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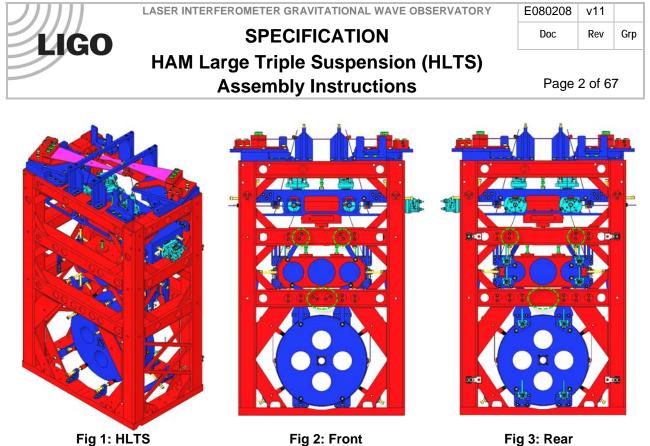


Fig 2: FrontFig 3: RearNote: Front vs. Rear of Weldment is identified by 3 hole patterns.

1 Safety

Please review E0900332 for concerns related to safe assembly and installation.

2 Objective and Scope

Subassembly and Final Assembly of the aLIGO HAM Large Triple Suspension, including:

- General considerations for assembly
- Use of the assembly fixtures shown in D080718

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3 **Documents**

J	Docui	nents
	D070308	HLTS Top Blade Guard Assembly
	D070319	HLTS Bridge EQ Stops
	D070326	HLTS Rotational Adjuster
	D070334	HLTS Intermediate Mass Assembly
	D070335	HLTS Upper Mass Assembly
	D070337	HLTS Bottom Mass Assembly
	D070340	HLTS Upper Wire Assembly
	D070393	HLTS Intermediate Wire Assembly
	D070436	HLTS Lower Loop Wire Assembly
	D070442	HLTS Overall Assembly
	D070447	HLTS Assembly Drawings
	D080677	HLTS Coil Holder Assembly
	D080718	HLTS Assembly Fixtures
	D080726	HLTS EQ Stop, Long Mount
	D080727	HLTS EQ Stop, Long Bracket
	D0900626	HLTS Mounting Pad Assembly
	D1001695	Magnet and Flag Assembly, BOSEM
	D1002821	HLTS EQ Stop Assembly, Bottom Mass, Lower
	D1102071	HLTS EQ Stop, Bridge, Upper
	E080208	HLTS Assembly Instructions (this document)
	E0900047	Contamination Control Plan
	E1000043	HLTS Assembly and Installation Hazard Analysis
	E1000045	HLTS Installation Procedure
	E1100109	Suspensions Controls Arrangement
	E960022	LIGO Vacuum Compatibility, Cleaning Methods and Qualification Procedures
	E990196	Magnet/Standoff Assembly Preparation
	E1100472	HLTS Assembly and Installation Documentation
	G1100147	HLTS Introduction
	M0900034	RODA - Use of Magnets in Suspensions
	T000053	Advanced LIGO Universal Suspension Subsystem Design Requirements
	T010007	Cavity Optics Suspension Subsystem Design Requirements
	T010103	aLIGO Suspension System Conceptual Design
	T1000012	HLTS Final Design Document
	T1000089	HLTS Test Plan
	T1100066	General Torque Recommendations for Socket Head Cap Screws
	T1100003	Building Suspensions Subassemblies in ICS

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4 Documenting the Assembly Process

4.1 Documents

T1100003 Building Suspensions Subassemblies in ICS.

4.2 Procedure

- 1. See the above document.
- 2. Data for each Final Assembly will be stored in ICS; using a Process Traveler is optional:

ltem	Assembly 1 Part Name	Assembly 1 Part Number	Serial Number	Position	Variant	Weight
Each Mass	Х	Х	Х	Х		Х
Each Blade	Х	Х	Х	Х		
Each Blade Clamp	Х	Х	Х	Х	Х	
Each OSEM	Х	Х	Х	Х		
Each Optic	Х	Х	Х			Х

Note regarding Subassembly weights: Each Subassembly must have 3 distinct weights recorded:

- 1) Estimated Weight Calculated by SolidWorks;
- 2) Actual Weight Measured by a lab scale after built to the nominal mass;
- 3) Balanced Weight Totaled after Suspension is balanced (i.e. Actual Weight <u>+</u> Add-On Weights). When Addable weights are used, note their location on the Mass.



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5 Vacuum Compatibility

5.1 General Handling

All procedures must be performed in a clean room environment while suited up in:

- Coverall with Hood
- Boot style shoe covers
- LIGO-approved latex gloves
- Glove Liners and Safety Glasses when working with Wire

All Tables surfaces used for Class A components should be wiped down daily with Isopropanol.

Review E0900047 Contamination Control Plan for details. All HSTS parts are Class A hardware and once cleaned and baked should not come into contact with anything but Class A or B hardware.

5.2 Cleaning Components

Clean items per E960022.

5.3 Inspection

After baking, sample check the cleanliness of blind-tapped and through-tapped holes with a clean swab dampened with alcohol for a minimum of 10% of the holes in case any material has leached out during baking. If any discoloration of the swab is evident, then the part must go through at least one more wash cycle before repeating the bake. After inspection, wrap items per E960022.

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6 Fasteners

6.1 Documents

T1100066 General Torque Recommendations for Socket Head Cap Screws

6.2 Helicoils

Helicoils are specified for:

- Certain SSTL applications to avoid using AgPlated fasteners;
- Certain applications where assembly / disassembly recurs.

Helicoils are cleaned, baked and installed with Class B clean tools in a Class 100 clean room.

6.3 Silver Plated Stainless Steel

All Silver Plated fasteners are also SSTL, and so are labeled simply "AgPlated", not "AgPlated SSTL".

6.4 Jam Nuts

All ¼-20 Jam (thin) Nuts have been replaced with ¼-20 AgPlated SSTL Hex Nuts (standard thickness).

6.5 Screw Applications

Screw Type	Screw Description	Receiver Application
AgPlated SSTL	Silver-Plated Stainless Steel	 Stainless Steel threads
SSTL	Stainless Steel	 Aluminum Threads
		 Helicoil Threads
Vented	SSTL Screw with holes	 Rare Vacuum Compatibility situations

6.6 Torque Values

- Except where noted, Socket Head Cap Screws are to be tightened per the following table.
- "Generic" applies to Screws that are non-plated, non-vented, and not marked as Holokrome.
- Holokrome Screws are marked as such on the Screw.
- UC (UC Components, Supplier) Screws are AgPlated.
- All Screws are UNC (coarse threaded).

Torque (in-lb)		
Generic (unmarked)	Holokrome UC	UC
Unplated Unplated AgPlated		Vented
3	4	3
5	6	7
20	30	25
75	100	86
132	184	
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7 Overview of Assembly Process

General sequence:

- 1. Subassemblies are built first, in any convenient order.
- 2. Main Assembly is built, mostly from Subassemblies.
- Main Assembly sequence:
- 1. Rotational Adjusters
- 2. Intermediate Mass
- 3. Lower Wire
- 4. Lower Mass
- 5. Upper Mass + Upper and Intermediate Wires
- 6. Balancing
- 7. OSEMS
- 7.1 Frame of Reference

Using the Right-Hand-Rule when viewed from behind the Weldment, with the origin at the center bottom of the Weldment, the positive X, Y and Z directions are shown at right.

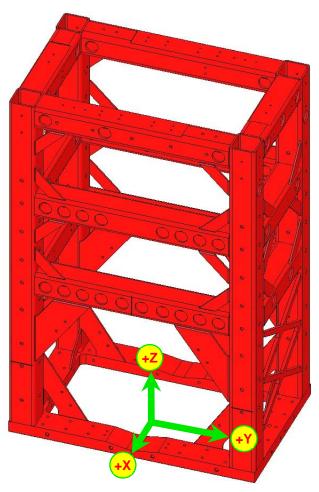


Fig 4: Frame of Reference



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8 Handling Suspension Wire

The Wire used for all Suspensions is a hard temper carbon steel, delivered on large spools. When unwound for cleaning, cutting and preparation for clamp-wire-clamp assembly, care must be taken such that the wire's strong potential energy (making it act like a coiled spring) does not cause injury.

- 1. Safety Glasses, provided in all Clean Room garbing areas, must be worn during all wire work.
- 2. Glove Liners must be worn under the latex clean-room gloves as a protective layer and extra barrier. The E0900047 Contamination Control Plan, p. 13, provides further information on Glove Liners.
- 3. For easier holding, bend a small section (~3") of the end of the Wire. The bent section can be hooked around your thumb and held by your index finger. Un-spool the proper length of Wire including extra for handling and control the area of the Wire that will be cut. Add a 2nd bend at the newly cut end for easier handling.
- 4. Change your gloves and wipe each Wire at least 3 times each, and until no residue appears on each Wipe, using:
 - a. A Cleaning Wipe with Methanol;
 - b. A Cleaning Wipe with Acetone;
 - c. A Cleaning Wipe with Isopropanol;

changing Wipes until the wire is completely clean. Clean the Wire while it is coiled; do not stretch the wire until it is taut for cleaning. It can be laid down on a clean surface during this process. Clean one section at a time.

5. Transfer the Wire to the Assembly Jig. Use the Jig clamps to hold the Wire in place, and then cut off and discard the bent Wire ends.



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9 Assembling Upper Wires

9.1 Documents

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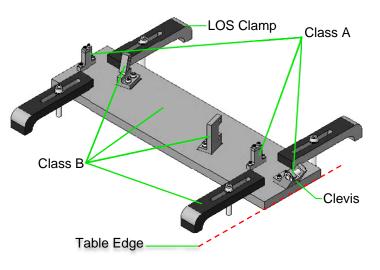
D070340 HLTS Upper Wire Assembly

9.2	Mate	rials	
Qty	U v	ID	Description
1	Ea	D0900594	HLTS Upper Wire Assembly Jig
4	Ea	D980184	LOS Clamps, Long
1	Ea	D020611	Upper Clamp, Upper Wire, Inside
1	Ea	D020652	C-Clamp, Upper Mass
1	Ea	D070341	Upper Clamp, Upper Wire, Outside
1	Ea	D020610	Upper Wire, Lower Clamp, Inside
4	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.625" SSTL
4	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.5" AgPlated
4	Ea	NA	Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL
4	Ea	1185-2EN246	Helicoil 8-32 x .246"
1	Ea	NA	Hang Weight, 1 Kg, or D020660 Blade Pulldown Device
4	Ea	NA	Large Test Weights, 10, 5, 2, 1 Kg
1	Ea	NA	Small Test Weight Set, 1 to 500 g
1	Btl	NA	Methanol
1	Btl	NA	Acetone
1	Btl	NA	Isopropanol
			Steel Music Wire, 0.024" dia.
			Lint-Free Wipes
			Class B Wire Cutters

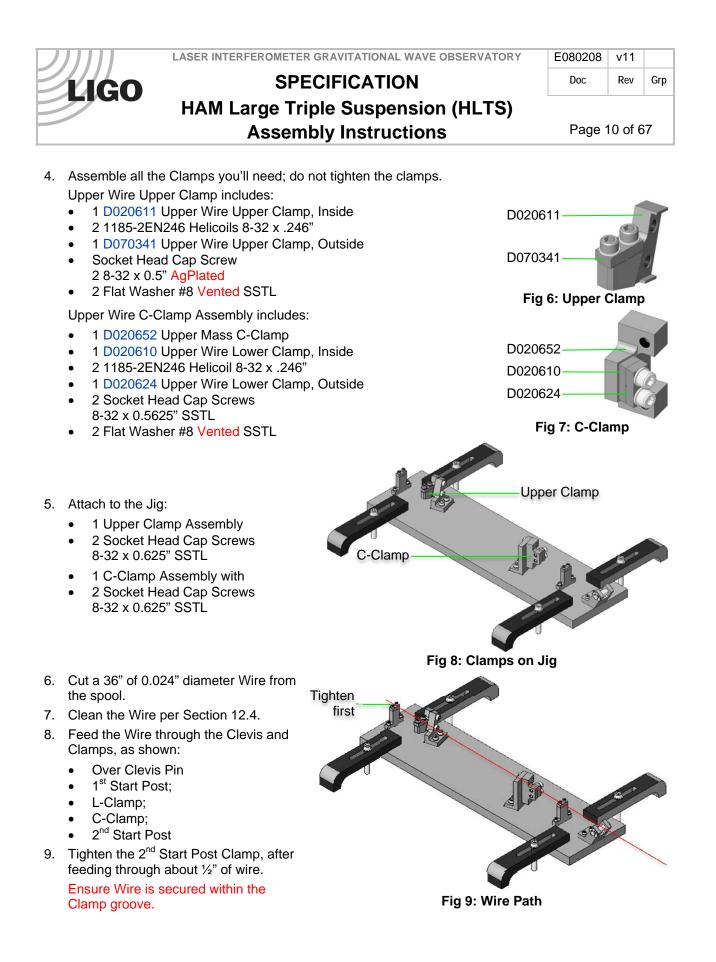
9.3 Procedure

2 Assemblies are required per HLTS. Use safety glasses per E0900332.

- 1. Ensure the D0900594 Assembly Jig has been cleaned Class B per E960022.
- 2. Ensure Jig is fully assembled per the drawing.
- 3. Attach the D0900594 Jig to an Optical Table using the 4 D980184 LOS Clamps. The end of the Jig with the Clevis and Pin must hang over the edge of the Table enough to provide clearance for the hanging weight.









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- 10. Tie a small loop in the end of the wire hanging off the Table and hang the 1 kg Hang Weight. Add large and small weights for a total of 18.252 kg. Then change gloves, since the weights are not clean.
- Wait 5 minutes for the wire to come to equilibrium. Tighten the screws on each of the 3 remaining wire clamps in the order shown. Torque to 30 in-lb.
 During tightening:
 - Ensure Wire is secured within the grooves of each Clamp.
 - Ensure Clamp halves are aligned with each other by using a Precision Square.
- 12. Remove the Hang Weight and cut the Wire in the locations shown. Change gloves since the weights are not clean.
- 13. Loosen the Screws on the Wire Clamps on the jig and discard the leftover Wire.
- Remove the Screws holding the Upper Wire Assembly to the Upper Wire Jig. Bend back the ends of the wire to eliminate sharp points.
- 15. Measure the Wire length between Clamps to confirm that it is 202.50mm.

