

ASTA:

(Advanced Superconducting Test Accelerator at Fermilab)

Science and Facility Overview and Opportunities for ERL R&D

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ASTA Facility

Advanced Superconducting Test Accelerator
(formerly known as NML... now
significantly expanded)



1.3 GHz SC RF Cryomodule transportation to ASTA

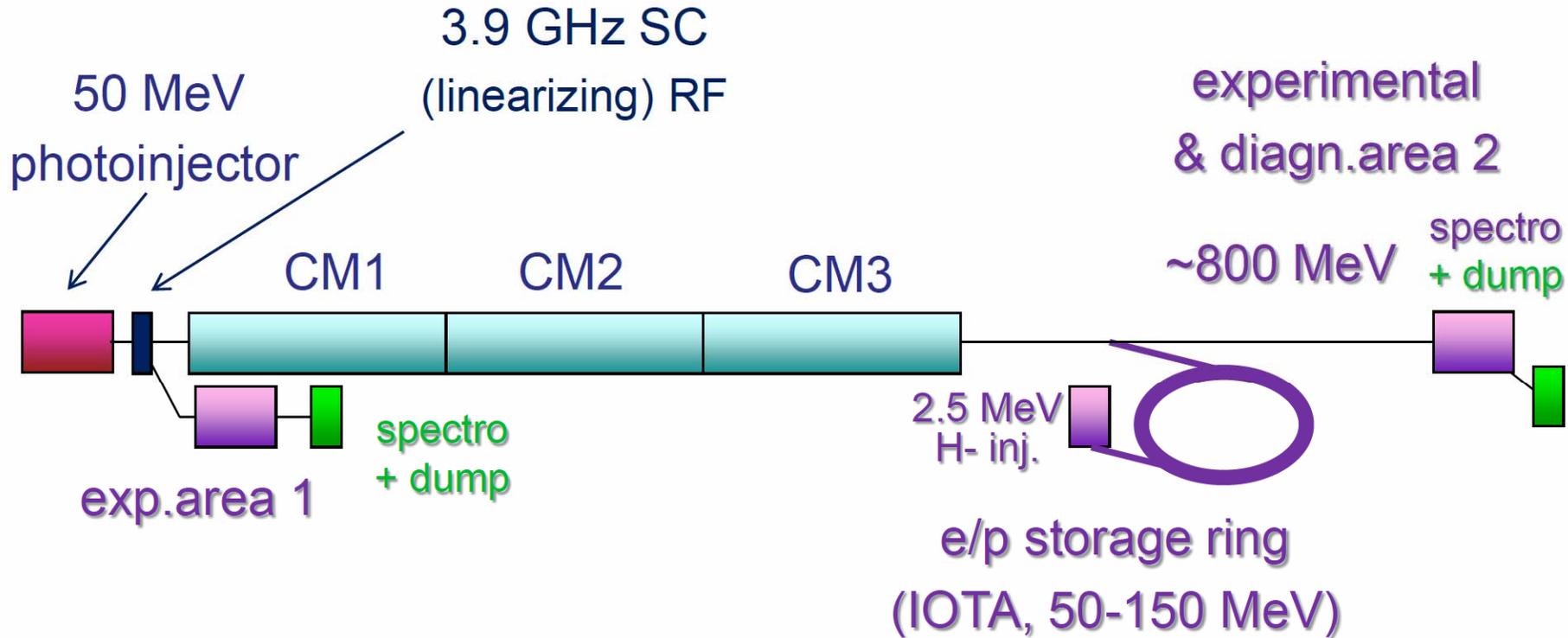
Background

- Construction of ASTA (a.k.a. **NML**) began in 2006 as part of the **ILC/SRF R&D Program** and later American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA).
- The Facility was motivated by the goal of building, testing & operating a complete **ILC RF unit (3 CMs)**
- To date, an investment of about **\$80M** has been made, representing **~80%** completion of the facility
- It was recognized early in the planning process that an e- beam meeting the ILC performance parameters was itself a power resource of interest to the wider **Advanced Accelerator R&D** community.

ASTA → Accelerator R&D Users Facility



ASTA Users Facility (schematically)

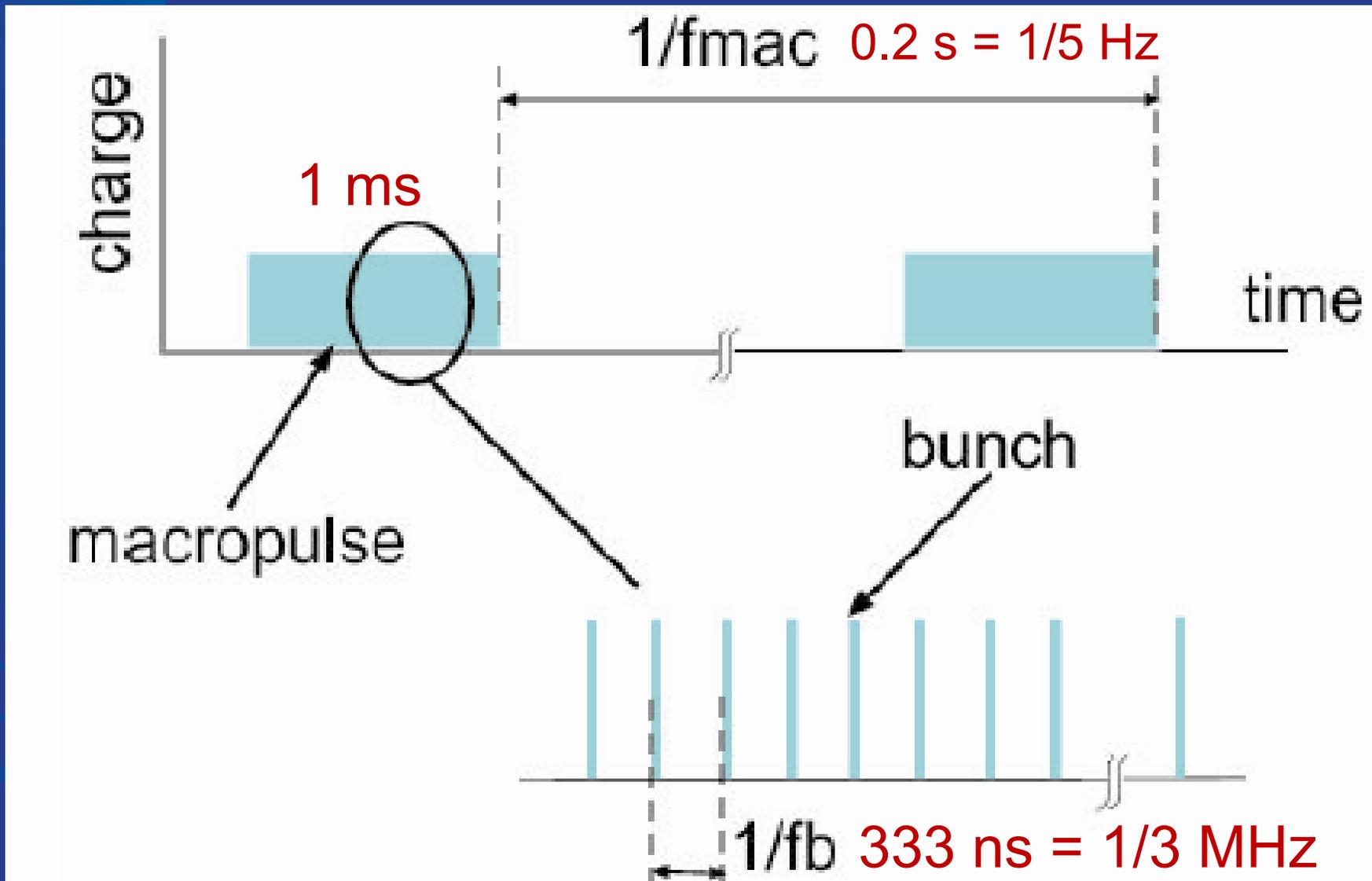


Three Experimental Areas capable of hosting **5-9 experiments** at once

Can serve community of **100-150 users** (in ~3-5 years)

