

# WG5: ERL Applications Summary

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# WG5: ERL Applications Programme

Tue 20 <sup>th</sup> June	Session 1		Application
08:30 – 08:55	LERF - New Life for the Jefferson Lab FEL	Chris Tennant (Jlab)	<b>FEL</b>
08:55 – 09:20	Novosibirsk ERL based FEL as User Facility	Vitaly Kubarev (BINP)	<b>FEL, THz, Compton</b>
09:20 – 09:45	Asymmetric, Dual Axis Cavity for ERL: recent R&D and possible applications	Ivan Konoplev (JAI)	<b>EUV, THz</b>
	Session 2		
10:00 – 10:25	Photon Science Exploitation of ALICE in Biomedical Science	Mark Surman (STFC)	<b>FEL</b>
10:25 – 10:50	EUV ERLs for Semiconductor Integrated Circuit Lithography	Norio Nakamura (KEK)	<b>EUV</b>
10:50 – 11:15	Applications for CBETA at Cornell	Georg Hoffstaetter (Cornell)	<b>THz, Compton</b>
11:15 – 11:40	Applications by means of the accelerator technologies based on cERL	Hiroshi Kawata (KEK)	<b>Compton, Isotopes</b>
Thur 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Session 3		
13:15 – 13:40	ERL Upgrade Plans for the ARIEL e-Linac	Bob Laxdal (TRIUMF)	<b>FEL, THz, Compton</b>
Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	Session 3		
08:30 – 08:55	Generation of High-flux High-energy Ultra-short Vortex Photon Beams from JLab ERL Facility	Shukui Zhang (Jlab)	<b>Compton</b>
08:55 – 09:20	Nuclear Physics Experiments at Mesa	Kurt Aulenbacher (Mainz U)	<b>Polarised beams</b>
09:20 – 09:45	ERL developments for eRHIC	Vladimir Litvinenko (Stony Brook U)	<b>Cooling</b>

# FEL, THz & Photon Applications

Field	Application	Group	Energy (MeV)	Current/Charge	Key Parameters	Size	Critical Performance Needs?	Challenges
THz	TD Spectrometry & Photochemistry	BINP			2.12THz			
	Optical Discharge	BINP			2.3THz, 66ps pulses			
	Material optical properties (ellipsometry)	BINP						
	Biological irradiation	BINP						
	Detonation dynamics	BINP						
	Pump-probe	BINP						
	Surface Plasmon Polaritons	BINP						
	Bessel Beams	BINP						
	CBETA	Cornell	135	500pC @ 10ps, 320mA, 4-pass	4THz	35m x 15m	Low ERL loss rate	
IR-FEL	Spintronics (magnetoactive materials)	BINP			$\lambda=9.3\mu\text{m}$			
	ARIEL ERL Upgrade	TRIUMF	50	10mA	$\lambda=1 - 20\mu\text{m}$		High brightness PI	RLA & ERL switching
	LERF – Dark matter search	JLab		60pC @ 3.3ps		60m x 5m	Reduce backg'd rad'n & beam loss	
	IR Microscopy – Cancer Diagnostics	Daresbury	30	80pC @ 0.1ps	$\lambda=9.3\mu\text{m}$	40m x 25m	FEL $\lambda$ and power	FEL Stability
Compton	CBETA	Cornell			412keV, 0.4% BW	35m x 15m	Low ERL loss rate	
	Compact LCS (X-ray imaging)	KEK	20	58uA	6.9keV	90m circ.	Laser power	
	LCS (gamma nuclear detection)	KEK	350					
EUV	Compact ERL	JAI	30	1A		5m x 2m	Small footprint	High current injector
	Industry ERL	KEK	800	10mA, 60pC,	$\lambda=13.5\text{nm}$ , >10kW	200m x 20m	FEL stability, Availability (>98%)	
Isotopes	<sup>99</sup> Mo/ <sup>99m</sup> Tc	KEK	20-50	<10mA				

# Particle & Nuclear Physics Applications

Field	Application	Group	Energy (MeV)	Current/Charge	Key Parameters	Size	Critical Performance Needs?	Challenges
<b>Compton</b>	X-ray vortex photon beams (LRF)	JLab	100	1mA	0.1 – 10keV		LG Laser power	OAM characterisation
	$\gamma$ -ray vortex beams (CEBAF)	JLab	12000	0.07	3.6GeV			
<b>Polarised Beams</b>	Low momenta characterisation	Mainz U	155	150uA			Polarised electron injector	
<b>Cooling</b>	Spin physics, imaging, strong colour physics	BNL	30	3.7nC			Polarised electron injector	SRF linac & HOMs

# ERL Needs & Challenges

For THz, Compton, IR, EUV and X-Ray, NP and PP applications:

- Key performance requirements:
  - Stability areas, availability .....
- Challenges generating ERL output.
- Delivery mitigation strategies.
- Future application field priorities (demand):
  - THz
  - Compton
  - FEL
  - EUV
  - X-Ray
  - Nuclear Physics
  - Particle Physics

# THz Applications

## Performance Requirements:

- High power & high spectral range is key requirement – ideally upto 3THz.
- Broadband, short-pulse & high repetition-rate plus highly-monochromatic coherent THz are conflicting needs.
- Ideal would be to have the same ERL deliver both!
- High charge, high repetition rate, with good pulse-pulse stability is key ERL requirement.
- ELBE@HZDR delivers high-field pulses with 1nC bunches, providing 0.2THz to 5THz.