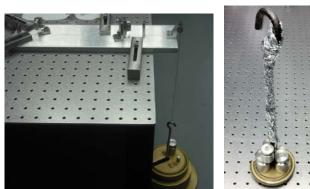


Fig 10: Hang Weight in use

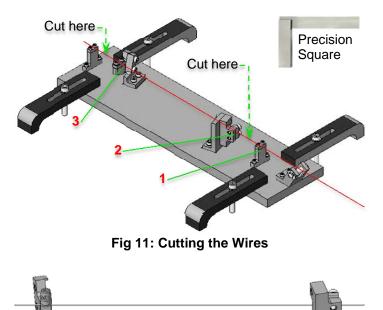


Fig 12: Upper Wire Assembly complete

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10 Assembling Intermediate Wires

10.1 Documents

D070393 HLTS Intermediate Wire Assembly

10.2 Materials Qty U ID Description D0900630 **HLTS Intermediate Wire Jig** 1 Ea 4 Ea D980184 LOS Clamps, Long 1 Ea D070585 Inside Upper Clamp Outside Intermediate Wire Upper Clamp 1 Ea D070394 Intermediate Wire Breakoff Ea D030149 1 Inside Intermediate Wire Lower Clamp D070405 1 Ea Outside Intermediate Wire Lower Clamp 1 Ea D070406 2 Ea NA Socket Head Cap Screw 4-40 x 0.5" SSTL 3 Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.5" SSTL Ea NA Socket Head Cap Screw 4-40 x 0.375 AgPlated 2 Ea NA 2 NA Flat Washer #4 Vented SSTL Ea 2 NA Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.625" SSTL Ea 2 Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL Ea NA 2 1185-2EN164 Helicoil 8-32 x .164" Nitronic 60 Ea Helicoil 4-40 x .224" Nitronic 60 2 Ea 1185-04EN224 1 Btl NA Methanol 1 Btl NA Acetone Btl NA 1 Isopropanol Spl NA Steel Music Wire, 0.0134" dia. 1 Pkg NA Lint-Free Wipes 1 **Class B Wire Cutters** 1 Ea NA Hang Weight, 1 Kg, or D020660 Blade Pulldown Device Ea NA 1 Large Test Weights, 10, 5, 2, 1 Kg NA 4 Ea Small Test Weight Set, 1 to 500 g 1 Ea NA

10.3 Procedure

4 Assemblies are required per HLTS.

Use safety glasses per E0900332.

1. Attach the D0900630 Jig to an Optical Table using the 4 D980184 LOS Clamps. The end of the Jig with the Clevis and Pin must hang over the edge of the Table enough to provide clearance for the hanging weight.

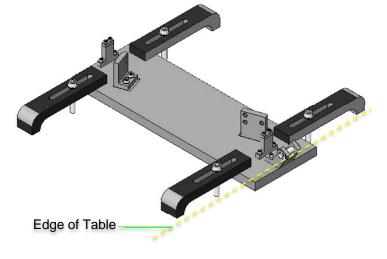
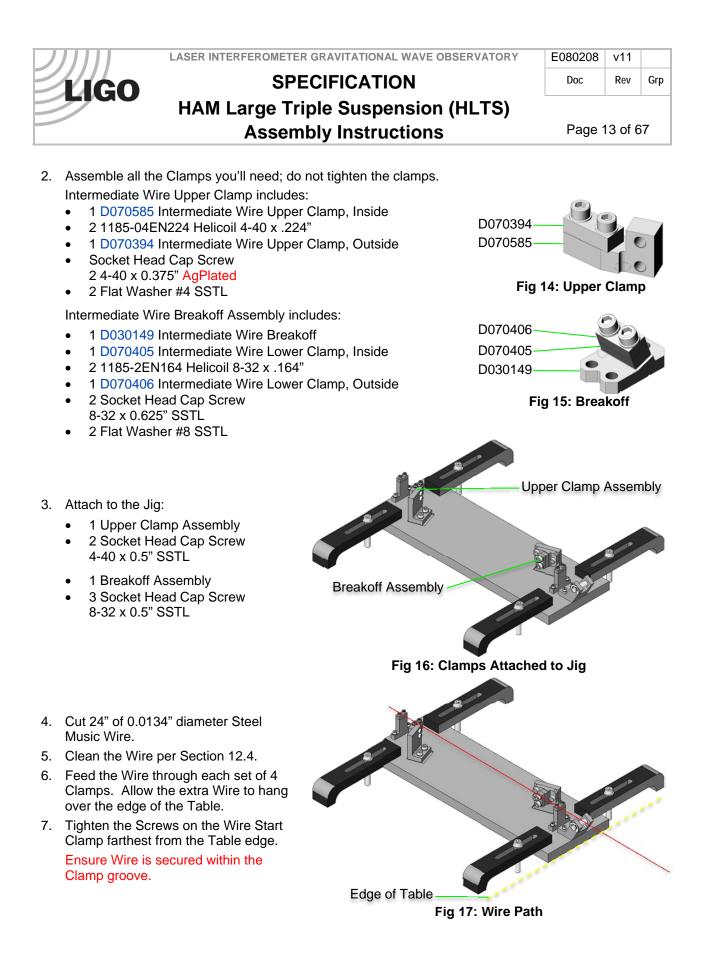


Fig 13: Jig





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- Tie a small loop in the end of the Wire hanging off the Table and hang the 1 kg Hang Weight or Pulldown Device from the loop. Add additional weights to the Hanger for a total of 6.092 kg. Then change gloves, since the weights are not clean.
- 9. Wait 5 minutes for the wire to come to equilibrium. Tighten the screws on each of the 3 remaining wire clamps in the order shown.
 - 4-40 Screws: Torque to 6 in-lb
 - 8-32 Screws: Torque to 30 in-lb During tightening:
 - Ensure Wire is secured within the grooves of each Clamp.
 - Ensure Clamp halves are aligned with each other by using a Precision Square.
- 10. Remove the Hang Weight and cut the Wire in the locations shown. Change gloves since the weights are not clean.
- 11. Loosen the Screws on the Wire Clamps on the jig and discard the leftover Wire.
- 12. Remove the screws holding the Intermediate Wire Assembly to the Intermediate Wire Jig. Bend back the ends of the wire to eliminate sharp points.
- 13. Measure the Wire length between Clamps to confirm that it is 203.60mm.

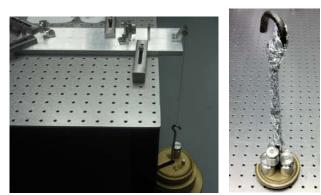


Fig 18: Hang Weight in use

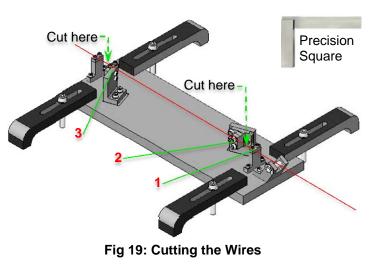




Fig 20: Completed Intermediate Wire Assembly



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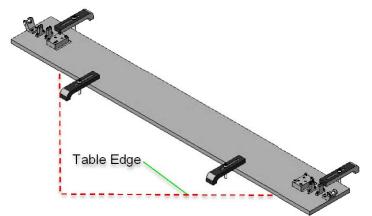
11.1 Documents

D070436 HLTS Lower Loop Wire Assembly

11.2 Materials

Qty	U	ID Decod 110	Description
1	Ea		HLTS Lower Loop Wire Jig
4	Ea	D980184	LOS Clamps, Long
2	Ea	D030148	Lower Loop Wire Intermediate Mass Breakoffs
6	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.5" SSTL
4	Ea	D070438	Lower Loop Wire Clamps
4	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.5625" SSTL
4	Ea	NA	Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL
4	Ea	1185-2EN164	Helicoil 8-32 x .164"
1	Btl	NA	Methanol
1	Btl	NA	Acetone
1	Btl	NA	Isopropanol
1	Spl	NA	Steel Music Wire, 0.0106" dia.
1	Pkg	NA	Lint-Free Wipes
1	Ea	NA	Wire Cutters, cleaned Class B
1	Ea	NA	Hang Weight, 1 Kg, or D020660 Blade Pulldown Device
4	Ea	NA	Large Test Weights, 10, 5, 2, 1 Kg
1	Ea	NA	Small Test Weight Set, 1 to 500 g

11.3 Procedure





- 2. Assemble loosely the Lower Loop Breakoffs, each using:
 - 1 D030148 Breakoff • Ensure the vent groove faces downward
 - 2 D070438 Lower Loop Wire Clamp

One Assembly is required per HLTS. Use safety glasses per E0900332.

1. Attach the D0901419 Lower Loop Wire Jig to an Optical Table using 4

D980184 Long LOS Clamps arranged

so both ends of the Jig hang over the

edges of the Table.

- 2 Socket Head Cap Screw • 8-32 x .5625" SSTL
- 2 Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL

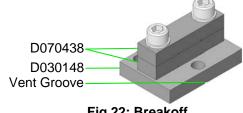


Fig 22: Breakoff

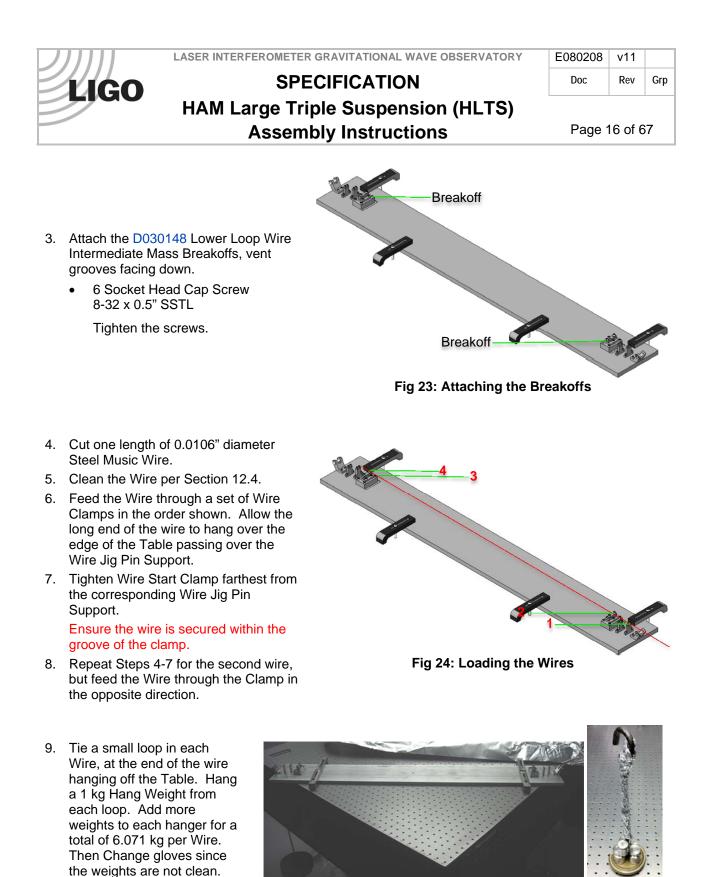


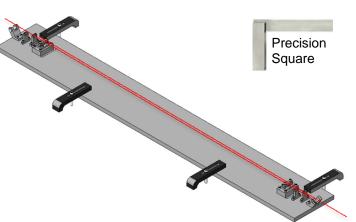
Fig 25: Hang Weight in position

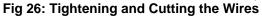


10. Wait 5 minutes for the wires to come to equilibrium. Tighten the Screws on the Lower Loop Wire Clamps, then tighten the screws on the remaining Wire Start Clamps. Torque to 30 in-lb.

During tightening:

- Ensure Wire is secured within the grooves of each Clamp.
- Ensure Clamp halves are aligned with each other by using a Precision Square.
- Cut the wires between the Lower Loop Wire Clamps and the Wire Start Clamps.
- 12. Remove the weights on both ends. Change gloves since the weights are not clean.





- 13. Loosen the screws on the Wire Start Clamps on the Jig and discard the leftover pieces of wire.
- 14. Remove the Screws holding the Lower Loop Wire Assembly to the Jig.
- 15. Bend back the ends of the wires to eliminate sharp points.

Fig 27: Lower Loop Wire complete Assembly



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12 Assembling Upper Blade Guards

12.1 Documents

D070308 HLTS Top Blade Guard Assembly

12.2 Materials

Qty	U	ID	Description
4	Ea	D070309	Top Blade Guard Riser
2	Ea	D070310	Top Blade Guard Bar
8	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 1.0" SSTL
8	Ea	NA	Flat Washer, ¼" Vented SSTL
4	Ea	D0900999	Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 2.0" SSTL Round-Tip
4	Ea	NA	Hex Nut ¼-20 AgPlated

- 12.3 Procedure
- 1. Assemble 2 D070308 Top Blade Guard Assemblies, each with:
 - 2 D070309 Top Blade Guard Riser
 - 1 D070310 Top Blade Guard Bar
 - 4 Socket Head Cap Screws ¼-20 x 1.0" SSTL
 - 4 Flat Washers, 1/4-20 Vented SSTL
 - 2 D0900999 Socket Head Cap Screw 2 ¼-20 x 2.0" SSTL Round-Tip
 - 2 Hex Nut ¼-20 AgPlated

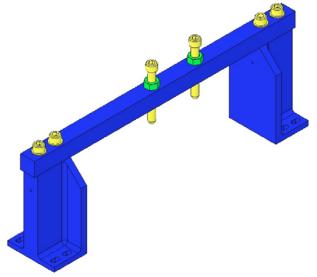


Fig 28: Top Blade Guard Assembly



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13 Assembling the Rotational Adjusters

- 13.1 Documents
- D070326 HLTS Rotational Adjuster
- E1000169 Blade Characterization Spreadsheet
- T0900559 Blade Pairings Spreadsheet

13.2 Materials

Qty	U	ID	Description		
1	Ea	D080265	HLTS Upper Blade Bake Fixture		
1	Ea	D070327	HLTS RA Base Plate		
1	Ea	D070328	HLTS RA Rotating Plate		
3	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 0.625" SSTL		
3	Ea	NA	Flat Washer 1/4"		
1	Ea	D070329	HLTS RA Pull Plate		
2	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 1.0" AgPlated		
1	Ea	D070330	HLTS RA Push Plate		
2	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 1.25" AgPlated		
1	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 1.5" Fully-Threaded SSTL		
1	Ea	NA	Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL		
1	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 1.5" Full-Thread Round-Tip SSTL		
3	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 5/16-18 x 1.75" AgPlated		
3	Ea	NA	Flat Washer 5/16" Vented SSTL		
1	Ea	D0900665	HLTS Upper Blade Library of Clamps		
2	Ea	D020617	Upper Blade		
2	Ea	Various	Upper Blade Clamp Inside		
2	Ea	D070331	Upper Blade Clamp Shim, 1.0mm		
			Consult with a Suspension Design Engineer to verify that 1.0 is appropriate; Shim height needed depends upon actual Weldment height.		
1	Ea	D020660	Blade Pulldown Device		
1	Ea	NA	Machinist's Square		

13.3 Procedure

- Prepare a D020660 Blade Pulldown
 Device with:
- 1 D0901814 Upper Clamp, Inside
- 1 D070341 Upper Clamp, Outside
- Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.5" AgPlated
- Flat Washer #8 Vented, SSTL
- 2' of 0.024" Wire.

