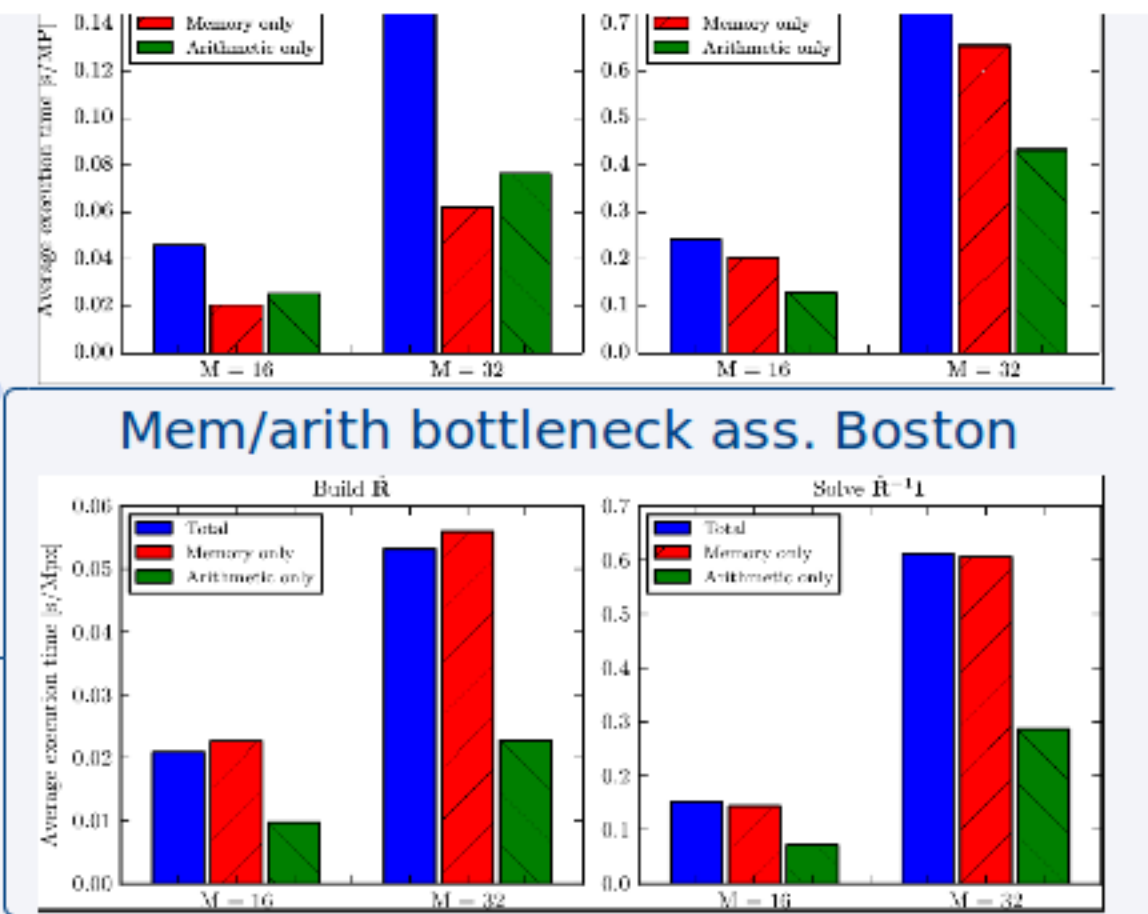
