

KEK Digital Accelerator and Its Beam Commissioning

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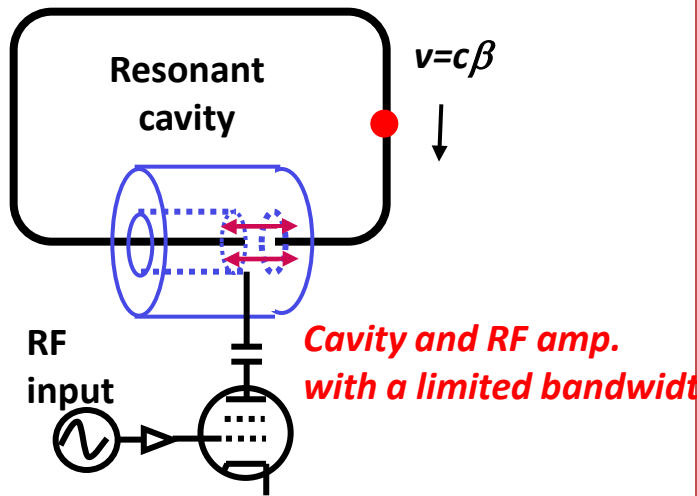
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Outline of Talk

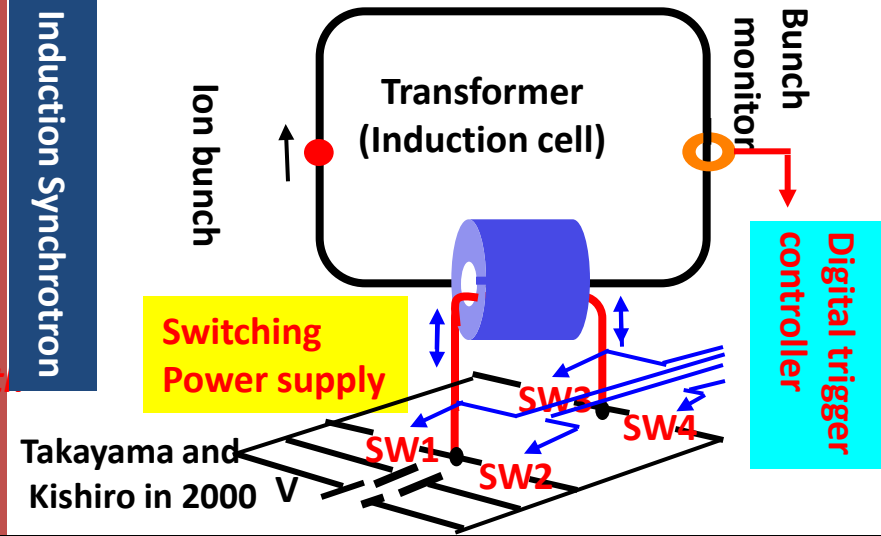
1. Principle of induction Synchrotron
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 - 2-1 ECRIS
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 - 2-3 LEBT and Electrostatic injection kicker
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Characteristics of Induction Synchrotron

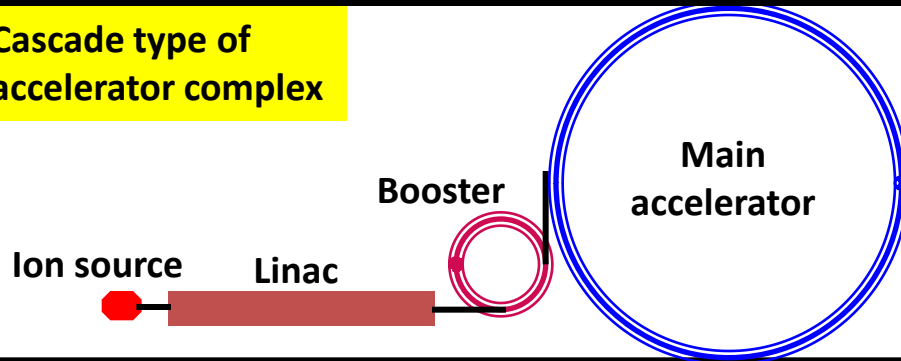
RF Synchrotron



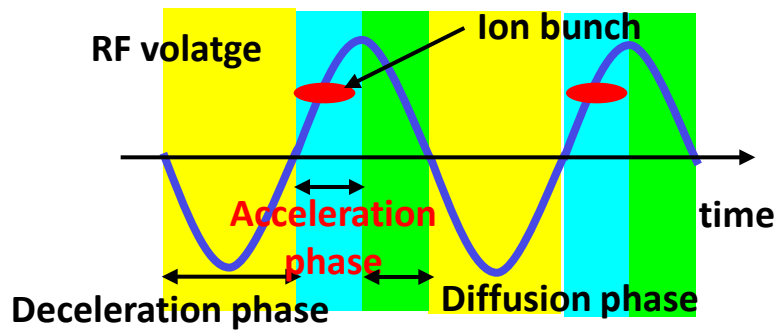
Induction Synchrotron



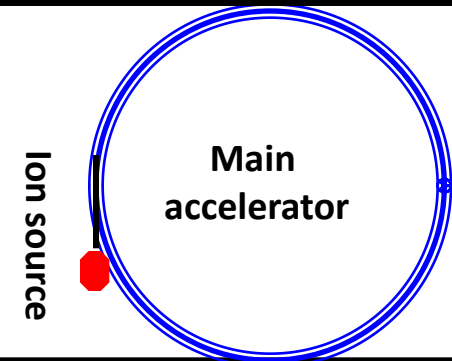
Cascade type of accelerator complex



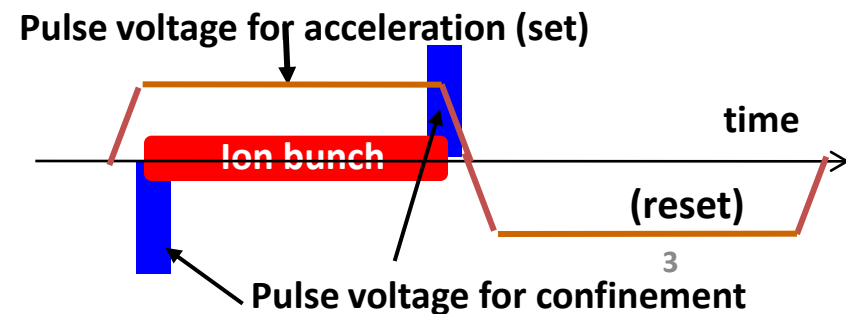
Functionally combined acceleration/confinement -> increase in the local density -> limit on a beam current



Single stage accelerator

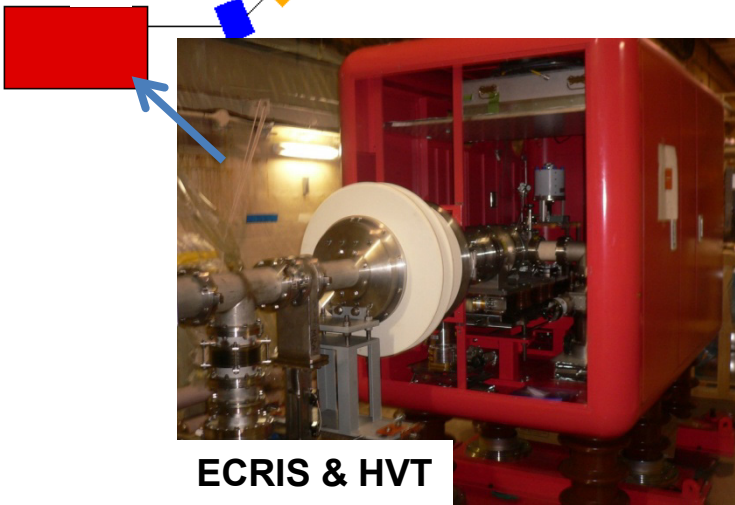
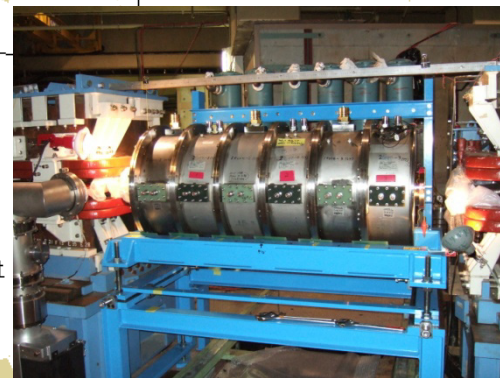
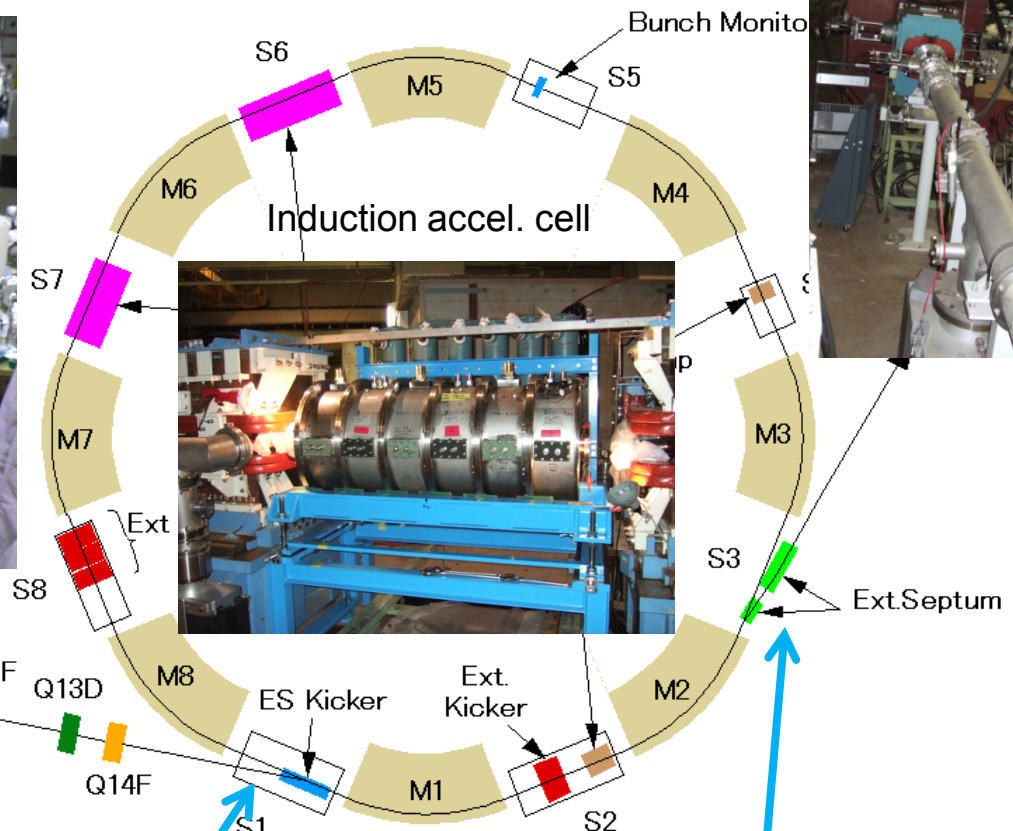
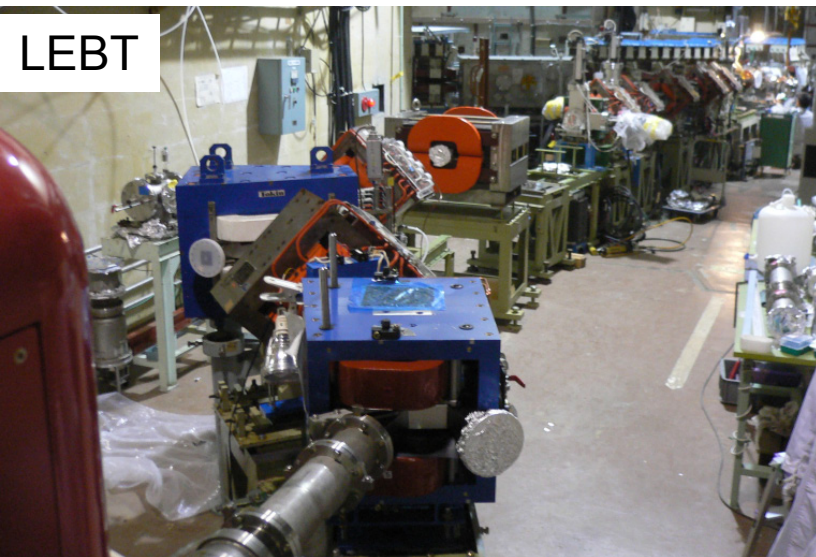


