

Status of Short X-ray Pulse (SPX) Project at the Advanced Photon Source

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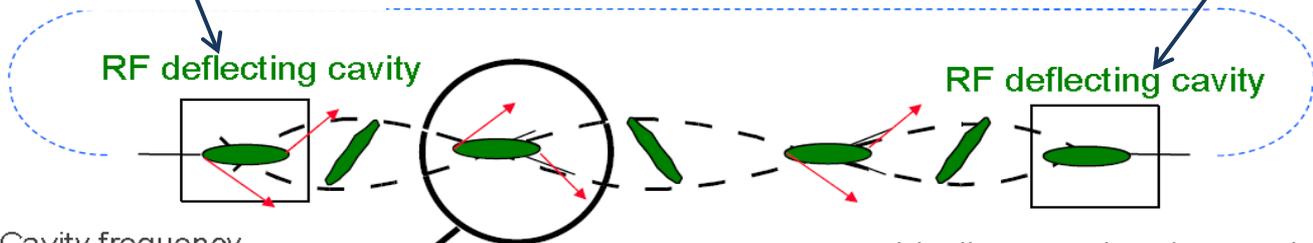
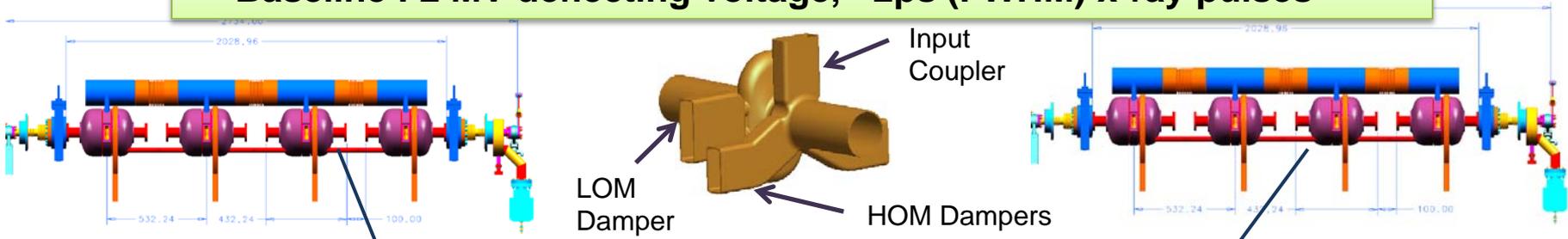
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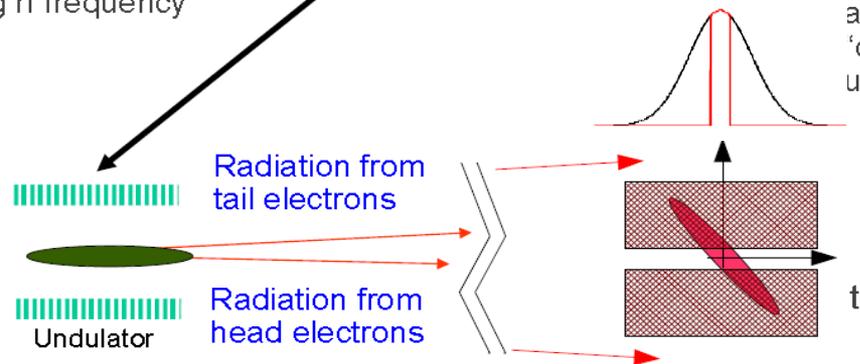
Transverse Rf Chirp Concept¹

Baseline : 2 MV deflecting voltage, ~2ps (FWHM) x-ray pulses

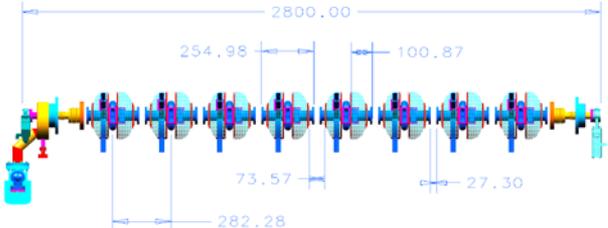


Cavity frequency is harmonic h of ring rf frequency

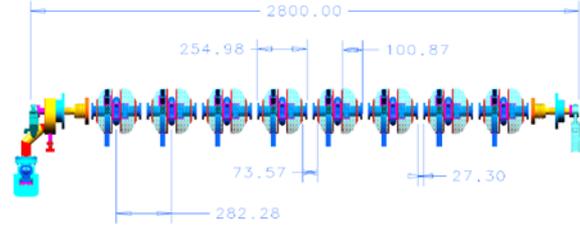
Ideally, second cavity exactly cancels effect of first if phase advance is $n \cdot 180$ degrees: 'outside' users nominally unaffected