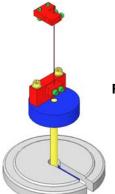


Fig 29: Blade Pulldown Device



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- 1. Remove the Bridges and Side Supports from the D080268 Upper Blade Bake Fixture Base Plate.
- 2. Mount the Base Plate to an Optics Table, leaving one end of the Plate extending beyond the Table Edge to accommodate the Blade Pulldown Device.Assemble 2 D070328 Rotational Adjuster Rotating Plates to the Fixture Base Plate using:
 - 4 Socket Head Cap Screws ¼-20 x .625" SSTL
 - 4 Flat Washers ¼" Vented SSTL

Tighten the Screws firmly.

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Square the edge of the Rotational Adjuster Rotating Plate against the Fixture Stop Block.

- 3. Assemble the D1003307 Hold Down Bar to the Fixture using:
 - 2 Socket Head Cap Screws ¼-20 x 1.00" SSTL
 - 2 Flat Washer ¼" Vented SSTL

Tighten the Screws firmly.



- Blade launch angle is set by Blade Clamps. These range from 0-3.5 deg. in .5 deg. increments.
- Select Clamps from the D0900665 HLTS Upper Blade Library of Clamps
- Select Clamps according to Blade Characterization data for stiffness and expected load.
- Select Blades in pairs according to Blade Characterization data.
- Align the Blade, Clamps and Shim using a Precision Square.
- Record the Blade serial numbers and Blade clamp angles and orientations within ICS.

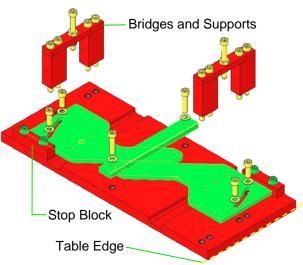


Fig 30: Rotating Plates & Hold Down Bar

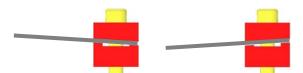


Fig 31: Clamps Control Launch Angle

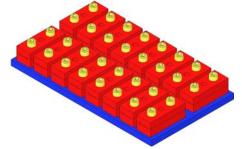


Fig 32: Upper Blade Library of Clamps





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- 5. Assemble to the Rotational Adjuster Blade Rotating Plate furthest from the Table edge:
 - 3 Socket Head Cap Screws 5/16-18 x 1.75" AgPlated
 - 3 Flat Washers 5/16" Vented SSTL
 - D09006XX Upper Blade Clamp Outside
 - D020617 Upper Blade
 - D09006XX Upper Blade Clamp Inside
 - D070331 Upper Blade Clamp Shim 1.0mm

Consult with a Suspension Design Engineer to verify that 1.0mm is appropriate; Shim height needed depends upon actual Weldment height.

Using the Machinist's Square, Square the Blade, Clamps, and Shim to each other and to the Rotating Plate and hand-tighten the 3 Screws

- 6. Hang the 18.252 kg Pulldown Weight from the Blade Tip
- 7. Assemble to the Bake Fixture Base Plate:
 - 2 D1003306 Side Support
 - 1 D080267 Top Bridge
 - 4 Socket Head Cap Screws ¼-20 x 2.5" SSTL Tighten the Screws firmly
 - D0900999 Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 2.0" Round-Tip
 - Hex Nut ¼-20 AgPlated
- Turn down the Round Tip Screw until the weighted Blade tip is level with the Blade root.
 Be careful not to damage the nickel plating on the blade
- 9. Leaving the Wire Clamp attached to the Blade, remove the rest of the Blade Pulldown Device.
- 10. Tighten the 5/16" Screws to 184 in-lb.
- 11. Re-attach the Blade Pulldown Device to the Wire Clamp.
- 12. Turn back the Round Tip Screw and remove the Top Bridge and Side Supports.
- 13. Slowly lift and then remove the Blade Pulldown Device, allowing the Blade to curve fully upward.
- 14. Detach the Bake Fixture from the Optics Table, rotate it 180 deg., and remount it on the Optics Table, leaving one end of the Plate extending beyond the Table Edge to accommodate the Blade Pulldown Device.
- 15. Repeat steps 7-15 to assemble the second Upper Blade to the Bake Fixture.
- 16. Remove the Hold-down Bar.
- 17. Disassemble both Rotational Adjusters from the Upper Blade Bake Fixture.

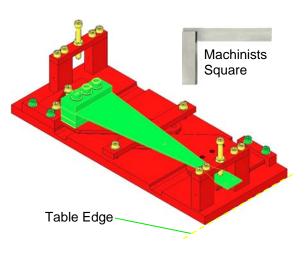


Fig 33: Blade & Clamps Assembled

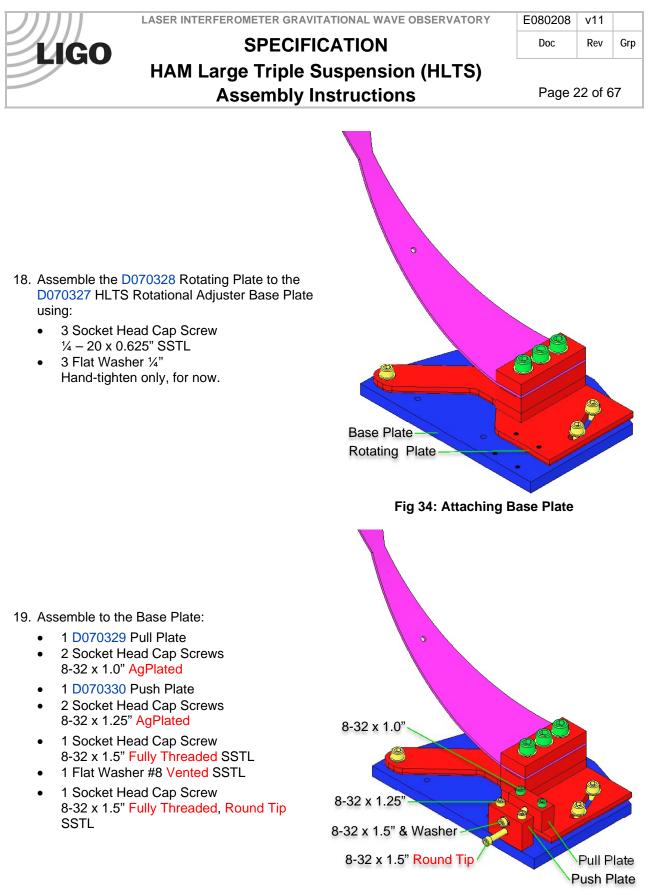


Fig 35: Assembling Push & Pull Plates



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14 Assembling Magnets – Upper Mass

14.1 Documents

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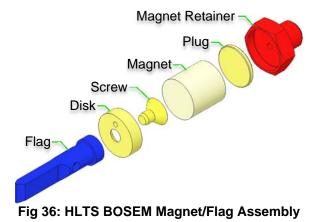
D1001695 Magnet and Flag Assembly, BOSEM

14.2 Materials

Qty 9 9 9 9 9 9	U Ea Ea Ea Ea Ea	ID D1100573 D1100574 NA DCNI 01888N D1001534 D1001697	Description BOSEM Flat Magnet Flag BOSEM Flat Magnet Flag Disk Flat Head Socket Screw 4-40 x 0.1875" SSTL Sintered NdFeB Magnet, Ni Plated, 10mm x 5mm BOSEM Magnetic Plug HLTS BOSEM Magnet Retainer
9	Ea	D1001697	HLTS BOSEM Magnet Retainer

14.3 Procedure – Assembly

- 1. Assemble 9 D1001695 BOSEM Magnet / Flag Assemblies, each with (shown left-to-right):
 - D1100573 BOSEM Flat Magnet Flag
 - D1100574 BOSEM Flat Magnet Flag Disk
 - Flat Head Socket Screw 4-40 x 0.1875" SSTL
 - Magnet D394394N35UHP Sintered NdFeB Ni-Plated 10 mm x 10 mm
 - D1001534 BOSEM Magnetic Plug
 - D1001697 HLTS BOSEM Magnet Retainer



The Magnets attach the Flags to the Upper Mass. Since the Flags are aluminum and the Magnet Retainers are non-magnetic stainless steel, a magnetic 416 stainless steel Magnetic Plug is press-fit into each Flag and Magnet Retainer. The press-fitting operation must be done after all parts are cleaned and baked. The Press itself must be cleaned and/or wrapped in UHV foil.

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14.4 Procedure – Plug Insertion

Procedure for assembling D1001534 Plug to Magnet Holder:

- 1. Heat Air Bake Oven to 70 c;
- 2. Attach Magnet Holders to Heating Fixture with:
 - Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.3125" SSTL Screws must be Class A or B clean
- 3. Place Heating Fixture in Oven for 10 min. minimum:
- 4. Remove Heating Fixture from Oven and inspect Magnet Holders for out-of-round condition, using tapered end of the Disk Insertion Tool to address any out-of-round conditions.
- 5. Place Disk on a Magnet Holder, Place nontapered end of Disk Insertion Tool on Disk, and tap Insertion Tool until Disk is fully seated within Holder.
- 6. Return Heating Fixture to Oven for another 5 minutes, minimum.
- 7. Remove Heating Fixture from Oven, and repeat Step 5, above.
- 8. Remove Magnet Holders from Heating Fixture.



Fig 37: Heating Fixture with Holders

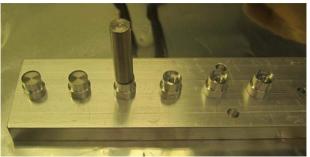


Fig 38: Insertion Tool in position Note: Tapered end of Tool is up Note: Seated Disks on left 2 Holders



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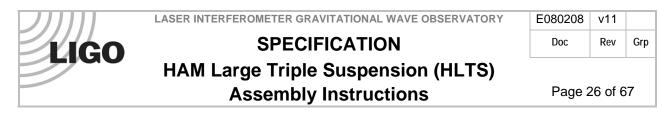
15 Assembling Upper Mass and Coil Holder (M1)

15.1 Documents

- D070335 Upper Mass Assembly
- D080677 Coil Holder Assembly

15.2 Materials

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Qty	U	ID	Description
1	Ea	D040259	Upper Mass Jig
1	Ea	D020605	HLTS Upper Mass Main Section
1	Ea	D020607	Upper Mass T-Piece
8	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 1.25" AgPlated SSTL
1	Ea	D1001669	Pitch Insert
1	Ea	NA	Socket Set Screw ½-20 x 3.5" AgPlated
2	Ea	NA	Socket Set Screw ¼-20 x 2.0" Fully-Threaded SSTL
2	Ea	D080221	HLTS Lower Blade Guards
4	Ea	D030025	Socket Head Cap Screws 8-32 x 1.0" SSTL Fully-Threaded Round-Tip
8	Ea	NA	Hex Nuts 8-32 AgPlated
4	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screws 4-40 x 0.375" AgPlated SSTL
12	Ea	NA	Flat Washers #8 Vented SSTL
4	Ea	Various	HLTS Blade Clamp, Lower Blade, Inside
4	Ea	D020615	Lower Blade
4	Ea	Various	HLTS Blade Clamp, Lower Blade, Outside
10	Ea	NA	Flat Washer ¼" SSTL
4	Ea	D020653	Screwdrive Block
8	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 1.0" AgPlated
4	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 1.125" AgPlated
1	Ea	D030139	Roll Offset, Upper Mass T-Piece
2	Ea	NA	Socket Set Screw ¼-20 x 0.5" AgPlated
4	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 2.0" SSTL
4	Ea	NA	Hex Nut ¼-20 AgPlated
9	Ea	D1001699	Magnet Holder, HLTS BOSEM
18	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 4-40 x 0.625" AgPlated
9	Ea	D1001695	Magnet / Flag Assembly
2	Ea	D070340	HLTS Upper Wire Assemblies
4	Ea	D070393	HLTS Intermediate Wire Assemblies
1	Ea	NA	Machinist's Square
-	_		Components Added Only for Weighing
2	Ea	D020652	Upper Mass C-Clamp
2	Ea	D020610	Inside Upper Wire Lower Clamp
2	Ea	D020624	Outside Upper Wire Lower Clamp
4	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.5" AgPlated
4	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 1.125" SSTL
4	Ea	NA	Flat Washer #8 SSTL
1	Ea	D070449	HLTS Coil Holder
8	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 4-40 x 0.25" AgPlated
4	Ea	NA	Flat Washer #4, Vented, SSTL



Qty	U	ID	Description
2	Ea	D020660	 Lower Blade Pulldown Device 6.092 kg Hang Weight Lower Blade Wire Clamp from Intermediate Wire Assembly 8 Socket Head Cap Screw 4-40 x 0.25" AgPlated Music wire .008" dia. minimum, about 18" long, clamped at one end, and with a small loop tied in the other.)
15.3	Pro	cedure	
	00206	ble to the 05 Upper Mas 20607 Upper	s Main Section: Mass T-Piece 1/4-20 x 1.125"

- 4 Socket Head Cap Screws 1/4-20 x 1.125" AgPlated Torque to 100 in-lb
- 2. Assemble to the D1001669 Pitch Insert:
 - 1 Socket Set Screw • 1/2-20 x 3.5" AgPlated
- 3. Assemble to the T-Piece:
 - 1 D1001669 Pitch Insert • Center the Insert within the T-Piece
 - 2 Socket Set Screws 1/4-20 x 1.5" AgPlated

4. Attach the D040259 Upper Mass Jig to an Optics Table with a 1/4-20 Ag-Plated

5. Thread the T-Piece onto the 1/4-20 stud at

remainder of the assembly steps, but is necessary to secure the Upper Mass during the assembly process.

The Jig will not be shown for the

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the top of the Jig.

