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## LAL Compton collision studies and the Thom-X project



- LAL Compton Program and projects
- Luminosity studies
- The ThomX project
- Conclusions

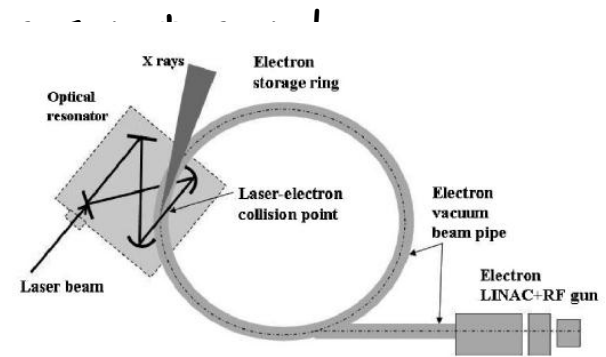
# The context : LAL Compton program

BASIC FRAMEWOK -> Photon sources based on Compton backscattering effect. High average flux (frep) in X and  $\gamma$  domain

- Started with the PLIC project (pulsed FP cavity for the ILC polarimetry)
- Continued in the framework of the polarized positrons source proposals for the next LC
- Collaboration with theorist of INP Novosibirsk (V.Strakovenko)
- Starting of the ThomX collaboration for a compact X Ray source
- Mighty laser project @ ATF-KEK Japan (gamma rays but thinking to the ThomX project)
- 2011 ThomX approved by the EQUIPEX program
- ELI Romania project and optical re-circulator for gamma sources (See L.Serafini Talk). Preliminary study done...waiting for funding decisions.
- ????????

# Studies and considerations on luminosity

- Optimal luminosity of Ring source coupled with a Fabry Perot cavity (laser stacking)
- Collision between a laser amplified in a passive circulating bunch in the ring
- Constraints and boundary conditions:
  - 1) Usually bunch length longer than laser pulse (ring instabilities, WF, CSR...).
  - 2) Electron beam can be crabbed
  - 3) Technological constraints :
    - a) there is a limit in which the mirror will not with stand the flux. A crossing angle, for high luminosity applications, is needed.
    - b) can we assume that Ibunch and Plaser are constant independently form the frep?)
  - 4) Polarization
  - 5) Integration of the FP cavity in the accelerator

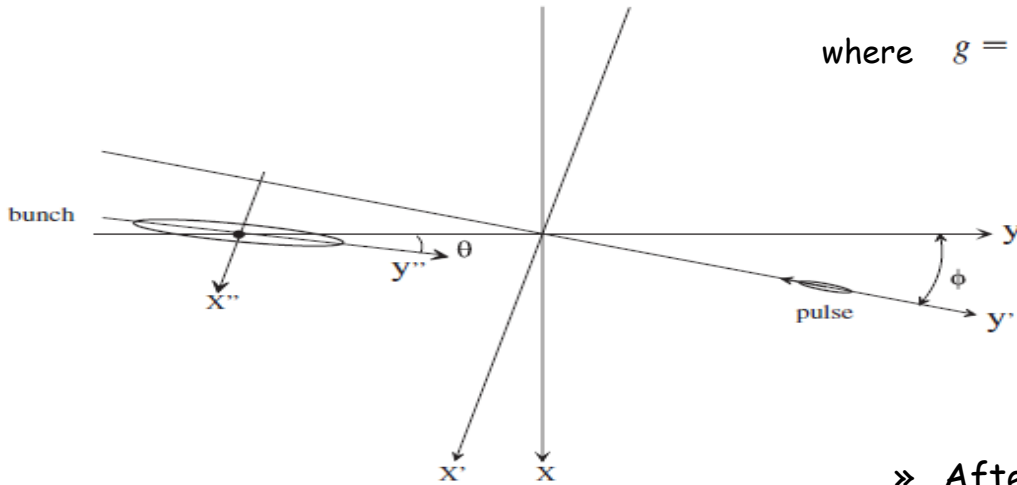


# Tilted crossing

- The pulse cannot be crabbed.....optimizing only  $\theta$ ....
- We can define the geometrical luminosity factor as

$$G = \frac{g}{(2\pi)^3} \iiint \exp\left[-\frac{F(x, y, z, T)}{2}\right] dx dy dz dT,$$

where  $g = \frac{(1 + \beta \cos \phi)}{\sigma_x \sigma_y \sigma_z \sigma'_x \sigma'_y \sigma'_z}$ , •And F is a complex function of  $\theta, \phi, \beta, \sigma_{e/\gamma}$



» After integration and reduction of the terms of F:

$$G(\phi, \theta) = \frac{1}{2\pi \sqrt{\sigma_z^2 + \sigma_z'^2} \sqrt{f_e(\phi, \theta) + f_{ph}(\phi)}},$$

$$\max G(\phi, \theta) \rightarrow \min f_e(\phi, \theta); \quad \theta = \phi/2.$$

with

$$f_e(\phi, \theta) = \sigma_x^2 \left( \frac{\cos(\theta - \phi) + \beta \cos \theta}{1 + \beta \cos \phi} \right)^2 + \sigma_y^2 \left( \frac{\sin(\theta - \phi) + \beta \sin \theta}{1 + \beta \cos \phi} \right)^2,$$

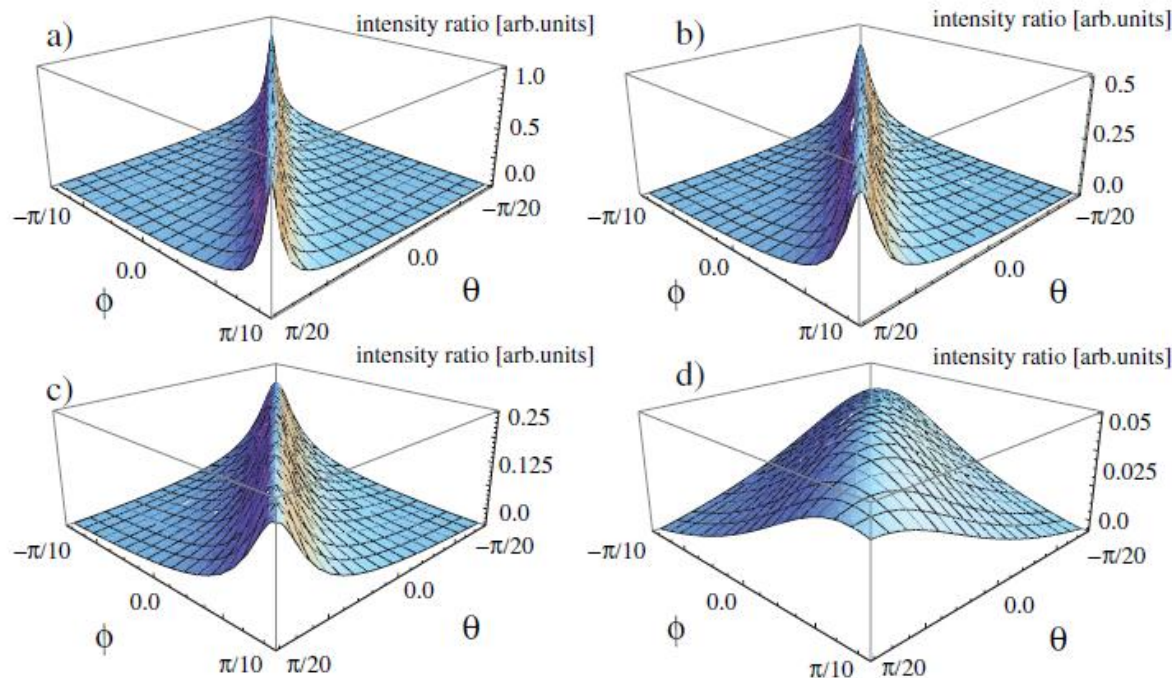
$$f_{ph}(\phi) = \sigma_x'^2 + \beta^2 \sigma_y'^2 \left( \frac{\sin \phi}{1 + \beta \cos \phi} \right)^2.$$