Pulse can be sliced or compressed with asymmetric cut crystal

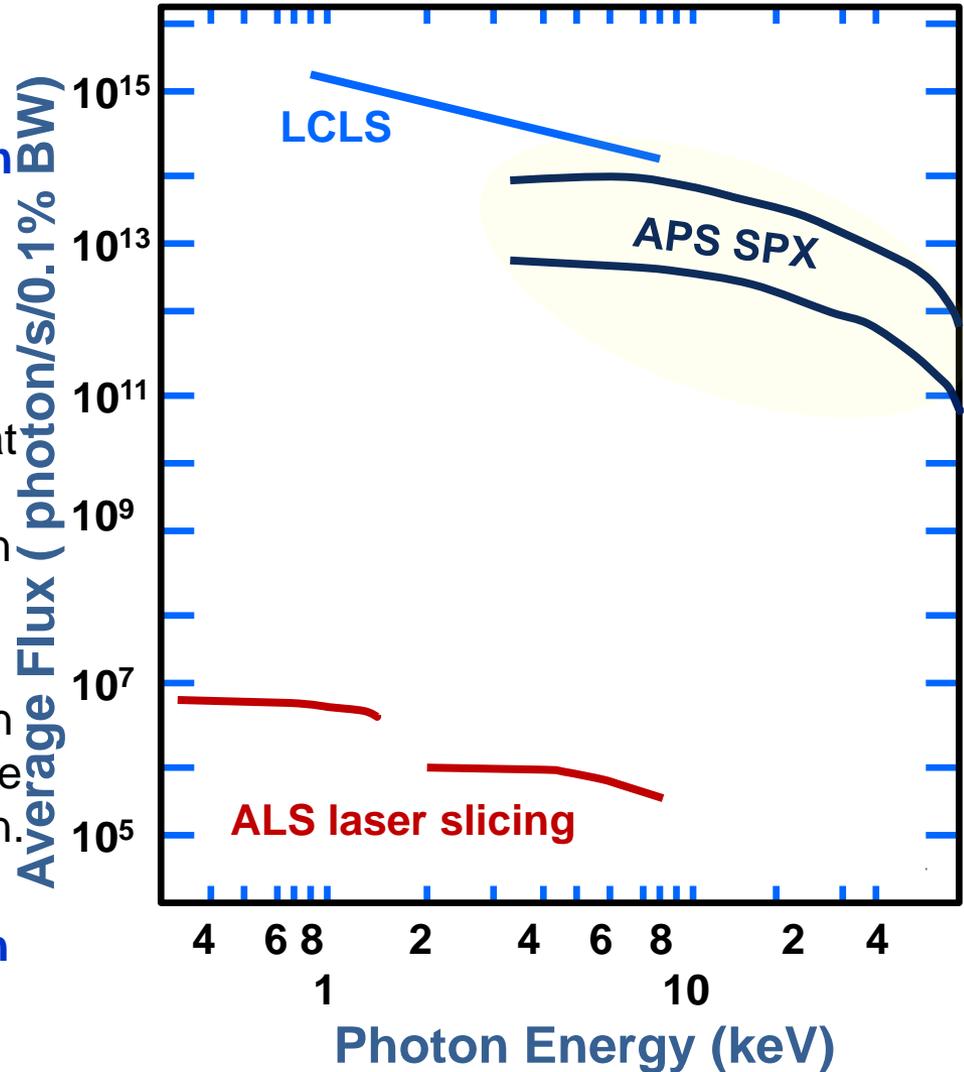


Future Goal : 4 MV deflecting voltage, ~1ps (FWHM) x-ray pulses



Ultrafast Science with SPX

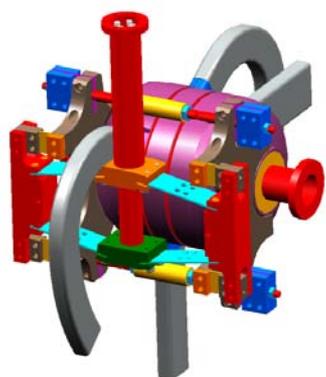
- SPX is a new generation of ultrafast x-ray source that can probe matter with nanometer and picosecond precision. World's first high average, **high repetition rate, tunable, polarized ultrafast x-ray source for a variety of applications in chemistry, materials, atomic & molecular physics and biology**
- It enables time-resolved x-ray scattering at the picosecond timescale while retaining the powerful characteristics of synchrotron radiation.
- Time-resolved diffraction. Understanding and controlling energy and heat transfer in thin films. Understanding carrier and lattice relaxation processes after photo excitation.
- **Picosecond timescale is ideal to probe dynamics in nano-scale systems which evolve at the speed of sound $\sim 1\text{nm/ps}$.**



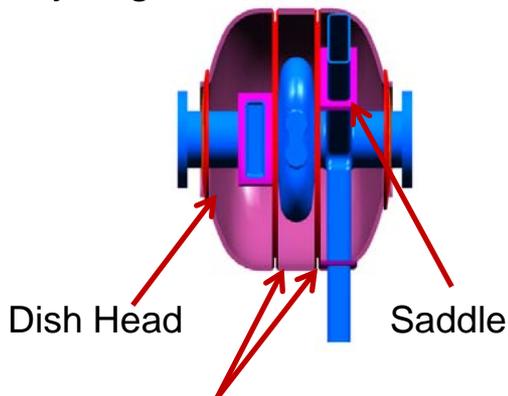
SPX Technical Components

■ Two cryomodules, each with 4 SC deflecting cavities equipped with:

- Tuner with warm motor and piezo
- LOM/HOM dampers
- Precision cavity alignment



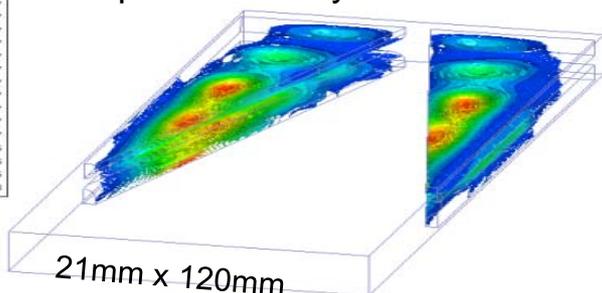
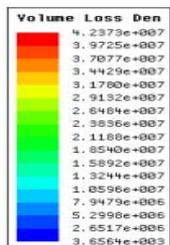
JLab scissor jack style



