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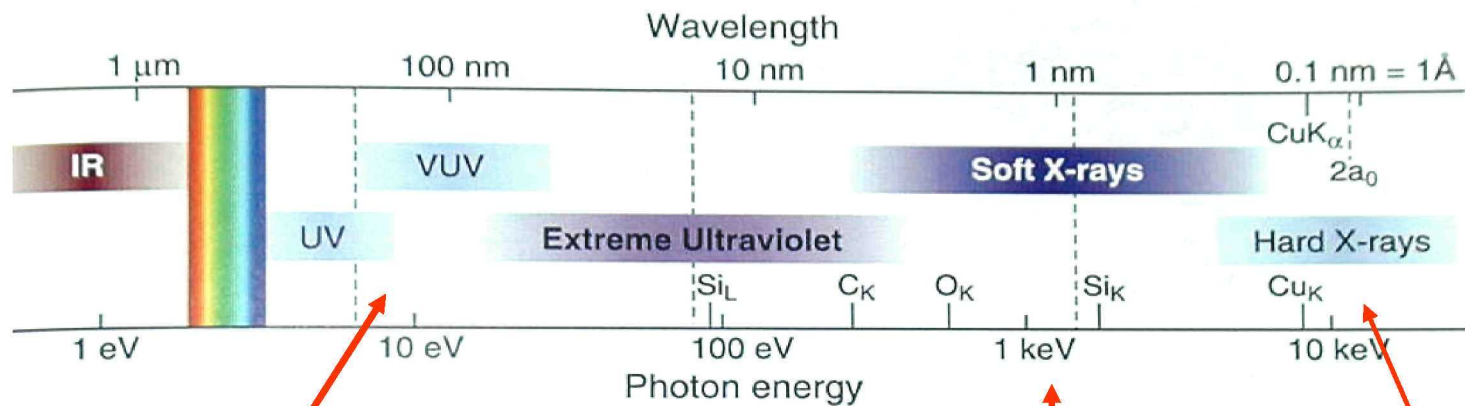
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The VUV, XUV, and soft x-ray regions



Vacuum-ultraviolet (VUV)
 $180 \text{ nm} > \lambda > 50 \text{ nm}$
 Absorbed by $\ll 1$ mm of air
 Ionizing to many materials

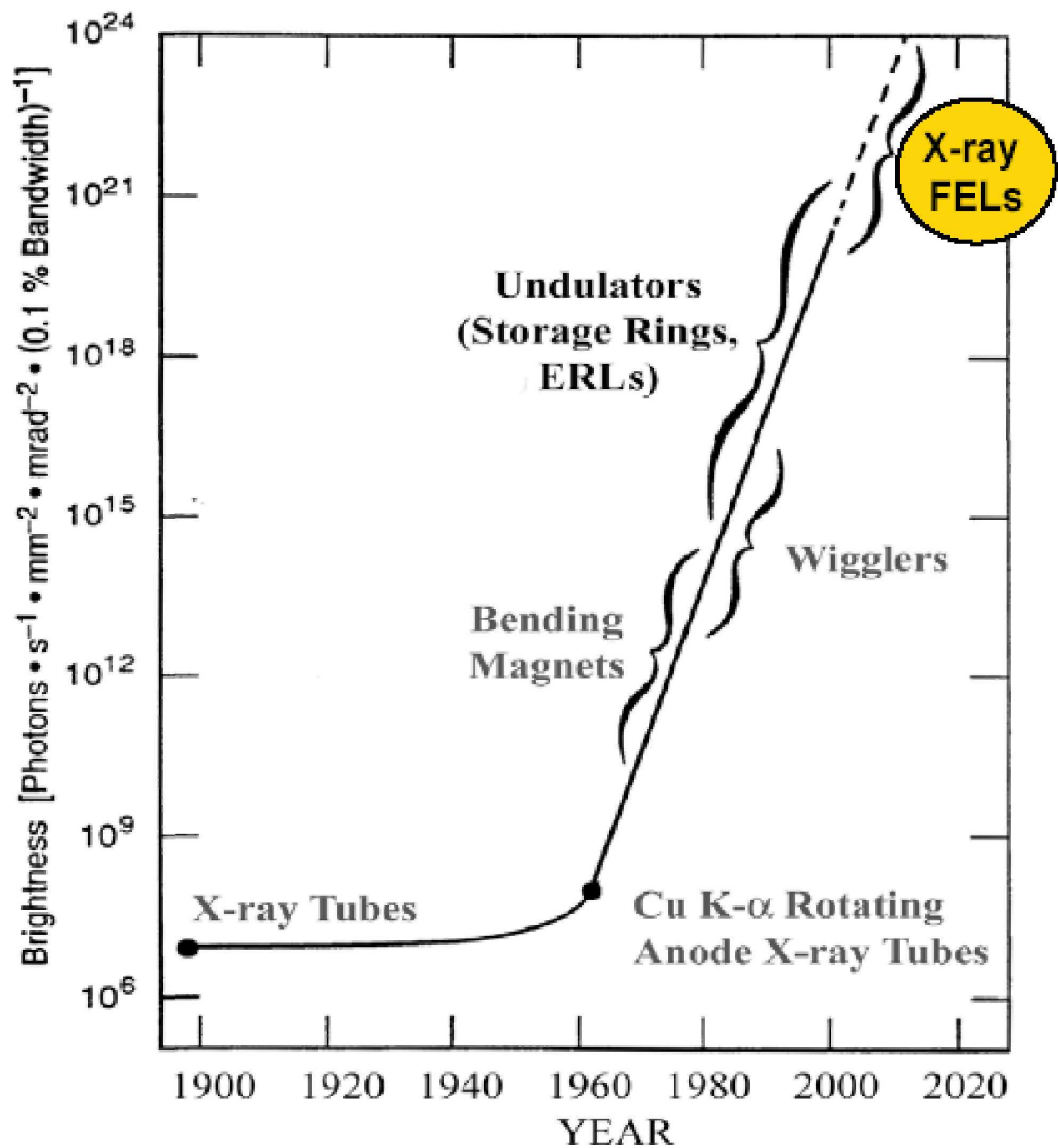
Extreme-ultraviolet (XUV)
 $50 \text{ nm} > \lambda > 5 \text{ nm}$
 Ionizing radiation to *all* materials

Soft x-rays
 $5 \text{ nm} > \lambda > 0.5 \text{ nm}$
 Strongly interacts with *core electrons* in materials

Hard x-ray
 $0.5 \text{ nm} > \lambda > 0.05 \text{ nm}$
 Scattering from *the lattice ions*

Main parameters to be considered in radiation-matter interaction

- e.m field magnitude (linear processes vs.non-linear)
- time structure of the e.m. field (dynamics)
- transversal and longitudinal coherence (very high resolution spectroscopy and scattering)
- state of polarization (dichroic effects)

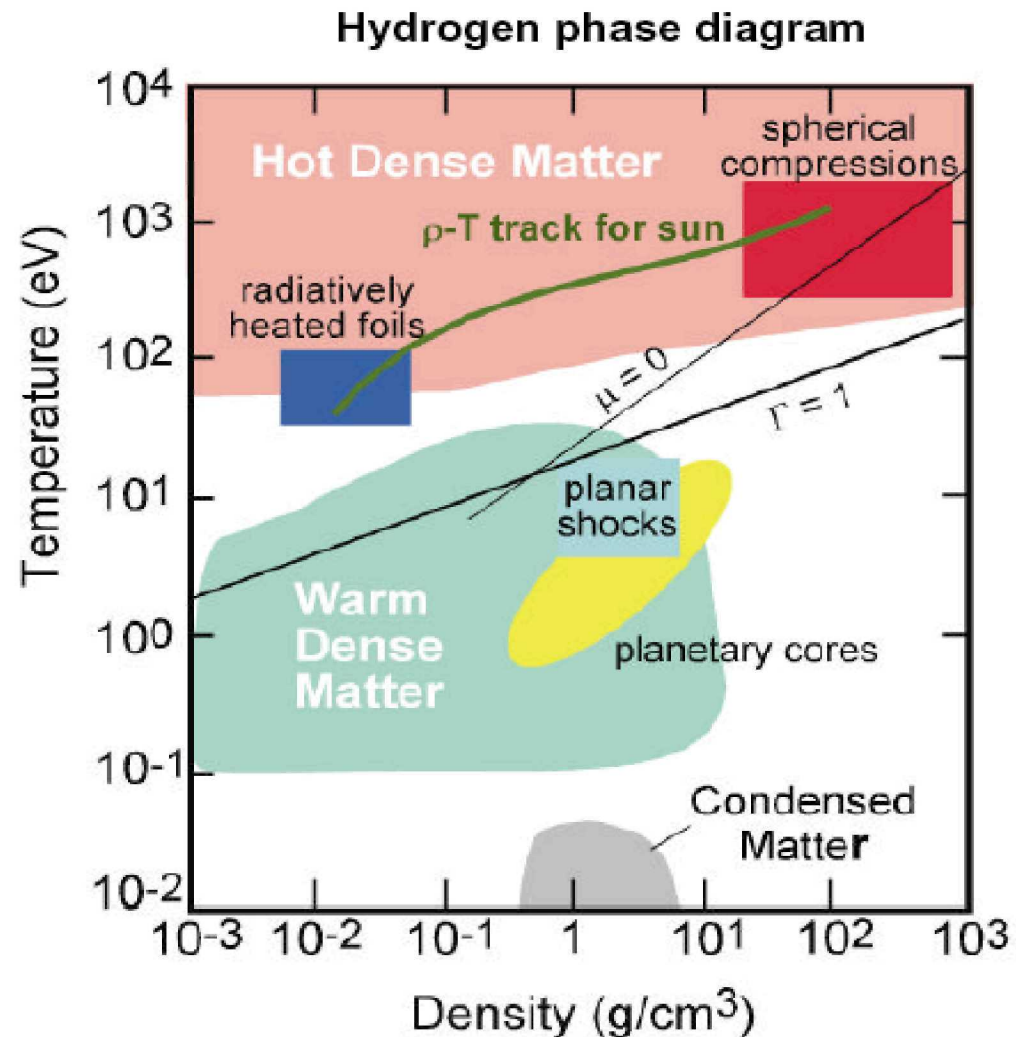


- **Hot Dense Matter** occurs in:

- Supernova, stellar interiors, accretion disks
- Plasma devices: laser produced plasmas, Z-pinch
- Directly driven inertial fusion plasma

- **Warm Dense Matter** occurs in:

- Cores of large planets
- Systems that start solid and end as a plasma
- X-ray driven inertial fusion implosion



1. Boiling the Vacuum with Lasers

- **Spontaneous pair creation from vacuum**, induced by an **external field**, was first proposed in the context of **e^+e^- pair creation in static, spatially uniform electric field** [Sauter (1931); Heisenberg, Euler (1936); Schwinger (1951); . . .]

One of the most intriguing non-linear phenomena in quantum field theory

- Theoretically important: beyond perturbation theory
 - Eventual experimental observation: probes theory in domain of very strong fields
- Mechanism applied to many problems in contemporary physics:
 - Quantum evaporation of black holes [Hawking (1975); Damour, Ruffini (1976); . . .]
 - e^+e^- creation in vicinity of charged black holes [Damour, Ruffini '75; . . .]
 - Particle production in early universe [Parker (1969); . . .]
 - Particle production in hadronic collisions [Casher, Neuberger, Nussinov (1979); . . .]

Fast phenomena in matter

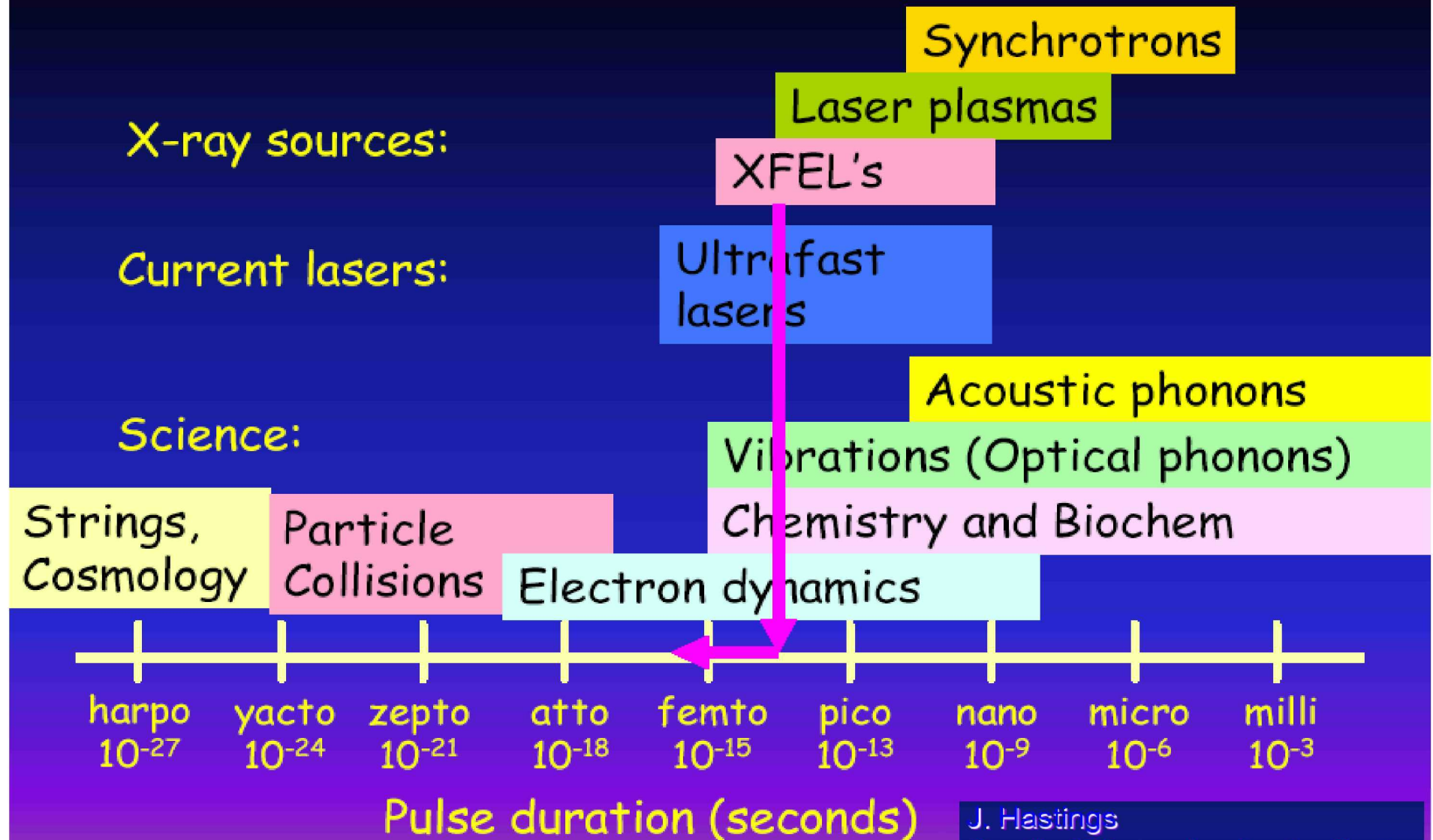
Time domain scale:

ps (10^{-12} s) *collective processes (ordering) in condensed matter
(dynamics of the magnetic moment...)*

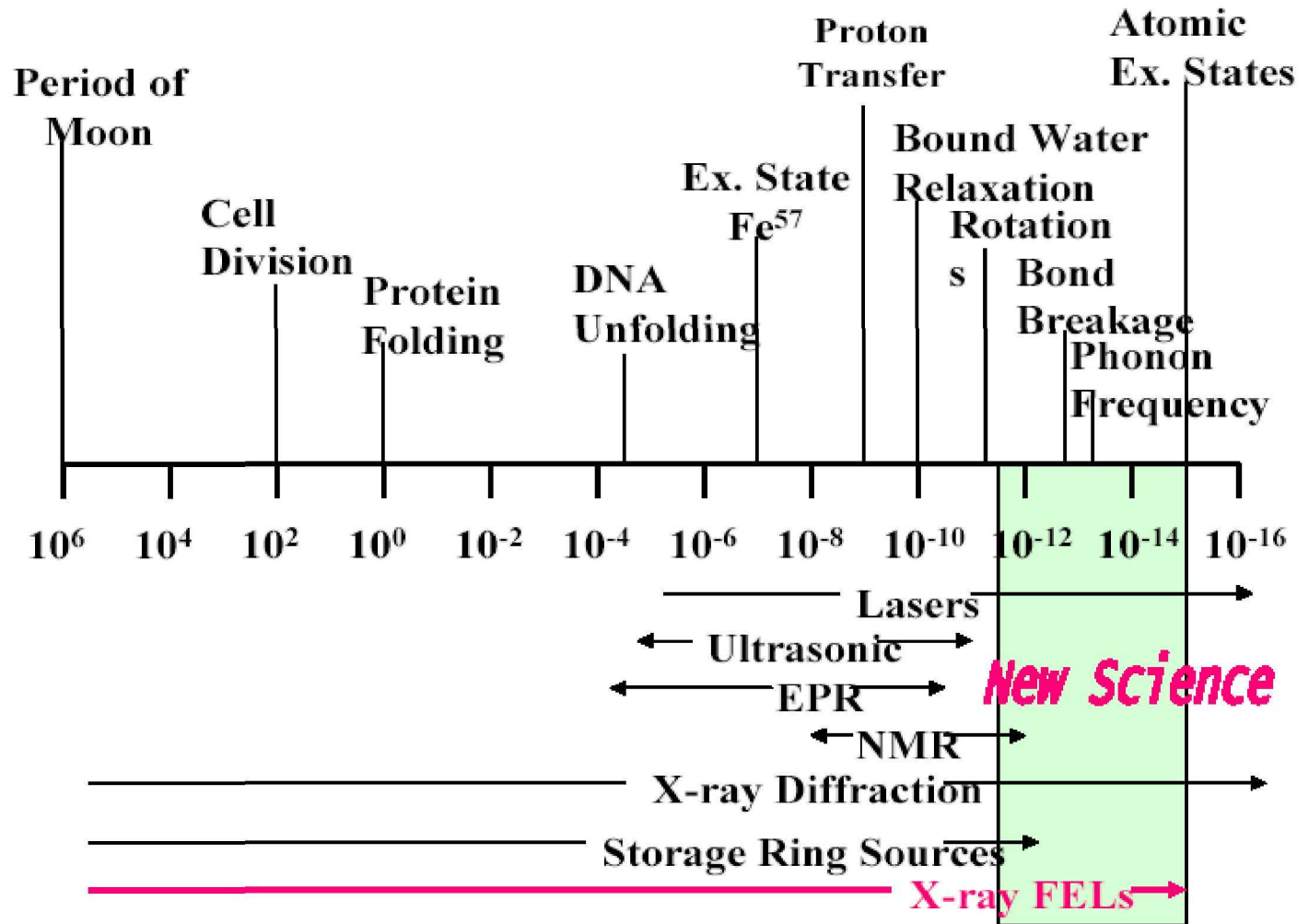
fs (10^{-15} s) *phase transitions and VB electron dynamics*

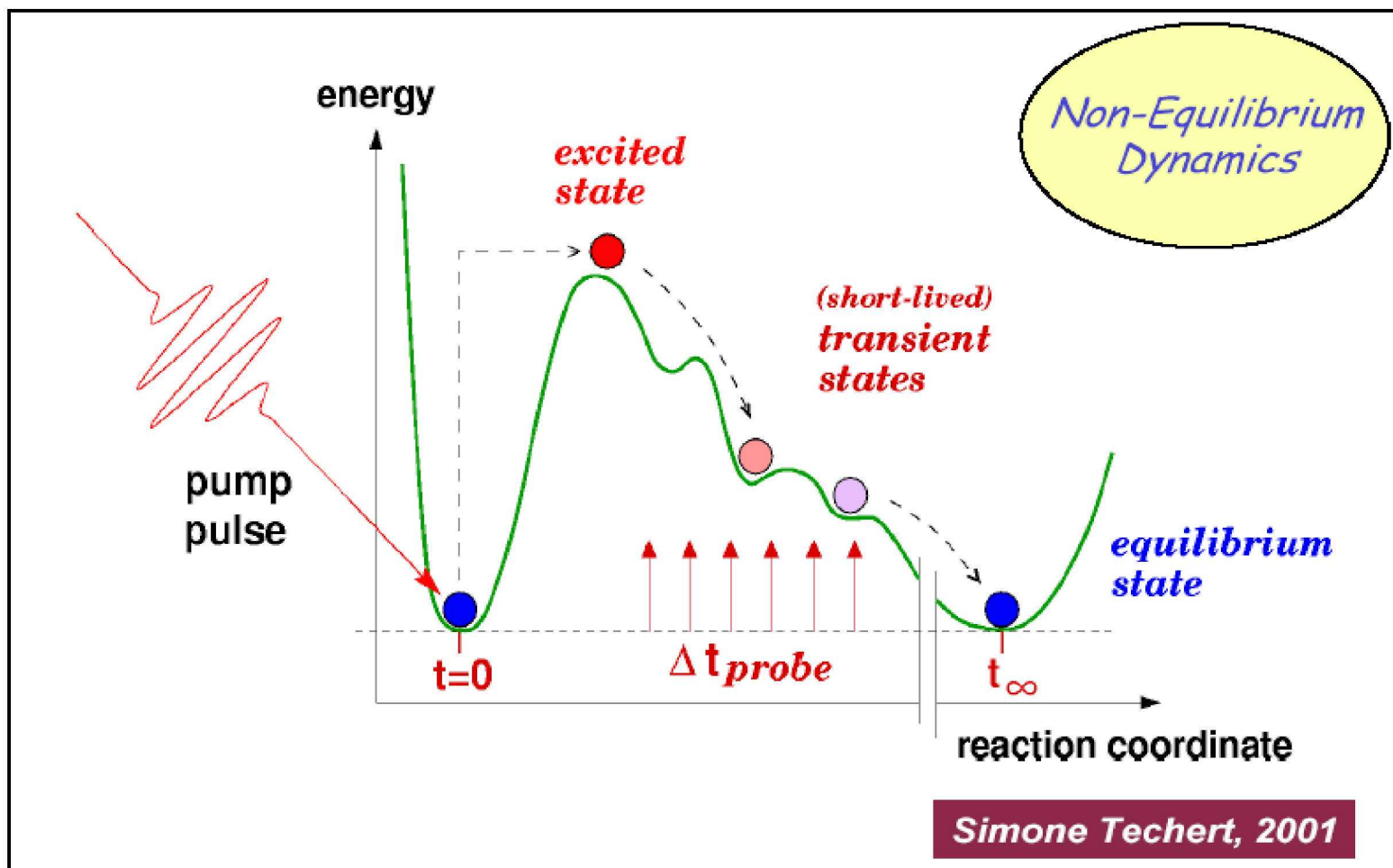
as (10^{-18} s) *electronic dynamics in atoms and molecules*

Ultrafast Sources and Science:



Time scales

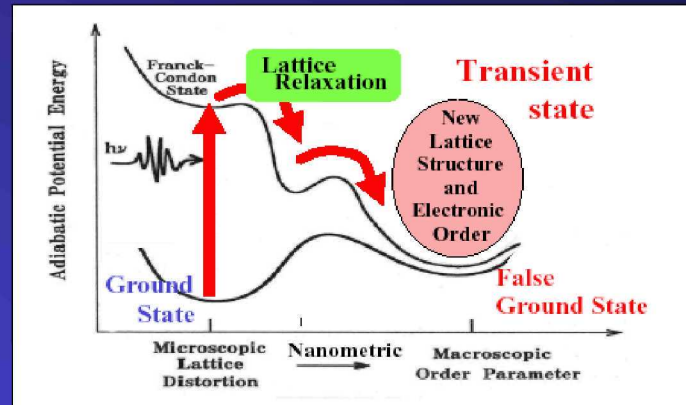




Relaxation in Optically excited Solids

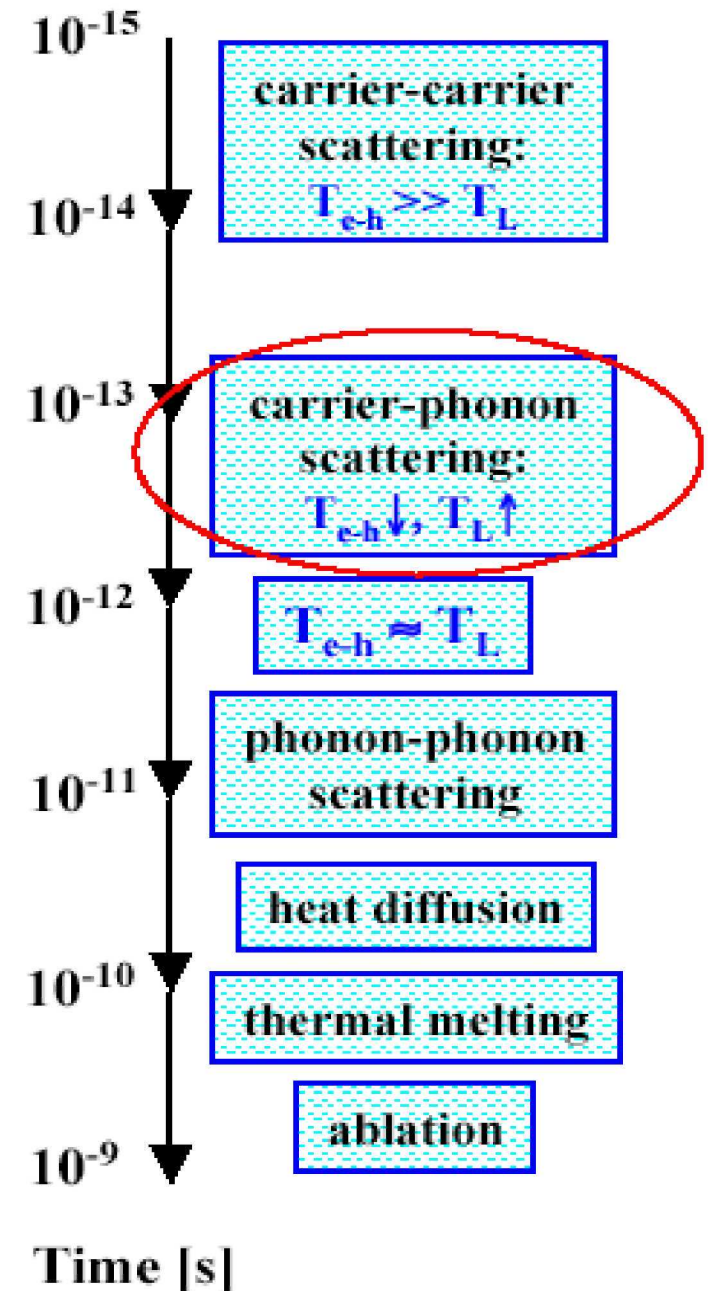
Self-amplification
of excited state
K. Nasu (2001)

J. Phys.: Condens. Matter.

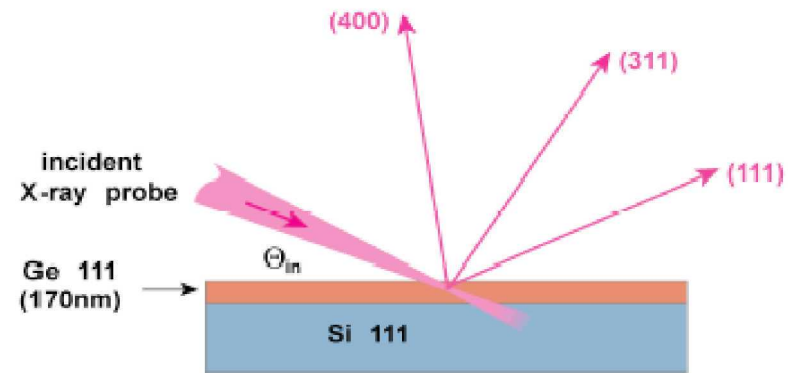
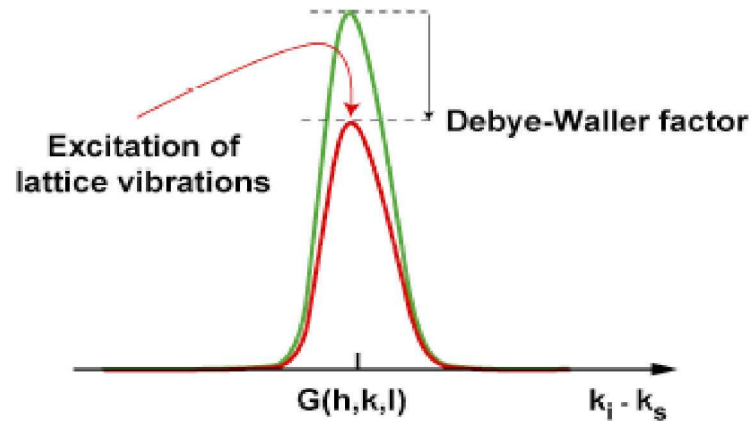


Correlation in solids : lattice play an active role \Rightarrow COOPERATIVI

**Out of equilibrium and multi-scale process in solids
from the electron to the macroscopic transformation.
Depending on the system, different times-scales exist**



Measuring Atomic Displacements (I): *Transient Debye-Waller Effect*



$$DWF = \exp\left(-\frac{4}{3}\pi^2 \langle u^2 \rangle / d_{hkl}^2\right)$$

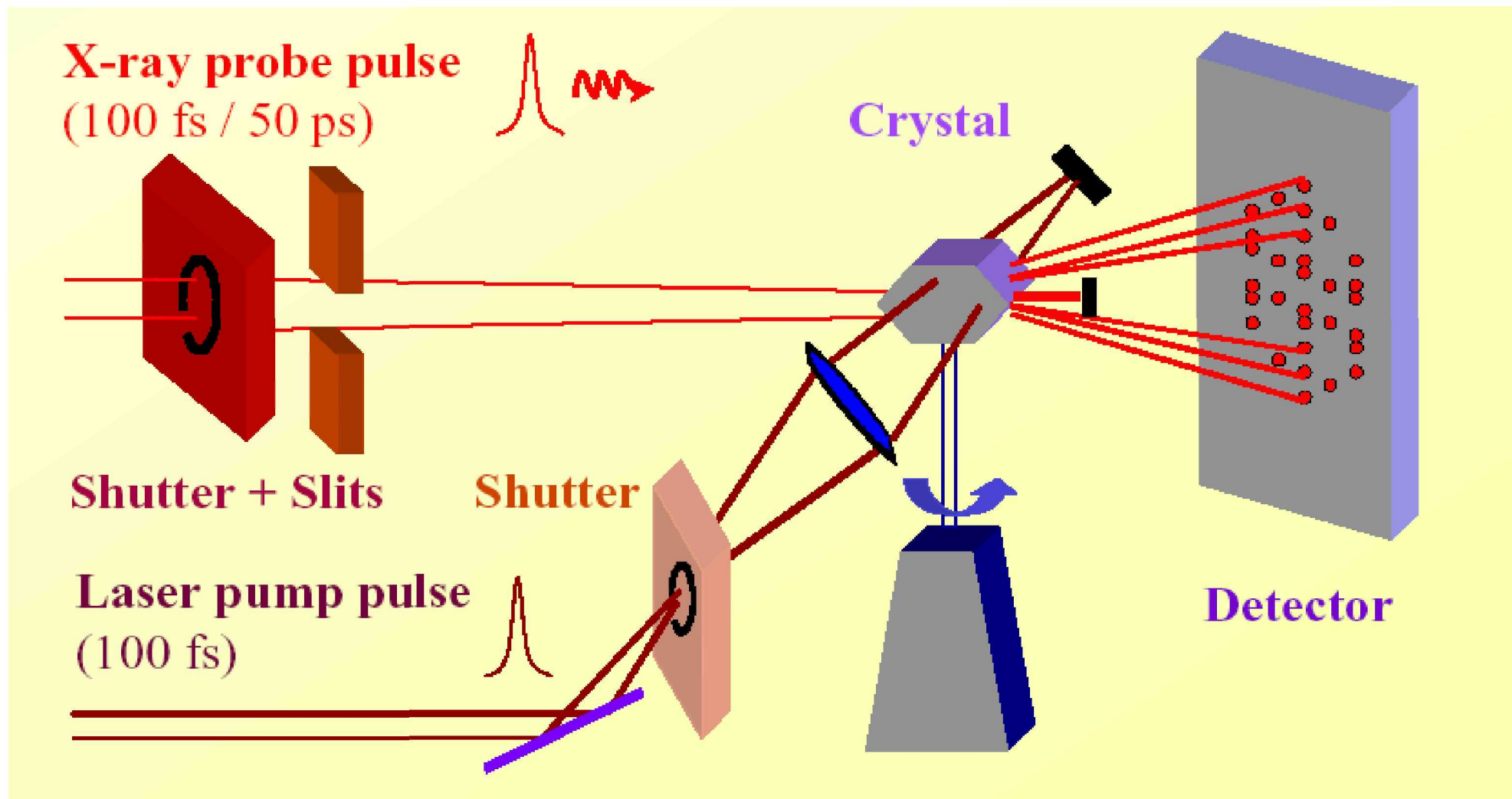
mean atomic displacement

111-surface:

