

Spatial variation of the foil parameters from in situ calibration of the JT-60U imaging bolometer foil

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Motivation

- Radiation loss is an important measurement for fusion plasma experiments and fusion reactors will require diagnostics that can operate reliably in a high neutron flux environment
- Imaging bolometers provide a reactor relevant alternative to conventional resistive bolometers
- We present spatial variation of the foil parameters from in-situ calibration of the the JT-60U imaging bolometer foil

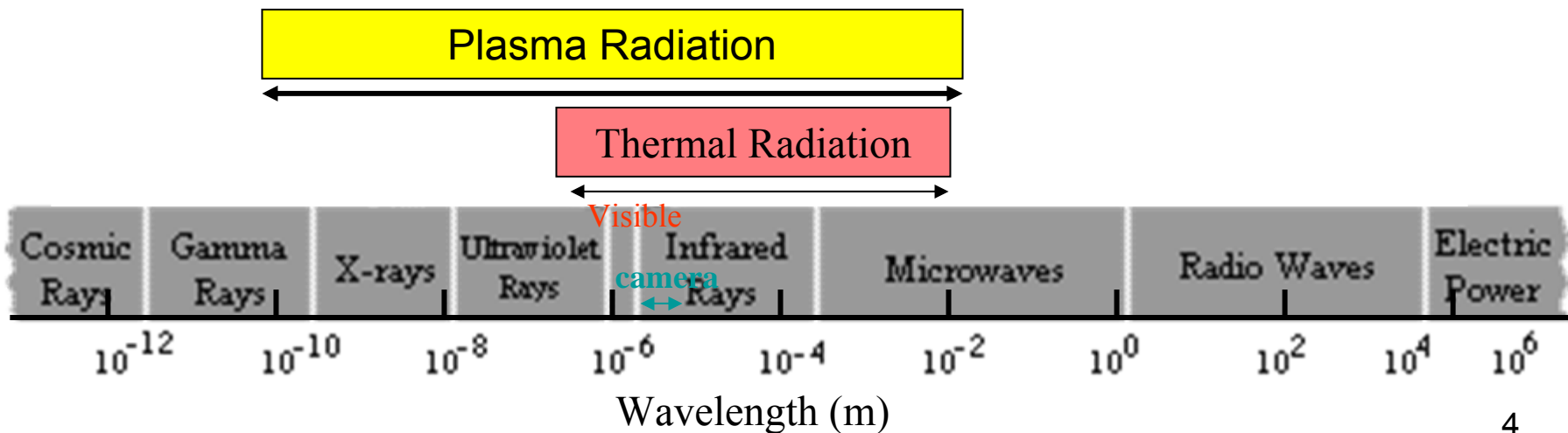
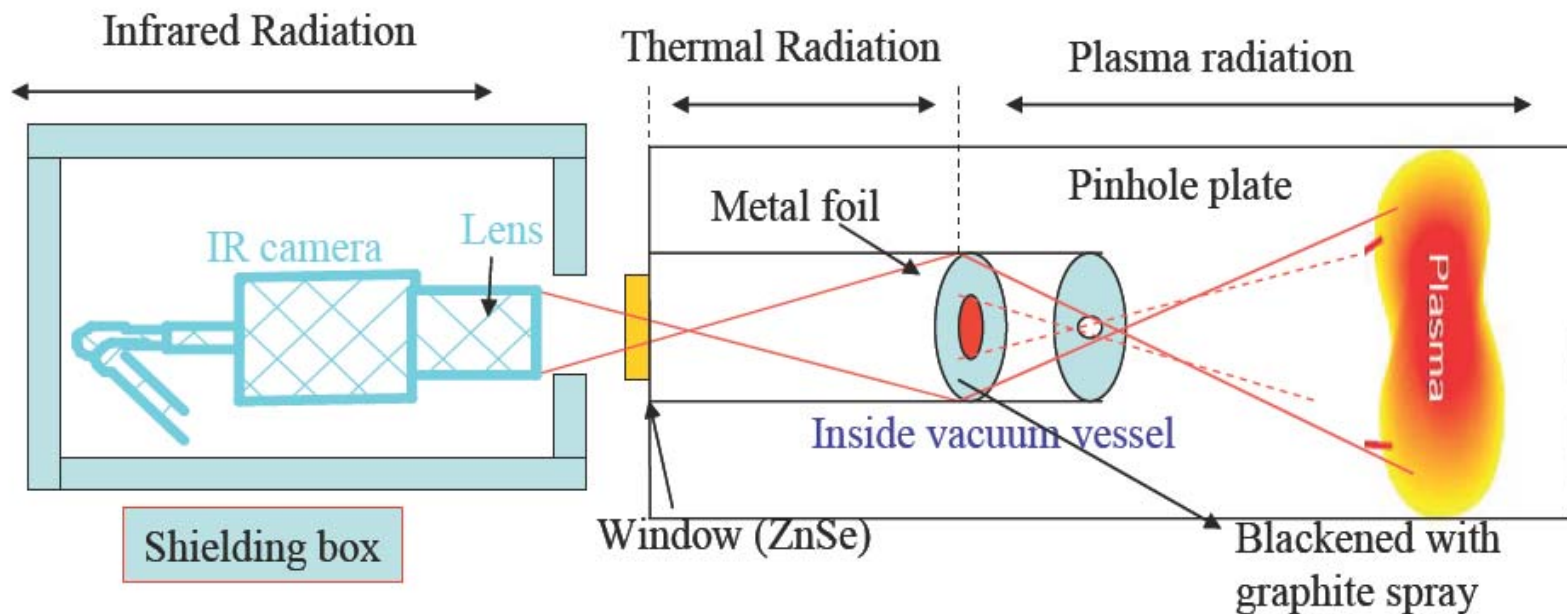
Radiation from Plasma to Infrared Camera

❖ *Radiation from plasma*

- Bremsstrahlung (the electrons accelerate by collisions)
- Synchrotron radiation (the electrons accelerate by cyclotron motion)
- Line radiation of impurities (major portion)

❖ *IR imaging bolometer in JT-60U*

- The $2.5 \mu\text{m} \times 7 \text{ cm} \times 9 \text{ cm}$ gold foil (photon energy $< 8 \text{ keV}$)
- The IR camera detector is a micro bolometer type (FLIR/Indigo micron/omega) and sensitive in the far Infrared wavelength range ($7.5 \sim 13.5 \mu\text{m}$)
- The ZnSe window (Infrared range $3 \sim 12 \mu\text{m}$)

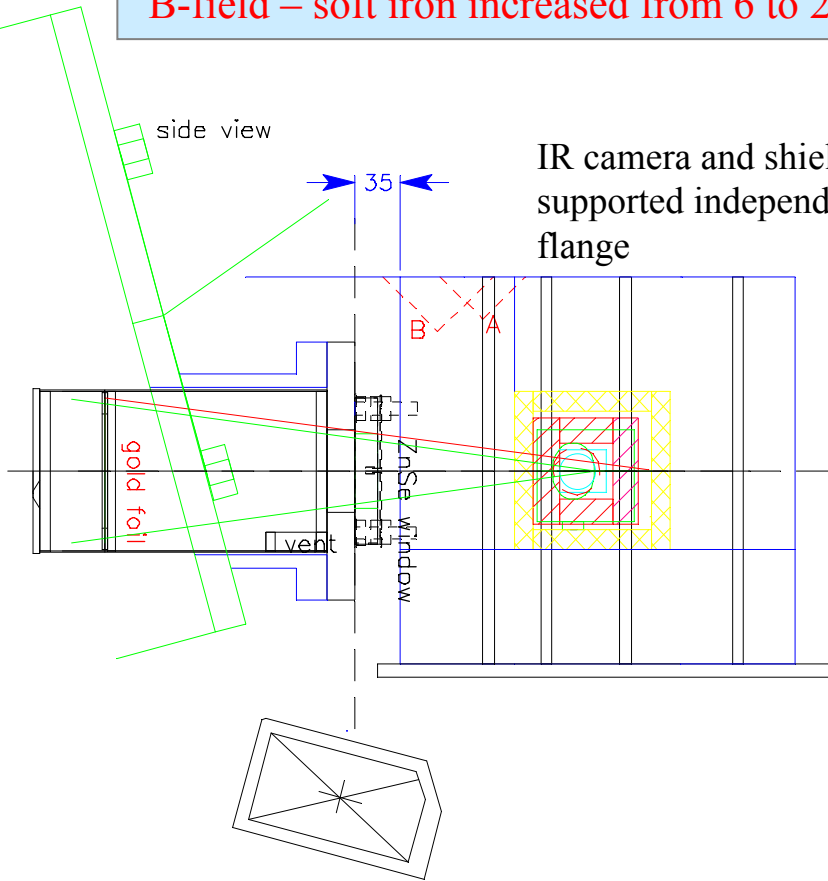


Neutrons - polyethylene increased from 30 to 90 mm

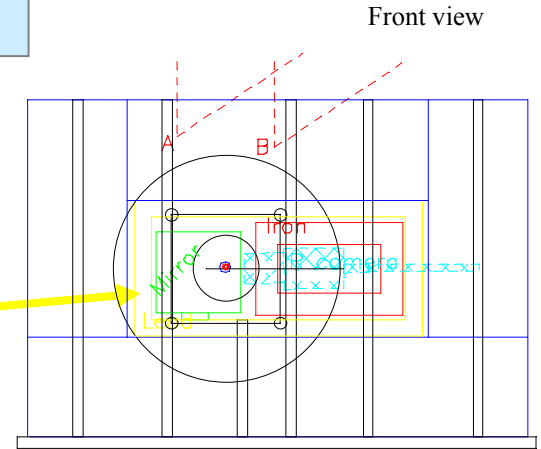
Gammas - 15 mm lead added

B-field – soft iron increased from 6 to 20 mm

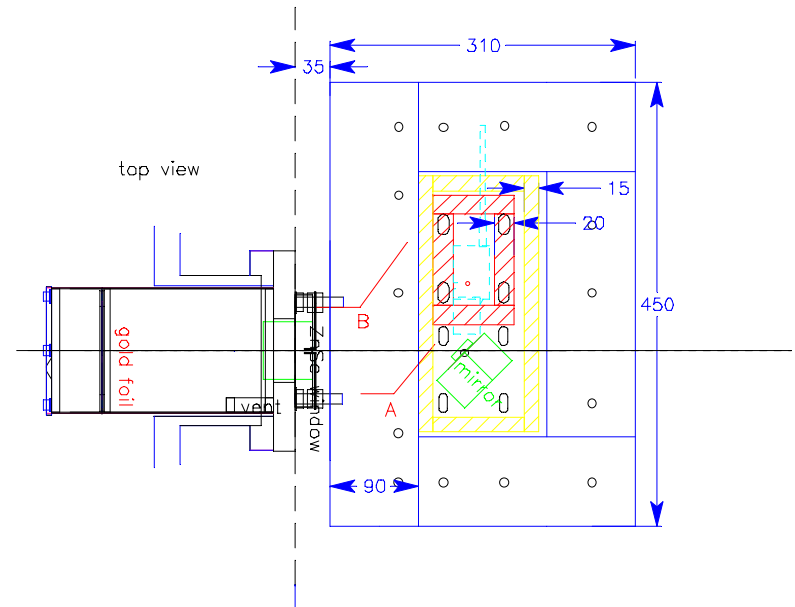
IR camera and shield supported independently of flange



Lead box

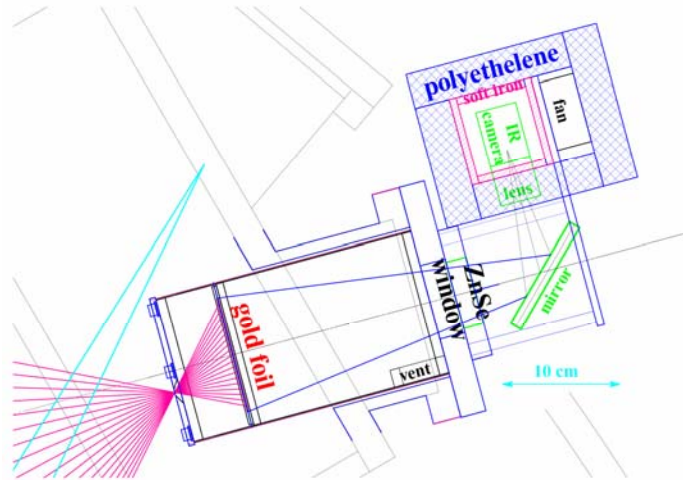


top view

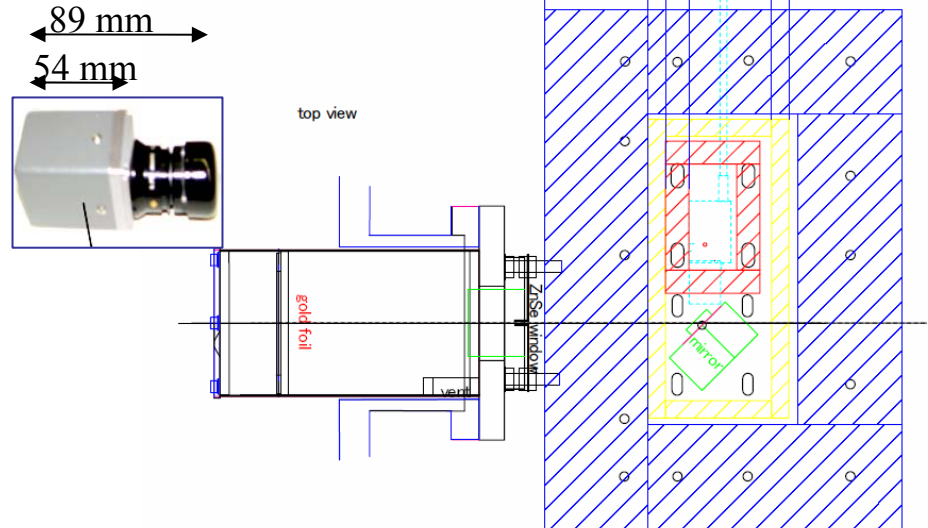


In current campaign we could measure with IR camera sometimes during Deuterium beams → additional shielding seems effective

