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MARKOV CHAIN MONTE CARLO & SIMULATED ANNEALING

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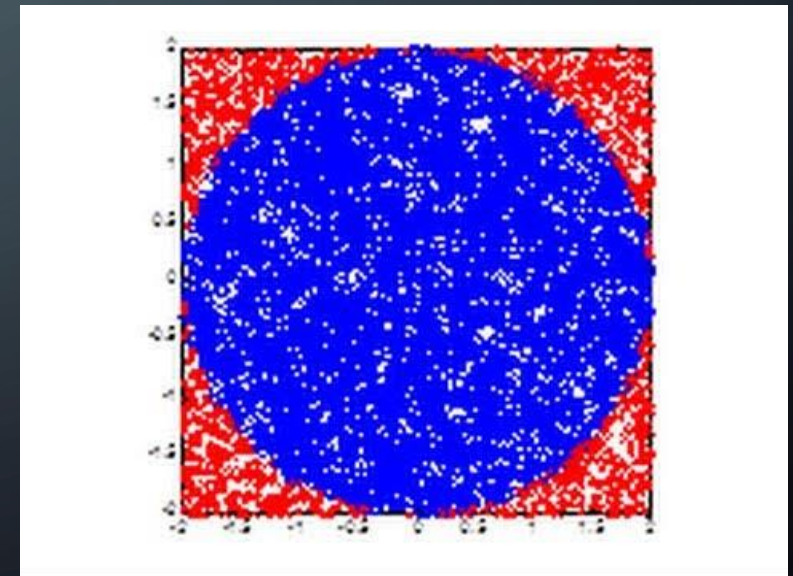
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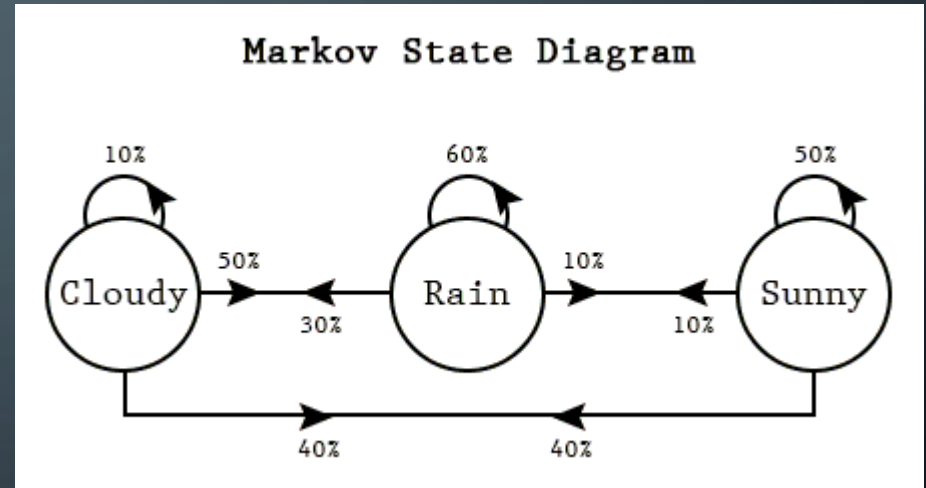
MONTE CARLO METHOD

- Random, probabilistic way to solve an optimization problem
 - For complicated problems
- No relationship between current and next step



MARKOV CHAIN MONTE CARLO OPTIMIZATION

- Improved!
- Find local/global maximum/minimum



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ALGORITHM

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Repeat and Restart

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- Mimics cooling down process of metal
- As T goes down =>
less likely to accept worse solution



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- **Start somewhere; Set initial SA temperature**
- Find out current altitude
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GENESIS 1.3 SIMULATION

