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➤ Collaborations locales:

- CILEX: LULI, CEA/IRFU, CEA/IRAMIS, LAL, LPGP, LOA (ENSTA), SOLEIL
- DACTOMUS: CEA/IRAMIS, LPGP (Orsay), LAL
- LULI, CEA/IRFU, CEA/IRAMIS, LAL, LOA (ENSTA), LULI

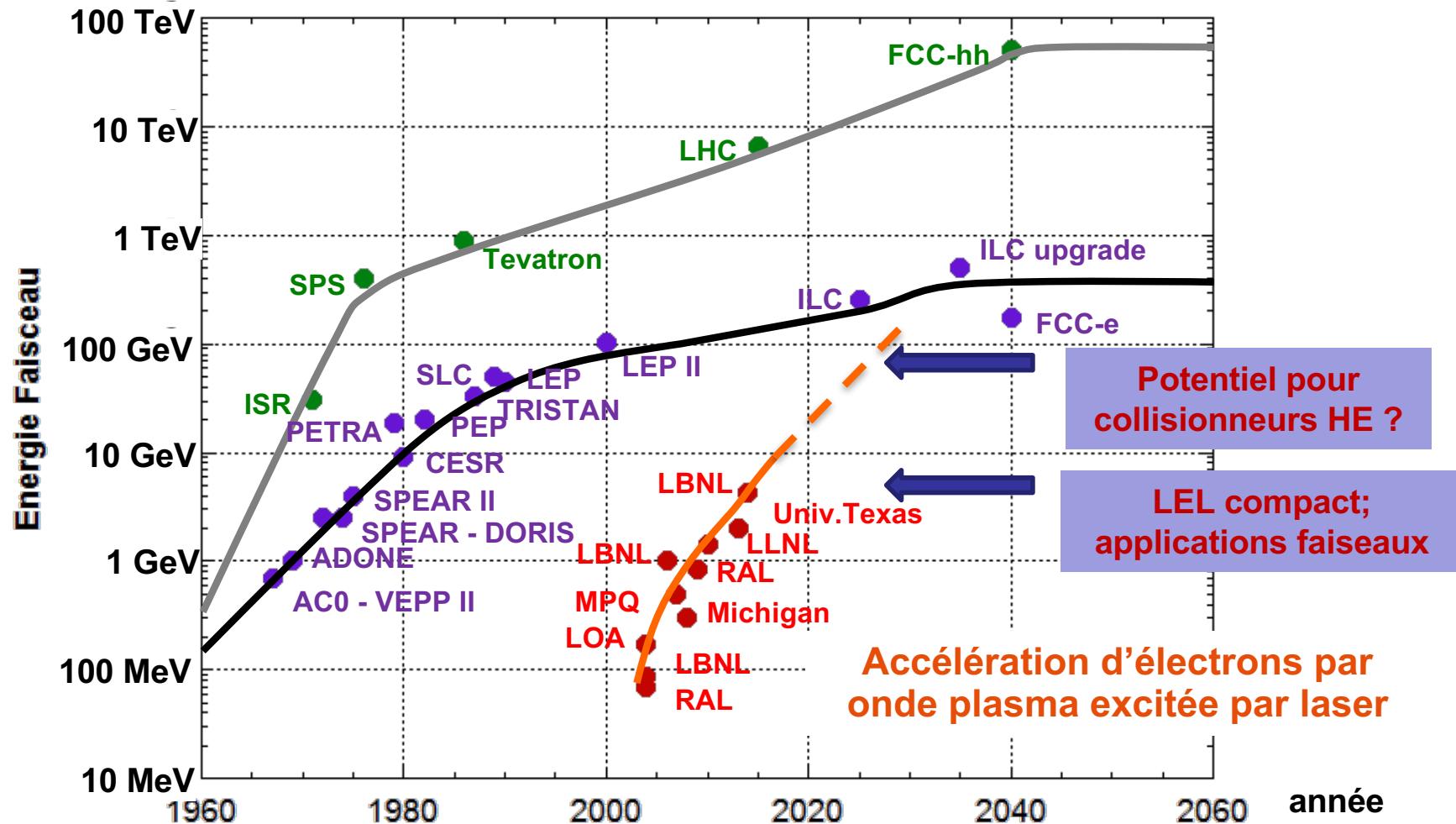
➤ Collaborations européennes:

- EuPRAXIA: WP HEP applications
DESY, U OXFORD, CEA/IRFU
- ARIES: WP Very High Gradient Acceleration Techniques

➤ Stratégie internationale:

- Berkeley Plasma collider workshop (2016)
- ANAR2017
(ICFA Adavanced and Novel Accelerator for HEP Roadmap) (2017)

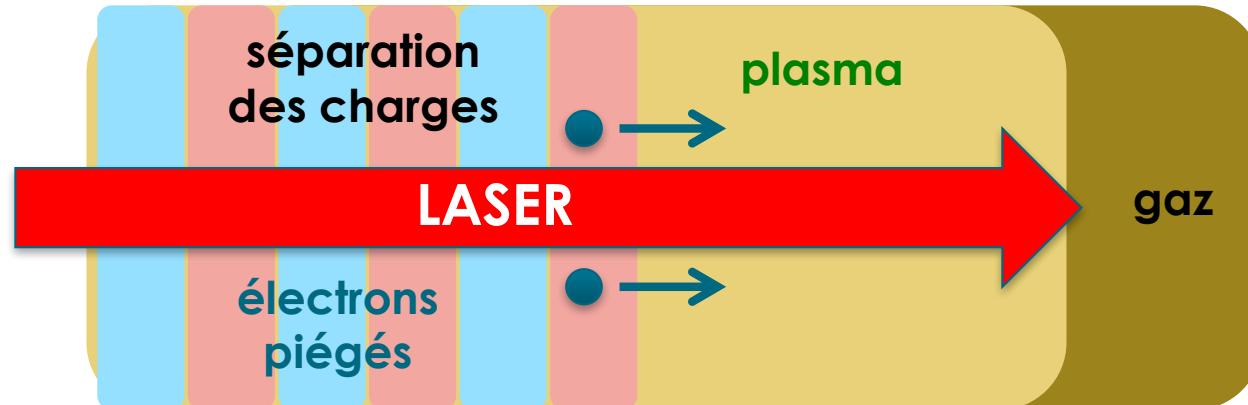
Evolution des énergies obtenues en accélération laser-plasma



- gradients en ALP 10 à 100 fois supérieurs aux LINAC RF
- évolution des énergies maximales plus rapide

Principe physique d'accélération laser de particules ALP: électrons

- **laser de puissance à impulsion courtes: >50TW, 20-100fs, >1 J, focalisé**



- **accélération d'électrons: *laser wakefield acceleration (LWFA)***

- **cible gazeuse (plasma sous-dense)**

densité électronique: $n_e \sim 10^{16} - 10^{19} \text{ cm}^{-3}$

- **ionisation par effet de champ**

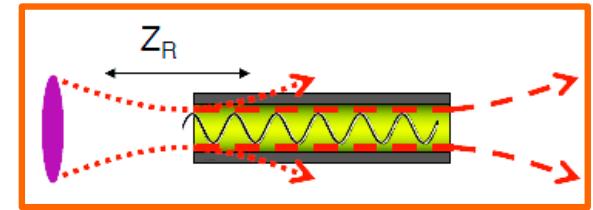
- **séparation des charges => onde plasma: $\lambda_p \sim 300\mu\text{m} - 10\mu\text{m}$**

- **v_{PH} (onde) = v_G (laser) => onde relativiste**

Accélération laser-plasma d'électrons : limitations

- **Diffraction du laser: longueur de Rayleigh**

- remède: (auto-focalisation), guidage par capillaire, décharge



- **Déphasage du paquet et de l'onde plasma ($\gamma_{\text{el.}} > \gamma_{\text{onde}}$)**