Beam parameters for EA1-EA3: **50 MeV, 300-800 MeV, IOTA :**

ASTA Laser & e-Beam Pulse

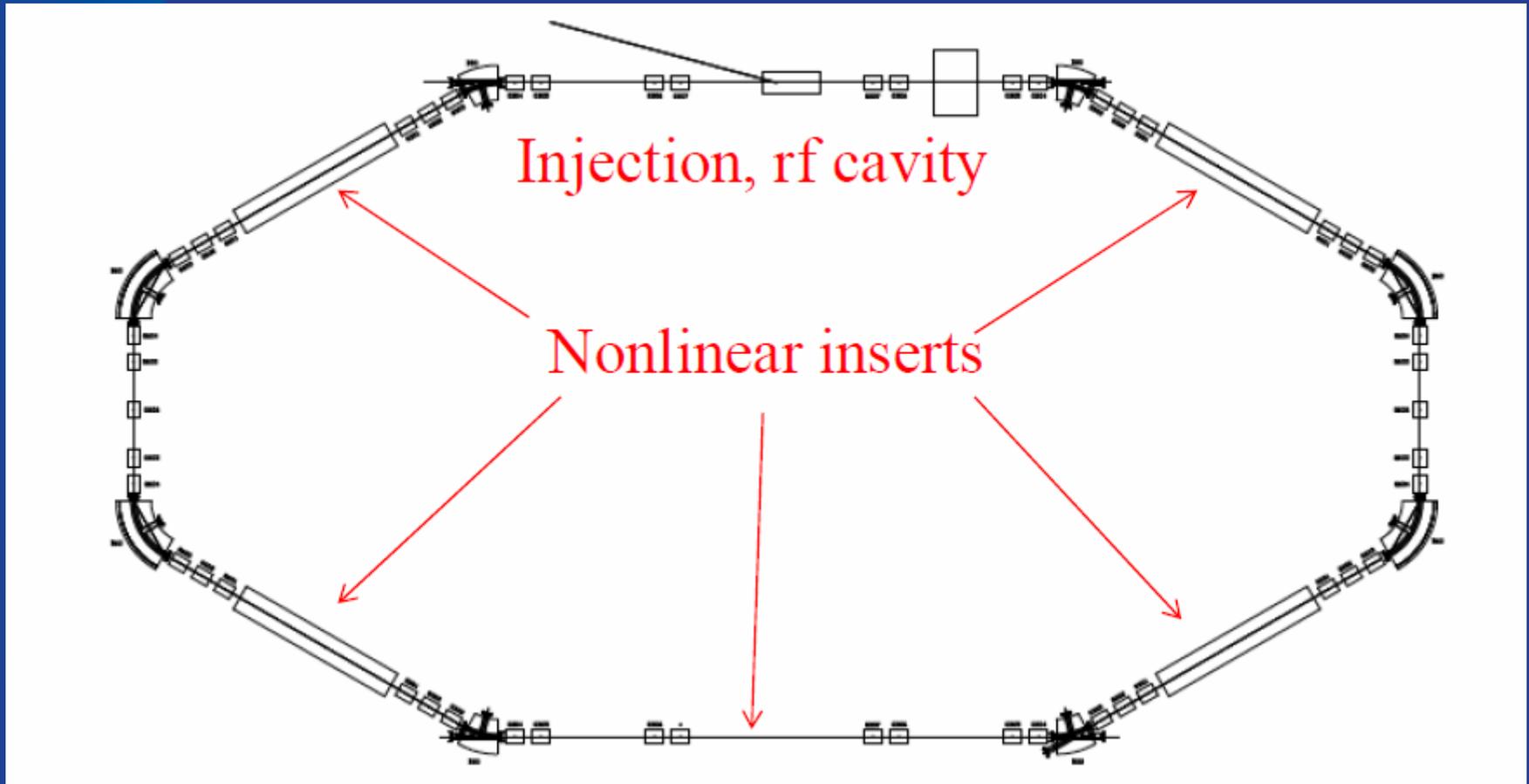


Experimental Areas 1 & 2

Parameter	Value	Range	Unit	Comments
Energy Exp A 1	50	5-50	MeV	maximum determined by booster cavity gradients
Energy Exp A 2	820	50-820	MeV	1500 MeV with 6 cryomodules
Bunch charge	3.2	0.02-20	nC	maximum determined by cathode QE and laser power
Bunch spacing	333	10-∞	ns	laser power
Bunch train T	1	1 bunch	ms	maximum limited by modulator and klystron power
Train rep rate	5	0.1-5	Hz	minimum may be determined by egun T-regulation and stability considerations
Emittance_{rms norm}	5	<1 ... >100	π μm	maximum limited by aperture and beam losses
Bunch length_{rms}	1	0.01-10	ps	min obtained with Ti:Sa laser; maximum obtained with laser pulse stacking
Peak current	3	>9	kA	3 kA with low energy bunch compressor; 9 kA possible with 3.9 GHz linearizing cavity

* $3.2\text{nC} \times 3000 \text{ bunches} \times 5 \text{ Hz} \times 0.82 \text{ GeV} = 40 \text{ kW}$

Integrable Optics Test Accelerator IOTA



- Electron mode – beam from SCRF cryomodule (low intensity, low rep rate)
- Proton mode – separate 2.5 MeV H-/p RFQ

Experimental Area 3: IOTA

Parameter	Value	Unit
Circumference	38.7	m
Bending dipole field	0.7	T
RF voltage	50	kV
Electron beam energy	150	MeV
Number of electrons	$2 \cdot 10^9$	
Transv. emittance r.m.s. norm	2	$\pi \mu\text{m}$
Proton beam energy	2.5	MeV
Proton beam momentum	70	MeV/c
Number of protons	$8 \cdot 10^{10}$	
Transv. emittance r.m.s. norm	0.1-0.2	$\pi \mu\text{m}$

Substantial Investments Have Already Been Made At ASTA



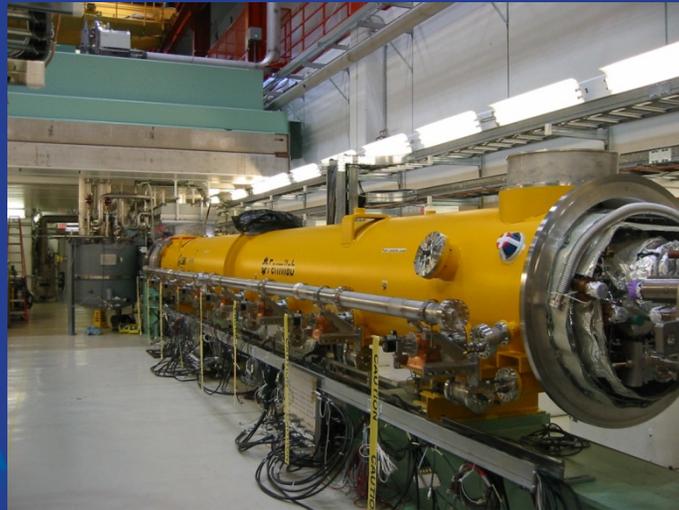
Magnets and Power Supplies: \$4M



Beam Dumps: \$2M



**RF Power
Systems: \$8M**

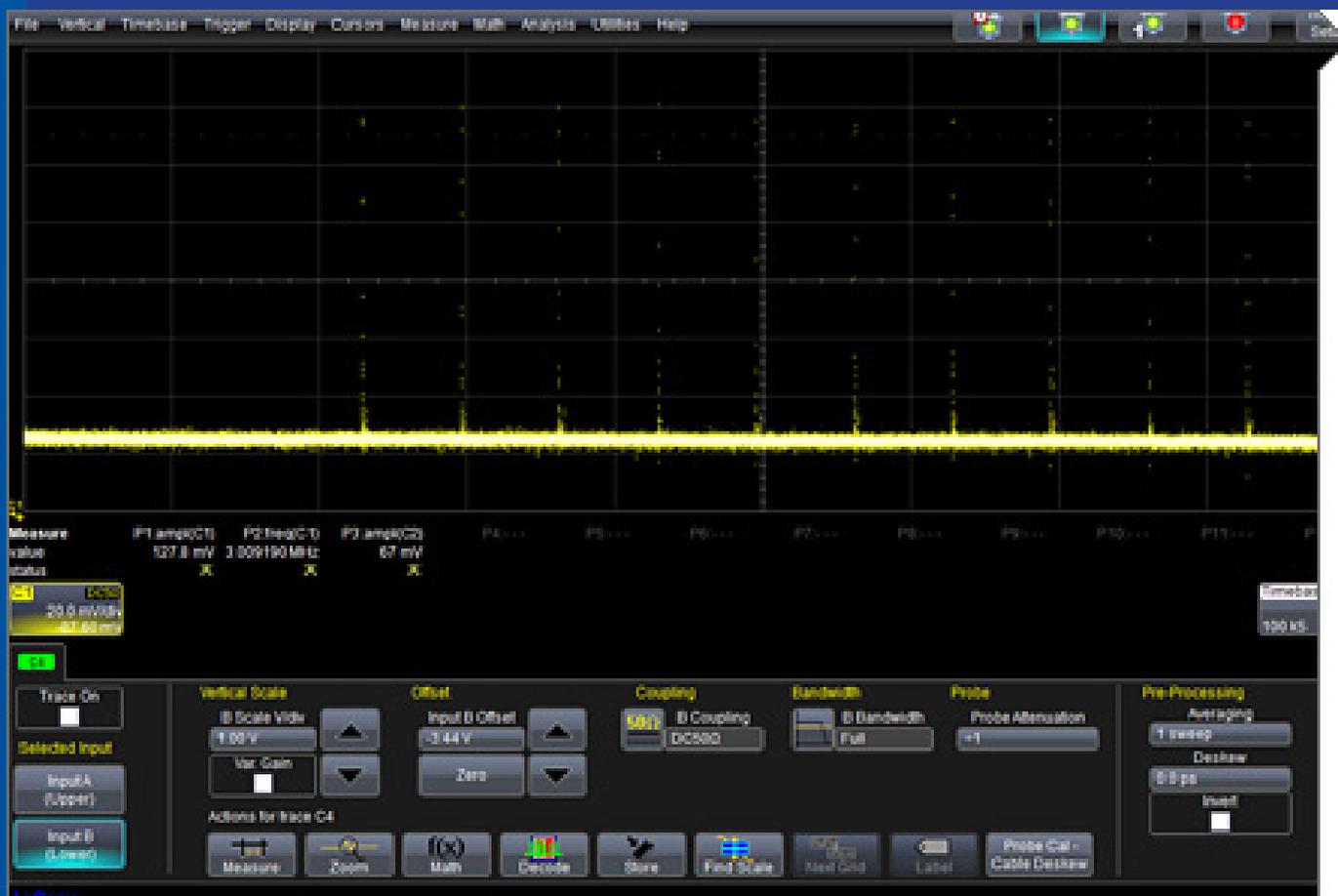


Cryomodules: \$15M



Tunnel extension: \$4.5M

1st Photoelectrons in ASTA (06/20/2013)



- Not yet at full RF power/ energy (3.3MeV vs 5 MeV)
- Not yet full current (Cu cathode used for now, low QE)
- Commissioning ongoing , then beam to 2 SRF cavities 20+20 MeV

ASTA FY14-15 plans (tent.)

