

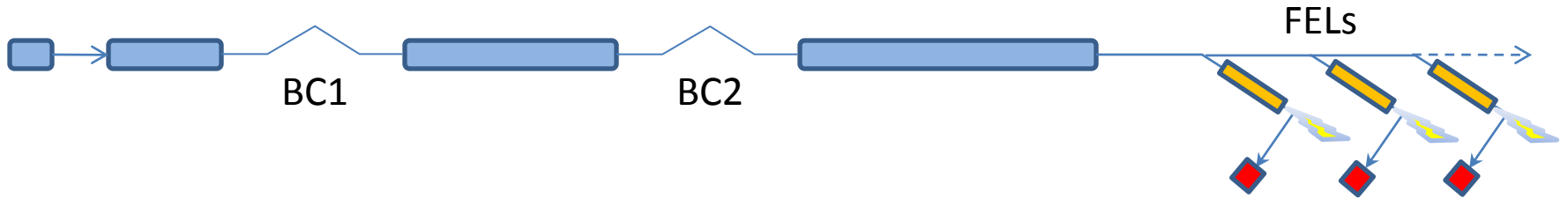
# USE OF MULTIPASS RECIRCULATION AND ENERGY RECOVERY IN CW SRF X-FEL DRIVER ACCELERATORS\*

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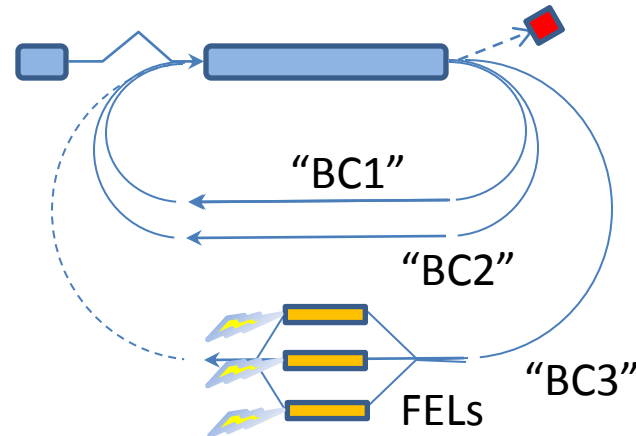
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# “Conventional” (CW) FEL Layout



- Source -> preaccelerator ->  
1<sup>st</sup> stage of (chicane) compression -> 1<sup>st</sup> stage acceleration ->  
2<sup>nd</sup> stage of (chicane) compression -> acceleration to full  
energy -> FEL(s) -> dump drive beam
- Linac => bright beam..., *but*  
high cost (accelerator, cryo (assume SRF), RF drive)  
chicane compressors => curvature compensation  
*via* harmonic RF => higher cost

# Recirculated/Energy Recovered FEL



- Source -> linac (via merger, serves as preaccelerator)  
1<sup>st</sup> recirculation (serves as 1<sup>st</sup> bunch compressor) ->  
Reinject for 2<sup>nd</sup> pass through linac ->  
2nd recirculation (serves as 2<sup>nd</sup> bunch compressor) ->  
Reinject for 3<sup>rd</sup> pass ->  
Transport to multiple FELs, lase ->  
Energy recover beam(s) (if cost effective [high beam powers])

# Rationale for Recirculation and Energy Recovery

- *Recirculation*

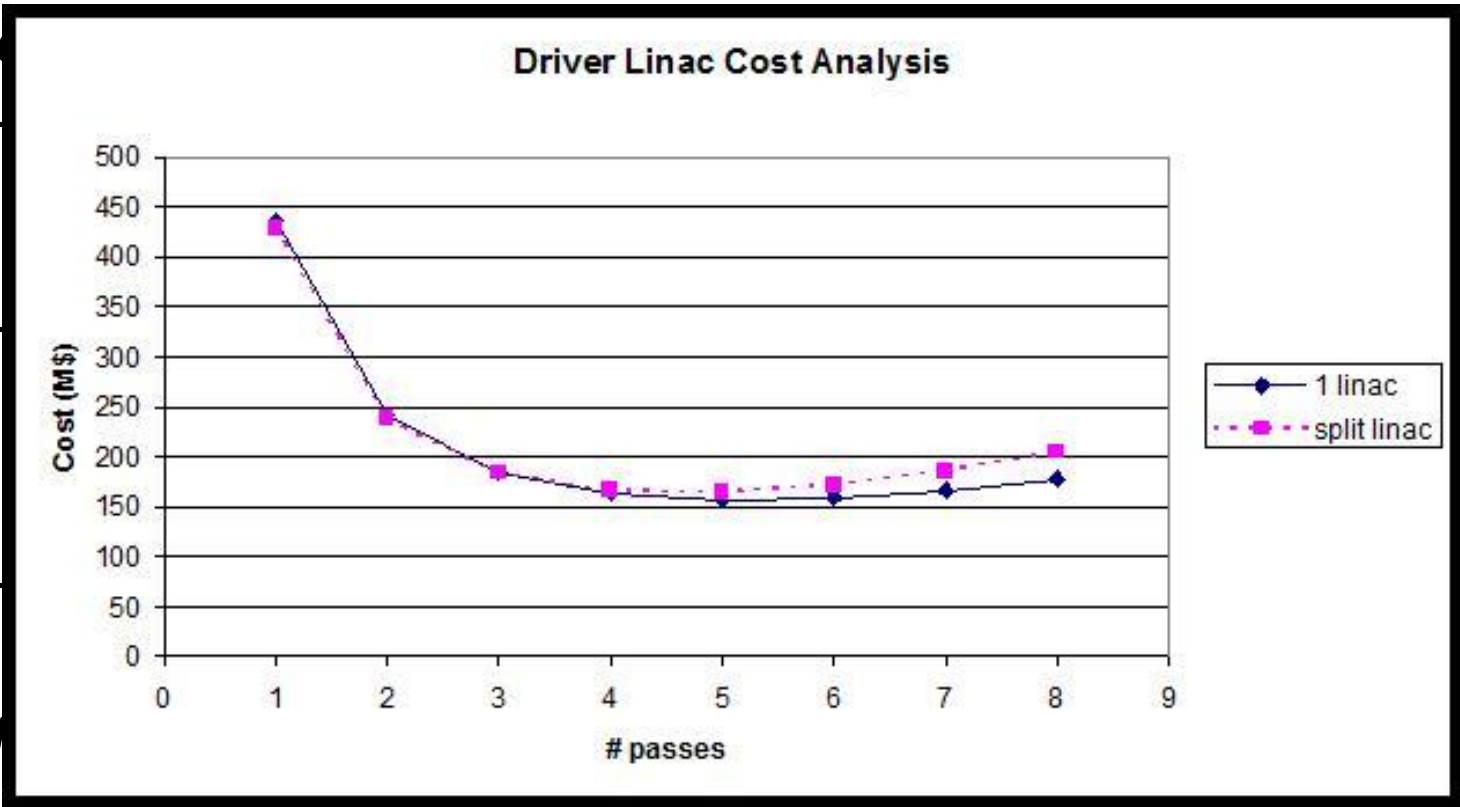
- Reduce linac length/single-pass energy gain => cost control
  - SRF, cryo costs high/beam transport costs low
  - Could save 100s M\$ in cost of large system
- Provide handles on phase space
  - Can provide intermediate stages of bunch compression & curvature correction
  - Betatron matching
- Alters machine footprint (reduce length/increase width)
  - Aids/abets synchronization

- *Energy Recovery*

- Reduce required RF power => cost control
- Limit radiation losses (dump low energy beam)

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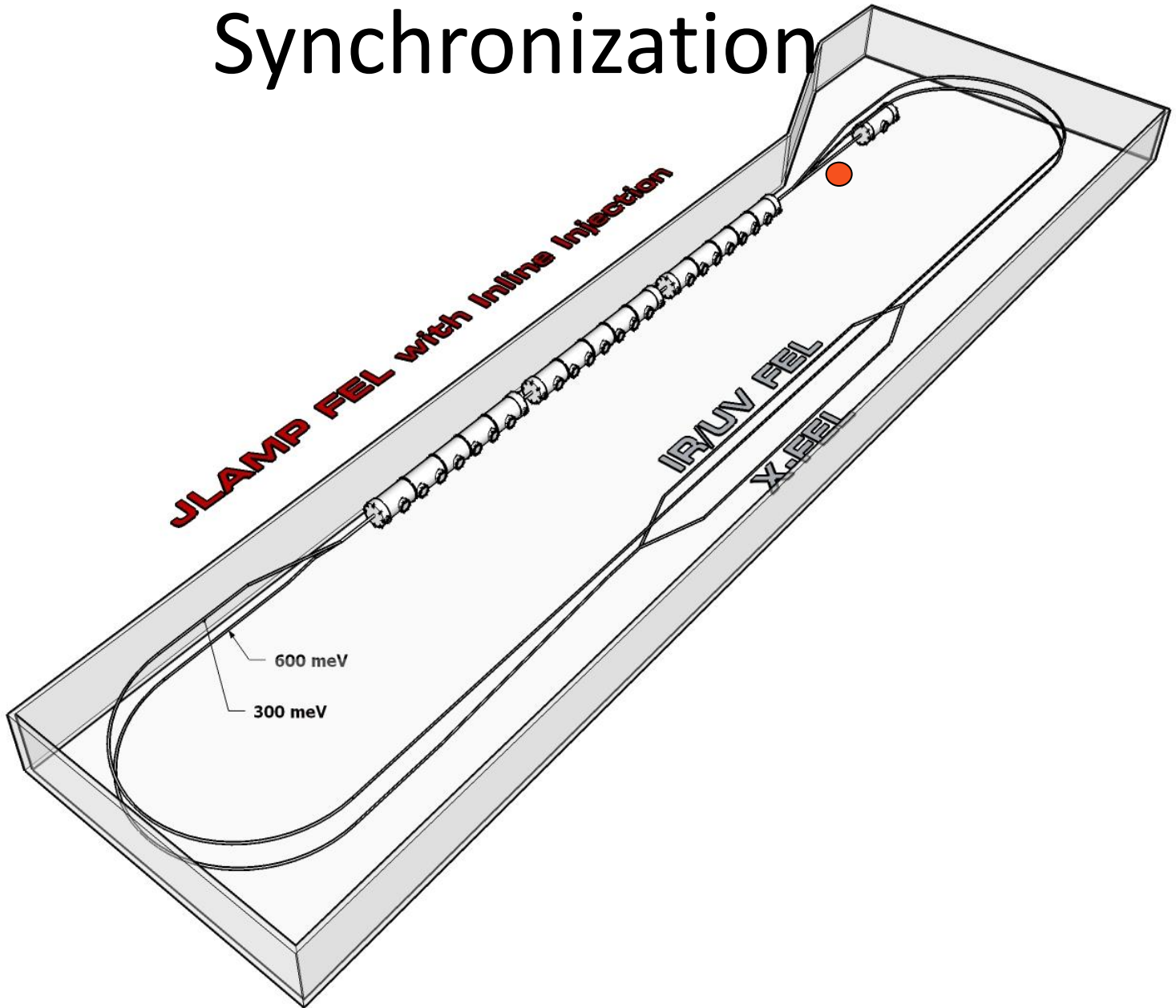
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- Limit radiation losses (dump low energy beam)

