

# LCLS-II: A High Repetition Rate X-ray Laser Facility

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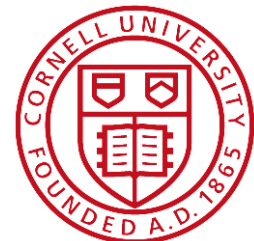
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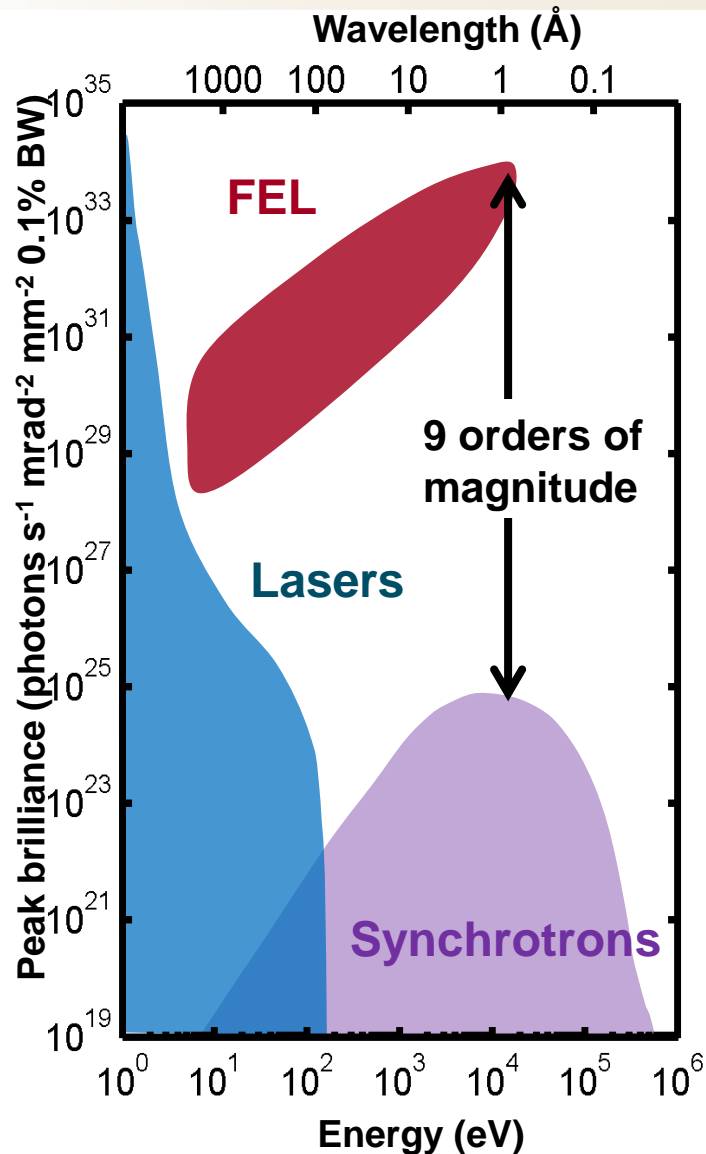
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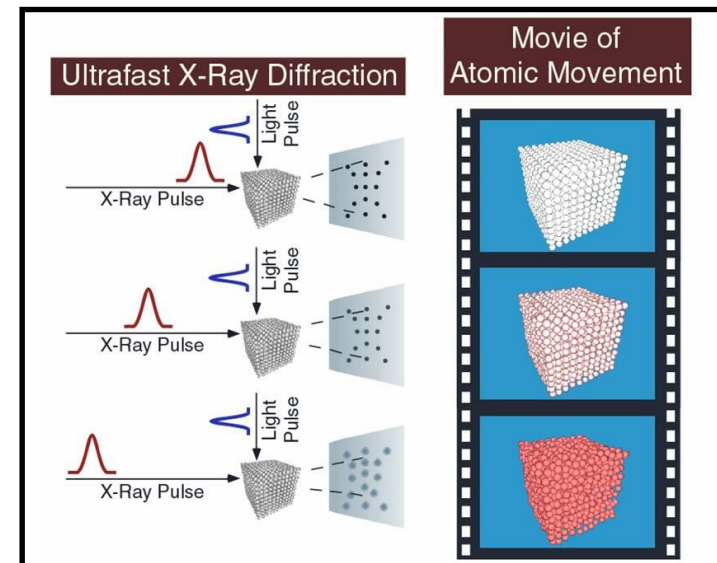


# X-ray FELs promise revolutionary capabilities



Exploiting the 9 orders of magnitude increase in x-ray peak brilliance

- Pulse energy
- Pulse length
- Pulse coherence
- Spectral brightness

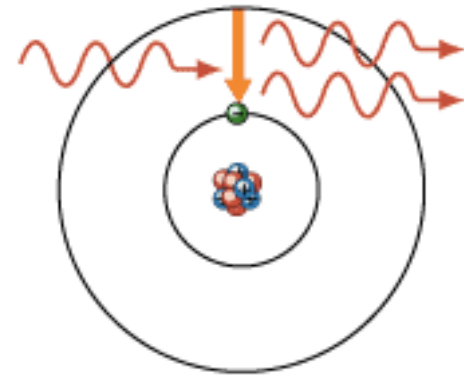


# ~~X-ray Free Electron Laser~~

Lot's of \$\$\$\$\$\$



Not like this:



stimulated emission

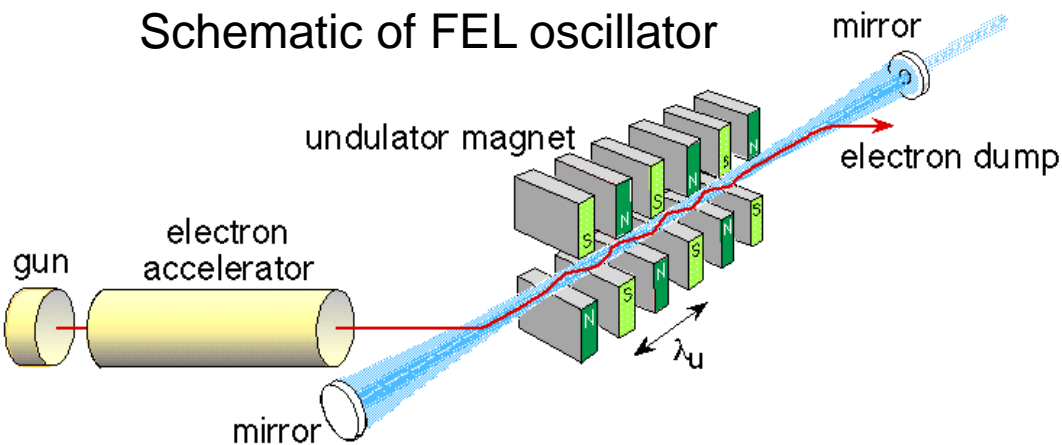


# Free electron laser (FEL) primer

3 main elements: **e- gun**, **accelerator**, & **undulator**

Two primary configurations:

**low gain oscillator** using mirrors or **high gain single pass amplifier**



LCLS Undulator  
33 segments (132 m)  
6  $\mu\text{m}$  alignment

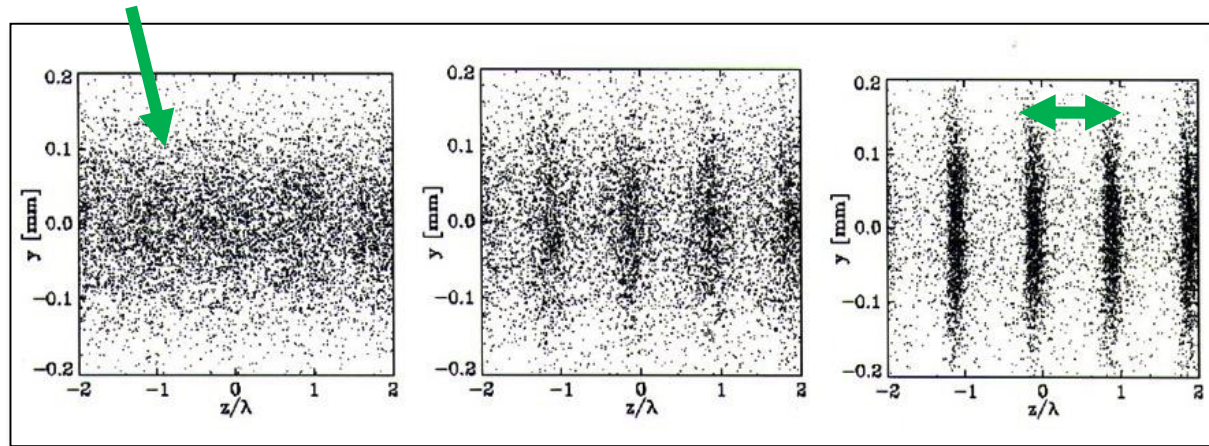
FEL physics is relatively simple: transverse motion in undulator allows electrons to couple to light; light causes beam to bunch and radiate as  $N^2$  rather than  $N$ .

# Getting the electrons to emit in phase

- ❑ X-rays push electrons into bunches, which then radiate coherently
- ❑ Self Amplified Spontaneous Emission (SASE)

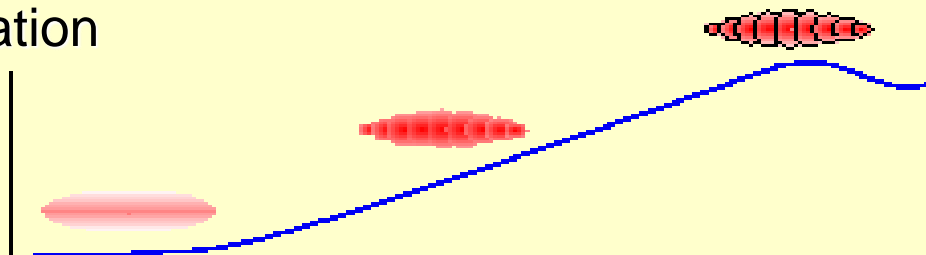
Electrons initially distributed randomly

Electrons are bunched at the special X-ray wavelength



Computer simulation of electrons

log (radiation power)

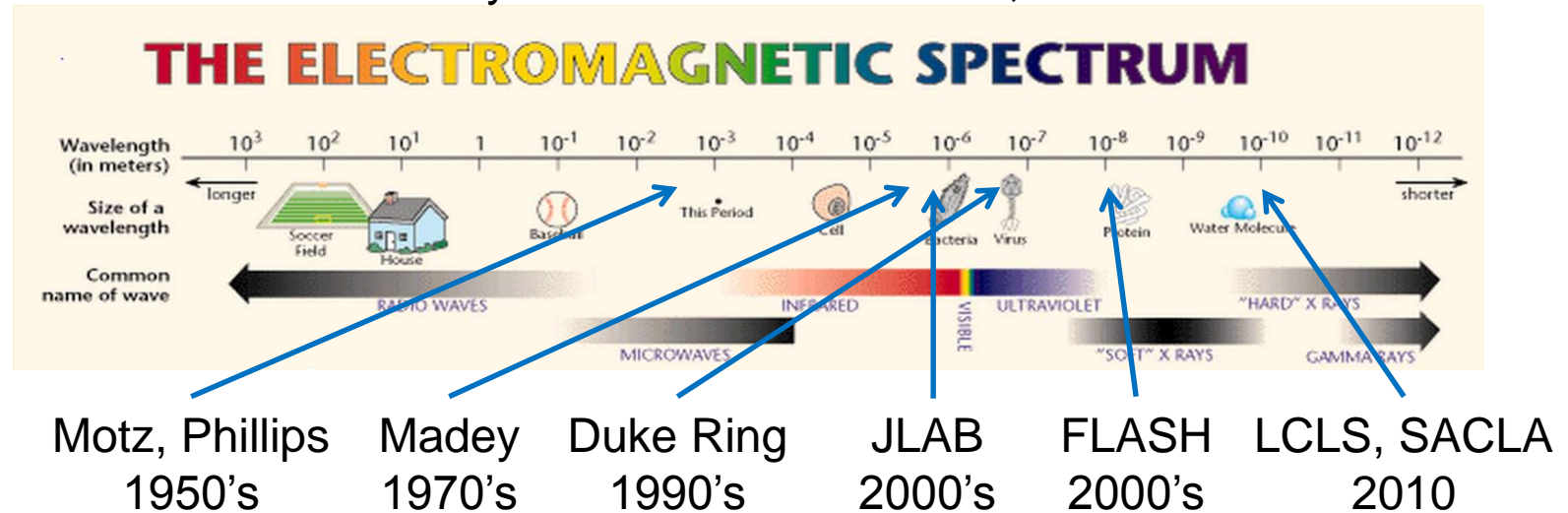


distance

SASE\* FEL  
starts up from  
noise

# Operating Free Electron Lasers

FEL History – Modified from Colson, 2006



Over 50 FEL's operating around the world ranging from mm-wavelength to sub-Angstrom.

- JLAB generated 14 kW in IR in oscillator configuration
- LCLS generated 6 mJ in single pulse at a few keV
- SACLA has lased at sub-Angstrom wavelengths



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- A high energy, high brightness electron accelerator is a main ingredient to create an x-ray FEL



# LCLS Concept:

## Fourth Generation Workshop, 25 Years Ago

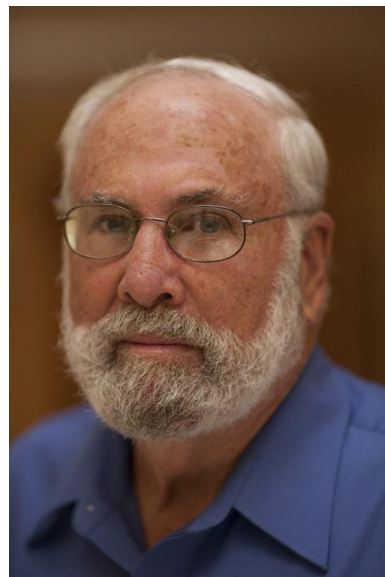
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C. Pellegrini, A 4 to 0.1 nm FEL Based on the SLAC Linac,  
Workshop on Fourth Generation Light Sources, February,  
1992

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Herman Winick



### Herman Winick's Study Group

#### SHORT WAVELENGTH FELs at SLAC - STUDY GROUP

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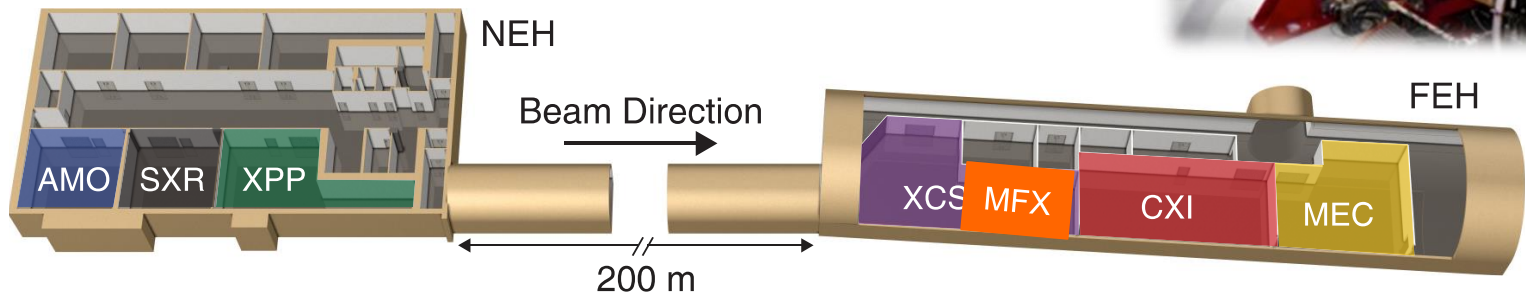
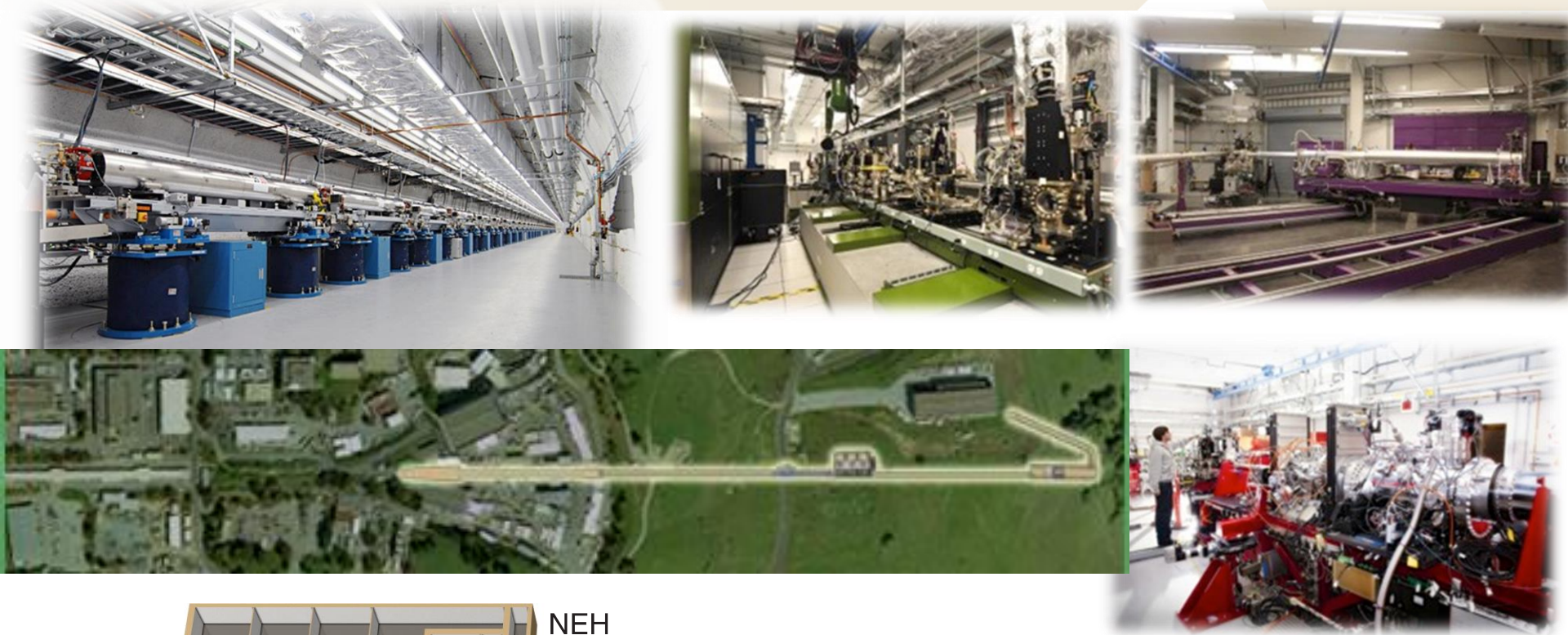
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# ... and 17 years later LCLS was realized and started user operations (2009)

