



# UMER 2.0: Adapting the University of Maryland Electron Ring to explore intermediate space-charge and nonlinear optics for Hadron and ion beam facilities



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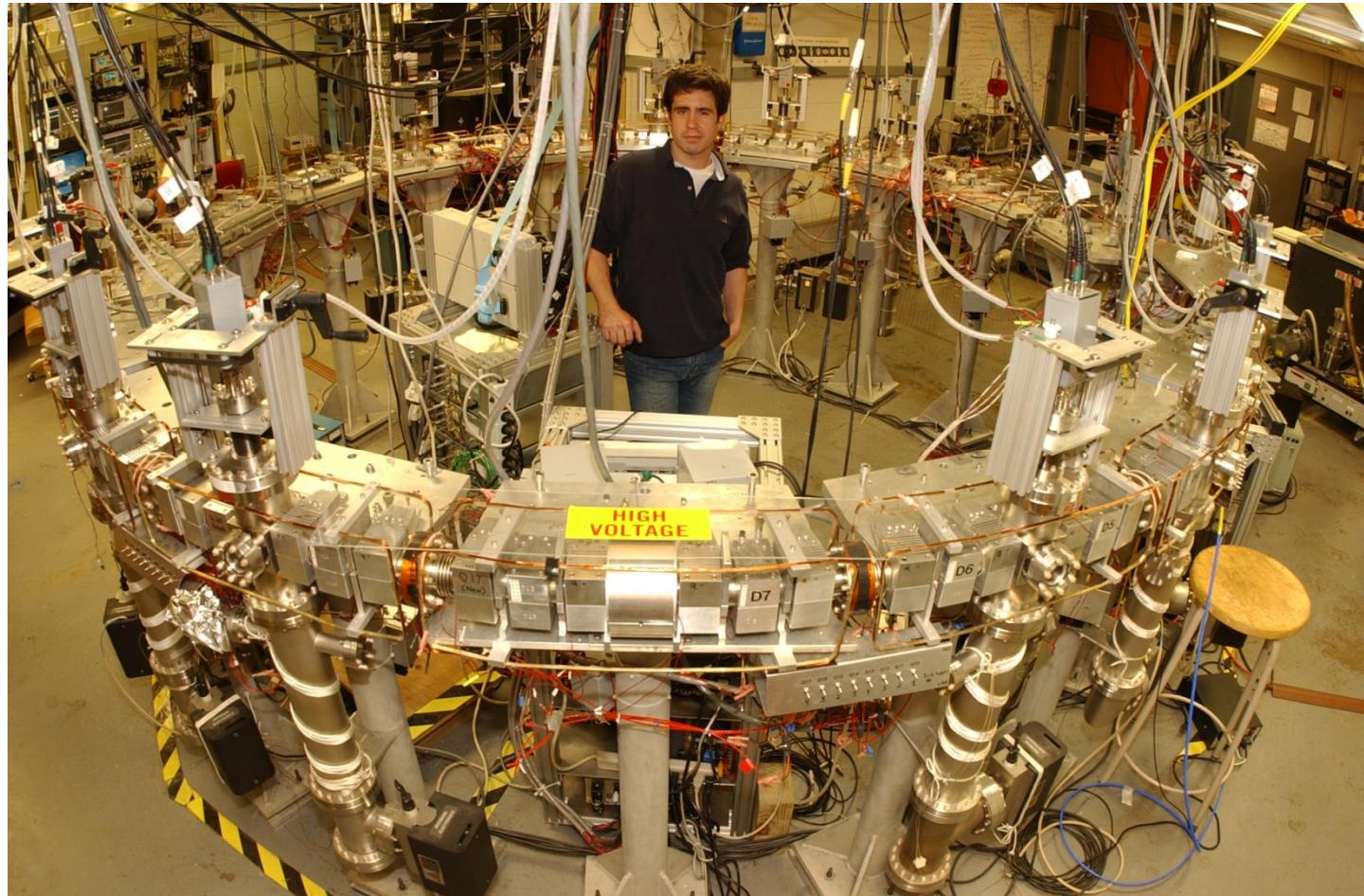


## *Outline*

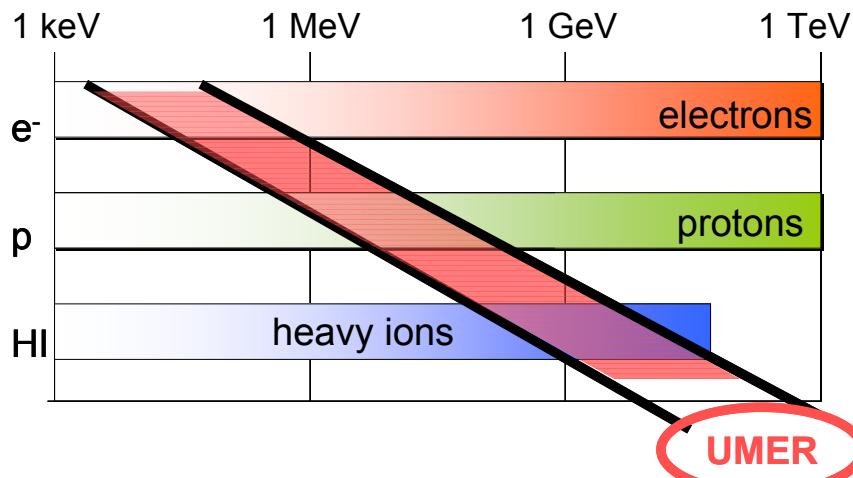
1. Introduction to UMER
2. Brief overview of recent accomplishments (last 2 years)
  - Solitons
  - Barrier Shock compression
  - Resonances, Halo, and beam loss mechanism
3. Proposed upgrades open door to new physics
  - Nonlinear optics testbed
4. Conclusions

# University of Maryland Electron Ring (UMER)

Flexible, Low-cost testbed for high-intensity beam dynamics

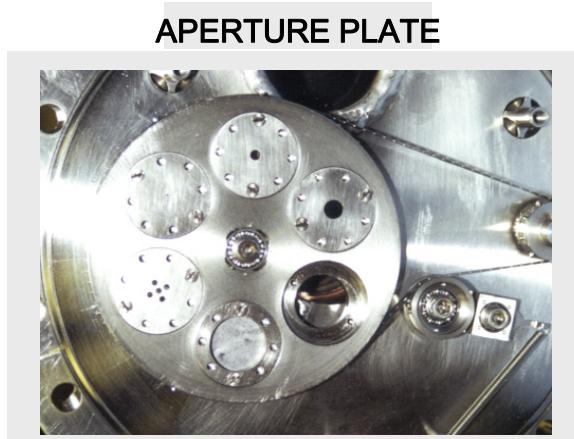


# Why Low Energy Electrons?



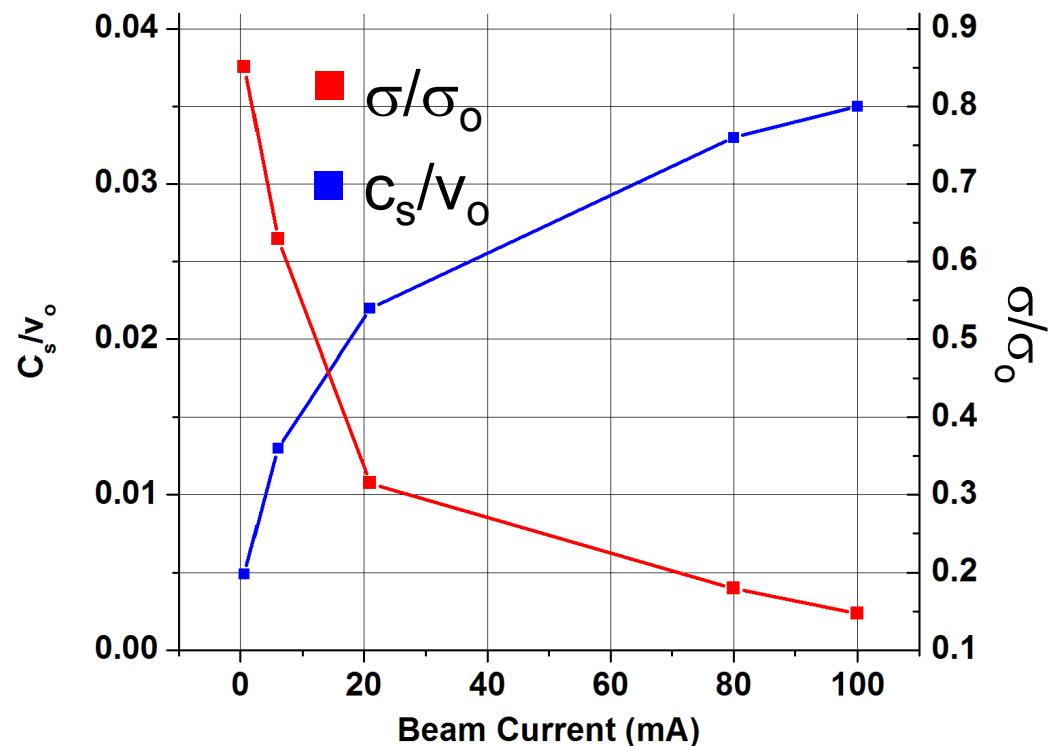
10-50 keV electrons  
~ 20-100 MeV / nucleon

