

Accelerators

Summer Student Lectures

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Particle Accelerators

■ Physics of Accelerators:

High power RF waves

Cryogenics

Super conductivity

Magnet design + construction

Vacuum

→ **surface science, solid state physics,
electro dynamics, engeneering,
computer science**

■ Physics of Particle Beams:

Single particle dynamics

Collective effects

Two beam effects

→ **classical and quantum mechanics,
non-linear dynamics, relativity,
electro dynamics, computer science**

Overview

- I) ***Particle Acceleration***
- II) ***Storage Rings + Trajectories***
- III) ***Orbit Stability + Long Term Stability***
- IV) ***Synchrotron Radiation + Collective Effects***
- V) ***LEP,LHC + more***

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I) Particle Acceleration

● *Motivation*

● *Particle Sources*

● *Acceleration Concepts:*

■ *Equations and Units*

■ *DC Acceleration*

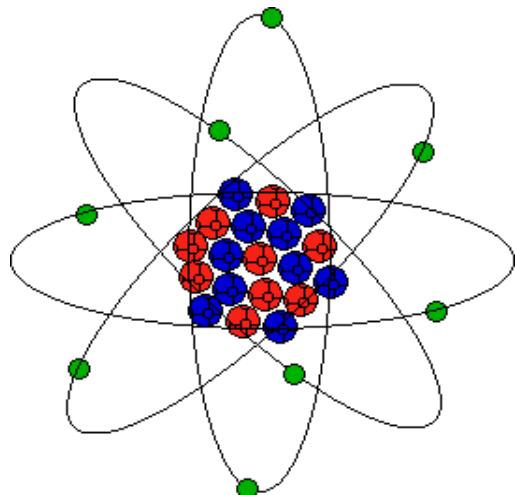
■ *RF Acceleration*

● *Summary*

Search for Elementary Particles

Stage I:

Nuclear Physics



○ Chronology:

- **1803: Dalton** → Atom
- **1896: M & P Currie** → Atoms can decay
- **1896: Thomson** → Electron
- **1906: Rutherford** → Nucleus + Electron
- **1911: Rutherford** → $\alpha + N \rightarrow O + H^+$

→ Disintegration of Nuclei!

→ **Particle Accelerators**

Stage II:

Particle Physics

● Chronology (Theory):

- 1905: *Einstein* → $E = mc^2$
- 1930: *Dirac* → *Antimatter*
- 1935: *Yukawa* → π - *Meson*

● Chronology (Experiments):

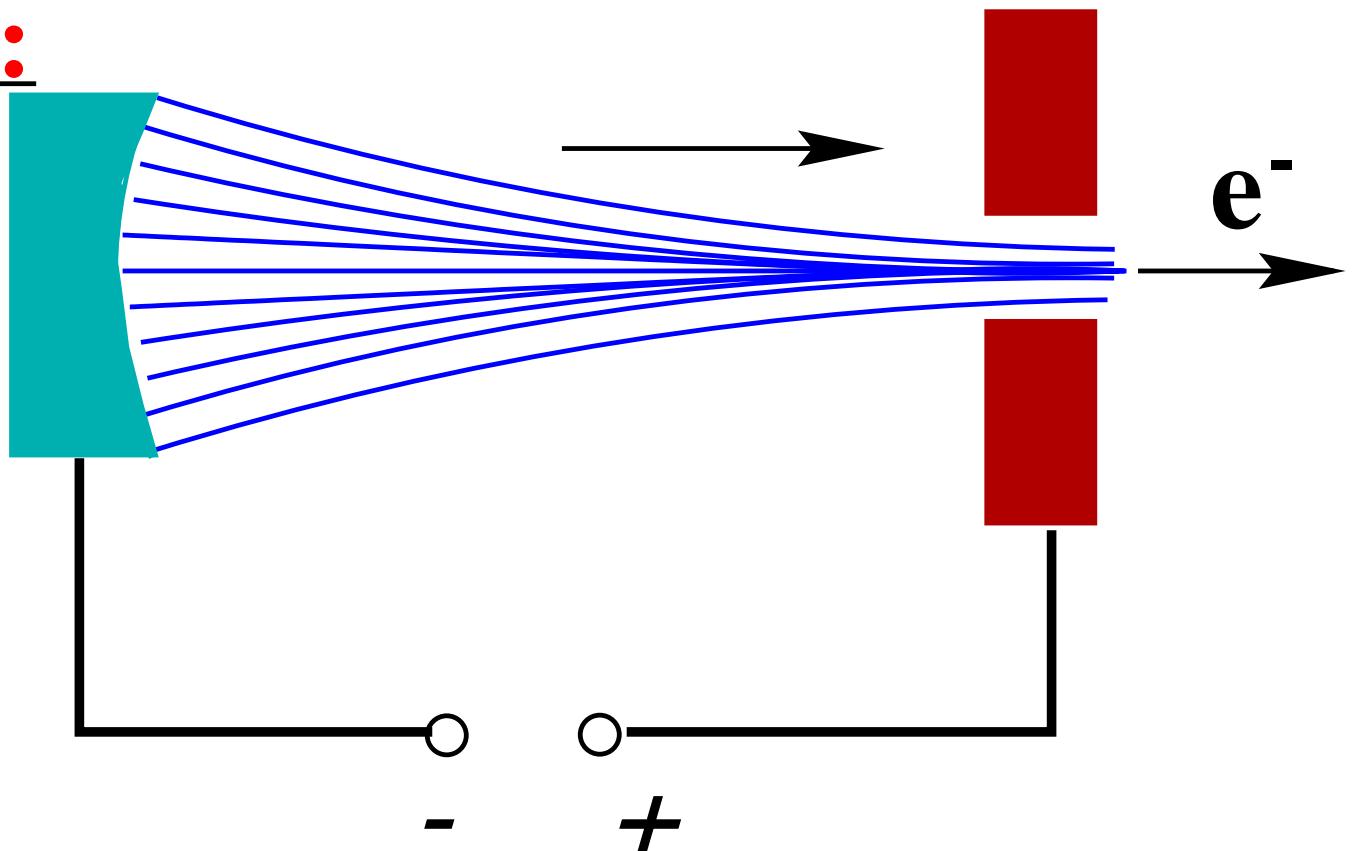
(*Cosmic Rays*)

- 1932: *Anderson* → e^+
- 1937: *Anderson* → μ

p
 π } ? → *Accelerators*

Particle Sources:

e⁻:



Cathode Rays

p⁺:

Cathode Tube with H



Antimatter: Pair Production

Acceleration Concepts

● Lorentz Force:

$$\frac{d\vec{p}}{dt} = Q * (\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B})$$

→ Energy gain only due to E field!

● Scalar and Vector Potential:

$$\vec{E} = -\text{grad } \phi - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \vec{A}}{\partial t} \quad \vec{B} = \text{rot } \vec{A}$$

→ ■ **Electrostatic fields ($A = 0$)**

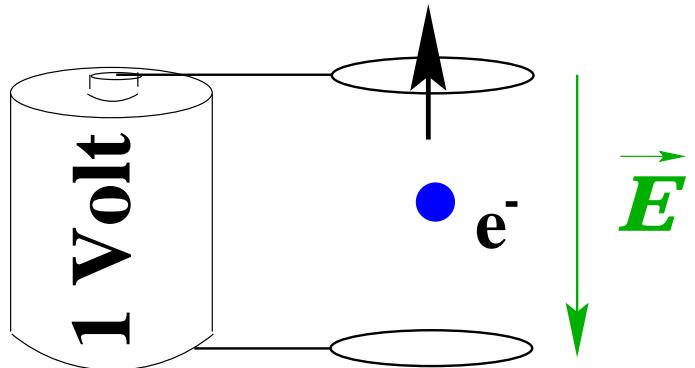
■ **Time varying fields ($\phi = 0$)**

Units

● Energy Gain:

1 eV

→ $(1.6 * 10^{19} \text{ J})$



● Common Units: keV, MeV, GeV, TeV

(10^3 , 10^6 , 10^9 , 10^{12})

● Total Particle Energy:

■ **Relativity:** $E = mc^2$; $m = \gamma * m_0$

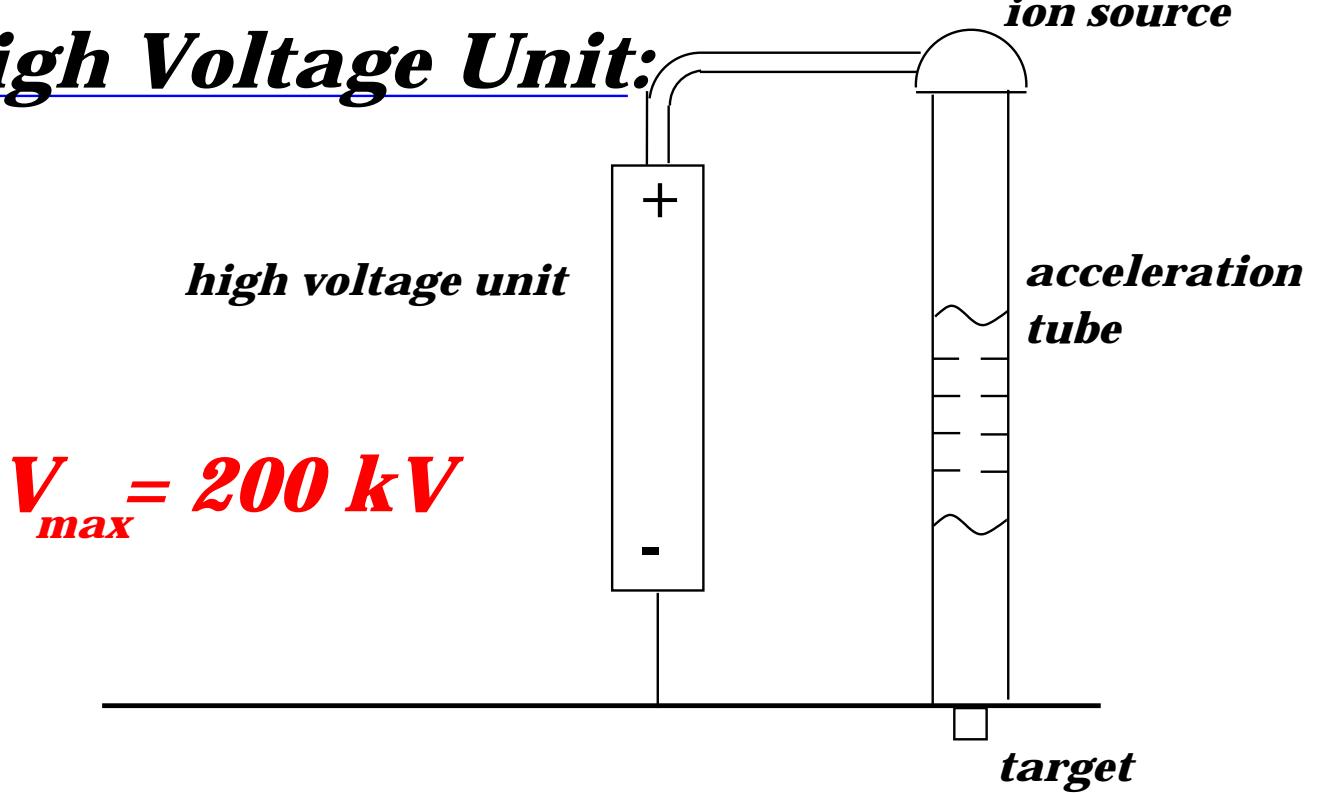
$$\gamma = 1/\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}; \quad \beta = v/c$$

■ **Electron:** $m_0 = 9.11 * 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$; 0.51 MeV

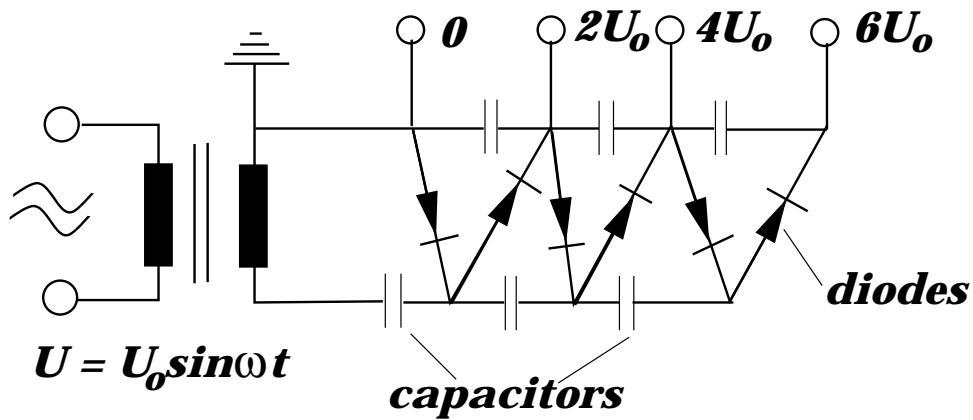
■ **Proton:** $m_0 = 1.67 * 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$; 0.94 GeV

Electrostatic Fields

● High Voltage Unit:



● Cascade Generator:

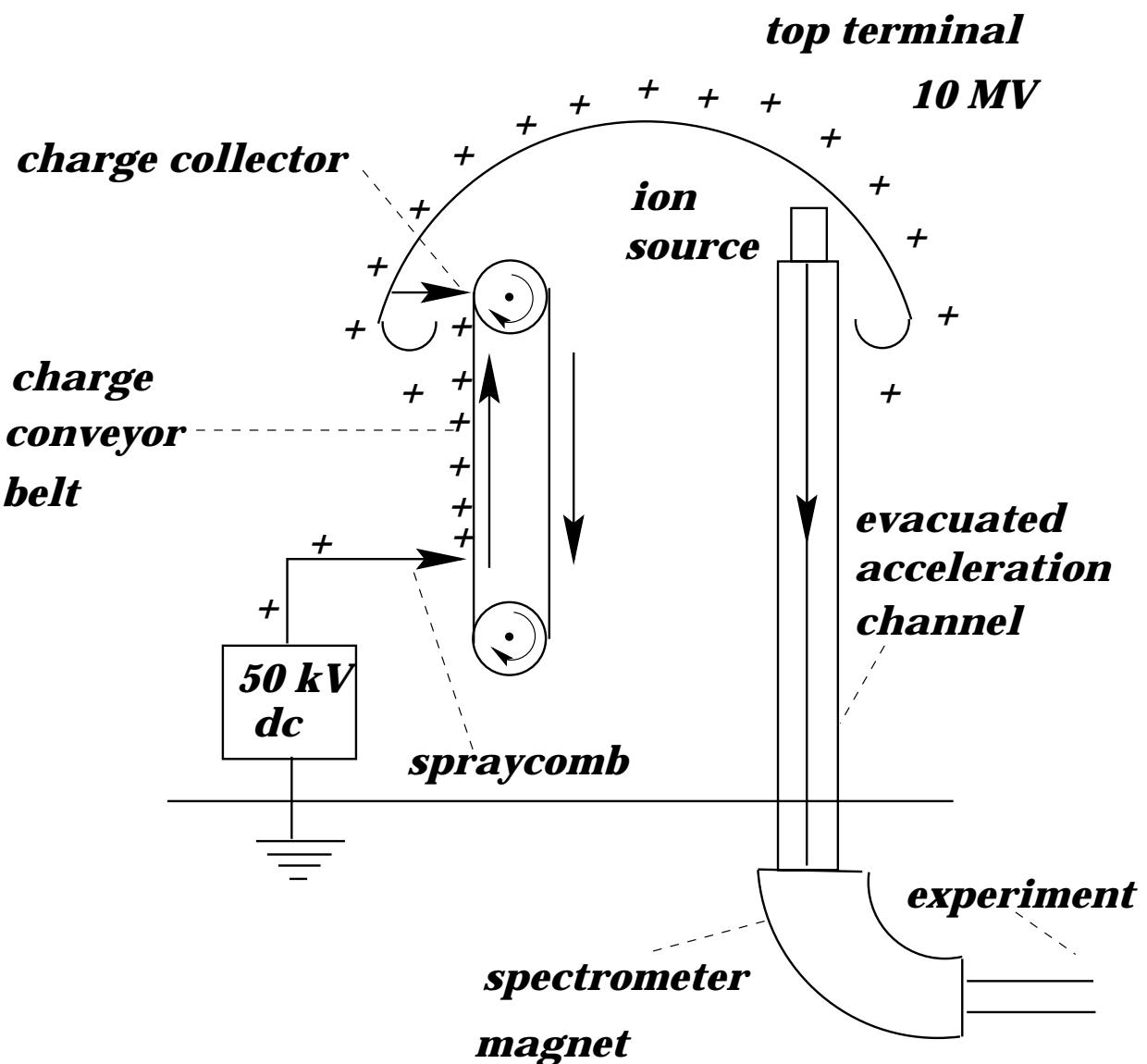


■ 1928: **Cockcroft + Walton** 800kV

■ 1932: $p + Li \rightarrow 2 He$ 700kV (p)
(Nobel Prize 1951)

