

Coherent electron Cooling Proof-of-Principle Experiment – CeC X



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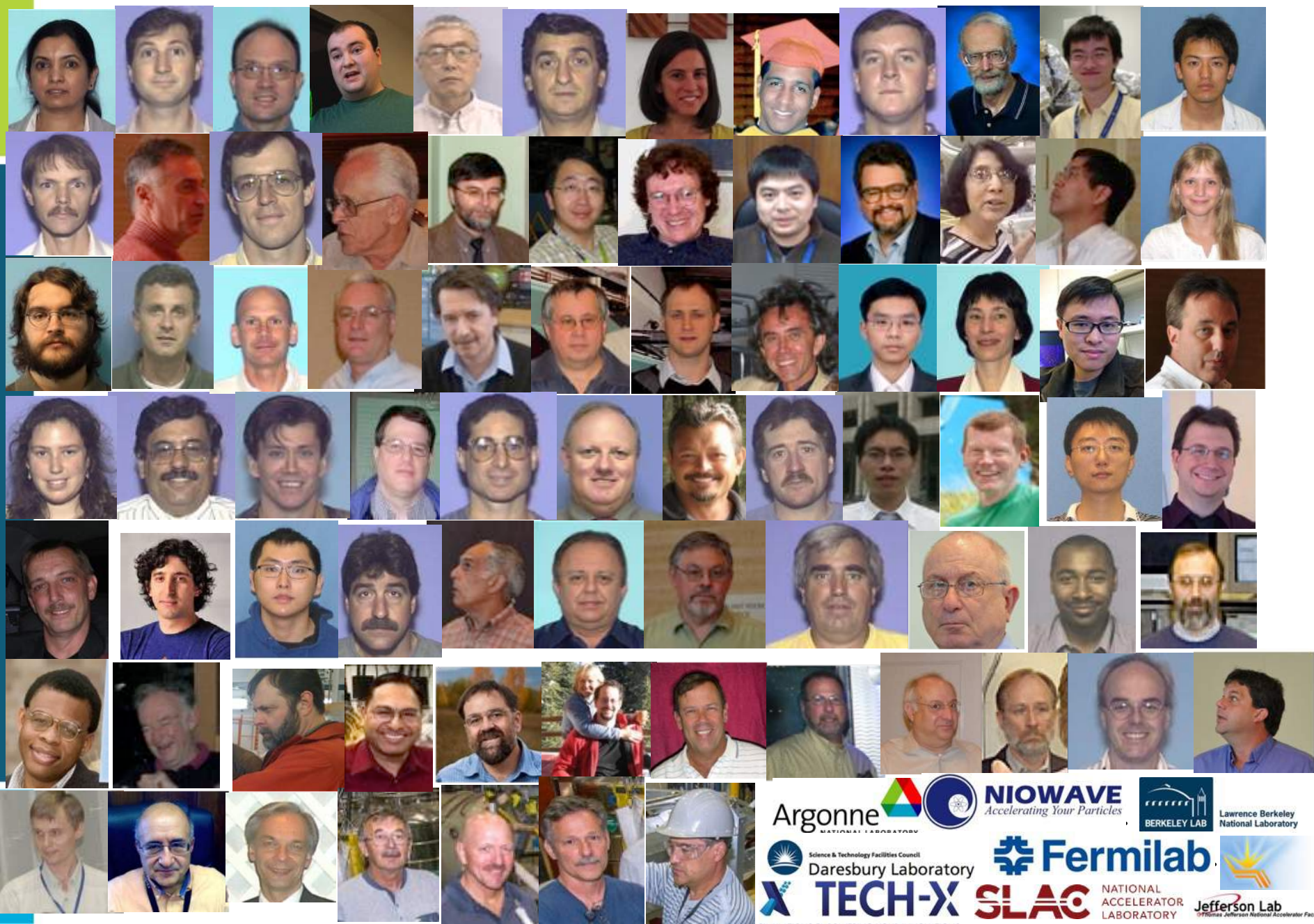


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The CeC team – never can get all your pictures ...



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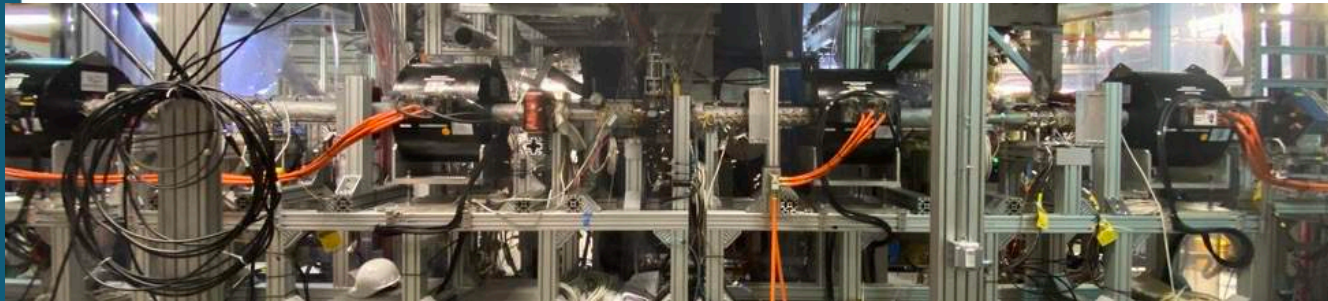
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- ❑ Why CeC X is important
- ❑ Status of the CeC experiment
- ❑ Results from Run 21
- ❑ Plans for 2022 and remaining risks

CeC X accelerator



CeC with plasma-cascade microbunching amplifier



PCA-based CeC



Time-resolved diagnostics

CeC accelerator

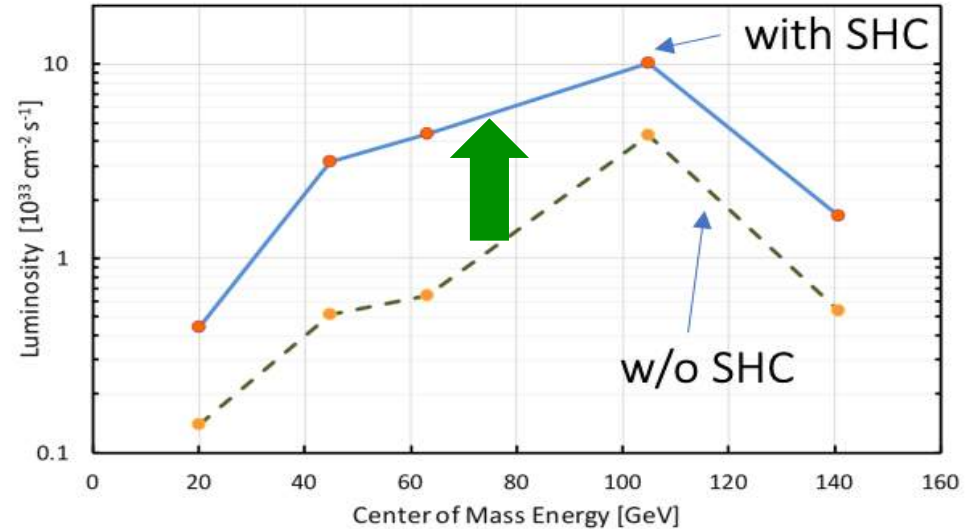
MAC 2020 recommendations

- ❑ If additional time is needed for CeC studies, efforts should be made to accommodate them
 - ❑ CeC dedicated time was not increased, administration decided to follow on the request to add d-Au to STAR RHIC program
- ❑ EIC plans for strong hadron cooling should be detailed and documented for a CD2 decision on CeC in EIC (in FY2022)
 - ❑ EIC administration does not involve CeC group in EIC reviews and discussion of their plans
- ❑ The PCA concept is documented in 2018 and 2019 arxiv preprints and is still not published in a peer reviewed journal. Prepare a journal publication of this concept
 - ❑ We submitted very detailed 3D PCA theory paper to PR AB but one of reviewers – without any specific reason – has strong objections to publish it
- ❑ Work out a conceptual scheme of EIC strong cooling based on PCA. Optimize and formulate a set of electron beam parameters (such as beam current, bunch length, energy spread, etc.) for such a cooling system. Compare with the cooler based on MBEC and document the result.
 - ❑ This job is partially done even before MAC 2020 and is in continuing development since then... We proposed to use PCA Type II scheme – with matching solenoids. The PCA has significant advantages vs chicane-based amplifier (CBA)*:
 - ❑ It does not require system for separation of electron and hadron beams
 - ❑ PCA gain is significantly (3-to-5 fold) larger than that of CBA
 - ❑ PCA bandwidths (500 THz) exceeds that of CBA (30 THz) by 16-folds
- ❑ Prepare a plan and possible resource request for the case if more than 14 days of RHIC beam time can be accommodated
 - ❑ Request for additional week of dedicated time was submitted, but was not accommodated

**All known CeC schemes are based in microbunching amplifiers. Therefore, using MBEC for chicane-based microbunching amplifiers only can lead to confusion implying that other CeC schemes using Plasma-Cascade or FEL amplifiers are not based on microbunching in electron beam... which is 100% wrong*

Why CeC X is needed?

To boost EIC luminosity



National Academy of Sciences Assessment of U.S.-Based Electron-Ion Collider Science: *The accelerator challenges are two fold: a high degree of polarization for both beams, and high luminosity.*

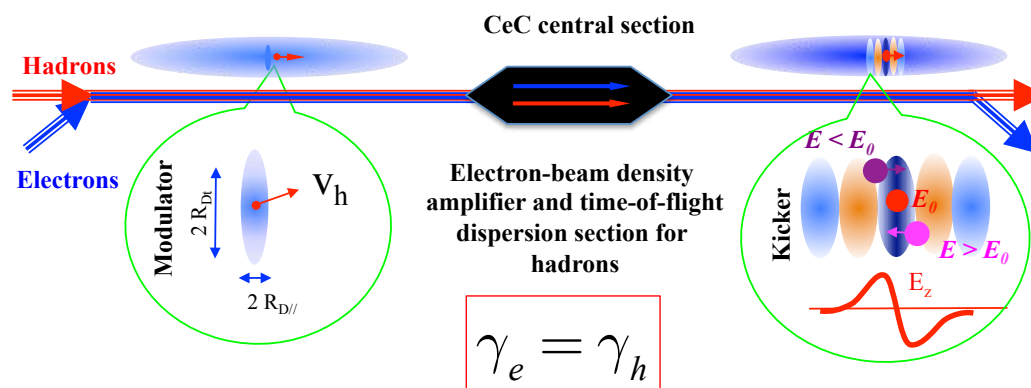
Quote from the pCDR review committee report: *“The major risk factors are strong hadron cooling of the hadron beams to achieve high luminosity, and the preservation of electron polarization in the electron storage ring. The Strong Hadron cooling [Coherent Electron Cooling (CeC)] is needed to reach $10^{34}/(\text{cm}^2\text{s})$ luminosity.*

Although the CeC has been demonstrated in simulations, the approved “proof of principle experiment” should have a highest priority for RHIC.”

Coherent electron Cooling

All CeC systems are based on the identical principles:

- Hadrons create density modulation (imprint) in the co-propagating electron beam
- Density modulation is amplified using broad-band (microbunching) instability
- Time-of-flight dependence on the hadron's energy results in energy correction and in the longitudinal cooling. Transverse cooling is enforced by coupling to the longitudinal degree of freedom.



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COHERENT ELECTRON COOLING

1. Physics of the method in general

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ABSTRACT

A microwave instability of an electron beam can be used for a multiple increase in the collective response for the perturbation caused by a heavy particle, i.e. for enhancement of a friction effect in electron cooling method. The low-scale instabilities of a few kind can be

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Coherent Electron Cooling

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Microbunched Electron Cooling for High-Energy Hadron Beams

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What can be tested experimentally?

