



Challenges of short light pulses in 4th generation storage rings

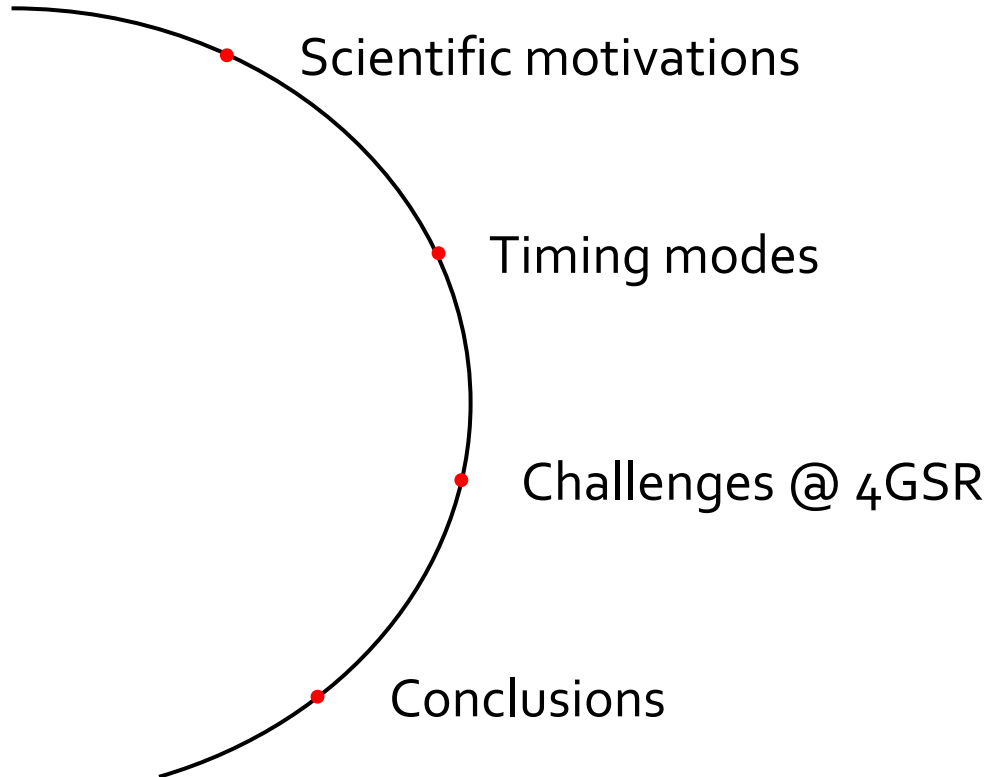
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Scientific motivations to timing mode

□ 3rd gen. SRLS: *high average brilliance, moderate peak intensity*

- Track aerosol in free-flight, non-equilibrium states
 - Map reversible dynamics of molecular systems
 - Photo-electron spectroscopy
 - Probe charge transfer dynamics
 - Image orbital, spin, and lattice degree of freedom
 - EXAFS } **Large wavelength tuneability**
- avoid sample **damage** (burning, ablation) and **space charge**
- nano- to pico-second time scale at **nanometer size**