2004



Shielding upgrade

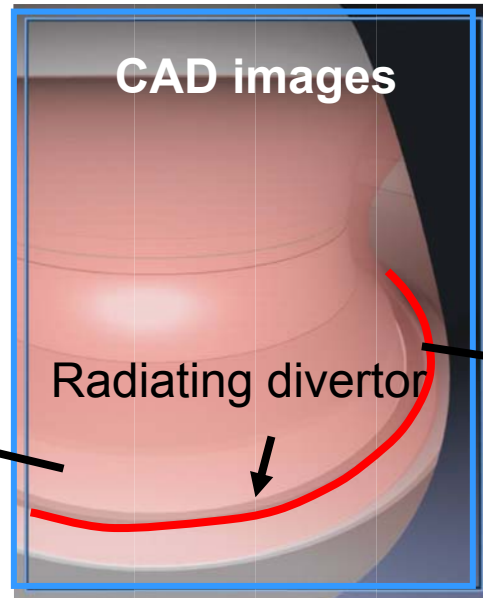


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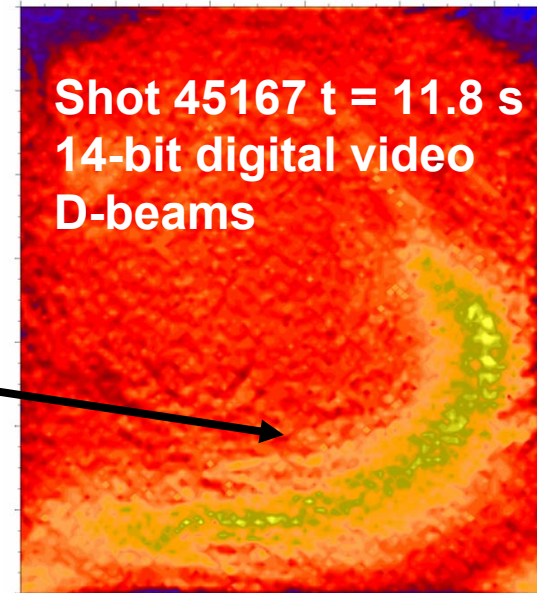
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Data acquisition upgrade



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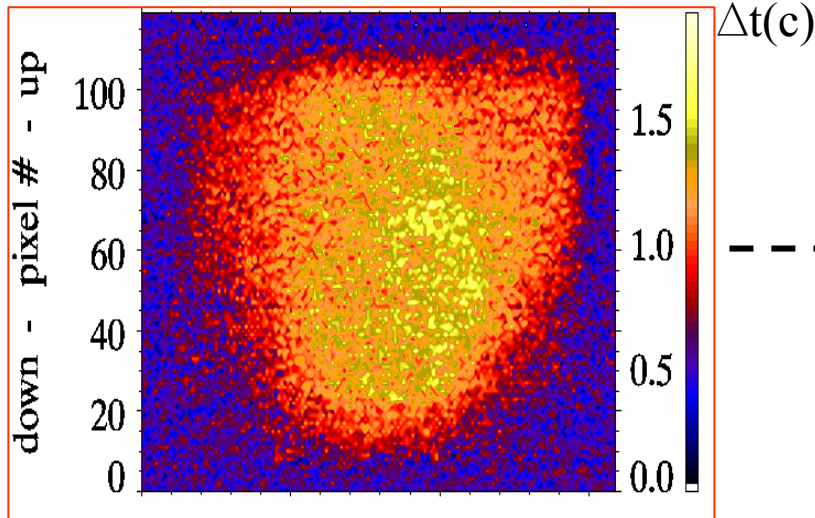


The importance of calibration of the IRVB

- The calibration of the infrared imaging video bolometer will compensate for non-uniformities in the foil.
- This technique gives confidence in the absolute levels of the measured values of radiation from divertor and core regions that is necessary for tomographic analyses.
- Calibration data is necessary to correctly convert from foil temperature data to plasma radiation data

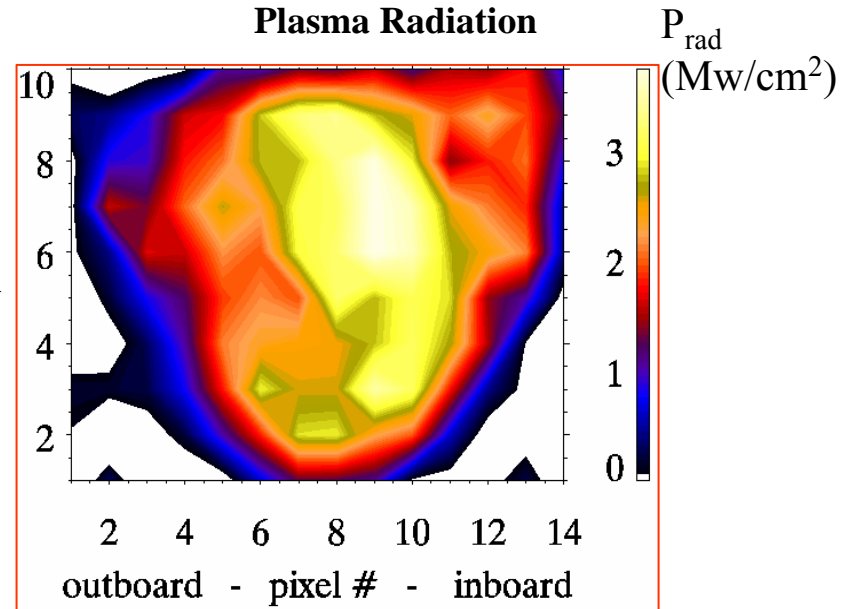
IRVB Data (For LHD)¹⁾

IR Camera data
120 x 160 pixels



Before calibration and analysis

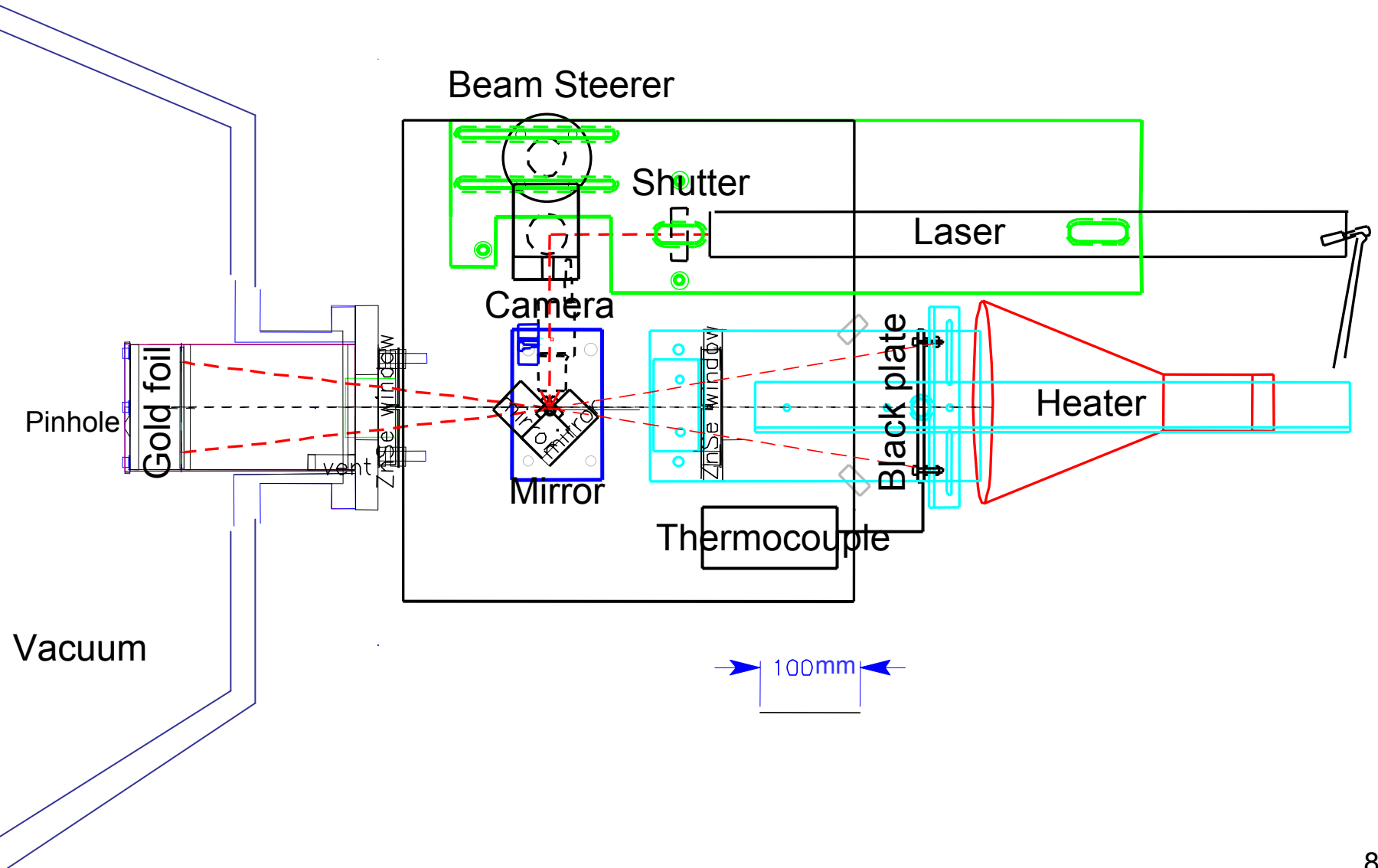
Plasma Radiation



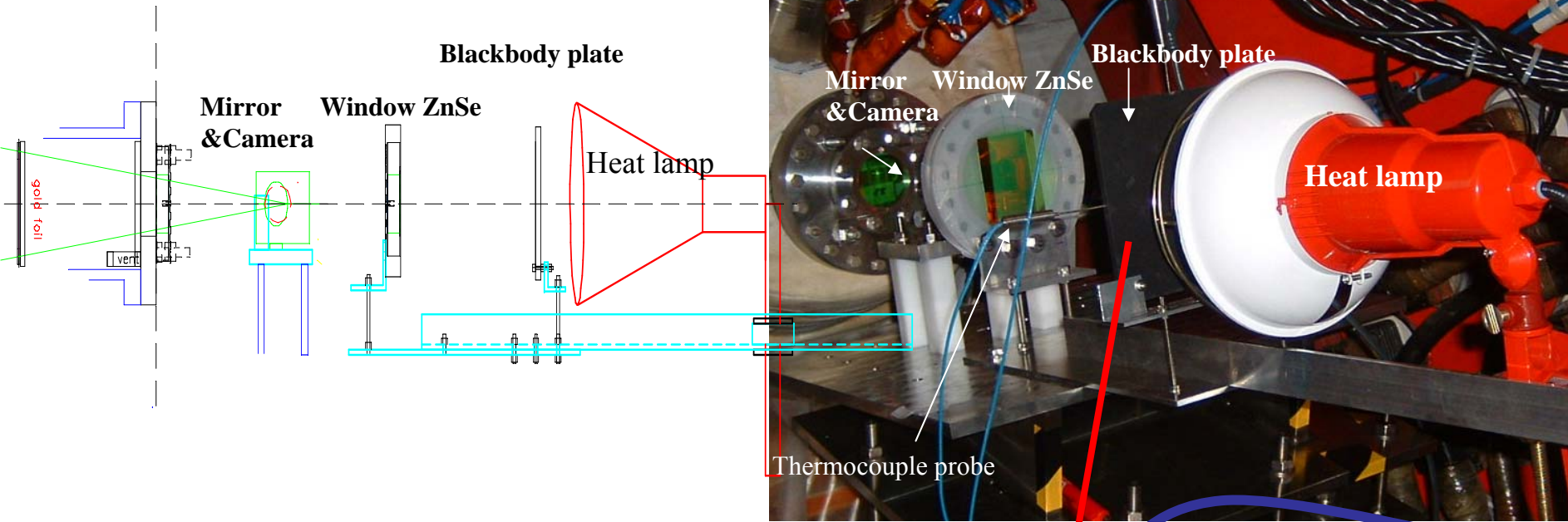
After calibration and analysis

1)B.J. Peterson, N.Ashikawa, et al., IEEE Trans. Plasma Sci. **30** (2002) 52-53.

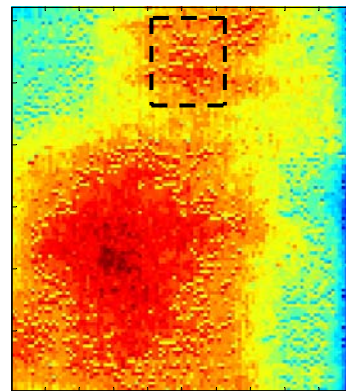
Infrared Imaging Video Bolometer Calibration setup for JT-60U



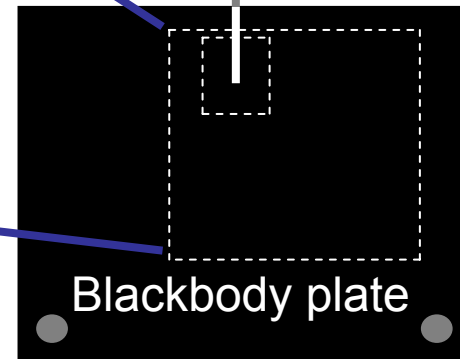
IR Camera calibration setup on JT-60U



FOV by IR camera



Thermocouple



The black plate is heated up to a temperature of $\sim 170\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ when the room temperature was $21.5\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$, then the lamp is turned off.