- Finally the gain in respect the 'classical collisions' is

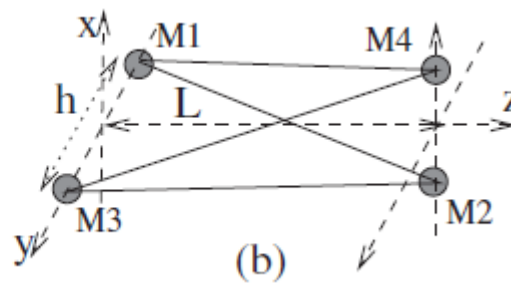
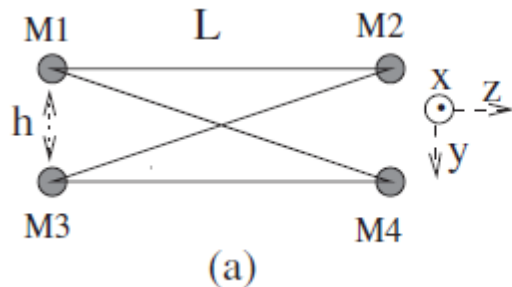
$$\frac{G_{\max}(\phi)}{G(\phi, 0)} = \sqrt{\frac{(\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_x'^2) \cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2} + (\sigma_y^2 + \sigma_y'^2) \sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2}}{\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_x'^2 \cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2} + \sigma_y'^2 \sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2}}},$$

# Tilted crossing

- Luminosity gain example:  $\sigma_{xy}/e\gamma = 50 \mu\text{m}$ , laser length =  $300 \mu\text{m}$ ,
- Bunch length= a) 1.2 cm, b) 6mm, c) 3mm, d) 0.6mm
- In dependence form the parameters we can gain a factor 5-20 in luminosity using long electron bunches (so more charge per bunch...)



# It has to be matched with the cavity eigenmodes Taking care of the tolerances and the polarization

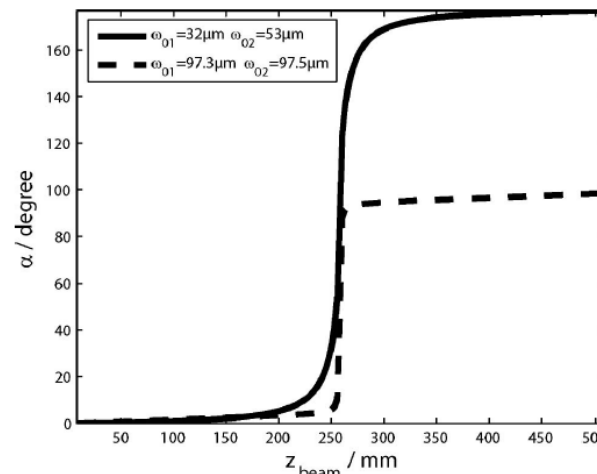
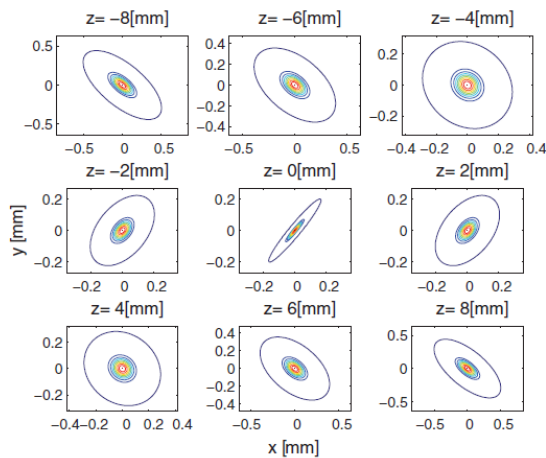


- 4 mirrors cavities:
- Little waist
- Mechanical stability

- 2D Bow tie
- ThomX

- 3D tetrahedron
- Mightylaser

- NUMERICAL SOLUTIONS for the modes



- Ellipse orientation profile vs z for two tetra cavities with different x and y waists

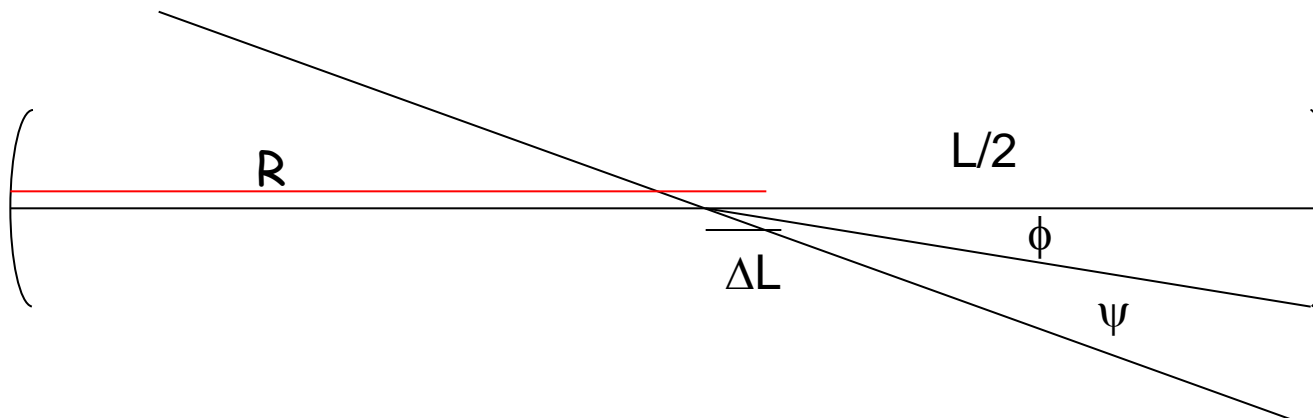
• F.Zomer et al. Applied Optics 48 6651 (2009)

