

# ASU Compact XFEL

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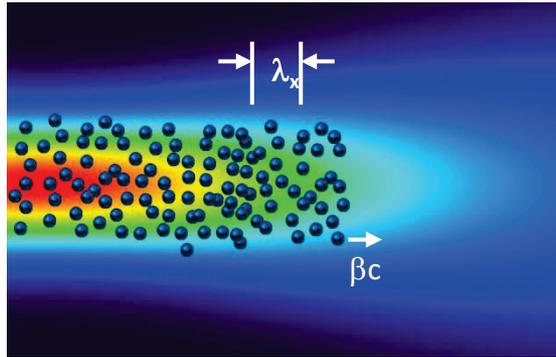
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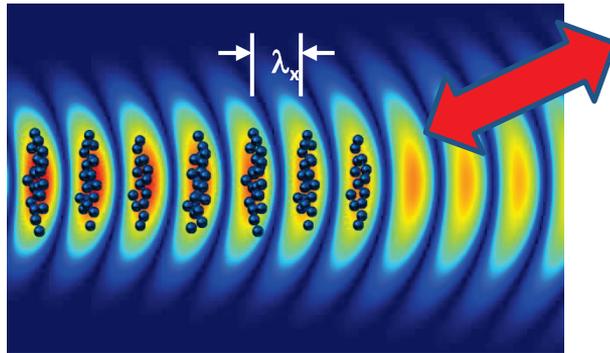
# Coherent x-rays require coherent electron bunching



Random electron positioning for Undulator radiation with **GeV** electrons or Inverse Compton Scattering with **MeV** electrons

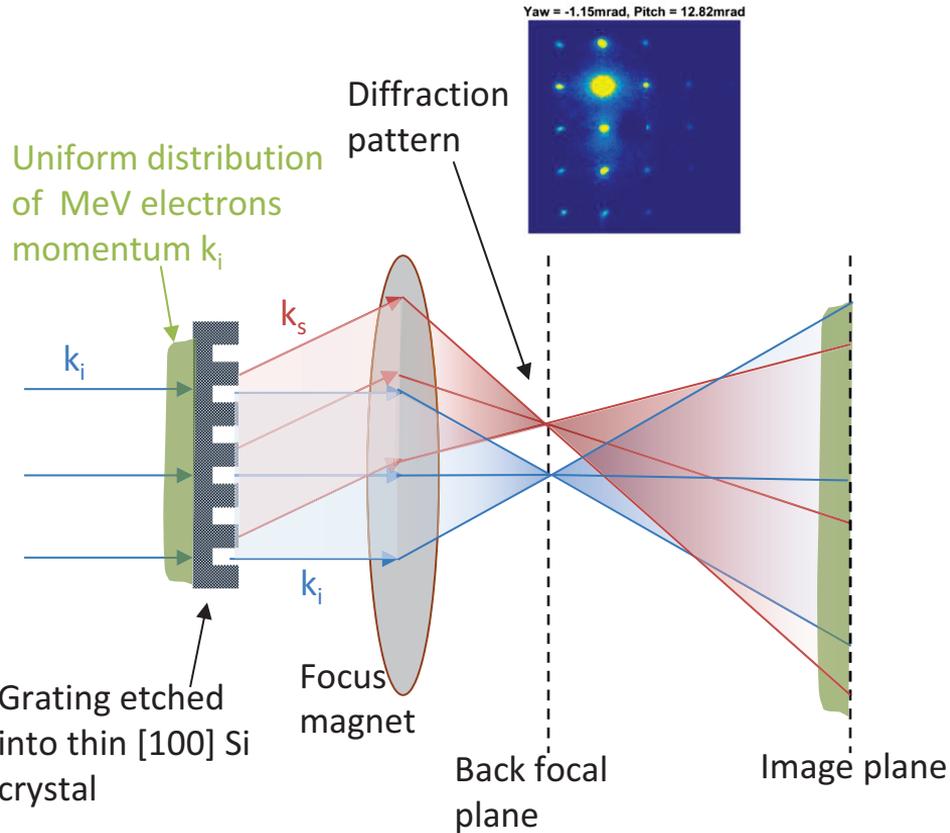
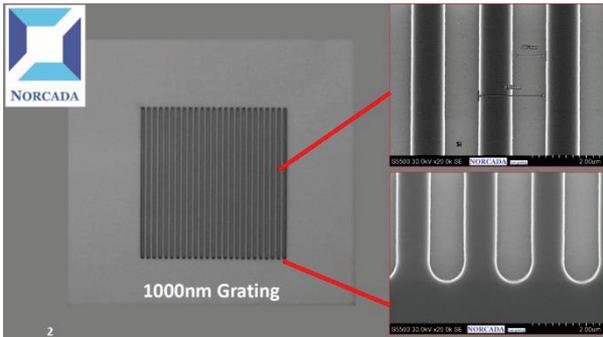
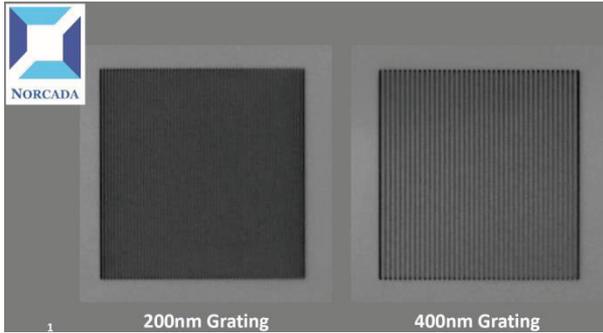


