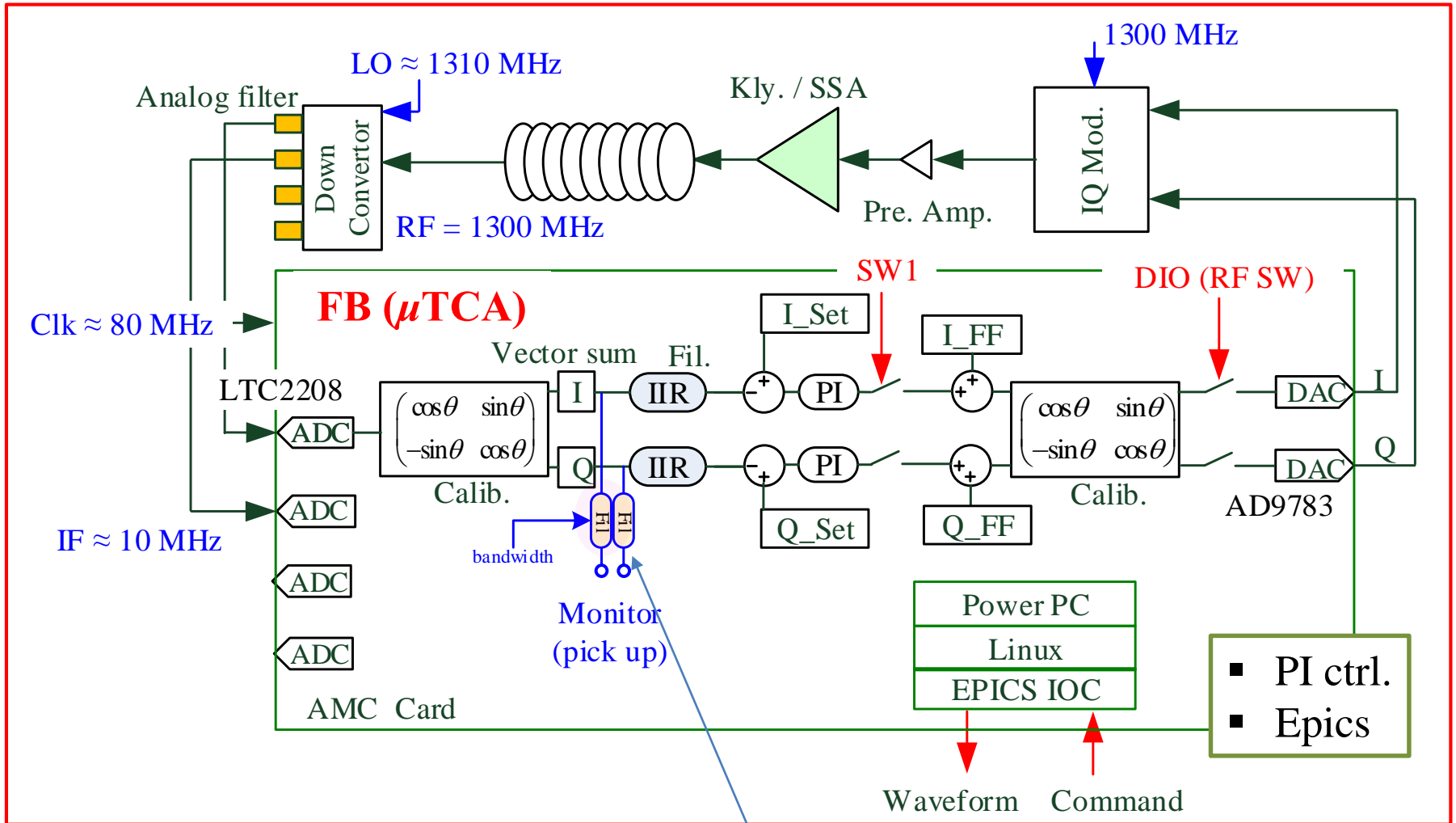


LLRF (Digital Board)



Digital Board	type	Feature
ADC	LTC2208	16 bits, 130 MHz (Max.)
DAC	AD9783	16 bits, 500 MHz (Max.)
FPGA	Virtex 5 FX	550 MHz (Max.), includes a Power PC with Linux, EPICS is installed on the Linux.

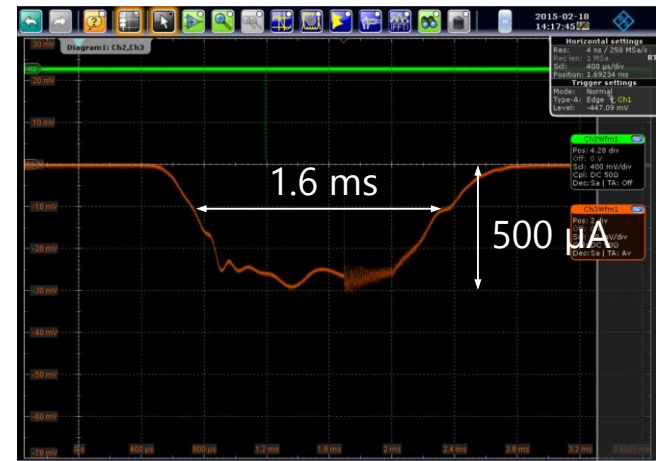
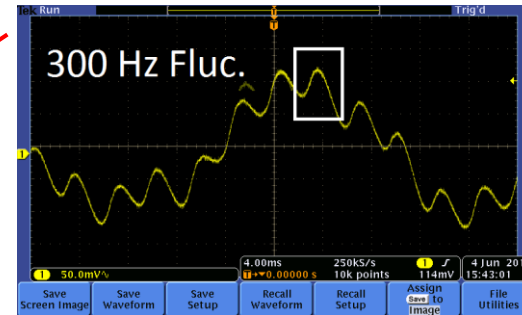
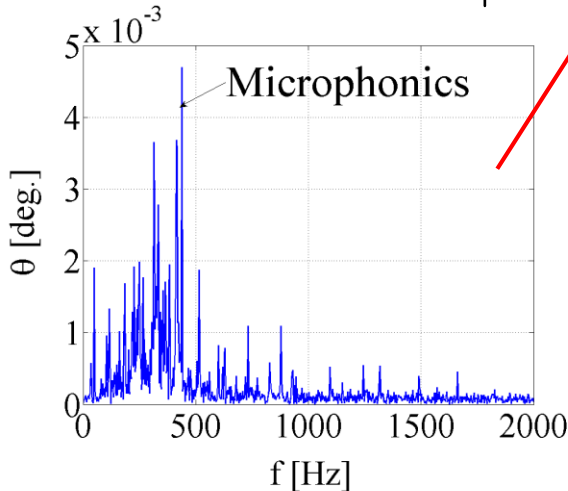
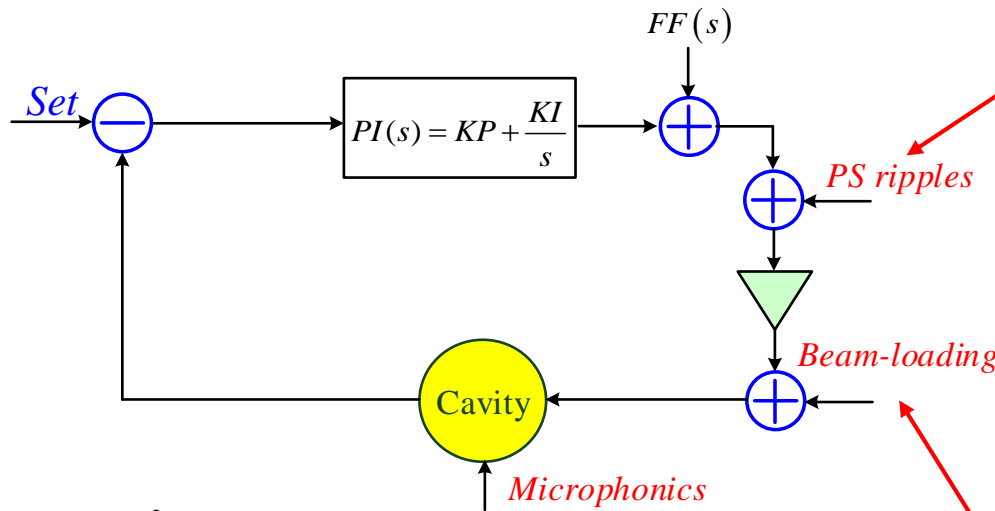
LLRF (schematic)



$$IIR : y(n) = \alpha \cdot x(n) + (1 - \alpha) \cdot y(n-1), \quad \alpha \ll 1$$