# 1<sup>st</sup> parameter => $f_{rep}$

$f_{rep}$  is a question of TECHNOLOGY

- Gain of the cavity  $\Delta v/v \sim 2 \lambda f_{rep}/c$  Finesse
- Mirrors coating damage  $\sim f$  ( $\alpha = \Delta L/L$  const)
- At  $P_{laser}$  and  $I_{beam} = \text{const}$   $N_e/N_\gamma \sim f_{rep}$
- Type of accelerator (and beam properties) strongly  $f_{rep}$  dependent (ERL, Ring, Linac...)
- $\varepsilon$  in theory is not  $f_{rep}$  dependent...but it is strongly N dependent and at I constant  $\rightarrow N \rightarrow f_{rep} \dots$

- Example : let's assume a two mirror concentric cavity (small waist)
- Once defined the cavity "everything" depends on  $f_{rep} \dots$



$$\omega_0^2 = \frac{c\lambda_L}{4\pi f_{rep}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\alpha}} \quad \text{with } \alpha = \frac{\Delta L}{L}$$

$$\omega_{mirror}^2 = \frac{c\lambda_L}{2\pi f_{rep}} \sqrt{\frac{\alpha}{2}}$$

$$\tan\phi = \sqrt{\frac{1}{\pi\sqrt{2\alpha}} \frac{f_{rep}}{f_{laser}}}$$

$$\Psi = \text{Max}\left[\frac{4(n)}{\gamma}, \frac{16f_{rep}\sqrt{\varepsilon\beta_{mirror}}}{c}\right]$$

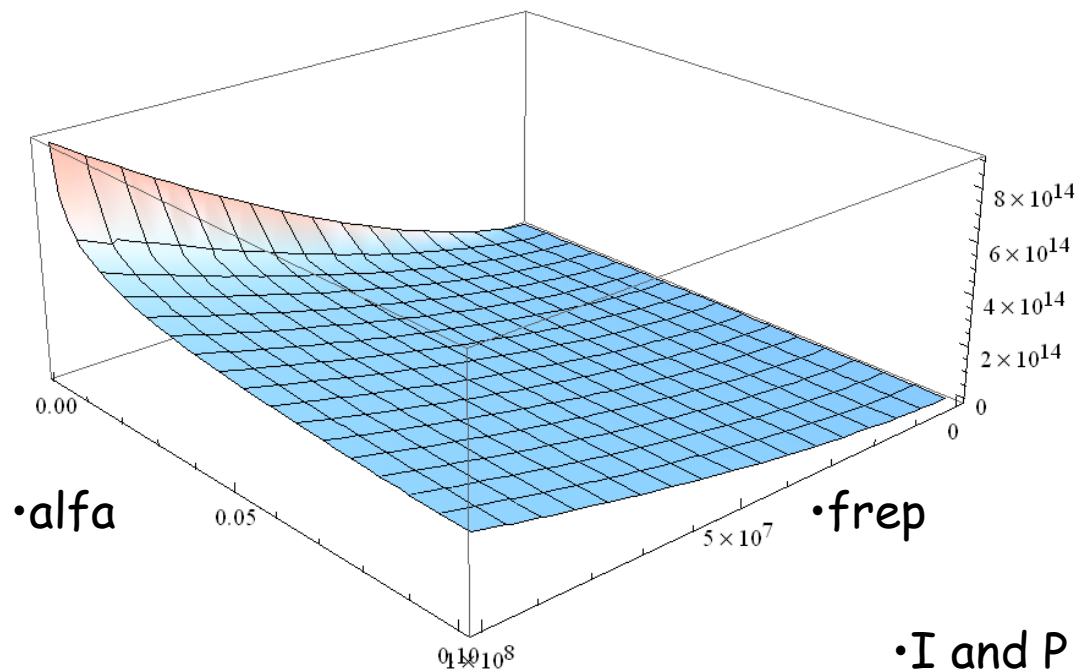


# frep...I acc and Laser Power

- Taking the classical luminosity formula with the hypothesis that the beam and the laser pulse have the same transverse dimensions:

$$L = \text{Cost } I N \gamma G = \text{Cost } \frac{I P G}{\text{frep}}$$

• I and P independent from f



•  $I * P \sim f$

• I and P linear function of f

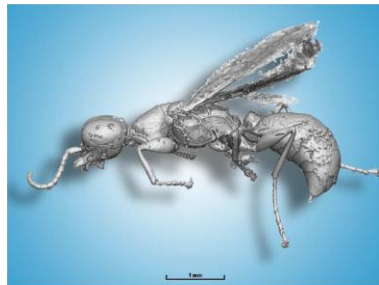
- The ThomX project

# ThomX Scientific Case

## •Cultural heritage and medical science

- Transfer of the SR techniques to these new machines. Many fields can be interested...
- At present two contributors: Medical field (ESRF, INSERM Grenoble)  
Cultural Heritage (C2RMF CNRS - Louvre Museum)

### •Painting analysis

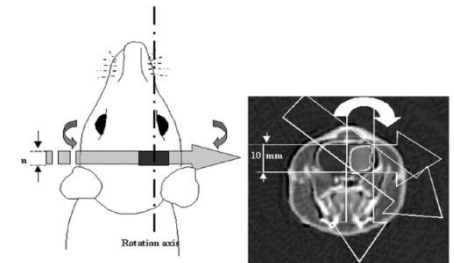
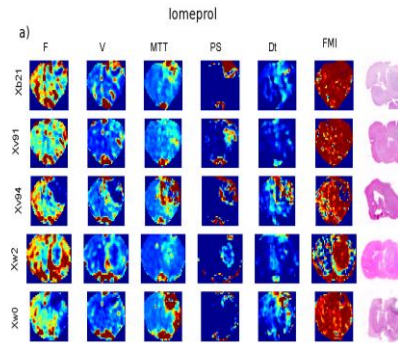


- Paleontology
- Non-destructive analysis



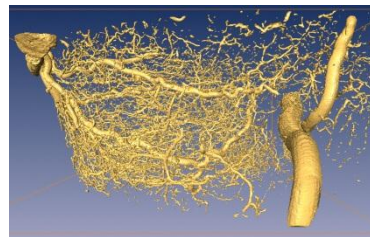
- K-edge imaging (Pb→white, Hg→ vermillion...) of a Van-Gogh's painting
- J. Dik et al., *Analytical Chemistry*, 2008, 80, 6436

- Physiopathology and Contrast agents,
- Dynamic Contrast Enhancement SRCT
- Convection Enhanced Delivery =>Stereotactic Synchrotron RT