Van de Graaf Generator

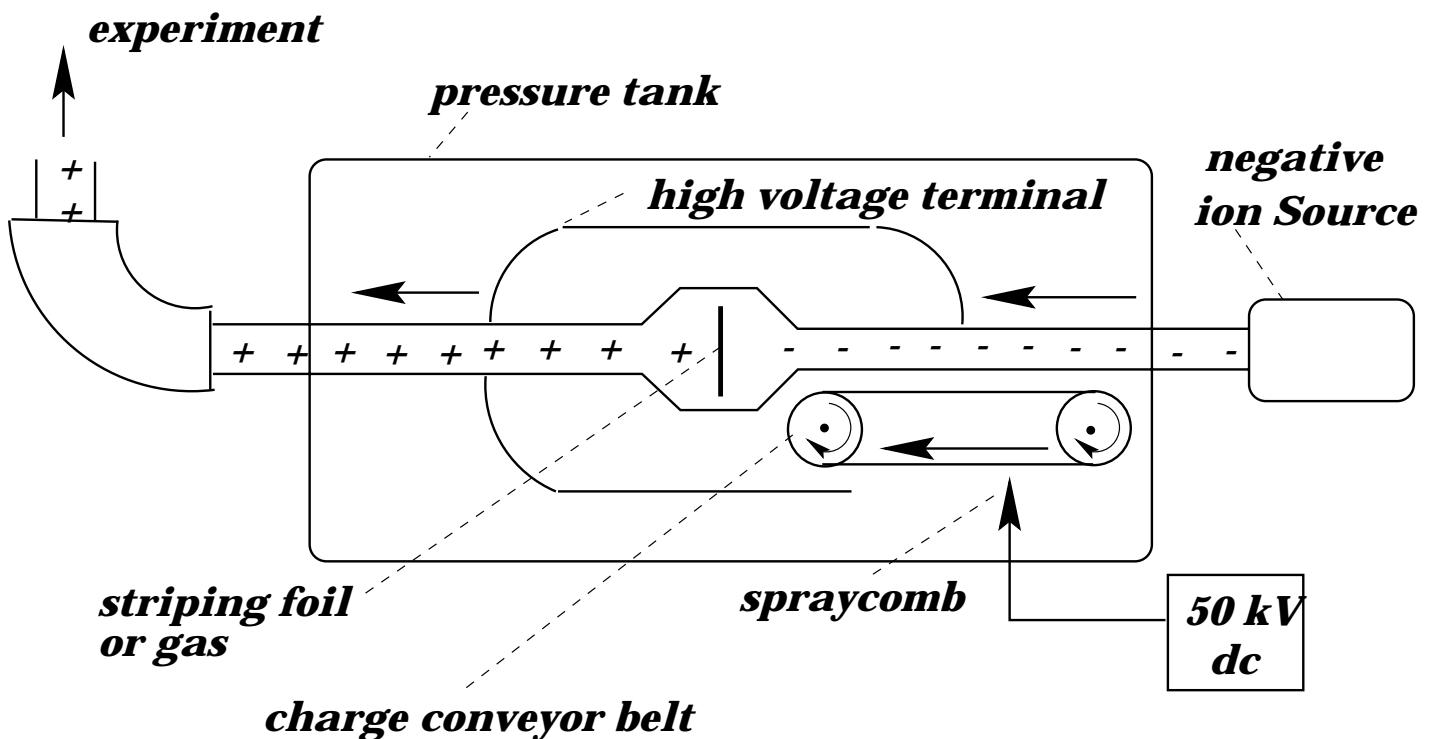
● Single Unit:



$$V = 10 \text{ MVolt}_{\text{max}}$$

Van de Graaf Generator

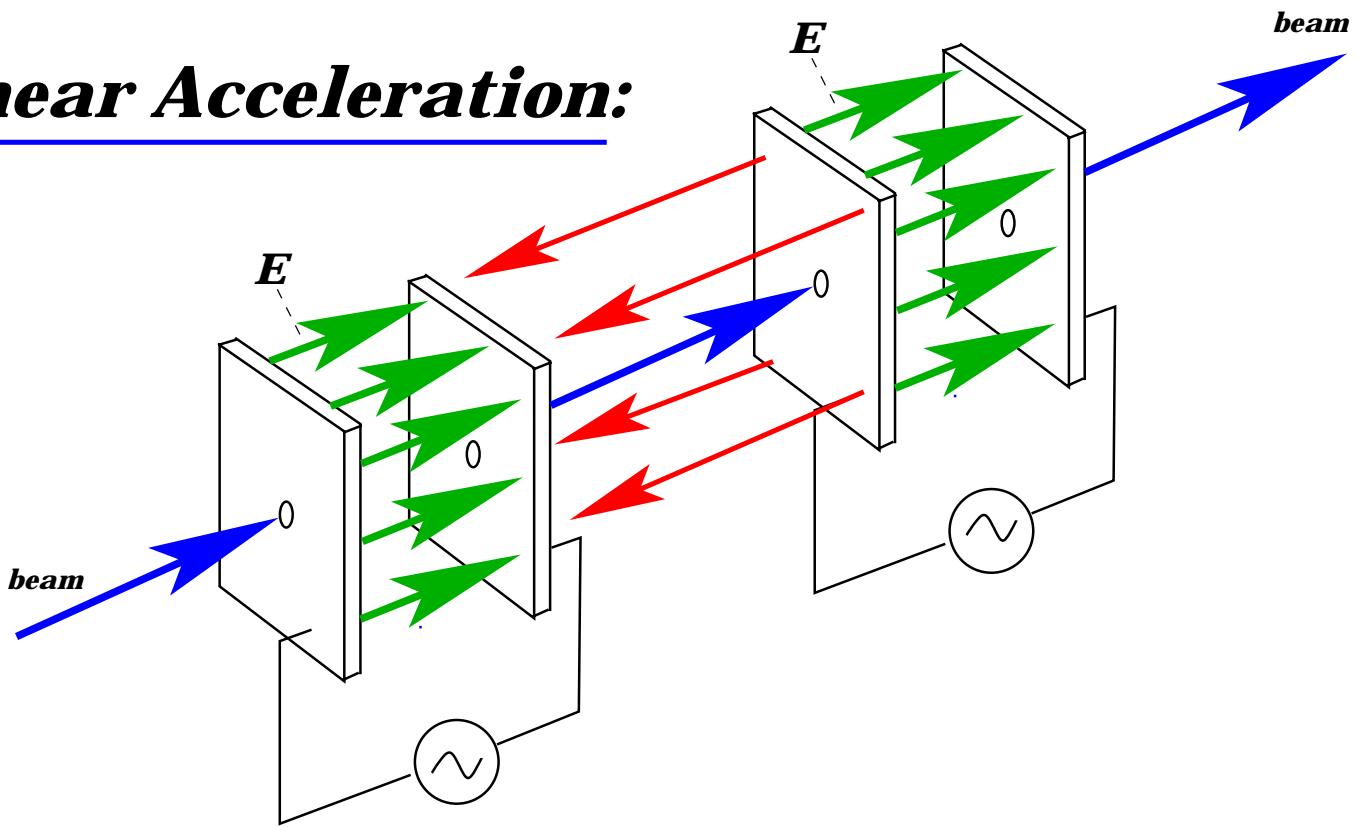
● Tandem generator:



$V = 25 \text{ MVolt}_{\text{max}}$

Time Varying Fields

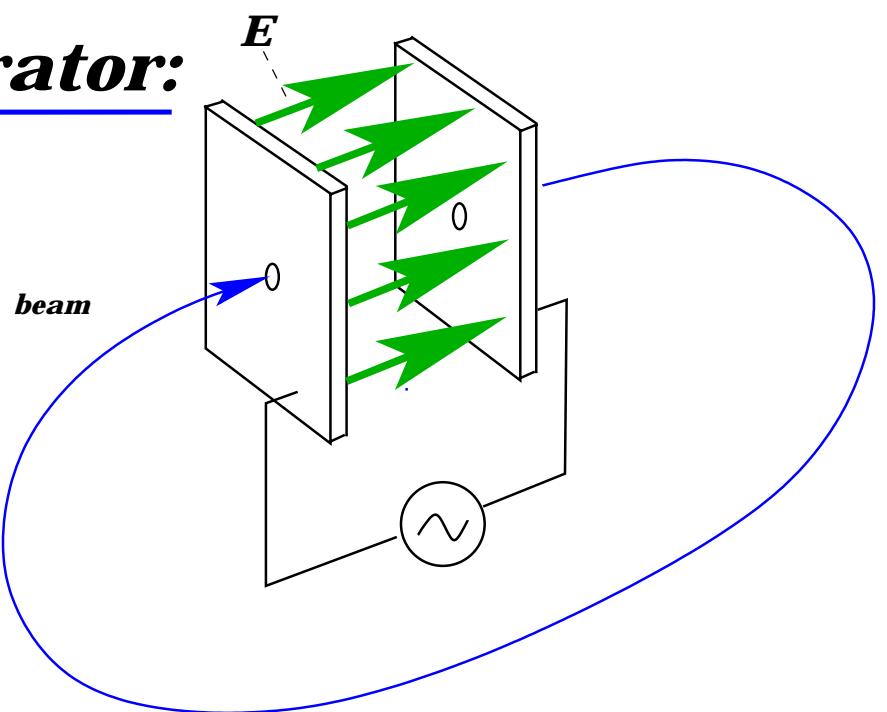
Linear Acceleration:



→ **bunched beam**

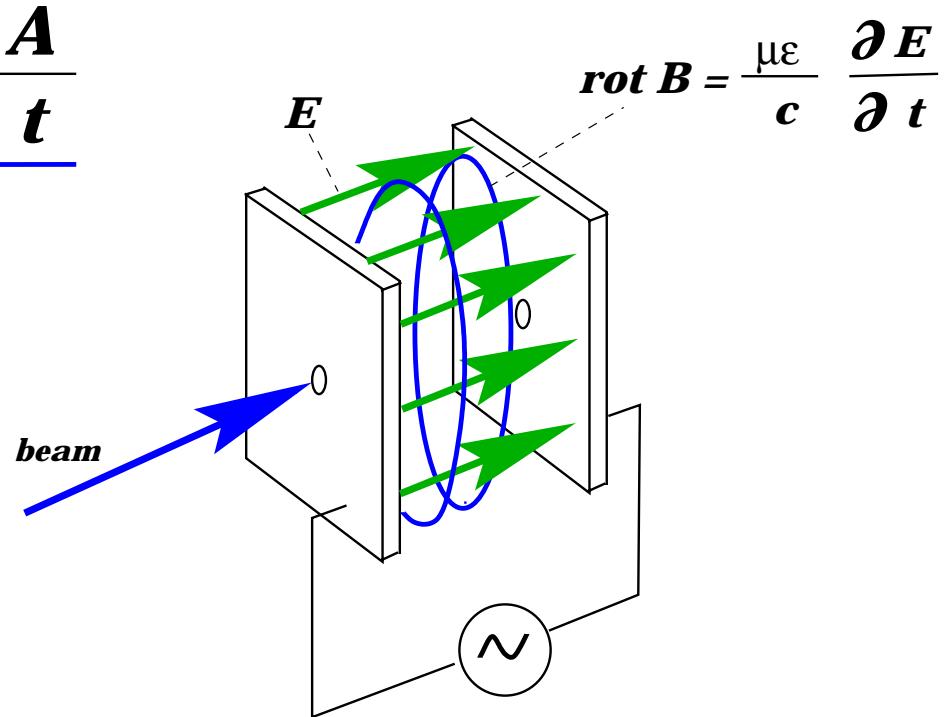
→ **long accelerator!**

Circular Accelerator:

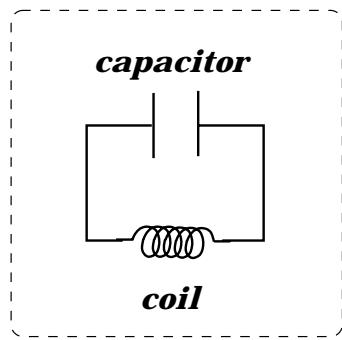


Time Varying Fields

● $E = - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial A}{\partial t}$

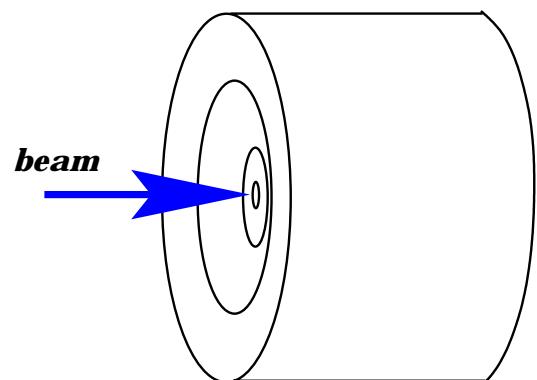
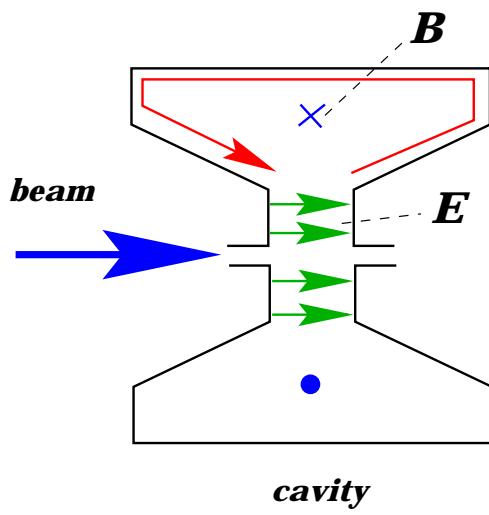


● Resonator:



$$L = \frac{\mu_0 \cdot N^2 \cdot A}{I}$$

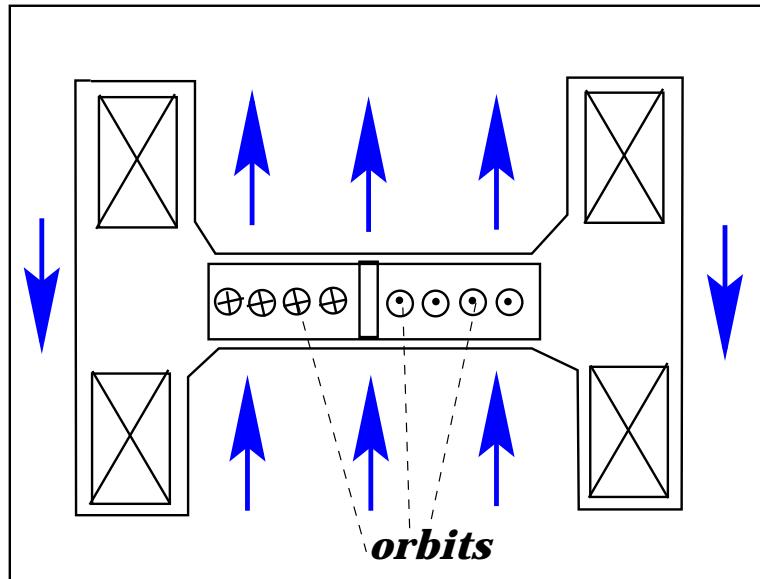
$$C = \frac{\epsilon_0 \cdot A}{d}$$



→ $f; Q; R$

Circular Accelerators I

— 1929: *Lawrence* → *Cyclotron*



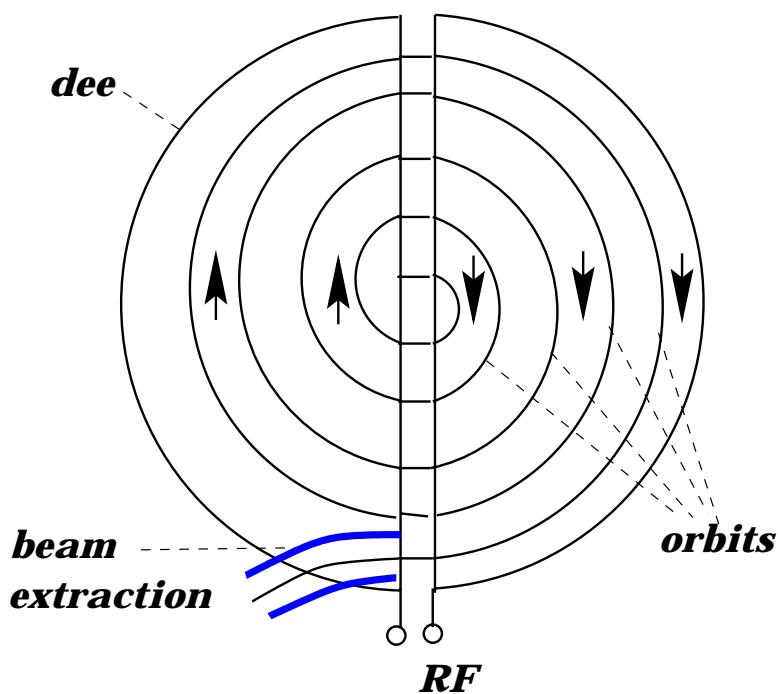
$$\omega = \frac{Q}{m} \cdot B$$

$$r = \frac{m}{Q} \cdot \frac{v}{B}$$

$m = \text{const}$

$f_{RF} = \text{const}$

$B = \text{const}$



— 1931: *Livingston* → \bar{H} to 80 keV

— 1932: *Lawrence* → p to 1.2 MeV
(NP 1939)

Disadvantage:

High Energy:

$$\gamma \gg 1 \longrightarrow f_{RF} \neq \text{const.}$$

→ ***short bunch trains***

→ ***large dipole magnet***

Synchrotron: ***R = const.***

$$\omega_\theta = \frac{Q}{m_\theta} \bullet \frac{\mathbf{B}}{\gamma}$$

$$\mathbf{r} = \frac{\mathbf{m}_\theta}{Q} \bullet \frac{\gamma}{\mathbf{B}} \bullet \mathbf{v} \longrightarrow \mathbf{B} \neq \text{const.}$$

→ ***Small magnets,***

$$\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{c} \longrightarrow f_{RF} = \text{const.}$$

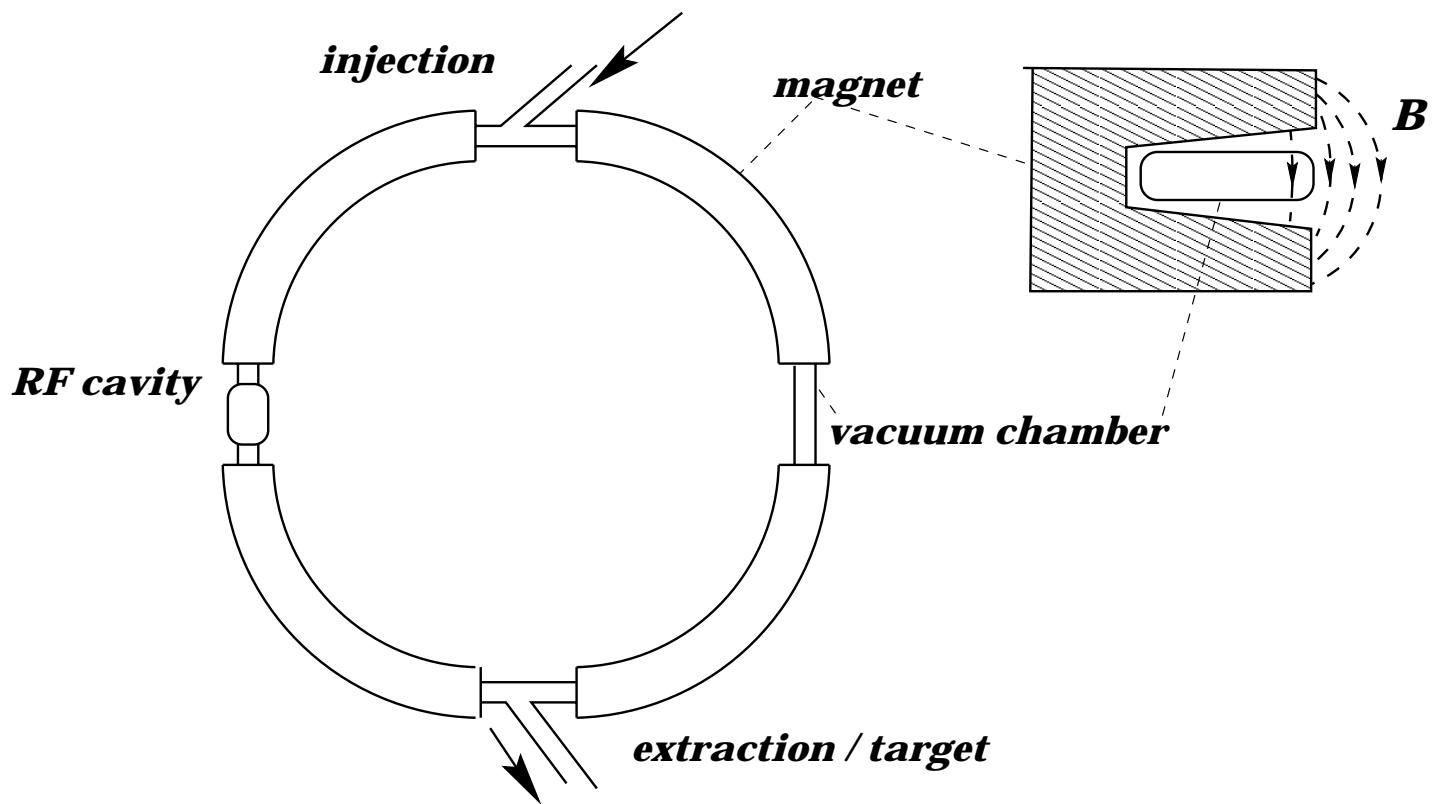
Circular Accelerators II



Synchrotron:

■ **1952: Cosmotron 3 GeV protons**

■ **1949: electrons**



■ **1955: Bevatron 6 GeV protons**

→ p^- (*fixed-target experiment*)

$$E_{cm} = 2 \cdot m_0 c^2 \left(\sqrt{1 + \frac{E}{2 \cdot m_0 c^2}} - 1 \right)$$

Summary

● Acceleration Concept:

- **Static field** **25 MeV**
discharge
 - **AC field** **no limit**
length
- multiple passages

● Circular Acceleration:

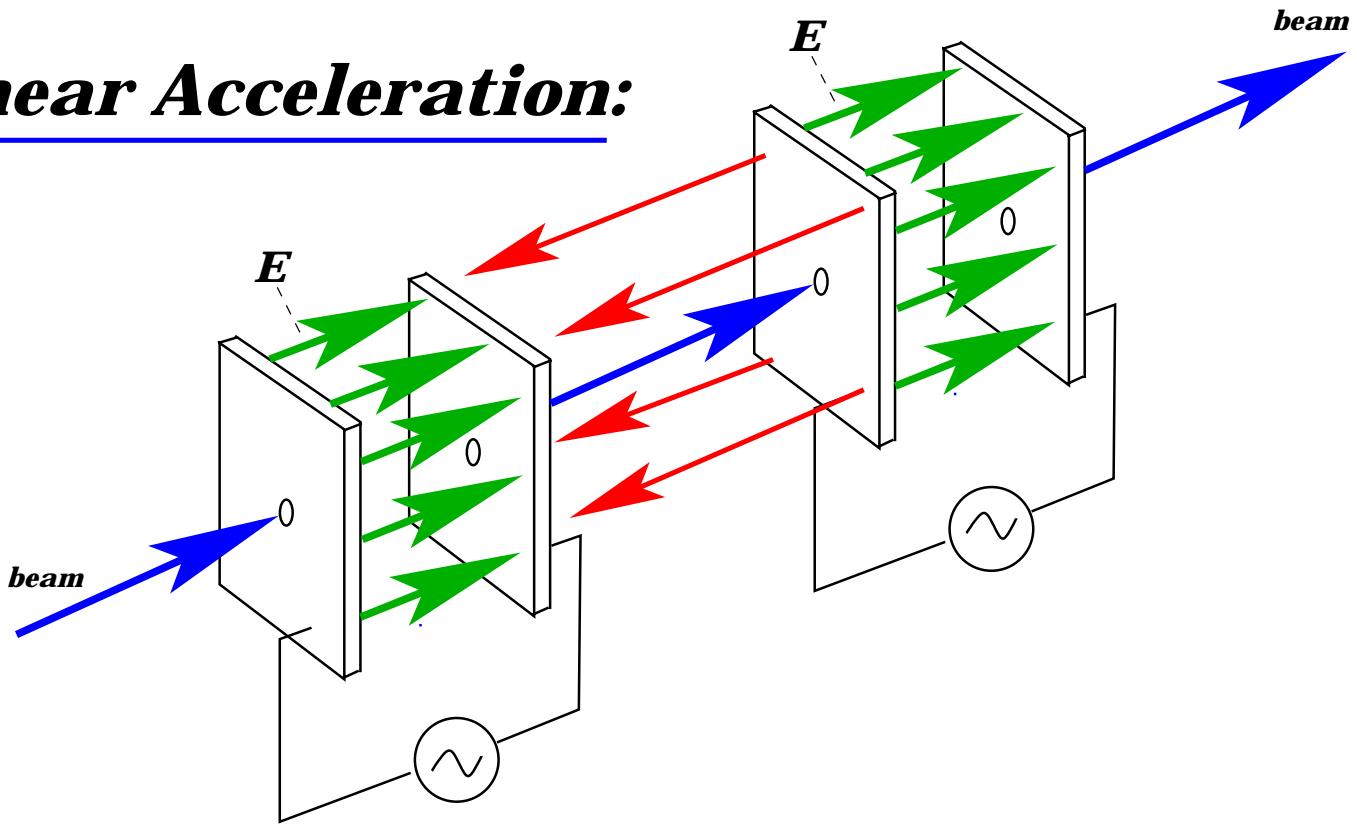
- **Cyclotron** **25 MeV**
non-relativistic
- **Synchrotron** **no limit**
small magnets

● In Practice:

Combination of several options

Time Varying Fields

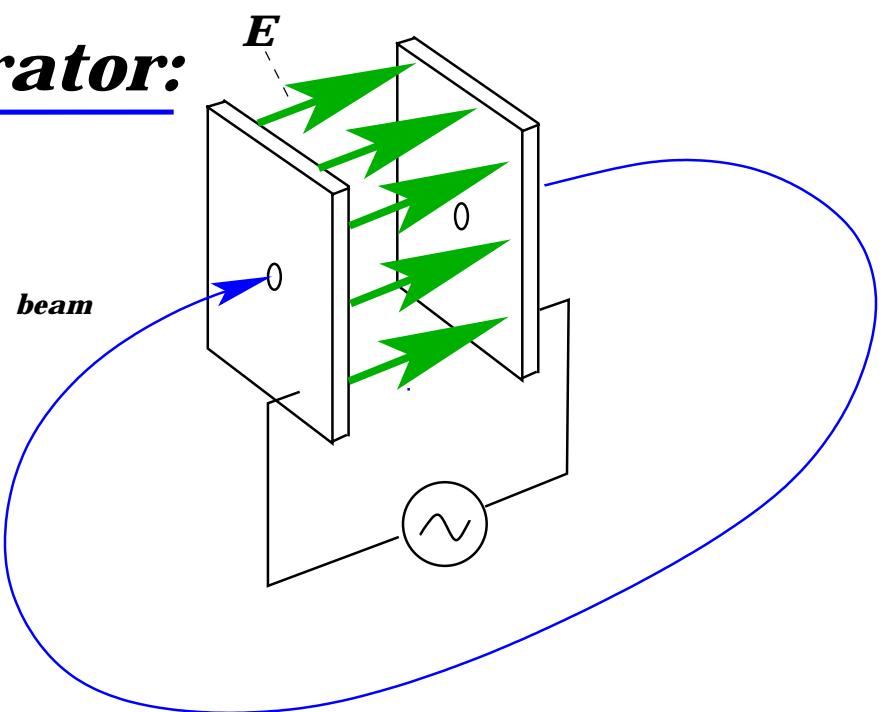
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→ **bunched beam**

→ **long accelerator!**

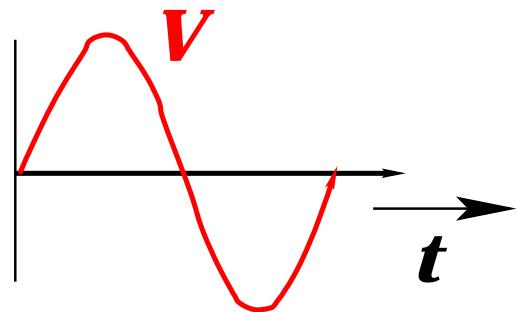
Circular Accelerator:



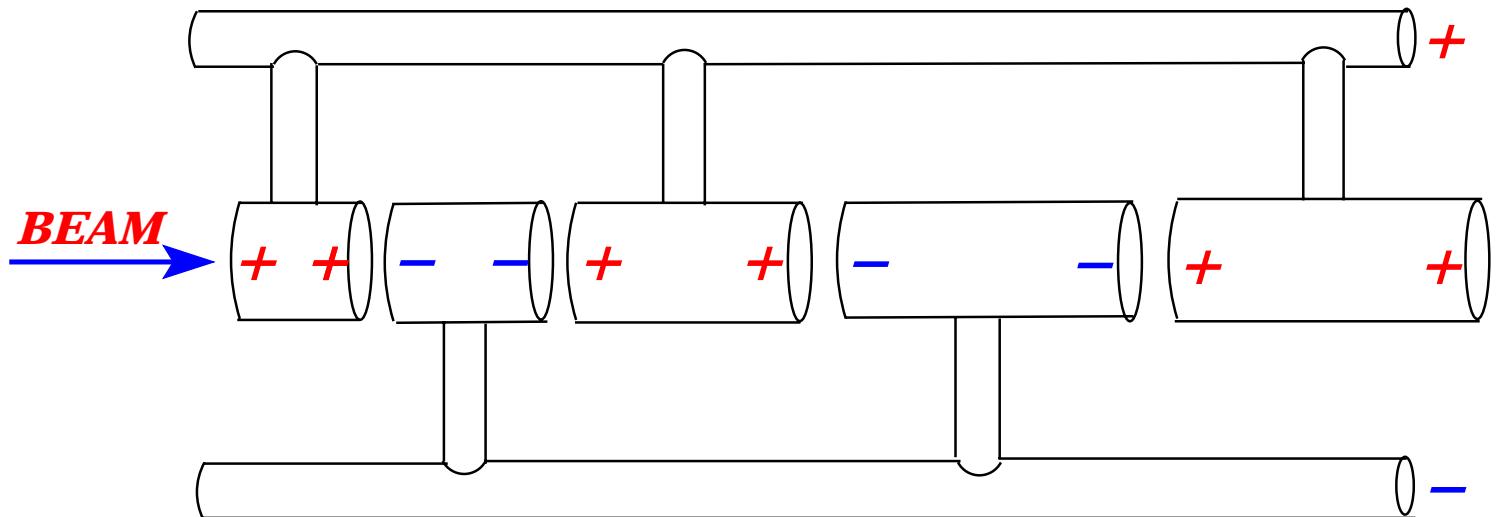
Drift Tubes

■ 1924: *Ising*

AC Voltage:



Symmetric line:



$$\longrightarrow I = v_{part} \cdot T/2$$

■ 1928: *demonstrated by Wideroe*

1MHz, 25kV oscillator

$\longrightarrow 50kV$ potassium ions

Lawrance:

$1.3MV$ mercury ions with $48kV$

■ But: *$f < 7MHz$ ($I = 21$ meter)!*

Time Varying Fields

Maxwell Equations without Sources

$$\textcolor{red}{a)} \vec{\nabla} * \vec{E} = 0$$

$$\textcolor{red}{b)} \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{E} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} = 0$$

$$\textcolor{red}{c)} \vec{\nabla} * \vec{B} = 0$$

$$\textcolor{red}{d)} \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B} - \frac{\mu\epsilon}{c} \frac{\partial \vec{E}}{\partial t} = 0$$

Yellow circle: **Rotation on *b)* and *d)***

plus: $\vec{\nabla} \times (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{V}) = \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{V}) - \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{V}$

→ **Wave equation:**

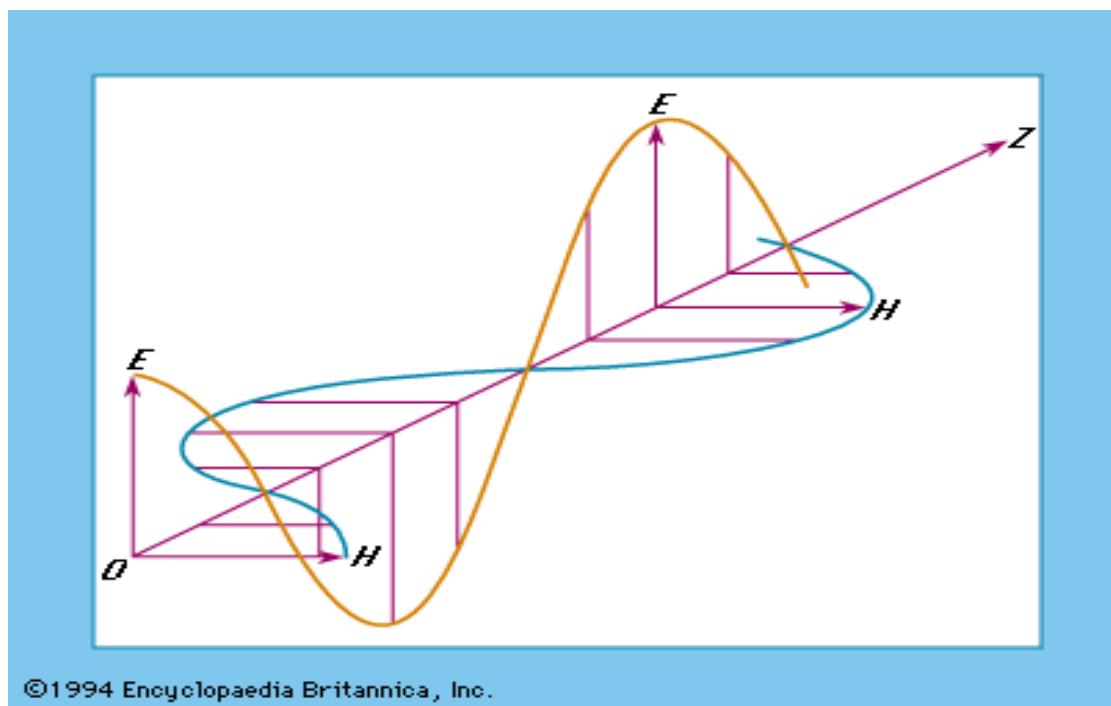
$$\frac{\partial^2 \vec{E}}{\partial t^2} = \frac{c^2}{\mu\epsilon} \vec{\nabla}^2 \vec{E} \quad \frac{\partial^2 \vec{B}}{\partial t^2} = \frac{c^2}{\mu\epsilon} \vec{\nabla}^2 \vec{B}$$

Time Varying Fields

● Plane Electro Magnetic Wave:

$$\vec{E} = \vec{E}_0 \cdot e^{ik\vec{n} \cdot \vec{x} - \omega t} \quad \vec{B} = \vec{B}_0 \cdot e^{ik\vec{n} \cdot \vec{x} - \omega t}$$

$$\vec{B}_0 = \sqrt{\mu\epsilon} \cdot \vec{n} \times \vec{E}_0 \quad \vec{k} = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}$$



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→ **No acceleration in the direction of propagation!**

Boundary Conditions I

● **Transverse Electric Waves (TE):**

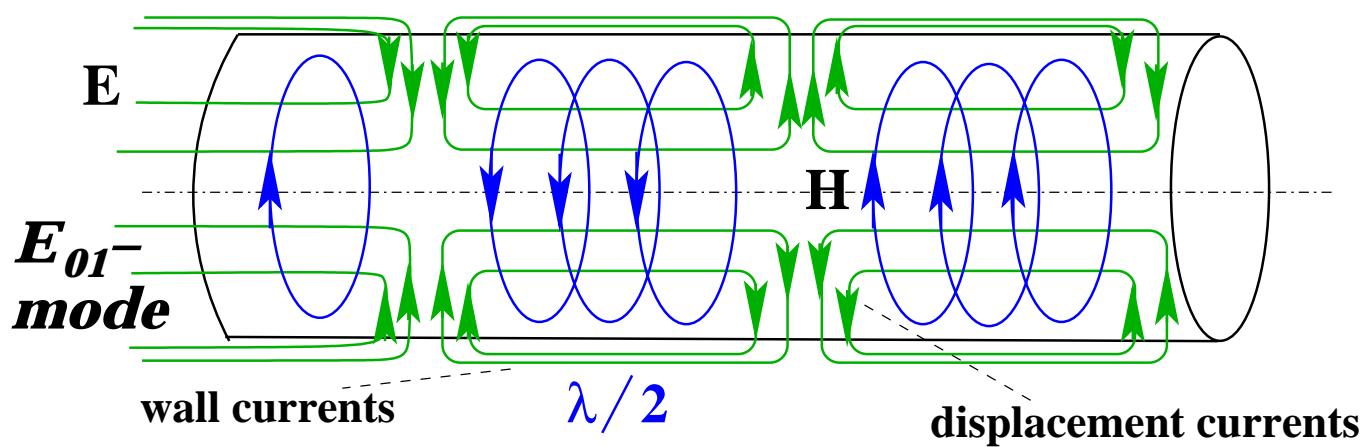
$E_z = 0$ everywhere;

Boundary condition: $\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}}{\partial \mathbf{n}} \Big|_s = 0$

● **Transverse Magnetic Waves (TM):**

$B_z = 0$ everywhere;

Boundary condition: $E_n \Big|_s = 0$



■ **Problem:**

$$v_{ph} > c$$

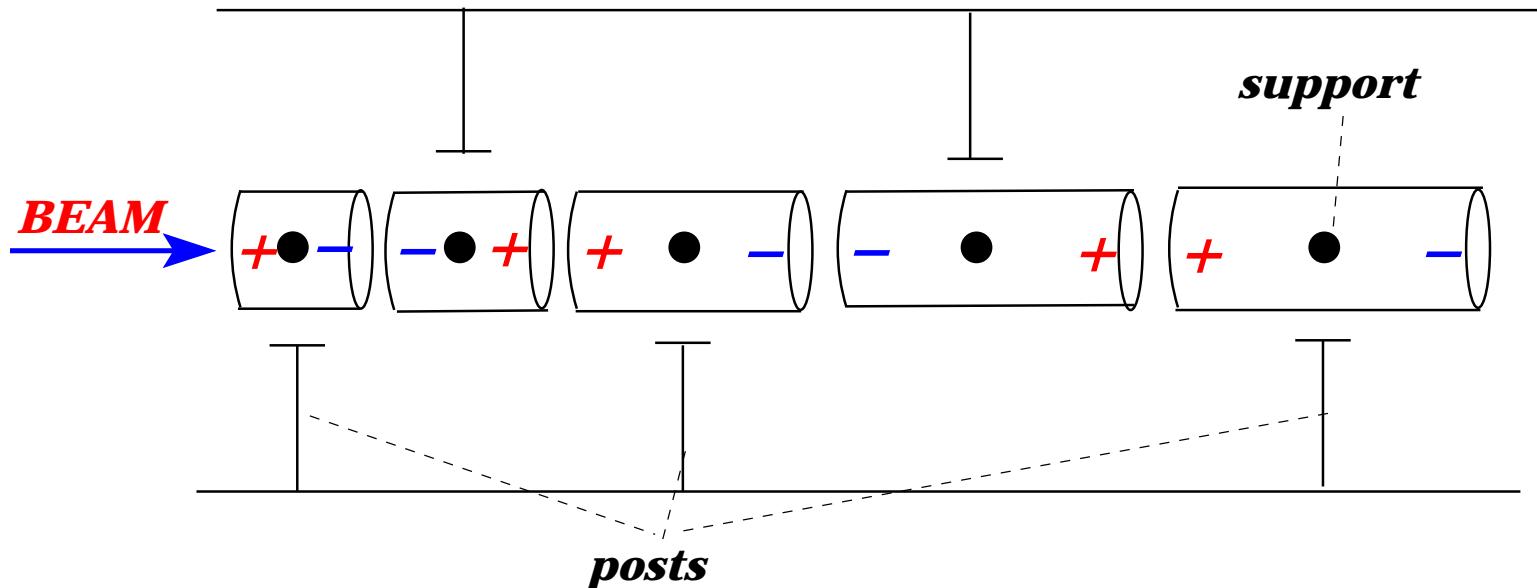


Shielding or change v_{ph}

Resonance Tank

■ Alvarez:

$$I = v_{part} T$$



■ **Tubes are passive**

→ **higher frequencies!**

($f = 200 \text{ MHz}$ gives good tube size)

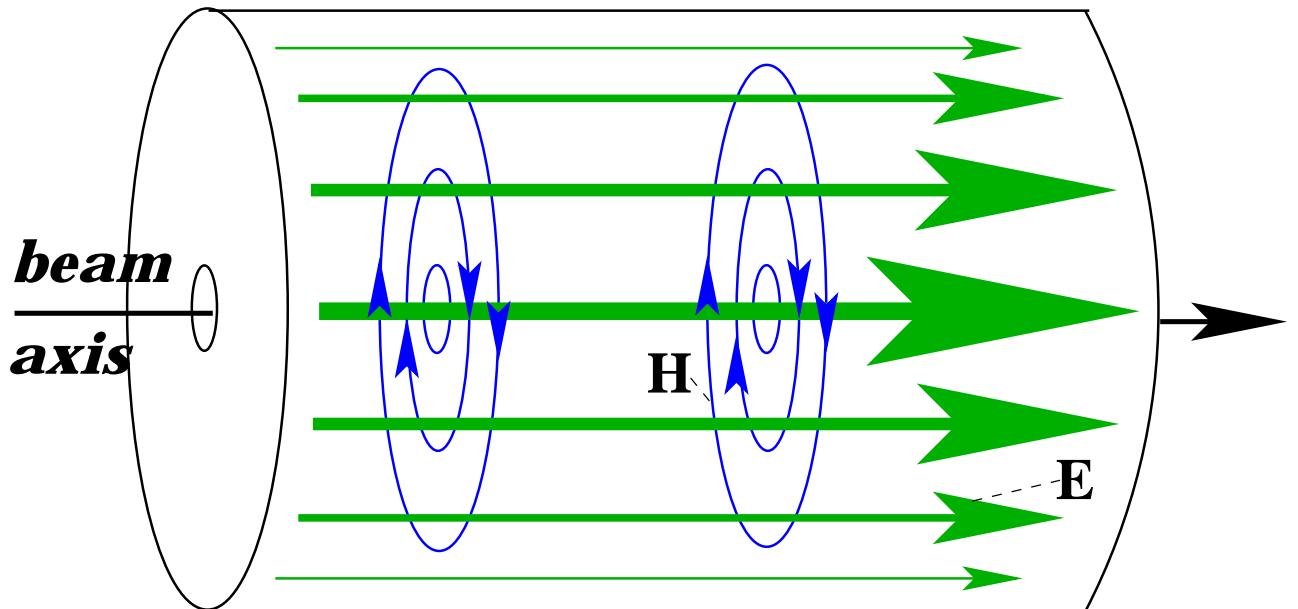
■ **Posts** → $v_{gr} \neq 0$

■ **Pre-accelerator for most proton accelerators**

Boundary Conditions II

● Cavity Resonator:

TM mode with longitudinal boundary;



■ Short Section:



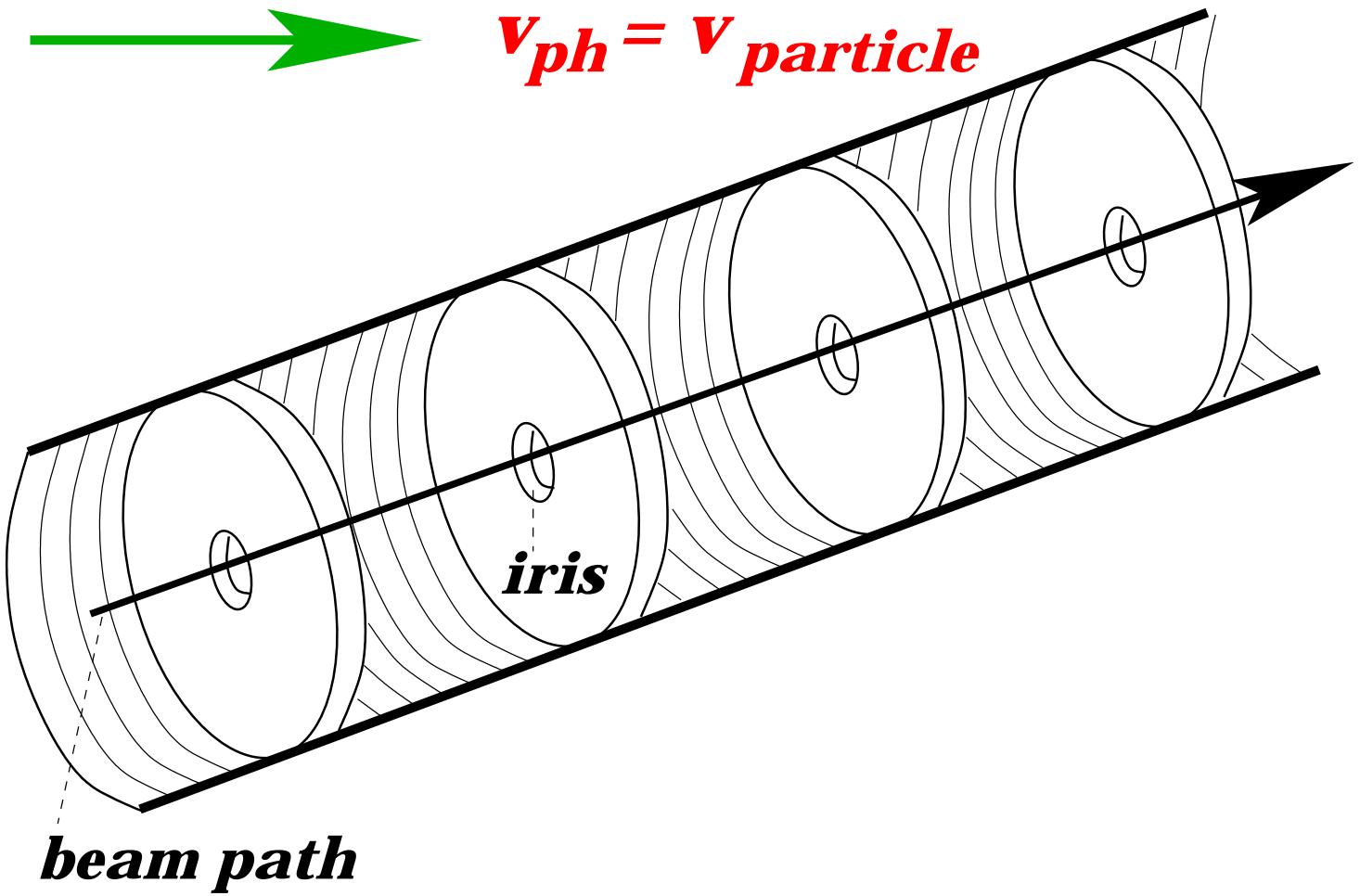
multi-cell



multi-passage

Boundary Conditions III

● Loaded Wave Guide:



■ But:

Concept of linear acceleration is limited by power of RF generator!



*Not feasible before
World War II*