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Chalk Talk - Goals

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21 Cm Goal: Measure Dark Energy expansion using BAO as a standard ruler

Achieve a DETF FOM of 250 ( $\sim 4 \times$  DES) for an instrument cost of  $\sim 20M\$$

Technique: use Intensity mapping of Hydrogen hyperfine transition of 1.42 GHz.

Goals:

- Redshift range 0.5  $\rightarrow$  2.0
- Angular resolution 15 arc-min
- Survey Area  $> 2.5 \pi$  steradians
- $\sim 25,000$  square deg.
- $\sim 2 \times 10^9$  3-D pixels (100kHz res BW)

Sensitivity / Pixel 100  $\mu$ K



Survey Time

2 yrs  
50% Duty factor

$\rightarrow$  killer !!



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Telescope resolution

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$$\Delta\theta = \frac{\lambda}{L}$$

for  $\Delta\theta = 15 \text{ arc-min}$

$$\lambda = .4 \text{ m (750 MHz)}$$

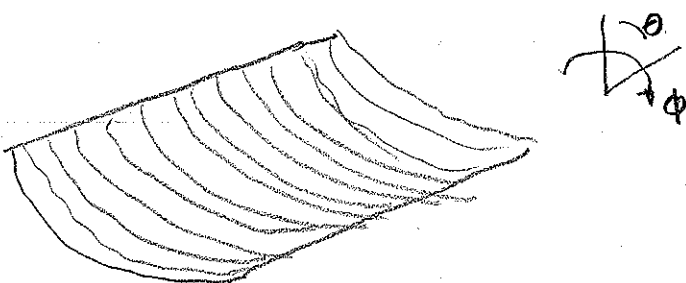
$$L \approx 100 \text{ m}$$

Consider a 100m x 100m antenna  
with one receiver (GBT)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Signal} &= S \cdot A = S \cdot L^2 \\ \text{Noise} &= k T_r \end{aligned}$$

Takes forever to scan

Now consider slicing telescope into  $N$  sections  
each with a receiver



Each receiver has an Area

$$A_r = L \cdot \frac{L}{N_r}$$

Each receiver has a beam width

$$\Delta\phi = \frac{\lambda}{L} \quad \Delta\theta = \frac{N\lambda}{L} \leftarrow \text{bigger}$$



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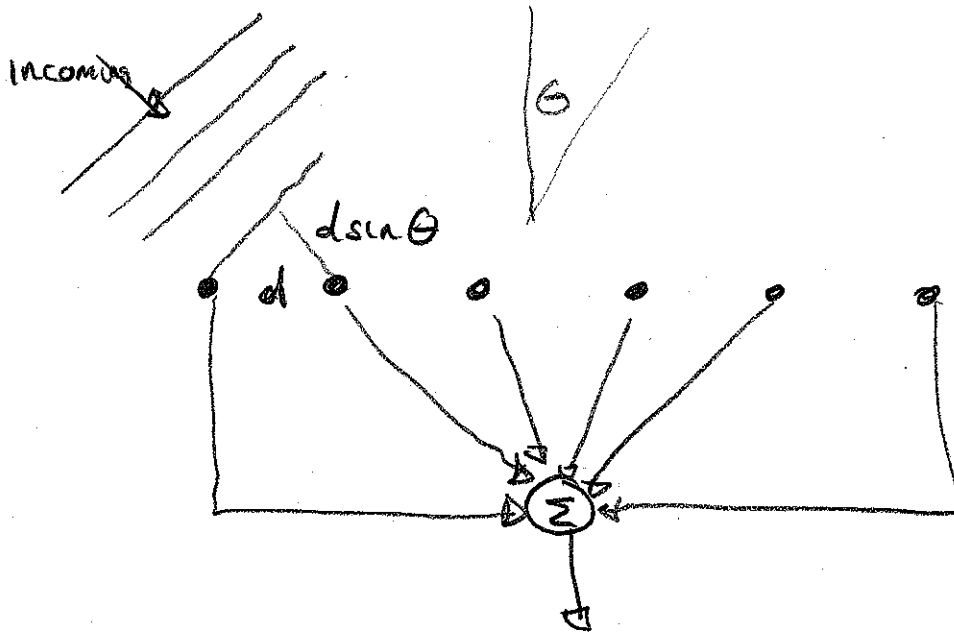
Chalk Talk - Phased Array

