

Introduction



Collaboration Meeting

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❖ Application to particle physics 2030's

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COLLABORATION MEETING

Opportunity to:

- ❖ Meet new people ...
- ❖ Make personal contacts ...
- ❖ Be informed about plans ...
- ❖ Generate new ideas ...

Participate

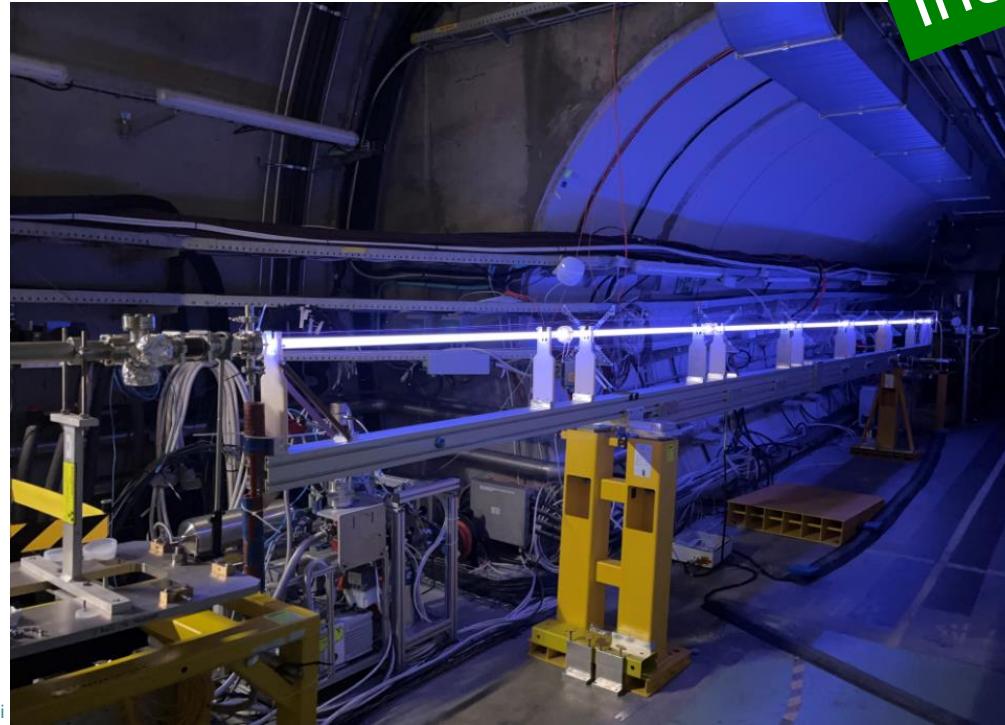


DISCHARGE PLASMA SOURCE

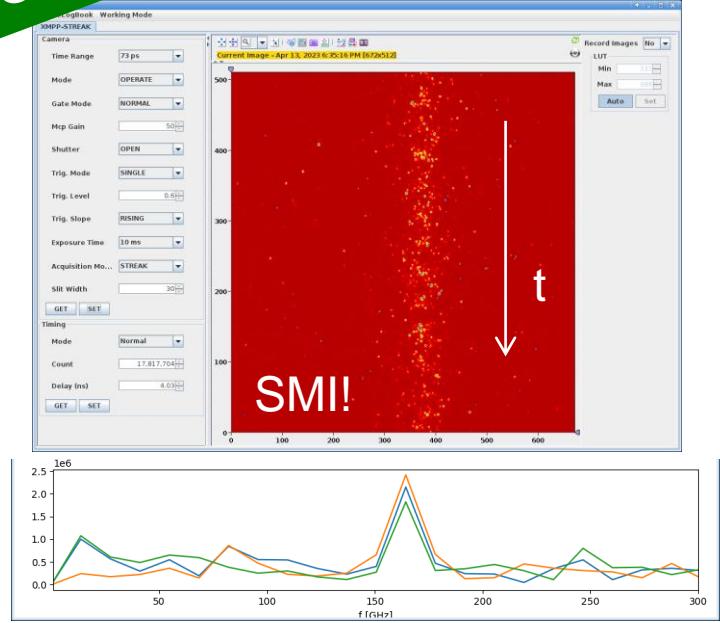
Research topics, 10m discharge plasma source (DPS), May 2023:

- ◆ Plasma source: Ar, Xe, He
- ◆ Self-modulation instability (SMI)
- ◆ Current filamentation instability (CFI)
- ◆ Ion motion on SMI, Xe-Ar-He
- ◆ Hose instability at low plasma density, flat beams?
- ◆ Plasma light: diagnostic for wakefields

Installed and running!



