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# ADVANCES IN STRUCTURE WAKEFIELD ACCELERATOR R&D FOR INTEGRATION IN A LINEAR COLLIDER

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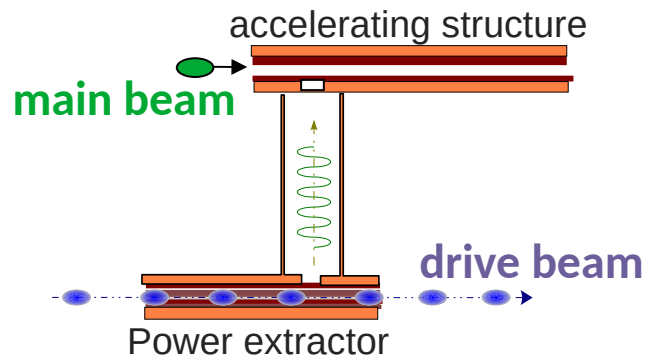
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# APPROACHES FOR ACCELERATION

## Two-Beam Acceleration (TBA) versus Collinear Wakefield Acc. (CWA)

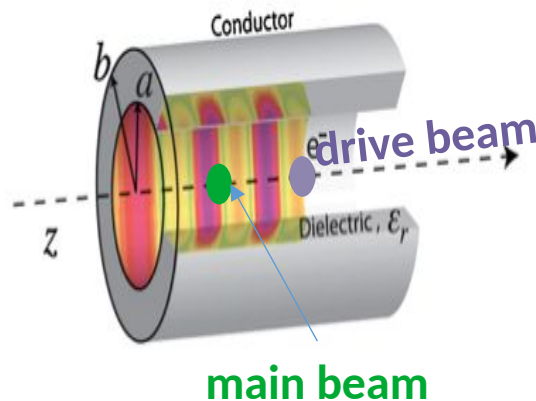
### TBA

- “drive” beam excites wakefield in power extractor  $\rightarrow$  powerful (GW) short (ns) pulses
- “main” beam is accelerated in a colocated accelerating structure



### CWA

- “drive” beam excites wakefield in structure  $\rightarrow$  high-field wakes
- “main” beam is accelerated co-linearly in the *same* structure



# INTRODUCTION

## SWFA-based linear collider building blocks

DB: drive bunch  
MB: main bunch

injector optimization:  
injection energy,  
compression

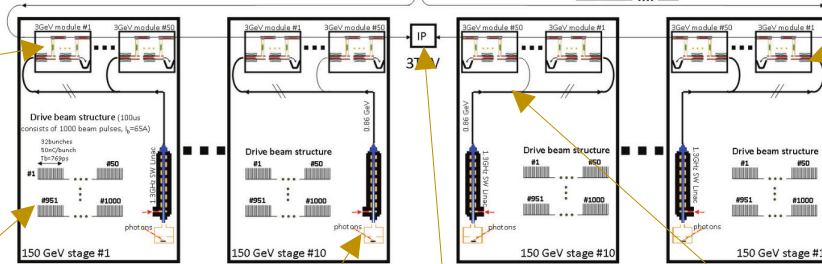
high-quality positron MB:  
sources + MB cooling

high-quality electron MB:  
sources + MB cooling



staging of acceleration:  
# stages, MB phase-space preservation, DB merging/extraction

RF structures:  
design + beam/  
wave interaction



DB tailoring: to improve transformer ratio

DB generation: high charge trains of e-bunches

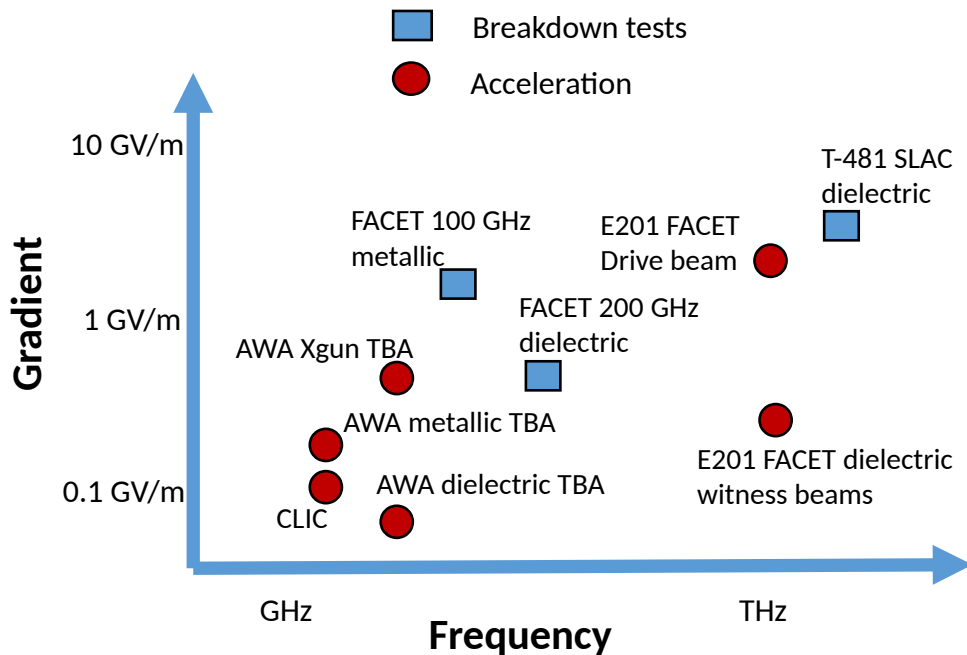
IP & BDS:  
nm-size beams  
beam-beam effects

DB dynamics:  
mitigating collective effects

# ATTAINING HIGH GRADIENTS IN STRUCTURES

## Limiting effects & pathway to high fields

- RF breakdowns limits reliability of collider, damages structure  
**mitigation:** short RF pulses, cryogenic cooling, new structure designs
- Field emission** produces excess electrons that load the wake and/or can be trapped and accelerated  
**mitigation:** short RF pulses, new structure designs



