



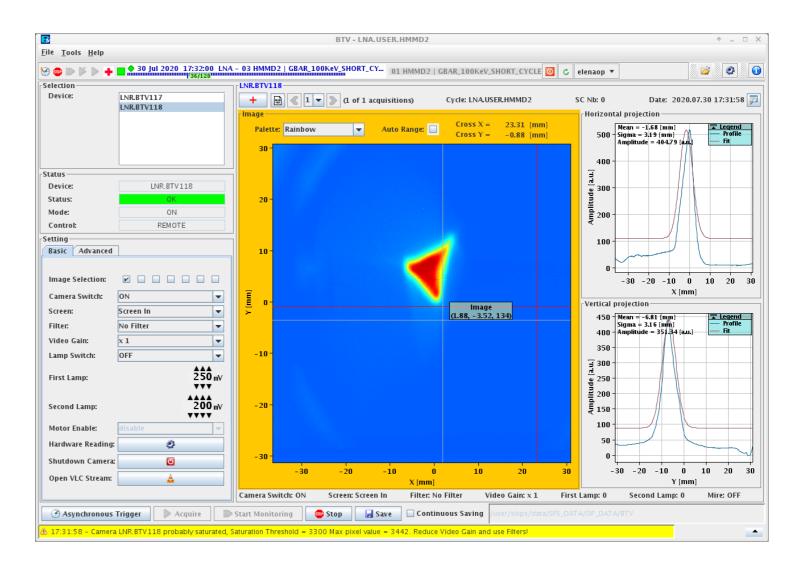
## ELENA Ring commissionning status



## The good news



- Beam was sent on first BTV on Thursday 30/07
  - Ion source pulsed at 100 kV
  - LNS-LNI with same settings as end of 2019
- We were(almost!) ready for ring commissioning





## The bad news



- Production problem on ELENA HV connectors for electrostatic elements in Transfer lines:
  - Impacting the beam commissioning because of the lock out of the LNS and LNI electrostatic elements
  - Corrective actions on-going, should be completed by the end this week
  - Reconnection to ZQ and ZD when expert back from holidays
    - => OK to unlock 1 rack (including LNS and LNI electrostatic elements) after completion of connectors repair to allow Hminus beam into ELENA
  - Impact on the planning of the TL commissionning still to be followed up due to holidays period (at least 2 weeks)
- But problem on LLRF identified last week during HW tests (common problem with Booster), expert needed to fix it on vacation => no LLRF for the time being



## In the mean time



- Going-on with HW tests: profile monitors, B-train, power converters, kicker, settings controls...
- New isolation transformer arrived at CERN,
  - Anticipated installation in the shadow of the LNS lock-out
  - Tests on-going to operate in DC mode at 100 kV

• Few (mostly software) issues identified during HW tests: almost all fixed except publication problem from FGC\_93 still under investigation

