

Simulation Studies for the PITZ THz SASE FEL



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Introduction

THz SASE FEL at DESY PITZ

Motivation:

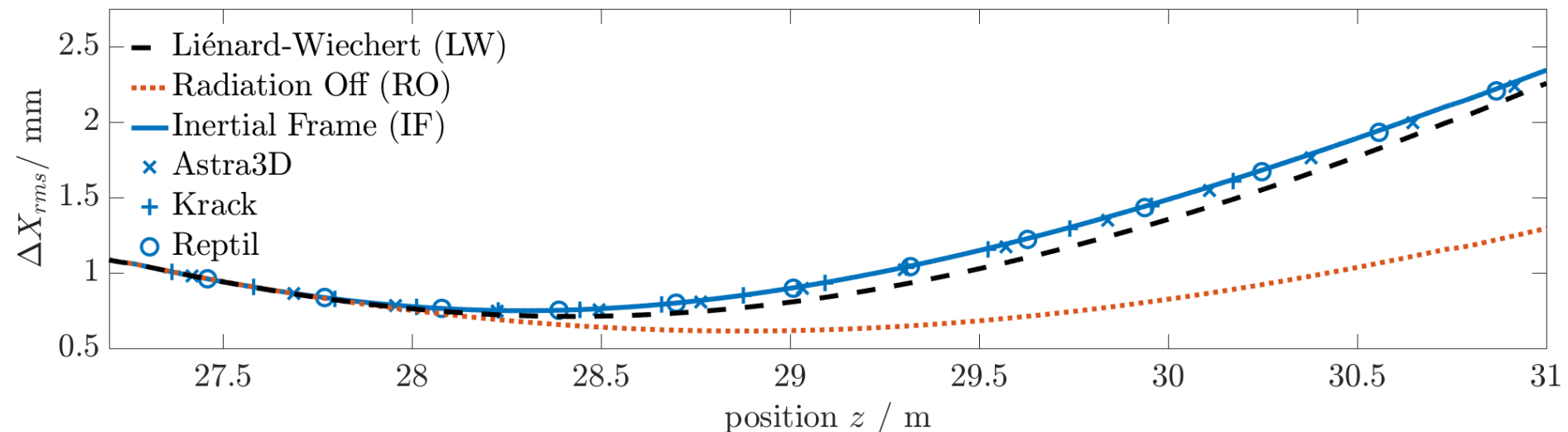
Development of a high power, tunable THz source for European XFEL

⇒ THz radiation at $\lambda \sim 100 \mu\text{m}$, $\sim 6 \text{ ps}$ pulse length, and $\sim 38 \text{ MW}$ peak power

M. Krasilnikov et al., „Start-to-End Simulations of THz SASE FEL Proof-of-Principle Experiment at PITZ”, ICAP'18, Key West

THz-FEL Parameters:

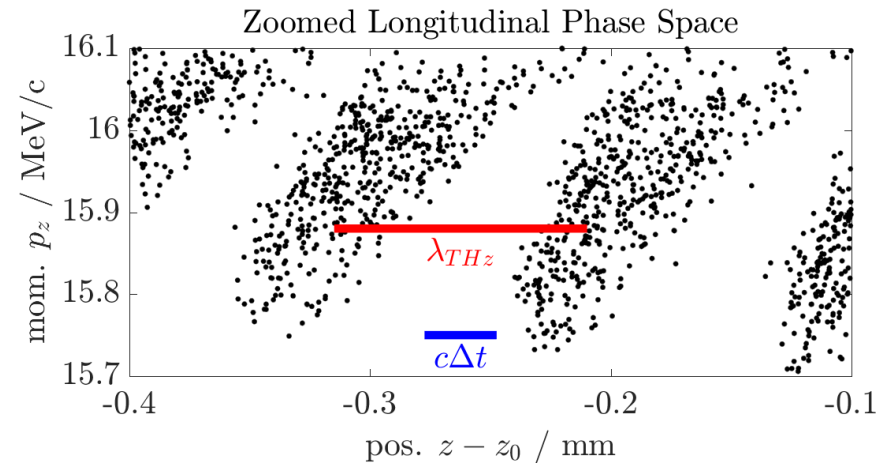
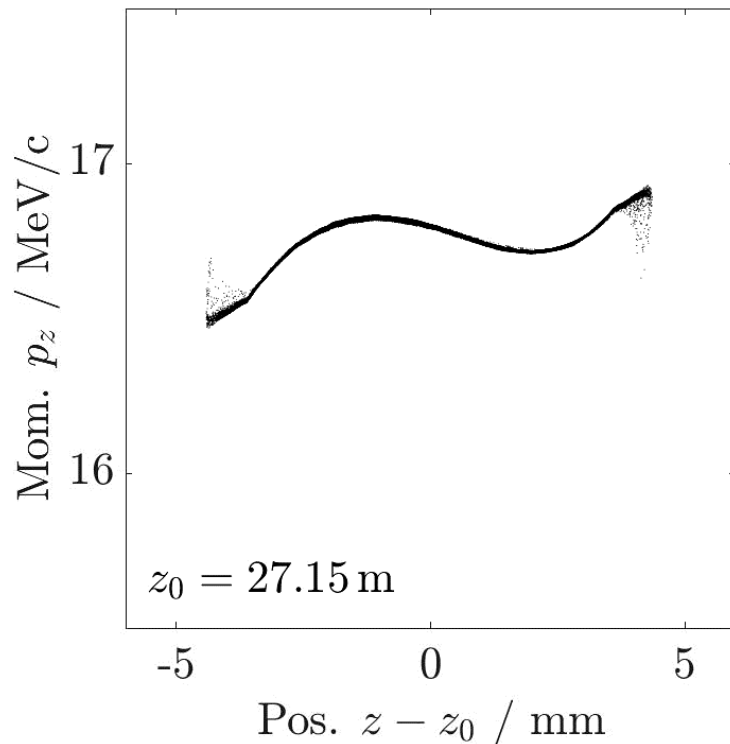
Electron beam with $Q_b \sim 4 \text{ nC}$ bunch charge and $E_b \sim 16.7 \text{ MeV}$ beam energy



Introduction

Micro-Bunching

Longitudinal Phase Space:



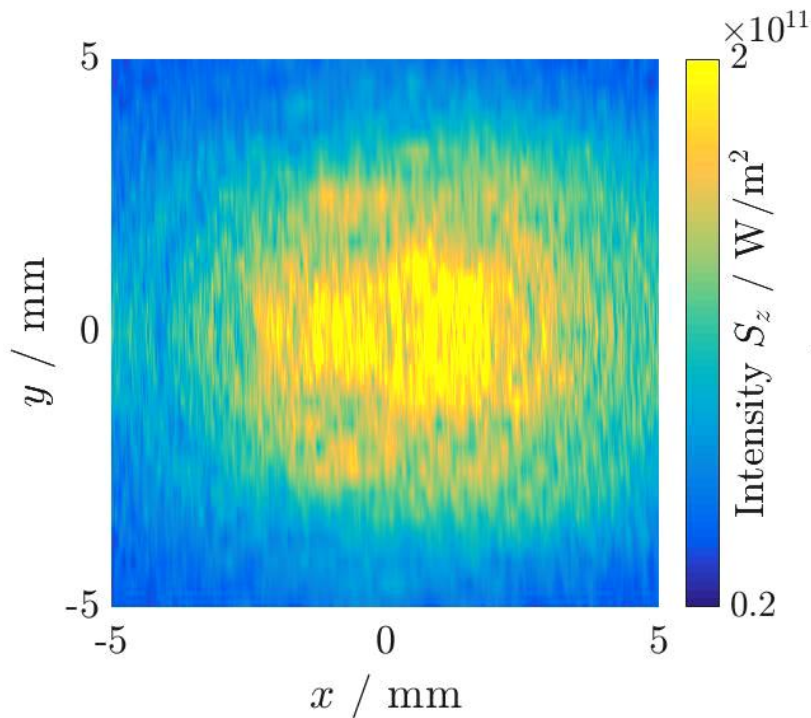
$$\text{THz-Wavelength } \lambda_{THz} = \frac{\lambda_U}{2\gamma^2} \left(1 + \frac{K^2}{2}\right) \approx 105 \mu\text{m}$$

⇒ Micro-bunching consistent with λ_{THz}

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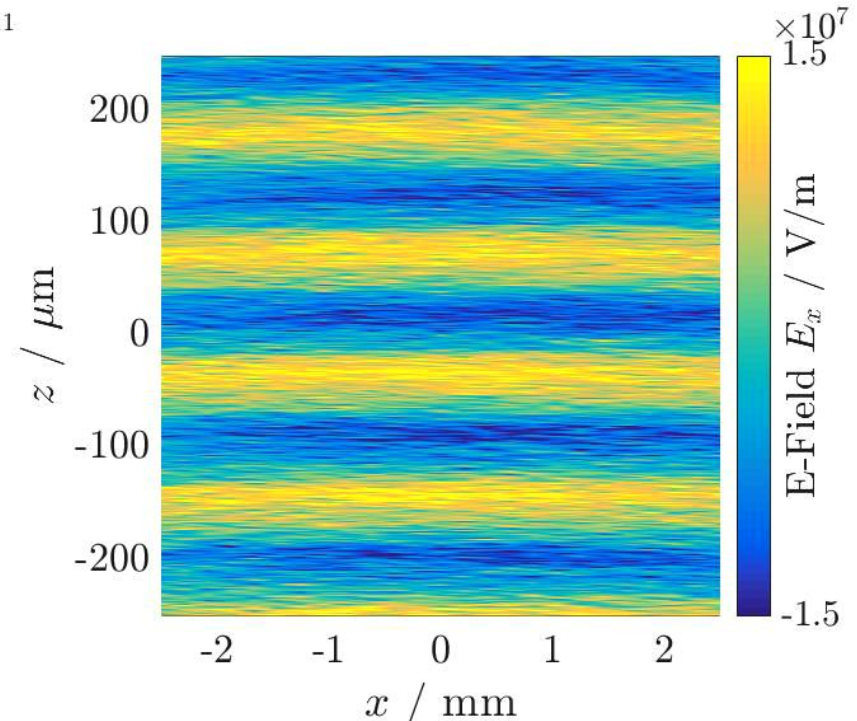
EM-Field Monitor at Undulator Exit

Vertical Plane Monitor



⇒ spatial analysis

Horizontal Plane Monitor



⇒ spectral analysis

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Spectrum at Undulator Exit

Fourier Analysis of Radiation Field:

8 different random realizations of particle phase space at undulator entrance

⇒ Shot noise characteristic of initial distribution slightly influences THz spectrum

