

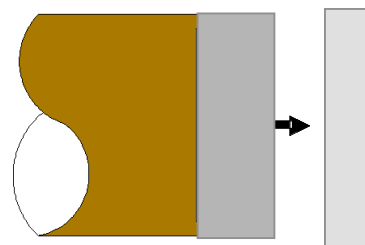
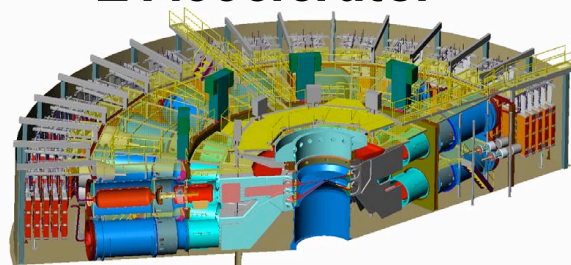
# PDV measurements of structured wave profiles at modest velocities ( $< 1\text{km/s}$ )

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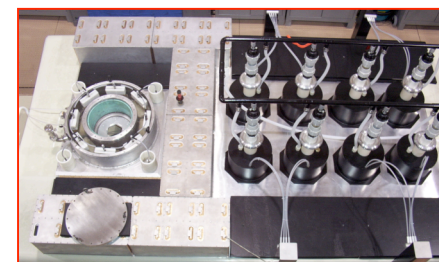
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**Z Accelerator**



**Gas Gun**

**Veloce**



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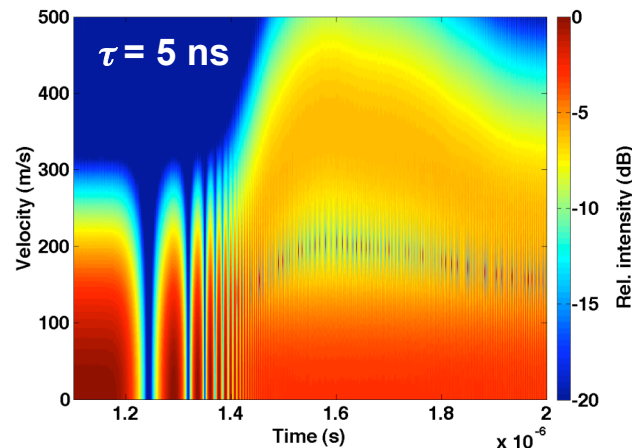
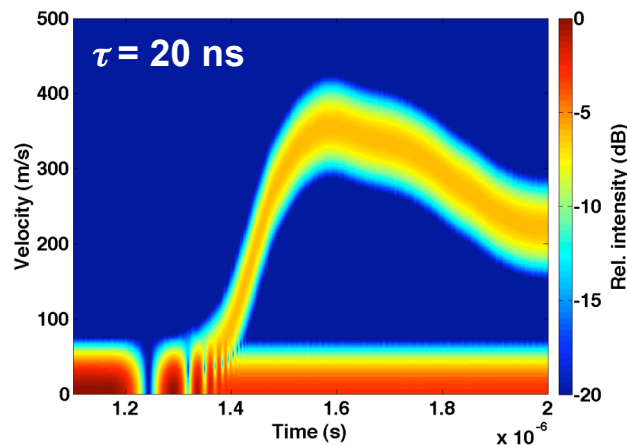
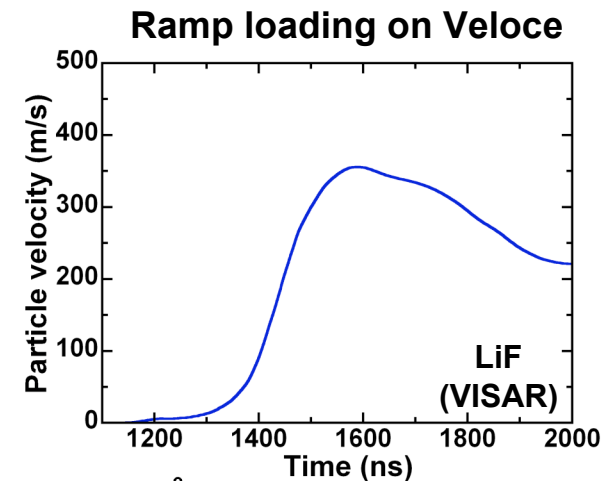
# Purpose of Work

## ■ Background

- PDV beat frequency:  $f = \frac{2v}{\lambda_0}$  ; uncertainty principle:  $(\delta v)(\tau) \geq \frac{\lambda_0}{8\pi}$ ,  $\tau = \frac{\lambda_0}{8\pi\delta v}$