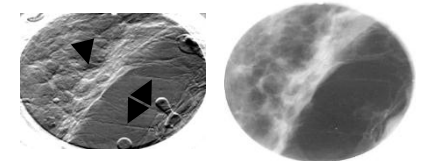


- Imaging,
- Mammography
- Microtomography

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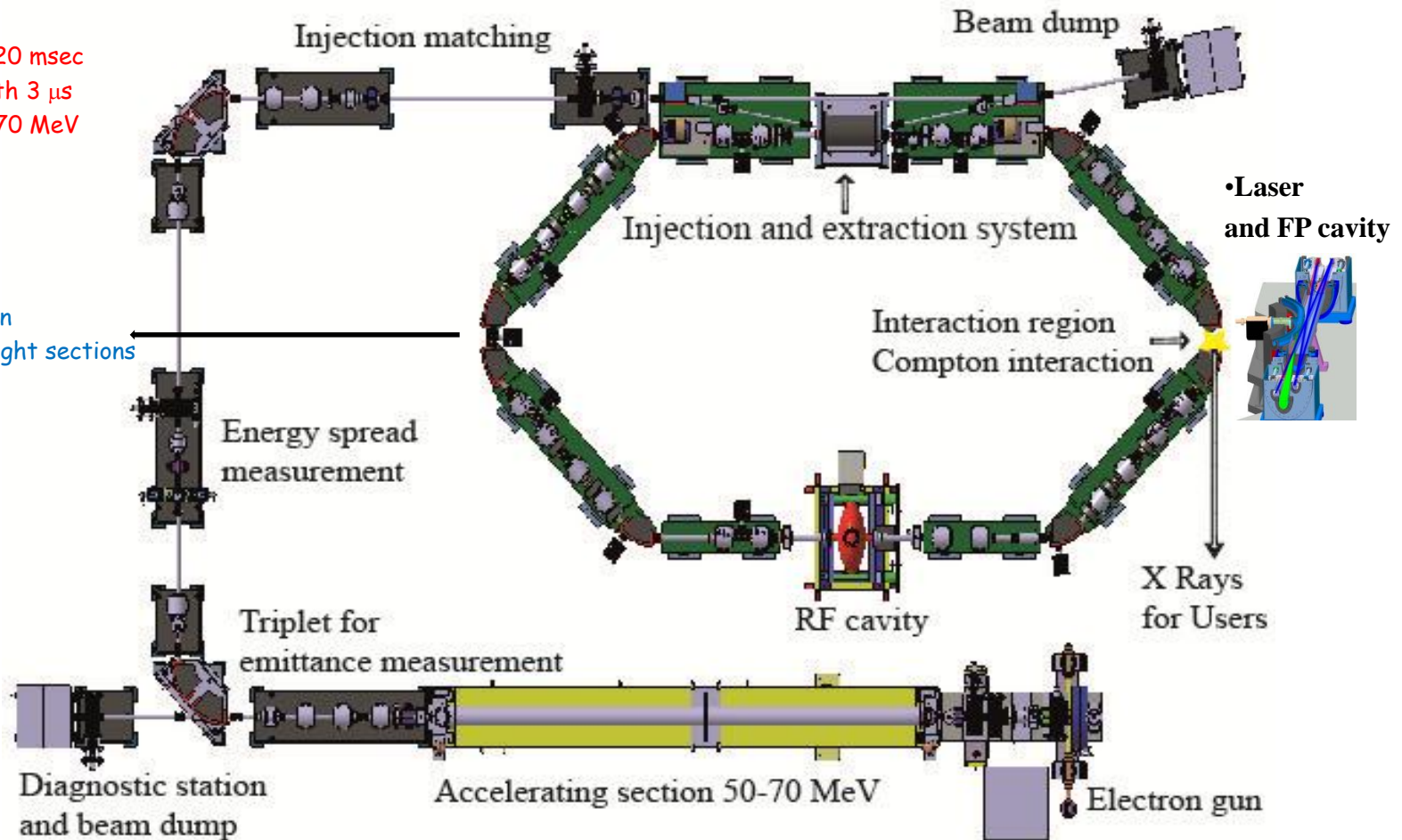
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# How it works

## • ThomX scheme and design

- Cycle Freq = 20 msec
- RF pulse length 3  $\mu$ s
- Energy 50 - 70 MeV

- 2 Ips
- Easy integration
- Frees the straight sections
- CSR line



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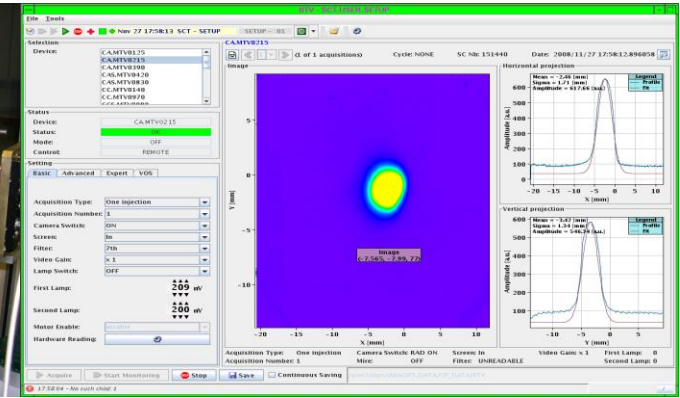
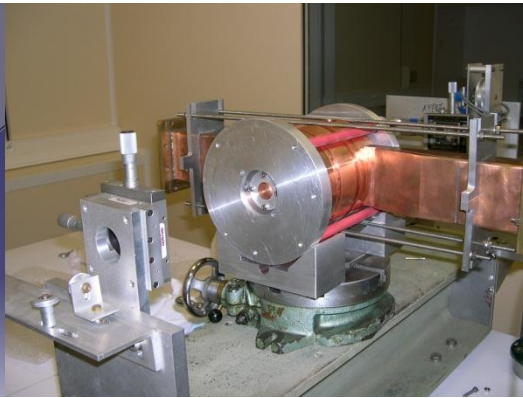
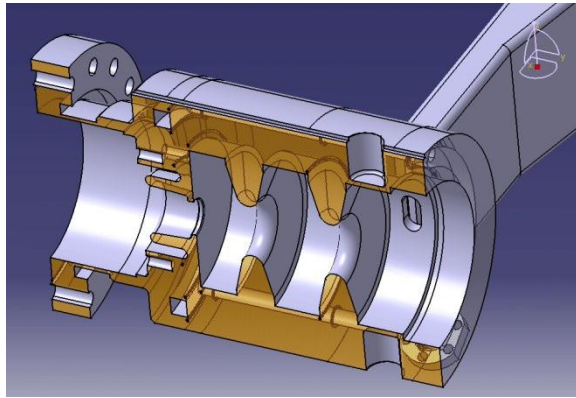
# Expected beams characteristics