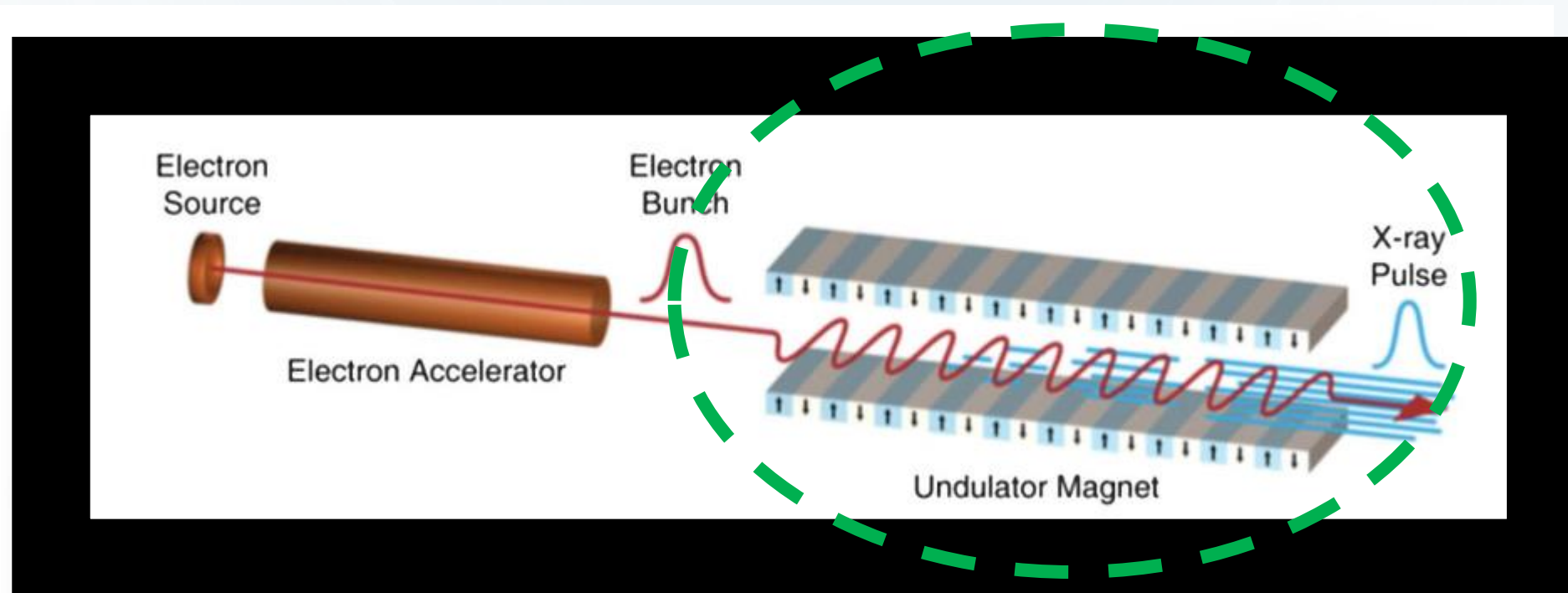
- Simulates LCLS
- Why not use LCLS directly?

**And God said, Let there
be light: and there was
light.**

—Genesis 1:3



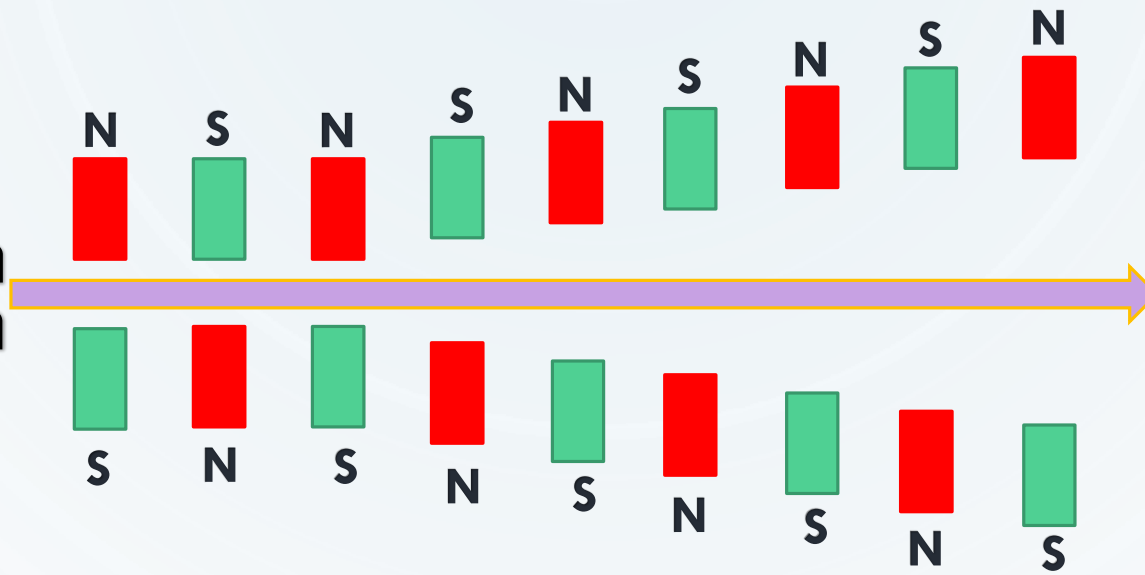
LCLS (LINAC COHERENT LIGHT SOURCE)



