

Energy Recovery Linacs

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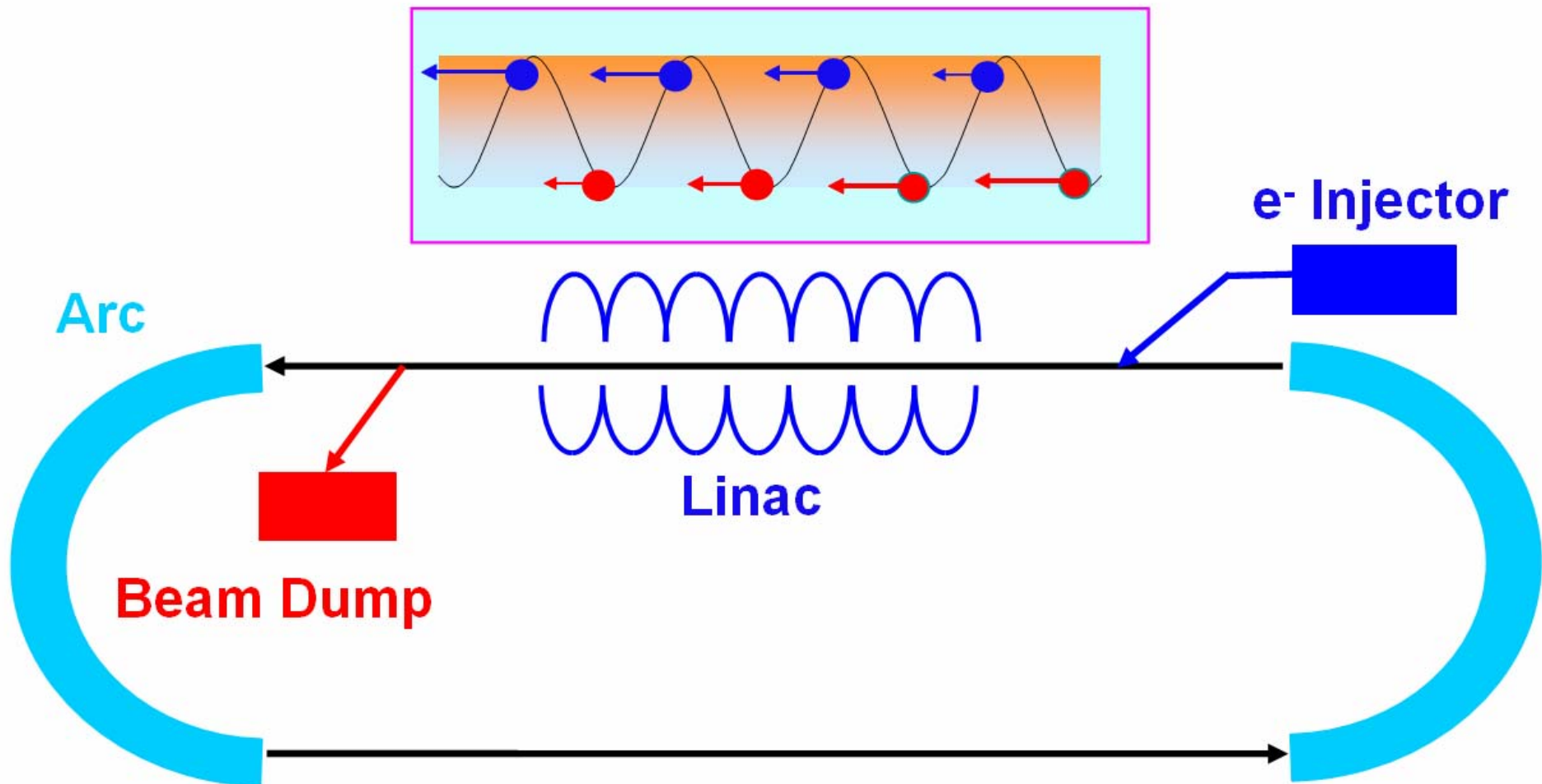
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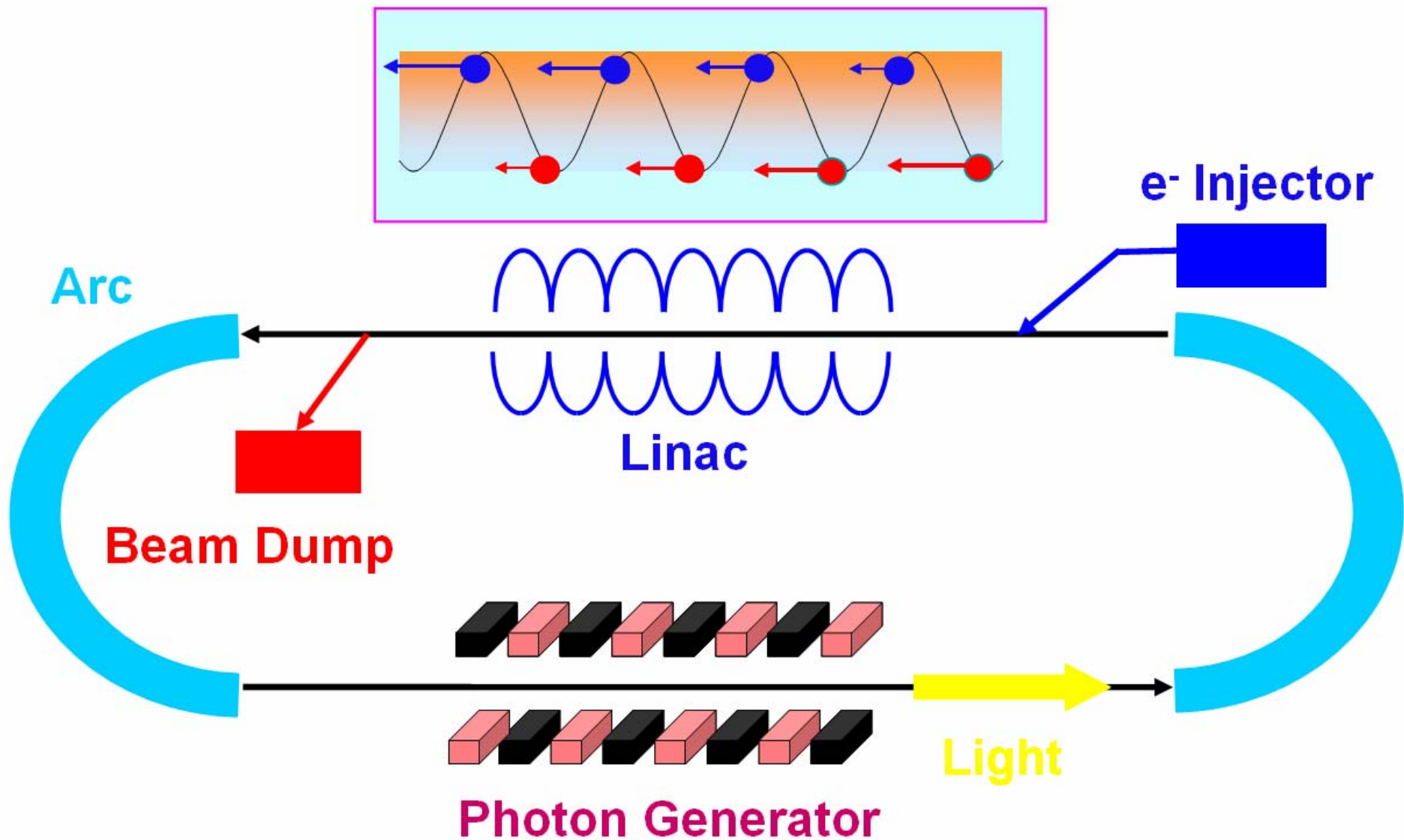
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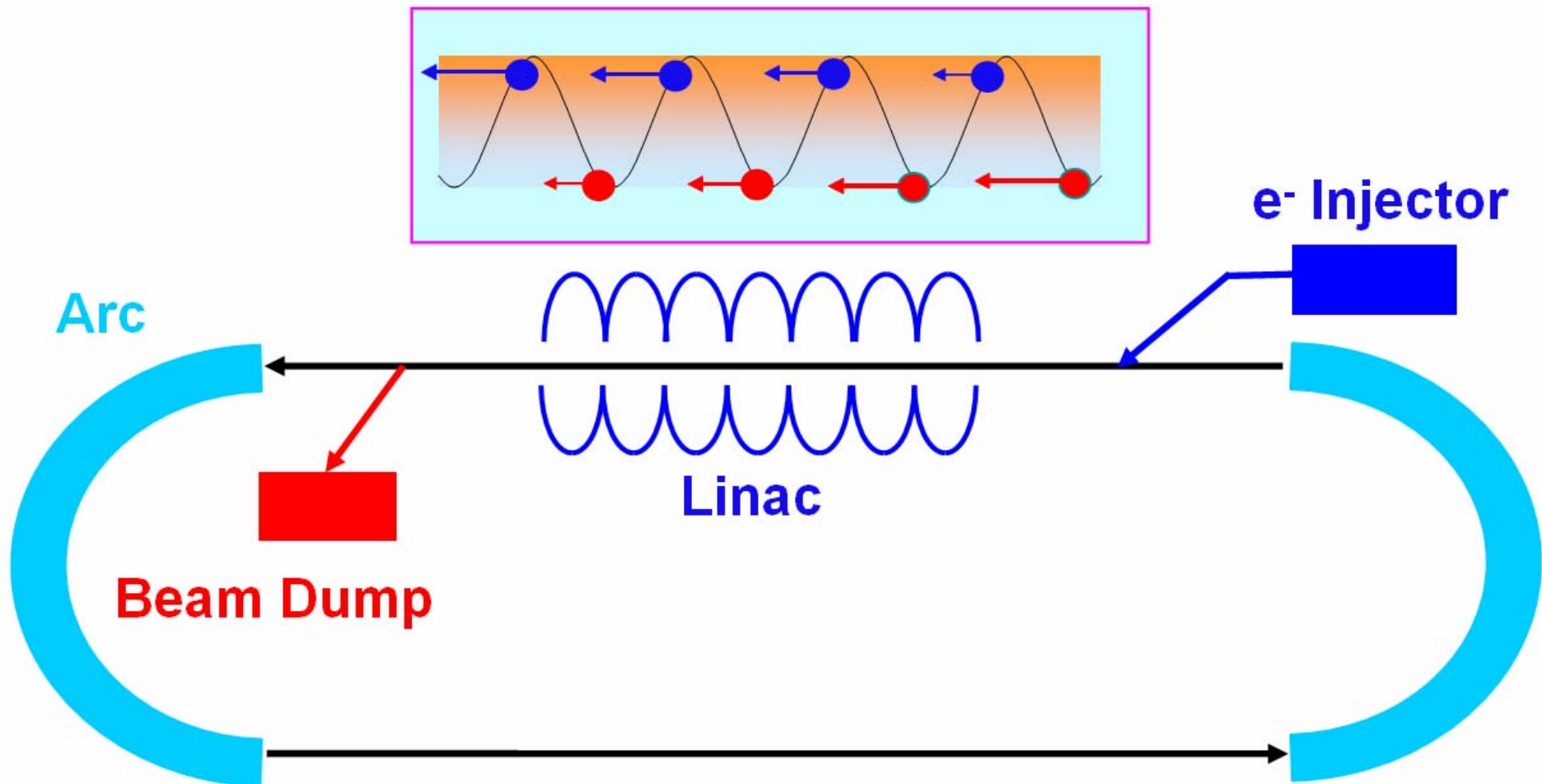
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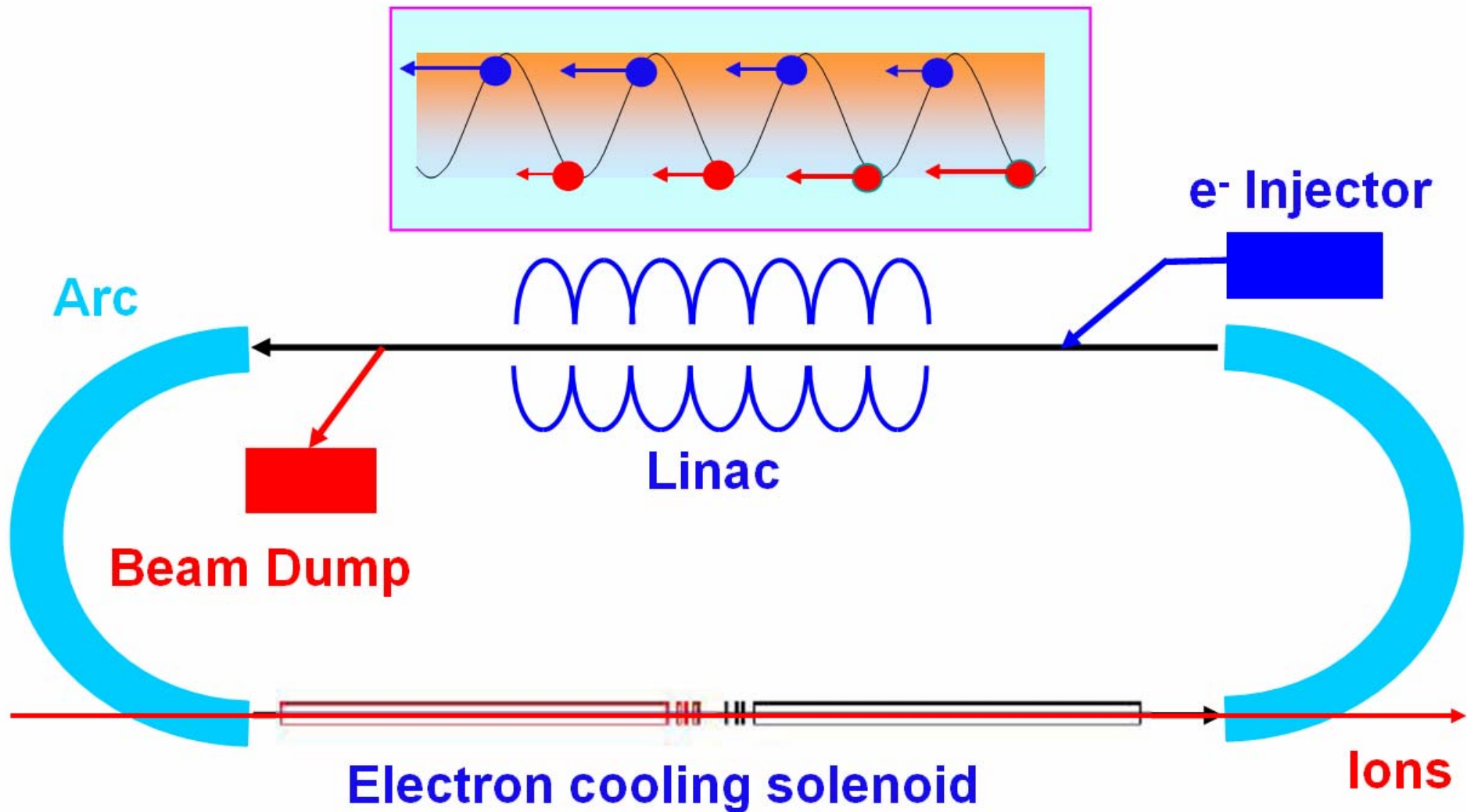
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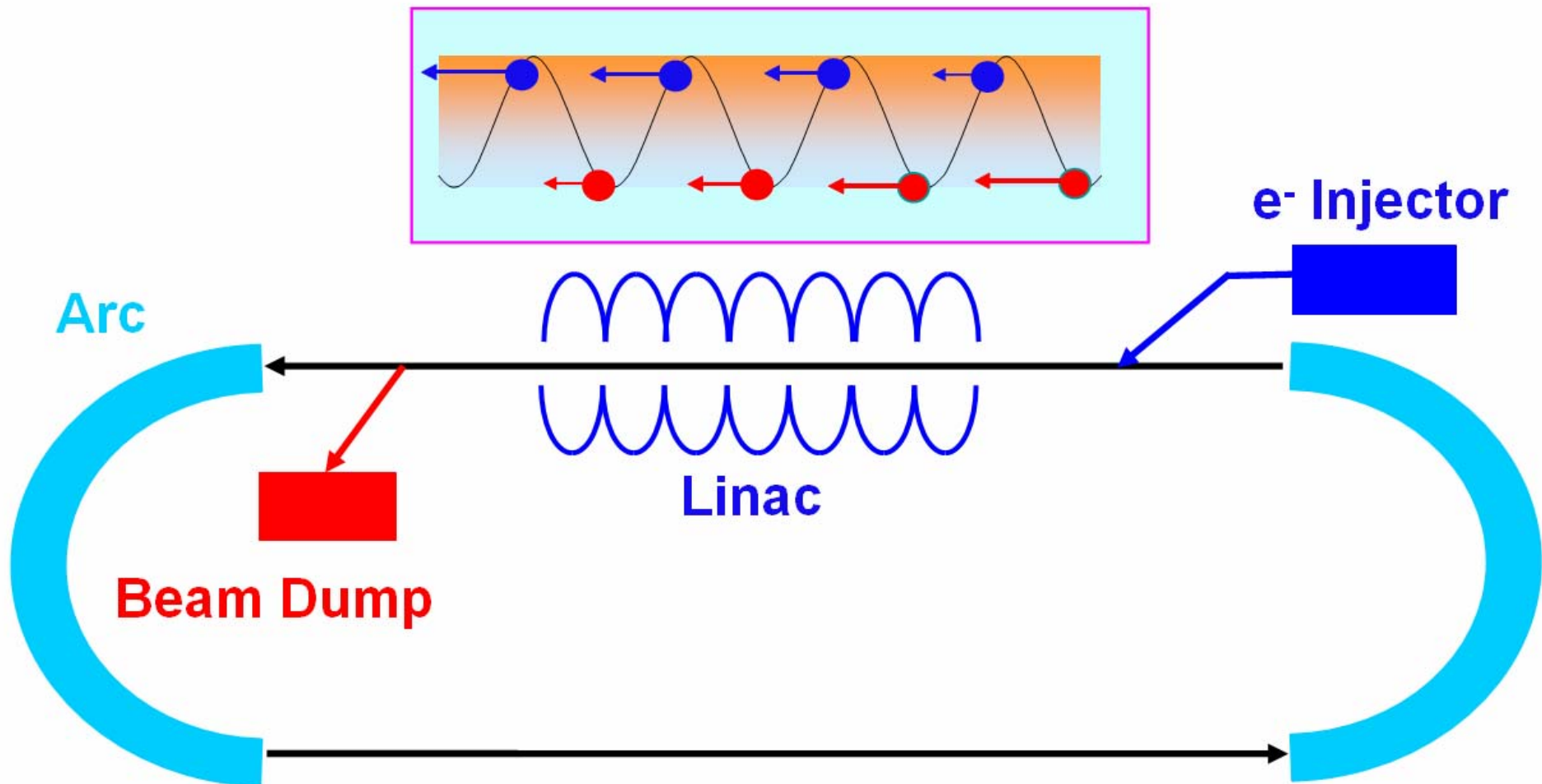
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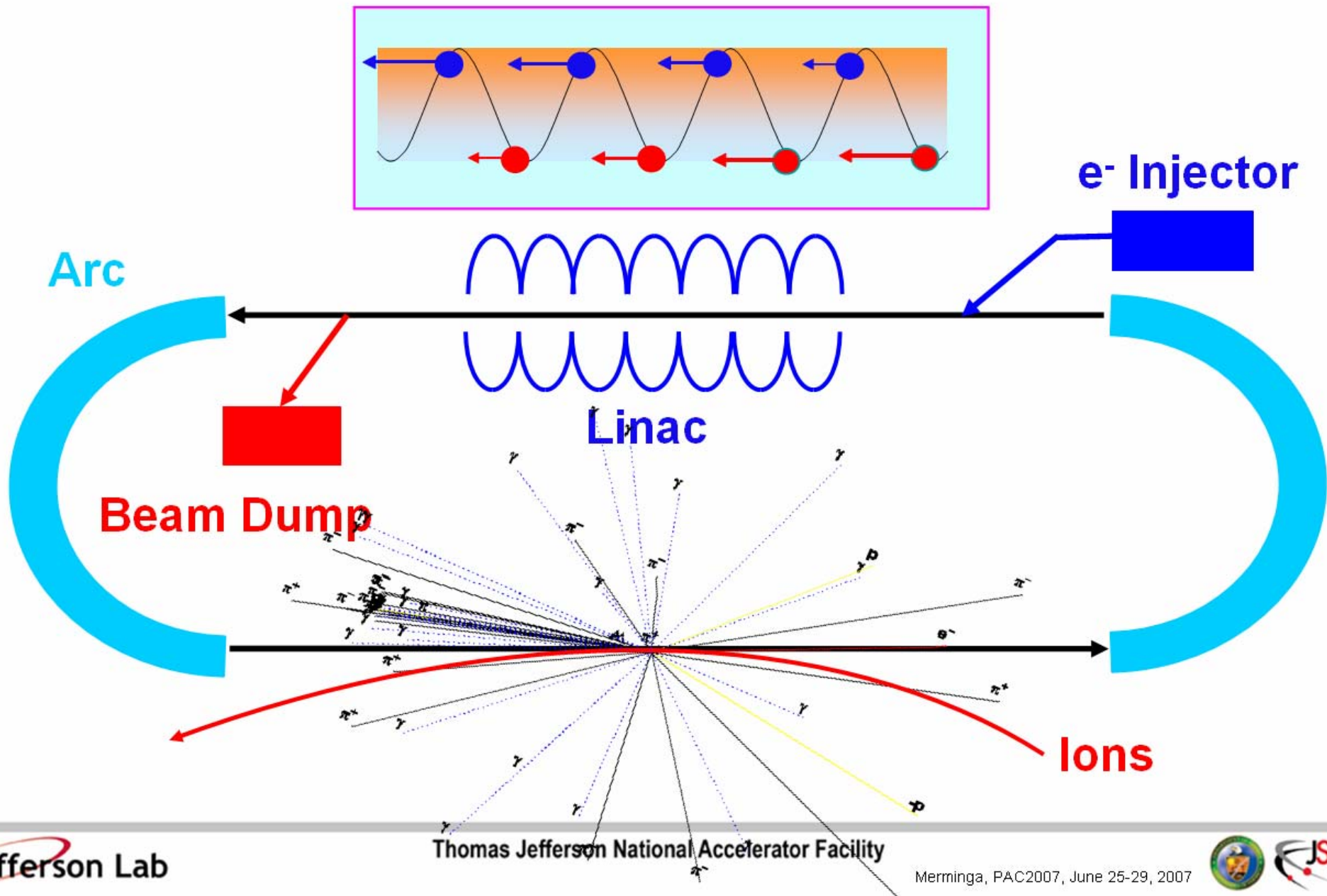
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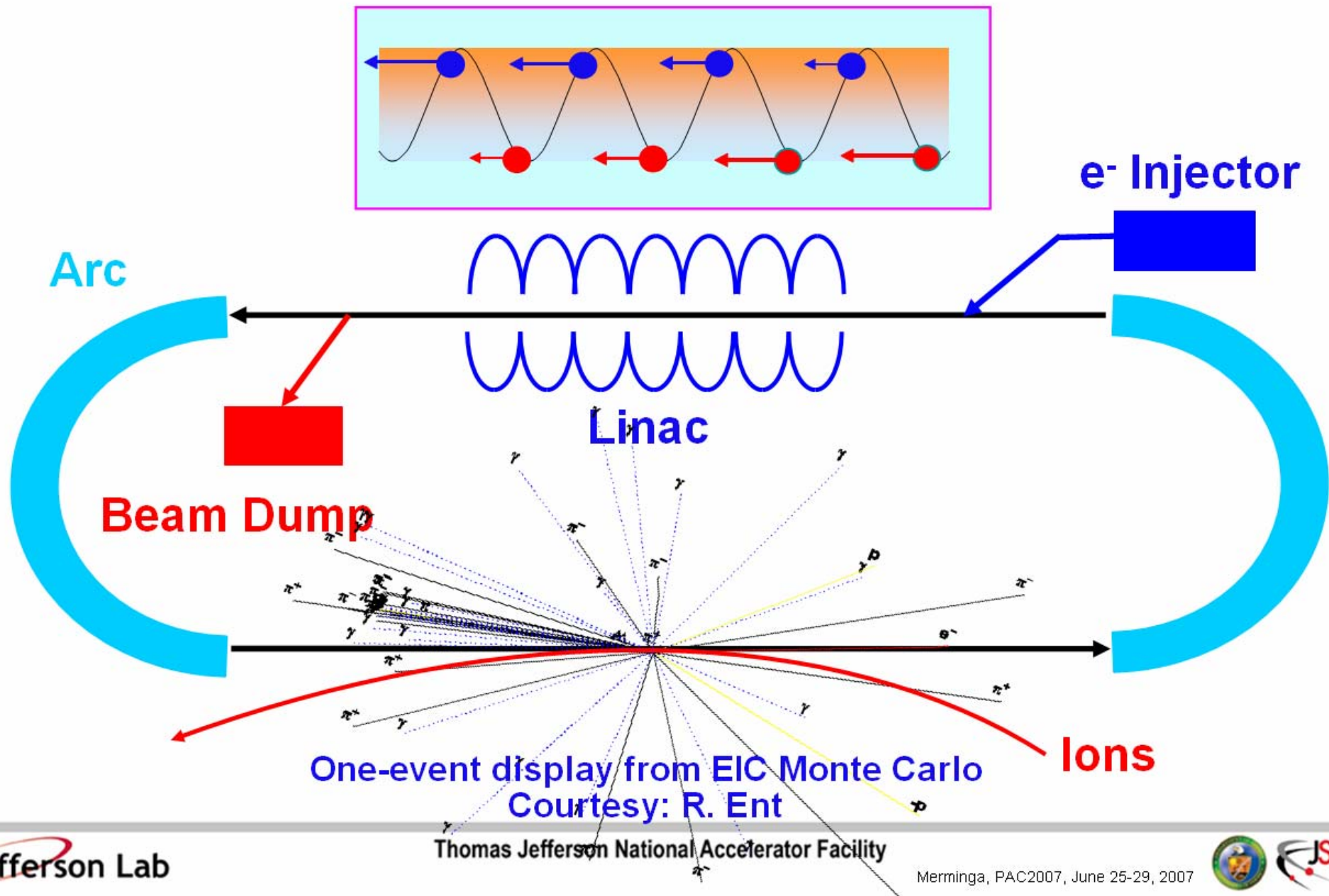
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ERL vs. Storage Ring vs. Linac

