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Techniques

Accelerator

Novel

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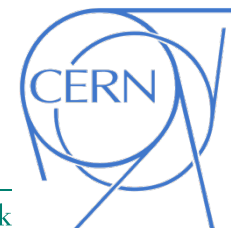
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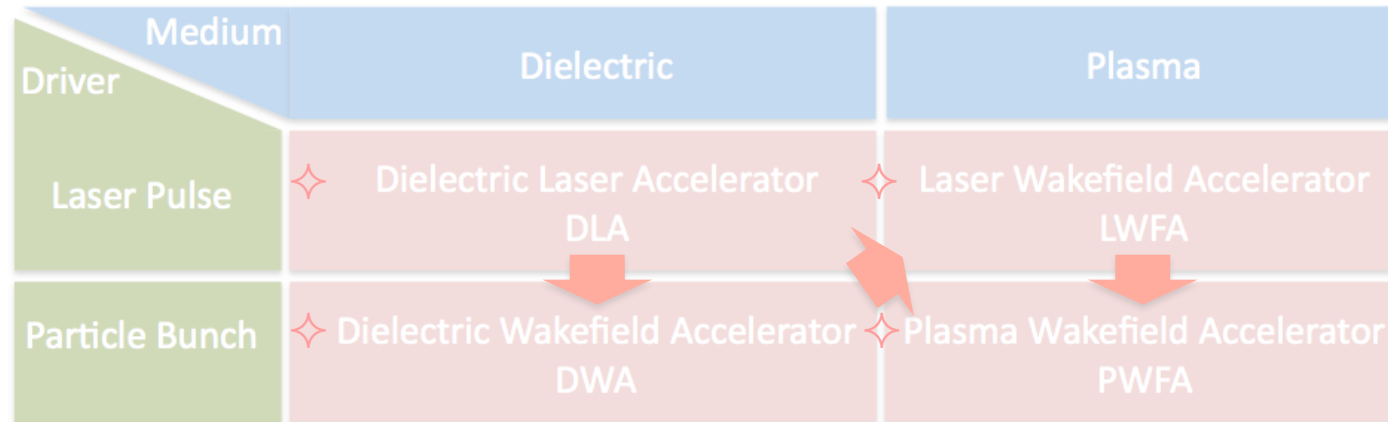
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Red arrows indicate transitions: DLA to DWA, LWFA to PWFA, and a diagonal arrow from DLA to PWFA.

✧ Summary

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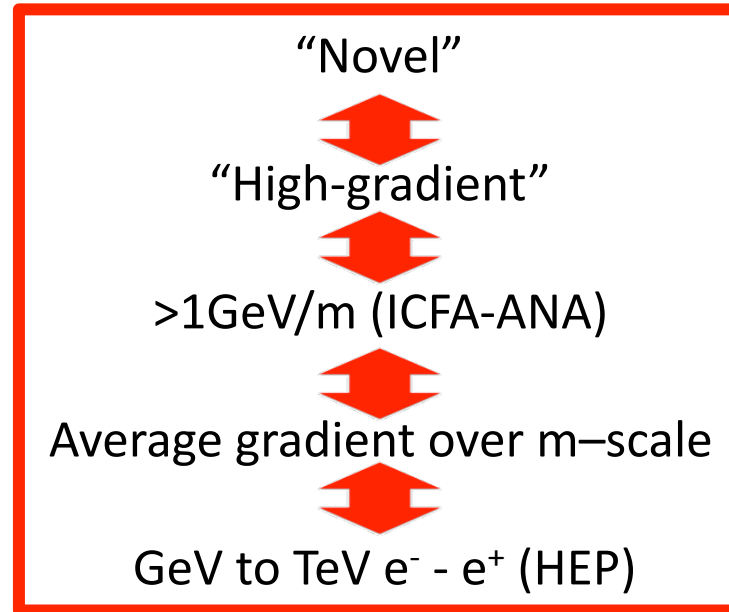
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NOVEL ACCELERATORS



Materials with higher damage threshold:

- ✧ Dielectrics (~GV/m)
- ✧ Plasmas (10-1000GV/m)

Systems powered/driven by:

- ✧ Laser pulse(s)*
- ✧ Relativistic, charged particle bunch(es)

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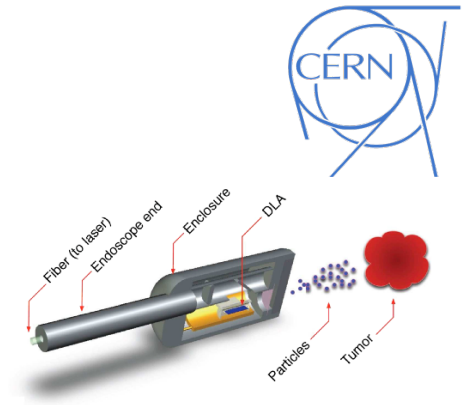




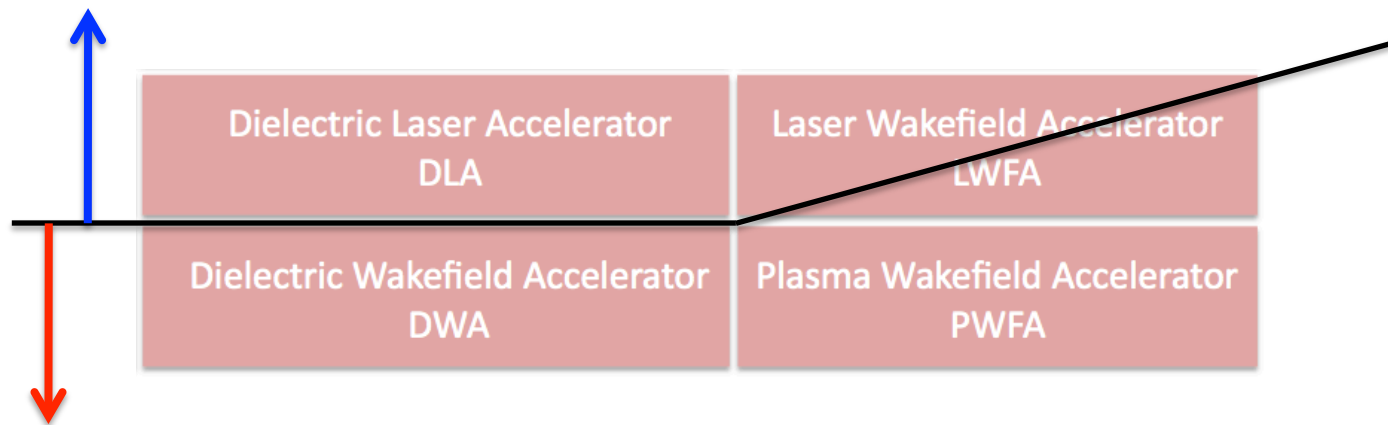
APPLiCATIONS

- ✧ X-ray for radiography (advanced: phase contrast, etc.)
- ✧ e^- for medical applications (10-300MeV)

- ✧ All require low energy <GeV
- ✧ Can operate at very large peak gradient, mm-cm accelerator
- ✧ Efficiency “not an issue”
- ✧ Luminosity “not an issue”
- ✧ Special characteristics: ultra-short, synchronized (laser), pump probe, etc.
- ✧ Biological advantage ...
- ✧ Unique applications, compact



England, Rev. Mod. Phys., 86, 1337, (2014)



- ✧ Powerful radiation source, THz to γ -rays
- ✧ X-ray FELs (pC in fs at 10GeV)
- ✧ **High-energy physics (HEP)**





HEP APPLICATIONS



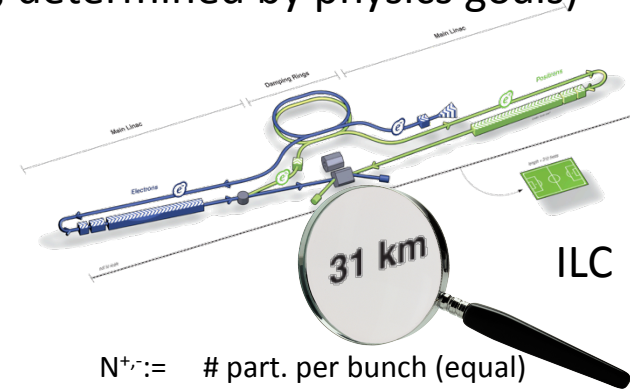
- ✧ Reaching final energy : >150GeV/beam for e⁻ and e⁺ (determined by physics goals)
 - : up to 1-10TeV
 - : > 60GeV e⁻ (for e⁻/p⁺ collider, determined by physics goals)

- ✧ Large average accelerating gradient (>1GeV/m)

- ✧ Accelerator(s) a few 100's-1000's m of meter long

- ✧ Reaching luminosity (e⁻/e⁺ or e⁻/p⁺, ions)

$$\mathcal{L} \propto \frac{N^+ N^- f_{rep} n_b}{\sigma_x^*(\epsilon_x) \sigma_y^*(\epsilon_y)} \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \mathcal{L} \propto \frac{NP_b}{E \sigma_x^*(\epsilon_x) \sigma_y^*(\epsilon_y)}$$



- N⁺ := # part. per bunch (equal)
- f_{rep} := train repetition rate
- n_b := # bunches per train
- σ_{x,y}^{*} := bunch transverse size @ waist
- ε_{x,y} := bunch emittance
- E := energy per particle
- P_b := average beam power ≈ n_b N f_{rep} E

- Focus on accelerator contribution (not final focus or interaction point)
- Assume those are the same (bunch length?)

- ✧ Deliver the same average current with the same emittance (DWA, LWFA, PWFA)

- ✧ Deliver lower average current with lower emittance?? (DLA)



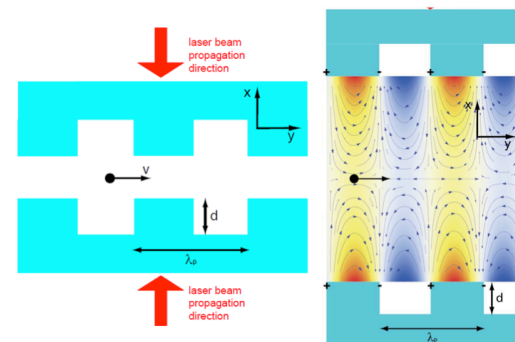
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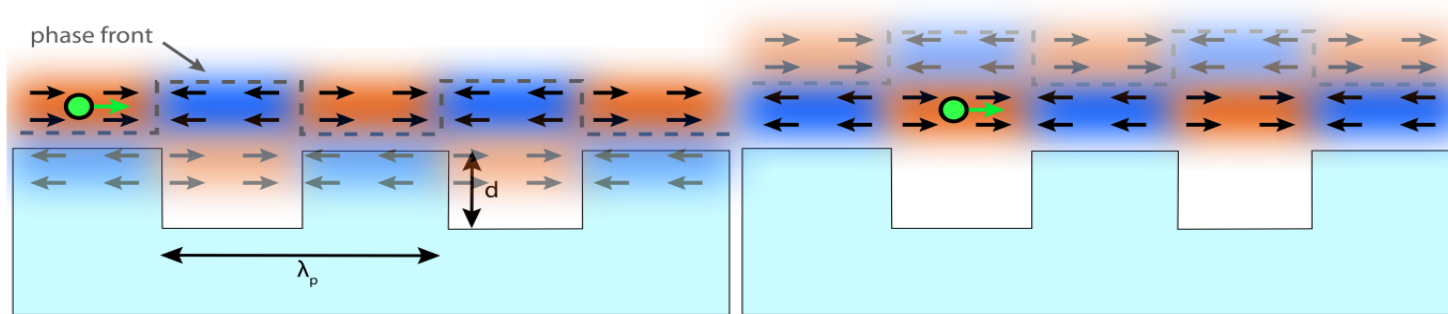
✧ Directly use the laser E-field in a $\sim \lambda^3$ (micro) structure

✧ Summary

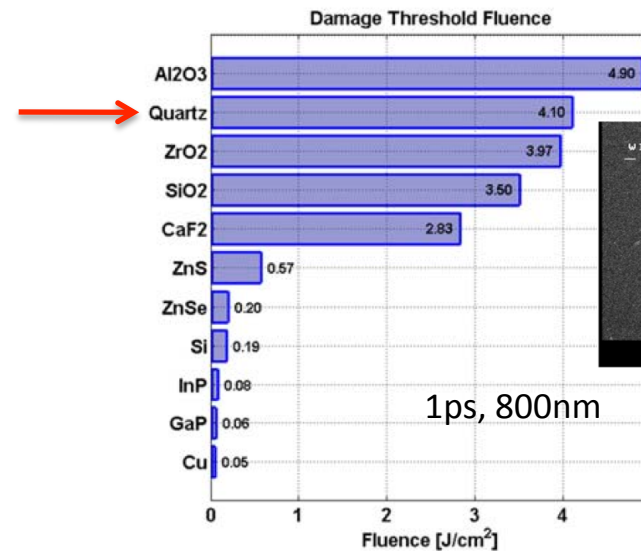
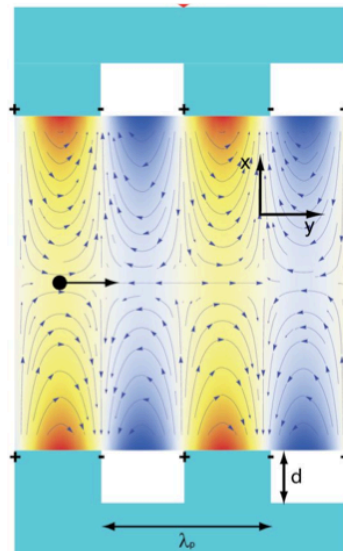
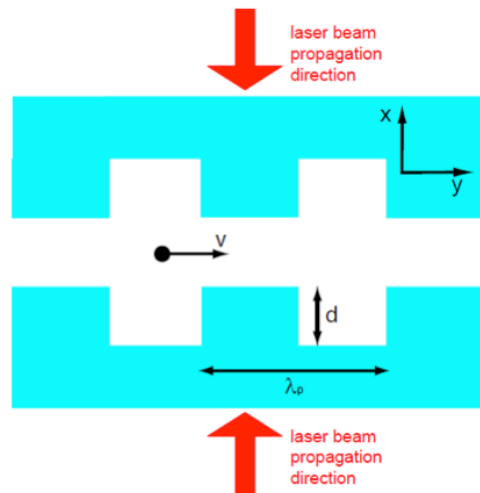




Dielectric Laser Accelerator (DLA)



- ✧ One side -> non relativistic
- ✧ Two sides -> relativistic



Soong, AIP Conf. Proc. 1507, 511 (2012)

- ✧ Take advantage of large laser E-field
- ✧ Take advantage of large damage threshold (SiO₂, Si, etc.)
- ✧ Structure = phase mask for velocity matching

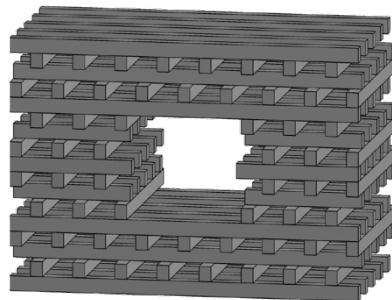
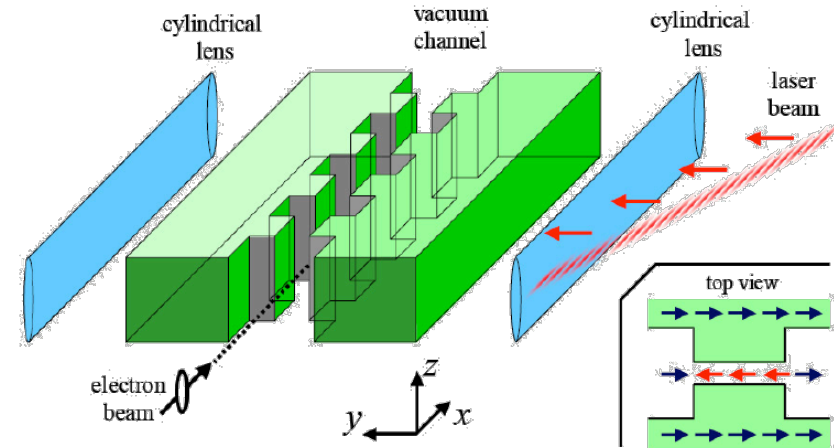
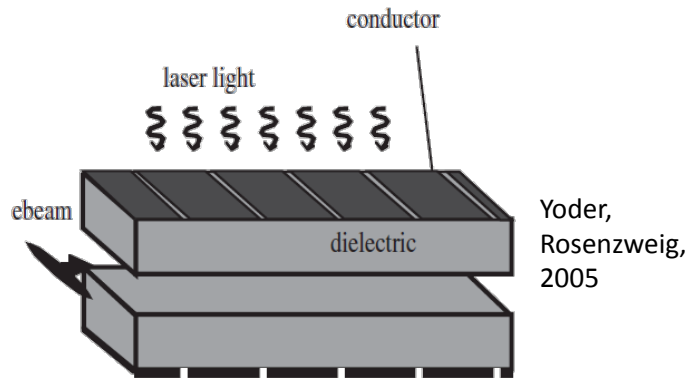




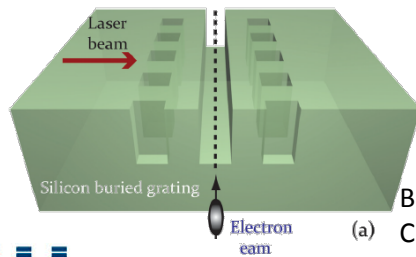
Dielectric Laser Accelerator (DLA)



Proposed dielectric structures



Woodpile
Cowan, 2008



Buried Grating
(a) Chang, Solgaard, 2014

... and variants

- Goal: generate a mode that allows momentum transfer from laser field to electrons
- Use first order effect (efficient!)
- Second order effects (ponderomotive) too inefficient

For a review and an extensive list of references, see: R. J. England et al., "Dielectric laser accelerators", *Rev. Mod. Phys.* 86, 1337 (2014)



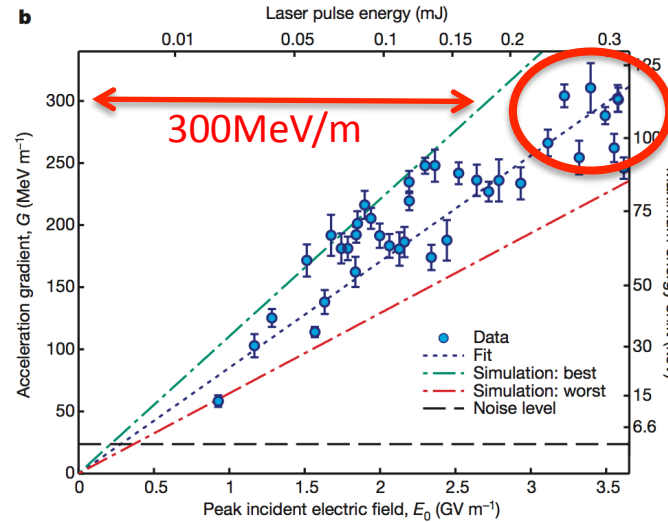
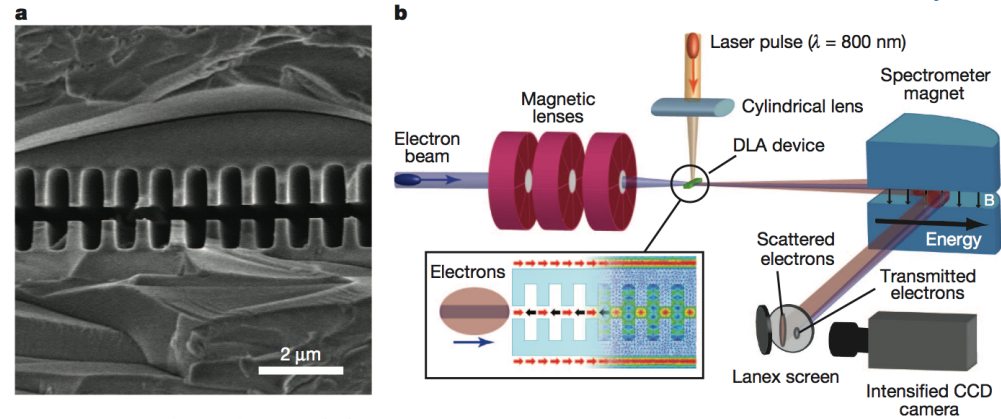
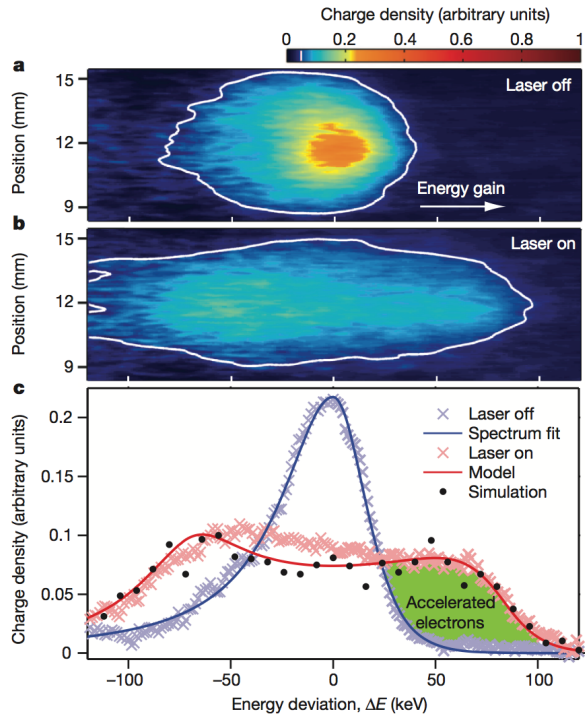
DLA RESULTS



Demonstration of electron acceleration in a laser-driven dielectric microstructure

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- ✧ Beam not bunches at λ_{laser} scale \rightarrow broad spectrum ... possible bunching: IFEL
- ✧ Inferred accelerating gradient in excess of 300MV/m
- ✧ Need sub- $(\lambda_{\text{laser}})^3$ beams, naturally low emittance and charge
- ✧ Operate at very high rep-rate



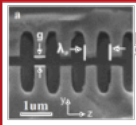
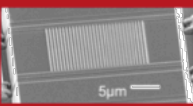
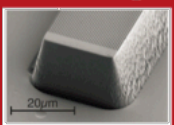


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Recent DLA Experiment Comparison

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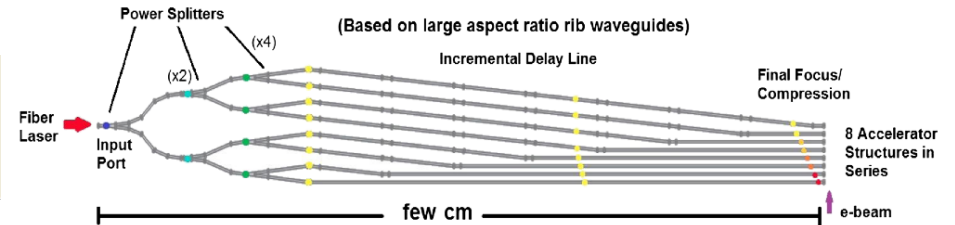
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Peralta, AIP Proc. 1507, 169 (2012)

TABLE VII. Strawman parameters for the DLA Linear Collider.

Parameter	Units	CLIC	DLA 3 TeV	DLA 250 GeV
Center-of-mass energy	GeV	3000	3000	250
Bunch charge	e	3.7×10^9	30 000	38 000
Bunches per train		312	159	159
Train repetition rate	MHz	5.0×10^{-5}	20	60
Bunch train length	ps	26 005	1.0	1.0
Single bunch length	μm	34.7	0.0028	0.0028
Design wavelength	μm	230 609	2.0	2.0
Invariant X emittance	μm	0.66	0.0001	0.002
Invariant Y emittance	μm	0.02	0.0001	0.002
IP X spot size	nm	45	1	2
IP Y spot size	nm	1	1	2
Beamstrahlung energy loss	%	28.1	1.0	0.6
Enhanced luminosity/top 1%	cm^{-2}/s	2.0×10^{34}	3.2×10^{34}	1.3×10^{34}
Beam power	MW	14.1	22.9	7.3
Wall-plug efficiency	%	4.8	12.2	9.5
Wall-plug power	MW	582	374	152
Gradient	MV/m	100	1000	1000
Total linac length	km	42.0	3.0	0.3

✧ Deliver lower average current with lower emittance?? (DLA)

Courtesy of J. England



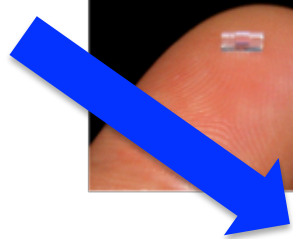
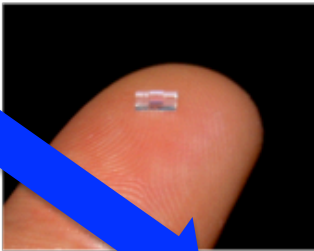


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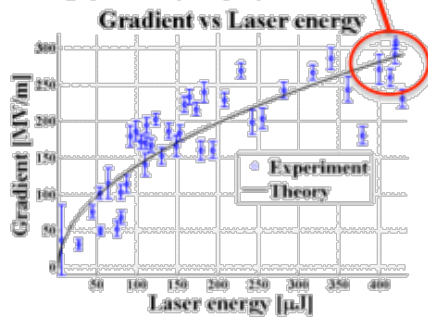


DLA Structure Development: Recent Progress

Accelerator

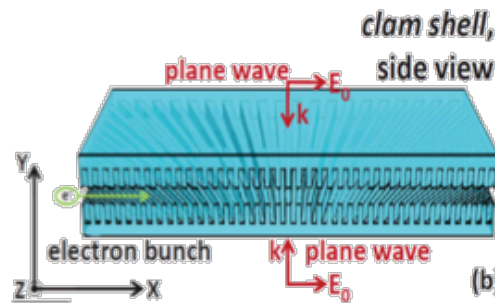


short-pulse (70 fs): 700 MV/m*
long-pulse (1.3ps): 300 MV/m*

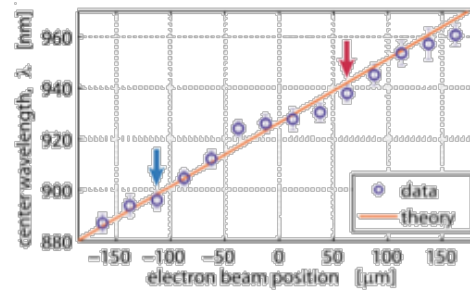


*Nature 503, 91-93 (2013)
*in prep for publication (2015)

Beam Position Monitor

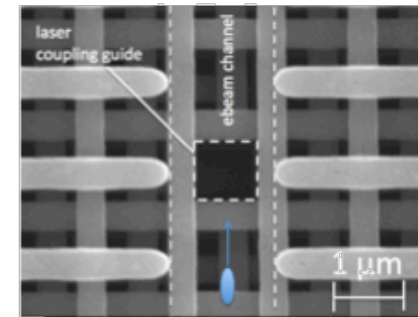
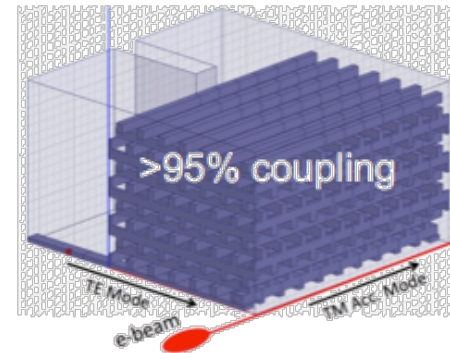


Opt. Lett., 37 (5) 975-977 (2012)



Opt. Lett., 39 (16) 4747 (2014)

Efficient Coupler Designs



C. McGuinness, Z. Wu

Phys. Rev. ST-AB, 17, 081301 (2014)

Relativistic energy experiments have shown high-gradient operation and set the stage for scaling DLA to multi MeV energies.

