



Simulating Hard-Xray beamlines by ray-tracing using ShadowOui

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- **Introduction to ray tracing**
- **Sources**
- **Optics for Hard X-rays**
- **Examples**

THEORY MODEL

MAXWELL



WAVE

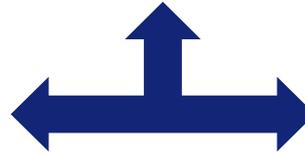


HELMHOLTZ

WAVE OPTICS

FRESNEL-KIRCHHOFF
...
FOURIER OPTICS

FULLY COHERENT OPTICS
e.g. SRW



\vec{E}

GEOMETRICAL OPTICS
 $\lambda \rightarrow 0$

$$\vec{E} = \vec{e} e^{ik_0 S(r)}$$

$$\vec{H} = \vec{h} e^{ik_0 S(r)}$$

$$(\nabla S)^2 = n^2$$

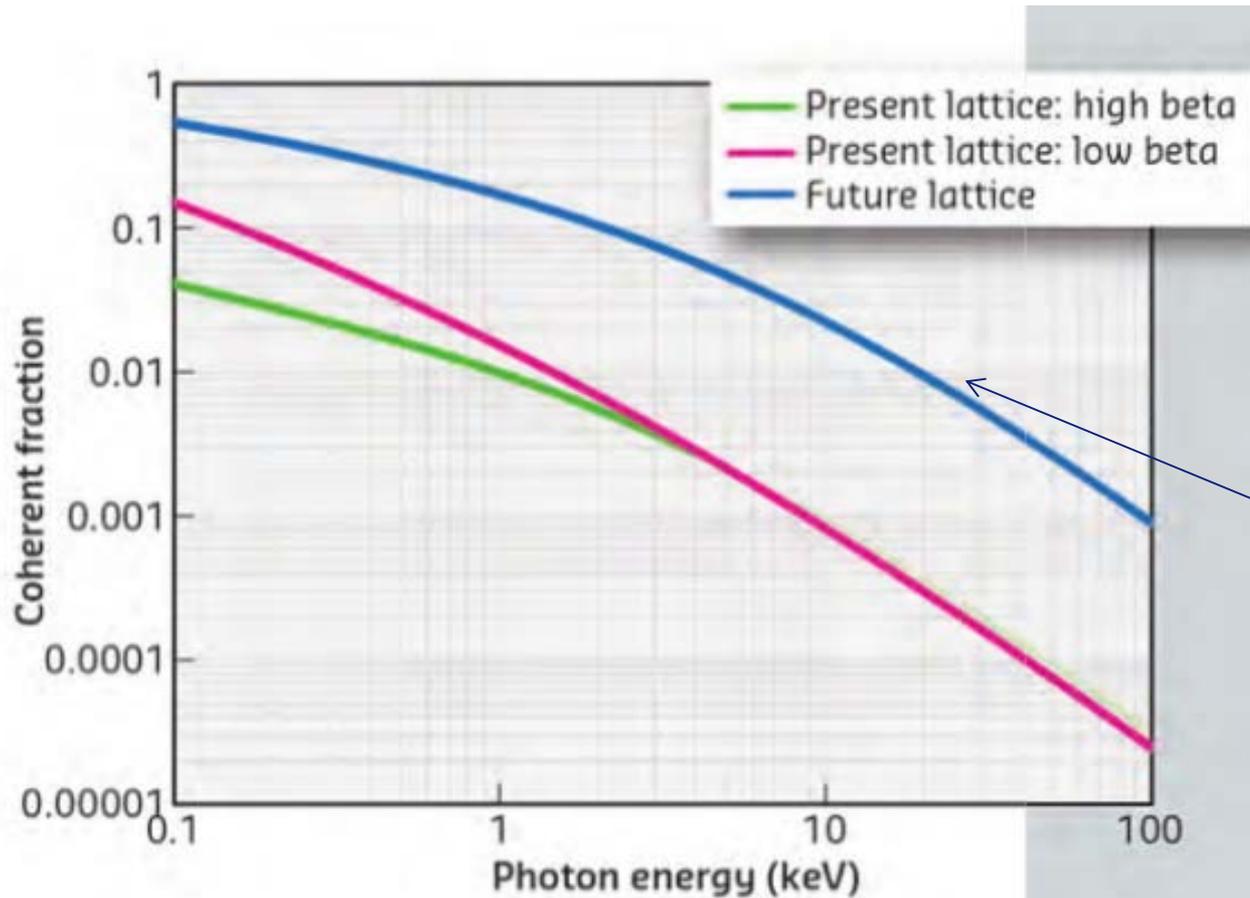
$$\nabla S = n \vec{s}$$

$$\frac{d}{ds} \left(n \frac{d\vec{r}}{ds} \right) = \nabla n$$

$$\nabla n = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{d\vec{r}}{ds} = 0 \Rightarrow \vec{r} = s\vec{a} + \vec{b}$$

Very simple solution: we can sample the beam in many rays

FULLY INCOHERENT
e.g. SHADOW3



Even with the new source, at 20 keV the emission is 99% incoherent =>

Optics simulations for incoherent beams cannot be neglected!!

Figure 4.01: Comparison of the variation of the coherent fraction of X-ray emission with energy for the current insertion devices (low- β and high- β source points) and the proposed source.

FULLY INCOHERENT



The HYBRID model:
apply concepts of wave optics to
correct results of geometrical optics

PARTIAL COHERENCE

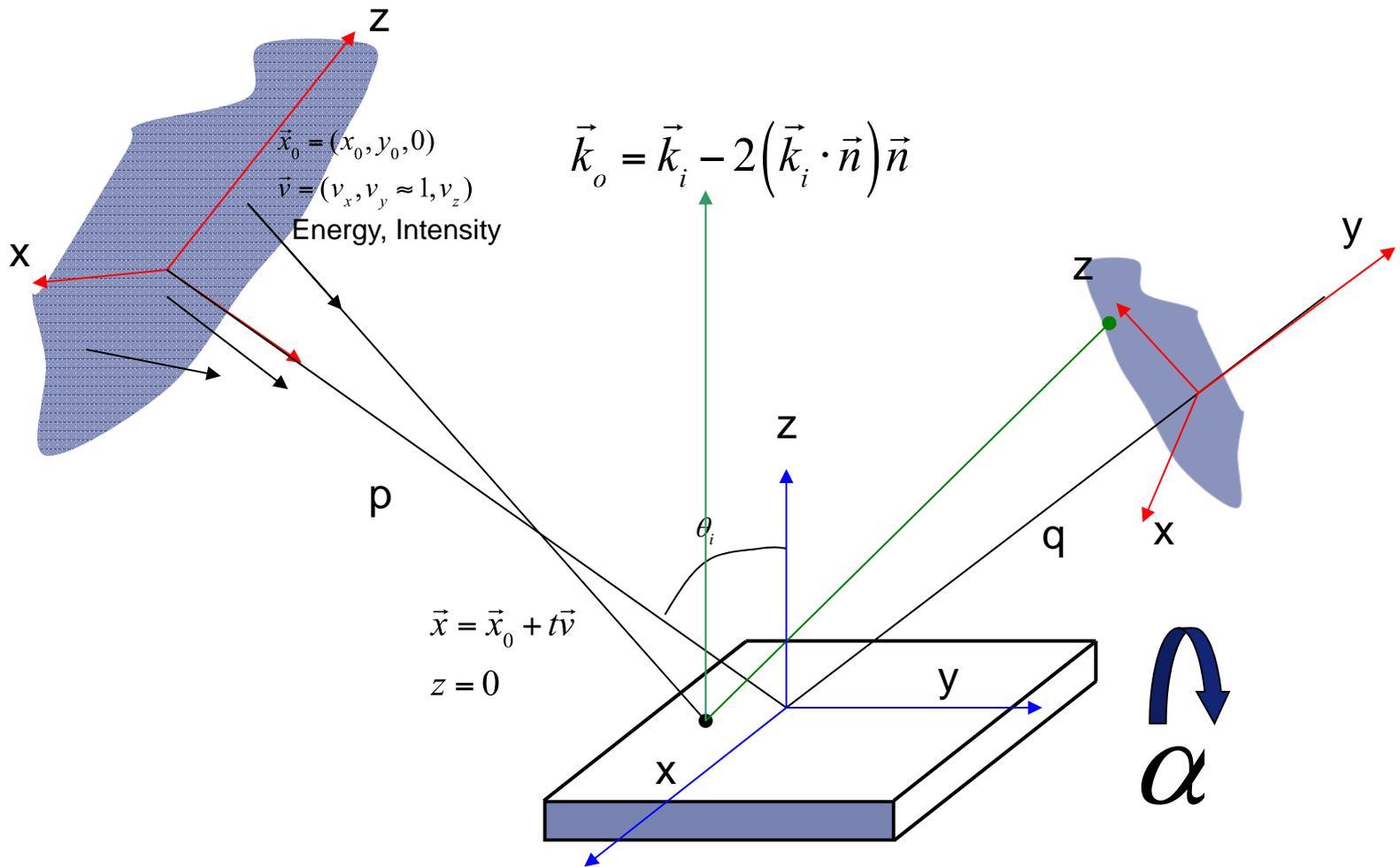
- Combination of many waves
- Treated in a statistical way
- Full theory exists (Mandel & Wolf)
- Analytical model for Gaussian Beams

FULLY COHERENT



The multi e- model:
We know how to calculate and
propagate a coherent wavefront
(emitted by a single electron), so let
the computer repeat it N times

Trace (the beamline)



RAY-TRACING ENGINE

SHADOW3

<https://github.com/srio/shadow3>



GUI AND DATA-FLUX ENGINE



<http://orange.biolab.si>



COMBINING POWERFUL TOOLS TOGETHER

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GOAL: VIRTUAL EXPERIMENTS – SOFTWARE INTEGRATION

Beamline Experiment Chain

Storage Ring
(e^- optics)



Radiation devices
($e^- \rightarrow \gamma$)



Beamline
(γ optics)



Sample
(γ –matter interactions)

OASYS

ShadowOui

shadow3

XPD

hybrid

dabam

XOPPY

At-Collab?

SRW?

WISE

XRS

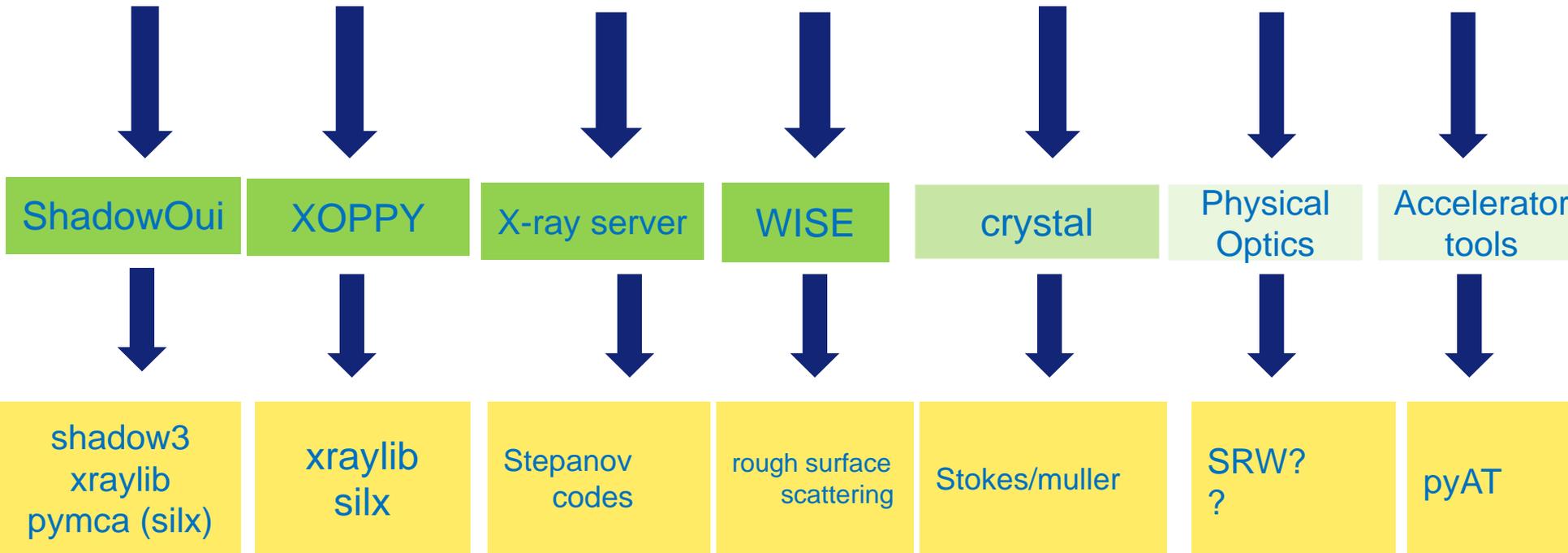
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Graphical environment for optics (and more) simulations

- Python-based
- Module add-ons
- Packages that communicate



X-ray tubes

Radioactive sources / Excitation by radioactive decay

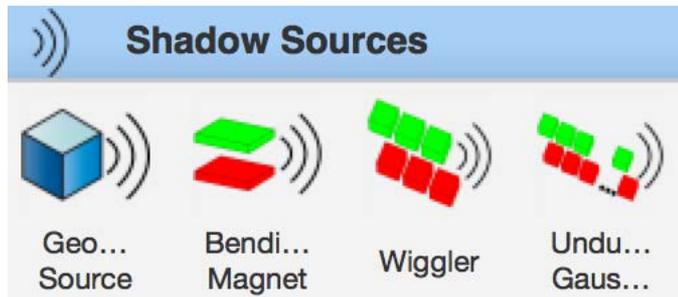
Synchrotron Bending Magnets

Synchrotron insertion devices (wigglers and undulators)

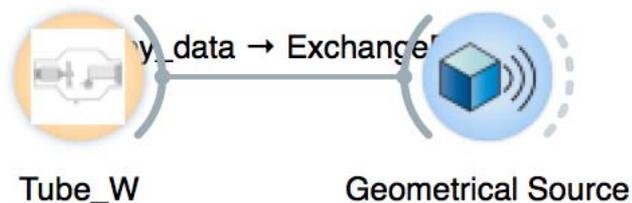
X-ray lasers

Others: Inverse Compton, Channelling

Pulsars/Quasars/Black holes etc.

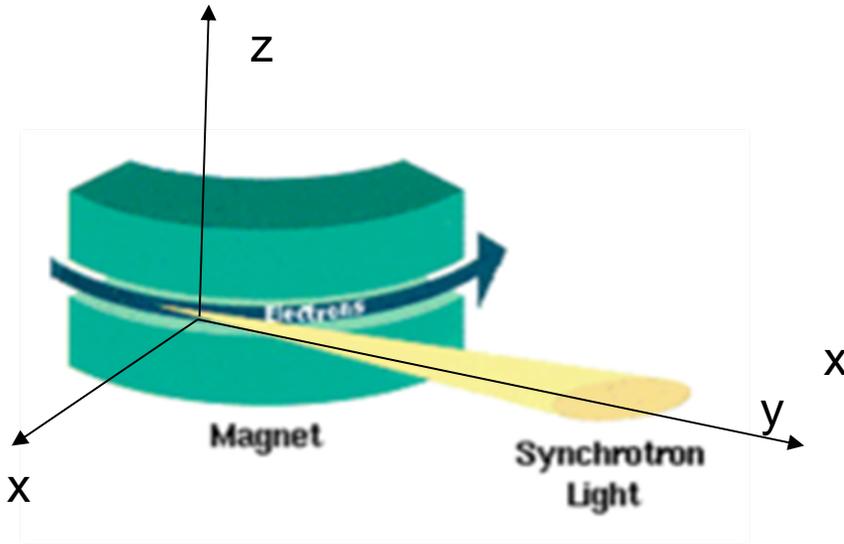


ShadowOui has tools to simulate synchrotron sources.

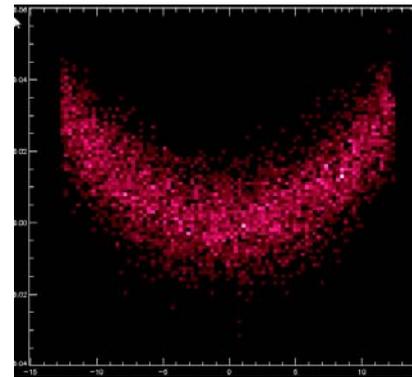


In addition a “Geometrical Source” can be used to approximate any source.