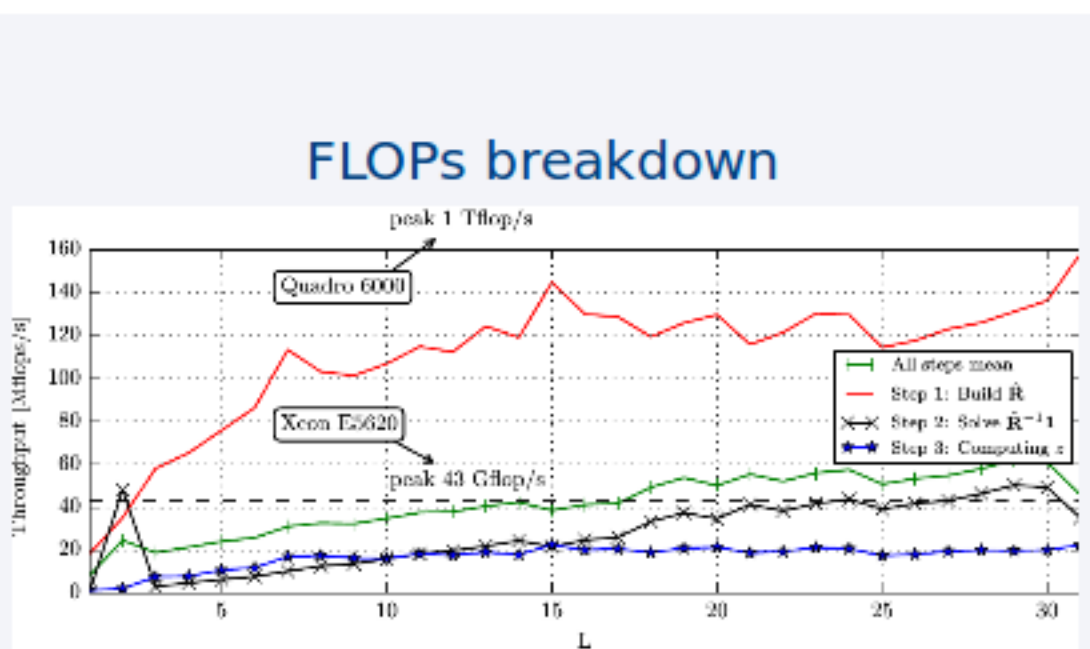
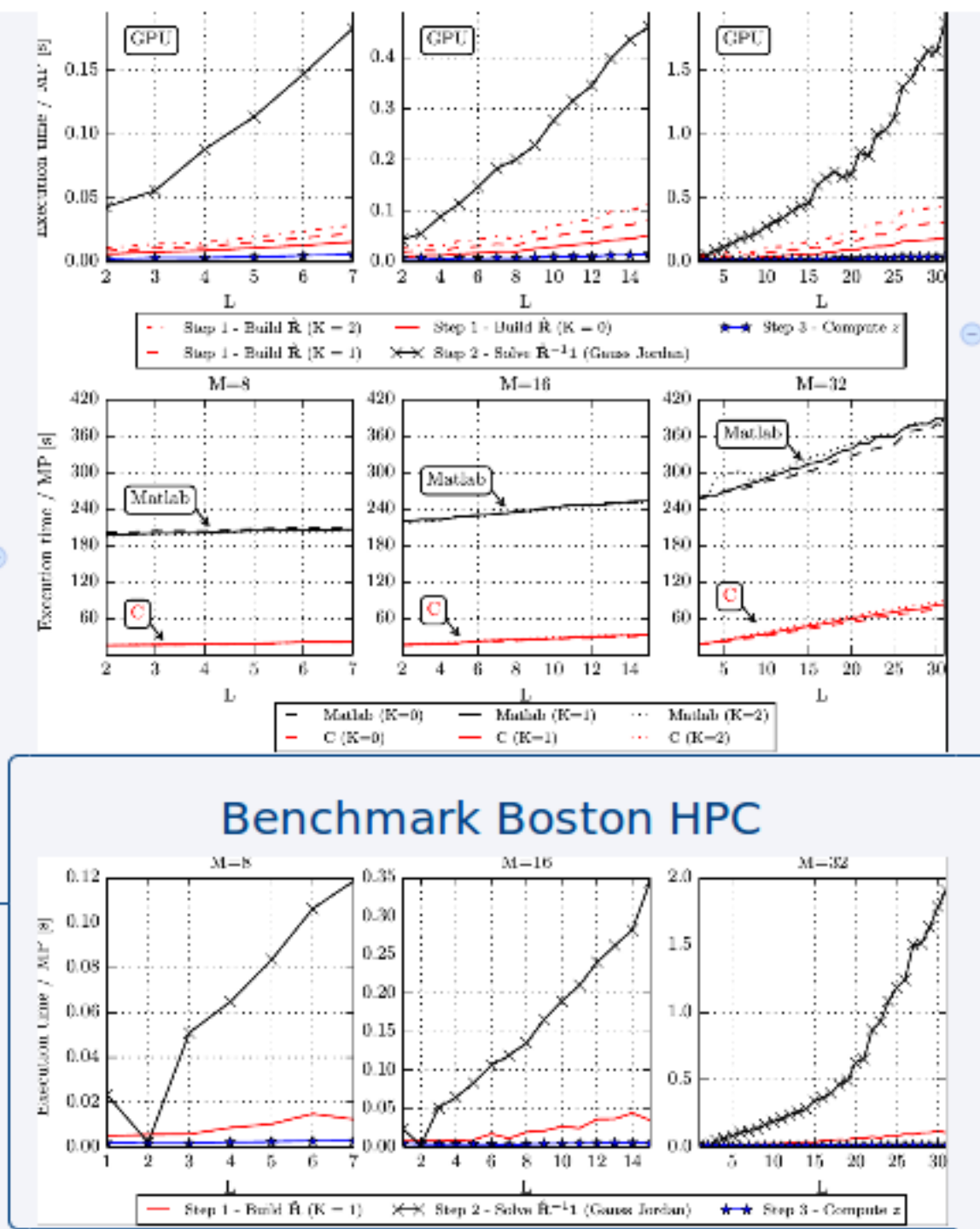