Courtesy of J. England





DiELECTRiC LASER ACCELERATOR (DLA)



A few general characteristics:

- ✧ Requires very short e^- bunch(es) or train of bunches: $\lambda_{\text{laser}}=1-2-10\mu\text{m}$ scale
- ✧ Requires very low emittance for focusing to $\lambda_{\text{laser}}=1-2-10\mu\text{m}$ scale
- ✧ Very low charge per bunch
- ✧ Potentially produces very low emittance beams
- ✧ Can operate at very high rep. rate (MHz to GHz, laser)
- ✧ Use efficient, well developed laser technology (diode pumped Thulium-doper fiber laser, or CO_2)
- ✧ Injector (non-relativistic) + Accelerator (relativistic)
- ✧ Linear and symmetric for e^- & e^+

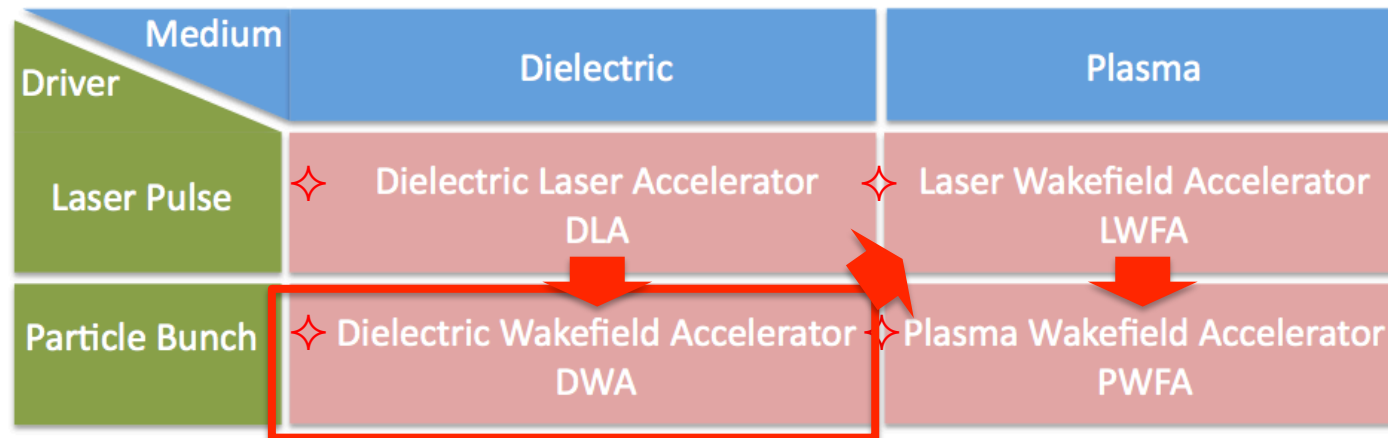




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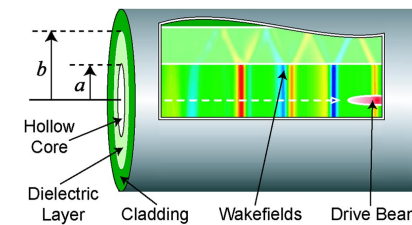


✧ Novel Accelerator Techniques “Goals”



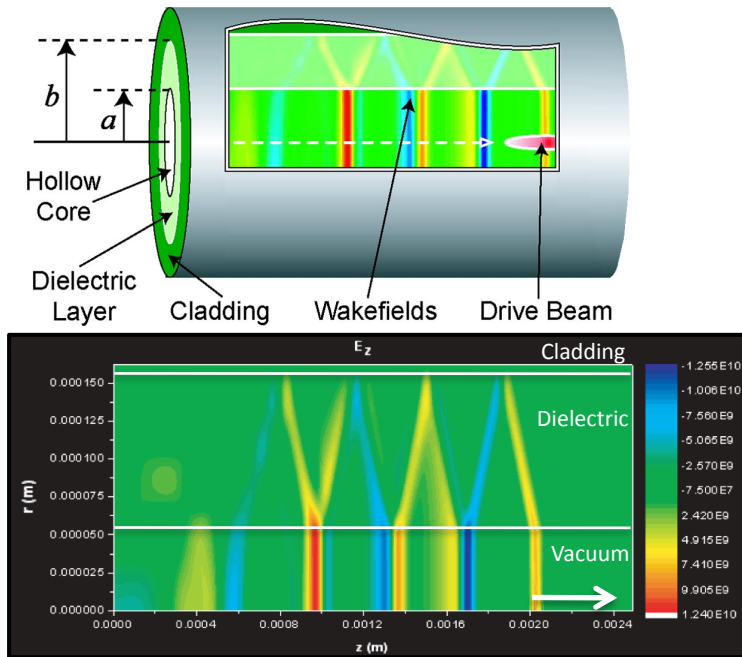
✧ Cherenkov wakes in dielectric layers

✧ Summary





Dielectric Wakefield Accelerator (DWA)



- Peak decelerating field

$$eE_{z,dec} \approx \frac{-4N_b r_e m_e c^2}{a \left[\sqrt{\frac{8\pi}{\epsilon-1} \epsilon \sigma_z} + a \right]}$$

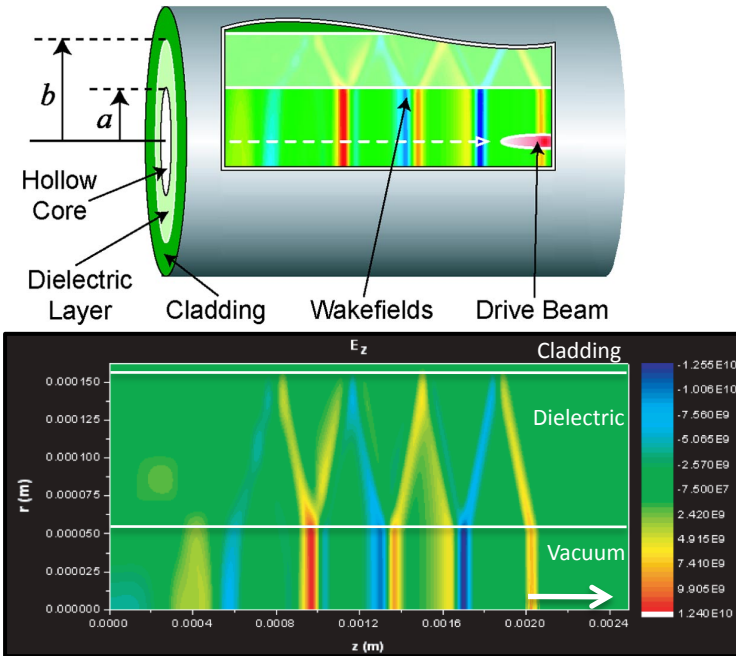
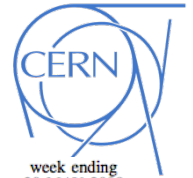
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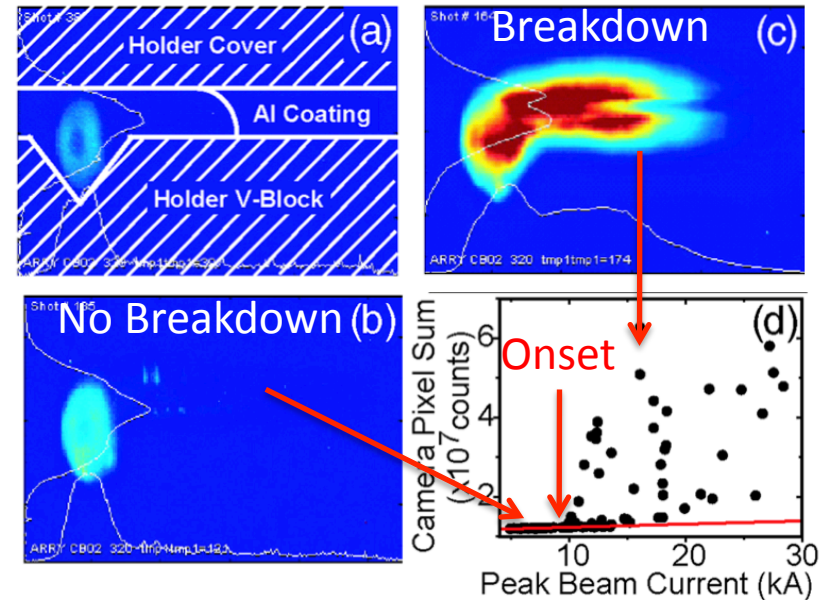
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Breakdown Limits on Gigavolt-per-Meter Electron-Beam-Driven Wakefields in Dielectric Structures

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- ✧ $\sigma_z = 100\text{-}10\mu\text{m}$, $N = 2 \times 10^{10} e^-$
- ✧ $a = 50\mu\text{m}$, $b = 162\mu\text{m}$, fused silica, $\epsilon \sim 3$, $f_1 \sim 470\text{GHz}$
- ✧ Breakdown field at $13.8 \pm 0.7\text{GV/m}$
- ✧ Estimated max. decelerating field: 11GV/m
- ✧ Estimated max. accelerating field: 17GV/m

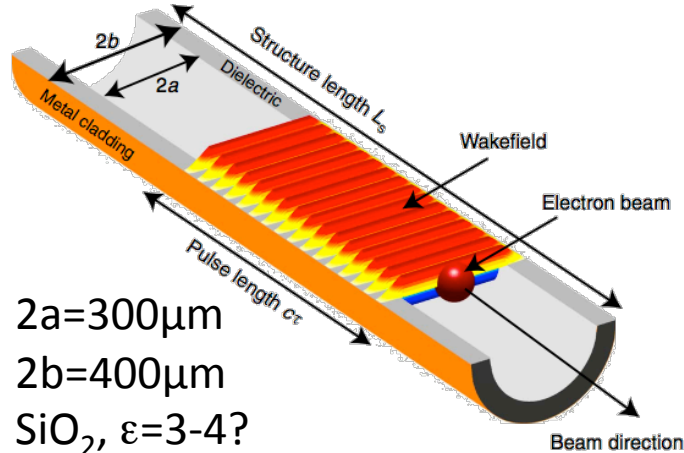




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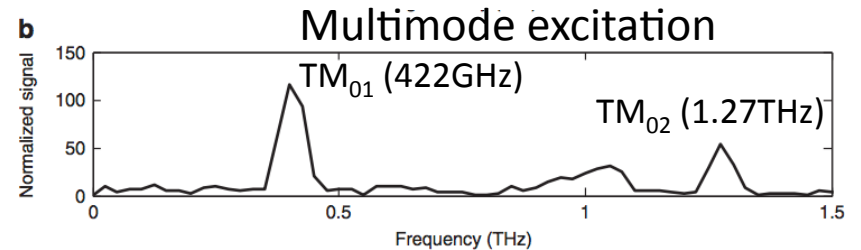
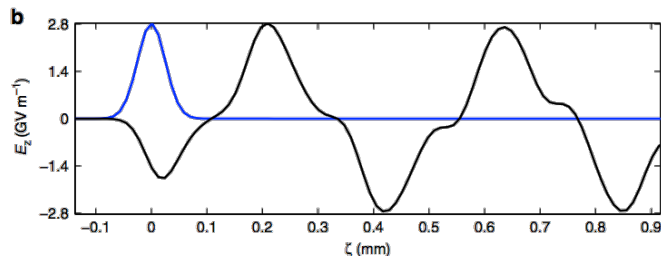
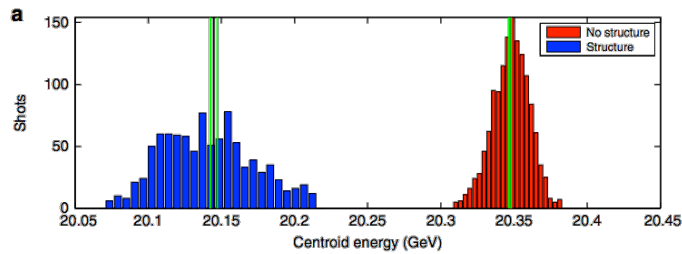
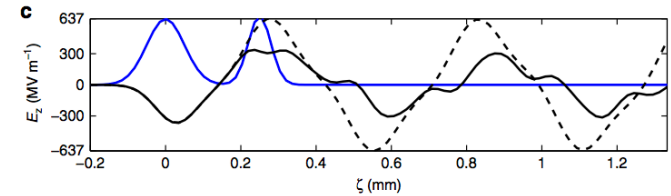
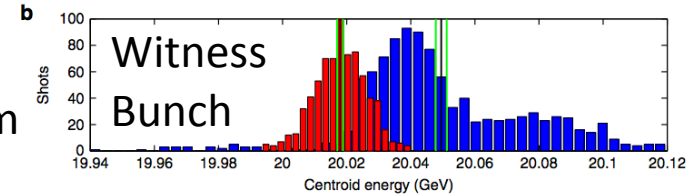
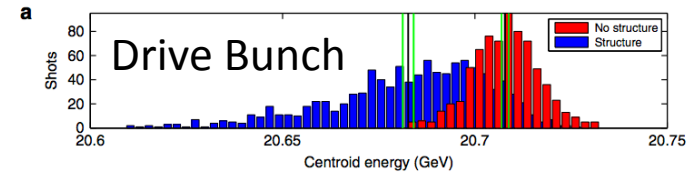
O'Shea et al., Nat. Comm. 7, 12763 (2016)



$2a=300\mu\text{m}$
 $2b=400\mu\text{m}$
 $\text{SiO}_2, \epsilon=3-4?$
 Cu cladding

$9.4 \times 10^9 e^-$
 $G_d = 252 \pm 14 \text{ MeV/m}$

$6 \times 10^9 e^-$
 $G_a = 320 \pm 17 \text{ MeV/m}$
 $E_{\text{extraction}} = 80\%$



$2 \times 10^{10} e^-$
 $\Delta E = 220 \pm 3 \text{ MeV}$ in 15 cm
 $\rightarrow G = 1.347 \pm 0.020 \text{ GeV/m}$

- ✧ GV/m demonstrated
- ✧ Energy gain by W bunch!
- ✧ Lack of proper beams





DWA RESULTS



Acceleration in slab symmetric DWA

- Structure:
 - SiO₂, planar geometry, beam gap 240μm
- BNL ATF
 - Flat beam
 - Long bunch structure with two peaks
- Acceleration of trailing peak
- Robust start-to-end simulations for benchmarking

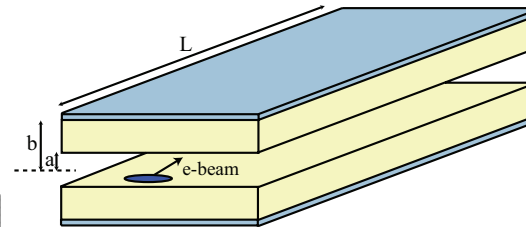
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PHYSICAL REVIEW LETTERS

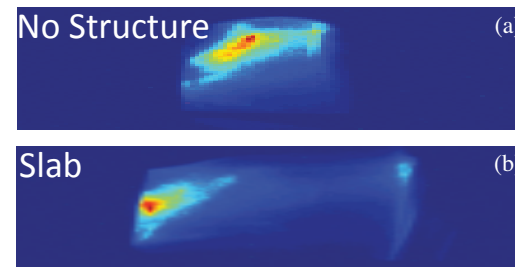
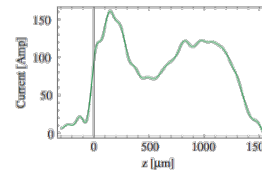
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Dielectric Wakefield Acceleration of a Relativistic Electron Beam in a Slab-Symmetric Dielectric Lined Waveguide

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SiO₂, Al
T_{SLAB}=240μm
T_{gap}=240μm
L_z=2cm
ε_N=2mm-mrad



E₀=59MeV
Q=100-900pC
L_z~1.2mm
ε_N=2mm-mrad

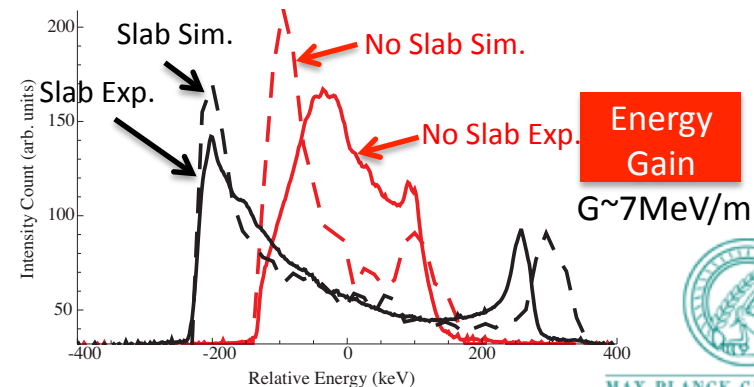
Slab geometry allows for:

- ✧ Reduced transverse wakefields
 $W'_{per} \sim k^3 \rightarrow 0$ when $\sigma_{||} \gg a$
- ✧ More charge per bunch
- ✧ Demonstration of energy gain!

TABLE I. Comparison multibunch BBU of a cylindrical and slab-symmetric linear accelerator with an average accelerating gradient of 1 GeV/m, fundamental wavelength $\lambda_0 = 2\pi/k_0 = 10.6 \mu\text{m}$, $a = 2.5 \mu\text{m}$, and beam loading quality factor $Q = 1000$; only the lowest frequency dipolelike mode is considered, with $\sigma_x = 100 \mu\text{m}$ in the slab case. Comparison parameters: average current eNc/λ_0 , transverse wake strength W'_1/eN , and BBU growth length L_g .

	Slab case	Cylindrical case
Average current	490 mA	16 mA
Transverse wake (dominant dipole)	30 V/(mm ² fC)	10 ⁵ V/(mm ² fC)
Multibunch BBU growth length	15 cm	1.4 cm

Tremaine
PRE 56 7210 (1997)



✧ Appropriate for “flat” collider beams?



MULTIBUNCH PWFA



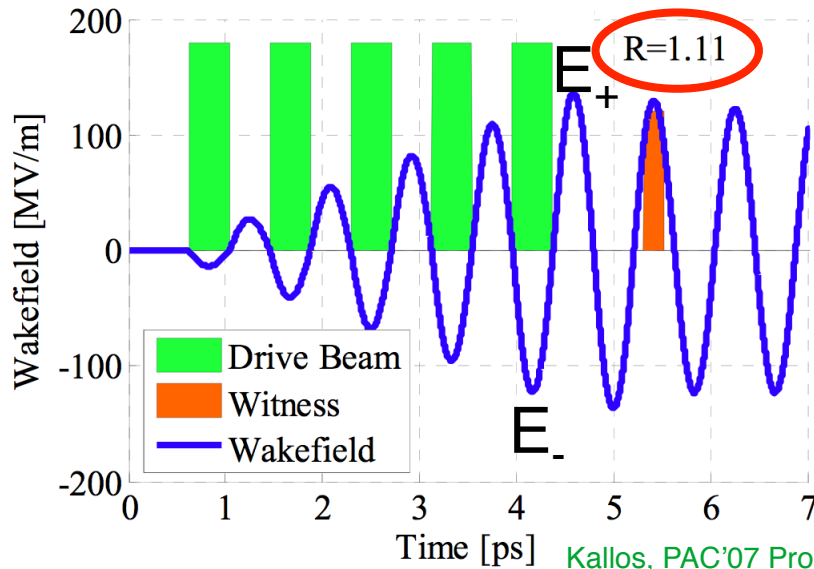
Transformer Ratio: $R = E_+ / E_-$ Energy Gain: $\leq RE_0$

$\sigma_r = 125 \mu\text{m}$, $n_e = 1.8 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$, $\lambda_p = 250 \mu\text{m}$

E_0 : incoming energy

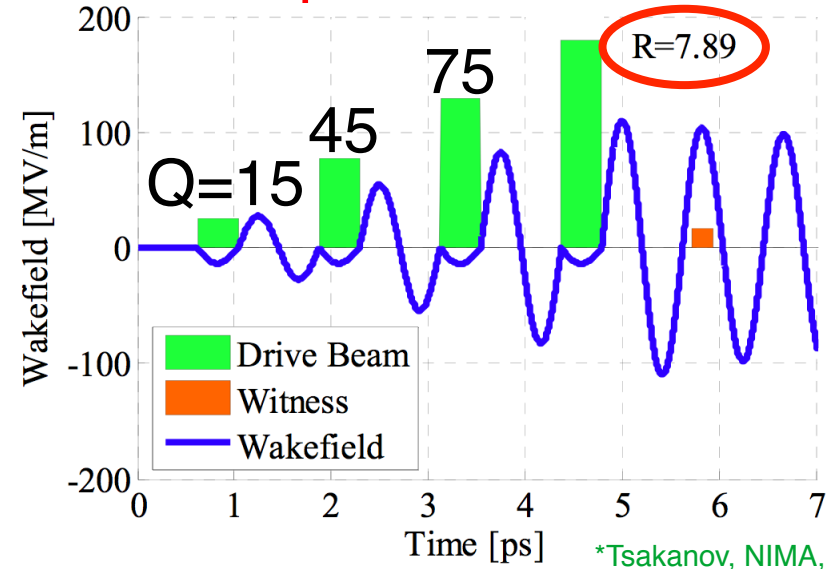
$Q = 30 \text{ pC/bunch}$, $\Delta z = 250 \mu\text{m} = \lambda_p$

Bunch Train



$\Delta z = 375 \mu\text{m} = 1.5\lambda_p$

Ramped Bunch Train*



- ➔ Single, symmetric bunch transformer ratio: $R \leq 2$
- ➔ Resonant excitation of wakefields
- ➔ Large transformer ratio and energy gain (> 2)
- ➔ Energy conservation: $Q_W \Delta E_W \leq Q_D \Delta E_D$

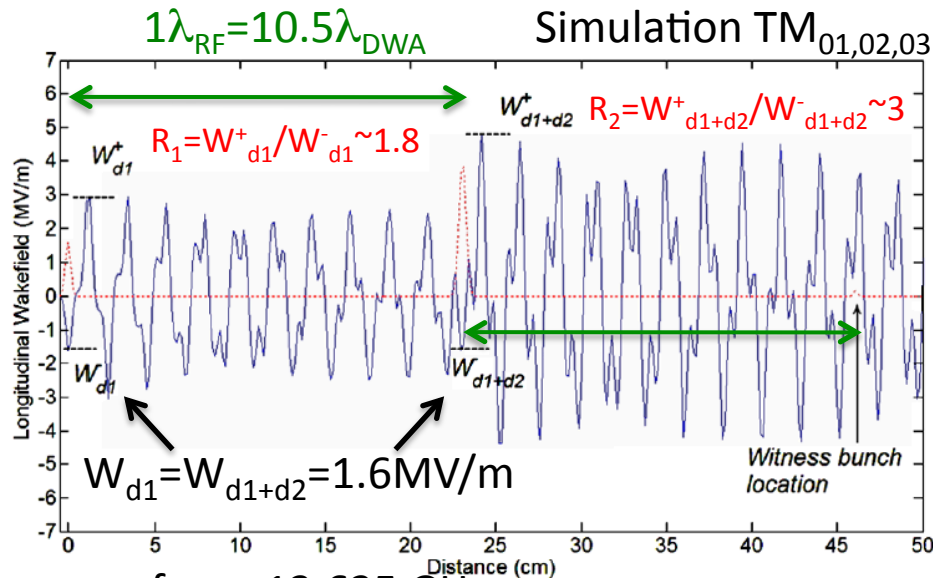




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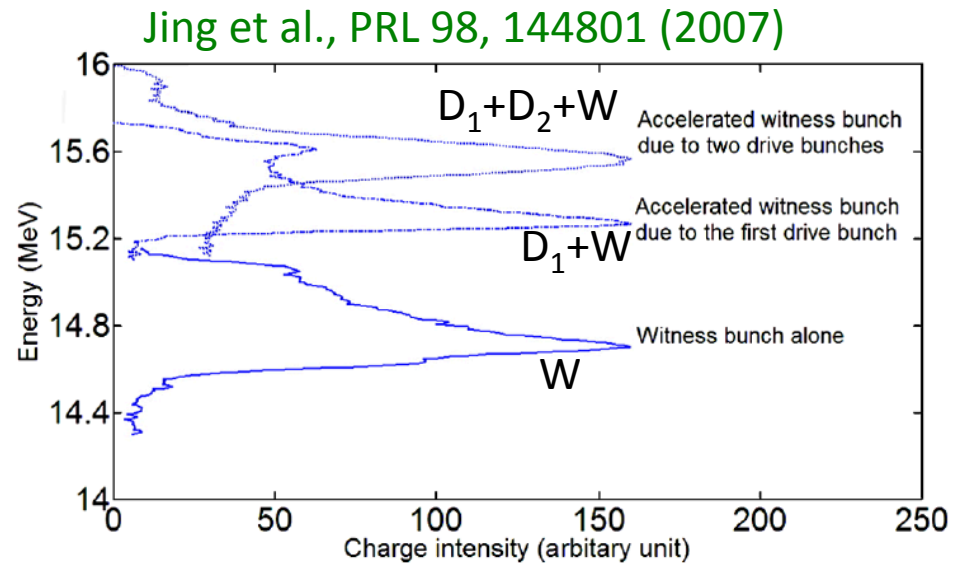
✧ S-Band gun produces 2D+1W bunches in three buckets



$f_{TM01} = 13.625 \text{ GHz}$

$Q_{d1} = 8 \text{ nC}, Q_{d2} = 20 \text{ nC}, Q_w = 1 \text{ nC}$ $R_2/R_1 1.6$

$\sigma_{d1} = 1.5 \text{ mm}, \sigma_{d2} = 2 \text{ mm}$



$$R_2/R_1 = \left(\frac{W_{d1+d2}^+}{W_{d1+d2}^-} \right) / \left(\frac{W_{d1}^+}{W_{d1}^-} \right) = \frac{W_{d1+d2}^+}{W_{d1}^+} = 1.31 \pm 0.13.$$

2a=5mm

2b=6.35mm

$Al_2O_3, \epsilon = 16$

Cu tube



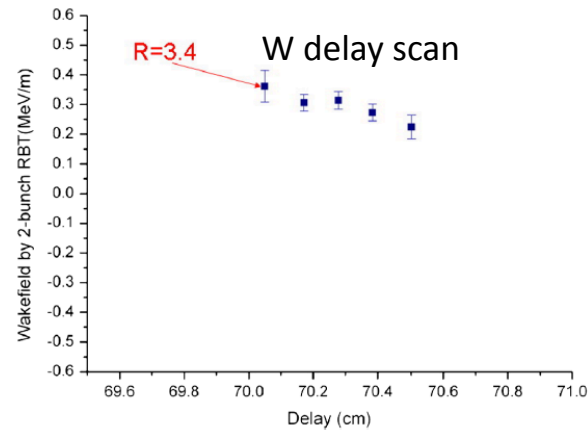
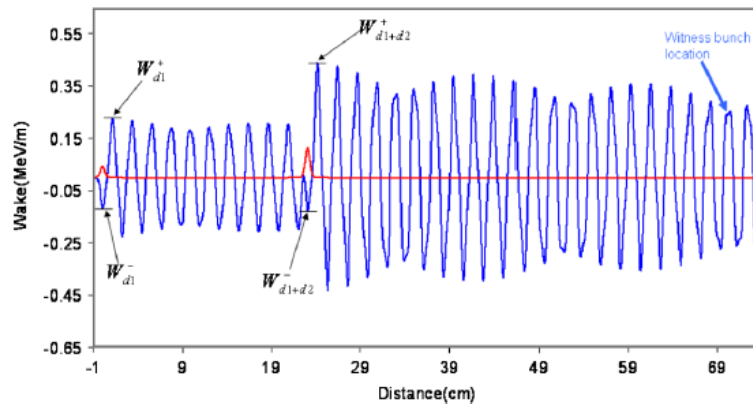
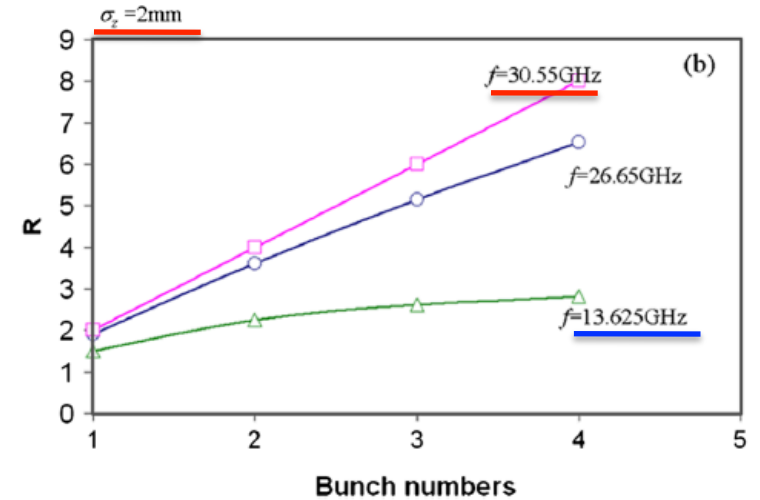
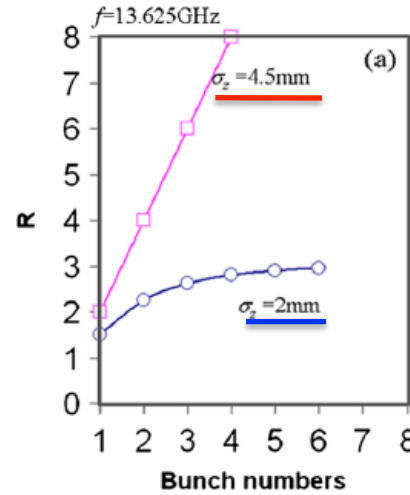
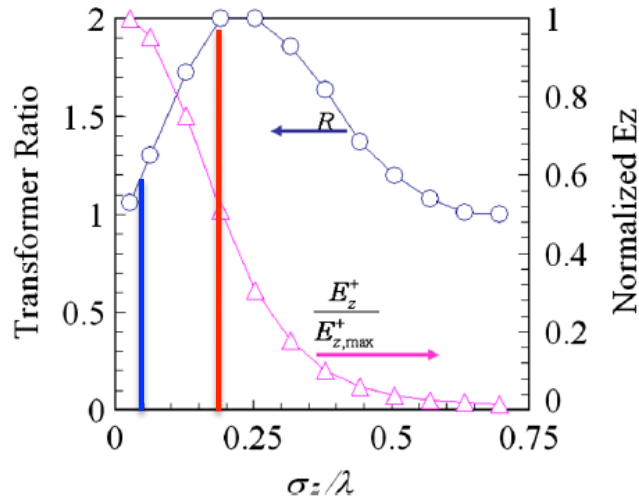
- ✧ $R = 2.3 > 2!$
- ✧ Ramped bunch train increases R by 1.3
- ✧ Demonstration of energy gain!
- ✧ Other shapes: door step, double triangle, etc.



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- ✧ S-Band gun produces 2D+1W bunches in three buckets
- ✧ $f_{DWA}=13.625\text{GHz} \Rightarrow \lambda_{DWA}=22\text{mm}$: $\sigma_z=2\text{mm} \rightarrow 4.5\text{mm}$



- ✧ $\sigma_z=2\text{mm} \rightarrow 4.5\text{mm} \rightarrow$ less TM_{02} (39.4GHz)
- ✧ $Q_1:Q_2=2.7 (3.0) \rightarrow R_1=1.97 (2.0), R_2=3.4 (4.0), R_2/R_1=1.73 (2.0)$
- ✧ Better matched parameters \rightarrow better results





DiELECTRiC WAKEFiELD ACCELERATOR (DWA)



A few general characteristics:

- ✧ Driven by short e^- bunch(es)
- ✧ GV/m possible
- ✧ Short bunches for GV/m: ($<100\mu\text{m}$)
- ✧ Linear and symmetric for e^- & e^+
- ✧ Accommodate/prefer flat beams in planar structure
- ✧ Can use diamond: low SEY, excellent thermal conductivity, etc.
- ✧ Operate in the 10's to 100's GHz range
- ✧ Multi-mode?

- ✧ Extended structure without focusing? (ultra-low emittance)



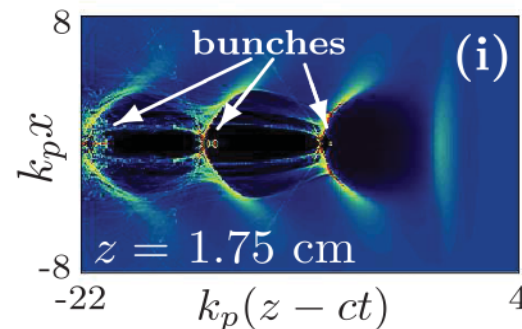
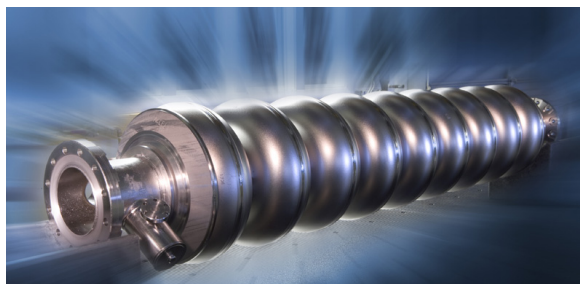
OUTLINE

✧ Novel Accelerator Techniques “Goals”

Medium	Dielectric	Plasma
Driver		
Laser Pulse	✧ Dielectric Laser Accelerator DLA	✧ Laser Wakefield Accelerator LWFA
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✧ Intense laser pulse to drive wakefields in plasma

✧ Summary

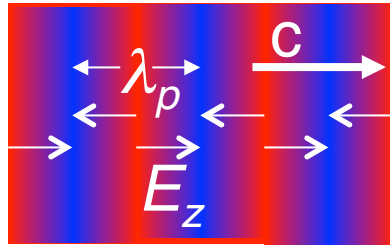
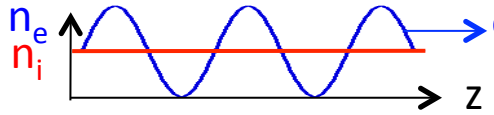




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LARGE

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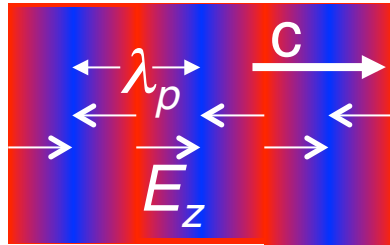
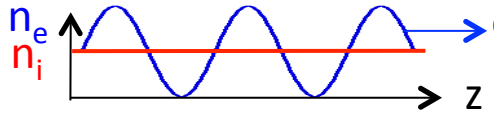




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- ✧ No structure to build
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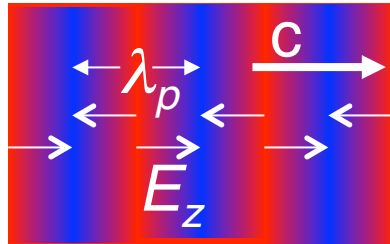
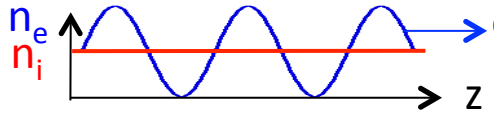




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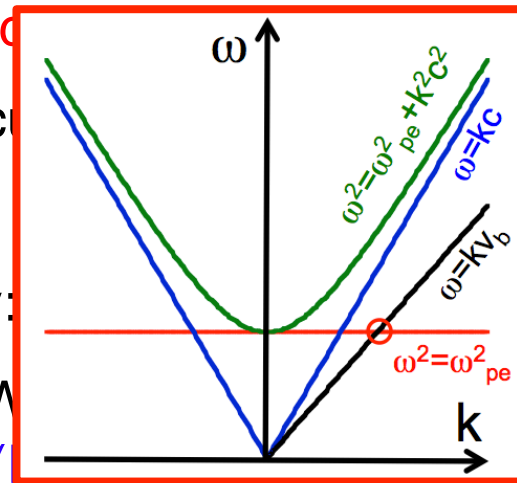
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Single mode system!





