



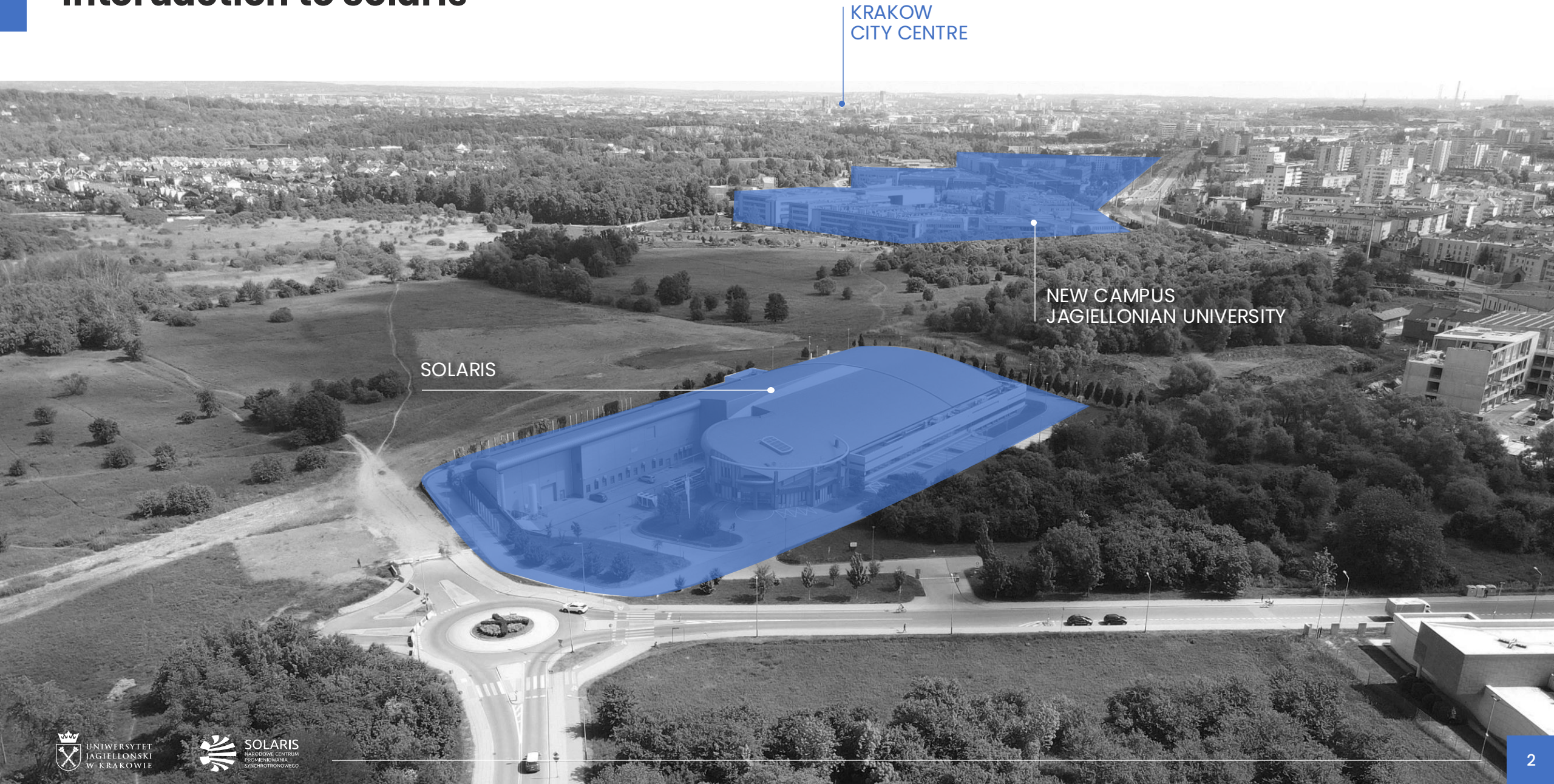
Status of Accelerators

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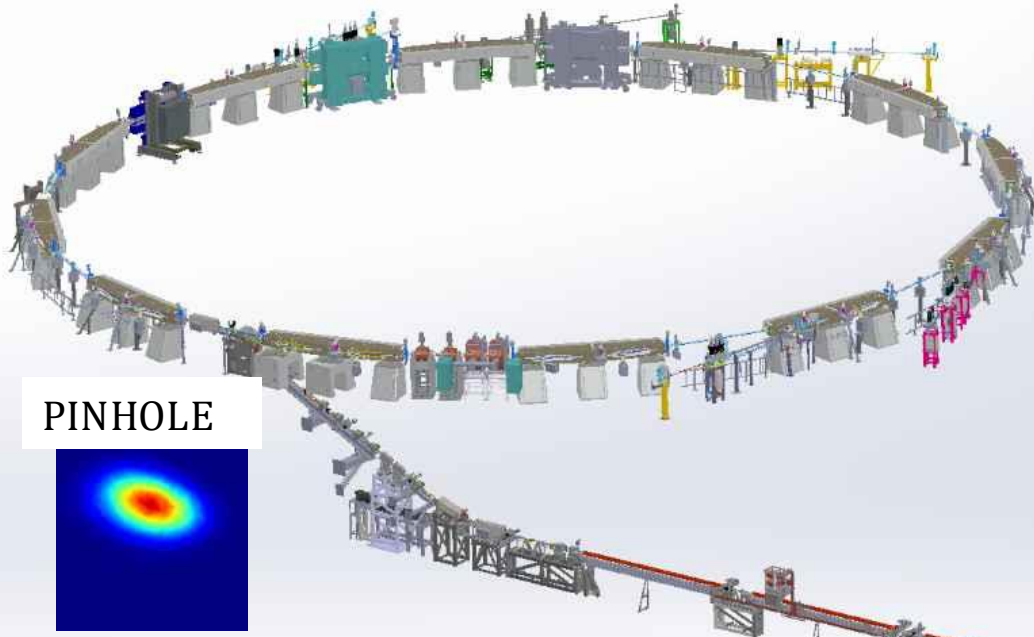


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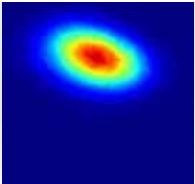
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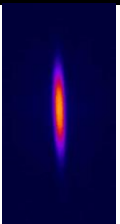
SOLARIS Accelerators



PINHOLE



LUMOS



600 MeV Linac

- RF Thermionic Gun
- 6 S-band 2998.5 MHz accelerating structures
- Accelerating gradient 20 MeV/m
- 3 RF Units & SLED cavities
- Dog-leg vertical transfer line
- In operation since Dec. 2014



1.5 GeV Storage ring

- 12 DBA Cells – 96 m circumference
- Space for ID's (10 sections) ~ 3.5 m
- 10 straight sections for IDs
- 100 MHz RF system
- 300 MHz Landau Cavities
- Injection dipole kicker
- Ramping
- In operation since May 2015



Parameter	Value
Energy	1.5 GeV
Max. current	500 mA
Harmonic number	32
Natural emittance	6 nmrad
Lifetime	13 h

Research Infrastructure

SOLARIS offers research at 7 synchrotron beamlines and at 2 Cryo-TEMs

Instruments available for users (12)

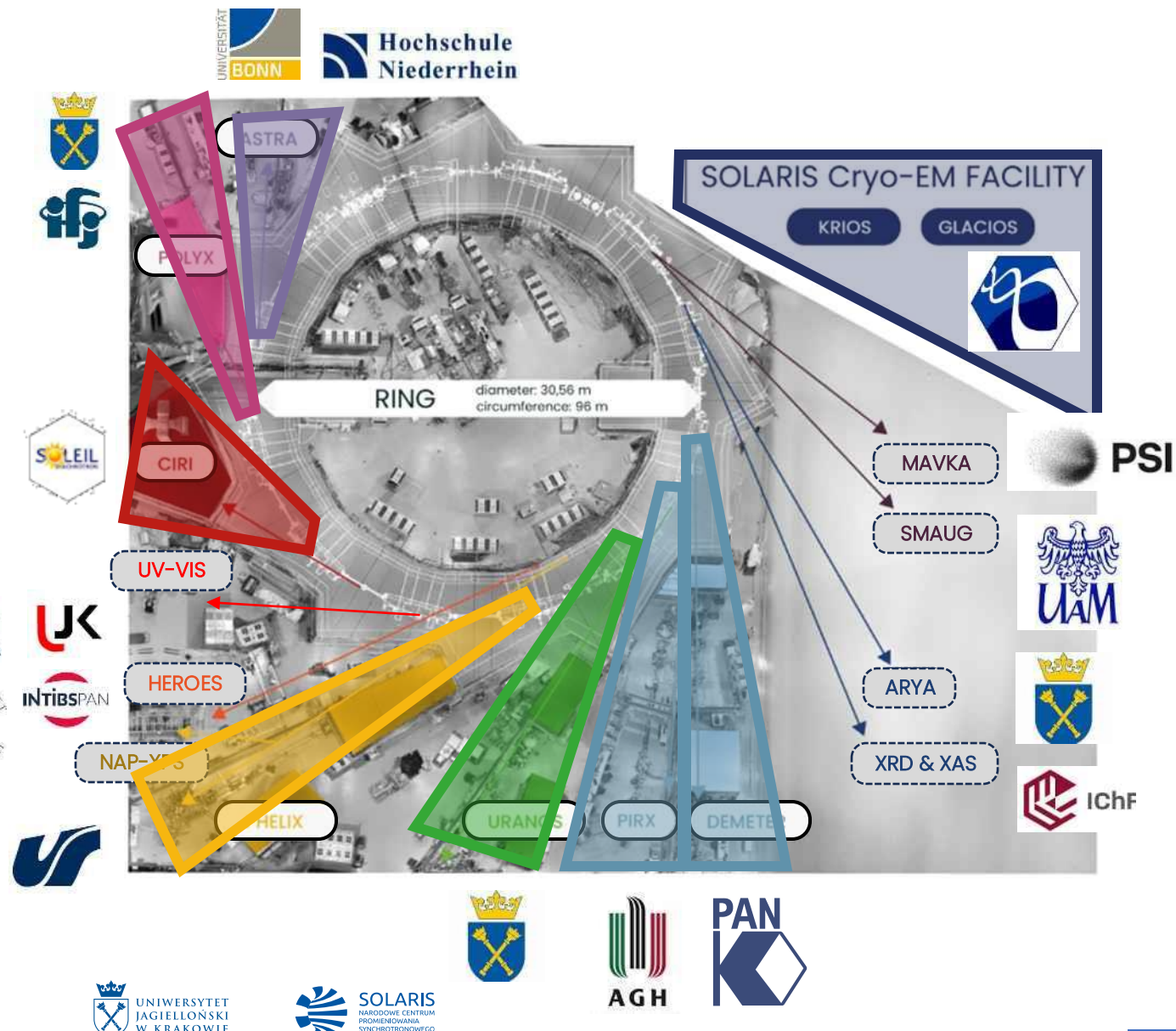
- IR microspectroscopy (3)
- VUV and soft X-ray spectroscopy at UHV (3)
- soft X-ray microscopy (2)
- tender & hard X-ray spectroscopy
- hard X-ray microscopy & tomography
- Cryo TEM (2)