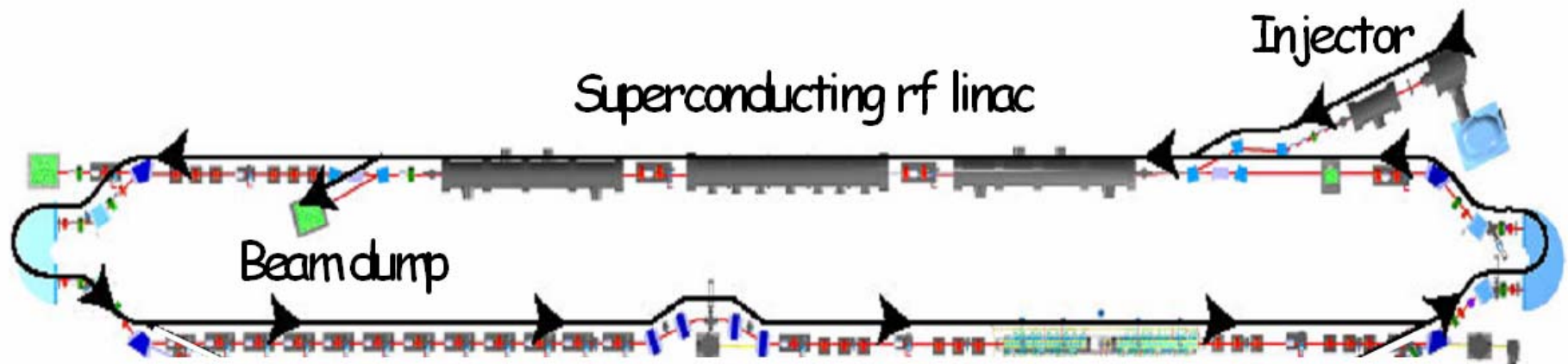
- While an electron storage ring stores the same electrons for hours in an equilibrium state, an **ERL** stores the energy of the electrons.
- In an ERL electrons spend little time in the accelerator ($\sim 1 \mu\text{s}$), therefore they never reach an equilibrium state.
- **In common with linacs:** In an **ERL** the 6-D beam phase space is largely determined by electron source properties by design.
- **In common with storage rings:** An **ERL** possesses high average current-carrying capability enabled by the ER process, thus promising high efficiencies.