Overall – Stage I (“barebone”) facility and experiments

photoinjector



- **FY13:** Start commissioning **50 MeV PI** and **install 1st experiments** / start SRF CM commissioning
- **FY14:** 1st experiments at 50 MeV
RF commissioning of SRF cryomodule
Install 300 MeV beamline to dump
Continue IOTA construction
- **FY15:** **More experiments** at 50 MeV and 300 MeV beam
Finish IOTA construction and installation

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1st ASTA Users & PAC Meeting (July 23-24, 2013 Fermilab)



84 participants : majority (2/3) from external institutions
36 talks in 1.5 days 6 more proposals + 24 = 30

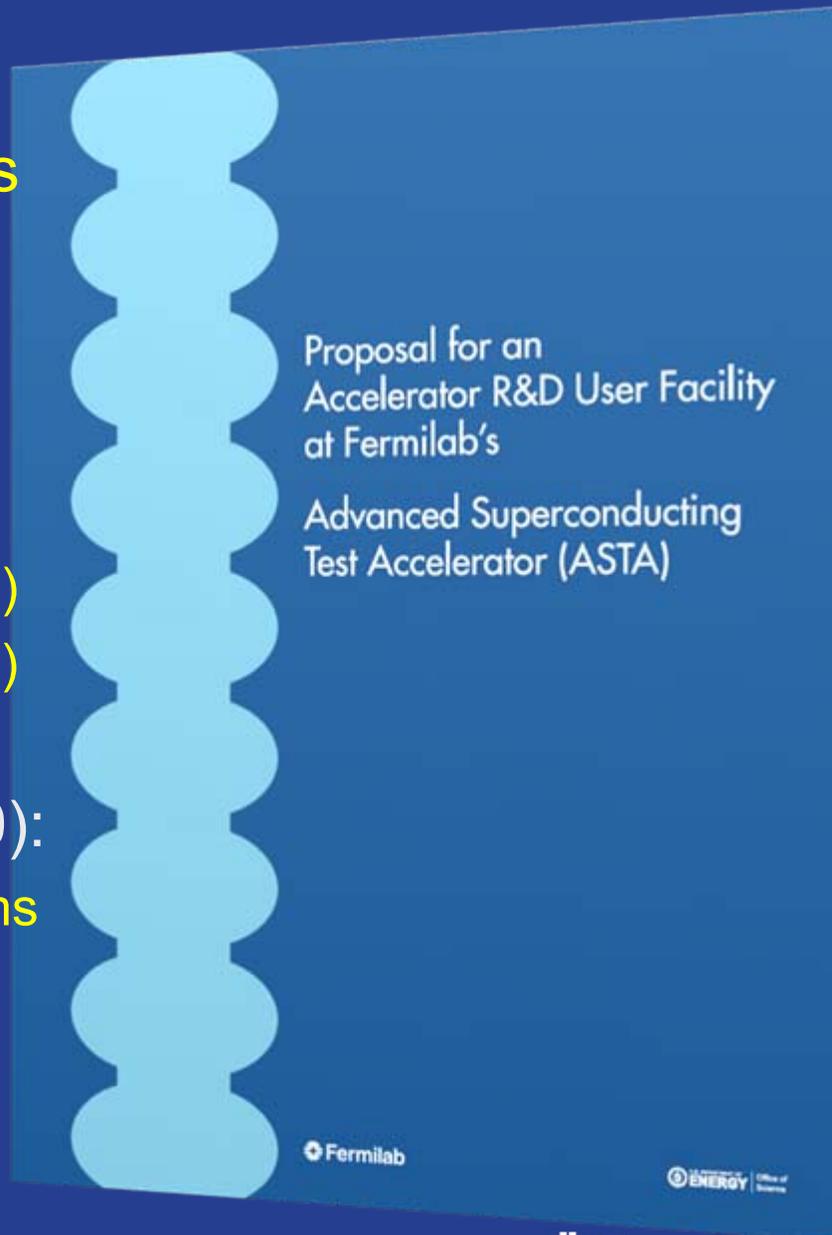
ASTA is Unique Among Accelerator User Facilities in Six Principal Ways

1. **High repetition-rate:** 1 msec long bunch trains, with 3 MHz micro-pulse repetition rate, 3000 bunches per train.
2. **High average power:** at 5Hz - the highest beam power and highest average brightness of any US accelerator test facility
3. **High energy:** ~1 GeV, which is important for a number of photon-science and FEL-related experiments.
4. **Extremely stable beams:** capable of providing exceptional beam stability, which has been demonstrated at FLASH
5. **Superconducting technology:** SRF + beams = nearly all future large scale accelerator facilities
6. **Storage ring:** ASTA incorporates a small, very flexible storage ring, based on innovative optics, capable of supporting a broad range of ring-based advanced beam dynamics experiments

ASTA

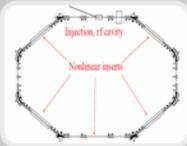
As of Sep'2013

- >60 co-authors from **13 institutions**
- **30 proposals** and growing
 - ~1/2 for HEP (IF, EF, SCRF)
 - ~1/2 – Stewardship and Applications
- At all ASTA experimental areas
 - **Exp Area 1 (50 MeV) (12)**
 - **Exp Area 2 (300-800 MeV) (12)**
 - **Exp Area 3 (IOTA Ring) (6)**
- Broad spectrum of proponents (20):
 - **University groups & National Programs**
 - **SBIR companies & International**
 - **Large National Laboratories**
 - **Detector R&D groups**



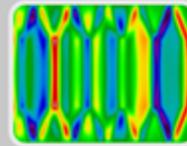
ASTA Science Thrusts

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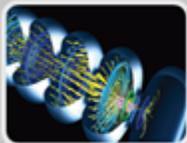
- Nonlinear, integrable optics
- Space-charge compensation

Energy Frontier of Particle Physics



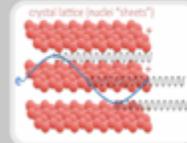
- Optical Stochastic Cooling
- Advanced phase-space manipulation
- Flat beam-driven DWFA in slabs

Superconducting Accelerators for Science



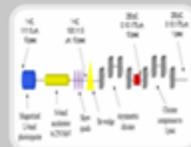
- Beam-based system tests with high-gradient cryomodules
- Long-range wakes
- Ultra-stable operation of SCLs

Novel Radiation Sources



- High-brightness x-ray channeling
- Inverse Compton Gamma Ray source

Stewardship and Applications



- Generation and Manipulation Ultra-Low Emittance Beams for Future Hard X-ray FELs
- XUV FEL Oscillator

ASTA Developments

- 2012 - ASTA Proposal developed by Fermilab and prospective users
- Dec 2012 – DoE OHEP briefed on ASTA... encouragement...
- Feb 6-8, 2013 – Fermilab’s *Accelerator Advisory Committee* on ASTA:
 - *The AAC strongly encourages FNAL to pursue the ASTA Proposal.*
- Feb 26, 2013 - ASTA Proposal submitted to DOE
- Mar 8, 2013 - ASTA Proposal reviewed by *OHEP GARD* Review panel
- Apr 24, 2013 – NSF/NPS briefed on ASTA
 - “...very timely!” – NSF’s “Accelerator Science” program (June)
- Jun 14, 2013 – ASTA welcomed by *FNAL Users Executive Committee*
- Jun 20, 2013 – First beam from ASTA photoinjector (!)
- Jul 23-24, 2013 - ASTA 1st Users and PAC meeting at Fermilab
- Oct 22-24, 2013 – DOE OHEP review of ASTA Proposal
 - *Together with FACET-II (SLAC) and ATF-II (BNL)*

ASTA Schedule and Operation

- Installation and commissioning schedule by Stage
- Operations schedule (9 months operations/year)
- Assumes funding begins in FY 2014

Stage	Description - following Figures 2, 3, 4 and 5	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY	FY
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		Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
I.0	as is: photoinjection to low-energy dump	Red	Red	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	
I.1	add 50 MeV, experimental area, spectrometer, & dump					Red	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Blue	Blue	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	
I.2	add CM #1 (~ 300 MeV), experimental area, and diagnostics area					Red	Red	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Blue	Blue	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	
I.3	add IOTA Storage Ring (50-150 MeV)					Red	Red	Red	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Green	Blue	Blue	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	
II	add CM #2 and CM #3 (~ 800 MeV)													Red	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Green	Blue	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	
III	add HINS 2.5 MeV H-/proton injector													Red	Red	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Blue	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	
IV	add 3.9 GHz linearizing cavity													Red	Red	Red	Red	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Green	Green	Green	Green	