111-refl.: $\Rightarrow \Theta_{in} = 24.9^\circ ; \Theta_{out} = 24.9^\circ$

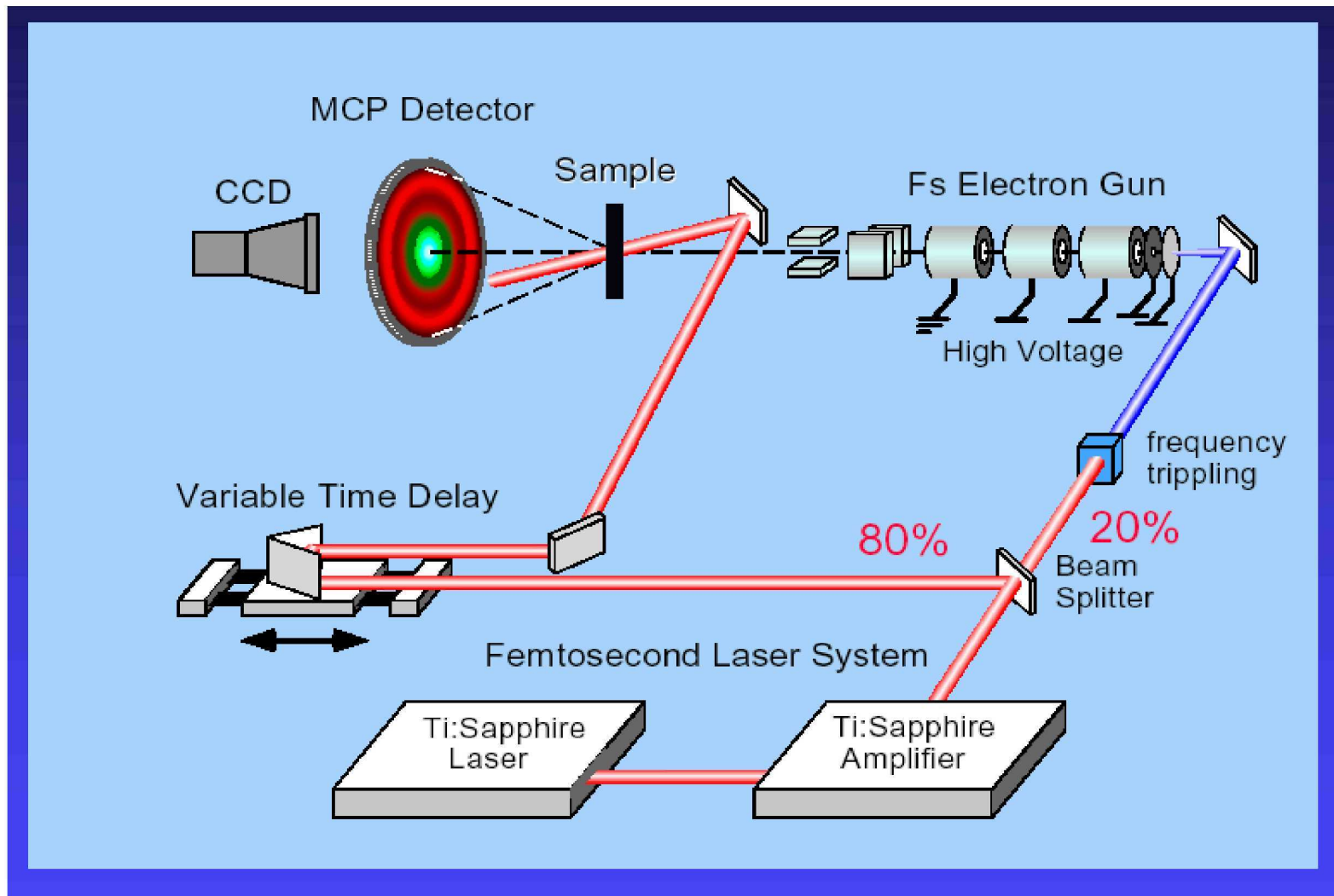
311-refl.: $\Rightarrow \Theta_{in} = 24.2^\circ ; \Theta_{out} = 48.8^\circ$

400-refl.: $\Rightarrow \Theta_{in} = 21.6^\circ ; \Theta_{out} = 96.8^\circ$



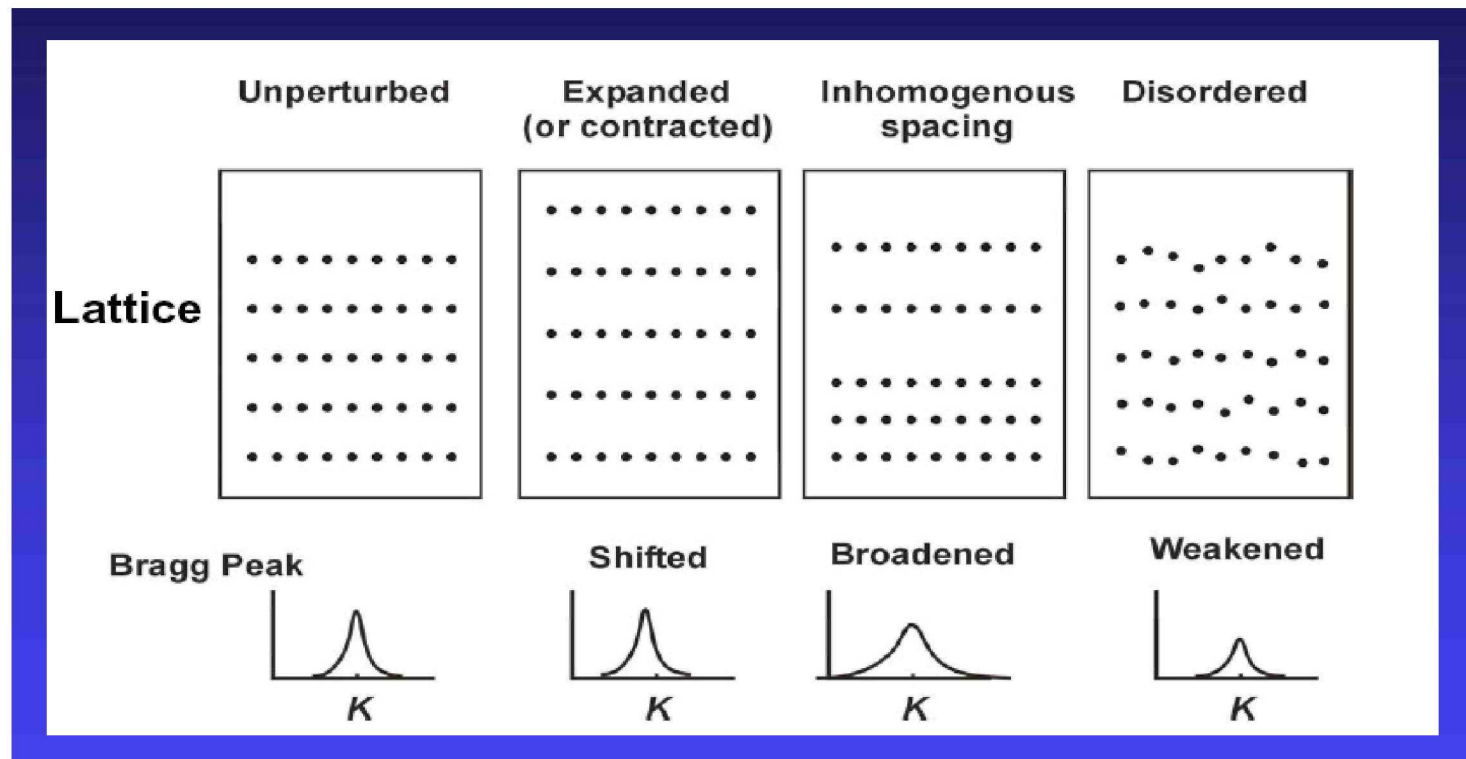
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Femtosecond Electron Diffraction Setup



J. Cao, et al., *Appl. Phys. Lett.* **83**, 1044 (2003)

Structural Changes Probed with Diffraction

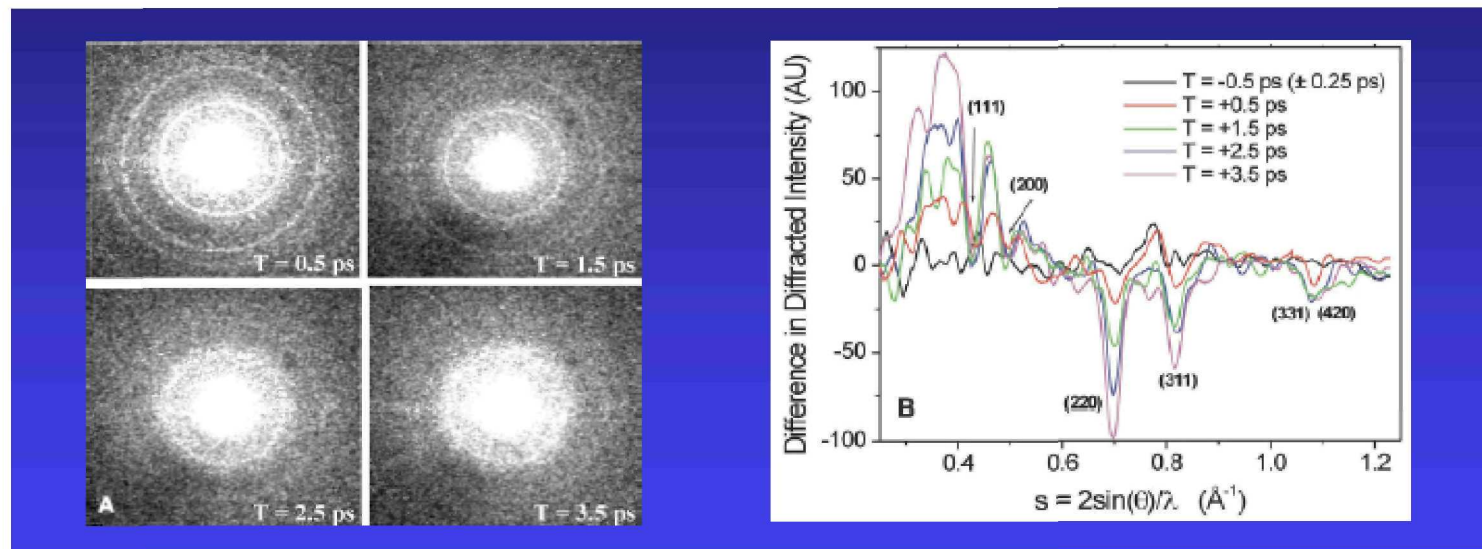


Three aspects of Bragg peak (position, intensity and width) give detailed knowledge of structure change.

Reproduced from: A. Rouse, *et al.*, *Rev. Modern Phys.*, 73, 17(2001)

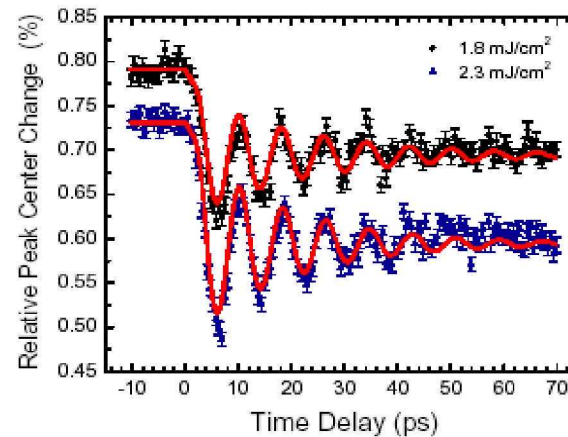
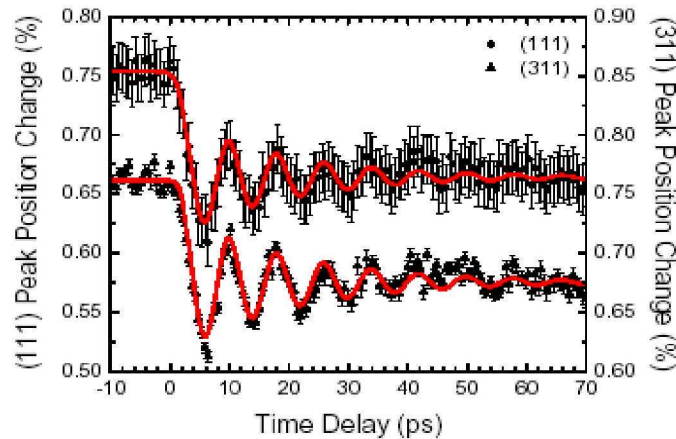
Strongly-driven thermal melting (superheating)

3.5 ps melting time at laser fluence 70 mJ/cm^2
3.5 ps $>$ 1.5 ps e-ph thermalization ($\sim 1500\text{K}$)
predicted by TTM simulation



B. J. Siwick, *et al.*, *Science* **302**, 1382 (2003)

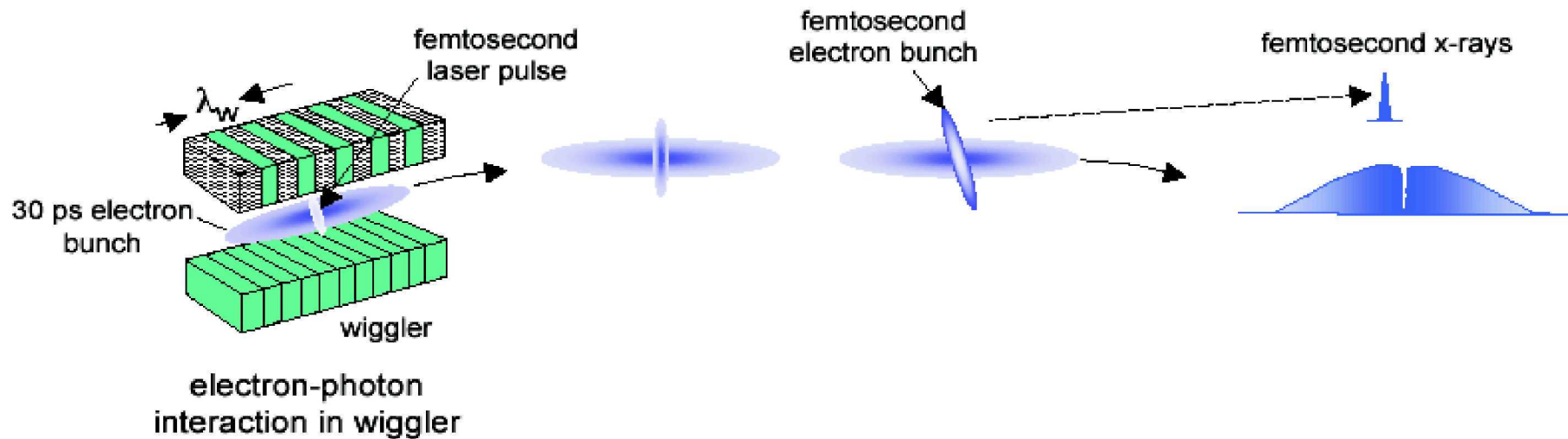
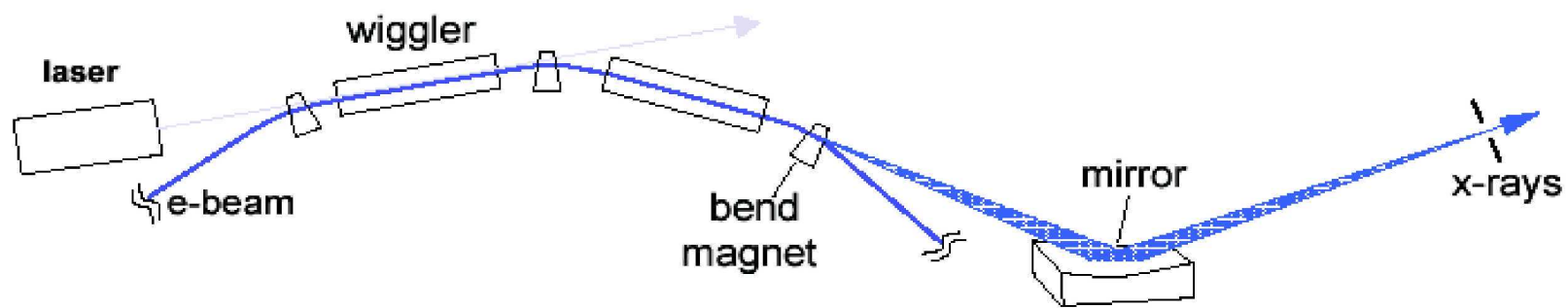
Temporal Evolution of Bragg Peaks



- ◆ Coherent and in-phase motions
- ◆ Amplitude is proportional the laser fluence
- ◆ 8 ps period and damping time constant~ 20 ps

Short pulses radiation sources

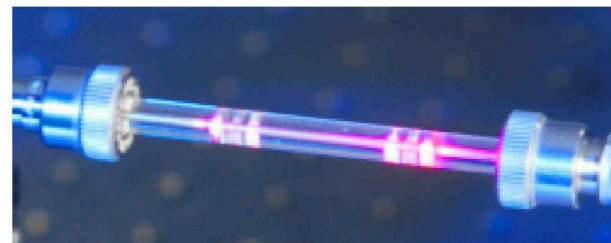
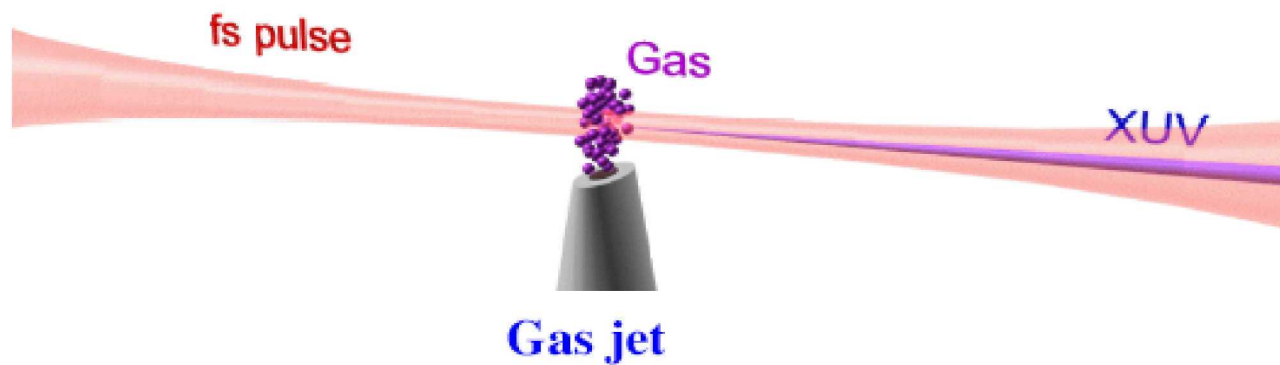
- Table-top lasers
- Free electron lasers
- Recirculating LINAC/FELs
- LINAC based sources
- Electron bunch slicing in 3rd generation synchrotrons
- Plasma sources



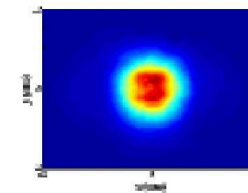
Zholents and Zolotarev, *Phys. Rev. Lett.*, 76, 916,(1996).

Schoenlein et al., *Science*, 287, (2000)

- Coherent EUV light is generated by ionizing a gas with a fs laser
- Broad range of harmonics generated 4.5 up to 550 eV
- “Laser-like” coherent beams in EUV
 - R. Bartels et al, Science 297, 376 (2002), Nature 406, 164 (2000)

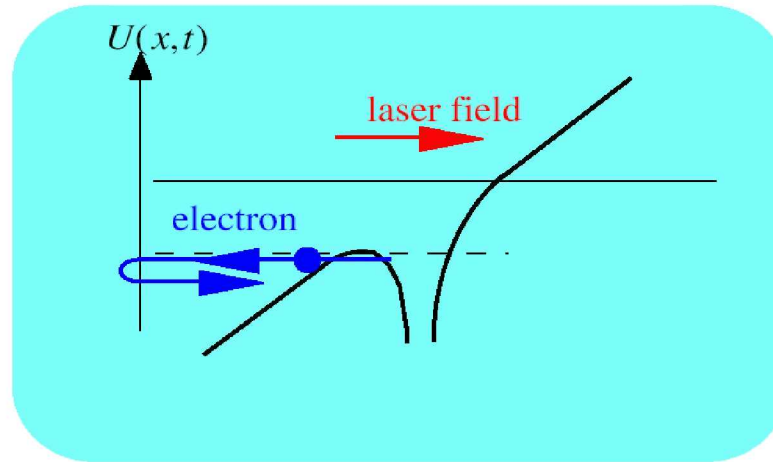
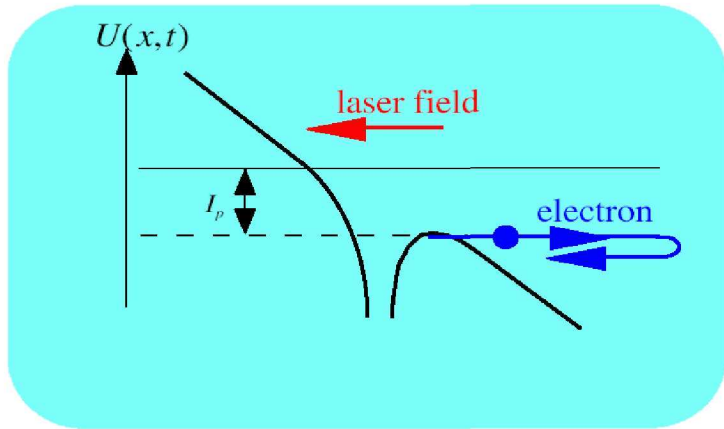


Fiber



EUV beam

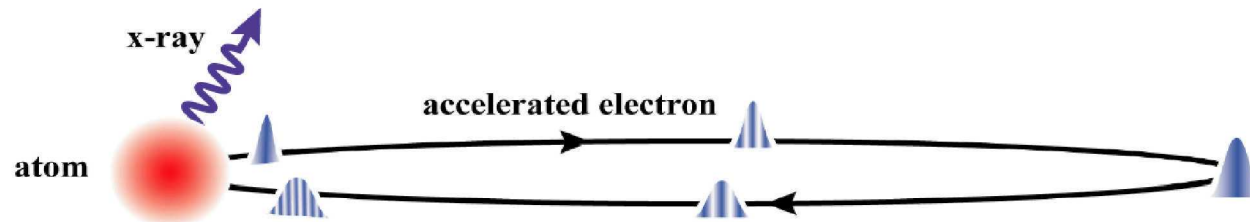
Extreme nonlinear optics: high harmonics (HHG)

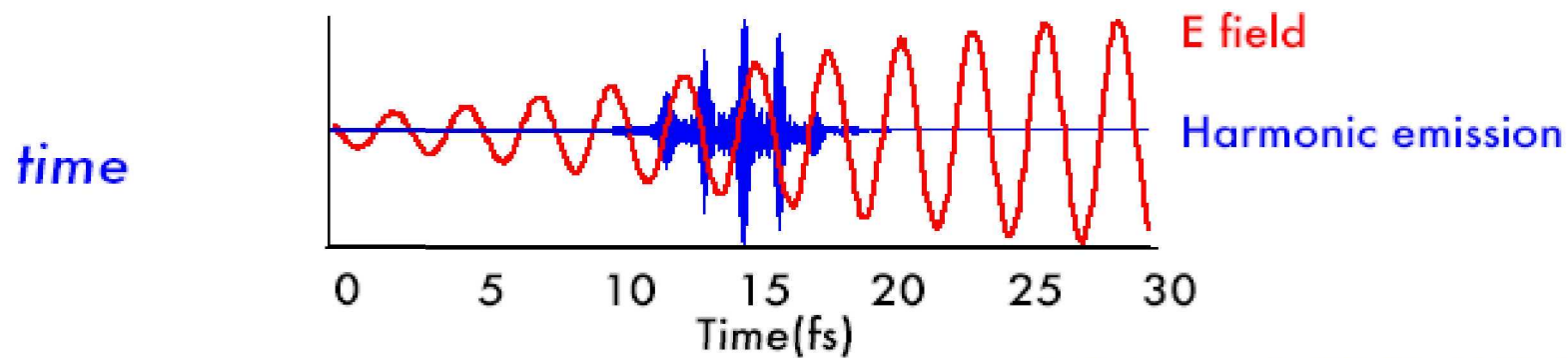


$$h\nu_{cutoff} = I_p + 3.2U_p$$

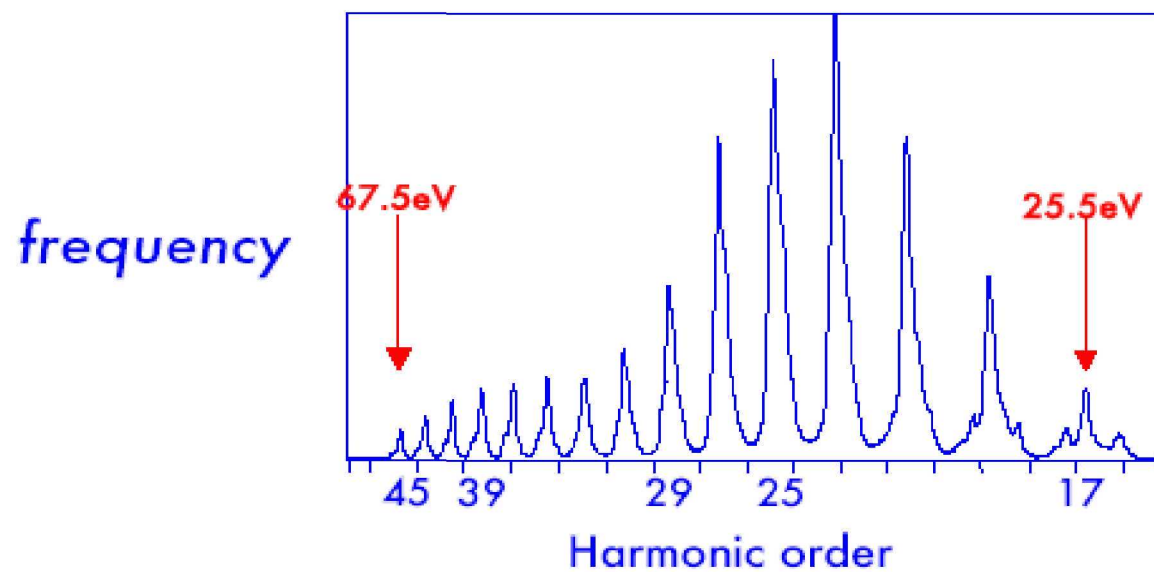
ionization potential of atom $U_p \approx I_L \lambda^2$ quiver energy of e^-

$$\varphi_{x\text{-ray}} \approx \varphi_{\text{Laser}} \text{ and } I_{\text{Laser}}$$



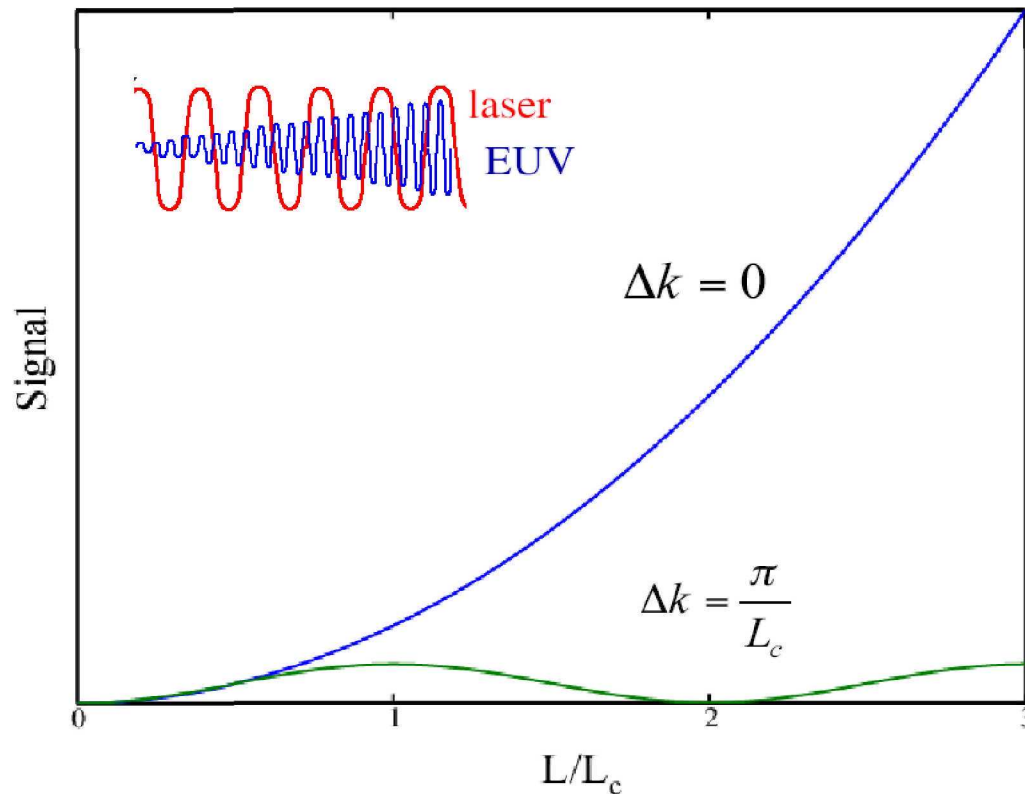


I. Christov et al, PRL 78, 1251, (1997)



J. Zhou et al, PRL 76(5), 752-755 (1996)

$$\bar{E}(\bar{r}, t) \sim e^{-i(\omega_i t - k_i z)} \quad , \quad I_{HHG} \propto \frac{\sin^2(\Delta k L / 2)}{(\Delta k L / 2)^2} \quad \text{where } \Delta k = k_{hhg} - qk_{vis}$$

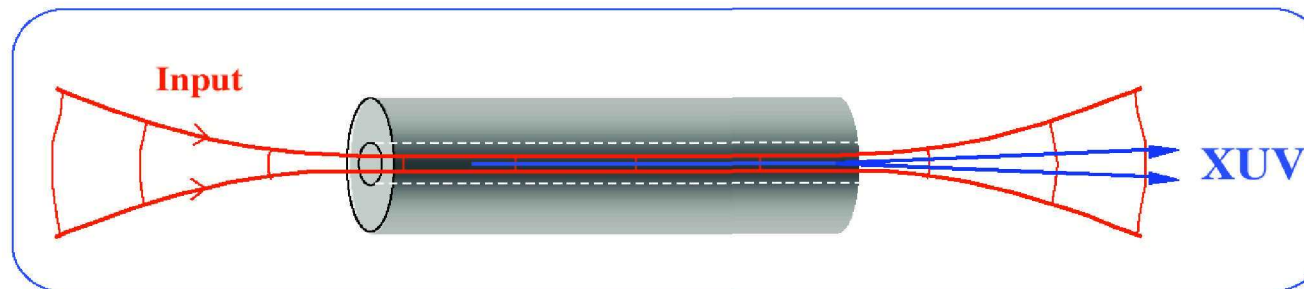


- Use phase matching ($\Delta k=0$) for efficient EUV generation
- If $\Delta k \neq 0$, adjust or restrict emission from regions that are out of phase
- Coherence lengths for HHG in the presence of high levels of ionization are $\mu\text{m} - \text{mm}$

Phase-matched frequency conversion in waveguides:

C. Durfee et al., Optics Letters 22, 1565 (1997)

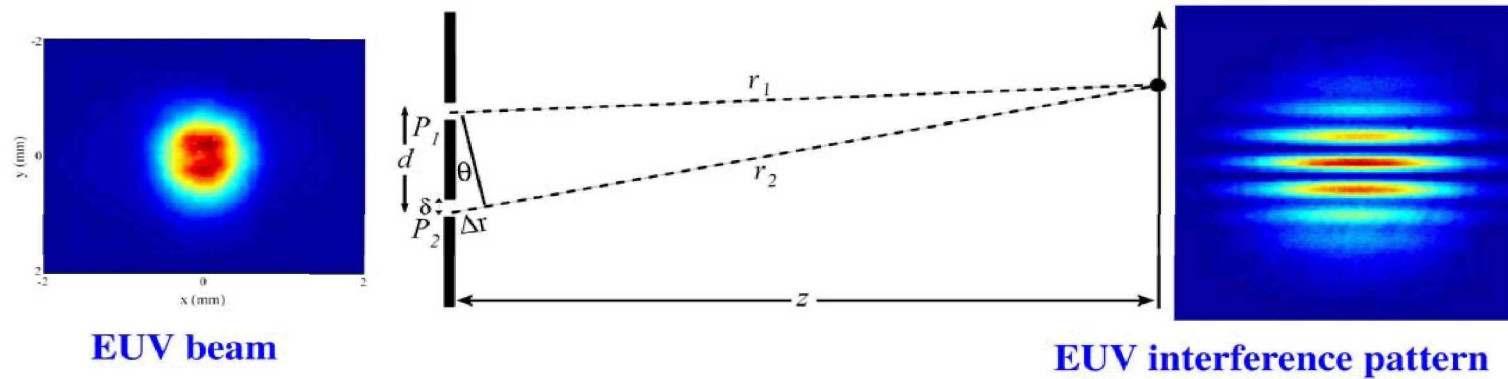
A. Rundquist, et al, Science, vol. 280, pp. 1412-1415 (1998)



- Waveguide creates plane-wave geometry
- Waveguide can control the phase velocity ($v_p = \omega/k$)

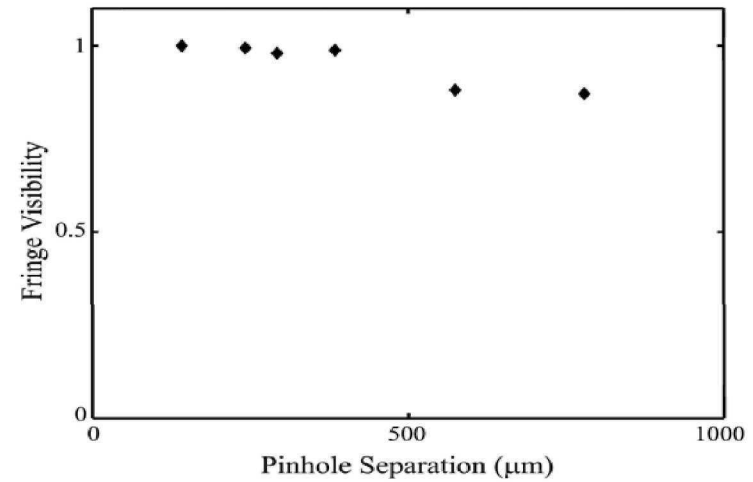
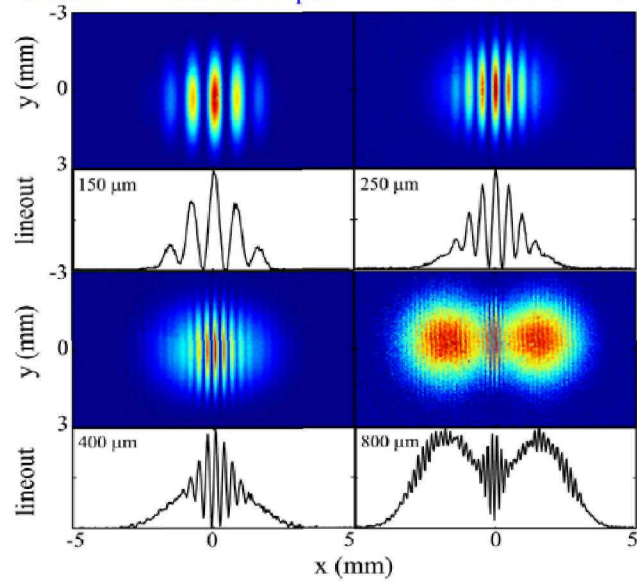
$$k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} \left(1 + P\delta(\lambda) - \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{u\lambda}{2\pi a} \right]^2 - \frac{1}{2} \frac{N_e r_e \lambda^2}{\pi} \right)$$

vacuum gas waveguide ionization



- Repeat 200 year old experiment – Young’s Double Slit
 - Young, Philos. Trans. R. Soc. XCII 12, 387 (1802).
 - E. Wolf et al., JOSA 46, 895 (1957; Opt. Lett. 6, 168 (1981)).

