



Laser Polarization of ²³Mg⁺, ³⁹Ca⁺ at IGISOL for MORA

ACCLAIM MORA



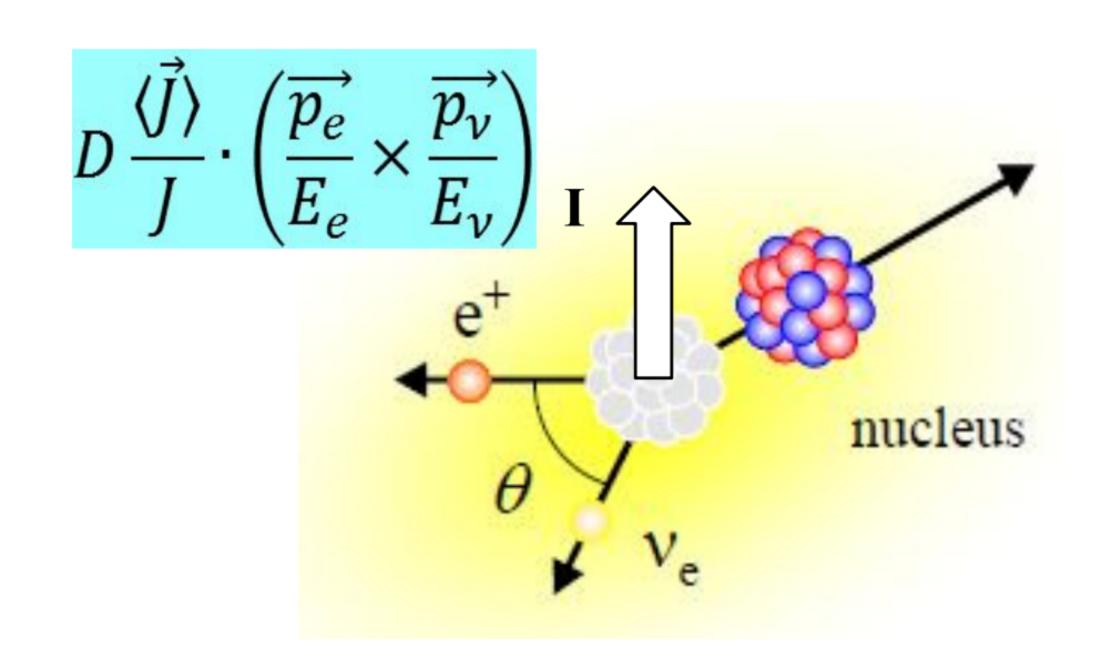


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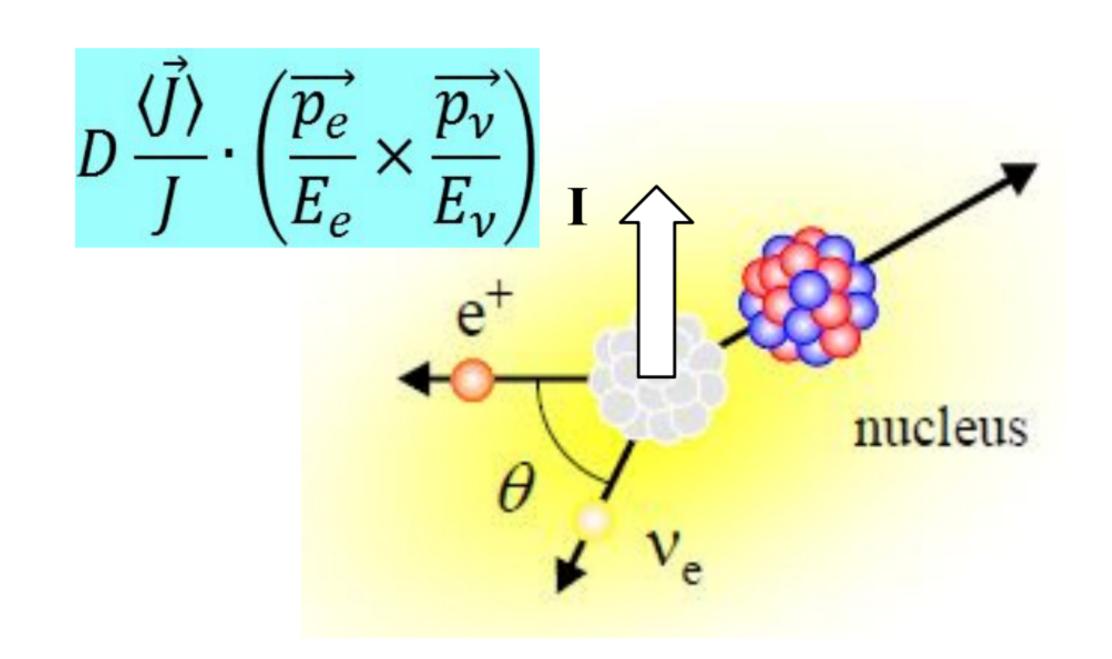


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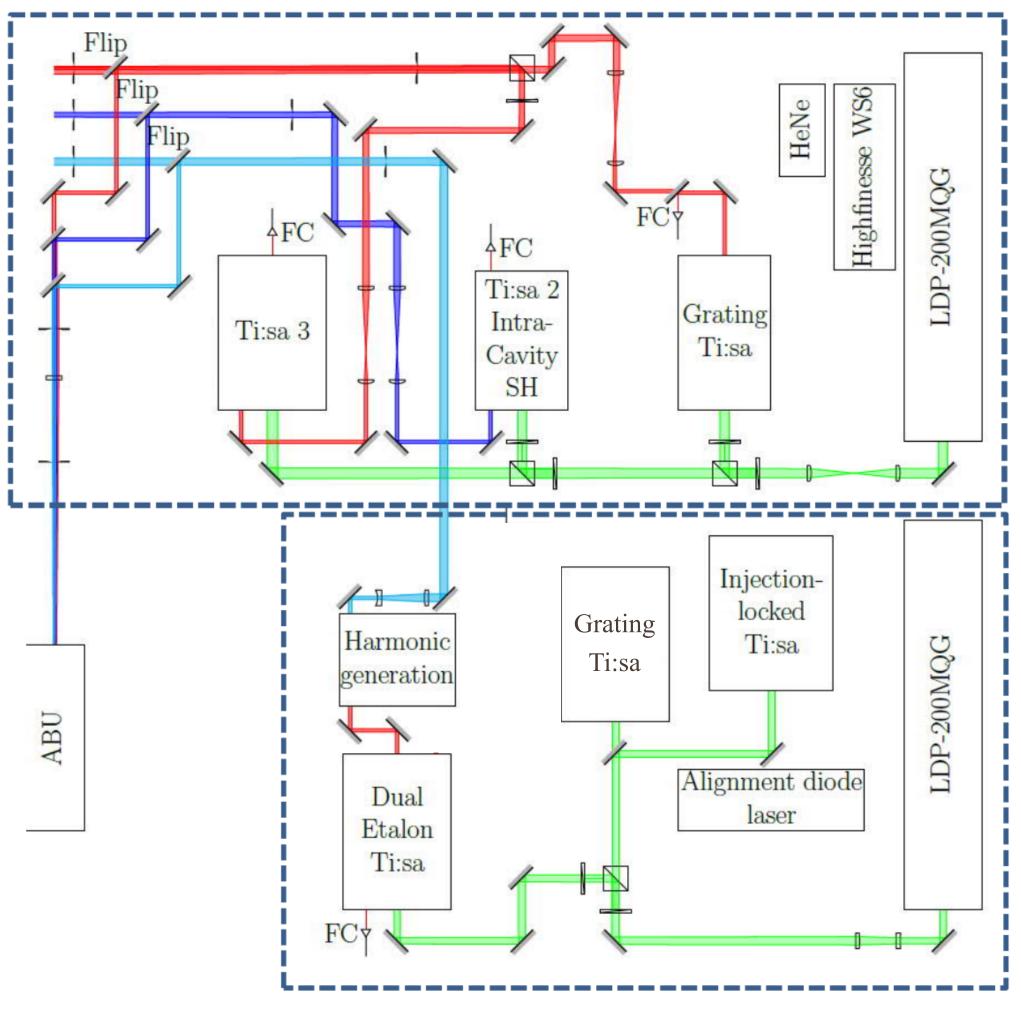