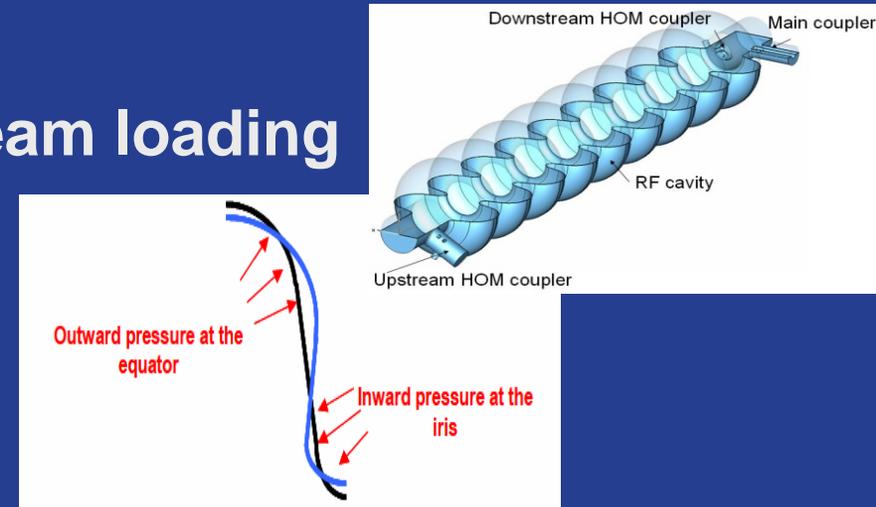
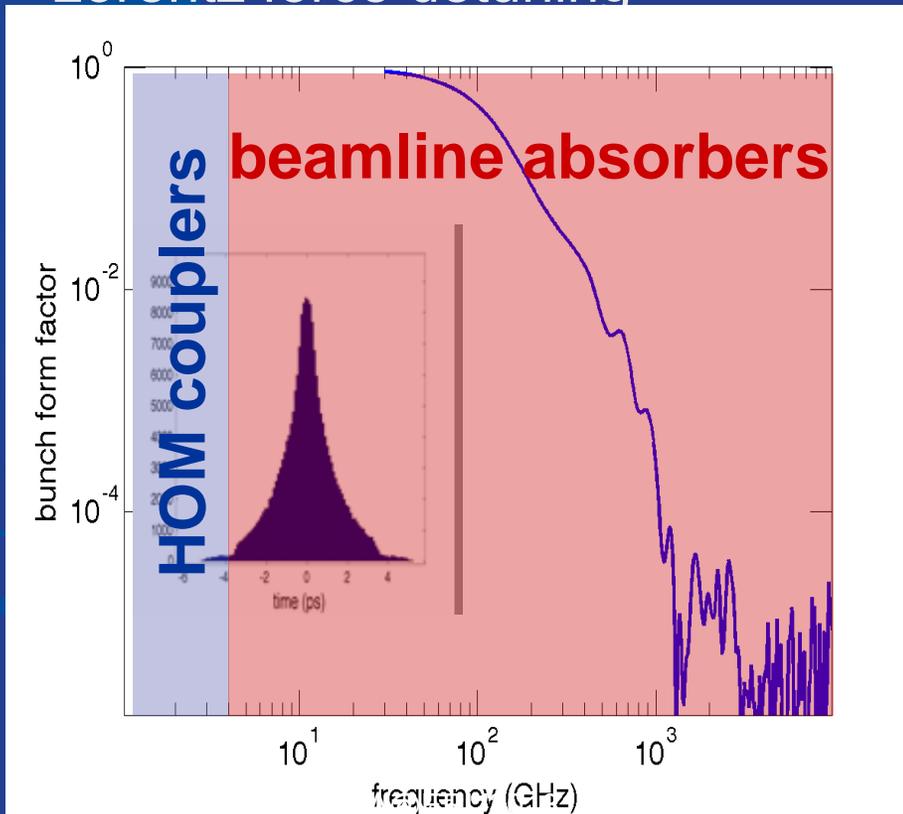
fabrication & construction (not interfering with beam operations)

installation & commissioning

experimental operations (9 months per year)

7.4.1 High-gradient SC RF with high-power beam

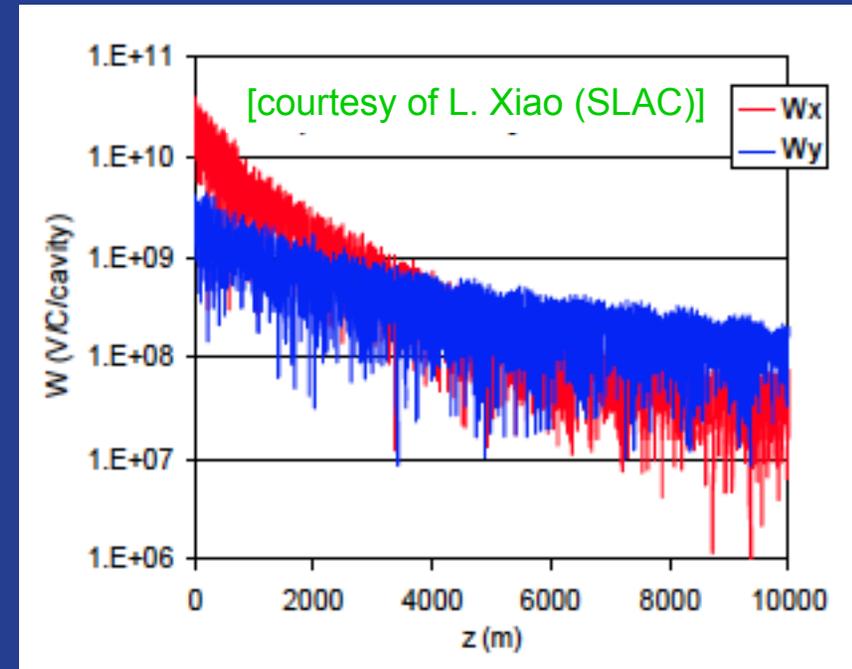
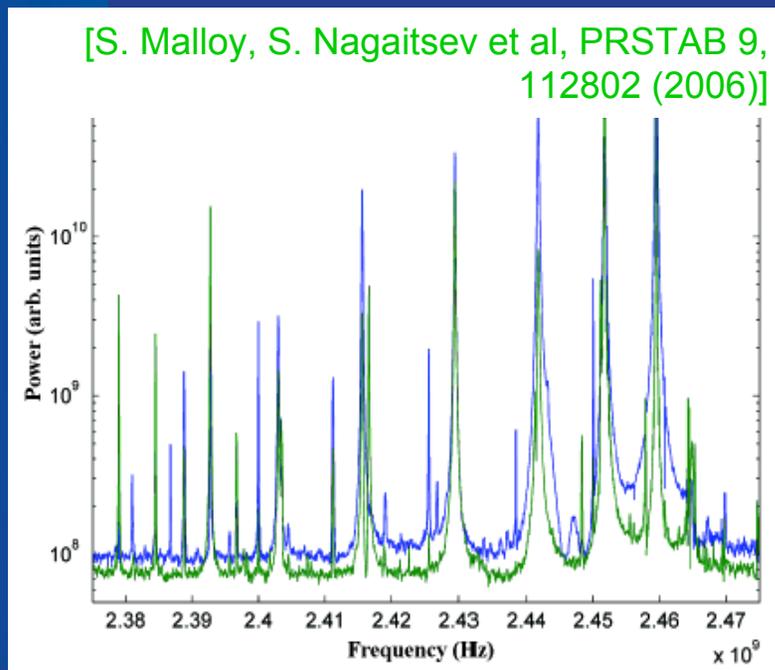
- High-gradient operation with beam loading
 - Field emission,
 - microphonics
 - Lorentz force detuning



- High-order modes
 - spectrum, trapped modes
 - HOM-based BPMs
- Beam dynamics
 - Impact of HOM and input RF couplers
 - Multi-bunch effects

7.4.2 Long-range wakefield (HOMs)

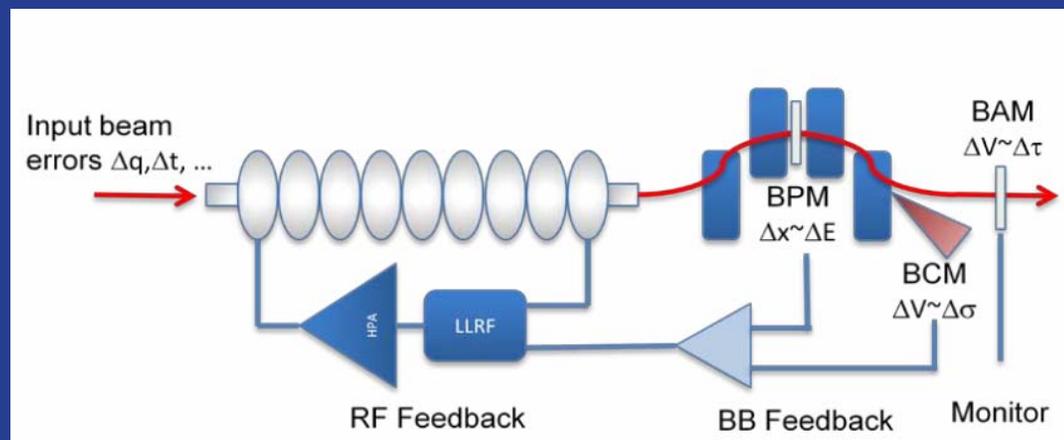
- Beam's trajectory alignment in cavity,
- HOM characterization,
- RF measurements



- Beam measurements
 - bunch-to-bunch BPM
 - charge/position modulation upstream of cryomodule

7.4.3 Beam-based linac stabilization

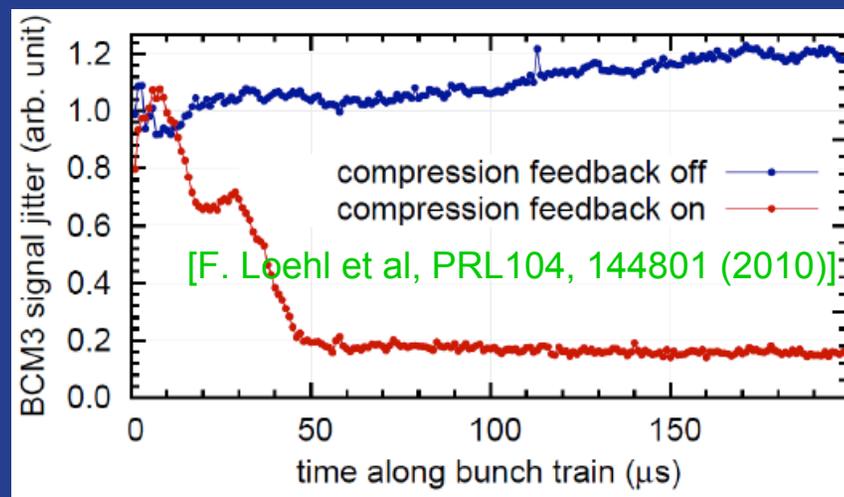
- High-precision stabilization of SCRF linacs
- Parasitically monitoring of



- Coherent synchr. radiation (bunch duration),
- Beam arrival monitor (relative time of flight),
- BPM in dispersive section (bunch energy).