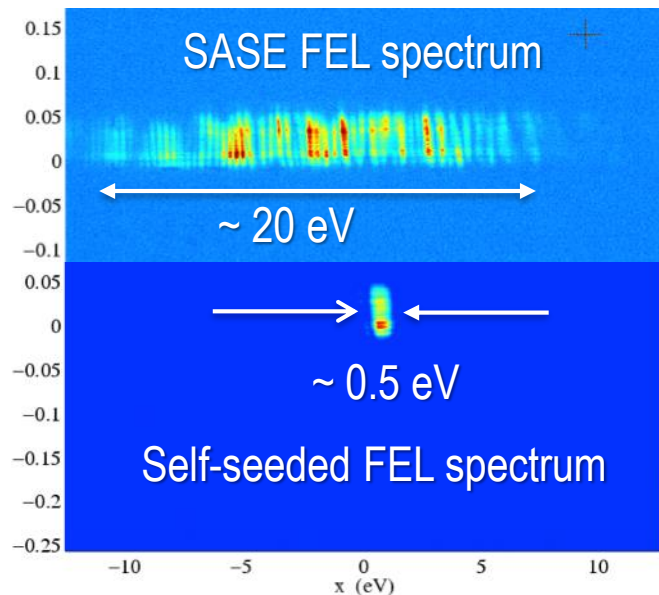
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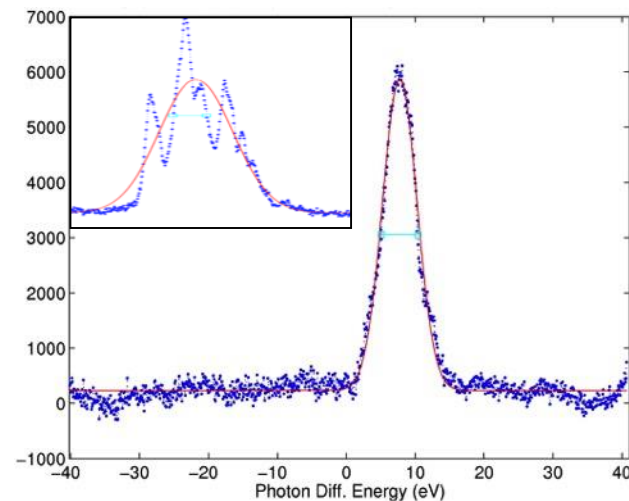
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| ■ AMO: Atomic, Molecular and Optical | [0.22 ; 2.0] | ■ XCS: X-ray Correlation Spectroscopy | [4.0 ; 24.0] |
| ■ SXR: Soft X-ray Research           | [0.22 ; 2.0] | ■ CXI: Coherent X-ray Imaging         | [5.0 ; 11.0] |
| ■ XPP: X-ray Pump Probe              | [4.0 ; 24.0] | ■ MEC: Matter in Extreme Conditions   | [4.0 ; 24.0] |

# LCLS performance parameters

	Current performance
Photon energy range	280 to 12,800 eV
FEL pulse length	< 5 – 500 fs
FEL pulse energy	~ 4 mJ ( $2.5 \times 10^{12}$ @ 10 keV)
FEL coherence	SASE, Seeding (hard x-ray)
Repetition Rate	120 Hz



Hard X-ray self-seeding



Near transform limited  
soft x-ray pulses



# Rapid International Growth of x-ray FELs

Location	Name	Linac type	$E$ energy (GeV)	Photon energy (keV)	Rep. rate (Hz)	Start ops.
Germany	FLASH	SC	1.2	0.03–0.3	$(1 - 500) \times 10^a$	2005
	FLASH-II	SC				2015
	XFEL	SC	17.5	3–25 0.2–3	$(1 - 2800) \times 10^b$	2017
Italy	FERMI-FEL1	NC	1.5	0.01–0.06	10–50	2012
	FERMI-FEL2			0.06–0.3		2014
Japan	SACLA	NC	8	4–15	30–60	2011
Korea	PAL-XFEL	NC	10	1–20	60	2016
			3	0.3–1		
Switzerland	SwissFEL	NC	5.8	2–12	100	2017
			3	0.2–2		
USA	LCLS	NC	16	0.25–11	120	2009
	LCLS-II	NC	16	1–25	120	2020
	LCLS-II	SC	4	0.2–5	$10^6$	2020

<sup>a</sup>Pulsed mode operation at 10 Hz, with each macropulse providing up to 500 bunches.

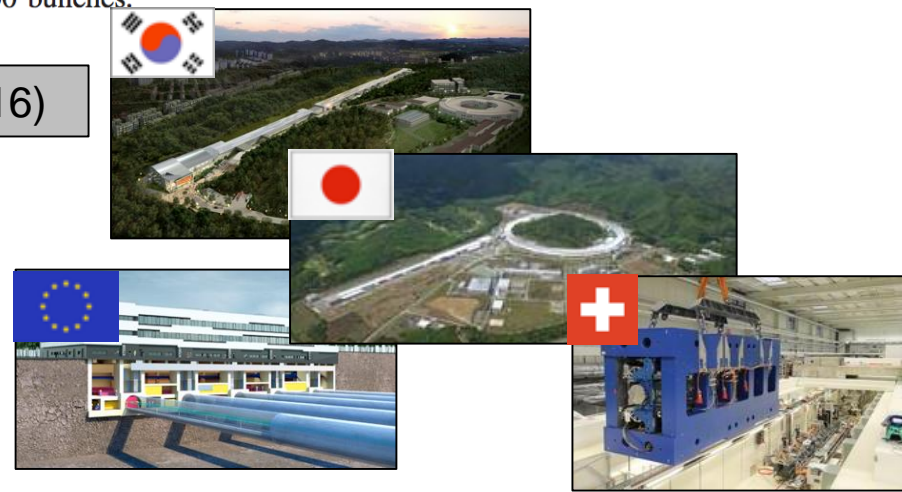
<sup>b</sup>Pulsed mode operation at 10 Hz, with each macropulse providing up to 2800 bunches.

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VUV: below 0.2 keV

Soft X-ray: 0.2–2.0 keV

Hard X-ray: 4–25 keV



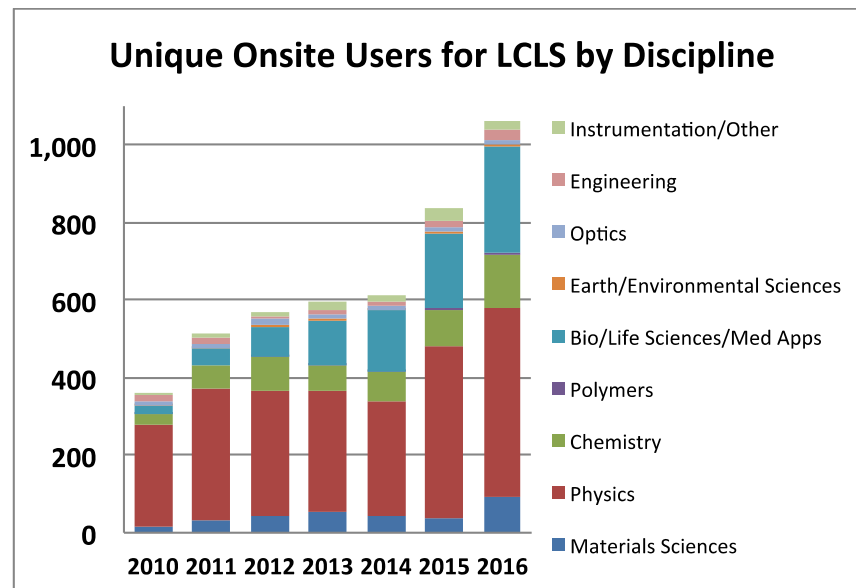
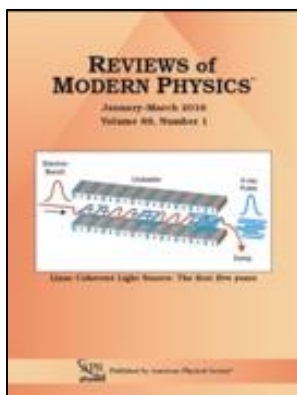


# The Early Years of LCLS have Exceeded Expectations

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	Total Publications	High Impact
<2010	91	16
2011	64	11
2012	125	38
2013	117	31
2014	134	37
2015	178	33
2016	174	25

**883 papers,**  
**with 191 in high impact journals to date**  
*(~450 experiments performed to date)*

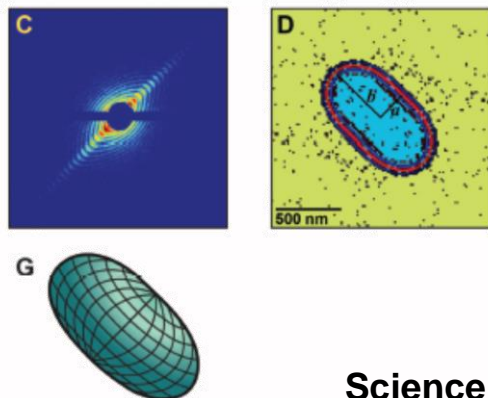


“Linac Coherent Light Source: The first five years”  
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# A broad range of science results: from novel techniques, to fundamental discovery, to precision studies

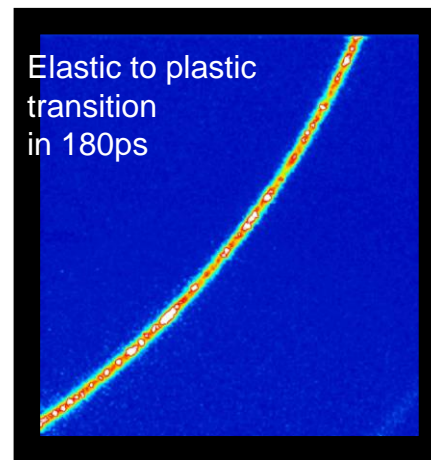
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## First direct evidence of superfluidity in nanometer sized quantum systems



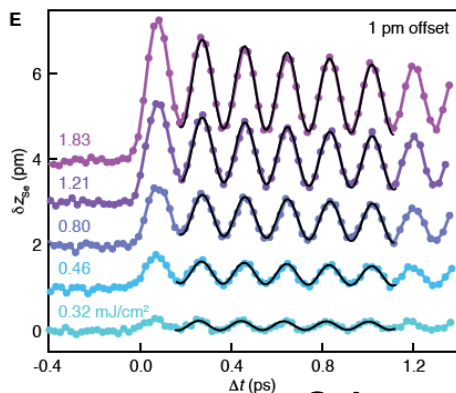
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## Imaging materials under extreme stress



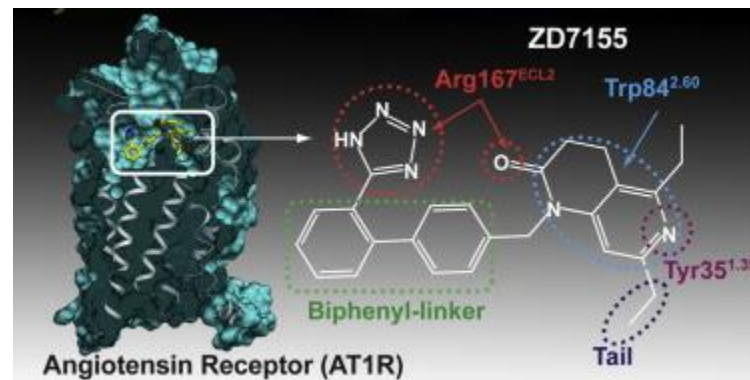
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## Direct quantification of electron phonon coupling strength in a superconductor



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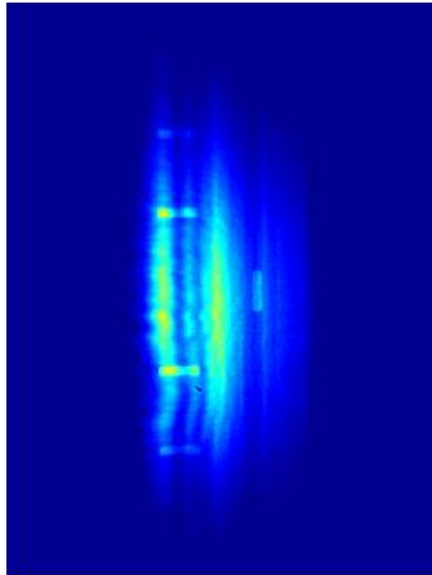
## High resolution structure of blood-pressure regulating compound



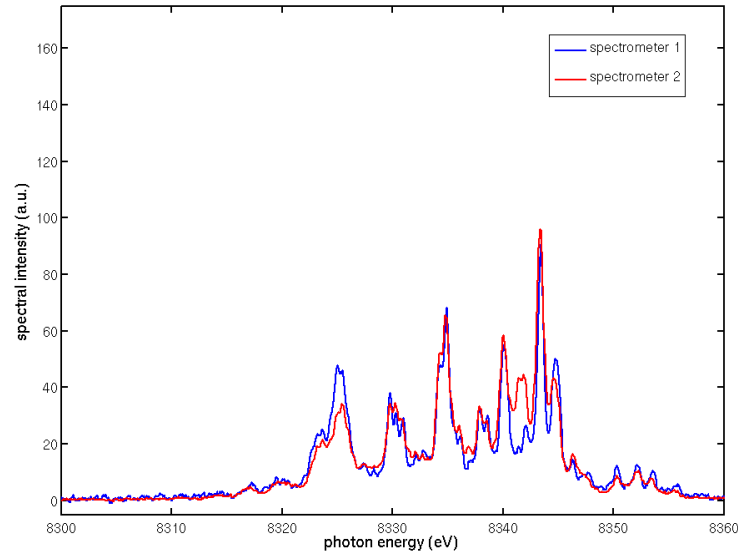
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# Limitations with SASE and pulsed accelerator

