

# STRIPLINE DESIGN OF A FAST FARADAY CUP FOR THE BUNCH LENGTH MEASUREMENT AT ISOLDE-ISRS

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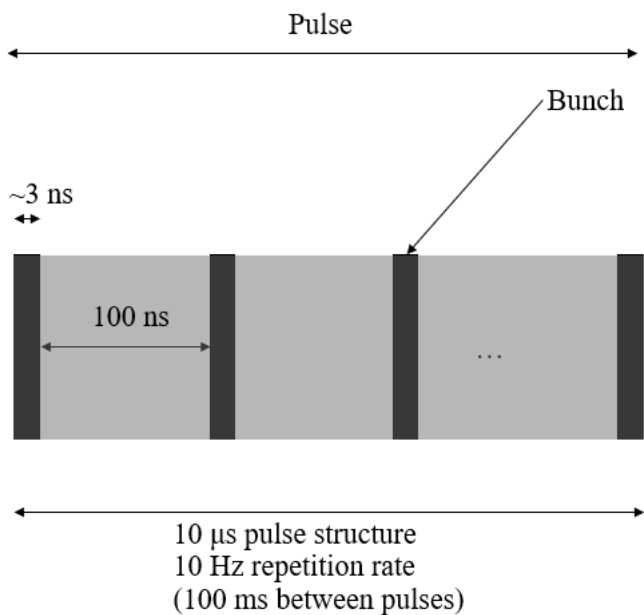
