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# Reflectometer(s) for the ESS suggestions by the Danish-Swiss working group

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## outline

selene approach: focusing in the scattering plane

concept

- principle lay-out of a full instrument
- tests on Amor
- to be done for ESS

soft matter

medium resolution, horizontal sample plane

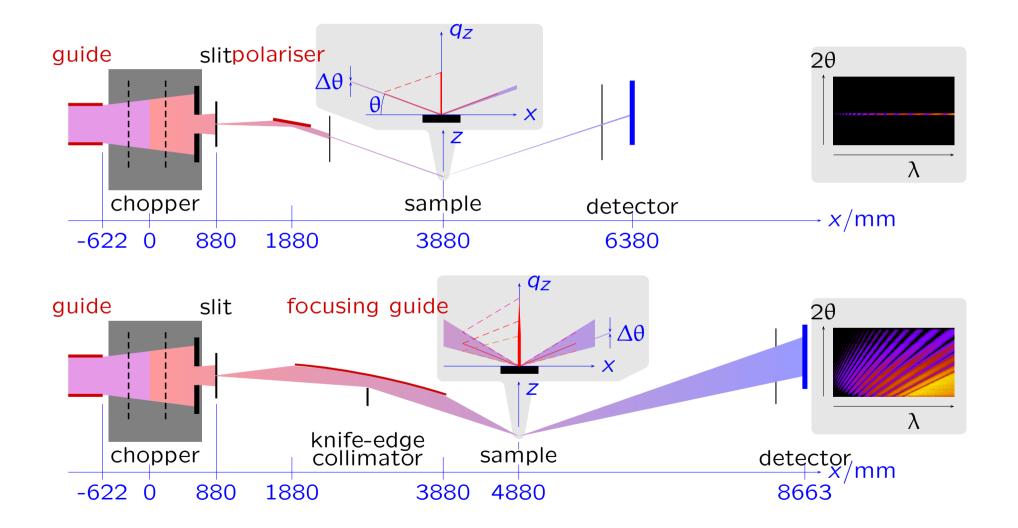
 $\Rightarrow$  short instrument, moderate focusing in the sample plane

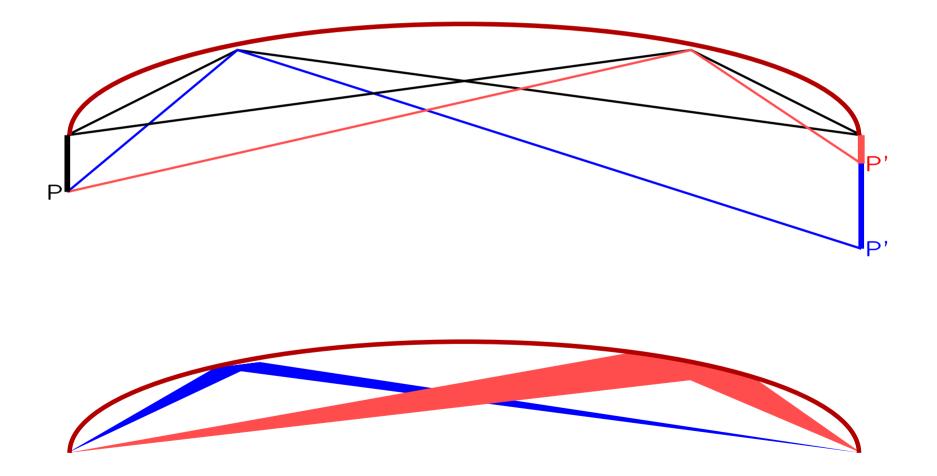
(GISANS: strong focusing to the detector)

small samples

magnetic layers, variable resolution, vertical sample plane

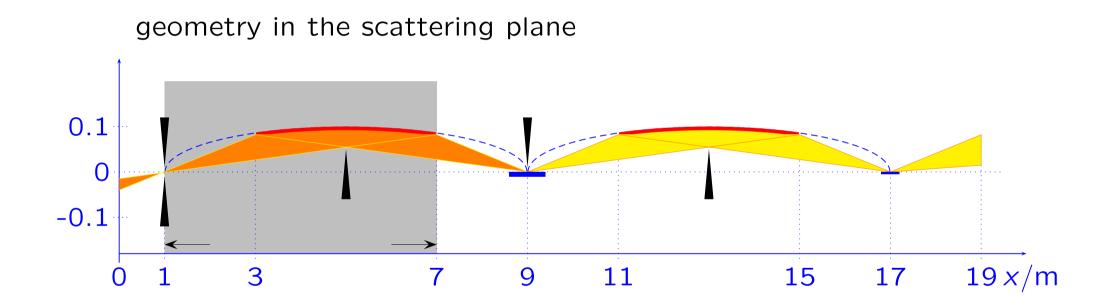
 $\Rightarrow$  moderate length, strong focusing in the sample plane