Litvinenko, Derbenev, PRL 2008



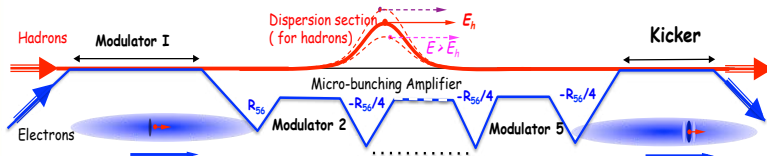
Ratner, PRL 2013



RHIC Run 18

High gain FEL amplifier
with low- a_w wigglers

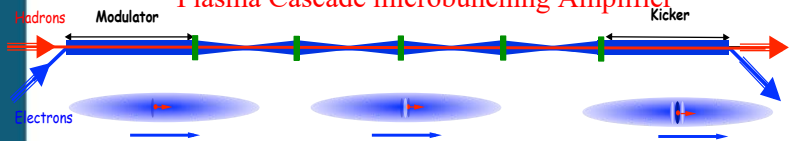
Cooling test would require significant modification of the RHIC lattice & superconducting magnets quadrupling the cost



Litvinenko, Wang, Kayran, Jing, Ma, 2017

Plasma Cascade microbunching Amplifier

RHIC Runs 20-22

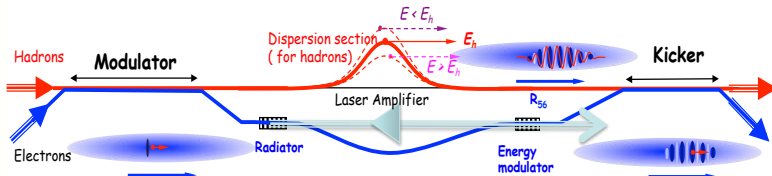


Litvinenko, Cool 2013



Plasma-Cascade
Amplifier

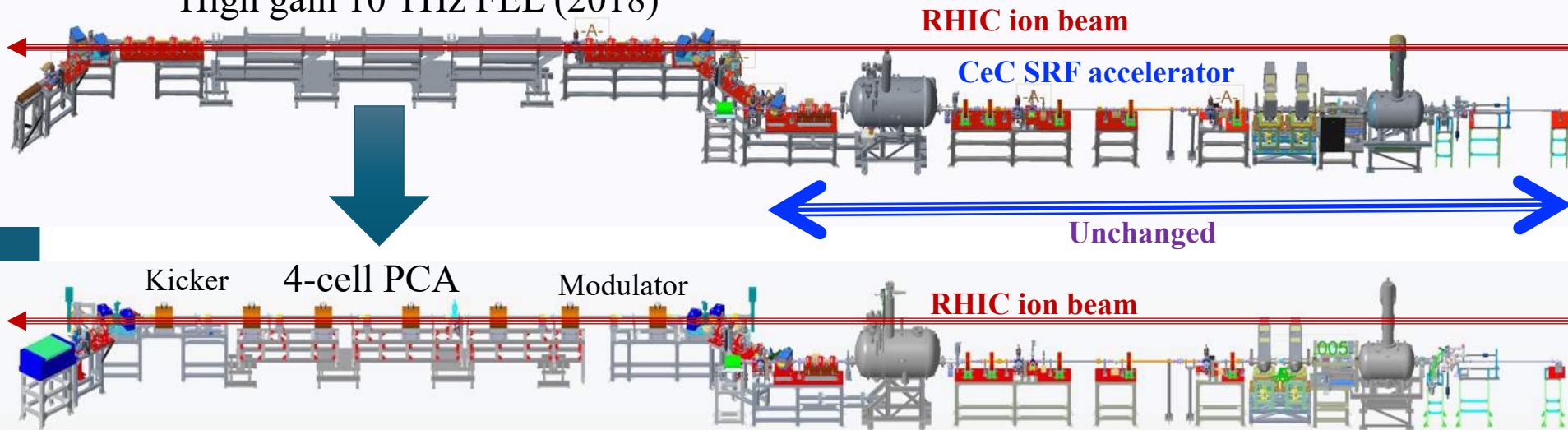
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CeC X at RHIC

- ❑ 2014-2017: built cryogenic system, SRF accelerator and FEL for CeC experiment
- ❑ Three successful external CeC X reviews: December 2012, September 2019 and January 2021
- ❑ 2018: started experiment with the FEL-based CeC. It was not completed: 28 mm aperture of the helical wigglers was insufficient for RHIC with 3.85 GeV/u Au ion beams
- ❑ We discovered microbunching Plasma Cascade Instability - new type of instability in linear accelerators. Developed design of Plasma Cascade Amplifier (PCA) for CeC
- ❑ In 2019-2020 a PCA-based CeC with seven solenoids and vacuum pipe with 75 mm aperture was built and commissioned.
- ❑ During Run 20, we demonstrated high gain Plasma Cascade Amplifier (PCA) and observed presence of ion imprint in the electron beam
- ❑ New time-resolved diagnostics beamline was built last year and commissioned during this run.
- ❑ Now we are focusing on demonstrating longitudinal CeC cooling.

High gain 10 THz FEL (2018)



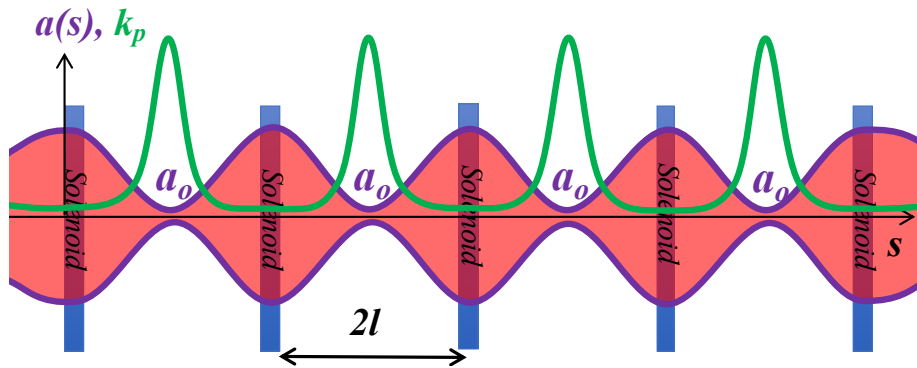
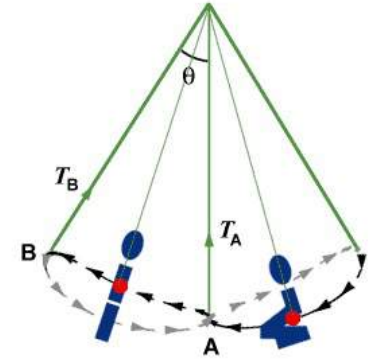
The CeC Plasma Cascade Amplifier has a bandwidth of 15 THz >2,000x of the RHIC stochastic cooler

What is Plasma-Cascade Amplifier

It is an exponentially growing parametric instability driven by variation of the plasma frequency and driven by the variation of the transverse electron beam size

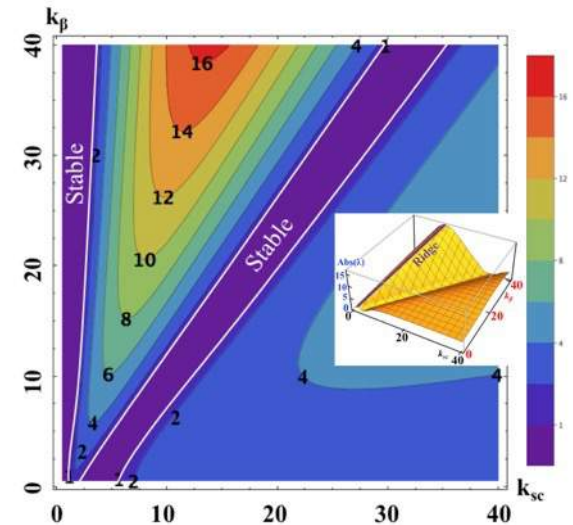
We do it by creating dramatic variations of plasma density using modulation of the transverse beam size

Important questions – when exponential growth occurs and how fast it is? Hence, we developed a self-consistent 3D theory and simulations (*more in talks by G. Wang and J. Ma*)



$$\hat{a}'' = k_{sc}^2 \hat{a}^{-1} + k_{\beta}^2 \hat{a}^{-3}$$

$$k_{sc}^2 = \frac{2}{\beta^3 \gamma^3} \frac{I_o}{I_A} \frac{l^2}{a_o^2}; k_{\beta} = \frac{\epsilon l}{a_o^2} = \frac{l}{\beta^*} \quad \frac{d^2 \tilde{n}}{ds^2} + 2k_{sc}^2 \left(\frac{a_o}{a(s)} \right)^2 \tilde{n} = 0;$$



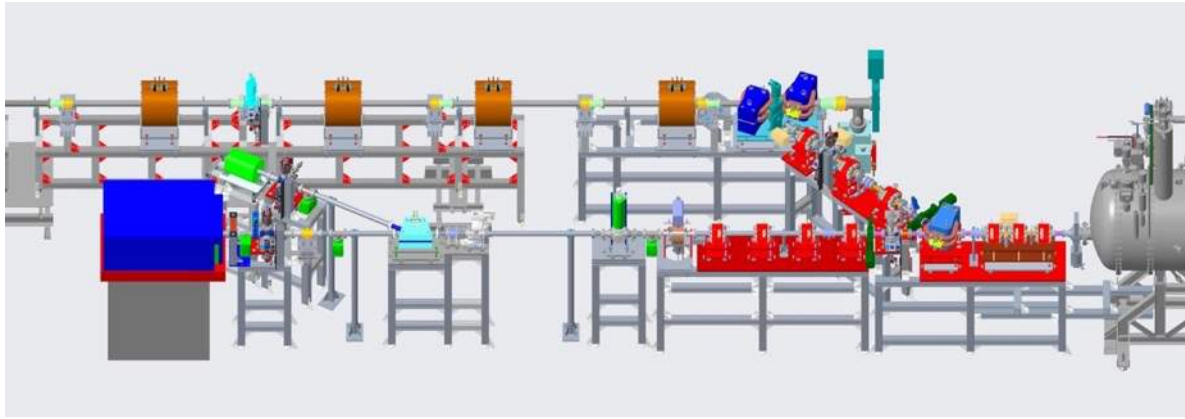
- *Plasma-Cascade micro-bunching Amplifier and Coherent electron Cooling of a Hadron Beams*, arXiv:1802.08677, 2018
- *Plasma-Cascade Instability*, under review in *Physical Review Accelerators and Beams*

CeC X status

- ✓ Unique SRF accelerator generating high brightness electron beam, compressing it to 75 A at 1.25 MeV kinetic energy and accelerating it to 14.6 MeV
- ✓ Precise control of noise in electron beam: can suppress it to the level close to Poisson shot noise - for cooling - or increase thousands-fold to heat ion beam
- ✓ Demonstrated high gain in both FEL and Plasma-Cascade Amplifiers
- ✓ Observed presence of ion imprint in electron beam radiation
- ✓ Observed recombination of 14.56 MeV electrons with 26.5 GeV/ u Au ions
- ✓ Regular electron cooling of hardon beam at record energy of 26.5 GeV/ u

Milestone ID	Reportable milestone	Date
1	Experiment start	FY20Q1 ✓
2	Necessary Beam Parameters (KPP) established for Run 20	FY21Q4 ✓
3	Investigation of plasma cascade amplifier complete	FY21Q4 ✓
4	Investigation of the ion imprint in the electron beam complete	FY22Q1 ✓
5	Receive Approval for CeC TRDBL commissioning	FY22Q1 ✓
6	Necessary Beam Parameters (KPP) established for Run 21	FY22Q3 ✓
7	Investigation of the CeC longitudinal cooling complete	FY22Q4
8	Necessary Beam Parameters (KPP) established for Run 22	FY23Q3
9	Investigation of the 3D CeC Cooling complete	FY23Q4
10	Final report to DOE NP	FY23Q4
11	Experiment Complete	FY23Q4

Time-resolve diagnostics beam-line: the key for accurate measurements of beam parameters