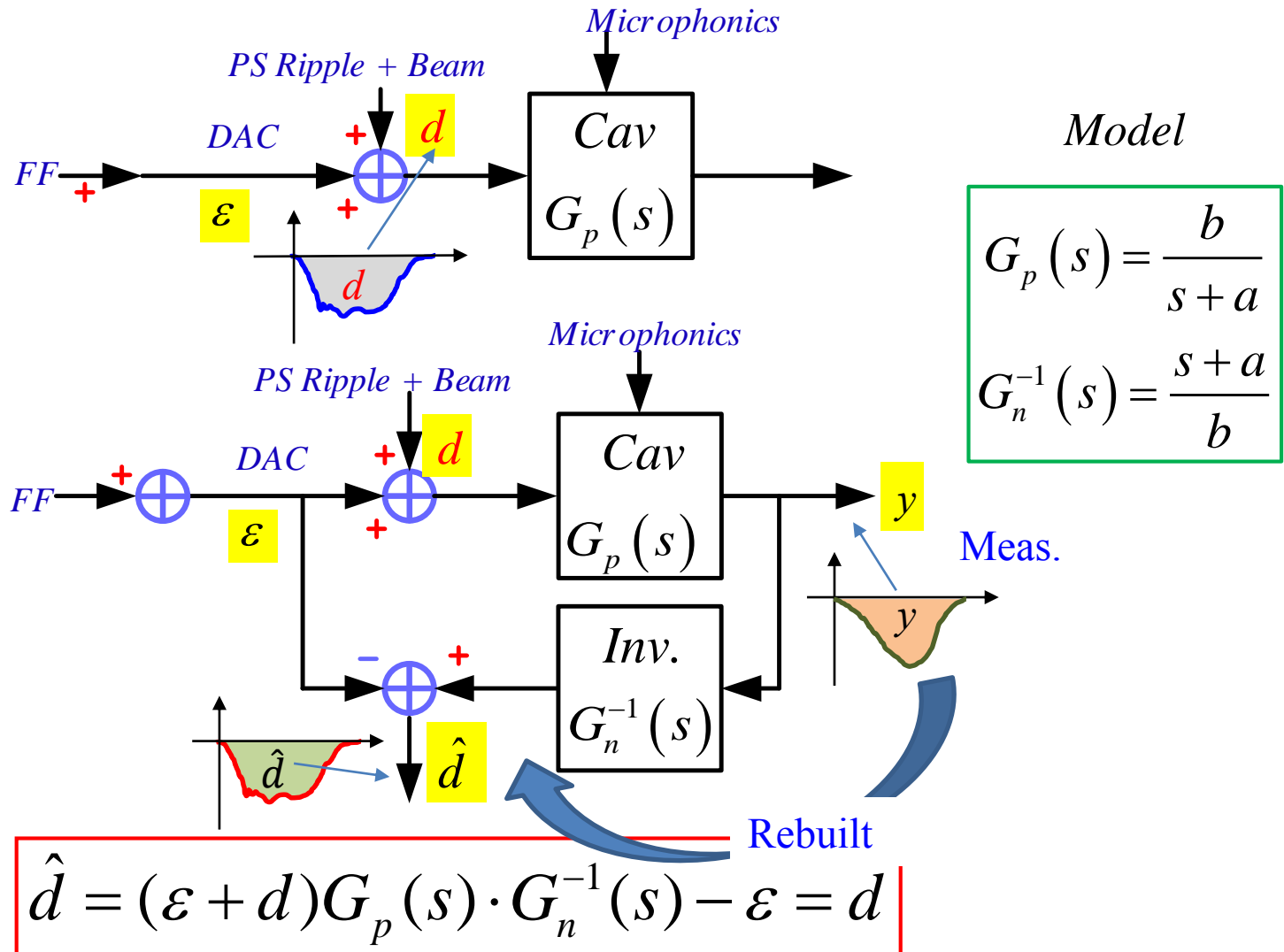
Disturbances in RF system

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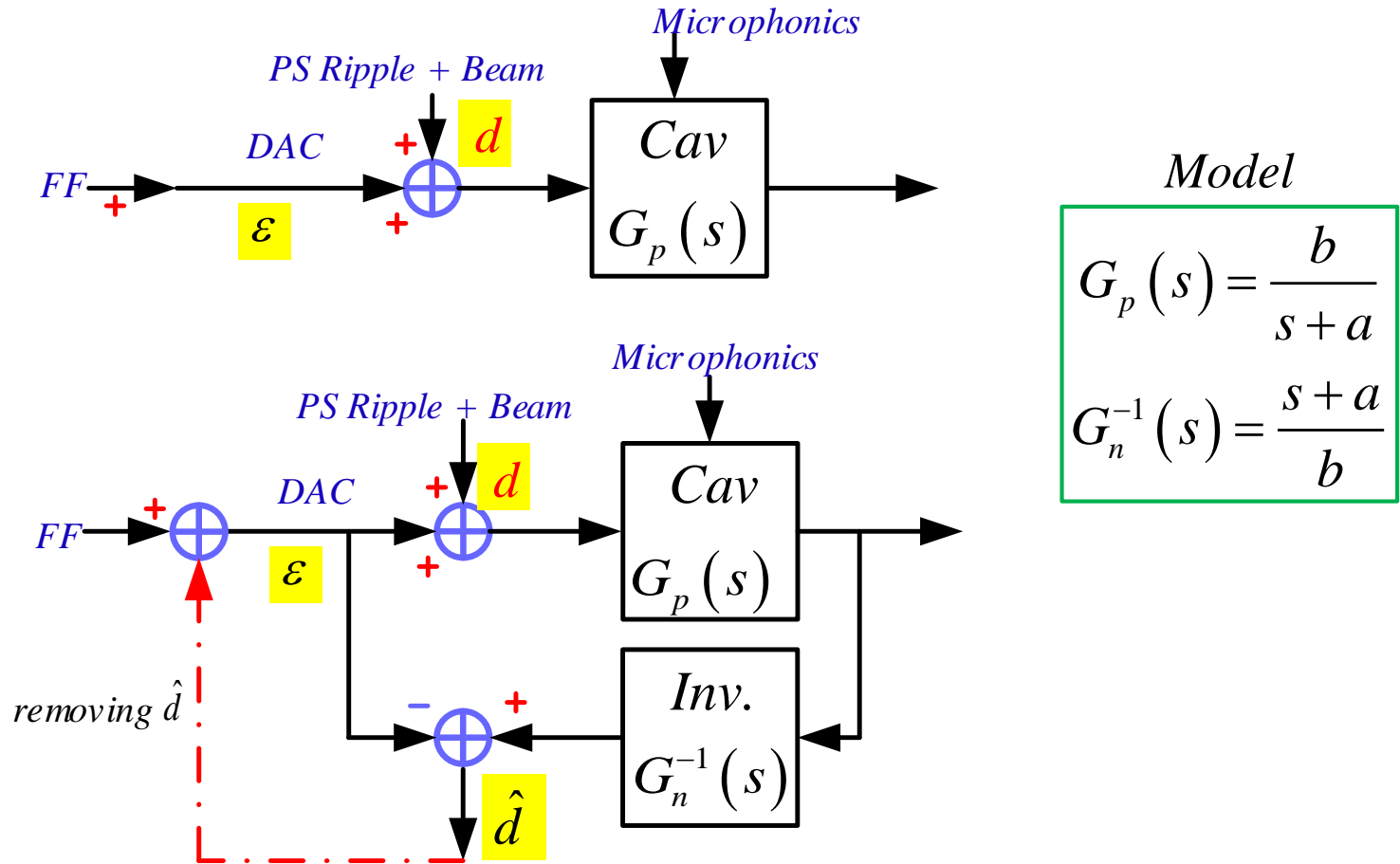
Disturbance Observer (DOB)

- The disturbances estimate \hat{d} can be evaluated accurately if we “know” the mathematical model of the system (disturbances can be observed).
- Disturbance-Observer-Based control (DOB control) [4-5].



DOB ctrl (cont'd)

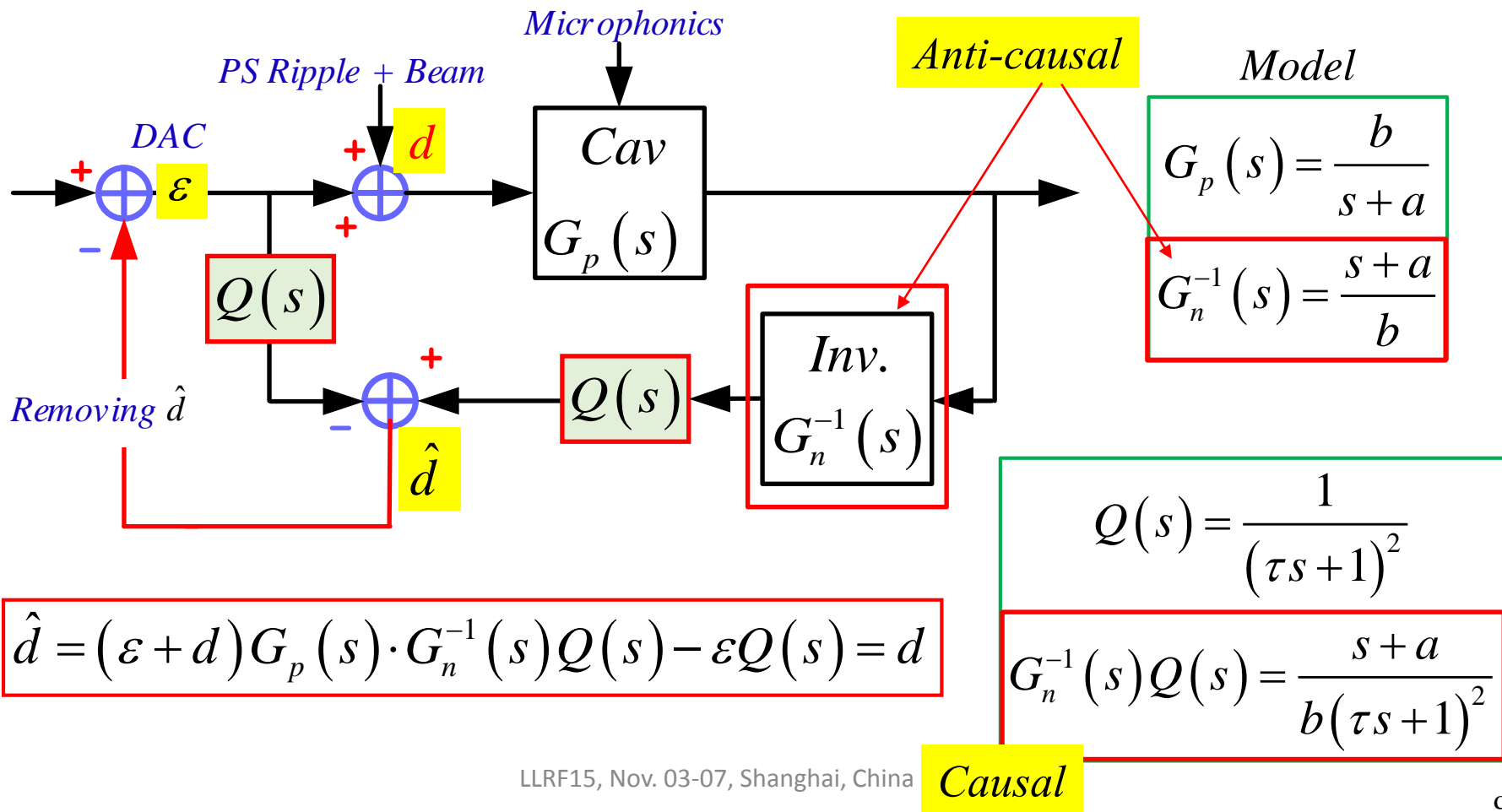
- The disturbance estimate \hat{d} can be removed from FF table, thus the disturbance signal d is rejected.



