

# Top-off Upgrade: What and Why

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# Outline

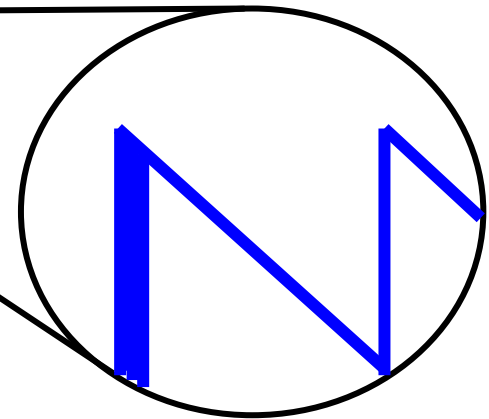
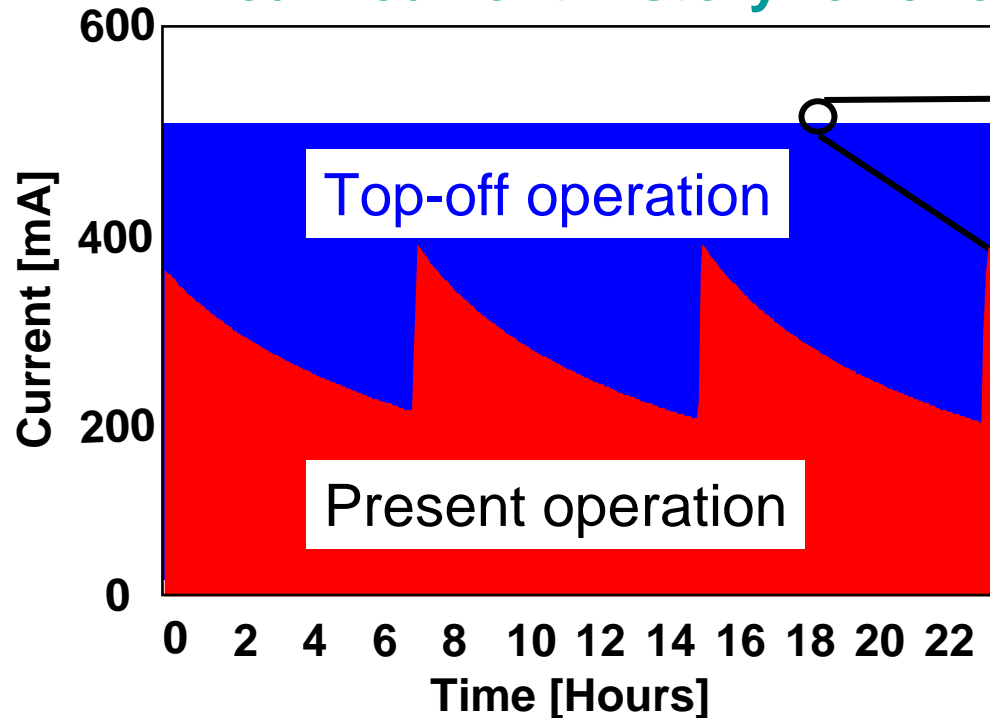
- **Top-off**
  - Why
  - What needs to be done: Overview
  - Project Management Structure
  - Status
- **Technical System**
  - System by system listing what we plan to do (already did) and short motivation why
- **Schedule/Future Plans**
  - Fall shutdown
  - Next year



# What is Top-off operation of the ALS?

*Top-off operation is quasi-continuous injection into the storage ring*

Beam current history for one day



Choice of 500 mA requires minimum upgrades to beamlines and storage ring



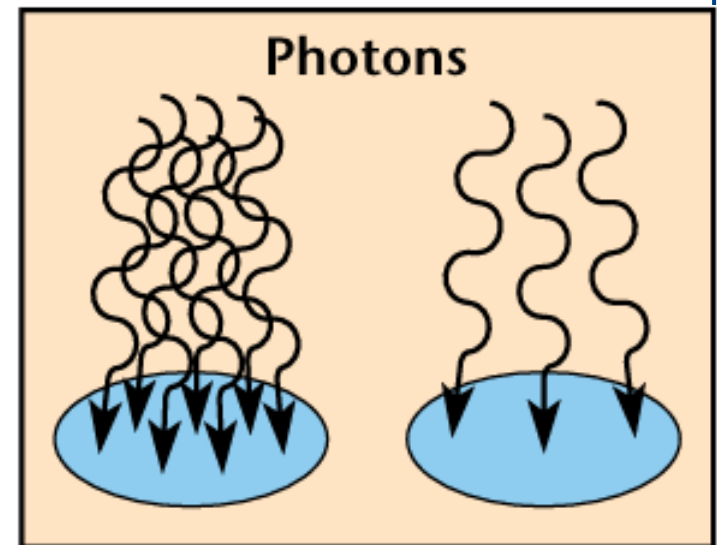
# Motivations for Top-off

- **Increased Brightness**
  - 2x higher time average current
  - Smaller vertical emittance (0.25x)
  - Smaller undulator gaps
    - First two changes would result in unacceptably short lifetimes without top-off
- **Better (thermal) stability**
  - Accelerator (thermal)
  - Beam diagnostics (current dependence)
  - Beamline optics (especially bend magnet/wiggler beamlines, but also undulators)



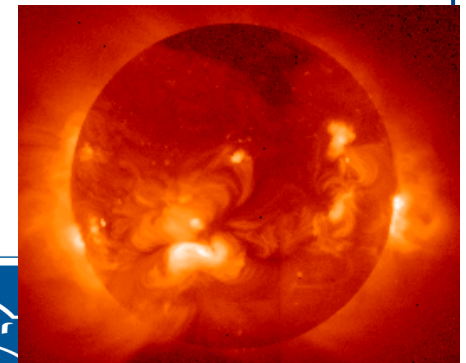
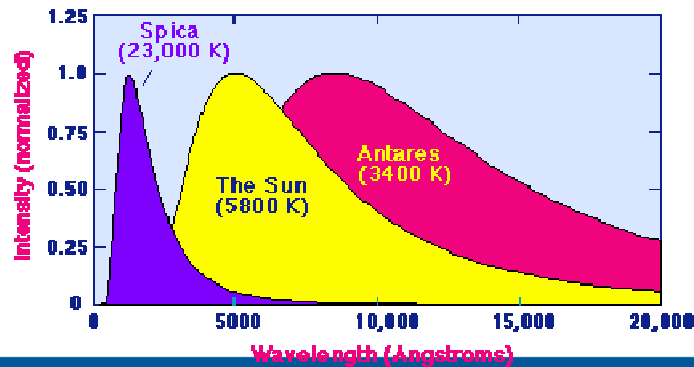
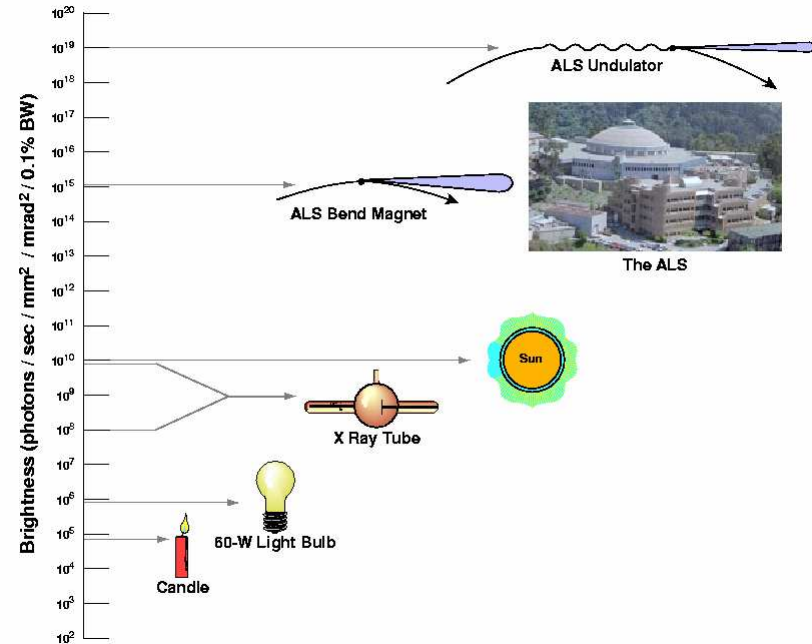
# What is Brightness ?

- The brightness of light is defined as the number of photons emitted (within some bandwidth) normalized by the emission area and the emission solid angle  
⇒ the smaller the source and the more parallel the beam, the higher the brightness
- Total radiated power of the Sun is a thousand \* a billion \* a billion times greater than the ALS, but the radius of the Sun is about 100 times bigger than earth, whereas the ALS beam is about as small as a hair (100  $\mu\text{m}$ ) and the emission solid angle of the sun is  $4\pi$  (about 13  $\text{rad}^2$ ) compared to a hundredth of a millionth  $\text{rad}^2$  for the ALS (area\*solid angle factor is about  $10^{35}$ !!!)

