



# Transverse Beam Emittance Measurement by Undulator Radiation Power Noise

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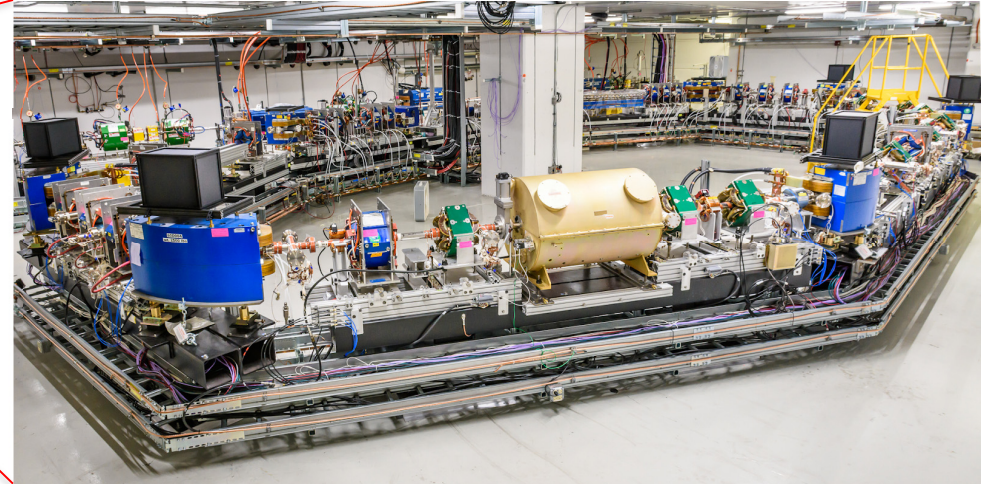
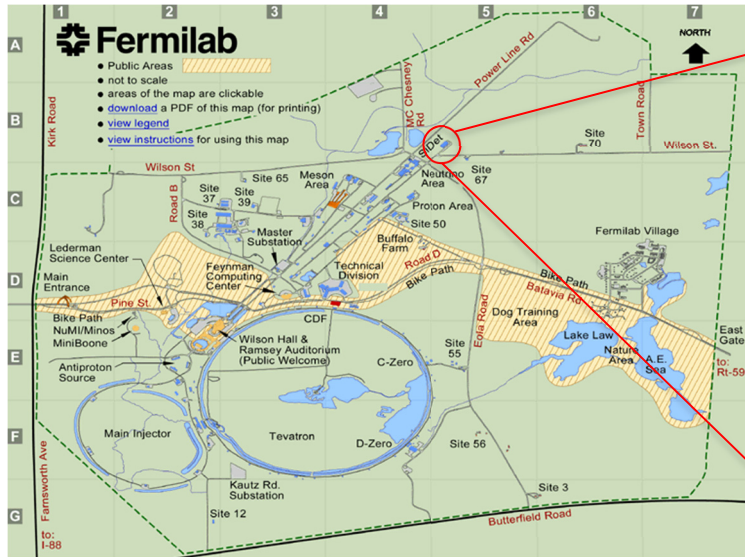


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# Fermilab's Integrable Optics Test Accelerator (IOTA)

- First beam Aug 21, 2018



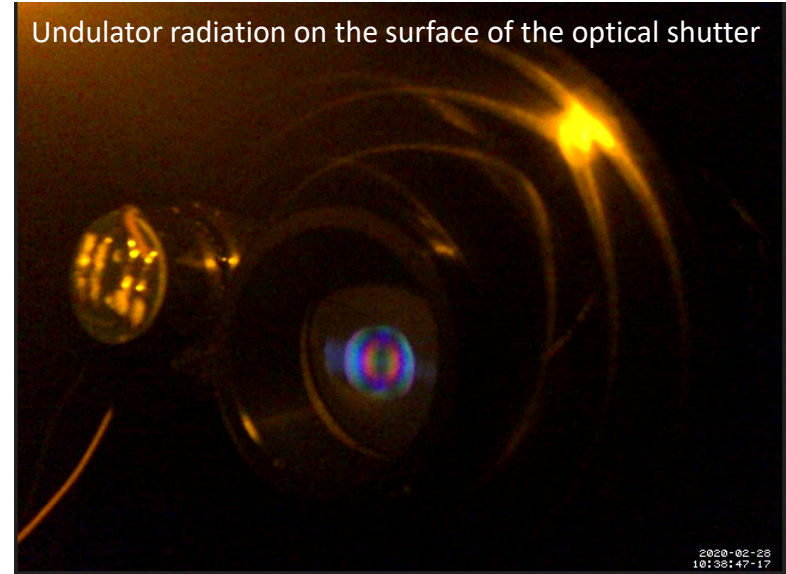
Primary purpose: accelerator science and technology research  
(not production of radiation for users)

- Particles: electrons/protons
- Main experiments:
  - Nonlinear beam optics
  - Optical stochastic cooling

Circumference: 40 m (133 ns)  
Electron energy: 100 MeV

# Parameters of the undulator in IOTA

Many thanks to our collaborators from SLAC for providing the undulator



Undulator:

- Number of periods:  $N_u = 10.5$
- Undulator period length:  $\lambda_u = 55$  mm
- Undulator parameter (peak):  $K_u = 1$
- Fundamental of radiation: 1.16  $\mu\text{m}$
- Second harmonic: visible light

$$K_u = \frac{eB\lambda_u}{2\pi m_e c}$$

# Layout of the undulator section in IOTA

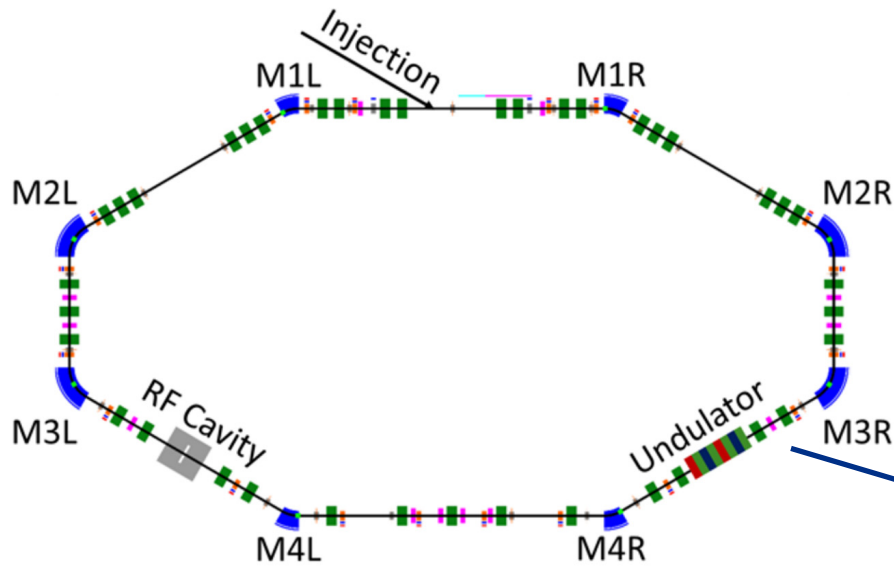
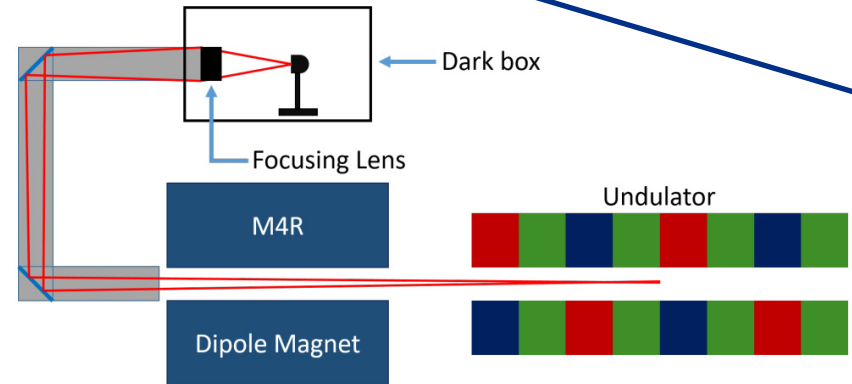
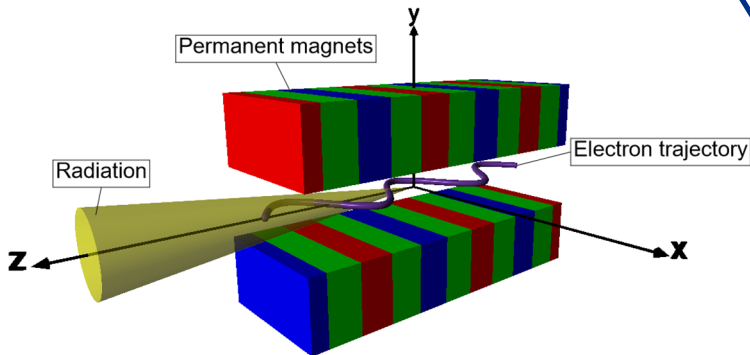
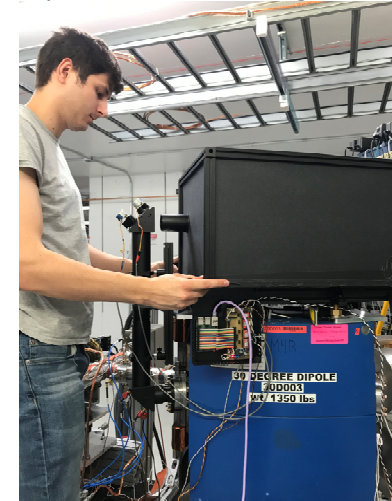