Double-slit diffraction patterns from 1mm EUV beam

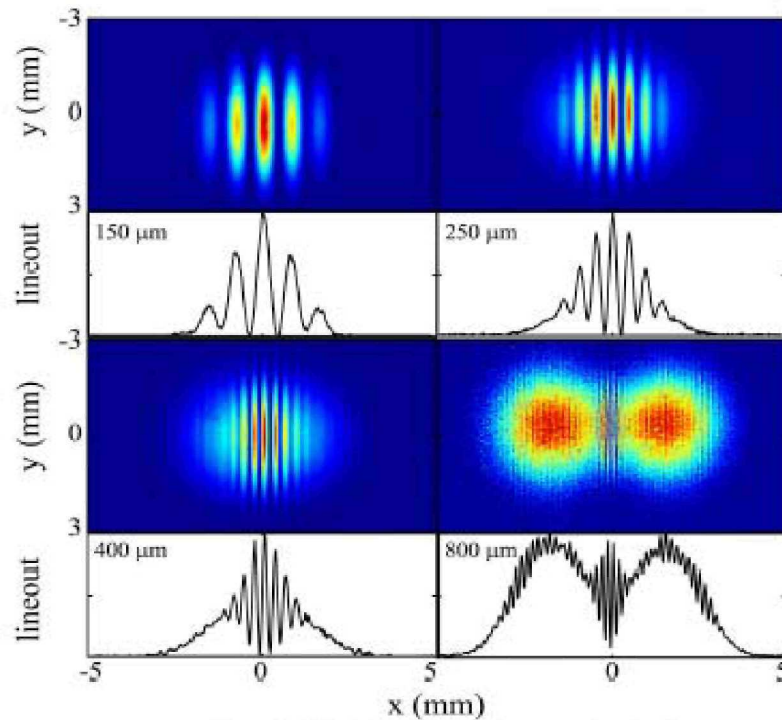
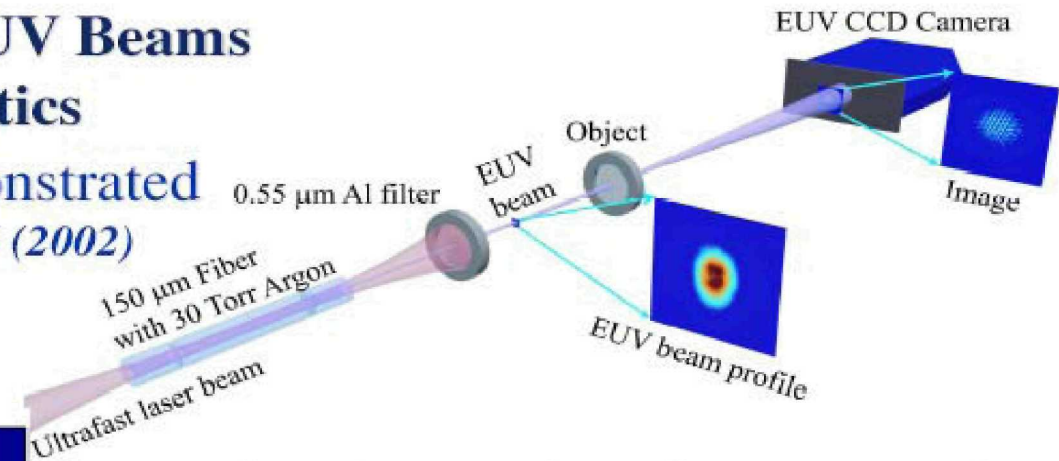


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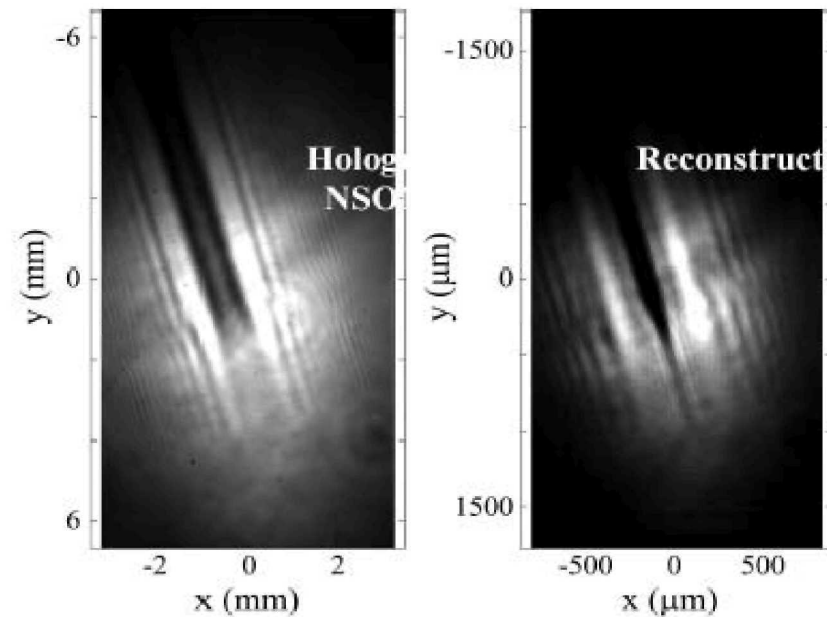
Generation of Laser-Like EUV Beams using X-Ray Fiber Optics

High spatial coherence demonstrated

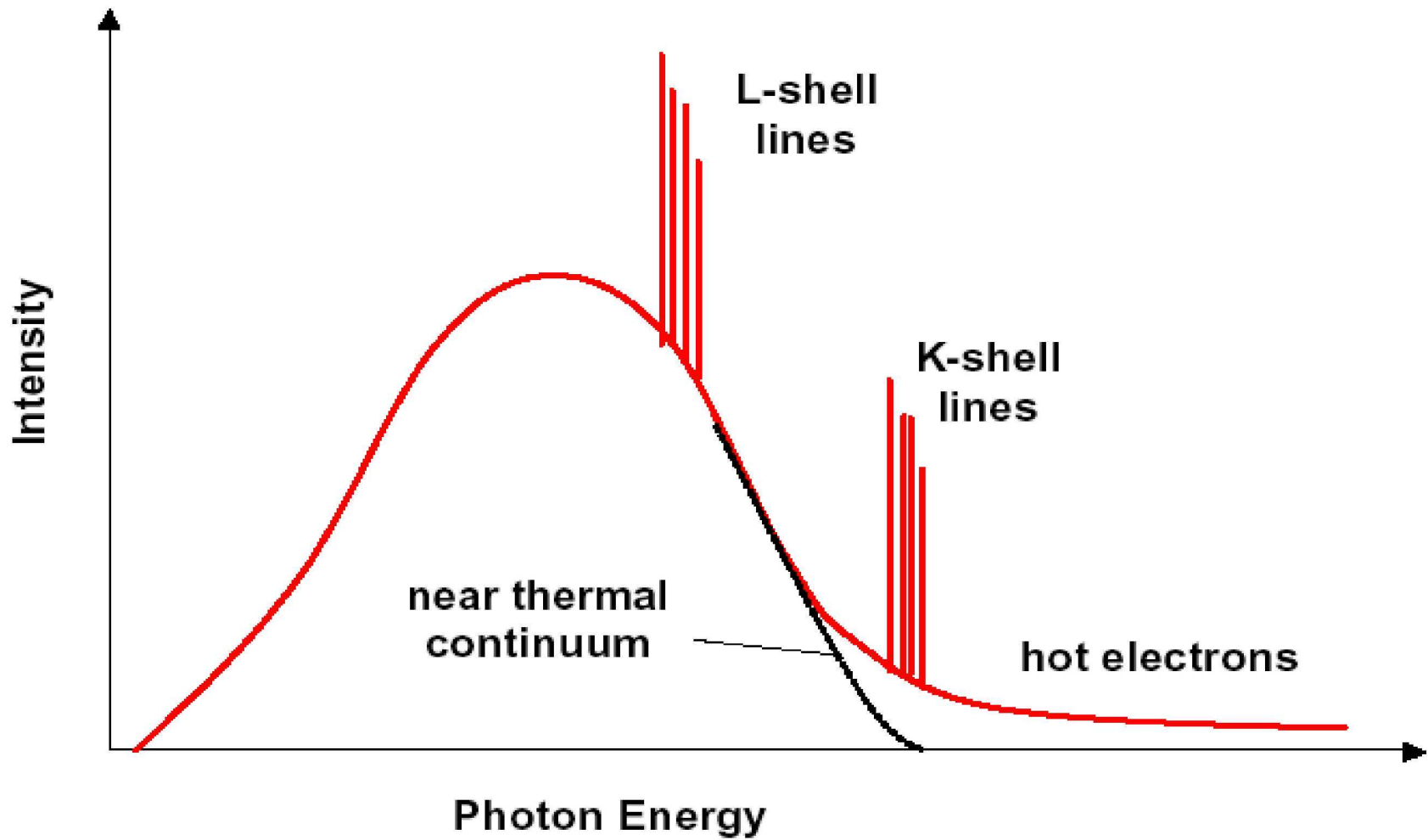
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Laser-like EUV beams exhibit high-quality interference patterns

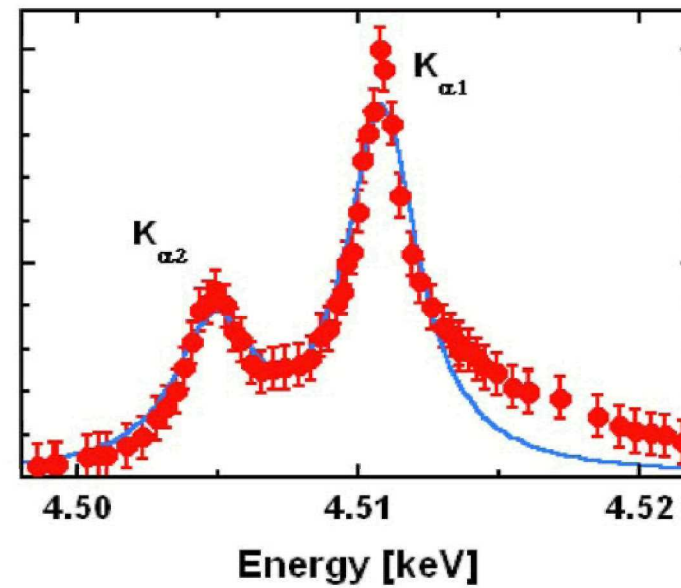
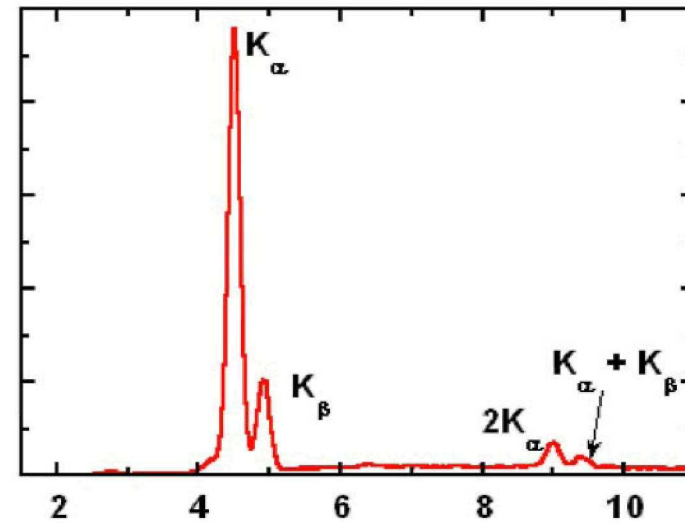
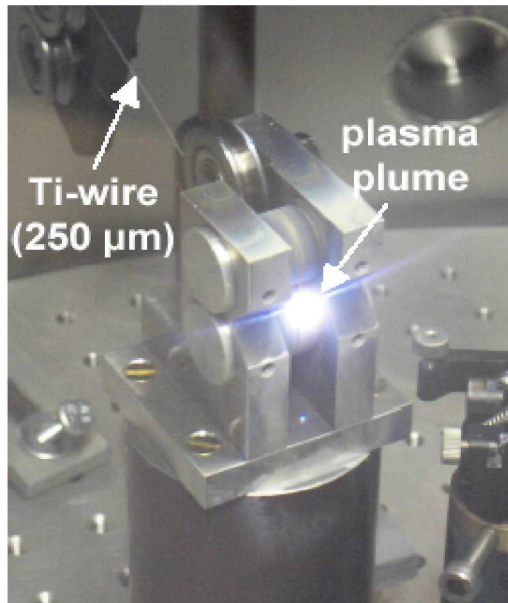
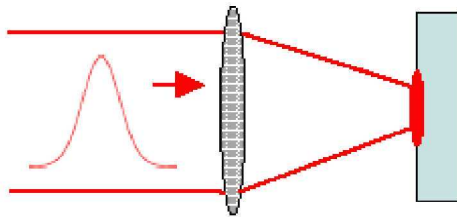


First demonstration of holography at EUV wavelengths using a compact EUV source



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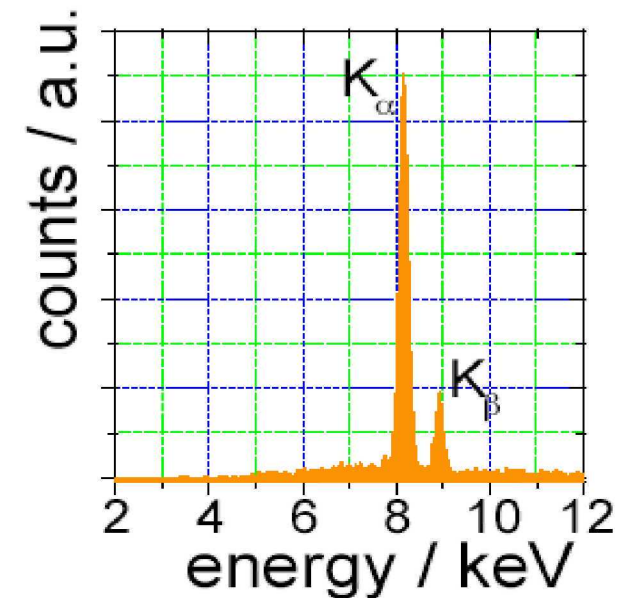


K_{α} line radiation:

	K_{α} energy/ eV	K_{α} flux / $4\pi*s$
Ga	9.2	4.5×10^{10}
Cu	8.2	3.9×10^{10}
Ni	7.5	6.7×10^{10}

- Plasma generated in 15 μm copper
- X-ray focus 15 μm
- Estimated pulse duration: 200 fs

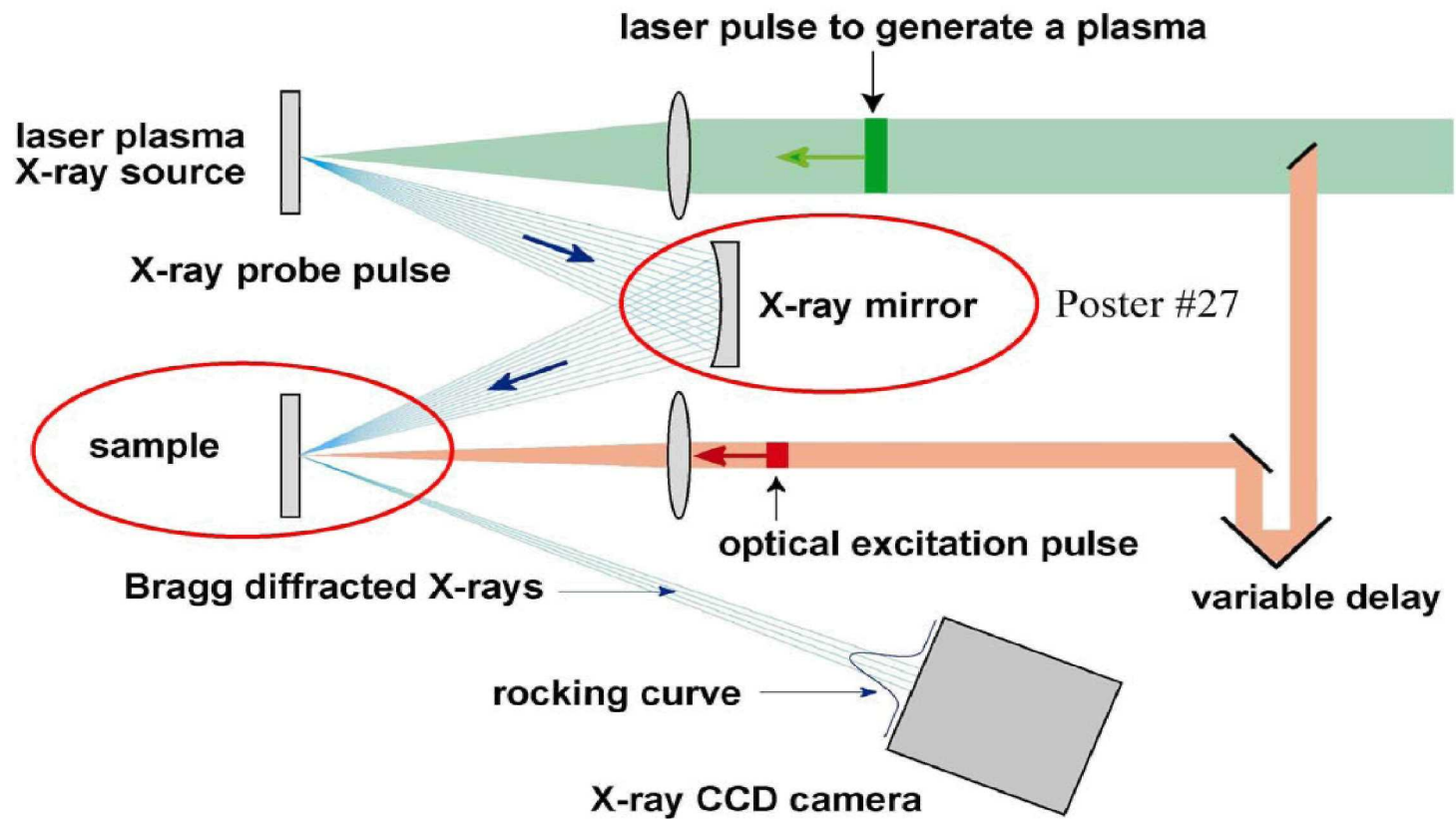
Brilliance = $4 \times 10^7 / (\text{mrad}^2 * \text{mm}^2 * \text{s} * 0.1\% \text{BW})$

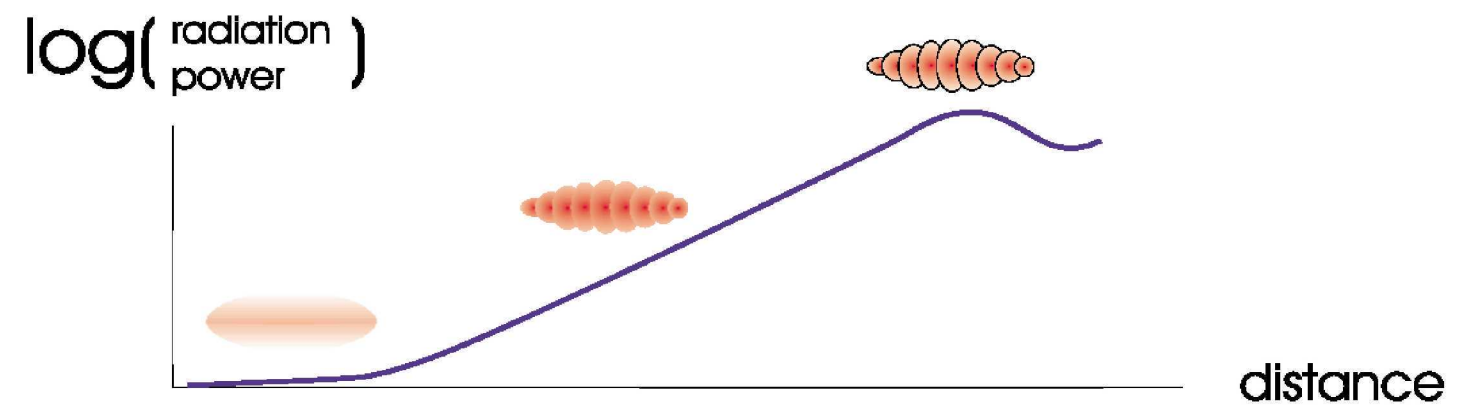
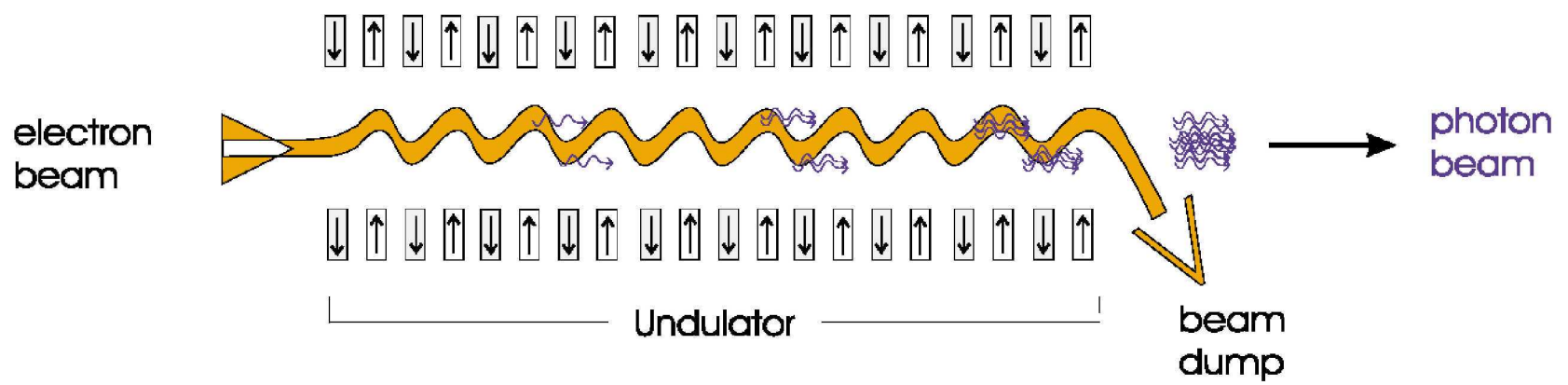


According to specs	Flux on sample / s	Focus / μm
Multilayer mirror (Osmic)	1.4×10^6	30
HOPG reflector (IfG)	5×10^7	200

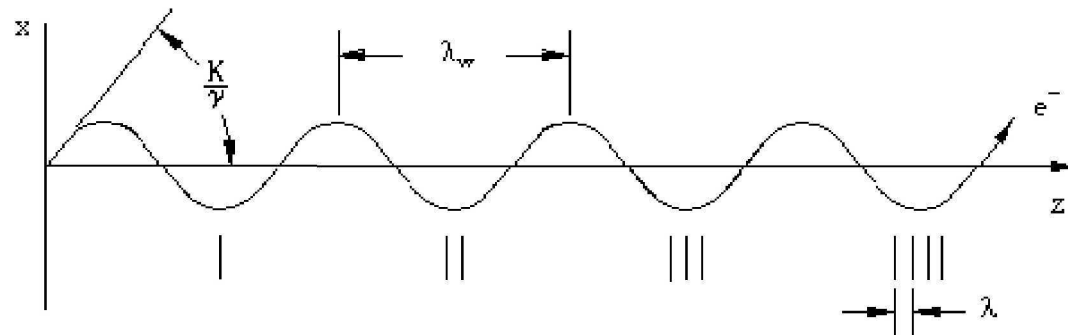
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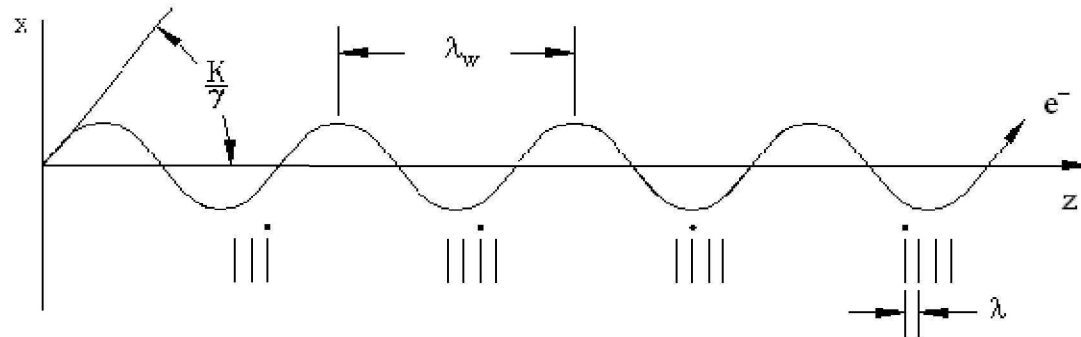
Spontaneous Undulator Radiation



$$\lambda = \frac{\lambda_w}{2\gamma^2} (1 + K^2/2) \quad K \cong 0.93 B_w(T) \lambda_w(cm)$$

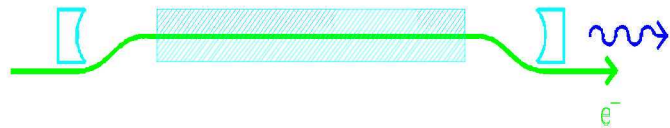
$$\frac{\Delta\lambda}{\lambda_s} = \frac{1}{N_w}$$

Amplification of External Wave

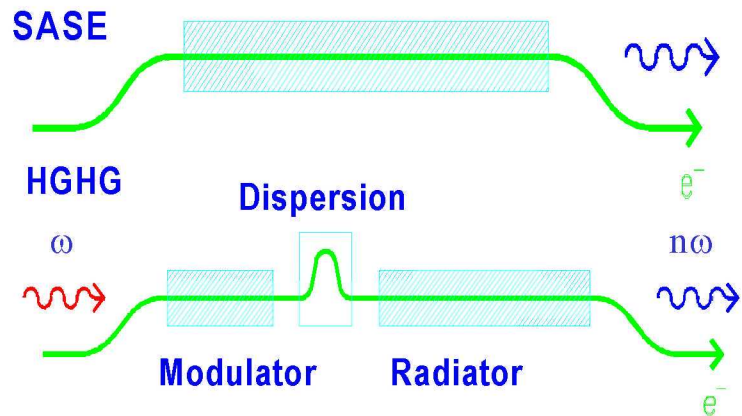


At **resonance**, while traversing one period of the undulator, the electron falls one radiation wavelength behind the EM-wave

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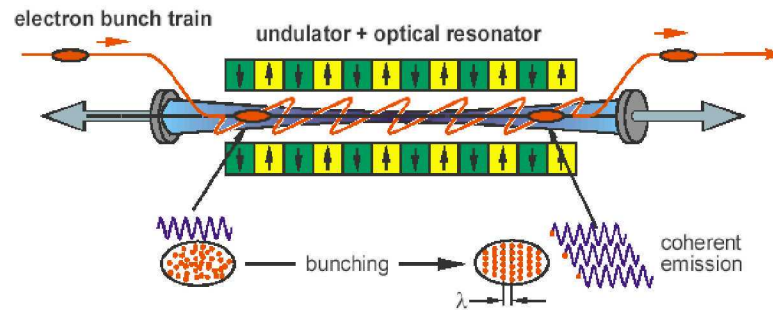


SINGLE PASS FEL

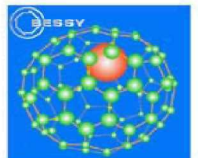
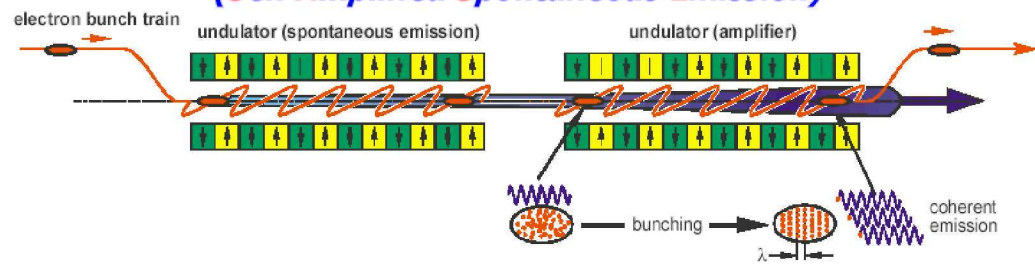


