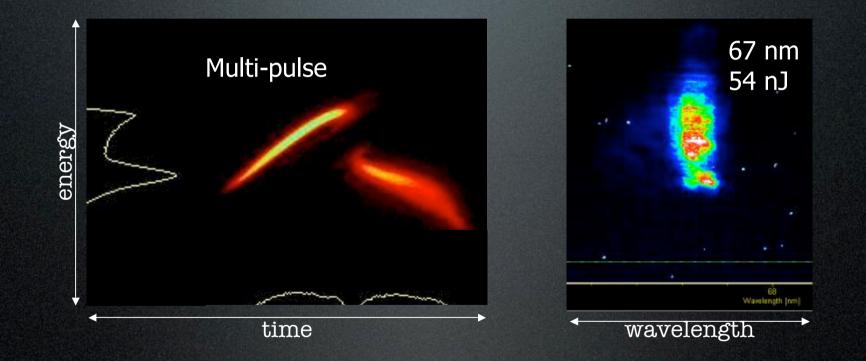
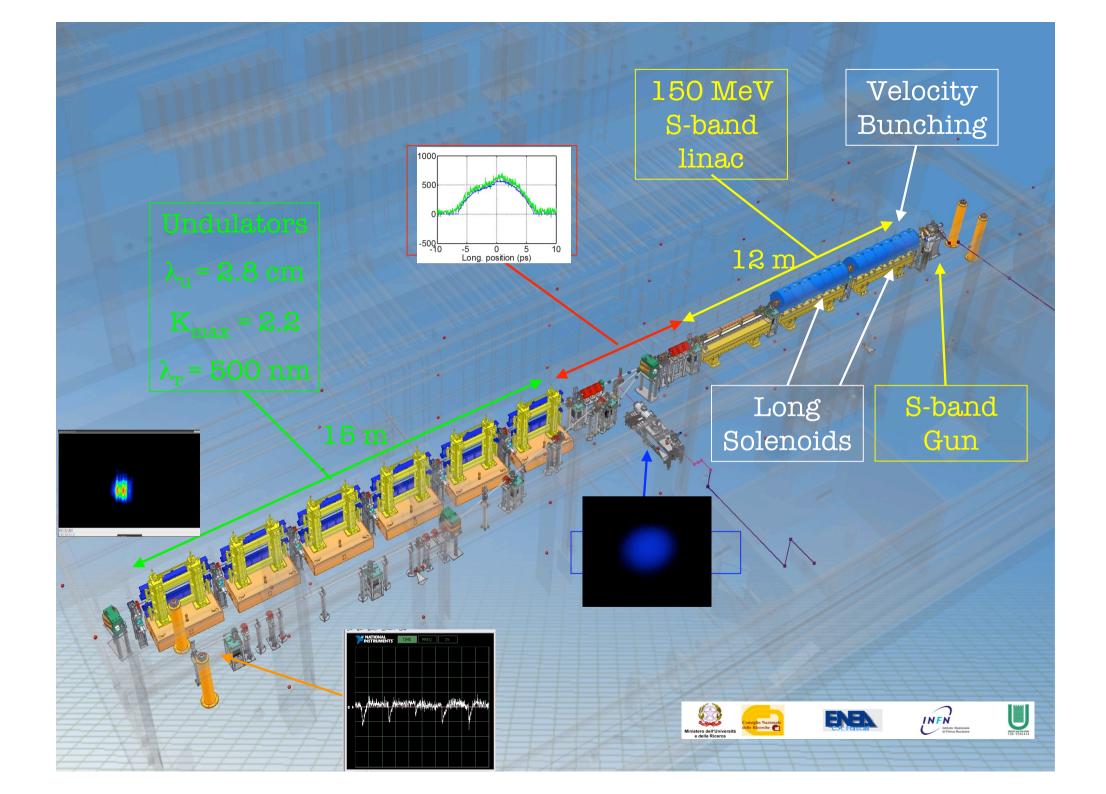
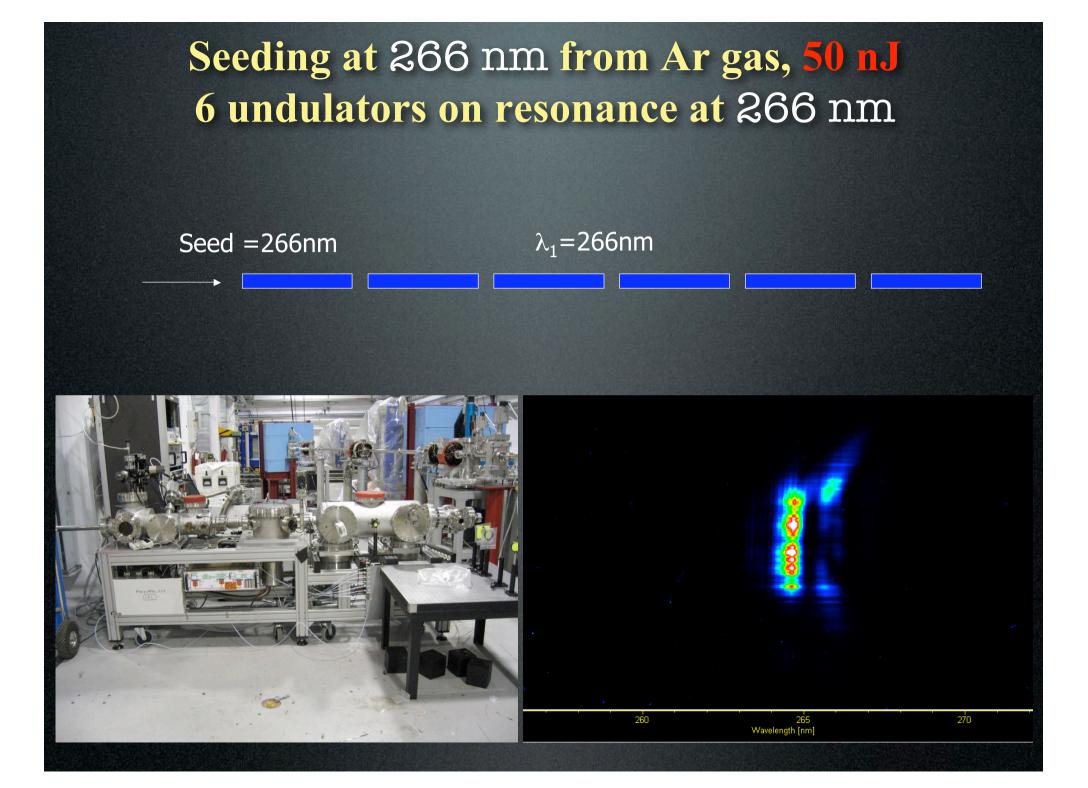
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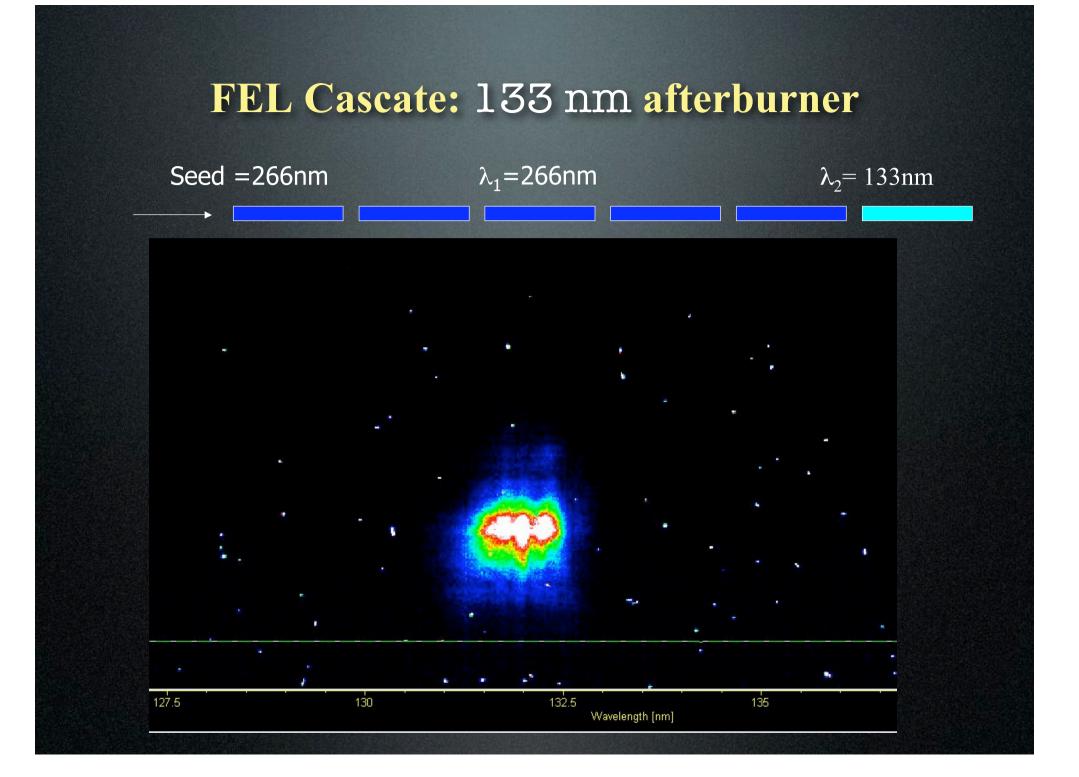