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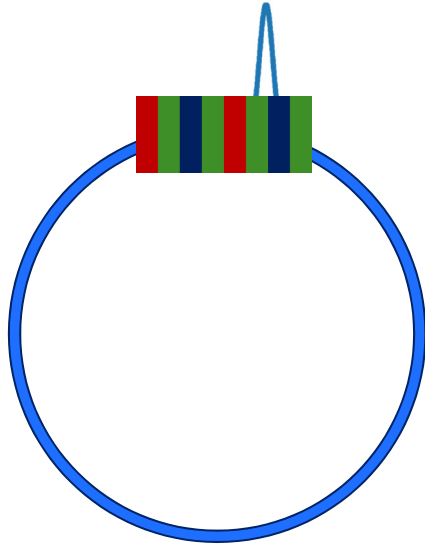
# Previous research about statistical properties of synchrotron radiation

## Both theoretical and experimental results:

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# Experiment idea

Fundamental of the undulator  
radiation 1.16  $\mu\text{m}$



InGaAs p-i-n photodiode



Revolution number		Number of photocounts, $\mathcal{N}$
0		9994352
1		9997379
2		10002465
3		9999482
4		9996153
...		...
11273	1.5 ms	10000362

$$\text{var}(\mathcal{N}) = \langle \mathcal{N}^2 \rangle - \langle \mathcal{N} \rangle^2$$

Particle loss is negligible during 1.5 ms

Number of electron in the bunch: 1-3 billion

The initial goal was to systematically study  $\text{var}(\mathcal{N})$  as a function of the electron bunch parameters (charge, size, shape, divergence)

Then, we realized that we could reverse this procedure and infer the electron bunch parameters from the measured  $\text{var}(\mathcal{N})$

# Outline

- Theoretical consideration
- Details about the apparatus and measurement procedure
- Measurements of the fluctuations
- Measurements of electron beam emittances via the fluctuations

# Theoretical predictions

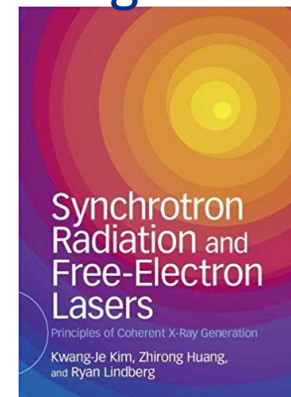
$$\text{var}(\mathcal{N}_{\text{ph}}) = \langle \mathcal{N}_{\text{ph}} \rangle + \frac{1}{M} \langle \mathcal{N}_{\text{ph}} \rangle^2$$

Discrete quantum  
nature of light  
(Poisson fluctuations)

Turn-to-turn variations in  
relative electron positions  
and directions of motion

$M$  is conventionally called the number  
of coherent modes

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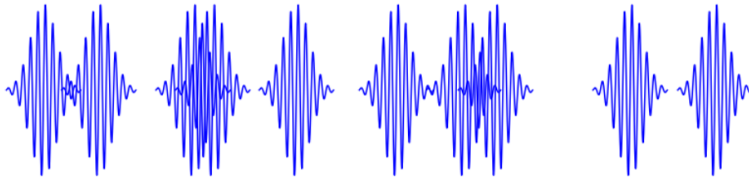


# Origin of the second term

$$\text{var}(\mathcal{N}_{\text{ph}}) = \langle \mathcal{N}_{\text{ph}} \rangle + \frac{1}{M} \langle \mathcal{N}_{\text{ph}} \rangle^2$$

- Simplified 1D model:

Pulses emitted by the electrons:



$$W \propto \int dt \left| \sum_{i=1}^{n_e} E(t - t_i) \right|^2 = \int d\omega |E(\omega)|^2 \left| \sum_{i=1}^{n_e} e^{-i\omega t_i} \right|^2$$

The set of arrival times of the electrons  $\{t_i\}$  is different during every revolution in the ring. Hence, the radiated energy  $W$  fluctuates from turn to turn.  $\sigma_t = \sqrt{\langle t_i^2 \rangle - \langle t_i \rangle^2}$

$$|E(\omega)|^2 \propto e^{-\frac{(\omega - \omega_0)^2}{2\sigma_\omega^2}}$$



$$M = \sqrt{1 + 4\sigma_\omega^2 \sigma_t^2}$$

If we also consider transverse electron bunch dimensions and a Gaussian angular radiation profile:

$$M = \sqrt{1 + 4\sigma_k^2 \sigma_z^2} \sqrt{1 + 4k_0^2 \sigma_{\theta_x}^2 \sigma_x^2} \sqrt{1 + 4k_0^2 \sigma_{\theta_y}^2 \sigma_y^2}$$

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# Realistic case

In general,  $M$  is a function of

- Detector's angular acceptance
- Detector's spectral sensitivity, polarization sensitivity
- Spectral-angular properties of the radiation (undulator or bending magnet)
- Electron bunch density distribution over  $x, y, z, x', y', \delta_p$