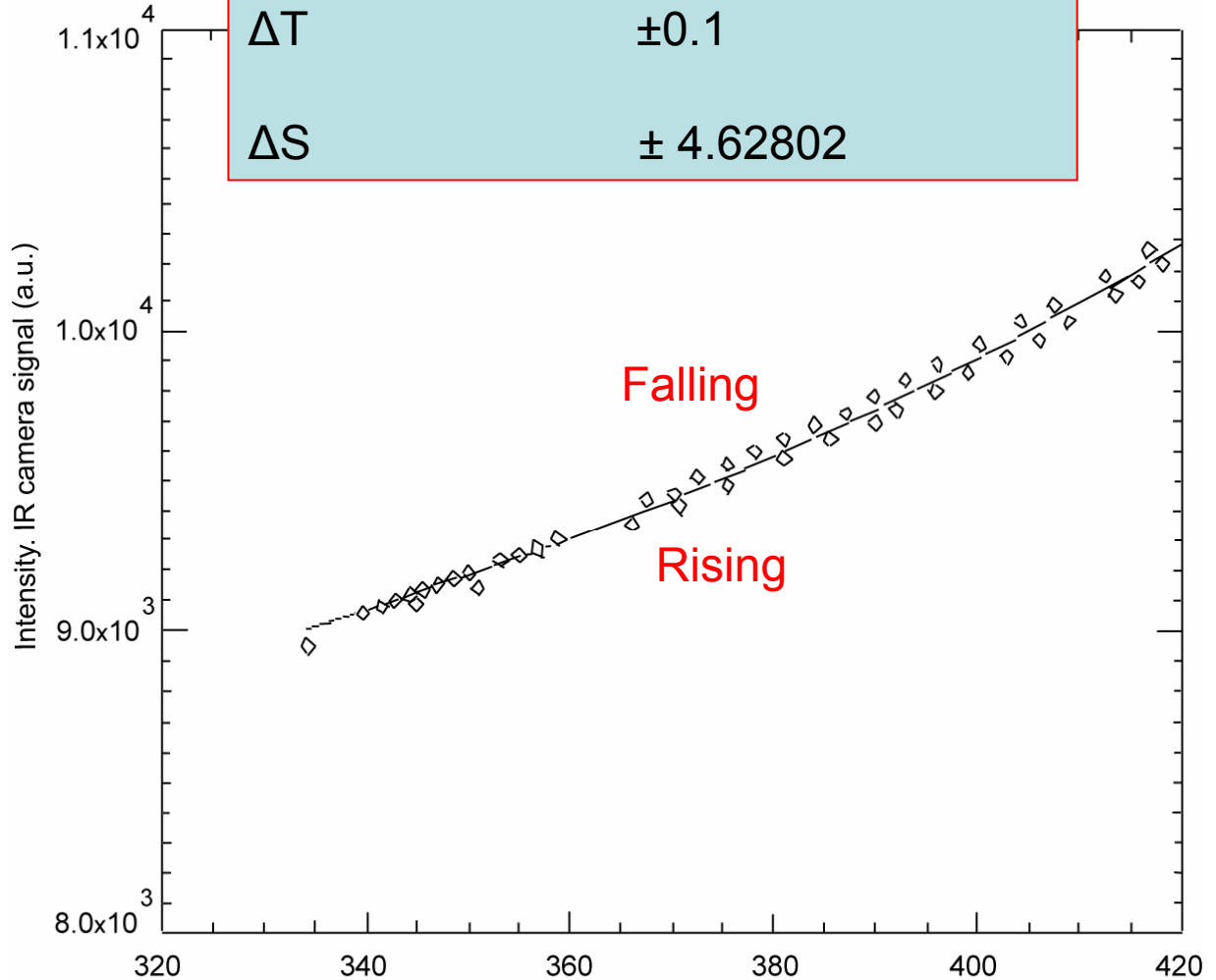
Stefan-Boltzman law

$$S = aT^4 + b$$

Method: By fitting camera signal level, S , and thermocouple data, T , to Stefan-Boltzmann law, determine calibration coefficients a and b .

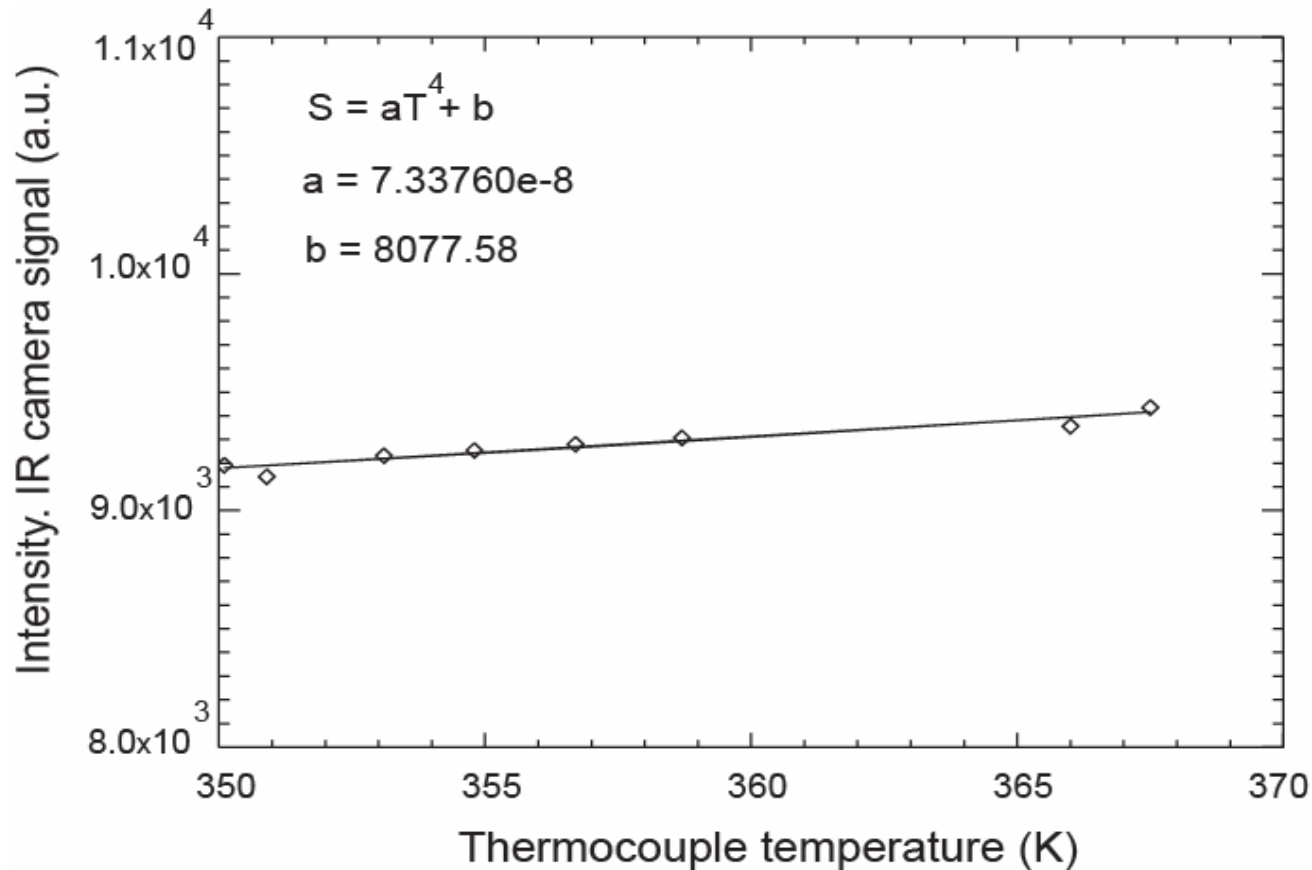
The foil temperature is obtained by applying a and b as coefficients to the IR camera data.

$a = 6.86204e-008$	$\pm 1.19794e-010$
$b = 8152.25$	± 2.62839
ΔT	± 0.1
ΔS	± 4.62802



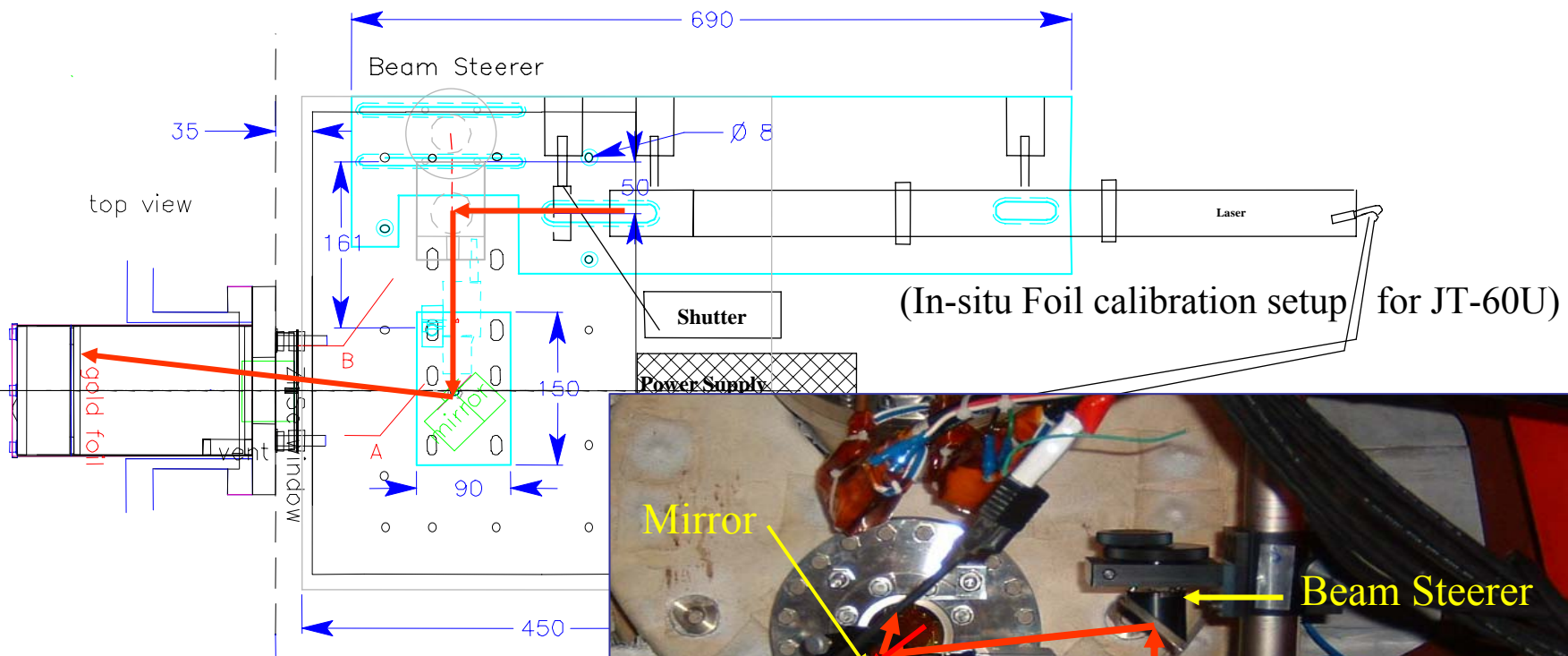
Thermocouple temperature (K)

To find the calibration coefficients of IR camera (350-370 K)

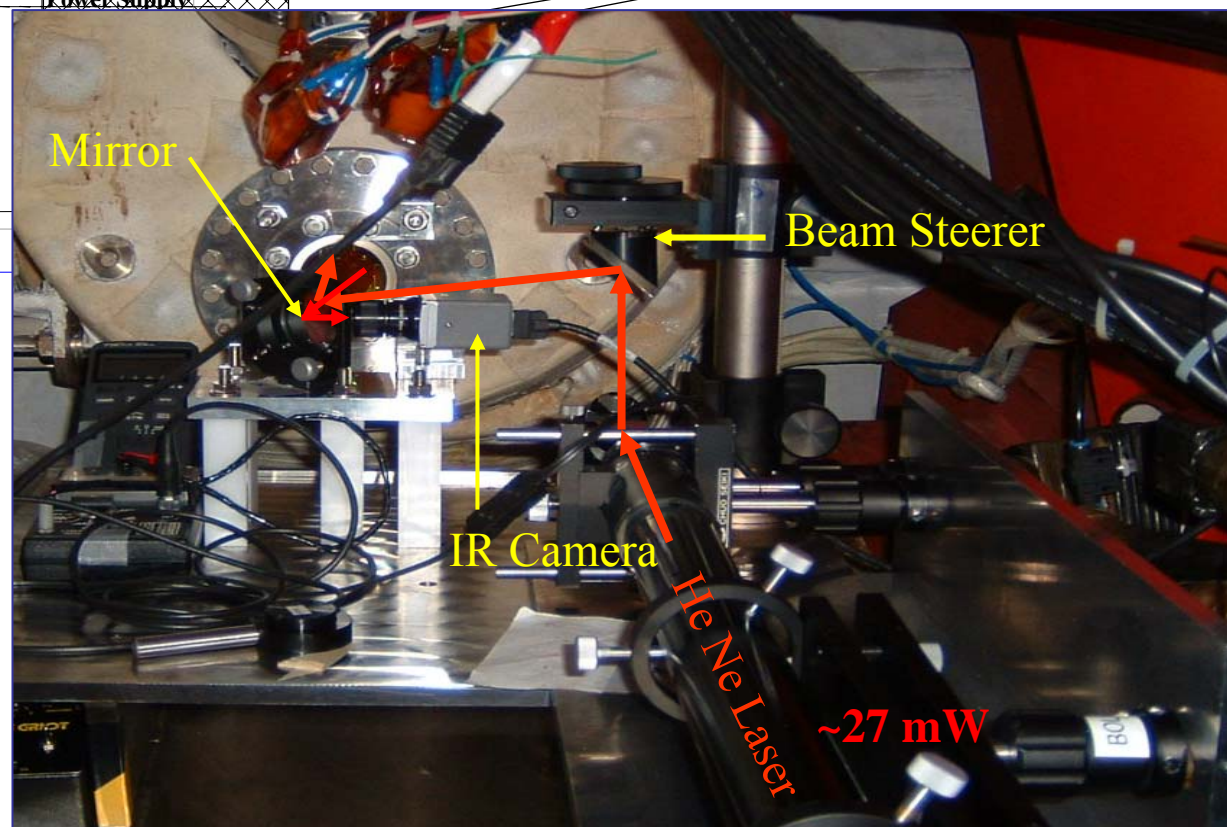


The IR camera calibration coefficients a and b had a negligible temperature dependence in the range of temperature used in the measurement on the JT-60U in the previous investigation. The calibration factors are corrected to $a = 7.34e-8$ W/K⁴ and $b = 8077.58$ in the range of experiment temperatures (350-370 K).

