S2E simulations for proof-of-principle experiment on THz SASE FEL at PITZ

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Photo Injector Test facility at DESY, Zeuthen site (PITZ)

IR/THz SASE source for pump-probe experiments @E-XFEL

PITZ-like accelerator can enable high power, tunable, synchronized IR/THz radiation



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SASE FEL based on PITZ accelerator and LCLS-I undulators

LCLS-I undulators (available on loan from SLAC) \rightarrow under study and negotiations

| Properties | Details |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| Туре | planar hybrid (NdFeB) |
| K-value | 3.49 (3.585) |
| Support diameter / length | 30 cm / 3.4 m |
| Vacuum chamber size | 11 mm x 5 mm |
| Period length | 30 mm |
| Periods / a module | 113 periods |
| | |

Reference: LCLS conceptual design report, SLAC-0593, 2002.



Some Properties of the LCLS-I undulator

Preliminary conclusions on LCLS-I undulators at PITZ:

- Not such extremely high performance as for the APPLE-II, but is clearly proper for the proof-of-principle experiment!
- 4 nC electron beam transport through the vacuum chamber needs efforts, but seems to be feasible.



$\lambda_{rad} \sim 100 \mu m \rightarrow \langle Pz \rangle = 16.7 MeV/c$

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Start-to-end simulations for proof-of-principle experiment at PITZ

PITZ main tunnel and tunnel annex for the LCLS-I undulator installation



S2E simulations: from photocathode \rightarrow undulator \rightarrow THz SASE FEL

Main challenges:

- 4 nC (200A) x 16.7 MeV/c \rightarrow SC dominated beam
- ~30 m transport (incl. 1.5 m wall) \rightarrow LCLS-I undulator in the tunnel annex
- 3D field of the undulator field
- Matching into the undulator (narrow vacuum chamber issue)

Tools:

- ASTRA
- SC-Optimizer
- GENESIS 1.3



Beam Dynamics Simulation Setup ASTRA





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Gun, solenoid, booster parameters

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Beam at EMSY1 – "ready" for transport

Z=5.277m from the cathode



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PITZ Beam from the cathode \rightarrow tunnel wall

ASTRA input \rightarrow SC-Optimizer \rightarrow check with ASTRA



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LCLS-I Undulator field





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LCLS-I Undulator field

Fourier Analysis

Performing Fourier transformation for $-\frac{L}{2} \le z \le \frac{L}{2}$, where $L = N_U \lambda_U$ is the undulator length: $B_y(x = 0, y = 0, z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left\{ a_n \cos\left(\frac{2\pi nz}{N_U \lambda_U}\right) + b_n \sin\left(\frac{2\pi nz}{N_U \lambda_U}\right) \right\}$, where $a_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_{-\frac{L}{2}}^{\frac{L}{2}} B_y(x = 0, y = 0, z) \cos\left(\frac{2\pi nz}{N_U \lambda_U}\right) dz$, $a_0 = \frac{1}{L} \int_{-\frac{L}{2}}^{\frac{L}{2}} B_y(x = 0, y = 0, z) dz$, $b_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_{-\frac{L}{2}}^{\frac{L}{2}} B_y(x = 0, y = 0, z) \sin\left(\frac{2\pi nz}{N_U \lambda_U}\right) dz$.



LCLS-I Undulator field

3D field map generation

Vertical and longitudinal components of undulator magnetic field:

 $B_{y}(x, y, z) = \sum_{n=1}^{N_{h} \cdot N_{U}} [\{\tilde{a}_{n} \cos(k_{n}z) + \tilde{b}_{n} \sin(k_{n}z)\} \cdot \cosh(k_{n}y)],$ $B_{z}(x, y, z) = \sum_{n=1}^{N_{h} \cdot N_{U}} [\{-\tilde{a}_{n} \sin(k_{n}z) + \tilde{b}_{n} \cos(k_{n}z)\} \cdot \sinh(k_{n}y)],$



Used as external field map for ASTRA (static magnetic cavity)

and for CST Trk/PIC solver



On-axis particle trajectory in the undulator

Reference particle: ASTRA and CST tracking



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Beam matching into the undulator

ASTRA simulations with space charge and 3D undulator field map

• "Ideal" (Gaussian-FT) beam





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New transport / matching

Further "through the wall" + prepare for asymmetric matching into the undulator









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Electron beam transport for LCLS-I undulator option at PITZ

Matching into the undulator \rightarrow beam size

NB1: Space charge model is not fully correct for the undulator (dipole field)







Beam at undulator entrance

ASTRA monitors at z=27.15m → input for GENESIS 1.3 simulations



GENESIS 1.3 Simulations

ASTRA at 27.15m + tuning (scaling) → GENESIS1.3 Simulations



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Conclusions and outlook

Star-to-End simulations for the proof-of-principle experiment for SASE THz FEL at PITZ using LCLS-I undulator

PITZ Setup for THz SASE FEL:

- Gun: 60MV/m, 0deg
- Photocathode laser: Ø5mm, 21.5ps FWHM, 4nC
- CDS booster setup: 12.6MV/m, -24deg → 16.7MeV/c + min dE@~undulator
- Main solenoid: MaxB(1)=-0.21285T (~365A) $\rightarrow \epsilon_{xv}$ (EMSY1)~4 mm mrad
- Transport: 3 quad. triplets \rightarrow transport through the tunnel wall (1.5m)
- Transport: +1 quad triplet to match into undulator
- Undulator field:
 - Based on measured profile $B_v(z,0,0)$
 - Treated (improved) profile to minimize field integrals
 - 3D field map reconstructed \rightarrow CST and ASTRA
- Tracking beam through the undulator:
 - On-axis reference particle: CST Trk $\leftarrow \rightarrow$ ASTRA with 3D field map
 - Off-axis reference particle in ASTRA to find initial guess for matching
 - 4nC beam by ASTRA (with space charge*) \rightarrow matching found
- GENESIS simulations with s2e electron beam \rightarrow ~440uJ (up to 600uJ by β_{y} - α_{y} -tuning) at λ_{rad} ~100um

- Refine (improve) preliminary optimum solution:
 - Realistic PC laser parameters Ø3-4mm, other temporal profiles, core+halo (using experimental data)
 - Other imperfections (photoemission, asymmetry)
 - Flat beam option?
- Transport with less quads?
- Collimator?
- Scale / re-optimize setup for λ_{rad} =50-60 μ m
- Undulator error, tolerances
 Implement horizontal gradient
 - "Full physics" FEL code?
 - Waveguide effects
 - Space charge effects
 - Wakefields?
 - Tolerances on the input beam (imperfections)
 - ...



Planned installation of LCLS-I undulators in PITZ tunnel annex

To use for proof-of-principle experiments at PITZ







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SASE FEL with LCLS-I Undulator at PITZ

Estimations of parameters (theory) for $\lambda_{rad} \approx 100 \mu m$

| | | FEL ra | adiation | | EEL dimo | FEL dimonsionloss | |
|--------------------|-----------|--------------------|-------------------------------|---|--|--------------------|---|
| | | parameter | value | | FEL UITIE | 130111633 | |
| e-be | am | $\lambda_{ m rad}$ | 105µm | | parameter | value | |
| parameter | value | 0 | 0.43 | <i>K</i> ² | D | 0.052 | $_{P} = 2\Gamma \sigma_{y}^{2} \omega$ |
| Energy, E_0 | 16.65 MeV | Q | 0.43 | $Q = \frac{1}{4 + 2K^2}$ | В | 0.052 | $B = \frac{1}{c}$ |
| γ | 32.6 | A_{JJ} | 0.74 A | $J_{JJ} = J_o(Q) - J_1(Q)$ | arOmega | 5.7 | $\Omega = \Gamma R_{eff}^2 \omega / c$ |
| $\sigma_{\!E}$ | 70 keV | Θ_l | 0.11 | $\theta_l = K/\gamma$ | | | $v_r^2 \Gamma$ |
| < \sigma_x > | 10.51 mm | γ_{i} | 12.0 | $1 1 \theta_l^2$ | ρ | 0.013 | $\rho = \frac{r_l r}{\omega/c}$ |
| < \sigma_{y} > | 0.2 mm | • 1 | | $\frac{1}{\gamma_l^2} = \frac{1}{\gamma_l^2} + \frac{1}{2}$ | 6 2 | | $\widehat{4}c^2$ |
| charge | 4 nC | Γ | 5.4 m ⁻¹ | $I \qquad \Lambda^2 \qquad \omega^2 \qquad \Omega^2$ | Λ_p^2 | 0.41 | $\Lambda_p^2 = \frac{1}{\left[\theta_1 \sigma_n \omega\right]^2}$ |
| I _{peak} | 190 A | \varGamma^1 | 0.19 m | $\Gamma = \left \frac{I_{peak}A_{JJ}\omega \ o_l}{2I_A c^2 \gamma_l^2 \gamma} \right $ | $\widehat{\Lambda}^2_{-}$ | 0 11 | σ_r^2 |
| € _{n,x,y} | 4 mm mrad | | Undulator | $\sqrt{2A}$ | T T | 0.11 | $\widehat{\Lambda}_T^2 = \frac{\sigma_E}{[F, \rho]^2}$ |
| β_x | 8 m | par | parameter | | | | |
| β_y | 0.3 m | | λ., | | Reference: S | aldin E.L., Schnei | dmiller E.A., Yurkov I |
| | | | K | | "The physics of free electron lasers" - Berlin et al.: Springer 2000 pp 41-48 258 280 415-416 | | |
| | | Vacuum cha | mber W / H / R _{eff} | 11 / 5 / 4.2 mm | opinigoi, 200 | o. pp. 11 10, 200, | 200, 110 110 |

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