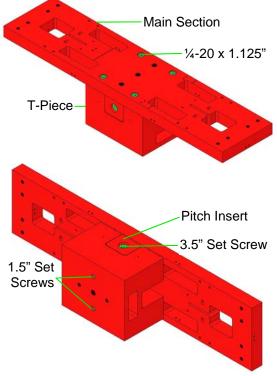


Fig 39: T-Piece Assembled to Main Section

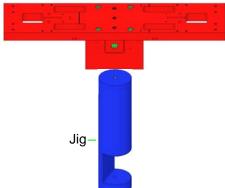
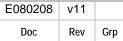


Fig 40: Upper Mass mounted on Jig



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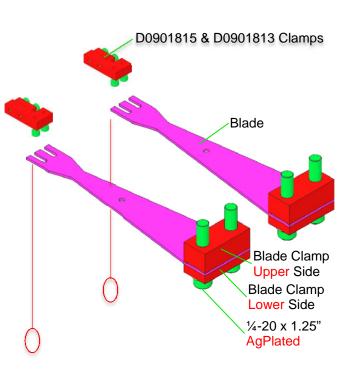
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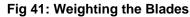
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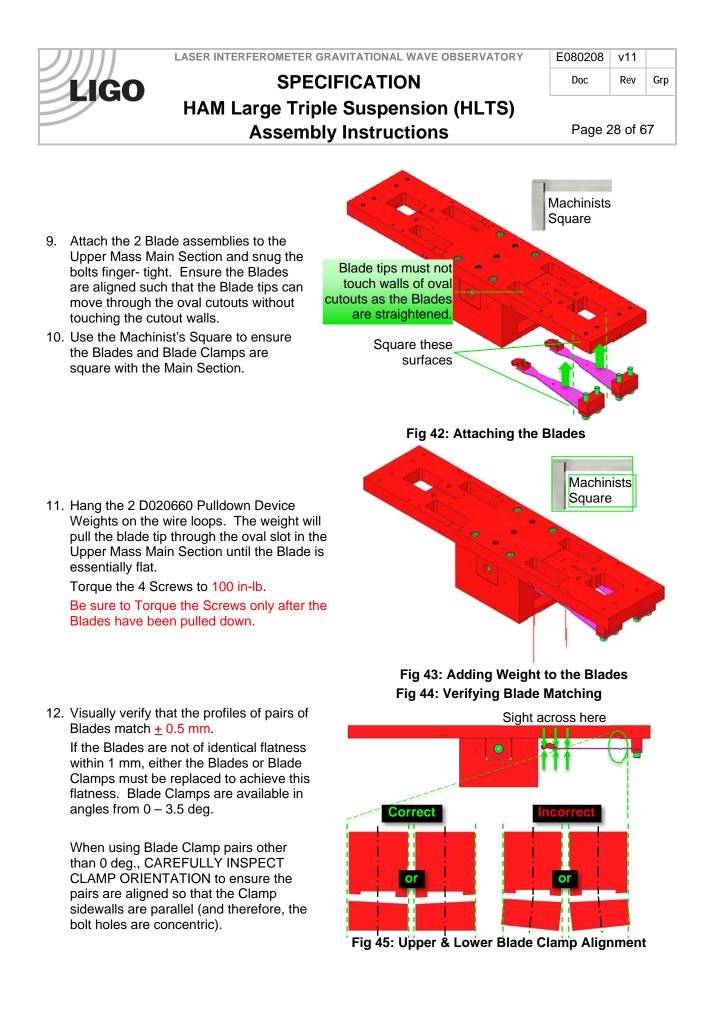
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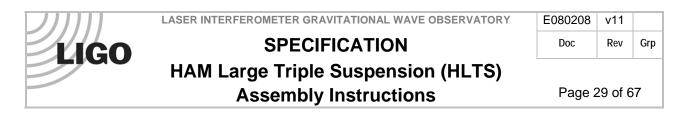
Note: Blades are shown here as flattened, but are actually curved until weighted.

- 6. Per data in T0900559 Blade Pairings, retrieve:
 - 4 matched D020615 Lower Blades.
 - 4 pair (Upper/Lower) of Lower Blade Clamps, each pair with a Clamp angle corresponding to the Matched Blades chosen above. The D0900681 Library of Clamps lists all Blade Clamp angles and part numbers.
 - Identify the placement of the blades as follows:
 - Blade with highest tip in +X, +Y corner
 - Blade with next to highest tip in X, +Y corner
 - Blade with next to lowest tip in +X, -Y corner
 - Blade with lowest tip in –X, -Y corner
- 7. Attach the 2 Clamp/Wire Assemblies from the Lower Blade Pulldown Device to the tip of each Blade.
 - 2 D0901815 Upper Clamp, Int. Wire, Inside
 - 2 D0901813 Upper Clamp, Int. Wire, Outside
 - 4 Socket Head Cap Screw 4-40 x .375" AgPlated
 - 4 Flat Washer #4 Vented SSTL
 - 4 Socket Head Cap Screw 4-40 x .25" AgPlated
- 8. Assemble each Lower Blade as shown:
 - 2 Socket Head Cap Screws ¼-20 x 1.25" AgPlated SSTL
 - 2 Flat Washer 1/4 Vented SSTL
 - 1 Lower Blade Clamp, Lower
 - 1 D020615 Lower Blade
 - 1 Lower Blade Clamp, Upper









- 13. Assemble to 2 D080221 Lower Blade Guards:
 - 4 D030025 Socket Head Cap Screws
 - 8-32 x 1.0" Round Tip SSTL 4 Hex Nuts 8-32 AgPlated
- 14. Attach the Blade Guards to the D020605 Main Section using:
 - 4 Socket Head Cap Screws
 4-40 x 0.375" AgPlated
 - 4 Flat Washers #8 Vented SSTL

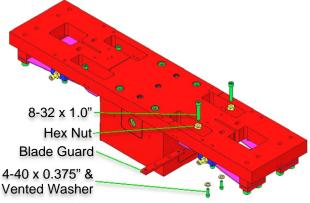
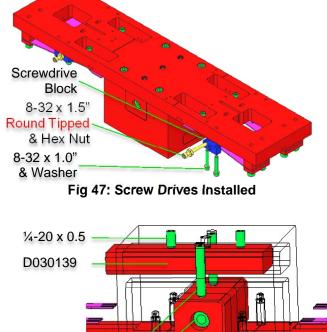


Fig 46: Main Section with Blade Guards

- 15. Assemble 4 sets of Screw Drives to the Upper Mass Main Section:
 - 1 D020653 Screwdrive Block
 - 2 Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 1.00" AgPlated
 - 2 Flat Washer #8 SSTL
 - 1 Socket Head Cap Screw
 8-32 x 1.50" SSTL Round Tipped
 - 1 Hex Nut 8-32 AgPlated
 Tighten Finger-Tight
- 16. Assemble to the T-Piece:
 - D030139 Roll Offset
 Center the Offset within the T-Piece
 - 2 Socket Set Screw 1⁄4-20 x 0.5"AgPlated
 - D1001669 Pitch Insert
 - 1 Socket Set Screw ½-20 x 3.0" AgPlated
 - 2 Socket Set Screw ¼-20 x 1.5" AgPlated
 - 2 Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 2.0" SSTL
 - 2 Hex Nut ¼-20 AgPlated



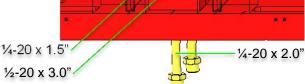


Fig 48: Roll Offset and Pitch Insert added



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- 17. Assemble 9 assemblies to the Upper Mass Main Section, each with:
 - 1 D1001699 Magnet Holder

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- 2 Socket Head Cap Screws 4-40 x 0.625" AgPlated Torque to 6 in-lb
- 1 D1001695 Magnet / Flag Assembly Leave off one of the end Magnet Flag assemblies until the Coil Holder has been assembled to the Upper Mass.

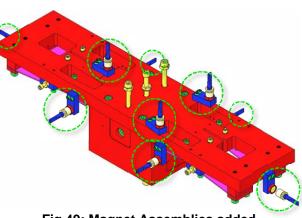


Fig 49: Magnet Assemblies added

 Weigh the Upper Mass Assembly (including all 9 Magnet/Flag assemblies) along with these additional mass components:

2 Upper Wire, Lower Clamp Assemblies

- 2 D020652 Upper Mass C-Clamps
- 2 D020610 Inside Upper Wire Lwr Clamp
- 2 D020624 Outside Upper Wire Lwr Clamp
- 4 Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.5" AgPlated
- 4 Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL
- 4 Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 1.125" SSTL
- 4 Flat Washer #8 SSTL

4 Int. Wire, Upper Clamp Assemblies

- 4 D070585 Upper Clamp, Inside
- 4 D070394 Upper Clamp, Outside
- 8 Socket Head Cap Screws 4-40 x .375" AgPlated
- 8 Flat Washer #4 Vented
- 8 Socket Head Cap Screws 4-40 x 0.25" AgPlated

Hardware for Additional Mass Disks

- 2 Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 2.0" SSTL
- 2 ¼-20 Hex Nut AgPlated
- 2 Flat Washer ¼" SSTL
- Additional Mass Disks sufficient to bring the total mass to 12.087 kg. The additional mass should be divided equally between top disks and bottom disks.

19. Record the actual mass, and the actual additional mass amount and locations, in ICS.

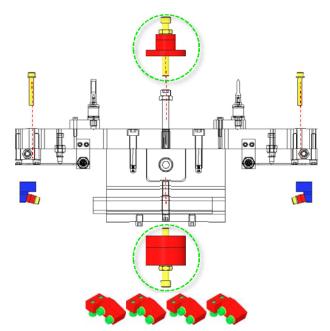
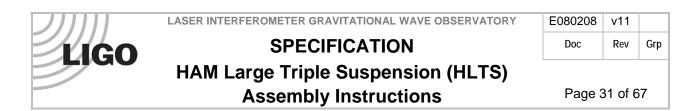


Fig 50: Weighing the Assembly



- 20. Attach 2 Upper Wire Assemblies. Grasp the Upper Clamp end of each D070340 Upper Wire Assembly and feed the Assemblies upwards through the outboard openings toward either end of the Upper Mass. Attach to the Upper Mass with:
 - 4 Socket Head Cap Screws 8-32 x 1.125" SSTL
 - 4 D1100785 Flat Washer #8 Nitronic 60

If any Wire becomes bent during assembly, replace with another Wire Assembly.

- 21. Attach 4 D070393 Intermediate Wire Assemblies to the 4 Lower Blades, with:
 - 8 Socket Head Cap Screw 4-40 x 0.25" AgPlated Torque to 6 in-lb

Fit the tab on the bottom of the Upper Clamp into a slot on the Lower Blade.

If any Wire becomes bent during assembly, replace with another Wire Assembly.

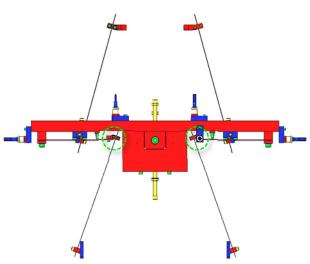


Fig 51: Intermediate Wire Assemblies added

- 22. Assemble 12 EQ Stops to the D070449 Coil Holder:
 - 12 Socket Head Cap Screws ¼-20 x 1.0" Fully-Threaded Round-Tip SSTL
 - Hex Nut ¼-20 AgPlated
- 23. Place the Coil Holder over the Upper Mass. Feed the Upper Wire Assemblies through the Coil Holder; feed the Intermediate Wires through the holes on the ends of the Coil Holder.
- 24. Assemble to the Upper Mass:
 - 2 Socket Head Cap Screws
 - 1/4-20 x 2.0" Fully-Threaded SSTL
 - 4 Hex Nuts, ¼-20 AgPlated

Tighten the Hex Nuts to secure the Upper Mass to the Coil Holder.

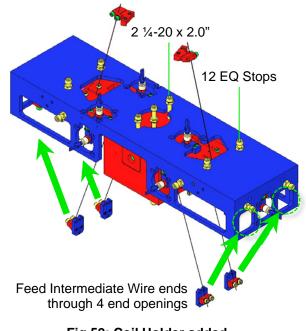


Fig 52: Coil Holder added

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16 Assembling Intermediate Mass (M2)

16.1 Documents

D070334 HLTS Intermediate Mass Assembly

16.2 Materials U Qty ID Description Main Section, Intermediate Mass 1 Ea D070336 1 Ea D080181 **Changer Assembly, Intermediate Mass** 1 D030155 Center Offset, Intermediate Mass Ea 2 Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.75" SSTL Ea NA 2 Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.75" AgPlated Ea NA Х HLTS Additional Mass Disk 10g Ea D1001230 Х HLTS Additional Mass Disk 20g Ea D1001229 Х Ea D0901405 HLTS Additional Mass Disk 50g Х HLTS Additional Mass Disk 100g Ea D070333 2 Side Offset, Intermediate Mass Ea D030156 4 Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 1.5" Fully-Threaded SSTL Ea NA 4 Hex Nut ¼-20 AgPlated Ea NA Flat Washer ¼ Vented SSTL 4 Ea NA Socket Head Set Screw ¼-20 x 0.50" AgPlated 4 Ea NA 2 Socket Head Set Screw ¼-20 x 0.25" AgPlated Ea NA **Components for Weighing** 4 Ea D030149 Breakoff, Intermediate Wire 4 Lower Clamp, Intermediate Wire, Outside Ea D070406 4 Ea D070405 Lower Clamp, Intermediate Wire, Inside 8 Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.625" SSTL Ea NA Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL 8 Ea NA 2 D030148 Lower Wire Breakoff Ea 4 Upper Clamp, Lower Wire, Outside D070438 Ea Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.5625" SSTL 4 Ea NA Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL 4 Ea NA

16.3 Procedure

- 1. Assemble the D080181 Changer Assembly:
 - D030155 Center Offset
 - 300g nominal Upper Collar D080223
 - 300g nominal Lower Collar D080232
 100g Collars shown
 - Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.75" SSTL or AgPlated Use SSTL with Aluminum Collars Torque SSTL Screws to 20 in-lb Use AgPlated with SSTL Collars Torque AgPlated Screws to 30 in-lb

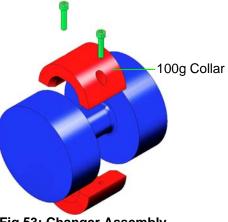
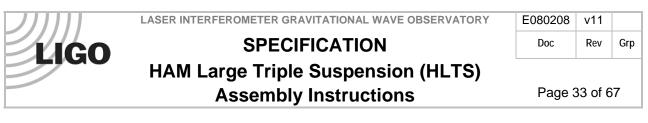


Fig 53: Changer Assembly



- 2. Assemble 2 Side Offset assemblies, each with:
 - 1 Side Offset D030156
 - 2 Mass Disk D070333 100g nominal
 - 2 Flat Washer ¼" Vented SSTL
 - 2 Hex Nut ¼-20 AgPlated
 - 2 Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 1.5" SSTL

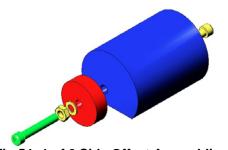


Fig 54: 1 of 2 Side Offset Assemblies

- 3. Slide the Changer Assembly and 2 Side Offsets into the D070336 Main Section and secure with:
 - 4 Socket Head Set Screw ¼-20 x 0.50" AgPlated
 - 2 Socket Head Set Screw ¼-20 x 0.25" AgPlated Rotate Side Offsets so Mass Disks are toward the center, and Scribe Lines are aligned.

