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# Classical Theory and BRAFEL project

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- 3. Propagation Effects: Superradiance (SR)**
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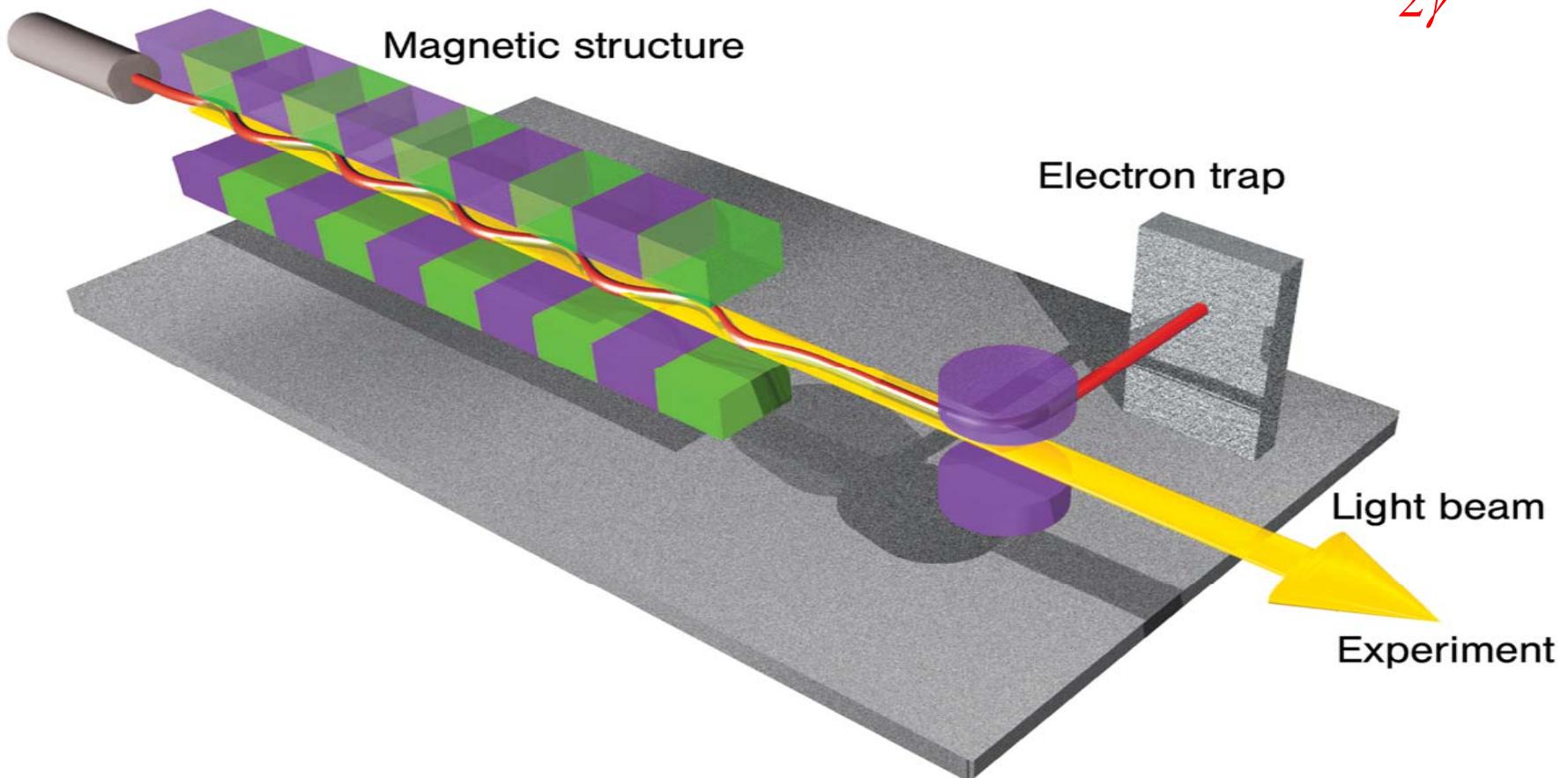
# High Gain Free Electron Laser (FEL)

Electron source  
and accelerator

Magnetic structure

Electron trap

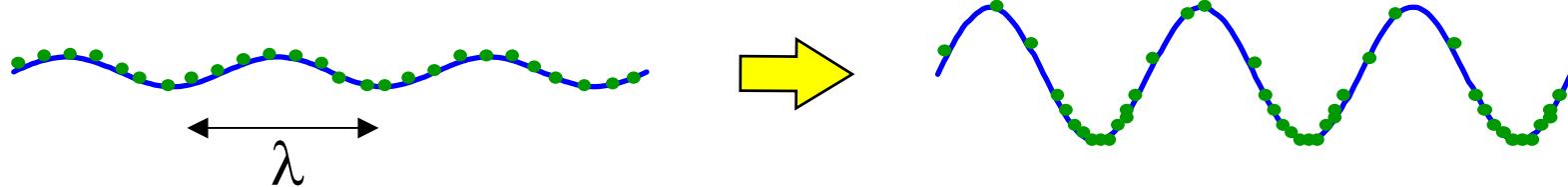
$$\lambda_r \approx \frac{\lambda_w}{2\gamma^2}$$



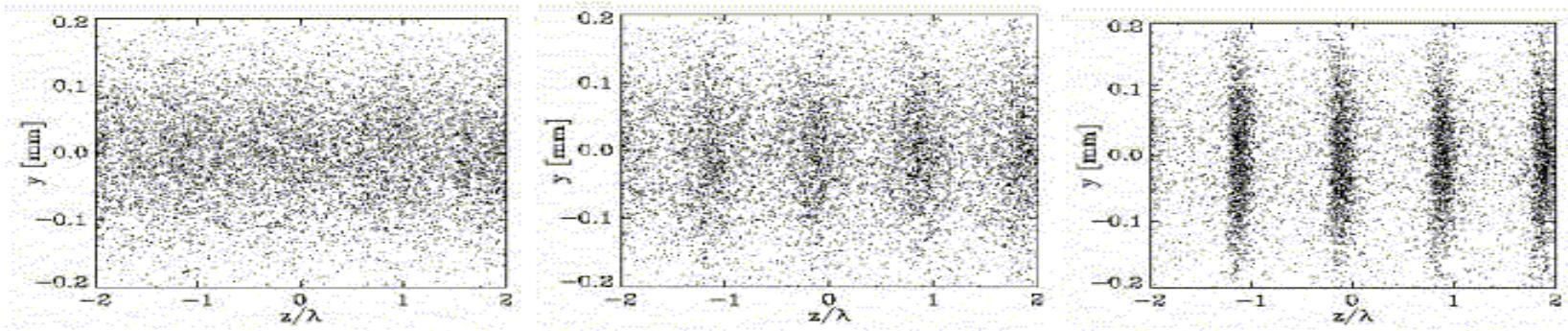
Light beam

Experiment

.. and electrons bunch on the  $\lambda$  scale !!



Self bunching: radiation from incoherent to cooperative spontaneous emission

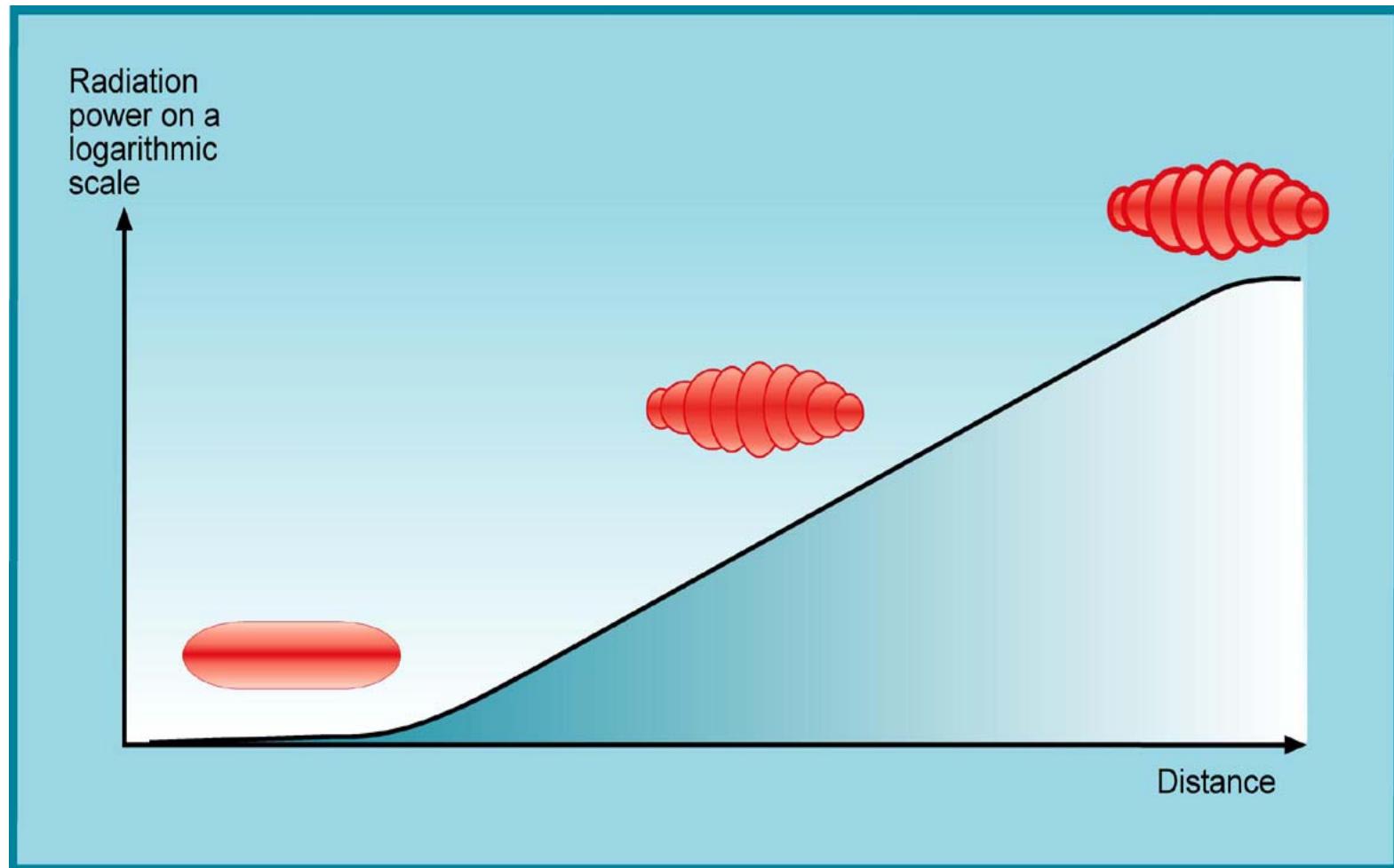


$$(\theta_j = 2\pi z_j / \lambda)$$

$$0 \leq |b| \leq 1$$

$$b = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N e^{-i\theta_j}$$

# High Gain Free Electron Laser: radiation is amplified exponentially in a single-pass ..



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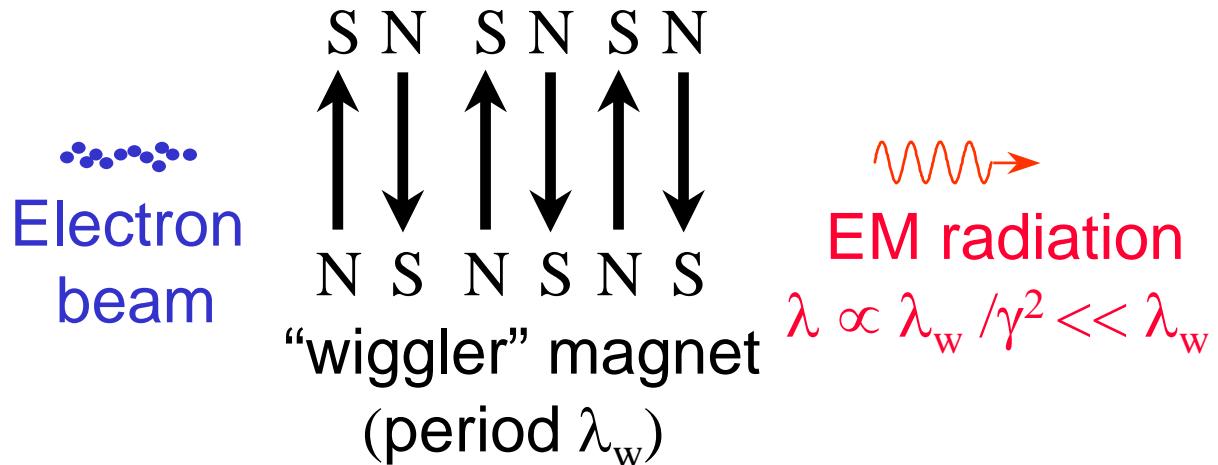
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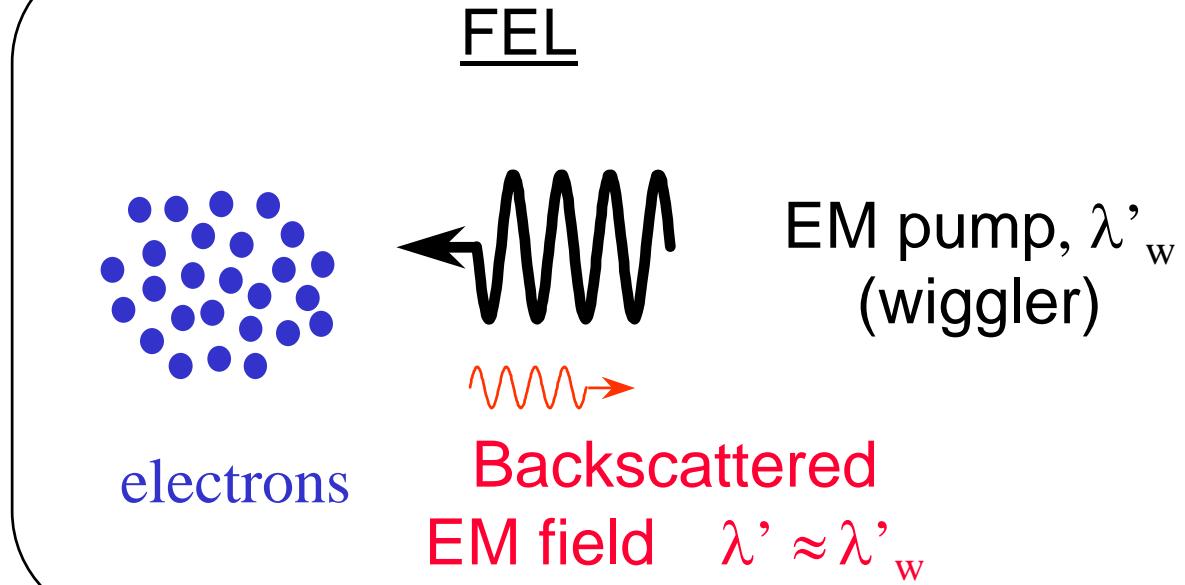
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transforming  
 to a frame  
 $(\Lambda')$   
 moving with  
 electrons