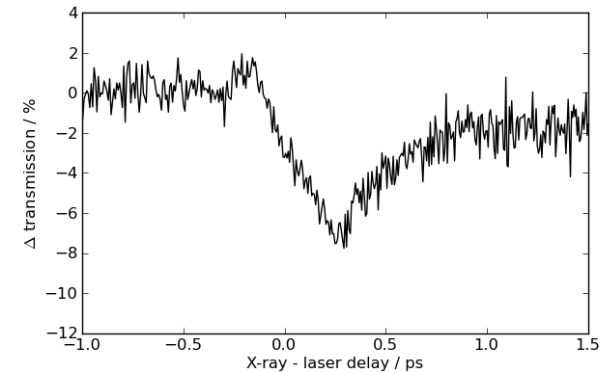
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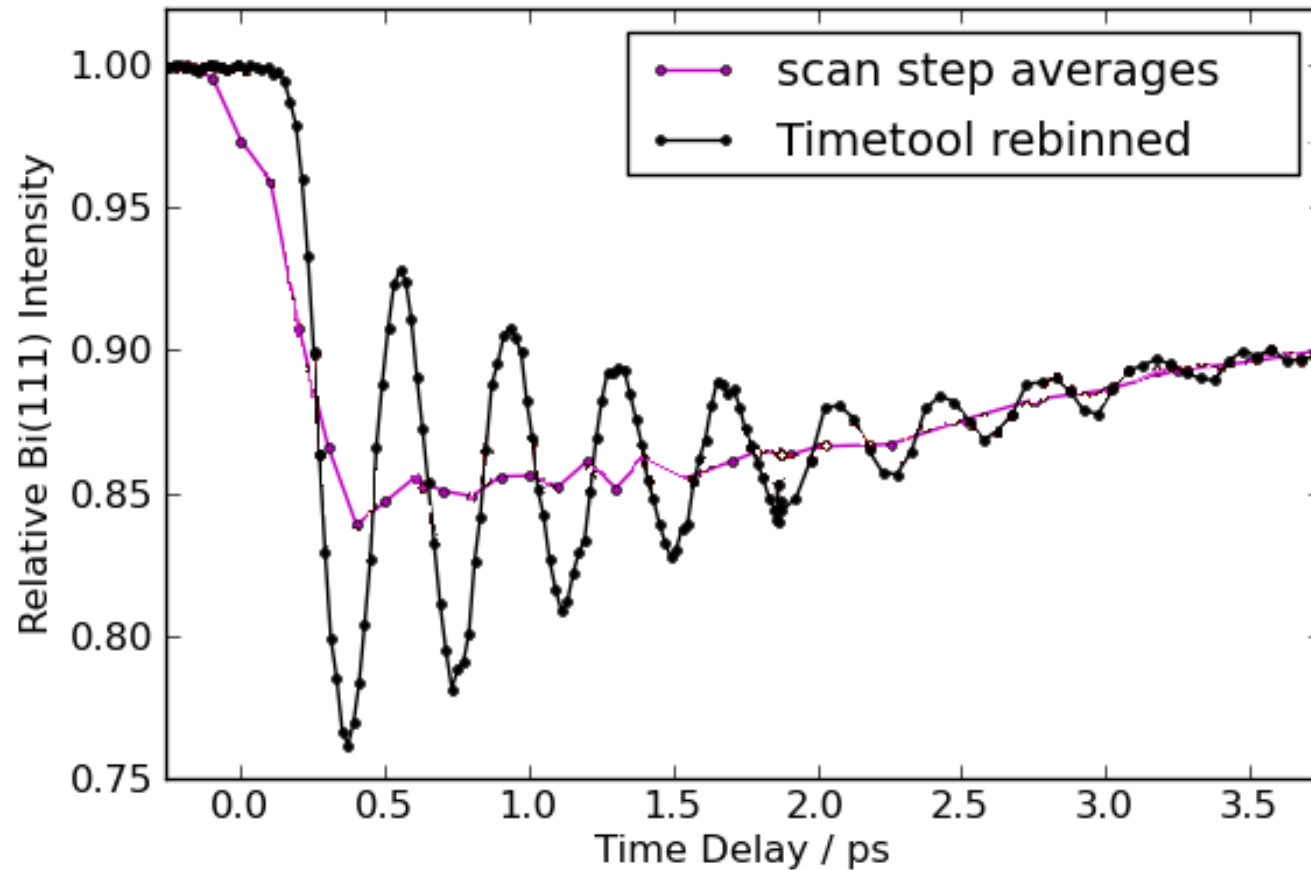


Temporal



- Currently, every pulse is sufficiently different that it must be diagnosed individually
- These fluctuations can be a limiting factor for many experiments
- Significant improvements would be realized with a “CW” machine

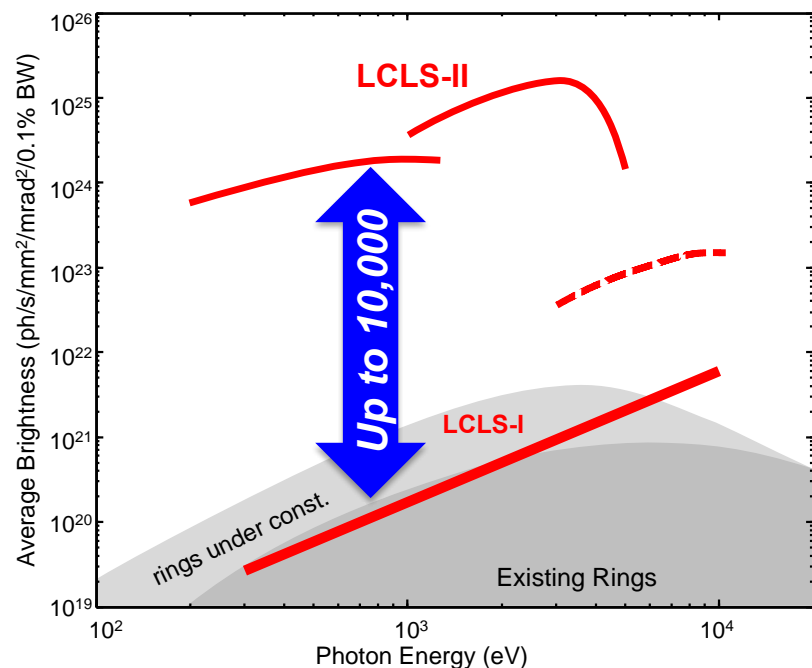
# Some fluctuations can be corrected but



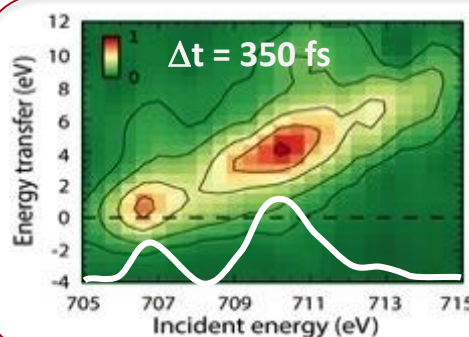
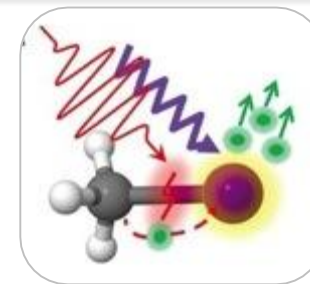


# What else does a MHz repetition rate do for us?

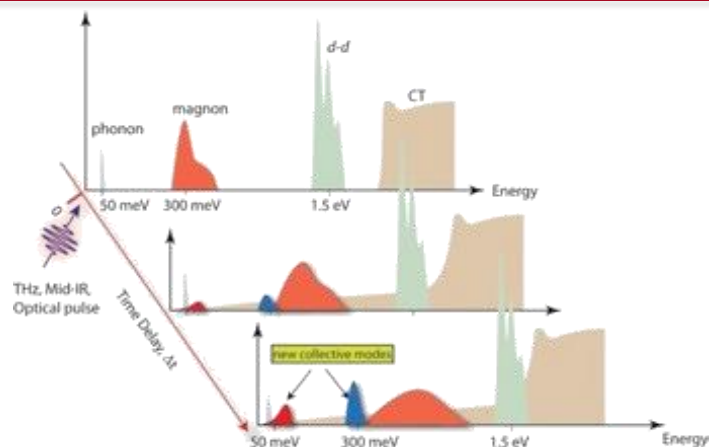
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Entanglement and correlation dynamics in isolated molecules



Local chemical structure and bonding: Element specific maps of frontier molecular orbitals and their evolution

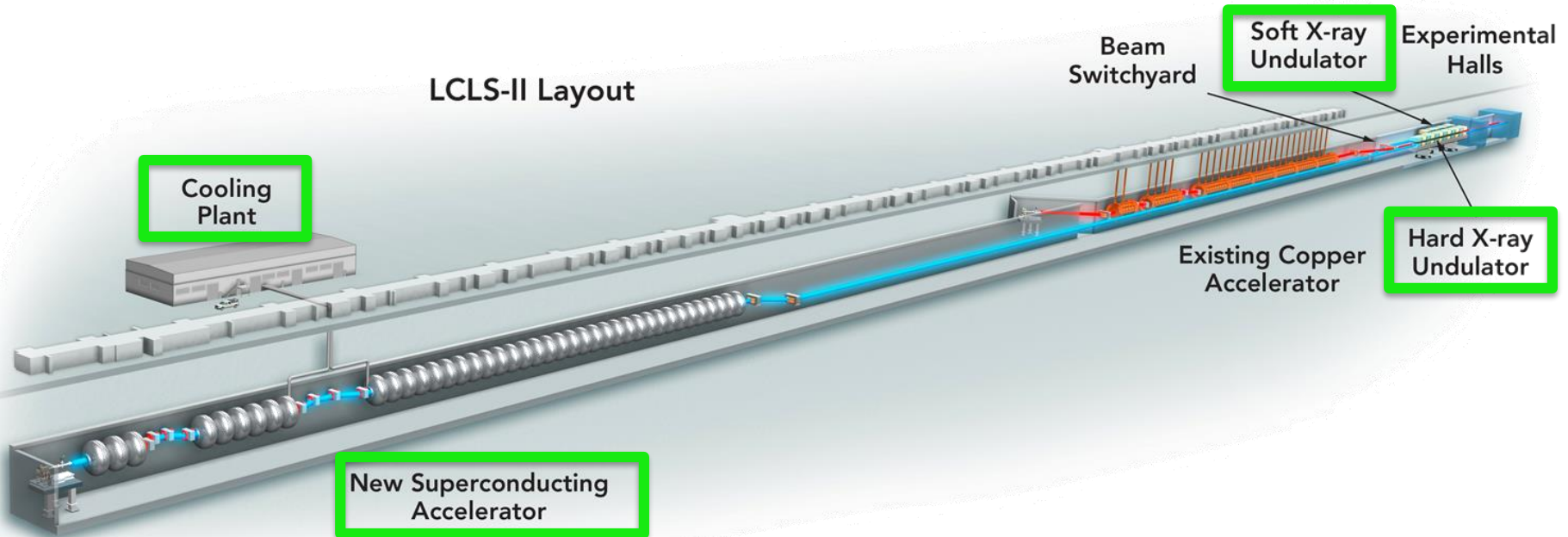


Understand and control emergent phenomena in quantum systems with interacting degrees of freedom

# Linac Coherent Light Source II (LCLS-II)

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LCLS-II Layout



	Now	HXU - Cu	SXU - Cu	HXU - SC	SXU - SC
Photon Energy Range (keV)	0.25 - 12.8	1 - 25	0.25 - 6	1 - 5	0.25 - 1.6
Repetition Rate (Hz)	120	120	120	929,000	929,000
Per Pulse Energy (mJ)	~ 4	~ 4	~ 8	~ 0.2	~ 1
Photons/Second	~ $10^{14}$	~ $10^{14}$	~ $10^{14}$	~ $10^{16}$	~ $10^{17}$

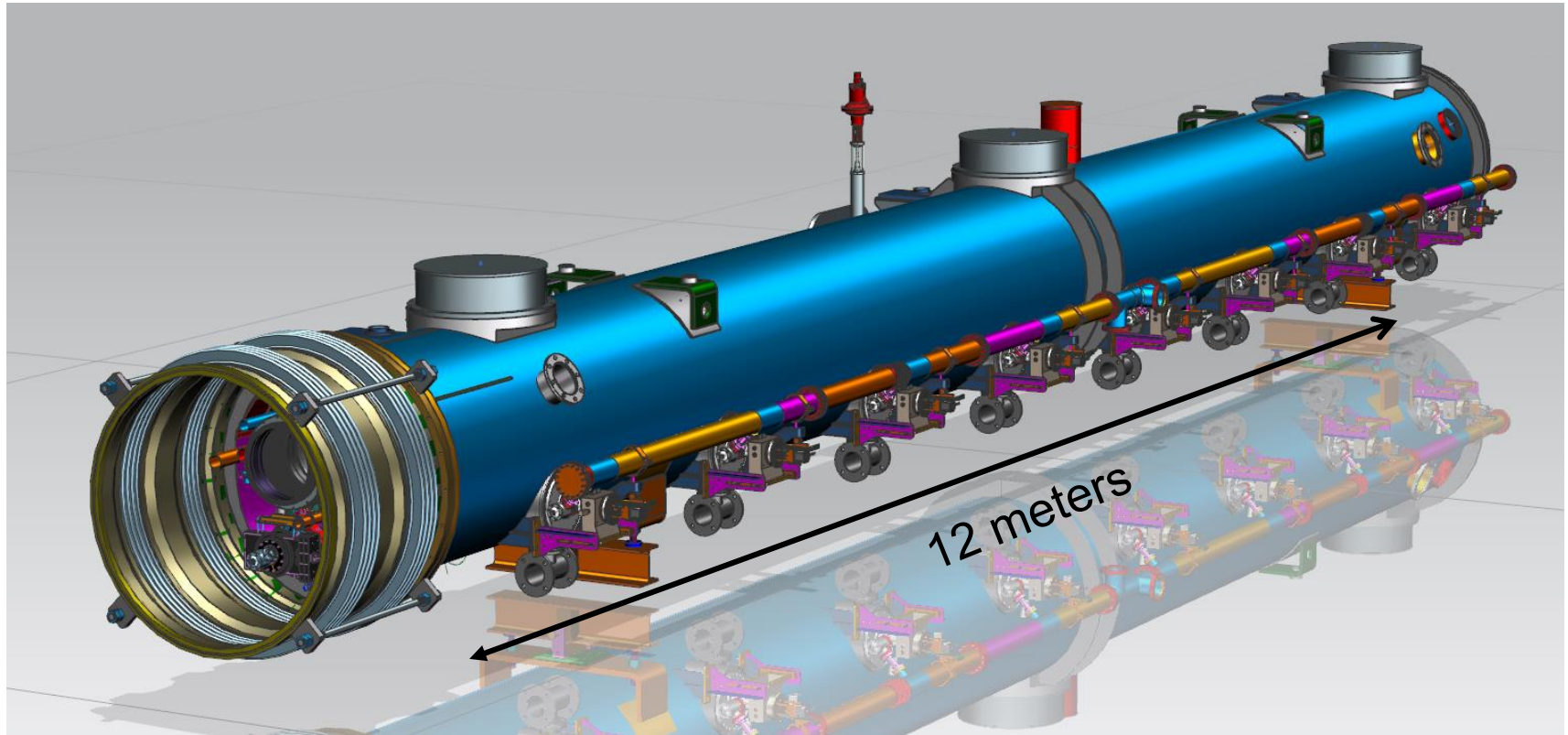
# LCLS Electron Accelerator Comparison

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	LCLS-I	LCLS-II
Accelerator technology	Normal conducting or “warm” 	Superconducting or “cold” 
RF frequency	2.8 GHz	1.3 GHz
Ave. RF gradient	~ 25 MV / m	~ 16 MV / m
Electron energy	15 GeV	4 GeV
Cavity Q	~ $10^4$	~ $10^{10}$
RF “pulse” duration	~ 1 $\mu$ s	CW
Bunch repetition rate	120 Hz	930,000 Hz

# LCLS-II cryomodule

1.3 GHz, designed for CW operation



- Modification of EuXFEL design
- CM being fabricated at Fermilab and JLab



# Nitrogen Doping for CW linac performance: LCLS-II will be first facility to exploit this phenomenon

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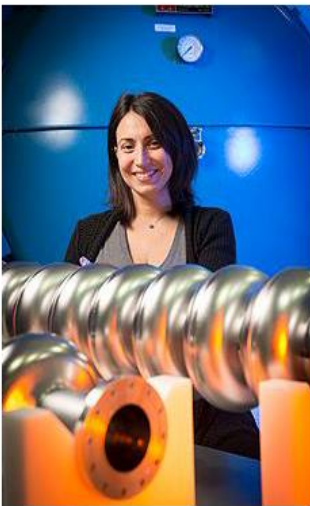
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Feature

Anna Grassellino receives \$2.5 million DOE award for research on SRF cavities



A. Grassellino, et al.,  
“New insights on the physics of  
RF surface resistance”,  
TU10A03  
2013 SRF Conference  
Paris, France