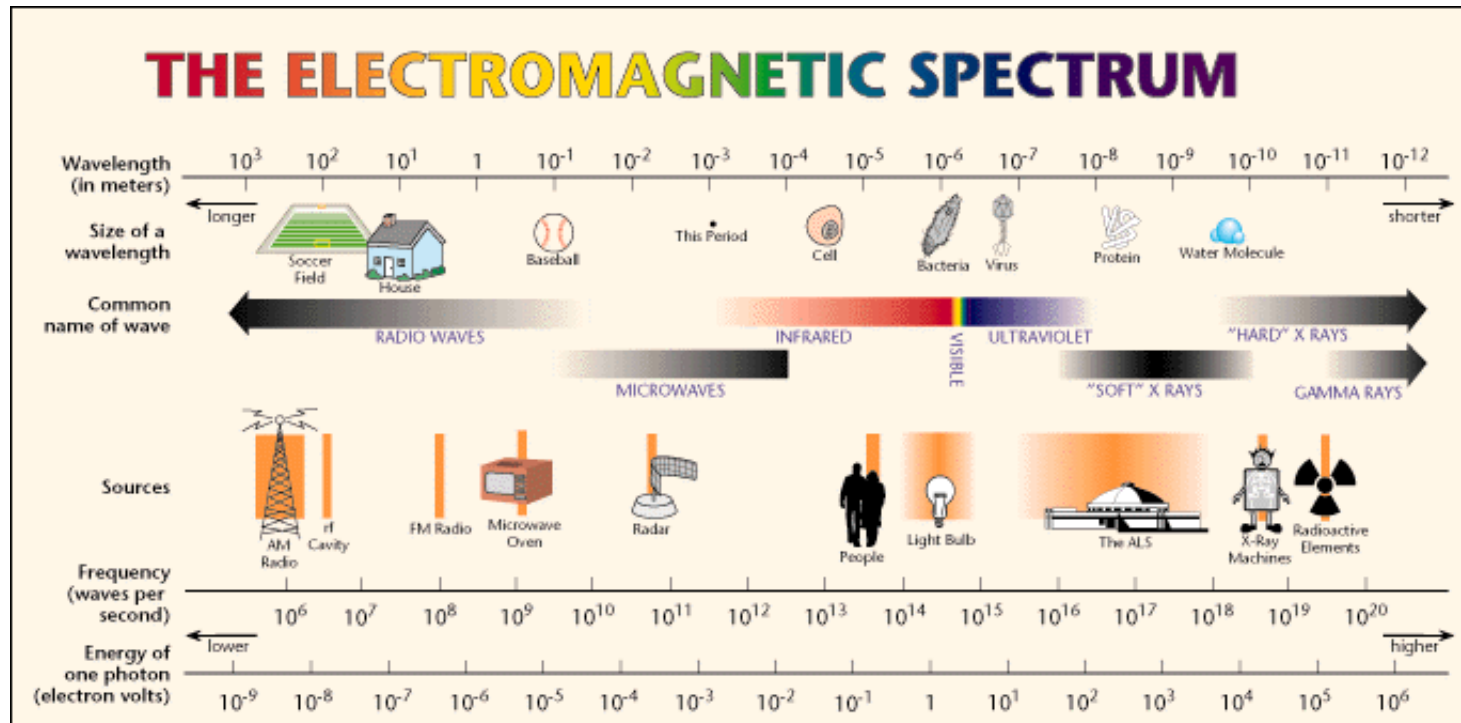


# Comparing the Sun and the ALS further

- ALS (and other synchrotron light sources worldwide) are much brighter than the Sun
- Spectrum of the Sun: 'black body radiation' given by surface temperature (5800 K) + absorption lines + some harder UV and x-rays (mostly absorbed in atmosphere)
- ALS covers broad spectrum, peak in VUV and soft x-ray (all electromagnetic radiation is called light by physicists, not just the visible light) → undulators



# Why Experiments Require High Brightness?

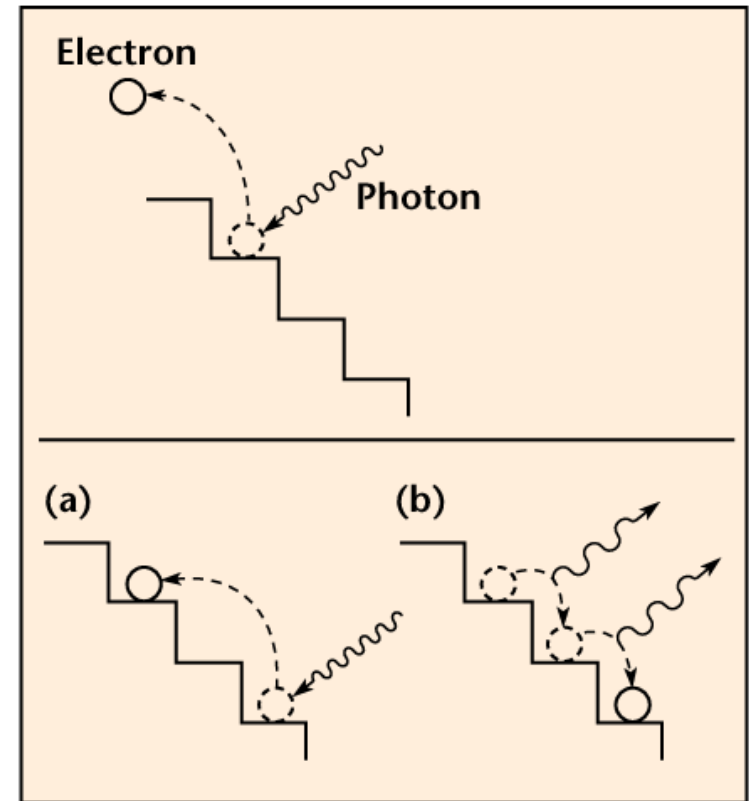
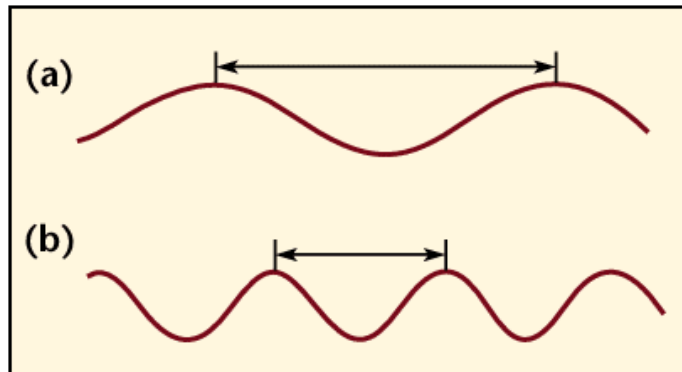


- Samples studied at the ALS are small (protein crystals, cells, structures on computer hard disk surfaces, atomic beams, ...); detectors have limited acceptance; smaller beams enable higher precision experiments; coherence; ...
- Wavelength and energy of ALS light suited for wide range of systems and structures



# Why do we use soft x-rays for experiments?

- **Three main reasons:**
  - Wavelength of light has to be of the order of objects to study (distance of atoms, molecules,...) → ALS covers about 0.1 nm to several  $\mu\text{m}$
  - Probing the electronic structure requires the right energy
  - X-rays can penetrate matter, can probe surface as well as bulk



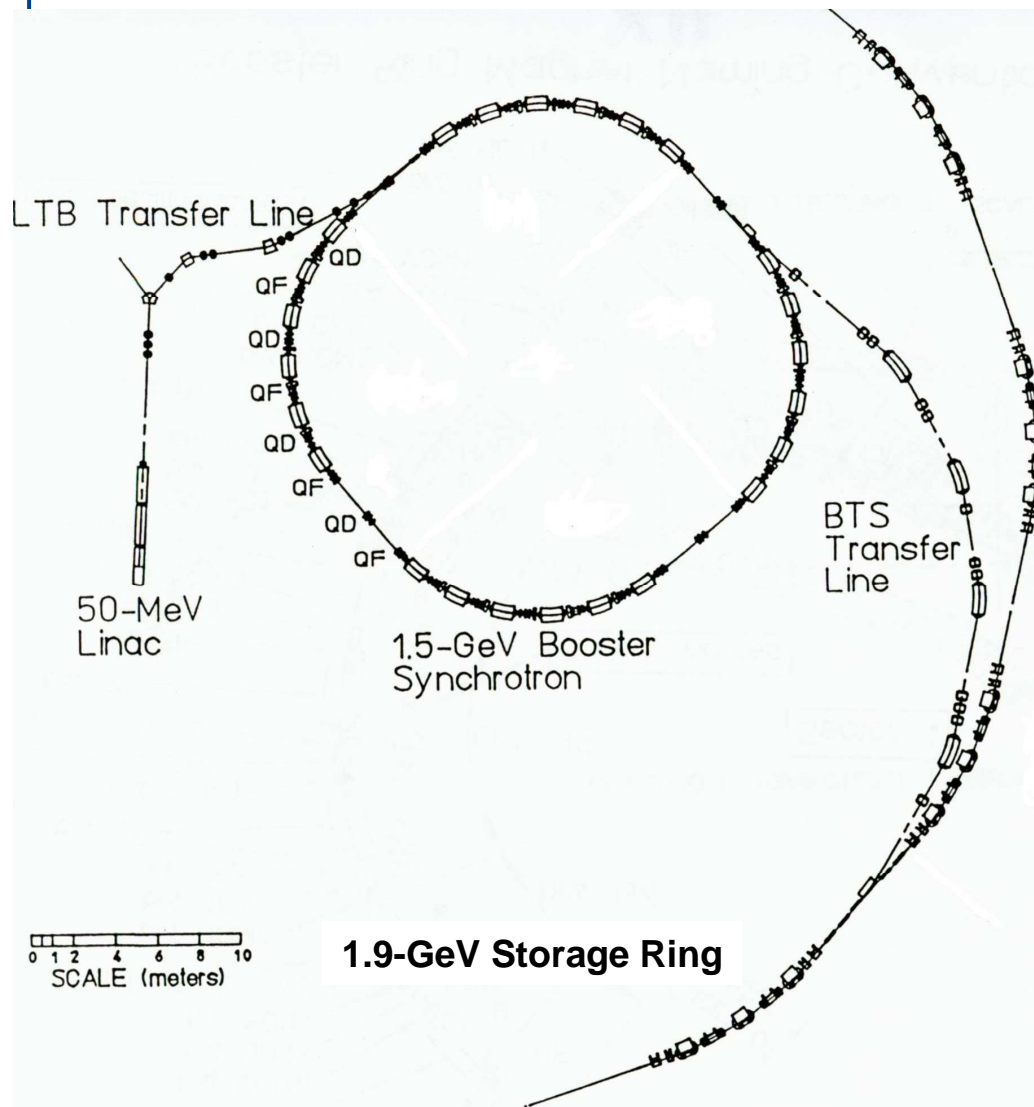


# (Reduced) Scope of the Top-off Upgrade

- Upgrade injector to enable full energy injection
- Improve diagnostics and other existing systems where necessary for reliability
- Upgrade radiation safety system to allow injection with shutters open
- Minimize injection transients to reasonable levels and provide a gating signal
- Migrate to higher current and smaller vertical beamsizes
- Transition to Top-off with minimal negative impact to users
- **Delayed/dropped bunch cleaning in booster**



