

Introduction

Laser-Compton scattering experiments, as an alternative schemes for polarized positron source of ILC, have a good potential to be expanded into very wide, various, and interesting field. For example, not only for physics and accelerator applications, medical and industrial applications are expected. In addition to high power laser and external cavity developments, recently, **fiber laser** becomes an important clue for this field. According those point of view, we want to introduce some experimental topics presented in PosiPol 2007, LAL-Orsay.

- Contents of this talk

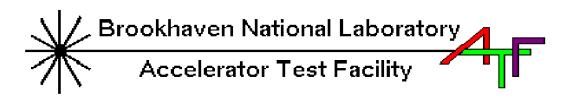
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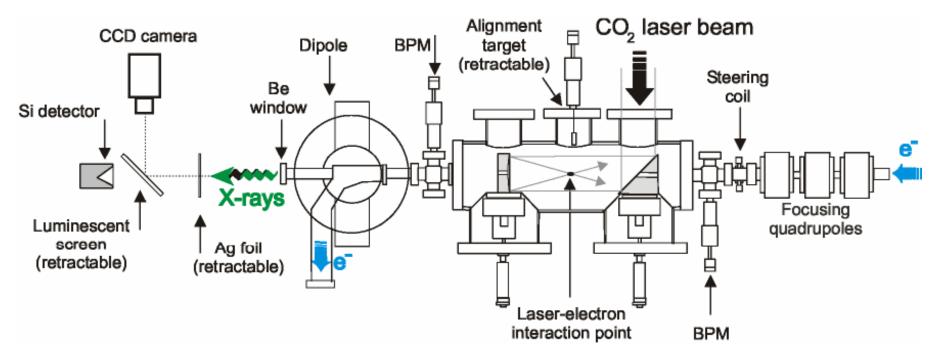
- about Fiber Laser

Compton Exp. at BNL

- Using 60MeV electron beam.
- 1TW CO₂ laser in 50mHz frequency.
 (** 1-path experiment)
- Scattering with 0-deg. angle.
 (head-on scattering achieved with holed mirror)



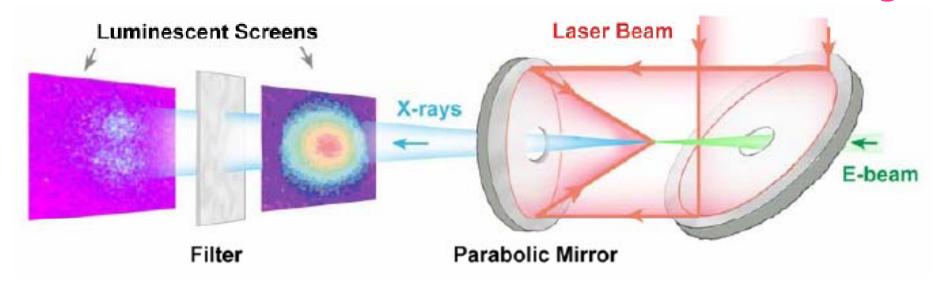
Electron beam: energy 60 MeV, bunch charge 0.2 nC, duration 3.5 psec (FWHM), transverse size $45\times80 \,\mu\text{m}^2(RMS)$. Laser pulse: wavelength 10.6 µm energy 2 J, duration 5 ps (FWHM), focal spot size 35 μ m (RMS).

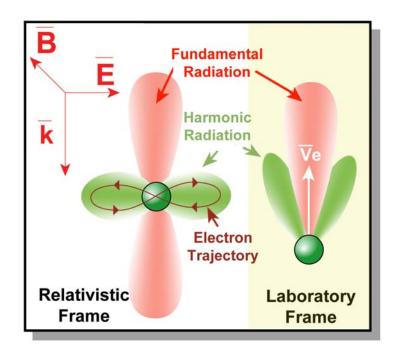


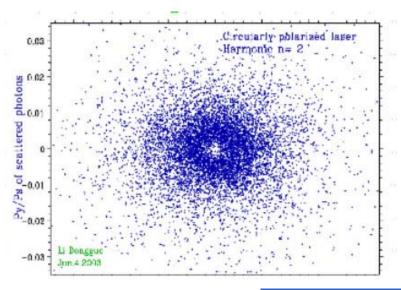




Observation of Nonlinear Thomson Scattering









Quantitative agreement of the BNL experiment results

e-beam - size 60 μ m (RMS), charge 0.2 nC, duration 3.5 ps (FWHM); **laser** - energy 2 J, size 35 μ m (RMS), duration 5 ps (FWHM).