We accounted for this part for the first time

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# The obtained expression is very complex and includes a multidimensional integral:

$$\frac{1}{M} = (1 - 1/n_e) \frac{\sqrt{\pi} \int dk d^2\phi_1 d^2\phi_2 d^2r' \mathcal{P}_k(\mathbf{r}', \phi_1 - \phi_2) \mathcal{I}_k(\phi_1, \mathbf{r}') \mathcal{I}_k^*(\phi_2, \mathbf{r}')}{\sigma_z^{\text{eff}} \langle \mathcal{N}_{\text{s.e.}} \rangle^2}, \quad (2)$$

with

$$\mathcal{P}_k(\mathbf{r}', \phi_1 - \phi_2) = \frac{1}{4\pi\sigma_{x'}\sigma_{y'}} e^{-\frac{(x')^2}{4\sigma_{x'}^2} - \frac{(y')^2}{4\sigma_{y'}^2}} e^{-ik\Delta_x(\phi_{1x}-\phi_{2x})x' - ik\Delta_y(\phi_{1y}-\phi_{2y})y'} e^{-k^2\Sigma_x^2(\phi_{1x}-\phi_{2x})^2 - k^2\Sigma_y^2(\phi_{1y}-\phi_{2y})^2}, \quad (3)$$

$$\mathcal{I}_k(\phi, \mathbf{r}') = \sum_{s=1,2} \eta_{k,s}(\phi) \mathcal{E}_{k,s}(\phi) \mathcal{E}_{k,s}^*(\phi - \mathbf{r}'), \quad (4)$$

$$\langle \mathcal{N}_{\text{s.e.}} \rangle = \sum_{s=1,2} \int dk d^2\phi \eta_{k,s}(\phi) |\mathcal{E}_{k,s}(\phi)|^2, \quad (5)$$

where  $s = 1, 2$  indicates the polarization component,  $n_e$  is the number of electrons in the bunch,  $k = 2\pi/\lambda$  is the magnitude of the wave vector;  $\phi = (\phi_x, \phi_y)$ ,  $\phi_1 = (\phi_{1x}, \phi_{1y})$  and  $\phi_2 = (\phi_{2x}, \phi_{2y})$  represent angles of direction of the radiation in the paraxial approximation. Hereinafter,  $x$  and  $y$  refer to the horizontal and the vertical axes, respectively, and

$$\sigma_z^{\text{eff}} = 1 / \left( 2\sqrt{\pi} \int \rho^2(z) dz \right) \quad (6)$$

where  $\rho(z)$  is the electron bunch longitudinal density distribution function,  $\int \rho(z) dz = 1$ , and  $\sigma_z^{\text{eff}}$  is equal to the rms bunch length  $\sigma_z$  for a Gaussian bunch;  $\mathbf{r}' = (x', y')$  represents the direction of motion of an electron at the radiator center, relative to a reference electron;  $\sigma_{x'}$  and  $\sigma_{y'}$  are the rms beam divergences,  $\sigma_{x'}^2 = \gamma_x \epsilon_x + D_x^2 \sigma_p^2$ ,  $\sigma_{y'}^2 = \gamma_y \epsilon_y$ ;  $\Sigma_x^2 = \epsilon_x / \gamma_x + (\gamma_x D_x + D_x \alpha_x)^2 \beta_x \epsilon_x \sigma_p^2 / \sigma_{x'}^2$ ,  $\Sigma_y^2 = \epsilon_y / \gamma_y$ ,  $\Delta_x = (\alpha_x \epsilon_x - D_x D_x \sigma_p^2) / \sigma_{x'}^2$ ,  $\Delta_y = \alpha_y / \epsilon_y$ , where  $\alpha_x, \beta_x, \gamma_x, \alpha_y, \beta_y, \gamma_y$  are the Twiss parameters of an uncoupled focusing optics in the synchrotron radiation

$$\mathcal{E}_{k,s}(\phi) = \sqrt{\frac{\alpha k}{2(2\pi)^3}} \int d\mathbf{t} \mathbf{e}_s(\mathbf{k}) \cdot \mathbf{v}(\mathbf{t}) e^{i\mathbf{k}\mathbf{t} - i\mathbf{k}\cdot\mathbf{r}(\mathbf{t})}$$

- Transversely Gaussian beam
- Arbitrary longitudinal density distribution

- Assumes known Twiss-functions

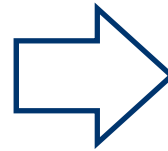
The code for numerical computation is available at <https://github.com/IharLobach/fur>

# A remark about the quantum contribution

$$\text{var}(\mathcal{N}_{\text{ph}}) = \underbrace{\langle \mathcal{N}_{\text{ph}} \rangle}_{\text{Quantum}} + \frac{1}{M} \underbrace{\langle \mathcal{N}_{\text{ph}} \rangle^2}_{\text{Classical}}$$

At negligible electron recoil the radiated field is in a **coherent state**:

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Coherent and Incoherent States of the Radiation Field\*  
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$$|\alpha\rangle = e^{-\frac{1}{2}|\alpha|^2} \sum_n \frac{\alpha^n}{\sqrt{n!}} |n\rangle$$

$$\text{var}(n) = \langle \alpha | (\hat{a}^\dagger \hat{a} - \langle n \rangle)^2 | \alpha \rangle = |\alpha|^2 = \langle n \rangle$$

A unified description leading to the above expression is possible within the framework of **quantum optics using the density operator formalism**:

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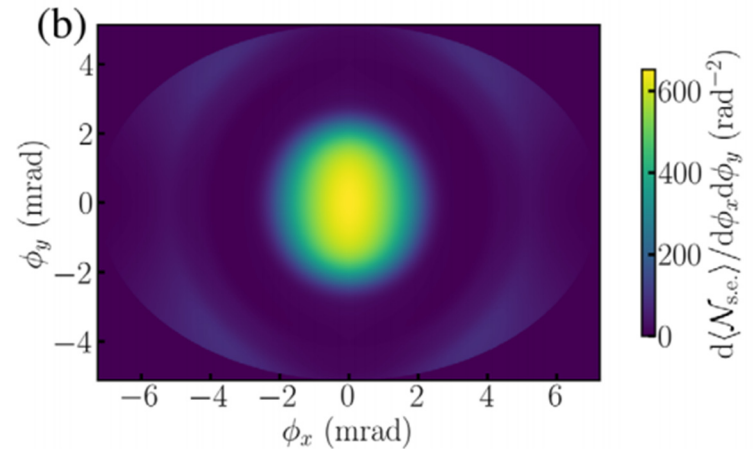
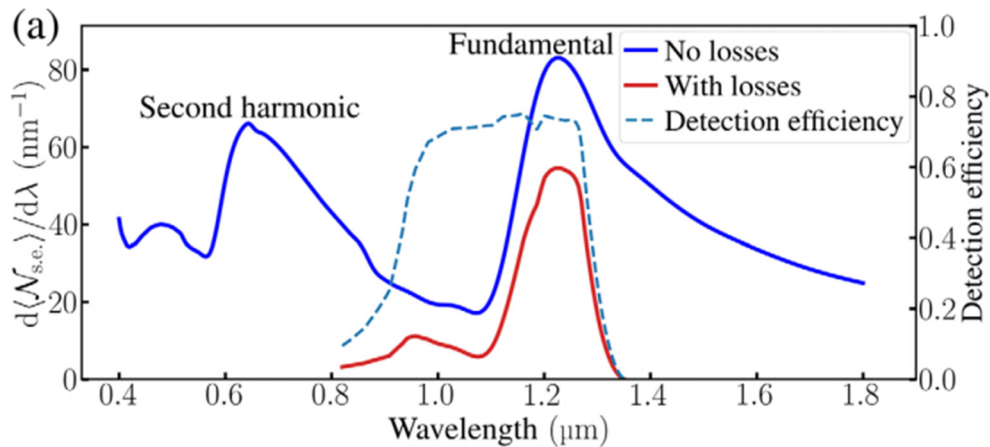
Statistical properties of spontaneous synchrotron radiation with arbitrary degree of coherence

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# Details about the experiment

## Spectral-angular radiation distribution



### In our experiment:

#1 Detect the fundamental ( $\approx 1.16 \mu\text{m}$ ). InGaAs p-i-n photodiode

#2 Wide band ( $\approx 0.14 \mu\text{m}$  FWHM). Large acceptance angle  $> 1/\gamma$

(We use a focusing lens)