$$\hat{d} = (\epsilon + d)G_p(s) \cdot G_n^{-1}(s) - \epsilon = d$$

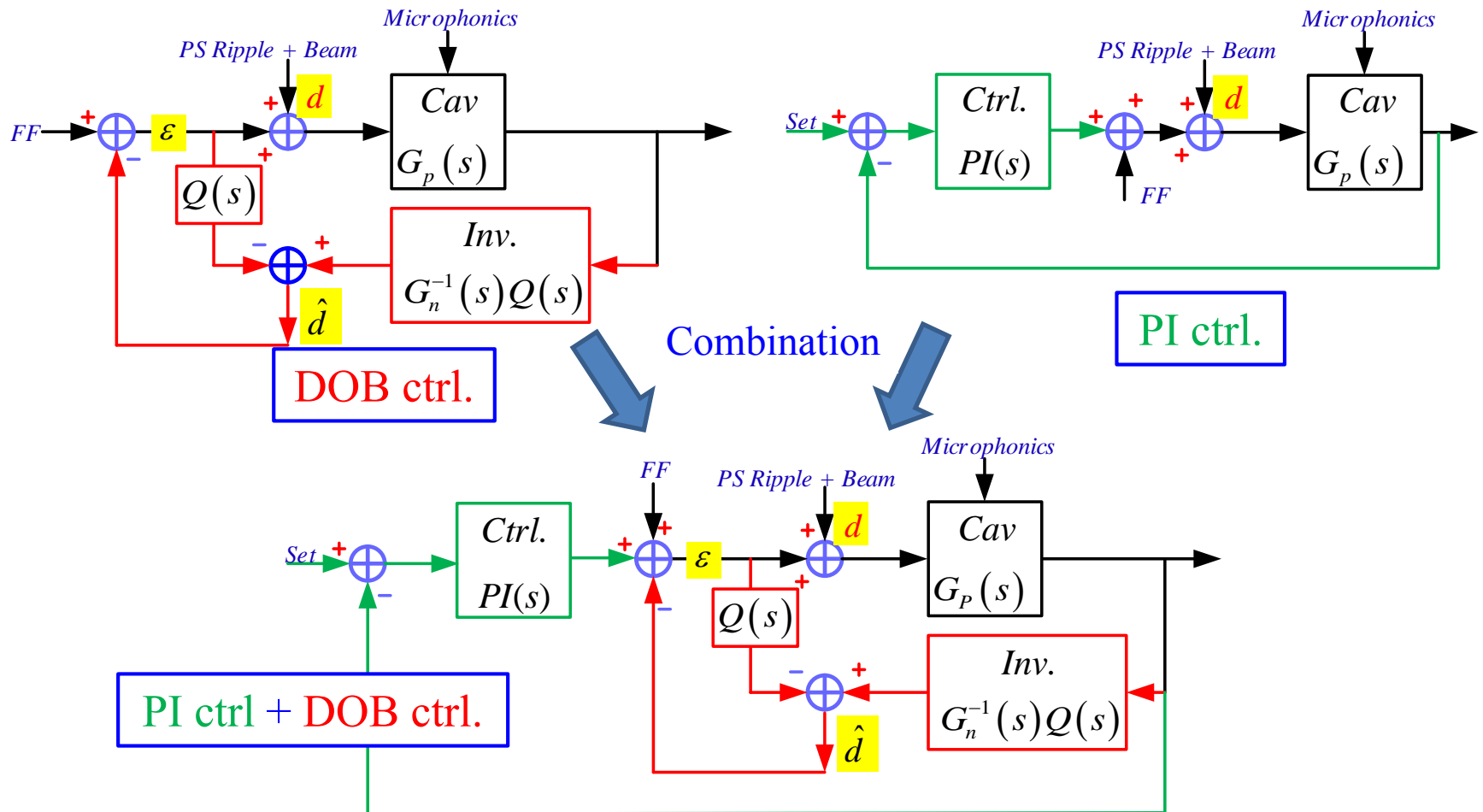
DOB ctrl (cont'd)

- The low-pass Q filter is required to keep the DOB controller physically realizable.
- The combination of $G_n^{-1}(s)Q(s)$ can be causal.

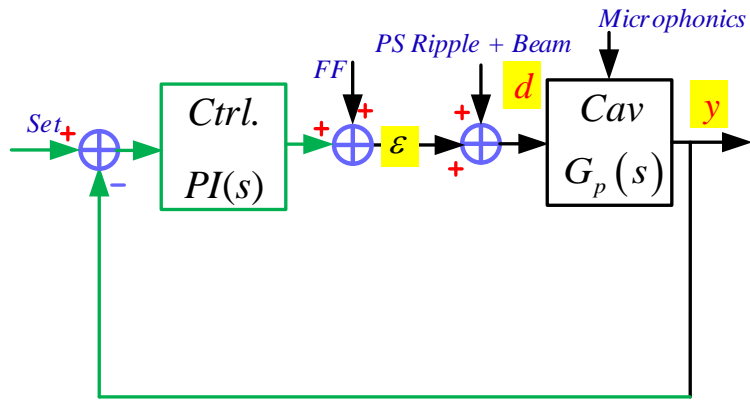


PI + DOB control

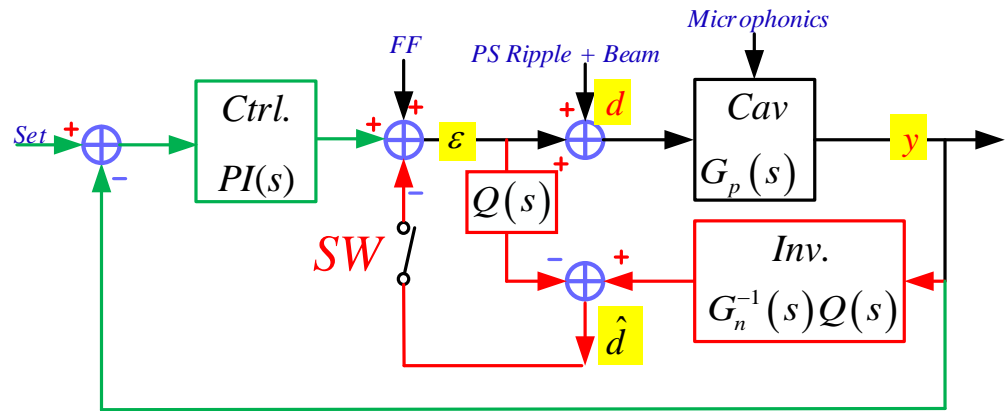
- In practical, the combination of DOB control and PI control is applied at cERL LLRF system [1].



Transfer function



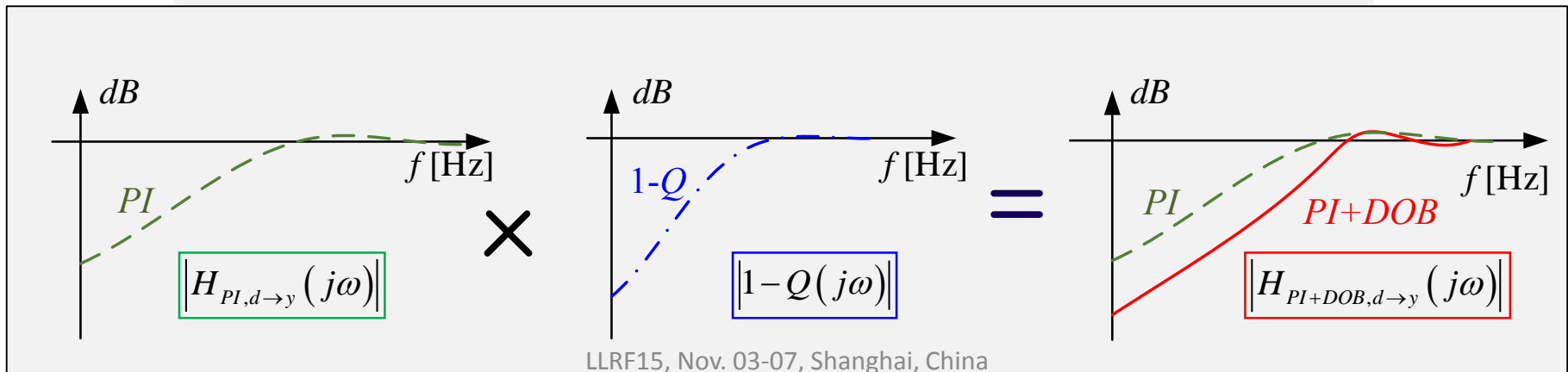
$$H_{PI,d \rightarrow y}(s) = \frac{G_p(s)}{1 + PI(s)G_p(s)}$$



$$H_{PI+DOB,d \rightarrow y}(s) \approx [1 - Q(s)] \cdot \frac{G_p(s)}{1 + PI(s)G_p(s)}$$