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Coherently bunched electrons for **XFEL** radiation (GeV electrons) or Coherent ICS, compact **CXFEL** (MeV electrons)

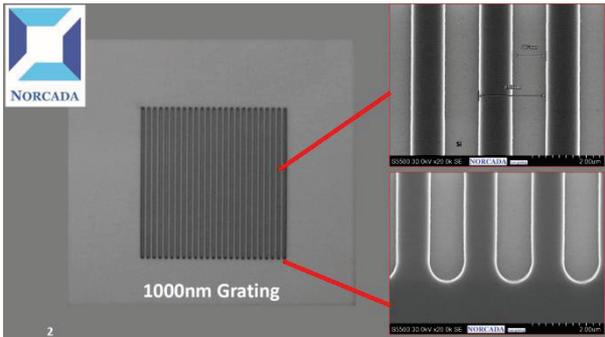
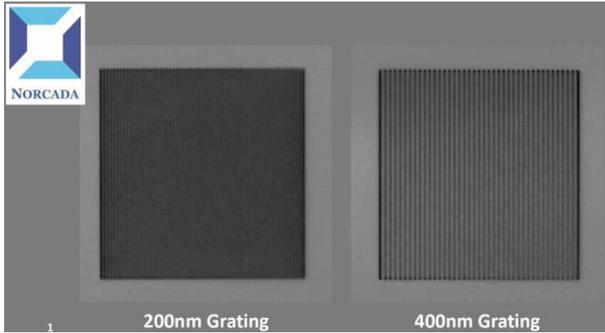
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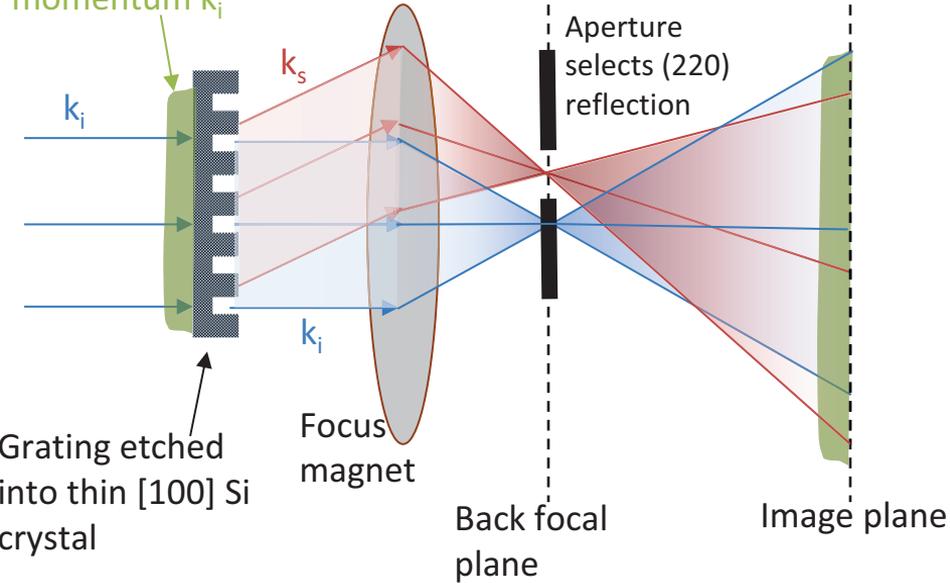
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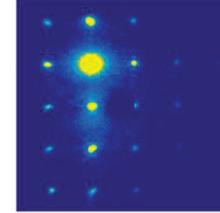