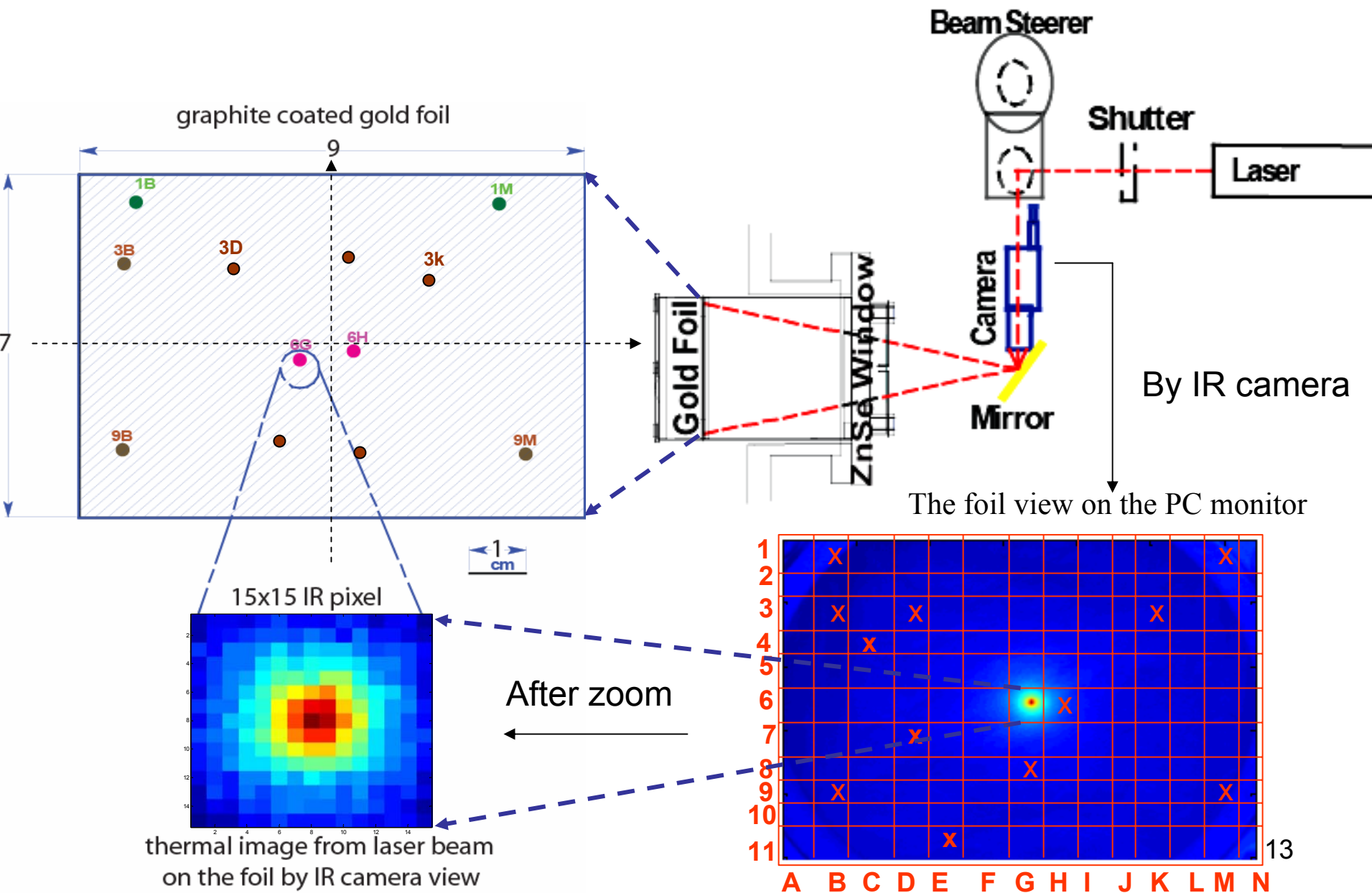
In-situ laser calibration setup of the foil



(Foil Calibration setup for JT-60U)



In situ laser calibration of the single graphite-coated gold foil (IRVB of JT-60U) on difference position



IR Imaging video Bolometer (analysis method)

- The incident radiation power distribution on the foil can be determined numerically by solving the two-dimensional heat diffusion equation.

$$\nabla \cdot (\nabla T) = \frac{1}{\kappa} \frac{\partial T}{\partial t} + \Omega_{bb} - \Omega_{rad}$$

Black body radiation from the foil

the incident radiation power to the foil

$$\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial y^2} = \frac{1}{\kappa} \frac{\partial T}{\partial t} + \Omega_{bb} - \Omega_{rad}$$

Parameters to be determined locally on the foil through calibration experiments

Detected radiation power by solving heat diffusion equation

Blackbody thermal emissivity

$$\Omega_{bb} = \frac{\epsilon \sigma_{S-B} (T^4 - T_0^4)}{k \cdot t_f}$$

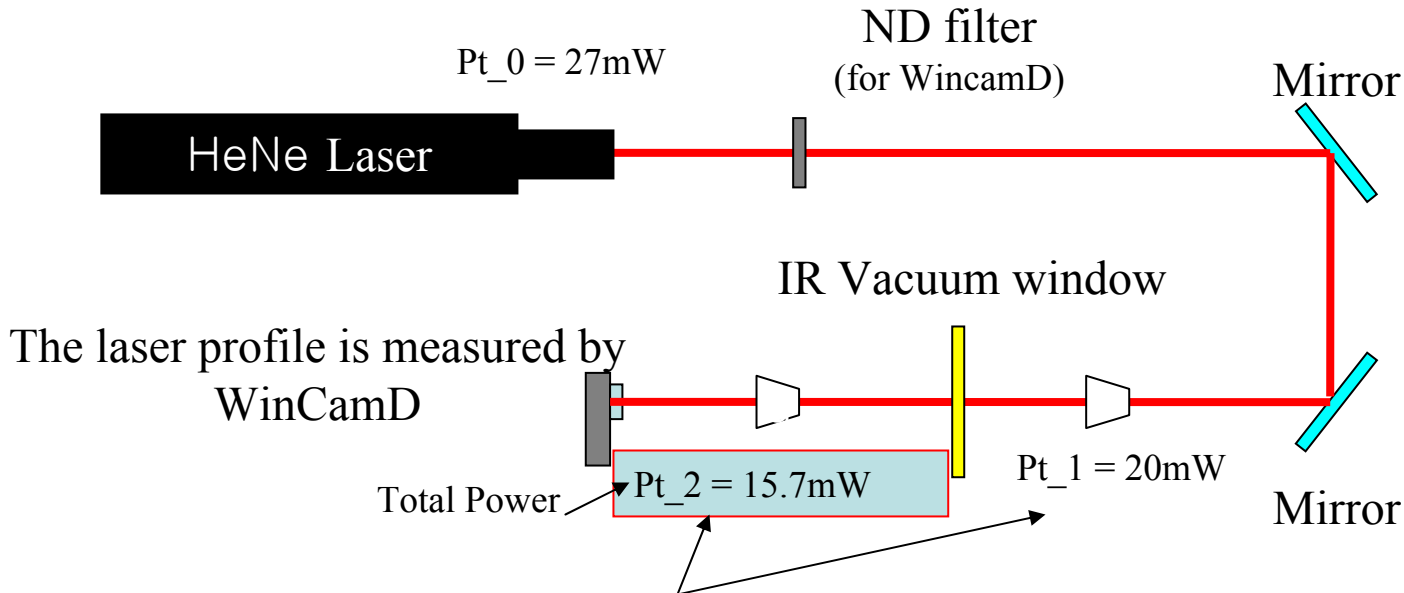
$$\Omega_{rad} = \frac{P_{rad}}{k \cdot t_f \cdot l^2}$$

Bolometer pixel area

Foil thermal conductivity

Foil thickness

The He-Ne laser (~27 mW) as a known radiation source to heat the foil



The laser power is measured by Laser PAD™ PC

$$\text{Window's transmittance } (T) = Pt_2 / Pt_1$$

The laser transmission power to foil decreased after passing through the IR windows.

The laser power arriving at the foil is 58%.

42% remaining is absorbed and reflected by the ZnSe window and mirrors

Laser PAD™ PC Description



The Laser PAD™ (Power Analysis Display) application package is designed to be a complete menu driven power measurement system for use with a Pocket PC handheld PDA to provide optimum data processing, results display and data file storage.

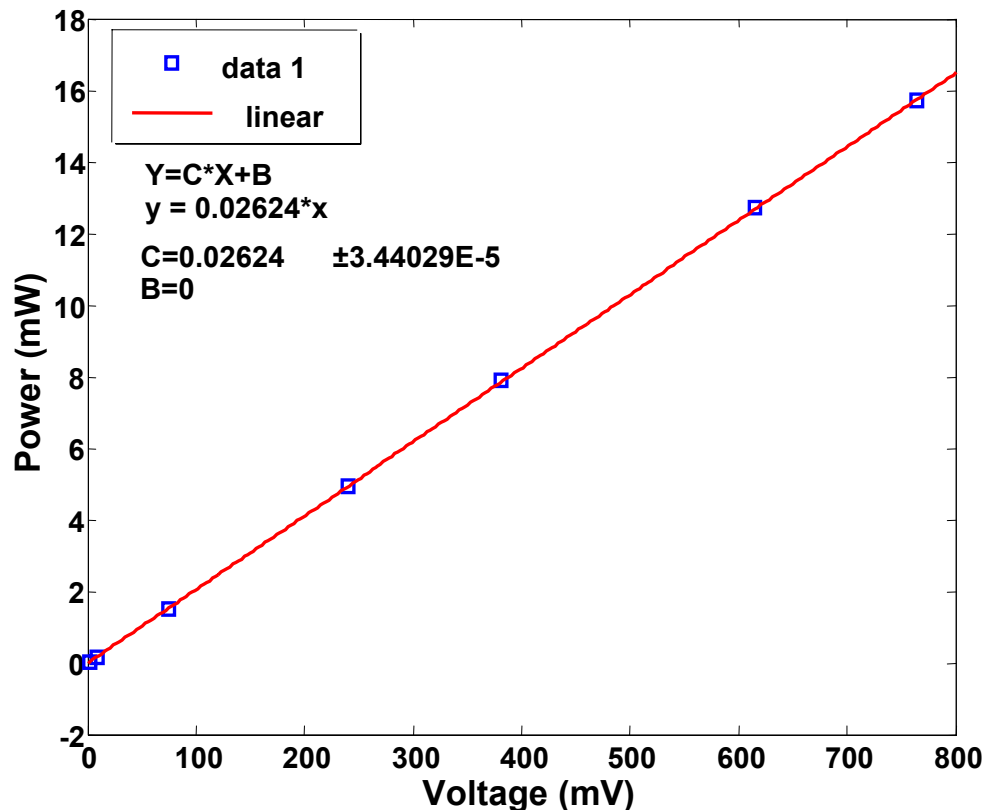
$$P_{laser} = TcV_{JT-60U}$$

P_{laser} is power of laser on the foil by cross calibration to handheld power meter

T is measured by comparing the power before and after the window

C is conversion factor of the laser power that measured by Laser PAD™ PC to that the voltage of the handheld power meter

V_{JT-60U} is voltage output of the handheld laser power meter that is measured by voltmeter