Simulated total intensity:  $9.1 \times 10^{-3}$  photoelectrons/electron

Measured:  $8.8 \times 10^{-3}$  photoelectrons/electron

# Details about the apparatus

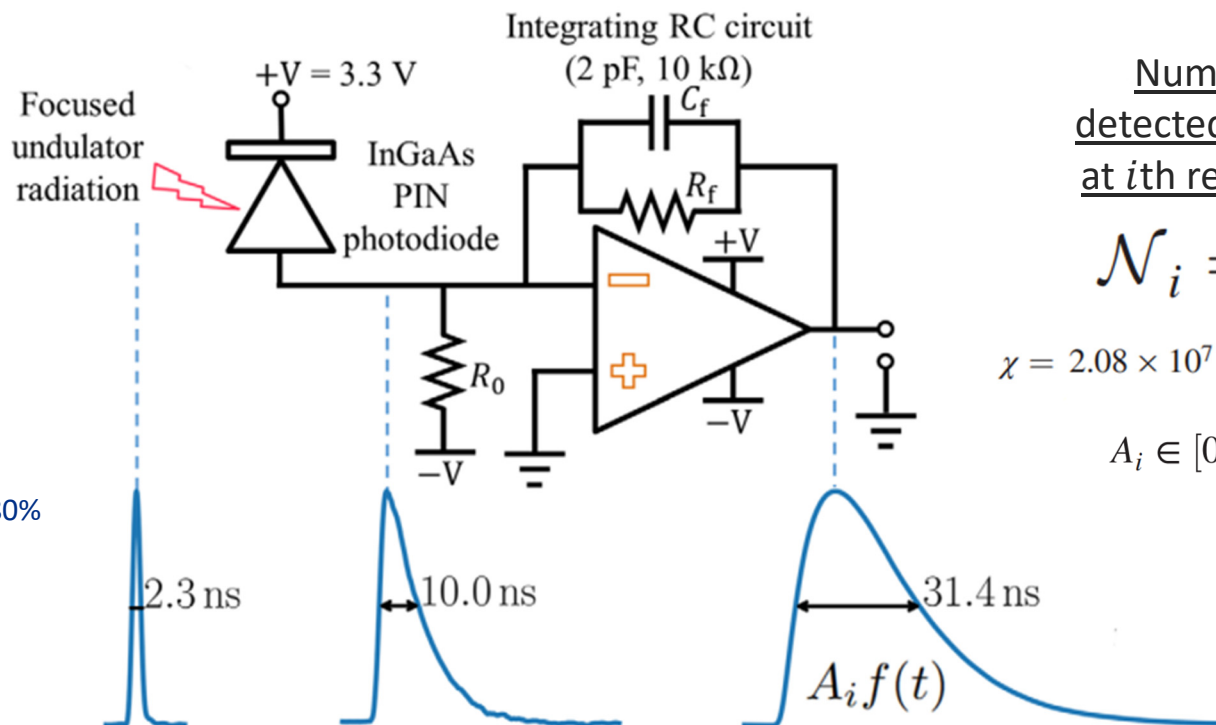
InGaAs PIN photodiode



Sensitive area:  $\varnothing 1\text{mm}$

Quantum efficiency at  $1.16\ \mu\text{m}$ : 80%

\*the circuit was built by Greg Saewert



Number of detected photons at  $i$ th revolution:

$$\mathcal{N}_i = \chi A_i$$

$$\chi = 2.08 \times 10^7 \text{ photoelectrons/V}$$

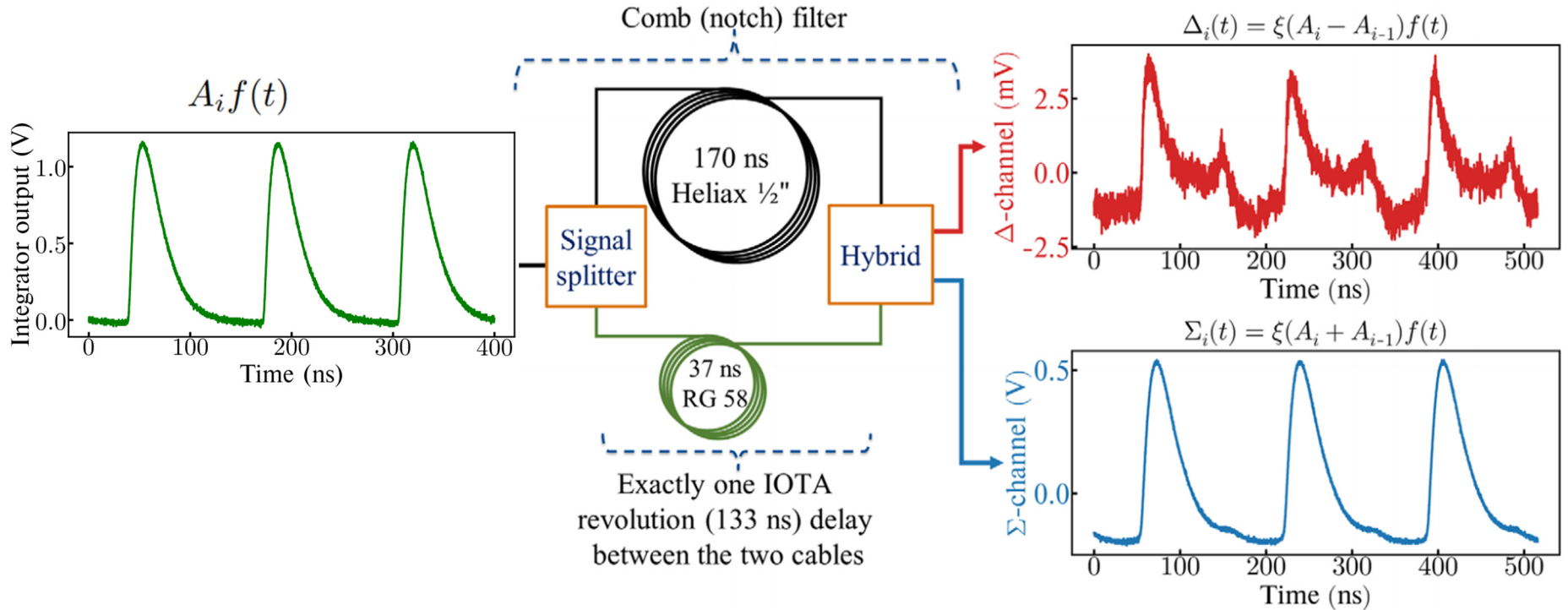
$$A_i \in [0, 1.2] \text{ V}$$

The expected relative fluctuation of  $A_i$  was very small  $10^{-4} - 10^{-3}$  (rms). It was a big challenge to measure it.