## Challenges:

- Jlab FEL generates ~1kW THz which presents beam-dynamics problems.
  - Electron beam performance impacts significantly on THz generated (bunch length, RF phase).
  - Difficult to generate consistent THz characteristics.
- THz transport over long distances, ideally should be close to ERL.

## Mitigation:

- The use of a THz cavity would generate a more consistent THz beam for users.
- For optimum THz transport, precise alignment and source-point tracking essential – Jlab use a HeNe laser alignment system.

## Demand:

- ELBE provides 6wk operation, every 6 months, factor of 3 over-subscribed!
- As storage rings move towards diffraction-limited performance, the availability of THz is expected to increase.

# FEL Applications

## Performance Requirements:

- Machine stability cited as a primary requirement – wavelength, power, beam pulse-pulse stability.
- High stability needed throughout the entire accelerator chain.

## Challenges:

- Achieving required FEL stability.

## Mitigation:

- Fast feedback systems: Laser, RF, FEL, temperature etc.

## Demand:

- ERLs can potentially achieve much higher repetition rates than a single-pass linear machine, and this is something which should be pursued at national lab level – particularly delivering hard x-rays, combined with a gamma ray Compton source.

# EUV Applications

## Performance Requirements:

- High EUV power >10kW typically needed, with >98% availability.
- High stability needed throughout the entire accelerator chain.

## Challenges:

- Achieving required FEL stability and availability.

## Mitigation:

- High levels of sub-system redundancy needed: Photo-injector, linac, cryoplant, FEL – even complete machine redundancy!
- Reduce sub-system trips, relaxing operational levels, simplifying system integration, reduce accelerator size.

## Demand:

- Industry EUV FEL accelerators driven by IC customer demands for higher transistor density.
- Next generation technology will require <13.5nm capability.
- Industry not yet fully committed to accelerator technology delivery, but this could switch very quickly if IC customer demand intensifies.



# Compton (X-ray & $\gamma$ -ray) Applications

## Performance Requirements:

- For LCS medical imaging, require 50MeV, 10mA and >100kW laser power to get  $\sim$ 40keV X-ray energy.
- Need high energy for short exposure times.
- High energy ERL needed for  $\gamma$ -ray LCS with high power LG laser.

## Challenges:

- Achieving required laser power in small footprint for both X-ray and  $\gamma$ -ray generation.

## Mitigation:

- Laser enhancement cavity, store 2-beams simultaneously with fast polarisation switch – double laser power of LCS (KEK/CBETA) – not yet demonstrated.

## Demand:

- Compact ERL footprint to fit in hospital environment (10m x 6m) for X-ray LCS.

# NP/PP Applications

## Performance Requirements:

- High performance polarised electron injector is key technology requirement for cooling and spin polarised experiments.

## Challenges:

- Achieving required peak current and operational QE.
- Precise control of beam current needed for spin polarisation measurement of exotic particles.

## Mitigation:

- Optimised diagnostics needed to effectively characterise emittance, energy spread and PC performance.

## Demand:

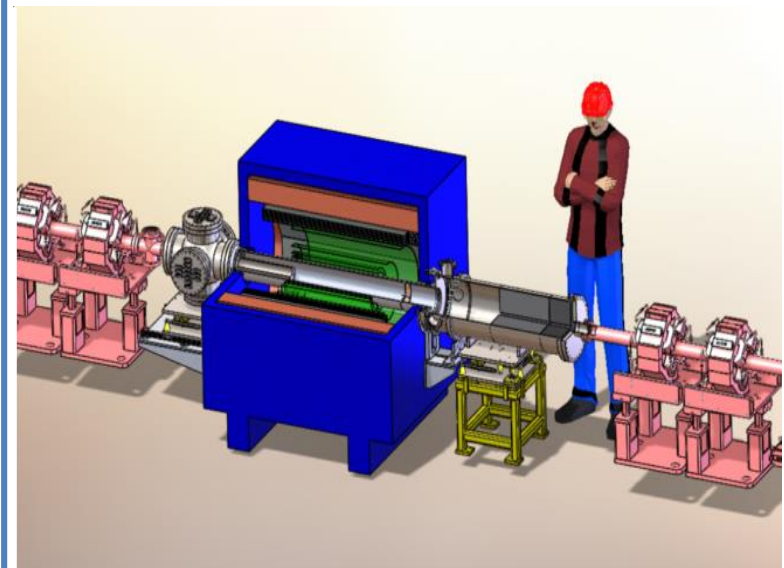
- Spin physics and imaging

# LERF - New Life for the Jefferson Lab FEL

Chris Tennant (Jlab)

- The Dark-Light Experiment – overview and the future work
- Goal of the recent experiments: run power with internal gas target.
- MIT took data with and without gas at various magnet strengths.
- Development of the machine and possible applications.

- Design of single pass ERL cooler
- Design of multi-turn CCR cooler
- Demonstration of CCR using LERF infrastructure
- **Medical isotope production**
- **Low energy target irradiation**
- **Intense positron source**



# Novosibirsk ERL based FEL as User Facility

Vitaly V. Kubarev (BINP)

Laser	Terahertz	Far-Infrared	Infrared
Status	In operation since 2003	In operation since 2009	In operation since 2015
Wavelength, $\mu\text{m}$	90 – 240	37 – 80	8 – 11 (7–30)
Relative line width (FWHM), %	0.2 – 1	0.2 – 1	0.1 – 1
Maximum average power, kW	0.5	0.5	0.1
Maximum peak power, MW	0.9	2.0	10
Pulse duration, ps	30 – 120	20 – 40	10 – 20
Pulse repetition rate, MHz	3.7 – 22.4		
Polarization	Linear, > 99.6 %		
Beams	Gaussian beams with diffraction divergence		

1. 14 different applications are developed and conducted at Novosibirsk FEL.