Functionally separated acceleration/confinement -> increasing a freedom of beam handling

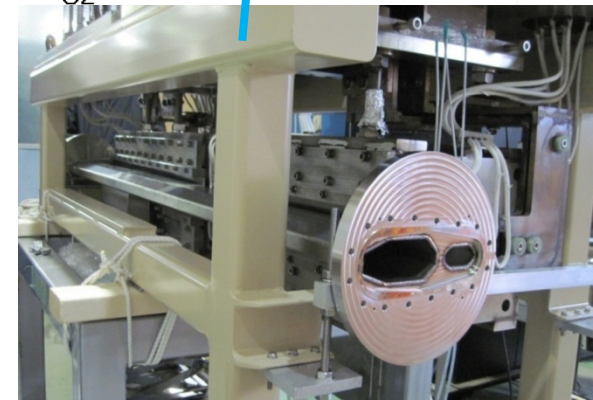
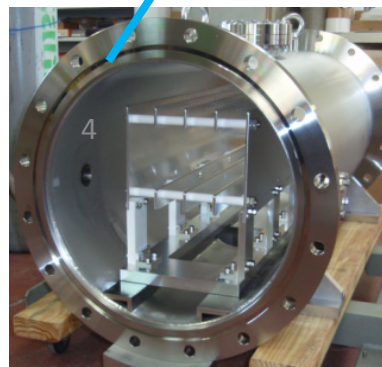


KEK Digital Accelerator

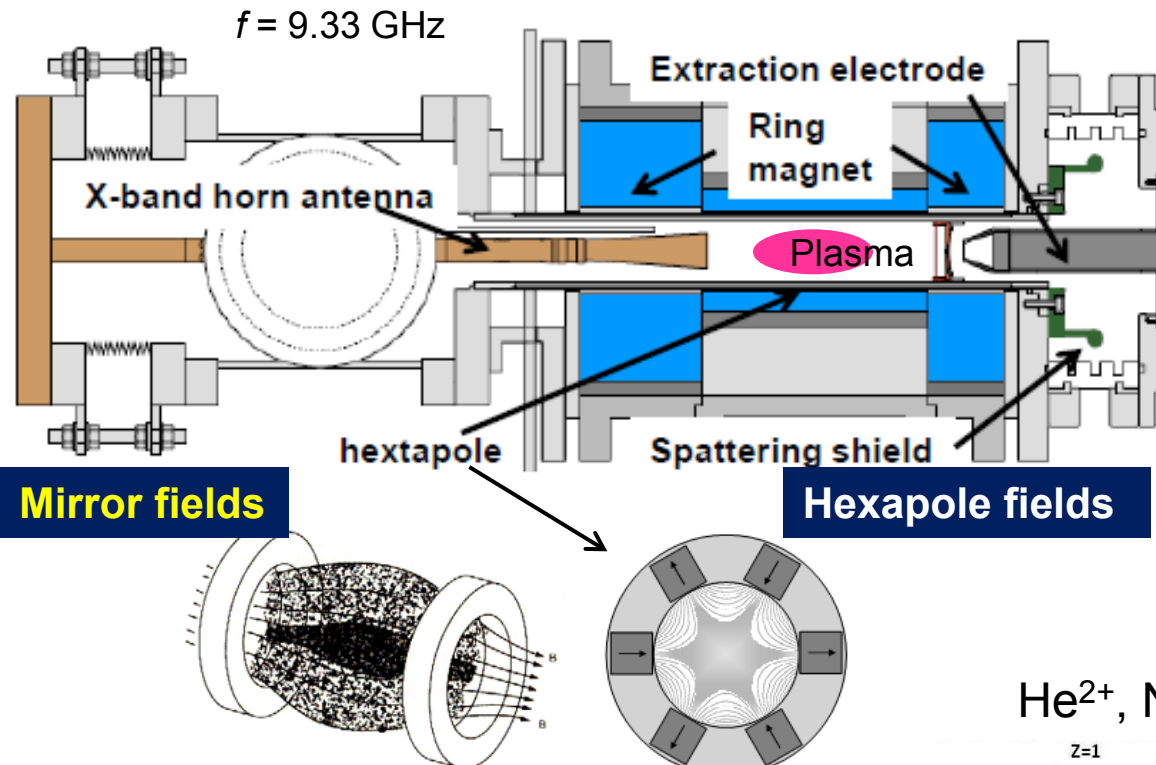
T. Iwashita et al., "KEK Digital Accelerator"
Phys. Rev. ST-AB 14, 071301 (2011).



ECRIS & HVT



ECR Ion Source : Schematic and Output



Properties:

Permanent magnets

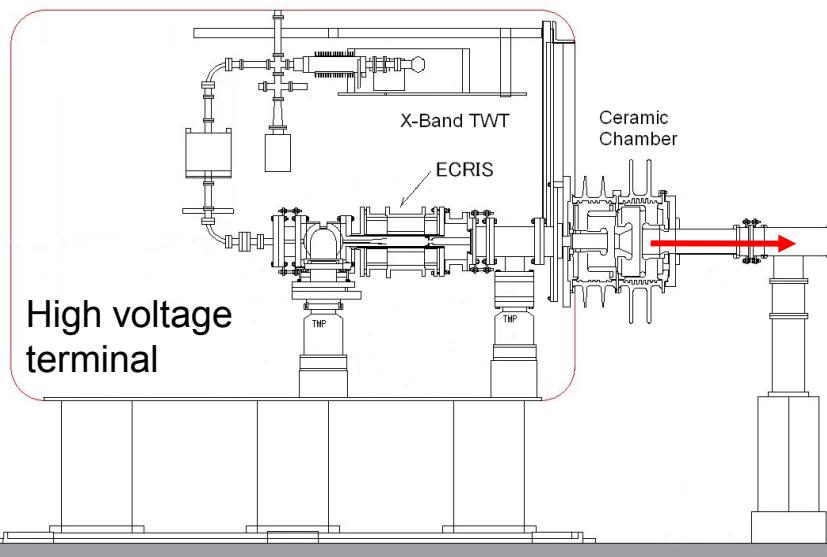
10 Hz pulse mode operation



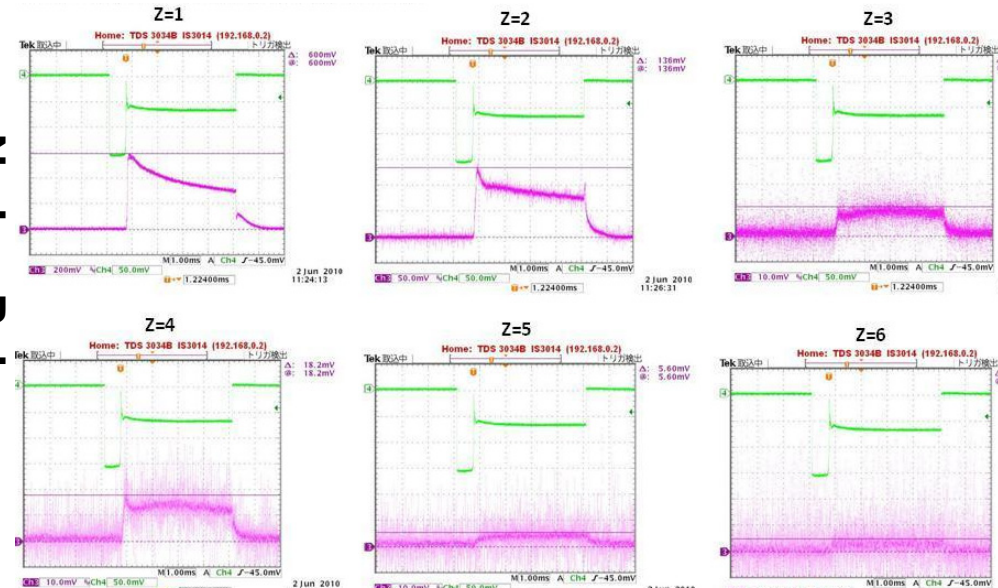
No power for guiding magnets

No cooling water

He^{2+} , N^{x+} , O^{5+} , Ne^{5+} , Ar^{5+} at early stage



Ne Ion Pulse



Einzel Lens Longitudinal Chopper (1): Idea and Device

Why we need a Chopper?

1 turn injection $< 10 \mu\text{sec}$

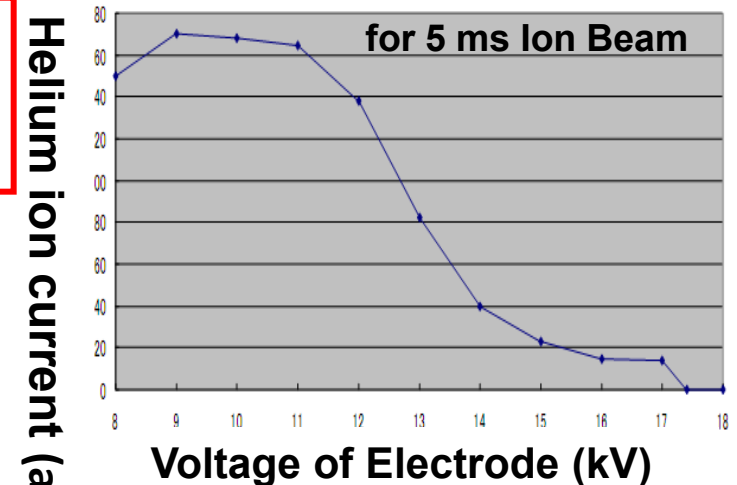
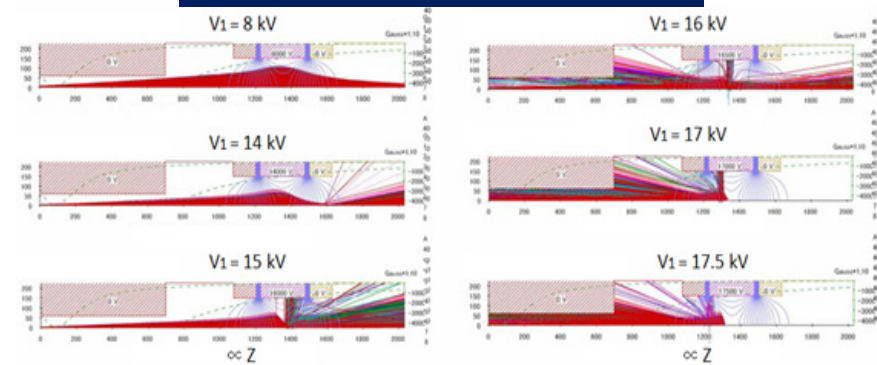
A long pulse from ECRIS $\sim 2 - 5 \text{ msec}$

What type is desired?