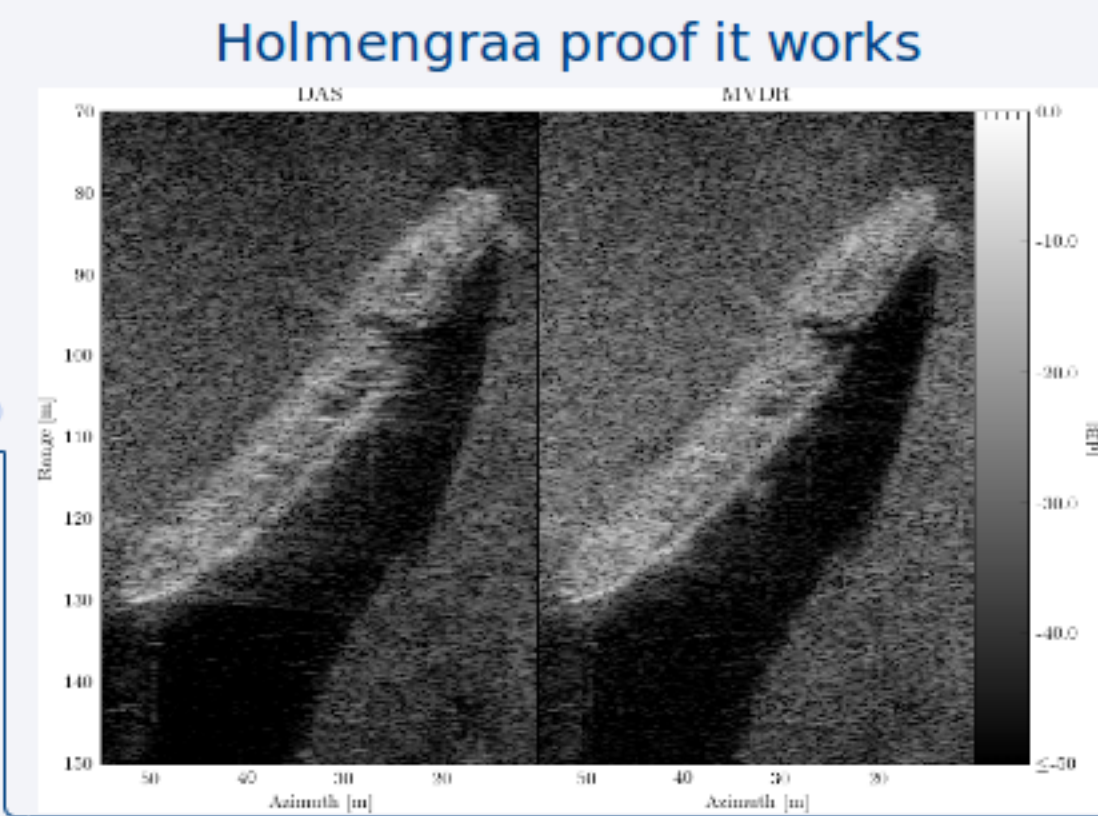