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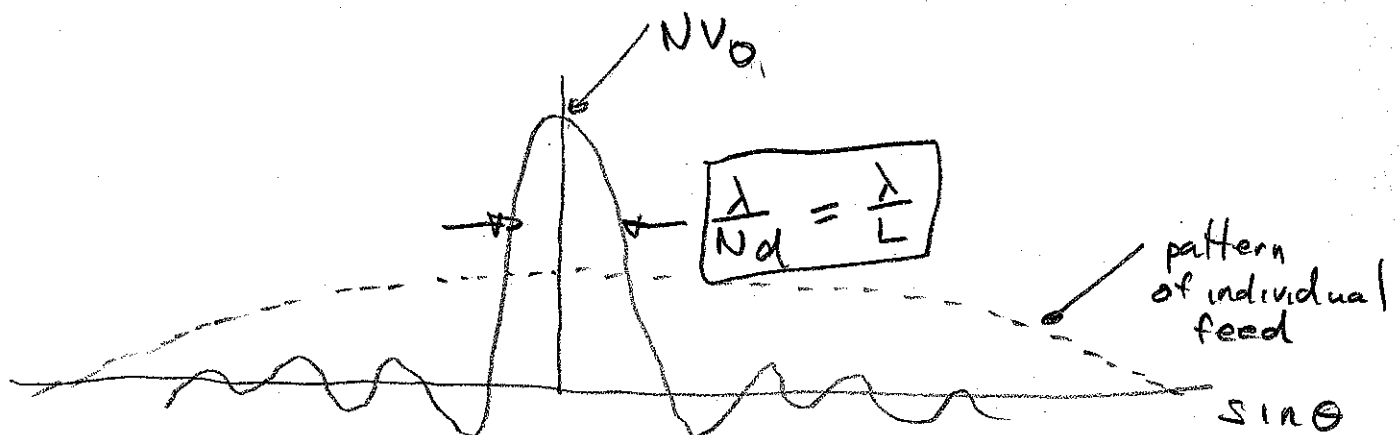
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Add receivers Together in phase.



phase shift between feeds =  $2\pi d \sin \theta / \lambda$

$$V(\theta) = \sum_n V_a e^{-jn2\pi d \sin \theta / \lambda}$$



$$\Delta \theta_{\text{Array}} = \frac{\lambda}{Nd_f} = \frac{\lambda}{L}$$



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Chalk Talk - Phased Array S/N

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$$\text{Signal Array} = N_r^2 S \cdot L \cdot \frac{L}{N_r}$$

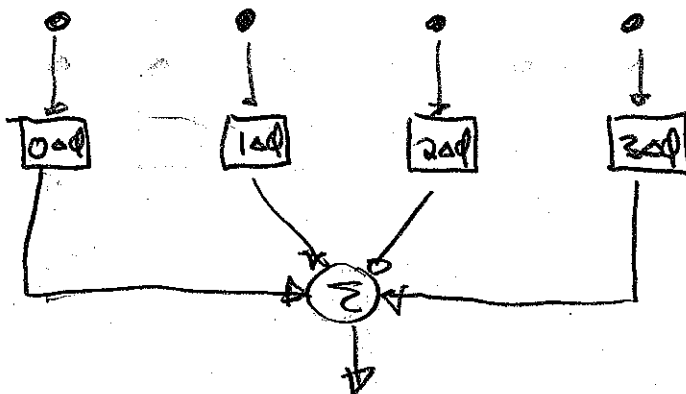
↑  
voltage adds  
in phase

$$\text{Noise Array} = N_r k T_r$$

↑  
noise is uncorrelated

$$\frac{\text{Signal}}{\text{Noise array}} = \frac{S \cdot L \cdot L}{k T_r} = \text{same as GBT}$$

