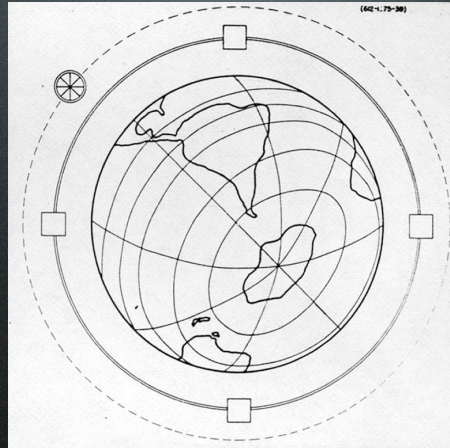


Novel acceleration techniques

Massimo Ferrario
INFN-LNF



LNf Test Lab – Frascati, June 18, 2014

1954 Fermi Globatron: 5000 TeV, 170 BS, fixed target 3 TeV cm

What can we learn with hi en. accelerators?
Jan 29 1954

Multiple production N, N ✓

Ang distribution ✓

~~Multi prod N, N~~

Strange particles (Ang, mono – Double or single)

Nucleonuclear ✓

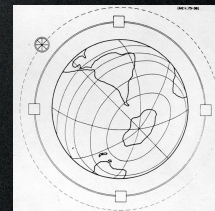
Generalities

time → MeV ↓ — Slide

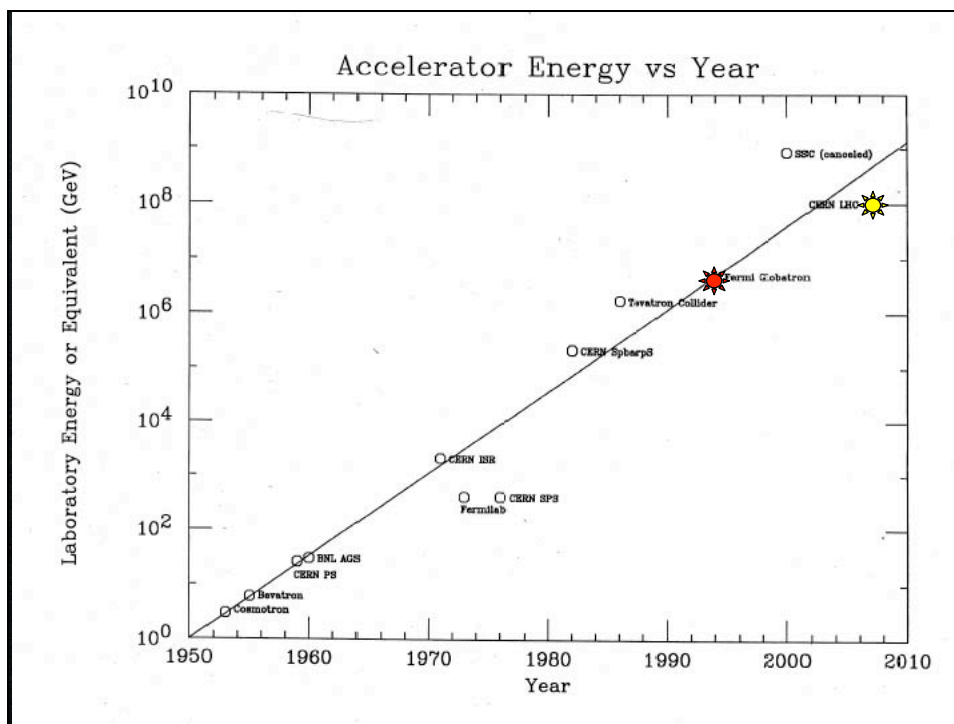
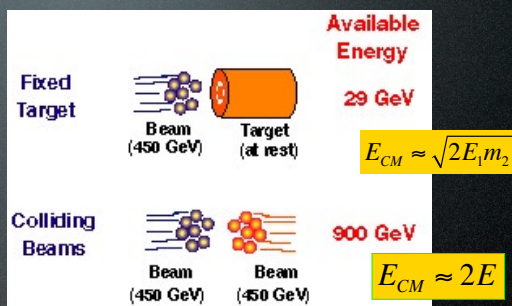
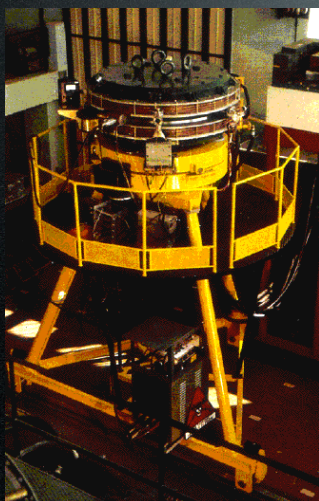
cosmos versus machines
Upper limit — Slide

A simple Feynman diagram — Slide

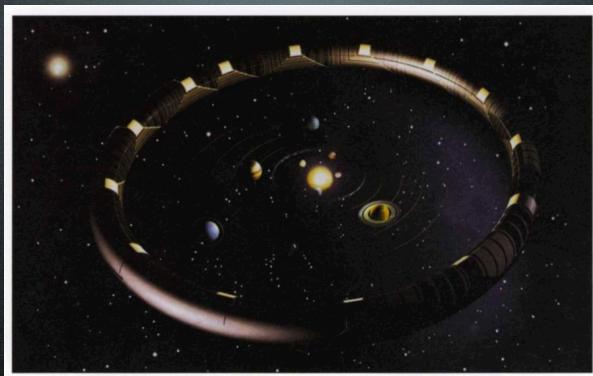
Hi energy collision



6 years later Touschek revolutionary idea:
ADA (Anello Di Accumulazione), 1961-1964
 the first e⁺e⁻ Collider



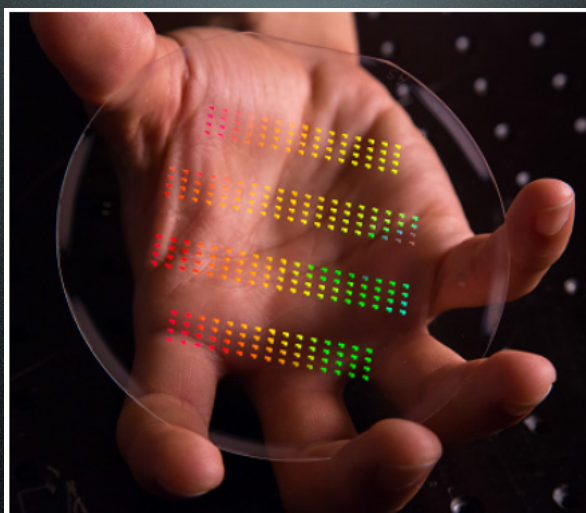
2001 Hawking: the Heliotron



Without further novel technology, we will eventually need an accelerator as large as Hawking expected.

