

Gamma-rays at ELI-NP-GBS

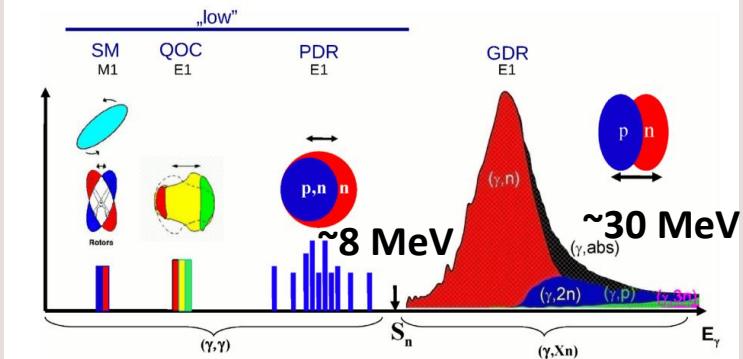
GENERATION AND MONITORING



Gamma-ray requirements

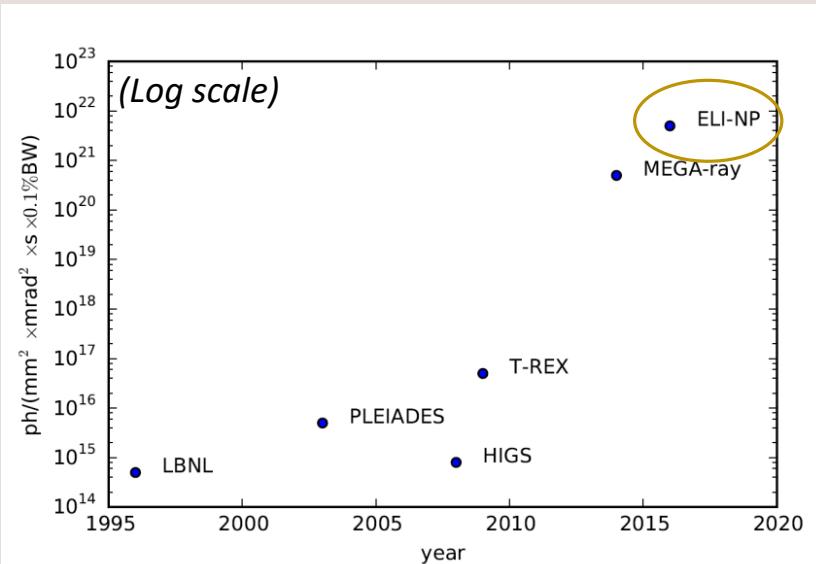
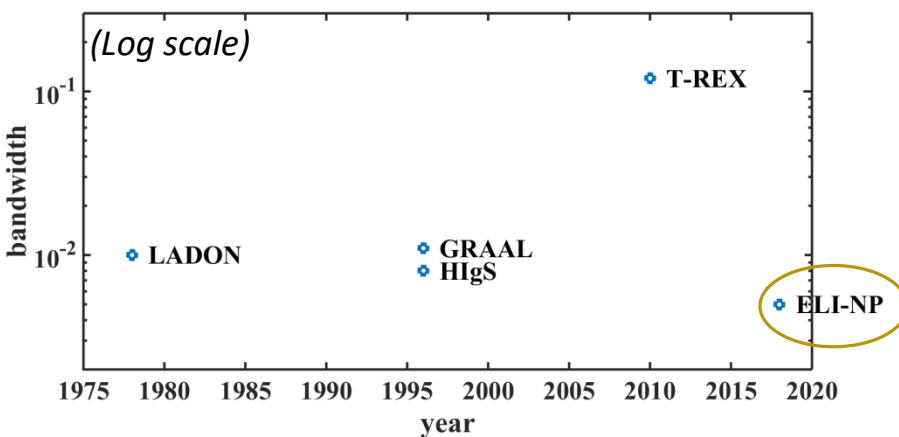
Gamma-beam specifications:

- Energies γ (E_γ) : 0.2 – 19.5 MeV
- Bandwidth ($\Delta E/E$) : <0.5%
- Spectral density (TASD) : >5000 $\gamma/(s.eV)$
- Linear polarization: >95%



AIP Conference Proceedings 1462, 177 (2012)

Bandwidth + energy tunability → Compton scattering



D. Habs et al., arxiv.org/pdf/1008.5336

→ Highly challenging

Production of the gamma-beam

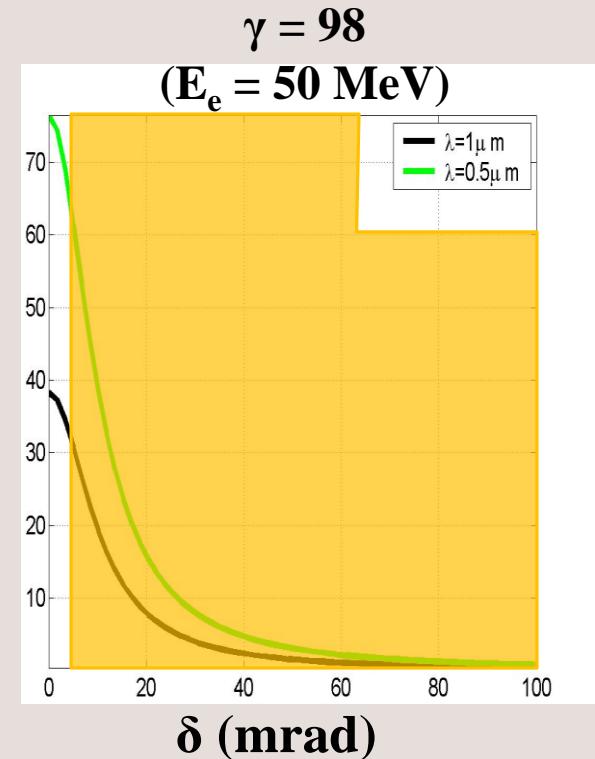
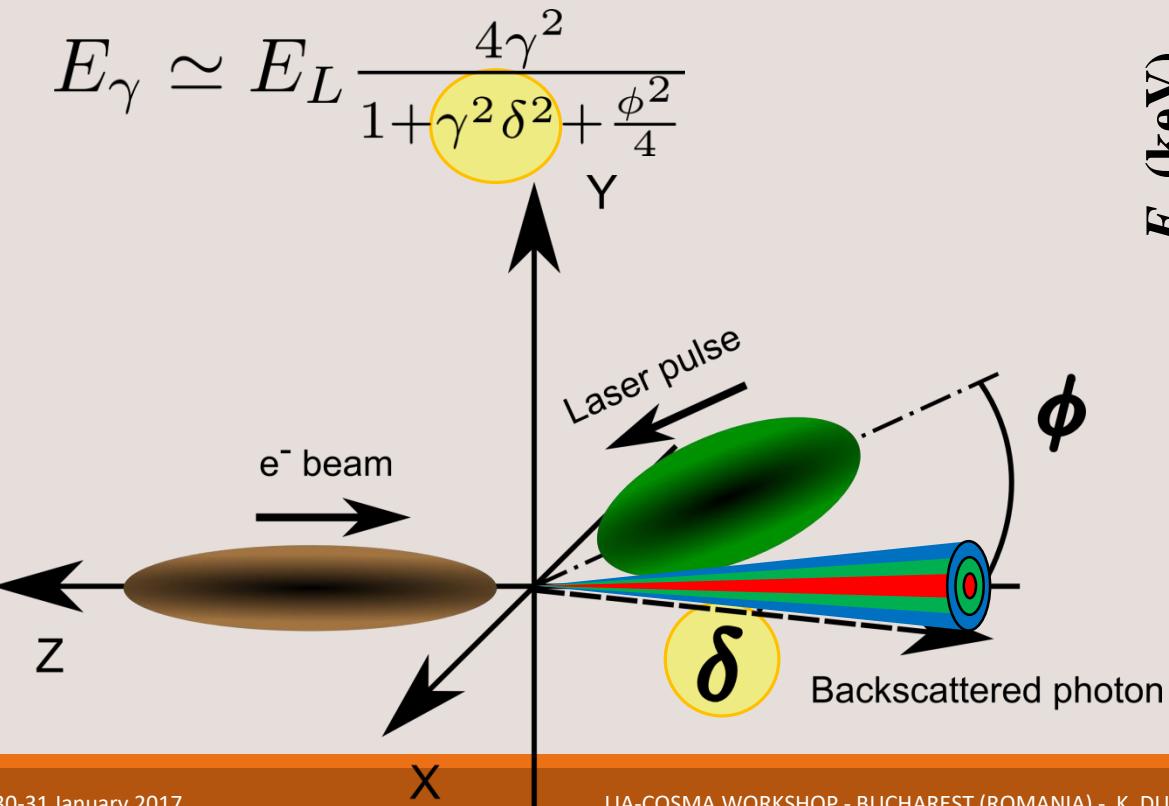
$$TASD \approx \frac{\langle \text{flux} \rangle}{\text{bandwidth}} = \frac{1}{\sigma_{E_\gamma}} \langle \frac{dN^{\sigma_{E_\gamma}}}{dt} \rangle$$

- Compton scattering = Gamma-ray production
- “Collimation” = Gamma-ray energy selection

Cross-section ≈ physics

$$\langle \frac{dN}{dt} \rangle = \sigma_T \mathcal{L}$$

luminosity ≈ geometry

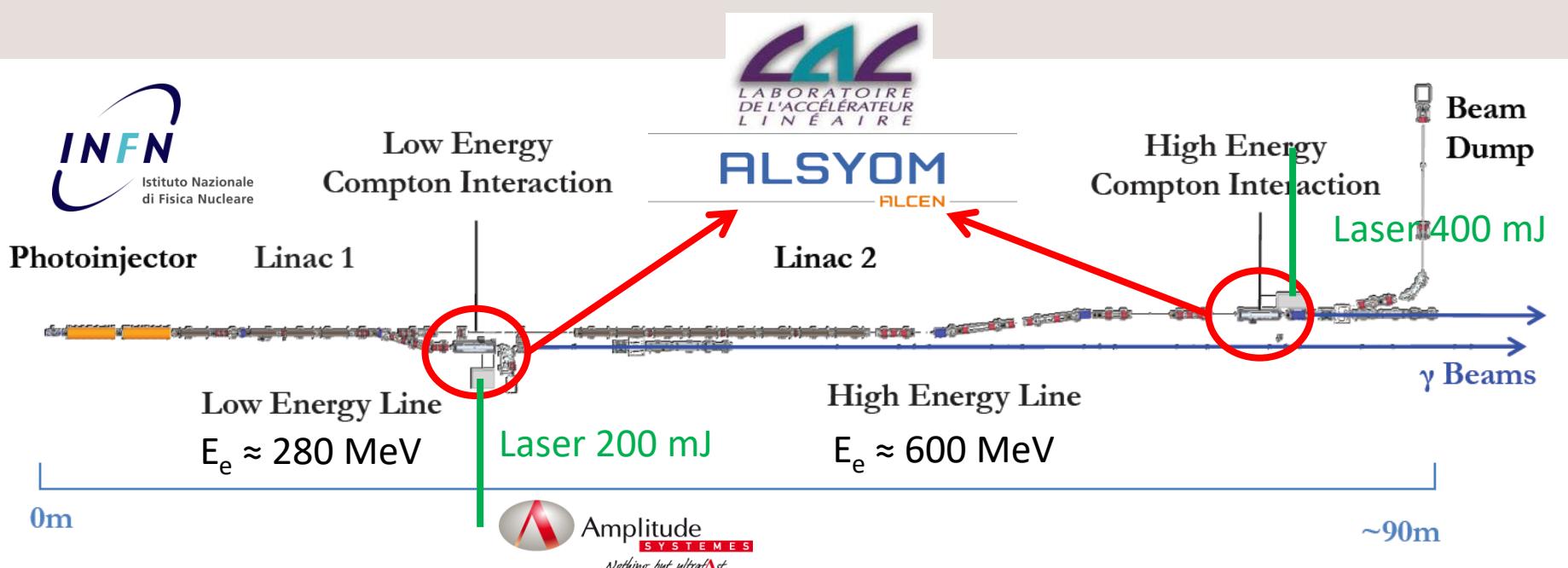


ELI-NP gamma beam source (accelerator)

Requirements:

- 2 interaction points (Low/High Energies)
- Accelerator hall size fixed
- → compact accelerator design (hybrid band S and C = SPARC, Frascati)

= State of the Art, low development risk



ELI-NP gamma beam source (laser system)

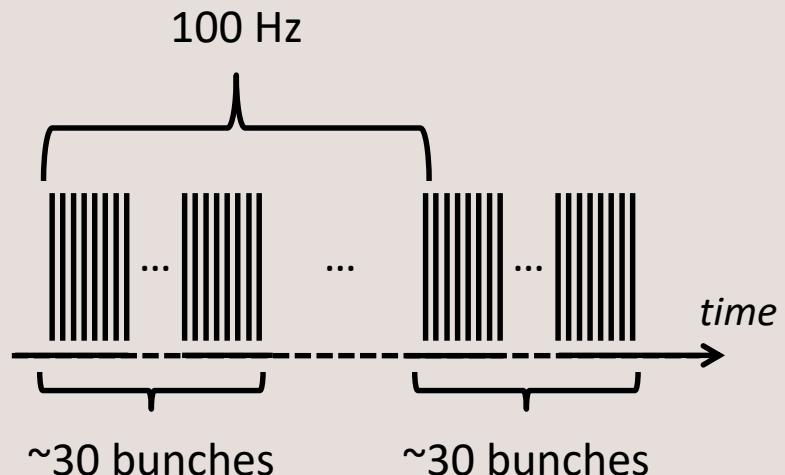
LASER REQUIRED FOR COMPTON INTERACTION POINT

Accelerator characteristics constrained by
electrons beam quality →

- Laser average power > 1 kW
- green light,
- high quality,
- pulsed mode > 100Hz @few ps

→ Better than state of the art !

= unreachable even with R&D



Solution

→ recycle laser power of 1
pulse@100Hz → 40W with
Circulator of 32 passes (already State
of the Art, cf. 

→ optical system !

