

Introduction to Synchrotron Radiation

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2015 - International year of light



United Nations designated *2015 as the International Year of Light and Light-based Technologies.*

2015 marks many anniversaries:

- *1015 - first scientific accounts of optics published by the Islamic scholar Ibn al-Haytham*
- *1815 - August Fresnel's proposal that light is a wave*
- *1865 - James Clerk Maxwell's electromagnetic theory of light*
- *1915 - Albert Einstein's general theory of relativity*
- *1965 - discovery of the cosmic microwave background radiation and the development of optical fibers for communication*
- *2014 (!) - Nobel Prize in Physics was awarded jointly to I. Akasaki, H. Amano and S. Nakamura "for the invention of efficient blue light-emitting diodes which has enabled bright and energy-saving white light sources"*

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Outline

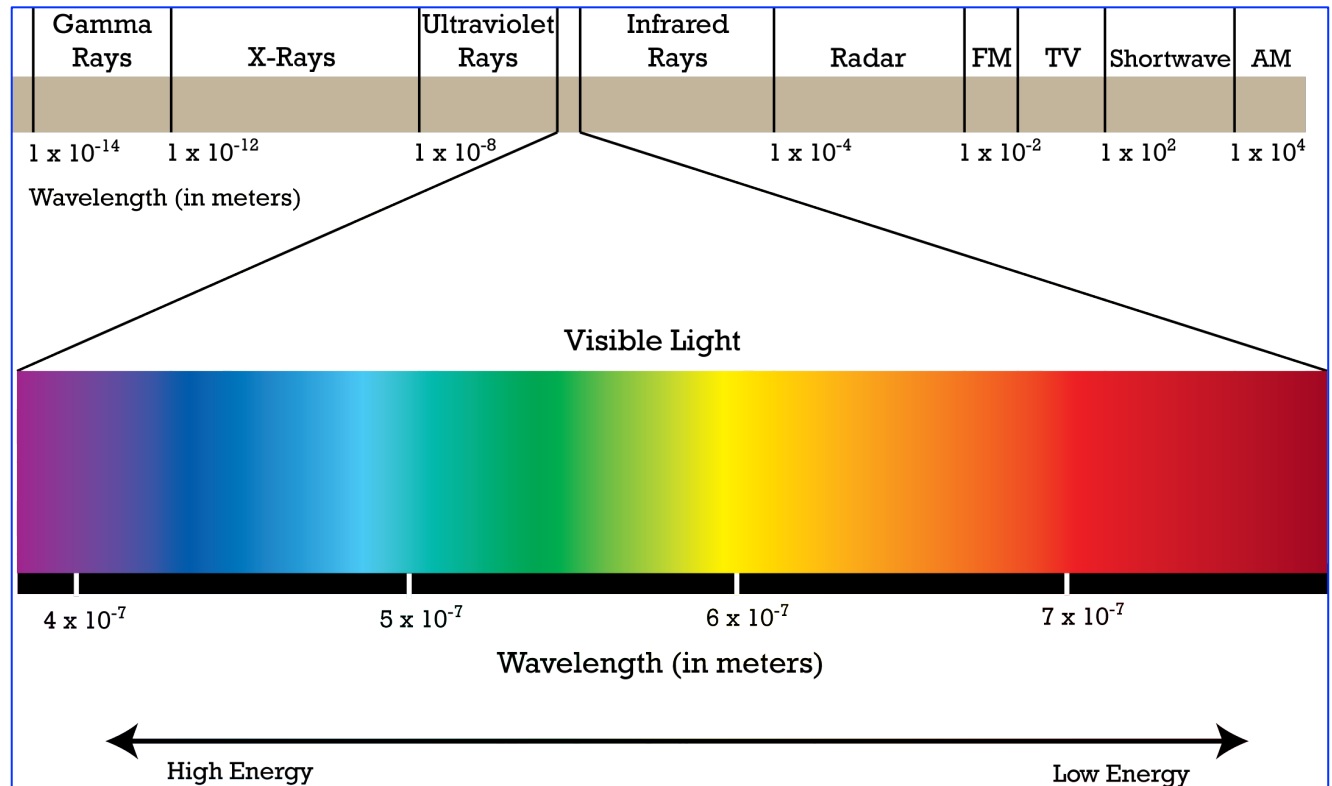
- *Light, light sources, brightness and x-rays*
- *Synchrotron light*
- *Main properties*
- *Sources of Synchrotron Radiation*
- *Short history*
- *Present and future*
- *Some applications*

Light

Progress in science goes in parallel with the technical progress in producing and using light at different wavelengths to explore the physical world.

Light

Visible light is only a *tiny slice of the electromagnetic spectrum*. The entire electromagnetic spectrum of light is huge, spanning from *gamma rays on one end to radio waves*.

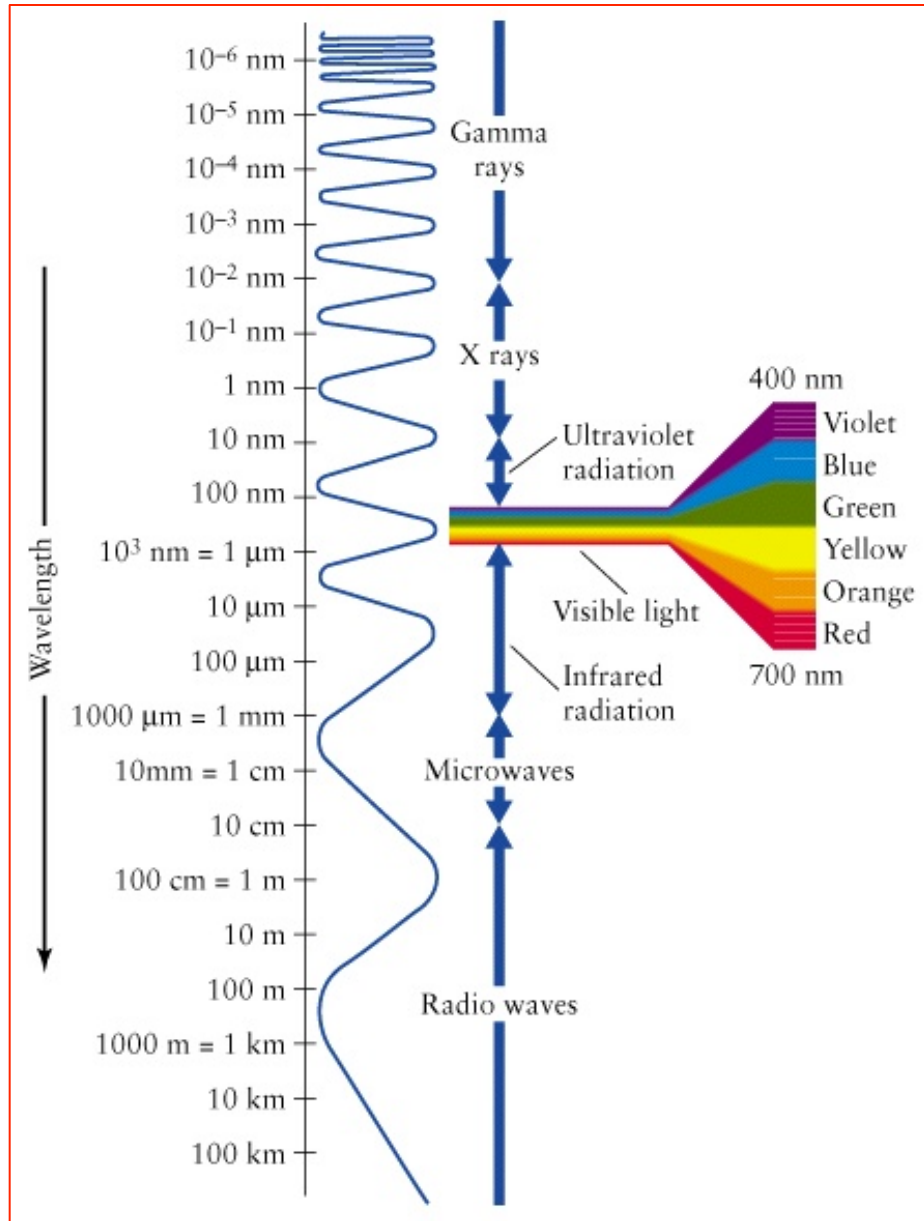
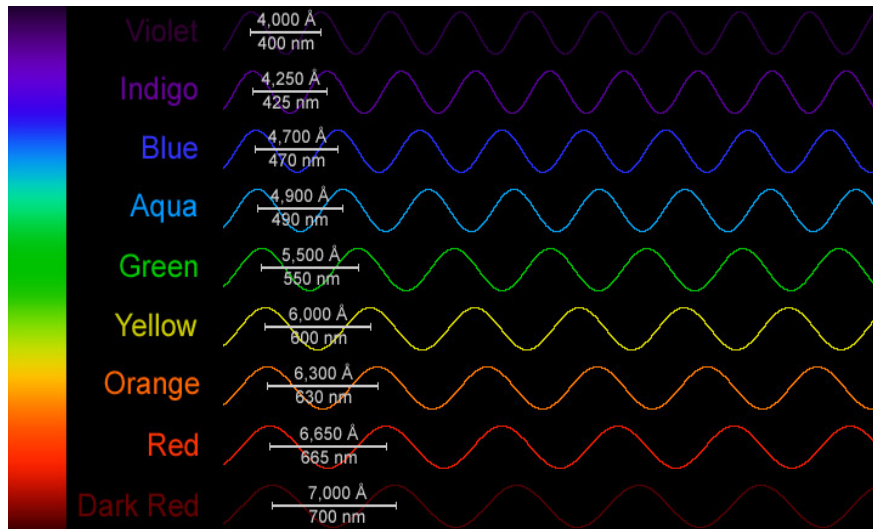
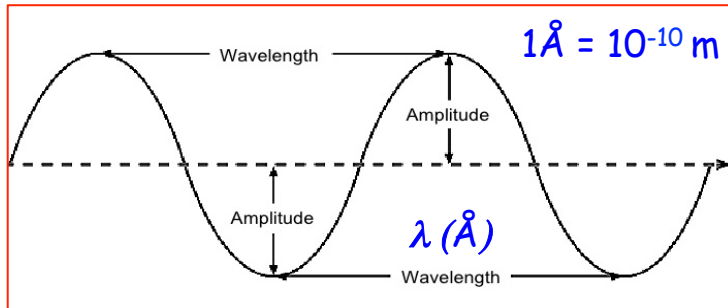


Visible Light is the light we can see using our eyes. This tiny human spectrum encompasses a very specific range of wavelengths from about **380 nm to 780 nm**.

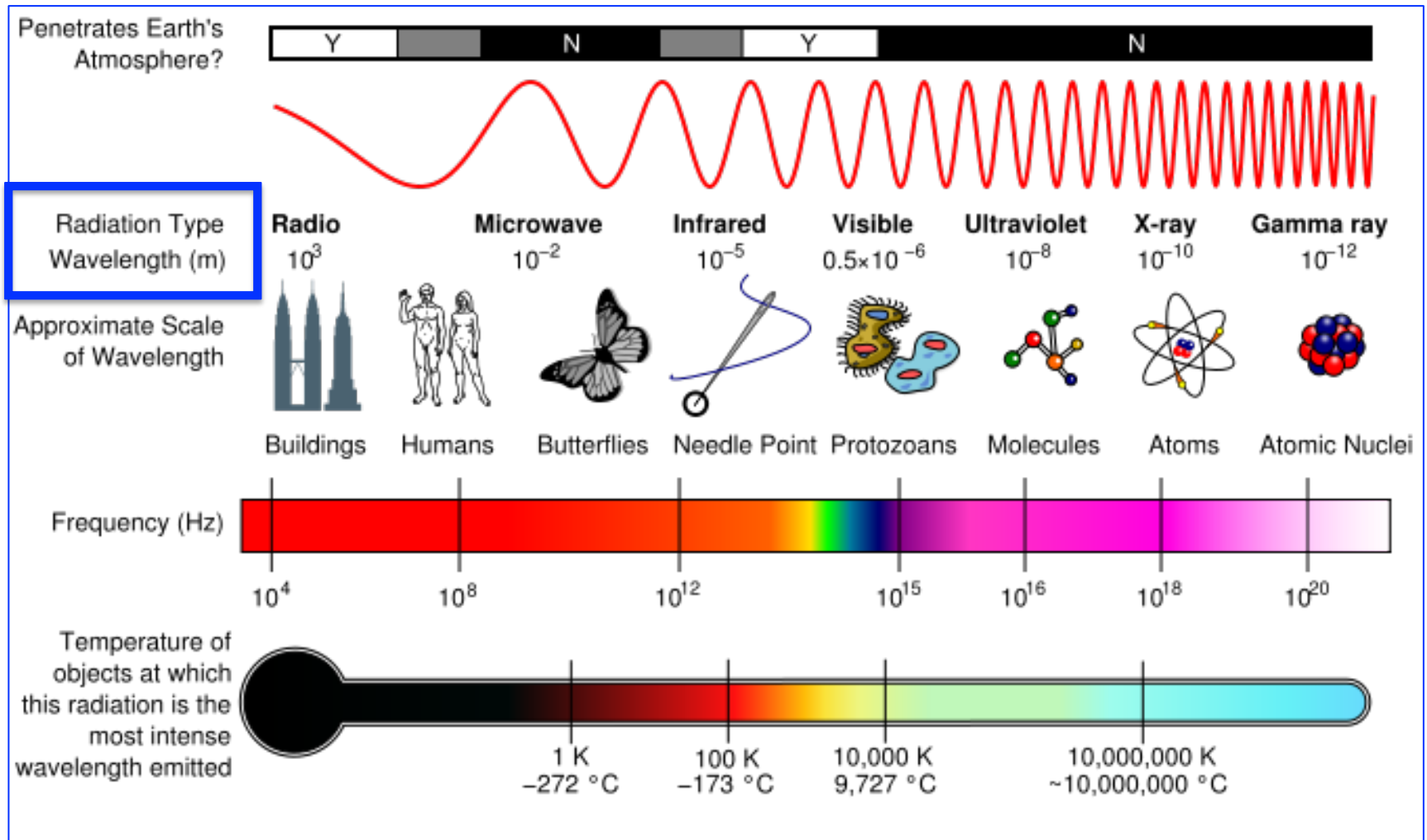
Physiologically we see these frequencies because the photoreceptors in our retinas are sensitive to them. When photons of light hit the photoreceptors this creates an electrochemical signal which is the first step in a fascinating process which ultimately results in us seeing colors.

Light and waves

Light travels as waves of energy.
Waves of light have different **wavelengths** (the distance between the top of one wave and the top of the next). **Different colors of visible light have different wavelengths.**



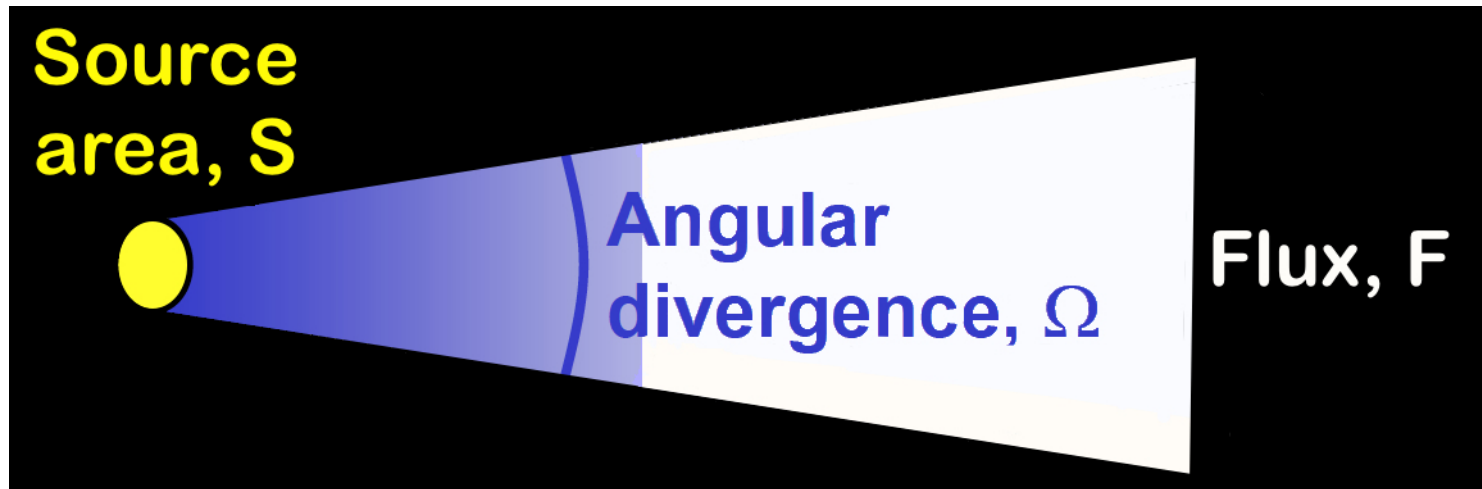
Electromagnetic Spectrum



The **wavelength** (λ) and **frequency** (ν) of light are strictly related: the higher the frequency the shorter the wavelength! This is because all light waves move through vacuum at the same speed (c = speed of light) and the equation that relates wavelength and frequency for electromagnetic waves is: $\lambda \nu = c$

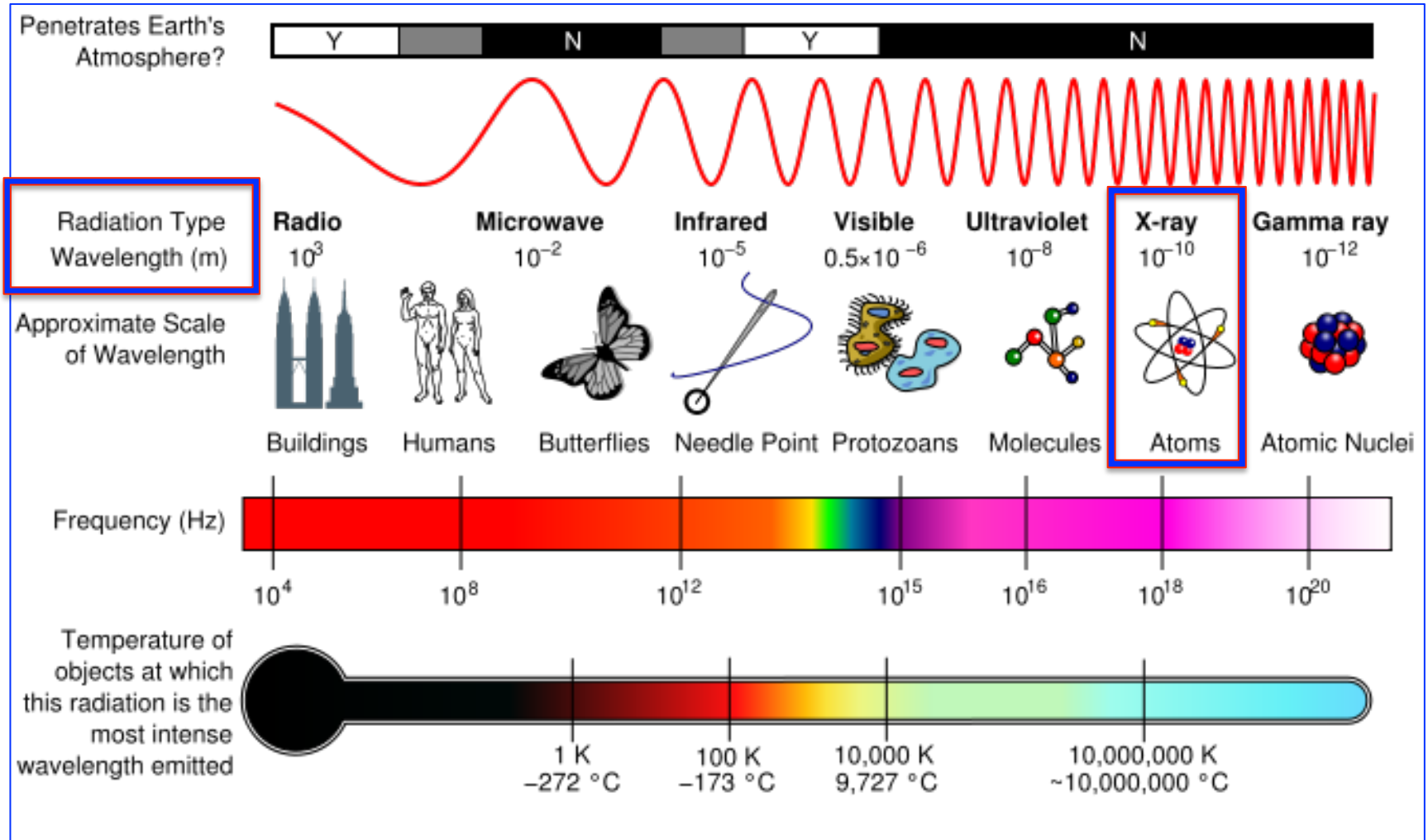
Light sources and brightness

A *bright source* is the one *very effective in illuminating a specific target*.
If the specific target is small a *bright source* is a *small size source with emission concentrated within a narrow angular spread*.



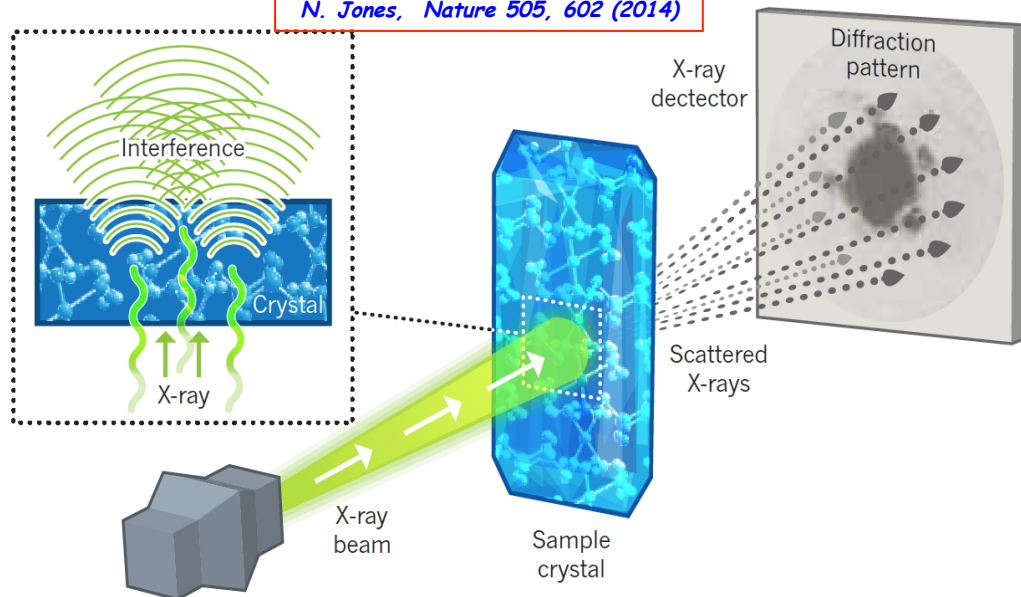
$$\text{Brightness} = \text{constant} \frac{F}{S \times \Omega}$$

Electromagnetic Spectrum and X-rays



X-rays and atoms

N. Jones, Nature 505, 602 (2014)



With X-rays we can study atoms because wavelengths are of the order of 10^{-10} m or 0.1 nm or $1\text{\AA}$

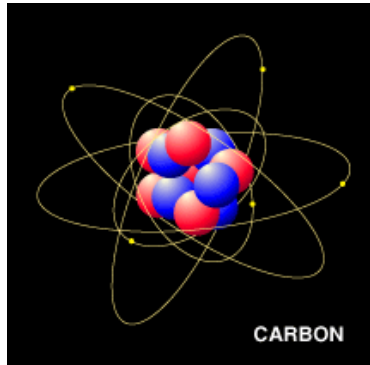
Matter is composed of atoms!

Using X-rays we can study the atomic structure of materials! The atomic structure primarily affects the chemical, physical, thermal, electrical, magnetic, and optical properties.



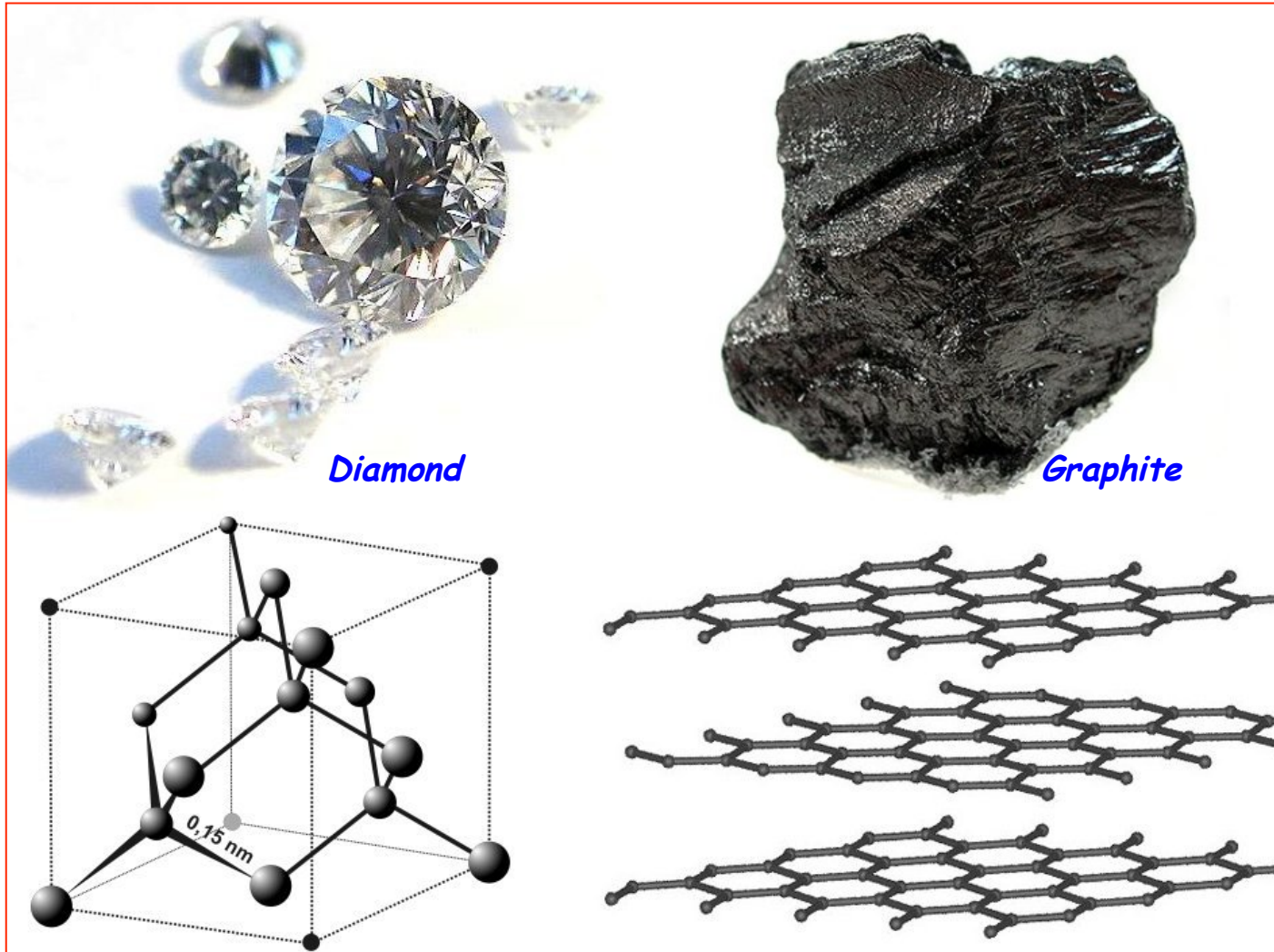
Why is this important?

X-rays and Atoms



Both diamond and graphite are made entirely out of carbon!

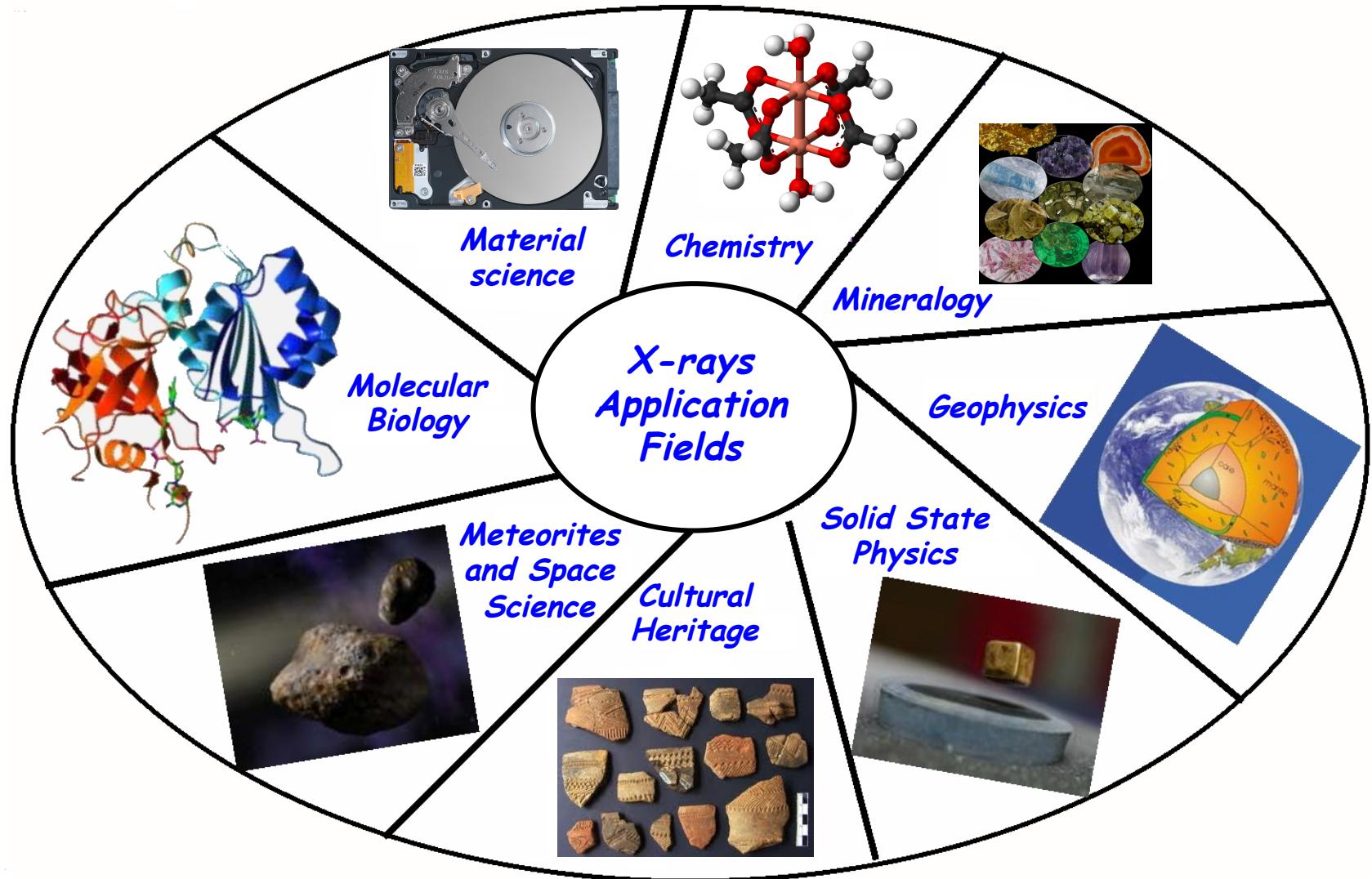
Using x-rays to reveal the atomic structure of materials



Graphite is opaque and metallic- to earthy-looking, while diamonds are transparent and brilliant.

The different properties of graphite and diamond arise from their distinct crystal structures.

X-rays application fields



Bright light sources?

HE particle accelerators

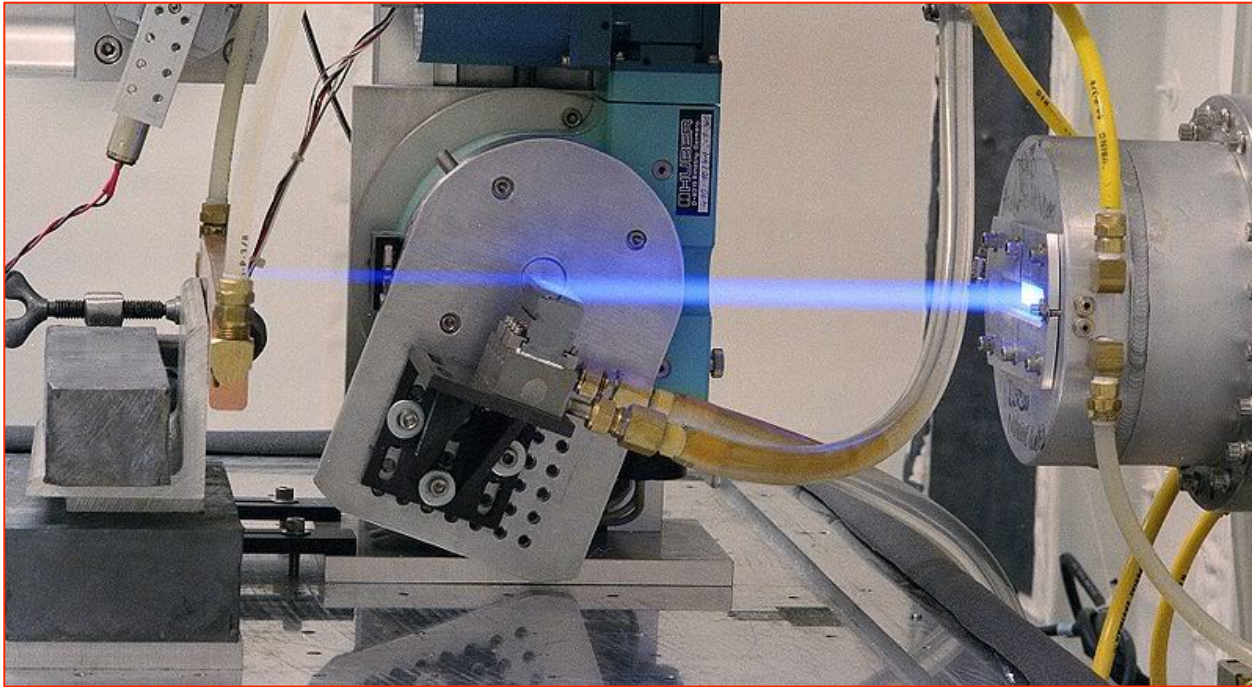


Relativistic effects



Synchrotron light

Synchrotron radiation and light sources



Synchrotron radiation opened a new era of accelerator-based light sources that have evolved rapidly over four generations:

- the first three-generations based on storage rings*
- the forth and fifth generation light sources based on FELs.*

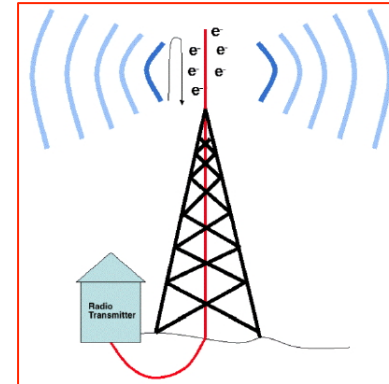
A dramatic improvement of brightness and coherence over about 70 years.