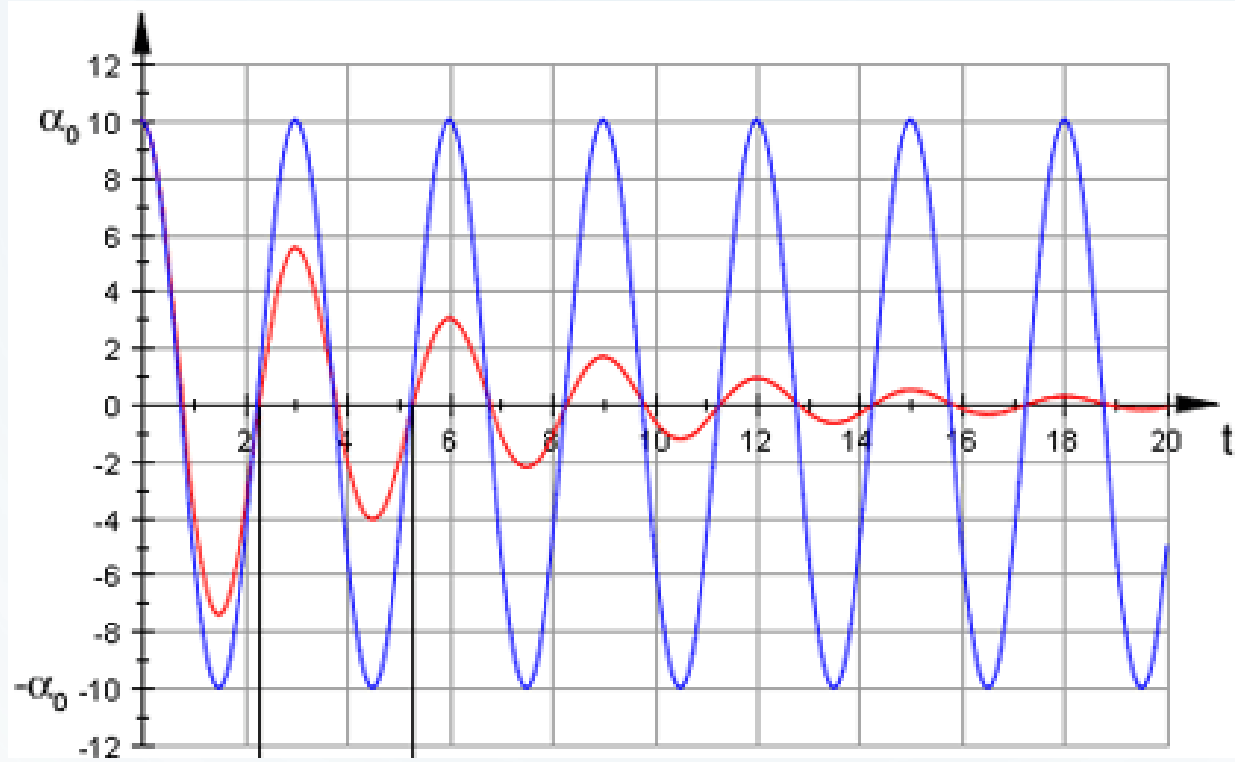
PROBLEM

- As electron emits photons, it loses energy
- Slightly gets out of phase; not good
 - Destructive interference
- Solution? Taper the Undulator magnetic field