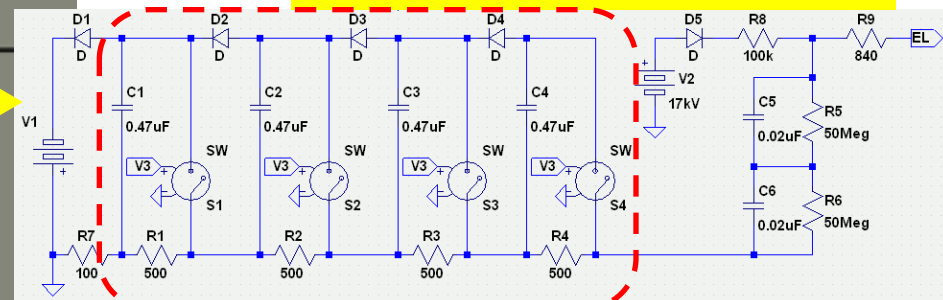
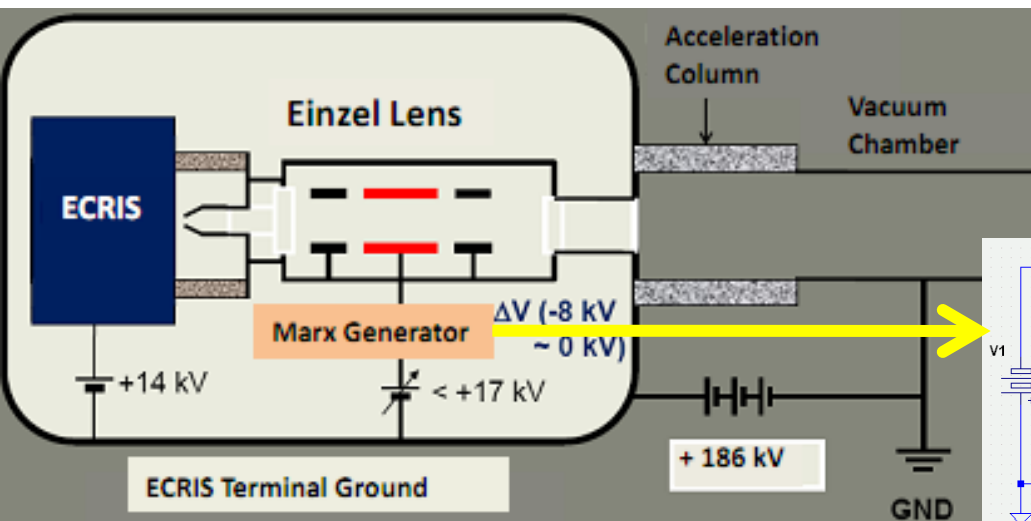
Low energy operation
Low cost

Low energy x-ray
Reduced out-gassing
Reduced secondary e^-

Longitudinal gate study

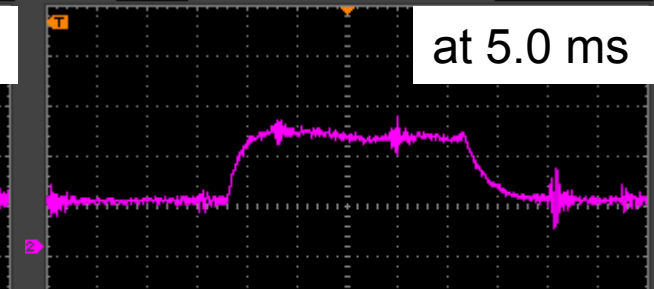
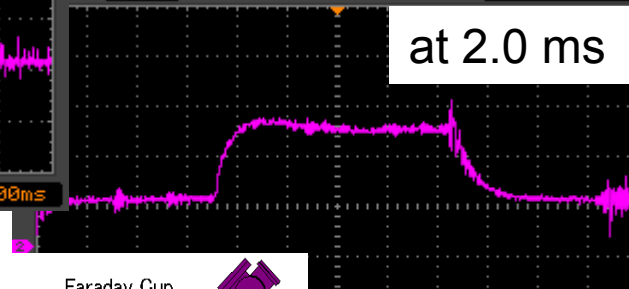
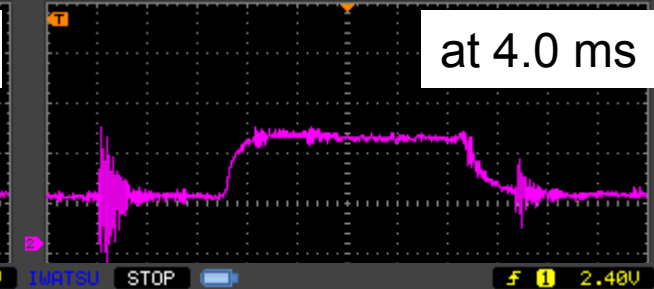
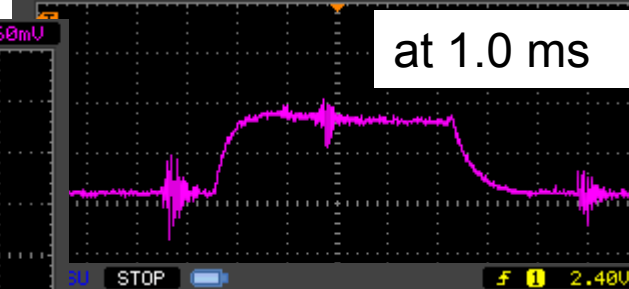
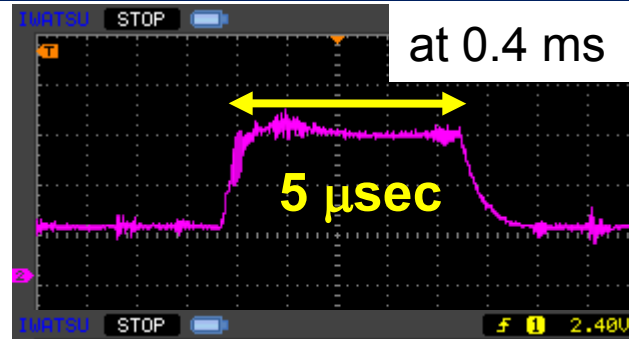
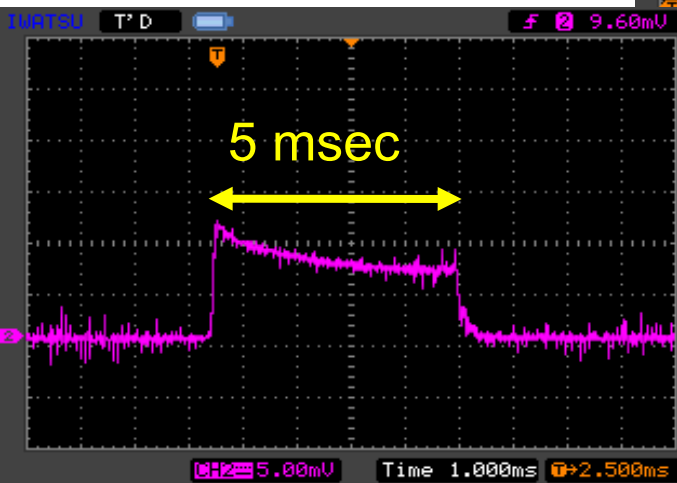


FET switch driven 4 stages
Marx generator

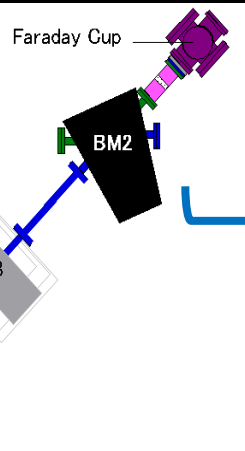


Einzel Lens Longitudinal Chopper (2): Chopping experiment

He1+ beam from ECRIS



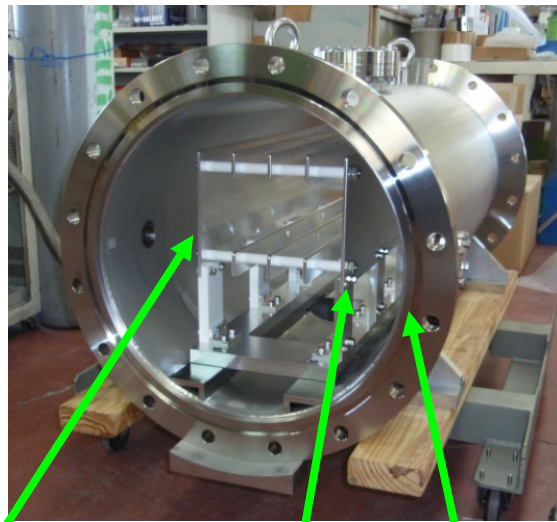
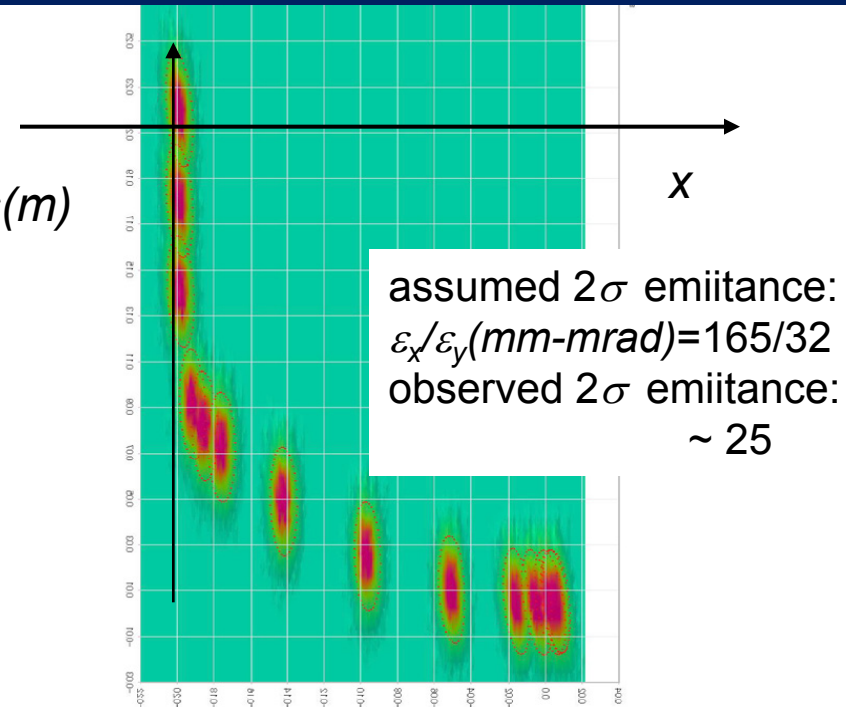
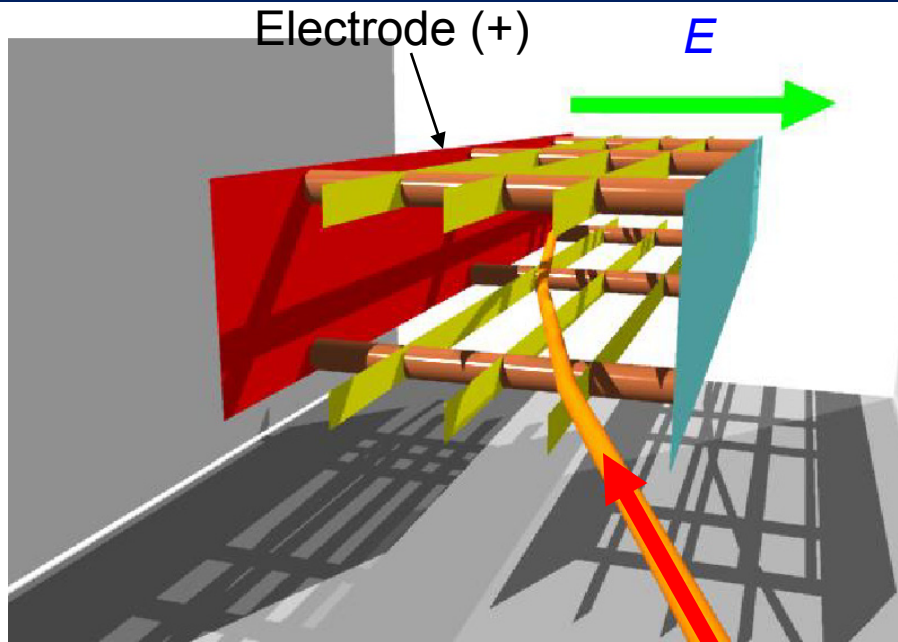
Test bench