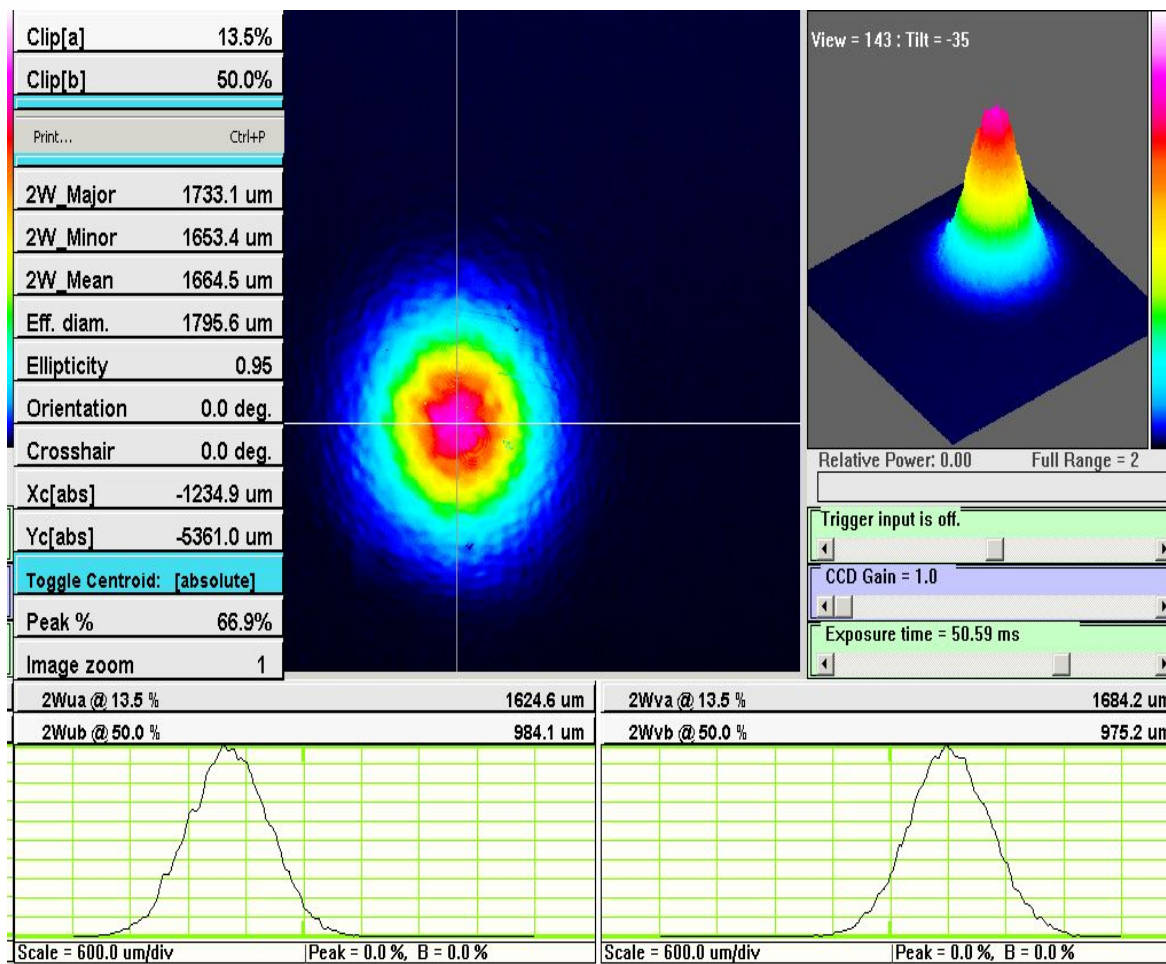
Pixel	Position (pixel)	Position (mm)	Laser power	
			(mV)	(mW)
9B	(23 , 38)	(-36 , -19)	751	15.418
3B	(25 , 97)	(-34 , 19)	759	15.655
1B	(26 , 118)	(-35 , 33)	755	15.448
3D	(37 , 88)	(-22 , 18)	765	15.853
6G	(73 , 65)	(-3 , - 2)	763	16.092
6H	(81 , 66)	(2 , - 1)	758	15.784
3K	(105 , 88)	(22 , 18)	758	15.762
1M	(131 , 114)	(31 , 30)	757	15.614

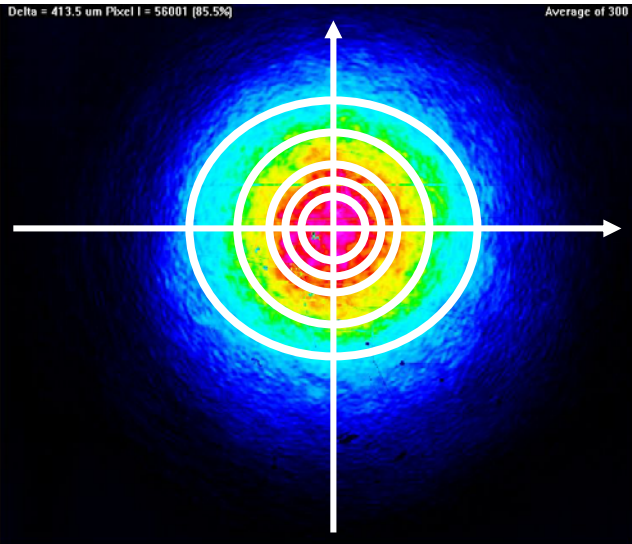
The laser power decreased after passing through the IR windows. The handheld laser power meter is calibrated using LASERPADTM PC. The experimental configuration details for eight points on the foil are shown in above table.



7.5 mm Chip surface-Default

WinCamD is used a high resolution progressive scan CCD chip with 1369 (H) × 1024(V) 4.65 μm square active pixels. The chip is driven by an 8 MPixel/s readout clock (16 MHz master clock).





Irradiance (Power Density)

$$I_0 = (2 \times P) / (\pi \times w^2) = 2.55P / (2w)^2$$

$$r^2 = x^2 + y^2$$

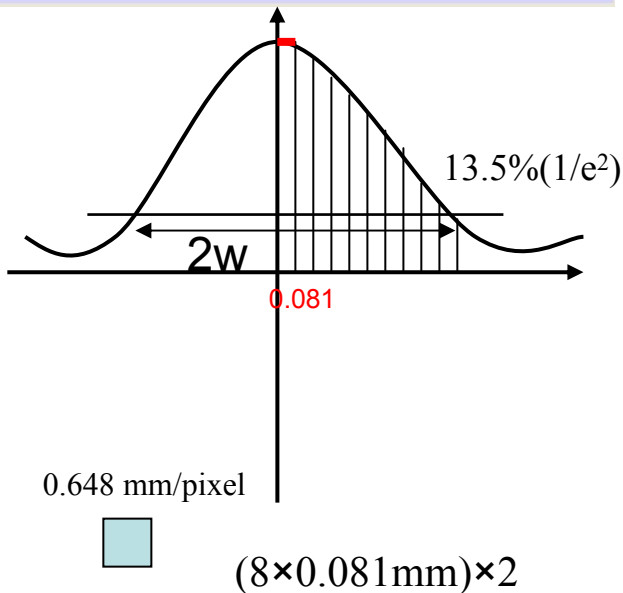
P : total beam power
 w : the radius at the point at which the intensity has fallen to 13.5%(1/e²) of the peak value for Gaussian beam

$$I(r) = I_0 e^{-2r^2/w^2} = \frac{2P}{\pi W^2} e^{-2r^2/w^2}$$

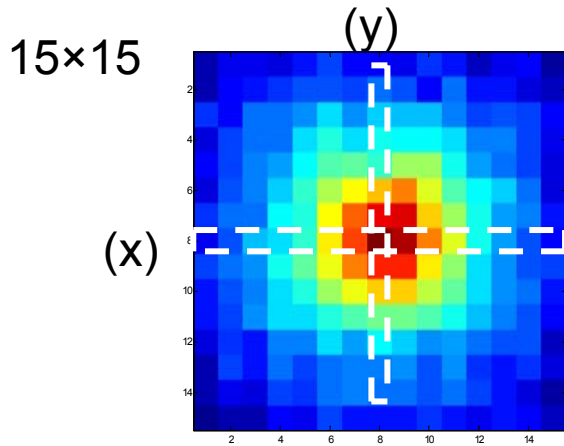
(Ref: WinCamD User Manual 5-1, Appendix)

Measured Value(mV)	coefficient	transmittance	Total Power(mW)
751	0.02624	0.78403	15.45

Pattern 1		L = 3mm		Average	
Area No	Radius(IN)mm	Radius(OUT)mm	Area (mm ²)	W/mm ²	Watts
1	0	0.081	0.020611989	0.00591284	0.000121875
2	0.081	0.162	0.061835968	0.00581849	0.000359792
3	0.162	0.243	0.103059947	0.00563469	0.000580711
4	0.243	0.324	0.144283926	0.00537389	0.000775366
5	0.324	0.405	0.185507905	5.04E-03	0.000935854
6	0.405	0.486	0.226731883	4.66E-03	0.001056949
7	0.486	0.567	0.267955862	4.24E-03	0.001136162
8	0.567	0.648	0.309179841	3.80E-03	0.001173718
9	0.648	0.81	0.742031618	3.12E-03	0.00231801
10	0.81	0.972	0.906927534	2.28E-03	0.002068194
11	0.972	1.134	1.071823449	1.56E-03	0.001675453
12	1.134	1.296	1.236719364	1.01E-03	0.001244325
13	1.296	1.62	2.968126474	4.77E-04	0.001414689
14	1.62	1.944	3.627710134	1.38E-04	0.00050053
15	1.944	2.268	4.287293795	3.12E-05	0.000133589
16	2.268	2.592	4.946877456	5.49E-06	2.7153E-05
17	2.592	3.24	11.87250589	4.17E-07	4.95633E-06
18	3.24	3.888	14.51084054	3.59E-09	5.21287E-08
19	3.888	4.536	17.14917518	1.16E-11	1.98464E-10
20	4.536	5.184	19.78750982	1.39E-14	2.74289E-13
					0.015527379



Fitting 2-D Gaussian to temperature profile with four parameters



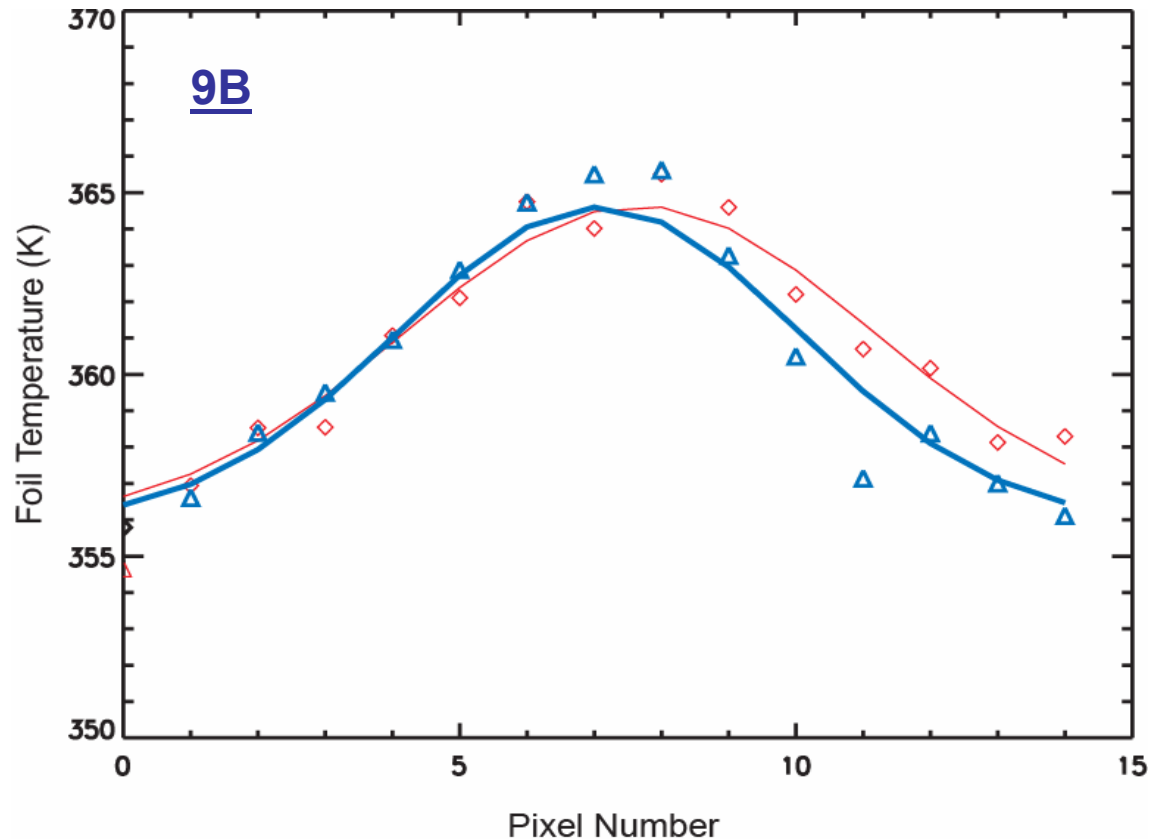
$$S = A_0 + A_1 e^{-\frac{1}{2} \left(\left(\frac{x-A_4}{A_2} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{y-A_5}{A_3} \right)^2 \right)}$$