- Apply feedback

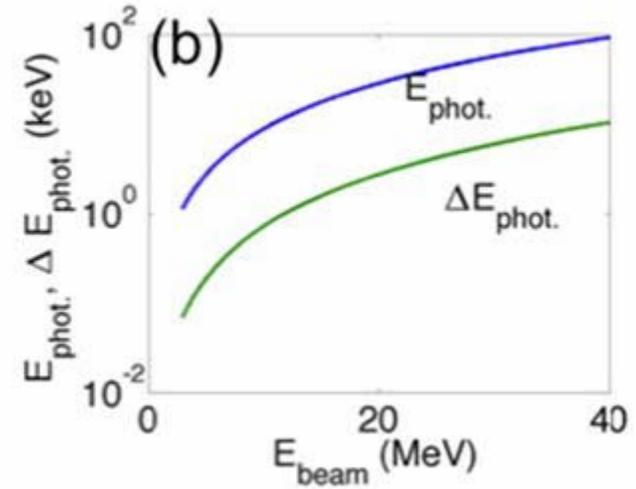
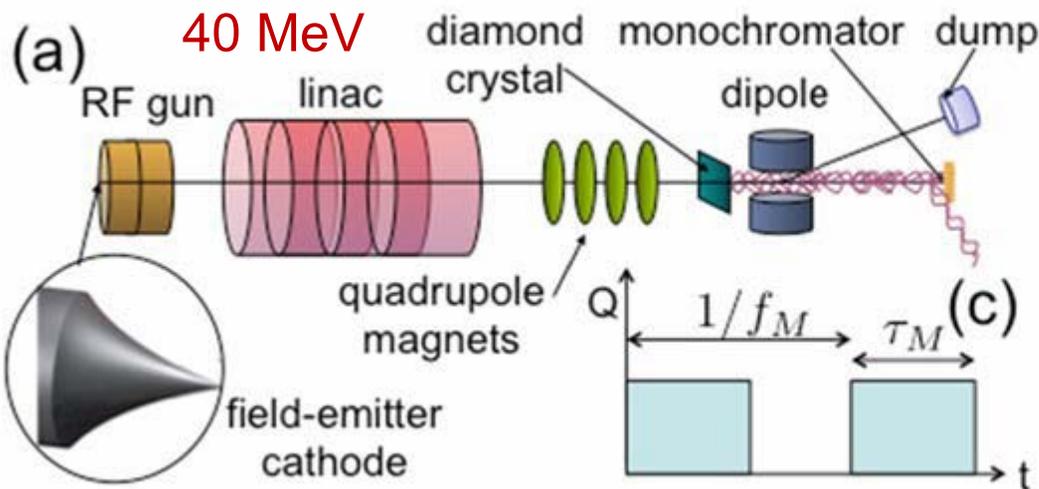
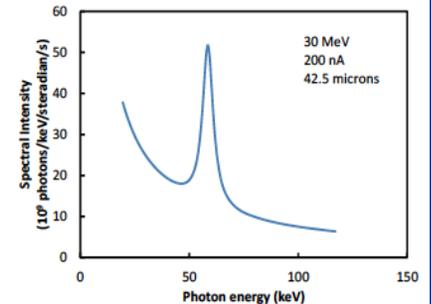
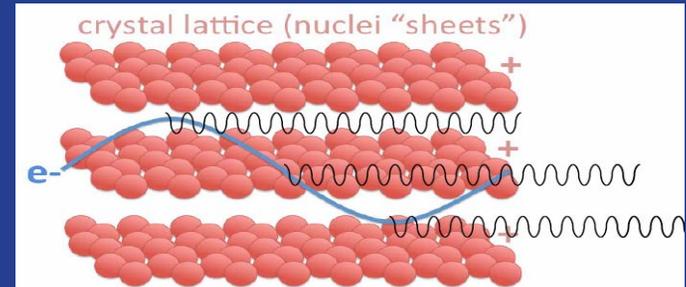
- Requires a BC downstream of cryomodule(s).



7.5.1 -- Channeling Radiation

This project aims at producing X-rays at ~ 80 keV with high-average spectral brilliance.

- Channeling radiation was predicted theoretically by Kumakhov in 1974, and experimentally observed by Terhune and Pantell in 1975.
- Compared with a conventional undulator, channeling radiation requires only a 40-MeV electron beam, rather than a 10-GeV beam to reach the hard X-ray region.



Nonlinear Lenses

“Integrable Optics” solutions:

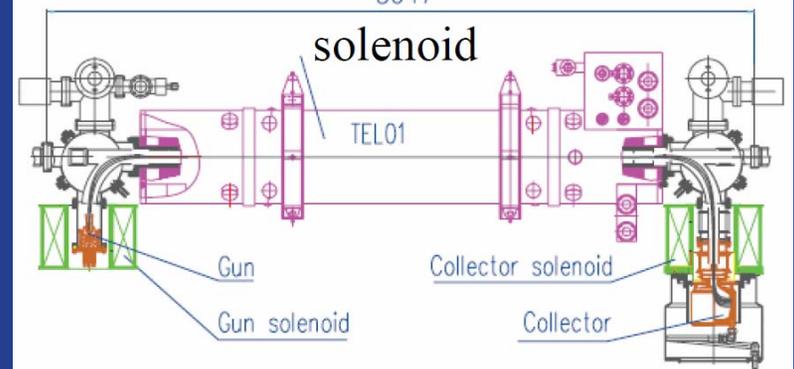
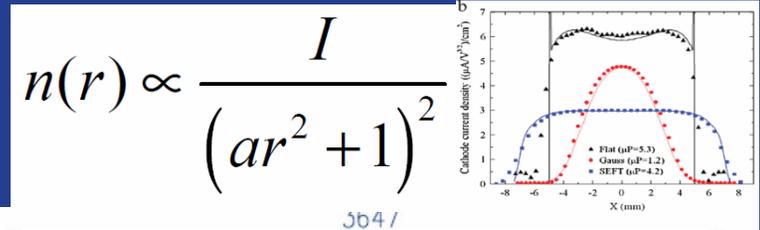
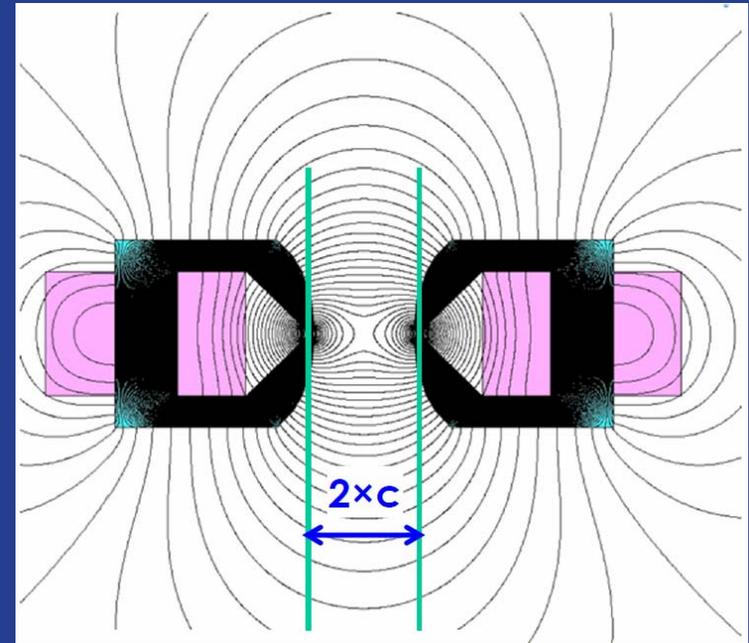
- Make motion regular, limited and long-term stable (usually involves additional “integrals of motion”)

Can be **Laplacian** (with special magnets, no extra charge density involved)

Or **non-Laplacian** (with externally created charge –e.g. special e-lens or beam-beam)

