
High Power ERL FELs

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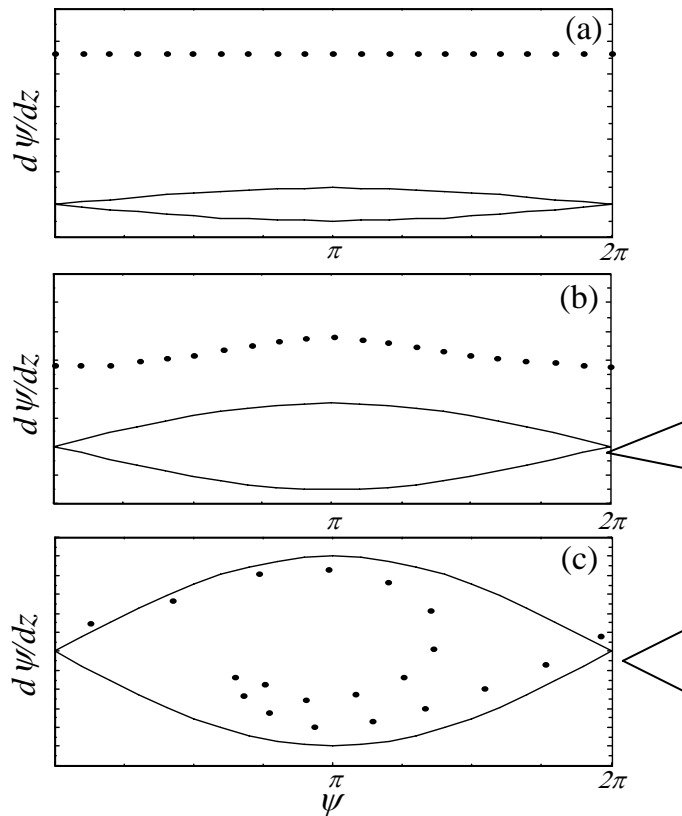
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Background

- First visit to Beijing 8-8-88 = Ba Ba Ba Ba Very Lucky!
- Talked about FELs



Phase space = fish

Fish = Yu

Yu = Abundance!

Since 1988 much abundance
in China, in SRF, and in FELs!

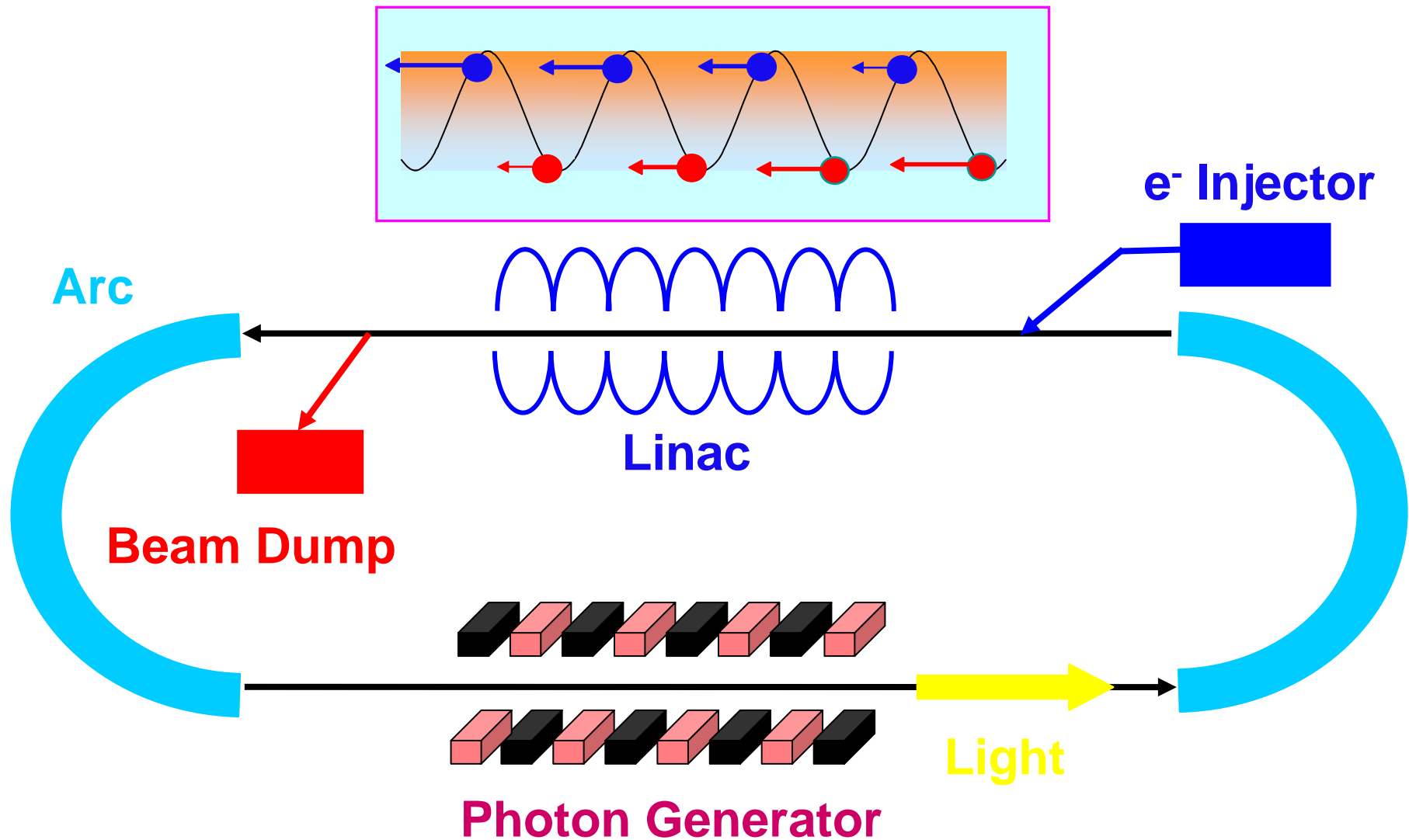
Outline

- ERL Background
- Operating High Power FELs
 - Recuperator at Novosibirsk
 - JAEA Superconducting ERL
 - JLab IR Upgrade
- Proposed
- RF limits for ERL FELs
- Supporting Technology Development
 - Injectors: srf guns, DC Gun

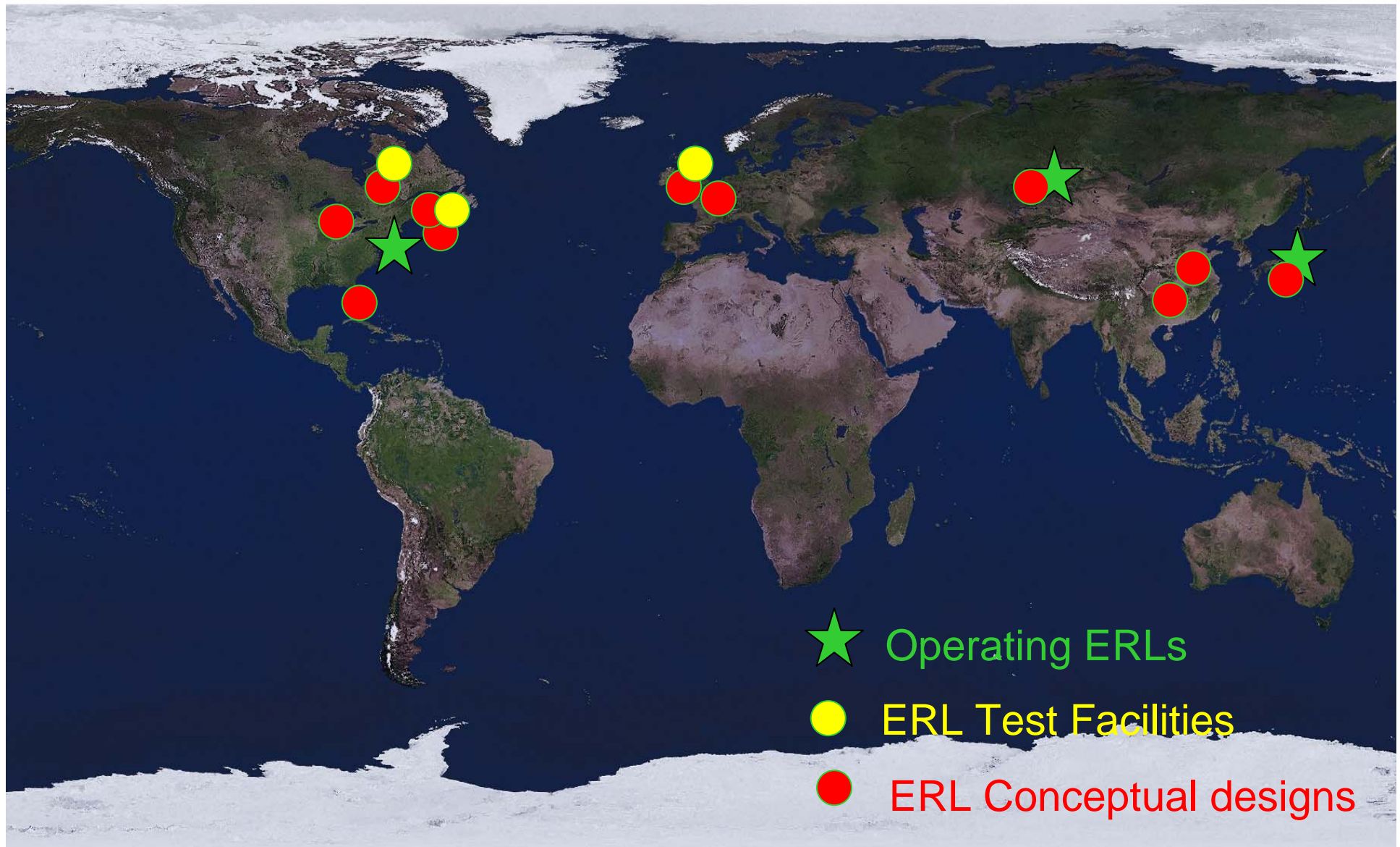
High Power FEL ERLs

- **ERL- A new form of linear accelerator where the energy is recycled rather than the electrons as in a storage ring forms the basis for the development of high power output**
- **So far has only been done at <30 mA levels but it is believed that 100s of mA possible**
- **ERL Benefits:**
 - **Reduced power consumption**
 - **Reduced rf required**
 - **Reduced power at the dump**
 - **Significantly reduced or eliminated neutron activation**
 - **Brighter light source beams**

