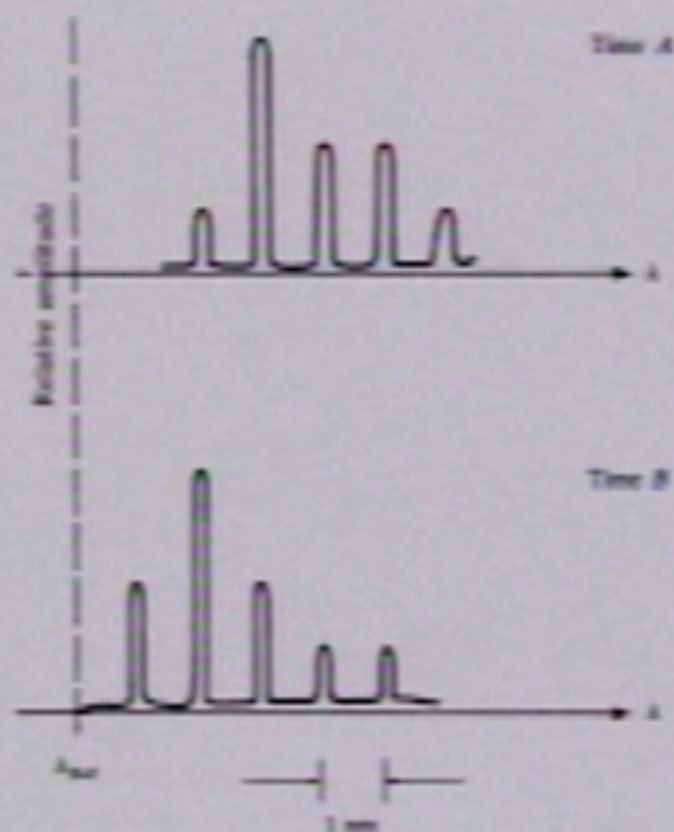
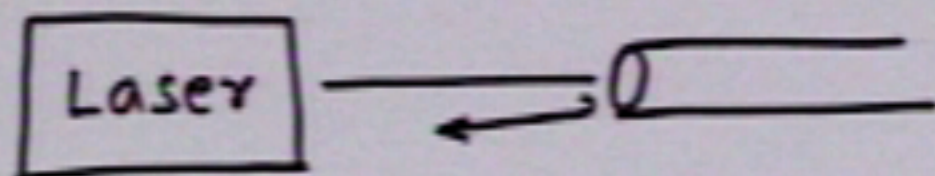


## Time-resolved laser spectra



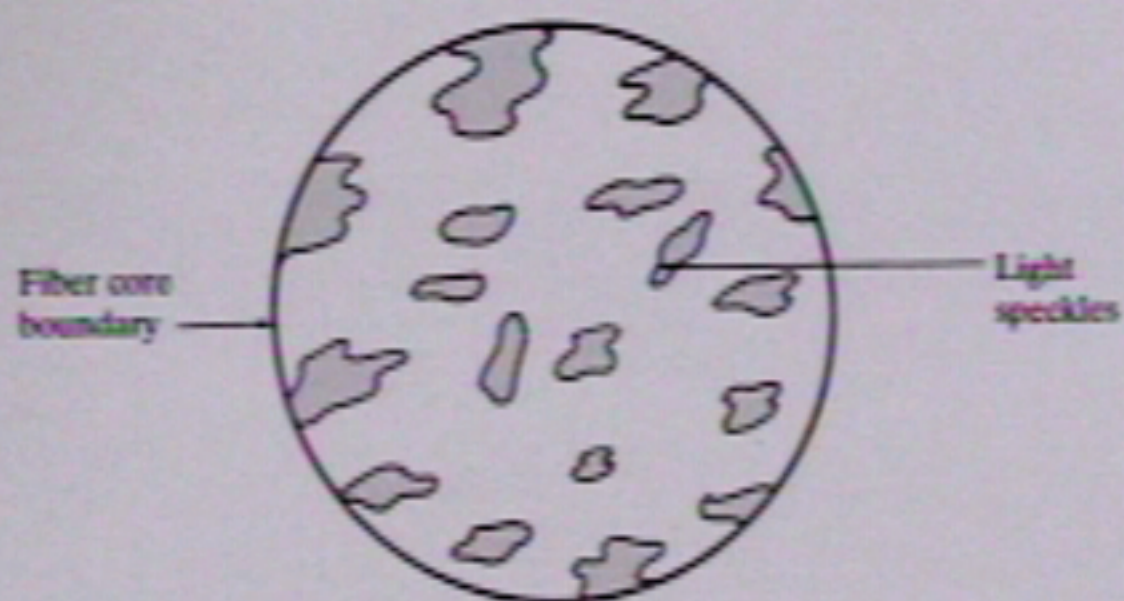
## Noise

- Reflection Noise:



- Mode Partition:
- Speckle Noise:

## Speckle patterns



# Fiber Optic Transmitter

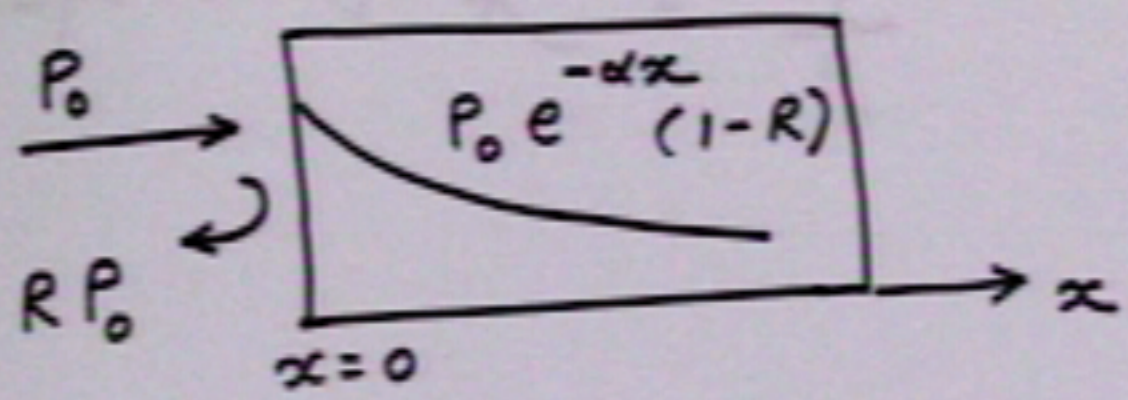
- **LED**

- Low cost
- Low power
- Poor power launching
- Spectral width 30nm
- Short distance
- Intensity modulation

- **LASER**

- More expensive
- High power
- Efficient launching
- Spectral width 1-2 nm
- Good for long haul communication
- Coherent communication
- ASK, FSK, PSK modulation
- Non-linear applications

Responsivity  $Q$  &  $I_p$

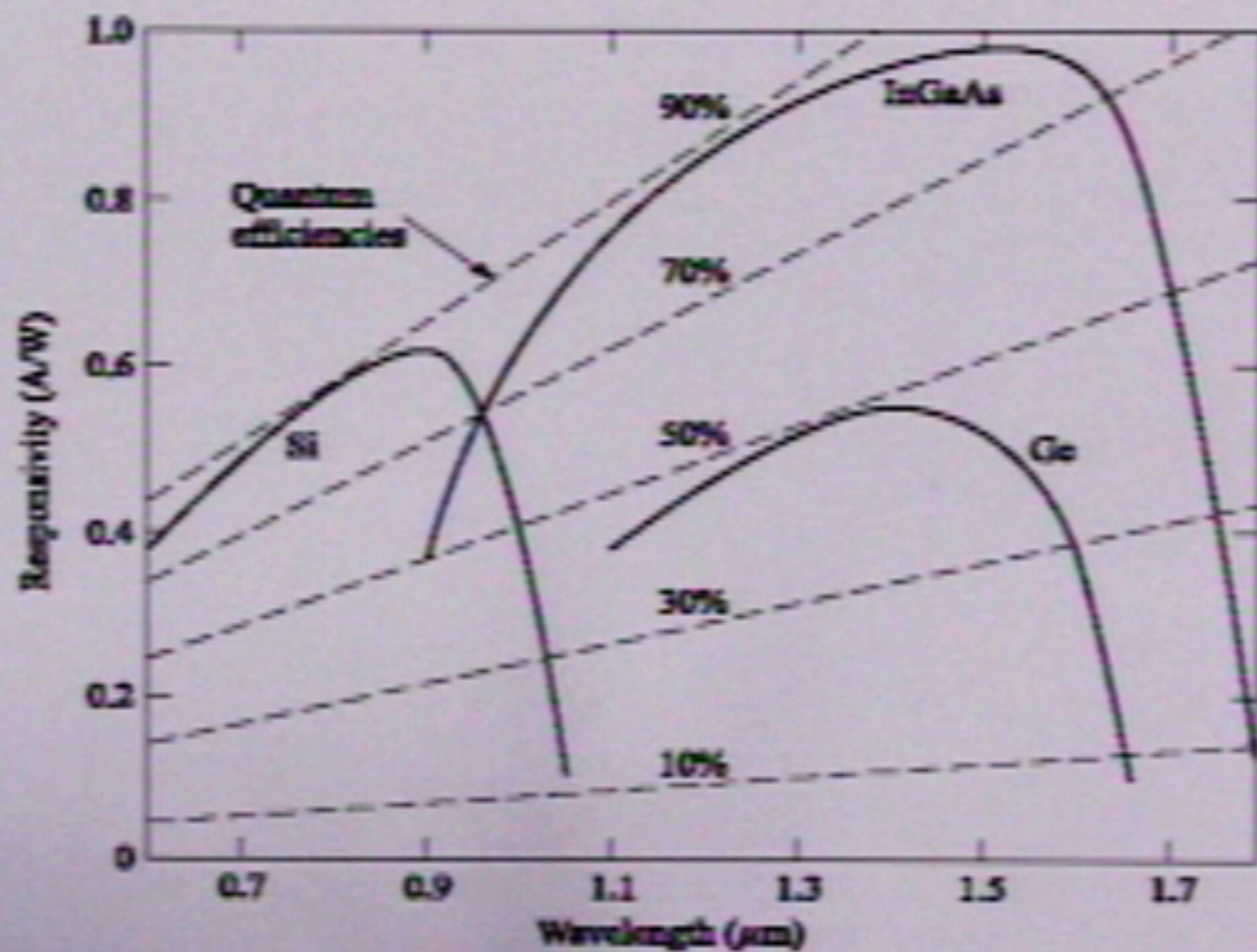


Optical power absorbed  
$$= P_0 (1-R) (1 - e^{-\alpha x})$$

Photo current  
$$I_p = \frac{q}{hf} (1-R) (1 - e^{-\alpha x}) P_0$$

$$\text{Responsivity } R \equiv \frac{I_P}{P_o} = \frac{\mu A}{\mu W}.$$

# Photodiode Responsivities



# *pin* photodiode circuit