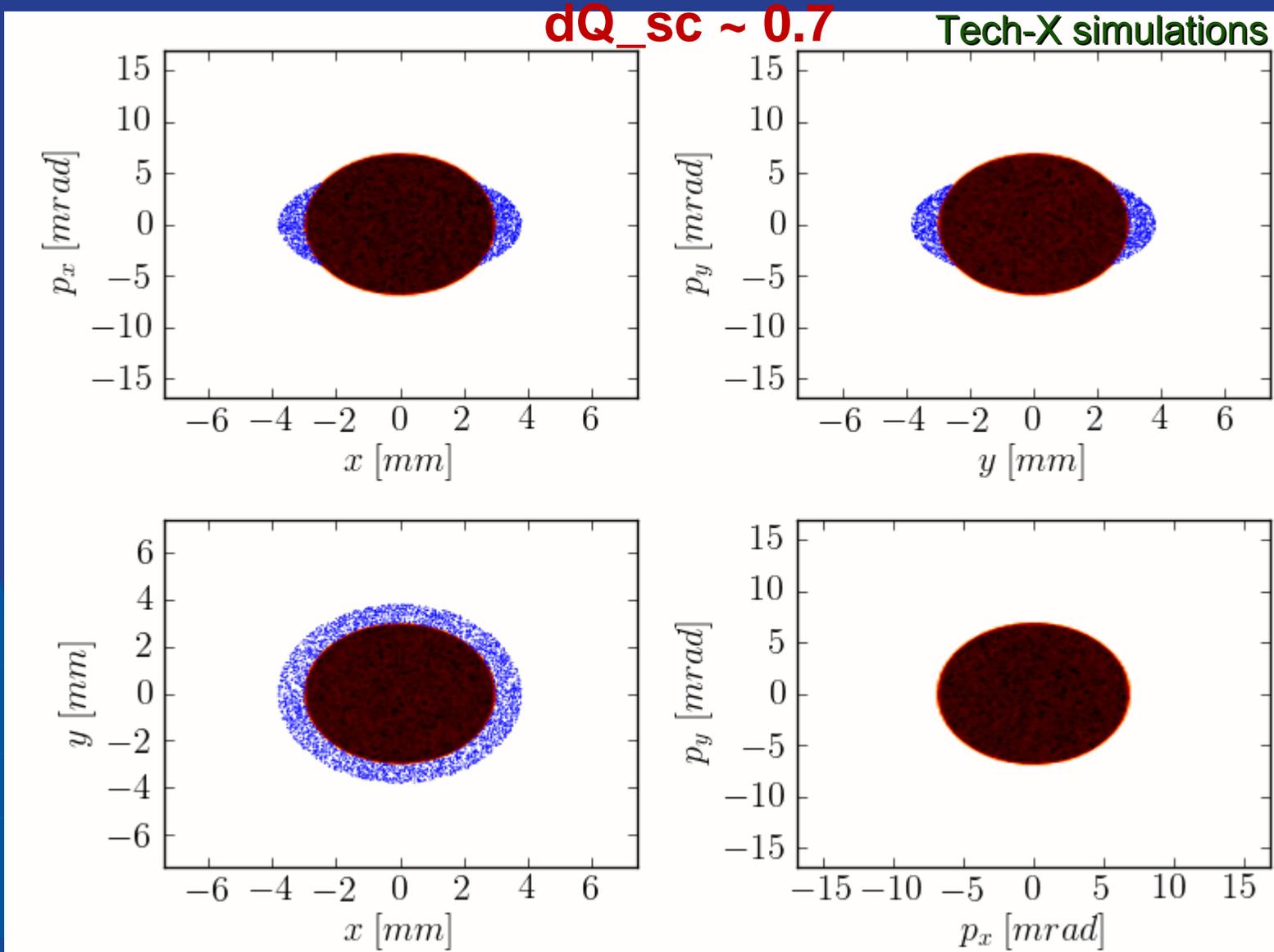
$$E(r) \sim r/(1+r^2)$$

Both types will be tested in IOTA



Space Charge Effects in Linear Optics Lattice

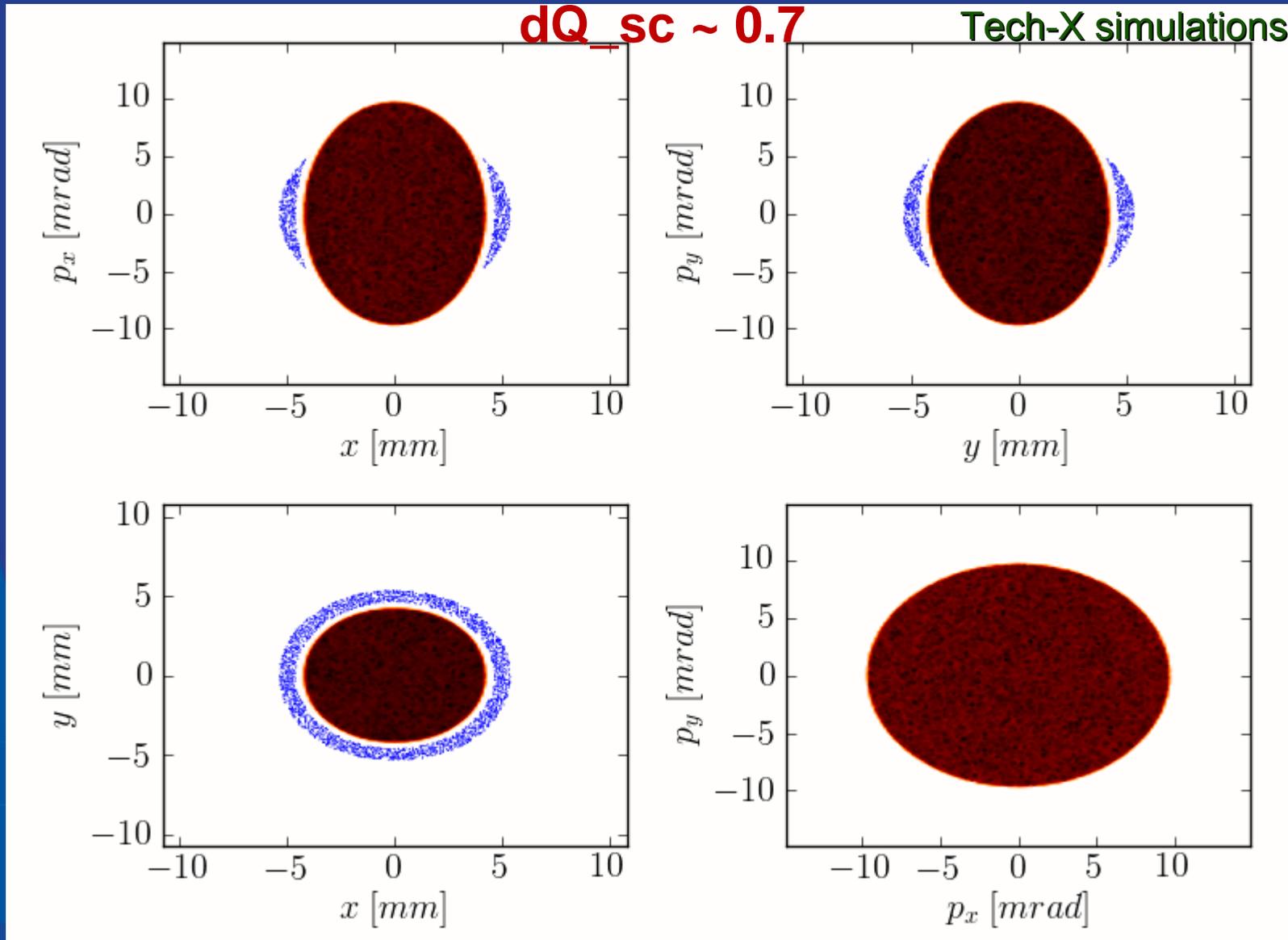
System: linear FOFO; 100 A; linear KV w/ mismatch
Result: quickly drives test-particles into the halo



500 passes; beam core (red contours) is mismatched; halo (blue dots) has 100x lower density

Integrable Optics Lattice with Space Charge

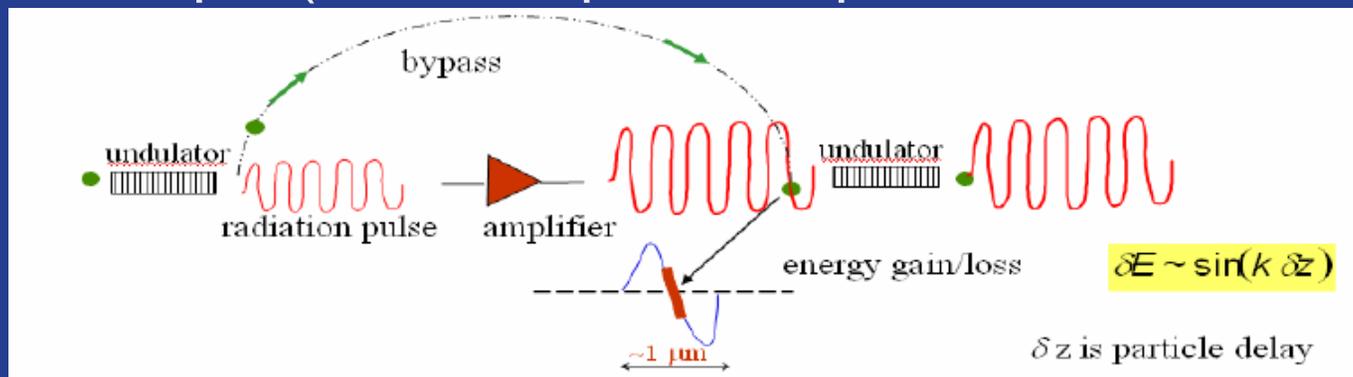
System: octupoles; 100 A; generalized KV w/ mismatch
Result: nonlinear decoherence suppresses halo



500 passes; beam core (red contours) is mismatched; halo (blue dots) has 100x lower density

7.3.1 - Optical Stochastic Cooling Experiment

- **Goal:**
 - Experimental demonstration of the optical stochastic cooling technique (1st – no optical amplifier, then with OPA)

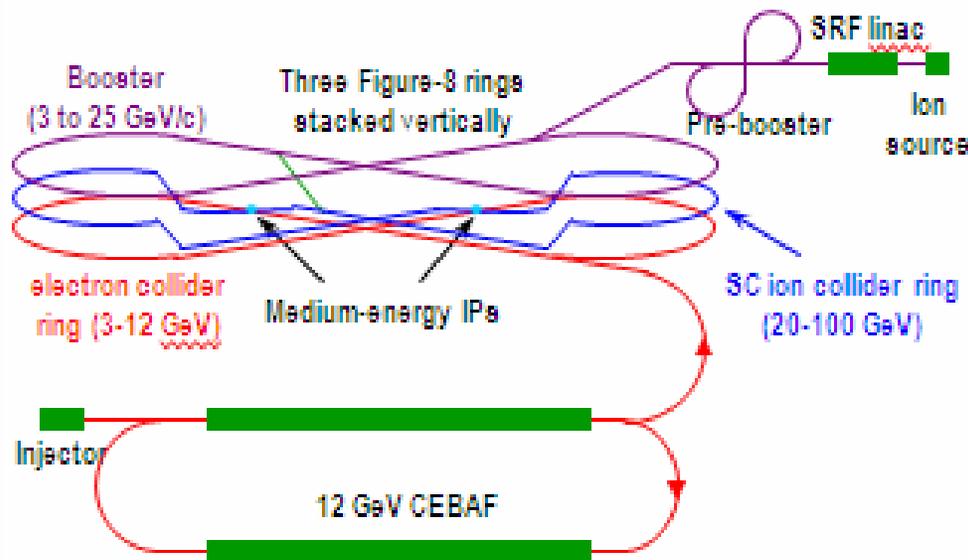


- **Why ASTA:**
 - Need IOTA – low energy (150 MeV – minimal synchrotron radiation damping) flexible lattice e- storage ring
- **Motivation:**
 - Cooling for high energy accelerators (e.g. LHC, MC)

Accelerator Science Education at ASTA

- Uniqueness of ASTA as a training ground for future accelerator builders is already widely appreciated :
 - Because of leading edge accelerator technologies available for hand-on experience
 - Breadth of the possible research topics
 - 3 experimental areas to users and round year operation
- Will be a big boost for the field and for Fermilab:
 - Potential already recognized by 20 institutions (support)
 - Many Universities interested in ASTA to expand their accelerator science programs (UC, NIU, IIT, IU, CSU, JAI, Cornell, Wayne State, UMD, MIT... and growing)
 - US Particle Accelerator School – hands on practical training laboratory sessions