Energy Recovering Linacs



Operating and Future ERLs



ERL vs. Storage Ring vs. Linac

- While an electron storage ring stores the same electrons for hours in an equilibrium state, an **ERL** stores the energy of the electrons.
- In an ERL electrons spend little time in the accelerator ($\sim 1 \mu\text{s}$), therefore they never reach an equilibrium state.
- **In common with linacs:** In an **ERL** the 6-D beam phase space is largely determined by electron source properties which can be of significantly lower emittance in both dimensions and shorter in time than a storage ring equilibrium
- **In common with storage rings:** An **ERL** possesses high average current-carrying capability enabled by the ER process, thus promising high efficiencies.

ERL Light Sources Promise

Why? Condensed matter studies move from X-ray statics to X-ray dynamics.

How do proteins work?

How are short range atomic correlations established and lost?

devices

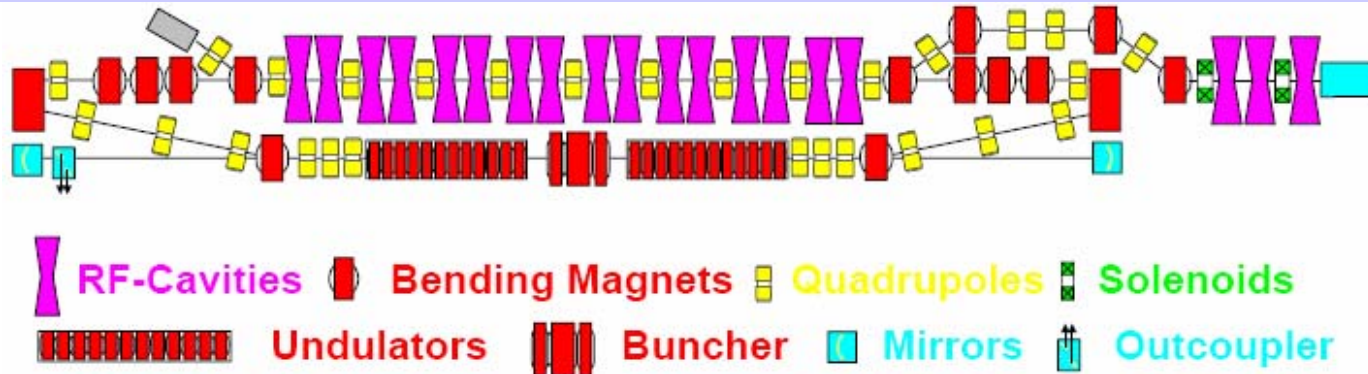
Energy ~ GeV

patterns

*quantities are rms

The Novosibirsk High Power THz FEL

**Energy recovered highest average current to date:
30 mA at 1.7 nC per bunch**

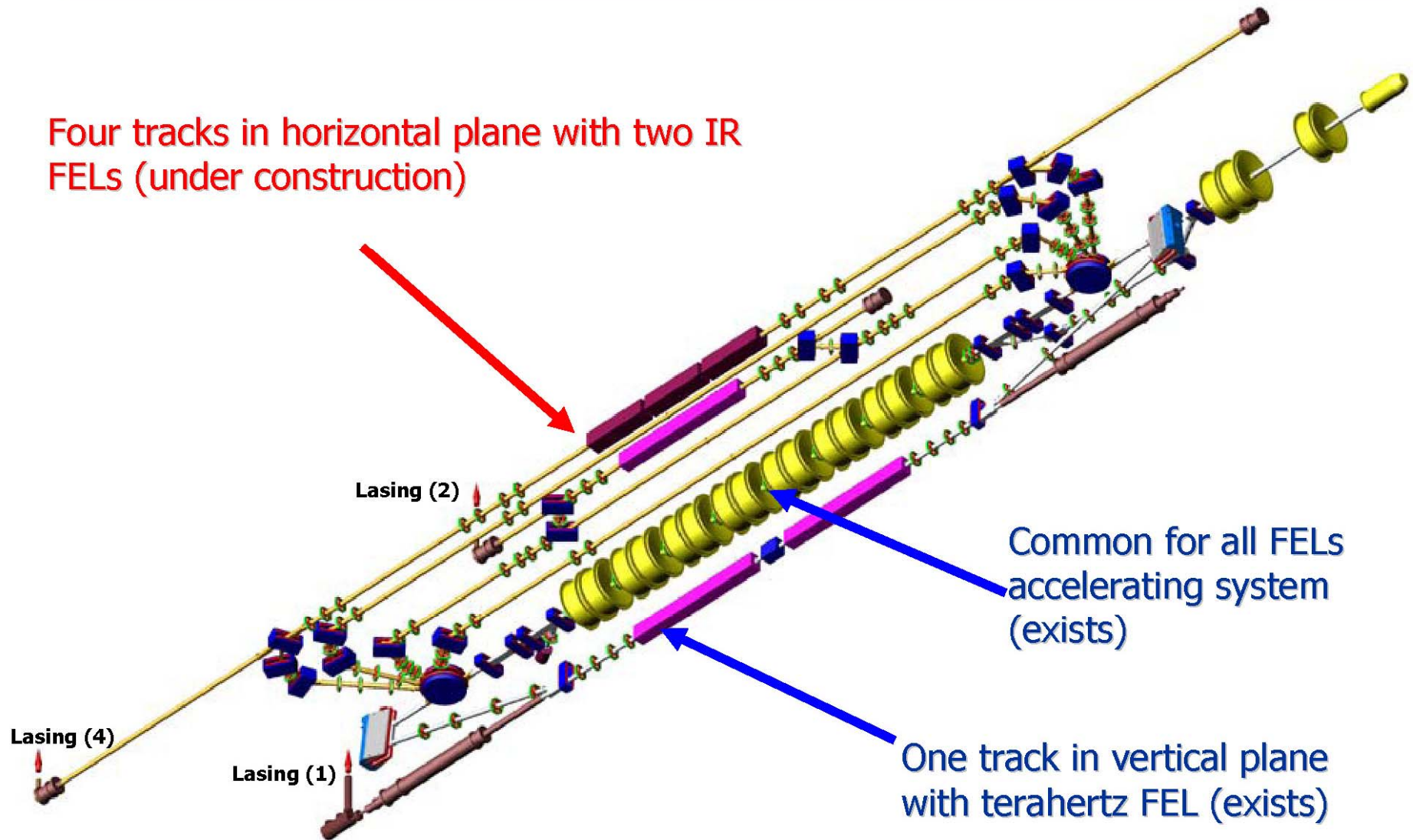


	May 2005	Plans
RF frequency, MHz	180	180
Bunch repetition rate, MHz	22.5!	90
Maximum average current, mA	30!	150
Maximum electron energy, MeV	12	14
Normalized beam emittance, mm*mrad	30	15
Electron bunch length in FEL, ns	0.07	0.1
Peak current in FEL, A	10	20

Courtesy N. Vinokurov



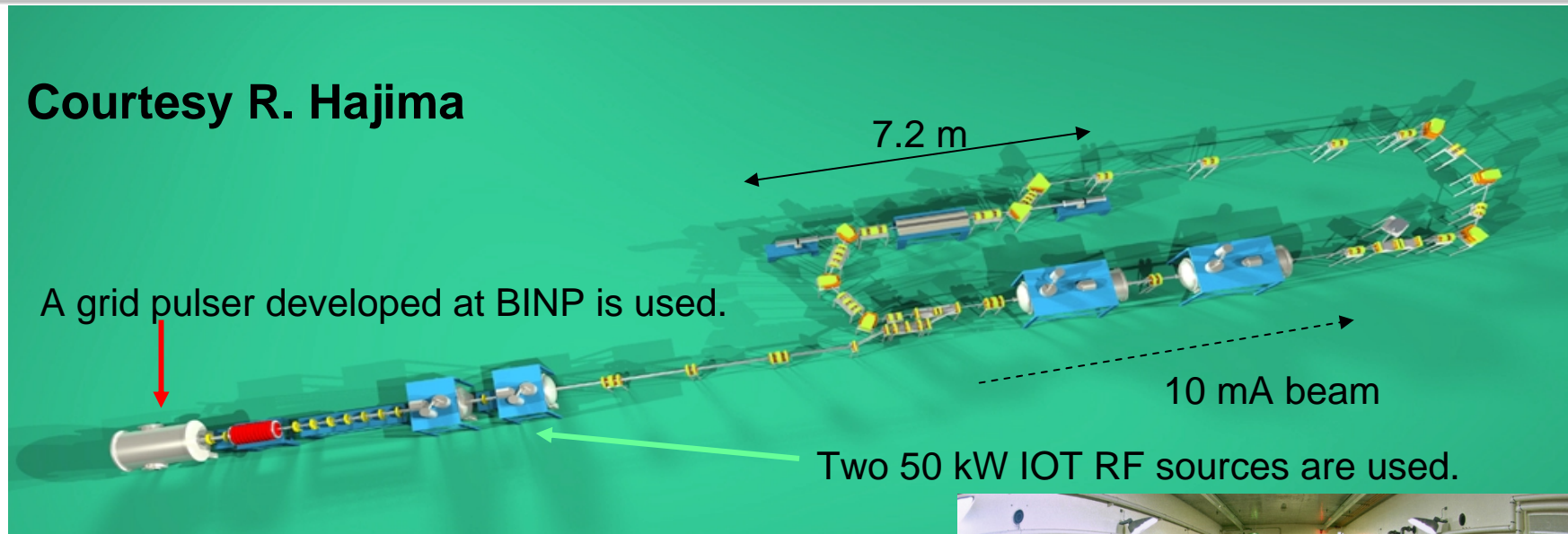
Full scale Novosibirsk FEL (bottom view)