- Resonant cavity = too much R&D risk for 100 Hz
- Multipass (non resonant)
→ **Laser beam circulator**

Overview design

LINAC multi-bunch hybrid
bands S and C ($\sim 80 - 750$ MeV) at 100Hz
(space, cost and tunability)



high average power laser
(3.5ps @515 nm, 100Hz,
200mJ-400mJ)



ALSYOM
ALCEN

**Laser Beam optical
Circulator**

(efficiency, “robustness”)

e^-



photons

Gamma-rays

Gamma-beam specifications:

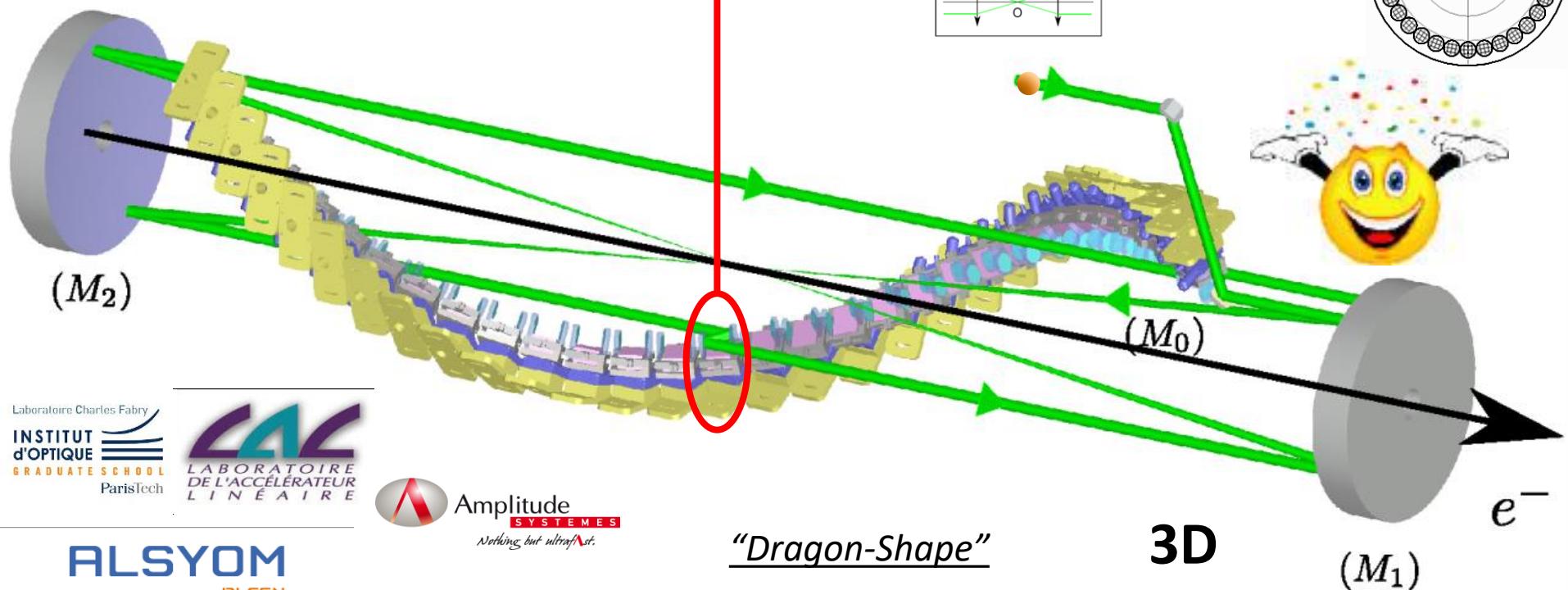
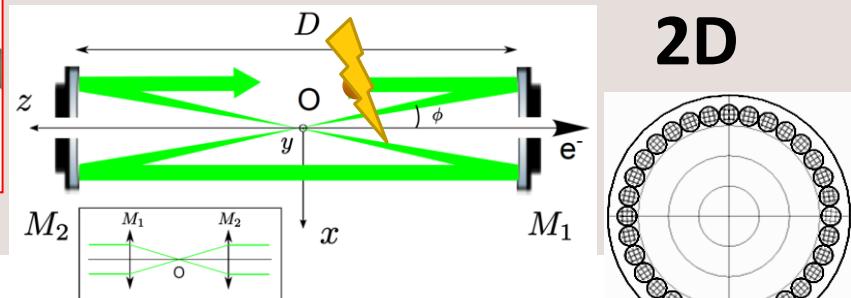
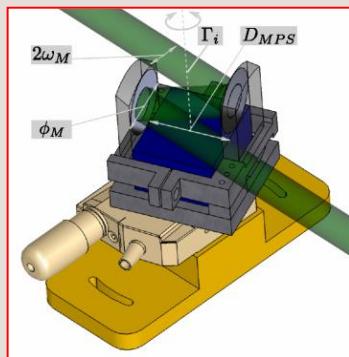
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Optical system: laser beam circulator

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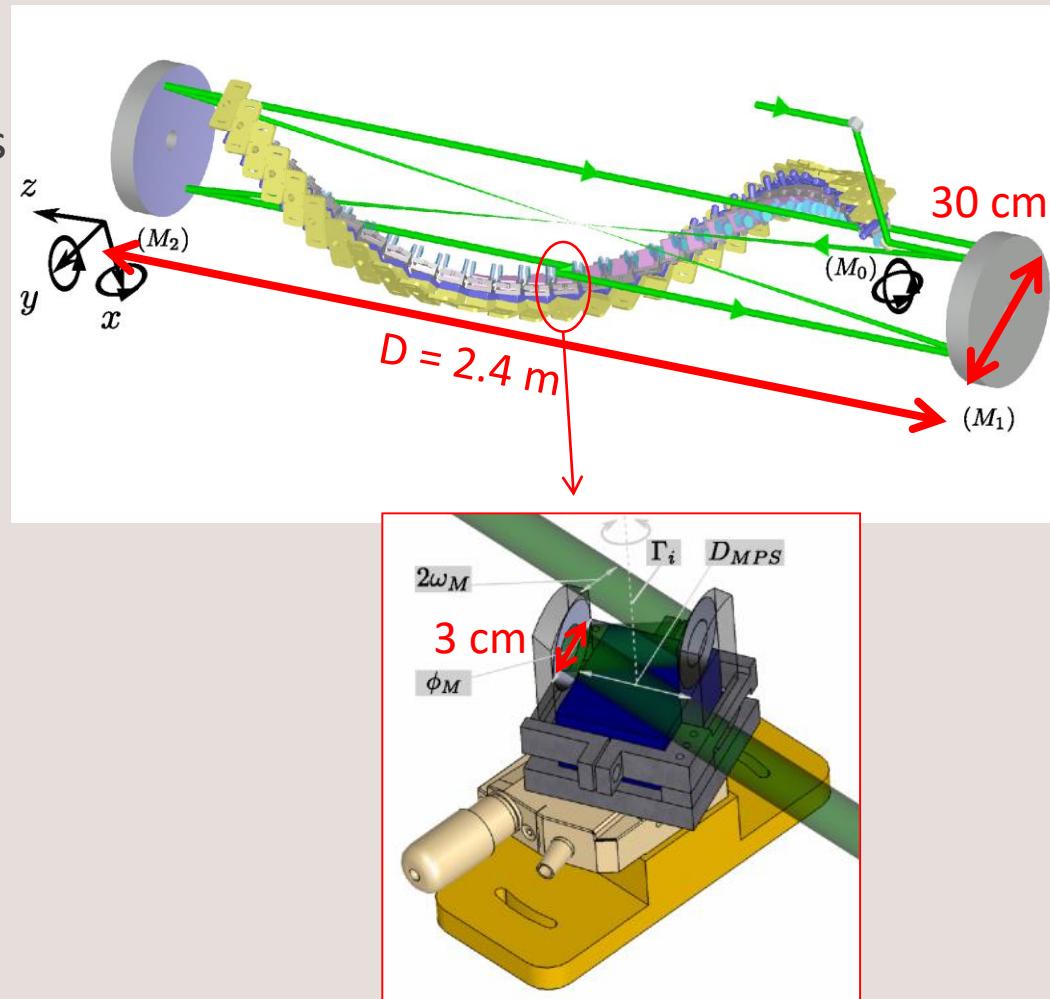
- Constant crossing angle ϕ (small bandwidth)
- Unique laser-electron beam interaction point
→ 1 Mirror-Pair System (MPS) per pass = Optical plan switching

- No optical aberration
→ 2 high-grade quality parabolic mirrors



Recirculator constraints

- Mirror surface quality
- Frozen geometry (parabolic mirrors distance)
=> Tight alignment (few μm , μrad) with 7 degrees of freedom
- MPS parallelism ($< 3 \mu\text{rad}$)
- Synchronization (few 100fs)



Online Monitoring

Diamond sensors

ELI-NP-GBS temporal structure:

32 pulses / 16 ns bunch separation @ 100 Hz repetition rate

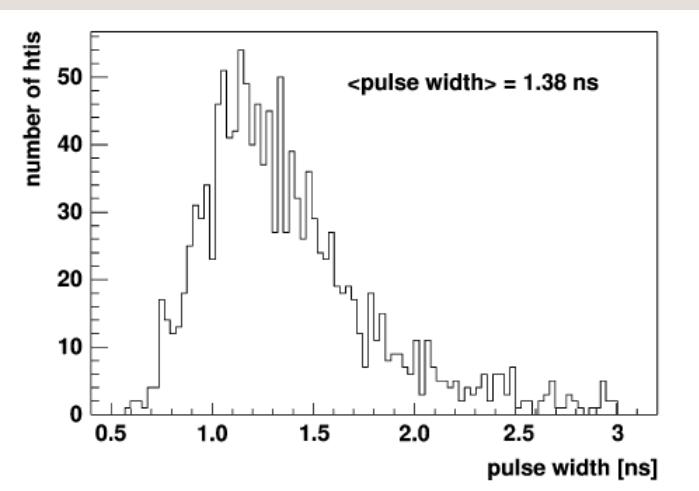


Solution with scintillating material not convenient

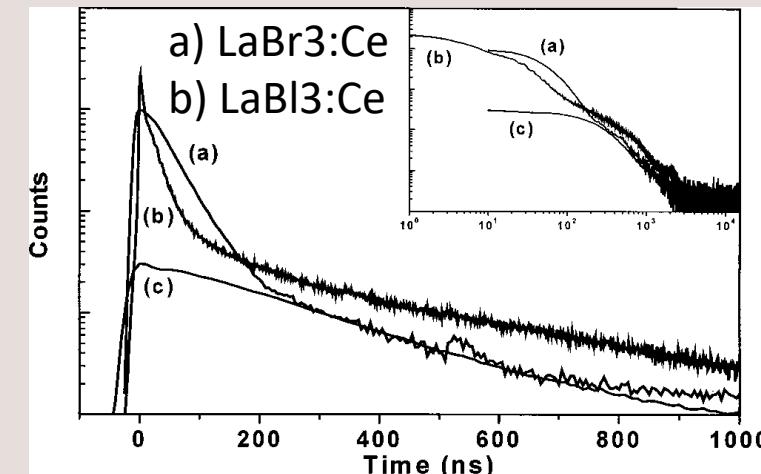
→ Slow component pollution

→ Difficult to insert in ELI-NP-GBS accelerator:

- (relatively) large volume occupied by the calorimeter
- high-vacuum implementation



Kölbl et al., IEEE Trans. Nucl. Science 6 (2004)



Van Loef et. Al, Appl. Phys. Lett. 10 (2001)

A compact (easy to integrate), fast (few ns pulse width), radiation hard sensor is needed

→ Diamond sensors

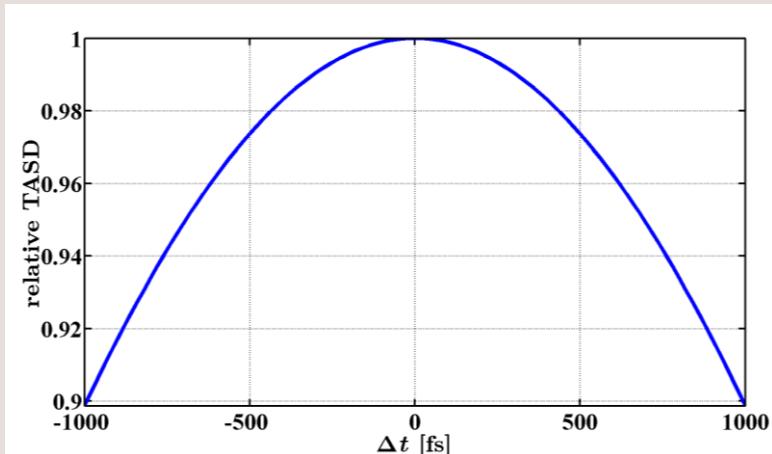
- $\sim 1\text{ns}$ pulse width
- Diamond sensors are naturally radiation hard (much more than scintillating materials)

Online Synchronization

Diamond detector located on the gamma line

Wave Catcher (CAEN 734 digitizer)

- Plug-and-play DAQ
- High sensitivity
- High time resolutions (the 32 passes are distinguishable)



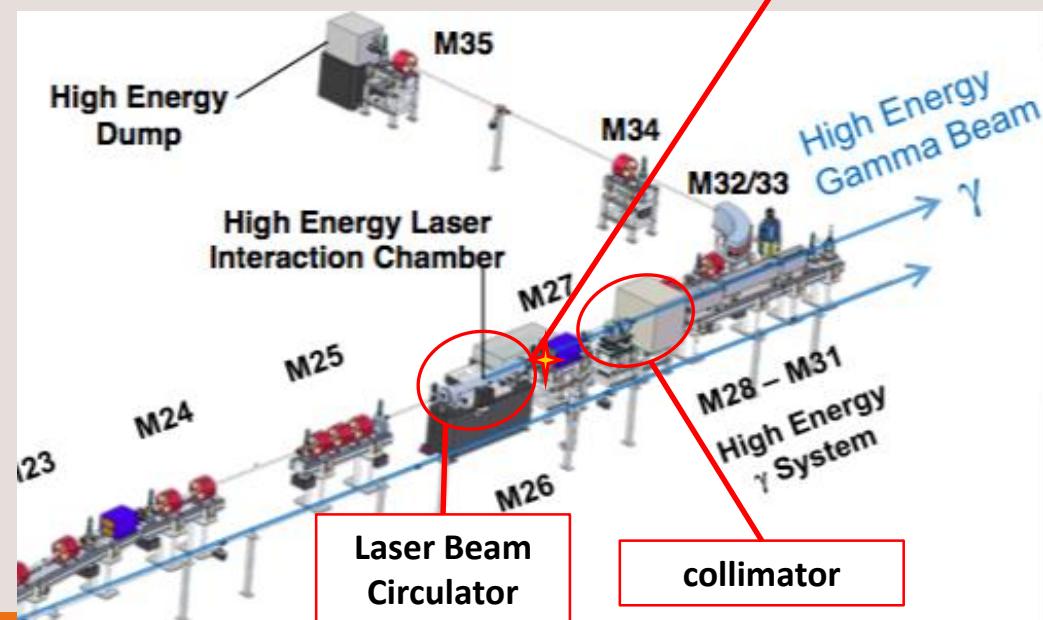
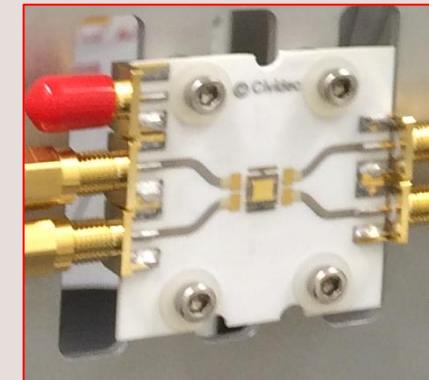
Diamond detector
5x5mm²

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Preshower

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DAQ (CAEN 734 digitizer)



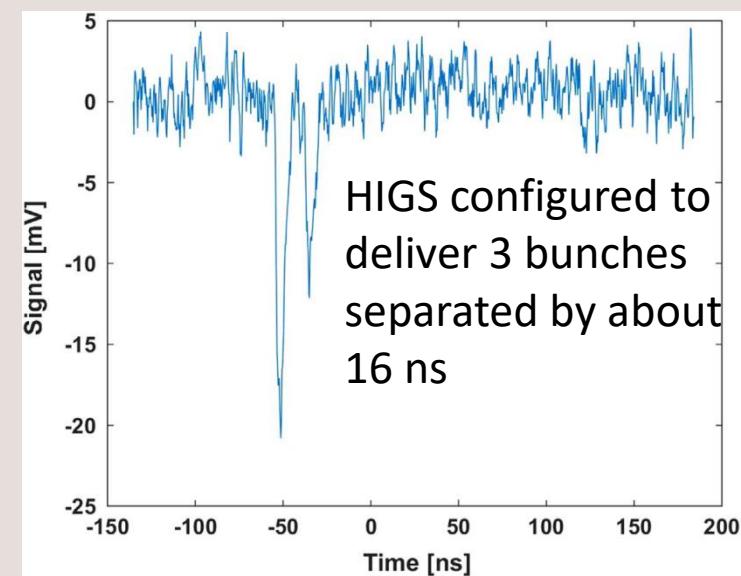
First experiments @ HIGS & newSUBARU

Thanks to HIGS/TUNL colleagues
and CIVIDEC Instrumentation (sensor provider)