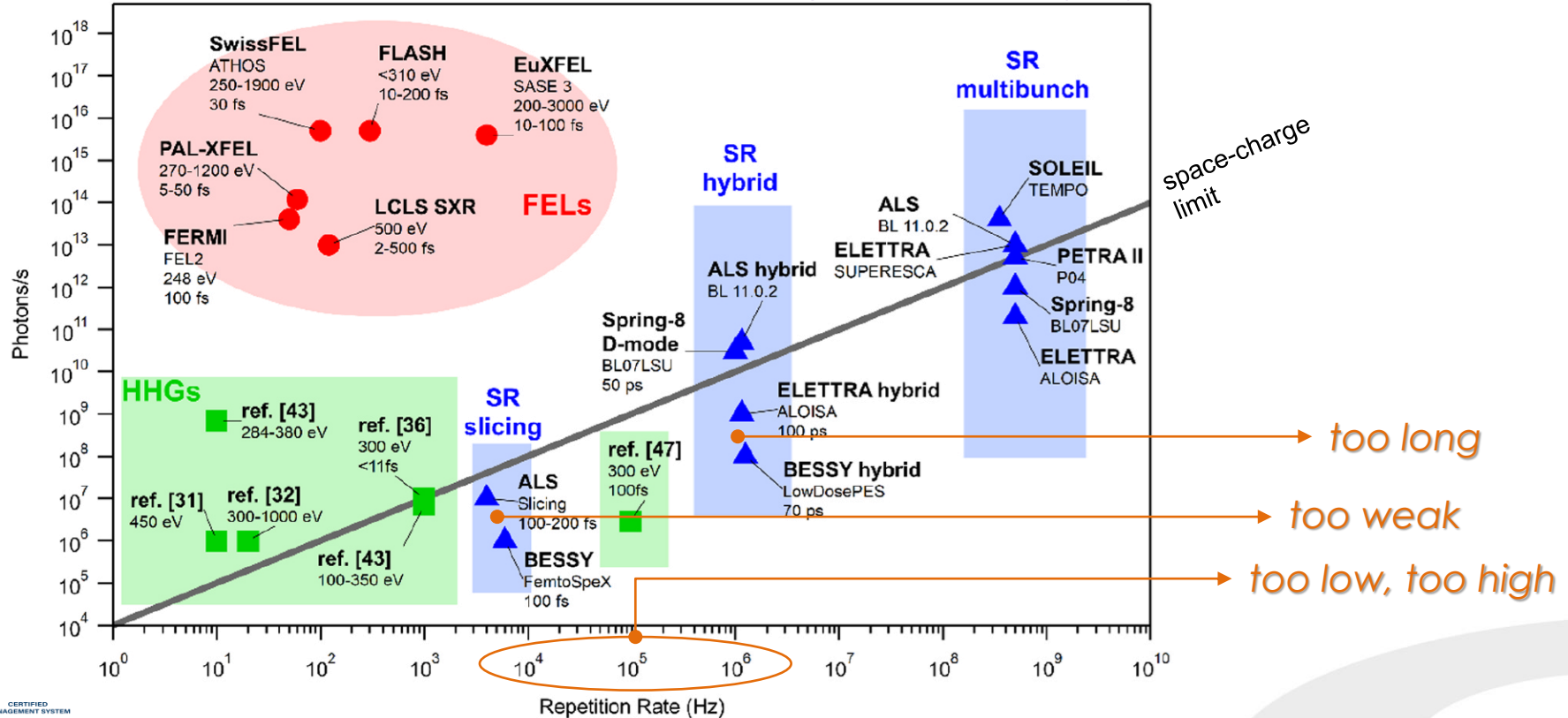
□ 4th gen. SRLS: *high degree of transverse coherence in x-rays*

- *improves **lateral resolution***
- *preserves high **energy resolution** (monochromators)*
- *reduces the **integrated time** of measurements*