•Injector, ring, laser, Fabry-Perot resonator and the source

Injector		Ring	
Charge	1 nC	Energy	50 MeV (70 MeV possible)
Laser wavelength and pulse power	266 nm, 100 $\mu$ J	Circumference	16.8 m
Gun Q and Rs	14400, 49 MW/m	Crossing-Angle (full)	2 degrees
Gun accelerating gradient	100 MV/m @ 9.4 MW	$B_{x,y}$ @ IP	0.2 m
Normalized r.m.s emittance	8 $\pi$ mm mrad	Emittance x,y (without IBS and Compton)	3 $10^{-8}$ m
Energy spread	0.36%	Bunch length (@ 20 ms)	30 ps
Bunch length	3.7 ps	Beam current	17.84 mA
Laser and FP cavity		RF frequency	500 MHz
Laser wavelength	1030 nm	Transverse / longitudinal damping time	1 s / 0.5 s
Laser and FP cavity Frep	4 mirrors - 35.6 MHz	RF Voltage	300 kV
Laser Power	50 - 100 W	Revolution frequency	17.8 MHz
FP cavity finesse / gain	30000 / 10000	$\sigma_x$ @ IP (injection)	78 mm
FP waist	70 $\mu$ m	Tune x / y	3.4 / 1.74
Source		Momentum compaction factor $\alpha_c$	0.013
Photon energy cut off	46 keV (@50 MeV), 90 keV (@ 70 MeV)	Final Energy spread	0.6 %
Total Flux	10 <sup>11</sup> -10 <sup>13</sup> ph/sec		
Bandwidth (with diaphragm)	1 % - 10%		
Divergence	1/ $\gamma$ ~ 10 mrad without diaphragm @ 50 MeV		

# Injector

- Electron gun and accelerating section



- Probe Gun, LAL Design,
- Already tested in the CTF facility for high current
- Accelerating section => LIL type section
- 4.6 m, 135 cells, 2.998.46 MHz @ 31 C°, mode 2 $\pi$ /3.
- Q = 14800, 12.6 MV/m for the 50 MeV case
- Entrance => 160 cm from the cathode
- Phase stability required  $\Delta\phi \leq 1^\circ$

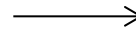


# Beam Dynamics

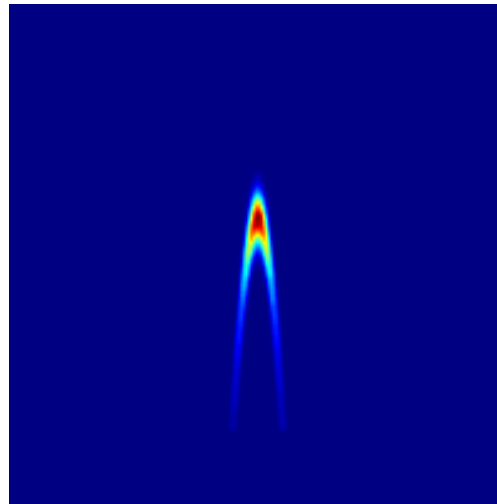
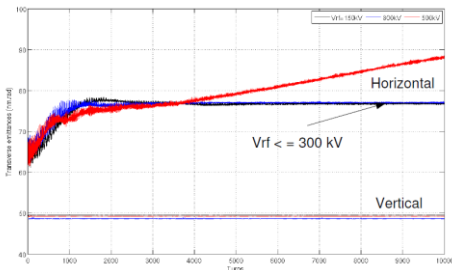
## Injection and instabilities. Compton effect

- Transient dynamics (no equilibrium)
- Compton recoil
- Collective instabilities
- CSR, Ions, Vacuum scattering, IBS.....
- Injection mismatching

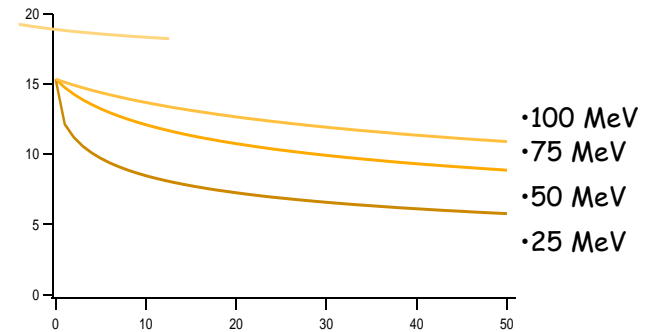
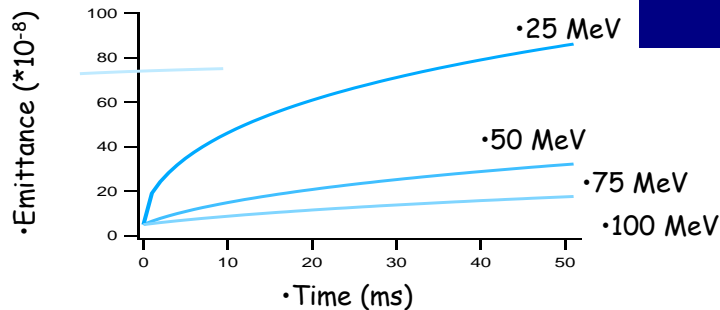
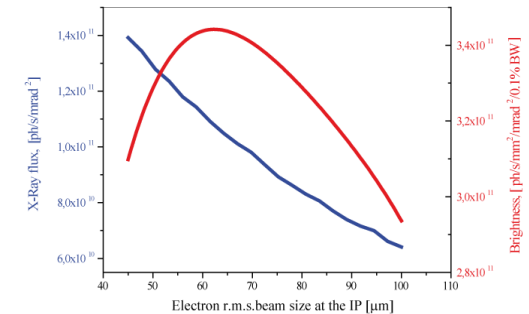
- Feedbacks!!!!
- Ion clearing
- Simulations



- 3 Phases
- Injection
- Turbulent regime
- Stabilization (thousand turns)



• Careful to the brilliance !!!

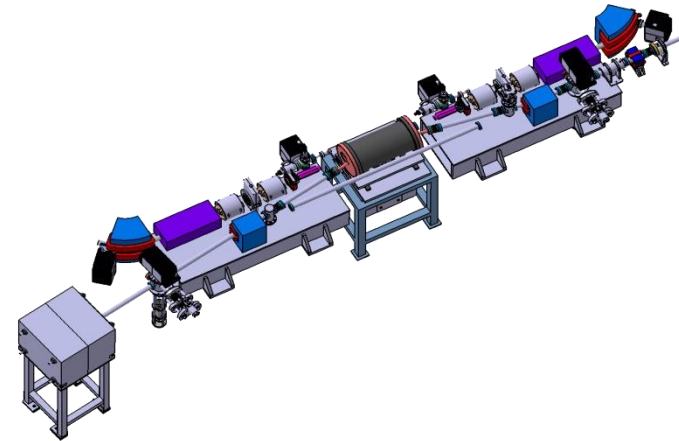
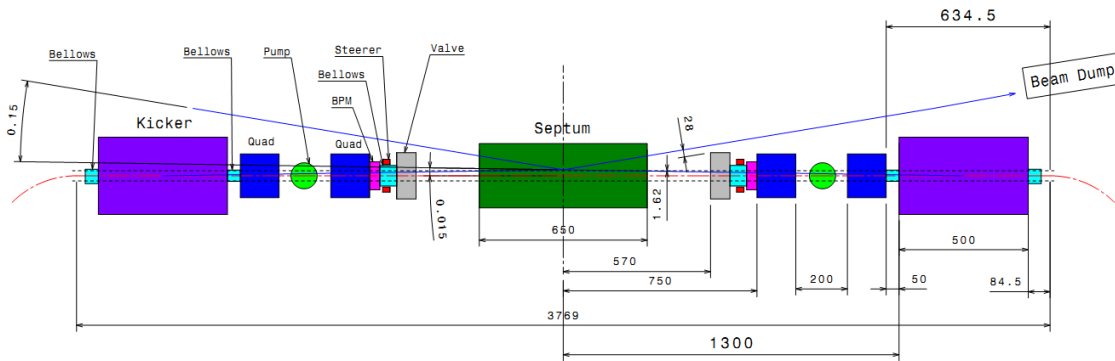