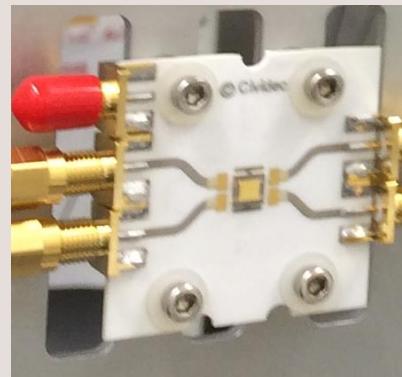
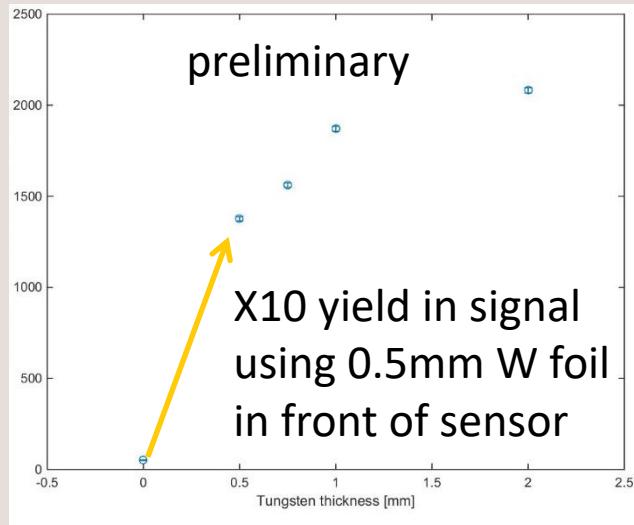


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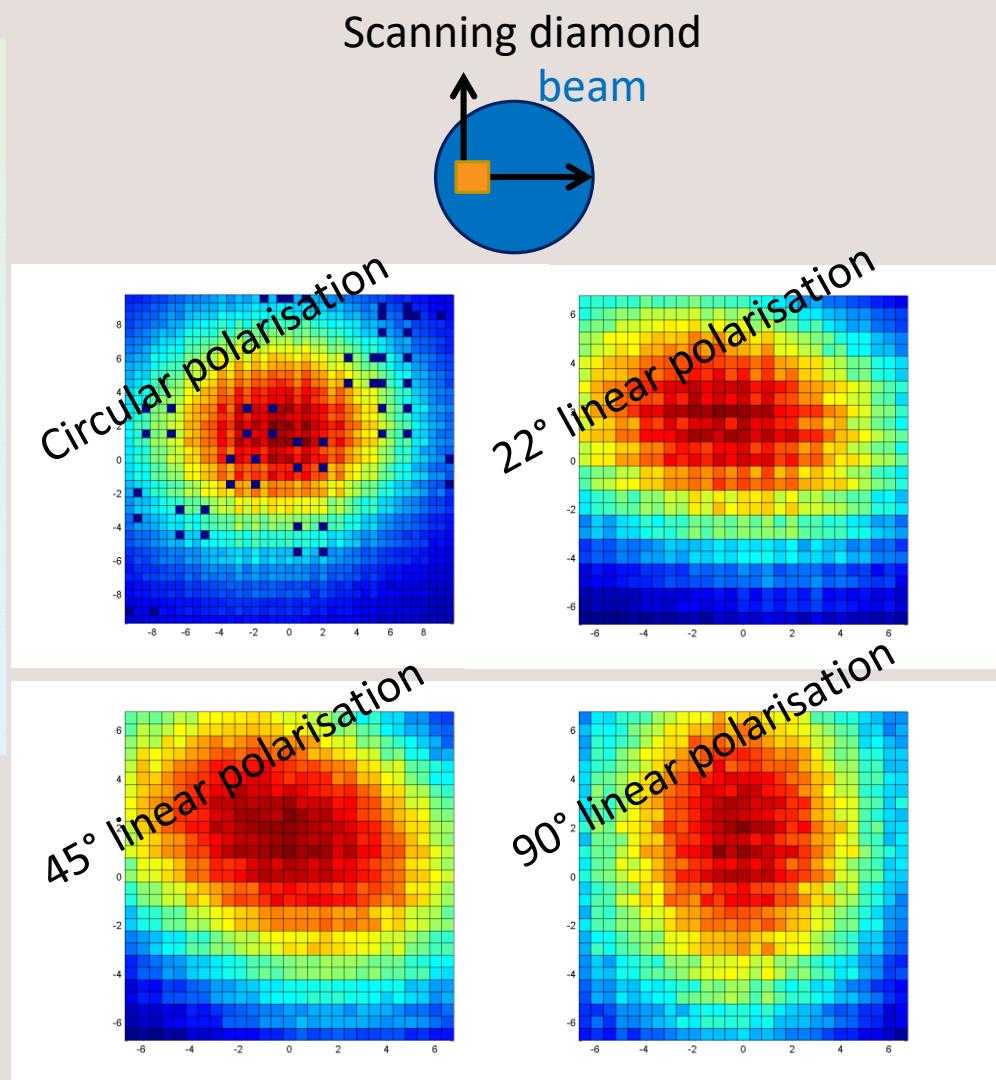
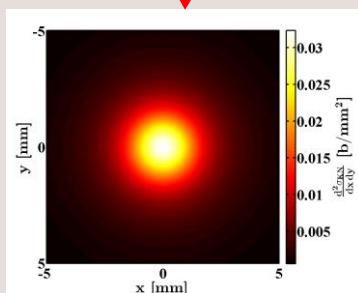
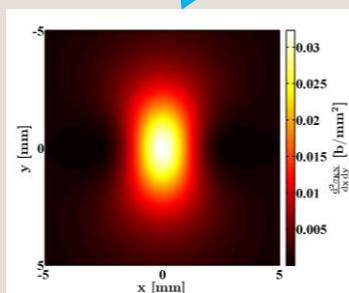
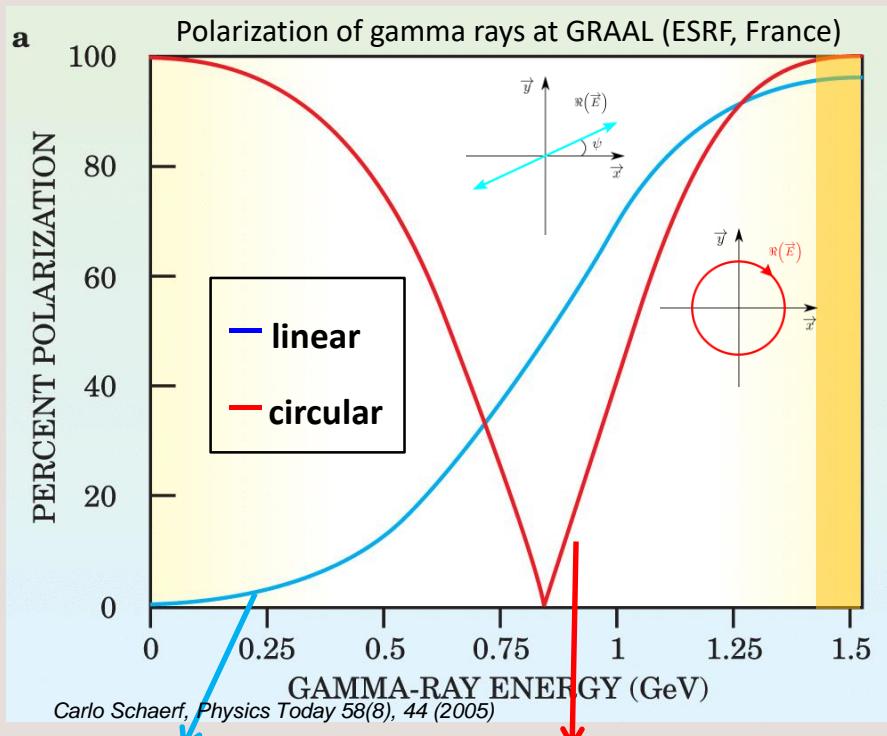
Amplifier (fast, GHz BW)

Translation stages
(positioning/scans)

Williams et al., NIMA 830 (2016) 391

4 quadrant sensor
($1.5 \times 1.5 \text{ mm}^2$ each)

Gamma-beam imaging



Gamma ray beam profile distribution → Gamma ray beam polarisation
(for 100% polarized beam)

Prototype and Upgrade

Prototype design

Final Version - 2023-01-01

Tests to be performed @ IAB



Synchronization tools

ALSYOM
ALCEN

Possible upgrade: Angular Orbital Momentum

AOM from 0 to $6\hbar$

Without vortex

AOM
Generator

Adaptation
Optics

Recirculator

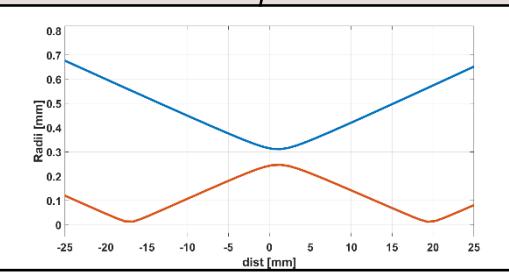
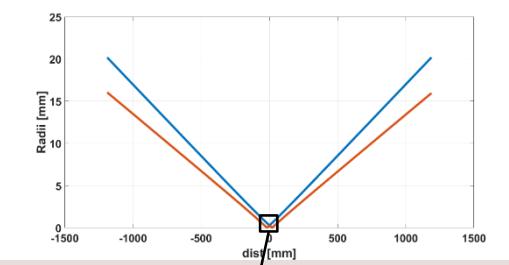
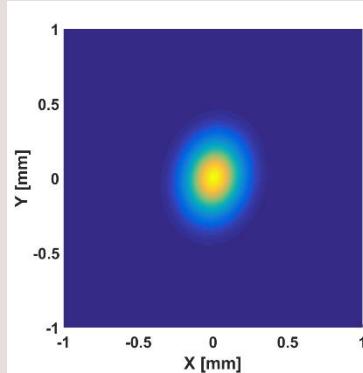
Input
beam

Made of 3 parabolic mirrors
Used in unconventional way

Example for $5.9\hbar$

parameters	Parab. 1	Parab. 2	Parab. 3
ROC [mm]	500	2185.95	108.09
phi angle [deg]	109.31	-154.56	-0.52
incident angle [deg]	11.31	70.83	0.38
plan angle switching [deg]	-	0.06	0.13
Propagation distance [mm]	50	50	50.04

Off-axis = 100 mm



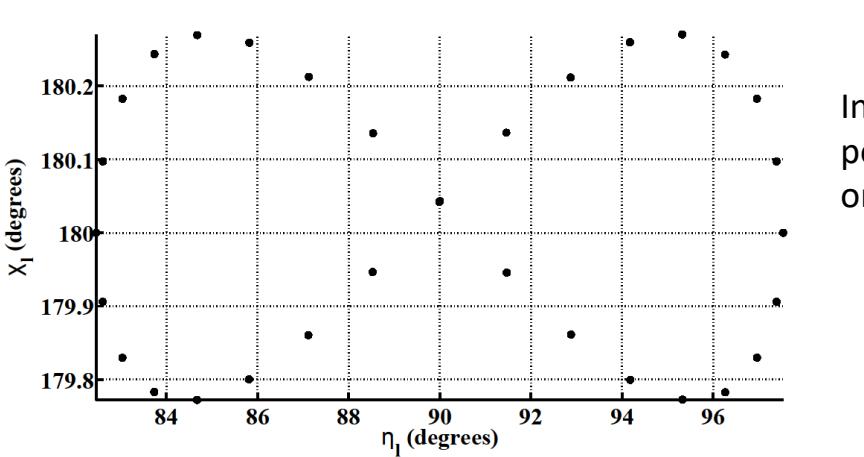
- AOM is preserved inside recirculator
- Down to 15% of TASD @ $6\hbar$

Summary

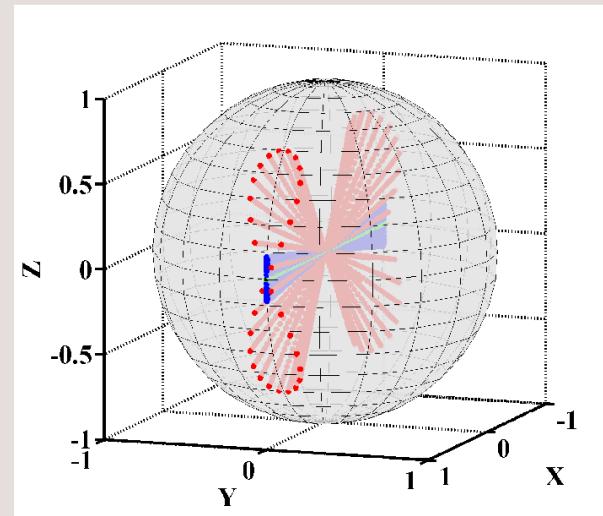
- Highly challenging machine to produced:
 - TASD: $5000 \gamma/(s.eV)$
 - Bandwidth: $< 0.5\%$
 - Degree of Polarization: $> 95\%$
 - Polarization preserved
 - AOM preserved
- Online monitoring with diamond detector for:
 - Electrons-Laser beams synchronization
 - Gamma-rays flux
 - Polarization

Thank you for
your attention

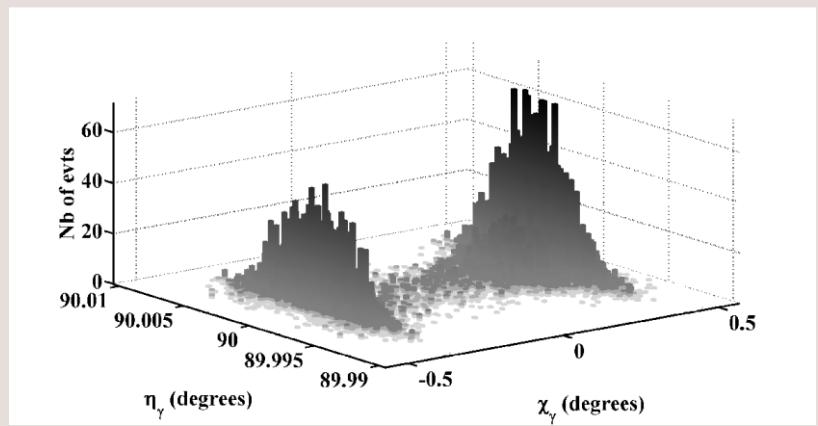
Polarisation



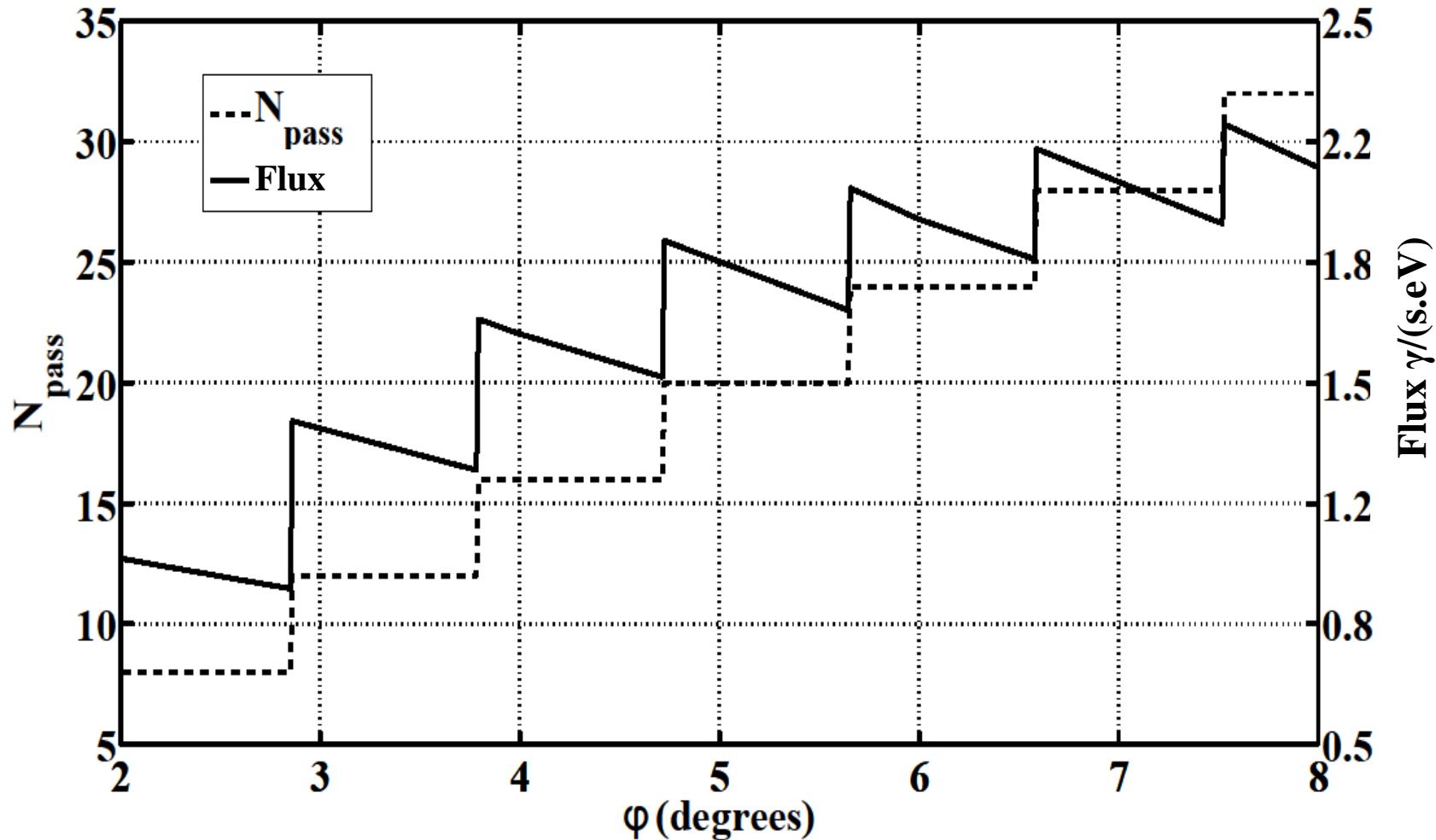
Interaction Point
polarisation
orientation