The Universe in a Nutshell, by Stephen William Hawking, Bantam, 2001

2020? Accelerator on a Chip



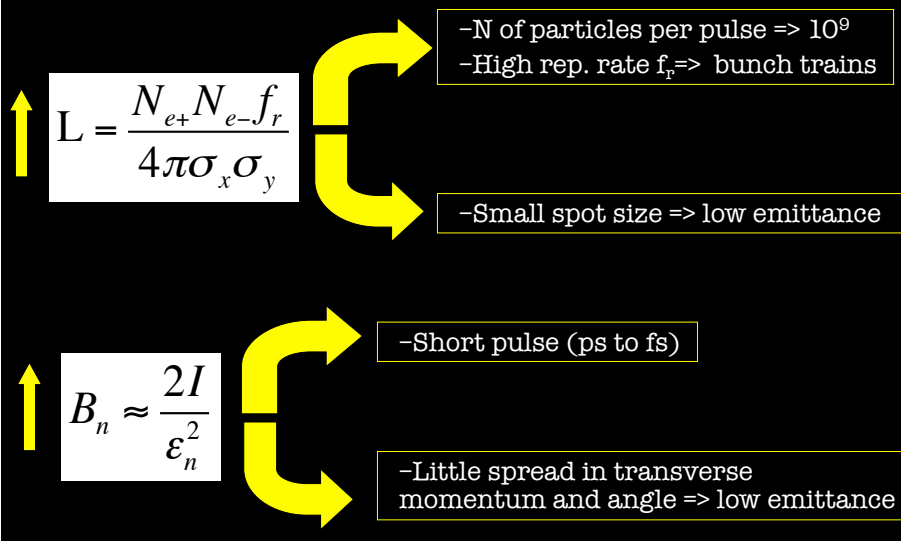
2 WAYS NTA ROAD MAP

- ① Miniaturization of the accelerating structures (resonant)
- ② Wake Field Acceleration (transient)
(LWFA, PWFA, DWFA)
 - Power sources
 - Accelerating structures
 - High quality beams

Modern accelerators require high quality beams:

==> High Luminosity & High Brightness

==> High Energy & Low Energy Spread



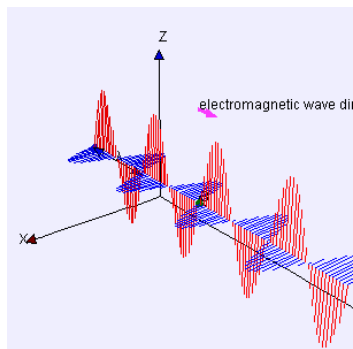
Lawson-Woodward Theorem

(J.D. Lawson, IEEE Trans. Nucl. Sci. NS-26, 4217, 1979)

The net energy gain of a relativistic electron interacting with an electromagnetic field **in vacuum** is zero.

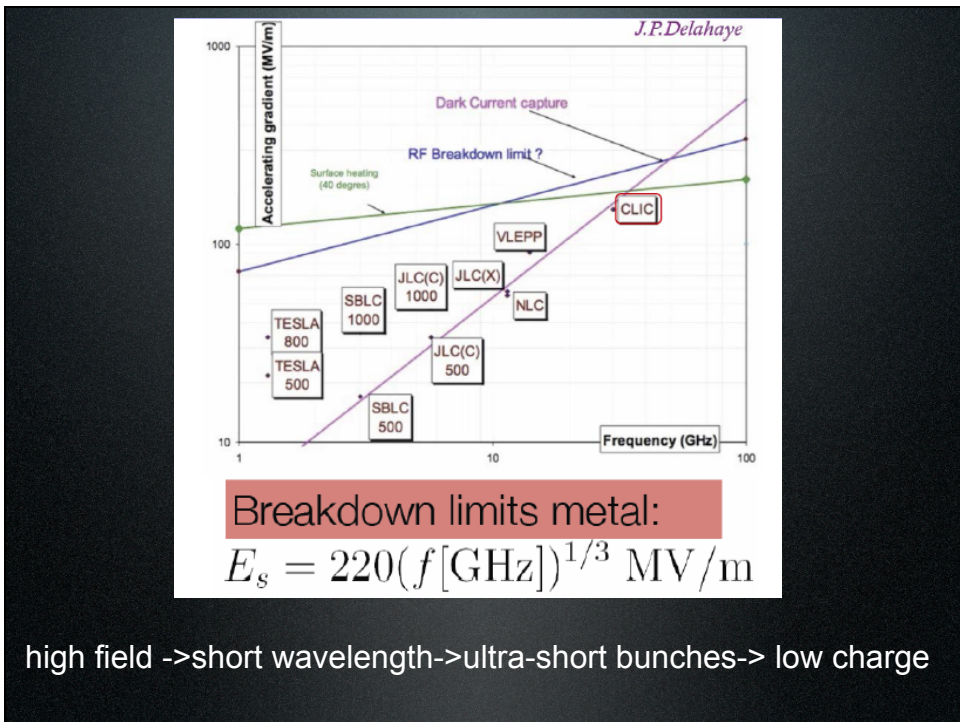
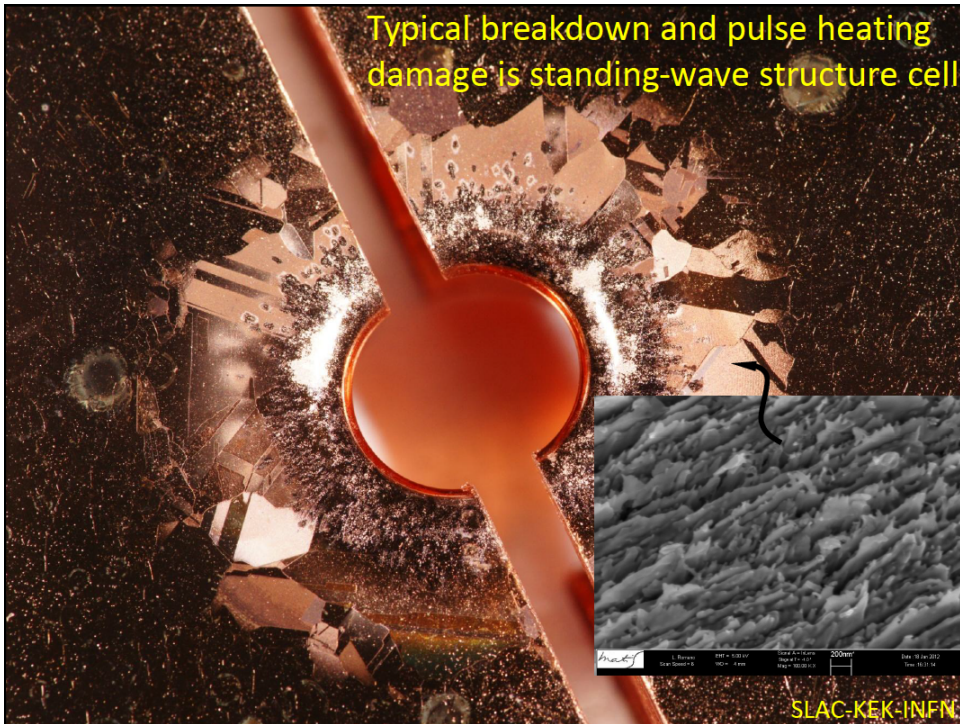
The theorem assumes that

- (i) the laser field is in vacuum with no walls or boundaries present,
- (ii) the electron is highly relativistic ($v \approx c$) along the acceleration path,
- (iii) no static electric or magnetic fields are present,
- (iv) the region of interaction is infinite,



$$F_{\perp} \cong \frac{eE_x}{2\gamma^2} \cos\left(\frac{\omega t}{2\gamma^2}\right)$$



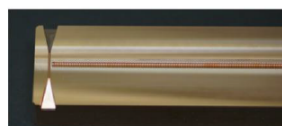
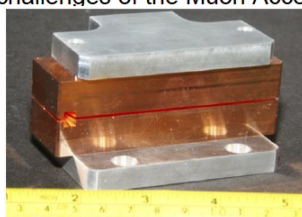


