



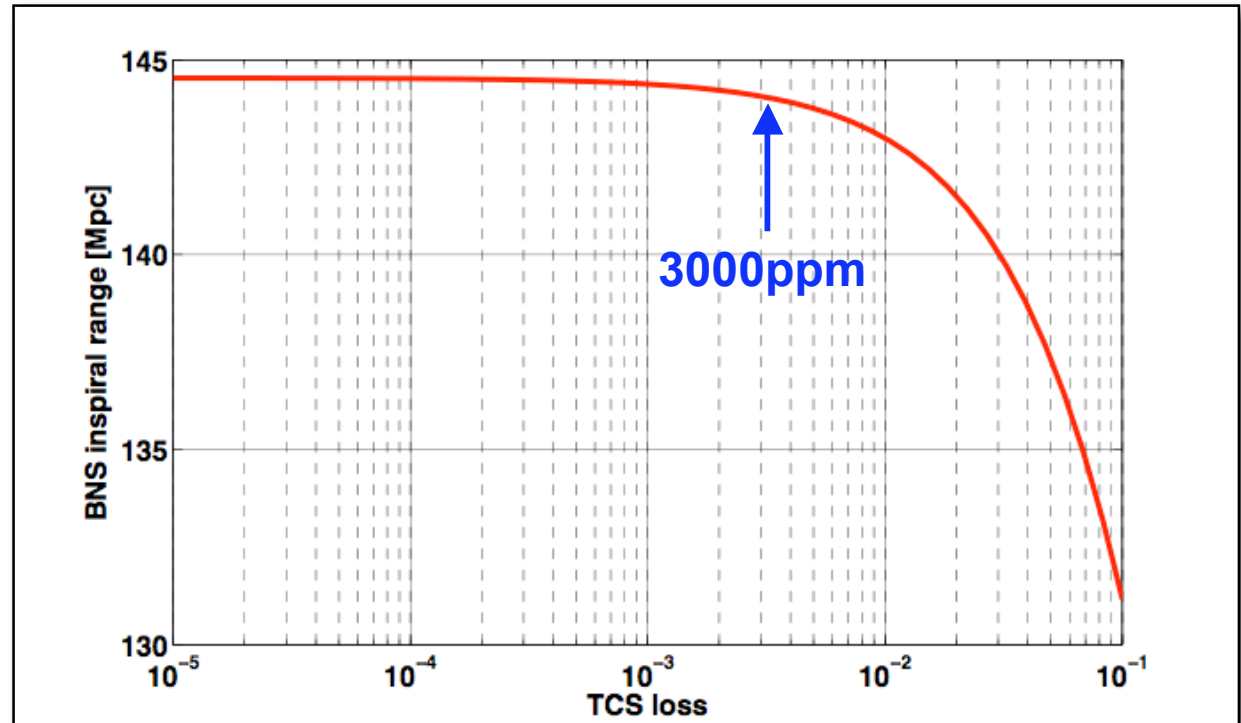
SRC and TCS 'Losses' in GWINC

- ➔ A summary of how the implementation in GWINC works can be found on the OSD wiki: <https://workarea.ego-gw.it/ego2/virgo/advanced-virgo/osd/implementation-of-tcs-and-astigmatism-losses-into-gwinc>
- ➔ There are three parameters involved:
 - `ifo.TCS.SRCloss` = coupling loss from arm cavity mode to SRC mode due not perfectly compensated thermal distortions
 - `ifo.Optics.coupling` = coupling loss from arm cavity mode to SRC mode (no thermal distortion)
 - `ifo.Optics.BSLoss` = Losses 'around' the beam splitter: CP-AR, BS-AR, ITM-AR etc
- ➔ Mismatch calculates as:
$$\text{Mismatch} = 1 - \text{ifo.Optics.coupling} + \text{ifo.TCS.SRCloss} + \text{ifo.Optics.BSLoss}$$
- ➔ Mismatch is then used to calculate the effective SRM reflectivity. Then **effective SRM reflectivity** and **overall signal losses** plug into the quantum noise formula of GWINC.



TCS coupling losses

- ➔ GWINC variable:
`ifo.TCS.SRCloss`
- ➔ Currently used value
= 0

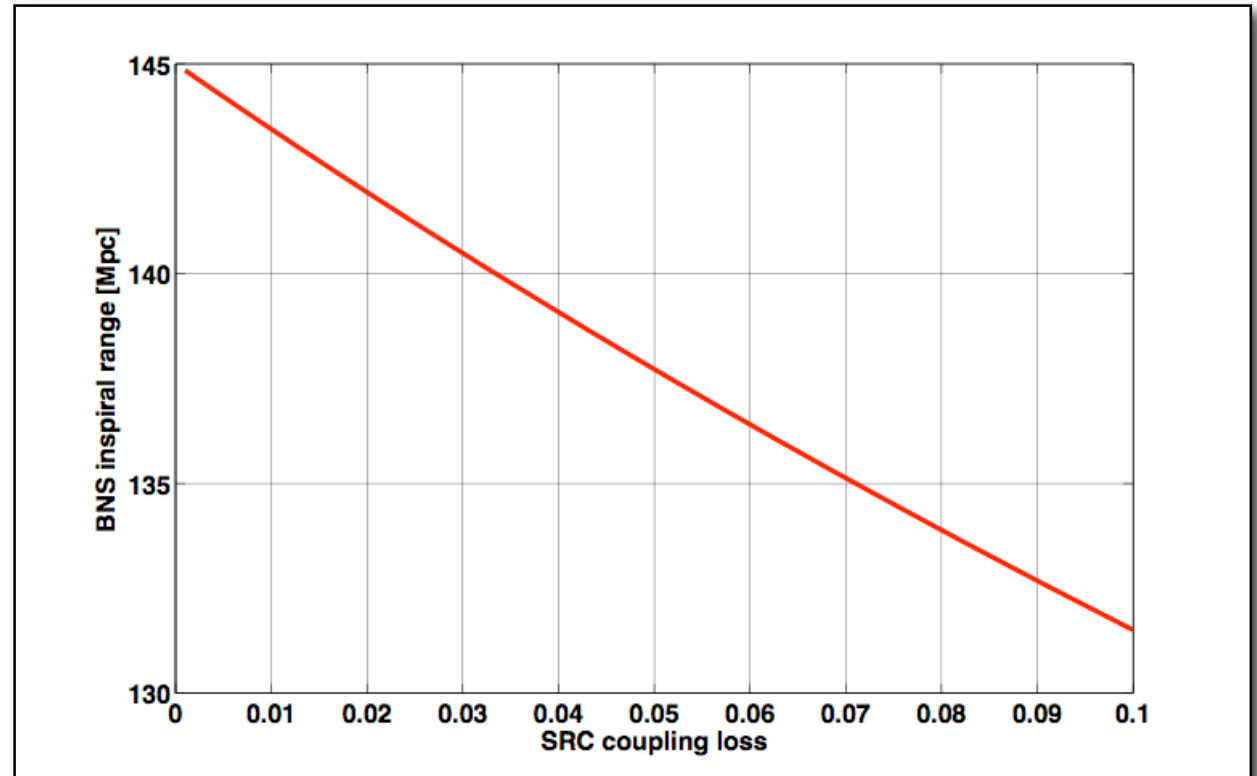


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SRC coupling losses

- ➔ GWINC variable:
[ifo.Optics.coupling](#)
- ➔ Currently used value
= 0.997 (equivalent
to 0.003 in the plot)



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