- remède : rampe de densité d'électrons décroissante, multi-étage

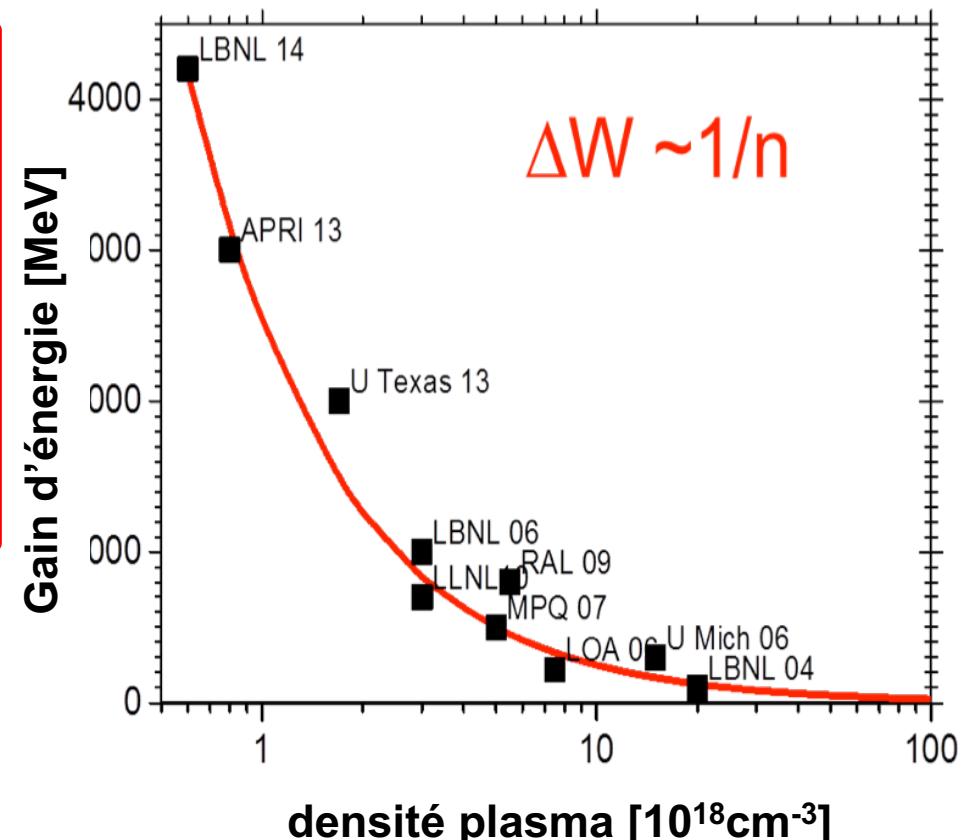
- **Epuisement du laser (depletion)**

$$L_{\text{deplete}} \propto \lambda_p^3 / \lambda_L^2 \propto n_0^{-3/2}$$

- **gradient acc.:** $G \sim E_0 = mc\omega_p/e \propto \sqrt{n_0}$

- **gain d'énergie:** $W = G \times L_{\text{acc}} \propto 1/n_0$

- **puissance crête laser:** $P_{\text{laser}} \propto 1/n_0$



augmenter le gain d'énergie (par étage)
=> baisser la densité plasma
et augmenter la puissance laser

Current Status of LWFA Electron Bunch Properties

Property	State of Art*	Reference	Remarks
Energy	2 GeV ($\pm 5\%$, 0.1 nC) 3 GeV ($\pm 15\%$, ~ 0.05 nC) 4 GeV ($\pm 5\%$, 0.006 nC)	Wang, Kirsch, Leemans	ICFA Workshop: Advanced and Novel Accelerators for HEP Roadmap april 2017, CERN
Energy Spread	1% (@ .01 nC, 0.2 GeV) 5-10%	Rechatin, more to come	
Normalized Transverse emittance	$\sim 0.1 \pi \text{ mm-mrad}$	Geddes, Brunet, Plateau	
Bunch Duration	$\sim \text{few fs}$	Kaluza (2010) – Jena (Faraday) Lundh (2011) – LOA; Heigoldt (2015) – MPQ/Oxford (OTR) Zhang (2016) – Tsinghua	Measurements at resolution limit
Charge	0.02 nC @ 0.19 GeV $\pm 5\%$ 0.5 nC @ 0.25 GeV $\pm 14\%$	Rechatin (2009b) – LOA Couperus (2017) - HZDR	Beam-loading achieved. FOM: $Q/\Delta E$?
Repetition Rate & Repeatability	$\sim 1 \text{ Hz}$ @ $> 1 \text{ GeV}$ 1 kHz @ $\sim 1 \text{ MeV}$	Leemans (2014) - LBNL He – UMIch ('15); Salehi ('17) – UMd; Guénnot ('17) -- LOA	Limited by lasers & gas targets

- * No one achieves all of these simultaneously!

• Couperus, submitted ('17)

• Geddes, *PRL* **100**, 215004 ('08)

• He, *Nat. Comms* **6**, 7156 (2015)

• Heigoldt, *PR-STAB* **18**, 121302 ('15)

• Kaluza, *PRL* **105**, 115002 ('10)

• Kim, *PR*

• Leemans, *PRL* **113**, 245002 (2014)

• Lundh, *Nat. Phys.* **7**, 219 (2011)

• Salehi, *Opt. Lett.* **42**, 215 ('17)

• Rechatin, *PRL* **103**, 194804 ('09b)

• Wang, *Nat. Comms* **4**, 1988 (2013)

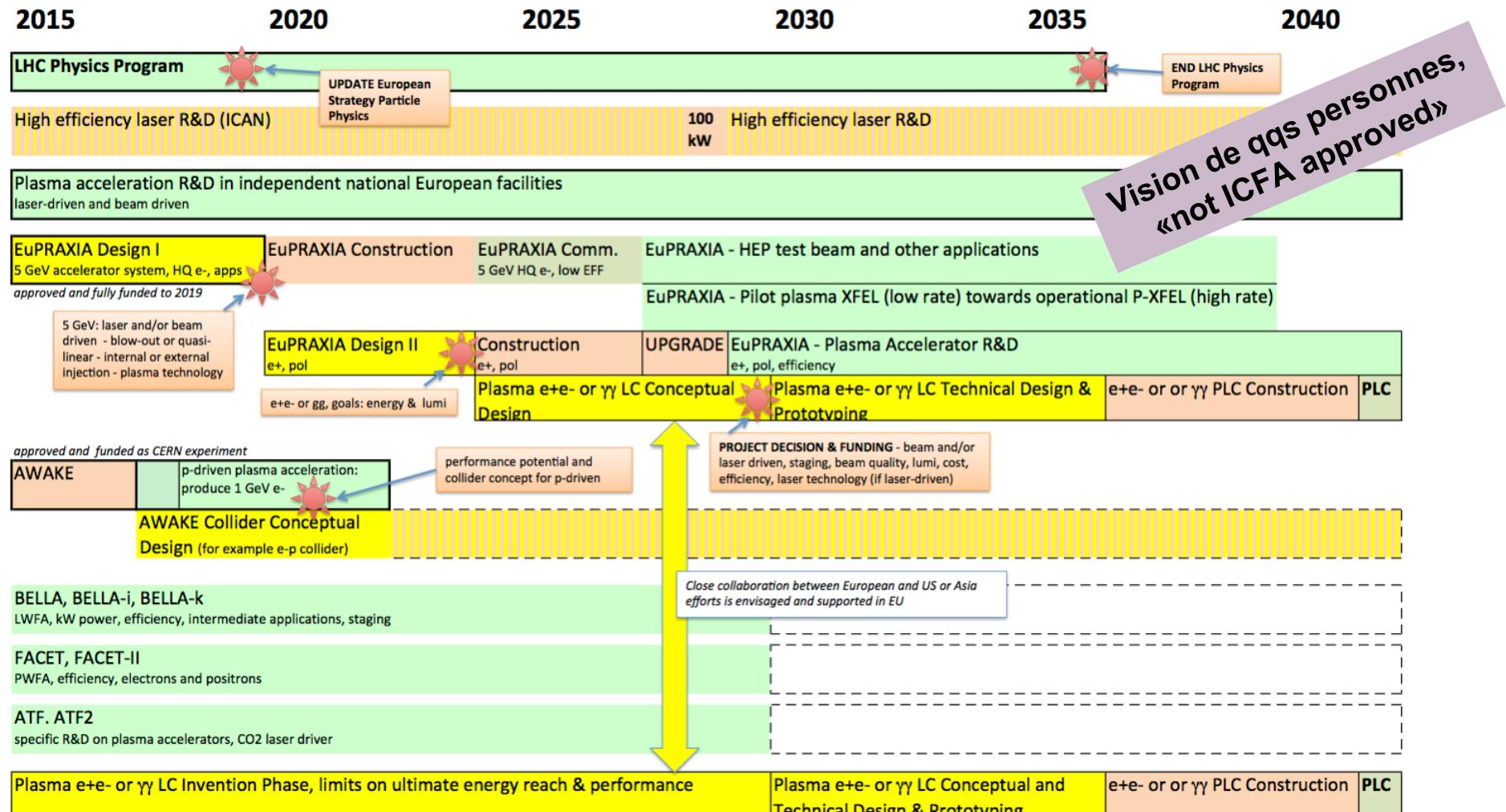
Summary report available (90 pages)