What about adding an extra phase shift (or delay) between receivers





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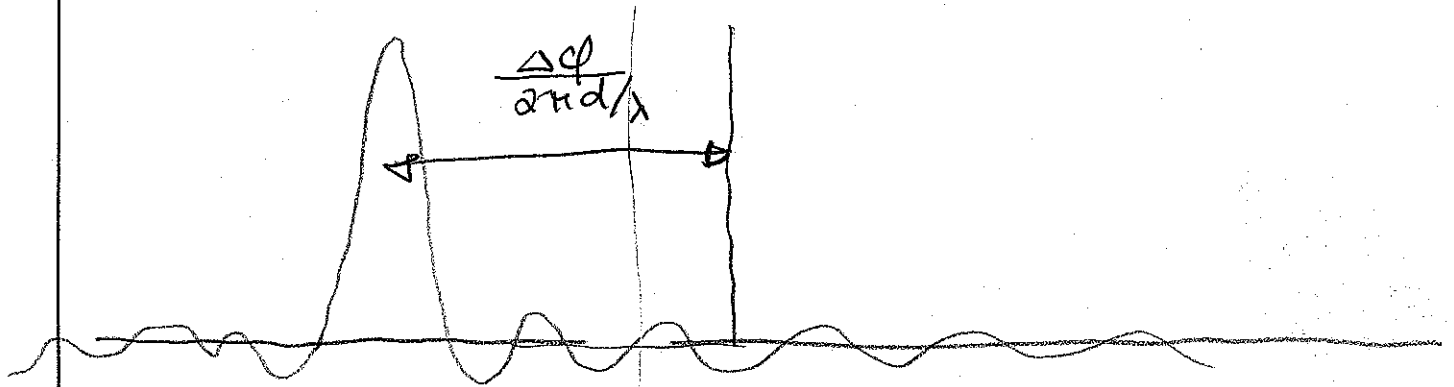
Chalk Talk - Multiple Beams

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$$V_A(\theta, \varphi) = \sum_n v_0 e^{-jn2\pi \frac{d}{\lambda} \sin\theta} e^{-jn\Delta\varphi}$$



Since  $\Delta\varphi$  is just mathematical we can see the two beams at the same time!!

Because  $\Delta\theta_A = \frac{\lambda}{Nd_f}$

There are only  $N$  "non-overlapping" beams

$$\Delta\varphi_k = \frac{2\pi}{N} k$$

$$k = -\frac{N}{2} \dots \frac{N}{2}$$



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Chalk Talk Fourier Transform

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This means we can see  $N$  beams  
on the sky at the same time

$$T_{\text{survey}} \approx \frac{1}{N_R}$$

$$V_k(\theta) = \sum_n V_0 e^{-jn \frac{2\pi d}{\lambda} \sin \theta} e^{-j \frac{2\pi n}{N} k}$$

$$V_{r_n} = V_0 e^{-jn \frac{2\pi d}{\lambda} \sin \theta}$$

$$V_k(\theta) = \sum_n V_{r_n} e^{-j \frac{2\pi n}{N} k}$$

$V_k(\theta)$  is just the <sup>spatial</sup> Fourier transform  
of the receivers.



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Chalk Talk - New Technology

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Old Idea!

1960 Vermillion River Telescope

New Technology - Cell phones & cheap computers.