@ low frequency: $Q(s) \approx 1$, then $1 - Q(s) \approx 0$

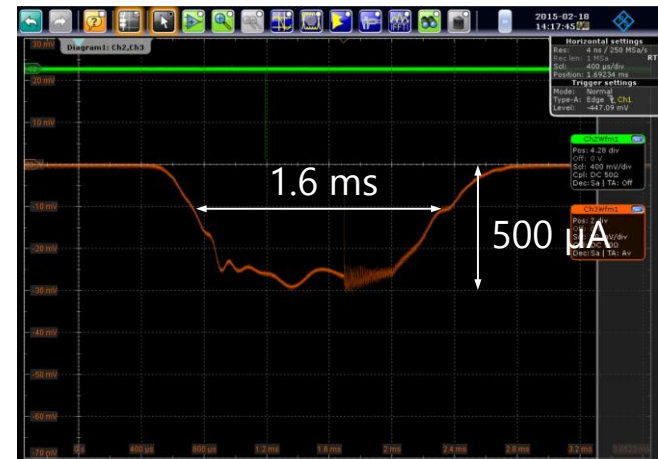
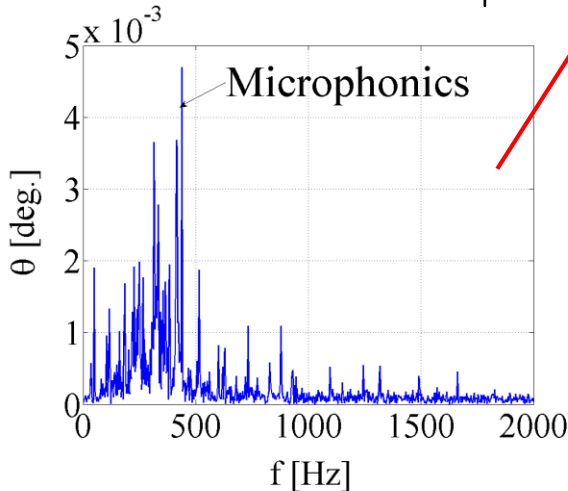
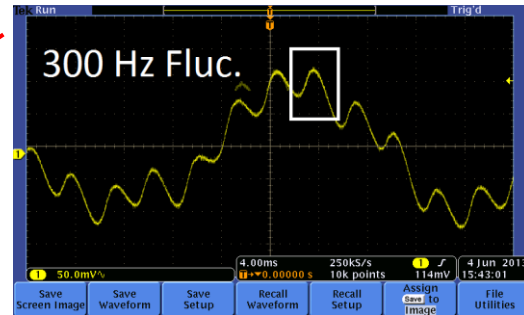
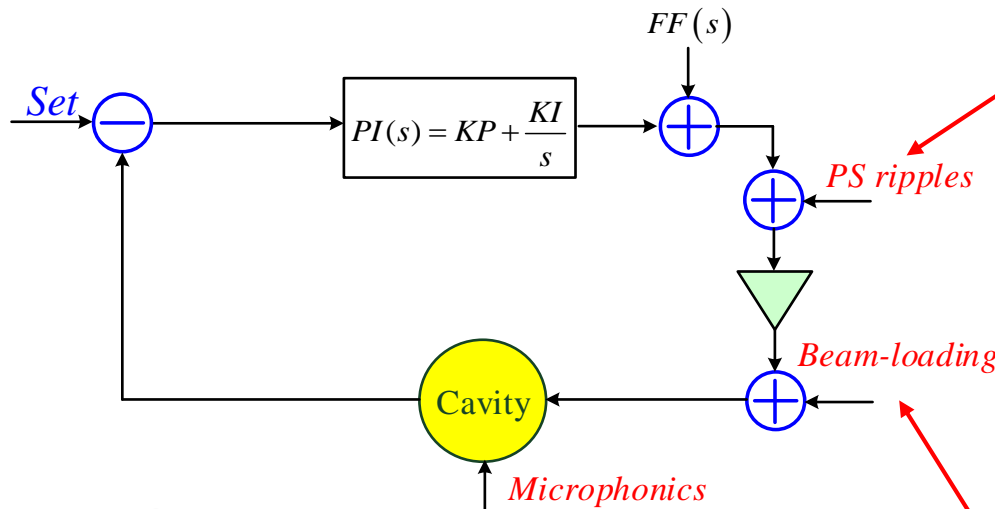
Frequency response from disturbance (d) to cavity pick-up (y)



Application of DOB control

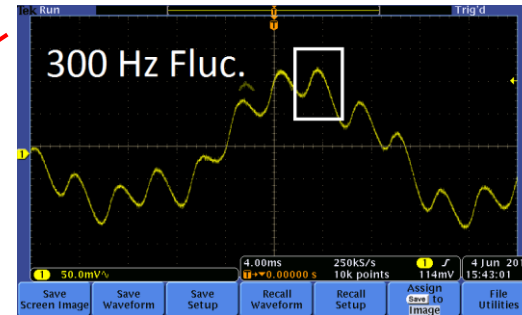
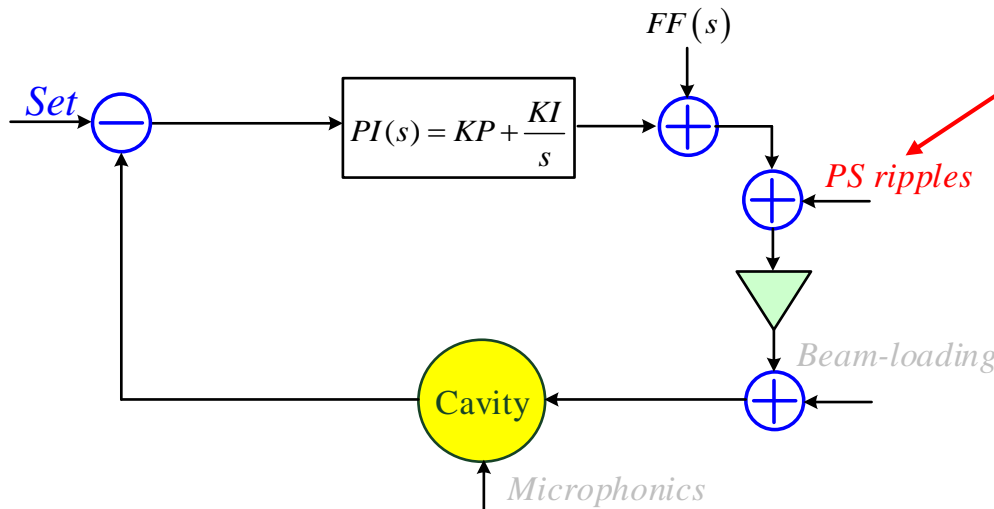
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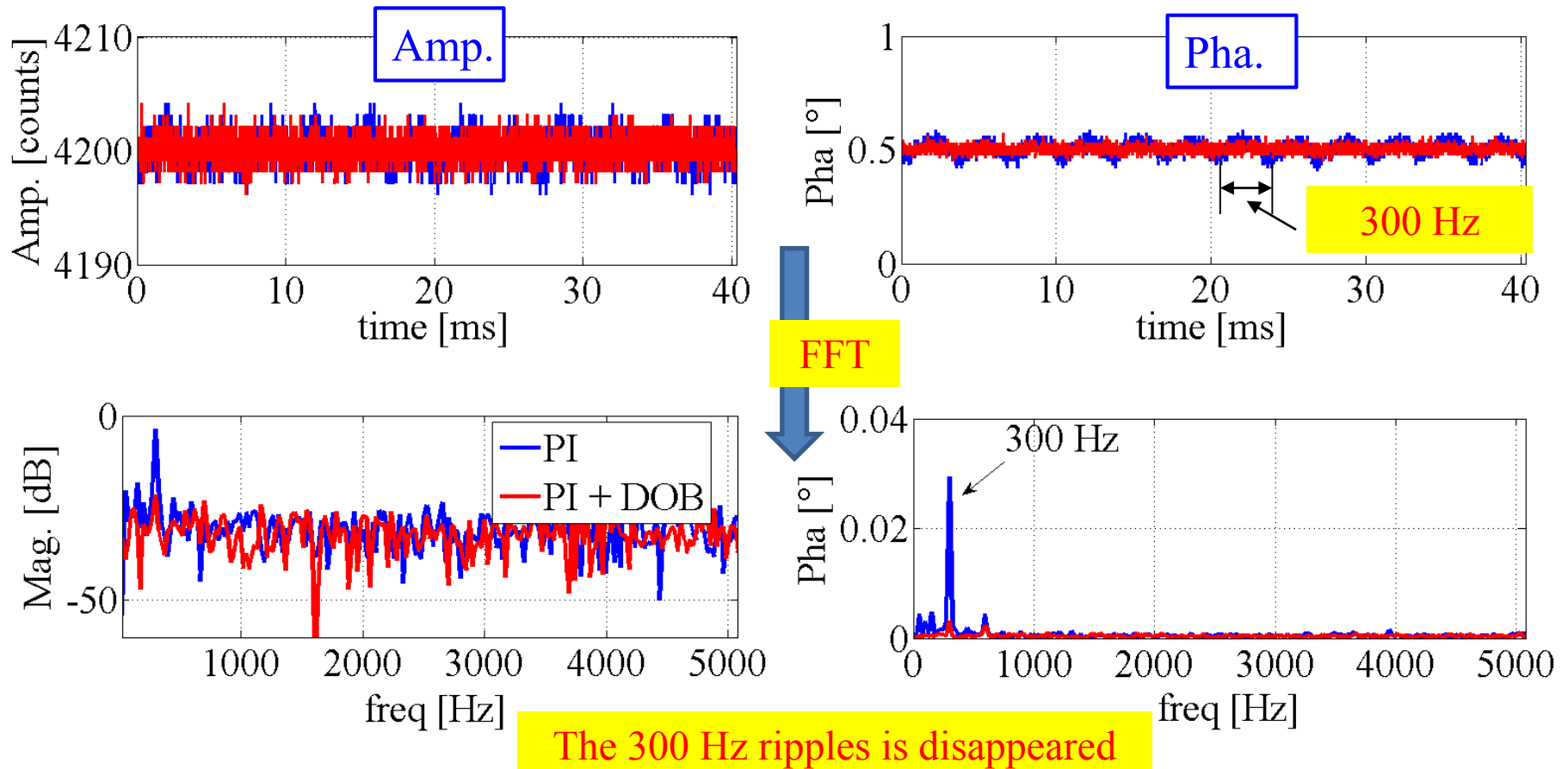
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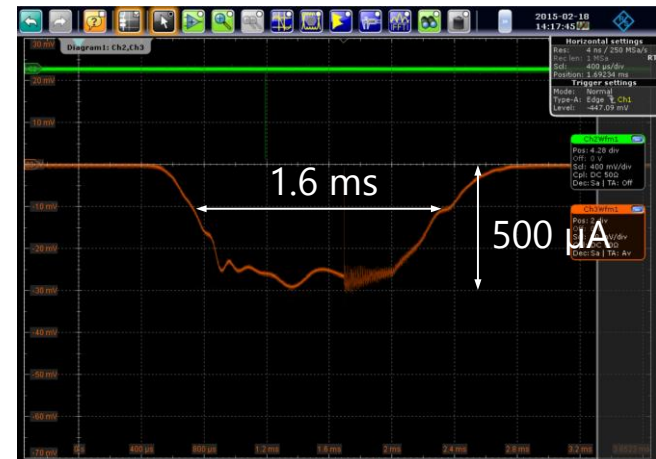
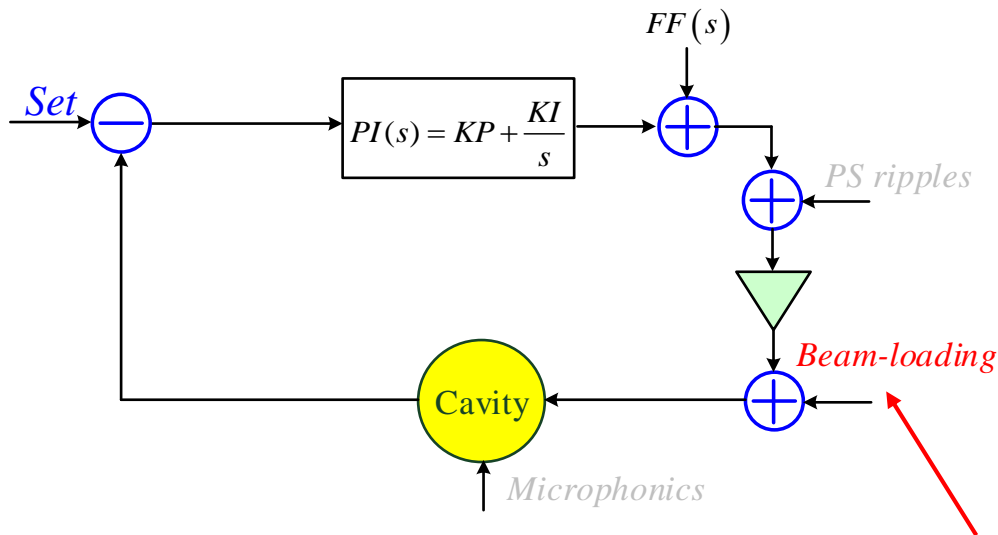
Application 1 (HVPS ripples)