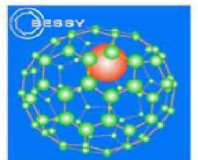
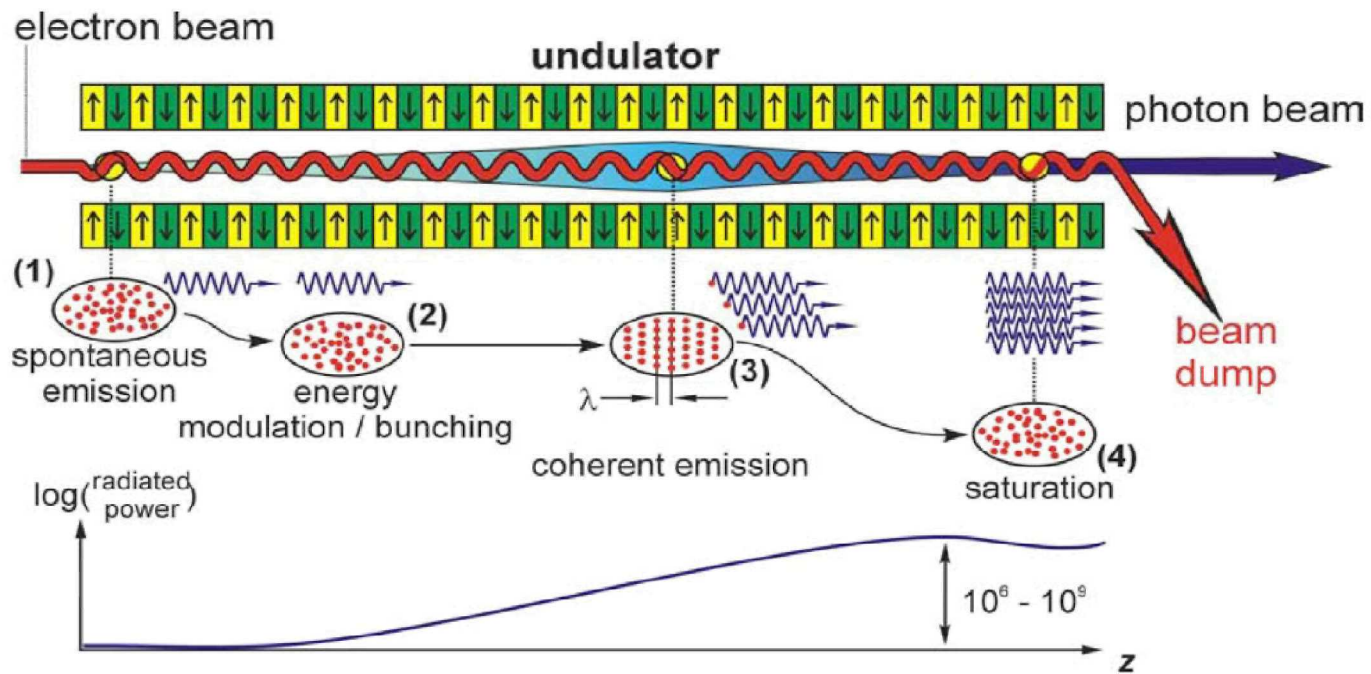
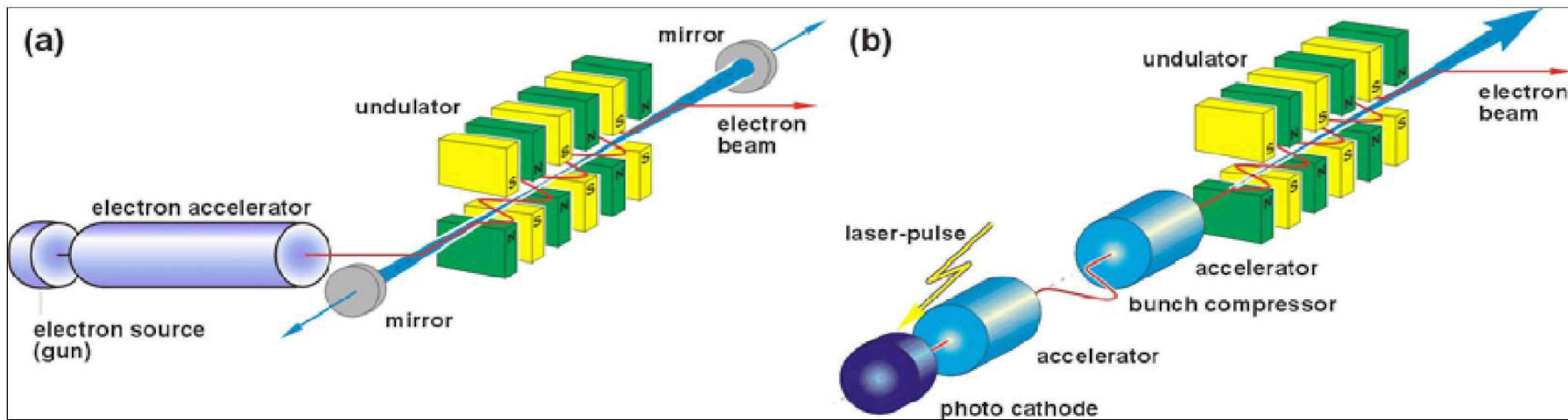
The BESSY Soft X-Ray SASE
FEL (Free Electron Laser)

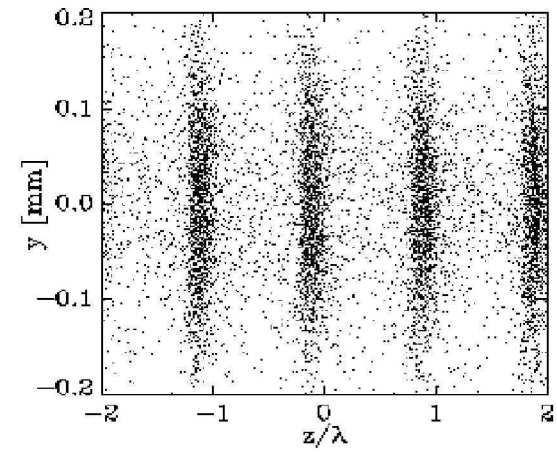
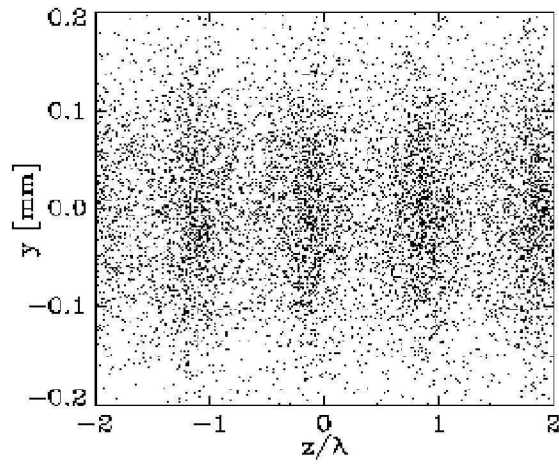
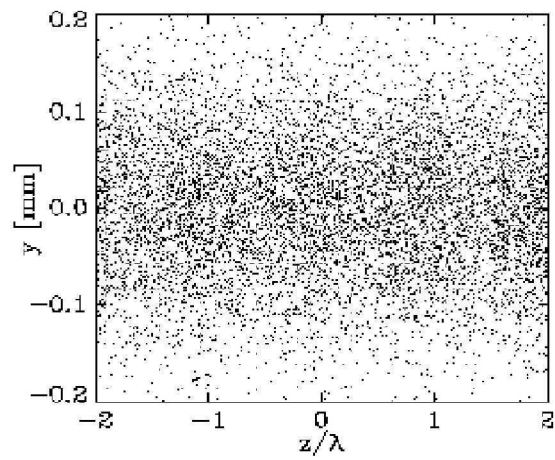
Classical FEL Scheme

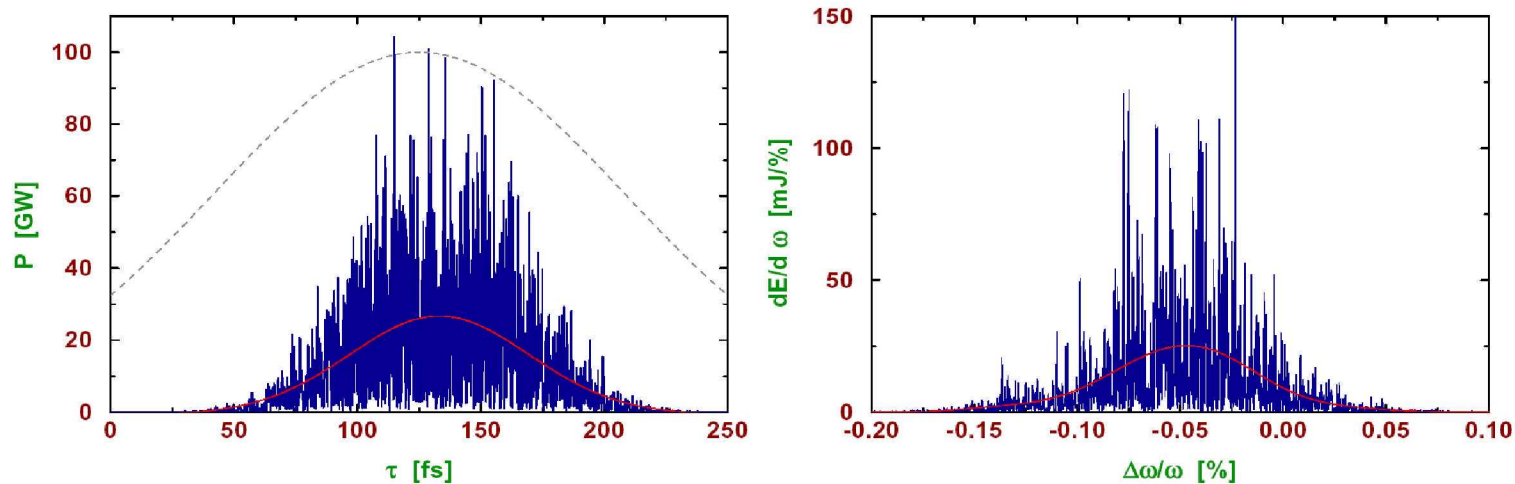


SASE FEL Scheme (Self Amplified Spontaneous Emission)









	Units	SASE 1
Wavelength*	Å	1–5
Peak power	GW	37
Average power	W	210
Photon beam size (FWHM)**	μm	100
Photon beam divergence (FWHM)***	μrad	0.8
Bandwidth (FWHM)	%	0.08
Coherence time	fs	0.3
Pulse duration (FWHM)	fs	100
Min. pulse separation****	ns	93
Max. number of pulses per train****	#	11500
Repetition rate****	Hz	5
Number of photons per pulse	#	1.8×10^{12}
Average flux of photons	#/sec	1.0×10^{17}
Peak brilliance	B^{*****}	8.7×10^{33}
Average brilliance	B^{*****}	4.9×10^{25}

*Parameters are given for the shortest wavelength.

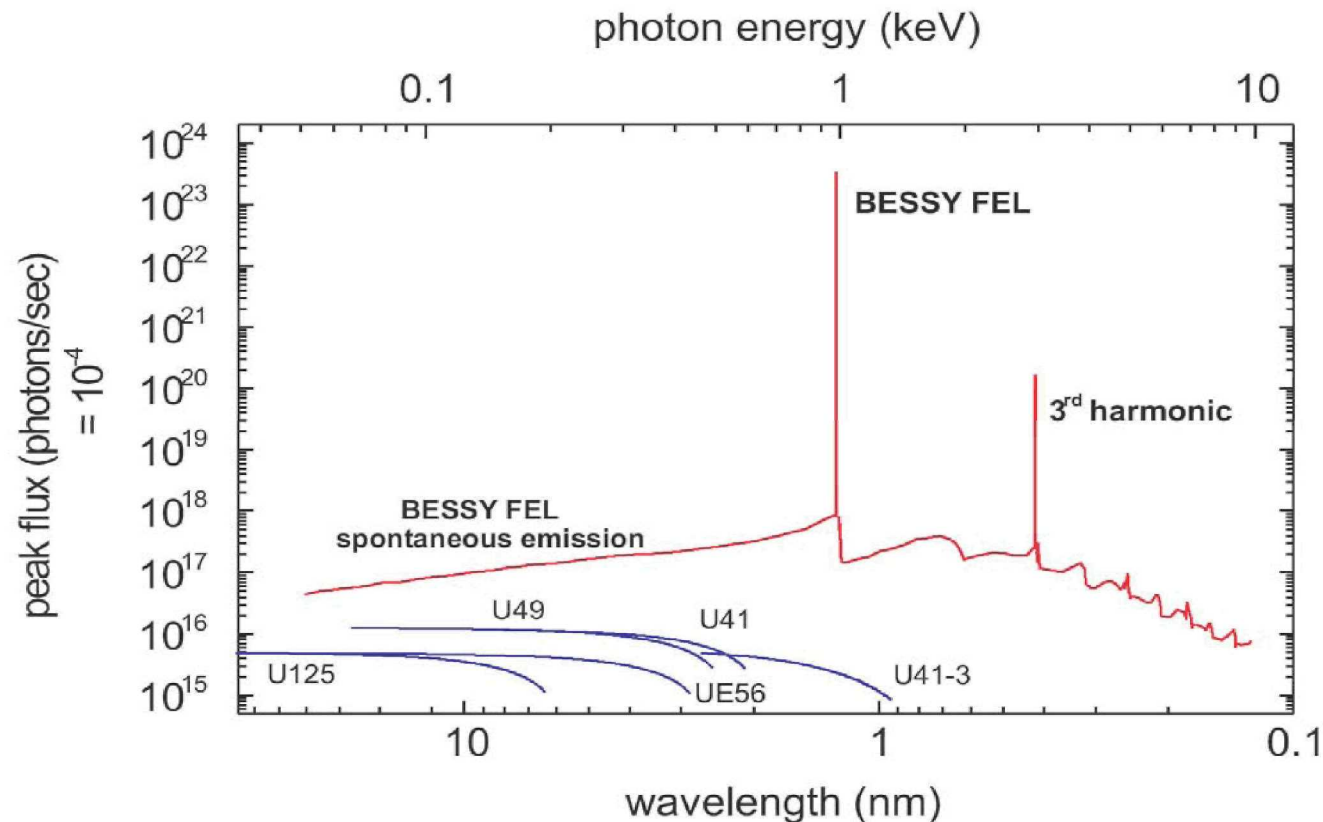
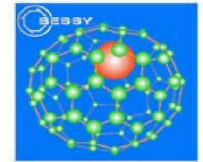
** Value at the exit of the undulator.

*** Far field divergence.

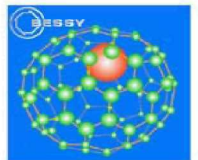
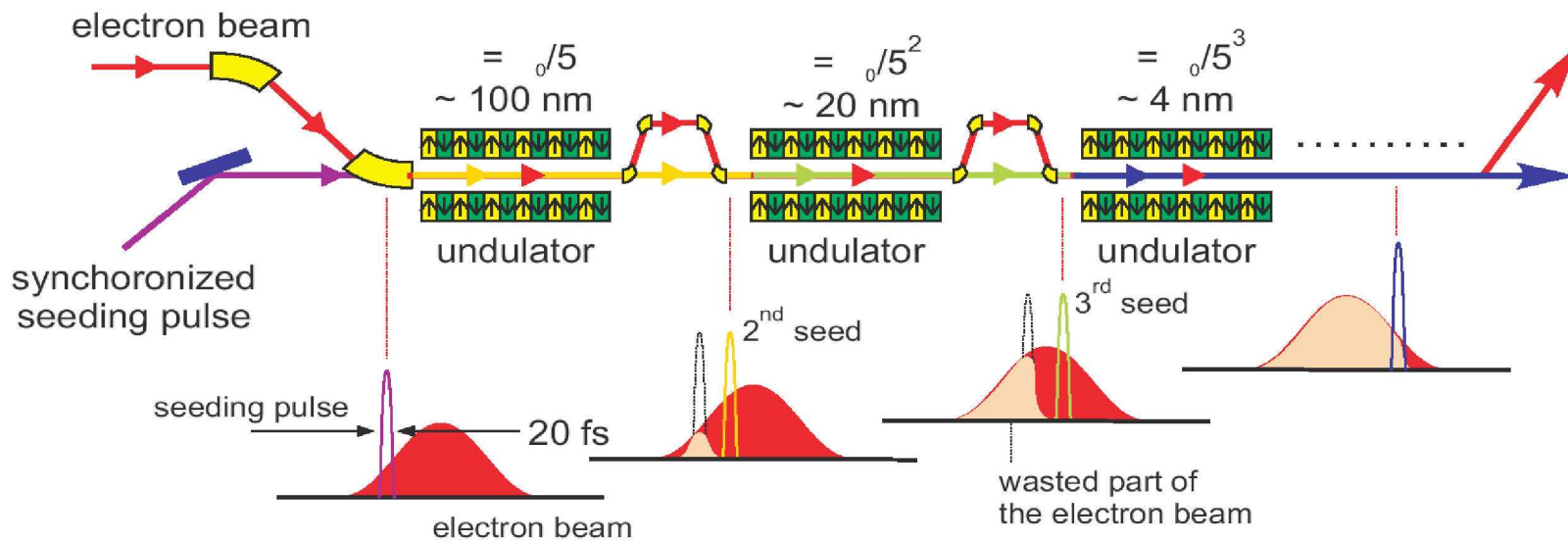
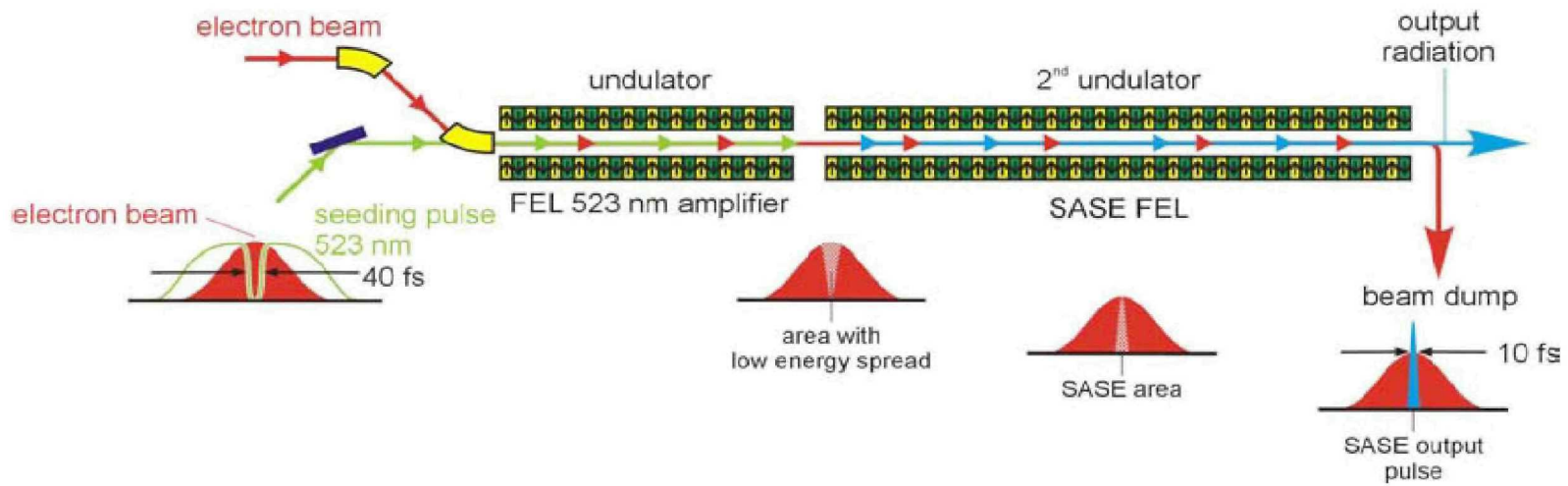
**** Values determined by the time structure of the electron beam in the accelerator. The average parameters for the SASE-1 FEL are given for the ultimate case when only this beamline is in operation.

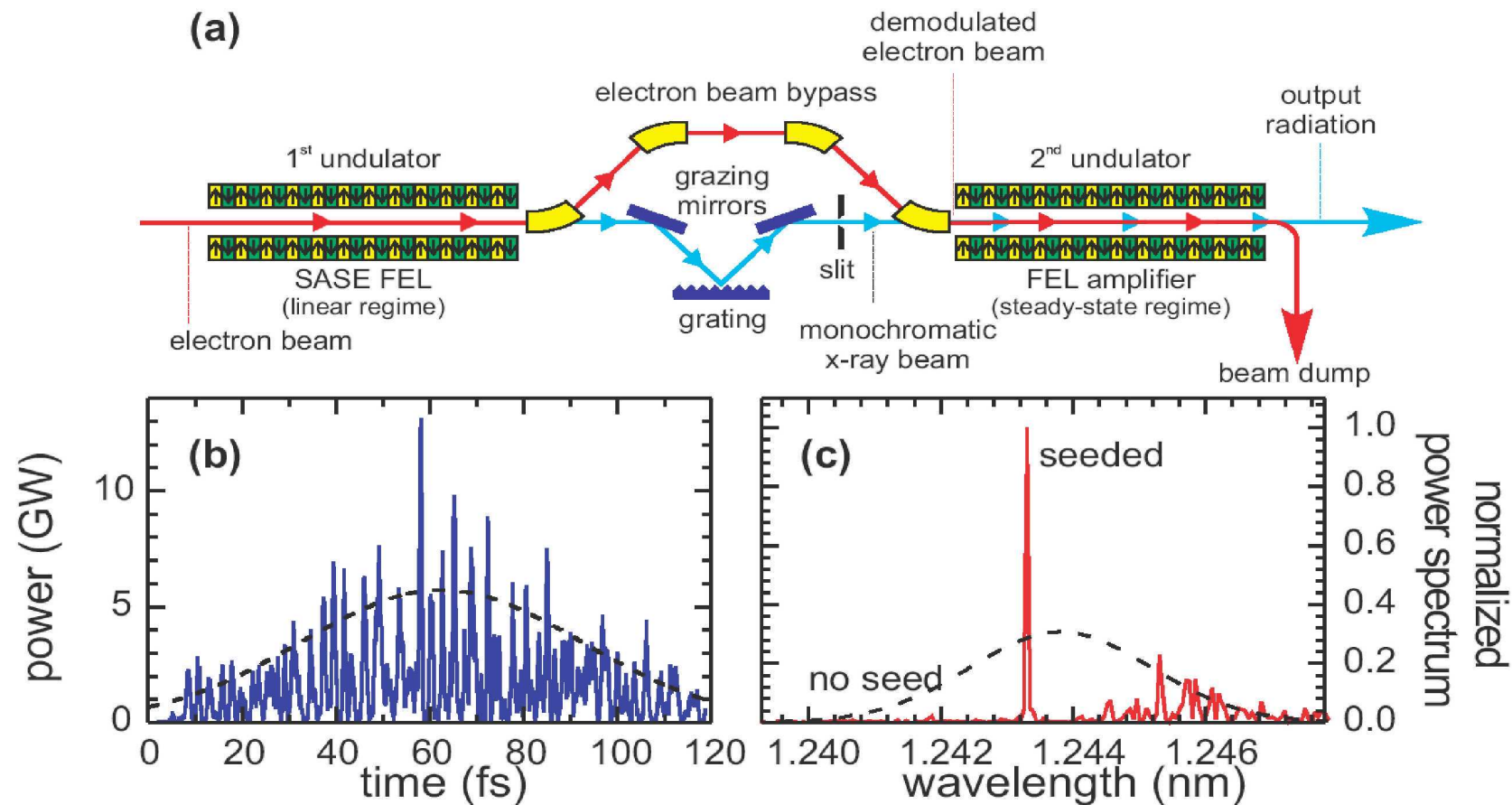
***** In units of photons/(sec · mrad² · mm² · 0.1 % bandwidth).





Spectrum of the BESSY SASE-FEL for a lasing photon energy of $\hbar\omega = 1$ keV compared to the BESSY II performance. BESSY II: single bunch operation with 10 mA of average beam current at $E = 1.7$ GeV. BESSY SASE-FEL: $I = 5$ kA, $E = 2.25$ GeV and a planar undulator with $\lambda_u = 2.75$ cm and $N = 1450$ periods. Spectra are calculated with a transmission efficiency of the monochromator of 5%.





Top: Basic scheme of a two-stage FEL [16] providing full longitudinal and transverse coherent light, see text for details. Bottom: GENESIS simulation of the two-stage FEL employing a 3 kW seed in the second undulator.

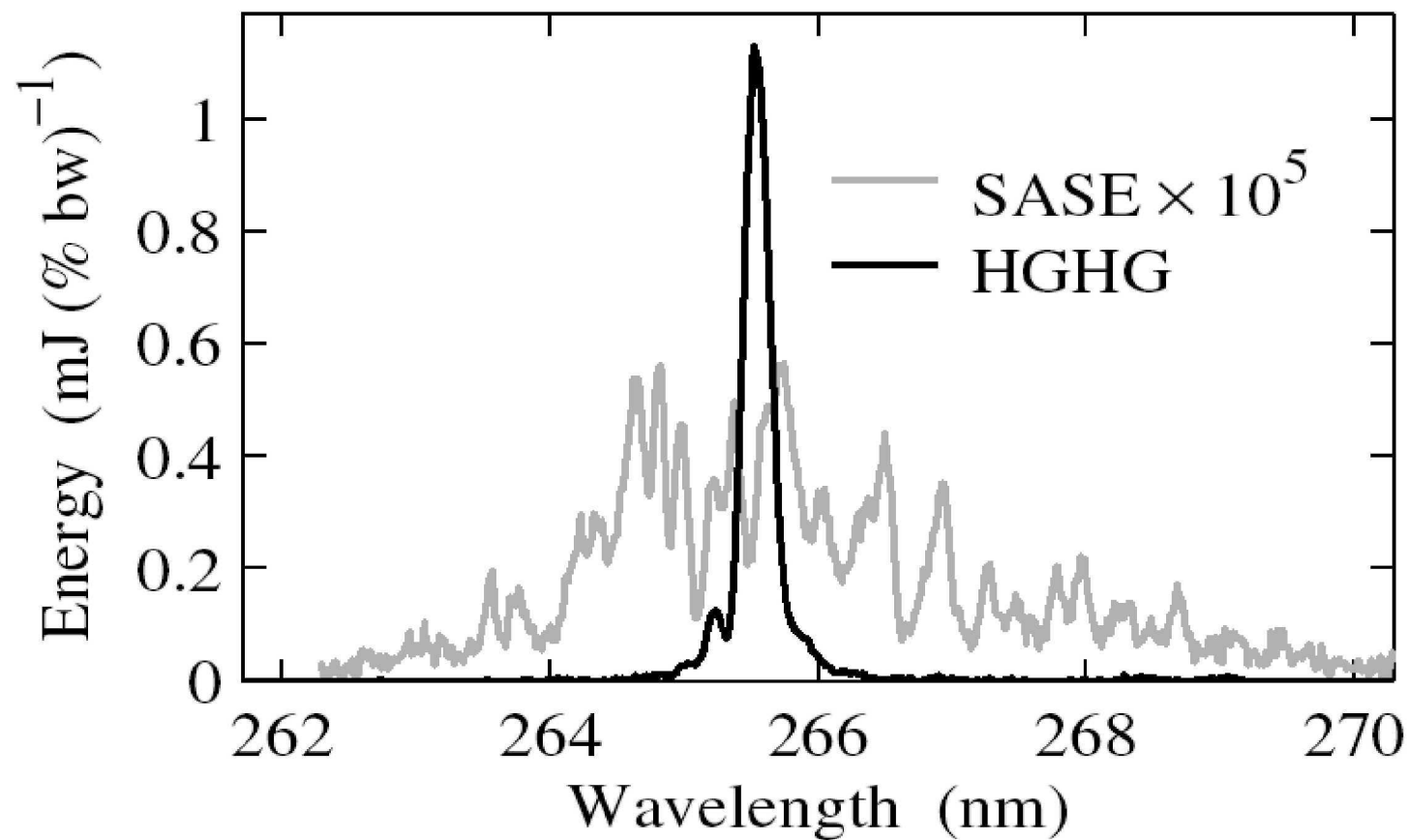


First Ultraviolet High-Gain Harmonic-Generation Free-Electron Laser

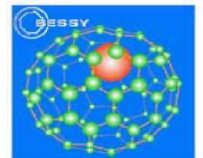
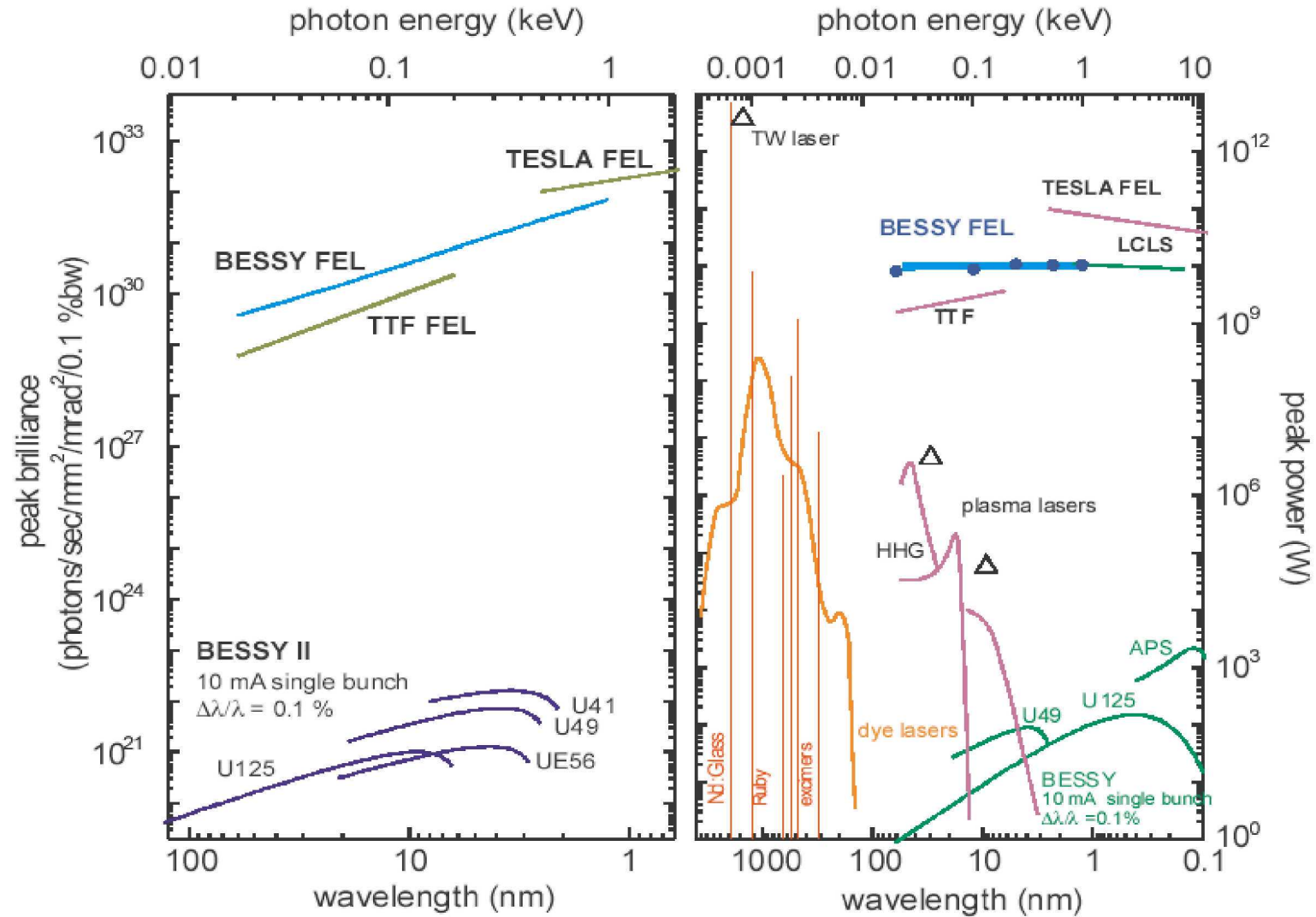
L. H. Yu,* L. DiMauro, A. Doyuran, W. S. Graves,† E. D. Johnson, R. Heese, S. Krinsky, H. Loos, J. B. Murphy,
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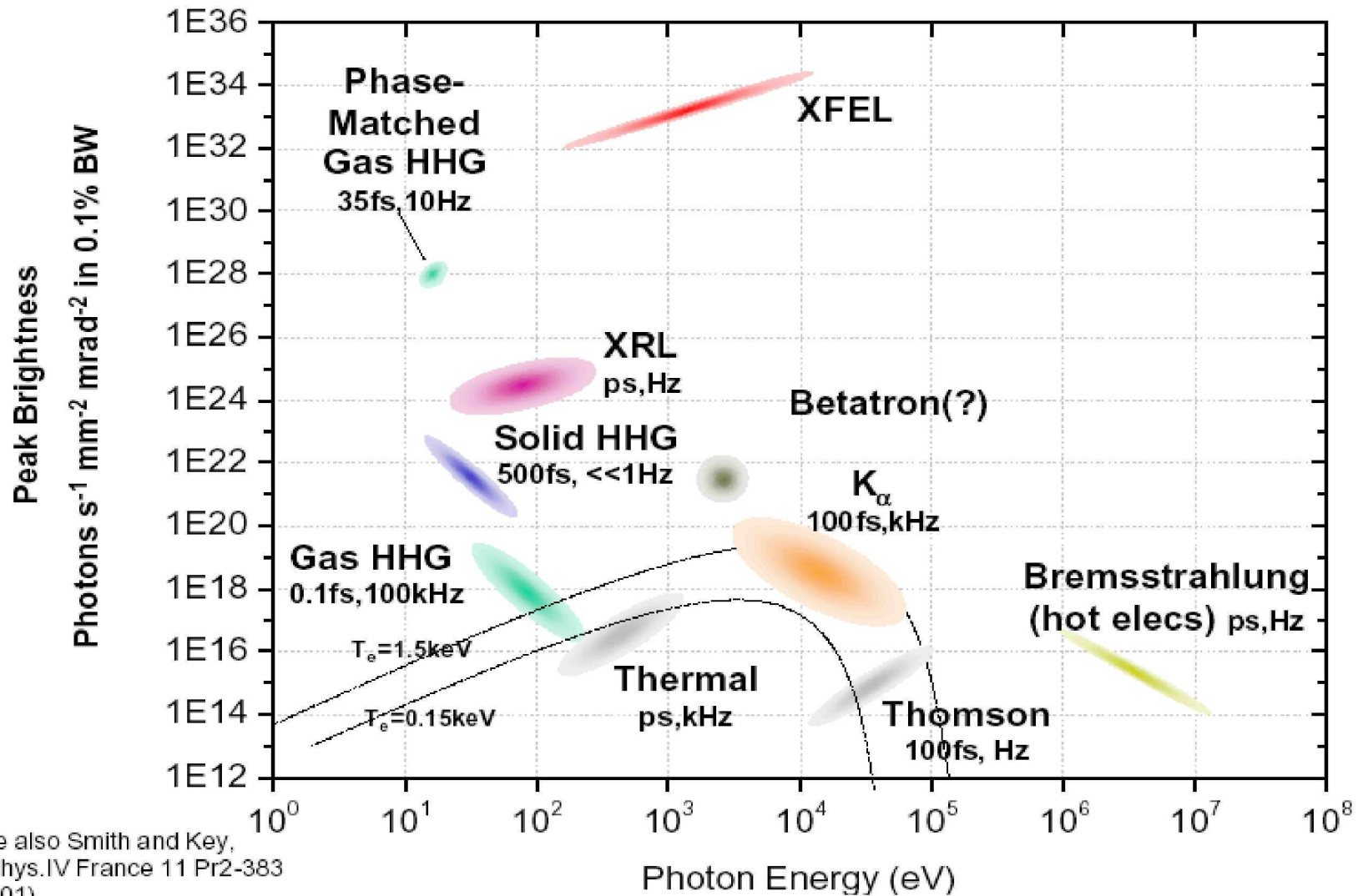
We report the first experimental results on a high-gain harmonic-generation (HGHG) free-electron laser (FEL) operating in the ultraviolet. An 800 nm seed from a Ti:sapphire laser has been used to produce saturated amplified radiation at the 266 nm third harmonic. The results confirm the predictions for HGHG FEL operation: stable central wavelength, narrow bandwidth, and small pulse-energy fluctuation.