\*comparable to the resolution of our 8-bit scope

# Comb (notch) filter

\*the idea to use the comb filter was proposed by S. Nagaitsev.  
The components were provided by B.J. Fellenz, K. Carlson, and D. Frolov



## Our comb filter had some imperfections:

- Cross-talk ( $< 1\%$ )
- Small reflected pulse in one of the arms

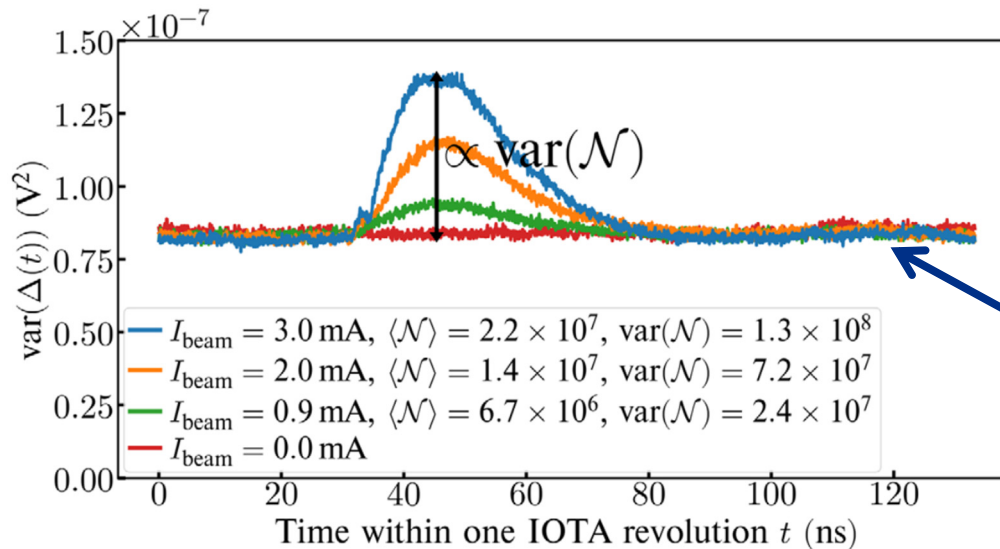
\*they could be taken into account and did not affect final results

# Noise filtering algorithm

- The instrumental noise due to the oscilloscope's pre-amp and due to the integrator's op-amp was about 0.3 mV (rms)
- Therefore, signal-to-noise ratio was about 1

**We had to use a special noise filtering algorithm.**

For each time  $t$  within one IOTA revolution, calculate variance of  $\Delta$ -signal for the 11000 revolutions:



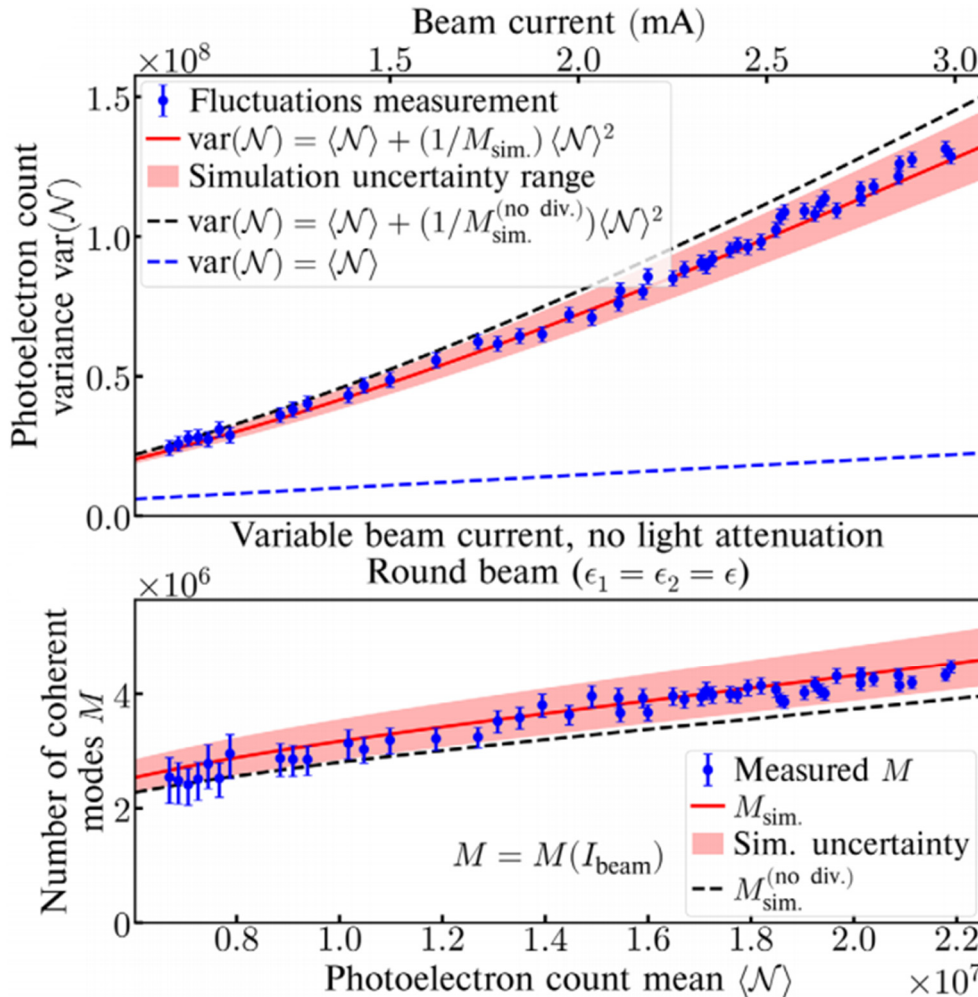
$$\text{var}(\Delta(t)) = 2\xi^2 \text{var}(A) f^2(t) + \text{var}(\nu_{\Delta}(t))$$

$$\text{var}(\nu_{\Delta}(t)) = \text{var}(\nu_{\Delta}) = 8.8 \times 10^{-8} \text{ V}^2$$

constant noise level



# Measurements and simulations



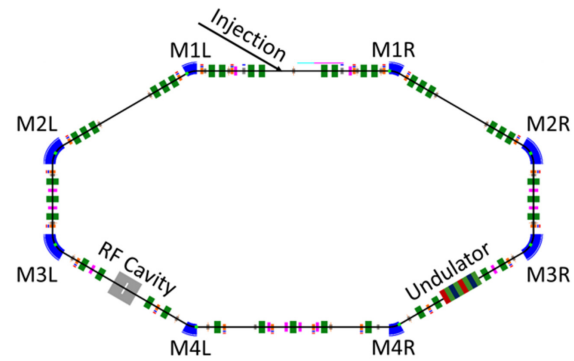
$$M = M(\epsilon_x, \epsilon_y, \sigma_p, \sigma_z^{\text{eff}})$$

For the simulation,

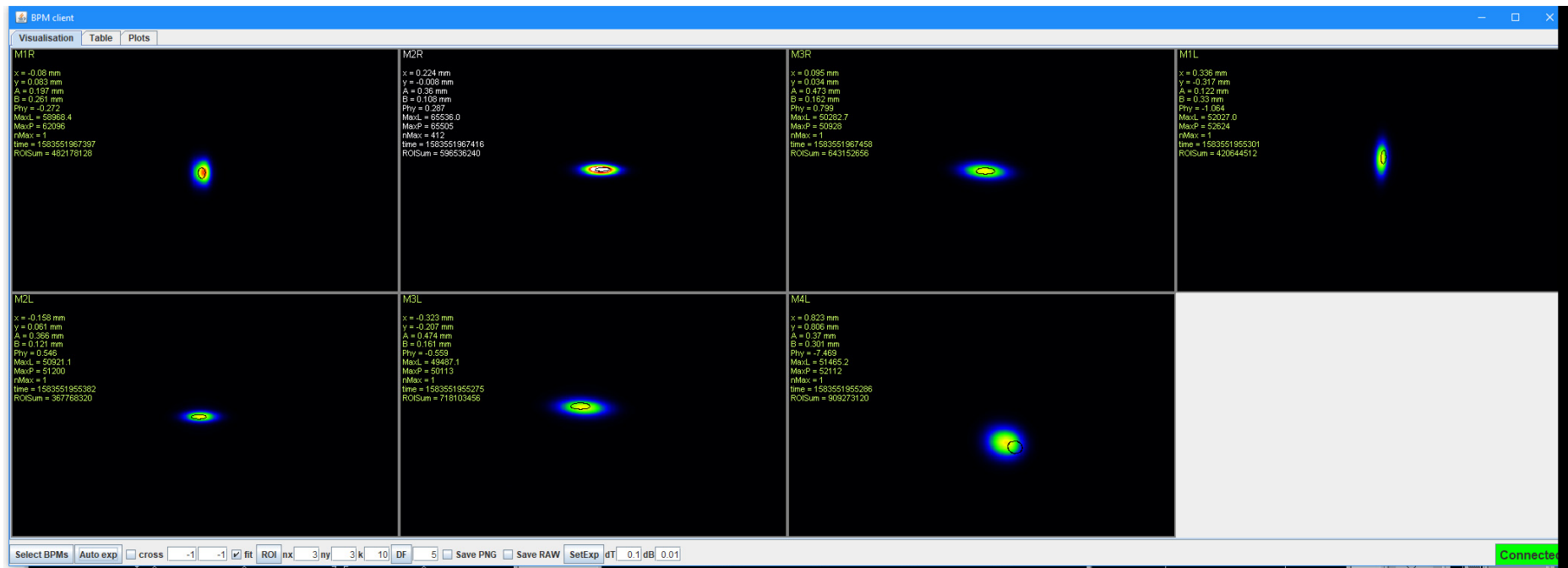
- $\epsilon_x$  and  $\epsilon_y$  were estimated using bending magnet synchrotron radiation monitors and known Twiss functions.
- $\sigma_z^{\text{eff}}$  and  $\sigma_p$  were estimated using the wall-current monitor signal