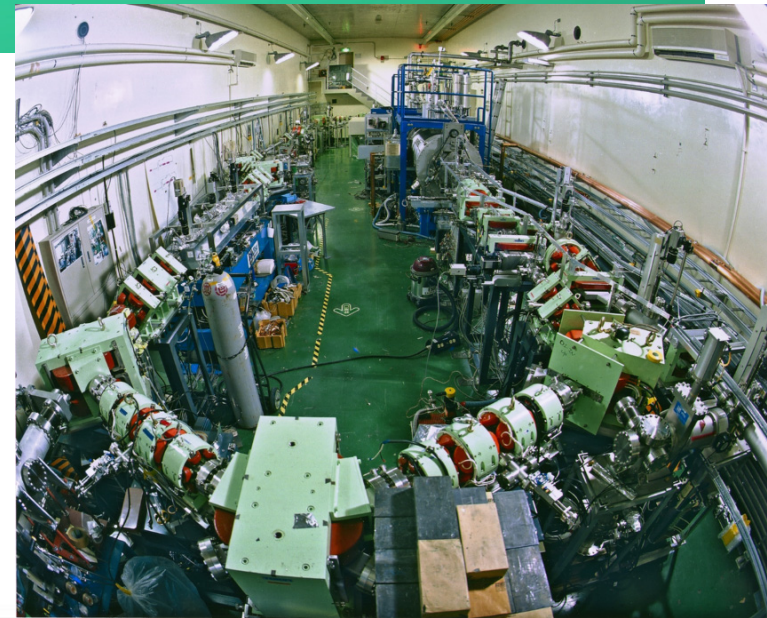
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JAEA ERL FEL

Courtesy R. Hajima



Energy = 17 MeV
FEL : $\lambda = 22 \mu\text{m}$
Bunch charge = 400 pC
Bunch length = 12 ps (FWHM)
Bunch rep. = 20.8 MHz
Macro pulse = 0.23 ms x 10 Hz



JAEA ERL FEL

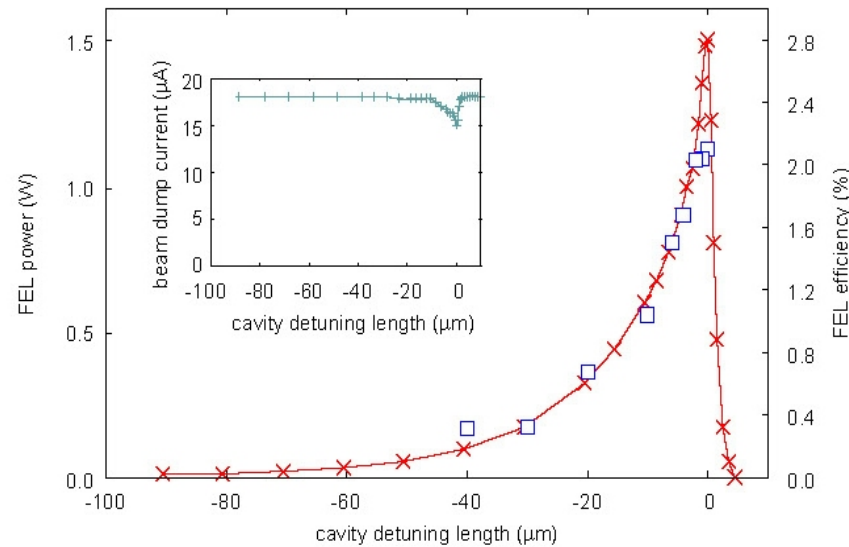


Figure 3: FEL power measured as a function of δL at macropulse length of $230 \mu\text{s}$. FEL efficiencies obtained from the energy distributions of the exhausted electron beam are shown by open squares. The efficiencies near zero detuning length cannot be measured with our energy analyzer due to the limited energy acceptance, and they are determined from measured FEL power. The inset shows the beam dump current with respect to δL .

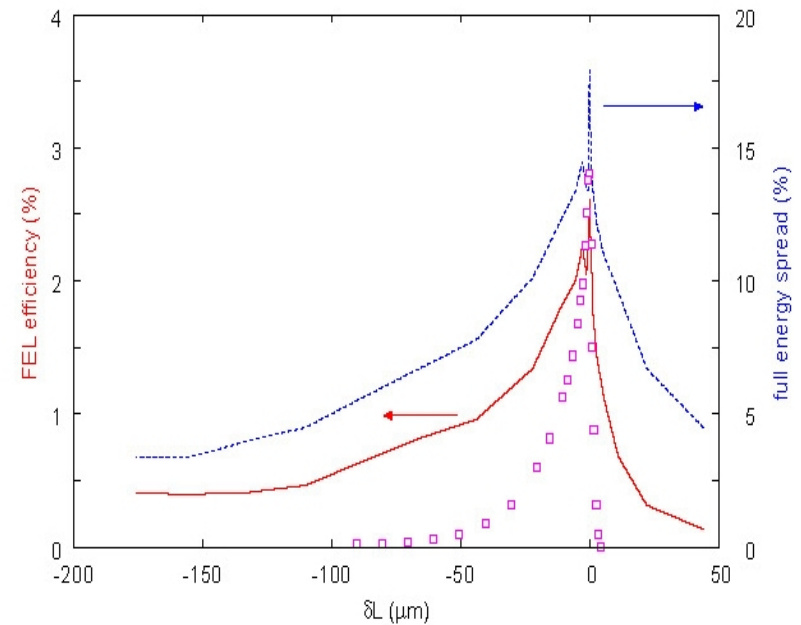


Figure 4: FEL efficiencies as a function of δL obtained from a one-dimensional time-dependent FEL simulation (solid line) and corresponding beam energy spread (dotted line). Measured FEL efficiencies are also plotted as open squares for comparison.