Performance



Peak Brightness Comparison



See also Smith and Key,
 J.Phys.IV France 11 Pr2-383
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Brilliance —→ **Microscopy**

- X-ray microscopy
- X-ray dichroic microscopy

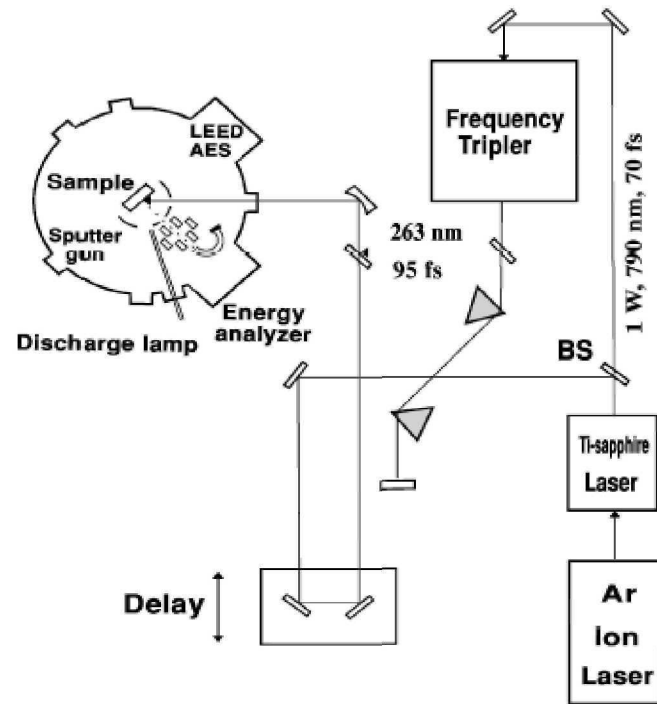
Coherence —→ **X-ray scattering**

- X-ray elastic scattering (statistical optics)
- X-ray FT interferometry

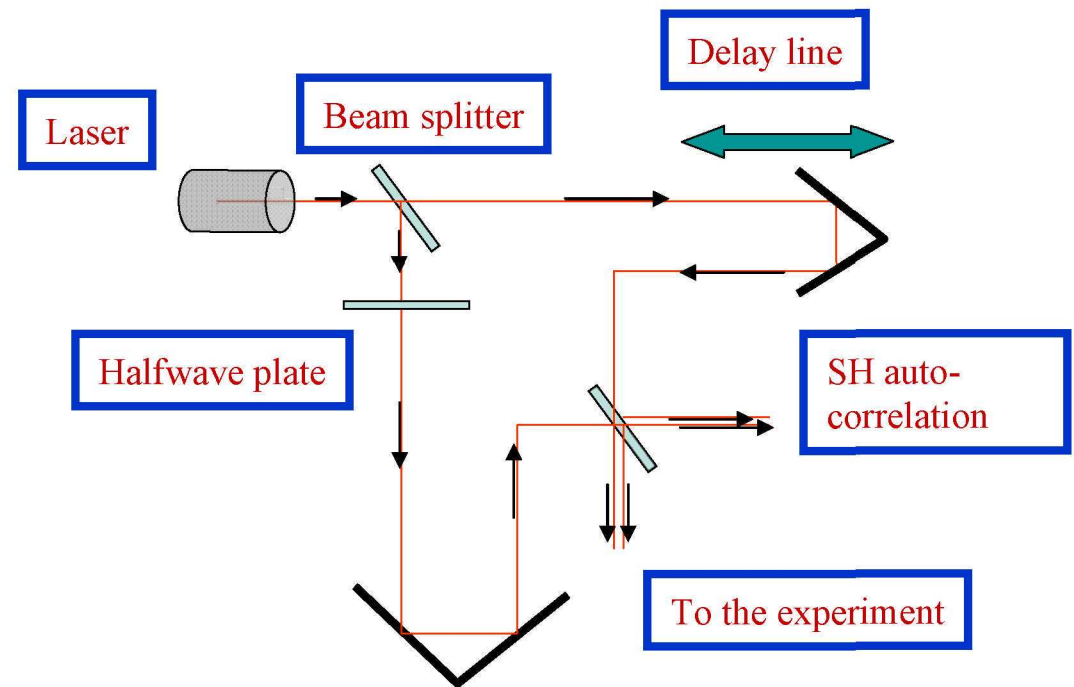
Time structure —→ **Pump-Probe**

- Time resolved core level spectroscopy
- Time resolve spectroscopy zooming in the momentum space
- TR X-ray diffraction
- Dynamics of the phase transitions

Time structure

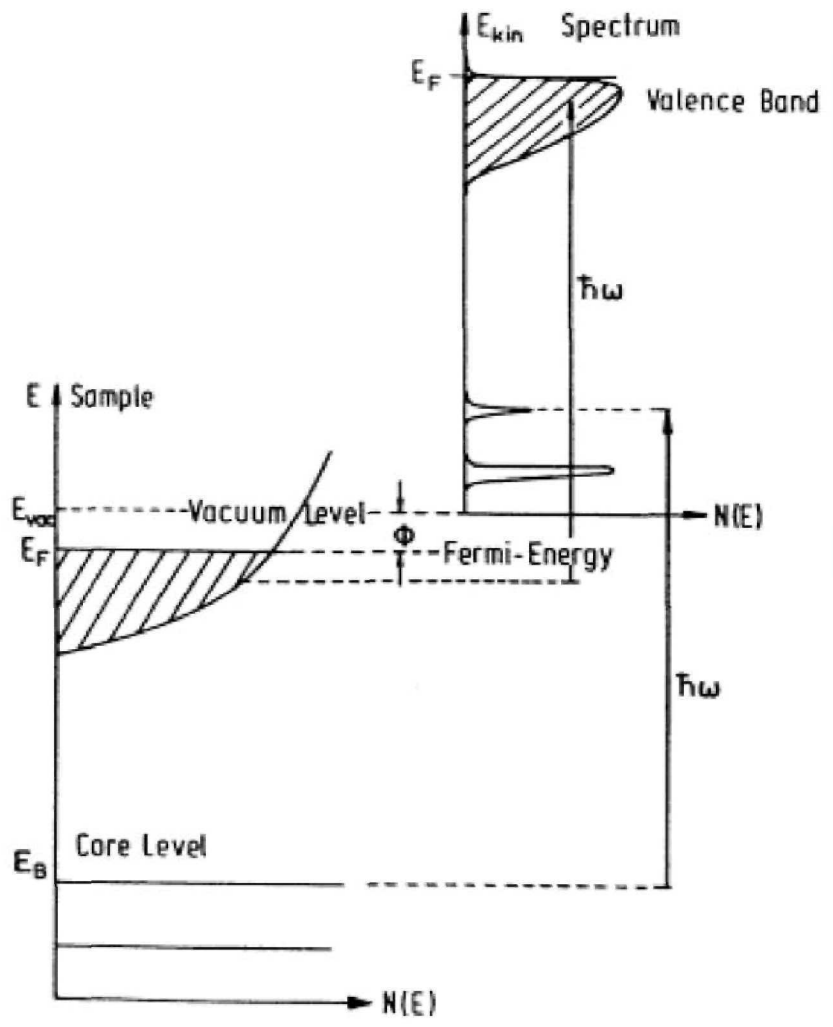


Pump - Probe setup



$$U_e(\tau) \propto \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} I_X(t) I_{IR}(t - \tau) dt$$

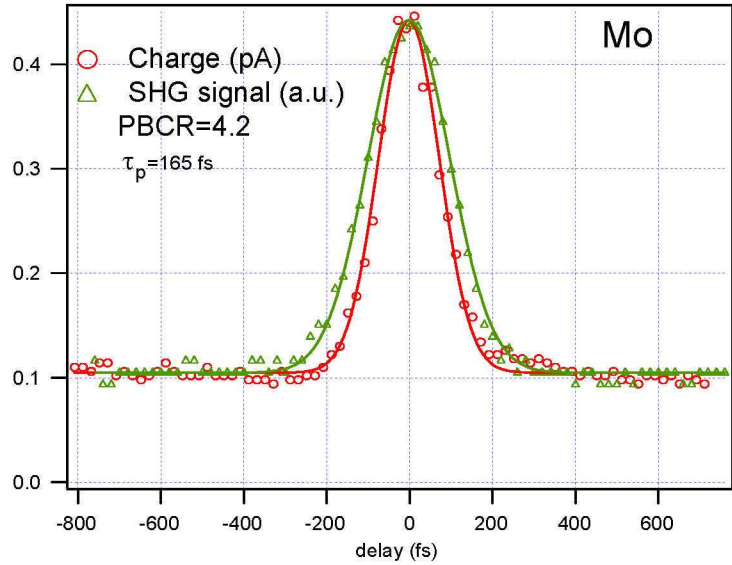
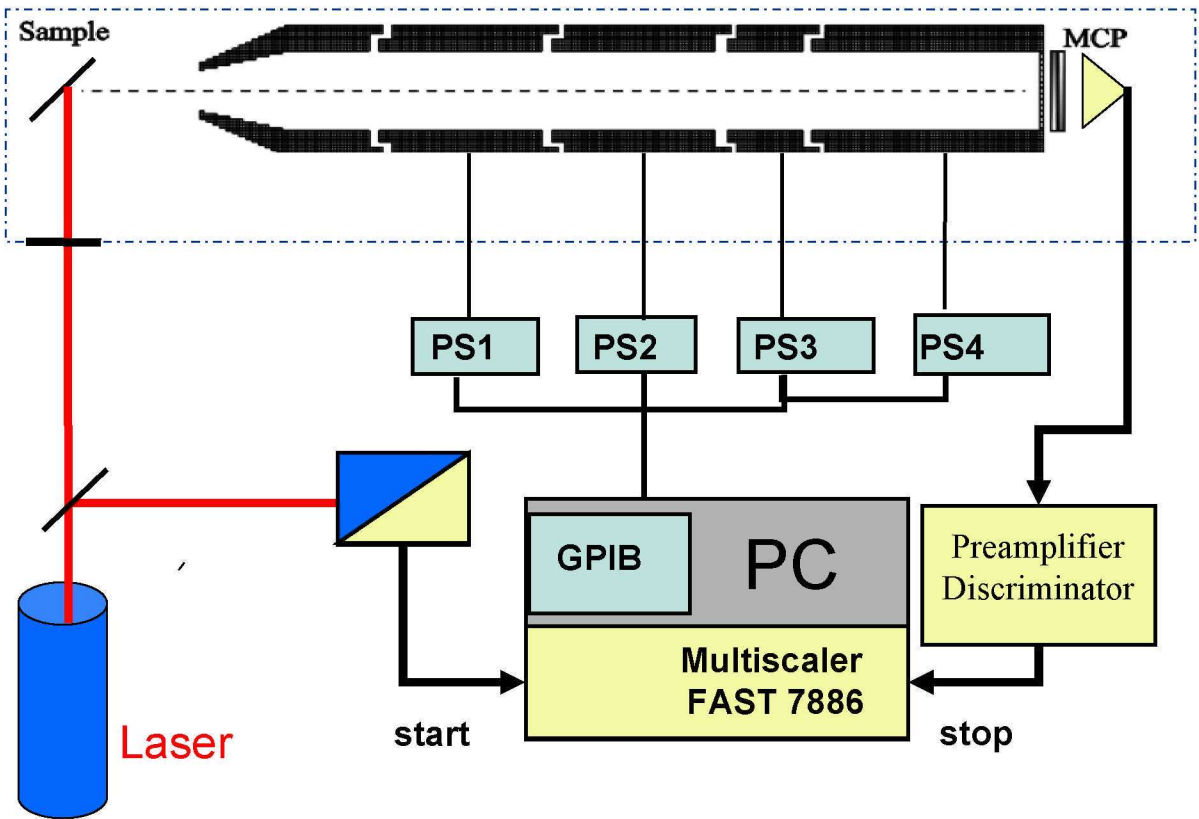
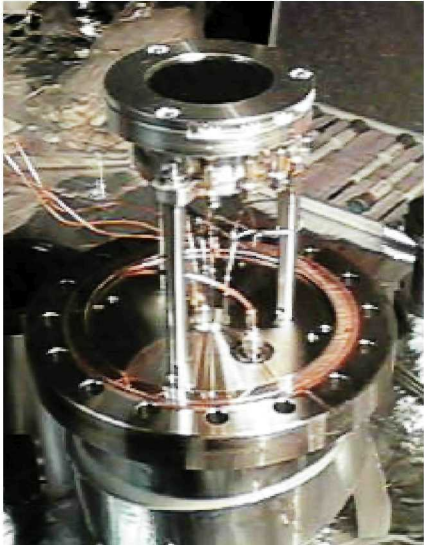
Mach Zehnder type interferometer

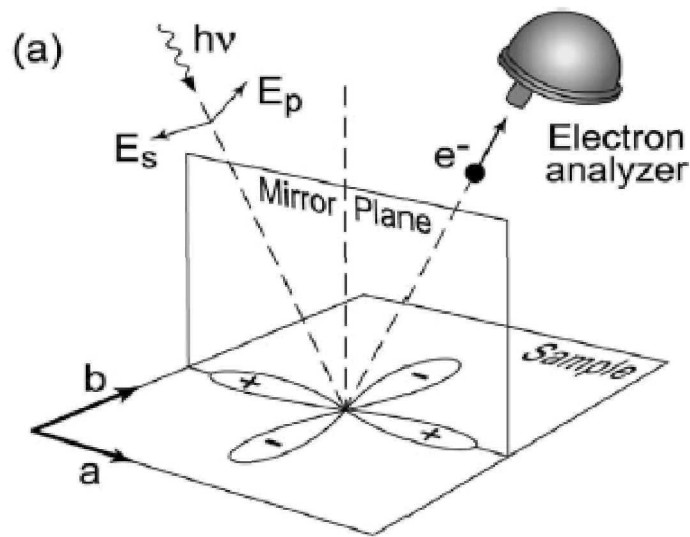


$$E_{kin} = \hbar\omega - \Phi - |E_B|$$

↑ Measured Kinetic Energy
 ↑ Measured Photon Energy
 ↑ Measured Work Function
 ↑ Electron Binding Energy

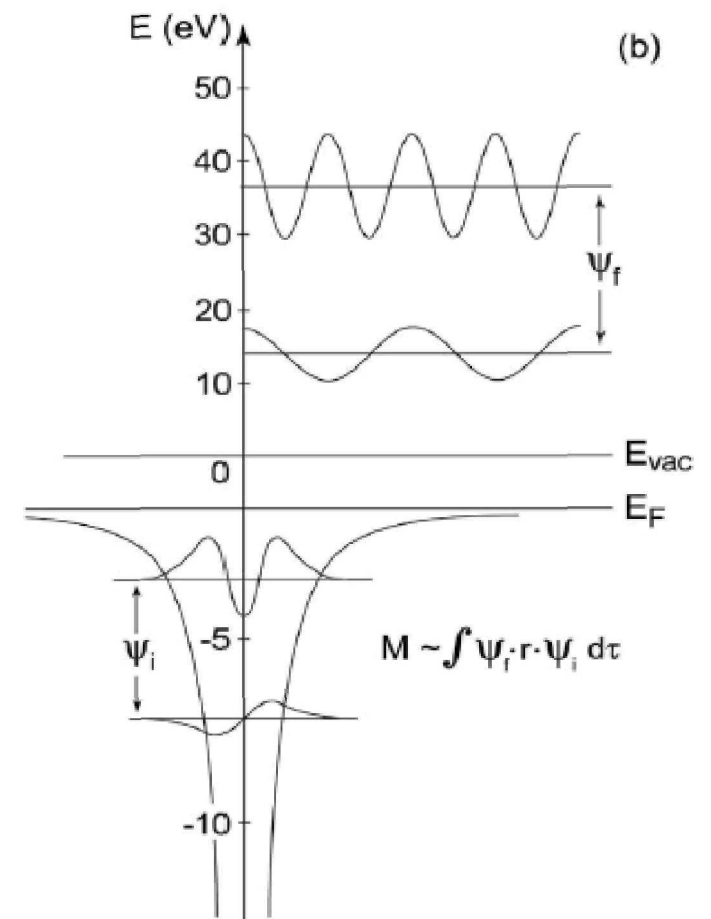
150 fs Laser Pulse Measured by an Electron Time of Flight Spectrometer

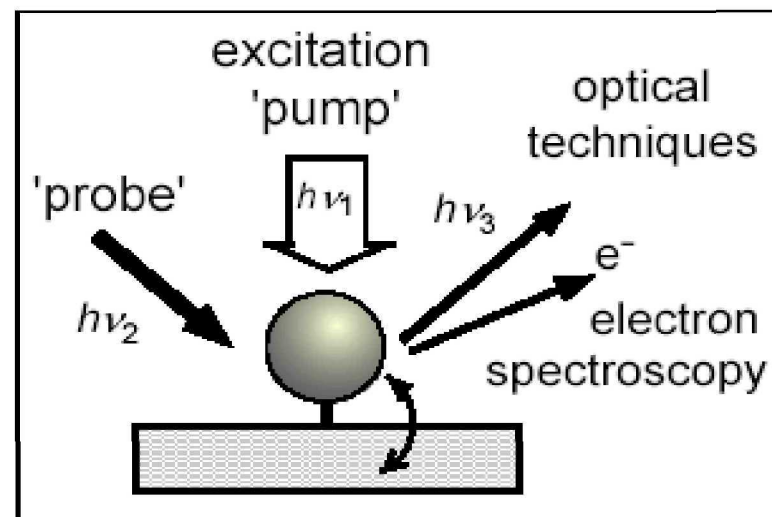




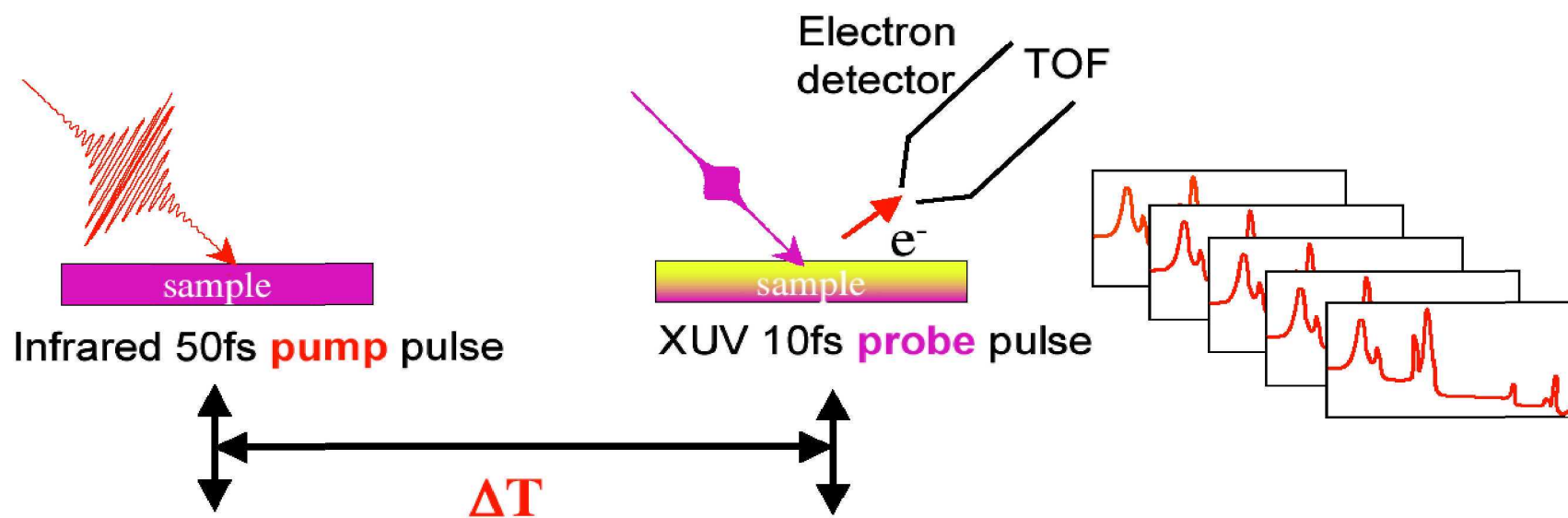
$$w_{fi} = \frac{2\pi}{\hbar} |\langle \Psi_f^N | H_{int} | \Psi_i^N \rangle|^2 \delta(E_f^N - E_i^N - h\nu)$$

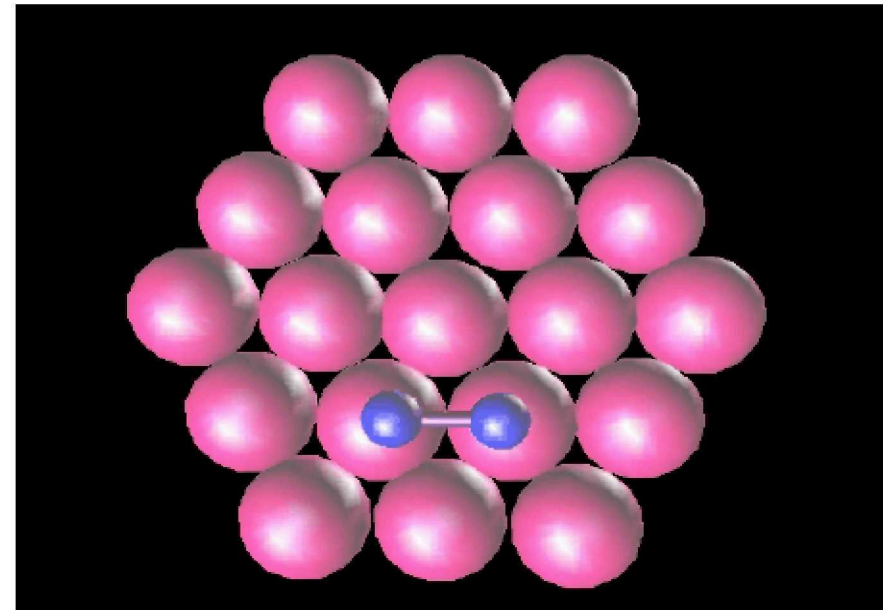
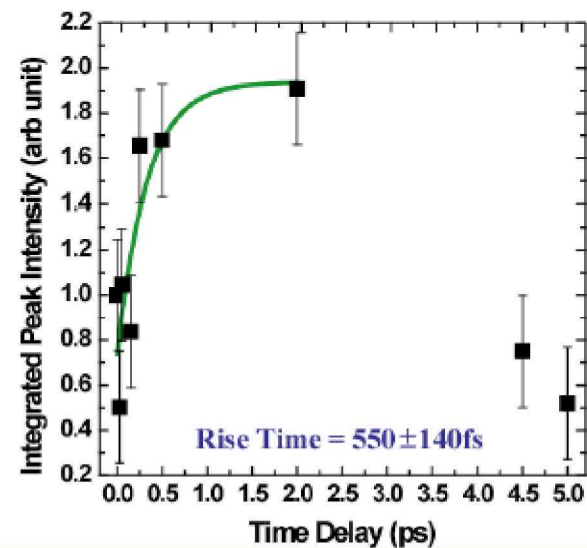
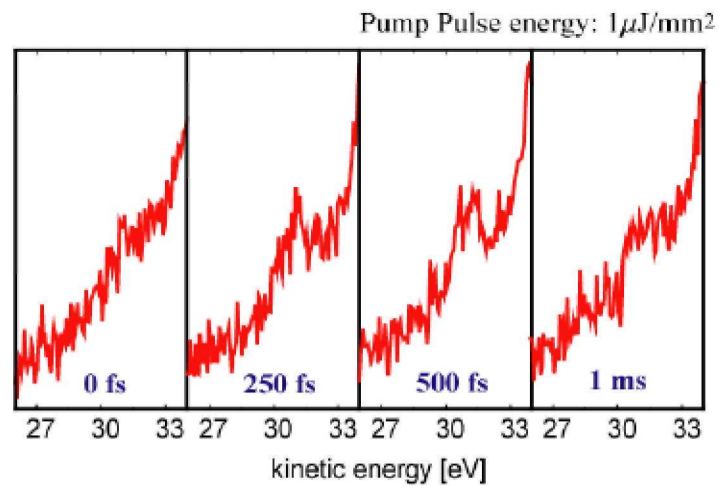
$$H_{int} = -\frac{e}{2mc} (\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{p} + \mathbf{p} \cdot \mathbf{A}) = -\frac{e}{mc} \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{p}$$





Time-Resolved Photoemission





PRL 87, 25501 (2001)

Hot electron mediated surface charge transfer process on 100-500fs timescales

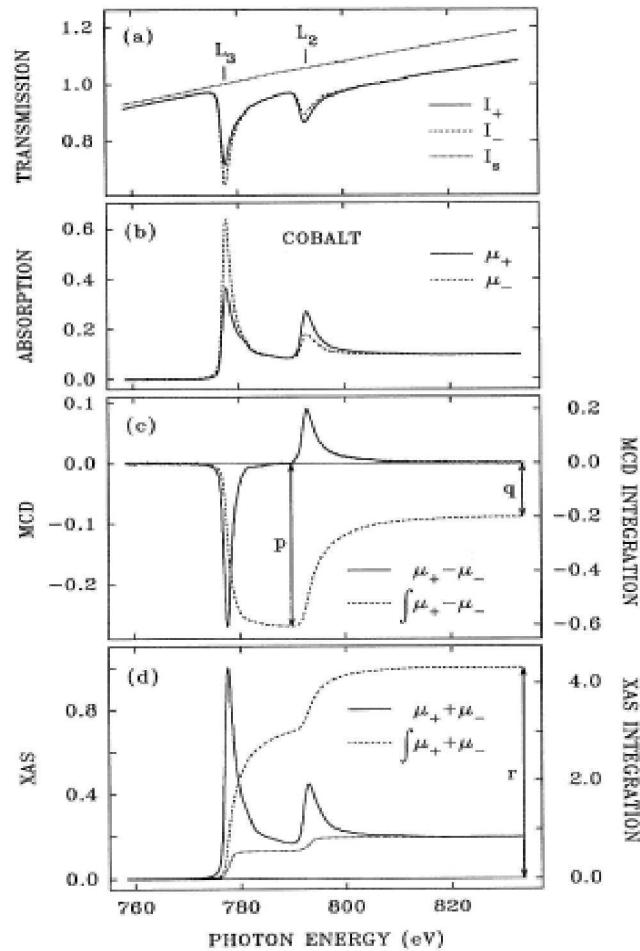
- **Perturbation Theory gives Fermi's Golden Rule for transition probability**

$$w = \frac{2\pi}{\hbar} \left| \langle \psi_f | H_{\text{int}} | \psi_i \rangle \right|^2 \delta(E_f - E_i - \hbar\omega)$$

- **For dipole allowed transitions,**

$$H_{\text{int}} = \frac{e}{mc} \mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{p}$$

Transmission absorption measurements



C.T.Chen et.al, PRL **75**, 152 (1995).

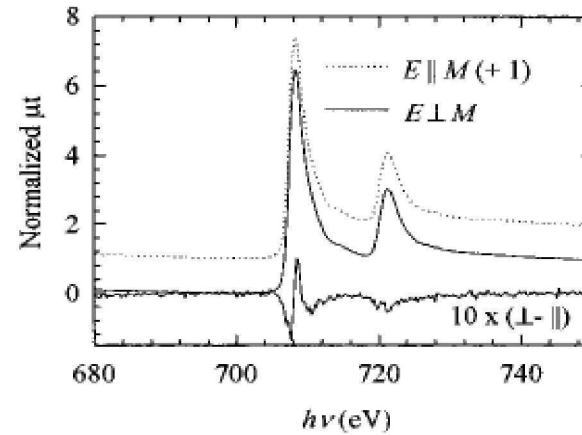


FIG. 5. Normalized transmission absorption spectra through a 32-nm Fe film at normal incidence with $E \perp M$ and $E \parallel M$ are offset by 1 in β_{\perp} and β_{\parallel} , respectively. $\beta_{\perp} - \beta_{\parallel}$, multiplied by 10 and offset by 3 gives the MLD (Voigt effect).

Kortright & Kim, PRB **62**, 12216 (2000).

X-ray Fluorescence, Gd 2p3d and 2p 4d

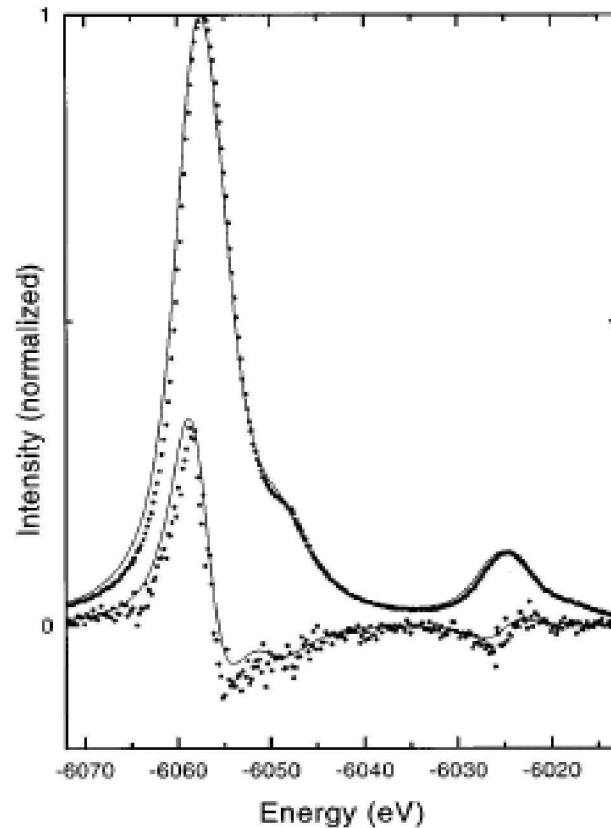


FIG. 3. Comparison of the calculated $2p3d$ x-ray emission spectral shape (solid line), with the $2p_{3/2}3d$ experimental results (points). The experimental curve is aligned and normalized to 1.0 at the peak position, with respect to the calculation. The theoretical MCD spectrum is given in the scale of the emission spectrum, and the experimental MCD has been normalized to it.