- Simulation with multilayer coatings and coating birefringence
- Polarization preserved during circulation (>99%)
 - Linear
 - Circular

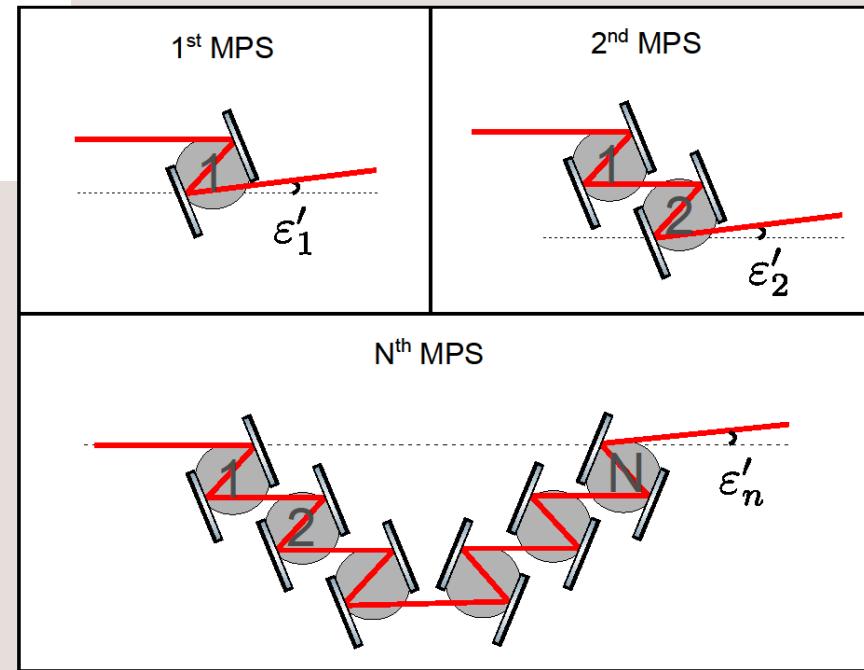
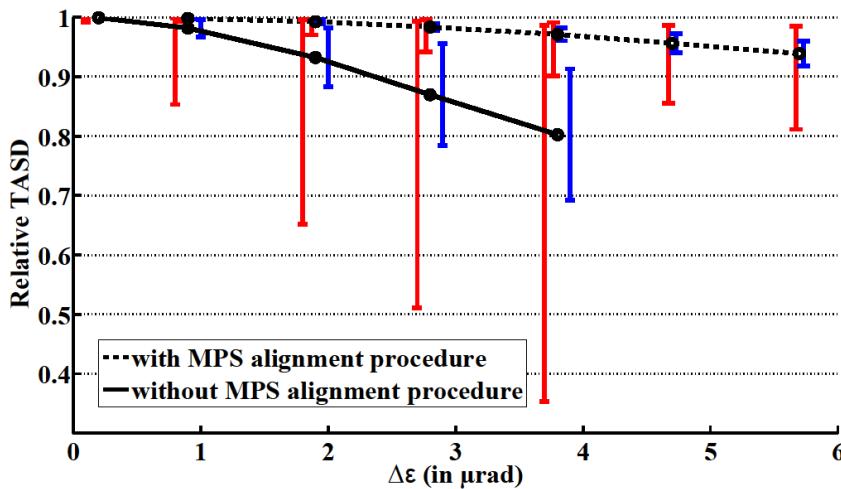


Optimization No. passes

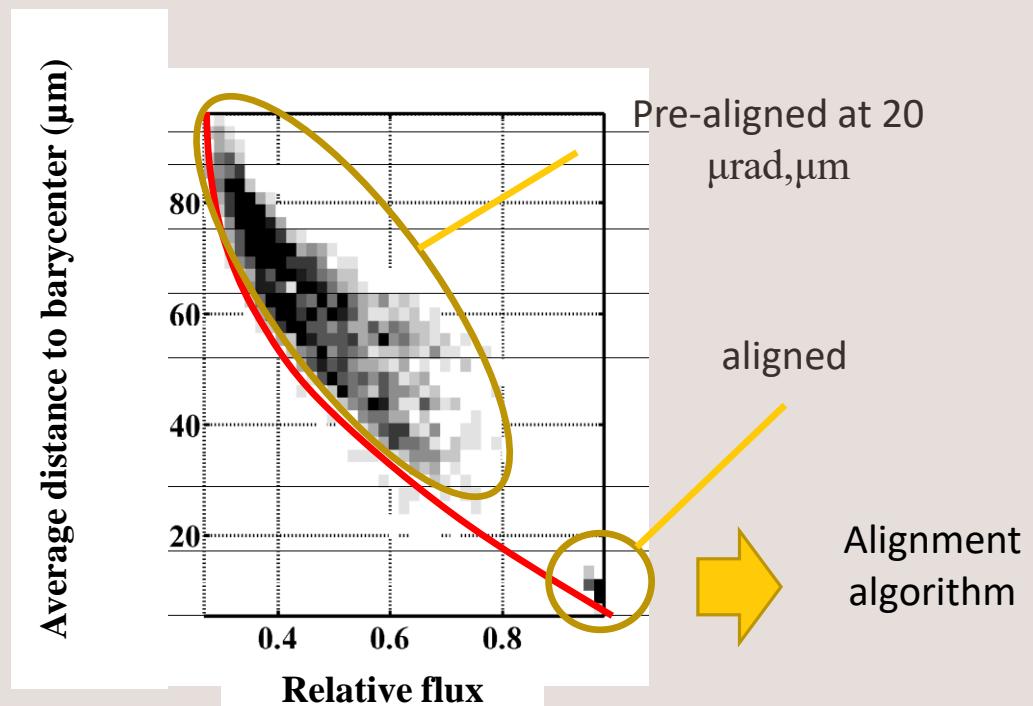
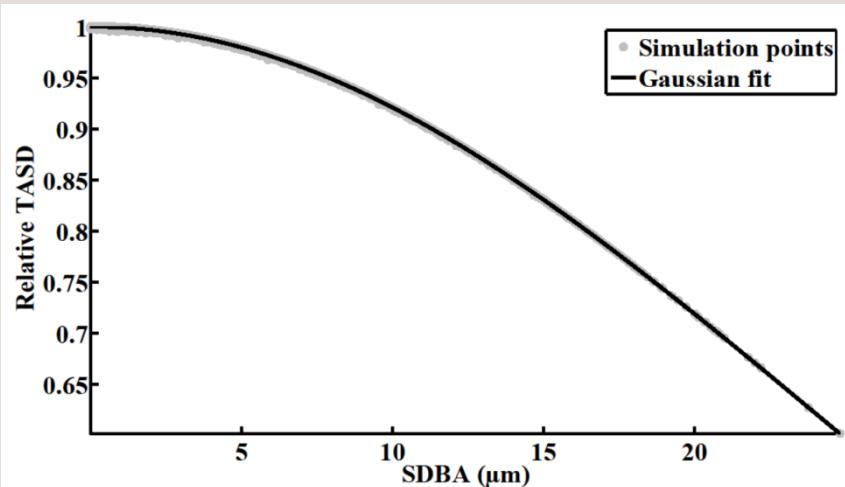


MPS parallelism

Flux relatif



Alignment



Time Average Spectral Density (TASD)

$$TASD \approx \frac{\langle \text{flux} \rangle}{\text{bandwidth}} = \frac{1}{\sigma_{E_\gamma}} \left\langle \frac{dN^{\sigma_{E_\gamma}}}{dt} \right\rangle$$

$$E_\gamma \simeq E_L \frac{4\gamma^2}{1 + \gamma^2 \delta^2 + \frac{\phi^2}{4}}$$

Angular acceptance

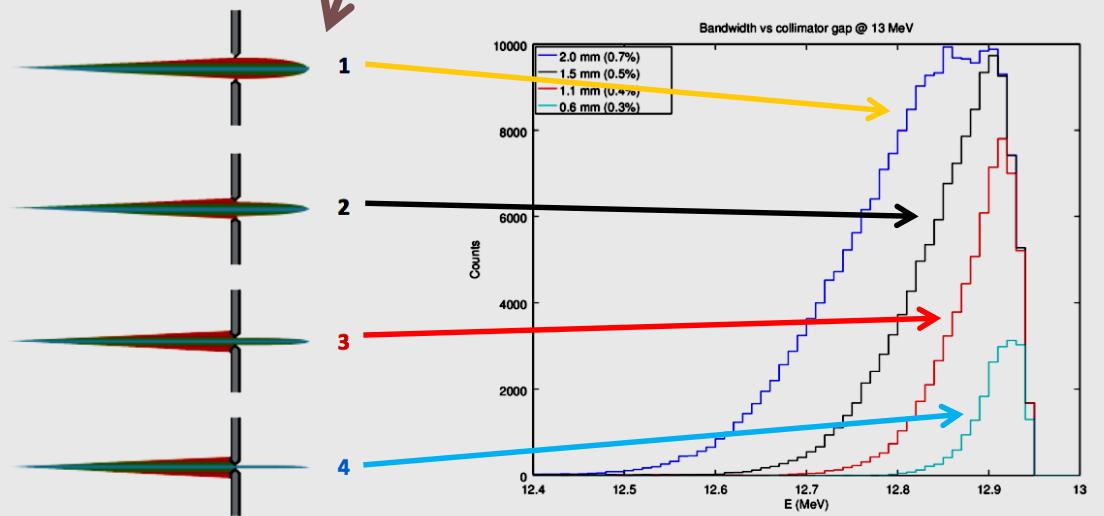
Electron beam parameters

Laser beam parameters

Nonlinear effects

$$\frac{\sigma_{E_\gamma}}{E_\gamma} = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\gamma^2 \delta_{max}^2}{2}\right)^2 + \left(2 \frac{\Delta\gamma}{\gamma}\right)^2 + \left(2 \frac{\epsilon_n^2}{\sigma_e^2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sigma_{E_L}}{E_L}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{M^2 \lambda}{2\pi w_0}\right)^4 + \left(\frac{a_{0p}^2/3}{1+a_{0p}^2/2}\right)^2}$$

V. Petrillo et al., NIM A 693 (2012) 109–116



M. Gambicci, P. Cardarelli et al. technical design meeting collimation and characterisation system review

For good TASD:

- Small crossing angle (ϕ)
- High duty cycle (f_{rep})
- Best spatio-temporal overlap between laser beam and electron bunch
- Constant crossing angle
- Small angular acceptance
- Excellent electron beam quality
- Excellent laser beam quality

ELI-NP gamma beam source (laser system)

ACCELERATOR CHARACTERISTICS

CONSTRAINED BY ELECTRONS BEAM QUALITY

Train at 100 Hz

Few bunches = ~30 bunches max
(photoinjector limit)

250 pC (low charge)

~750 MeV max

LASER REQUIRED FOR COMPTON
INTERACTION POINT

Laser average power > 1 kW

green light, 100 Hz

Solution

→ recycle laser power of 1 pulse @ 100Hz → 40W with Circulator of 32 passes (already State of the Art, cf.  Amplitude TECHNOLOGIES Nothing but intensity)

→ optical system !

- Resonant cavity = too much R&D risk for 100 Hz
- Multipass (non resonant)
→ **Laser beam circulator**

Optimization constraints

Synchronization (<few 100fs) for each pass

→ Mirror-Pair System (MPS) rotation

Mechanical tolerances

Laser damage threshold (laser beam size)

Vignetting of the beam

Accelerator's Radio frequency

Beam focalization

Mirror shape

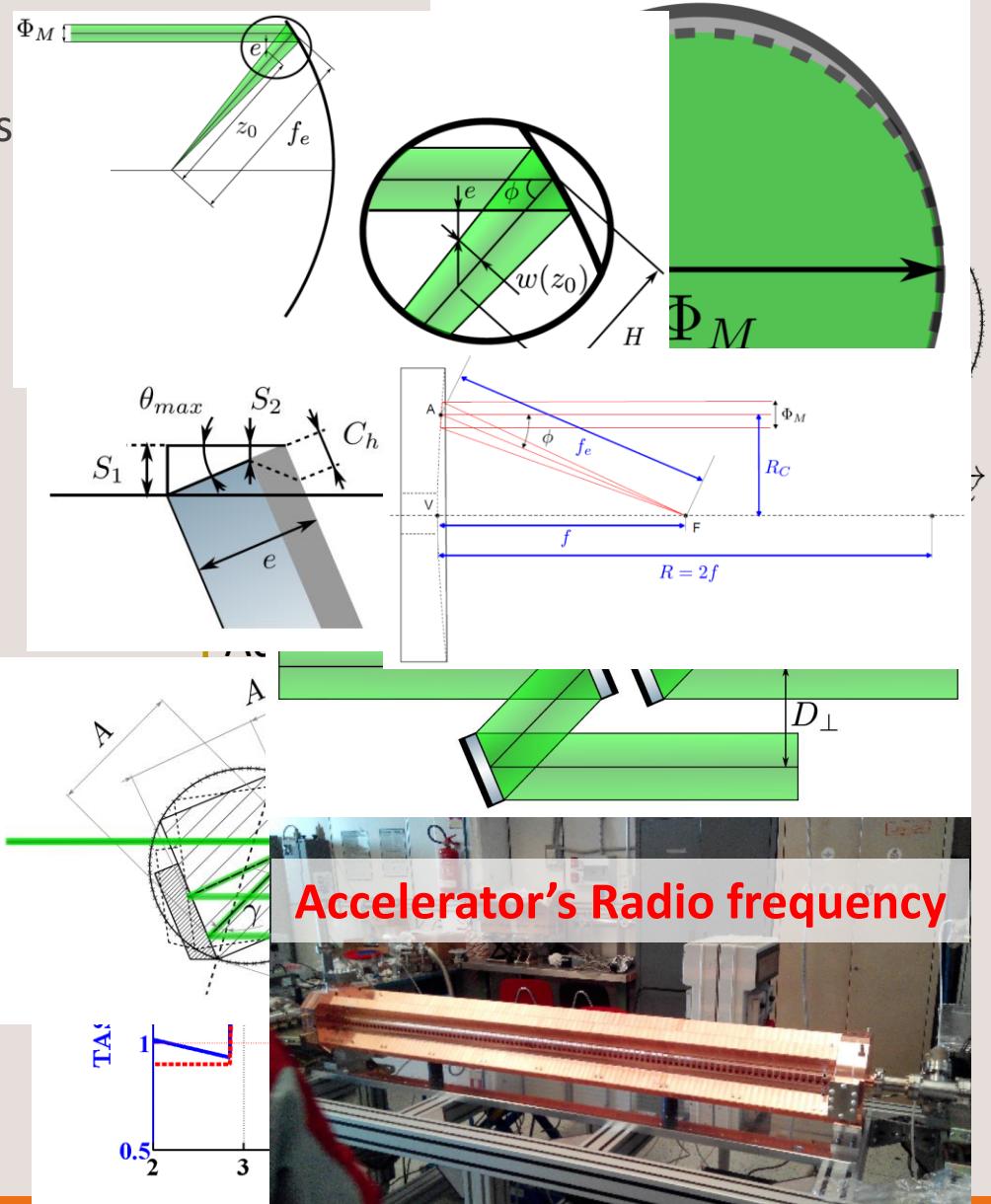
Parabolic mirror parameters

Circulator length (accelerator hall limit)