Parameter	total	harmonics	
Number of x-ray photons at IP	3×10 ⁸	1.6×10 ⁷	
Integral x-ray energy at IP (eV)	1012	1.5×10 ¹¹	
Number of x-ray photons at detector	7×10 ⁷	1.5×10 ⁷	
Energy on detector (eV)	4×10 ¹¹	4×10 ¹⁰	Agrees with
Filtered energy on detector (eV)	3.1×10 ¹⁰	3.0×10 ¹⁰	experiment

Conclusions:

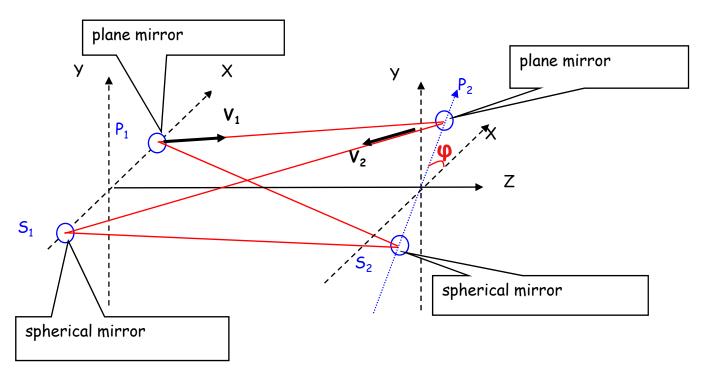
- •15% of the x-ray energy goes into harmonics
- •The x-ray signal filtered by the 10- μ m Ag foil consists primarily of harmonics
- •0.2 nC bunch contains 1.25×10^9 electrons, i.e. 4 times the number of photons generated at IP. However, due to the approximately two times bigger crosssection of the *e*-beam compared with the laser focus, only $\sim1/4$ of the total electrons in the bunch participated in scattering.
- Thus, we conclude that x-ray yield is close to $N\gamma/Ne\sim1$, as is required for ILC.

Exp. at LAL and ATF

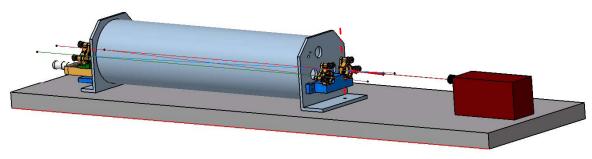
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external c	avity to stack lase	r beam.
Strocthie to	addireve Pargity enh	andementality
small bea	m spot ^{ostocel}	(concentric)
Finesse	~10000	~1000
Waist Size (2σ)	< 20µm	60µm
beginning	without e-beam	with ATF beam
	(Exp. to verify high	(Exp. aimed at
	quality cavity)	getting γ-rays)