benchmarks



at  $M \leq 32$  building  $R$  is just as much a bottleneck as inverting it  
the problem is primarily bound by memory bandwidth  
VDR on GPU increased by 1-2 orders of magnitude  
GPU implementation closer to max FLOPS than CPU

reduction

Problem: Many channels. Oversampling desired for spatial shift invariance

Use case: Ultrasound,  $M > 32$ , narrow beam, 3Mhz, wideband

Based on: C-I. beamspace

background

Capon Beamforming

GPU Compute Model

Calculation of Multiple Sample Covariance Matrices

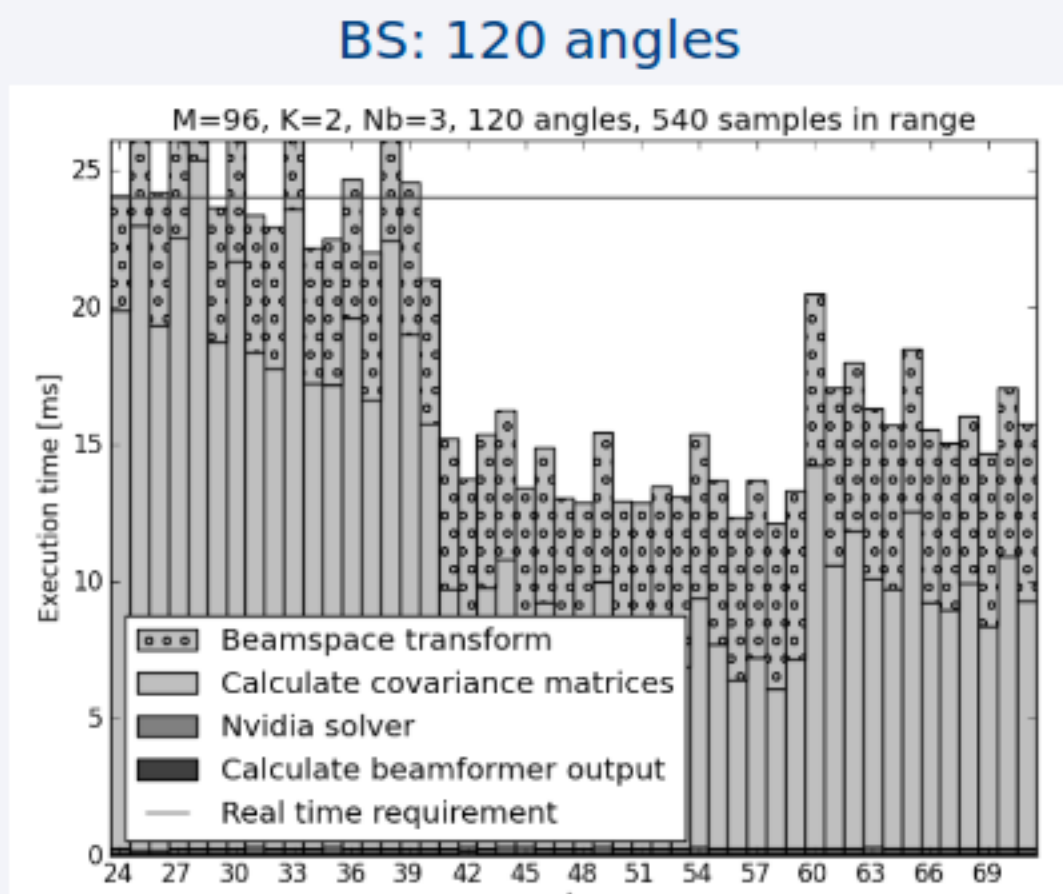
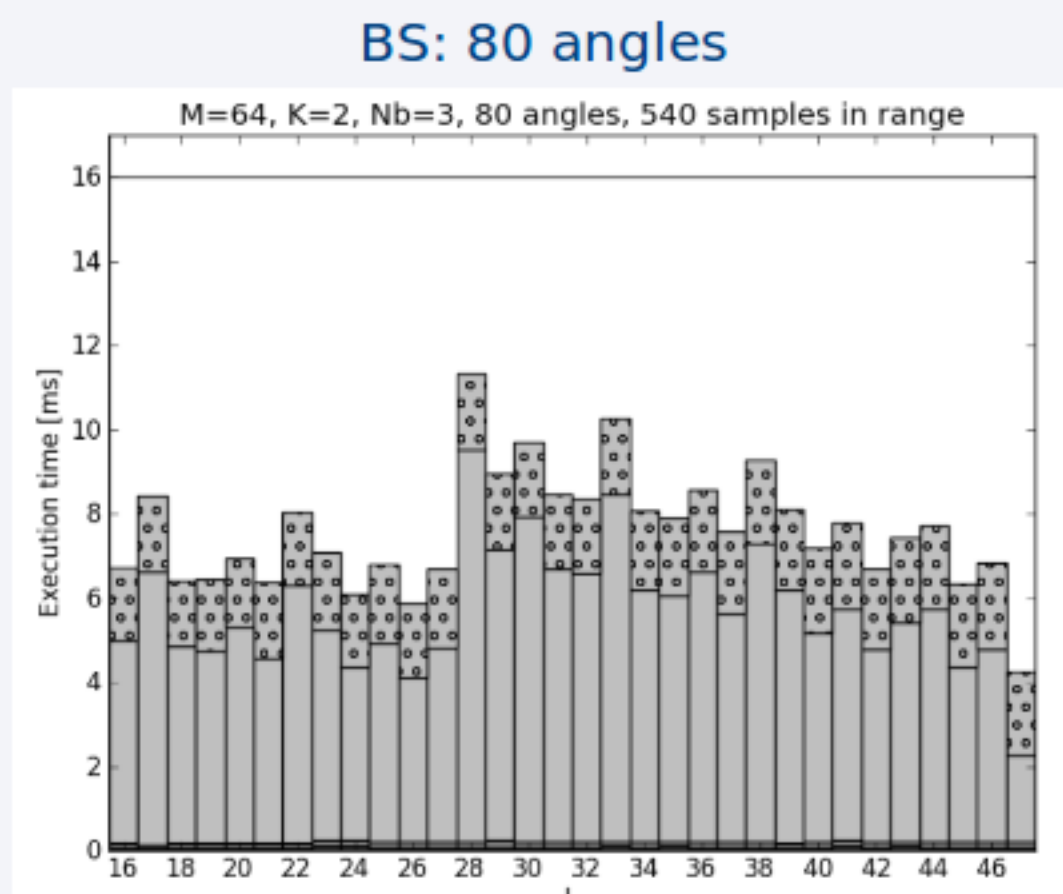
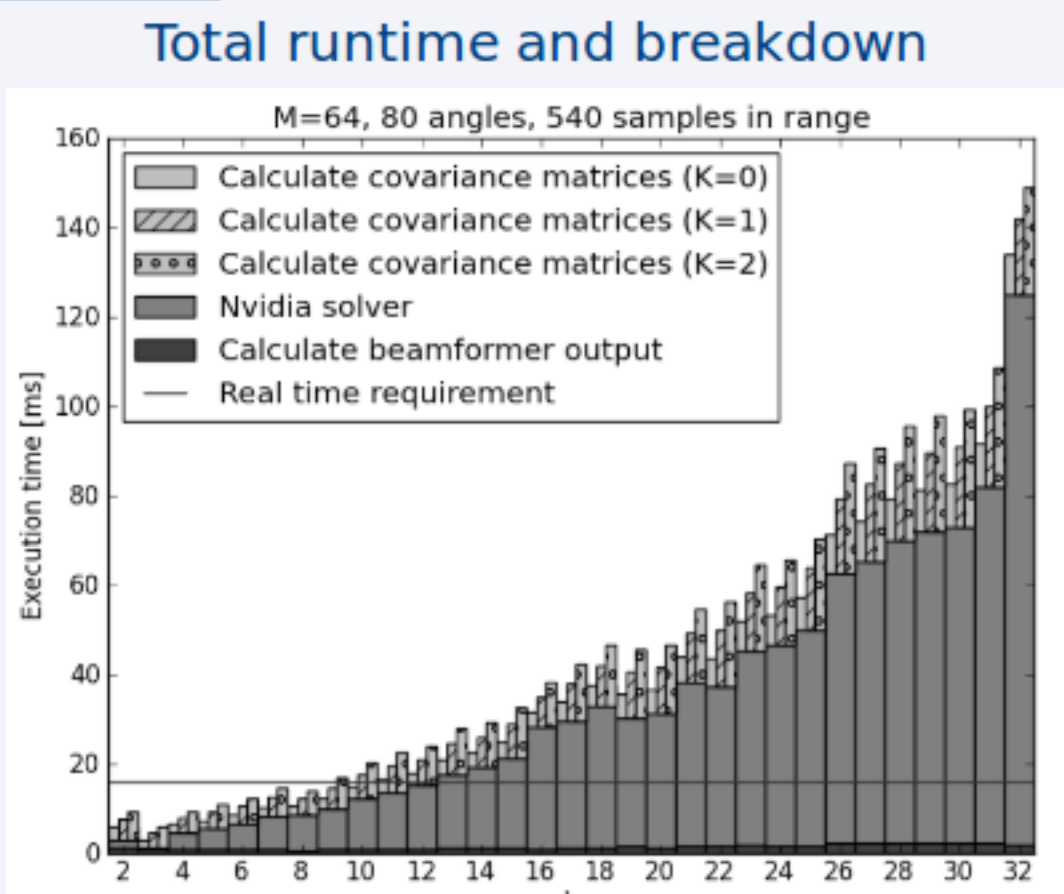
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Solving Multiple Small Linear Systems