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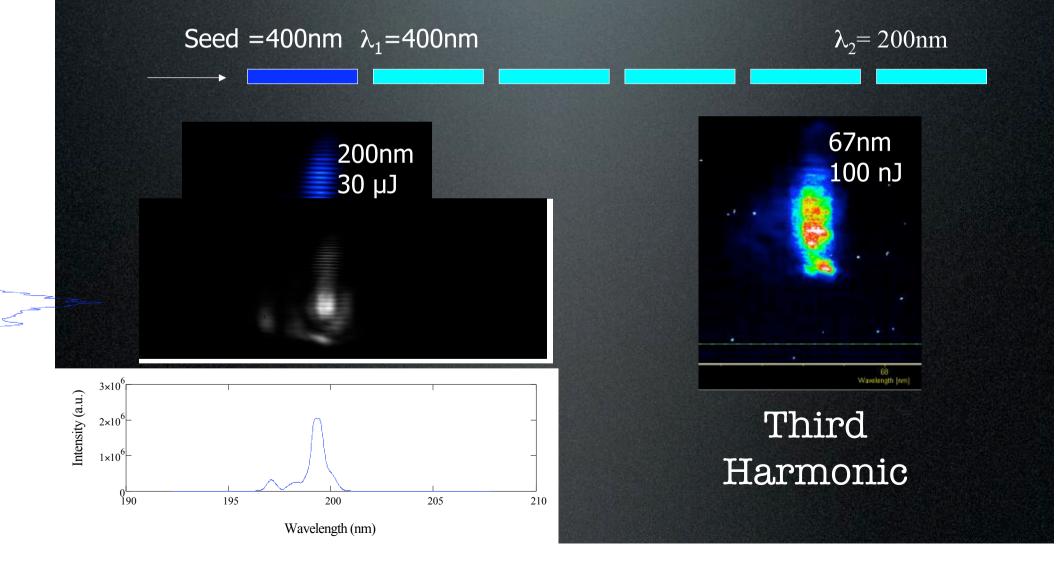