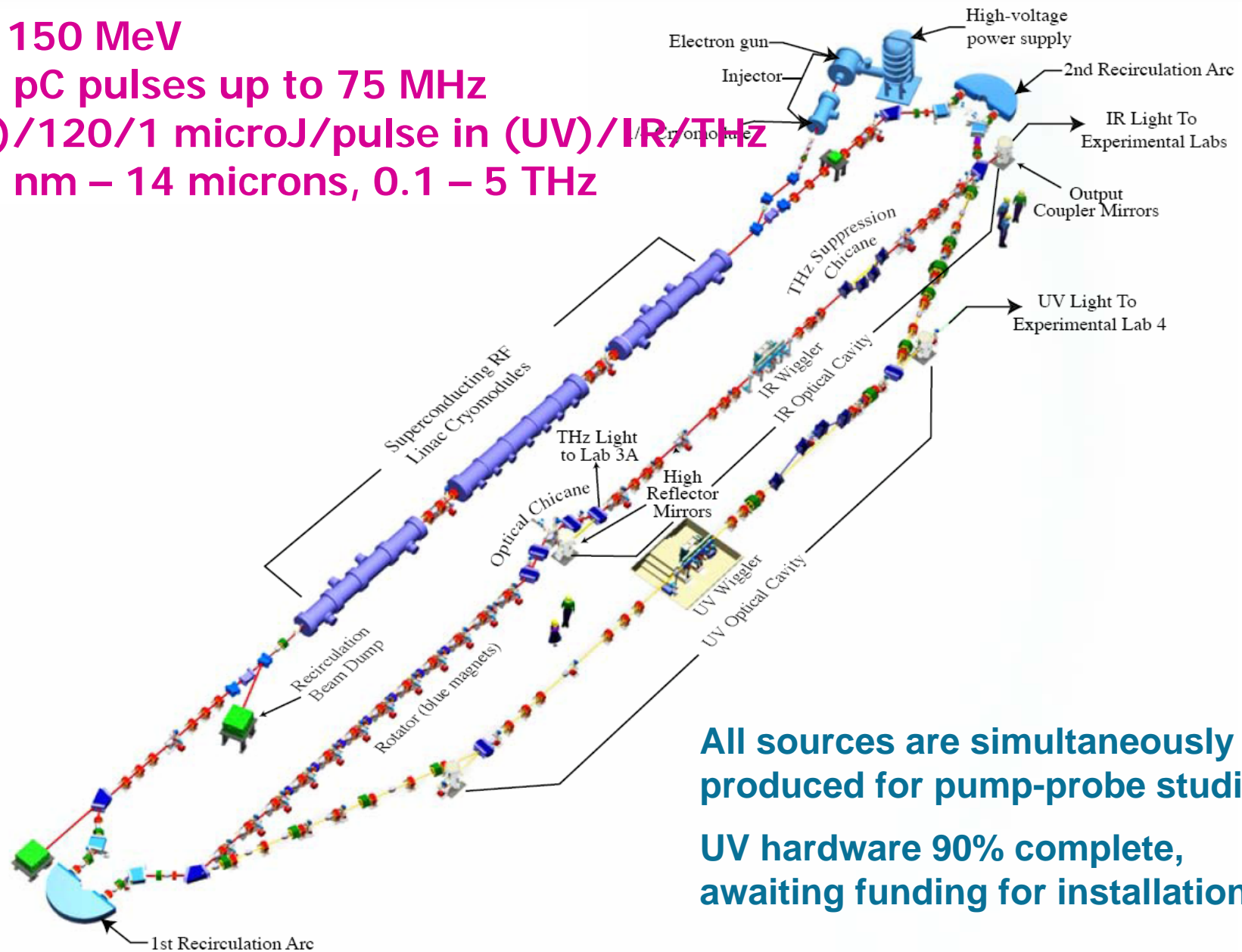
JLab Energy Recovered Linac

$E = 150 \text{ MeV}$

135 pC pulses up to 75 MHz

(20)/120/1 microJ/pulse in (UV)/IR/THz

250 nm – 14 microns, 0.1 – 5 THz

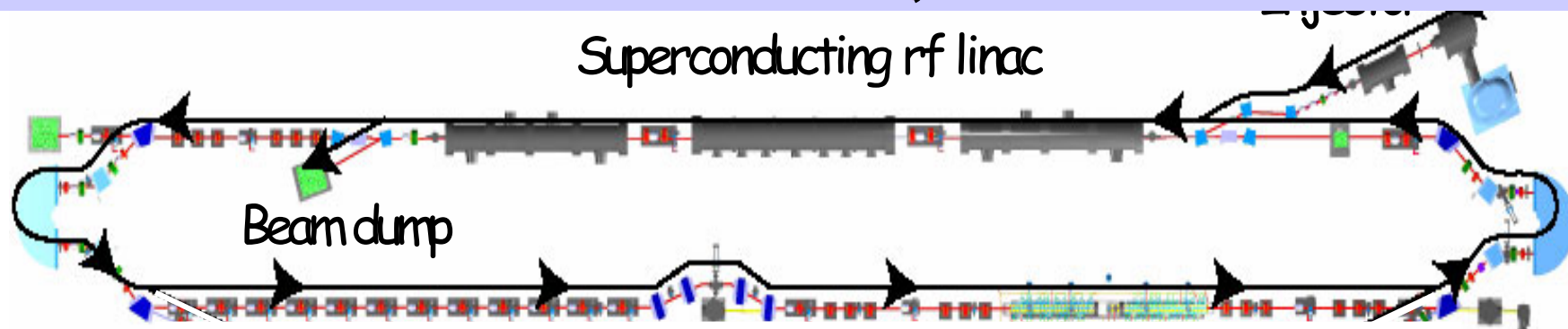


All sources are simultaneously produced for pump-probe studies

UV hardware 90% complete, awaiting funding for installation

The Jefferson Lab IR FEL Upgrade

**Achieved 14.2 kW CW light power at 1.6 μm
on October 30, 2006!**

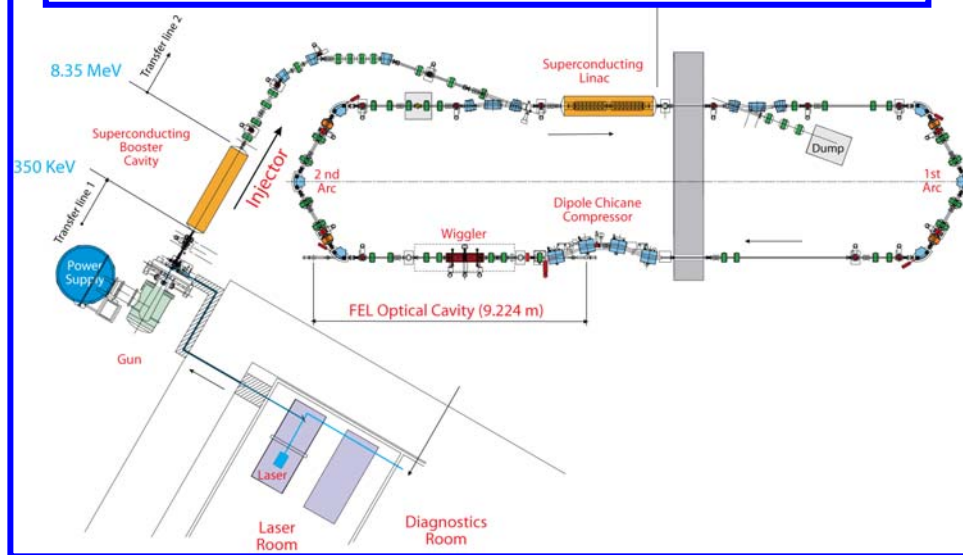


JLab IR FEL Electron Beam Parameters	Design	Achieved
Energy (MeV)	145	160
Bunch charge (pC)	135	270
Average current (mA)	10	9.1
Bunch length* (fs)	500	150
Norm. emittance* (mm-mrad)	30	7
Max. Bunch rep. rate (MHz)	74.85	74.85

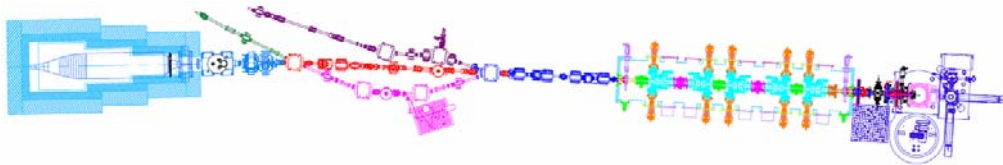
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ERL Test Facilities in assembly and test

