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Transverse matching between ascending accelerators is done by focusing.

→ Profiles have to be controlled at many locations.

**Synchrotrons:** Lattice functions  $\beta$  (s) and D(s) are fixed  $\Rightarrow$  width  $\sigma$  and emittance  $\varepsilon$  are:

$$\sigma_x^2(s) = \varepsilon_x \beta_x(s) + \left(D(s) \frac{\Delta p}{p}\right)^2$$
 and  $\sigma_y^2(s) = \varepsilon_y \beta_y(s)$  (no vertical bend)

**LINACs:** Lattice functions are 'smoothly' defined due to variable input emittance.

## **Typical beam sizes:**

e-beam: typically Ø 0.01 to 3 mm, protons: typically Ø 1 to 30 mm

### A great variety of devices are used:

- Optical techniques: Scintillating screens (all beams), synchrotron light monitors (e-), optical transition radiation (e-), residual gas fluorescence monitors (protons), ionization profile monitors (protons).
- > Electronics techniques: Secondary electron emission (SEM) grids, wire scanners (all)



### **Outline:**

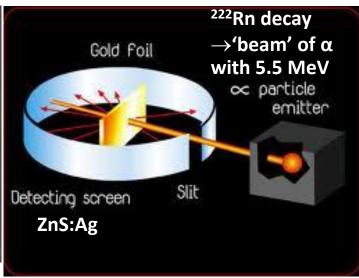
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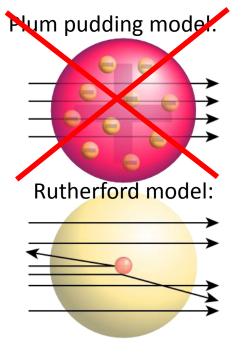
# Early Usage of Scintillation Screen by E. Rutherford



### Scintillation screens are used from the 'early days' on e.g. by Ernest Rutherford in 1911:









### **Rutherford or 'Geiger-Marsden Experiment':**

➤ Nuclei are made of point-like charges

#### **ZnS:Ag**

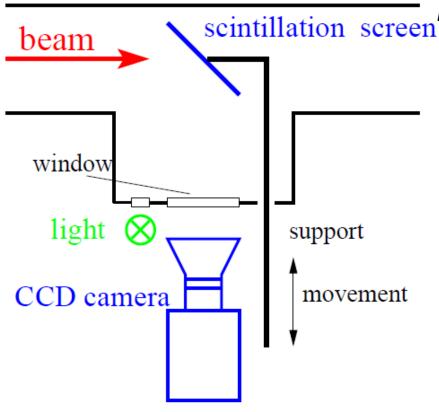
- $\triangleright$  light emitter excited by the energy release by charged particle  $\rightarrow$  sintillation
- > today known as Phosphor P11 and is used in TV tubes etc.

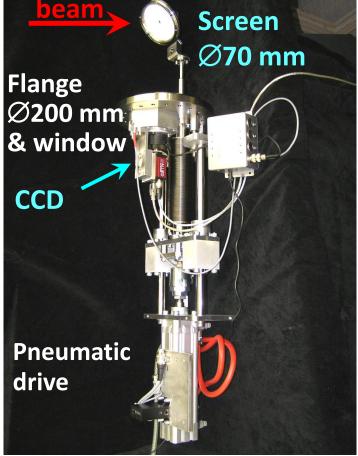
### **Scintillation Screen**



### Particle's energy loss in matter produces light

→ the most direct way of profile observation as used from the early days on!





# **Example of Screen based Beam Profile Measurement**

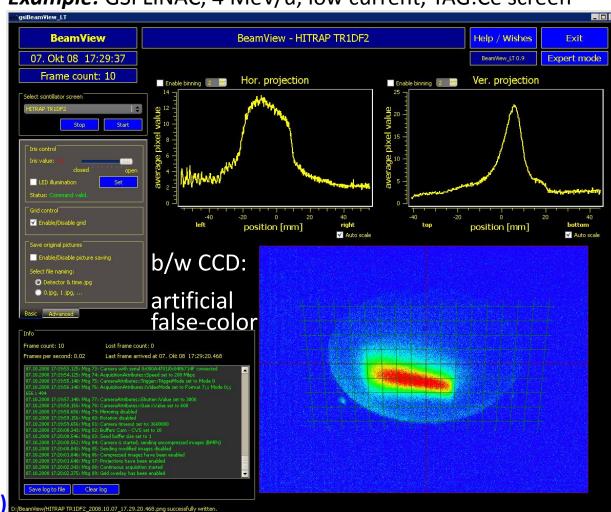


# **Advantage of screens:**

- ➤ Direct 2-dim measurement
- ➤ High spatial resolution
- ➤ Cheap realization

Observation with a CCD or CMOS camera with digital output or video & frame grabber.

**Example:** GSI LINAC, 4 MeV/u, low current, YAG:Ce screen



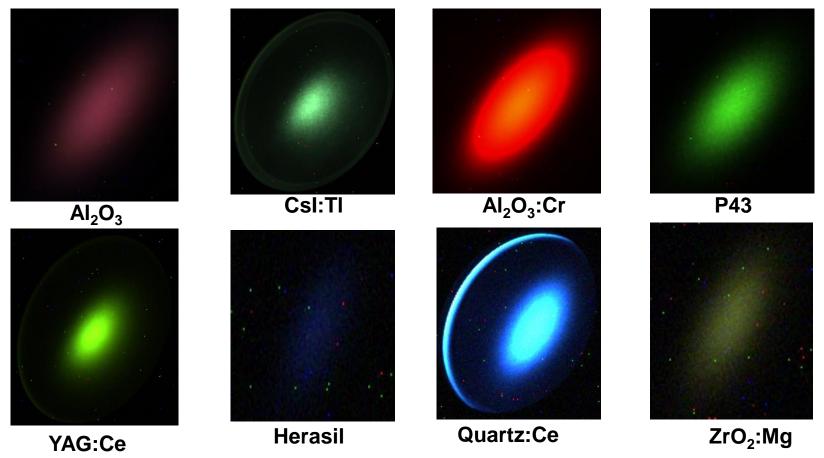
Scintillation Screen (beam stopped) D. [BeamMew]HITRAP TRIDF2\_2008.10.07\_17.29.20.468.png successfully written



# **Light output from various Scintillating Screens**



Example: Color CCD camera: Images at different particle intensities determined for U at 300 MeV/u



- > Very different light yield i.e. photons per ion's energy loss
- ➤ Different wavelength of emitted light

# **Excurse: Physics of Scintillating Mechanism**



### Interaction steps within the scintillation process

- beam interaction
- → hot electrons + deep holes
- $\triangleright$  multiplication within  $\approx$  0.01 ps:

electron – electron scattering

 $\triangleright$  thermalization within  $\approx$  1 ps:

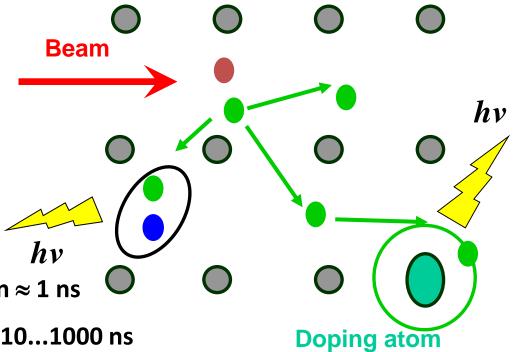
electron - phonon coupling

capture at doped atom and/or

electron - hole pair creation within ≈ 1 ns

**> emission** of photons within ≈ 10...1000 ns

 $\lambda$  and au depend strongly on dopant atom or color center nature

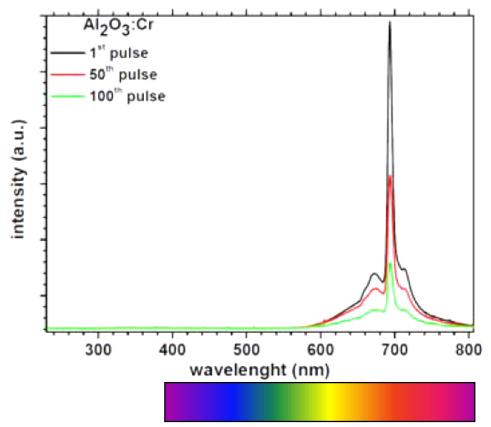


# **Wavelength Spectrum for Scintillation Screens**



Wavelength spectrum of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>:Cr (Chromox)

→ Emission is dominated by Chromium dopant



Other materials have different spectra

- → Optimization to sensitivity of detector
- → but others material properties have to obeyed and weighted

Beam parameters:  $^{238}$ U $^{28+}$ , 4.8 MeV/u, **5 · 10**<sup>10</sup> ppp in 500 μs, ~450 μA

[E. Gütlich (GSI) et al., BIW 2010]

# **Material Properties for Scintillating Screens**



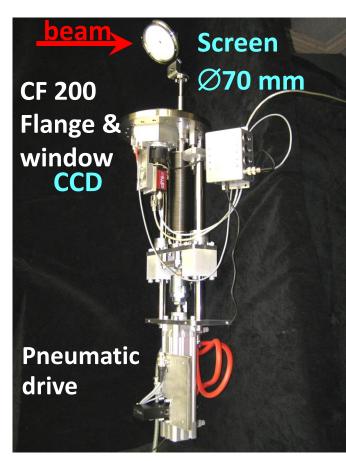
### Some materials and their basic properties:

Name	Туре	Material	Activ.	Мах. λ	Decay
Chromox	Cera- mics	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Cr	700nm	≈ 10ms
Alumina		Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Non	380nm	≈ 10ns
YAG:Ce	Crystal	Y <sub>3</sub> Al <sub>5</sub> O <sub>12</sub>	Ce	550nm	200ns
LYSO		Lu <sub>1.8</sub> Y <sub>.2</sub> SiO <sub>5</sub>	Ce	420nm	40ns
P43	Powder of gains Ø≈10μm on glass	Gd <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> S	Tb	545nm	1ms
P46		$Y_3AI_5O_{12}$	Ce	530nm	300ns
P47		Y <sub>3</sub> Si <sub>5</sub> O <sub>12</sub>	Ce&Tb	400nm	100ns

### Properties of a good scintillator:

- > Large light output at optical wavelength
  - → standard CCD camera can be used
- $\triangleright$  Large dynamic range  $\rightarrow$  usable for different ions
- $\triangleright$  Short decay time  $\rightarrow$  observation of variations
- ➤ Radiation hardness → long lifetime
- $\triangleright$  Good mechanical properties  $\rightarrow$  typ. size up to  $\emptyset$  10 cm (Phosphor Pxx grains of  $\emptyset \approx 10 \ \mu m$  on glass or metal).