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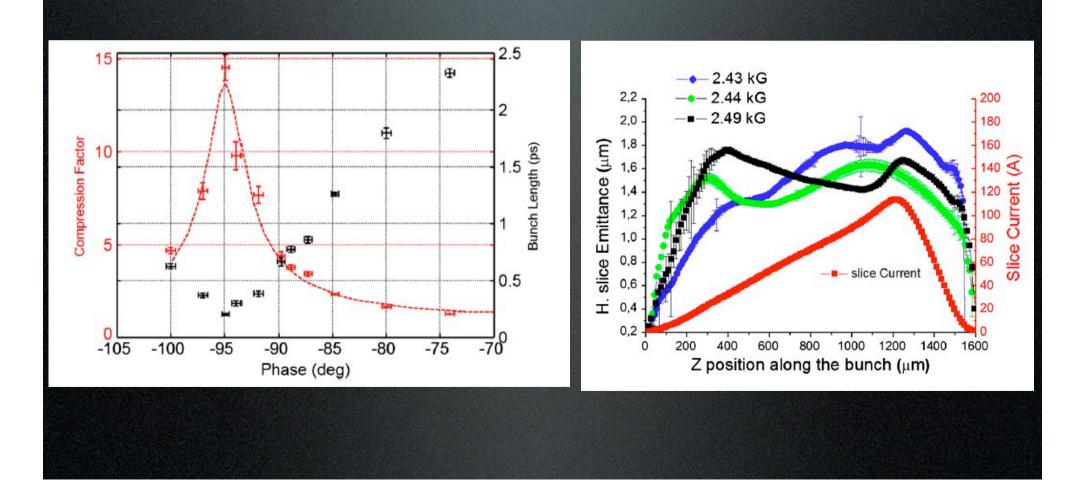
Seeding at 400 nm from Crystal, 2 µJ 5 undulators on resonance at 200 nm