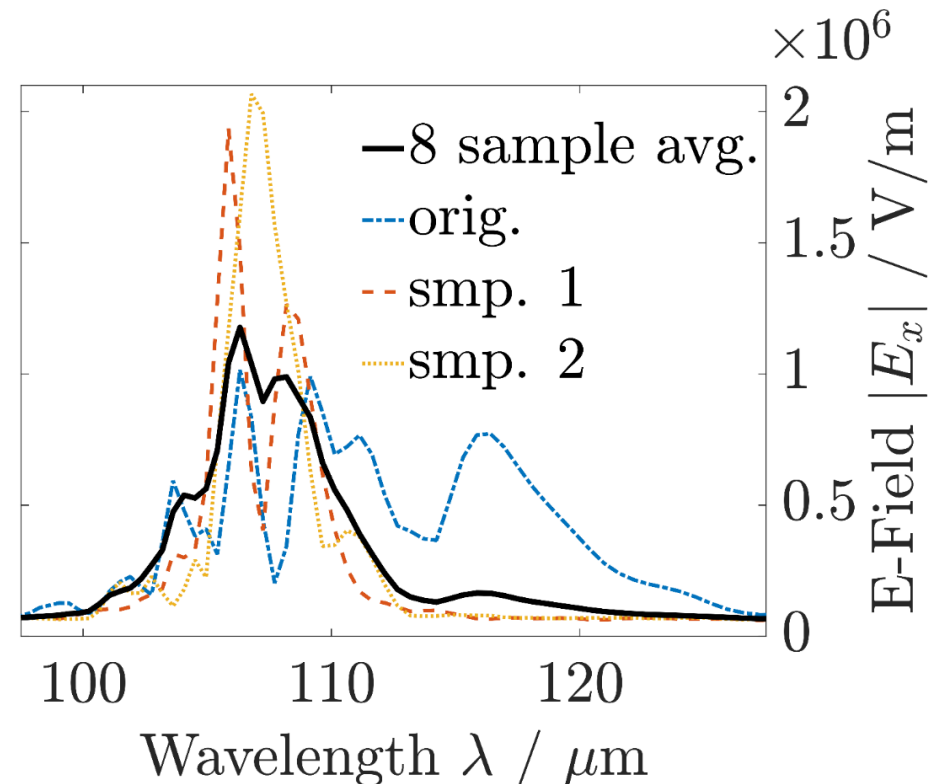
Averaged spectrum is centered at

$$\lambda_{THZ} \approx 108.5 \mu\text{m}$$

and has a spectral width of

$$\sigma_{FWHM} \approx 4.8 \mu\text{m}.$$

⇒ Good agreement with GENESIS 1.3

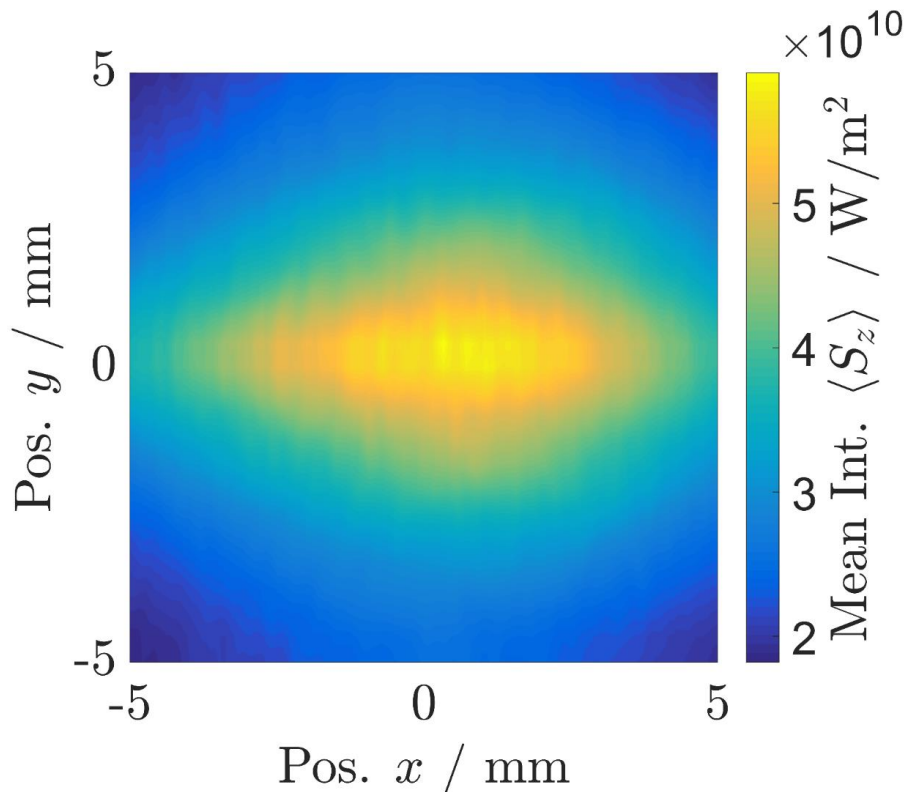


THz Radiation Studies

Intensity / Pulse Profile at Undulator Exit

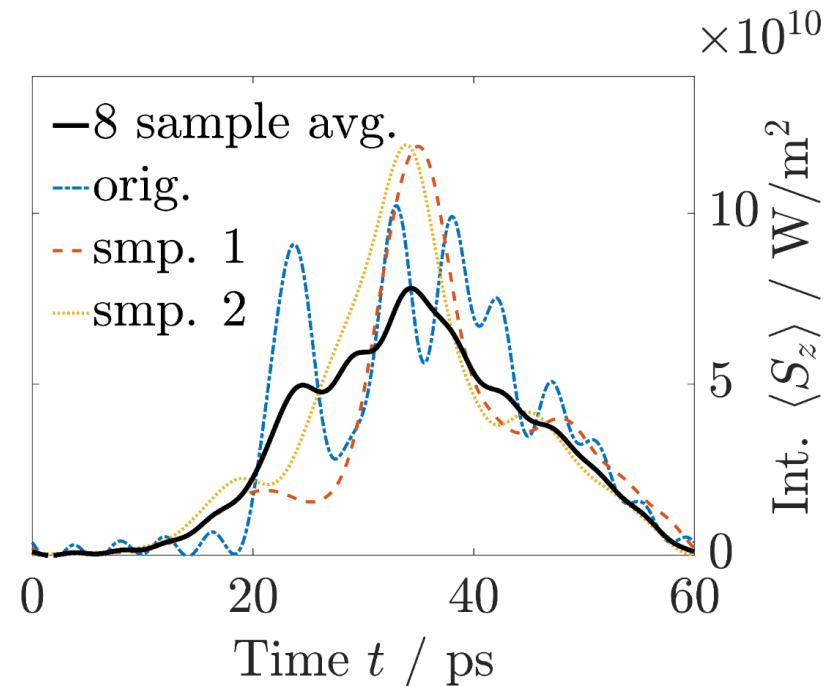


Time-Averaged THz Intensity:



⇒ Vertical asymmetry of bunch shape

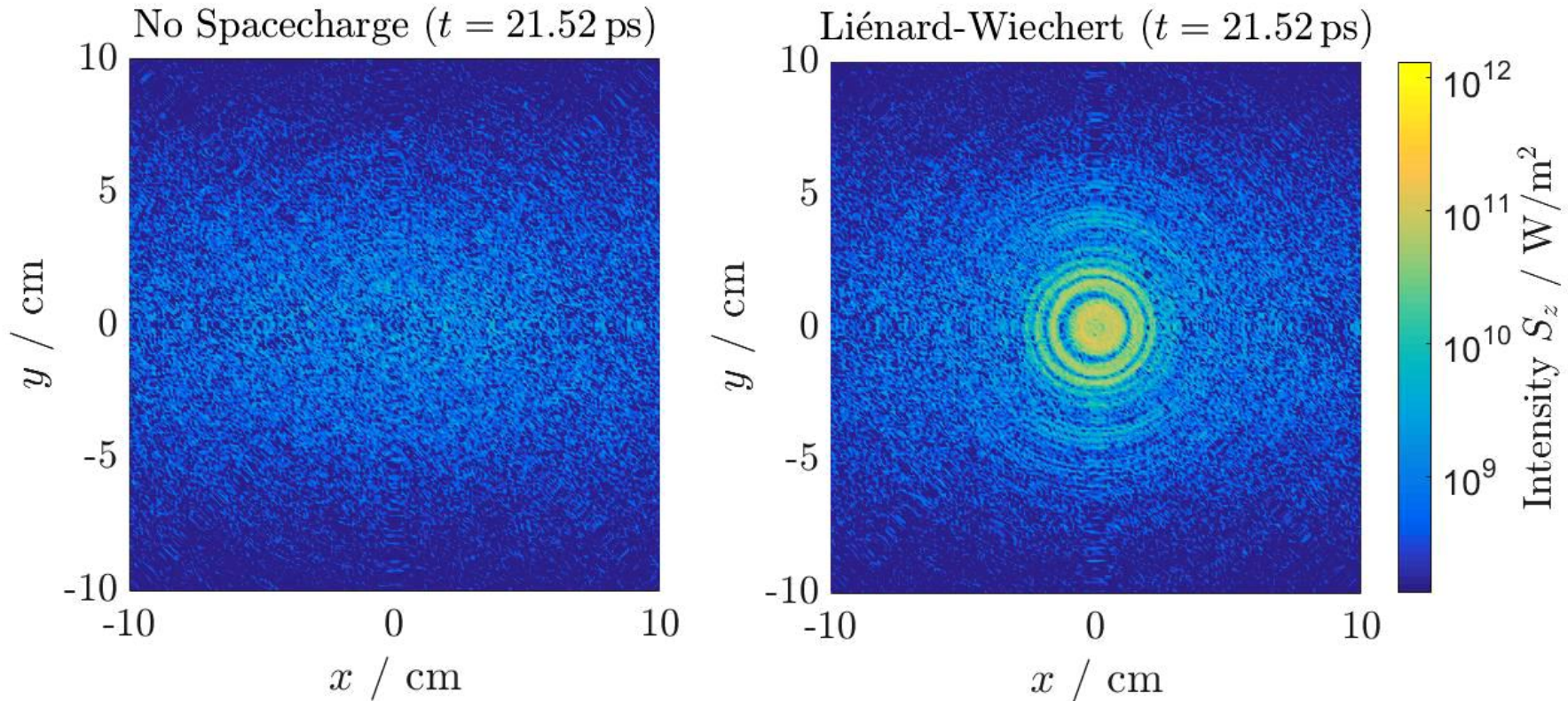
Temporal THz Pulse Profile:



⇒ Particle noise influences pulse shape

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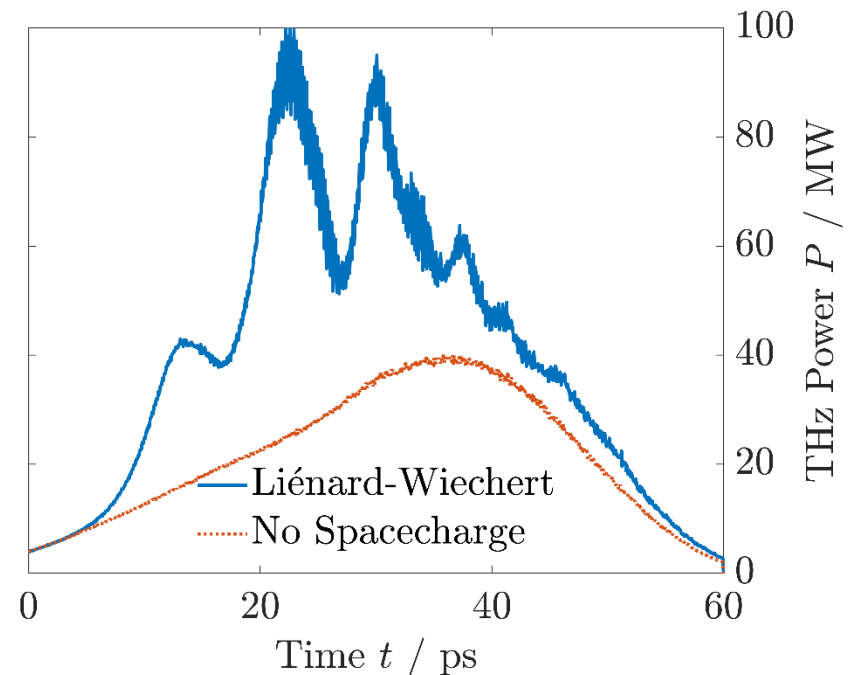
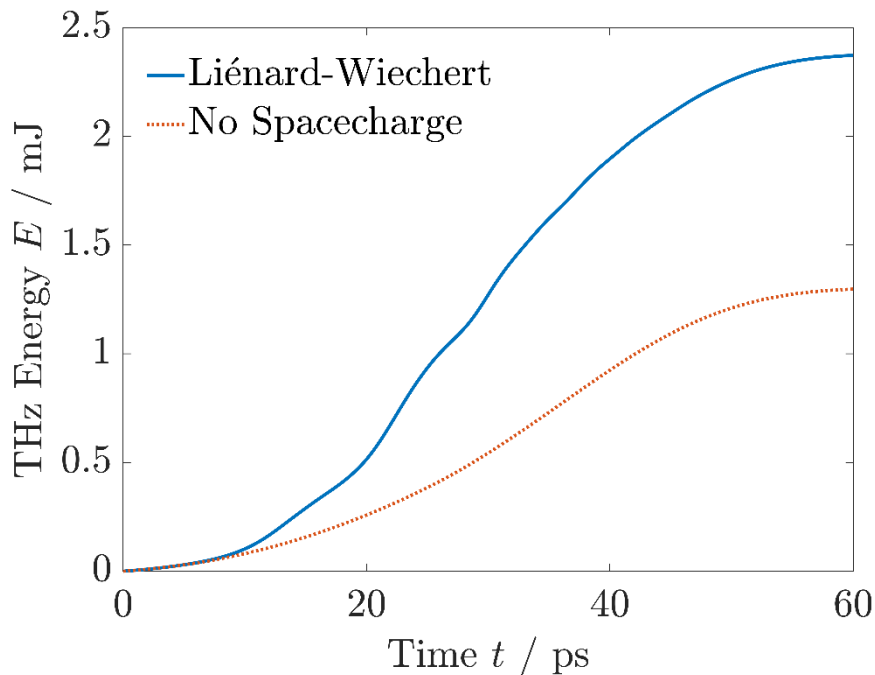
Intensity Monitor at Undulator Exit