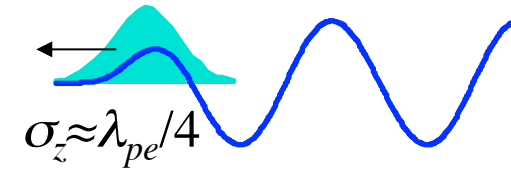
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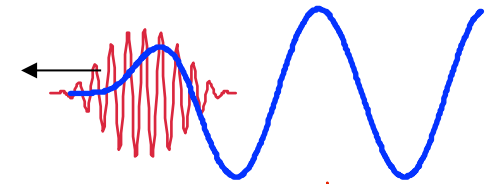
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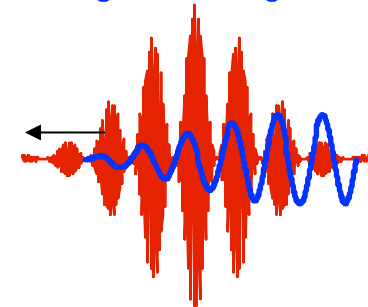
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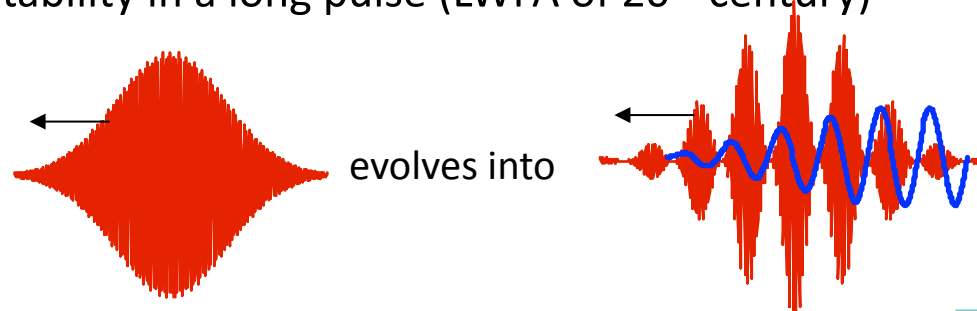
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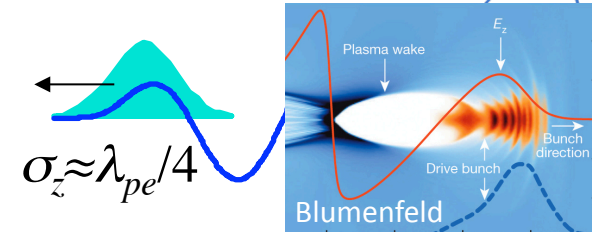
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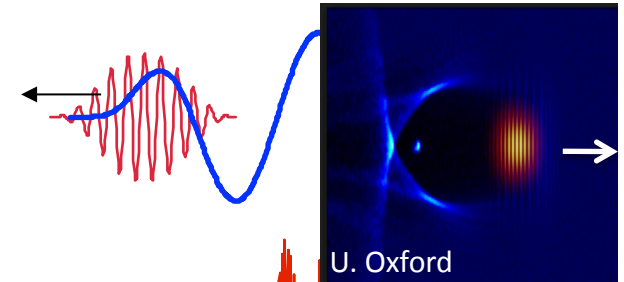
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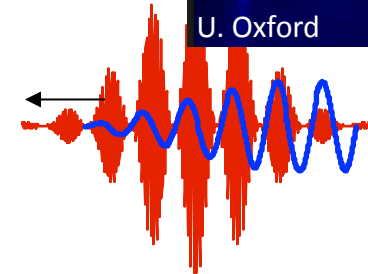
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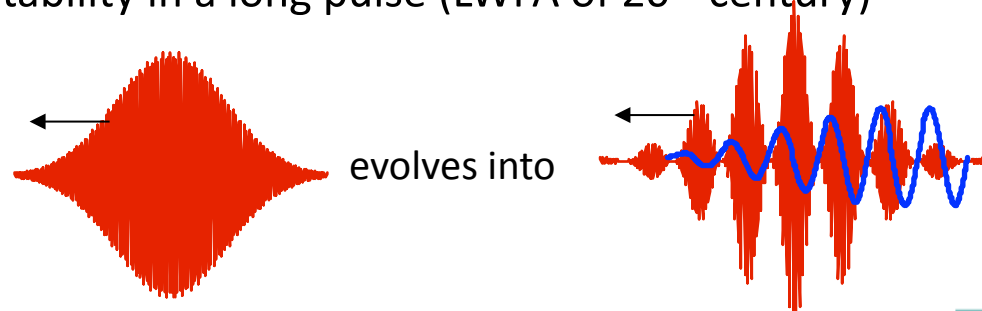
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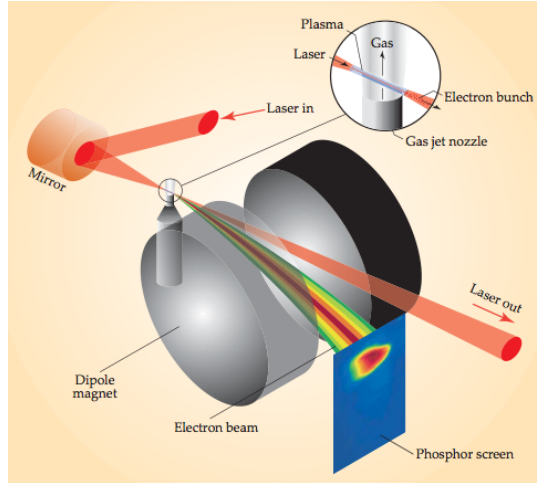


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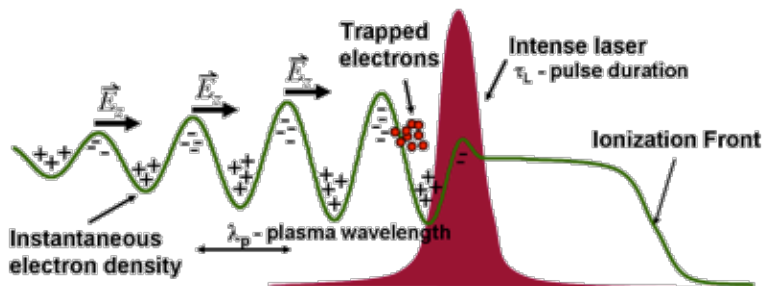
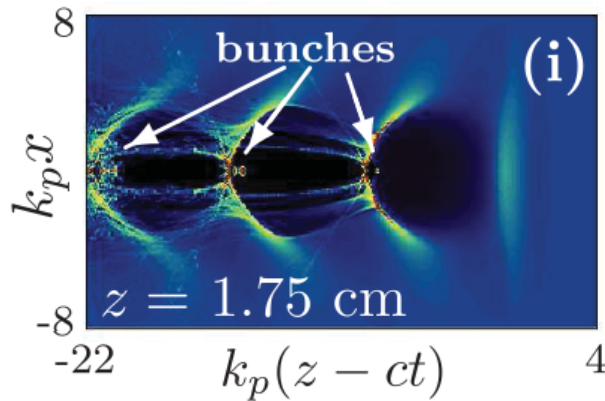
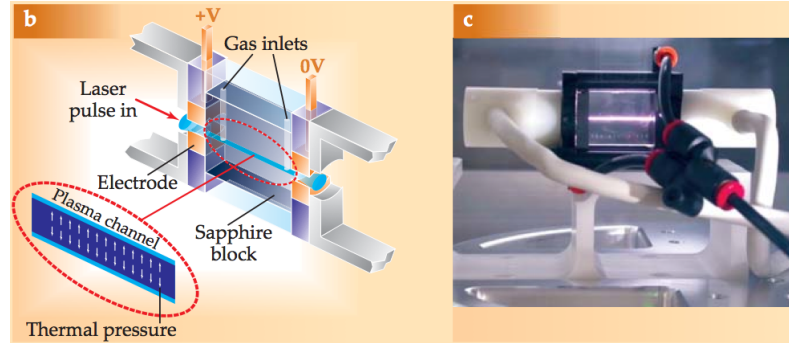


LASER WAKEFIELD ACCELERATOR (LWFA)

Gas Jet Plasma (short, injector)



Capillary Discharge Plasma (long, accelerator)



Leemans, Physics Today 2009

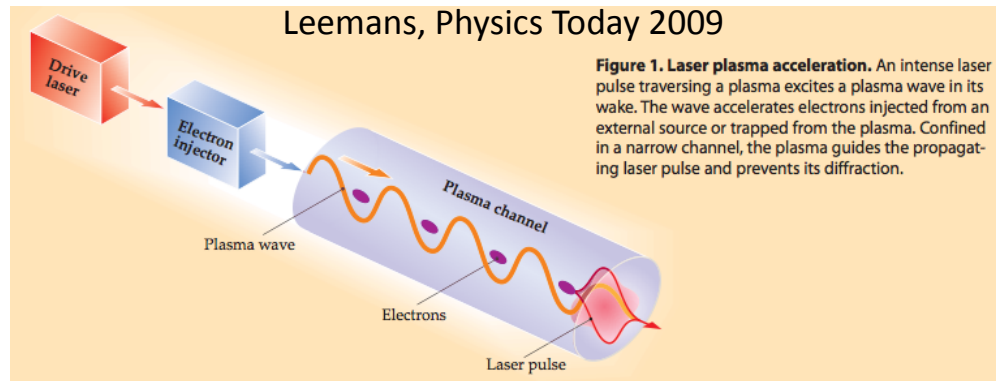


Figure 1. Laser plasma acceleration. An intense laser pulse traversing a plasma excites a plasma wave in its wake. The wave accelerates electrons injected from an external source or trapped from the plasma. Confined in a narrow channel, the plasma guides the propagating laser pulse and prevents its diffraction.

- ✧ Most active field
- ✧ Availability of TW Ti:Sapphire laser systems
- ✧ Few TW for 10-100MeV e⁻ in a few mm
- ✧ Acceleration, guiding
- ✧ Self-trapping
- ✧ Injection (plasma “gun”)
- ✧ Diagnostics
- ✧ Radiation source
- ✧ ...





LASER WAKEFIELD ACCELERATOR (LWFA)

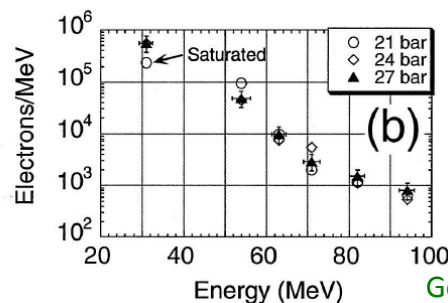
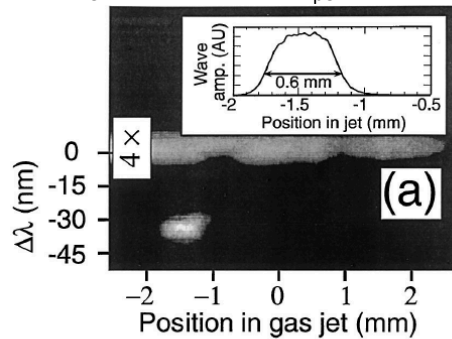


✧ Wakefields driven by ponderomotive force of an intense laser beam

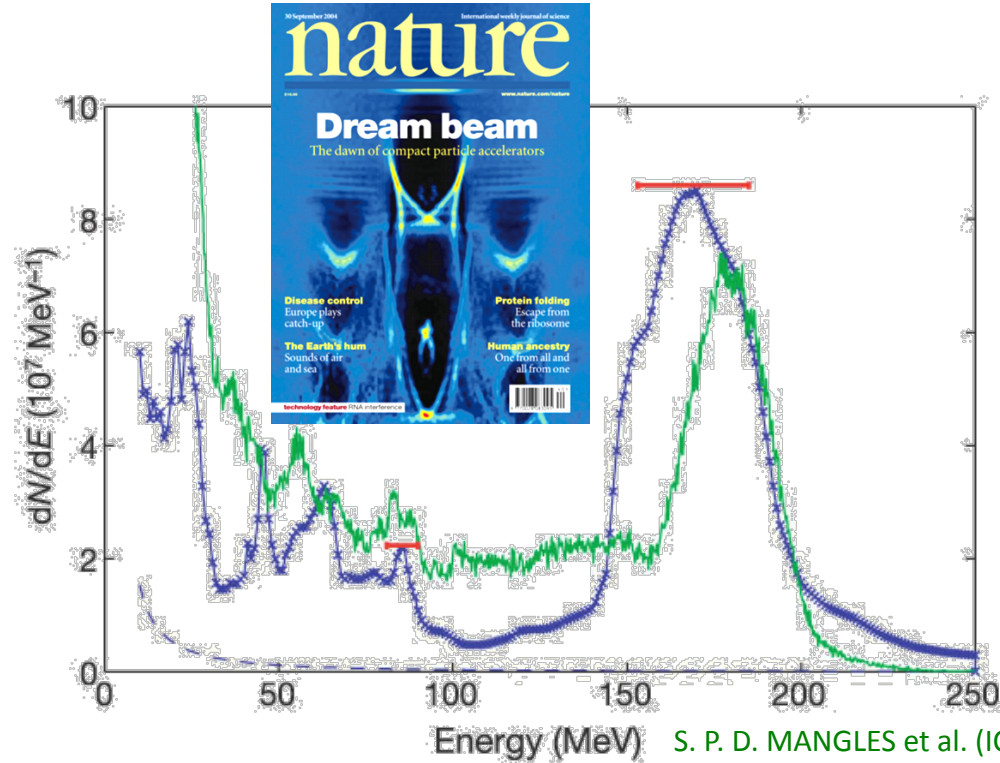
$$a_0 = v_{osc}/c = eE_0/mc\omega_0 \sim 1$$

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20J, 1ps, 20TW, 1.053 μm
20 μm dia, $I_0 = 6 \times 10^{18} \text{W/cm}^2$, $a_0 = 2$
 $n_e = 1.4 \times 10^{19} \text{cm}^{-3}$, $\lambda_{pe} = 9 \mu\text{m}$



Gordon et al., PRL 80, 2133 (1998)



S. P. D. MANGLES et al. (IC)
C. G. R. GEDDES et al. (LBNL)
J. FAURE et al. (LOA)
Nature 431, 2004

- ✧ Forward Raman scattering (self-modulation)
- ✧ Wave breaking injection
- ✧ Nonlinear plasma wave
- ✧ Acceleration beyond linear dephasing limit

- ✧ "Monoenergetic" bunches (self-trapped)
- ✧ Short laser pulse ($a_0 > 1$)





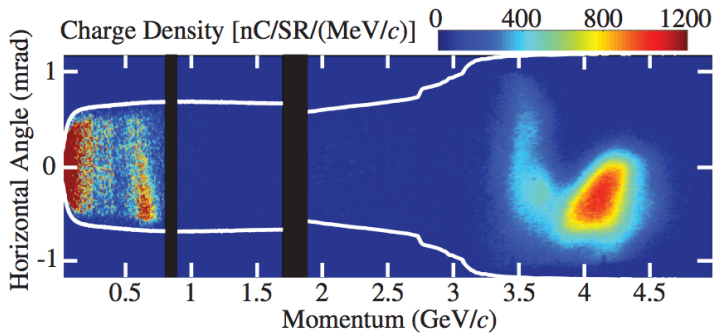
LWFA RESULTS



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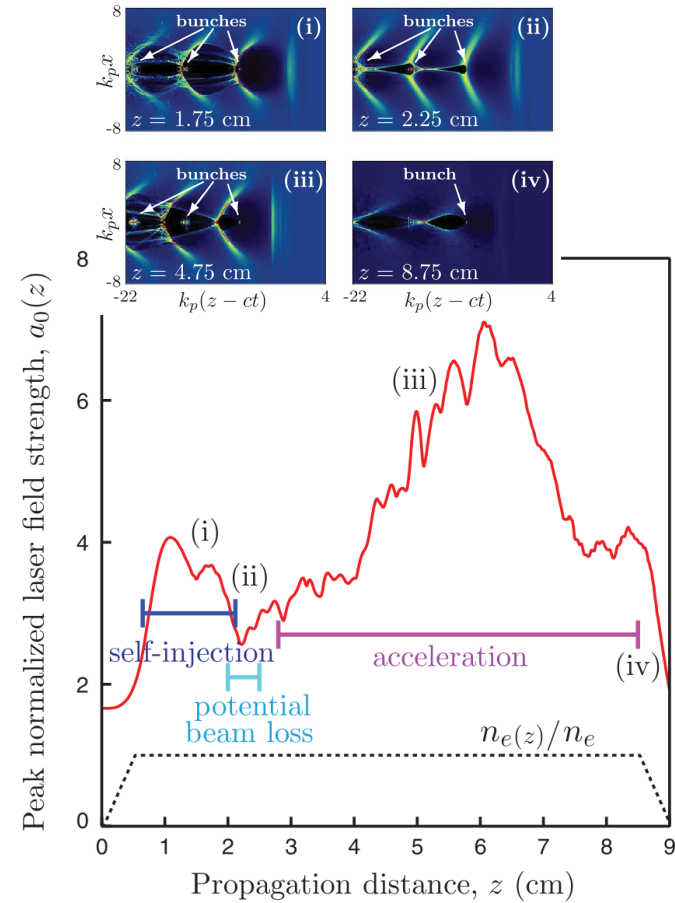
Multi-GeV Electron Beams from Capillary-Discharge-Guided Subpetawatt Laser Pulses in the Self-Trapping Regime

W. P. Leemans,^{1,2,*} A. J. Gonsalves,¹ H.-S. Mao,¹ K. Nakamura,¹ C. Benedetti,¹ C. B. Schroeder,¹ Cs. Tóth,¹ J. Daniels,¹ D. E. Mittelberger,^{2,†} S. S. Bulanov,^{2,‡} J.-L. Vay,¹ C. G. R. Geddes,¹ and E. Esarey¹
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$E_{av} = 4.2 \text{ GeV}$, $\Delta E/E_{RMS} = 6\%$
 $Q = 6 \text{ pC}$
 $\Theta_{rms} = 0.3 \text{ mrad}$
 $L_p = 9 \text{ cm}$, $n_e \approx 7 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$
Capillary discharge
 $P_{laser} \approx 0.3 \text{ PW}$
 $W = 16 \text{ J}$, $\sigma_r \approx 52 \mu\text{m}$, $\tau \approx 42 \text{ fs}$

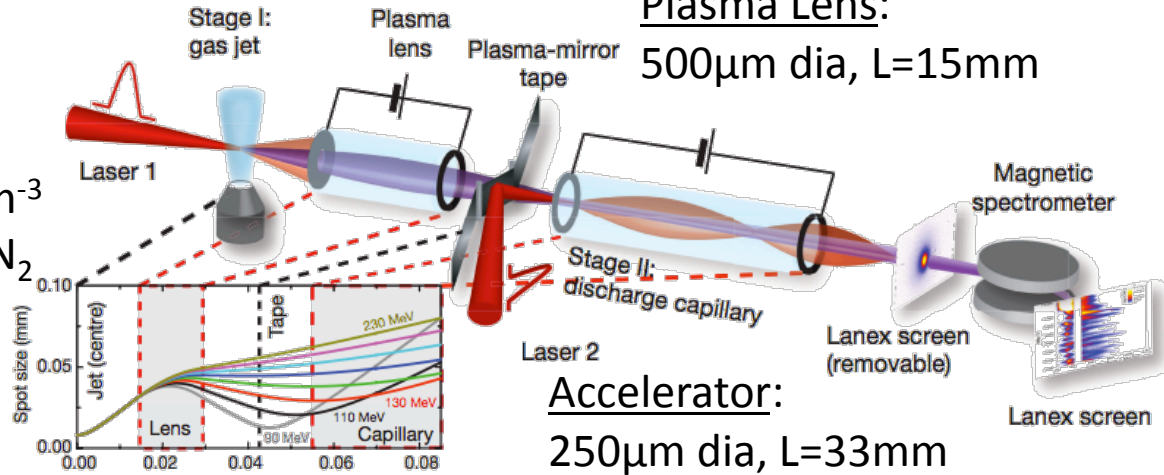
- ✦ Peak energy gain 4.2 GeV in <10 cm
- ✦ Self-trapped plasma e⁻
- ✦ Needed: controlled external injection
- ✦ 100 TW laser pulse with joules (i.e., not too short)





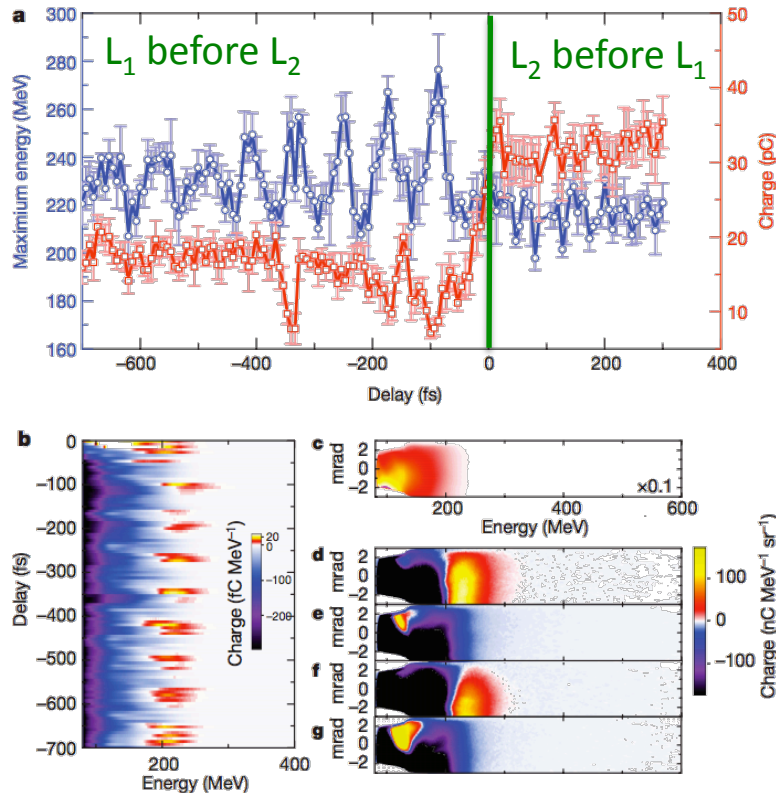
LWFA RESULTS

Gas jet:
 $n_e = 5 \times 10^{18} \text{ cm}^{-3}$
99%He+1%N₂
L=700μm



Plasma Lens:
500μm dia, L=15mm

Accelerator:
250μm dia, L=33mm



Steinke et al., Nature 530(11), 190, 2016

- ✧ Staged acceleration (low energy)
- ✧ Use of plasma optic and plasma mirror

Laser-driven plasma-wave electron accelerators
Wim Leemans and Eric Esarey
Physics Today
feature article

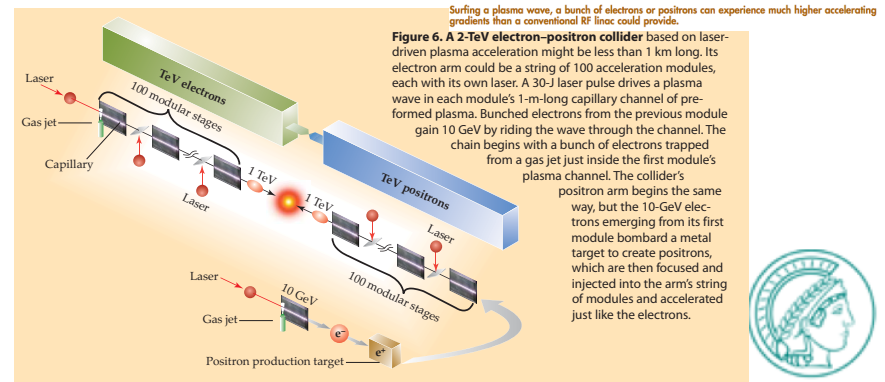


Figure 6. A 2-TeV electron-positron collider based on laser-driven plasma acceleration might be less than 1 km long. Its electron arm could be a string of 100 acceleration modules, each with its own laser. A 30-J laser pulse drives a plasma wave in each module's 1-m-long capillary channel of pre-formed plasma. Bunched electrons from the previous module gain 10 GeV by riding the wave through the channel. The chain begins with a bunch of electrons trapped from a gas jet just inside the first module's plasma channel. The collider's positron arm begins the same way, but the 10-GeV electrons emerging from its first module bombard a metal target to create positrons, which are then focused and injected into the arm's string of modules and accelerated just like the electrons.





LWFA INJECTORS (some)



❖ Wave breaking: drive the wave very non linear (Dawson, PRL,1956)

❖ Ionization trapping (Oz, PRL 98, 084801 (2007))

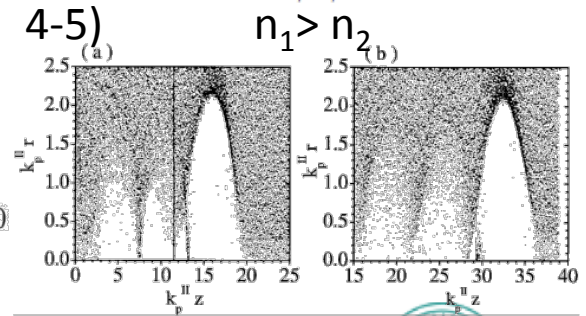
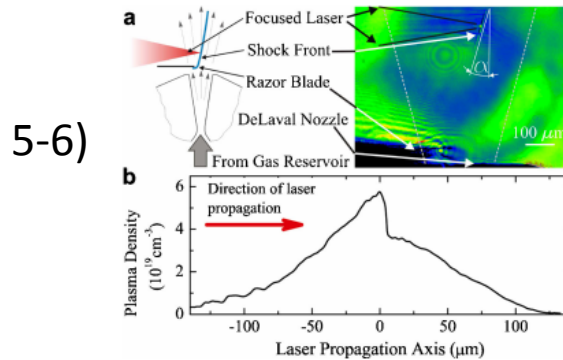
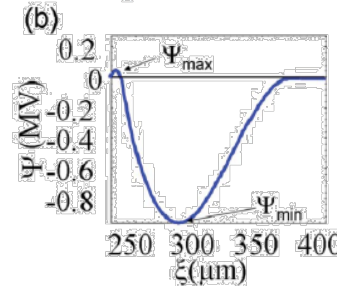
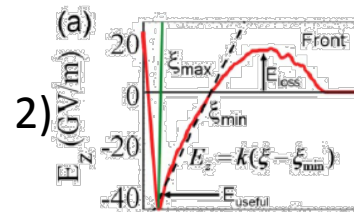
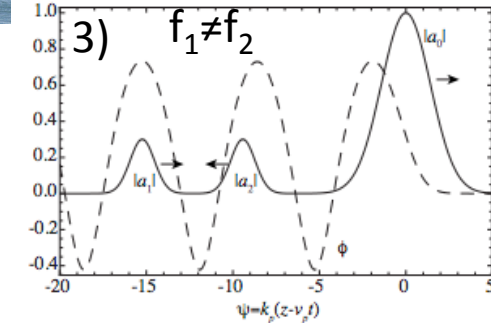
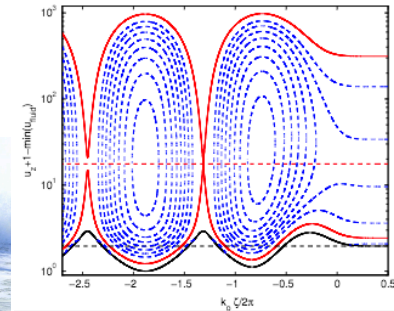
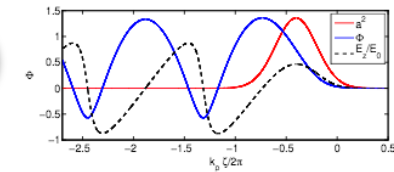
❖ Three- two laser beams
(Umstadter PRL 76, 2073 (1996), Esarey, PRL 79, 2682 (1997))

❖ Density step (Suk PRL 86, 1011)

❖ Density down-ramp

❖ Shock in a gas jet (Schmid PRST-AB 13, 091301 (2010))

❖ External injection



Physics of laser-driven plasma-based electron accelerators, E. Esarey et al., Rev. Mod. Phys. 81, 1229 (2009)

Overview of plasma-based accelerator concepts, E. Esarey et al., IEEE TPS, 24(2), 252 (1996)





LWFA LASER DEVELOPMENT



- ✧ International Committee on Ultra-high Intensity Lasers (ICUIL)
- “Our mission is to stimulate, strengthen and expand ultra-intense laser science and related technologies.”



- ✧ The International Coherent Amplification Network (ICAN)
- “The network is looking into existing **fiber laser technology**, which we believe has **fantastic potential for accelerators**”
- “**CERN**'s contribution to the ICAN project is part of a wider strategy to encourage the development of laser acceleration technologies. By supporting ICAN and similar research projects, CERN will be contributing to the **R&D of potentially ground-breaking accelerator technologies.**”



- ✧ Strong effort to develop high peak power/high average power, short pulse lasers

- ✧ The future is fiber lasers?