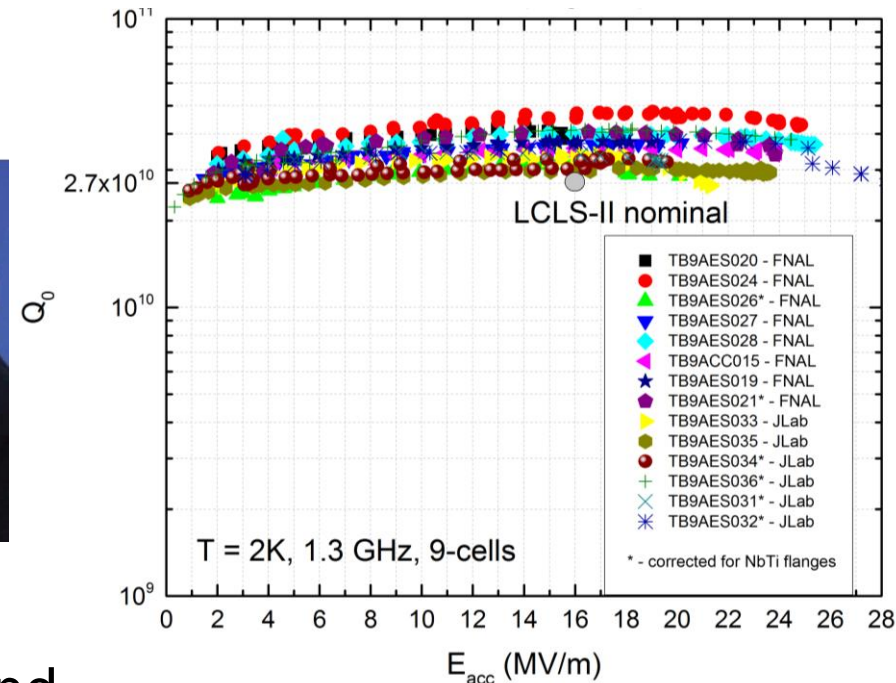
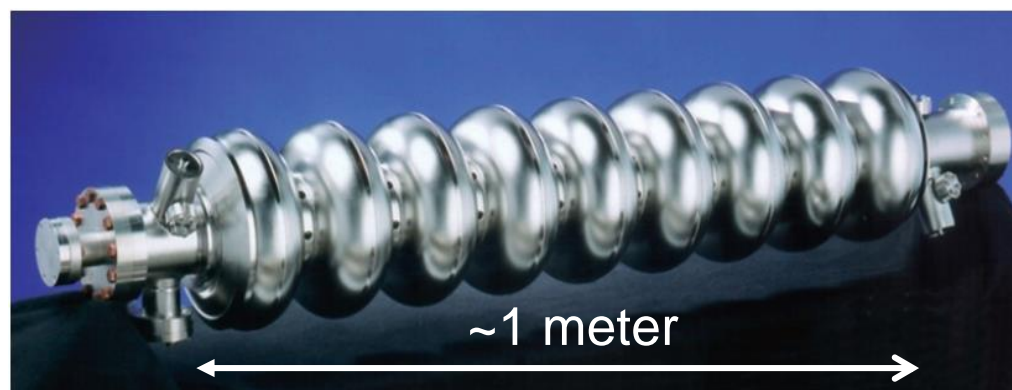
- For a pulsed linac (ILC, XFEL) heat load comes mostly from outside the module
- For a CW linac, heat load is from BCS resistance @ 2K + surface resistance
- For a given acceleration gradient: Power dissipation  $\sim V^2 / (Q_0 R_g)$  cavity geometry
- $Q_0$  depends on BCS and residual resistivities
- **Nitrogen doping reduces BCS resistance at moderate gradient, increasing  $Q_0$  2X-4X**
- Enables lower power bill at a given gradient Or a higher gradient at a given power level
- LCLS-II has planned for sufficient refrigeration to handle the “new technology” risk: 8 kW at 2K

# Superconducting RF cavities

Eight 1-m 1.3 GHz cavities within each CM for 280 cavities total

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- Backbone of the LCLS-II accelerator are the 9-cell 1.3 GHz superconducting rf cavities



- Technology developed in Europe and transferred around world. Hundreds have been fabricated in US, Japan, Europe.

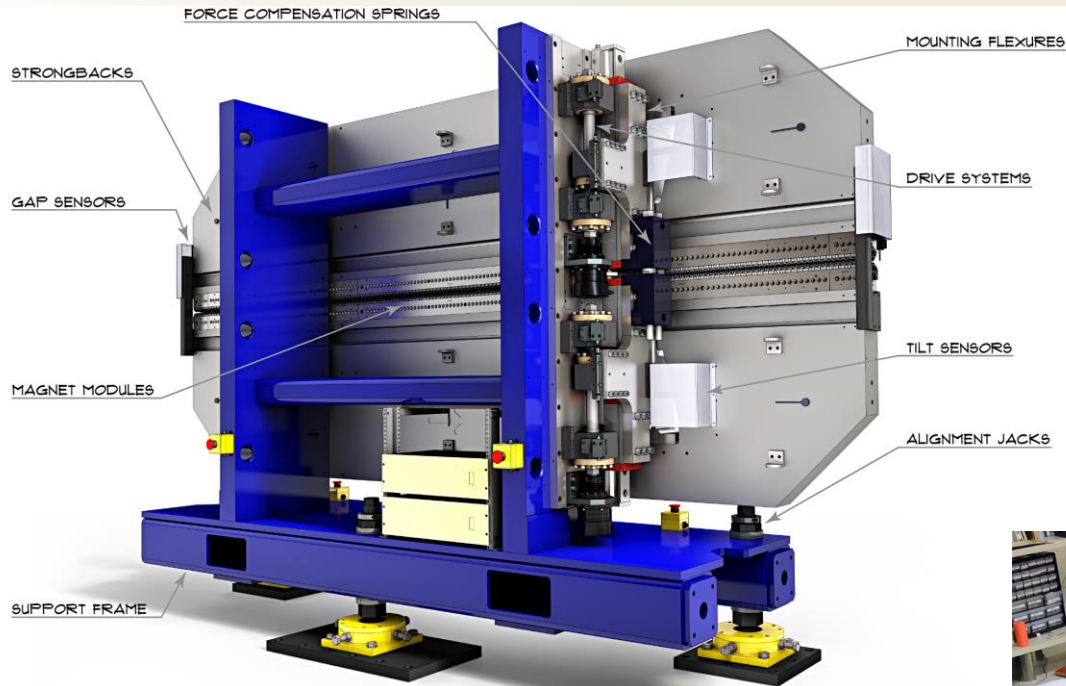
$$\langle Q \rangle = 3.0e10$$

$$\langle E_{max} \rangle = 22.2 \text{ MV/m}$$

# Variable gap hybrid undulators

Ongoing development at LBNL and ANL

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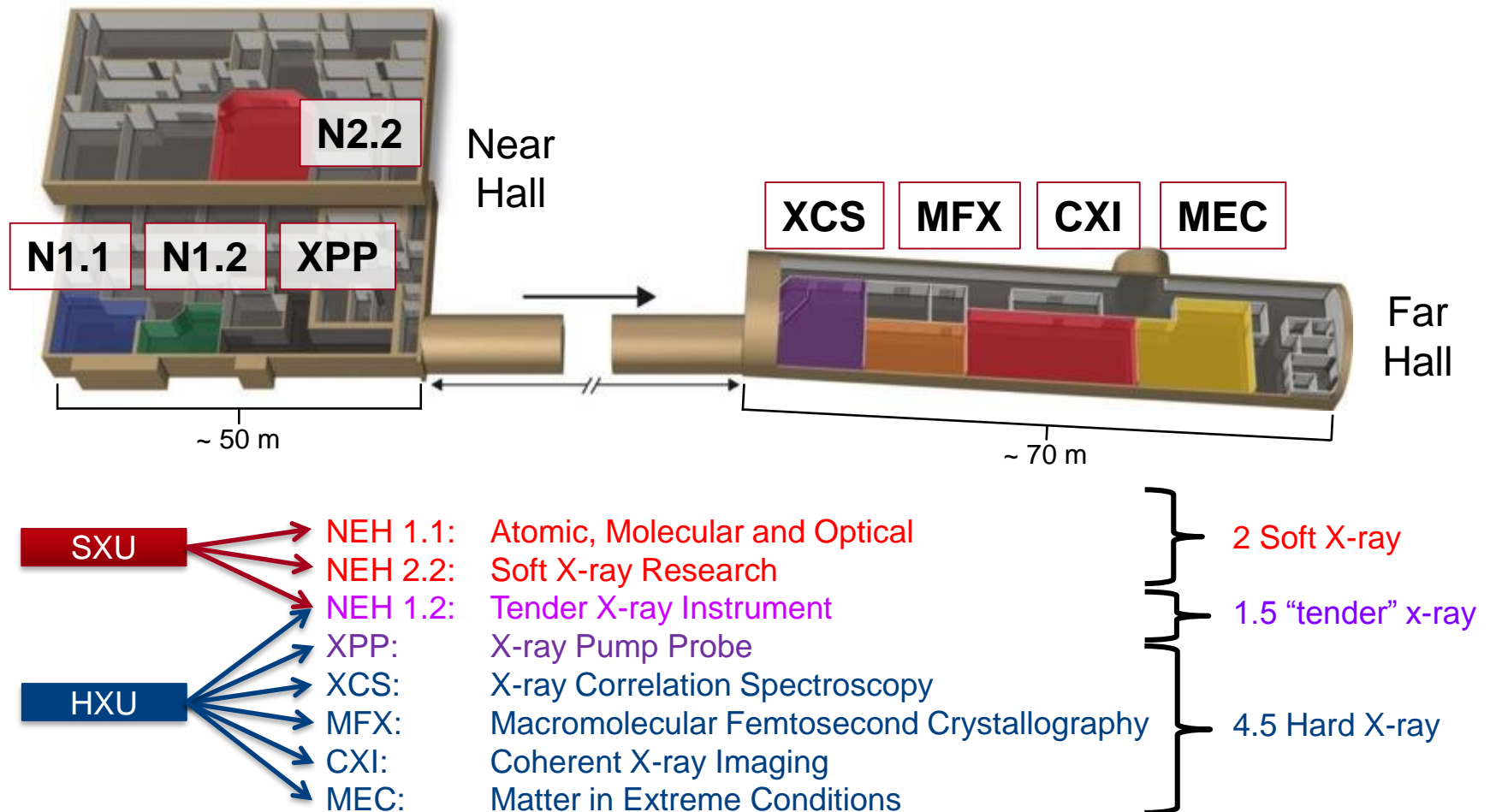
Variable gap undulators used in LCLS-II to provide greater wavelength tuning flexibility

- Vertical gap horizontally polarized undulator for soft x-ray branch
- Horizontal gap vertically polarized undulator for hard x-ray branch



# X-ray instrument plans for LCLS-II

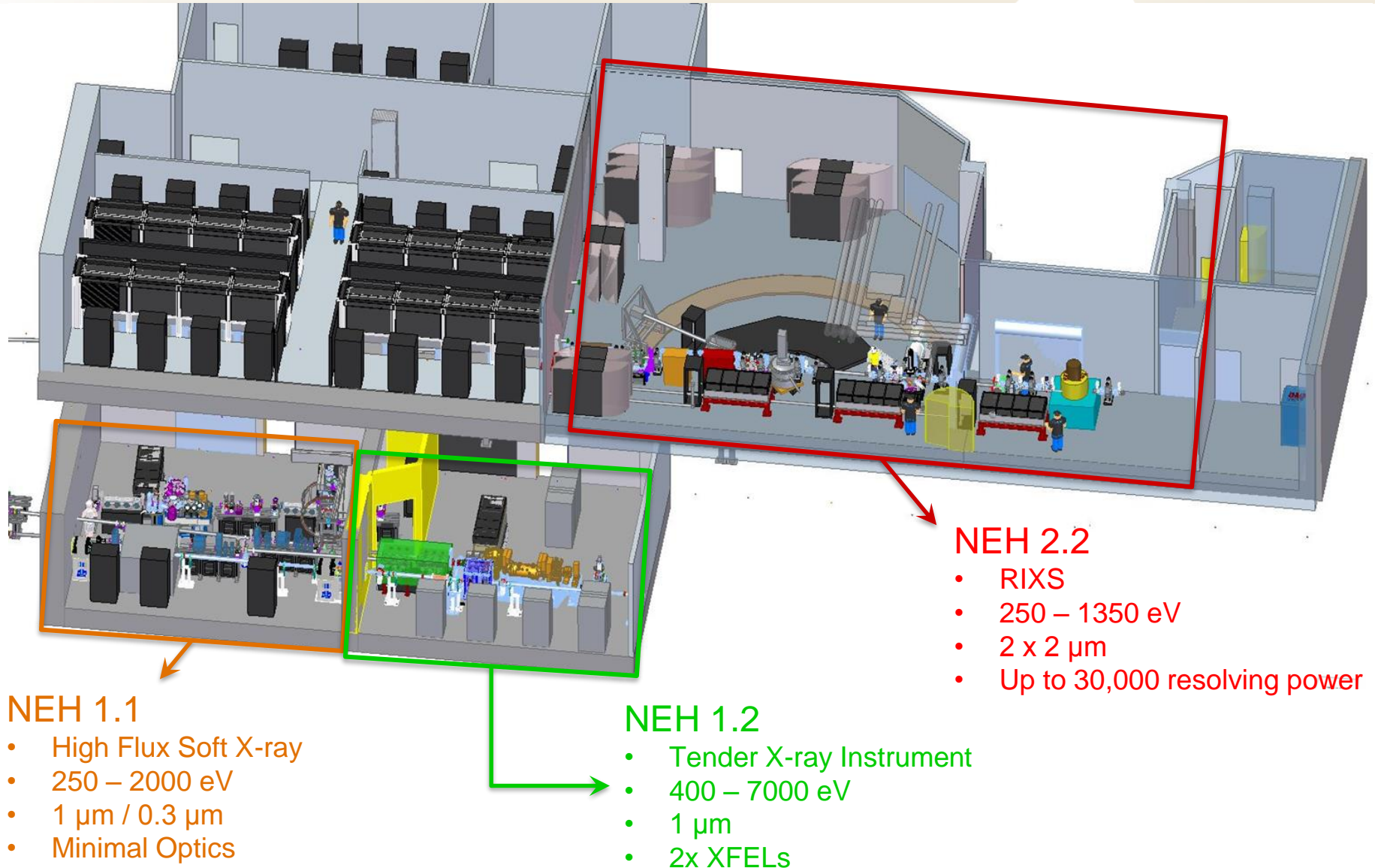
- 7 instruments fed by a single undulator at present
- 8 instruments available for LCLS-II (new soft & tender instruments)