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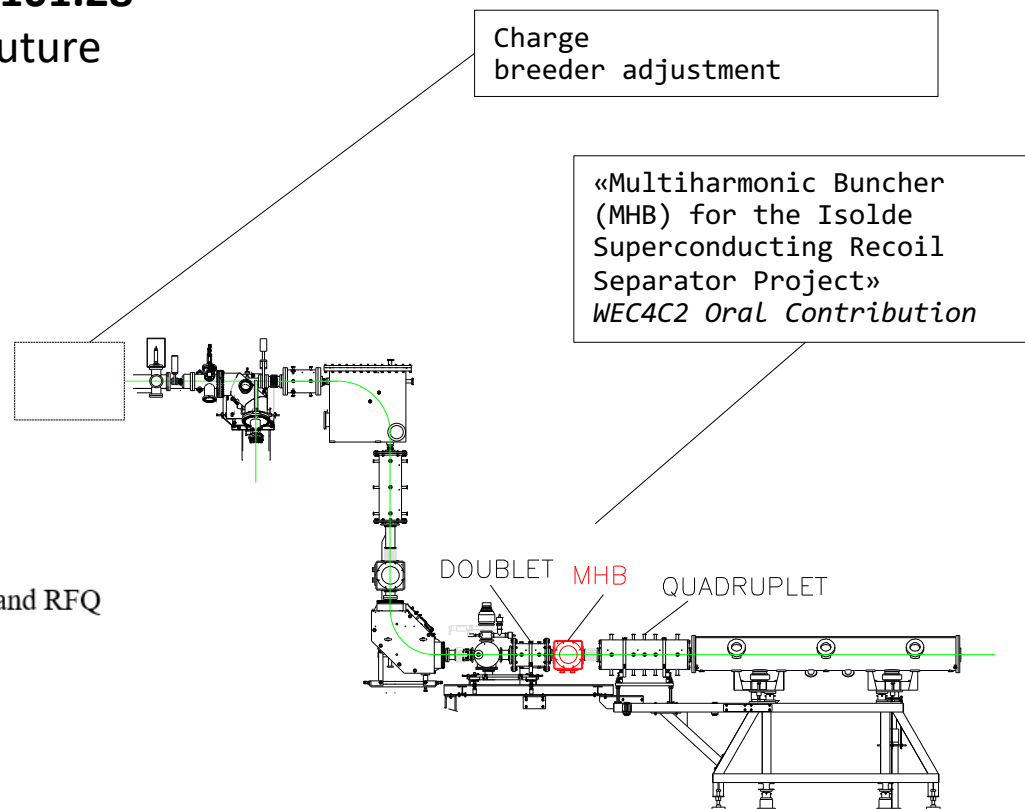
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