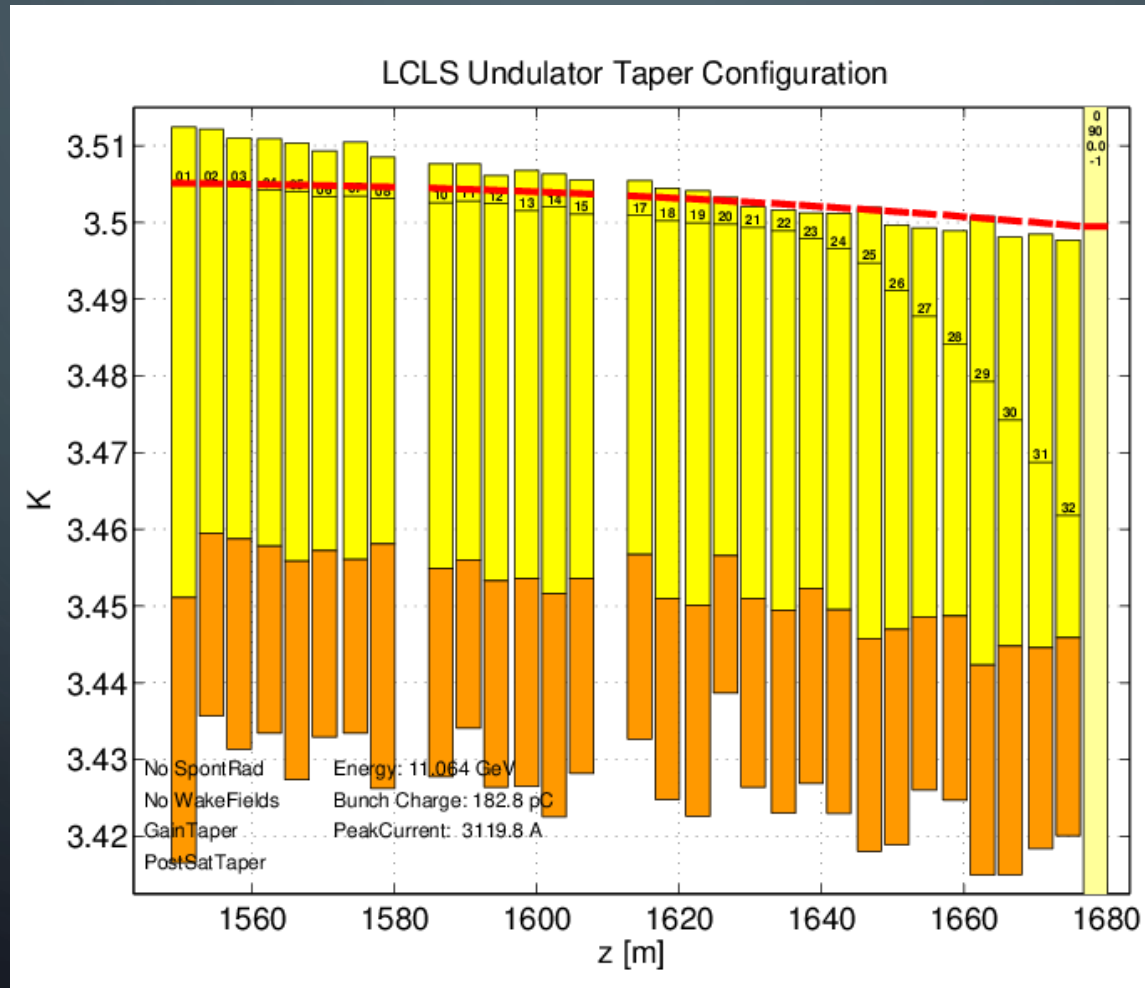
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