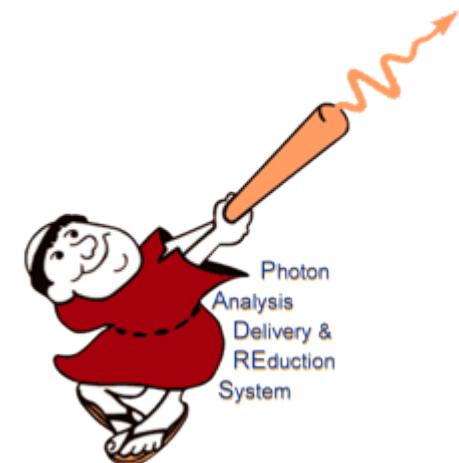
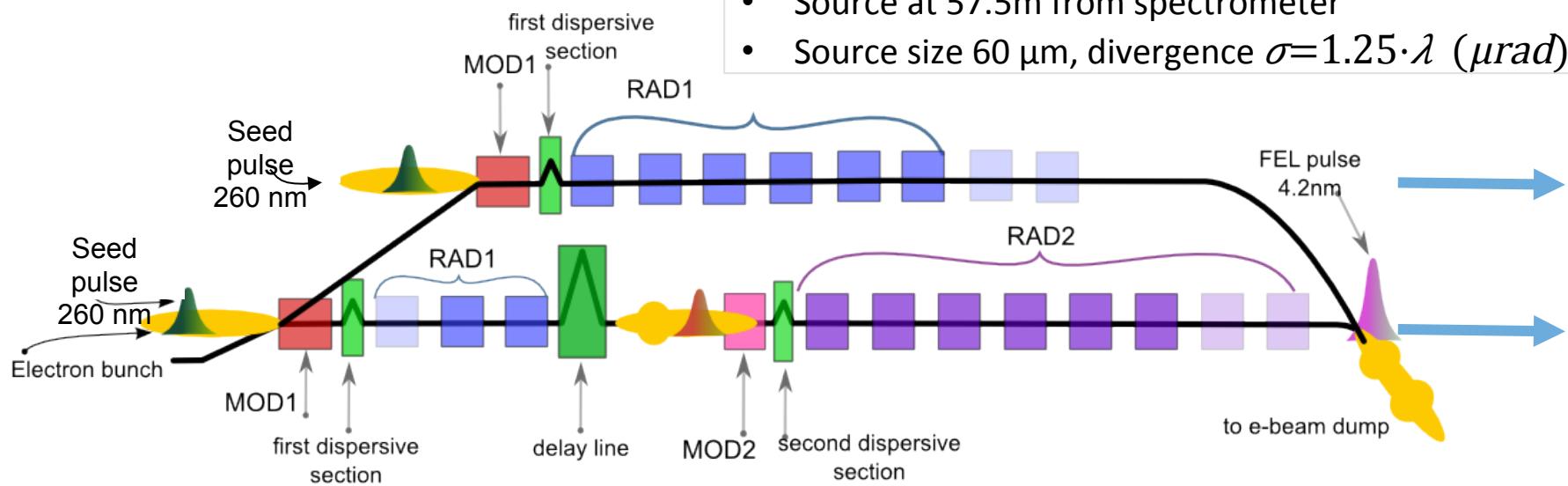


# Recent results from PADReS at Fermi@Elettra

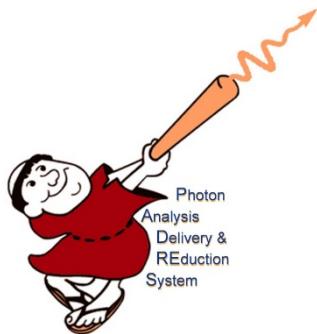
Nicola MAHNE  
on behalf of PADReS group



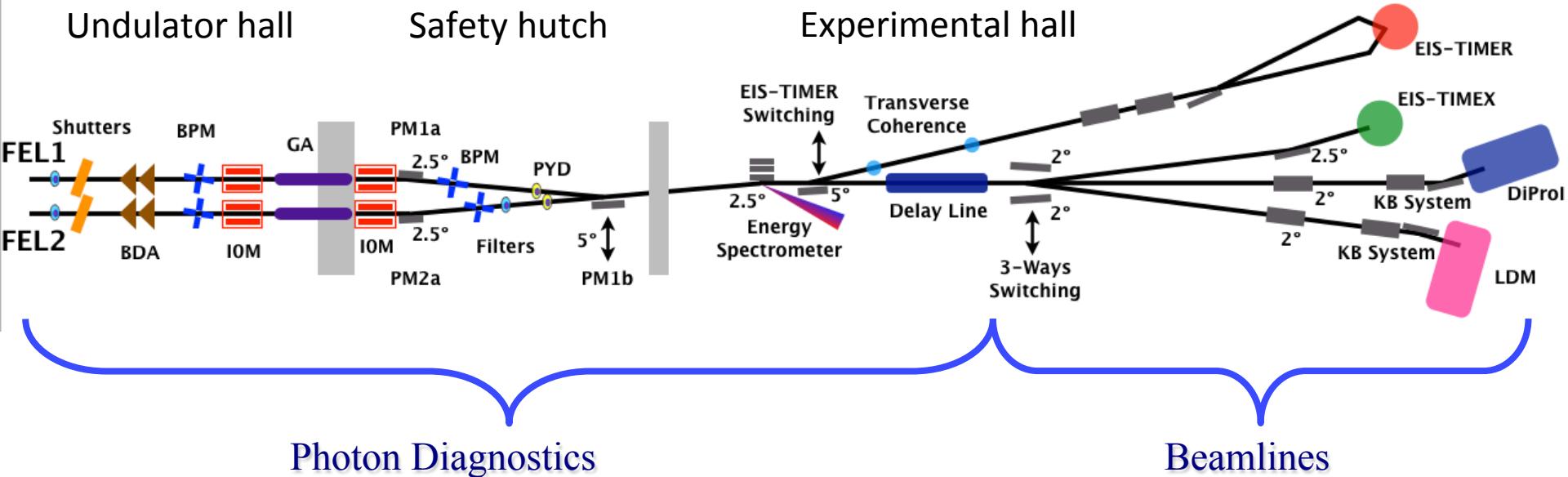
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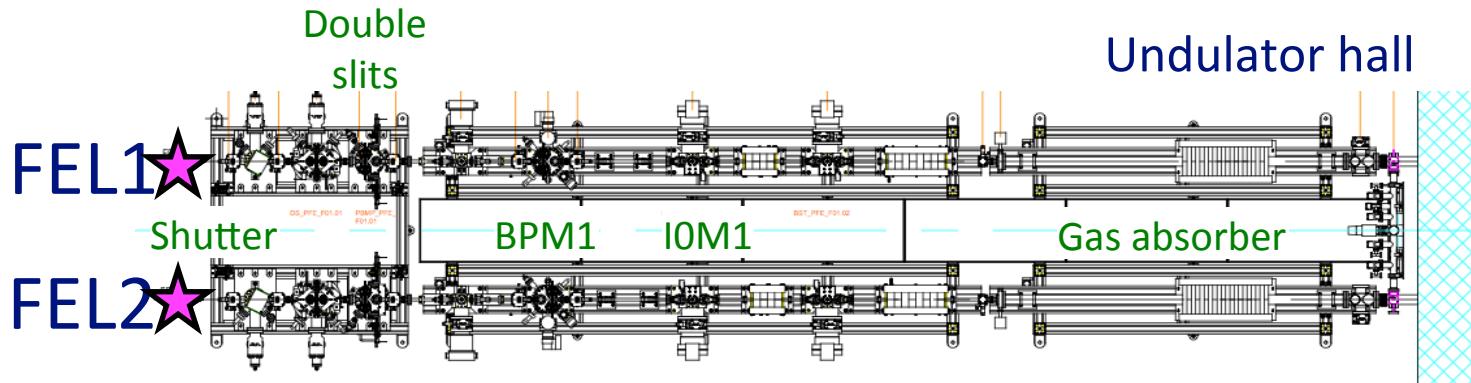