# The resonance condition (longitudinal motion)

- Relativistic mirror

$$\lambda_i' = \lambda_i \sqrt{\frac{1 - \beta}{1 + \beta}} \quad \lambda_r' = \lambda_r \sqrt{\frac{1 + \beta}{1 - \beta}} \quad \left( \beta = \frac{v}{c} \ll 1 \right)$$

$$\lambda_i' = \lambda_r' \Rightarrow \boxed{\lambda_r = \lambda_i \frac{1 - \beta}{1 + \beta} \ll \frac{\lambda_i}{4\gamma^2}} \quad \left( \gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}} \right)$$

$$(\beta \ll 1 \Rightarrow \gamma \gg 1)$$

- One electron : Thomson backscattering  $\lambda_i' = \lambda_r'$

- static wiggler  $\lambda_w$  “equivalent” to pseudoradiation field

$$\lambda_i = \lambda_w \frac{1 + \beta}{\beta} \ll 2\lambda_w \Rightarrow \boxed{\lambda_r = \lambda_w \frac{1 - \beta}{\beta} \ll \frac{\lambda_w}{2\gamma^2}}$$

$$\beta = \beta_r = k/(k + k_w)$$

# Full resonance condition

$$\beta^2 = \beta_{\parallel}^2 + \beta_{\perp}^2 \quad \boxed{\beta_{\perp}^2 = \frac{a_w^2}{\gamma^2}} \quad \gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}}$$

Wiggler parameter  $a_w \equiv \frac{eA_w}{mc^2} = \frac{eB_w \lambda_w}{2\pi mc^2} \square (B_w(T) \lambda_w(cm))$

$$\frac{1}{\gamma^2} = 1 - \beta_{\parallel}^2 - \beta_{\perp}^2 = \frac{1}{\gamma_{\parallel}^2} - \frac{a_w^2}{\gamma^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{\gamma_{\parallel}^2} = \frac{1 + a_w^2}{\gamma^2}$$

$$\boxed{\lambda_r = \frac{\lambda_w}{2\gamma_{\parallel}^2} = \frac{\lambda_w (1 + a_w^2)}{2\gamma_r^2}}$$

$$\boxed{\gamma_r = \sqrt{\frac{\lambda_w (1 + a_w^2)}{2\lambda_r}}}$$

$$a_w = 1; \lambda_r = 1\text{A}$$

$$\lambda_w = 2\text{cm}; E = 7\text{GeV}$$

$$a_w = 1; \lambda_r = 100\mu\text{m}$$

$$\lambda_w = 4\text{cm}; E = 10\text{MeV}$$

FEL  
Resonance

# The Transverse Motion

$$H = \frac{1}{2m} \left( \vec{p} - \frac{e}{c} \vec{A} \right)^2 \quad \gamma m \vec{v} = \vec{p} - \frac{e}{c} \vec{A} \quad \vec{A} = \vec{A}_\perp(z)$$

$$\gamma m \vec{v}_\perp + \frac{e}{c} \vec{A} = \vec{p}_\perp \quad \frac{\partial p_x}{\partial t} = - \frac{\partial H}{\partial x} = 0 \quad \vec{p}_\perp = \text{const} = 0$$

$$\vec{\beta}_\perp = \frac{\vec{v}_\perp}{c} = - \frac{\vec{a}}{\gamma} \square - \frac{\vec{a}_w}{\gamma}; \quad \left( \vec{a} = \frac{e}{mc^2} \vec{A} \right)$$

$$\vec{a} = \vec{a}_w + \vec{a}_\ell; \quad a_w \gg a_\ell$$

# The FEL 1-D model

$$\frac{d\gamma mc^2}{dt} = -e \vec{E} \cdot \vec{v}_\perp; \vec{E} = -\frac{\partial \vec{A}}{\partial t}$$

$$\vec{a} = \frac{e}{mc^2} \vec{A}; \quad \frac{d\gamma}{dt} = \frac{\partial \vec{a}}{\partial t} \cdot \vec{\beta}_\perp; \quad \vec{\beta}_\perp = -\frac{\vec{a}}{\gamma} \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{d\gamma}{dt} = -\frac{1}{2\gamma} \frac{\partial |a|^2}{\partial t}} \quad (1)$$

$$\vec{a} = \vec{a}_w + \vec{a}_l \quad \vec{a}_w = \frac{a_w}{\sqrt{2}} (\hat{e} e^{ik_w z} + cc) \quad (\hat{e} = \hat{x} + i\hat{y})$$

$$\vec{a}_l(z, t) = \frac{-i}{\sqrt{2}} (\hat{e} a(z, t) e^{-i(kz - \omega t)} - cc)$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \approx c \frac{d}{dz}$$

$$\theta = (k + k_w)z - ckt = (k + k_w)(z - v_p t) \quad v_p = ck / (k + k_w) = v_r$$

$$(1) \boxed{\frac{d\gamma_j}{dz} = -\frac{k}{2} \frac{a_w}{\gamma_j} (ae^{i\theta_j} + cc)}$$

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# The Phase Equation

$$\theta = (k + k_w)z - ckt \quad \left( \frac{dt}{dz} = \frac{1}{v_{\square}} \right)$$

$$\frac{d\theta}{dz} = (k + k_w) - \frac{k}{\beta_{\square}} = k_w - k \left( \frac{1}{\beta_{\square}} - 1 \right) = k_w \left( 1 - \frac{k}{k_w} \left( \frac{1 - \beta_{\square}}{\beta_{\square}} \right) \right)$$

$$= k_w \left[ 1 - \frac{\gamma_r^2}{\gamma^2} \right] \quad 2k_w \left( \frac{\gamma - \gamma_r}{\gamma_r} \right)$$

$$\gamma_r^2 \equiv \frac{\lambda_w}{\lambda} \left( \frac{1 + a_w^2}{2} \right)$$

$$(2) \boxed{\frac{d\theta_j}{dz} = 2k_w \left( \frac{\gamma_j - \gamma_r}{\gamma_r} \right)}$$

Compton limit

$$\beta_{\square} \approx 1 \quad \text{i.e. } (\gamma^2 \gg 1 + a_w^2) ; \gamma_r \ll \gamma$$

$$\text{Note: } \left[ (1 - \beta_{\square}^2) = \frac{1 + a_w^2}{\gamma^2} \Rightarrow 1 - \beta_{\square} \approx \frac{1 + a_w^2}{2\gamma^2} \right]$$

# Maxwell Equations

$$\left( \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} \right) A(z, t) = -\frac{4\pi}{c} J_{\perp}(z, t)$$

$$J_{\perp}(z, t) = e \sum_{j=1}^N v_{\perp j} \delta(z - z_j)$$

$$\beta_{\perp j} \approx \frac{a_w}{\gamma_j} \quad (\text{SVEA}) \quad \frac{\partial a}{\partial z} \ll ka \quad \frac{\partial a}{\partial t} \ll \omega a$$

$$(3) \quad \boxed{\left( \frac{\partial a}{\partial z} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial a}{\partial t} \right) = \frac{k}{2} \left( \frac{\omega_p}{ck} \right)^2 \frac{a_w}{\gamma_r} \langle e^{-i\theta} \rangle}$$

$$\omega_p = \sqrt{\frac{e^2 n_e}{\epsilon_0 m}}$$

$$\langle e^{-i\theta} \rangle = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N e^{-i\theta_j} = b$$

$$(1) \quad \boxed{\frac{d\gamma_j}{dz} = -\frac{k a_w}{2 \gamma_j} (ae^{i\theta_j} + cc)}$$

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in (1) and (2)  $\left[ \frac{d}{dz} = \frac{\partial}{\partial z} + \frac{1}{v_{\perp}} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right]$  1-D FEL model with propagation

# Classical model with “Universal” Scaling

$$\frac{\partial \theta_j}{\partial \bar{z}} = \bar{p}_j; \quad \frac{\partial \bar{p}_j}{\partial \bar{z}} = -(A e^{i\theta_j} + c.c.); \quad \frac{\partial A}{\partial \bar{z}} + \frac{\partial A}{\partial z_1} = \langle e^{-i\theta} \rangle = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N e^{-i\theta_j}$$

no free parameters  
A: scattered field

$$\rho |A|^2 = \frac{\hbar \omega n_{ph}}{n_e \gamma m c^2} = \frac{P_r(MW)}{I(A)E(MeV)} = \eta$$

Momentum

$$\rho = 10^{-3}, \quad I = 10^2 A,$$

$$\bar{p} = \frac{\gamma - \gamma_r}{\rho \gamma_r}$$

$$E = 10 MeV, \quad |A|^2 = 1, \quad P_r = 1 MW !$$

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$$\boxed{\rho = \frac{1}{\gamma_r} \left( \frac{a_w \omega_p}{4ck_w} \right)^{2/3} \propto n_e^{1/3} = \frac{1}{d_e}}$$

$$\bar{z} = \frac{z}{L_g}; \quad L_g \equiv \frac{\lambda_w}{4\pi\rho}; \quad z_1 = \frac{z - v_r t}{\beta_r L_c}; \quad L_c \equiv \frac{\lambda_r}{4\pi\rho}$$

$$\frac{\partial A}{\partial z_1} = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad \text{Steady State (S.S.) model}$$

## S.S. Model : Phase Shift and Gain

$$\dot{\theta}_j = p_j \quad \dot{p}_j = -(Ae^{i\theta_j} + cc) \quad \dot{A} = \langle e^{-i\theta} \rangle$$

$$A = ae^{i(\varphi - \pi/2)}$$

$$\ddot{\theta}_j = -2a\sin(\theta_j + \varphi) \quad V = -2a\cos(\theta_j + \varphi)$$