Instruments under construction (5)

- X-ray photoemission at near AP
- macromolecular crystallography
- tender & hard X-ray micro/nano-beam
- small angle (hard) X-ray scattering
- hard X-ray spectroscopy, diffraction and inelastic scattering

Projects (5)

- Hard X-ray photoemission instrument
- Surface scattering instrument
- Operando RXES beamline
- UV-Vis and irradiation laboratory
- Next generation Cryo TEM



SOLARIS OPERATION: Operation Schedule

Jan 2025				Feb 2025				Mar 2025				Apr 2025				May 2025				Jun 2025				Jul 2025				Aug 2025				Sep 2025				Oct 2025				Nov 2025				Dec 2025			
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Beam for
beamlines/Users

185 days/year

Machine
development
/maintenance

75 days/year

Shutdown

79 days/year

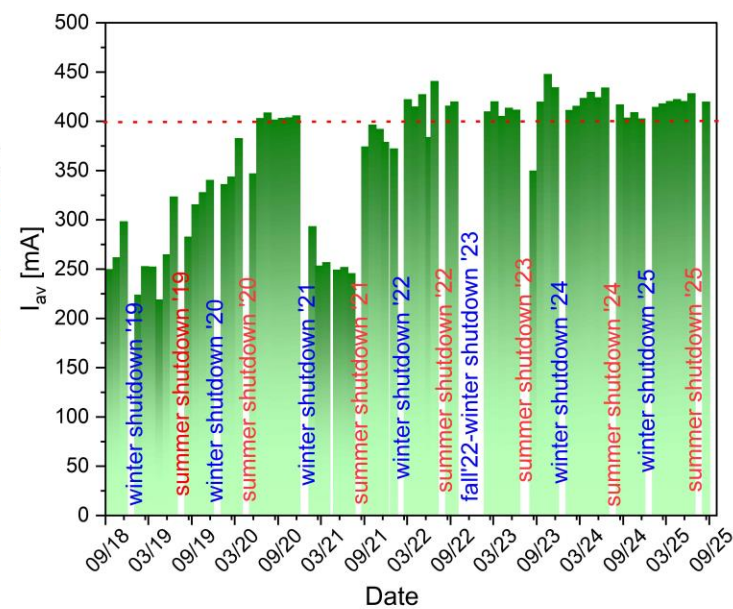
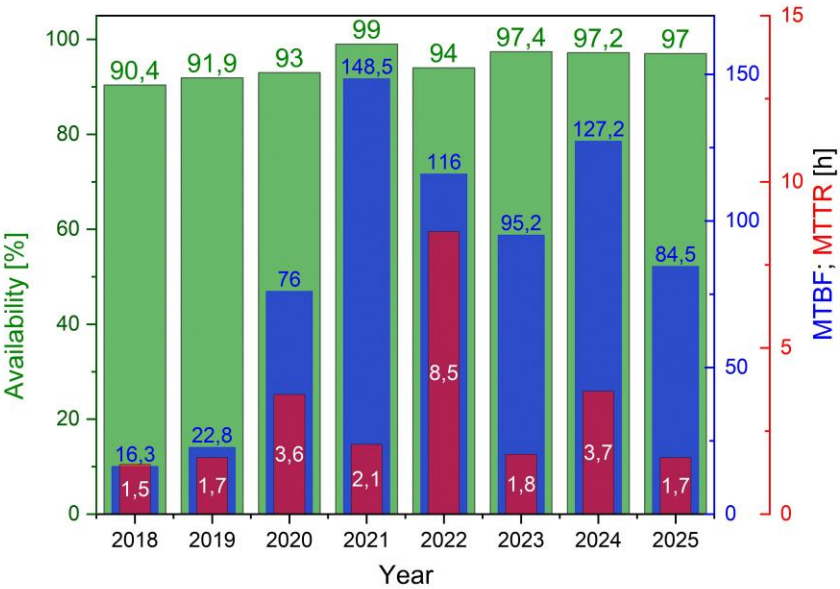
STANDRAD OPERATION 24/7 since 2025r.

- 2 shifts (8:00-16:00; 14:00-22:00),
- Mondays (from 8:00 am) for machine studies, developments and maintenance
- Tue-Mon (until 8:00 am) –User Operation
- On-call duties 22:00-2:00
- Operation in decay mode, full filling pattern
- 2 injections/day

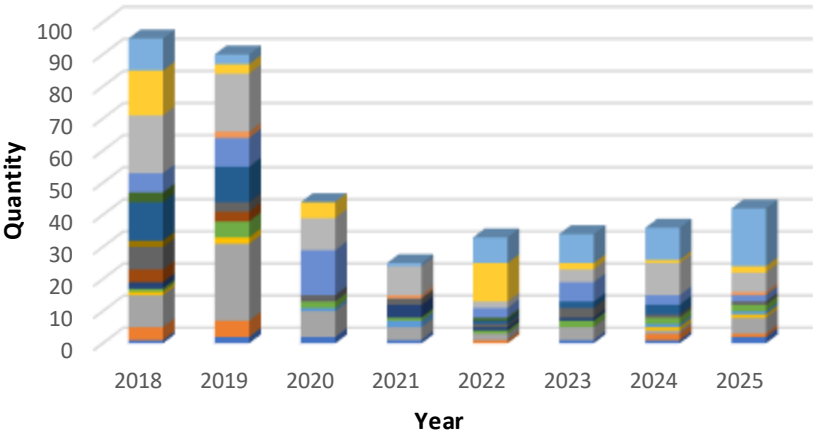


■ Accelerators development ■ Beamlines and user operation
■ Beamlines and user operation extras

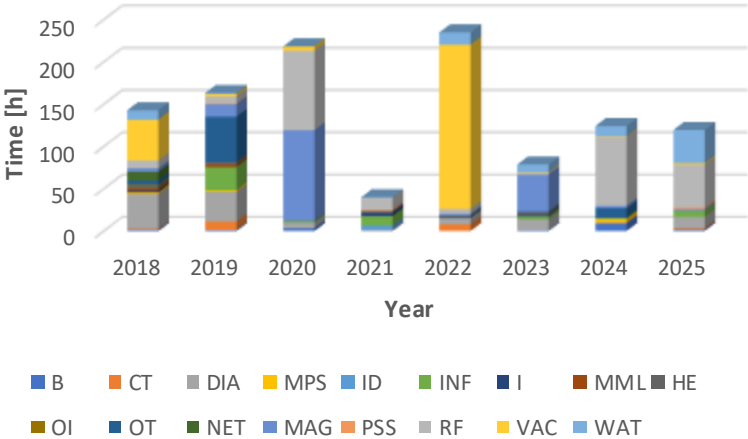
SOLARIS OPERATION: STATISTICS



Failures by number



Failures by time



Main Failures

RF Chopper – 100MHz pulsed amplifier failure

- At the beginning of 2025, the RF power pulsed amplifier of the 100MHz chopper was damaged, without apparent cause. The LDMOS power transistor burned out. Amplifier and preamplifier modules was repaired and the transistor was replaced.

High Power Switching Unit (HPSU) for modulator

- Several switching modules HPSU in the modulator are no longer manufactured, and we are working on ut

IGBT transistors were failing. The transistors used are no

Timing system: Kontron CP6004 CPU module

- Several damaged boards. Our approach is to replace parts are not available.

some time. Next step is to replace chip to another one. New

Libera Brilliance RAF modules damaged

- Around once per 6 months randomly damaged capacitors.