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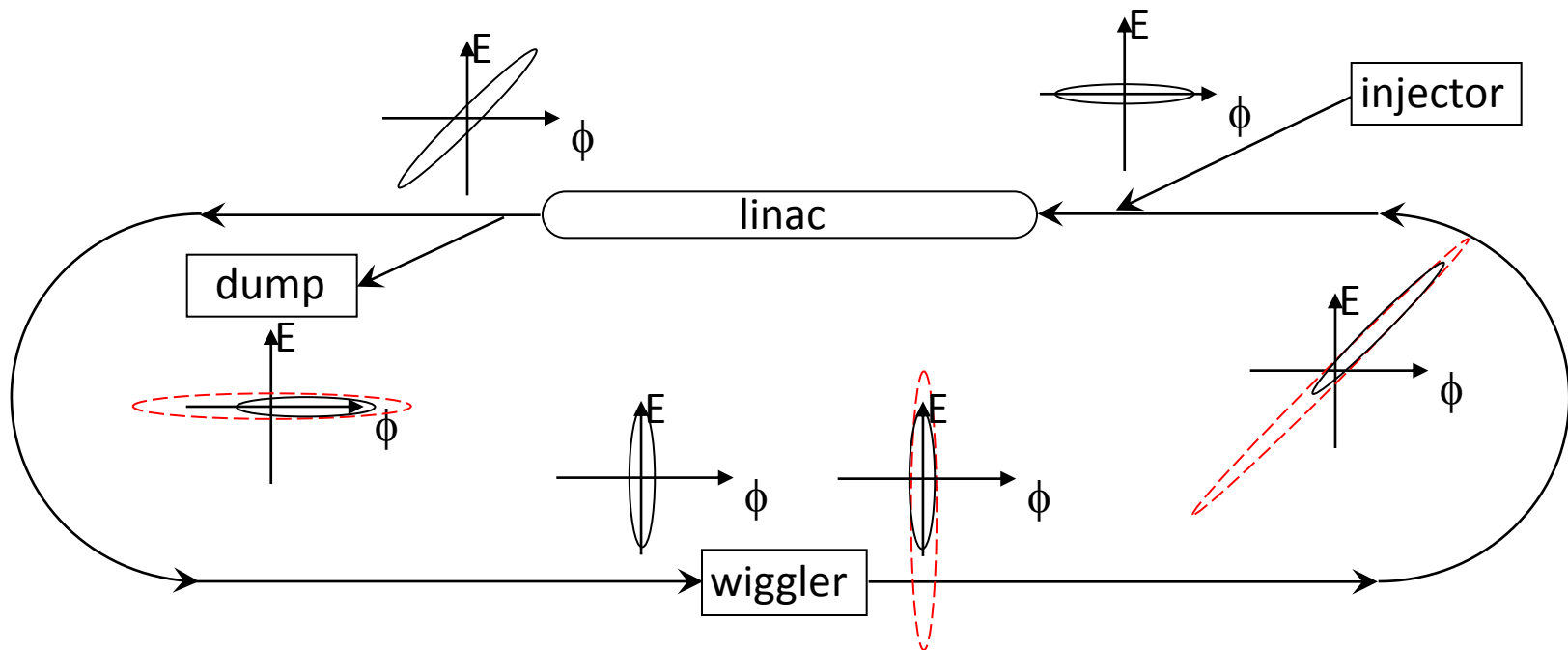
# Synchronization



# Key Issues for Successful Implementation of Multipass Recirculation

- Appropriate phase space management =>
  - Longitudinal matching cycle
  - Transverse control (betatron matching)
    - Must be observant of collective effects *and* lattice sensitivities...
- Preservation of beam quality during (protracted) acceleration, beam handling, energy recovery cycles

# Schematic Longitudinal Match for ERL-Driven FEL



## Important Features:

- Energy transient when FEL turns off/on => phase transient at reinjection => transient beam loading
- Must provide adequate RF power to manage these transients
- *No* energy transients at dump when system properly tuned
- Properly designed system can readily manage nonlinear effects:
  - Sextupoles compensate RF curvature, octupoles manage torsion...



# Nonlinearity Control Validated By Measurement

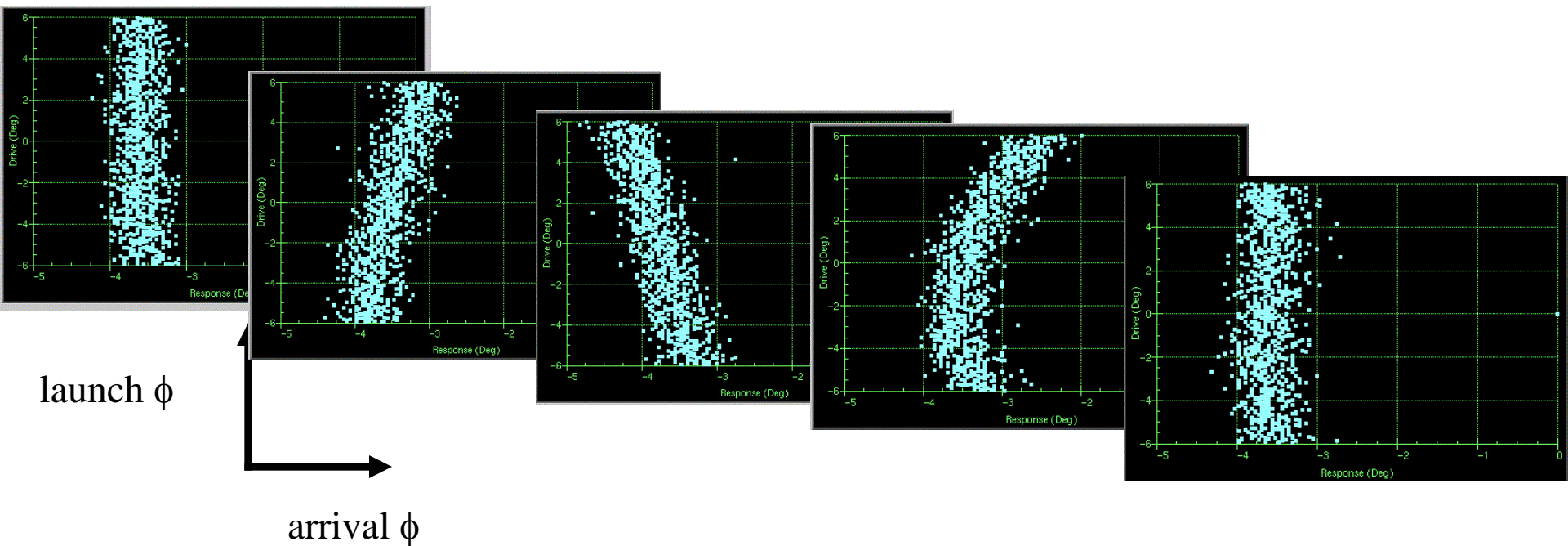
Figure 1: Inner sextupoles to 12726 g-cm and trim quads to -215 g