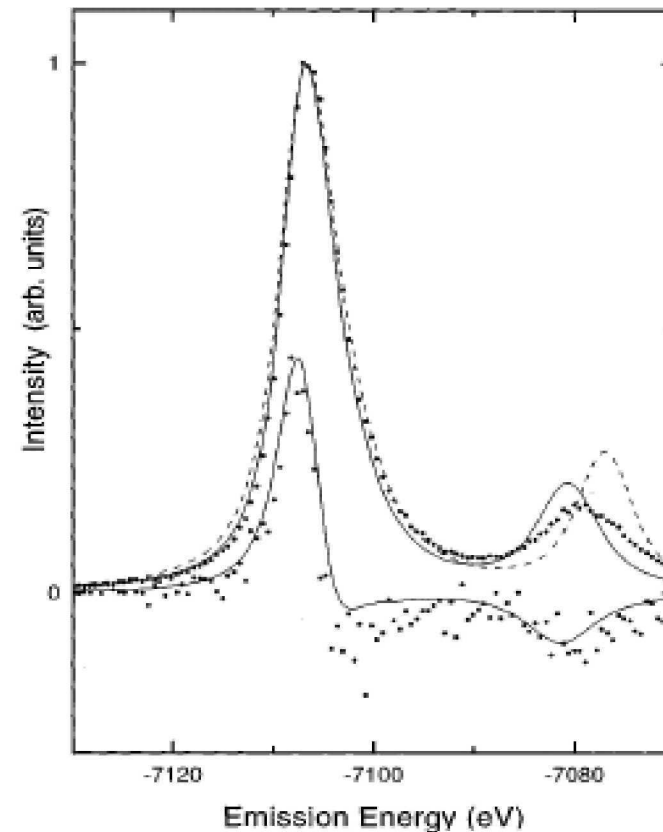
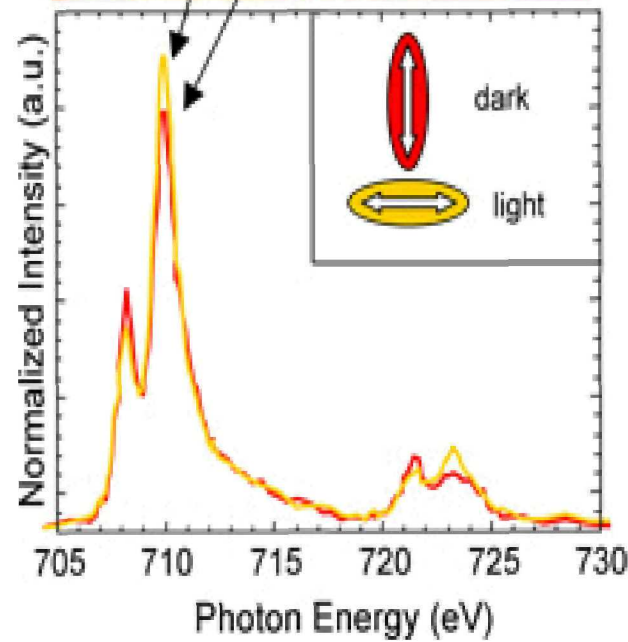
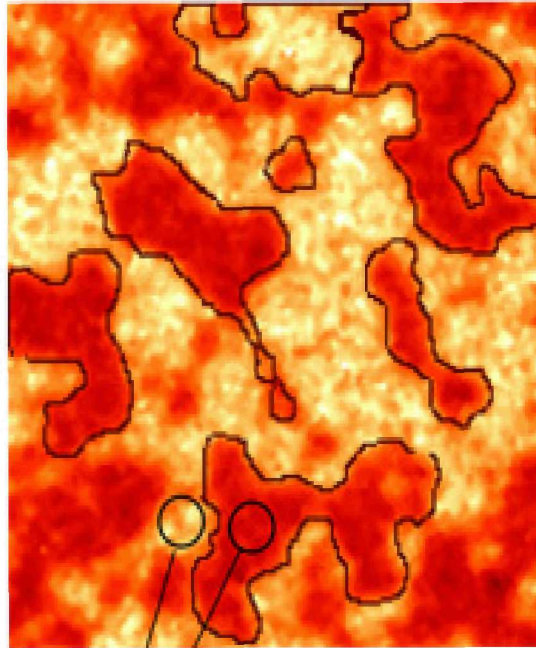


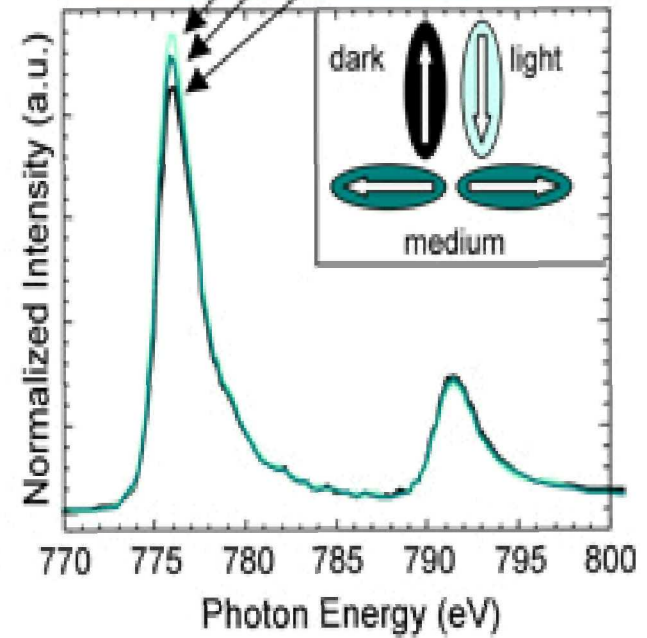
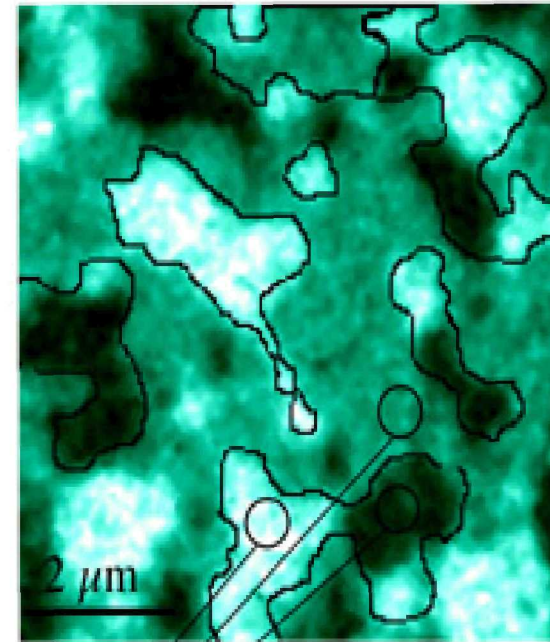
FIG. 4. Comparison of the calculated $2p4d$ x-ray emission spectral shape (dashed), with the $2p_{3/2}4d$ experimental results (points). The experimental curve is aligned and normalized to 1.0 at the peak position, with respect to the calculation. The solid line is the theoretical result with a reduction of the Slater integrals to 70% and a broadening as described in the text. The theoretical MCD spectrum is given in the scale of the emission spectrum, and the experimental MCD has been normalized to it.

**Microscopy by MXLD -
MXCD: AF-FM
interface coupling**

a) LaFeO_3 layer



b) Co layer



**F. Nolting et al., Nature
405, 767 (2000)**

Some preliminary considerations

- Type of experiments

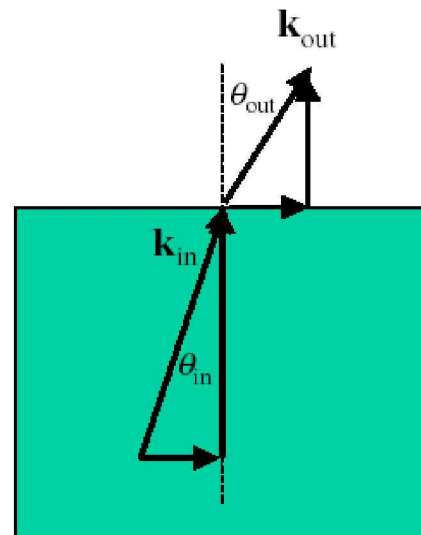
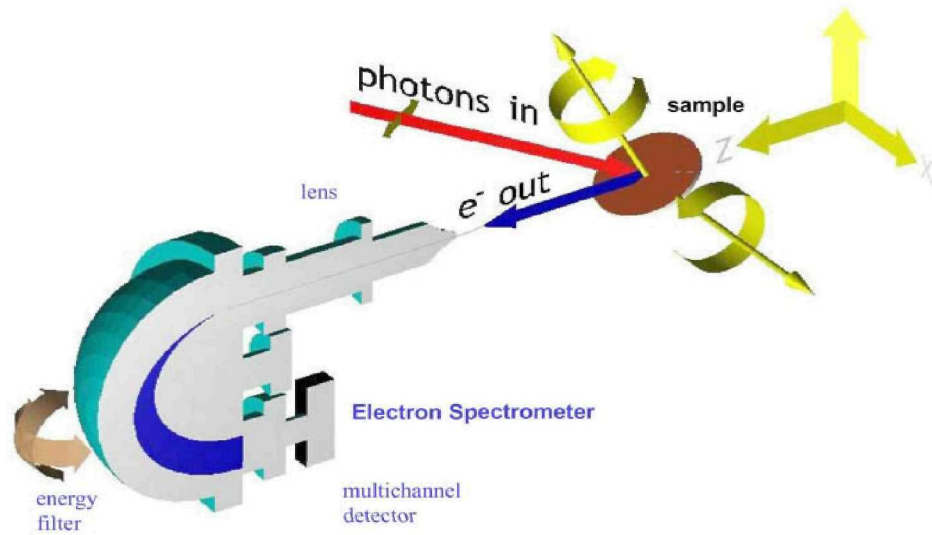
Pump-probe

Single pulse

- Energy resolution / momentum resolution:

$$\Delta E \times \Delta t \geq h/4\pi$$

$$\Delta \mathbf{p} \times \Delta \mathbf{x} \geq h/4\pi$$



Kinematic relations

$$k_{out} = \sqrt{\frac{2m}{\hbar^2} E_{kin}}$$

$$k_{in} = \sqrt{\frac{2m}{\hbar^2} (E_{kin} + V_0)}$$

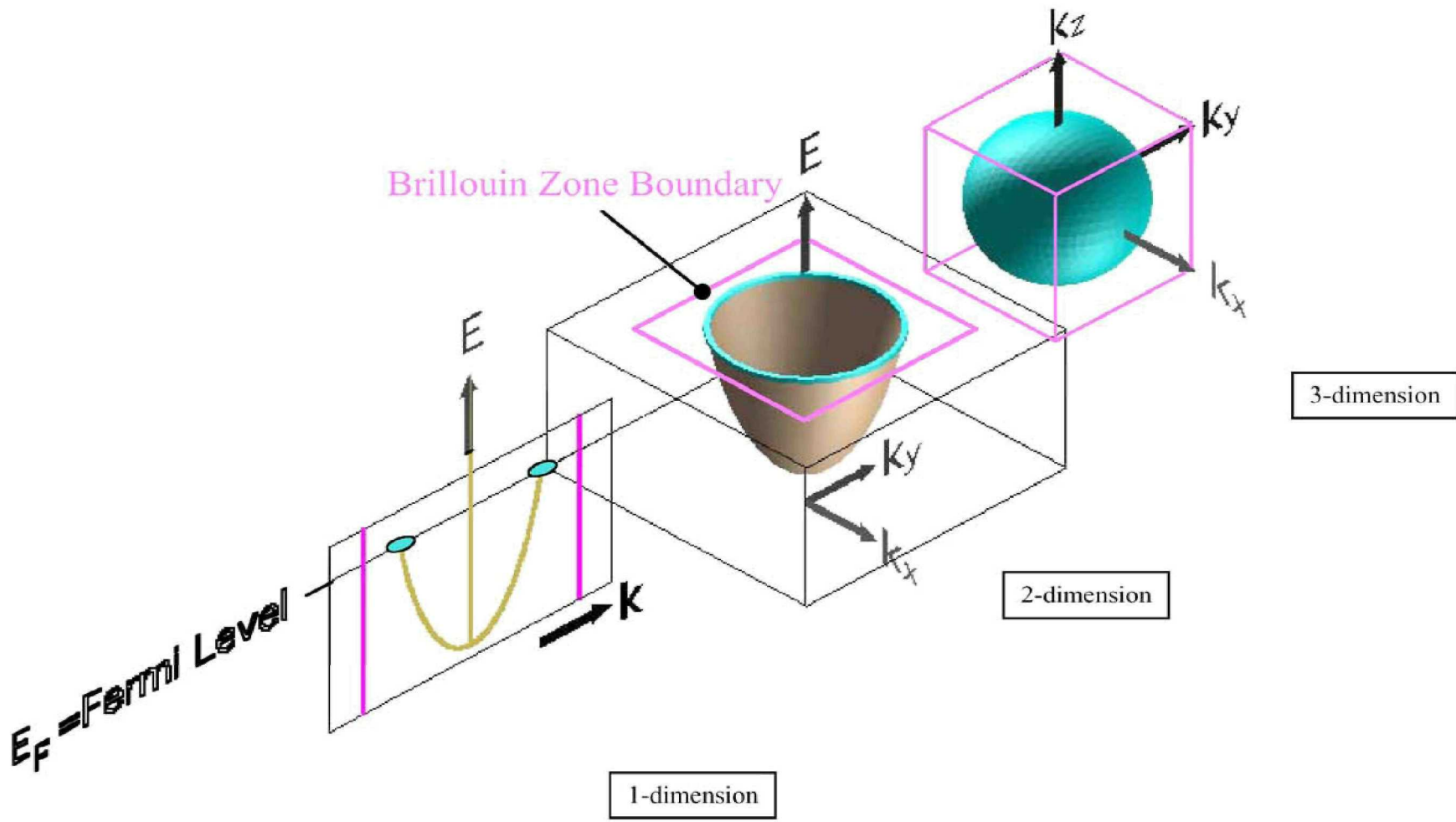
$$k_{out,\parallel} = k_{in,\parallel} \equiv k_{\parallel}$$

"Snell's Law"

$$k_{\parallel} = \sin \theta_{out} \sqrt{\frac{2m}{\hbar^2} E_{kin}} = \sin \theta_{in} \sqrt{\frac{2m}{\hbar^2} (E_{kin} + V_0)}$$

Critical angle for emission

$$(\sin \theta_{out})_{max} = \sqrt{\frac{E_{kin}}{E_{kin} + V_0}}$$

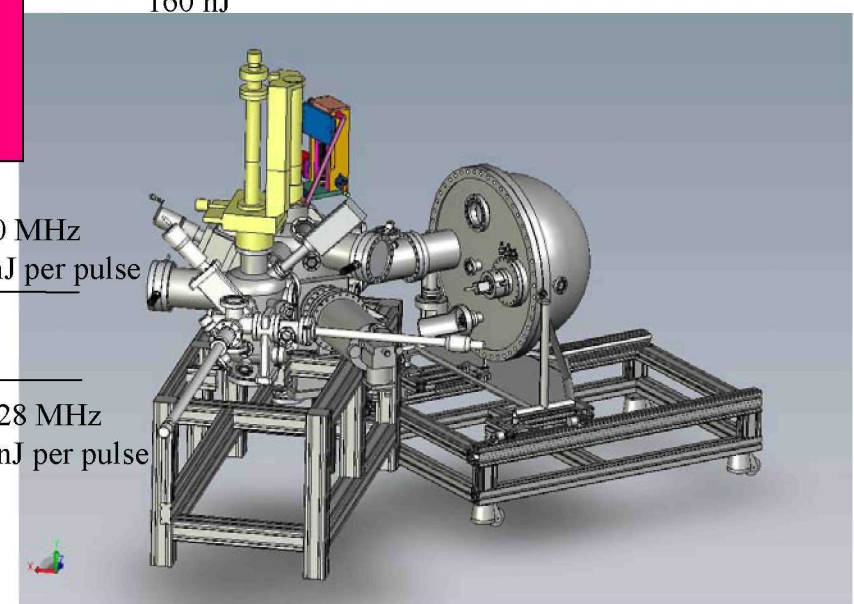
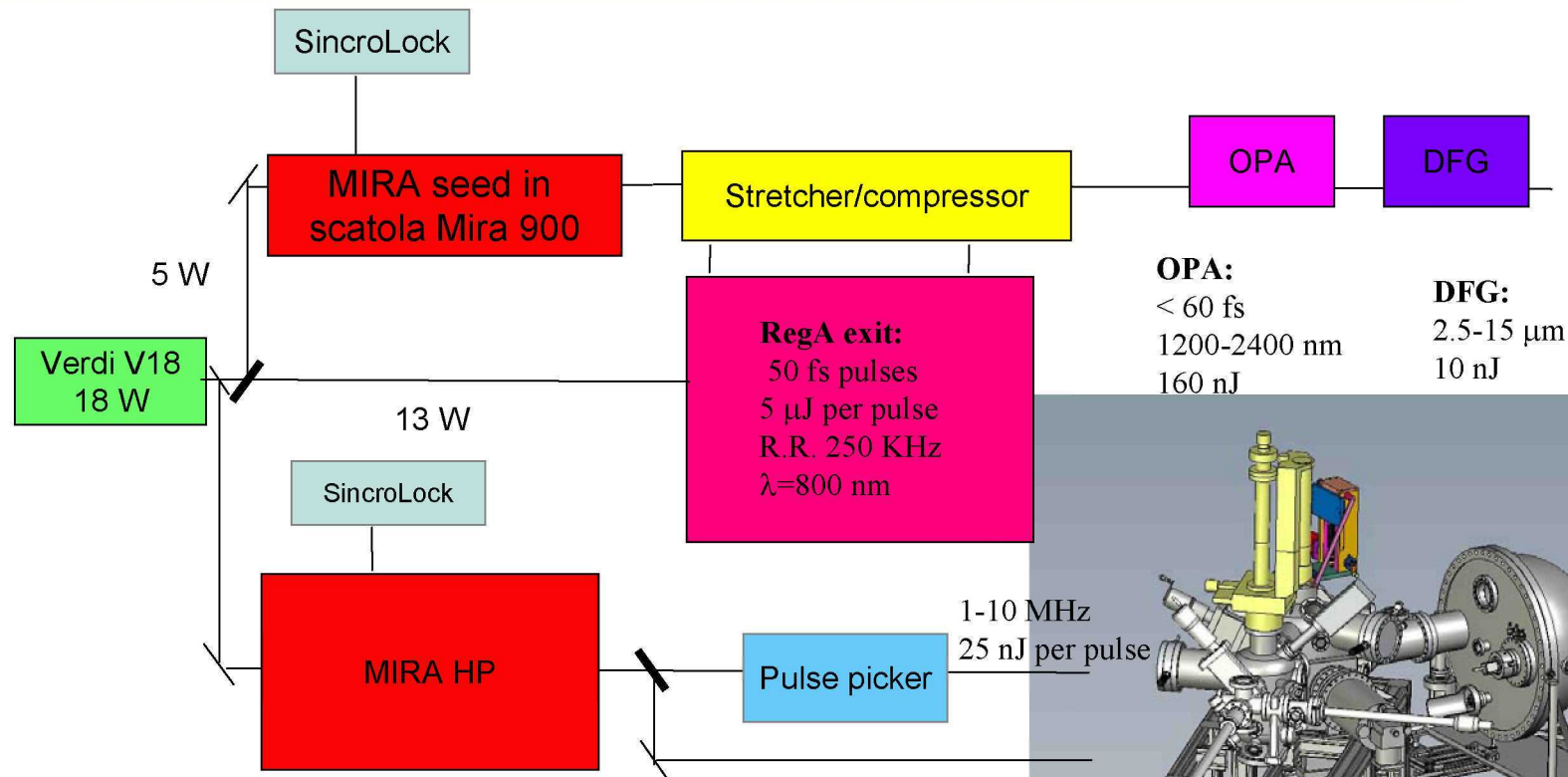


Time-Resolved and Angle Resolved Photoelectron Spectroscopy – TR-ARPES and Time-Resolved and Spin Resolved ARPES – TR-SR-ARPES

(started 2006)

Objectives

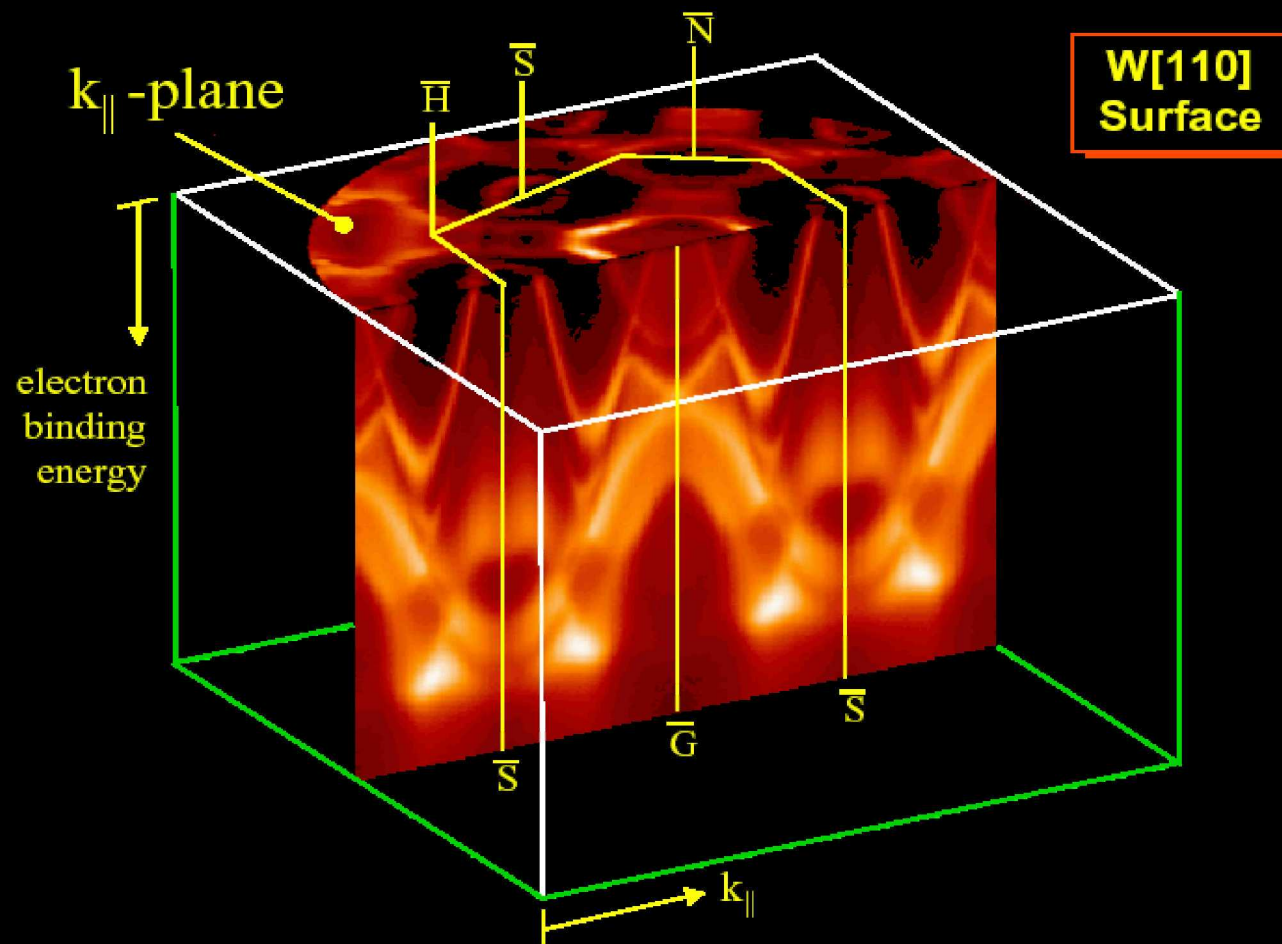
Scope of the project is to design and built an angle resolved and time resolved photoemission system with a spin detector.

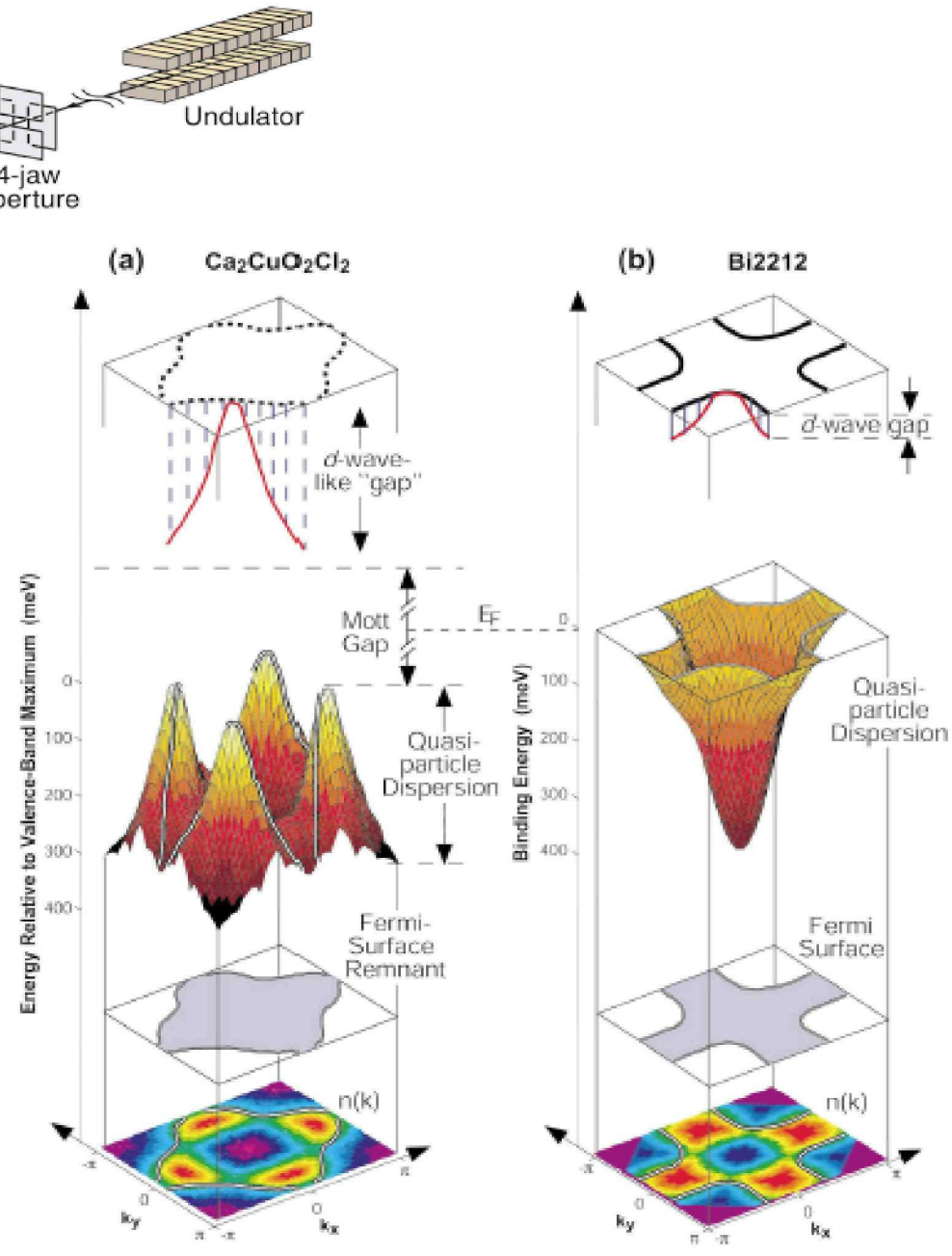
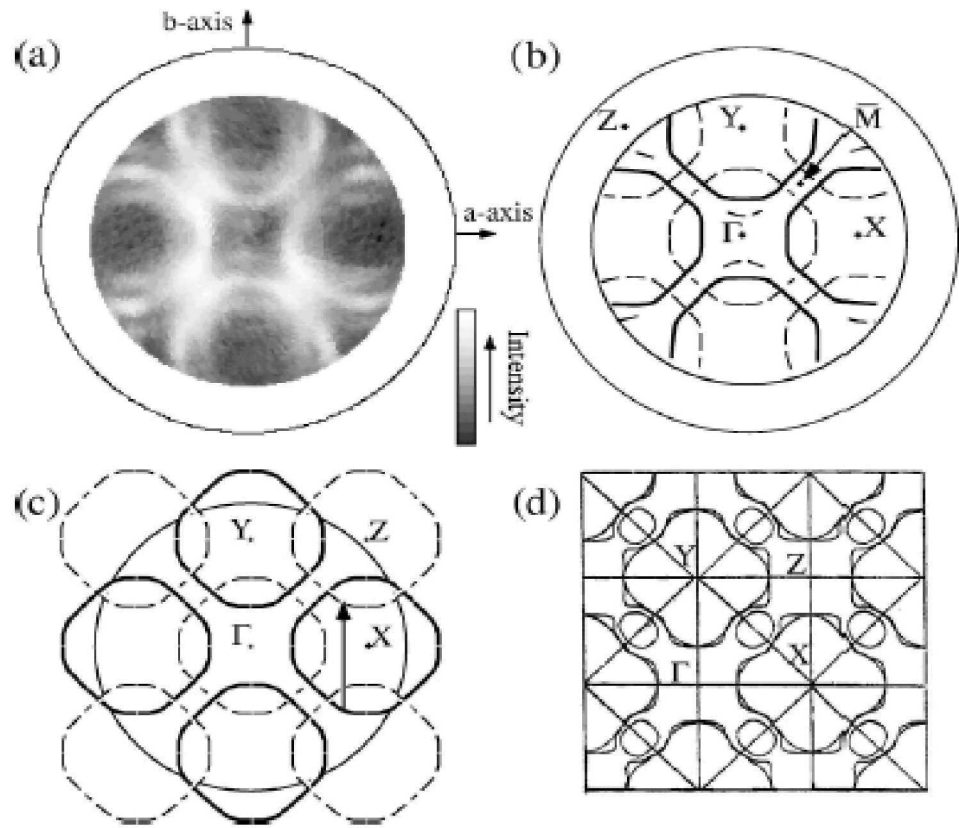
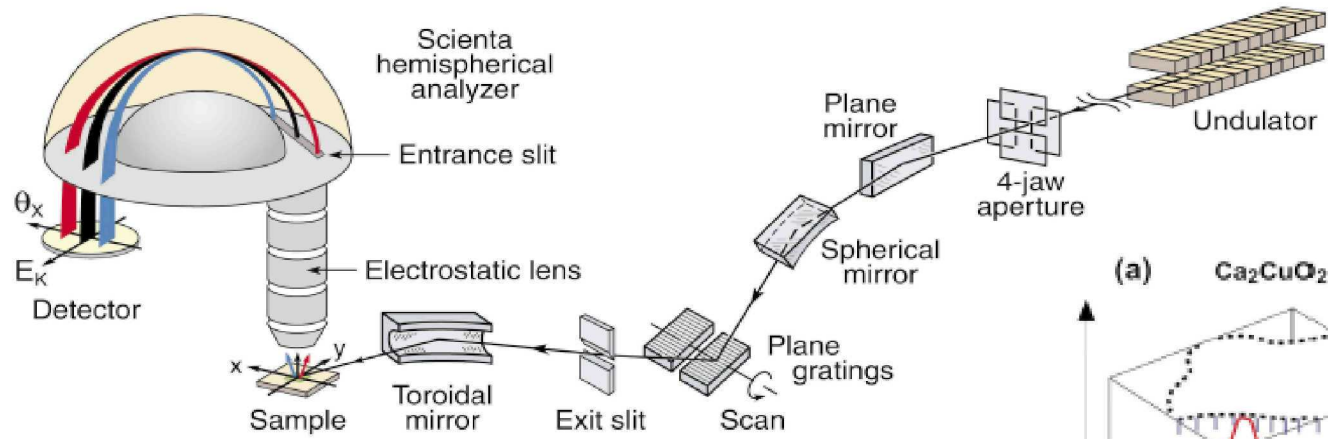


10 K Minimum Temperature on the Sample
6 degrees of Freedom motorized
sub meV Resolution
40 degrees Angular Acceptance
Max Ang Resolution 0.1 degrees
Plug and play upgradable for Spin detection

83,28 MHz
50 nJ per pulse

Band Mapping and Fermi Contours

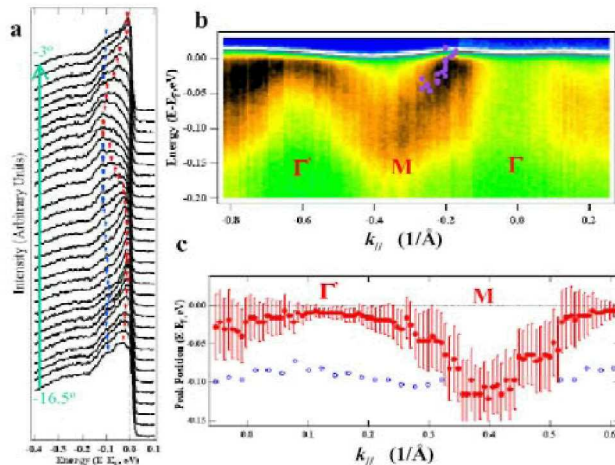




FERMI Surface dynamics

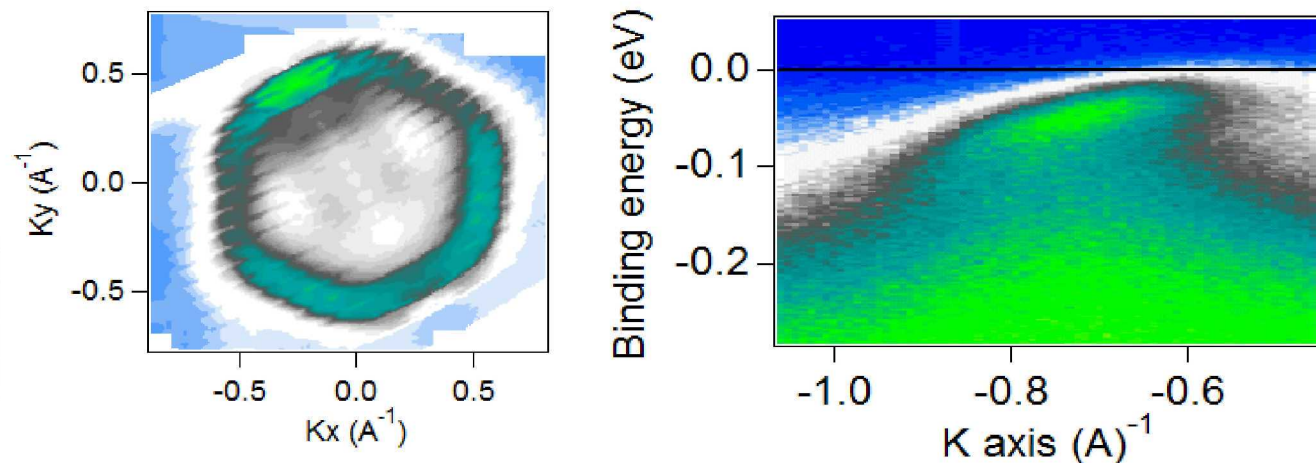
In two recent papers has been shown that it is possible the control of the electronic phase of a manganite by mode-selective vibrational excitation [M. Rini et al., Nature **449**, 72 - 74 (2007)] and to measure the [ultrafast electron relaxation in superconducting \$Bi_2Sr_2CaCu_2O_{8+\delta}\$ by time-resolved photoelectron spectroscopy](#) [L. Perfetti et. al., Phys. Rev. Lett. **99**, 197001 (2007)]. Our aim is to study the breathing of the Fermi surface in K_3C_{60} (Fig 4) and similar system by exciting the structure through selective mode vibrations [Science, **300**, 2003].