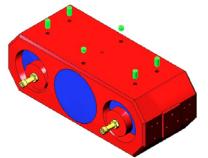


Fig 55: Changer and Offsets in Main Section

- 4. Weigh the completed Assembly along with:
 - 4 D030149 Breakoff, Intermediate Wire
 - 4 D070406 Lower Clamp, Intermediate Wire, Outside
 - 4 D070405 Lower Clamp, Intermediate Wire, Inside
 - 8 Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.625" SSTL
 - 8 Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL
 - 12 Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x .625" SSTL AgPlated
 - 2 D030148 Lower Wire Breakoff
 - 4 D070438 Upper Clamp, Lower Wire, Outside
 - 4 Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.5625" SSTL
 - 4 Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL
 - 6 Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x .625" SSTL AgPlated
 - 4 D0901927 Magnets
 - 4 D970075 Magnet Standoffs

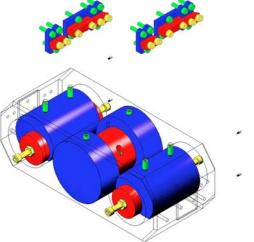


Fig 57: Items to Weigh

5. Swap Collars and Disks (red) to reach a total weight of 12.227 kg. Record the total weight, noting changes in Disks or Collars. Record the size and location of the added weights within ICS.

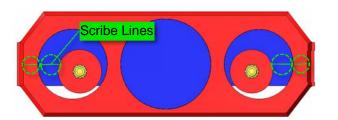


Fig 56: Completed Intermediate Mass Assembly



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17 Assembling Bottom Mass and Optic (M3)

17.1 Documents

D070337 HLTS Bottom Mass Assembly

17.2 Materials

Qty	U	ID	Description
1	Ea	D070338	Metal Bottom Mass
1	Ea	D0902658	Optic Holder
1	Ea	D0902661	Sapphire Prism Bonding Jig
4	Ea	D980184	LOS Clamps, Long
2	Ea	D1100197	Spacer
2	Ea	033-0280	Optosigma Mirrors
8	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 4-40 x 0.5" Vented SSTL
2	Ea	D080124	Prism Breakoff, Lower Wire, Lower Mass
4	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.75" SSTL
12	Ea	NA	Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL
8	Ea	NA	Flat Washer #4 Vented SSTL
2	Ea	D0901286	Secondary Metal Prism Breakoff
2		D070441	Sapphire Prism Breakoff

17.3 Procedure

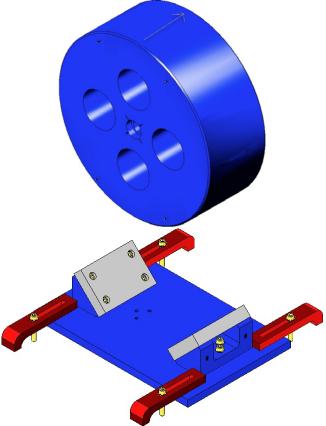
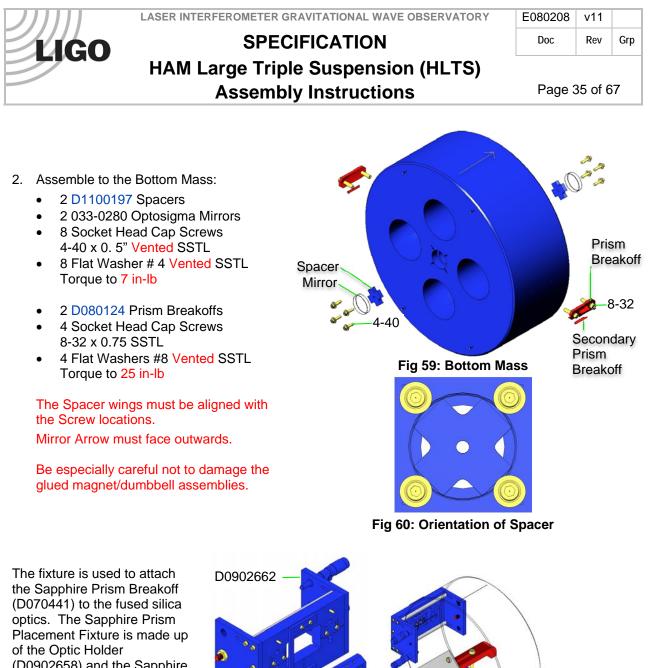
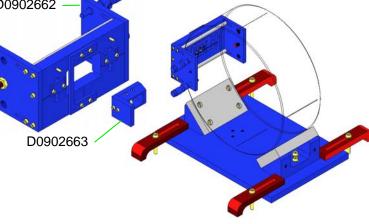


Fig 58: Optic Holder and Bottom Mass

 Place the D070338 Metal Bottom Mass, with the inscribed arrow on top of the Mass, pointing away from the glued-on Dumbbell Magnets, into the D0902658 Optic Holder.



(D070441) to the fused silica optics. The Sapphire Prism Placement Fixture is made up of the Optic Holder (D0902658) and the Sapphire Prism Bonding Jig (D0902661). The Sapphire Prism Bonding Jig itself is made up of the Sapphire Prism Bonding Fixture (D0902662) and the Sapphire Prism Holder Assembly (D0902663).





 With the assembly process complete, weigh the Bottom Mass Assembly with the D0901286 Secondary Metal Prism Breakoffs; the combined weight should be 12.142 kg. Record this value in ICS. The Bottom Mass is not designed to be weight-adjusted; weight is added to or subtracted from the Intermediate Mass. So adjusting Bottom Mass weight is actually adjusting the combined weight of the Intermediate and Bottom Masses, a total of 12.227 + 12.142 kg = 24.369 kg.



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18 Assembling EQ Stops For Intermediate and Bottom Masses

18.1 Documents

D070447	HLTS Overall Assembly
D080726	HLTS EQ Stop, Long Mount
D080727	HLTS EQ Stop, Long Bracket
D1002821	HLTS EQ Stop Assembly, Bottom Mass, Lower
D1102071	HLTS EQ Stop, Bridge, Upper
D070319	HLTS Bridge EQ Stops

18.2 Materials

Qty	U	ID	Description
10	Ea	D070460	Long EQ Stop Mount
8	Ea	D070322	Long EQ Stop Bracket
4	Ea	D1002823	EQ Stop Bracket Back, Bottom Mass, Lower
4	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screws 8-32 x 1.0" SSTL
4	Ea	NA	Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL
4	Ea	D070321	EQ Stop Bridge Crossbar
8	Ea	D1102072	Bridge EQ Stop Mount, Upper
28	Ea	D080725	EQ Stop for Metal or Glass
28	Ea	NA	Hex Nut ¼-20 AgPlated
8	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 0.75" SSTL
8	Ea	D1100785	Flat Washer, ¼", Nitronic 60

18.3 Procedure

- 1. Assemble 10 D080726 Long Mount EQ Stops, each using:
 - 1 D070460 Long EQ Stop Mount
 - 1 D080725 EQ Stop for Metal or Glass
 - 1 Hex Nut ¼-20 AgPlated

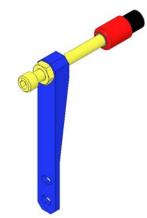
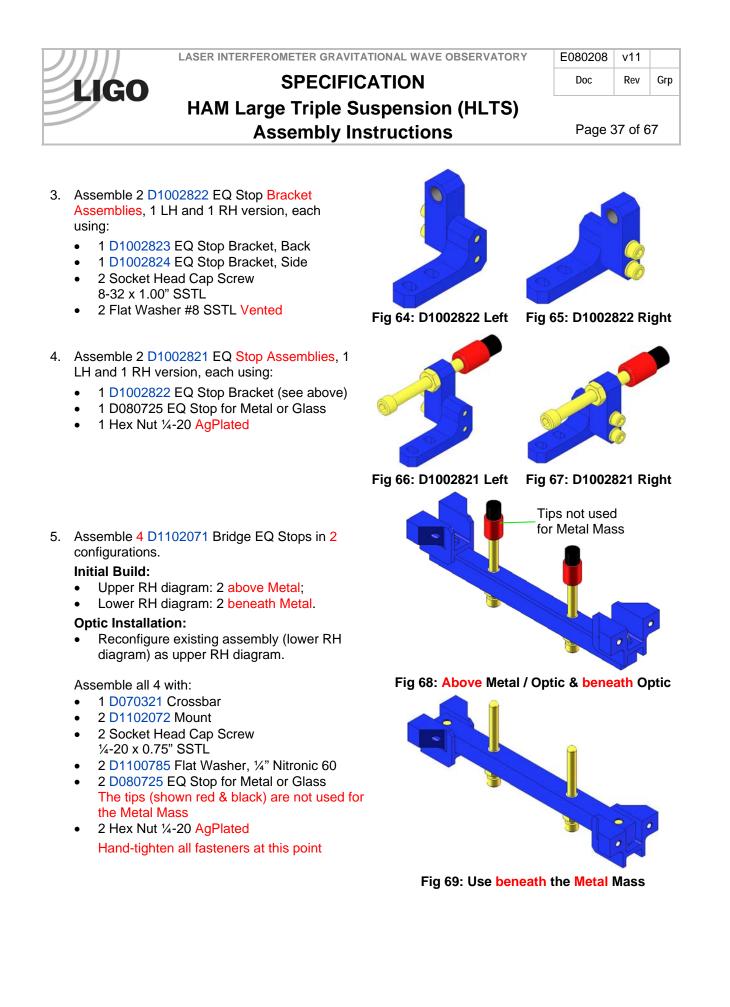


Fig 62: D080726 Long Mount EQ Stop

Fig 63: D080727 Long Bracket EQ Stop

- 2. Assemble 8 D080727 Long Bracket EQ Stops, each using:
 - 1 D070322 Long EQ Stop Bracket
 - 1 D080725 EQ Stop for Metal or Glass
 - 1 Hex Nut ¼-20 AgPlated



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19 Preparing The Weldment

1.1 Materials

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U Qty ID Description Helicoil 8-32 x 3.0D Ea 1185-2EN492 8 LOS Clamps 8 Ea D980184 Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 1.5" AgPlated 8 Ea NA

19.1 Procedure

- 1. Identify the Front vs Rear of the Weldment. The front has 4 pairs of adjacent, largediameter through-holes.
- 2. Install at the base of the Weldment:
 - 8 1185-2EN492 Helicoils 8-32 x 3.0D
 Install these BEFORE securing the Weldment to the Optical Table!

- 3. Secure the D070442 Structural Weldment to the Optical Table with:
 - 8 D980184 LOS Clamps, 2 per corner
 - 8 Socket Head Cap Screws 1/4-20 x 1.5" AgPlated

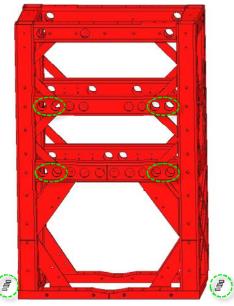


Fig 70: Helicoils in Weldment

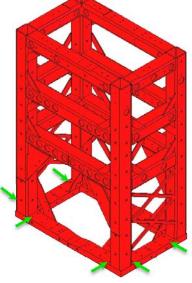


Fig 71: Securing the Weldment



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20 **Installing the Mounting Pads**

20.1 Documents

D0900626 HLTS Mounting Pad Assembly

20.2 Matorials

20.2	Mate	rials	
Qty	U	ID	Description
1	Ea	D070442	HLTS Structural Weldment
8	Ea	D980184	LOS Clamps
2	Ea	D070374	HLTS Mounting Pad
8	Ea	NA	Helicoil 8-32 x 0.246"
4	Ea	1185-2EN246	Helicoil 8-32 2B x 2.0D
2	Ea	D0900628	HLTS Mounting Pad Side Bracket
2	Ea	D0900627	HLTS Mounting Pad Front Bracket
4	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.5" SSTL
14	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.5" AgPlated
18	Ea	NA	Flat Washer #8 SSTL
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20.3 Procedure

1. Assemble to each of the 2 D070374 Mounting Pads:

Top of the Pad

4 Helicoil 8-32 x 0.246 or longer

Side of the Pad

- 2 1185-2EN246 Helicoils 8-32 2B x 2.0D
- 2. Create 2 D0900626 Mounting Pad Assemblies:
 - 2 D070374 Mounting Pad Body •
 - 2 D0900628 Mounting Pad Side Bracket •
 - 4 Socket Head Cap Screw • 8-32 x 0.5" SSTL
 - 4 Flat Washer #8 SSTL Torque to 20 in-lb
- 3. Assemble the Mounting Pad Assembly to the Structural Weldment using:
 - 2 D0900627 Front Bracket •
 - 14 Socket Head Cap Screw • 8-32 x 0.5" AgPlated
 - 14 Flat Washer #8 SSTL • Torque to 30 in-lb

The Serial Number for each Pad is stamped on a specific Weldment corner. Ensure each Pad is mounted on the correct Weldment location.

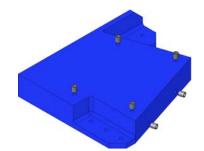


Fig 72: Helicoils in 1 of 2 Mounting Pads

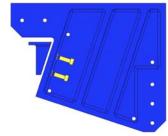


Fig 73: Mounting Pad Assembly

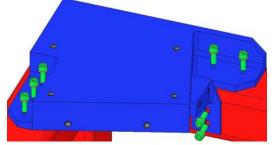


Fig 74: Mounting Pad on Weldment



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21 Installing EQ Stop Mounts and Brackets

1.2 Documents

D070442 HLTS Overall Assembly

21.1 Materials

Qty	U	ID	Description
10	Ea	D080726	HLTS EQ Stop, Long Mount
8	Ea	D080727	HLTS EQ Stop, Long Bracket
4	Ea	D070319	HLTS EQ Stop, Bridge
4	Ea	D1002821	EQ Stop Assembly, Bottom Mass, Lower
4	Ea	D1102071	EQ Stop Assembly, Upper
52	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screws 8-32 x 0.5" AgPlated
52	Ea	NA	Flat Washers #8 SSTL
4	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screws 8-32 x 0.5" Vented AgPlated
4	Ea	NA	Flat Washers #8 Vented SSTL

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21.2 Procedure

- 1. Attach 2 D1002821 Short Brkt EQ Stops to the inside front of the Weldment, using:
 - 4 Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x .5" Vented, AgPlated
 - 4 Flat Washer #8 SSTL Torque to 30 in-lb
- 2. Attach the following, using:
 - 52 Socket Head Cap Screws 8-32 x 0.5" AgPlated
 - 52 Flat Washers #8 SSTL Torque to 30 in-lb
 - 8 D080726 Long Mount EQ Stops to the inside front of the Weldment
 - 2 D080726 Long Mount EQ Stops to the inside rear of the Weldment
 - 4 D080727 Long Brkt EQ Stops to the inside front of the Weldment
 - 4 D080727 Long Brkt EQ Stops to the inside rear of the Weldment
 - 4 D1102071 Bridge EQ Stops to the Weldment.
- 3. At the Bridge EQ Stops, torque the 8 ¼-20 Screws (assembled earlier) that attach the Crossbars to the Bridge pieces, to 75 in-lb.