is easy and takes half an hour: just replace four 10 uF 0805

Water circuit interlocks in storage ring

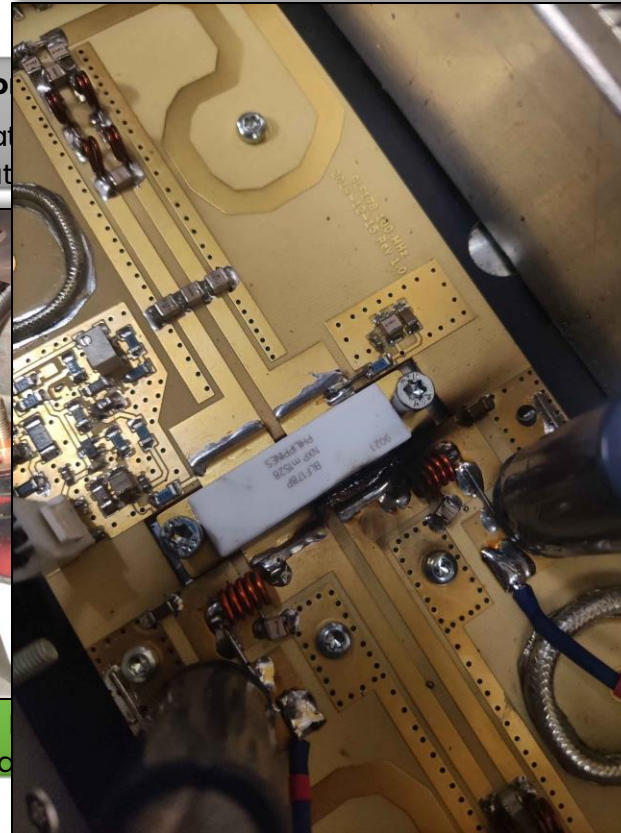
- Problems with water flow inside the coils of the storage ring. Detection of water flow anomalies and detection in critical regions. Design and manufa

new portable monitoring system (Watson) for temperature monitoring

Water interlocks on main power supplies

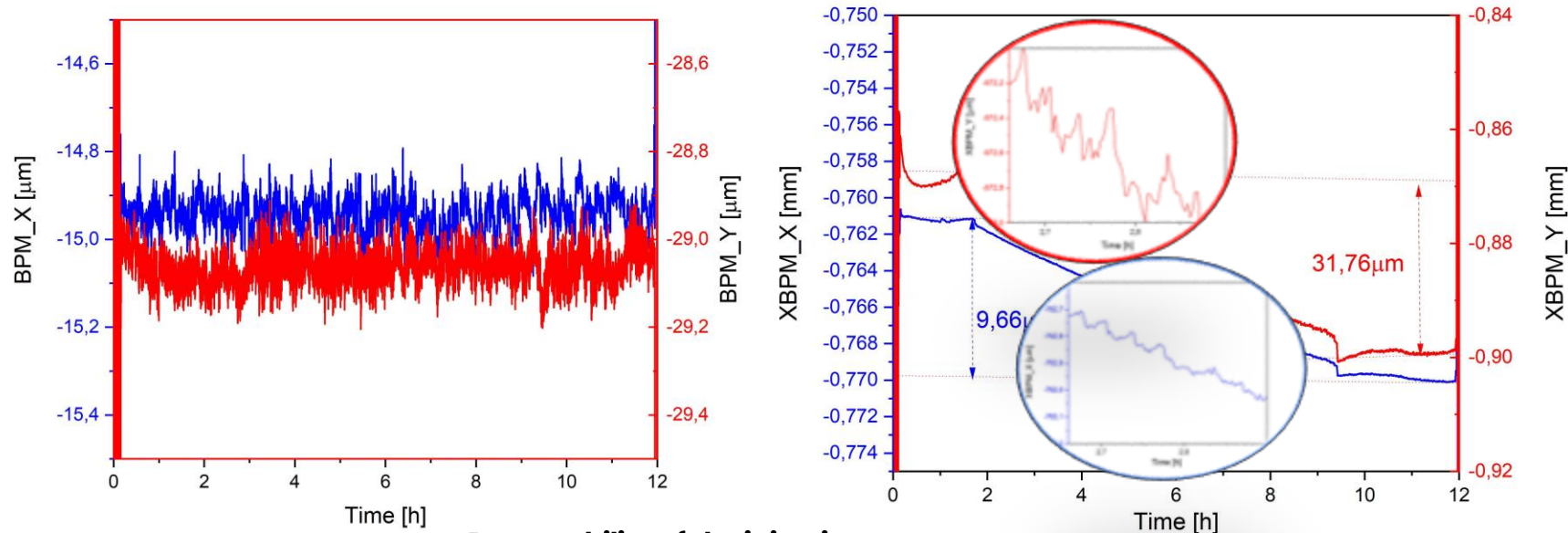
- Measurements of the flow in main water circuits and opti

and the problem.

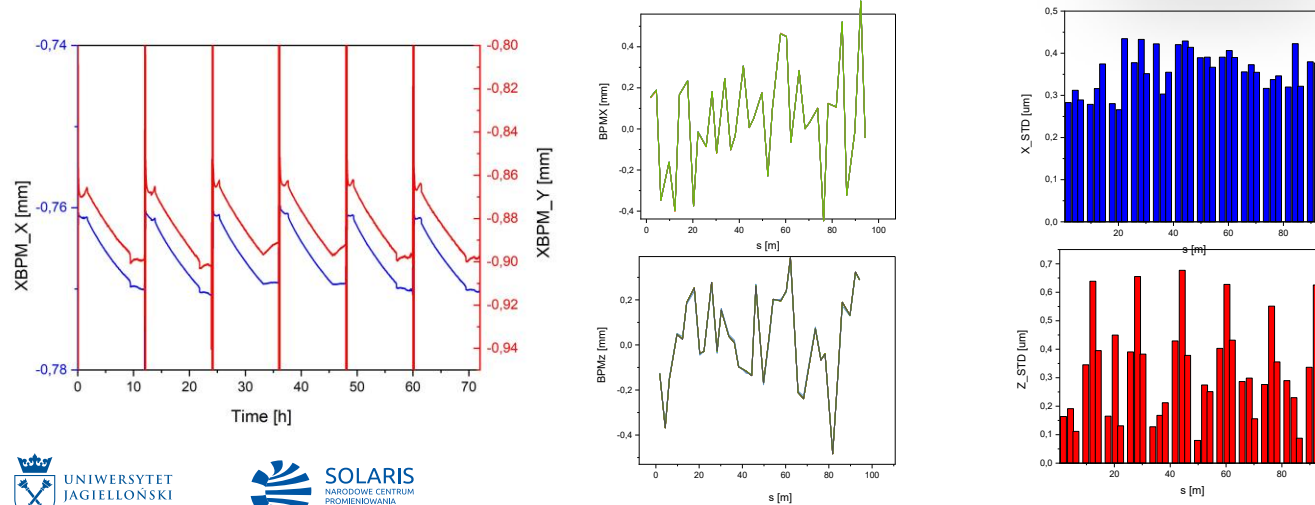


Closed Orbit Stability & Repeatability

Electron beam stability in the sub-micrometer level Long and short-term stability of the photon beam



Repeatability of the injection



- ❖ Submicron precision in electron beam stability was achieved
- ❖ Beam position reproducibility is at a good level, but some thermal drift remains in the XBPM readouts.

Beam Diagnostics Development

Future plans for self adjusting ID correction table: Automation of the construction and updating of feed forward correction tables for insertion devices (IDs)

Bunch by bunch feedback system implementation and operation as diagnostic tool for tune measurements, bunch cleaning, transverse beam instabilities suppression etc.

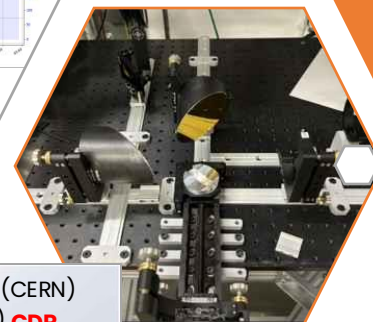
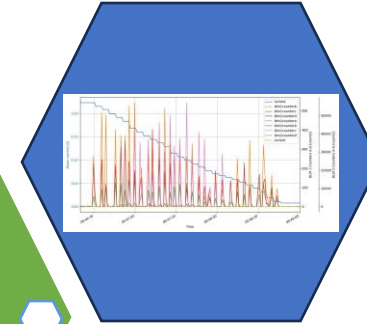
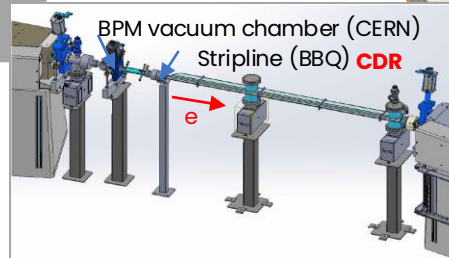
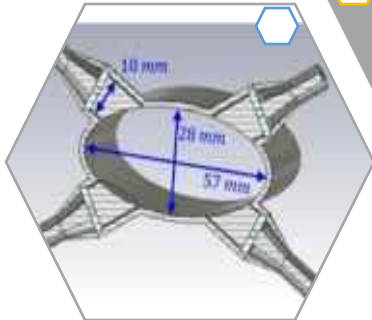
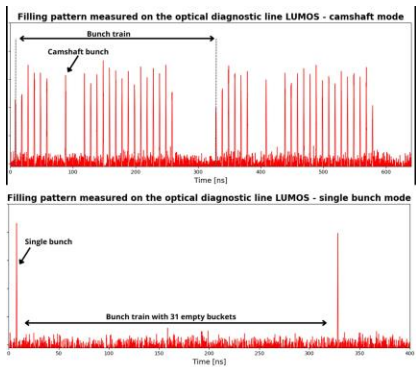
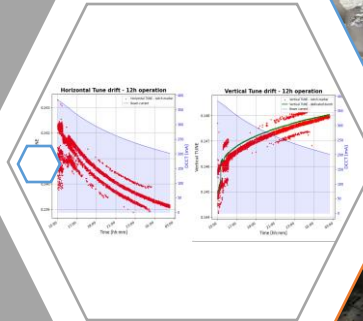
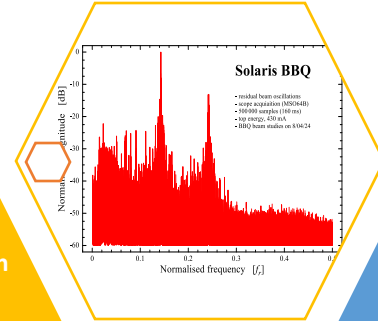
Tune Feedback: An automatic tune correction system based on online tune measurements and magnets adjustment in storage ring during ID operation.

BPM for FCCee (CERN) NCPS. In addition to operating a prototype Base Band Tune (BBQ) system, Solaris will also test Beam Position Monitors (BPM) to support the development of next generation accelerator instrumentation.

Beam loss monitor signal anomaly detection: Detection of statistical deviations in signals from beam loss monitors (BLM)

Demo GUI based on Taranta BLM & RAD stations: The visual representation of beam loss detectors and radiation measuring stations placement around storage ring, as well as counter readings and interlock state from every BLM device.