⇒ Radiation field evaluated at fixed position with $z_0 = 30.8$ m

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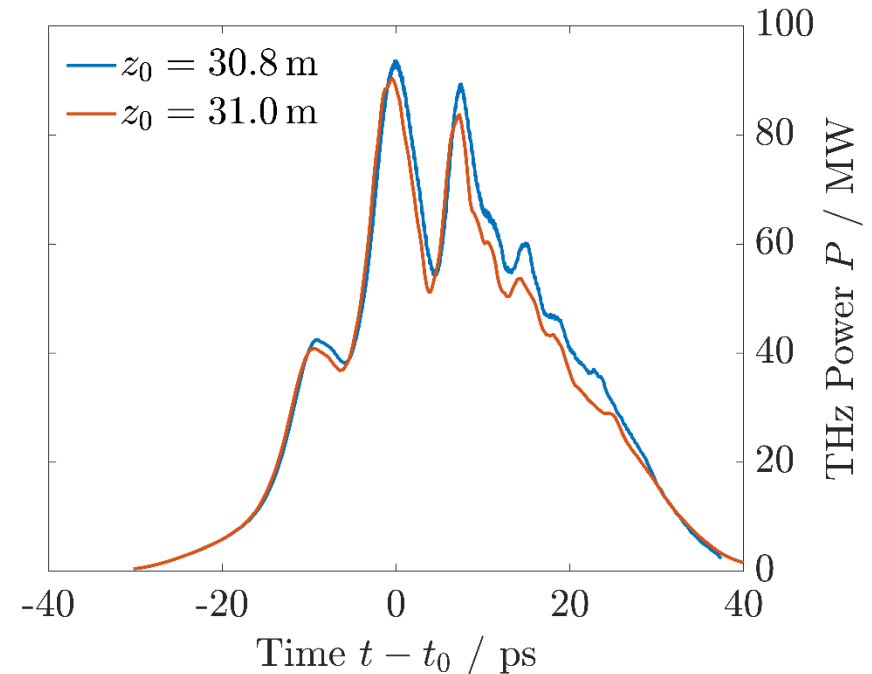
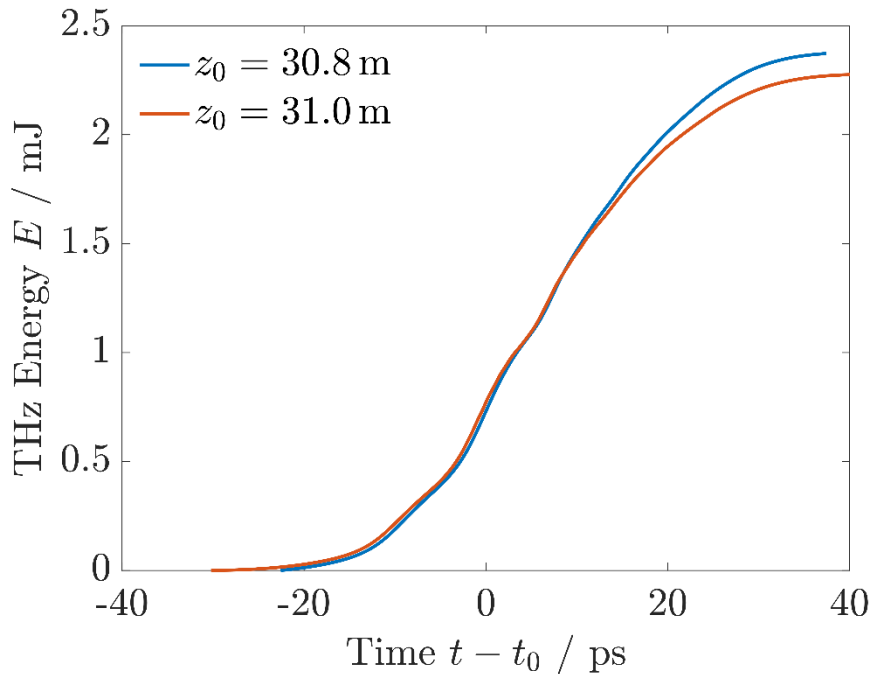
Intensity Monitor at Undulator Exit



- ⇒ Liénard-Wiechert interaction generates interference patterns on radiation monitor
- ⇒ Radiated energy / power increases compared to reference simulation
- ⇒ Intensity monitor shows near- and far-field properties of THz bunch

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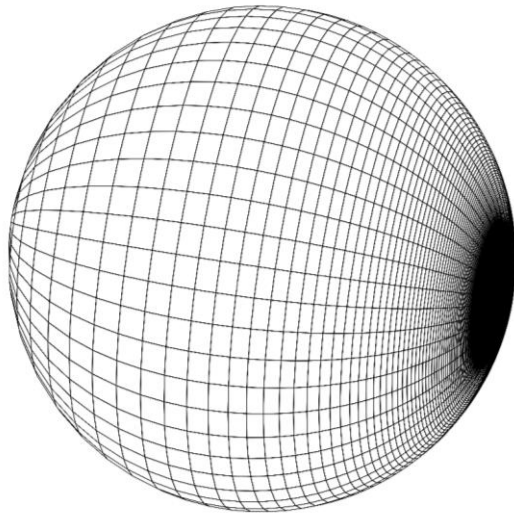


- ⇒ Total power flux through monitor area decreases for larger distance (z_0)
- ⇒ Influence of near-field properties at THz pulse tail less pronounced

THz Radiation Studies

Angular Profile Inside Undulator

Adaptive Mesh:



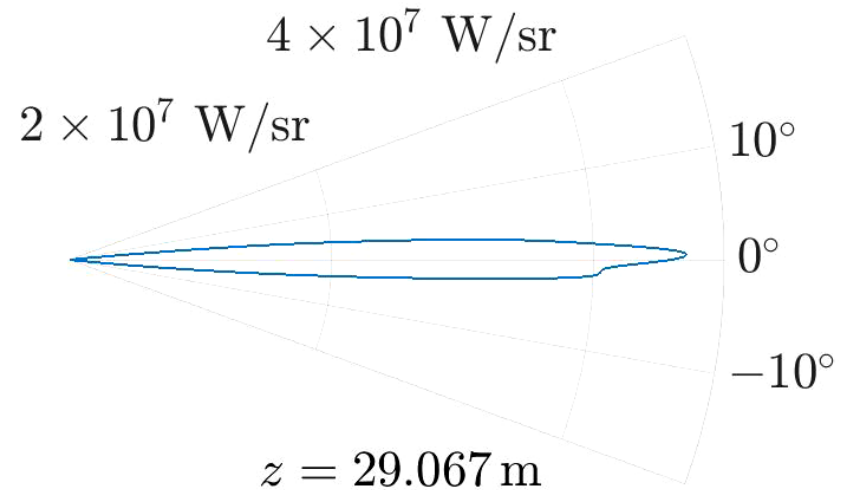
$$\mathbf{n} \parallel \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\phi) \sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\phi) \sin(\theta) \\ \gamma \cos(\theta) + \gamma \beta \end{pmatrix},$$

$$\phi \in [0, 2\pi), \theta \in [0, \pi], \mathbf{n}(0,0) \parallel \langle \boldsymbol{\beta} \rangle$$

Larmor Formula:

$$\frac{dP_{rad}}{d\Omega} = \frac{q^2}{16\pi^2 \epsilon_0 c_0} \frac{|\mathbf{n} \times [(\mathbf{n} - \boldsymbol{\beta}) \times \dot{\boldsymbol{\beta}}]|}{(1 - \boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \mathbf{n})^5}$$