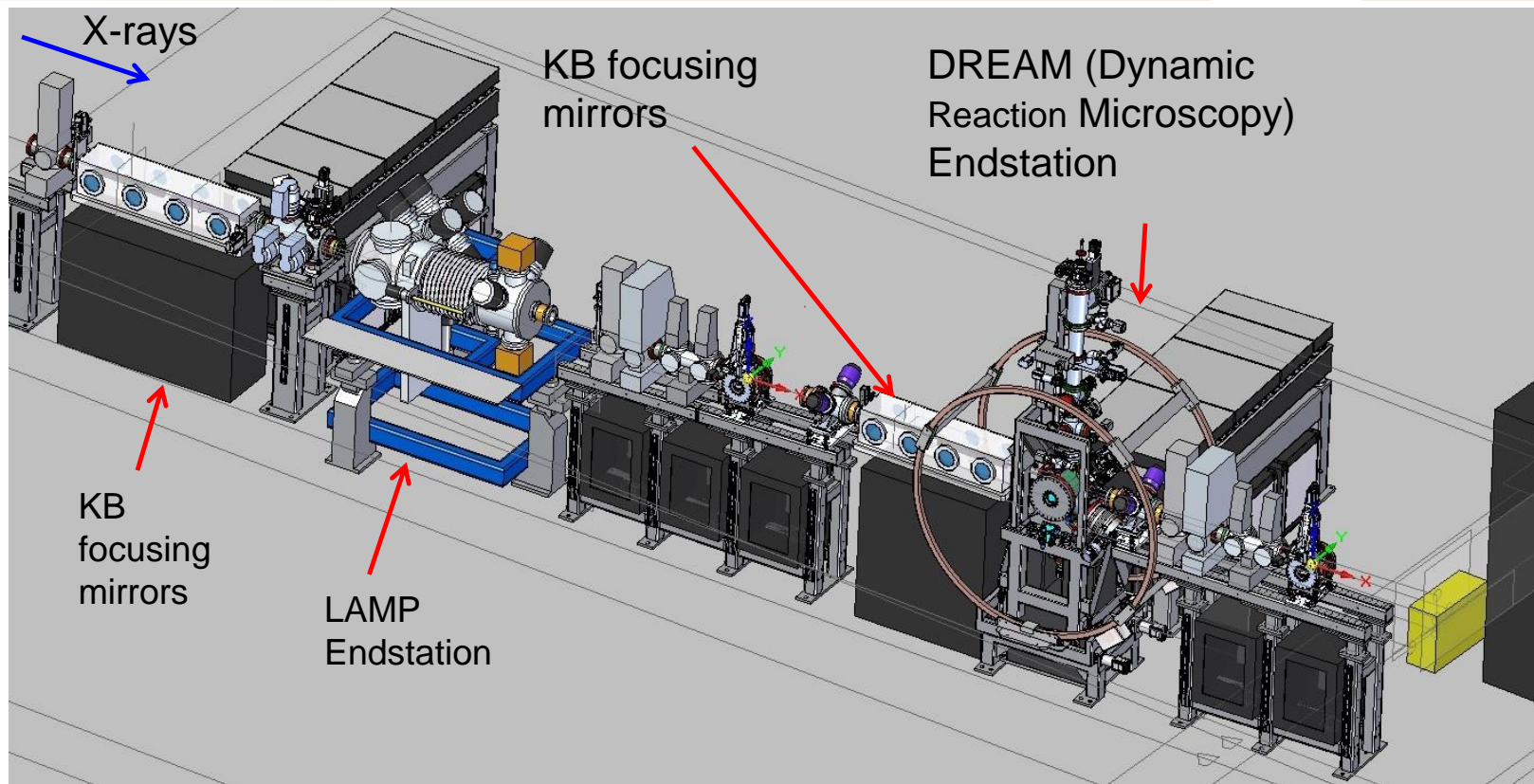


# Experimental layout for LCLS-II consolidates functionality into 3 new instruments (5+1 endstations)

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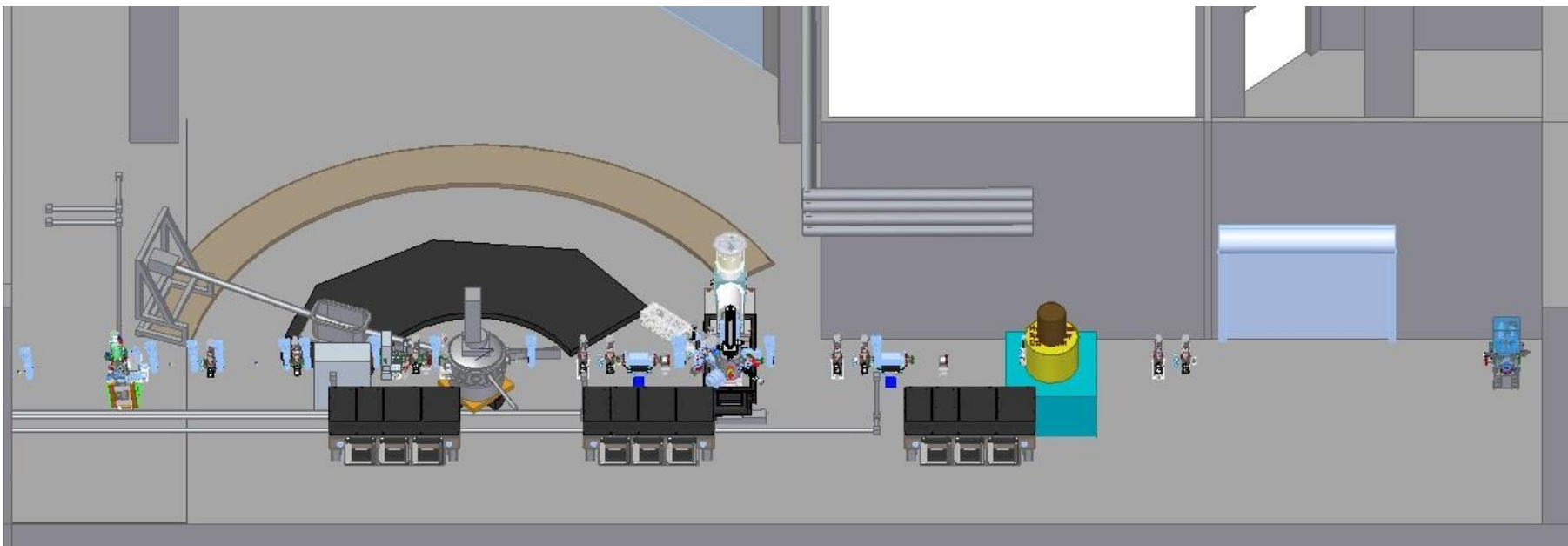


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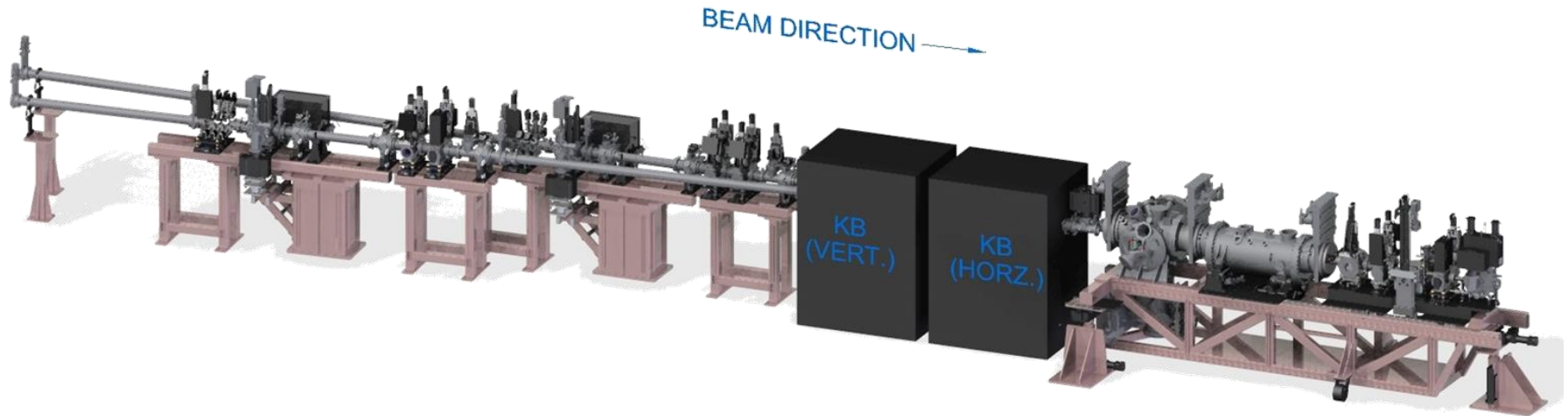
Science	Method	XFEL Parameters	Detectors
Fundamental excited state dynamics of atomic and molecular systems Charge and energy transfer	Dynamic molecular reaction microscope	250 – 1500 eV $\geq 100\text{kHz}$	2D ToF Charged Particle (1 MHz) TES ( $\leq 1\text{ eV}$ , $\geq 10\text{ kHz}$ )
High field physics Photophysics & photochemistry	Ion/Electron Spectroscopy	250 – 2000 keV	2D ToF Charged Particle (1 MHz) Hemispherical analyzer

# NEH 2.2: Materials Science & Liquid Phase Photochemistry



Science	Method	XFEL Requirement	Detectors
Emergent phenomena and collective modes in correlated materials	Resonant inelastic X-ray scattering Resonant diffraction	250 – 1600 eV, >10 <sup>14</sup> ph/s with 50,000 resolving power	2D High Spatial Resolution (5 μm) Soft X-ray Area (≥ 5 kHz, 0.5 MP)
Heterogeneous catalysis Interfacial chemistry Photo-catalysis	X-ray Absorption Spectroscopy X-ray Emission Spectroscopy	250-1600 eV, ≥ 100 kHz, 1000-5000 res. Power	2D High Spatial Resolution (5 μm) TES (≤ 0.5 eV, ≥10 kHz)
Nanoscale material dynamics	X-ray photon correlation spectroscopy	250 – 1600 eV, 5,000 resolving power	Soft X-ray Area (≥ 5 kHz, 0.5 MP)

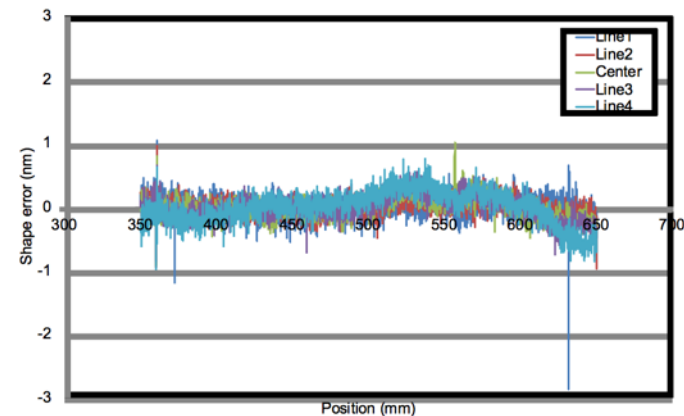
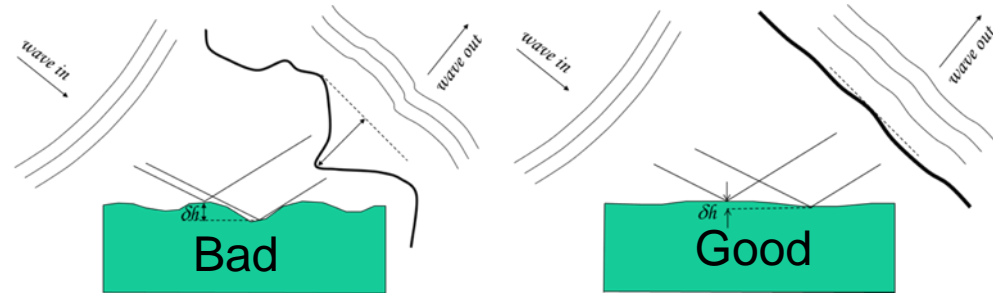
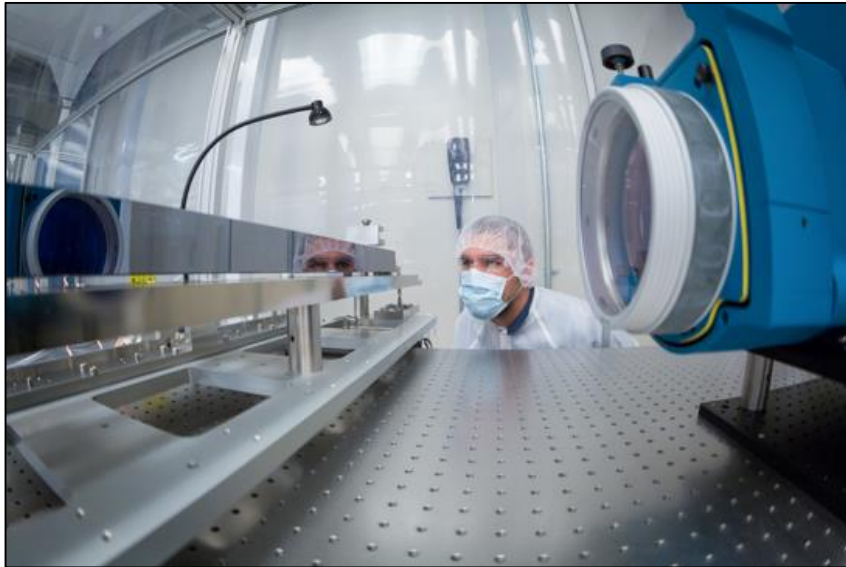
# NEH 1.2: Stimulated Spectroscopy & imaging



Science	Method	XFEL Requirement	Detectors
Fundamental dynamics of energy & charge - excited state	X-ray Pump / X-ray Probe	~1 $\mu\text{m}$ focus, 400-5000 eV	Tender X-ray Area ( $\geq 5$ kHz, 0.5 MP) Soft X-ray Area ( $\geq 5$ kHz, 0.5 MP)
Bio-imaging (Revealing biological function)	CDI/SPI	~1 $\mu\text{m}$ focus, 1500-5000 eV	Tender X-ray Area ( $\geq 5$ kHz, 2x2.4 MP) Tender X-ray Area ( $\geq 5$ kHz, 0.5 MP)
Protein dynamics and SAD phasing (Revealing biological structure)	Protein Crystallography	1-5 $\mu\text{m}$ focus, 3000 to 5000 keV	Tender X-ray Area ( $\geq 5$ kHz, 2x2.4 MP)
Revealing biological function and time scales	TR-SAXS/fSAXS	~10 $\mu\text{m}$ focus, 1500-5000 keV	Tender X-ray Area ( $\geq 5$ kHz, 2x2.4 MP)
Catalysis Photo-catalysis Bio-spectroscopy	Absorption & emission spectroscopy	~10 $\mu\text{m}$ focus, 250-1500 eV, $\geq 100$ kHz	Soft X-ray Area ( $\geq 5$ kHz, 0.5 MP)



# Technical challenges: X-ray distribution mirrors



Property	Requirement	Measured value
Tangential shape error (full-length)	< 1.0 nm RMS	0.154 nm RMS
Tangential shape error (central region)	< 0.3 nm RMS	0.143 nm RMS
Tangential radius	> 500 km	1515.15 km

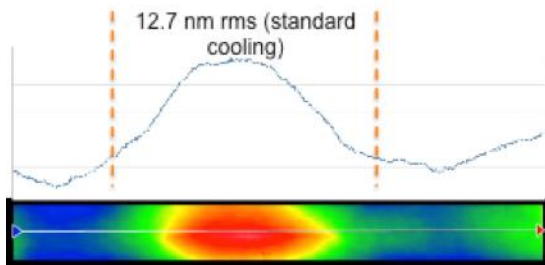
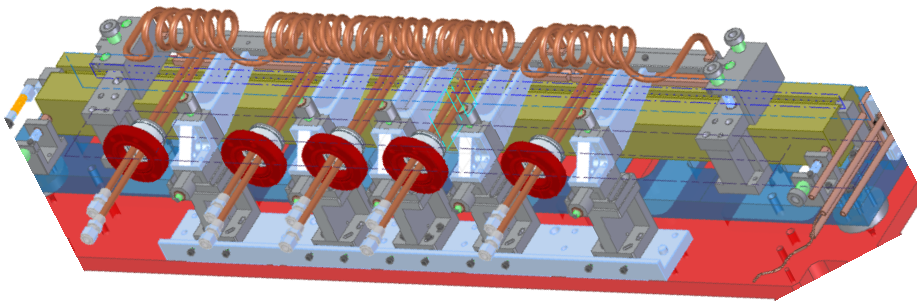
- The best meter-class x-ray mirrors ever produced

# Technical challenges: X-ray distribution mirrors

HXR; 1.35 mrad, 13 keV → **0.56 nm rms**

SXR; 12.0 mrad, 1.3 keV → **0.6 nm rms**

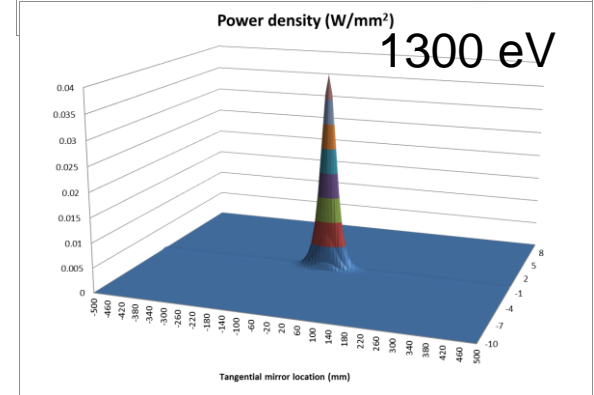
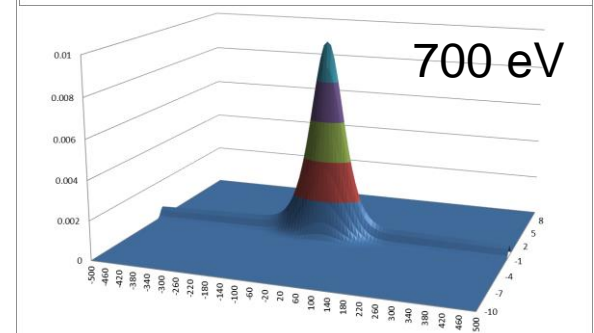
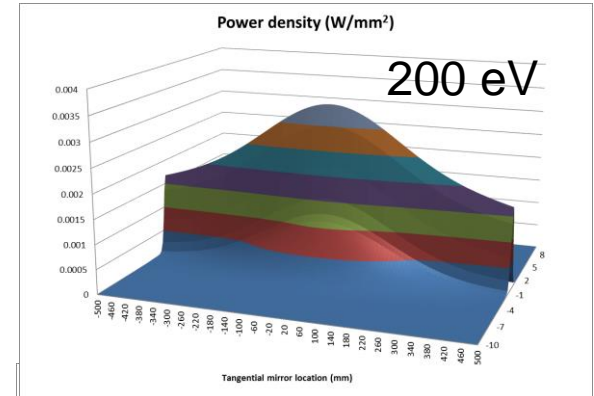
Challenge is to preserve figure under variable profile heat load



Heat Load induced by an IR laser (15W)



Combined effect (REAL + heat Load)