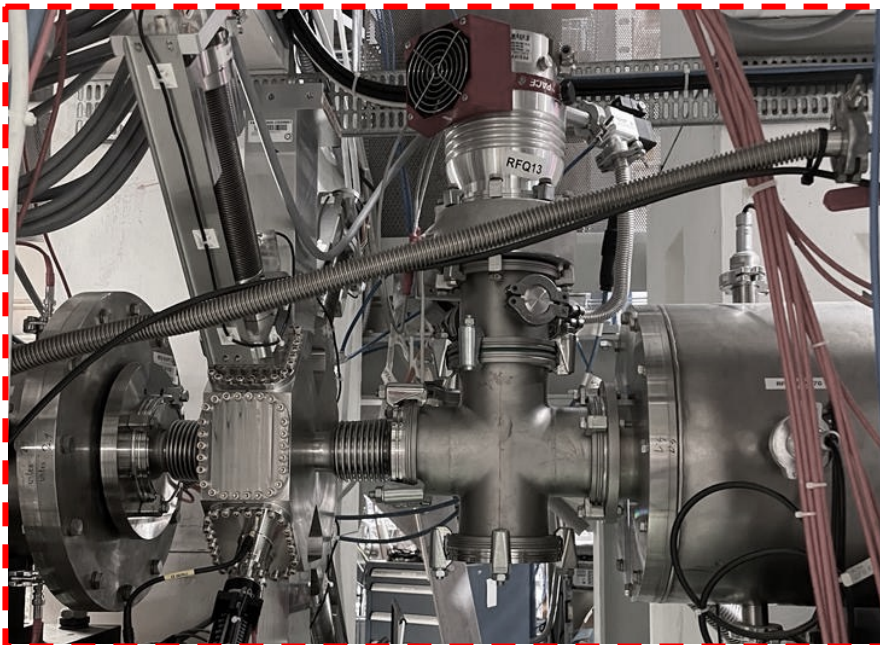
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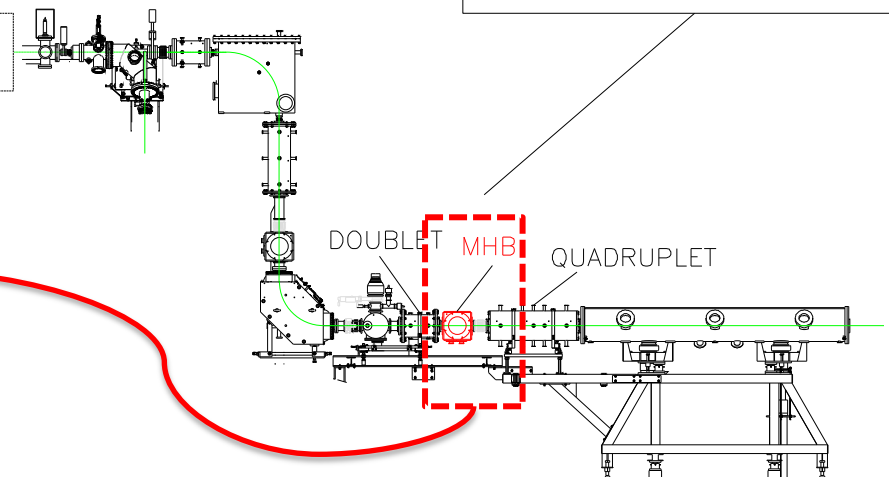