LASER WAKEFIELD ACCELERATOR (LWFA)



A few general characteristics:

- ✧ High laser intensity: $I_0 > 10^{18} \text{Wcm}^{-2}$, $P > 40 \text{TW}$
- ✧ Short laser pulse(?): $40 \text{fs} < \lambda_{pe}$
- ✧ High plasma density: $n_e > 10^{18} \text{cm}^{-3}$?
- ✧ $\lambda_0 \sim 1 \mu\text{m}$: $Z_R = \pi w_0^2 / \lambda_0 = 314 \mu\text{m}$ for $w_0 = 10 \mu\text{m}$
- ✧ Tight focus: $< \lambda_{pe}$
- ✧ Provide ionization

- ✧ $v_\phi \sim v_{g, \text{laser}} < c$: dephasing ...
- ✧ Does not trap plasma e^- for $n_e < 10^{18} \text{cm}^{-3}$ (wave too fast, field too low)
- ✧ Need external guiding for large energy gain: self-guiding, radial density depletion (capillary), etc.
- ✧ External injection in low density plasma ($n_e \sim 10^{17} \text{cm}^{-3}$) in glass capillary (Wojda, PRE 80, 066403 2009)
- ✧ Energy loss to wakefields leads to spectral modifications and evolution

- ✧ Matched laser/plasma: high energy, long pulse (ps) laser pulse

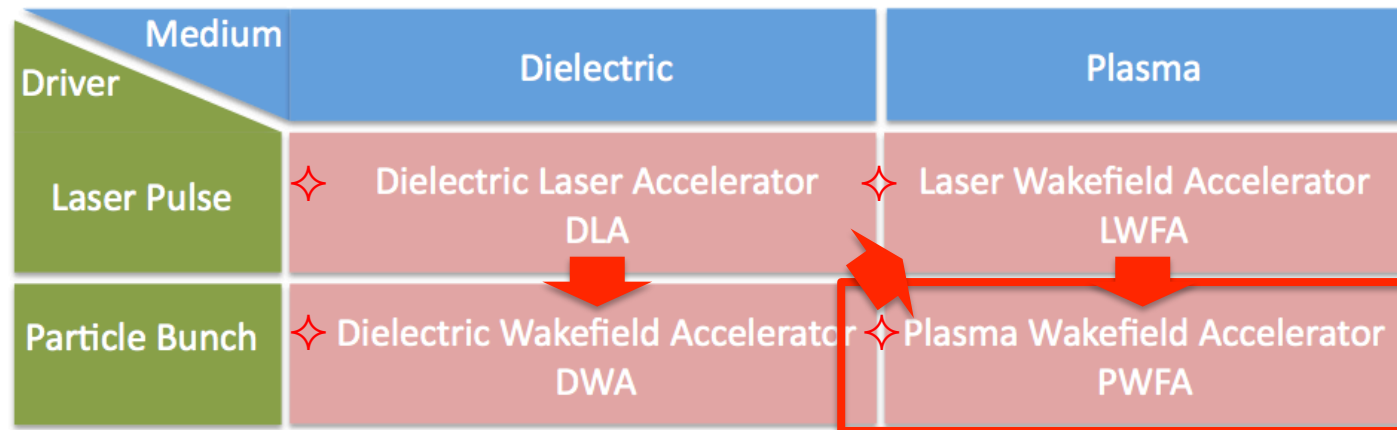




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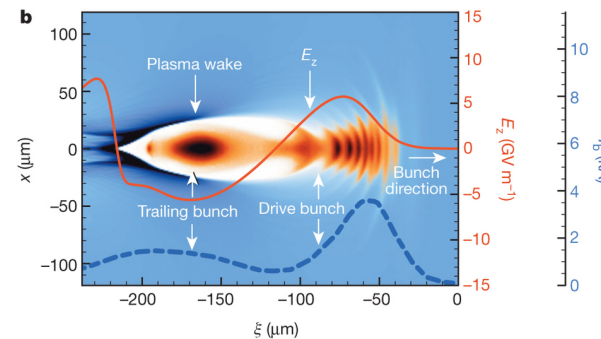


✧ Novel Accelerator Techniques “Goals”



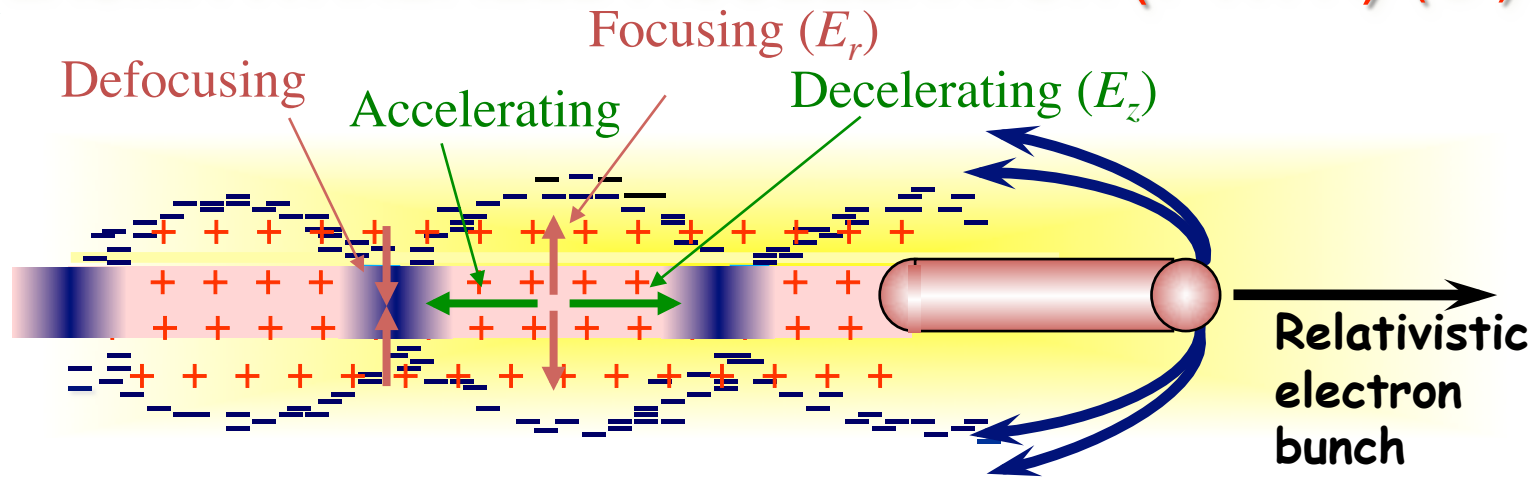
✧ Dense, relativistic particle bunch to drive wakefields in a plasma

✧ Summary





PLASMA WAKEFIELD ACCELERATOR (PWFA) (e^-)

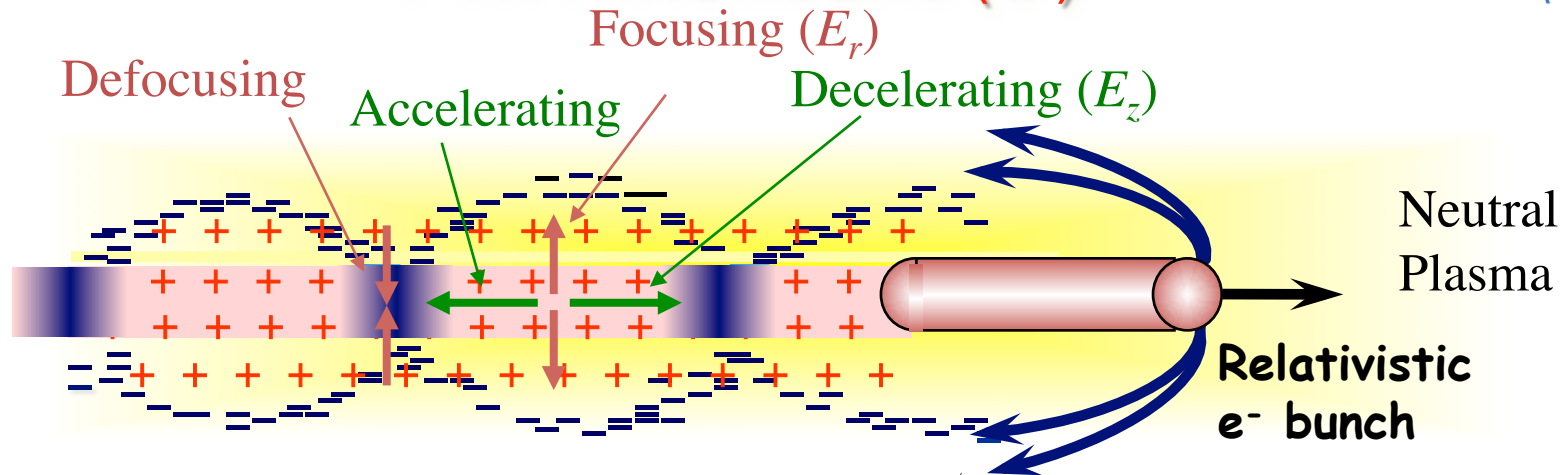


- ➔ Plasma wave/wake excited by a relativistic particle bunch
- ➔ Plasma e^- expelled by space charge force \Rightarrow deceleration + focusing (MT/m)
- ➔ Plasma e^- rush back on axis \Rightarrow acceleration, GV/m
- ➔ Ultra-relativistic driver \Rightarrow ultra-relativistic wake
 \Rightarrow no dephasing
- ➔ Particle bunches have long “Rayleigh length”
(beta function $\beta^* = \sigma^{*2} / \epsilon \sim \text{cm, m}$)
- ➔ Acceleration physics identical PWFA, LWFA





PWFA NUMBERS (e⁻)



✧ Linear theory ($n_b \ll n_e$) scaling:

$$E_{acc} \cong 110 (MV/m) \frac{N/2 \times 10^{10}}{(\sigma_z/0.6mm)^2} \approx N/\sigma_z^2$$

@ $k_{pe} \sigma_z \approx \sqrt{2}$ (with $k_{pe} \sigma_r \ll 1$) $k_{pe} \sim n_e^{1/2}$

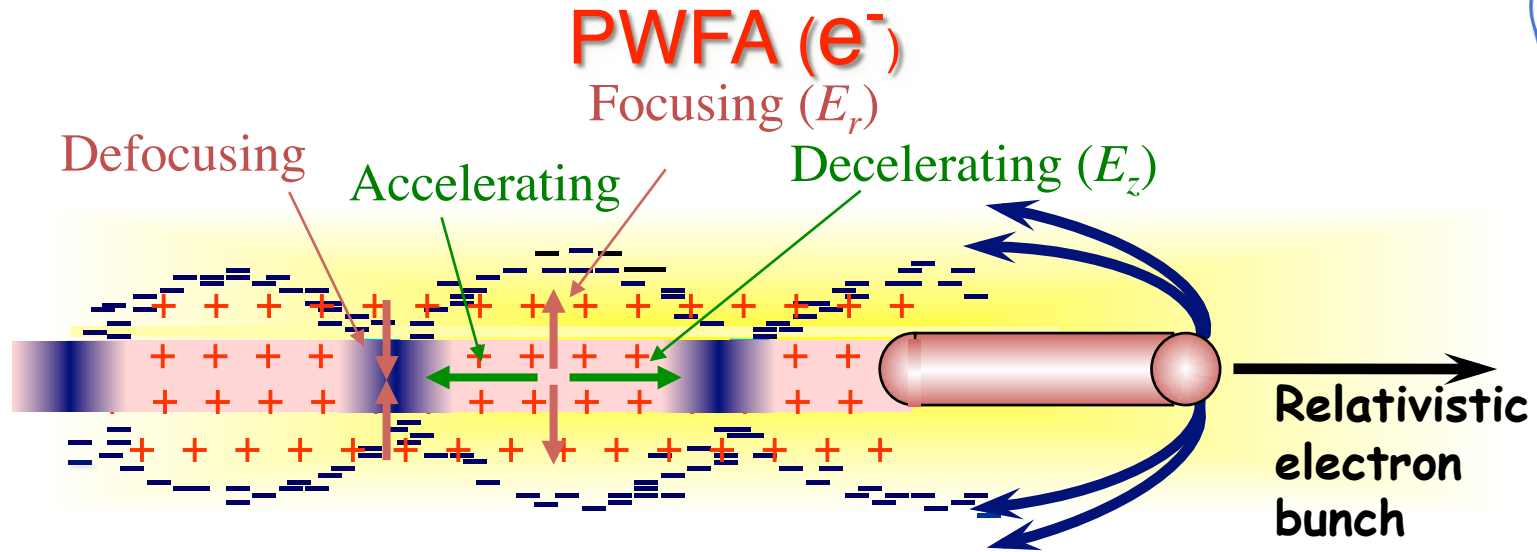
✧ Focusing strength: $\frac{B_\theta}{r} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{n_e e}{\epsilon_0 c}$ ($n_b > n_e$)

✧ $N=2 \times 10^{10}$: $\sigma_z = 600 \mu m$, $n_e = 2 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3}$, $E_{acc} \sim 100 \text{ MV/m}$, $B_\theta/r = 6 \text{ kT/m}$
 $\sigma_z = 20 \mu m$, $n_e = 2 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$, $E_{acc} \sim 10 \text{ GV/m}$, $B_\theta/r = 6 \text{ MT/m}$

✧ Frequency: 100GHz to >1THz, “structure” size 1mm to 100 μm

✧ Conventional accelerators: MHz-GHz, $E_{acc} < 150 \text{ MV/m}$, $B_\theta/r < 2 \text{ kT/m}$





Plasma wave/wake excited by a relativistic particle bunch

Very large energy gain possible with short, high-energy relativistic bunches!

by space charge force => deceleration + focusing (MT/m)

on axis => acceleration, GV/m

over => ultra-relativistic wake

=> no dephasing

have long Rayleigh lengths"

$\lambda^2/\epsilon \sim \text{cm, m}$)

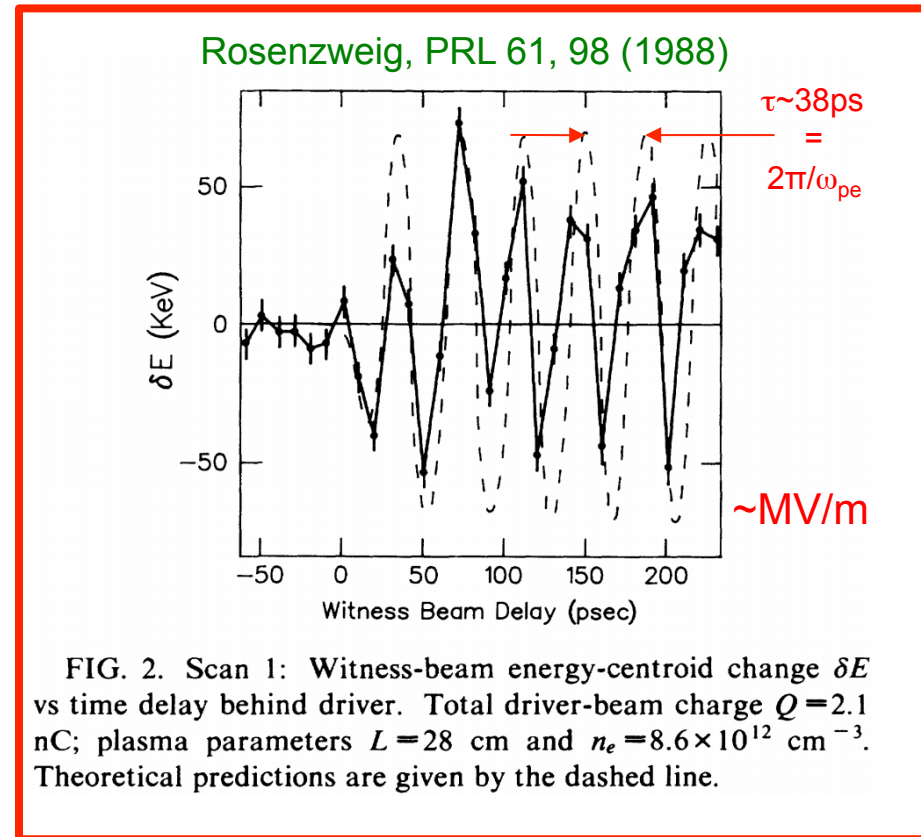
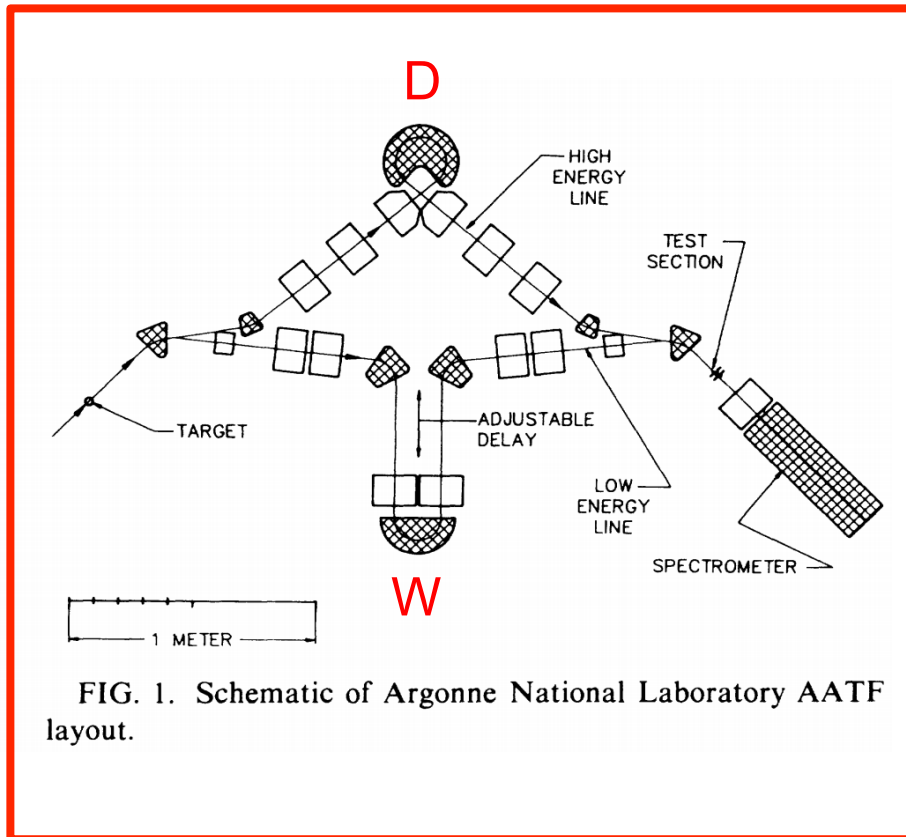
Acceleration physics identical PWFA, LWFA





FIRST PWFA OBSERVATION (e^-)

P. Chen et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 54, 693 (1985)

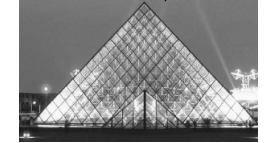


- ✧ Drive/witness bunch experiment
- ✧ Low wakefield amplitudes (low n_e , long bunches, ...)
- ✧ Ideal experiment





PLASMA WAKEFIELD FIELDS (E-162, e⁻)



Typical parameters:

e⁻ beam:

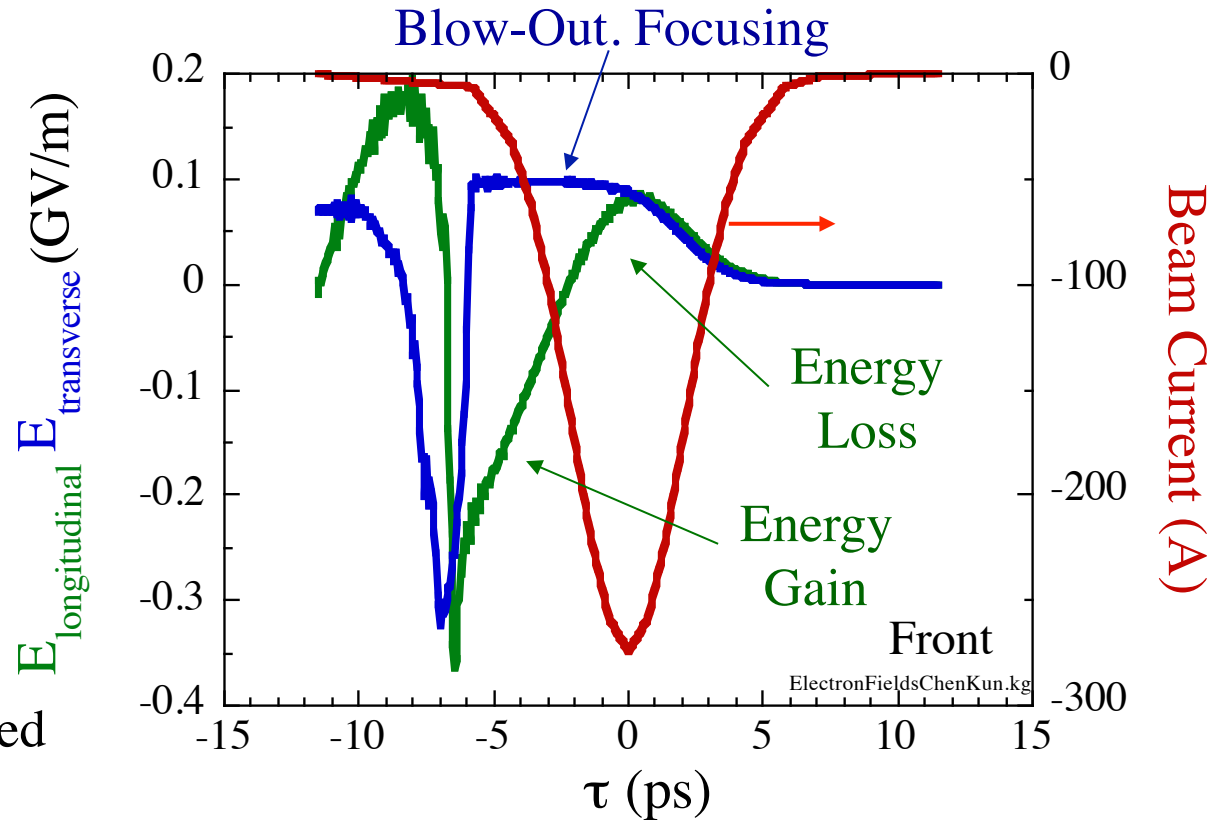
E	28.5 GeV
N	2×10^{10} e ⁻
σ_z	0.63 mm (2.1 ps)
$\sigma_x = \sigma_y$	70 μ m
n_b	4×10^{14} cm ⁻³
ϵ_{xN}	5×10^{-5} m-rad
ϵ_{yN}	0.5×10^{-5} m-rad

Plasma:

n_e	$0-2 \times 10^{14}$ cm ⁻³
L	1.4 m, laser ionized

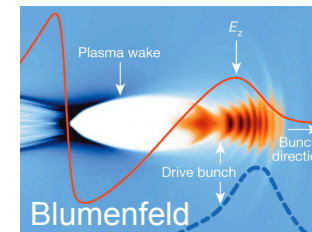
2-D PIC Simulation OSIRIS

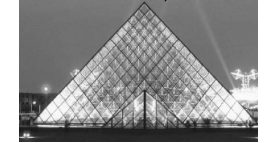
$$n_e = 1.5 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$



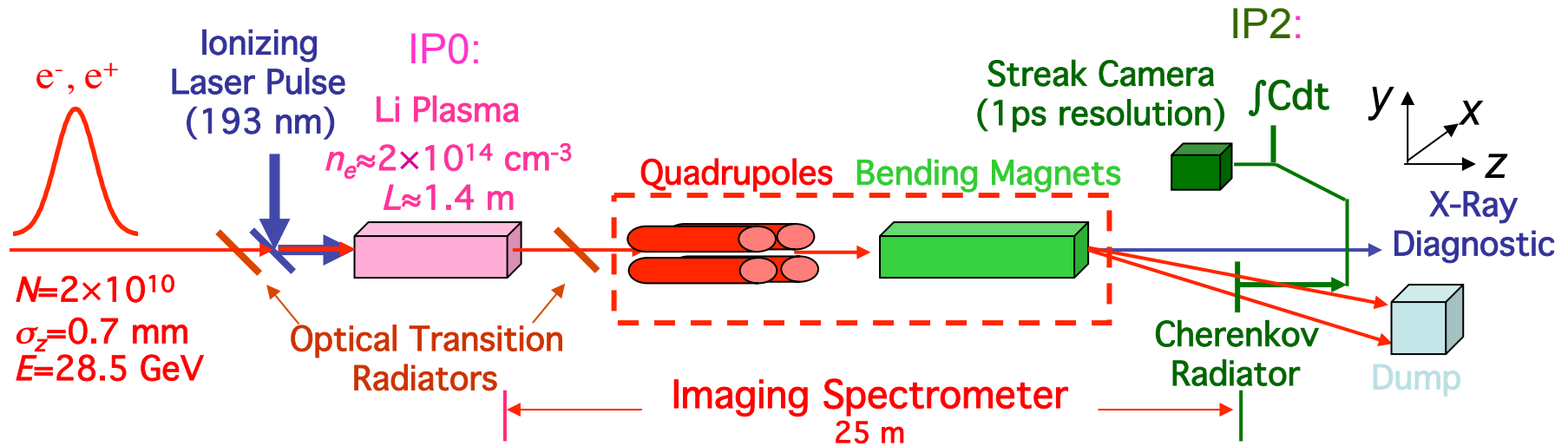
➔ Experiment: $n_b > n_e \Rightarrow$ non linear, blow-out regime

- Uniform focusing field (r, z)
- Large decelerating/accelerating fields



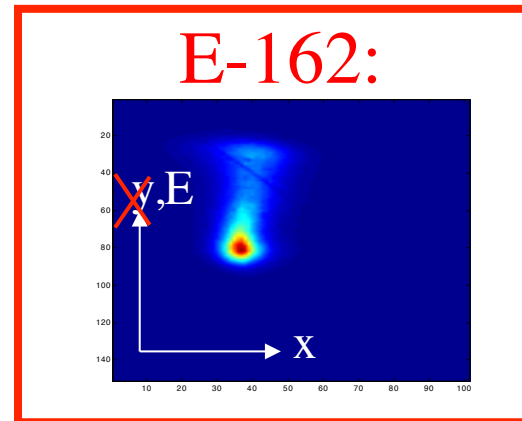


EXPERIMENTAL SET UP



- Plasma:
Laser-ionized lithium vapor

- CHERENKOV (aerogel)

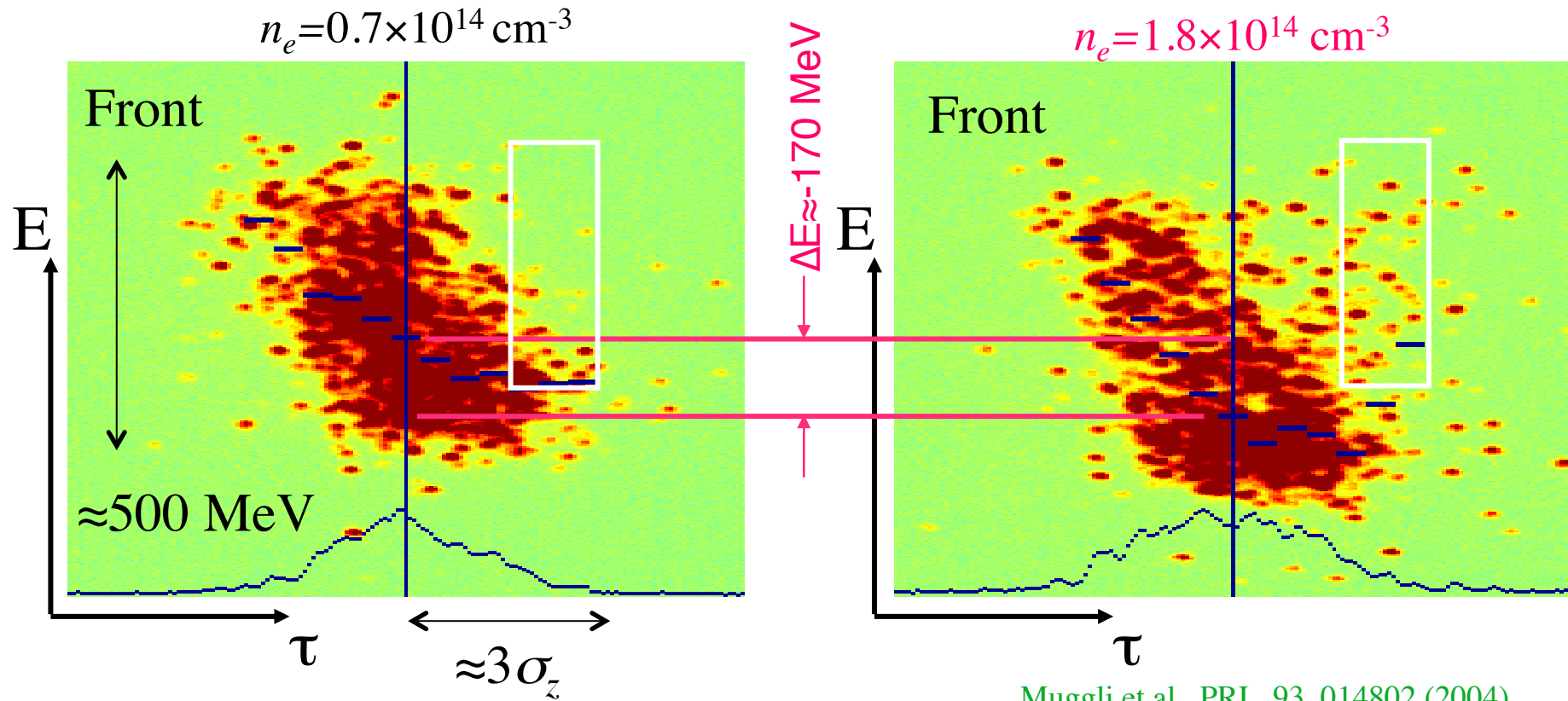
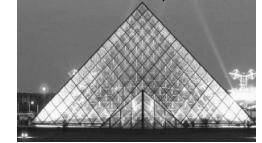


- Spatial resolution $\approx 100 \mu\text{m}$
- Energy resolution $\approx 30 \text{ MeV}$
- Time resolution: $\approx 1 \text{ ps}$

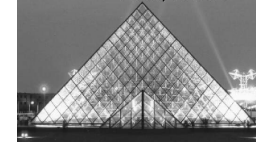


SLICE ANALYSIS RESULTS

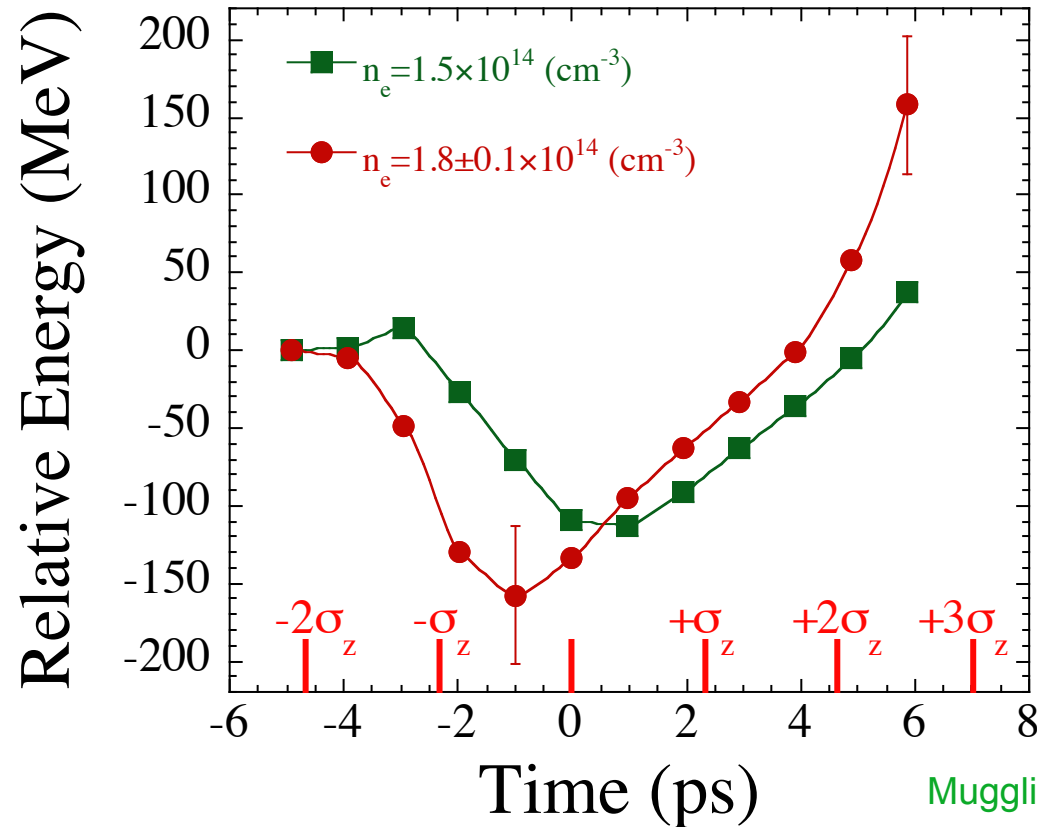
SINGLE EVENT



- Select events by n_e , and by position on the streak camera slit
- Use low n_e events as “plasma off”



e⁻ ACCELERATION PRE-IONIZED, LONG BUNCH



$$\sigma_z \approx 730 \mu\text{m}$$
$$N = 1.2 \times 10^{10} e^+$$
$$k_p \sigma_z \approx \sqrt{2}$$

Muggli et al., PRL 93, 014802 (2004)

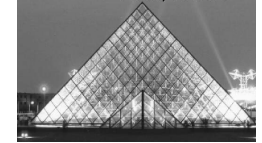
- ➔ Energy gain smaller than, hidden by, incoming energy spread
- ➔ Time resolution needed, but **shows the physics**
- ➔ Peak energy gain: 279 MeV, L=1.4 m, ≈200 MeV/m