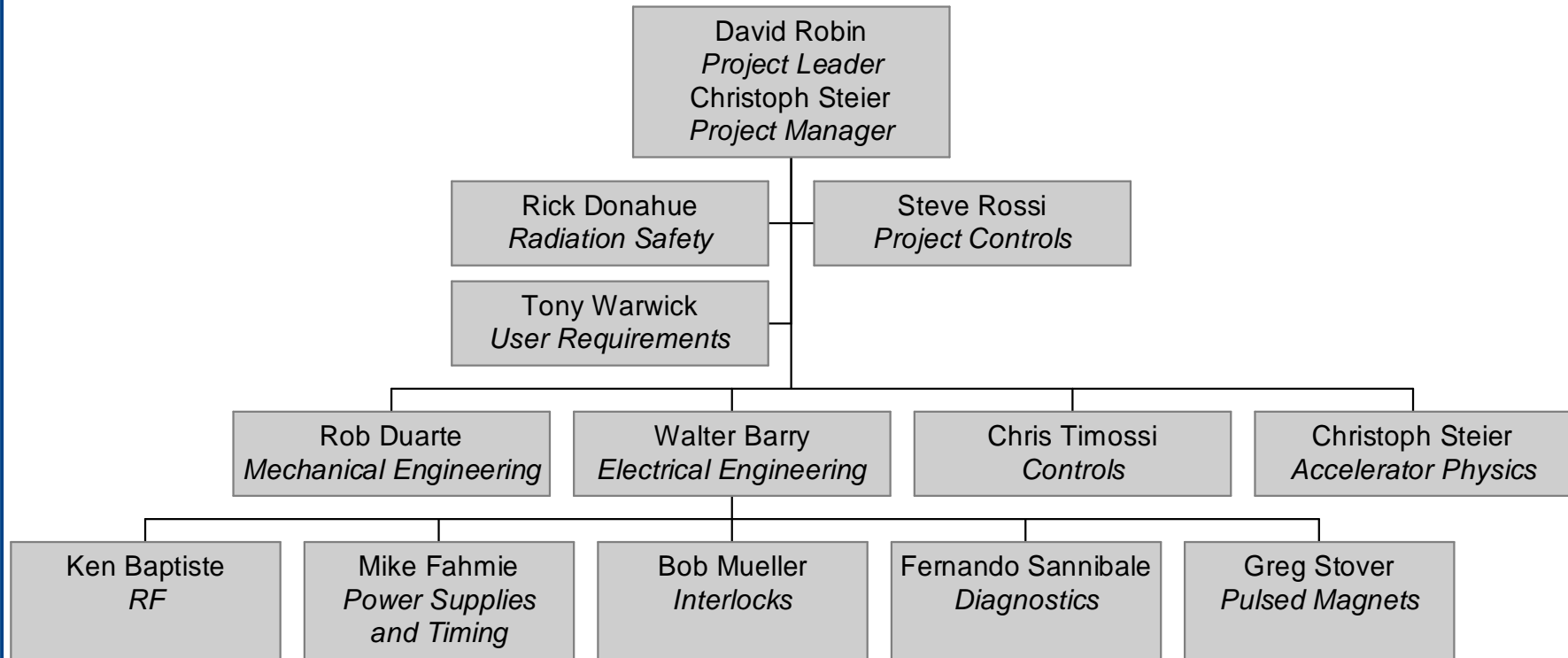
# Upgrade injector for full energy injection



- New booster+BTS DC Power Supplies and Controls
- Upgrade of the booster RF system (e.g. power)
- Modifications of the Pulsed Magnets and Supplies
- Timing System, Controls, Diagnostics
- User Gating Signal
- Radiation Interlocks, Collimators, ...

# Organization Chart

ALS top-off upgrade



# Status of Top-off Project

- Conceptual Design Review of the Project in November 2004, CDR in December 2004
- Received funding in March 2005
- Testing of Pulsed Magnet Systems 2005/2006
- Finished Design work on major systems 2006
- Long Lead Items ordered, several delivered
- Radiation Safety Studies/System Design
- In house fabrication of smaller systems 2006



# Work breakdown structure (level 3)

## 1.1 Project Management

## 1.2 Top Off Documentation

1.2.1 User Requirements

1.2.2 Specification

1.2.3 CDR

## 1.3 Linac

1.3.1 EDI

1.3.2 Beam Loading Compensation

1.3.3 Diagnostics

## 1.4 Booster

1.4.1 Power Supplies

1.4.2 Thin Septum Magnet

1.4.3 Thick Septum Magnet

1.4.4 Kicker Magnet

1.4.5 RF

1.4.6 Diagnostics

1.4.7 Bump Magnets

## 1.5 BTS

1.5.1 EDI

1.5.2 Diagnostics

1.5.3 Beam Stopper for Injection Tune-Up

1.5.4 B1-B4 bend power supplies

## 1.6 Storage Ring

1.6.1 Bump Magnets

1.6.2 Thin Septum Magnet

1.6.3 Thick Septum Magnet

1.6.4 Radiation Protection

1.6.6 Diagnostics

## 1.7 Controls and Timing

1.7.1 User Gating Signal

1.7.2 Linac and Booster Timing

1.7.3 Controls

1.7.4 RF Controls

## 1.8 Commissioning

1.8.1 Pre-commissioning

1.8.2 Commissioning/Startup

# Where can you look up infos?

- [http://als.lbl.gov/als\\_physics/csteier/top\\_off/](http://als.lbl.gov/als_physics/csteier/top_off/)
  - Cost estimate is detailed and includes all work
  - CDR gives overview of the project, motivation, ...
  - Monthly progress reports tell about where we are and what problems we face
  - Schedule (not quite up to date)
  - Risk analysis (not quite up to date)
  - Change order log
  - ...



# Project Management, ...

- I will not talk about project management part – I am still learning on the job ... 😊
- If you have any questions, concerns, suggestions, all of us always have an open ear
- **Scope of Documentation and LINAC upgrades turned out to be minimal – will not cover either (at the moment nothing remains to be done)**



# Booster

- **All magnets turned out to be sufficient for higher energy**
- **Power supplies are not!**
  - New Bend Magnet Supply
  - New QF+QD supplies
  - Sextupole power supplies turned out to be sufficient!
  - New controls for all supplies (including sextupoles and correctors) -> Controls section
    - Replace multiplying DACs
  - New timing system
- **New RF transmitter, HVPS, cavity window, waveguides, ...**
- **Pulsed Magnets**
  - Charging supplies, pulsers, cooling
- **Tune Measurement System**



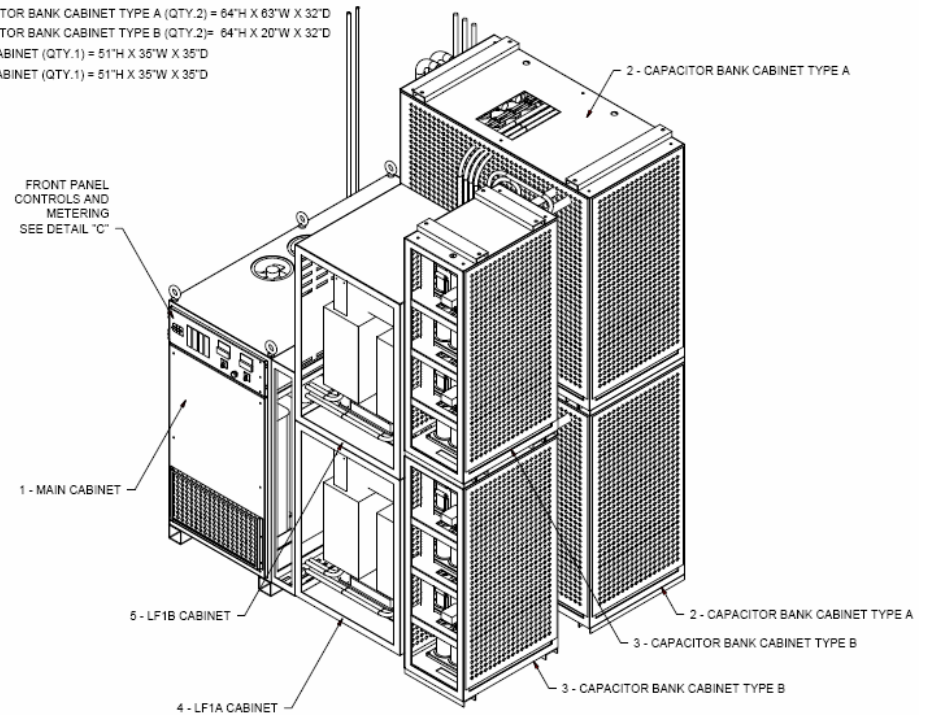


# Power Supplies

- Bend, QF, QD manufactured by IE Power
- Bend with capacitor bank
- All with switch mode technology
- Analog input is only backup, primary control is fully digital