Synchrotron radiation

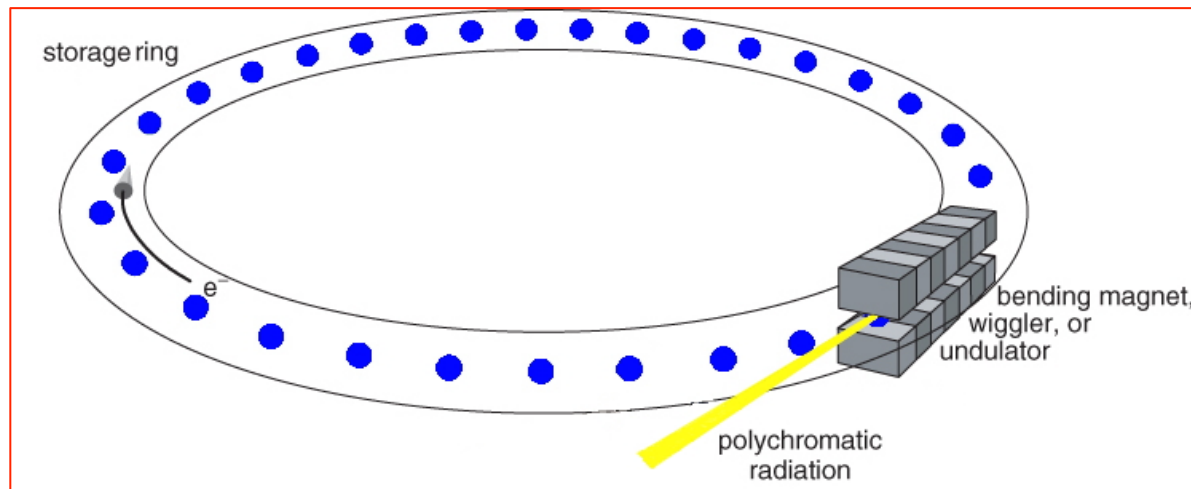
Synchrotron radiation

Accelerated charged particle, e^+ , e^- and ions, emit electromagnetic radiation like electric charges forced to oscillate along an antenna.

$$v \ll c \text{ or } \beta = v/c \ll 1$$

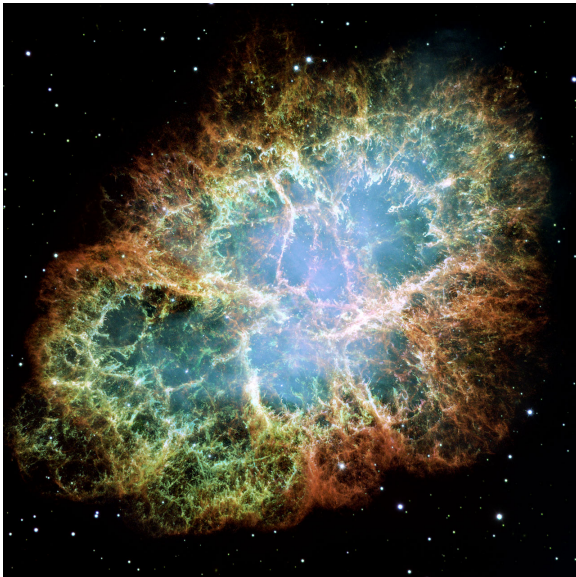


When charged particles, moving at relativistic speeds ($v \approx c$), are forced (Lorentz force) to change the direction of their motion (acceleration), under the effect of magnetic fields, in circular particle accelerators, like synchrotrons, the radiation produced is called **synchrotron radiation**.



$$v \approx c \text{ or } \beta = v/c \approx 1$$

Synchrotron light is present in nature!



Synchrotron radiation is a very important emission process in astrophysics!

Crab Nebula: remnant of a supernova explosion seen on earth by Chinese astronomers in 1054, at about 6500 light years from Earth in the constellation Taurus !

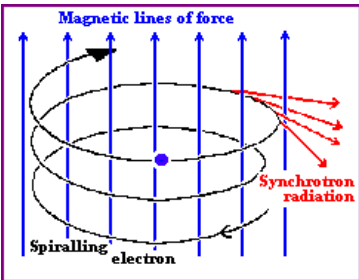
SR emission is produced by high energy electrons whirling around the magnetic fields lines originating from a Pulsar

The heart of the nebula is a rapidly-spinning neutron star, a pulsar, that powers the strongly polarised bluish 'synchrotron' nebula.

The Crab pulsar is slowing at the rate of about 10^{-8} sec per day, and the corresponding energy loss agrees well with the energy needed to keep the nebula luminous. Some of this luminosity takes the form of synchrotron radiation, requiring a source of energy for accelerating charged particles.

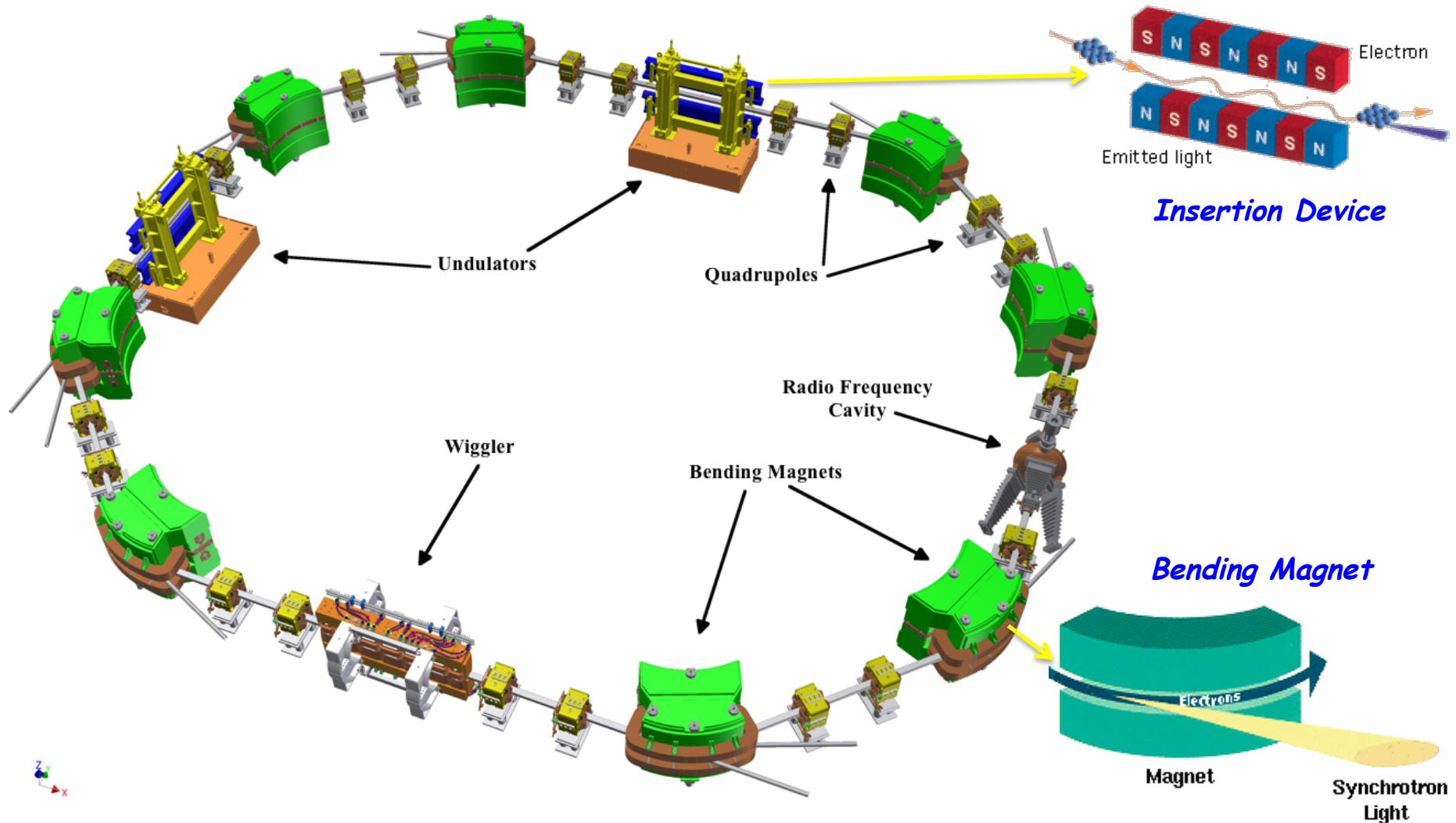
Composite image data from three of NASA's Great Observatories. The Chandra X-ray Observatory image is shown in blue, the Hubble Space Telescope optical image is in red and yellow, and the Spitzer Space Telescope's infrared image is in purple. The X-ray image is smaller than the others because extremely energetic electrons emitting X-rays radiate away their energy more quickly than the lower-energy electrons emitting optical and infrared light. The Crab Nebula is one of the most studied objects in the sky, truly making it a cosmic icon.

NASA Hubble Space Telescope image of the Crab Nebula (NASA, ESA and Allison Loll/Jeff Hester (Arizona State University)).

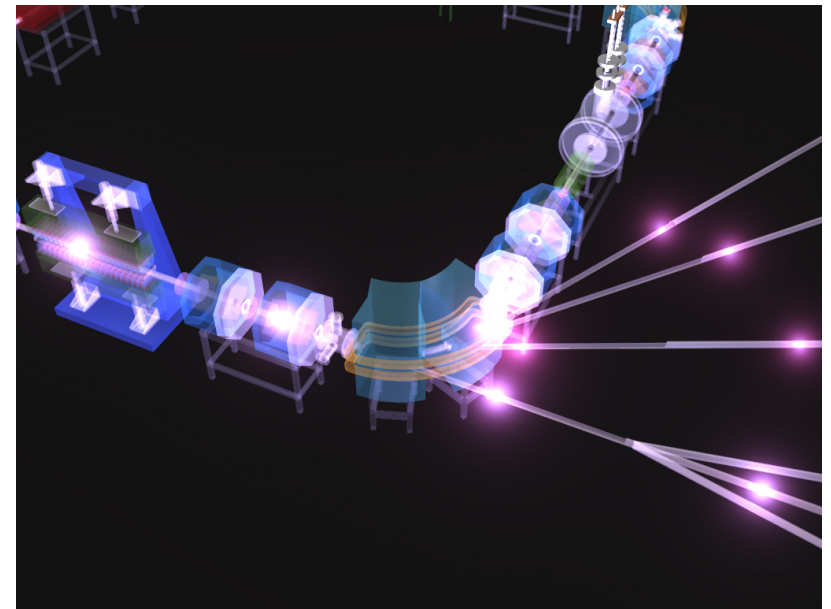
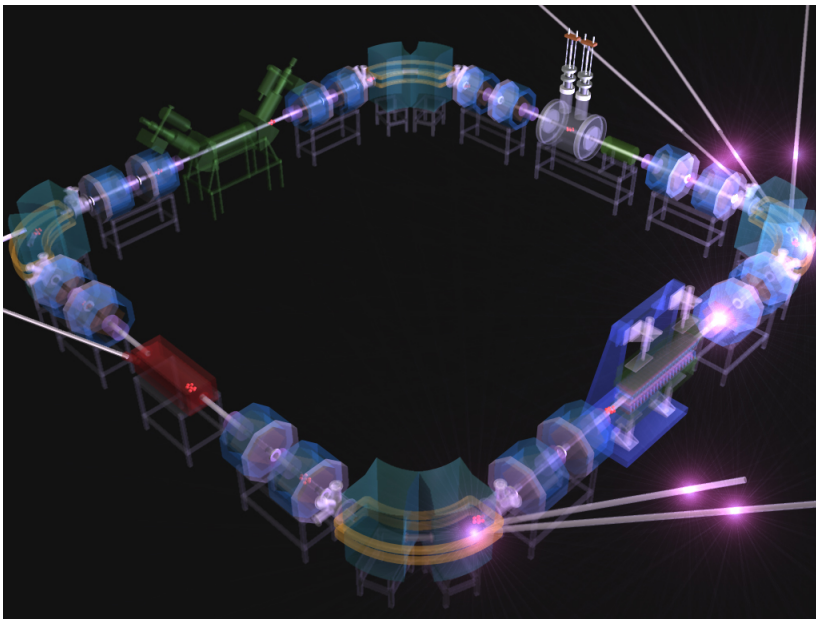
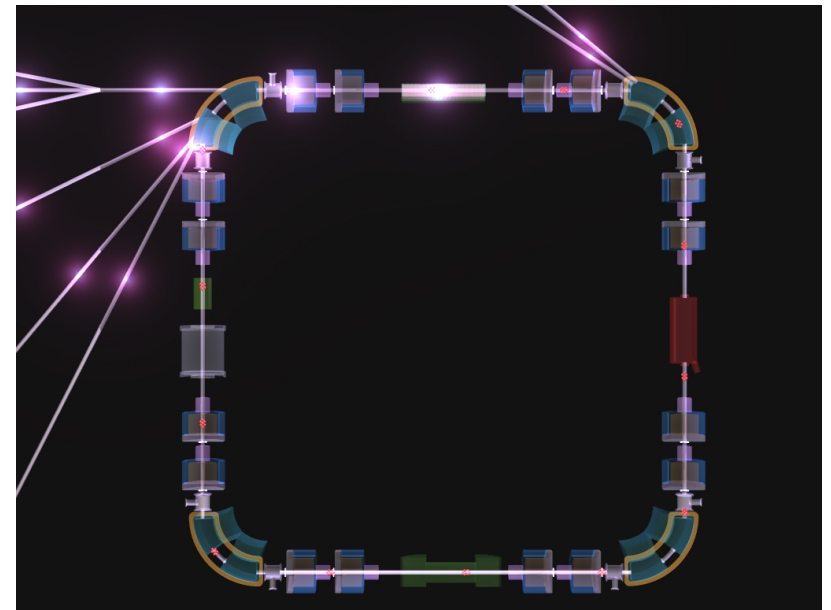


NASA's Great Observatories' View of the Crab Nebula X-Ray-blue: NASA/CXC/J.Hester (ASU); Optical-red and yellow: NASA/ESA/J.Hester & A.Loll (ASU); Infrared-purple: NASA/JPL-Caltech/R.Gehrz (Univ. Minn.)

Synchrotron light is artificially produced by relativistic particles accelerated in circular orbits.



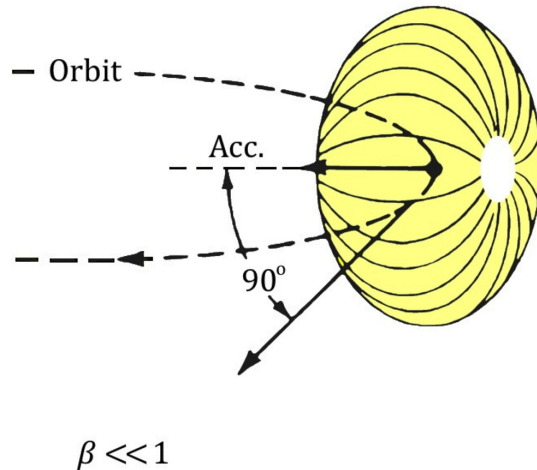
... and synchrotron radiation is also the coherent radiation emitted by the undulators of Free Electron Lasers.



ASTRID (Aarhus - Denmark) <http://www.isa.au.dk/animations/pictures/pic-index.asp>

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Synchrotron radiation: physics



$$v \ll c \text{ or } \beta = v/c \ll 1$$

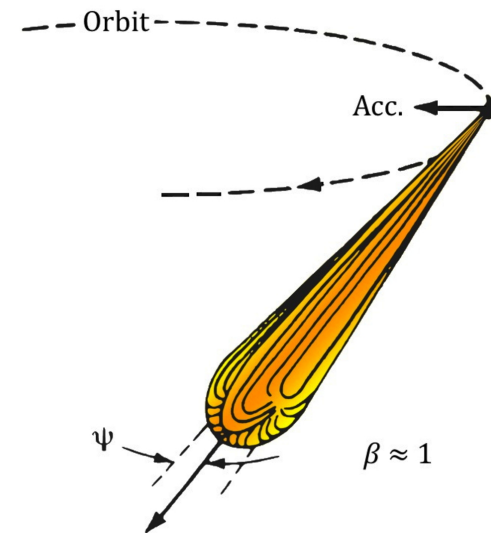
$$P = 2 e^2 a^2 / (3c^3) \text{ [W]}$$

P = total emitted power, a = acceleration

At low electron velocity (non-relativistic) the radiation is emitted in a *classical dipole pattern*.

1897 Lamor: calculates power radiated by an accelerated charged particle.

1898 Liénard: extends the theory to particles in a circular path *conceiving synchrotron light*.



$$v \approx c \text{ or } \beta = v/c \approx 1$$

For a *relativistic effect*, when the speed of the emitting electrons increases to relativistic values ($v \approx c$) the radiation pattern is compressed into a *narrow cone in the direction of motion, resulting into an emission tangential to the particle orbit*.

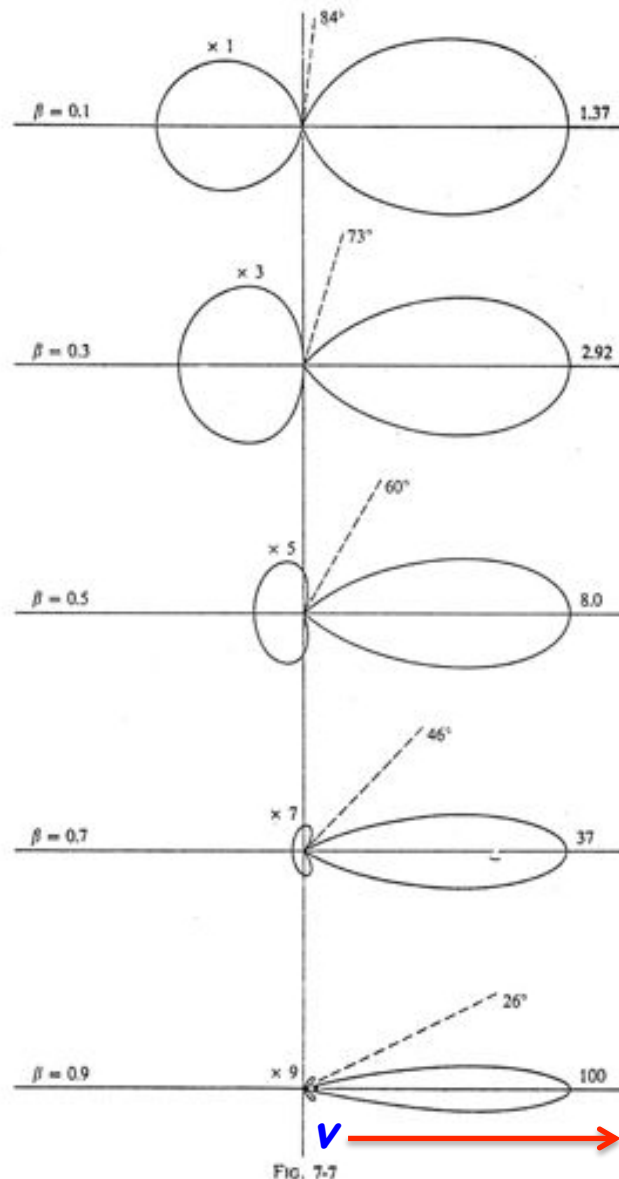
The vertical half-opening angle, ψ , is given by:

$$\psi \approx m_0 c^2 / E \approx \gamma^{-1}.$$

$$\text{ESRF } E = 6 \text{ GeV}, m_0 c^2 = 511 \text{ KeV}$$

$$\psi \approx 9 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mrad} \quad \gamma = E / m_0 c^2 = 1957 \text{ E (GeV)}$$

Synchrotron radiation: physics



$$v \ll c \text{ or } \beta = v/c \ll 1$$

As β approaches 1:

1. the shape of the radiation pattern changes: it is more in the forward direction!
2. the relativistic Lorentz transformation of angles gives a decrease by a factor of γ , γ being the ratio between the total energy of the particle and the rest mass energy
3. the node at $\theta' = 90^\circ$ (in the frame of the radiating particle $v \perp a$) transforms to:

$$\tan \theta_{lab} = \frac{\sin \theta'}{\gamma(\cos \theta' + \beta)} = \frac{1}{\gamma\beta} \approx \frac{1}{\gamma}$$

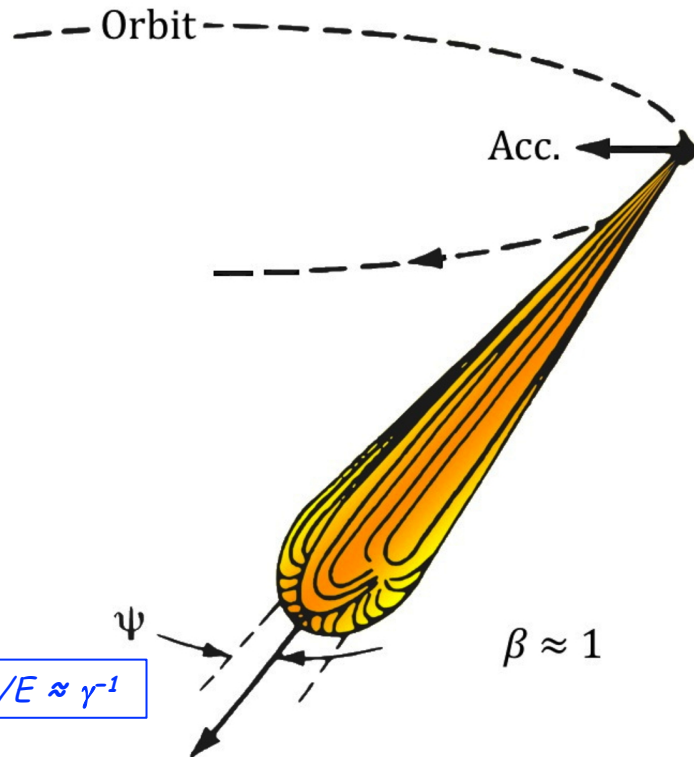
For electron energies in storage rings between 1-5 GeV, γ is between 2000 and 10000. The angle of emission is **lower than a mrad**.

$$\gamma = (1 - \beta^2)^{-1/2} \text{ Lorentz factor}$$

$$v \approx c \text{ or } \beta = v/c \approx 1$$

Synchrotron radiation: physics

Relativistic focusing of Synchrotron Radiation



The vertical half-opening angle:

$$\psi \approx \frac{m_0 c^2}{E} \approx \frac{1}{\gamma}$$

Total radiated power:

$$P_{\text{rad}} = \frac{2}{3} \frac{Q^2 c}{R^2} \left[\frac{E}{m_0 c^2} \right]^4$$

E = particle energy, m_0 = rest mass, R = radius of curvature

$$v \approx c \text{ or } \beta = v/c \approx 1$$

1949 Schwinger: classical theory of radiation from accelerated relativistic electrons

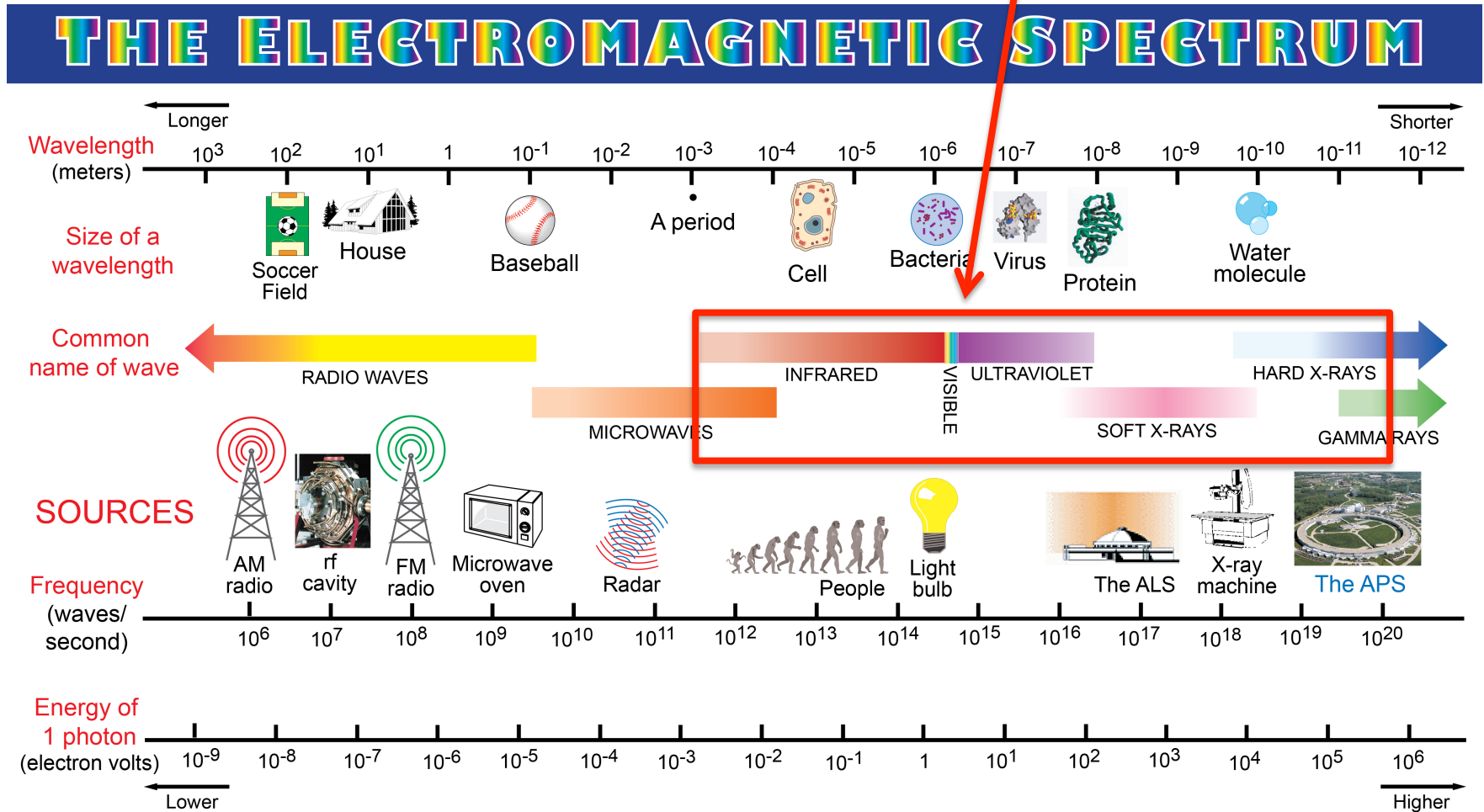
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J. Schwinger, On the Classical Radiation of Accelerated Electrons, Phys. Rev. 75, 1912 (1949)

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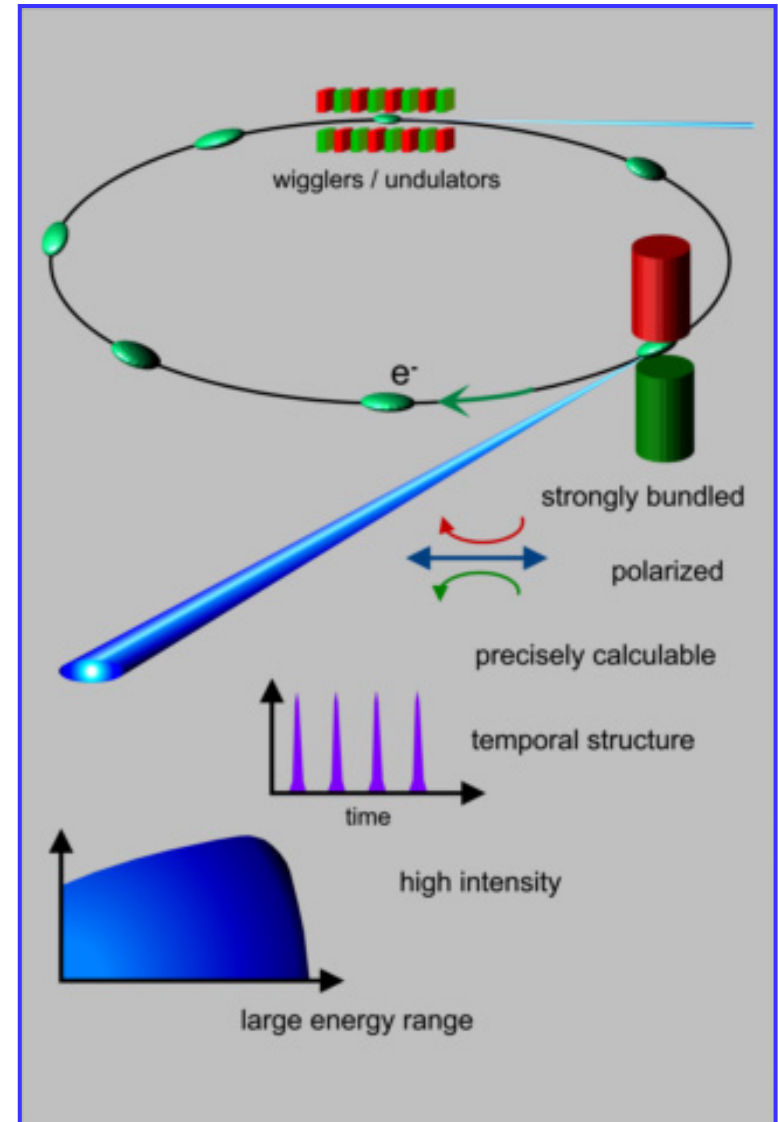
Spectral range covered by Synchrotron Radiation!



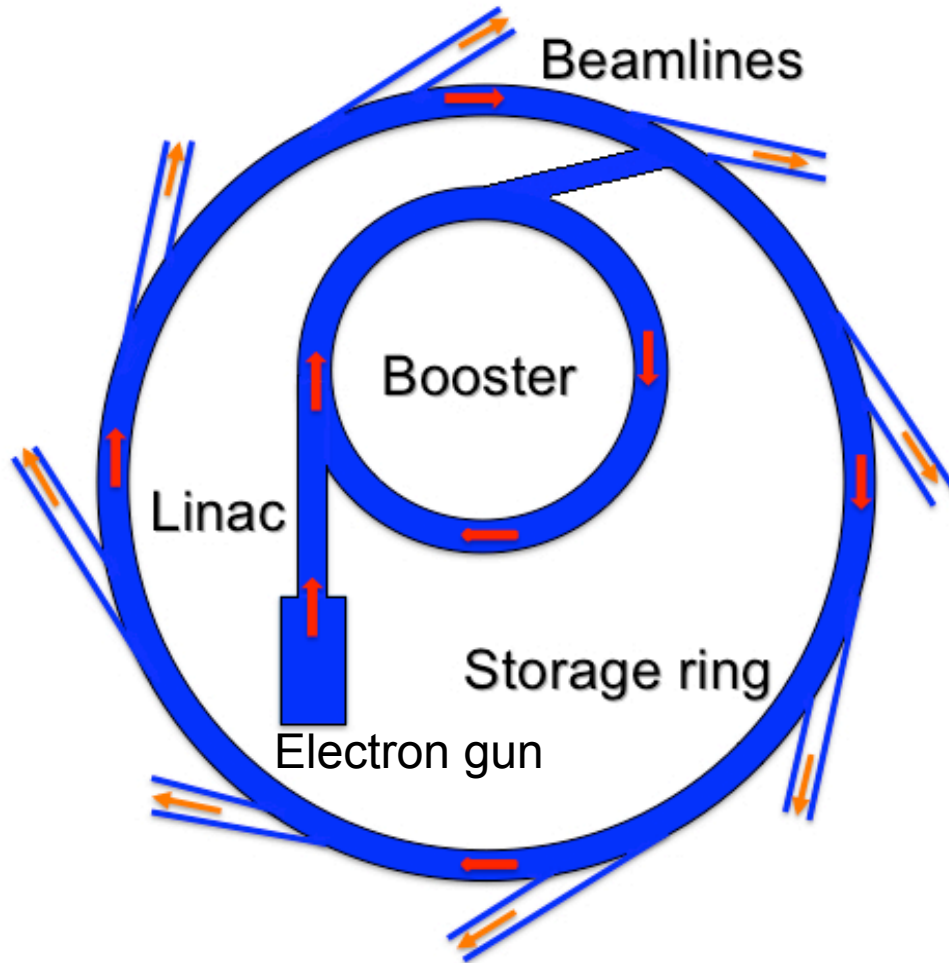
Synchrotron Radiation Properties

What makes synchrotron radiation interesting, powerful and unique?

- **Continuum source from IR to X-rays (tunability)** which covers from **microwaves to hard X-rays**: the user can select the wavelength required for experiment-**continuous (Bending Magnet/Wiggler)** - **quasi-monochromatic (Undulator)**
- **Source in a clean UHV environment**
- **Very high flux and brightness (with undulators)** highly **collimated** photon beams generated by a **small divergence** and **small size sources**.
- **Highly Polarized**
- **Pulsed time structure** - pulsed length down to tens of picoseconds allows the resolution of processes on the same time scale
- **High stability** (submicron source stability)

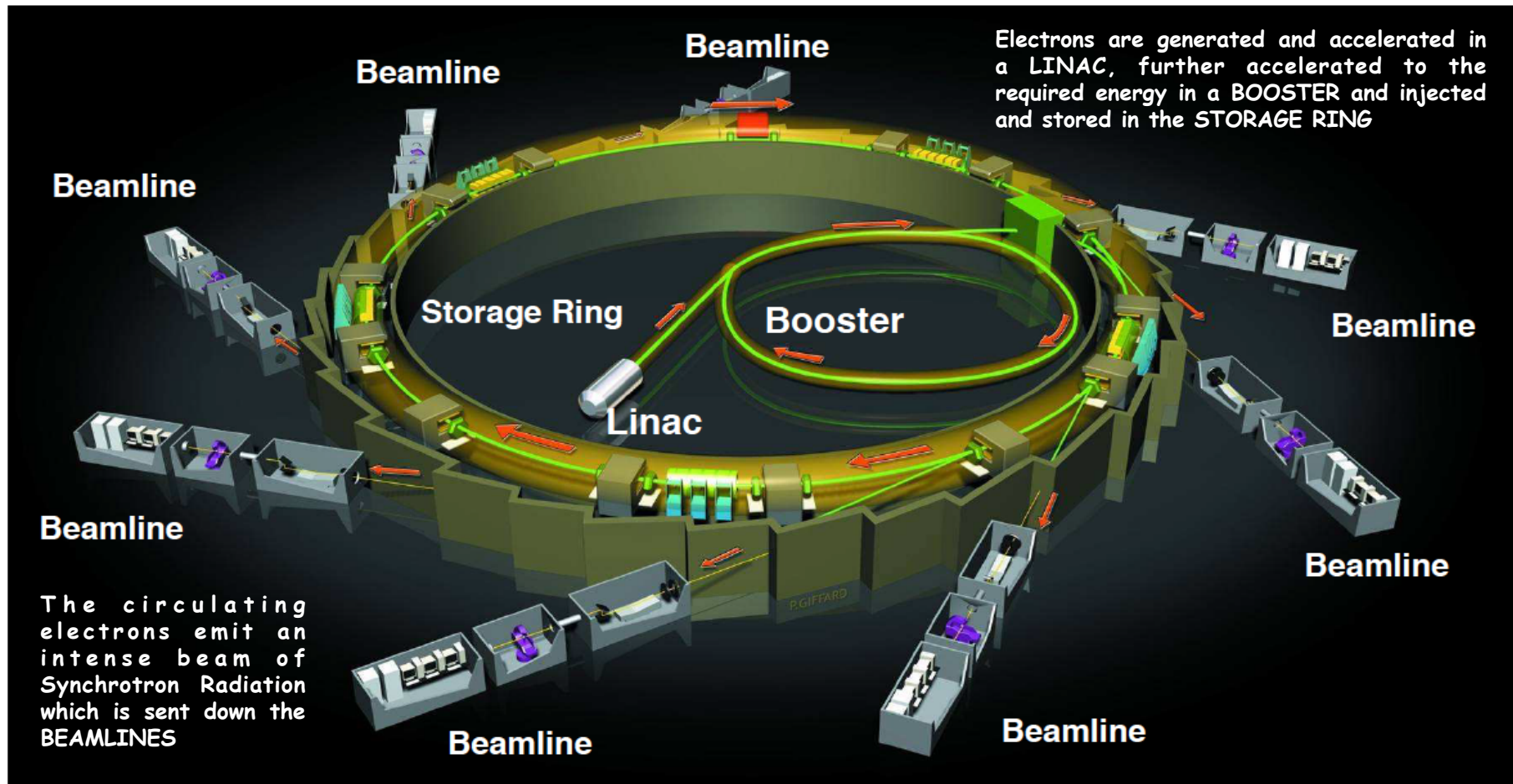


Modern synchrotron radiation sources



- **Electron gun:** e^- source (thermionic emission from a hot filament)
- **LINAC:** linear accelerator where electrons are accelerated up to several millions of electron volts (MeV)
- **Booster ring:** electrons are boosted in energy from millions to billions or giga electron volts (GeV)
- **Storage ring:** consist of an array of magnets for focusing and bending the beam, connected by straight linear sections where RF cavities or insertion devices are installed.
- **Beamlines** : collect radiation running off tangentially to the storage ring, along the axes of the insertion devices and tangentially at bending magnets

Schematic view of a Synchrotron Radiation facility



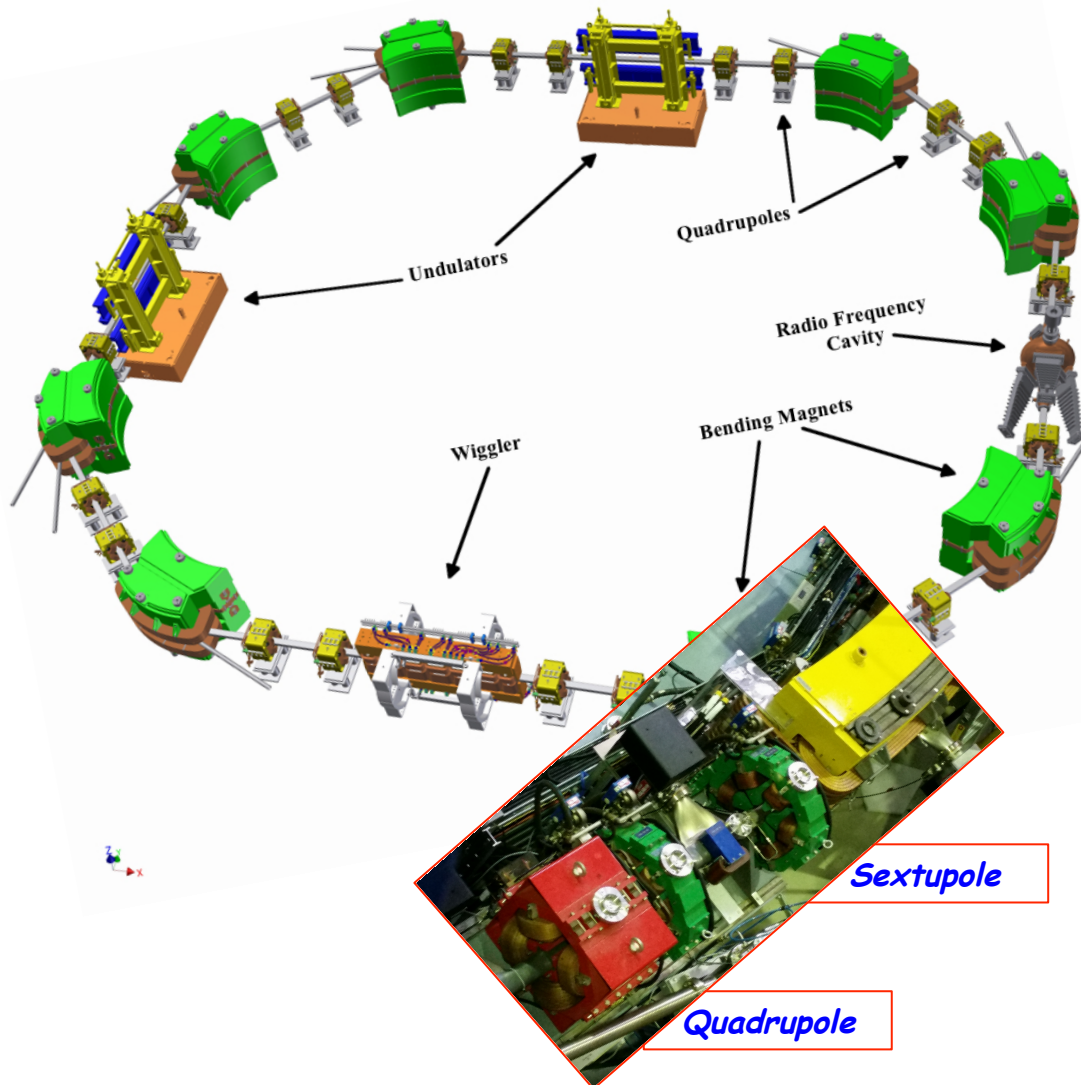
As a function of the energy range to be used each beamline must be optimized for a particular field of research.