Fully
Commissioned



- Run 21' main addition is the time-resolved diagnostics beam-line



Run 21

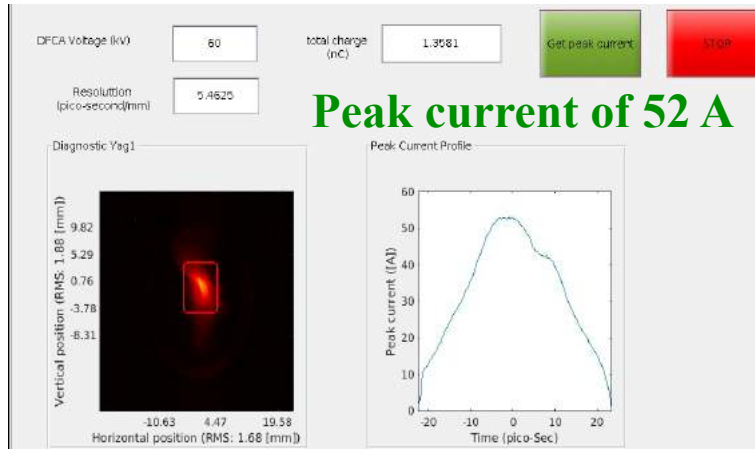
Electron beam KPP

Parameter	Planned	Demonstrated	
Lorentz factor	28.5	up to 29	✓
Repetition frequency, kHz	78.2	78.2	✓
Electron beam full energy, MeV	14.56	up to 14.8	✓
Total charge per bunch, nC	1.5	nominal 1.5, up to 20	✓
Average beam current, μA	117	120	✓
Ratio of the noise power in the electron beam to the Poison noise limit	<100	<10 (lattice of Run20)*	✓
RMS momentum spread $\sigma_p = \sigma_p/p$, rms	$\leq 1.5 \times 10^{-3}$	$< 5 \times 10^{-4}$, slice 2×10^{-4}	✓
Normalized rms slice emittance, $\mu\text{m rad}$	≤ 5	2.5	✓

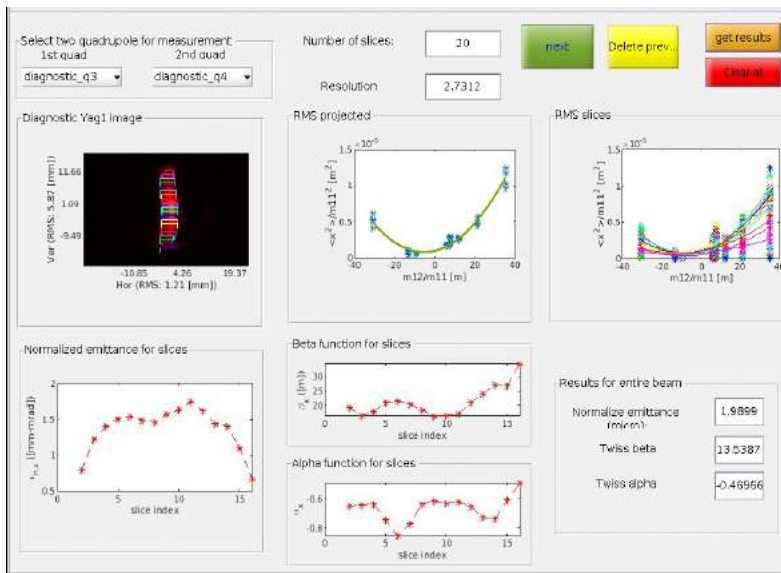
New: Time-resolved measurements



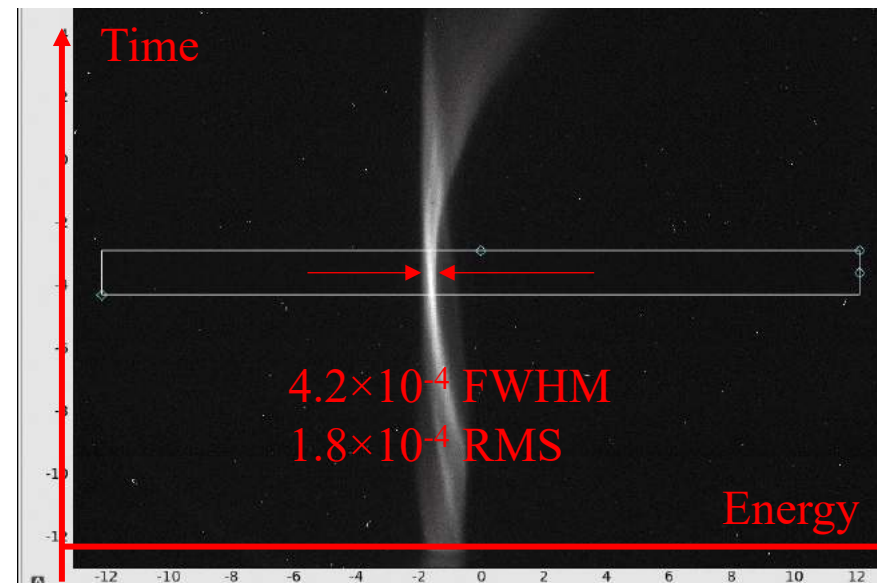
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Slice emittance measurements

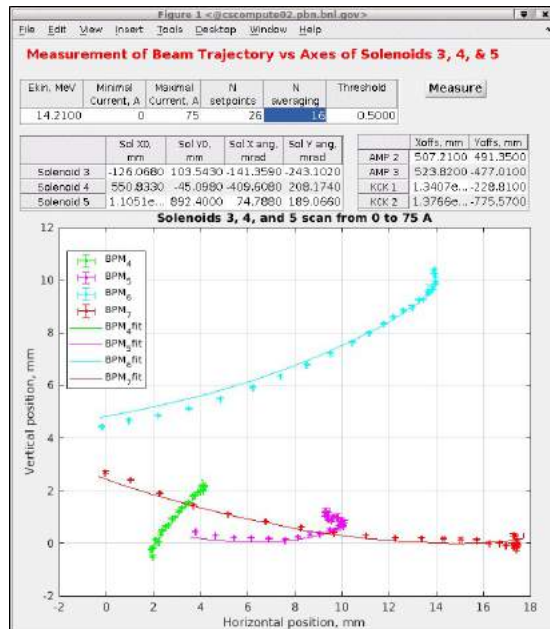
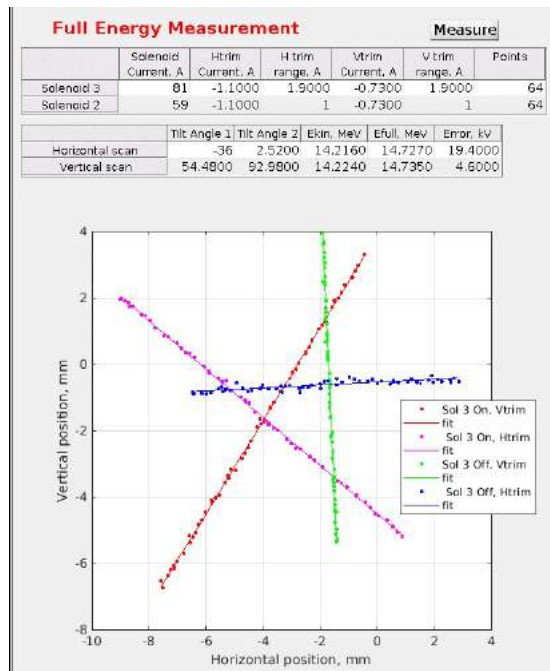
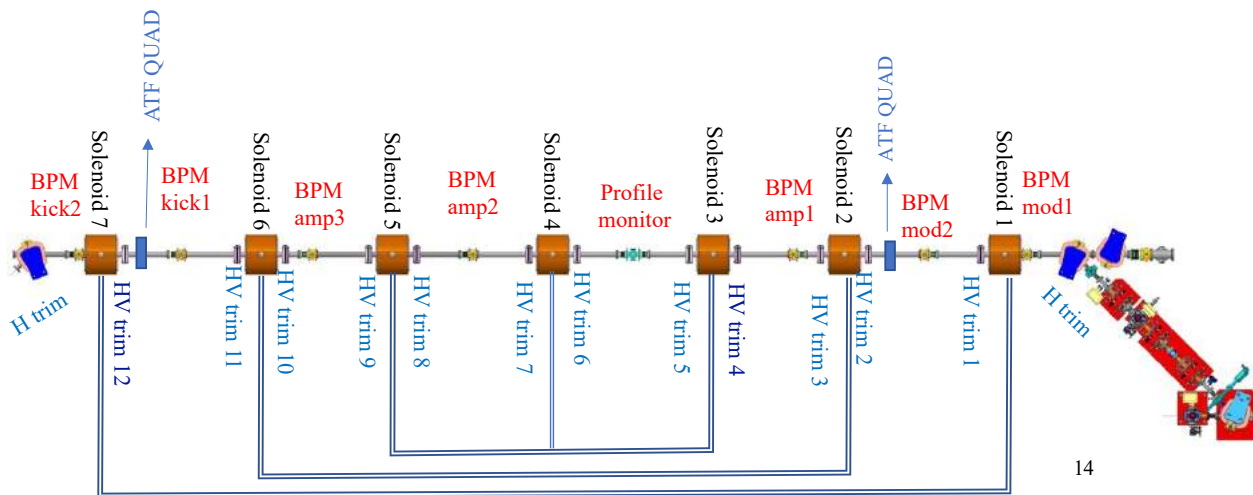


30-degree energy spectrometer



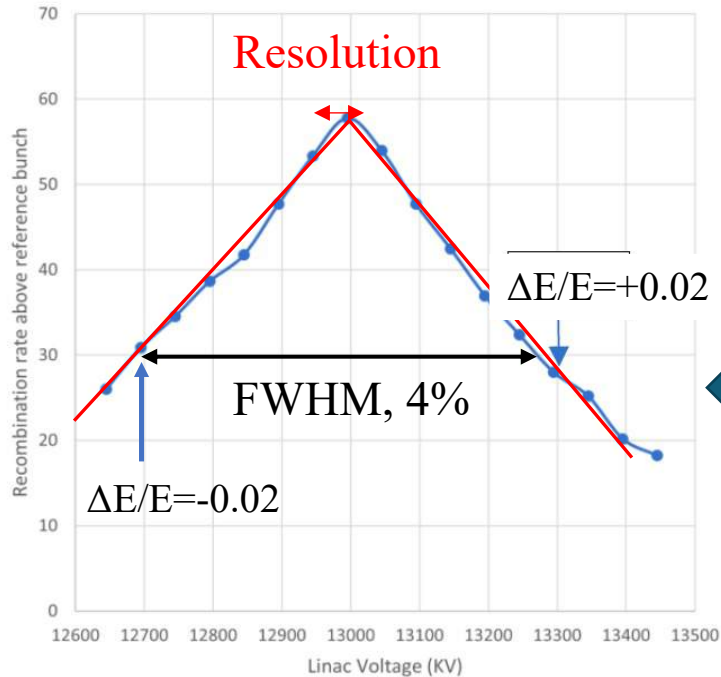
Energy measurements and novel BBA in CeC

- ✓ Novel method of absolute beam energy measurement – based on Ampere law and knowing value of current and number of turns in solenoid: accuracy $\sim 0.2\%$. Main source of errors is in the orbit jitter.
- ✓ Accurate alignment of the electron beam trajectory is critically important - we developed a well-defined process to achieve these goals:
 - ✓ Align ion beam with the centers of two quadrupoles installed in the CeC section;
 - ✓ Developed novel method of measuring both the location and the angle of the solenoid's axes using ion beam and RHIC. Solenoids are aligned with best accuracy the survey group can provide
 - ✓ Aligned electron beam onto the axes of solenoids
- ✓ Success of this method was verified by observing recombination of the electrons and Au ion and observation of regular electron cooling