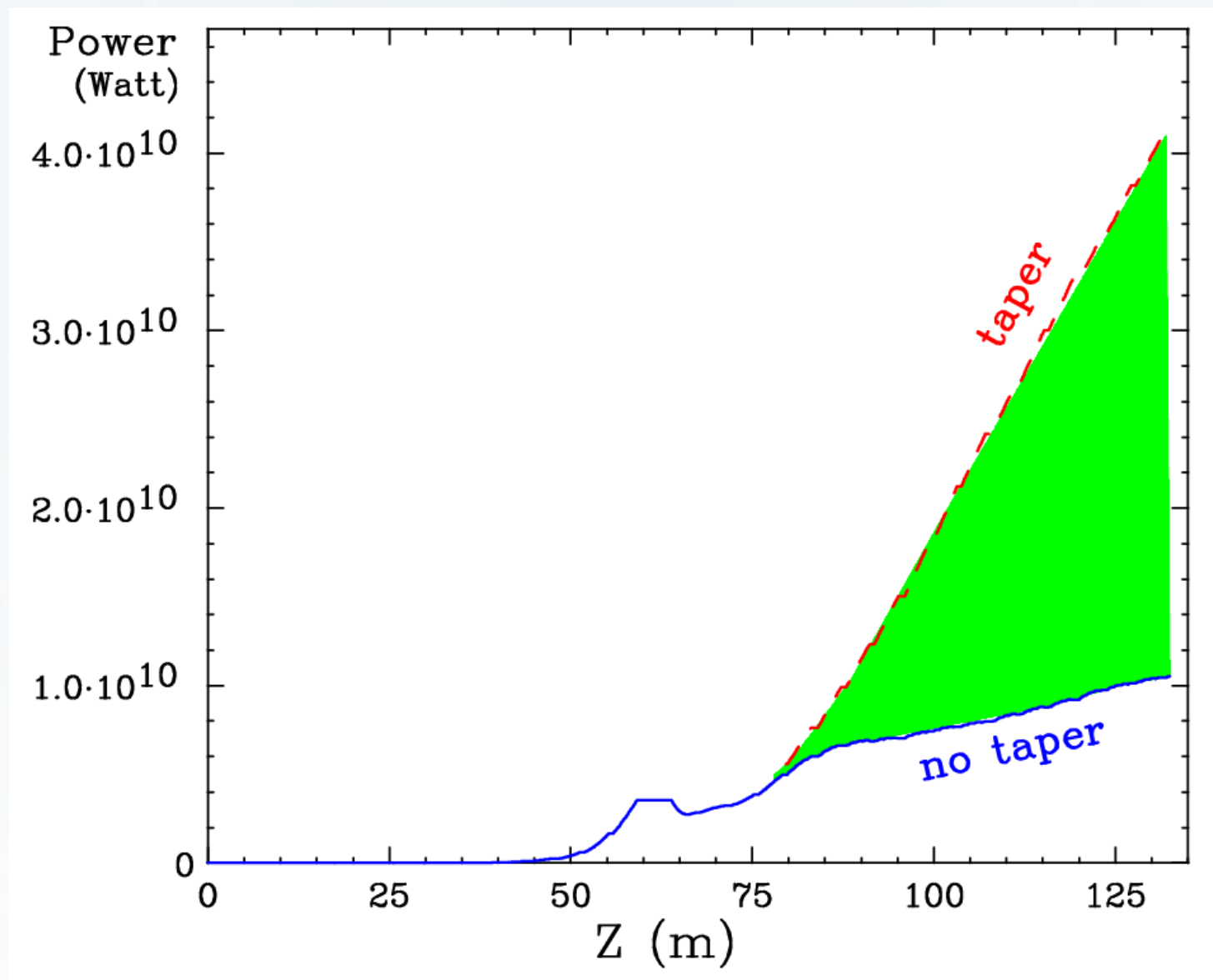