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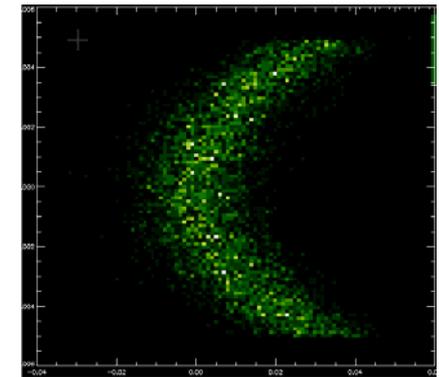


Real Space (top)



y

Phase Space (H)



x

Monte Carlo (SHADOW)

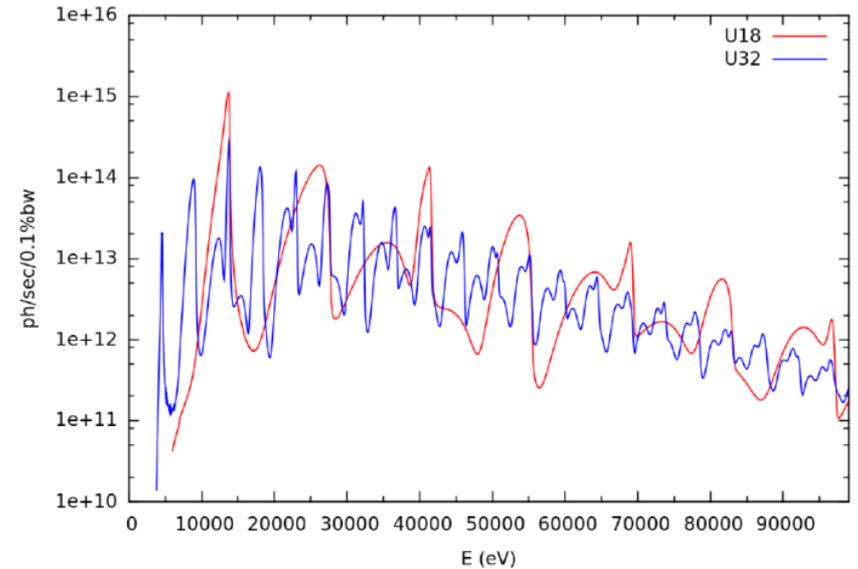
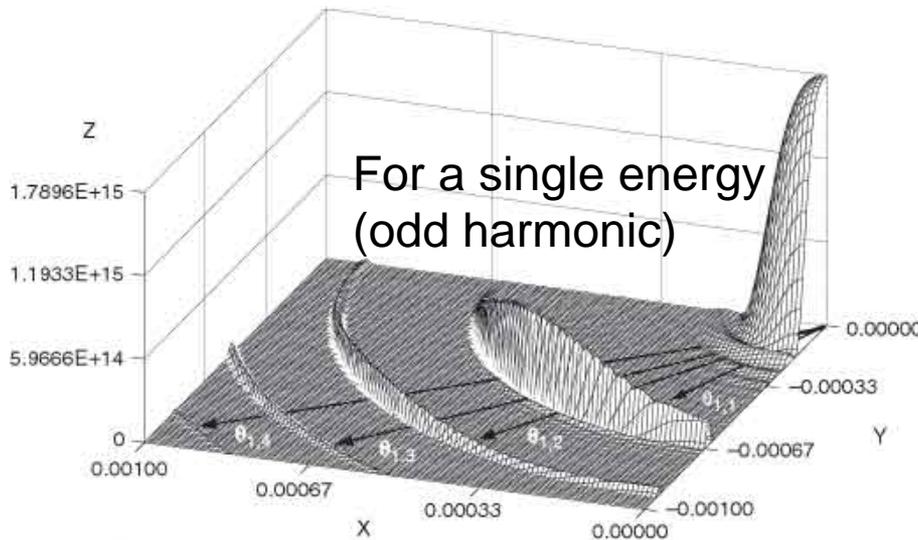
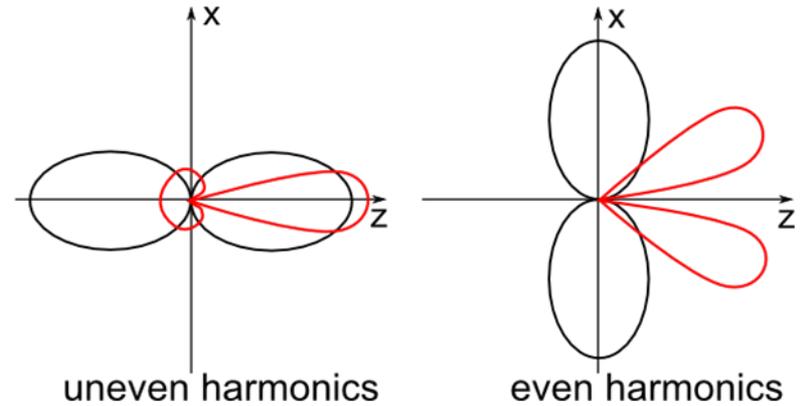
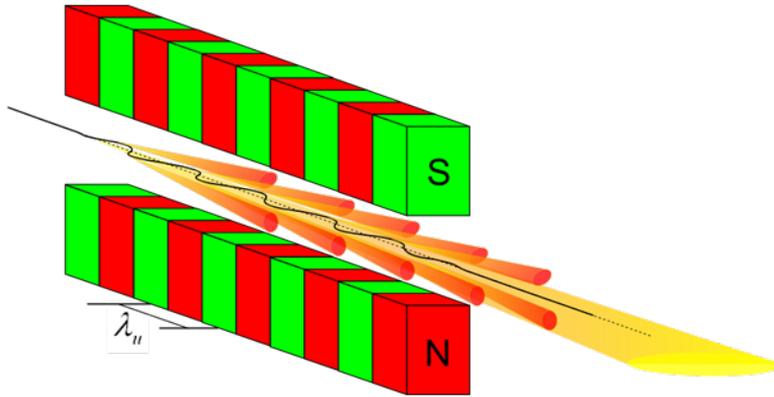
Energy (and polarisation) sampled from spectrum

Geometry (along the arc,)

Angular Distribution for one electron

Convolution with electron beam ($\sigma_x, \sigma_z, \sigma'_x, \sigma'_z$)

UNDULATOR: MUCH MORE COMPLEX: 1E- EMISSION INTERFERS WITH ITSELF



Undulator

The FULL undulator is not yet available in ShadowOui, but it will be there very soon!

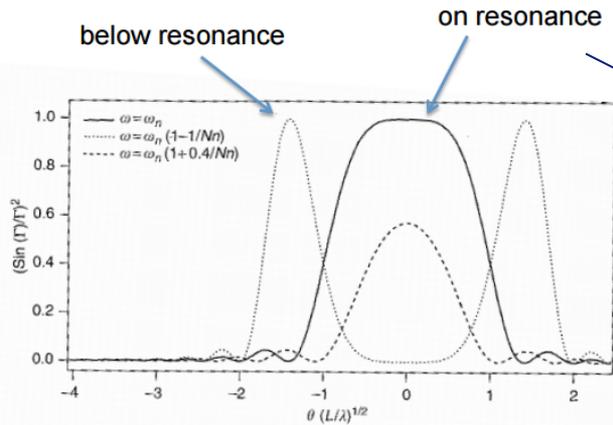


Figure 3.3 Graph of $(\sin(\Gamma)/\Gamma)^2$ as a function of the angle $\theta = \sqrt{\theta_x^2 + \theta_z^2}$ for three different frequencies. ω_n is an abbreviation for $n\omega_1(0, 0)$.

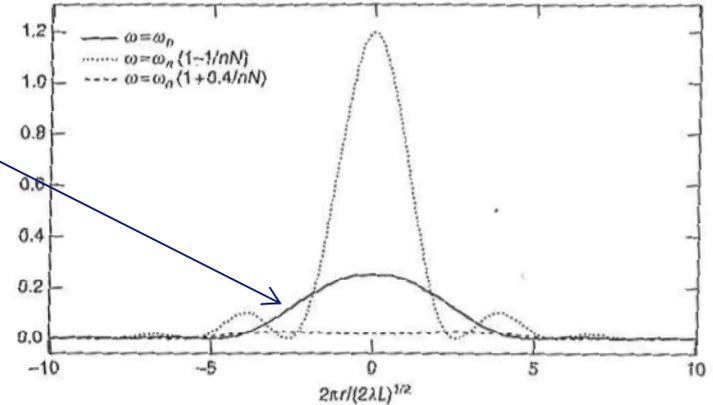


Figure 3.4 Spectral flux per unit surface in the middle of the undulator for three frequencies close to the on-axis resonant frequency $\omega_n = n\omega_1(\theta, 0)$.

Even on resonance, beam is not fully Gaussian
But for resonance, can be reasonably approximated as Gaussian

$$\sigma_{r',photon} = 0.69 \sqrt{\frac{\lambda}{L}}$$

$$\sigma_{r,photon} = \frac{2.704}{4\pi} \sqrt{\lambda L}$$

$$\Sigma_x^2 = \sigma_{x,elec}^2 + \sigma_{x,photon}^2$$

$$\Sigma_z^2 = \sigma_{z,elec}^2 + \sigma_{z,photon}^2$$

$$\Sigma_{x'}^2 = \sigma_{x',elec}^2 + \sigma_{x',photon}^2$$

$$\Sigma_{z'}^2 = \sigma_{z',elec}^2 + \sigma_{z',photon}^2$$



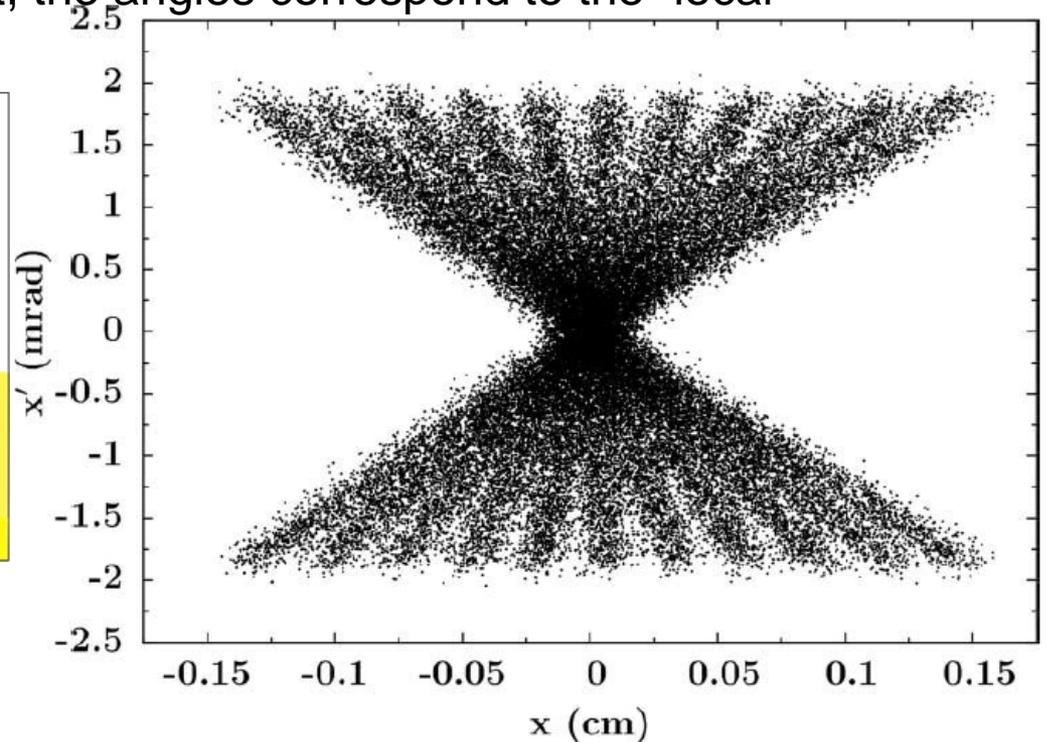
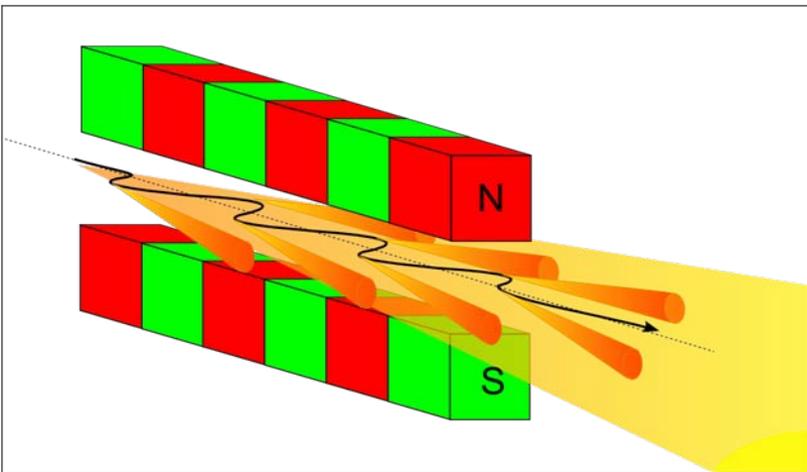
•THESE FORMULAS ARE VALID AT THE WAIST, AT THE UNDULATOR RESONANCE, AND SUPOSSING GAUSSIAN EMISSION OF PHOTONS)

•BY NOW IN ShadowOui WE APPROXIMATE UNDULATORS BY GEOMETRIC SOURCES WITH GAUSSIAN SIZES AND DIVERGENCES

WIGGLER: LIKE BM, BUT A BIT MORE COMPLEX

From magnetic field to trajectory, then:

- Photons emitted with axis tangent to the trajectory
- More photons where higher curvature
- At the emission point, the angles correspond to the “local” bending magnet



Wiggler

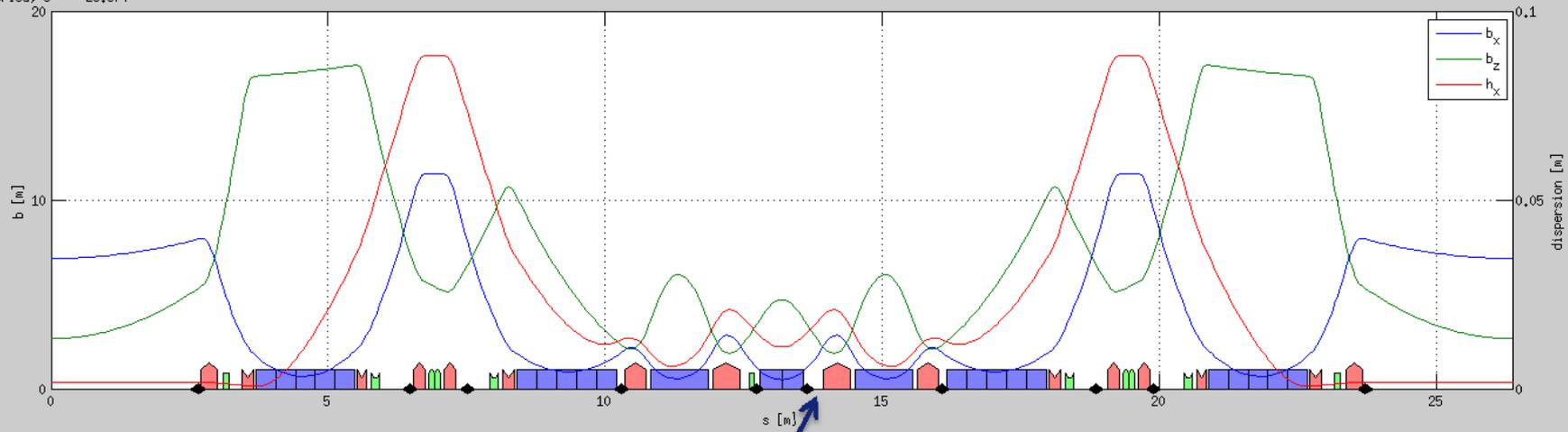
Figure 5

Plot of the horizontal phase space for a wiggler (ID17 at the ESRF) with 11 periods of 0.15 m length, $K = 22.3$ and electron beam energy of 6.04 GeV.