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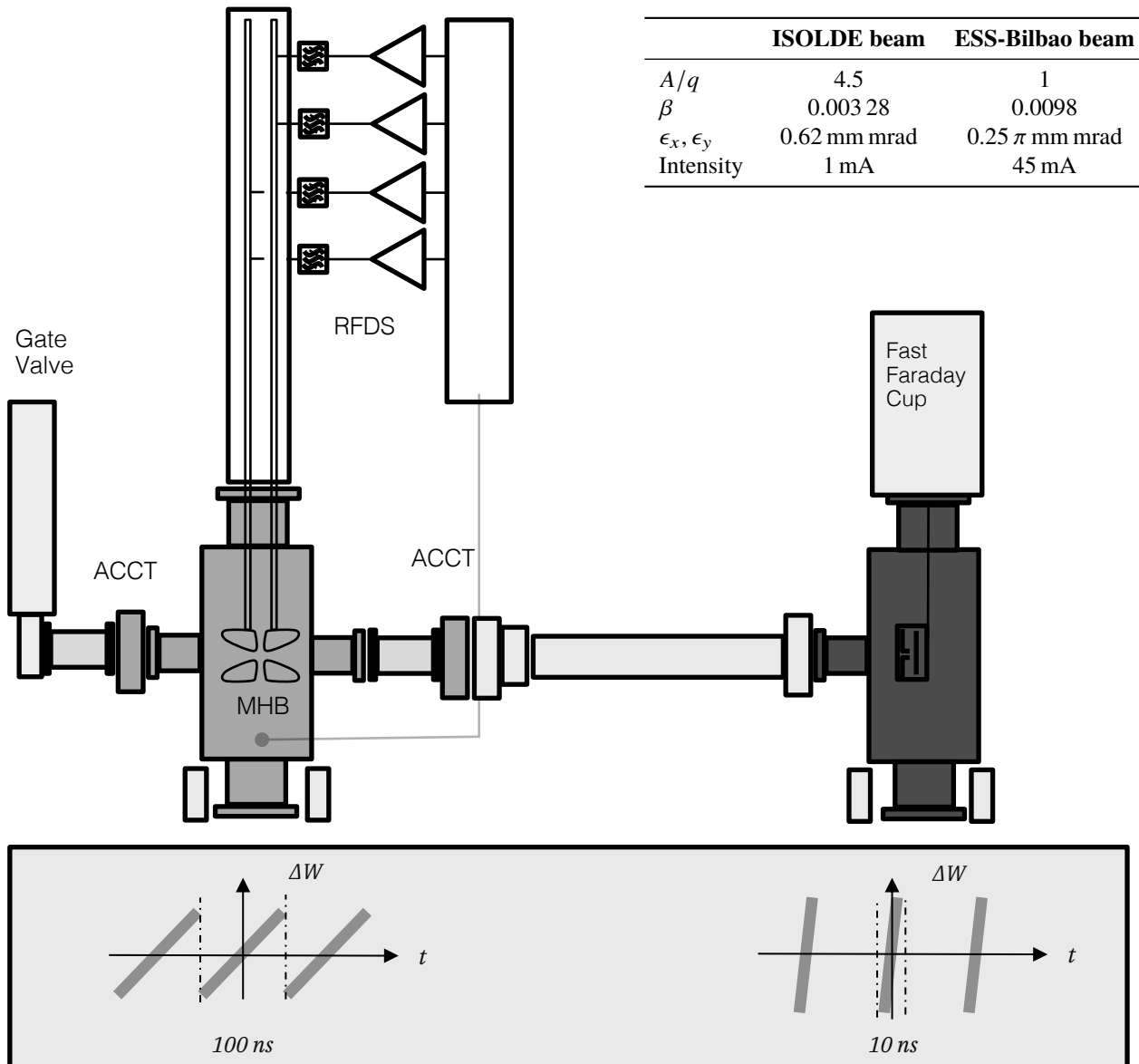
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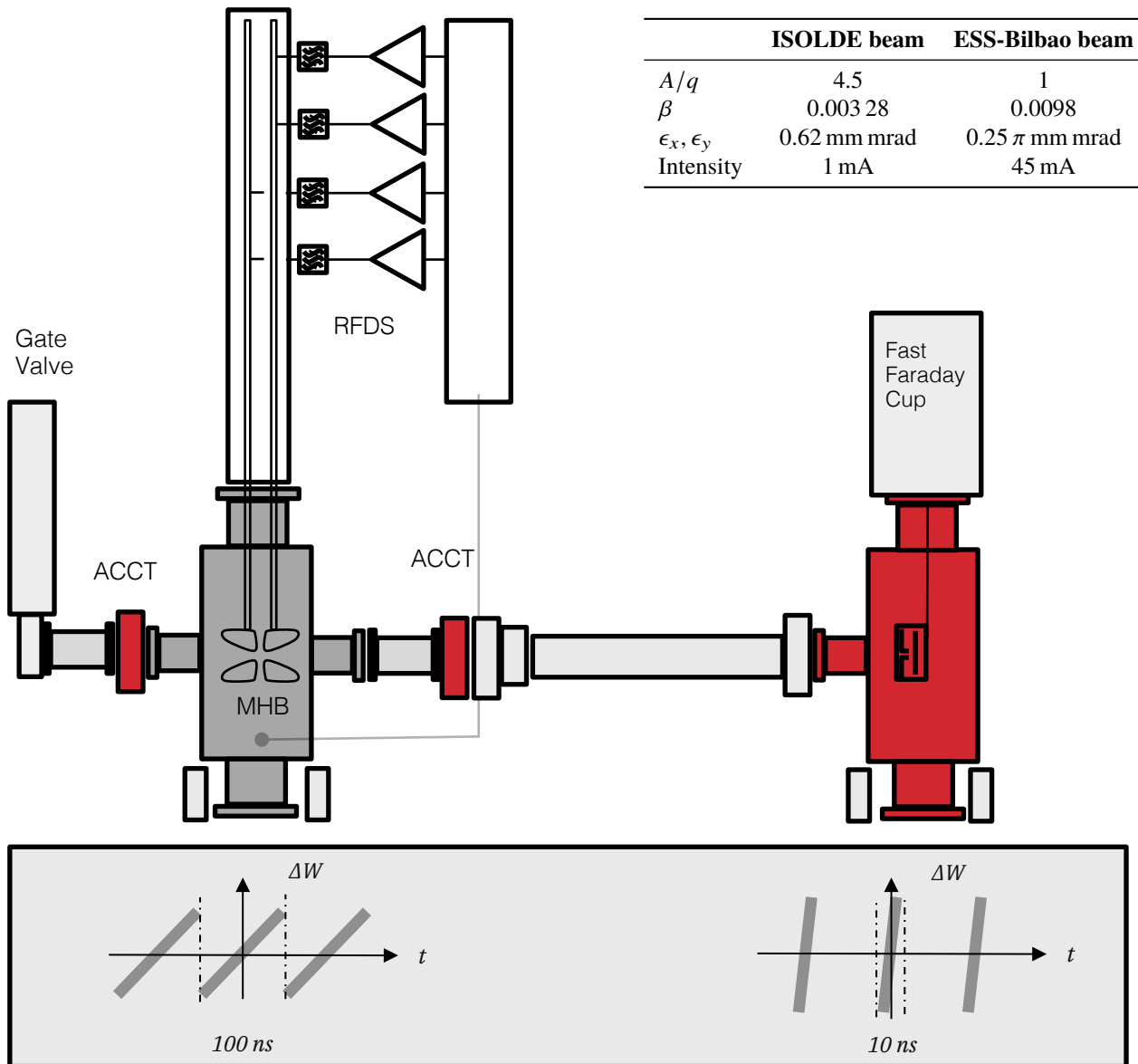