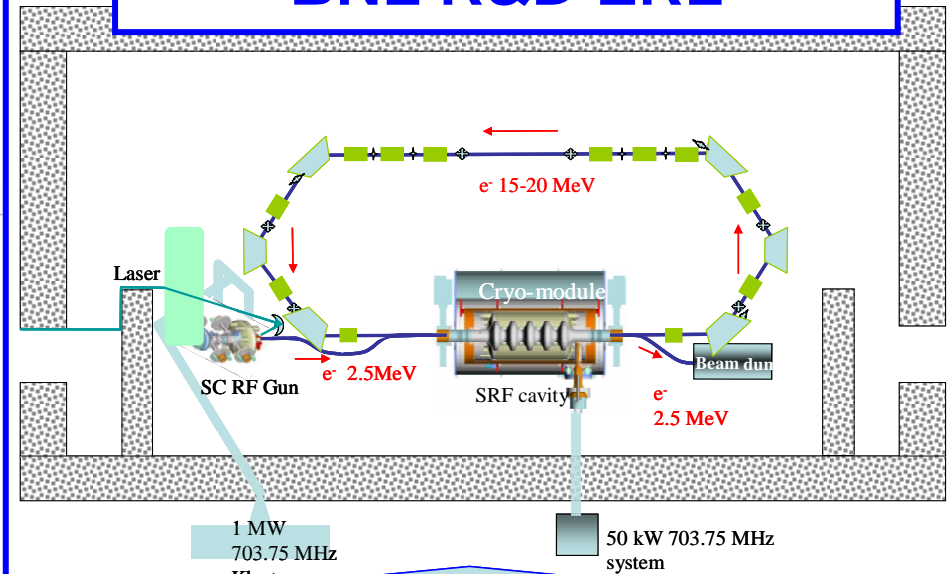
Daresbury ERL Prototype



Cornell ERL Prototype Injector

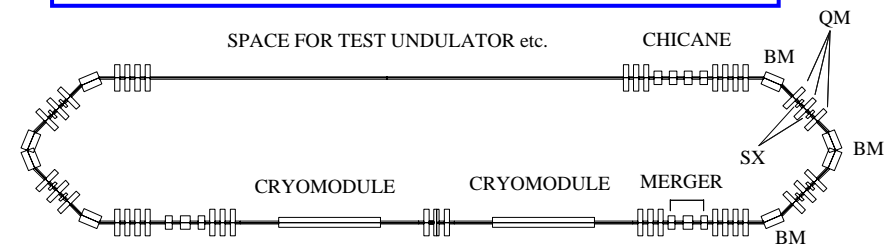


BNL R&D ERL



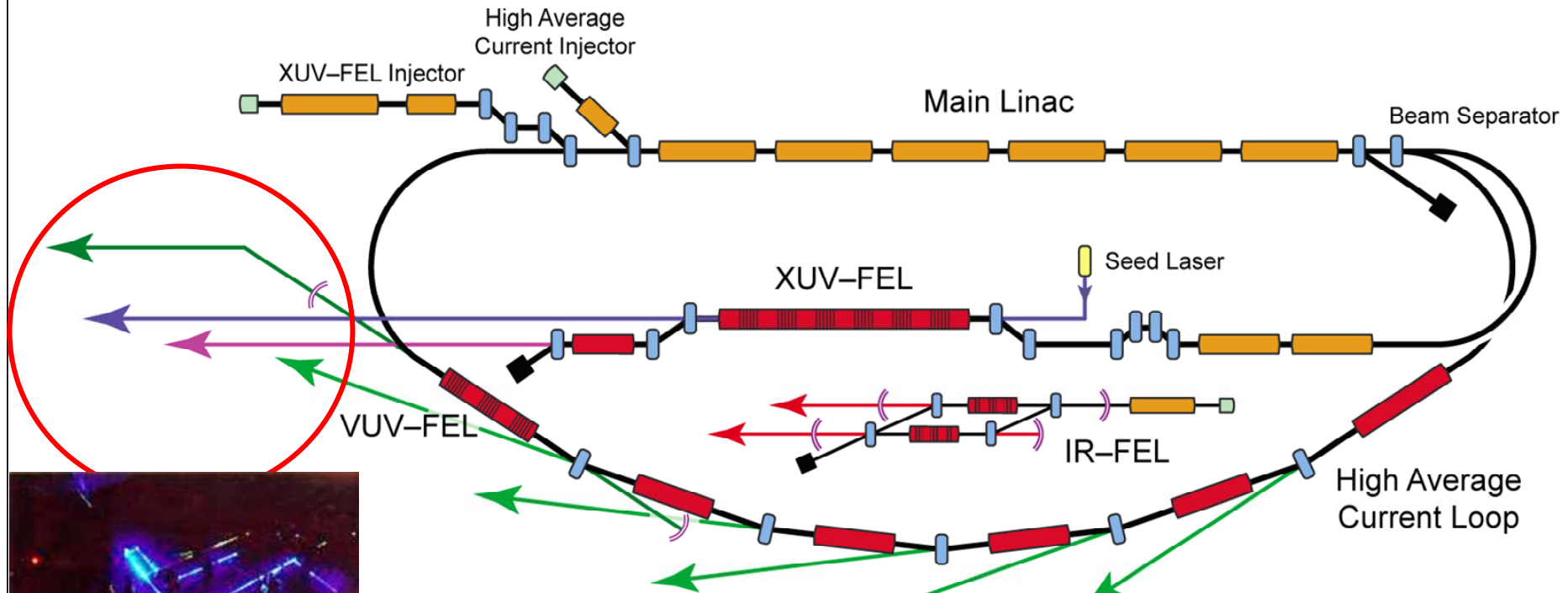
Control room

Japan Test ERL



4GLS

Future ERL Light Sources: an example shows the possibilities



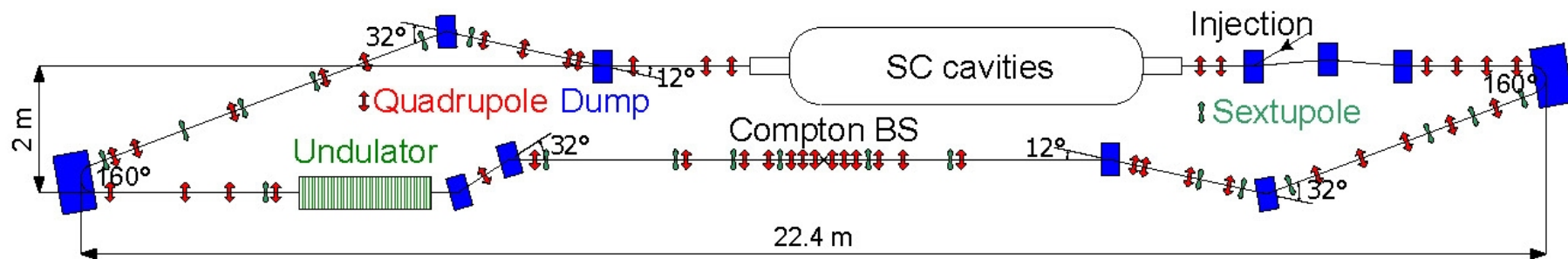
plus
laser sources

IR FEL Oscillator
VUV FEL Oscillator
XUV Amplifier
Spontaneous sources
All synchronized < psec

A PROJECT OF A HIGH-POWER FEL DRIVEN BY AN SC ERL AT KAERI

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- bunch duration: 100 ps;
- number of electrons per bunch: 10^{10} ;
- electron energy (full): 10 MeV;
- repetition rate: 5.6 MHz;
- emittance: $2\pi \text{ mm}\cdot\text{mrad}$;
- energy spread (relative): $6\cdot 10^{-3}$.

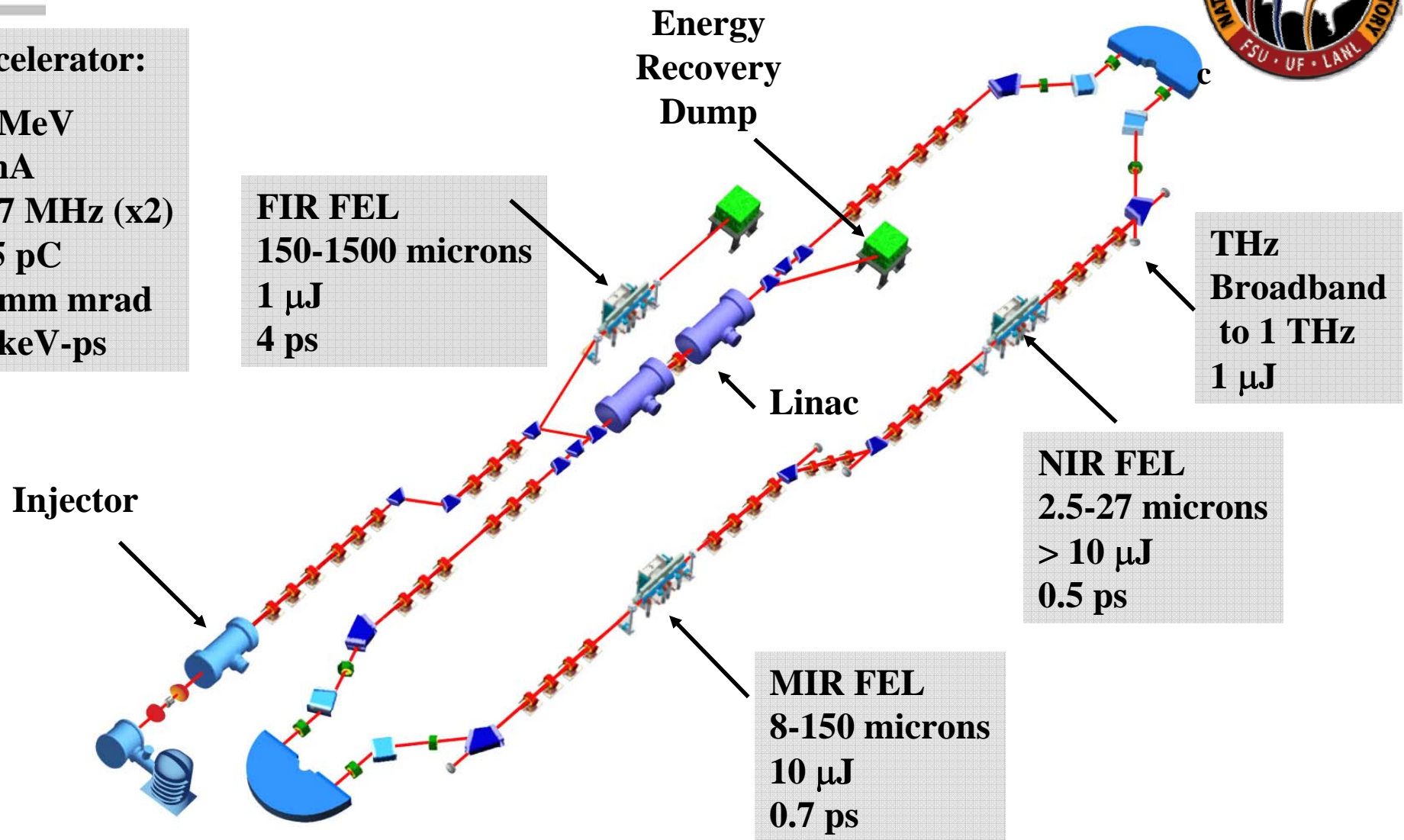
FEL2007 MOPPH064

Big Light FEL for NHMFL



Accelerator:

60 MeV
3 mA
10.7 MHz (x2)
135 pC
10 mm mrad
80 keV-ps

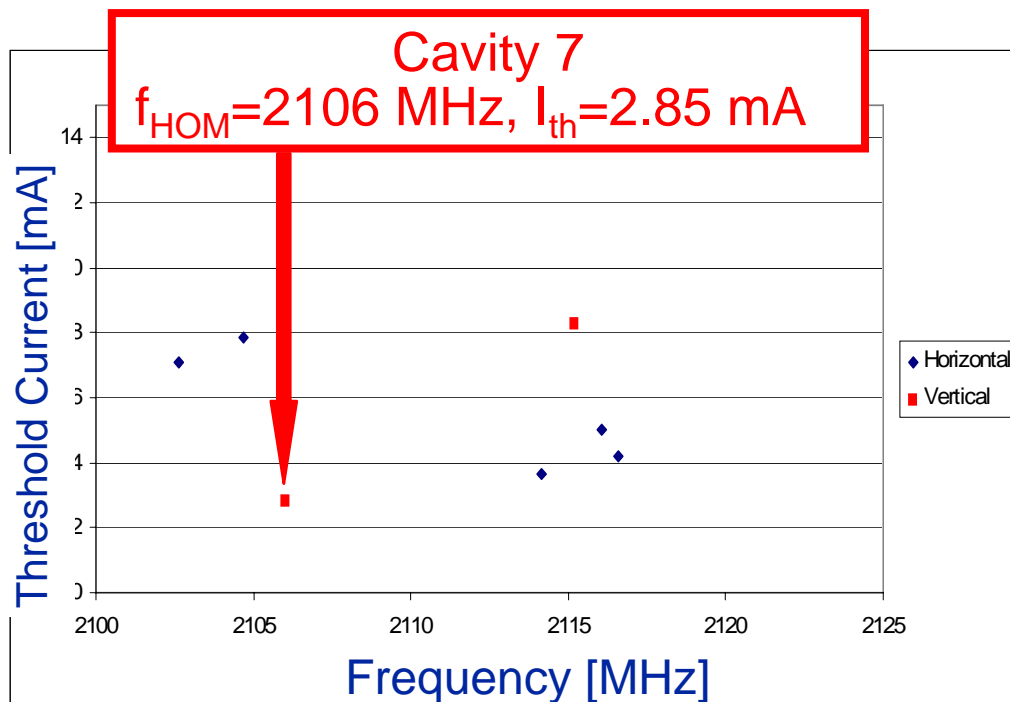


Required Development

- **Physics Control Requirements**
 - BBU (physics done, engineering solutions)
 - CSR
 - Longitudinal space charge
- **Technology**
 - Lower Q_0 - operating cost
 - Simplified cryomodule - capital cost
- **Physics and Technology**
 - Injector - sets performance limits