# TBA: POWER GENERATION

## Principle

- Drive bunch excites wake
- Pulse duration is related to group velocity of the mode and length of the structure  $L$

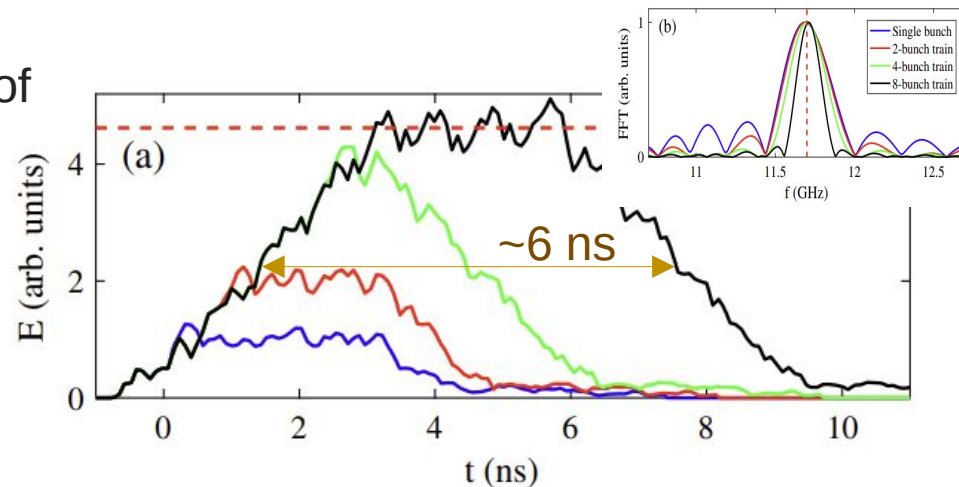
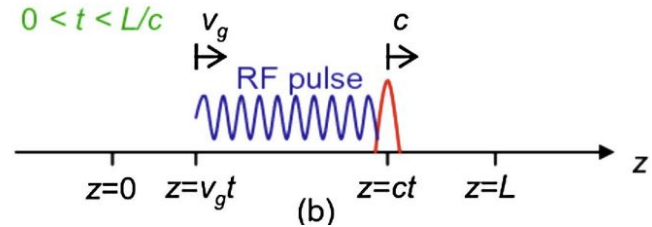
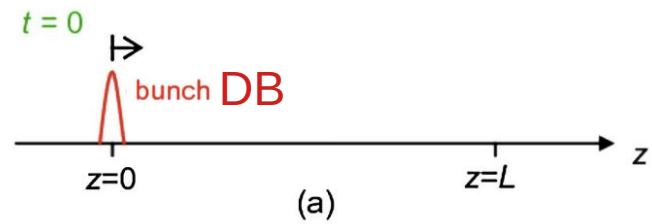
$$\tau \simeq \frac{L}{v_g} \left( 1 - \frac{v_g}{c} \right)$$

group velocity

- Train of bunch  $\rightarrow$  “coherent stacking of the RF pulses from each bunch

## Advantages

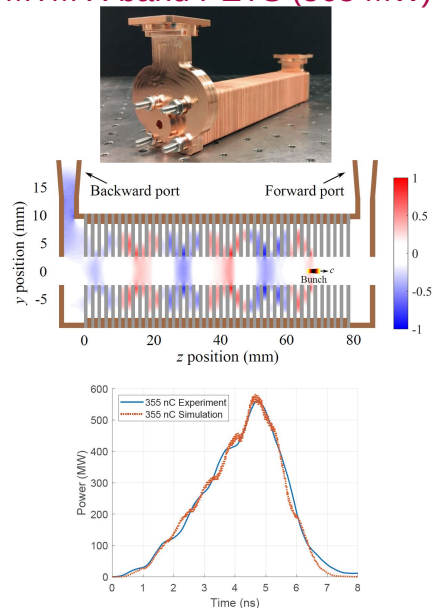
- Short-pulse excitation  $\rightarrow$  high power
- Can operate at any frequencies



# TBA: POWER GENERATION

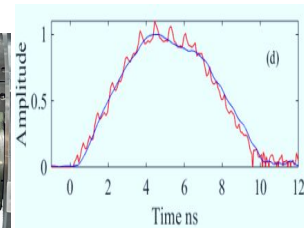
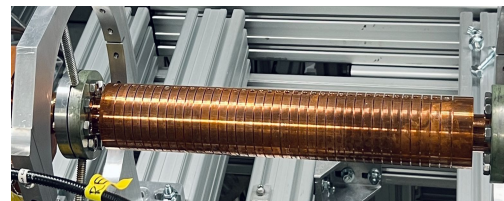
## State of the art: ~0.6 GW peak power