3h test 13/04/2023

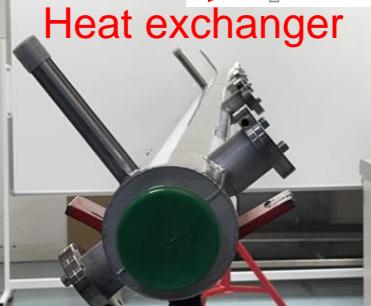
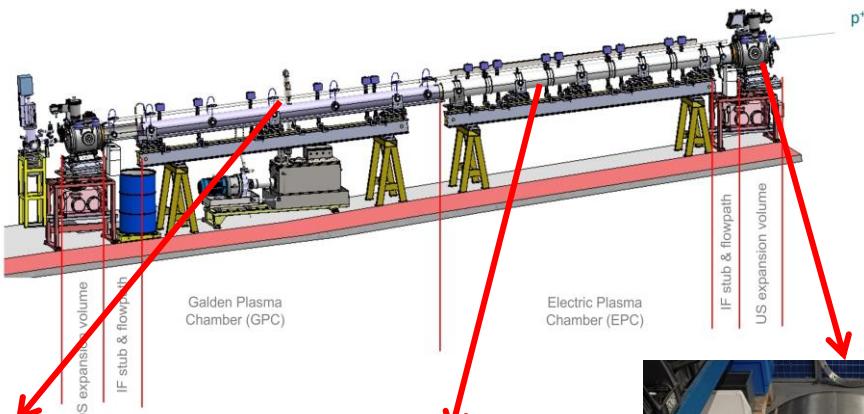


$f_{\text{mod}} \sim 164 \text{ GHz} \sim f_{\text{pe}} (n_{e0} \sim 3.4 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3})$ ✓
Time-resolved image shows SMI with DPS

Research topics, vapor source, August 2023-2024:

- ❖ Effect of plasma density step on:
 - ❖ Proton bunch, time resolved and integrated images
 - ❖ Plasma light, wakefield diagnostic
 - ❖ e- acceleration
 - ❖ Seeding of self-modulation, RIF and e-bunch
 - ❖ Short plasma (4m?) for self-modulation

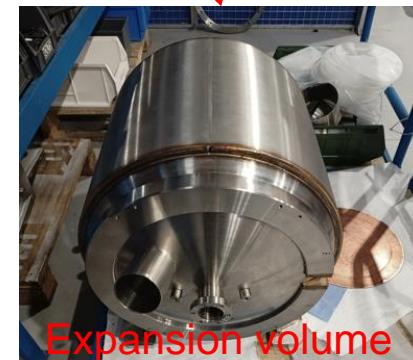
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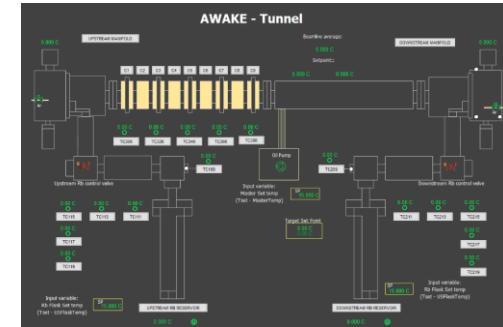
Heat exchanger



Copper integrators



Expansion volume



Control

In preparation (Collaboration manuscripts, Run 2a):

- ❖ Livio: SMI or not (today)
- ❖ Tatiana: hosing
- ❖ Jan: e- in density ramp
- ❖ Jan: SM RIF seeding
- ❖ ...

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❖ Experiments

PHYSICAL REVIEW LETTERS 129, 024802 (2022)

Editors' Suggestion

Featured in Physics

Controlled Growth of the Self-Modulation of a Relativistic Proton Bunch in Plasma

L. Verra^{1,2,3,*}, G. Zevi Della Porta,¹ J. Pucek,² T. Nechaeva,² S. Wyler,⁴ M. Bergamaschi,² E. Senes,¹ E. Gurari,¹ J. T. Moody,² M. Á. Kedves,⁵ E. Gschwendtner,¹ and P. Muggli²

(AWAKE Collaboration)

❖ Simulations

PHYSICAL REVIEW LETTERS 130, 115001 (2023)

Mitigation of the Onset of Hosing in the Linear Regime through Plasma Frequency Detuning

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