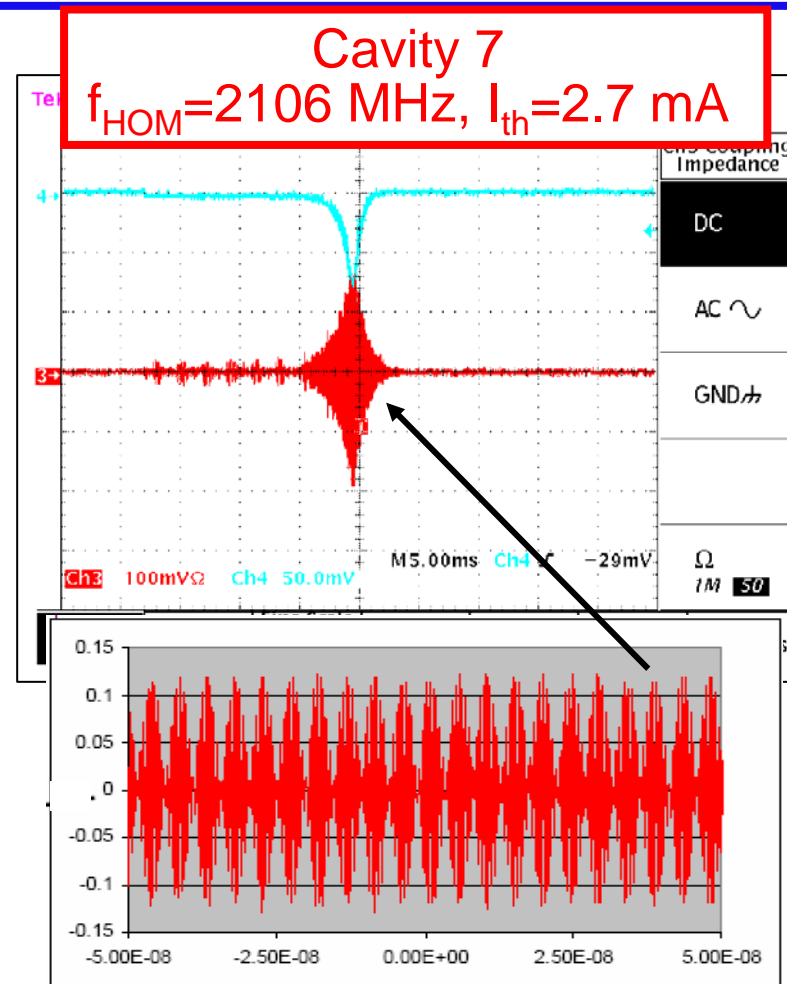
BBU Simulation and Observation

BBU simulations of the JLAB 10 kW FEL



HOM data based on measurements
Model recirculation matrix

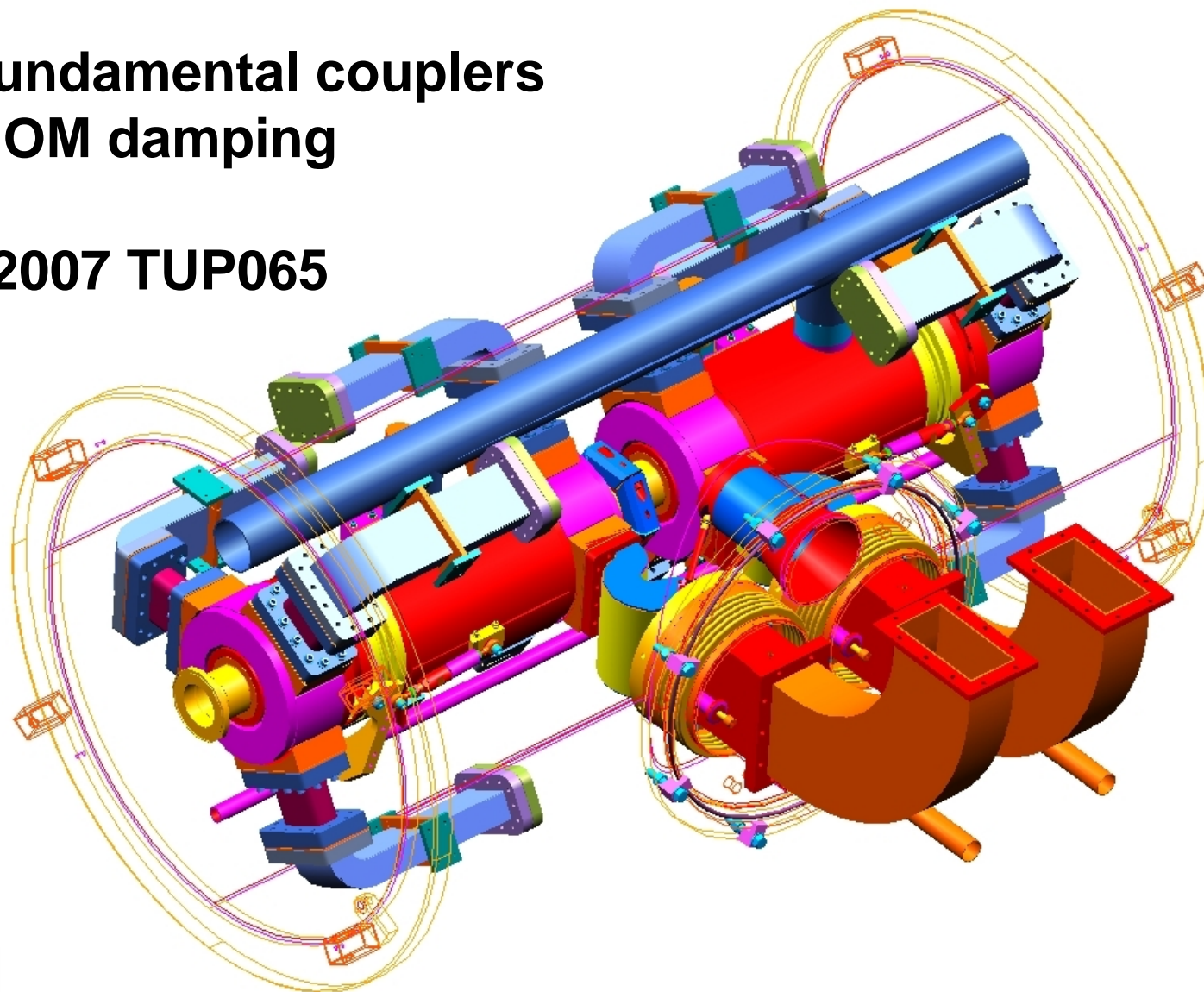
BBU observation in the JLAB 10 kW FEL



Cavity cell shape optimization for High Current

High power fundamental couplers
Waveguide HOM damping

Rimmer SRF2007 TUP065



Loaded Q for FEL ERLs

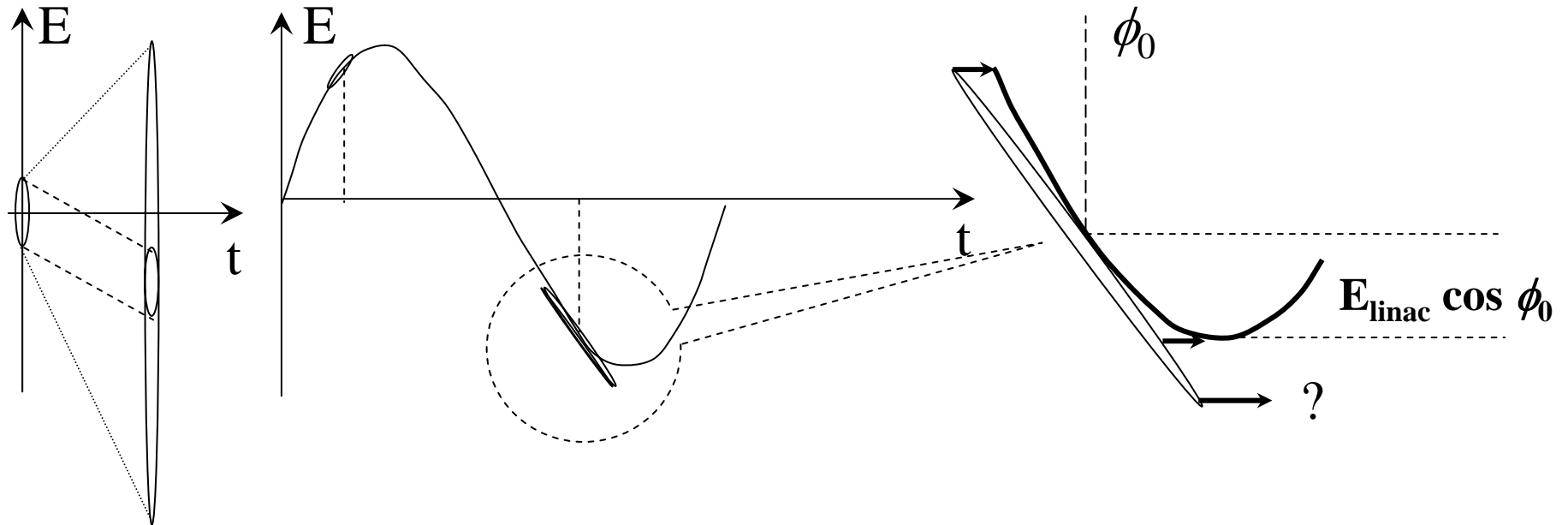
- In an ERL without FELs acceleration/deceleration on crest/trough could allow for loaded $Q > 10^7$ and minimal rf power draw