Dish Head
Bellows
Saddle

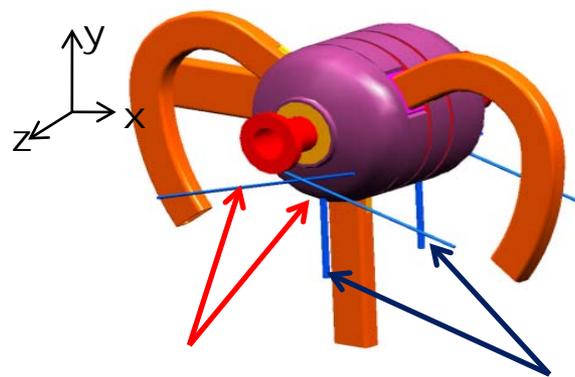
4-wedge damper design

Peak power density: 42 W / cm³



SPX deflecting cavities, **THP212**,
G.Waldschmidt

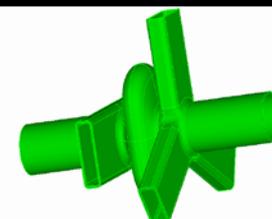
Precision alignment concept



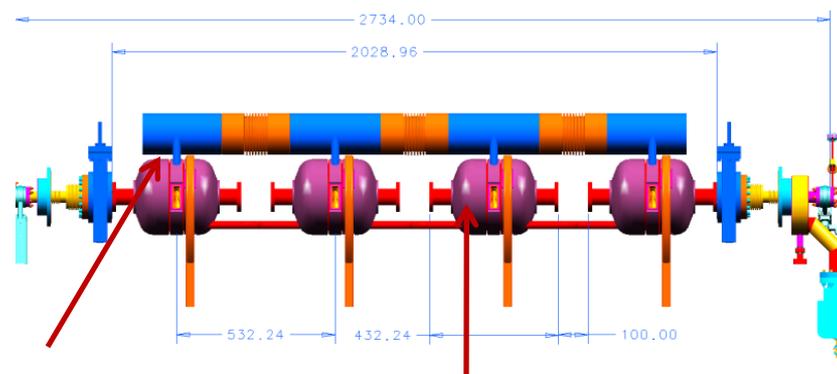
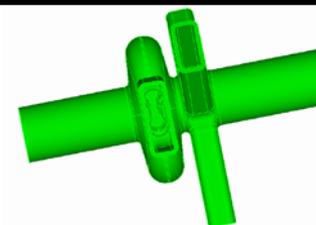
Nitronic rods for fixed "X" direction

High precision actuators each end of cavity for vertical "Y" motion (1mm)

Mark I ("baseline")



Mark II ("alternate")



Helium vessel riser will be sized for heat load

Helium volume 9.4 L

SPX Technical Components (2)

- A cryoplant for 2.0K operation

Quantity	Value
Refrigeration @ 2.0K (4 MV)	320 W with 100% capacity margin
Refrigeration @ 5-8 K for dist.& intercepts	500 W
LN2 is planned for 80K shield cooling	4 kW



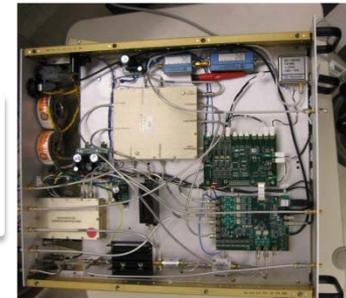
Example: ELBE Cryoplant
220 W@ 1.8K + 200 W @80K

- High-power rf system based on 10-kW CW klystrons