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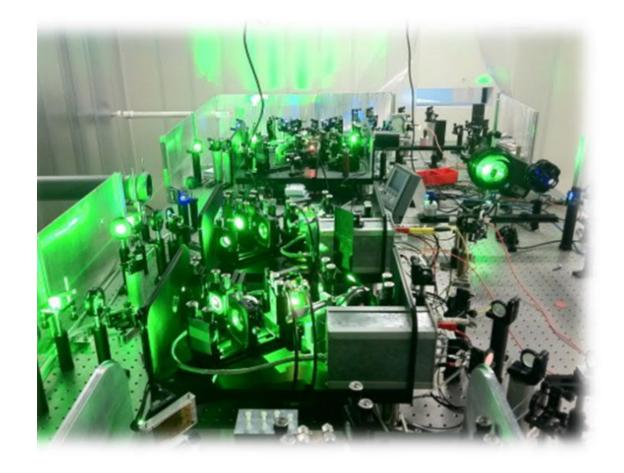
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²³Mg⁺, ³⁹Ca⁺are the best cases to start with

Laser Infrastructure at IGISOL



FURIOS Cabin



Repetition rate 10kHz

<u>Tuning range:</u>

Fundamental 680-1050nm

Frequency Doubled 340-525nm

Tripled 250-330nm

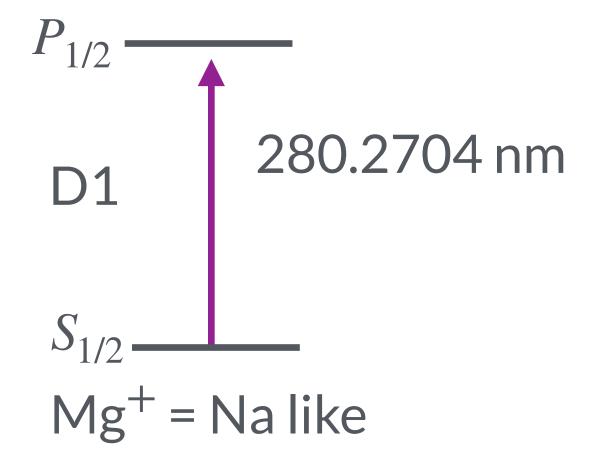
Quadrupled 205-250nm

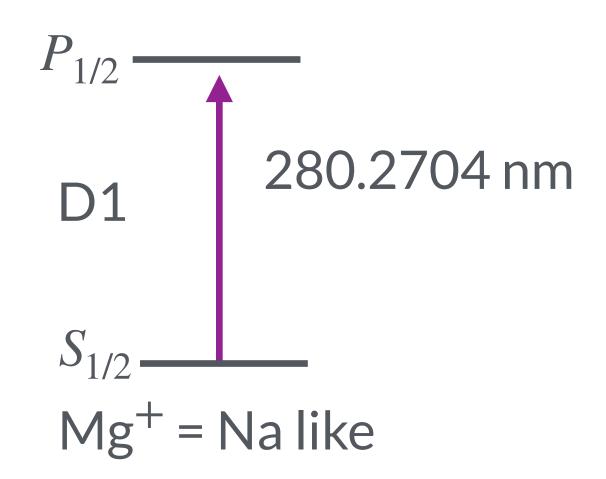
Line width >5GHz (broad),

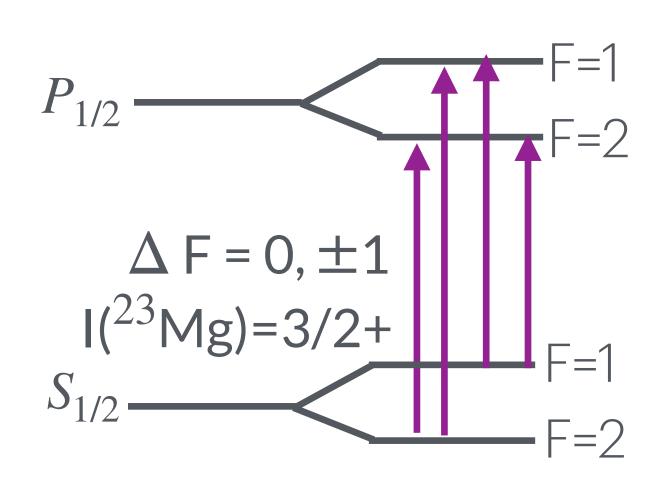
<1 GHz narrow

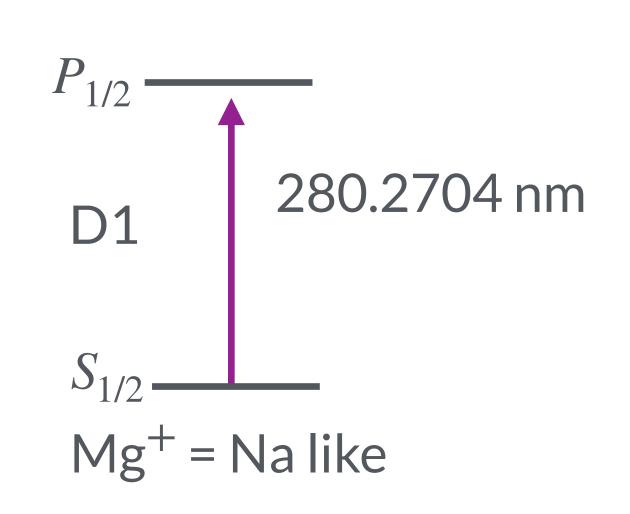
- Offline RIS studies ABU
- Hot cavity laser ion source
- In-source laser spectroscopy
- Collinear RIS (RAPTOR)
- Laser Cooling