In an FEL ERL this is not recommended

- With no beam loading RF Power $\sim 1/Q_L$ (loaded Q). With perfect energy recovery you can operate with a few hundred watts of RF power per cavity rather than 3 kW to 4 kW per cavity with high Q BUT....
- You must decelerate off trough to compress energy spread during deceleration
- Accelerated and decelerated beams are less than 180° out of phase which results in beam loading in both power and phase.

Illustrated.....

Offset phase on return sets limit on energy spread



- FEL Interaction: beam central energy drops, beam energy spread grows
- Recirculator energy must be matched to beam central energy to maximize acceptance
- Beam rotated, curved, torqued to match shape of RF waveform
- Maximum energy can't exceed peak *deceleration* available from linac!

$$(\Delta E/E)_{\text{FEL}}/2 < E_{\text{linac}} \cos \phi_0$$

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- **Accelerated and decelerated beams are less than 180° out of phase which results in beam loading in both power and phase.**
- **Mechanical tuners compensate for 85% of the beam loading in CW mode.**
- **During lasing turn-on the RF system must provide the transient power and phase shift necessary.**
- **Lower Q_L minimizes the transient effects**

Rf phase vector diagrams

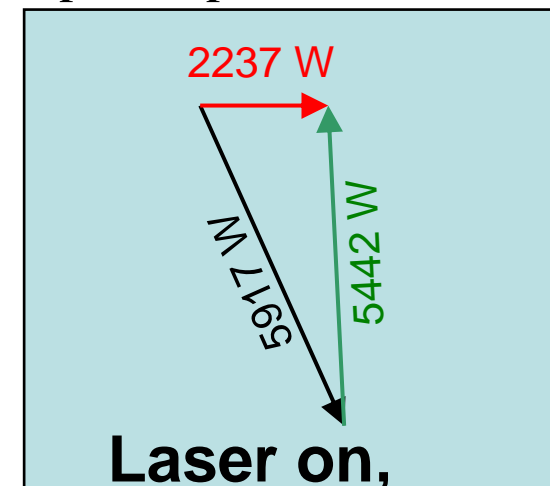
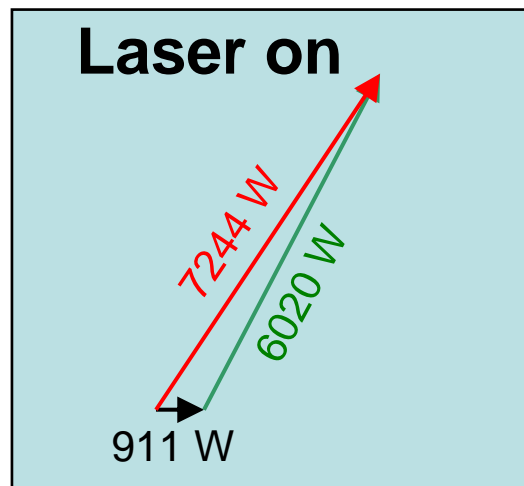
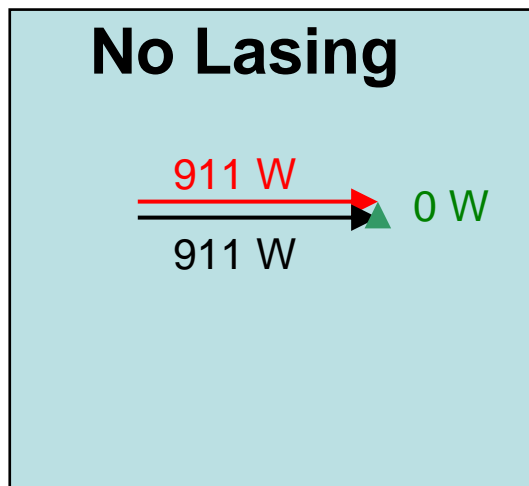
The M56 between the end of our FEL and the linac is $\sim 0.2\text{m}$