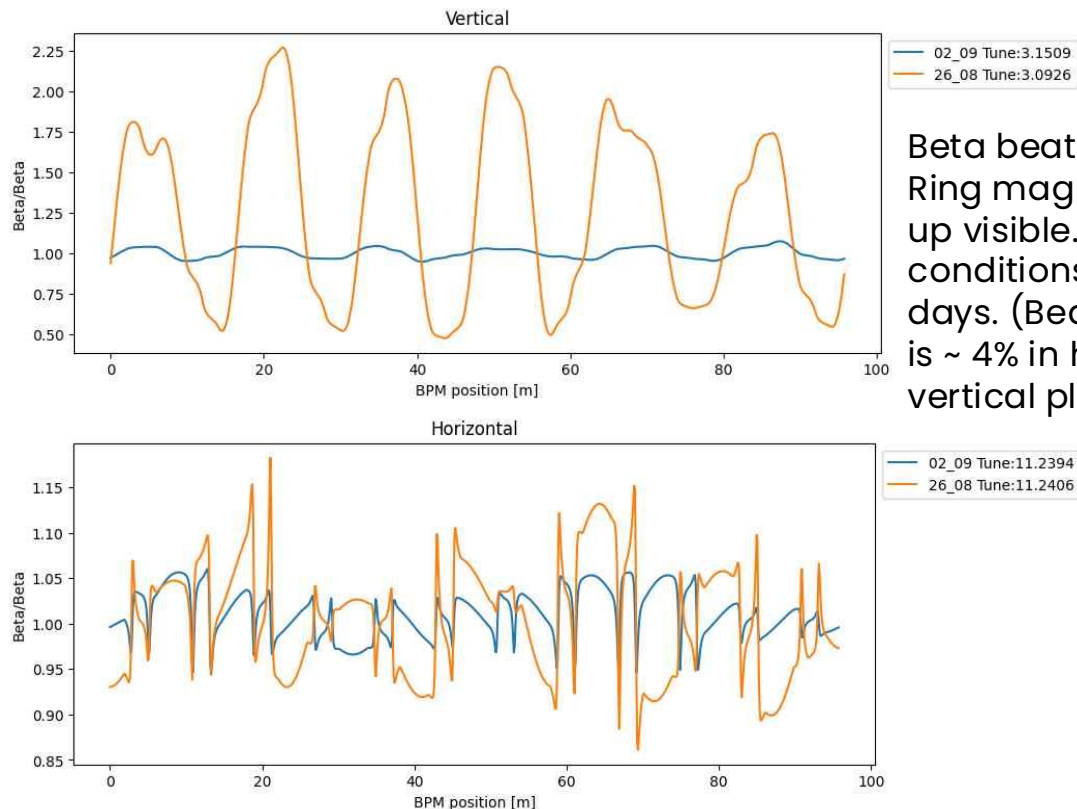
Diagnostics of the longitudinal electron beam profile for PoIFel: A Martin-Puplett interferometer configuration for Coherent Diffraction Radiation (CDR) signal analysis.



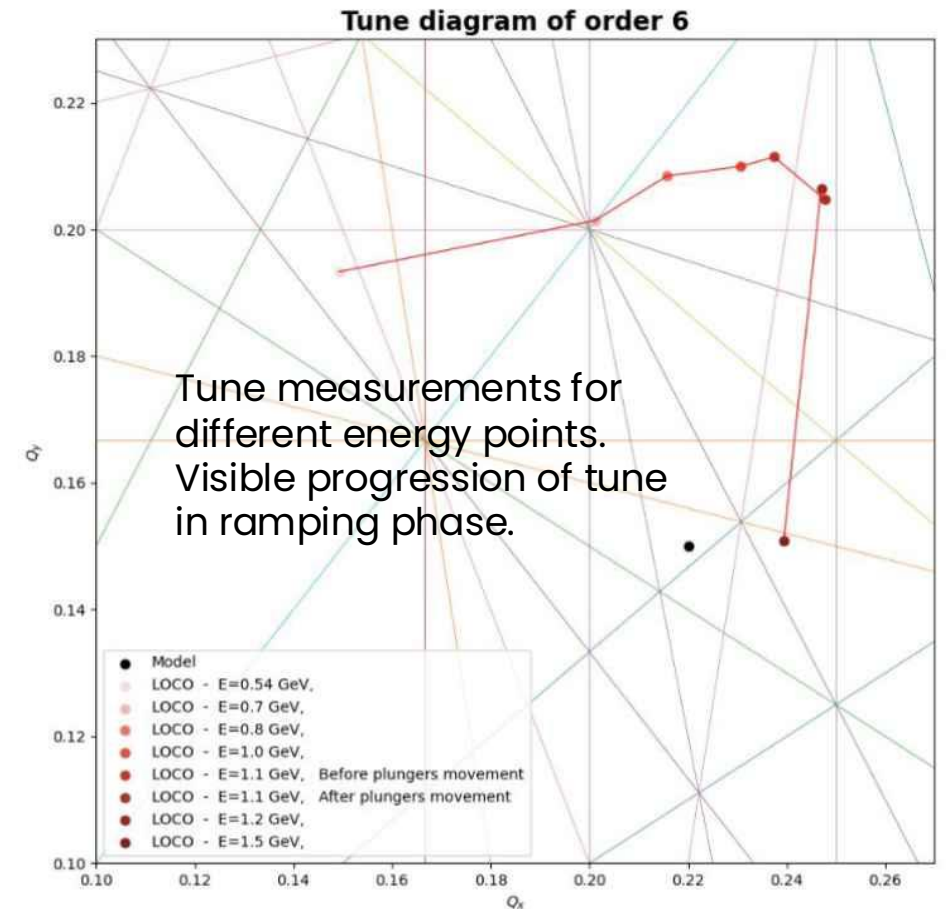
Beam Diagnostics – machine state study

Periodic LOCO (**L**inear **O**ptics for **C**losed **O**rbits) measurements after machine shutdown:

- Response matrix measurements
- Dispersion measurements
- Tune measurements
- Quadrupole field gradient measurements

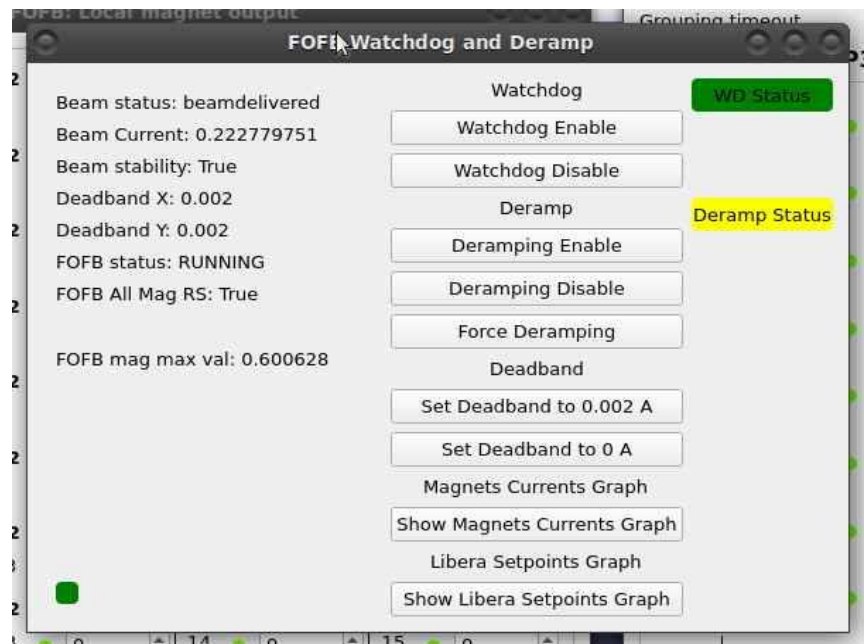


Beta beat measurements. Ring magnetic lattice warm up visible. Operational conditions achieved after 10 days. (Beating after warm up is ~ 4% in horizontal and vertical plane)

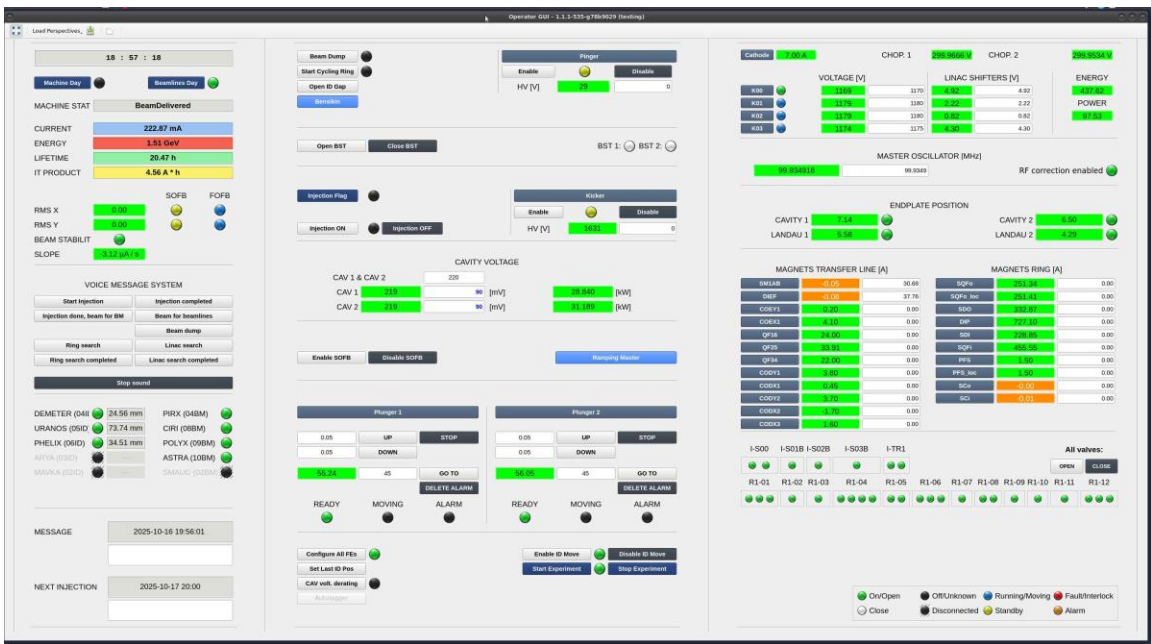


Tune measurements for different energy points. Visible progression of tune in ramping phase.