Practical case of Wiggler simulations:

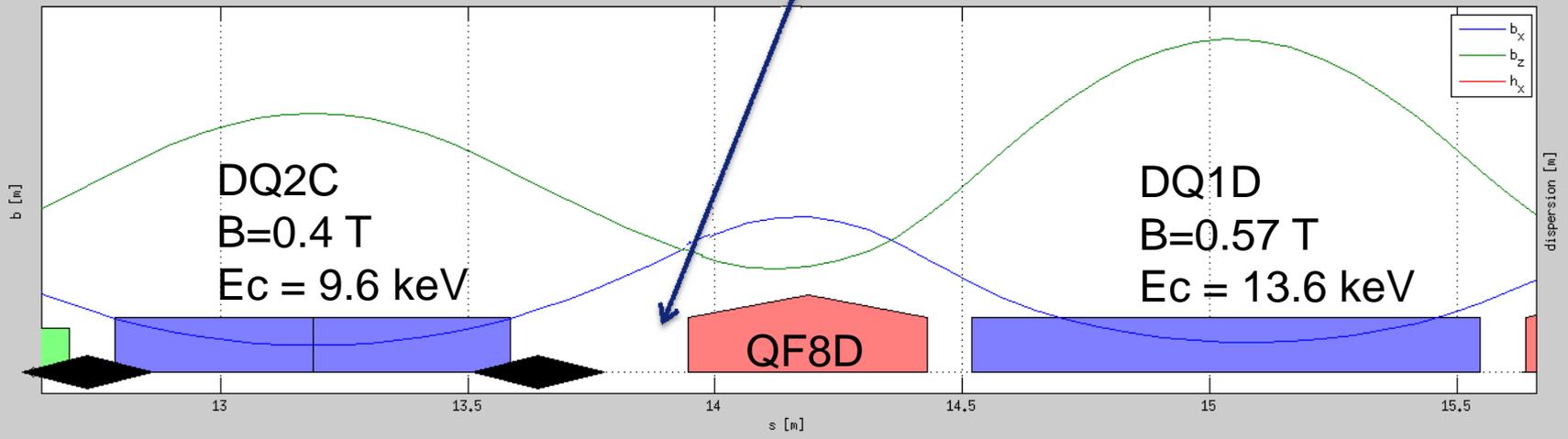
The new “Bending Magnet” beamlines at the EBS

$n_x = 2,382$ $dp/p = 0,000$
 $n_z = 0,854$ 1 period, C = 26,374



$$s_w = 13.8379 \text{ m}$$

$n_x = 2,382$ $dp/p = 0,000$
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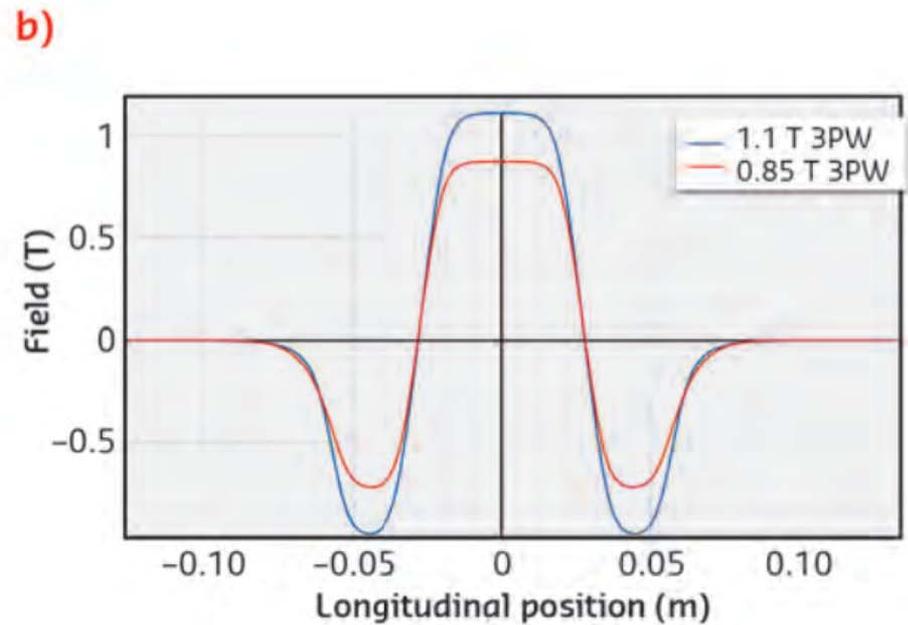
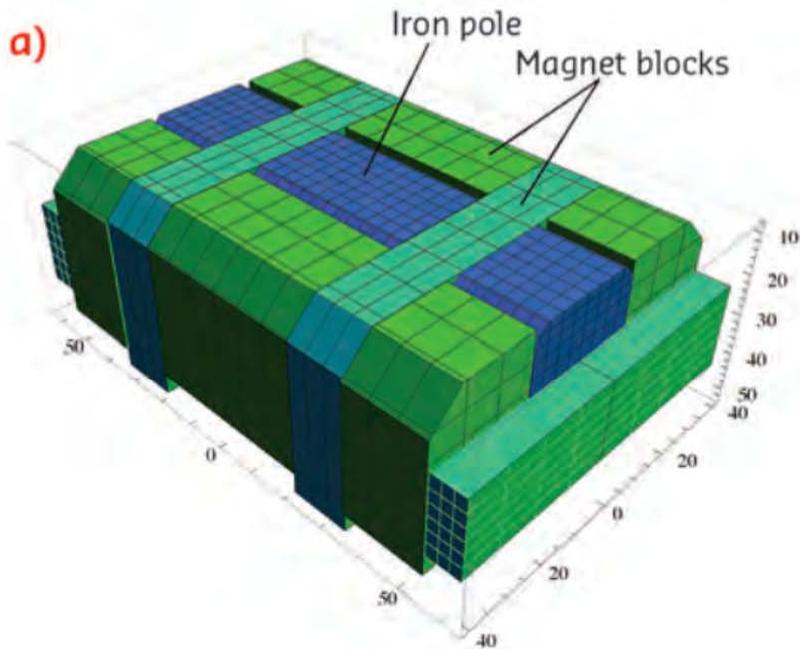


Figure 2.09: a) Magnetic structure of a typical three-pole wiggler (only one half represented for improved clarity) and b): Associated vertical field profile of the three-pole wiggler.

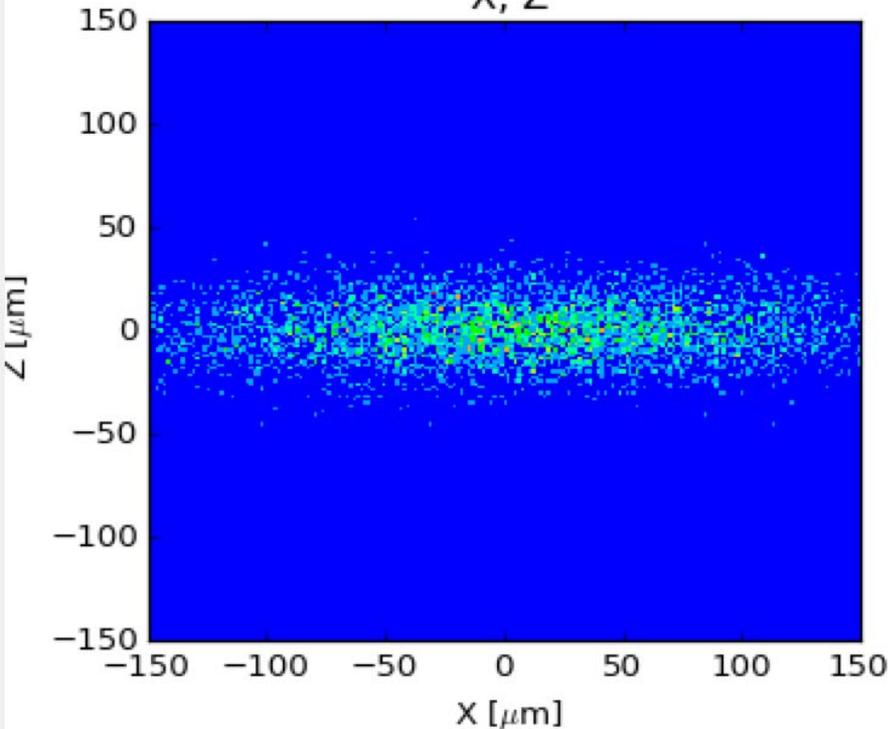
20 keV – 1:1 Ideal focusing BM

3P x12 Gain

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FWHM Z [μm] 25.5000

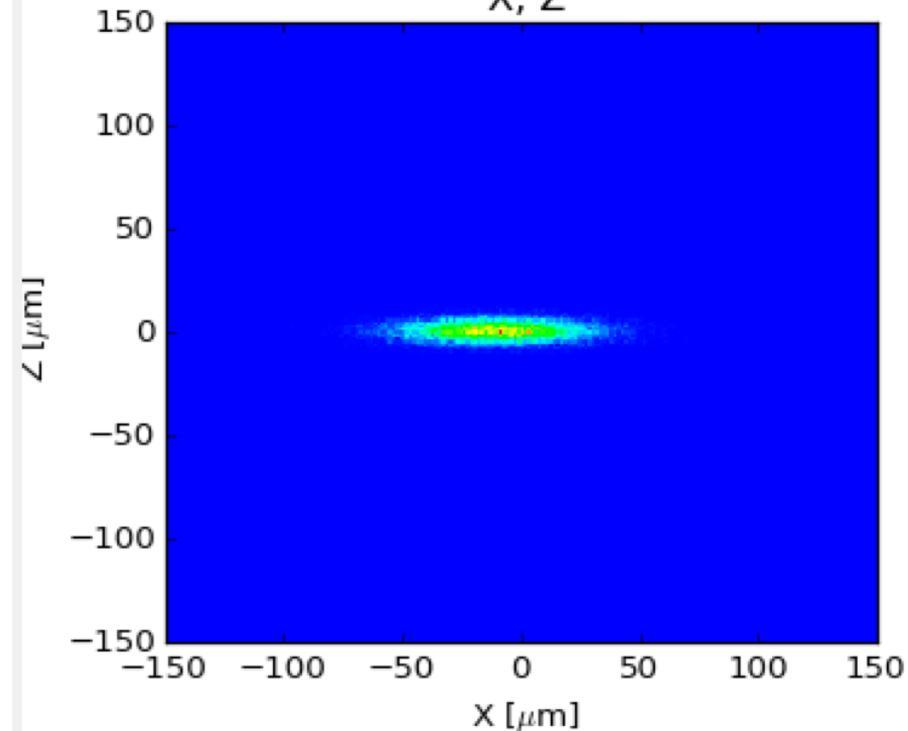
X, Z



FWHM X [μm] 51.0000

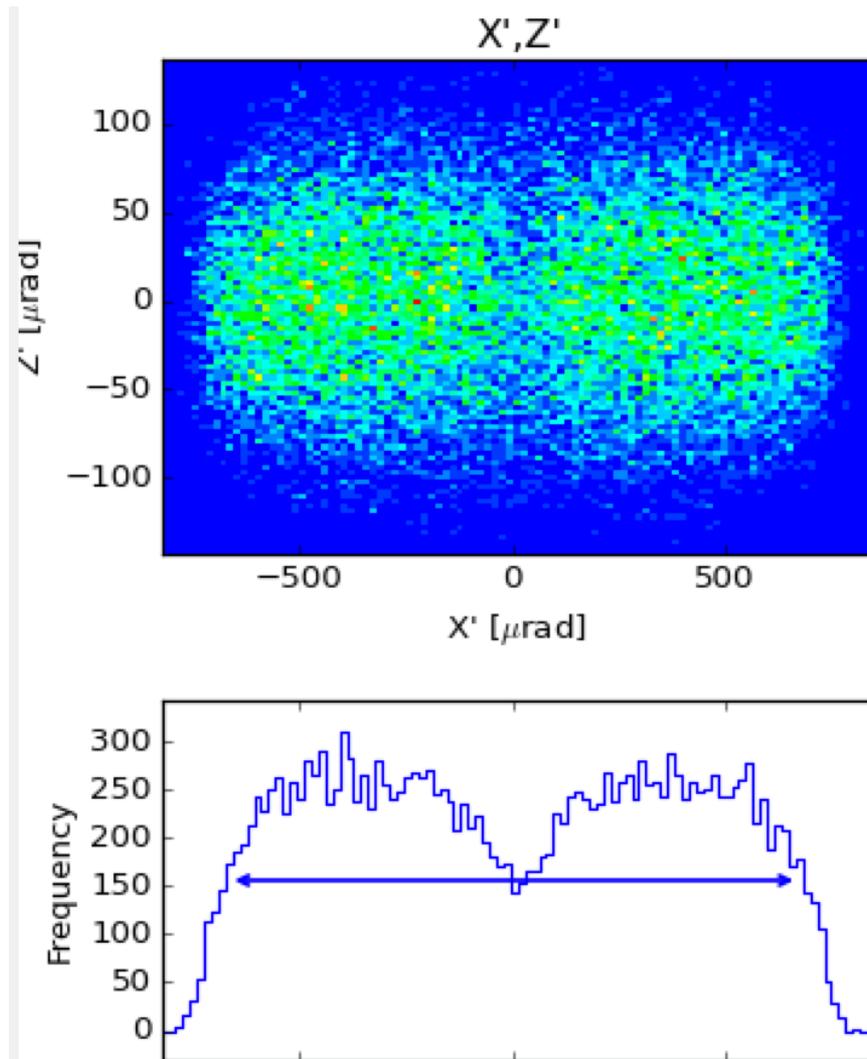
FWHM Z [μm] 7.5000

X, Z



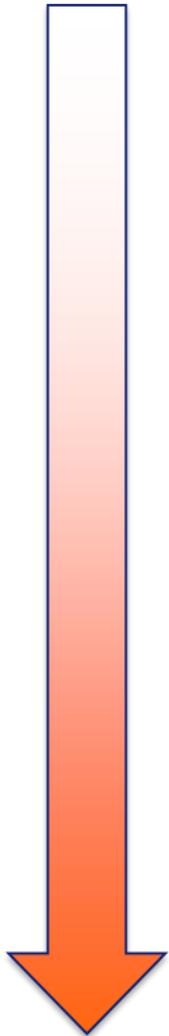
Any solution produces a much more brilliant source than the present BMs

Emission 3P wiggler at 20 keV



Accelerator Complexity

Beamline Performances? Effect of side BMs?

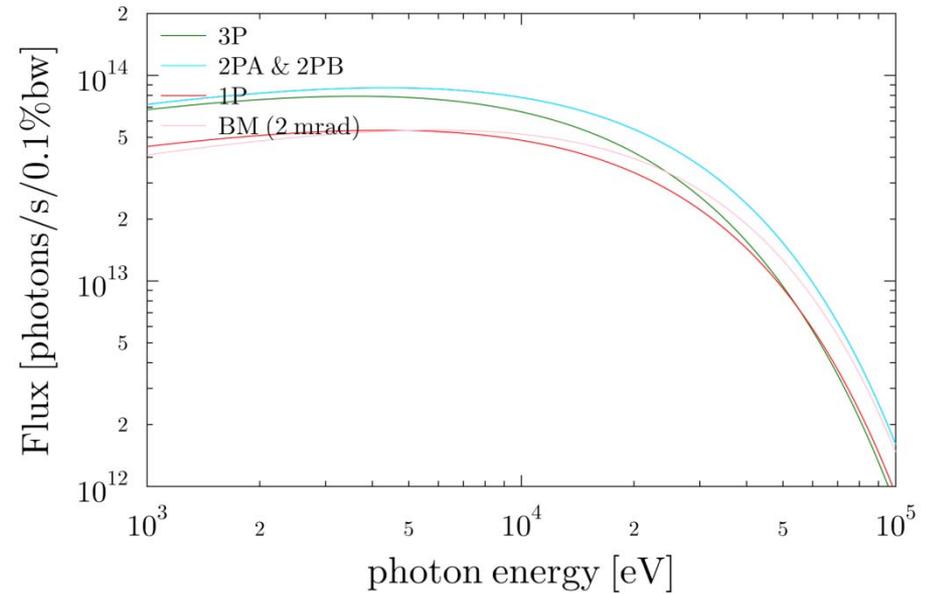
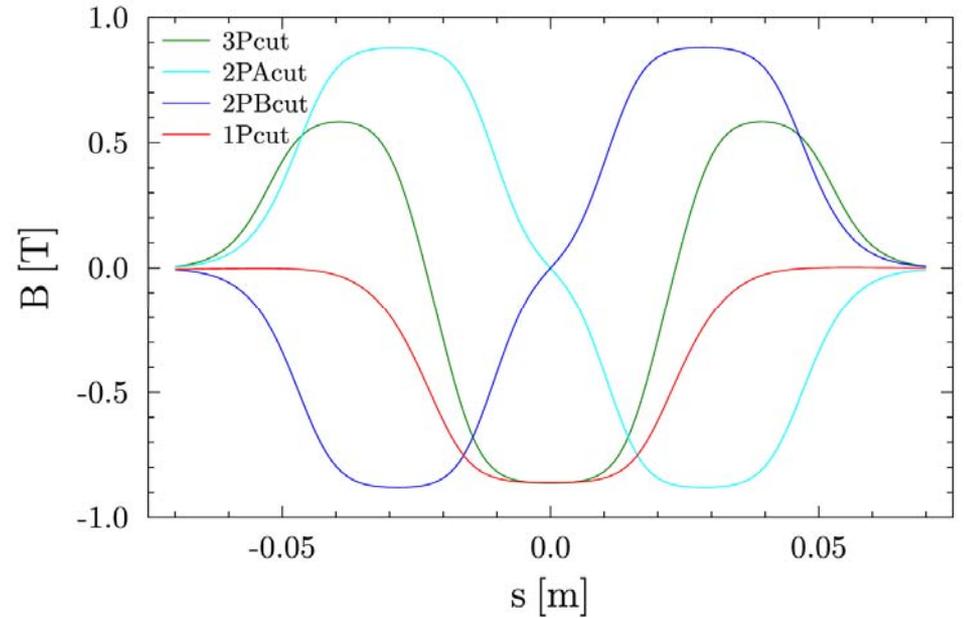
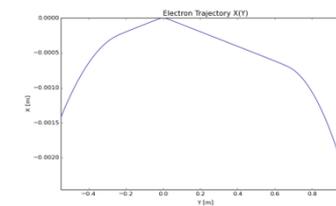
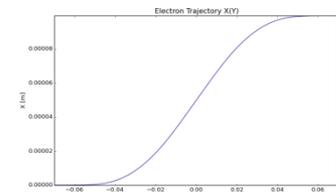
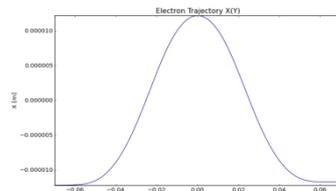