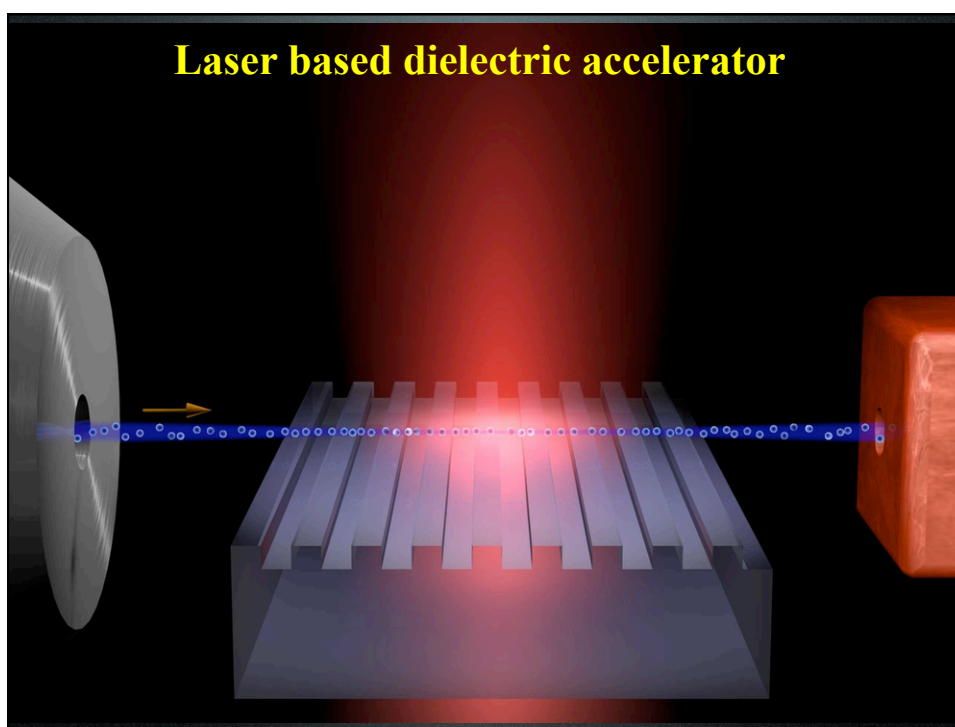
Miniaturization of the accelerating structures

Future plans for the high gradient collaboration

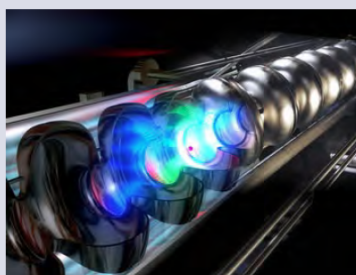
- The collaboration during the next 5 will address 4 fundamental research efforts:
 - » Continue basic physics research, materials research frequency scaling and theory efforts.
 - » Put the foundations for advanced research on efficient RF sources.
 - » Explore the spectrum from 90 GHz to THz
 - Sources at MIT
 - Developments of suitable sources at 90 GHz
 - Developments of THz stand alone sources
 - Utilize the FACET at SLAC and AWA at ANL
 - Address the challenges of the Muon Accelerator Project (MAP)

mm-Wave structure to be tested at FACET

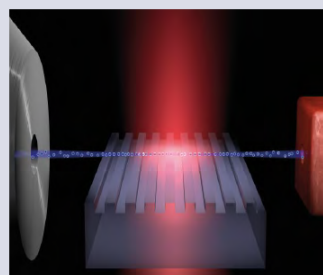




Particle accelerators: from RF to optical/photonic drive?

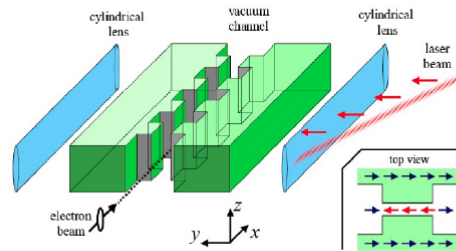


RF cavity (TESLA, DESY)

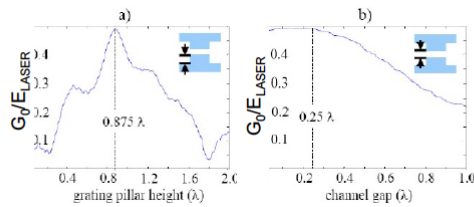


| | Conventional linear accelerator (RF) | Laser-based dielectric accelerator (optical) |
|---------------------------|--|--|
| Based on | (Supercond.) RF cavities | Quartz grating structures |
| Peak field limited by | Surface breakdown: 200 MV/m | Damage threshold: 30 GV/m |
| Max. achievable gradients | 50 MeV/m | 10 GeV/m |

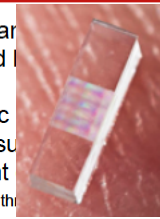
Grating-Based Planar Structure



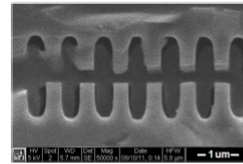
T. Plettner, et al. PRST-AB 9, 111301 (2006).



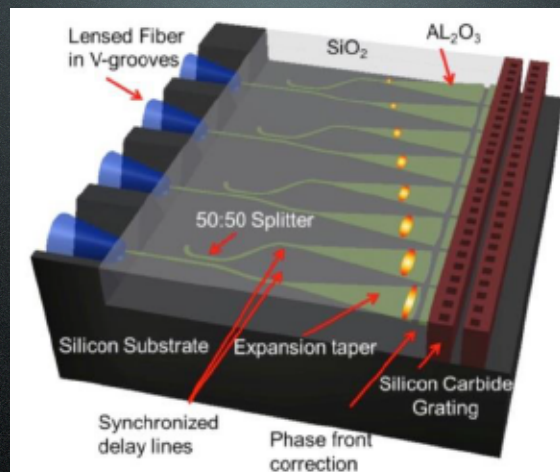
SiO₂ planar coupled with side-beam.
 Periodic field results in a gradient that accelerates electrons. The maximum field is ~1 GV/m @ 1 ps.