Broad band low noise amplifiers for cell phones

40K Noise Temp

10\$ a piece

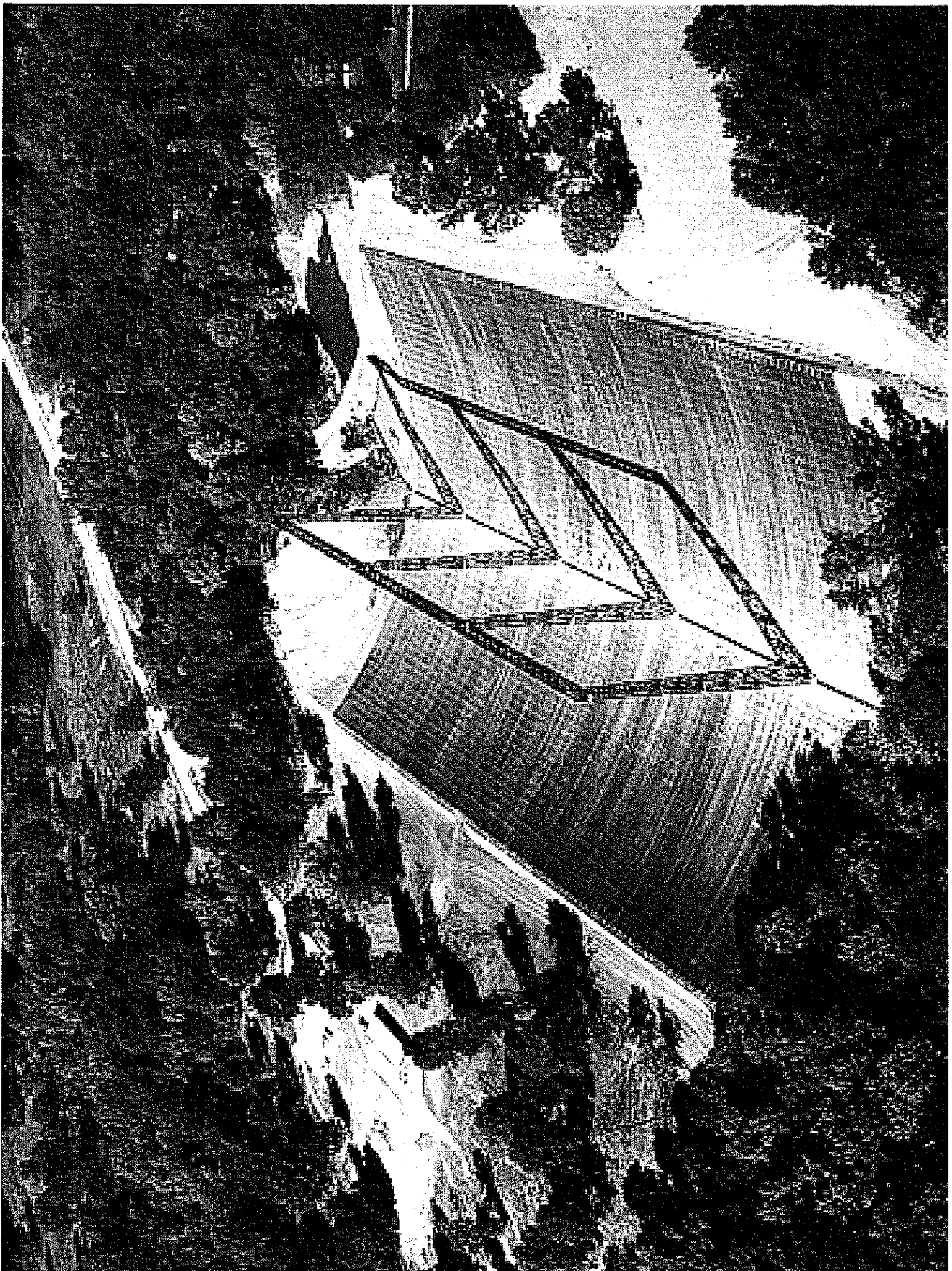
Beam Forming?

Either FPGA's or

GPU's

New Technology  $\Rightarrow$  We have the expertise!

Ground floor opportunity.