0 Poles

3 Poles

2 Poles

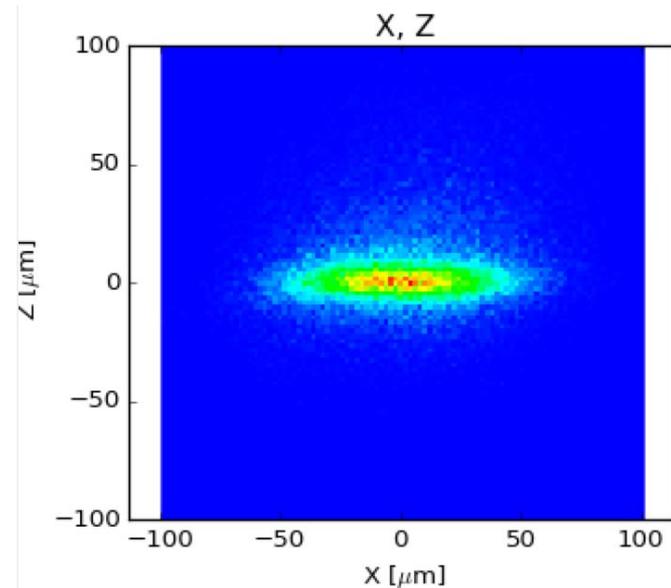
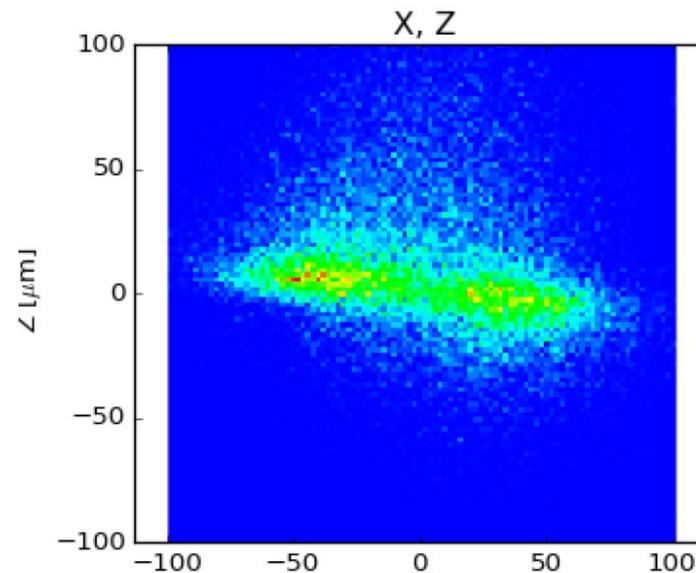
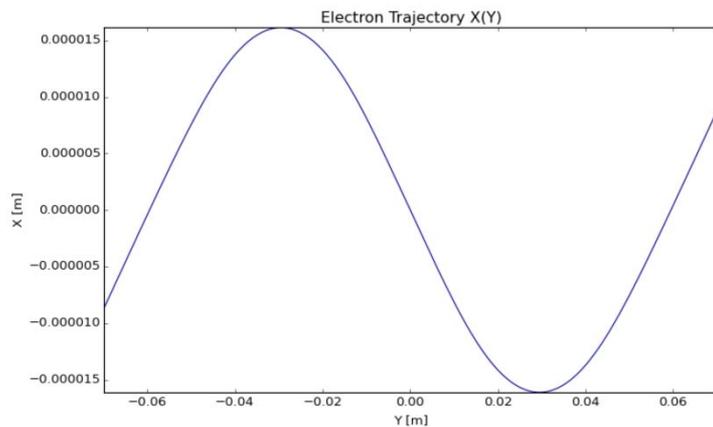
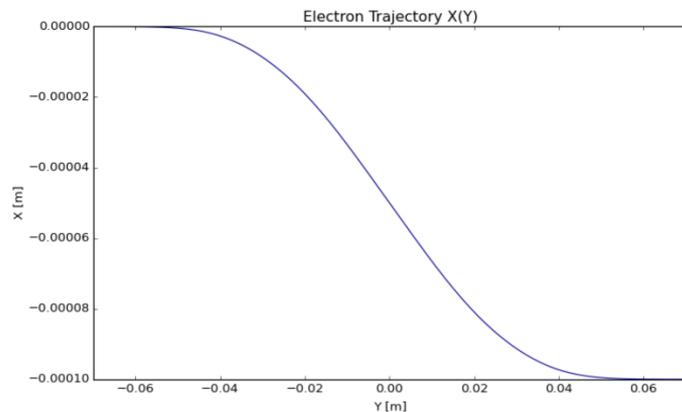
1 Pole



2PBcut – 20 keV – alignment

Trajectory

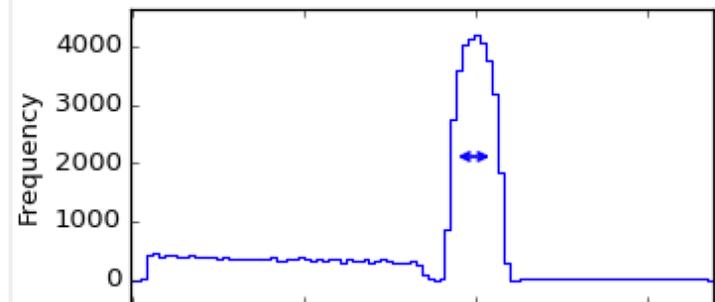
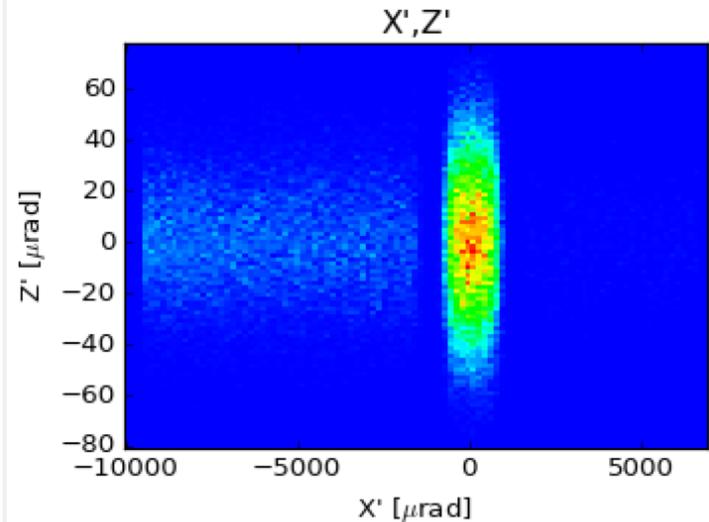
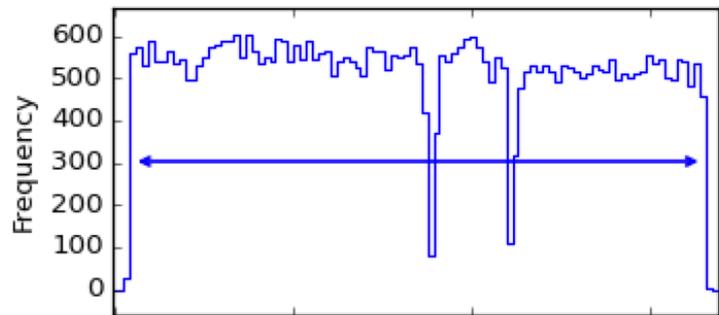
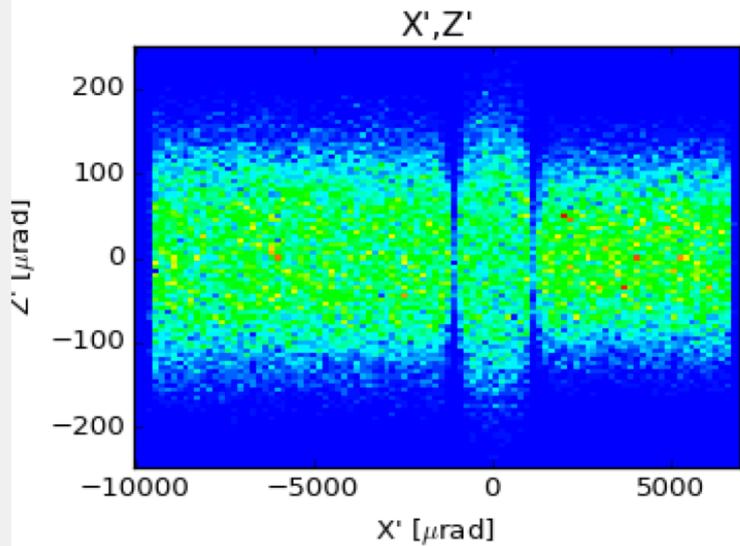
1:1 focusing (Toroid)



1P Divergences

5keV

80 keV



ROLES

- Transport the beam (vacuum)
- Shape the beam (slits)
- Focus (or collimate) (focusing elements: mirrors, lenses)
- Filtering (high pass: attenuators/filters, low pass: mirrors)
- Monochromatizing (crystals, multilayers)

Passive

Slits

Attenuators

Reflective optics

Mirrors

Refractive Optics

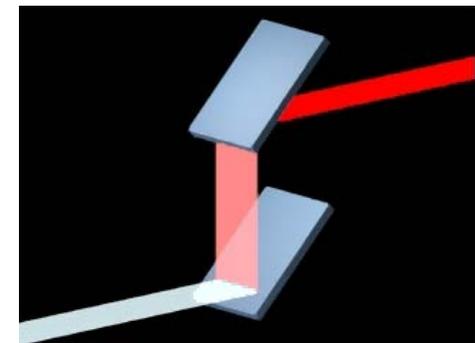
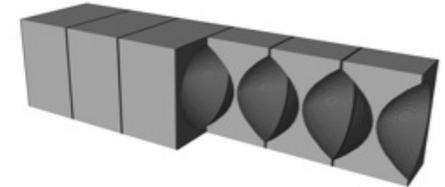
Lenses

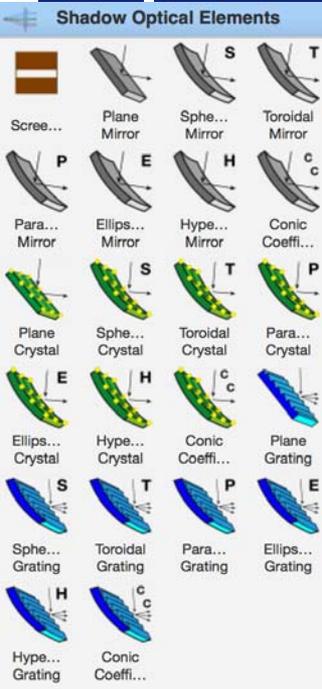
Diffractive optics

(Gratings)

Multilayers

Crystals





For each optical element we need:

Geometrical model: how the direction of the rays are changed:

reflected (mirrors)

refracted (lenses)

diffracted (gratings and crystals)



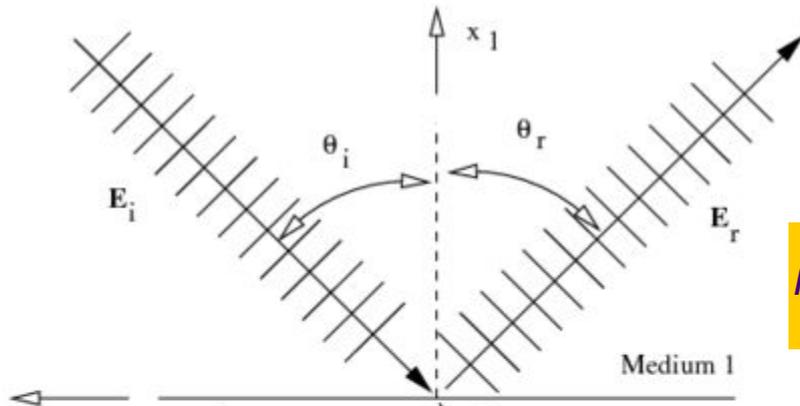
Physical model: how the ray intensity (in fact electric fields) decreases because of the interaction

- Structures along the surface => playing with the direction
- Structures in depth => playing with the reflectivity

MIRRORS

GEOMETRICAL MODEL

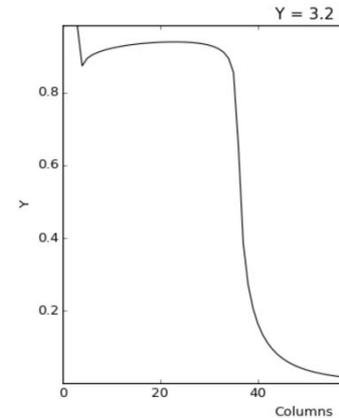
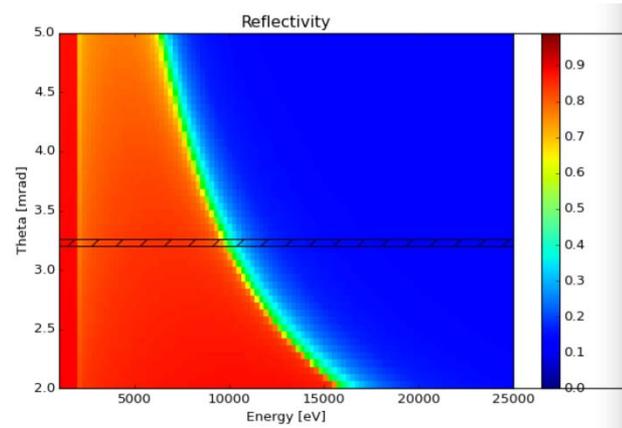
PHYSICAL MODEL

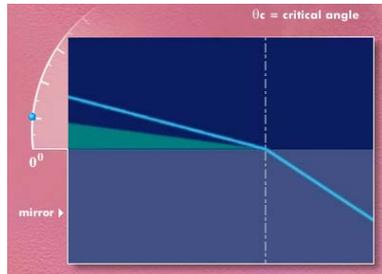


$$\vec{k}_o = \vec{k}_i - 2(\vec{k}_i \cdot \vec{n})\vec{n}$$

Fresnel equations give the reflectivity as a function of angle and photon energy. As a consequence, one gets the critical angle:

$$r_\sigma = \frac{n_1 \sin\theta_1 - n_2 \sin\theta_2}{n_1 \sin\theta_1 + n_2 \sin\theta_2}; \quad r_\pi = \frac{n_1 \sin\theta_2 - n_2 \sin\theta_1}{n_1 \sin\theta_2 + n_2 \sin\theta_1}$$





- Total reflection: very grazing angles (~mrad):

- Long mirrors

- High aberration (shape is very important)

- Surface finish

- Slope errors: ~ urad
- Roughness: ~A

- Mirror combinations (e.g. KB)

$$\theta_c = \sqrt{2\delta}$$



Waviness



Height Profile Simulator



DABAM Height Profile



Kirkpatrick-Baez Mirror

MULTILAYER MIRRORS (PHYSICAL MODEL)