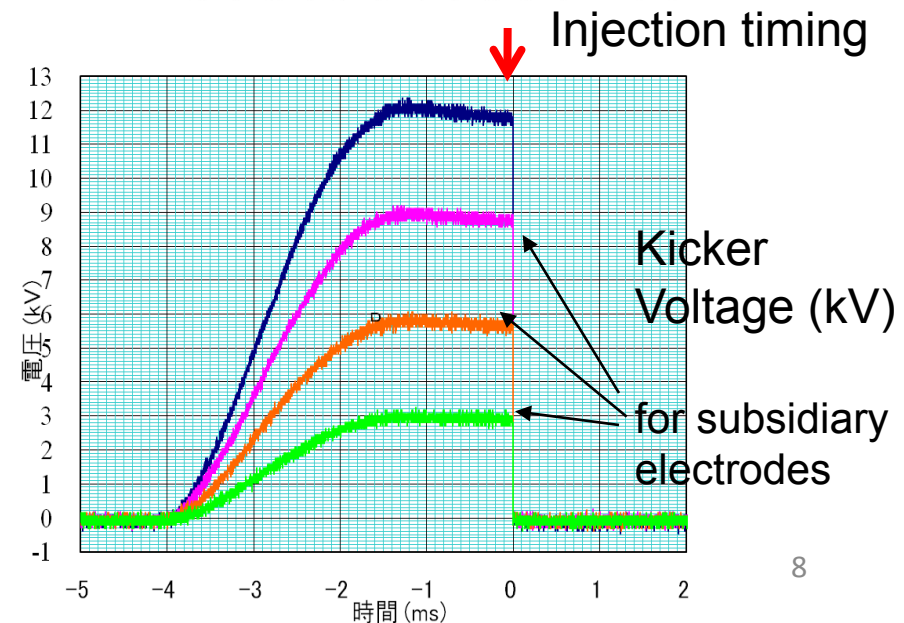
He1+ pulses chopped at different timing

T.Adachi et al., *Rev. Sci. Instr.* 82, 083305 (2011)
and in this conference, TUPC096

Electrostatic Injection Kicker

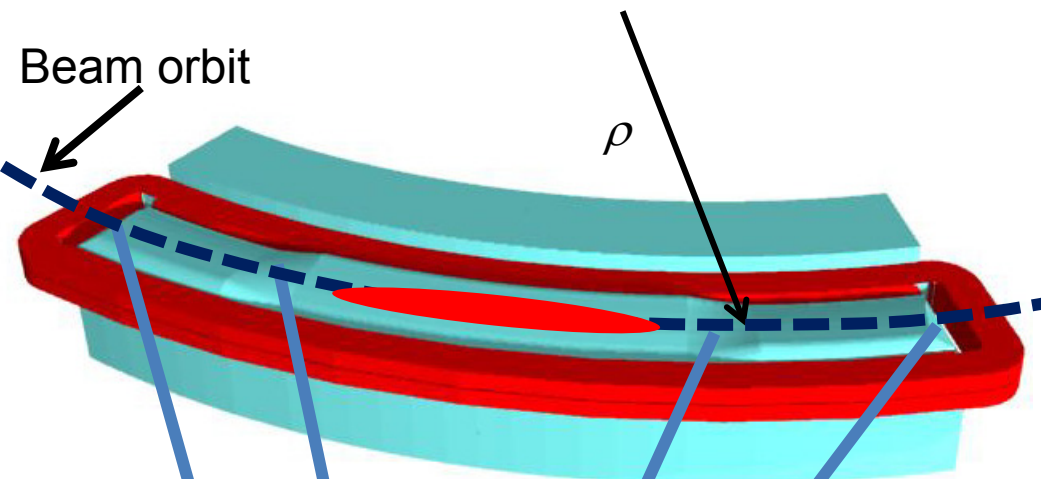


Injected Beam



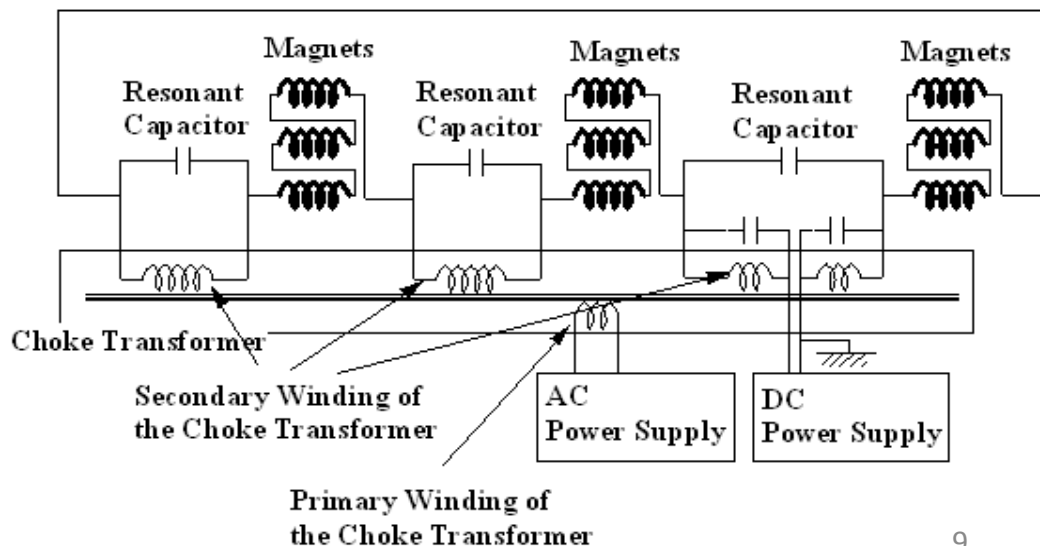
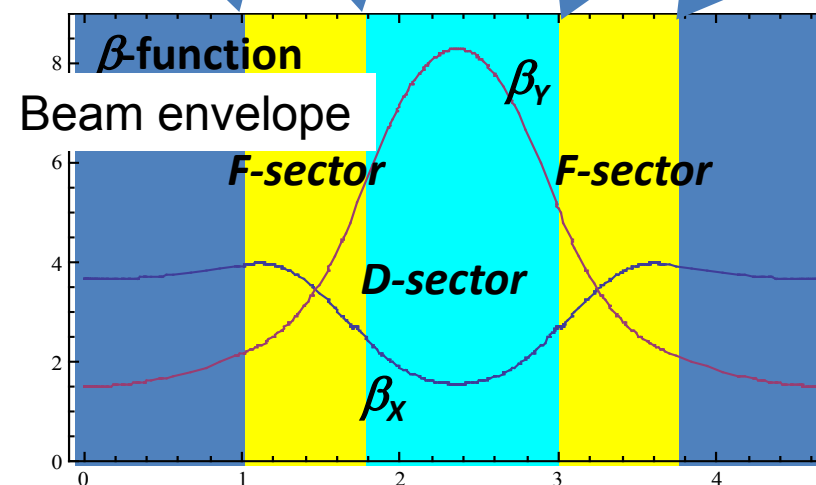
DA Ring Machine & Beam Parameters

Combined-function type magnet (lower half)

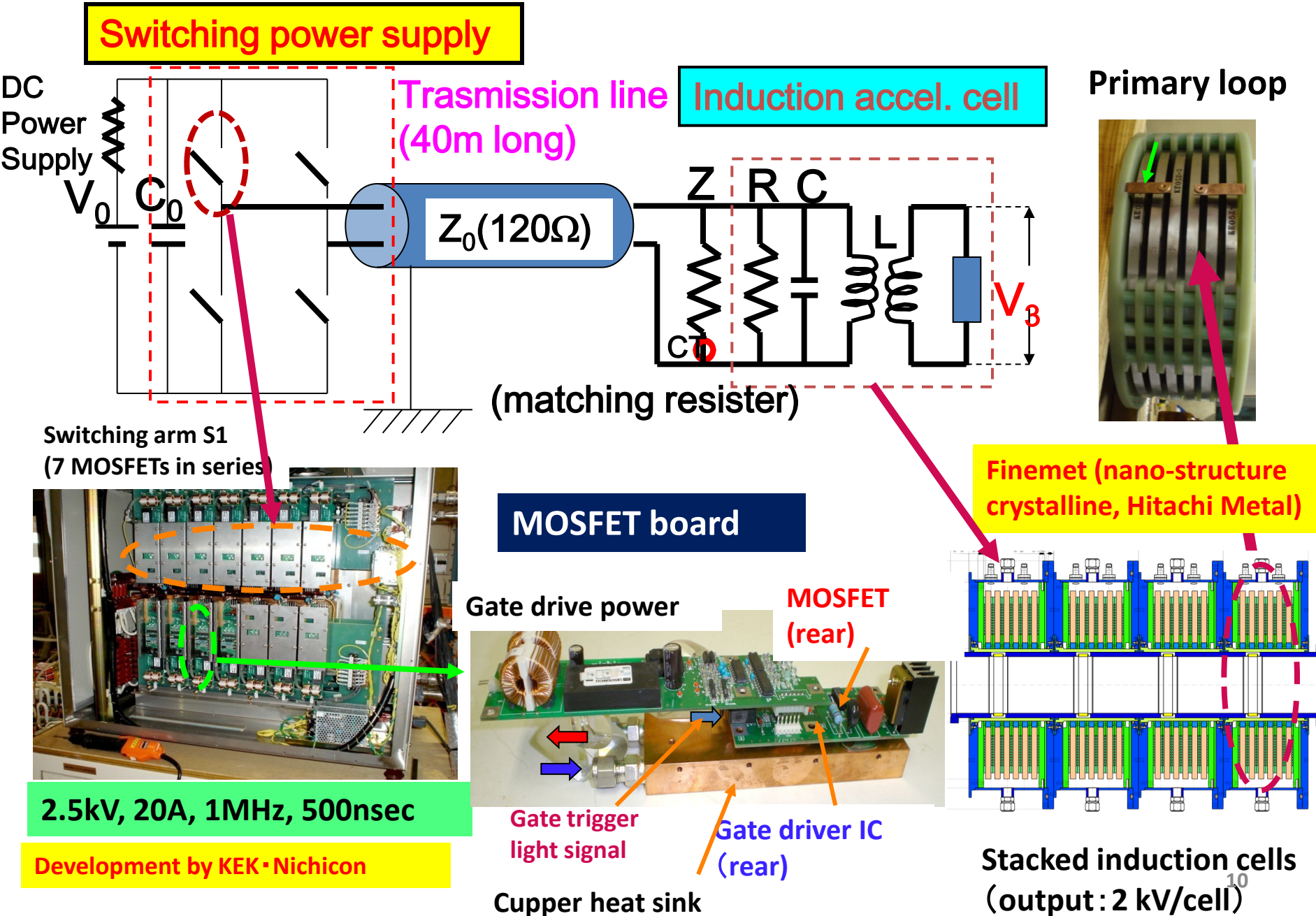


Bending radius	ρ	3.3 m
Ring circumference	C_0	37.7 m
Maximum flux density	B_{max}	0.84 T (1.1 T)
Accele. voltage/turn	V	3.24 kV
Repetition rate	f	10 Hz
Betatron tune	ν_x/ν_y	2.1/2.3