Note that the simulation with beam divergence taken into account agrees better

# Measurement of transverse bunch size: 7 synclight stations



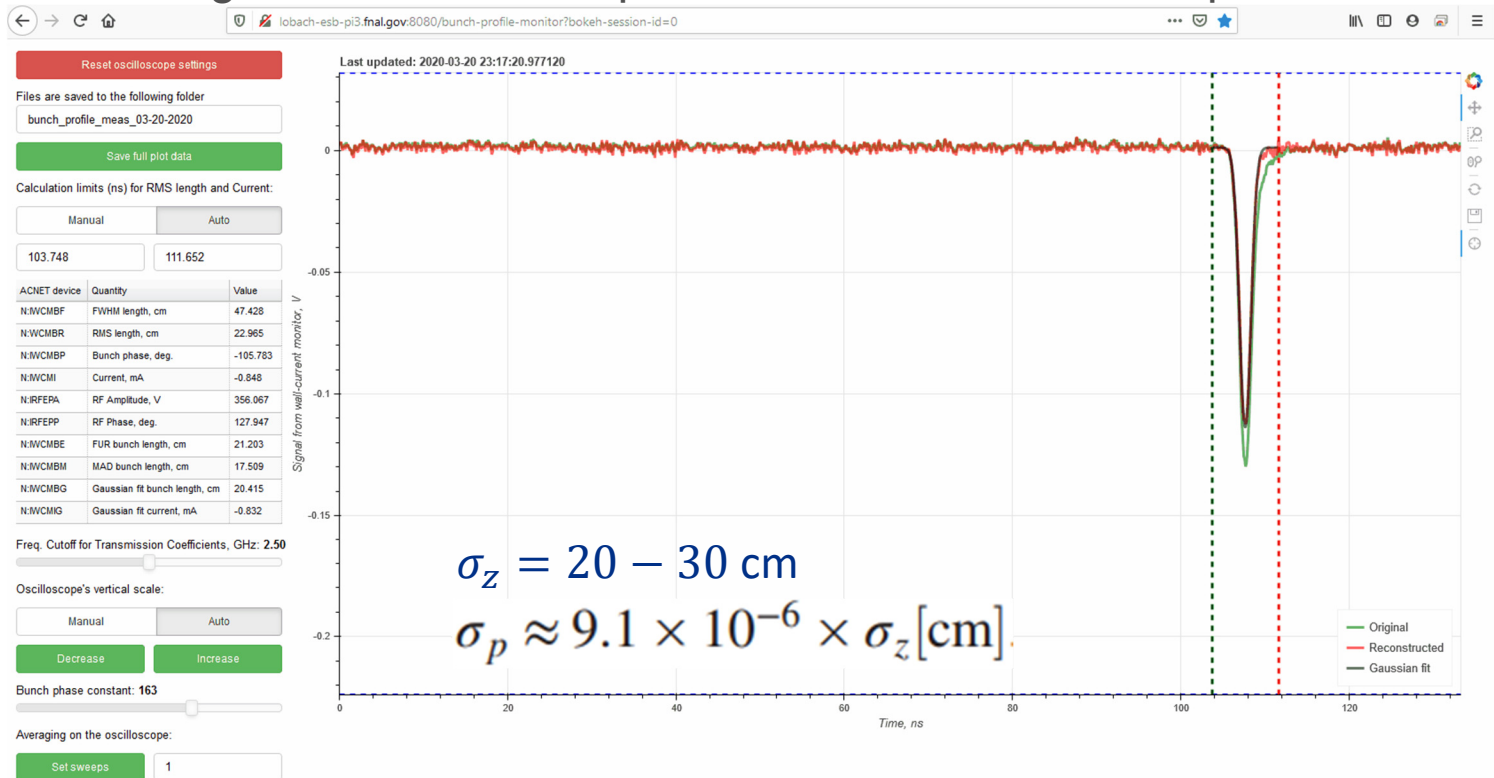
## Bending magnet radiation (not undulator)



\*built by A. Romanov, J. Santucci, G. Stancari, N. Kuklev, ...

# Measurement of longitudinal bunch length and shape: Bunch length monitor

- Wall-current monitor → long cable → amplifier → oscilloscope
- The web-server runs on a Raspberry Pi on the Fermilab controls network. It receives the signal from the scope and applies the inverse of the transmission function of the long cable and the amplifier to reconstruct the shape of the electron bunch

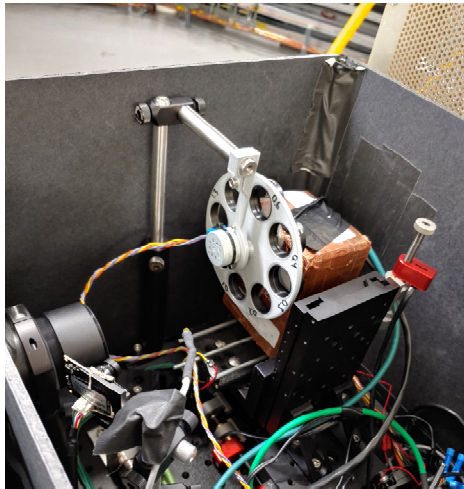


Valeri Lebedev and Kermit Carlson helped with measurement of the transmission function.  
Dean Edstrom helped with network communication with the oscilloscope.

# Neutral density (ND) filters

- ND filter is a filter that has constant attenuation in a wide spectral range
- ND filter does not change the number of coherent modes  $M$ , however, it does change the average number of detected photons  $\langle \mathcal{N} \rangle$