<http://www.lpgp.u-psud.fr/icfaana/ana-publications-2017>

Des expériences d'accélération vers des accélérateurs

- **roadmap vers un collisionneur [Plasma Collider WS, Berkeley, jan 2016]**
- **nécessite d'une étape intermédiaire: accélérateur plasma à qqs GeV**

Plasma Roadmap for HEP - Example, based on personal view of a few persons
Drafted January 2016, Plasma LC Workshop at LBNL
As a start of discussion, not an end point of discussion. Cannot be used as an official roadmap, should trigger discussions and thoughts. Requires input, discussion, iteration, refinement, ... To be complemented by detailed R&D roadmaps from WG's. Based on discussions and input from R. Assmann, B. Cros, A. Specka, E. Geschwendtner, P. Muggli.



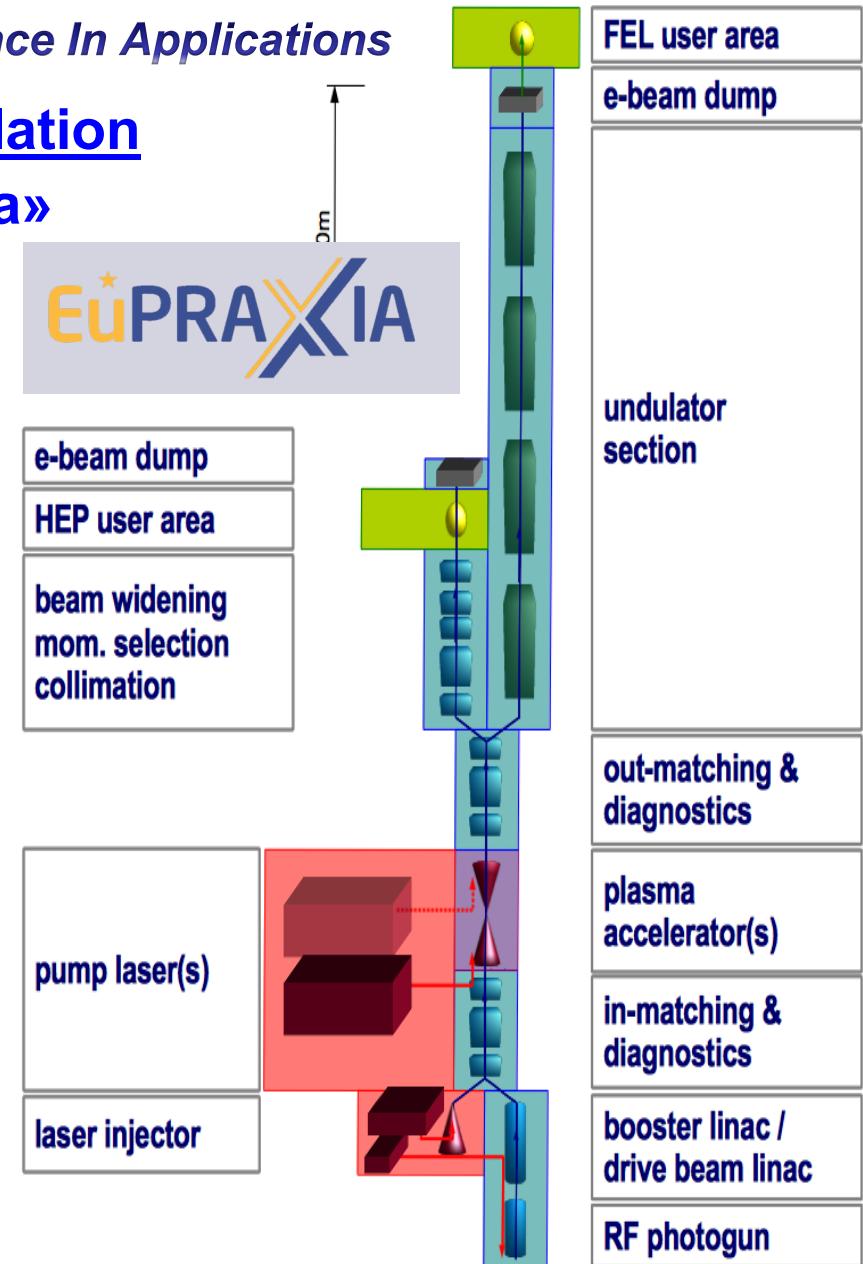
EuPRAXIA: Etude de conception d'un accélérateur plasma européen