MEIC at Jefferson Lab



Energy: e: 3-12 GeV, p: 20-100 GeV, i: 12-40 GeV/u

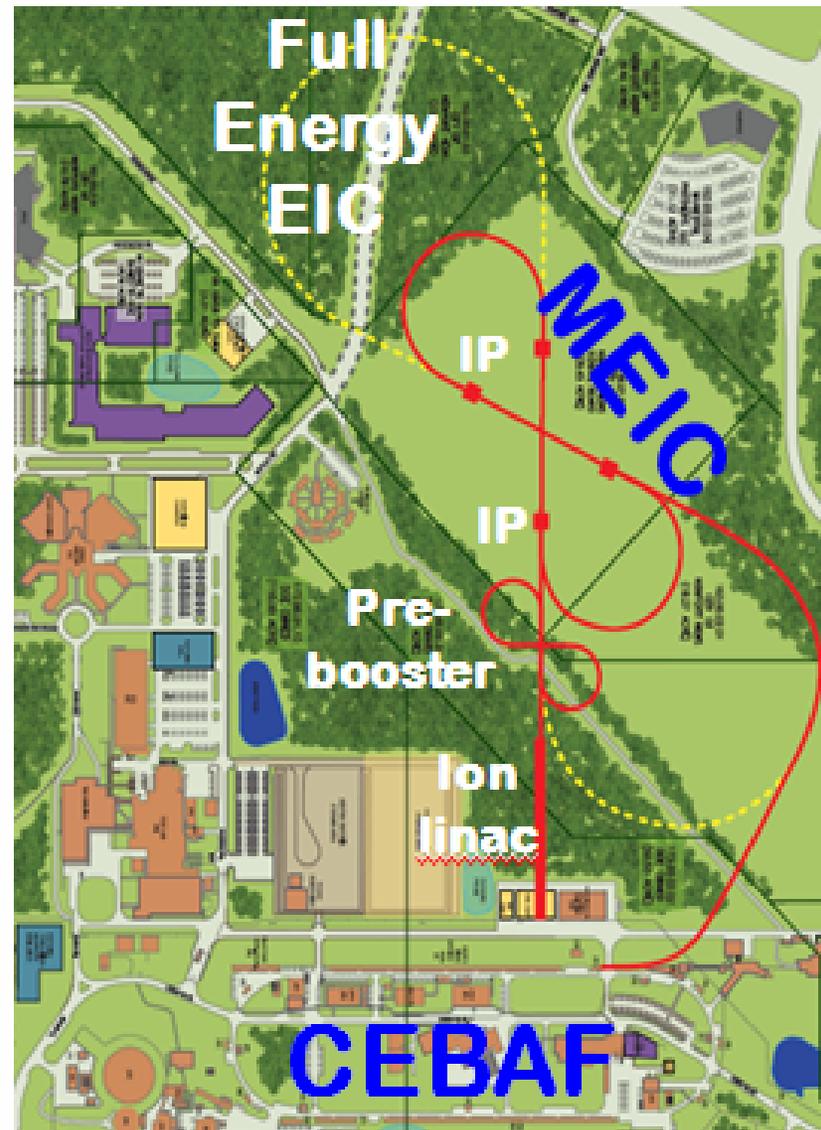
Ion species: Polarized light ions: p, d, ^3He ,
Un-polarized light to heavy ions up to $A > 200$ (Pb)

Up to 3 detectors

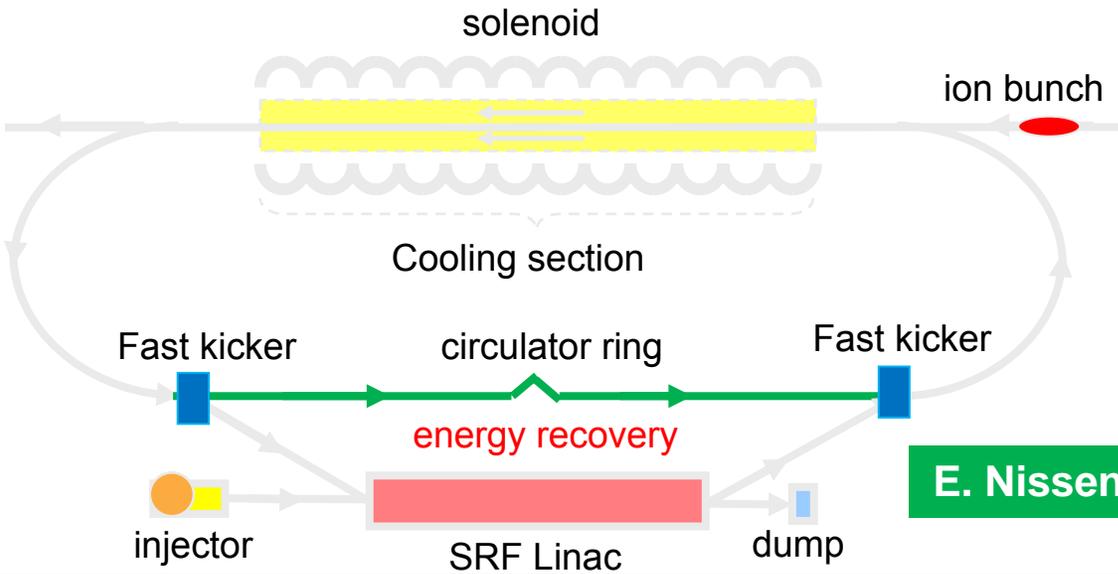
Luminosity: up to $10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ per interaction point

Polarization: All polarizations $> 70\%$
At IP: long. for both, trans. for ions only

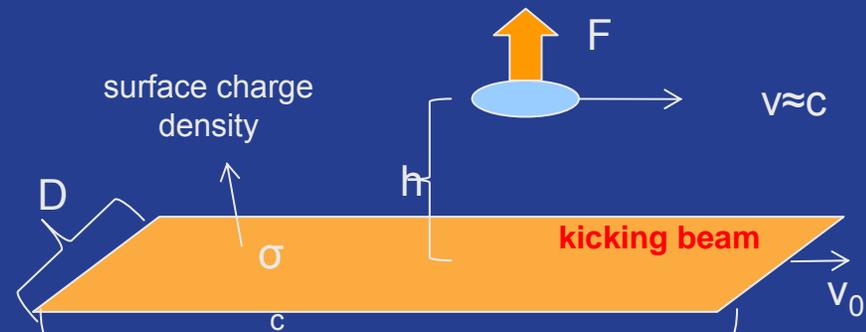
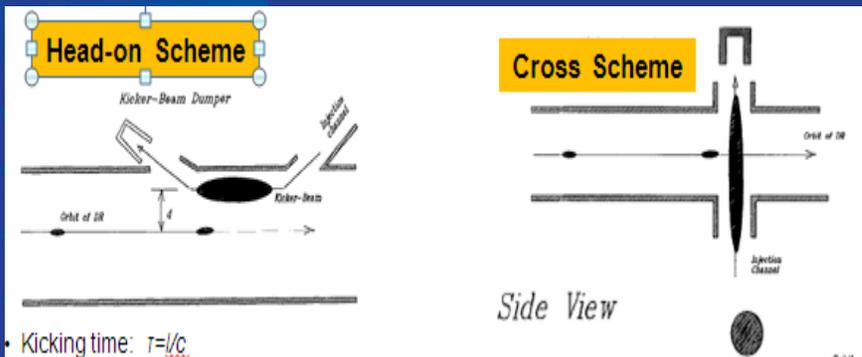
Upgradeable to higher energies & luminosity
20 GeV electron, 250 GeV proton, 100 GeV/u ion



Ultra Fast Beam Kicker for ERL-CCR



- It requires an ultra fast kicker for switching bunches in/out of a CCR
- The kicker must be able to operate at a high repetition rate (~ 26 MHz)
- Rise/full time must be shorter than sub ns to avoid disturbing the neighboring bunches
- 30 turns \rightarrow 30-fold saving in the 54 MeV ERL power



Y.Zhang et al (Jlab) – a) proof of principle BBK;

b) flat beam transform; c) energy recuperation CW

Other opportunities for ERL-related accelerator R&D at ASTA

- Due to their high average power cw beams, ERLs need nonintercepting diagnostics of all kinds and will eventually have 2-3 GeV so 300-800 MeV is a start
- **Possible demos with ASTA pulsed high power beams:**
 - 1. CDR for bunch length and beam based feedback at 50 MeV and higher gamma.
 - 2. ODR near field for beam size at 50 MeV and above.
 - 3. OSR from dipoles for beam size and bunch length
 - 4. EOS based diagnostics
 - 5. Undulator radiation diagnostics with U5.0 (should be very relevant to ERL) for bunch length, phase, energy, energy spread, beam position, beam size, micropulse level and sub macropulse.
 - 6. sub ps source for VUV detector tests.
 - 7. Beam based feedback
 - 8. beam arrival monitor development
 - 9. microbunching instability in compressed beams

Summary on ASTA Scientific Potential and Experimental Proposals

ASTA will be a unique Accelerator R&D facility:

- A broad range in beam **energies** (50-800 MeV)
- High-repetition rate and **the highest power beams** available
- It offers all the advantages of **a modern, SRF-based** accelerator
- High **beam quality**, beam stability, beam **brightness**
- Arbitrary emittance partition with **repartition of phase space**
- **Linacs and ring, electrons and protons, lasers**

ASTA's all 3 exp. areas are good for multiple experiments

- With 50 MeV electrons (**EA1**)
- With 300-800 MeV electrons and SRF (**EA2**)
- With 50-150 MeV/c electron and protons in IOTA ring (**EA3**)

Your Proposals for ASTA Are Very Welcome!!