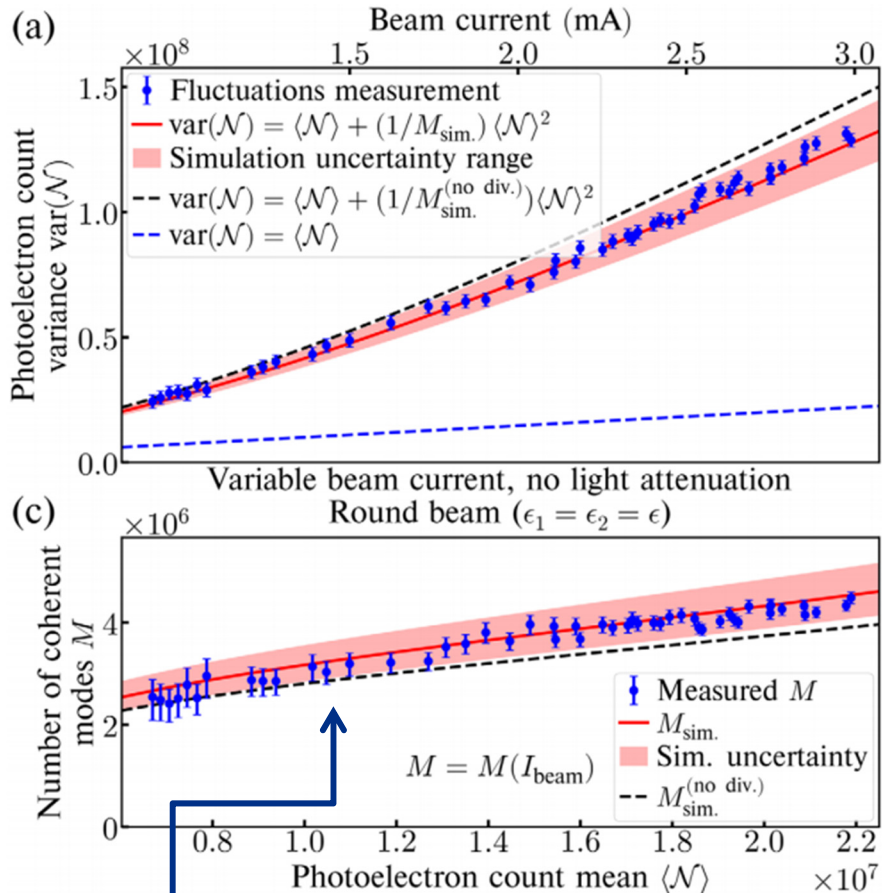
## Remote controls for the apparatus



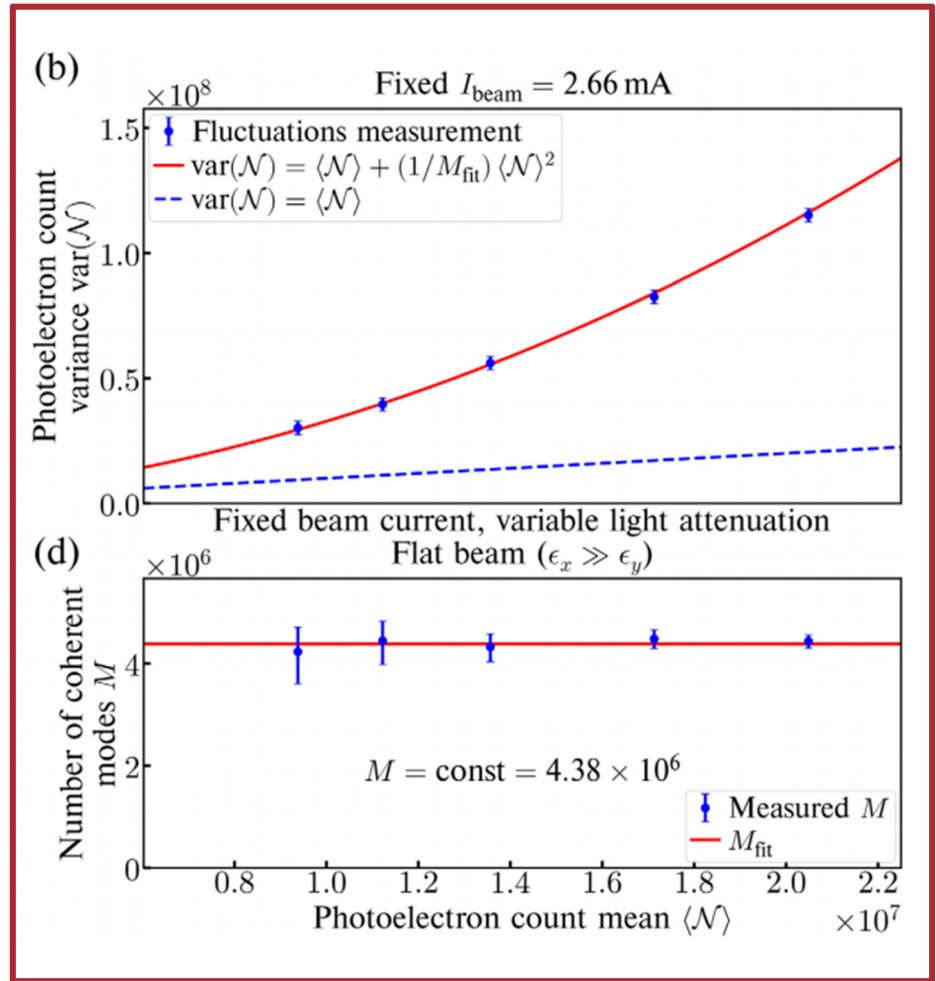
The filter wheel was built by Sasha Romanov

Motor	Position
Motor 1	Clockwise == Y-- 26557
Motor 2	Disconnected 0
Motor 3	Clockwise == Z-- 0
Motor 4	Clockwise == X++ 34242

# Measurements with ND filters (right-hand side)



$\epsilon_x, \epsilon_y, \sigma_z^{\text{eff}}, \sigma_p$  change with the beam current due to intrabeam scattering and interaction of the bunch with its environment. Therefore,  $M$  changes too.



# Reconstruction of transverse emittances from the measured $\text{var}(\mathcal{N})$

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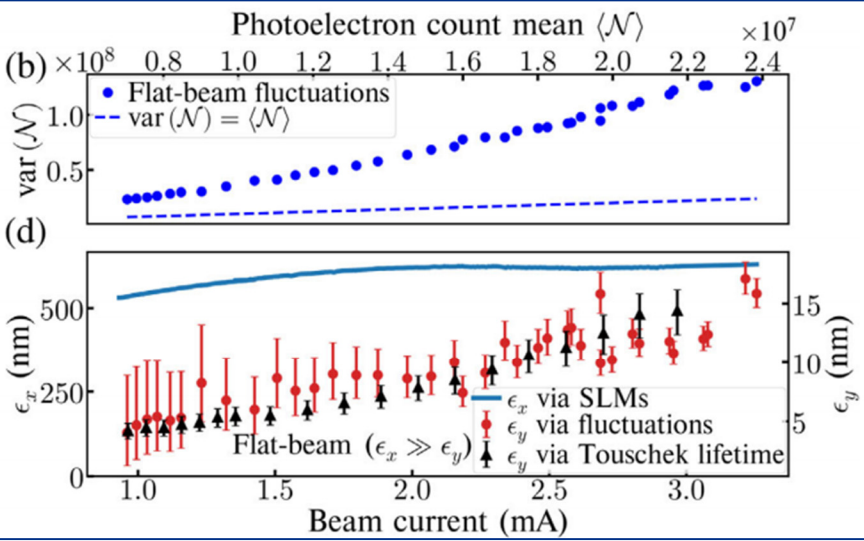
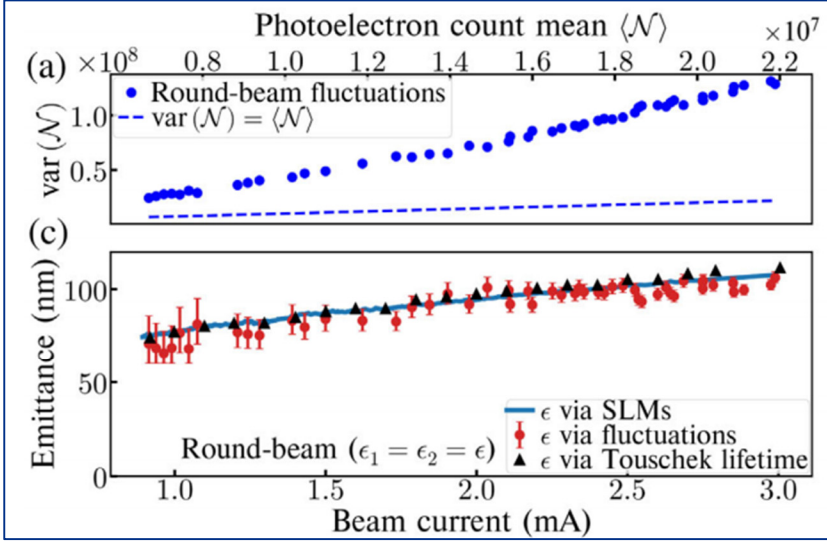
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We verified our method with a “round” beam, whose emittances could be independently measured by synchrotron radiation monitors, (a) and (c):