European Plasma Research Accelerator with eXcellence In Applications

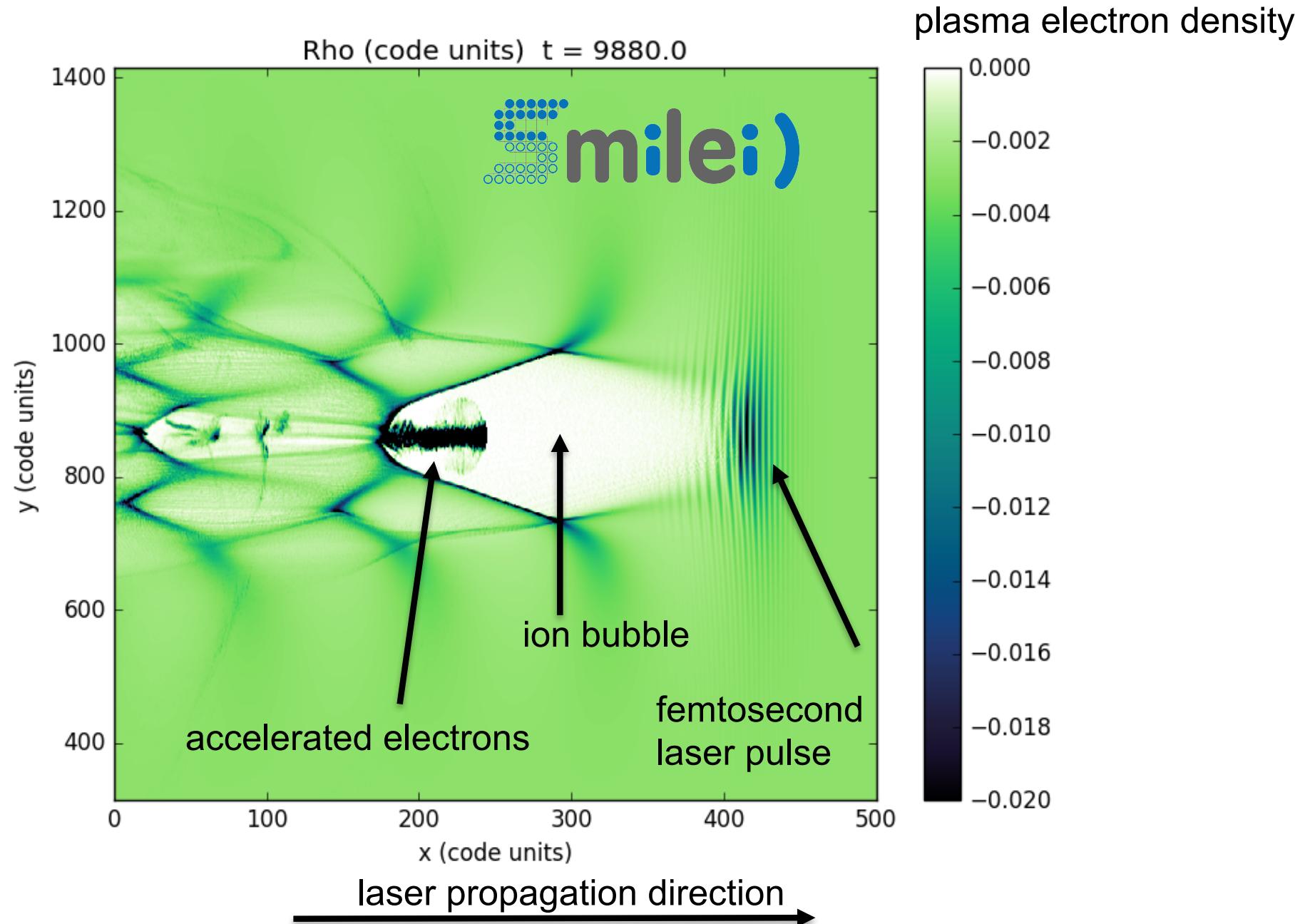
Concevoir, proposer et réaliser une installation
«accélérateur d'électrons par laser-plasma»
européenne, pour R&D et applications

- 2019: conceptual design study (3M€)
- 2020: se placer sur la ESFRI roadmap
- 2023: financer et construire l'installation

Electron beam energy	1-5 GeV
Charge per bunch	1 – 100 pC
Repetition rate	10-100 Hz
Bunch length	0.01 – 10 fs
Peak current	1 – 100 kA
Energy spread	0.1-1%
Norm. emittance	0.01 – 1 μ m