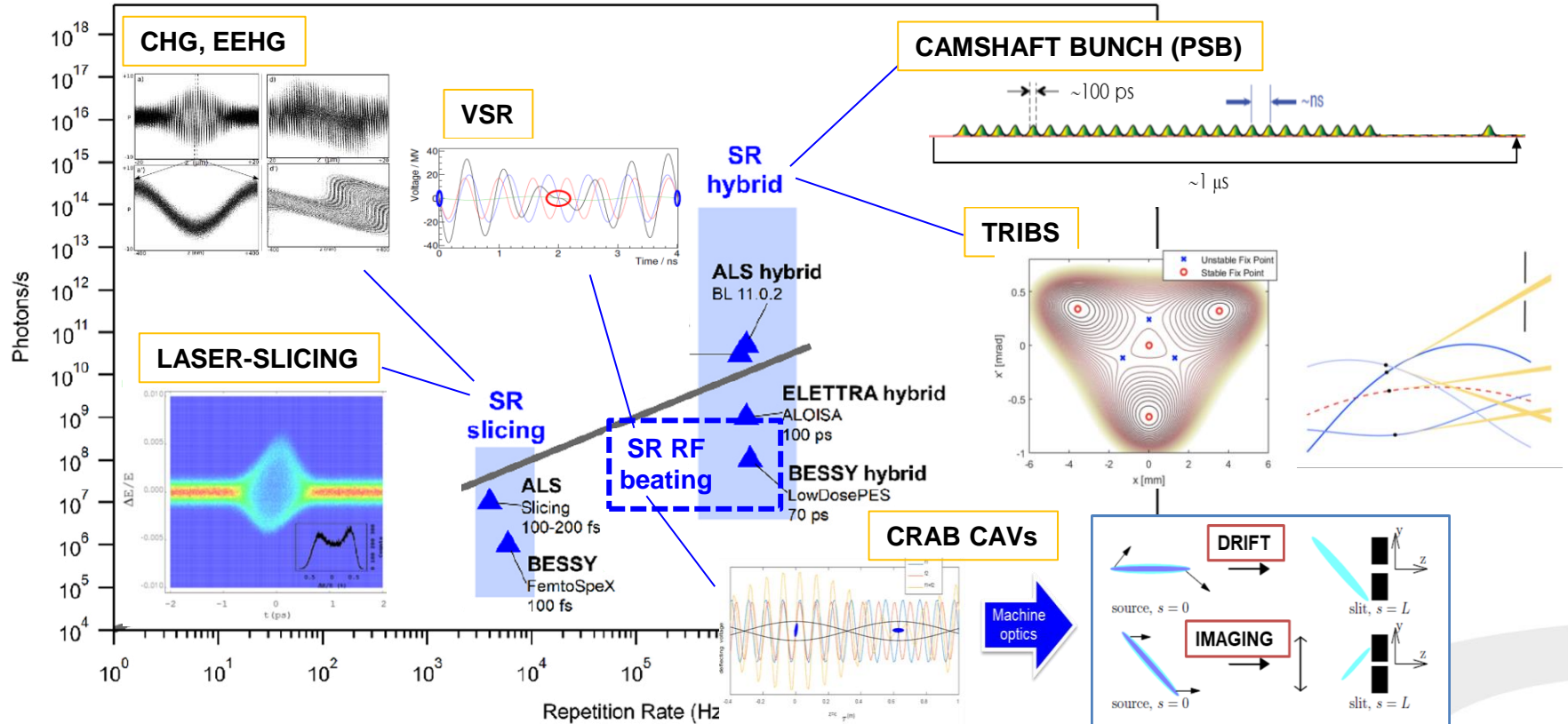


Strong and weak points

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Timing modes – simultaneous to standard operation





Features of 4GSR

Tight lattice, small dispersion (< 60 mm), DL-optics imposes limited flexibility

Large $|Z_{\parallel}/n|$ ($\sim 1 \Omega$), low Ω_s (< 2 kHz), long bunches (> 50 ps fwhm)

Small $\epsilon_{x/y}$ ($< 200/2$ pm), small sizes $\sigma_{x/y}$ @IDs ($< 50/5$ μ m), small ID gap (< 5 mm)



Features of 4GSR

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Small $\varepsilon_{x/y}, \dots$

Large Z_{\parallel}, \dots

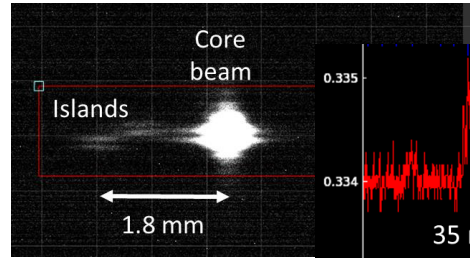


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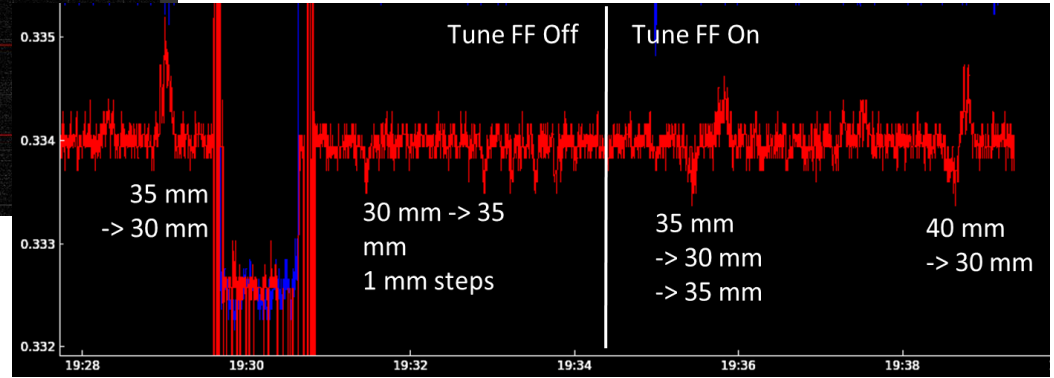
TRIBS

Tight lattice,...

Small $\epsilon_{x/y}, \dots$



Courtesy of F. Cullinan



Large $Z_{||}, \dots$

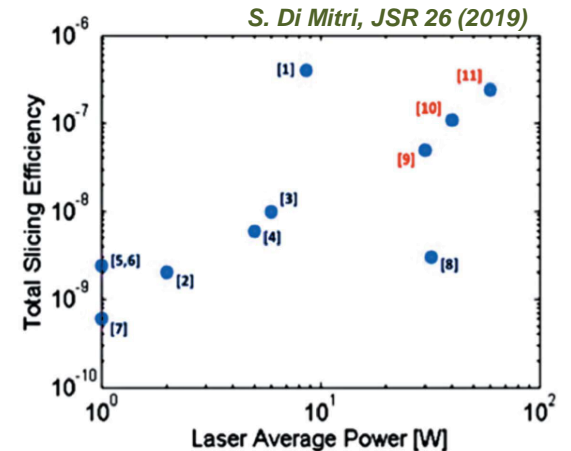
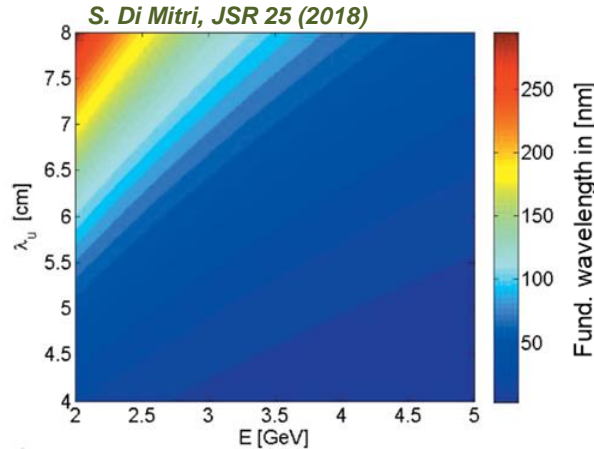
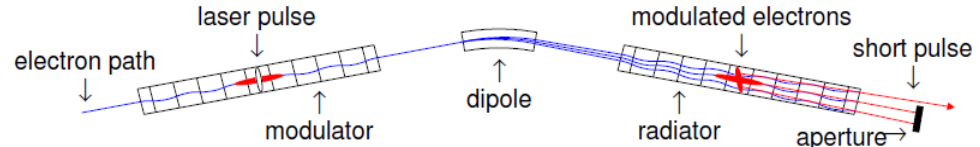
- 3p resonance, optimized nonlinear dynamics.
- IDs' roll-off, special compensation.
- Charge diffusion, radiation background (S/N~0.1%), intensity fluctuation (<5%), energy resolution (mono $\Delta E/E \sim 0.1\%$).
- Tailored hybrid fill pattern for few mA's in the islands (TBL).

