Status of the ALS Upgrade

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  – Current Performance: Emittance/Brightness

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• Brightness Upgrade
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### ALS Parameters and Beamlines

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<tr>
<th>Parameter</th>
<th>Value</th>
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<tr>
<td>Beam Energy</td>
<td>1.9 GeV</td>
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<td>Circumference</td>
<td>196.8 m</td>
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<td>RF frequency</td>
<td>499.642 MHz</td>
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<td>Harmonic #</td>
<td>328</td>
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<td>Beam current (top-off)</td>
<td>500 mA multibunch</td>
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<td>36 mA two-bunch</td>
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<td>Nat. emittance</td>
<td>6.3 nm (future 2.2 nm)</td>
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<td>Vert. Emittance</td>
<td>25 – 50 pm (user ops),</td>
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<td>4-5 pm (dedicated AP)</td>
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<td>Energy spread</td>
<td>0.097%</td>
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<td>Refill period</td>
<td>Top-off every 30-60 s,</td>
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<td>(current stability 0.3%)</td>
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<td>User Beamlines</td>
<td>&gt;40 simultaneous</td>
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**User Operations Shift: Top-off Mode**

1.9 GeV, 272 buckets, 500 mA, cam 318

User Beam ends: 8 AM, Monday, May 4

**Beam Energy**: 1.9 GeV

**Life Time**: 4.9

**Beam Current**: 499.5 mA

**Beam Loss**: 5:08:57 PM

**Beam Loss at**: 7U 17.01, 12U 26.74

**Refill Period**: Top-off every 30-60 s (current stability 0.3%)
ALS Brightness (since 2009)

- Recent Top-off upgrade provided factor of 3-10 improvement in brightness for undulator and (super-) bend users

- Now, the ALS compares favorably with the newest light sources below 1 keV photon energy
ALS Strategic Plan

• ALS (since 1993) has been extremely successful in (soft) x-ray science

• Newer Facilities provide potentially better performance and better tools

→ ALS strategic plan to maintain leadership by renewing infrastructure, upgrading existing and developing new instrumentation, and better support of user science.
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ALS Lattice Upgrade Project

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H. Nishimura, et al.– Proceedings of the 2007 PAC Conf
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There are several possible lattices with ~2 nm rad emittance
- 3x smaller than the nominal ALS (~6.3 nmrad)

Large $\beta_x$ lattice optimizes brightness for the central bends

Small $\beta_x$ lattice would optimize brightness for the insertion devices
Install 48 New Multi-magnets (Sextupoles/correctors/skew quadrupoles)
Project received funding in summer 2009
Passed comprehensive project review (12/09)
Awarded magnet contract (9/10)
Passed a detailed design review (3/11)
On track for completion of project by end of FY13 (early completion planned for 2012)
Existing lattice with existing insertion devices
Large $\beta_x$ lattice with conventional long IDs
Small $\beta_x$ lattice with conventional long IDs
ALS ultimate case requires further upgrades beyond the baseline of this project and physics studies are incomplete – not sure, yet, whether fully feasible.

Because of simultaneously small beta function in both planes in center bend magnet at ALS, (super)bend sources provide higher brightness than bending magnets at other 3rd generation sources – very good match to diffraction ellipse.
Results of Dynamics Optimization for ALS Upgrade

- Dynamic aperture is large (larger than current lattice)
- Smaller H function in the arc results in larger momentum acceptance
- H function in the straight smaller than in the arc: wiggler and other IDs reduce emittance further
Touschek Lifetime of Upgrade

- Dynamic Momentum Aperture larger,
- Touschek Lifetime longer than present lattice
Lattice optimization

- **GLASS** – Global Analysis of All Stable Solutions
  - Tool to look for optimum lattice solution for highly periodic lattices (few parameters)

- **MOGA** – Multi Objective Genetic Algorithms
  - Usefulness for accelerators first demonstrated for photo injectors (Bazarov et al./Cornell)
  - Optimum solution with moderate computation time for larger dimensional parameter spaces
  - Integrated optimization of linear+nonlinear lattice possible

- **Frequency Maps (quantitative diffusion rates)**
  - In use for years for studies of global dynamics (simulation and measurement).
  - Can also be used as merit function (e.g. for MOGA)
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Amplitude Space

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Summary

• ALS at 18 years of age still has significant upgrade potential

• ALS strategic plan includes new beamlines, accelerator upgrades, infrastructure upgrades, user/science support

• ALS Brightness Upgrade
  – Will provide significant *brightness increase* for users in cost effective way (2012/2013)
  – If low beta function lattices can be made to work, average brightness of up to $10^{21}$ is possible at ALS