- Disturbances: high voltage power supply ripples (300 Hz ripples).



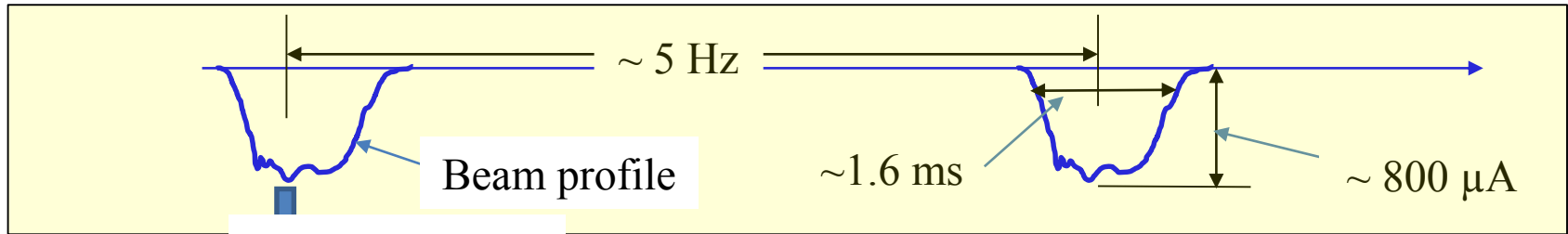
Disturbances 2 (beam-loading)

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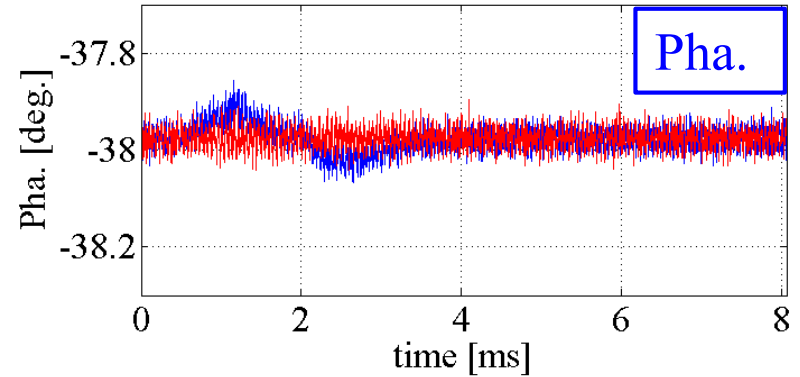
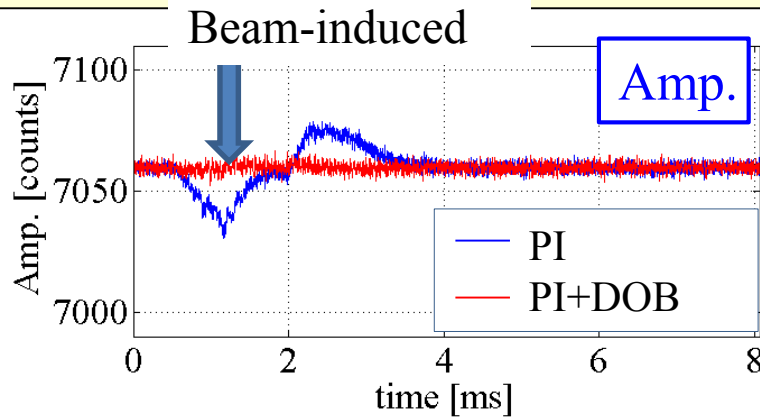


Application 2 (Beam-loading)

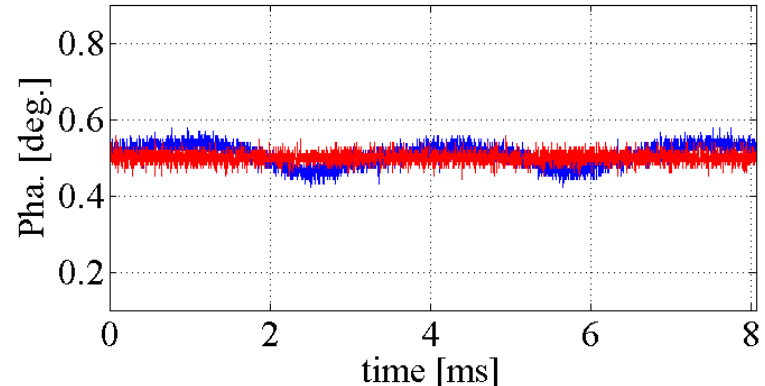
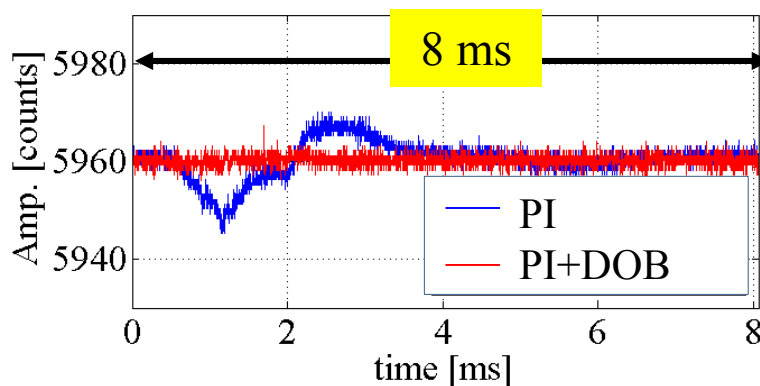
- Disturbances: Beam-loading (about 1.6 ms and 800 μA beam current)



Inj. 1

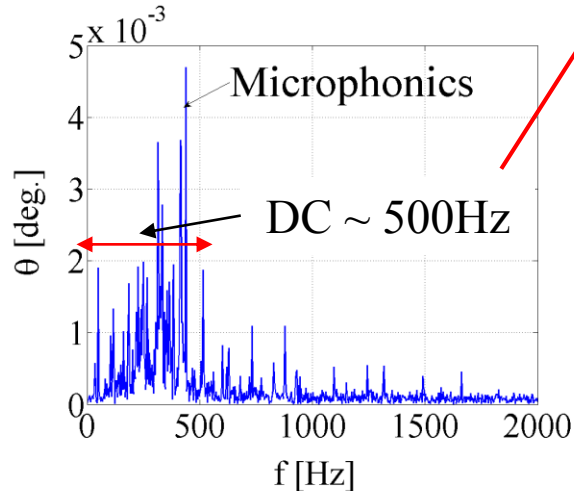
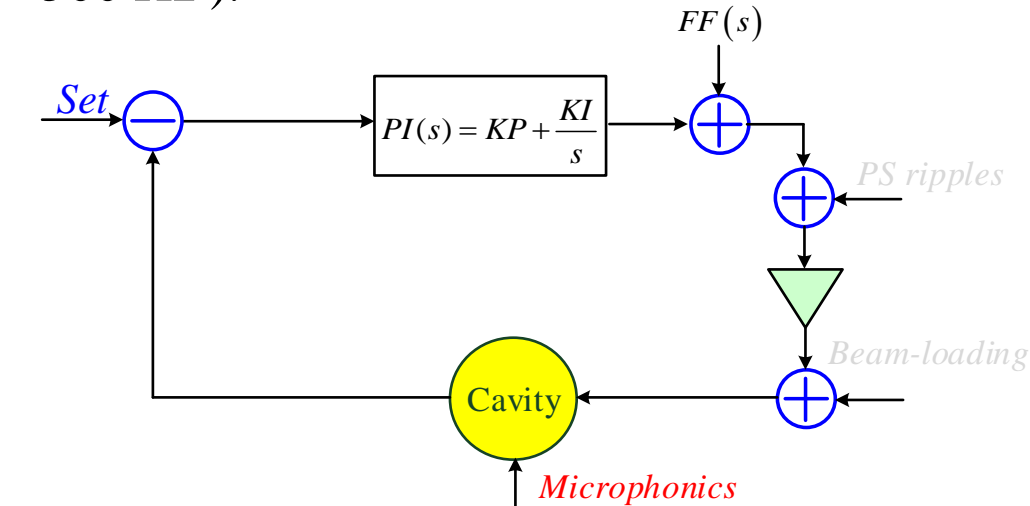