LASER-SLICING, CHG, EEHG

Tight lattice,...

Small $\epsilon_{x/y}, \dots$

Large Z_{\parallel}, \dots



- Space for MOD & RAD
- Dispersion (R_{56})

- Charge dilution
- Camshaft bunch (TBL)

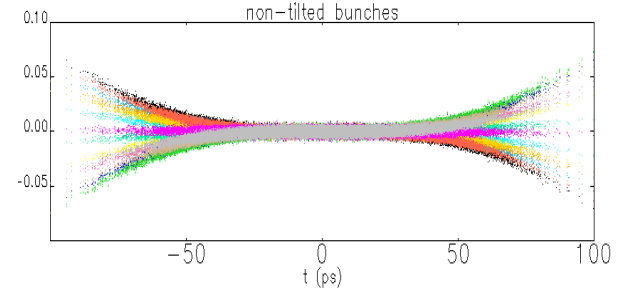
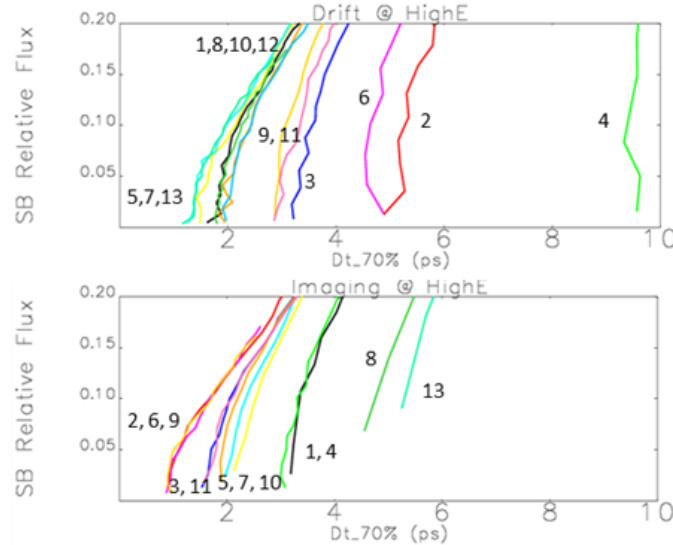


CRAB CAVITIES (TRANSV. RF BEATING)

Tight lattice,...

Small $\epsilon_{x/y}, \dots$

Large Z_{\parallel}, \dots



- Vertical tune and phase advance
- ID gap, deflecting voltage

- Kicks cancellation: multiple CCs, vert. emittance

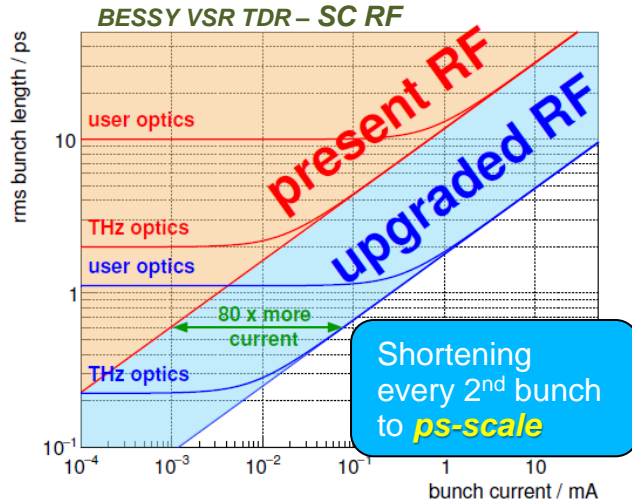


VARIABLE PULSE LENGTH (LONG. RF BEATING)

Tight lattice, ...