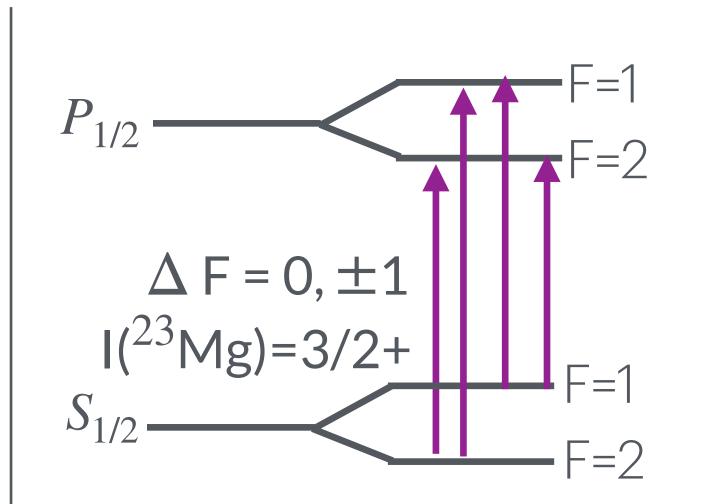


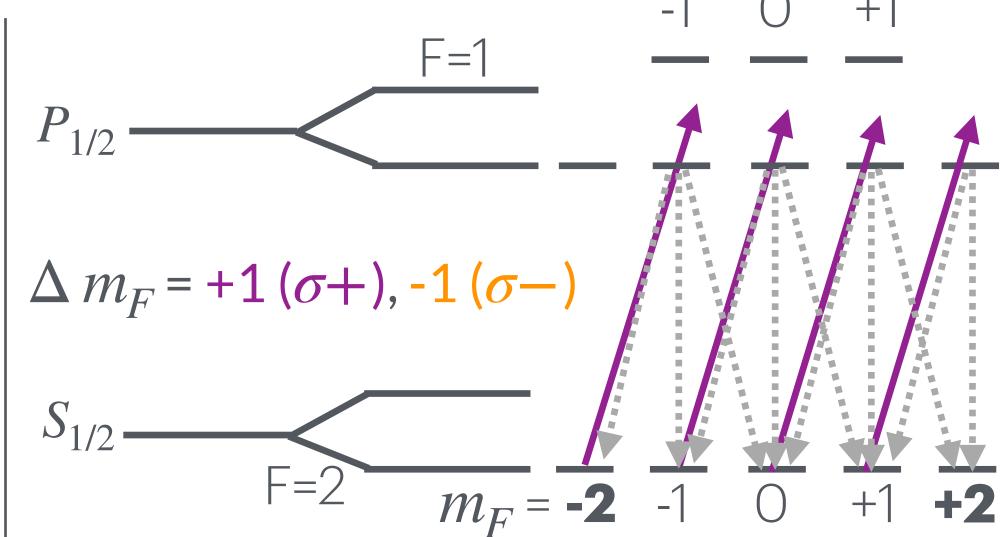


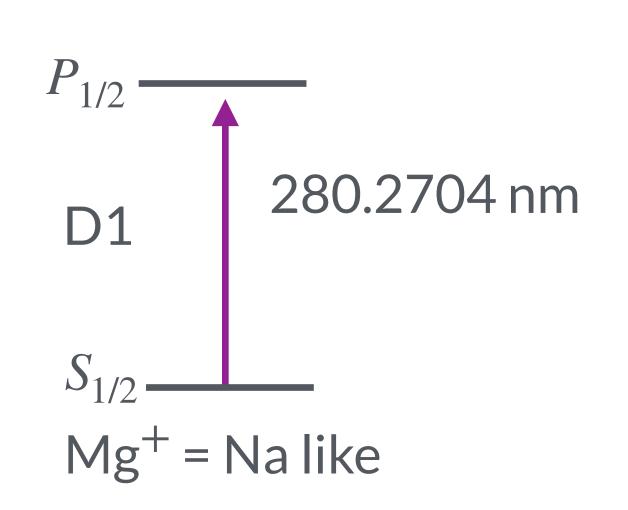


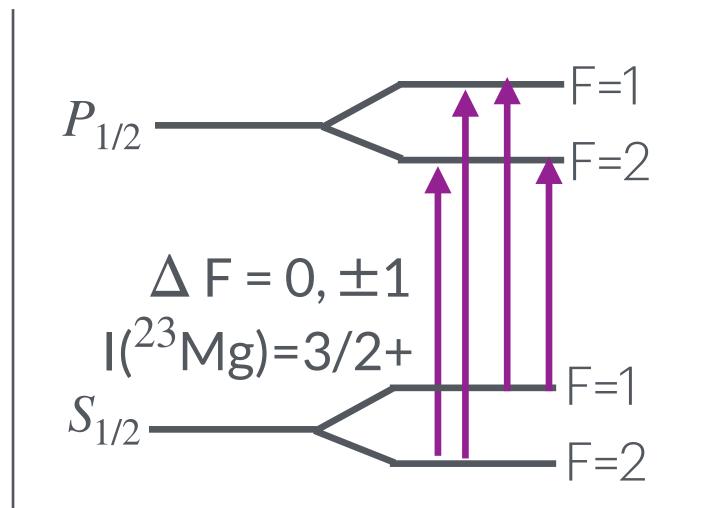


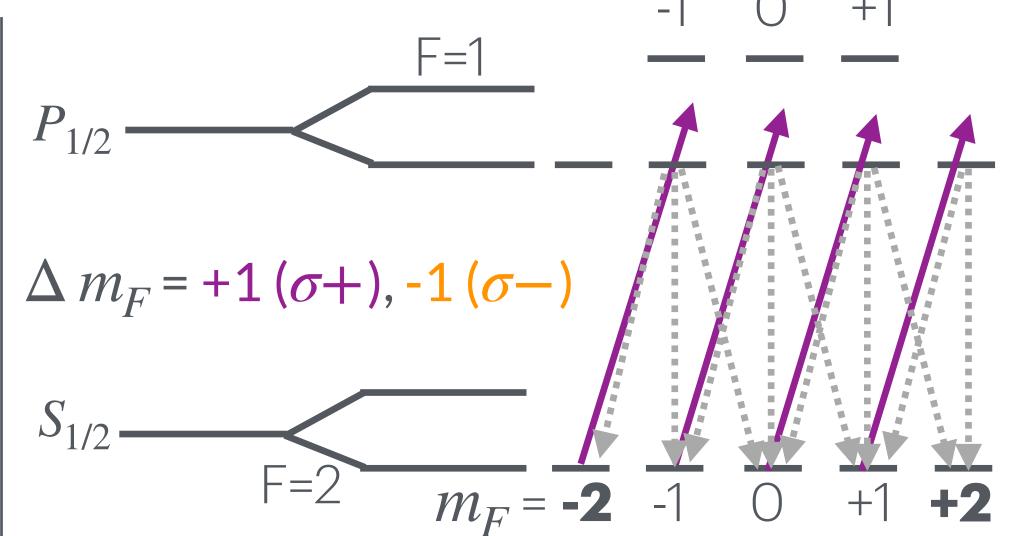


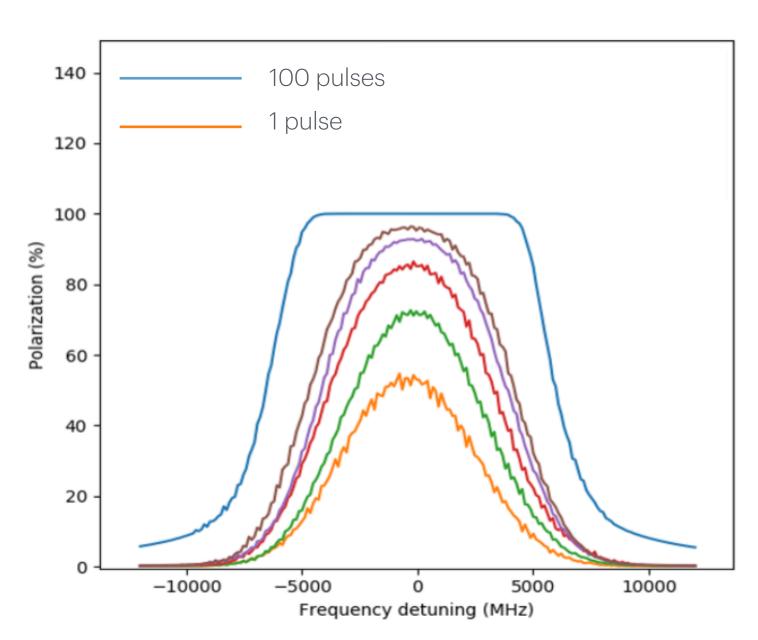