ENERGY LOSS/GAIN e^+

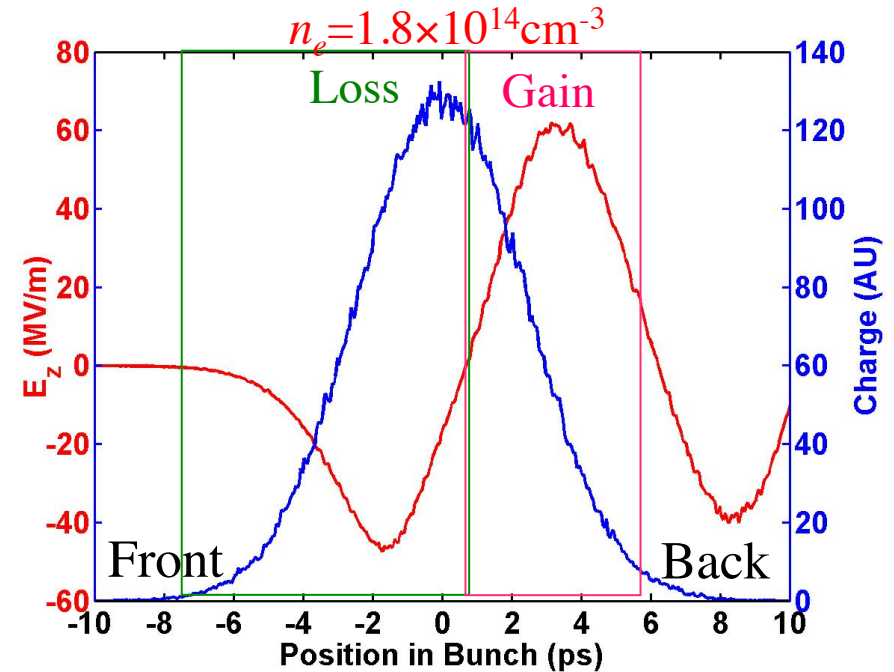
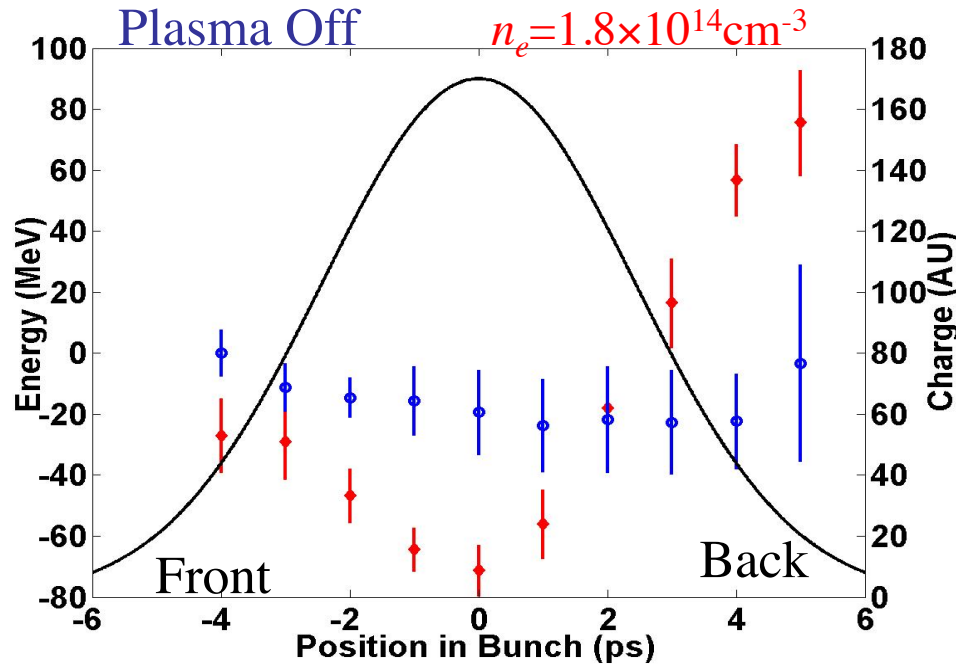
B.E Blue, UCLA



Experiment

$\sigma_z \approx 730 \mu\text{m}$
 $N = 1.2 \times 10^{10} e^+$

2-D Simulation



- Loss $\approx 70 \text{ MeV}$

(over 1.4 m)

- Gain $\approx 75 \text{ MeV}$

- Loss $\approx 45 \text{ MeV/m} \times 1.4 \text{ m} = 63 \text{ MeV}$

- Gain $\approx 60 \text{ MeV/m} \times 1.4 \text{ m} = 84 \text{ MeV}$

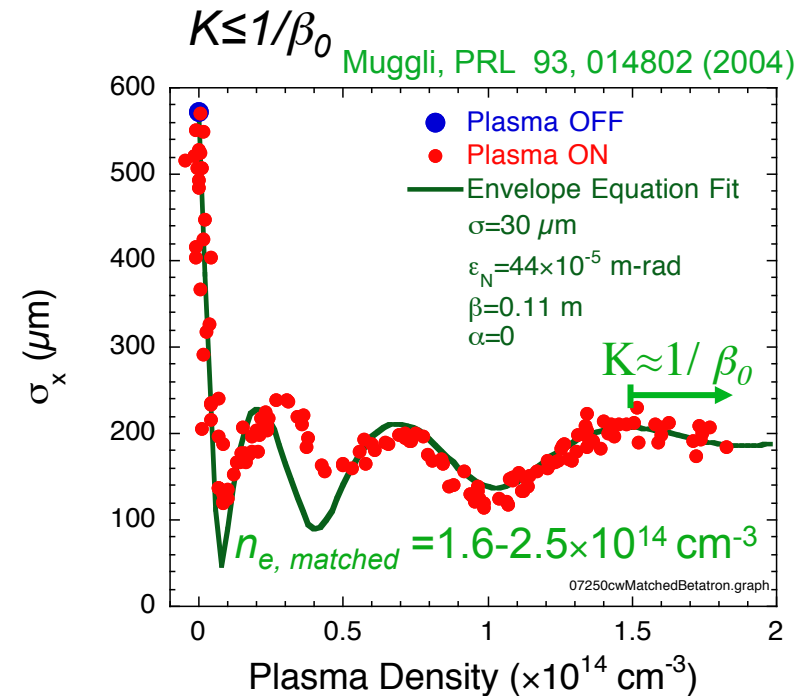
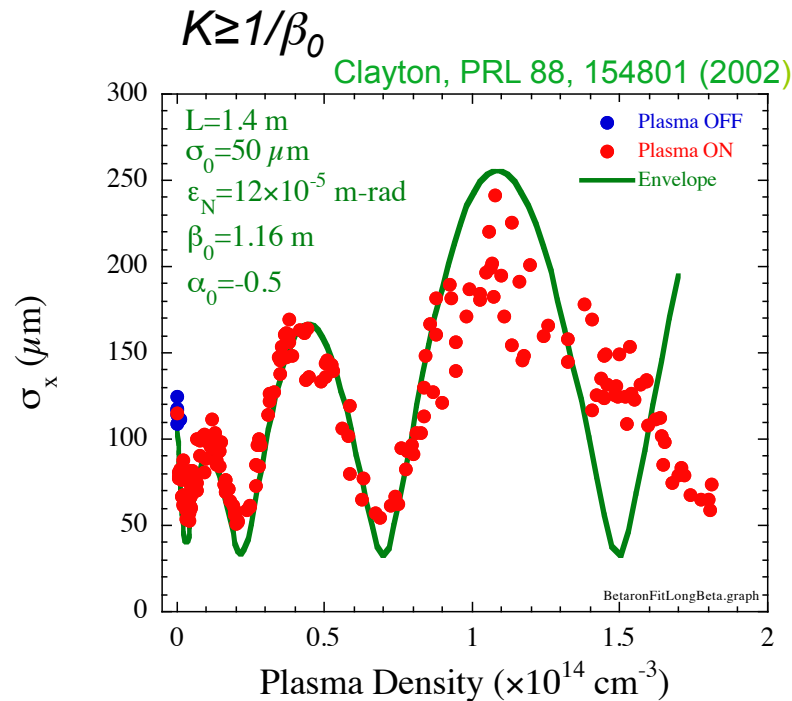
Excellent agreement!





PROPAGATION OF e^-

OTR Images $\approx 1\text{m}$ downstream from plasma



- ➔ Focusing of the beam well described by a simple model ($n_b > n_e$): Plasma = Ideal Thick Lens
- ➔ No emittance growth observed as n_e is increased
- ➔ Stable propagation over $L=1.4\text{ m}$ up to as $n_e = 1.8 \times 10^{14}\text{ cm}^{-3}$
- ➔ Channeling of the beam over 1.4 m or $> 12\beta_0$
=> Matched Propagation over long distance!



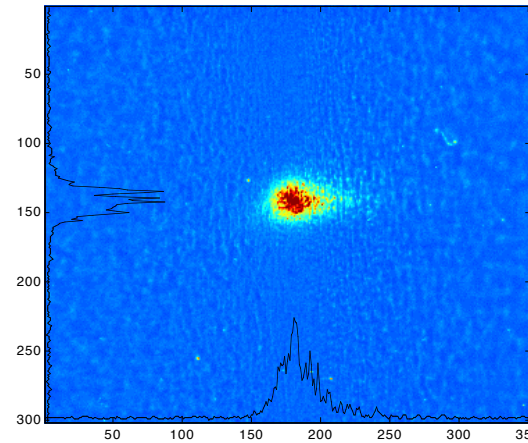
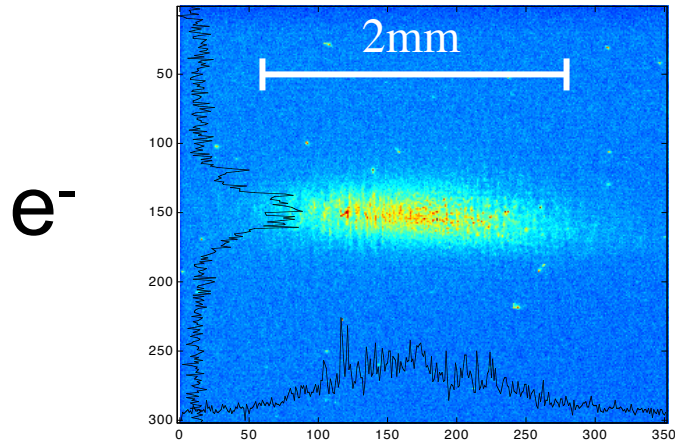


FOCUSING OF e^-/e^+

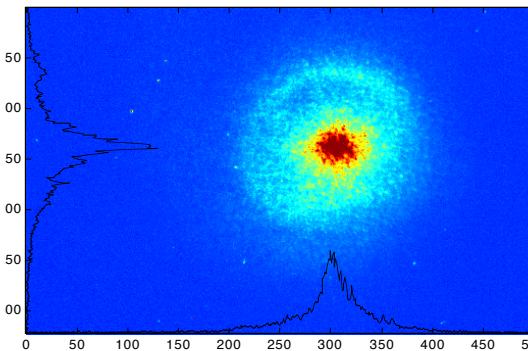
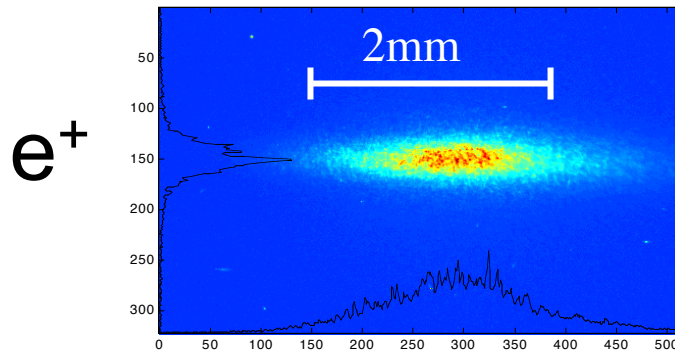
- OTR images $\approx 1\text{m}$ from plasma exit ($\epsilon_x \neq \epsilon_y$)

$n_e = 0$

$n_e \approx 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3}$



- Ideal Plasma Lens in Blow-Out Regime



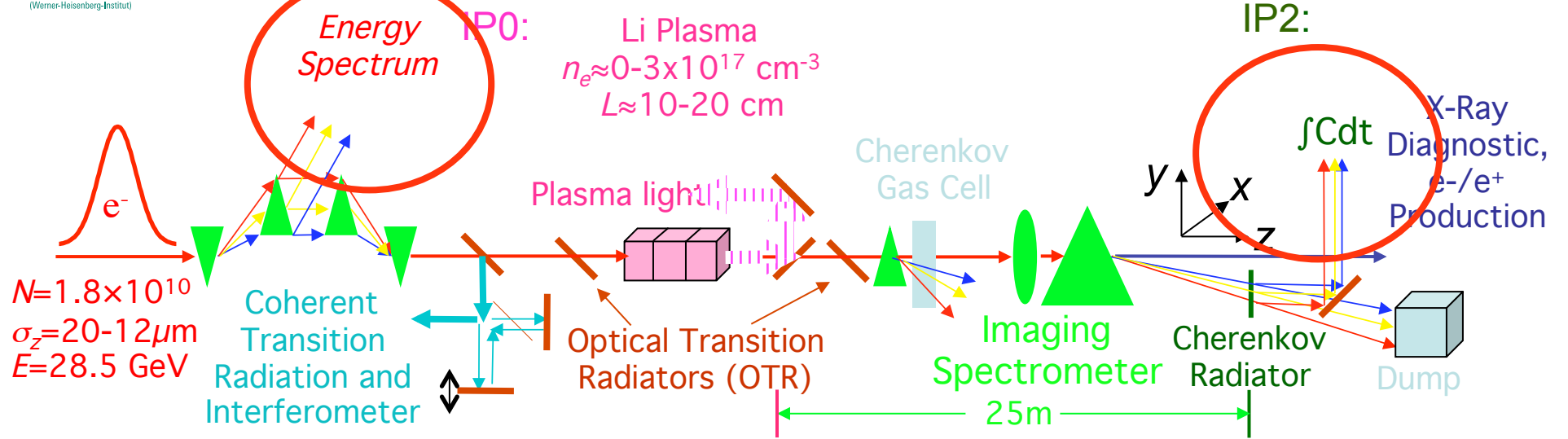
- Plasma Lens with Aberrations

Muggli et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 101, 055001 (2008).

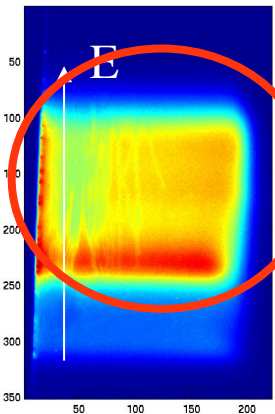
 Qualitative differences



EXPERIMENTAL SET UP (GENERIC)



• X-ray Chicane

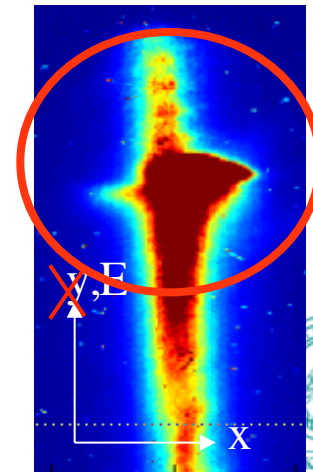


-Energy resolution $\approx 60 \text{ MeV}$

Compare events with similar incoming longitudinal characteristics

• Cherenkov (aerogel)

- Spatial resolution $\approx 100 \mu\text{m}$
- Energy resolution $\approx 30 \text{ MeV}$

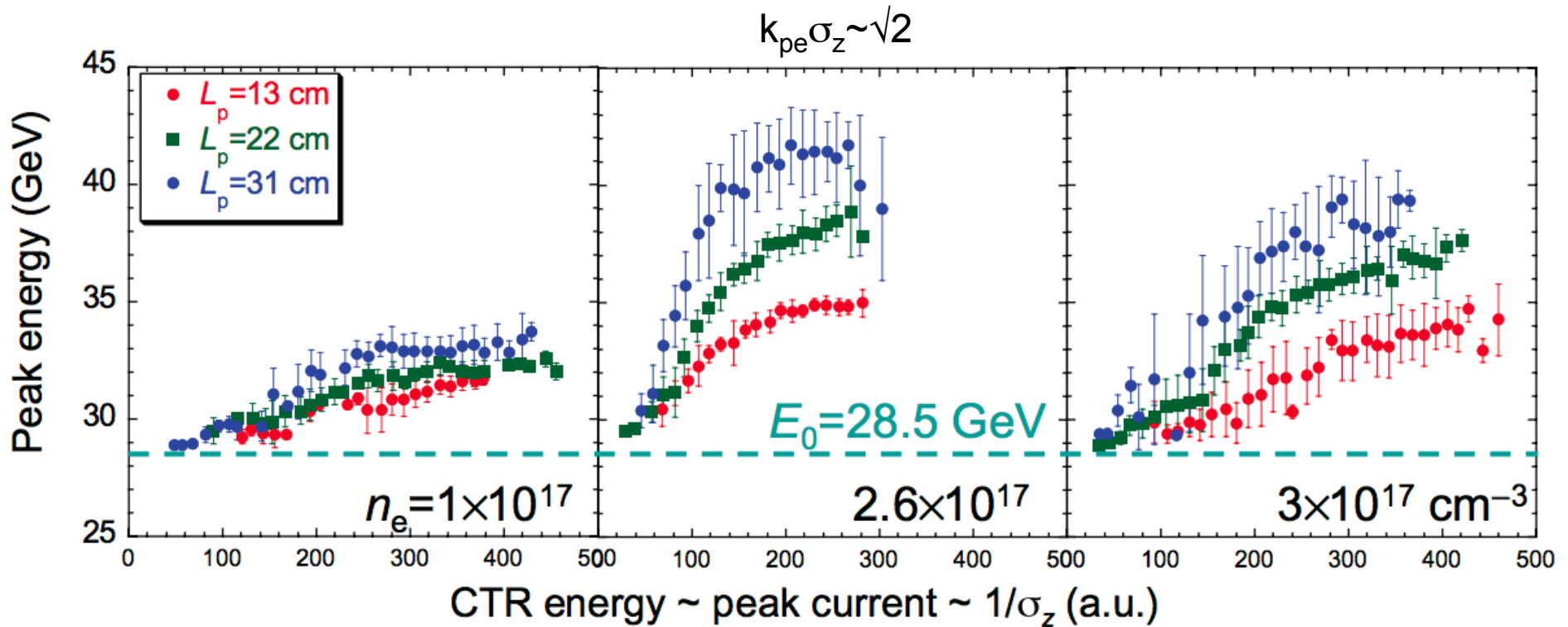


- ◇ $N = 2 \times 10^{10}$:
- ◇ $\sigma_z = 600 \mu\text{m}$, $n_e = 2 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3}$, $E_{\text{acc}} \sim 100 \text{ MV/m}$, $B_\theta/r = 6 \text{ kT/m}$
- ◇ $\sigma_z = 20 \mu\text{m}$, $n_e = 2 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$, $E_{\text{acc}} \sim 10 \text{ GV/m}$, $B_\theta/r = 6 \text{ MT/m}$

$$k_{pe} \sigma_z \sim \sqrt{2} \leftrightarrow \sigma_z / n_e^{1/2} \sim \text{cst}$$



ENERGY GAIN VS. BUNCH LENGTH



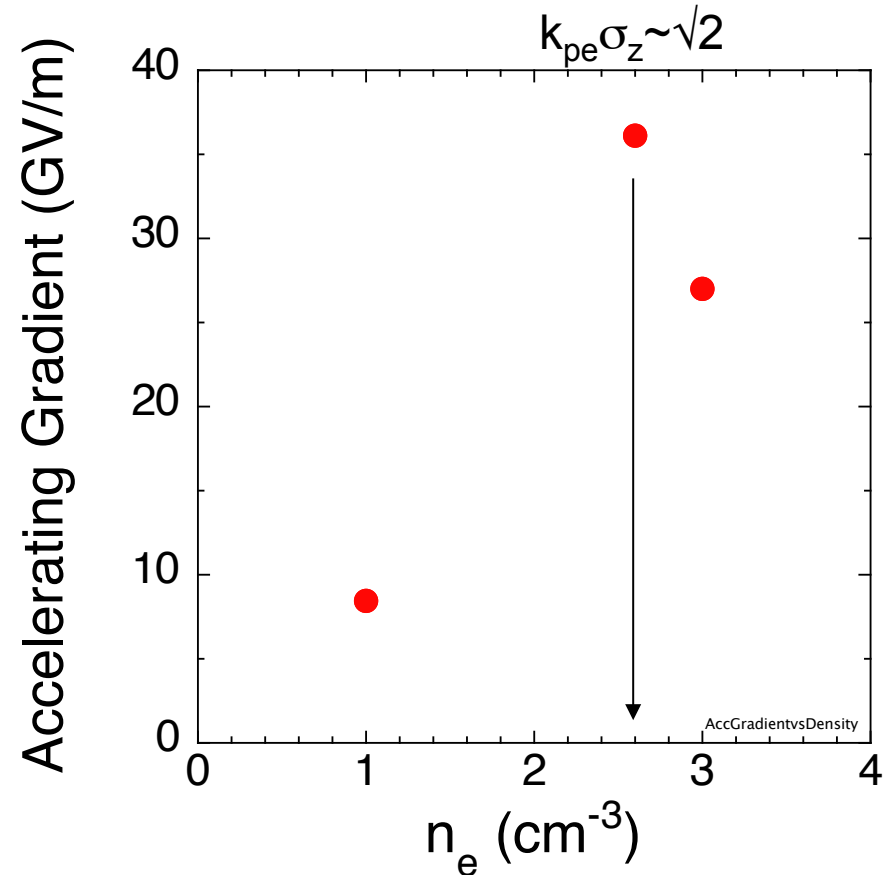
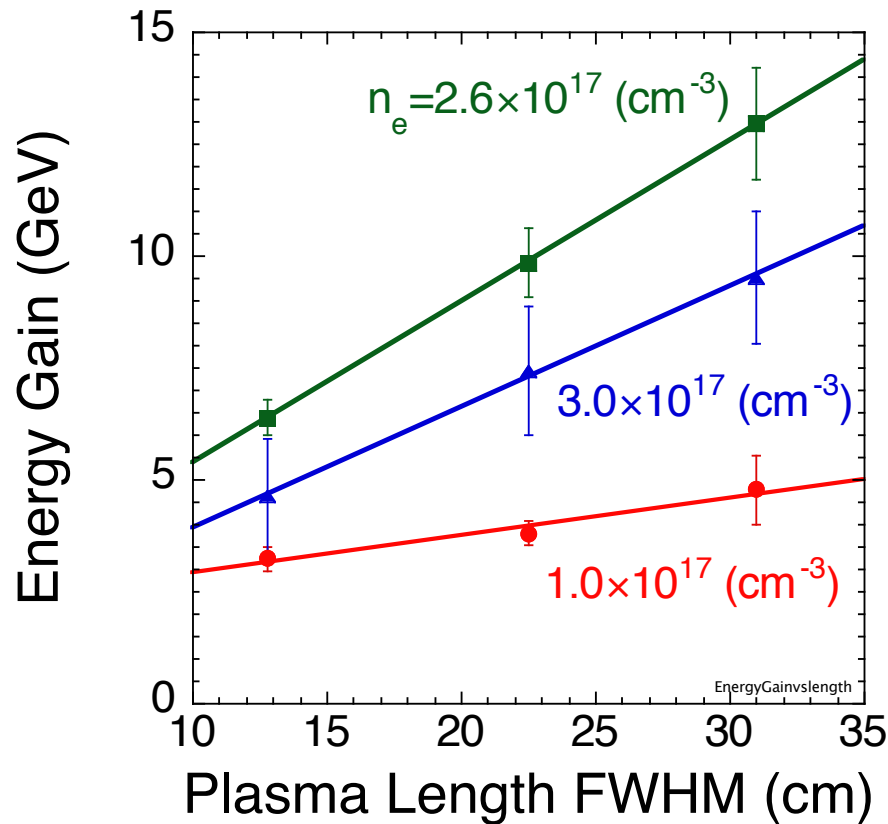
➔ Energy gain increases bunch peak current or σ_z^{-1}

➔ Energy gain reaches 33 GeV with $L_p = 31$ cm!





ENERGY GAIN VS. PLASMA LENGTH



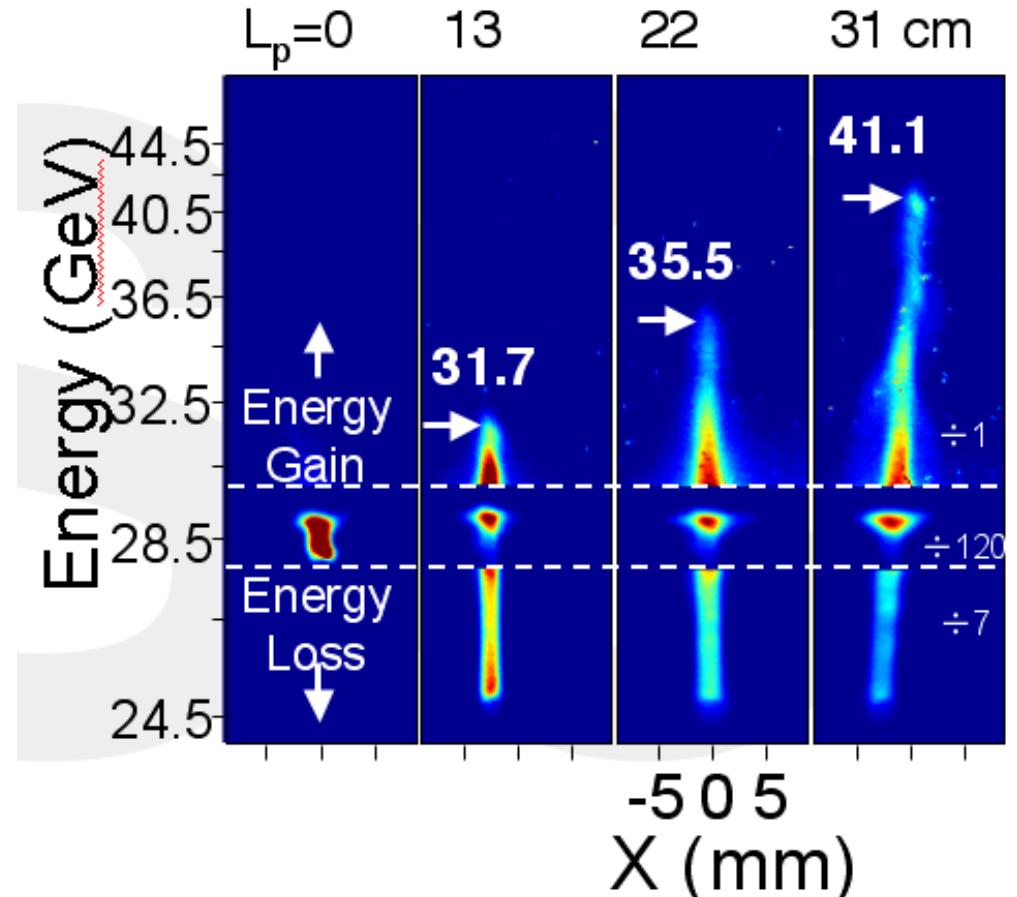
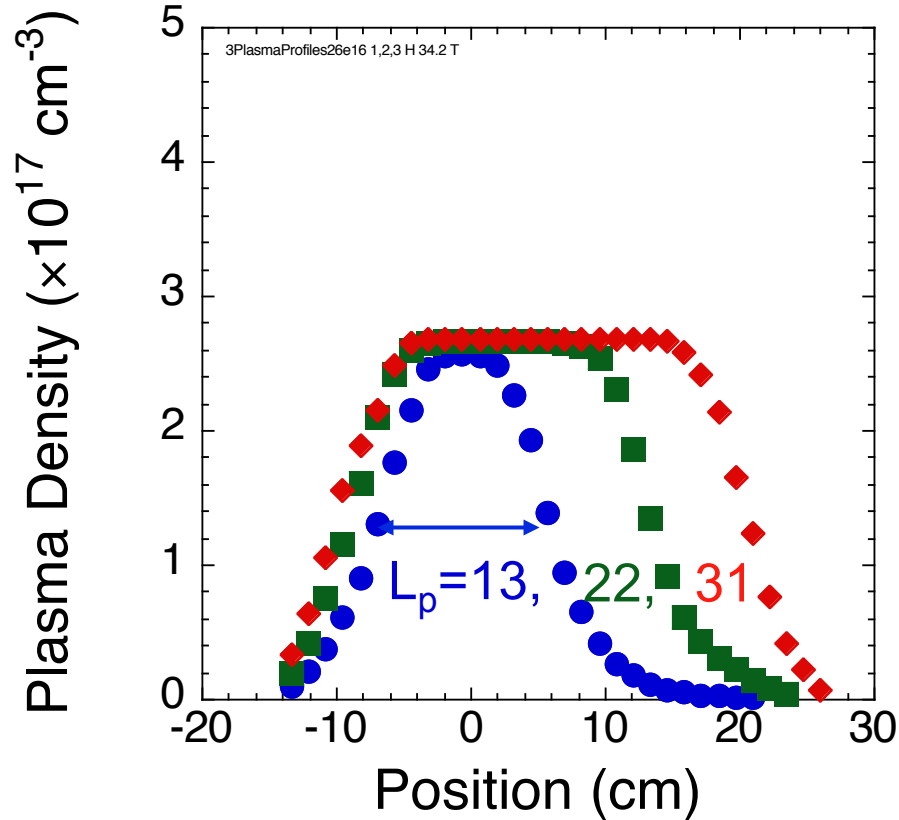
➔ Largest gain with $n_e = 2.6 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$ ($\bullet L_p$, for $\sigma_z \approx 20 \mu\text{m}$)

➔ Accelerating gradient of 36 GV/m over $L_p = 31 \text{ cm}$
(unloaded: 7% accelerated charge)



ENERGY GAIN VS. PLASMA LENGTH

$$E_0 = 28.5 \text{ GeV}, n_e = 2.7 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$



➔ Energy gain increases with plasma length (L_p)

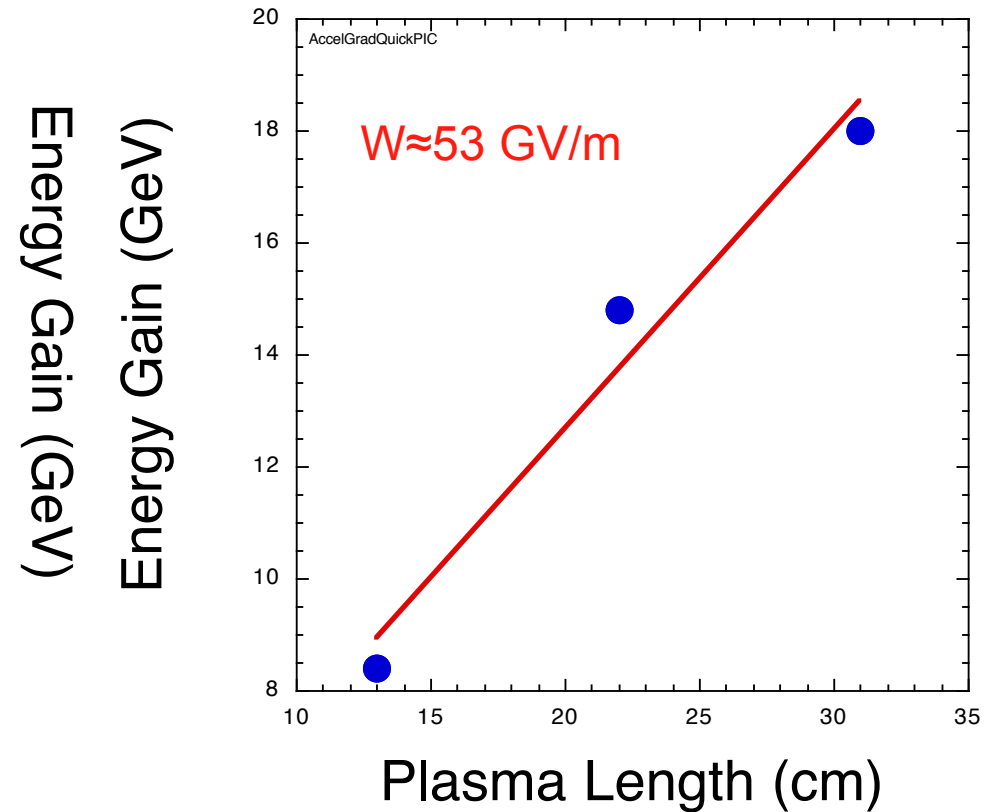
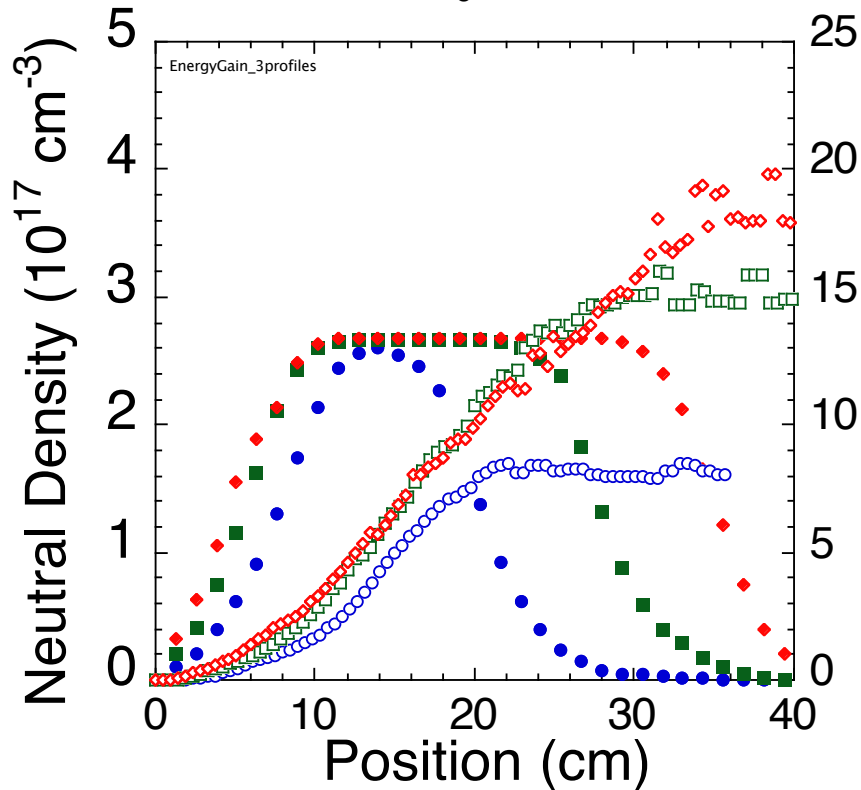
➔ Energy gain reaches 13.6 GeV with $L_p = 31$ cm!