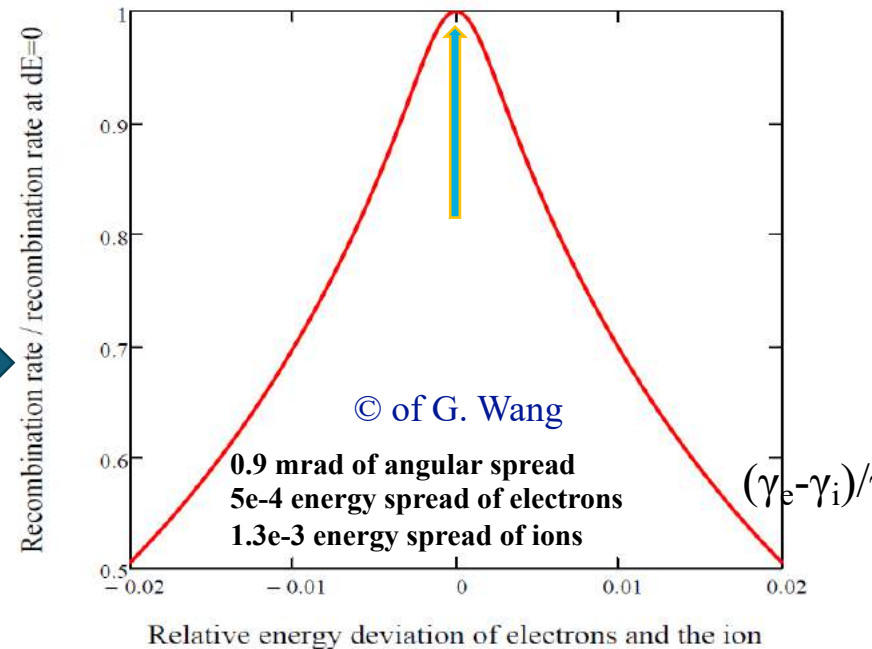


Recombination of electrons with Au ions

Experiment



Calculations



Triangular shape of the measured dependence allows to define matching of the relativistic factors with accuracy $\sim 0.2\%$, which is significantly smaller than 4% FWHM. This finding will reduce the range where we need to search for the CeC signature by 5-to-10 fold.

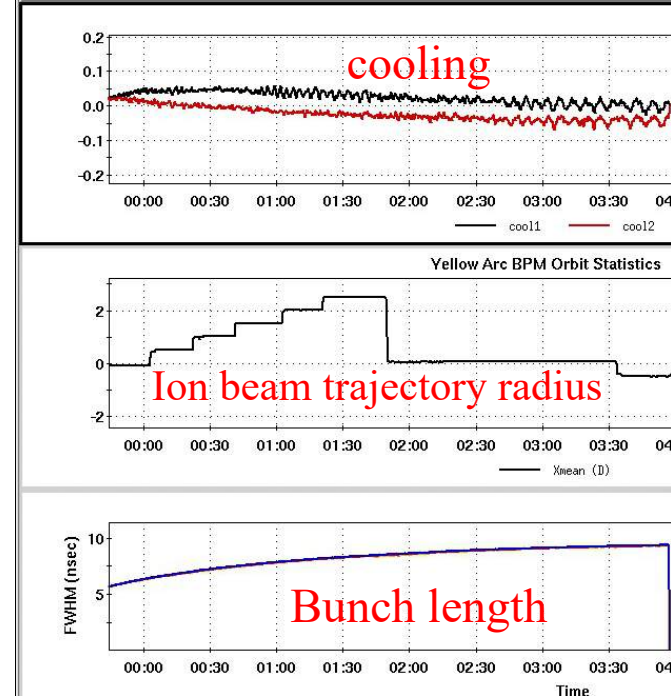
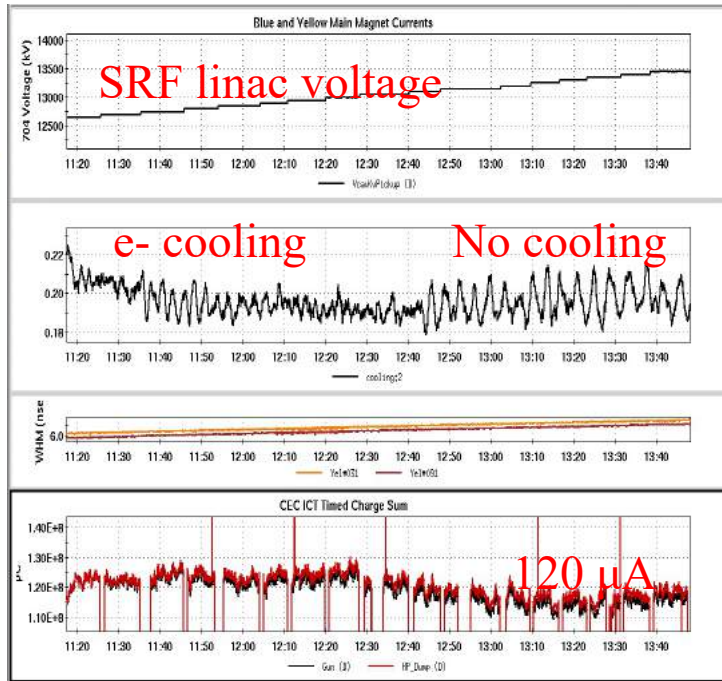
$$\sigma(v_x, v_y, v_z) = A \frac{2h\nu_0}{m_e (v_x^2 + v_y^2 + v_z^2)} \left[\ln \left(\sqrt{\frac{2h\nu_0}{m_e (v_x^2 + v_y^2 + v_z^2)}} \right) + \gamma_1 + \gamma_2 \left(\frac{m_e (v_x^2 + v_y^2 + v_z^2)}{2h\nu_0} \right)^{1/3} \right]$$

$$f_e(v_e) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{3/2} \beta_{e,\perp}^2 \beta_{e,z}} \exp\left(-\frac{v_{e,x}^2 + v_{e,y}^2}{2\beta_{e,\perp}^2}\right) \exp\left(-\frac{(v_{e,z} - v_{z,0})^2}{2\beta_{e,z}^2}\right)$$

$$f_i(v_i) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{3/2} \beta_{i,\perp}^2 \beta_{i,z}} \exp\left(-\frac{v_{i,x}^2 + v_{i,y}^2}{2\beta_{i,\perp}^2}\right) \exp\left(-\frac{v_{i,z}^2}{2\beta_{i,z}^2}\right)$$

This results include convolution of the exact formula recombination cross-section (in the commoving frame) with distributions of two beams

Search for CeC signature and observation of regular bunched electron cooling of 26.5 GeV/u Au ion beam



Changing e-beam energy requires multiple adjustments

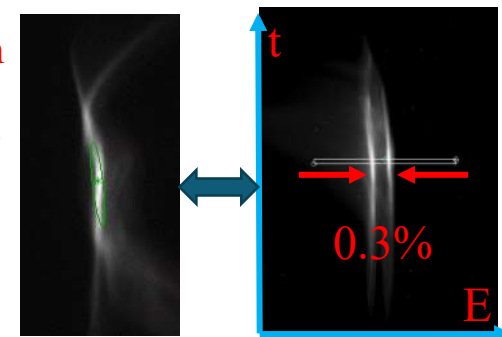
Adjusting ion beam energy – 1 mm x_{mean} corresponds to 0.1% change in the ion beam energy.

- There was no attempt of improving regular non-magnetized electron cooling – we used the lattice optimized for PCA CeC - and the best electron cooling rate was ~ 100 hours. It is consistent with cooling rate estimation made by Dmitry Kayran and 90 hours cooling rate simulated by He Zhao
- There is one exception – on the 4th of July CeC evening shift we observed cooling rate of 16 hours: this event is possibly a first indication of the CeC cooling, but it is not conclusive

Solutions for Run21 set-backs and challenges

- We lost at least 7 weeks of operation from severe damage to our the SRF gun - it was definitely not the result of CeC operations. Fortunately, we had skills, and some luck, to restore the gun operation, but continue suffering with contamination till the very end of the run 21.
- Particulate-free preparation system of photo-cathodes with uniform QE and their transfer system underwent a major upgrade.
- The main challenge for the CeC X was 0.35% peak-to-peak bunch-by-bunch energy jitter. Our understanding that this is result of 100 psec peak-to-peak (~20 psec RMS, twice the specs) timing jitter of the seed laser. **Such energy jitter washes out the CeC cooling by 125-fold. There is also $\pm 10\%$ jitter in the laser power, which create challenges for CeC operations.**
- We replaced this seed laser with new having 5 psec RMS jitter. As risk reduction, we ordered a new system capable reducing jitter to 0.2 psec.
- There are also significant slow energy drifts ($> 0.1\%$ per shift), most likely resulting from the residual dependences of the RF voltages and phases on ambient temperature.
- We developed reliable feedbacks to compensate these drifts.
- Absence of high sensitivity cryo-cooled IR detector and very large (sub-V) RFI in the IP2 diagnostics cables preclude us from evaluating PCA gain spectrum and optimizing CeC cooling.
- We made significant progress in this direction: the cryo-cooled IR detector and short diagnostics undulator are installed and will be commissioned as soon as CeC accelerator is operational

Bunch-to-bunch energy jitter



August 16, 2021: ½ day CeC X retreat

Opened for all interested parties: <https://indico.bnl.gov/event/12706/>

1:00 PM	→ 1:10 PM	Welcome Speaker: Wolfram Fischer (BNL) 2021-08-16 CeC ret...
1:10 PM	→ 1:30 PM	Summary of CeC X Run 21 (CeC group) Speaker: Vladimir Litvinenko (BNL and Stony Brook University) CeC_X_Retreat_202...
1:30 PM	→ 1:50 PM	Electron beam requirements for CeC X (G. Wang) Speaker: Jun Ma ElectronBeam.pdf
1:50 PM	→ 2:10 PM	Requirements for CeC systems (I.Petrushina, D. Kayran) Speaker: Yichao Jing (BNL) system_requiremen...
2:10 PM	→ 2:20 PM	Break
2:20 PM	→ 2:40 PM	Improvements to the CeC systems Speaker: Jean Clifford Brutus CeC X Retreat - Imp... CeC X Retreat - Imp...
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3:00 PM	→ 3:20 PM	Laser: time and intensity jitter, position stability, (L. Nguyen) Speaker: Patrick Inacker-Mix (BNL) 20210816_CeC_Ret... 20210816_CeC_Ret...
3:20 PM	→ 3:30 PM	Break
3:30 PM	→ 3:50 PM	CeC RF system: voltage and phase jitter and drifts (G. Narayan, F. Severino, Y. Than) Speaker: Thomas Hayes (Brookhaven National Lab) CeC_Retreat2021_R... CeC_Retreat2021_R...
3:50 PM	→ 4:10 PM	Orbit-drifts, noise/jitter, accuracy, slow feed-backs (R. Michnoff, P. Thieberger, A. Di Lieto) Speaker: Igor Pinayev (BNL) Orbit.pdf Orbit.pptx
4:10 PM	→ 4:30 PM	Diagnostics (including IR) - noise and its suppression (I. Pinayev, M. Paniccia) Speaker: Rob Michnoff (BNL) CeC-retreat-2021-in... CeC-retreat-2021-in...
4:30 PM	→ 4:50 PM	Diagnostics - time resolved emittance and energy spread, (Y. Jing, J.C. Brutus, D. Kayran, I. Pinayev) Speaker: Andrei Sukhanov (BNL) Beam_Diagnostics...
4:50 PM	→ 5:00 PM	Closing

- ❑ More than 100 people participated in the CeC-X retreat
- ❑ Goals of CeC X retreat were to
 - ❑ review current performance of the CeC systems
 - ❑ identify remaining problems
 - ❑ identify solutions and remedies
- ❑ In addition, we discussed planned improvements of the CeC systems during RHIC shut-downs

The screenshot shows a Zoom meeting interface. The main content is a slide titled "Laser time jitter". The slide contains two plots showing "Relativistic gamma" vs "Longitudinal position(ps)" for "slice average energy" and "Slice current". The left plot is for "-40 ps" and the right plot is for "+40 ps". Below the plots is a text box with the following content:

>Laser jitter affects the average slice energy significantly.
>A jitter in Laser time (+/- 40 ps) changes slice energy from +0.14%/-0.16% w.r.t. the designed value. **Verified in experiments.**
>Thus for a rms 2e-4 energy jitter required for cooling, the rms laser jitter needs to be < 5 ps.