Beamline schematic composition:

- Front end
- Optical hutch
- Experimental hutch
- Control and computing

The **front end** isolates the beamline vacuum from the storage ring vacuum; defines the angular acceptance of the synchrotron radiation via an aperture; blocks (beam shutter) when required, the x-ray and Bremsstrahlung radiation during access to the other hutches.

Schematic view of a storage ring



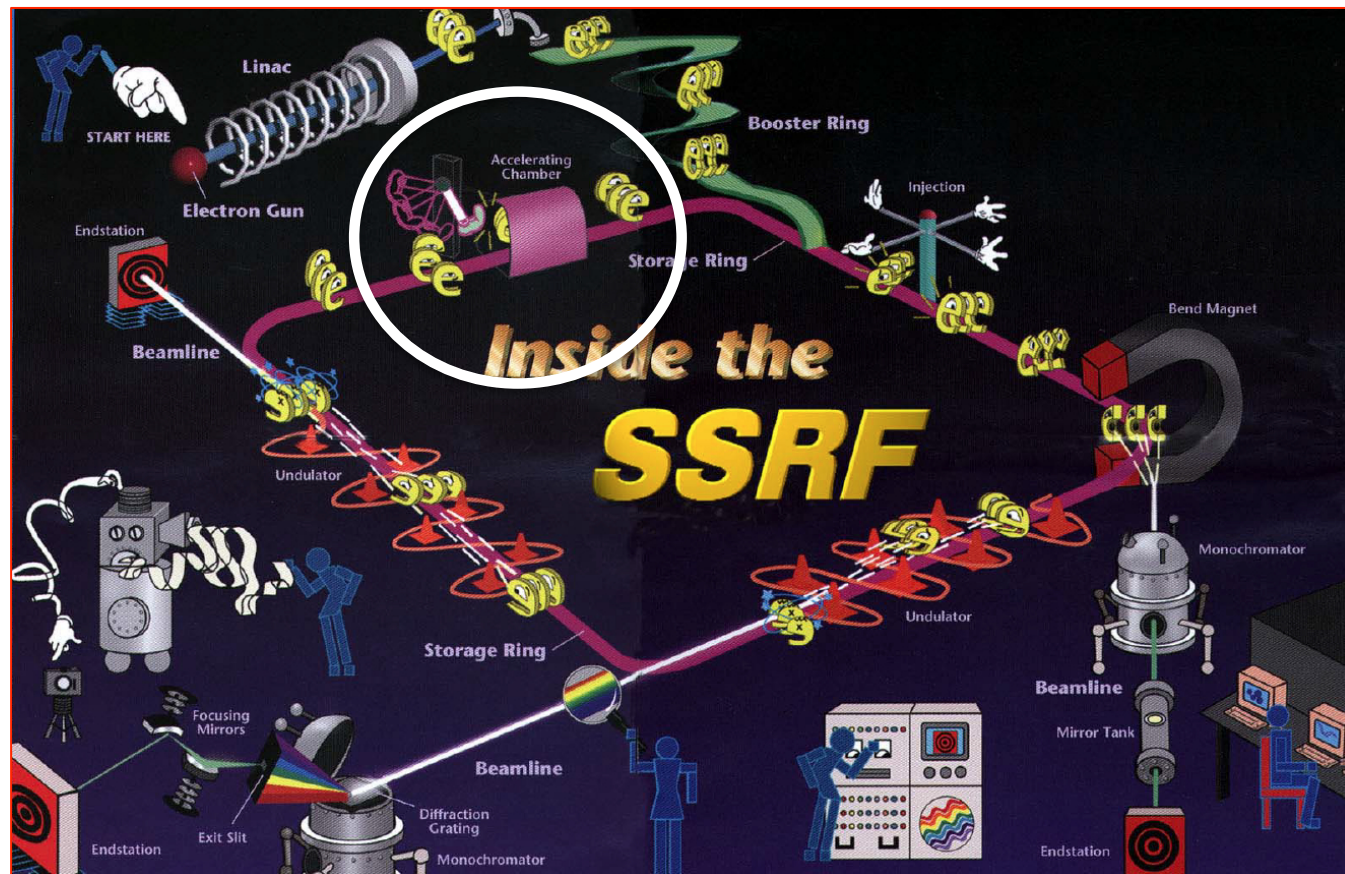
- **Storage rings** contain the electrons and maintain them on a closed path by the use of an array of magnets or '**magnet lattice**'.
- The **magnet lattice** is most commonly contains three types of magnets: **dipoles - or bending magnets** cause the electrons to change their path and thereby follow a closed path; **quadrupole magnets** are used to focus the electron beam and compensate for Coulomb repulsion between the electrons; and **sextupole magnets** correct for chromatic aberrations that arise from the focusing by the quadrupoles.
- **RF cavities** supply the energy lost by electrons emitting synchrotron radiation.
- **Insertion devices (ID)** while the arced sections contain bending magnets, the straight sections are used for insertion devices (**wigglers** and **undulators**), that generate the most intense synchrotron radiation

Radio Frequency cavities



ALS 1.9 GeV storage ring: the electrons lose up to 300 keV per revolution from radiative losses. In the storage ring a pair of RF cavities, with a peak voltage of 1.5 Megavolts, operating at 500 MHz are used.

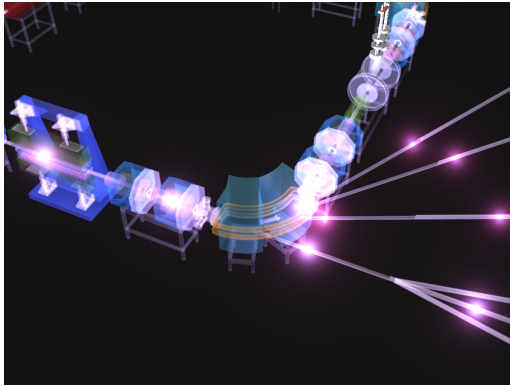
RF cavities and time structure



Z. Zhao - RF System For Electron Storage Rings - The 4th OCPA Accelerator School Yangzhou, Jul. 17-Aug.5, 2006.
SSRF: Shanghai Synchrotron Radiation Facility

As the electrons circulate around the storage ring they pass through the bending magnets and insertion devices, radiating energy in the form of synchrotron light. On each rotation the electron beam passes through a cavity containing electromagnetic fields oscillating at radio frequencies. This provides an energy boost which compensates for the energy losses, and allows the beam to maintain a fixed orbit around the storage ring.

Radio Frequency (RF) cavities and time structure



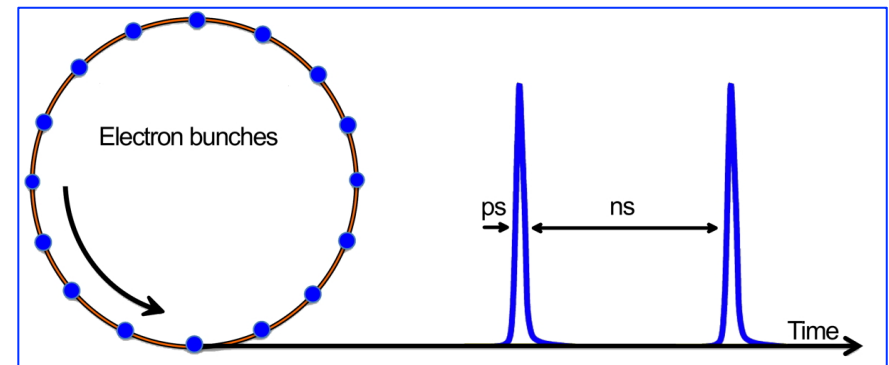
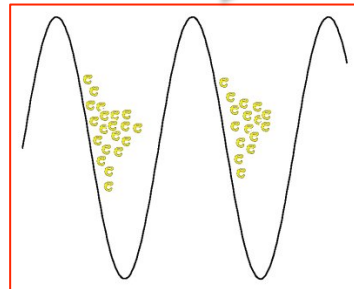
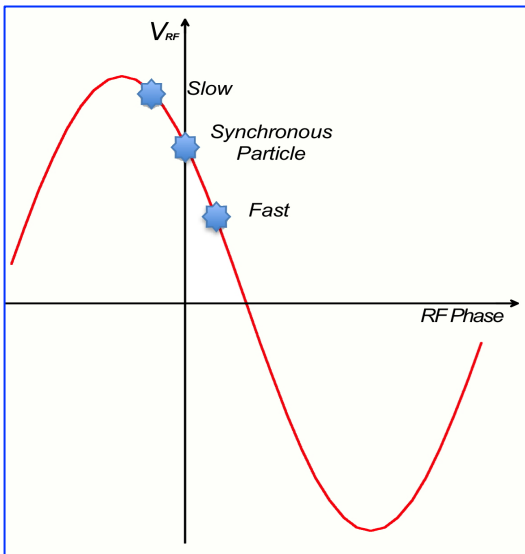
To restore the radiated power and keep the electrons at a constant energy, **radio frequency (RF) cavities** are used with **longitudinal electric fields that accelerate the electrons**.

$$P_{rad} = \frac{2}{3} \frac{Q^2 c}{R^2} \left[\frac{E}{mc^2} \right]^4$$

The RF fields have an **accelerating effect only during one half of their period**. Only **5% - 10% of the RF period is effective in restoring the electron energy** so electrons, passing through the RF, not in phase are lost.

As a consequence the RF acceleration induces a distribution of the electrons in bunches with time lengths that are typically **5% - 10% of the RF period**.

Radiation appears in pulses with the same time duration and separation. The time interval between them is an integer multiple of the RF period (called harmonic number of the ring). The **maximum separation between two pulses is obtained in the single bunch mode**, i.e. when only one bunch in the full ring is present. In this case the **time interval is equal to the period of revolution, typically of the order of microseconds**. When more bunches are present the time interval is lower; the **minimum possible time interval between bunches is equal to the RF period**.



EXAMPLES

ESRF : $E = 6\text{ GeV}$, $C = 844\text{ m}$, $\nu_{\text{RF}} = 355\text{ MHz}$, $V = 9\text{ MV}$ and $I_{\text{max}} = 200\text{ mA}$.

- **Single bunch mode**: $I = 20\text{ mA}$

$$T_0 = C/c = 2.81\mu\text{s}$$

T_0 represents the **maximum time separation between bunches** achievable only in **single bunch mode**; **bunch length** is normally of the order of **mm** corresponding to tens of **picoseconds** and in single bunch mode is of the order of **73 ps**.

- **Uniform bunch mode**: $I_{\text{max}} = 200\text{ mA}$

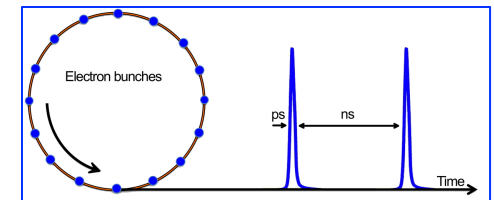
$$T_{\text{RF}} = 1/\nu_{\text{RF}} = 2.82\text{ ns}$$

T_{RF} represents the **minimum time separation between bunches** achievable only in uniform bunch mode (corresponding to a separation of about 86 cm between them).

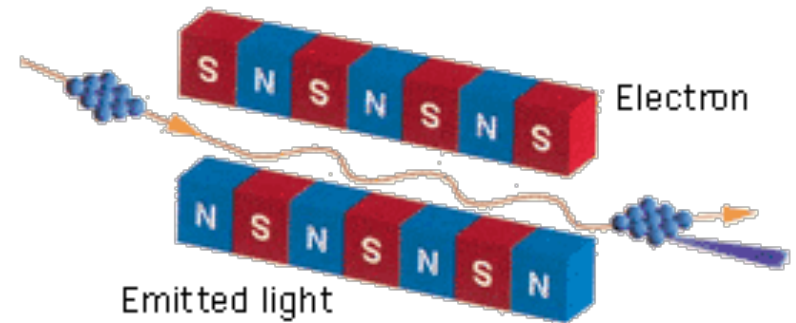
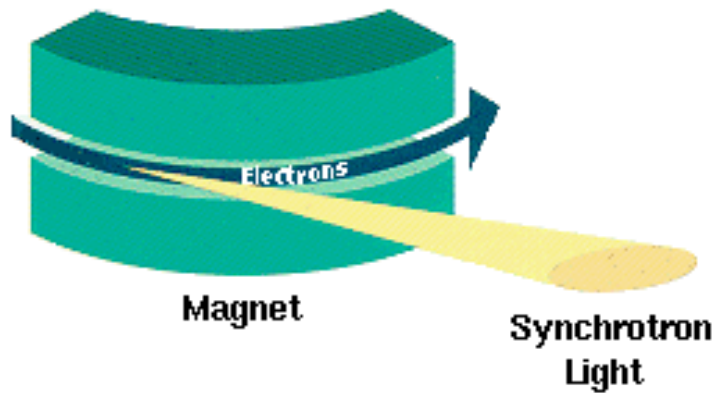
The maximum number of bunches that can be stored depends on ν_{RF} and on $\nu_0 = (1/T_0)$:

$$N_{\text{max}} = \nu_{\text{RF}}/\nu_0 = 992.$$

In uniform bunch mode the bunch length is of the order of **20 ps**.



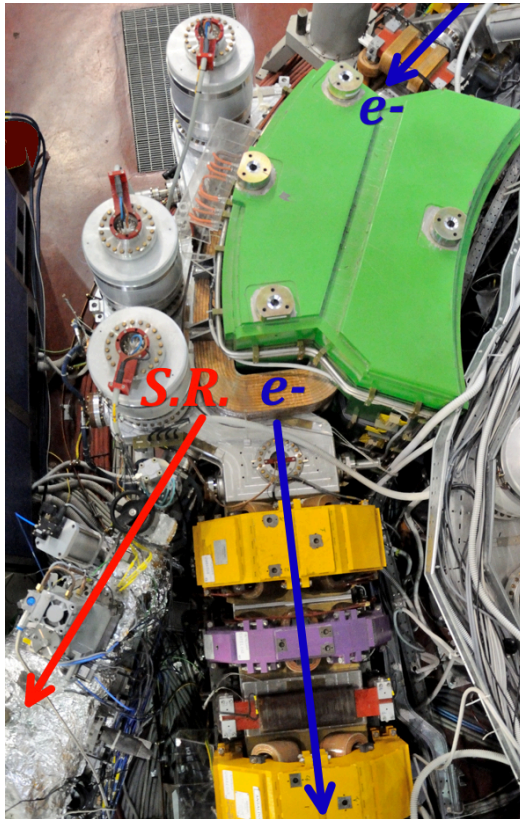
Radiation sources



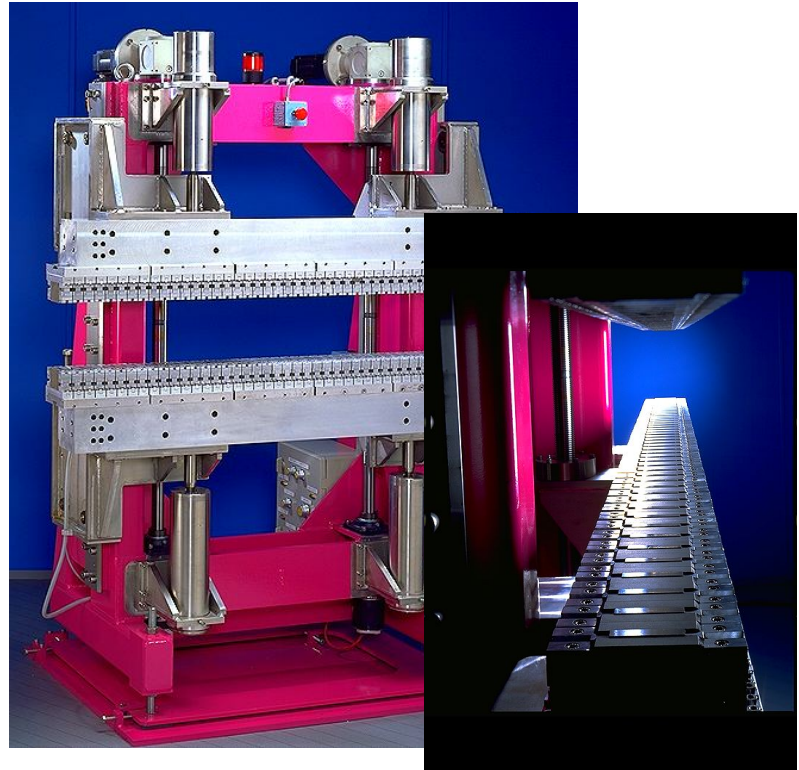
Radiation Sources

There are two different sources of radiation in a storage ring:

- bending magnets (BMs)*
- insertion devices (IDs) or periodic arrays of magnets inserted between the BMs (wigglers and undulators)*



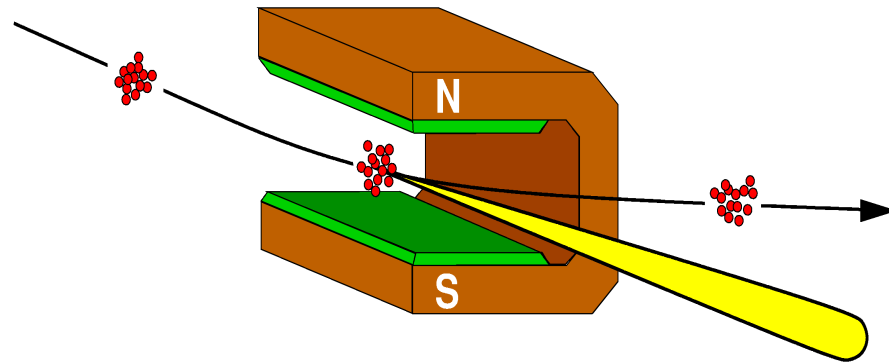
DAΦNE bending magnet (BM)



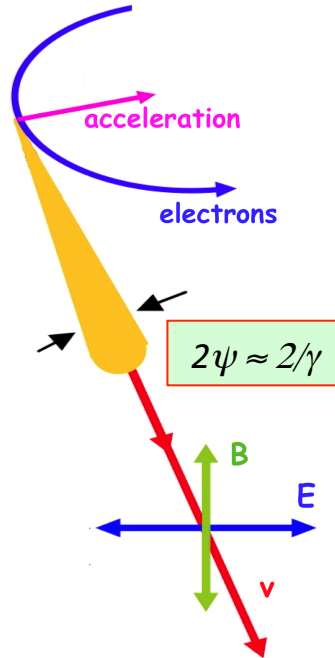
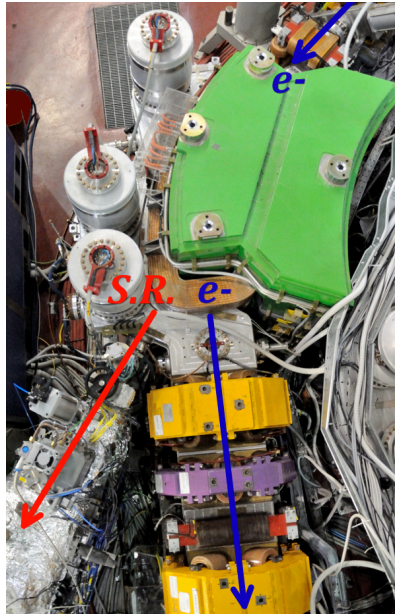
ESRF Insertion Device (ID) - Undulator

BM and ID have different characteristics concerning, spectral distribution, flux, brightness and polarization.

Bending magnets



Bending magnets



The acceleration of high energy (relativistic) particles moving in a closed trajectory under the action of dipole bending magnets is given by the **Lorentz equation** $F = ma = dp/dt$

$$\frac{d\vec{p}}{dt} = \vec{f} \Rightarrow m_0 \frac{d}{dt}(\gamma \vec{v}) = q(\vec{E} + \vec{v} \wedge \vec{B})$$

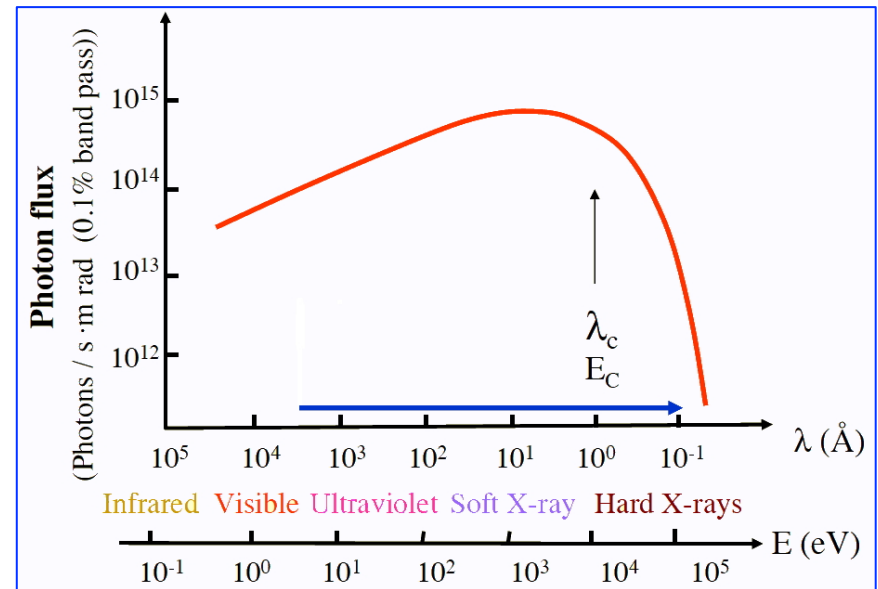
Schwinger in 1949 found that the spectral distribution of the radiation emitted from accelerated relativistic charged particles, under the effect of a constant magnetic field is a smoothly varying function of photon energy whose continuous spectrum is characterized by a critical energy, E_c , that scales as γ^3 .

$$\varepsilon_c = \hbar \omega_c = \frac{3}{2} \frac{\hbar c}{R} \gamma^3$$

$$\varepsilon_c [keV] = 2.218 \frac{E[GeV]^3}{R[m]} = 0.665 \cdot E[GeV]^2 \cdot B[T]$$

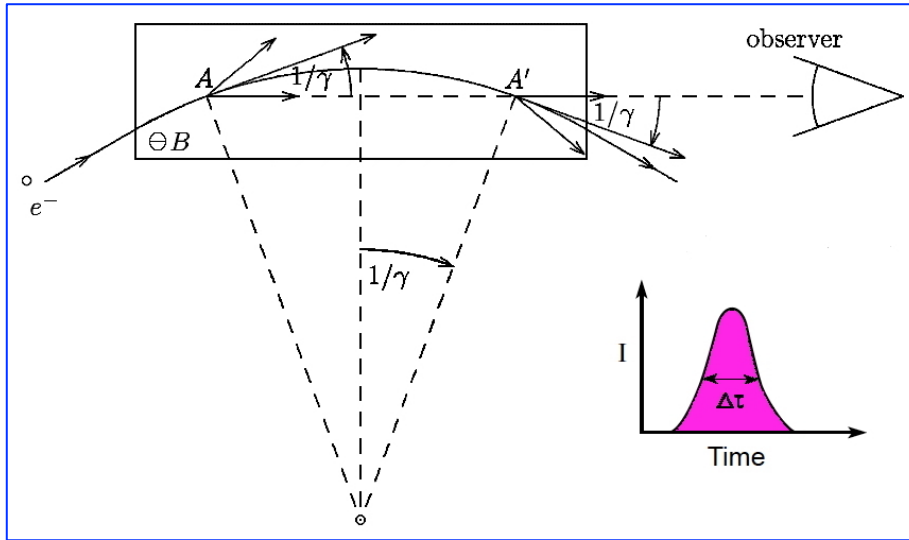
$$B[T] = 3.336 E[GeV]/R[m]$$

The critical energy, ε_c , divides the spectrum into two parts of equal radiated power: 50% of the total power is radiated at energies lower than ε_c and 50% at energies higher than ε_c .



J.D. Jackson, "Classical Electrodynamics", 1999

Origin of the broad spectral distribution



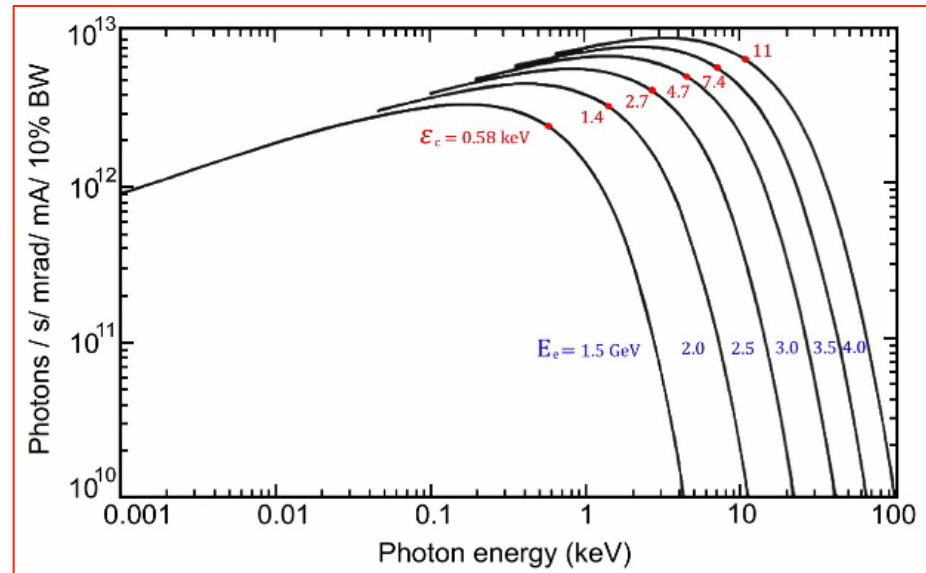
The time duration of the radiation pulse seen by the observer is the difference between the time for the electron to travel along the arc ($2/\gamma$) and the time for light to travel along the chord subtended by this arc.

$$\Delta\tau = \frac{R}{c} \left[\frac{1}{\gamma\beta} - 2\sin\left(\frac{1}{2\gamma}\right) \right] \simeq \frac{R}{c\gamma^3}$$

A light pulse of this duration has frequency components up to about:

$$\omega_{cutoff} \approx \Delta\tau^{-1} \approx \frac{c\gamma^3}{R}$$

Synchrotron radiation from *one electron* consists of a *discrete spectrum of closely spaced lines up to ω_{cutoff}* . In practice, the *spectral distribution coming from many electrons is continuous* due to the statistical oscillations of the electrons around the main orbit, to the fluctuations of their kinetic energy and to the statistical nature of the emission itself: all *effects that lead to a line broadening of each harmonic*. This results in the continuous broad spectrum with the cutoff at $E > \epsilon_c$.



Angular distribution

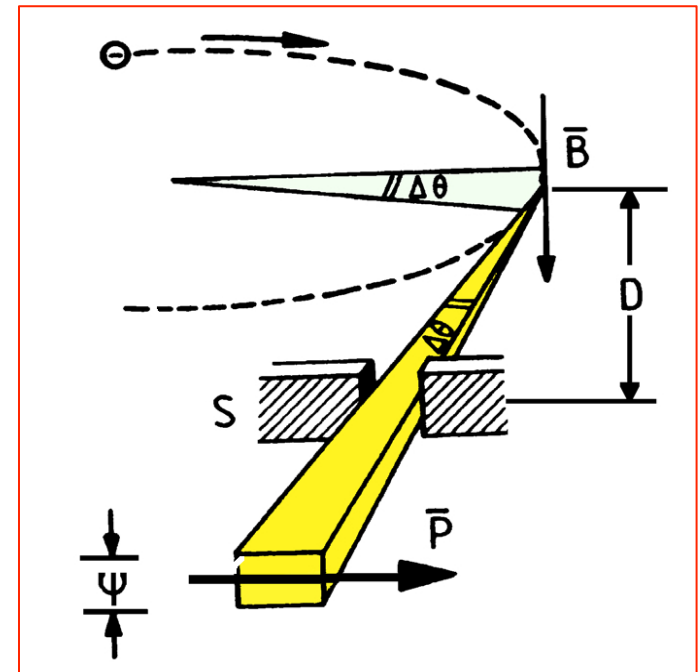
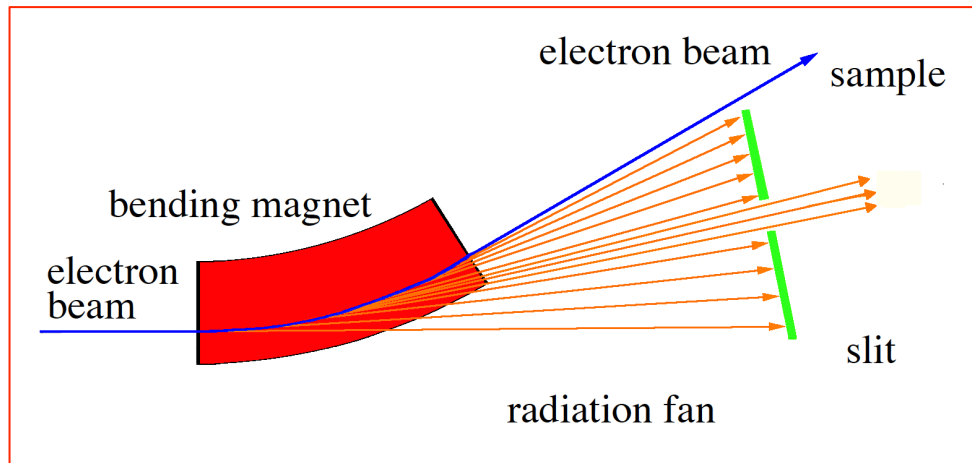
Vertical angular distribution: radiation pattern is compressed into a narrow cone in the direction of motion, resulting into an emission tangential to the particle orbit with a vertical opening angle, $\Psi = 2\psi \approx 2mc^2/E \approx 2/\gamma$.

For $E = 1 \text{ GeV}$,

$$1/\gamma \approx 0.511 \text{ mrad } (29 \times 10^{-3})^\circ$$

$$1 \text{ deg} = 17.45 \text{ mrad}; 1 \text{ mrad} = (57 \times 10^{-3})^\circ$$

Horizontal angular distribution: in a bending magnet the horizontal collimation is lost because the electrons move along a circular orbit emitting the radiation along the tangent. The radiation is collected, for experiments, through a horizontal slit (S) of width, w , at a distance, D , from the electron orbit; this corresponds to an angular collection angle, $\Delta\theta = w/D \gg \Psi$.



Polarization

The radiation emitted by a bending magnet is mostly *linearly polarized*. When observed in the horizontal plane, the *electric field is parallel to the plane* of the electron orbit (horizontal). Observing the radiation above and below this plane at finite vertical angles, a *polarization component perpendicular to the plane* of the electron orbit is present.