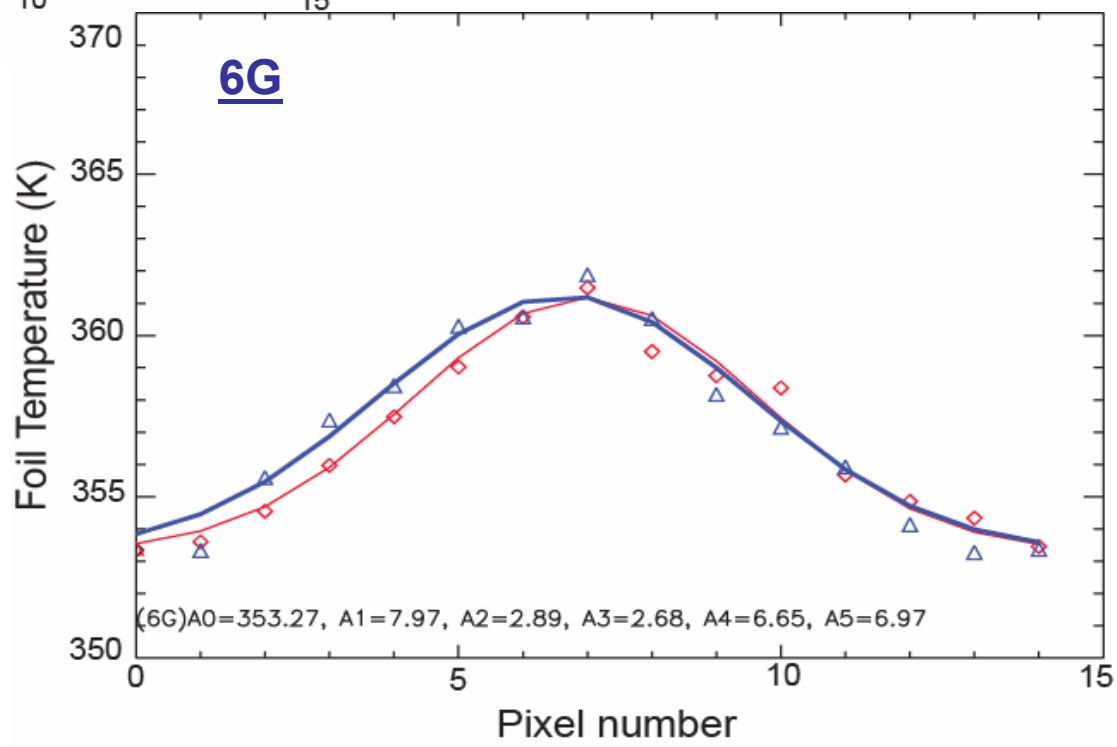
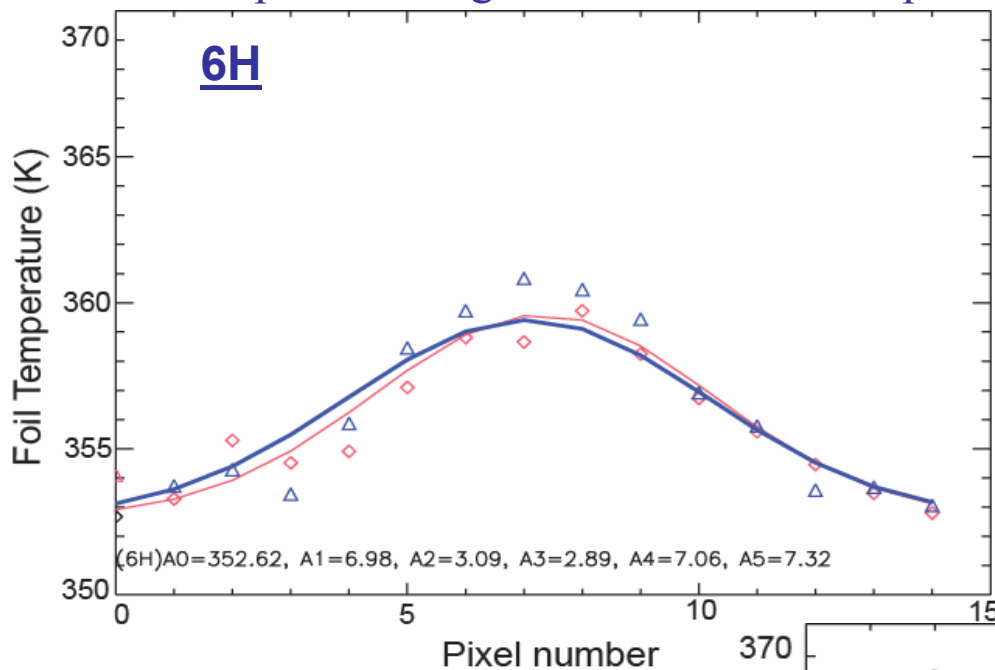
- ❖ Average steady state data over 200 frames
- ❖ The foil temperature is obtained by applying a and b as coefficient of Stefan-Boltzman to the IR camera data

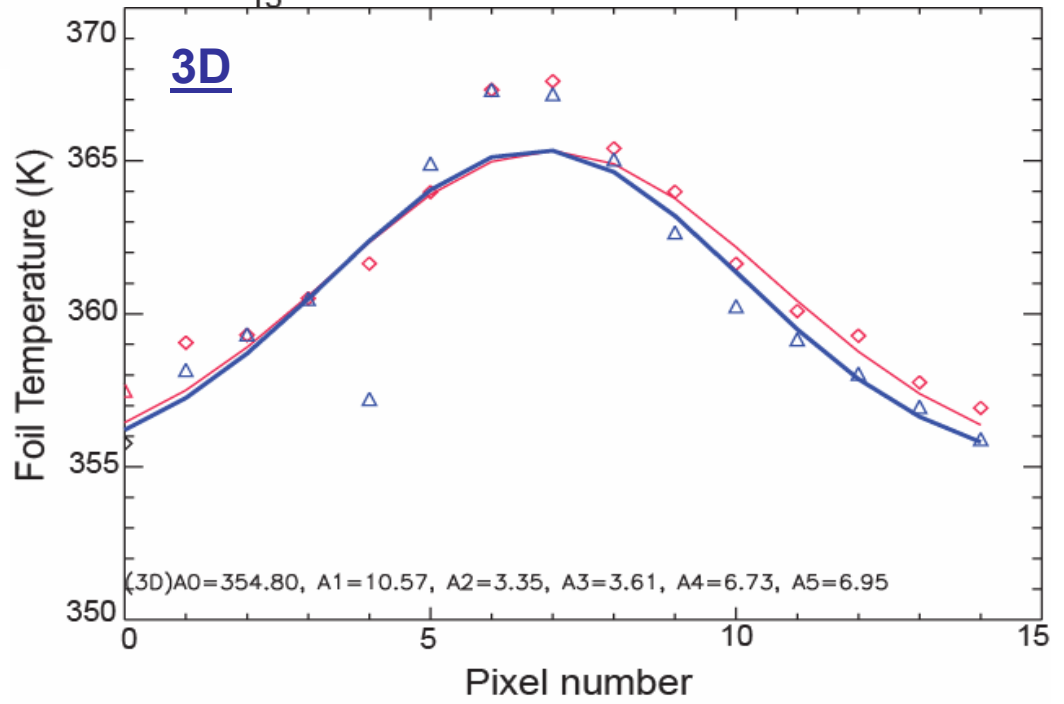
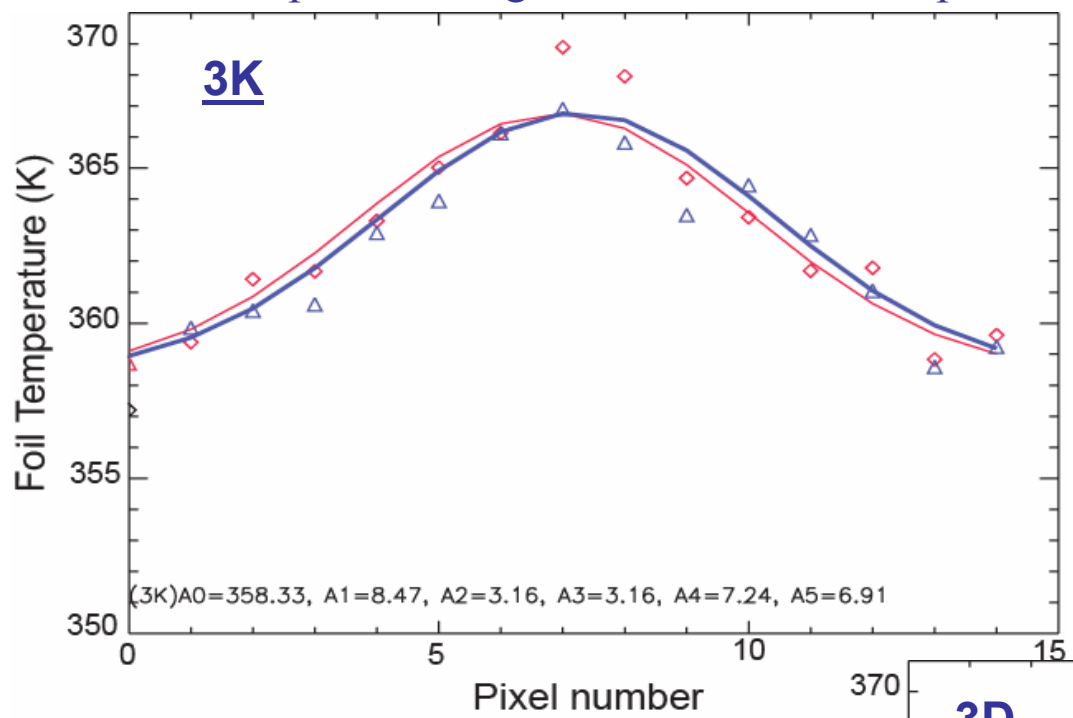
Thin line & diamonds symbol (y direction) and Thick line & triangle horizontal symbol (x direction) is found by using IDL program when the temperature profile of IR camera data fit with 2-D Gaussian

$A_0 = 355.888 \text{ K}$
 $A_1 = 8.75258 \text{ K}$
 $A_2 = 2.97735 \text{ pixels}$
 $A_3 = 3.46312 \text{ pixels}$
 $A_4 = 7.07093 \text{ pixels}$
 $A_5 = 7.67089 \text{ pixels}$

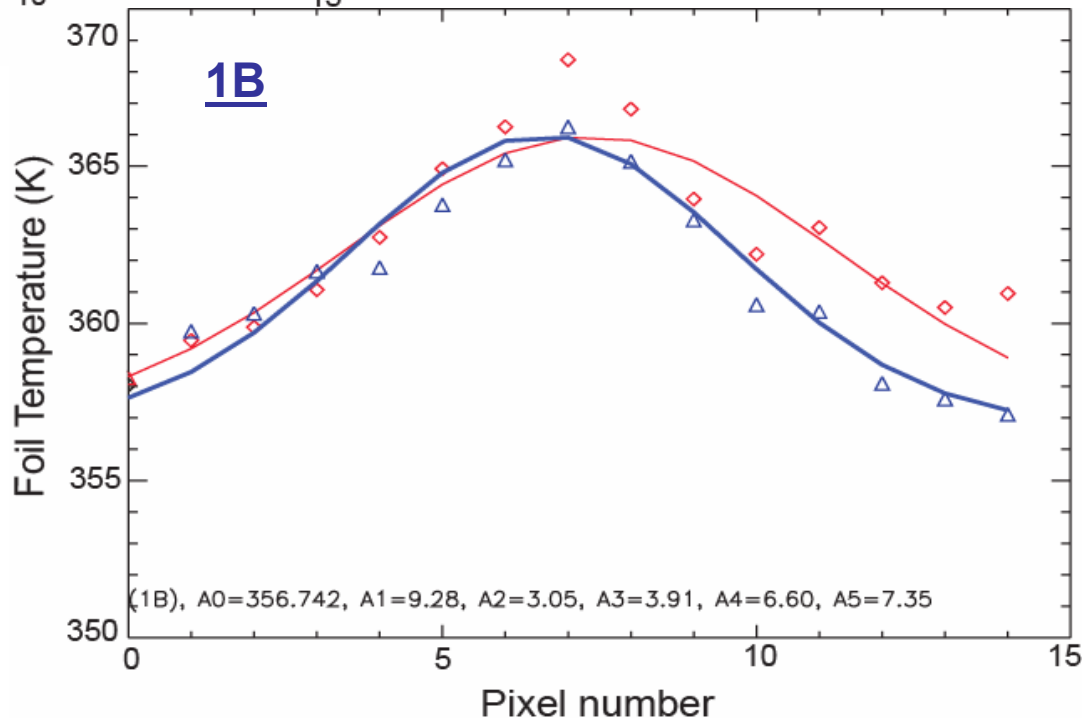
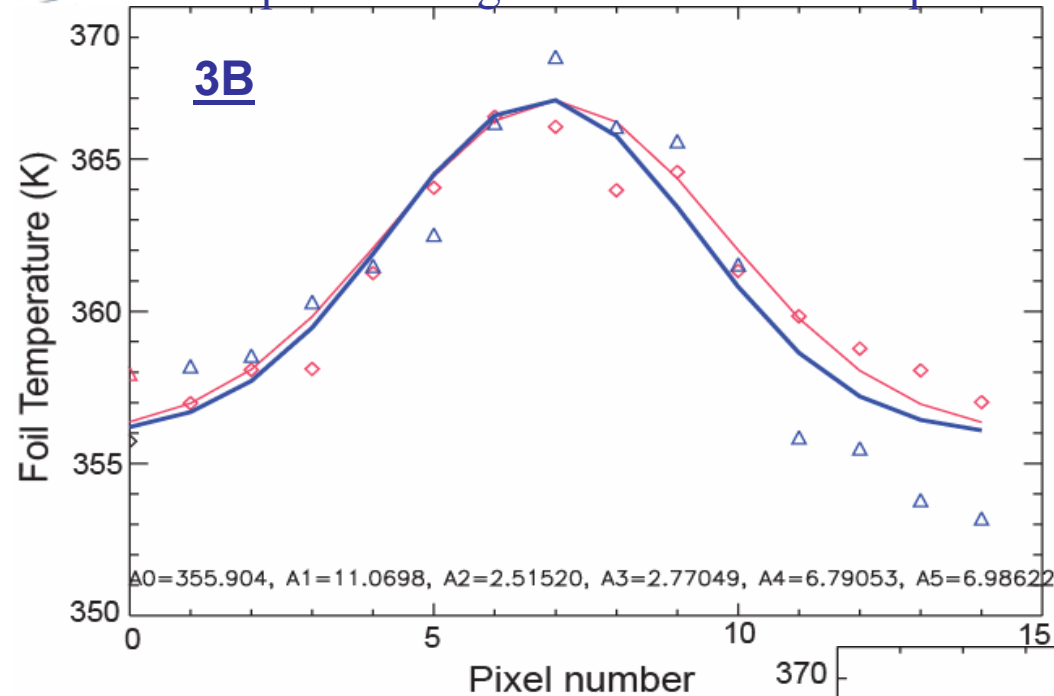
The calibration coefficient is found by fitting experimental data to 2-D Gaussian