Figure 2: trim quads at -185 g with same sextupoles

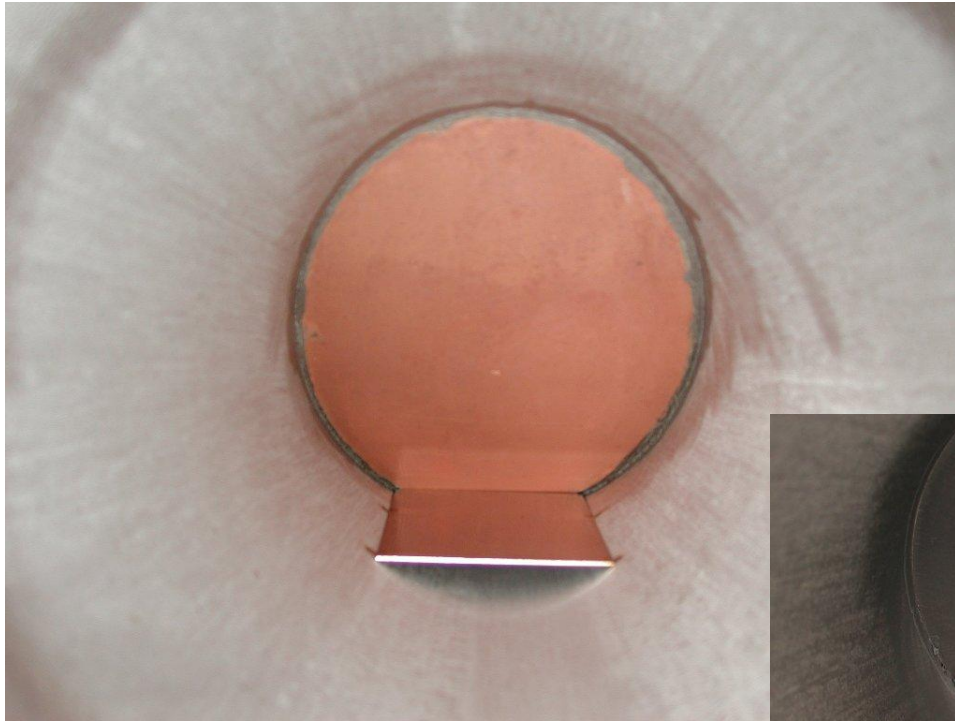
Figure 3: trim quads at -245 g

Figure 4: quads at -215, but sextupoles 3000 g below design, at 10726 g-cm

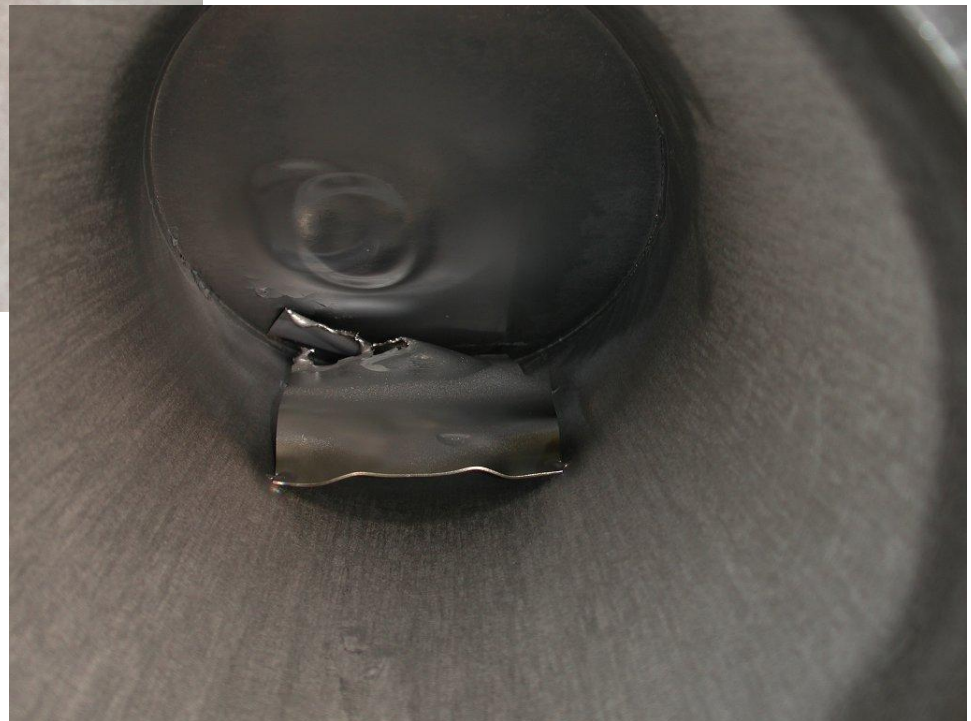
Figure 5: where we left it: trim quads -215 g sextupoles at 12726 g-cm



# JLab IR Demo Dump



*core of beam off center,  
even though BLMs showed  
edges were centered  
(high energy tail)*

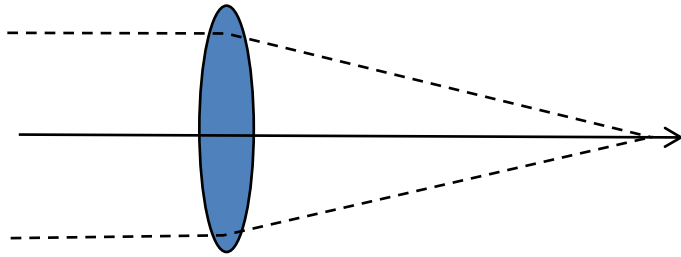


# Extrapolation to Multi-pass System: Implementation of Multistage Compression

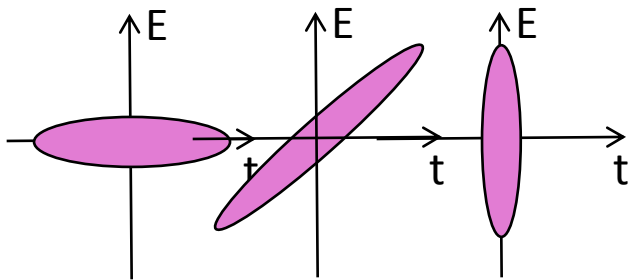
- Multi-pass linac naturally suited for multi-stage compression
  - Use recirculator compactors ( $M_{56}$ ,  $T_{566}$ ,  $W_{5666}$ ...) to rotate and correct distortions in phase space
- Provides operational freedom in
  - choice of acceleration phase
  - bunch aspect ratio after compression
  - Tolerance of variable (longer) injected bunch (space charge mitigation)
- Avoids use of harmonic RF
  - additional cost
  - aperture constraints
    - Impedance burden
    - acceptance limitations (spatial, *and* in RF phase during energy recovery - when phase extent of beam can be large ( $\sim 30^\circ$  at RF fundamental,  $90^\circ$  at 3<sup>rd</sup> harmonic))

# Comparison: Single/Multistage Compression

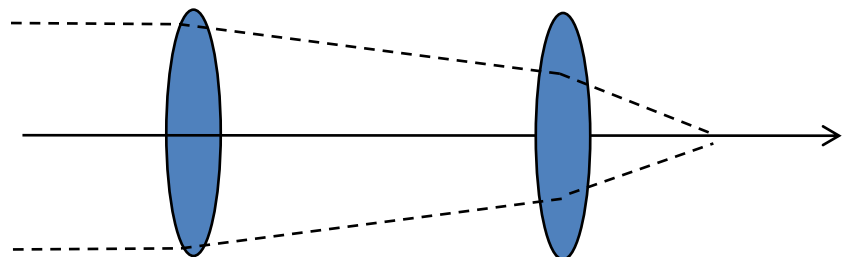
## Single stage



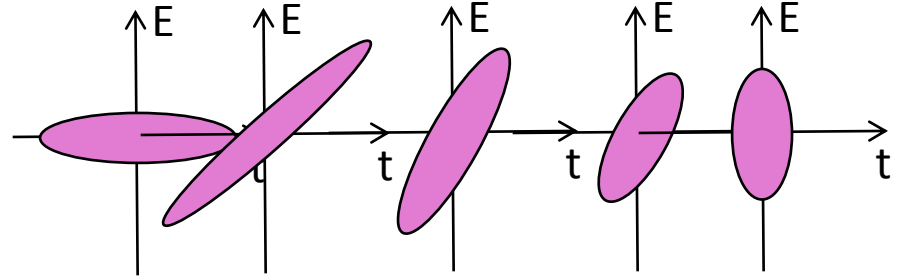
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## Multistage



injected beam    linac    1<sup>st</sup> compressor    linac    2<sup>nd</sup> comp.



# Beam Dynamics Issues – see ERL 2009!

- space charge
- BBU
- other wakes/impedances
  - linac, vacuum chamber, diagnostic impedances
    - MicrowaveStudio modeling of all components
    - impedance budget, policy, enforcement (impedance policing)
  - resistive wall
- vacuum effects
  - ions
  - gas scattering
- intrabeam scattering
  - IBS
  - Touschek
- halo
  - Formation
  - gas scattering
  - beam formation processes
- CSR
  - CSR basic ("elegant")
  - 3-d modeling
  - microbunching instabilities
- ISR
  - emittance,  $\delta p/p$ ...
- Error analysis
  - Alignment
    - Magnets, cavities, diagnostics
  - Powering
    - Excitation, ripple, reproducibility
  - field tolerance
    - Homogeneity, calibration
  - timing & synchronism
  - phase & gradient
  - diagnostic errors
- RF drive
  - transient analysis
- Operational simulations
  - threading, orbit correction
  - emittance measurement
  - lattice function tuning
  - longitudinal matching
    - phase transfer function
    - bunch length compression tuning
    - energy compression tuning

# Example System: JLAMP

Notional upgrade of existing JLab CW UV FEL to an amplifier-based VUV/Soft X-Ray facility