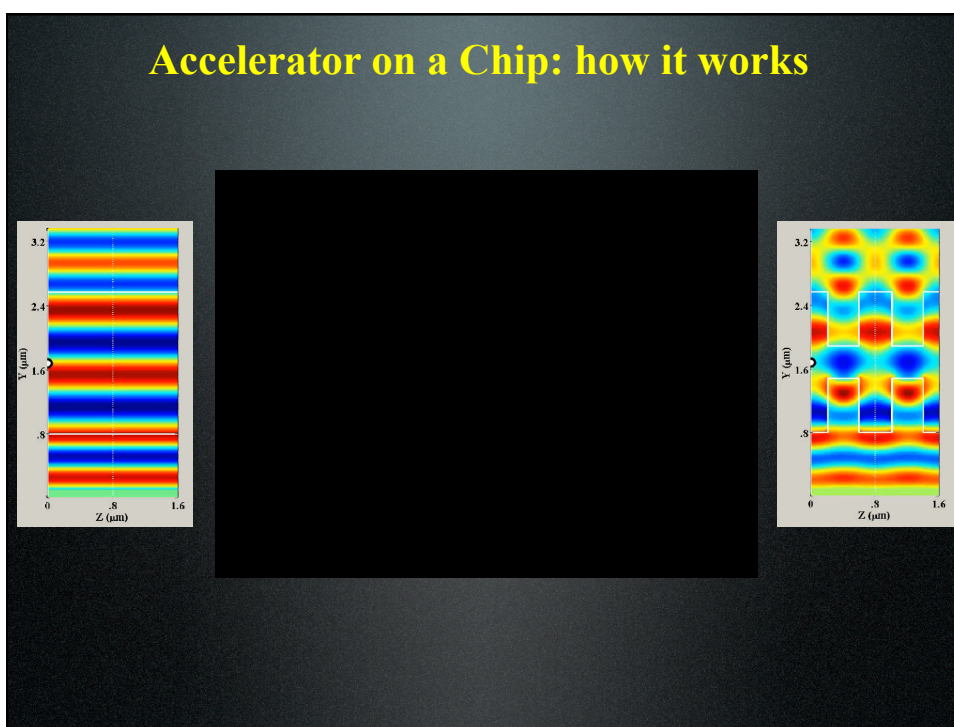
$$G_{0,max} \sim 1GV/m$$



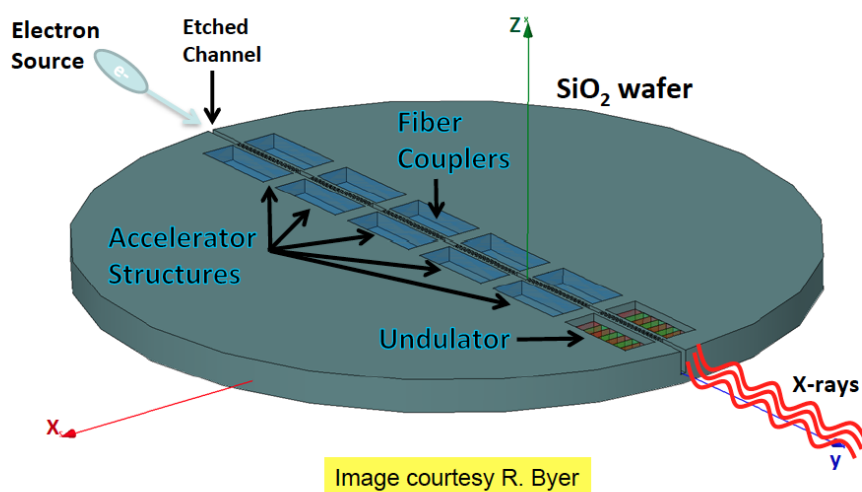
E. Peralta, recently fabricated prototype structure



Accelerator on a Chip: how it works

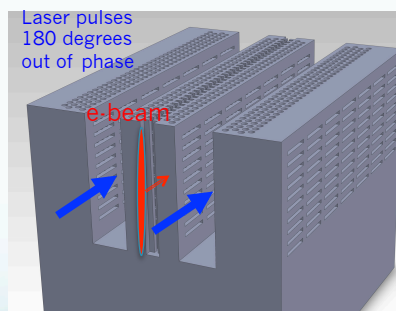


Light Source on a Chip



Dielectric Structure Design Philosophies

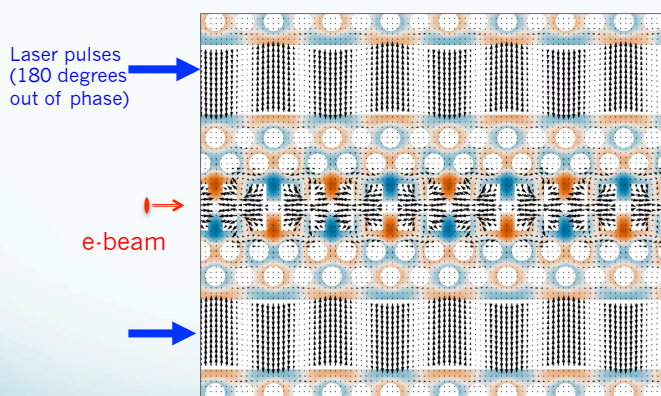
- Why dielectric?
 - *Dissipation and breakdown* in metals
- Why photonic structures?
 - Natural in dielectric
 - Advantages of burgeoning field
 - design possibilities
 - Fabrication
- Dynamics concerns
- External coupling schemes



Schematic of GALAXIE monolithic photonic DLA

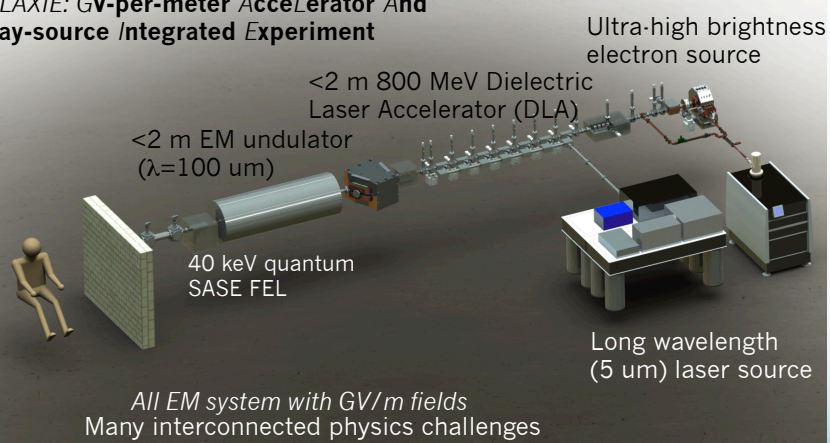
Laser-Structure Coupling: TW

GALAXIE Dual laser drive structure, large reservoir of power recycles



5th Gen Light Source: A Table-top X-ray FEL

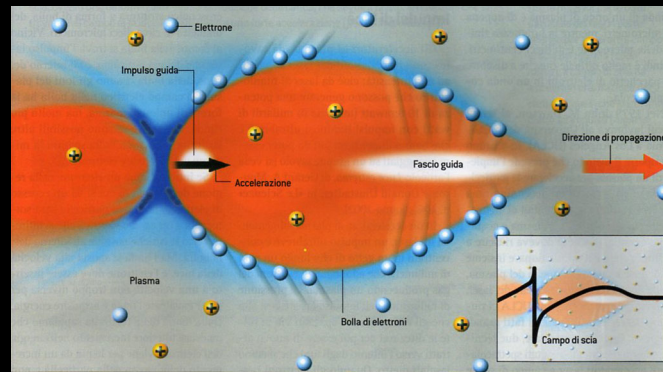
GALAXIE: GV-per-meter Accelerator And X-ray-source Integrated Experiment