UMER spans a broad range of intensities through the use of an aperture plate



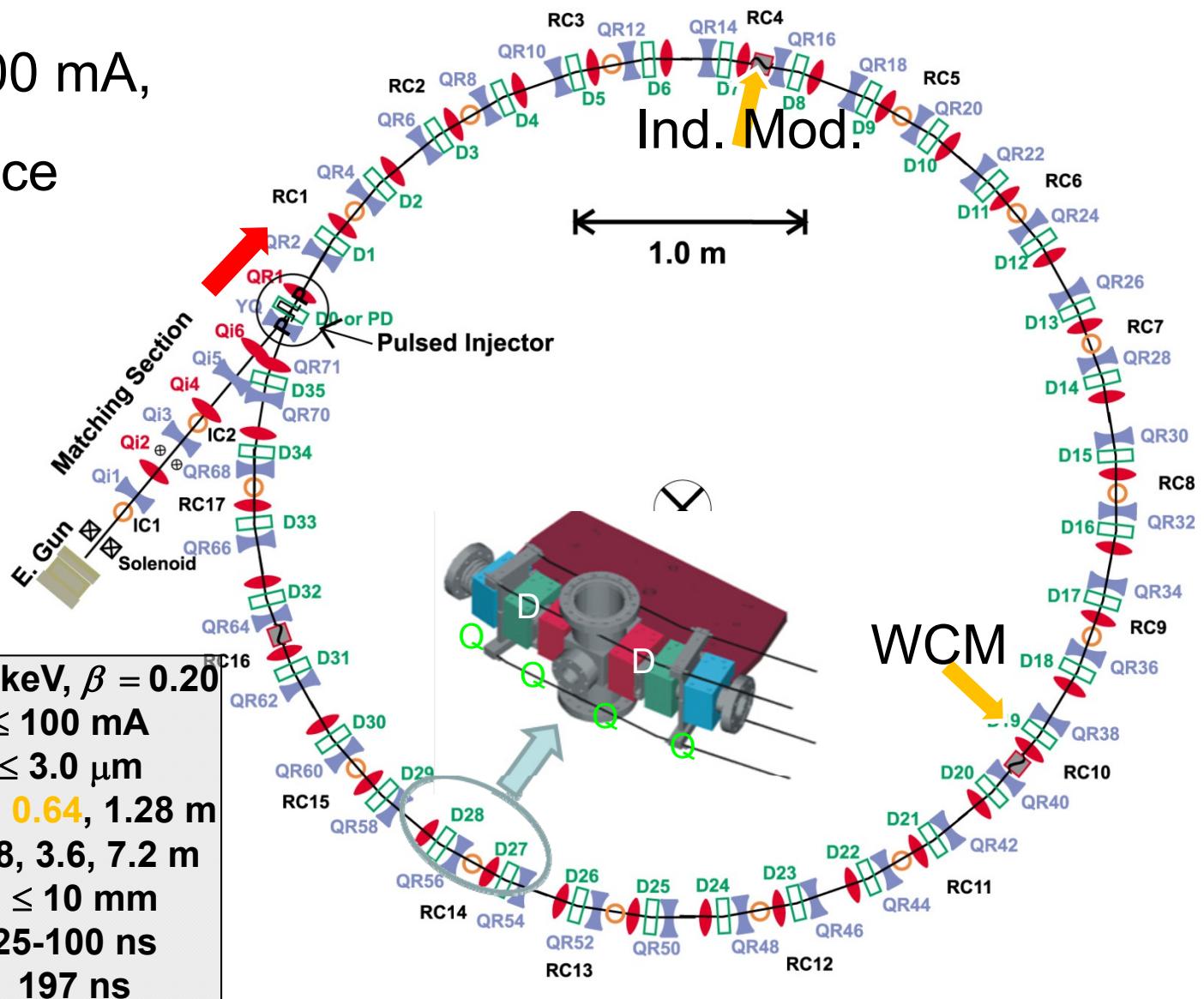
Tune shift

$$\Delta Q = Q_o \left( 1 - \frac{\sigma}{\sigma_o} \right)$$



# UMER Layout

10 keV e-, 0.5-100 mA,  
0.3-3  $\mu$ m emittance  
 $\sim 10^{10}$  particles



|  |  |
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| <b>Energy:</b>                               | $\leq 10 \text{ keV}$ , $\beta = 0.20$ |
| <b>Current, <math>I</math>:</b>              | $\leq 100 \text{ mA}$                  |
| <b>Emittance*, <math>\varepsilon</math>:</b> | $\leq 3.0 \mu\text{m}$                 |
| <b>Lattice period, <math>S</math>:</b>       | 0.32, 0.64, 1.28 m                     |
| <b>Zero-current <math>\lambda_0</math>:</b>  | $\approx 1.8, 3.6, 7.2 \text{ m}$      |
| <b>Av. beam radius, <math>a</math>:</b>      | $\leq 10 \text{ mm}$                   |
| <b>Pulse length:</b>                         | 25-100 ns                              |
| <b>Lap time:</b>                             | 197 ns                                 |