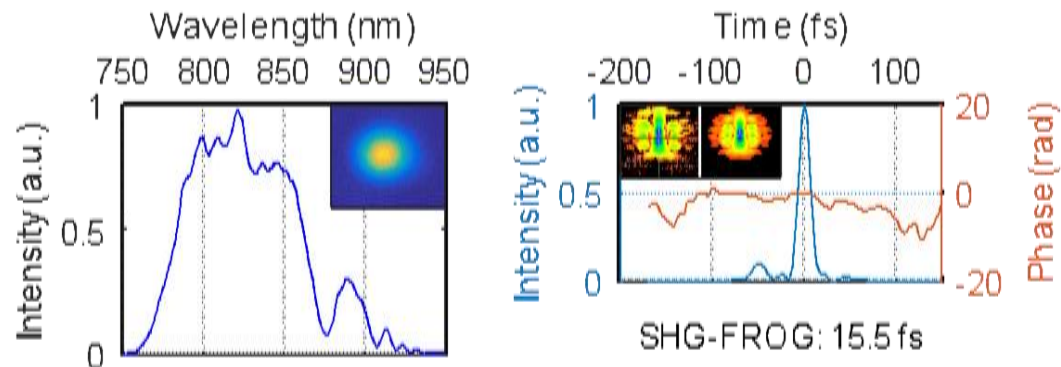
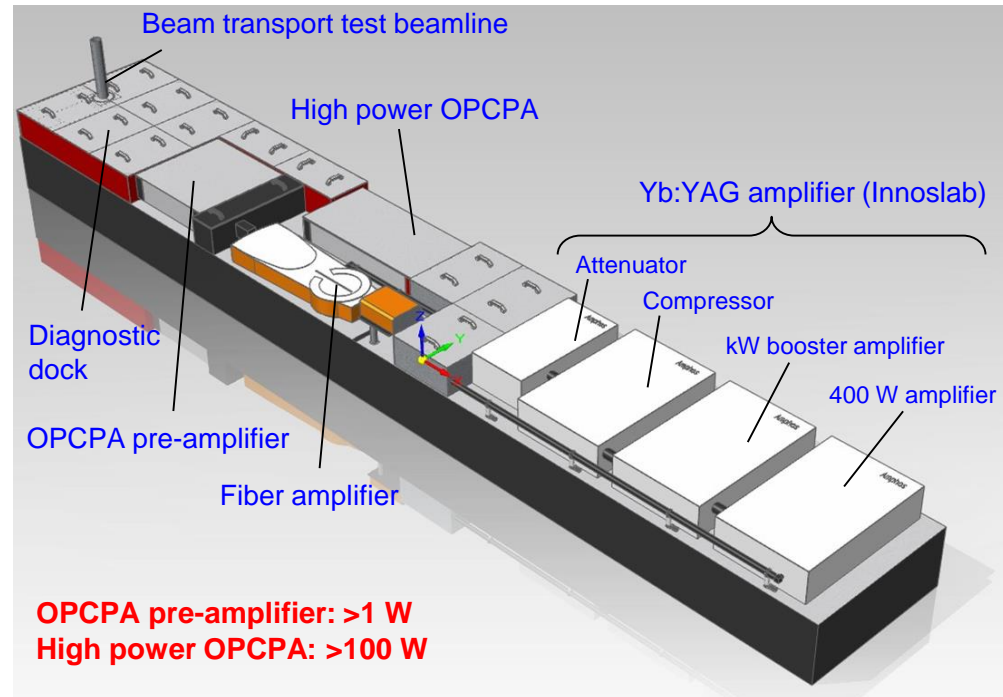
# Technical challenges: High average power femtosecond pump laser

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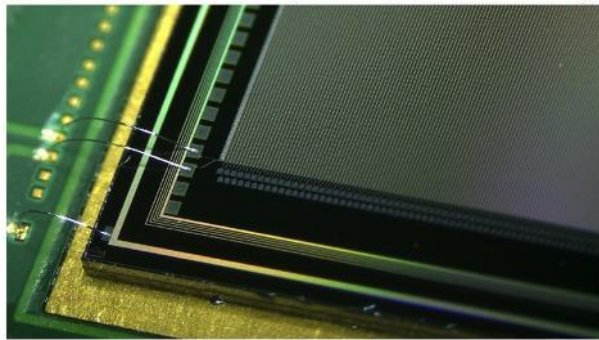
pulse energy	1 mJ, 100 W (signal)
wavelength range	0.7-1 $\mu\text{m}$
pulse duration	15 fs
	<5 fs, 60 W with spectral broadening
pulse energy	1.5 mJ, 150 W (signal)
wavelength range	1.4-1.7 $\mu\text{m}$
pulse duration	50 fs
	<10 fs with spectral broadening
pulse energy	1 mJ, 100 W (idler)
wavelength range	2.6-3.8 $\mu\text{m}$
pulse duration	70 fs
	<15 fs with spectral broadening
pump laser	
pulse energy	15 mJ, 1.5 kW
wavelength range	1.03 $\mu\text{m}$
pulse duration	1.5 ps
	<200 fs with spectral broadening
other secondary sources	
Harmonics (OPCPA and pump)	SHG, THG and FHG
tunable OPA	(pumped with 1 mJ, 50 fs, 800 nm)
pulse energy	$\mu\text{J}$ -tens of $\mu\text{J}$
wavelength range	200 nm-20 $\mu\text{m}$
pulse duration	> 40 fs
THz source	DFG or Optical rectification
pulse energy	to be investigated
wavelength range	0.1-100 THz

Table 2. Overview on basic parameters and alternative parameter for the LCLS-II PP-laser amplifier (at 0.1 MHz repetition rate). Color code reflects the current development time as follows; black: available day-1; blue: upgrade level-1; magenta: upgrade level-2.

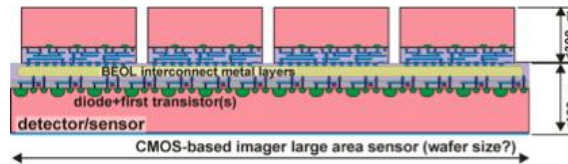
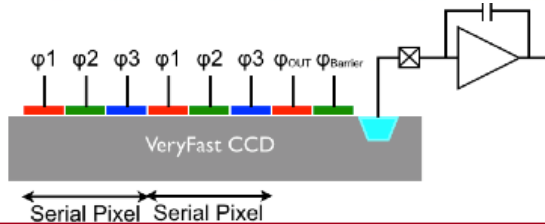


# Technical challenges: Advanced detectors

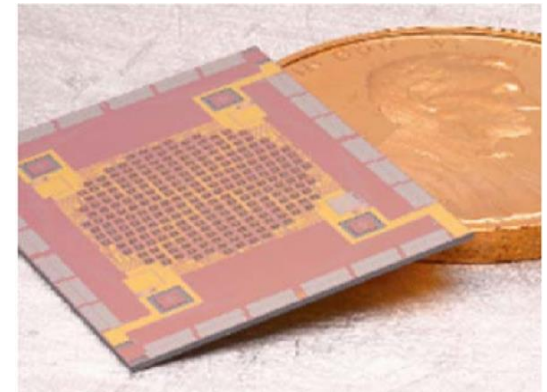
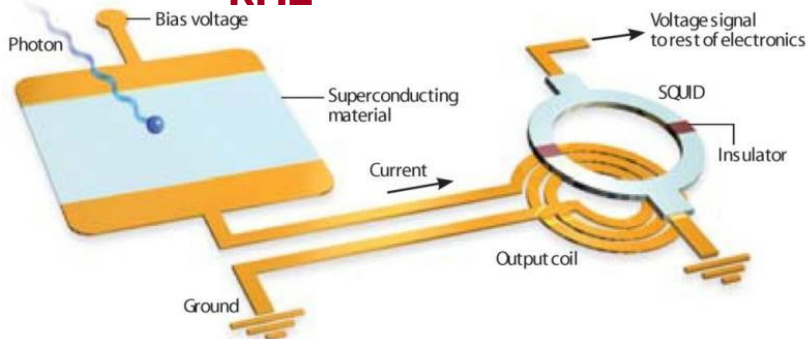
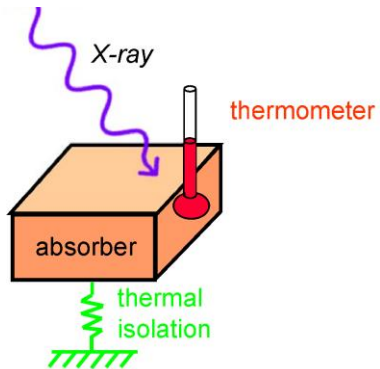
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**High Speed Imaging**  
 $\geq 5-10$  kHz



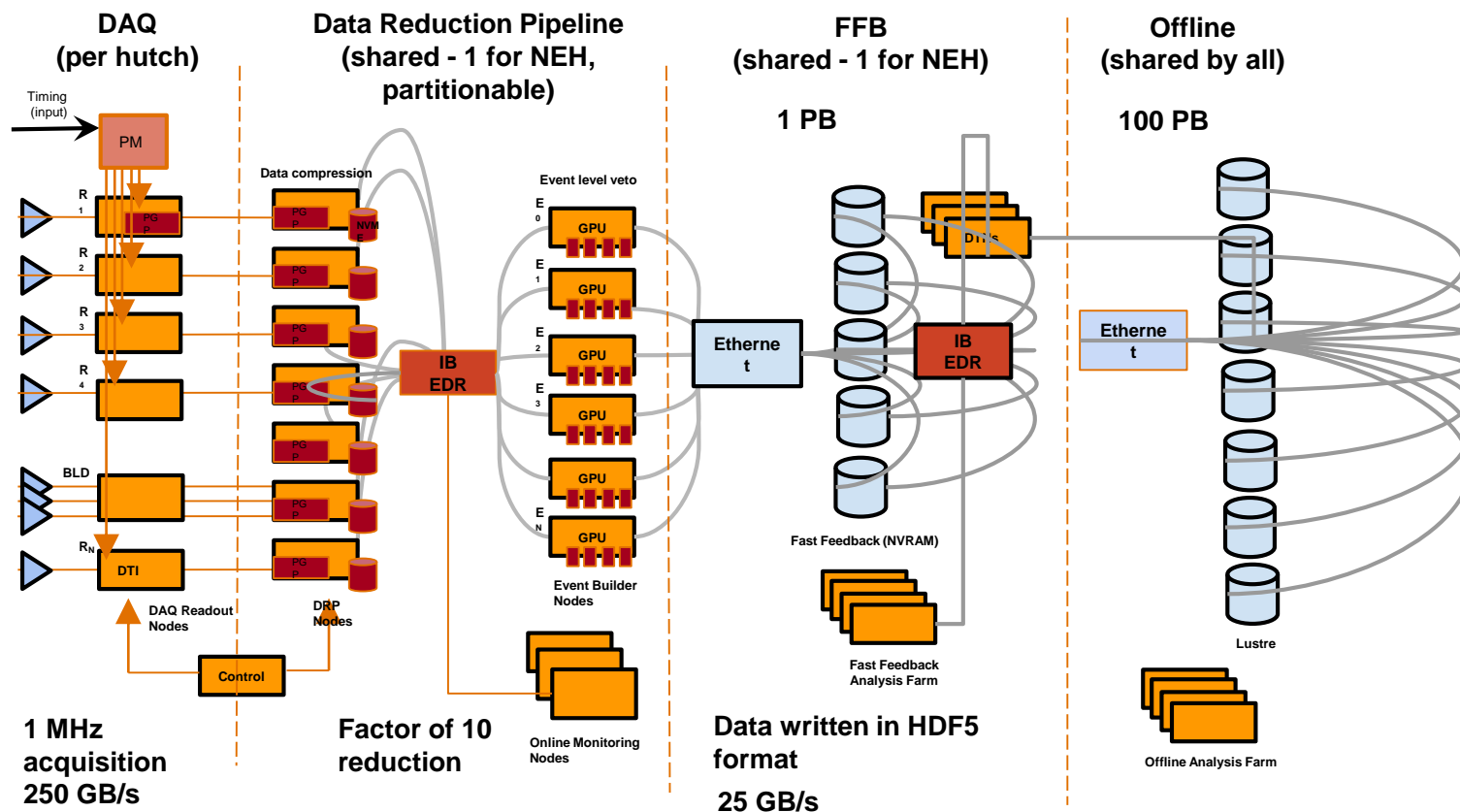
**Spectroscopic**  
 $\sim 0.5$  eV @ 1 keV, 10 kHz



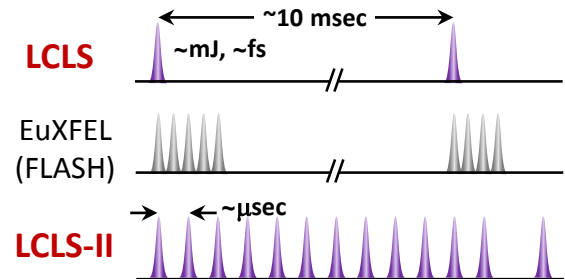
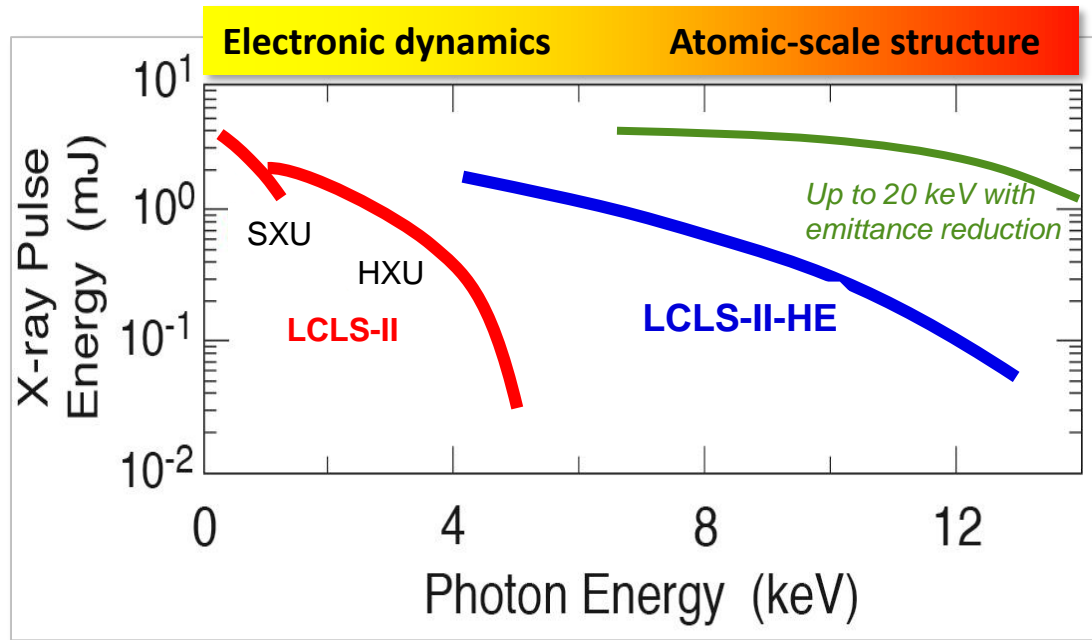


# Technical challenges: High throughput data systems

- High Throughput DAQ (250 GB/s)
- Data Reduction Pipeline (10x)
- Fast Feedback System
- Data Management System (100 PB)
- Data Analysis

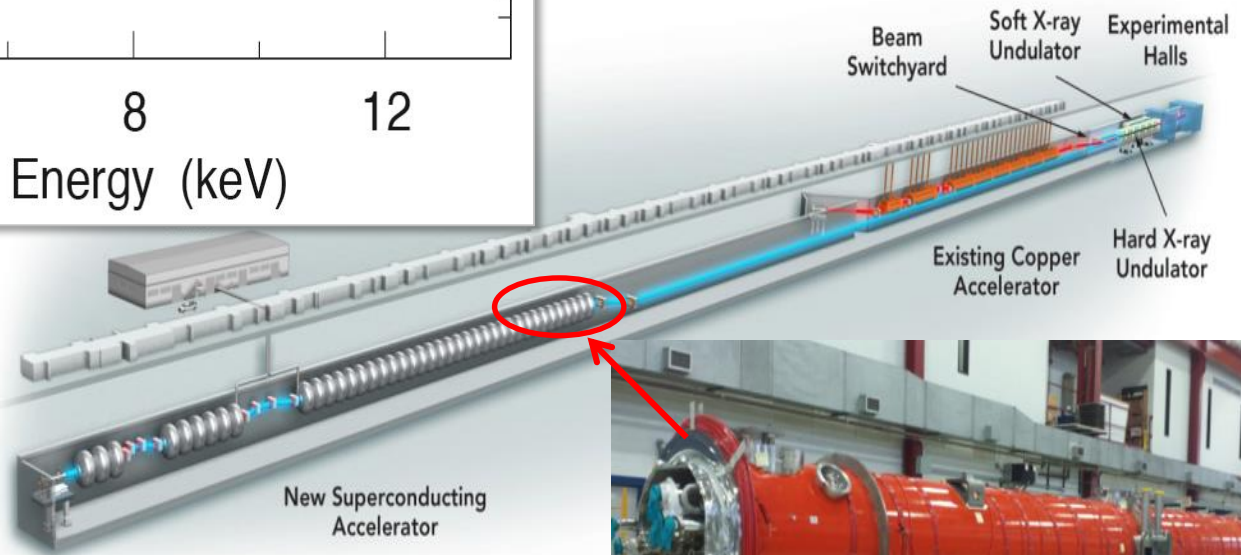


# LCLS-II-HE (High-Energy upgrade)



➤ +20 cryomodules

➤ 4 GeV  $\Rightarrow$  8 GeV  
CW-SCRF linac



# Summary

- The LCLS-II construction project, with strong US collaboration and support from international partners, is underway to deliver:
  - 4 GeV CW SCRF accelerator
  - High brightness CW injector
  - Two variable gap undulators
  - High power beams and optics
- X-ray instruments are being designed to take advantage of this new MHz, mJ-class x-ray laser
- First light is anticipated in 2020