## ■ Motivation

- Achieve both optimal velocity & time precision
- Where does this matter?
  - $v = 100$  m/s,  $\delta v \leq 10$  m/s,  $\tau = 6$  ns,  $f = 0.13$  GHz
- “Modest” velocity (<1km/s) transients
  - Structured waves (ramps and multiple shocks)
  - Elastic precursors, phase transitions



**STFT  
analysis**



# PDV Analyses

- **Detector measures output intensity**

$$D(t) = aI_R + bI_T(t) + 2\sqrt{I_R I_C(t)} \cos \left[ \Phi(t_i) + 4\pi \frac{x(t) - x(t_i)}{\lambda_0} \right]$$

- **Short-time Fourier Transform (STFT)**

- Finite time window
- Velocity from Gaussian fitting of power spectrum

- **Three-phase analysis (THRIVE)**

- Three signals shifted by 120°
- Displacement from quadrature reduction (similar to VISAR analysis)
- Velocity from differentiation of displacement

- **Local sinusoid**

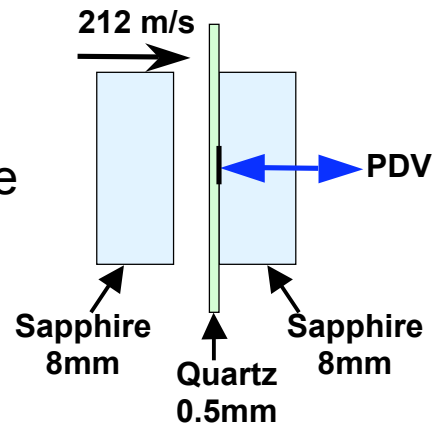
- Similar to STFT, less robust to transients



# Experimental Configuration

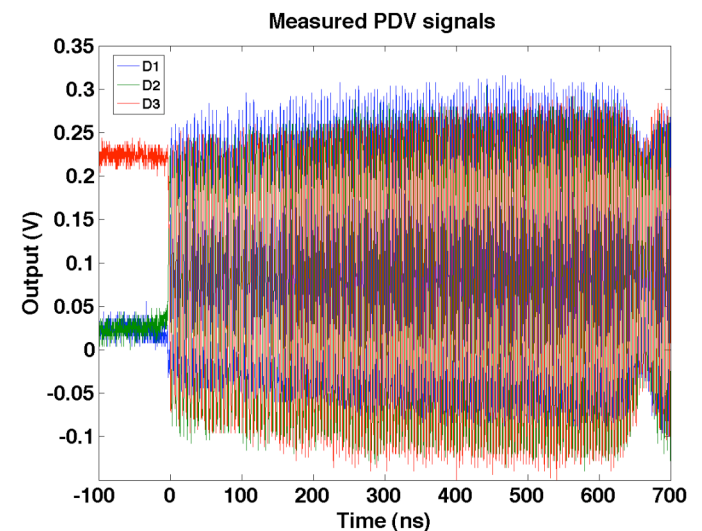
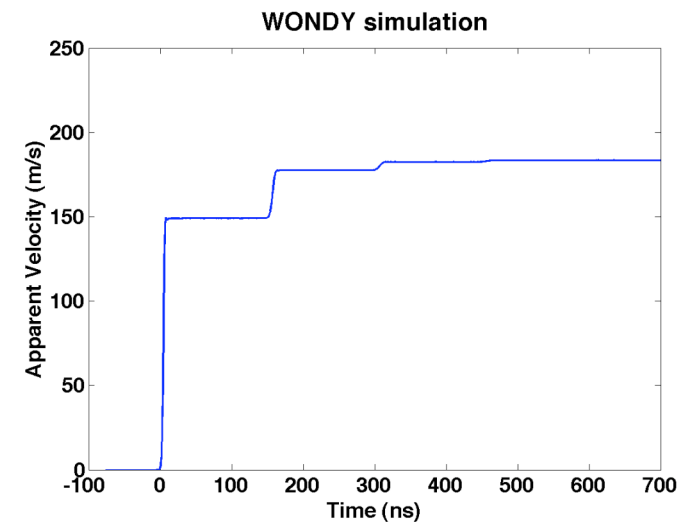
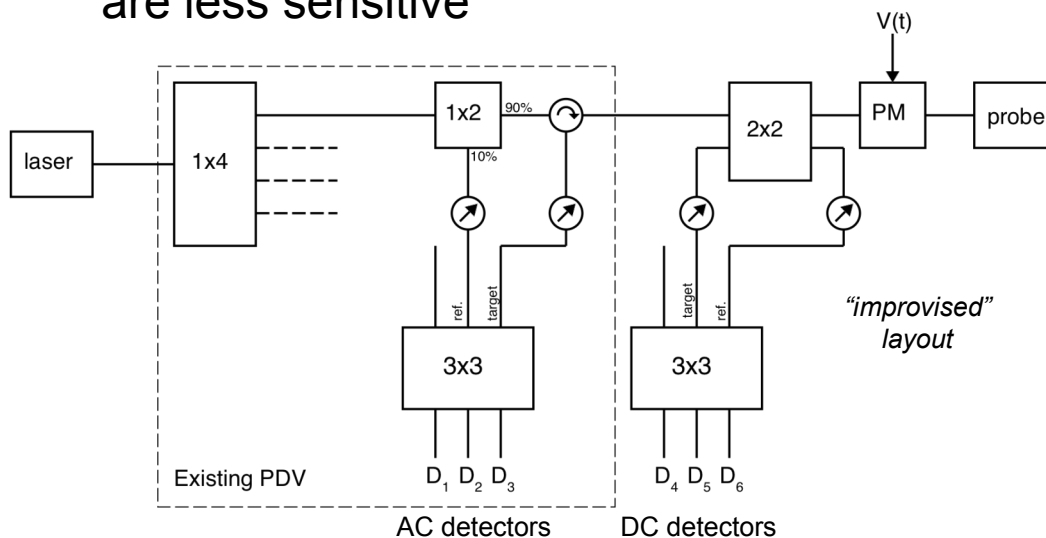
## ■ Gas gun