R&D Report from LAL

Four mirrors 2D or 3D cavities

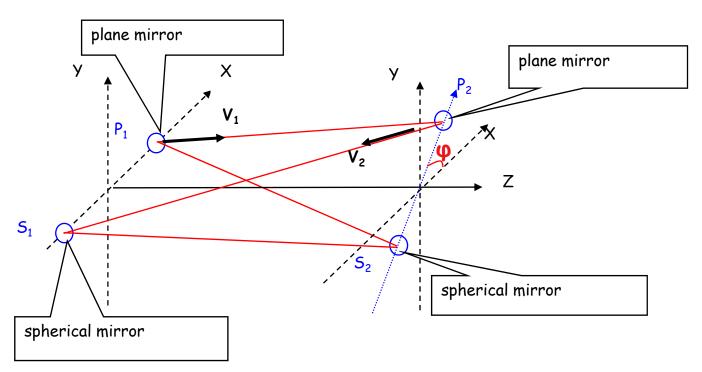




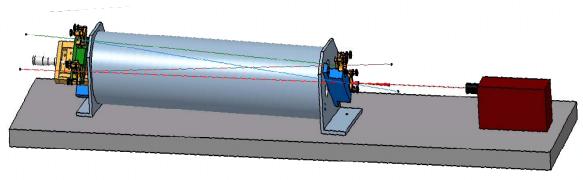




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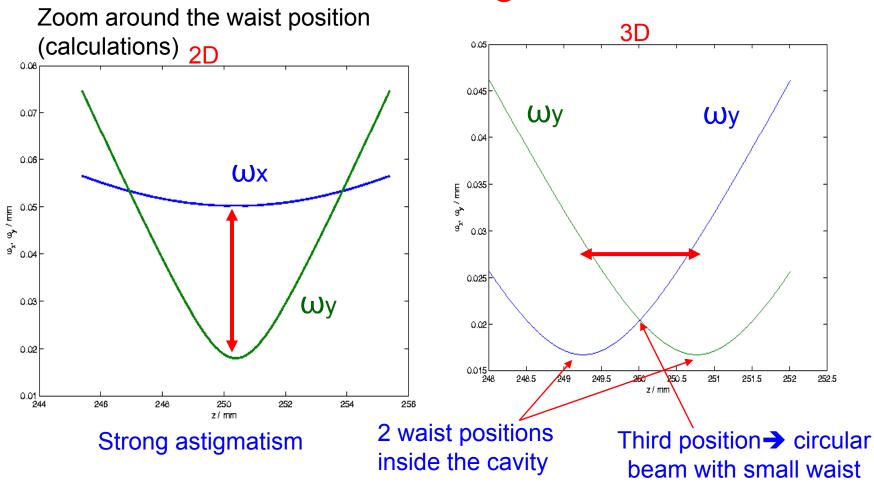