### MTM X-band PETS (565 MW)

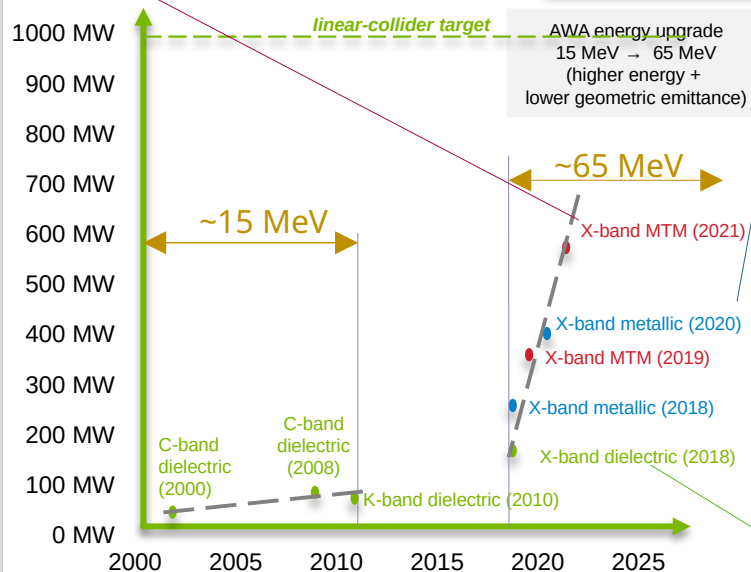


J. Picard et al., PRAB 25, 051301 (2022)

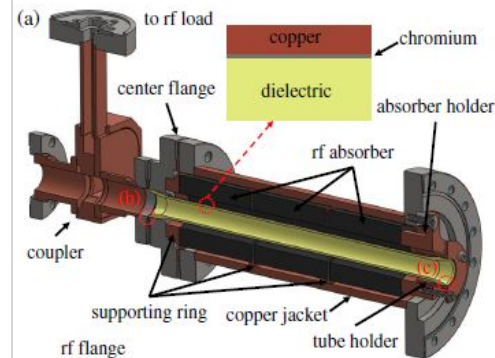
### Metallic X-band PETS (400 MW)



J. Shao et al., <https://accelconf.web.cern.ch/ipac2019/papers/MOPRB069.pdf>



### Dielectric X-band PETS (200 MW)



DOI: 10.1103/PhysRevAccelBeams.23.011301

# PATH TO GV/M FIELDS IN STRUCTURES

## Short high-peak-power RF pulses

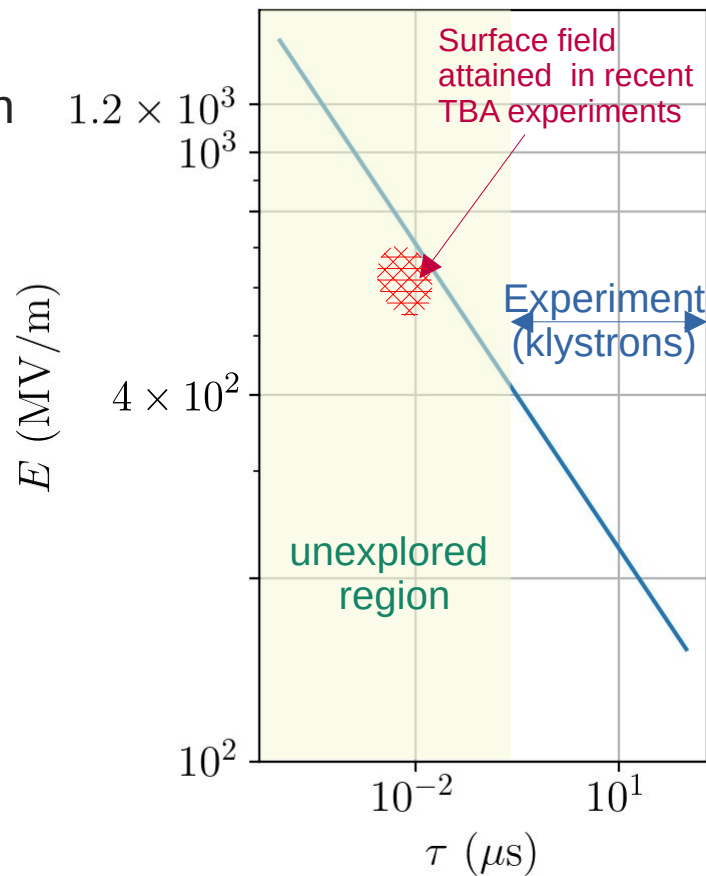
- Breakdown is a major limitation to attaining high electric fields in structures
- Fitting of experimental data\* (CERN) on breakdown suggest a scaling

$$BDR \propto E^{30} \tau^5$$

$E$  accelerating field  
 $\tau$  RF pulse duration

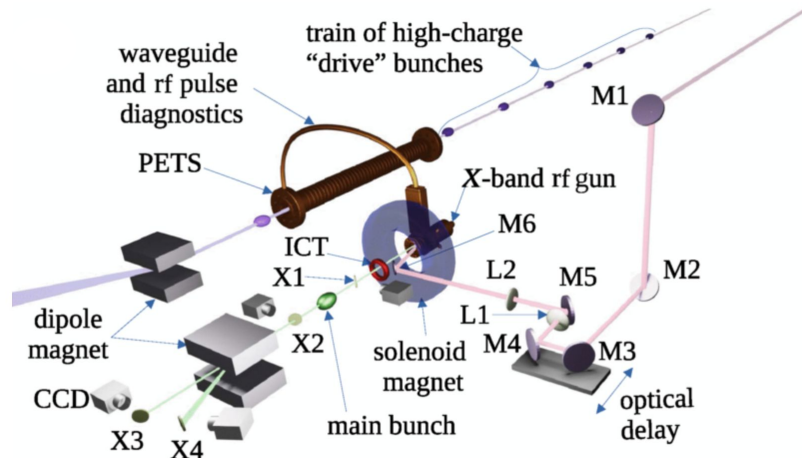
- So far pulse duration was limited by minimum RF pulse duration available from klystrons
- RF-pulse duration produced via wakefield can be much shorter (~few ns at X-band freq.)