Then, we used our fluctuations-based method to measure the unknown small vertical emittance of a “flat” beam, (b) and (d):



Strong coupling 

Uncoupled 

# Limitations (or strengths?)

- The fluctuations must not be dominated by the Poisson noise

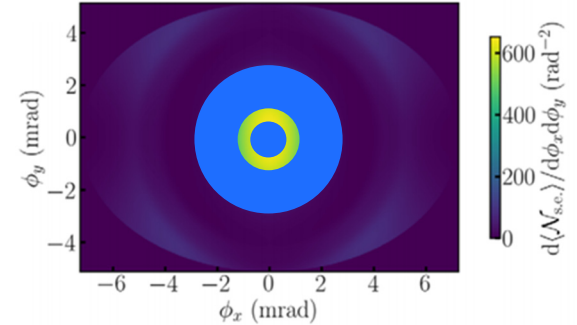
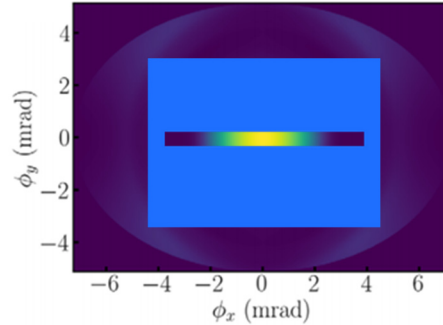
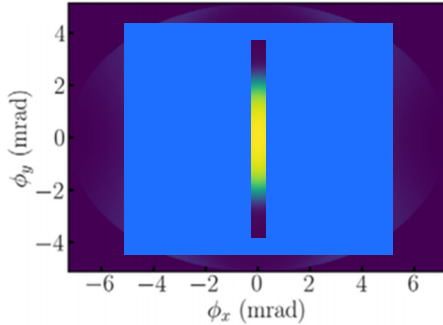
$$\langle \mathcal{N} \rangle \lesssim \frac{1}{M} \langle \mathcal{N} \rangle^2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\langle \mathcal{N} \rangle}{M} = \alpha \left( \frac{\pi}{2} \right)^{\frac{3}{2}} F_h(K_u) \frac{\gamma^2 N_u^2 n_e}{\sigma_x \sigma_y \sigma_z k_0^3} \gtrsim 1$$

- $M$  must be sensitive to changes in  $\sigma_x, \sigma_y$  ( $\epsilon_x, \epsilon_y$ )

$$\sigma_x, \sigma_y \gtrsim \sqrt{2L_u \lambda_0} / (4\pi)$$

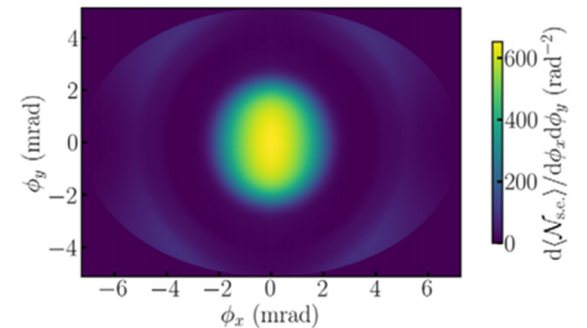
The sensitivity of this technique improves with shorter wavelength. Therefore, this technique may be particularly beneficial for existing state-of-the-art and next-generation low-emittance high-brightness ultraviolet and x-ray synchrotron light sources. For instance, this technique can measure  $\epsilon_x \approx \epsilon_y \approx 30$  pm in the Advanced Photon Source Upgrade at Argonne.

# Usage of slits and masks



- Measurement of fluctuations with slits or masks would allow measurement of more than one electron bunch parameter.

Original angular distribution:



$$M = \sqrt{1 + 4\sigma_k^2 \sigma_z^2} \sqrt{1 + 4k_0^2 \sigma_{\theta_x}^2 \sigma_x^2} \sqrt{1 + 4k_0^2 \sigma_{\theta_y}^2 \sigma_y^2}$$



# Conclusions

- Turn-to-turn undulator radiation power fluctuations have two contributions: (1) quantum due to discrete nature of light and (2) classical due to variations in relative electron positions and directions of motion.
- We derived the second contribution, accounting for electron beam divergence, for the first time.
- We obtained a good agreement for the fluctuations  $\text{var}(\mathcal{N})$  between measurements and calculations.
- The process can be reversed, i.e., the measured fluctuations  $\text{var}(\mathcal{N})$  can be used to infer the transverse electron beam emittances. This method can be especially useful for low-emittance high-brightness ultraviolet and x-ray synchrotron light sources.

## Thesis advisors:

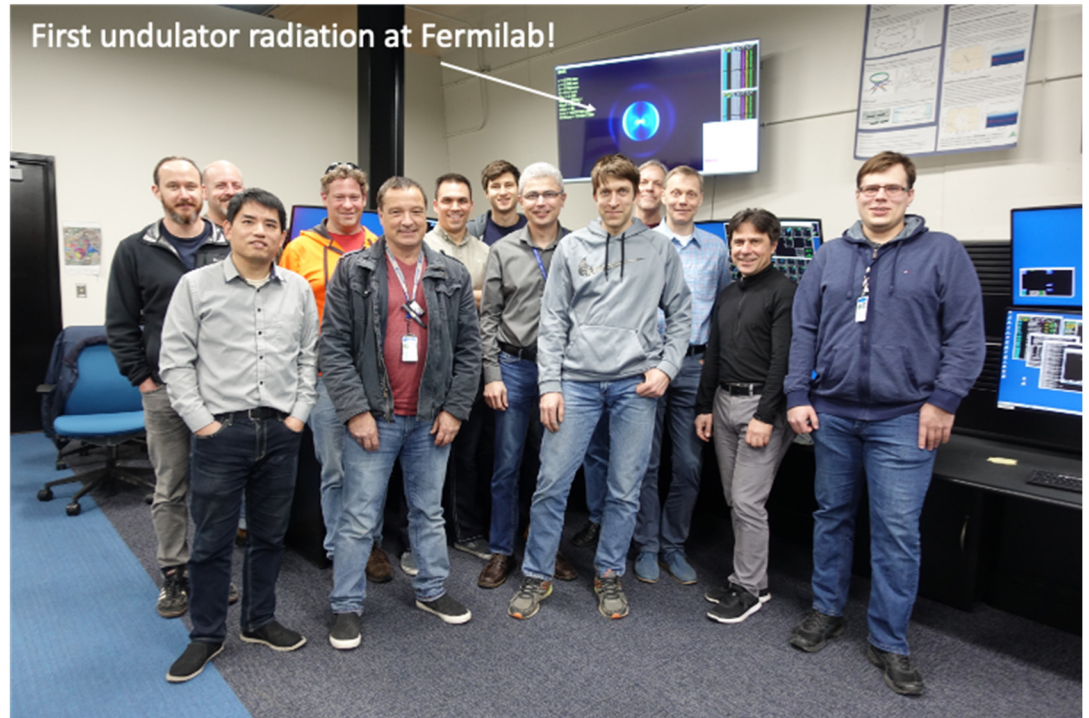


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