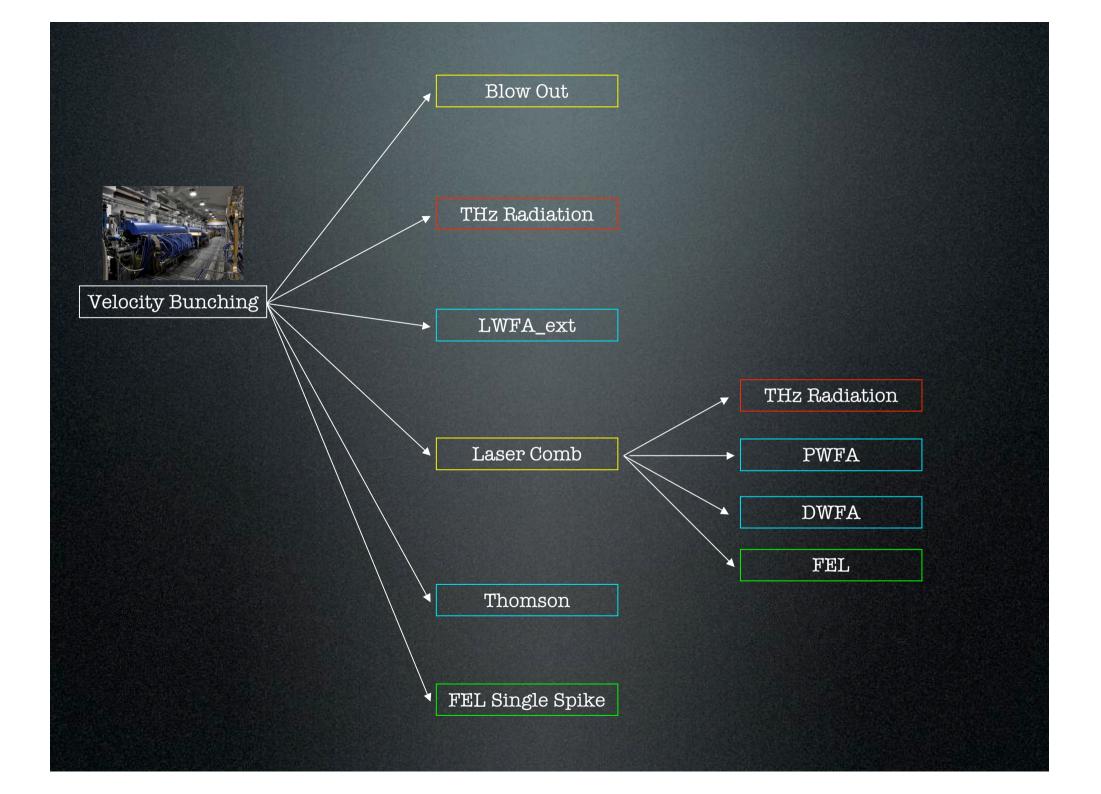


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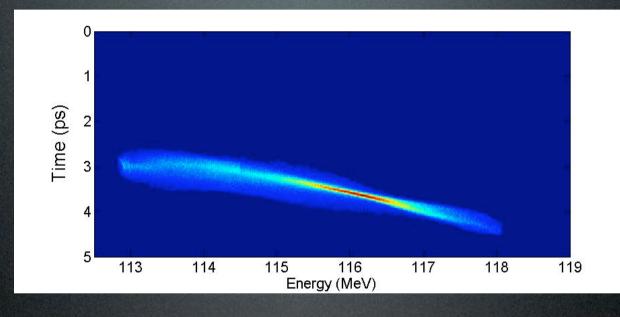
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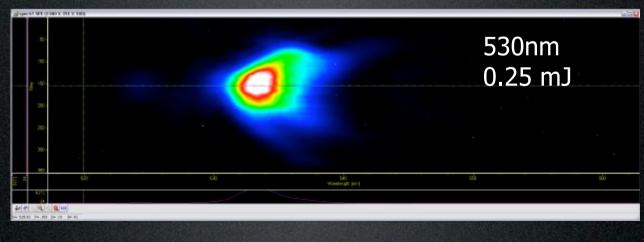




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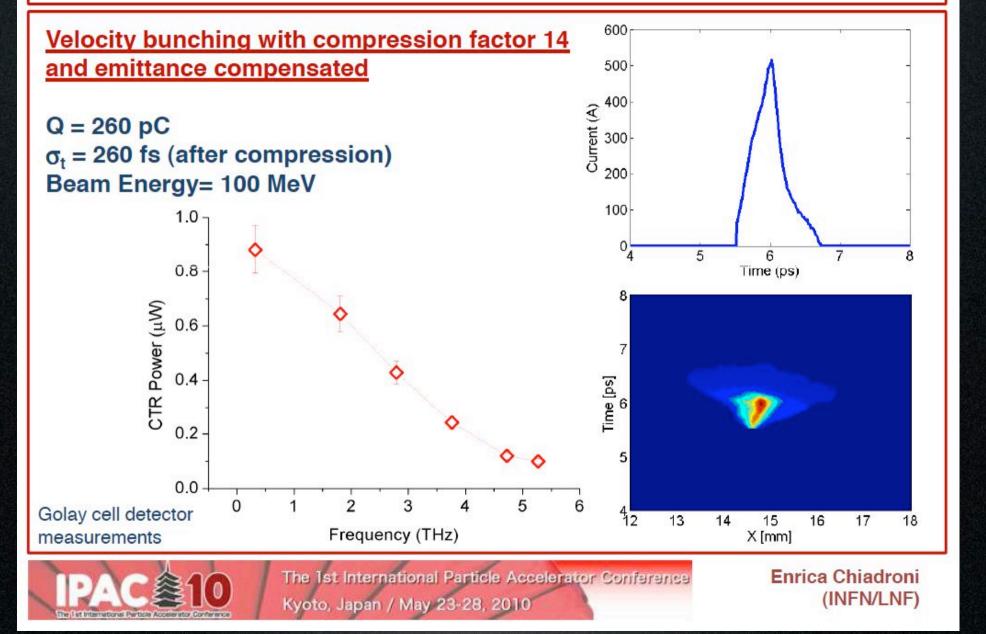
SASE at 530 nm with chirped electron beam and tapered undulators