\*A. Grudiev, et al. PRAB 10.1103/PhysRevSTAB.12.102001 (2009)

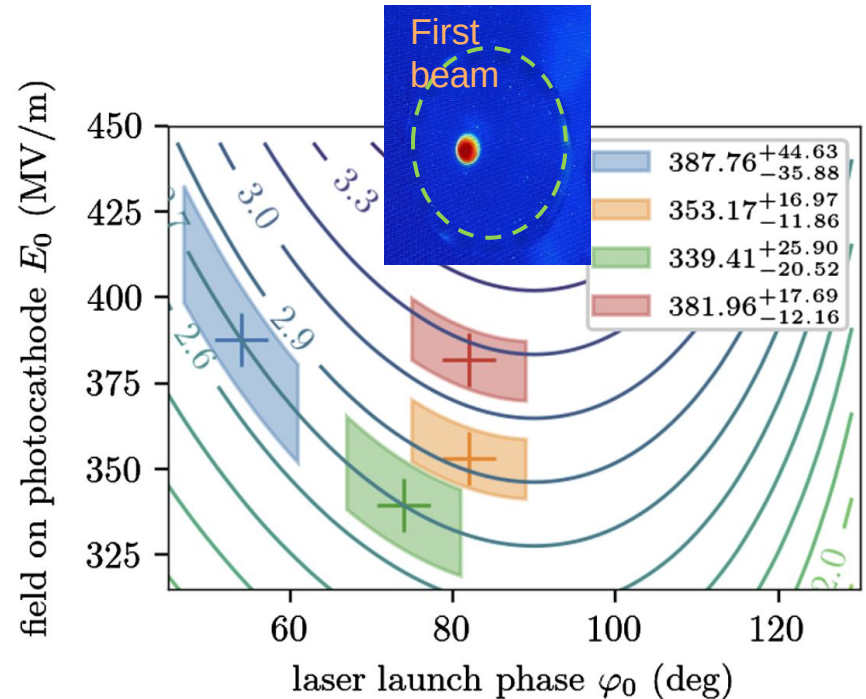


# TBA-BASED ELECTRON SOURCE DEMO

## Increasing brightness with higher photocathode fields



- PETS driven by 8 bunches ( $E=60$  MeV,  $Q\sim 350$  nC)
- Surface fields of  $\sim 0.4$  GV/m on cathode (beam-based and RF measurements)

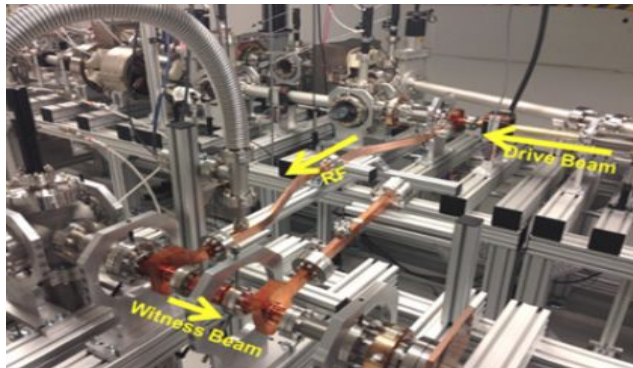
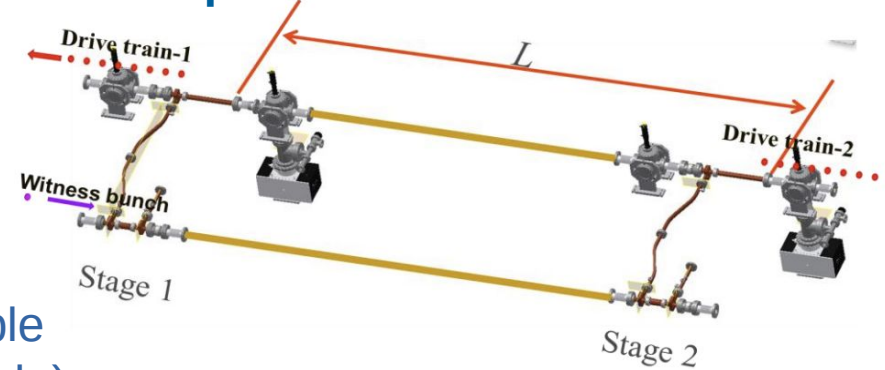




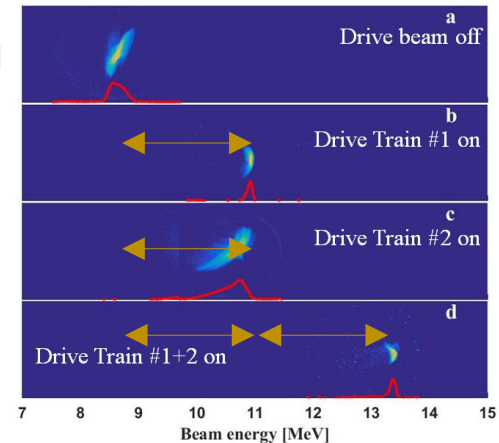
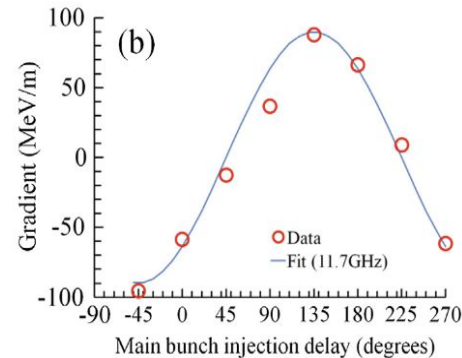
# TBA: STAGING

## Integrated experiment capitalizing on AWA multiple e- sources

- Staging of a TBA SWFA accelerator demonstrated (2 stages)
- 100 MeV/m average gradient attained with iris-loaded GHz structure
- Scaling toward a 500-MeV demo (possible at AWA would benefit from energy upgrade)



[Jing et al., NIMA 898, 72 (2018)]