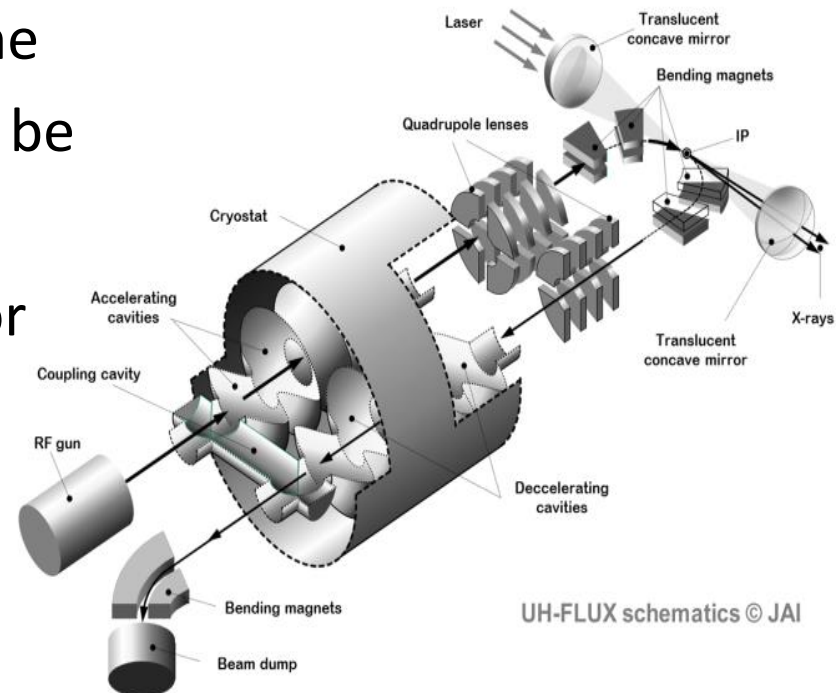
2. 26 working stations.

3. Users have access to the facilities 4-5 days a week with the stops of machine operation during the summer period.

# Asymmetric, Dual Axis Cavity for ERL: Recent R&D and applications

Ivan Konoplev (Oxford university)

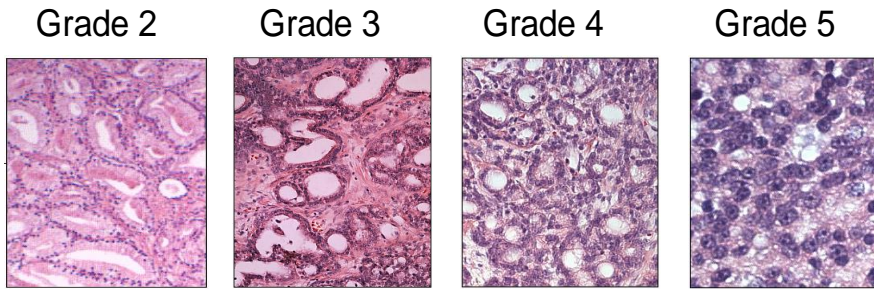
- Overview of possible applications outside research community with market values for each application.
- Presented the most recent development of the asymmetric dual axis cavity for ERL.
- 7-cell and 11-cell cavities are in the laboratory and the RF studies will be carried out during this summer.
- Goal to get 1A class ERL system for THz and EUV applications.



# Photon Science Exploitation of ALICE in Biomedical Science

Mark Surman (STFC)

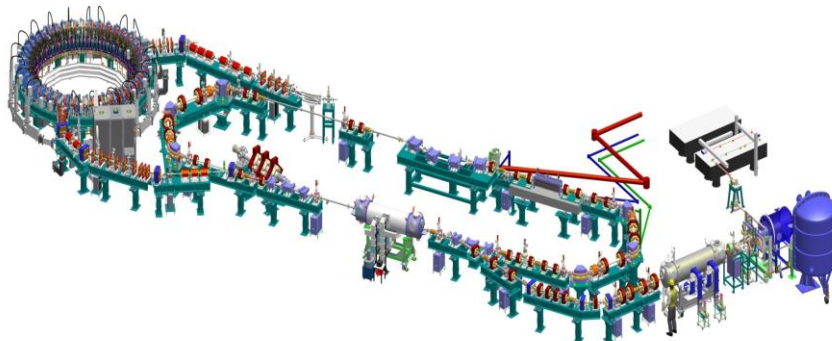
1. Development of a more effective cancer diagnostic scale.