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# Injection

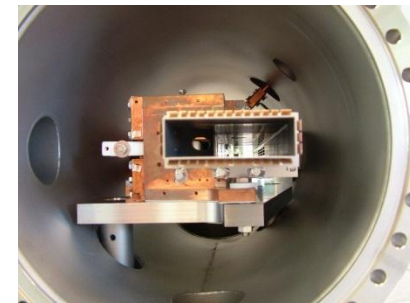
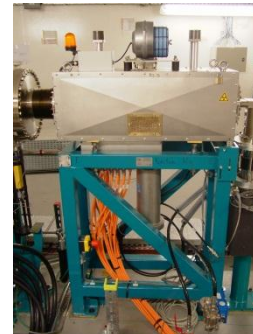
## One septum, two kickers

### Injection section



Equipment	Active length (mm)	Overall length (mm)	Transverse Beam stay clear		Septum thickness (mm)	Ceramic thickness (mm)	Equipment	Deviation (mrad)	Magnetic field length (mT)	Peak current (A)	Charging voltage (V)	Pulse shape	Pulse duration ( $\mu$ s)	Repetition rate (max) (Hz)
			H (mm)	V (mm)										
Septum magnet	250	650	30	12	3		Septum magnet	150	100	960	150	full sine	130	50
Injection kicker	250	450	40	28		6	Injection kicker	15	10	420	12500	half sine	0.050	50
extraction kicker	250	450	40	28		6	extraction kicker	15	10	420	12500	half sine	0.050	50

• R&D  $\Rightarrow$  pulsed power supplies for the kicker magnets (ring revolution 56 ns)  $\Rightarrow$  a very high  $di/dt$  ( $\sim 20$  kA/ $\mu$ s), fast rise time and fast blocking of the negative current, and a very small time jitter

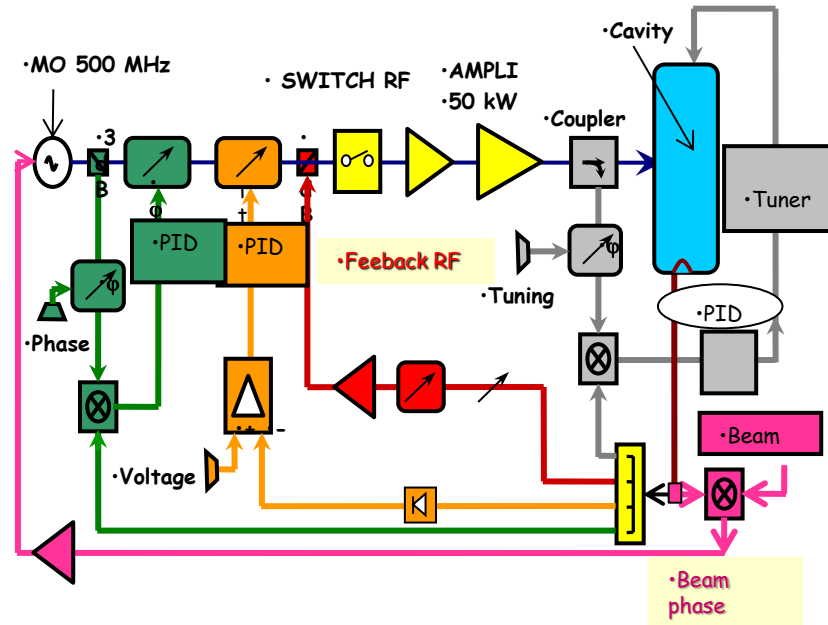
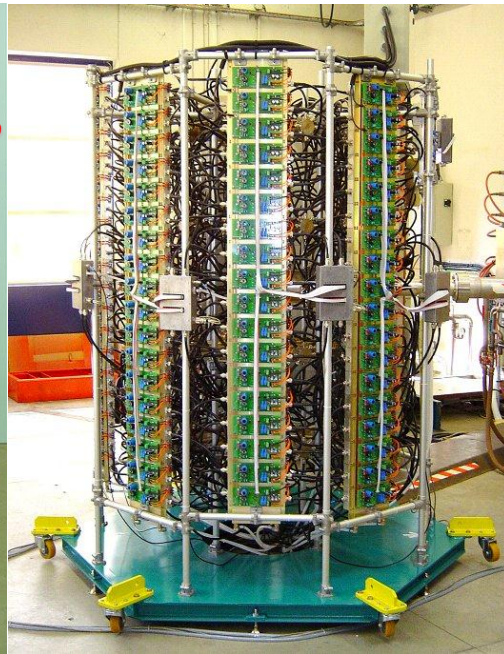
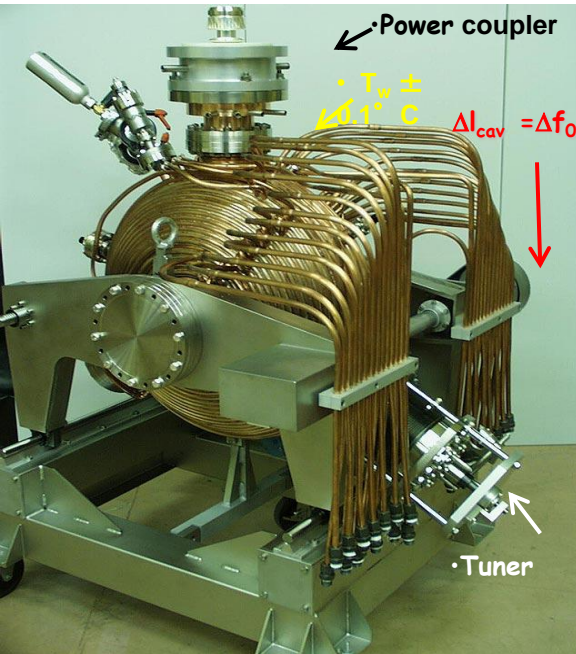


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# Ring RF

## Cavity, Rf source and feedback



### • 'Elettra' type cavity

- 3 different tuning knobs
- Temperature ( $30 \div 60 \text{ C}^\circ$ ,  $\pm 0.05 \text{ C}^\circ$ )
- Mechanical length adjustment  $\Delta l$
- Tuner on the equator