# DRIVE BEAMS NEEDS FOR CWA

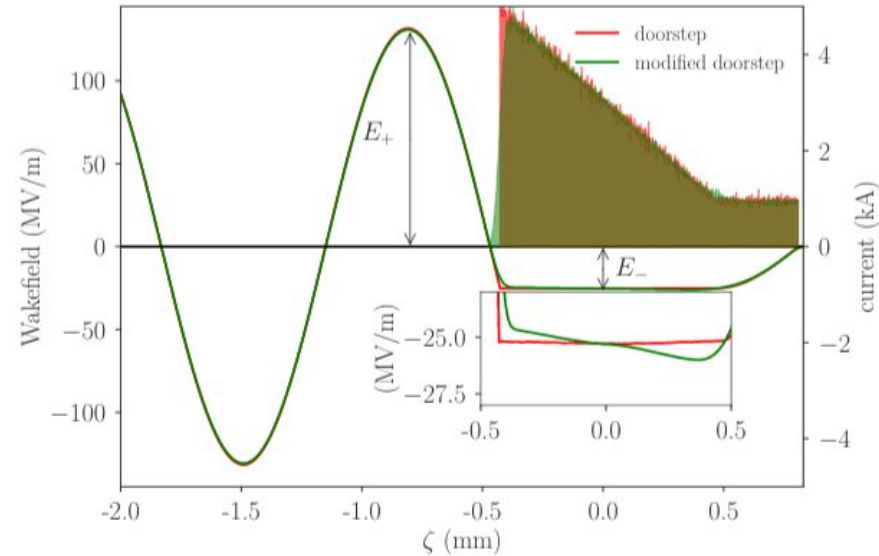
## DB properties directly impact the field topology in CWA

- Scaling of wakefield peak amplitude in SWFA

$$\hat{E}_z \sim \frac{Q}{a^2} \tau_{\perp} \underbrace{[Q(x, y)]}_{\text{transverse suppression factor (SWS geom. \& beam distrib.)}} \underbrace{b_{\parallel}[\lambda, Q(z)]}_{\text{longitudinal form factor}}$$

structure aperture

- Exciting large E-field amplitudes requires high charge, low emittance, short DBs
- Improving transfer of energy from drive to witness beam demands
  - low-emittance (eff. interaction length),
  - Shaped temporal distribution (transformer ratio)



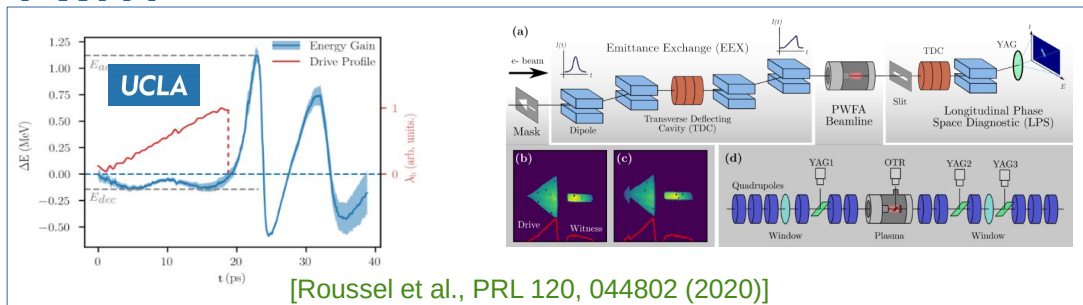
$$\mathcal{R} \equiv \frac{E_+}{E_-}$$

# CWA: RECENT WORK ON EFFICIENCY

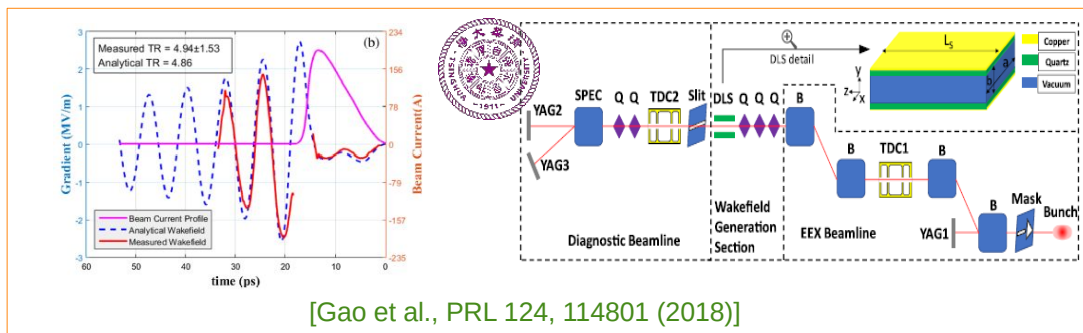
## Improving transformer ratio

- Enhanced transformer ratio (TR) demonstrated using shaped beam via EEX.
- Current research focus:** *Demonstrate high TR with high accelerating field*
  - Improve shaping capabilities (e.g. shorter pulses)
- Synergistic with PWFA**