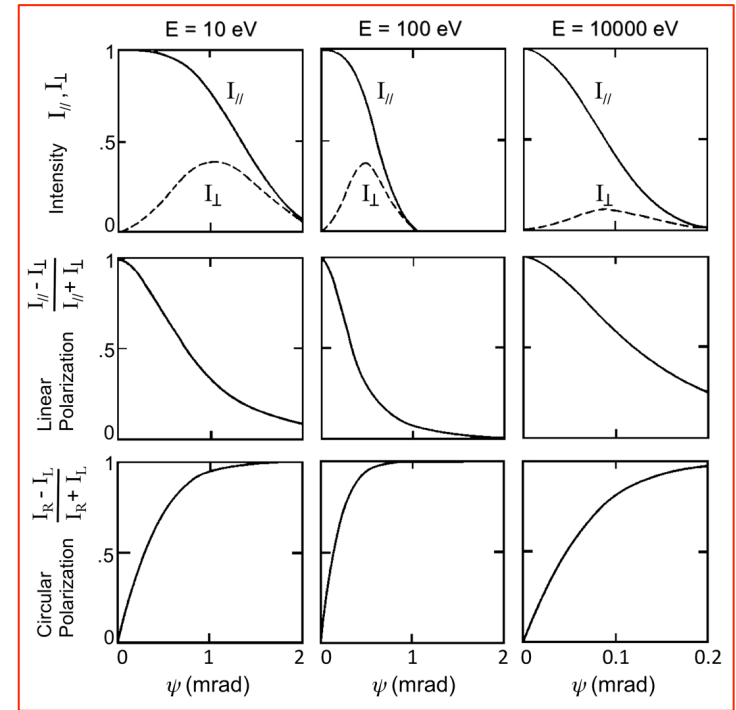
$$P_{Linear} = \frac{I_{//} - I_{\perp}}{I_{//} + I_{\perp}}$$

Degree of linear polarization

Integrating over all energies:

$$I_{//} = (7/8)I_{total} \quad I_{\perp} = (1/8)I_{total}$$

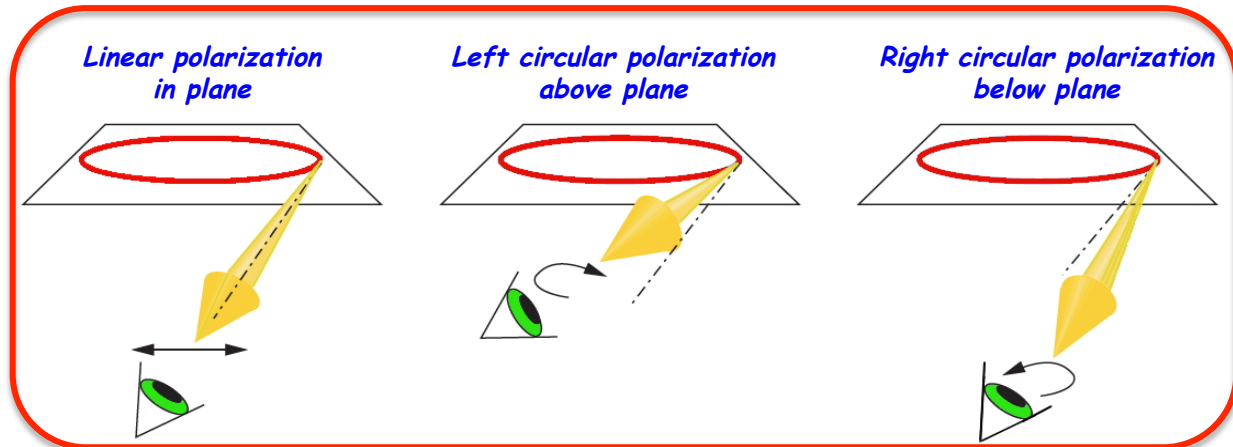
that means a linear polarization degree of about 75%.



Above and below the plane there is a constant phase difference of $+\pi/2$ and $-\pi/2$ between the parallel and perpendicular components of the electric field.

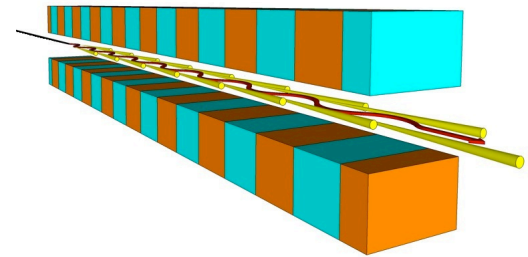
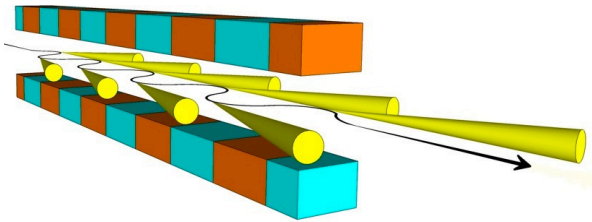
$$P_C = \frac{I_R - I_L}{I_R + I_L} = \frac{\pm 2\sqrt{(I_{//}I_{\perp})}}{I_{//} + I_{\perp}}$$

Degree of circular polarization

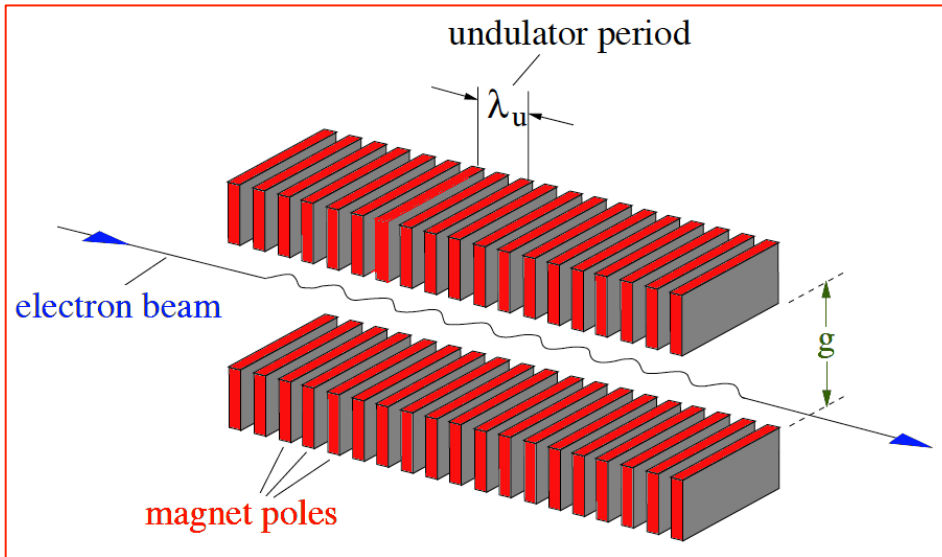


Circularly polarized light is fundamental in techniques like **Magnetic Circular Dichroism (MCD)**.

Insertion devices (ID): wigglers and undulators

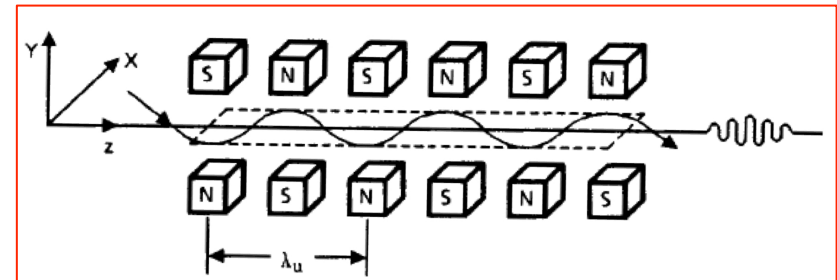


Insertion Devices



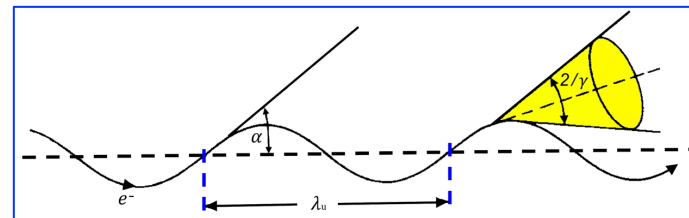
Insertion devices (ID) are periodic arrays of magnetic poles with alternating field directions installed, in the straight sections of storage rings that force the particles to oscillate passing through the device.

Overall length: $L = N\lambda_u$



IDs are characterized by the so called 'deflection parameter', K .

$$K = \alpha\gamma$$



α = wiggling angle

$2/\gamma$ = SR natural angular aperture

$$K = \frac{B_0 e \lambda_u}{m_0 c 2\pi} = 93.36 B_0 \lambda_u$$

In a simplified approximation:

- If $K \approx 1$, α is comparable to $1/\gamma$, so the radiation from each pole overlaps causing interference effects on the spectral distribution - undulator.
- If $K \gg 1$, α is bigger than $1/\gamma$, so the radiation spectrum looks like dealing with $2N$ dipole sources-wiggler.

Calculation of K

Using the equation of motion for a relativistic charged particle in a magnetic field.

$$F_x = ma_x = \gamma m_0 \dot{v}_x = e\vec{v} \times \vec{B} = ecB_0 \sin\left(\frac{2\pi z}{\lambda_{TD}}\right)$$

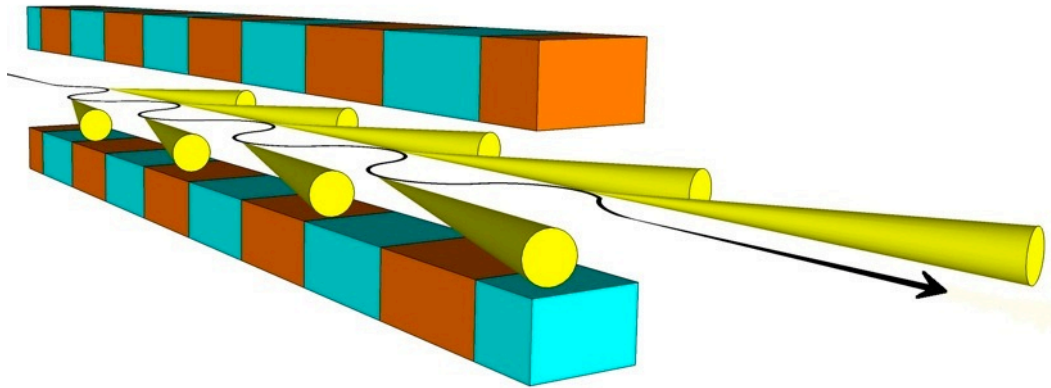
$$\dot{v}_x = \frac{ecB_0}{\gamma m_0} \sin\left(\frac{2\pi z}{\lambda_{TD}}\right) \quad z = ct$$

$$v_x = -\frac{ecB_0}{\gamma m_0} \frac{\lambda_{TD}}{2\pi c} \cos\left(\frac{2\pi ct}{\lambda_{TD}}\right) = -\frac{eB_0}{\gamma m_0} \frac{\lambda_{TD}}{2\pi} \cos\left(\frac{2\pi ct}{\lambda_{TD}}\right)$$

$$x = \frac{eB_0}{\gamma m_0 c} \left[\frac{\lambda_{TD}}{2\pi}\right]^2 \sin\left(\frac{2\pi ct}{\lambda_{TD}}\right) = \left[\frac{eB_0}{m_0} \frac{\lambda_{TD}}{2\pi c}\right] \frac{1}{\gamma} \left[\frac{\lambda_{TD}}{2\pi}\right] \sin\left(\frac{2\pi z}{\lambda_{TD}}\right) = K \frac{1}{\gamma} \left[\frac{\lambda_{TD}}{2\pi}\right] \sin\left(\frac{2\pi z}{\lambda_{TD}}\right)$$

$$x_{\max} = K \frac{1}{\gamma} \left[\frac{\lambda_{TD}}{2\pi}\right] \quad \text{and} \quad \left[\frac{dx}{dz}\right]_{\max} = \frac{K}{\gamma} \quad \text{where} \quad K = \left[\frac{eB_0}{2\pi} \frac{\lambda_{TD}}{m_0 c}\right]$$

Wigglers



Wigglers

A *wiggler* is a *multipole magnet (MPW)* made up of a periodic series of magnets. *Electrons are forced to follow a sinusoidal trajectory* with a *smaller local radius of curvature* with respect to the one of the dipole-bending magnet, because in a wiggler, a *magnetic field higher than in a bending magnet can be used*.

$$\rho[m] = 3.336 \frac{E[GeV]}{B[T]}$$

$$\varepsilon_c[keV] = 2.218 \frac{E[GeV]^3}{\rho[m]} = 0.665 \cdot E[GeV]^2 \cdot B[T]$$

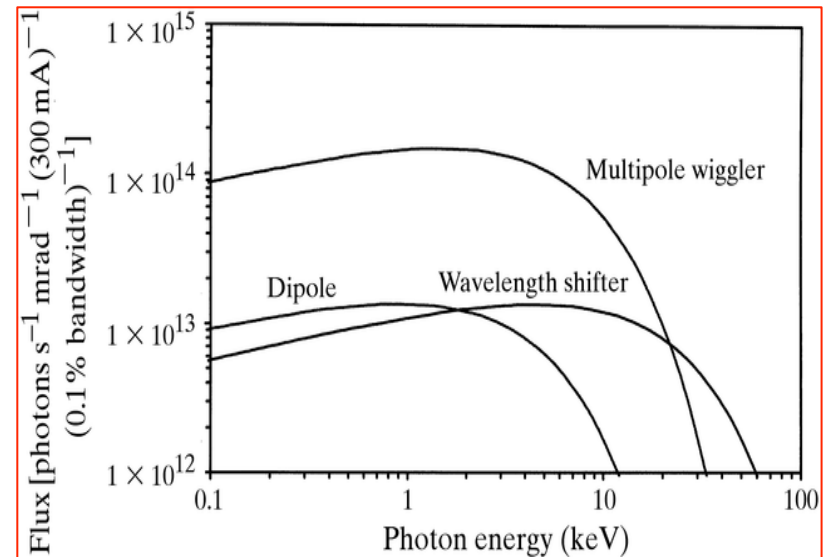
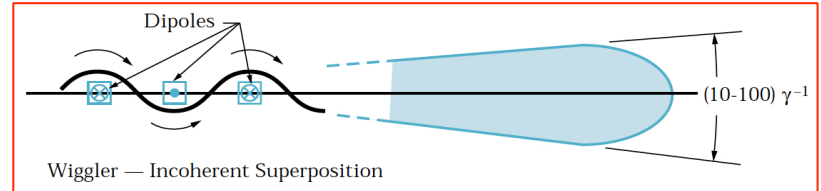
- A MPW can be considered a *series of dipoles*, one after the other.
- There are *two source points per period*
- The flux is simply the *product of the number of source points and the dipole flux* for that critical energy

The MPW has two clear advantages:

- the *critical energy can be set to suit the science need*;
- the *flux is enhanced by twice number of periods*.

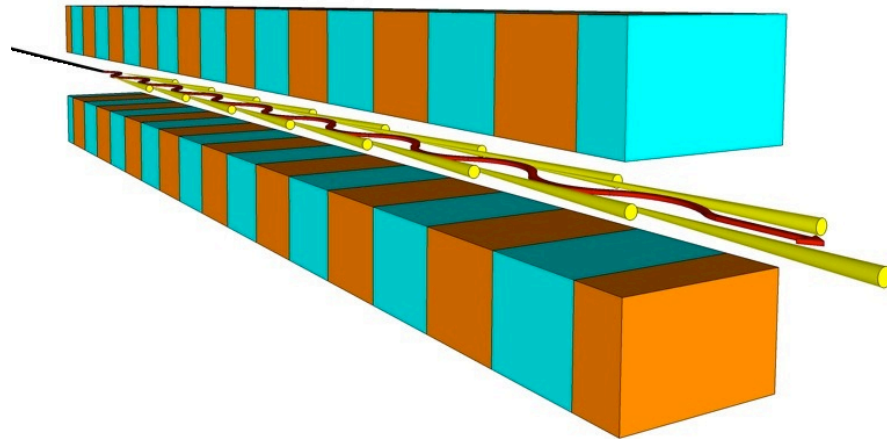
Wavelength shifter wiggler $2N = 1$ (1 period= 2 poles in particular: 1pole and 2 half poles.

If $2N > 1$ it gives also a $2N$ increase of the emitted flux.



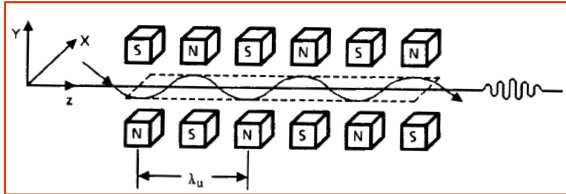
Comparison of the flux from a 1.2 T Bending Magnet , 6.0 T Wavelength Shifter and 2.0 T multipole wiggler

Undulators: very bright radiation sources



Undulators

In an *undulator* $K \approx 1$, so the *wiggling angle* α is smaller than, or close to, the *photon natural emission angle* $1/\gamma$ and in this case *constructive interference*, at **specific wavelengths** occurs between the radiation emitted by electrons at different poles along the trajectory.



$$\lambda_n = \frac{\lambda_u}{2n\gamma^2} \left(1 + \frac{K^2}{2} + \gamma^2 \theta^2 \right) \approx \frac{\lambda_u}{n\gamma^2}$$

n is the harmonic number

Overall undulator length: $L = N\lambda_u$

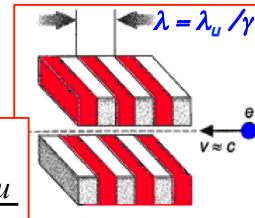
$$\lambda_u = L/N$$

From cm to nm ?

$$\lambda_n \approx \frac{\lambda_u}{n\gamma^2}$$

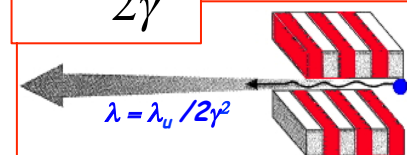
Two relativistic effects :

- Lorentz contraction** - a relativistic charged particle is travelling through a periodic magnetic field; in the particles rest frame it sees a magnetic field rushing towards it. If in lab rest frame the magnet period is λ_u then because of **Lorentz contraction** the electron sees it as: $\lambda = \lambda_u / \gamma$
- Doppler shift** - Due to the fact that the electron is moving towards us, the radiation emitted by the electron is **Doppler shifted to higher frequencies** or **shorter wavelengths being further reduced by a factor 2γ** . $\lambda = \lambda_u / 2\gamma^2$

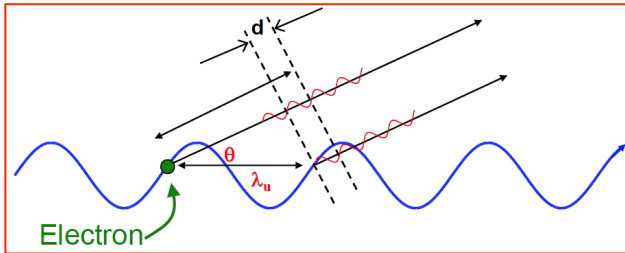


$$\lambda \approx \frac{\lambda_u}{\gamma}$$

$$\lambda \approx \frac{\lambda_u}{2\gamma^2}$$



Undulators



$$\lambda_n = \frac{\lambda_u}{2n\gamma^2} \left(1 + \frac{K^2}{2} + \gamma^2 \theta^2 \right)$$

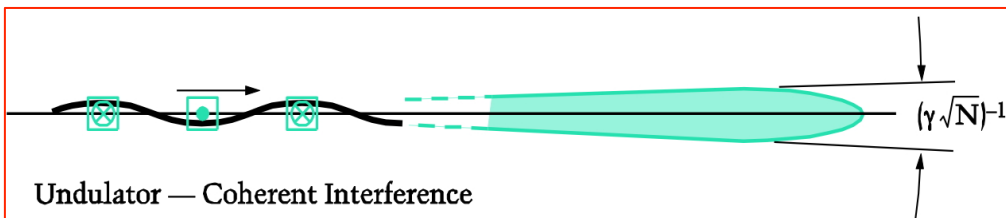
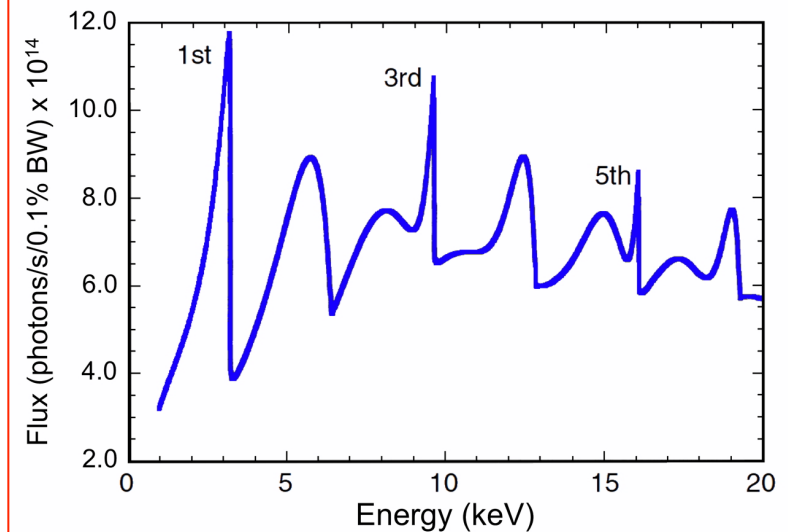
$$K = 93.36 B_0 \lambda_u$$

The wavelength changes with θ^2 , so it always gets longer moving away from the axis: an important consequence is that the beamline aperture choice is important because it alters the radiation characteristics reaching the observer.

As B increases (and so K), the output wavelength increases (photon energy decreases).

Undulators produce *quasi-monochromatic spectra* with peaks at lower energy than a wiggler.

The *very narrow angular distribution* together with the N^2 dependence of the intensity radiated in the 'undulator' regime can explain why the *spectral brightness* achievable with undulators exceeds by several order of magnitude that of bending magnets and of wigglers.

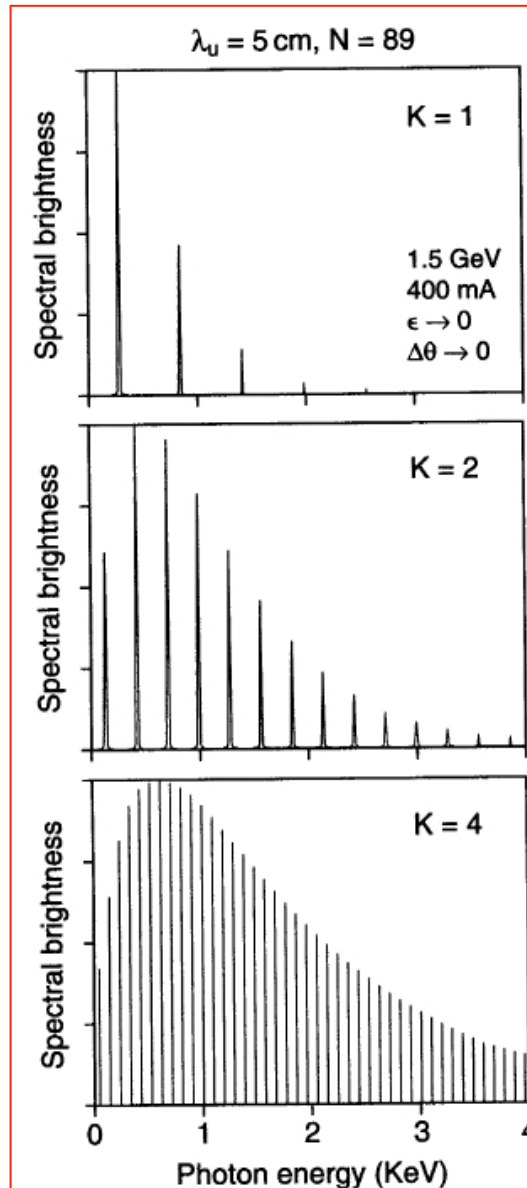


$$\theta_{cen} \approx \frac{1}{\gamma\sqrt{N}}$$

For on-axis radiation ($\theta = 0$), θ_{cen} or *central radiation cone* is defined as containing radiation of relative spectral bandwidth, $\Delta\lambda/\lambda = 1/N$.

Undulator equation and wiggler limit

$$E_n (eV) = 9.496 \frac{nE[GeV]^2}{\lambda_u[m] \left(1 + \frac{K^2}{2}\right)}$$



Undulator radiation ($K \lesssim 1$)

- Narrow spectral lines
- High spectral brightness
- Partial coherence

$$\lambda = \frac{\lambda_u}{2\gamma^2} \left(1 + \frac{K^2}{2} + \gamma^2 \theta^2\right)$$

$$K = \frac{eB_0\lambda_u}{2\pi mc}$$

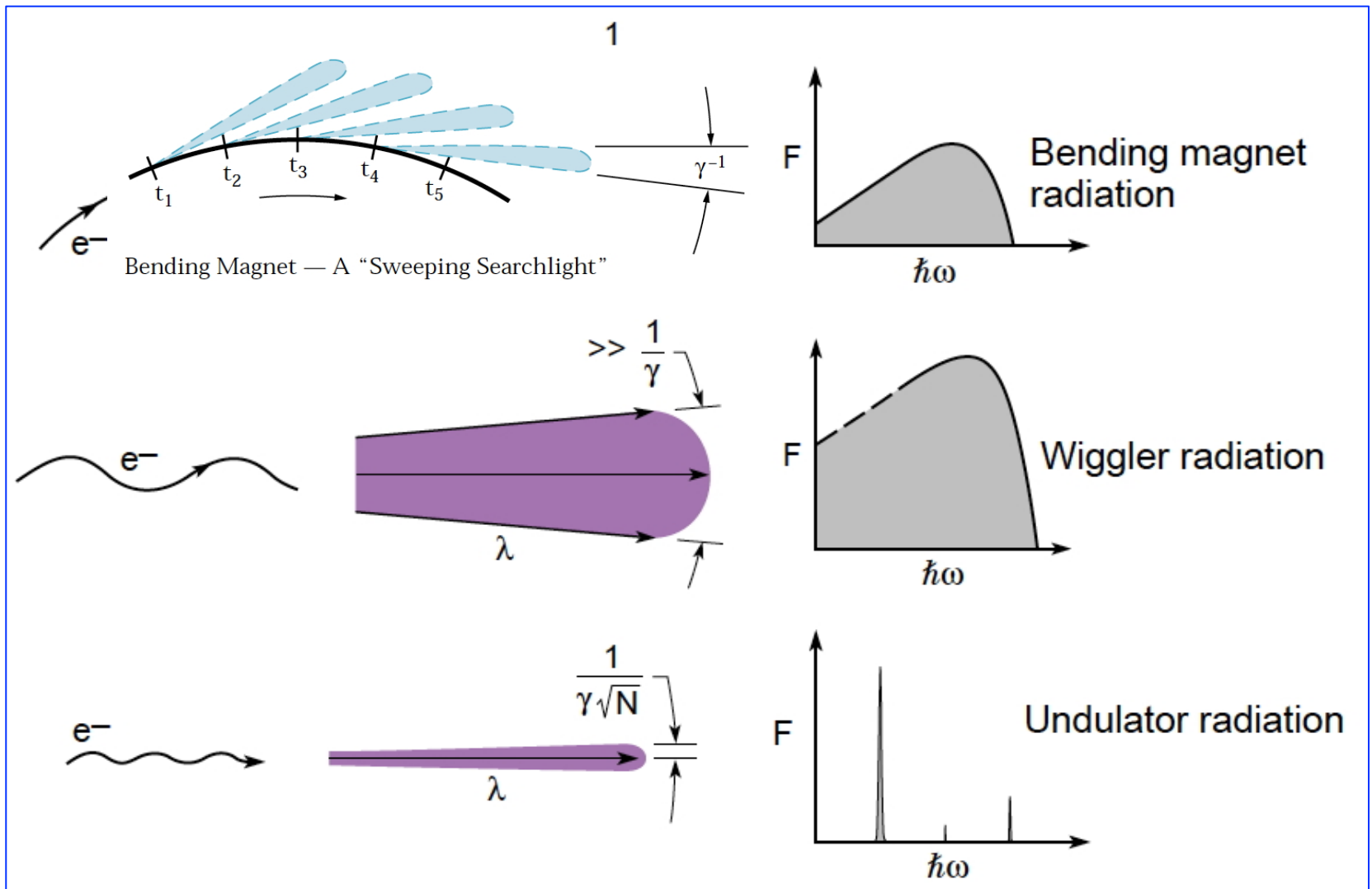
Wiggler radiation ($K \gg 1$)

- Higher photon energies
- Spectral continuum
- Higher photon flux (2N)

$$\hbar\omega_c = \frac{3}{2} \frac{\hbar\gamma^2 eB_0}{m}$$

$$n_c = \frac{3K}{4} \left(1 + \frac{K^2}{2}\right)$$

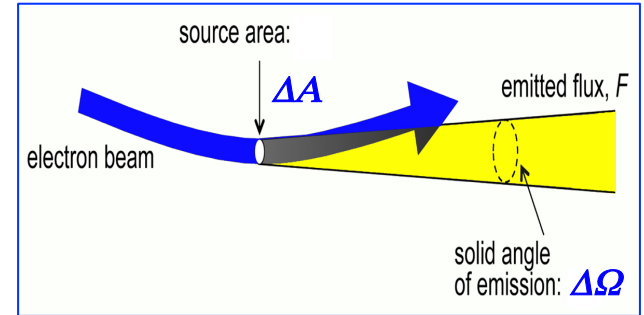
Just to summarize!



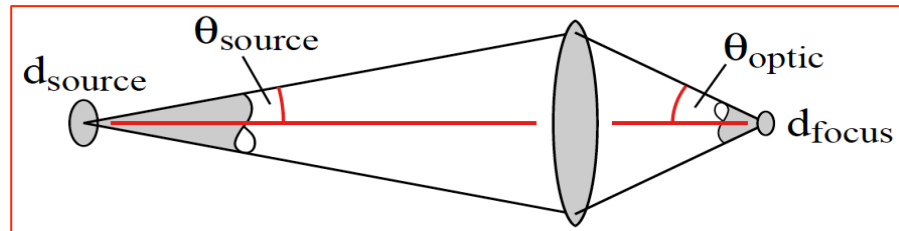
Brightness

Brightness

Brightness (flux density in phase space) is an invariant and depends on the **size of the source** (ΔA) (electron beam) and on **the angular divergence of the radiation** ($\Delta\Omega$), given by the **convolution of the angular distribution of synchrotron radiation with the angular divergence of the electron beam**.



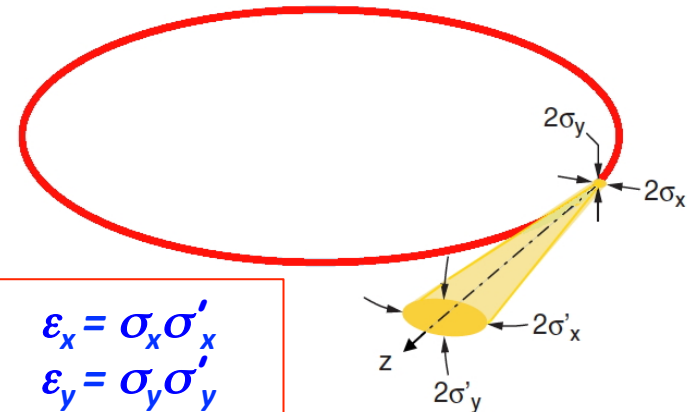
As well known due to **Liouville's theorem**, **focusing preserves brightness**, i.e. **the brightness of the source is equal to the brightness of the beam when focused on the sample**.



$$d_{\text{source}} \cdot \theta_{\text{source}} = d_{\text{focus}} \cdot \theta_{\text{optic}}$$

In a storage ring the **product of the electron beam transverse size and angular divergence is a constant along the ring** and is called **emittance**. There is a horizontal and a vertical emittance. The **horizontal emittance** (ϵ_x) is measured in **nanometer-radians** (nm-rad). The **vertical emittance** (ϵ_y) is normally a **few percent of the horizontal one**.

Brightness is a conserved quantity in perfect optical systems, and thus is useful in designing beamlines and synchrotron radiation experiments which involve focusing to small areas.



$$\epsilon_x = \sigma_x \sigma'_x$$

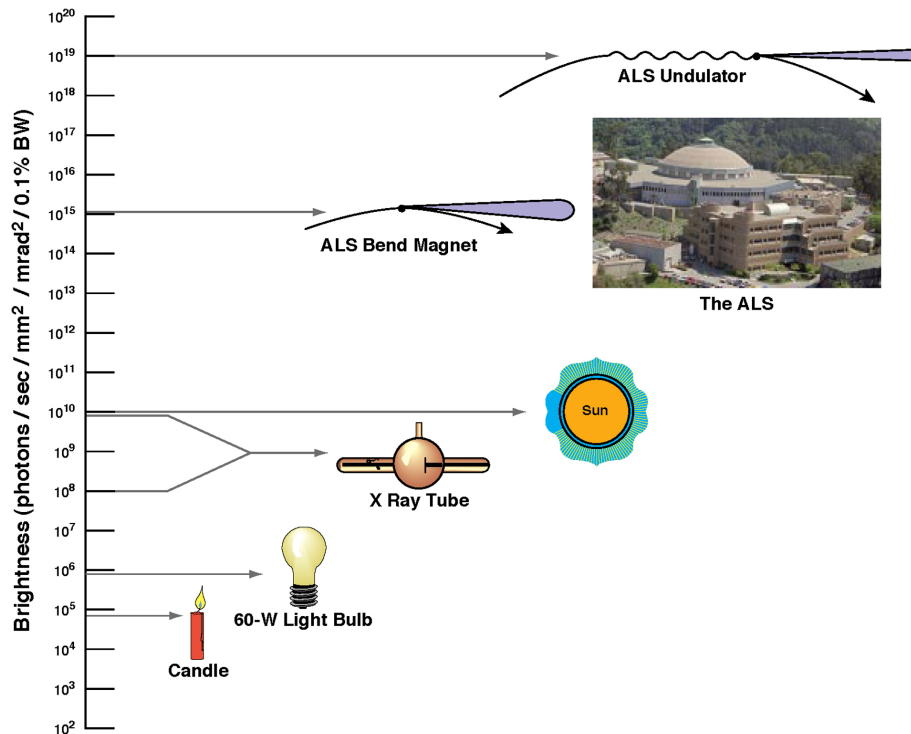
$$\epsilon_y = \sigma_y \sigma'_y$$

Brightness

Synchrotron radiation sources have very high brightness.

How Bright Is the Advanced Light Source?

ALS

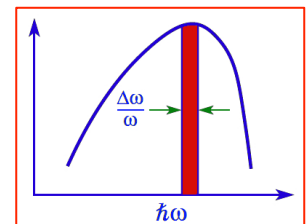


Brightness is defined as radiated flux per unit area and per unit solid angle at the source.