 - One klystron per cavity
- Low-level rf system capable of delivering required amplitude and phase stability
 - Primarily regulate the amplitude and phase of the SPX deflecting cavity fields
 - Engineering and production of LLRF system for 8 cavity installation

■ Diagnostics

- Measure beam tilt inside and outside SPX zone
- Measure beam arrival time with respect to a phase reference and provide this information to low-level rf controls.
- Cerenkov detectors/loss monitors to protect cavities

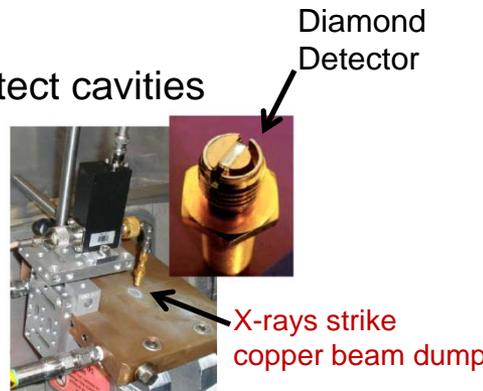
LLRF4 based Receiver/Controller Chassis



X-ray detector is the key to Beam Arrival Time array tilt monitor

Need fast (sub-ns rise time, low-intensity dependence – Diamond a good candidate

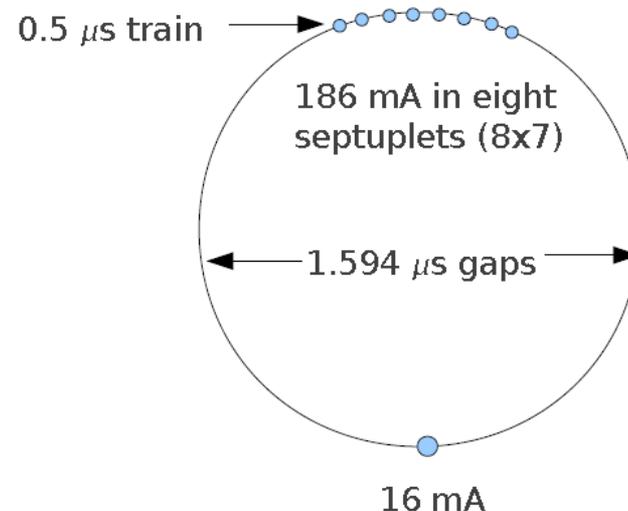
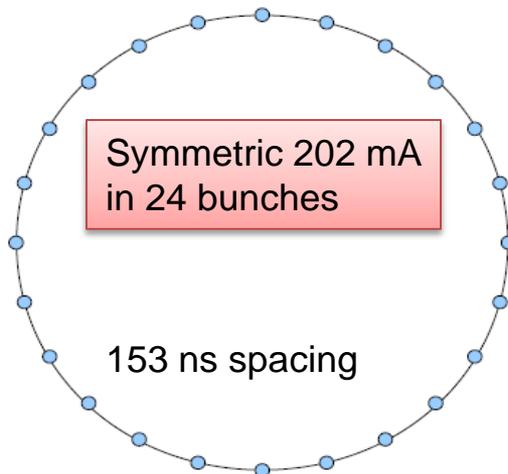
**Initial test with polycrystalline diamond detector
- rise time ~160 ps**