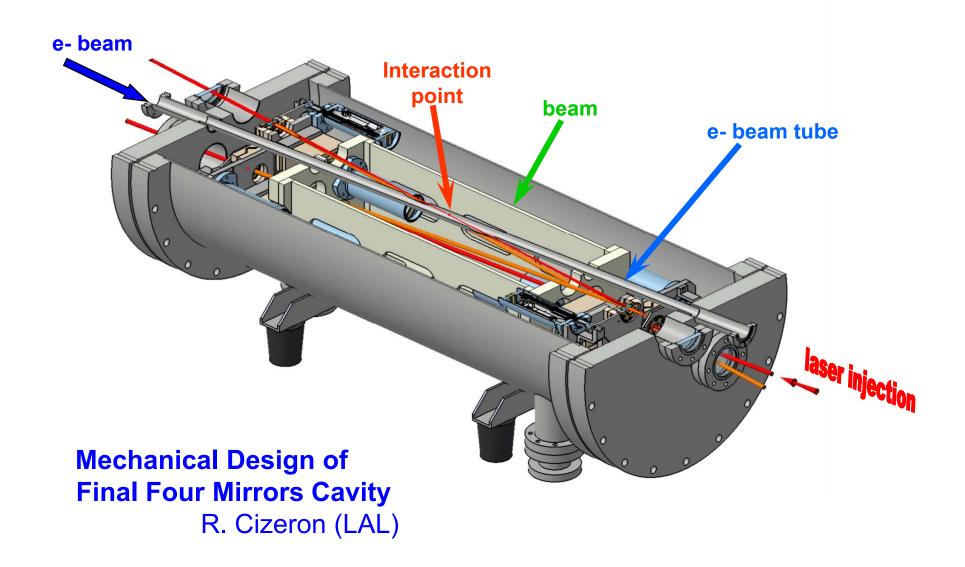


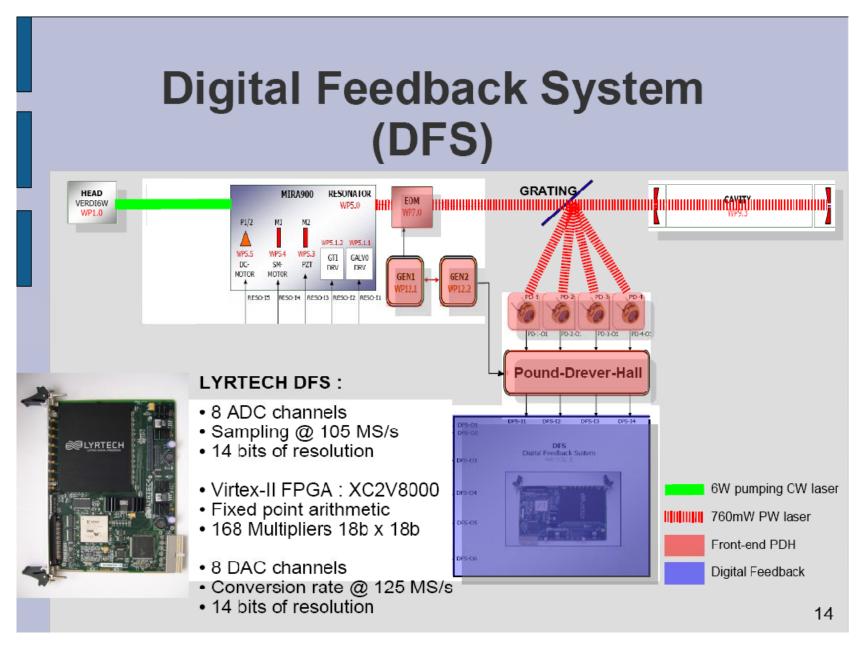
Comparison of Astigmatism in 2D & 3D Configuration



astigmatism compensated in 3D config. → results reproduced with measured data .

LAL group is also preparing exp. with e-beam

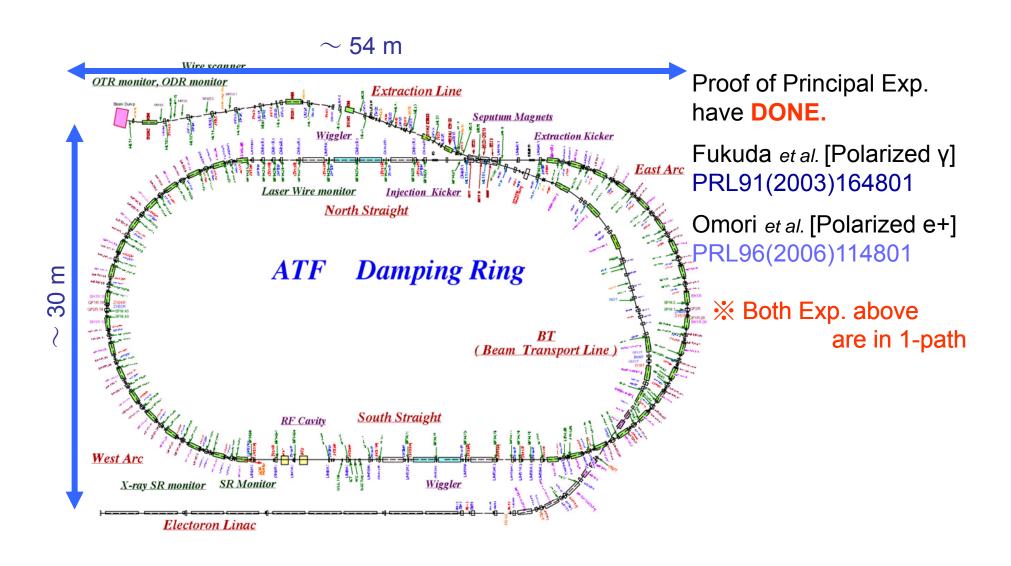




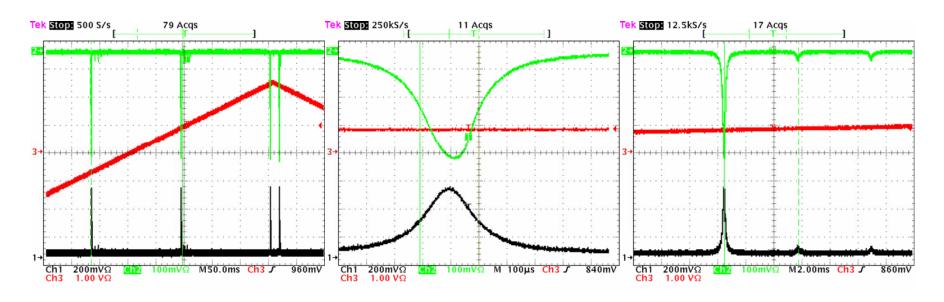
Fast Digital Feedback for Cavity Locking
R. Chiche (LAL)