Horizontal Radiation Profile:

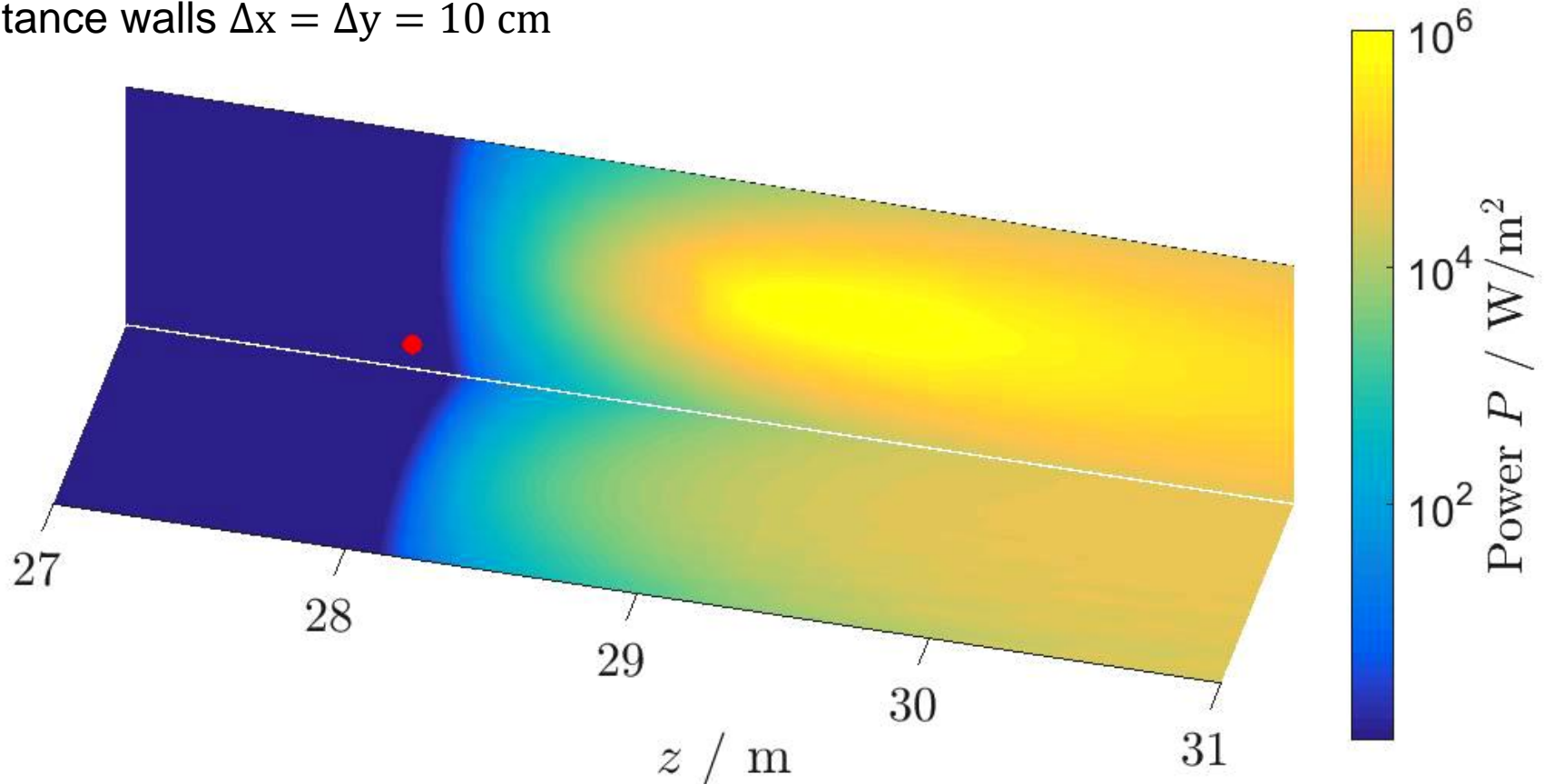


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Losses Inside Undulator

Power Loss on Beampipe:

Distance walls $\Delta x = \Delta y = 10$ cm

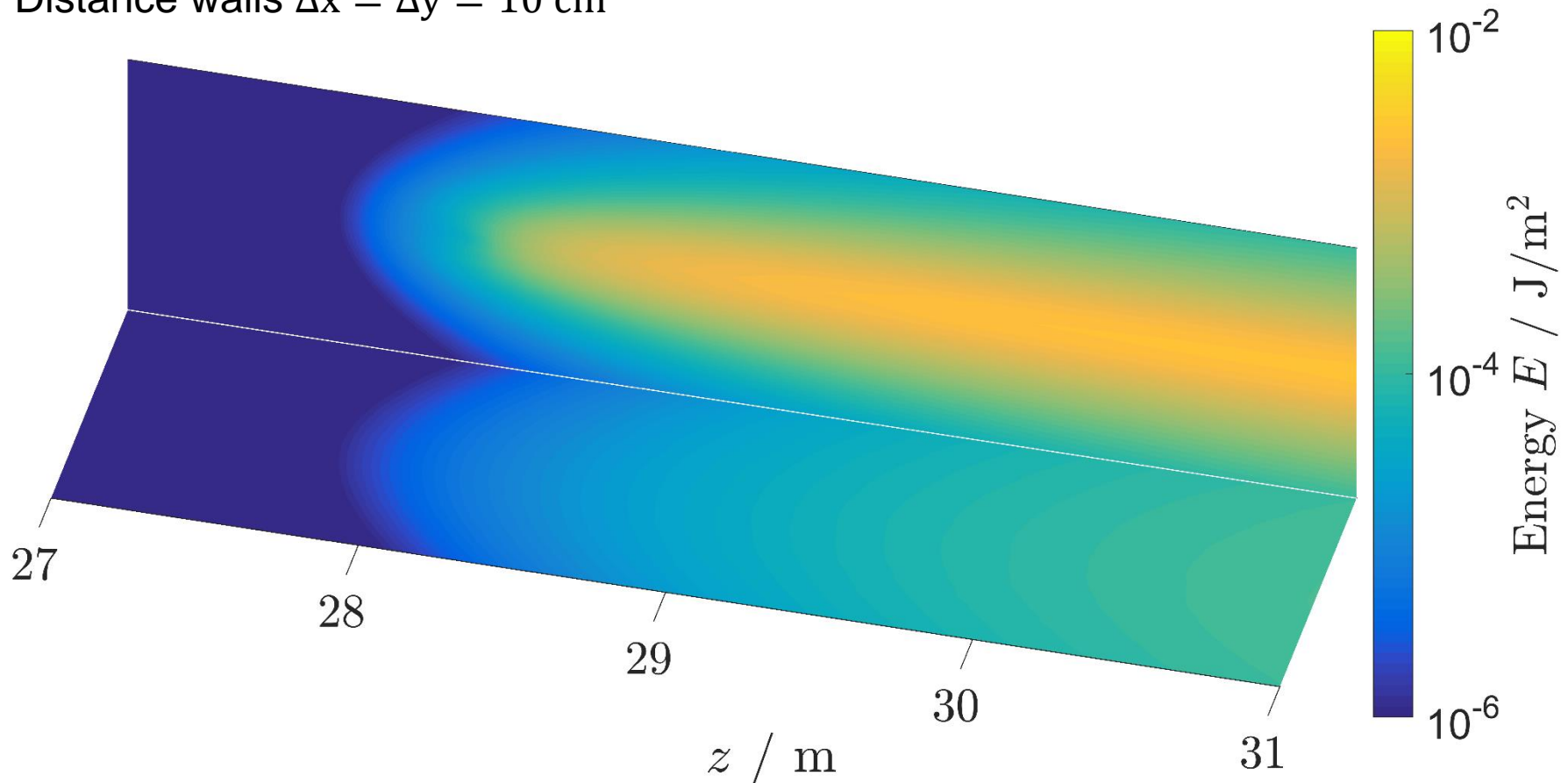


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Wall Losses Inside Undulator

Integrated Energy Loss on Beampipe:

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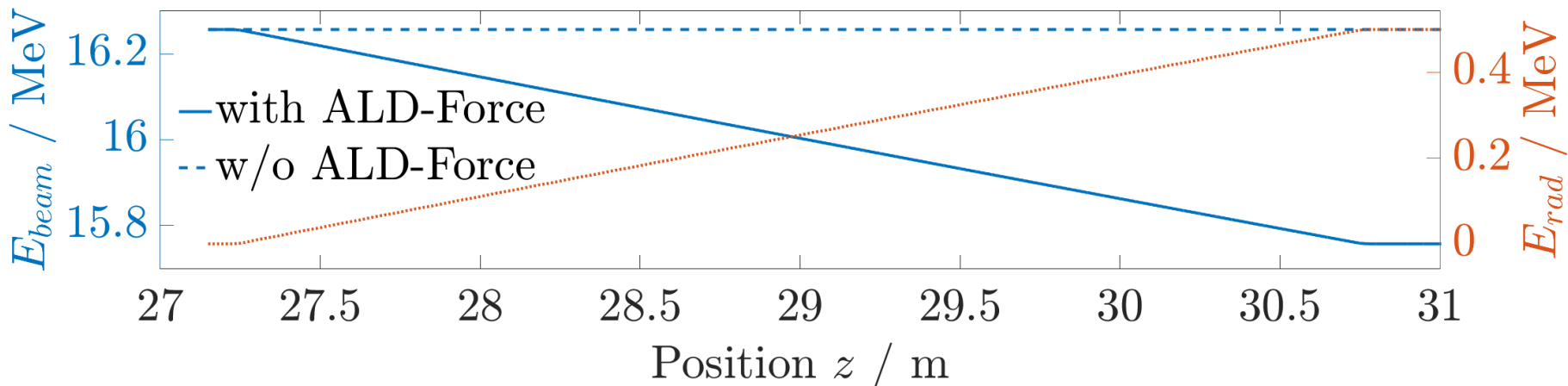
Modeling of Radiation Recoil

Abraham-Lorentz-Dirac Force

Radiation Recoil Force:

$$\mathbf{F}_{rec} = \frac{q^2 \gamma^2}{6\pi \epsilon_0 c^2} \{ \ddot{\boldsymbol{\beta}} + \gamma^2 (\boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \ddot{\boldsymbol{\beta}}) \boldsymbol{\beta} + 3 \gamma^2 (\boldsymbol{\beta} \cdot \dot{\boldsymbol{\beta}}) [\dot{\boldsymbol{\beta}} + \gamma^2 \boldsymbol{\beta}] \}$$

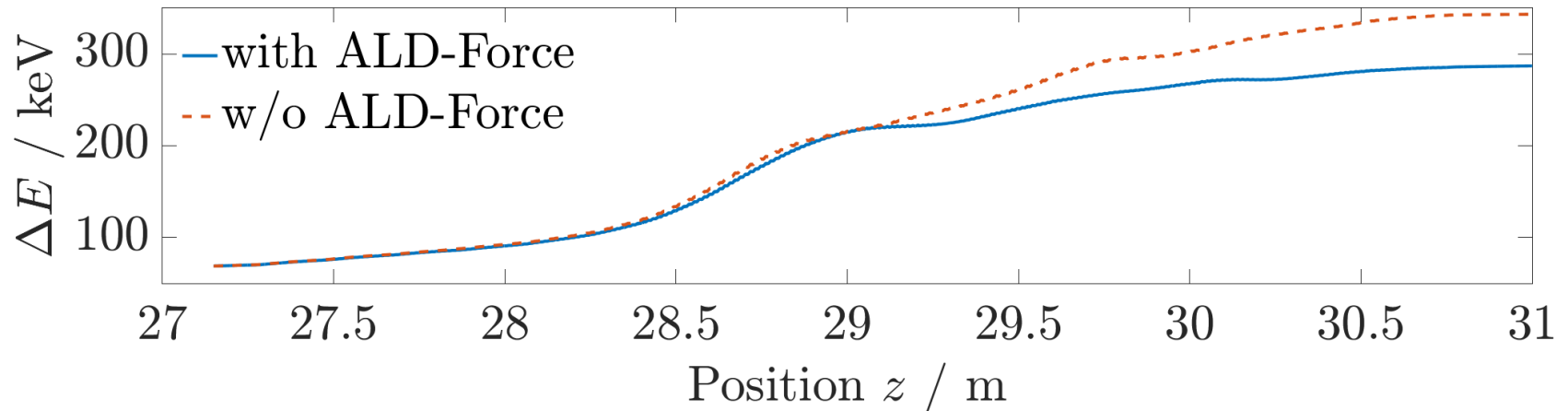
⇒ Idea: Radiation energy losses reduce kinetic energy of particle