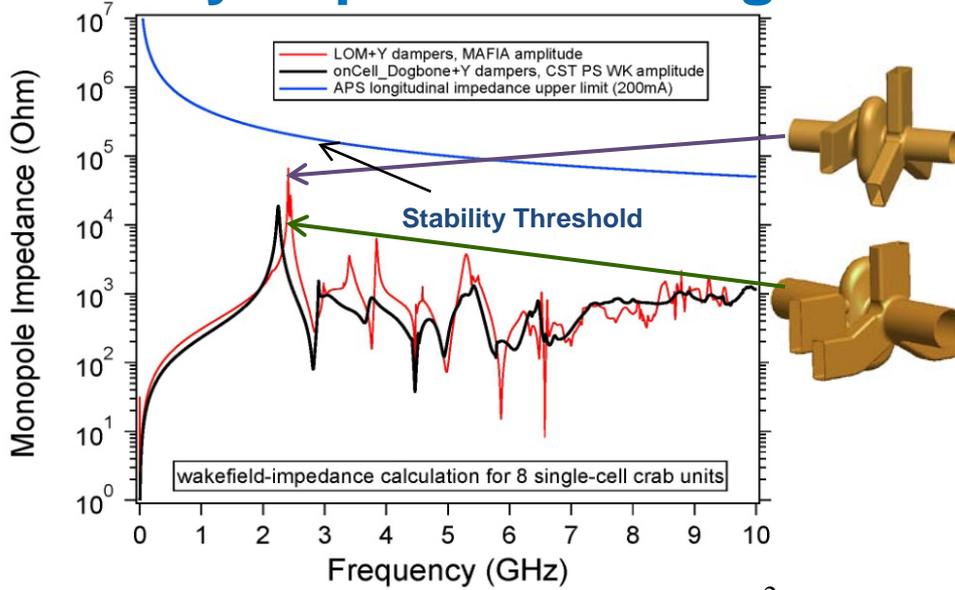
Single-Bunch and Multi-Bunch Stability Result¹

- SPX system in 24-singlets (4 mA per bunch) does not degrade the performance of single particle dynamics.
- Q's of longitudinal and transverse planes are very low (20 -800)
- Based on current operations coherent damping is applicable here
- Transverse plane would be stable in baseline number of cavities (8)
- Recent work demonstrates the possibility of “adjusting” hybrid pattern to reduce the worst-case growth rate

Plane	Growth Rate	Damping Rate		Comment
		Synchrotron Radiation	Coherent	
Longitudinal	30 s^{-1}	208 s^{-1}	Not applicable	Stable
Horizontal	180 s^{-1}	104 s^{-1}	$>600 \text{ s}^{-1}$	Stable
Vertical	125 s^{-1}	104 s^{-1}	$>600 \text{ s}^{-1}$	Stable