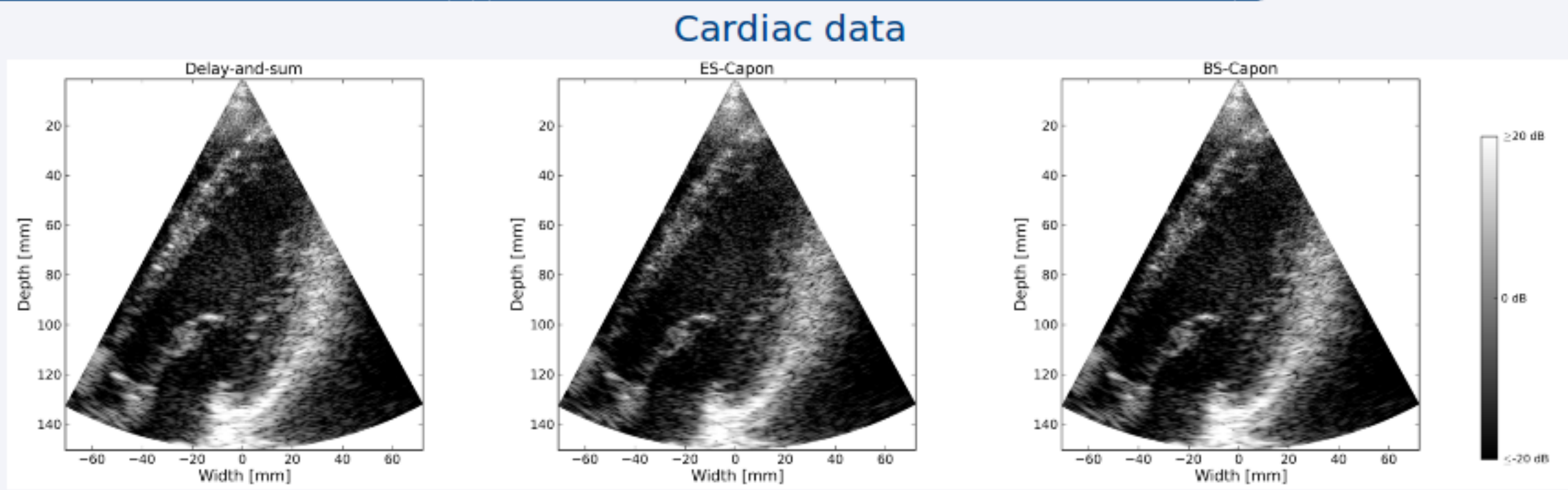
Compute Beamformer Output

beamspace Processing

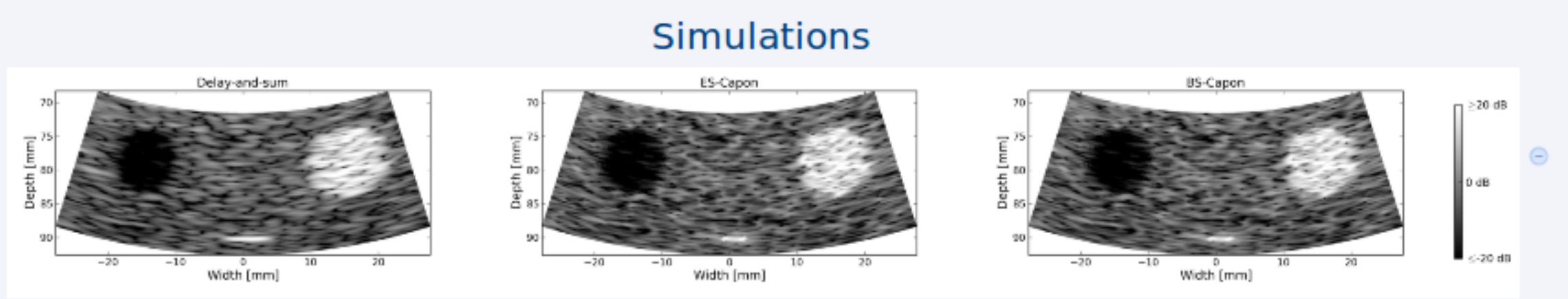
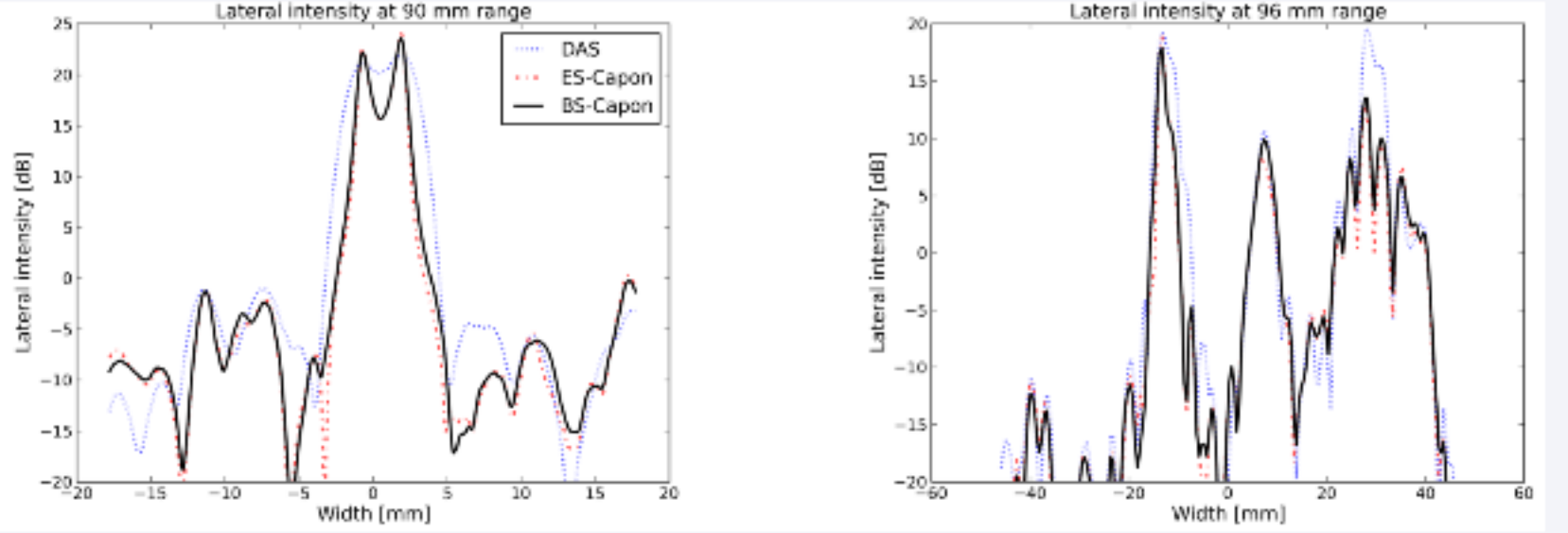
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