PHYSICAL REVIEW

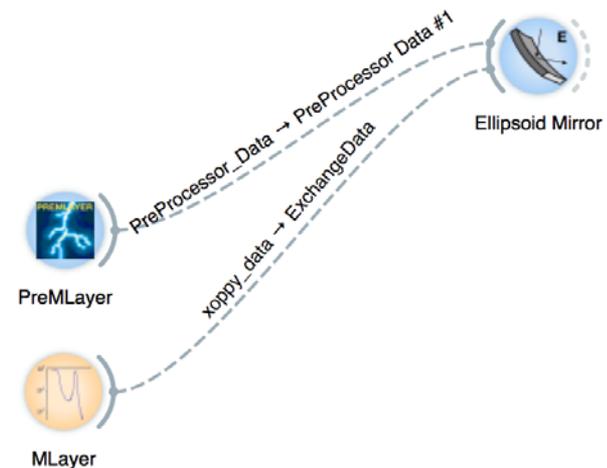
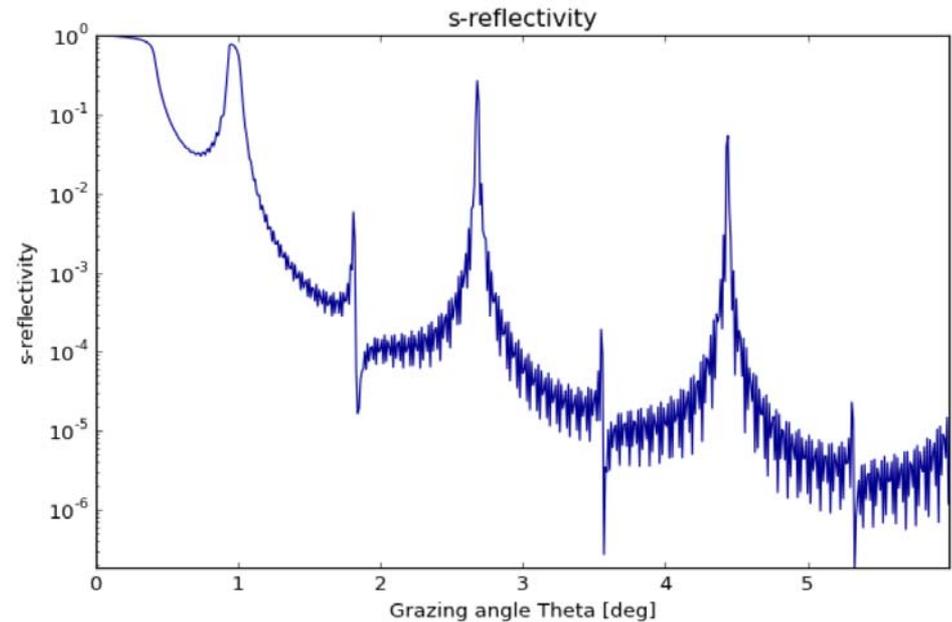
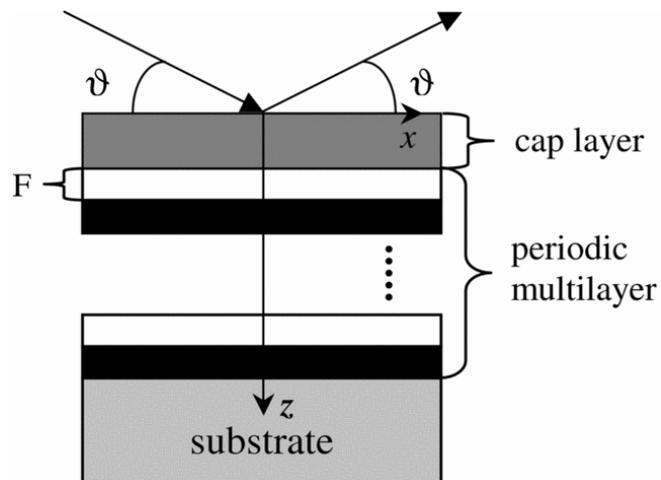
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Surface Studies of Solids by Total Reflection of X-Rays*

L. G. PARRATT
Cornell University, Ithaca, New York
(Received March 22, 1954)

- no reflection from the back of the substrate
- compute recurrently the reflectivity of each layer from bottom (substrate) to top



LENSE = TWO INTERFACES

GEOMETRICAL MODEL

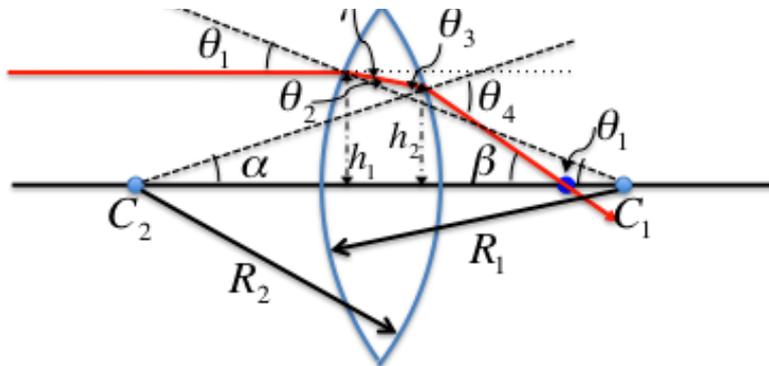
PHYSICAL MODEL

Law of Refraction (Snell's Law)

$$n_1 \sin \theta_1 = n_2 \sin \theta_2$$

absorption in media

$$I/I_0 = \exp(-\mu t)$$



Focusing

Absorption

Chromatic aberrations

Geometrical aberrations:

Which is the best shape?

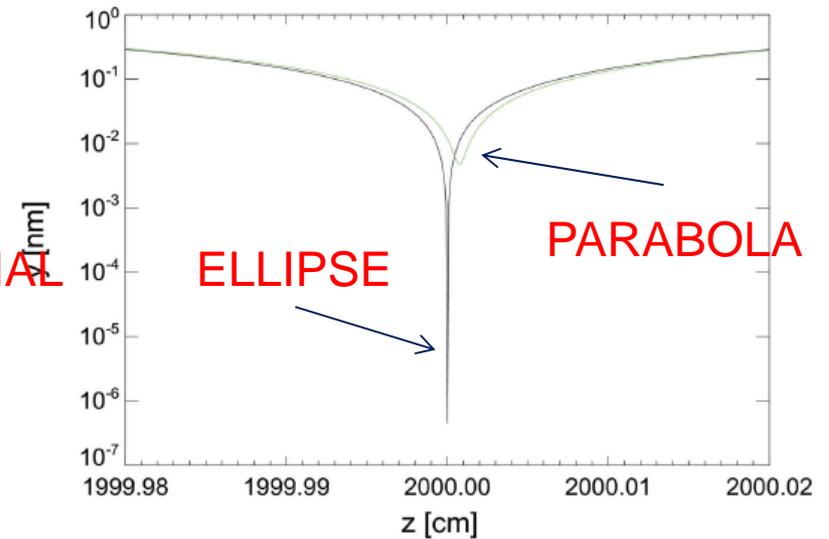
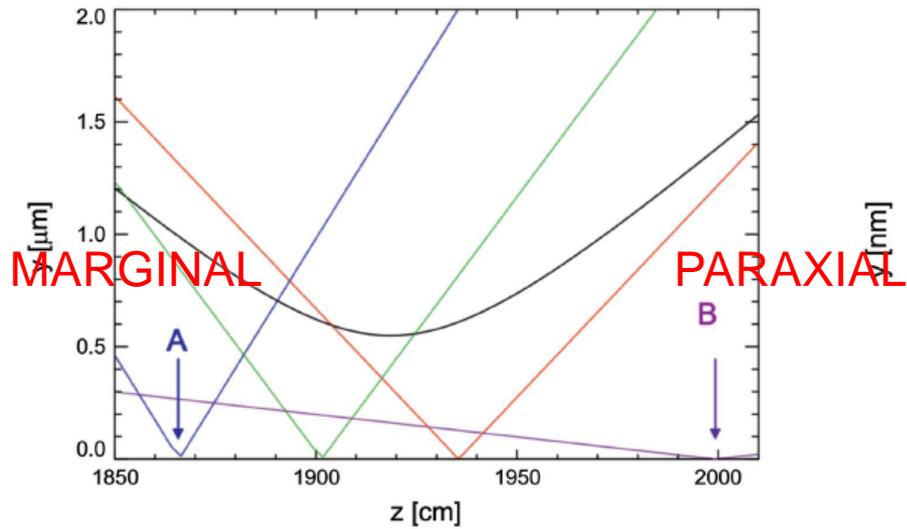
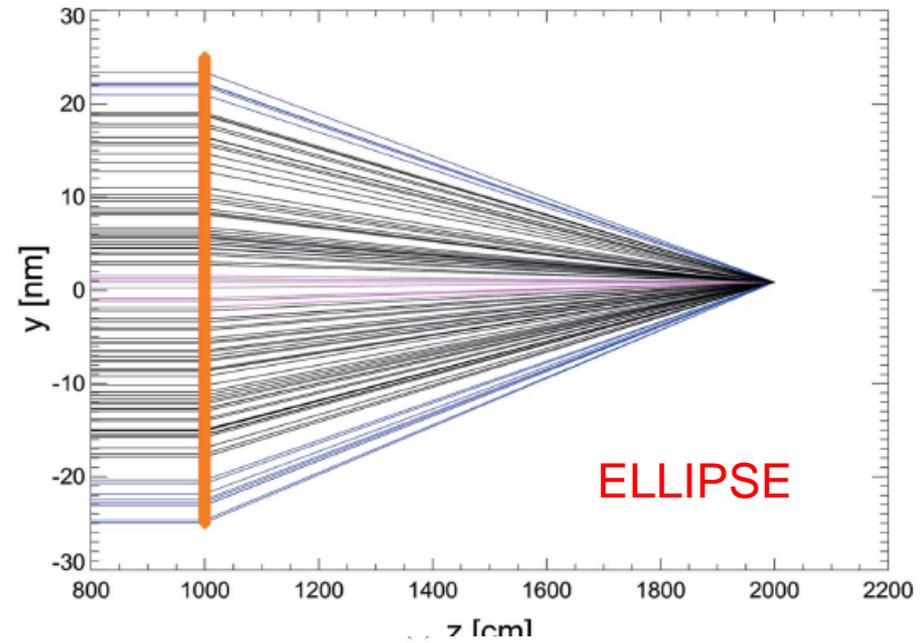
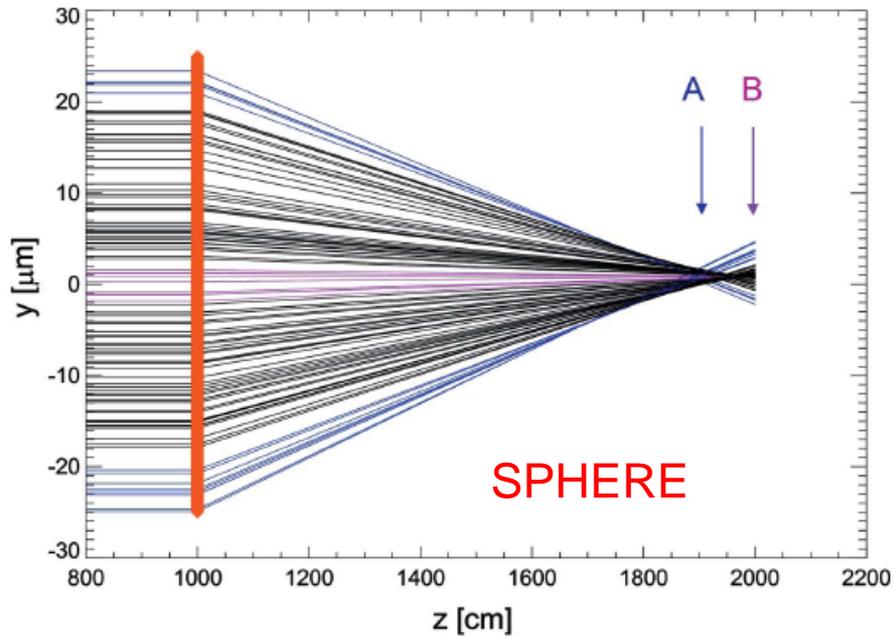
Cylindrical => Lots of aberrations

Parabolic => Much less aberrations (but non-zero)

Elliptical => collimated beam to convergent beam

Hyperbolic => convergent beam to collimated beam

IDEAL INTERFACE SHAPE FOR FOCUSING A COLLIMATED BEAM

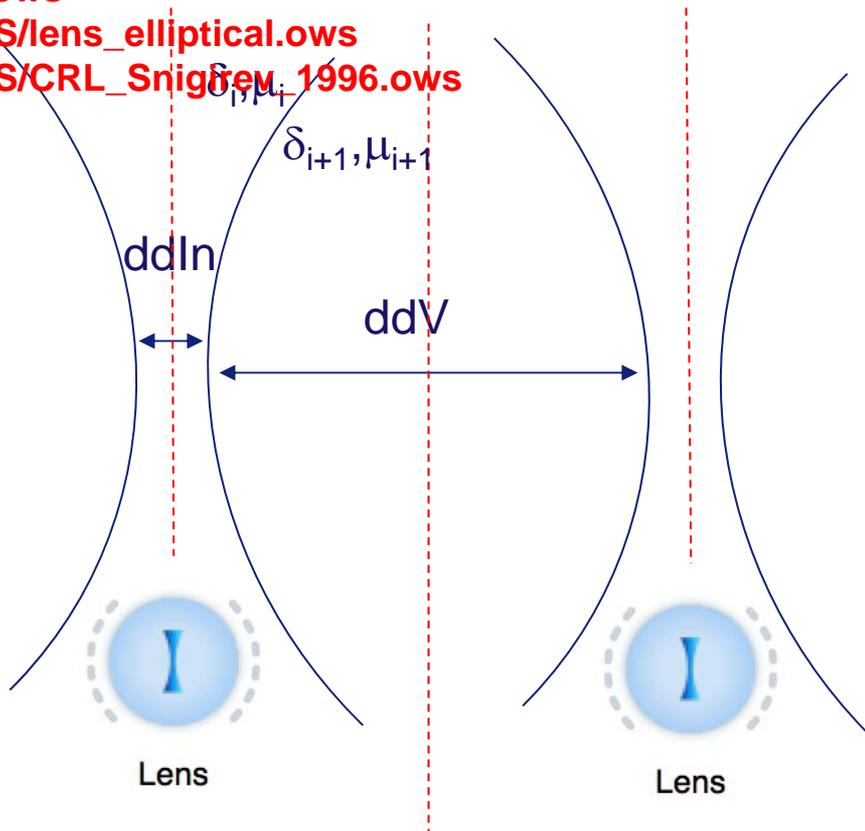


FULL RAY TRACING WITH SHADOWUI: STACK OF INTERFACES

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OE surface in form of conic equation:
 $c[1]*X^2 + c[2]*Y^2 + c[3]*Z^2 +$
 $c[4]*X*Y + c[5]*Y*Z + c[6]*X*Z +$
 $c[7]*X + c[8]*Y + c[9]*Z + c[10] = 0$

with

$c[1] = 0.0000000000000000$
 $c[2] = 1.0000000000000000$
 $c[3] = 0.0000000000000000$
 $c[4] = 0.0000000000000000$
 $c[5] = -0.0000000000000000$
 $c[6] = 0.0000000000000000$
 $c[7] = 0.0000000000000000$
 $c[8] = 0.0000000000000000$
 $c[9] = -0.10000000000000001$
 $c[10] = 0.0000000000000000$

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Compound Refractive
Lens

CRL = n identical Lenses

TRANSFOCATOR = m different CRLs

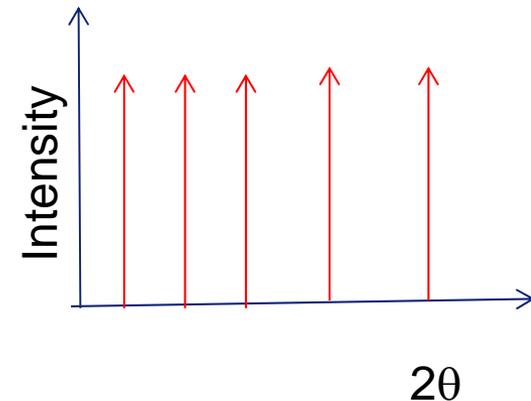
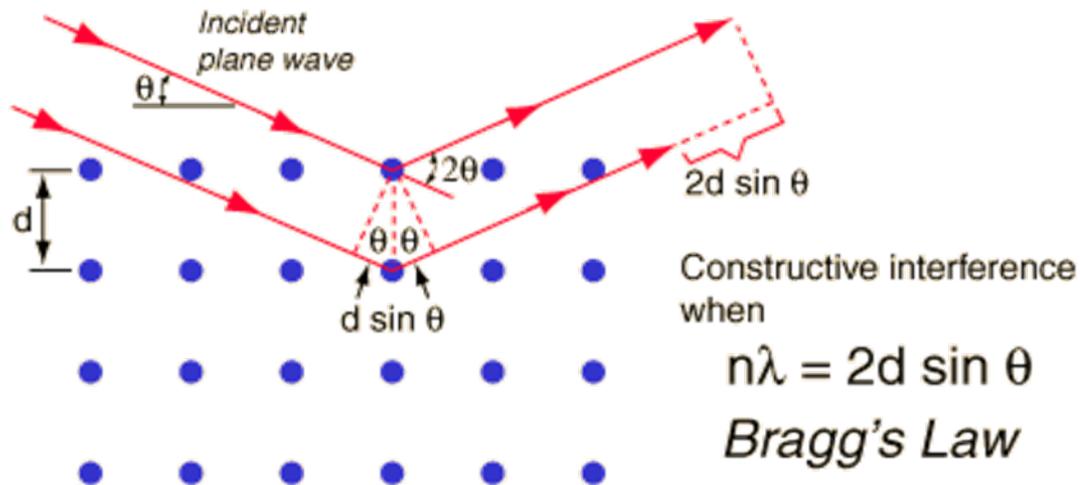


Transfocator

A result of **COHERENT (RAYLEIGH) scattering** of the X-rays on the elements of a periodic structure (e.g., atoms).