Presently Operating ERLs



The Jefferson Lab IR FEL Upgrade

Energy recovered up to 9.1 mA at 150 MeV



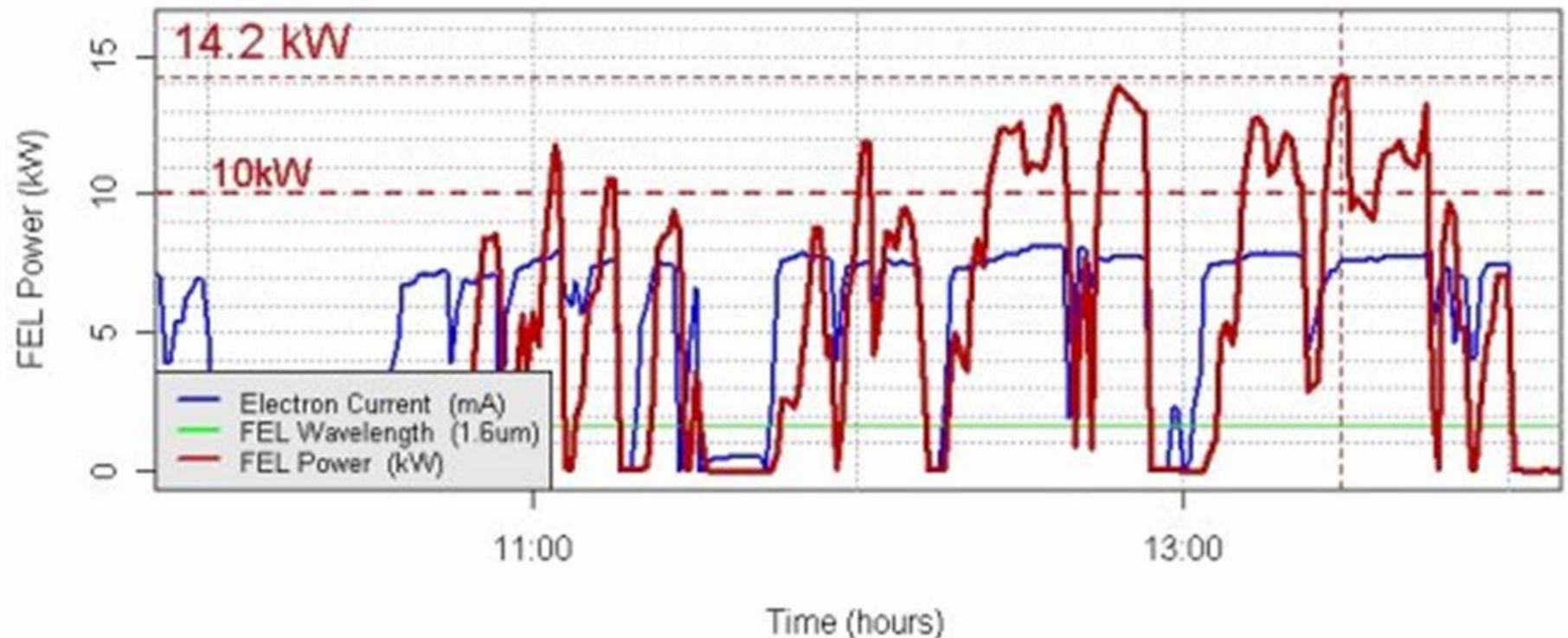
JLab IR FEL Electron Beam Parameters	Design	Achieved
Energy (MeV)	145	160
Bunch charge (pC)	135	270
Average current (mA)	10	9.1
Bunch length* (fs)	200	120
Norm. emittance* (mm-mrad)	30	7
Max. Bunch rep. rate (MHz)	74.85	74.85

*Quantities are rms

High-Power Record at JLAB FEL

**Achieved 14.2 kW CW light power at 1.6 μm
on October 30, 2006!**

New FEL Power Record of 14.26 kW at 1.6 μm on Oct. 30, 2006



JAEA ERL FEL

Courtesy R. Hajima

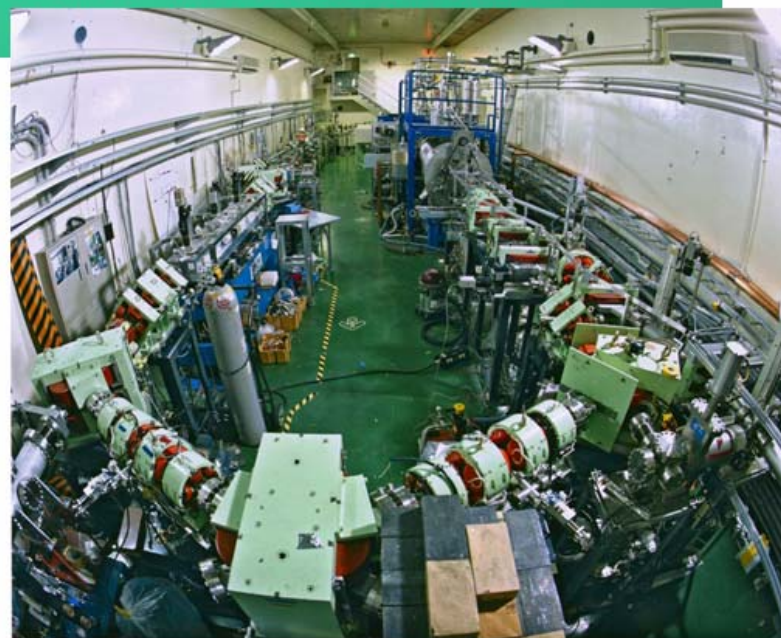
A grid pulser developed at BINP is used.

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10 mA beam

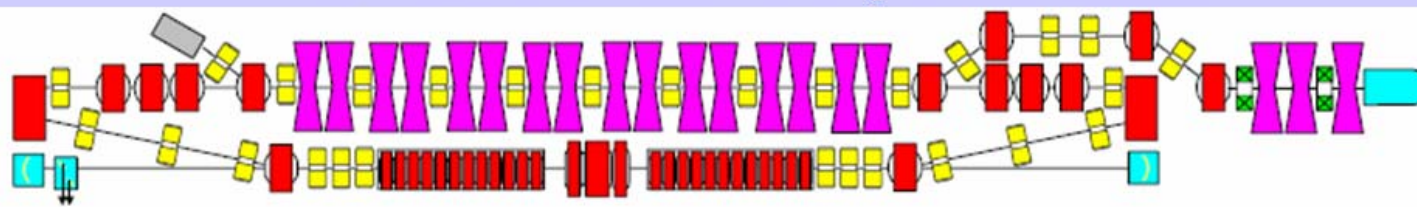
Two 50 kW IOT RF sources are used.

Energy = 17 MeV
FEL : $\lambda = 22 \mu\text{m}$
Bunch charge = 400 pC
Bunch length = 12 ps (FWHM)
Bunch rep. = 20.8 MHz
Macro pulse = 0.23 ms x 10 Hz



The Novosibirsk High Power THz FEL

Energy recovered highest average current to date:
20 mA at 1.7 nC per bunch



 RF-Cavities  Bending Magnets  Quadrupoles  Solenoids
 Undulators  Buncher  Mirrors  Outcoupler

	May 2005	Plans
RF frequency, MHz	180	180
Bunch repetition rate, MHz	11.2	90
Maximum average current, mA	20	150
Maximum electron energy, MeV	12	14
Normalized beam emittance, mm*mrad	30	15
Electron bunch length in FEL, ns	0.07	0.1
Peak current in FEL, A	10	20



Envisioned ERL Applications

- Free Electron Lasers
- Spontaneous Emission Light Sources
- Electron Cooling
- Electron-Ion Colliders

Future ERL FELs

High average laser power (~ 100 kW)
Shorter wavelengths (VUV)
High overall system efficiency
Reduced beam dump activation

Typical Requirements

Energy ~ 100 - 600 MeV

Charge ~ 0.1 - 1 nC/bunch

Transverse emittance ~ 1 - 10 mm-mrad

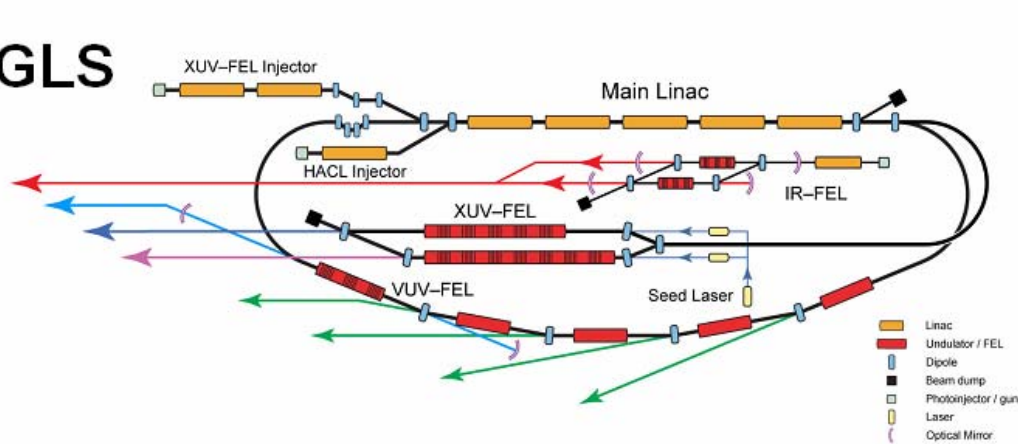
Longitudinal emittance ≤ 100 keV-ps

Average current ~ 1 - 100 mA

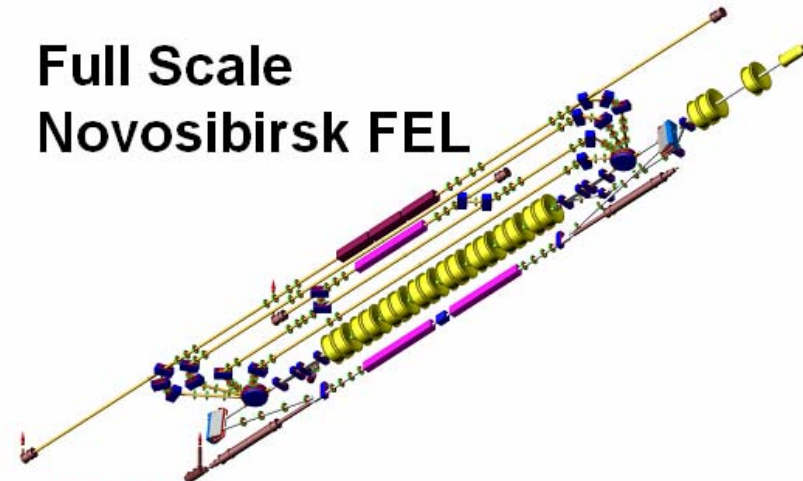
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Future ERL FELs: Designs/Concepts