Resonant LCR Circuit Power Supply

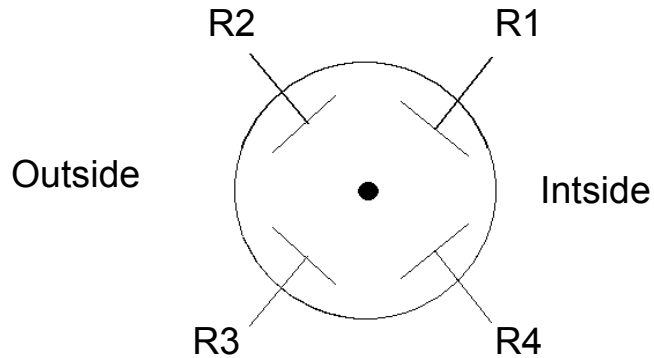


Equivalent Circuit of Induction Acceleration System and Individual Instruments



Beam Commissioning (1): Injection Optics

ES Position Monitor



$$R_+ = R2 + R3, R_- = R1 + R4$$

$$Z_+ = R1 + R2, Z_- = R3 + R4$$

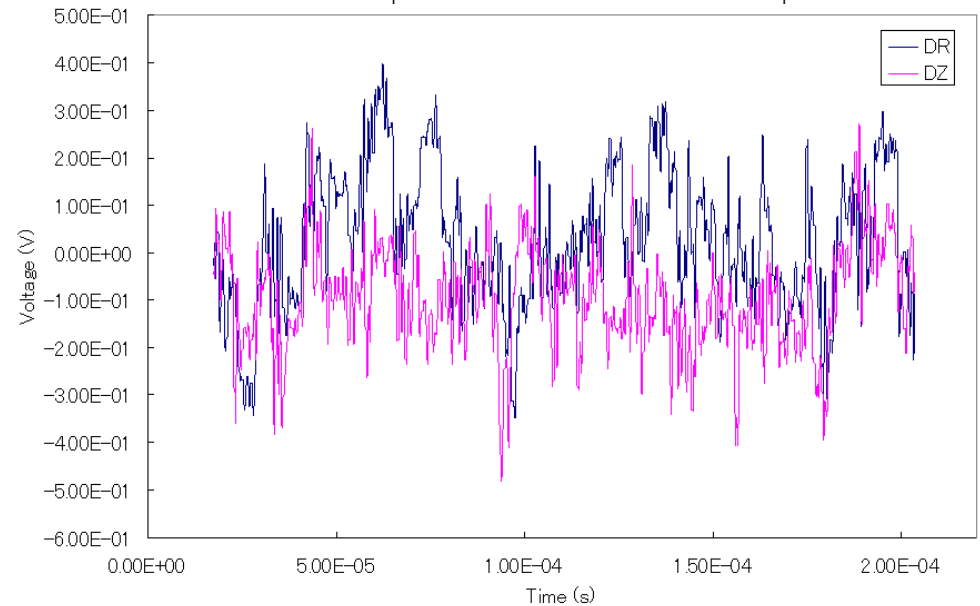
FFT analysis

Betatron
tunes

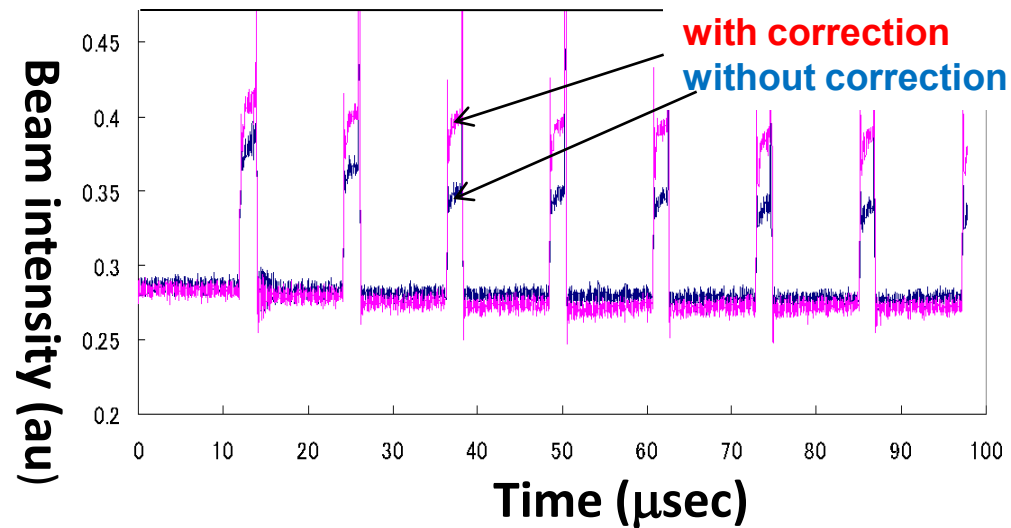
$$Q_x = 2.19 \text{ (design 2.17)}$$

$$Q_y = 2.30 \text{ (design 2.30)}$$

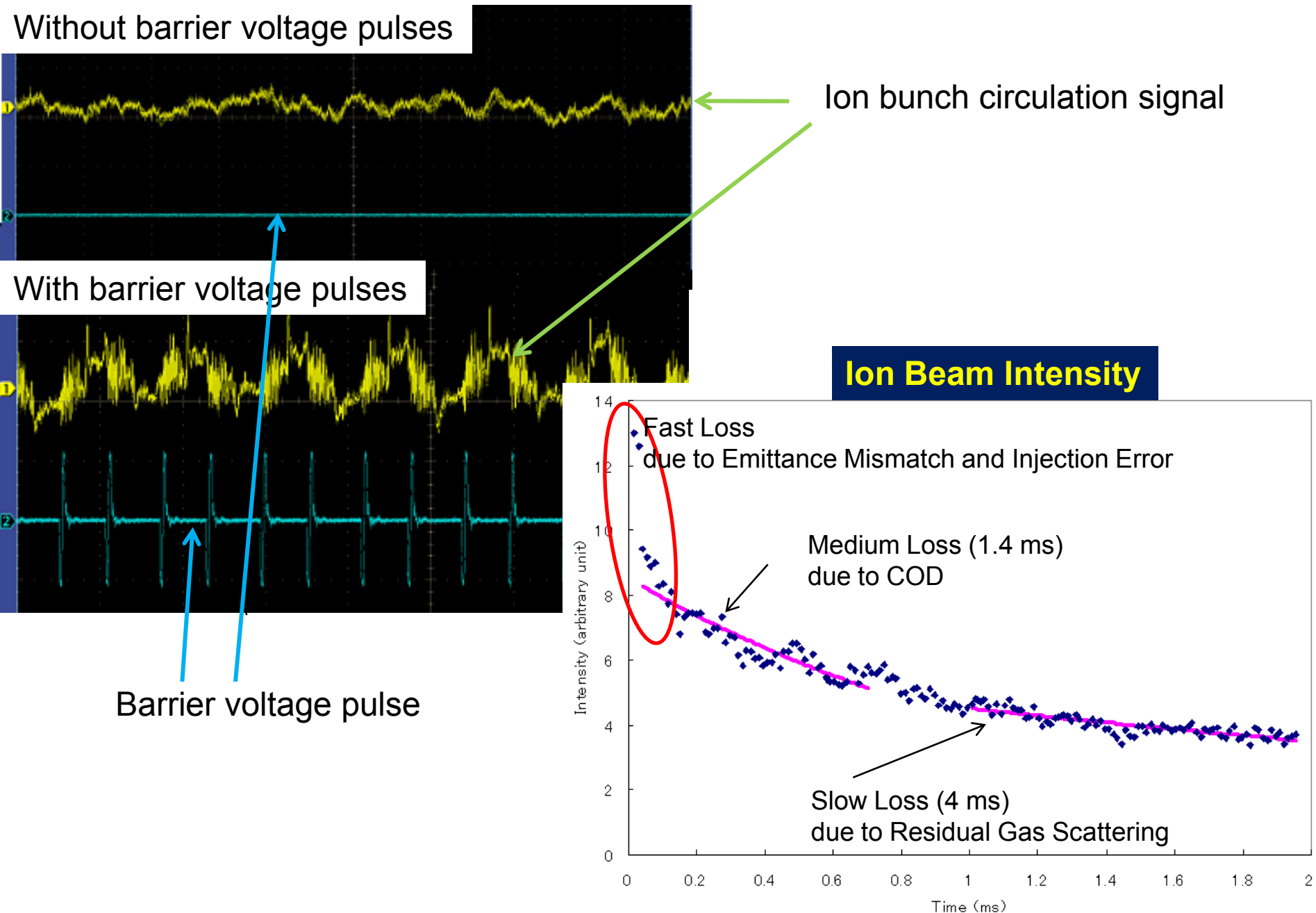
$$\Delta R = \frac{R_+ - R_-}{R_+ + R_-}, \quad \Delta Z = \frac{Z_+ - Z_-}{Z_+ + Z_-}$$