ENERGY GAIN VS. PLASMA LENGTH

3-D Simulations using QuickPIC

$$E_0 = 28.5 \text{ GeV}, N = 1.8 \times 10^{10} e^-, n_e = 2.7 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$



➔ Energy gain increases with plasma length (L_p)

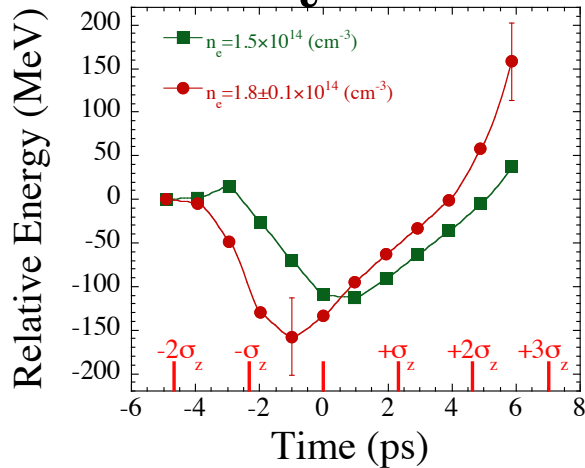
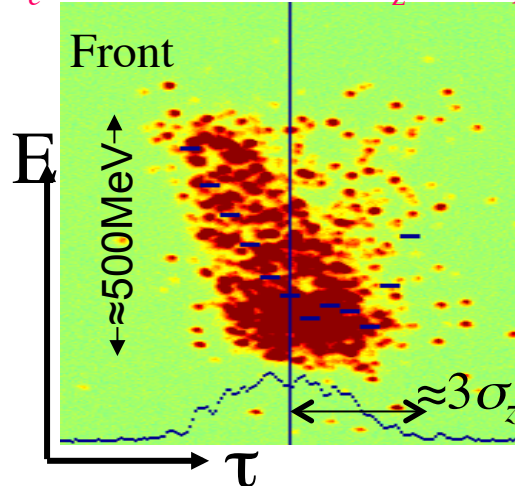
➔ Gradient $\approx 53 \text{ GV/m}$





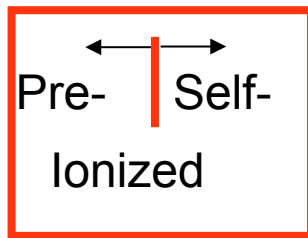
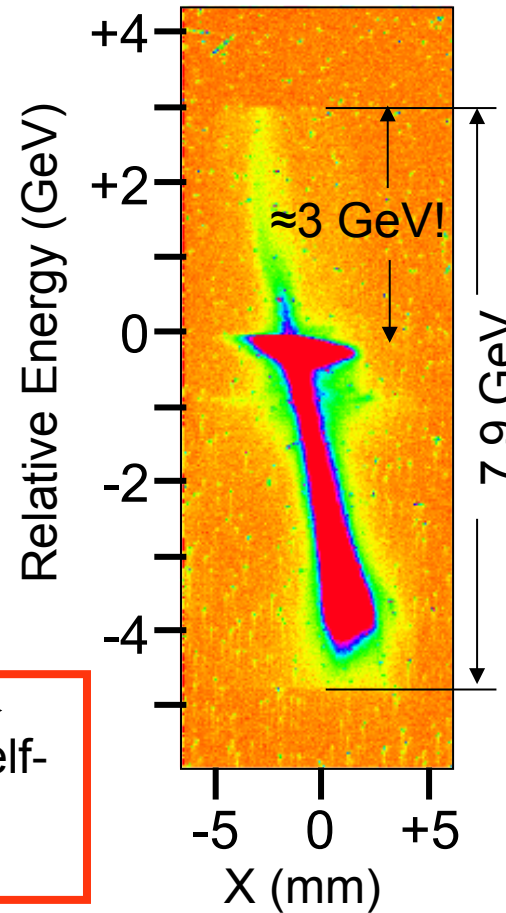
e⁻ ACCELERATION

$n_e = 1.8 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3}$, $\sigma_z \approx 700 \mu\text{m}$

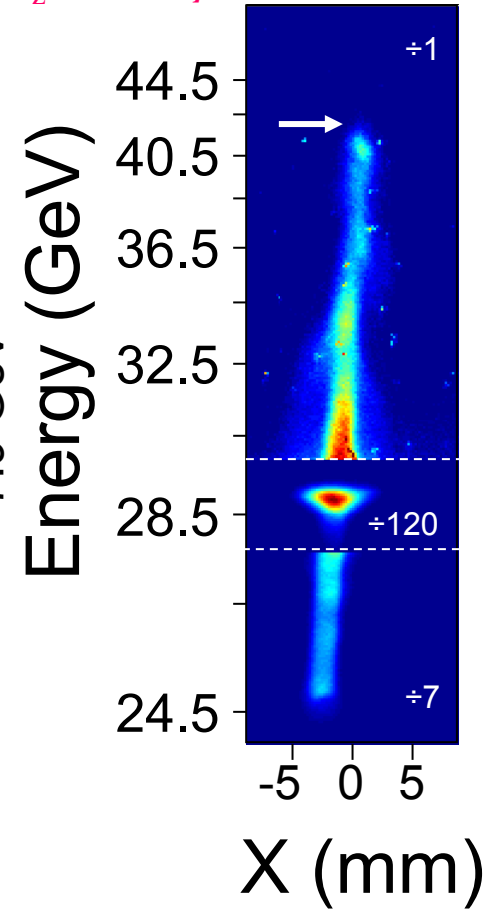


- Gain ≈ 280 MeV, $L_p = 1.4$ m
Gradient ≈ 200 MV/m
Muggli, PRL 93, 014802 (2004)

$n_e = 2.6 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$, $\sigma_z \approx 20\text{-}30 \mu\text{m}$



- Gain ≈ 4 GeV, $L_p = 10$ cm
Gradient ≈ 40 GV/m
Hogan, PRL 95, 054802 (2005)



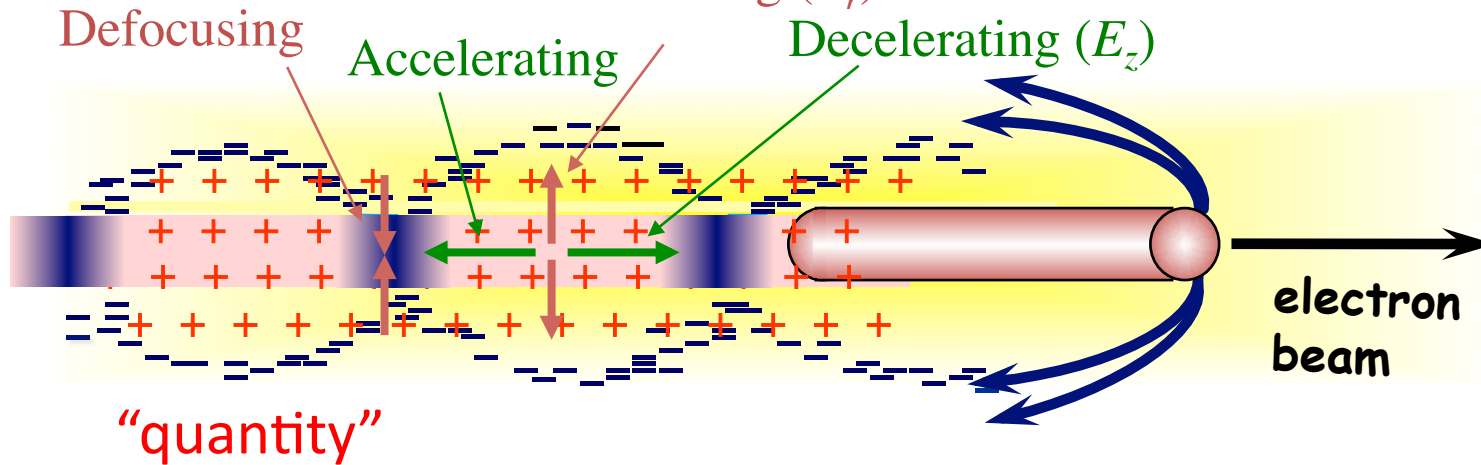
- Gain ≈ 14 GeV, $L_p = 32$ cm
Muggli, New J. Phys. 12, 045022 (2010)

- Scaling with bunch length and plasma length

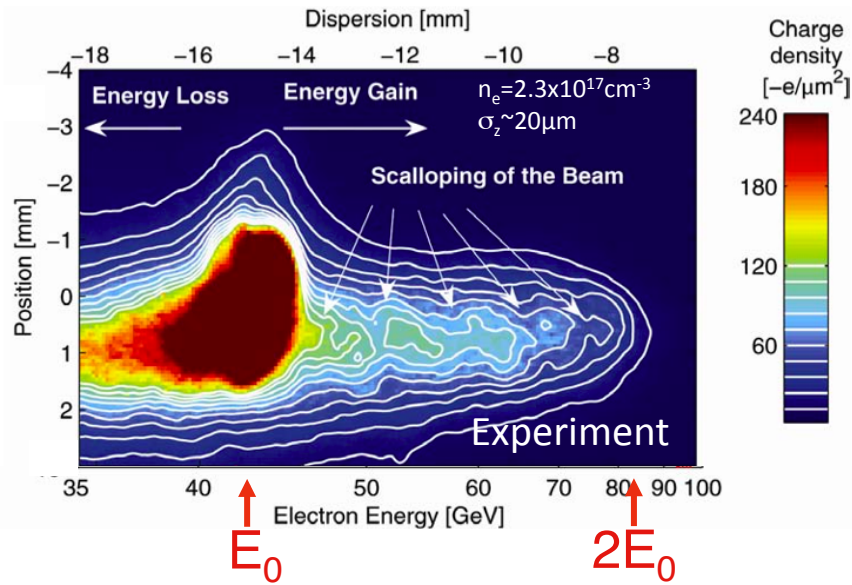




PWFA (e^-) Focusing (E_r)



Blumenfeld, Nature 445, 741 (2007)

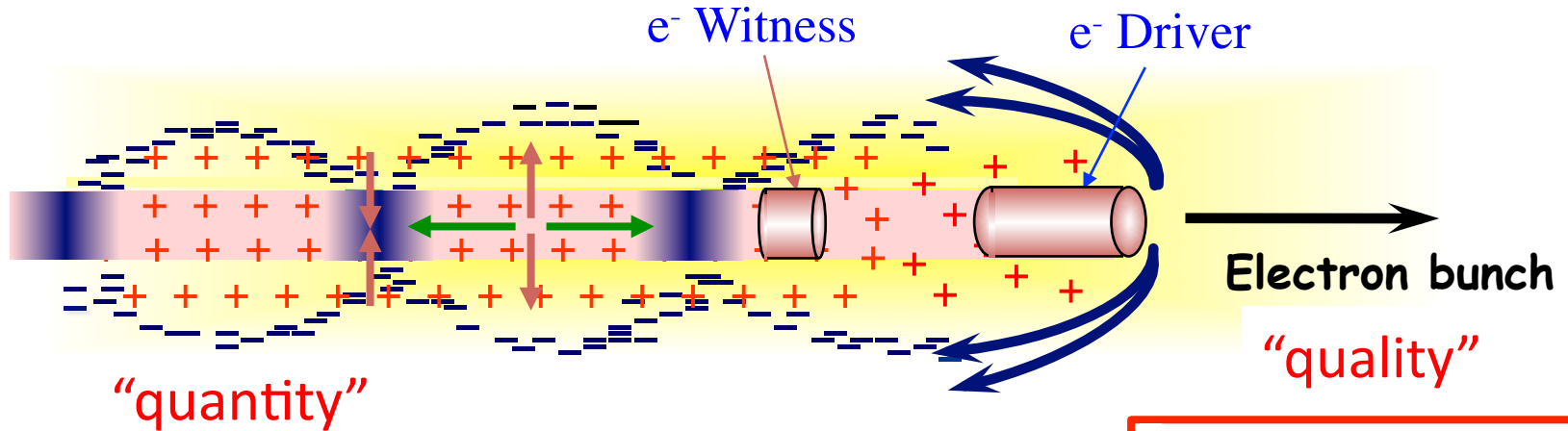


42 => 84GeV in 85cm! 50GeV/m

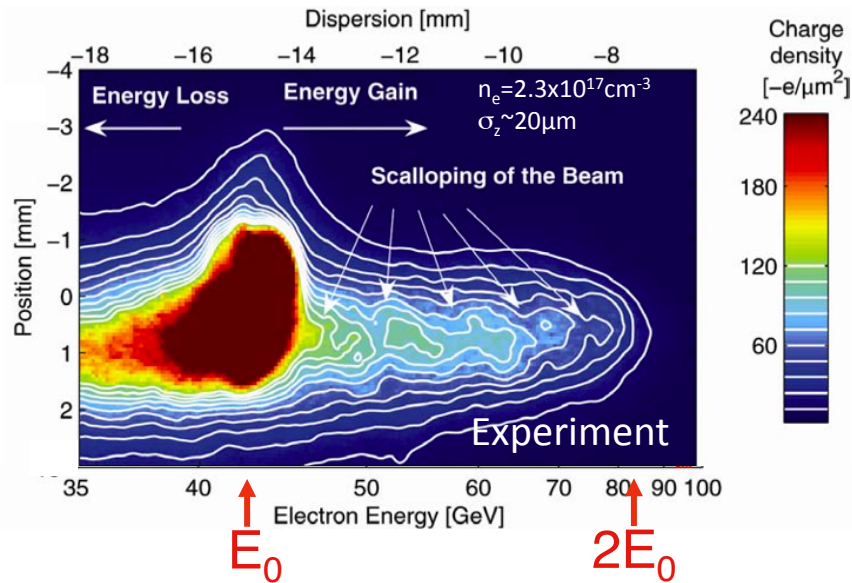




PWFA (e^-)



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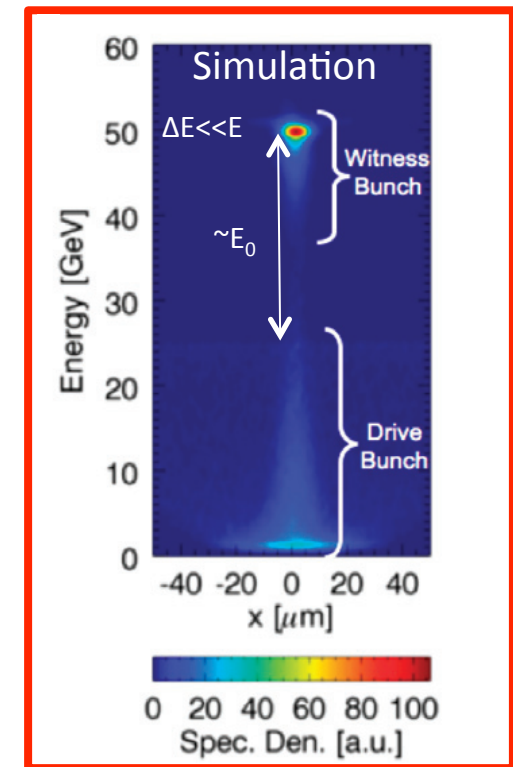


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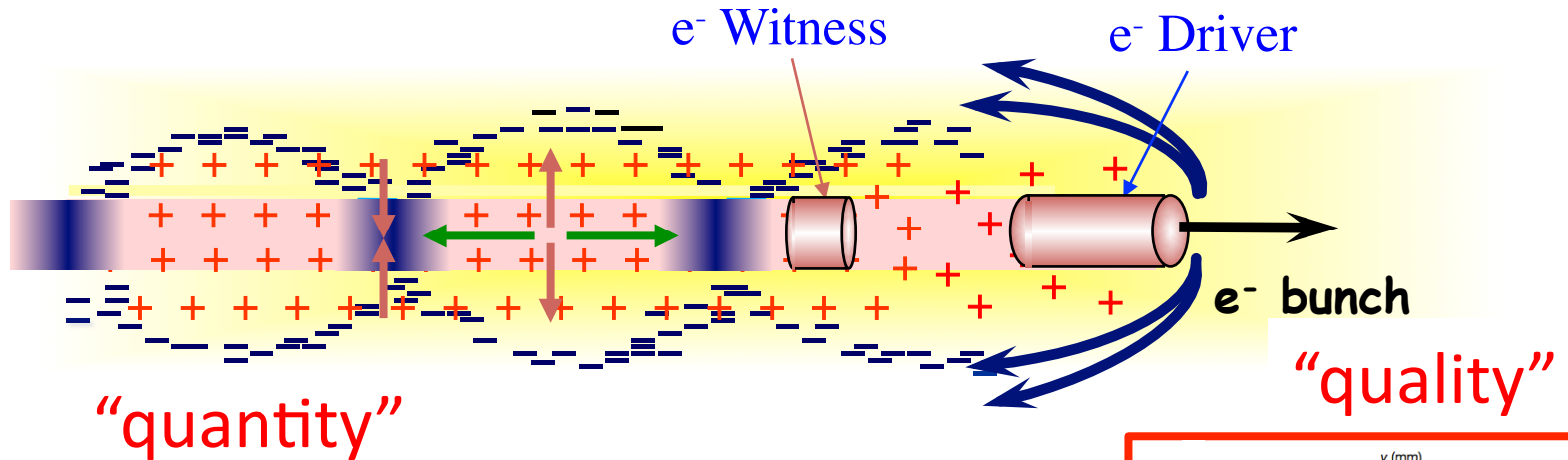


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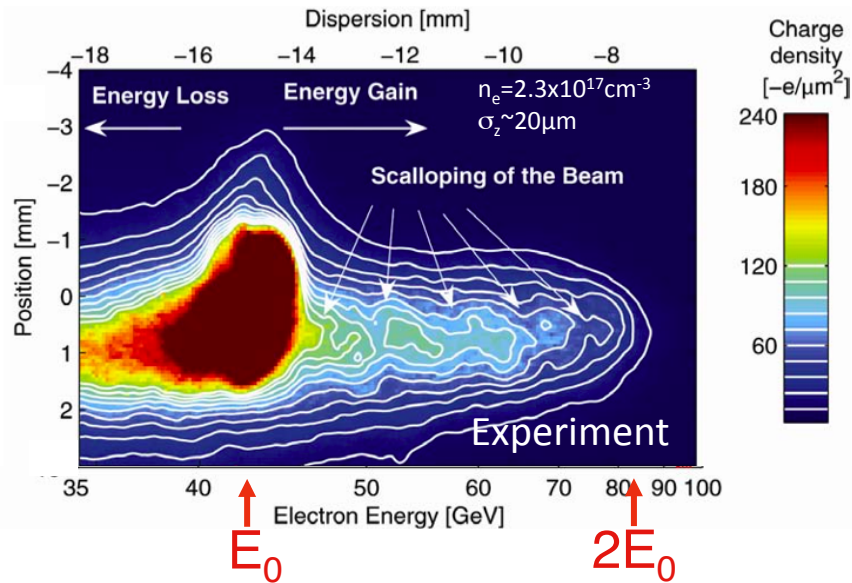




PLASMA WAKEFIELD ACCELERATOR (e^-)



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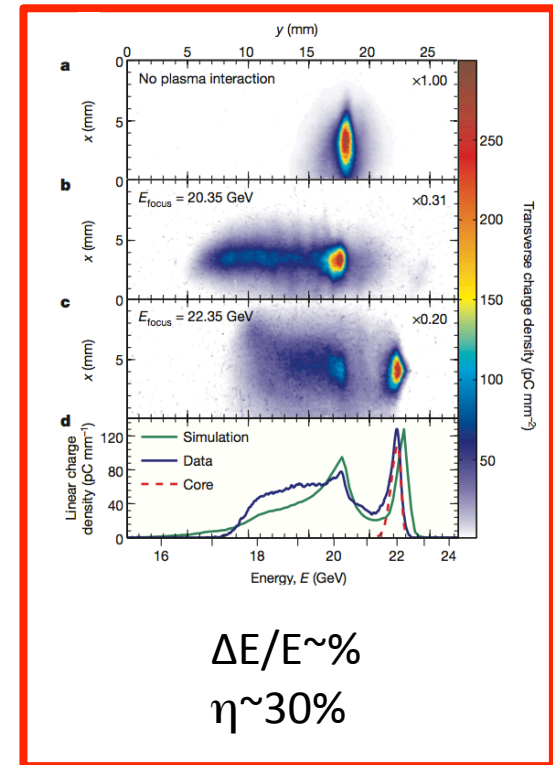


42 => 84GeV in 85cm! 50GeV/m

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$\Delta E/E \sim \%$
 $\eta \sim 30\%$

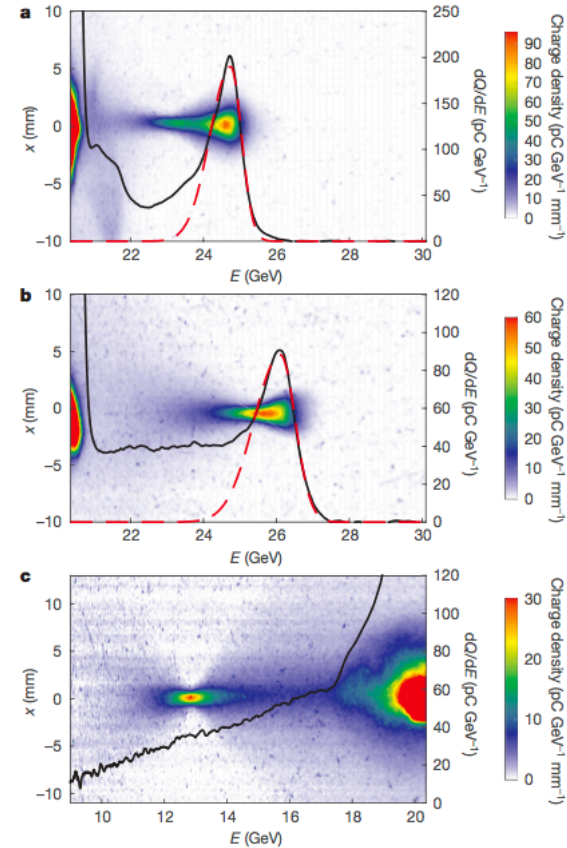
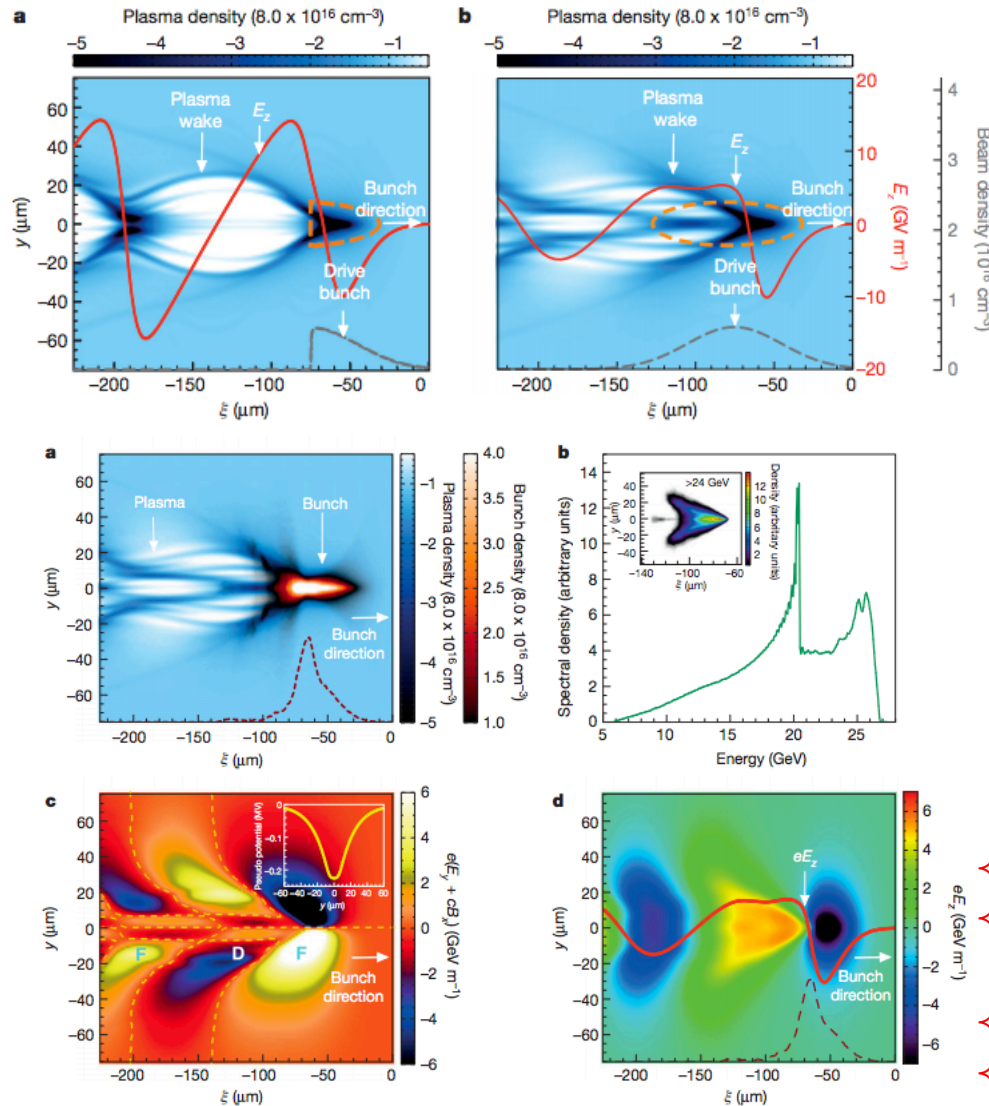


PLASMA WAKEFIELD ACCELERATOR (e⁺)



Simulations

Experiment



- ◇ $n_e = 8 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$, $L_p = 1.35 \text{ m}$
- ◇ $N = 1.4 \times 10^{10} e^+$, $\sigma_r = 70 \mu\text{m}$, $\sigma_z = 30-50 \mu\text{m}$, $E_0 = 20.35 \text{ GeV}$, $n_b = (0.2-1) \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$,
- ◇ Peak in energy spectrum
- ◇ Plasma e⁻ arrange themselves for focusing and self-loading



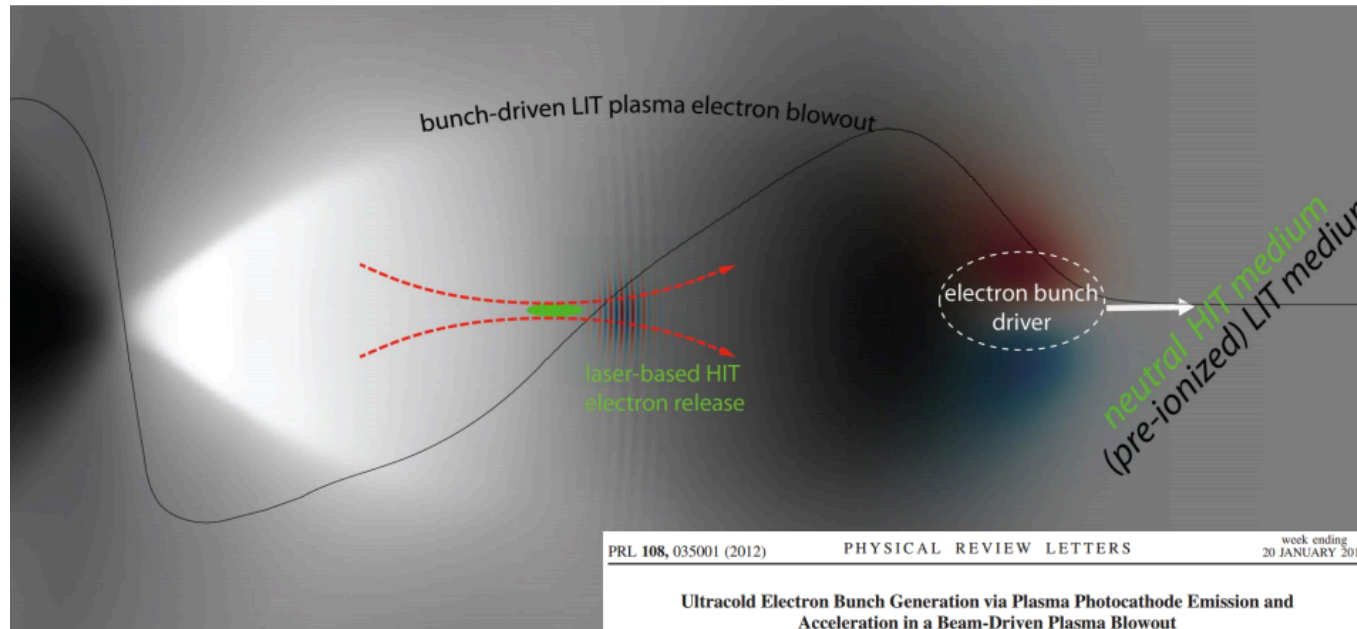


LOW EMITTANCE INJECTOR



Underdense Photocathode PWFA

Trojan Horse Injection



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Ultracold Electron Bunch Generation via Plasma Photocathode Emission and Acceleration in a Beam-Driven Plasma Blowout

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What's needed:

- LIT/HIT medium
- reliable electron bunch driver to set up LIT blowout
- synchronized, low-intensity laser pulse to release HIT electrons within blowout

- ✧ e⁻ born in large E_z field (GV/m)
- ✧ Born from low laser intensity (~10¹⁴Wcm⁻²)
- ✧ Ultra-low (nm-rad) emittance (at low charge?)
- ✧ Potential game changer: no need for damping ring ...