Surface Mount

# Low Noise Amplifier

## TAMP-960LN+

50Ω

824 to 960 MHz

### Features

- Ultra low noise figure, 0.55 dB typ.
- High gain, 18 dB typ.
- Output power, up to +16.5 dBm typ.
- Low current consumption
- Excellent return loss
- Unconditionally stable



CASE STYLE: JQ1382  
PRICE: \$9.95 ea. QTY (5-49)

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### Applications

- Base transceiver station, tower mounted amplifier, repeater
- CDMA: 824 to 894 MHz
- GSM Rx: 880 to 915 MHz
- GSM Tx: 925 to 960 MHz
- General purpose low noise amplifier

### Electrical Specifications at 25°C

Parameter	Condition (MHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
Frequency Range		824		960	MHz
Noise Figure	824 - 960		0.55	0.80	dB
	824 - 894		0.60	0.80	
	880 - 915		0.55	0.70	
	925 - 960		0.55	0.70	
Gain	824 - 960	16.5	18.0		dB
	824 - 894	16.5	18.0		
	880 - 915	16.5	18.0		
	925 - 960	16.5	17.5		
Gain Flatness	824 - 960		± 0.6	± 1.2	dB
	824 - 894		± 0.4	± 0.8	
	880 - 915		± 0.2	± 0.4	
	925 - 960		± 0.2	± 0.4	
Output Power at 1dB compression	824 - 960	15.5	16.5		dBm
	824 - 894	15.5	16.5		
	880 - 915	15.5	16.5		
	925 - 960	15.5	16.5		
Output third order intercept point (OIP3)	824 - 960		30		dBm
	824 - 894		30		
	880 - 915		30		
	925 - 960		30		
Input VSWR	824 - 960		1.1		:1
	824 - 894		1.1		
	880 - 915		1.1		
	925 - 960		1.1		
Output VSWR	824 - 960		1.4		:1
	824 - 894		1.3		
	880 - 915		1.4		
	925 - 960		1.5		
DC Supply Voltage			5.0		V
Supply Current			40	45	mA

### Pin Connections

RF IN	10
RF OUT	5
V+	7
GROUND	1,2,3,4,6,8,9,11

### Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Ratings
Operating Temperature	-40°C to 85°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to 100°C
Operating Voltage	5.5 V
Input RF Power (no damage)	+10 dBm
Power Consumption	250 mW

Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.

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Chalk Talk - 2D array Cost

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Survey speed goes up with receivers

$$\frac{d}{\lambda} \approx .6$$

$$d = .4 \text{ m}$$

$$L = 100 \text{ m}$$

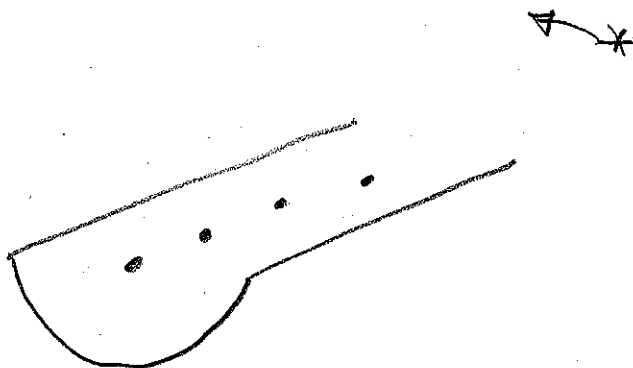
In one direction  $\approx 400$  receivers

In two directions  $\approx 160,000$  receivers

Cost/receiver  $\approx 3000$  \$

$$\$ 3000 \times 160,000 = 480 \text{ M} \$ !!$$

Reduce cost (but increase survey time)  
by focussing in one direction





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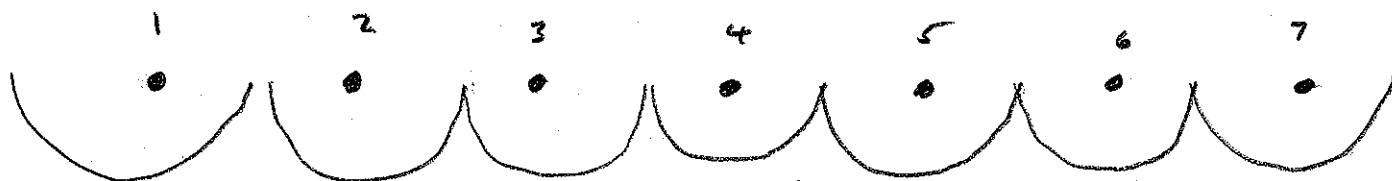
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Reduce cost further by Drift scanning

- \*No moving parts
- \*Better stability

How Many Cylinders?