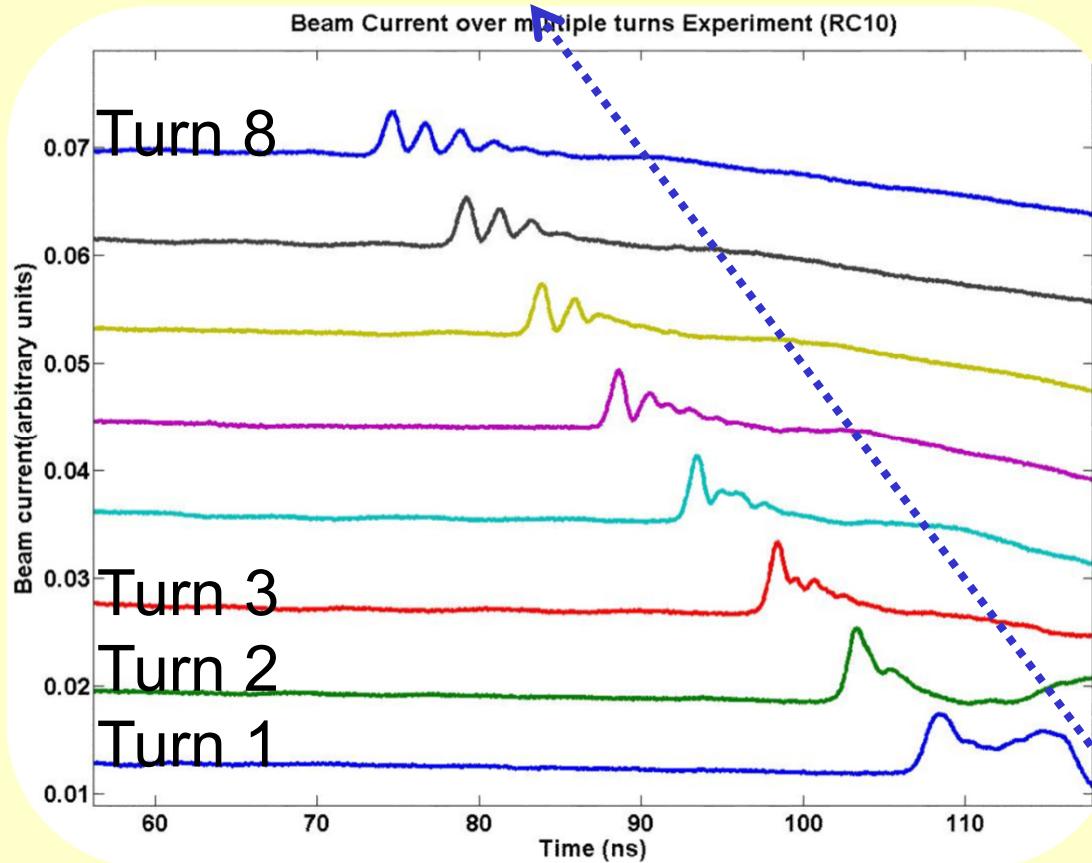
\*norm., rms

# First Experimental Observation of Soliton Wave Trains in Electron Beams

Persistent large-amplitude waves that retain their shape

Nonlinear steepening  
balances wave dispersion

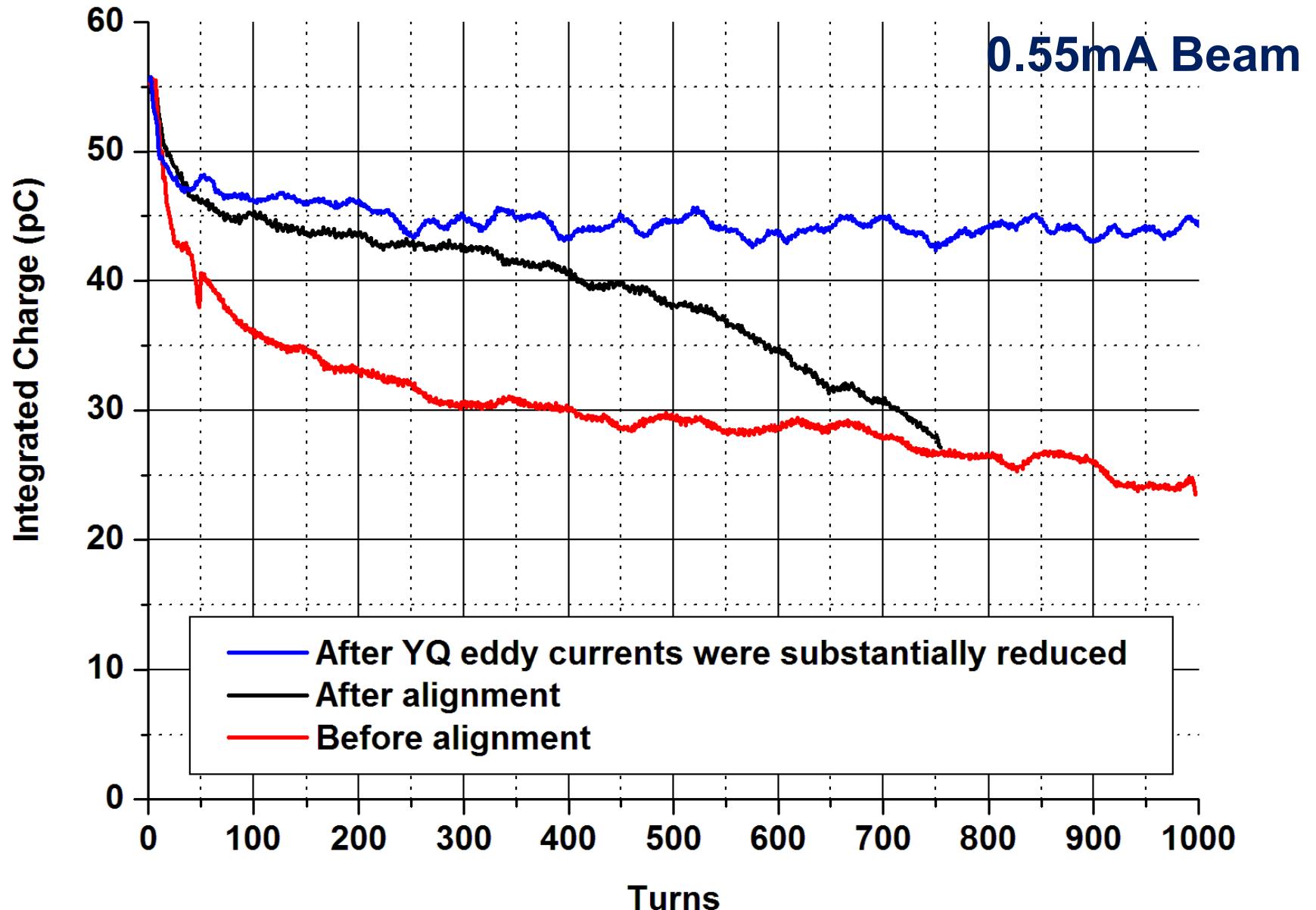
Evolution of Large-Amplitude Perturbation



J. Charles T. Thangaraj, Ph.D. Thesis, (2009) and

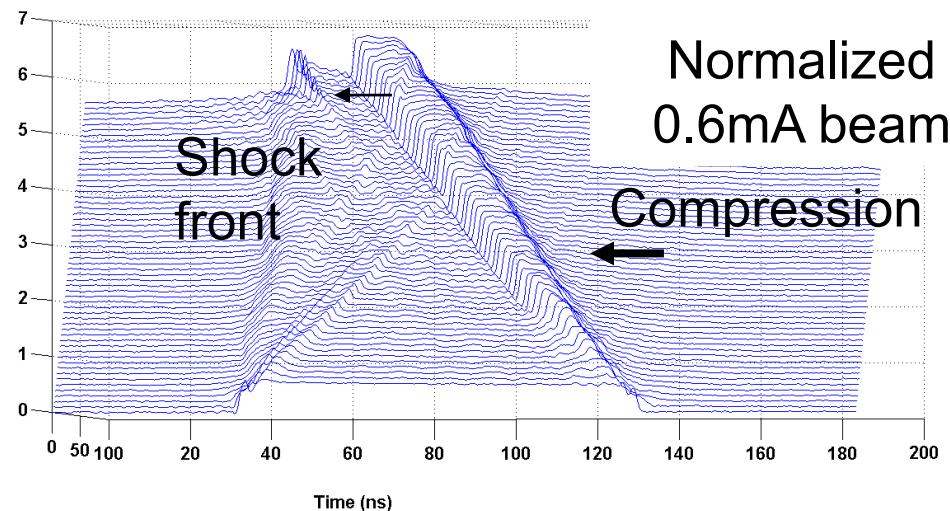
Y. C. Mo et al, Phys. Rev. Lett. 110, 084802 (2013)

# Barrier Bucket Longitudinal Focusing – Far Exceeded 100-turn design spec

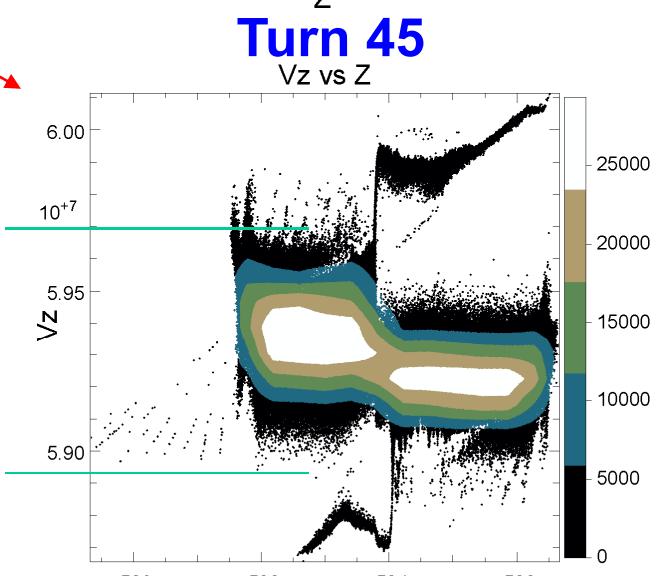
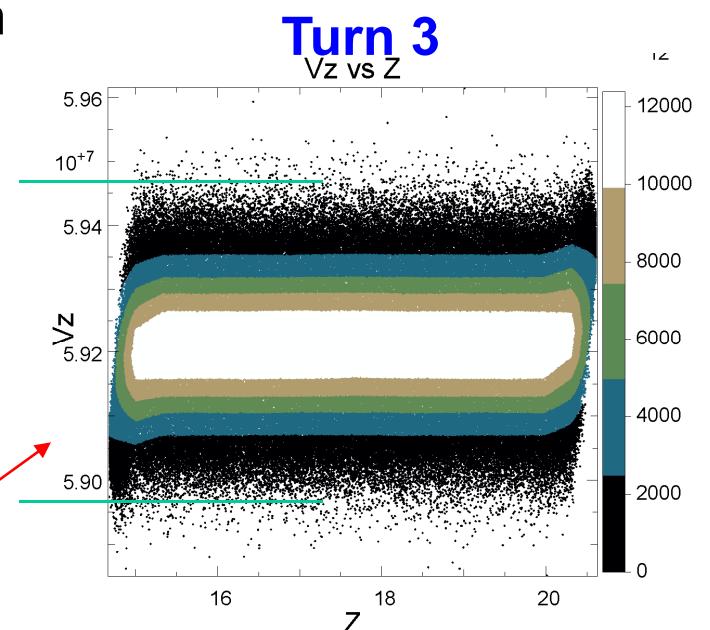
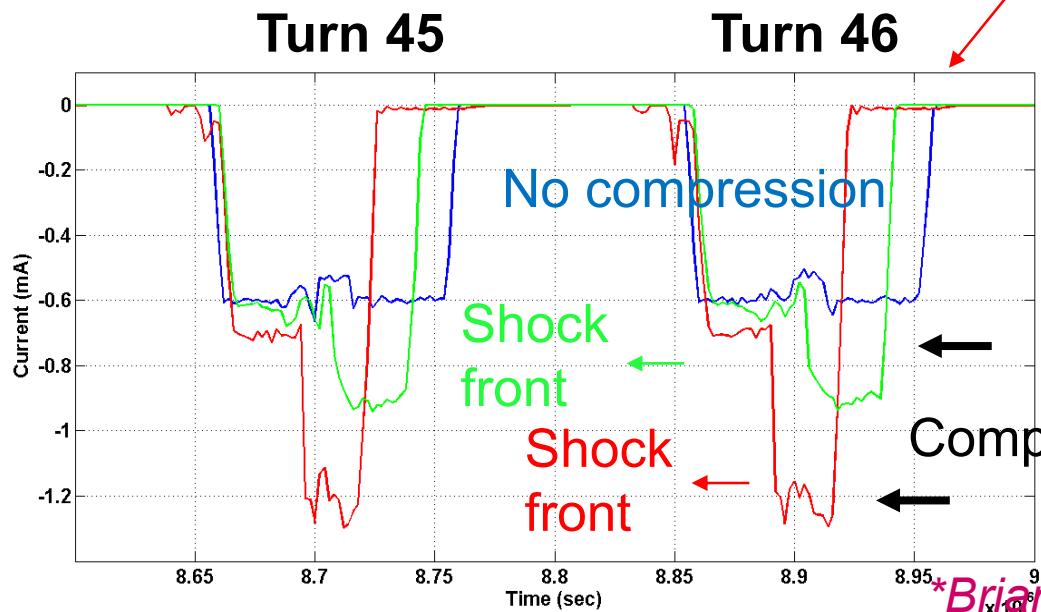