⇒ Beam energy reduced by radiated THz energy

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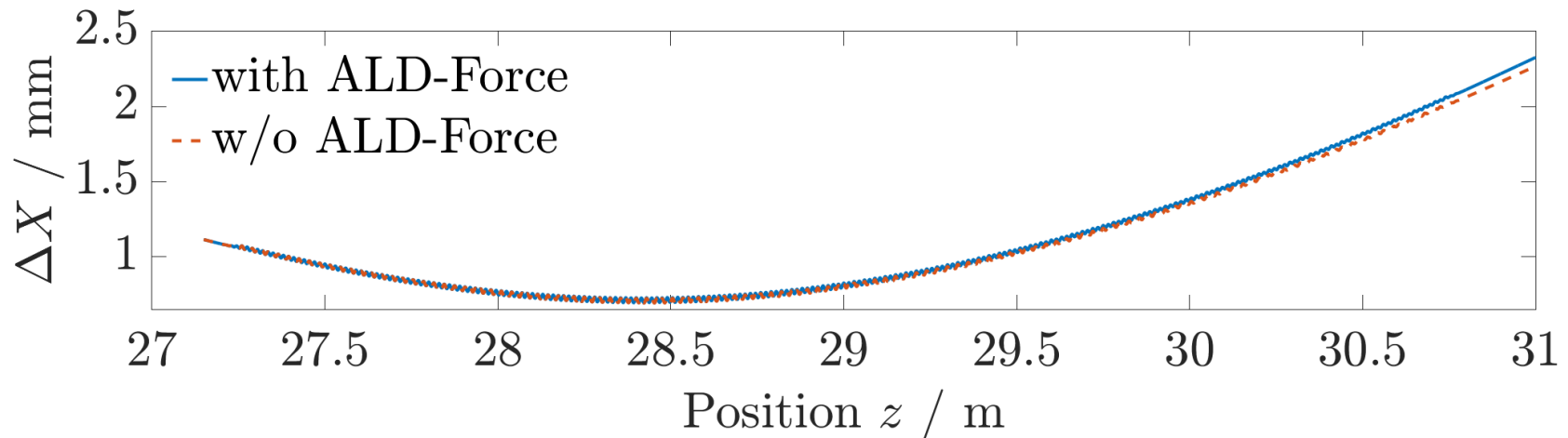
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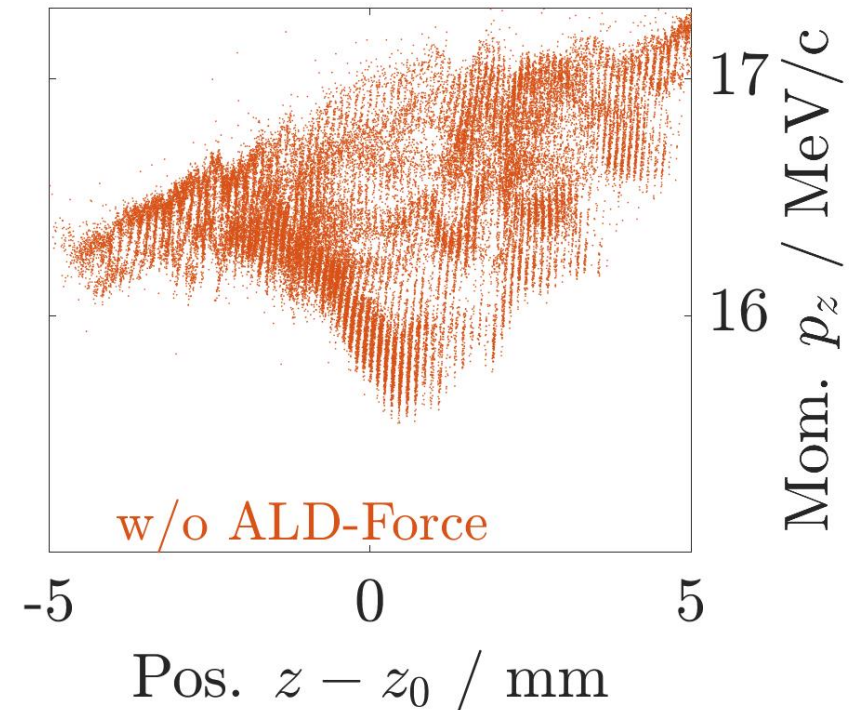
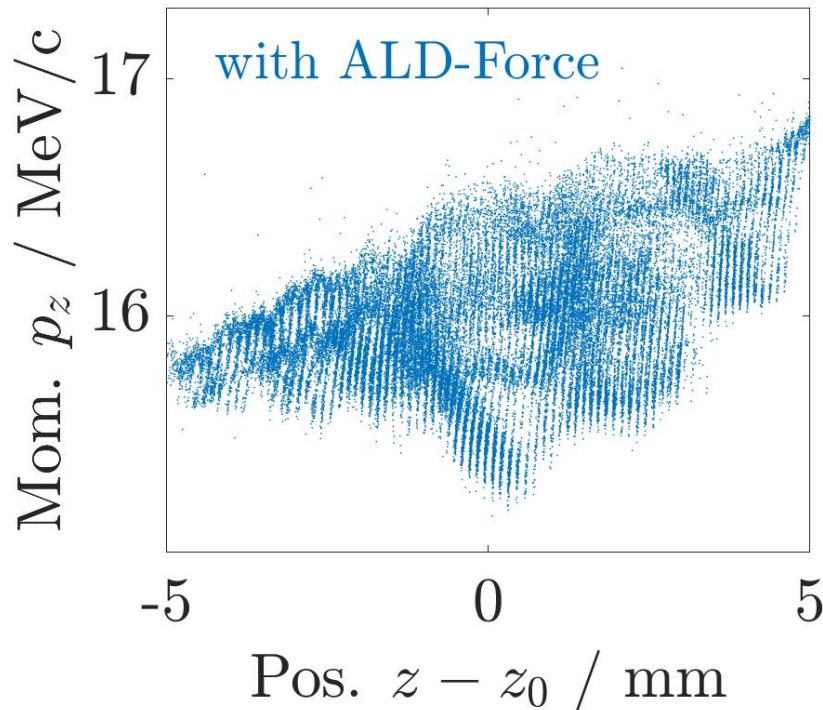
Slightly increased transverse divergence ΔX

⇒ Increased space charge interaction due to reduced beam energy

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Particle Phase Space at Undulator Exit:



Summary & Outlook

Summary:

- ⇒ Beam dynamics and THz radiation simulation study based on LW-model
- ⇒ Angular THz pulse profile and radiation power losses inside the Undulator
- ⇒ Investigation of radiation recoil effect on beam dynamics

Outlook:

- ⇒ Investigation of intensity distribution on far-field monitor
- ⇒ Thermal modeling of radiation induced beampipe heating
- ⇒ Investigate influence of radiation recoil effect on THz radiation generation



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