**FEL2:**  $5\text{ nm} \leq \lambda \leq 20\text{ nm}$   
 Source at 49.8m from spectrometer  
 Source size  $123\text{ }\mu\text{m}$ , divergence  $\sigma = 1.5 \cdot \lambda (\mu\text{rad})$



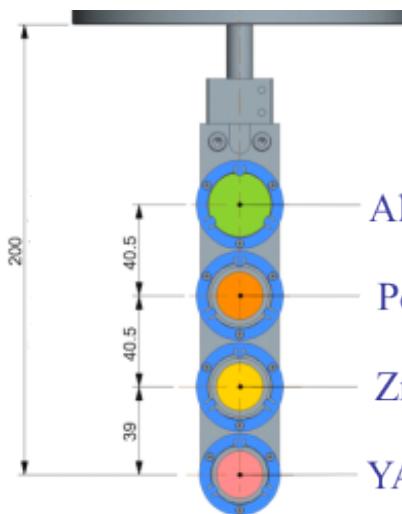
## Photon Analysis Delivery and Reduction System



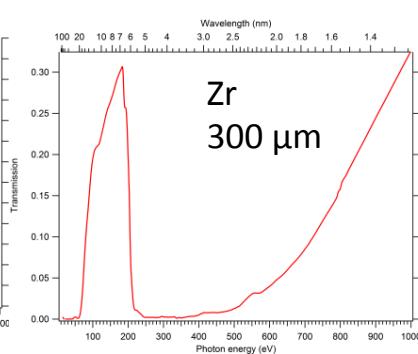
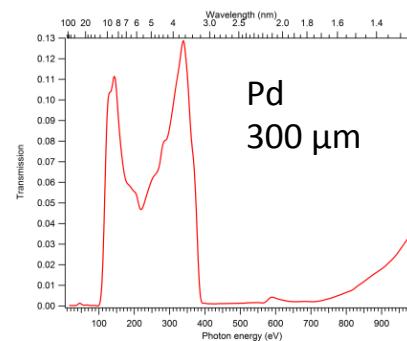


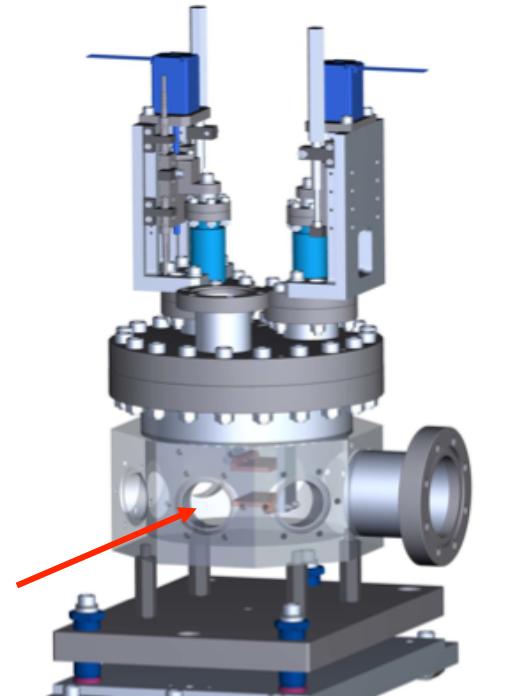
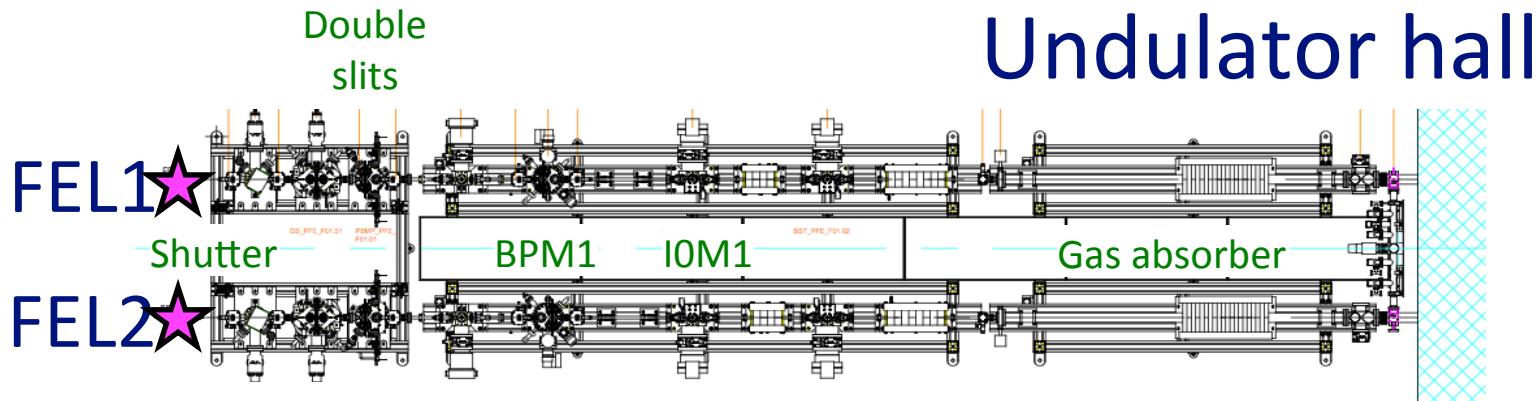
### Filters used for

- Intensity attenuation
- Rejection of seed laser
- Rejection of higher harmonics
- Rejection of radiation of the first stage of FEL2 (Pd and Zr)



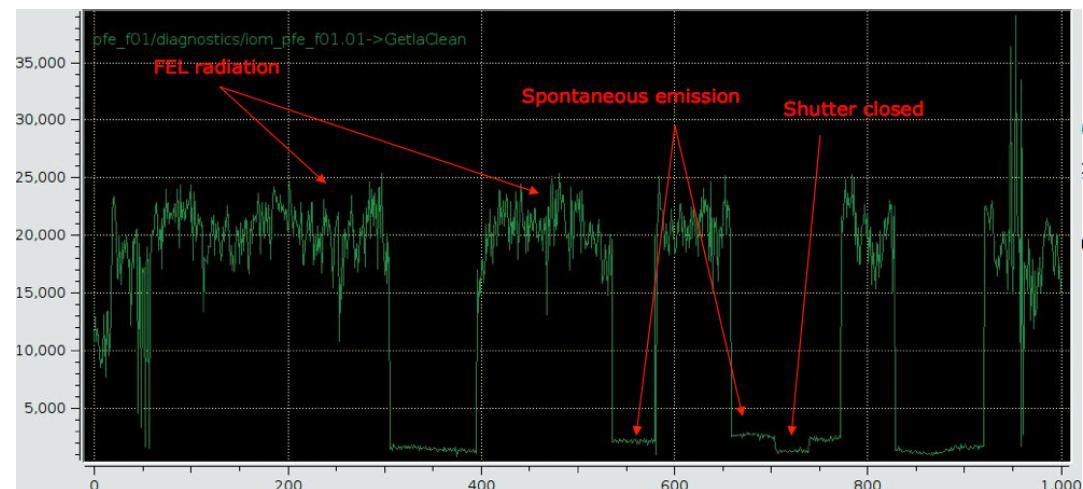
**Al (0.2  $\mu m$ ) Filter**  
**Pd (0.3  $\mu m$ )** transmissions have  
 been calibrated on  
**Zr (0.3  $\mu m$ )** the BEAR  
 beamline @Elettra  
**YAG**