New CR scripts

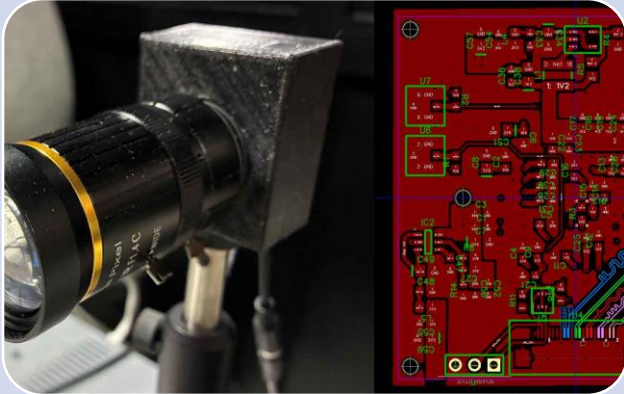


Watchdog for fast corrector magnet de-ramping in case of current saturation.



All in one, streamlined operator GUI for faster problem diagnostic and simpler injection/dump procedure.

Electronics Development



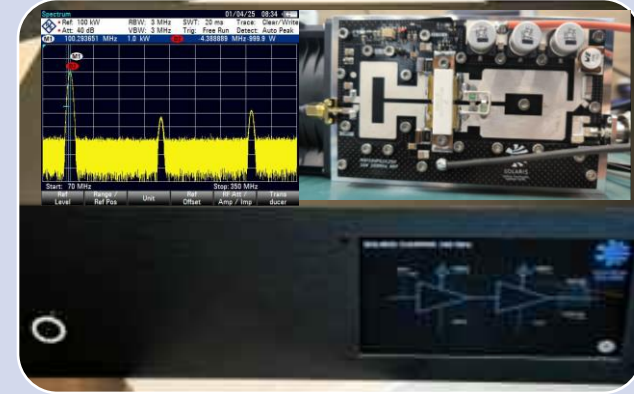
Color 12 and 20 Mpix cameras project with CSI-2 interface

Our design is based on Sony IMX477 and IMX283 sensors. Except the standard Raspberry HQ Camera features our version has external hardware trigger that triggers directly the sensor without any intermediate processing. Both of the cameras has three power supplies. Digital part is supplied from TLV62568 DC/DC converter and analog and I/O part are supplied from low noise TPS79301 LDOs. Both cameras has 4-lane MIPI interface used for video streaming.



Ring magnets voltage drops monitoring in each section

For Magnets and power supply section we designed 16-channel, precision differential voltage measurement device. Prototype is used in R01 section, but device is designed to communicate wirelessly with other devices to gather data. Each magnet in each bending section can be monitored for potential damages i.e. too high voltage drop. Measurements can be correlated with other machine data.



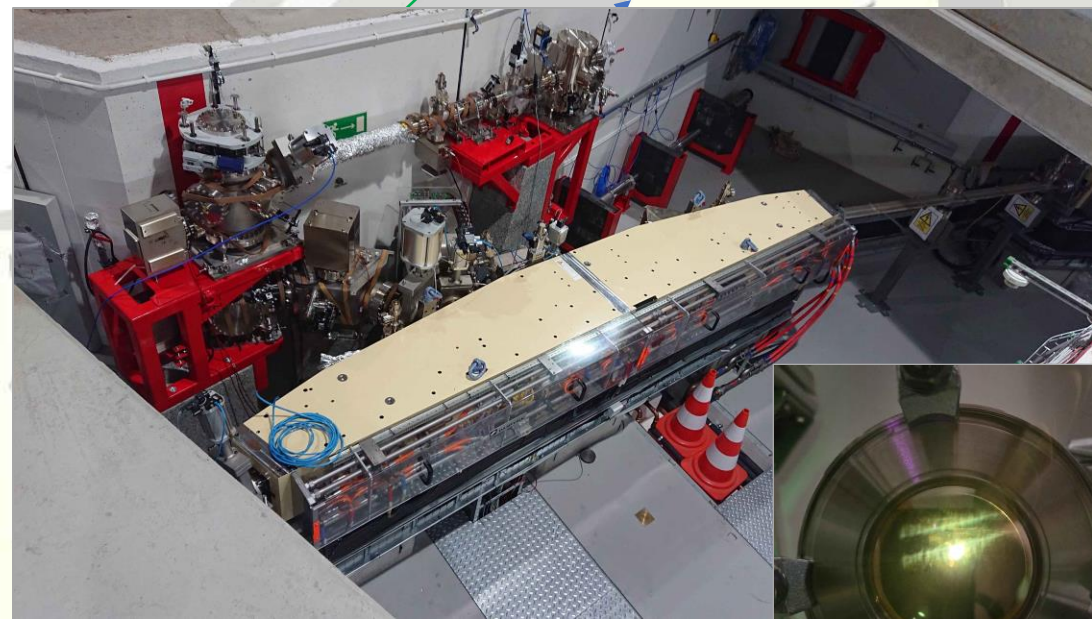
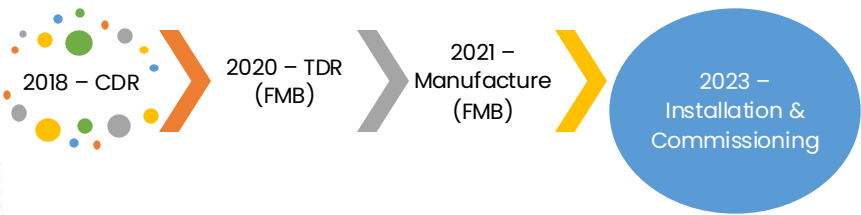
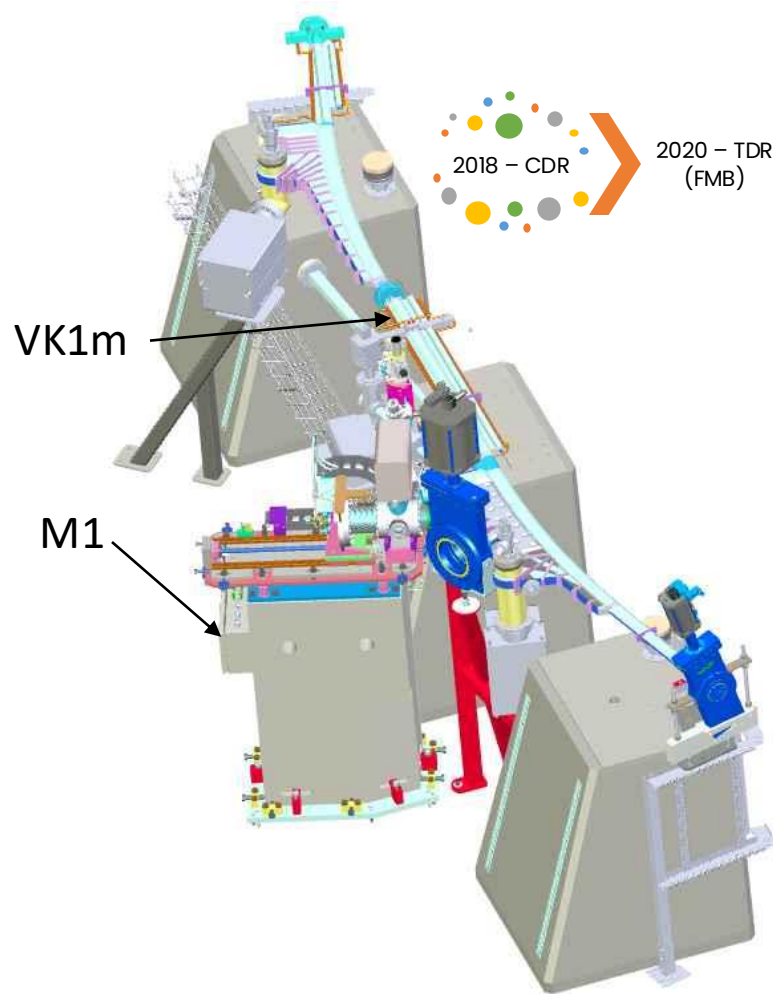
New 100 MHz 1 kW RF chopper

Once chopper made by MAX IV need to be repaired, a decision was taken to build our own design. Main requirements:

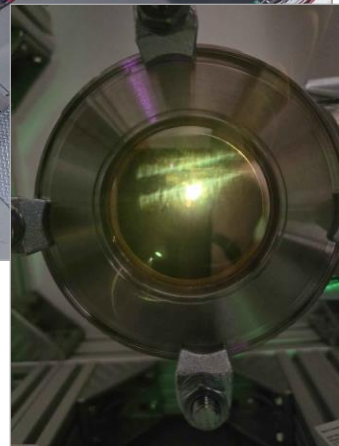
- RF transistor in power stage same as used in Storage Ring power amplifiers
- one to one replacement of currently used
- pulse forward and reflected power stable readings
- current monitoring for driver and final stage transistors
- well documented whole design process (PCB Gerber files, mechanical drawings, firmware)