Maximum number of passes (photoinjector limit)

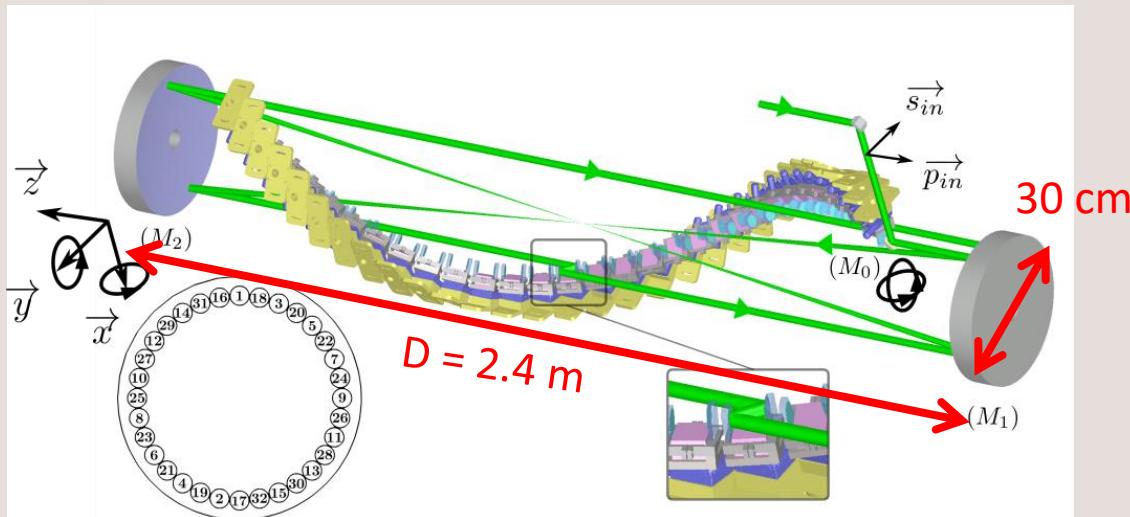
TASD (Time Average Spectral Density)

K. Dupraz et al. Phys. Rev. STAB 17, 033501 (2014)



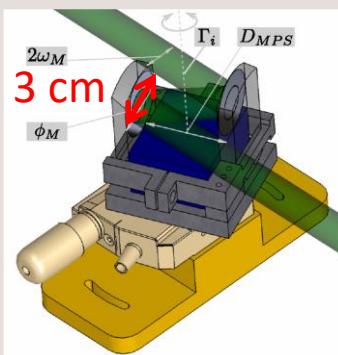
Geometry parameters

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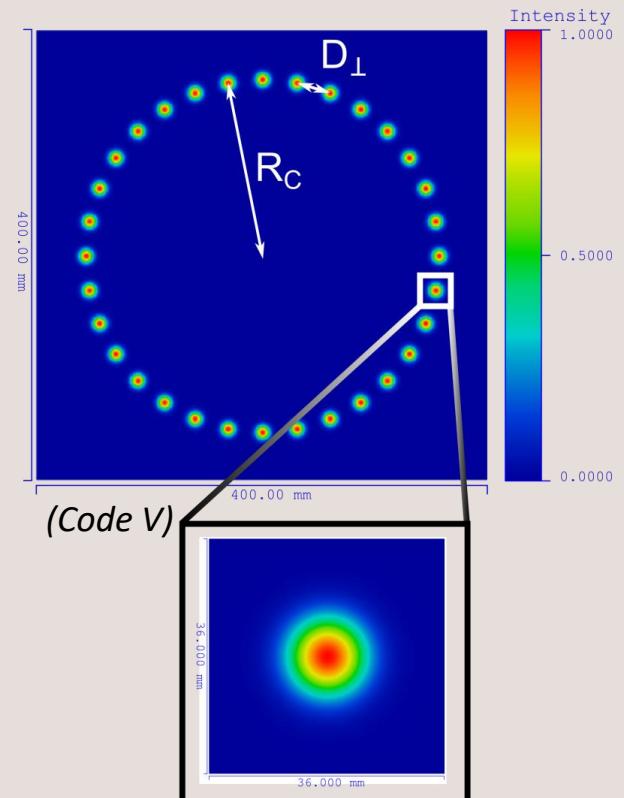


Parameters

Parameters	Value
N_{pass}	32
ϕ	8°
D_{MPS}	40.4 mm
θ	23.8°
R_C	166.2 mm
D_\perp	32.6 mm
w_0	28.3 μm



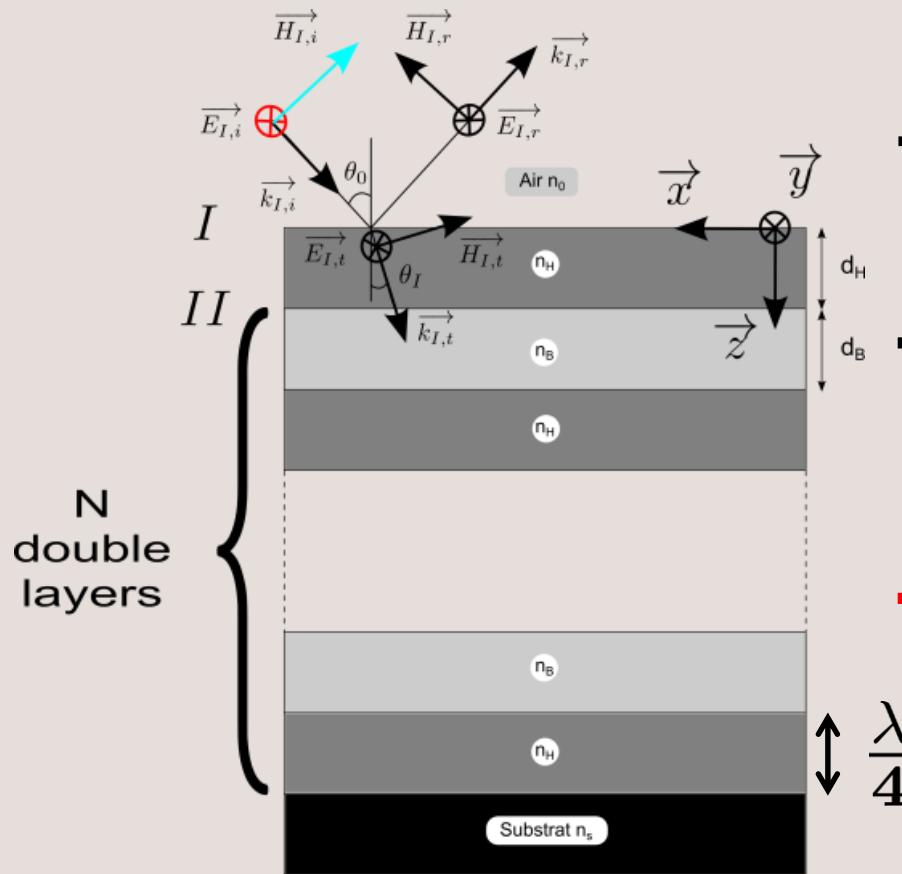
Beam profile



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Coatings and Polarization

- Simulation with multilayer coatings (interferential coatings)



→ Constraint on reflectivity for S-wave and P-wave

→ Laser beam polarization preserved at the IP despite misalignments (>98%)

- Linear
- Circular

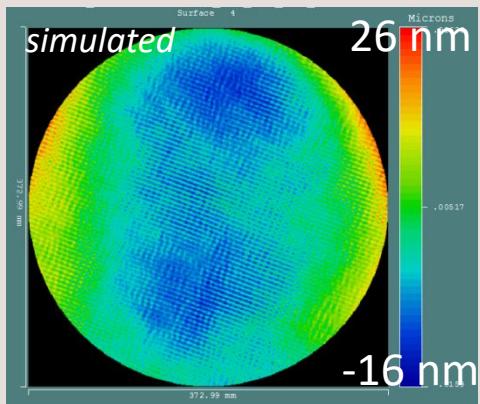
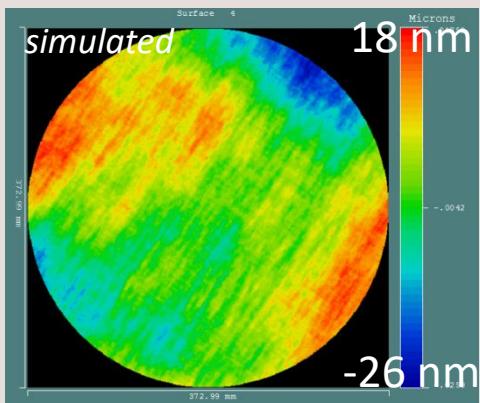
→ Laser beam polarization preserved for gamma-ray (checked with CAIN software)

Optical quality and beam profile

TASD = Time Average Spectral Density

MPS = Mirror-Pair System

SURFACE DEFORMATIONS



Surface deformations → beam profile
→ gamma-ray flux (TASD)

Good

Equivalent
polishing grade

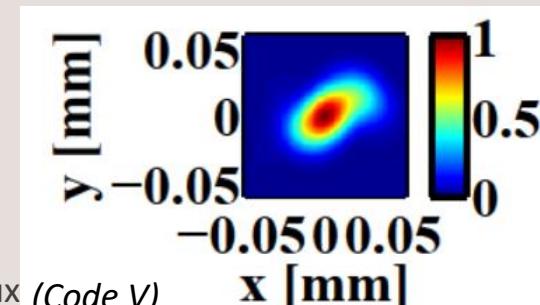
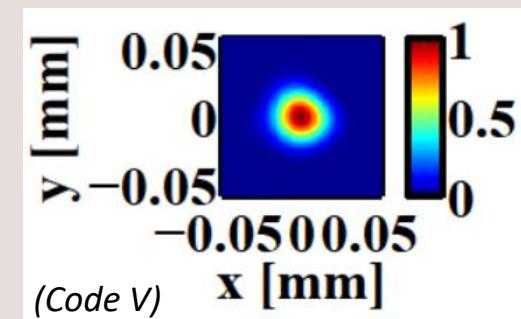
Bad

Difficult to relate surface quality to gamma-ray flux

TASD is nonlinear with respect to the pass number
→ the 32 passes have to be simulated

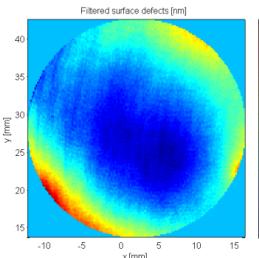
- Parabolic mirrors deformations < $\lambda/80$ RMS
- MPS mirrors < few nm of residual focus