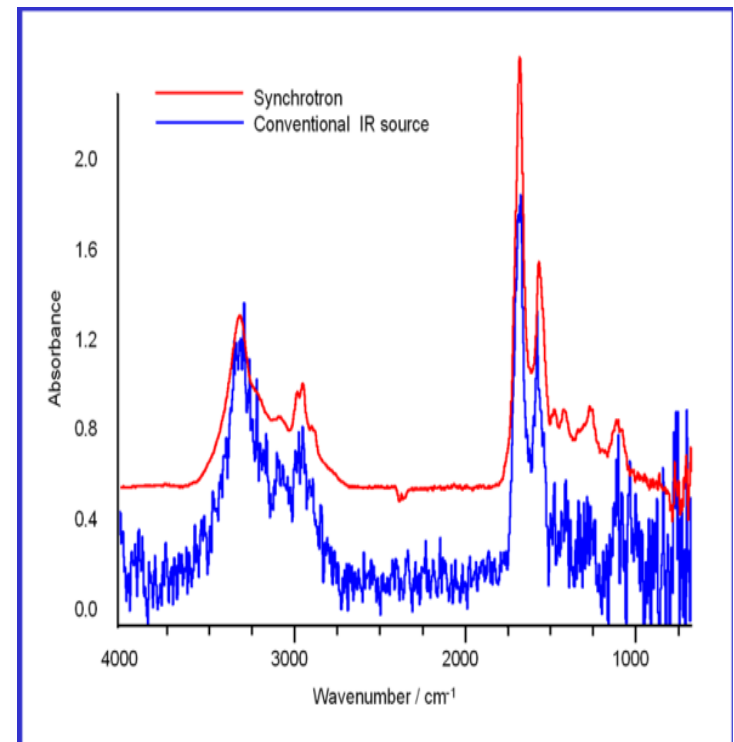
Cancer severity 

3. Improving Spatial Resolution Breaking through Diffraction Limit: sub-micron imaging.

4. ALICE: “Accelerators and Lasers in Combined Experiments” progress was discussed.



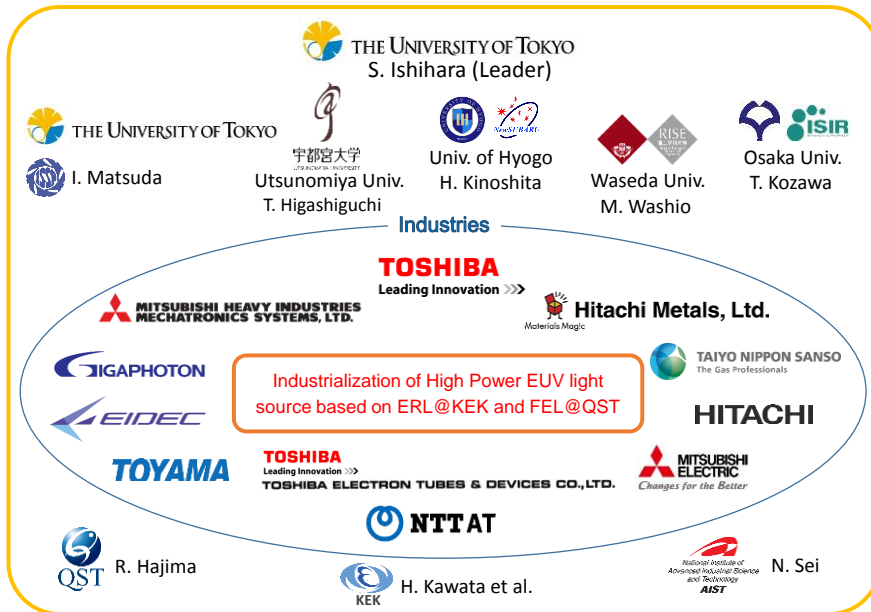
2. Advantage of electron beam driven source of radiation over conventional IR source shown.



# EUV ERLs for Semiconductor Integrated Circuit Lithography

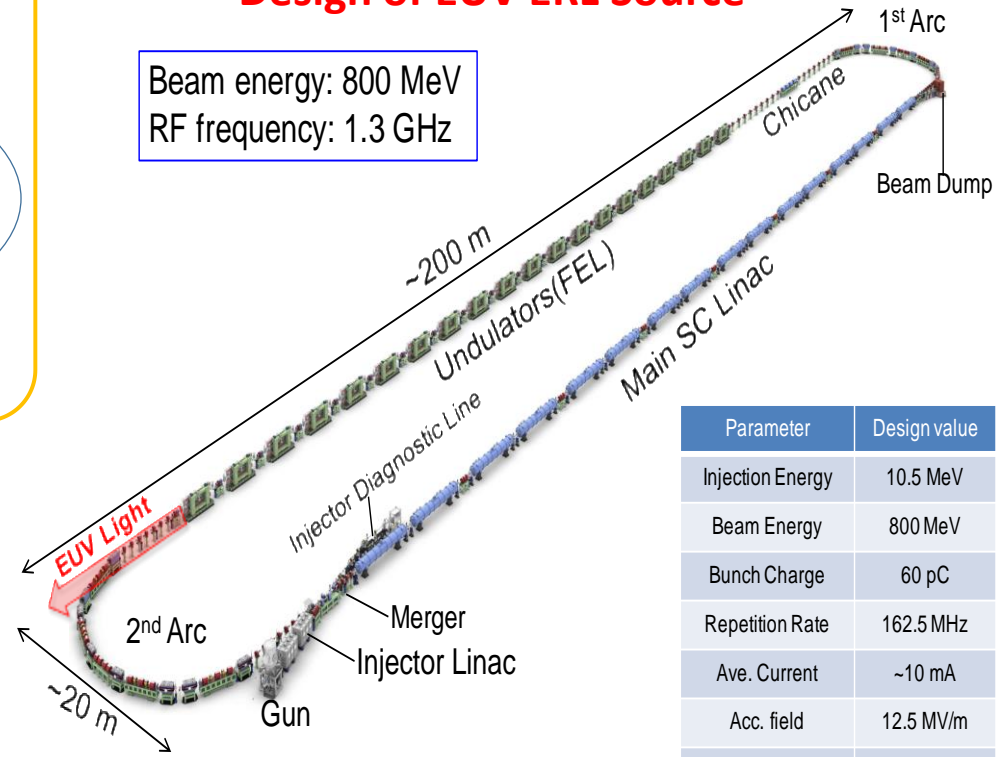
Norio Nakamura (KEK)