Cavity Impedance Budget



Monopole Stability Threshold:

$$R_s * f_p < 0.5 M\Omega - GHz$$

$$R_s = \frac{V^2}{2P_l}$$

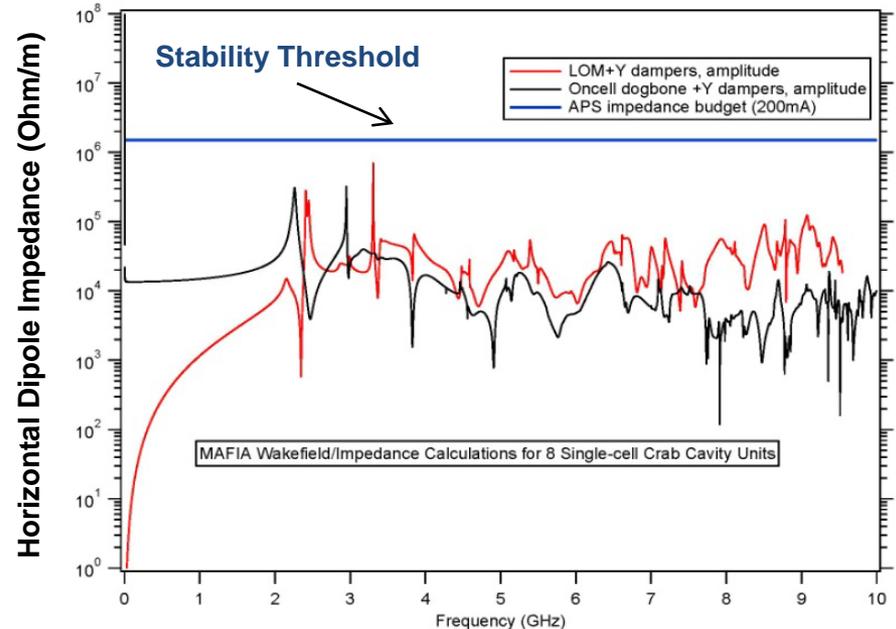
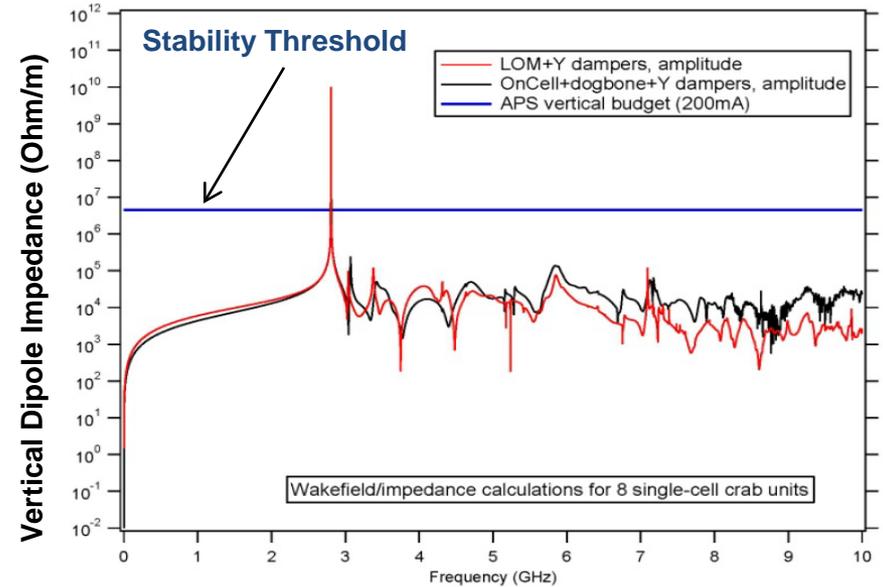
$$R_t = \frac{V^2}{2P_l k r_0^2} \Big|_{r=r_0}$$

Dipole Stability Threshold:

$$R_t < 1.5 M\Omega / m \quad \text{Horizontal dipole}$$

$$R_t < 4.5 M\Omega / m \quad \text{Vertical dipole}$$

Cavity to cavity coupling will be tuned to meet stability specification for a single horizontal dipole mode.



Tolerances from Beam Dynamics Simulations¹

Parameter	Baseline	Future Goal
Common mode amplitude variation ¹	<1%	<1%
Common mode phase variation ²	<4.8 deg	<4.8 deg
Voltage amplitude mismatch between cavities ³	<0.8%	<0.4%
Voltage phase mismatch error between cavities ⁴	<0.14 deg	<0.07 deg

¹ Keep intensity and pulse length variation under 1% rms.

² Keep intensity variation under 1% rms.

³ Keep rms emittance variation outside SPX region under 10% of nominal 35 pm.