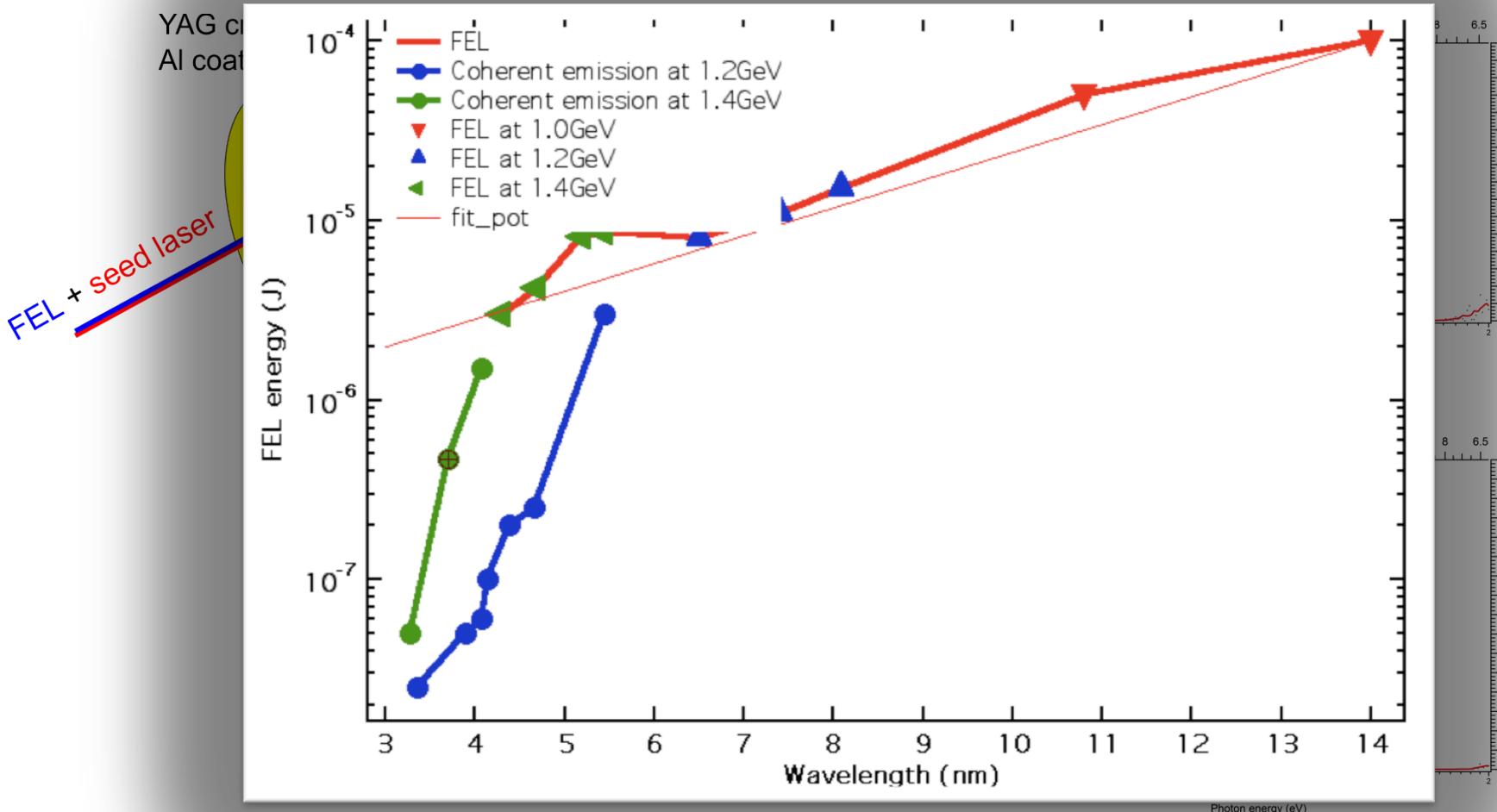
### IO monitor (IOM)

- works online and shot-to-shot
- is "transparent" to radiation
- gives power of radiation per pulse (after calibration)

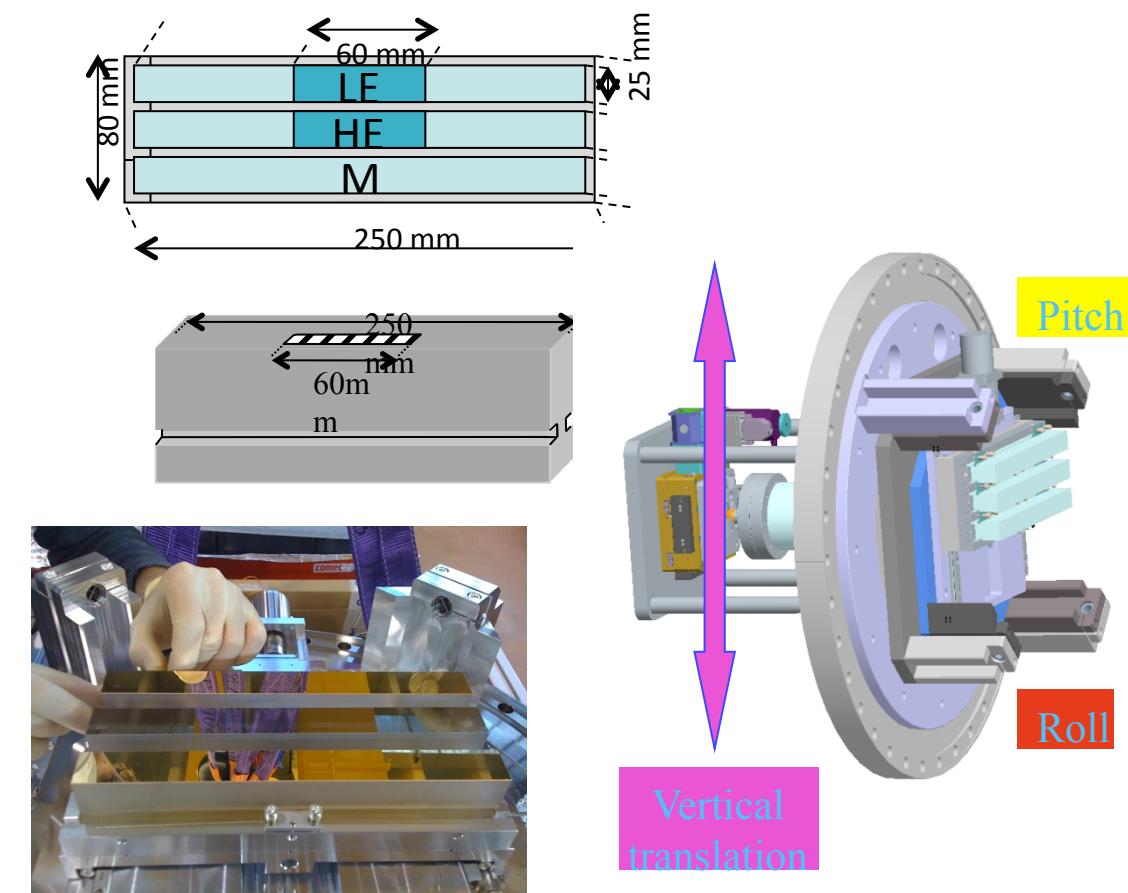
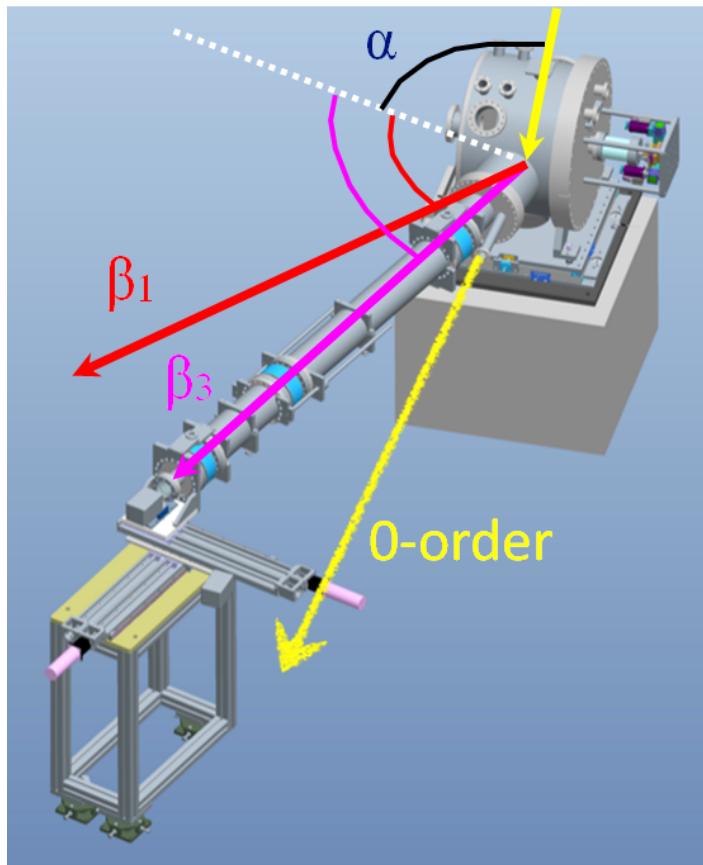