BACK UP SLIDES

Our Proposal

We propose to establish a proposal-driven Accelerator R&D User Facility at Fermilab's Advanced Superconducting Test Accelerator (ASTA)

To do that requires:

1. Supporting the **completion of ASTA** in a phased approach:
 - . Build out the linear accelerator to ~800 MeV with three Cryomodules
 - . associated beam transport lines, dumps and support systems
 - . Construct the Integrable Optics Test Accelerator (IOTA)
 - . A small, flexible storage ring to investigate beam dynamics of importance to intensity frontier rings
 - . In further phases
 - . Add proton capability to IOTA (by reusing existing equipment)
 - . Increase peak current of compressed electron bunches by installation of 3.9 GHz system
2. Supporting the **Operation of an Accelerator R&D User Program**
 - . Support staff required to operate a **9 month/year** proposal-driven Accelerator R&D program

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“1st wave” of ASTA Experiments: FY14

- **Neural Networks in SRF control:**
 - Colorado State University
 - 1st SC RF Cryomodule (no beam → with beam)
- **X-ray channeling radiator:**
 - Vanderbilt and NIU
 - 50 MeV e- beam and highest brightness low-current source
- **New non-intercepting beam diagnostics:**
 - APC Exp.Beam Phys Dept and AD Instrum. Dept
 - 50 MeV e- beam
- **Tagged photons (planning to start)**
 - D.Christian , et al with low intensity 50 MeV e-
- **Acceleration in Carbon Nanotubes (planning to start)**
 - NIU , with 50 MeV e-

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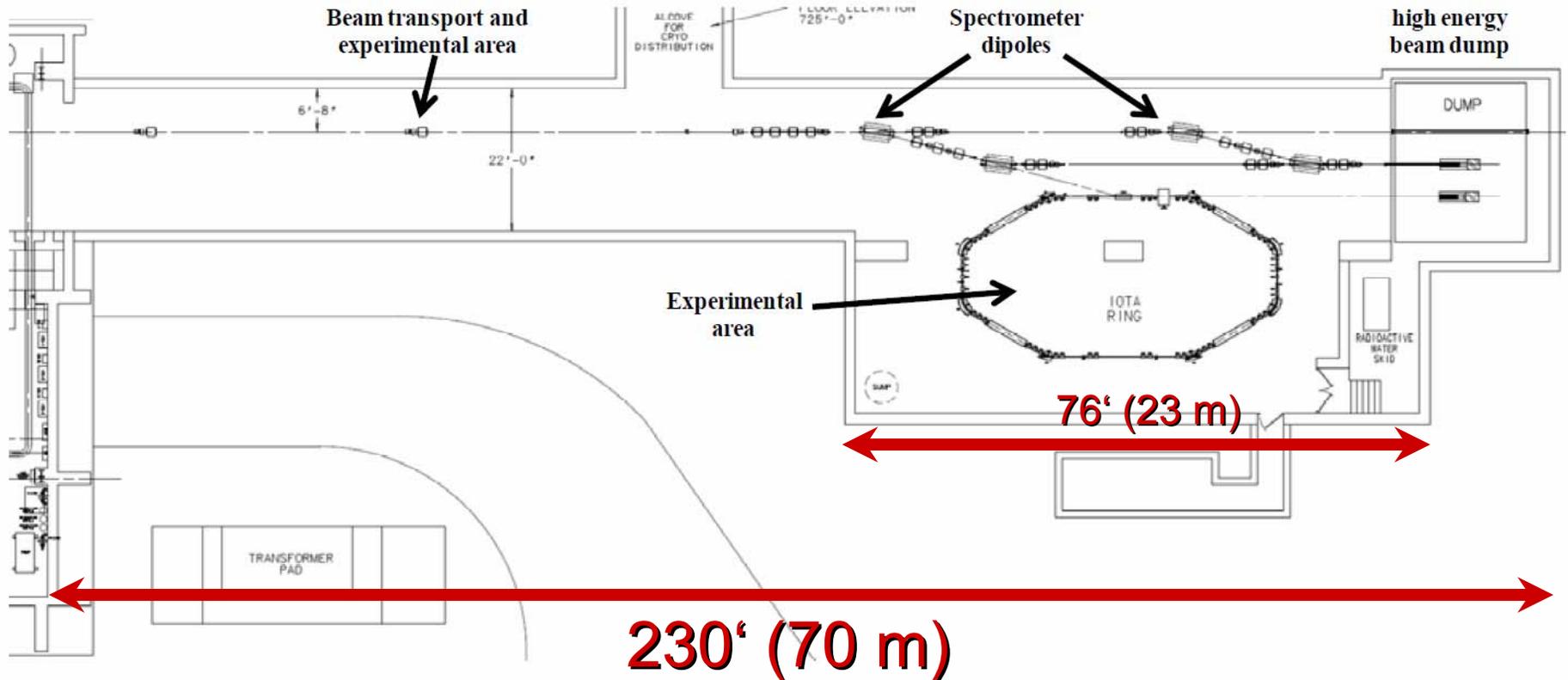
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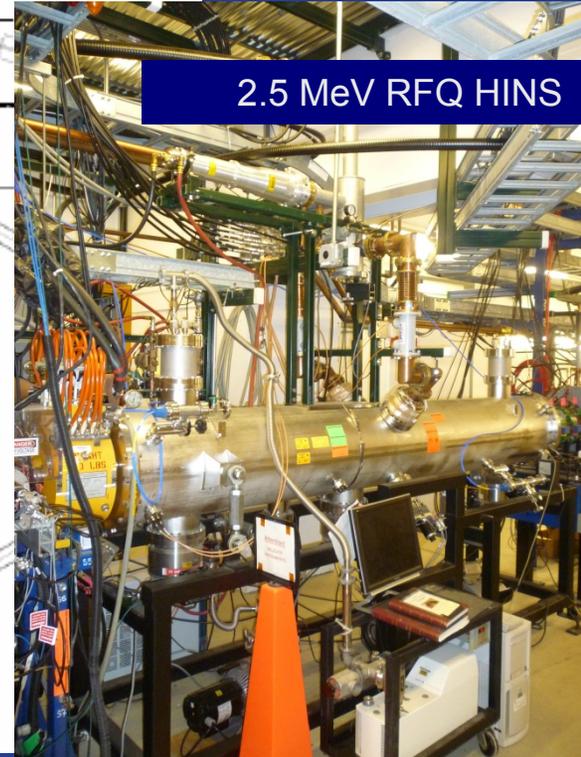
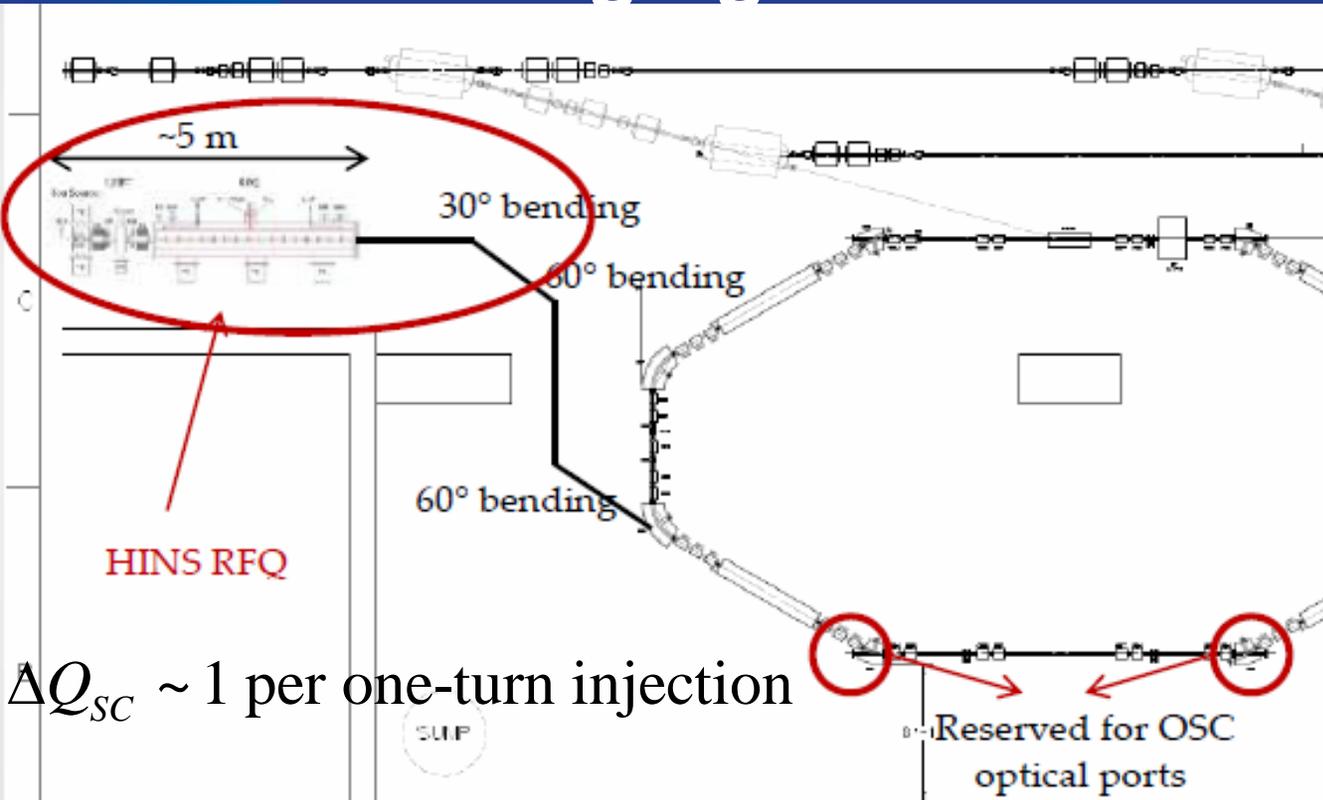
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ASTA : Downstream part



- proton RFQ not pictured (Stage III)

7.2.2 – Space Charge Compensation Bringing Protons to IOTA



$\Delta Q_{SC} \sim 1$ per one-turn injection

Reserved for OSC optical ports

- Allows tests of Integrable Optics with protons and realistic Space-Charge beam dynamics studies
- Allows Space-charge compensation experiments