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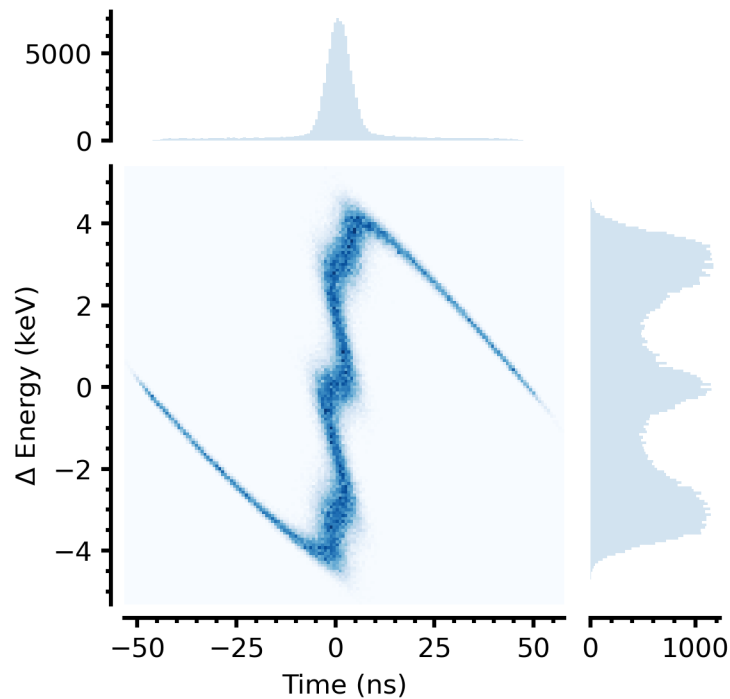
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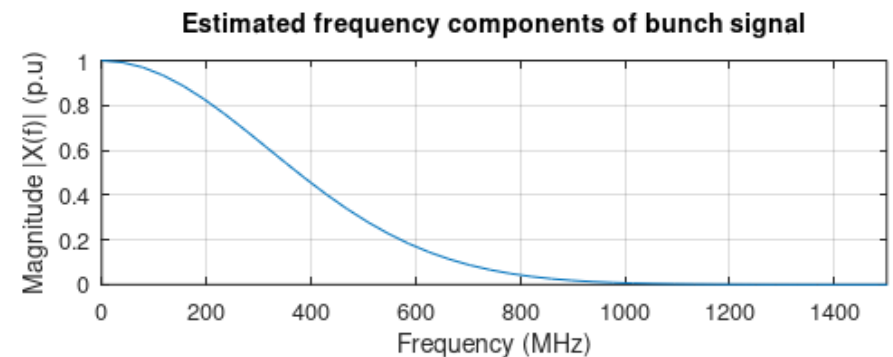
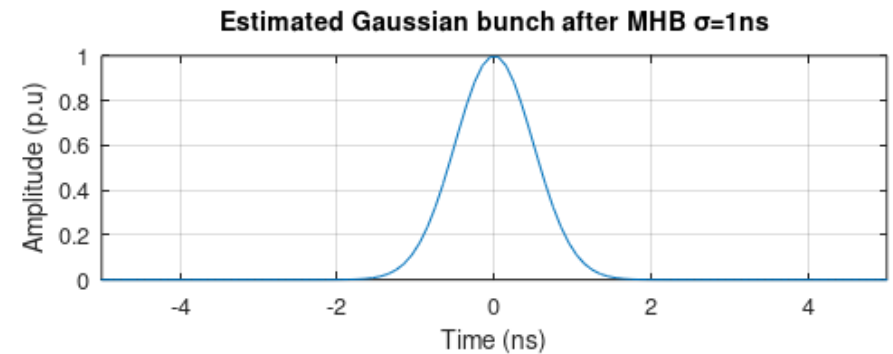
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# FFC design inputs