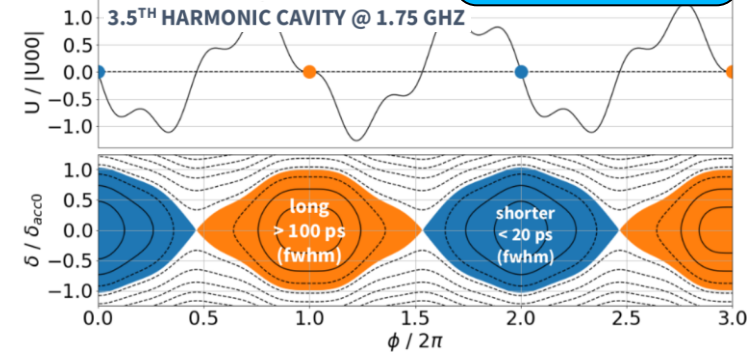
Small $\epsilon_{x/y}, \dots$

Large Z_{\parallel}, \dots



Courtesy of M. Ries - NC RF

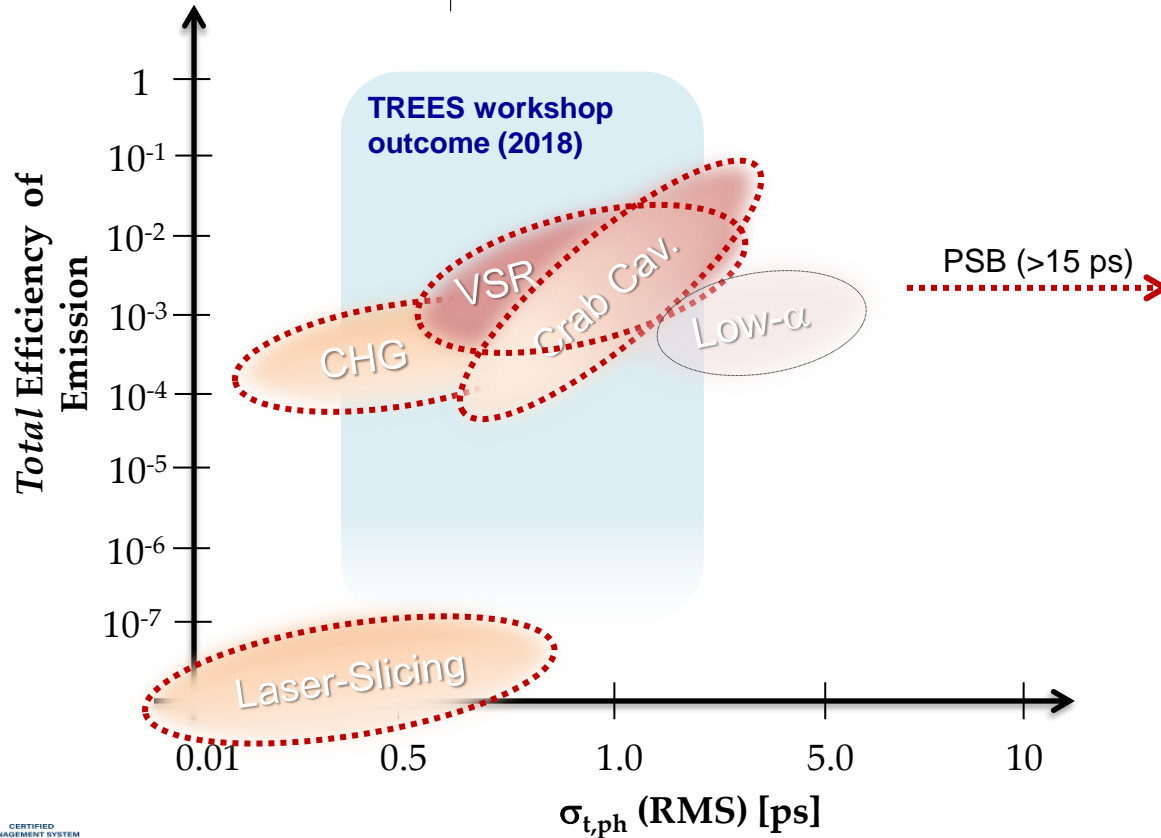
Keep length of every 2nd bunch to 10 ps-scale



- Charge density, IBS & MWI (mostly for SC option)
- Non-uniformity of lifetime of short and long bunches
- Tailored hybrid fill pattern for pump-probe experiments (TBL)



(Sub-)Picosecond X-ray pulses



Max. Photon Pulse RR:

100 – 500 MHz

1 – 100 MHz

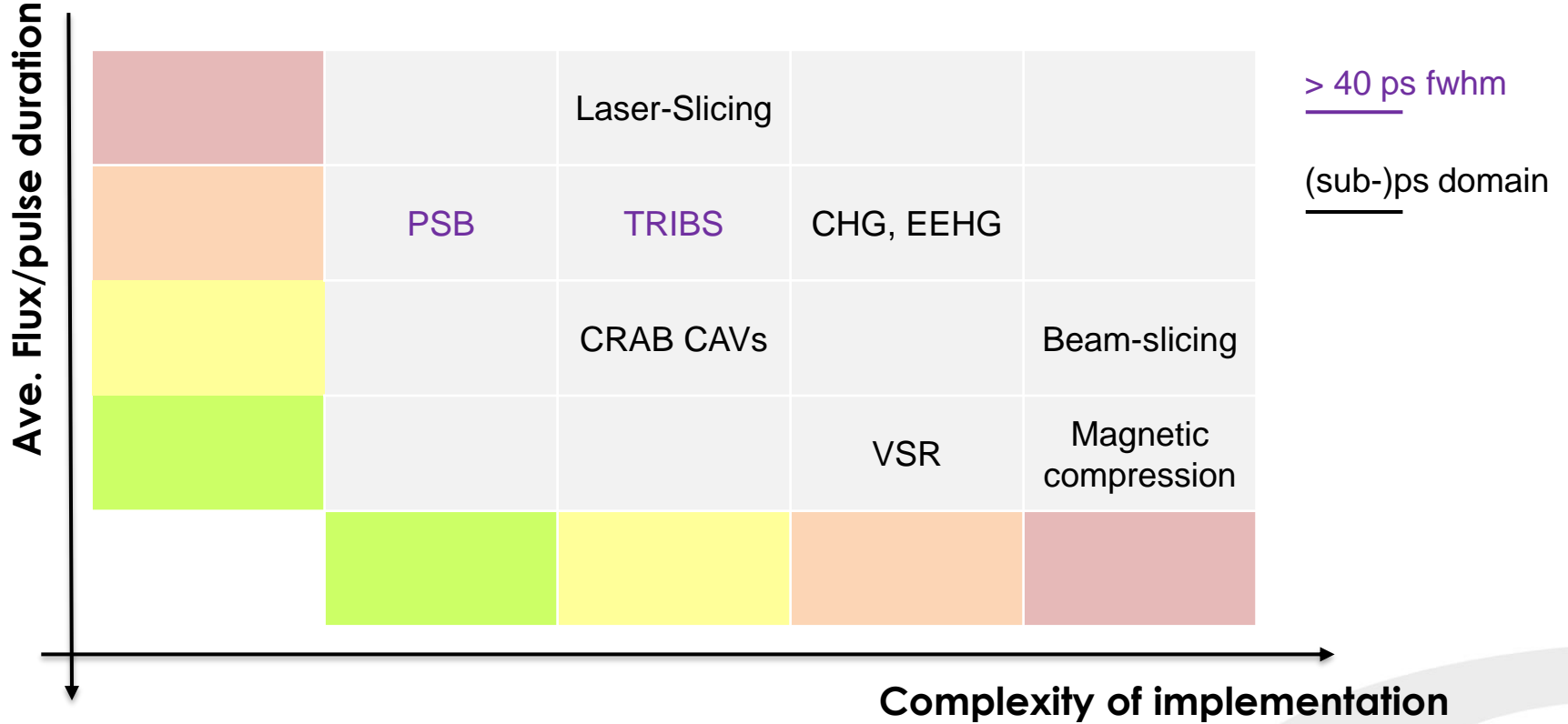
10 – 100 kHz

1 – 10 kHz

Compatible with standard multi-bunch user mode



Complexity vs. performance





Elettra 2.0 – Options for timing mode

		Low current ^①	Hybrid	Crab Cavities	Laser-slicing
Stored Current	mA	$0.25 \times 400 \text{ bn.}$	2 + 400	2 + 400	2 + 400
<i>SP</i> Duration, fwhm	ps	9	40	1	0.5
<i>SP</i> Repetition Rate	MHz	500	1.157	1.157	0.01 – 0.1
$\frac{\text{Flux}(SP)}{\text{Flux}(400mA)}$		$\frac{1}{2000}$	$\frac{1}{200}$	$\frac{1}{10000}$	$\frac{1}{10^8}$

① Total stored current in *low current* mode is 100 mA

- **No universal show-stoppers** in 4GSR to timing modes *simultaneous to standard multi-bunch operation*.
- **TBL** looks like the main challenge, both in long and short pulse modes. It challenges beam-synchronized systems, implies specific tuning of HC and dark gap.
- **TRIBS** constraints several aspects of the 4GSR design (optics, injection).
- **Laser-based** schemes are hardly compatible with 4GSR lattice and linear optics.
- **RF-based** schemes look almost transparent to 4GSR optics, but still dealing with TBL and technology R&D.
- Not touched in this talk:
 - **α -buckets**, hardly compatible with nonlinear dynamics and low dispersion of 4GSR.
 - **Magnetic compression**, suitable for swap-out footprints, but invasive + synchronization issues.
 - **Injection** efficiency, critical for RF-schemes and depending from on-/off-axis injection.