# Barrier Shock Compression with Longitudinal Space-Charge

## Measurements illustrating shock compression

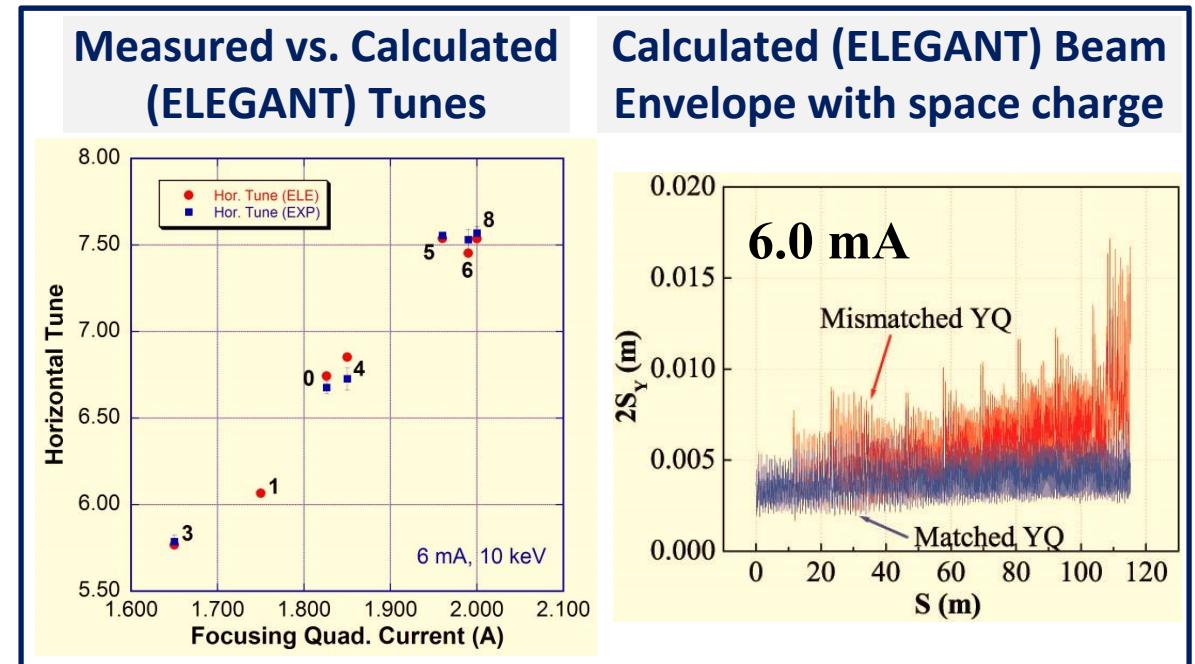
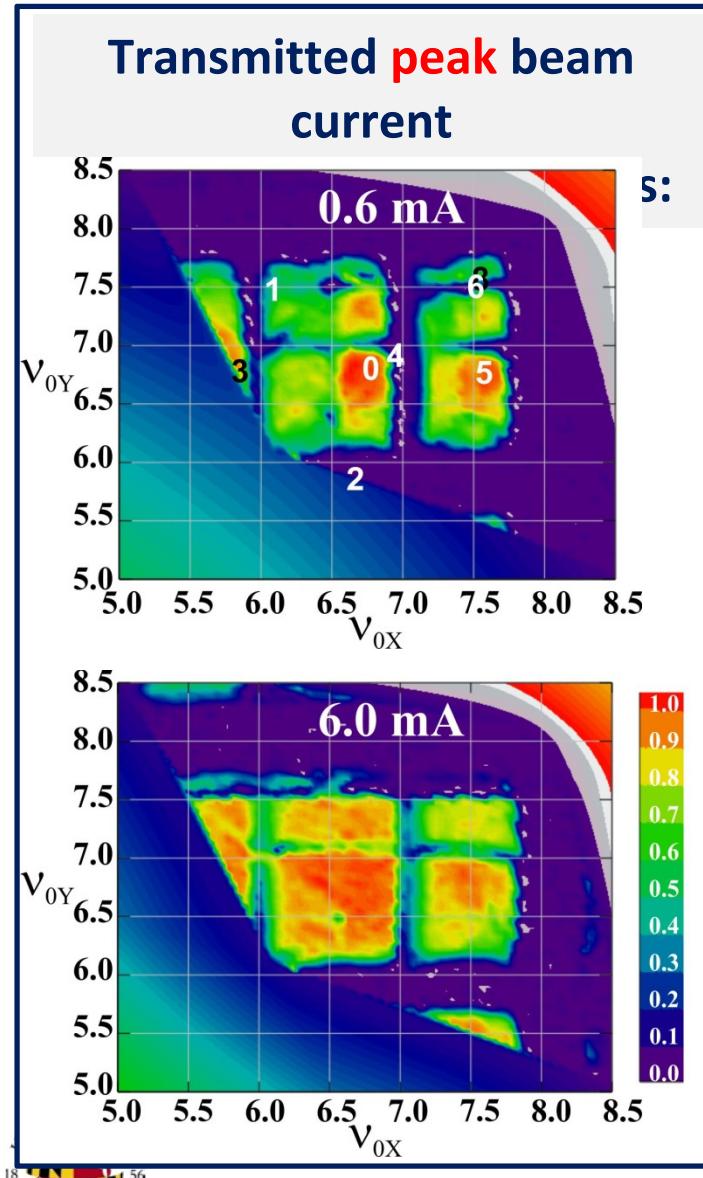


WARP simulations



\*Brian Beaudoin and I Haber, to be published

# BETATRON RESONANCES AND BEAM CURRENT\*: 0.6 mA beam behaves more coherently than 6.0 mA

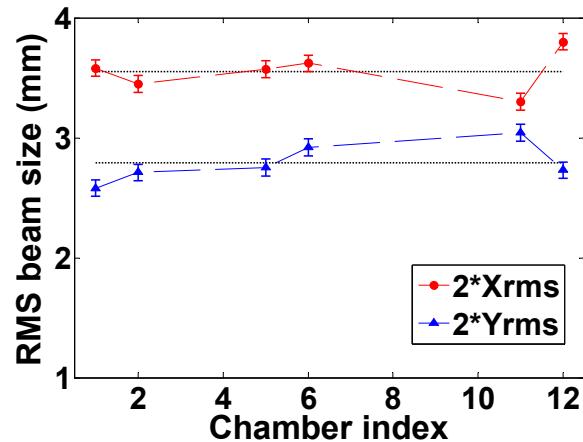


\*S. Bernal et al, Proc. NA-PAC 2013, Pasadena, CA, Sep. 2013



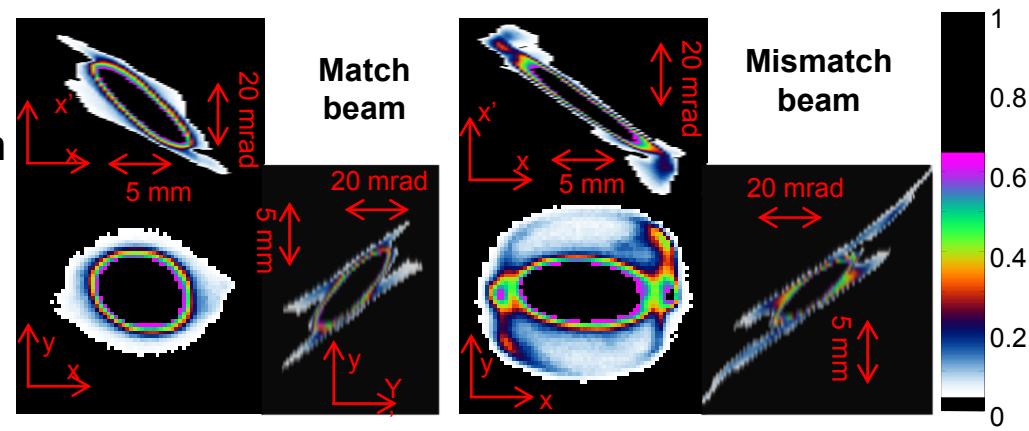
# Halo Formation from mismatch in Experiment