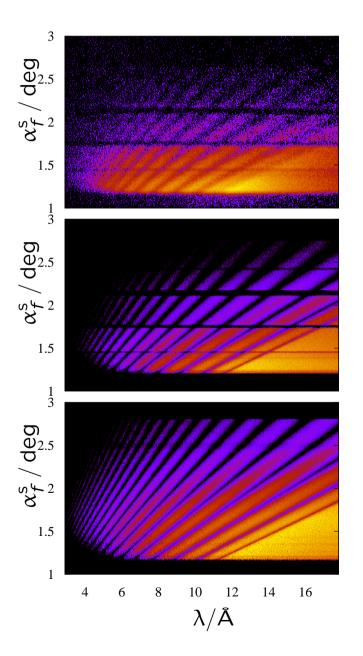
## selene — full instrument

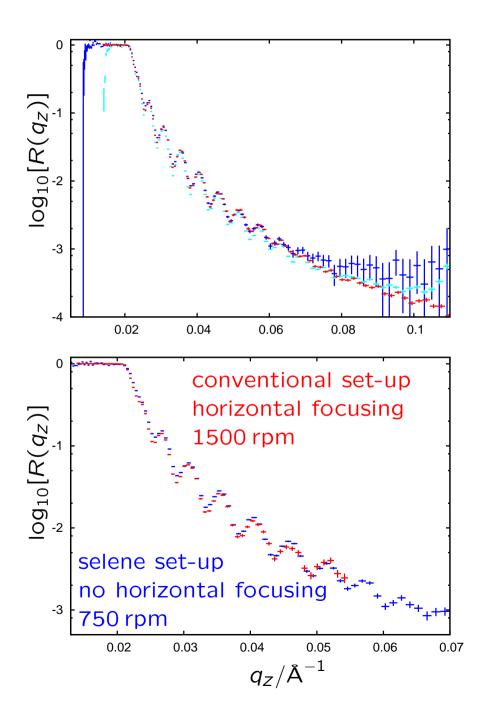
(Amor prototype scaled by 2)



#### selene — tests on Amor

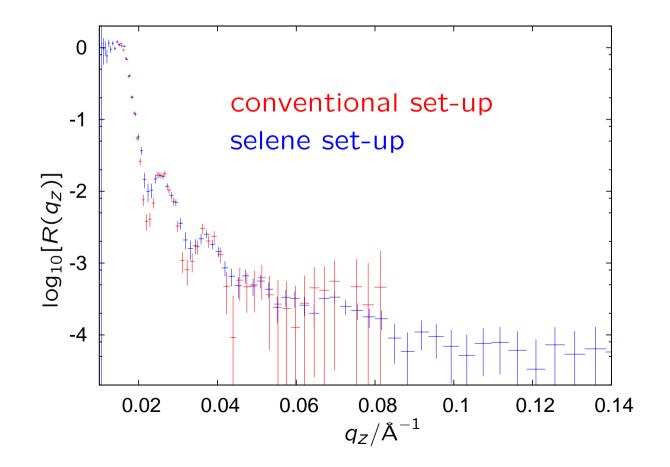
## sample: 1000 Å Ni on glass





### selene — tests on Amor

sample:  $La_{2/3}Sr_{1/3}MnO_3/SrTiO_3$  - multilayer on NGO sample-size:  $4 \times 4 \text{ mm}^2$ no focusing in sample plane measurement time: 1 h chopper frequency: 750 rpm / 1500 rpm



- 1 simulation of an instrument with 2 guide elements
  - + check of options like polarisation, band-width filter, chopper
- 2 construction of the prototype instrument and tests on BOA
  - + experiments with *real* samples
  - + horizontal and vertical geometry
- 3 adaption of the design to the needs of the ESS splitting into
  - a horizontal soft matter instrument, and
  - a vertical hard condensed matter instrument for small samples
- $\Rightarrow$  deliverables:
  - report on tests on BOA
  - complete simulation of the instruments for the ESS

- optimised for liquid/air interface
- $\Rightarrow$  horizontal sample plane, large  $q_z$ -range with one setting
- optimised for short counting times
- $\Rightarrow$  no use of long wavelengths
- $\Rightarrow$  conflict short vs. long instrument!

GISANS focusing to the detector in the sample plane compatibility with selene-concept has to be checked! (astigmatic focusing might spoil the correction for coma aberration) aim for small samples ( $< 10 \times 10 \text{ mm}^2$ )

- $\Rightarrow$  strong focusing to the sample in the sample plane
- $\Rightarrow$  initial aperture of 1  $\times$  10 mm<sup>2</sup> ideally!

variable resolution (1 to 20% required):

- ⇒ variable sample-detector distance (to tune  $\Delta \alpha$ ) moderate source/detector distance (30 to 50 m)
- or use a multilayer monochromator to get an angle/wavelength encoding for high resolution

(no chopper, Frédéric's REFocus approach)

- TOF gives off-specular resolution
- ML gives specular resolution

(to be evaluated)

## manpower and costs

task programming	2.1, 2.2	pm	k€
<ul> <li>off-specular scattering (from guide/sample)</li> <li>gravity in elliptic guides</li> </ul>	<i>∠.</i> ⊥, <i>∠</i> .∠	3 6	22 44
simulations – full set-up on BOA (several options) – analysis of experiments (real effects) – adaption for ESS, soft matter – adaption for ESS, hard matter	2.3, 2.4 2.3, 2.4 2.1 2.2	5 9/12	36
hard-ware, investment	2.4		
<ul> <li>second guide element</li> <li>diaphragms, rotation and translation stages</li> </ul>			50 50
consumables – computation time – misc. for BOA experiment			10 10
conception / experiments – full set-up on BOA	2.3, 2.4	6+9	160