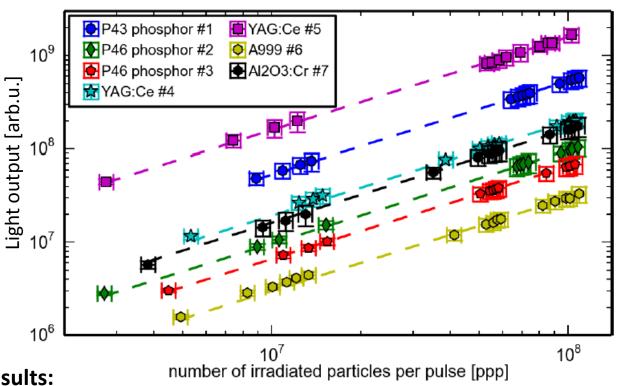
Standard drive with P43 screen



# **Example: Light Output from various Screens**



**Example:** Beam images for various scintillators irradiated by Uranium at  $\approx 300$  MeV/u at GSI



From P. Forck et al., IPAC'14, A. Lieberwirth et al., NIM B 2015

**Results:** 

- Several orders of magnitude different light output
- $\triangleright \Rightarrow$  material matched to beam intensity must be chosen
- Well suited: powder phosphor screens P43 and P46
- $\rightarrow$  cheap, can be sedimented on large substrates of nearly any shape
- Light output linear with respect to particles per pulse



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# **Excurse: Optical Transition Radiation: Depictive Description**



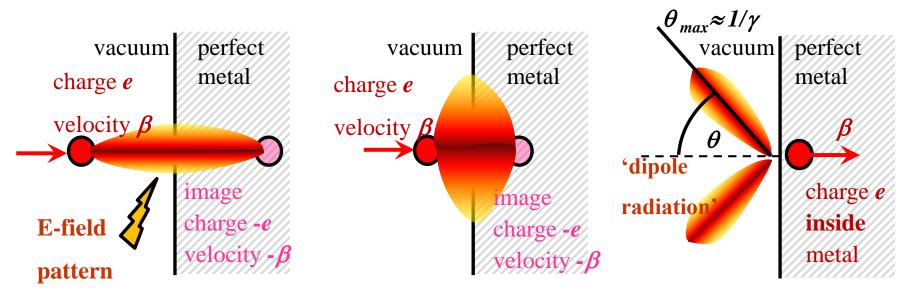
#### **Optical Transition Radiation OTR for a single charge** *e***:**

Assuming a charge *e* approaches an ideal conducting boundary e.g. metal foil

- image charge is created by electric field
- dipole type field pattern

dipole type

- $\succ$  field distribution depends on velocity  $oldsymbol{eta}$  and Lorentz factor  $\gamma$  due to relativistic trans. field increase
- $\triangleright$  penetration of charge through surface within t < 10 fs: sudden change of source distribution
- emission of radiation with dipole characteristic



**Physics**: sudden change charge distribution rearrangement of sources ⇔ radiation

Other physical interpretation: Impedance mismatch at boundary leads to radiation

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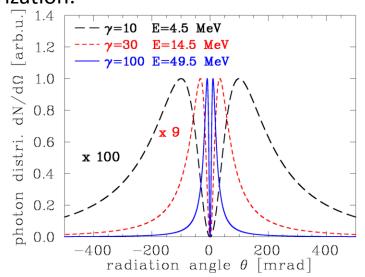
### **Optical Transition Radiation OTR can be described in classical physics:**

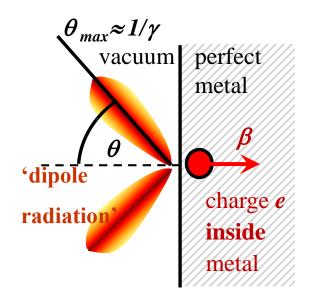
approximated formula for normal incidence & in plane polarization:

$$\frac{d^2W}{d\theta \,d\omega} \approx \frac{2e^2\beta^2}{\pi \,c} \cdot \frac{\sin^2\theta \cdot \cos^2\theta}{\left(1 - \beta^2 \cos^2\theta\right)^2}$$

W: radiated energy

 $\omega$ : frequency of wave





Angular distribution of radiation in optical spectrum:

- $\triangleright$  lope emission pattern depends on velocity or Lorentz factor  $\gamma$
- $\triangleright$  peak at angle  $\theta \approx 1/\gamma$
- $\triangleright$  emitted energy i.e. amount of photons scales with  $W \propto \beta^2$
- $\triangleright$  broad wave length spectrum (i.e. no dependence on  $\omega$ )
- → suited for high energy electrons

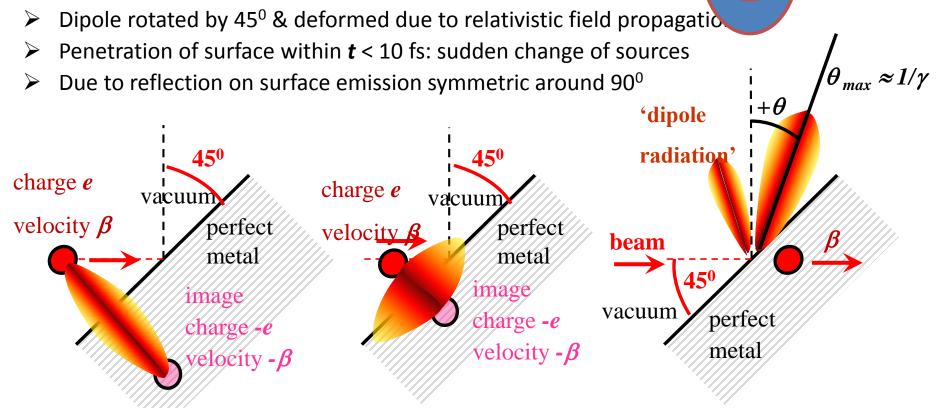
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# Excurse: Optical Transition Rad. with 45° incidence: Depictive Description Uas

# OTR with 45° beam incidence and observation at 90°:

A charge **e** approaches an ideal conducting boundary under 45<sup>o</sup>

Image charge is created by electric field



observation

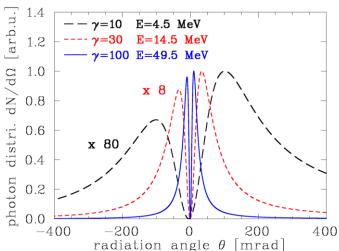
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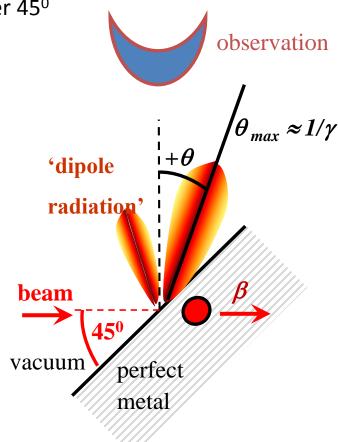
A charge *e* approaches an ideal conducting boundary under 45<sup>o</sup>

$$\frac{d^2W}{d\theta \,d\omega} \approx \frac{2e^2\beta^2}{\pi \,c} \cdot \left(\frac{\sin\theta}{1 - \beta\cos\theta} + \frac{\cos\theta}{1 - \beta\sin\theta}\right)^2$$





- emission pattern depends on velocity
- $\triangleright$  peak at angle  $\theta \approx 1/\gamma$
- ightharpoonup emitted energy scales with  $oldsymbol{W} \propto oldsymbol{eta}^2$
- > symmetric with respect to  $\theta$  for  $\gamma > 100$



Remark: polarization of emitted light:

- in scattering plane → parallel E-vector
- → perpendicular plane → rectangular E-vector.

# **Optical Transition Radiation OTR**



# Optical transition radiation is emitted by charged particle passage through a material boundary.

Electrodynamics field configuration changes during the passage:

- → Polarization of the medium
- → emission of energy

Description by

*classical* electrodynamics & relativity:

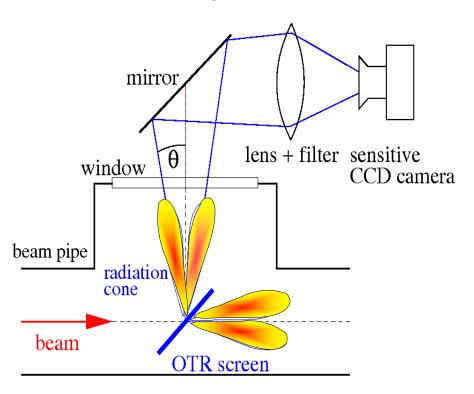
$$\frac{d^2W}{d\Omega d\omega} \approx \frac{2e^2\beta^2}{\pi c} \cdot \frac{\theta^2}{\left(\gamma^{-2} + \theta^2\right)^2}$$

W: energy emitted in solid angle arOmega

 $\theta$ : angle of emission

y: Lorentz factor

 $\omega$ : angular frequency intervall  $E_{ph}$ = $2\pi h\omega$ 



- ➤ Insertion of thin Al-foil under 45°
- Observation of low light by CCD.

# **Optical Transition Radiation: Angular Photon Distribution**

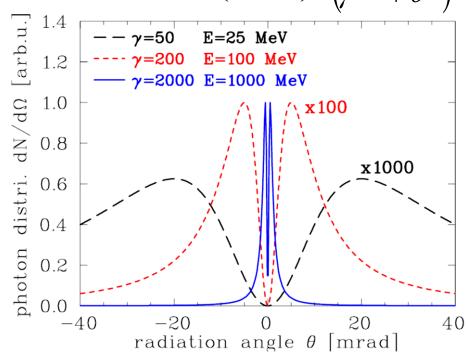


Photon distribution within a solid angle  $d\Omega$  and

$$\frac{dN_{photon}}{d\Omega} = N_{beam} \cdot \frac{2e^2\beta^2}{\pi c} \cdot \log\left(\frac{\lambda_{begin}}{\lambda_{end}}\right) \cdot \frac{\theta^2}{\left(\gamma^{-2} + \theta^2\right)^2}$$

Wavelength interval  $\lambda_{begin}$  to  $\lambda_{end}$ 

- ightharpoonup Detection: Optical 400 nm <  $\lambda$  < 800 nm using image intensified CCD
- $\triangleright$  Larger signal for relativistic beam  $\gamma >> 1$
- $\triangleright$  Angular focusing for  $\gamma >> 1$
- ⇒ well suited for e beams
- $\Rightarrow$  p-beam only for  $E_{kin}$ >10 GeV ( $\gamma$ >10)



#### **Remark:**

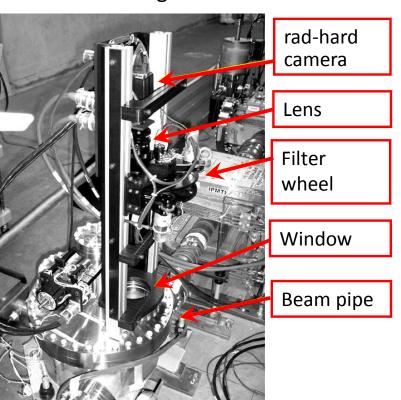
- → **Profile** by focusing to screen
- → **Beam angular distribution** by focusing on infinity due to emission dependence on beam angular distribution.

### **OTR-Monitor: Technical Realization and Results**

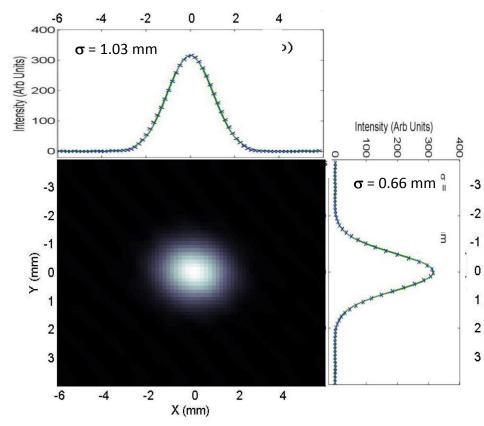


### **Example** of realization at TERATRON:

Insertion of foil e.g. 5  $\mu$ m Kapton coated with 0.1 $\mu$ m Al Advantage: thin foil  $\Rightarrow$  low heating & straggling 2-dim image visible



Results at FNAL-TEVATRON synchrotron with 150 GeV proton Using fast camera: Turn-by-turn measurement

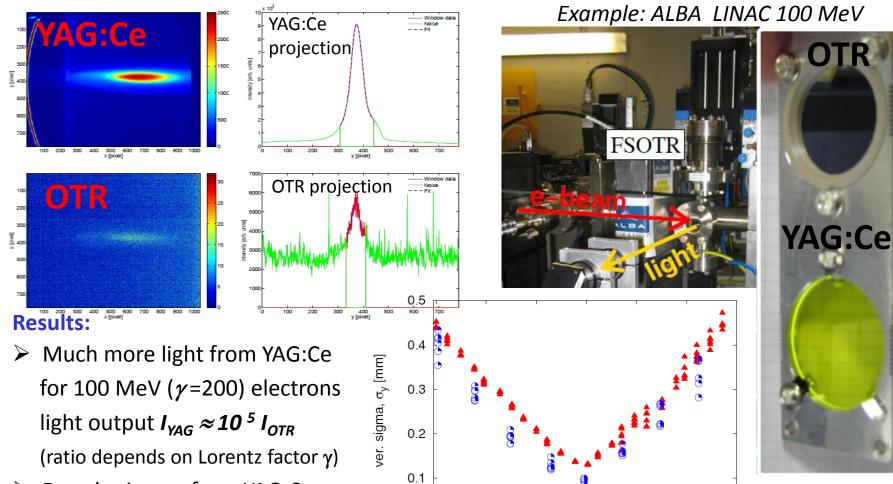


From V.E. Scarpine (FNAL) et al., BIW'06

# **Optical Transition Radiation compared to Scintillation Screen**



#### Installation of OTR and scintillation screens on same drive:



Broader image from YAG:Ce due to finite YAG:Ce thickness

Courtesy of U. Iriso et al., DIPAC'09

1.6

1.8

quad current, iq [A]