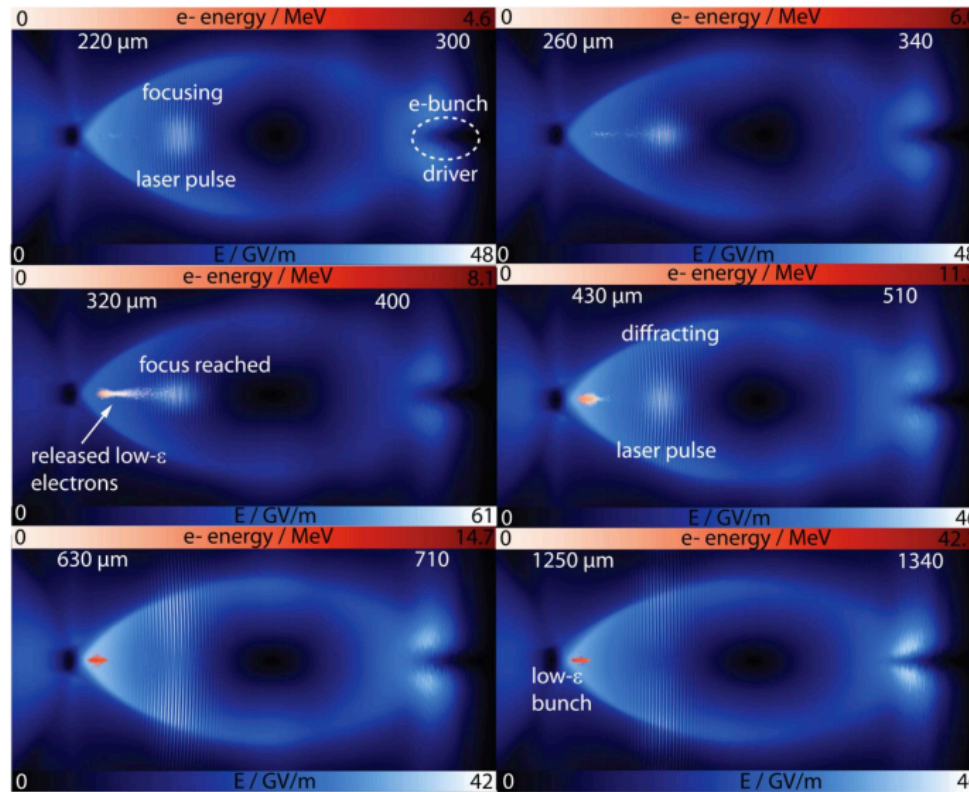
LOW EMITTANCE INJECTOR



Laser pulse intensity is crucial



Focus laser pulse intensity has to be just above the ionization threshold of the HIT medium (here, helium).



In contrast to LWFA schemes ($\sim 10^{18}$ - 10^{19} W/cm²), here the laser pulse intensity is of the order of $\sim 10^{14}$ - 10^{15} W/cm², only.
→ Transverse momentum of bunch electrons is very low → direct consequences for divergence & emittance!

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- ✧ Correlation charge/emittance?

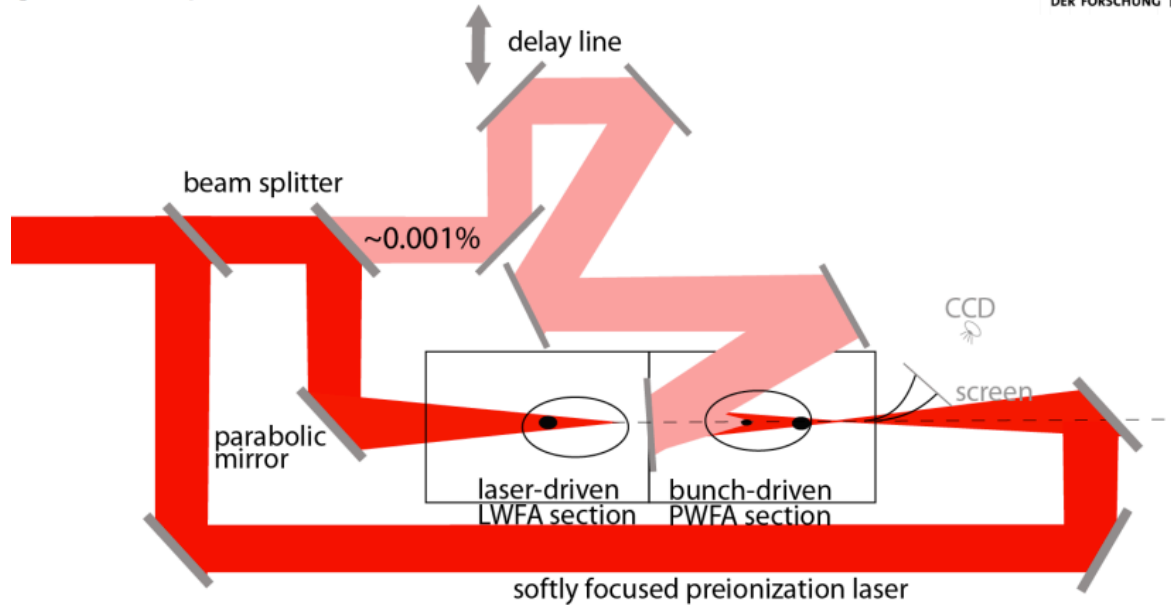




LOW EMITTANCE INJECTOR



*Beam brightness transformer and stabilizer
for Laser-plasma-accelerators*



- Bunch quality transformer: energy, energy spread (see “Monoenergetic energy doubling”, PRL 140195002, 2010), emittance

• e.g., LPA: $\Delta E_1 = 20\%$, $\varepsilon_{n1} \sim 10^{-6}$ m rad \rightarrow TROJAN: $\Delta E_2 = 0.1\%$, $\varepsilon_{n2} \sim 10^{-8}$ m rad

✧ e^- born in large E_z field (GV/m)

✧ Ultra-low (nm-rad) emittance (at low charge?)





PLASMA WAKEFIELD ACCELERATOR (PWFA)



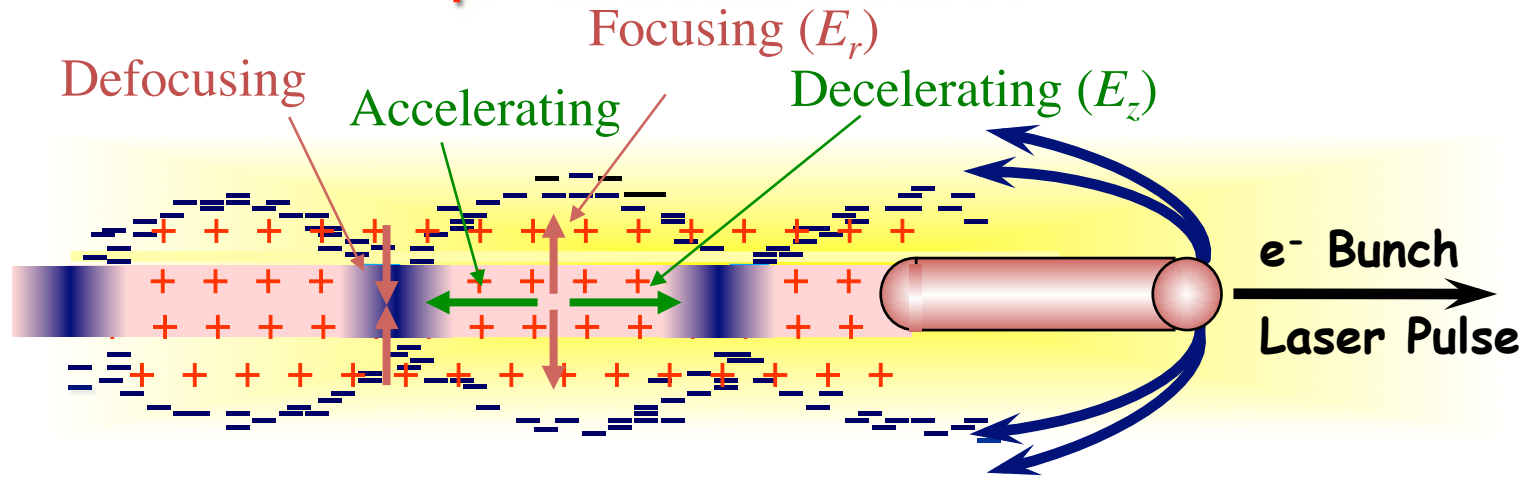
A few general characteristics:

- ✧ Relativistic bunch $\gamma_0 > 1$
- ✧ Short bunch: $< 1 \text{ mm} < \lambda_{pe}$
- ✧ Dense bunch $n_b > n_e > 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$
- ✧ Tight focus: $< \lambda_{pe}$
- ✧ Does not provide ionization, in general
- ✧ Negatively charged bunches ...
- ✧ $v_\phi = v_{\text{bunch}} = (1 - 1/\gamma_0^2)^{1/2} c \sim c$: no dephasing ...
- ✧ Plasma provides focusing, no external guiding necessary(?)
- ✧ Large β -function
- ✧ Large energy loss possible with little drive bunch evolution (e.g.: e^- , $\gamma_0 = 40'000 \rightarrow 1'000$)

} Long accelerator (m)



p⁺-DRIVEN PWFA



✧ ILC, 0.5TeV bunch with $2 \times 10^{10} e^-$ ~1.6kJ

✧ SLAC, 20GeV bunch with $2 \times 10^{10} e^-$ ~60J

✧ SLAC-like driver for staging (FACET= 1 stage, collider 10^+ stages)

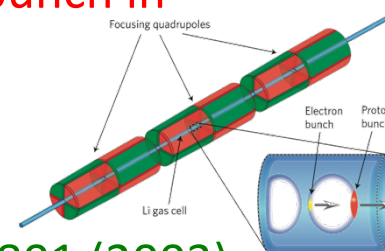
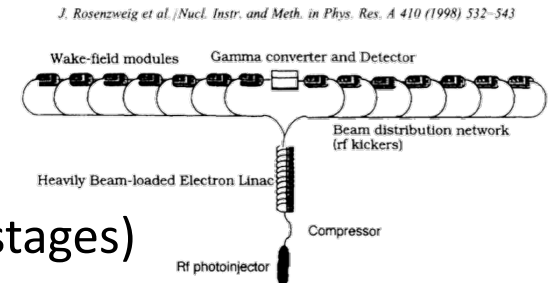
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✧ Large average gradient! ($\geq 1 \text{ GeV/m}$, 100's m)

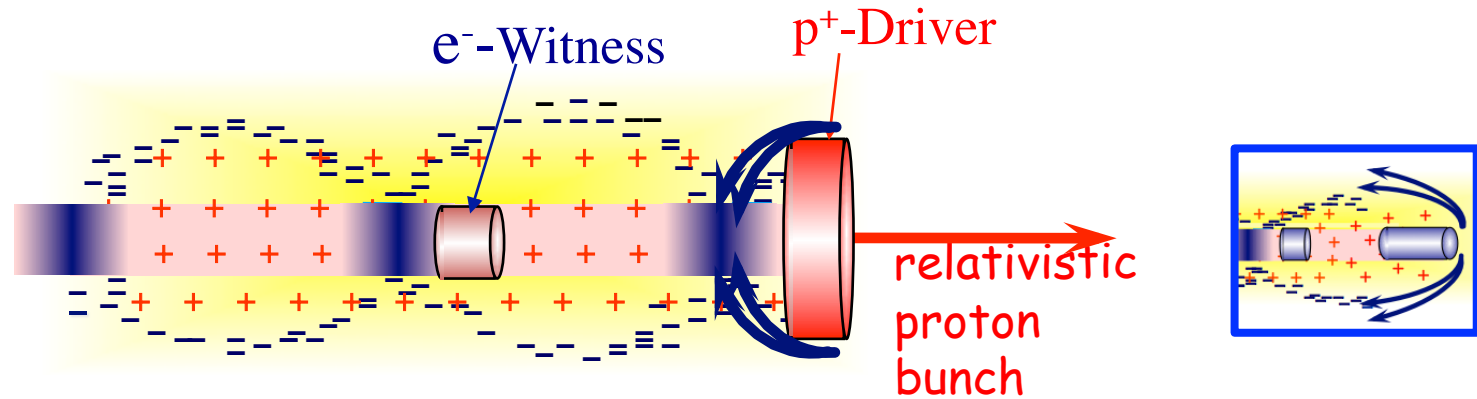
✧ Wakefields driven by e⁺ bunch: Blue, PRL 90, 214801 (2003)



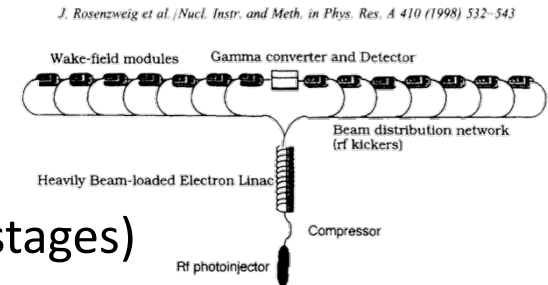
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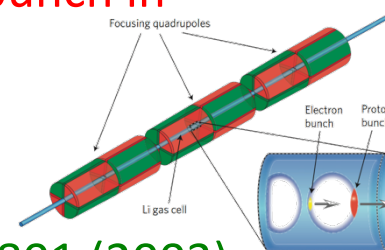
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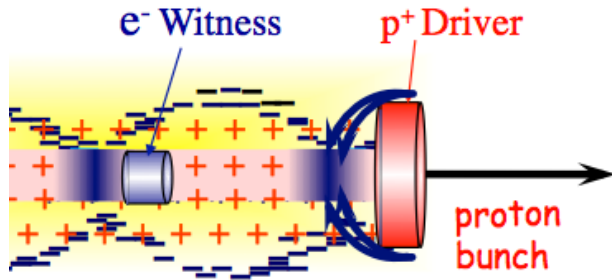


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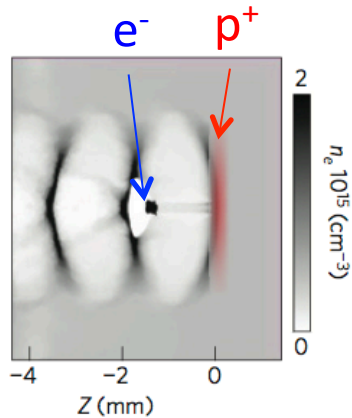
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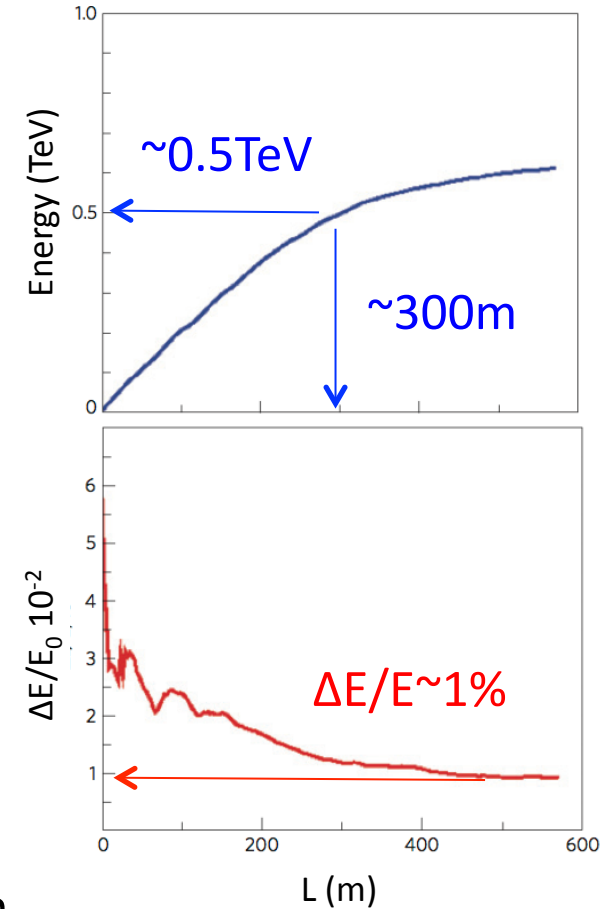
e⁻:
E₀=10GeV
N=10¹⁰
W₀=16J
W_f=1kJ

p⁺:
E₀=1TeV
σ_z=100μm
N=10¹¹
W₀=16kJ

Single Stage



Parameter	Symbol	Value	Units
Protons in drive bunch	N_p	10^{11}	
Proton energy	E_p	1	TeV
Initial proton momentum spread	σ_p/p	0.1	
Initial proton bunch longitudinal size	σ_z	100	μm
Initial proton bunch angular spread	σ_θ	0.03	mrad
Initial proton bunch transverse size	$\sigma_{x,y}$	0.43	mm
Electrons injected in witness bunch	N_e	1.5×10^{10}	
Energy of electrons in witness bunch	E_e	10	GeV
Free electron density	n_p	6×10^{14}	cm ⁻³
Plasma wavelength	λ_p	1.35	mm
Magnetic field gradient		1,000	T m ⁻¹
Magnet length		0.7	m



- ✧ Accelerate an e⁻ bunch on the wakefields of a p⁺ bunch
- ✧ Single stage, no gradient dilution
- ✧ Gradient ~1 GV/m over 100's m (average!!!)
- ✧ Operate at lower n_e (6x10¹⁴cm⁻³), larger (λ_{pe})³, easier life ...

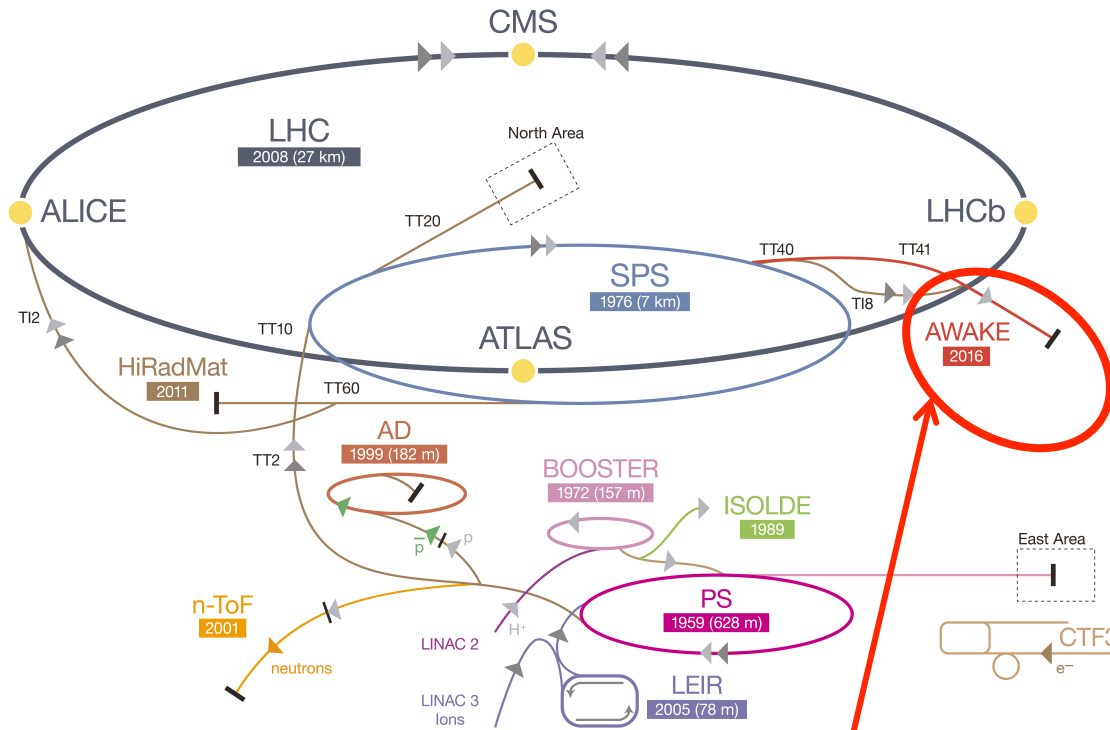




PROTON BEAMS @ CERN



CERN's Accelerator Complex



AWAKE experimental area

✦ SPS beam: high energy, small σ_r^* , long β^*

Parameter	PS	SPS	SPS Opt
E_0 (GeV)	24	400	400
N_p (10^{10})	13	10.5	30
$\Delta E/E_0$ (%)	0.05	0.03	0.03
σ_z (cm)	20	12	12
ϵ_N (mm-mrad)	2.4	3.6	3.6
σ_r^* (μm)	400	200	200
β^* (m)	1.6	5	5

$\sigma_z=12\text{cm}!!$



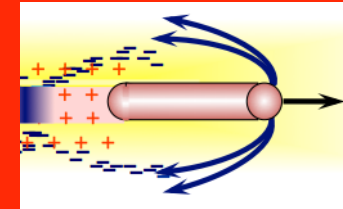


CERN's Accelerator Complex



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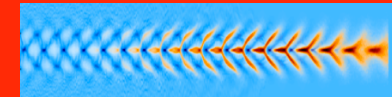
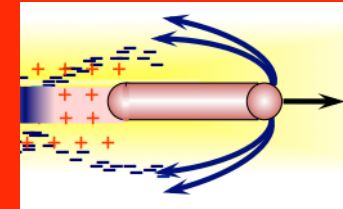


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→ Use self-modulation instability (SMI)

→ $\sigma_z \sim 12 \text{ cm}$ train with period $\sim 1.2 \text{ mm}$

→ $n_e \sim 7 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3}$, ($k_{pe} \sigma_r \sim 1$), $L_p = 10 \text{ m}$

→ $E_{WB} \sim 1 \text{ GV/m}$, $f_{pe} \sim 237 \text{ GHz}$

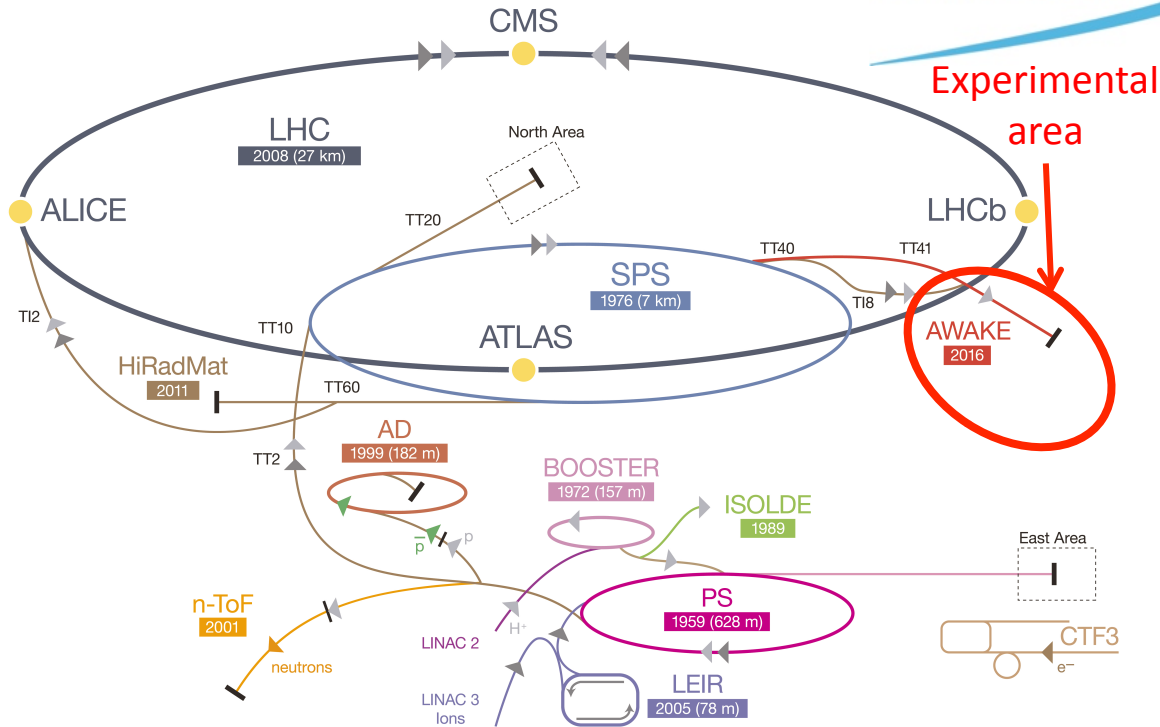




p⁺-DRIVEN PWFA



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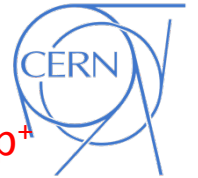


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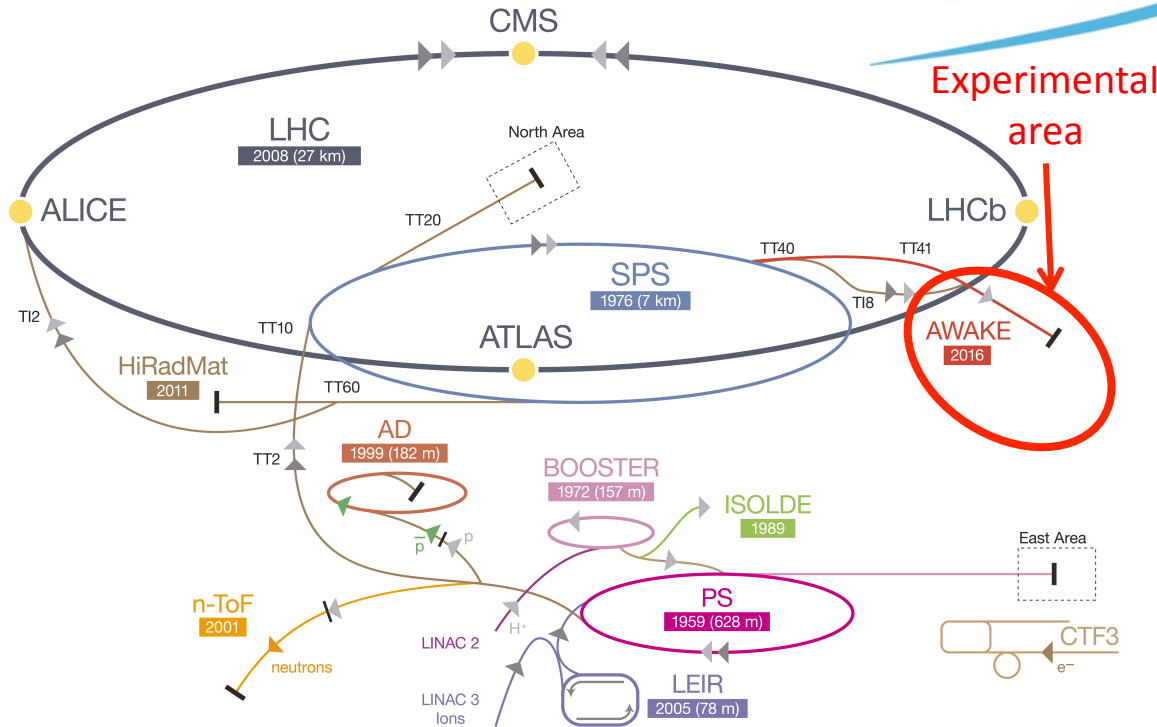




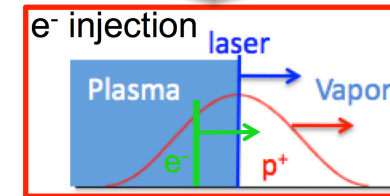
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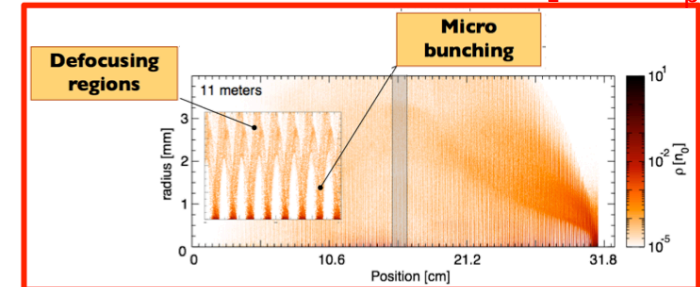
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3×10^{11} , 400 GeV SPS p⁺
10m plasma, $n_e = 1-10 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3}$

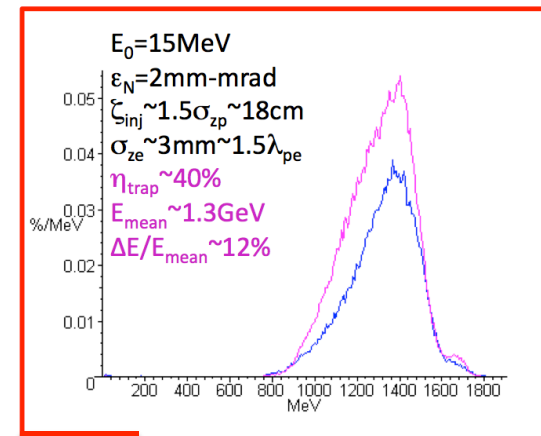


p⁺ bunch self-modulation: $\sigma_z \sim 100 \lambda_{pe}$



2016-17

GeV energy gain
by externally injected e⁻



2018

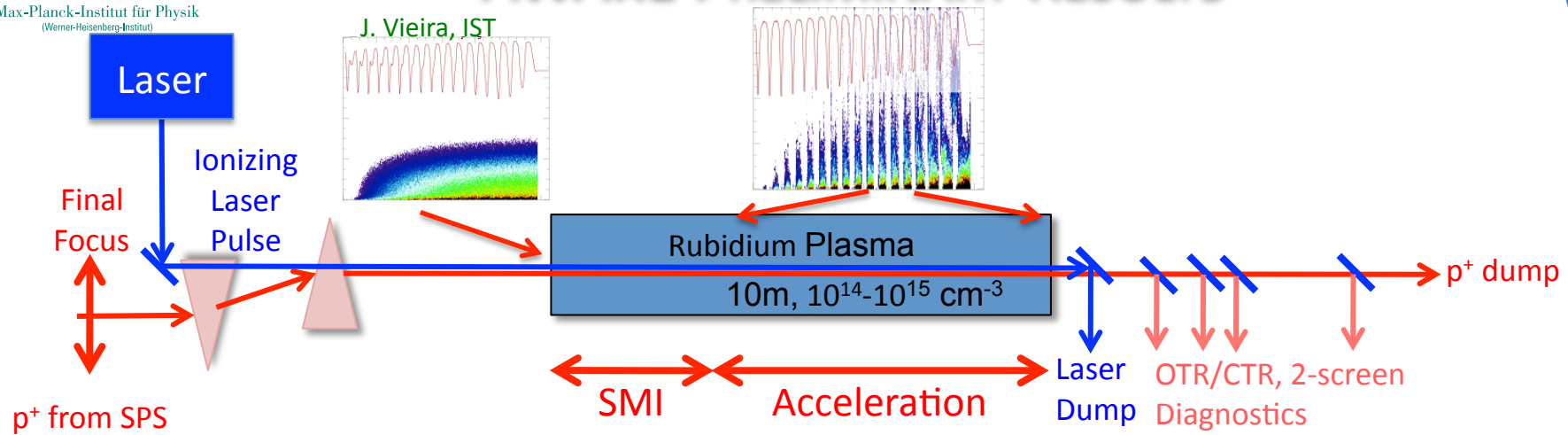
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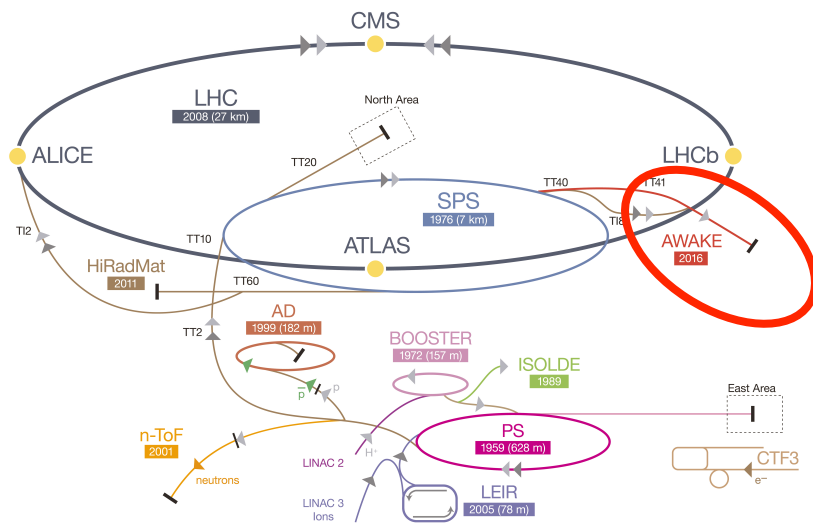
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AWAKE PRELIMINARY RESULTS



CERN's Accelerator Complex



2016-17: self-modulation instability (SMI) studies

Three observables

- ✧ Defocused p^+
- ✧ p^+ bunch modulation at λ_{pe}
- ✧ Emission of coherent transition radiation at λ_{pe}