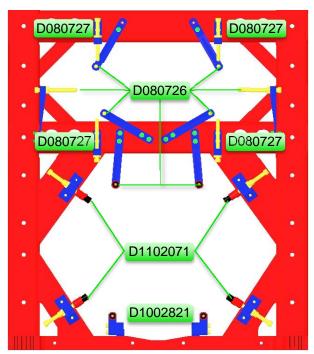


Fig 75: Facing Front from Inside of Weldment

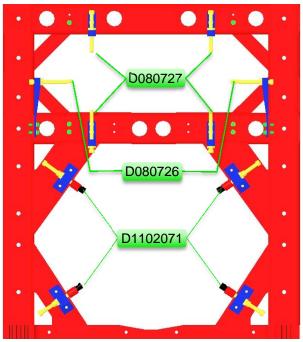


Fig 76: Facing Rear from Inside of Weldment



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22 Installing Rotational Adjusters and Top Blade Guards

22.1 Documents

D070442 HLTS Overall Assembly

22.2 Materials

Qty 2	U Ea	ID D020660	Description Blade Pulldown Device
2	Ea		Upper Clamp, Inside, Class B Clean
2		D070341	Upper Clamp, Outside, Class B Clean
1	Roll	NA	Music Wire 0.024" dia.
1	Btl	NA	Methanol
1	Btl	NA	Acetone
1	Btl	NA	Isopropanol
1	Spl	NA	Steel Music Wire, 0.0106" dia.
1	Pkg	NA	Lint-Free Wipes
8	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.50" AgPlated
4	Ea	NA	Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL
2	Ea	D1102119	Blade Pulldown Support
1	Roll	NA	UHV Aluminum Foil
2	Ea	D070308	HLTS Top Blade Guard Assembly
16	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.50" AgPlated
16	Ea	NA	Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL
2	Ea	D070326	HLTS Rotational Adjuster
4	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.75" SSTL HoloKrome
4	Ea	NA	Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL

22.3 Procedure

- 1. Prepare 2 D020660 Blade Pulldown Devices, each with:
 - 1 D0901814 Upper Clamp, Inside
 - 1 D070341 Upper Clamp, Outside
 - 2 Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.5" AgPlated
 - 2 Flat Washer #8 Vented, SSTL
 - 3' of 0.024" Wire. Clean the Wire per Section 12.4.

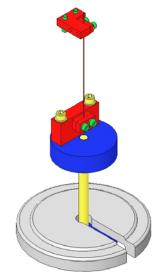


Fig 77: Blade Pulldown Device

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- Assemble the D070308 Top Blade Guard Assembly to the D070442 Structural Weldment using:
 - 16 Socket Head Cap Screws 8-32 x 0.5" AgPlated

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• 16 Flat Washers #8 Vented, SSTL Torque to 30 in-lb

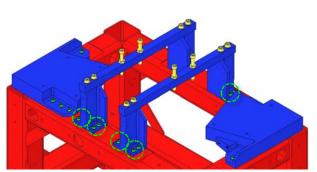


Fig 78: Top Blade Guards installed

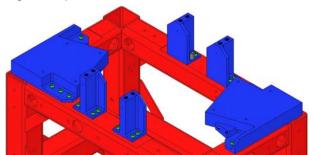


Fig 79: Bars removed

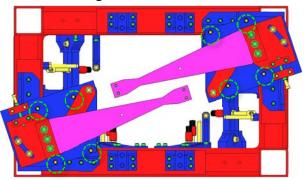
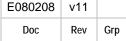


Fig 80: Rotational Adjusters Installed

- 3. Remove the D070310 Bars.
- 4. Install the 2 D070326 Rotational Adjusters to the Mounting Pads, using for each:
 - 4 Socket Head Cap Screws
 8-32 x 0.75" SSTL
 Use HoloKrome Screws
 - 4 Flat Washer #8 Vented, SSTL Torque to 30 in-lb

Record the serial number and location of both Upper Blades in ICS in the RA assembly load.

The Blades are shown here as flat, but are actually curved upward.



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Wear proper safety glasses per E1000043.

- Attach the 2 D1102119 Blade Pulldown Supports to the Weldment location shown; that is, in the center of the end Weldment cross member, with the Clevis extending outboard.
- Cover each end of the Weldment Structure and surrounding Optical Table areas with UHV Aluminum Foil, to protect them from the dirty Pulldown Device.

2 workers required:

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- 7. 1st person holds the Pulldown Weight.
- 8. 2nd person passes Wire Clamp of the Pulldown Device through the Weldment side opening, up toward the Upper Blade Tip, then attaches the Clamp to the Blade tip with:
 - 2 Socket Head Cap Screws 8-32 x 0.50" AgPlated
- 9. 1st person gently drapes the wire over the Clevis, and slowly releases the Weight.
- 10. Repeat Steps 7-9 for the second Pulldown Device.
- 11. Re-Assemble the 2 D070310 Top Blade Guard Bars to the Risers, using for each:
 - 4 Socket Head Cap Screws ¼-20 x 1.0" SSTL Torgue to 75 in-lb

Ensure the Bars are oriented with the EQ Stop Screws directly over the Blades.

The EQ Stop Screws should be adjusted so the Blades are flat. Once adjusted, the Screws should be secured with the Hex Nuts.

- 12. Carefully remove the 2 Blade Pulldown Devices.
- 13. Remove the 2 Blade Pulldown Supports.



Fig 81: Blade Pulldown Support

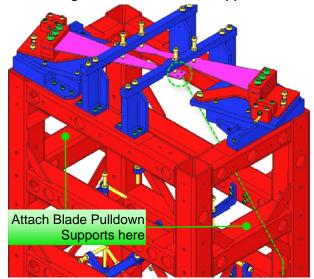
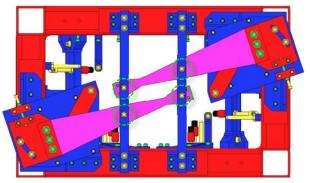


Fig 82: Location of Blade Pulldown Support





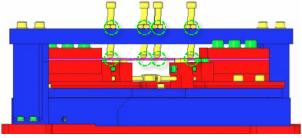


Fig 84: End View: Screws adjusted and secured



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Installing Upper Mass and Coil Holder 23

23.1 Documents

D070442 **HLTS Overall Assembly**

D1101493 HSTS / HLTS / OMCS OSEM Orientations

23.2 Materials

20.2	man		
Qty	U	ID	Description
1	Ea	D040259	Upper Mass Jig
1	Ea	NA	HLTS Upper Mass and Coil Holder Assembly from section 17, above
12	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screws ¼-20 x 1.0" Round-Tip SSTL
14	Ea	NA	Hex Nut ¼-20 AgPlated
5	Ea	Several	HLTS Additional Mass Disks (10g, 20g 50g 100g)
2	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 2.0" SSTL
2	Ea	NA	Flat Washer ¼" Vented SSTL
NA	Ea	D1002133	HLTS Coil Holder Bracket Assemblies
4	Ea	D1002134	Bracket Lateral Section
4	Ea	D1002135	Bracket Longitudinal Section
8	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screws 4-40 0.75" SSTL
8	Ea	NA	Flat Washer #4 Vented SSTL
12	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.75" AgPlated
12	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 8-32 x 0.625" SSTL
24	Ea	NA	Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL

23.3 Procedure

The corner Brackets are shown here only for orientation and are not yet attached. Note the (2) Bracket Screws used for vertical adjustments.

- 1. Attach the D040259 Jig to an Optics Table.
- 2. Remove but keep all Add-On hardware from the bottom of the Upper Mass T-Piece.
- 3. Attach the previously-assembled Upper Mass and Coil Holder (with 6 Wire assemblies) to the Jig. (Jig not shown here, but in section on Assembling Upper Mass).
- 4. Using the pair of ¹/₄-20 Screws at the top center, raise the Upper Mass completely into the Coil Holder, then tighten the Hex Nuts.
- 5. Remove the 4 side EQ Stop Screws and Hex Nuts.
- 6. Lock down the Upper Mass with the remaining 8 EQ Stop Screws and Hex Nuts.

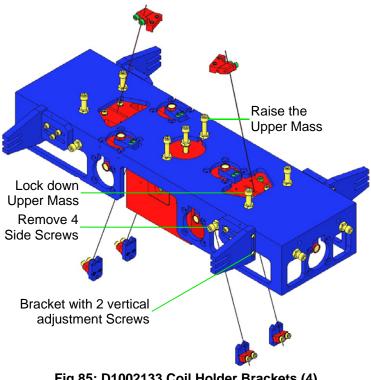
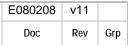


Fig 85: D1002133 Coil Holder Brackets (4)





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- 7. Assemble 4 D1002133 HLTS Coil Holder Bracket Assemblies, each with:
 - 1 D1002134 Lateral Section
 - 1 D1002135 Longitudinal Section
 - 2 Socket Head Cap Screws 4-40 0.75" SSTL
 - 2 Flat Washer #4 Vented SSTL
 - Torque to 5 in-lb

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- 8. Attach the 4 Brackets to the Weldment, using for each:
 - 3 Socket Head Cap Screws 8-32 x 0.75" AgPlated
 - 3 Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL Torque Screws after Coil Holder is installed and aligned.

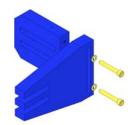


Fig 86: Bracket Assembly

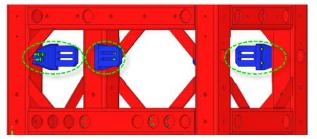
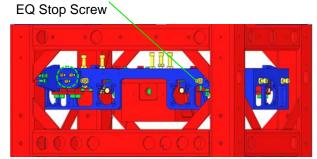


Fig 87: Coil Holder Brackets Installed

- Insert the Upper Mass / Coil Holder Assembly through either narrow opening in the top section of the Weldment. The pair of BOSEMS on top of the Assembly must be at the –Y side of the Suspension per D1101493 OSEM Orientations.
- 10. Assemble the Coil Holder to the 4 Brackets using at each Bracket:
 - 3 Socket Head Cap Screws 8-32 x 0.625" SSTL
 - 3 Flat Washer #8 Vented SSTL Torque to 20 in-lb
- 11. Back out each of the 4 lower Clamps of the Intermediate Wire Assemblies, back through the 4 end openings in the Coil Holder.
- 12. Re-assemble 4 EQ Stop Screws to the long sides of the Coil Holder, each using:
 - 1 Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 1.0" Round Tip SSTL
 - 1 Hex Nut ¼-20 AgPlated
- 13. Install the Additional Mass Disks on the top and bottom of the Upper Mass, as equally divided as possible; tighten the Hex Nuts to secure the Disks. Use:
 - 2 Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 2.0" SSTL
 - 2 ¼-20 Hex Nut AgPlated
 - 2 Flat Washer ¼" SSTL



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Fig 88: Upper Mass & Coil Holder Installed

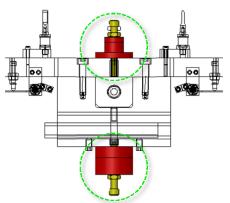


Fig 89: Additional Mass Disks Added



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24 Installing the Intermediate Mass

24.1 Documents

D070442 HLTS Overall Assembly

24.2 Materials

Description HLTS Intermediate Mass

1 ea D070334 1 Ea D1102344

HLTS Intermediate Mass Lifting Plate Assembly

- 24.3 Procedure
- 1. Raise the 4 bottom EQ Stops as far as possible.
- 2. Back off the 12 top, front and side EQ Stops

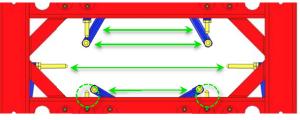


Fig 90: Rear View; EQ Stops prepared

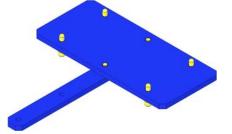


Fig 91: Lifting Plate

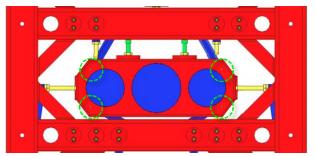


Fig 92: Rear View; Magnets facing rear

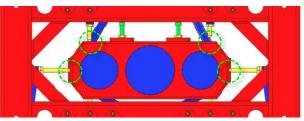


Fig 93: Rear View; Mass locked down

 Using the D1102344 Lifting Plate Assembly, insert the D070334 Intermediate Mass assembly through the rear of the Weldment, ensuring the 4 Magnet assemblies are facing the rear. Center the assembly front-to-back and left-to-right on the bottom EQ Stops.

4. Lock down the Intermediate Mass assembly using the 8 top and side EQ Stops.



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25 Installing Wire Assemblies

1.3 Documents

D070442 HLTS Overall Assembly

25.1 Materials

Qty	U	ID	Description
4	Ea	NA	Socket Head C
18	Ea	NA	Socket Head C

Upper Wire Assemblies fully installed.

Socket Head Cap Screws 8-32 x .50" AgPlated Socket Head Cap Screws 8-32 x .625" AgPlated

25.2 Procedure

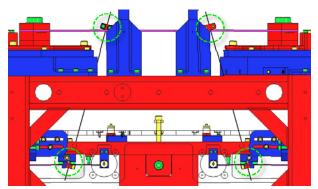


Fig 94: Upper Wire Assemblies installed

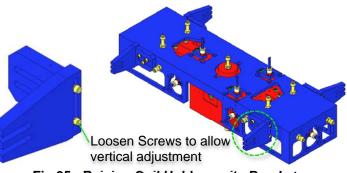


Fig 95: Raising Coil Holder on its Brackets

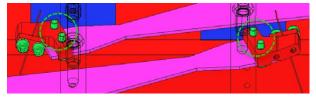
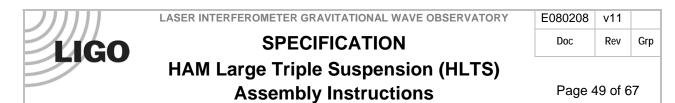


Fig 96: Upper Clamps attached to Upper Blades

1. Raise the Upper Mass/Tablecloth Assembly on its brackets as high as possible and secure it in place.

Be careful not to kink or twist the wires.