IP BEAM PROFILE

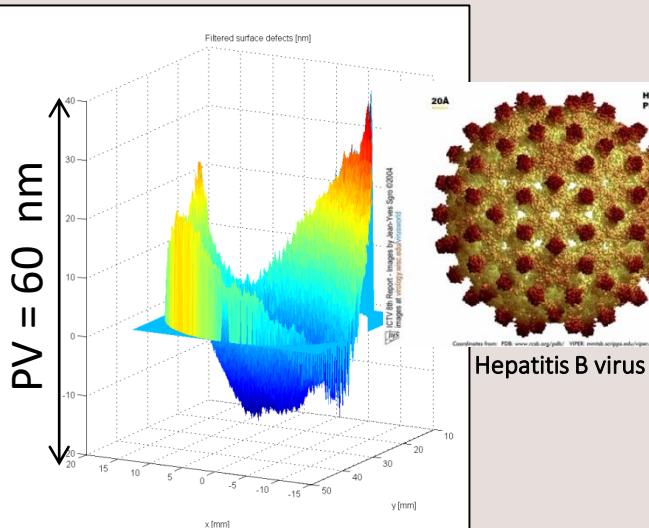


Surface defects representation

measured



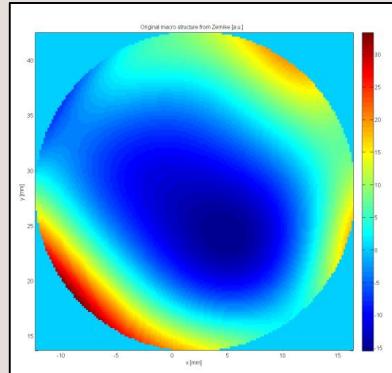
Surface defects



Polishers have process to
compensate macro + micro
structures

→ Surface defects are Polisher
dependant

Zernike

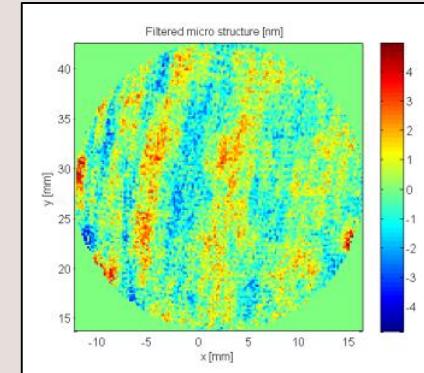


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Macro-structure

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PSD



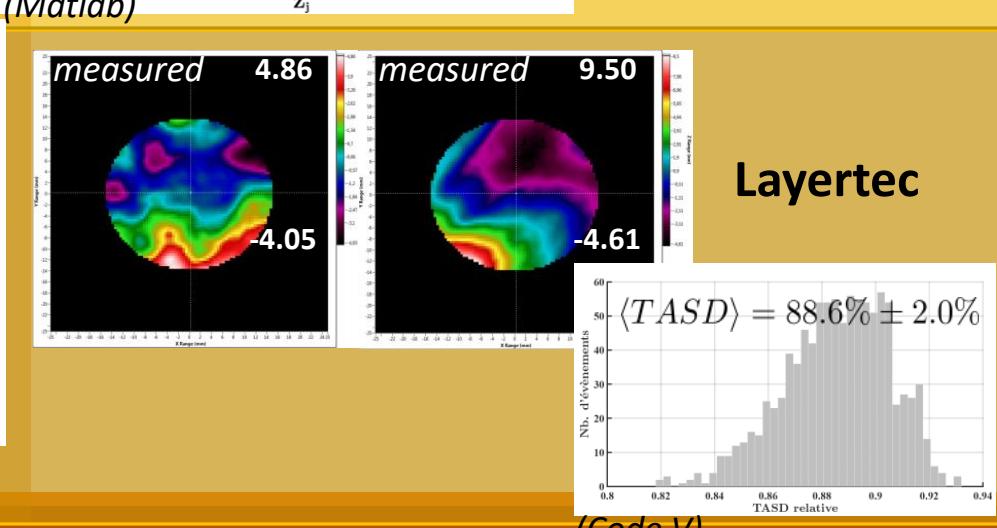
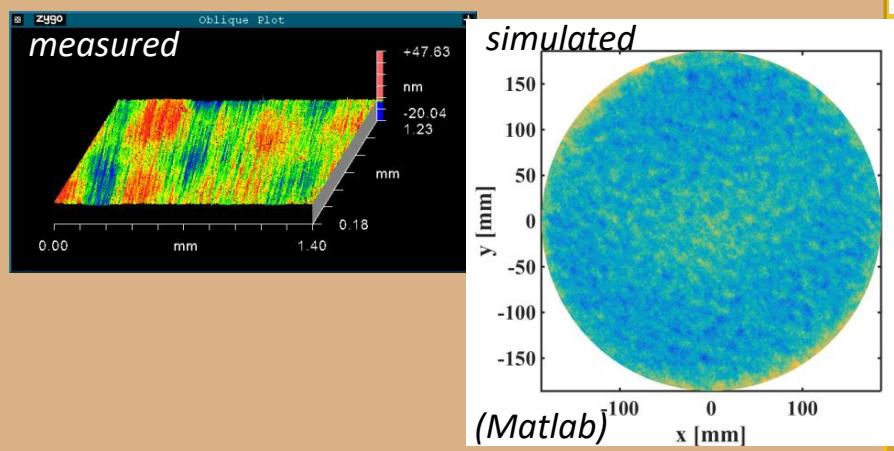
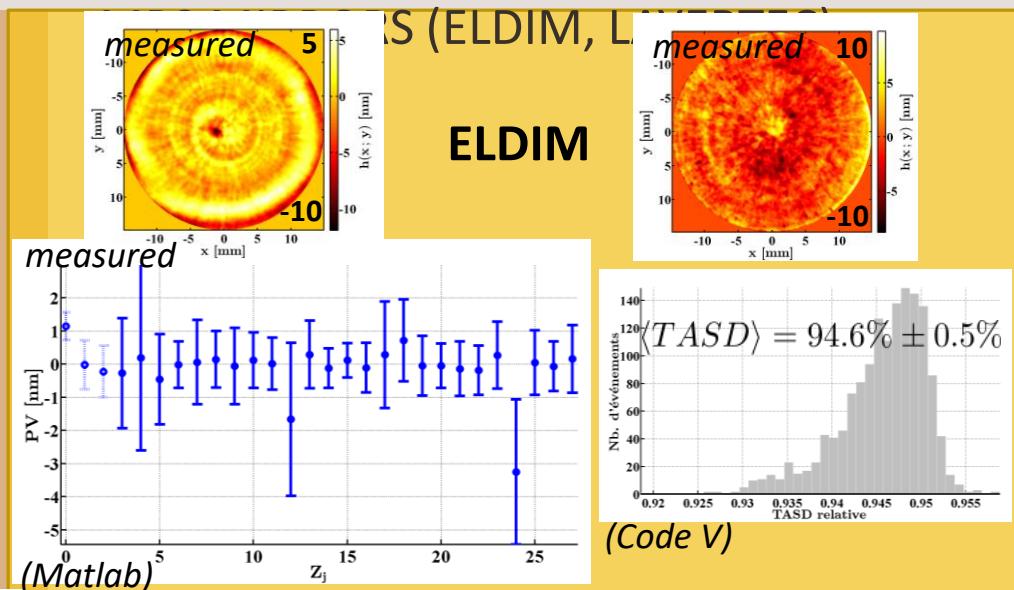
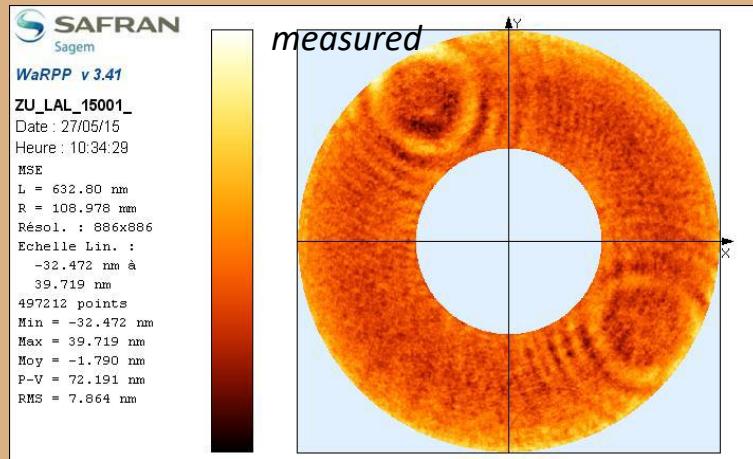
Micro-structure

Real mirrors

TASD = Time Average Spectral Density

MPS = Mirror-Pair System

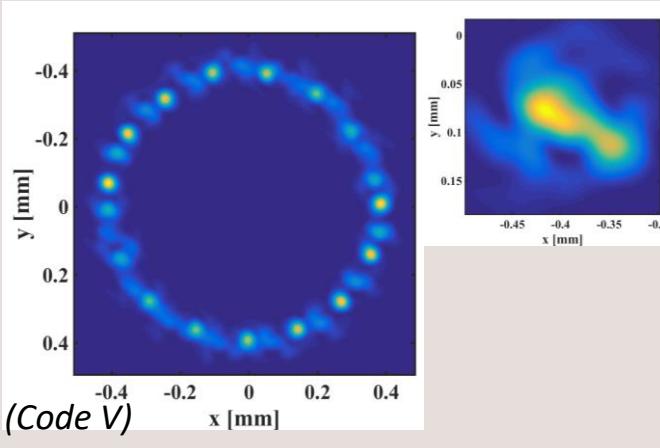
PARABOLIC MIRRORS (REOSC-SAGEM)



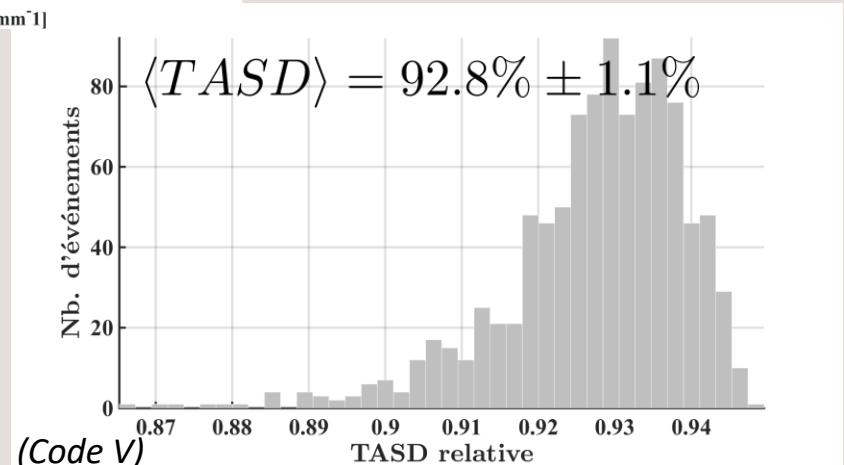
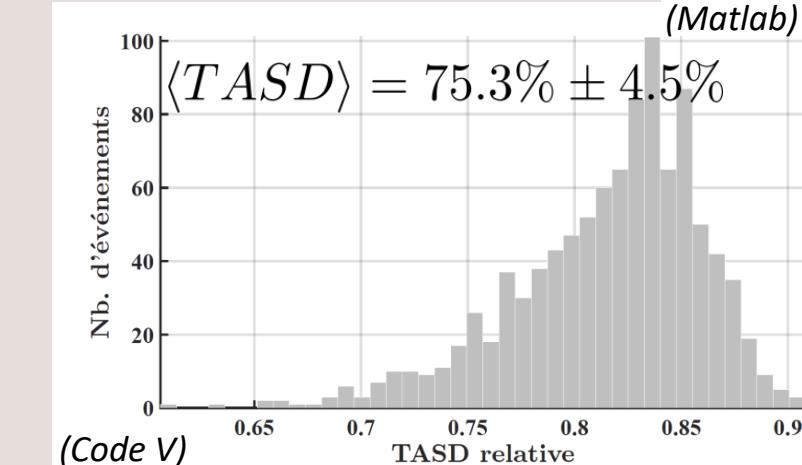
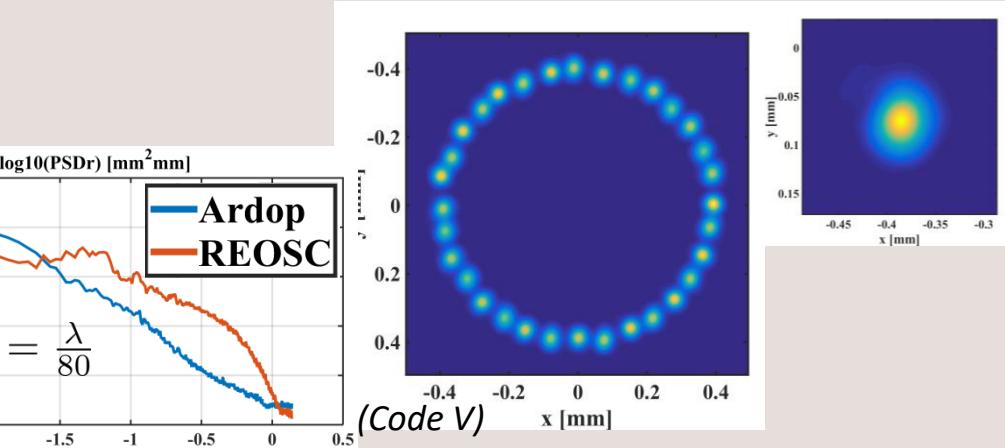
Results with the real mirrors

TASD = Time Average Spectral Density

ELDIM (MEASURED) + REOSC (SIMULATED)



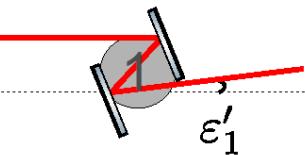
ELDIM (MEASURED) + ARDOP (SIMULATED)



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- MPS mirrors $<$ few nm of residual focus

MPS parallelism

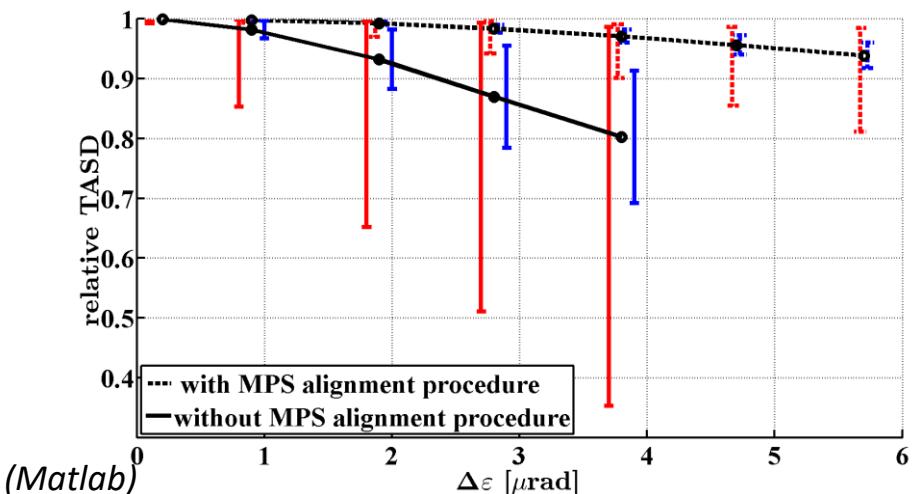
1st MPS



$$\Delta\varepsilon' = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^N (\varepsilon'_i)^2}$$

Big accumulation effect → dedicated parallelism alignment procedure:

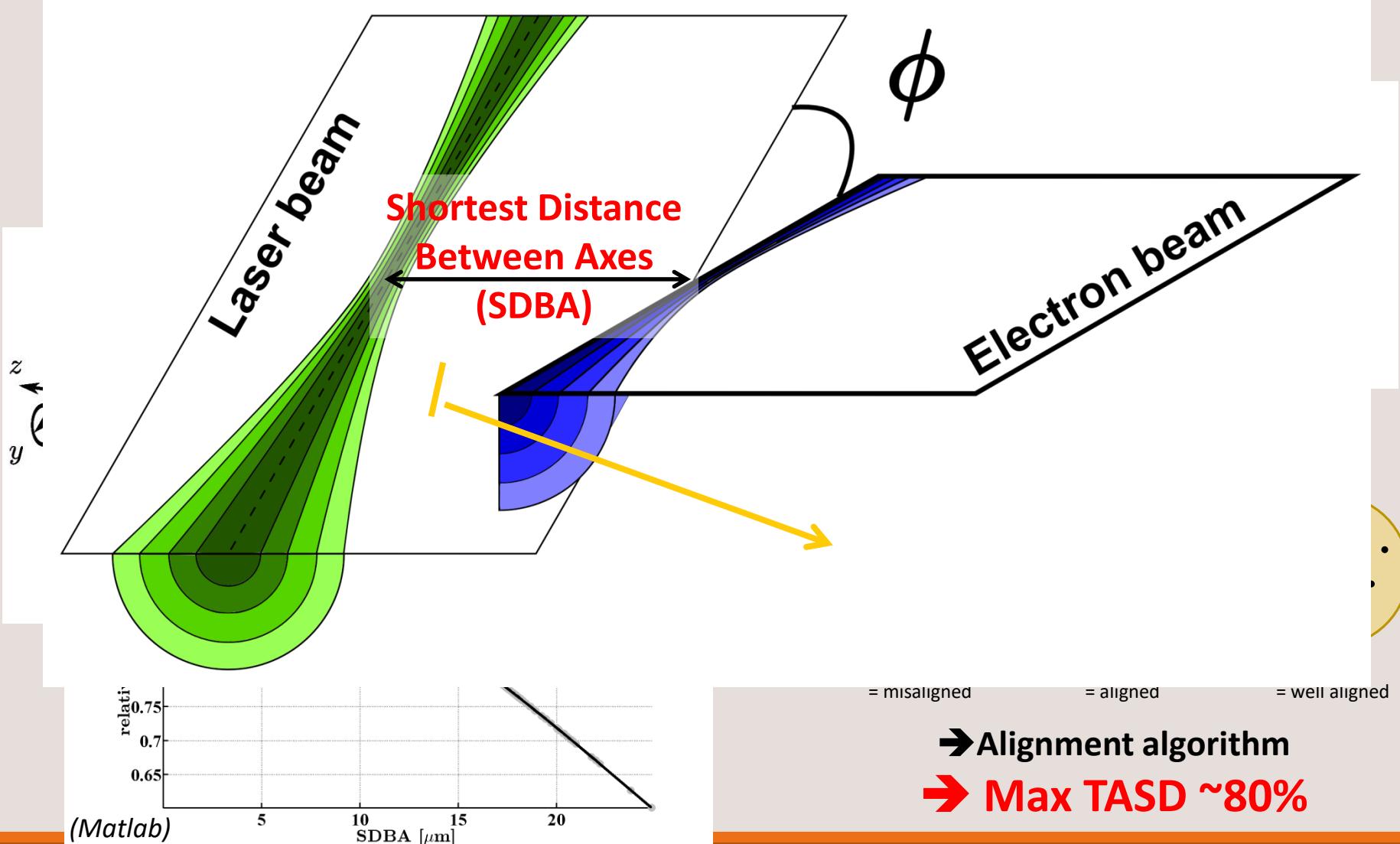
Each stage beam angular deflection $< \varepsilon'$