Inj. 2&3



Disturbances 3 (Microphonics)

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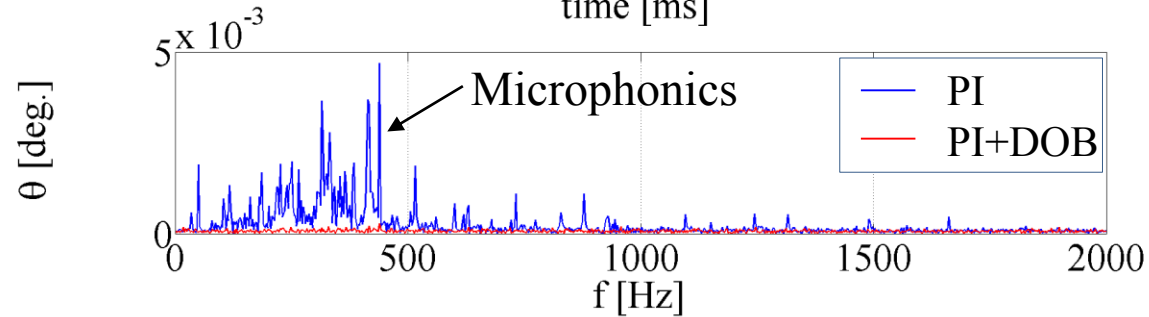
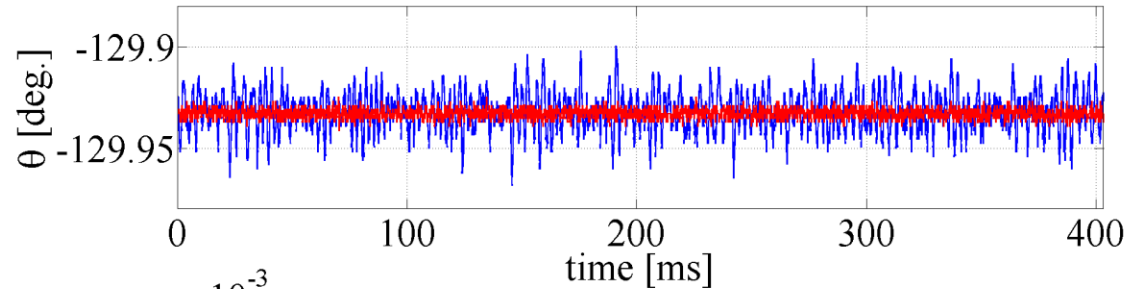


Application 3 (Microphonics)

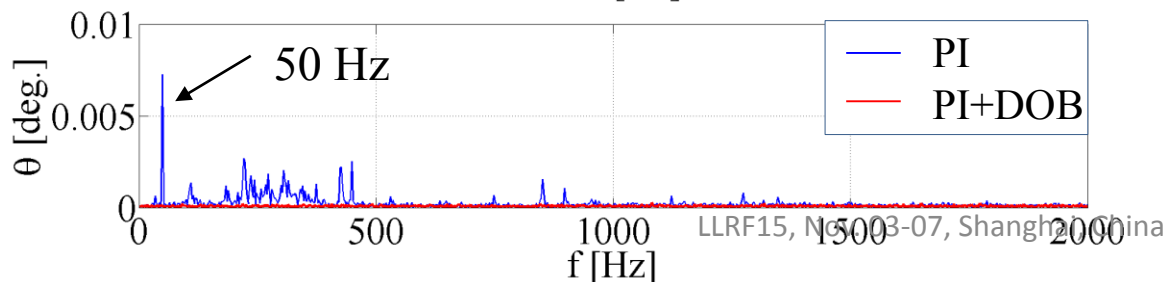
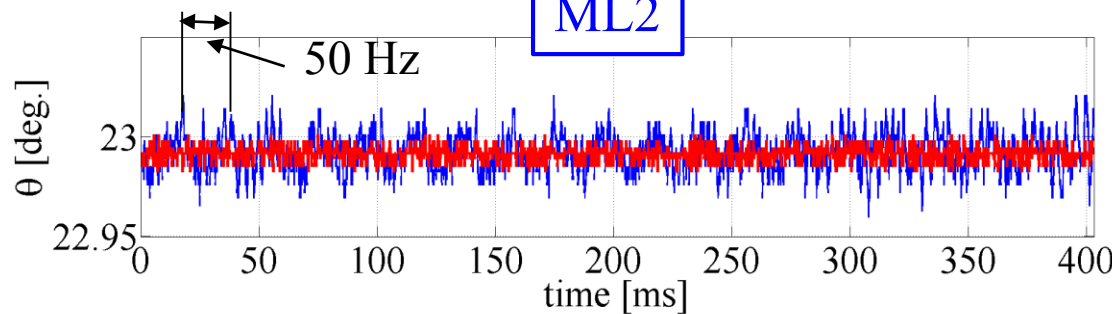
■ Disturbances: Microphonics (DC ~ 500 Hz)

■ Even with high feedback gains, the microphonics still exist in the measured RF field.

ML1



ML2



The 50 Hz component is disappeared.

Summary

- Construction of the RF system @ cERL
- Motivation and idea of disturbance control (DOB)
- Successful application of DOB control

Thank you for your attention

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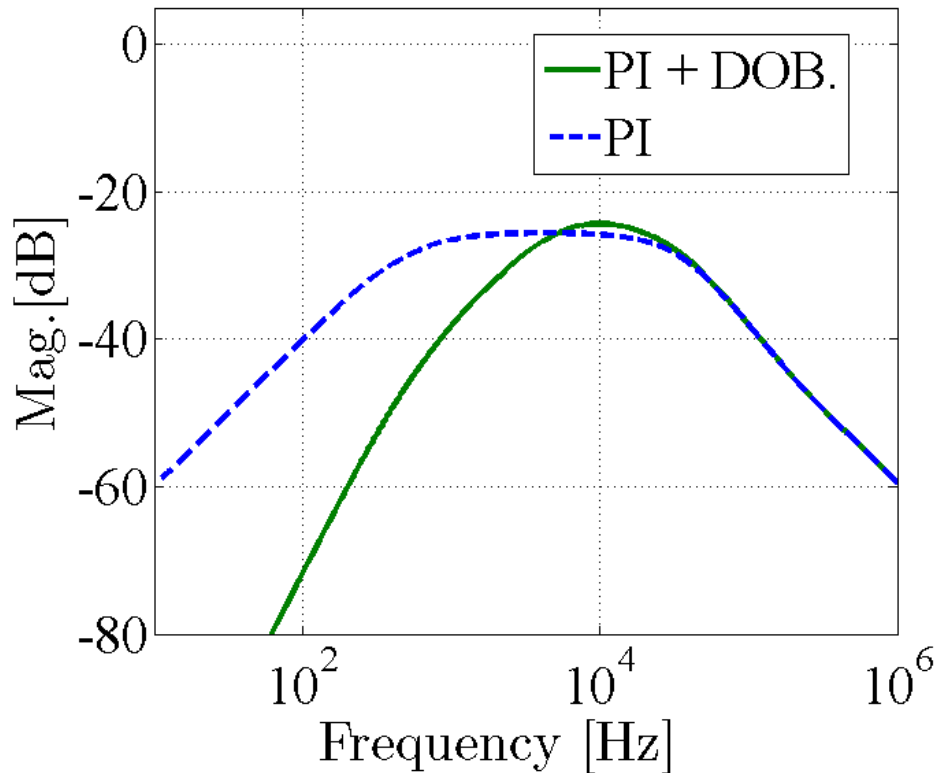
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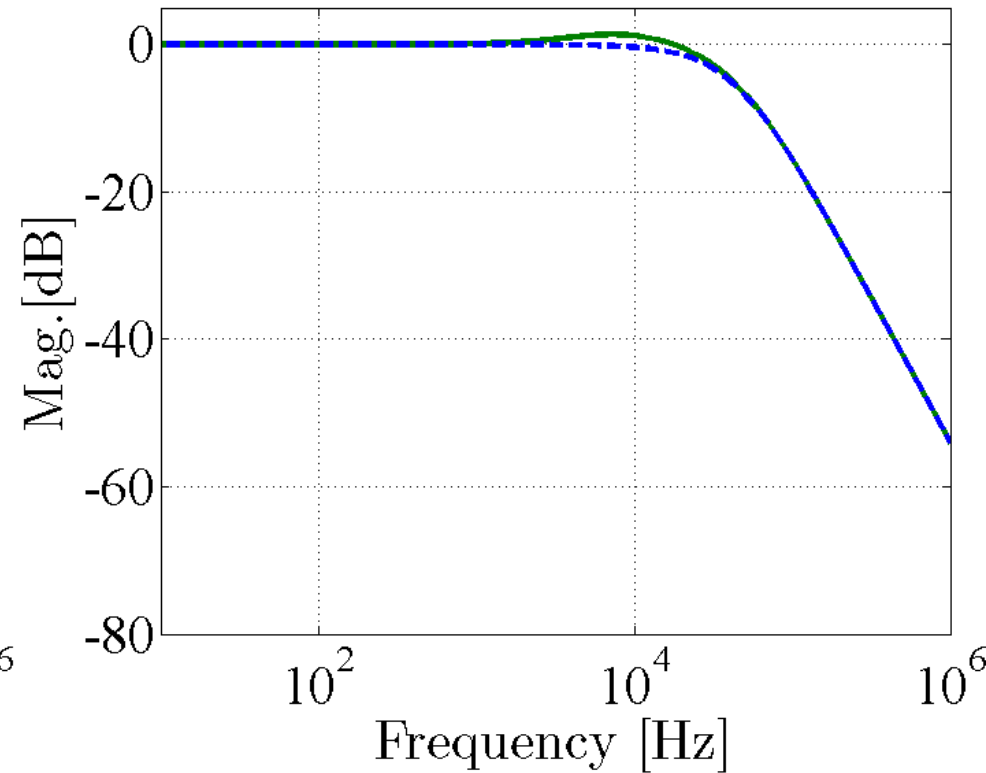
PI + DOB vs PI