Thank you for your kind attention
Comments and questions are welcome



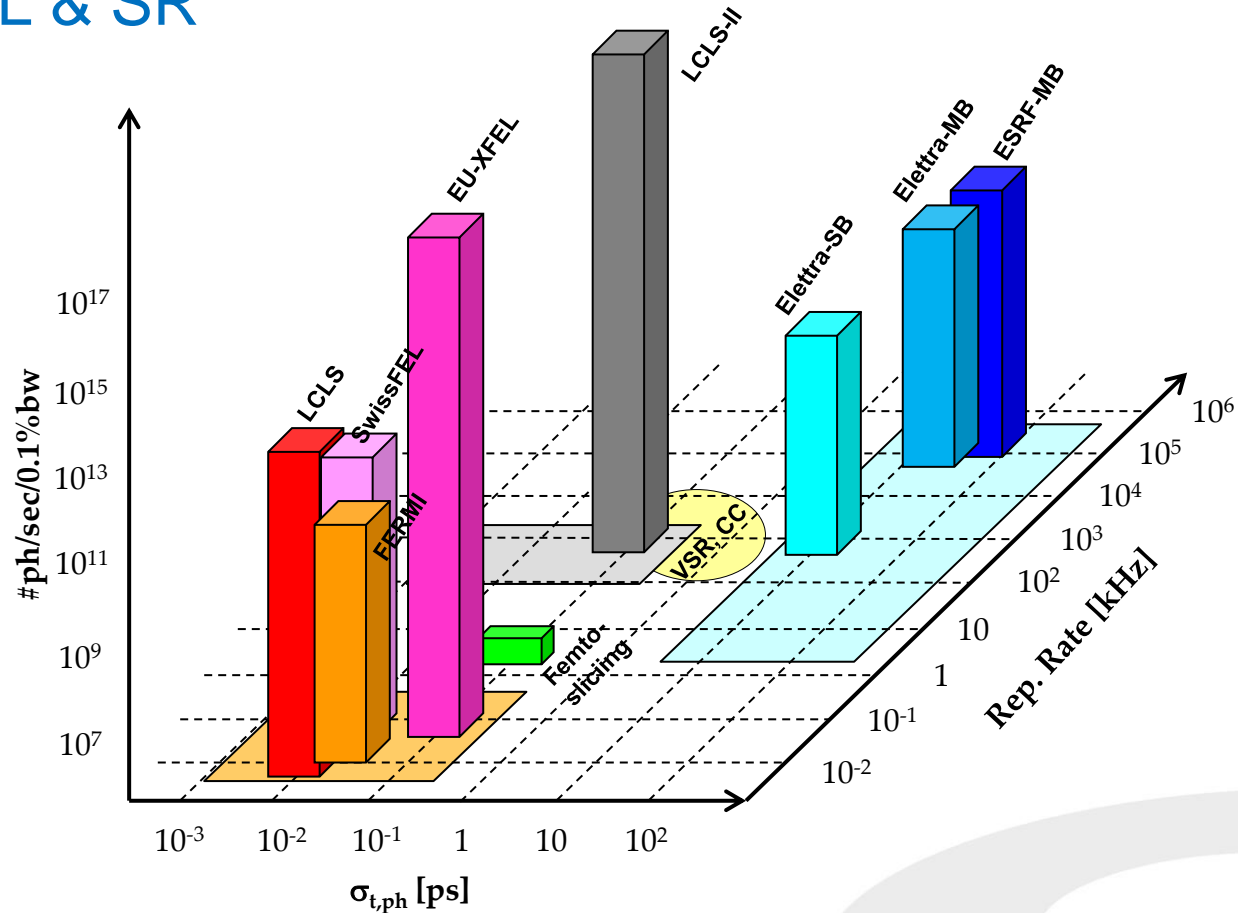
Examples of accelerator-based X-ray sources:

- 0.1 – 1 keV photon energy
- # of pbs. at the source
- FEL in short pulse mode

Can a (DL)SR target
 ~ sub-ps,
 ~ 10 kHz,
 > 10^8 ph/s/0.1%bw or 10^6 ph/pulse ?

What flux and pulse duration can
 be produced up to MHz RR ?

- Lattice-invasive ?
- Standard user operation ?