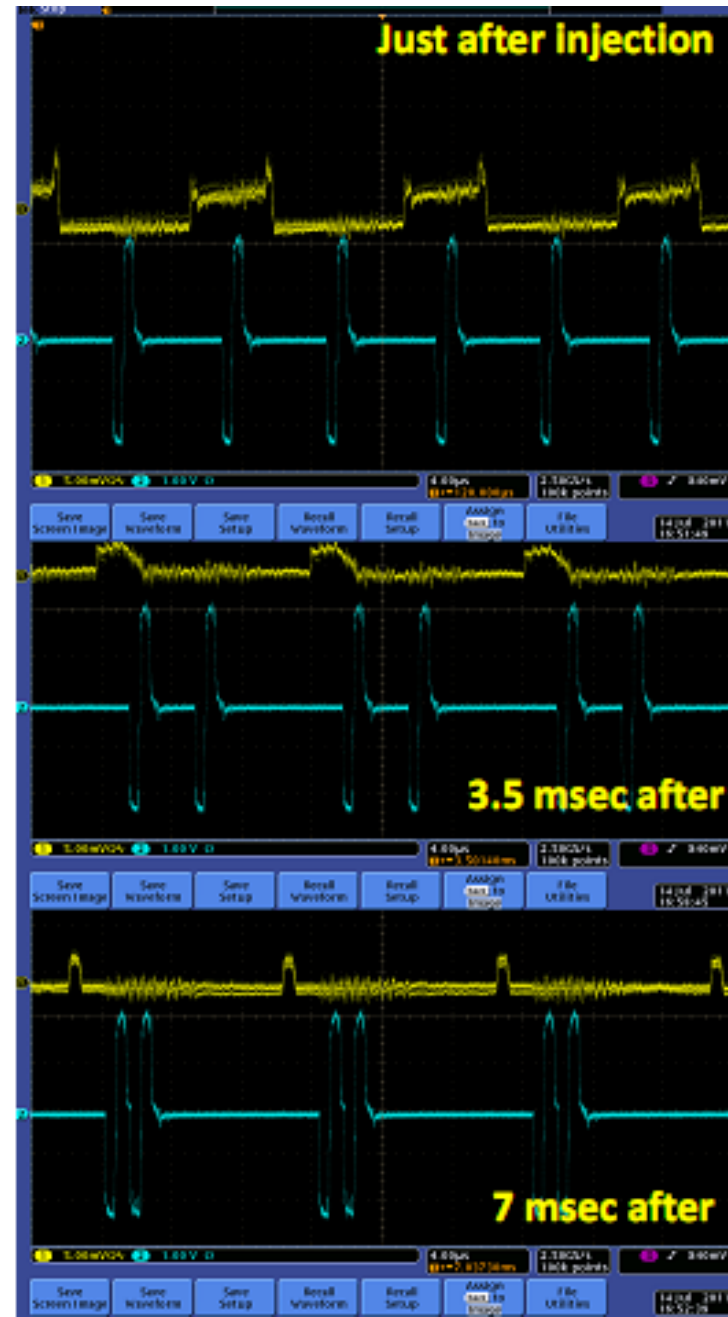
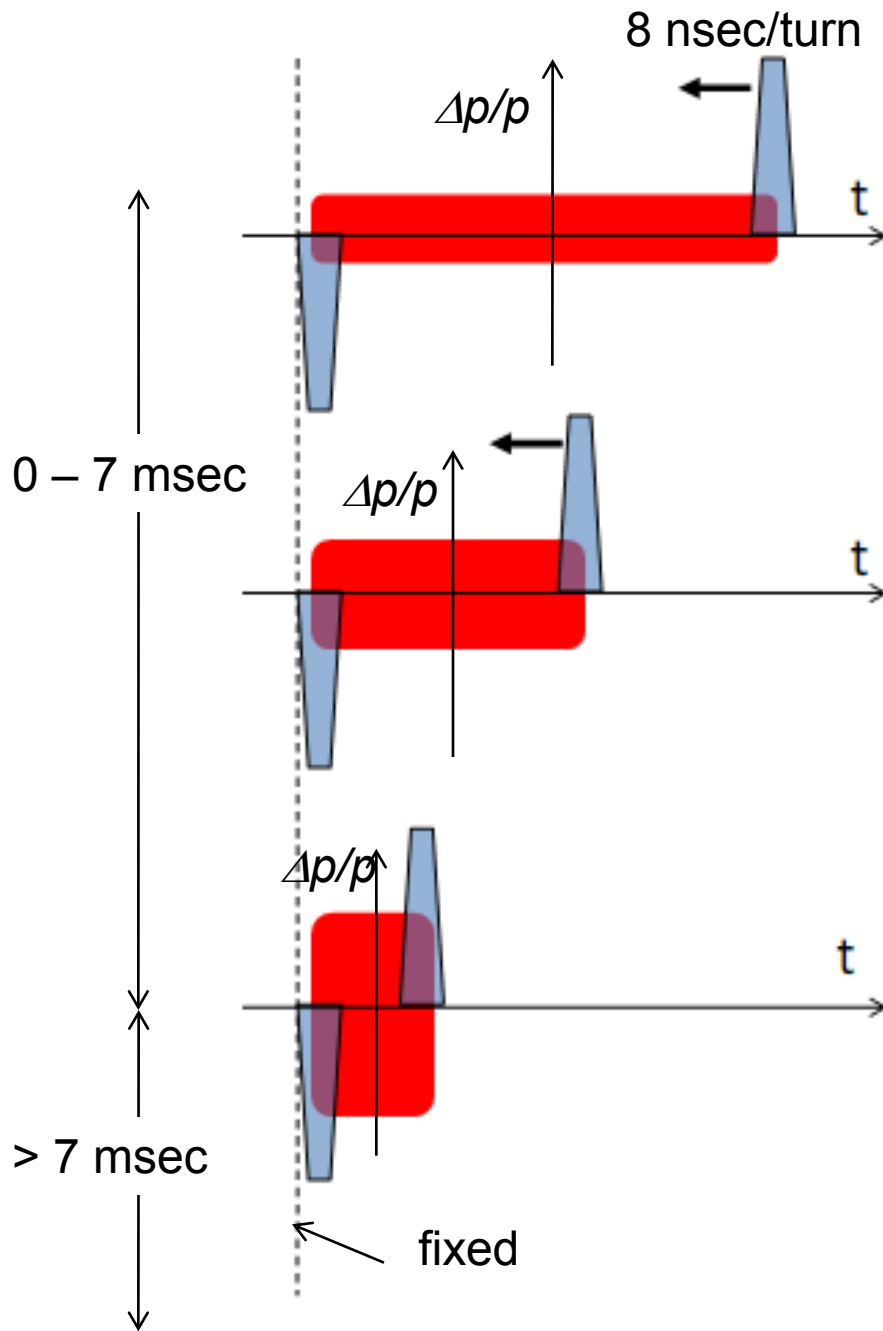
After injection error correction



Beam Commissioning (2): Barrier Bucket Trapping and Life-time

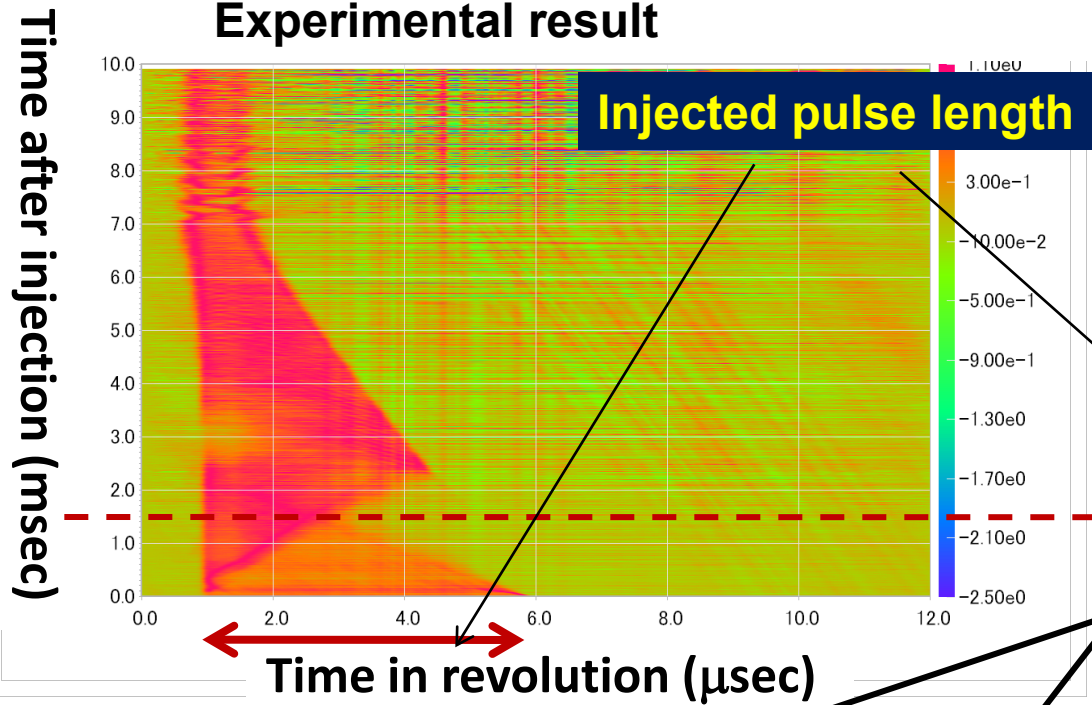


Beam Commissioning (3): Bunch Squeezing Experiment

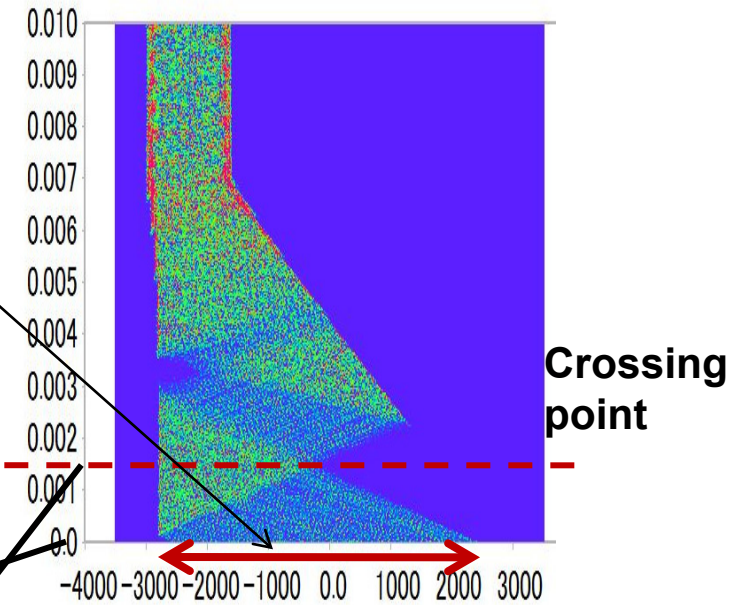


Beam Commissioning (4): Mountain View of longitudinal distribution

Experimental result



Simulation result



at 0 msec (injection)

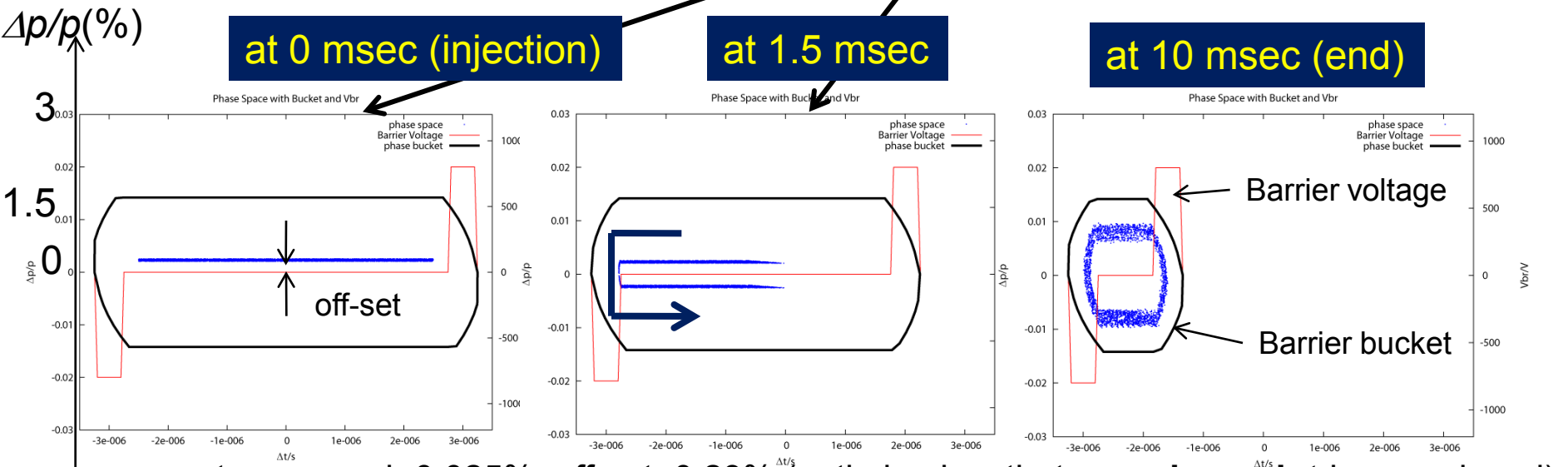
at 1.5 msec

at 10 msec (end)