## Industry Study Group



## Design of EUV ERL Source

Beam energy: 800 MeV  
RF frequency: 1.3 GHz



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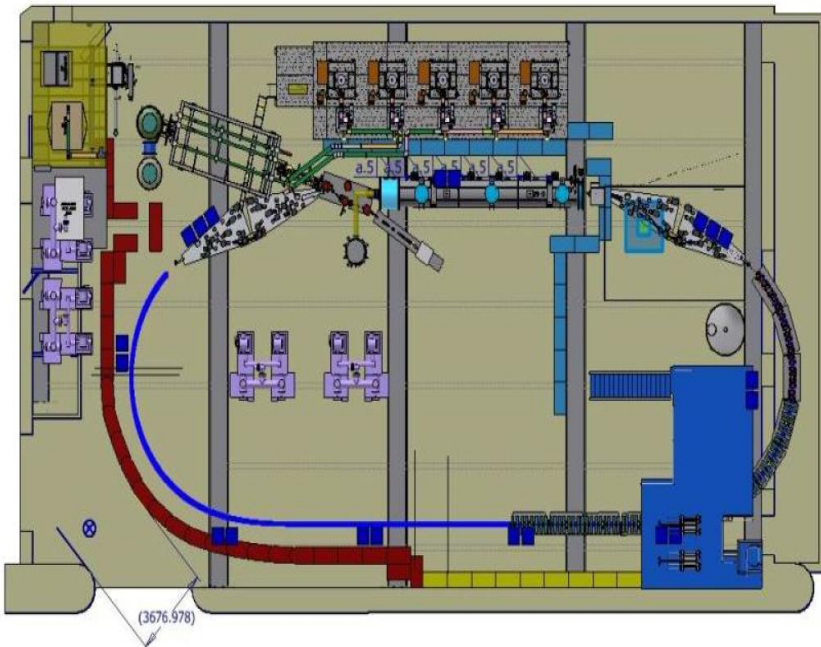
Parameter	Design value
Injection Energy	10.5 MeV
Beam Energy	800 MeV
Bunch Charge	60 pC
Repetition Rate	162.5 MHz
Ave. Current	~10 mA
Acc. field	12.5 MV/m
EUV Wavelength	13.5 nm
EUV power	> 10 kW

## Key challenge to achieve >98% availability:

- Electron gun – PC lifetime & exchange
- SRF linac – processing & trip rate
- Undulator – demagnetisation issues
- Cryoplant – high pressure operation and maintenance

# Applications for CBETA at Cornell

Georg Hoffstaetter (Cornell University)



- DarkLight – an experiment to find dark matter particles
  - Compact Compton source for hard x-rays – complementing CHESSE range
  - THz laser – complementing CHESSE range
  - Beam for time-resolved electron diffraction from 1-6MeV
  - Beam for Plasma Wakefield Acceleration with High Transformer Ratio
  - eRHIC accelerator testing – more detailed eRHIC R&D
  - eRHIC cavity testing with beam
  - ASML medical isotope cavity testing with beam
  - Generic ERL accelerator physics
  - Electron cooler tests – ERL tests for JLEIC
  - Preparations for Perle
  - Preparations for LHeC
  - High-Power beam dynamics testing
  - Permanent magnet and FFAG test bed for future accelerators
- ERLs-new beam operating regime: Linear acceleration and deceleration to capture the energy of spent beam, like a linac but without the power limit on beam current, as spent beam provides the power.
  - Loss rates have to be limited.



# Applications of the Accelerator Technologies based on cERL

Hiroshi KAWATA (KEK)