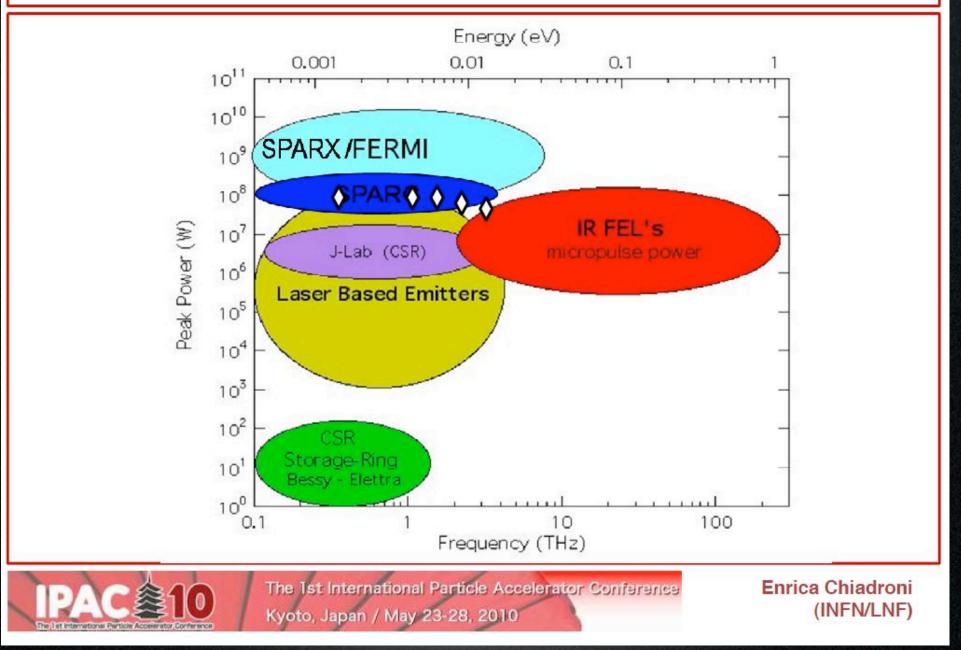


THz radiation

THZ RADIATION FROM HBEBs

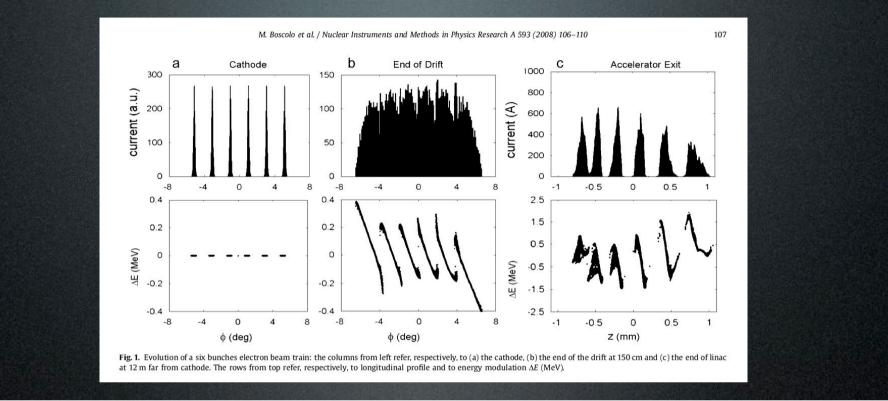


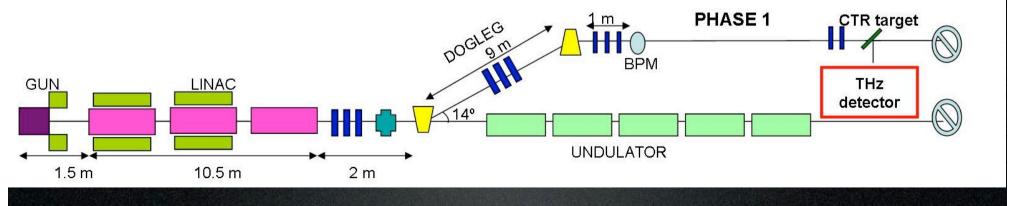
PERFORMANCE ACHIEVED



Laser Comb technique

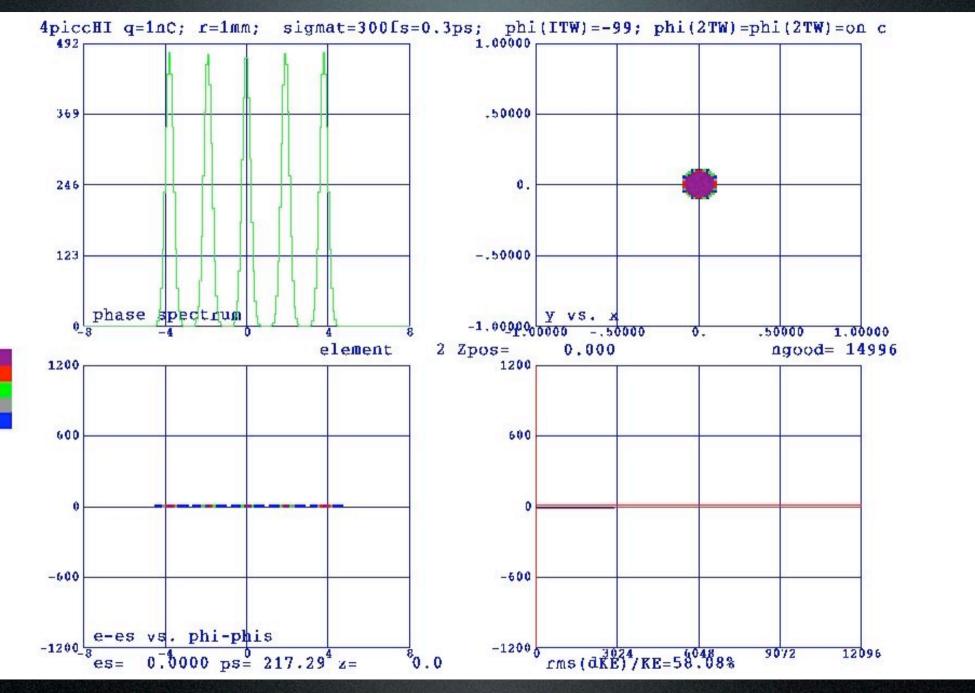
Laser Comb: a train of THz bunches





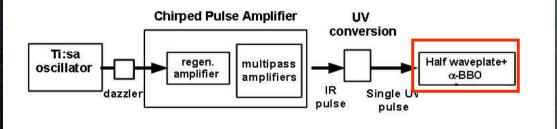
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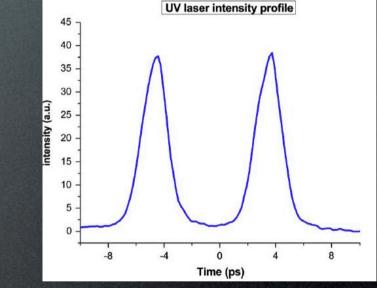
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 $\Delta \tau = (n_o - n_e)L_1/c$