Phase Space with Bucket and Vbr

Phase Space with Bucket and Vbr

Phase Space with Bucket and Vbr



Induction Acceleration Scenario

Technical Capability of Induction Acceleration Cell

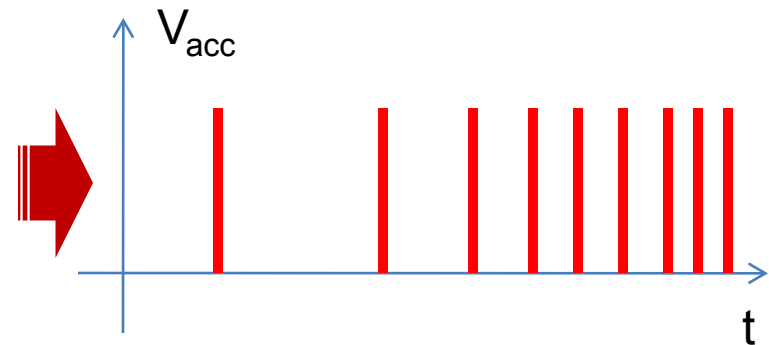
Fixed output voltage $\sim 1 - 2 \text{ kV/cell}$

Maximum pulse length $\sim 0.5 - 2 \mu\text{sec/pulse}$

Maximum rep-rate $\sim 1 \text{ MHz}$

(If magnet ramping is slow)

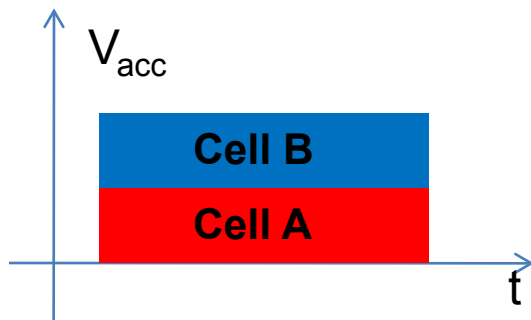
1) Pulse density control



When requirement exceeds its capability,

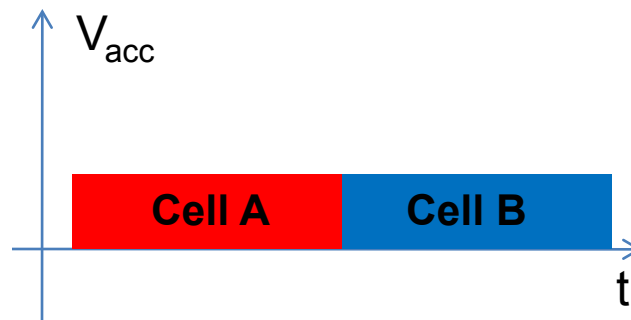
(If larger acceleration voltage is required)

2) Superimpose of pulses in time



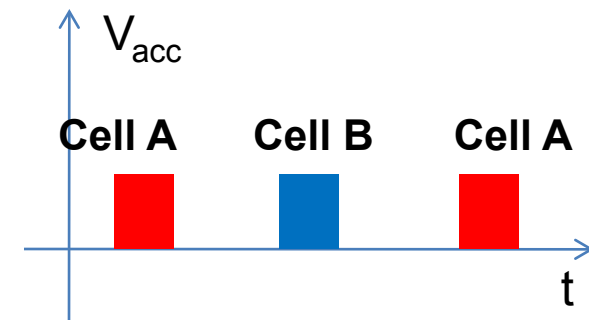
(If longer pulse width is required)

3) Sequential trigger in time

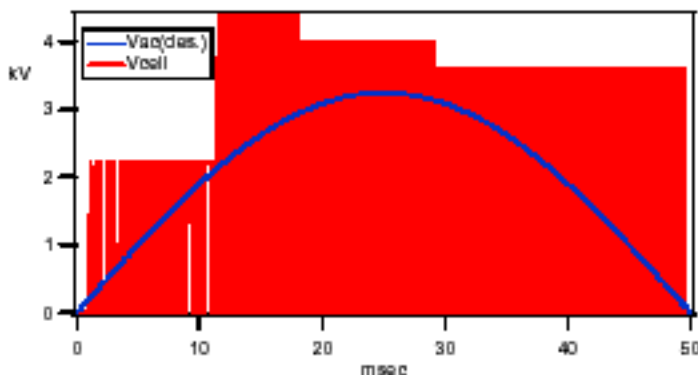
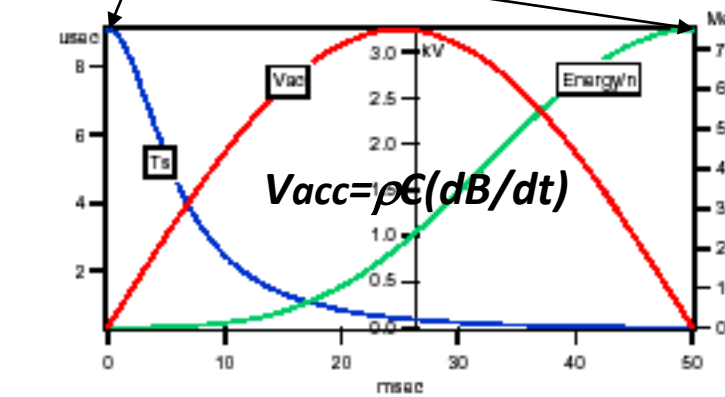
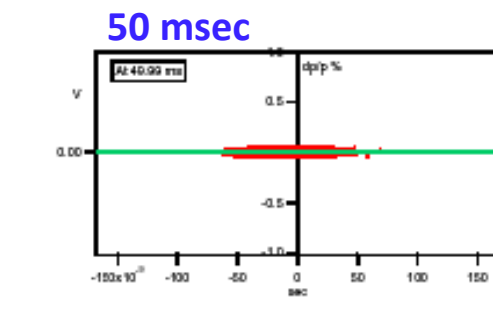
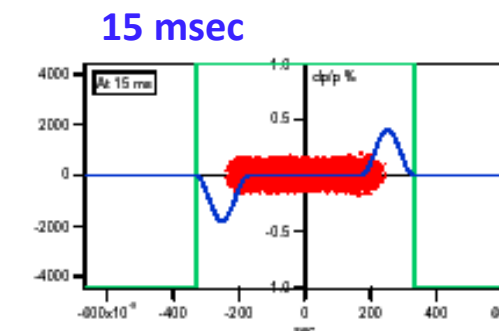
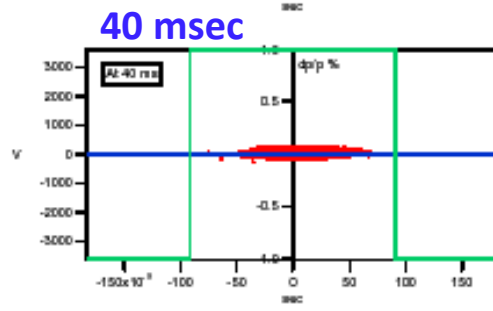
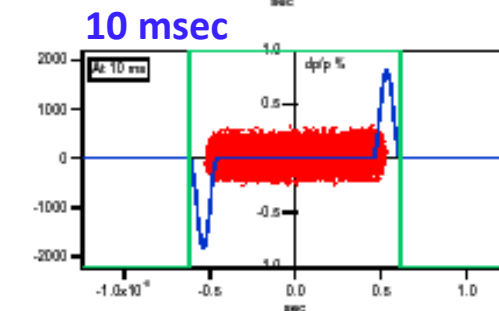
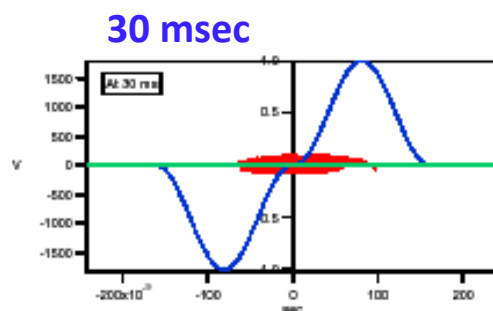
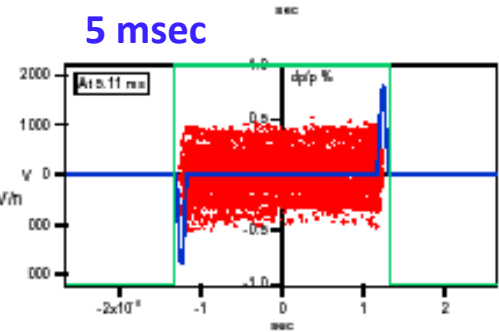
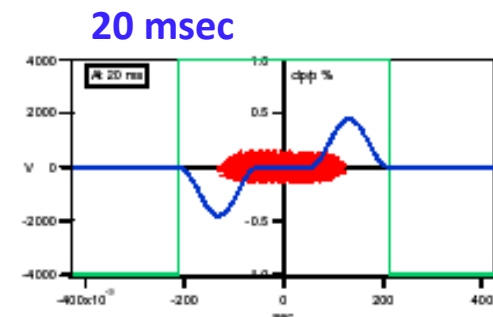
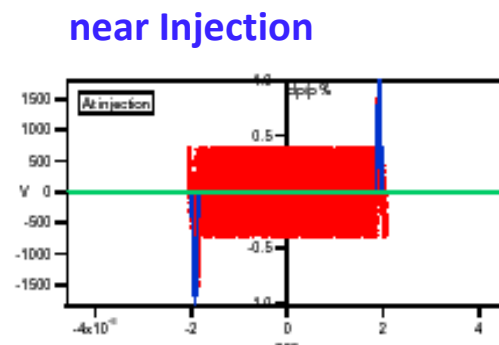
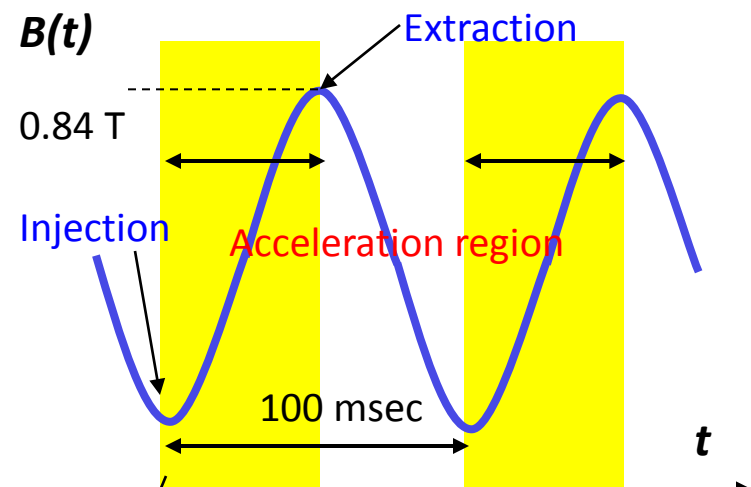


(If higher rep-rate is required)

4) Intermittent operation



Scenario of induction acceleration/capture of He²⁺ and C⁶⁺



Summary and Next Step

Key devices newly developed for the KEK-DA have been confirmed to work in the desired manner.