## PWFA



## SWFA



# CWA: TRANSVERSE STABILITY

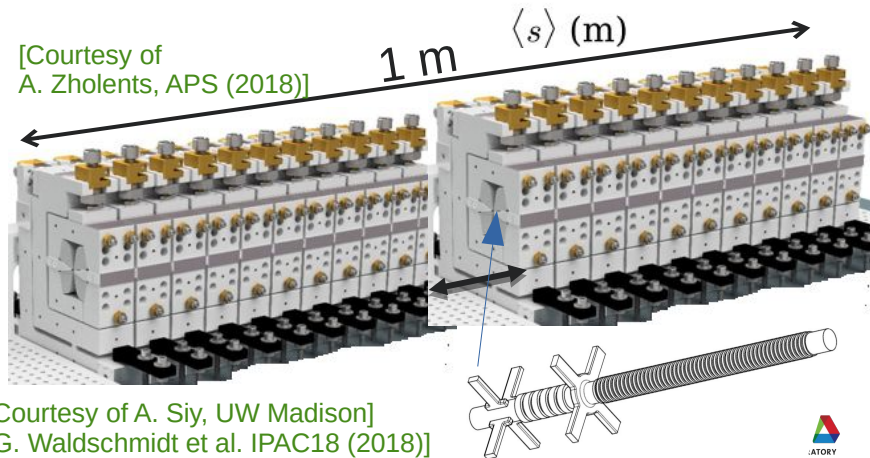
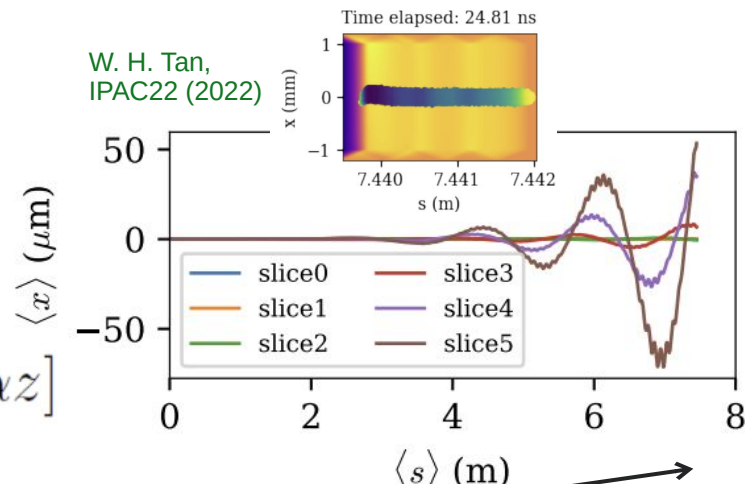
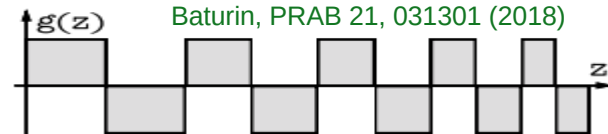
## Improving beam stability

- Embed structure in quadrupole wiggler with adaptive focusing; length of quadrupole magnet scales as

$$L = L_0 \sqrt{1 - \alpha z}$$

with the DB deceleration  $\gamma(s, z) = \gamma_0 [1 - \alpha z]$

- Prepare a DB distribution to dynamically chirp the beam during deceleration and insure it remains constant  
→ modified Bane's distribution
- Experimental tests on these mitigation techniques planned at AWA

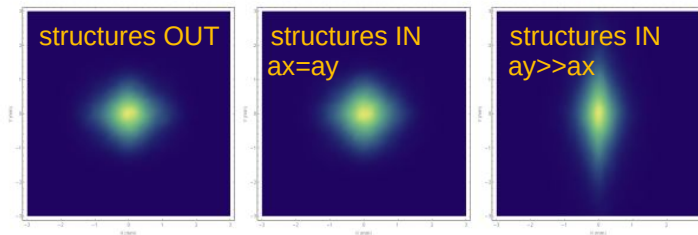
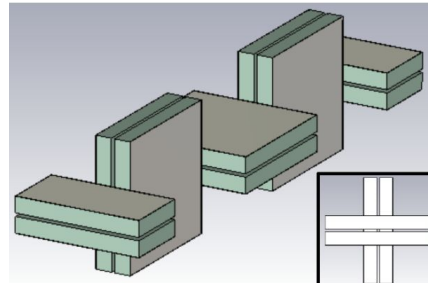


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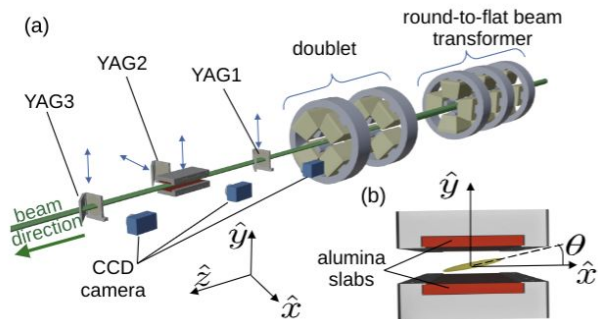
## Mitigation and new observations...

- Acceleration in alternating slab structures for beam control
- Preliminary experiment performed and confirm simulations

W. Lynn, et al.  
NAPAC22 (2022)

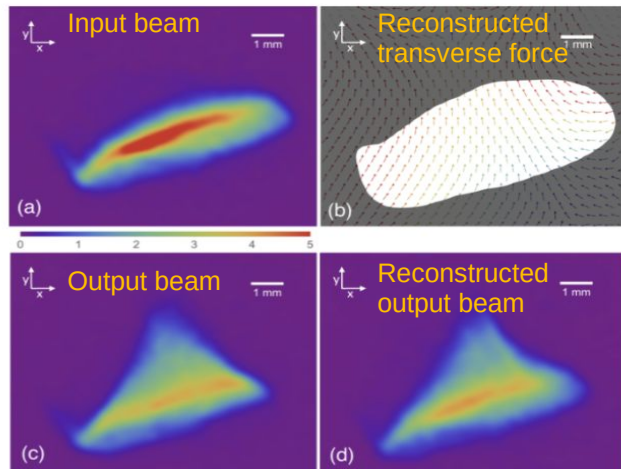


- Observation of skew-wakefield in slab structure (driven by tilted flat beams)



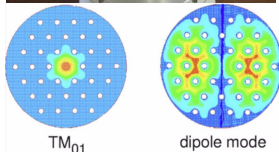
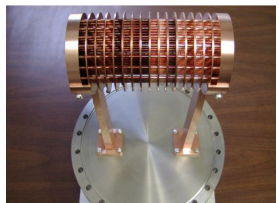
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PRL (in press, 2024)