New Beamlines Development: CIRI

Installation and Commissioning of the CIRI Beamline



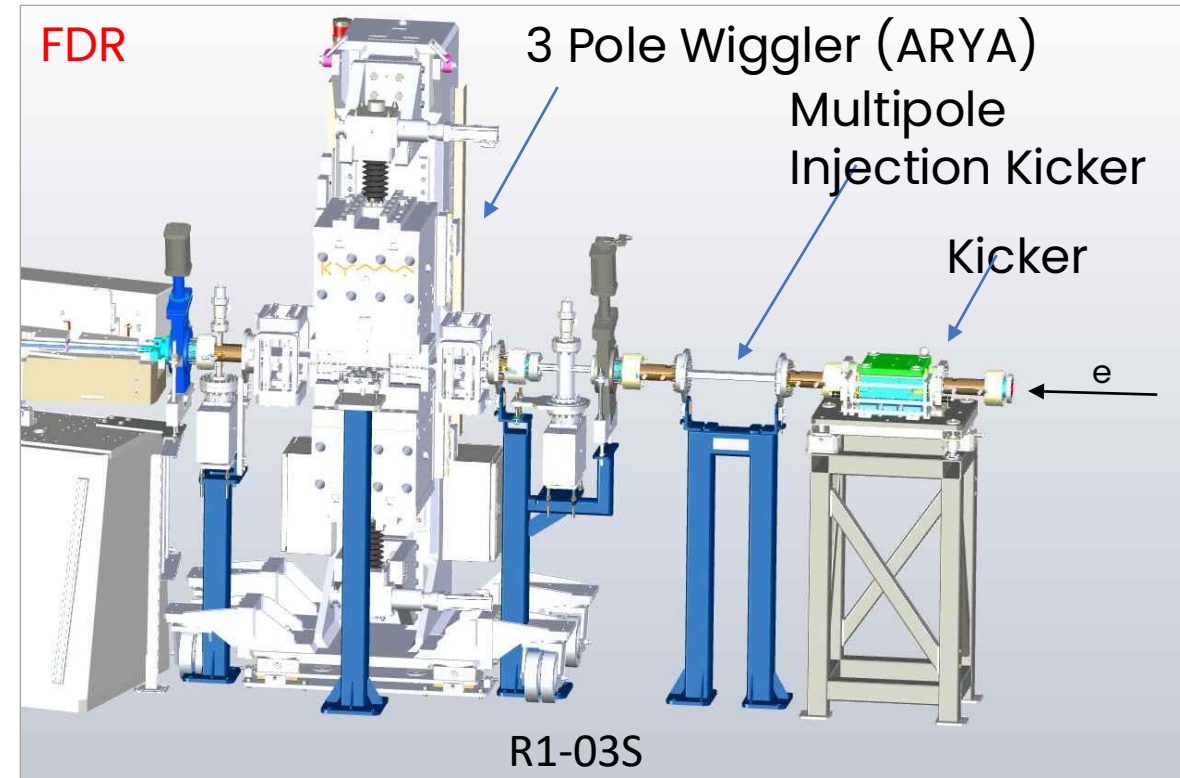
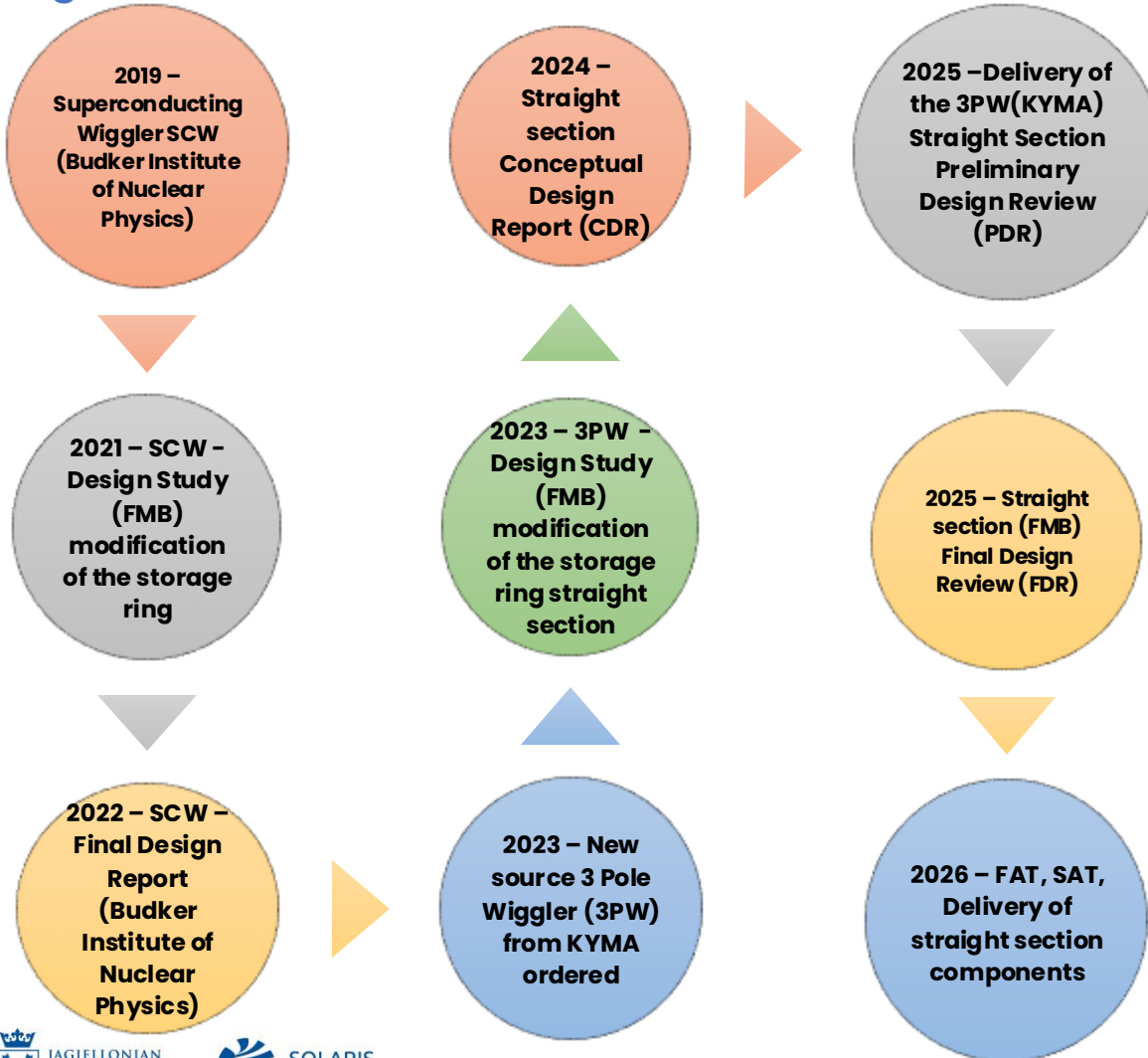
Photon beam inside experimental hutch



New Beamlines Development: ARYA

Technical Design Report of ARYA Beamline

Saga of ARYA...



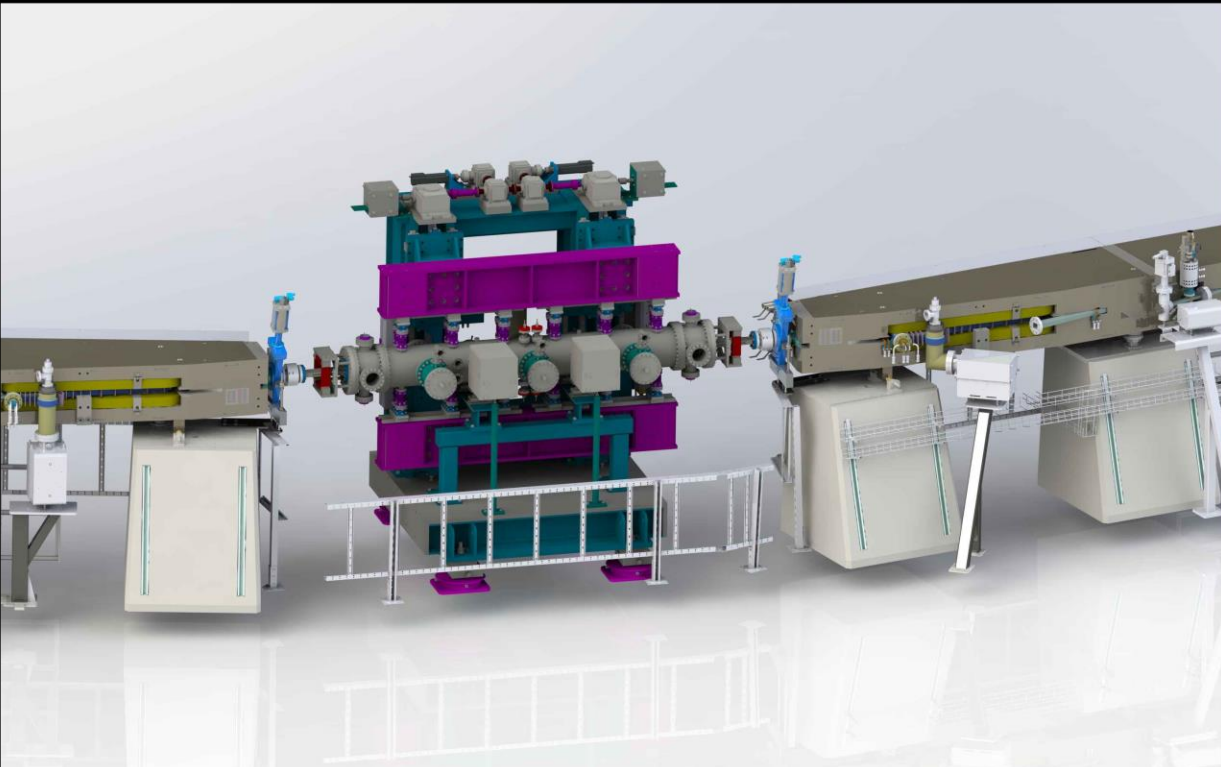
New Beamlines Development: MAVKA

MAVKA is a in vacuum horizontal undulator, it will be installed in the middle of the 2nd strait section.