By-pass / Swap-out

- **e-Beam magnetic compression**

- $\sigma_{t,ph} \approx 0.5 - 3$ ps

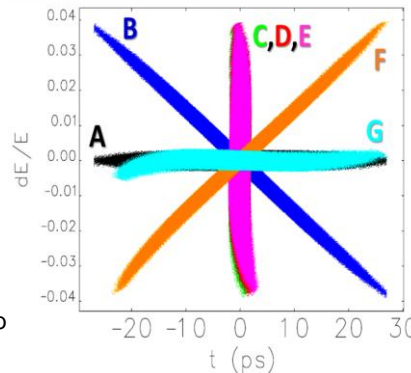
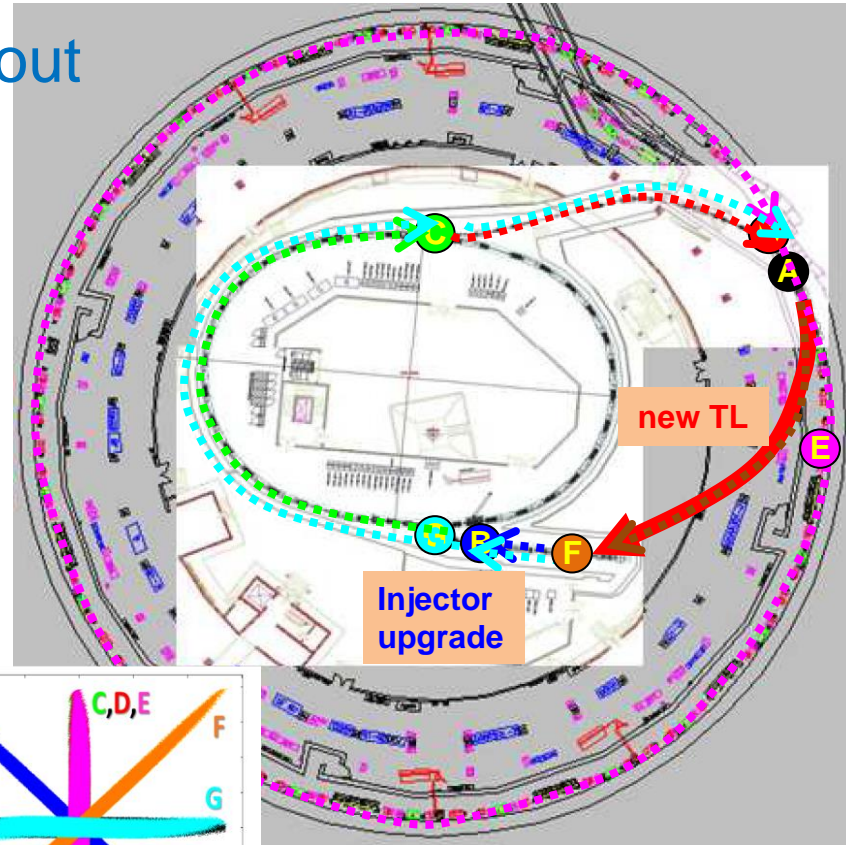
- **Full flux form single bunch**

- Pros:

- transparent to DLSR lattice and optics
- short pulses at all the (existing) beamlines
- DLSR \sim nominal flux, but at the expense of lower spectral brilliance

- Cons:

- new fast stripline kicker
- injector upgrade (0.1-2.5 GeV, ≥ 100 Hz)
- new ring-to-booster transfer line
- low- α ($\div 3$) optics in Booster

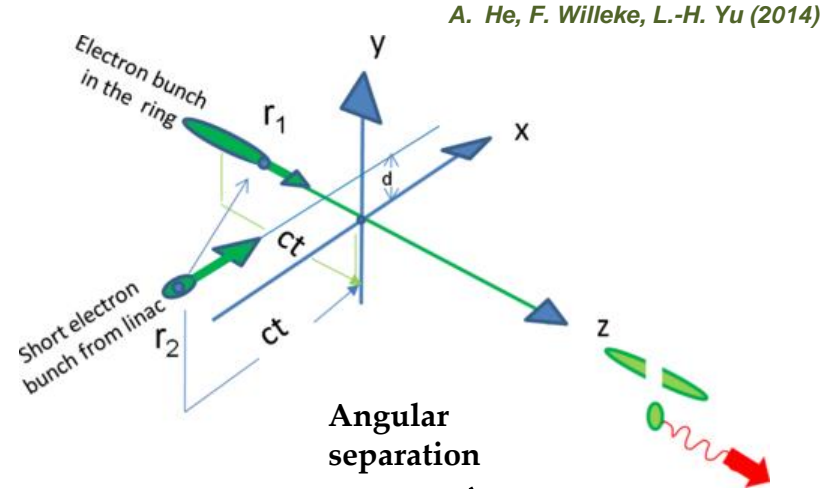


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$$\Delta\theta_y \propto \frac{Q_2}{\sigma_{y,2}} \frac{1}{E_1}$$

$$\Delta t_{slice} \propto \frac{\Delta t_2}{\sin\varphi_{1,2}}$$

- **Energy-sliced electrons must be separated from the bunch**
 - Angular separation is more efficient, but typically invasive on SR lattice.
 - $\sigma_{t,ph} \approx 0.01 - 0.1$ ps
- *R&D and limitations:*
 - Promised slicing efficiency is 10^{-7}
 - Background radiation limits the contrast ratio to ~ 10
 - Requires kHz (NC) to 1 MHz (SC) e-Gun + Linac + Magnetic Compressor



Angular separation