Lasing at 2% efficiency the phase shift is 7.2 degrees of rf at 1500MHz

10 MV/m, $+10^\circ$ accel/decel
Generator power phasor

Same but return delayed- 7.2°
Instantaneous power phasor

Same but return delayed- 7.2° , tuner minimizes
power phasor



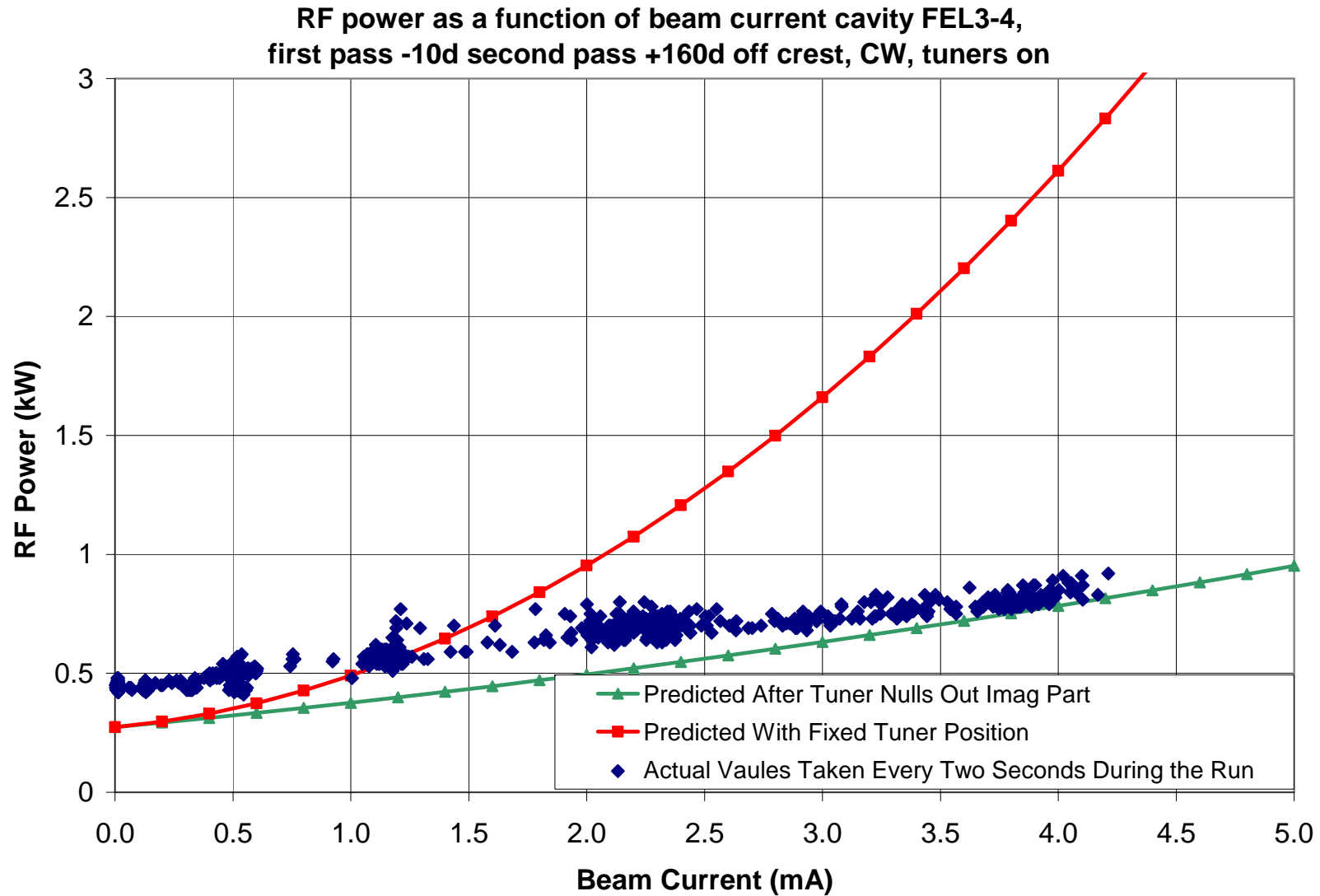
$$Q_L \sim 6 \times 10^6$$

*High Q_L only makes
this shift worse!*

→ Klystron Power
→ "Cavity" Power
→ "Beam" Power

Yes, I know power isn't a vector;
length shown is E

RF Power as a function of current



Technology Development

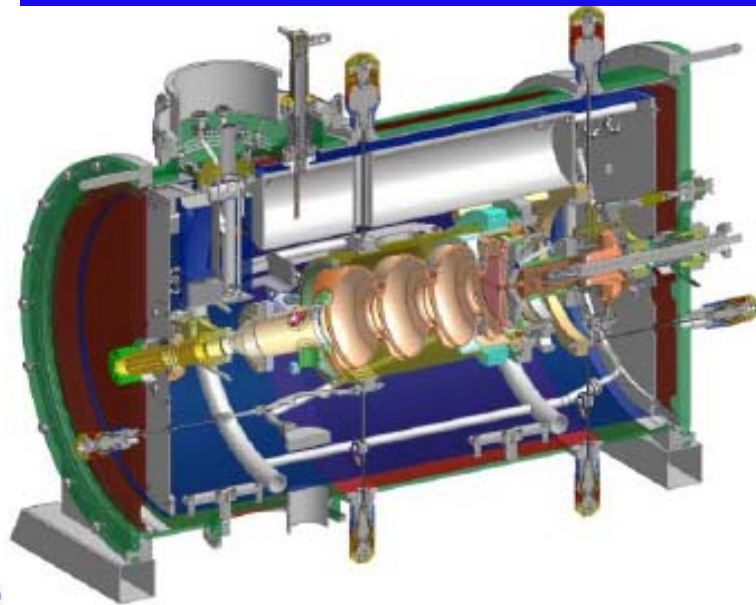
- Although other technologies are required the injector is key to short wavelength and high power
- SRF – much promise
- DC –best performance to date

(Peking U. design combines both)

Goal: High brightness at high average current

SRF photoinjectors

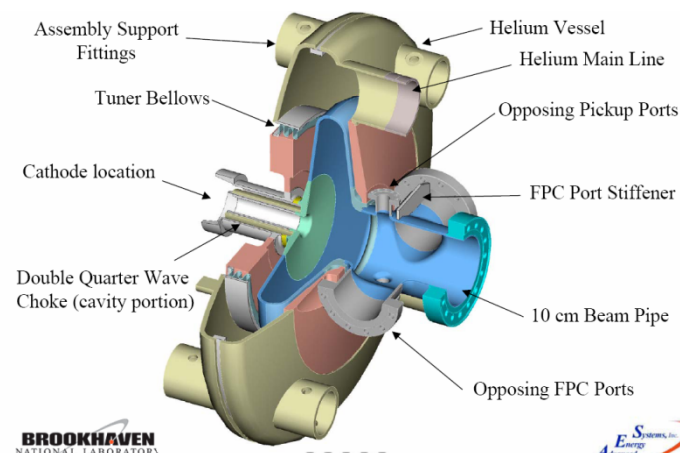
Rossendorf SRF gun



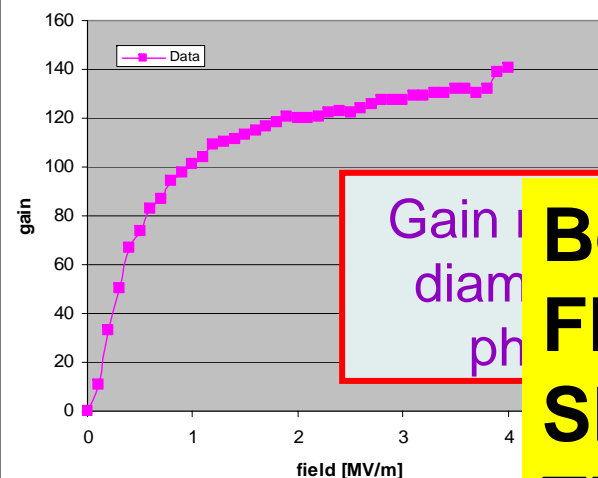
1.3 GHz, 9.5 MeV, CW
3 modes of operation:

- 77 pC at 13 MHz
- 1 nC up to 1 MHz (1 mA)
- 2.5nC at 1 kHz

BNL/AES SRF gun



703.75 MHz, 2.5 MeV, 500 mA, CW



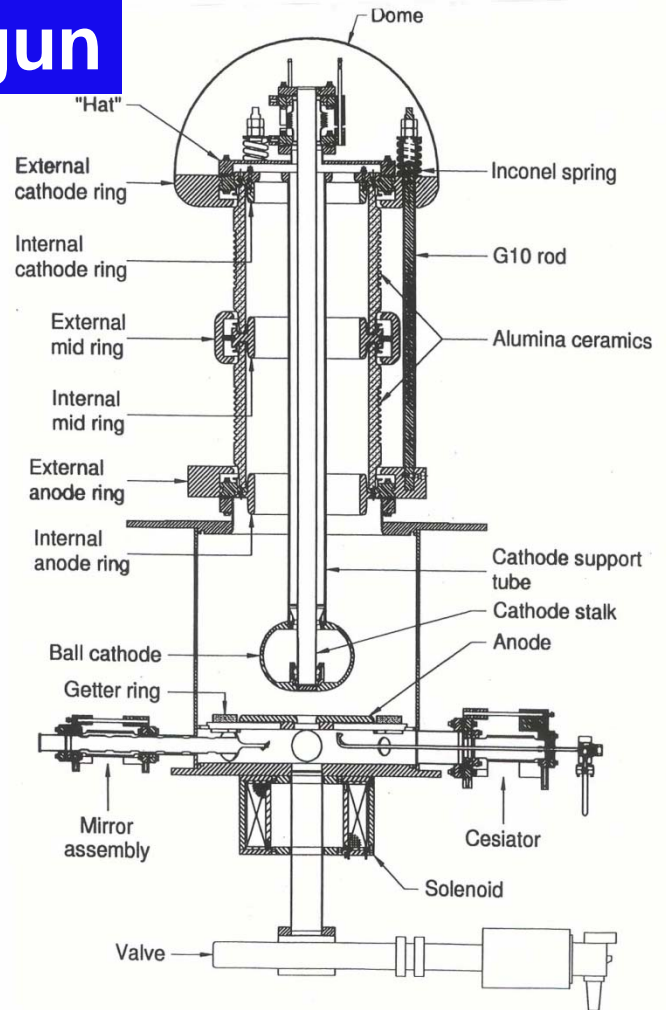
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DC photoinjectors

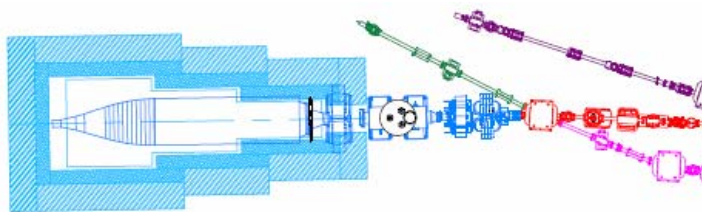
CW State-of-the-art: JLAB FEL gun

- 75 MHz repetition rate
- $\epsilon_{N,rms} \sim 7$ mm-mrad for
 $q \sim 135$ pC/bunch
(measured at the wiggler)
- Average current up to 9 mA
- Cathode voltage: 350 – 500 kV

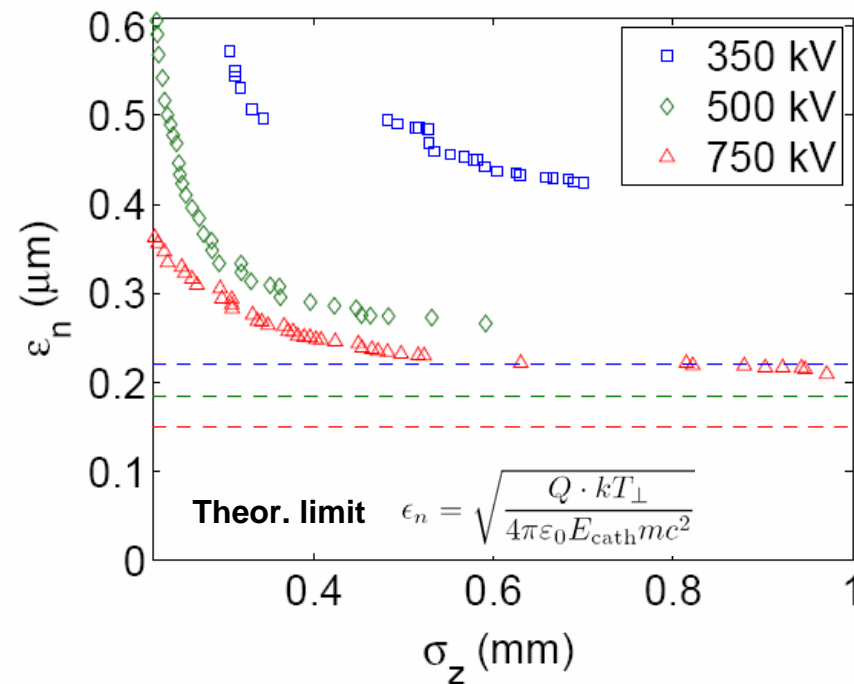


Reaching ultimate emittance limit in a DC gun

Cornell ERL Prototype Injector



**K-J Kim, FEL2007
1 Angstrom FEL Oscillator!**



**Multi-parameter
optimization achieves
<0.3 mm-mrad, 80 pC
dominated by cathode
temperature**

Courtesy: I. Bazarov

Summary

Lots of activity in ERL based FELs and related light sources

Much progress in achieving higher power

ABUNDANT challenges to keep researchers employed for many years!

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