R&D Report from ATF

The Clue is Accelerator Test Facility (ATF)

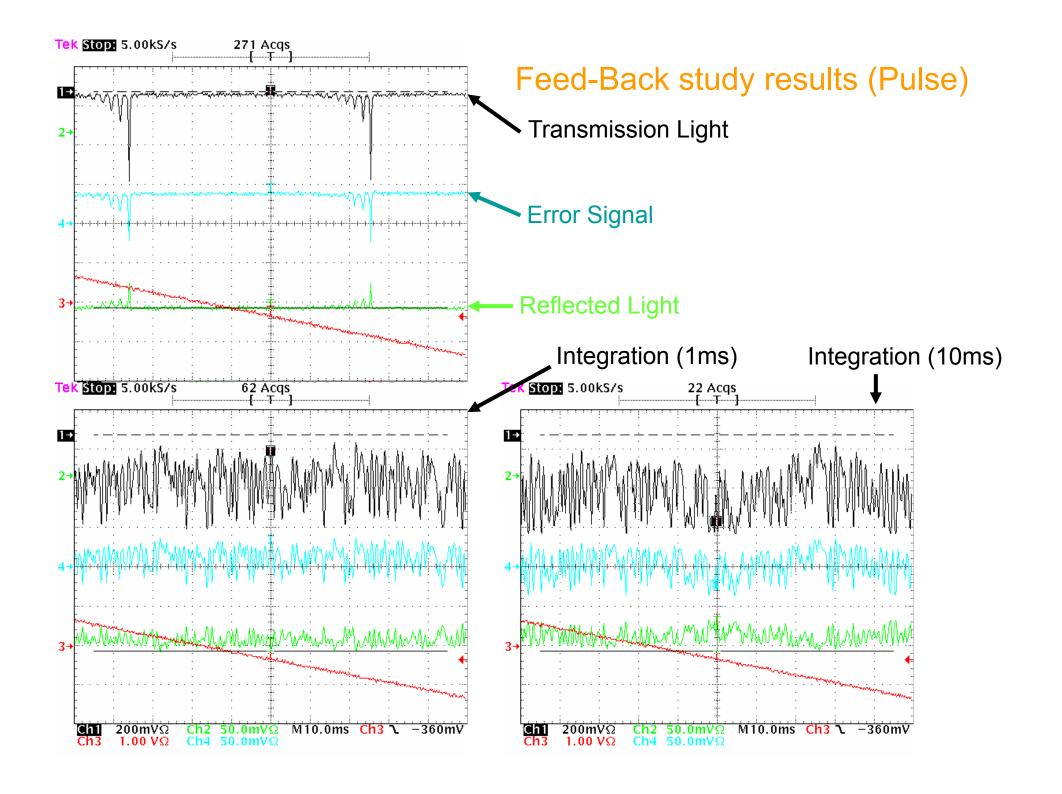


Typical examples of observations



- With training configuration, $800 \sim 900$ finesse can be reached constantly.
- Also, observed beam waist achieved inside the cavity is stably about 60µm.

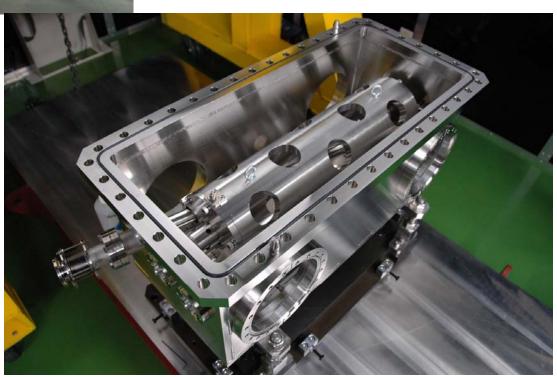
- With 10W mode-lock laser, achieved finesse is 200 and beam waist size is 67μm.
 - → Mode matching is still imperfect.
- First try to take a feed-back
 - → CW laser case, it works well
 - → Pulse laser case, jitter is still large