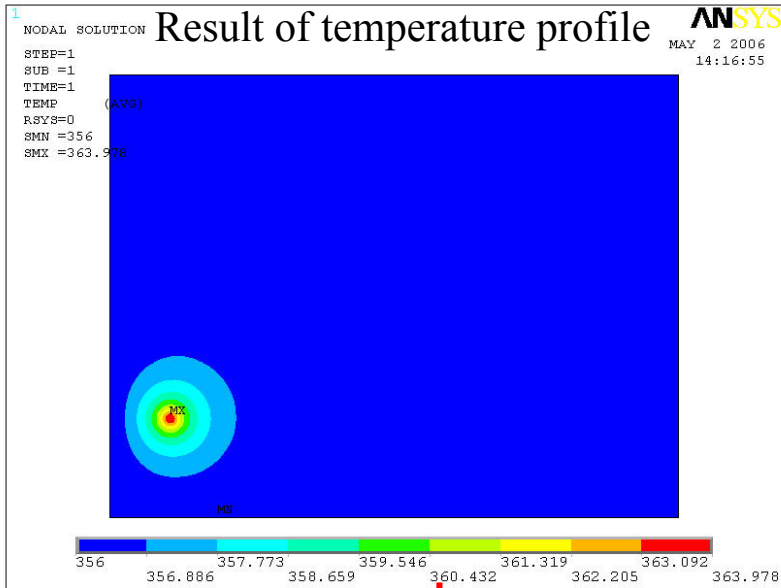




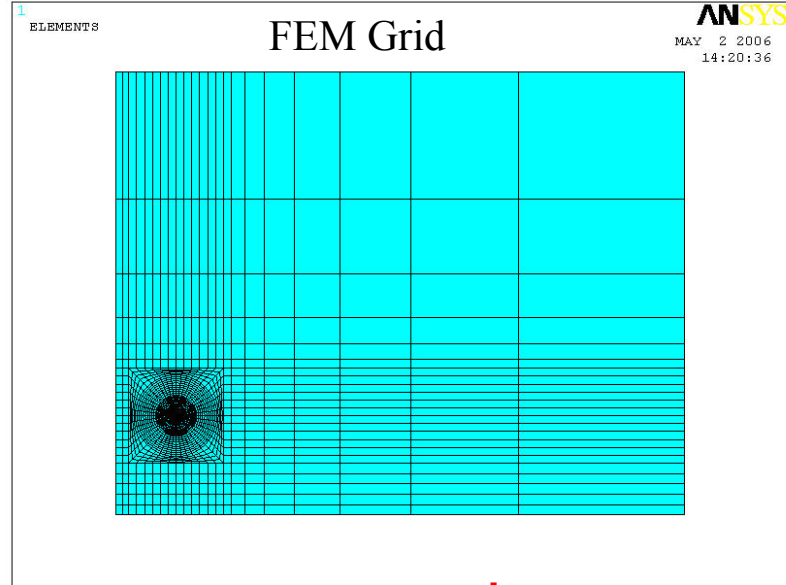
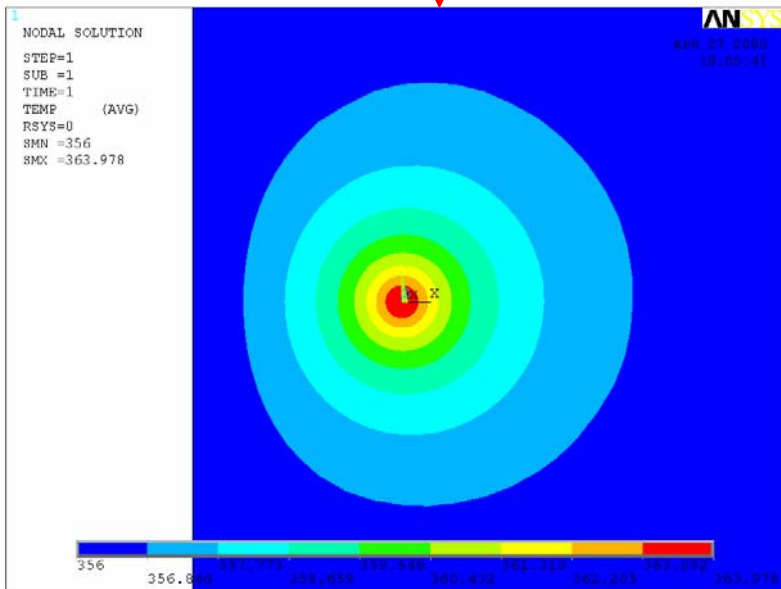


Some sample of fitting 2-D Gaussian to temperature profile due to local heating by laser

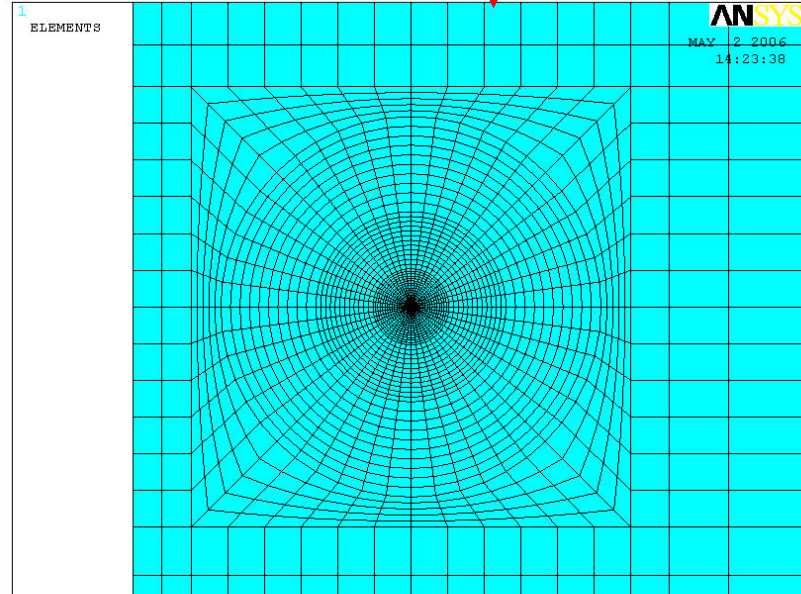




Focused on the beam area



Focused on the beam area



Calculate of thermal conductivity and foil thickness (kt_f)

Method: By comparing temperature profile from steady state laser having known (measured) profile with that of FEM we can determine local value of product of thermal conductivity and foil thickness

For steady state

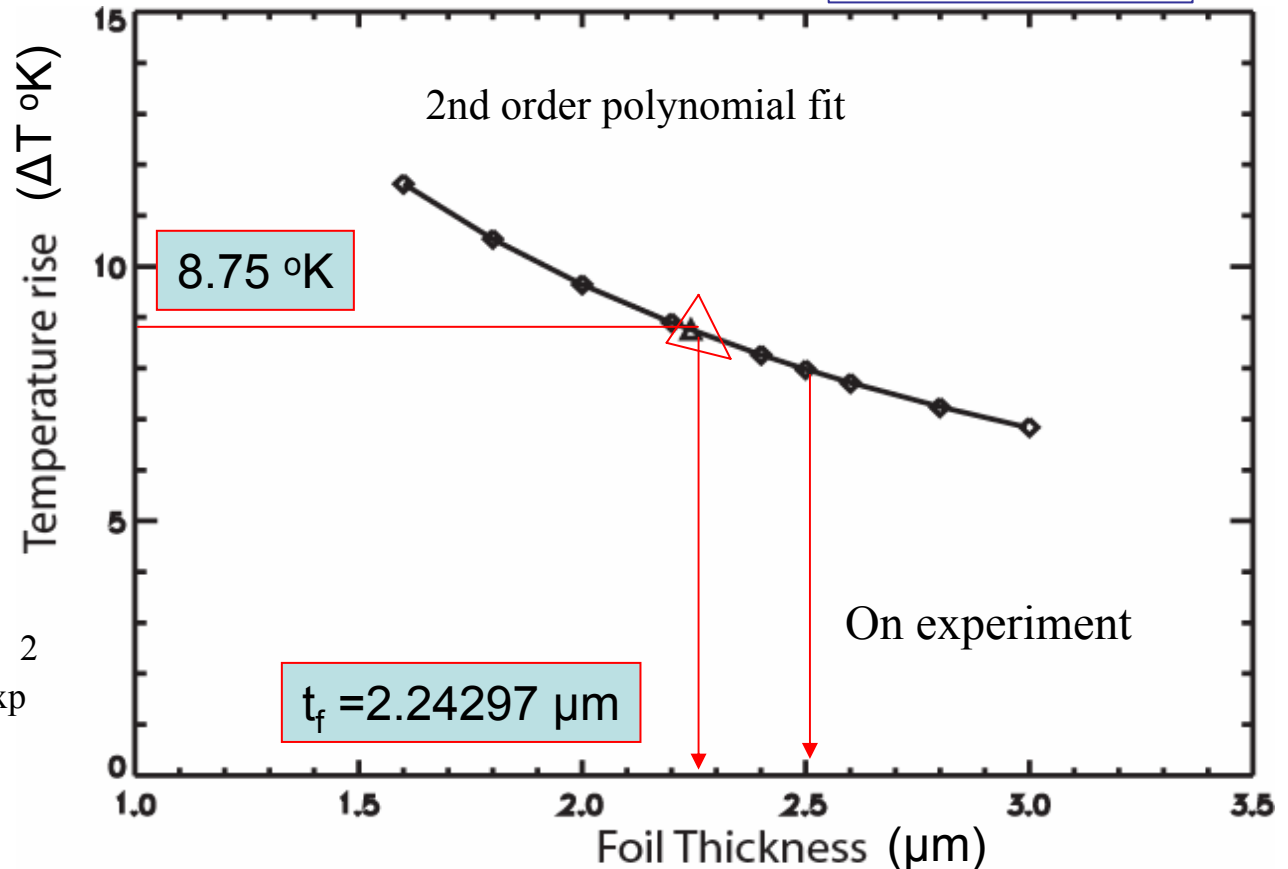
$$\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial y^2} = \frac{1}{k} \frac{\partial T}{\partial t} + \Omega_{bb} - \Omega_{rad}$$

$$\Omega_{bb} = \frac{\epsilon \sigma_{S-B} (T^4 - T_0^4)}{k \cdot t_f}$$

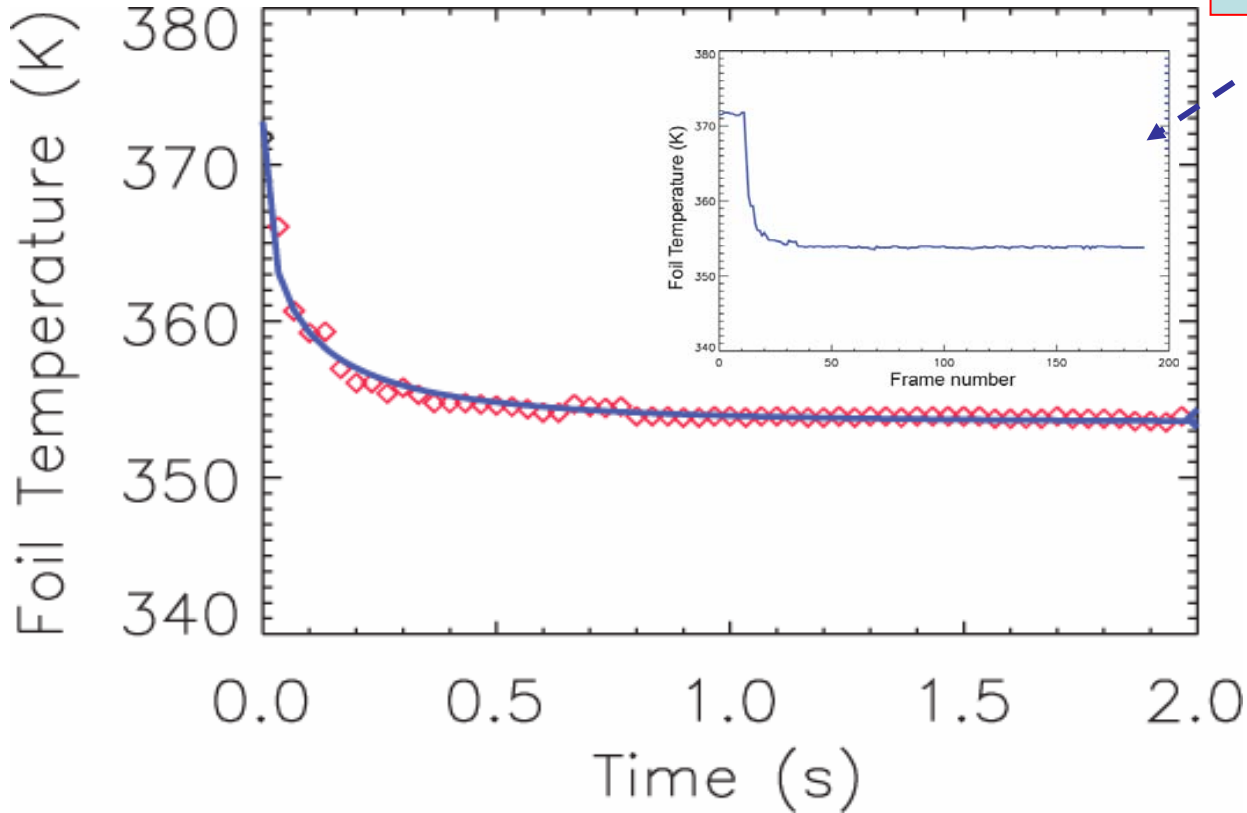
$$\Omega_{rad} = \frac{S_{laser}}{k \cdot t_f}$$

$$\frac{1}{t_f} = A_0 + A_1 \Delta T + A_2 \Delta T^2$$

$$\frac{1}{t_{f\text{exp}}} = A_0 + A_1 \Delta T_{\text{exp}} + A_2 \Delta T_{\text{exp}}^2$$



