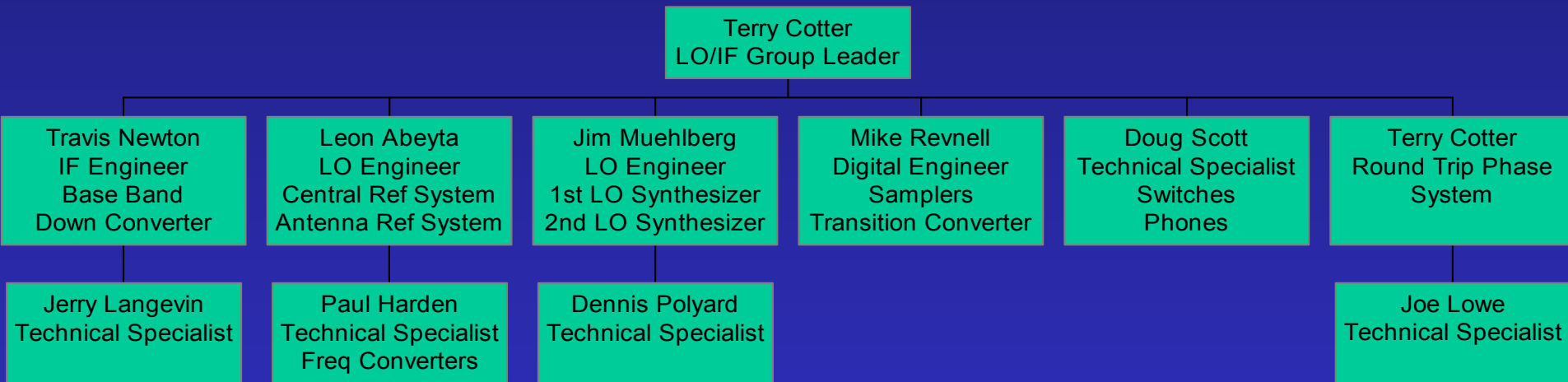
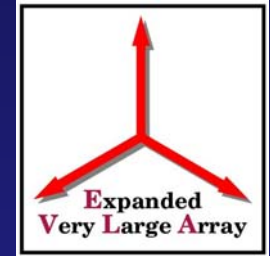


LO/IF System Requirements

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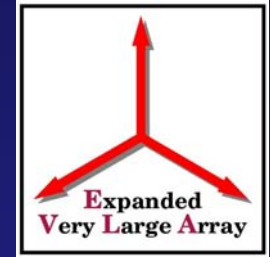


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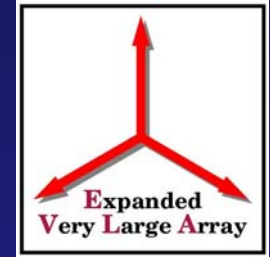
System Overview



Current System		New System “proposed”	
# of Modules	per Ant	# of Modules	per Ant
8+	Power Supplies	3	Power Supplies
15	IF modules	8	IF modules
14	LO modules	8	LO modules
4	Samplers	4	DTS Transmitter
15	FE modules	?	FE modules
8+	DCS modules	?	DCS modules
		4	DTS Receiver



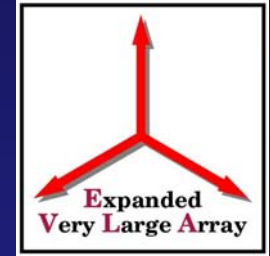
System Overview



- 4/P Band Converter
- L/S/C Band Converter
- U Band Converter
- 1ST LO
- Base Band Converter
- DTS Transmitter
- LO Reference Receiver
- Antenna Reference Generator/Distributor
- Central Reference Generator/Distributor
 - Offset Generator
- RTP Receiver
- DTS Receiver
- LO Transmitter



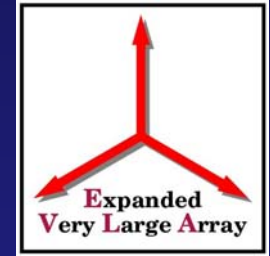
LO/IF Requirements



- IF Amplitude requirements
 - Bandpass slope $<.3$ dB across any 2MHz
 - Bandpass ripple $<.25$ dB pk to pk across any 2MHz



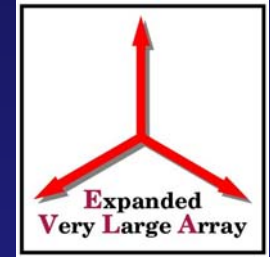
LO/IF Requirements



- IF Phase Requirements
 - Phase Fluctuations < 0.6 degrees rms baseline to baseline for any 2 MHz
 - Delay error < 2.8 ns for any 2 MHz