Total magnetic length: 1.824 m

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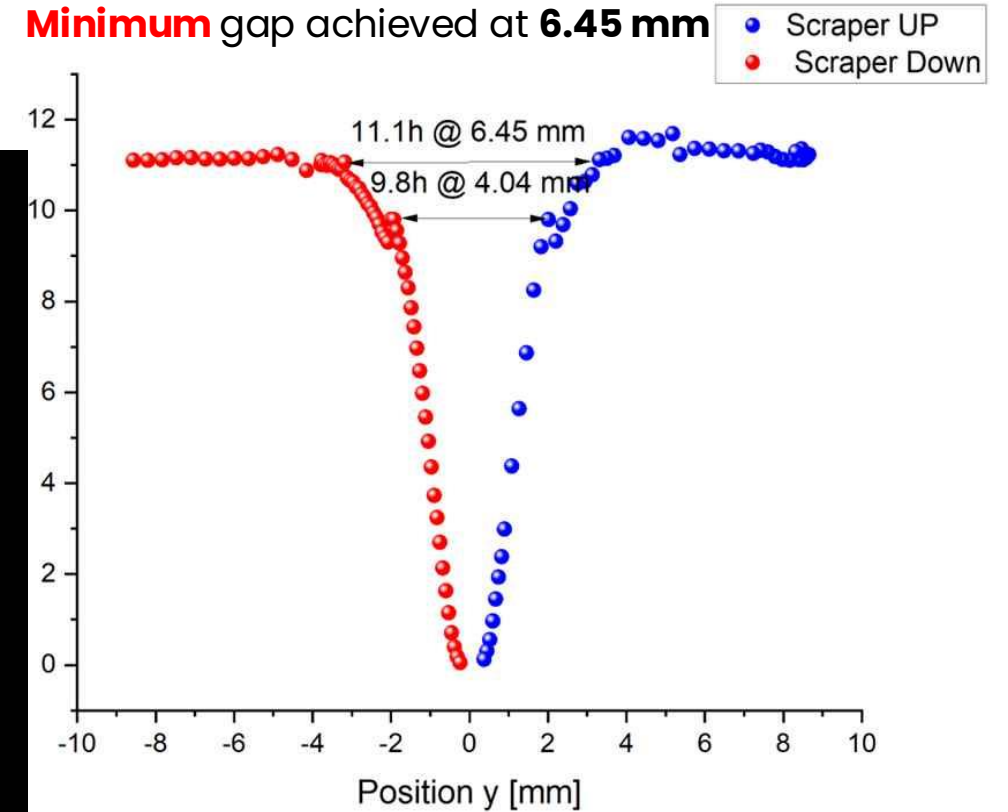
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In beam test:

Mimicking MAVKA aperture with upper and lower vertical scraper. Test was done for ~ 400 mA beam current

Minimum gap achieved at **6.45 mm**



Field induced on scraper introduces beam instabilities
causing Tauschek effect. This corresponds to continuous
lifetime degradation.

New Beamlines Development: MAVKA

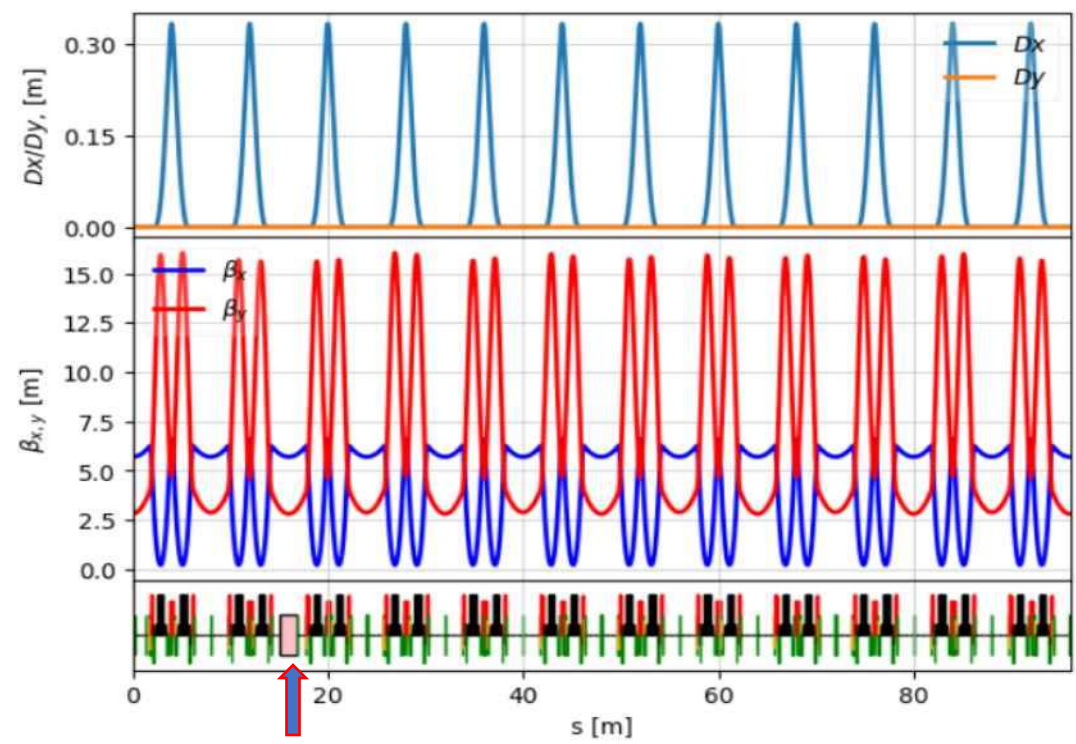
MAVKA is a in vacuum horizontal undulator, it will be installed in the middle of the 2nd strait section.

Total magnetic length: 1.824 m

Maximum field: 0.9 T at 4.75 mm gap

Periods: 96

Period length: 0.019 m



	Bx/y entrance [m]	Bx/y mid ID [m]	Bx/y exit [m]
Model lattice	beta_x = 5.61 beta_y = 3.13	beta_x = 5.46 beta_y = 2.84	beta_x = 5.61 beta_y = 3.13
Actual measured	beta_x = 5.94 beta_y = 2.95	beta_x = 5.84 beta_y = 2.75	beta_x = 5.98 beta_y = 3.08
Model with Mavka Ocelot	beta_x = 5.61 beta_y = 3.08	beta_x = 5.46 beta_y = 2.80	beta_x = 5.61 beta_y = 3.08

Slight vertical focusing coming from undulator visible (Wakefield not included in calculations)

New Beamlines Development

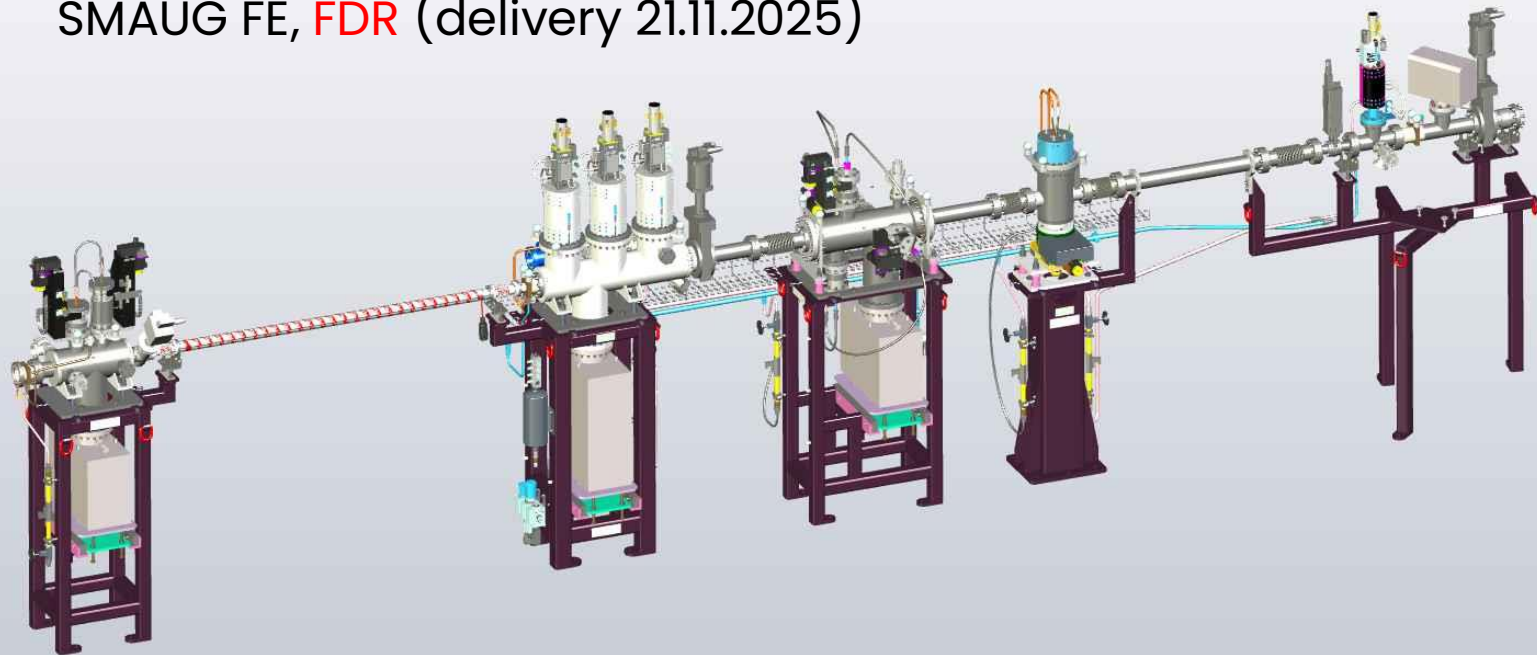
ARYA – Front End & Beamline design

SMAUG – Front end & Beamline design

PHELIX – 2nd Branch design

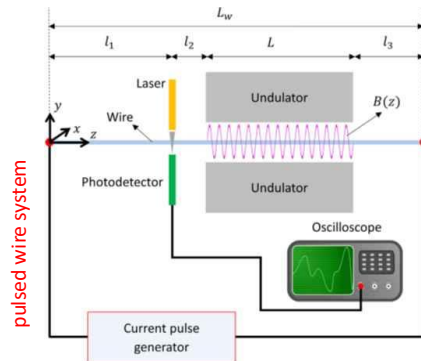
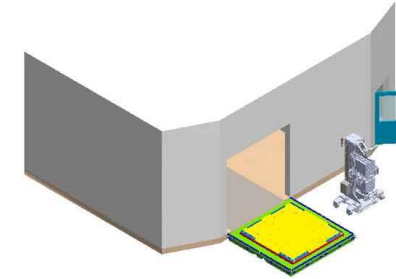
MAVKA – Insertion device (IVU), straight section, front end design

SMAUG FE, **FDR** (delivery 21.11.2025)

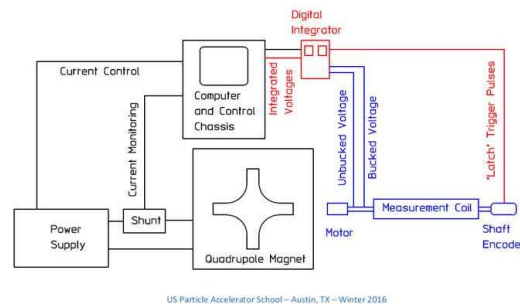


Development of Magnetic Lab

- **Construction of the magnetic laboratory (in progress)**
 - Adaptation of the available space after removal of the CrioTEM microscope: addition of resin surface on the floor, reinforcement of the main communication path for heating equipment, refreshment of the walls,
 - **Construction of the measuring systems for magnetic measurements (in progress)**
 - Wide spectrum of measurements are foreseen inside the magnetic laboratory:
 - Rotating coil measurements
 - Stretched wire measurements
 - Vibrating wire measurements
 - Hall probe measurements
- All measurements are intended to strengthen Solaris' operational capabilities and lead to reduction of the production costs and, in extreme cases, to the independence of external suppliers.