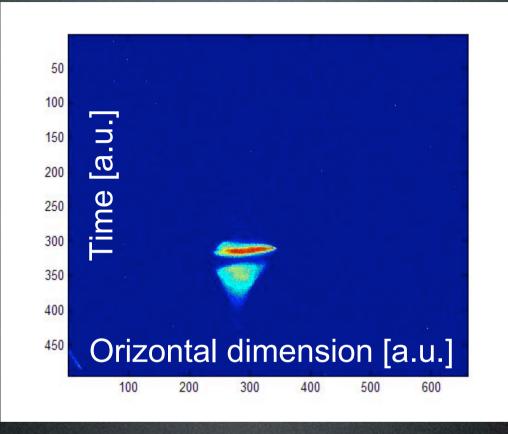


The technique used for this purpose relies on a birefringent crystal, where the input pulse is decomposed in two orthogonally polarized pulses with a time separation proportional to the crystal length.

35 pC/pulse

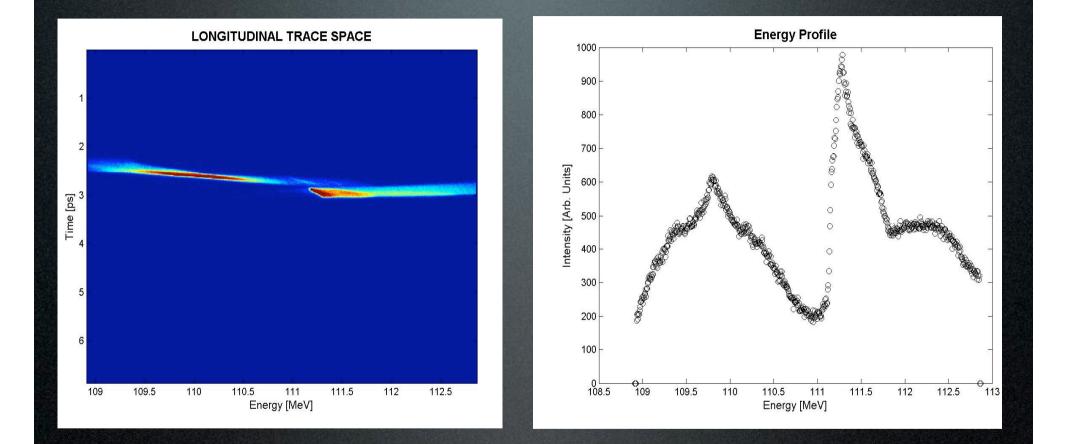
The crystal thickness is 10.353 mm

Observation of Pulse Separation in Overcompression Regime



After a tuning of the VB injection phase we observed on the screen downstream the RF Deflector two distinct pulses separated by ~1 ps with σ_{t1} = 0.24 ps and σ_{t2} =0.29 ps respectively. The charge unbalance was ~ 40%.

Measured Longitudinal Phase Space and Energy Profile

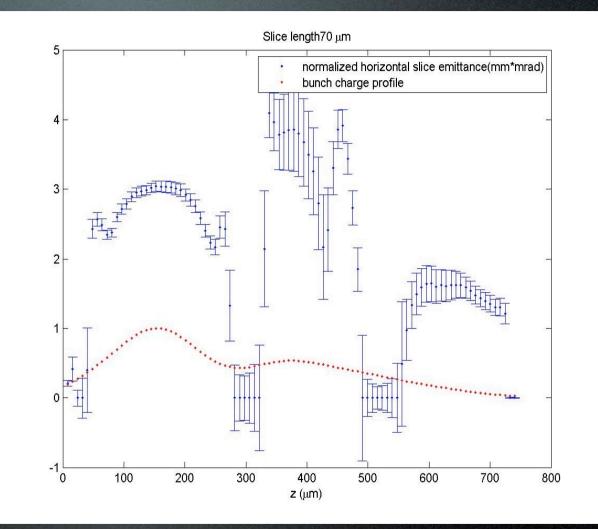


The energy profile shows an energy difference between the two pulses of ~ 2 MeV with a final average energy of 111 MeV. The rms energy spread of the two pulses was 0.3 % and 0.7 %

