

Ruggi's Global Inverted Pendulum Control

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outline

A quick report on GIPC, the Global Inverted Pendulum Control, developed at Virgo in the past years by P. Ruggi et Al.

□ In terms of operation configurations, GIPC is the last strategy implemented, as the stable operation of the whole interferometer is achieved.

□ The work to set again GIPC operation in Advanced Virgo are going on.



Monolithic suspensions: overall system

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The last filter of the Super attenuator, prolonged downwards, is in the same vacuum environment of the payload and surrounds it: the "actuation cage". In AdV the first 5 stages (hor and ver) of the Super-Attenuator are the same as in initial Virgo.





Overall Suspension Attenuator: Virgo → AdV

Top-stage floating body: 4D (3H+Vertical), **position ctrl** VS ground (or gbl) and **damping** (acceleration).

Bottom ring: 3D (tilts+Vertical), position ctrl VS ground actuated from ground

SA last stage: 6D, position damping VS ground

Payload:

6D, position ctrl VS ground (or gbl) actuated from SA last stage

No tilt sensor (so far)





SuperAttenuator: Inertial Damping ON/OFF





Scheme Last filter + Payload :Virgo → AdV





Payload angular accuracy VS ID





Sensor blending and Low Pass shaping





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Is it possible (and meaningful) to further increase the blending blending frequency ?



standalone control of IP with such high crossover would be meaningless !

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HPLP(fx50) = Sensor blending ~50 mHz



HPLP(fx90) = Sensor blending ~90 mHz Pics from the past: potentially with AdV we can do even better

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µSeism evasion strategy: an example

INPUT mirror suspensions used as drift controlled reference



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µseism: rejection VSR1start-VSR1stop



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Conclusions

Global Inverted pendulum control is a way to evade indirect microseism contamination due to the sensors (both Pos and Acc) used in top stage SuperAttenuator control.

The blending at the ETM should be at higher frequency with respect to the standalone \rightarrow no accelerometer "wind noise" contamination there

In absence of Tiltmeter, "wind noise" remains, but it is quite reduced, in case of HQ the lock is more robust.

The scheme was used intensively in Virgo.

AdV news:

- Better payloads (pitch/roll very LF, even below 50 mHz, reduced the impact of microseism on residual tilt.)
- Higher frequency Pos/Acc-blending for ETM SuperAttenuators (up to 180 mHz !!) tested.
- Common mode reallocation at ITM top-stages, just tested: the advantage of full diagonalization isn't clear yet.
- In case of background noise with different properties along the two arms, the blending at the ITMs can be specified using an optimized strategy that exploits direct measurement of seismic noise (P. Ruggi, L. Trozzo).