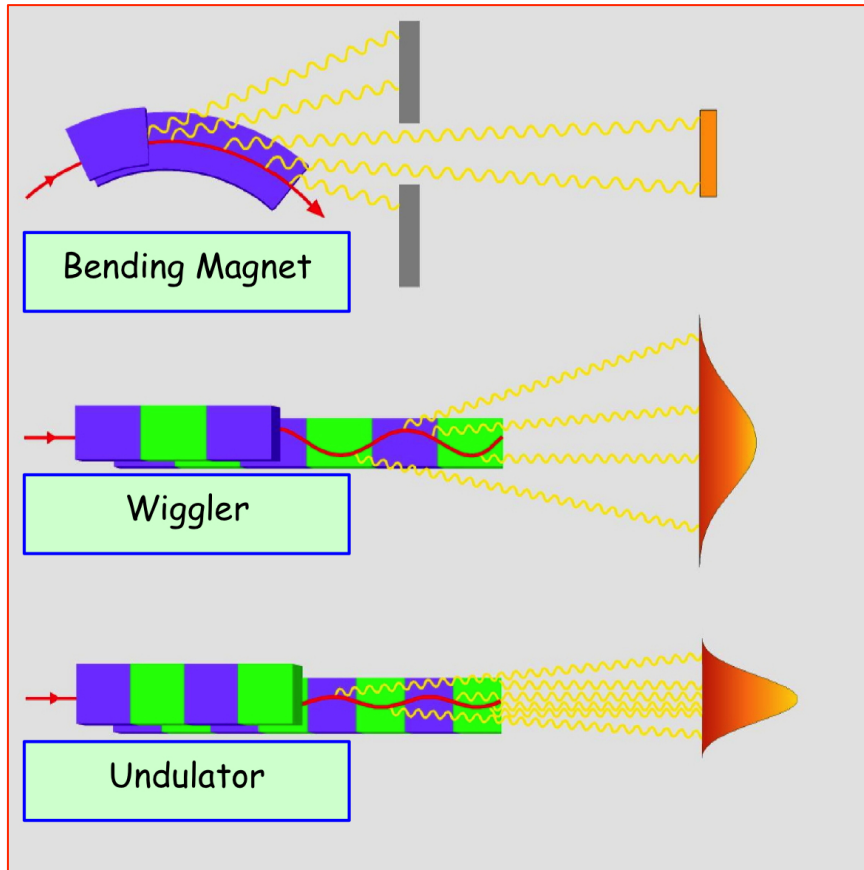
- *Electrons in vacuum can emit more power than electrons in a solid because the power does not damage their environment $\Rightarrow$ **high flux**.*
- *The **source size** is not that of a single electron but the transverse cross section of the electron beam. The sophisticated trajectory control system makes it **very small**.*
- *Relativity induces **drastically reduced angular divergence** of the emission.*

Spectral brightness is that portion of the brightness lying within a **relative spectral bandwidth** $\Delta\omega/\omega$:

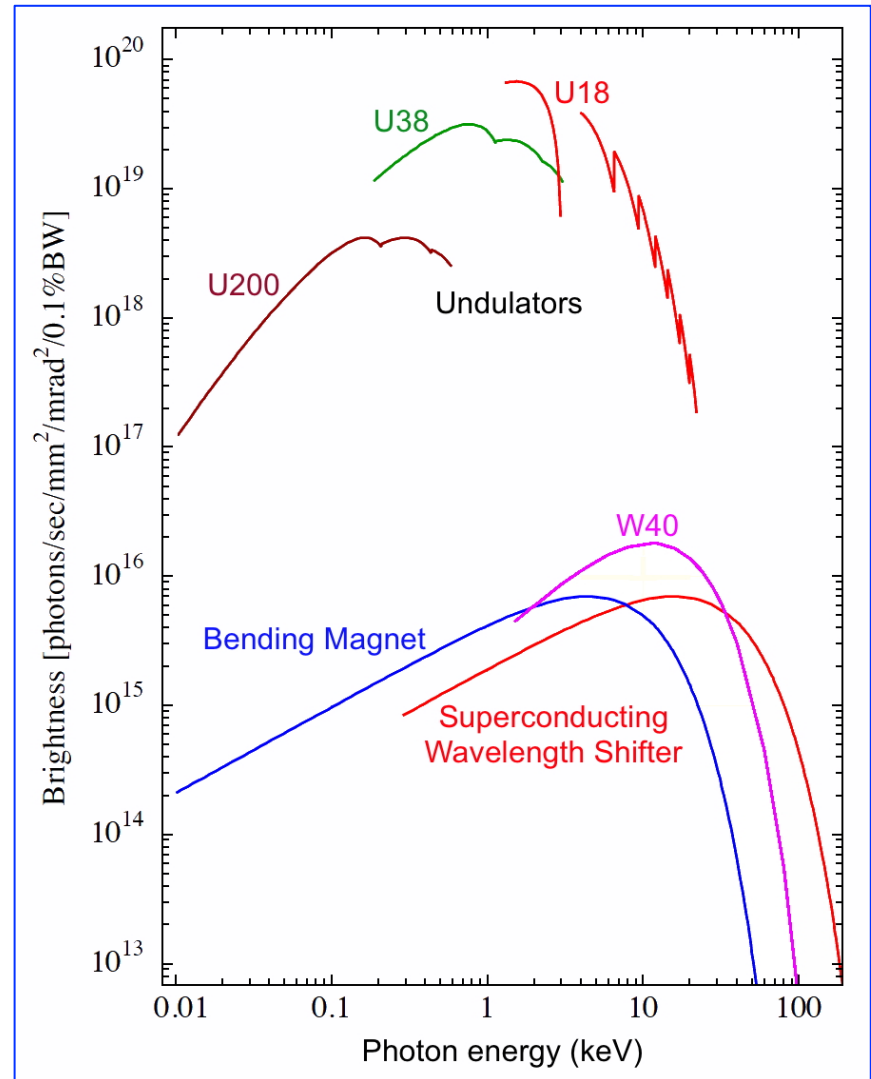
$$\text{Spectral Brightness} = \frac{\text{photons}}{\text{second} \cdot \text{mrad}^2 \cdot \text{mm}^2 \cdot 0.1\% \text{BW}}$$



Comparing the achievable brightness



Courtesy DESY



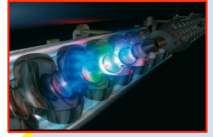
Calculated brightness of beams emitted by undulators (200 mm (L= 10 m), 38 mm (L= 4 m) and 18 mm (L= 2 m) periods), wigglers (wavelength shifter and 40 mm (L= 2 m) period) and bending magnets for a 2.4 GeV storage ring with 400 mA circulating current (**M. Boge**
<http://accelconf.web.cern.ch/Accelconf/e98/PAPERS/MOP286.PDF>)

Short history of synchrotron radiation

... from particle physics "parasite" to fundamental tool !!!

Synchrotron Light Short History and Name

5th gen. - Very compact XFELs



4th gen. - LINAC based accelerators
FELs

3^{rd*} gen. ultimate storage rings like MAX IV
(Sweden) near future



3rd gen. dedicated storage ring ESRF (France)
1994

Brightness increase

Accelerators built to optimize
SR - ID

2nd gen. dedicated storage ring SRS (UK)
1981



First
accelerators built
for SR - BM

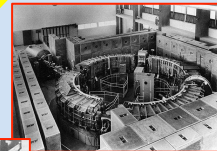
1st gen. dedicated ring Tantalus I (USA)
1968

Using accelerators built for HE physics

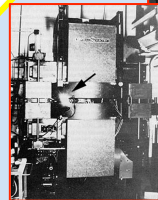
Storage rings development 1960s
ADA - B. Touschek - LNF



Parasitic use of electro-synchrotrons
1961



First observation of synchrotron radiation
1947



General Electric Res. Lab. - 70 MeV Electro-
Synchrotron (N.Y. USA)

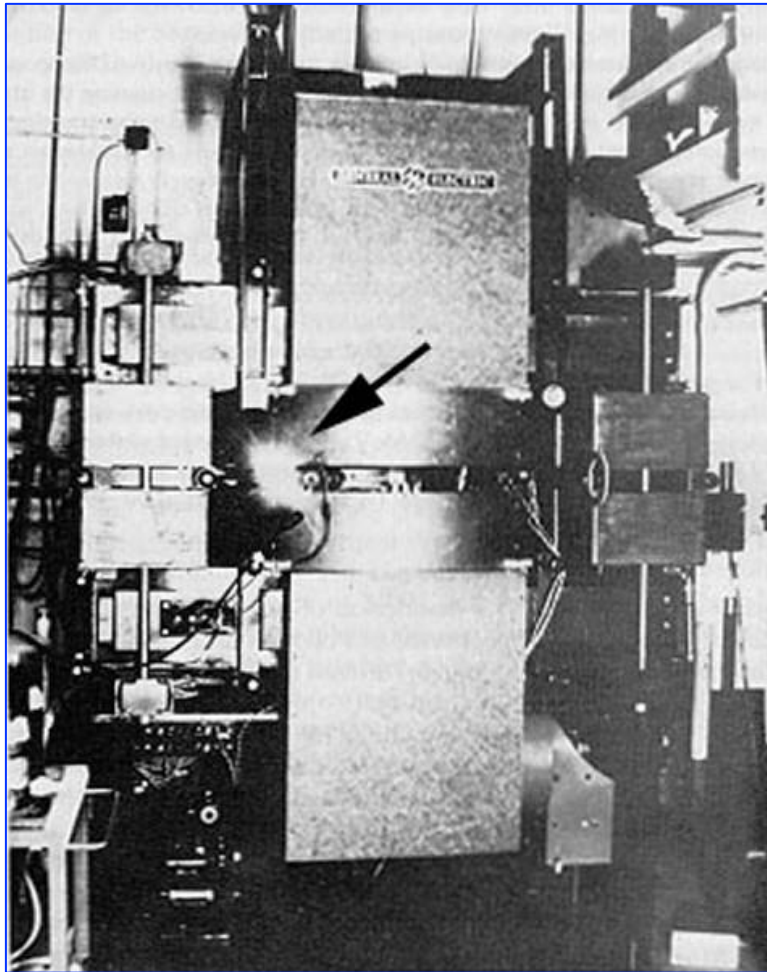
Proof of concepts, tests of theories
1897-1946



J. Schwinger Nobel Prize 1965 Classical Relativistic quantum field theory

Synchrotron radiation: history

First generation: parasitic operation and storage rings

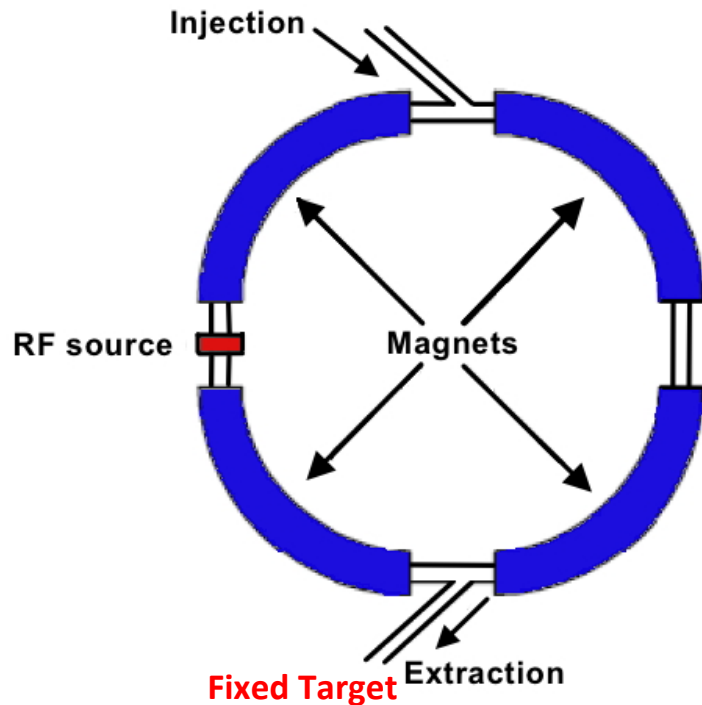


1947 General Electric Res. Lab. - 70 MeV Electron Synchrotron - N.Y. USA

Starting point: Proof of concepts, tests of theories!

- In the 50s and 60s machines built for High Energy Physics: synchrotrons (*1947 First 'visual observation of synchrotron radiation'*).
- Synchrotron radiation was considered a *nuisance by particle physicists: unwanted but unavoidable loss of energy!*
- 1961 US National Bureau of Standards (now NIST) modified their electron synchrotron: *access to the synchrotron radiation users*.
- Synchrotron radiation scientists became *parasites* of nuclear physics experiments. (*1961 Frascati - CNEN Electrosynchrotron - (0.4-1.1) GeV*)
- 1968 *First storage ring dedicated* to synchrotron radiation research: *Tantalus* (University of Wisconsin) only *bending magnets*.

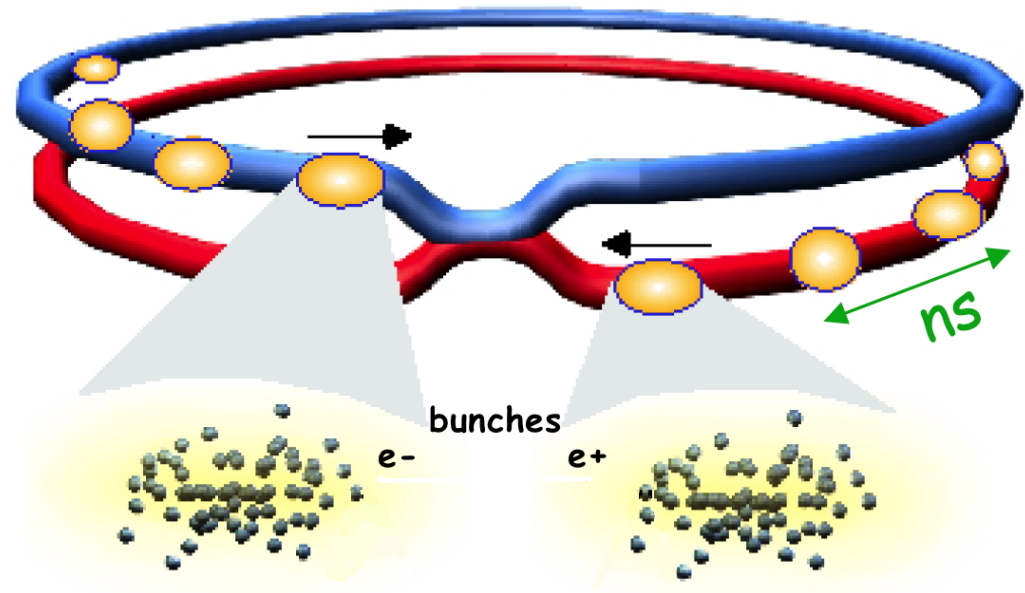
Synchrotrons and Storage Rings



Synchrotron

Particle beam on fixed target

$$E_{CM} = (mE)^{1/2}$$



Storage rings

Colliding particle beams

$$E_{CM} = 2E$$

Colliding beams more efficient

E = particle energy $\gg mc^2$; E_{CM} = centre-of-mass energy

Comparing synchrotrons and storage rings

Synchrotrons

- **Cyclic** - the guiding magnetic field used to bend the particles into a closed path, is time-dependent, being *synchronized* to a particle beam of increasing kinetic energy.
- **Emitted photon spectrum varies** as e^- energy changes during each cycle.
- **Photon intensity varies** as e^- energy changes during each cycle (also cycle to cycle variations).
- **Source position varies** during the acceleration cycle.
- **High Energy Radiation Background** (Bremsstrahlung + e^-): **high**, due to loss of all particles on each cycle.

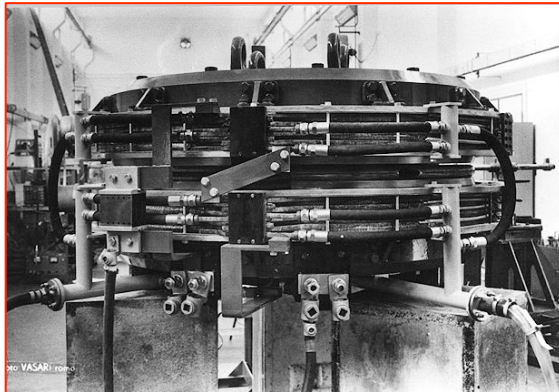
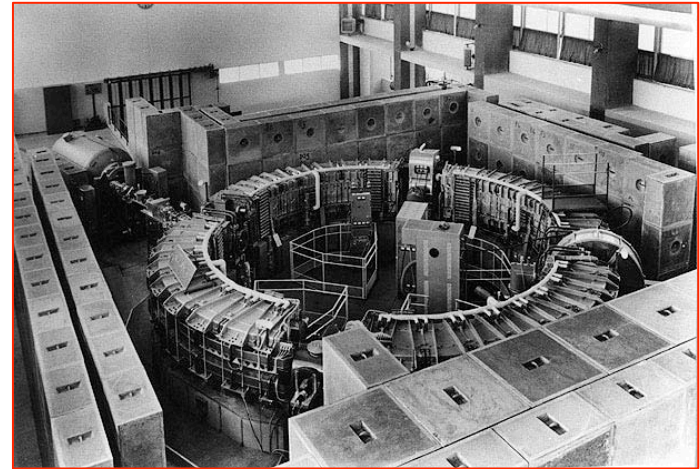
Storage rings

- **Constant**: as special type of synchrotron in which the kinetic energy of the particles is kept constant.
- **Emitted photon spectrum constant**.
- **Photon intensity decays slowly** over many hours.
- **Source position constant**- submicron source stability.
- **High Energy Radiation Background**: **low** because same particles are stored for many hours.

Synchrotron radiation: short history

Frascati: ElettroSynchrotron, ADA and ADONE

*Frascati - CNEN (Comitato Nazionale Energia Nucleare)
Laboratory **ElettroSincrotrone** - (0.4-1.1) GeV, $C = 28$ m
(1959-1975)*



*LNF **ADA** (Anello Di Accumulazione) - first electron-positron
storage ring (proposed by B. Touschek) 0.25 GeV, $C = 5$ m
(1961-1964)*

*LNF **ADONE** (big ADA) electron-positron storage ring 1.5
GeV per beam, $C = 105$ m
(1969-1993)*

*1976-1993 LNF **ADONE** 1.5 GeV parasitic/dedicated use
for SR experiments after its use for HE experiments.*



Synchrotron radiation: history

Second generation: dedicated sources

Development of new techniques, and better sources!

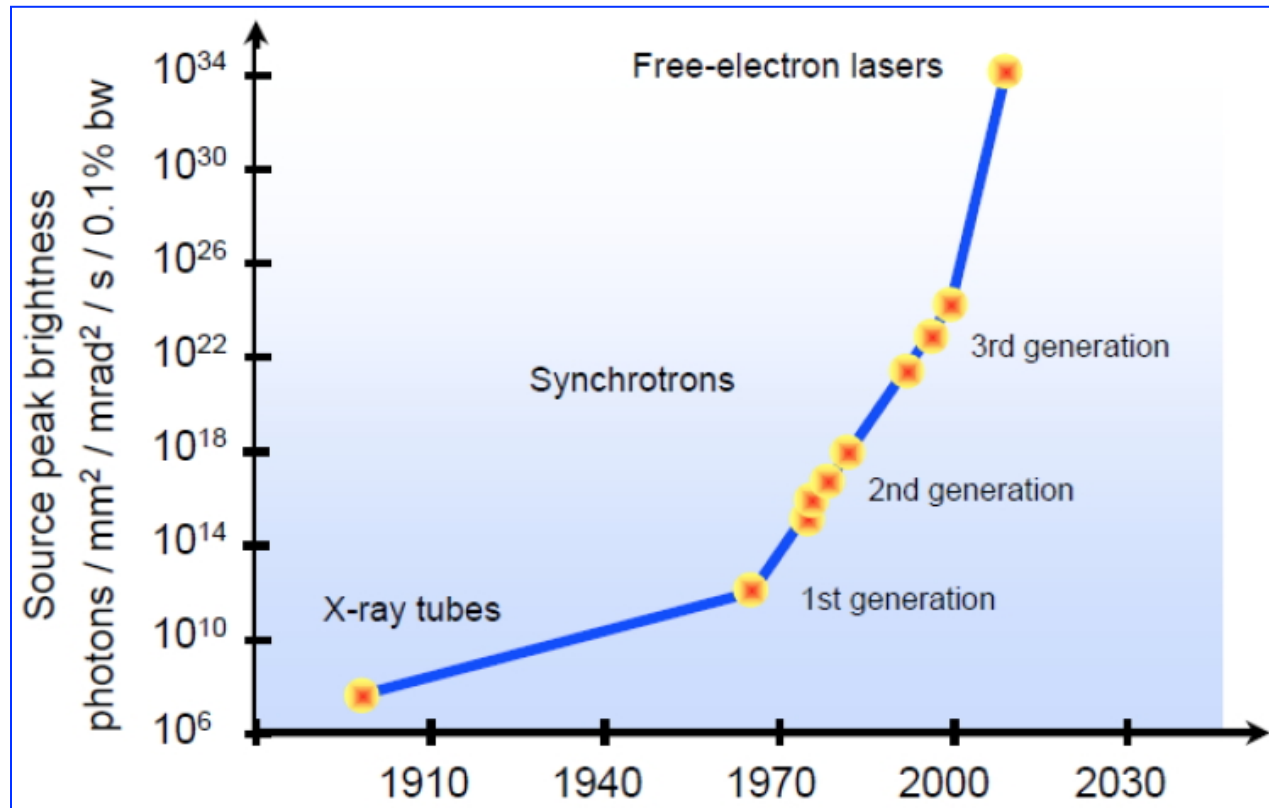


SRS storage ring at Daresbury (UK)

- *First purpose built synchrotron light sources!*
- *SRS (2 GeV) at Daresbury (UK) was the first dedicated machine (1981 - 2008)*
- *First insertion devices (wigglers, undulators) although many were added later*
- *1981 2.5 GeV NSLS, Brookhaven, USA*
- *1982 2.5 GeV 'Photon Factory' KEK, Tsukuba, Japan*
- *1982 0.8 GeV BESSY, Berlin, Germany*
- *1984 0.8 GeV 'SuperACO' ring LURE, Orsay, France*

Increasing brightness

Brightness is the main figure of merit of synchrotron radiation sources and its huge increase, was obtained designing *low emittance machines*, minimizing the source size and the beam divergence.



Increase of a factor 1000 every 10 years!!!

Synchrotron radiation: short history

Third generation: optimized sources

Synchrotron light is now a unique tool for science!

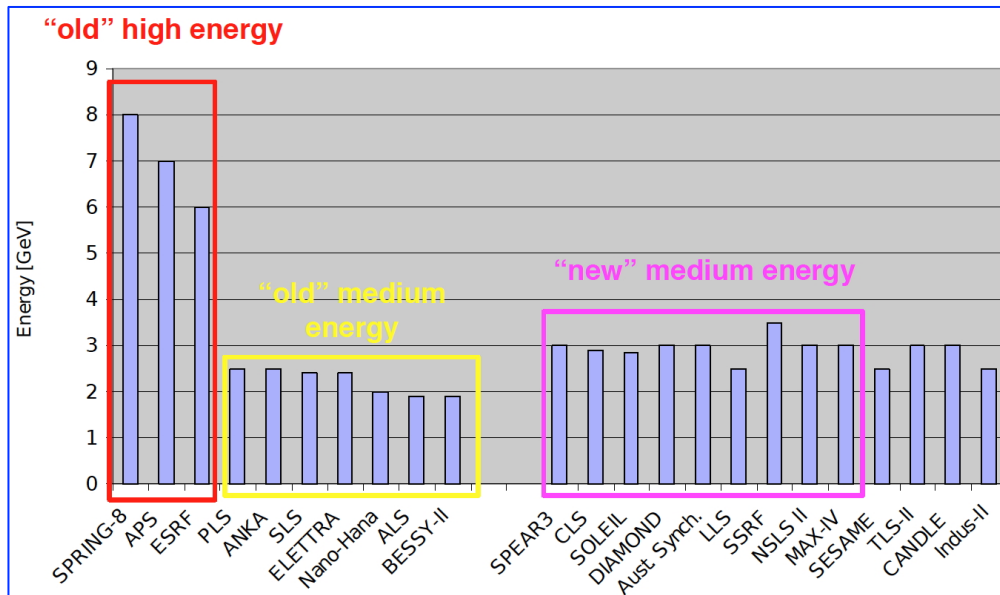


*ESRF, Grenoble - France 6 GeV, $C = 844$ m
opened to users in 1994*

- *Sources designed specifically for high brightness or low emittance.*
- *Emphasis on research with insertion devices like undulators!*
- *High-energy machines able to generate hard x-rays*
- *Larger facilities to support rapidly growing user community, many beamlines high number of users.*

Synchrotron radiation facilities

*18 in America
25 in Asia
25 in Europe
1 in Oceania
including facilities under design and
FELS*



Info on European Synchrotron Radiation Facilities: www.wayforlight.eu
About 67 operational Synchrotron Radiation Facilities Around the World information on: www.lightsources.org

Ultimate Storage Rings

... toward Diffraction Limited Light Sources

Diffraction limit and Emittance

Electron beam provides "diffraction-limited" radiation when:

$$\epsilon_{x,y} \leq \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_r \approx \frac{\lambda}{4\pi}$$

where ϵ_r the emittance given by the angular divergence and the effective radiation source size is :

$$\epsilon_r = \sigma_r \sigma_{r'} \approx \frac{\lambda}{2\pi}$$

and in this case, the coherent fraction can be quite high:

$$f_c = \frac{\epsilon_r^2}{\Sigma_x \Sigma_{x'} \Sigma_y \Sigma_{y'}} \gtrsim 44\%$$

For 1 Å radiation, the diffraction-limited photon-beam emittance is about 8 pmrad.

Typically 3rd-generation rings have:

$$\epsilon_y = 1 - 40 \text{ pmrad} \quad \text{and} \quad \epsilon_x = 1 - 5 \text{ nmrad}$$

ESRF Grenoble

$$\epsilon_y = 4 \text{ pmrad}$$

$$\epsilon_x = 4 \text{ nmrad}$$

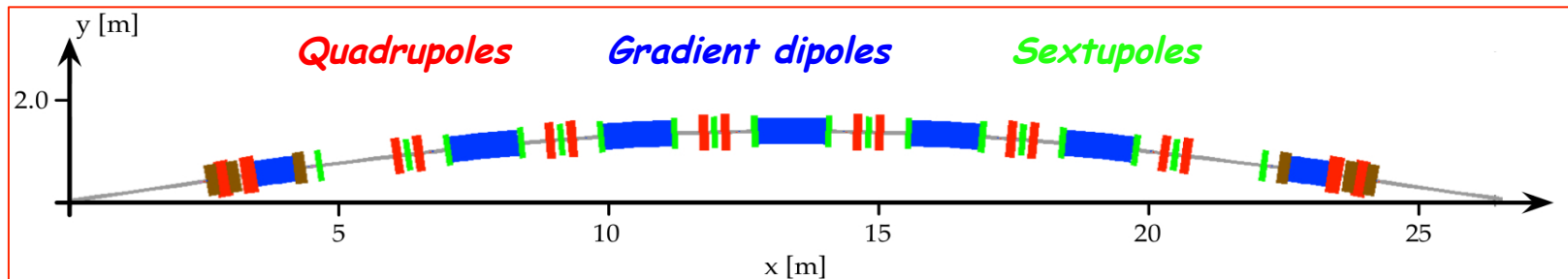
Several orders of magnitude away from diffraction-limited performance in horizontal

Emittance and Multibend Achromat Lattice

$$\varepsilon_{x_0, min} \propto \frac{E^2}{N_B^3}$$

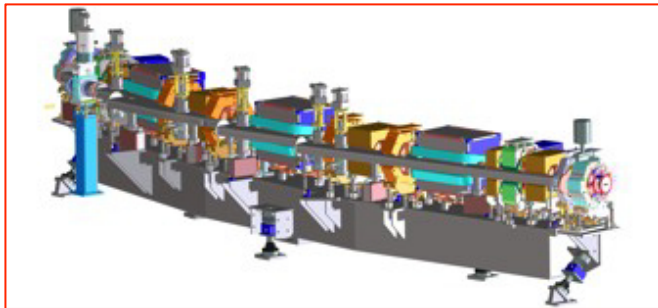
Emittance is governed by energy, E , and number of bending magnets, N_B .

- Emittance is driven by randomness of photon emission in presence of dispersive (energy-dependent) orbits;
- Breaking up dipoles and putting focusing (quadrupoles) between the parts allows tightly controlling the magnitude of dispersive orbits



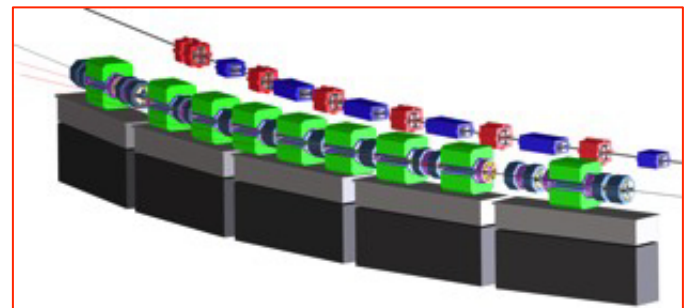
Multi-Bend Achromat Lattices enable small electron emittance and high brightness

P.F. Tavares, *The MAX IV storage ring project*, J. Synch. Rad., (2014). 21, 862-877



ALS today triple-bend achromat (TBA)
 $\varepsilon_x = 2000 \text{ pmrad}$

C. Steier, ALS SAC

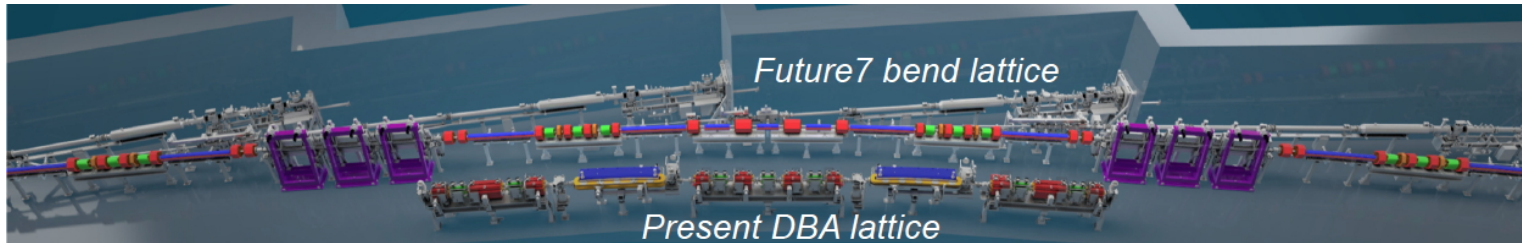


ALS multi-bend achromat (9BA)
 $\varepsilon_x = 52 \text{ pmrad}$

Synchrotron radiation: history

Future : Ultimate Storage Rings

Brightness and transverse coherence increase in the X-ray range with implementation of low emittance lattices (multi-bend achromat schemes).

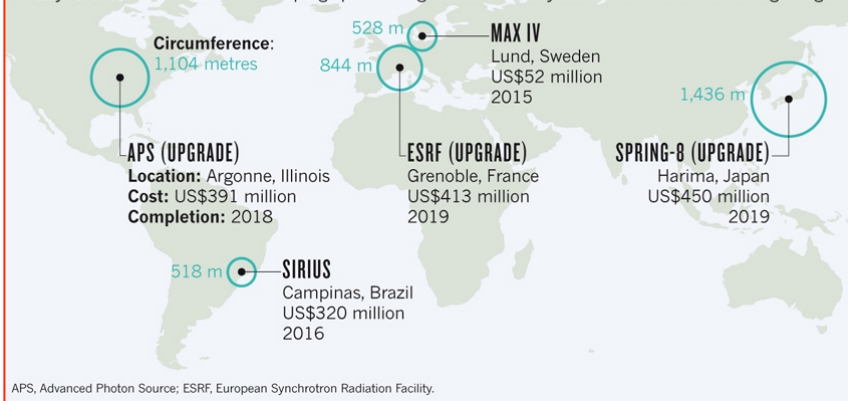


J. Jacob, Status of the ESRF operation & upgrade, 2013

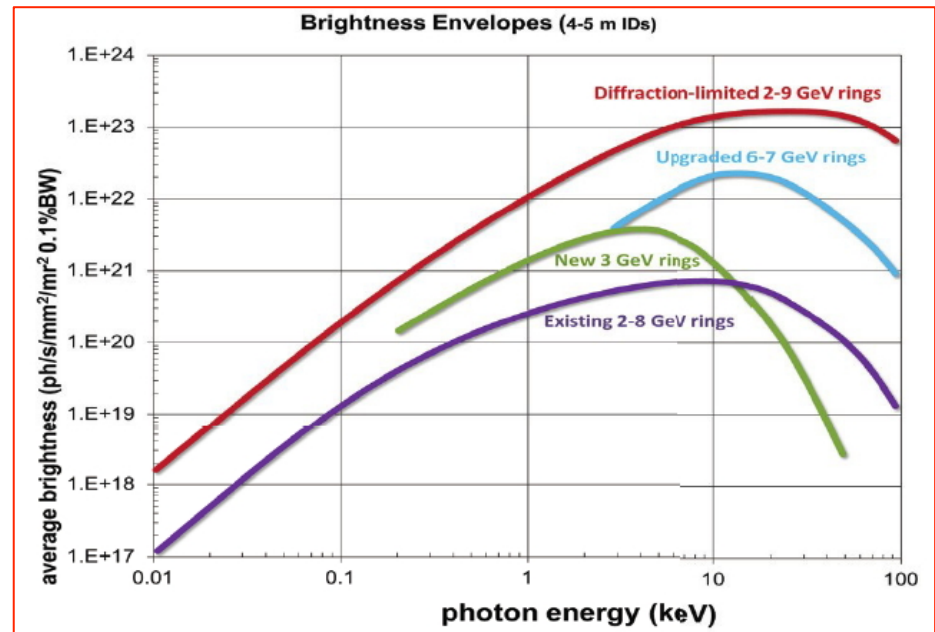
ESRF $\epsilon_x = 4$ nm; $\epsilon_x = 5$ pm in the future $\epsilon_x = 0.16$ nm

FOCUSED BEAMS

Five synchrotron facilities are developing special magnets so that they can become ultimate storage rings.

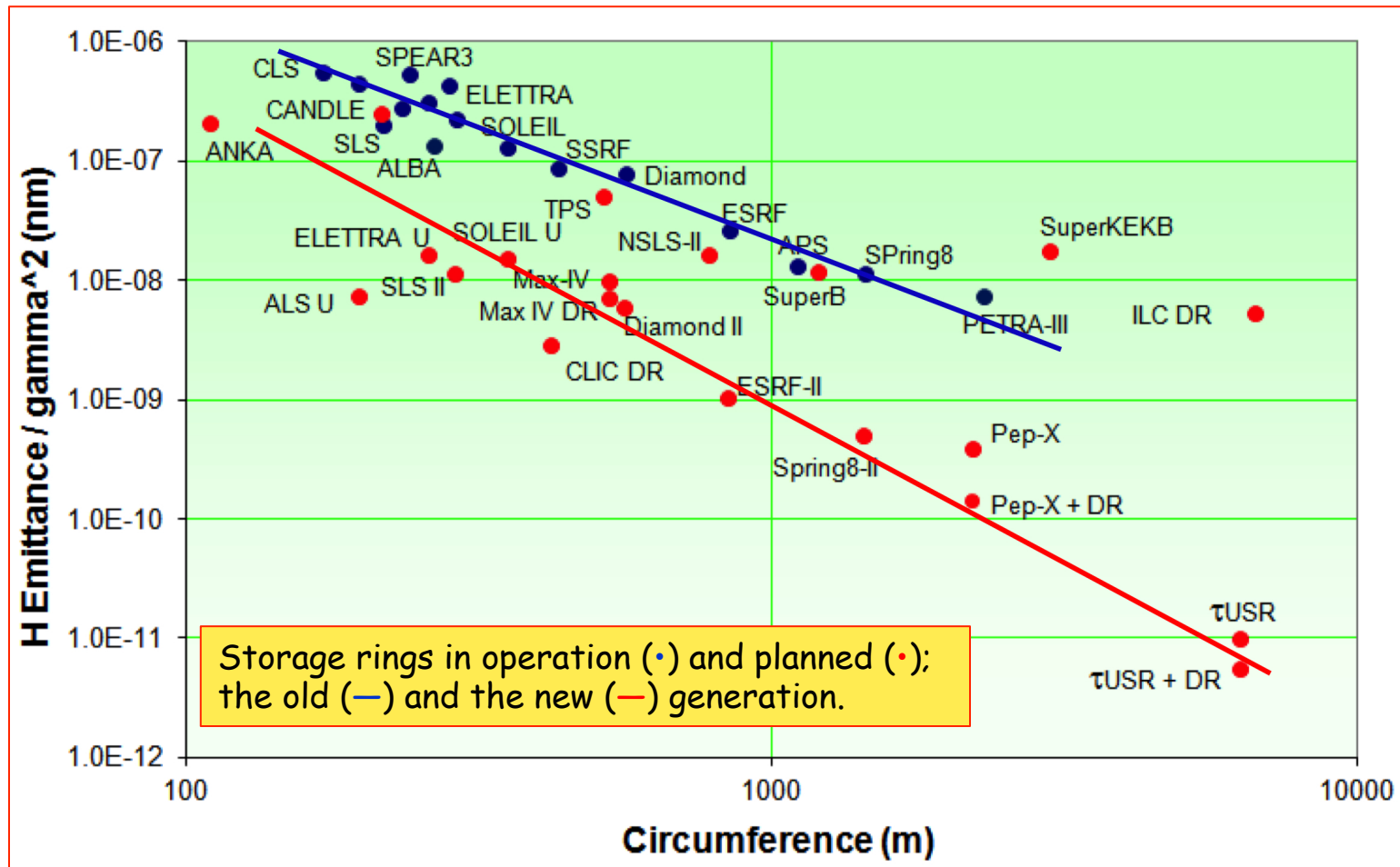


E.S. Reich, Ultimate upgrade for US synchrotron, Nature, 2013



H. Owen - Univ. of Manchester (UK)

Storage rings generational change



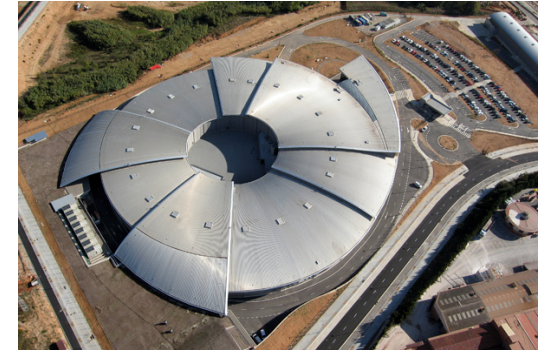
3rd Generation Light Sources



ESRF - France



DIAMOND - UK



ALBA - Spain

Brightness is the main figure of merit of synchrotron radiation sources and its huge increase, was obtained designing low emittance machines, minimizing the source size and the beam divergence.