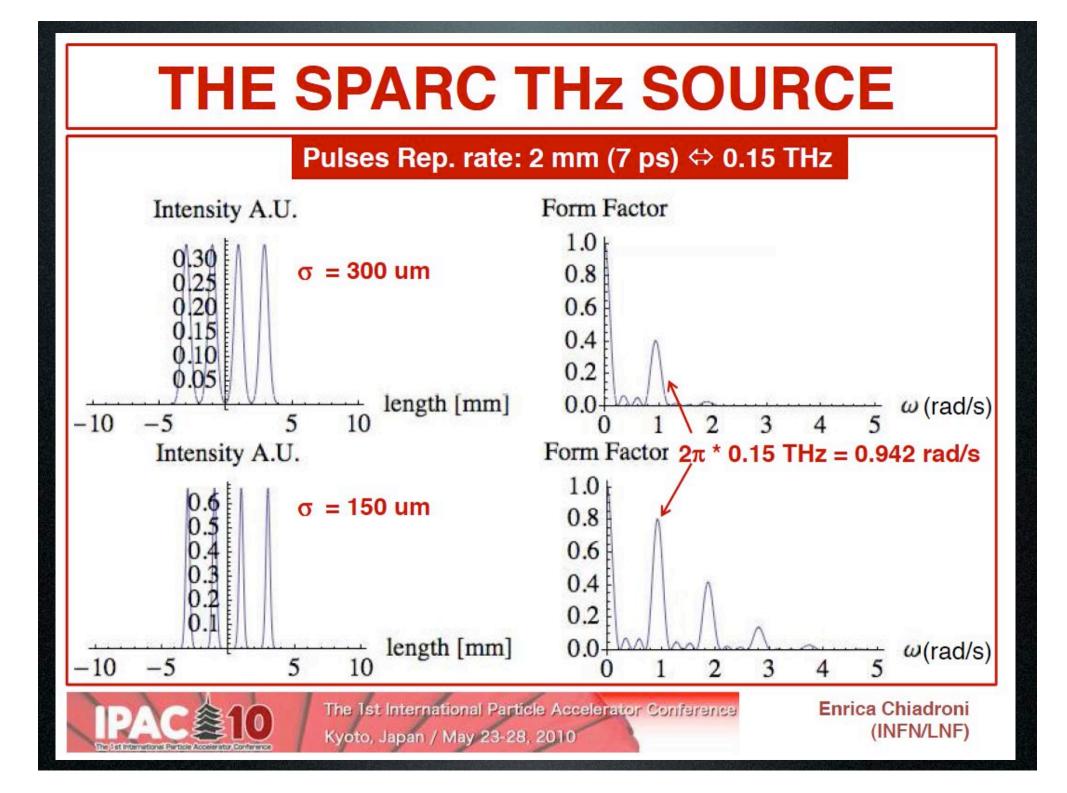
Slice emittance Measurement

The slice emittance measuremenet is the only way to get realistic information about the transverse beam quality of the two pulses. Notice that the higer current pulse is probably better matched and results to have the lower emittance.

The total projected emittance under this condition was ~ 4 mmrad in both planes



Narrow band THz radiation

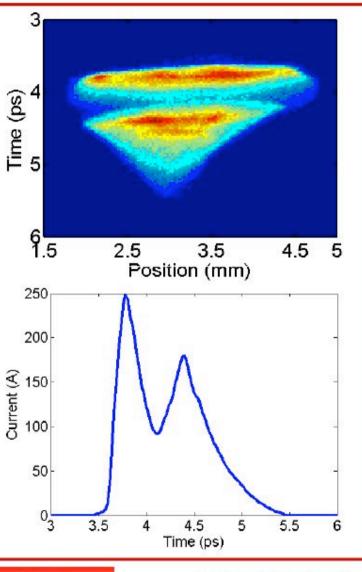


THZ RADIATION FROM COMB

Two pulses train electron beam Velocity bunching (over-compression)

By changing the over-compression factor, the pulses spacing can be adjusted in order to emit at the THz scale.