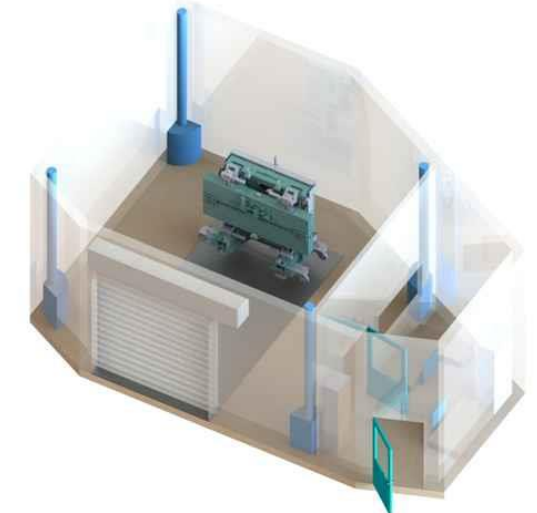
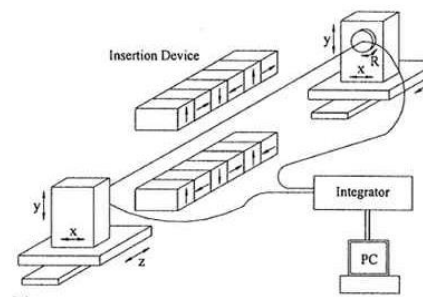


rotating coil system



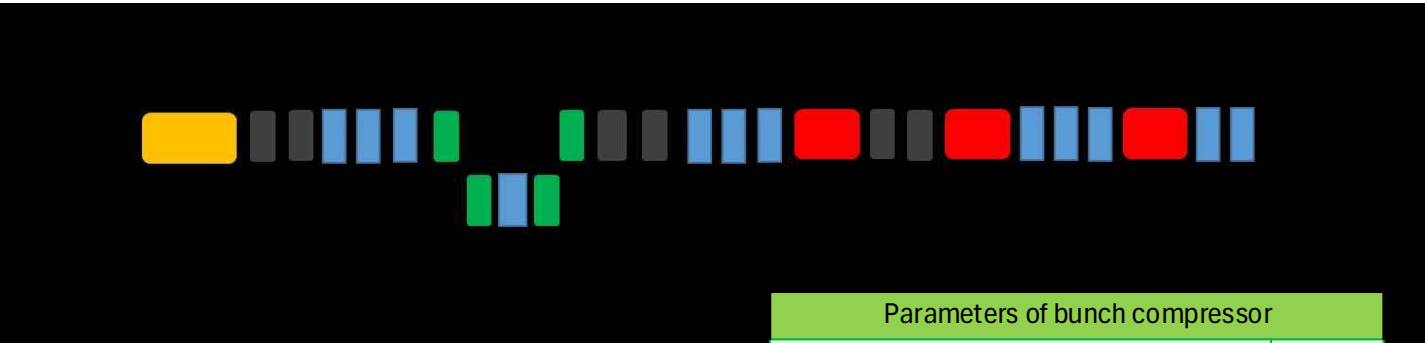
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stretched wire system



Upgrade plan for LINAC

- Hybrid S-band/C-band LINAC with magnetic bunch compressor
- Barium oxide thermionic cathode gun and additional laser photocathode gun
- Top-up operation, injections every few minutes
- 2 x S-band and 18 x C-band RF structures
- Optics simulations done in Elegant, PyAT and Astra for early stages of acceleration

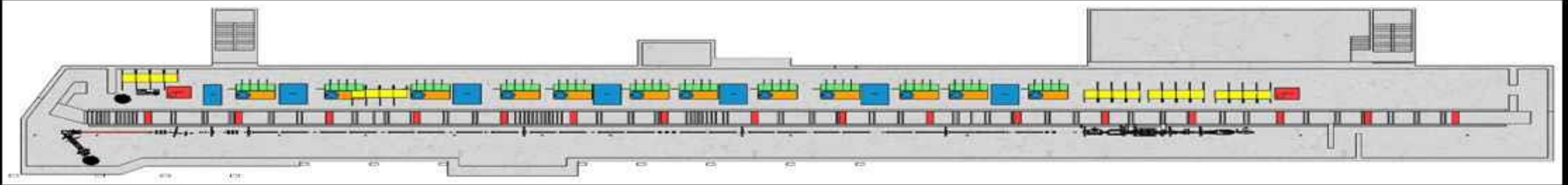


Parameters of bunch compressor	
Energy [GeV]	0.225
Lenght (with drifts) [m]	2.54
Lenght (single dipole) [m]	0.3
Compression rate	3.373
Deflection angle (single dipole) [rad]	0.198
Bending field (single dipole) [T]	0.496
Radius of curvature (single dipole) [m]	1.515
R56 [m]	-0.048
Bunch lenght on entrance [ps]	1.69

Parameters of new Linac	
Energy [GeV]	1.5
Accelerating Gradient [MV/m]	50
RF Frequency [MHz]	5712
Bunch charge [nC]	0.2
Hor. Emittance [mm mrad]	1.69
Ver. Emittance [mm mrad]	1.43
Rep. rate [Hz]	10
Bunch lenght on exit [ps]	0.48
Length [m]	67
Energy spread [keV]	794

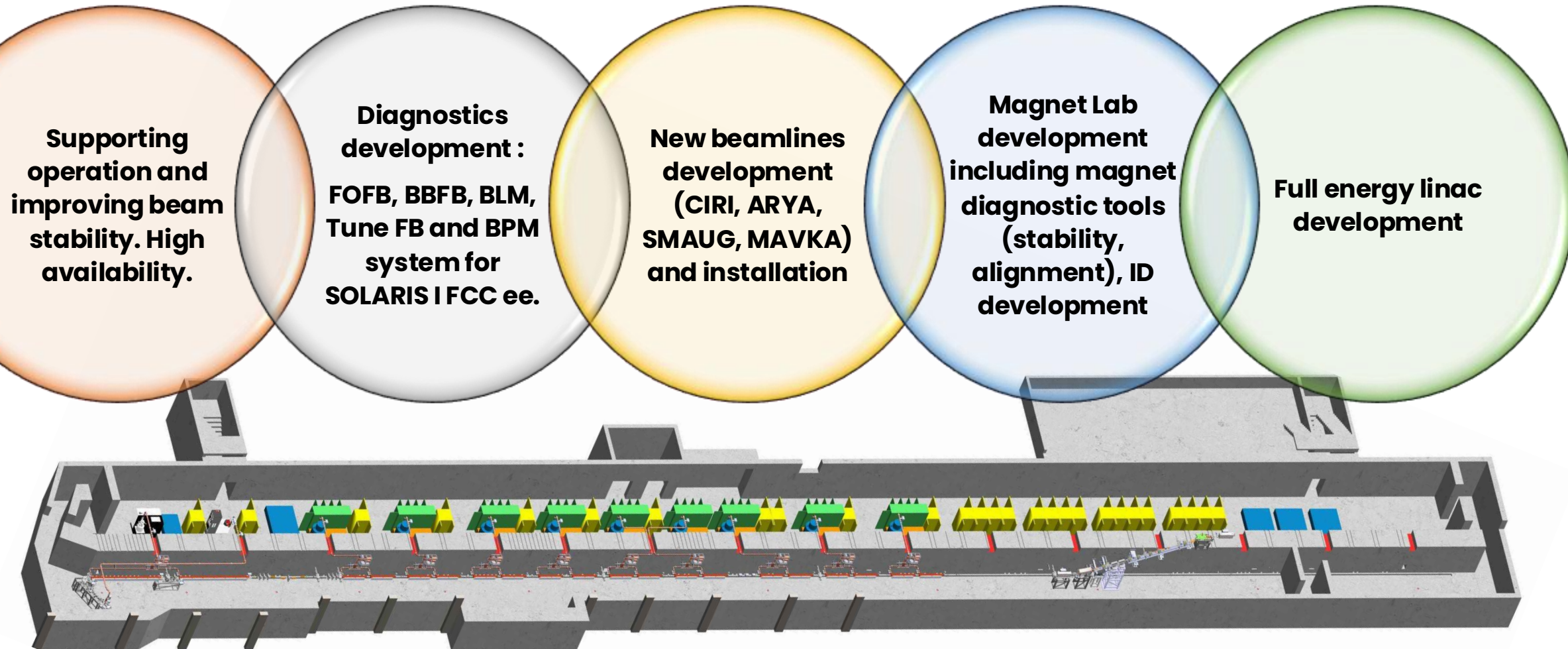
Challenges

- The size of the tunnel is fixed and space is limited it can be demanding to fit all equipment in technological tunnel



- Laser lab for the photocathode gun need to be established
- Injection scheme with multipole kicker need to be optimised
- Radiation protection shielding and beam dump need to be calculated and verified
- Although the infrastructure (cooling and electricity) demands are fulfilled, there could be a need to develop new secondary cooling units, or liquid nitrogen cooling linac technology
- Developing LLRF system for linac
- For the future FEL or SPF the linac tunnel need to be expanded and experimental area need to be foreseen.

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