N. Majernik, et al.  
PRAB 2023



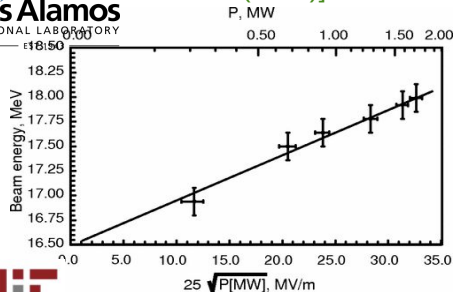
# ADVANCED STRUCTURES

## Exotic structures

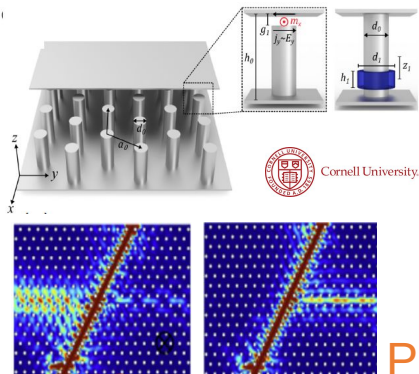


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[Simakov, et al., PRL 116, 064801 (2016)]

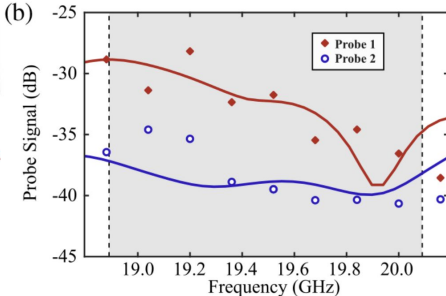


## Photonic band gap

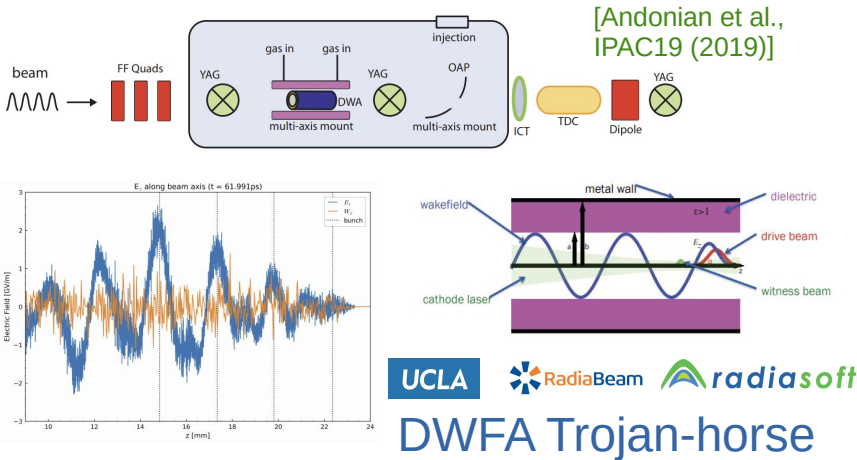


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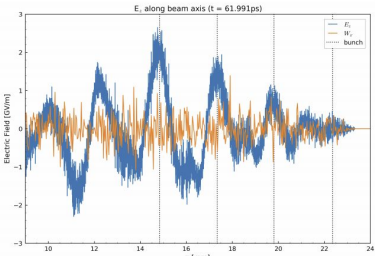
[Yu, et al., PRL 123, 057402 (2019)]



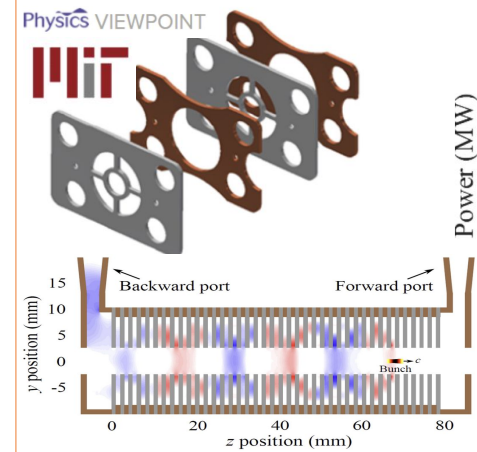
## Photonic topological Xtals



[Andonian et al., IPAC19 (2019)]

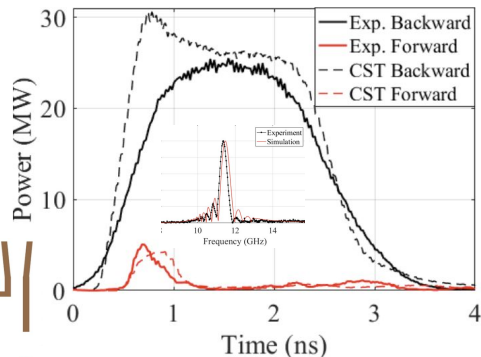


UCLA RadiBeam radasoft  
DWFA Trojan-horse



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[Lu, et al., PRL 122, 014801 (2019)]



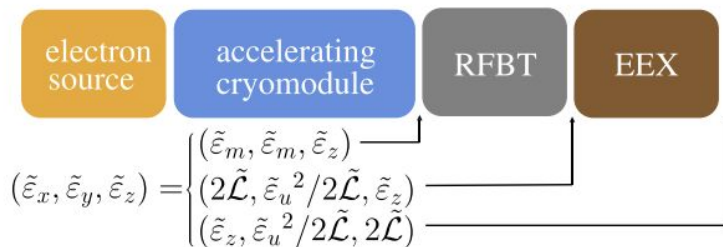
## Meta-material

# BRIGHT FLAT E- BEAMS W/O COOLING

## Removing damping ring from LC design

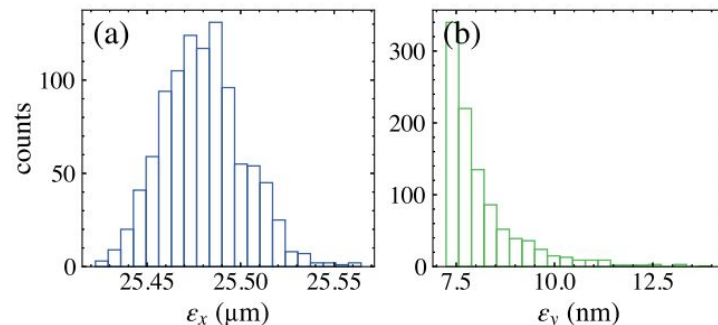
- State of the RF gun produce 6D brightness larger than required to reach emittance at IP
- Cascaded cross-plane phase-space manipulation can redistribute emittance of a bright beam to be consistent with requirement for linear collider