First turn Beam Match result

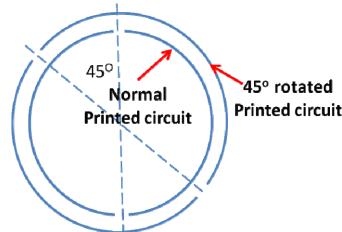


Reduce  
Injection  
Q5 by  
20%

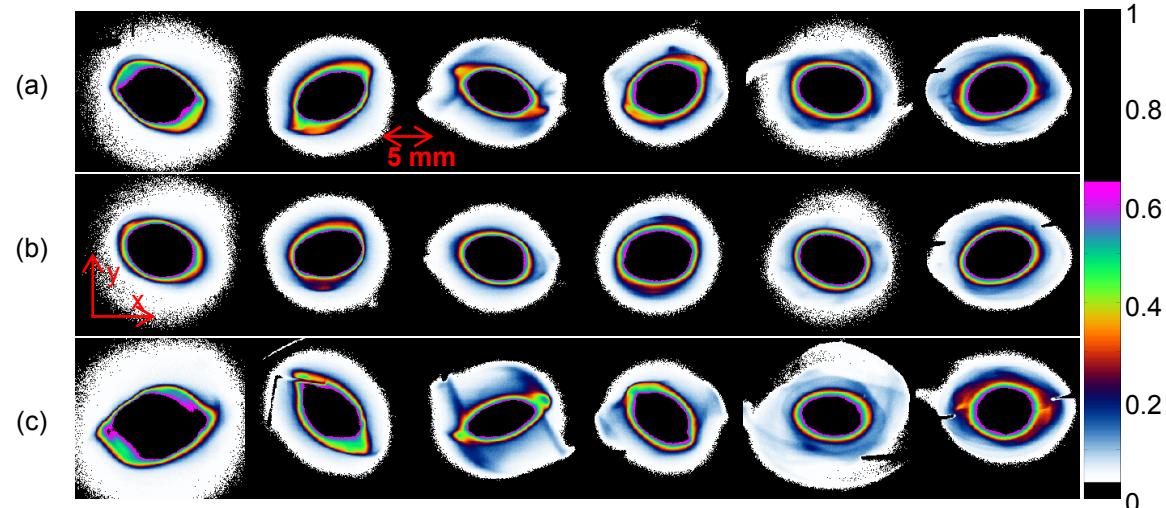
Halo from envelope mismatch



Set skew quad at Q6:  
(a) 0.5, (b) 0.1 and (c) -0.4

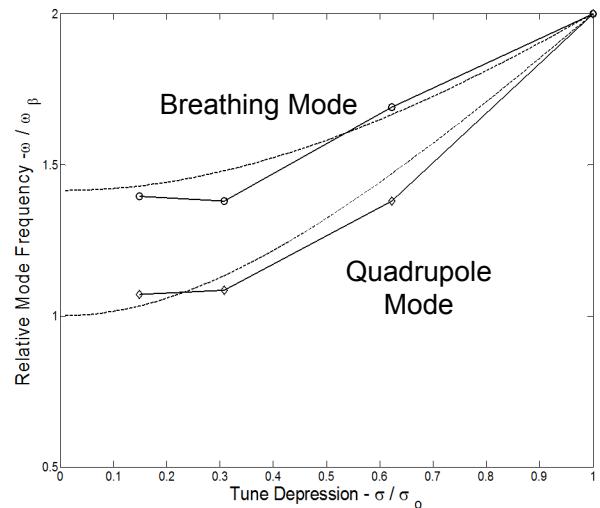


Halo from rotational error



# *Envelope Mode Characterization*

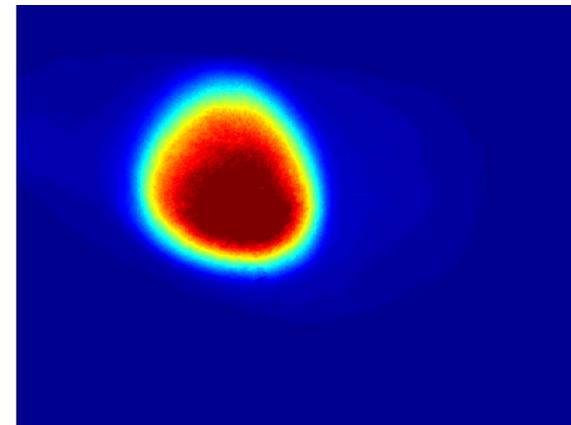
- Two modes (“breathing” and “quadrupole”) with different nonlinear, intensity-dependent frequencies



- Image excited beam slice using fast phosphor screens and 3 ns gated camera to find location/bandwidth of resonance modes



- Independently excite modes using tunable resonant circuit and electric quadrupole



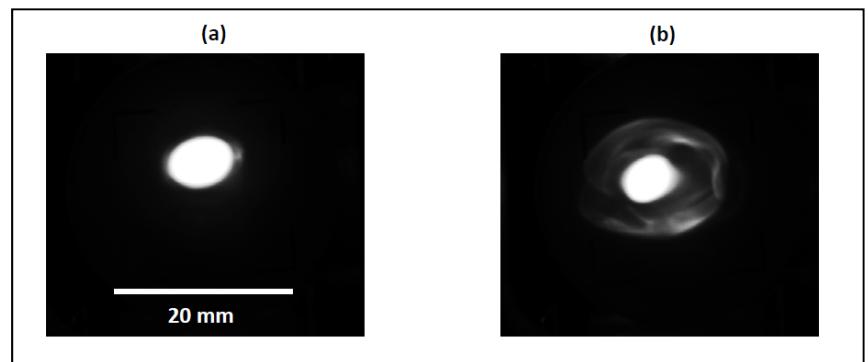
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## *UMER as nonlinear optics testbed*

- Nonlinear integrable optics theory is compelling for single particle dynamics (Danilov and Nagaitsev, Phys. Rev. ST Accel. Beams, 2010)
- UMER and ideal testing ground for nonlinear optics with space charge
  - Well bench-marked simulations
  - Inexpensive printed circuit magnets
  - UMER flexibility
    - Independently powered quadrupoles
    - Variable space charge
    - Tune-in halo

### GOALS:

- Design and implement a nonlinear lattice in the UMER framework
- Experimentally verify lattice properties (stability, halo suppression)
- Investigate consequences of space charge through experiment and simulation



Beam halo through quadrupole mismatch  
Phosphor screen images

*Following slides courtesy of Kiersten Ruisard*

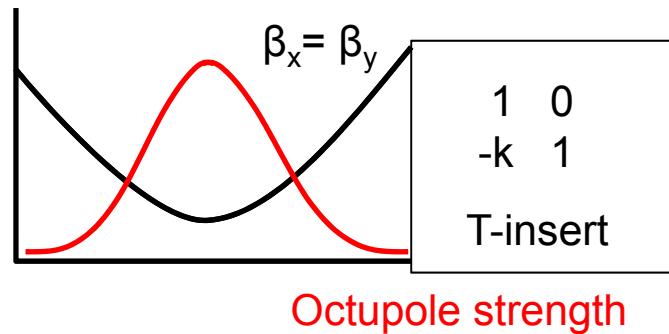
# *“Quasi-integrable” octupole lattice*

- 1 invariant of motion if octupole potential is scaled longitudinally:

$$V(x, y, s) = \frac{K}{4\beta(s)^3} (x^4 + y^4 - 6x^2y^2)$$

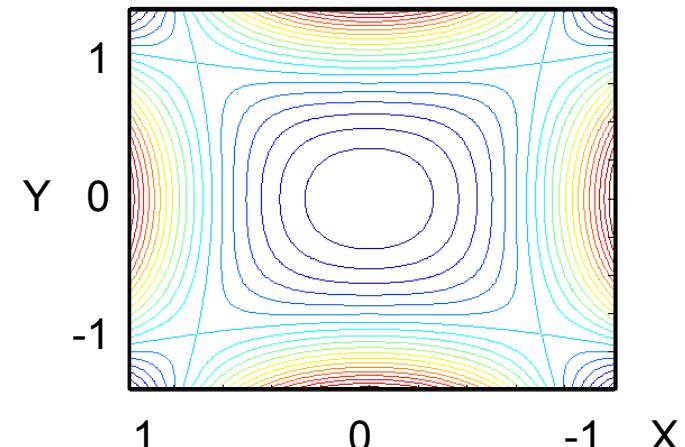
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- Implementing octupole lattice

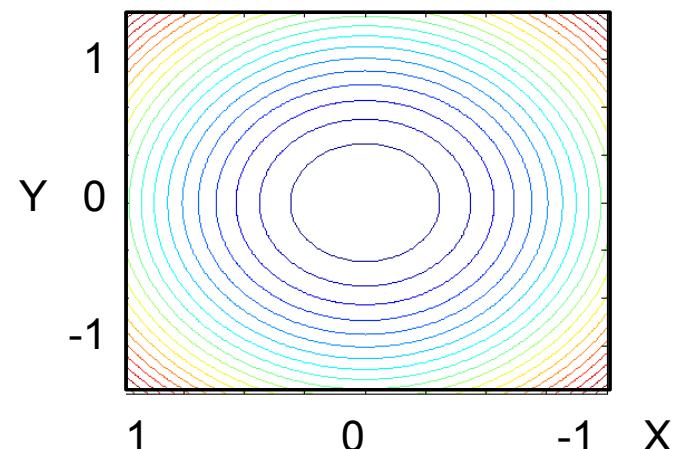


- Shown to suppress halo  
(S.D. Webb and D. Bruhwiler, to be published)