YAG

2.4

2.6

2.2

## **Comparison between Scintillation Screens and OTR**



**OTR:** electrodynamic process  $\rightarrow$  beam intensity linear to # photons

**Scint. Screen:** complex atomic process → saturation possible

OTR: thin foil Al or Al on Mylar, down to 0.25 µm thickness

→ minimization of beam scattering (Al is low Z-material)

Scint. Screen: thickness ≈ 1 mm inorganic, fragile material, not radiation hard

**OTR:** low number of photons  $\rightarrow$  expensive image intensified CCD

**Scint. Screen:** large number of photons  $\rightarrow$  simple CCD sufficient

**OTR:** complex angular photon distribution  $\rightarrow$  resolution limited

**Scint. Screen:** isotropic photon distribution  $\rightarrow$  simple interpretation

**OTR:** large  $\gamma$  needed  $\rightarrow$  e<sup>-</sup>-beam with  $E_{kin} > 100$  MeV, proton-beam with  $E_{kin} > 100$  GeV

Scint. Screen: for all beams

#### **Remark:**

**OTR:** Reamrk: beam angular distribution measurable → beam emittance

**Scint. Screen:** no information concerning the beam angular distribution



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# **Excurse: Secondary Electron Emission by Ion Impact**



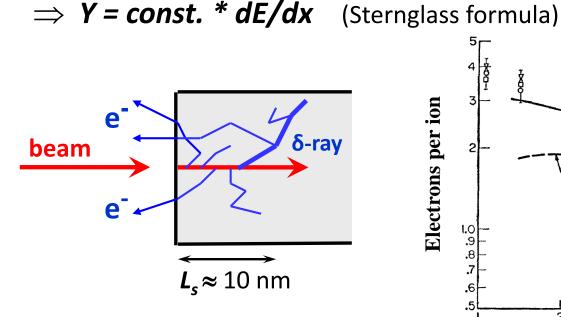
### Energy loss of ions in metals close to a surface:

Closed collision with large energy transfer:  $\rightarrow$  fast e with  $E_{kin} >> 100 \text{ eV}$ 

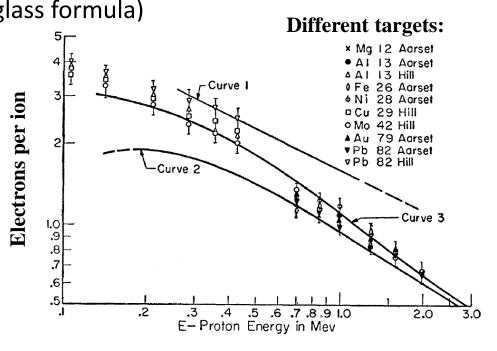
Distant collision with low energy transfer  $\rightarrow$  slow e<sup>-</sup> with  $E_{kin} \le 10 \text{ eV}$ 

- $\rightarrow$  'diffusion' & scattering with other e: scattering length  $L_s \approx 1$  10 nm
- $\rightarrow$  at surface  $\approx$  90 % probability for escape

Secondary **electron yield** and energy distribution comparable for all metals!



From E.J. Sternglass, Phys. Rev. 108, 1 (1957)



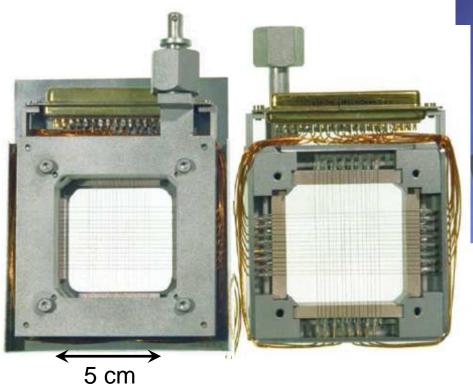
# **Secondary Electron Emission Grids = SEM-Grid**



# Beam surface interaction: $e^-$ emission $\rightarrow$ measurement of current.

Example: 15 wire spaced by 1.5 mm:







Parameter	Typ. value		
# wires per plane	10100		
Active area	(520 cm) <sup>2</sup>		
Wire Ø	25100 μm		
Spacing	0.32 mm		
Material	e.g. W or Carbon		
Max. beam power	1 W/mm		

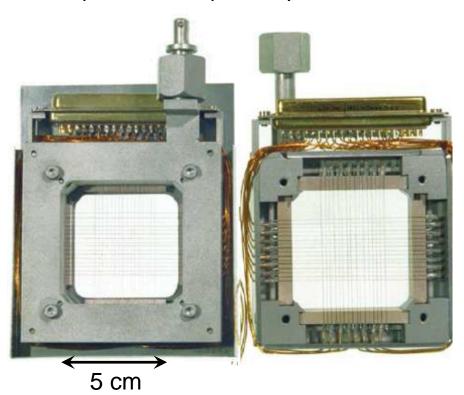
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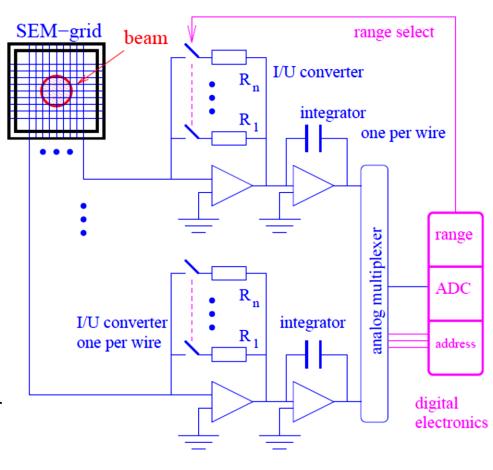
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SEM-Grid electroics scheme:



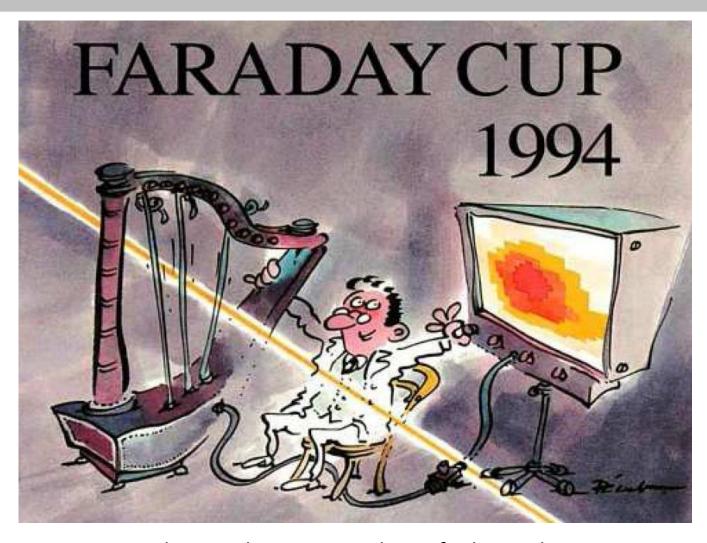
Each wire is equipped with one I/U converter different ranges settings by  $R_i$ 

 $\rightarrow$  very large dynamic range up to 10<sup>6</sup>.



# The Artist's view of a SEM-Grid = Harp





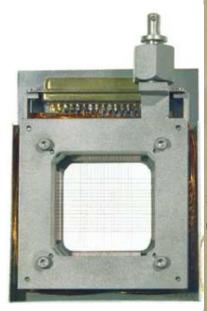
The Faraday Cup is an award granted every second year for beam diagnostics inventions.

# **Properties of a SEM-Grid**

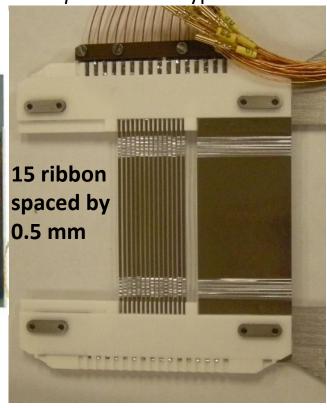


# Secondary e- emission from wire or ribbons, 10 to 100 per plane.

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Sensitivity (I/U conv.)	1 nA/V		
Dynamic range	1:10 <sup>6</sup>		
Integration time	1ms to 1 s		



Example: Ribbon type SEM-Grid



Care has to be taken to prevent over-heating by the energy loss!

Low energy beam: Wires with ratio of spacing/width:  $\simeq 1$ mm/0.1mm =  $10 \rightarrow$  only 10 % loss. High energy  $E_{kin} > 1$  GeV/u: typ. 25 µm thick ribbons & 0.5 mm width  $\rightarrow$  negligible energy loss.

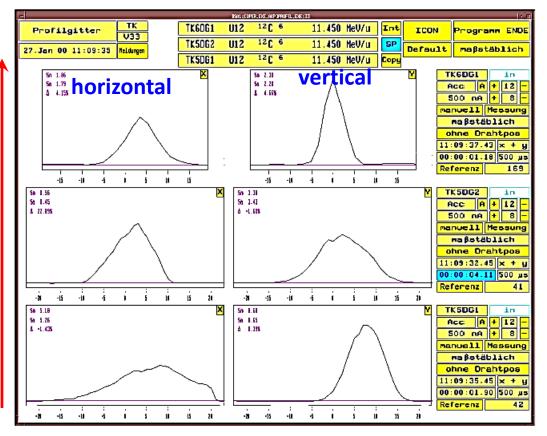
# **Example of Profile Measurement with SEM-Grids**

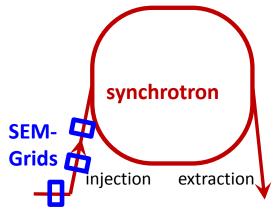


Even for low energies, several SEM-Grid can be used due to the ≈80 % transmission

⇒ frequently used instrument beam optimization: setting of quadrupoles, energy....

Example:  $C^{6+}$  beam of 11.4 MeV/u at different locations at GSI-LINAC





beam-

direction



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# Slow, linear Wire Scanner



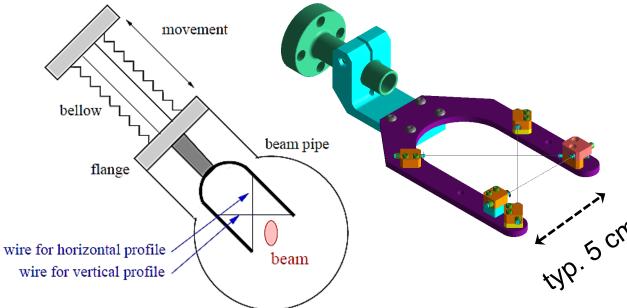
Idea: One wire is scanned through the beam! Slow, linear scanner are used for:

low energy protons

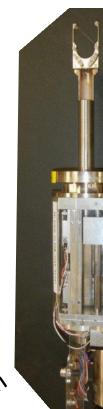
 $\triangleright$  high resolution measurements e.g. at e<sup>+</sup>-e<sup>-</sup> colliders by de-convolution  $\sigma^2_{beam} = \sigma^2_{meas} - d^2_{wire}$ 

 $\Rightarrow$  resolution down to  $\mu m$  can be reached

detection of beam halo.