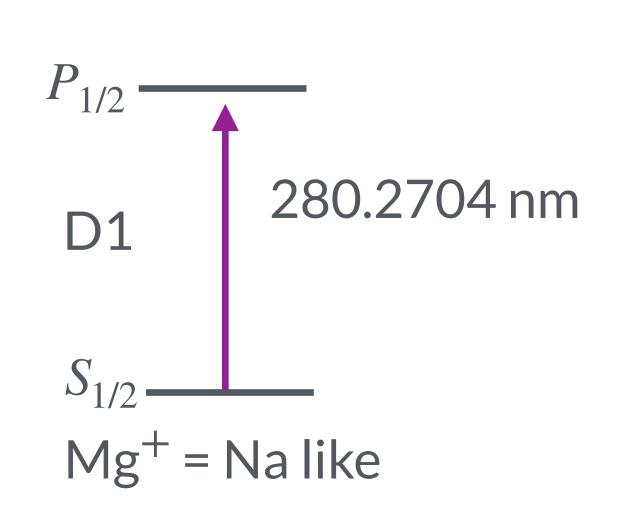


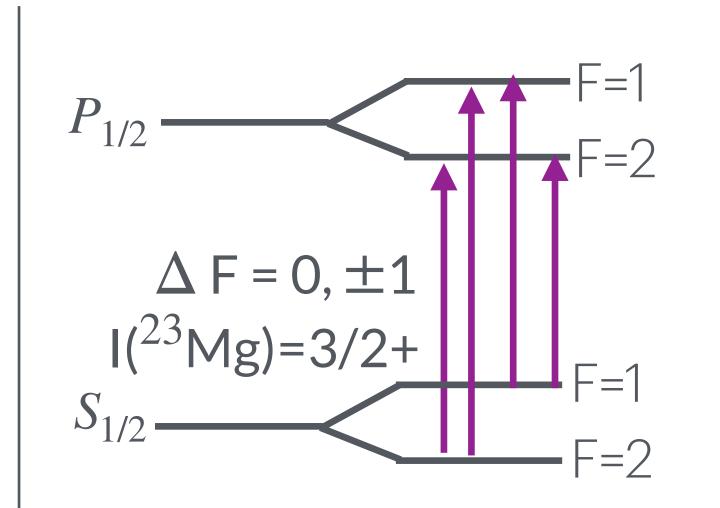


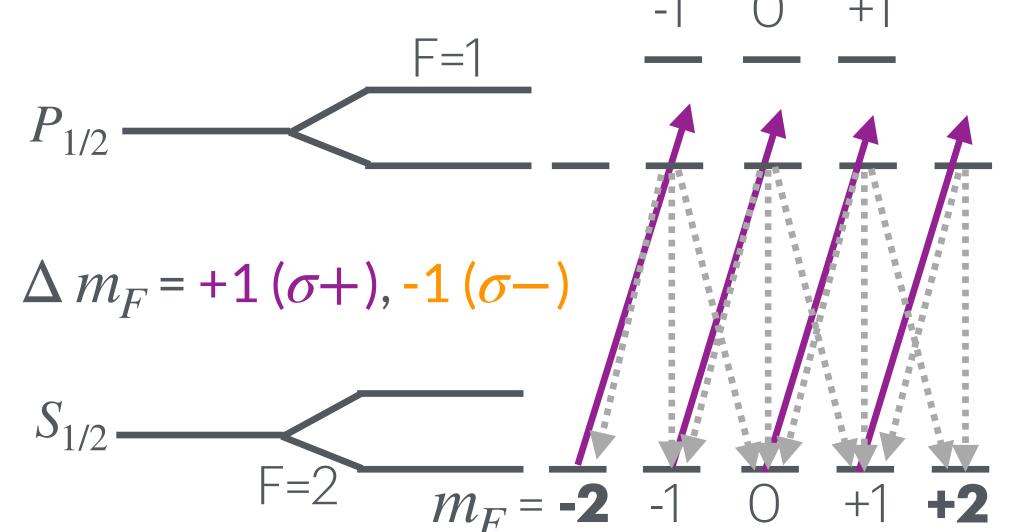


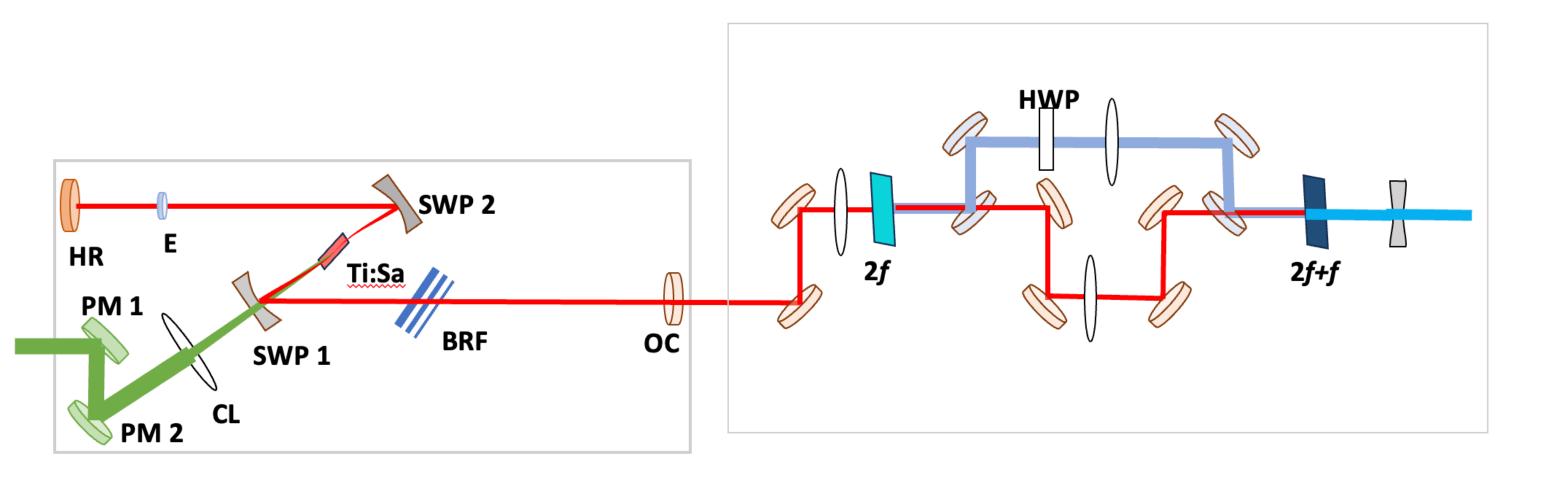


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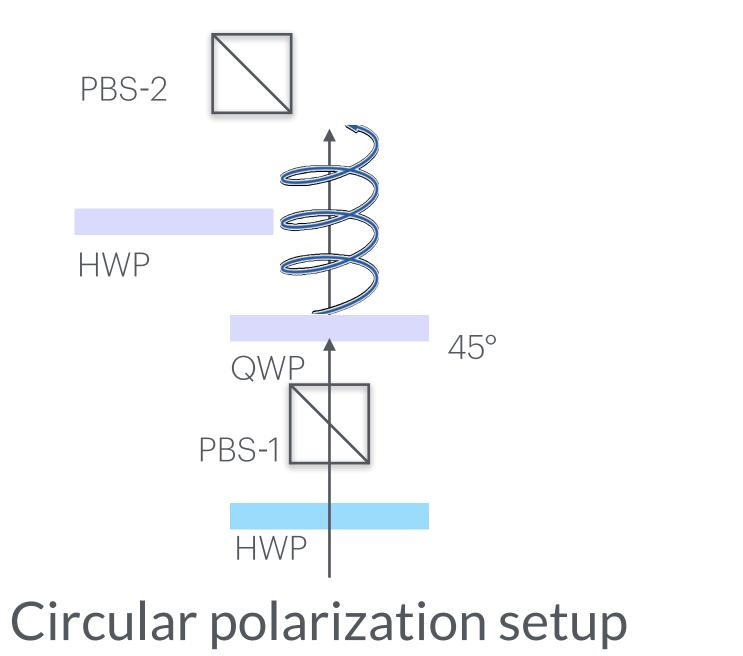