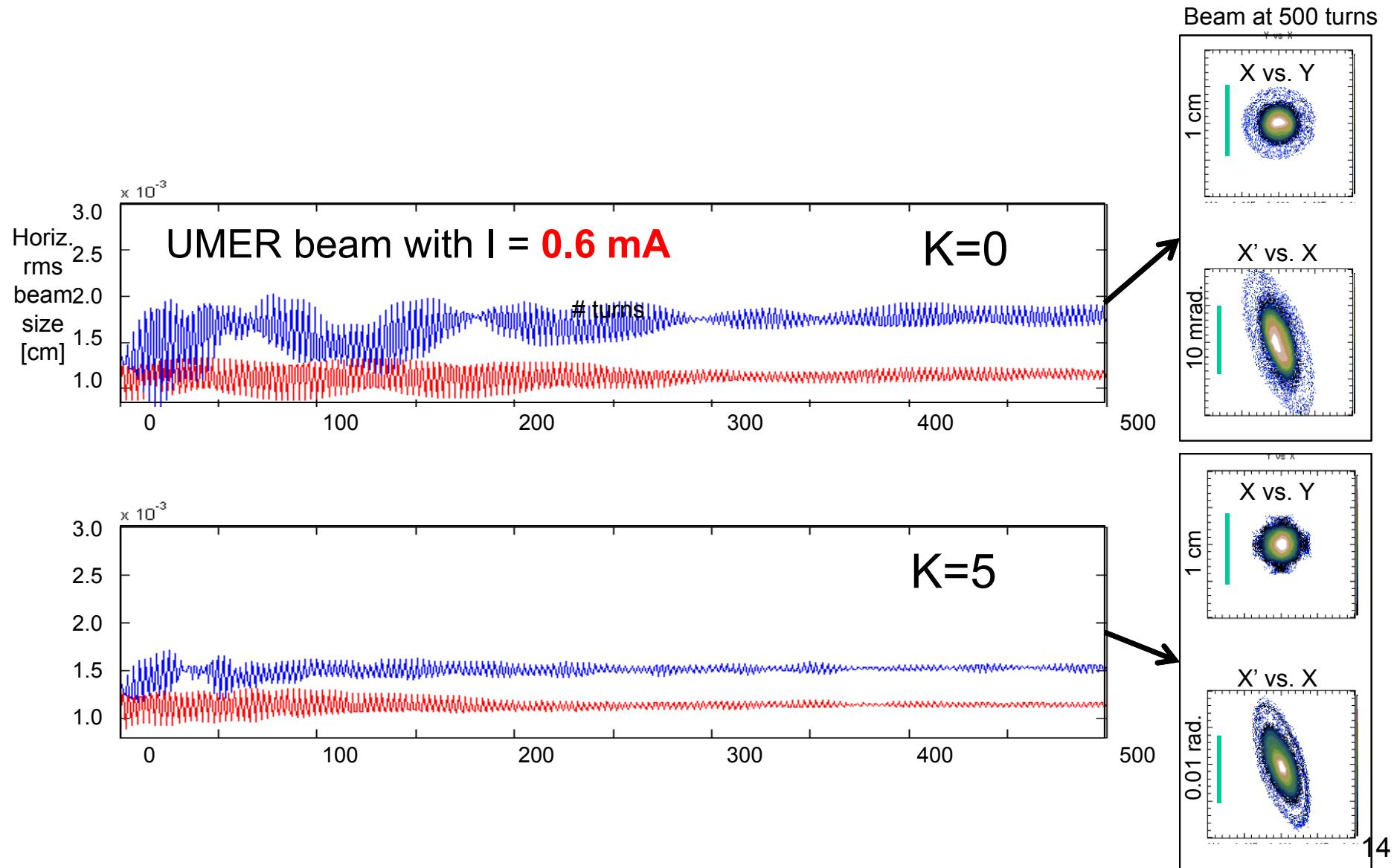
Potential in linear lattice with octupole



Normalized potential in linear lattice



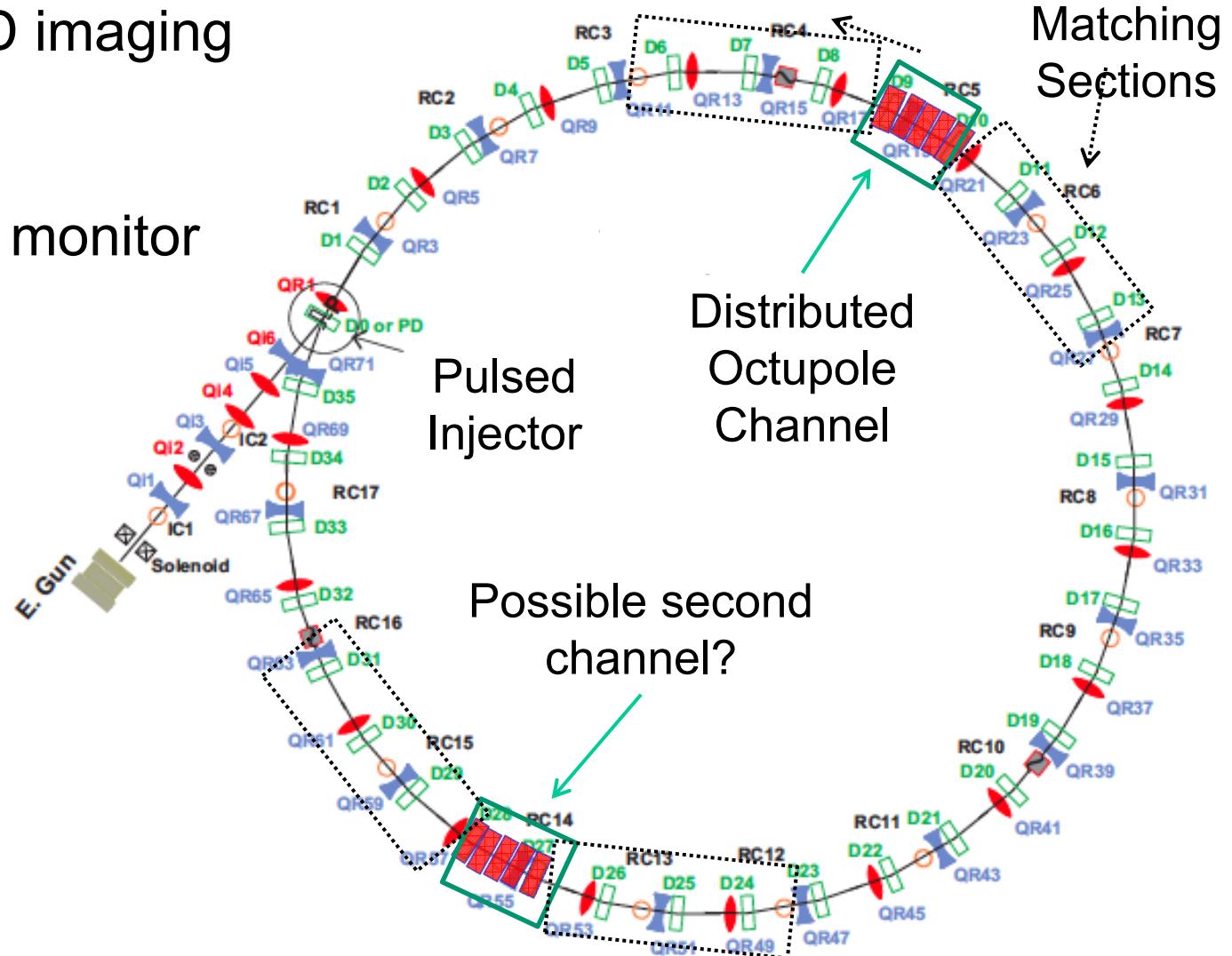
## PIC simulations: halo suppression in quasi-integrable lattice