Real Cavity constructed in ATF

Cavity fixed inside of the real vacuum chamber



Talks about Fiber Laser

- 4 talks (title includes "fiber") in the conference.
 - - M. Hanna (Institut d'Optique-Palaiseau)
 - **○High power fiber lasers perspectives**
 - Y. Zaouter (CELIA/Amplitude Systemes)
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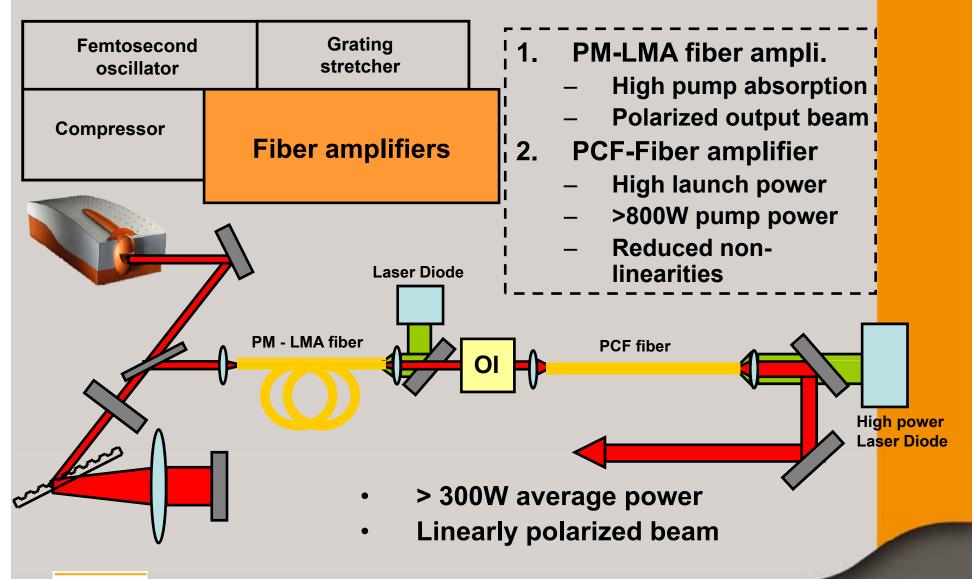
Outline of the talk

- Interests of Yb-doped fibers as amplifier medium
 - How to use the advantages of fibers?
 - How to handle or avoid disadvantages of fibers?
 - The double-clad yb-doped fiber concept
 - The micro-structured fibers
- High power / High energy fiber amplifiers
 - Existing systems
- The ANR project LAL / Amplitude Systemes





ANR LAL / Amplitude Systemes

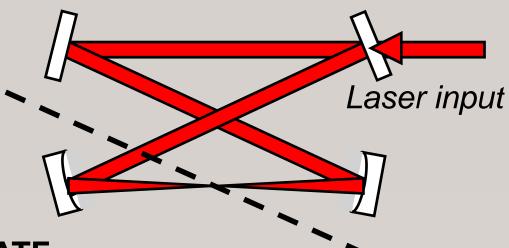




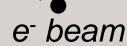
ANR LAL / Amplitude Systemes

Laser system designed by **Amplitude Systemes**

- Injection in a super high finess FB-cavity
 - Gain $\sim 10^4 10^5$
- **Small interaction region**
 - **Multi-MW** pulses stacked
- Non-planar geometry
 - Circular polarization
 - Polarized positrons source