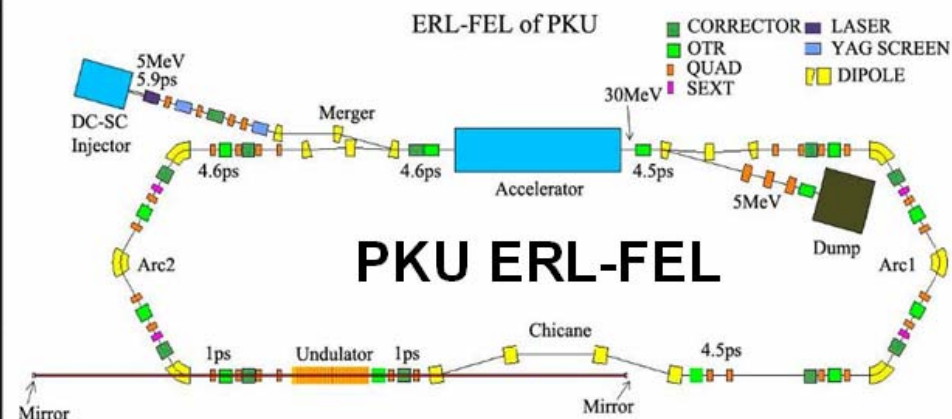
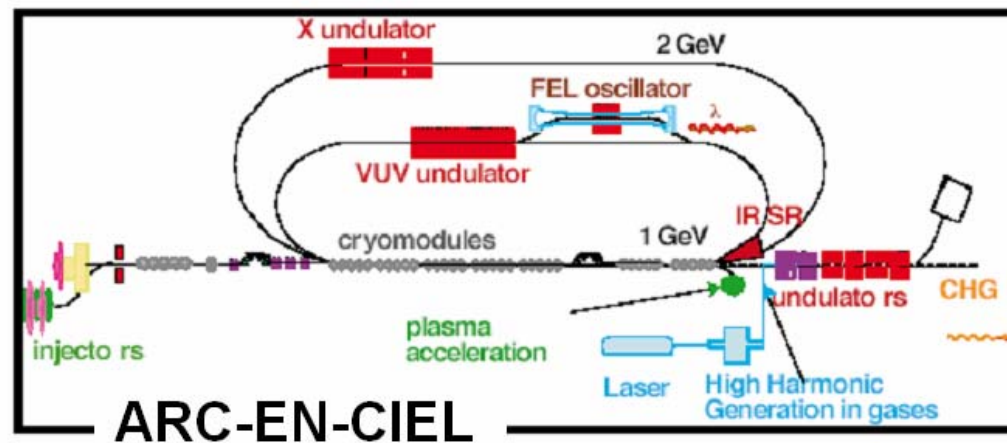
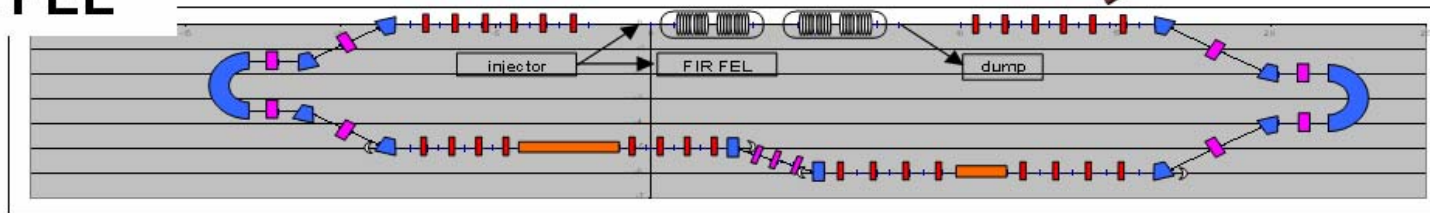
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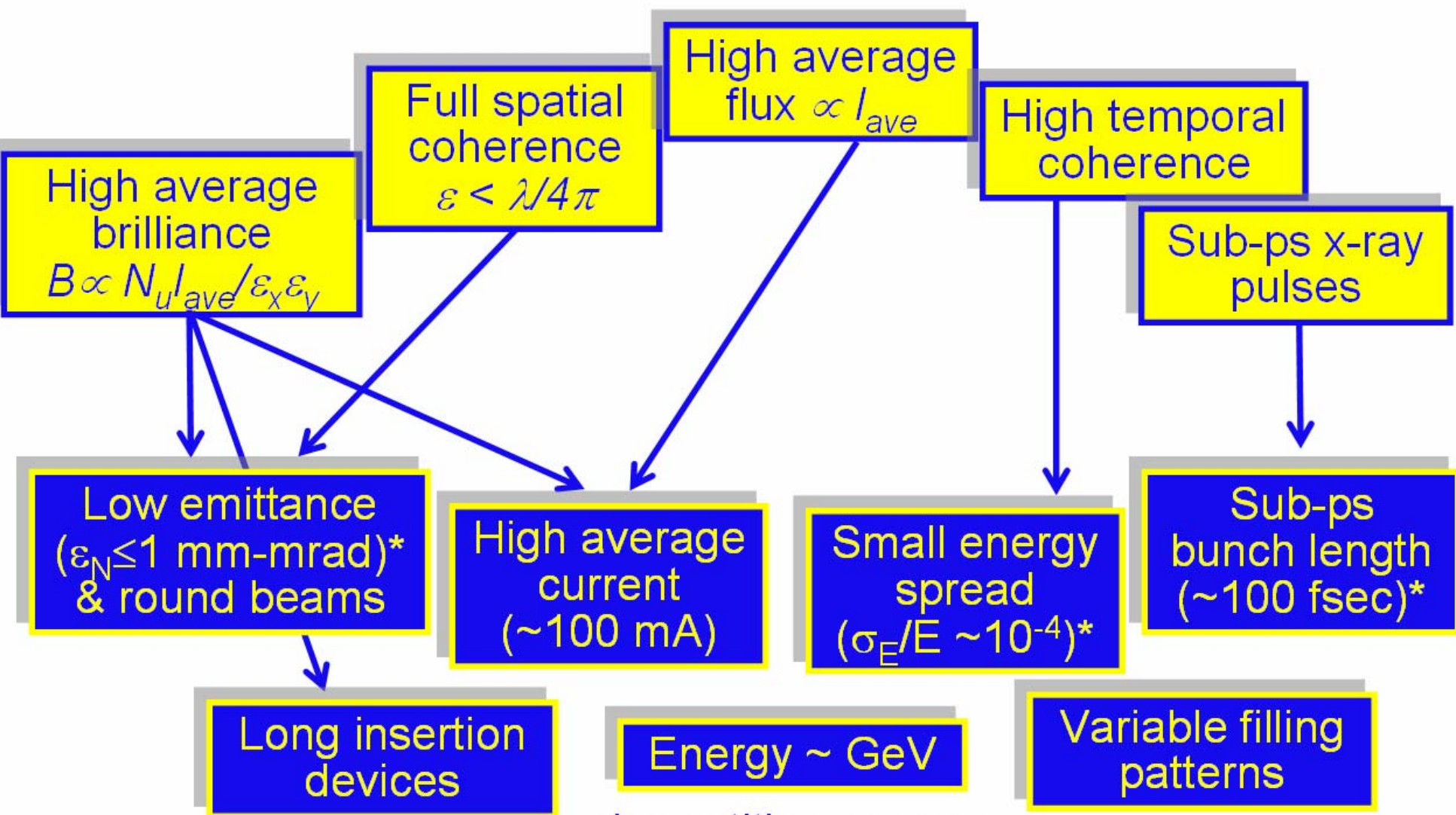
Full Scale Novosibirsk FEL



NHMFL FEL

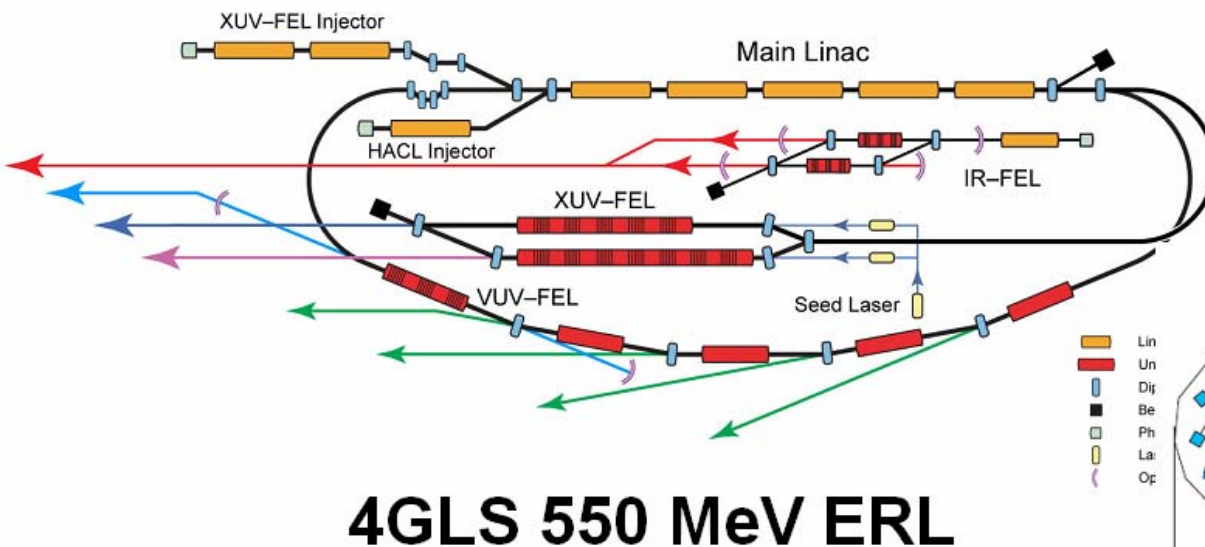
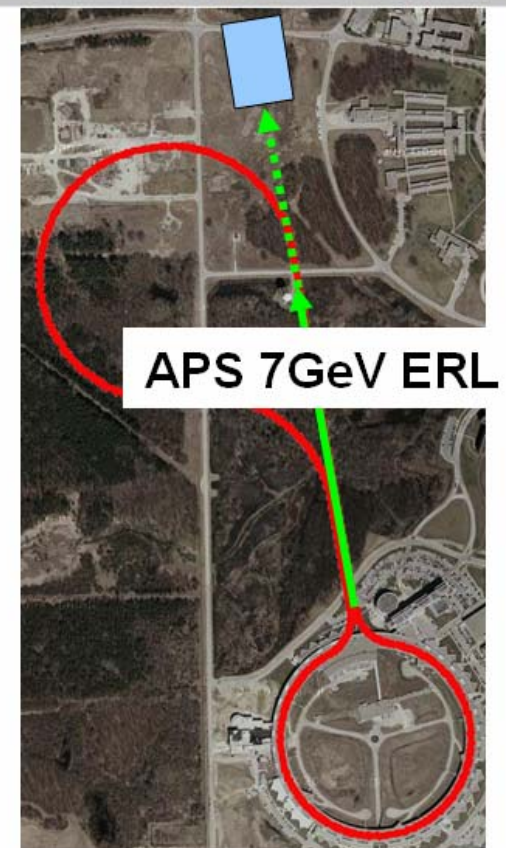
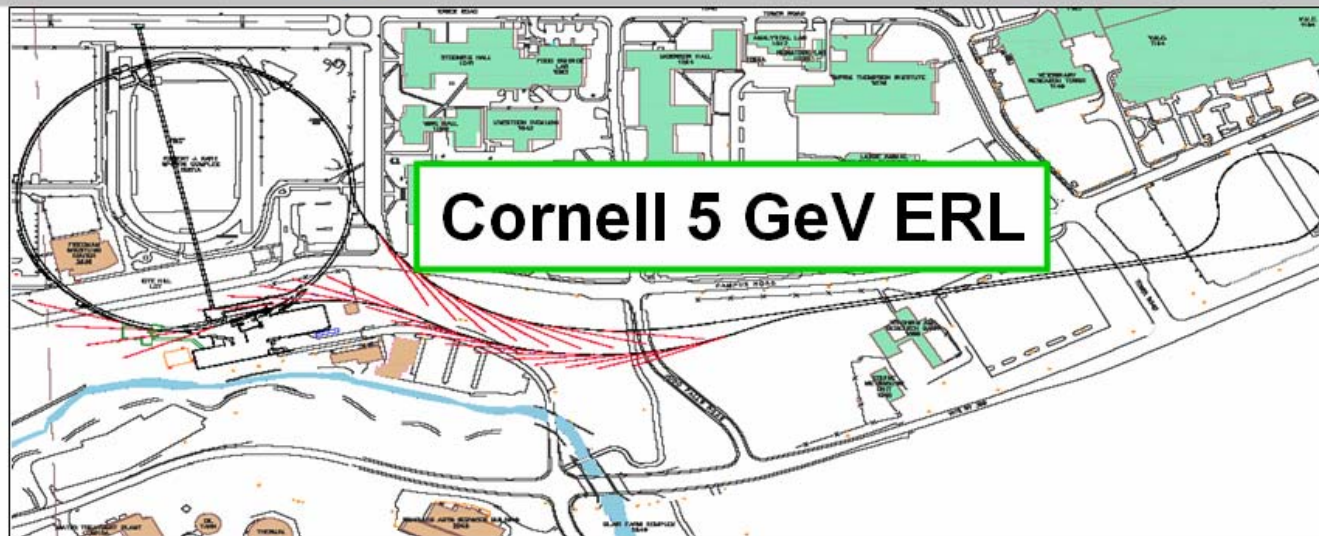


Spontaneous Emission ERL Light Sources

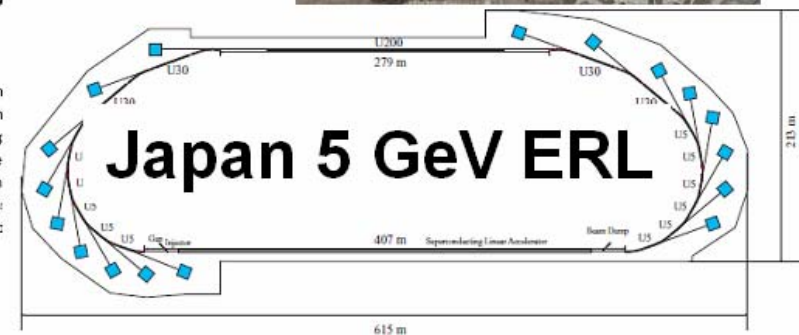


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Designs of ERL Light Sources