## Requirements

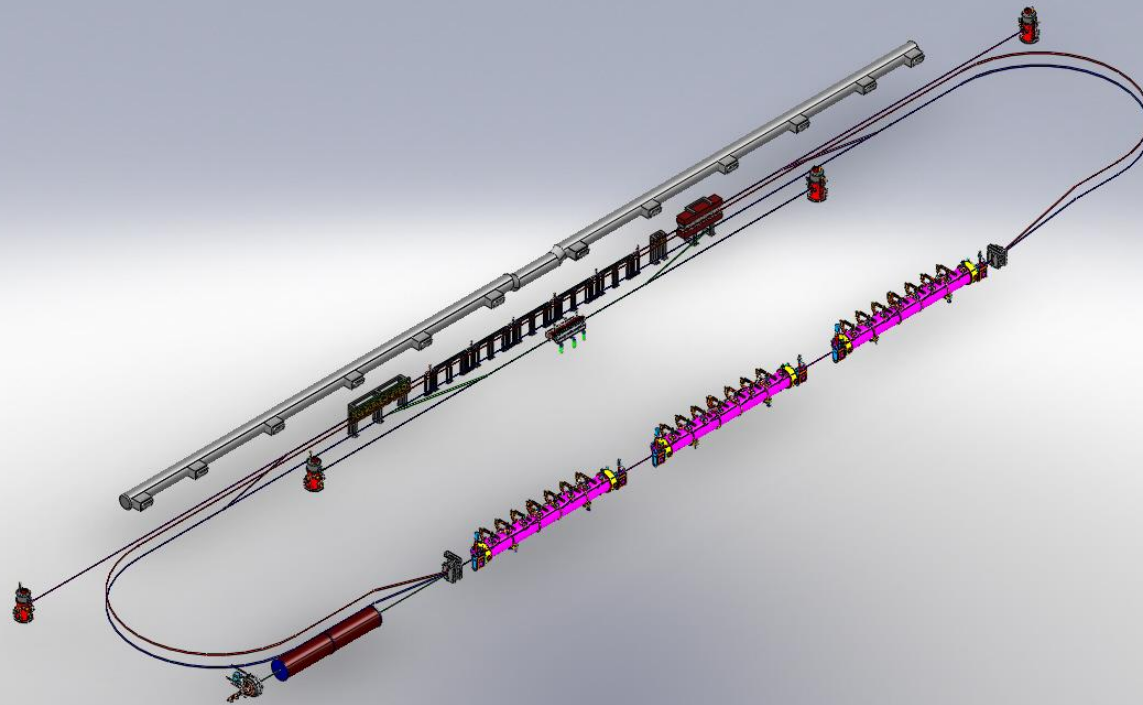
- Generate, accelerate, and deliver properly configured drive beam to FEL
  - 1 mm-mrad x 50 keV-psec x 200 pC
  - $I_{\text{peak}} \sim 1 \text{ kA}$  (200 fsec FWHM x 0.1%  $\delta p/p$ )
- Recover (degraded) exhaust beam
- Preserve beam quality, manage losses, avoid instabilities, etc etc
- Fit in vault (an *upgrade*)
- Cost < 100 M\$

# Design Parameters\*

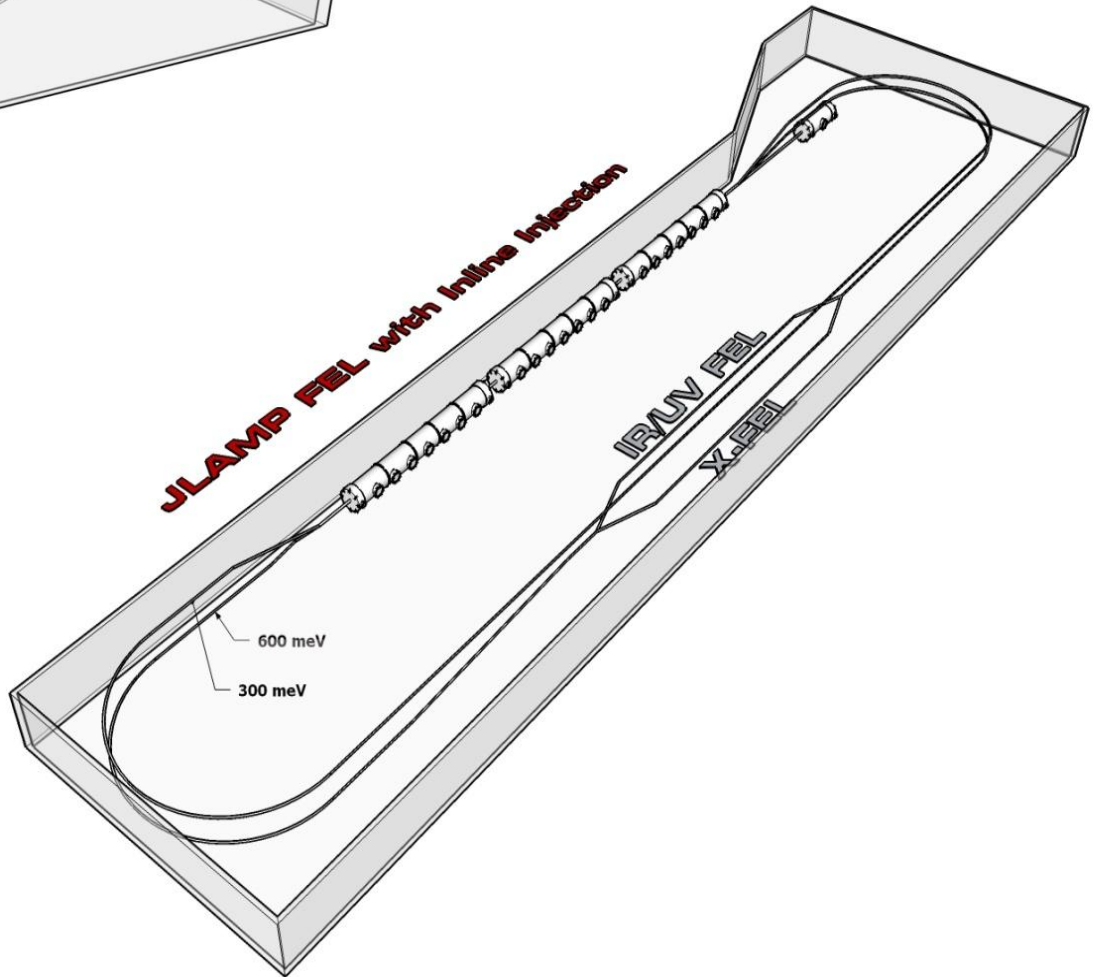
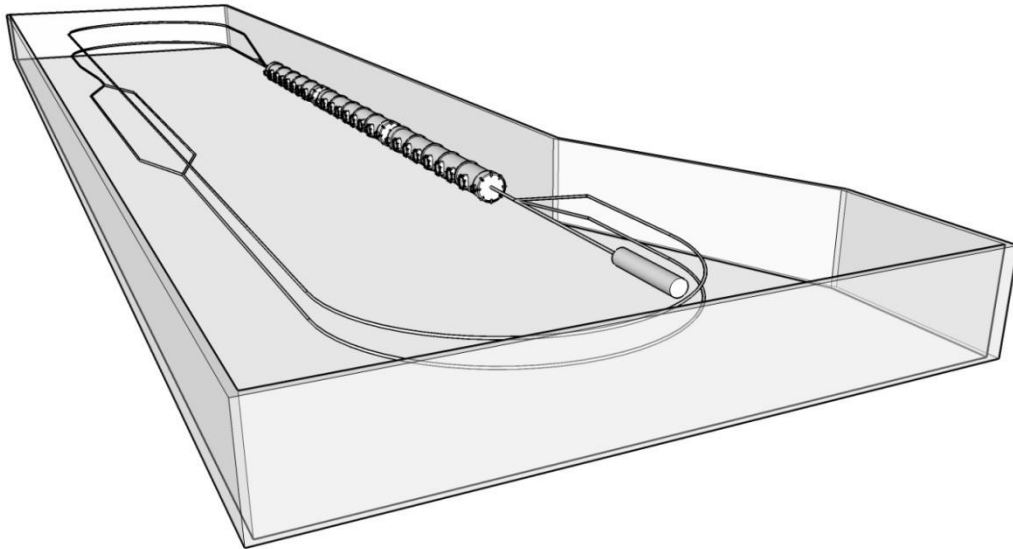
	<b>2010</b>	<b>2012</b>
Bunch charge (pC)	135	200
Bunch rep. rate (MHz)	75	4.68
Average current, max (mA)	10	1
Norm. transverse emittance at FEL ( $\mu\text{m}$ )	10	1
Longitudinal emittance at FEL (keV ps)	60	50
Energy spread at FEL (% rms)	0.4	0.1
Bunch length at FEL, rms (fs)	150	83
Bunch energy (MeV)	100	600

\*F. Hannon et al., IPAC2010

# Driver Concept







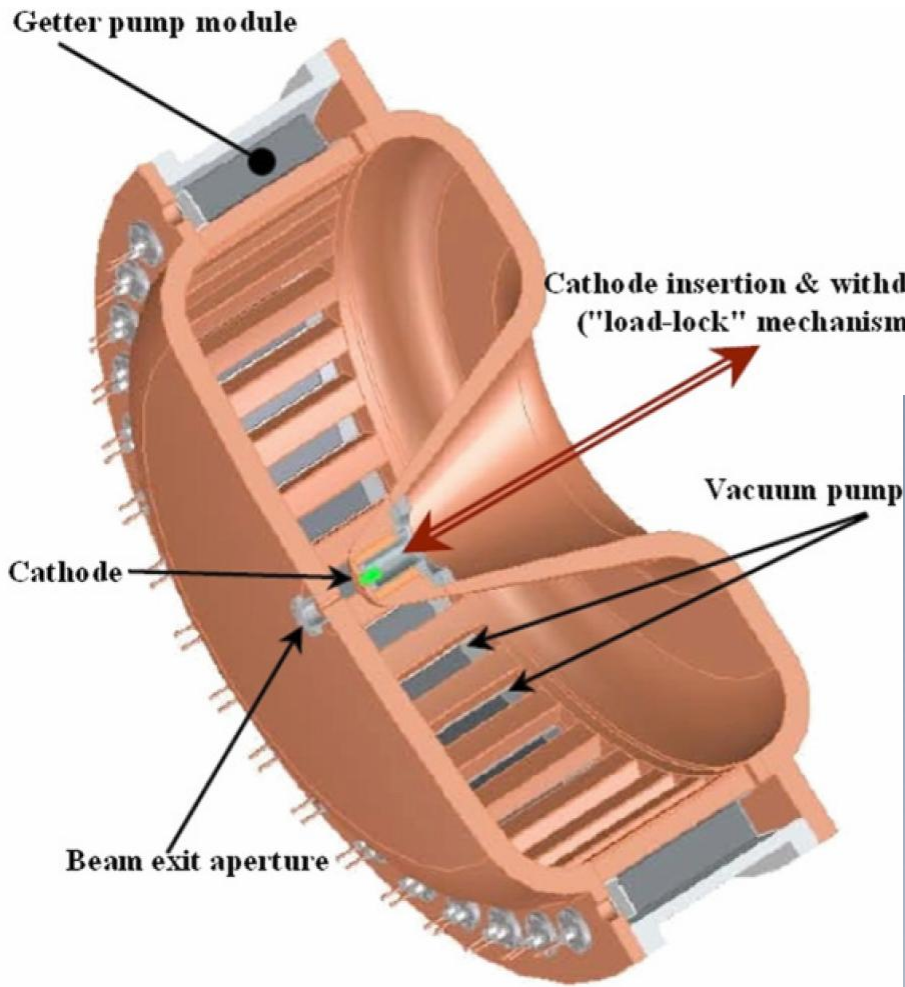
# Analysis: Longitudinal Match, Space Charge, CSR