Alignment

DEGREES OF FREEDOM

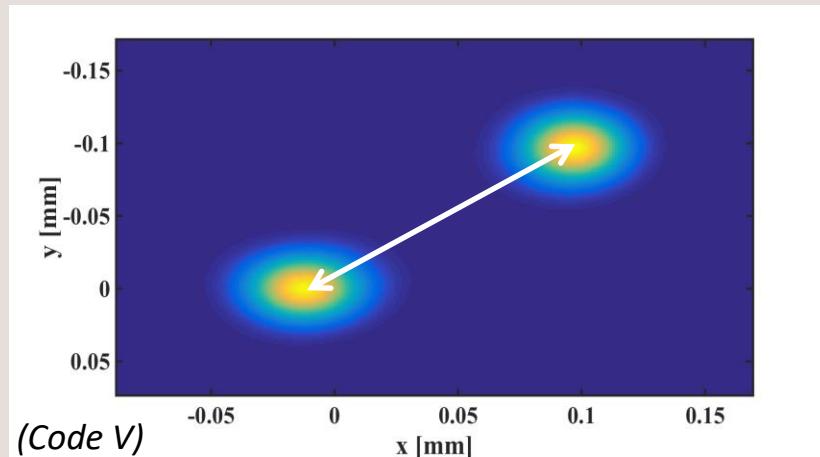
ALIGNMENT = OVERLAP OF 32 PASSES



Observables

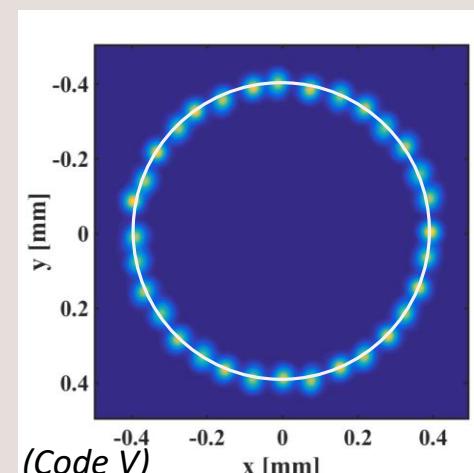
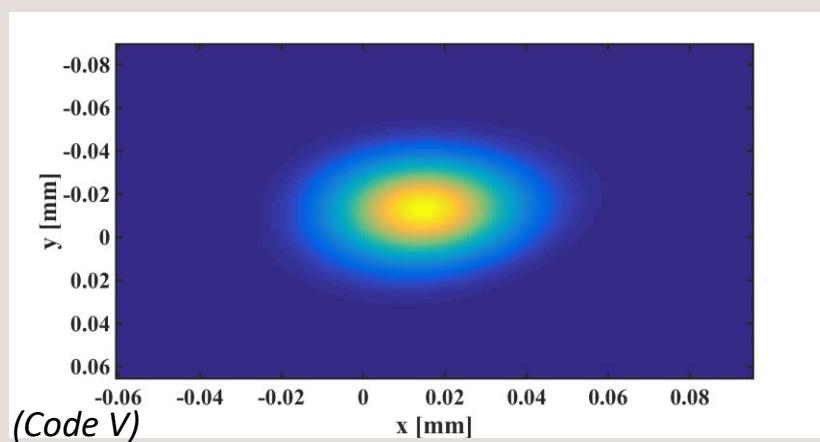
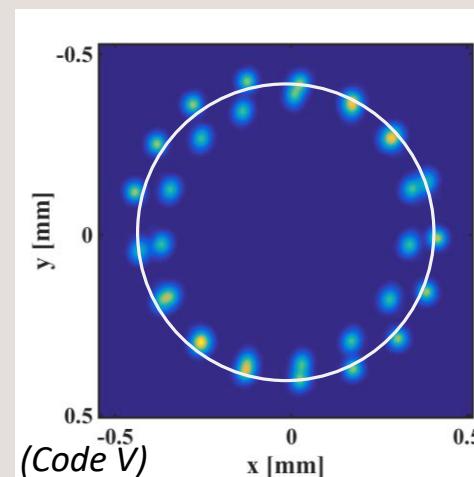
ON-IP (ELDIM (MEASURED) + ARDOP (SIMULATED))

Superimpose spots together

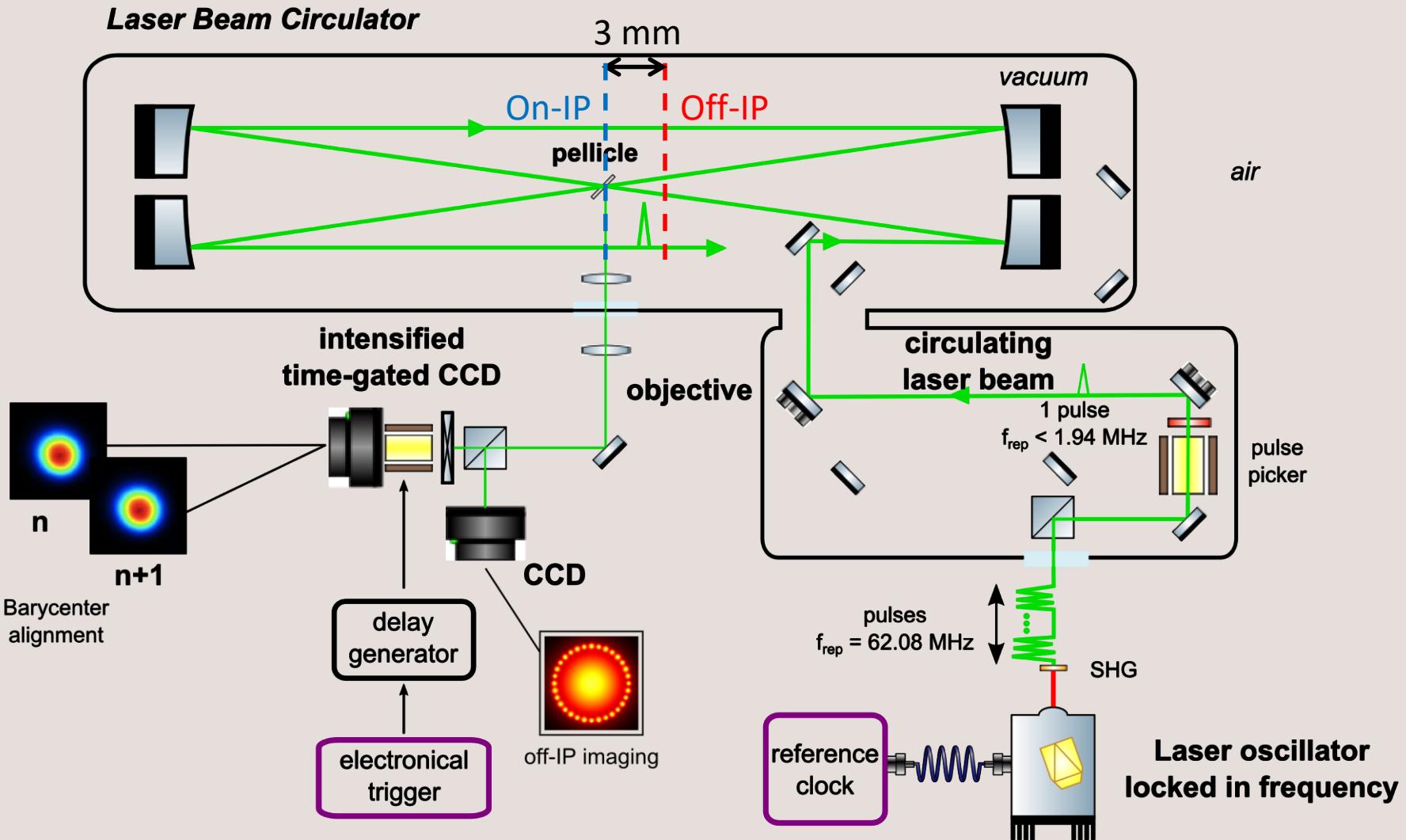


OFF-IP (ELDIM (MEASURED) + ARDOP (SIMULATED))

Superimpose spots on a circle

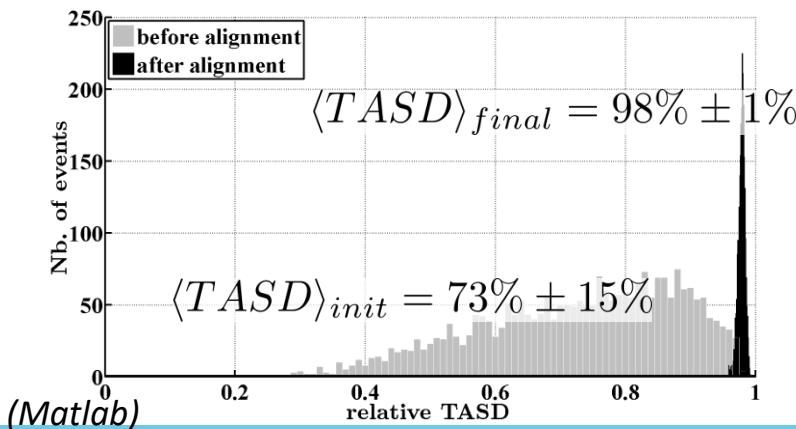


Alignment tool

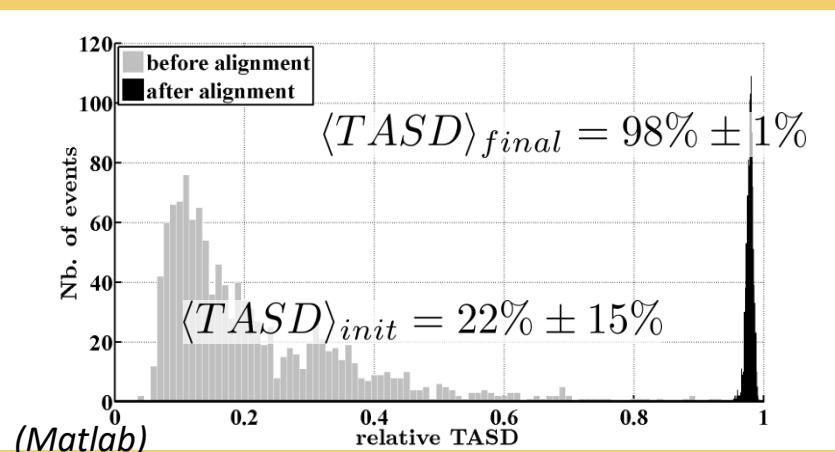
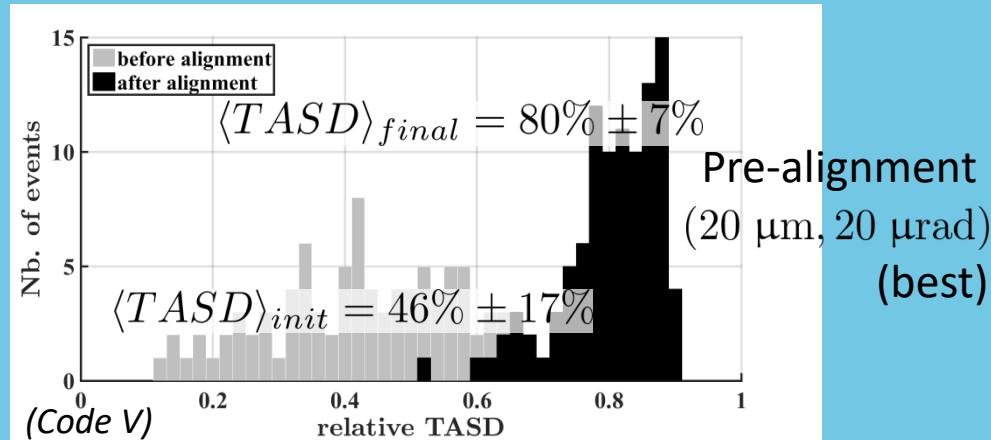


Results

WITHOUT MIRROR SURFACE DEFECTS



WITH MIRROR SURFACE DEFECTS (ELDIM + ARDOP)

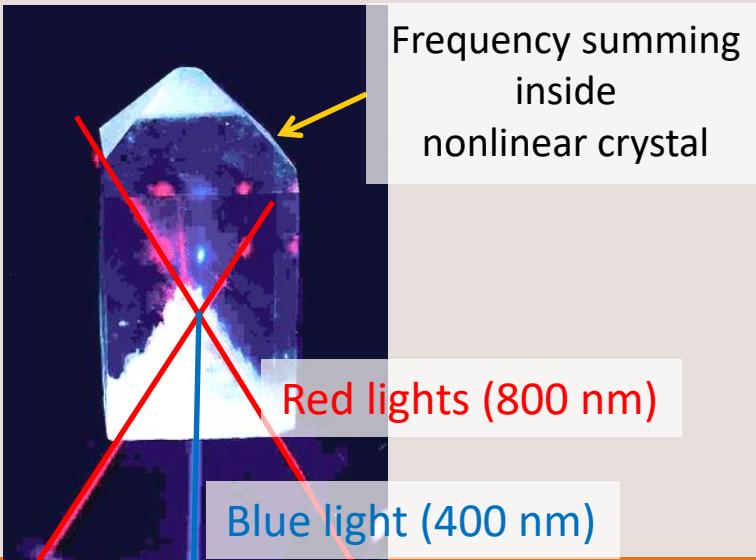
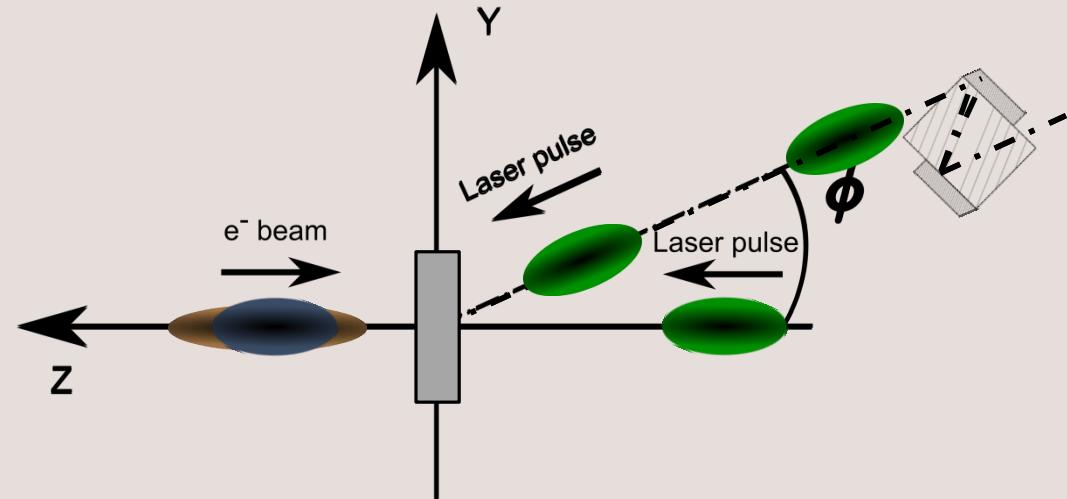


→ In progress
→ algorithm improvements on going

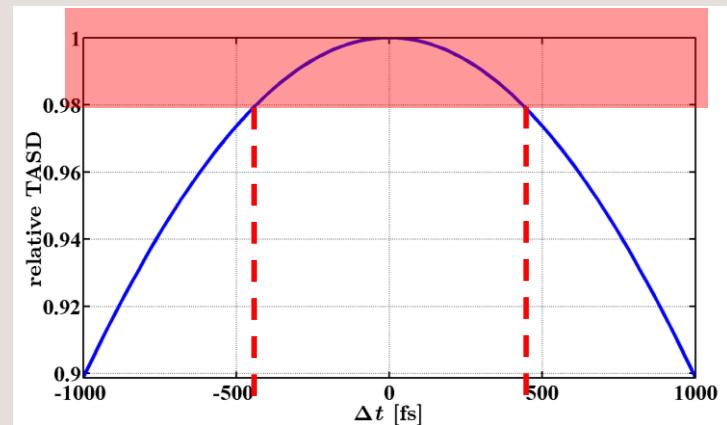
Pre-alignment (100 μm, 100 μrad) (relaxed)