## Medical imaging – LCS

Result of March/2014

X-ray Energy 77 keV  
Exposure Time 600 sec

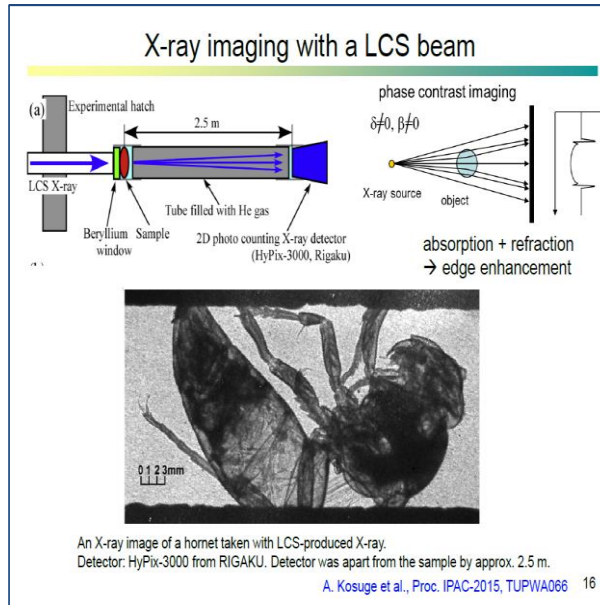
Main issues for medical application

- 1) Too long exposure time
- 2) Too low energy

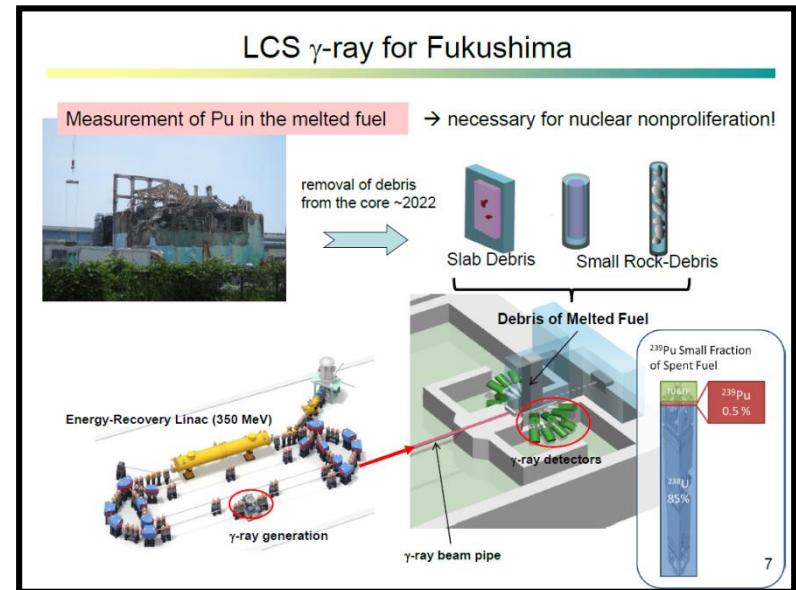
(50 MeV, 10 mA,  
>100 kW Laser Cavity)

X-ray Energy 77 keV  
Exposure Time 0.1 sec

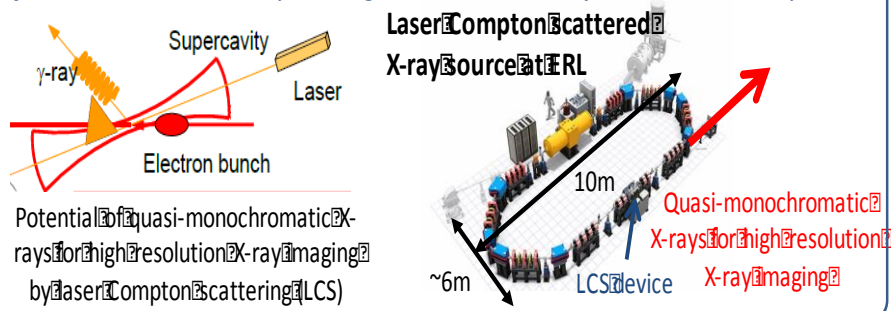
Starting point of medical application



## Nuclear security – LCS $\gamma$ -Ray

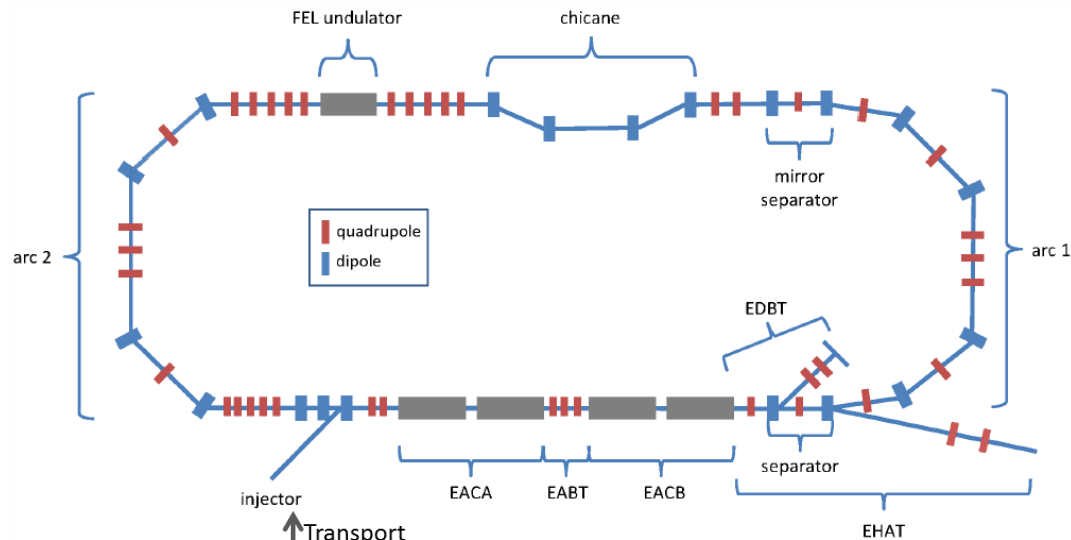


If we can make a compact high-resolution X-ray source in a hospital!