Initially obvious concerns:

- CW Source/Injector Performance
- Phase space management scenario
- Beam quality preservation during
  - Acceleration (space charge)
  - Recirculation (CSR)

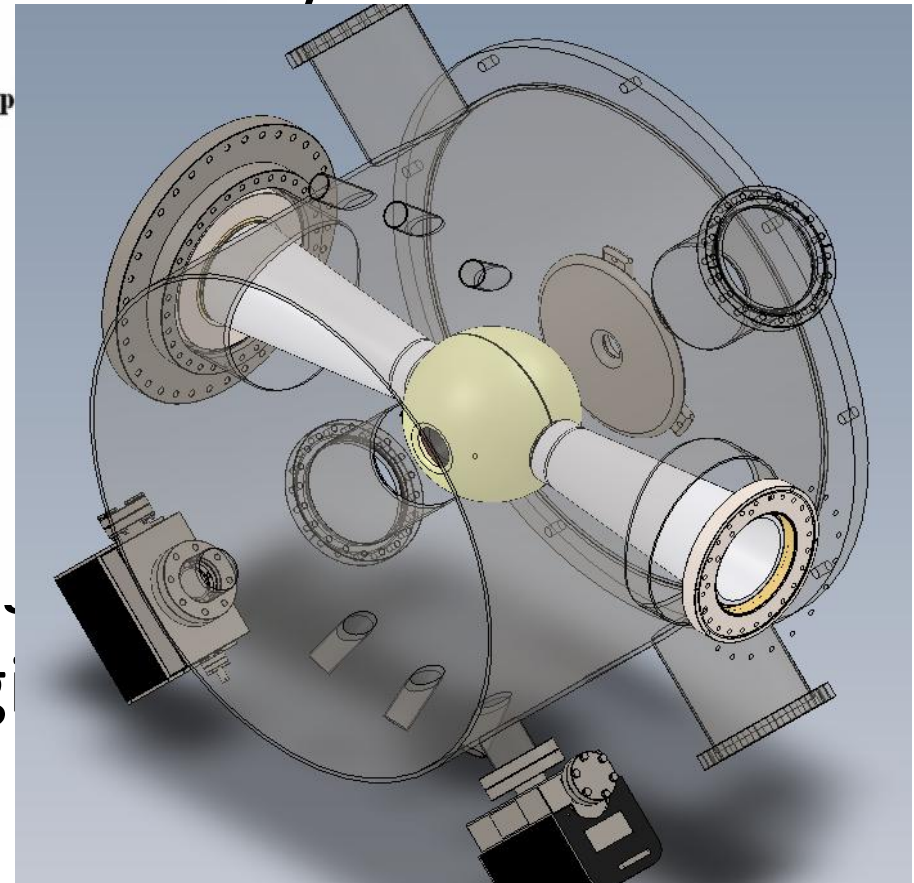
# Source/Injector

- Initial challenge: generate LCLS-class beam, but **CW** (with lower gradients...)
- Studying various cathode materials, gun options
  - LBL NCRF, JLab DC inverted, U.W. SRF
- Exploring subharmonic (~750 MHz) injector designs with type/spacing of RF cavities tailored to specifics of gun
- Initial results encouraging