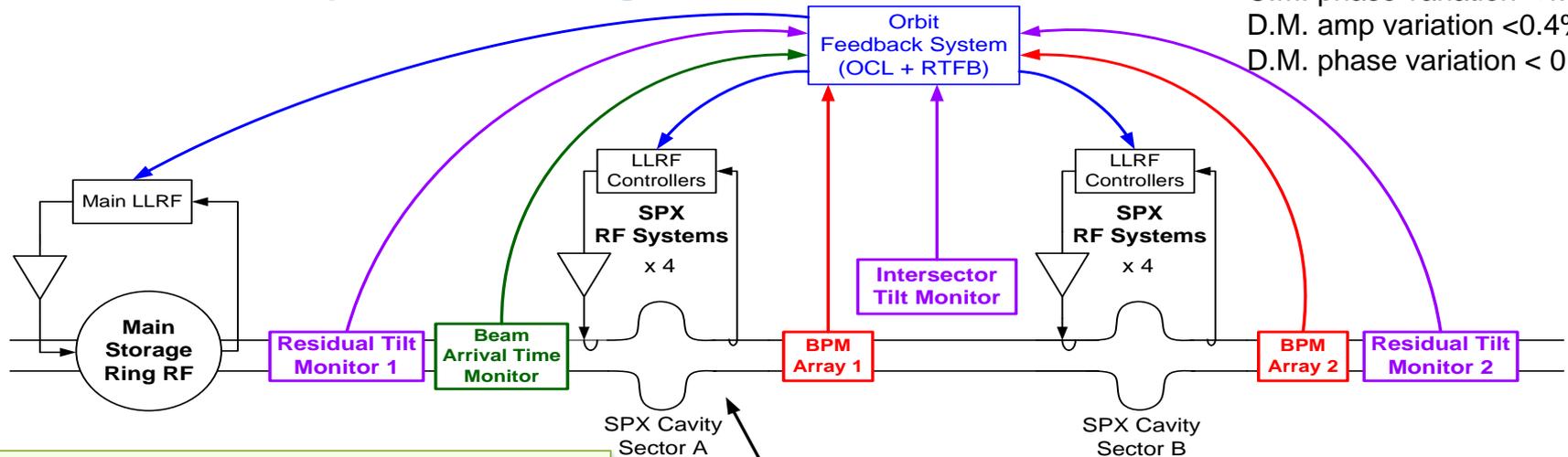
⁴ Keep rms beam motion outside of SPX region under 10% of beam size/divergence.

¹ V. Sajaev, M. Borland, L. Emery, A. Nassiri
SPX Physics Requirements Documents



Conceptual System Design Approach

C.M. amp variation <1%
 C.M. phase variation <4.8 deg
 D.M. amp variation <0.4%
 D.M. phase variation < 0.07 deg



BPM Array 1: controls phase of Sector A
Intersector Tilt Monitor: controls amp of Sector A
BAT Monitor: controls phase of Storage ring RF

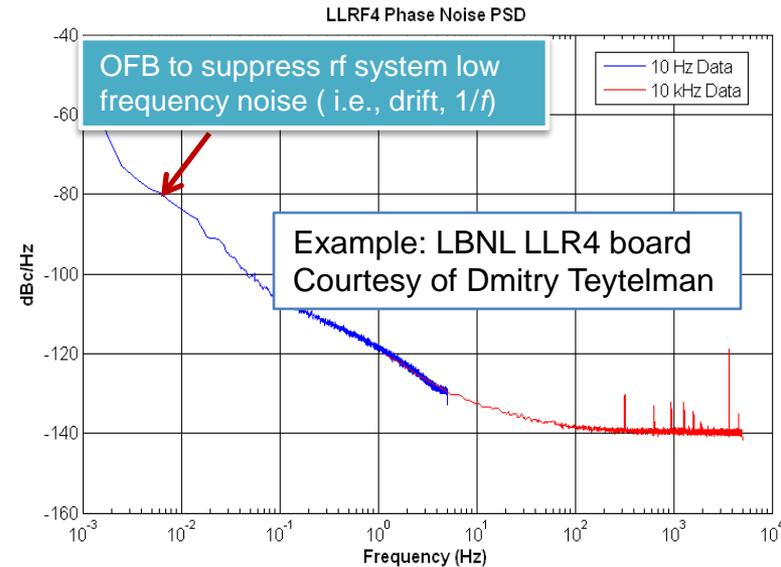
BPM Array 2: controls phase of Sector B
Residual Tilt Monitors: control amp of Sector B