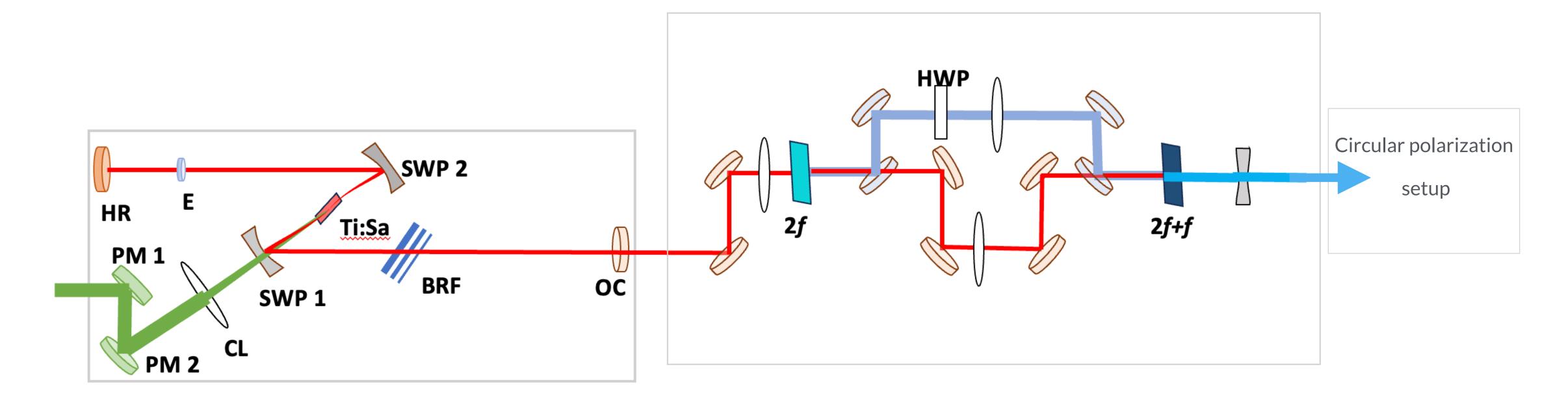


Laser setup

Frequency tripling



Laser System Design: Frequency Selection and Harmonic Generation



Fundamental wavelength ~ 840 nm ~3W @ 12-14W pump power

BBO non-linear crystals

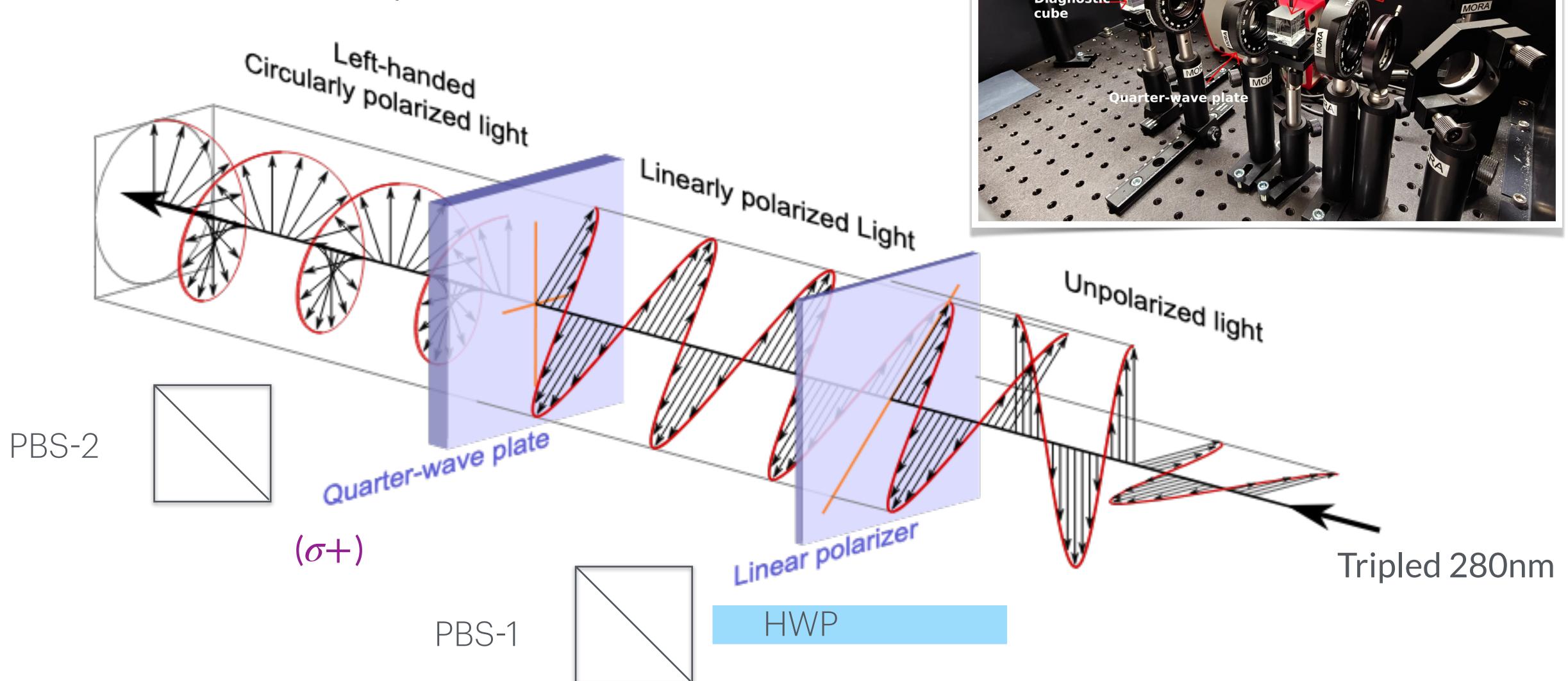
Doubling efficiency ~ 25%

After frequency tripling ~ 280 nm

Tripled frequency power ~ 50-100 mW

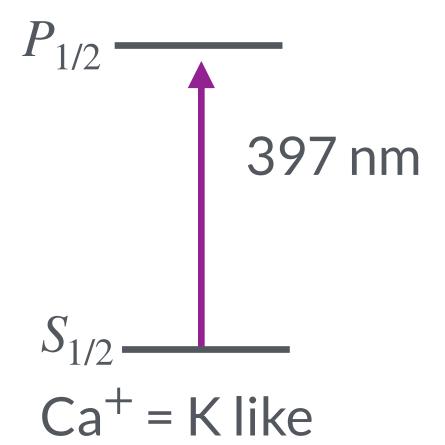
Circular Polarization setup

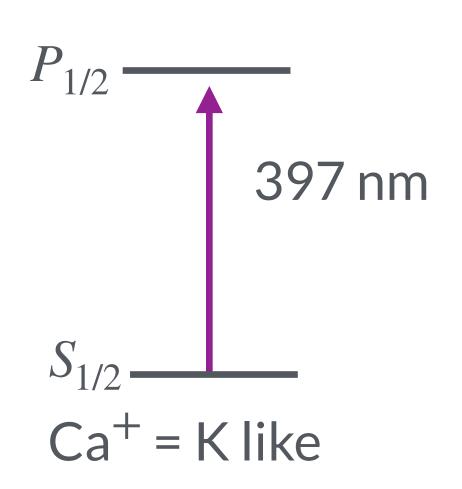
Light having equal amplitudes in orthogonal linear components of electric field and a constant phase difference of 90°

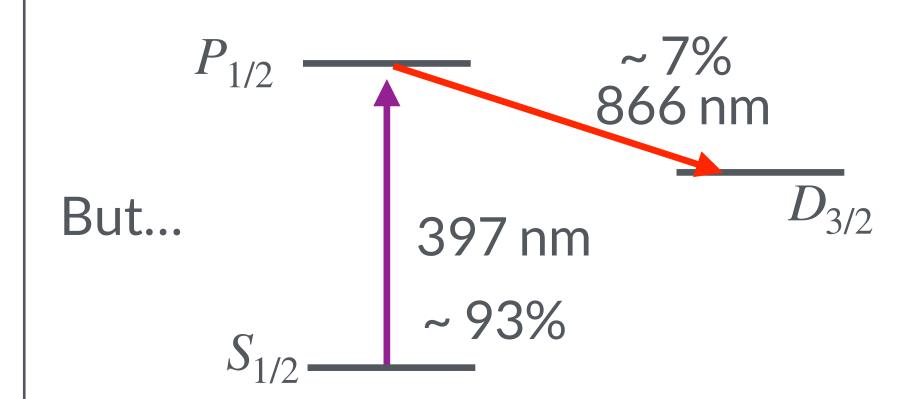


First half-wave

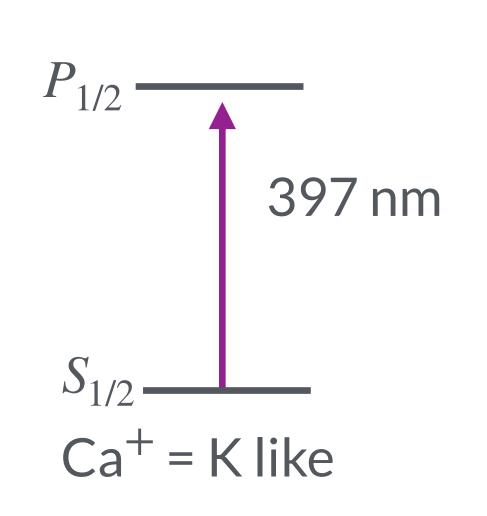
Handness conversion First cube plate half-wave plate