- Ring-up to shock state



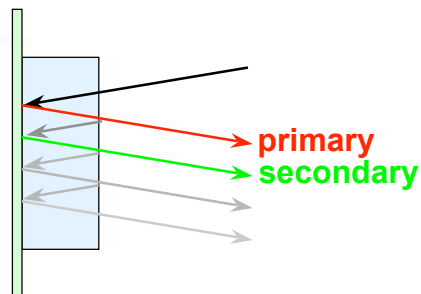
## ■ Three-phase PDV measurement

- Focusing probe ( $f = 12$  mm)
- DC detectors cleaner than AC detectors but are less sensitive



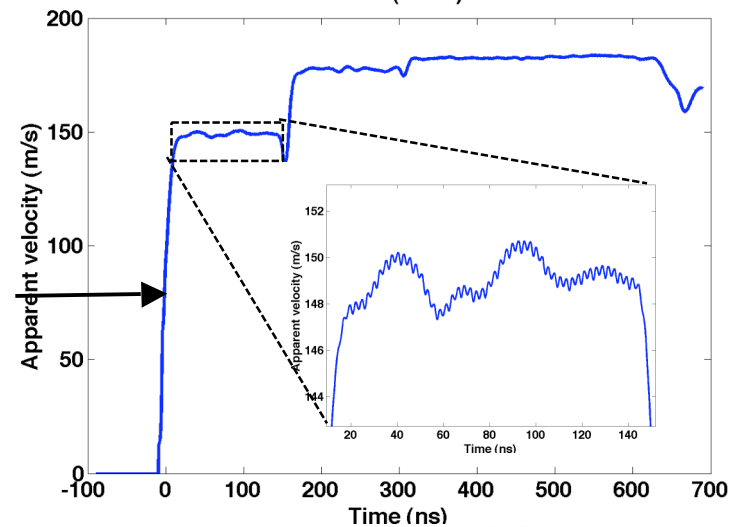
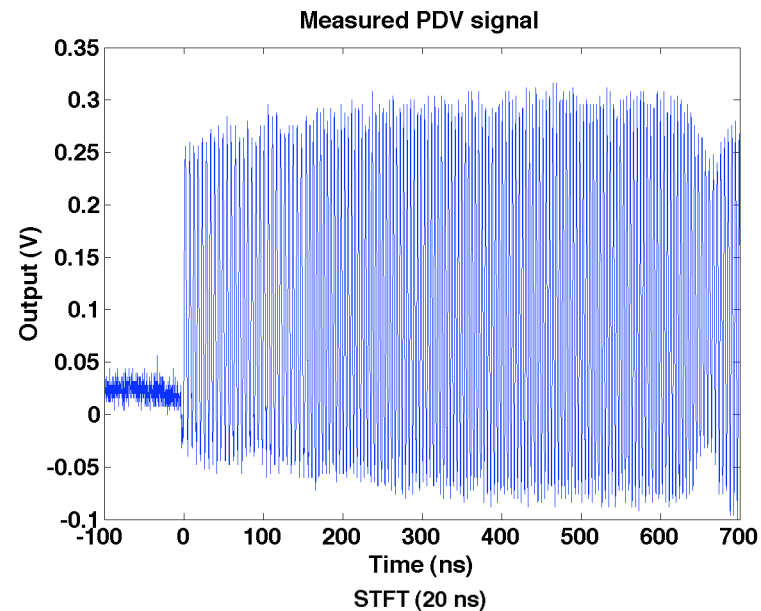
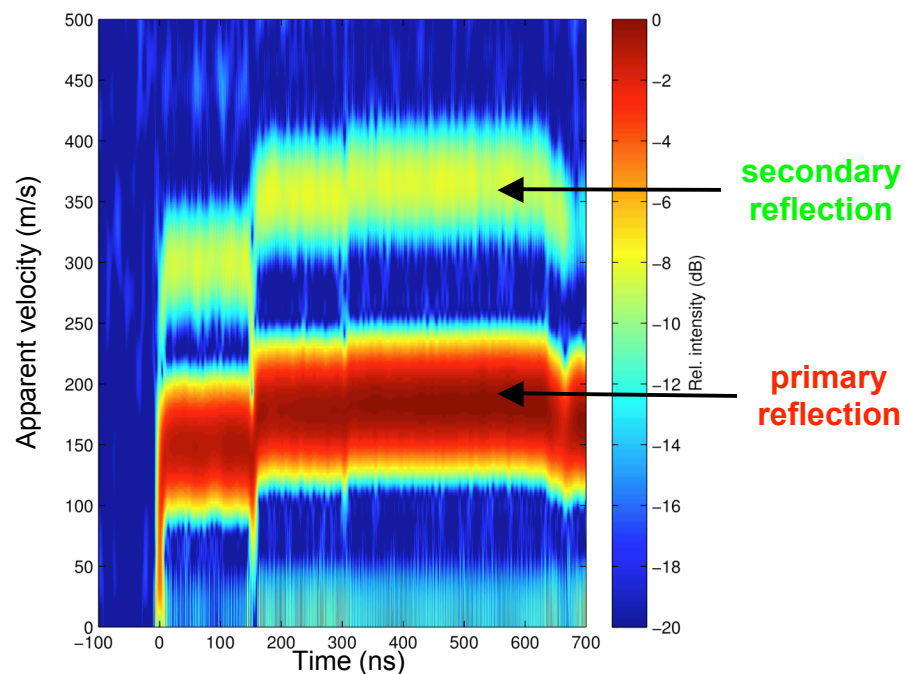