The Zoom interface also shows a list of participants on the right, including Vladimir Litvinenko, Gang Wang, Yichao Jing, adlieto, Al Marusic, Alex Burkhardt, alex z, and Alexei Biednykh. The chat window at the bottom right shows messages about the retreat schedule.

Main findings and implemented mitigations

Main Findings

- Energy jitter is likely results from the IR seed timing jitter ~ 20 psec RMS
- Energy drift is likely the result of temperature-dependent voltage and phase drift
- Large RFI noise in the IP2 diagnostics systems preventing from accurate measurements of any signals
- Insufficient sensitivity if IR detectors for accurate measurements of the PCA gain and spectrum

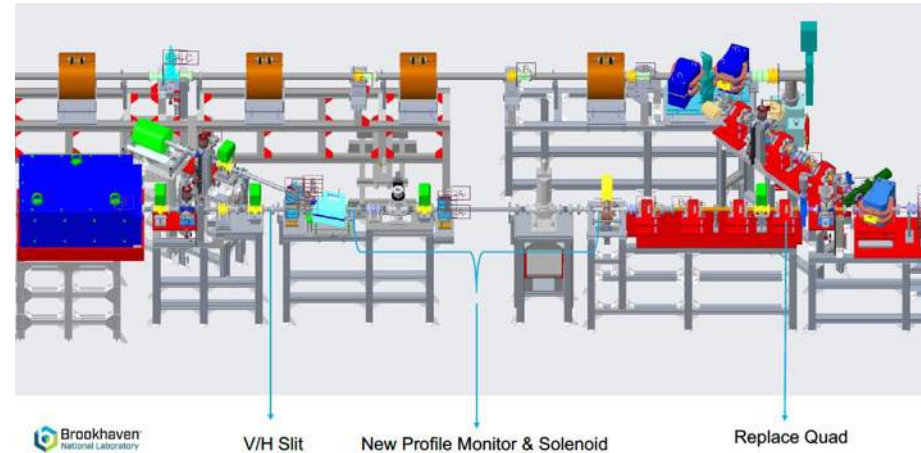
Implemented Solutions

- Replaced the seed laser with new having timing jitter ~ 5 psec
- Developed energy measurements system for slow feed-back to compensate these drifts
- Task force
 - searched for the sources of the noise
 - built insulating amplifiers
- Cryo-cooled IR detector was repaired and installed. A short diagnostics undulator was designed, built and installed

Jean Cliff Brutus: Improvements to the CeC

CeC Shutdown 2021 Upgrades

#	Work
1	500 MHz Removal
2	Horizontal/Vertical Slit
3	Profile Monitor
4	Cathode System Upgrade
5	Replace Q1 in the TRDBL by one with working trim coils - in current quad two out of 4 trim coils are broken
6	500MHz Coax Inspection
7	DCCT
8	Solenoid
9	H/V Trims relocation
10	Wiggler/Undulator
11	Heating Jackets Removal
12	Compensating Coil

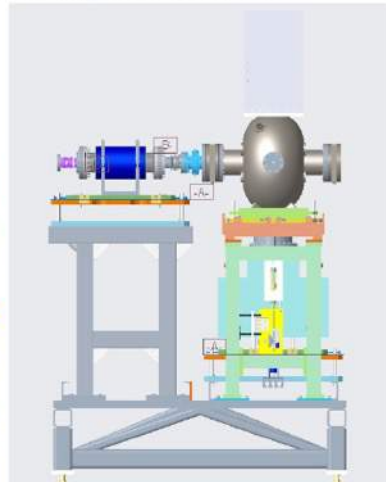
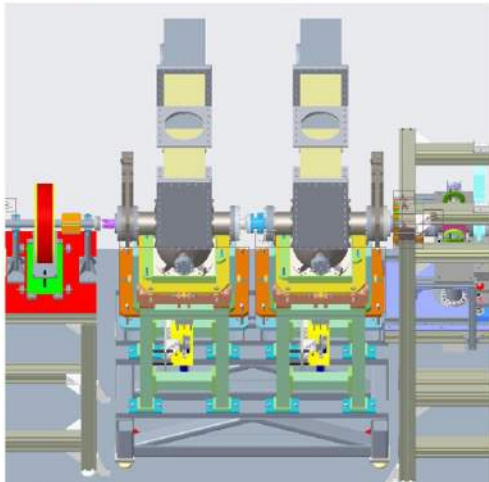


Summary

500 MHz Removal

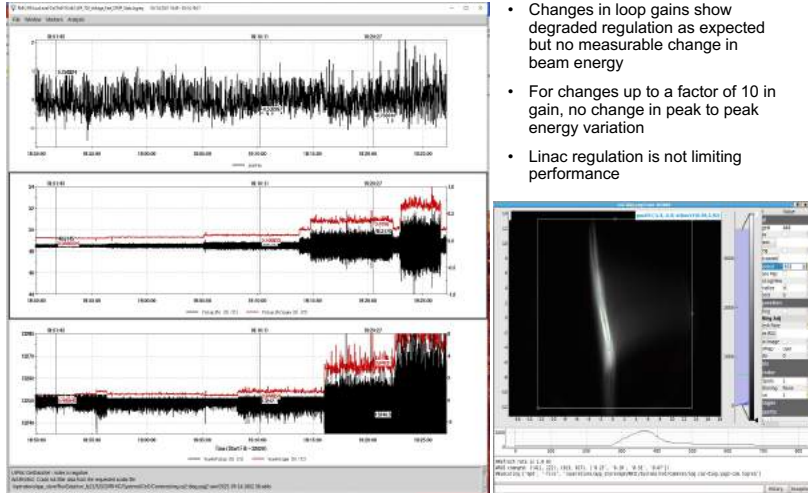
- Design completed
- Design of coax reconfiguration completed
- Parts ordered and in house
- Single 500MHz surveyed: -1.5 mm axis; 0.02 degrees about Y axis

- Priority list
- Anthony is checking if we need to run new cable and order more PS for new compensating coils and H/V trims 8-12 weeks lead time
- Design modifications of beamline completed
- 500MHz removal completed
- Damaged quad replacement completed
- 500MHz coax inspection in progress
- Heating jackets removal in progress (7 correctors have to be split)
- DCCT installation in progress
- Delay of parts from KJL for H/V slit and profile monitor – looking for backup solution
- TRDBL modifications in progress
- Undulator design and fabrication in progress
- H/V trims relocation design in progress



Tom Hayes and team: CeC RF System Stability

Short Term Performance



Short-term cavity regulation is excellent

Significant efforts have been expended to stabilize the laser and they have been extremely successful

If long term stability needs to be improved, beam based feedback is the only option left

Improvements for this year

Linac switched to using up/down conversion

Cable compensation loopbacks enabled

Laser stabilization

- Feedforward to correct phase steps
- Fast feedback to correct measured drifts

Patrick Inacker-Mix, Laser: Temporal & Intensity Jitter, Position Stability

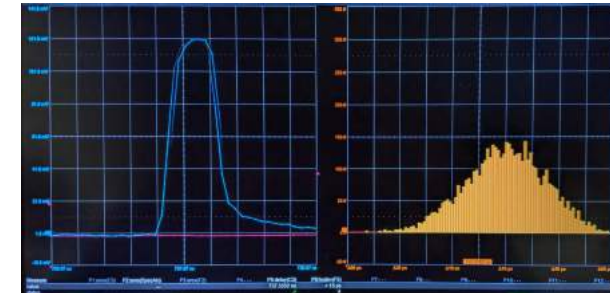
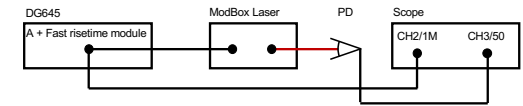
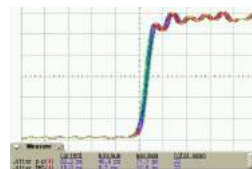
Temporal Jitter Performance

In-House Measurement

Jitter Measurement performed using a local delay generator and Oscilloscope
- Result: 14-15ps rms

Measurement is very sensitive to trigger edge slope; Result likely upper limit

Manufacturer measurement:
- Result: 8.7-12ps rms:



An update to the Jitter spec. for CeC makes a new seed laser necessary

Replacement of current seed with another function generator underway (Jitter 5.6ps rms)

Option to use a Modelocked laser instead in Proposal stage (Jitter <250fs rms)

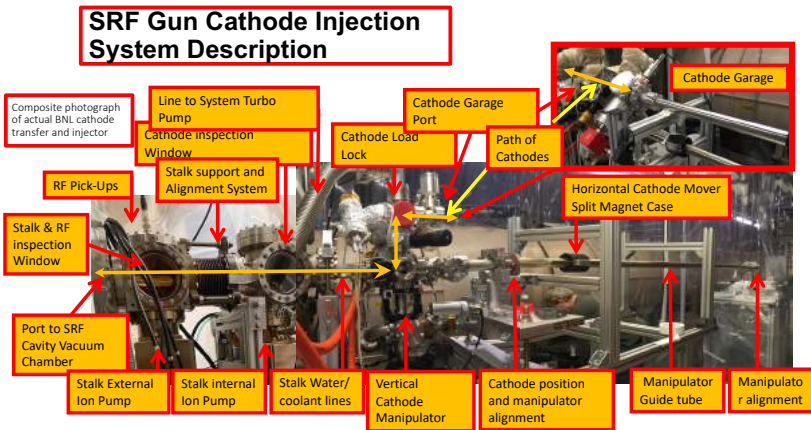
The Shot-Noise of the free-running laser was deemed to large, making a fast intensity feedback necessary

Slow Position feedback provides enough dynamic range to hold the transport alignment at all operational power levels within 0.1mm

Position stability on the Gun table aperture is close to achievable limit without direct stabilization on the gun table which would require CW beams (CoM rms < 0.25% of Aperture size)

John Skaritka and team

Photocathodes: production, transfer, QE mapping



All cathode transfer and injection system components have been designed, ordered and in an advanced state of manufacturing and deliveries

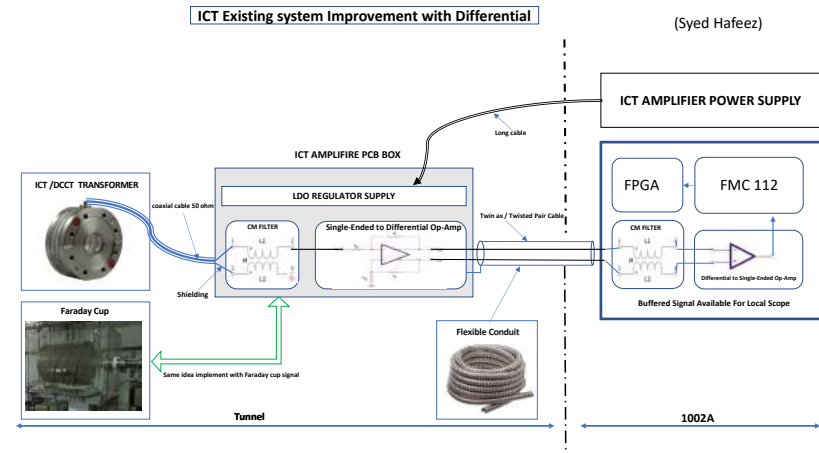
All new transfer systems components will be completed and ready for installation in early October cathode injection in early November.

Work is proceeding with a complete over-hall of the Cathode deposition system at Instrumentation Division

A QA Mapping system is under design and parts ordered for system for integration at Instrumentation Division and eventual use in tunnel.