Common Mode Strategy

- Main RF used to lock beam to MO via Beam Arrival Time diagnostic
- **BPM Array 1** corrects for common mode phase error < 100 Hz
- **Deflected Tilt Monitor** corrects for common mode amp error < 100 Hz
- SPX RF system responsible for noise spectrum > 10Hz

Differential Mode Strategy

- **Orbit Feedback (BPM Array 2)** controls differential phase error < 100 Hz
- **Residual Tilt Monitors** control differential amp error < 100 Hz
- SPX RF system responsible for noise spectrum > 10Hz



R&D Status

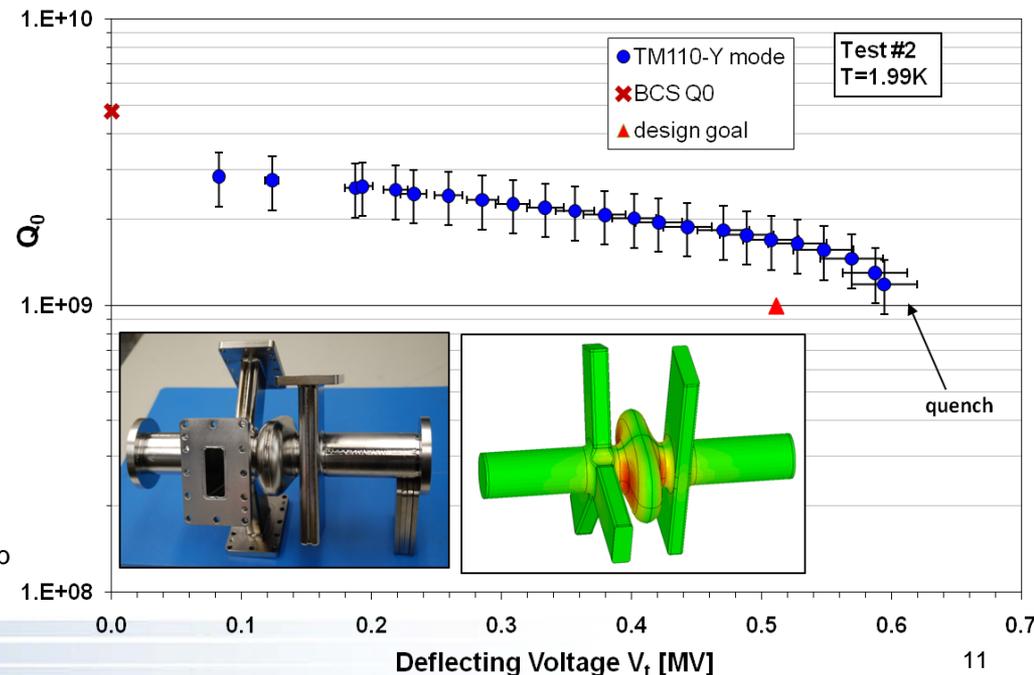
- Baseline cavity tests performed at JLab. It meets rf performance with 10% safety margin on deflecting voltage.

Contributed talk, **WEOBS13**, H. Wang

- Fabrication of the “alternate” cavity is underway at JLab.
- Design of a cryomodule and ancillary components including dampers, tuner, precision alignment system have started.
- Collaborative work with LBNL on the development of low-level rf controllers and precision timing and synchronization system have started.

Plot courtesy of H. Wang, JLab

- On-going effort on lattice development, beam dynamics, collective effects
- Installation in ring of a 2-cavity cryomodule is planned for a single sector test.
 - Address risks that cannot be addressed by off-line experiments
 - Chirp is sufficiently well-defined to allow proof-of- concept for x-ray pulse length reduction.



Summary

- Short x-ray pulse generation using SC rf deflecting cavities gives much higher average flux compared to other schemes:
 - Laser slicing
 - Low- α operation
 - RF phase modulation
 - Harmonic cavity
- SPX should provide ~ 2 ps FWHM or less x-ray pulses to
 - 3 insertion devices and 2 bending magnets beam lines
- Single-sector test should allow us to have an early look at chirped x-rays and address additional risks.
- R&D tasks are progressing well.
- Collaboration with JLab and LBNL is off to a great start.
- We are very excited and looking forward to proof-of-concept demonstration in 2013.

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