Ambitious program supported by DARPA AXIS initiative

Wake Field Acceleration
LWFA

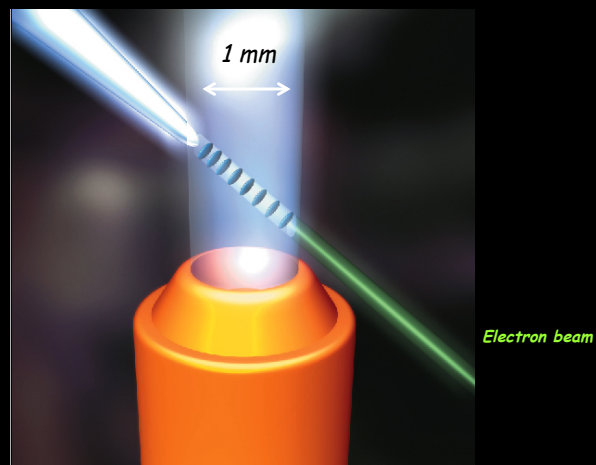
High quality beam Plasma Acceleration

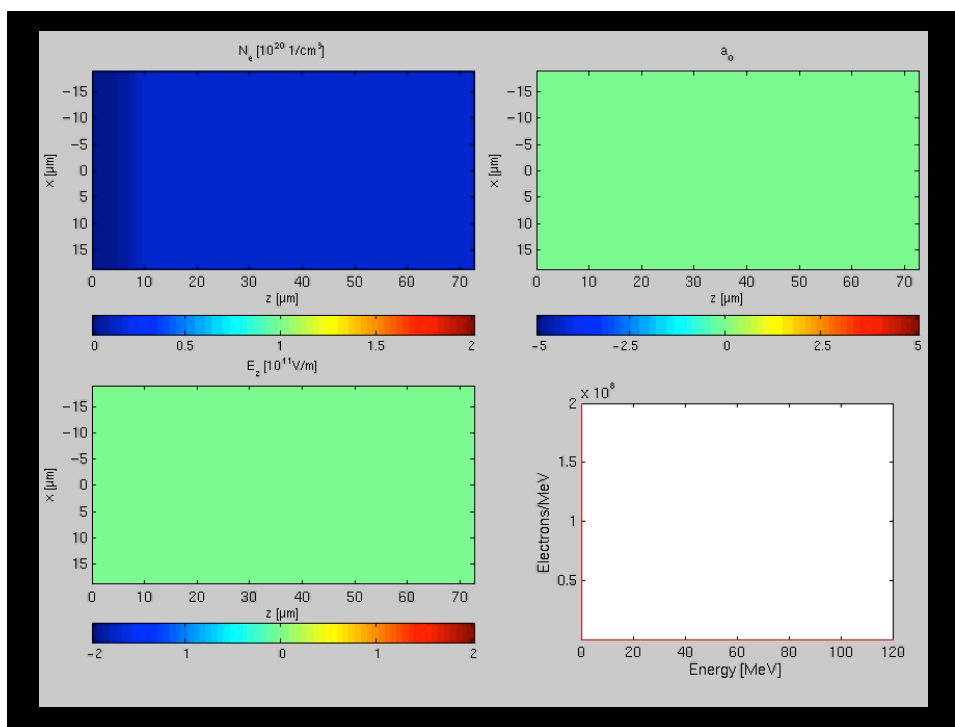


Breakdown limit?

$$E_0 = \frac{m_e c \omega_p}{e} \approx 100 \left[\frac{\text{GeV}}{m} \right] \cdot \sqrt{n_0 [10^{18} \text{ cm}^{-3}]}$$

Direct production of e-beam





2005 The Dream Beam

30 September 2004
International weekly journal of science
nature
www.nature.com/nature

Dream beam
The dawn of compact particle accelerators

Disease control
Europe plays catch-up

The Earth's hum
Sounds of air and sea

Protein folding
Escape from the ribosome

Human ancestry
One from all and all from one

technology feature RNA interference

Monoenergetic beams of relativistic electrons from intense laser-plasma interactions

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High-quality electron beams from a laser wakefield accelerator using plasma-channel guiding

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A laser-plasma accelerator producing monoenergetic electron beams

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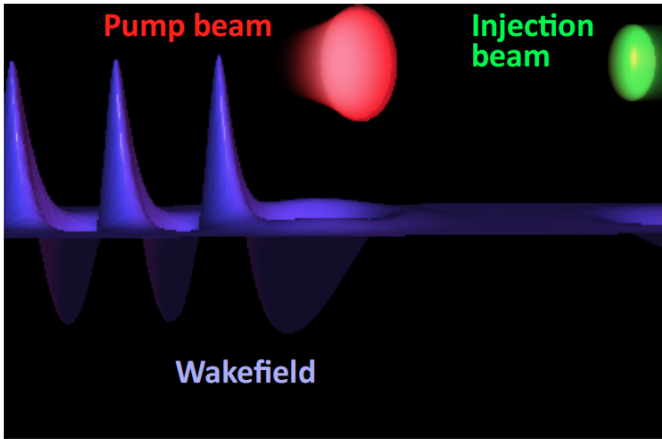
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Colliding Laser Pulses Scheme






The first laser creates the accelerating structure, a second laser beam is used to heat electrons



Pump beam **Injection beam**

Wakefield

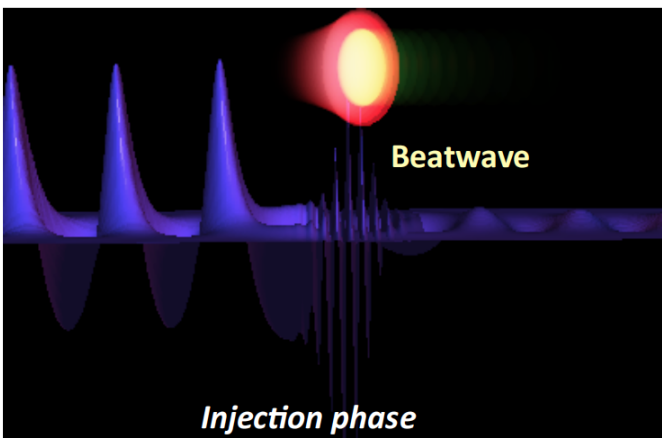
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Beatwave

Injection phase

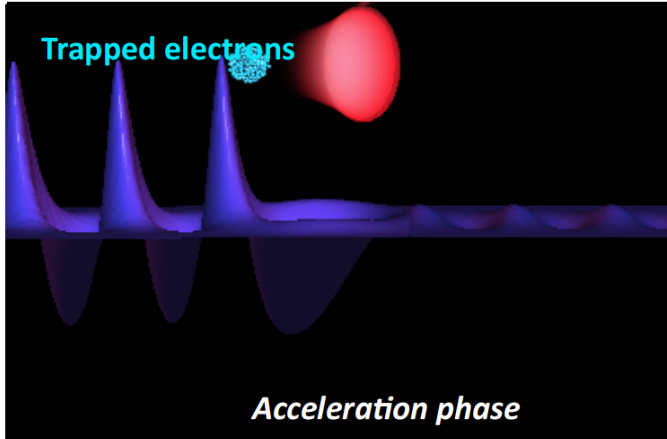
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Trapped electrons

Acceleration phase

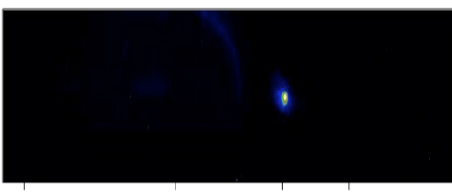
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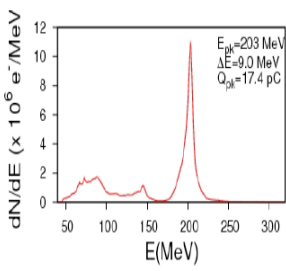
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Stable Laser Plasma Accelerators



Angle (mrad)

E (MeV)



dN/dE (x 10⁶ e⁻/MeV)

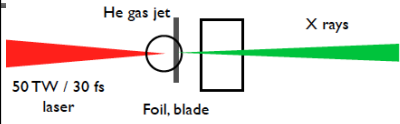
E (MeV)

$E_{pl} = 203 \text{ MeV}$
 $\Delta E = 9.0 \text{ MeV}$
 $Q_{pl} = 17.4 \text{ pC}$