$$T = \Delta T \left(e^{-\sqrt{t}/\tau} \right) + T_0$$

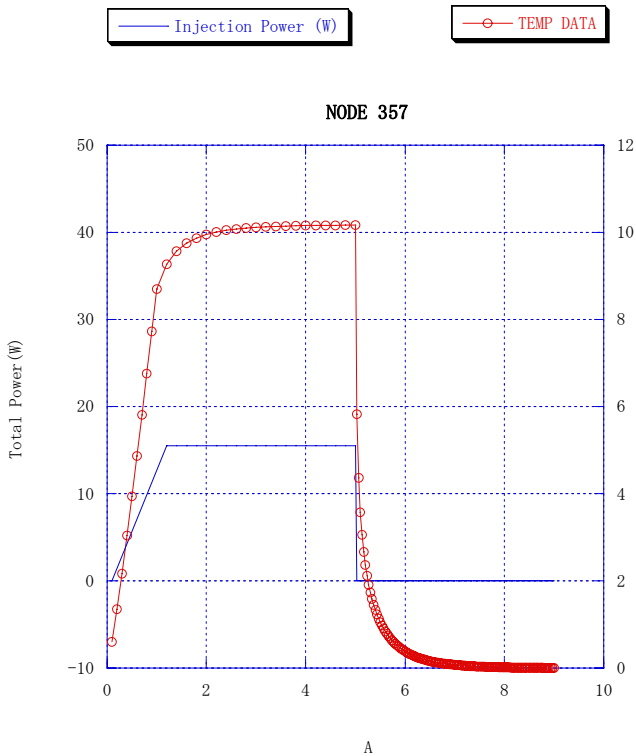


the IR thermal data are averaged to get the decay data over 200 time frames

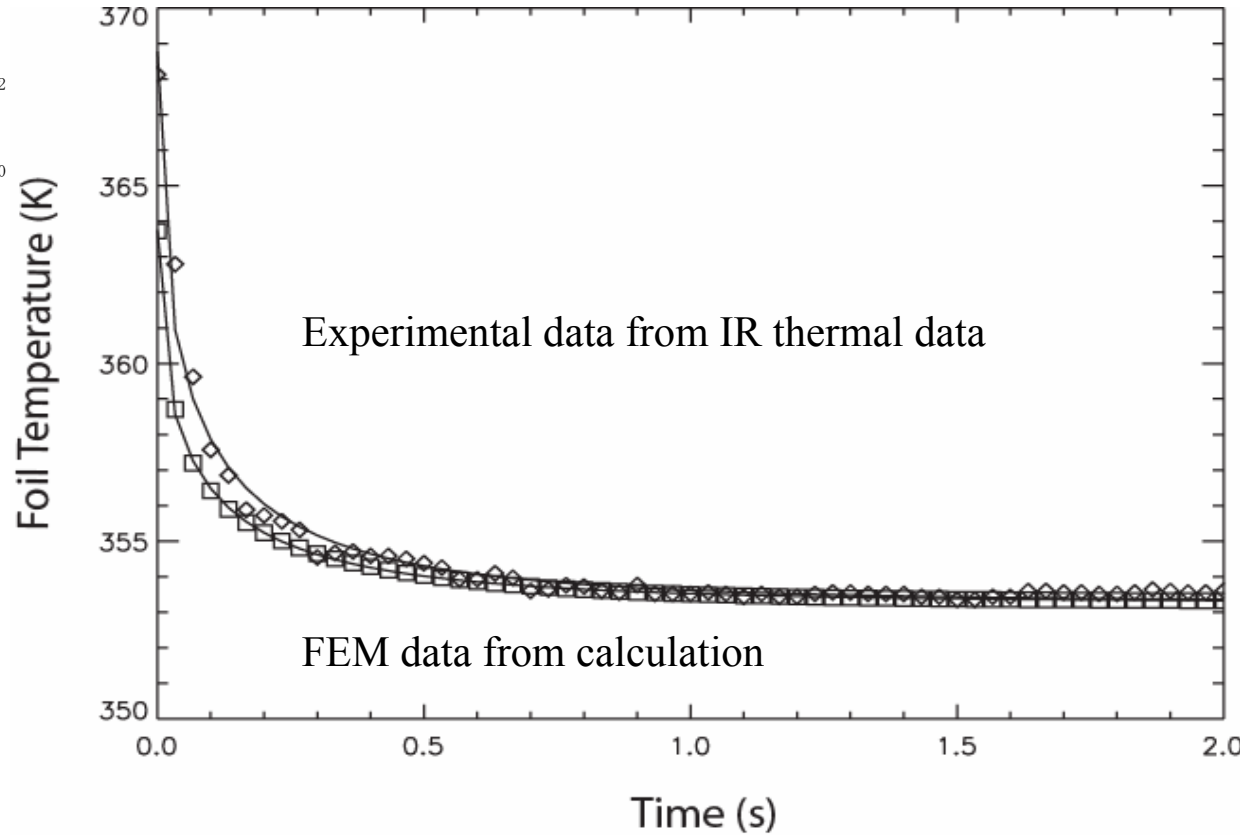
Example: 3D point
 $\Delta T = 6.5 \text{ }^\circ\text{K}$

$\tau = 0.38 \text{ S}$

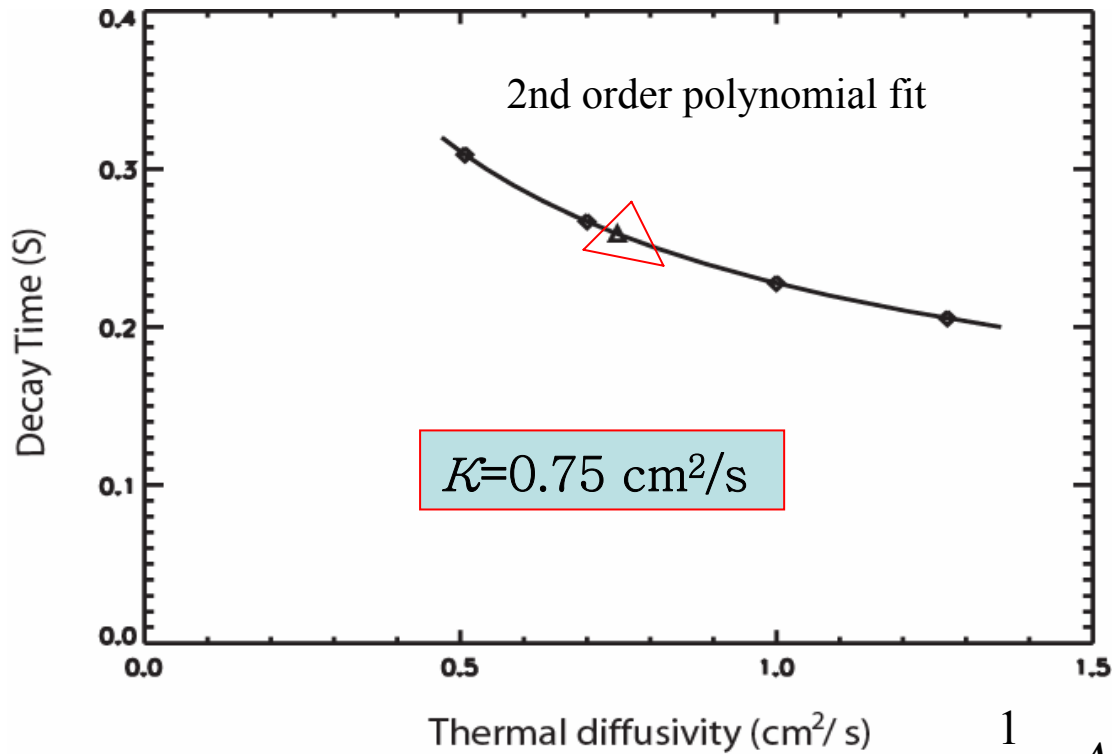
$T_0 = 353.5 \text{ }^\circ\text{K}$



Experimental data fit to FEM data



the experimental foil temperature data during the decay to the modified exponential equation, fitting the FEM calculation numerical data decay of the foil temperature



For decay time

$$\frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial y^2} = \frac{1}{\kappa} \frac{\partial T}{\partial t} + \Omega_{bb} - \Omega_{rad}$$

$$\Omega_{bb} = \frac{\varepsilon \sigma_{S-B} (T^4 - T_0^4)}{k \cdot th_f}$$

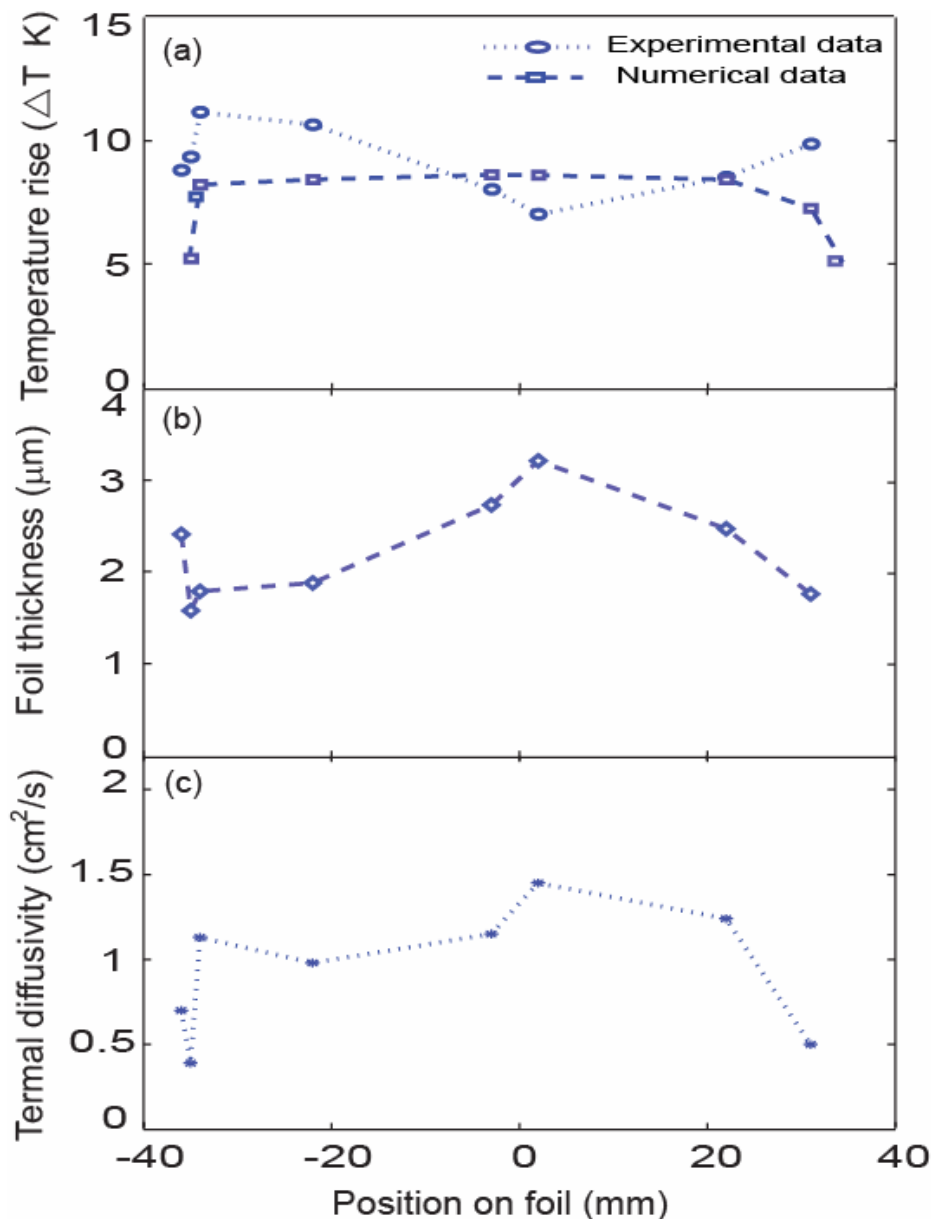
$$\frac{1}{\kappa} = A_0 + A_1 \Delta T + A_2 \Delta T^2$$

$$\frac{1}{\kappa_{exp}} = A_0 + A_1 \Delta T_{exp} + A_2 \Delta T_{exp}^2$$

Method: By comparing temperature decay time from chopped laser with that of FEM we can determine local value of thermal diffusivity

Table of the some parameters on different positions on the foil of the JT-60U imaging bolometer

Pixel	Position (Camera pixel)	Position (mm)	Laser power (mW)	ΔT ($^{\circ}\text{K}$)	t_f (μm)	\mathcal{K} (cm^2/s)
9B	(23,38)	(-36,-19)	15.42	8.8	2.4	0.7
1B	(26,118)	(-35,33)	15.5	9.3	1.6	0.39
3B	(25,97)	(-34,19)	15.7	11.07	1.8	1.13
3D	(37,88)	(-22,18)	15.9	10.6	1.9	0.98
6G	(73,65)	(-3,-2)	16.1	7.97	2.7	1.15
6H	(81,66)	(2,-1)	15.8	6.98	3.2	1.45
3K	(105,88)	(22,18)	15.8	8.5	2.5	1.24
1M	(131,114)	(31,30)	15.6	9.8	1.76	0.5



From steady state experimental data

By polynomial fit to FEM data and experimental steady state data for finding the thickness (t_f).

By polynomial fit to FEM data and experimental decay data for finding the thermal diffusivity (κ)

❖ Improvement since last campaign

- Enable triggering of IR image data acquisition
- Data acquisition upgraded from Firewire to digital data link (8-bit video data → 14-bit digital data)
- Magnetic shield 6mm → 20mm, Added 15mm lead shield for gammas, Polyethylene shield 30mm → 90mm for neutrons
- Detailed in-situ calibration with laser
- We obtain the local foil properties of the JT-60U imaging bolometer foil, by the calibrating of some part of the foil.
- Significant variation in the local temperature rise of the foil due to local heating by the laser beam indicates a possible spatial variation of the foil parameters κ , k and t_f

❖ Planned improvements

- Find the problem and a logical explanation for spatial variations of the calibration parameters.
- Improve detailed in-situ calibration by using new IR camera and close up lens in calibration laboratory (low noise).