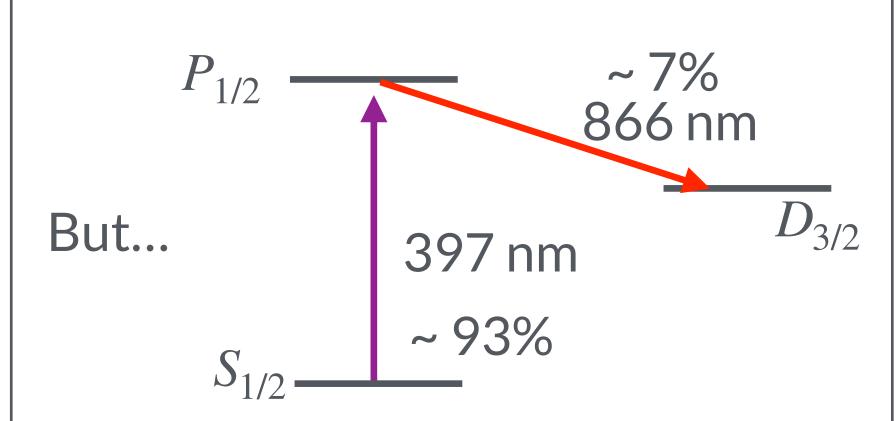




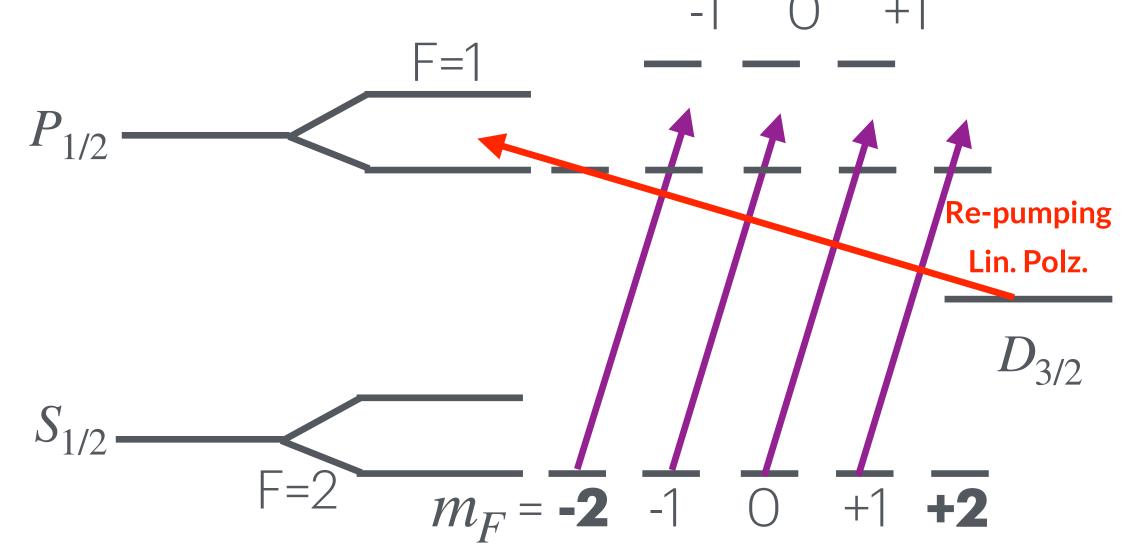


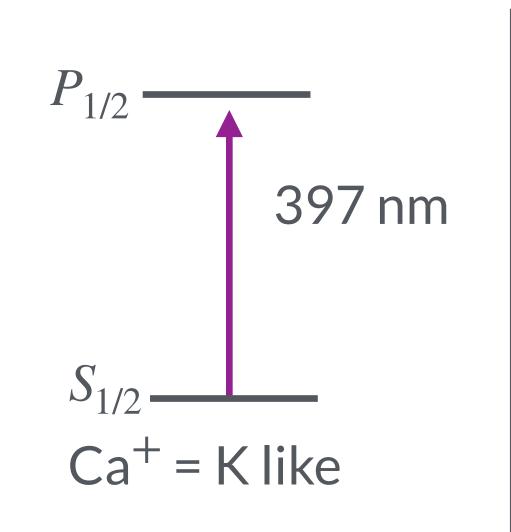
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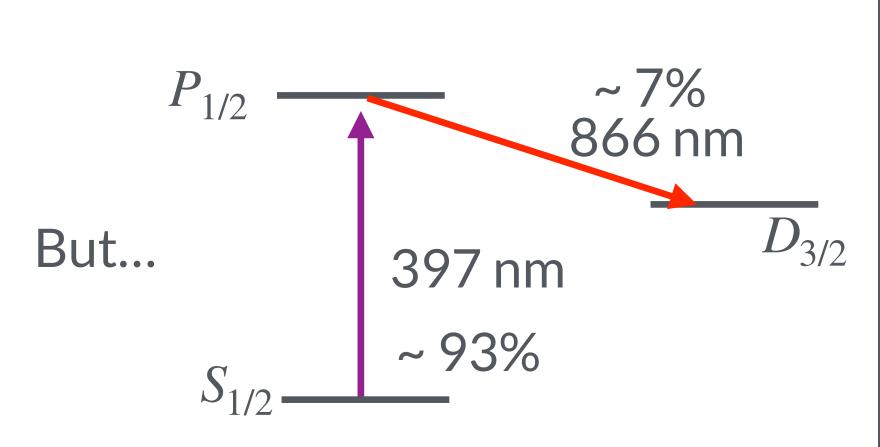