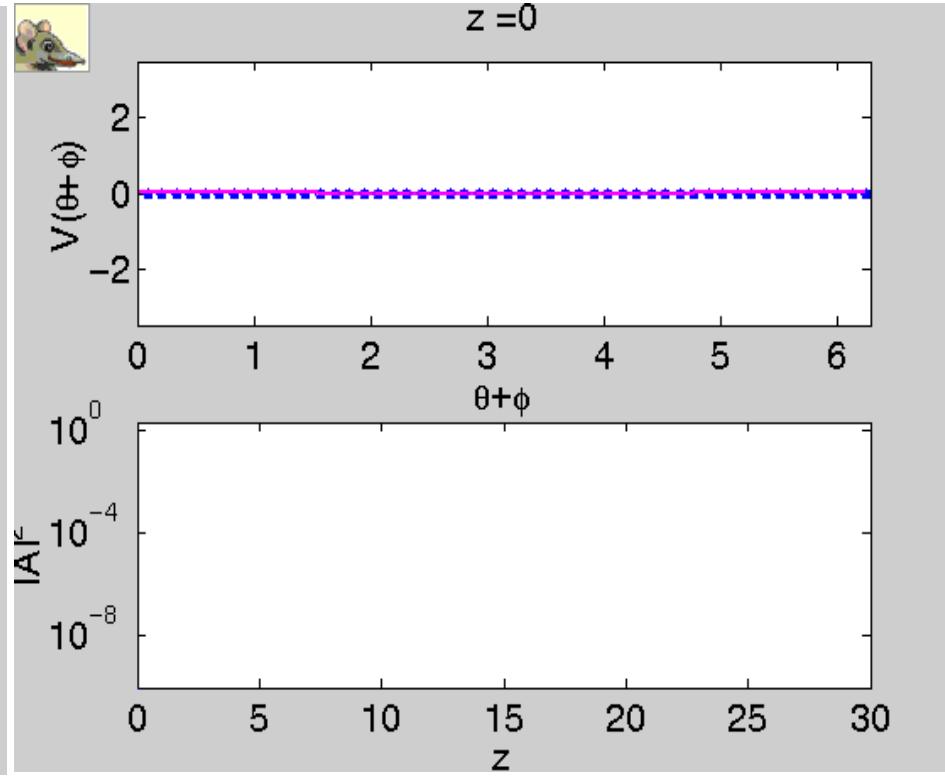
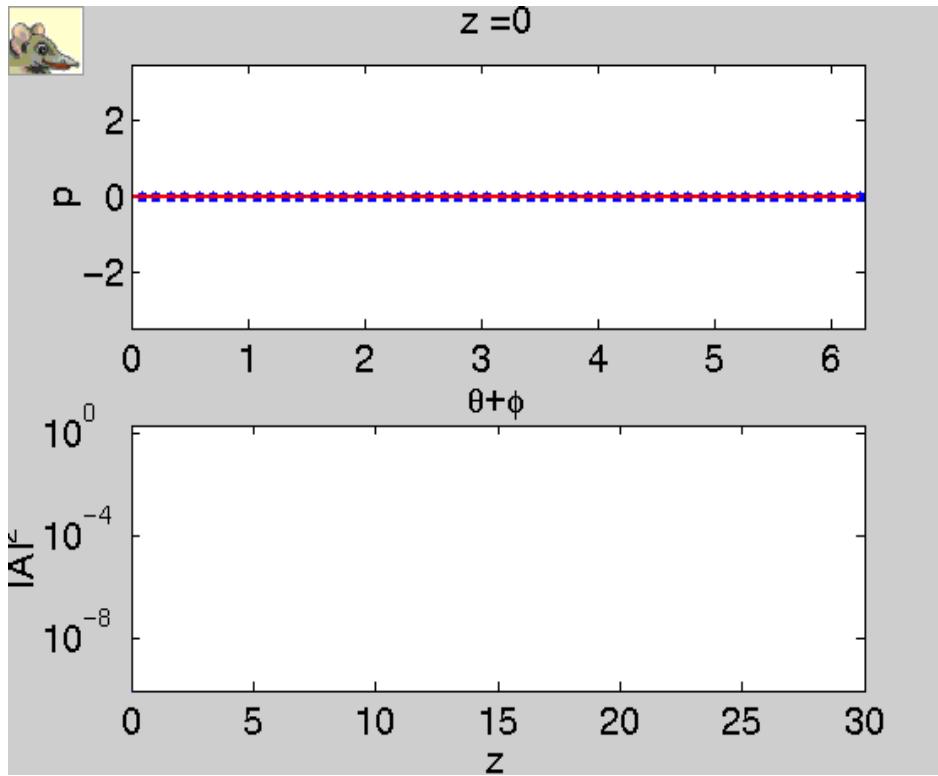
$$\dot{a} = \langle \sin(\theta_j + \varphi) \rangle$$

$$\dot{\varphi} = \frac{\langle \cos(\theta_j + \varphi) \rangle}{a}$$

$t = 0 : \varphi = 0$  and small bunching on  $\theta = 0 \Rightarrow \dot{a} = 0$  **NO GAIN**

$t > 0 : \dot{\varphi} > 0 \Rightarrow \dot{a} \approx \sin \varphi > 0$  **GAIN**

# FEL S.S. instability animation



Exponential instability as  $e^{z/L_g}$  up to  $|A| \approx 1$  (saturation)  
independently on initial value  
Possibility of start up from noise (SASE)

$$\sigma(p) = \sigma(\gamma) / \rho\gamma = 1 \quad \text{Initial energy spread smaller than } \rho$$

# Phase Shift and Optical Guiding (O.G.)

$(\dot{\phi} > 0 \Rightarrow n > 1)$

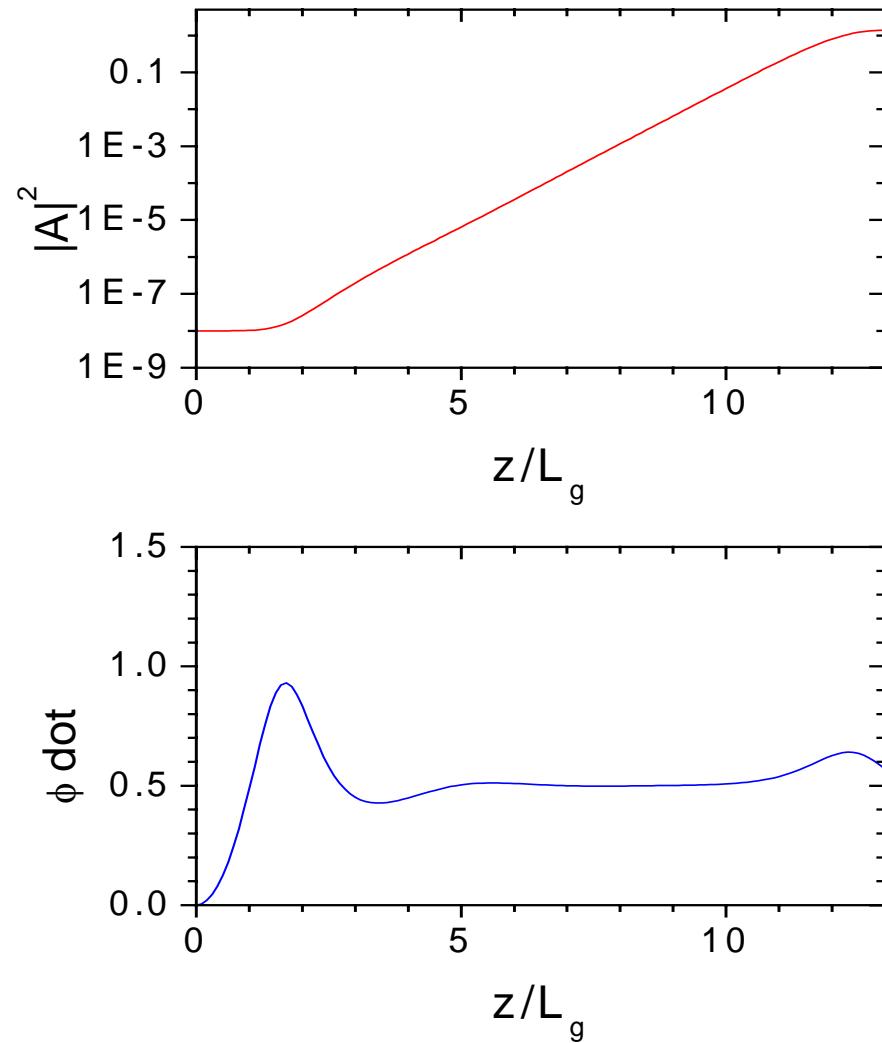
$$A = ae^{i\phi} \Rightarrow E \propto e^{i[kz - \omega t + \phi(z)]}$$

$$\Rightarrow k \rightarrow k + \dot{\phi} \Rightarrow v_p = \frac{ck}{k + \dot{\phi}} \quad \omega = ck$$

$$n = \frac{c}{v_p} = 1 + \frac{\dot{\phi}}{ck} > 1$$

e-beam = optical fiber  $\Rightarrow$  Optical Guiding

# Exponential gain and phase derivative



# Linear Theory (S.S.): exponential gain

$$\dot{\theta}_j = p_j \quad \dot{p}_j = -\left(Ae^{i\theta} + cc\right) \quad \dot{A} = \langle e^{-i\theta} \rangle + i\delta A$$

$$p(0) = A(0) = \langle e^{-i\theta} \rangle = 0; equilibrium \quad \langle p \rangle + |A|^2 = \text{cost}$$

Linear theory  $\ddot{A} - i\delta \ddot{A} - iA = 0$

$$A \propto A_0 e^{i\lambda t}$$

$$\boxed{(\lambda - \delta)\lambda^2 + 1 = 0}$$

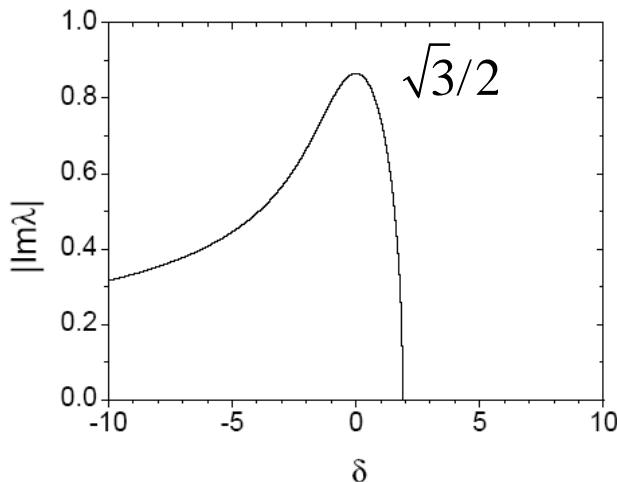
$$\delta = \frac{\gamma_0 - \gamma_r}{\rho\gamma_r}$$

$$A \propto e^{(\text{Im } \lambda)\bar{t}}$$

runaway solution

$$\text{Max gain } \delta=0$$

$$\text{Im } \lambda = \sqrt{3}/2$$



$$|A|^2 \propto e^{\sqrt{3}\bar{t}} = e^{\frac{\sqrt{3}z}{L_g}} \quad [L_g = \lambda_w/(4\pi\rho)]$$

$$\text{Gain bandwidth } \Delta\gamma/\gamma \square 2\rho$$

End first lecture

# Propagation effect: Superradiance and SASE

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# Slippage, Resonance and Cooperation Length

Slippage = propagation effects

The slippage length  $L_s$  when the electron travel  $\Delta z$

$$\text{is } L_s = (c - v_{\perp}) \frac{\Delta z}{v_{\perp}} \quad \Delta z = \lambda_w \Rightarrow L_s = \lambda_w \left( \frac{1}{\beta_{\perp}} - 1 \right) = \lambda_r$$

Resonance: the slippage is  $\lambda$  for each  $\lambda_w$ , maintaining the phase.

Total slippage:  $L_s = \frac{L_w}{\lambda_w} \lambda_r$  negligible if  $L_s \ll L_b$

Slippage in a gain length ( $L_w = L_g$ ):  $L_c = \lambda_r / (4\pi\rho_F)$  cooperation length

slippage is fundamental when  $L_b \leq L_c$  and in SASE

$$(L_g = \lambda_w / (4\pi\rho_F))$$

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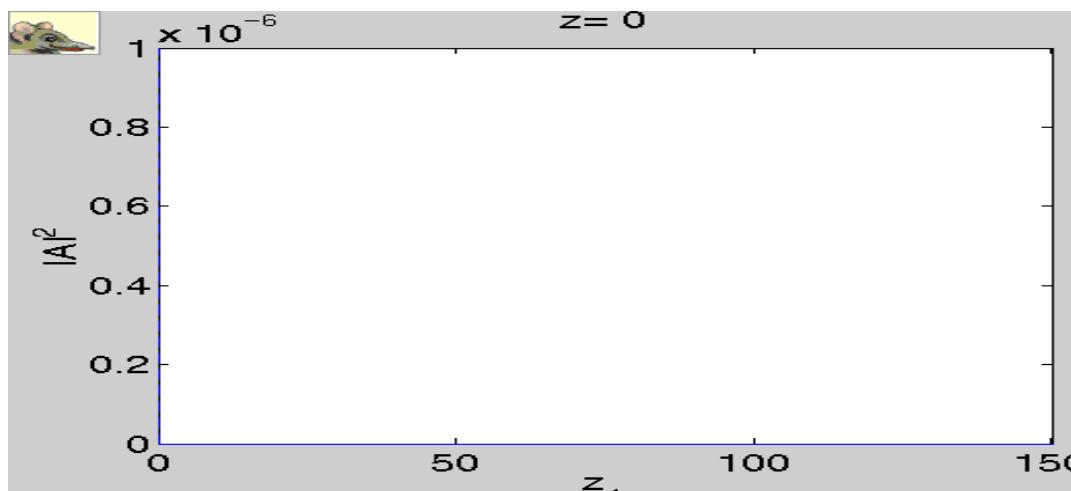
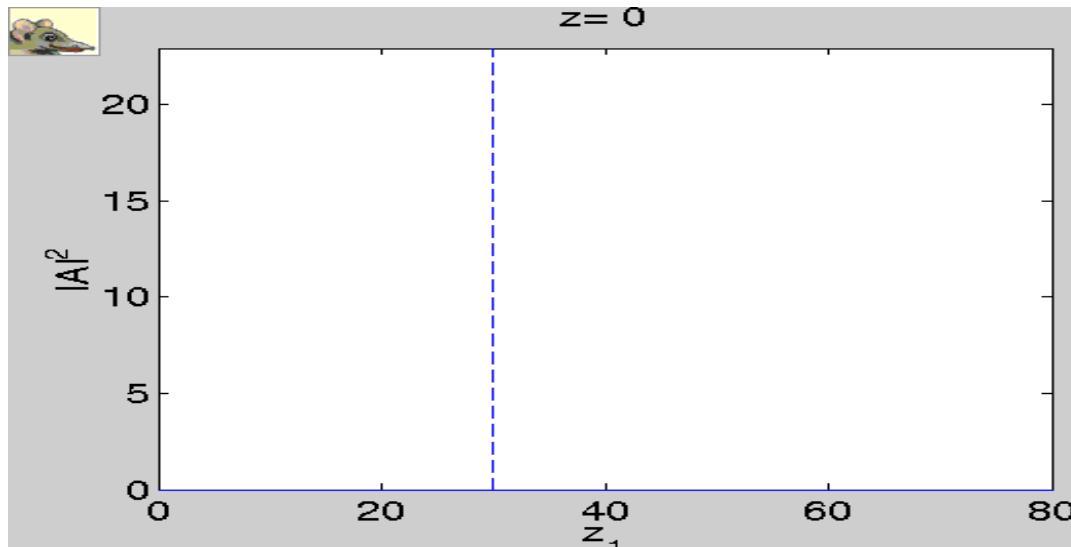
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# STEADY STATE AND SUPERRADIANT INSTABILITY, Long and Short Bunch (uniform seed)