Disturbance to cavity pick up ($d \rightarrow y$)

Noise to cavity pick up ($n \rightarrow y$)

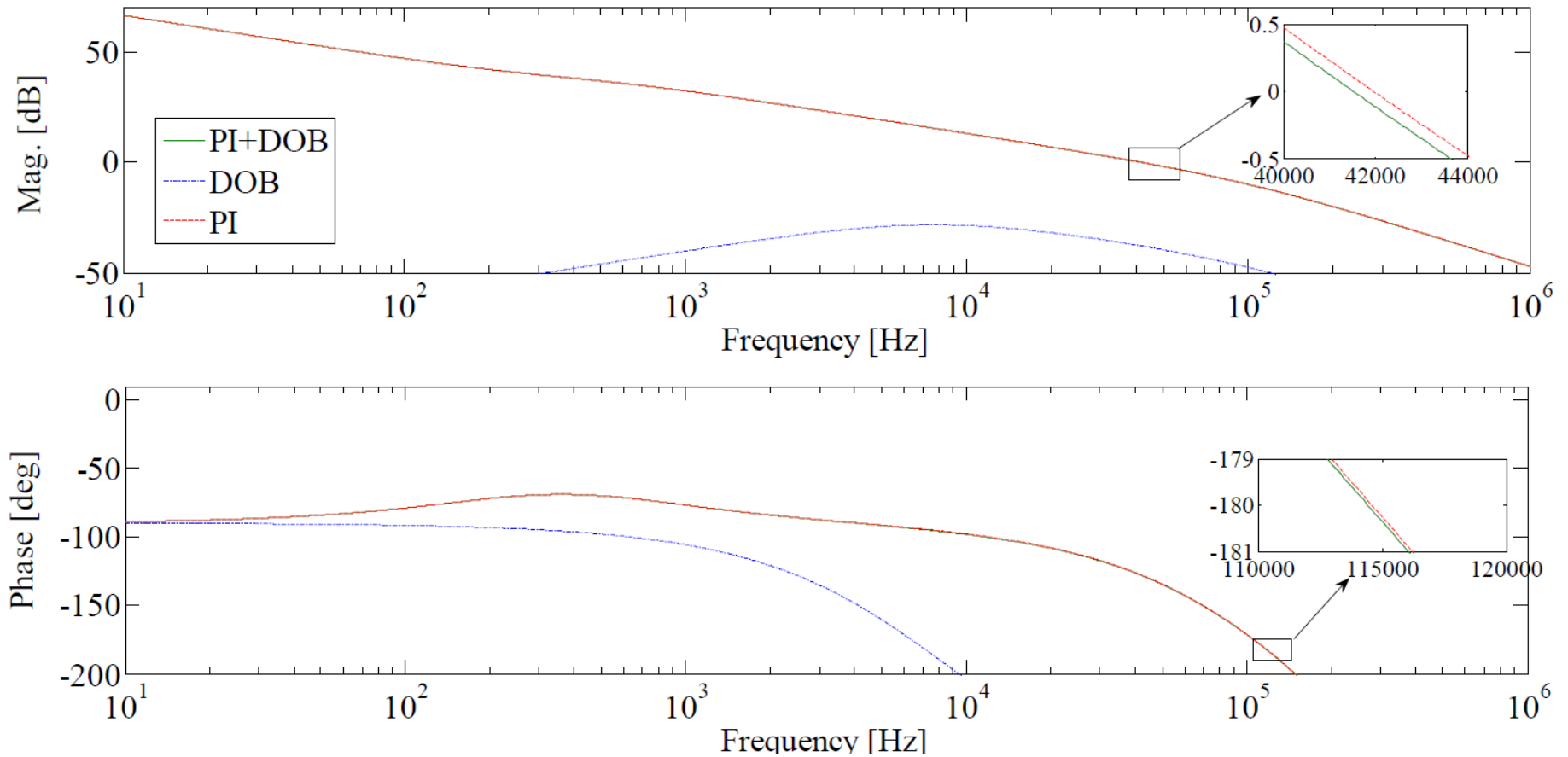


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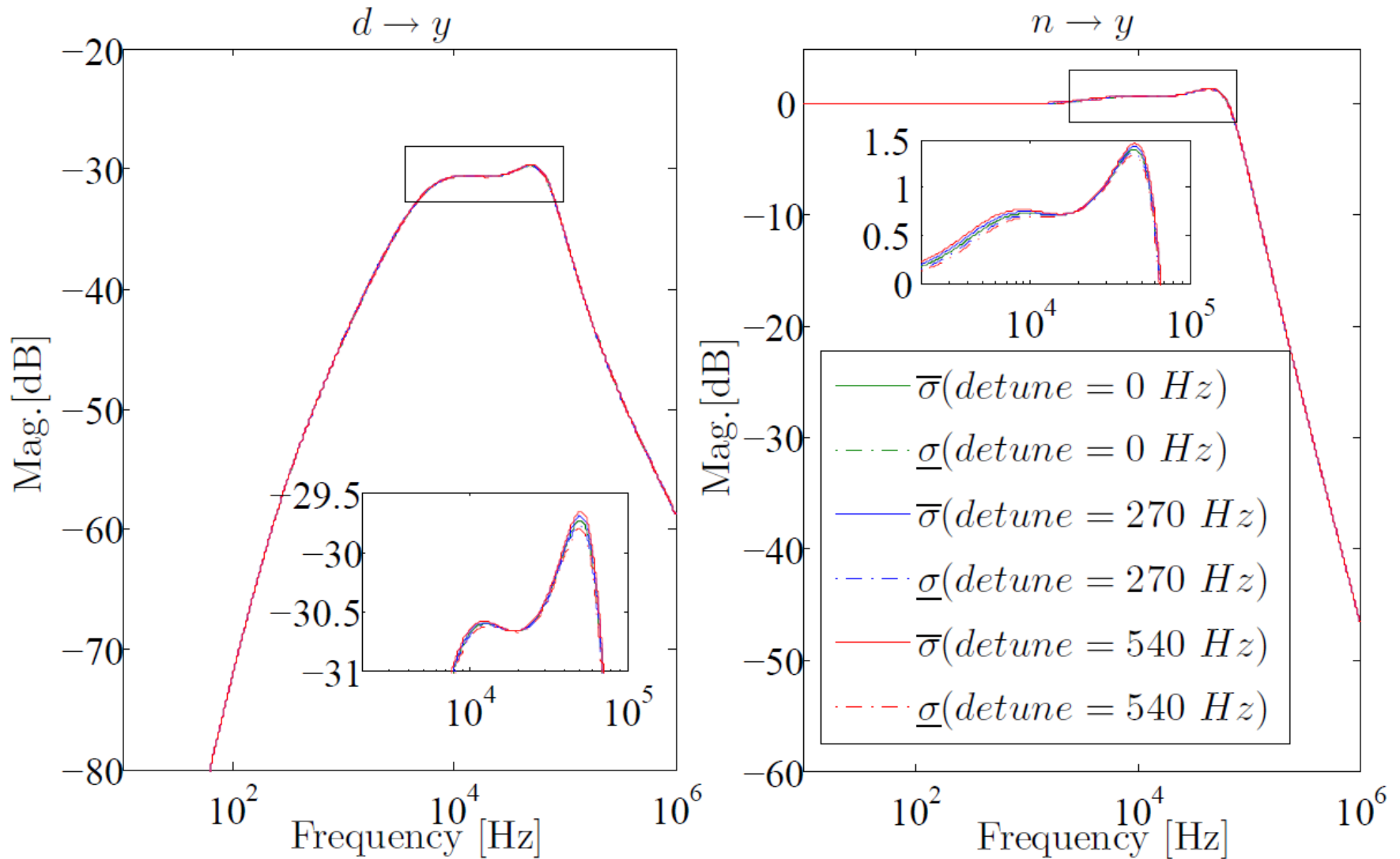