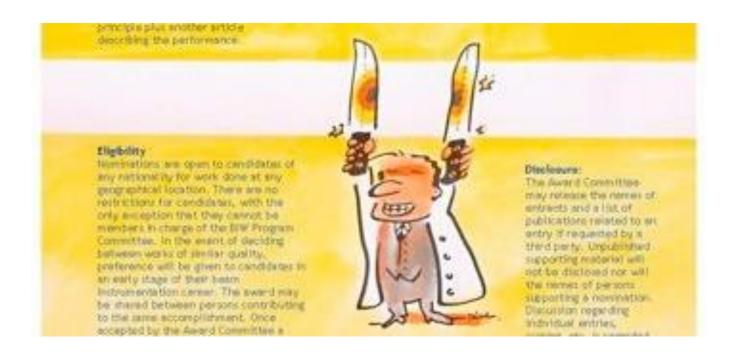


Scanners used as reference method!



# The Artist's view of a Beam Scraper or Scanner



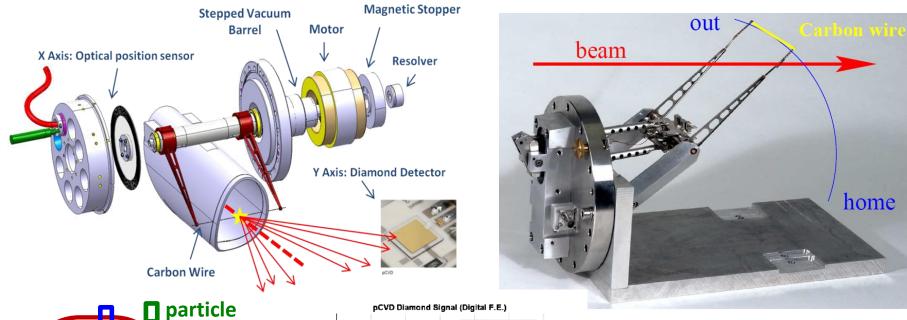


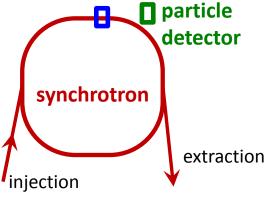
# Fast, Flying Wire Scanner

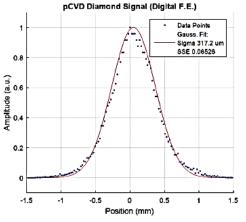


In a synchrotron one wire is scanned though the beam as fast as possible.

Fast pendulum scanner for synchrotrons; sometimes it is called 'flying wire':







# Scanners used as reference method!

From <a href="https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/">https://twiki.cern.ch/twiki/</a> bin/viewauth/BWSUpgrade/

# **Usage of Flying Wire Scanners**



*Material:* carbon or SiC  $\rightarrow$  low Z-material for low energy loss and high temperature.

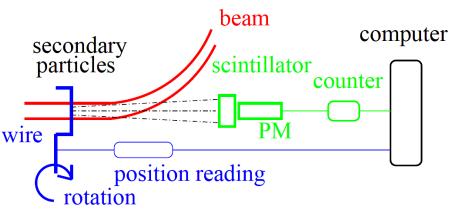
**Thickness**: down to 10  $\mu$ m  $\rightarrow$  high resolution.

**Detection:** High energy **secondary particles** (like beam loss monitor)

flying wire: only sec. particle detection due to induced current by movement.

### **Secondary particles:**

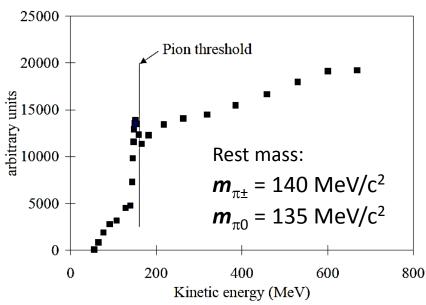
**Proton beam**  $\rightarrow$  hadrons shower ( $\pi$ , n, p...) **Electron beam**  $\rightarrow$  Bremsstrahlung photons.



### Kinematics of flying wire:

Velocity during passage typically 10 m/s = 36 km/h and typical beam size  $\varnothing$  10 mm  $\Rightarrow$  time for traversing the beam  $t \approx 1$  ms **Challenges:** Wire stability for fast movement with high acceleration

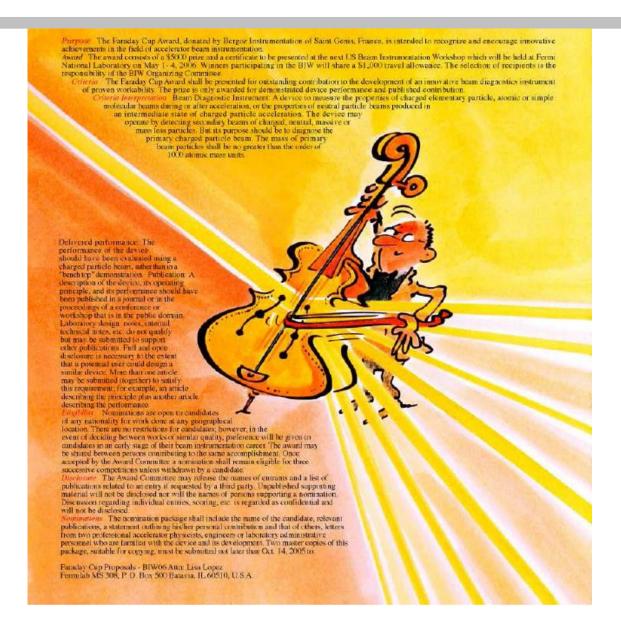
Example: Proton impact on scanner at CERN-PS Booster



U. Raich et al., DIPAC 2005

#### The Artist's View of a Wire Scanner





# Comparison between SEM-Grid and slow linear Wire Scanners



**Grid:** Measurement at a single moment in time

Scanner: Fast variations can not be monitored

→ for pulsed LINACs precise synchronization is needed

**Grid:** Resolution of a grid is fixed by the wire distance (typically 1 mm)

Scanner: For slow scanners the resolution is about the wire thickness (down to 10 μm)

 $\rightarrow$  used for e-beams having small sizes (down to 10  $\mu$ m)

**Grid:** Needs one electronics channel per wire

→ expensive electronics and data acquisition

**Scanner:** Needs a precise movable feed-through  $\rightarrow$  expensive mechanics.

**Grid: Not** adequate at synchrotrons for stored beam parameters

Scanner: At high energy synchrotrons: flying wire scanners are nearly non-destructive

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Transverse matching between ascending accelerators is done by focusing.

→ Profiles have to be controlled at many locations.

**Synchrotrons:** Lattice functions  $\beta$  (s) and D(s) are fixed  $\Rightarrow$  width  $\sigma$  and emittance  $\varepsilon$  are:

$$\sigma_x^2(s) = \varepsilon_x \beta_x(s) + \left(D(s) \frac{\Delta p}{p}\right)^2$$
 and  $\sigma_y^2(s) = \varepsilon_y \beta_y(s)$  (no vertical bend)

**LINACs:** Lattice functions are 'smoothly' defined due to variable input emittance.

## **Typical beam sizes:**

e-beam: typically Ø 0.01 to 3 mm, protons: typically Ø 1 to 30 mm

### A great variety of devices are used:

- Optical techniques: Scintillating screens (all beams), synchrotron light monitors (e-), optical transition radiation (e-), residual gas fluorescence monitors (protons), ionization profile monitors (protons).
- > Electronics techniques: Secondary electron emission (SEM) grids, wire scanners (all)

# **Material Properties for Scintillating Screens**



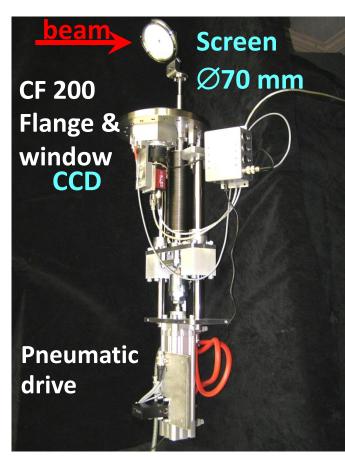
### Some materials and their basic properties:

Name	Туре	Material	Activ.	Мах. λ	Decay
Chromox	Cera- mics	Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Cr	700nm	≈ 10ms
Alumina		Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	Non	380nm	≈ 10ns
YAG:Ce	Crystal	$Y_3AI_5O_{12}$	Ce	550nm	200ns
LYSO		Lu <sub>1.8</sub> Y <sub>.2</sub> SiO <sub>5</sub>	Ce	420nm	40ns
P43	Powder of gains Ø≈10µm on glass	Gd <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> S	Tb	545nm	1ms
P46		$Y_3AI_5O_{12}$	Ce	530nm	300ns
P47		Y <sub>3</sub> Si <sub>5</sub> O <sub>12</sub>	Ce&Tb	400nm	100ns

### Properties of a good scintillator:

- > Large light output at optical wavelength
  - → standard CCD camera can be used
- $\triangleright$  Large dynamic range  $\rightarrow$  usable for different ions
- $\triangleright$  Short decay time  $\rightarrow$  observation of variations
- ➤ Radiation hardness → long lifetime
- $\triangleright$  Good mechanical properties  $\rightarrow$  typ. size up to  $\emptyset$  10 cm (Phosphor Pxx grains of  $\emptyset \approx 10 \ \mu m$  on glass or metal).

Standard drive with P43 screen



## **Optical Transition Radiation OTR**



# Optical transition radiation is emitted by charged particle passage through a material boundary.

Electrodynamics field configuration changes during the passage:

- → Polarization of the medium
- → emission of energy

Description by

*classical* electrodynamics & relativity:

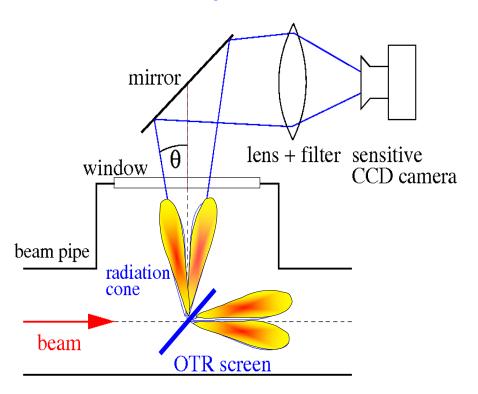
$$\frac{d^2W}{d\Omega d\omega} \approx \frac{2e^2\beta^2}{\pi c} \cdot \frac{\theta^2}{\left(\gamma^{-2} + \theta^2\right)^2}$$

W: energy emitted in solid angle  $\Omega$ 

 $\theta$ : angle of emission

y: Lorentz factor

 $\omega$ : angular frequency intervall  $E_{ph}$ = $2\pi h\omega$ 



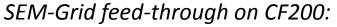
- ➤ Insertion of thin Al-foil under 45°
- Observation of low light by CCD.

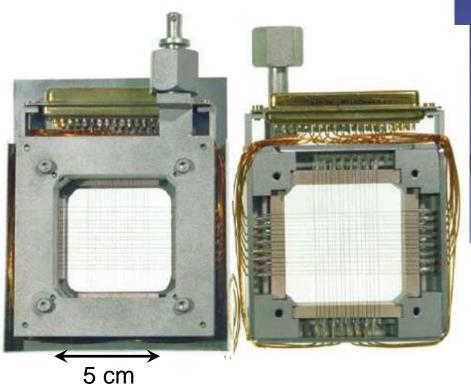
## **Secondary Electron Emission Grids = SEM-Grid**



## Beam surface interaction: $e^-$ emission $\rightarrow$ measurement of current.

Example: 15 wire spaced by 1.5 mm:







Parameter	Typ. value
# wires per plane	10100
Active area	(520 cm) <sup>2</sup>
Wire ∅	25100 μm
Spacing	0.32 mm
Material	e.g. W or Carbon
Max. beam power	1 W/mm

## Slow, linear Wire Scanner



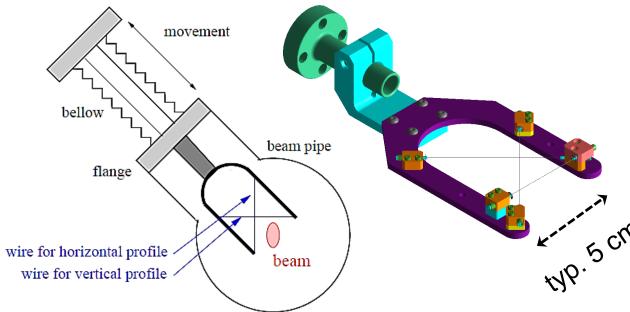
Idea: One wire is scanned through the beam! Slow, linear scanner are used for:

> low energy protons

► high resolution measurements e.g. at  $e^+$ - $e^-$  colliders by de-convolution  $\sigma^2_{beam} = \sigma^2_{meas} - d^2_{wire}$ 

 $\Rightarrow$  resolution down to  $\mu m$  can be reached

> detection of beam halo.