Weakening magnetic field strength →



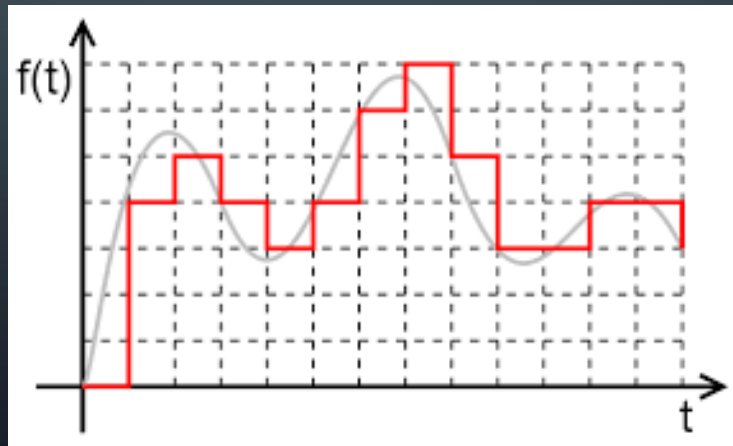
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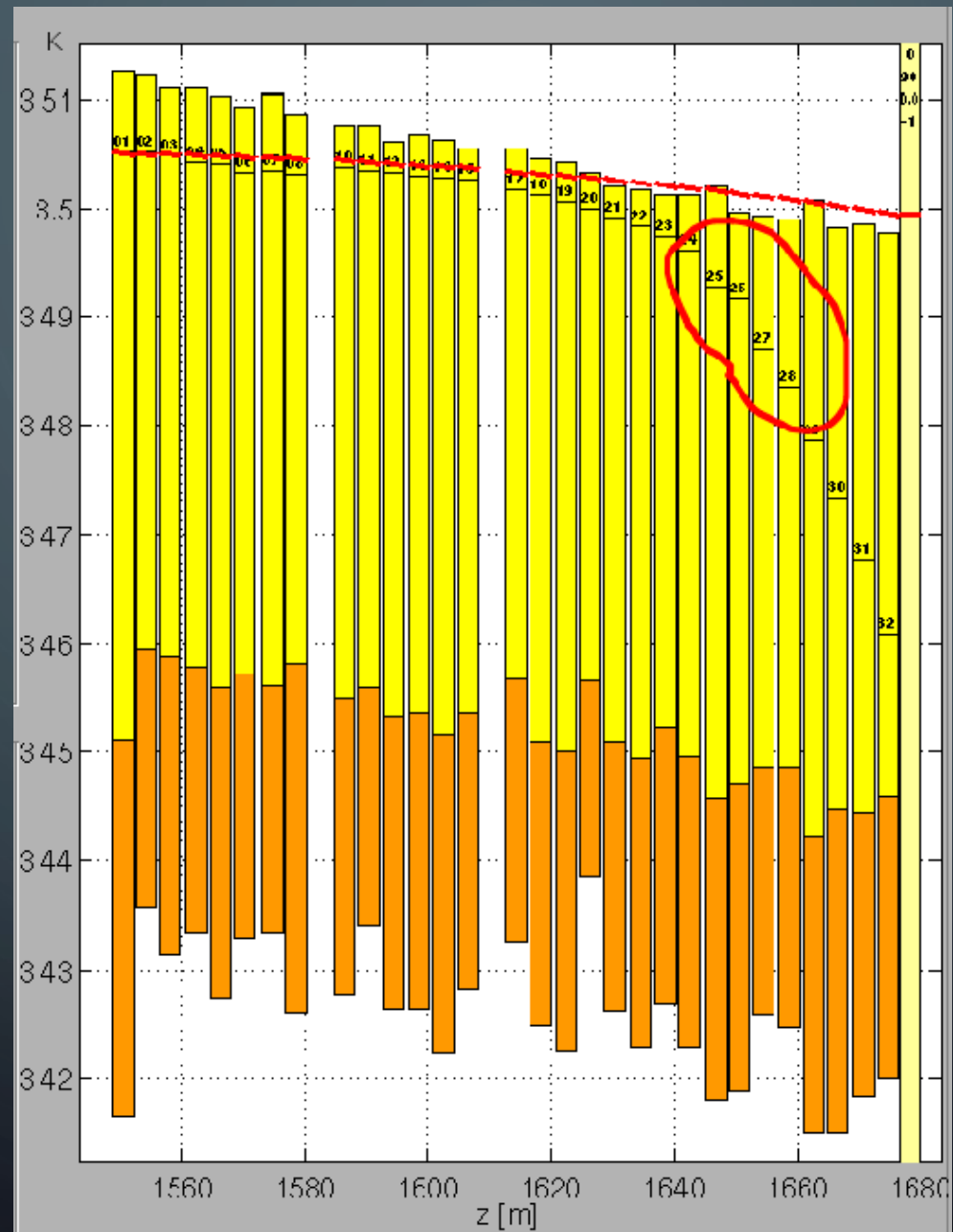
- Can we increase power of x-ray?
- Instead of continuous, maybe discrete?
 - Allows flexibility