- 2. Attach the 2 Upper Wire Upper Clamps to the 2 Upper Blades using:
 - 4 Socket Head Cap Screws 8-32 x 0.50" AgPlated Torque to 30 in-lb



3. Center the C-Clamps using the 4 Screwdrive System Screws, then tighten the Hex Nuts to lock the Screws.

Torque the eight 8-32 x 1.125" C-Clamp Screws to 30 in-lb.

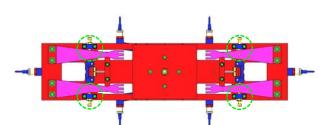


Fig 97: Centering C-Clamps with Screw Drives

 Adjust the height of the Upper Mass/Tablecloth Assembly on its brackets to remove slack in the Upper Wires.

Fig 98: Lowering Coil Holder to eliminate slack in Wires

Loosen Screws to allow

vertical adjustment

- 5. Attach the 4 Intermediate Wire Lower Clamps to each end of the Intermediate Mass Assembly using:
 - 12 Socket Head Cap Screws 8-32 x .625" AgPlated Torque to 30 in-lb

Fig 99: End of Intermediate Mass

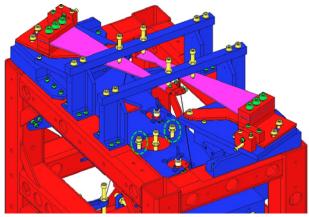


Fig 100: Screws to remove

 Remove the 2 Screws and Hex Nuts at the top center of the Upper Mass Assembly that are holding the Upper Mass Assembly against the Coil Holder. The Upper Mass Assembly should still be locked relative to the Coil Holder using the top and side earthquake stops.





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 Adjust any or all of the 16 top, bottom and side intermediate EQ Stops to remove slack in the Intermediate Wires.

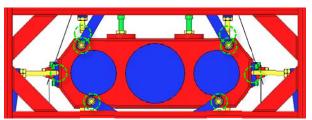


Fig 101: Front View, EQ Stops

- 8. Attach the Lower Loop Wire to the Intermediate Mass Assembly using:
 - 6 Socket Head Cap Screws 8-32 x .625" AgPlated Torque to 30 in-lb

Be careful not to kink, twist or tangle the wires. Use silver-plated SHCS.

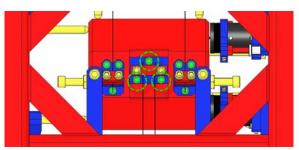
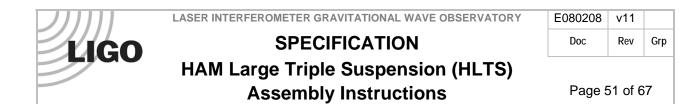
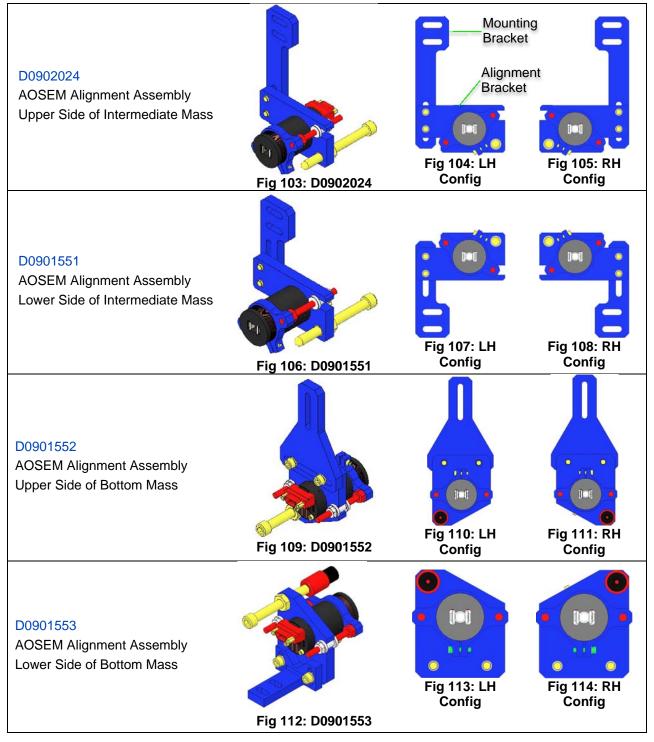


Fig 102: End View of Intermediate Mass



26 Assembling AOSEM Brackets

1 of each configuration is required. The difference between LH / RH is simply the orientation of the Mounting and / or Alignment Brackets.



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26.1 Documents

D070442 HLTS Overall Assembly

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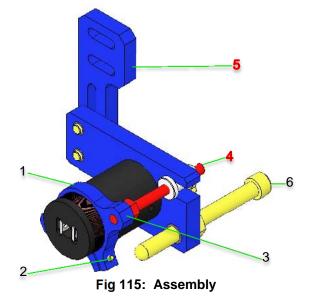
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Qty	U	ID	Description
1	Ea	D0900340	AOSEM Mounting Bracket, Lower Position of Bottom Mass
1	Ea	D0901549	AOSEM Alignment Bracket, Bottom Mass
1	Ea	D0901065	AOSEM Assembly
1	Ea	D1002858	AOSEM Adjustment Collar, Reverse Side
2	Ea	D1000659	Adjuster Shaft
2	Ea	D1002865	Adjustment Nut, Thick
1	Ea	D080725	EQ Stop for Metal or Glass
2	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw, 8-32 x 0.625", SSTL
2	Ea	1185-2EN246	Helicoil, 8-32 x 0.246"
2	Ea	NA	Flat Washer, <mark>Vented</mark> , #8
1	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw, 2-56 x 0.375" SSTL
1	Ea	1185-4EN250	Helicoil, ¼-20 x 0.25"
1	Ea	NA	Hex Nut, ¼-20 AgPlated

26.3 Procedure

Assembly procedure is similar for all 4 units, but varies by the Mount Bracket and Alignment Bracket.

- 1. Assemble Adjustment Collar to AOSEM
- 2. Assemble SHCS 2-56 to Collar
- 3. Assemble Adjuster Shafts to Collar
- 4. Assemble AOSEM w/Adjuster Shafts to Alignment Bracket, paying close attention to part number and orientation of Bracket
- 5. Assemble Mount to Alignment Bracket
- 6. Assemble EQ Stop to Alignment Bracket with a Hex Nut



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27 Installing Bottom Mass

1.4 Documents

D070442 HLTS Overall Assembly

1.5 Materials

- Qty U ID Description
- 2 Ea D0901286 HLTS Secondary Metal Prism Breakoff

27.1 Procedure

- 1. Adjust the Lower Bridge EQ Stops (4 Screws) as far in as possible.
- 2. Back off the Upper Bridge EQ Stops (4 Screws) and Front EQ Stops (4 Screws).

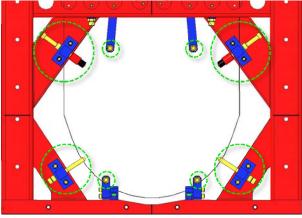


Fig 116: EQ Stops Adjusted

 Install the Bottom Mass Assembly through the back of the HLTS Structure. Place the Bottom Mass Assembly above the Lower Wire Assembly, resting on the Lower Bridge EQ Stops, making sure that the 2 Wires are straight and fit in the 2 grooves of each Prism Breakoff.

Be sure not to kink, twist or tangle the wires.

4. Install the 2 D0901286 Secondary Metal Prism Breakoffs. Insert the breakoffs between the Bottom Mass Assembly and the Lower Loop Wire at the points where the breakoffs just touch the wires.

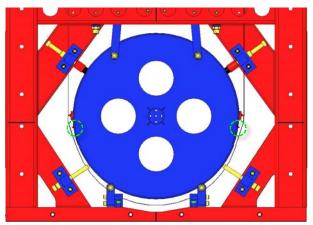
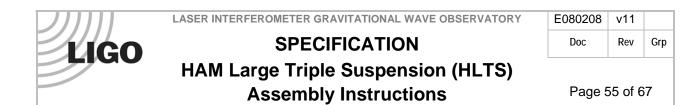


Fig 117: Lower Mass Placed on Bridge EQ Stops



28 Suspension and Alignment of Masses

Note: "Level" as referenced below, is defined as being within the visual indicators on the Bubble Levels used (Carpenter's Level for Optical Table, Single Bubble for Suspension Masses).

1.6 Materials

Qty	U	ID	Description
1	Ea	NA	Bubble Level
1	Ea	NA	Optical Level
1	Ea	NA	Lower Loop Wire Comb

28.1 Procedure

Blade Stops Coil Holder Stops Lower Blade Stops Stops Face EQ Stops Bridge EQ Stops

Fig 118: Unlock all Stops

- Unlock all Stops to allow the Suspension to hang freely: Bottom Mass
 - 4 Face EQ Stops
 - 8 Bridge EQ Stops

Intermediate Mass

16 EQ Stops

Upper Mass

- 4 Lower Blade Stops
- 12 Coil Holder Stops

Upper Blades

• 4 Upper Blade Stops

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Lock the Intermediate Mass

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2. Lock the Intermediate Mass with the 16 EQ Stops such that the Mass is level. Use a Bubble Level, and then an Optical Level. The Mass height is unimportant at this point.

Adjust Bottom Mass Roll

- 3. Using the Lower Loop Wire Comb, ensure the Lower Wires are parallel and 10mm apart.
- Measure and compare the heights of the bottom of the side bores, on the with side of the front of the Bottom Mass. Rotate the Mass until the heights are equal.

Adjust Bottom Mass Pitch

5. Measure and compare the heights of the bottom of the bores on the front and back of the Mass. If unequal, first repeat Step 3, above. Then verify that the Lower Wire Clamps are attached squarely to the Intermediate Mass. If the heights remain unequal, the lengths of the Lower Wires are unequal, and need to be replaced.

Unlock the Intermediate Mass

6. Once the Bottom Mass is level, unlock the Intermediate Mass.

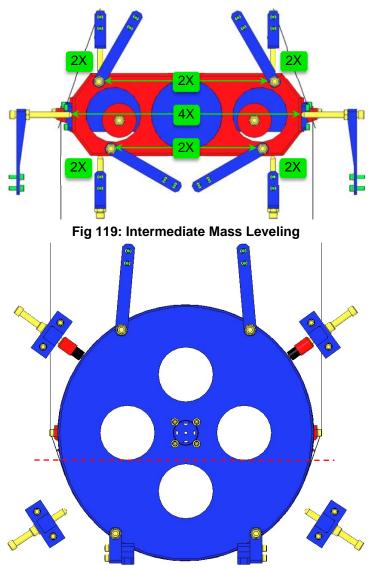


Fig 120: Adjust Roll and Pitch

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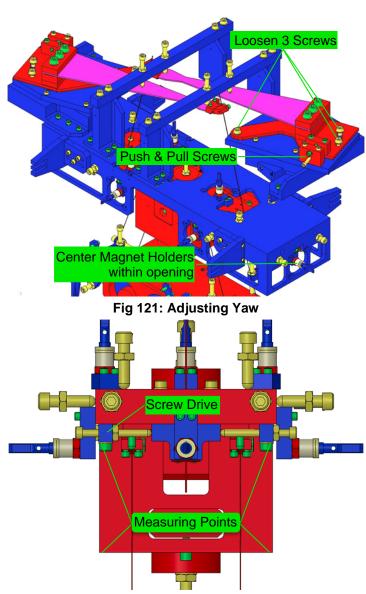
- 7. Using a Ruler while adjusting the Corner Brackets, center the Coil Holder within the Weldment, in the X direction (front-to-back).
- 8. Adjust the Rotational Adjusters as needed to center the Magnet Holders at either end of the Upper Mass within the Coil Holder Openings.

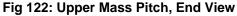
To adjust the Rotational Adjusters, loosen the 3 screws attaching the RA to its base, then adjust the Push and Pull Screws, then tighten the 3 screws.



 Measure the heights of either the bottom of the T-Piece or the bottoms of the Screw Drive Blocks, front and back (+X & - X). To adjust Pitch, manipulate the Screw Drives to shift the location of the Upper Wire Lower Clamps.

Diagram shows Upper Mass without Coil Holder nor Blades, for visibility.





10. Measure heights in mm from the Optical Table surface of these points.

> *Not measurable with Optical Level

Upper Blade Wire Breakoffs (2)	NOT Blade tip	806.120
Coil Holder	Upper surface	658.587
Upper Mass – Screwdrive Blocks (4)	Bottom surface	613.181
Upper Mass – T-Piece	Bottom surface	552.228
Lower Blade Wire Breakoff (4)	NOT Blade tip	608.838
Intermediate Mass	Upper surface	461.620
Intermediate Mass	Lower surface	371.620
Bottom Mass Metal – Side Bores (2)	Bottom	130.243
Bottom Mass Metal or Optic	Centerline*	158.500
Bottom Mass Metal	Bottom	25.984

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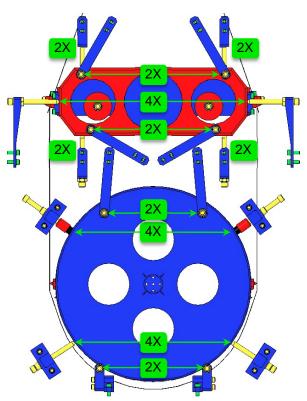


Fig 123: 1 mm gap at EQ Stops

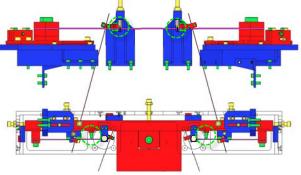


Fig 124: Blade Guard Screws

Perform the following on the 28 ¼-20 EQ Stop Screws shown at right:

- 11. Adjust each Screw so that it contacts the Mass, but applies no pressure.
- Rotate each Screw ³⁄₄ turn counterclockwise to leave a 1 mm gap between the Screw Tip and the Mass.
- 13. Tighten the Hex Nuts at each of the Screws, to lock the Screws in position.

- Adjust the 4 Lower Blade Guard Screws so they contact the Lower Blades but apply no pressure.
- 15. Rotate the Screws 1 ¼ turns counterclockwise, to leave a 1 mm gap at the Lower Blades.
- Repeat these 2 steps with the 2 Upper Blade Guard Screws, but with only a ¼ turn counterclockwise.