## ENCLOSURE DIMENSIONS

- 1 - MAIN CABINET (QTY.1) = 66"H X 35"W X 76"D
- 2 - CAPACITOR BANK CABINET TYPE A (QTY.2) = 64"H X 63"W X 32"D
- 3 - CAPACITOR BANK CABINET TYPE B (QTY.2) = 64"H X 20"W X 32"D
- 4 - LF1A CABINET (QTY.1) = 51"H X 35"W X 35"D
- 5 - LF1B CABINET (QTY.1) = 51"H X 35"W X 35"D



# New Booster RF system

- New transmitter is IOT based
- Delivered last week – test installation under way

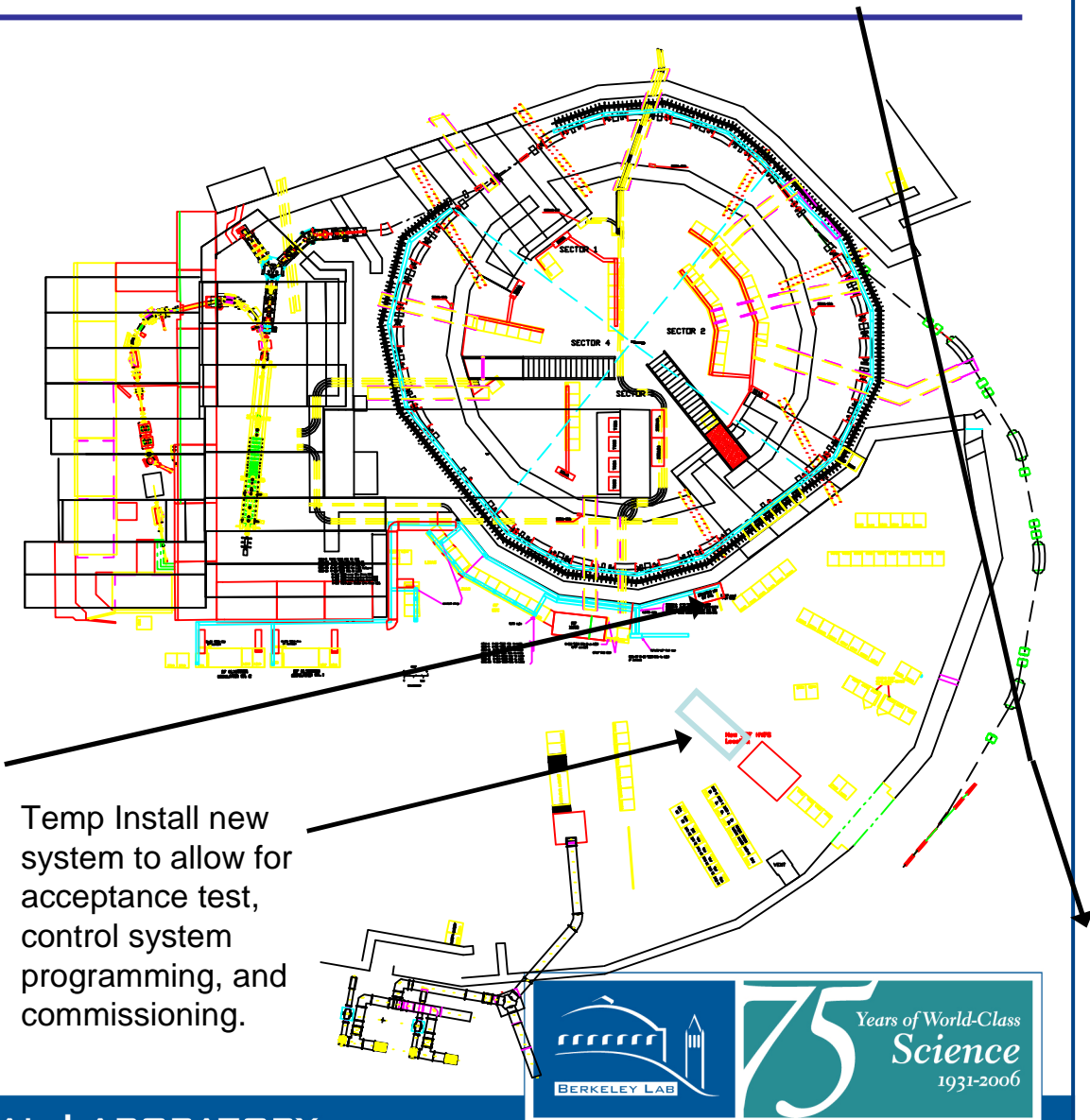


# HVPS Location

## New HVPS Location

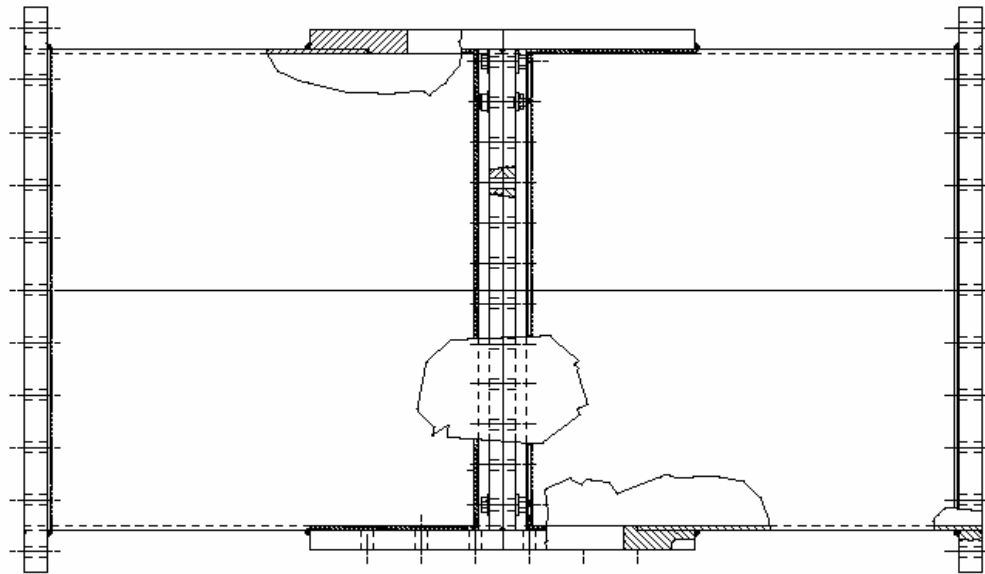


Existing HVPS Location



Temp Install new system to allow for acceptance test, control system programming, and commissioning.

# RF Cavity Power Coupler Window

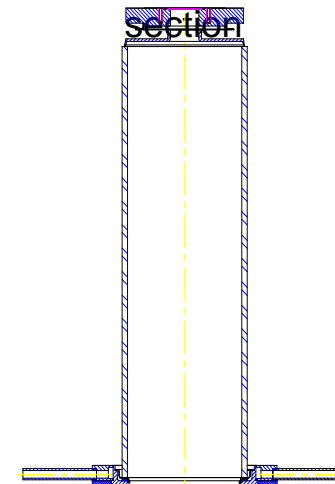


Split WR1800 Waveguide to Cavity Transition

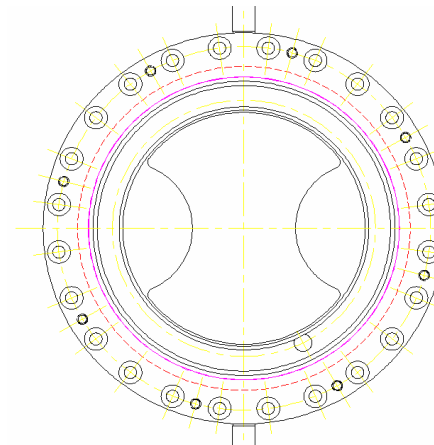
## Current Design:

- 2 in SRRF operating at 43kW CW
- 1 repaired fully tested spare
- Manufacture, TiN coating & test to 66KW CW at LBNL

Window Cross-



section



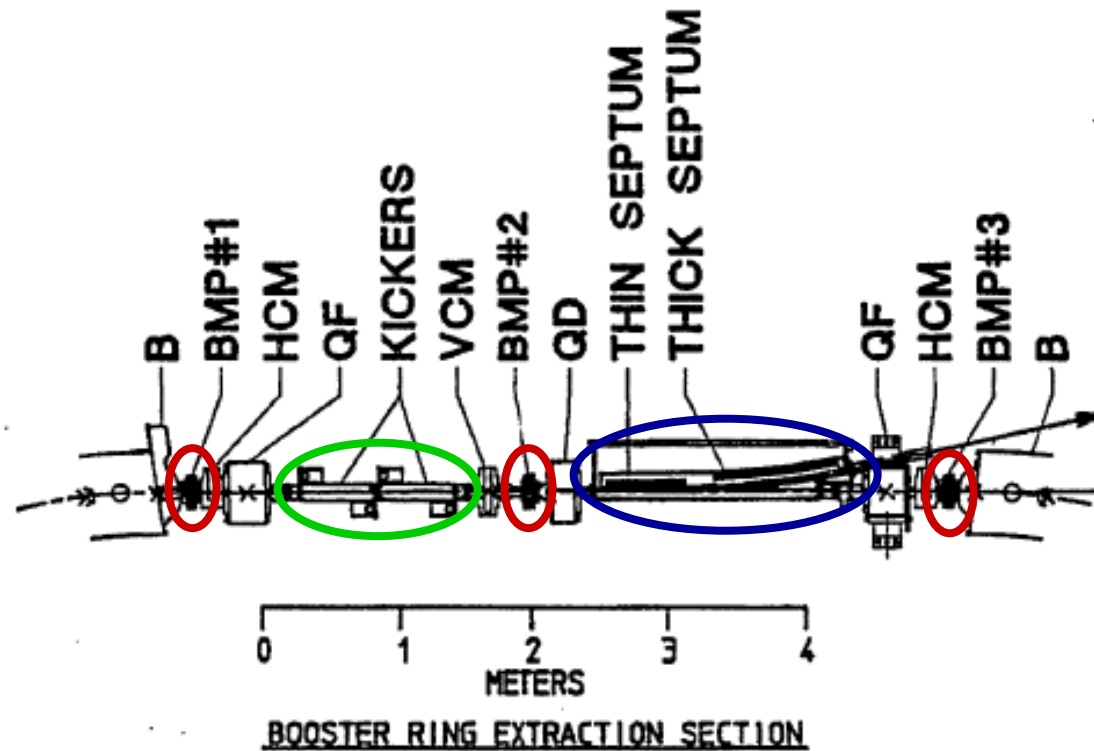
Iris Flange  
Profile  
 $\beta$ : 1 to 3.2