# What will an experiment look like?

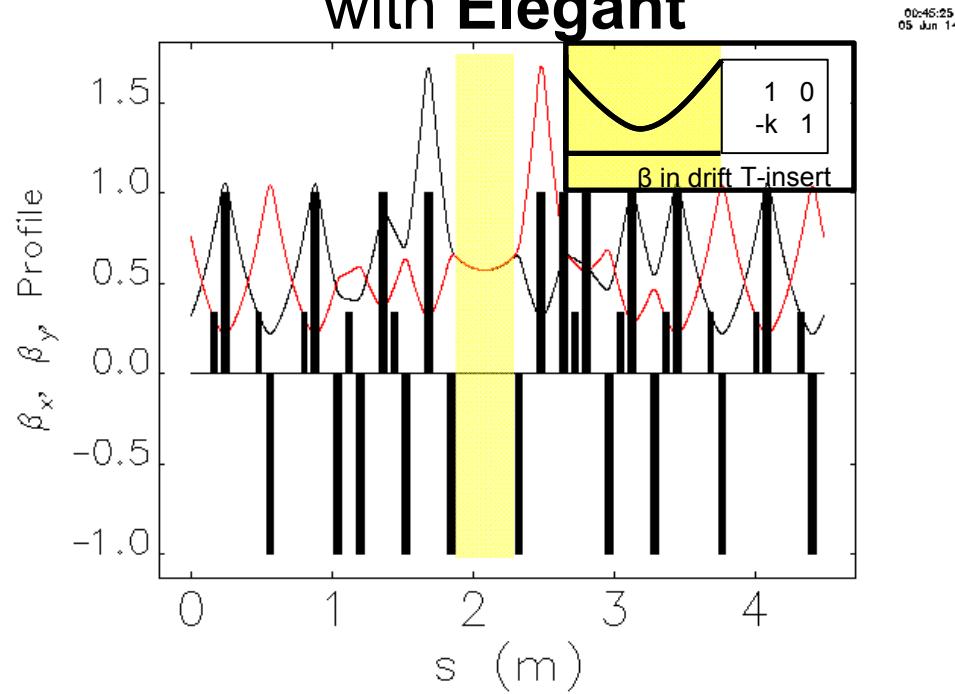
## Ring Diagnostics:

- Multi-turn 3D imaging  
“knock-out”
- 14 BPM’s
- Wall current monitor



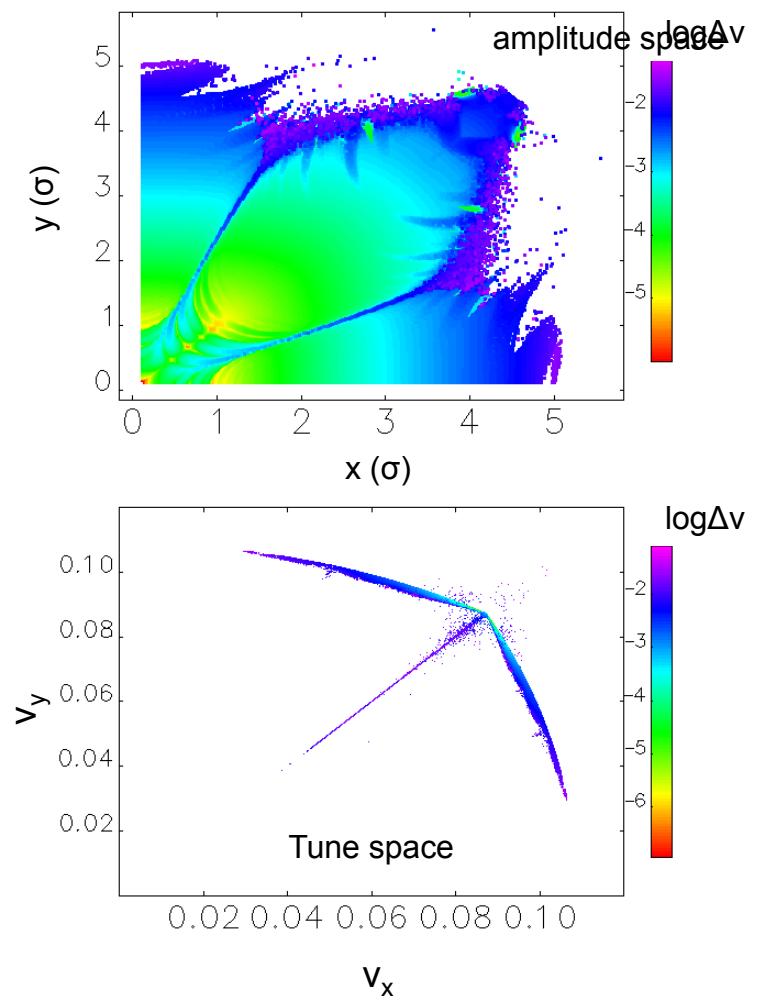
# IOTA-like lattice at UMER

## “0-current” Lattice Functions with **Elegant**

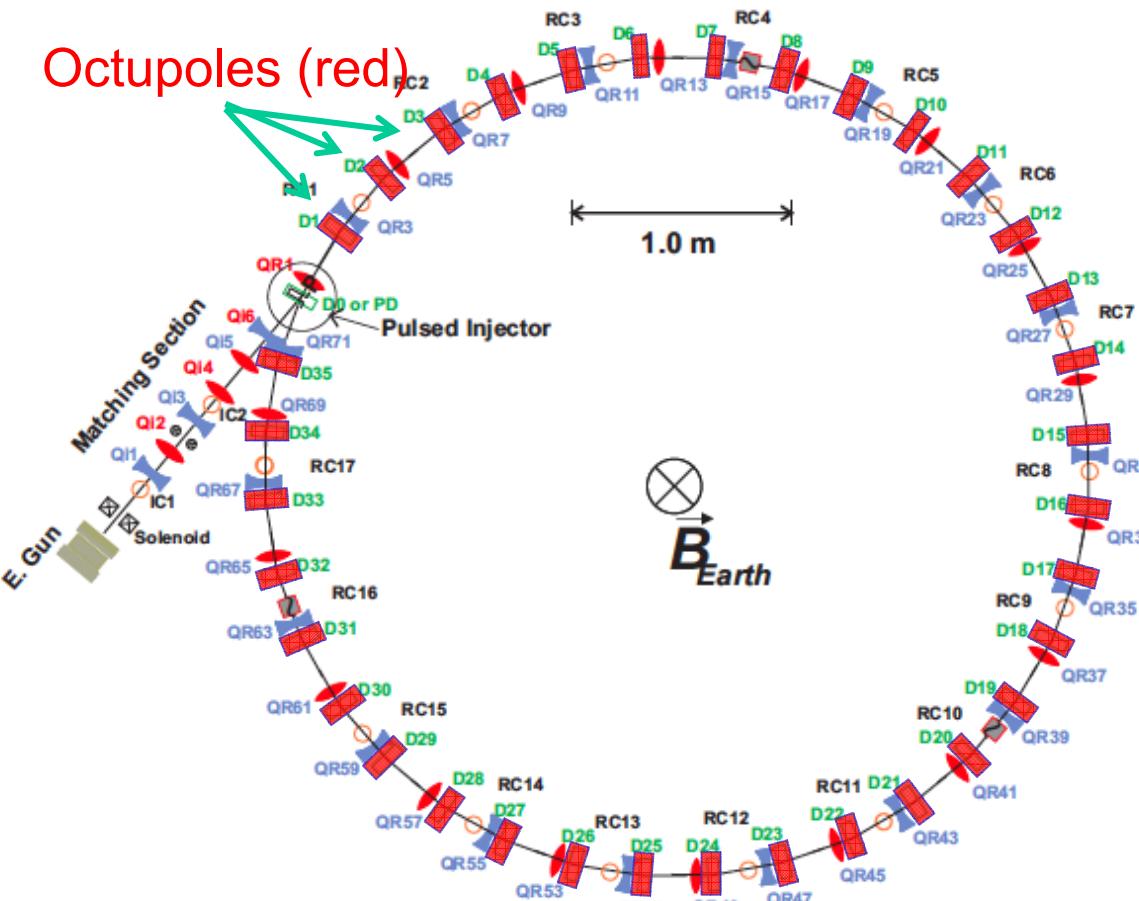


Fractional tune 0.08 in octupole channel. Possible to increase fractional tune with the use of solenoid lenses.

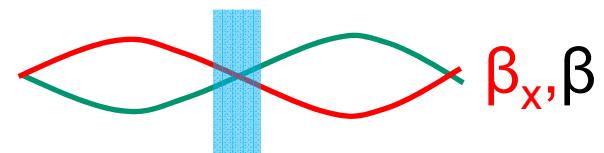
## Frequency analysis of IOTA-like UMER (toy model)



# Distributed Octupole lattice

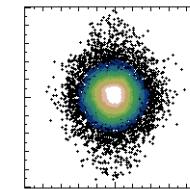


Placement of octupoles:

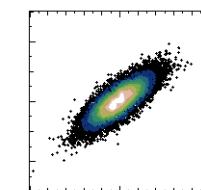
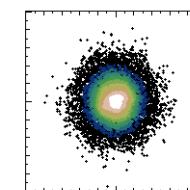
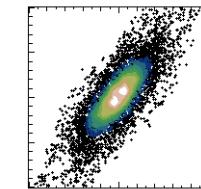