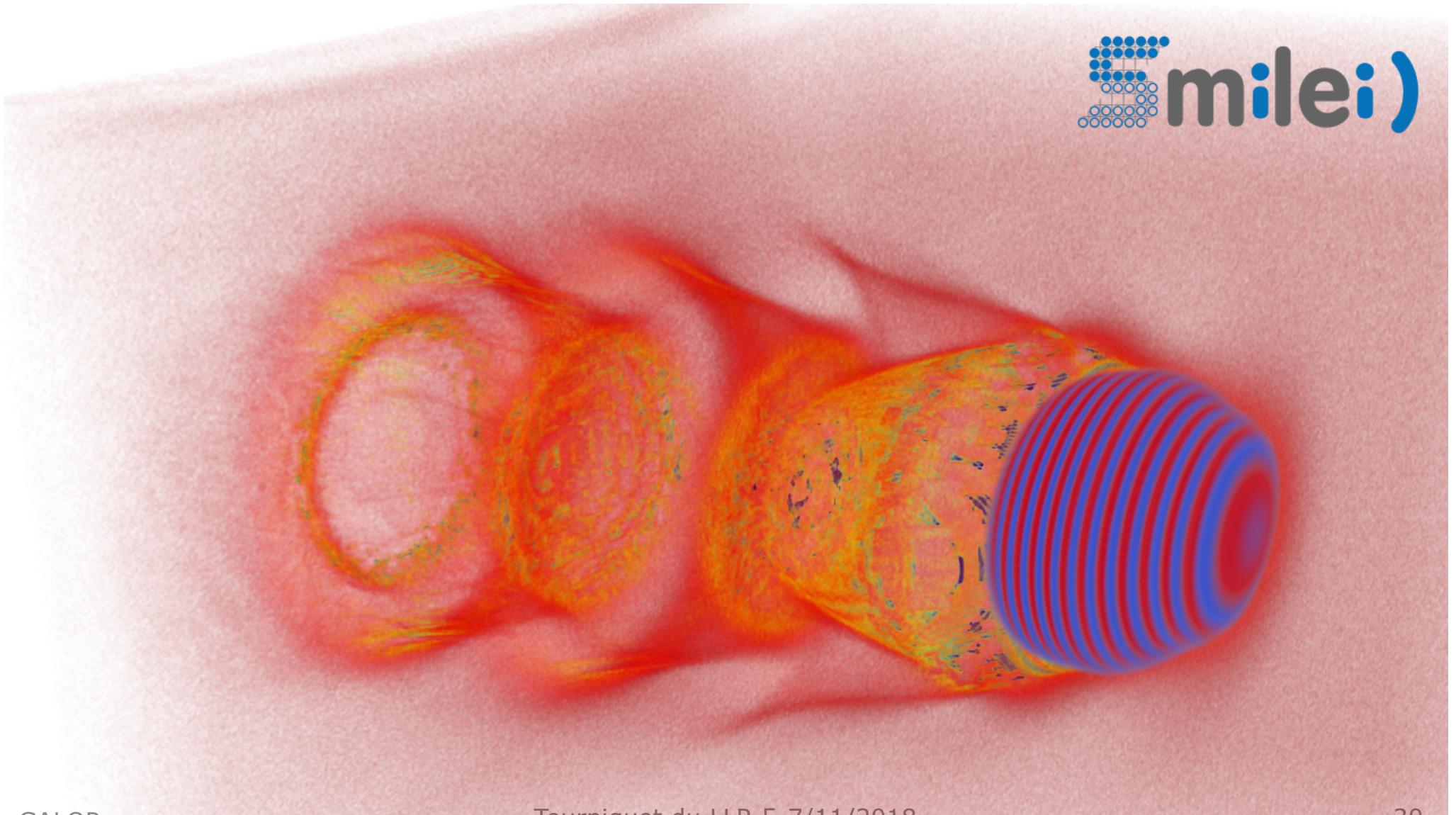


Simulation of laser plasma acceleration of electrons: SMILEI



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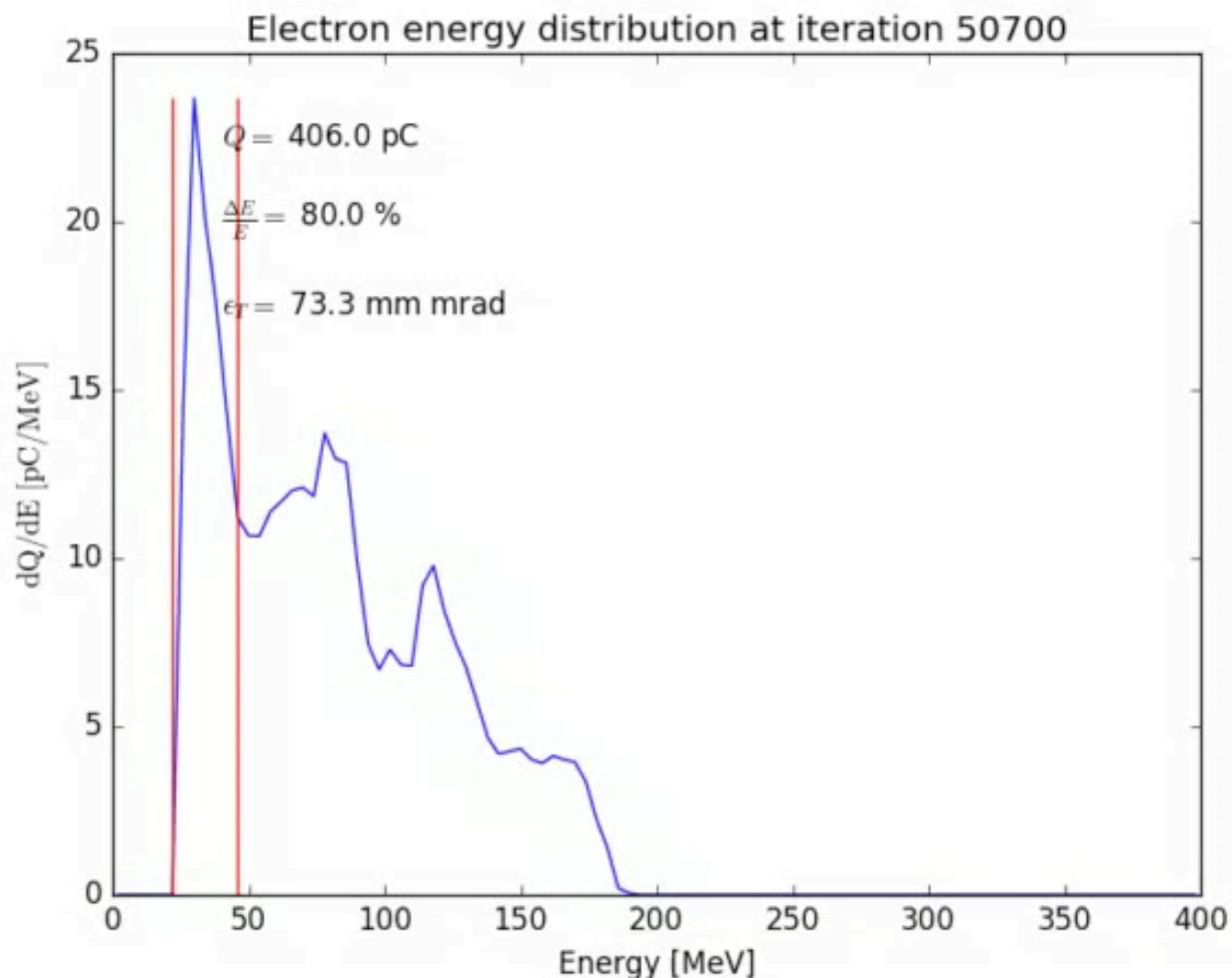
- Analyses de Physique -



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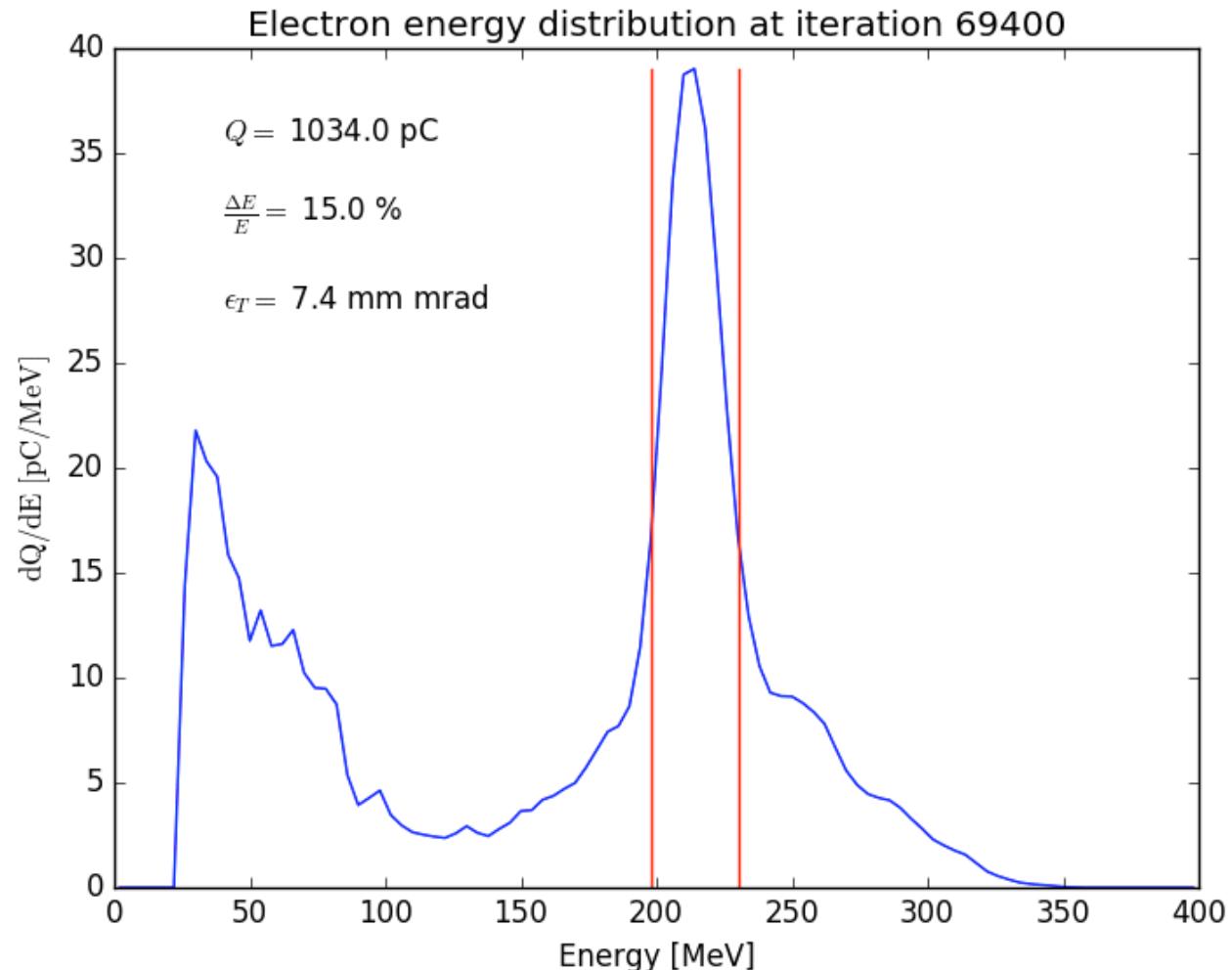
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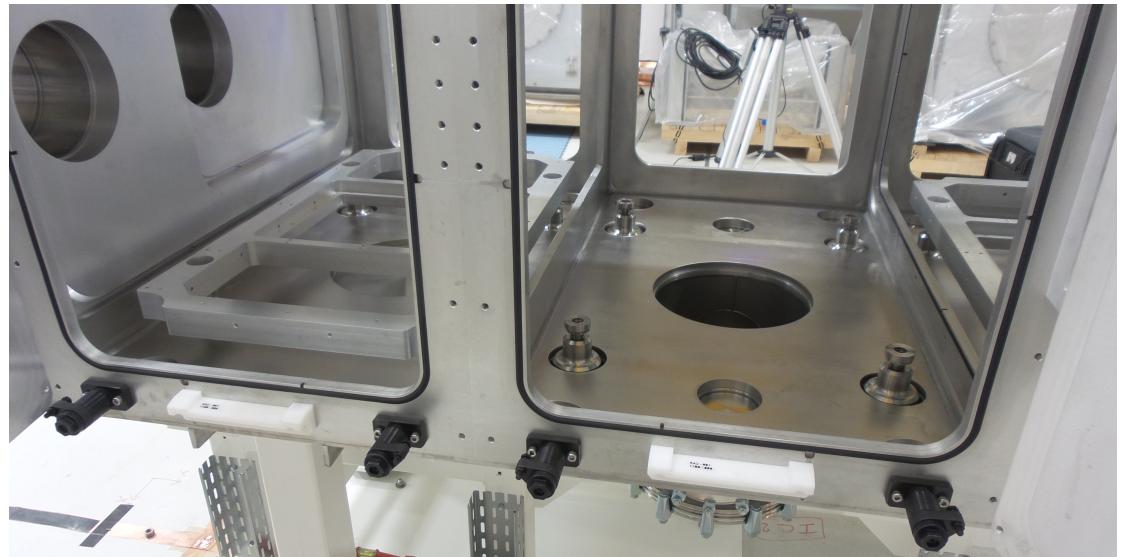
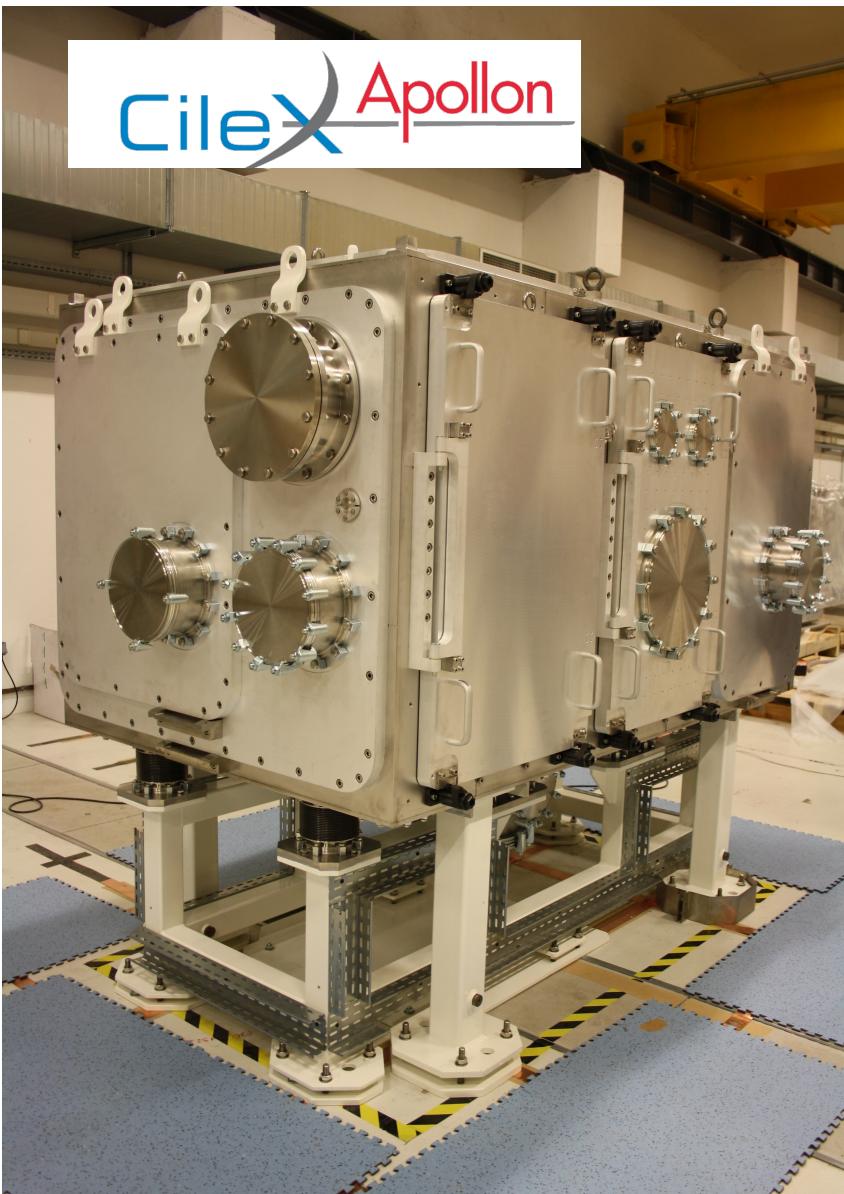
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CILEX-APOLLON: installation of interaction chambers (Aug. 2017)