# Linac Coherent Light Source Facility and LCLS-II Upgrade (1<sup>st</sup> light 2019)

New SCRF linac  
and injector in 1<sup>st</sup>  
km of SLAC linac  
tunnel

Injector at  
2-km point

Existing Linac (1 km)  
(with modifications)

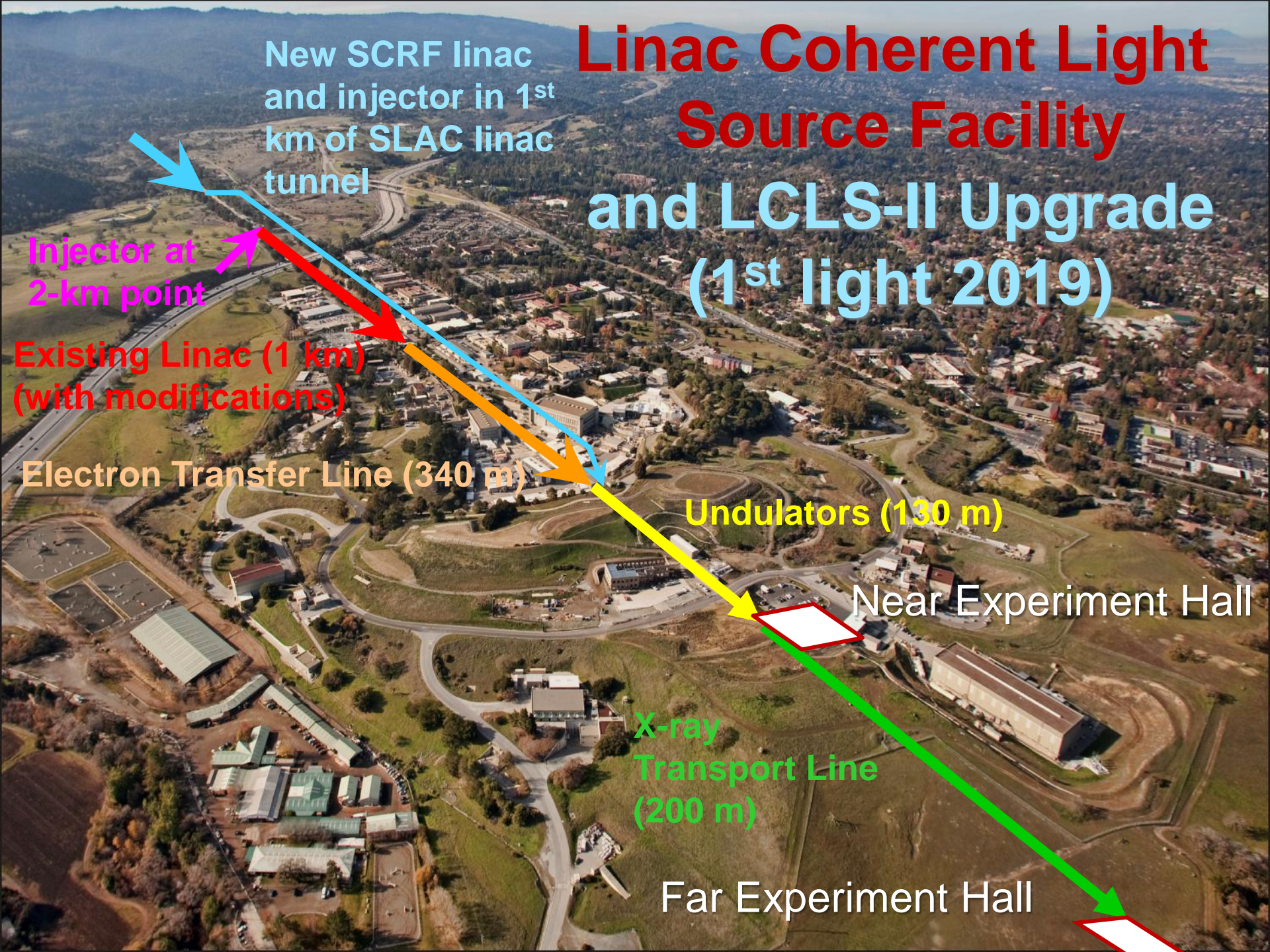
Electron Transfer Line (340 m)

Undulators (130 m)

Near Experiment Hall

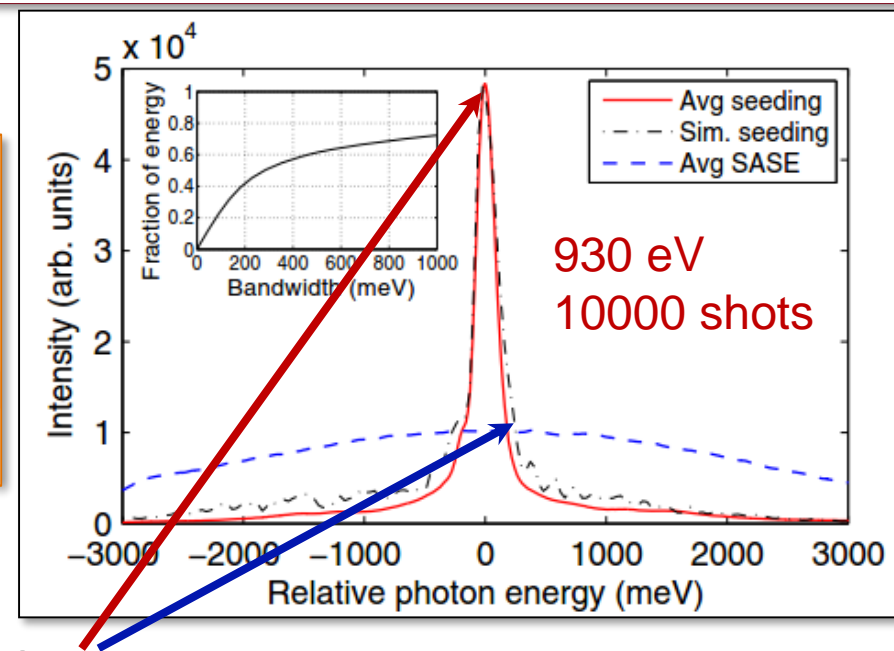
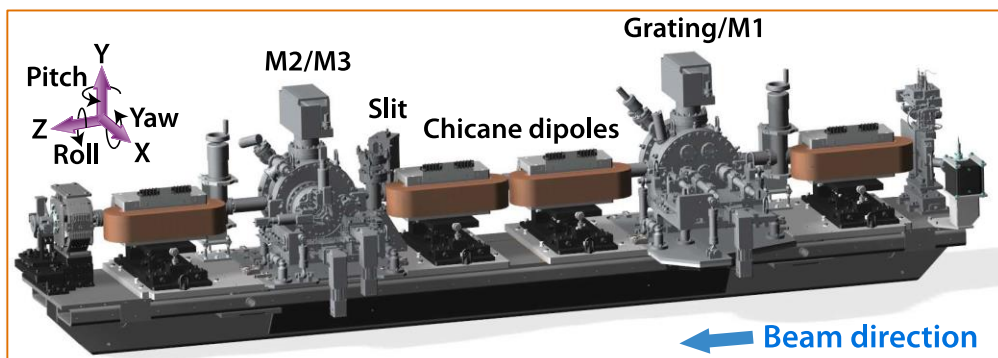
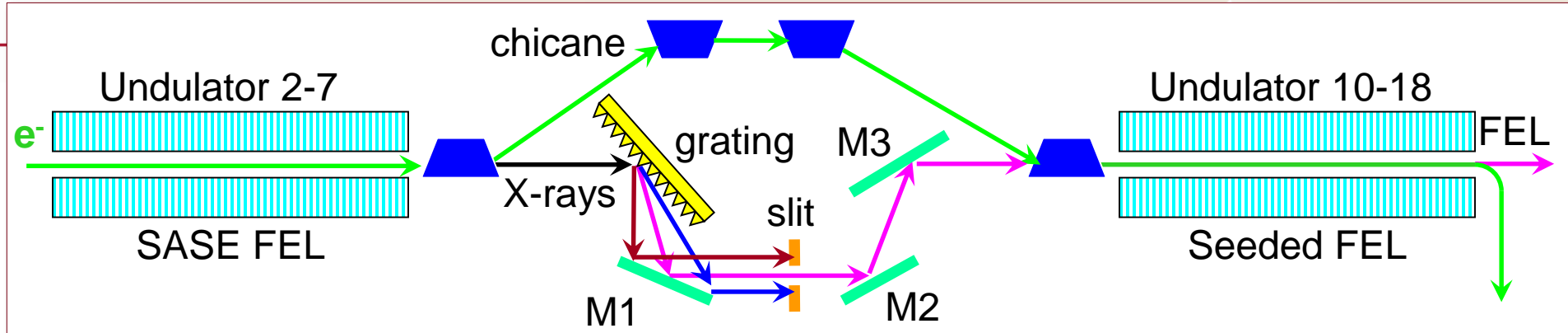
X-ray  
Transport Line  
(200 m)

Far Experiment Hall





# Soft x-ray self-seeding

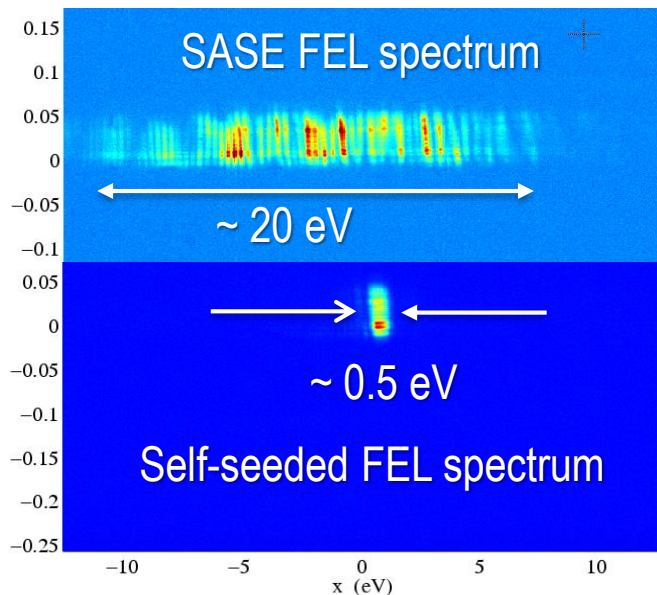


- Spectral brightness  $\sim 5\times$  higher than SASE
- Observed spectral pedestals (may degrade certain applications w/o a mono).

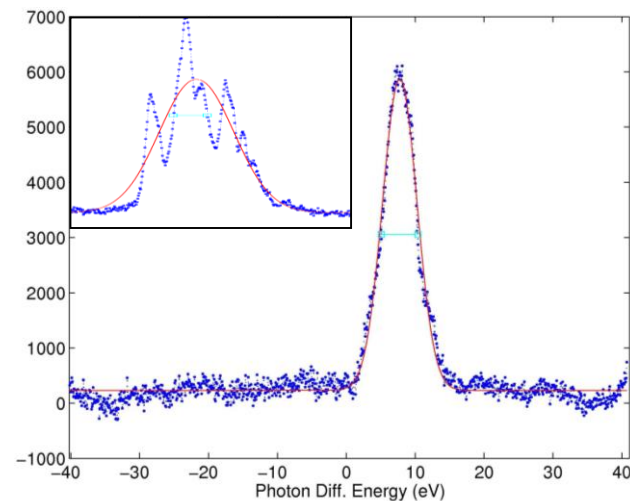
*D. Ratner et al., PRL 114, 054801 (2015)*

# LCLS performance parameters

	Current performance
Photon energy range	280 to 11,500 eV
FEL pulse length	< 5 – 500 fs
FEL pulse energy	~ 4 mJ ( $2.5 \times 10^{12}$ @ 10 keV)
FEL coherence	SASE, Seeding (hard x-ray)
Repetition Rate	120 Hz



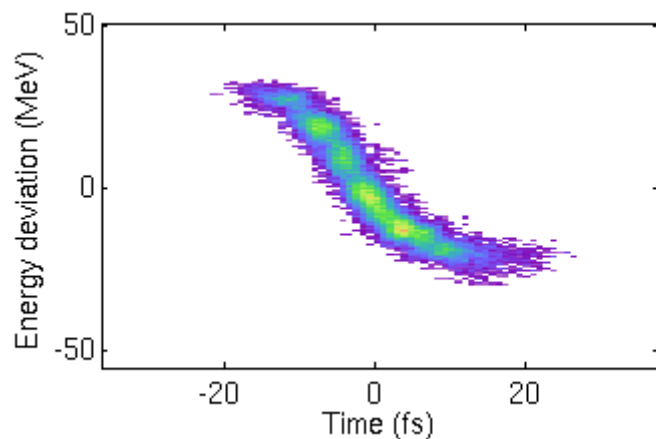
Hard X-ray self-seeding



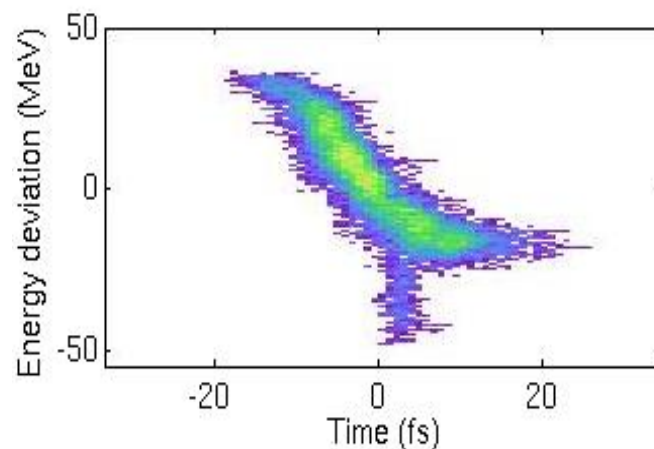
Near transform limited  
soft x-ray pulses

# X-band Transverse Cavity

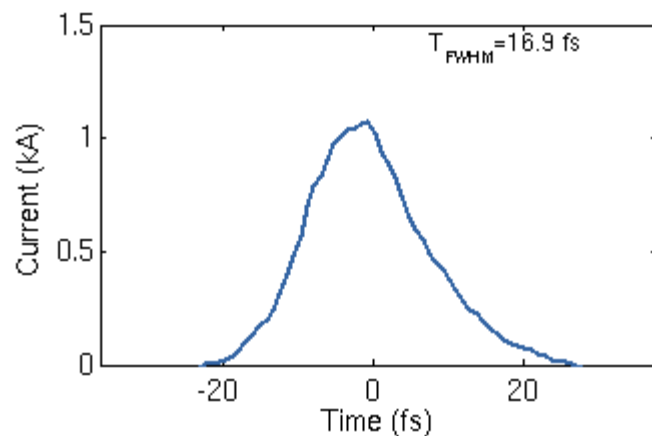
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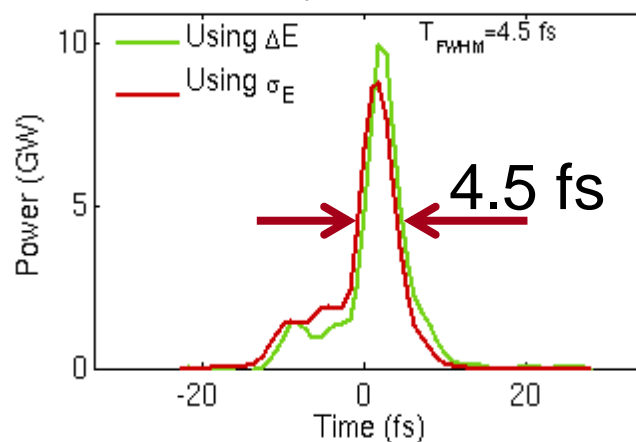
Lasing on



electrons



X-rays





# Liquid explosions induced by X-ray laser pulses

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## Scientific Achievement

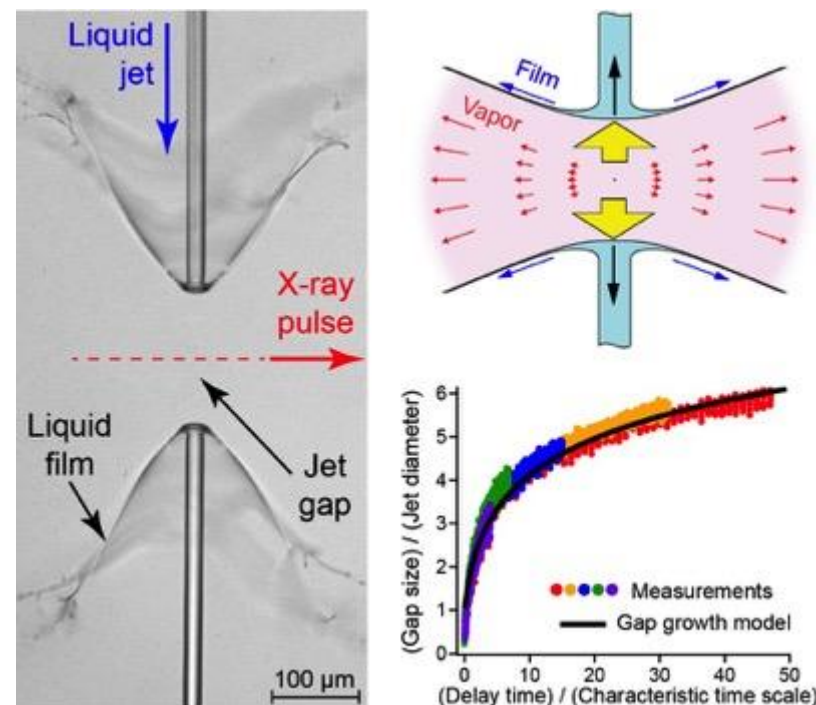
Observation and characterization of explosions induced by X-ray lasers in liquids.