## IOM calibration

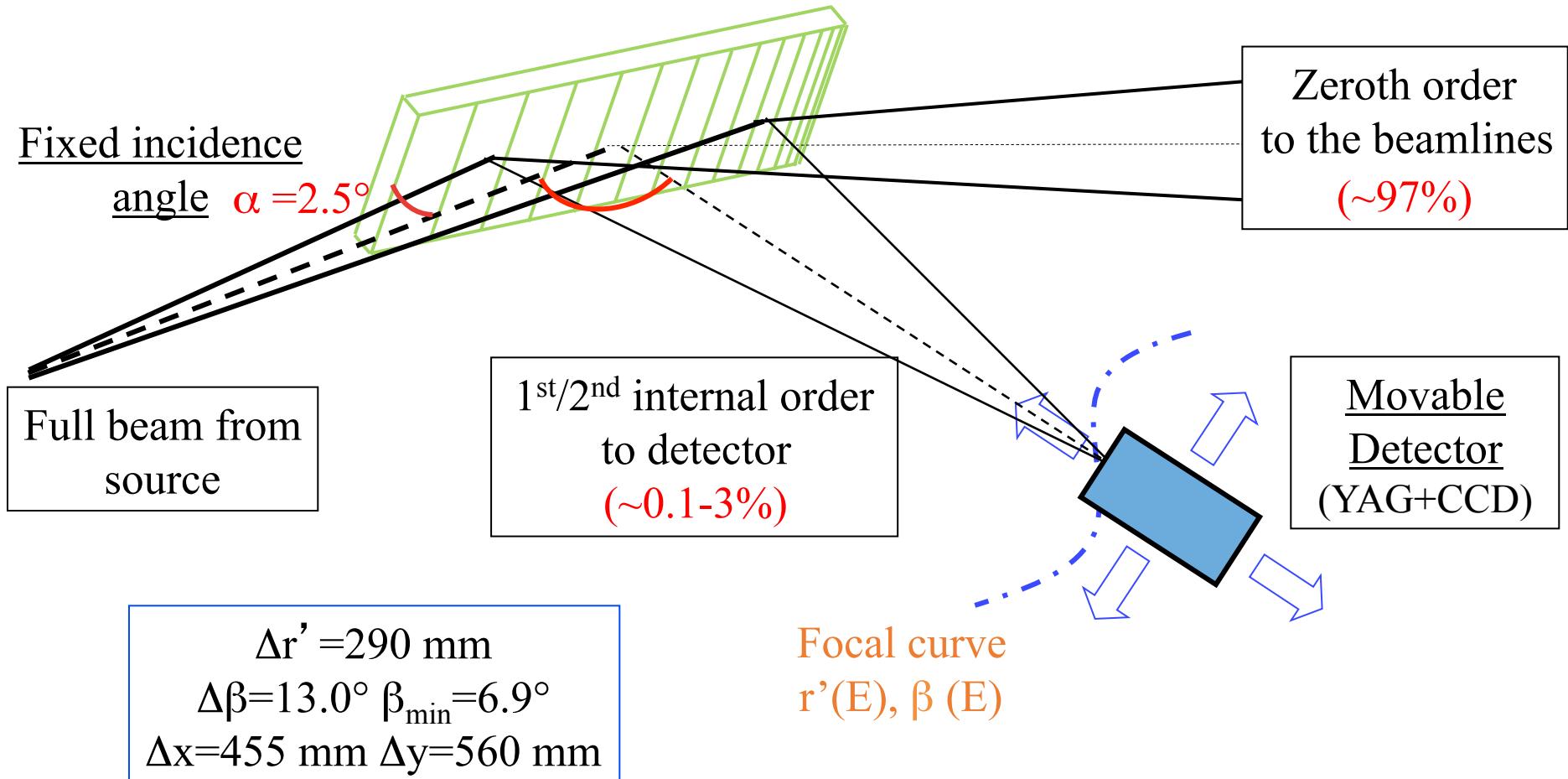
PYD detector



# PRESTO: Pulse Resolved Energy Spectrometer: Transparent and Online



## VLS grating



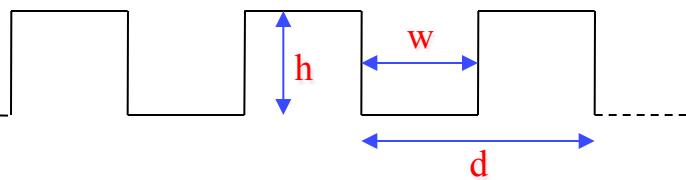
## Groove density expanded in Taylor series