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29 Assembling Magnets To Intermediate Mass

29.1 Documents

E990196 Magnet / Standoff Assembly Preparation

29.2 Materials

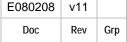
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1	Ea	D0901461	HLTS Magnet Placement Fixture, Intermediate Mass
4	Ea	D980184	LOS Clamps
4	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 1.5" AgPlated
4	Ea	D020661	Magnet/Standoff Assemblies, 2 N and 2 S configurations
1	Ea	NA	Machinist Square, approx. 6" in length
1	Ea	TBD	Epoxy Gun Applicator, MasterBond
1	Ea	EP30-2	Epoxy, Double Barrel Cartridge with Mix Tube, MasterBond
1	Ea	NA	Tweezers
1	Btl	NA	Isopropanol
Х	Ea	NA	Lint Free Wipes
Х	Ea	TBD	Sewing Needle
Х	Ea	TBD	Razor Blade
Х	Roll	NA	UHV Aluminum Foil
1	Ea	NA	Heat Lamp, 120w Bulb

29.3 Procedure

1. Prepare 2 "N" and 2 "S" D020661 Magnet/Standoff assemblies per E990196 Preparation procedure.



Fig 125: D020661 Magnet/Standoff Assembly



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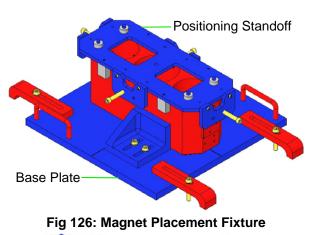
Place the Mass or Optic

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- Mount the Base Plate of the D0901461 Magnet Placement Fixture on an Optics Table using the 4 D980184 LOS Clamps.
- 3. Place the Intermediate Mass Assembly on the Base Plate with the back side facing up.

The Intermediate Mass is symmetric; front/back is identified only after the Mass is balanced within the Weldment.

 Place the Positioning Standoff over the Mass. Using a Machinist's Square, carefully align the engraved markings on the D0902452 Side Plates with those on the main Standoff Plate D0902445 (see red dashed lines at right). The Sides and Standoff Plate together form the D0902444 Positioning Standoff.



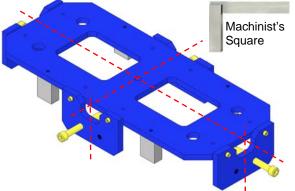


Fig 127: Aligning Side Plates with Main Plate

Counterbore Assembly held to Plunger Magnetically

Fig 128: Plungers Empty and Loaded

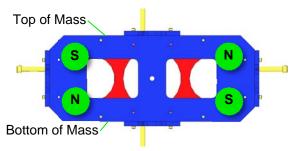


Fig 129: Magnet Polarity Layout

Load Plungers

- 5. Wipe the counterbore end of each plunger with Isopropanol and a Wipe.
- 6. Using the Tweezers, load 4 Magnet/Standoff assemblies into the 4 Plungers, 2 North Magnets and 2 South Magnets. The Magnet end of each assembly rests within the Plunger counterbore.

The Magnet/Standoffs are held to the Plungers magnetically.

7. Lay the loaded Plungers on the Optics Table around the Fixture per the Magnetic Polarity layout shown.

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Bond Magnets to Mass

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- 8. Load the EP30-2 Cartridge with Mix Tube attached, into the Gun Applicator.
- 9. Pull the trigger on the Gun Applicator 1 full stroke, to purge the Mix Tube of under-mixed adhesive.
- 10. Dispense a "quarter-sized" pool of Adhesive onto a small piece of clean UHV aluminum foil.
- Pick up a Plunger loaded with a Magnet/Standoff assembly and hold it vertically, with the Magnet/Standoff end facing up. Clean the Standoff with Isopropanol and a Wipe.
- Dip the end of a Sewing Needle in the pool of Epoxy and withdraw it, leaving a tiny drop on the Needle tip. Apply approximately ½ mm of Epoxy to the center of the Standoff end.
- 13. Load the Plunger, Magnet/Standoff down, into the appropriate Bushing in the MPF. Slide the Plunger down within the Bushing until the Standoff contacts the Mass. Press down on the Plunger lightly with one finger for about 2 seconds, then release.
- 14. Repeat steps 11-13 to load all 4 Plungers into the Placement Fixture.
- 15. Allow the Epoxy to cure within the Fixture at room temperature for 24 hours.
- 16. Carefully remove the 4 Plungers from the Magnet Placement Fixture, and remove the Positioning Standoff from the Mass.
- 17. Center the Heat Lamp over the Fixture and adjust the height such that the Fixture surface is receiving 60°C, then allow the adhesive to cure for 4hr.

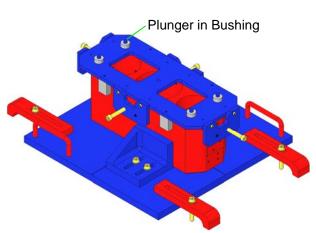


Fig 130: Loading Magnets into Fixture

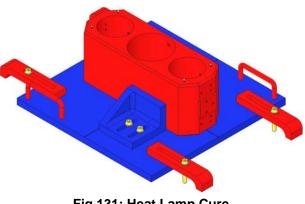


Fig 131: Heat Lamp Cure



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30 Assembling Magnets To Bottom Mass

30.1 Documents

E990196 Magnet / Standoff Assembly Preparation

30.2 Materials

Qty 1	U Ea	ID D0901460	Description HLTS Magnet Placement Fixture, Bottom Mass
4	Ea	D980184	LOS Clamps
4	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw ¼-20 x 1.5" AgPlated
1	Ea	D070338	HLTS Bottom Mass
1	Ea	Various	HLTS Optic
4	Ea	D0902432	Magnet/Standoff Assemblies, 2 N and 2 S configurations
1	Ea	NA	Machinist Square, approx. 6" in length
1	Ea	NA	Depth Gage; either Vernier Calipers or Spring-Type Needle Gage
1	Ea	EP30-2	Epoxy, Double Barrel Cartridge with Mix Tube, MasterBond
1	Ea	TBD	Gun Applicator, MasterBond
1	Ea	NA	Tweezers
1	Btl	NA	Isopropanol
Х	Ea	NA	Lint Free Wipes
Х	Ea	TBD	Sewing Needle
Х	Ea	TBD	Razor Blade
Х	Roll	NA	UHV Aluminum Foil
1	Ea	NA	Heat Lamp, 120w Bulb

30.3 Procedure

- Glass Optics and Metal Masses will not be Air Baked.
- Glue Magnets before gluing Prisms (primary and secondary).
- Ensure the Main Section of the Mass has been cleaned and baked before attaching the Magnet/Dumbbell assemblies.
- Thoroughly Class B clean all parts of the Magnet Placement Fixture.
- 1. Prepare 2 "N" and 2 "S" D0902432 Magnet/Standoff assemblies per E990196 Preparation procedure.



Fig 132: D0902432 Magnet/Standoff Assembly

Place the Mass or Optic

- 2. Mount the Base Plate of the D0901460 HLTS Magnet Placement Fixture on an Optics Table using the 4 D980184 LOS Clamps.
- 3. Place the Test Mass or Optic on the Base Plate.

The Mass/Optic Arrow must be facing downwards.

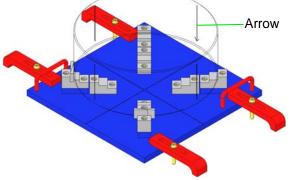
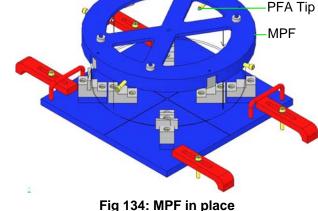


Fig 133: Base Plate Mounted on Optics Table

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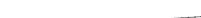
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4. Place the Magnet Positioning Fixture (MPF) on top of the Mass / Optic.

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For the Optic, ensure the PFA440HP-tipped Stops are installed on the Stop Screws



Align the MPF and Mass / Optic scribe lines:

For clarity, the Base Plate is not shown. The MPF Scribe Lines are not visible in the drawings; they fall within 4 flat areas on the MPF perimeter, about 15° clockwise from each Screw.

- Center the MPF on the Mass / Optic by obtaining equidistant readings between opposing pairs of MPF Scribe Lines and the Mass Optic perimeter, using a Depth Gage. The MPF Screw tips must barely contact and not "clamp" the Mass/Optic.
- For a Metal Mass, rotate the Mass while using a Machinist Square to align the Mass and Fixture scribe lines. Align at 2 Lines 90° apart.
 For an Optic, sight across (through) the glass through 2 opposing scribe lines, then rotate the Optic while using a Machinist Square to align the MPF and Optic scribe lines.

Machinist's Square Equal measurements at opposing scribe intes

Fig 135: Centering the MPF on the Mass / Optic



Assembly held to Plunger Magnetically

Fig 136: Plungers Empty and Loaded

Load Plungers

- 7. Wipe the counterbore end of each plunger with Isopropanol and a Wipe.
- Using the Tweezers, load 4 Magnet/Standoff assemblies into the 4 Plungers, 2 North Magnets and 2 South Magnets. The Magnet end of each assembly rests within the Plunger counterbore.

The Magnet/Standoffs are held to the Plungers magnetically.

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9. Lay the loaded Plungers on the Optics Table around the Fixture per the Magnetic Polarity layout shown.

Note that the "X" pattern is rectangular and not square; this pattern defines the Magnet layout.

Bond Magnets to Mass/Optic

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- 10. Load the EP30-2 Cartridge with Mix Tube attached, into the Gun Applicator.
- 11. Pull the trigger on the Gun Applicator 1 full stroke, to purge the Mix Tube of under-mixed adhesive.
- 12. Dispense a "quarter-sized" pool of Adhesive onto a small piece of clean UHV aluminum foil.
- 13. Hold a Plunger loaded with a Magnet/Standoff assembly vertically, with the Magnet/Standoff end facing up. Clean the Standoff with Isopropanol and a Wipe.
- 14. Dip the end of a Sewing Needle in the pool of Epoxy and withdraw it, leaving a tiny drop on the Needle tip. Apply approximately ½ mm of Epoxy to the center of the Standoff end.

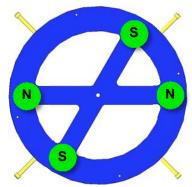


Fig 137: Magnet Polarity Layout

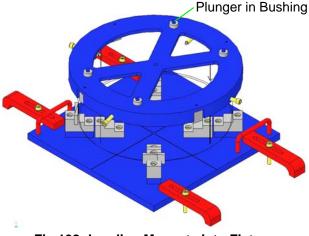


Fig 138: Loading Magnets into Fixture

- 15. Load the Plunger, Magnet/Standoff down, into the appropriate Bushing in the MPF. Slide the Plunger down within the Bushing until the Standoff contacts the Mass/Optic. Press down on the Plunger lightly with one finger for about 2 seconds, then release.
- 16. Repeat steps 11-13 to load all 4 Plungers into the Placement Fixture.
- 17. Allow the Epoxy to cure within the Fixture at room temperature for 24 hours.
- 18. Carefully remove the 4 Plungers from the MPF, and remove the MPF from the Mass/Optic.
- 19. Center the Heat Lamp over the Fixture and adjust the height such that the Fixture surface is receiving 60°C, then allow the adhesive to cure for 4hr.

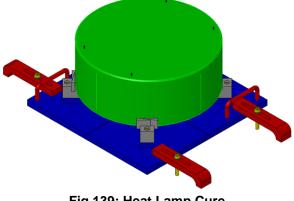


Fig 139: Heat Lamp Cure



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31 Installing the BOSEMs

1.7 Documents

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1.8 Materials

Qty	U	ID	Description
6	Ea	D060218	BOSEM Assembly
24	Ea	NA	Socket Head Cap Screw 4-40 x 7/8" SSTL
24	Ea	NA	Flat Washer #4 SSTL

1.9 Procedure

- 1. Install the 6 BOSEMs in the arrangement shown, using:
 - 24 Socket Head Cap Screws 4-40 x 7/8" SSTL
 - 24 Flat Washers #4 SSTL Torque to 5 in-lb

It may be necessary to install the end BOSEM opposite from the end shown, due to space requirements inside the HAM chamber. Use a non-magnetic hex key to avoid attracting the hex key to the Magnet and Flag Assembly.

Be careful not to bend the Magnet Flags.

Record the serial number and position of each BOSEM in ICS.

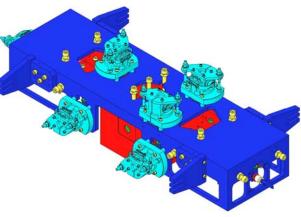


Fig 140: BOSEMs Installed

2. After all 6 BOSEMs are attached, install the in-vacuum cabling and related cable connectors and clamps. Use silver-plated SHCS in threaded holes in the HLTS Structure.

32 Installing AOSEM Brackets

32.1 Procedure

- 1. Adjust the push and pull screws on each AOSEM bracket so that the front face of each AOSEM is as far back as possible. Back off the earthquake stop on each AOSEM bracket.
- Attach the AOSEM brackets (as shown in Figure 37) to the HLTS Structure in this order: Bottom Mass Lower AOSEM Alignment Assembly (D0901551), Bottom Mass Upper AOSEM Alignment Assembly (D0901552), Intermediate Mass Lower AOSEM Alignment Assembly (D0901551), Intermediate Mass Upper AOSEM Alignment Assembly (D0902024). Record the serial number and position of each AOSEM on the HLTS Process Traveler.

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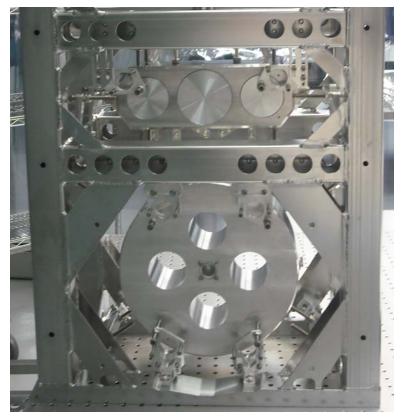


Fig 141: AOSEM Bracket Arrangement

- 3. Align each AOSEM vertically and laterally using the slots on the AOSEM brackets. Look through the barrel of the AOSEM and align the magnet/dumbbell assembly with the center axis of the AOSEM.
- Adjust the earthquake stop on each bracket to a distance of approximately 1 mm from the corresponding mass. Tighten the hex nuts on either side of the bracket to lock the earthquake stop in place.
- 5. After all AOSEM brackets are installed, connect the in-vacuum cabling and related cable connectors and clamps.



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33 Aligning OSEMs

33.1 Procedure

- 1. Connect the in-vacuum cabling for the AOSEMs and BOSEMs to the Triples Test Stand. Confirm that each cable is connected correctly.
- Using the MEDM screens on the Triples Test Stand, read the open light voltage for each BOSEM. Adjust the BOSEM using the SHCS connecting it to the tablecloth for rough positioning. Use the PEEK hex nuts for fine adjustment. Position the BOSEM so that the Triples Test Stand indicates 50% of the open light value.
- 3. Using the MEDM screens on the Triples Test Stand, read the open light voltage for each AOSEM, starting with those for the Intermediate Mass. Use the push and pull screws on each bracket to adjust the position of each AOSEM. Position each AOSEM so that the Triples Test Stand indicates 50% of the open light value.