# PDV01 – STFT Analysis



## ■ STFT power spectrum

- 20 ns Hamming window
- Gaussian fitting of peaks

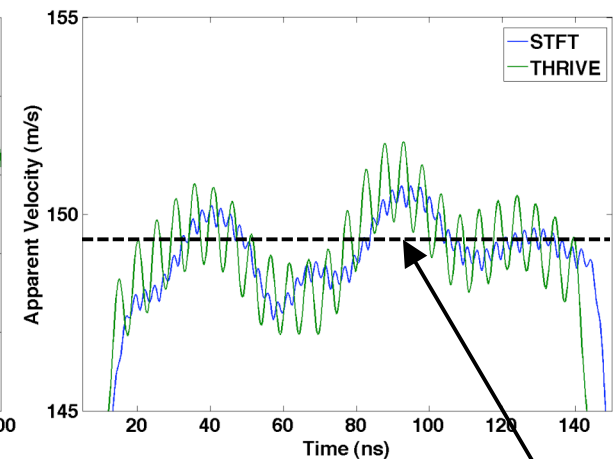
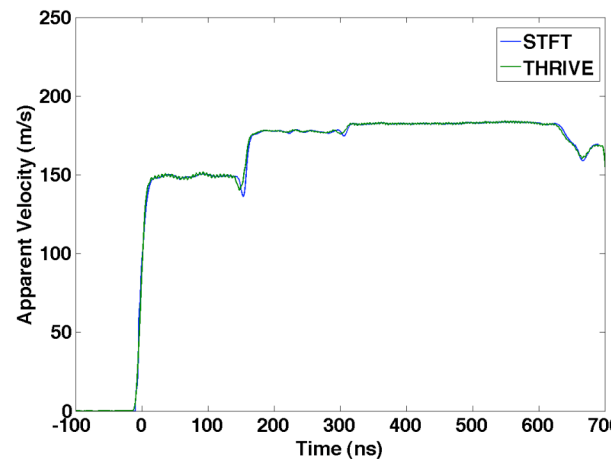