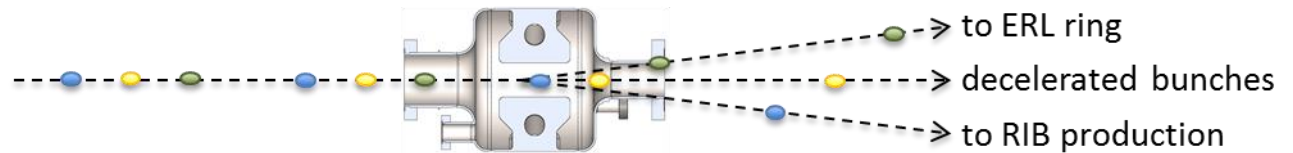
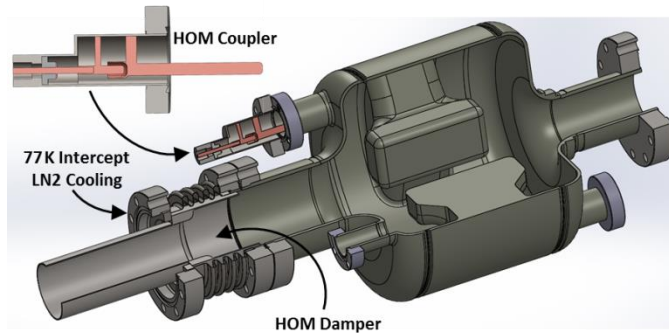
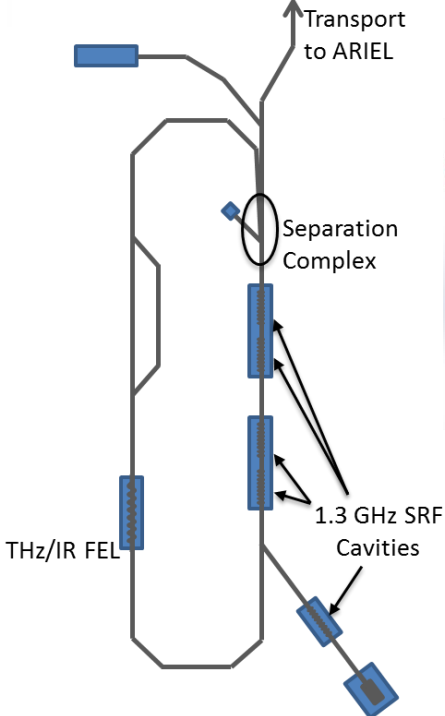


# ERL Upgrade Plans for the ARIEL e-Linac

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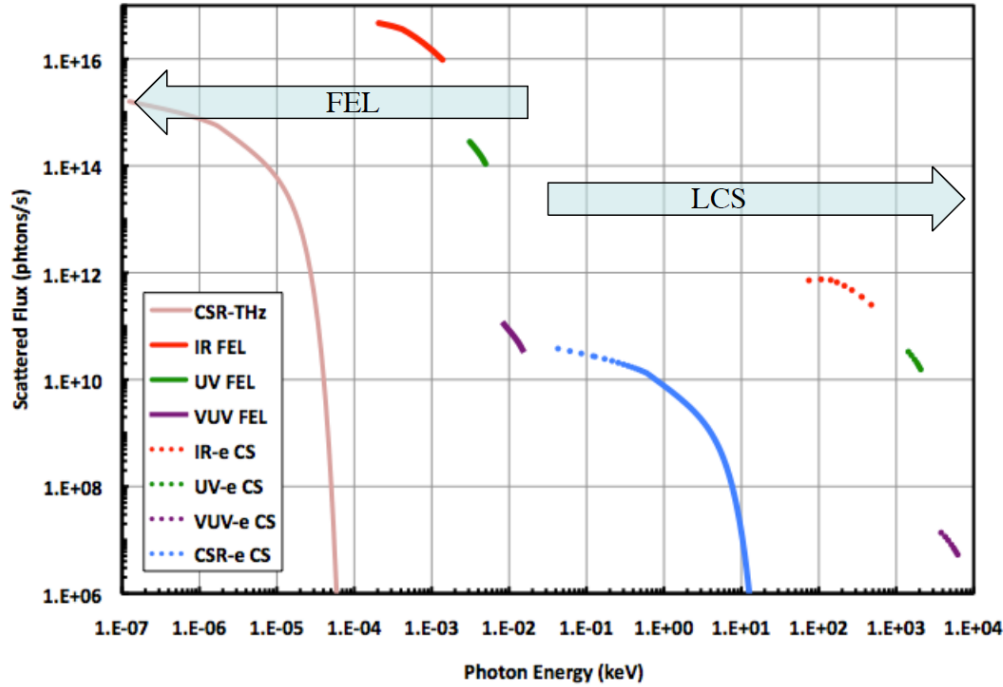


Electron Beam Parameters		
Energy	MeV	30-50
RF frequency	GHz	1.3
Average current	mA	10
Charge per bunch	pC	77
Bunch rep freq.	MHz	130
Bunch length (rms)	ps	1
Energy spread (rms)	%	0.1
Output Light Parameters		
Wavelength range	$\mu\text{m}$	1-20
Micropulse energy	$\mu\text{J}$	30
Laser power	kW	3-5