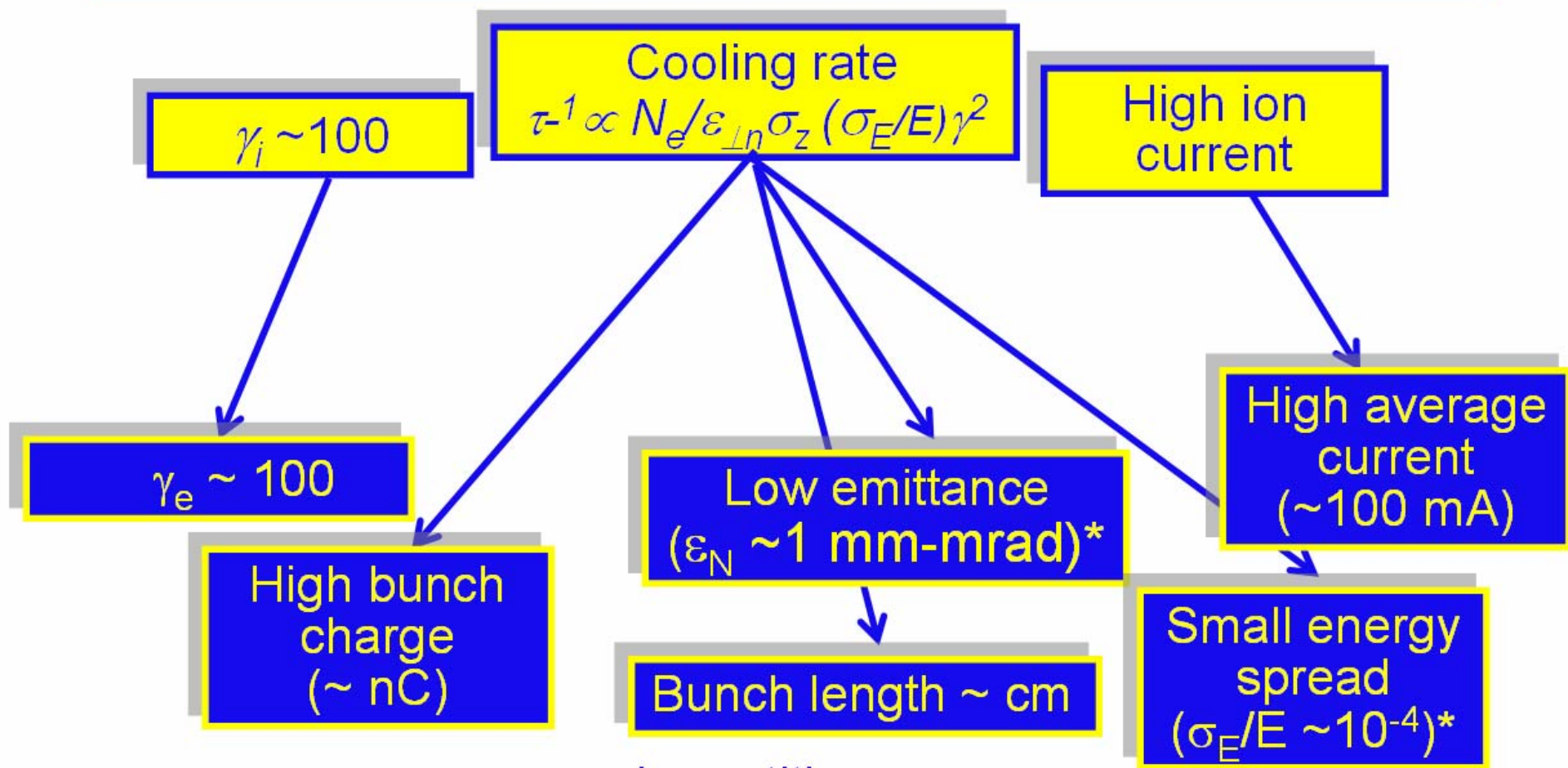


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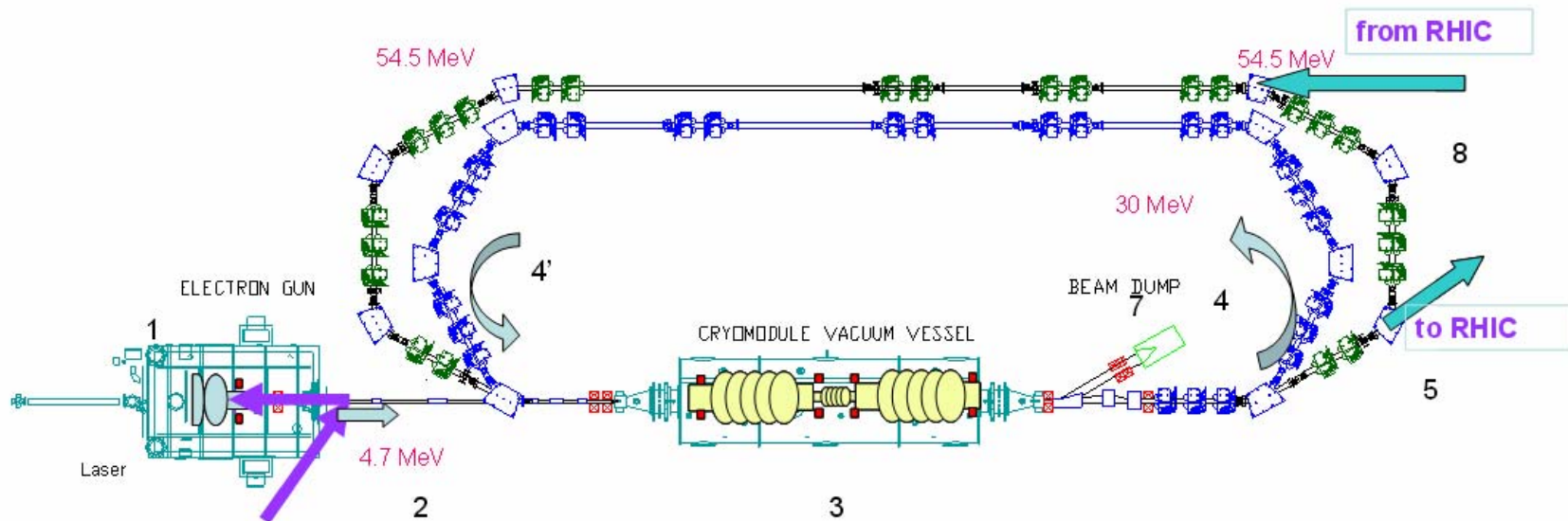
ERLs for Electron Cooling

ERLs provide the only credible concept for electron cooling of high-energy colliding beams



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RHIC-II Electron Cooler



Design Parameters

Energy 54 MeV

Charge 5 nC/bunch

Emittance ≤ 4 mm-mrad

Average current ~ 50 mA

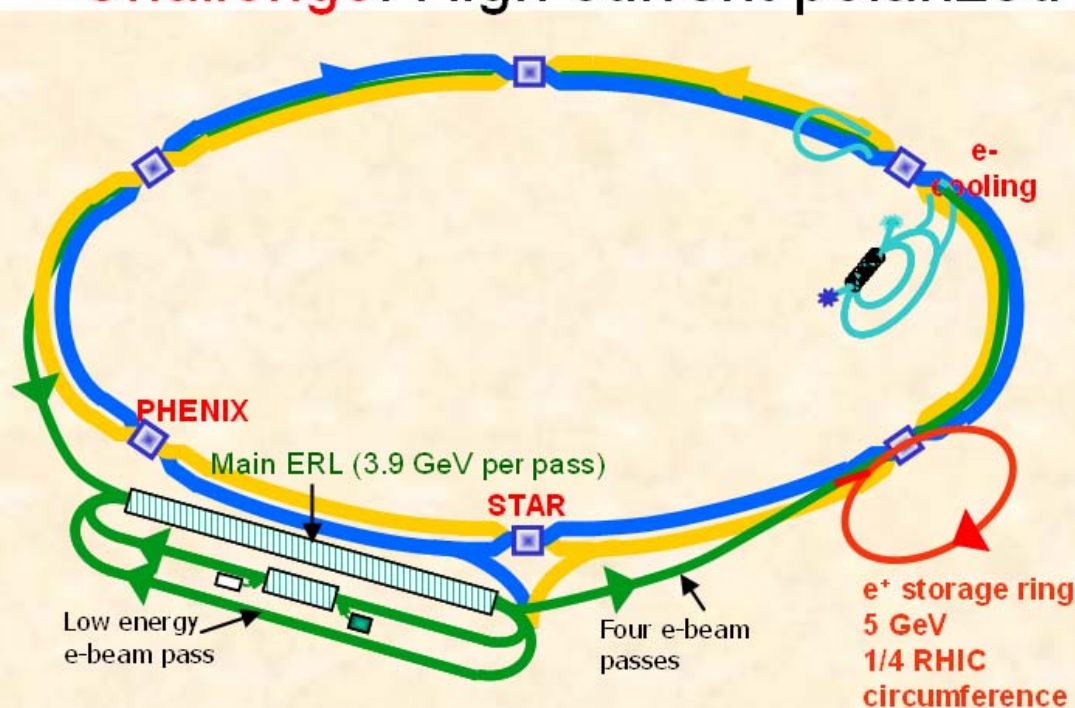
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ERLs for Electron-Ion Colliders

■ Advantages:

- Potential luminosity increase compared to ring-ring due to higher allowed beam-beam tunes of the electron beam ($\xi_e \sim 0.5$)
- Easy electron spin manipulations

■ Challenge: High current polarized electron source



ERL eRHIC Requirements

Energy ~ 10 -20 GeV

Charge ~ 10 -20 nC/bunch

Emittance ~ 20 mm-mrad

Average current ~ 250 mA

Polarization $\sim 80\%$

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Accelerator Physics and Technology Challenges and Developments

- **Generation and preservation of low emittance, high current beam**
- **Accelerator transport**
- **High current effects in Superconducting RF**

Generation and Preservation of Low Emittance, High Current Beam

In an ERL, highest quality beam must be produced at the source, and preserved in the low-energy regime.

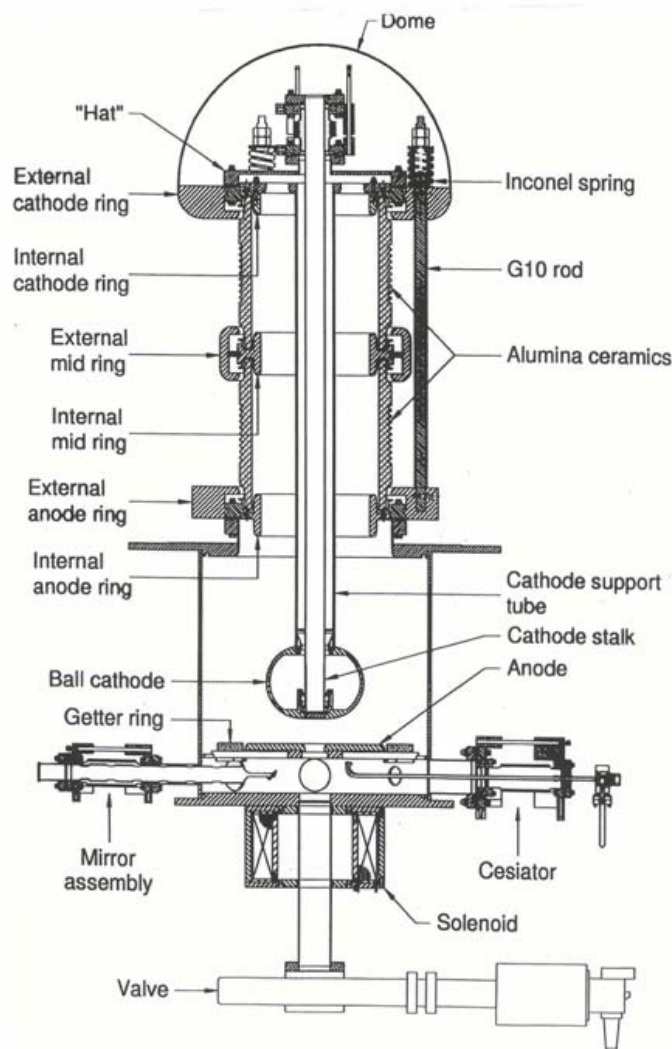
a. High accelerating gradients or high repetition rate? Or both?

b. Achieving the thermal emittance from the injector

DC photoinjectors

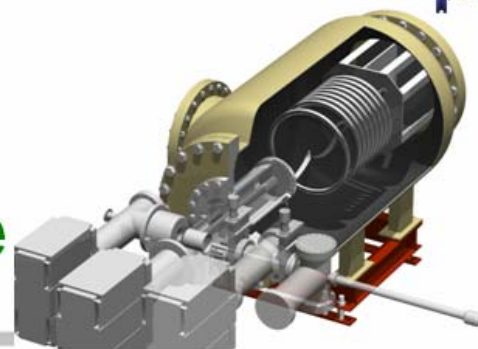
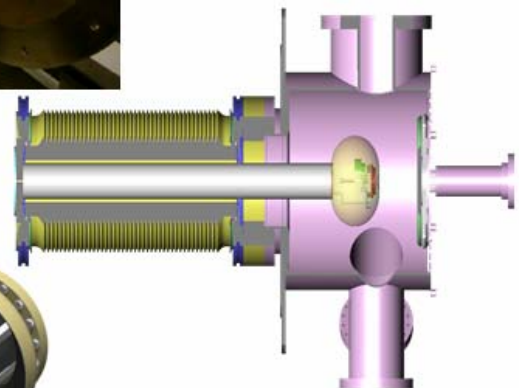
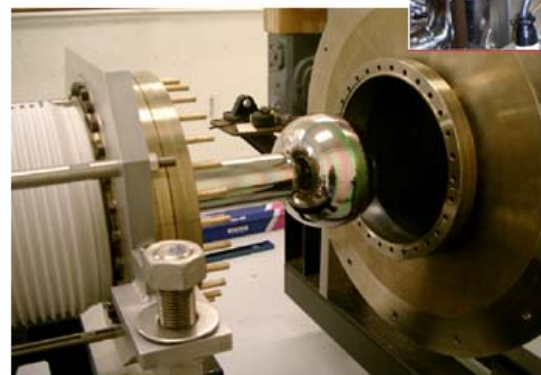
State-of-the-art: JLAB FEL gun

- High repetition rate up to 75 MHz
- $\epsilon_{N,rms} \sim 7 - 10$ mm-mrad for $q \sim 60 - 135$ pC/bunch (measured at the wiggler)
- Average current up to 9 mA
- Cathode voltage: 350 – 500 kV



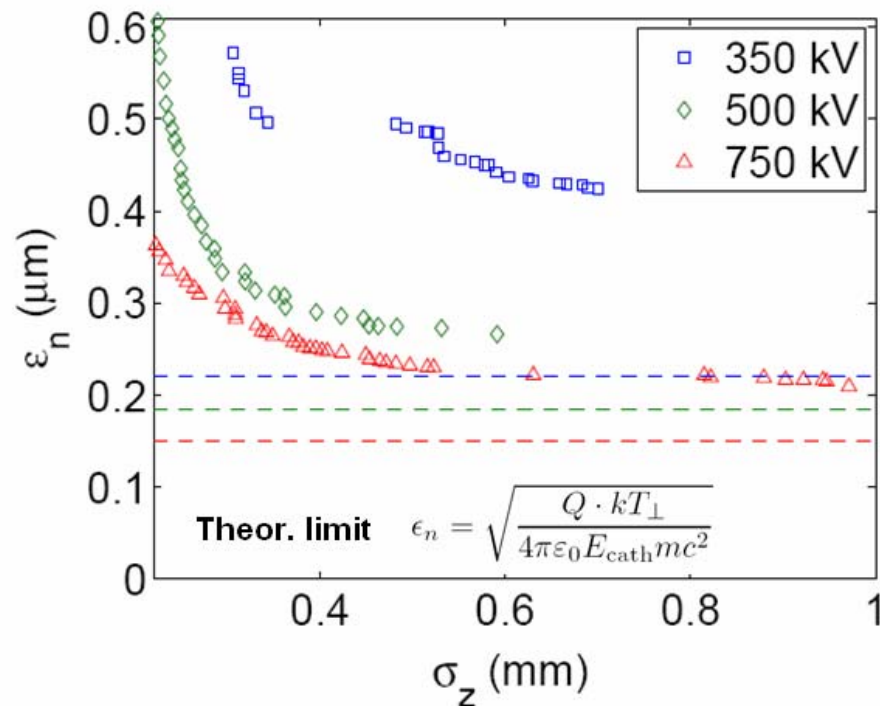
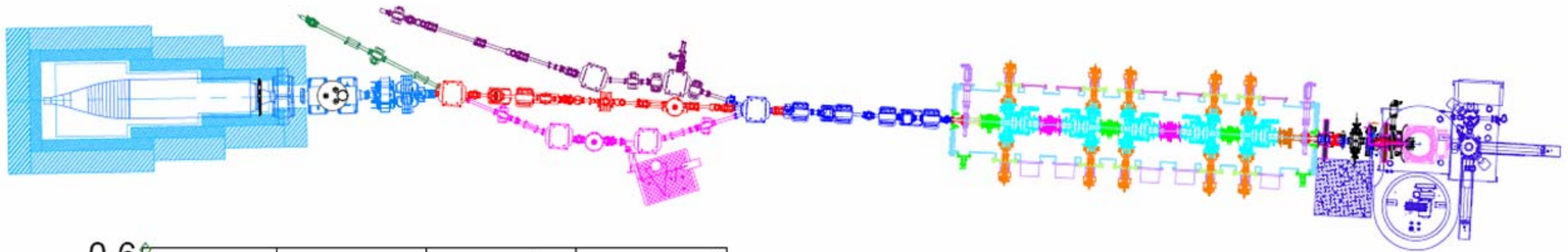
DC Photoinjectors under construction/testing

- **Cornell:**
500 – 750 kV, 1.3 GHz, 100 mA
- **JLab Gun/AES Injector:**
500 kV, 750 MHz, 100 mA
- **Daresbury ERLP:**
Duplicate of JLab FEL gun, 6.5 mA
- **JAEA:**
250 kV, 50 mA gun,
superlattice photocathode



Achieving Thermal Emittance

Cornell ERL Prototype Injector Layout



Injector optimization 77 pC/bunch

Courtesy: I. Bazarov

0.2 mm-mrad, 77 pC, 3ps
Dominated by thermal emittance

Injector optimization also pursued
by Hajima (JAEA), Hannon (JLab).