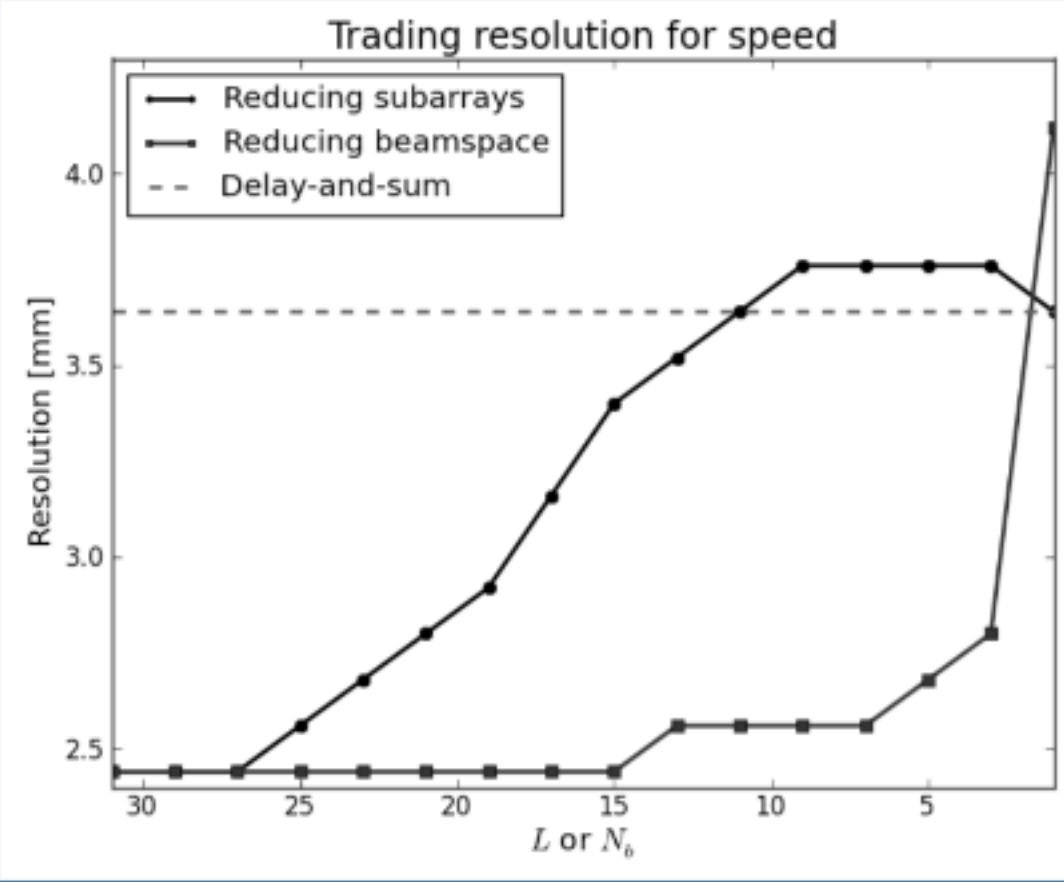
Trading Resolution for Speed



Lateral intensity



Trading resolution for speed



Conclusion Real-time processing possible up to 96 channels/beams using beamspace

BS needs a transform, but reduces the size of  $R$  to  $3 \times 3$

Conclusion A GPU can accelerate this further, ensuring real-time performance

Attractive when narrow TX beam, high  $M$ , TX oversampling