### • 'SOLEIL' type transistor amplifier

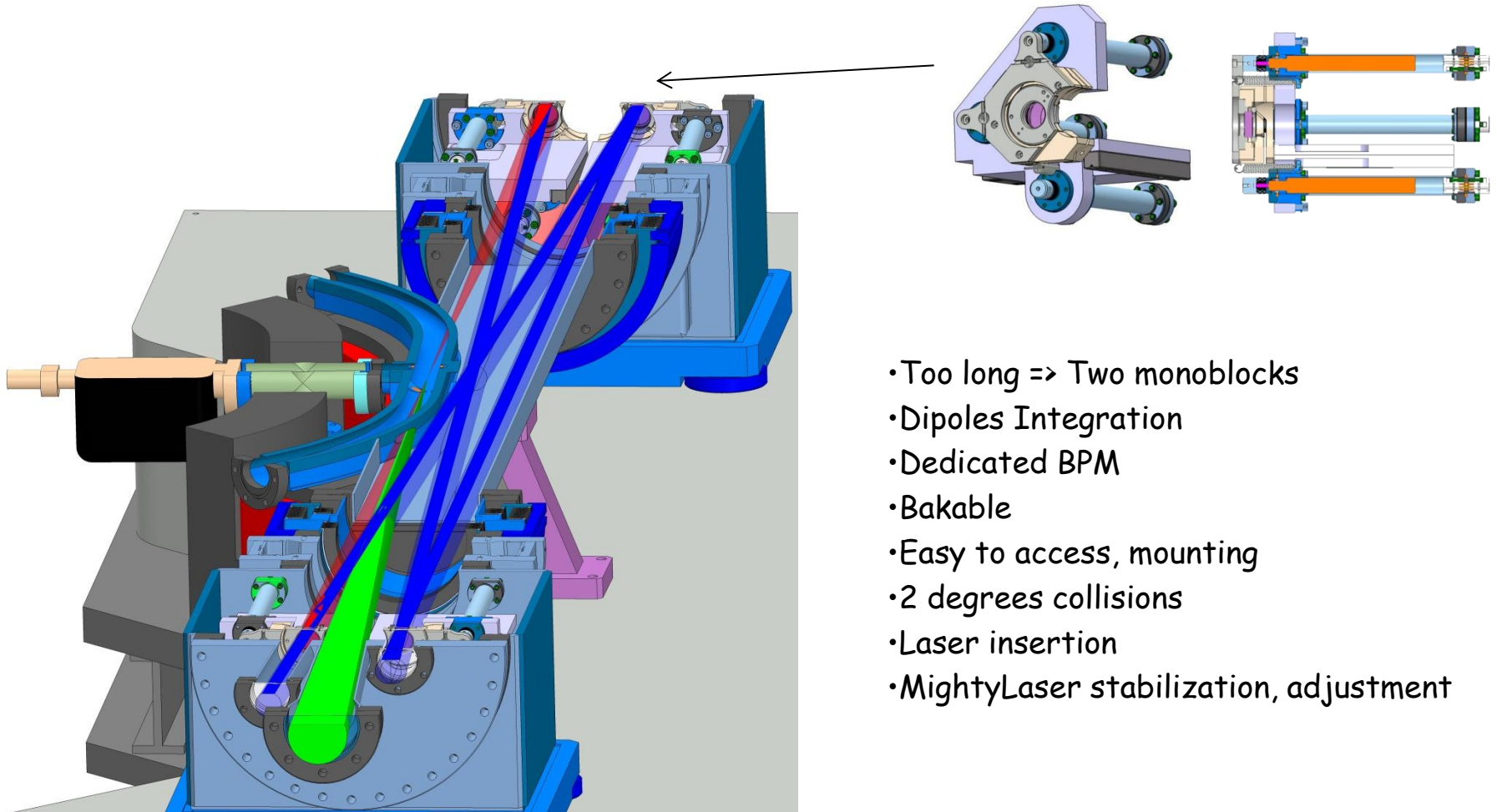
- No HT, modularity (easy to maintain)
- Tested (5 years, +25,000h of operation)
- Operational efficiency 99.995%
- 1 Module @352 MHz 330W  $\Rightarrow$  Can be extended to 500 MHz

### • 'Slow and Fast feedback

- Slow Amplitude, phase, frequency loops
- Fast RF FB
- Phase loop  $\Rightarrow$  beam oscillations @ 500 kHz,  $\Delta\Phi_{inj}$ , HOM,...

# Fabry-Perot cavity

• Towards ThomX



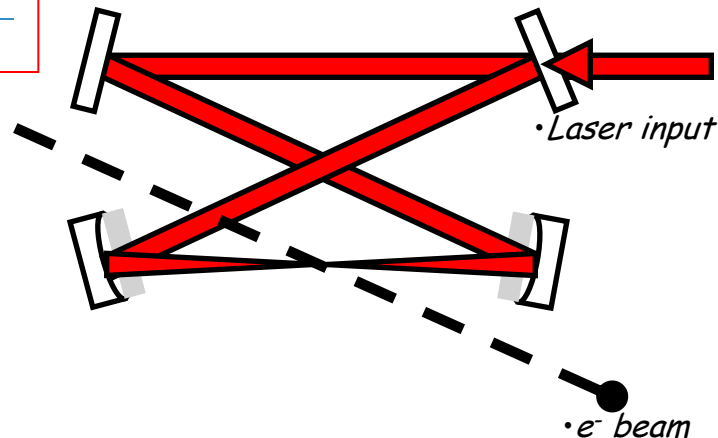
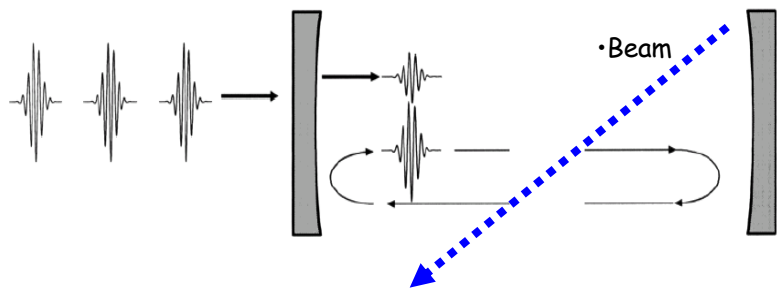
- Too long => Two monoblocks
- Dipoles Integration
- Dedicated BPM
- Bakable
- Easy to access, mounting
- 2 degrees collisions
- Laser insertion
- MightyLaser stabilization, adjustment

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# Fabry-Perot cavity

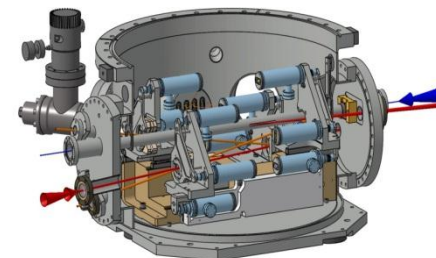
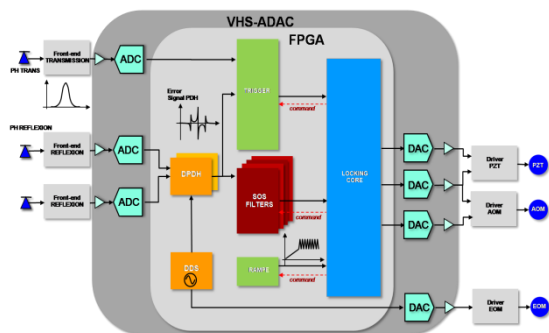
## MightyLaser and PLIC experience

• Stable solution: 4-mirror cavity as in Femto laser technology



• Vacuum and mechanics : MightyLaser experience

• Digital Pound-Drever-Hall feedback



• PLIC and MightyLaser : record in stable finesse locking (30000).