**Manufacture 2 more windows of this type for  
Booster RF**

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## Extraction magnet layout

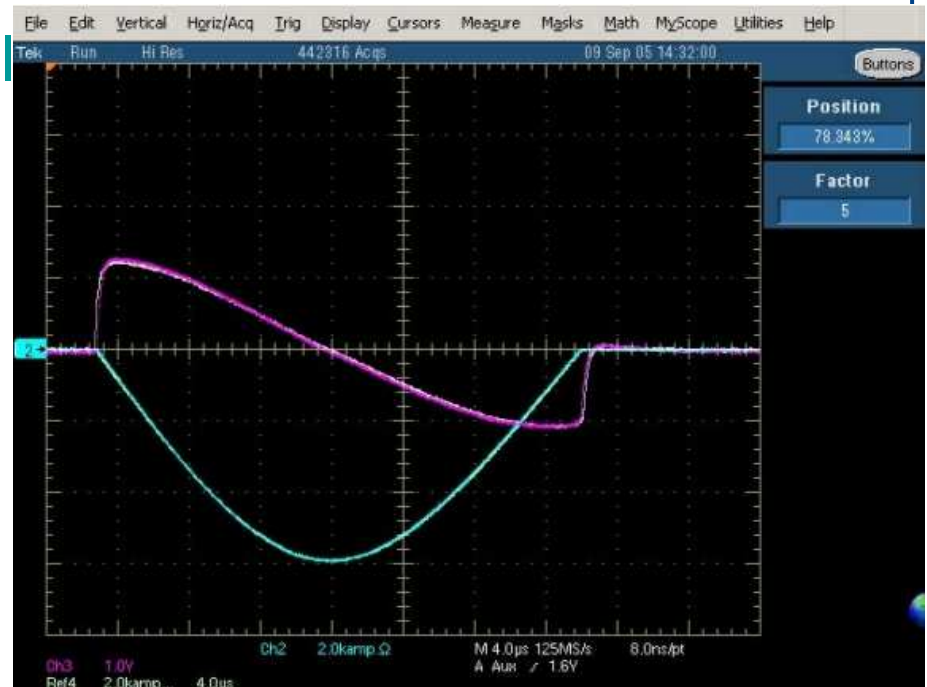


Booster extraction magnets:  
3 booster bumps, 4 booster extraction kickers  
And the 'thin' septum and 'thick' septum



# Tests of the Pulsed Magnet Systems

- Successfully tested each of the Pulsed Magnets at full energy



## Thin Septum Test Setup

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# BTS

- **All magnets turned out to be sufficient for higher energy**
- **Power supplies again are not!**
  - New B1-B4 power supplies
- **New SR monitor diagnostics (off B1)**
- **Two pairs of horizontal collimators (radiation protection)**



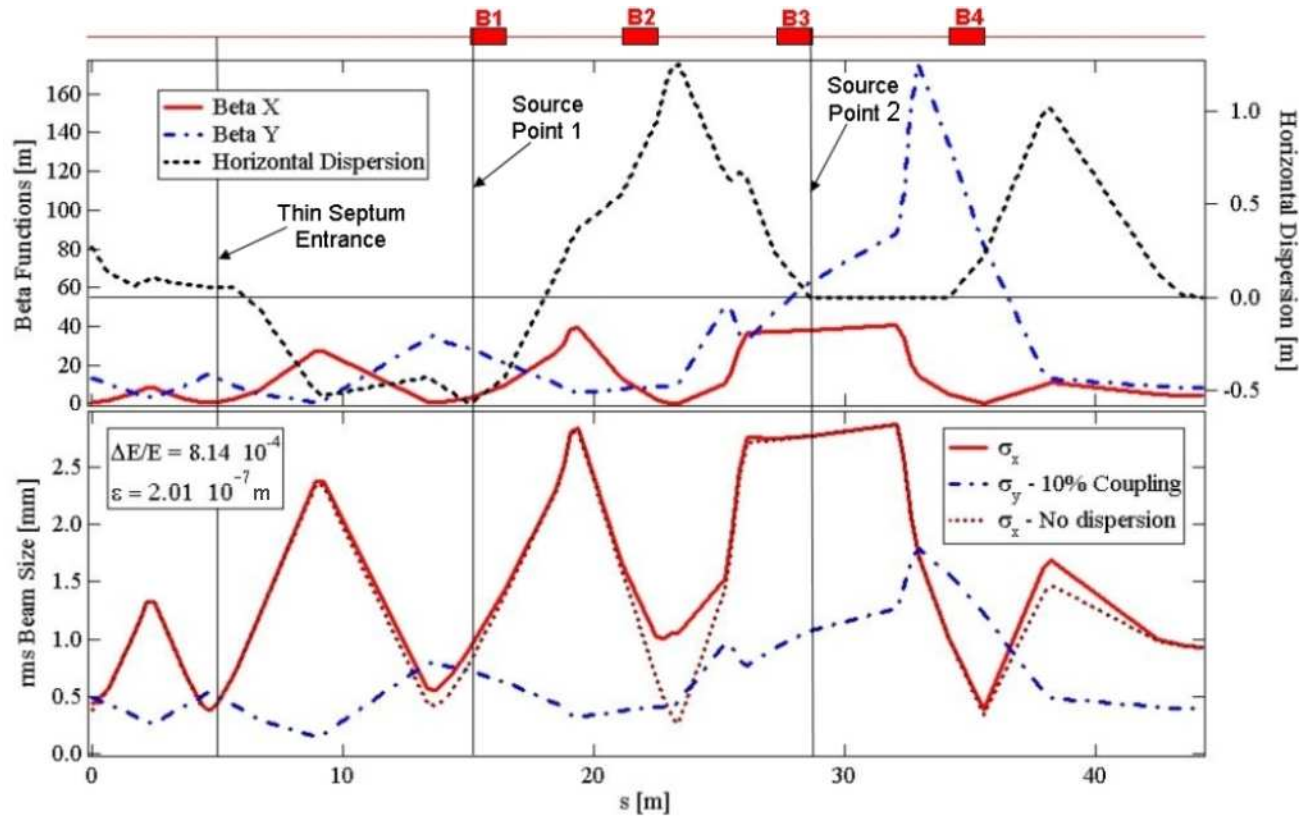
# Power Supplies

- 4 BTS B1-B4 power supplies are build by alpha-scientific
- Conventional SCR technology, similar footprint to existing supplies
- Control however will be digital as well, details are still being worked out





## BTS Synchrotron Radiation Monitors



**Source at B1: “high” dispersion**

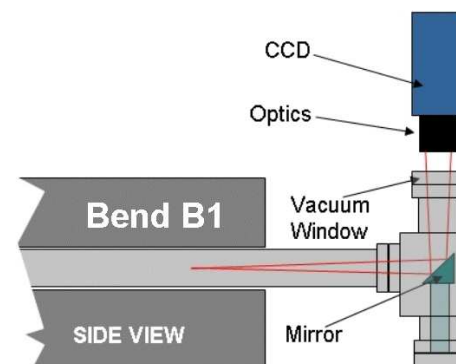
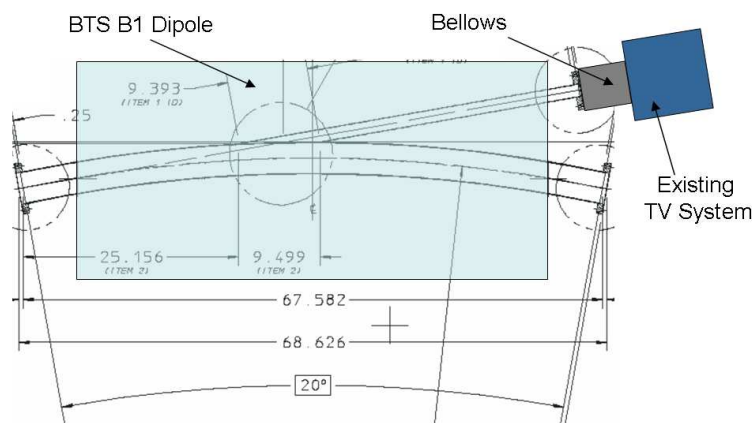
**Source at B3: “zero” dispersion**