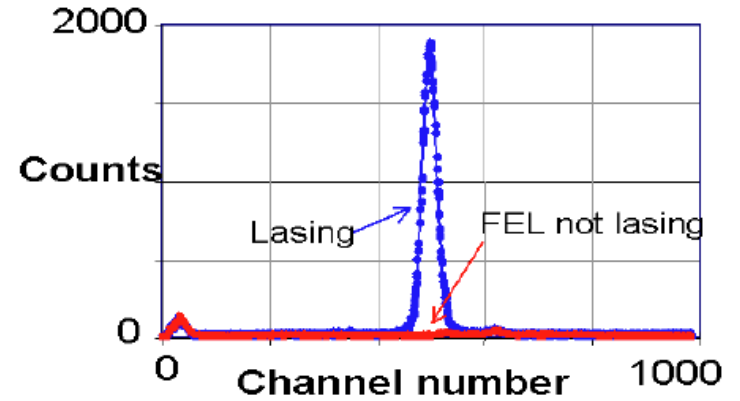


# Generation of High-flux High-energy Ultra-short Vortex Photon Beams from JLab ERL Facility

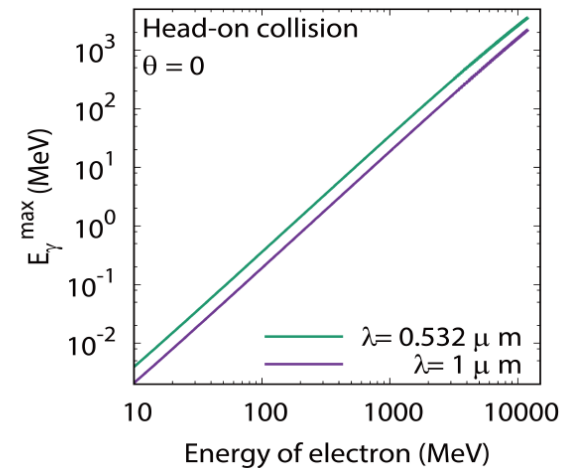
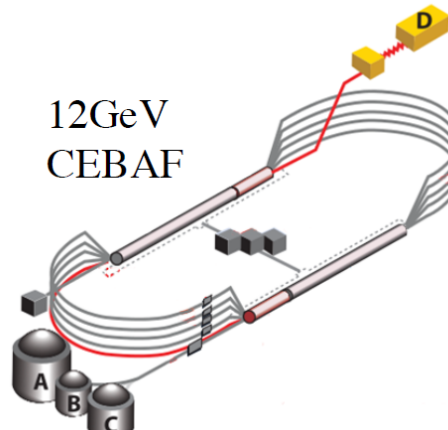
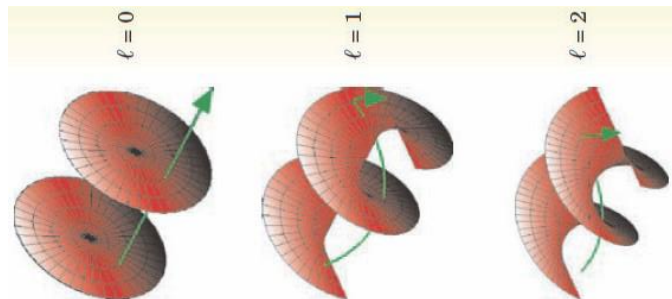
LERF FEL



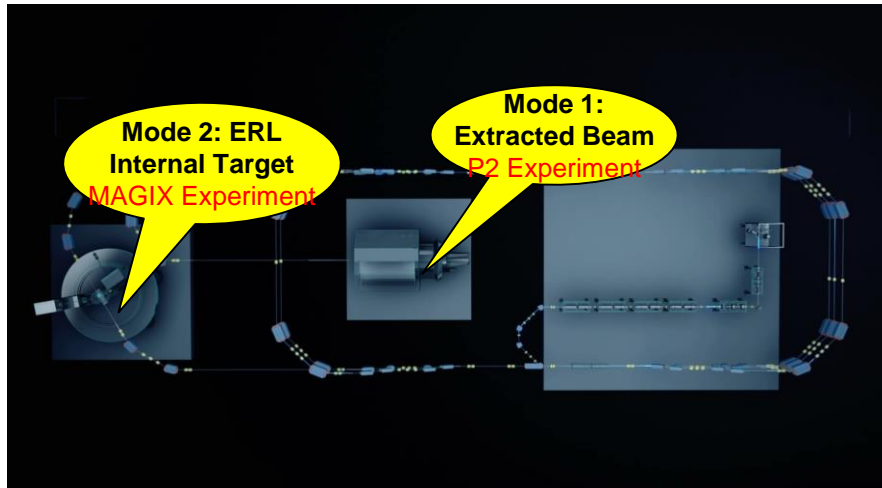
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Measured 5.12 keV X-ray Spectrum (Tunable from 3.5 to 18keV)

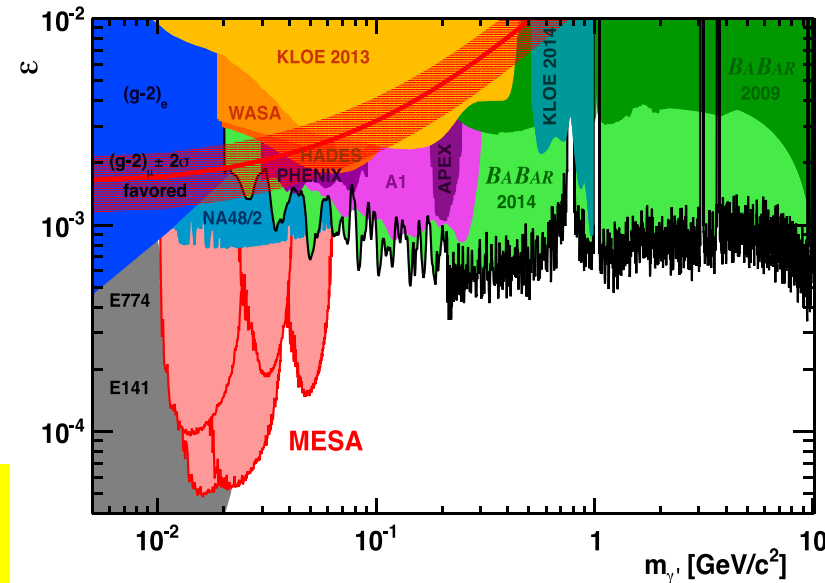


# Nuclear Physics Experiments at Mesa



Kurt Aulenbacher (Mainz U)

MESA Dark photon research



## MAGIX

Operation of a high-intensity (polarized) ERL beam in conjunction with light internal target

- a novel technique in nuclear and particle physics
- measurement of low momenta tracks with high accuracy
- competitive luminosities
- Small device if compared to GeV scale spectrometer set ups!

# **ERL developments for eRHIC**

Vladimir Litvenenko (Stony Brook U)

# Speaker input still needed!

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