How to beam for between Cylinders?



Take an FFT beam from one cylinder and mill by another cylinder to make a "psuedo visibility"

$$V_{12} \approx V_{1k} \cdot V_{2k}^*$$



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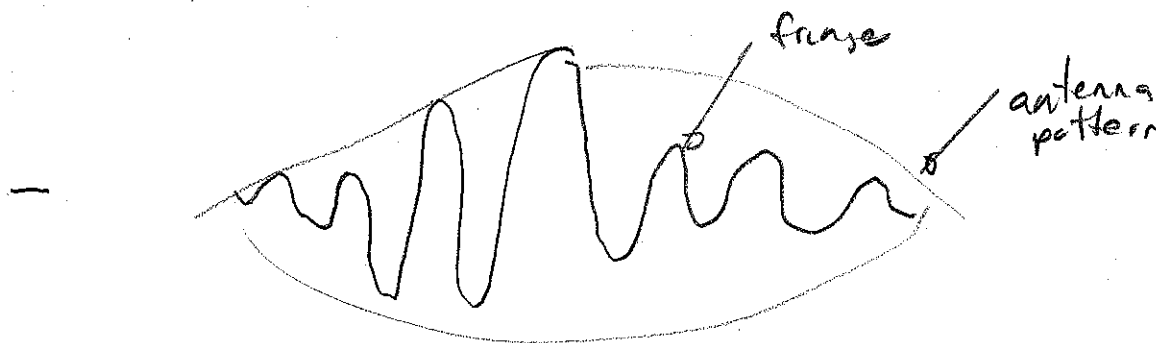
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Chalk Talk - Cylinder Visibility

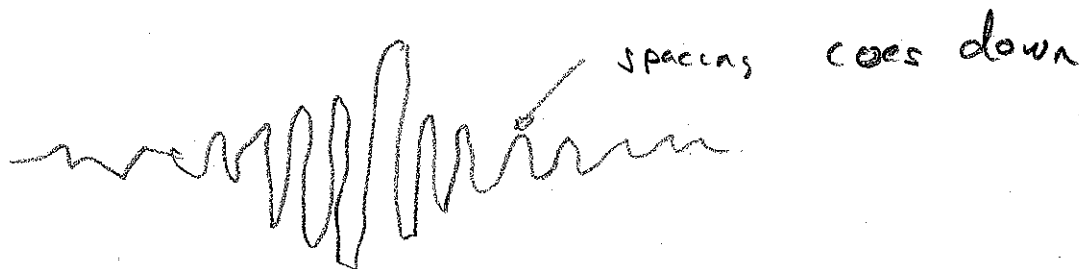
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As a star passes over the cylinder.



For a pair of cylinders twice as far apart



For a source that is a point function you need all the spatial sign-wave components.

A visibility can be thought of as spacial Fourier component of the source



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For a cylinder The beam pattern Transverse to the cylinder is

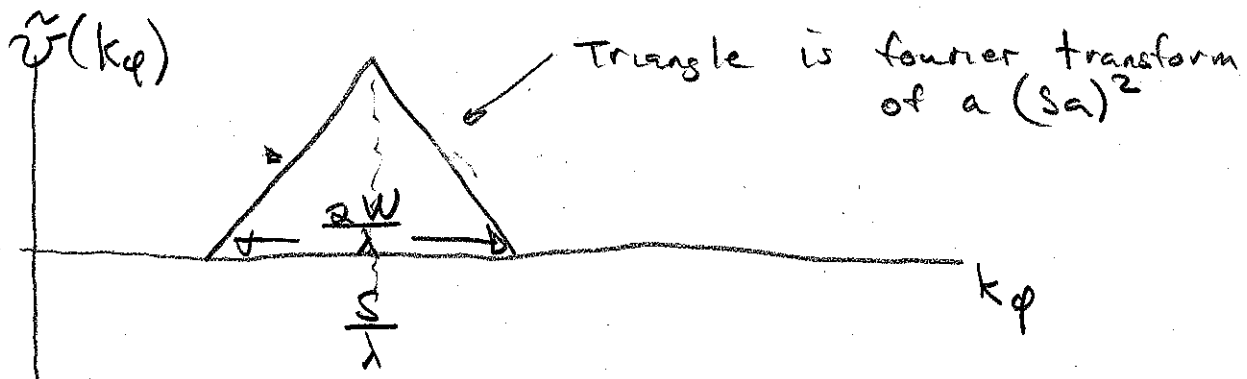
$$D(\phi) = \text{Sa} \left( \pi \frac{W}{\lambda} \phi \right)$$