Although σ_R is small compared to other processes, the effect is the basis of X-ray diffraction.

The (small) scattering is enhanced by the periodic distribution of the scatterers (atoms)

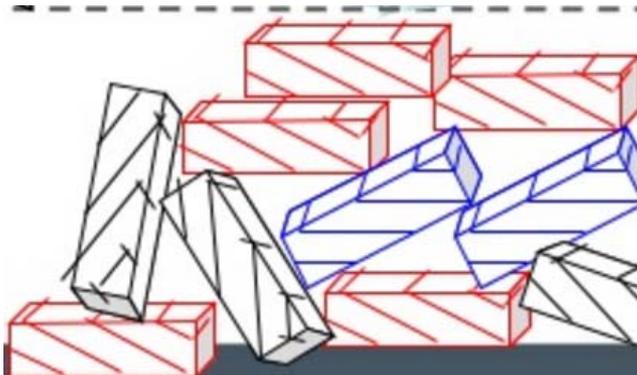


KINEMATICAL VS DYNAMICAL DIFFRACTION

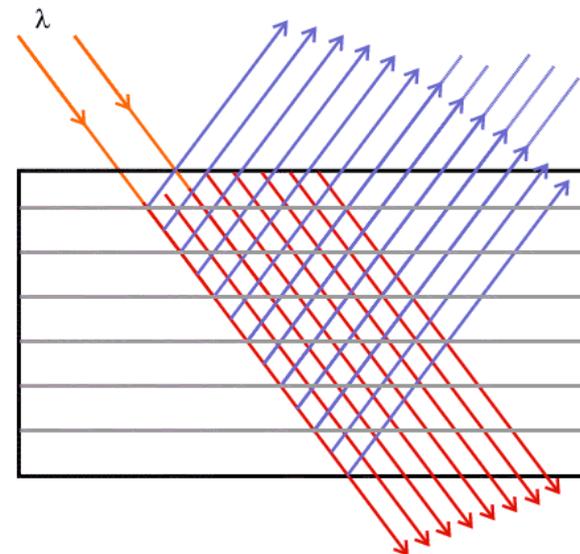
The diffraction of X-rays by very small crystals has been described by Laue's **kinematic theory**.

It supposes that oscillators in the crystal are only under the influence of the incident wave, neglecting the interaction between oscillators.

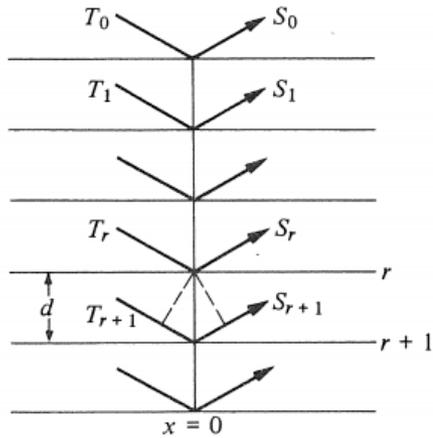
It can be applied to small crystals, like in powder diffraction.



For large crystals, the kinematical theory is no longer valid. This case is treated by the **dynamical theory** which includes multiple scattering of the radiation emitted by the oscillators and its interaction with the incident wave.



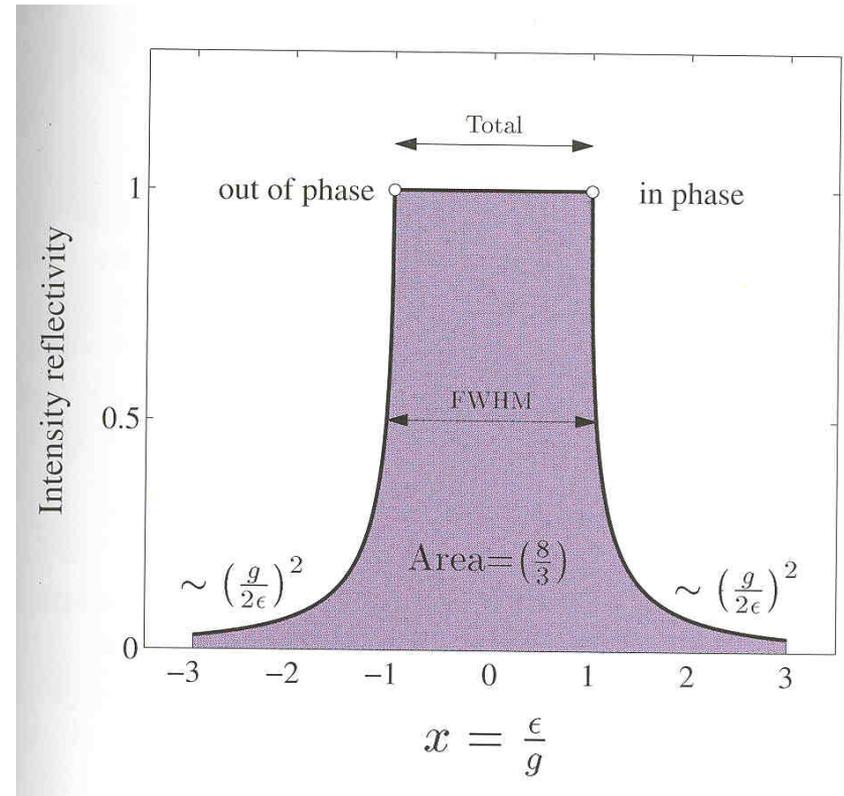
DARWIN TREATMENT OF DYNAMICAL THEORY (1914) – THE DARWIN WIDTH



$$S_r = \frac{T_r - (1 - h + iq_0)T_{r-1}e^{-i\phi}}{iqe^{-i2\phi}} \rightarrow R(x) = \begin{cases} (x - \sqrt{x^2 - 1})^2 & \text{for } x \geq 1 \\ 1 & \text{for } |x| \leq 1 \\ (x + \sqrt{x^2 - 1})^2 & \text{for } x \leq -1 \end{cases}$$

$$(\Delta\theta)_D = 2 \left| \frac{P|\Psi_H|}{(|b|)^{1/2} \sin(2\theta_B)} \right|$$

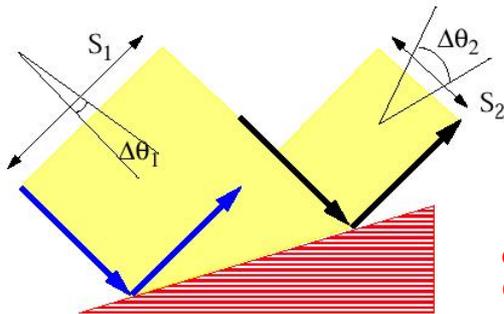
$$\Psi_H = \frac{-r_0\lambda^2}{\pi v_c} F_H, \quad r_0 = \frac{e^2}{mc^2}$$



Geometrical model

Guarantees that the Liouville's theorem is fulfilled

$$S_1 \Delta\theta_1 = S_2 \Delta\theta_2$$

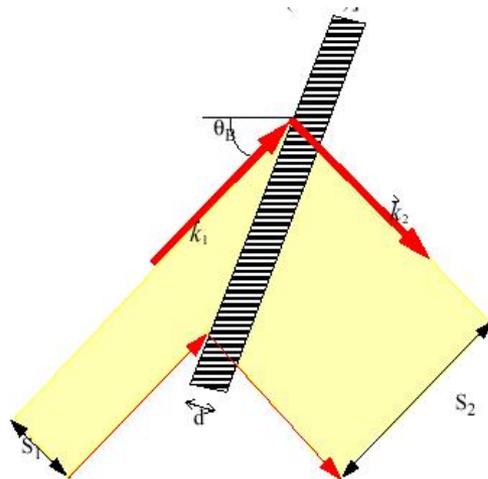
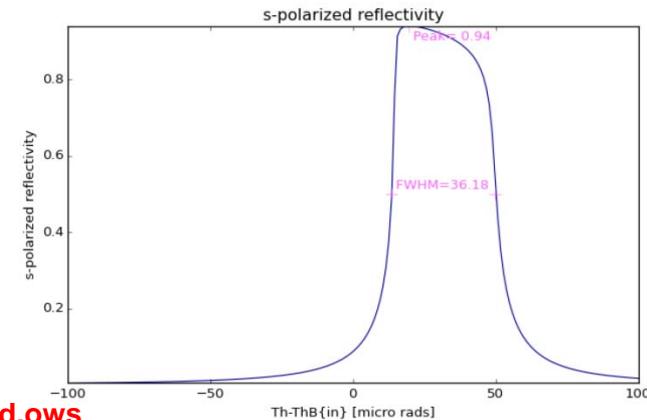


BRAGG or reflection

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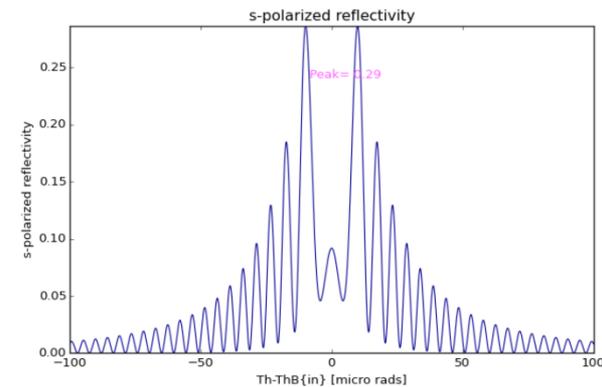
Physical model

Crystal reflectivity is given by the Dynamical Theory of Diffraction (Zachariasen formalism)



LAUE or transmission

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Playing with shape and geometry in crystal

- **Factors that affect the energy resolution**
- **Sagittal focusing**
- **Bent crystal analyzers (ID26)**

Dispersive crystals: some consequences

- **Visibility of coherent patterns**
- **Laue focusing**
- **Rainbow spectrometers**

$$\frac{\Delta E}{E} = \frac{\Delta \lambda}{\lambda} = \Delta \theta_0 \cot \theta_0 \approx \sqrt{\omega_D^2 + \left[\left| \frac{p}{R \sin \theta_1} - 1 \right| \Delta_{src} + \frac{s_1}{p} \right]^2} \cot \theta_0$$

Source size s_1



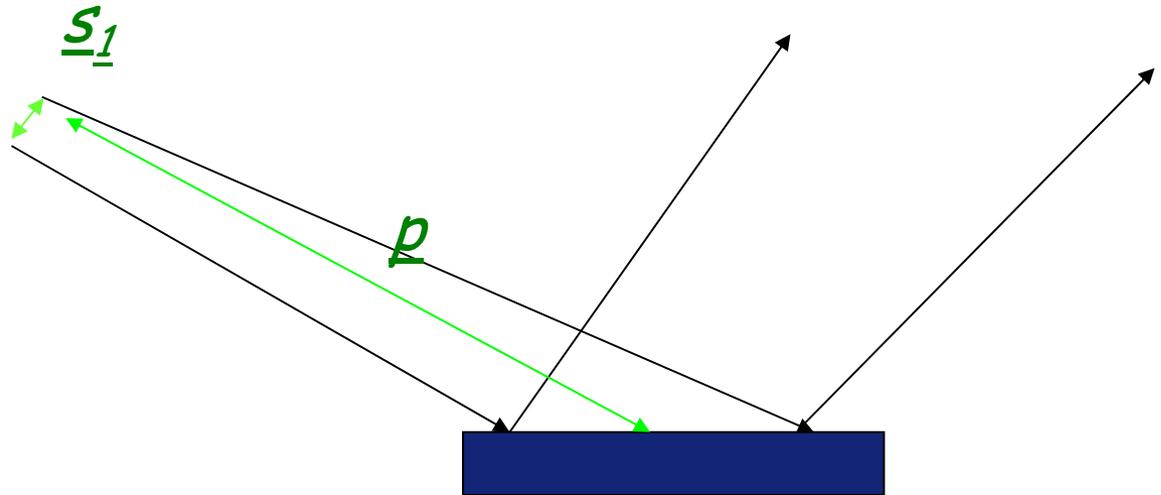
Source divergence Δ_{src}

Slits, collimation
or antiparalel (++)

Geometrical term
(curvature R)

Darwin width ω_D
Intrinsic resolution

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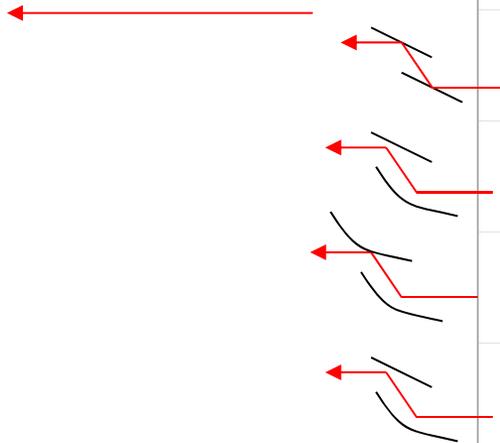
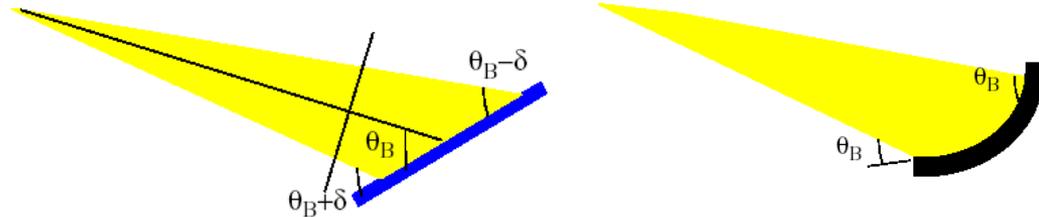
Source divergence $\Delta_{src} \rightarrow$

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System	I_1	I_2	ΔE_1 [eV]	ΔE_2 [eV]
flat-flat	413 ± 14	307 ± 12	8.92 ± 0.55	8.71 ± 0.6 9
Rowland(1:1)-flat	414 ± 25	65 ± 9	1.44 ± 0.06	1.23 ± 0.2 4
Rowland(concave+convex)	399 ± 12	296 ± 10	1.44 ± 0.07	1.32 ± 0.0 6
Out-Rowland(1:3)-flat	408 ± 18	36 ± 3	8.2 ± 0.9	2.1 ± 0.5