2018: acceleration of 16MeV e^-

- ✧ Energy gain $\sim 1\text{GeV}$
- ✧ Few % $\Delta E/E$

- ✧ SPS bunch: 400GeV , $3 \times 10^{11} p^+$,
- ✧ 10m, laser ionized Rb plasma 1 - $10 \times 10^{14} \text{cm}^{-3}$





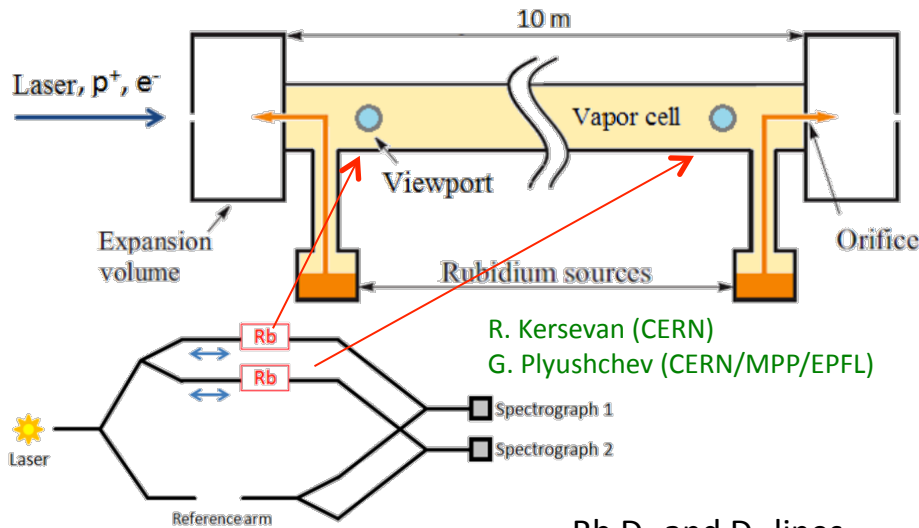
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Rb VAPOR/PLASMA SOURCE

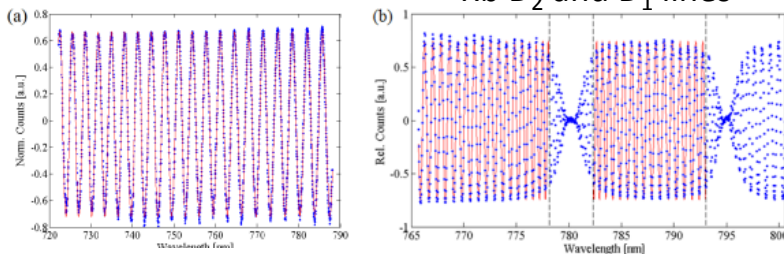


- ✧ $1 \times 10^{14} < n_e < 1 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}$
- ✧ Very uniform density: $\Delta n_{\text{Rb},e} / n_{\text{Rb},e} < 0.2\%$
- ✧ Sharp ramps: a few cm
- ✧ Heat exchanger + free expansion of Rb
- ✧ Laser field ionization

J. Moody, M. Huether, MPP, V. Fedosseev, F. Friebe, CERN

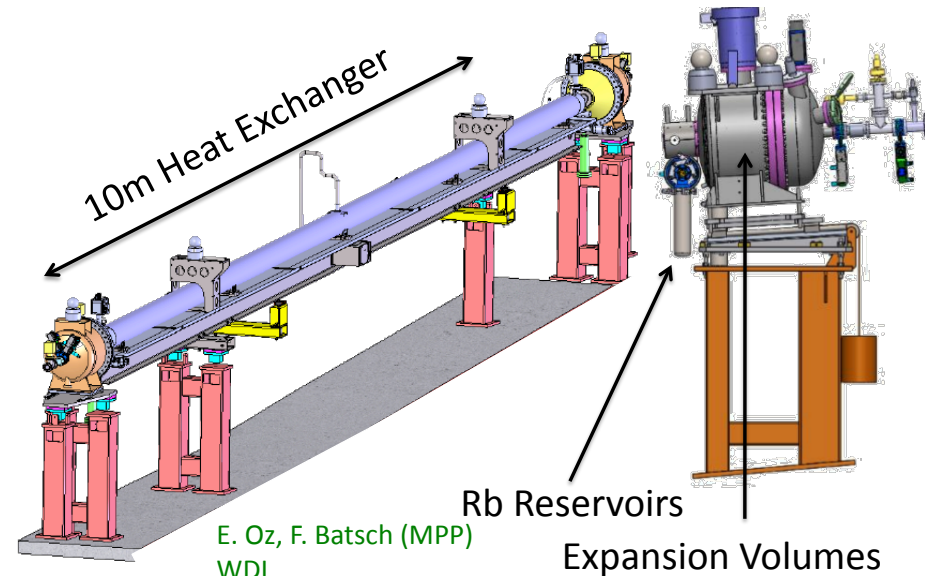


R. Kersevan (CERN)
G. Plyushchev (CERN/MPP/EPFL)



$$S(\lambda) = \tilde{A} \cdot \cos \left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \cdot \left[\tilde{n}l r_0 f_1 \lambda_1^3 + \tilde{n}l r_0 f_2 \lambda_2^3 + \xi \right] \right)$$

Öz et al., NIMA 829, 321 (2016)



E. Oz, F. Batsch (MPP)
WDL

E. Oz & P. Muggli., NIMA 740(11), 197 (2014).

- ✧ Meet density requirements
- ✧ Measure n_{Rb} with $< 0.5\%$ accuracy



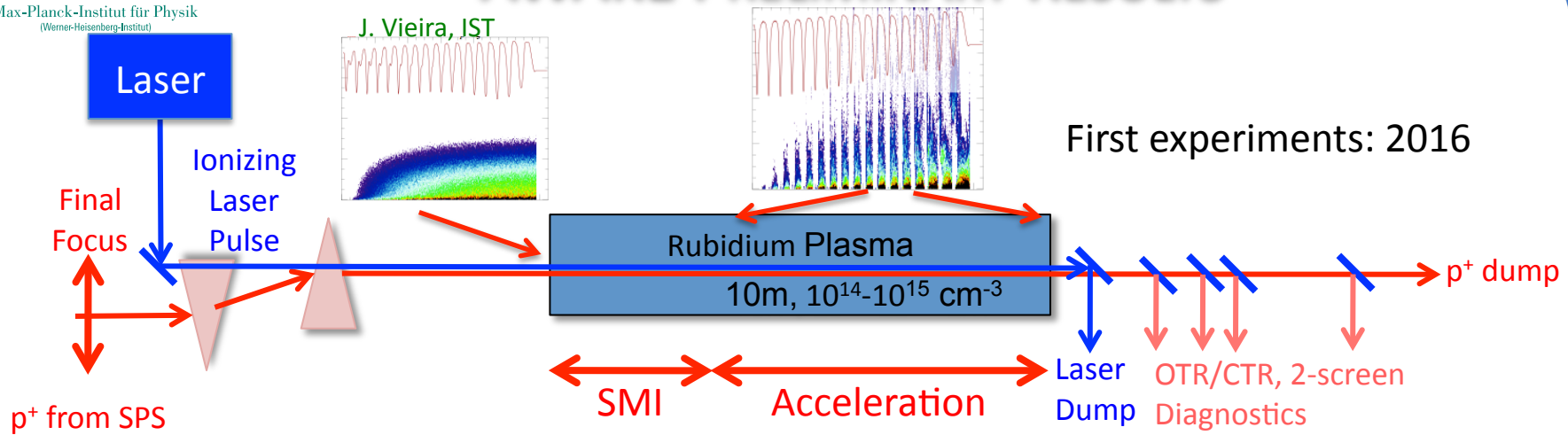
P. Muggli, CERN 2-17-09, 2007



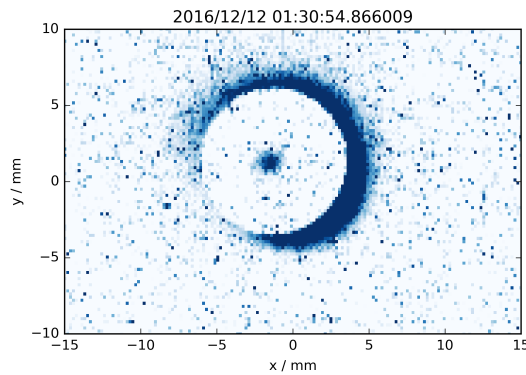
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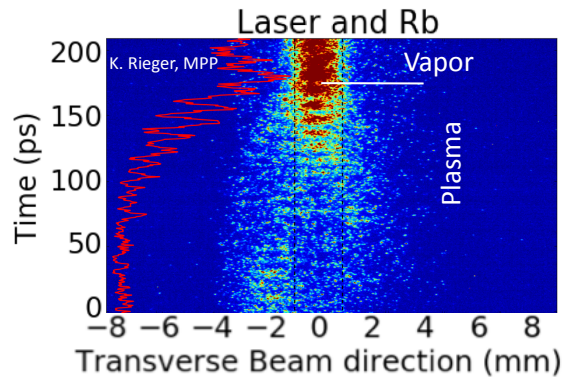


Defocused p^+



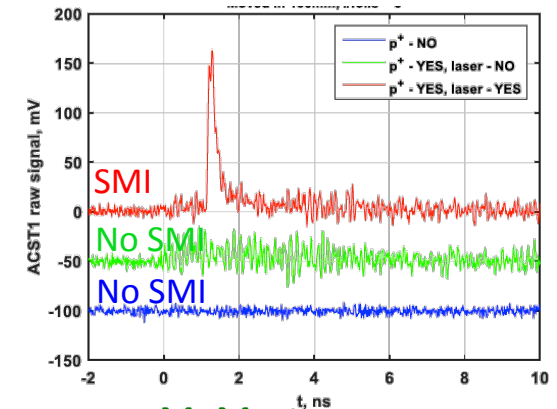
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Modulation at 10 ps scale



K. Rieger, MPP

CTR emission



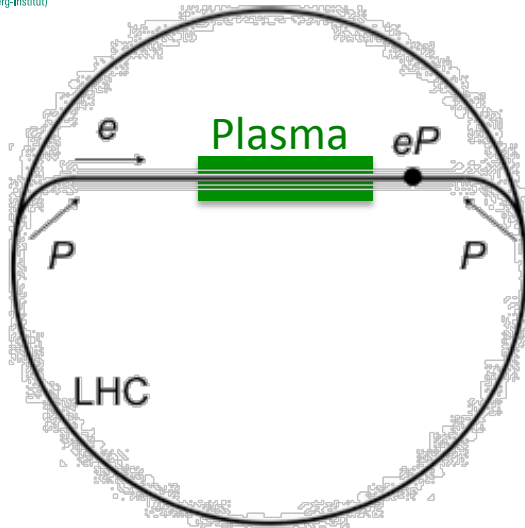
M. Martyanov
F. Braunmueller, MPP

- Successful first SMI physics run: 48h
- Operation at low plasma density: $1.5 \times 10^{14} \text{cm}^{-3}$
- SMI signal detected on all three diagnostics





p⁺-DRIVEN PWFA FOR e⁻/p⁺ COLLIDER

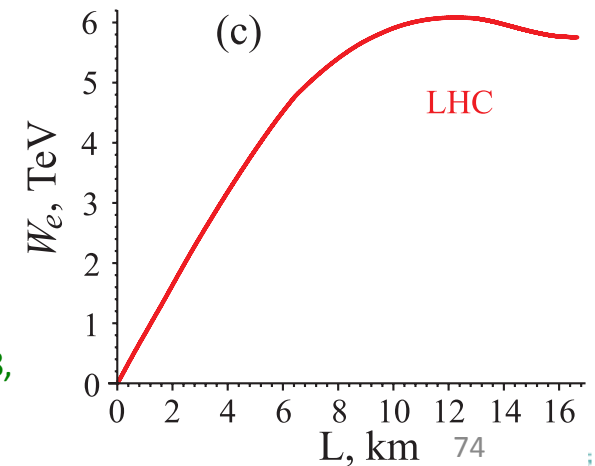


$$\mathcal{L} = f \frac{N_e \cdot N_p}{4\pi\sigma_x \cdot \sigma_y}$$
$$\approx 5 \cdot 10^{28} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

- Emphasis on using current infrastructure, i.e. LHC beam with minimum modifications.
- Overall layout works in powerpoint.
- Need high gradient magnets to bend protons into the LHC ring.
- One proton beam used for electron acceleration to then collider with other proton beam.
- High energies achievable and can vary electron beam energy.
- What about luminosity ?
- Assume
 - ~3000 bunches every 30 mins, gives $f \sim 2$ Hz.
 - $N_p \sim 4 \times 10^{11}$, $N_e \sim 1 \times 10^{11}$
 - $\sigma \sim 4 \mu\text{m}$

simulation of existing LHC bunch in plasma with trailing electrons ...

A. Caldwell, K. V. Lotov, Phys. Plasmas **18**, 13101 (2011)





SUMMARY



- ✧ Number of possible novel techniques: dielectrics/plasmas, laser/particle beams
- ✧ All have demonstrated accelerating gradients large than 700MeV/m!!! Novel!!!
- ✧ Very large gradients reached (>100GV/m)
- ✧ Very large energy gains achieved (>4GeV in ~10cm LWFA, >40GeV in 85cm PWFA)
- ✧ Witness bunch acceleration, transfer efficiency (30% bunch to bunch) demonstrated (PWFA)
- ✧ Staging in LWFA (low energy)
- ✧ Next milestones: high quality acceleration ($\Delta E/E$, ϵ small), staging/long accelerator
 - Complex experiments for small groups
- ✧ Concepts for “collider-like” accelerators exist for 1GeV/m (average gradient, all)
- ✧ No physics roadblocks/show stoppers





SUMMARY



- ✧ Number of technical challenges towards collider beams (last talk): a priori solvable
- ✧ Some e^+ -symmetric schemes (DLA, DWA), some applications need not e^+ (e^-/p^+)
- ✧ “Large scale” experiments: FACET, DESY Flash Forward, INFN SPARC_LAB, CERN AWAKE, BELLA, CILEX, ELI, etc.
- ✧ Need facility(ies) dedicated with optimum parameters ... witness bunch ...
- ✧ Need to apply CLIC-like optimization process to each concept (this group?)
- ✧ Strengthen collaboration between lab/university groups
 - “The next collider will not be built by faculties at universities”, J. Someone, US DoE
- ✧ Efficiency, reproducibility, stability, reliability, etc.
- ✧ Field mature for accelerator laboratories to adopt a concept and take it to the limit ...

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Thank you!*

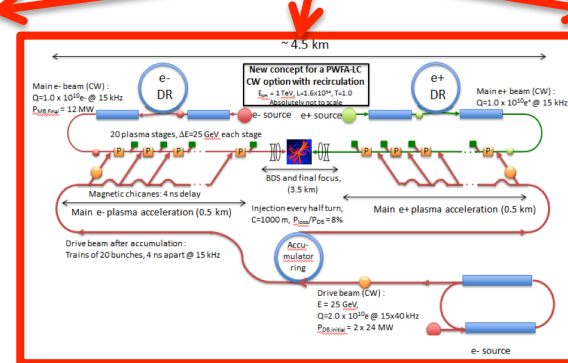
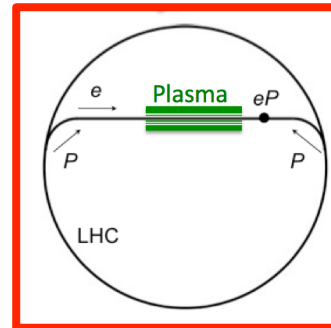
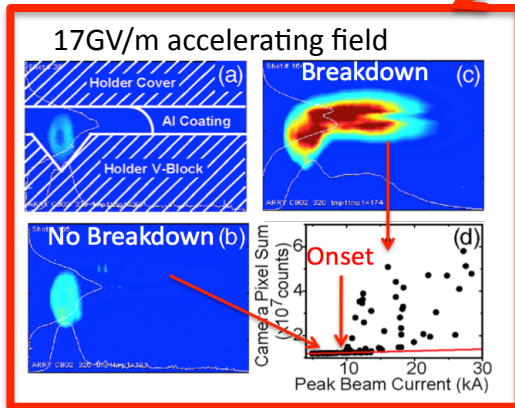
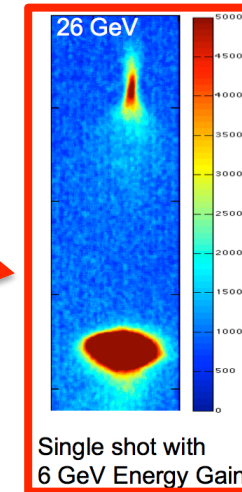
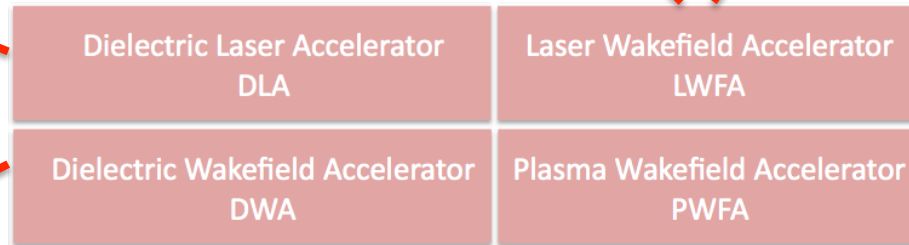
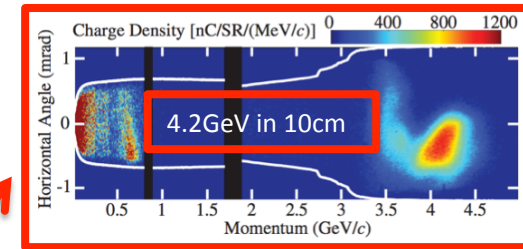
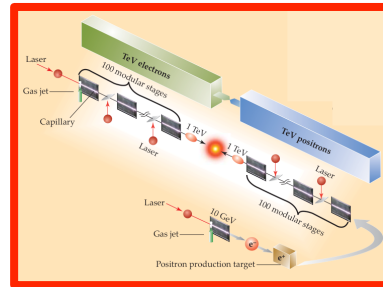
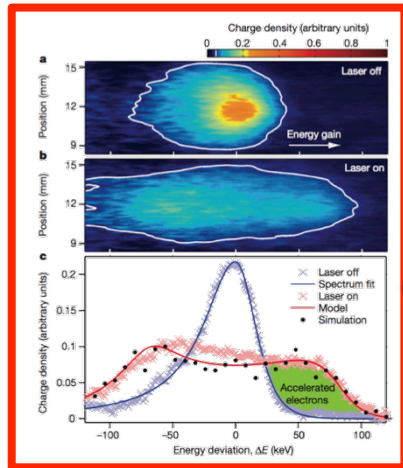
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*Luckily I did not present a significant number of other very interesting topics ...





NOVEL ACCELERATOR TECHNIQUES



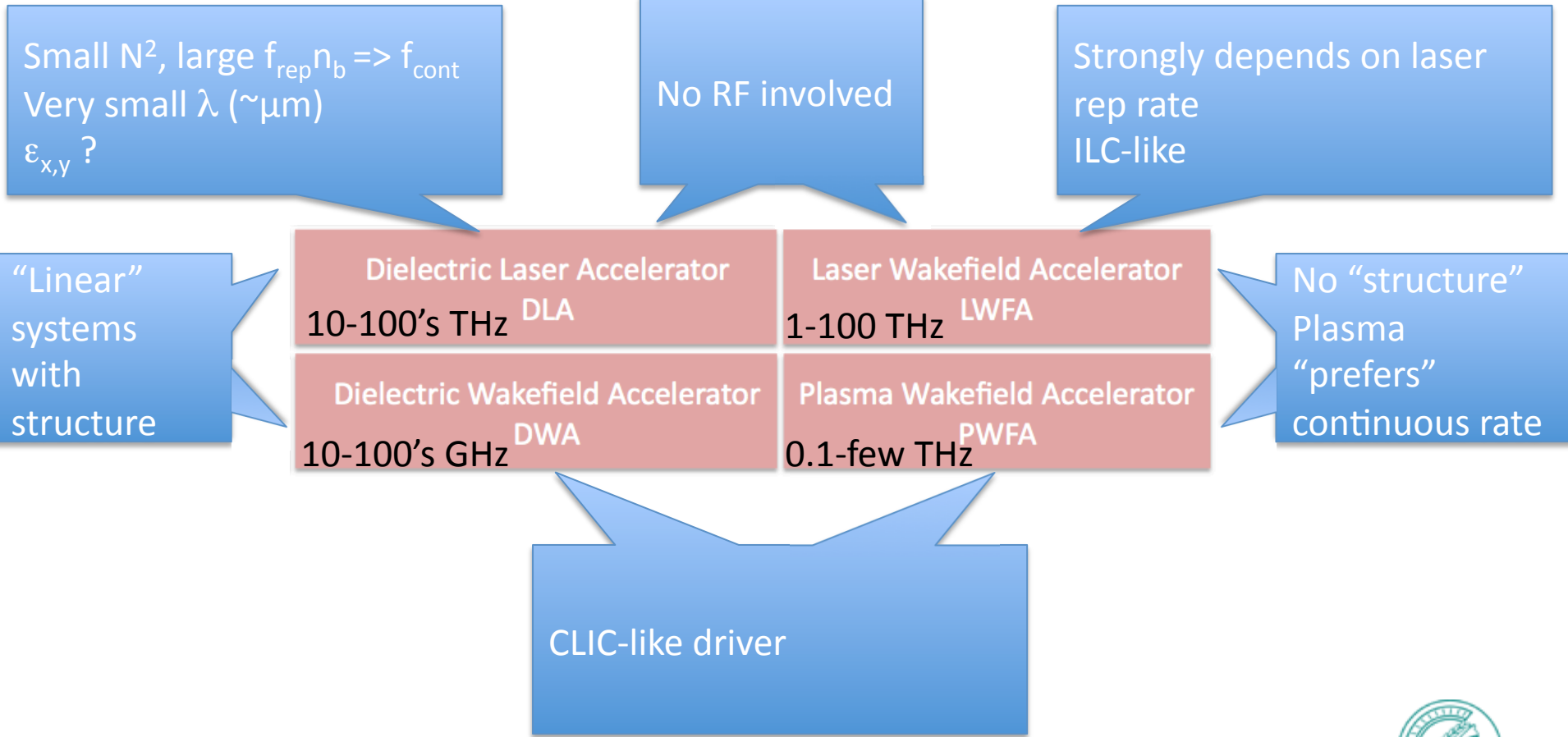
- ✧ Very active field that has demonstrated large accelerating gradients: 1-10GeV/m
- ✧ Very large energy gains (4-20GeV) in <1m in plasmas
- ✧ No physics showstoppers towards high energy, high luminosity accelerator
- ✧ Straw man "designs" for HEP colliders exist: e-/e+ and e-/p+ colliders
- ✧ Field mature for accelerator laboratory to take it to the limit





TECHNIQUES

$$\mathcal{L} \propto \frac{N^+ N^- f_{rep} n_b}{\sigma_x^*(\epsilon_x) \sigma_y^*(\epsilon_y)} \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \mathcal{L} \propto \frac{NP_b}{E \sigma_x^*(\epsilon_x) \sigma_y^*(\epsilon_y)}$$





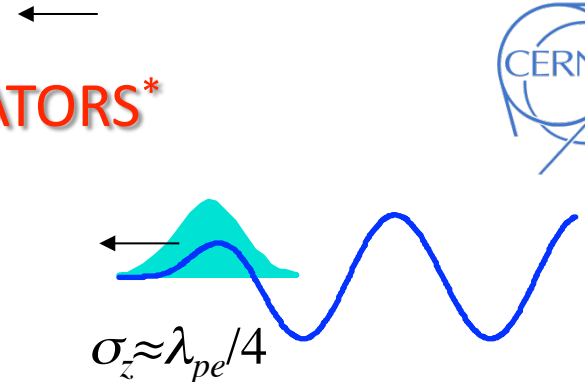
5/4 PLASMA-BASED ACCELERATORS*



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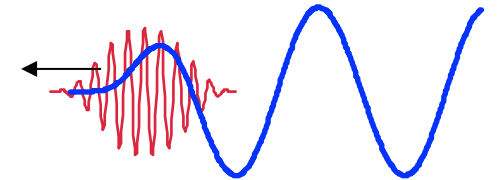
A high energy particle bunch (e^- , e^+ , ...)

P. Chen et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 54, 693 (1985)



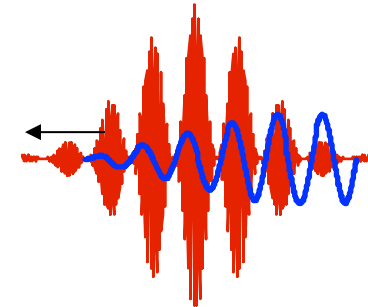
- Laser Wakefield Accelerator (LWFA)

A short laser pulse (photons)



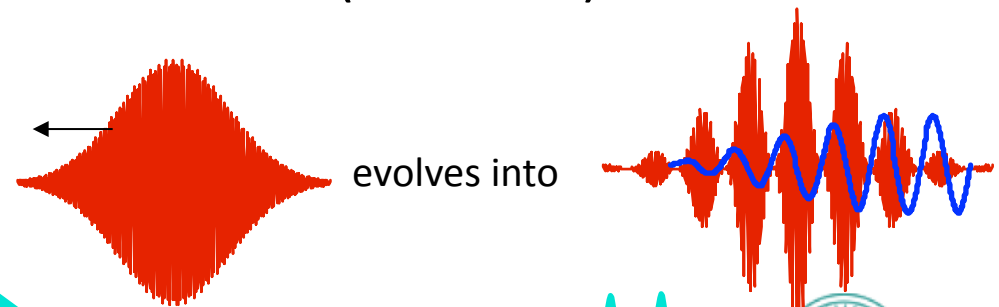
- Plasma Beat Wave Accelerator (PBWA)

Two frequencies laser pulse, i.e., a train of pulses

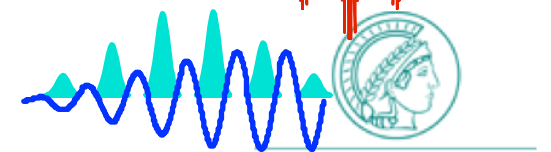
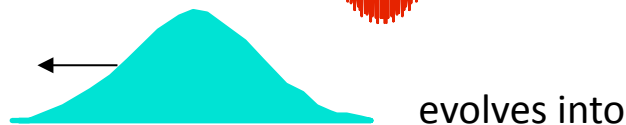


- Self-Modulated Laser Wakefield Accelerator (SMLWFA)

Raman forward scattering instability in a long laser pulse



- Self-Modulated PWFA (SMPPWFA)



*Pioneered by J.M. Dawson, Phys. Rev. Lett. 43, 267 (1979)



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LWFA-BASED COLLIDER CONCEPT

Schroeder, PRSTAB, 13, 101301 (2010)

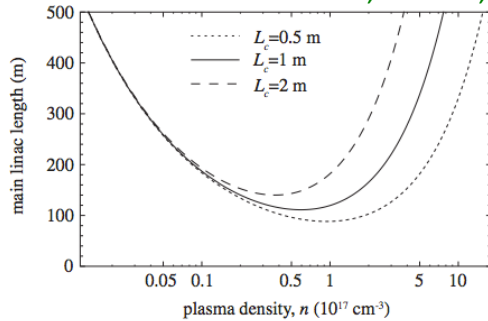


FIG. 3. Main single-linac length versus plasma density n for several laser in-coupling distances L_c , for $E_b = 0.5 \text{ TeV}$ and $a_0 = 1.5$.



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Surfing a plasma wave, a bunch of electrons or positrons can experience much higher accelerating gradients than a conventional RF linac could provide.

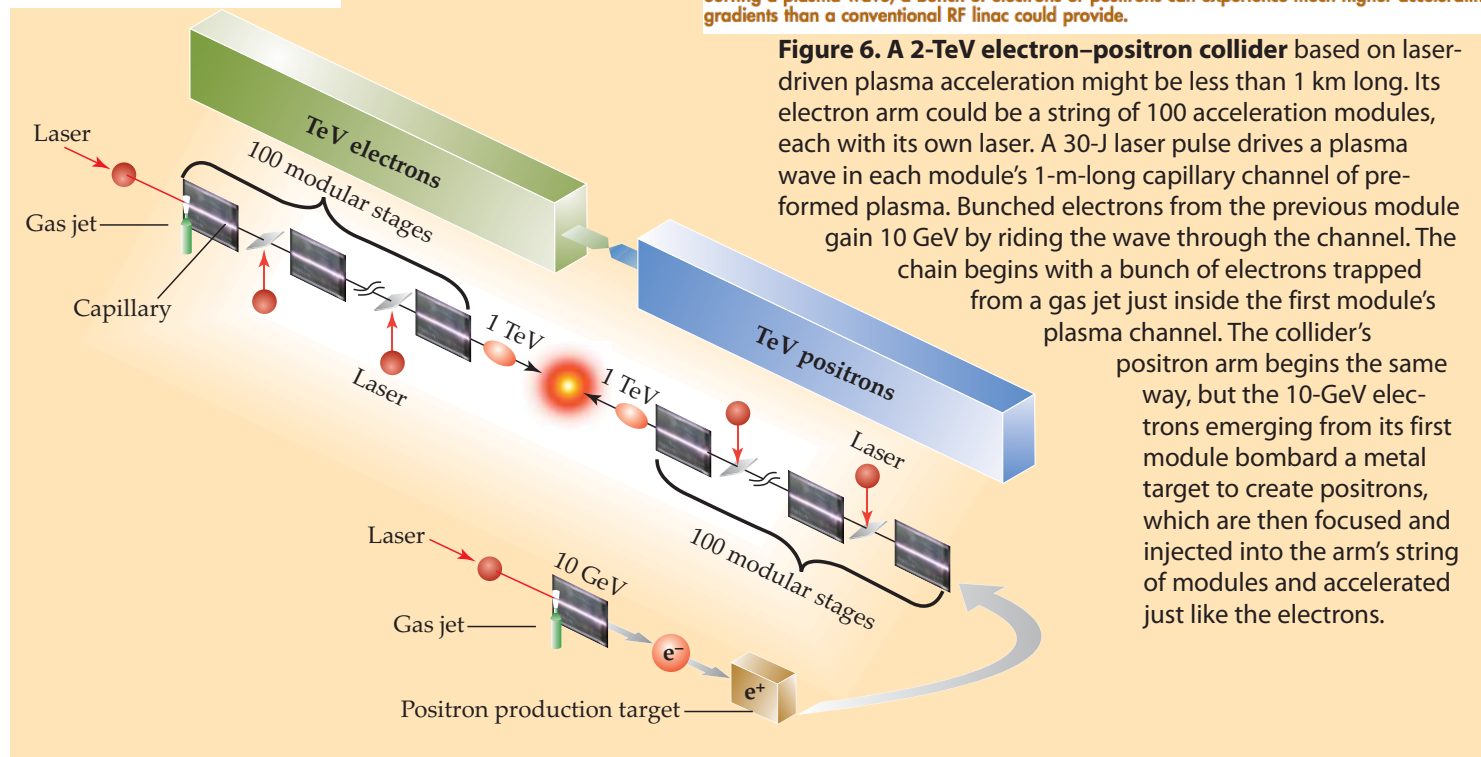


Figure 6. A 2-TeV electron-positron collider based on laser-driven plasma acceleration might be less than 1 km long. Its electron arm could be a string of 100 acceleration modules, each with its own laser. A 30-J laser pulse drives a plasma wave in each module's 1-m-long capillary channel of pre-formed plasma. Bunched electrons from the previous module gain 10 GeV by riding the wave through the channel. The chain begins with a bunch of electrons trapped from a gas jet just inside the first module's plasma channel. The collider's positron arm begins the same way, but the 10-GeV electrons emerging from its first module bombard a metal target to create positrons, which are then focused and injected into the arm's string of modules and accelerated just like the electrons.

✦ Effort (particularly at LBNL, Cilex) towards an e^-/e^+ collider