- **Permanent magnet ECRIS** operated in the pulse mode.
- **Einzel lens longitudinal chopper** was demonstrated for the first time.
- **Electrostatic injection kicker** worked with sufficient performance.
- **Induction acceleration system** operated in the rapid cycle synchrotron mode

Beam commissioning started in early June.

- **Basic machine properties such as Tune, COD, or Injection errors** have been evaluated.
- **Barrier bucket beam handling** has been examined.
- Induction acceleration study will be started after summer shutdown.
(Test acceleration was officially approved in the mid-July.)

Next step: Heavy ion beams from the KEK-DA will be delivered to Applications “Laboratory Space Science using Virtual Cosmic Rays” from this winter.

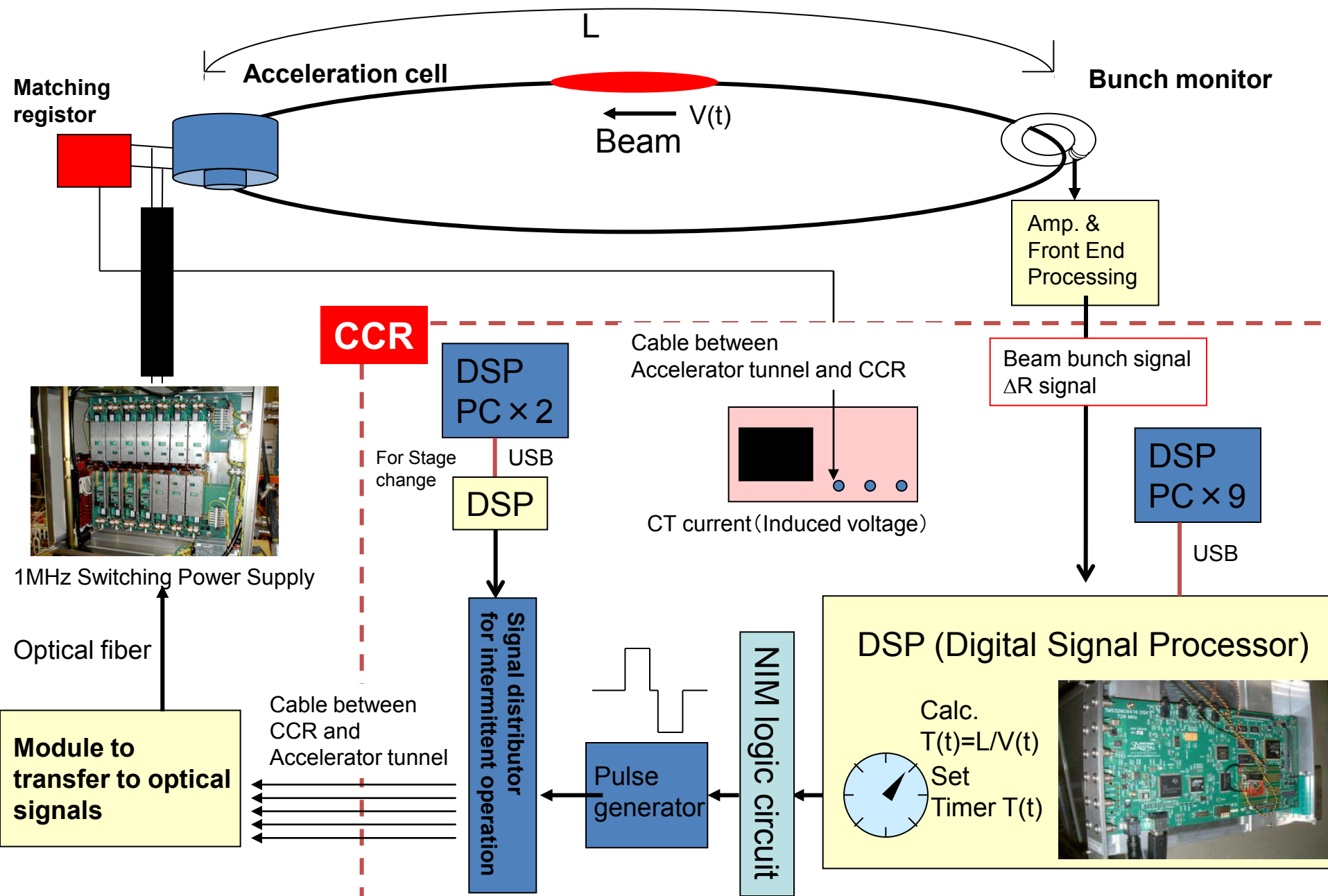
- **Astrobiology:** manifest a role of cosmic ray on production of life in space
- **Space Electronics:** study on cosmic ray damages on LSI devices for deep solar-system explore missions
development of cosmic-ray-resist electronics system

Thank you for Your Attentions

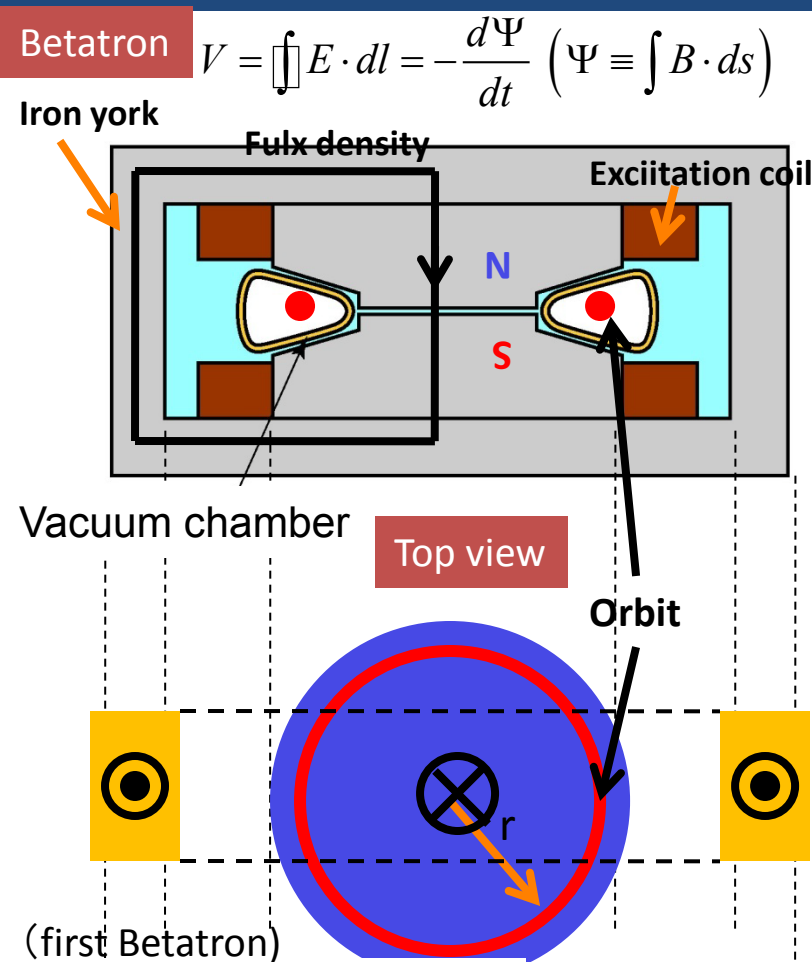
Other Papers related to the KEK Digital Accelerator

TUPC096	Solid-state Marx Generator driven Einzel Lens Chopper
WEPS075	Induction Sector Cyclotron for Cluster Ions
THP0027	Novel Switching Power Supply Utilizing SiC-JFET and Its Potential for the Digital Accelerator

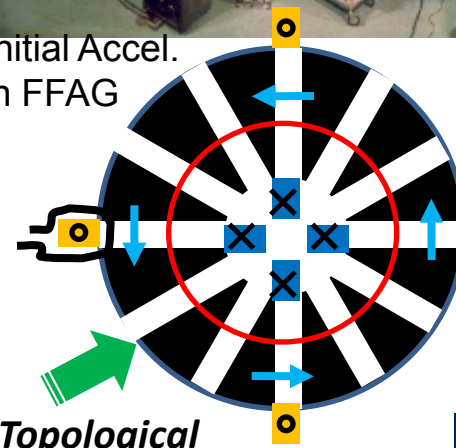
Control of Induction Acceleration System



From Betatron to Induction Synchrotron / Cyclotron



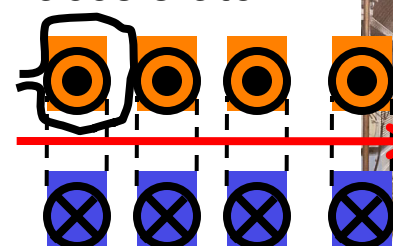
Initial Accel.
in FFAG



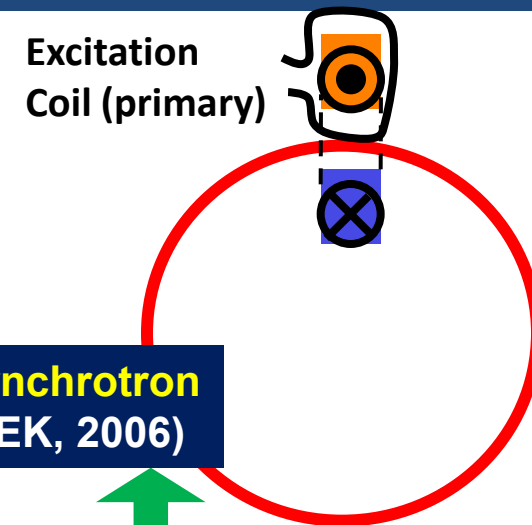
Topological
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$f < 1 \text{ Hz}$
(burst $\sim 1 \text{ kHz}$)

Linear induction
accelerator

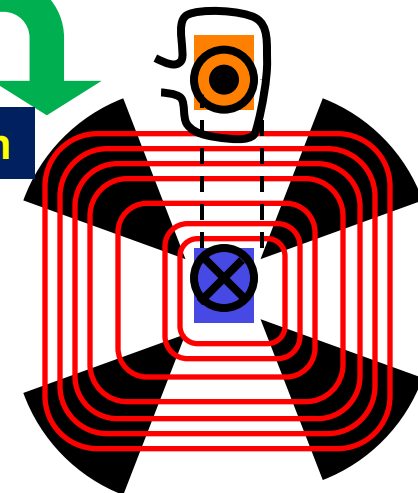


10kA, 50-MeV
ATA (LLNL, 1983)



$f < 1 - 3 \text{ MHz}$

Cyclotron



for more history

K.Takayama and R.Briggs (Eds.)
"Induction Accelerators"
(Springer, 2010 October)