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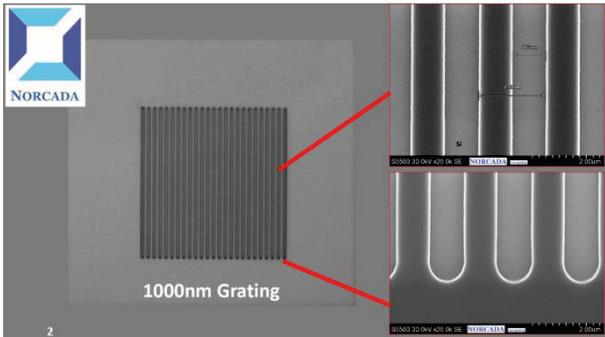
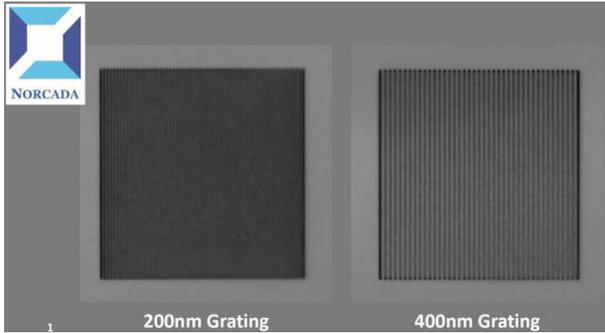
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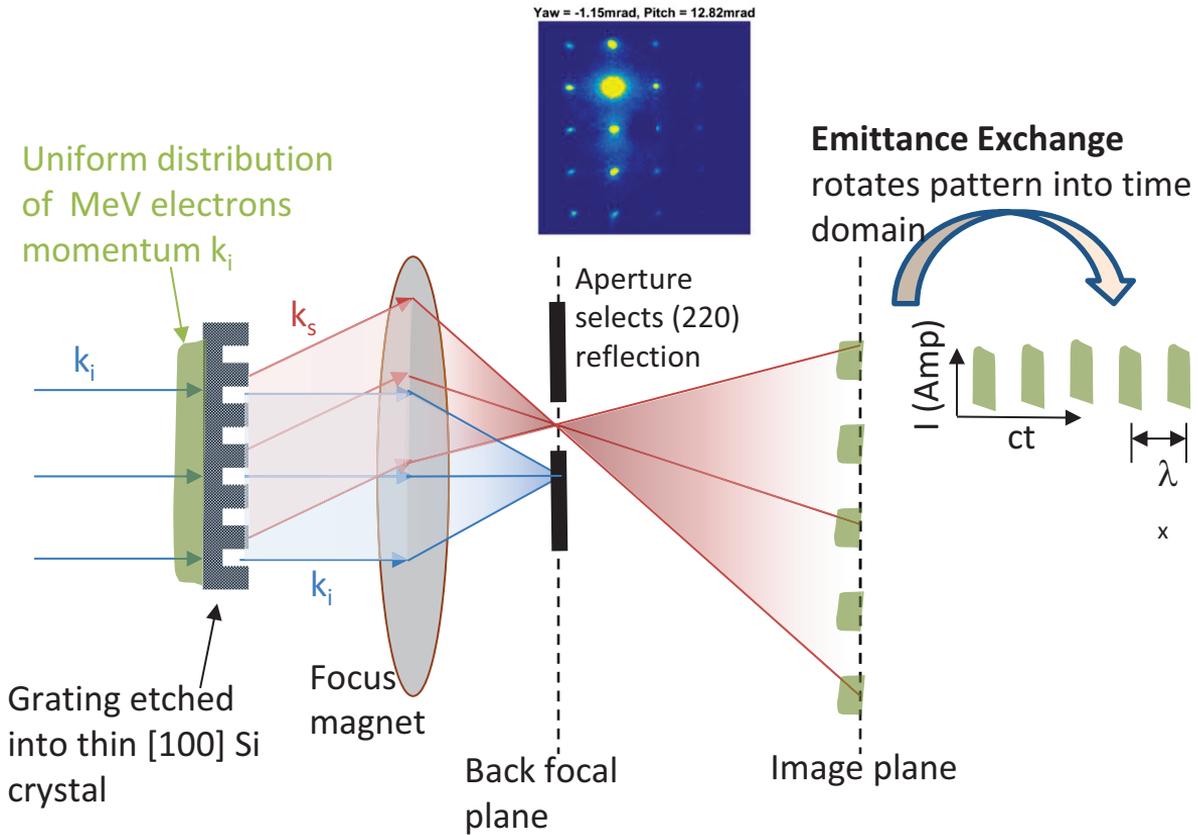
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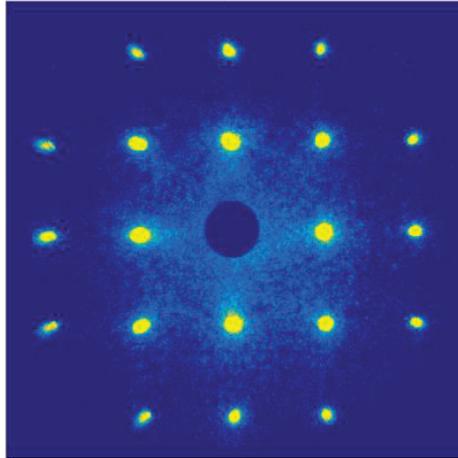
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# Electron Diffraction Experiments