# PDV01 – THRIVE Analysis

## ■ $\tau = 20$ ns

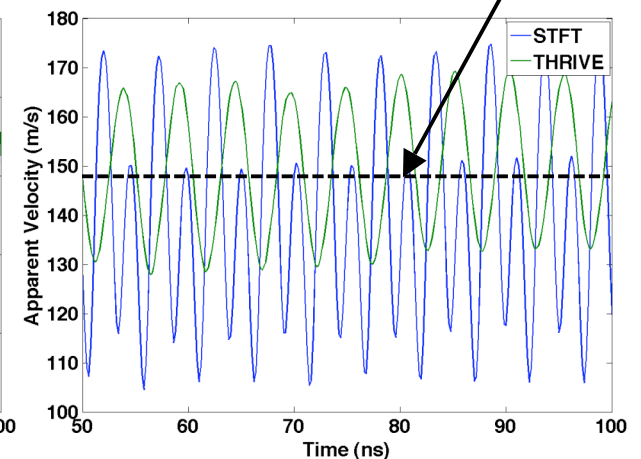
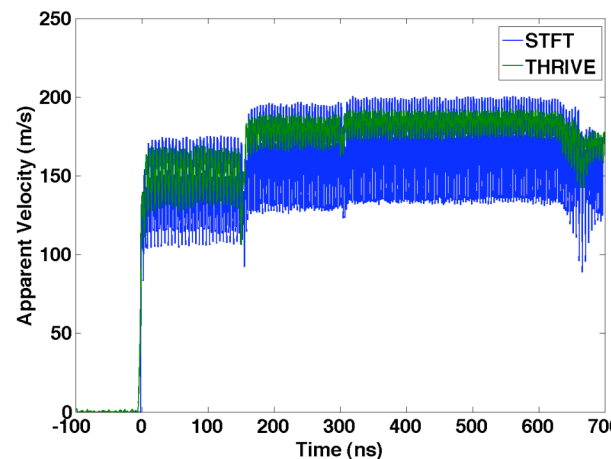
- THRIVE & STFT agree with WONDY prediction
- Smaller oscillations with STFT



WONDY

## ■ $\tau = 5$ ns

- Deviation between THRIVE & STFT
- STFT's average velocity biased systematically lower than WONDY
- Smaller oscillations with THRIVE





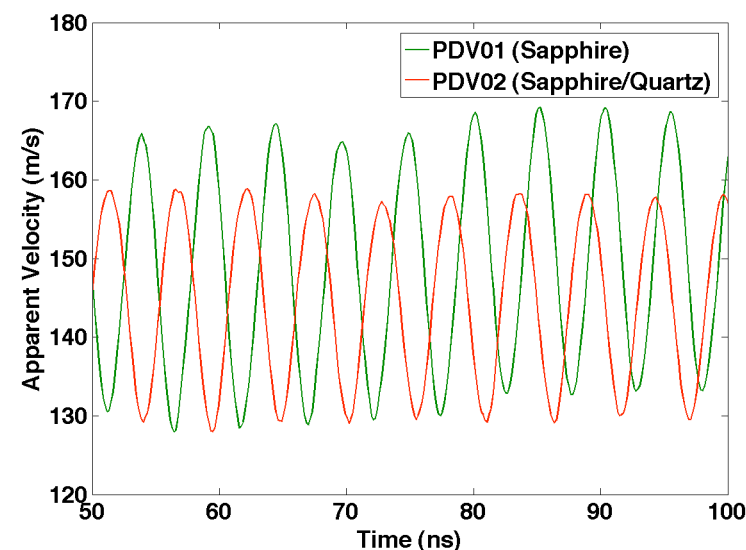
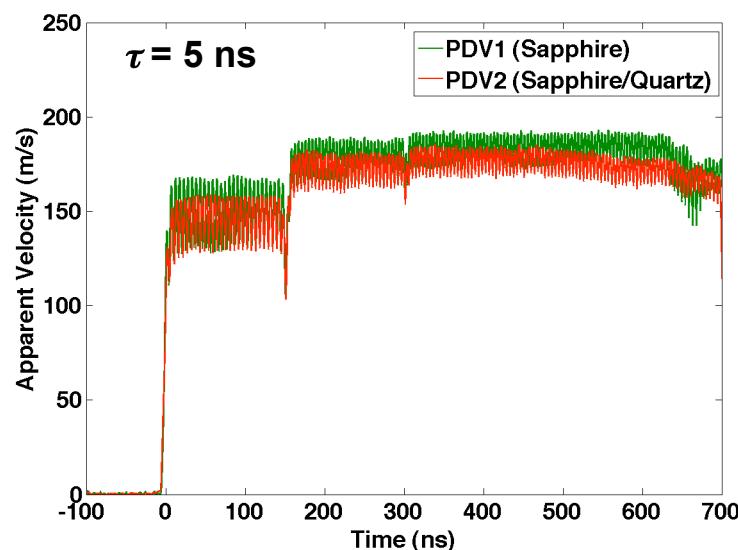
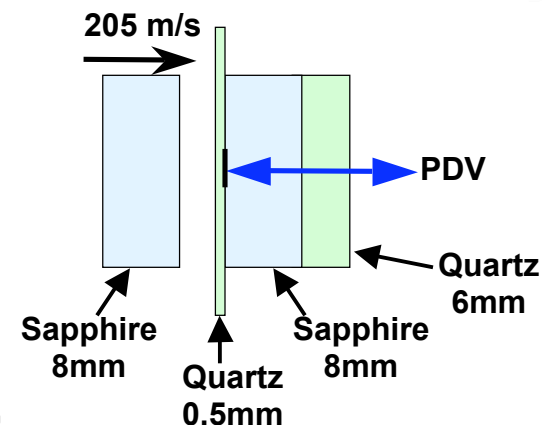