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Inverse Compton Scattering : New scheme

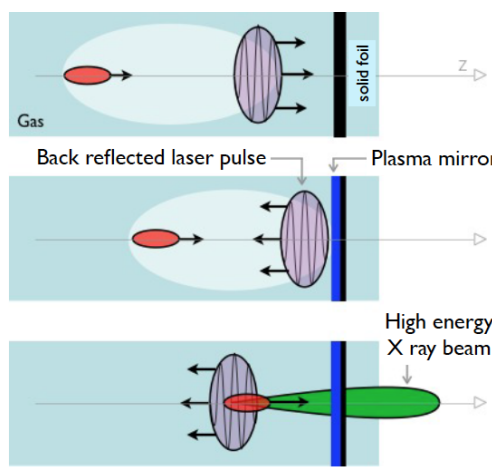


50 TW / 30 fs laser

He gas jet

Foil, blade

X rays



Gas


solid foil

Back reflected laser pulse




Plasma mirror

High energy X ray beam

- A single laser pulse
- A plasma mirror reflects the laser beam
- The back reflected laser collides with the accelerated electrons
- No alignment : the laser and the electron beams naturally overlap
- Save the laser energy !



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Conclusions

- Accelerators point of view :
- Good beam quality & Monoenergetic dE/E down to 1 % ✓
- Beam is very stable ✓
- Energy is tunable: up to 400 MeV ✓
- Charge is tunable: 1 to tens of pC ✓
- Energy spread is tunable: 1 to 10 % ✓
- Ultra short e-bunch : 1,5 fs rms ✓
- Low divergence : 2 mrad ✓
- Low emittance¹⁻³ : $< \pi \cdot \text{mm} \cdot \text{mrad}$ ✓
- With PW class laser : peak energy at 3 GeV ✓

¹S. Fritzler *et al.*, Phys. Rev. Lett. **92**, 165006 (2004), ²C. M. S. Sears *et al.*, PRSTAB **13**, 092803 (2010)
³E. Brunetti *et al.*, Phys. Rev. Lett. **105**, 215007 (2010)



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World Leader

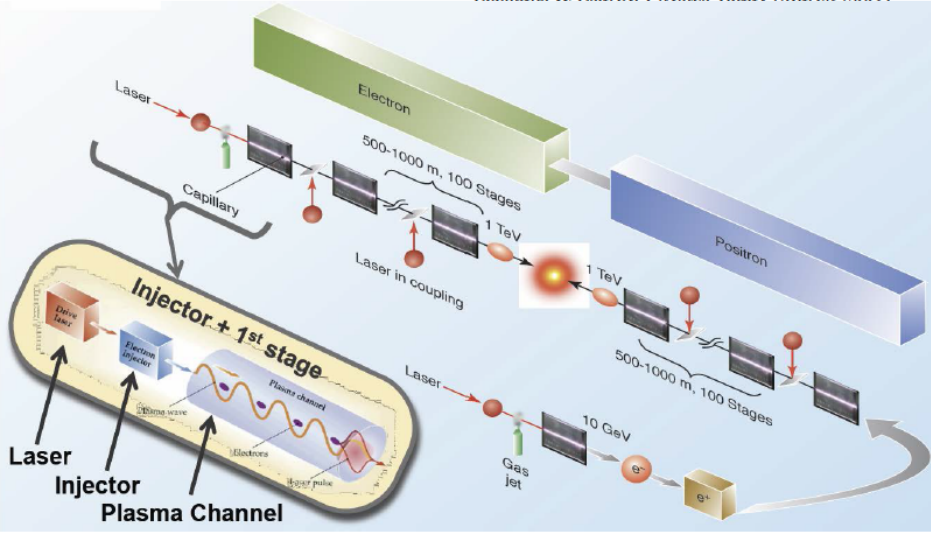
BELLA LPWA facility:
 3 cm 1 GeV 40 TW laser ~1Hz
 10-30 cm 5-10 GeV PW laser, ~1 Hz




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Laser-Plasma-Accelerator LC

Leemans & Esarev. Physics Today (March 2009)



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Vladimir Shiltsev - Colliders - DESY, Jan 15, 2014

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Parameter Set for LPWA LC

| Case: CoM Energy (Plasma density) | 1 TeV (10^{17} cm $^{-3}$) | 1 TeV (2×10^{15} cm $^{-3}$) | 10 TeV (10^{17} cm $^{-3}$) | 10 TeV (2×10^{15} cm $^{-3}$) |
|--|-----------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|---|
| Energy per beam (TeV) | 0.5 | 0.5 | 5 | 5 |
| Luminosity (10^{34} cm $^{-2}$ s $^{-1}$) | 2 | 2 | 200 | 200 |
| Electrons per bunch ($\times 10^{10}$) | 0.4 | 2.8 | 0.4 | 2.8 |
| Bunch repetition rate (kHz) | 15 | 0.3 | 15 | 0.3 |
| Horizontal emittance $\gamma\epsilon_x$ (nm-rad) | 100 | 100 | 50 | 50 |
| Vertical emittance $\gamma\epsilon_y$ (nm-rad) | 100 | 100 | 50 | 50 |
| β^* (mm) | 1 | 1 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| Horizontal beam size at IP σ_x^* (nm) | 10 | 10 | 1 | 1 |
| Vertical beam size at IP σ_y^* (nm) | 10 | 10 | 1 | 1 |
| Disruption parameter | 0.12 | 5.6 | 1.2 | 56 |
| Bunch length σ_z (μ m) | 1 | 7 | 1 | 7 |
| Beamstrahlung parameter Υ | 180 | 180 | 18,000 | 18,000 |
| Beamstrahlung photons per e, n_γ | 1.4 | 10 | 3.2 | 22 |
| Beamstrahlung energy loss δ_E (%) | 42 | 100 | 95 | 100 |
| Accelerating gradient (GV/m) | 10 | 1.4 | 10 | 1.4 |
| Average beam power (MW) | 5 | 0.7 | 50 | 7 |
| Wall plug to beam efficiency (%) | 6 | 6 | 10 | 10 |
| One linac length (km) | 0.1 | 0.5 | 1.0 | 5 |

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W.Leemans, ICFA BD Newsletter, No.56 (2011)

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Can the Futur of Accelerator Be Fibers?

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"The discovery of this particle is potentially the beginning of another road, which is to explore what lies beyond the Standard Model"

- Peter Higgs

Gerard Mourou
IZEST Ecole Polytechnique – Paris – France

Gerard Mourou S.L Chin, Laval



"I realized there would be many applications for the laser but it never occurred to me that we'd get such power from it!"