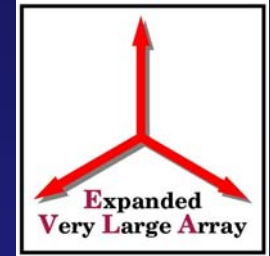
LO/IF Requirements



- IF Phase Stability Requirements
 - Short Term $<.5\text{ps rms}$ for times $<1\text{s}$ $.7^\circ @4\text{GHz}$
 - Long Term $<6\text{ps}$ linear slope over 30min $8.6^\circ @4\text{GHz}$
 - IF Phase shift with pointing change
 - $<.7\text{ps}$ across whole sky
 - $<.07\text{ps}$ per degree of slew
- * specs apply after any RTP correction



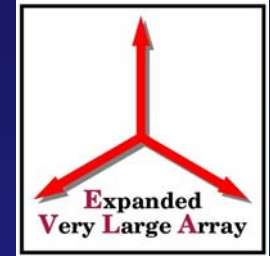
Design Requirements



- Reuse same BIN hardware (goal)
- Reuse same racks except for samplers
- Reuse B-rack shield (goal)
- Use different module hardware
 - Current hardware is not RFI tight
 - OMQ connectors no longer available



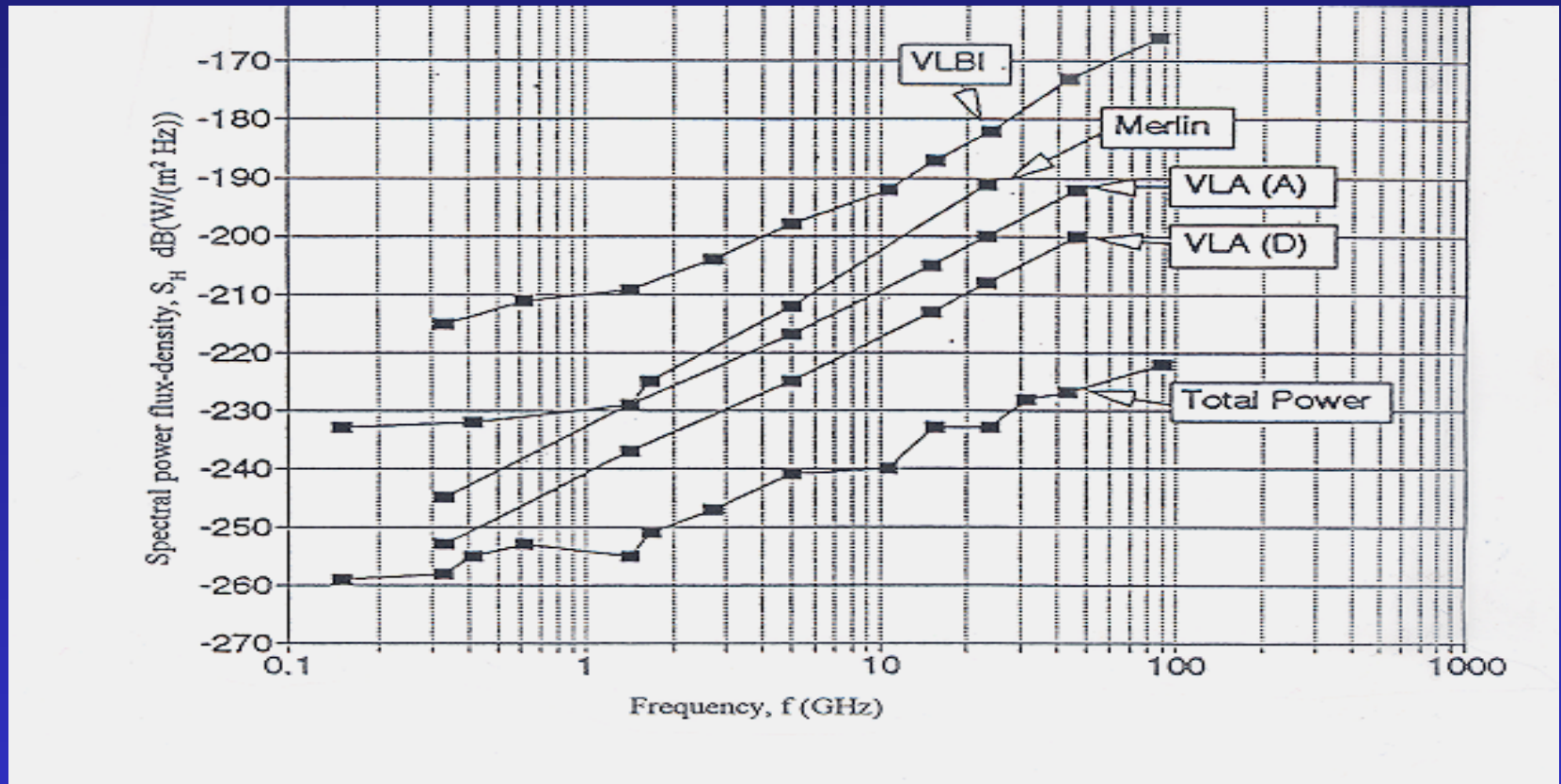
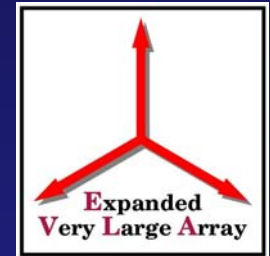
Design Requirements