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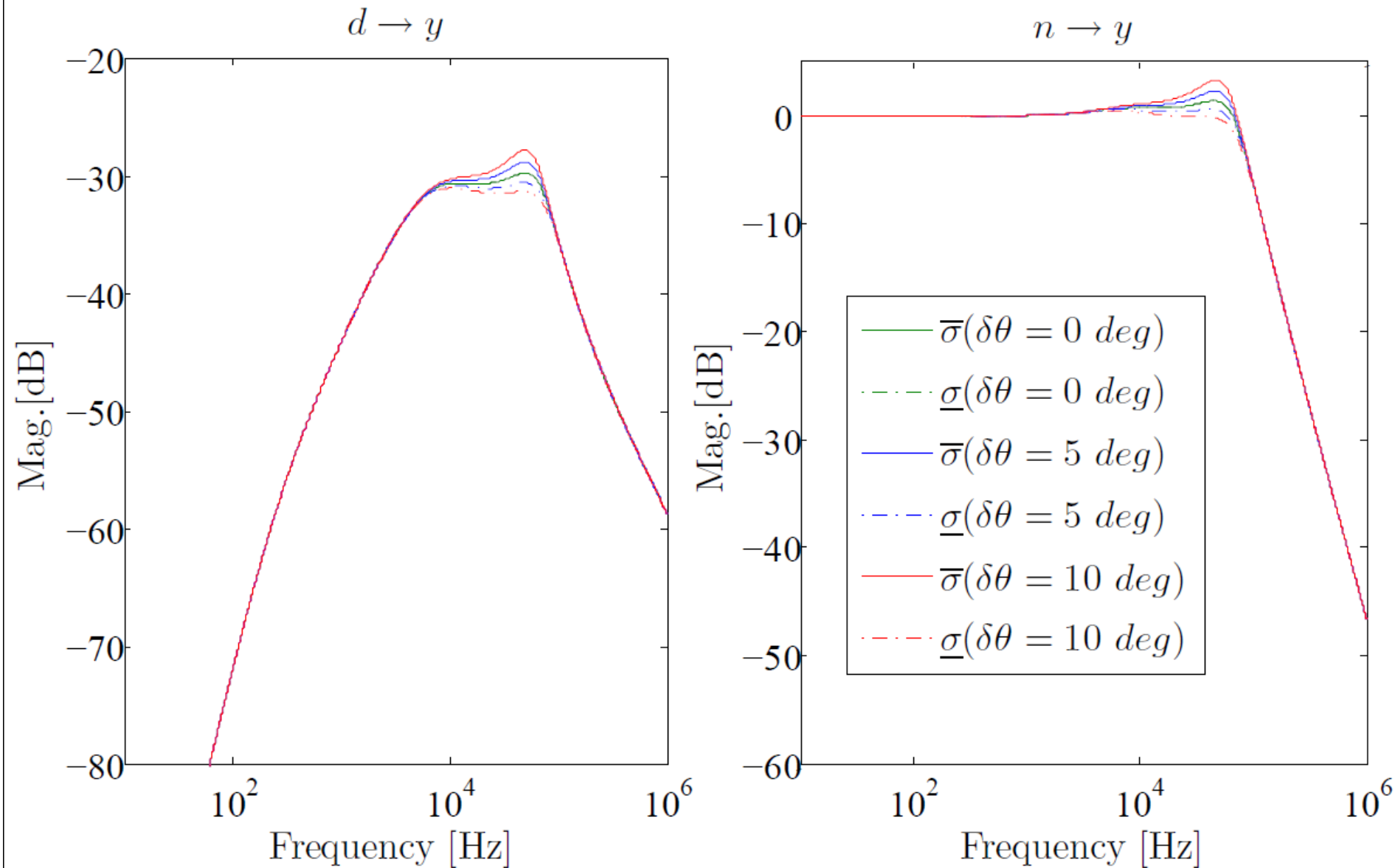
PI + DOB vs PI



PI + DOB vs PI

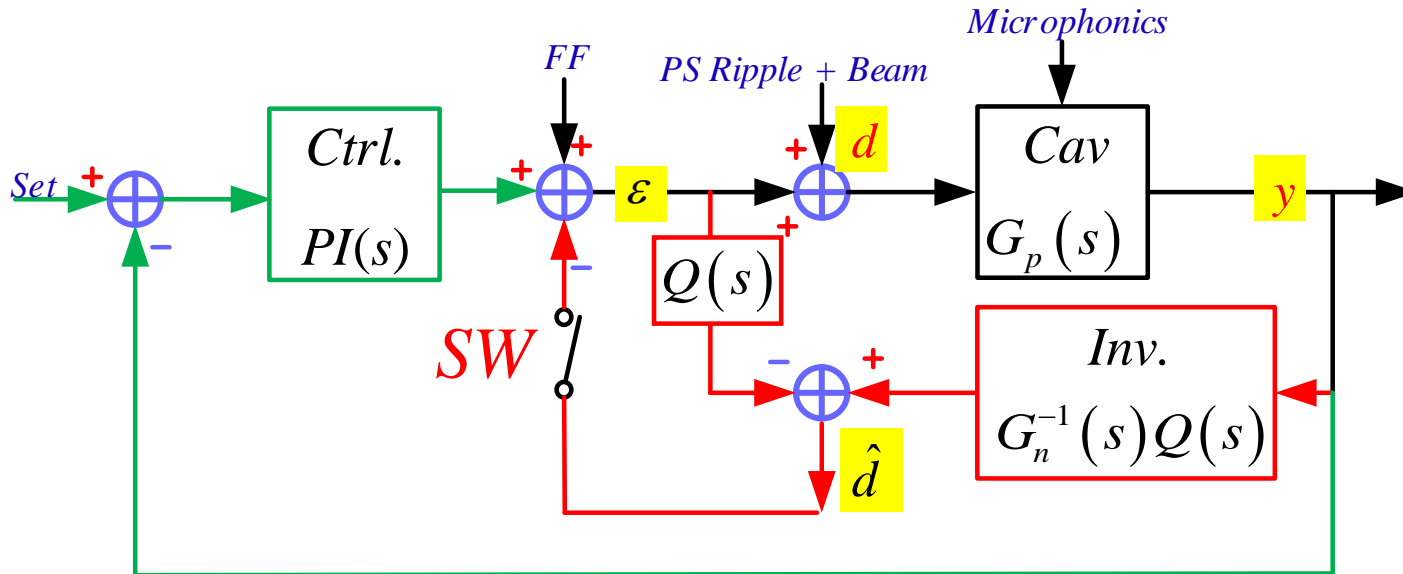


PI + DOB vs PI



PI + DOB control

- How to improve the disturbance rejection in the DOB control?



$$H_{PI,d \rightarrow y} = \frac{G_p(s)}{1 + PI(s)G_p(s)} \text{ (SW off)}$$

If $Q(s)$ is a low-pass filter, then...

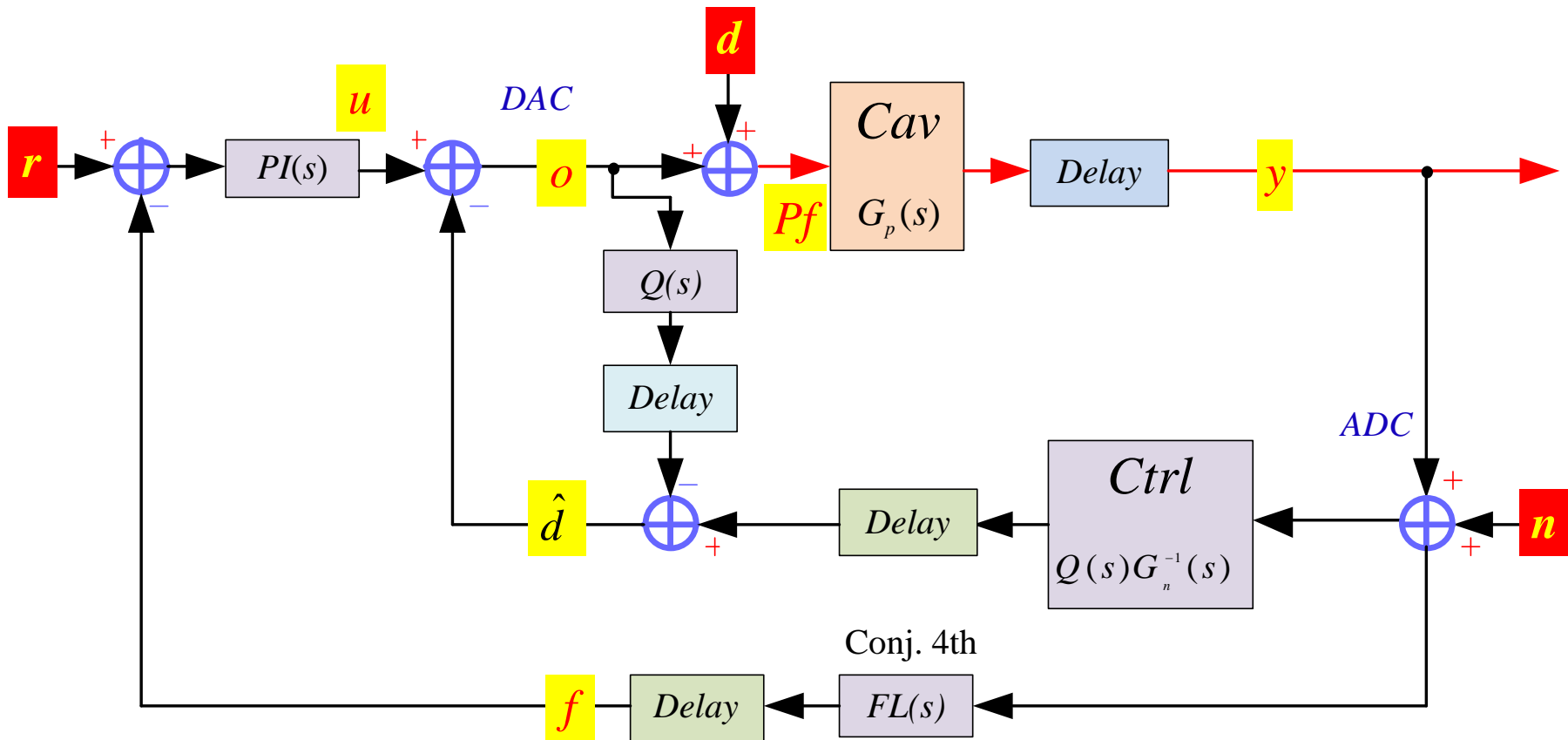
$$H_{PI+DOB,d \rightarrow y} = \frac{G_p(s)[1 - Q(s)]}{1 + PI(s)G_p(s) - Q(s) + G_p(s)G_n^{-1}(s)Q(s)} \approx \frac{G_p(s)[1 - Q(s)]}{1 + PI(s)G_p(s)} \text{ (SW on)}$$

@ low frequency: $Q(s) \approx 1$, then $1 - Q(s) \approx 0$

Total LLRF diagram



➤ PI + DOB



System Identification



- Input white noise in the DAC output and read the response from the ADC?