Interior of interaction vacuum chamber

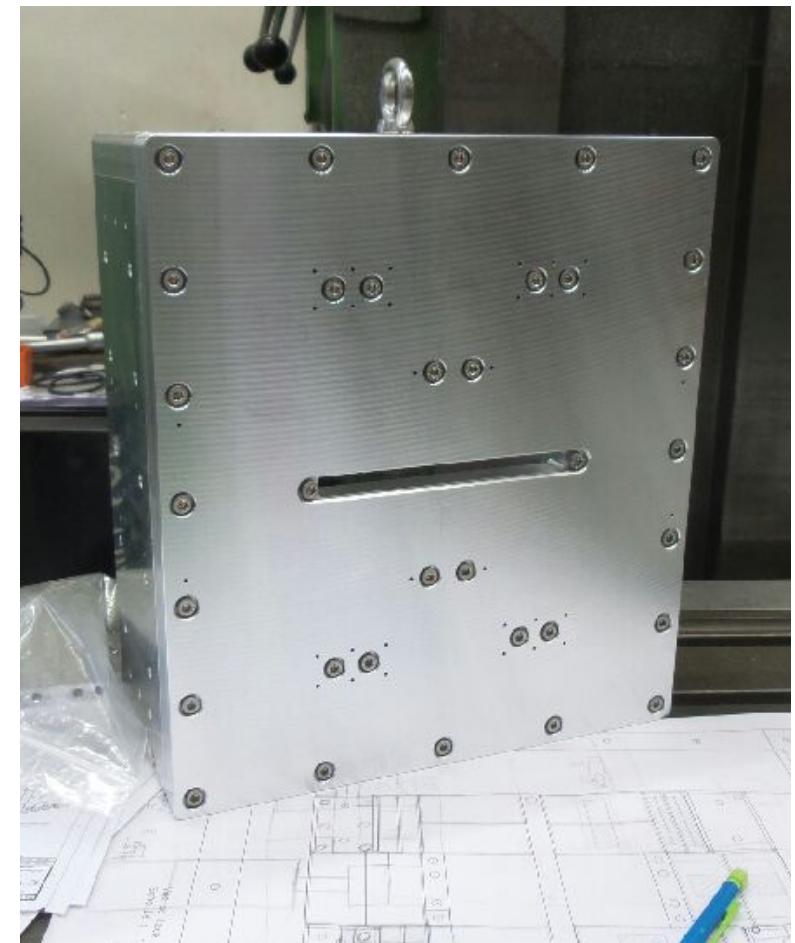
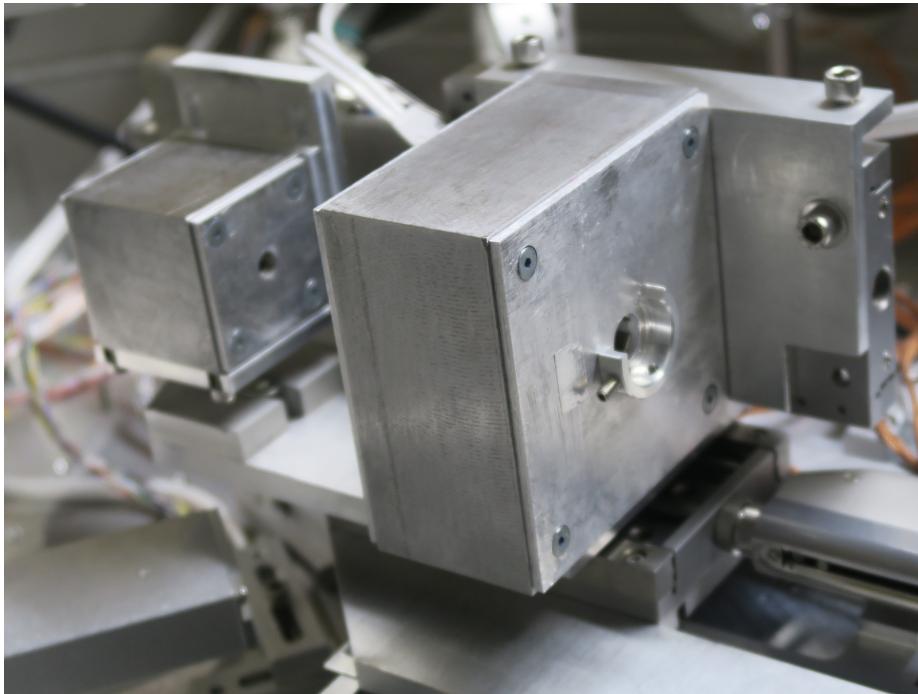