Scanners used as reference method!





#### **Outline:**

- Scintillation screens:emission of light. universal usage, limited dynamic range
- ➤ Optical Transition Radiation: crossing material boundary, for relativistic beams only
- > SEM-Grid: emission of electrons, workhorse, limited resolution
- Wire scanner: emission of electrons, workhorse, scanning method
- ➤ Ionization Profile Monitor and Beam Induced Fluorescence Monitor: secondary particle detection from interaction beam-residual gas
- > Synchrotron Light Monitors
- > Summary

#### Realization of Ionization Profile Monitor at GSI LINAC

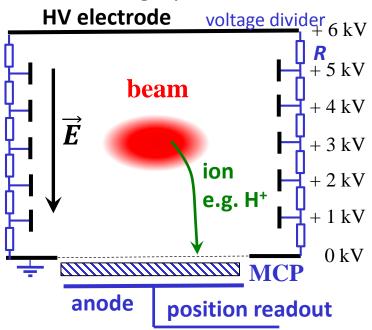


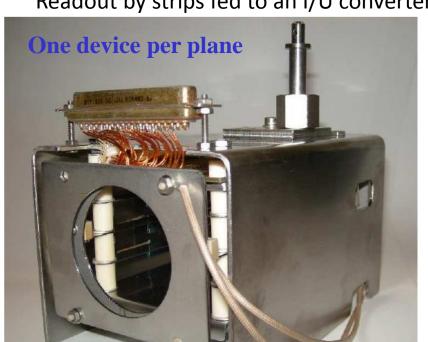
#### **Non-destructive** device for proton synchrotron:

beam ionizes the residual gas by electronic stopping Vacuum p  $\simeq 10^{-7}$  mbar, I  $\simeq 1$  mA Readout by strips fed to an I/U converter.

> gas ions or e<sup>-</sup> accelerated by E -field ≈1 kV/cm

> spatial resolved single particle detection





IPM for the use at the GSI LINAC:

#### **Typical vacuum pressure:**

Transfer line:  $N_2 \ 10^{-8} ... \ 10^{-6} \ mbar \cong \ 3 \cdot 10^8 ... \ 3 \cdot 10^{10} cm^{-3}$ 

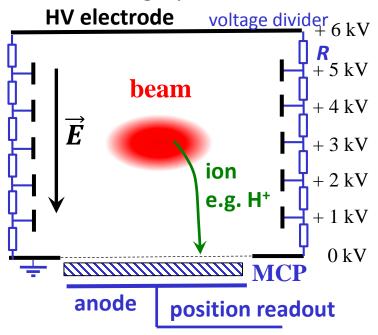
Synchrotron:  $H_2^{-10^{-11}}...10^{-9}$  mbar  $\cong 3.10^{5}...3.10^{7}$  cm<sup>-3</sup>

## **Ionization Profile Monitor at GSI Synchrotron**



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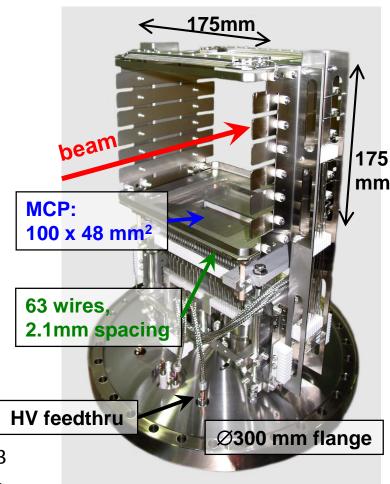


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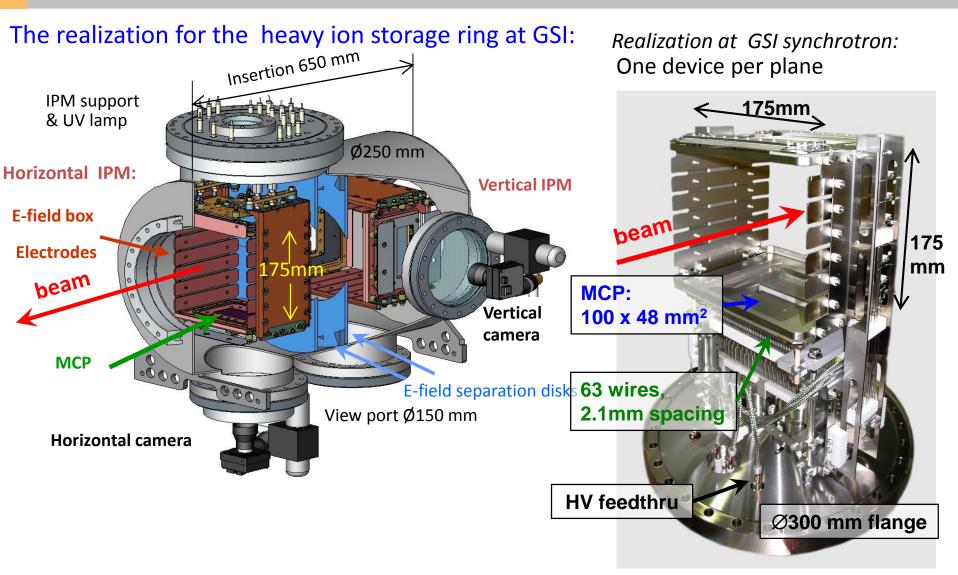
Synchrotron:  $H_2^- 10^{-11} ... 10^{-9}$  mbar  $\approx 3.10^5 ... 3.10^7$  cm<sup>-3</sup>

#### Realization at GSI synchrotron: One device per plane



#### **Ionization Profile Monitor Realization**





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#### **Ionization Profile Monitor Realization**



The realization for the heavy ion storage ring at GSI:

Insertion 650 mm **IPM** support & UV lamp Ø250 mm **Horizontal IPM: Vertical IPM** E-field box **Electrodes** beam **MCP** E-field sepa View port Ø150 mm Horizontal camera

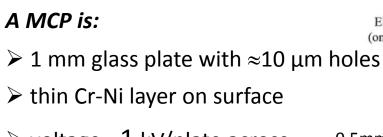
Realization at GSI synchrotron: One device per plane

#### **Excurse: Multi Channel Plate MCP**



MCP are used as particle detectors with secondary electron amplification.

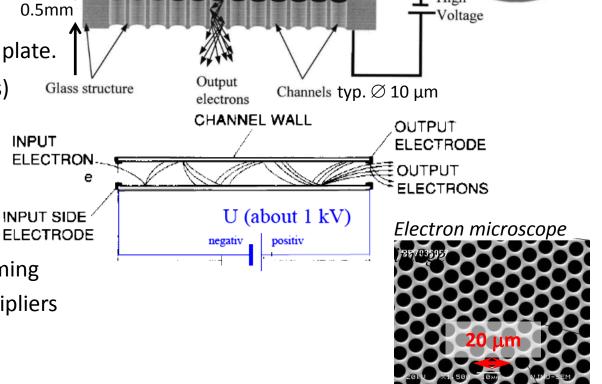
Electroding (on each face)



- $\triangleright$  voltage  $\approx 1$  kV/plate across
- $\rightarrow$  e<sup>-</sup> amplification of  $\approx 10^3$  per plate.
- $\rightarrow$  resolution  $\approx$  0.1 mm (2 MCPs)

#### Anode technologies:

- ➤ SEM-grid, ≈ 0.5 mm spacing
  - → fast electronics readout
- > phosphor screen + CCD
  - → high resolution, but slow timing
  - → fast readout by photo-multipliers
- > single particle detection
  - $\rightarrow$  for low beam current.



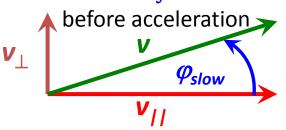
Input electron (or radiation)

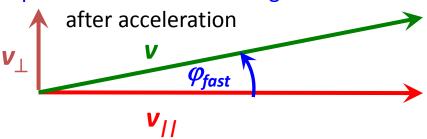
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## Application: 'Adiabatic' Damping during Acceleration



The emittance  $\varepsilon = \int dx dx'$  is defined via the position deviation and angle in **lab-frame** 





After acceleration the longitudinal velocity is increased  $\Rightarrow$  angle  $\varphi$  is smaller The angle is expressed in momenta:  $\mathbf{x'} = \mathbf{p_{\perp}} / \mathbf{p_{||}}$  the emittance is for  $\langle \mathbf{xx'} \rangle = \mathbf{0}$ :  $\varepsilon = \mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{x'} = \mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{p_{\perp}} / \mathbf{p_{||}} = \mathbf{const.}$ 

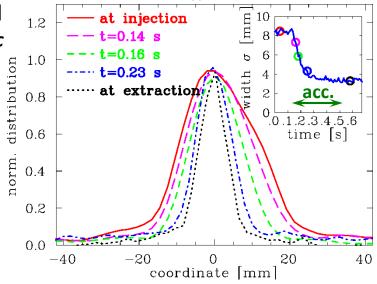
- $\Rightarrow$  under ideal conditions the emittance can be normalized to the momentum  ${m p}_{II} = {m \gamma} \cdot {m m} \cdot {m \beta} \, {m c}$
- $\Rightarrow$  normalized emittance  $\varepsilon_{norm} = \beta \gamma \cdot \varepsilon$  is preserved with the Lorentz factor  $\gamma = (1-\beta^2)^{-1/2}$  and velocity  $\beta = v/c$

Example: Acceleration in GSI-synchrotron for C<sup>6+</sup> from  $6.7 \rightarrow 600$  MeV/u ( $\beta = 12 \rightarrow 79\%$ ) observed by IPM

theoretical width: 
$$\langle x \rangle_f = \sqrt{\frac{\beta_i \cdot \gamma_i}{\beta_f \cdot \gamma_f}} \cdot \langle x \rangle_i = 0.33 \cdot \langle x \rangle_i$$

measured width:  $\langle x \rangle_f \approx 0.37 \cdot \langle x \rangle_i$ 

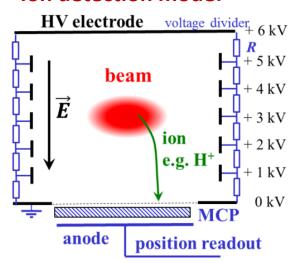
Non-intercepting ionization profile monitor is well suited for long time observations without beam disturbance → mainly used at proton synchrotrons.