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Tuesday afternoon

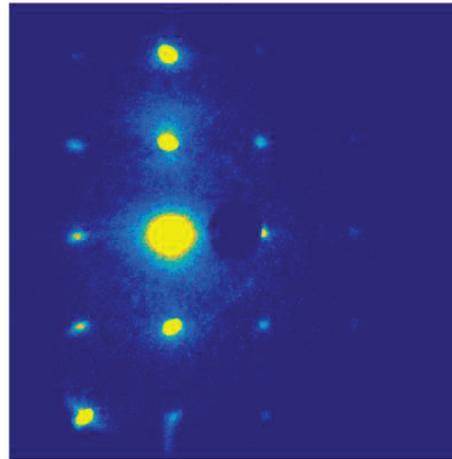
Yaw = 0.06mrad, Pitch = 0.02mrad



Electron beam aligned  
perpendicular to Si crystal

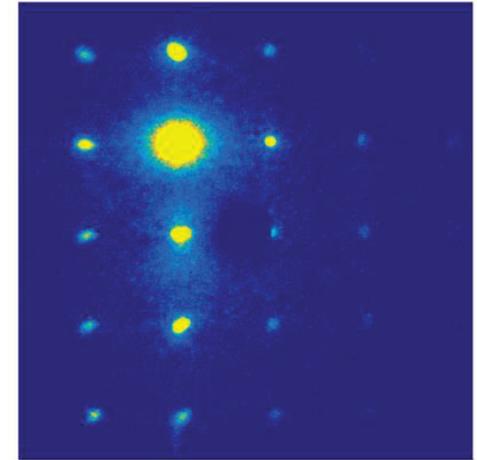
Dark circle is hole in YAG  
scintillator

Yaw = -2.19mrad, Pitch = 12.82mrad



Crystal tilted to forward  
scatter 80% of electrons into  
(000) Bragg spot

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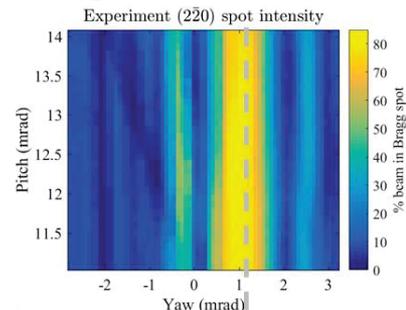
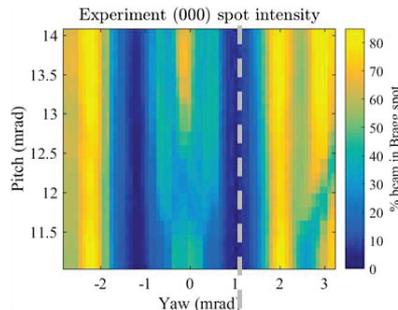
Crystal tilted to scatter **80% of  
electrons into (-220) Bragg spot  
demonstrating 'dynamical  
extinction' of main beam**

Experiments at SLAC's Ultrafast Electron Diffraction facility using 100 fs, 2.3 MeV, <100 fC ebeam to demonstrate principle of diffracting most of the electrons through a 20 nm thin perfect Si crystal into a single Bragg spot