# PDV02

## ■ Attempt to reduce secondary reflection

- Focusing probe insufficient
- Add Quartz window to diminish multiple window transit effect

$$D(t) \propto \sqrt{I_R I_{C1}(t)} \cos \Phi_1 + \sqrt{I_R I_{C2}(t)} \cos \Phi_2$$



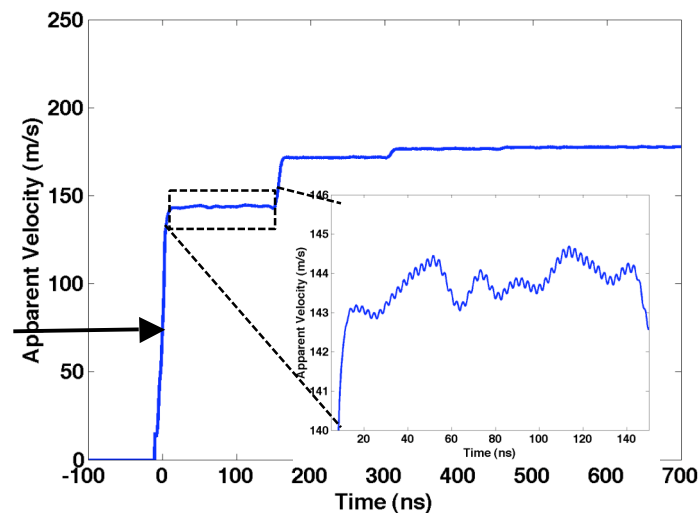
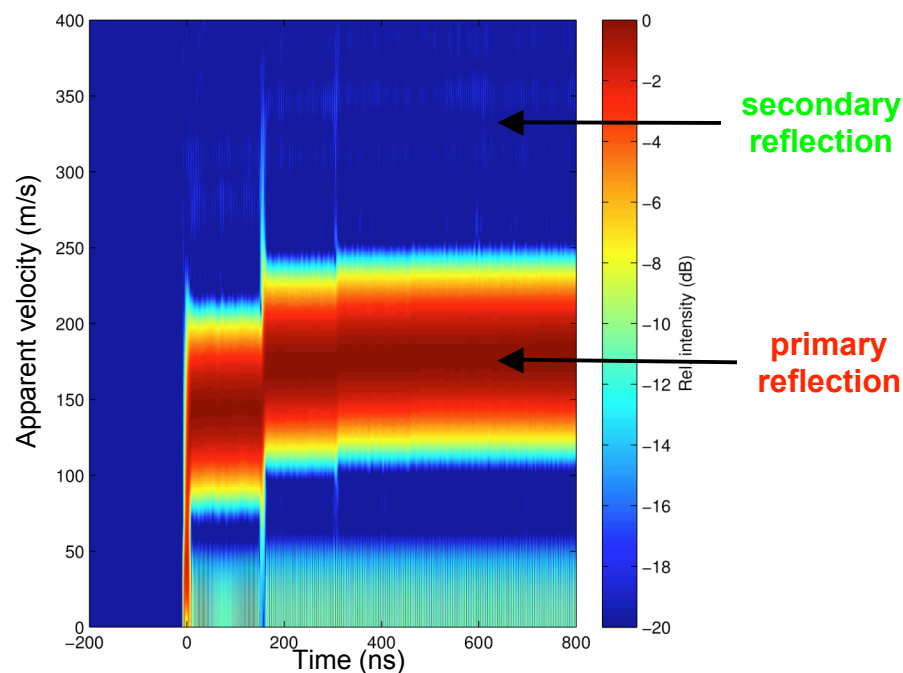
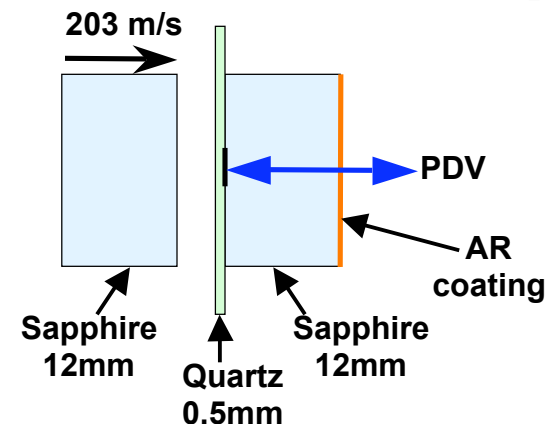
## ■ Oscillations smaller than with only Sapphire window but remains