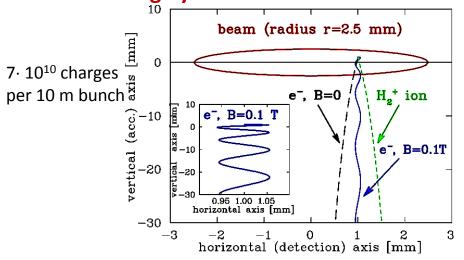
## **Electron Detection and Guidance by Magnetic Field**



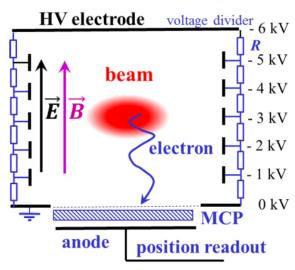
#### Ion detection mode:



## ⇒ broadening by beam's electric field



#### **Electron detection mode:**



e $^-$  detection in an external magnetic field ightarrow cyclotron radius  $r_C=\frac{mv_\perp}{eB}$  for  $E_{kin,\perp}=10$  eV & B=0.1 T  $\Rightarrow$   $r_c\approx 100$   $\mu$ m  $E_{kin}$  from atomic physics,  $\approx \! 100$   $\mu$ m resolution of MCP

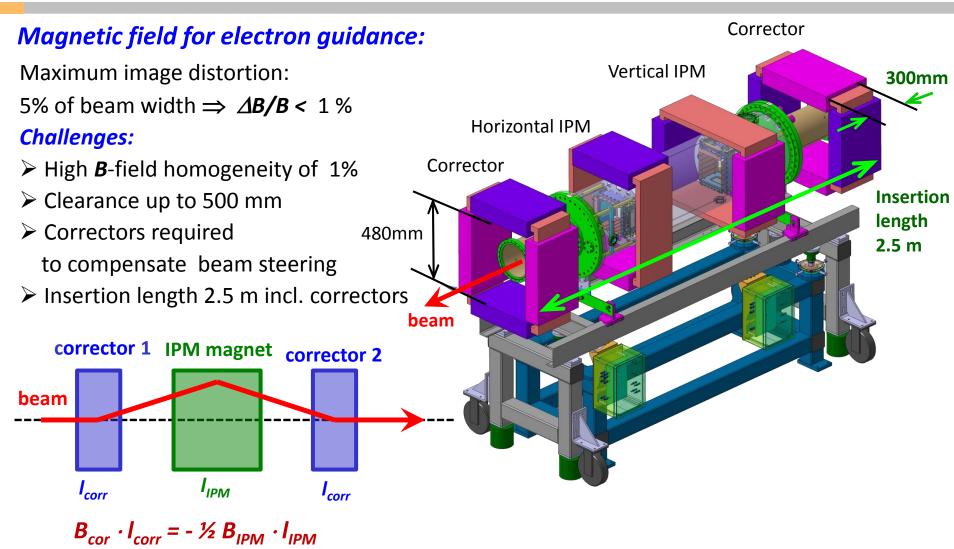
**Time-of-flight:**  $\approx$ 1 - 2 ns  $\Rightarrow$  2 - 3 cycles.

**B-field**: Dipole with large aperture

→ IPM is expensive & large device!

## **IPM: Magnet Design**





Remark: For MCP wire-array readoutlower clearance required

## **IPM: Magnet Design**



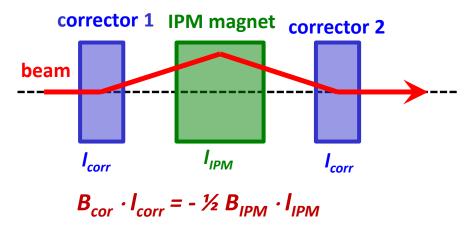
#### Magnetic field for electron guidance:

Maximum image distortion:

5% of beam width  $\Rightarrow \Delta B/B < 1\%$ 

#### **Challenges:**

- ➤ High **B**-field homogeneity of 1%
- ➤ Clearance up to 500 mm
- Correctors required to compensate beam steering
- ➤ Insertion length 2.5 m incl. correctors





**Magnet: B** = 250 mT, Gap 220 mm **IPM:** Profile 32 strips, 2.5 mm width

#### **Remark for electron beams:**

Resolution of 50  $\mu m$  is insufficient, but sometimes used for photon beams

Remark: For MCP wire-array readout lower clearance required

#### **Beam Induced Fluorescence for intense Profiles**



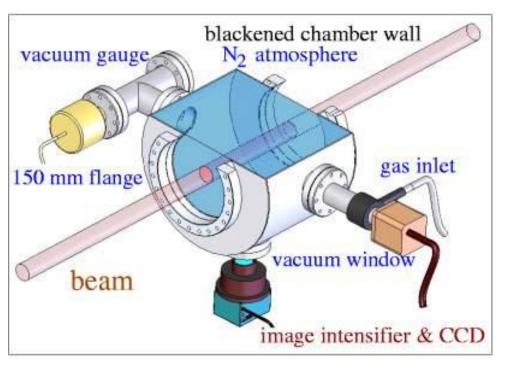
Large beam power  $\rightarrow$  Non-intercepting method: Example: Installation of hor&vert. BIF Monitor:

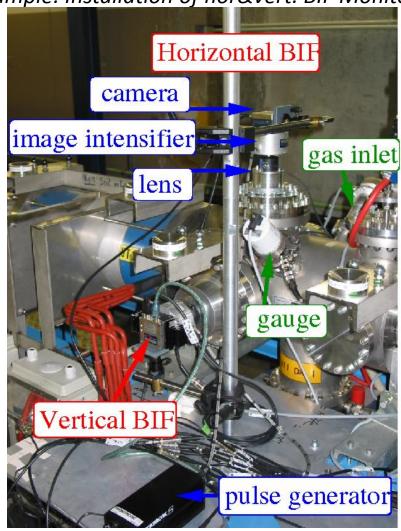
⇒ Beam Induced Fluorescence BIF

 $N_2 + Ion \rightarrow (N_2^+)^* + Ion \rightarrow N_2^+ + \gamma + Ion$ With single photon detection scheme

390 nm <  $\lambda$  < 470 nm

 $\Rightarrow$  non-destructive, compact installation.

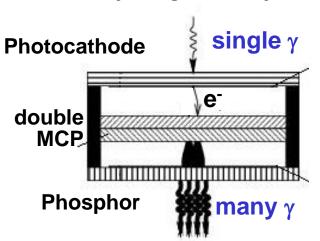




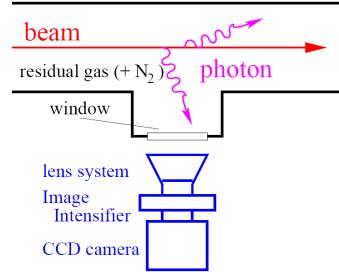
## **Beam Induced Fluorescence Monitor BIF: Image Intensifier**



#### Scheme of Image intensifier:







#### **Image intensifier:**

- ▶ Photo cathode → creation of photo-e<sup>-</sup>
- ➤ Accelerated toward MCP for amplification
- ➤ Detection of ampl. e<sup>-</sup> by phosphor screen
- > Image recorded by CCD
- ⇒ Low light amplification (commercially used for night vision devices)

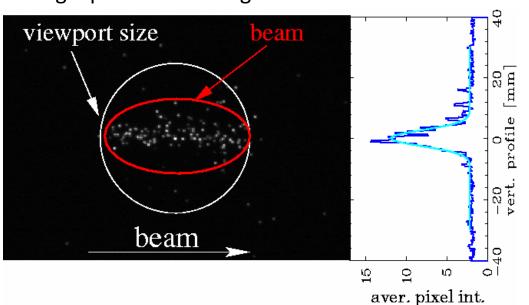
#### A BIF monitor consists of only:

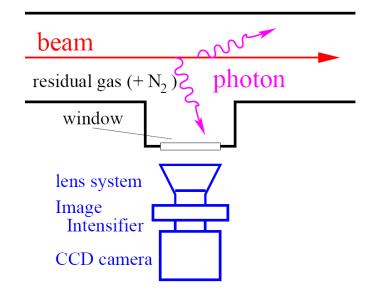
- > optics outside beam pipe
- > image intensifier + camera
- gas-inlet for pressure increase
- ⇒ nearly no installation inside vacuum. only LEDs for calibration
- $\Rightarrow$  cheaper than IPM, but lower signal.

## Beam Induced Fluorescence Monitor BIF: Image Intensifier



#### 'Single photon counting':





#### **Example at GSI-LINAC:**

4.7 MeV/u Ar  $^{10+}$  beam I=2.5 mA equals to  $10^{11}$  particle **One single** macro pulse of 200  $\mu$ s Vacuum pressure: p= $10^{-5}$  mbar (N<sub>2</sub>)

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## **Comparison between IPM and BIF**



#### Non-destructive methods preferred:

Beam is not influenced and diagnostics device is not destroyed!

**IPM:** Beam ionizes the residual gas

 $\rightarrow$  measurement of all ionization products,  $\Omega = 4\pi$ -geometry due to E-field

**BIF:** Beam ionizes and excites the residual gas

 $\rightarrow$  measurement of photons emitted toward camera, solid angle  $\Omega \approx 10^{-4}$ 

**IPM:** Higher efficiency than BIF

**BIF:** Low detection efficiency, only  $\approx 10^{-4}$  of IPM

⇒ longer observation time or higher pressure required

**IPM:** Complex installation inside vacuum

**BIF:** Nearly no installation inside vacuum

IPM: More expensive, for some beam parameters even guiding magnetic field required

BIF: More sensitive to external parameters like radiation stray light



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- Summary

## **Synchrotron Light Monitor**



An electron bent (i.e. accelerated) by a dipole magnet emit synchrotron light.

This light is emitted into a cone of opening  $2/\gamma$  in lab-frame.

⇒Well suited for rel. e<sup>-</sup>

For protons:

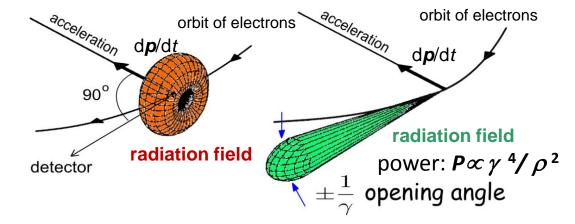
Only for energies  $E_{kin} > 100 \text{ GeV}$ 

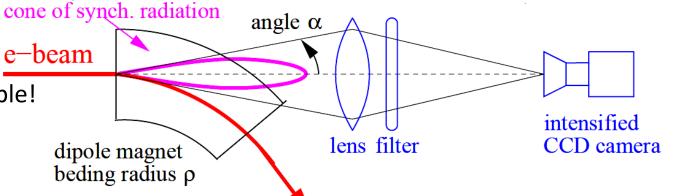
The light is focused to a intensified CCD.

Advantage:

Signal anyhow available!

Rest frame of electron: Laboratory frame:



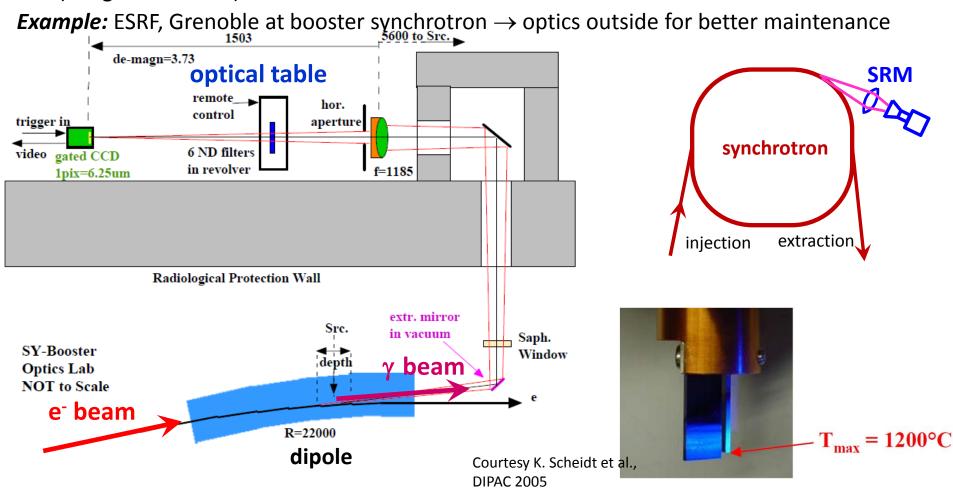


## **Realization of a Synchrotron Light Monitor**



Extracting out of the beam's plane by a mirror (sometimes cooled)