Evolution of radiation time structure in the electron rest frame



$$\frac{\partial A}{\partial \bar{z}} + \frac{\partial A}{\partial z_1} = \langle e^{-i\theta} \rangle$$

$$\bar{z} = z / L_g$$

$$L = 30L_c \quad \left( L_g = \frac{\lambda_w}{4\pi\rho_F} \right)$$

Strong SR

$$I_{peak} \propto n_e^2 \quad z_1 = z - vt / L_c$$

$$\left( L_c = \frac{\lambda_r}{4\pi\rho} \right)$$

$$L = 0.1L_c$$

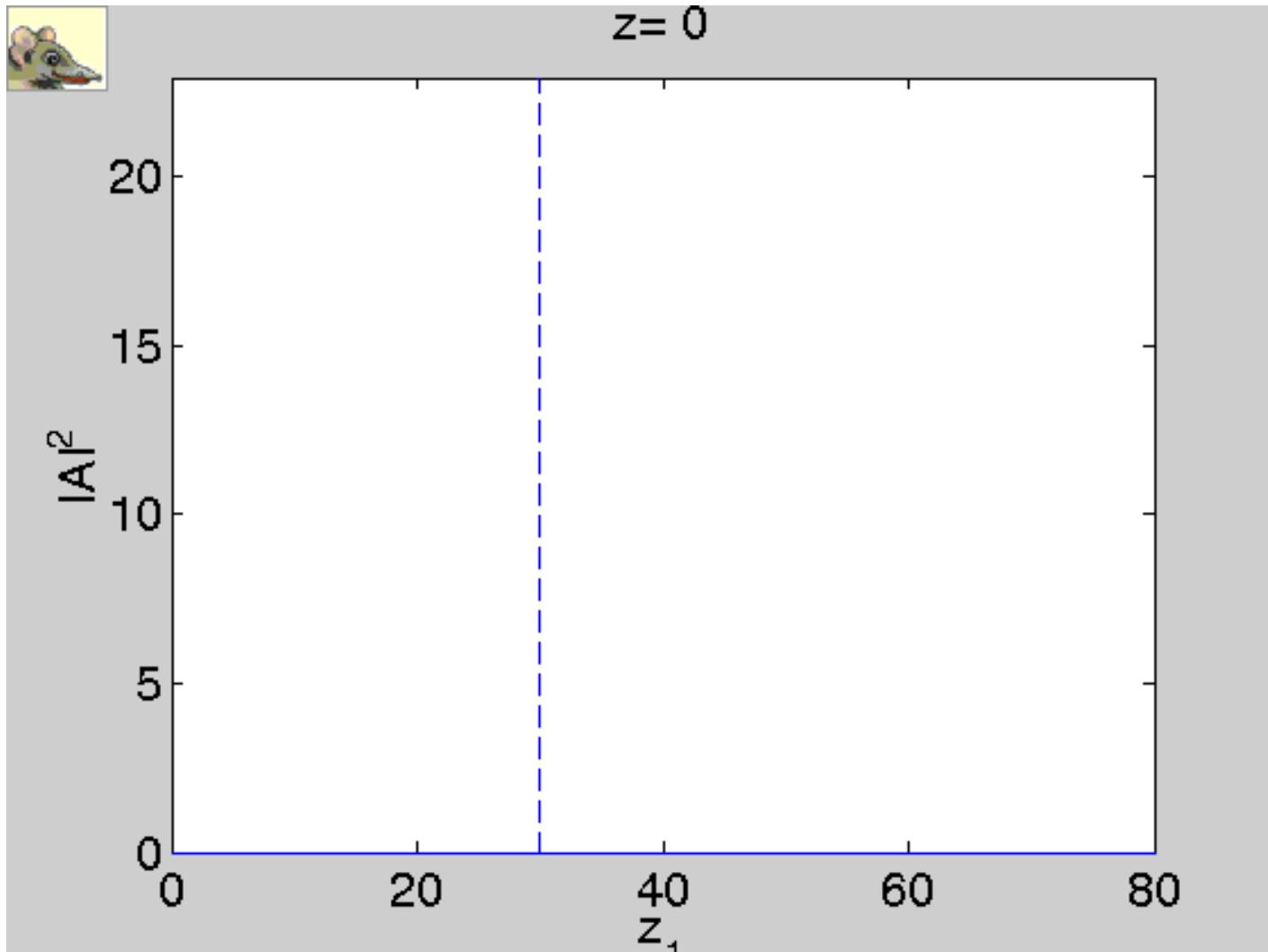
Weak SR

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# LONG PULSE (uniform excitation)

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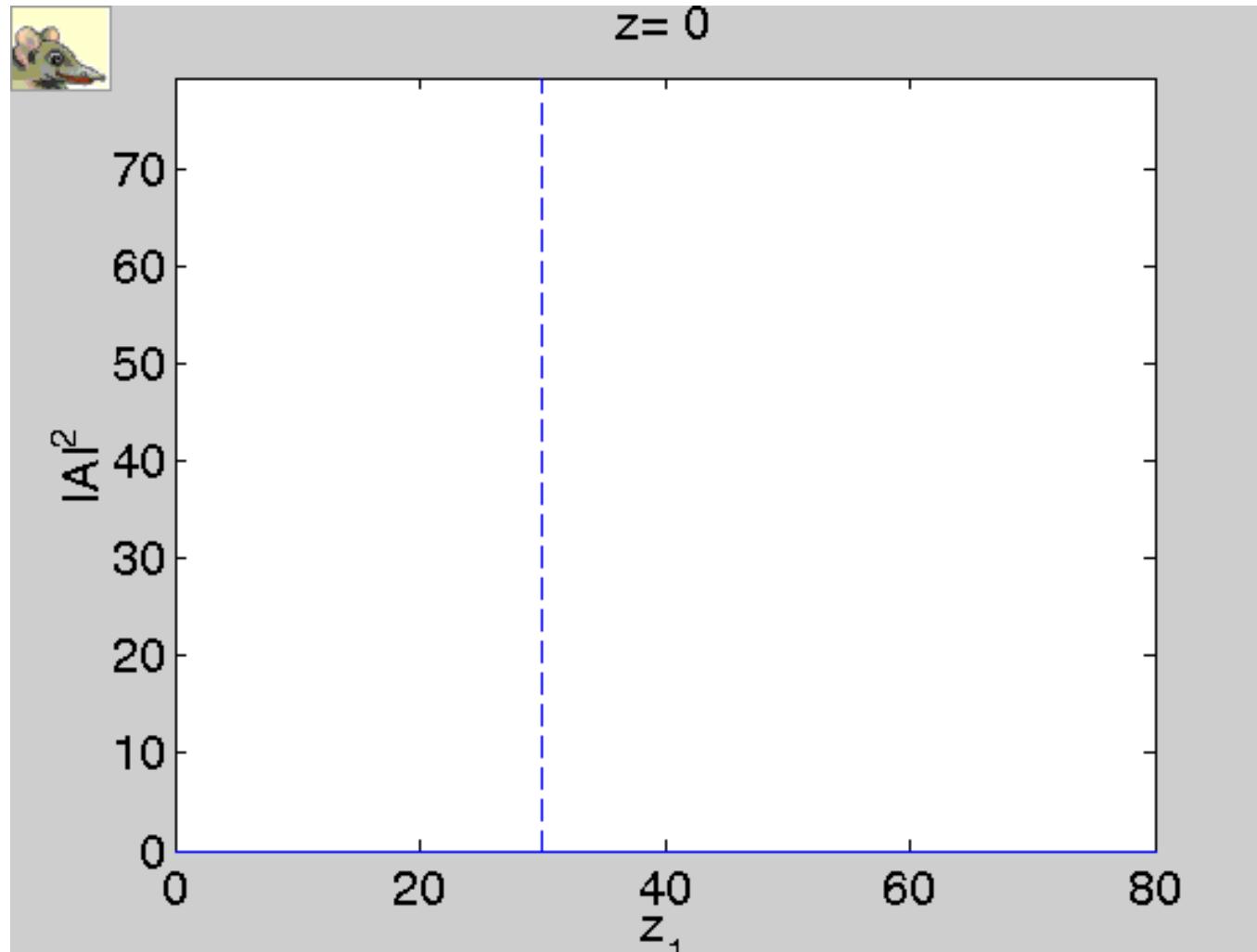


SS and SR instability

# LONG PULSE (uniform excitation)

$L=30L_C$ , detuned ( $\delta=2$ )

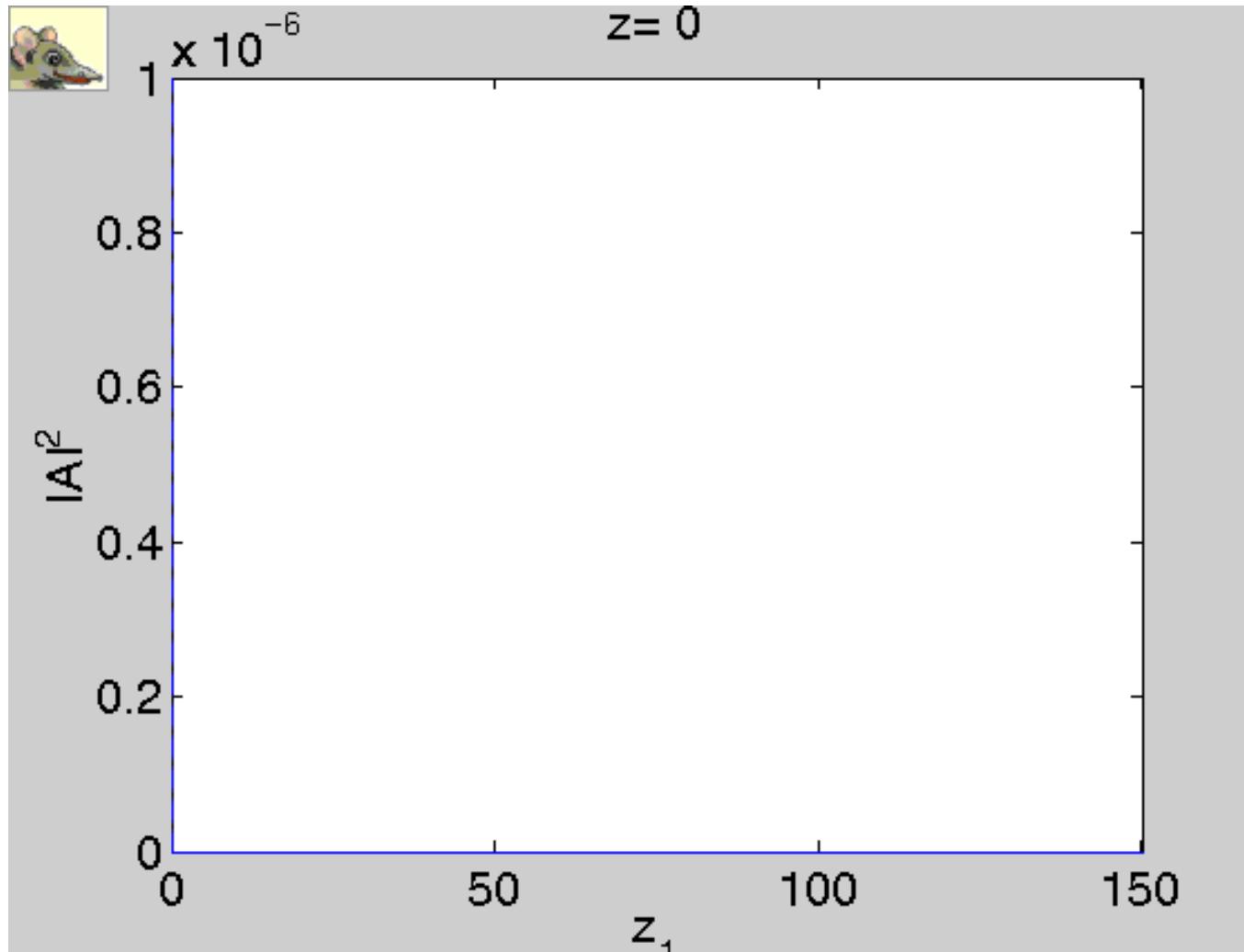
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Only SuperRadiant Instability