$$N(w) = D_0 + D_1 w + D_2 w^2 + D_3 w^3 + \dots$$

$h$  = groove depth

$w$  = groove width

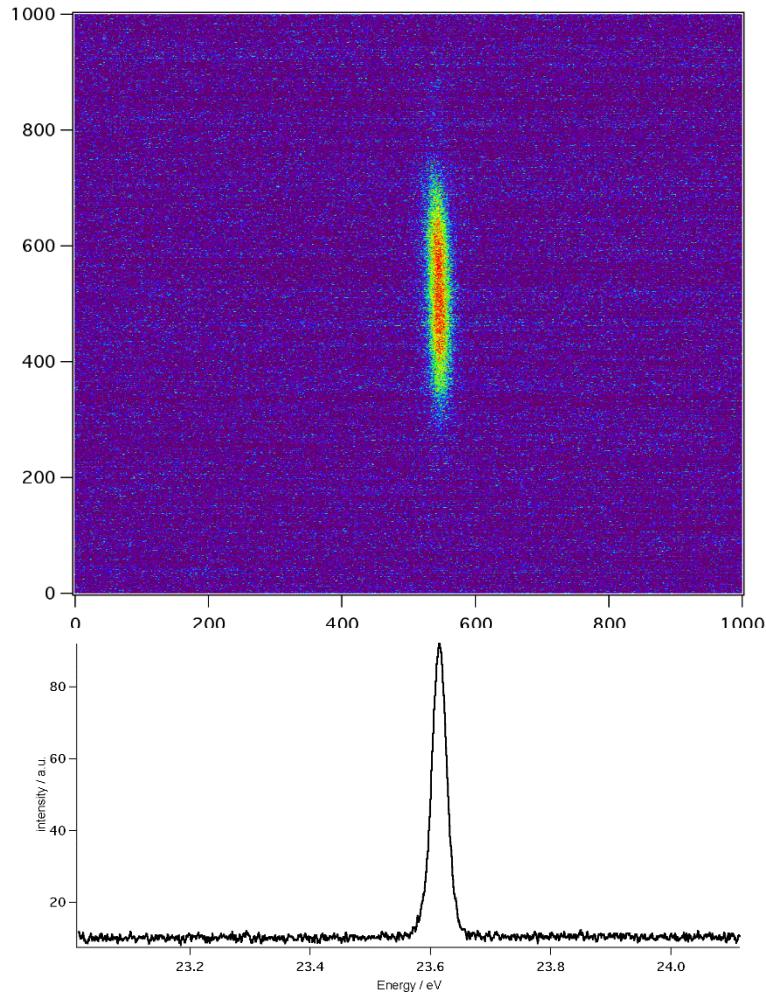
$d$  = groove spacing



Parameter	LE	HE
Wavelength range m=1 (nm)	24-100	6.6-27
Wavelength range m=2 (nm)	12-50	3.3-13.5.
Energy Resolution (meV)	0.2-2.9	0.3-9.5
$D_0$ (l/mm)	500	1800
$D_1$ (l/mm <sup>2</sup> )	0.35	1.26
$D_2$ (l/mm <sup>3</sup> )	$1.7 \times 10^{-4}$	$6.3 \times 10^{-4}$
Groove profile	Laminar	Laminar
Groove height (nm)	12	4
Groove ration (w/d)	0.60	0.65
Coating Material / Thickness	a-C / 50 nm	Au / 50 nm

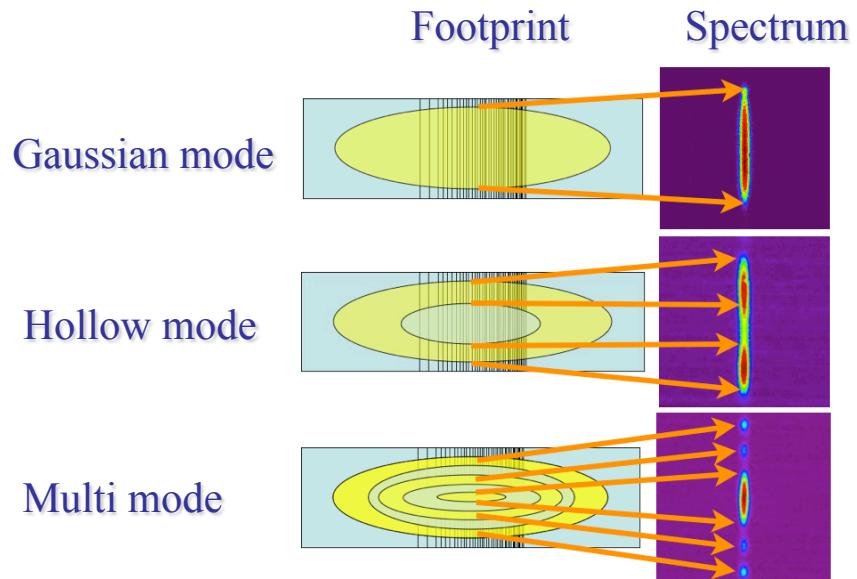
**HORIBA** JOBIN YVON

**SINCOATEC**  
innovative coating technologies gmbh



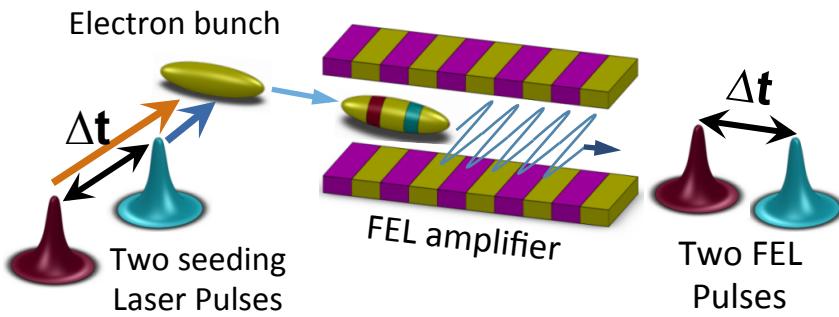
PRESTO gives information on:

- Energy distribution
- Energy peak position
- Energy Bandwidth
- Vertical intensity distribution (projected)
- Angular divergence
- Intensity estimation

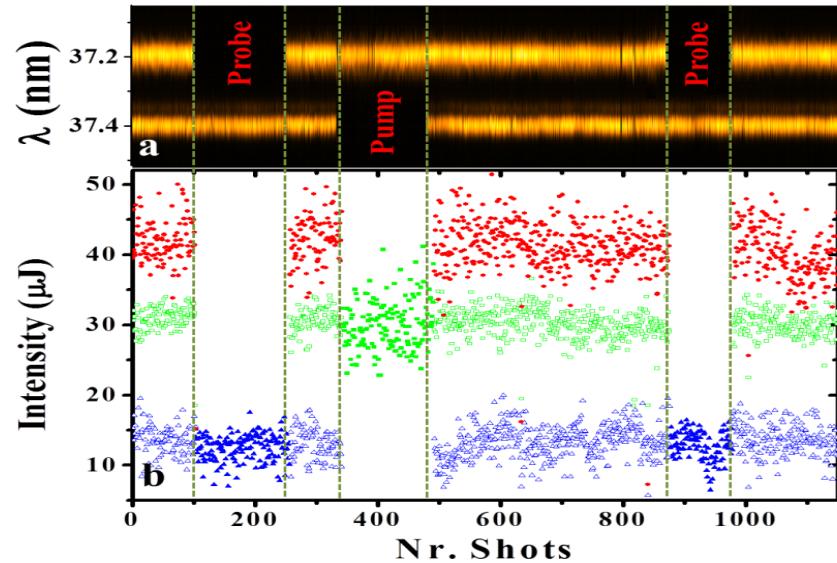
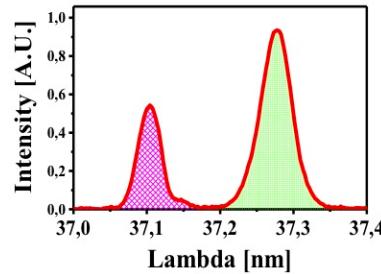
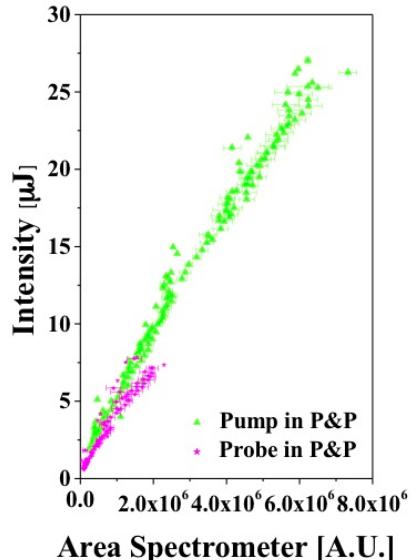