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# • Mirror positioning system

•2 spherical mirrors

•12 encapsulated Motors

•e<sup>-</sup>

•laser

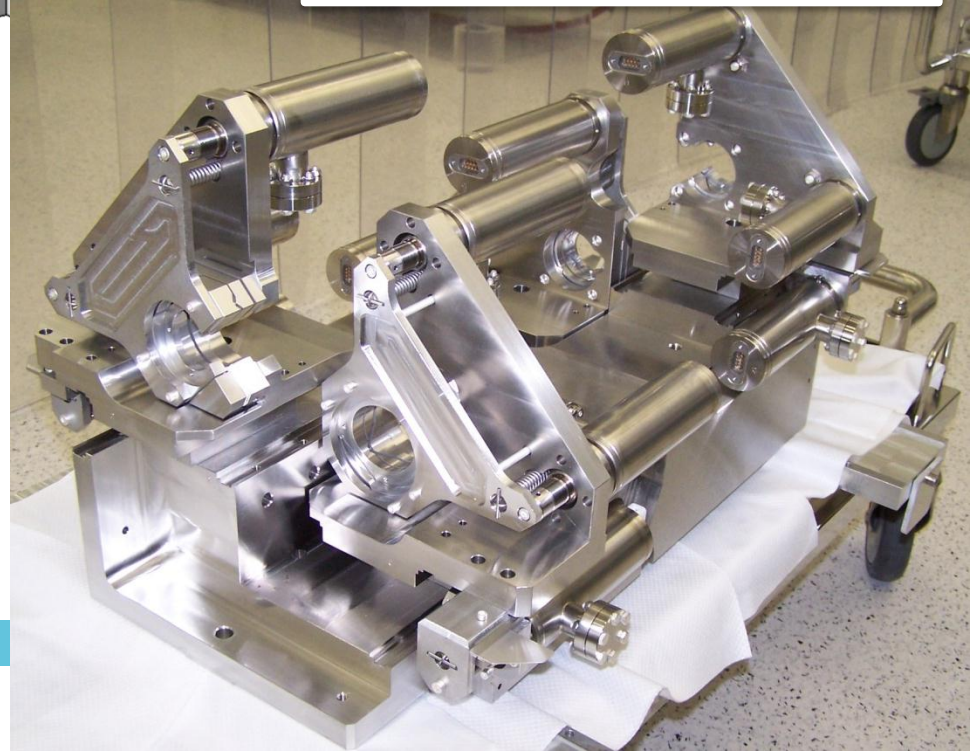
•Mounting in class 10 room

•Invar base  
to ensure  
length  
stability

•Gimbal  
mirror  
mounts

•For  
•vacuum

at mirrors



- In future we want to drastically increase the infra cavity power.

Phase 1 => 50 - 100 kW

Phase 2 => Increase. In theory we can achieve the MW

- Locking system
- Mirrors, coatings and substrates (collaboration with LMA Lyon)
- Laser coupling
- Phase noise and reference
- Thermal lensing compensation
- X ray flux

- ThomX. If our resources are 'infinite'...what possible extensions for the future?
  - The Thomx choice (storage ring) is the result of a compromise among flux, cost and integration constraints.
  - But in ThomX we have:
    - 1) A second IP
    - 2) A Linac up to 70 MeV (50 baseline). LinearThomX
    - 3) Extraction line up to 70 MeV (50 baseline). Energy spread and emittance
      - deteriorated
  - So what other solution or option can be implemented to provide other
  - X rays beams characteristics?

# • The multi-line ThomX

## •1) Second IP

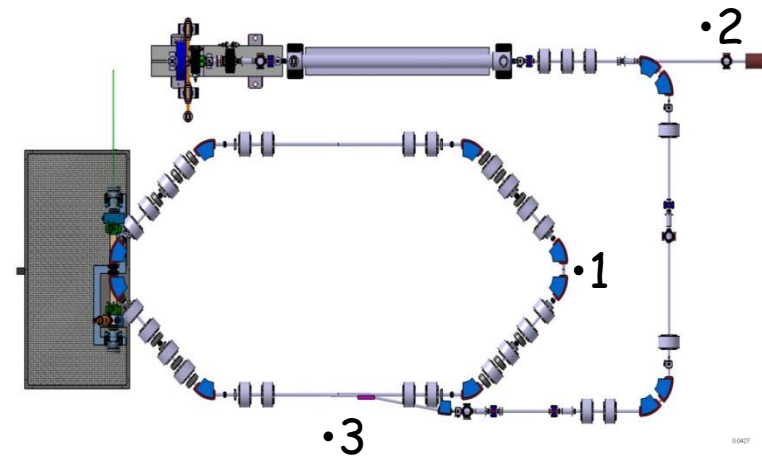
- It can be just a second IP. Slight modifications on the injection line to extract the X.
  - It is inside dipoles. CSR mm waves.
  - Integration of a  $\pi/2$  collision geometry.
- The spectrum cut off is  $\frac{1}{2}$  but we have very short pulses (n 10 fs)

## •2) Linac, changing the gun laser.

- Single pulse (3 nC) on a high power laser ( $\sim$  J) at low Freq (n Hz).
- Peak brilliance and time resolved experiments
- Trains with multibunch and ELI NP recirculator. LINEARTHOMX
- Good bandwidth with diaphragms.
- Good average flux (no diaphragm)
- Short pulse (less than ps) in head on collision (full energy cut-off)

## 3) Extraction line

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## • Conclusions

- At LAL we started an important research activity on Compton sources and related technology
  - We introduce the best crab scheme
  - We have the possibility to study all configurations cavity eigenmodes, evaluate the astigmatism effects and ellipse rotation, study the impact of polarisation
  - Before to study a Compton source coupled with an optical resonator  $f_{rep}$  must be evaluated as primary parameter -> technology (my opinion...)
  - In the field of the application we are actively working on MightyLaser And on the recirculator for ELI-NP
  - We have been financed to built a compact compact synchrotron (ThomX)
  - Exciting project at present, but with possible extension also in the future
  - I think that all the optical, feedback, collision activity that we are working can be extended in a framework of a future gg collider...