- Charles H. Townes

European Network

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Mitigating Thermal and Nonlinear Focusing in Amplifiers

Large Amplifier
Small cooling area to Volume ratio
Thermal defocusing
Small scale self focusing

$D/\lambda \propto 10^5$

Laser Amplifier

$B = 2 \frac{\pi}{\lambda} \int n_2 I(z) dz < 3$

$\lambda / |n_1 - n_2| \propto 1$

Mono-mode Fibre Optic

$D/\lambda \propto 10$

ICAN
Little thermal focusing
Little small scale self foc.
Energy and peak power

Gerard Mourou S.L Chin, Laval

The basic brick: the Yb doped Single mode fiber

Outer cladding: Low-index polymer-coating

All-fiber integration: e.g. grating mirror

Pump injection: End or side-pumping

High power diode pumps

High power, high brightness laser signal

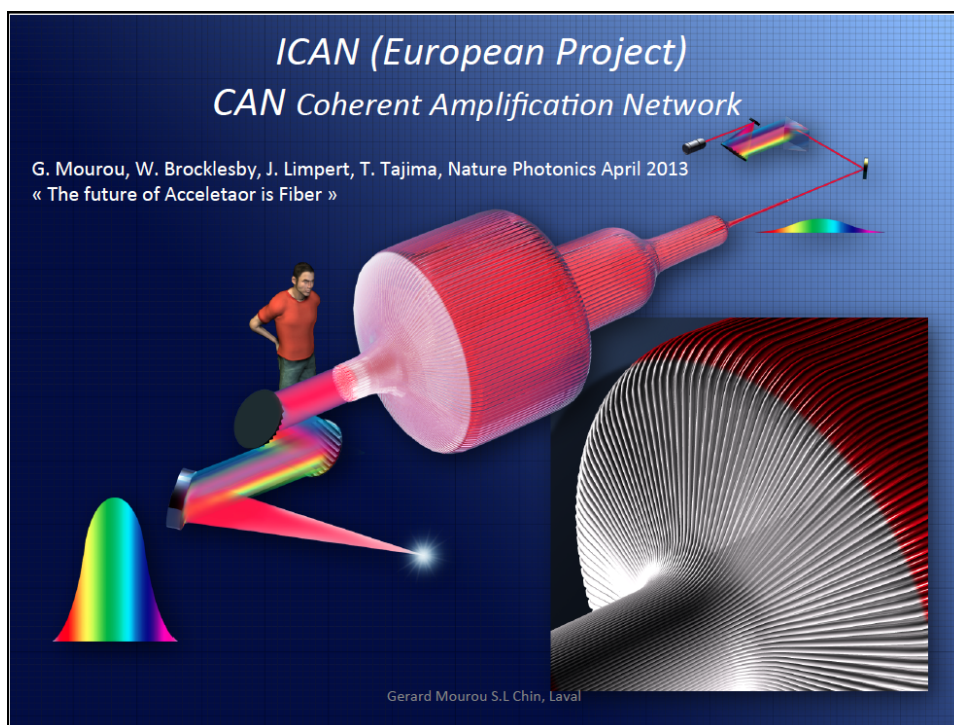
Core: RE-doped, single-mode waveguide

Inner cladding: Multimode waveguide to trap pump light

I.N.DULING et al.
 240mW pump, 35mW superfluorescence at 1.06µm

Rare-earth-doped core converts multimode pump energy to high brightness, diffraction-limited, signal beam

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Protons and ions are too slow to catch the wave - only **indirect acceleration** via electrons

Laser Driven Acceleration of Protons

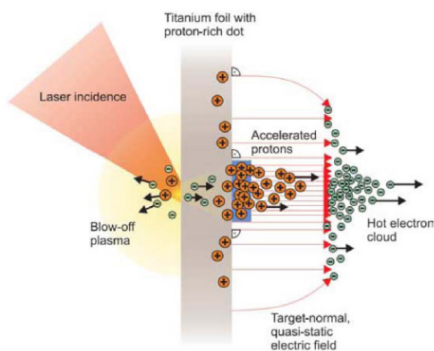
- Direct acceleration in laser field $> 10^{25}$ W/cm² far beyond current lasers
- Plasma wakefield phase velocity too fast for protons & ions
- → only indirect ways

Need typically:
50 J 500 fs → 100 TW
30 μm radius → 10^{19} W/cm²

Target Normal Sheath Acceleration

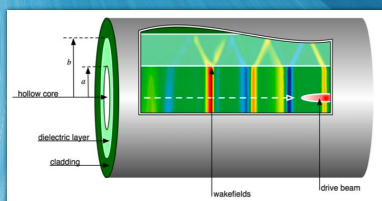
"best understood" candidate:

- laser creates blow-off plasma on front surface
- backside expansion accelerated electrons ionize hydrogen
- hot electrons create electric field (by space charge)
- causes acceleration of protons (electrons slowing down – end of acceleration)
- neutralized bunch of comoving p and e generated

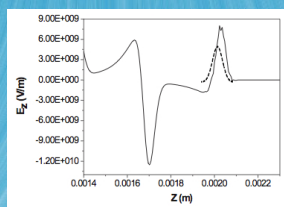


Wake Field Acceleration PWFA & DWFA

Dielectric Wakefield Accelerator



Design Parameters a, b, σ_z, ϵ



Ez on-axis, OOPIC

- Electron bunch ($\beta \approx 1$) drives wake in cylindrical dielectric structure
- Dependent on structure properties
- Generally multi-mode excitation
- Wakefields accelerate trailing bunch

Mode wavelengths (quasi-optical

$$\lambda_n \approx \frac{4(b-a)}{n} \sqrt{\epsilon-1}$$

Peak decelerating field

$$eE_{z,dec} \approx \frac{4N_b r m_e c^2}{a \left[\sqrt{\frac{8\pi}{\epsilon-1} \epsilon \sigma_z} + a \right]}$$

Extremely good beam needed

Transformer ratio (unshaped beam)

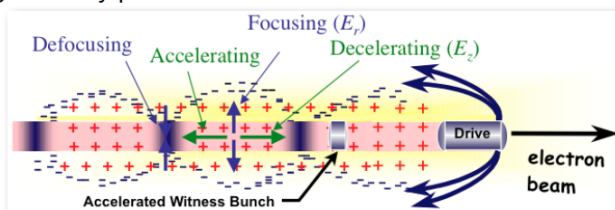
$$R = \frac{E_{z,acc}}{E_{z,dec}} \leq 2$$

A Beam Driven Plasma Wakefield Accelerator

SLAC

A very high frequency structure acting as an energy transformer

- Accelerating structure is created anew every shot
- High gradients need high density plasmas
 - $\sim 10^{17}$ e⁻/cm³
 - >10GeV/m acceleration
 - >MT/m focusing



For wake excitation need a beam matched to plasma dimensions:

- Individual bunches, or a bunch train, 100' s fs apart (or use SMI for long bunches)
- Individual bunches small in all three dimensions
 - High bunch charge for blow-out with large wake amplitude & good transport
- Need long, uniform high-density plasmas

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FACET Has a Multi-year Program to Study PWFA

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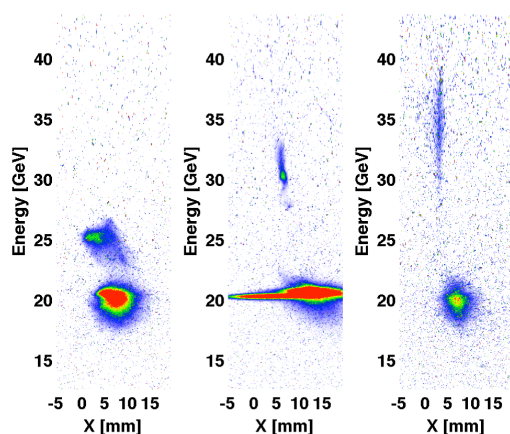
- Demonstrate a single-stage high-energy plasma accelerator for electrons
- Meter scale, high gradient, preserved emittance, low energy spread, and high efficiency
 - Commission beam, diagnostics and plasma source (2012)
 - Produce independent drive & witness bunch (2012-2013)
 - Pre-ionized plasmas and tailored profiles to maximize single stage performance: total energy gain, emittance, efficiency (2013-2015)
- First experiments with compressed positrons
 - Identify optimum technique/regime for positron PWFA (2014-2016)

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2014 Results: Two-Bunch Acceleration in a 1.5 m Plasma

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Plasma Density: $3 \times 10^{16} [\text{cm}^{-3}]$ $5 \times 10^{16} [\text{cm}^{-3}]$ $8 \times 10^{16} [\text{cm}^{-3}]$



We are working to improve our spectrometer's ability to precisely quantify energy spread.