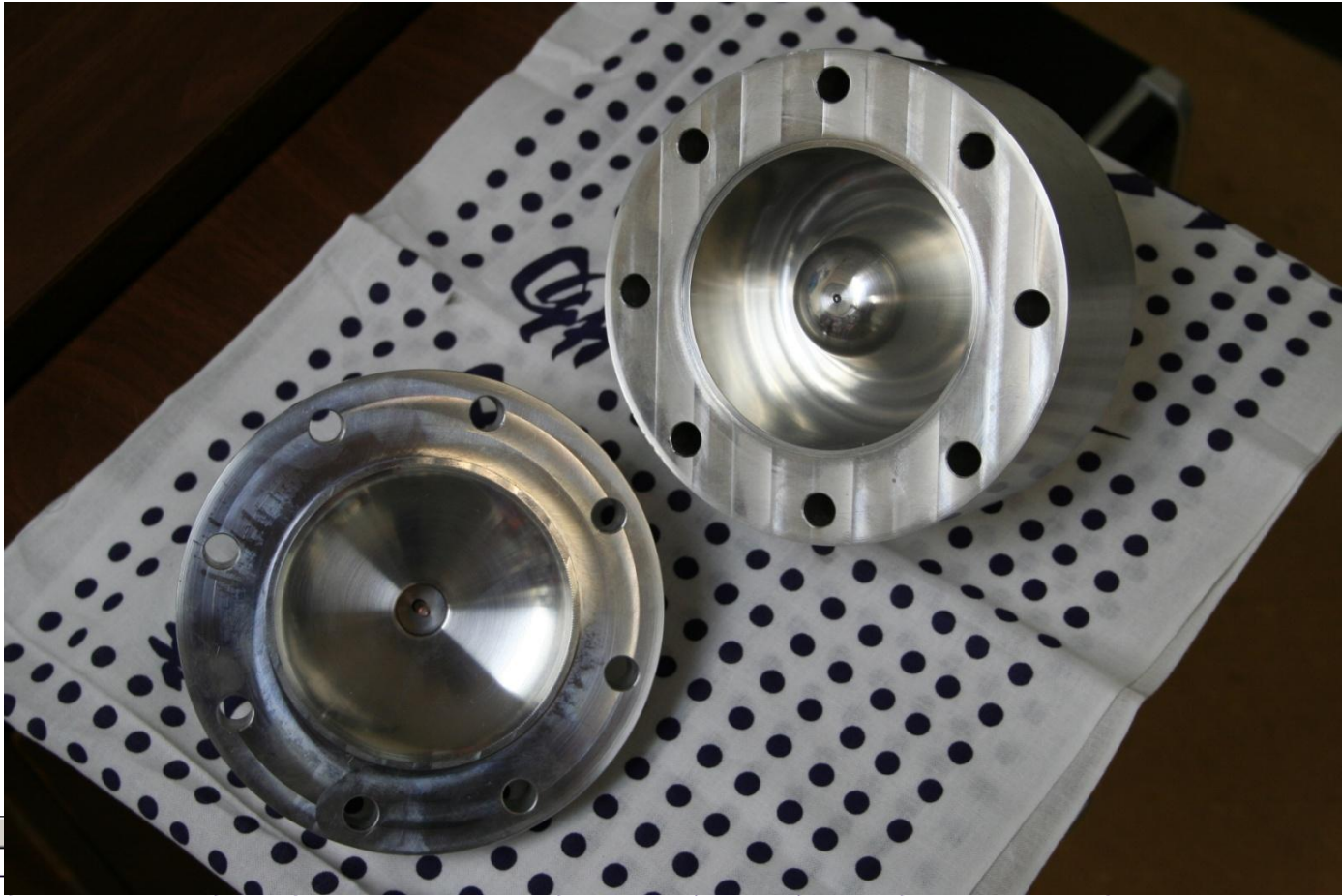


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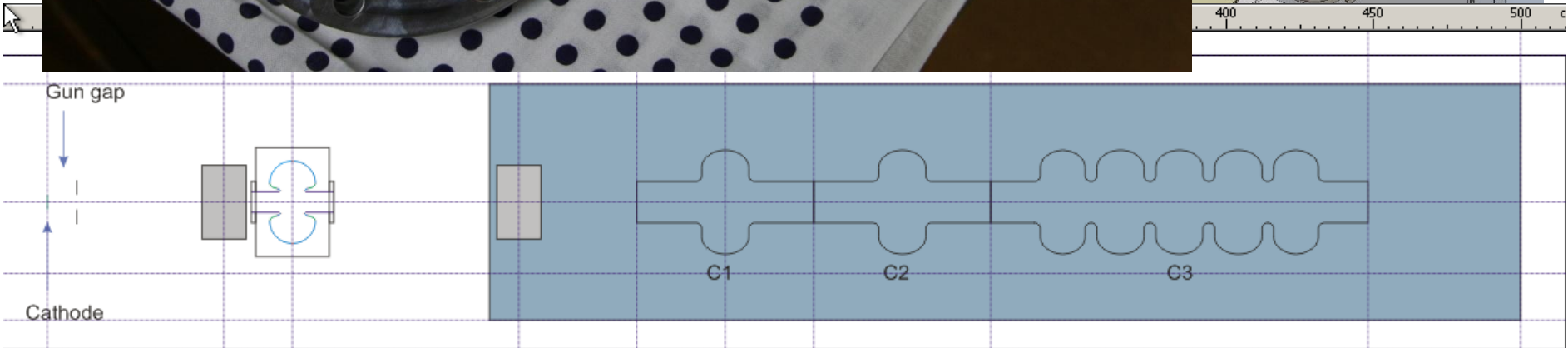
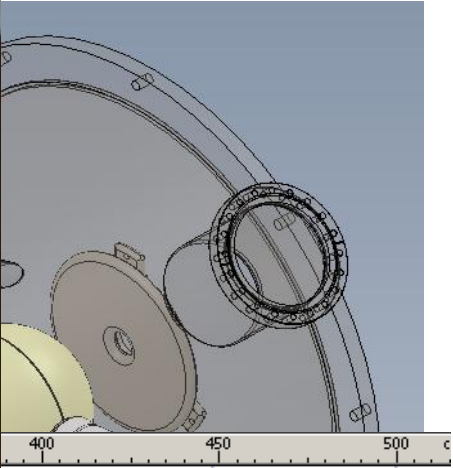
LS-class beam,  
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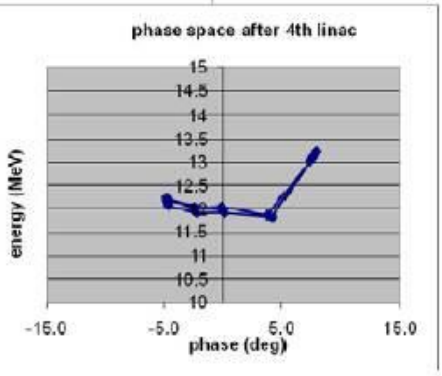
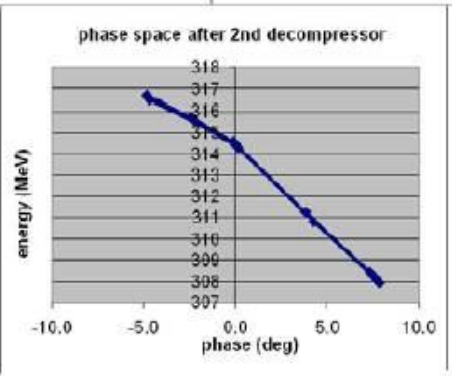
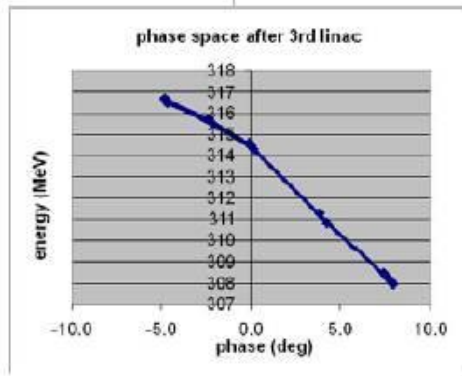
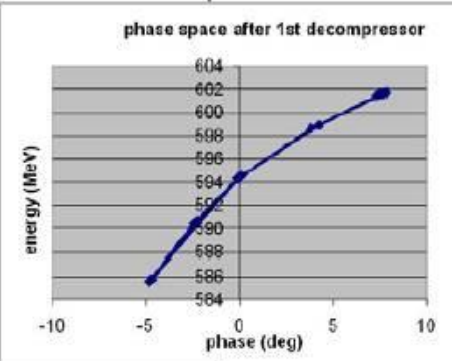
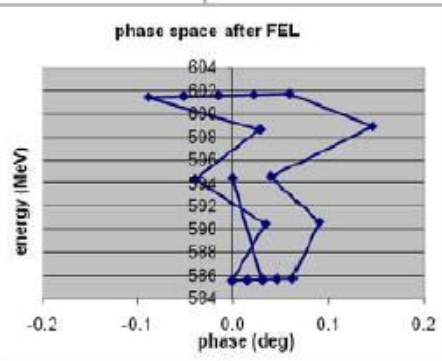
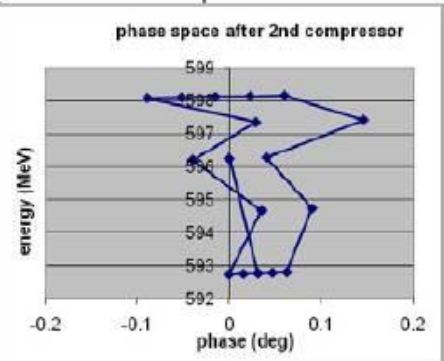
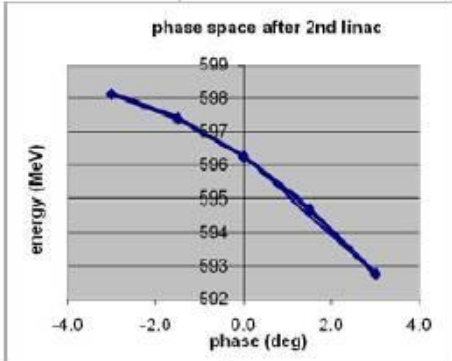
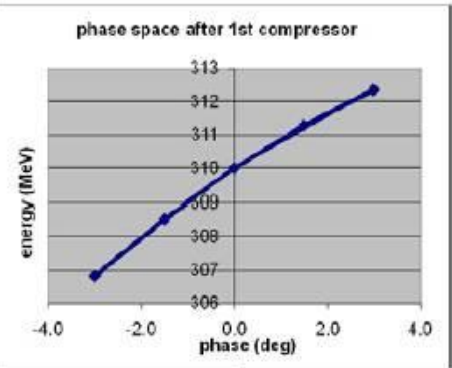
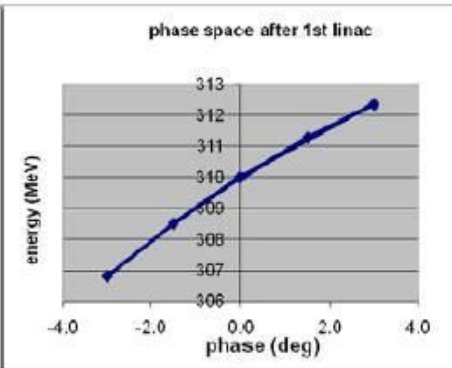
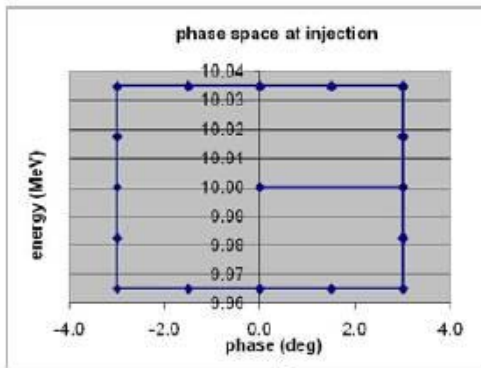


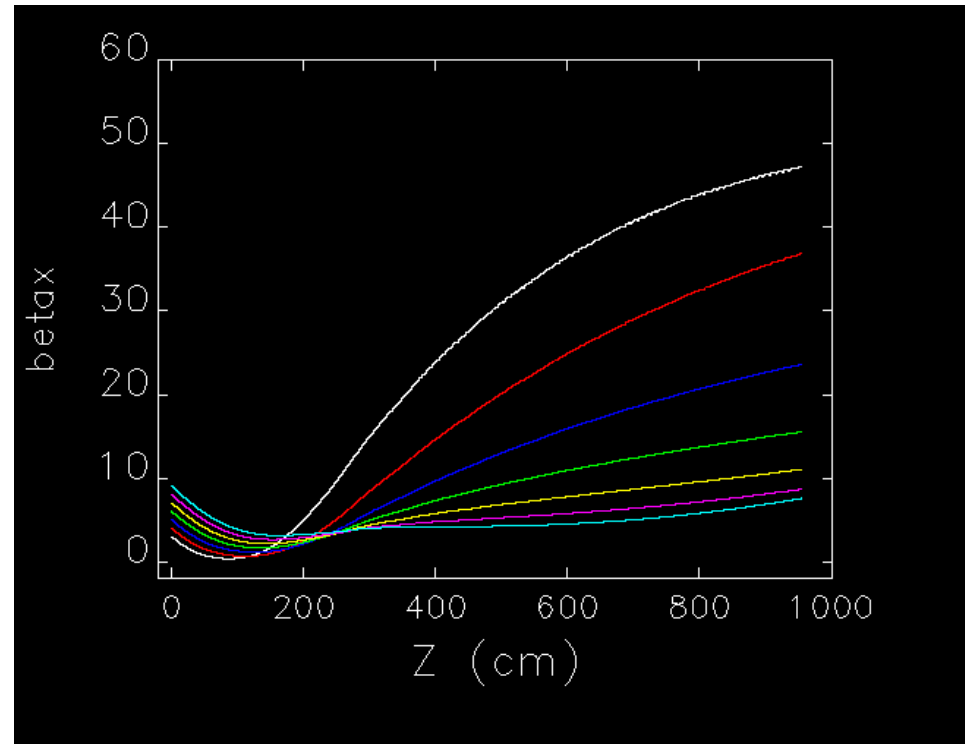
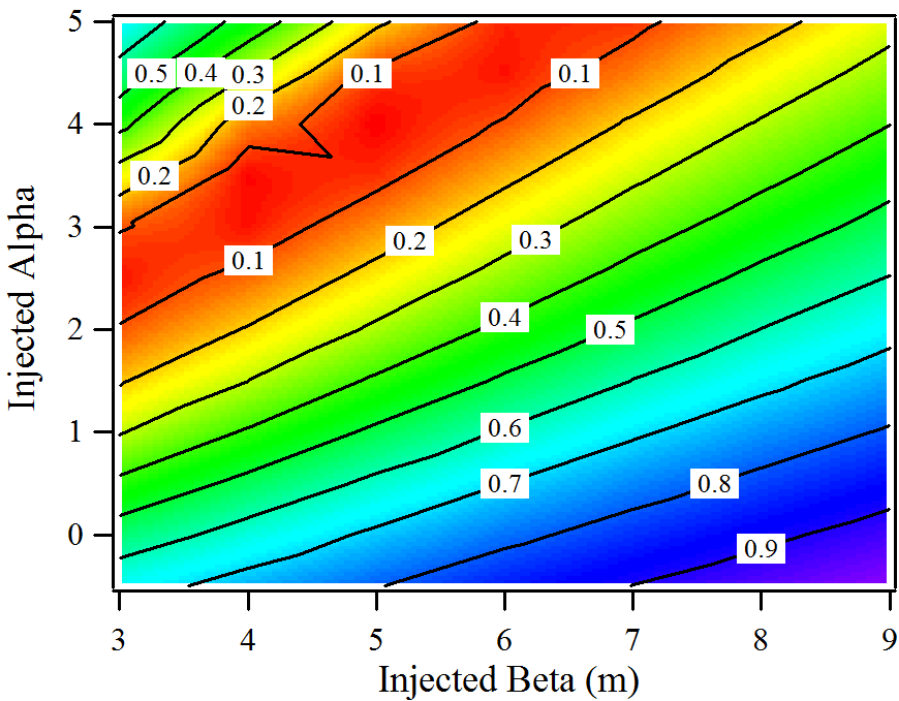
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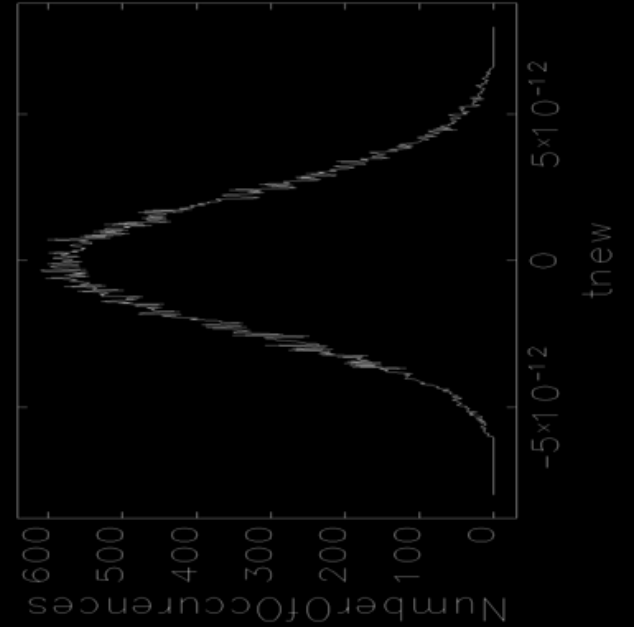
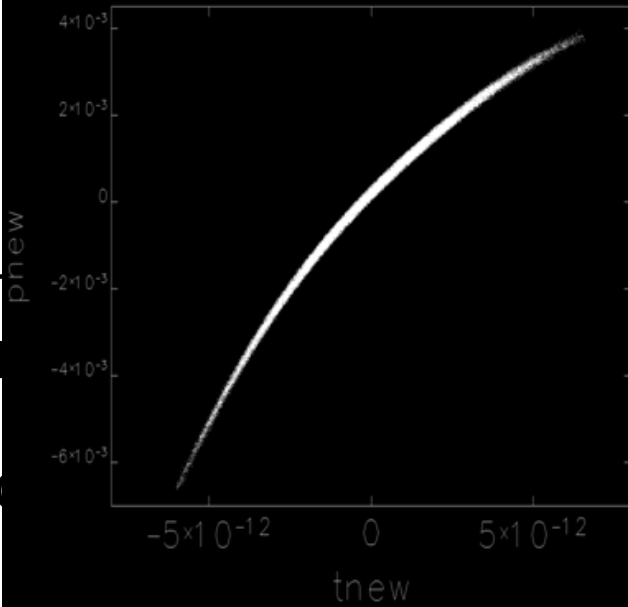
- “other wrong match” => no space charge effects (good emittance), but lattice functions diverge
- Must negotiate between space-charge-driven emittance degradation & lattice sensitivity to instabilities (BBU) and error effects