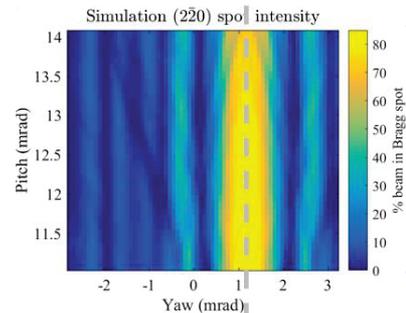
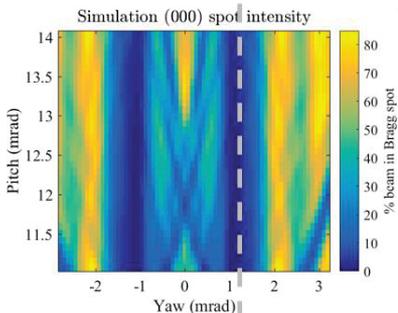
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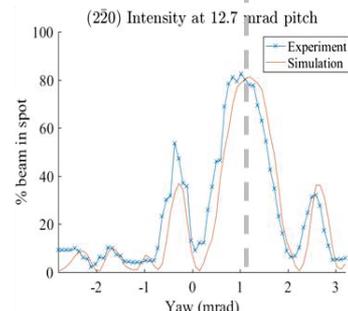
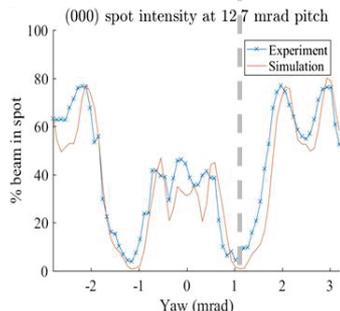
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Experiments

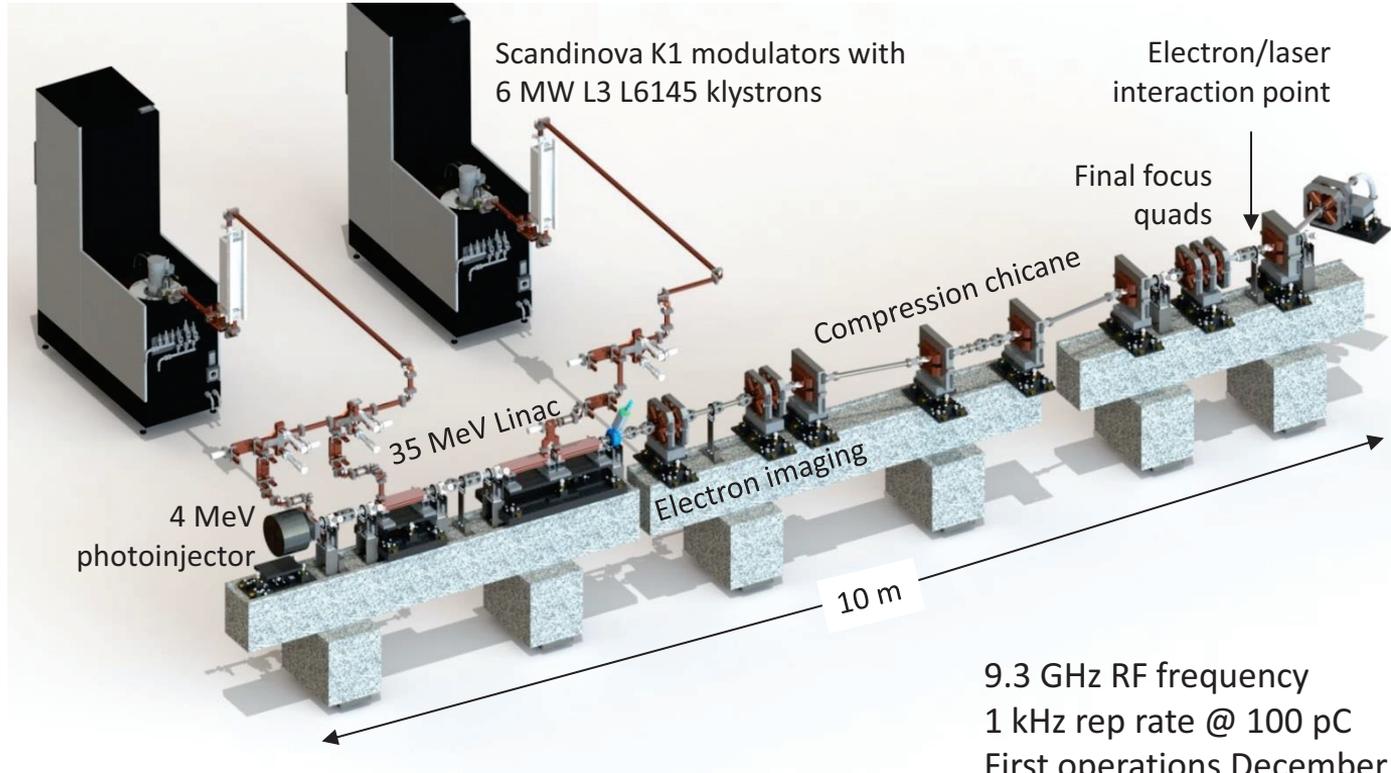


Simulations  
(no free parameters)