- Need anti-reflective coating at free surface



# PDV03 – STFT Analysis

- **Anti-reflective coating**
  - $< 0.05\%$  at 1550 nm
- **STFT power spectrum**
  - 20 ns Hamming window
  - Gaussian fitting of peaks



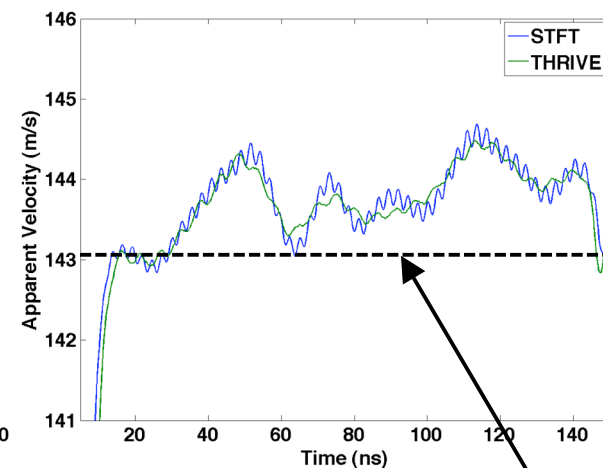
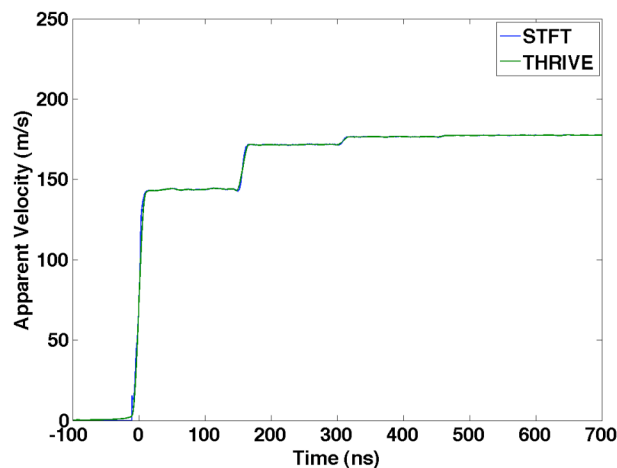