Installation at KEK / ATF





For more information,

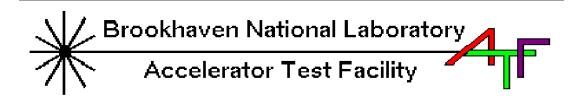




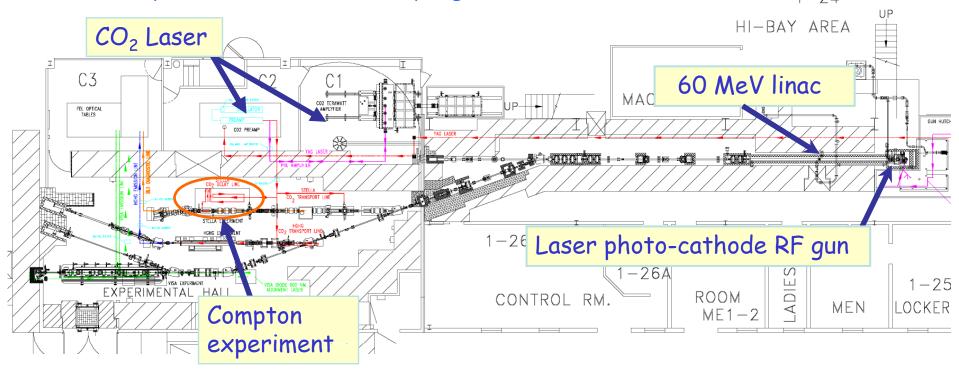
Conclusion

- Presented the best performances to date
 - High power fibre-CPA
 - High energy fibre-CPA
- Design of the project submitted to ANR
 - Very high power 1-ps amplifier with a synchro-locked laser seed
 - Non-planar FP-cavity
 - FPGA global control of the experiment
- Installation at KEK / ATF
 - Production of polarized positrons





- The BNL-ATF is the only facility in the world equipped for testing the Compton scattering process close to these optimum conditions outlined above.
- The main equipment for the test includes a 5-ps CO_2 laser and a 60-MeV high-brightness photocathode RF electron-linac. A relatively low e-beam energy does not change the underlying physics of the Compton interaction, but merely shifts the scattered photons into the soft x-ray region of 6.5 keV.





Quick Summary of LAL & ATF

- LAL
 - → astigmatism study (2D&3D)
 - → stability check of beam size
 - → new design report for scattering exp.
 - → fast digital feedback

- ATF
 - → basic study with pulse laser
 - → feedback study with

CW laser

→ feedback study with

pulse laser

→ construction report

This talk is...

as a brief summery report of some experimental talks and also closely related topics given at LAL, Orsay.

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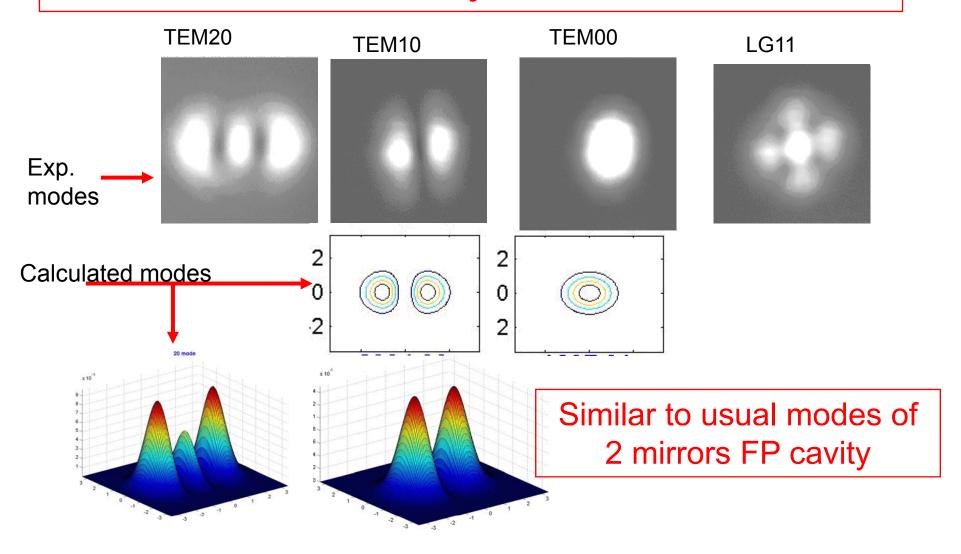
- Experimental Report

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- Other Related Topics
 - **♦** Fiber Laser