Experiment & simulation  
at pitch angle = 12.7  
mrad showing **80%** of  
electrons into 1 Bragg  
spot

# ASU Compact X-ray Light Source



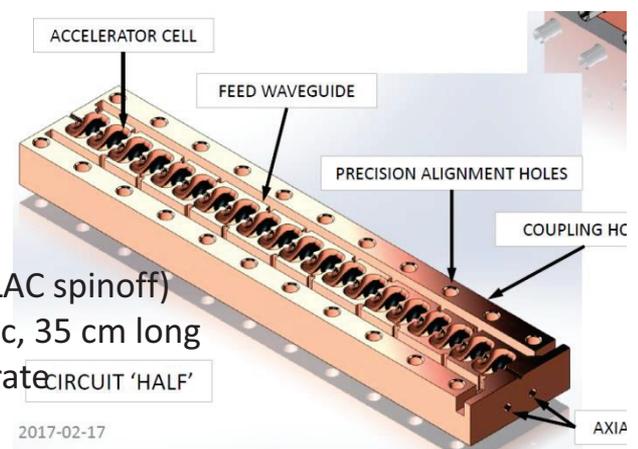
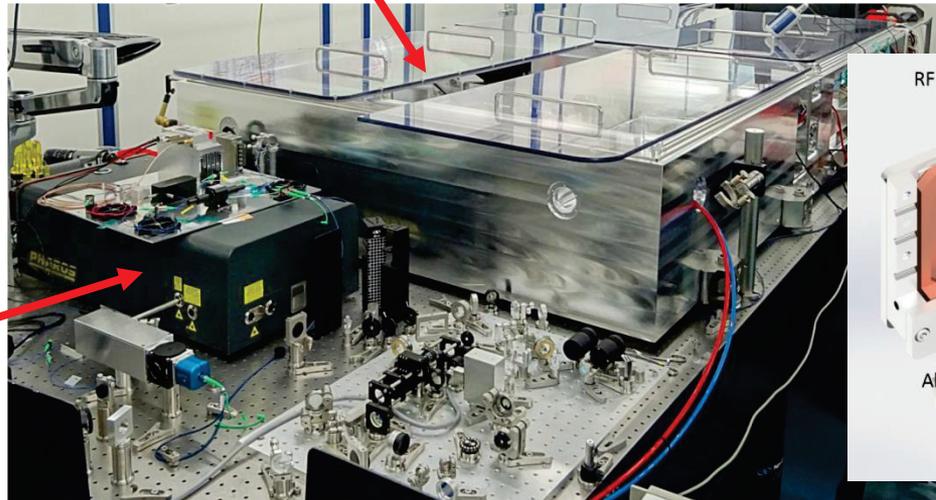
9.3 GHz RF frequency  
1 kHz rep rate @ 100 pC  
First operations December 2017



RF modulator – Scandinova K1A  
 6 MW klystron by L-3  
 9.3 GHz RF frequency  
 1 kHz repetition rate  
**<100 ppm amplitude stability**  
**<0.1 degree RF phase stability**

ICS laser – Trumpf Dira Yb:YAG  
 200 mJ, 1 ps, 1030 nm @ 1 kHz

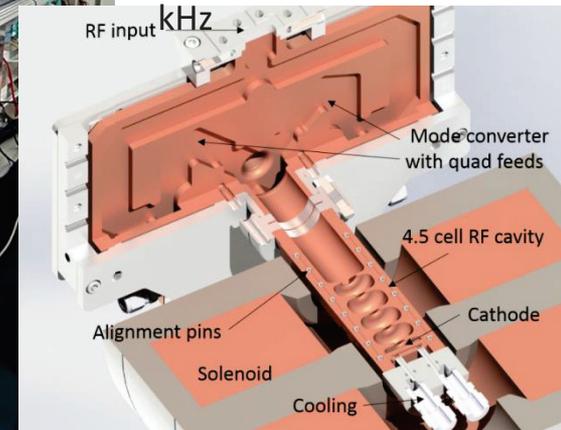
Cathode laser  
 LightConversion Pharos  
 Yb:KGW 150 uJ, 180 fs  
 258 nm @ 1 kHz