- OSP Connectors for freq < 22GHz
- Max pin usage for initial design on interface connector 80%
- Improved mean time between failure
- Samplers in separate shielded rack

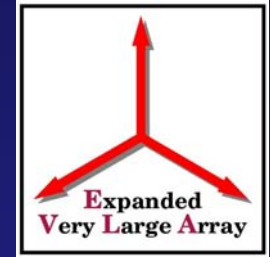


RFI Requirements per ITU





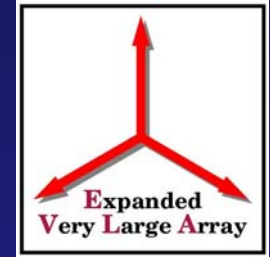
1st LO Requirements



Freq GHz	Sub 1 st LO GHz	Sub 1 st IF GHz	1 st LO GHz	1 st IF GHz
.074	1.024	1.098	13	11.902
.327	1.024	1.351	13	11.649
1-2/ 1.3-1.8			13	12-11 11.7-11.2
2-4			13	11-9



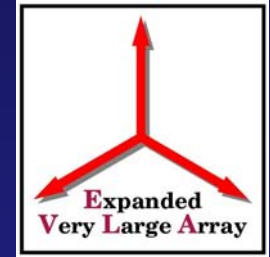
1st LO Requirements



Freq GHz	1 st LO GHz	1 st IF GHz
4-8	16	12-8
4.5-5.0	16	11.5-11.0
8-12	None	8-12
8-8.8	None	8-8.8
12-18	12x2,13x2	12-8
14.5-15.4	12.5x2	10.5-9.6



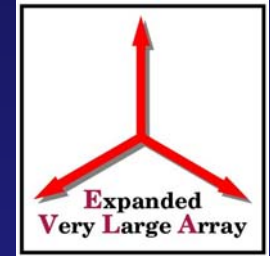
1st LO Requirements



Freq GHz	1 st LO GHz	1 st IF GHz
18-26	15x2, 16x2 17x2, 18x2	12-8
22-24	16.5x2	11-9
26-40	12x3 to 16x3	12-8
40-50	16x3 to 20x3	12-8



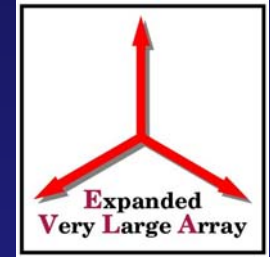
2nd LO Requirements



1st IF	2 nd LO	2 nd IF	3 rd LO	3 rd IF
11.902	14.59	2.688	4.096	1.408
11.649	14.337	2.688	4.096	1.408
12-11	14.096	2.096 to 3.096	4.096	2-1
11.7-11.2	13.824 to 14.388	2.688- 2.624	4.096	1.408- 1.472
11-9	13	2-4		



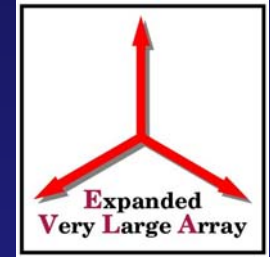
2nd LO Requirements



1 st IF GHz	2 nd LO GHz	2 nd IF GHz	3 rd LO GHz	3 rd IF GHz
12 to 8	10.624 to 14.688	2.688 to 2.624	4.096	1.408 to 1.472
12 to 8	12, 14	4 to 2		



Summary



The LO/IF group is working very hard to ensure that all specifications are met and that the Observatory's science goal will be achieved.

Please feel free to come and discuss any requirements with us at any time.