# Two-colors experiment

*Pulses Generation Scheme*

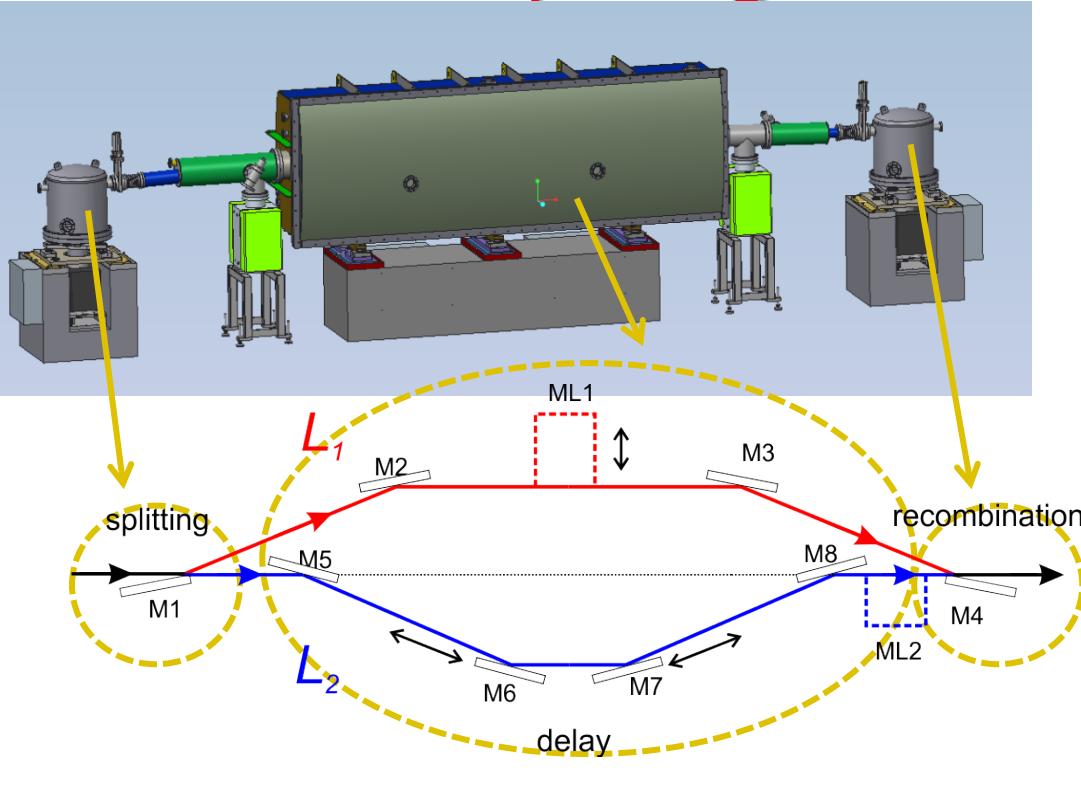


Achievable delay: 300 – 700 fs (Dec. 2012)



Possibility of measuring simultaneously the intensity of the two components measuring the areas of the peaks

# Splitting and delay line



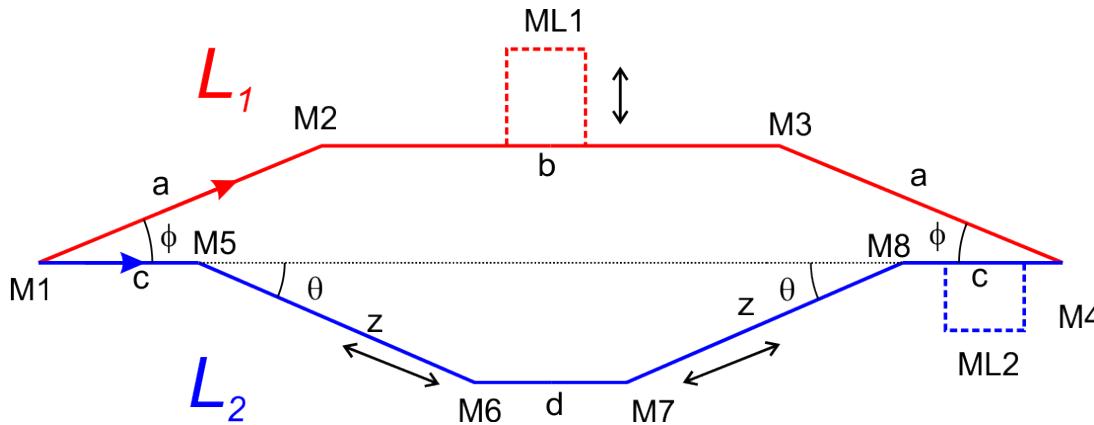
- 8 x Au coated plane mirrors
- Two additional delay achieved with ML mirrors at 45° (to be defined)

To be commissioned soon with FEL...

First tests (visible laser)



# Dela y



$$\Delta L = L \downarrow 1 - L \downarrow 2 = 2a(1 - \cos\phi) - 2z(1 - \cos\theta)$$