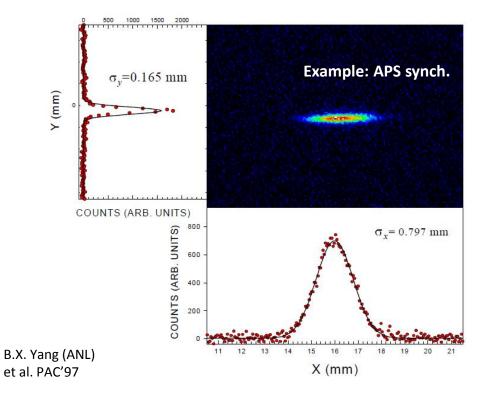
- → Focus to a slit + wavelength filter for optical wavelength
- → (Image intensified) CCD camera

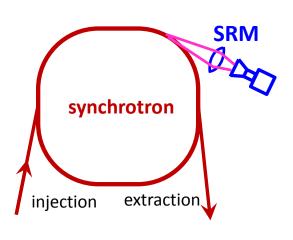


## **Result from a Synchrotron Light Monitor**



**Example:** Synchrotron radiation facility APS accumulator ring and blue wavelength:





Advantage: Direct measurement of 2-dim distribution, only mirror installed in the vacuum pipe

Realization: Optics outside of vacuum pipe

**Disadvantage:** Resolution limited by the diffraction due to finite apertures in the optics.

## The Artist's View of a Synchrotron Light Monitor





## **Diffraction Limit for a Synchrotron Light Monitor**

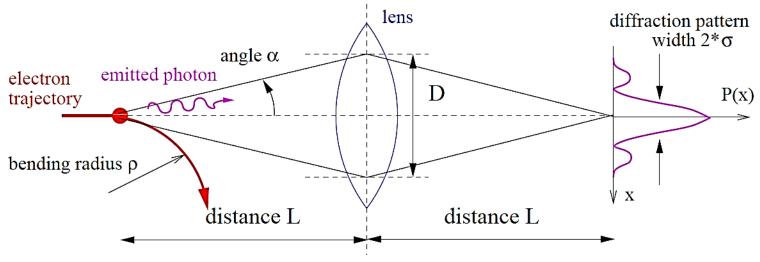


Use of optical wavelength and CCD:  $\lambda$  above critical  $\lambda_{crit}$  (spectrum fall-off).

**Example 1:1 image:** Cone of emission for horizontally polarized light:  $\alpha = 0.41 (\lambda/\rho)^{1/3}$ 

General Fraunhofer diffraction limit (given by emission cone):  $\sigma = \frac{\lambda}{2D/L}$ 

Opening angle of optics:  $D = 2\alpha \cdot L$ Diffraction pattern with  $\Rightarrow \sigma \cong 0.6 \cdot (\lambda^2 / \rho)^{1/3}$ 



## A good resolution for:

- > large dipole bending radius ρ, **but** fixed by the accelerator
- $\triangleright$  short wavelength, **but** good optics only for  $\lambda > 300$  nm

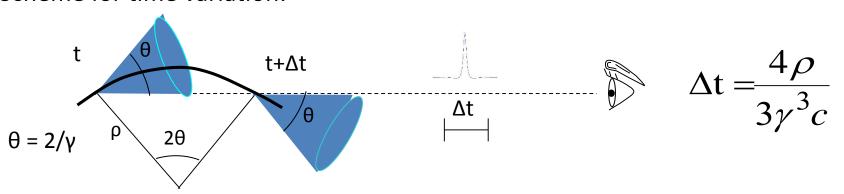
## **Resolution Limits for Synchrotron Radiation Monitor**



#### The resolution is limited by:

- Fraunhofer diffraction due to finite emission cone and finite size of optics
- Depth of field
- $\triangleright$  Spectral width of observed light  $\rightarrow$  usage of interference filters
- $\succ$  Time variation of light due to finite observation angle  $\rightarrow$  usage of aperture
- ➤ Light intensity and related noise → usage of sensitive CCD camera
- $\Rightarrow$  typical value for resolution  $\sigma \approx 100 \ \mu m$
- → which is comparable to the electron beam size of **modern** 3<sup>rd</sup> gen. light source

#### Scheme for time variation:



Courtesy of G. Kube DESY

## **Synchrotron Light Monitor overcoming Diffraction Limit**

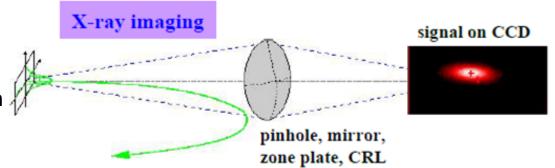


The diffraction limit is  $\Rightarrow \sigma \cong 0.6 \cdot \left(\lambda^2 / \rho\right)^{1/3} \approx 100 \ \mu \text{m}$  for typical case Possible improvements:

## > Shorter wavelength:

Using x-rays & aperture of Ø 1mm

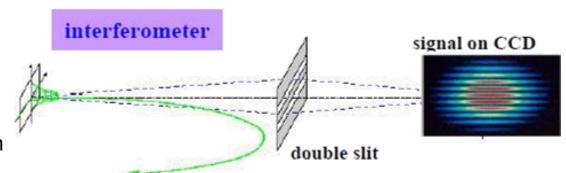
- → 'x-ray pin hole camera'
- $\Rightarrow$  achievable resolution  $\sigma \approx 10 \ \mu \text{m}$



#### > Interference technique:

At optical wavelength using a double slit

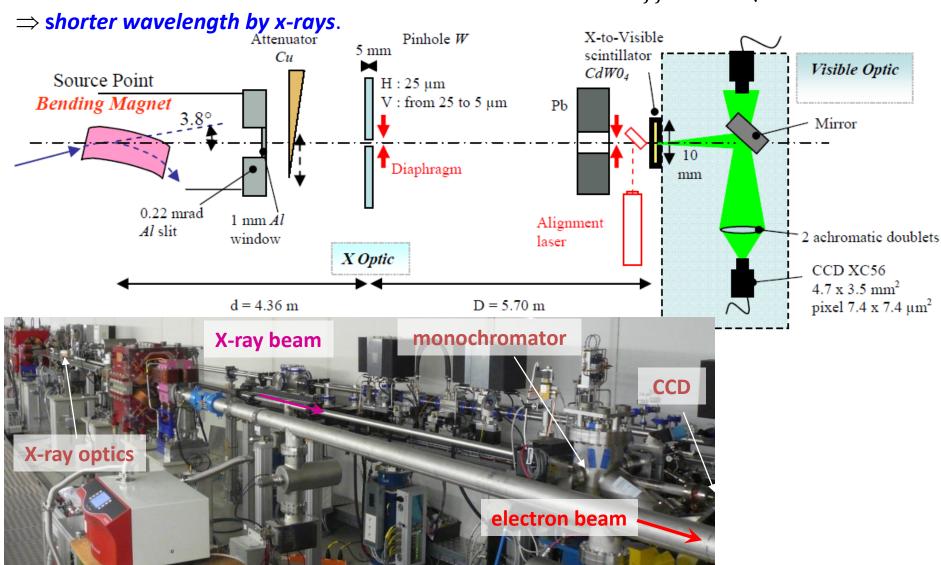
- → interference fringes
- $\Rightarrow$  achievable resolution  $\sigma \approx 1 \, \mu \text{m}$



## X-ray Pin-Hole Camera: Installation



The diffraction limit is Fraunhofer Diff. with resolution  $\sigma_{diff} \approx 0.6 \sqrt[3]{\lambda^2/\varrho}$ 



## X-ray pin-hole Camera: X-ray Detector



#### From K. Wittenburg, DESY

#### **Typical result using X-ray pinhole camera:**

⇒ resolution sufficient for modern, 'ultra-low emittance' light sources

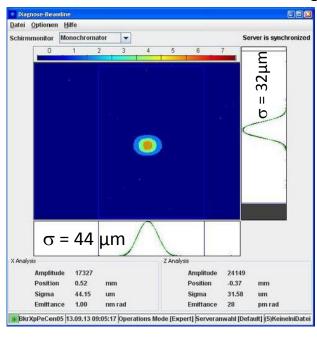
#### Goal of 'ultra-low emttiance' storage rings:

Photons are emitted from beam of  $\sigma_{beam}$  < 10  $\mu$ m

- ⇒ high brightness of photon beam
- ⇒ better focusing and poiting stability

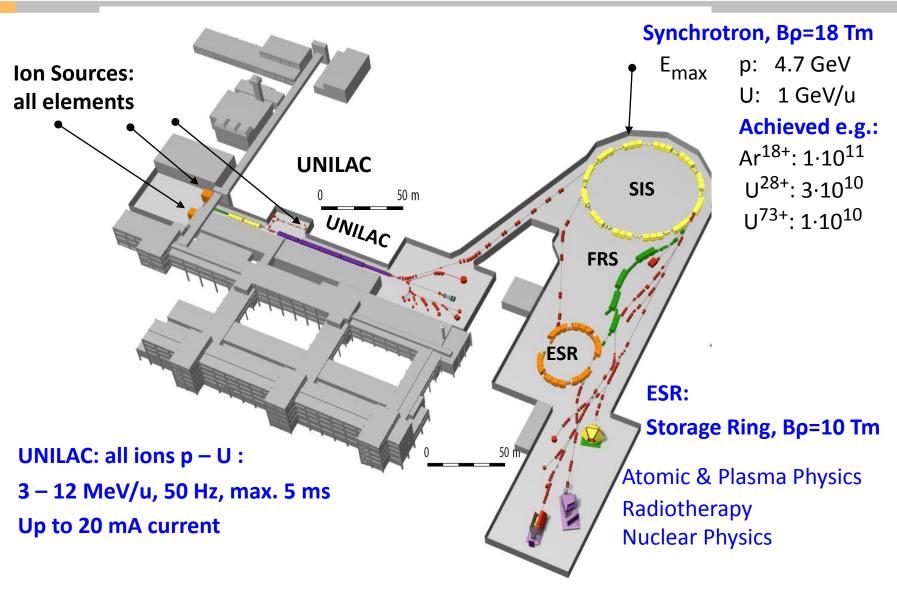
#### **Typical resolution for three methods:**

- $\triangleright$  direct optical observation:  $\sigma \approx 100 \, \mu m$ 
  - → relative simple installation, but resolution insufficient for modern synchr. light sources
- $\triangleright$  interference optical observation  $\sigma \approx 1 \, \mu m$ 
  - → complex installation, seldom installed
- ightharpoonup direct X-ray observation :  $\sigma \approx 10 \, \mu m$  (installed at most Synchr..light sources)
  - → medium complex but expensive installation, installed at most synchr. light sources



## **Appendix: The Accelerator Facility at GSI**





## **Appendix: GSI Heavy Ion LINAC: Profile Measurement**





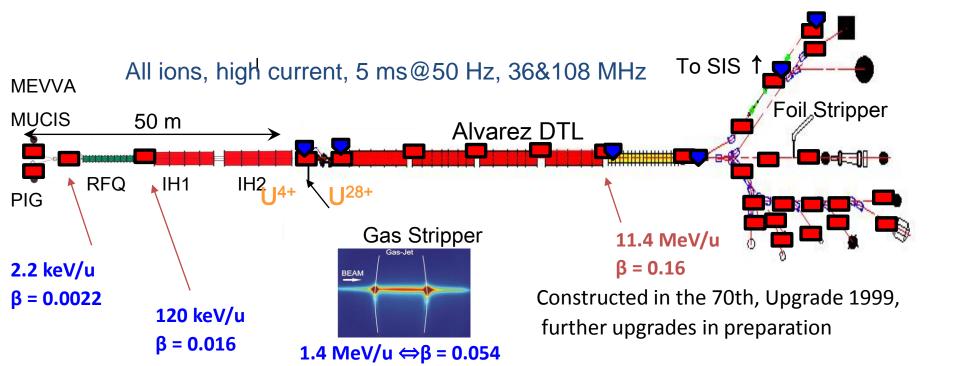
SEM-Grid: Intersecting, high dynamic range, total 81 device