## Short Bunch (uniform seed)

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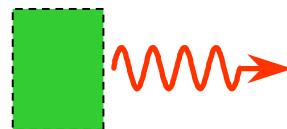
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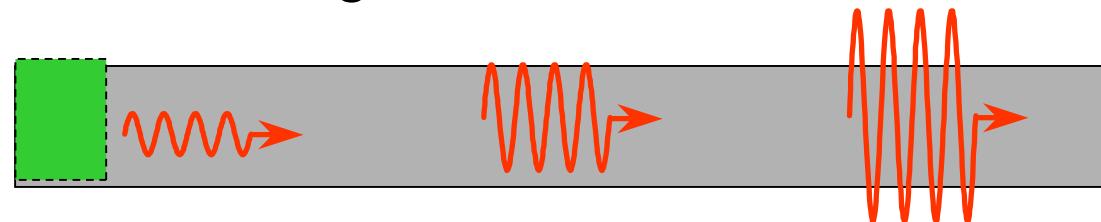
## PROPAGATION EFFECTS IN FELs :SUPERRADIANCE

Particles at the trailing edge of the beam never receive radiation from particles behind them: they just radiate in a **SUPERRADIANT PULSE** or SPIKE which propagates forward.

if  $L_b \ll L_c$  the SR pulse remains small (**weak SR**).



if  $L_b \gg L_c$  the weak SR pulse gets amplified (**strong SR**) as it propagates forward through beam with **no saturation**.



The SR pulse is a **self-similar solution** of the propagation equation.

# Soliton-Like solution and Superradiant Regime

R.B. et al, Physics of High Gain FEL and Superradiance,  
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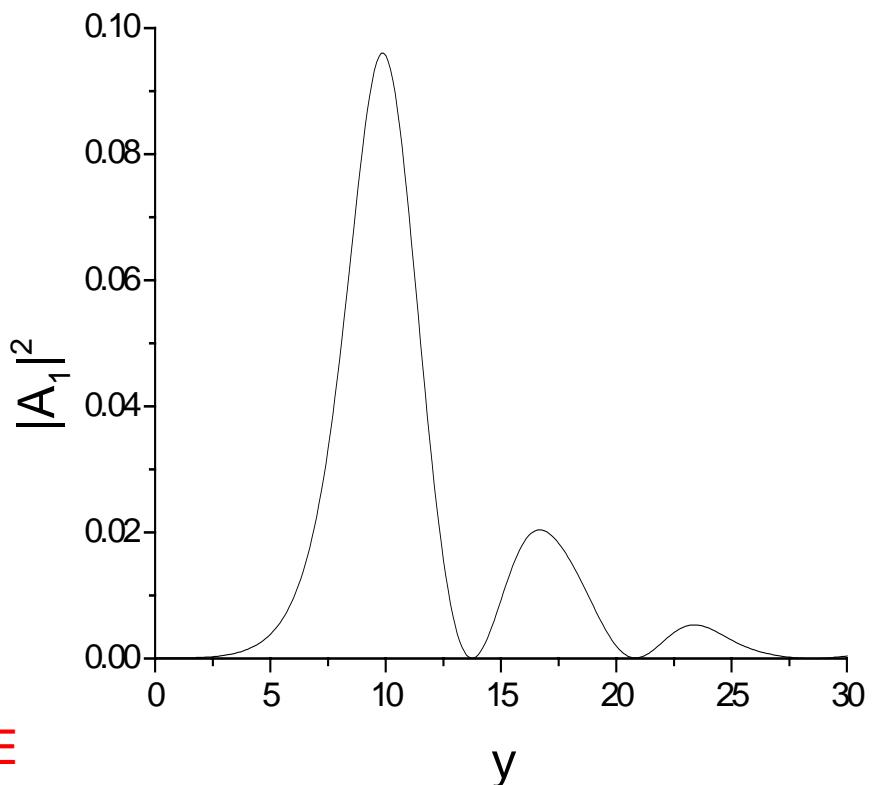
## CLASSICAL REGIME:

$$A(z_1, \bar{z}) = z_1 A_1(y)$$

$$y = \sqrt{z_1} (\bar{z} - z_1)$$

width  $\propto \frac{1}{\sqrt{z_1}}$

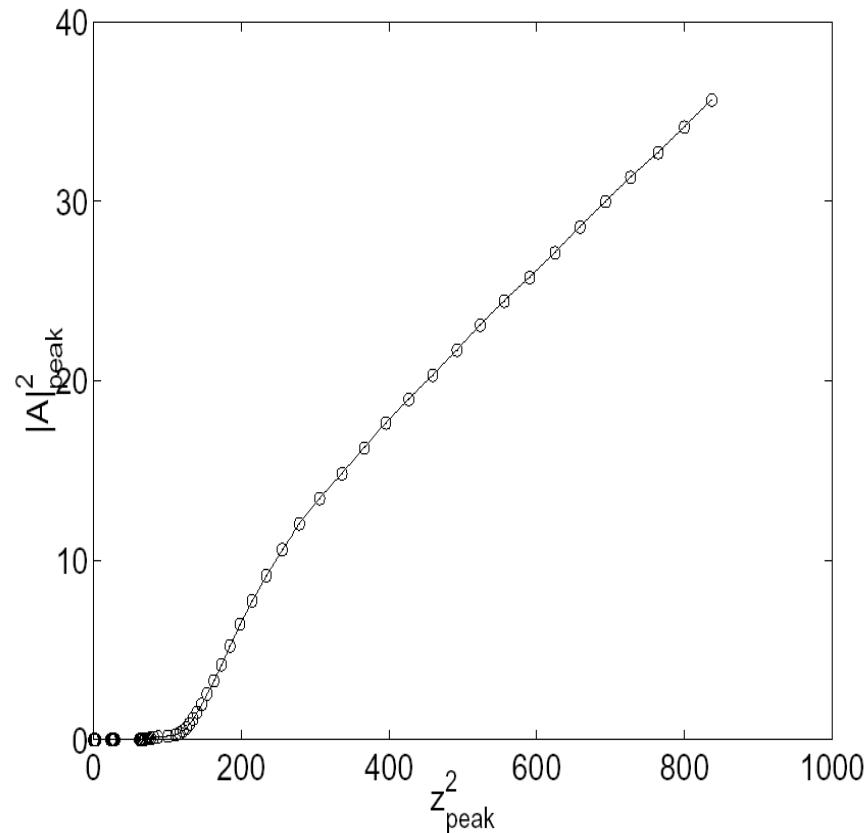
$$|A|^2 \propto z_1^2 \propto N^2$$
 SUPERRADIANCE



SELF SIMILAR  
SOLUTION

# Self-similar scaling for long pulses ( $L=30 L_c$ )

$$A(z_1, \bar{z}) \propto z_1$$



# Propagation and SuperRadiant (SR) Instability

SS instability in the leading edge ( $z_1 > \bar{z}$ )

electrons radiates in front what they get from the back

Trailing edge ( $z_1 < \bar{z}$ ) particles get nothing from the back:  
just radiate in front a **SUPERRADIANT PULSE**

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if  $L_b \gg L_c$  the weak SR pulse gets amplified (**strong SR**) with  
**no saturation**.

The SR pulse is a **soliton like self similar solution** of the propagation equation (ref. 2, 4, 5).

The above description is true for **coherent excitation**,  
**NOT FOR SASE**, in which SS instability never occur.

Descriptions of SASE as SS instability starting from noise are **wrong**.

# SASE

Ingredients:

- i) Start up from noise
- ii) Propagation effects (slippage)
- iii) **Superradiant instability**: (no steady state instability)

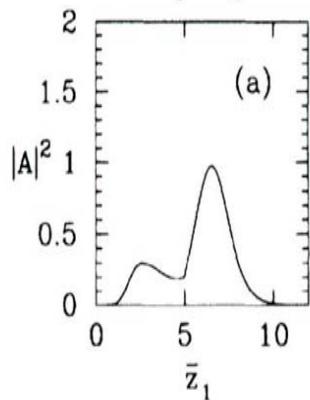
## **Self Amplified Superradiant Emission**

(RB, L. De Salvo, P.Pierini, N.Piovella, C. Pellegrini, PRL 73 (1994) 70)

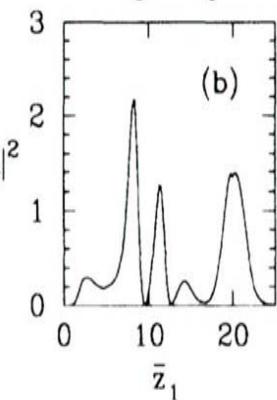


The electron bunch behaves as if **each** cooperation length would radiate **independently** a weak **SR spike** which gets amplified propagating on the other electrons **with no saturation**. Spiky time structure and spectrum.

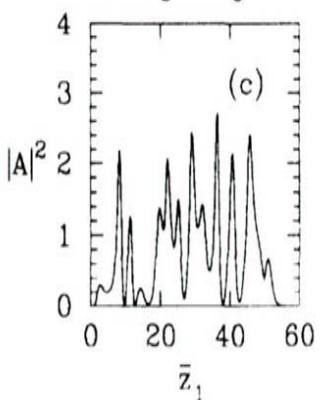
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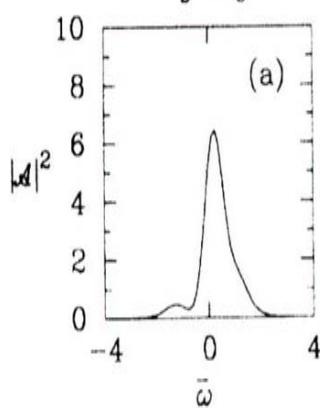
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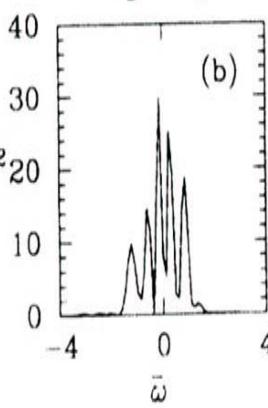
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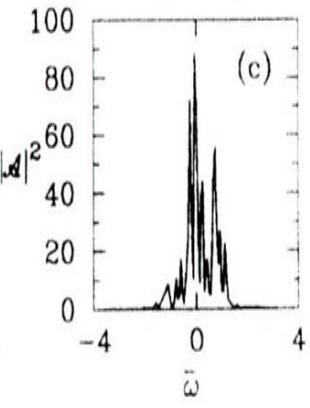
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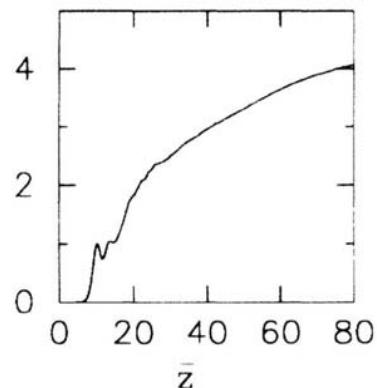
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$$l_b = 50l_c$$



$$E_L$$



SASE

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$$(L_c = \lambda / 4\pi\rho)$$

Time structure:

Almost chaotic behavior:

number of random spikes  
goes like  $L_b / L_c$ .

**Spectrum:**

is just the envelope of a series  
of narrow **random spikes**

If  $L_b \leq L_c$  a single SR spike.

At short wavelengths  $L_b \gg L_c$   
 $\Rightarrow$  **many random spikes**.