Results from last week! Good agreement between observed and expected energy gain in a longer plasma for several plasma densities.

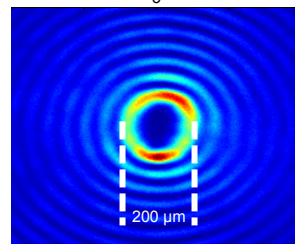
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Positrons and Hollow Channel Plasma

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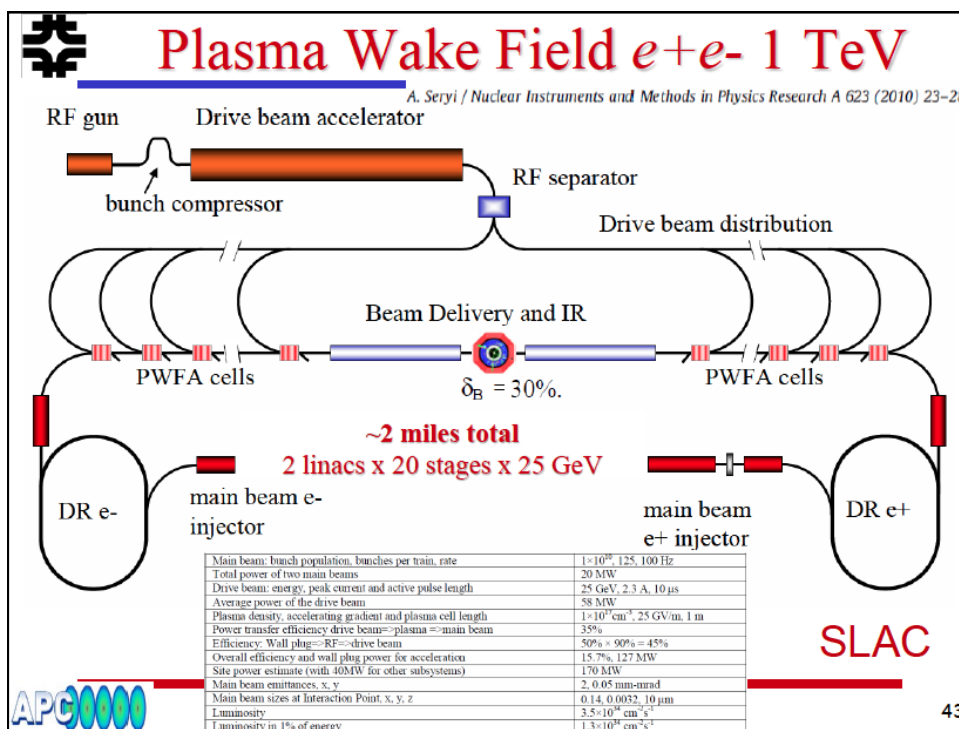
- The physics of accelerating positrons in a plasma is different than that of electrons!
- Hollow channel plasmas might be a viable method for accelerating positrons in a plasma.
- A special optic called a kinoform is used to create a hollow channel plasma.



Laser Profile for J_5 Bessel Focus




Positrons plasma acceleration is a crucial step towards a plasma based linear collider. FACET hosts the only active research on positron PWFA.

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AWAKE

Proton-driven
Plasma Wakefield Acceleration
Collaboration:
Accelerating e^- on the wake of a p^+ bunch


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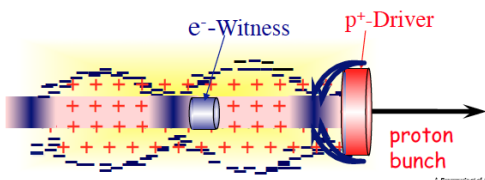


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WHY p⁺-DRIVEN PWFA?





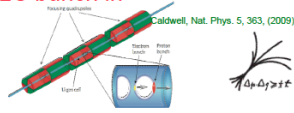
- ◇ ILC, 0.5TeV bunch with $2 \times 10^{10} e^-$ ~1.6kJ
- ◇ SLAC, 20GeV bunch with $2 \times 10^{10} e^-$ ~60J
- ◇ SLAC-like driver for staging (FACET= 1 stage, collider 10⁺ stages)
- ◇ SPS, 400GeV bunch with $10^{11} p^+$ ~6.4kJ
- ◇ LHC, 7TeV bunch with $10^{11} p^+$ ~112kJ
- ◇ A single SPS or LHC bunch could produce an ILC bunch in a single PWFA stage!
- ◇ Large average gradient! ($\geq 1 \text{ GeV/m}$, 100's m)

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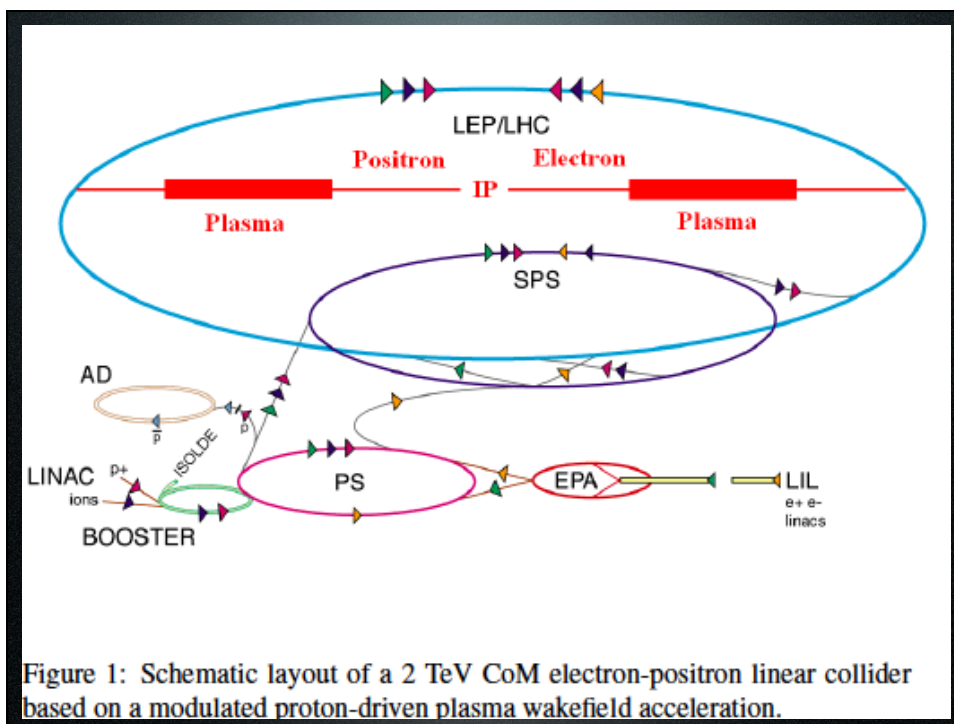


Figure 1: Schematic layout of a 2 TeV CoM electron-positron linear collider based on a modulated proton-driven plasma wakefield acceleration.



High Luminosity dreams.....