Tibaray (SLAC spinoff)  
 20 cell linac, 35 cm long  
 1 kHz rep rate

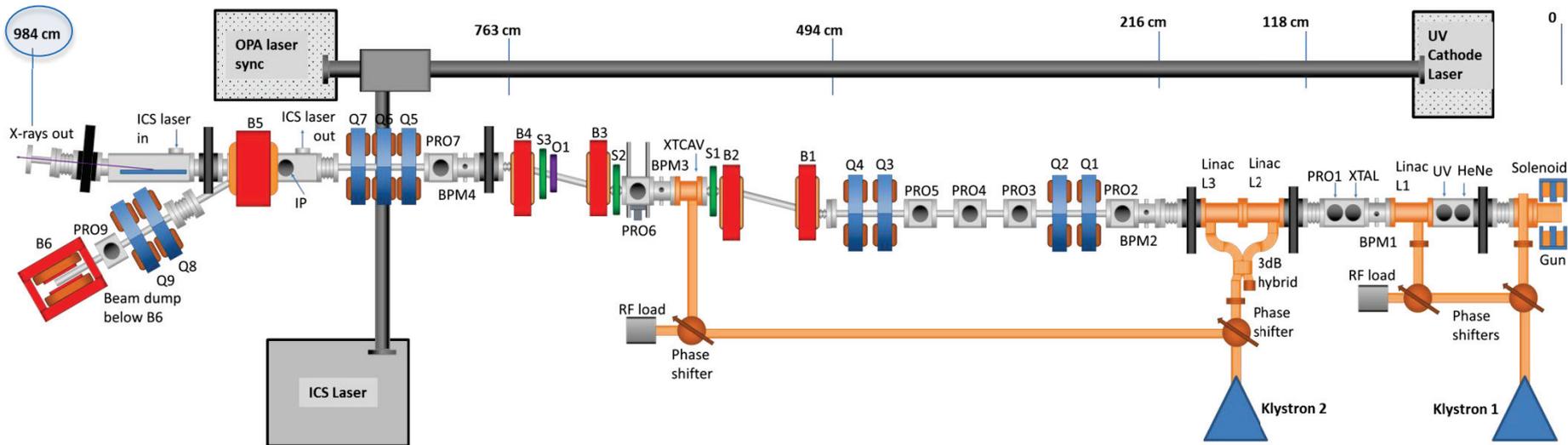
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4.5 cell gun with RF mode launcher, 120 MV/m, 1 kHz



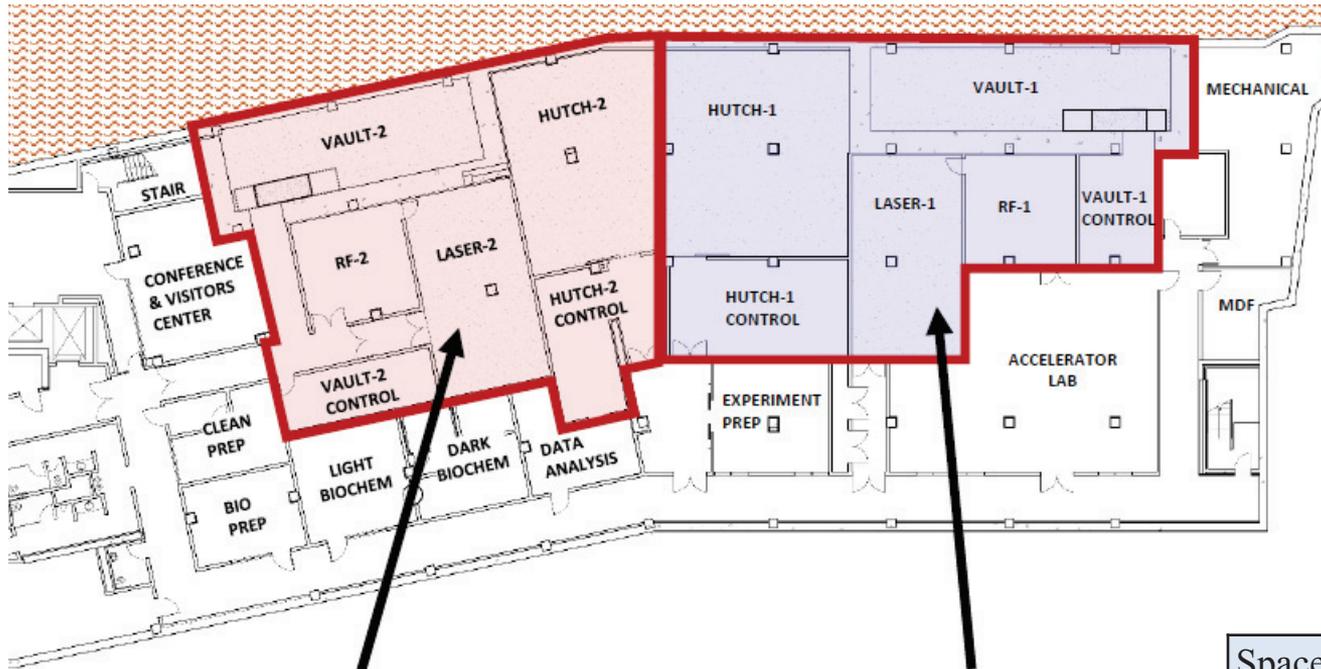
# CXFEL

10 m length





# ASU Biodesign C Labs for CXLS, CXFEL



Compact X-ray Free-Electron Laser (CXFEL)  
Research Facility

Compact X-ray Light Source (CXLS)  
Research Facility

Slab is 2 m thick under vault, laser, and hutch, and isolated from building structure.