RF photoinjectors

- To date RF guns have produced best normalized emittances:

$\varepsilon_{N,rms} \sim 1 \mu\text{m}$ at $q \sim 0.1 - 1 \text{ nC}$, but at relatively low rep rate (10-100 Hz)

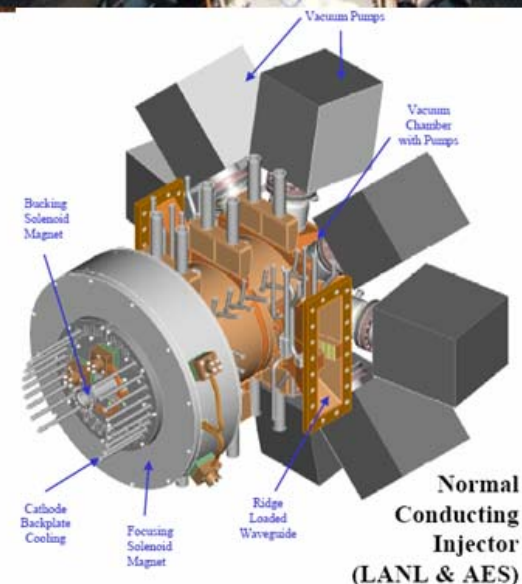
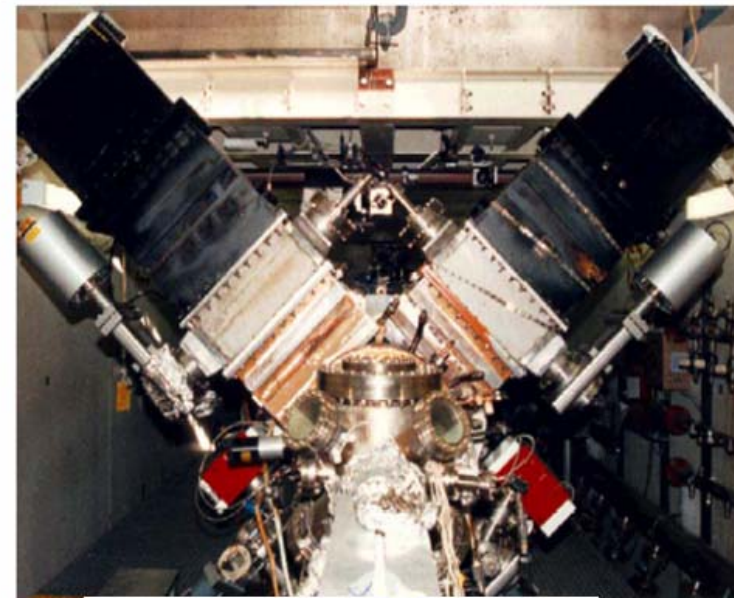
- **Challenge:** Balance high gradient (low emittance) with high rep rate (thermal effects)

State-of-the-art: Boeing gun

- Repetition rate 433 MHz at 25% DF
- Average current 32 mA

Planned RF Photoinjectors

- LANL/AES: 700 MHz, 100 mA

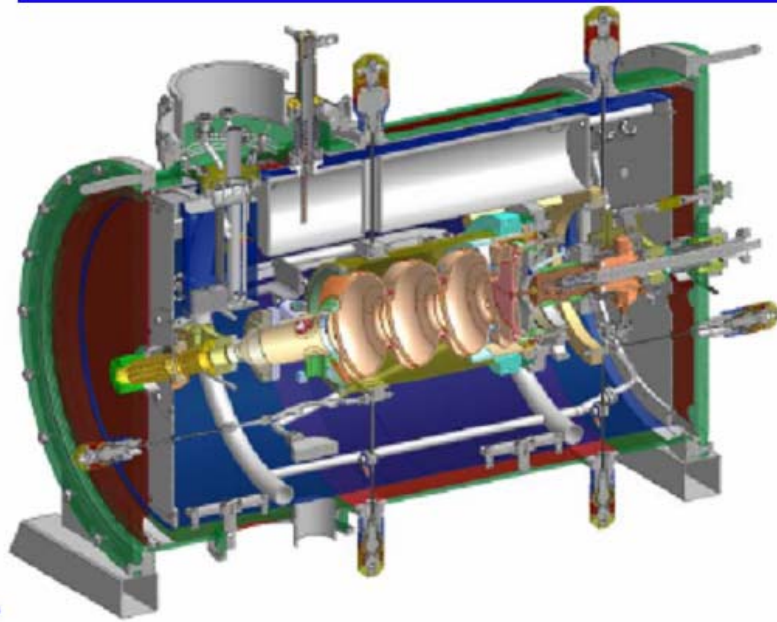


SRF photoinjectors

- High CW RF fields possible
- Significant R&D required
- Two major developments in progress:
 - Rossendorf 3 1/2-cell Nb cavity
 - BNL/AES 1/2-cell Nb cavity with diamond amplified photocathode

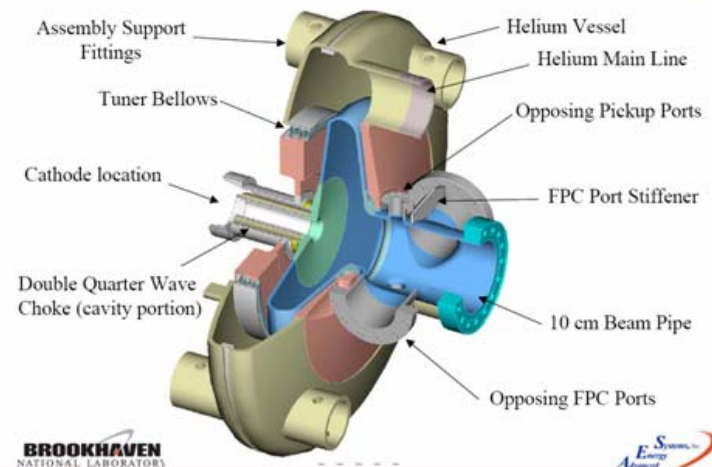
SRF photoinjectors (cont'd)

Rossendorf SRF gun

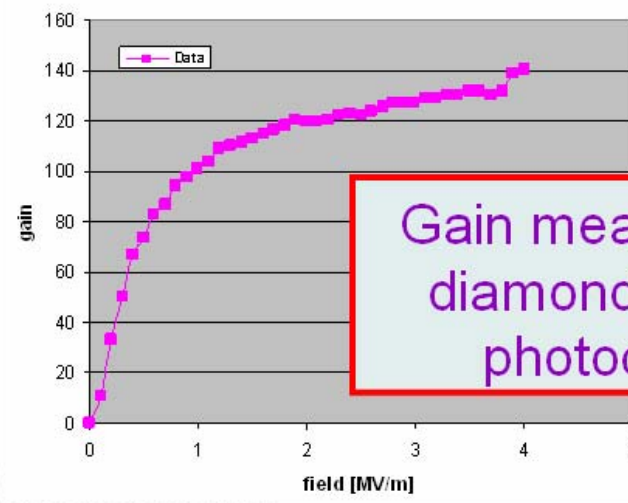


- 1.3 GHz, 9.5 MeV, CW
3 modes of operation:
- 77 pC at 13 MHz
 - 1 nC up to 1 MHz (1 mA)
 - 2.5nC at 1 kHz

BNL/AES SRF gun



703.75 MHz, 2.5 MeV, 500 mA CW



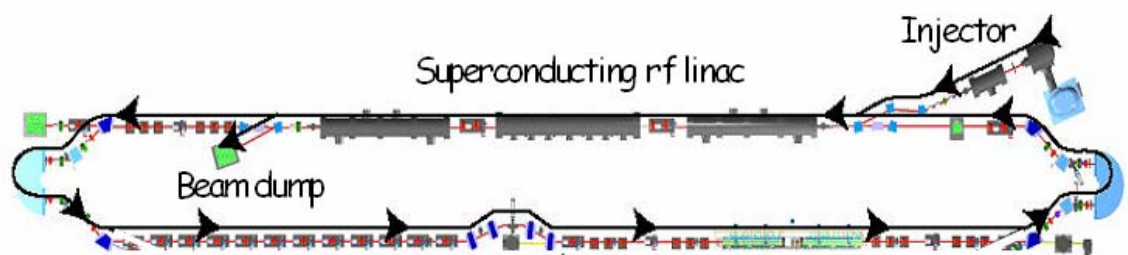
Gain measured from
diamond amplified
photocathode

Accelerator transport

6-D emittance preservation and phase space management during acceleration and energy recovery

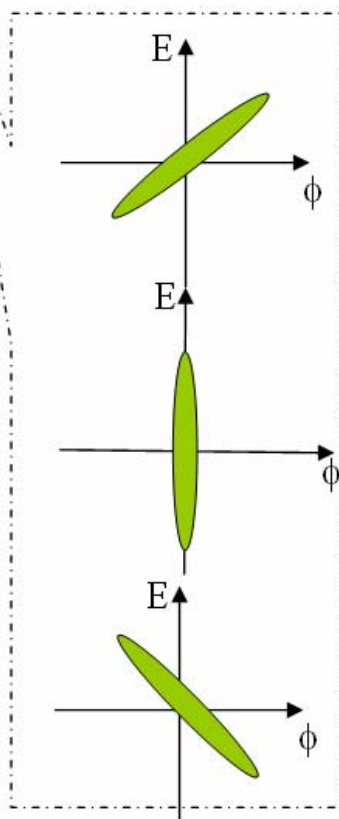
- a. Longitudinal matching
- b. CSR/LSC, Wakefields**
- c. Halo and beam loss
- d. Beam stability and diagnostics

CSR/LSC at the JLab FEL Upgrade



Synchrotron radiation images of beam at dispersed location.

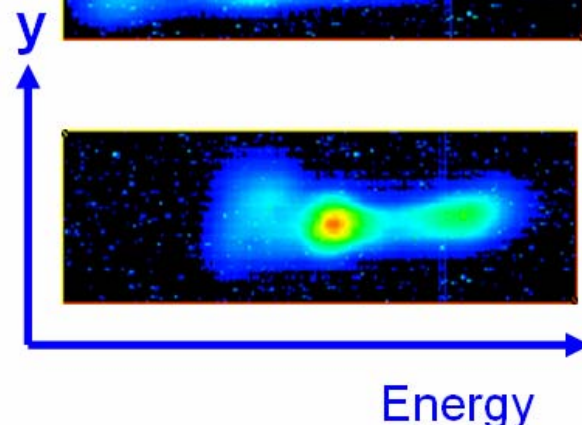
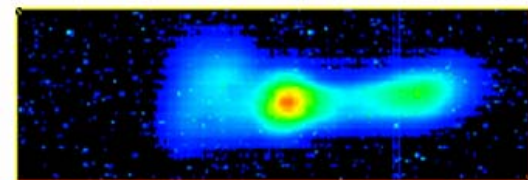
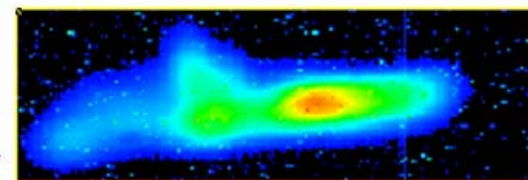
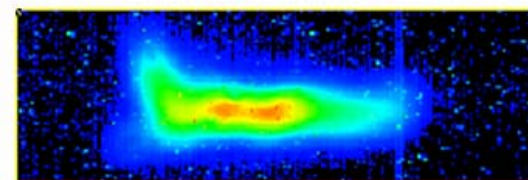
As bunch compression is varied, at constant incoming energy spread, collective effects affect the energy spread and bunch distribution. Observed features consistent with CSR/LSC effects during bunch compression. Quantitative investigation on-going.



Under compression

Perfect compression

Over compression



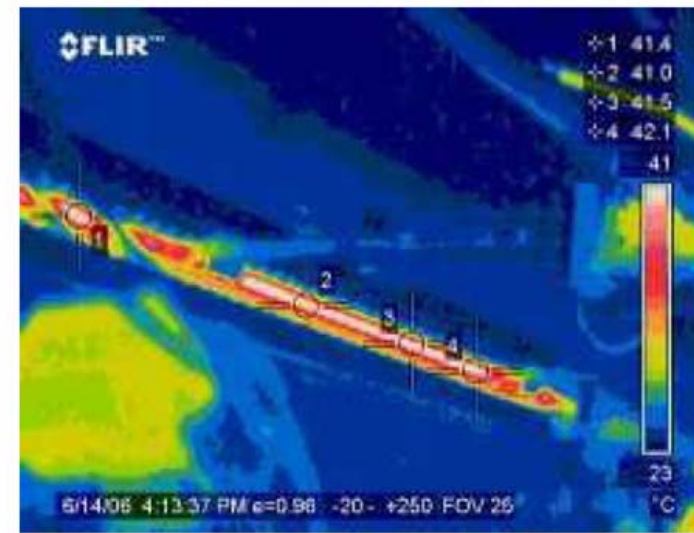
Courtesy: D. Douglas, P. Evtushenko, R. Li

Power Loss due to Resistive Wall

- The combination of short bunch length and high average current beams presents new challenges in future ERLs.