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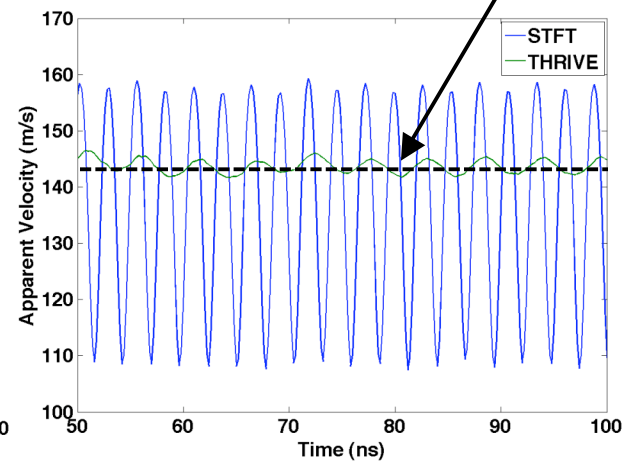
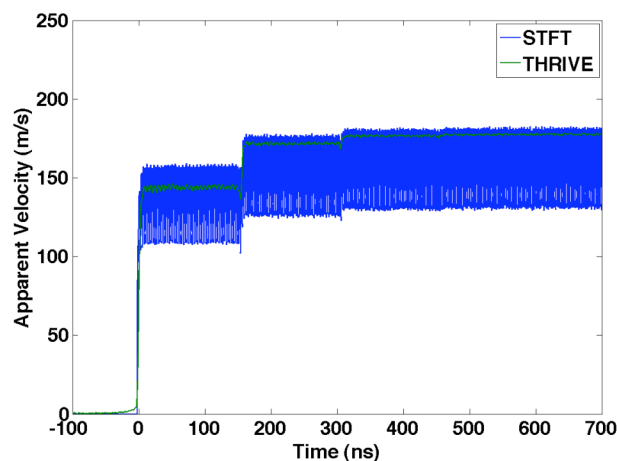
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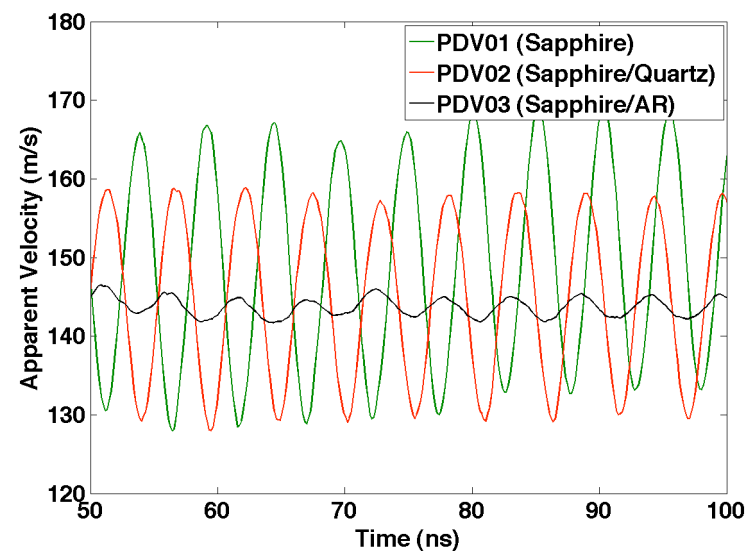
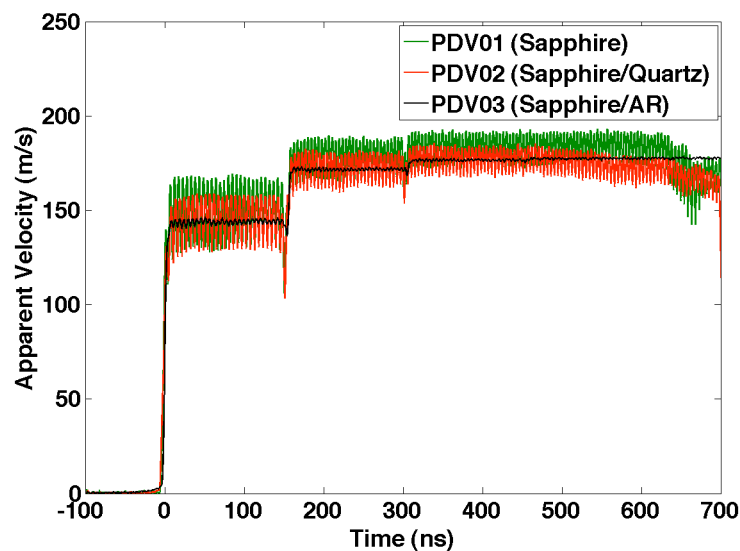
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# Mitigation of secondary reflection

- **Anti-reflective coating with THRIVE analysis**
  - Velocity oscillations of  $\delta v/v = 1\%$  ( $1\sigma$ ) and  $\tau = 5$  ns
  - Comparable to velocity and time precision of VISAR

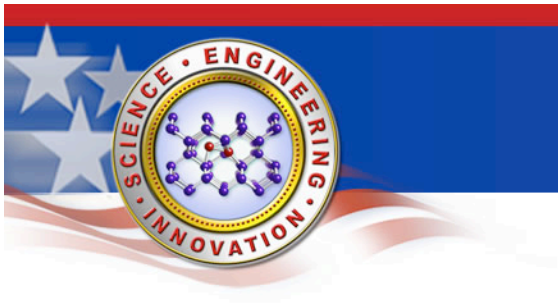




# Summary

- **Transient wave profiles at modest velocities**
  - Require optimization of both velocity and time precision
- **Short time Fourier Transform analysis (STFT)**
  - Robust and “simple”
  - Reliable over many fringes but suspect for small number of fringes
- **Three-phase analysis (THRIVE)**
  - More complicated (3 detectors/probe), more characterizations
  - Better for rapid transients
  - Consistent with STFT over many fringes
- **Must mitigate secondary reflection of window free surface**
  - Anti-reflective coating  $< 0.05\%$
  - Wedged window

# Extra Slides





# PDV01 – Displacement Analysis

## ■ Examine displacement profile

- Sinusoid riding on linear ramp

$$x(t) = x(t_i) + vt + A \cos\left(\frac{4\pi}{\lambda_0} vt\right) + B \sin\left(\frac{4\pi}{\lambda_0} vt\right)$$

- Iteratively solve for velocity
  - Use time window covering at least one wavelength of sinusoid ( $\tau = 6$  ns)