**Single glance check of the injector status**

**Both use standard CCDs**



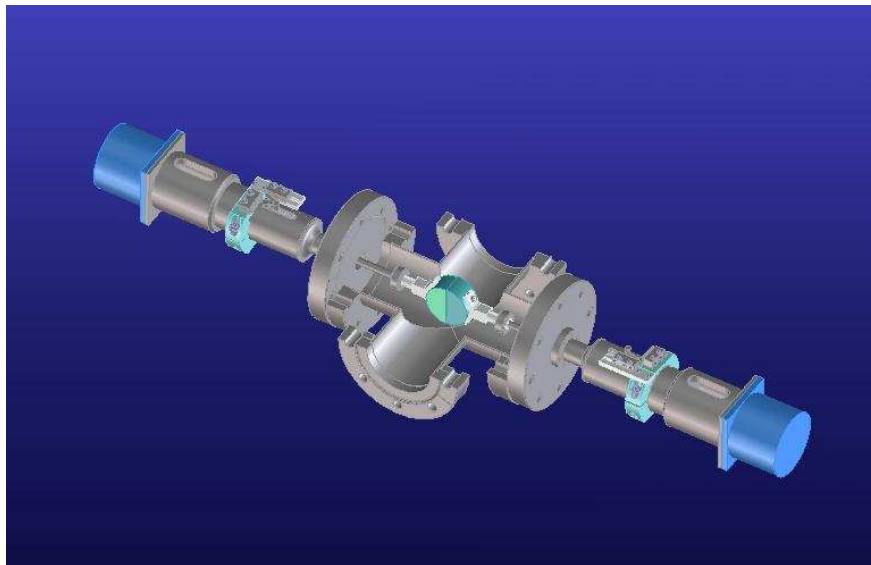
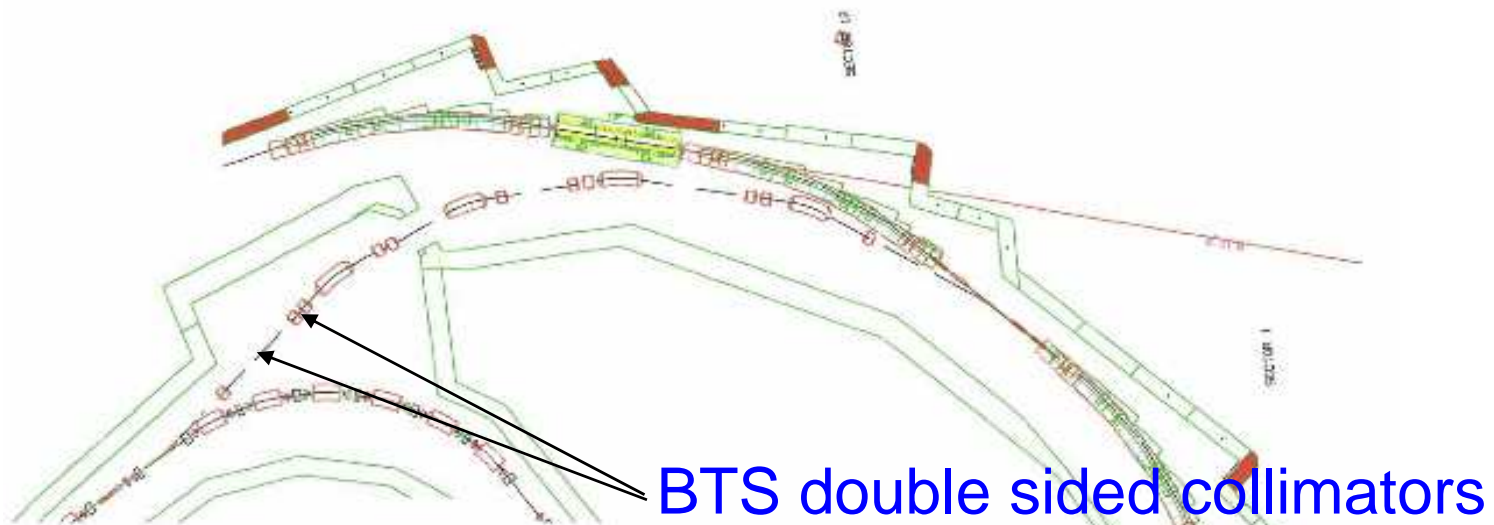
## SRM @ B1 BTS Bending Magnet



Photons per beam passage (between 250 – 700 nm)	$\sim 1.3 \times 10^8$	Horizontal acceptance (total chamber aperture)	$\sim 18$ [mrad]
Energy deposited in the mirror per passage (whole SR spectrum)	$\sim 8.0 \times 10^{-7}$ [J]	Minimum vertical acceptance (total)	10 [mrad]
Bunch charge (1.5 mA in the Storage Ring)	$9.84 \times 10^{-10}$ [C]	Mirror angle	45 [deg]

**Requires replacement of the flag with a mirror.  
Nothing more!**





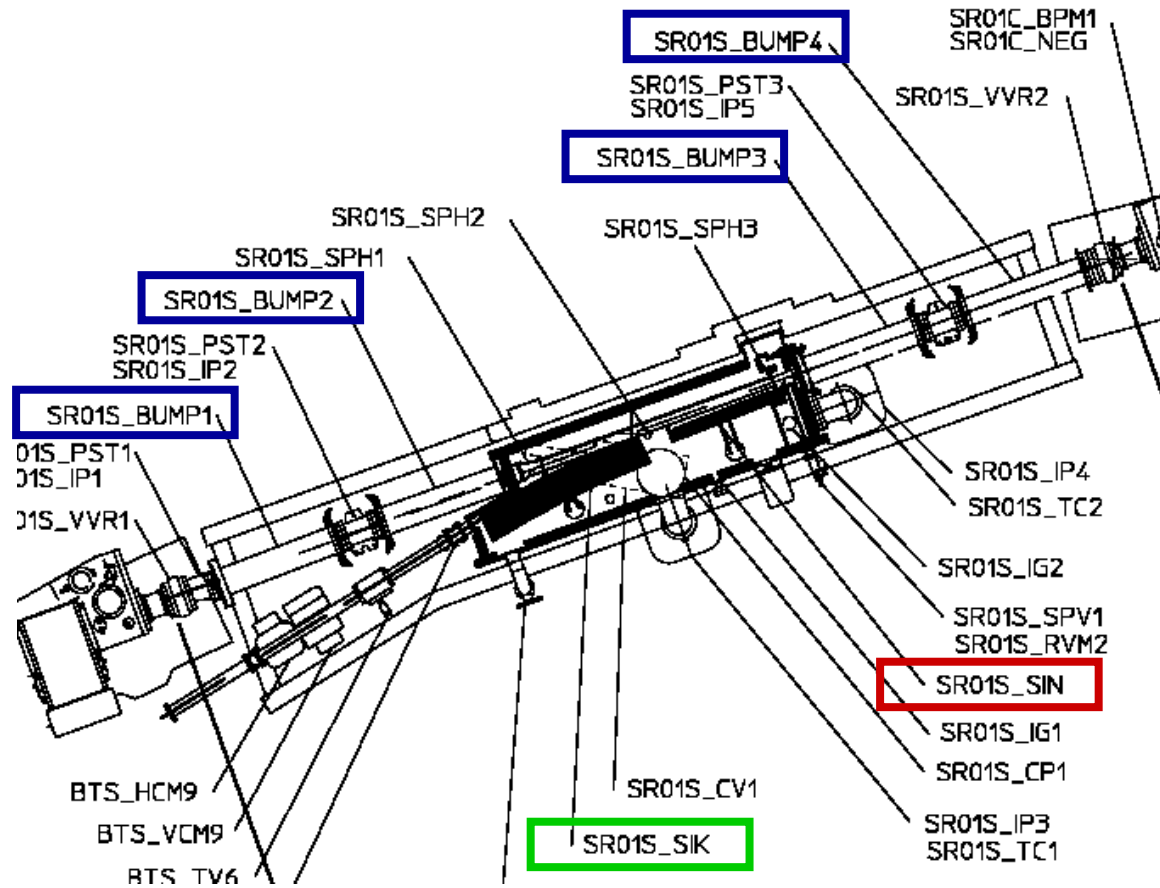
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# Storage Ring

- **Pulsed Magnets**
  - Bumps are OK
  - Septa as in Booster
    - In addition full sine thick septum pulser
- **Radiation Safety**
  - Fill interlock
  - Beamline Radiation Monitor Interlocks
  - Energy Matching
  - Jackson Hole Scrapers
- **Bunch Cleaning**
- **Fill structure monitor**



# Injection magnets layout



# Upgrading our Radiation Protection Systems

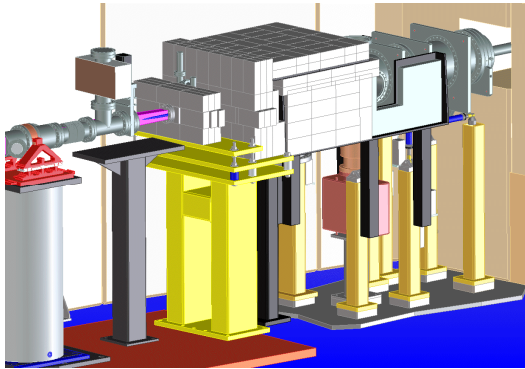
## Changes in operation after Top-Off

- Injection with the personnel safety shutters open
- Higher stored beam losses
- Injection with undulators closed

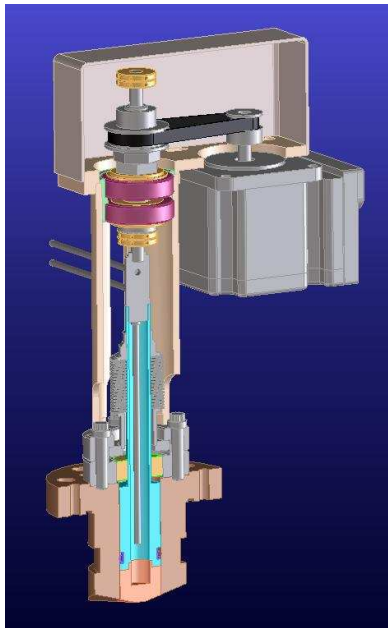
The radiation protection systems (interlocks, collimation, local shielding) will be upgraded to ensure safe operation with Top-off