Wiggler chamber heating

- Approximately 200 W deposited on wiggler vacuum chamber ($L=2\text{m}$, $g=15\text{ mm}$) with 3.5 mA CW beam, 150 fs rms bunch length.
- Observed beam-induced heating of wiggler chamber in JLab FEL Upgrade consistent with resistive wall wakefield effect.

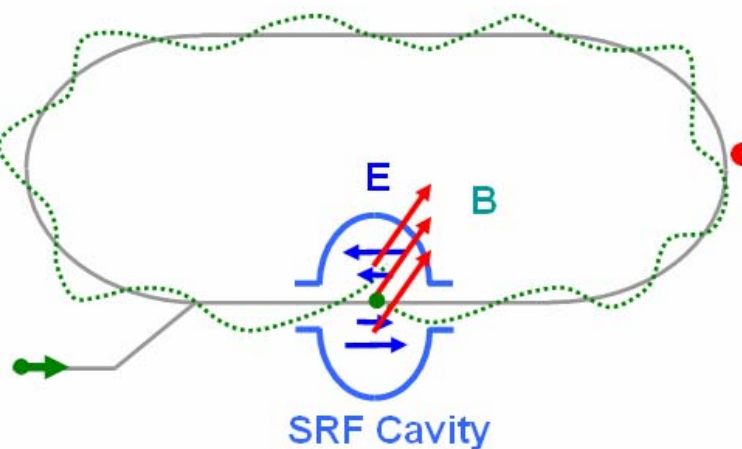


High current effects in Superconducting RF

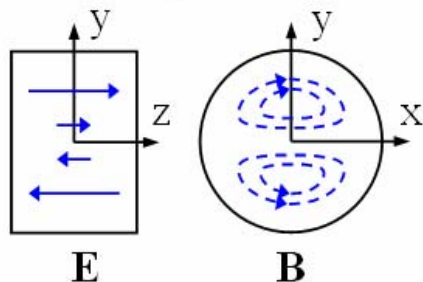
Beam stability and beam quality preservation, and cryogenic efficiency during acceleration/deceleration of high average current, short bunch length beams in SRF environment

- a. Efficient extraction of HOM power
- b. Stability against multipass beam breakup**
- c. RF control and stability under max practical Q_L

Multipass Beam Breakup



Dipole HOM ($m = 1$)
 TM_{11} -like

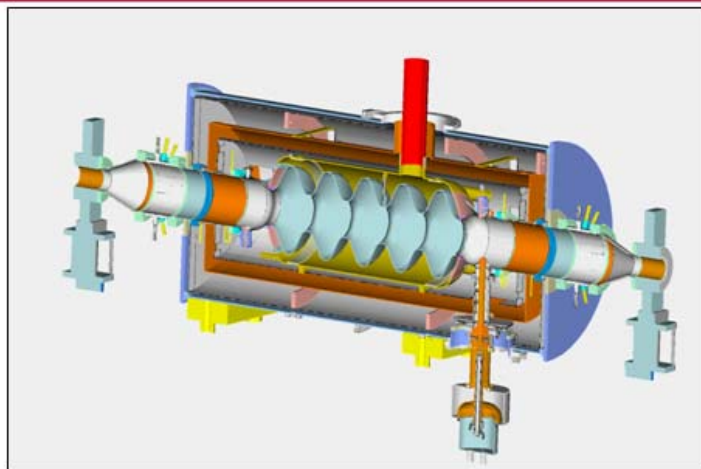


- Driven predominantly by high-Q superconducting cavities can potentially limit the average current.
- BBU a mature theory, in excellent agreement with simulations. Experimentally determined threshold at the JLab FEL (2.5 mA) in good agreement with simulations (2.7 mA).
- Beam-optical and Q-damping schemes effective in raising threshold.
- Recent design optimization of 1.3 GHz, 9-cell cavity for high current ERL operation results in thresholds that support 2-pass ERL operation at 100mA ($I_{thr} \sim 300$ mA).

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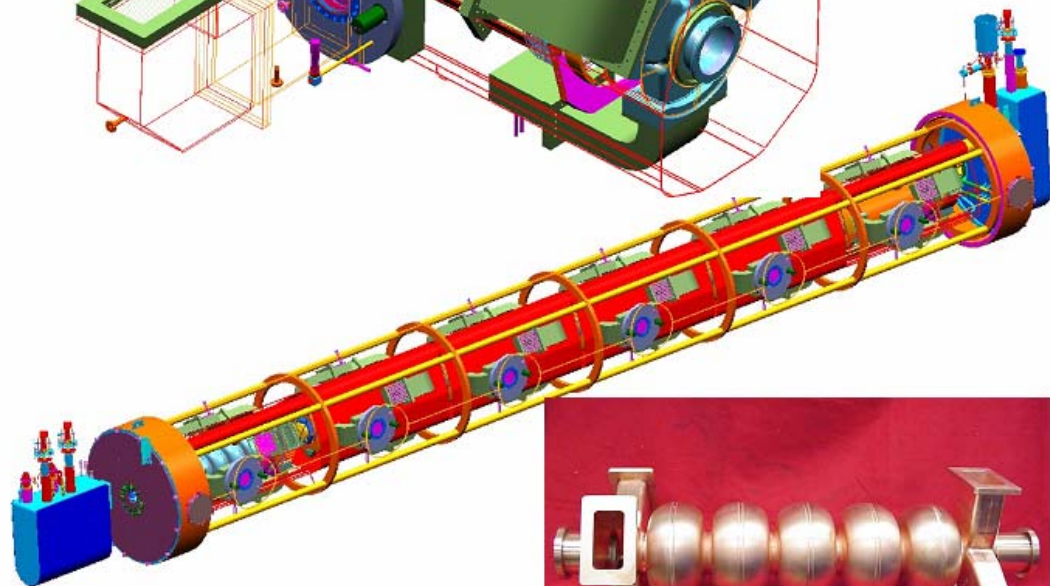
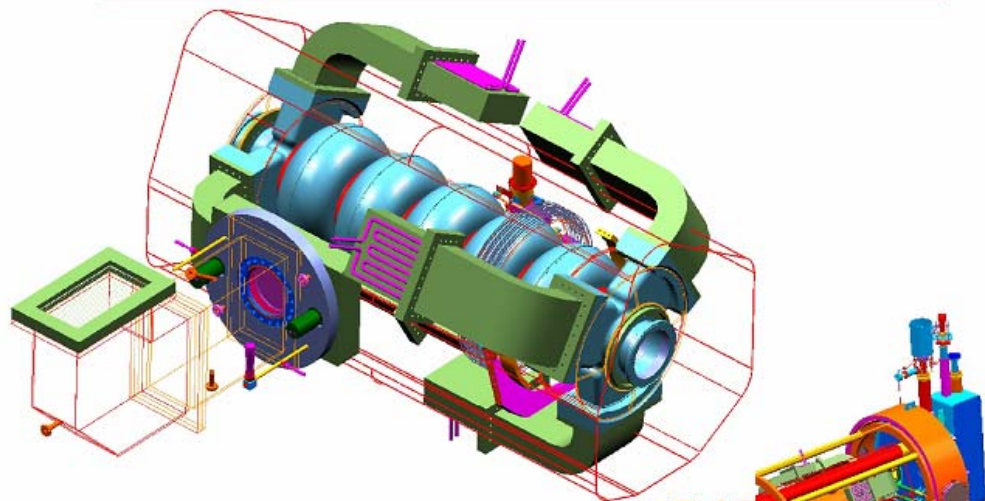
Ampere-class Cavity Designs

BNL “Single mode” cavity:
All HOMs damped.



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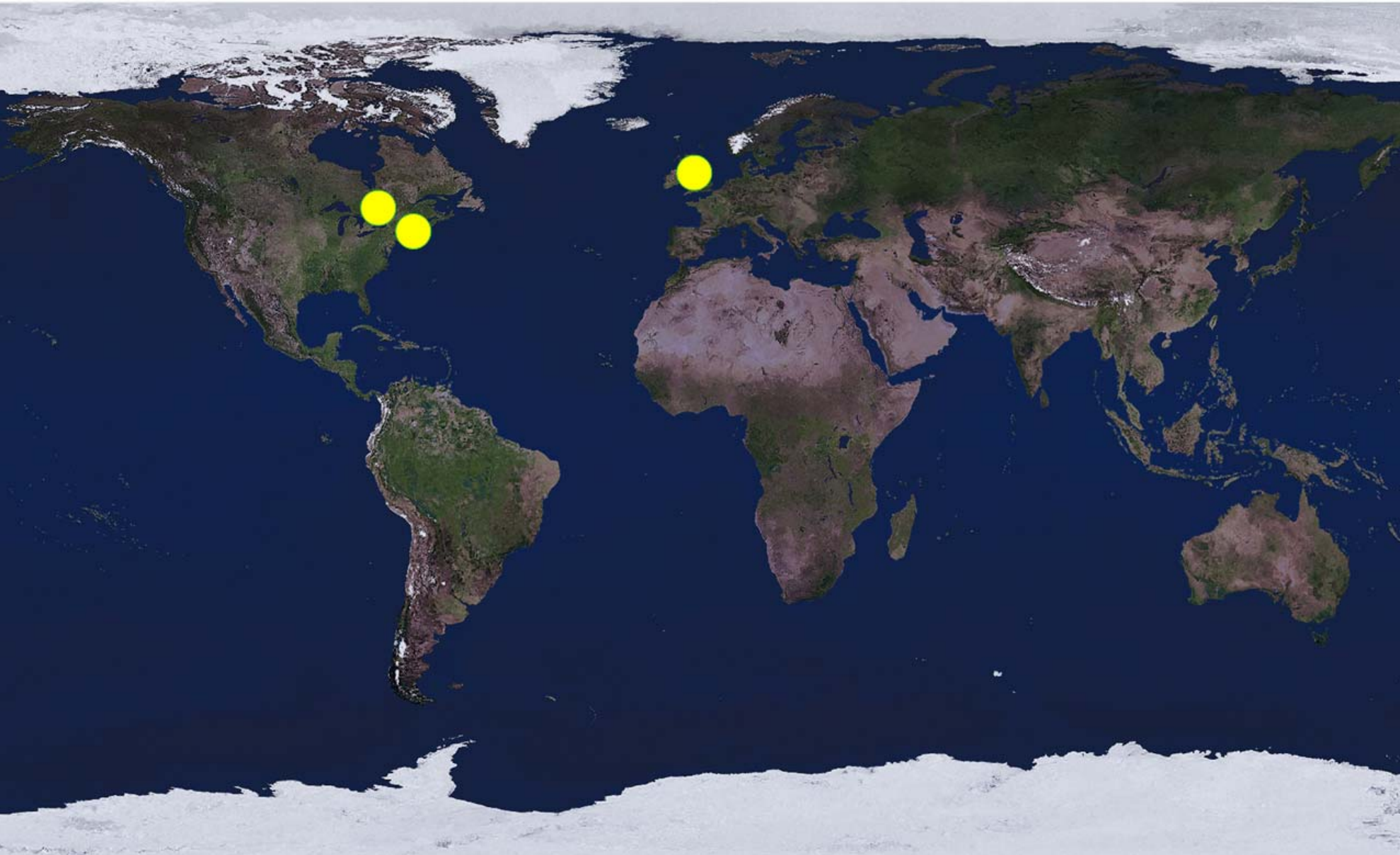
JLAB cavity/cryomodule
concepts



Courtesy: R. Rimmer

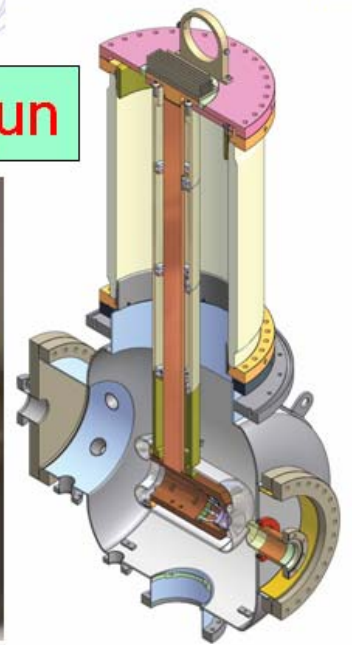
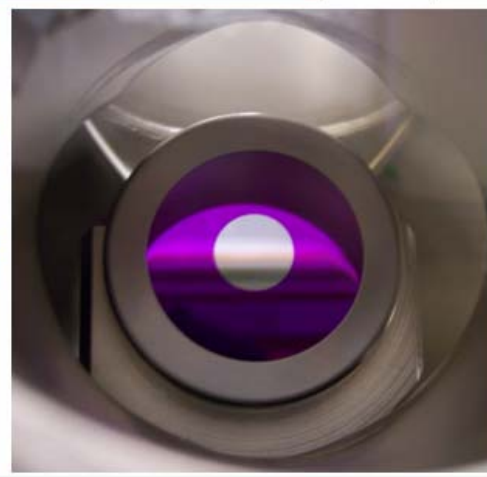
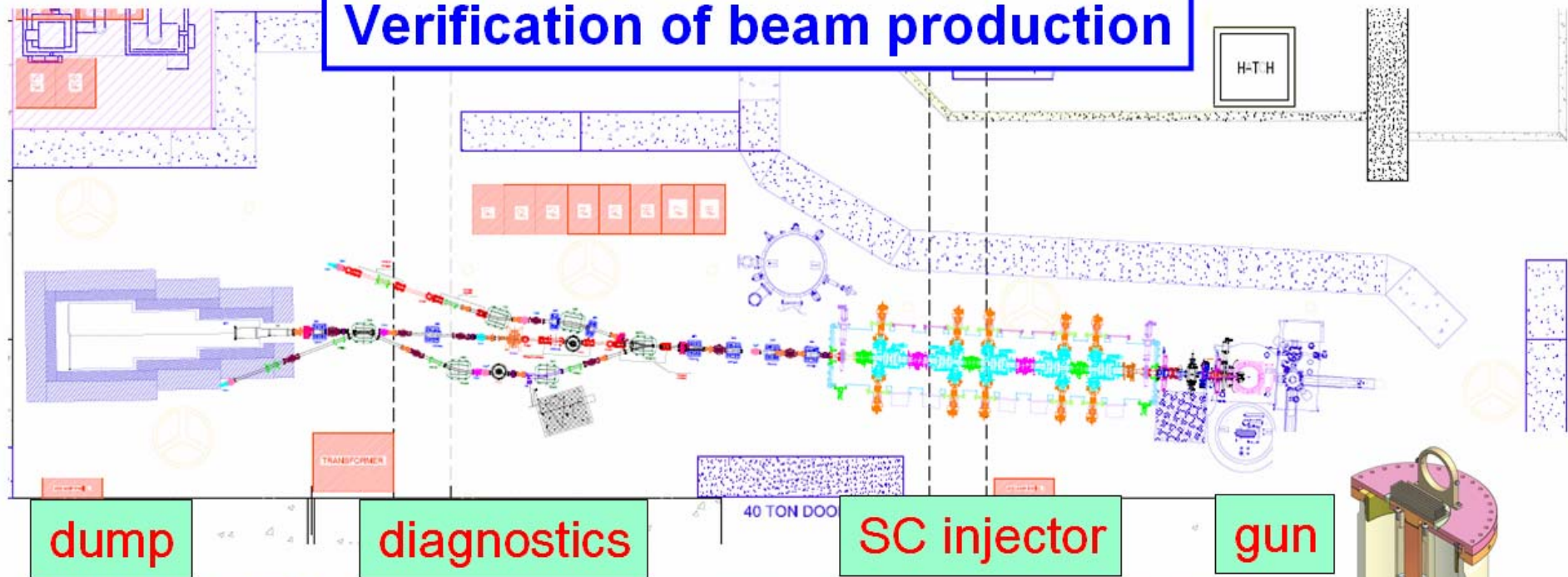