Under construction - Ultimate SR facilities



Lund - Sweden



Sirius - Brazil



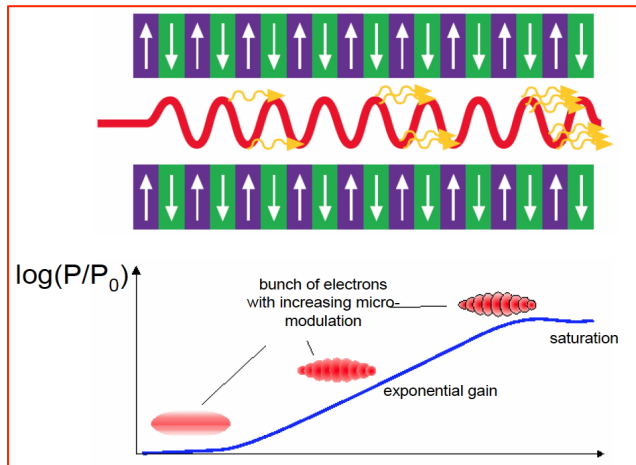
Shanghai -China

FELs or Free Electron Lasers

Fourth generation: LINAC based sources and Free Electron Lasers

Electrons in a FEL are not bound to atoms or molecules. The "free" electrons traverse a series of alternating magnets, called "undulators," and radiate light at wavelengths depending on electrons energy, undulator period and magnetic field.

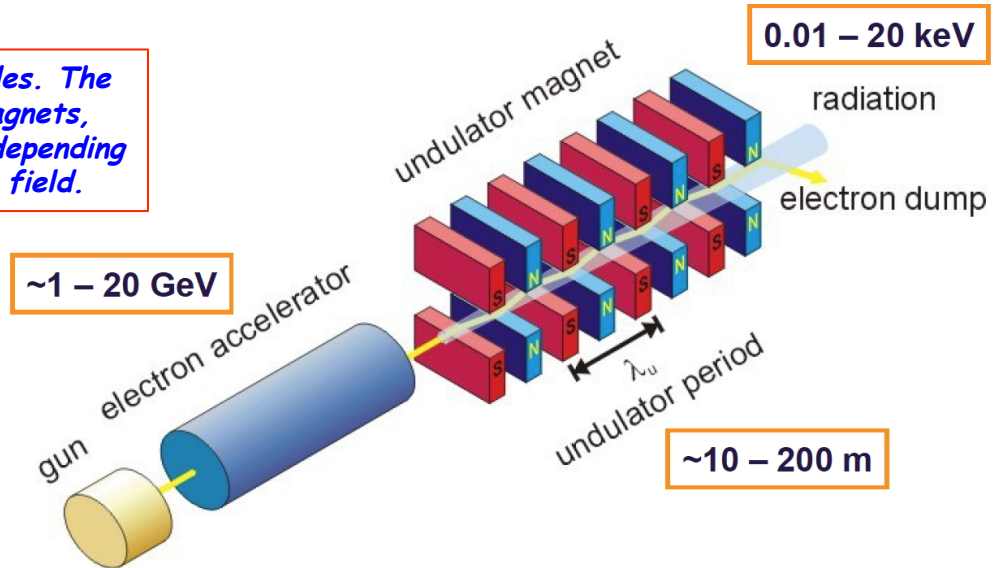
SASE FEL - Self Amplified Stimulated Emission



Letargy
Spontaneous Emission
Low Gain
Random electron phase

Exponential Growth
Stimulated emission
High Gain
Electron bunched at radiation wavelength

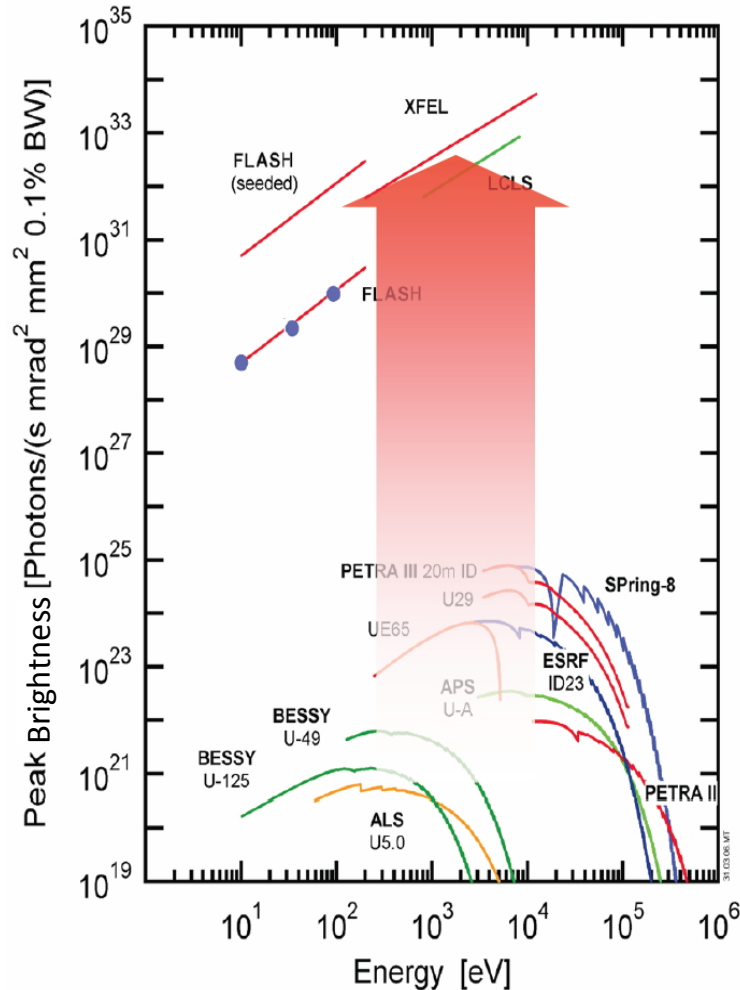
Saturation
Absorption
No Gain
Debunching



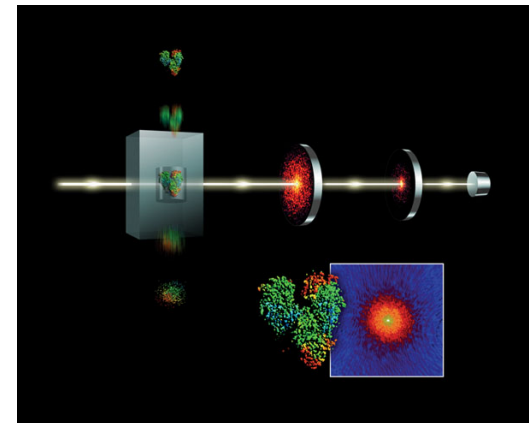
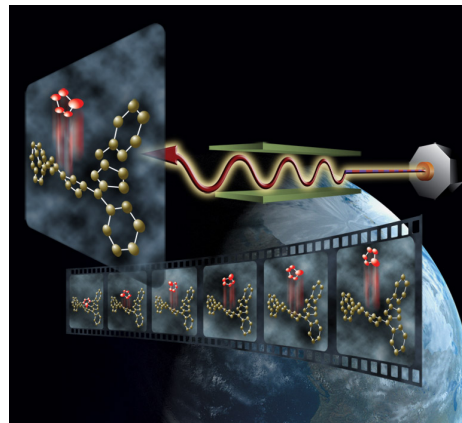
- The undulator induces **transverse sinusoidal velocity** in electrons
- **Energy exchange** occurs between the transverse **electron current** and **transverse electric field** of a **co-propagating light beam**
- Depending on the phase of the light beam with the electrons' wiggling motion, **some electrons gain energy while others lose energy** $\rightarrow$ **energy modulation** $\rightarrow$ **bunching of electrons** along the axial direction into micro-bunches with period equal to an optical wavelength
- **Micro-bunched electron beams radiate coherently** at higher power $\rightarrow$ **amplification of the co-propagating light beam.**

Synchrotron radiation: history

Fourth generation: LINAC based sources and Free Electron Lasers



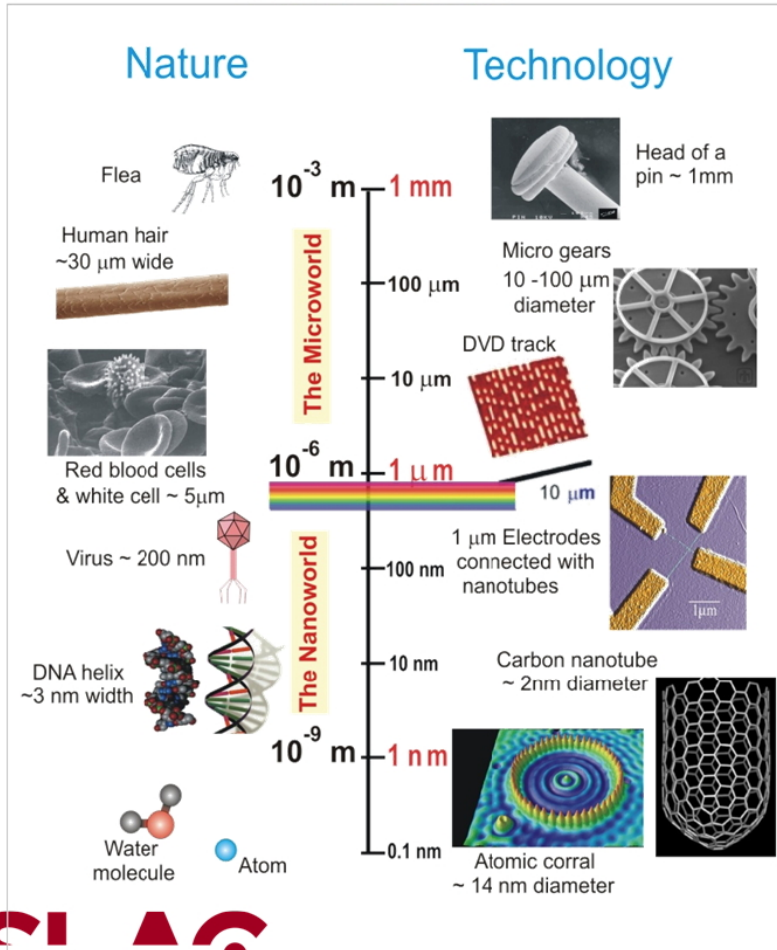
- *Extremely bright and coherent sources*
- *Ultrafast pulses*
- *Already working in IR to UV and X-ray (first XFEL - LCLS April 2009) ranges*
- *European XFEL being built*
- *Filming chemical reactions as they occur*
- *Protein crystallography no longer needed - image molecules directly*



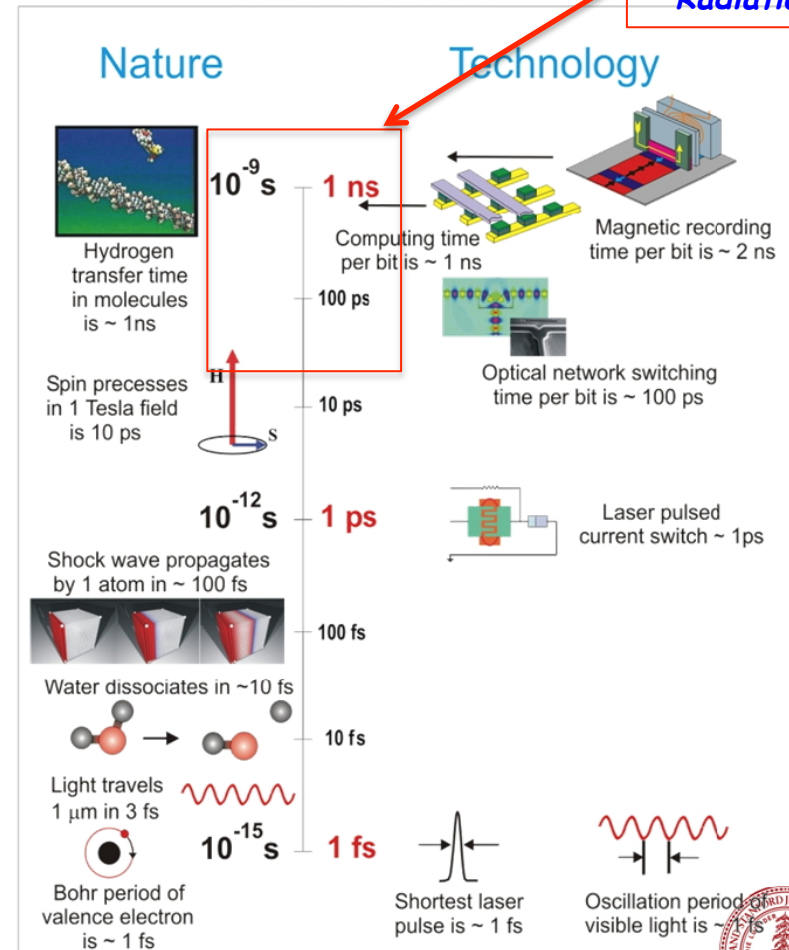
Synchrotron radiation: history

Fourth generation: free electron lasers

Ultra-Small



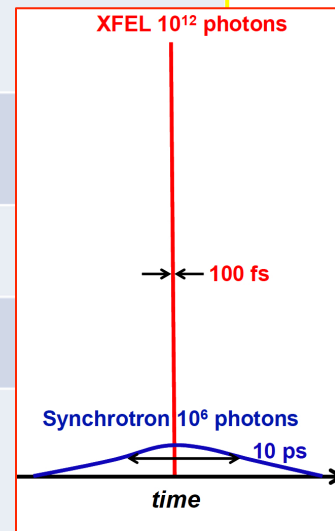
Ultra-Fast



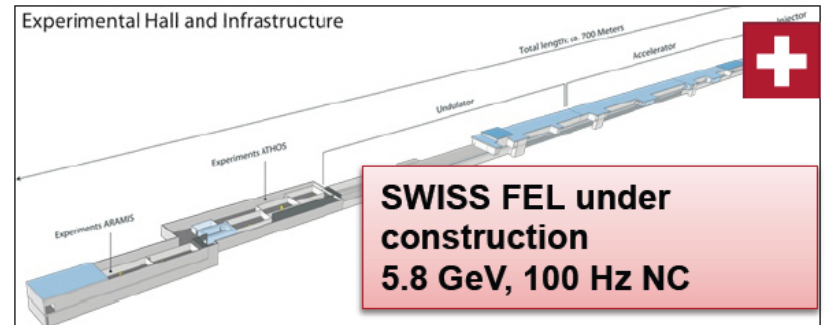
Synchrotron Radiation

Comparing ultimate storage rings and FELs-future

Parameter	Storage Rings	FEL
Wavelength Range	2-3 decades typically	1-2 decades (multiple undulators)
Peak Brightness (ph/s/mr ² /mm ² /0.1%BW)	10 ²⁴ – 10 ²⁶ (x 100 increase but still modest compared to FEL)	10 ³¹ – 10 ³³
Average Brightness (ph/s/mr ² /mm ² /0.1%BW)	10 ²¹ – 10 ²³ (x 100 increase)	10 ²³ – 10 ²⁵ (x 1000 increase)
Minimum Pulse Width (fs)	~1000	Below ~1 fs
Coherence	High spatial coherence	Full coherence
Energy Position Time	<.01% (with ~0.1% energy spread) < 0.1 σ (~0.3 μ m H, V) < 0.1 σ (~0.5 ps)	< 0.1 eV (seeded) ~0.1 σ ~10 fs
Number of Beamlines	Large (~30-60)	Limited (~3-6 endstations per undulator), multiple undulators per facility

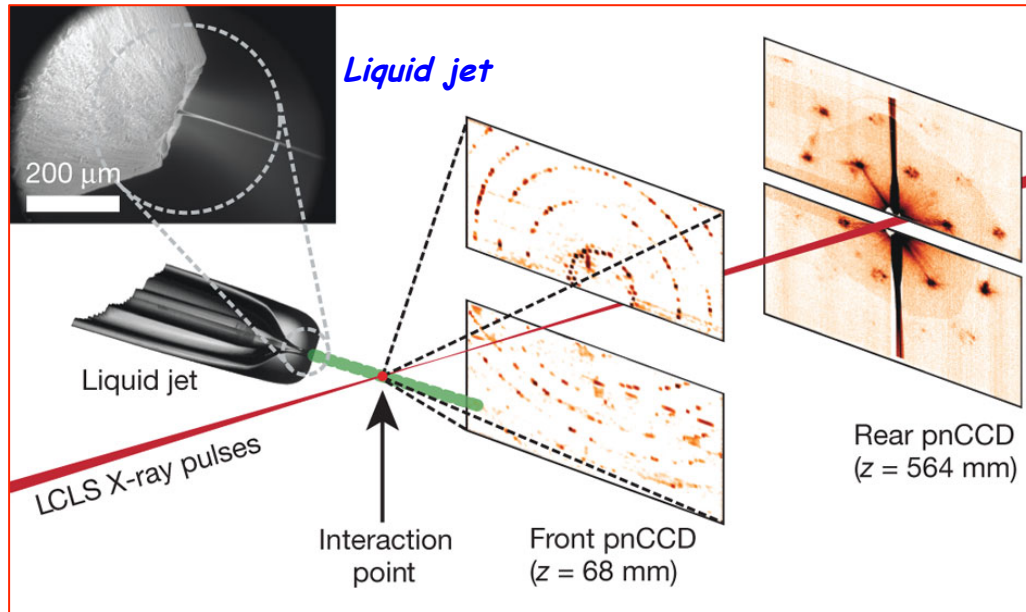


XFELs present and near future



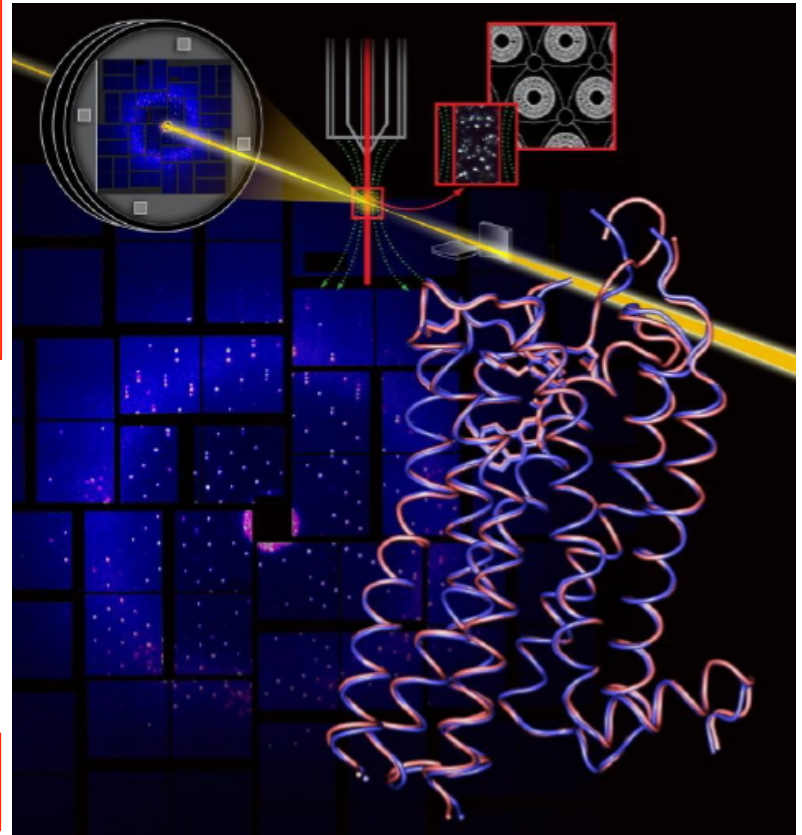
NC: normal conducting acceleration, SC: super conducting acceleration

Serial femtosecond crystallography experiments at LCLS



H.N. Chapman et al. Femtosecond X-ray protein nanocrystallography, Nature 470 (2011)

W. Liu et al. Serial Femtosecond Crystallography of G Protein-Coupled Receptors, Science 342 (2013)



Fifth Generation Light Sources

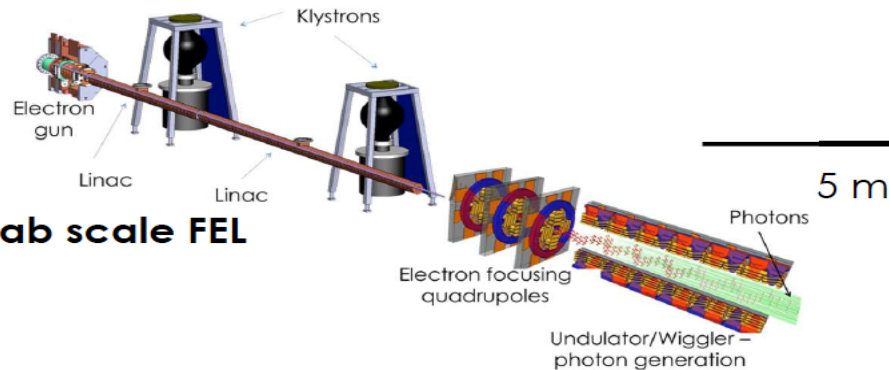
... re-invent XFEL to fit in campus laboratory.

The X-ray FEL is enormous. Challenge is to fit this...



Into this...

The university lab scale FEL

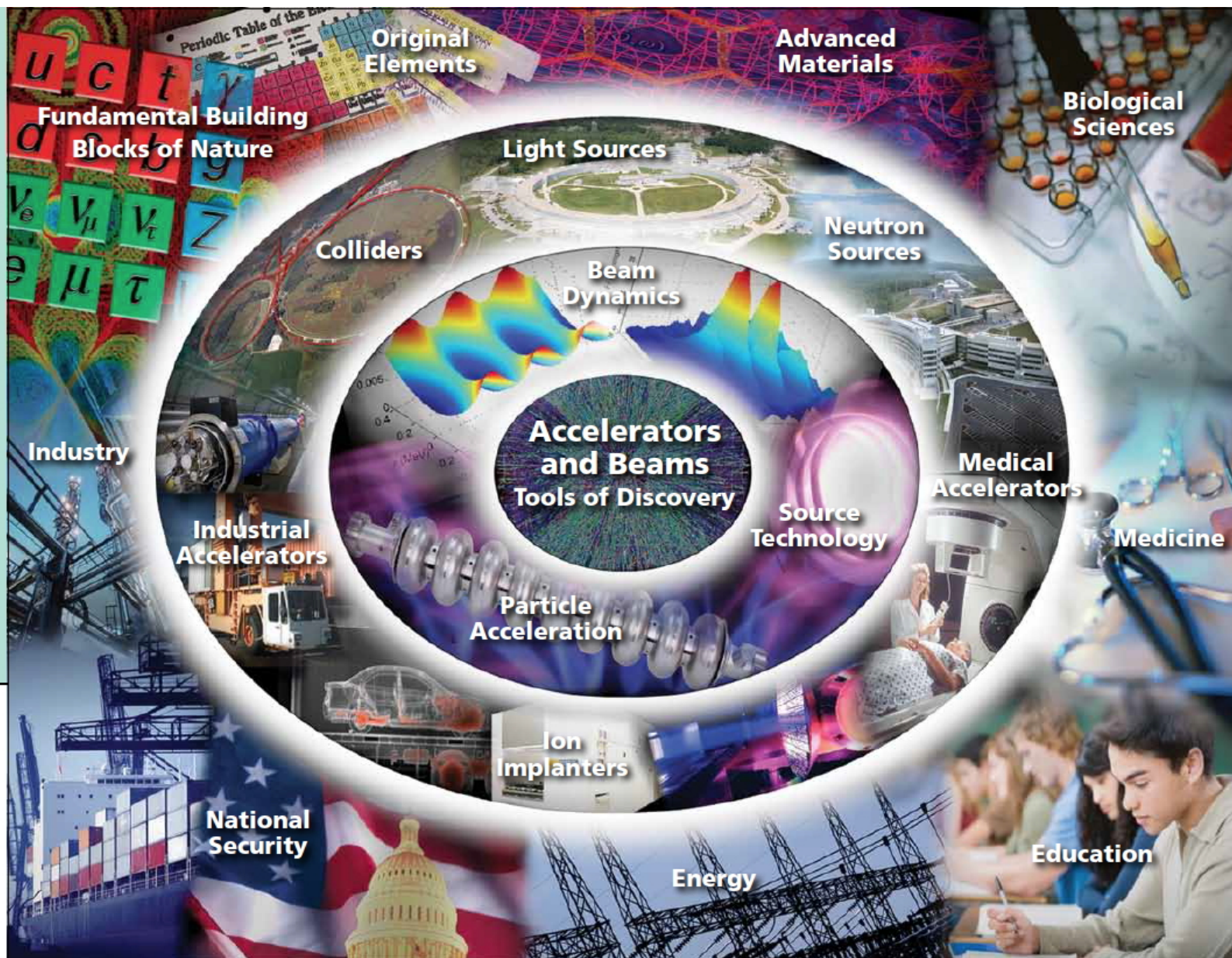


J. Rosenzweig, UCLA - Fifth Generation Light Sources X-ray FELs Based on New Accelerator and Undulators - 2014

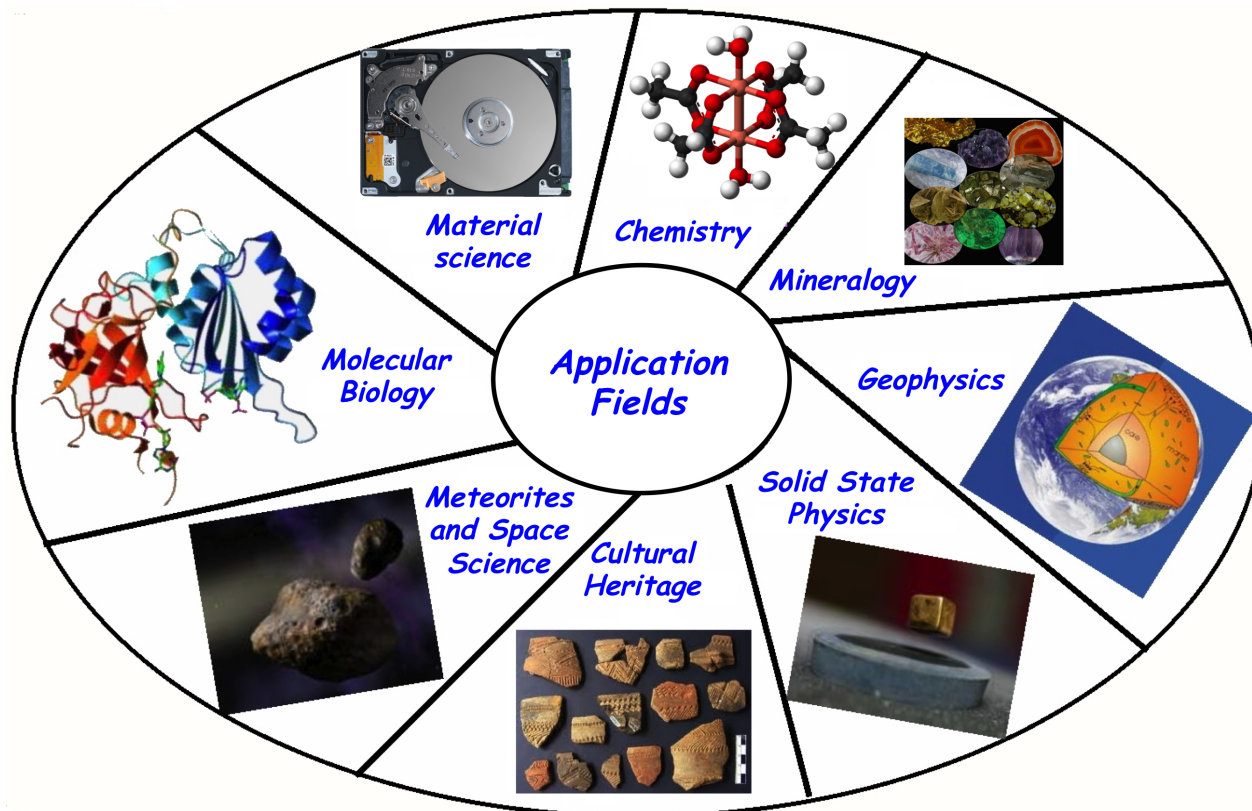
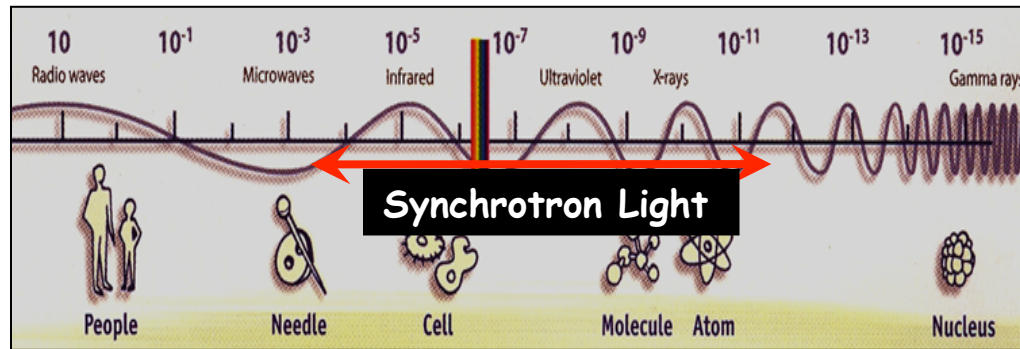
Ongoing research on laser/plasma/wakefield accelerators, high frequency, high repetition rate linacs and electron beam injectors can lead in the future to very compact, university scale, X-ray FELs.

C. Pellegrini, UCLA - 5th Generation light sources - 2011

From accelerators to applications

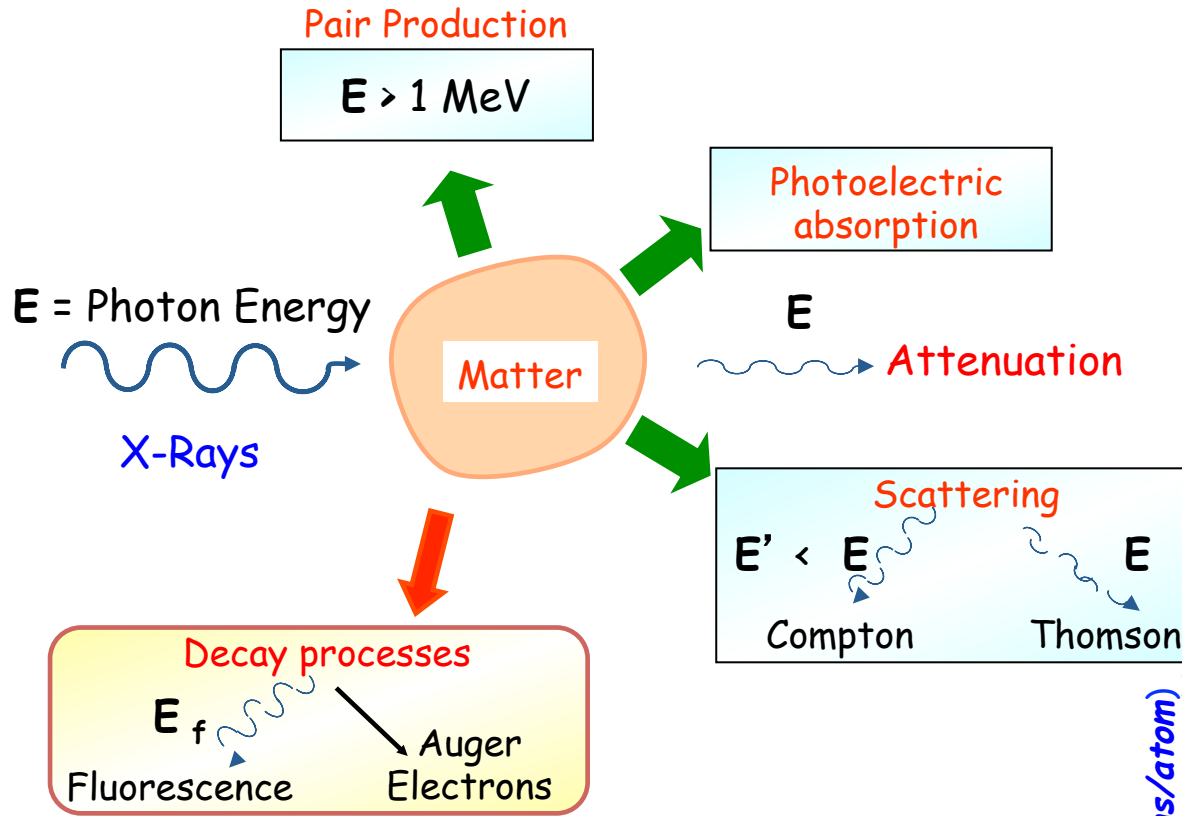


Synchrotron radiation applications

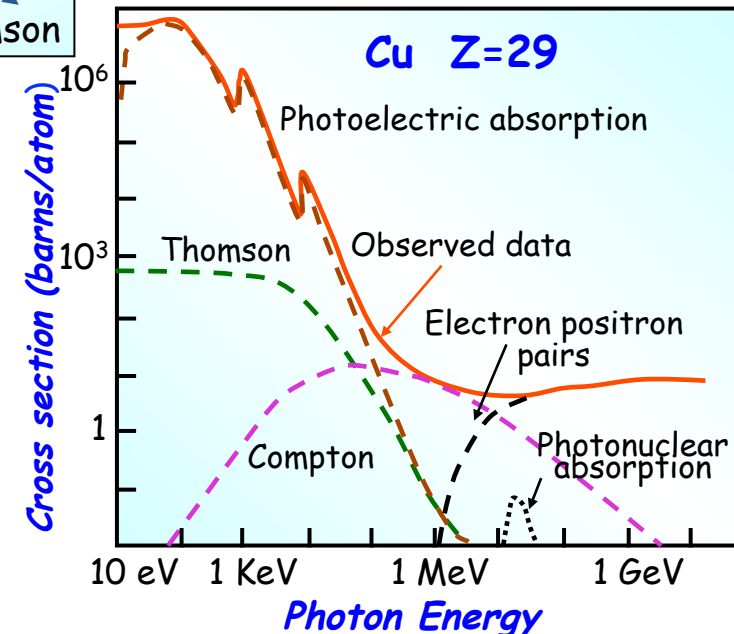


Some applications using X-rays

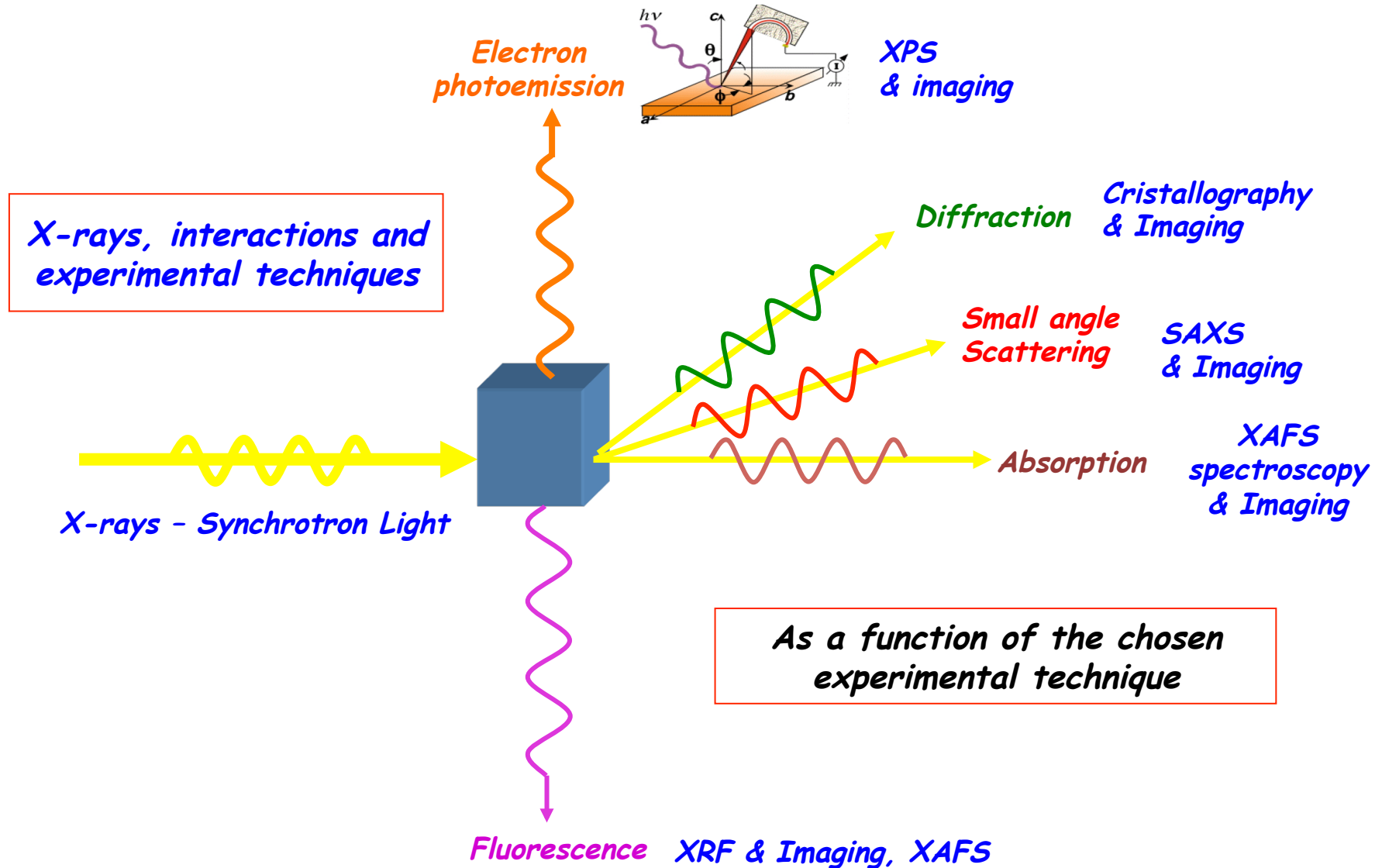
Interaction of X-rays with matter



There are different types of interaction of X-rays with matter but taking into account the energy range of interest the ones that will be taken into account are **absorption** and **elastic** or **Thomson scattering**.