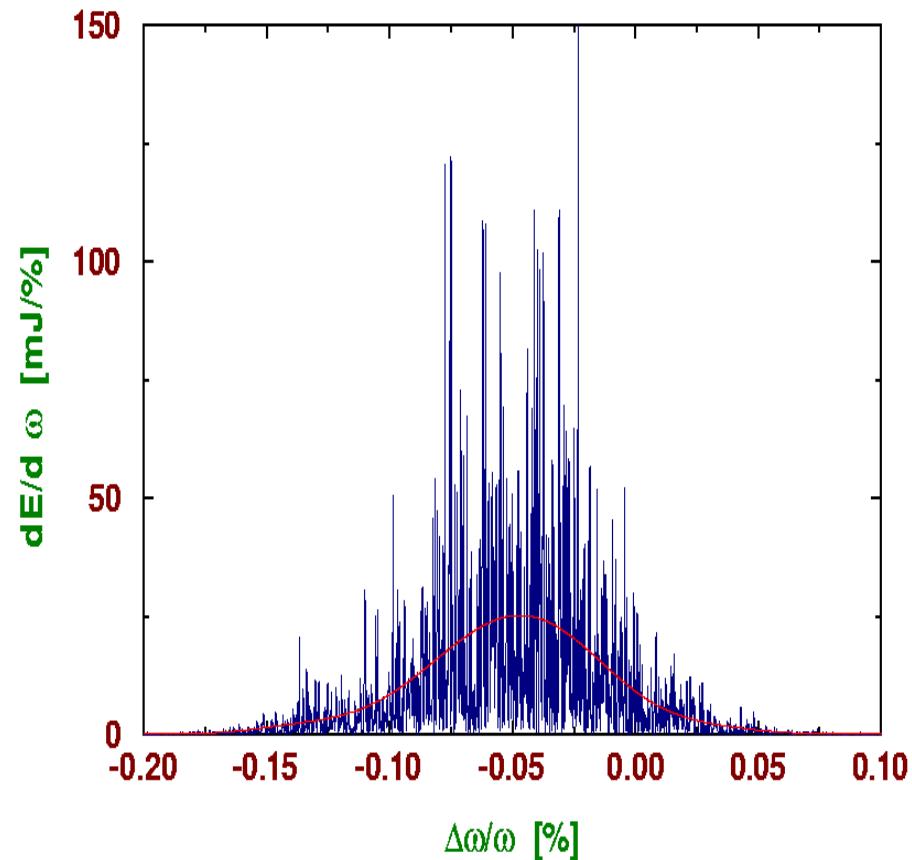
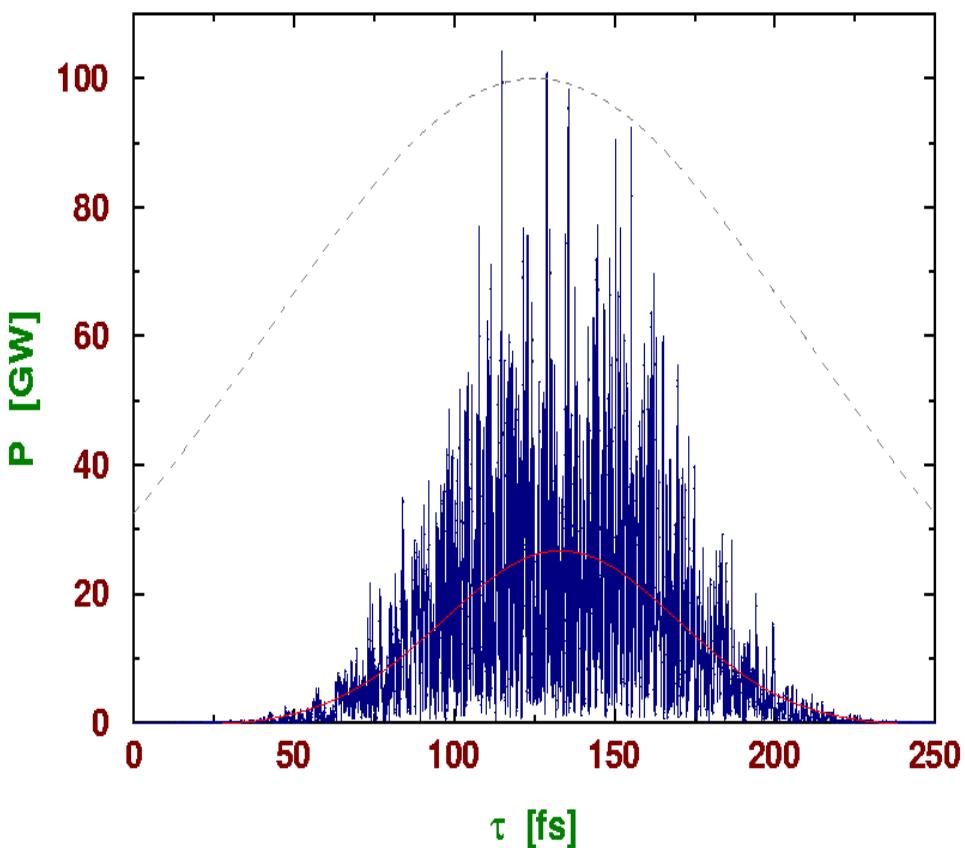
Total energy does not saturate (at 1.4).

# DRAWBACKS OF SASE

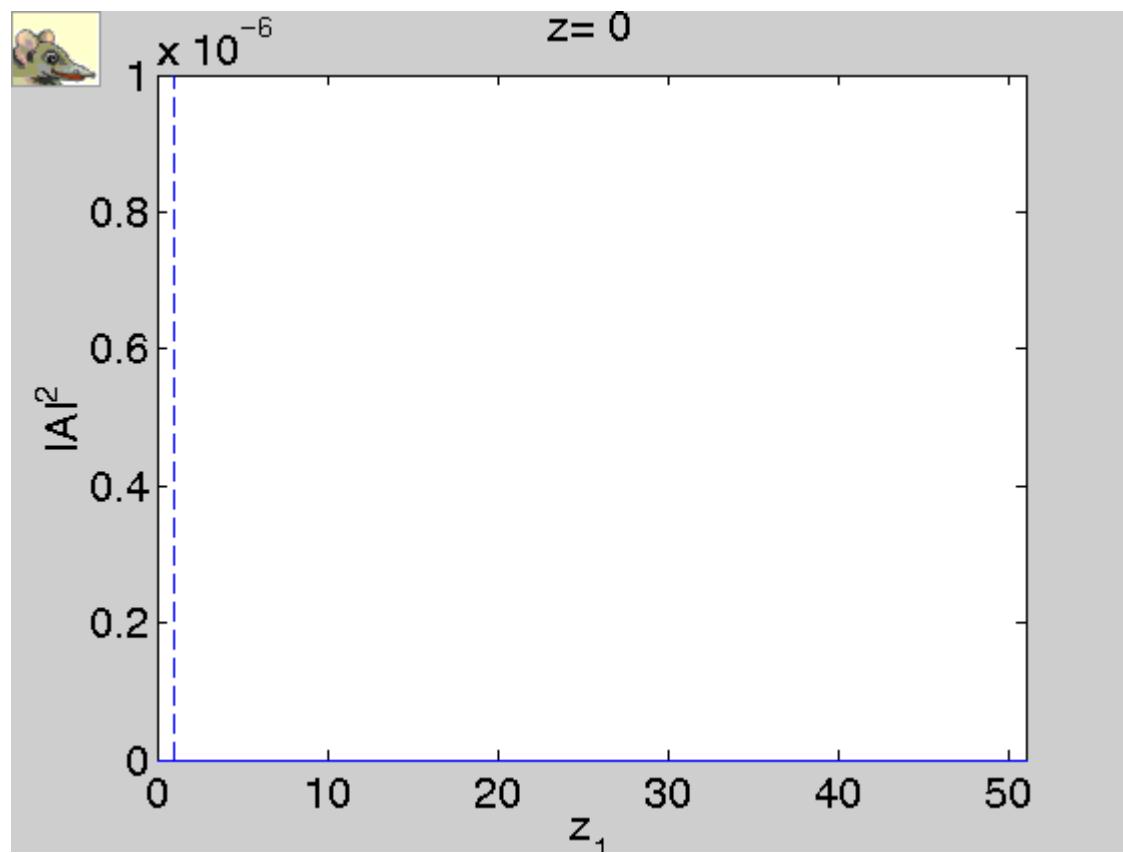
Time profile has many random spikes ( $n = L/L_c$ )

Broad and noisy spectrum at short wavelengths (X-ray FEL)

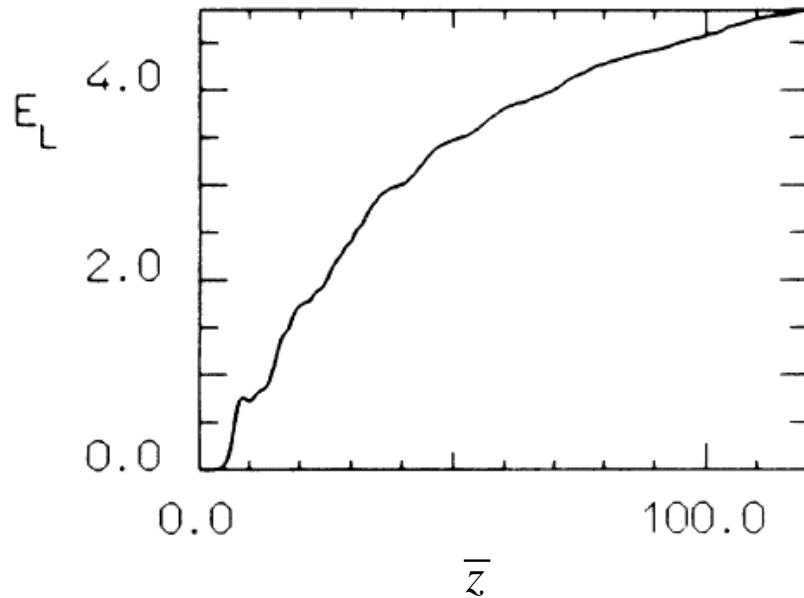
from DESY (Hamburg) for the SASE experiment (simulation)



# SASE Short bunch L<sub>b</sub> = L<sub>c</sub>



## Short bunch superradiance total energy



$$L_b \approx 2L_c$$

In conclusion SASE gives incoherent spiking unless  $L_b \leq 2\pi L_c$

see BRAFEL

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# **1D limit**

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1D:  $\sigma = \infty$ , plane wave, zero emittance

In reality: radiation beam and electron beam focused to a cross section  $\sigma$ , diverges on a length  $Z_r$  and  $\beta$ :

$$Z_r = \frac{4\pi\sigma^2}{\lambda_r} \quad \beta = \frac{\gamma\sigma^2}{\varepsilon_n}$$

$$\frac{Z_r}{\beta} = \frac{4\pi}{\gamma\lambda_r\varepsilon_n} \equiv \varepsilon_1 \leq 1 \text{ (Pellegrini criterium)} \quad \color{red}{\varepsilon_n = \frac{\varepsilon_1\gamma\lambda_r}{4\pi}}$$

The electron beam does not diverges in  $Z_r < \beta$ .

1D LIMIT:  $L_g \leq Z_r \leq \beta$

In a planar wiggler, for a matched beam(\*):  $\sigma^2 = \frac{\lambda_w\varepsilon_n}{\sqrt{2}\pi a_w}$

(\*) Ted Scharlemann, Proc. INFN School on EM Radiation &  
Particle Beam Acceleration, North Holland, 95 (1989)

We take  $\varepsilon_n$  maximum ( $\varepsilon_1 = 1$ ), to satisfy the 1D limit at 100  $\mu\text{m}$

# BRAFEL

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# The BRAFEL Conceptual design

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SASE Classical FEL in Short Bunch Superradiant regime  
far infrared source with  $\lambda_r = 100 \mu\text{m}$  (tunable)

$$\lambda_r = \frac{\lambda_w(1 + a_w^2)}{2\gamma^2}$$

$$a_w \approx B_w(T)\lambda_w(\text{cm})$$

$$\text{gain length } L_g = \frac{\lambda_w}{4\pi\rho}$$

$$\text{cooperation length } L_c = \frac{\lambda_r}{4\pi\rho}$$

$$L_b \leq 2\pi L_c \quad \text{SASE Pure Superradiance}$$

$$\rho = \frac{2.6}{\gamma} \left[ \frac{I(A)a_w^2\lambda_w^2(\text{cm})}{\sigma^2(\mu\text{m})} \right]^{1/3}$$

Tunability:  $a_w > 1$ , change resonance changing  $a_w$ , changing the gap ( $B_w$ )

## Given Parameters:

lambda\_w = 4 cm  
a\_w = 1  
gamma = 20  
current = 200 A (75 A)

## Derived Parameters:

lambda\_r = 100 micron  
epsilon\_n = 159.155 mm-mrad  
sigma\_r = 1.19704 mm  
rho = 0.0130442 (0.00940648)  
l\_g = 14.0888 cm (19.5372 cm)  
z\_R = 18.0063 cm  
l\_b\_max = 3.83313 mm (12.7859 ps)  
(5.31548 mm (17.7306 ps))

**Given Parameters:**

lambda\_w = 4 cm  
a\_w = 1  
gamma = 20  
current = 600 A

**Derived Parameters:**

lambda\_r = 100 micron  
epsilon\_n = 159.155 mm-mrad  
sigma\_r = 1.19704 mm  
rho = 0.018813  
l\_g = 9.7686 cm  
z\_R = 18.0063 cm  
l\_b\_max = 2.65774 mm (8.86528 ps)

## Given Parameters:

lambda\_w = 6.4 cm  
a\_w = 1, 2, 3  
gamma = 40  
current = 300 A

## Derived Parameters:

lambda\_r = 40, 100, 200 micron  
epsilon\_n = 127.324, 318.31 , 636.62 mm-mrad  
sigma\_r = 1.74838 mm  
rho = 0.0094, 0.014, 0.016  
l\_g = 31.3, 21.2, 17.8 cm  
z\_R = 57.6, 28.8, 19.2 cm  
l\_b\_max = 2.1 mm (7.1ps), 3.6 mm (12.0ps)  
6.1 mm (20.2 ps)