K_3C_{60}



Science, 300, 2003

Cobaltites



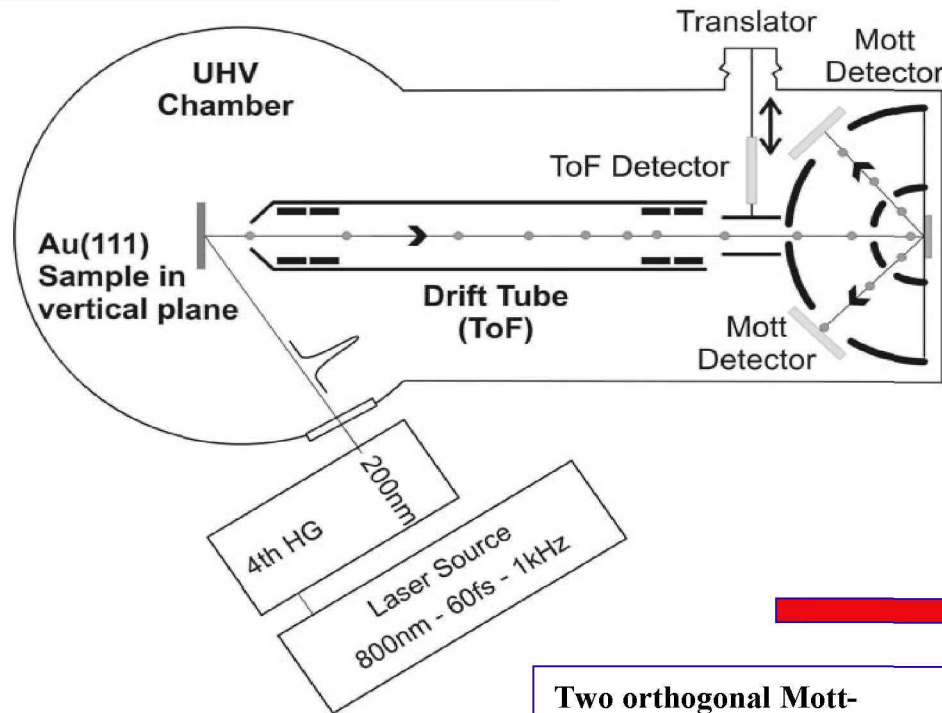
Brouet, Nicolaou, Zacchigna PRB 76, 100403 (07)

Spin states dynamics

Objective

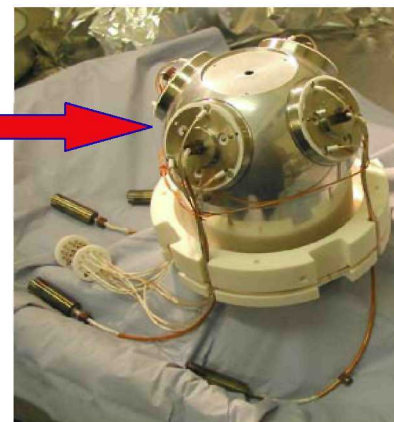
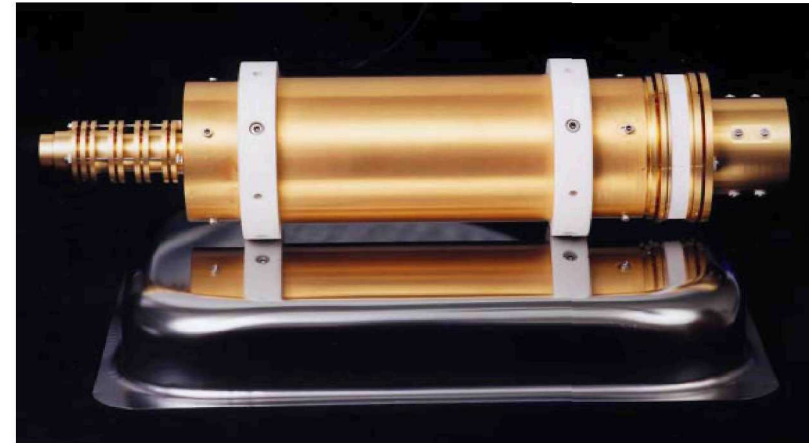
The goal of this project is to measure the spin resolved band dispersion and spin dynamics in solid by harmonics and high harmonics generated from a 250 kHz Ti:SA amplified source

Time-of-Flight analyser
@ high operating frequency
(up to 5 MHz)

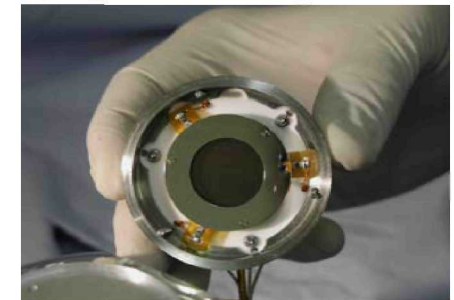


Two orthogonal Mott-detectors to measure V and H spin components

Collaboration with 4GLS (E. Seddon and C. Cacho)



Electron detector



Mott polarimeter

Test of the SR-TR ToF on the Au(111) surface states

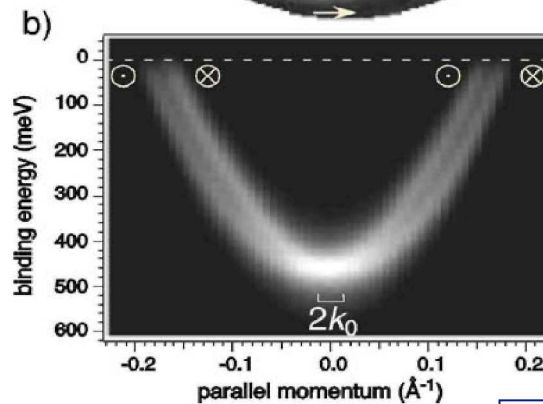
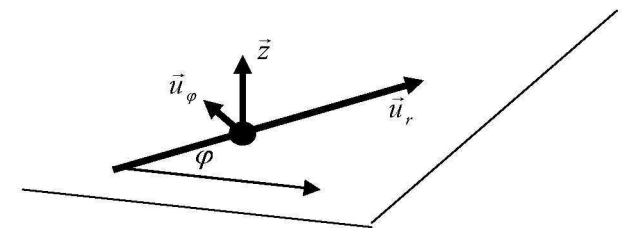
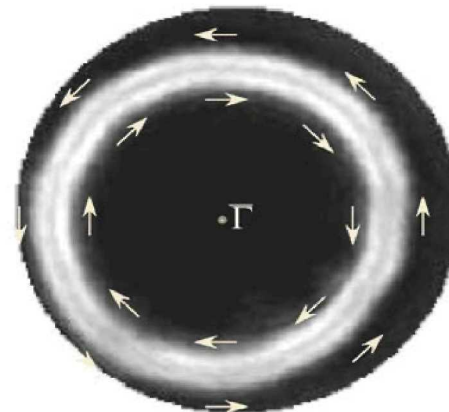
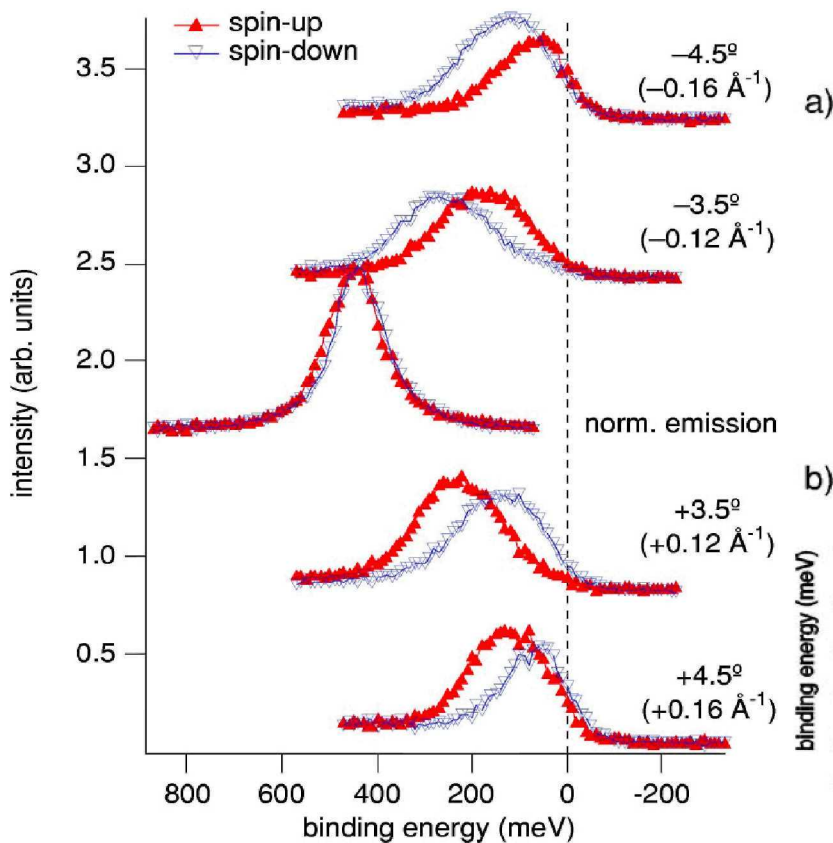
- ✓ TR- and AR-Photoemission
- ✓ Time and Spin resolved experiments
- ✓ Fermi surface mapping

Spin-orbit coupling $H_{SO} = \frac{1}{2c^2} \vec{S} \cdot (\vec{\nabla}V \times \vec{p})$

$V(\vec{r}) = V_0(r, z) + V_3(r, z) \sin 3\phi + V_6(r, z) \cos 6\phi$

$\vec{\nabla}V = \alpha \vec{z} + \beta \vec{u}_\phi$ $\vec{p} = p \vec{u}_r$

$H_{SO} = \frac{p}{2c^2} (\alpha \vec{S} \cdot \vec{u}_\phi + \beta \cos 3\phi \vec{S} \cdot \vec{u}_z)$



Comparison between the 1kHz and 250kHz laser system

1kHz laser system

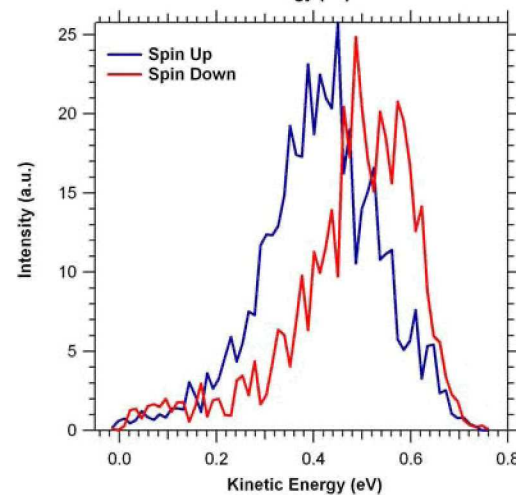
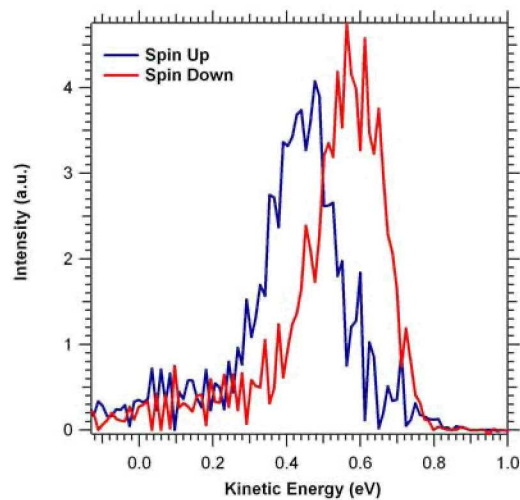
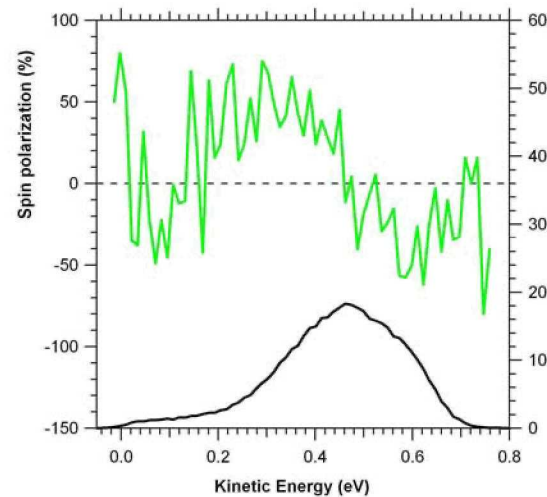
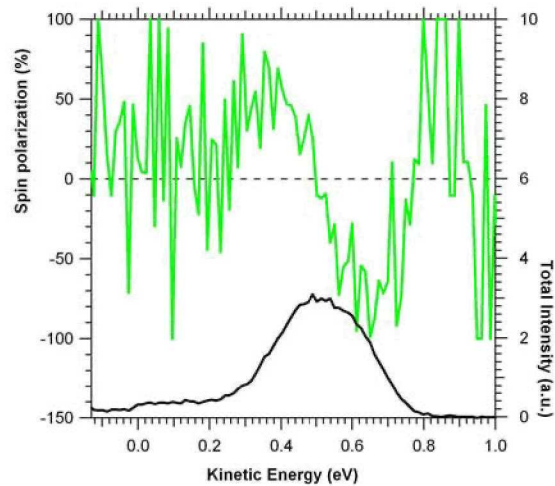
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Total statistic = $4 \cdot 23400 e^-$

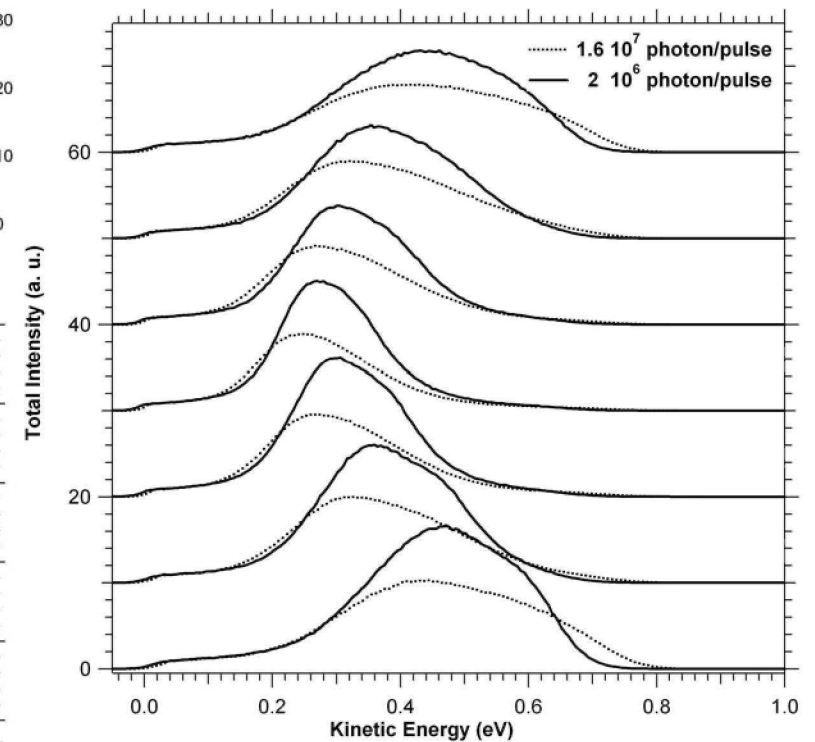
250 kHz laser system

Total time = 1' 20''

Total statistic = $4 \cdot 22400 e^-$



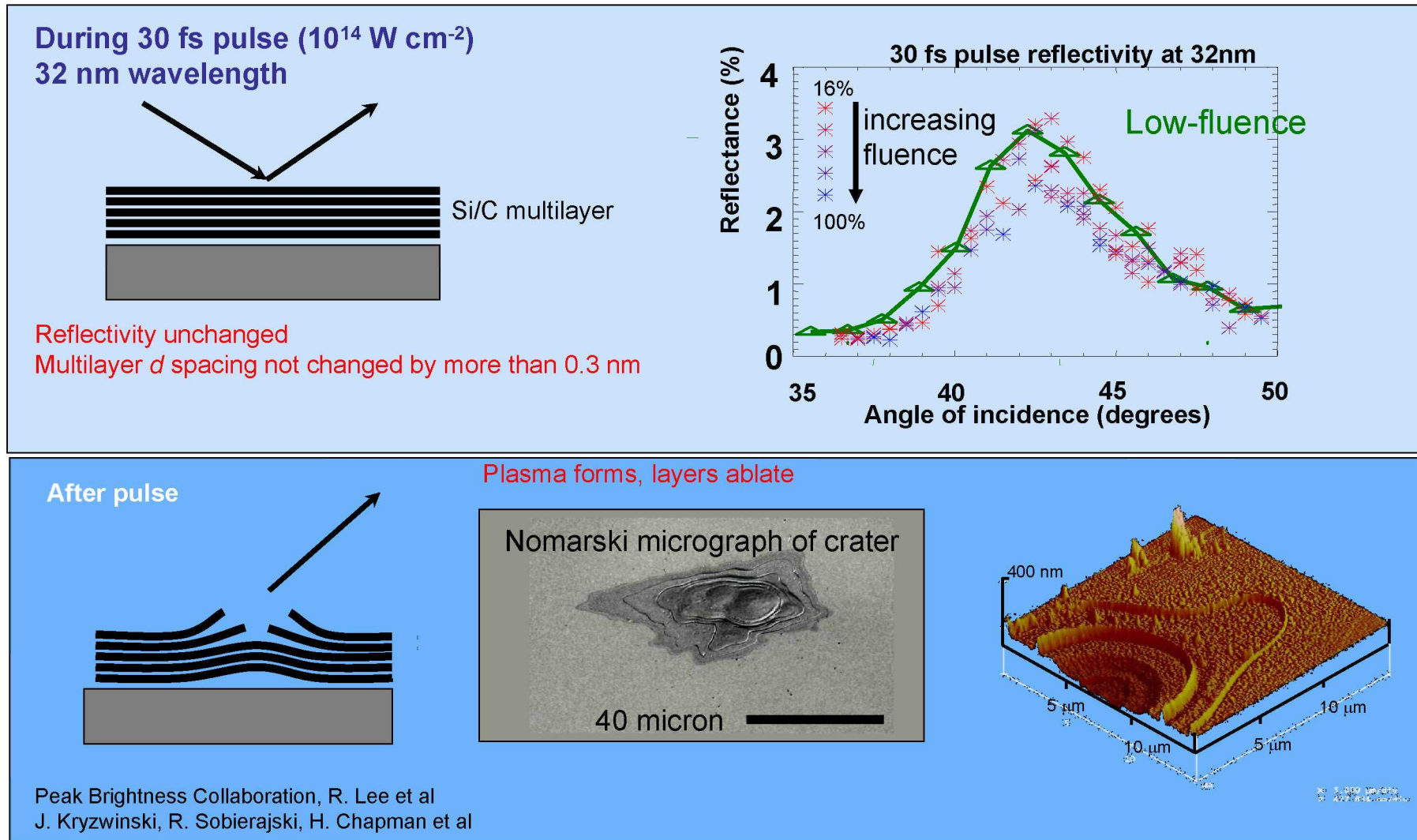
Space Charge Effects



Ultrafast coherent imaging at Fermi

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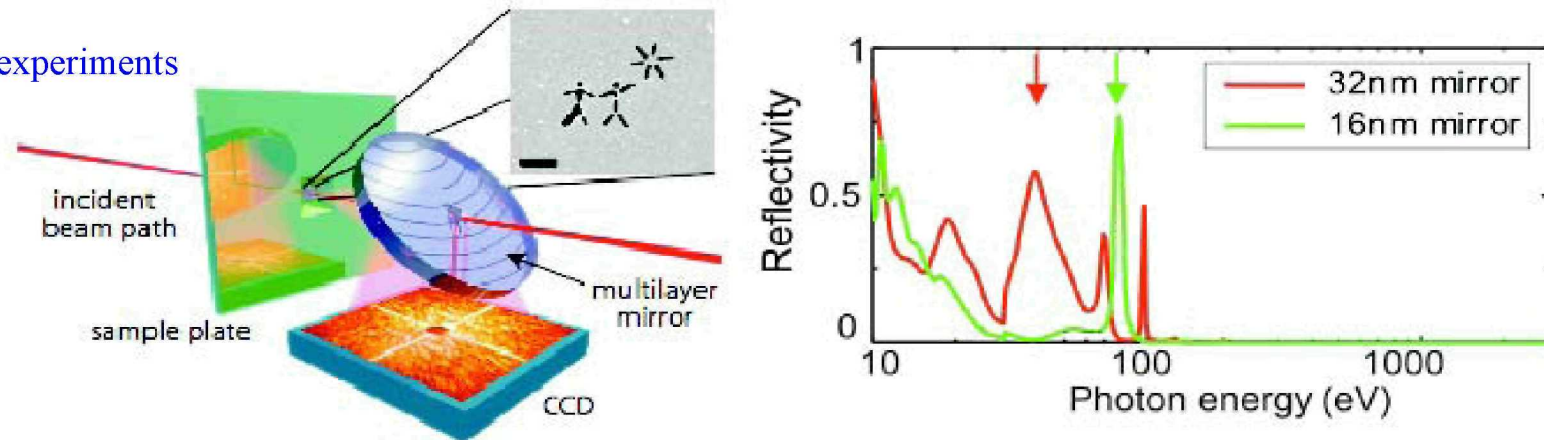
First EUV-FEL experiments show that structural information can be obtained before destruction



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Single-shot experiments



H.N. Chapman et al.; Nat. Phys. **2**, 839 (2006) and Physics Today, Jan 2007, pag. 19

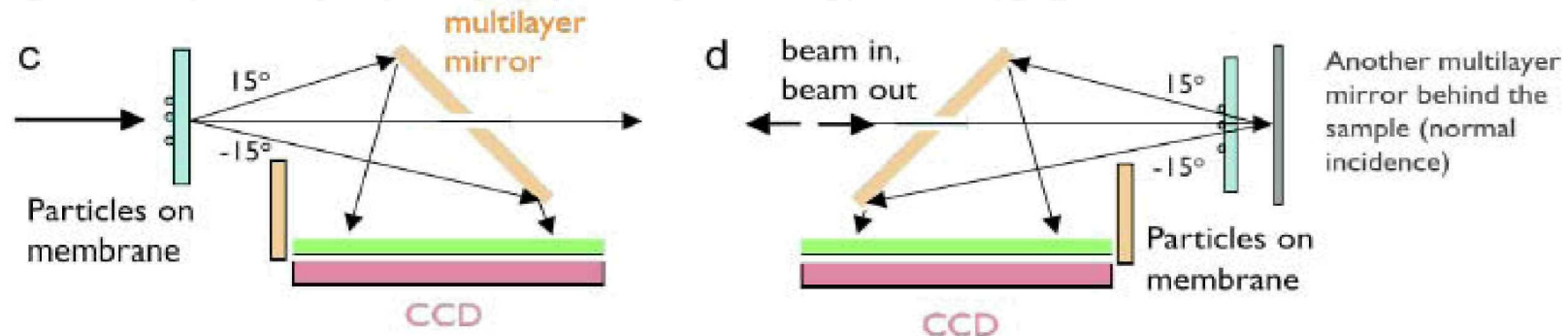
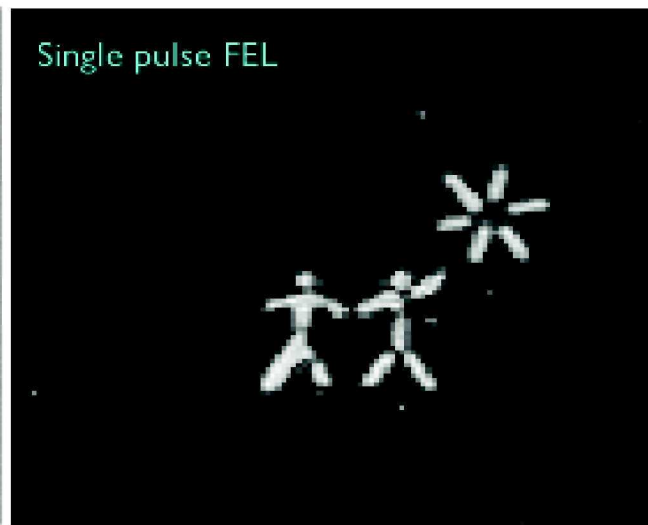
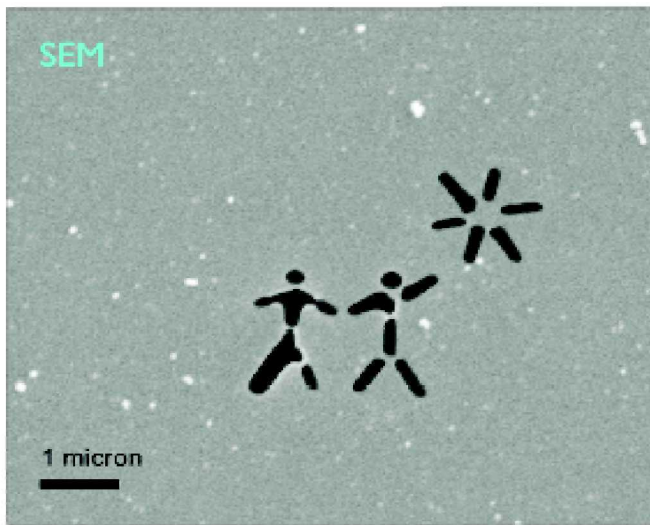
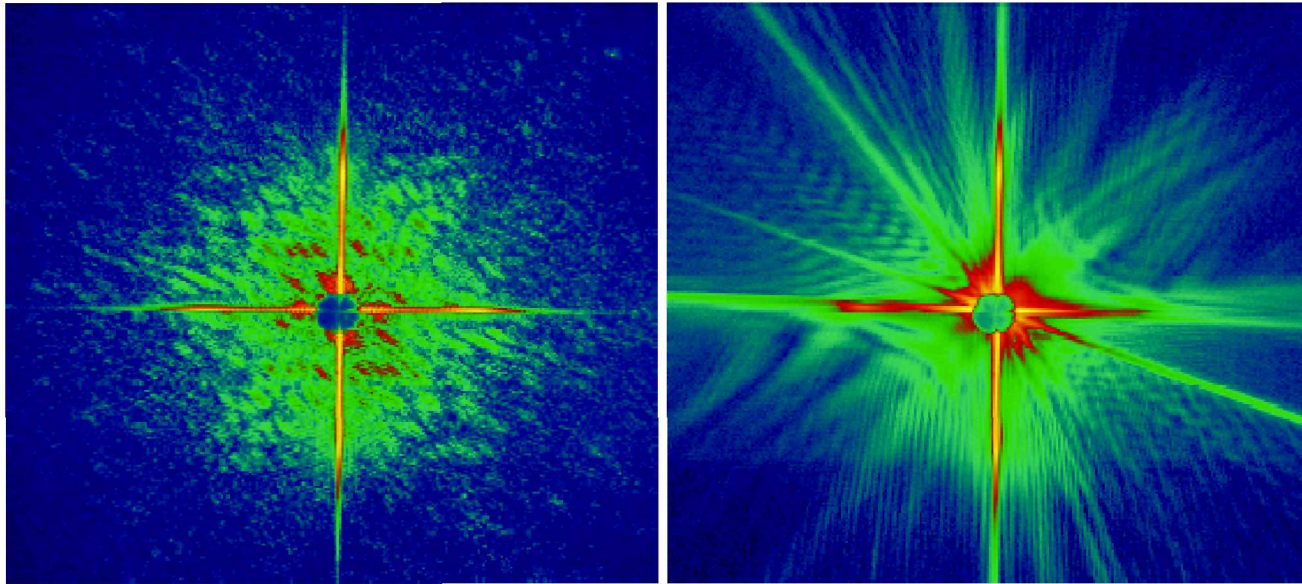


Fig. 1. Schematic of the diffraction camera for FLASH, which uses a multilayer-coated mirror to reflect the on pattern onto a CCD. (a) The configuration shown is for the measurement of diffraction from silicon nanowire test objects. (b) Plots of the reflectivity of the mirror on axis, as a function of photon energy, for mirrors made for the first harmonic (32 nm) and second harmonic (16 nm). (c) Schematic for forward scattering, and (d) schematic for pump-probe imaging where the beam is reflected back onto the sample with a normal-incidence multilayer mirror. A foil filter (green) and light shield (beige) are also shown.

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Defining the first experiments with FERMI@Elettra

CELLS INJECTED INTO THE FEL BEAM:
1st EXPERIMENTS ON LIVE PICOPLANKTON

J.Hajdu and H. Chapman

Procedure:

1. Take cells from solution
2. Introduce them into the beam
3. Hit them with the XFEL pulse and record diffraction pattern

Challenges:

1. Particle concentration
2. Keeping cells alive and in the “native” state
3. Diagnostics: How do we know if a hit was good?