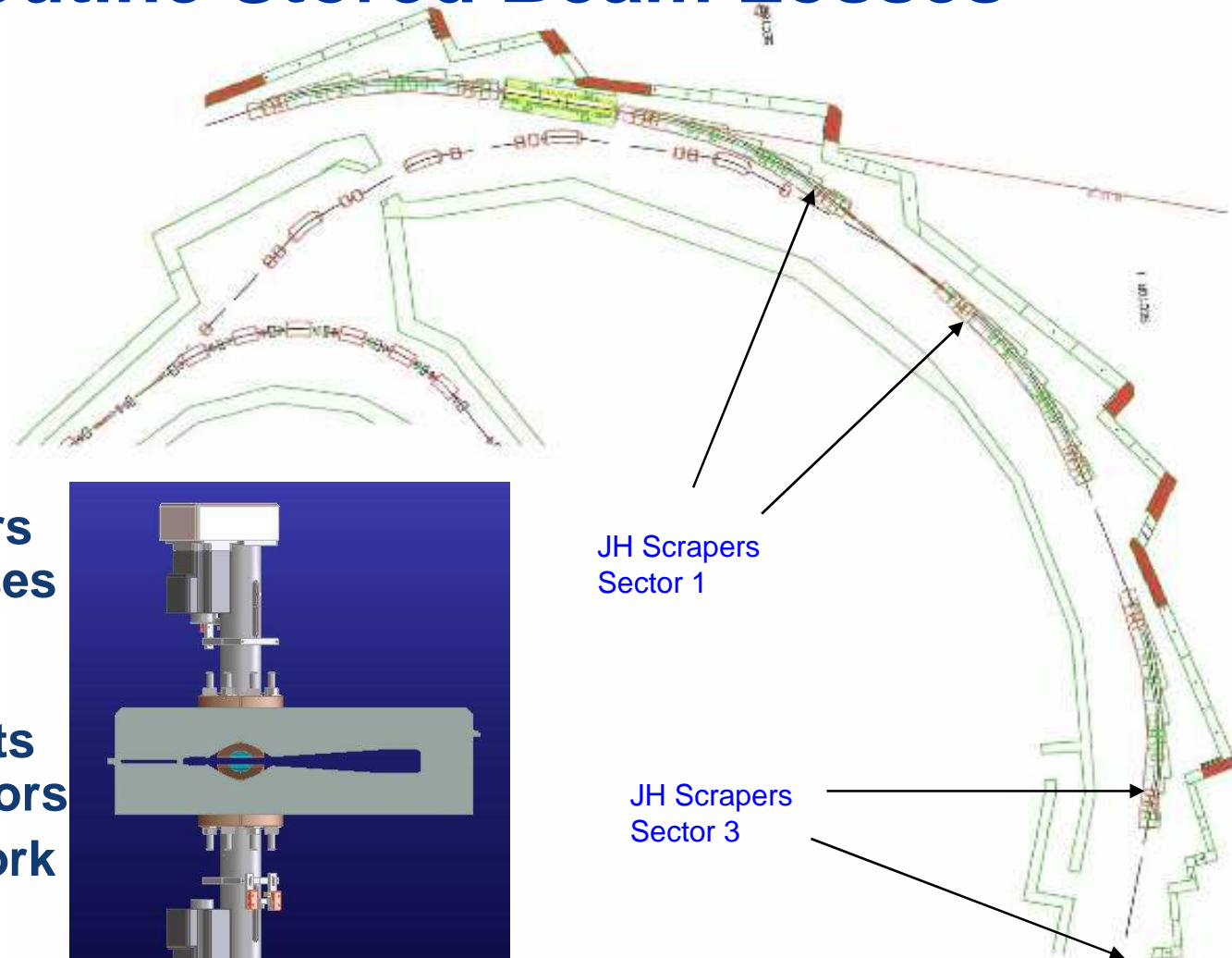
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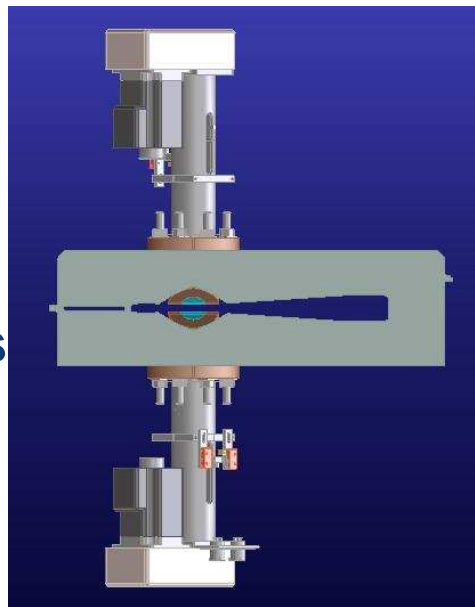
- Extensive testing on beamline 4.0  
(already tested 1.5 GeV top-off with beamline 4.0 open)
- Working closely with DOE
- (External) Review in Winter 06/07
- ALS Safety Analysis Document (SAD) will be modified



# Routine Stored Beam Losses

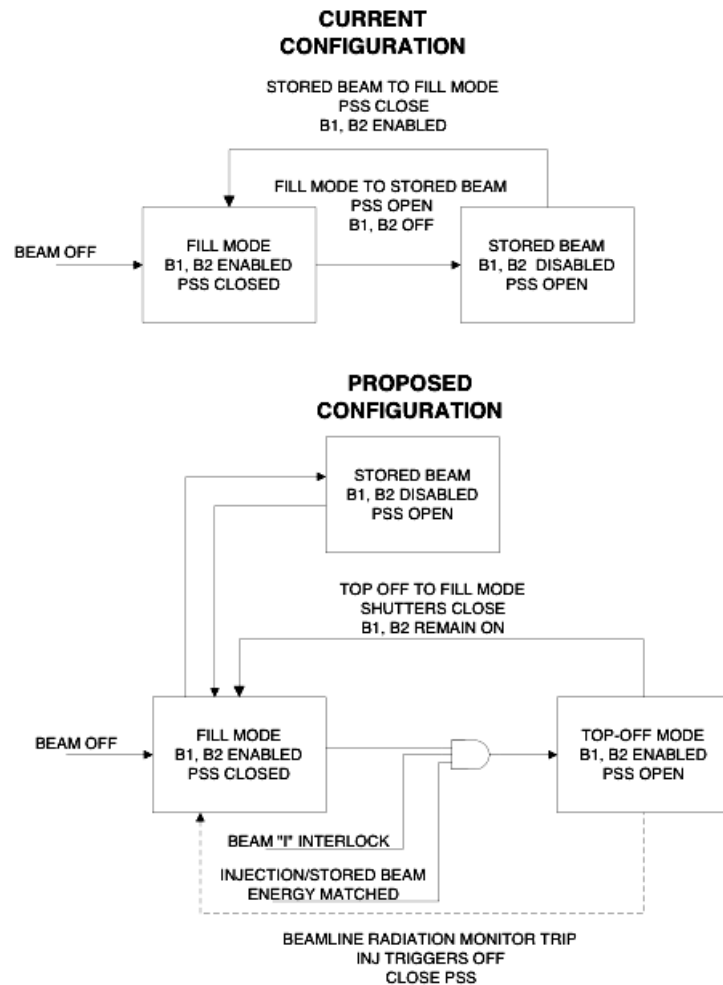


- New scrapers localize losses away from beamline source points and undulators
- Installed+work very well





# Interlock Changes

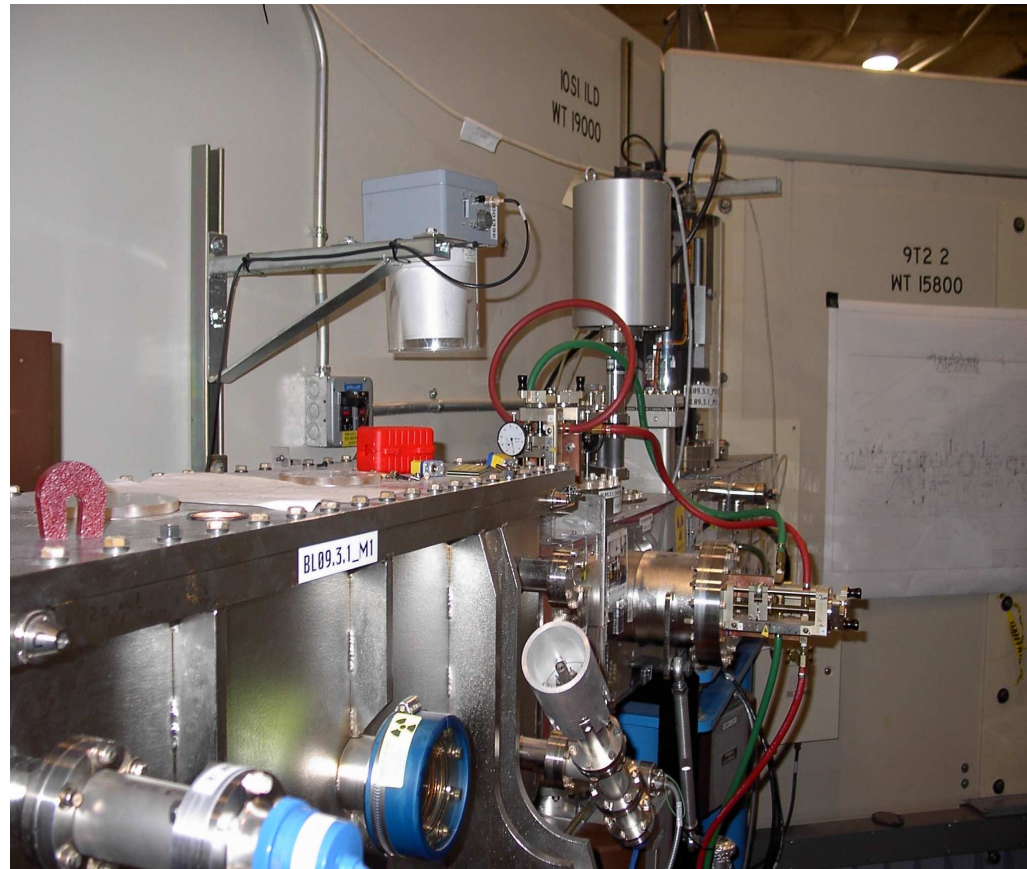


- Injection will only be allowed with shutters open if
  - There is stored beam
  - The energy of the injected beam matches the stored beam
- Additionally we will have active interlocked monitors on beamlines