Iron rebar hand selected and degaussed for low B-field

RF room is welded Al Faraday cage for EMI isolation

Space	25,000 sq ft
Vibration	VC-E
Laser lab air temp	+/- 0.25° C
Vault air temp	+/- 0.5° C
Precision chilled water	+/- 0.01° C

# Power Scaling for XFELs

*Rough estimates of parameters*

## LCLS

## CXFEL

$$h\nu = 1 \text{ keV}$$

$$I = 2000 \text{ A}$$

$$V = 5 \text{ GeV}$$

$$P_e = IV = 10^{13} \text{ W}$$

$$\Delta t = 100 \text{ fs}$$

Electron pulse energy

$$U_e = P_e \Delta t = 1 \text{ J}$$

$$h\nu = 1 \text{ keV}$$

$$I = 200 \text{ A}$$

$$V = 25 \text{ MeV}$$

$$P_e = IV = 5 \times 10^9 \text{ W}$$

$$\Delta t = 10 \text{ fs}$$

$$U_e = P_e \Delta t = 50 \text{ } \mu\text{J}$$

FEL parameter

$$\rho_{FEL} = 10^{-3}$$

$$P_{FEL} = \rho P_e = 10^{10} \text{ W}$$

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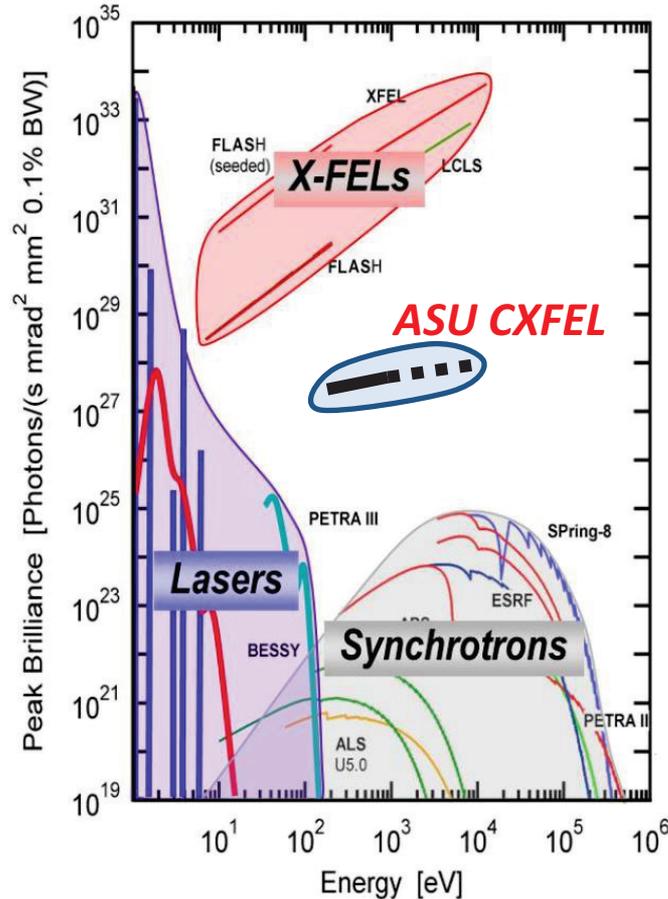
$$P_{FEL} = \rho P_e = 5 \times 10^6 \text{ W}$$

FEL pulse energy

$$U_{FEL} = \rho U_e = 1 \text{ mJ}$$

$$U_{FEL} = \rho U_e = 50 \text{ nJ}$$

# CXFEL Estimated Performance



Full coherence in temporal and transverse dimensions, but lower power than large XFELs.

The ASU CXFEL uniquely controls the x-ray phase and amplitude.

CXFEL can seed large XFELs to increase their brilliance X100

# ASU CXLS/CXFEL Program

Job openings now for laser and accel phys postdocs

Faculty hiring beginning across ultrafast science and engineering

Accelerator Vault



Lab construction August 2017



RF 1 (Aug. 0)

RF room