↙ cylinder width

For a pair of cylinders

$$v(\phi) = \text{Sa} \left( \pi \frac{W}{\lambda} \phi \right)^2 e^{j 2\pi \frac{s}{\lambda} \sin \phi}$$

$$\tilde{v}(k_\phi) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} v(\phi) e^{-j k_\phi \phi} d\phi$$





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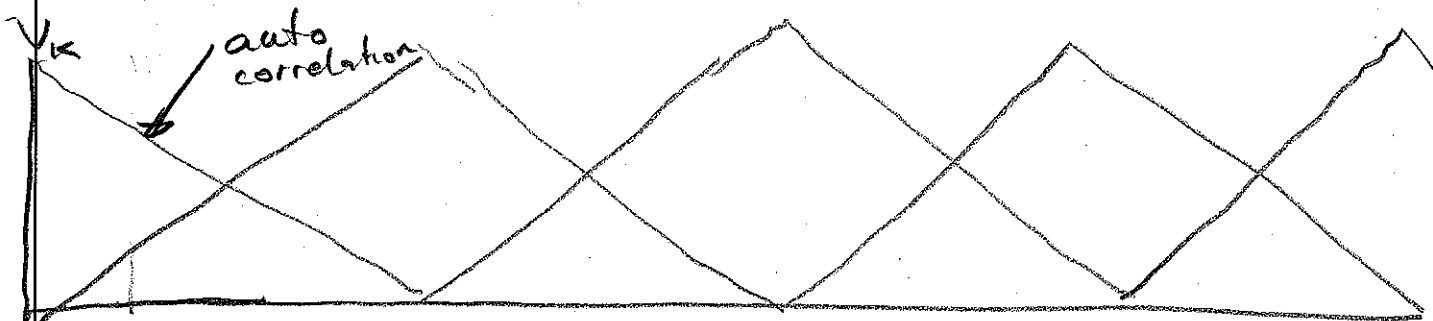
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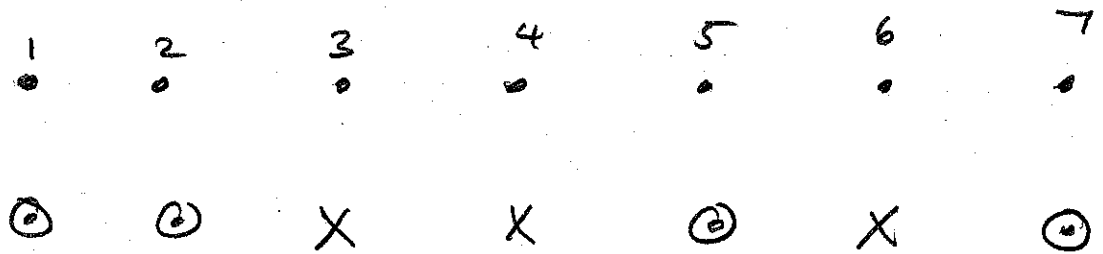
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Like to have an array of Cylinders  
so that



For example



For a coverage of 7 cylinders  
we need only 4 cylinders

$$N_{vis} = \frac{N(N-1)}{2} = \frac{4 \cdot 3}{2} = 6 \text{ baselines}$$

or 6 visibilities from 4 cylinders

To reach our goal 4 cylinders  
20 m in width 100 m in length  
5M\$ / Cylinder