Beam Energy= 100 MeV Total charge = 180 pC Pulses inter-distance = 0.7 ps



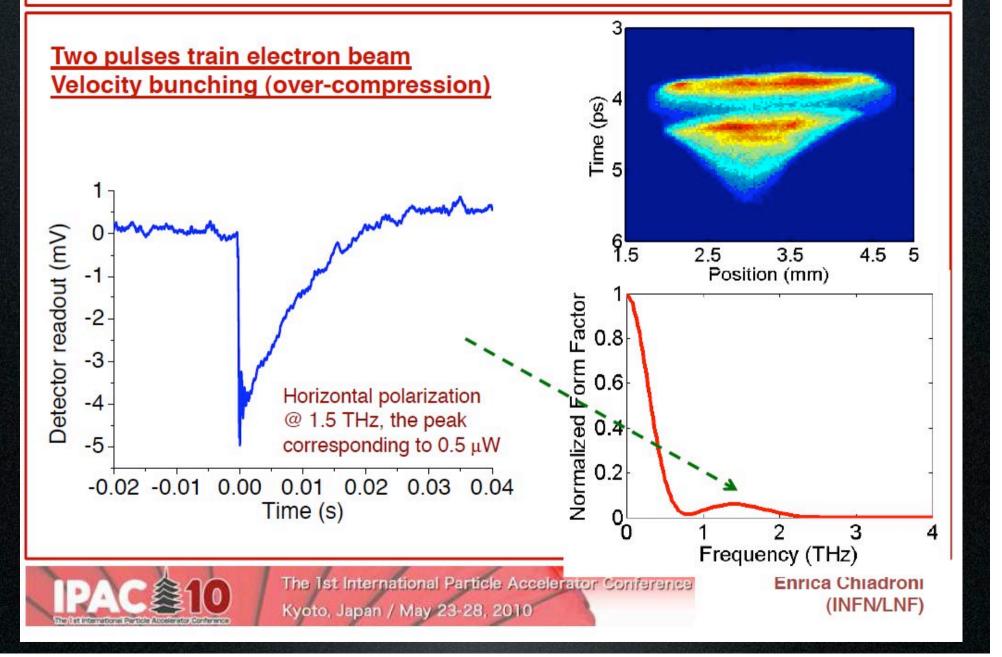


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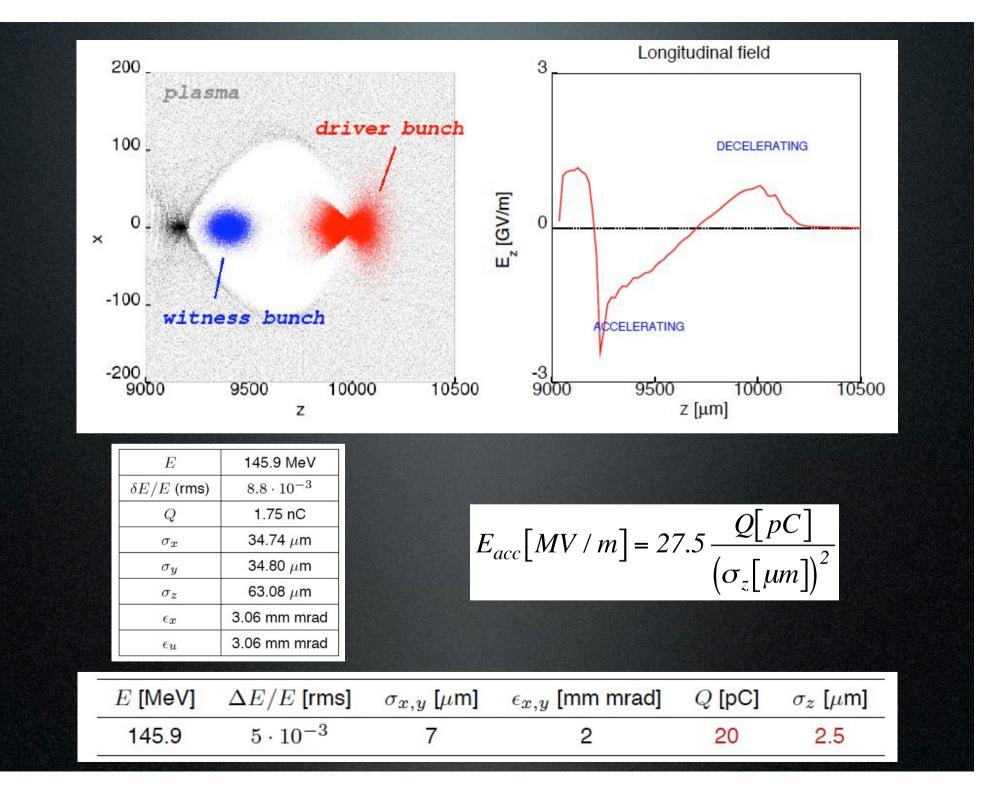
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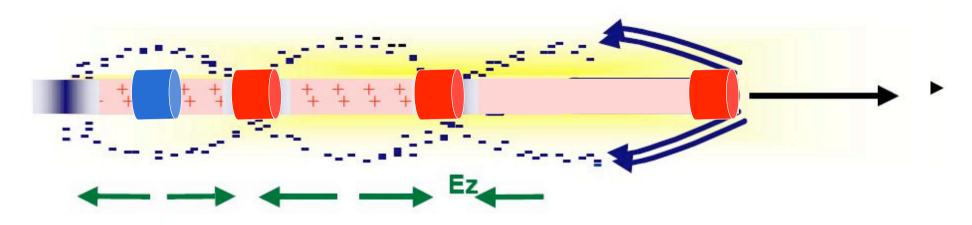


Particle Wake Field Acc.



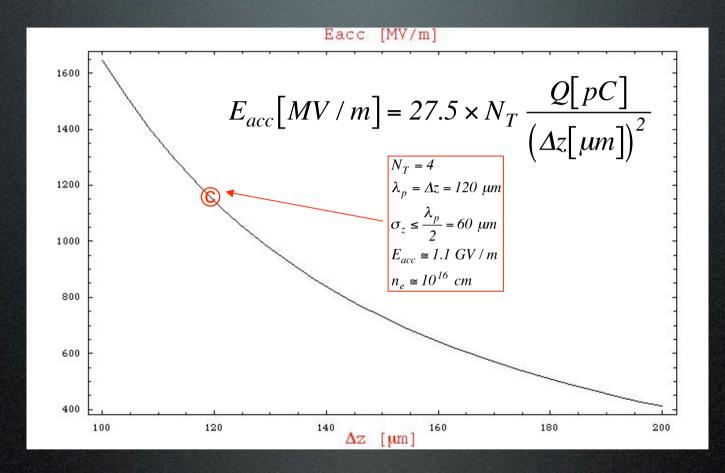
Plasma wakefield multibunch excitation

Space charge of drive beam displaces plasma electrons



Plasma ions exert restoring force => Space charge oscillations

150 pC/pulse x 4 pulses



200 MeV in 18 cm

Multipulse operation

Resonance works well
SPARX example gives 3 GV/m

Example: # pulses=4 N_b =1E8 n_e =3E22 m⁻³ λ_p =190 µm Q[~]1=0.117