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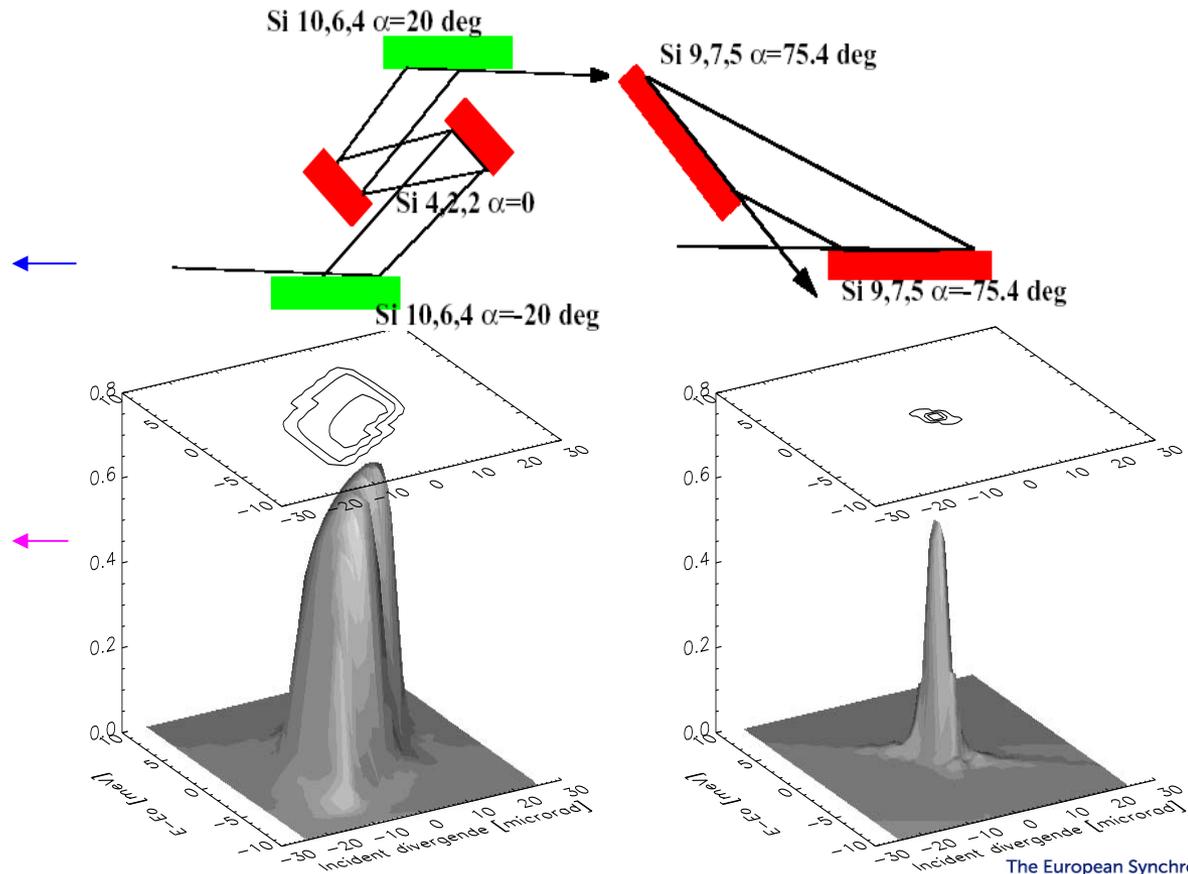
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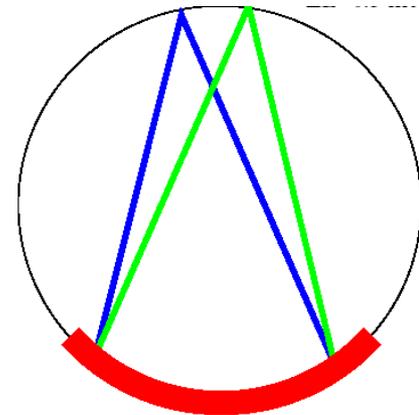
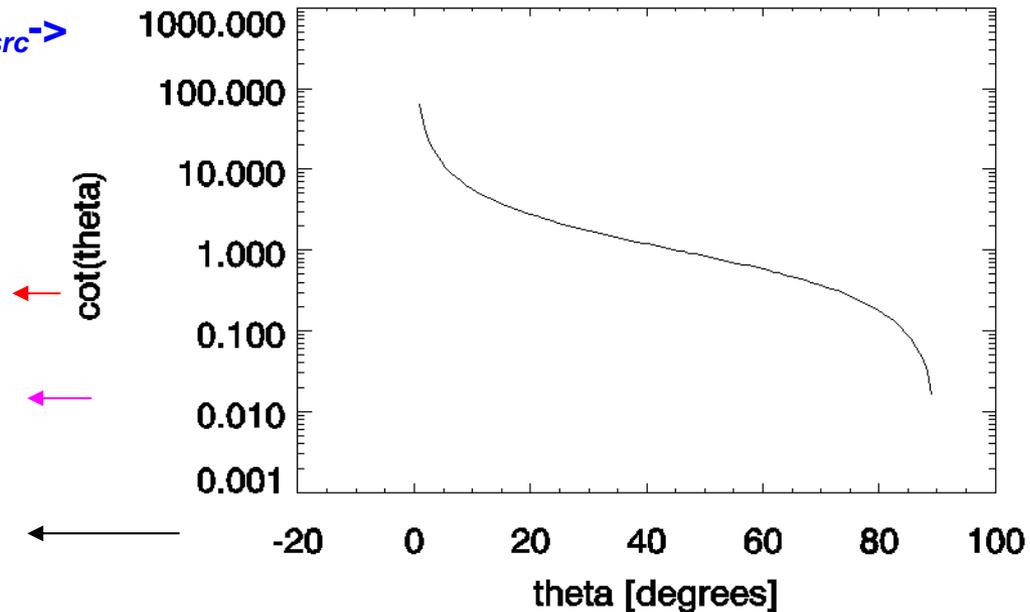
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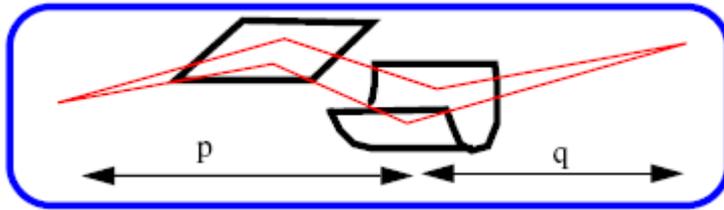
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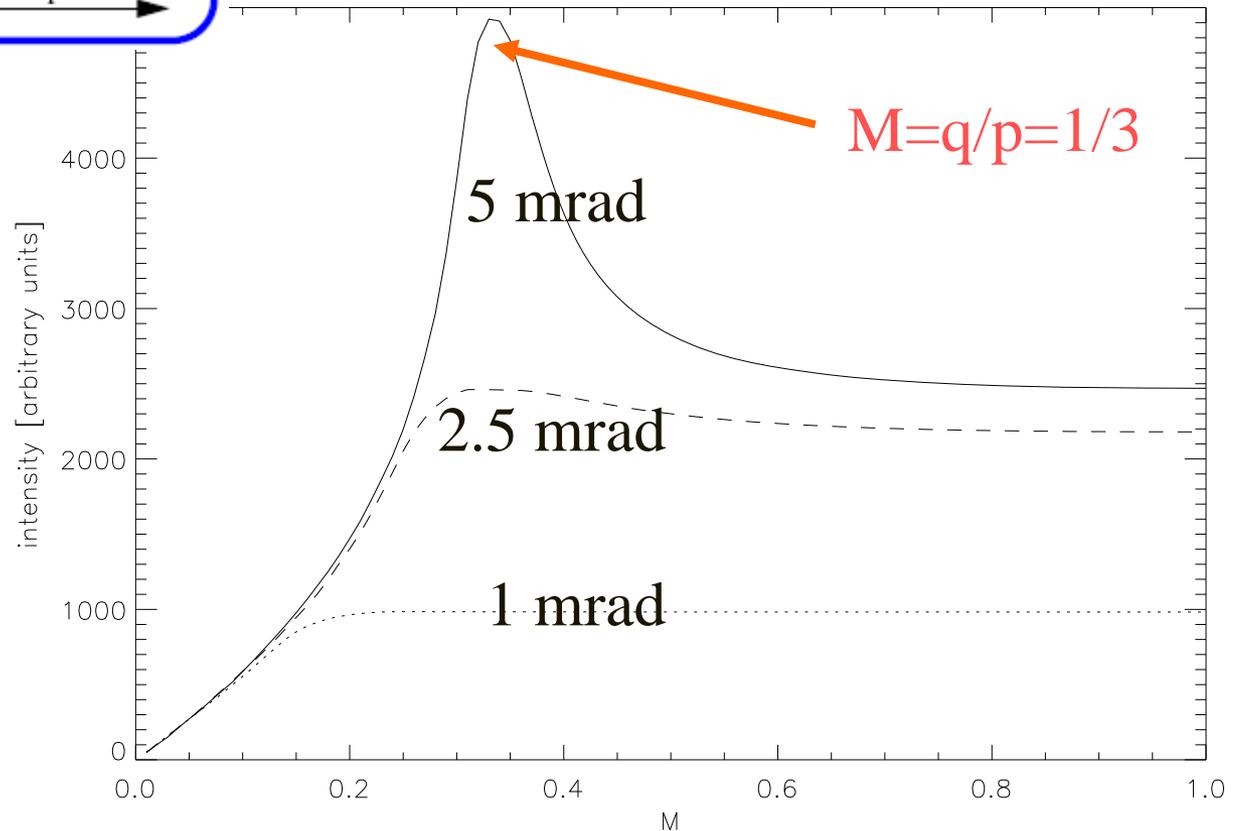
SAGITTAL FOCUSING



Shape effects:

- Anticlastic curvature
- Cylindrical vs
- Conic (Ice&Sparks, JOSA A11 (1994) 1265)

Beam transmission vs angular divergence



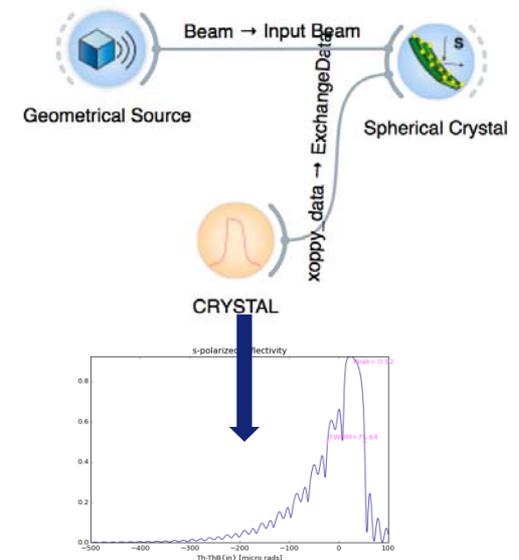
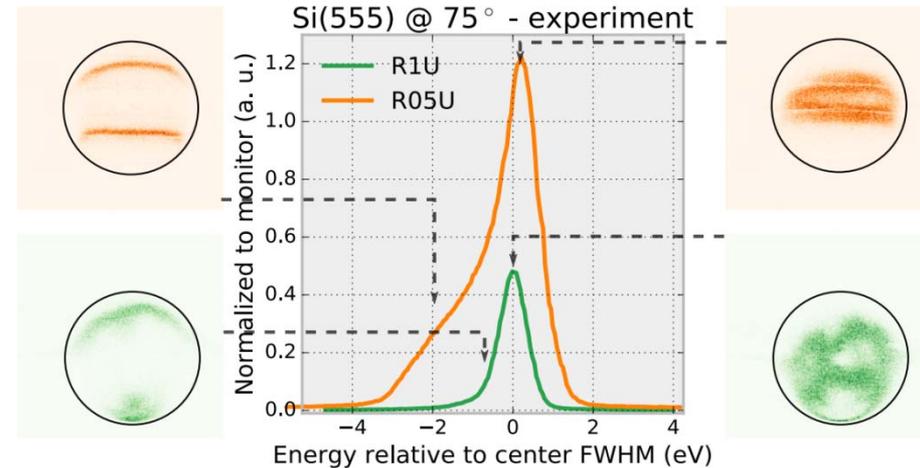
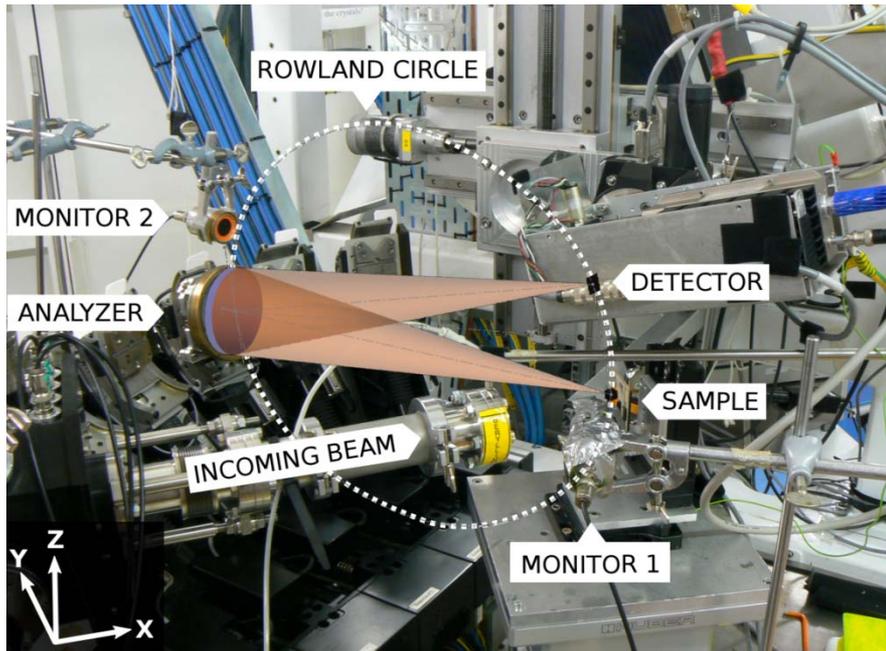
Intensity (in arbitrary units) versus magnification factor M for monochromatic ($E=20$ keV) point source placed at 30 m from the sagittally bent crystal.

We clearly observe the maximum of the transmission at $M=0.33$, as predicted by the theory

(C. J. Sparks, Jr. and B. S. Borie Nuclear Instruments and Methods, 172, 237-242 (1980)).

See: [ex18b_sagittalfocusing.ws](#)

SPHERICALLY BENT CRYSTAL ANALYZERS OF 0.5 M RADIUS (M ROVEZZI)



Experiment vs ray tracing study.

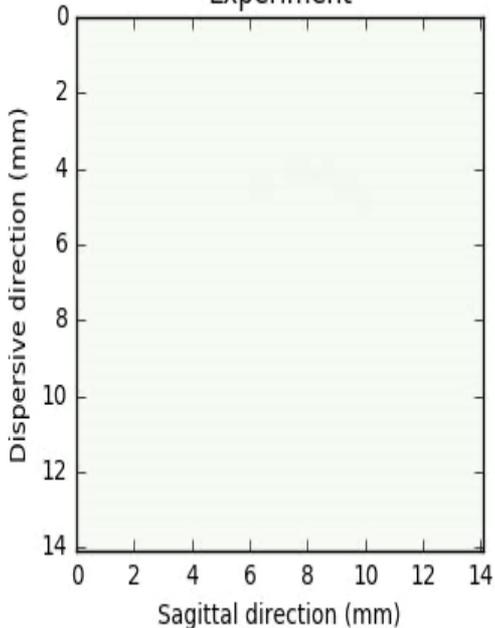
All details in the paper:

M. Rovezzi et al., arXiv:1609.08894 (2016)

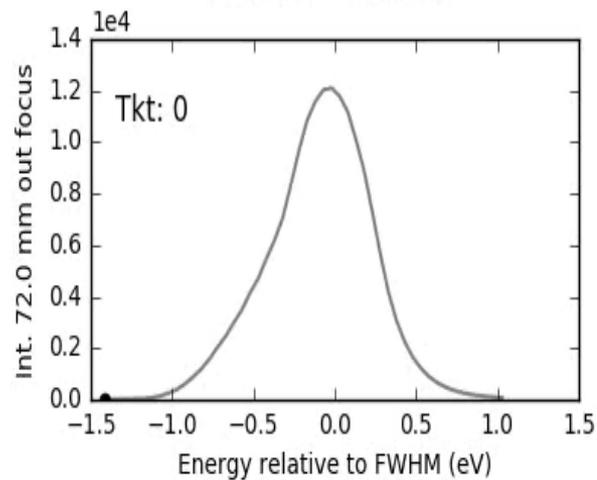
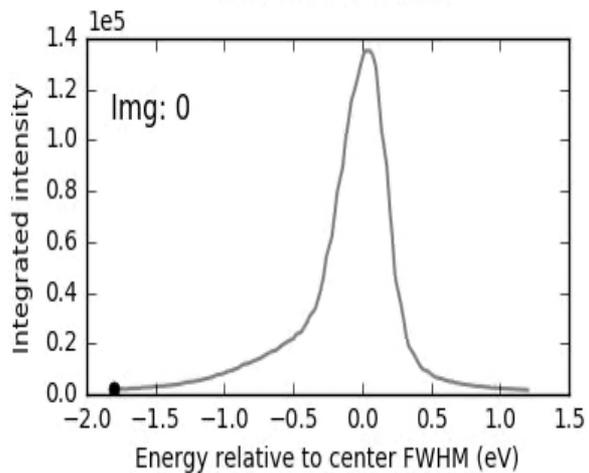
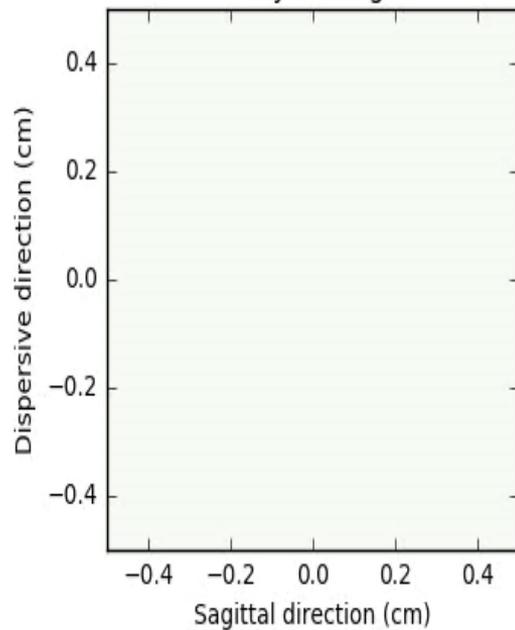
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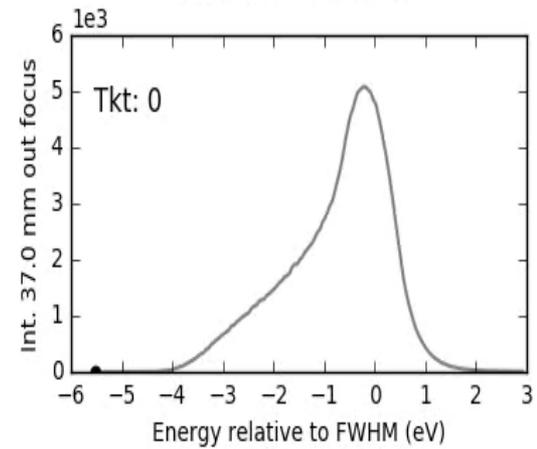
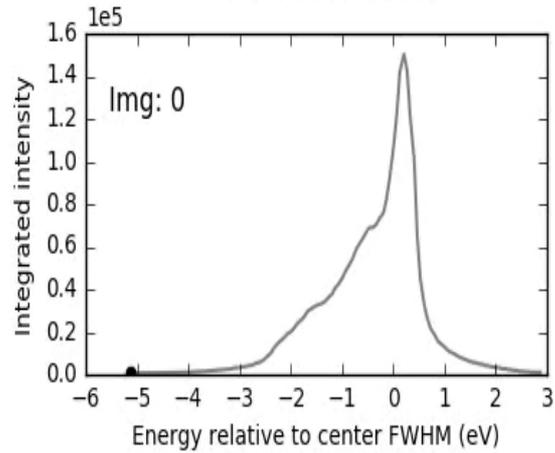
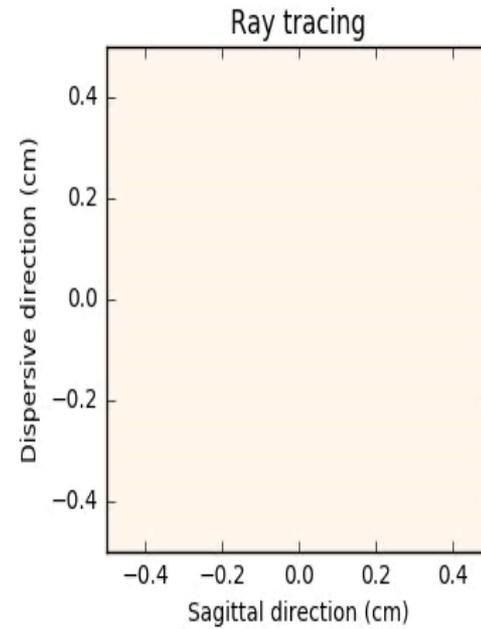
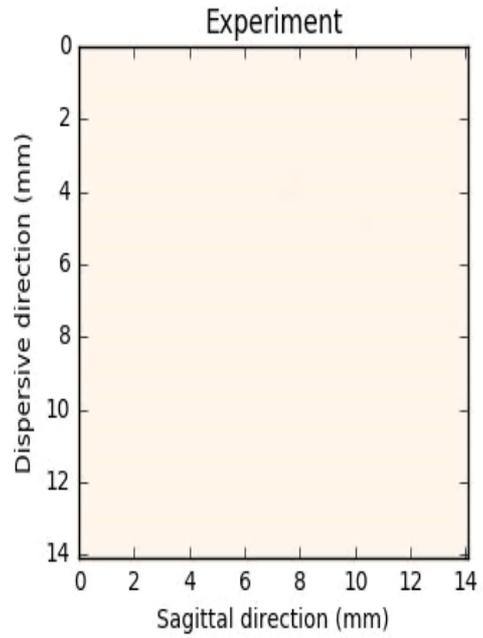
Experiment