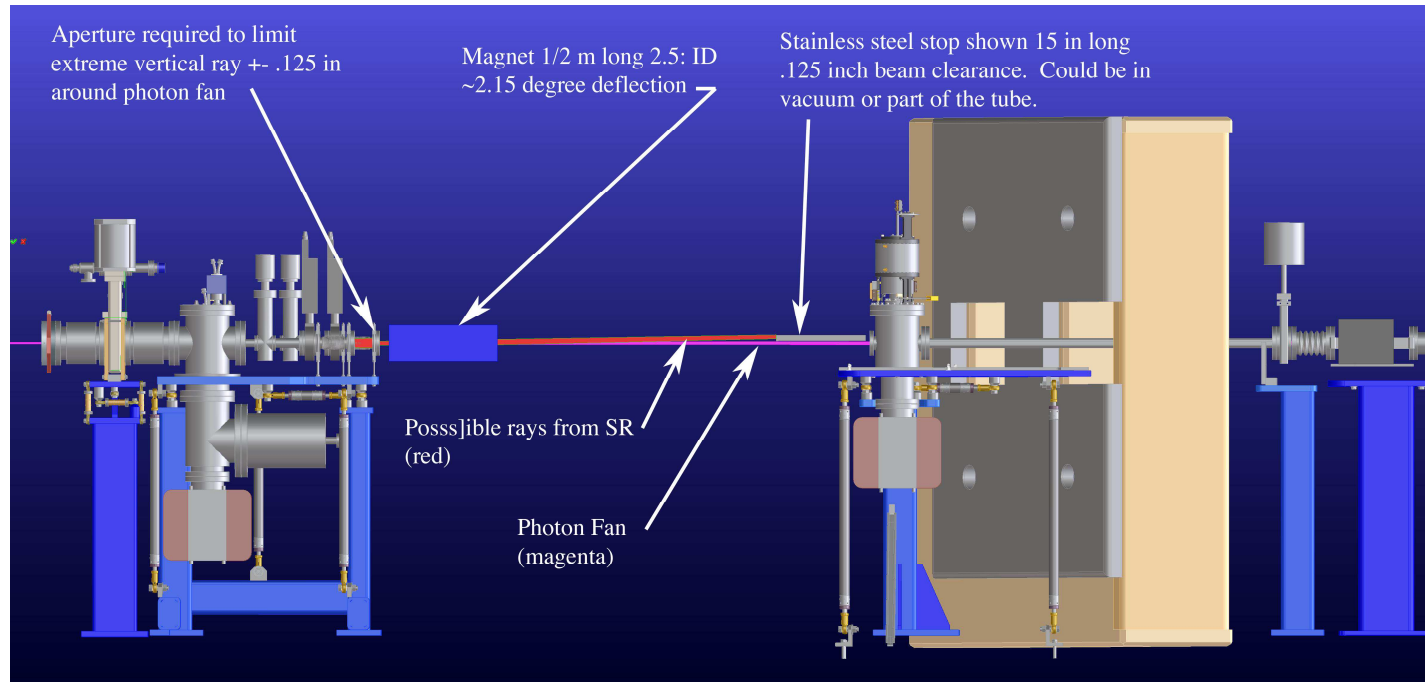


# Beamline Interlocked Monitors

- Monitors have been installed on beamline frontends for years
- So far only used for monitoring
- Will be interlocked (safety gain independent of top-off)
- New electronics, new monitoring applications, tested saturation behavior



# Fallback Solution

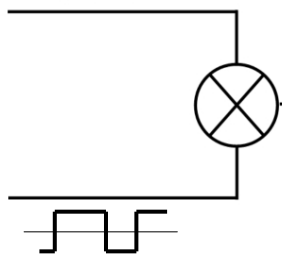


- **If all our efforts to demonstrate that apertures protect injected beam down photon beamlines with stored beam should fail**
  - **Fallback solution is to add permanent magnets on (subset) of frontends (x.3 beamlines ?)**

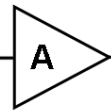


# The New Cleaning Technique

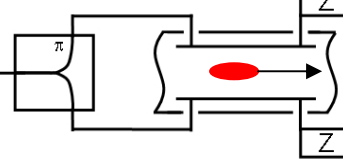
**Sinusoid at Vertical  
Betatron Frequency**



**Pseudo-square wave**

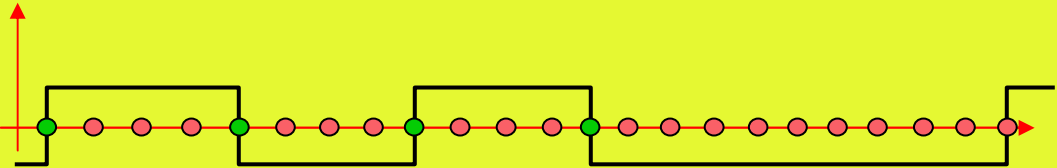


**Kicker**



*Green dots:  
Bunches to save*

*Red dots:  
Buckets to clean*

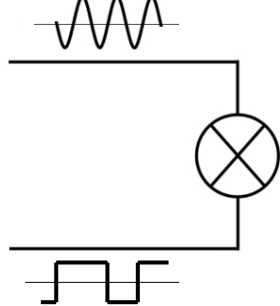


H. Suzuki, *et al.*, NIM A  
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# Our Implementation

## Existing Sinusoidal Generator

300 kHz – 10 mW

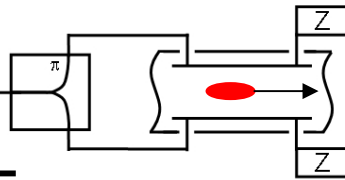


New FPGA

General Purpose Board  
~ 500 MHz BW

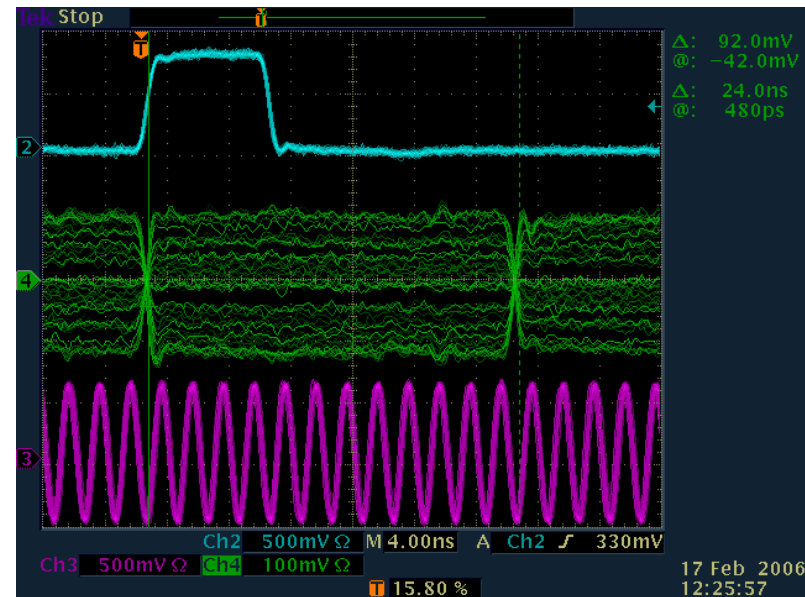
## Existing Transverse

Feedback (TF) Kicker (Stripline Type)



Existing TF  
Amplifier  
~ 150 W  
250 MHz BW

**No scraper  
required!**



## Multi-purpose board (W. Barry, M. Chin, J. Weber):

- B-Factory transverse feedback
- ALS Control System CPUs
- Arbitrary function generator

Very large bandwidth, no timing drift,  
very reliable, easy to program, ...

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## Storage Ring Bunch by Bunch Current Monitor



- **Upgrade of the existing system:**
  - Use of a “cleaner” signal from an ID BPM
  - **Dedicated oscilloscope**
  - **Development of a new high level application**



# Controls and Timing

- **New main power supplies (booster+BTS) are digital**
  - New controls via network
- **Need to update controls of other ramping magnets (and RF amplitude)**
  - minilOC
  - Modify multiplying DACs
- **Need to control PLC of RF transmitter**
- **Control of stepper motors (scrapers, collimators)**
  - Several new IOCs and controllers
- **Need new master timing system (more flexibility) + controls interface**
- **User gating signal**



# Commissioning

- **This time startup+commissioning will center on booster (+BTS)**
- **Hope to start just after Thanksgiving**
- **Will start without beam (power supplies and controls tests)**
- **Later with beam, but first just in booster**
  - **Can continue work in storage ring for a while (HOM dampers, BPM buttons, ...)**





# Shutdown+Commissioning Schedule

		Users Mtg																														
Oct-06	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	
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## Future (Top-off) Plans

- Extended shutdown will be in Fall 2006
  - Starts just after User meeting (middle of October), commissioning November+December
- Plan to operate with full-energy injection immediately following the shutdown
- Will slowly migrate to full top-off operation during the following six to nine months
- Move to 500 mA and smaller emittances within 2007 (maybe intermediate steps based on user responses, ...)