Long-focal experimental area dedicated to high-energy electron acceleration and X-ray generation

CILEX-APOLLON: compact electron diagnostics

- **magnetic zoom objective**
- **tested on 100TW laser
UHI100 (Saclay) (jan 2017)**
- **goal: compact electron transport**

- **construction of 2.1 Tesla permanent dipole magnet**
- **prototype being characterized**
- **goal: measure highest energies**



3 main tasks identified for Phase 2 and preparation of phase 3

scientific advisory committee 2015, B. Cros

- **T1. Exploratory experiments using a single beam**
 - Validate scaling laws & commission the facility (laser parameters, experimental area)
 - Explore new regimes to produce high quality electron beams in the few GeV range
- **T2. Optimize injector (1PW):**
 - >100pC charge electron bunches in the range 50-300MeV, that can be focused at the entrance of the 2nd stage.
- **T3. Develop and implement the equipments necessary to**
 - Characterize electron bunches (energy and spatial distribution)
 - Synchronize electron bunch and laser beam
 - Transport electron bunches at the entrance of the second stage
 - Guide the laser beam over large distances (0.1-1 m)

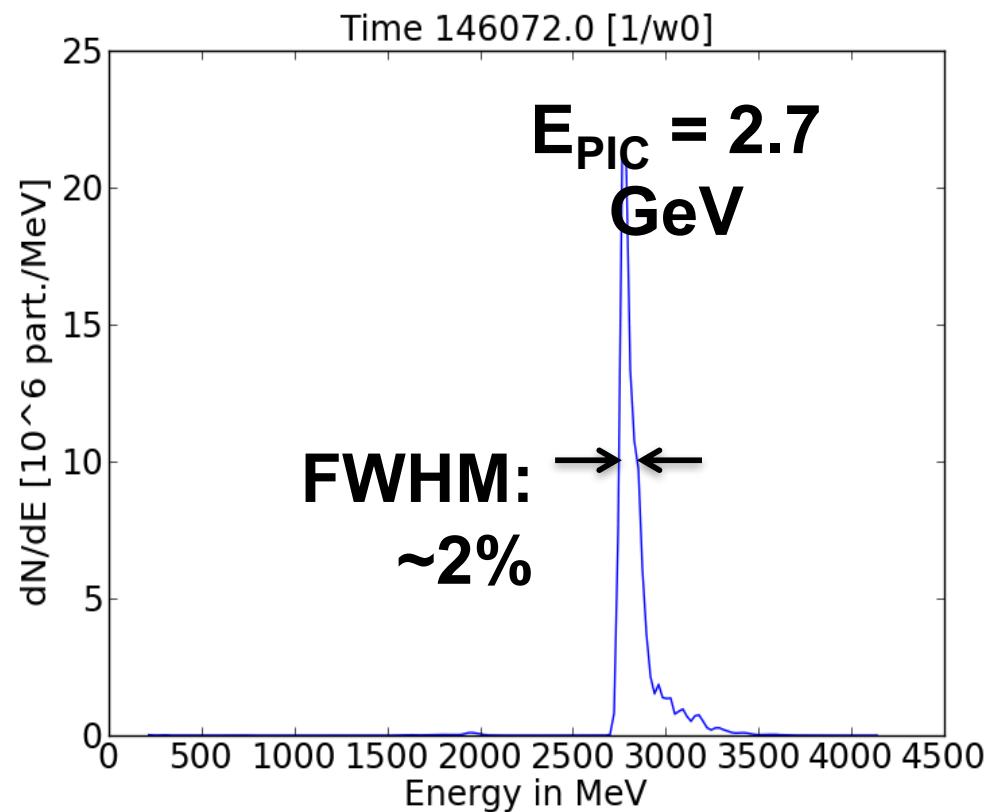
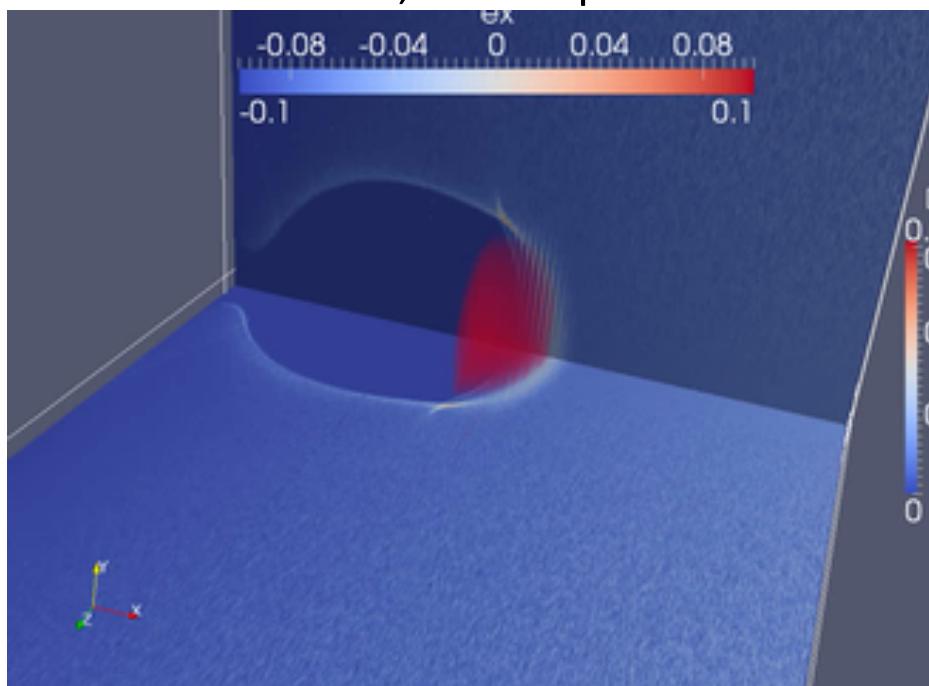
Blow-out regime LWFA : selfinjection and acceleration