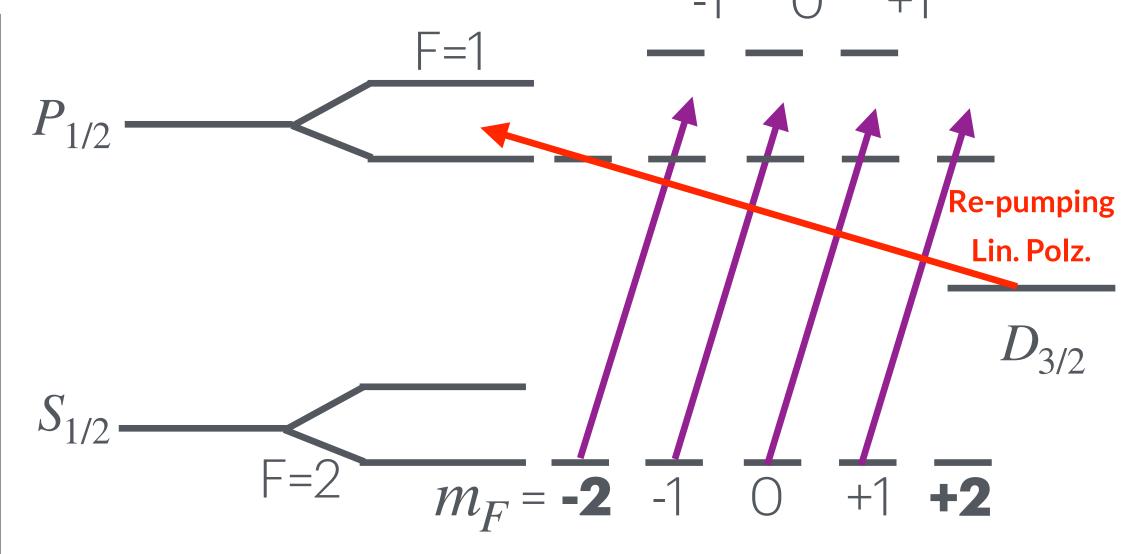


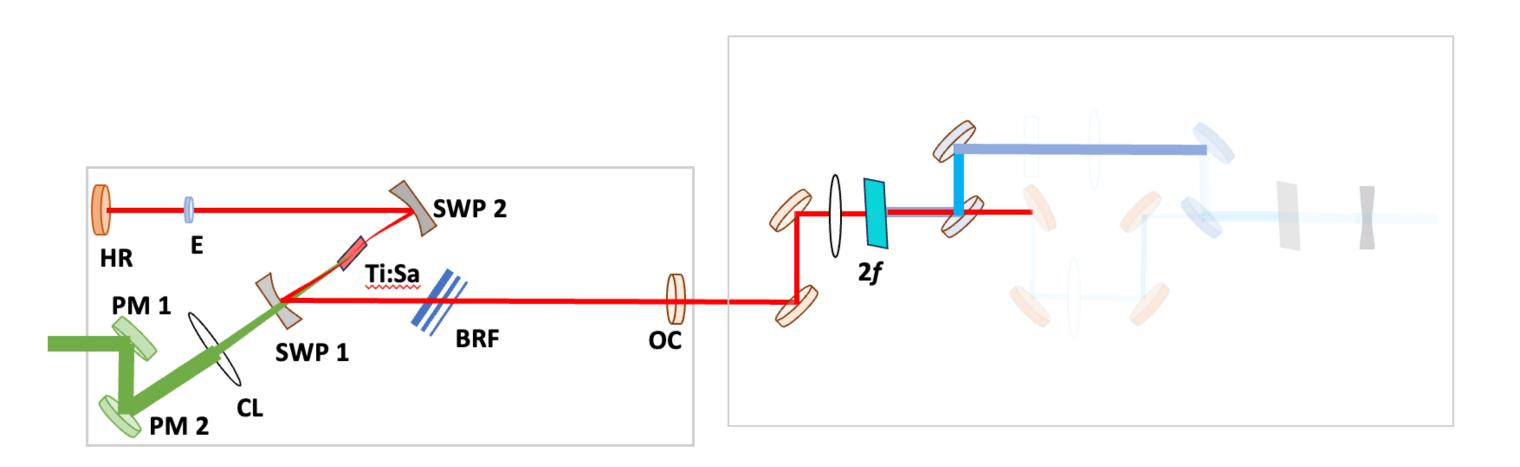






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Frequency Doubling

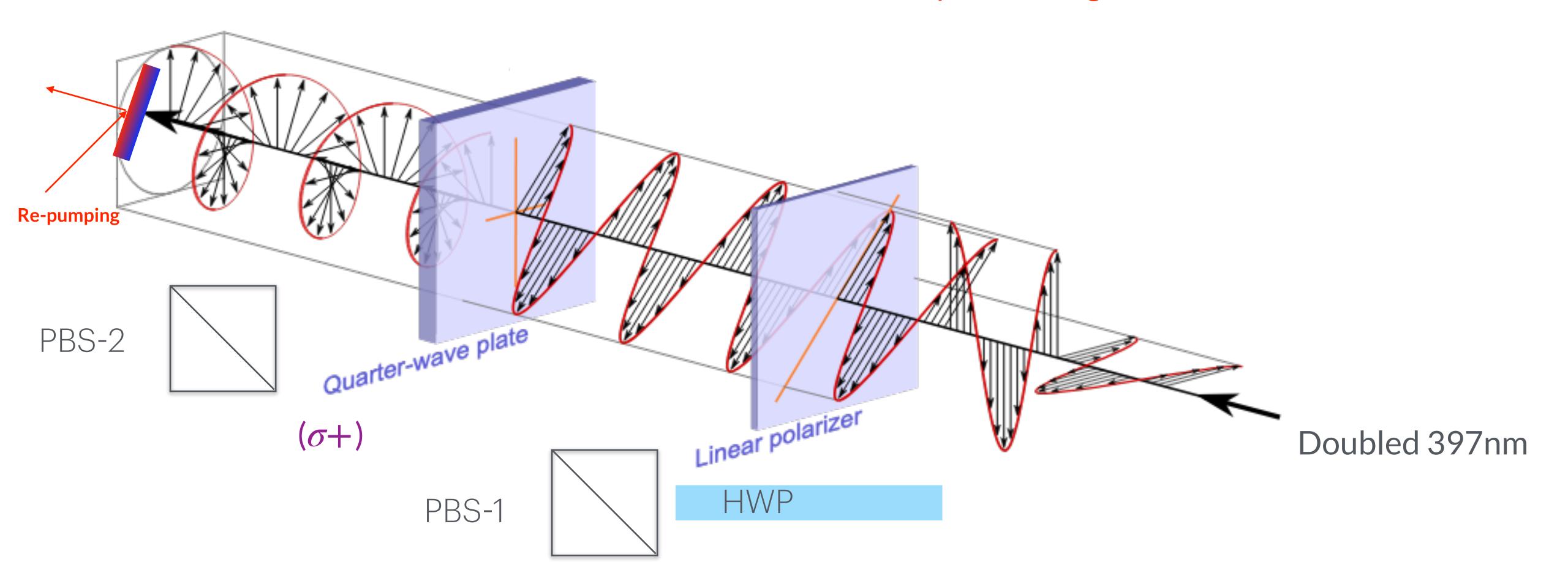
Expected powers:

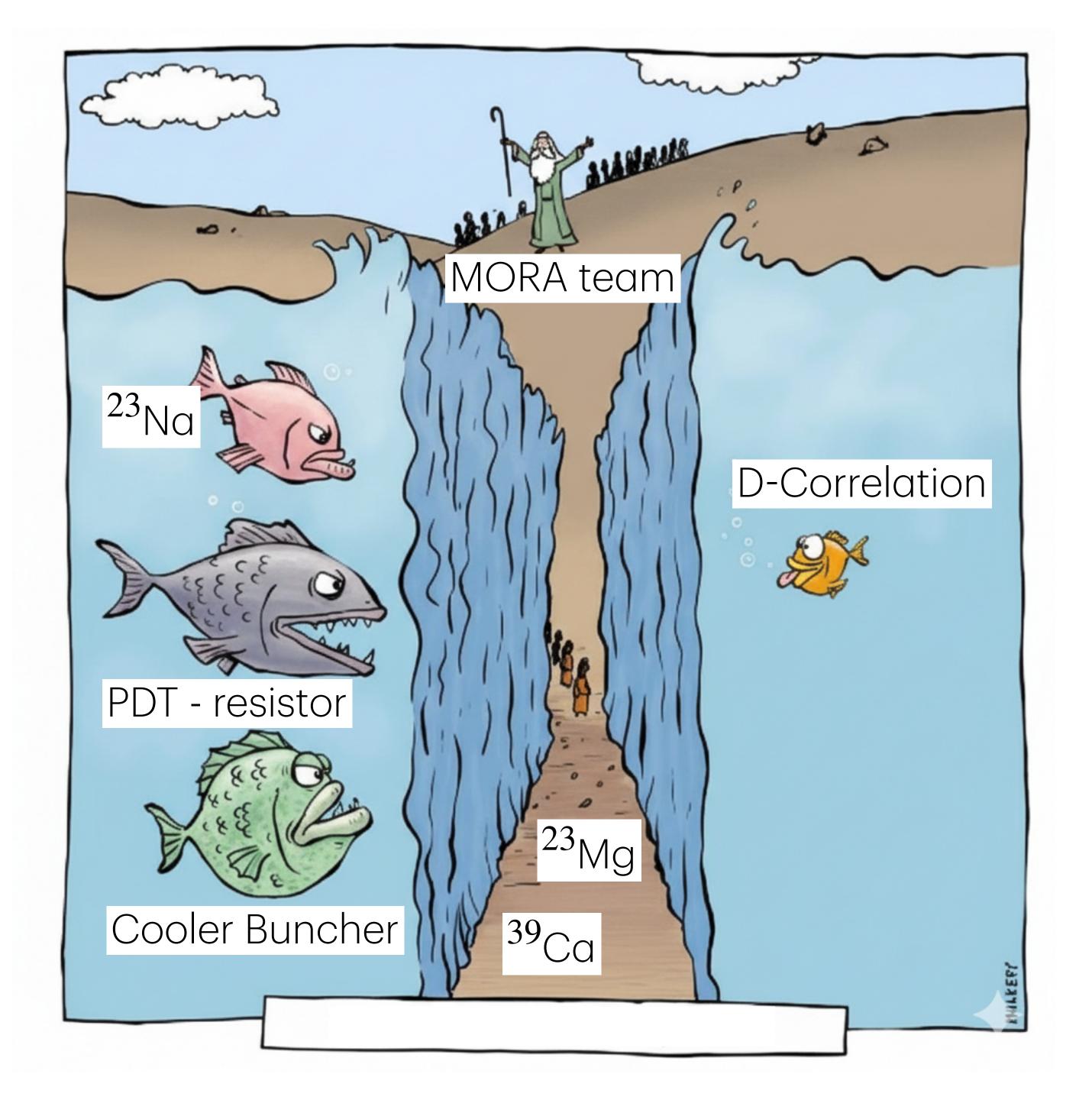
866nm ~ 2-3 W

397nm ~ 0.75 - 1 W

Plans at IGISOL to support ³⁹Ca⁺ optical pumping

- Dedicated laser cavity in FURIOS cabin
- Laser path until the downstairs table already exists
- Just SHG for main pumping level
- Change of optics (Waveplates, cubes, mirrors)
- Modification of entry optics for red+blue path mixing





Thank You