## Significance and Impact

Explosions induced by X-ray lasers could enable studies of matter in extreme conditions. The phenomena that may affect experiments at higher repetition rates such as at LCLS-II were quantified and modeled.

## Research Details

- The nanosecond-to-microsecond dynamics of X-ray laser explosions in jets and drops was determined at LCLS using time-resolved optical imaging.
- Femtosecond X-ray pulses induce a multistep dynamics that can last up to tens of microseconds, leading to the formation of a gap in the jets.
- A fluid dynamics model was developed to predict the gap growth and the recovery time of the jets.



*Explosions induced by X-ray lasers in jets:* The picture shows a water microjet, several microseconds after it was hit by an X-ray laser. The liquid in the path of the X-rays is vaporized, and the vapor pushes the liquid films from the jet. The growth of the gap is modeled analytically to predict how quickly the jets will recover in X-ray laser experiments.

# Project Collaboration: SLAC couldn't do this without...

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- Cryomodule engineering/design
- Manufacture 50% of cryomodules: 1.3 GHz
- Design and manufacture 2 Cryomodules: 3.9 GHz
- Design and acquisition of helium distribution
- Processing for high Q (FNAL-invented gas doping)



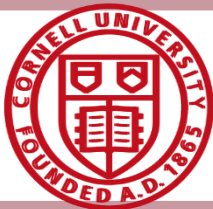
- Manufacture 50% of cryomodules: 1.3 GHz
- Design and acquisition of two 4 kW Cryoplants
- Processing for high Q



- Undulators
- $e^-$  gun & associated injector systems



- Undulator R&D: vertical polarization prototype
- Undulator Vacuum Chamber
- Also supports FNAL w/ SCRF cleaning facility



- R&D planning, prototype support
- processing for high-Q (high Q gas doping)
- $e^-$  gun option

# LCLS-II (SCRF) Baseline Parameters

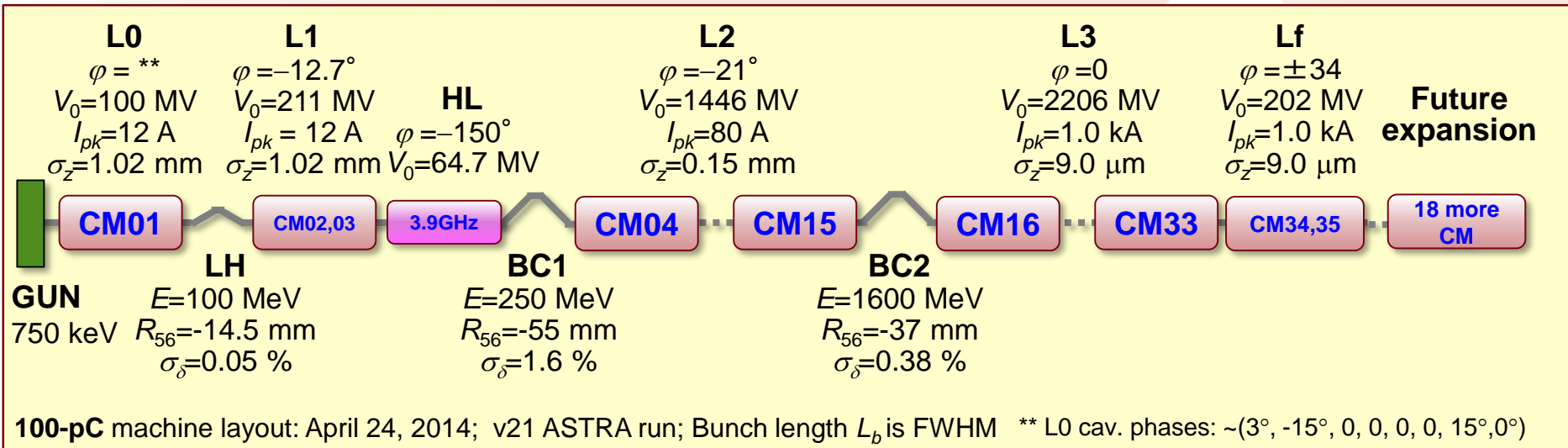
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Parameter	symbol	nominal	range	units
Electron Energy	$E_f$	<b>4.0</b>	2.0 - 4.5	GeV
Bunch Charge	$Q_b$	<b>100</b>	10 - 300	pC
Bunch Repetition Rate in Linac	$f_b$	<b>0.62</b>	0 - 0.93	MHz
Average $e^-$ current in linac	$I_{avg}$	<b>0.062</b>	0.0 - 0.3	mA
Avg. $e^-$ beam power at linac end	$P_{av}$	<b>0.25</b>	0 - 1.2	MW
Norm. rms slice emittance at undulator	$\gamma\epsilon_{\perp-s}$	<b>0.45</b>	0.2 - 0.7	$\mu\text{m}$
Final peak current (at undulator)	$I_{pk}$	<b>1000</b>	500 - 1500	A
Final slice E-spread (rms, w/heater)	$\sigma_{Es}$	<b>500</b>	125 - 1500	keV
RF frequency	$f_{RF}$	<b>1.3</b>	-	GHz
Avg. CW RF gradient (powered cavities)	$E_{acc}$	<b>16</b>	-	MV/m
Avg. Cavity $Q_0$	$Q_0$	<b>2.7e10</b>	1.5 - 5e10	-
Photon energy range of SXR ( <b>SCRF</b> )	$E_{phot}$	-	<b>0.2 - 1.3</b>	keV
Photon energy range of HXR ( <b>SCRF</b> )	$E_{phot}$	-	<b>1 - 5</b>	keV
Photon energy range of HXR ( <b>Cu-RF</b> )	$E_{phot}$	-	<b>1 - 25</b>	keV

# LCLS-II SCRF Linac Layout

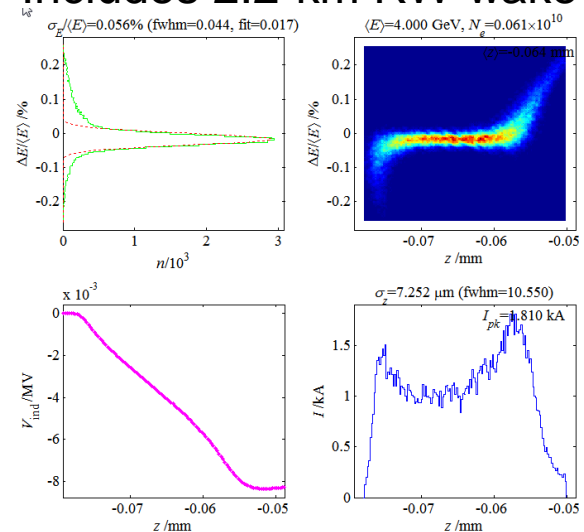
## Layout similar to LCLS (except SCRF)

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- Two-stage BC w/ linearizer plus laser heater
- Uses (35) 1.3 GHz and (2) 3.9 GHz CM
  - CM design adopted from ILC/XFEL design and adapted for CW operations
  - EuXFEL producing 1 module/per week; LCLS-II is planning on  $\sim 1$  CM/month

Includes 2.2-km RW-wake





**Jlab CEBAF 12 GeV  
Upgrade 4.5 K cold-  
box (Linde) 'CHL 2'**

**LCLS-II 2x4kW 2°K  
Cryoplants will be  
based on JLAB  
CHL2 design**



## 2.1 Expected flux on the sample

- Does RIXS at an FEL make sense?
  - A safe x-ray energy density is  $\sim 1 \text{ mJ/cm}^2$
  - For a spot size of  $10 \times 400 \text{ } \mu\text{m}^2$ ,  $10^8 \text{ ph/pulse}$  result in this fluence
  - At 1 MHz rep rate this gives  $10^{14} \text{ ph/s}$
  - Beamline delivers  $\sim 10^{15} \text{ ph/s}$  at resolving power of 50,000

RIXS Resolution	30 meV @1 keV
LCLS-II	$10^{14} \text{ ph/s}$
SLS ADRESS BL	$10^{11} \text{ ph/s}$
NSLS-II SIX BL	$10^{12} \text{ ph/s}$

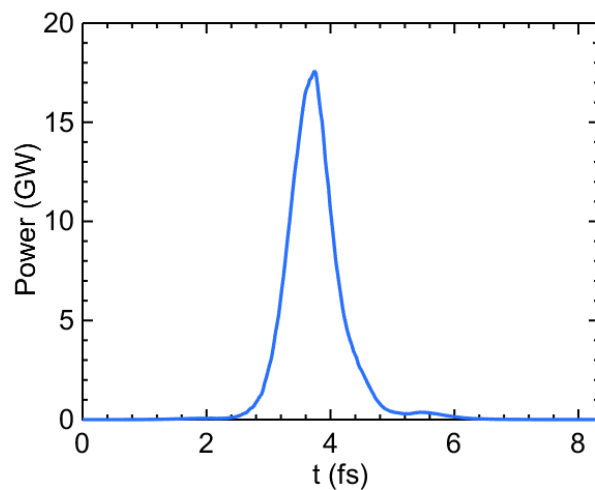
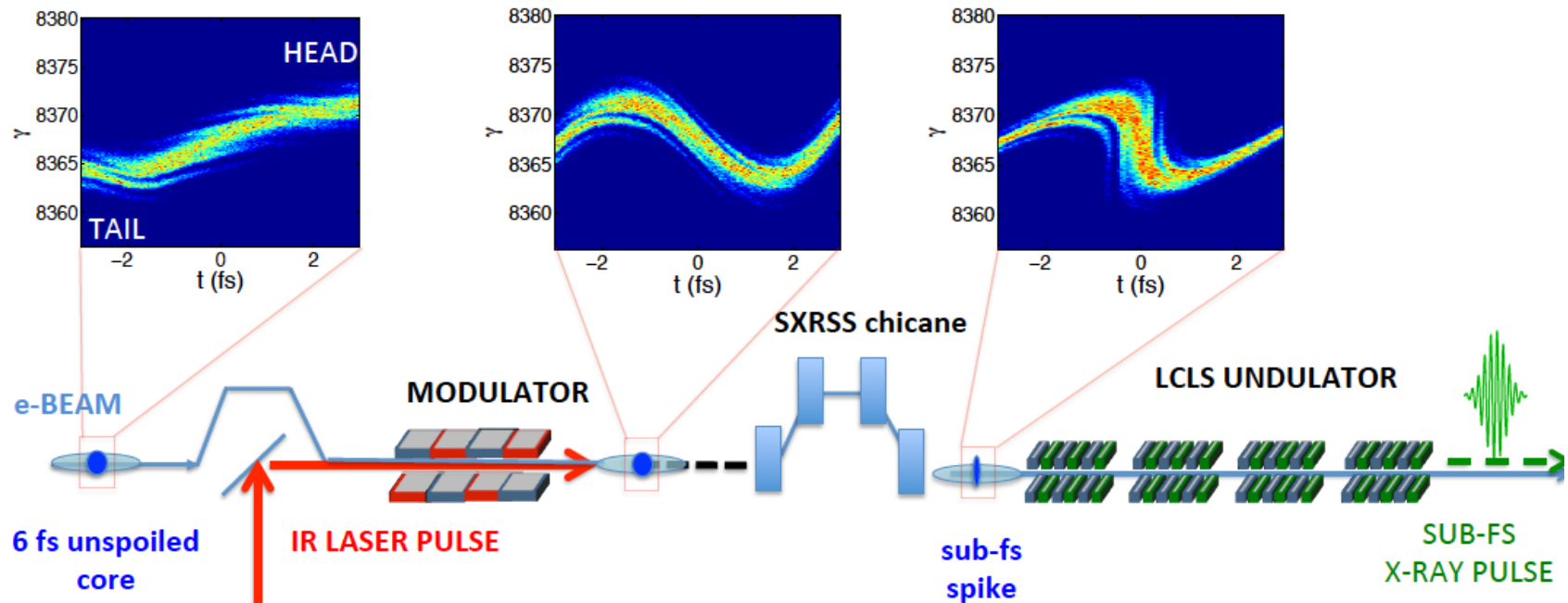
Unmatched performance for high spectral resolution, combined with a unique capability for time-resolved experiments

$$30 \text{ meV} \Leftrightarrow 66 \text{ fs}$$

$$100 \text{ meV} \Leftrightarrow 20 \text{ fs}$$

# A method for producing sub-fs pulses is under development now

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$$E_{\text{photon}} = 500 \text{ eV} - 1300 \text{ eV}$$

~0.75 fs duration

~3 eV coherent bandwidth

30-40 uJ/pulse

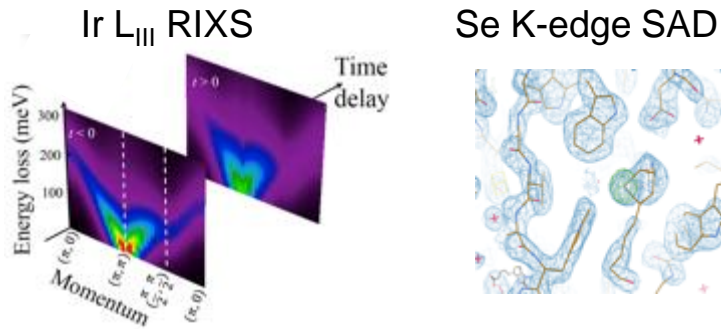
A. Marinelli (SLAC)



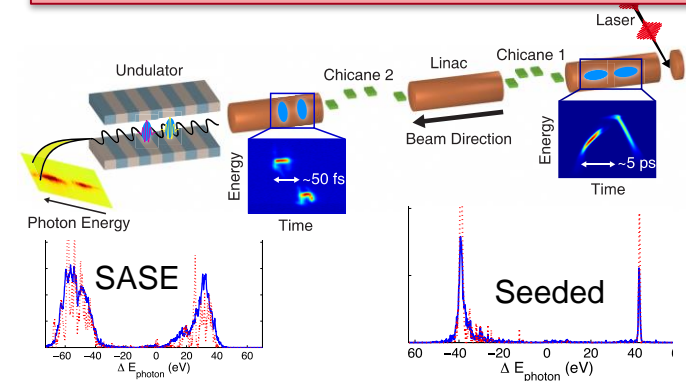
# Recent LCLS beam developments

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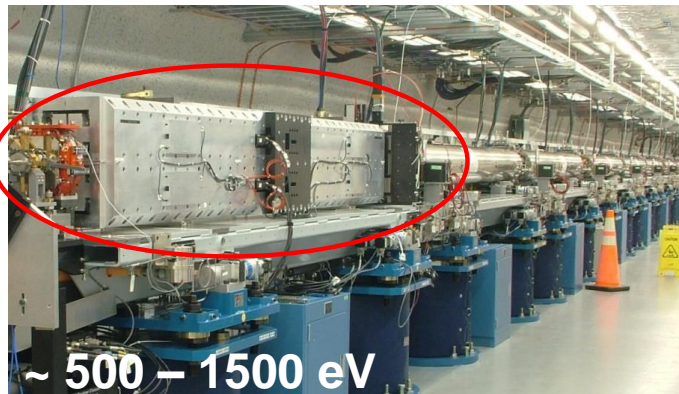
**Extended photon energy range:  
from 0.8–8 to 0.25–12.8 keV**



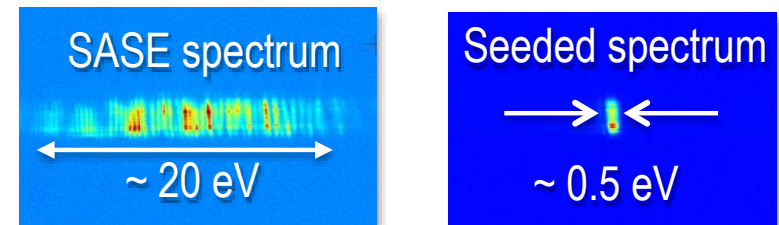
**Creation of multiple options for  
2-pulse, 2-color x-rays**



**From linear to controlled polarization**



**From SASE fluctuations to controlled  
pulse width and spectrum (seeding)**



**40x increase in spectral brightness**

**LCLS has moved far beyond its baseline parameters and we aim to continue  
this trend with LCLS-II**



# An example instrument: AMO (atomic, molecular and optical science)

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