$\beta_x \approx \beta_x$  in dipole<sup>X</sup>

**Y vs X**

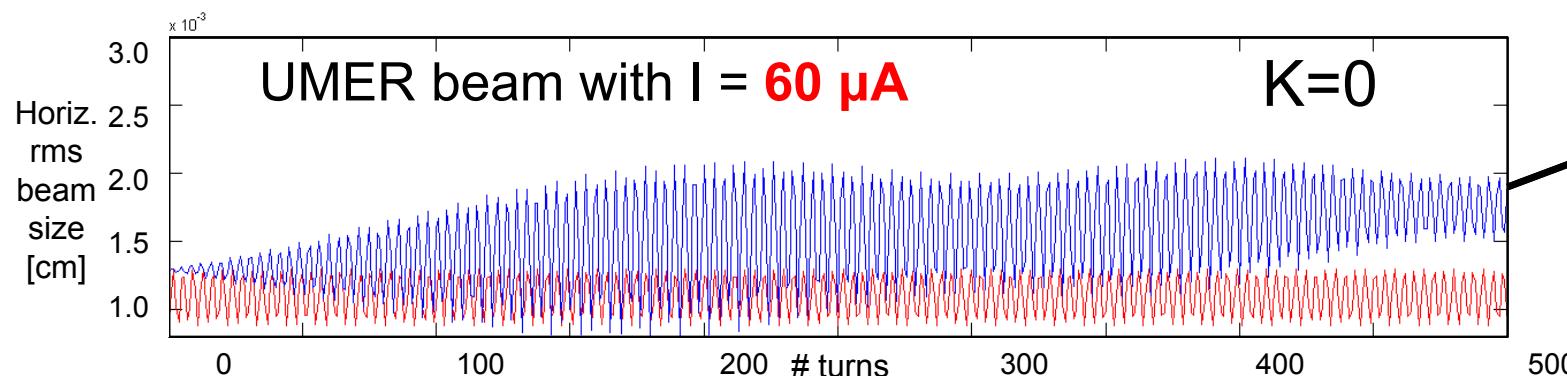


**Y' vs. Y**

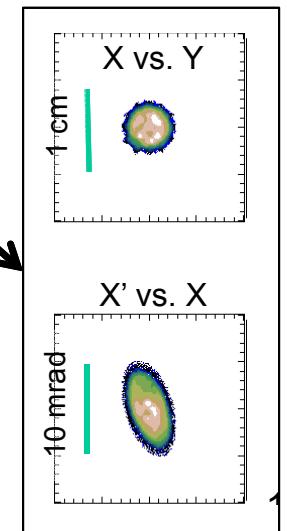
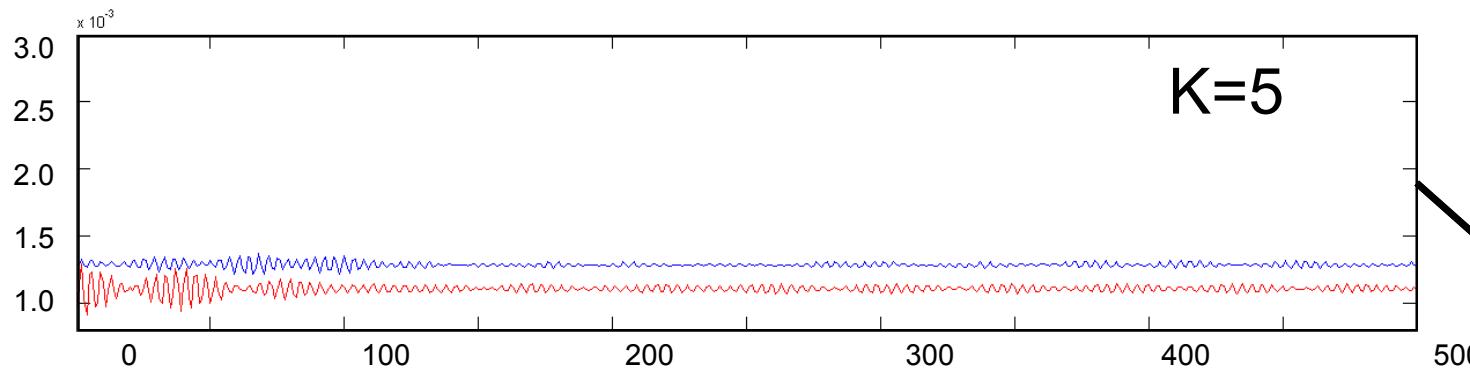
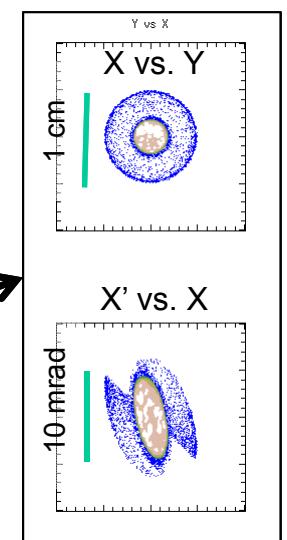


WARP PIC simulations  
of 0.6 mA beam with 200  
 $T/m^3$  octupoles

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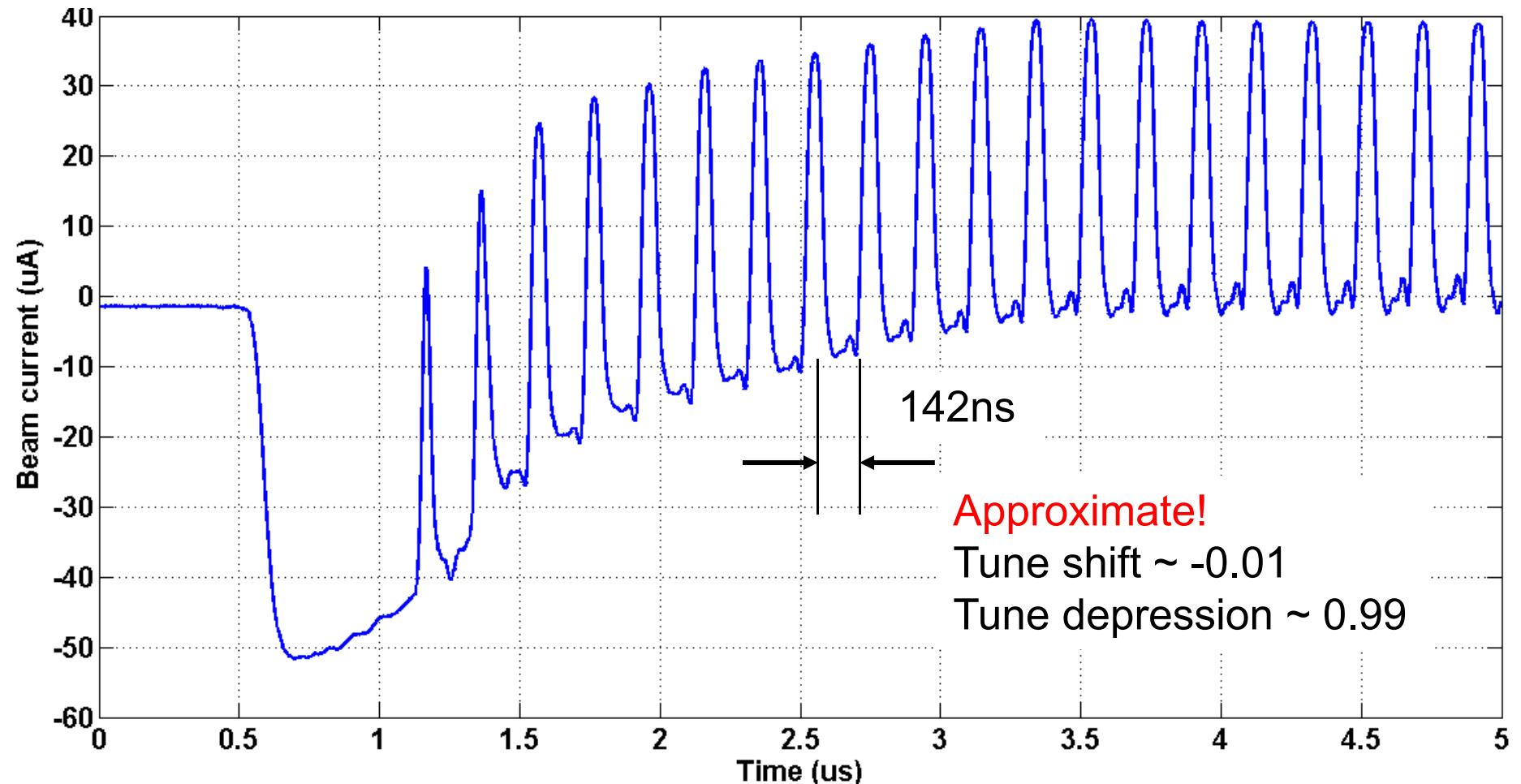


Beam at 500 turns



## Low Current Beam Development

Ongoing work on generating and detecting a negligible space charge beam paves the way for more controlled tests of space charge effects in nonlinear lattices.



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## *Summary and Conclusions*

- UMER a flexible machine, demonstrated accomplishments in understanding space charge dynamics.
- Designs and studies underway for extending UMER's range of operation and accessible physics.
- Proposed nonlinear optics studies at UMER complement FNAL's IOTA research program by looking at quasi-integrable and distributed octupole configurations, with space charge.
- Longitudinal experiments on shock-wave compression (in collaboration with GSI) and soliton wave train compression (at FNAL's ASTA facility) are underway.