without ML branches

$$(290 \pm 0.01) \text{ mm} \leq z \leq (1150 \pm 0.01) \text{ mm}$$

$$-0.45 \text{ mm} \leq \Delta L \leq 9 \text{ mm}$$

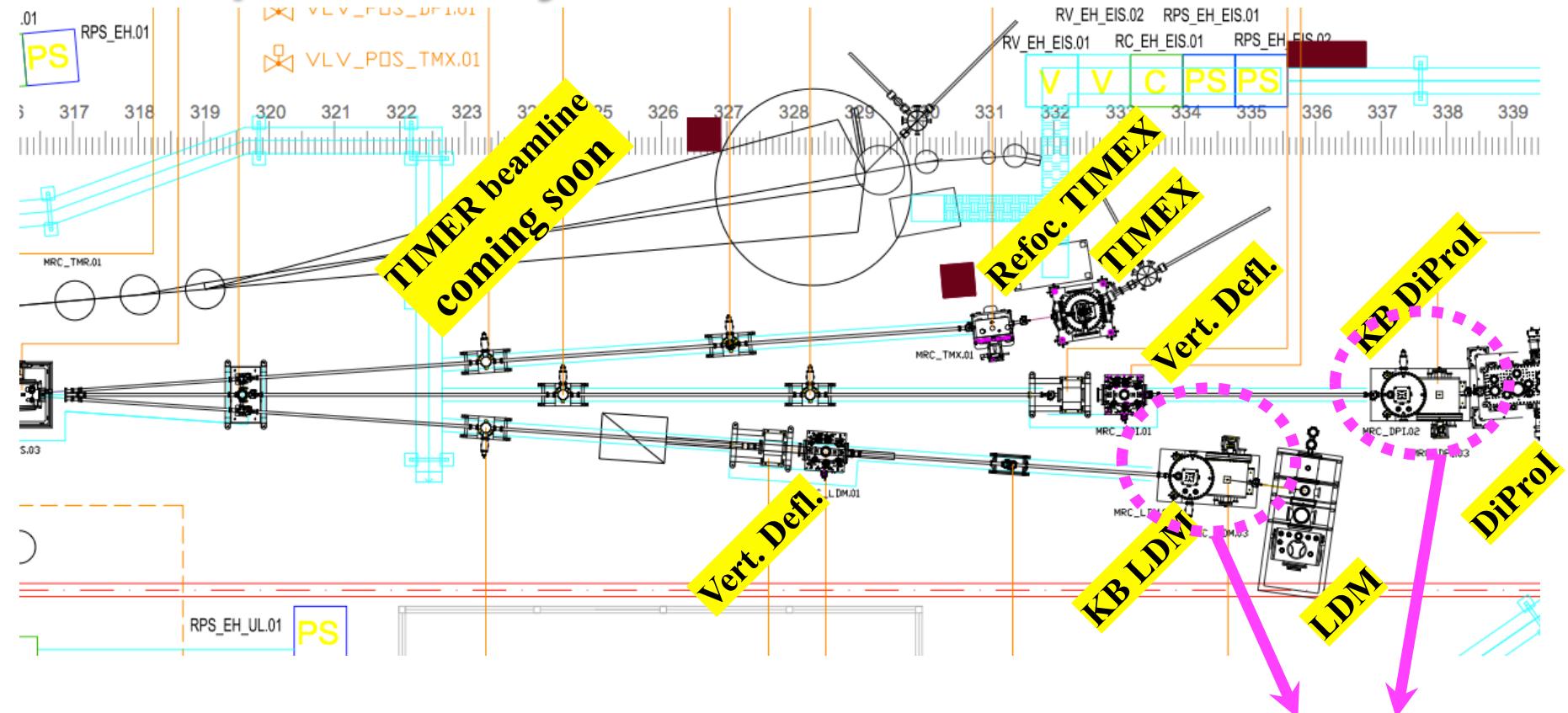


$-1.5 \text{ ps} \leq \Delta t \leq 30 \text{ ps}$        $\pm 0.1 \text{ fs}$

With ML1:  $\Delta t \downarrow 1 = 0.3 \div 1.5 \text{ ns}$

With ML2:  $\Delta t \downarrow 2 = 0.33 \text{ ns}$

# Optical layouts of the beamlines



So far 3 beamlines installed and operative:  
**EIS-TIMEX, DiProI, LDM**

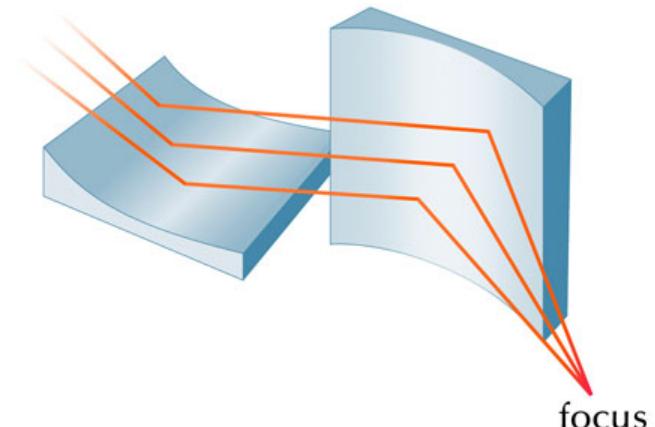
**Kirkpatrick-Baez (KB)  
active optics systems**

# K-B active optical system (DiProL + LDM)

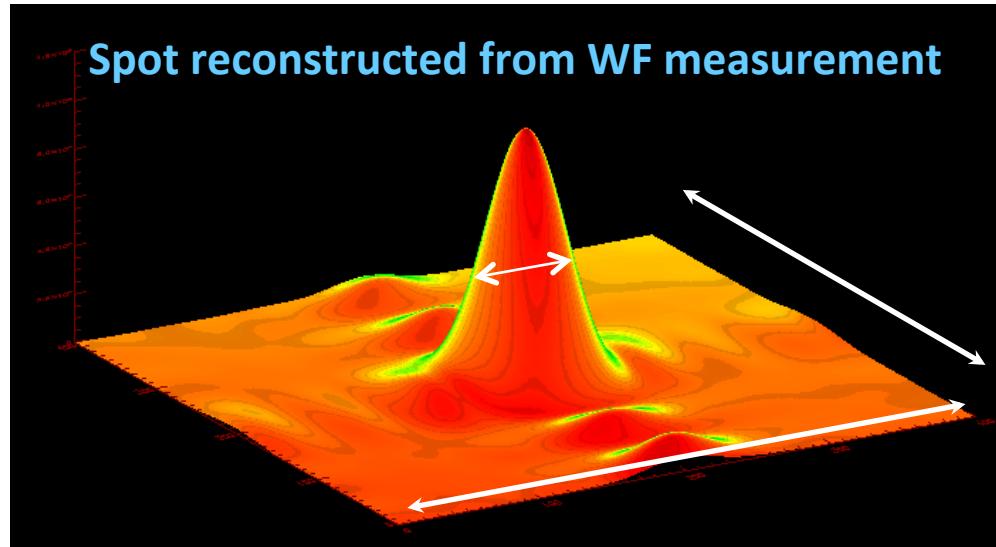
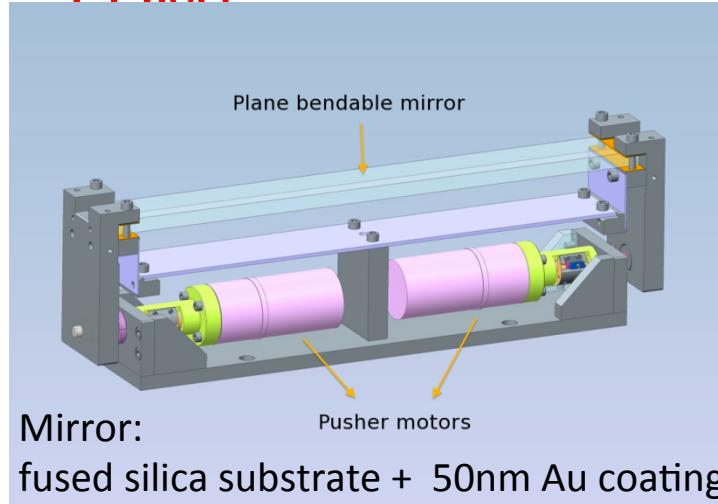
Necessity of high fluence in the focal plane  $\Rightarrow$  small spot  $\Rightarrow$  great demagnification

Advantages of K-B system with bendable mirrors

- Decoupling of vertical and horizontal components
- Focalization of two sources (FEL1 and FEL2), placed at different distances, with the same mirror pair
- Possibility of changing the focal plane position
- Possibility of correction of the beam wavefront with different source conditions



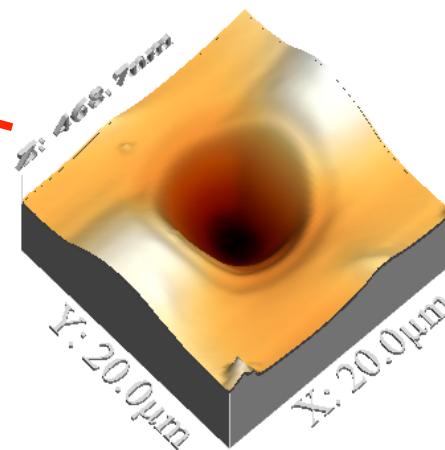
## K-B active optical system (DiProl + LDM)