# Recirculator Design

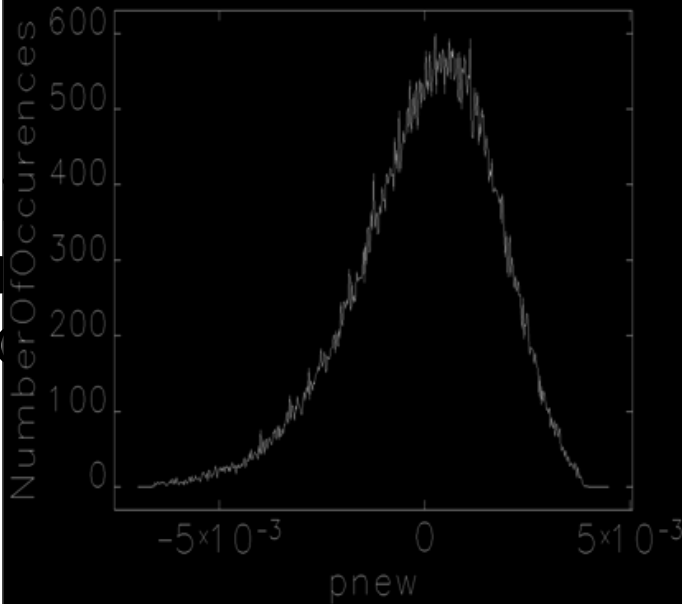
- principle design driver: beam quality preservation
  - Manage aberrations
    - 2<sup>nd</sup> order achromat (w/  $M_{56}$ ,  $T_{566}$ ,... control)
  - Configure system to avoid ISR
    - bend radii, lattice functions
  - mitigate CSR
    - Avoid parasitic compressions,
    - single stage of compression
    - abrupt final compression,
- Initial results (300 MeV recirculator) promising
  - ISR not significant
  - CSR
    - 1<sup>st</sup> pass emittance well conserved ( $\Delta\varepsilon_{\text{trans}} \sim 0.1$  mm-mrad)
    - Some evidence of microbunching; analysis in progress