X-rays interactions with matter and experimental techniques



Some applications using X-rays (synchrotron light)

Cultural heritage

Imaging and paleontology

Crystallography

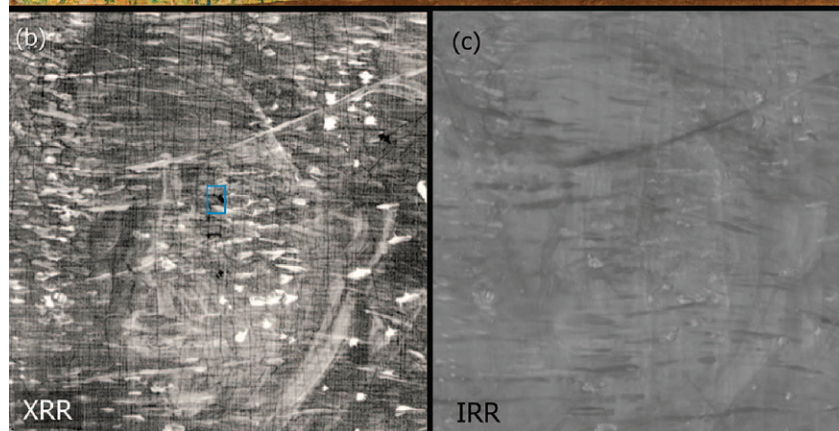
Applications in the field of cultural heritage



Vincent van Gogh



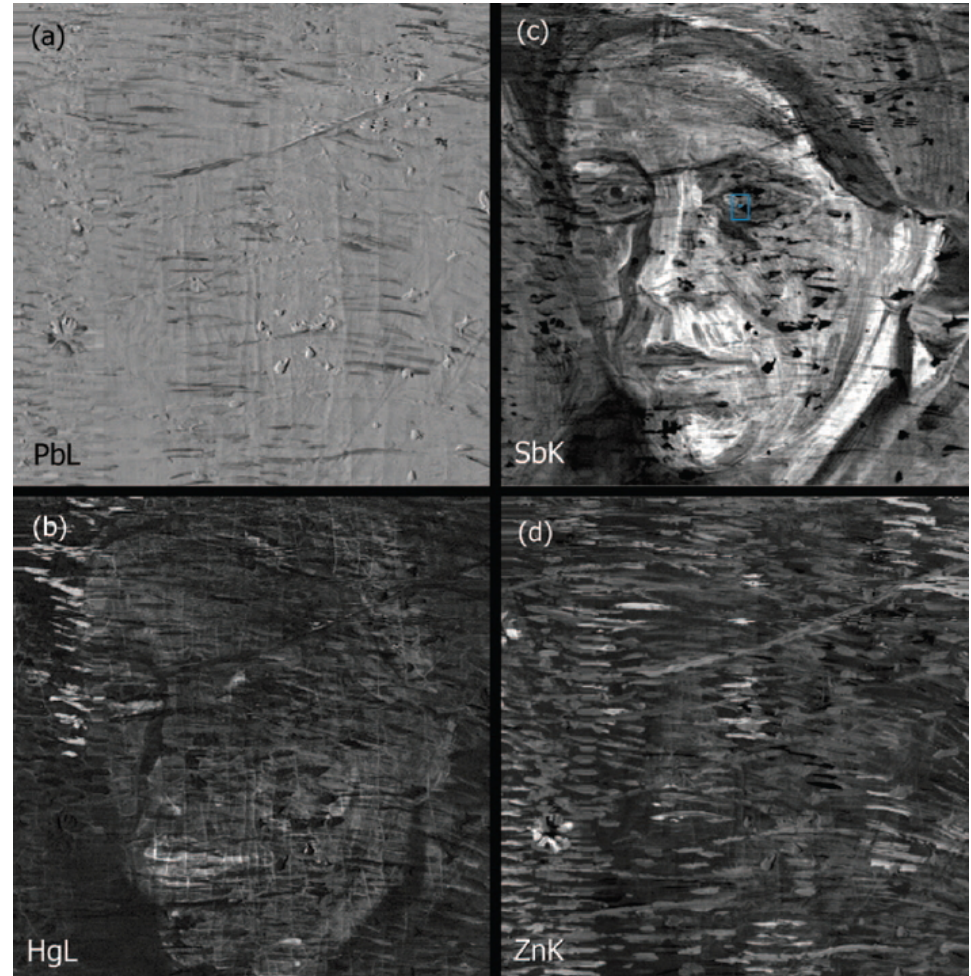
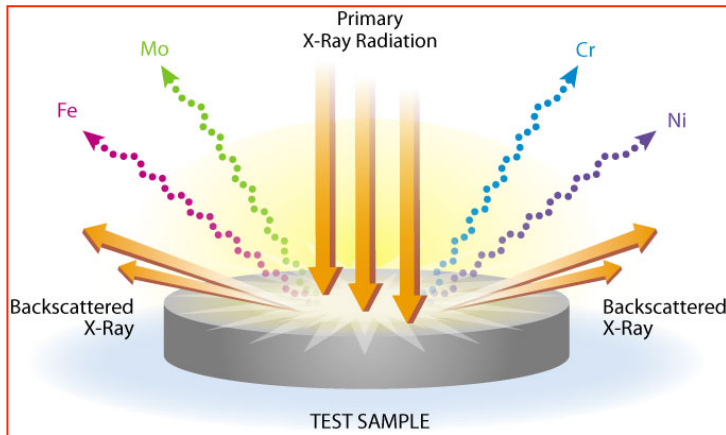
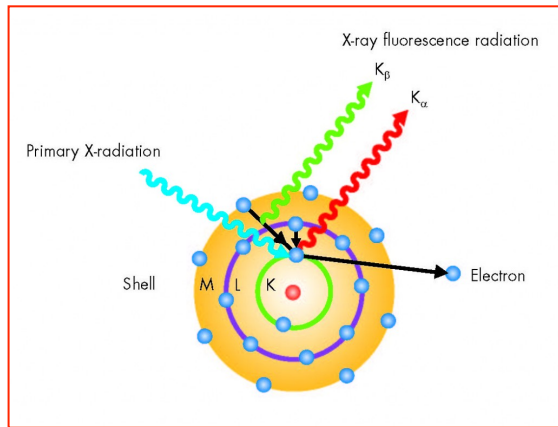
Vincent van Gogh, Patch of Grass, Paris 1887, Kroller-Muller Museum, Otterlo, The Netherlands, (KM 105.264; F583/JH1263).



Conventional X-Ray Radiation (XRR) transmission radiography

Infrared reflectography (IRR)

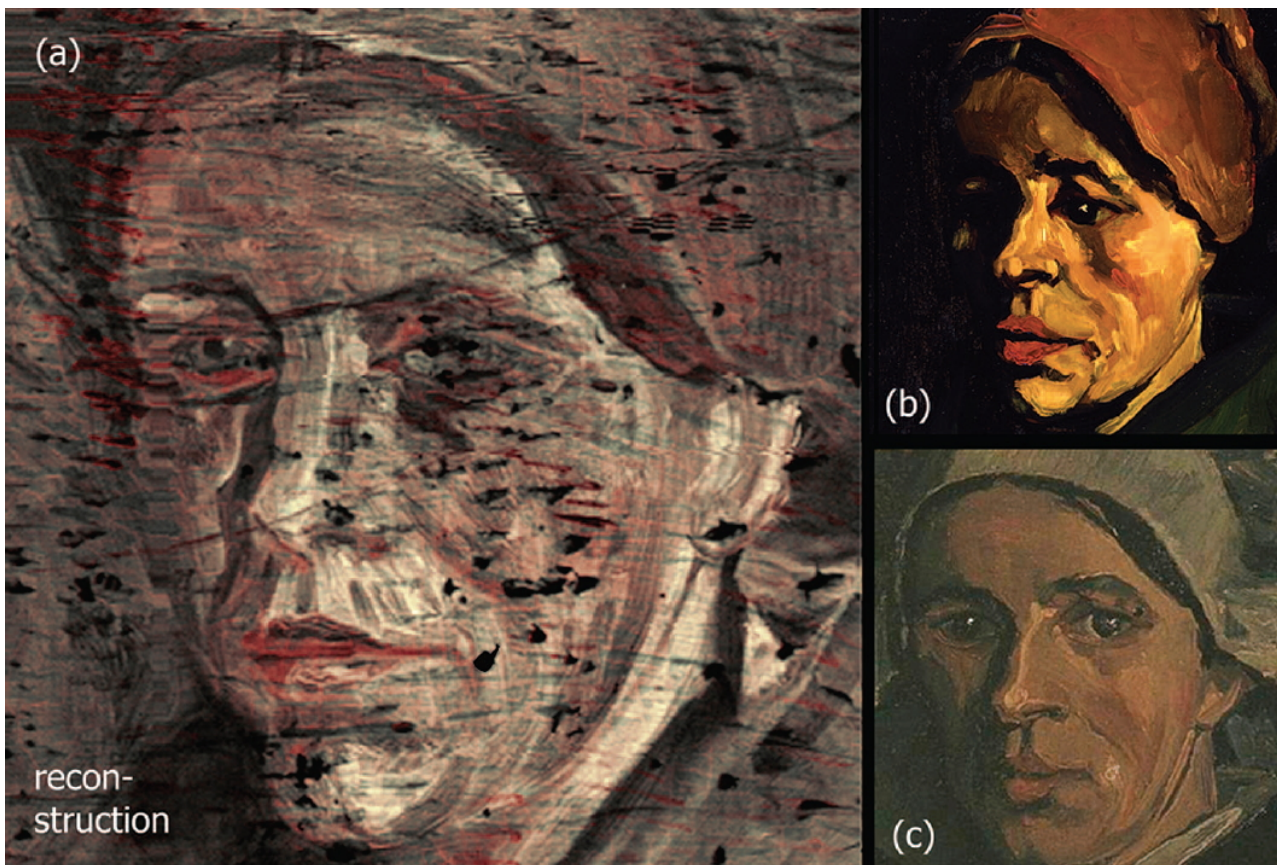
Visualization of a Lost Painting of van Gogh using XRF



J. Dik et al., *Visualization of a Lost Painting by Vincent van Gogh Using Synchrotron Radiation Based X-ray Fluorescence Elemental Mapping*, Anal. Chem. 2008, 80, 6436

Synchrotron Radiation – XRF (black, low intensity and white, high intensity). Hg L shows the distribution of vermillion, Sb K of Naples yellow and Zn K of zinc white.

Visualization of a Lost Painting of van Gogh



a) *Tritonal color reconstruction* of Sb (yellowish white) and Hg (red) (b) Detail from Vincent van Gogh, *Head of a Woman*, Nuenen 1884-85, Kroller-Muller Museum, Otterlo (KM 105.591:F154/JH608). (c) Detail from Vincent van Gogh, *Head of a Woman*, Nuenen 1884-85, Van Gogh Museum, Amsterdam (F156/JH569).

Vincent van Gogh (1853-1890), is best known for his vivid colors and his short but highly productive career. His productivity is even higher than generally realized, as many of his known paintings cover a previous composition. Van Gogh would often reuse the canvas of an abandoned painting and paint a new or modified composition on top. These hidden paintings offer a unique and intimate insight into the genesis of his works.

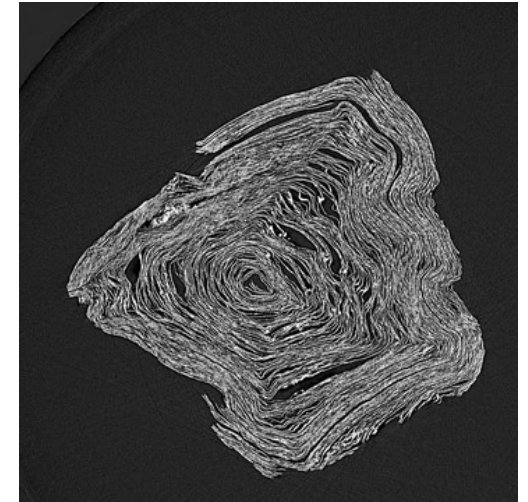
Revealing letters in rolled Herculaneum papyri using X-ray phase-contrast tomography



Close up photograph of *Herculaneum Papyrus* scroll PHerc.Paris.4. The photographed zone is 5cm. (Credit: E. Brun)

Hundreds of papyrus rolls, buried by the eruption of Mount Vesuvius in 79 AD and belonging to the only library passed on from Antiquity, were discovered 260 years ago at Herculaneum.

These carbonized papyri are extremely fragile and are inevitably damaged or destroyed in the process of trying to open them to read their contents.



A section of papyrus. Letter sequences are found in a fragment of a hidden layer. (Credit: CNRS-IRHT UPR 841 / ESRF / CNR-IMM Unité de Naples)

V. Mocella et al., Nature Communications - DOI: 10.1038/ncomms6895- January 2015

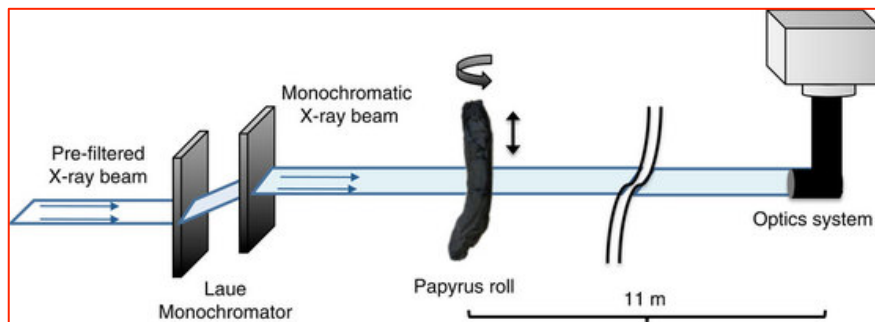
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d3aWBgNYOCU>

Revealing letters in rolled Herculaneum papyri.

In recent years, new imaging techniques have been developed to read the texts without unwrapping the rolls. *Until now, specialists have been unable to view the carbon-based ink of these papyri*, even when they could penetrate the different layers of their spiral structure.

For the first time *X-ray phase-contrast tomography* (beamline ID17 of the ESRF, Grenoble, France) can *reveal various letters hidden inside the precious papyri without unrolling them*.

This attempt opens up new opportunities to read many Herculaneum papyri, which are still rolled up, thus enhancing our knowledge of ancient Greek literature and philosophy.



The *papyrus alphabet from PHerc.Paris.4. as revealed by the XPCT experiment*, primarily from the *innermost region of the papyrus*, where the individual coils are more distinguishable, are reported on lines 1 and 2; on *line 3 the infrared images of the same letters from the unrolled (opened) papyrus PHerc. 1471*, which was used as a reference for the writing style of the scroll PHerc.Paris. 4.



Imaging and paleontology

Imaging and paleontology

Amber has always been a rich source of fossil evidence. X-rays now make it possible for paleontologists to study opaque amber, previously inaccessible using classical microscopy techniques. Scientists from the University of Rennes (France) and the ESRF found 356 animal inclusions, dating from 100 million years ago, in two kilograms of opaque amber from mid-Cretaceous sites of Charentes (France).

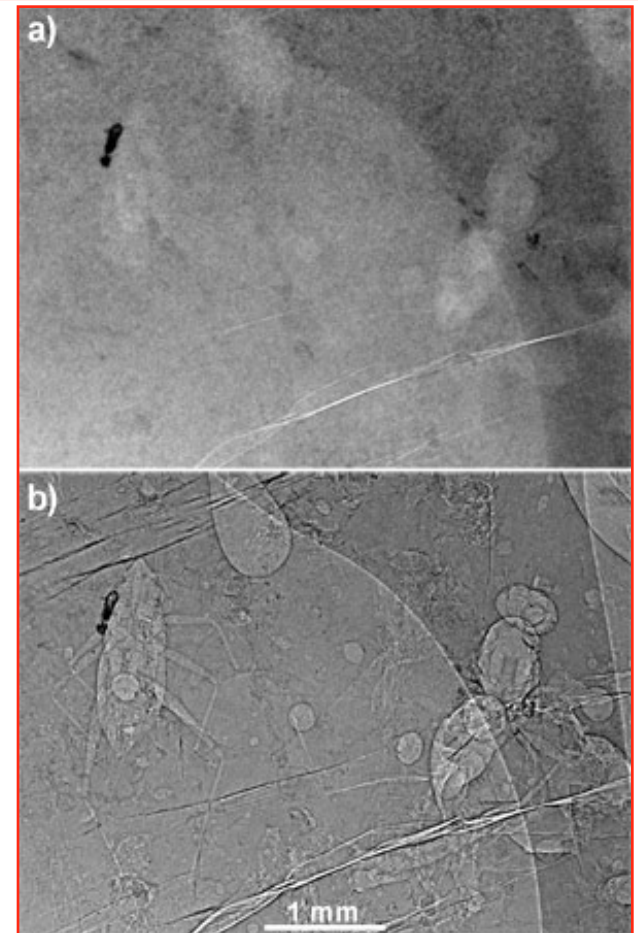


*Pieces of opaque amber-
Image credits: V. Girard/D. Néraudeau,
UMR CNRS 6118 Rennes*

*Radiography of an
amber block with
inclusions viewed in
absorption mode.*

*Propagation phase
contrast X-ray
synchrotron imaging
(990 mm prop. distance)*

Fossil inclusions in opaque amber



*M. Lak, D. Neraudeau, A. Nel, P. Cloetens, V. Perrichot and P. Tafforeau,
Phase Contrast X-ray Synchrotron Imaging: Opening Access to Fossil Inclusions in
Opaque Amber, *Microscopy and Microanalysis*, (2008), 14:251-259*

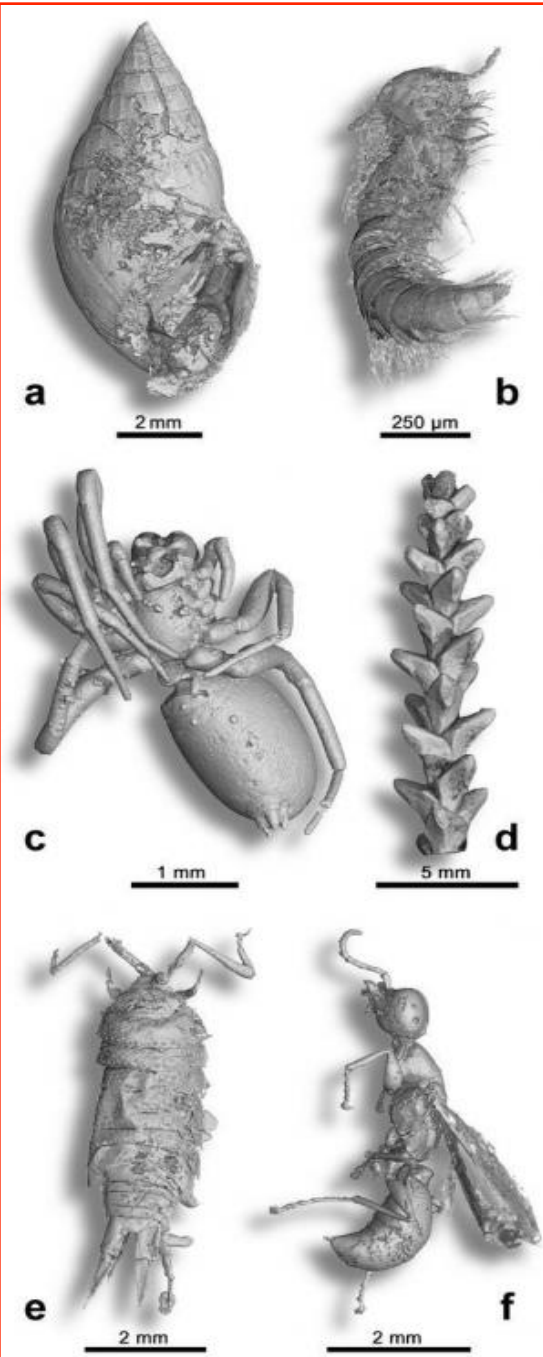
Imaging and paleontology

Synchrotron X-ray microtomography was used to determine the 3D reconstruction and allowed the paleontologists to study the organisms in detail and to describe them.



Cretaceous beetle

Examples of virtual 3D extraction of organisms embedded in opaque amber:
a) Gastropod Ellobiidae; b) Myriapod Polyxenidae; c) Arachnid; d) Conifer branch (Glenrosa); e) Isopod crustacean Ligia; f) Insect hymenopteran Falciformicidae.



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MILLION YEARS AGO

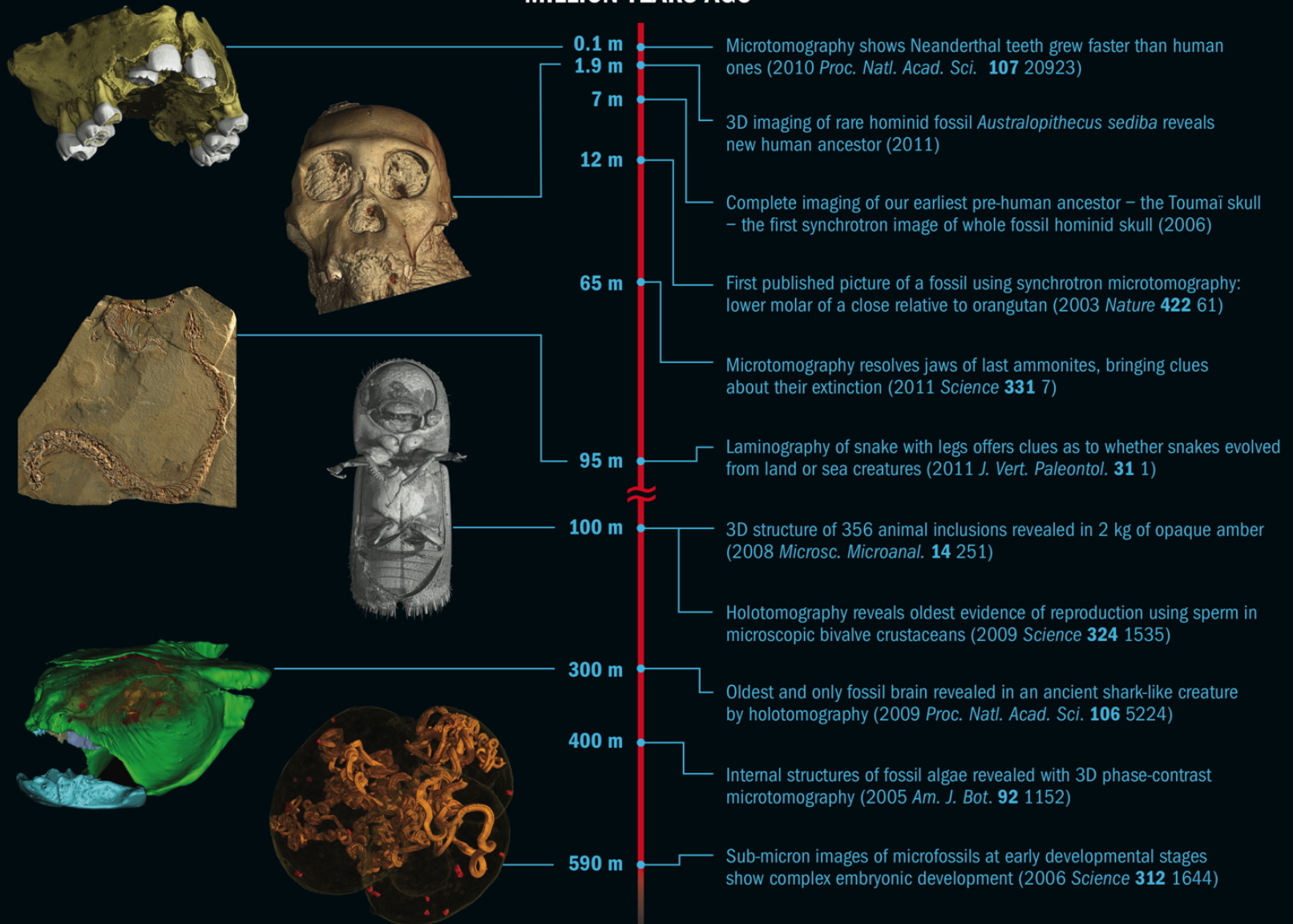
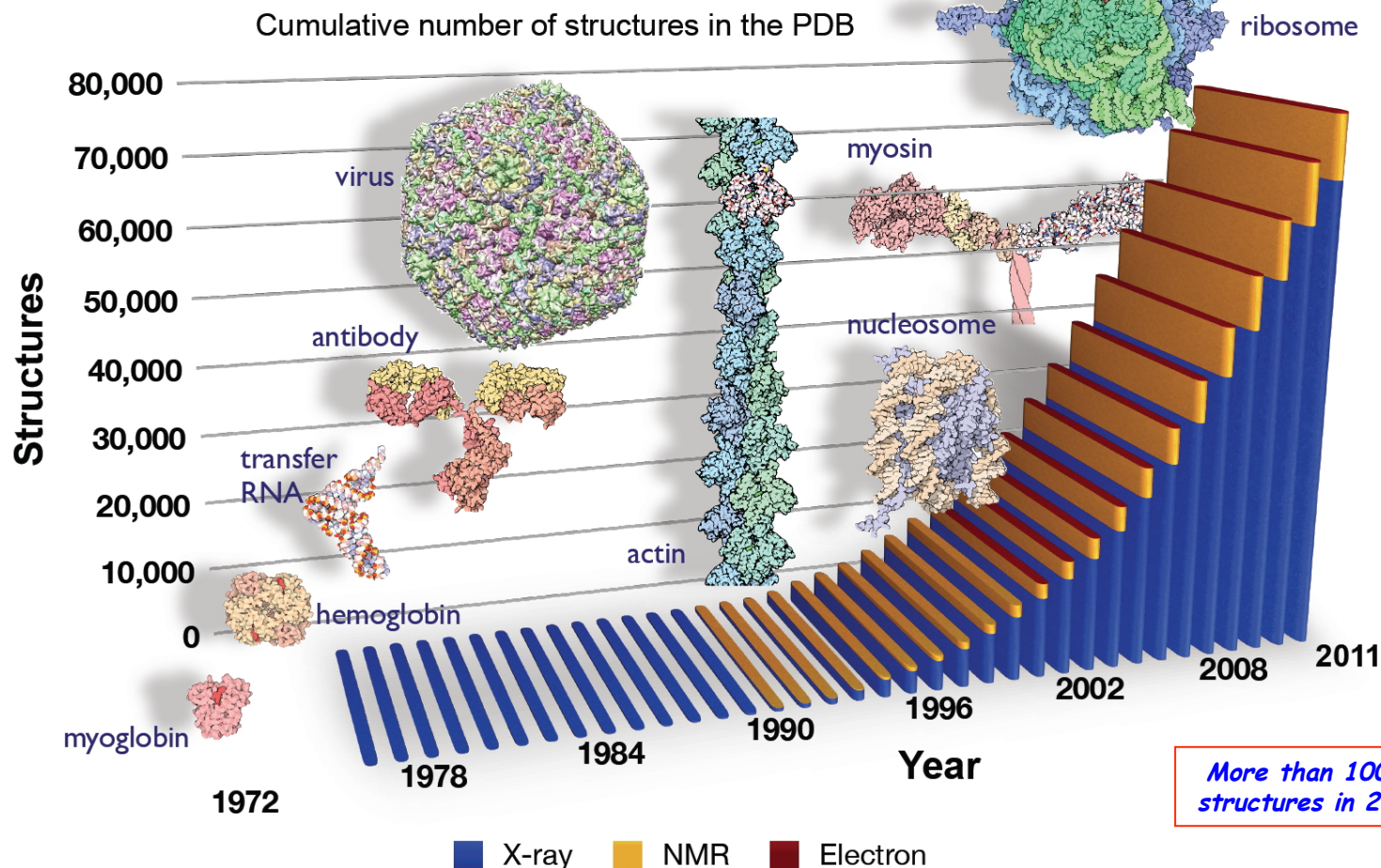


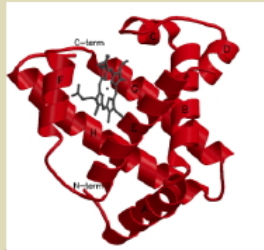
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Biocrystallography

Biocrystallography

The number of protein structures solved is now increasing linearly





Myoglobin
16 kDa

50 YEARS

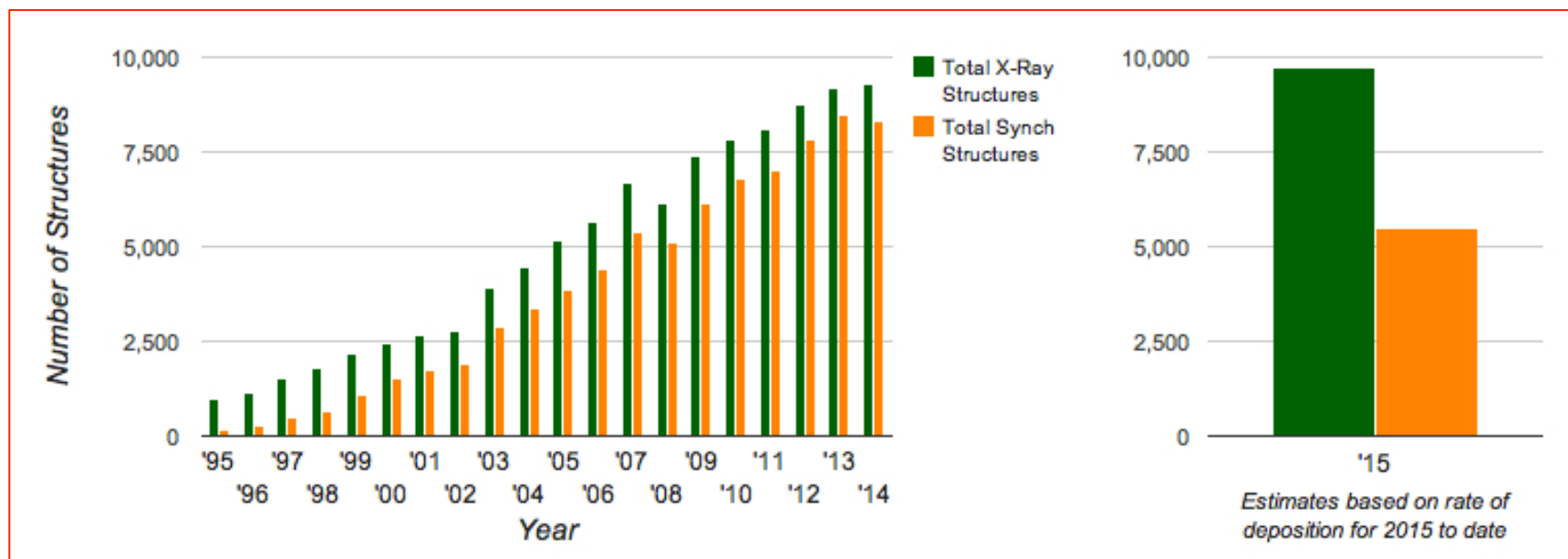
Peso molecolare:
 $1 \text{ kDa} = 1000 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

Ribosome 2.5 MDa



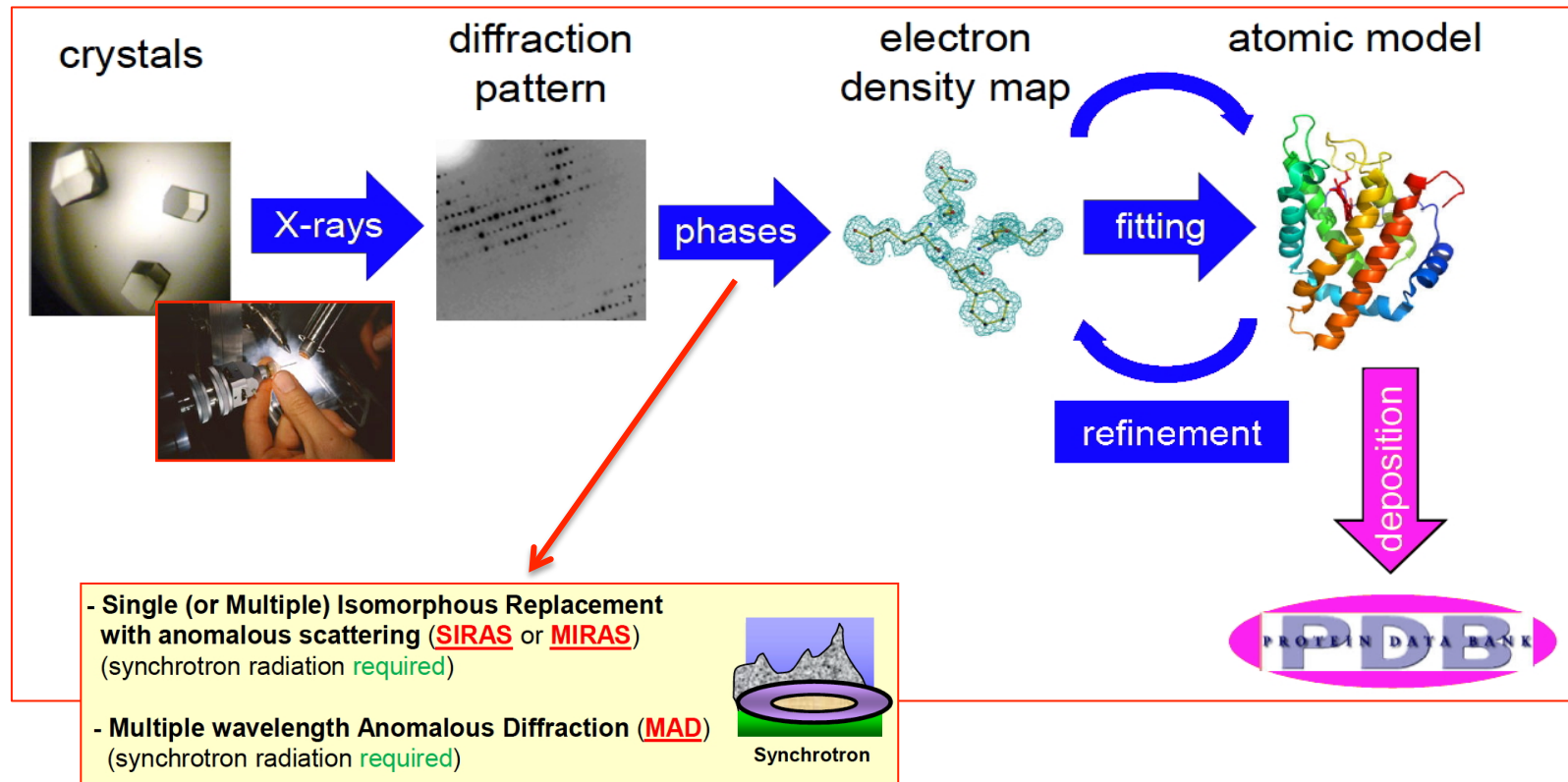
50S

X-ray biocrystallography and synchrotron radiation



22 July 2015 <http://biosync.sbkb.org/index.jsp>

Crystallographic experiment



MAD with Se-methionine substituted protein: prerequisites enough Met must be present (one Se-Met can phase about 15 kD of protein)

Very recent Noble Prizes in Chemistry



2009 "for studies of the structure and function of the ribosome"

Biocrystallography vs. Structural Biology



Photo: MRC Laboratory of
Molecular Biology

**Venkatraman
Ramakrishnan**



Credits: Michael
Marsland/Yale University

Thomas A. Steitz



Credits: Micheline
Pelletier/Corbis

Ada E. Yonath



Using Synchrotron radiation Research

An understanding of the ribosome's innermost workings is important for a scientific understanding of life. This knowledge can be put to a practical and immediate use; many of today's antibiotics cure various diseases by blocking the function of bacterial ribosomes. Without functional ribosomes, bacteria cannot survive. This is why ribosomes are such an important target for new and more efficient antibiotics.