Using:  $\rho = \frac{5.6 \times 10^{-3}}{\gamma} \left( \frac{Ia_w^2 \lambda_w^2}{\sigma_r^2} \right)^{1/3} - SI$

for a transverse Gaussian beam with RMS radius of  $\sigma_r$

Now:

$$\varepsilon_n = \frac{\gamma \sigma_r^2}{\beta} \quad \text{and} \quad \beta = \frac{f \gamma}{a_w k_w} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \sigma_r^2 = \frac{f \varepsilon_n}{a_w k_w}$$

Let:  $\varepsilon_n = \varepsilon_1 \frac{\gamma \lambda_r}{4\pi} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \sigma_r^2 = \frac{f \varepsilon_1 \gamma \lambda_r}{4\pi a_w k_w} = \frac{f \varepsilon_1 \gamma \lambda_r \lambda_w}{8\pi^2 a_w} = \frac{f \varepsilon_1 \gamma \lambda_w^2 (1 + a_w^2)}{16\pi^2 a_w \gamma^2}$

Where resonance relation is used.  $\lambda_r = \frac{\lambda_w}{2\gamma^2} (1 + a_w^2)$

Substitute for  $\sigma_r^2$  into expression for  $\rho$  :

$$\begin{aligned}\rho &= \frac{5.6 \times 10^{-3}}{\gamma} \left( \frac{I a_w^2 \lambda_w^2 16\pi^2 a_w \gamma^2}{f \varepsilon_1 \gamma \lambda_w^2 (1 + a_w^2)} \right)^{1/3} = \frac{5.6 \times 10^{-3} (16\pi^2)^{1/3} a_w}{f^{1/3}} \left( \frac{I}{\varepsilon_1 \gamma^2 (1 + a_w^2)} \right)^{1/3} \\ &= \frac{3 \times 10^{-2} a_w}{f^{1/3}} \left( \frac{I}{\varepsilon_1 \gamma^2 (1 + a_w^2)} \right)^{1/3}\end{aligned}$$

for the case  $f = \sqrt{2}$  **assumed henceforth.**

$$\Rightarrow \rho = 2.7 \times 10^{-2} a_w \left( \frac{I}{\varepsilon_1 \gamma^2 (1 + a_w^2)} \right)^{1/3}$$

The gain length:  $l_g = \frac{\lambda_w}{4\pi\rho} = 2.95 \frac{\lambda_w}{a_w} \left( \frac{\epsilon_1 \gamma^2 (1 + a_w^2)}{I} \right)^{1/3}$

Defining :  $L_g = \frac{l_g}{\sqrt{3}} \Rightarrow L_g = 1.7 \frac{\lambda_w}{a_w} \left( \frac{\epsilon_1 \gamma^2 (1 + a_w^2)}{I} \right)^{1/3}$

Define the Rayleigh range:  $Z_R = \frac{4\pi\sigma_r^2}{\lambda_r} = \frac{8\pi\gamma^2\sigma_r^2}{\lambda_w (1 + a_w^2)}$

The ratio:  $\frac{Z_R}{l_g} = \frac{8\pi\gamma^2\sigma_r^2}{\lambda_w (1 + a_w^2)} \times \frac{a_w}{2.95\lambda_w} \left( \frac{I}{\epsilon_1 \gamma^2 (1 + a_w^2)} \right)^{1/3}$

$$\frac{Z_R}{l_g} = \frac{8\pi\gamma^2}{\lambda_w (1 + a_w^2)} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}\epsilon_1 \gamma \lambda_w^2 (1 + a_w^2)}{16\pi^2 a_w \gamma^2} \times \frac{a_w}{2.95\lambda_w} \left( \frac{I}{\epsilon_1 \gamma^2 (1 + a_w^2)} \right)^{1/3}$$

$$\frac{Z_R}{l_g} = 7.6 \times 10^{-2} \epsilon_1^{2/3} \left( \frac{\gamma I}{(1 + a_w^2)} \right)^{1/3}$$

# Quantum FEL theory

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# Canonical Quantization

$$\dot{\theta} = \frac{p}{\bar{\rho}} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p}; \quad \dot{p} = -\bar{\rho}(Ae^{i\theta} + cc) = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial \theta} \quad \left[ p = \bar{\rho}\bar{p} = \frac{p_z}{\hbar k} \right]$$

$$H = \frac{p^2}{2\bar{\rho}} - i\bar{\rho}(Ae^{i\theta} - cc) \quad \theta = kz$$

Quantization  $[z, p_z] = i\hbar$

$$p \rightarrow \hat{p} = -i\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta}; \quad [\theta, \hat{p}] = i \quad H \rightarrow \hat{H}$$

The QFEL model for the matter wave  $\Psi$

$$i\frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial z} = \hat{H}\Psi = -\frac{1}{2\bar{\rho}}\frac{\partial^2 \Psi}{\partial \theta^2} - i\bar{\rho}(Ae^{i\theta} + cc)\Psi$$

Derived from Q-field theory by G. Preparata  
(Phys. Rev. A, 38 (1988), 233)

# QFEL propagation model

$\Psi(\theta, \bar{z}, z_1)$  matter wave

$$i \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial \bar{z}} = -\frac{1}{2\bar{\rho}} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \Psi - i\bar{\rho} [A(\bar{z}, z_1) e^{i\theta} - c.c.] \Psi \quad \left( \hat{p} \equiv -i \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial A}{\partial \bar{z}} + \frac{\partial A}{\partial z_1} = \langle e^{-i\theta} \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta |\Psi(\theta, z_1, \bar{z})|^2 e^{-i\theta}$$

QFEL parameter  $\bar{\rho} = \rho_F \frac{\gamma mc}{\hbar k} = \frac{\Delta p}{\hbar k} \quad \bar{\rho} |A|^2 = n_{ph} / n_e$

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$$\left( \frac{\partial A}{\partial z_1} = 0 \right) ; \text{Q. F. T. by G. Preparata}^\dagger \text{ (Phys. Rev. A, 38 (1988), 233)}$$

# The multiple scaling method

See ref. (7)

$$\theta = (k + k_w)(z - v_r t) \quad z_1 = \frac{z - v_r t}{\beta_r L_c}; z_1 = \varepsilon \theta \quad \varepsilon = 2\rho_F = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi L_c} \ll 1$$

$$i \frac{\partial \Psi(\theta, \bar{t})}{\partial \bar{t}} = -\frac{1}{\bar{\rho}} \frac{\partial^2 \Psi(\theta, \bar{t})}{\partial \theta^2} - \frac{i \bar{\rho}}{2} \left[ A(\theta, \bar{t}) e^{i\theta} - c.c. \right] \Psi(\theta, \bar{t})$$

$$\left( \frac{\partial}{\partial \bar{t}} + \frac{\partial}{\varepsilon \partial \theta} \right) A(\theta, \bar{t}) = |\Psi(\theta, t)|^2 e^{-i\theta}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} \rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} + \varepsilon \frac{\partial}{\partial z_1} \quad \Psi = \Psi^{(0)} + \varepsilon \Psi^{(1)} + \dots \quad A = A^{(0)} + \varepsilon A^{(1)} + \dots$$

$$i \frac{\partial \Psi^{(0)}(\theta, z_1, \bar{t})}{\partial \bar{t}} = -\frac{1}{\bar{\rho}} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \Psi^{(0)}(\theta, z_1, \bar{t}) - \frac{i \bar{\rho}}{2} (A^{(0)}(z_1, \bar{t}) e^{i\theta} - c.c.) \Psi^{(0)}(\theta, z_1, \bar{t})$$

$$\frac{\partial A^{(0)}}{\partial \theta} = 0, \frac{\partial A^{(1)}}{\partial \theta} = |\Psi^{(0)}|^2 e^{-i\theta} - \left( \frac{\partial A^{(0)}}{\partial \bar{t}} + \frac{\partial A^{(0)}}{\partial z_1} \right)$$

Integrating between 0 and  $2\pi$  and assuming periodic boundary conditions:

$$\frac{\partial A^{(0)}(z_1, \bar{t})}{\partial \bar{t}} + \frac{\partial A^{(0)}(z_1, \bar{t})}{\partial z_1} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta |\Psi^{(0)}(\theta, z_1, \bar{t})|^2 e^{-i\theta}$$

Classical Limit:  $\bar{\rho} \rightarrow \infty$

One can prove that the Schroedinger equation for the QFEL model reduces to the **classical Vlasov Equation** for the **Quantum Wigner function** in the limit:  $\bar{\rho} \rightarrow \infty$

In the classical limit, with **universal scaling**, no dependence on  $\bar{\rho}$

Classical limit when  $\bar{\rho} \rightarrow \infty$

$\Psi(\theta, \bar{z}, z_1) \rightarrow W(\theta, \bar{p}, \bar{z}, z_1)$  Wigner function

$$\frac{\partial W}{\partial \bar{z}} + \bar{p} \frac{\partial W}{\partial \theta} - (A e^{i\theta} + A^* e^{-i\theta}) \bar{\rho} \left[ W\left(\theta, \bar{p} + \frac{1}{2\bar{\rho}}, \bar{z}, z_1\right) - W\left(\theta, \bar{p} - \frac{1}{2\bar{\rho}}, \bar{z}, z_1\right) \right] = 0$$

$$\bar{p} \pm \frac{1}{2\bar{\rho}}; \quad p \pm \frac{\hbar k}{2}$$

$$\frac{\partial A(\bar{z}, z_1)}{\partial \bar{z}} + \frac{\partial A(\bar{z}, z_1)}{\partial z_1} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\bar{p} \int_0^{2\pi} d\theta W(\theta, \bar{p}, z_1, \bar{z}) e^{-i\theta} = \langle e^{-i\theta} \rangle$$

$$\frac{\partial W(\theta, \bar{p}, \bar{z}, z_1)}{\partial \bar{z}} + \bar{p} \frac{\partial W(\theta, \bar{p}, \bar{z}, z_1)}{\partial \theta} - (A e^{i\theta} + A^* e^{-i\theta}) \frac{\partial W(\theta, \bar{p}, \bar{z}, z_1)}{\partial \bar{p}} = 0$$

Classical Vlasov Equation

# The Momentum Representation

$$\psi(\theta, z_1, \bar{z}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} c_n(z_1, \bar{z}) e^{in\theta}; (\hat{p} \rightarrow n\hbar k)$$

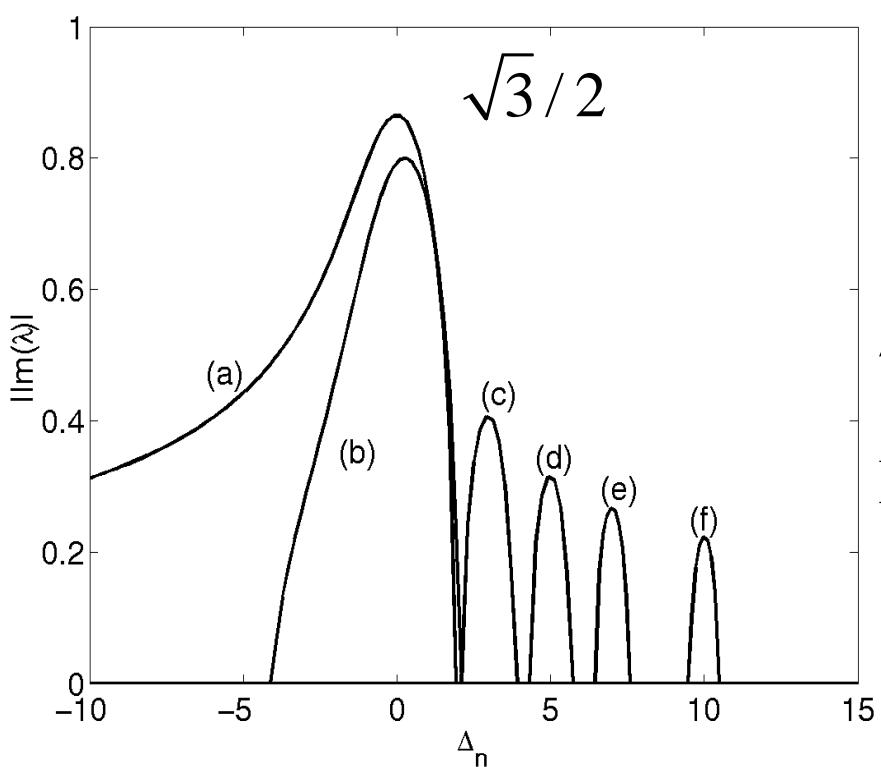
$|c_n|^2$  is the probability that an electron has a momentum  $n\hbar k$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \frac{\partial c_n}{\partial \bar{z}} &= -iE_n c_n - \bar{\rho}(A c_{n-1} - A^* c_{n+1}) \\ \frac{\partial A}{\partial \bar{z}} + \frac{\partial A}{\partial z_1} &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} c_n c^*_{n-1} = \langle e^{-i\theta} \rangle \end{aligned} \right\} \text{QFEL "working equations"}$$

$$E_n = \frac{n^2}{2\bar{\rho}} \quad \left( \frac{p^2}{2m} \right)$$

Linear Theory: QM  $(\lambda - \Delta) \left( \lambda^2 - \frac{1}{4\bar{\rho}^2} \right) + 1 = 0 \quad (e^{i\lambda\bar{z}})$

As if classical rect.  $2\sigma_0(\bar{p}) = 1/\bar{\rho}$ , i.e.,  $2\sigma_0(p) = \hbar k$   
dist.