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FIRST FLASH DIFFRACTION IMAGE OF A LIVE PICOPLANKTON

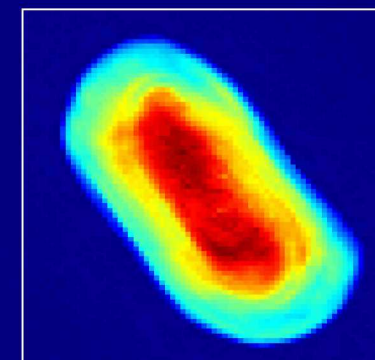
March 2007
FLASH soft X-ray laser
Hamburg, Germany

FLASH pulse length: 10 fs
Wavelength: 13.5 nm

Thanks

J.Hajdu and H. Chapman

RECONSTRUCTED
CELL STRUCTURE



Filipe Maia, Uppsala

J. Hajdu, I. Andersson, F. Maia, M. Bogan, H. Chapman, and the imaging collaboration

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Resolution length on the detector (nm)

FLASH-DIFFRACTIVE IMAGING - EXPECTED PRIMARY IMPACT

NON-CRYSTALLINE STRUCTURES IN THE MICROMETRE TO NANOMETRE
SIZE DOMAIN

2D STRUCTURES FOR NON-REPRODUCIBLE OBJECTS

3D STRUCTURES FOR REPRODUCIBLE OBJECTS

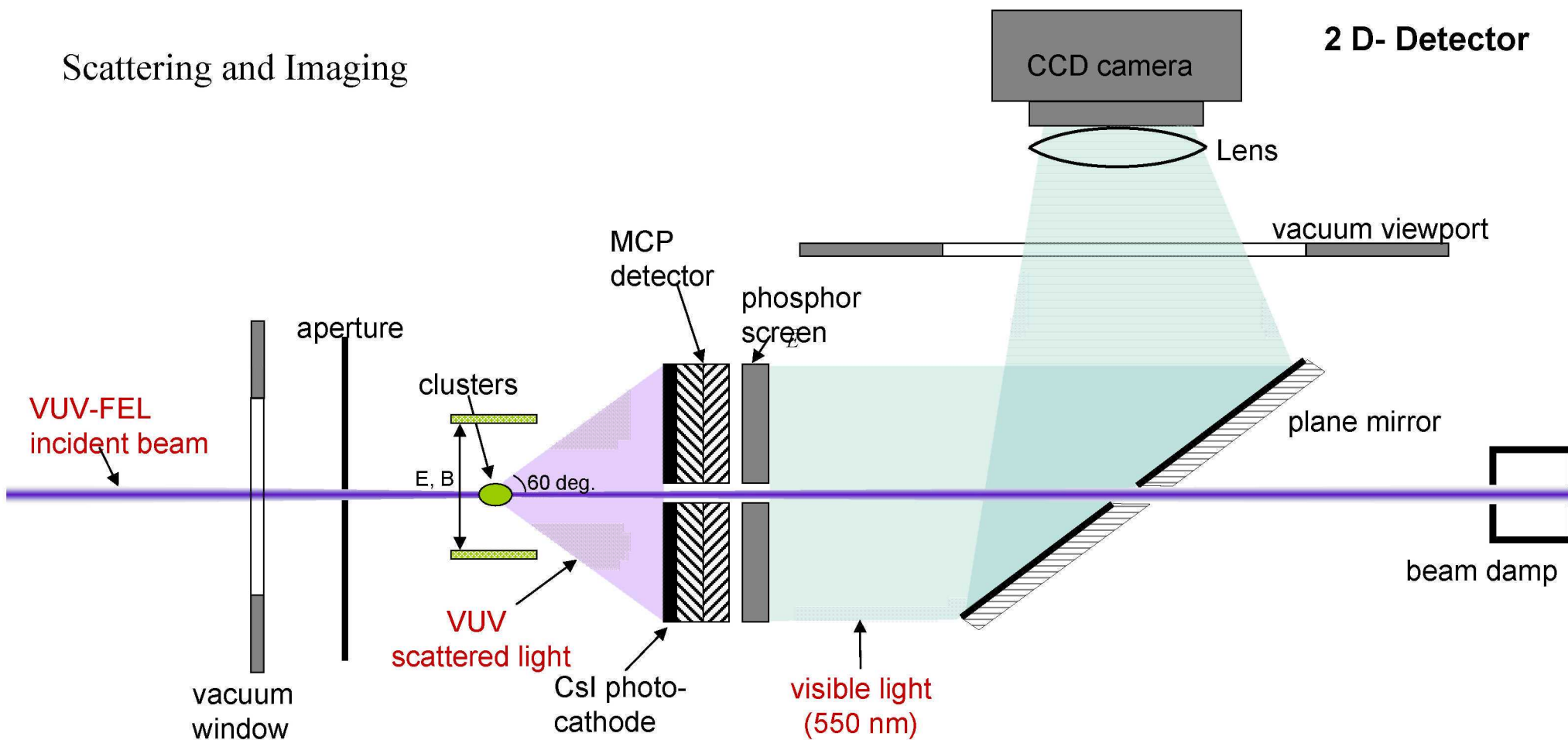
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EXPERIMENTS

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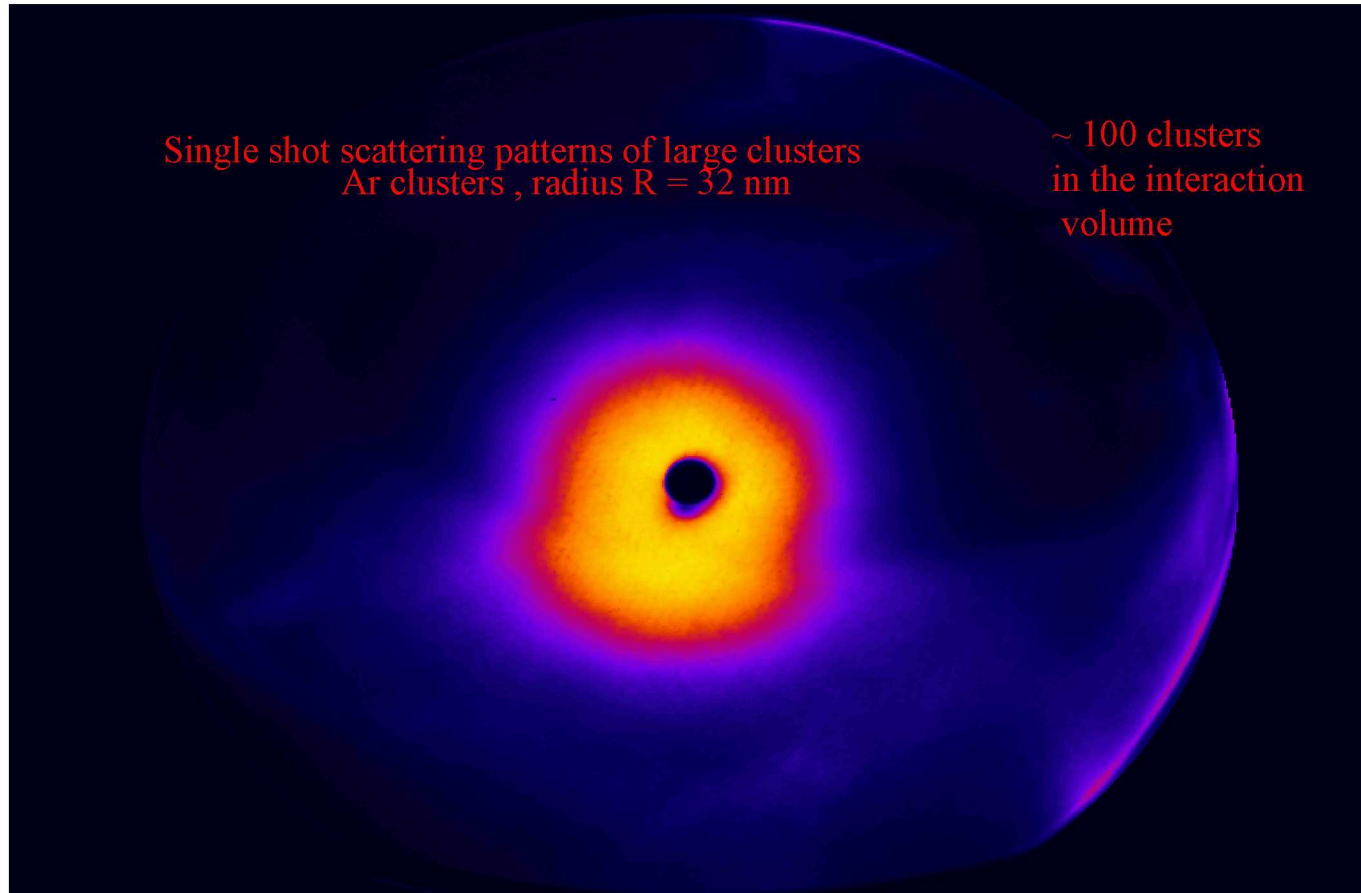


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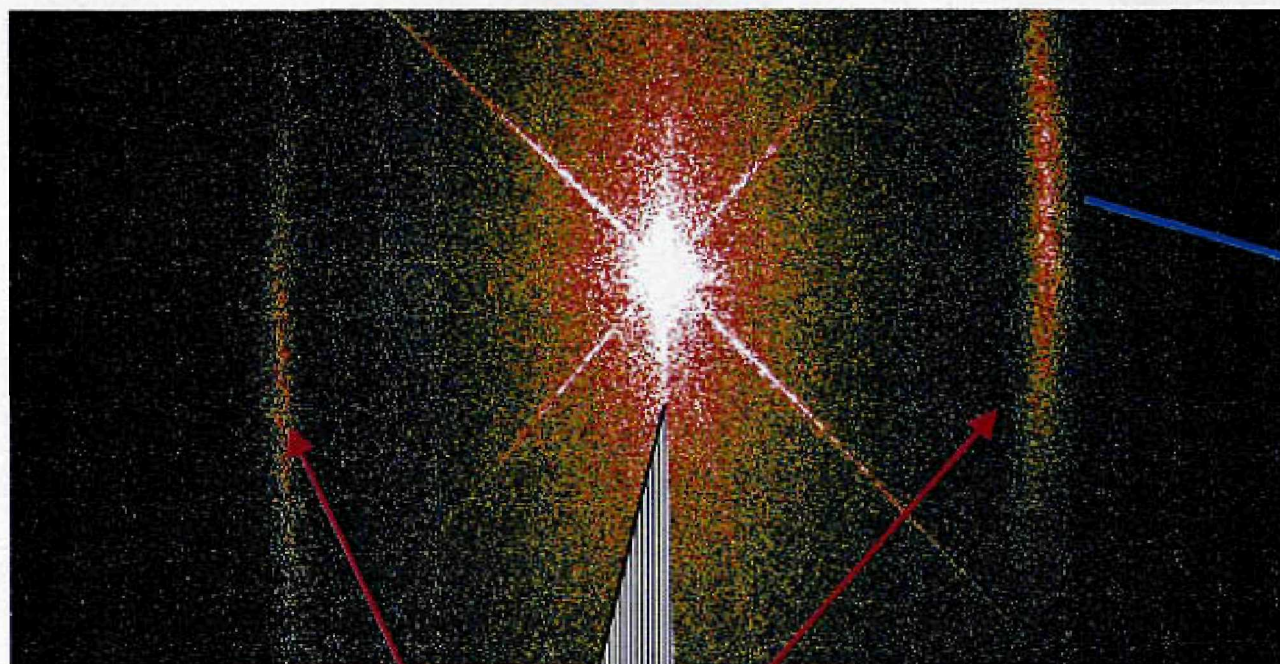
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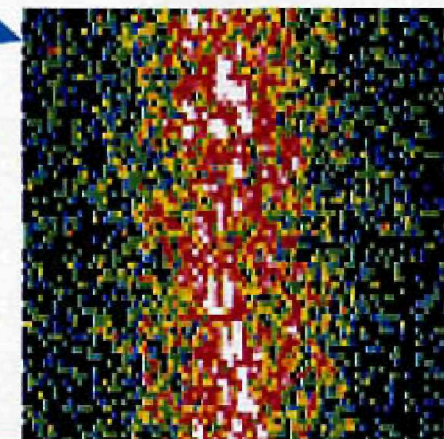
Clusters stay intact during exposure (30 fs), $\Delta R < 3 \text{ \AA}$

February 2006

Coherent scattering on FePd magnetic stripes



« Magnetic speckles »



CCD camera
1152 x 1142 pixels

Pixel size
22.5 μm x 22.5 μm

Pinhole
20 μm

X

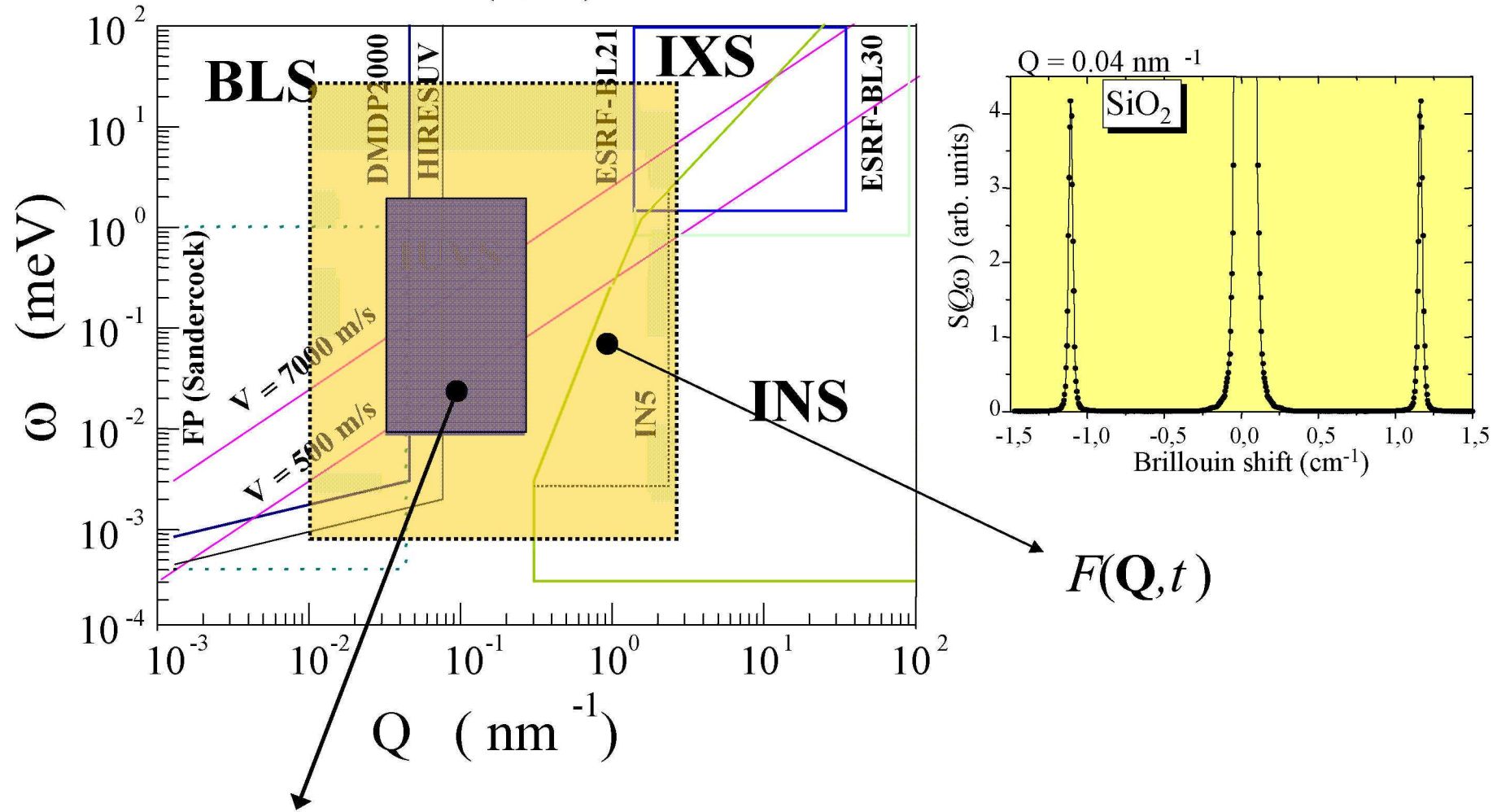
Circular polarization

Dichroic effect

ESRF ID08, june 2001

Available Instruments to measure Collective Excitations

$S(Q, \omega) \rightarrow$ Dynamic Structure Factor



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Transient Grating Spectroscopy at the Nanoscale

Liquids - Fluids

- Transition from the **Hydrodynamic to the Kinetic** regime in Simple liquids and fluids.
- Effect of the **Local Structure** on the Relaxation Dynamics of Molecular liquids and H-bonded liquids.
- Sound **Bifurcation** in Gas Mixtures
- Thermal Relaxation Dynamics in **Liquid Metals**.

Glasses

- **Relaxational Processes** in Super-Cooled liquids and their relation to the Glass Transition.
- Vibrational and Relaxational **Low Temperature Properties** of Fragile and Strong glasses.
- **Characteristic** Length of the Disorder

Surface Dynamics

- **Transverse Dynamics** in Liquids.
- Phase Transition in thin **Films**.

Polymers

- **Structural** Relaxations.
- Shear and Density **Fluctuations**.

Cluster and nanoparticle spectroscopy

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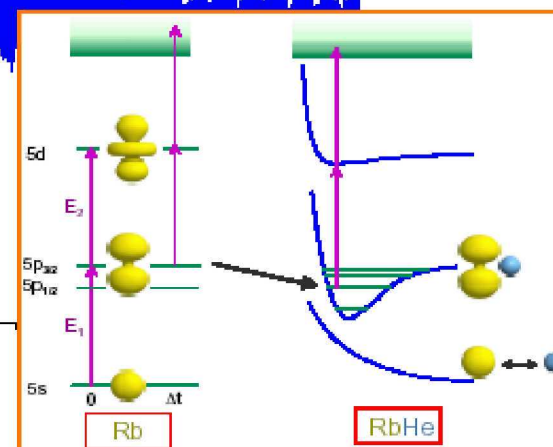
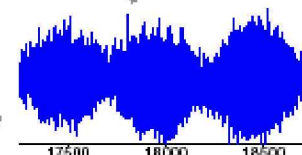
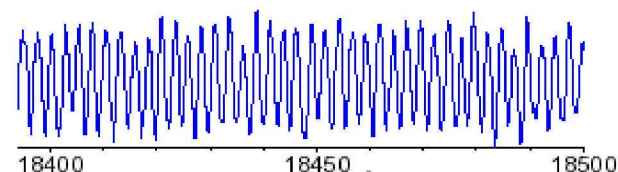
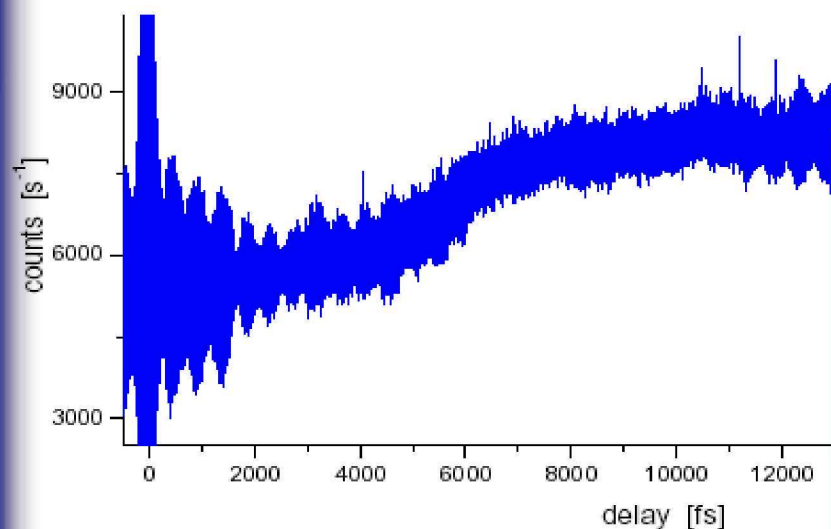
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Fs pump probe experiments of doped helium nanodroplets: Quantum interference structures

Determination of vibrational structures during the formation of **RbHe** exciplex Molecules !!

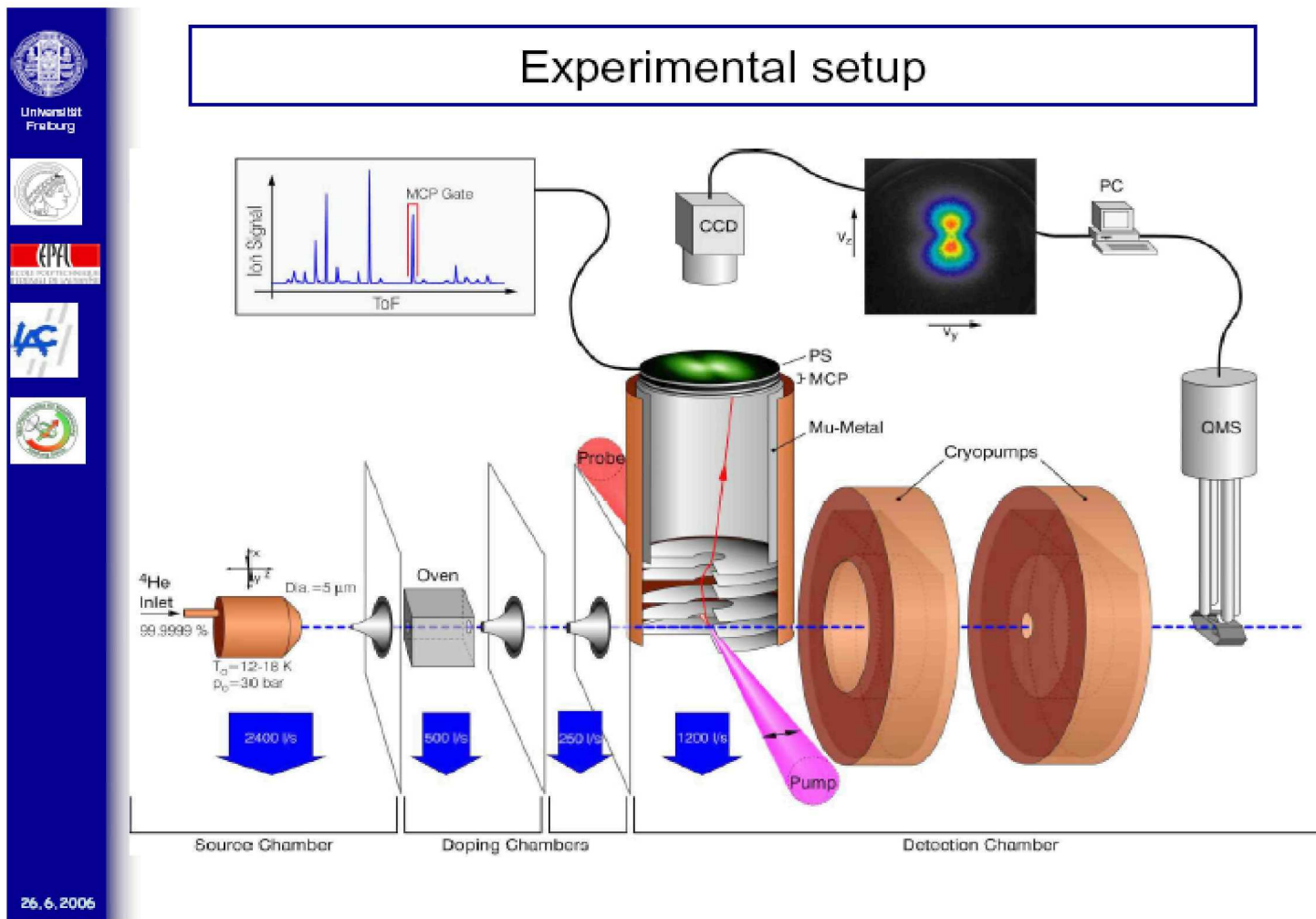


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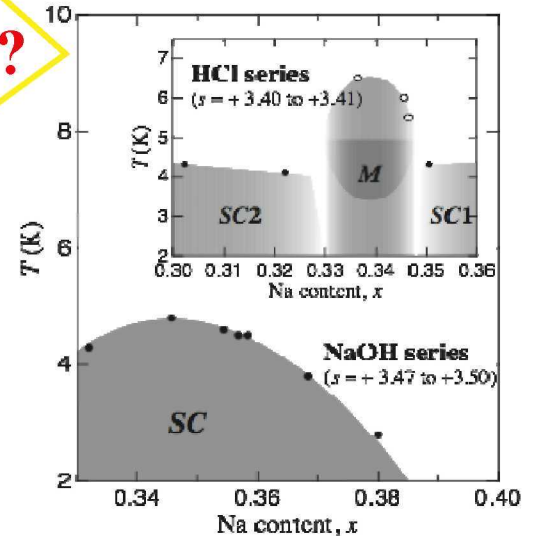
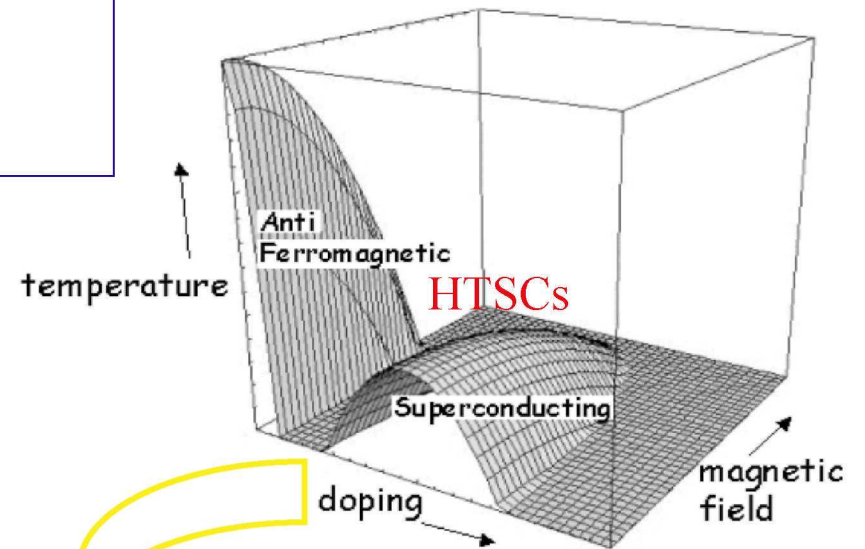
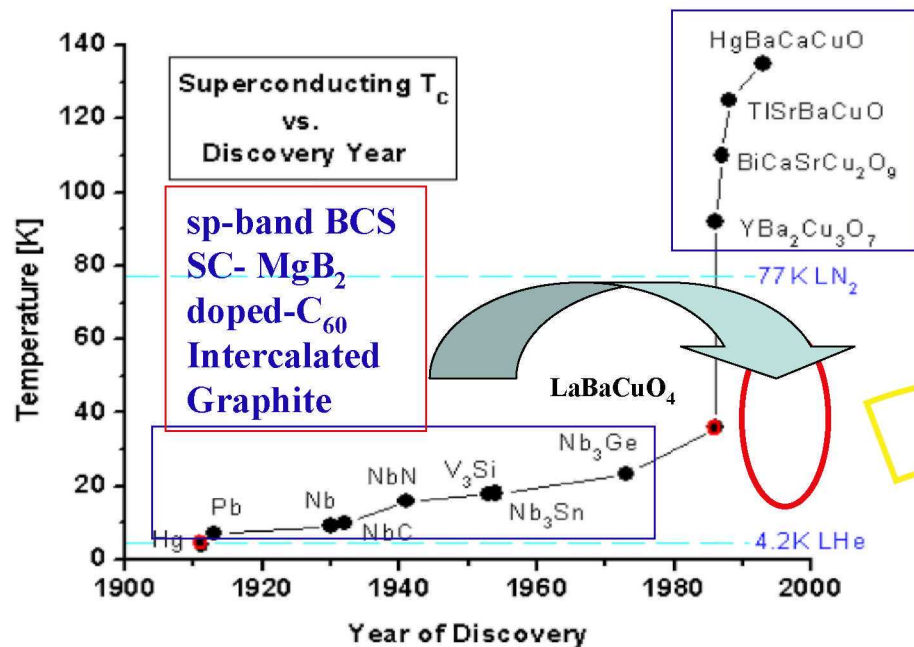
Selective excitations (CT and phonons) to study transient states and photo-induced phase transitions.

Superconductors (e-ph interactions, magnetism and superconductivity).

Magnetic materials (dynamics of the magnetic excitations).

Strong correlations in hard- and soft- condensed matter

(charge transfer and phonon assisted excitations).



$$\lambda_{\nu\mathbf{q}} \equiv \frac{1}{\pi N(0)} \frac{\gamma_{\nu\mathbf{q}}}{\omega_{\nu\mathbf{q}}^2}, \quad N_n(0) \equiv \sum_{\mathbf{k}} \delta(\epsilon_{n\mathbf{k}})$$

$$\frac{\gamma_{\nu\mathbf{q}}}{\omega_{\nu\mathbf{q}}} = 2\pi \sum_{n\mathbf{m}\mathbf{k}} |g_{\nu, n\mathbf{k}, m(\mathbf{k}+\mathbf{q})}|^2 \delta(\epsilon_{n\mathbf{k}}) \delta(\epsilon_{m\mathbf{k}+\mathbf{q}})$$

$$g_{\nu, n\mathbf{k}, m(\mathbf{k}+\mathbf{q})} = \langle n\mathbf{k} | \delta V(\mathbf{r}) | m(\mathbf{k}+\mathbf{q}) \rangle / \delta Q_{\nu\mathbf{q}}$$

Photo-induced and Magnetic Field-Dependent X-Ray Emission in Magnanites

Photo-induced and magnetic field-induced insulator-to-metal transition

Photo-induced isothermal magneto-structural phase transition and magneto-resistance

For $H > 5$ Tesla, $T < 30$ K

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TIFF (LZW) decompressor
are needed to see this picture.

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LETTERS

Control of the electronic phase of a manganite by mode-selective vibrational excitation

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Superconductivity and Ferromagnetism

SUPERCONDUCTIVITY

A different class?

Coexisting superconductivity and ferromagnetism due to itinerant electrons is unusual, but even among them URhGe stands out. Its surprising behaviour could help reveal the underlying physics of ferromagnetic superconductors.

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H vs T phase diagram for (H₂O) Cobaltites.
Open and closed circles represent T_c and magnetic ordering Temperature

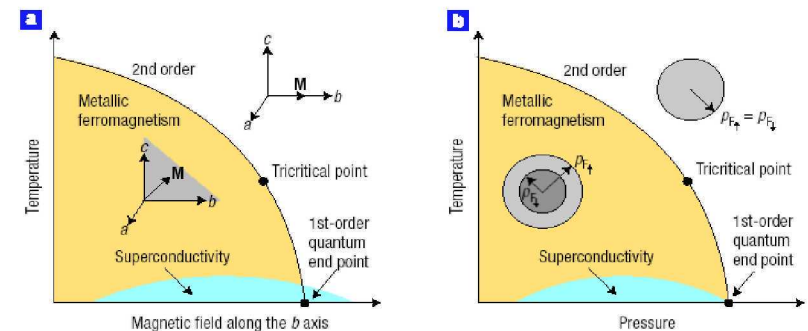
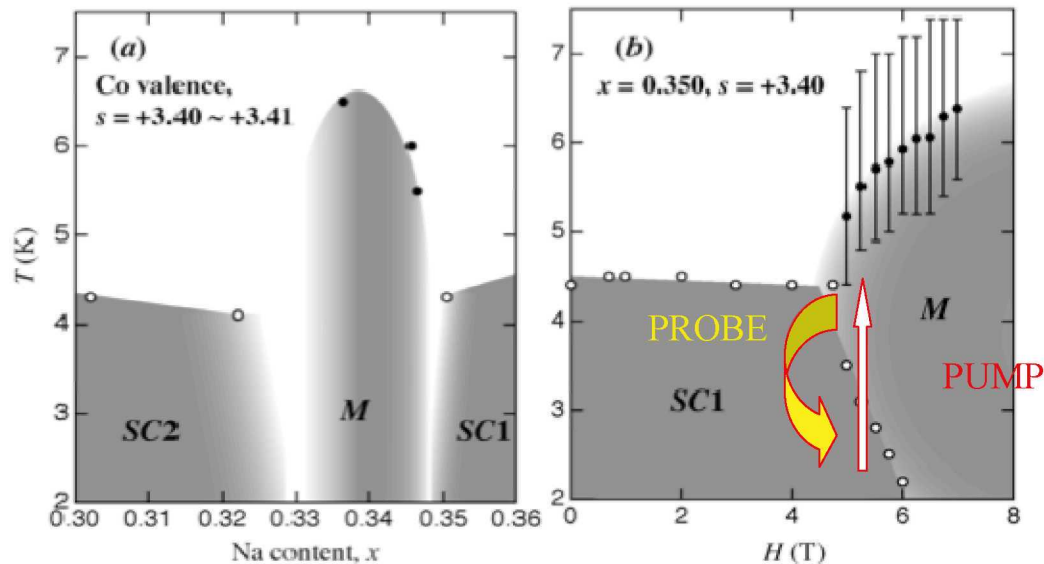
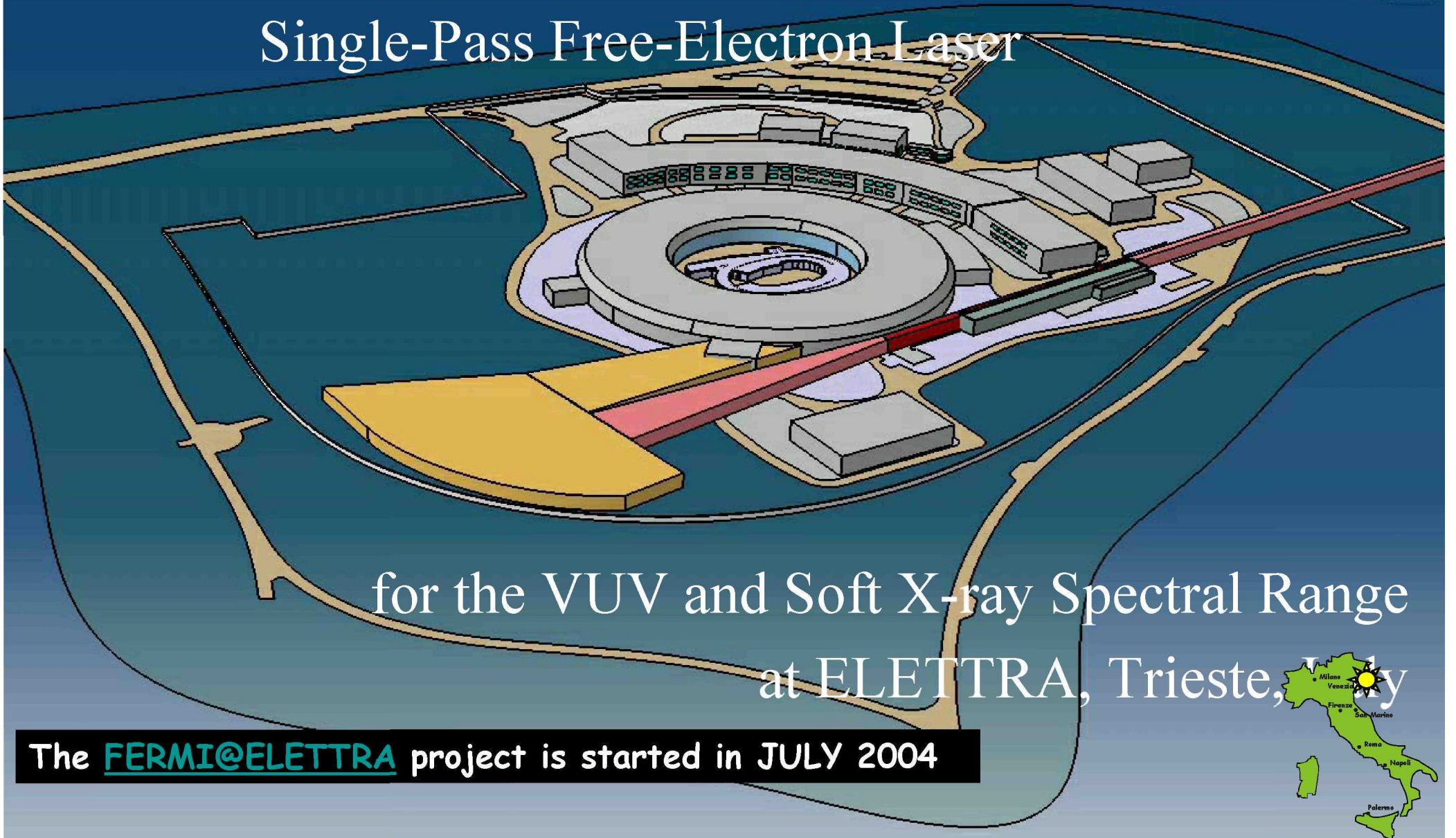
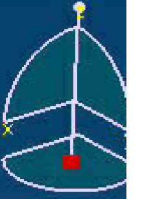


Figure 1 Schematic phase diagrams of the novel ferromagnetic superconductors URhGe, UGe₂ and UIr, close to first-order quantum end points. **a**, For URhGe, the solid line marks the magnetic transition between two spin-polarized states in which the magnetization \mathbf{M} is aligned in different directions in the orthorhombic unit cell. The easy axis of magnetization is the c axis. The magnetic transition is second order (continuous) above the tricritical point and first order below the tricritical point. The value of the upper critical field along the a axis seems to diverge as the component of the magnetic field along the b axis is tuned towards the first-order quantum end point. This unprecedented behaviour is the key finding of Levy and colleagues¹. **b**, The solid line in the temperature–pressure phase diagram marks a transition from a ferromagnetic state to a spin-unpolarized state (paramagnetic) in UGe₂ or UIr (metamagnetic transition lines are not shown). It is interesting that in all three itinerant-electron ferromagnets superconductivity is observed only in the spin-polarized state and electron pairing is therefore expected to be in spin-triplet p -wave states⁵.

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for the VUV and Soft X-ray Spectral Range
at ELETTRA, Trieste, Italy

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