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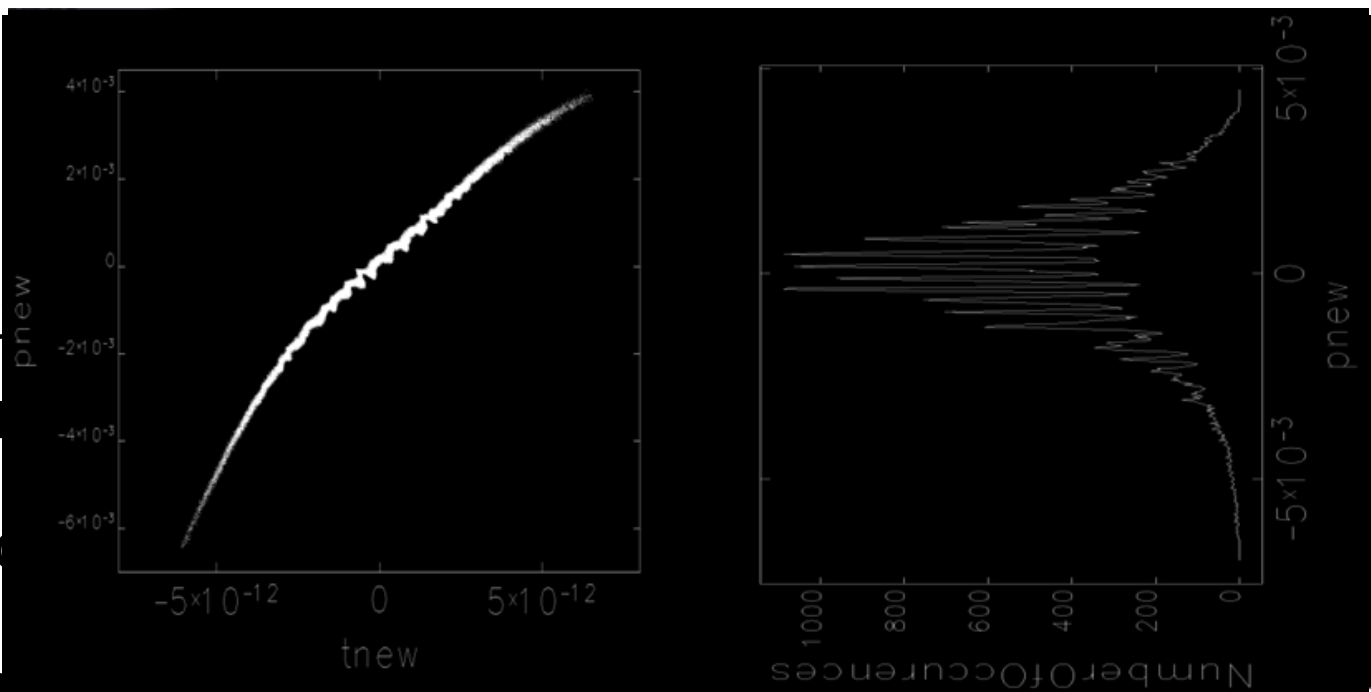
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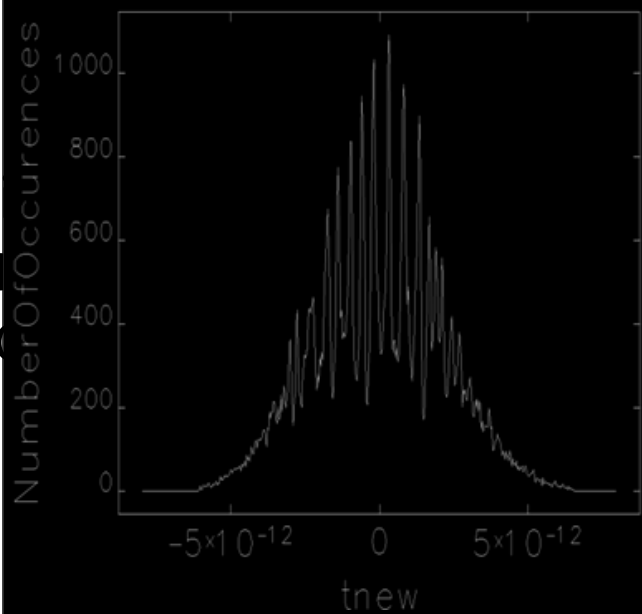
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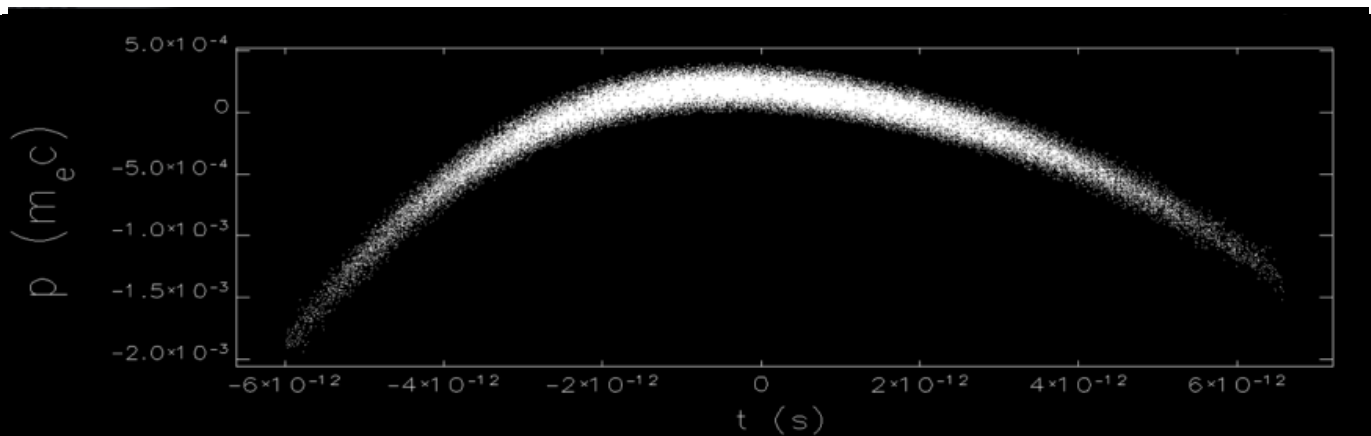
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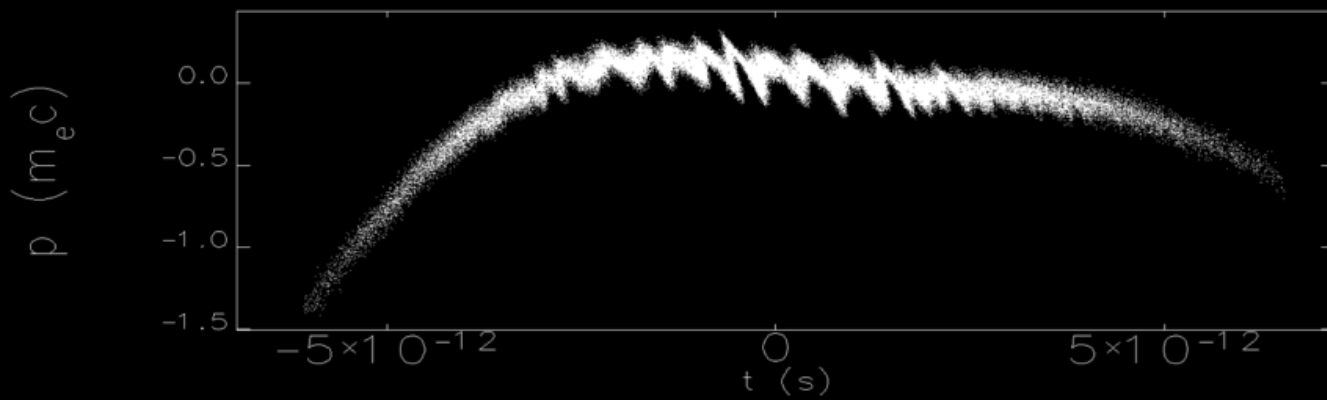
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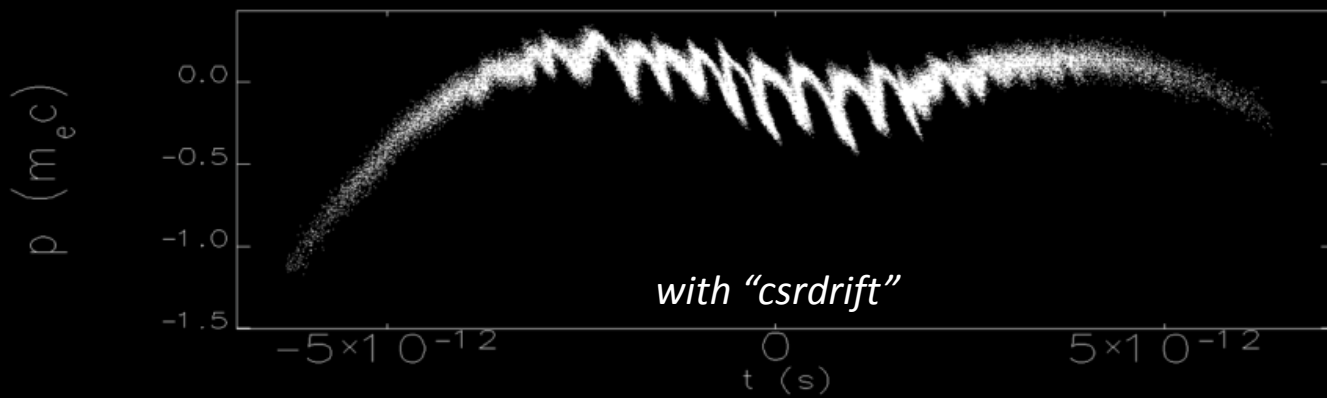
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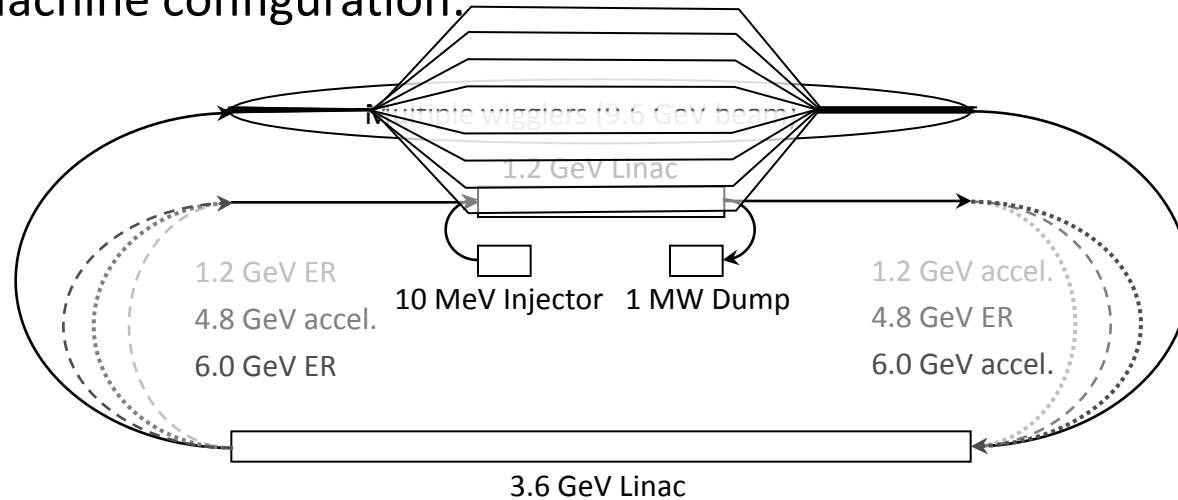


# (Not-so-credible) Future Possibilities

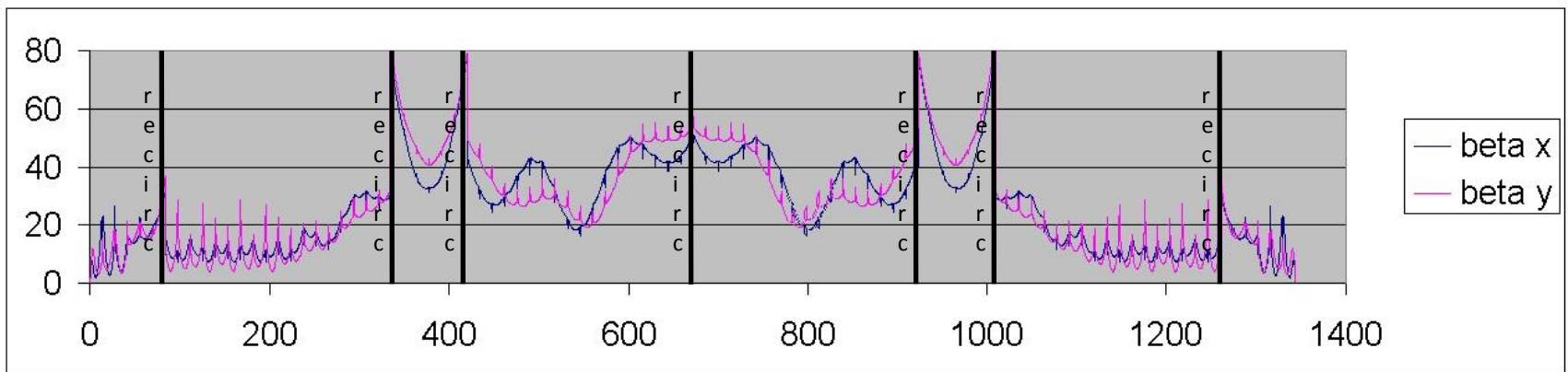
- High energy
- Many passes
- CW Service to multiple wigglers/undulators using RF switching (as in CEBAF)
  - Subharmonic deflecting cavities split bunch trains, directing them to different FELs
  - Can imprint different charges, rep rates on each subtrain
  - Recombine drive beams for recovery (if ERL) using second system of RF deflectors

# GERBAL: A “Generic Energy-Recovered Bisected Asymmetric Linac

- Machine configuration:



- Transverse optics



# Conclusions

- Recirculated, energy-recovered linacs offer a number of possible advantages over conventional architectures
  - Reduced cost
  - Flexible phase space management (magnetic compensation of RF curvature; multi-stage compression/decompression schemes)
  - Short time-of-flight paths for synchronization
- Numerous challenges remain
  - Beam quality preservation, beam stability, power deposition, halo...

but increasingly appear to be tractable