ERL Test Facilities

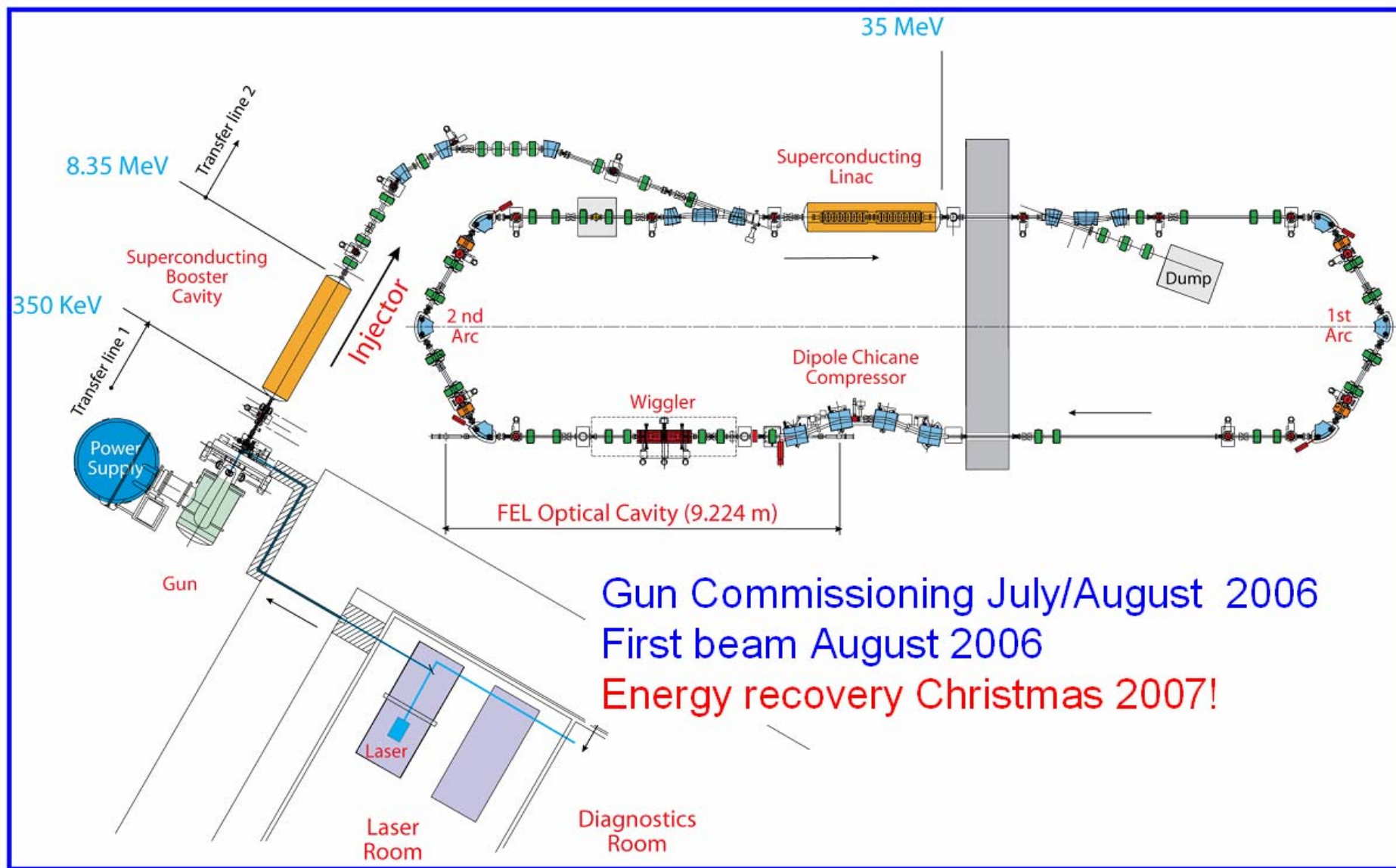


Cornell Injector prototype

Verification of beam production

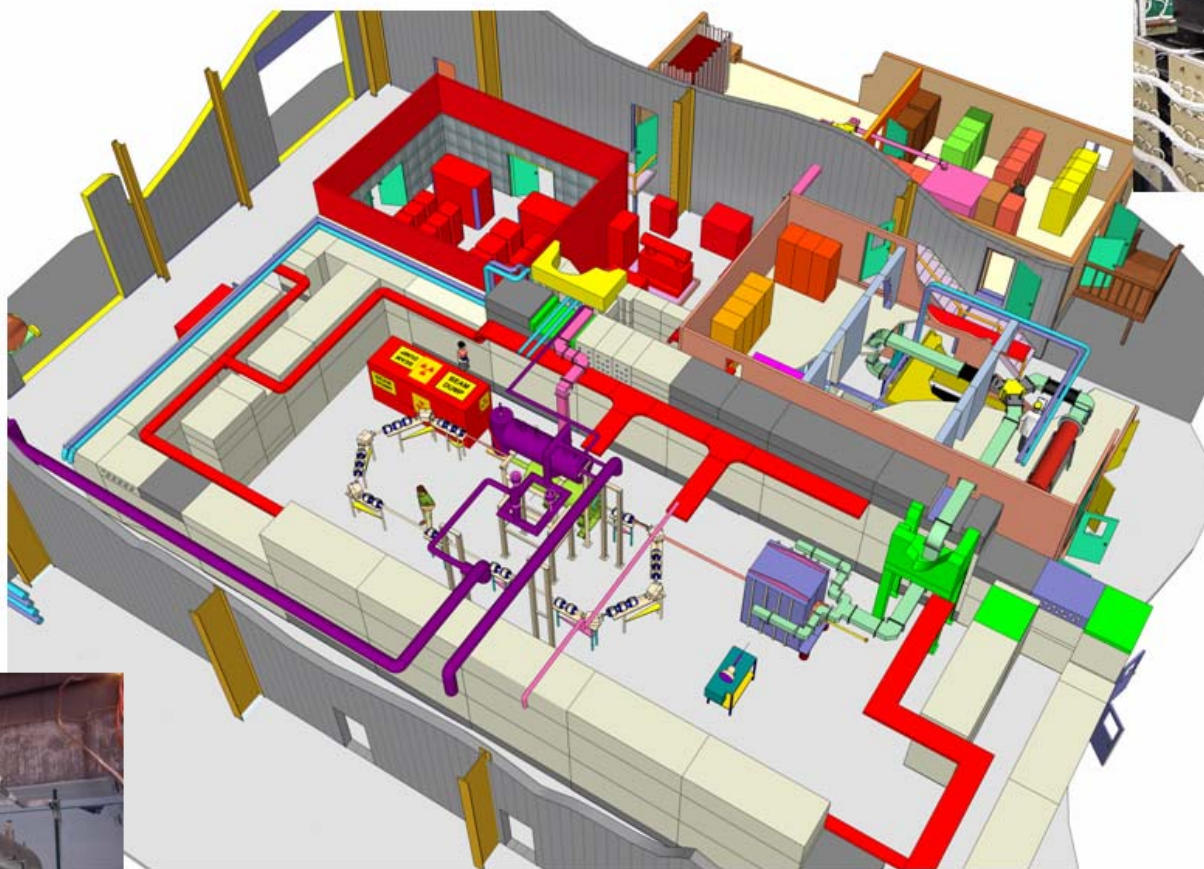


Daresbury ERLP



BNL R&D ERL

20 MeV, 0.5 ampere
Commissioning to start Feb 2009



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Summary

- ERLs provide a powerful and elegant paradigm for a broad range of applications, from high-power FELs and high average brightness, short-pulse radiation sources to electron cooling devices and high luminosity electron-ion colliders.
- The fundamental principles of ERLs have been established by the pioneering ERL-FELs presently in operation.

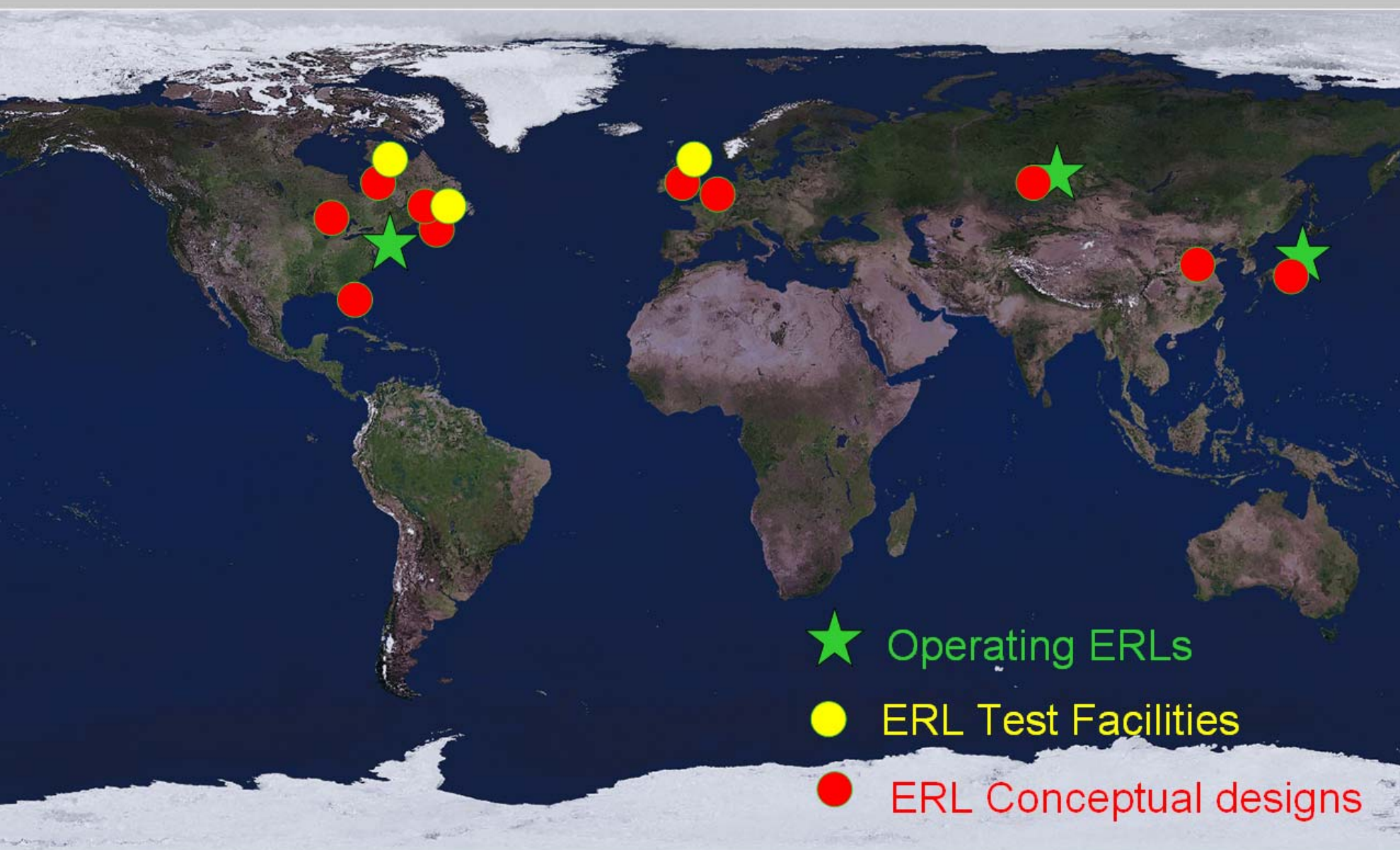
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- There are technical challenges and R&D opportunities that need to be addressed for the realization of next generation ERLs.
- In the past few years, tremendous progress has been made:
 - Test facilities are under construction/commissioning.
 - Vigorous R&D activities in many labs to resolve outstanding issues.

Summary (Cont'd)

- The multitude of ERL projects and proposals worldwide promises an exciting next decade as:
 - Existing ERLs will reach higher performance
 - R&D issues will be resolved, and
 - New ERL facilities will be constructed

Operating and Future ERLs



ERL07

41st Advanced ICFA Beam Dynamics Workshop on Energy Recovery Linacs

Daresbury Laboratory, UK
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Next ERL workshop



See you at Cornell for ERL2009

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