Ray tracing



SBCA 0.5 M AT 75°



THE CRYSTAL GEOMETRIC MODEL IN DETAIL

The change in the direction of any monochromatic beam (not necessarily satisfying the diffraction condition or Laue equation) diffracted by a crystal (Laue or Bragg) can be calculated using (i) elastic scattering in the diffraction process:

$$|\mathbf{k}^0| = |\mathbf{k}^H| = \frac{1}{\lambda}, \quad (2)$$

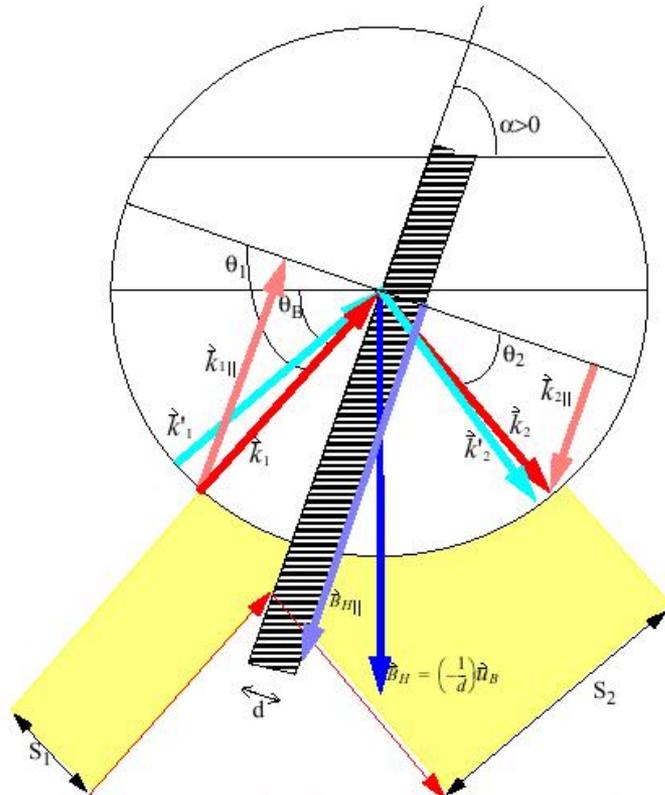
with $\mathbf{k}^{0,H} = (1/\lambda)\mathbf{V}^{0,H}$ and \mathbf{V} a unit vector and (ii) the boundary conditions at the crystal surface

$$\mathbf{k}_{\parallel}^H = \mathbf{k}_{\parallel}^0 + \mathbf{H}_{\parallel}, \quad (3)$$

$$-|\sin \theta_2| = |\sin \theta_1| - \frac{\lambda}{d} \sin \alpha$$

A crystal behaves like a grating or prism, except the Bragg Symmetric crystal that behaves like a mirror.

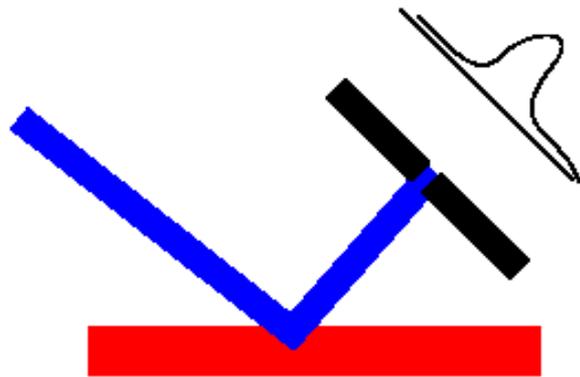
$$\frac{d}{\sin \alpha} = \frac{d_{\text{Grating}}}{m}$$



- **Asymmetric Bragg & every Laue crystals are dispersive elements** (X-rays with different energies will exit in different directions)
- **Bragg symmetric crystals are non-dispersive**

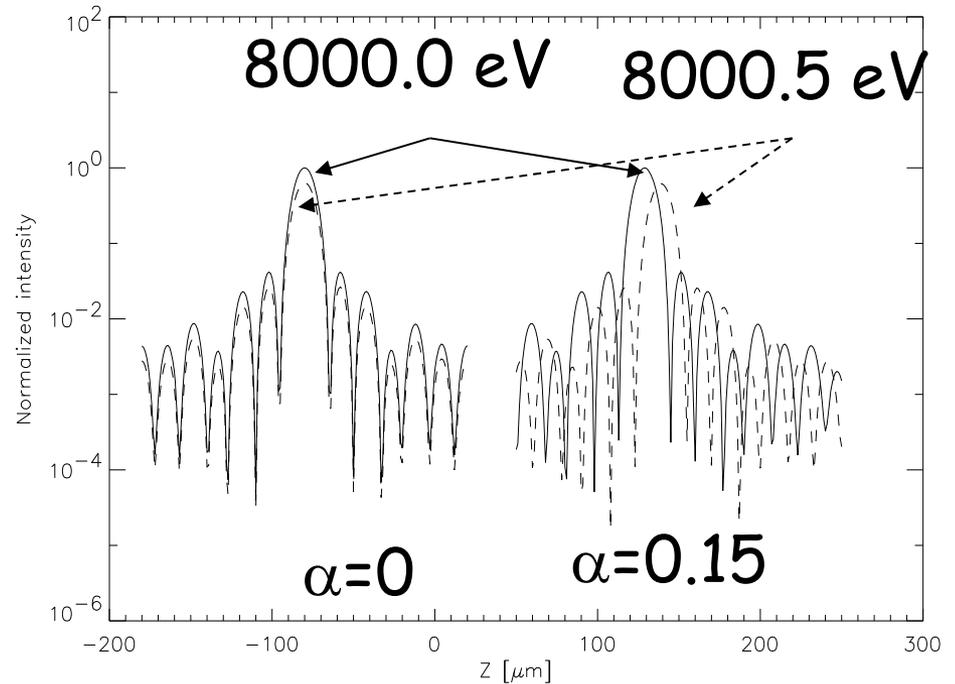
They modify the divergence of the beam. It must be taken into account when combined with other focusing elements

Dispersive crystals reduce visibility of diffraction patterns by coherent light

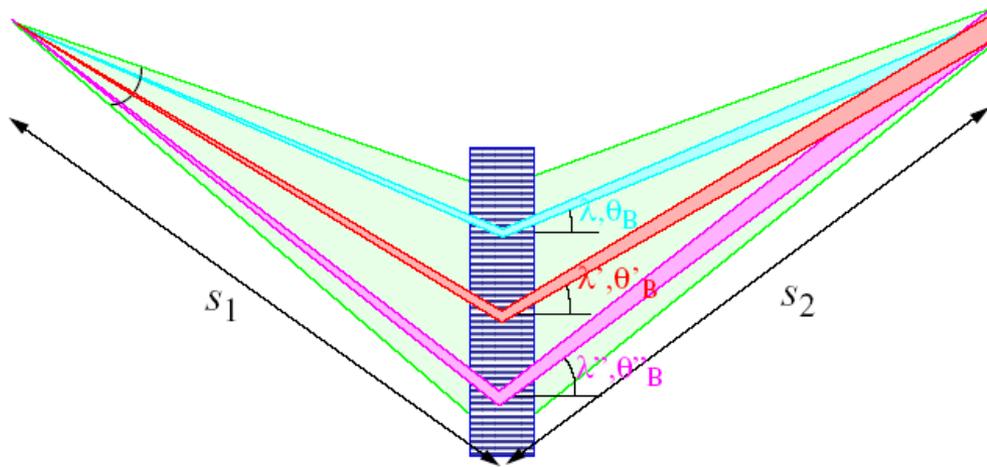


Si 111, $\alpha=0$, $\alpha=0.15$ deg

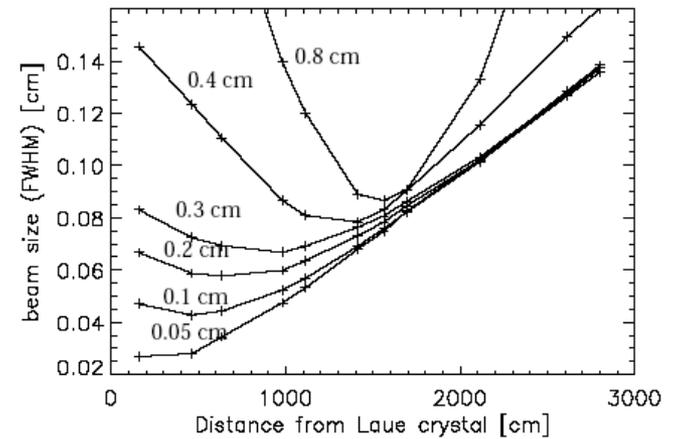
8 keV, $\Delta E \sim 1$ eV



“Polychromatic focusing” with flat Laue crystals is fake focusing



M. Sanchez del Rio et al, Rev Sci Instrum, 66 (11)
5148- 5152, Nov 1995



Extreme asymmetry (backscattering) produces a rainbow effect

Shvyd'ko 2006 PRL 97, 235502

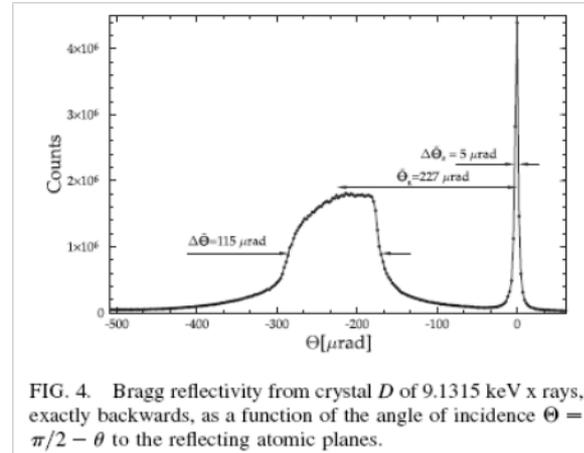
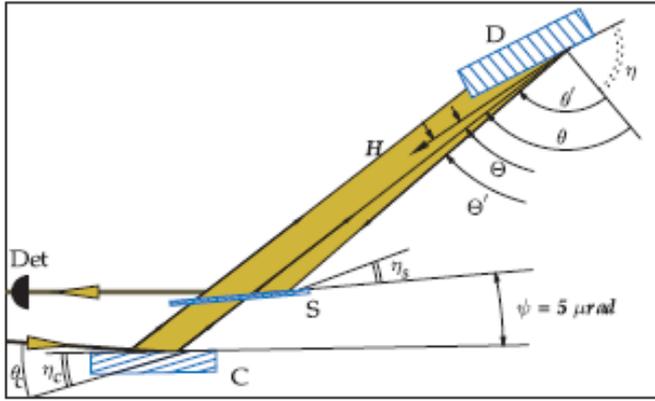
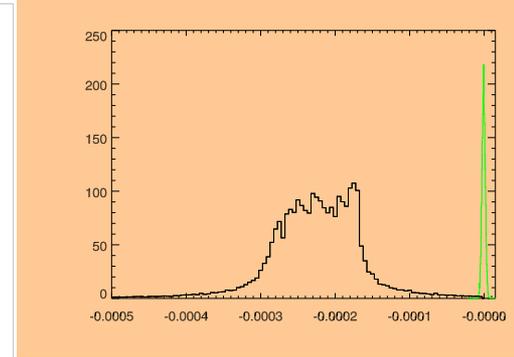
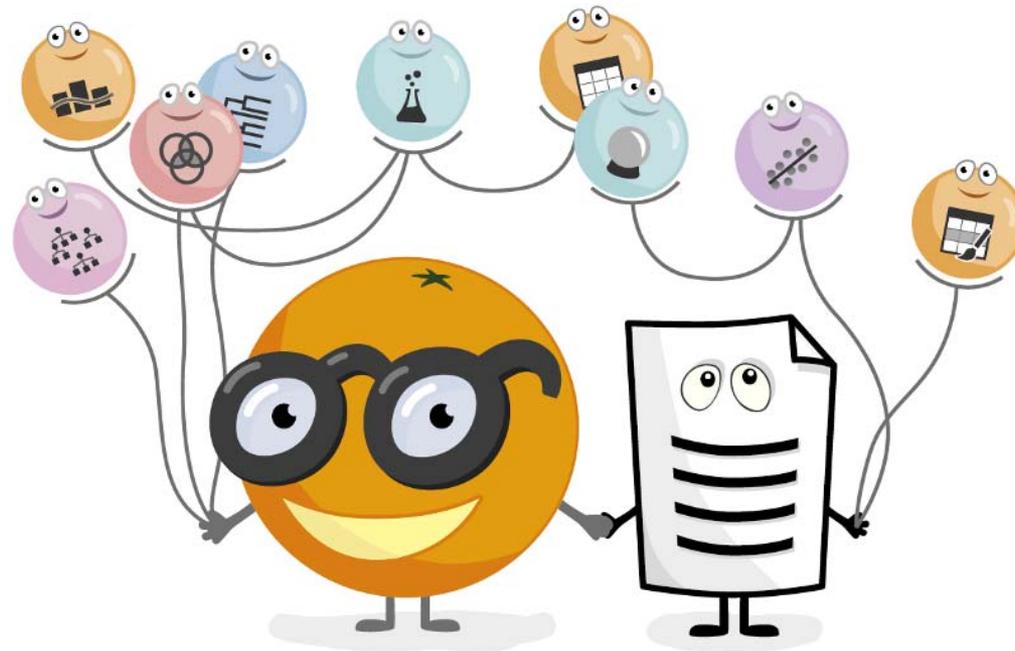


FIG. 4. Bragg reflectivity from crystal *D* of 9.1315 keV x rays, exactly backwards, as a function of the angle of incidence $\theta = \pi/2 - \theta'$ to the reflecting atomic planes.



See you in the practical session to model your beamline like you were playing video games!!





Thanks!