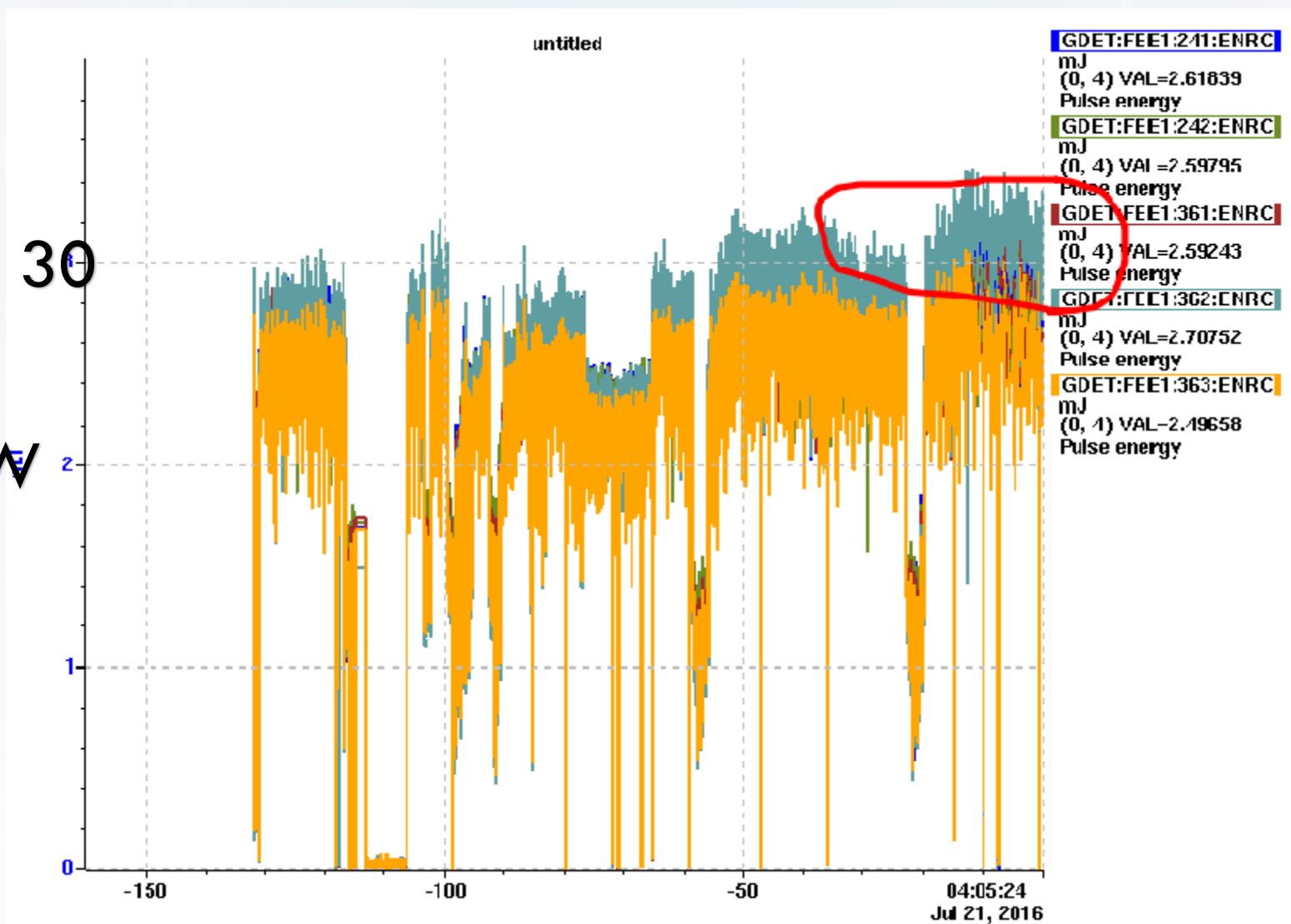
IMPORTANCE OF BRACKET IN DISCRETIZATION

- Define scan range at every undulator
- To ensure that K-values are inside the allowed (practical) range

DISCRETE



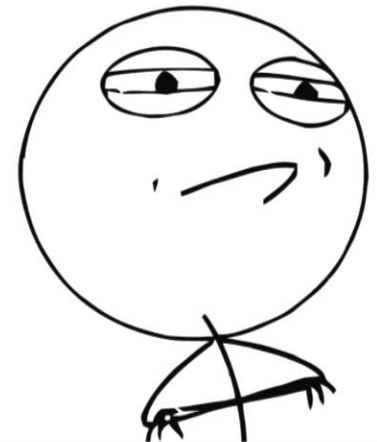
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CHALLENGES