Robert Michnoff and team

CeC Diagnostics



Beam diagnostic systems are providing important measurements for CeC operation

Enhancements to presently installed systems continue

- To provide additional operational modes
- To make measurements less susceptible to noise induced on signals from outside sources

New systems are being installed this shutdown

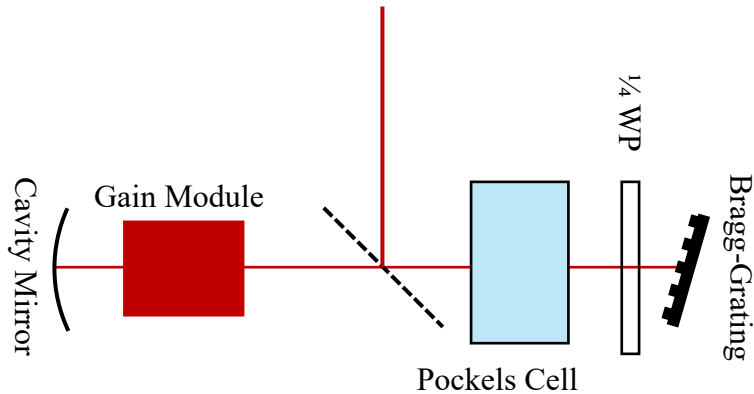
- DCCT
- Horizontal/Vertical slit
- Profile monitor

Risk reduction: Mode-locked seed laser

- Mode-locked Oscillator - Jitter: ~ 200 fs rms
- 2-4ps pulse duration, 5-10nm Bandwidth
- Chirped gaussian output

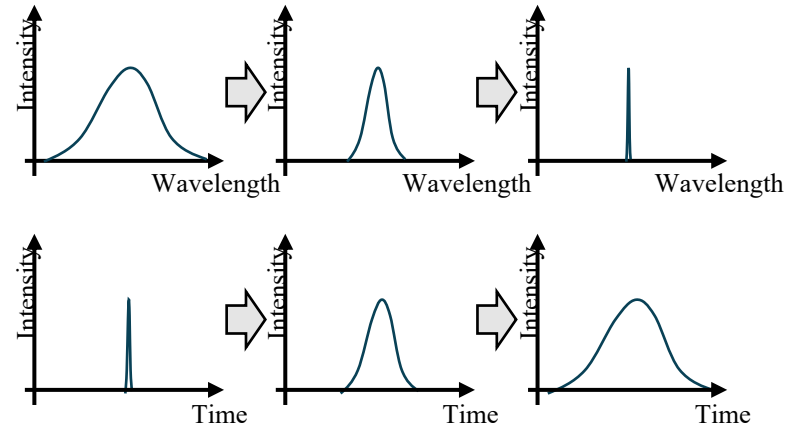
Bragg Grating inside of Regenerative amplifier narrows spectral bandwidth and increases pulse duration with each roundtrip:

Target duration: 350ps FWHM \Rightarrow 1.25GHz Bandwidth



Regenerative Amplifier
2 Grating bounces per roundtrip

Spectral filtering to reduce bandwidth of seed pulse



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Pos.	Item	Quantity	Unit Price	Amount
1	orange Femtosecond Fiber Laser Yb doped fiber oscillator. Scientific platform enabling customer specific solutions. Laser head and control unit included. ORANGE CUSTOM VARIANT: Repetition rate 56.5 MHz Fiber-coupled output port (FC/APC), linearly polarized. Average output power >200 mW in ~20nm bandwidth (signal wavelength ~1050nm - 1070nm), roughly ~7-10mW/nm in chirped output pulses.	1	56,500.00	56,500.00
2	SYNC100 Repetition Rate Synchronization Variable cavity length through integrated stepper motor and Piezo setup. Enables tuning of cavity by >80 kHz. Allows for synchronization of femtosecond laser to external clock signal. Option is not retrofittable. Please order together with laser head.	1	6,400.00	6,400.00
3	RRE-SYNCR0 Repetition Rate Stabilization Complete phase lock electronic loop to phase lock the repetition rate of a pulsed laser to an external 56.5MHz RF reference. Unit requires SYNC100 or SYNC250 option in laser head and external reference signal (in case reference signal is not yet available, please call us to inquire about Menlo Systems' RF or optical reference solutions). Contains PID loop amplifier for fast modulation output and microcontroller for full automation. Proportional bandwidth >1.0 MHz (-3 dB) (Typ. 1.3 MHz; effective bandwidth depends on other components in the complete control loop). Front panel touch screen or remote control with PC (RS232 or USB).	1	27,100.00	27,100.00

Net amount

USD 90,000.00

Igor Pinayev and team

Orbit-drifts, noise/jitter, accuracy, slow feed-backs

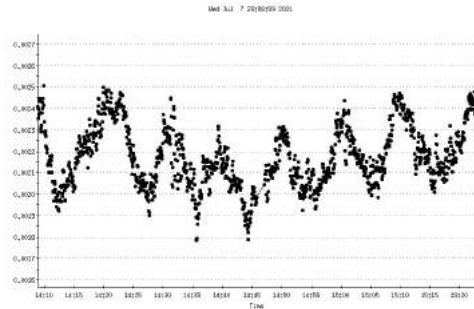
Uses triplet BPM and 1st modulator BPM for measurement of the incoming beam trajectory.

Uses dogleg BPM for energy measurement (D=0.295 m).

There are quadrupoles between the BPMs, therefore this method cannot be used for absolute energy measurement.

Coefficients k_1 and k_2 used for suppression of the betatron motion influence can be found using horizontal trims. They depend on the dogleg quadrupoles settings.

The dispersion in the common section should be close to zero.



$$\frac{\delta E}{E} = -\frac{X_{dogleg} + k_1 X_{acc} + k_2 X_{mod1}}{D}$$

Possible improvements

- Reduce number of passes in the regenerative amplifier
- Find and eliminate cause of saw-tooth modulation
- Increase laser spot size before the iris
- Add monitoring of the laser pulse
- **Replace drive laser**
- Implement orbit feedback for the linac axis and common section
- Configure the RF loopback compensation for the best performance (diagnostics line can be used)
- Implement beam-based energy feedback
- Identify power supplies mostly affecting beam trajectory (swap them with spares or into the less critical location)
- Adjust phase correction in the BPM for minimal noise

Andrey Sukhanov

Time resolved emittance and energy spread

Transverse Deflecting Cavity

It will convert the beam's longitudinal distribution to transverse distribution which is measurable

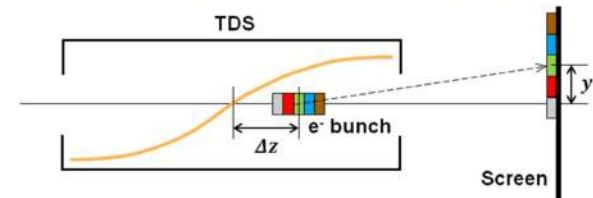


Table 1 key beam parameters of CEC 1.5nC operation

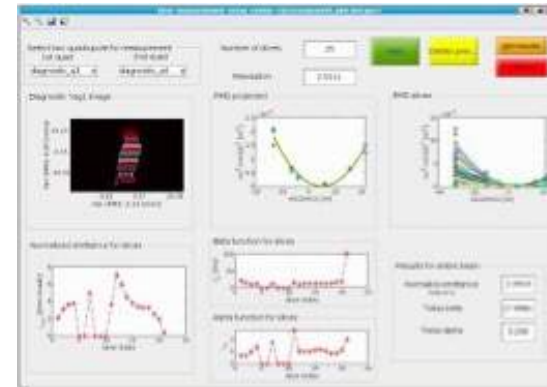
parameter	Symbol	Value	Unit
Beam size at yag without Deflecting cavity		-0.4	mm
Beta function at screen		0.1	m
Normalized rms emittance		-1.5	mm-mrad
Beam energy at deflector		14.5	MeV
Beam energy at screen		14.5	MeV
bunch length (edge to edge)		-30	ps

Table 2 Main parameters of 1.3GGHz TDS

parameter	Symbol	Value	Unit
RF deflector frequency	ω_{rf}	1.3	GHz
RF deflector shunt impedance	R_{sh}	-3.5	MΩ
RF deflector unloaded quality factor	Q	9450-10050	
RF deflector power	P_{rf}	-10	KW
RF deflector maximum accelerating voltage	V_{rf}	-0.26	MV

* resolution of <1ps (accurate to 1THz)

* measure the beam's longitudinal phase space info



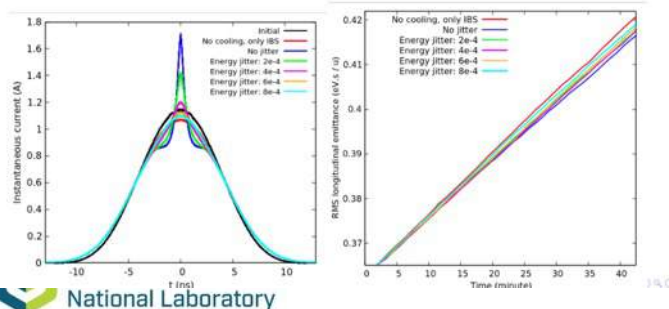
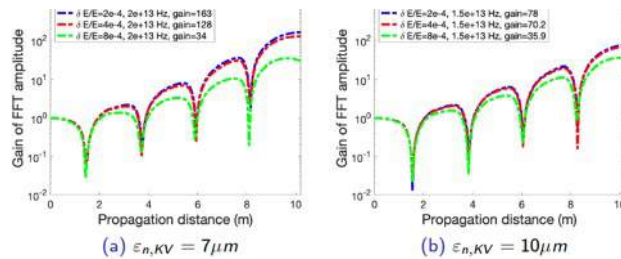
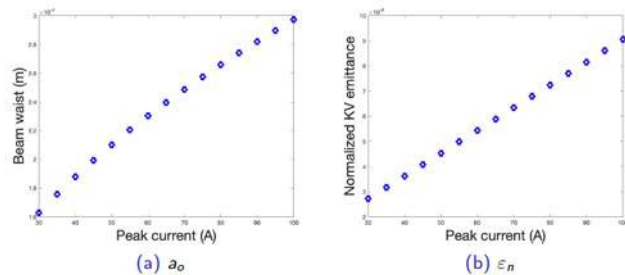
- Update the application for energy spread.
- Adopt the multi-slit application for CeC.
- Develop app for zero-crossing RF phase.
- Develop app for time-resolved emittance measurement, based on Matlab code from Yuan

Defining requirements for e-beam and CeC system

Jun Ma & team

Electron Beam Requirements for CeC Experiment

Sensitivity studies: energy spread & peak current, beam emittance and asymmetry, matching, orbit distortions, energy jitter