Synchronization

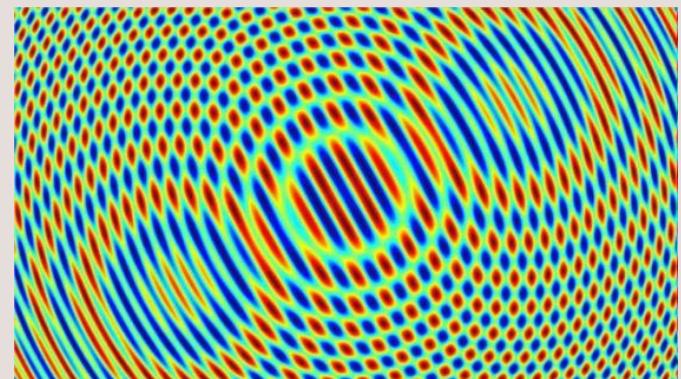
CROSS-CORRELATION (SUM OF FREQUENCIES)



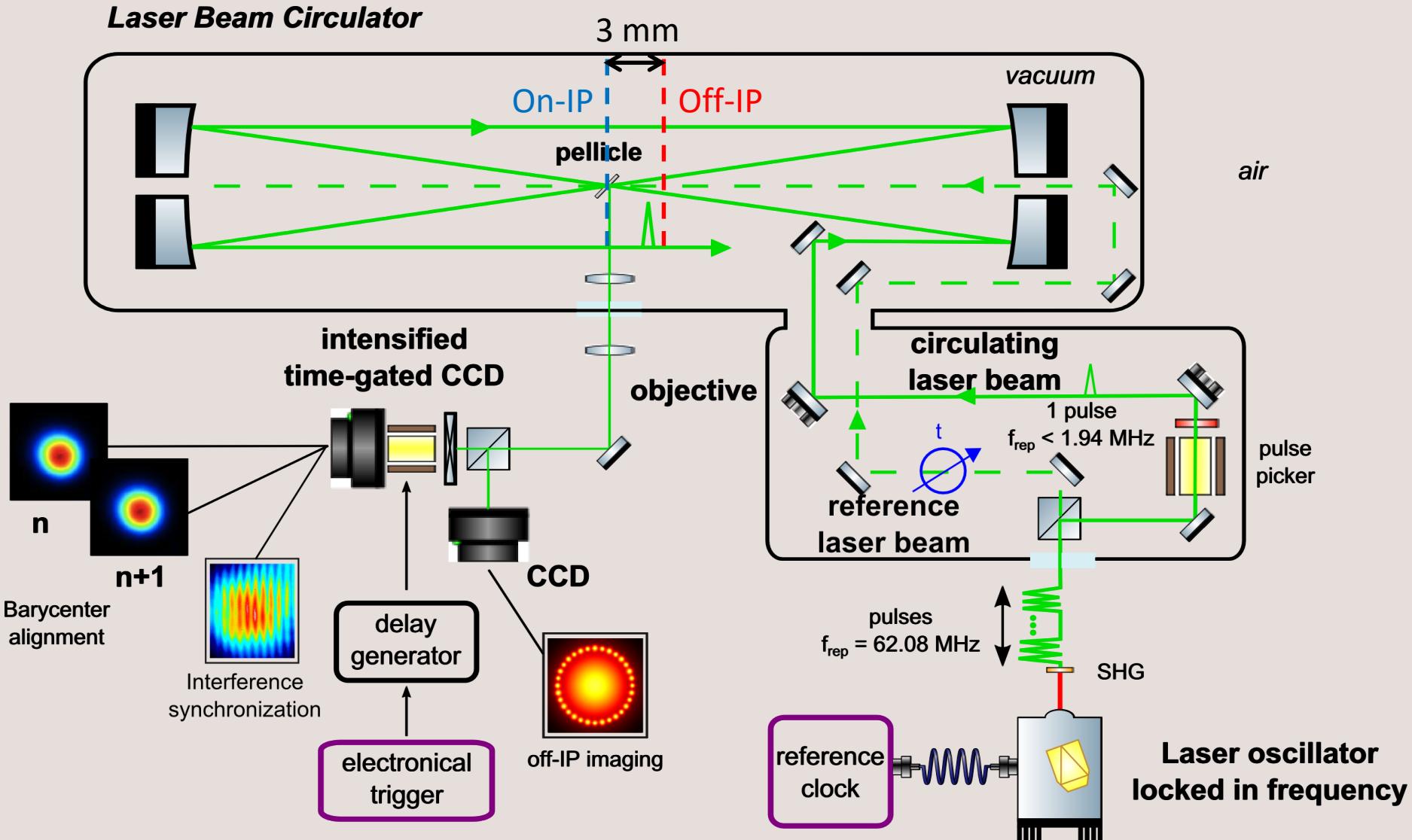
INTERFERENCES



→Optical synchronisation



Synchronization tool

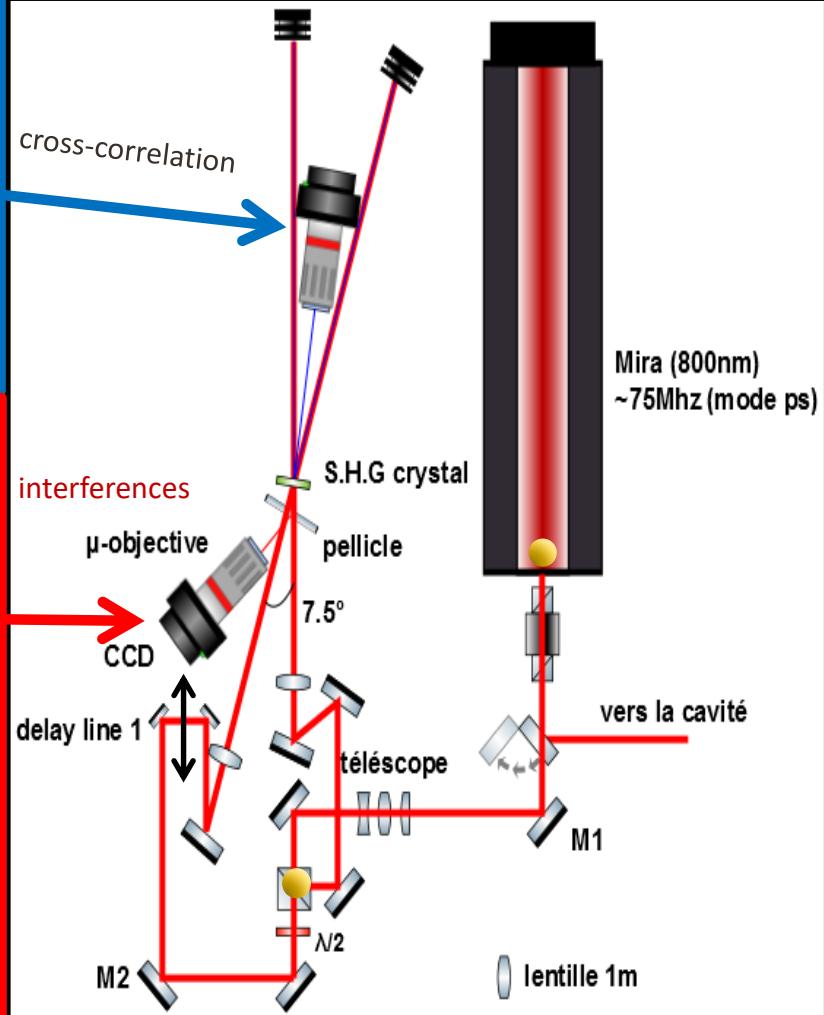
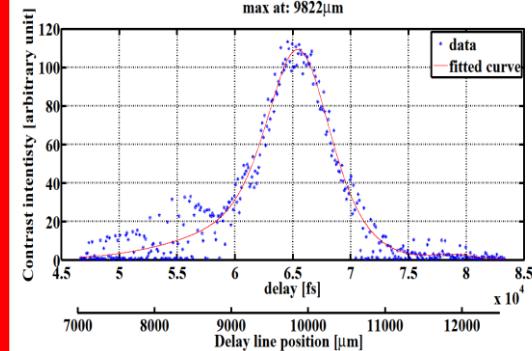
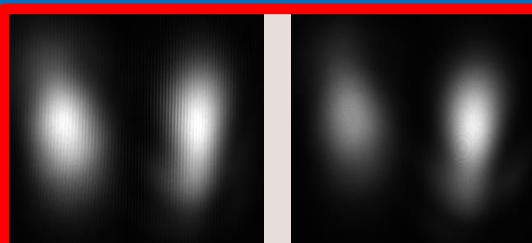
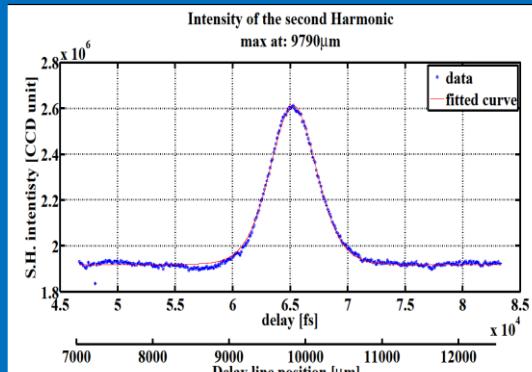
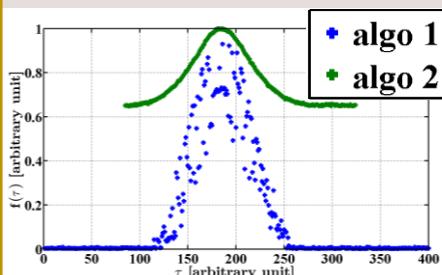


Synchronization (Proof of principle)

Synchronization
< 500fs

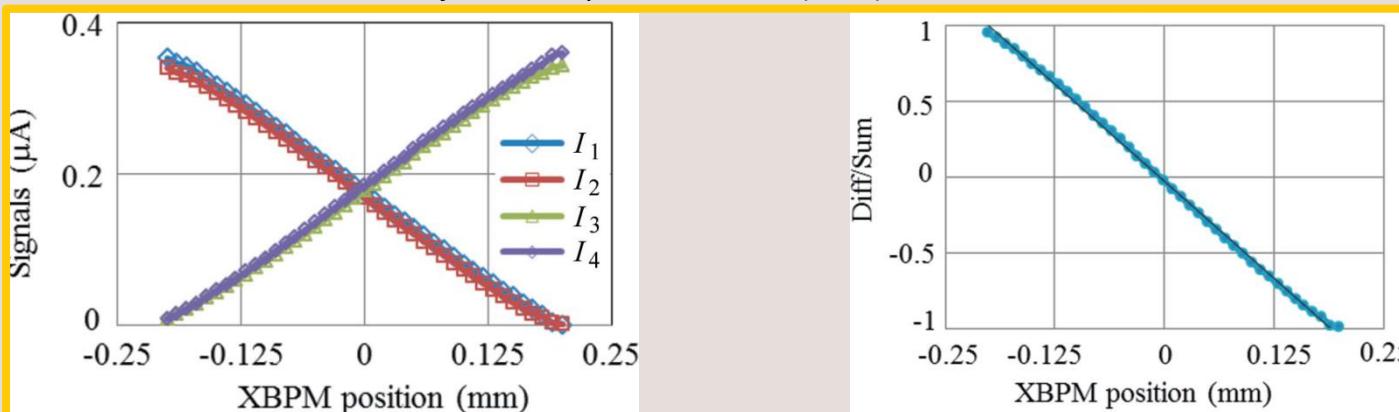
→ Synchronization OK !
→ Could be improved

Comparison between
2 algorithms

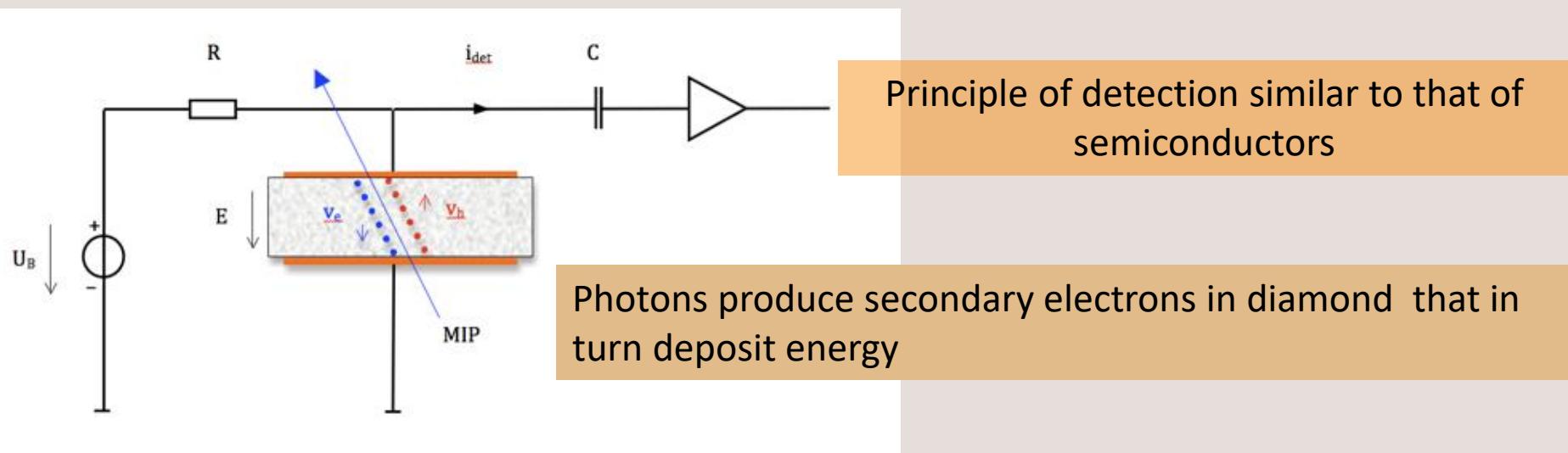


Diamond sensors (ctd.)

Desjardins, J. Synchrotron Rad. (2014). 21, 1217–1223

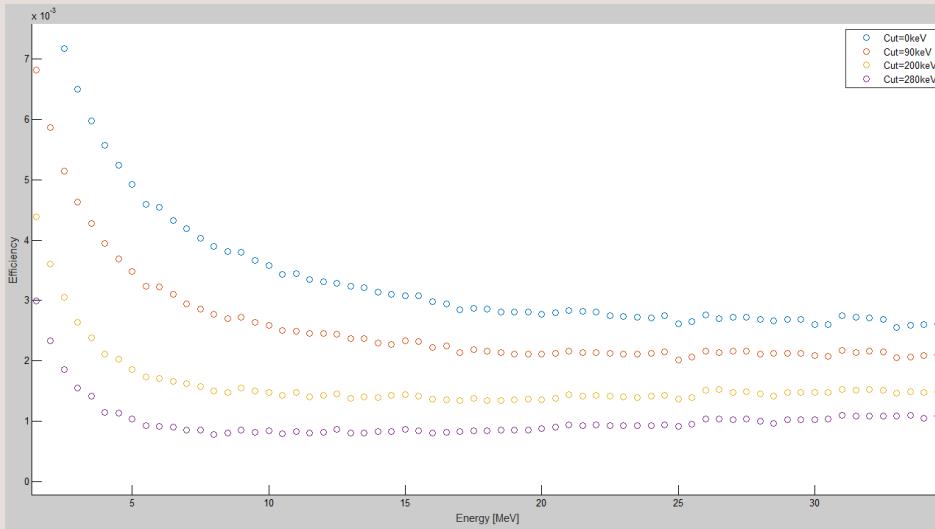


Diamond sensors have already been used for X-ray beam position monitoring
→ Few μm precision



Energy response/Detection efficiency

Simulated (GEANT4) efficiency about few per mille



Slight dependence with energy

Collected charge in 500 μ m diamond
roughly flat with energy