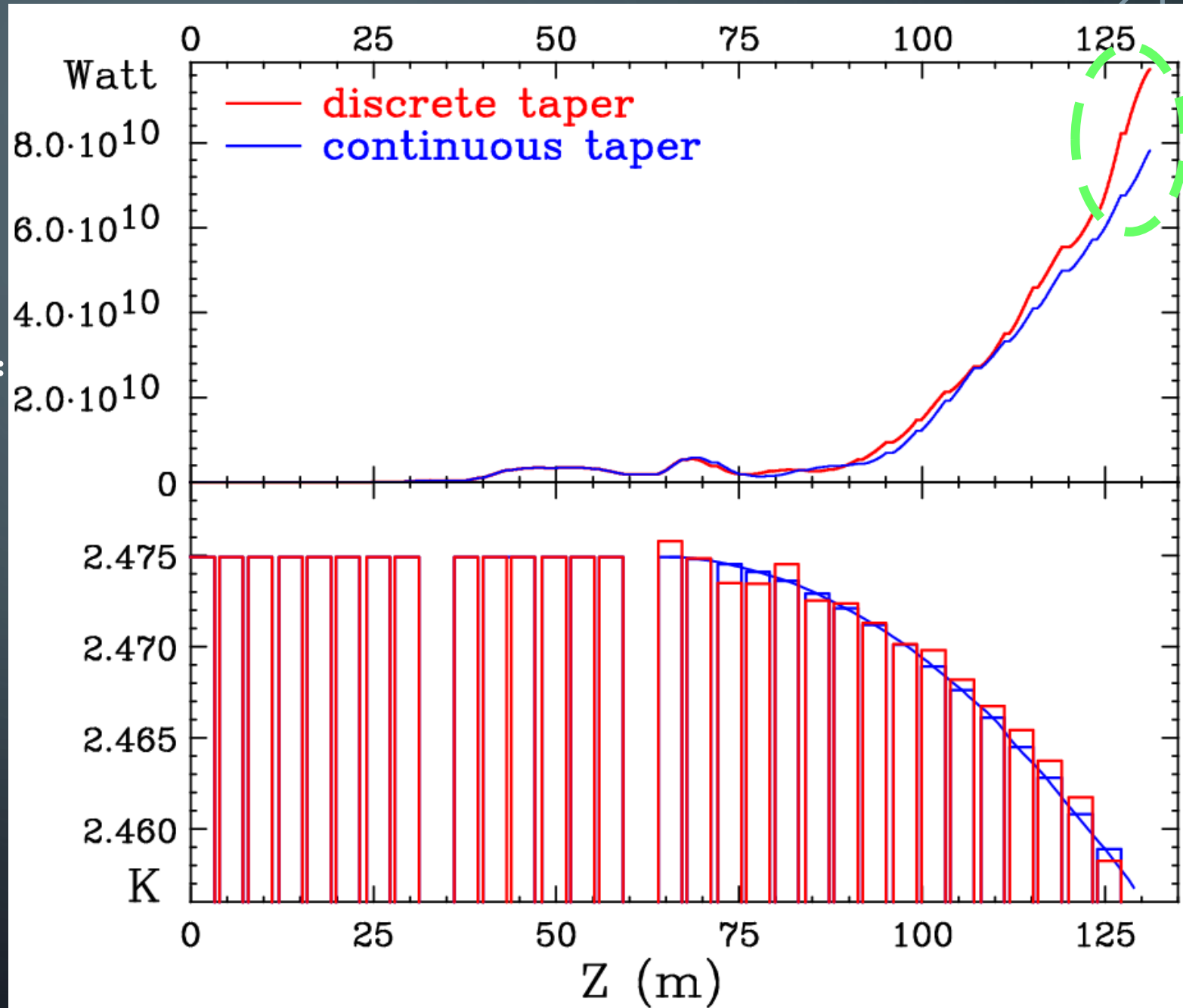
- 16 Undulators \Rightarrow 16 dimensional problem, some maybe coupled
- Runtime of Genesis (~65 seconds)
- Enough iterations needed. But how to define enough?

CHALLENGE ACCEPTED



PRELIMINARY RESULT

- Highest power, first try (~ 1 hour run): starting from continuous taper profile
- 97 GW Peak Power
 - Improved from 78 GW; 20% increase
- 19 and 20, 22 and 23, 25 and 26 look somewhat related together



The background is a dark blue gradient. In the corners, there are white line-art illustrations of circuit traces. These traces consist of straight lines of varying lengths and angles, some ending in small open circles, resembling a printed circuit board layout.

Confirms previous experimental attempt:

Discretizing the taper profile increases the x-ray power by 20%

FUTURE WORK

- Run more
- Produce set of data for Anna's Neural Network
- Possible implementation

FIN.

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