The bunching develops just after the MHB and progressing its length variation.

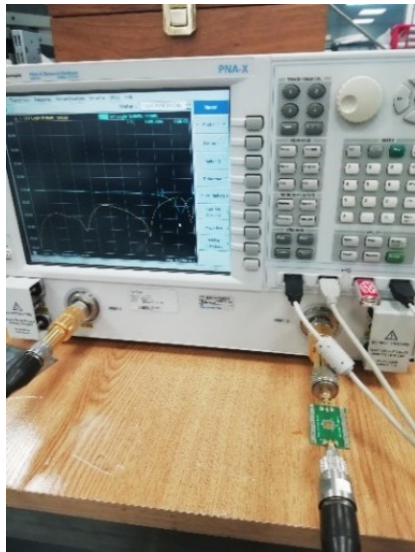


Bunch formation development at a distance of 1m from MHB. Horizontal axis corresponds to time (ns) and vertical axis to energy (keV). 8-12ns width

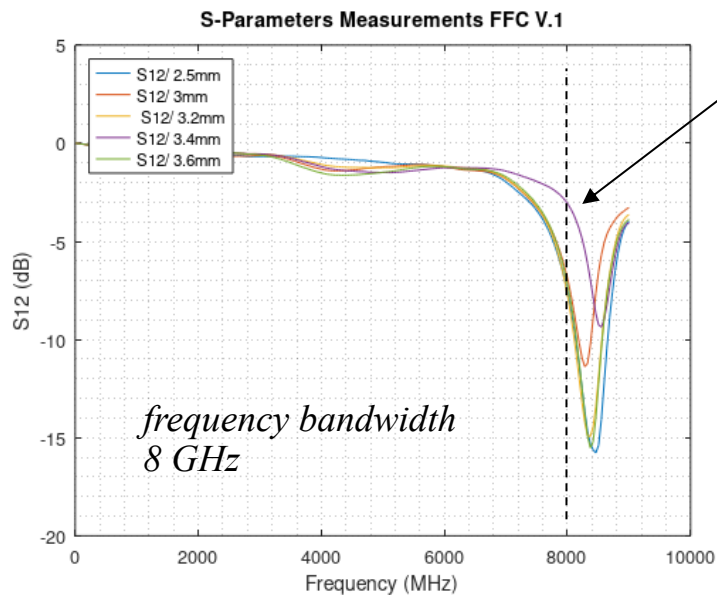
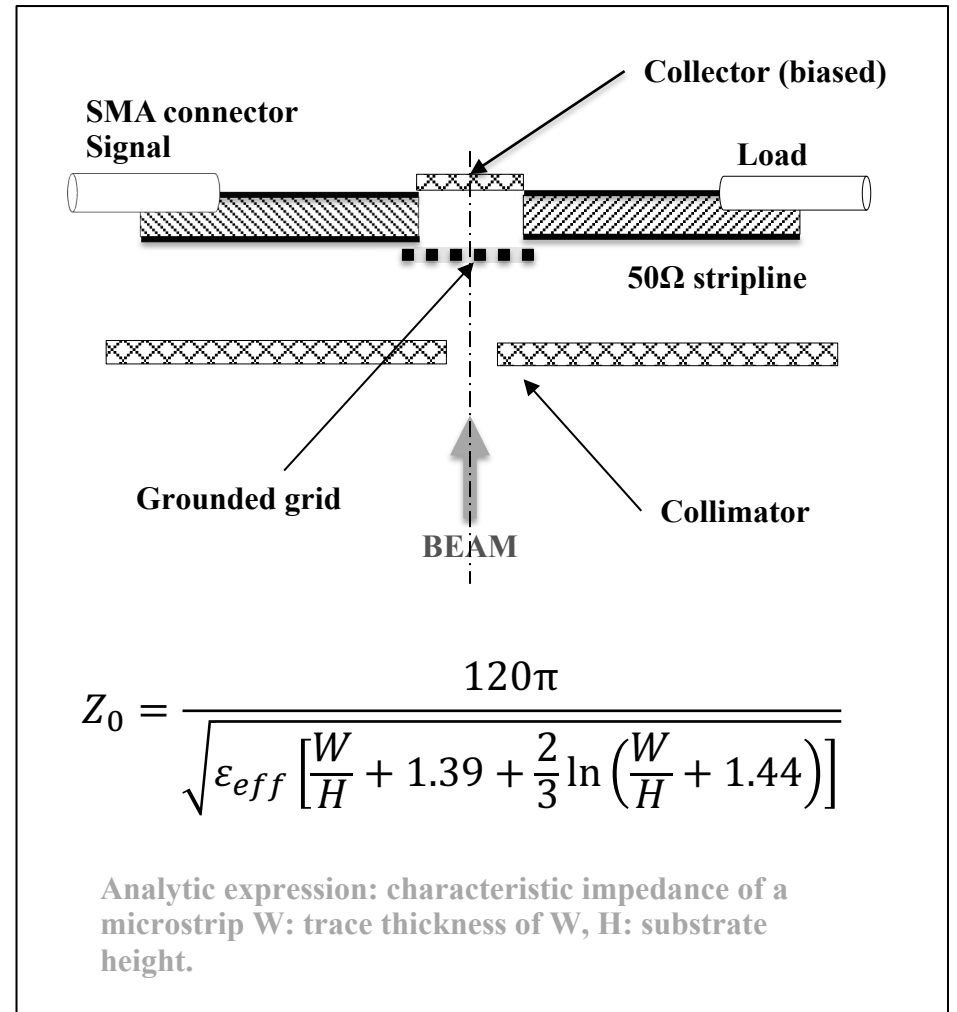


Expected shortest bunch temporal distribution and frequency spectrum after MHB in the FFC location. The frequency components goes up to 1 GHz.