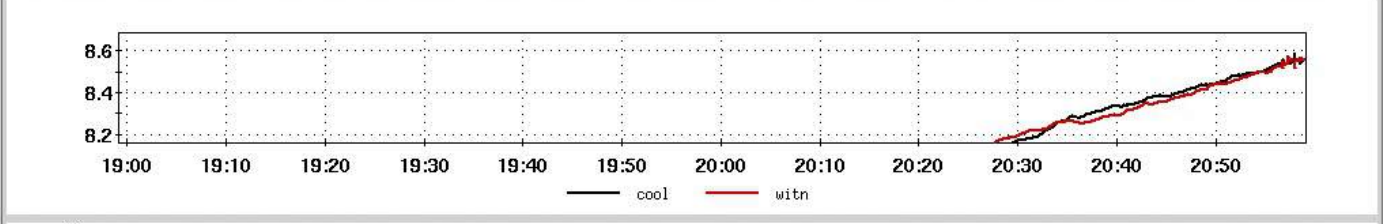
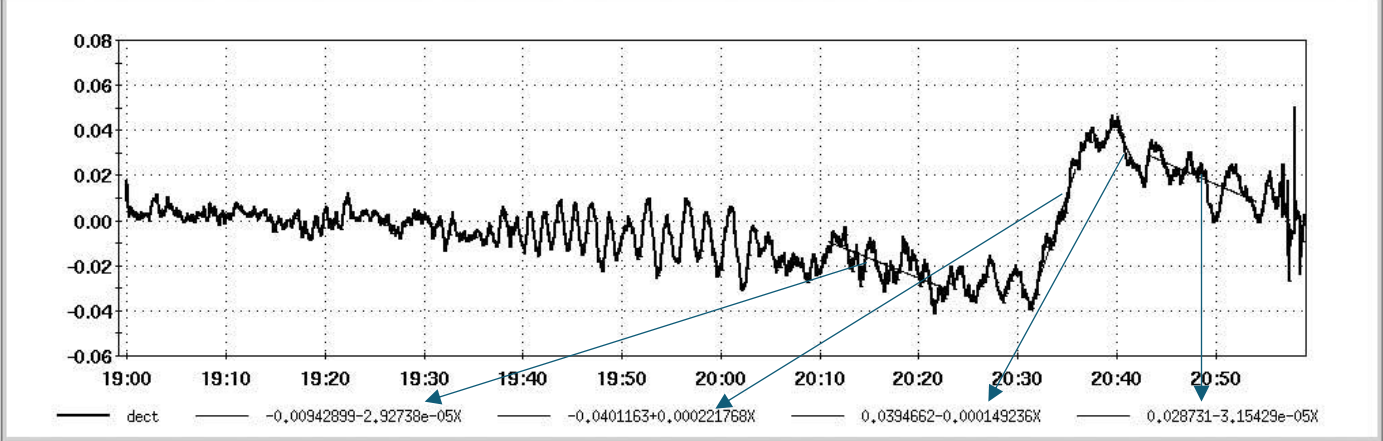
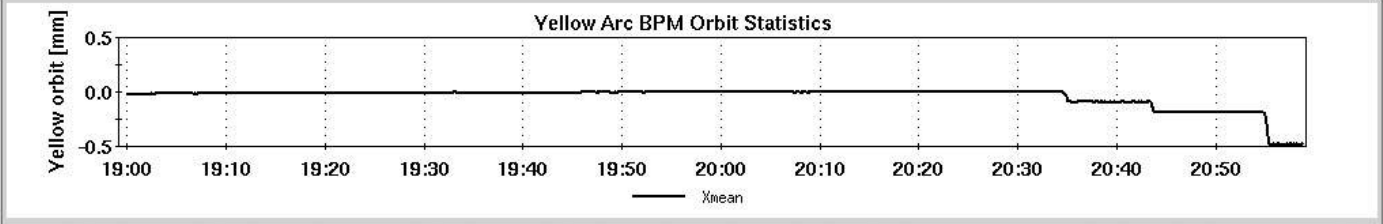
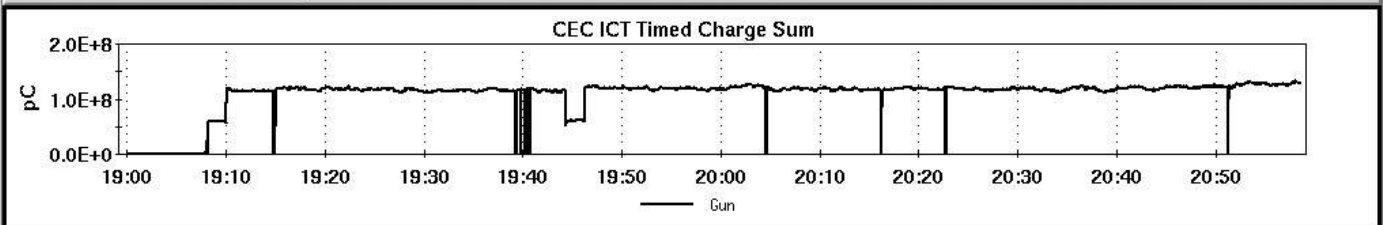


Yichao Jing & team

Requirements for CeC systems

Sensitivity studies: laser intensity and timing jitter, SRF gun, Bunching cavities and SRF linac voltage and phase jitter and drifts, power supplies jitter and drifts

Items	requirements	Beam parameter effect
Laser jitter (ps, rms)	5	$2e-4$ energy jitter
Laser intensity (rms)	1%, transverse uniformity needs improvement	Peak current variation
Trim PS (A, rms)	$5e-5$	10 μm orbit jitter in common section
Gun phase (deg, rms)	< 0.1	< 0.2 kV/ps energy chirp for core
Gun voltage (kV, rms)	< 0.5 kV	For less than < 1 ps separation between peak current and energy slices
buncher phase (deg, rms)	0.2	Energy jitter $< 2e-4$, chirp jitter < 0.2 kV/ps
buncher voltage (kV, rms)	1.4	Chirp jitter < 0.2 kV/ps



31 new calculated point(s) successfully added to dataset
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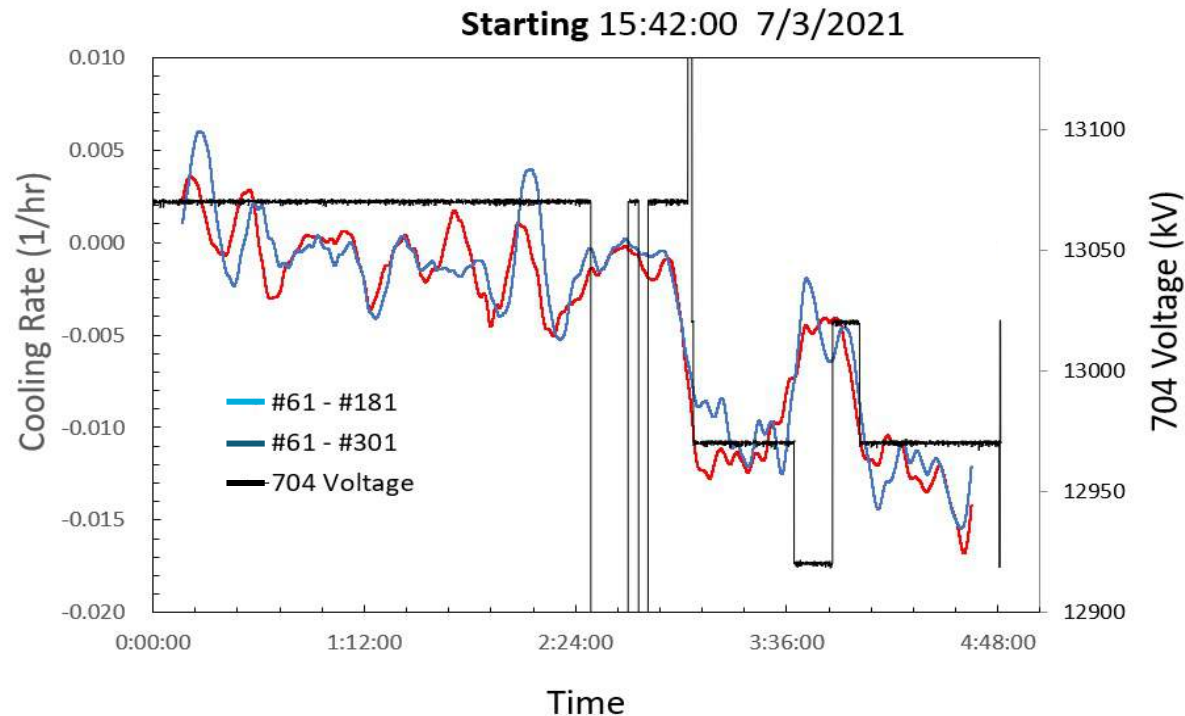
Analysis

We continue analysis of the cooling data and plan to publish our findings

Fastest observed cooling was ~ 16 hrs

Changing beam energy by 0.5% from optimum recombination significantly reduced cooling

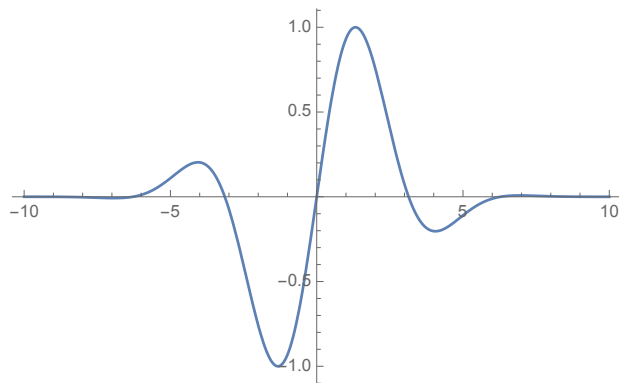
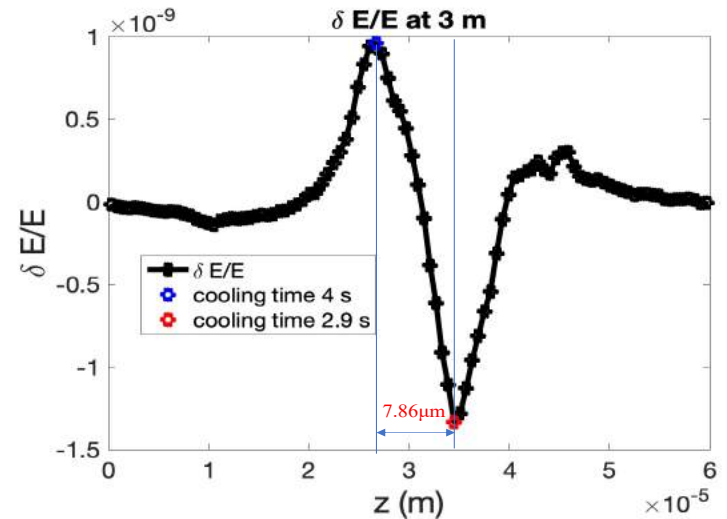
We currently analyzed $\sim 50\%$ of data



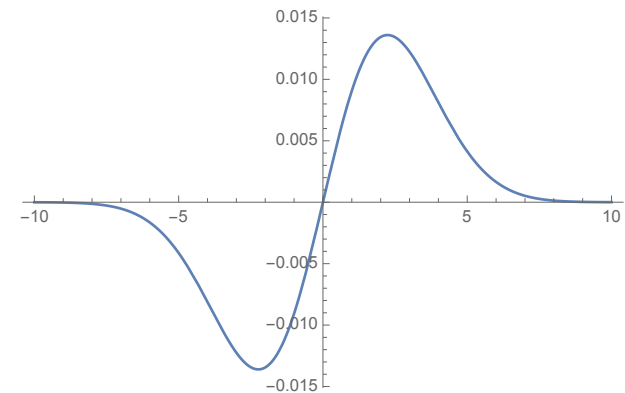
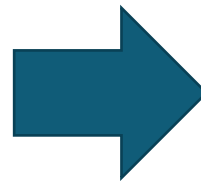
Understanding results

Relative e-beam energy variations of 0.02% required to stay within cooling range

Relative e-beam energy jitter with RMS value of 0.1% results in 125-fold reduction of the cooling force