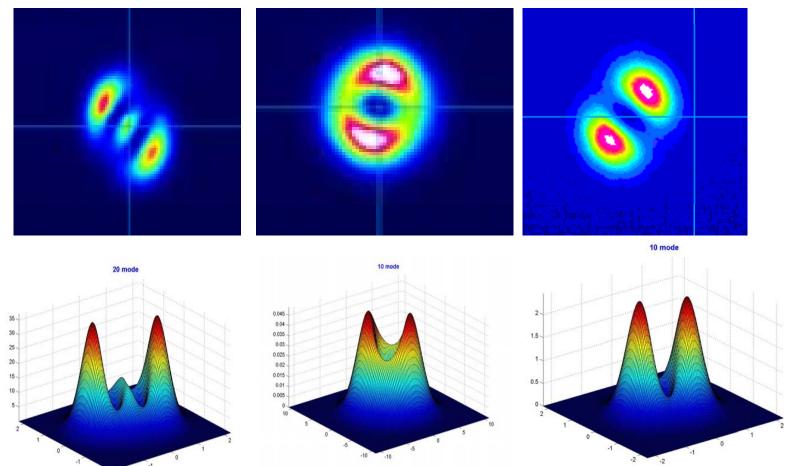
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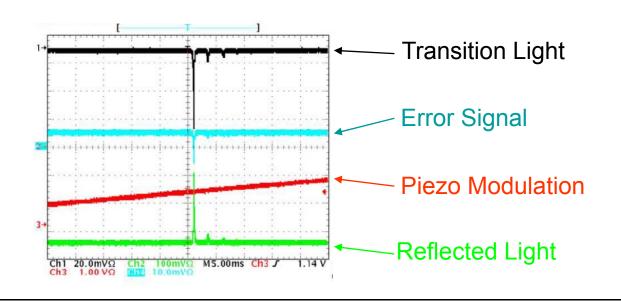
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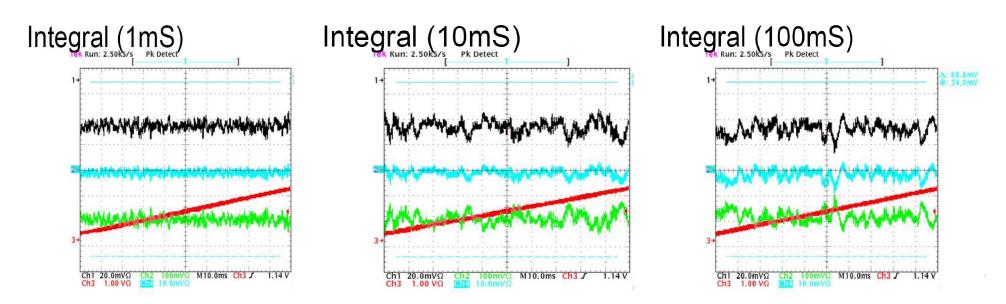
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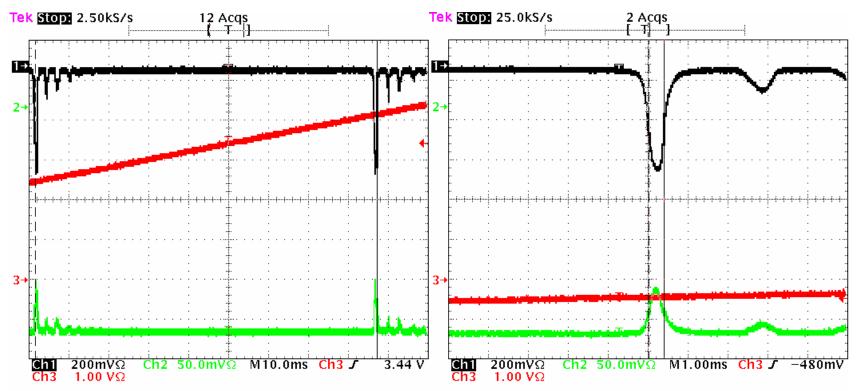
Feedback Study Results with CW case



 Those results are obtained with each time constant (parenthetic).



first try with pulse laser



- Have not reached to the best matching condition yet.
 - \rightarrow achieved finesse \sim 200
 - ightarrow beam waist size \sim 67 μ m
- Need more practice to erase higher mode peaks, and to get more high finesse value.