Very recent Noble Prizes in Chemistry



2012 "for studies of G-protein-coupled receptors"

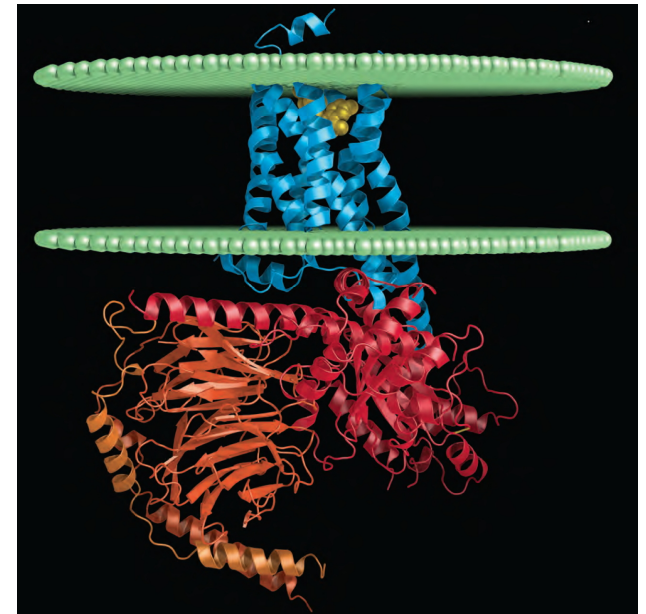
Biocrystallography vs. Structural Biology



Robert J. Lefkowitz



Brian K. Kobilka



*G-Protein Coupled Receptor (blue) sits within lipid bilayer (green) to respond to hormone (yellow)-
Image by Wayne Decatur - <http://www.hhmi.org/bulletin/winter2013/features/index.html>*

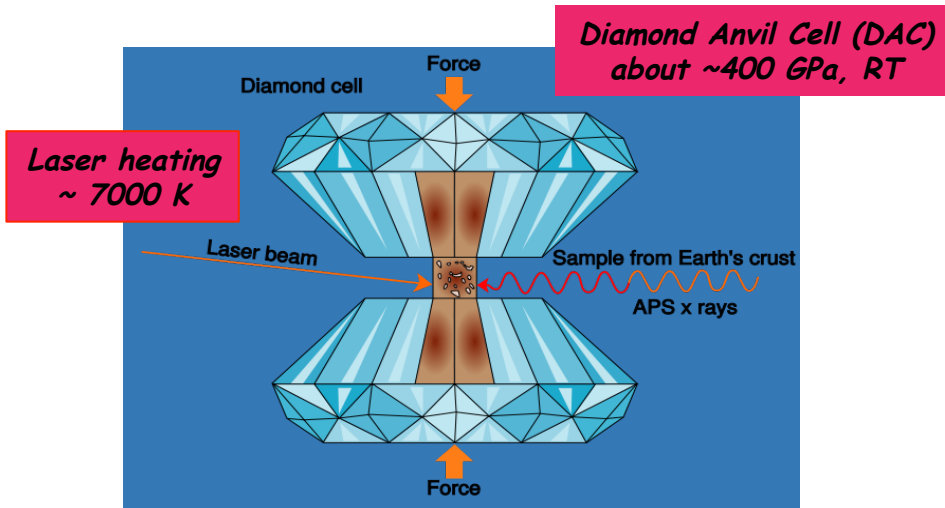
Using Synchrotron radiation Research

G protein coupled receptors (GPCRs) represent *the largest family of membrane proteins* (about 800 different proteins) *controlling body functions, drug transit across membranes* and representing the richest source of targets for the pharmaceutical industry.

X-ray crystallography and extreme conditions

X-ray crystallography and extreme conditions (P, T) : new opportunities

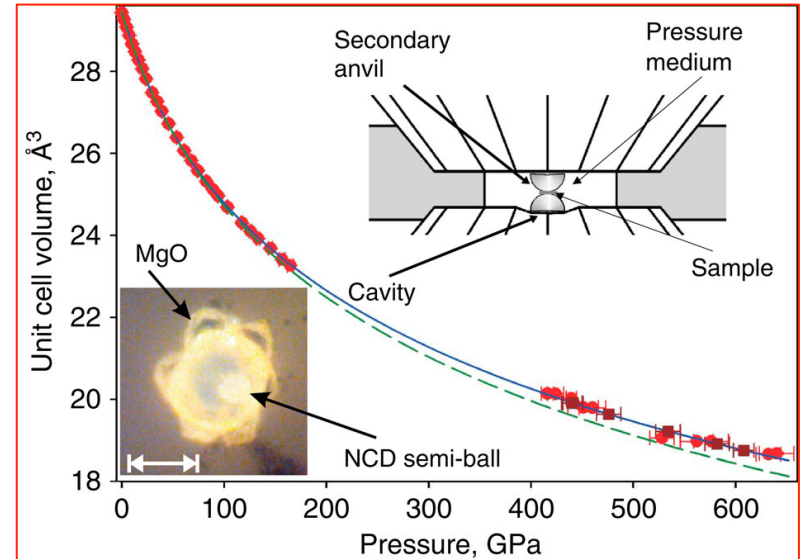
P. W. Bridgman (Nobel Prize in Physics in 1946 - discoveries made in the field of high pressure physics)- *"Compression offers a route to breaking down the electronic structure of the atoms themselves and to the possibility of creating entirely different bulk properties"*.



100GPa=1Mbar

Application fields:

- Earth and Planetary Science
- Condensed Matter Physics
- Chemistry and Materials Science
- Biology and Soft Matter

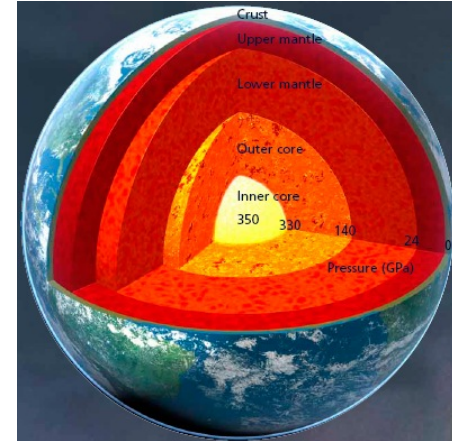
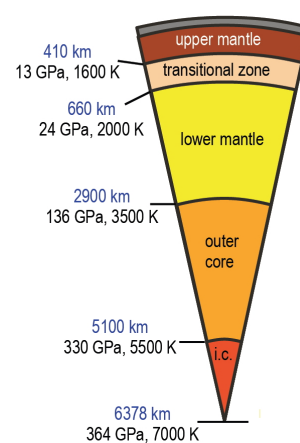
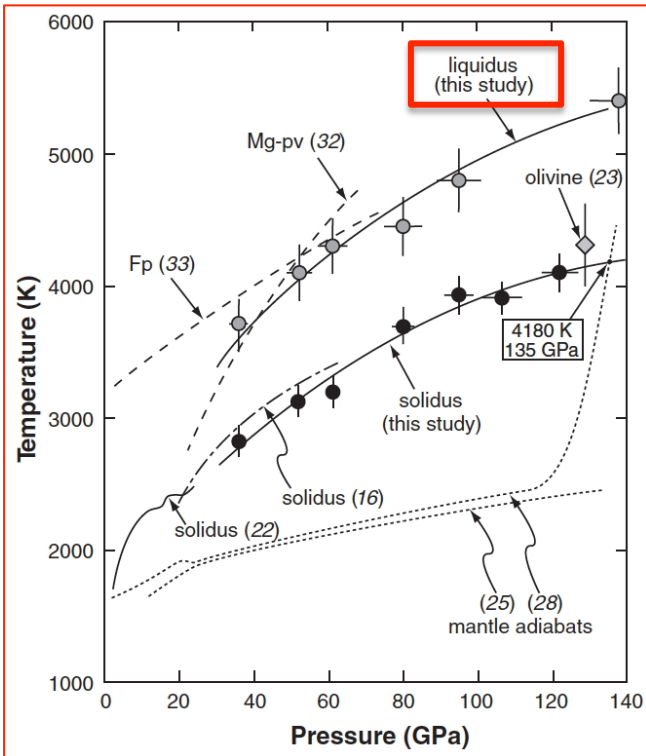


New system to increase Pressure

L. Dubrovinsky et al. Implementation of micro-ball nano-diamond anvils for high-pressure studies above 6 Mbar - Nature Comm. (2012)

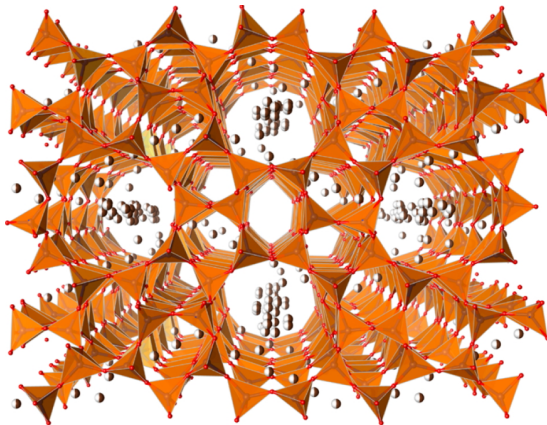
- Novel transformations: solids, liquids, glasses
- Structures: unexpected complexity
- Molecules break down, but new ones form
- Novel electronic and magnetic phenomena
- New chemical reactions: low to high pressure
- New recoverable materials

Extreme conditions (P, T)



Melting of Peridotite (Olivine and iron-magnesium silicates)
First direct evidence (ESRF ID27) that the layer located at the bottom of the Earth's mantle (2900 km depth) contains partially molten minerals. This result supports the existence of a deep magmatic ocean. (P: 36 -140 GPa T:2500-5000 K)

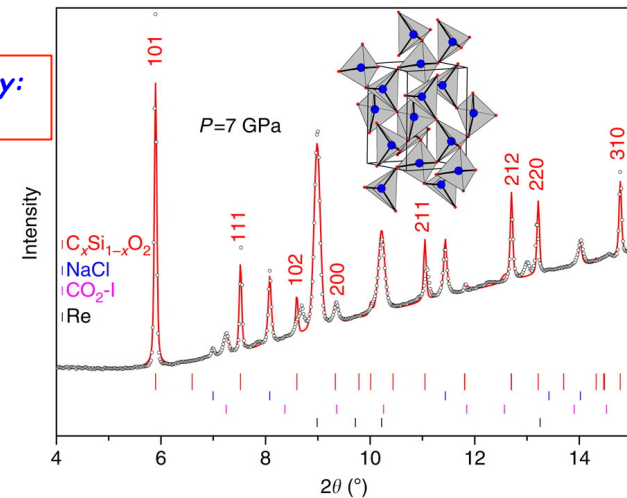
G. Fiquet, et al. Melting of Peridotite to 140 GPa Science (2010)



New materials: conducting polymers

D. Scelta et al. High Pressure Polymerization in a Confined Space: Conjugated Chain/Zeolite Nanocomposites. Chem. Mater. (2014)

New oxide chemistry:
 $C_{0.6(1)}Si_{0.4(1)}O_2$



M. Santoro et al. Carbon enters silica forming a cristobalite-type CO_2-SiO_2 solid solution, Nature Comm. (2014)

Conclusions

- Synchrotron radiation has surely revolutionized many research fields.
- There are many SR facilities in the world and new ones are being built.
- Synchrotron radiation gives to many applications also a very bright future.



Thank you for your attention



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Supplementary material- f.y.k.

Reminder

- *Speed of light* $c = 2.99792458 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}$
 - *Electron charge* $e = 1.6021 \times 10^{-19} \text{ Coulombs}$
 - *Electron volts* $1 \text{ eV} = 1.6021 \times 10^{-19} \text{ Joule}$
 - *Energy and rest mass* $1 \text{ eV}/c^2 = 1.78 \times 10^{-36} \text{ kg}$
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|-----------------|--|
| <i>Electron</i> | $m_0 = 511.0 \text{ keV}/c^2 = 9.109 \times 10^{-31} \text{ kg}$ |
| <i>Proton</i> | $m_0 = 938.3 \text{ MeV}/c^2 = 1.673 \times 10^{-27} \text{ kg}$ |
- *Relativistic energy, E* $E = mc^2 = m_0 \gamma c^2$
 - *Lorentz factor, γ* $\gamma = 1/[(1-v^2/c^2)^{1/2}] = 1/[(1-\beta^2)^{1/2}]$
 $\beta = v/c$
 - *Relativistic momentum, p* $p = mv = m_0 \gamma \beta c$
 - *E-p relationship* $E^2/c^2 = p^2 + m_0^2 c^2$
for ultra-relativistic particles $\beta \approx 1, E = pc$
 - *Kinetic energy* $T = E - m_0 c^2 = m_0 c^2 (\gamma - 1)$

X-rays discovery

EINE NEUE ART VON STRAHLEN.

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Juni 1895.

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On a New Kind of Rays

While **Wilhelm Roentgen** was working on the effects of **cathode rays** during **1895**, he discovered X-rays. His experiments involved the passing of electric current through gases at extremely low pressure. On **November 8, 1895** he observed that certain rays were emitted during the passing of the current through discharge tube. His experiment that involved working in a totally dark room with a well covered discharge tube resulted in the **emission of rays which illuminated a barium platinocyanide screen. The screen became fluorescent even though it was placed two meters away from discharge tube.**



Wilhelm Conrad Roentgen

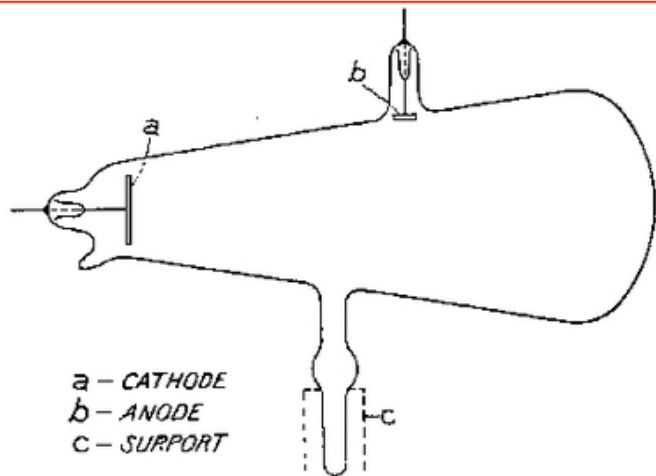


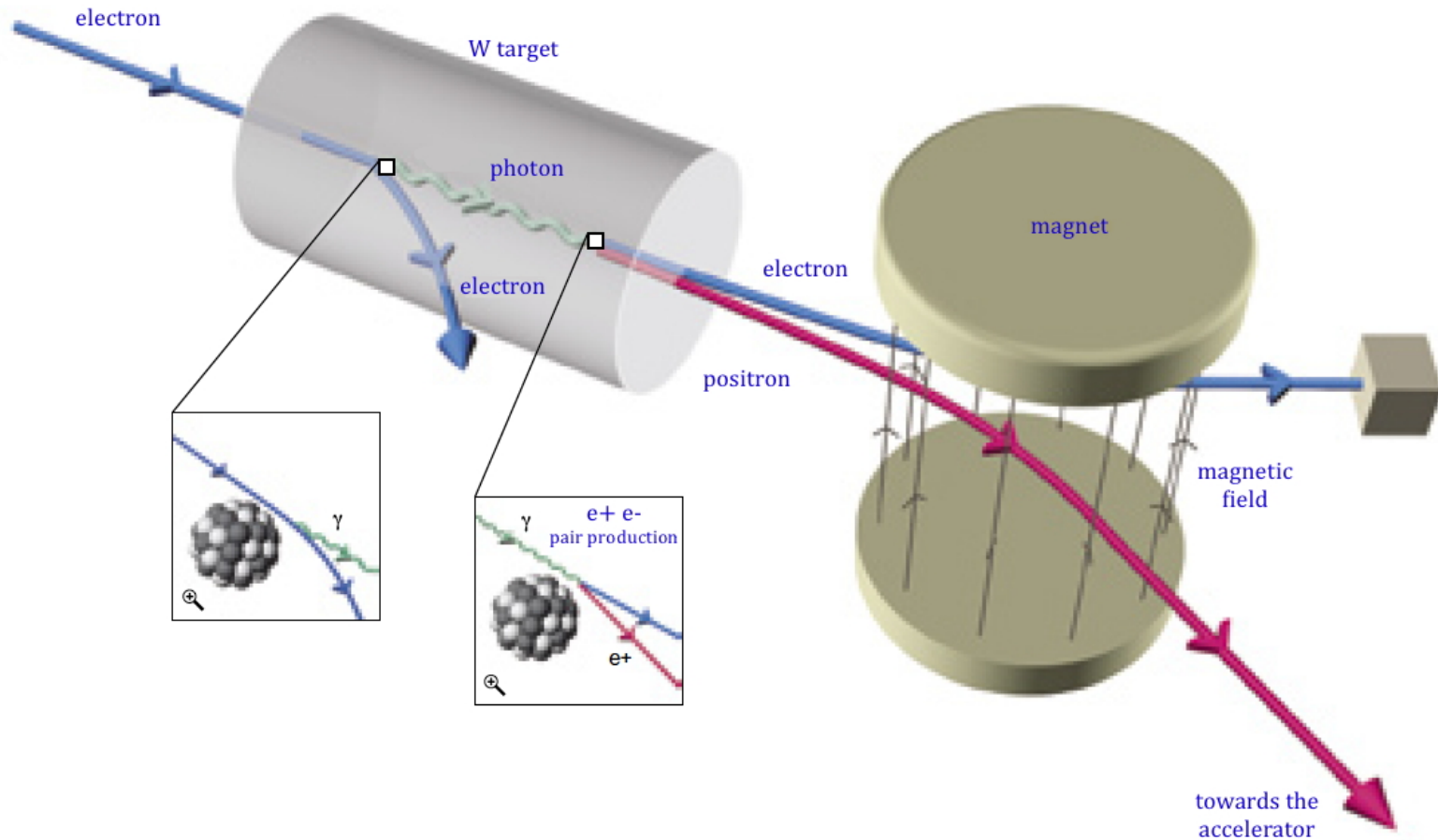
Fig. 1. Earliest type of roentgen tube.

Gas tube: electrons are freed from a cold cathode by positive ion bombardment, thus necessitating a certain gas pressure.

He continued his experiments using **photographic plates** and generated the very **first "roentgenogram"** by developing the image of **his wife's hand** and analyzed the variable transparency as showed by her bones, flesh and her wedding ring.



Anti-matter positron production

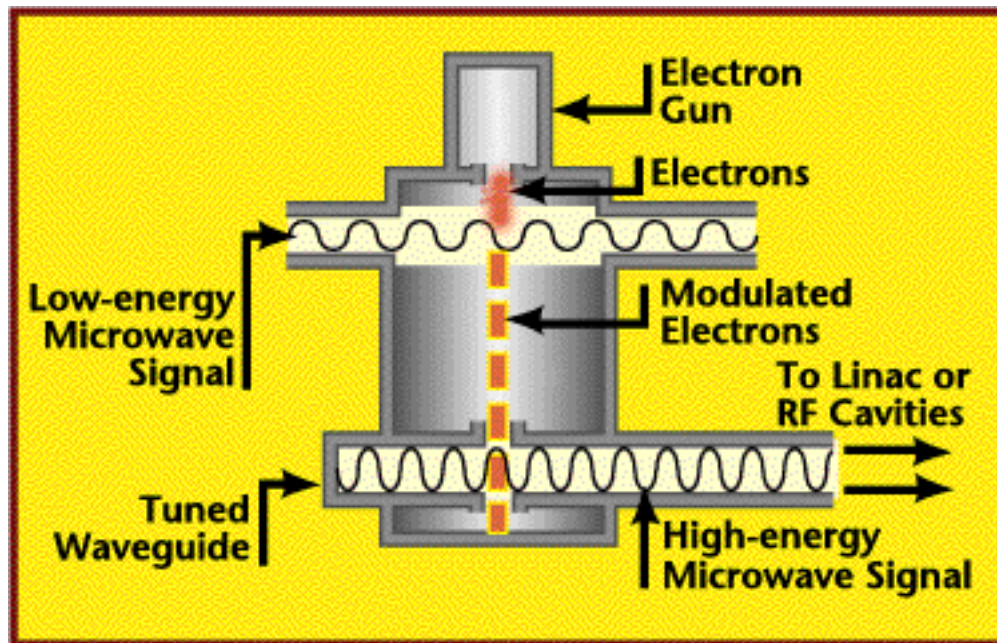


RF system

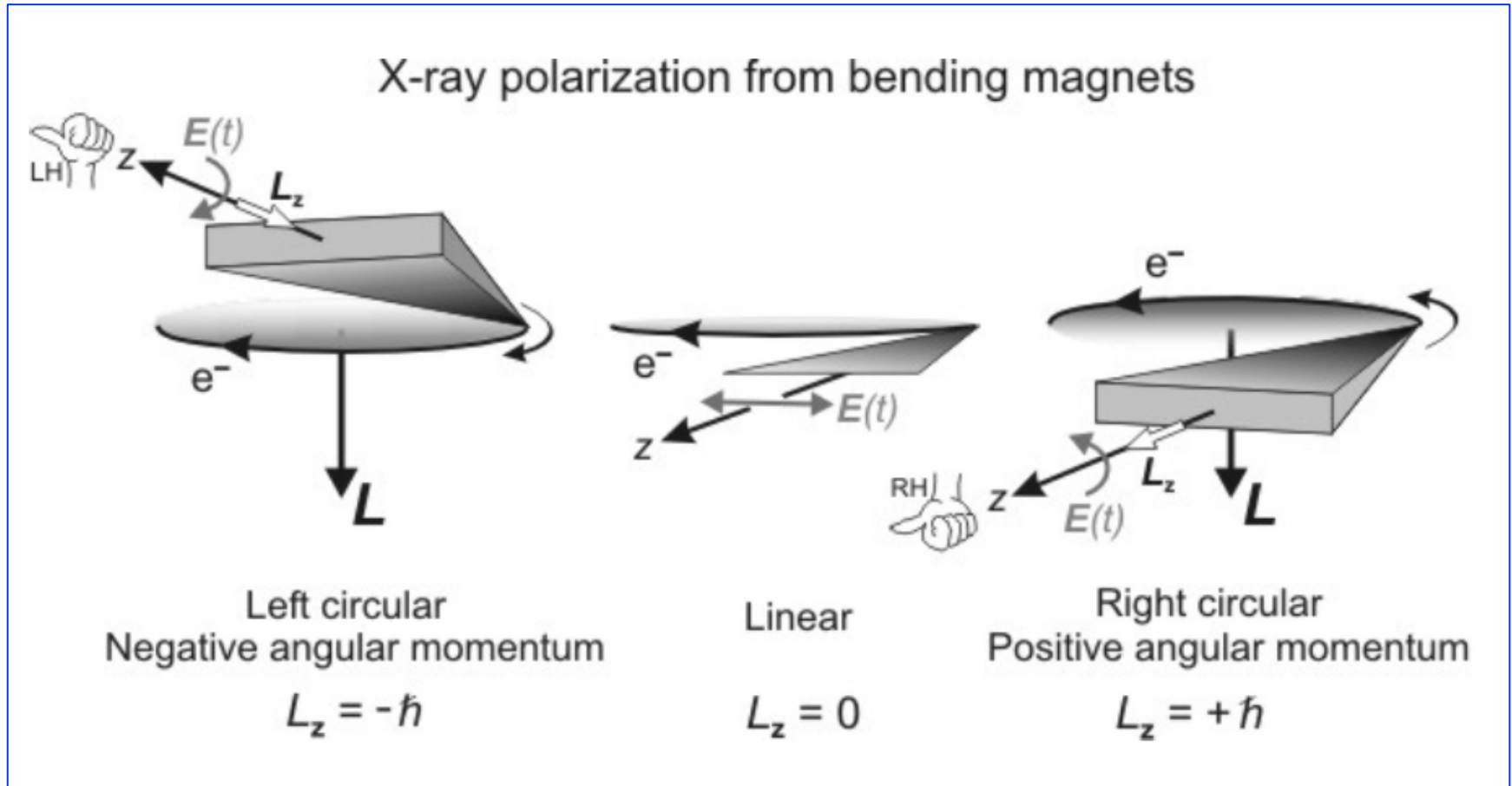
The basic components of the RF system include: Klystrons, Waveguides and RF Cavities

A klystron is a very powerful type of microwave amplifier that works on the following way:

1. An **electron gun** produces an intense flow of electrons into the klystron.
2. A **low-energy microwave signal** intersects this continuous electron beam, breaking it up into a pulsed beam consisting of separate "bunches" of electrons.
3. The pulsed electron beam passes through a **tuned waveguide**, inducing a **powerful high-energy microwave signal**.
4. High-energy microwave power travels along the waveguide to the linac, booster synchrotron, or storage ring, where it passes its energy to electrons, accelerating them to relativistic velocity.



Polarization and angular momentum L



Undulator Brightness

*Brightness is the main figure of merit of synchrotron radiation sources and its huge increase, was obtained designing **low emittance machines**, minimizing the source size and the beam divergence.*

$$\text{Brightness} = \frac{\text{Flux}}{4\pi^2 \Sigma_x \Sigma_{x'} \Sigma_y \Sigma_{y'}}$$

Source horizontal size

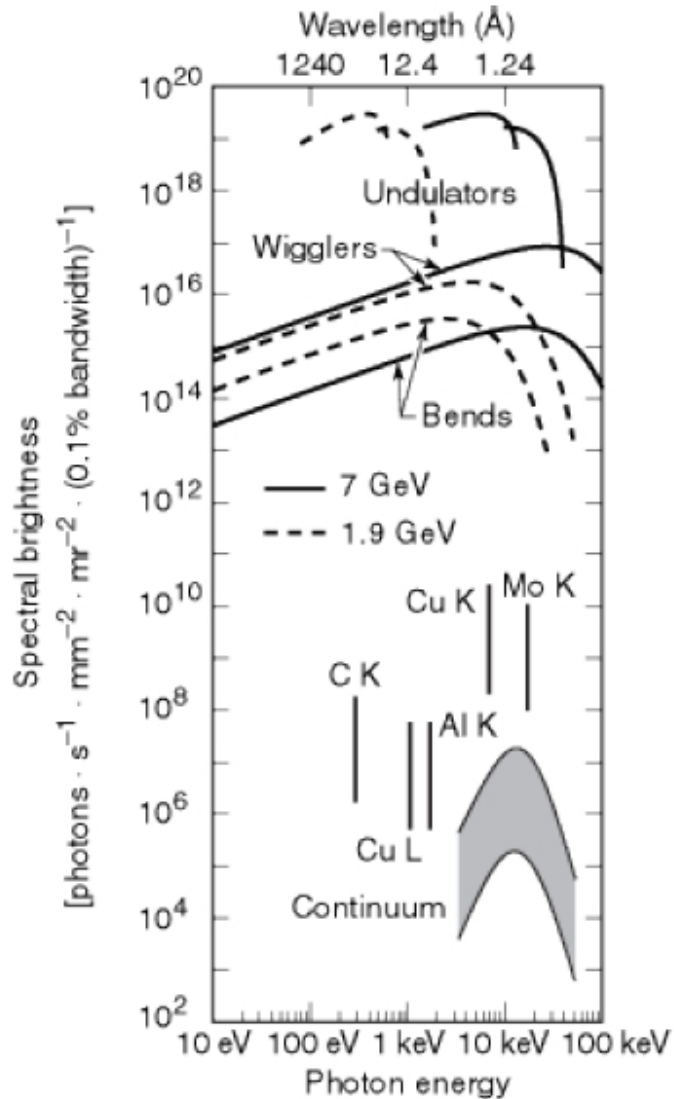
$$\Sigma_x = \sqrt{\sigma_{x,e}^2 + \sigma_{ph,e}^2}$$

Source horizontal divergence

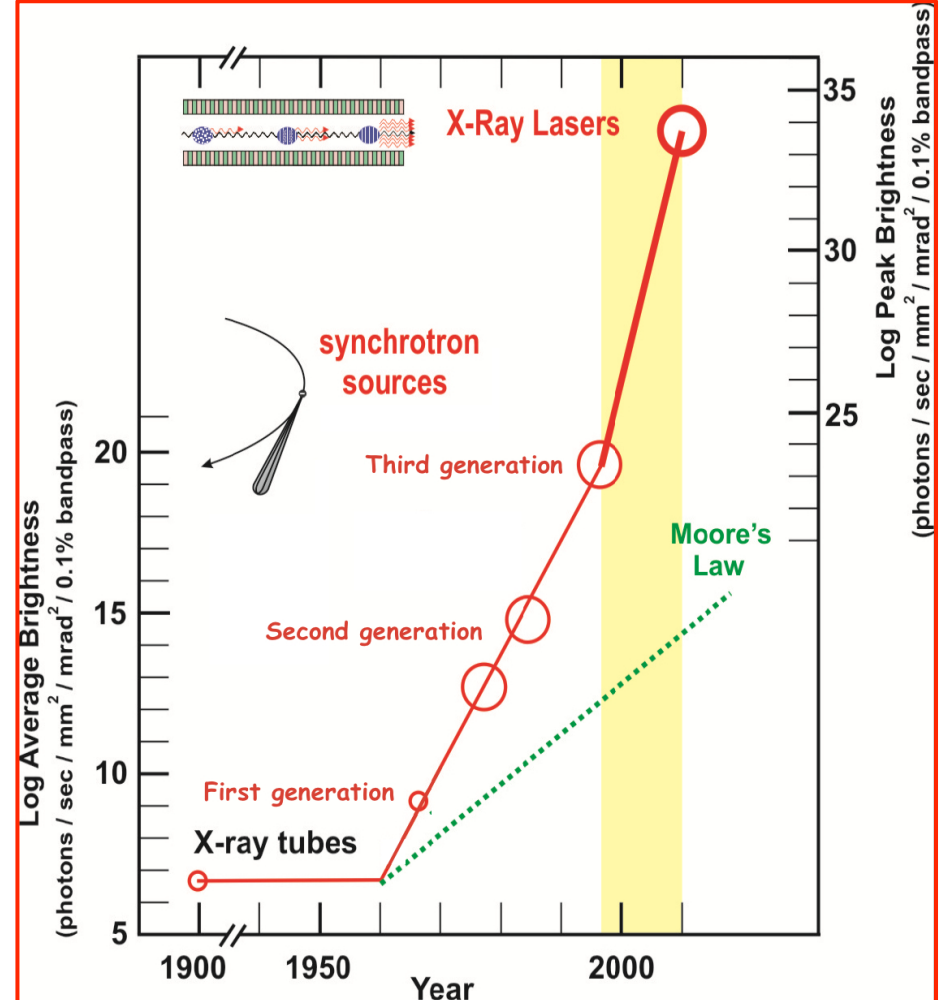
$$\Sigma_{x'} = \sqrt{\sigma_{x',e}^2 + \sigma_{ph,e}'^2}$$

The brightness of an undulator is approximated by dividing the central cone flux by the effective angular divergence and by the effective source size in the horizontal (vertical) directions. These are given by convolution of the Gaussian distributions of the electron beam and the diffraction limited photon beam, in both space and angle.

Brightness



X-ray data booklet, <http://xdb.lbl.gov/>

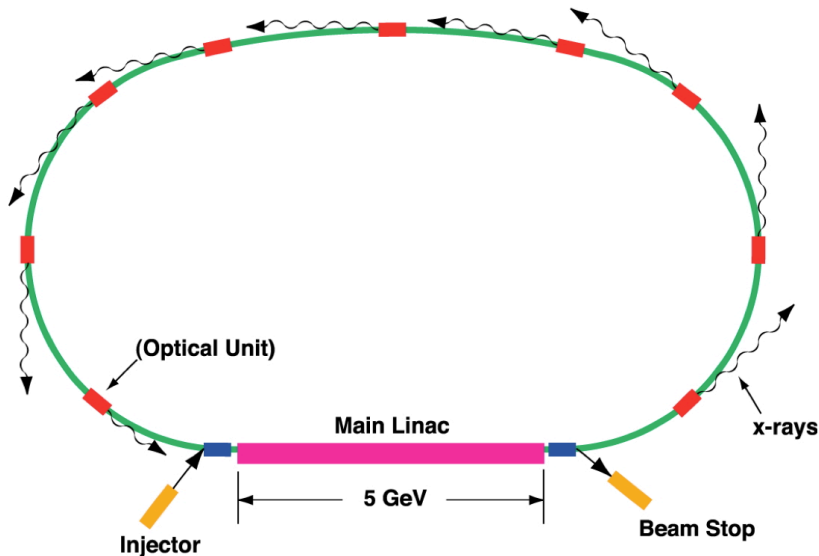


The dramatic improvement of brightness over 60 years easily outran Moore's law.

Z. Huang - Brightness and Coherence of Synchrotron Radiation and Free Electron Lasers - IPAC 2013

ERL or Energy Recovery Linac

Energy Recovery Linac (ERL)



ERL as synchrotron light source: 10 MeV electrons are injected into a few hundred meter long superconducting LINAC and brought to full energy. The electrons are then guided around a one-turn arc made, for example, of triple bend achromat (TBA- optical units) magnets with undulators producing the X rays. The electrons have a path length such that they return out of phase with the LINAC and their energy is recovered before being steered to the dump at an energy of about 10 MeV by another weak field magnet.

ERLS and XFELS are both based on LINAC technology, both will optimally utilize long undulators and both will deliver short bunches. How do these two synchrotron radiation sources differ?

Source Type	ESRF Storage Ring	UHSX Storage Ring	Cornell ERL	LCLS SASE FEL	TESLA SASE FEL
Electron Energy [GeV]	6	7	5.3	15	25
Average Current [mA]	200	500	100	7.20E-5	0.063
Hor. Emittance [nm]	4	0.2	0.15	0.05	0.02
Vert. Emittance [nm]	0.01	0.005	0.15	0.05	0.02
FWHM Bunch Length [ps]	35	13	0.3	0.23	0.09
Undulator Length [m]	5	7	25	100	200
Fundamental [keV]	8	12	8	10	12.4
Average Flux [Ph/s/.1%]	1.3E+15	2.0E+16	1.5E+16	2.4E+14	4.0E+17
Average Brilliance [Ph/s/.1%/mm ² /mrad ²]	3.1E+20	3.5E+22	1.3E+22	4.2E+22	8.0E+25
Peak Brilliance [Ph/s/.1%/mm ² /mrad ²]	3.3E+22	1.0E+25	3.0E+25	1.2E+33	7.0E+33

The performance of an energy recovery LINAC falls between a storage ring and a FEL.

P. Elleaume, The Ultimate Hard X-Ray Storage-Ring-Based Light Source (UHSX), 2002

X-Ray Light Source Comparison

Parameter	Storage Rings	FEL	ERL
Wavelength Range	+	+	+
Peak Brightness		+	~
Pulse Structure	CW	Pulsed/Burst CW in future	CW
fs Pulse Width		+	~
Coherence	~	+	~
Stability	+		+
Number of Beamlines	+		+

P. S. Drell, Status of International Light Sources: Today and in the Near Future, BESAC 2013
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