Spot size:  
 $10 \times 10 \mu\text{m}^2$  FWHM

To be compared with

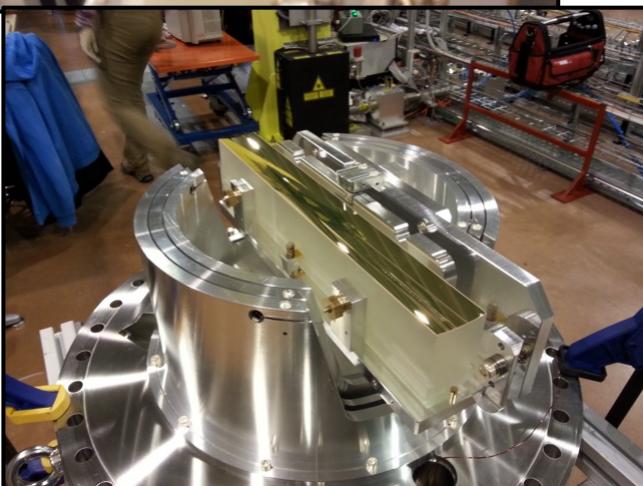
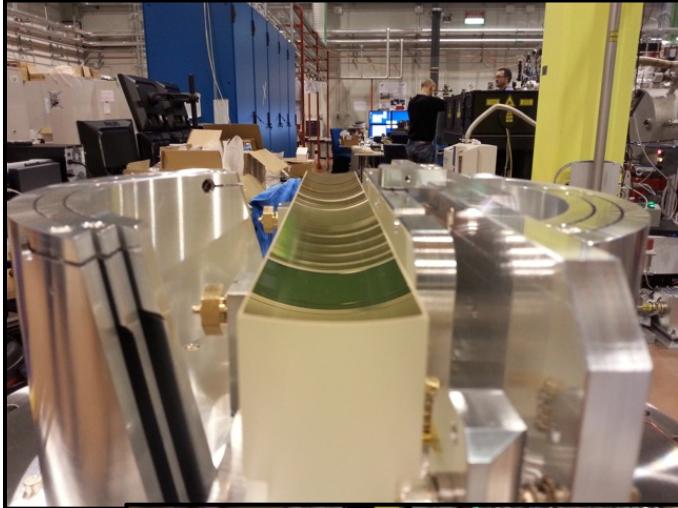
- Diffraction limited spot size =  $4.1 \times 5.9 \mu\text{m}^2$
  - Simulated spot size (using the profiles measured with LTP) =  $5.1 \times 6.0 \mu\text{m}^2$
- $\lambda = 37.2 \text{ nm}$



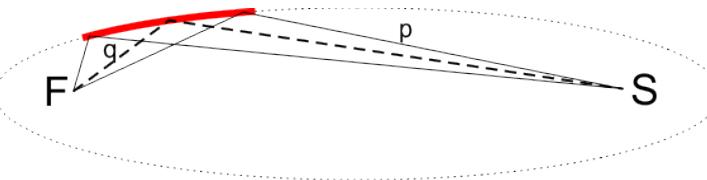
Damage on PMMA



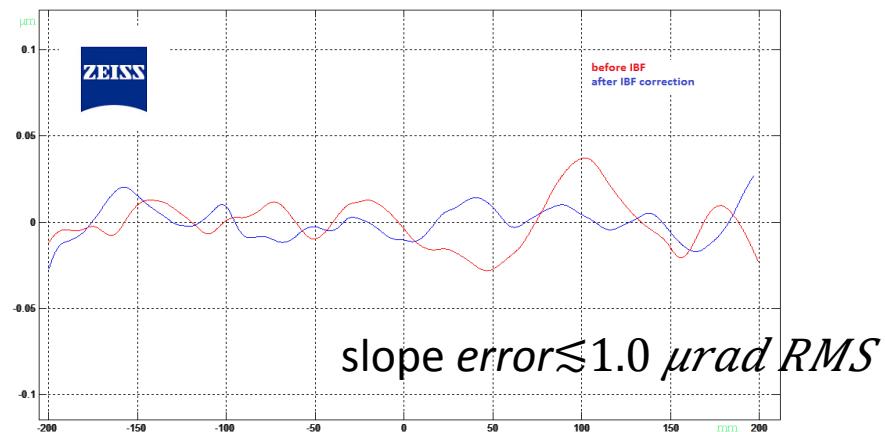
# Focusing with ellipsoidal mirror (TIMEFX)

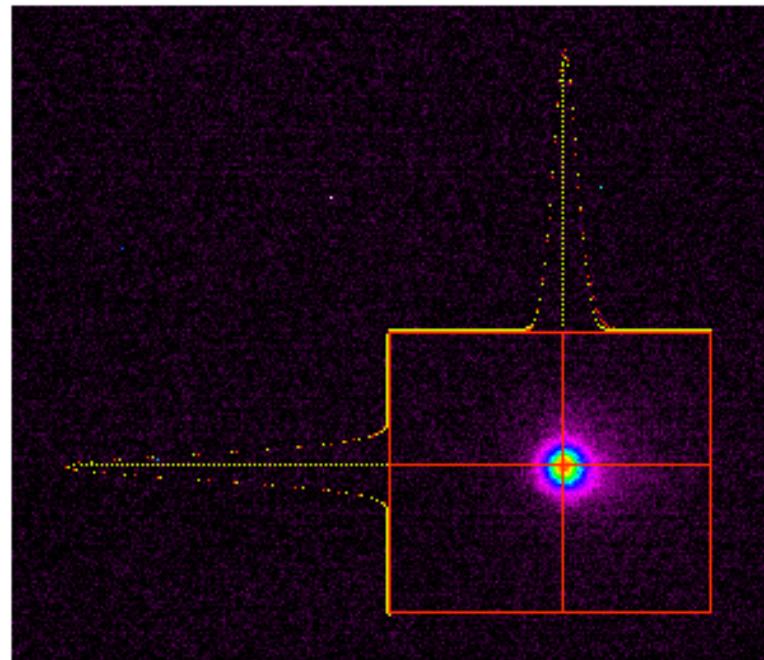


Necessity of high fluence in the focal plane  $\Rightarrow$   
small spot  $\Rightarrow$  great demagnification



Source distance: 84.85 m  
Focal distance: 1.4 m  
Inc. angle: 2.5°





Mirror design optimized for FEL2.  
Nevertheless with FEL1 ( $\lambda=27\text{ nm}$ ), we obtained  
a Gaussian focus with  $\sigma=4\mu\text{m}$  (FWHM=9.4 $\mu\text{m}$ )!

# Summary

PADReS can...

- give information on
  - radiation intensity (IOM, PRESTO) *shot-to-shot*
  - spectral content of the radiation (PRESTO)
  - "quality" of the beam (PRESTO)
- reject "undesired" components of the light (seed laser, higher harmonics, radiation of the 1<sup>st</sup> stage in FEL2) by means of filters
- split the beam and delay the two parts (pump and probe experiments, measure of the longitudinal coherence,...)
- provide good focusing in the experimental stations, using K-B active optics system (DiProl and LDM) or ellipsoidal mirror (TIMEX)
- ...

# Thank you for your attention!

With gas absorber the FEL intensity can be reduced by 4 order of magnitude.