**Beam Induced Fluorescence:** Non-destructive, for high current operation

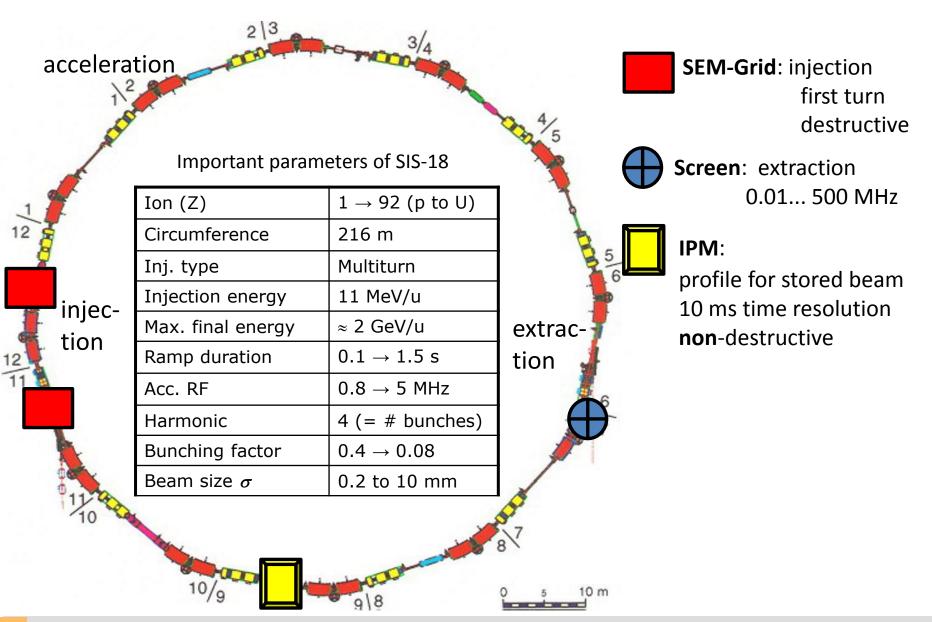
Transfer to
total 6 device

Synchrotron



## **Appendix: GSI Heavy Ion Synchrotron: Profile Measurement**

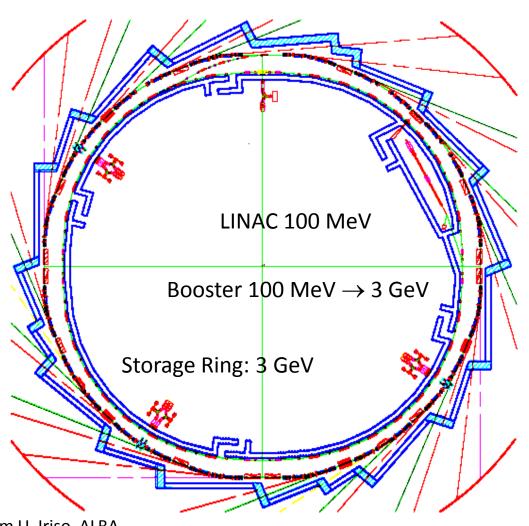




## **Appendix: The Spanish Synchrotron Light Facility ALBA: Overview**



## 3<sup>rd</sup> generation Spanish national synchrotron light facility in Barcelona



#### **Layout:**

Beam lines: up to 30

Electron energy: 3 GeV

Top-up injection

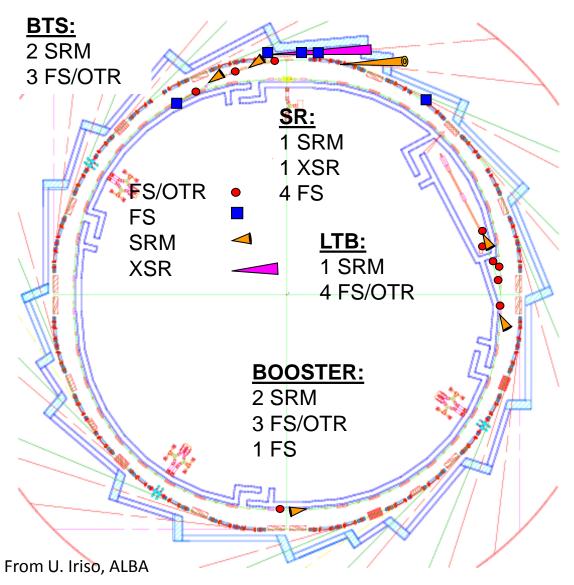
Storage ring length: 268 m

Max. beam current: 0.4 A

Commissioning in 2011

## Appendix: The Synchrotron Light Facility ALBA: Profile Measurement ivas





#### **Transverse profile:**

Many location in transport line
Single location in ring
Quite different
devices used

#### **Abbreviation:**

**FS:** Fluorescence Screen

OTR: Optical Trans. Radi. Screen

both destructive

**SRM:** Synchr. Radiation Monitor

XSR: X-ray pin hole camera

both non-destructive

## **Summary for Beam Profile**



#### Different techniques are suited for different beam parameters:

e-beam: typically Ø 0.01 to 3 mm, protons: typically Ø 3 to 30 mm

#### Intercepting ↔ non-intercepting methods

#### Direct observation of electrodynamics processes:

- > Optical synchrotron radiation monitor: non-destructive, for e<sup>-</sup>-beams, complex, limited res.
- X-ray synchrotron radiation monitor: non-destructive, for e<sup>-</sup>-beams, very complex
- > OTR screen: nearly non-destructive, large relativistic γ needed, e<sup>-</sup>-beams mainly

## Detection of secondary photons, electrons or ions:

- > Scintillation screen: destructive, large signal, simple, all beams
- > Ionization profile monitor: non-destructive, expensive, limited resolution, for protons
- Residual fluorescence monitor: non-destructive, limited signal strength, for protons

#### Wire based electronic methods:

- > SEM-grid: partly destructive, large signal and dynamic range, limited resolution
- > Wire scanner: partly destructive, large signal and dynamics, high resolution, slow scan.

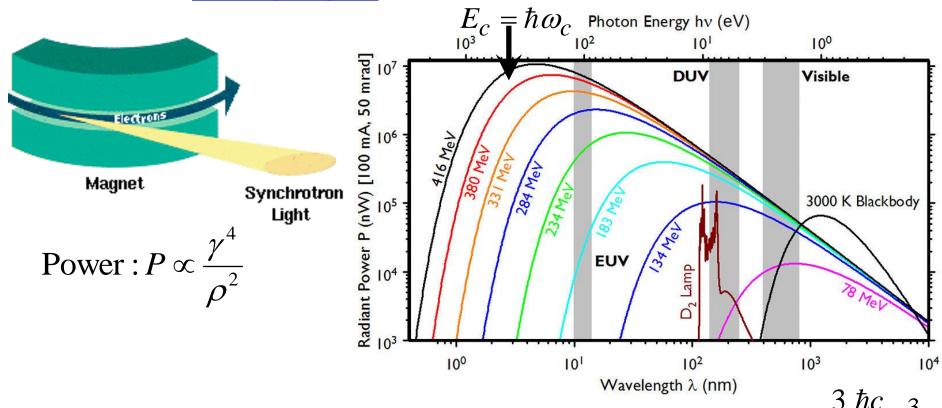


## **Backup slides**

## **Excurse: Spectrum for Synchrotron Radiation**



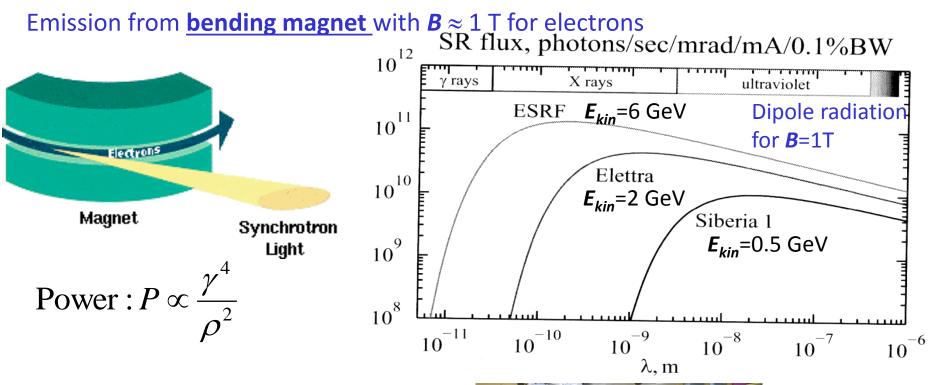
## Emission from **bending magnet** with $B \approx 1$ T for electrons

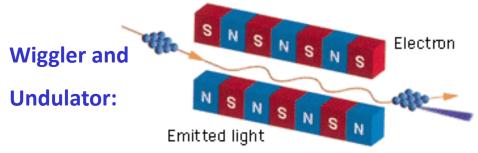


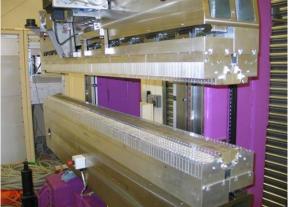
Definition: critical photon energy dividing spectrum in two halves 
$$E_c = \hbar \omega_c = \frac{3}{2} \frac{\hbar c}{\rho} \gamma^3$$
Scaling:  $\frac{dW}{d\omega} \approx \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 c} \left(\frac{\omega \rho}{c}\right)^{1/3}$  for  $\omega << \omega_c$  and  $\frac{dW}{d\omega} \approx \sqrt{\frac{3\pi}{2}} \frac{e^2}{4\pi\epsilon_0 c} \gamma \left(\frac{\omega}{\omega_c}\right)^{1/2} e^{-\omega/\omega_c}$  for  $\omega >> \omega_c$ 

## **Excurse: Spectrum for Synchrotron Radiation**





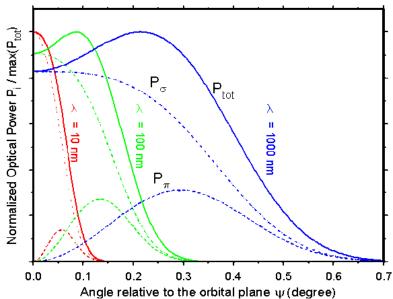




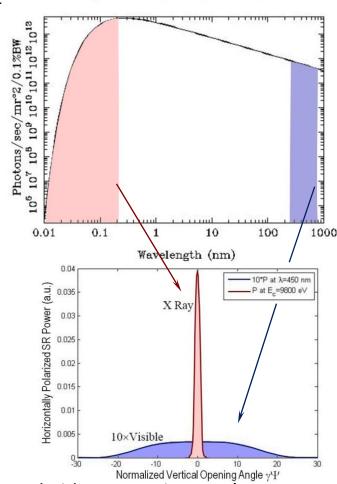
## **Excurse: Properties of Synchrotron Radiation from Dipole**



- > SR is "freely available" at light sources and always non-invasive
- SR covers visible to hard x-rays
- ➤ SR is classical process ⇒ properties & transport computable
- > SR is strongly collimated in the vertical plane
  - → but usable opening angle depends on wavelength
- SR main power (heat load) at small opening angle
  - → (hard) x-ray optical elements require water cooling
- SR is emitted with p and s polarization



Courtesy of V. Schlott PSI



Angle=0.mrad, 2.4GeV, 400.mA, 1.4T

\* hard x-ray (@  $I_c$ ) opening angle: DY ~ 1/g

opening angle in visible: 
$$\Delta\Psi \approx \frac{1}{\gamma} \left(\frac{\omega_c}{\omega}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

## **Synchrotron Light Monitor overcoming Diffraction Limit**



# The diffraction limit is $\Rightarrow \sigma \cong 0.6 \cdot (\lambda^2 / \rho)^{1/3}$

#### **Possible improvements:**

- > Shorter wavelength: Using x-rays and an aperture of Ø 1mm
  - → 'x-ray pin hole camera'
- > Interference technique: At optical wavelength using a double slit
  - $\rightarrow$  interference fringes with resolution down to  $\mu m$  range.