# FFC frequency and time



Frequency domain Measurements

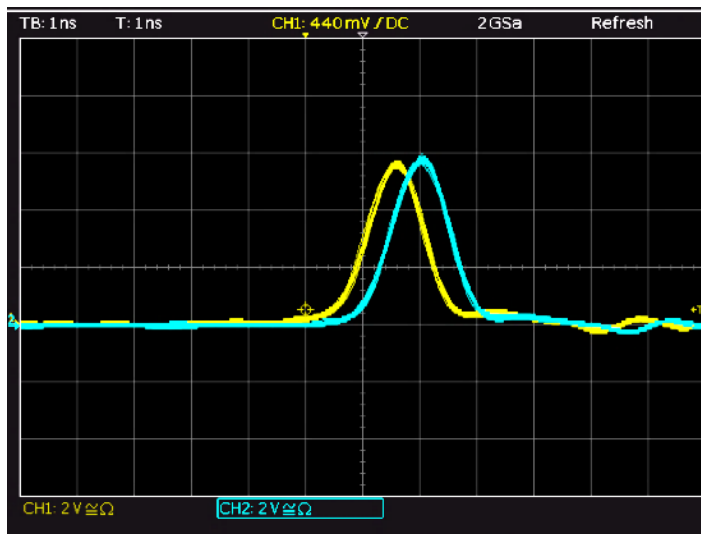


Selected design  
 $W = 3.4 \text{ mm}$

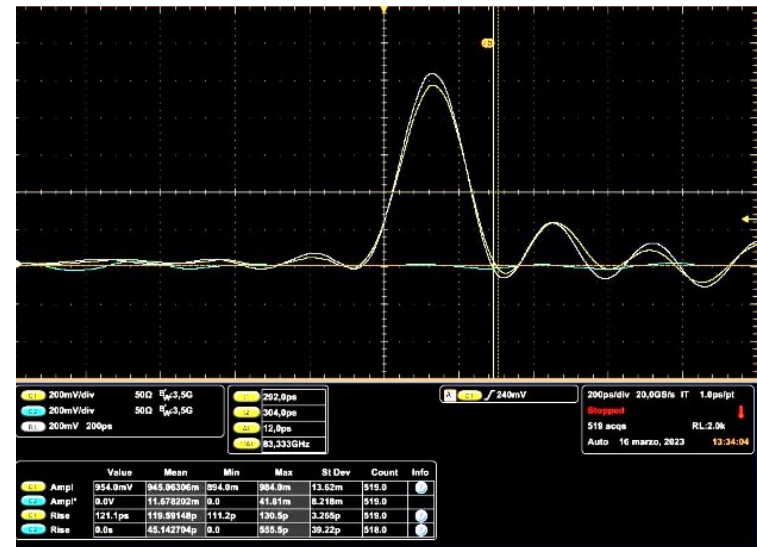
Measured S12 parameters  
of various prototypes.  
Standard FR-4 substrate thickness of 1.5 mm

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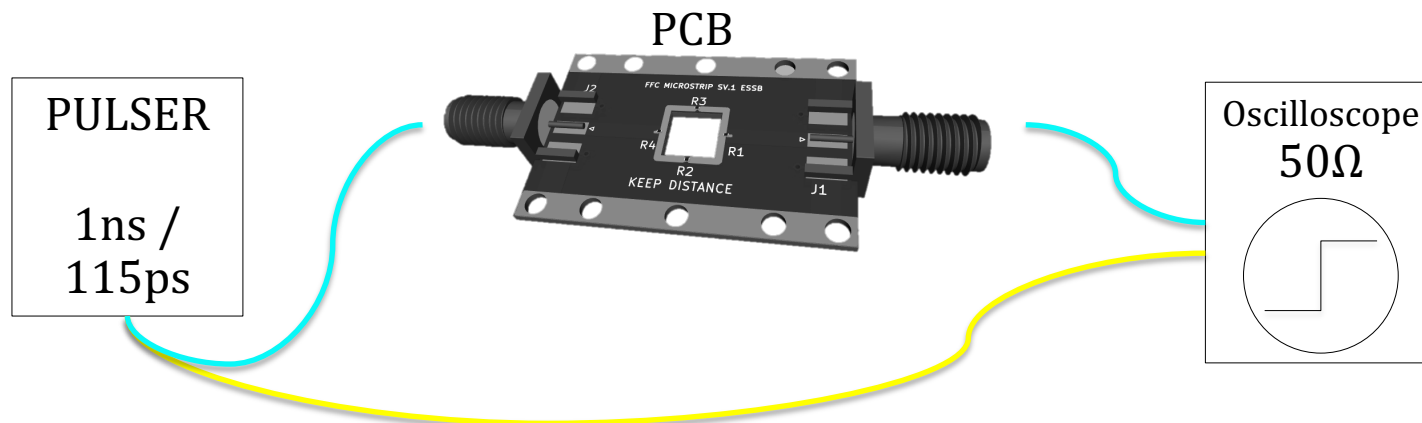
Check the possible deformation of the temporal distribution of the bunch signal.