	ILC	CLIC	rf gun
Reference	[7]	[8]	[5]
Charge $Q$ (nC)	3.2	0.83	2
Energy $E_b$ (GeV)	250	380	$24 \times 10^{-3}$
$\epsilon_x$ ( $\mu\text{m}$ )	10	0.9	1.3
$\epsilon_y$ (nm)	35	20	$1.3 \times 10^3$
$\sigma_z$ (mm)	0.3	0.07	2.31
$\sigma_\delta$ (%)	0.19	0.35	$\sim 0.1$
$\epsilon_z$ (m)	0.27	0.18	$\sim 1.1 \times 10^{-4}$
$B_6$ (pC $\mu\text{m}^{-3}$ )	$3.4 \times 10^{-2}$	0.25	$\sim 11$



- Application to e+ remains challenging

T. Xu, et al., PRAB (2023)



# HIGH-FIELD PHOTOEMISSION SOURCE

## Producing brighter electron beams

- Bright electron beam generation relies on RF photoinjector
- Beam brightness scales as

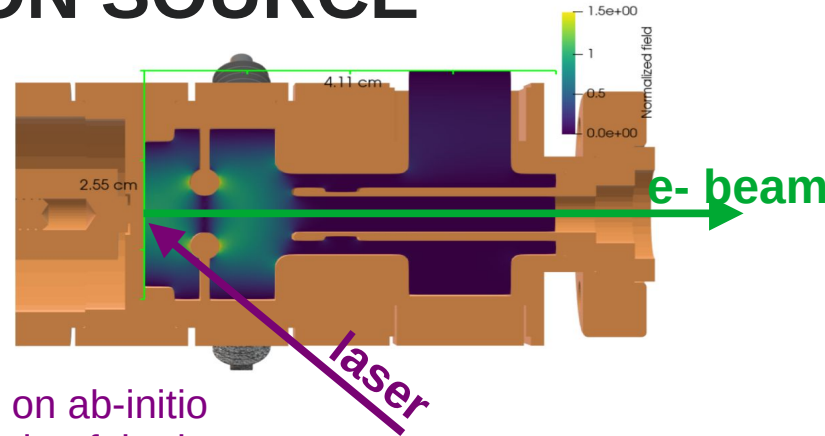
4D beam brightness  
(*ideally invariant*)

$$\mathcal{B} \propto \frac{E_0^\nu}{\text{MTE}}$$

field experienced  
at emission

depends on ab-initio  
aspect ratio of the beam

mean-transverse energy [a property of the  
emitting surface (photocathode)]



- *Ideally*, high field is favorable to higher brightness; however chemical and physical topology of photocathodes sets a limit on the brightness
- The TBA XRF gun discussed earlier could be an option for bright-beam generation in an advanced collider



# CONCLUDING REMARKS (I)

Multi-user soft X-ray free-electron laser combining SRF with CWA or NC with TBA

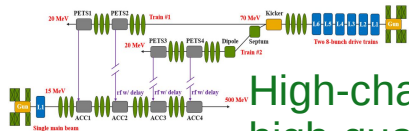
Improve efficiency  
Beam dynamics of main bunch  
develop new structures

AWA energy doubler

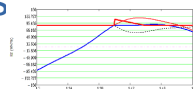
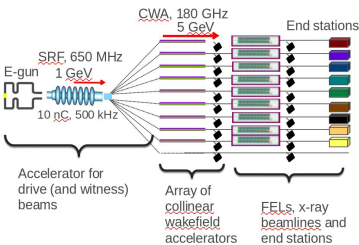


BBU control compression

500-MeV demonstrator



High-charge high-quality beam

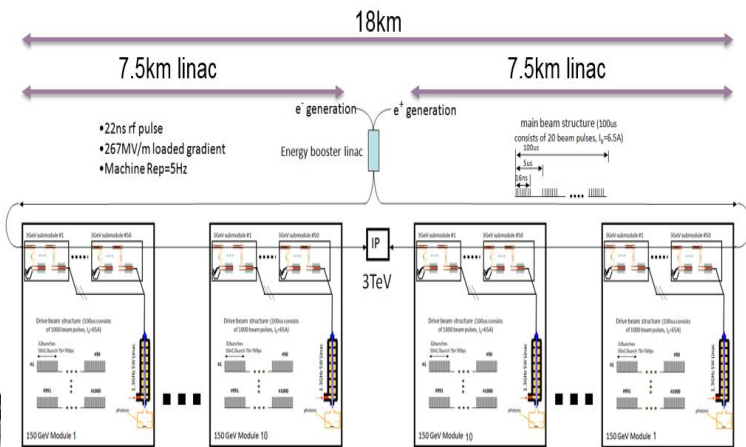


AWA-II

Increase AWA energy, improve brightness, add compression capability (THz structures)

TODAY: Developing enabling technologies and concepts for TBA and CWA:

- precise beam control (TR, BBU supp., efficiency)
- bright beam generation
- novel structures for power extraction
- high-gradient acceleration



TeV-class e+/- linear collider (currently TBA scheme)

# CONCLUDING REMARKS (II)

- Significant progress has been made on operating RF structure with surface field close to GV/m within the last 4 years
- Short (< 10-ns) RF-pulses naturally produced in two-beam accelerators (TBA) are critical to GW peak-power generation at X-band frequencies
- **Concept for a 10-TeV collider still lacking (so far only a straw man design for a 3 TeV TBA based on the CLIC design)**
  
- About collaboration:
  - There are many common topics between PWFA and CWA-SWFA (especially related to drive beam generation and dynamic)

# QUESTIONS



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