A. Beck et al., NIM A 740 (2014).

energy spectrum

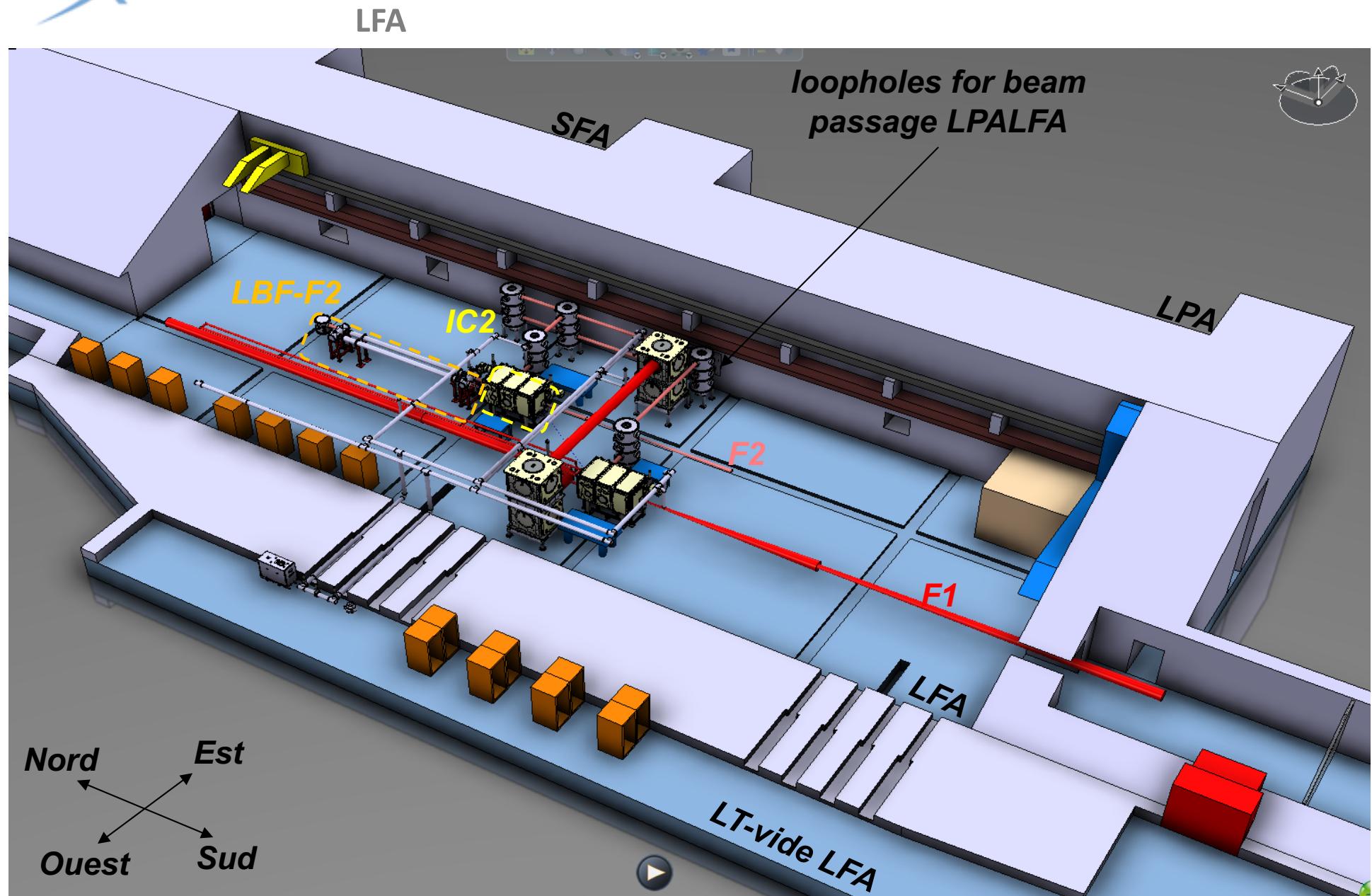
of self-injected electrons

- (CILEX/Apollon 1PW startup)
- laser: 600TW 25fs $w_0=30\mu\text{m}$
- comoving window over 18mm
- bubble shrinks, then expands

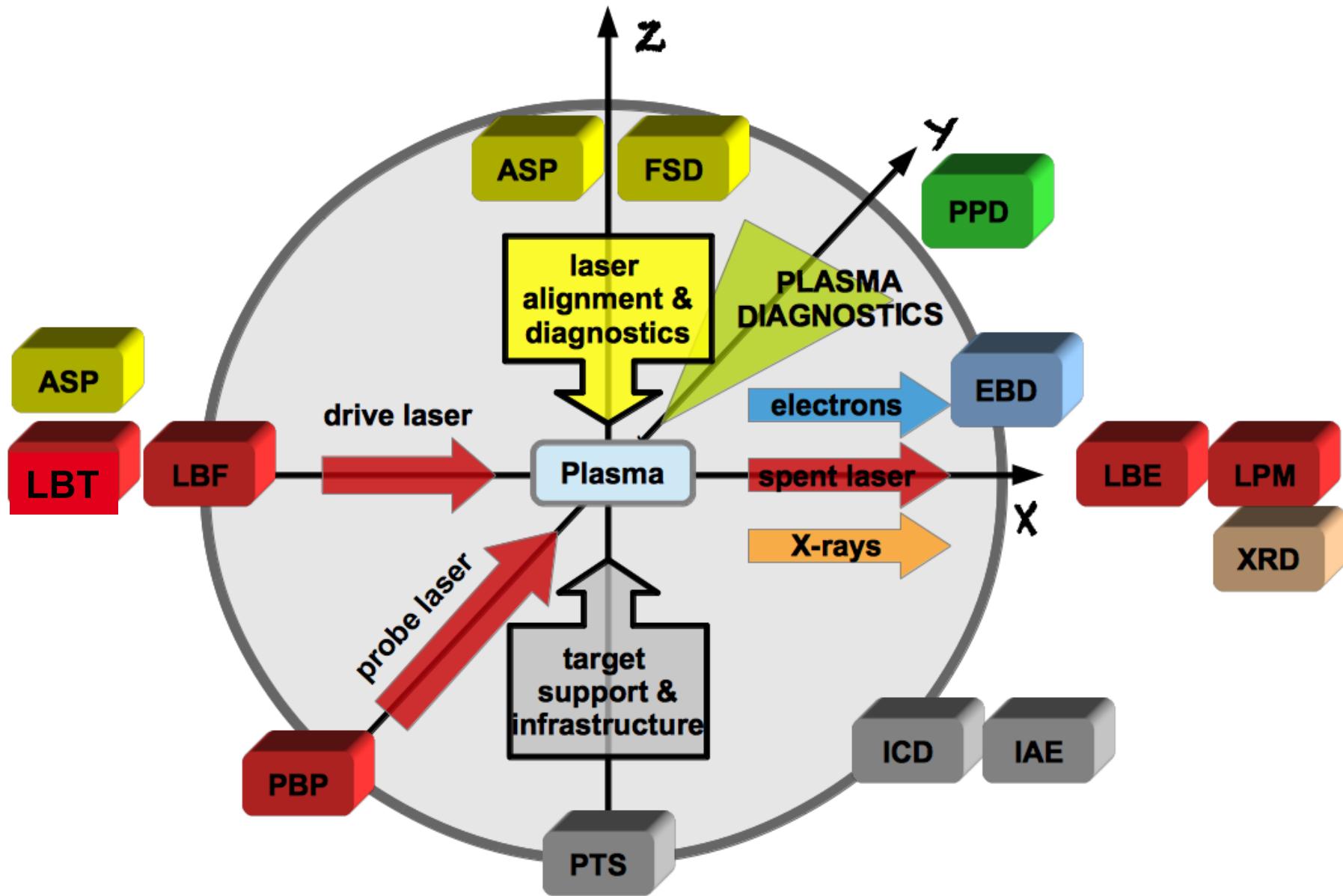


- simulation shows stable acceleration even without guiding
- peaked energy spectrum around 3GeV after ~20mm

Long Focal Area



Reminder: space occupation around each IP



Campaign model on 4 weeks basis

- Each block corresponds to 1 day
- Experimental assembly without laser (**7 days**) █
- Holidays and contingency 2 days █
- Switch of laser configuration (2 days) █
- Experiences (**6 days** : 1 800 shots) █
- Laser Maintenance (1 day every 2 weeks) █
- Experimental dismantling (2 days) █



Dispositif envisagé pour les premières expériences