No energy jitter, KPP beam

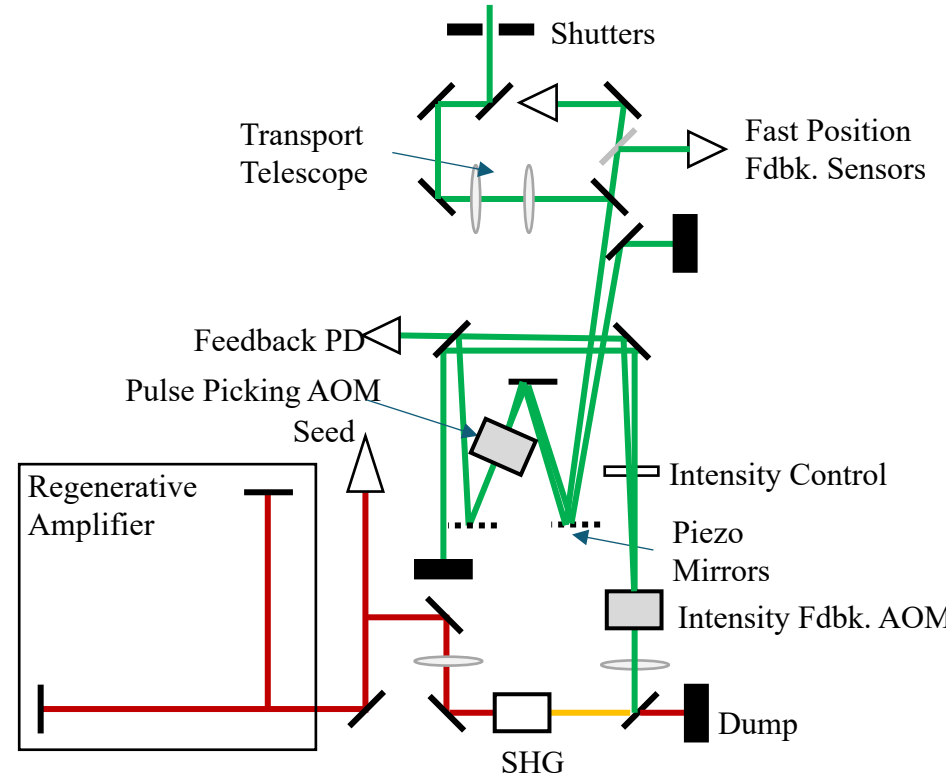


Energy jitter of 0.1% RMS, KPP beam

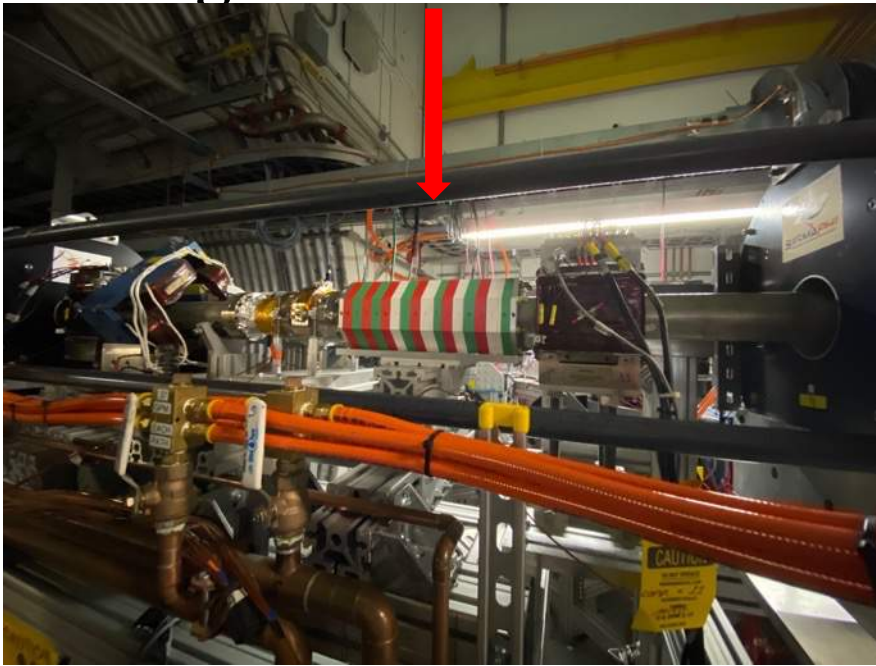
Laser system layout for run22

- New seed laser with 5 psec RMS time jitter is installed and is operational
- Bandwidth for operation at variable repetition rates (78kHz-5MHz)
- Exchange of IR Pockels Cell Pulse Picker with AOM to enable 0-100% duty cycle operation for high repetition rate operation (1-5MHz)
- Maintaining CW beam throughout the entire system to enable high bandwidth position and intensity feedbacks and limit thermal effects from repetition rate changes
- Addition of second AOM for fast intensity feedback
 - Still need to work out efficient noise detection method to reach 2kHz feedback.

As risk reduction strategy, we used contingency funding and ordered a new back-up seed mode-locked laser system capable of 0.2 psec jitter



Diagnostics undulator and cryo-cooled IR detector



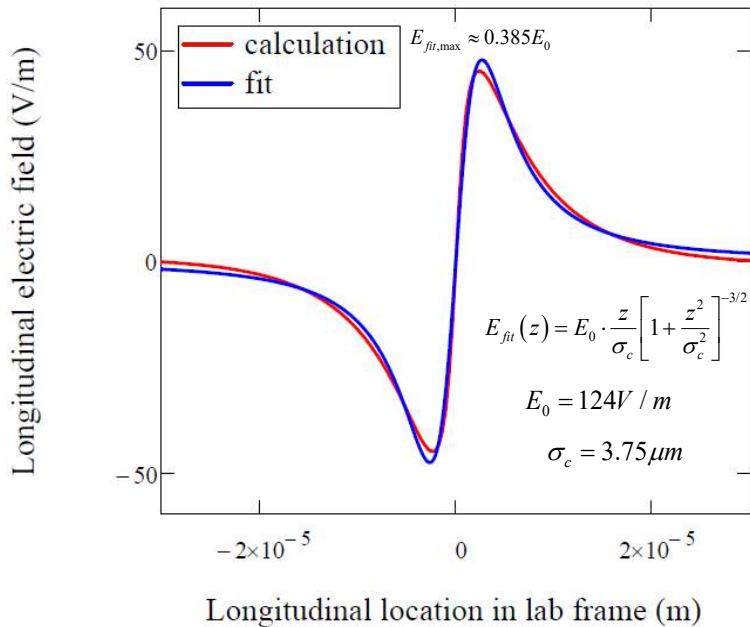
Parameter	Value	Units
Period	8	cm
Gap	7.9	cm
Peak field	0.6	kGs
Radiated power at 50% beam current	9	nW
Fundamental wavelength @ $\gamma=28.5$	54	μm
Central frequency @ $\gamma=28.5$	5.5	THz
Third harmonic	16.6	THz
F_3/F_1	0.04	

- ✓ New cryo-cooled IR detector has ~ 100 better signal to noise ratio
- ✓ Diagnostics undulator would generate radiation at 5.5 THz and 16.6 THz frequencies, which are within the bandwidth of the Plasma-Cascade Amplifier (PCA) *
- ✓ This system would allow us to evaluate both the gain and the spectrum of PCA

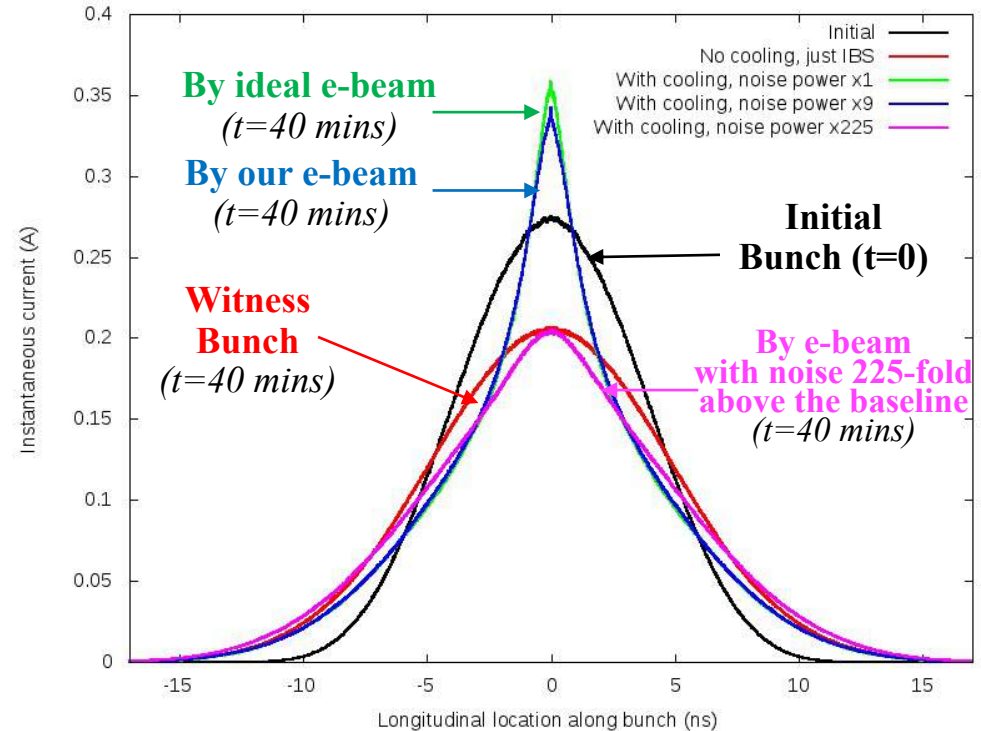
**PCA gain peaks at 16 THz. In Runs 20-21 we used IR radiation from bending magnet, which peaks at 0.8 THz and is complete mismatch for the PCA*

Our predictions did not change

Predicted evolution of the 26.5 GeV/u ion bunch profile in RHIC in 40 minutes



Simulated and fitted (used in simulations of the ion beam cooling) energy kick in the PCA-based CeC experiment system



Black – initial profile (t=0)

Red – witness (non-interacting) bunch at t=40 mins

Interacting bunches for various levels of noise in the e-beam:

Green – nominal statistical shot noise (baseline)

Dark blue – 9 fold above the baseline

Pink – 225 fold above the baseline

Cooling will occur if electron beam noise is below 225-times the base-line (shot noise)

We demonstrated beams with noise as low as 6-times the baseline

Plan for Run 22 includes optimizing for STAR data taking

- ❑ We followed recommendations RHIC Program Advisory Committee:
 - ❑ **Early completion of the CeC X to allow STAR using of increasing RHIC performance towards the end of RHIC run**
 - ❑ **36-hrs blocks of dedicated time reduce loss of time for RHIC switching between pp to Au-ion operations**
- ❑ Plan for CeC Run 22 with 16 days of dedicated time was fully developed. Recently announced
 - ❑ Restore operation of CeC accelerator
 - ❑ Establish electron beam KPP (including low energy jitter)
 - ❑ Align electron and ion beams trajectories and γ -factors
 - ❑ Restore operation of the high-gain Plasma-Cascade Amplifier
 - ❑ Attempt to demonstrate/investigate longitudinal CeC
 - ❑ Decision point: continue investigate longitudinal CeC or switch to 3D cooling CeC studies
- ❑ Key improvements to the CeC operations in Run 22:
 - ❑ New seed laser for reduced time jitter improving the electron beam energy stability
 - ❑ Strengthen CeC operation group by adding some scientists from LEReC group

Original Summary Schedule

November 20 -30	December 1-31	January 1-31
<p>Start of the Run Align CeC solenoids Restart CeC accelerator Generate electron beam Complete all systems</p>	<p>Ramp Au ion beam to CeC store TRDL and e-beam KPPs Propagate electron beam through CeC Establish energy stabilizations Establish high gain PCA Align electron and ion beams Match beam's relativistic factors</p>	<p>Establish CeC X setting Perform energy scan: 41 set point x 4 hours Investigate longitudinal CeC <i>Decision point:</i> <i>Continue 1D or switch to 3D CeC?</i></p>

February 1-28	March 1 – April 4
<p>Data Analysis Contingency: Work on improving e-beam Switching to 3D CeC setting</p>	<p>Contingency: Use reserved time to complete 1D CeC or investigate 3D CeC</p>

Continuous modifications to the Schedule

Our goal is to demonstrate CeC in Run 22

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Summary

- Project remains on schedule and on budget
- Damage to the SRF gun and laser timing jitter impeded demonstrating longitudinal CeC during Run 20.

New low-jitter laser has arrived. It was installed and is operating.

- CeC X retreat was very successful – we plan to repeat it next year
- We developed detailed plan with 16 days of dedicated time for Run 22 for RHIC Run 22.
- We adjusting it to evolving RHIC start-up schedule with goal to accomplish as many tasks as possible
- **Our goal is to demonstrate the PCA CeC during Run 22**
- **Main remaining concern**
 - **COVID-19 and its effect on the schedule**
 - **Short run with delay of full cool-down may also affect dedicated time available to CeC**
- We continue developing theory and 3D CeC simulations:
 - CeC X: PCA amplitude gain 100, bandwidth 15 THz
 - Alternative EIC CeC: PCA amplitude gain 400, Bandwidth 500 THz

Thank you for attention