Temporal measurements with 1ns pulser.



Temporal measurements with 115ps pulser.





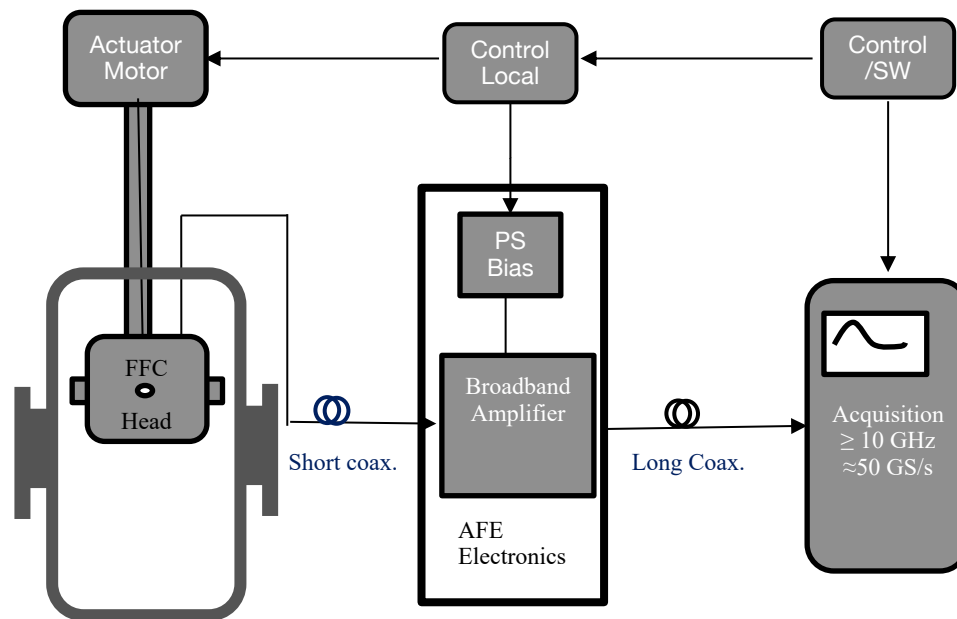
# FFC close out

## Summary:

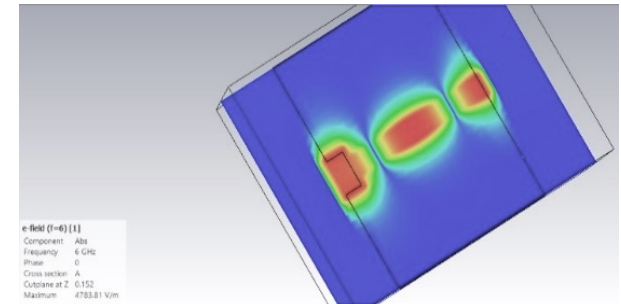
- Stripline type FFC
- Ready for even shorter bunch lengths.

## Future steps:

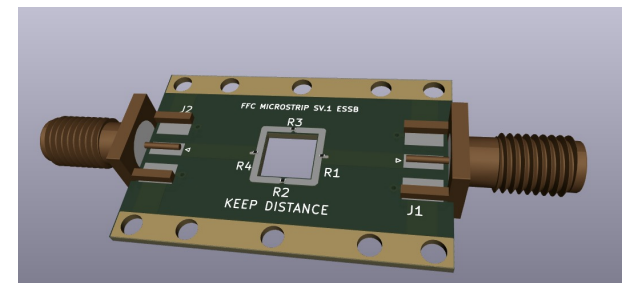
- Fine adjust some details on the PCB.
- Manufacture the rest of the FFC head components..



General Scheme of the Fast Faraday Cup interconnections



Mid-plane signal propagation in the FFC PCB



3D image of the FFC head without collimator