$\bar{\rho} \gg 1$  Classical limit (a)

$\bar{\rho} \leq 1$  Quantum regime

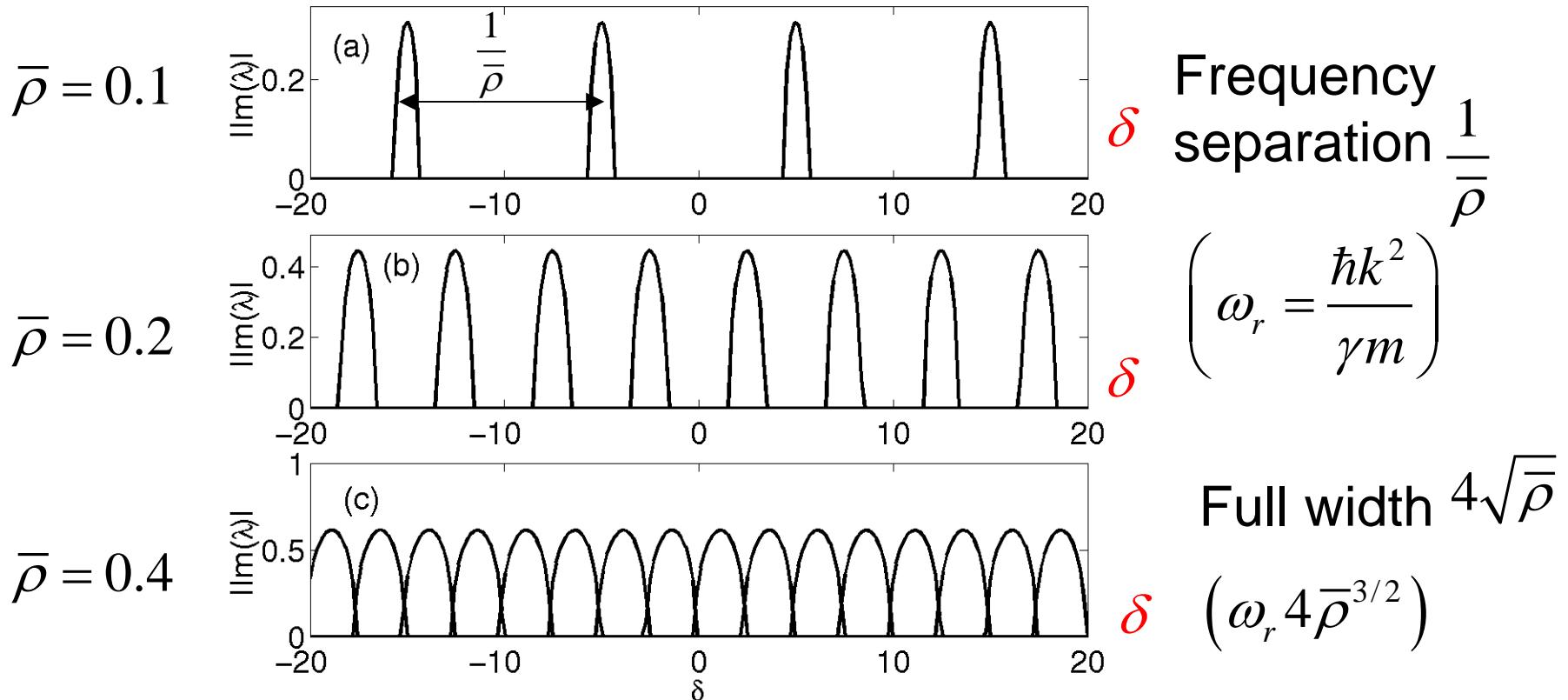
$$\Delta_{\max} = 1/2\bar{\rho}; \text{ width} = 4\sqrt{\bar{\rho}}$$

$$\text{Im } \lambda = \sqrt{\bar{\rho}} \Rightarrow L_g = \frac{L_g}{\sqrt{\bar{\rho}}}, L_c = \frac{L_c}{\sqrt{\bar{\rho}}}$$

$1/2\bar{\rho} = 0. \text{(a)}, 0.5 \text{ (b)}, 3 \text{ (c)}, 5 \text{ (d)}, 7 \text{ (e)} \text{ and } 10 \text{ (f)}$ .

# The Discrete frequencies as in a cavity

$$(\lambda - \Delta) \left( \lambda^2 - \frac{1}{4\bar{\rho}^2} \right) + 1 = 0 \quad \Delta = \delta + \frac{n}{\bar{\rho}} = \frac{1}{2\bar{\rho}} \rightarrow \delta_n = \frac{1}{2\bar{\rho}} - \frac{n}{\bar{\rho}} \quad (\delta \propto \omega - \omega_{sp})$$



Continuous classical limit  $4\sqrt{\bar{\rho}} \geq 1/\bar{\rho} \rightarrow \bar{\rho} \geq 0.4 (4\bar{\rho}^{3/2} \geq 1)$

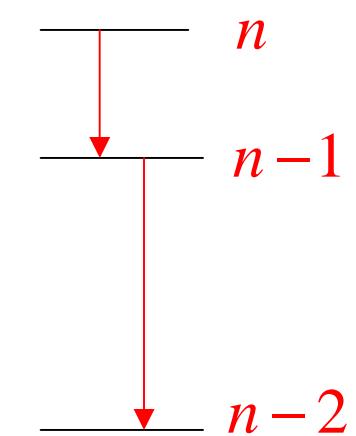
# Quantum limit : discrete resonance as in a cavity

$$E = \frac{p^2}{2\bar{\rho}} \quad p|n\rangle = n|n\rangle \quad E_n \propto \frac{n^2}{2\bar{\rho}}$$

$$\delta_n \propto E_{n-1} - E_n \propto \frac{(n-1)^2 - n^2}{2\bar{\rho}};$$

$$\delta_n = \frac{1}{2\bar{\rho}} - \frac{n}{\bar{\rho}} \quad n = 0, -1, \dots$$

$\rho \leq 1 \Rightarrow n \rightarrow n-1$  Only recoil : no absorption



$d = \frac{1}{\bar{\rho}}$ , width  $\sigma = 4\sqrt{\bar{\rho}}$ ;  $4\sqrt{\bar{\rho}} \geq \frac{1}{\bar{\rho}} \rightarrow \bar{\rho} > 0.4$  (continuous classical limit)

# SASE

Quantum

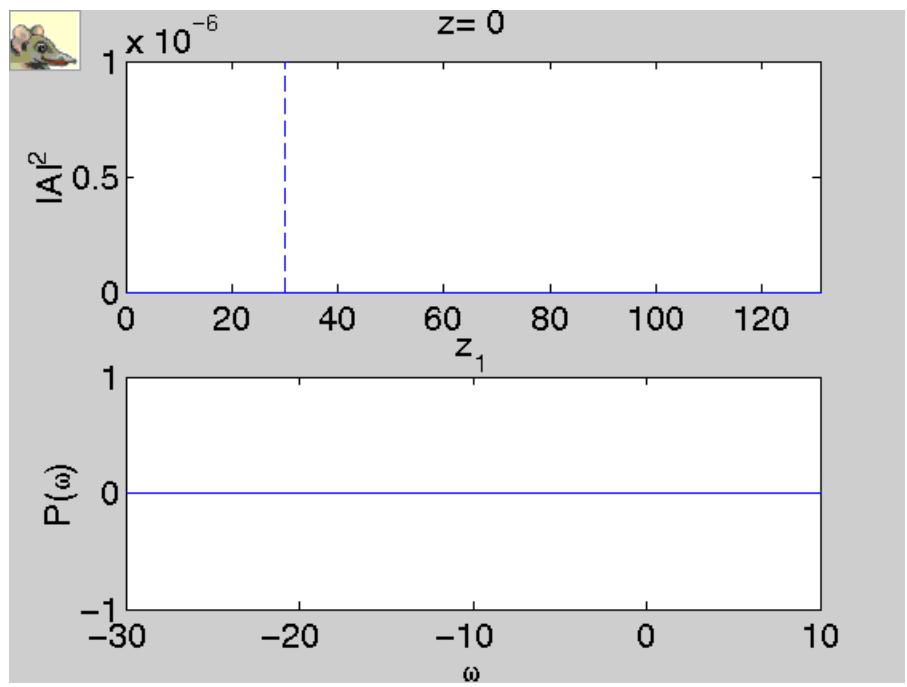
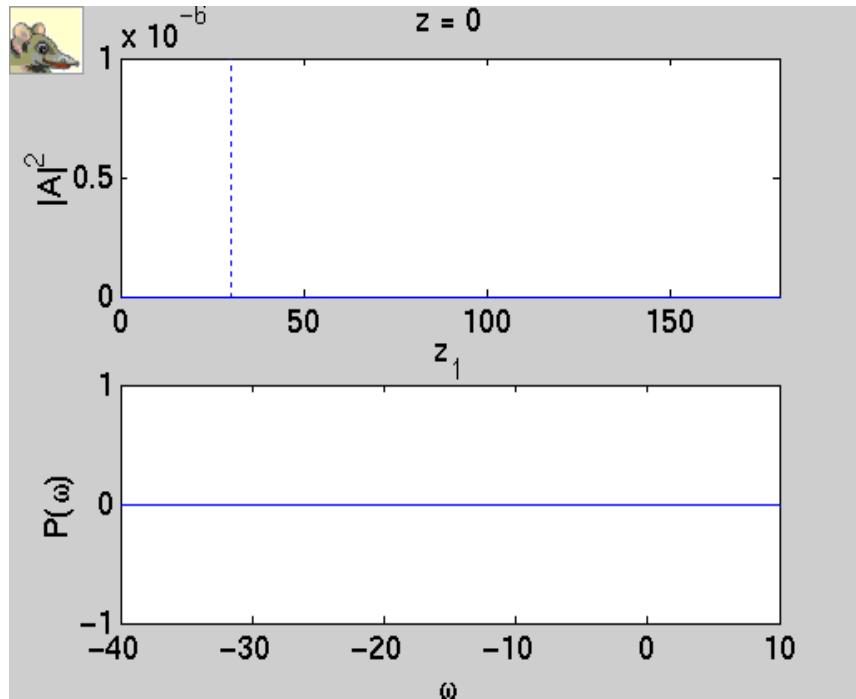
$$\bar{\rho} = 0.05$$

Classical

$$L / L_c = 30$$

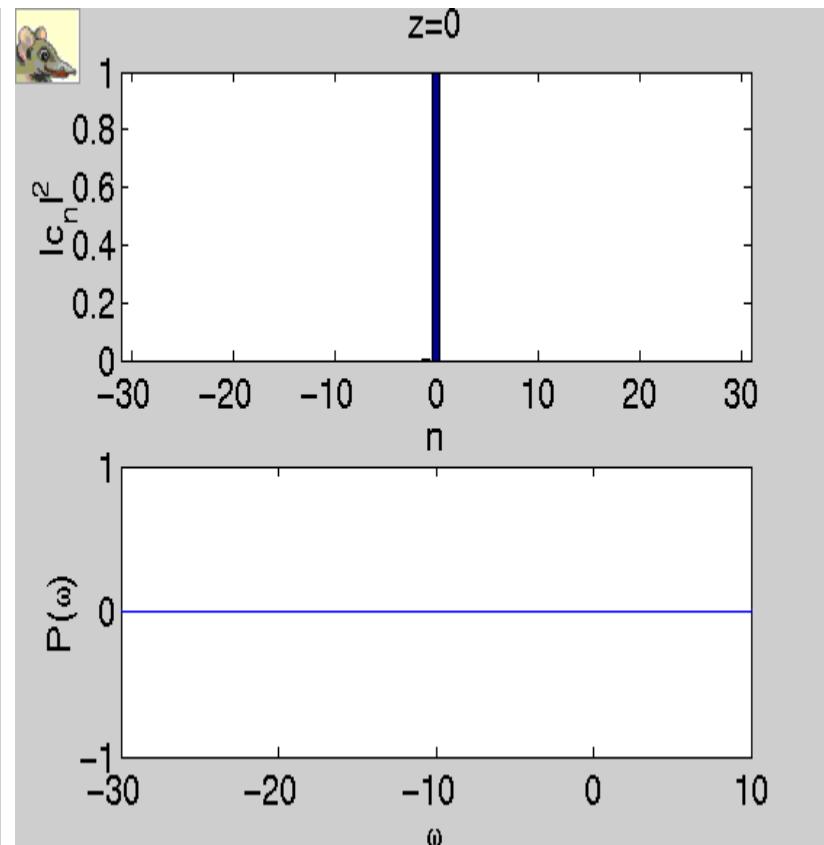
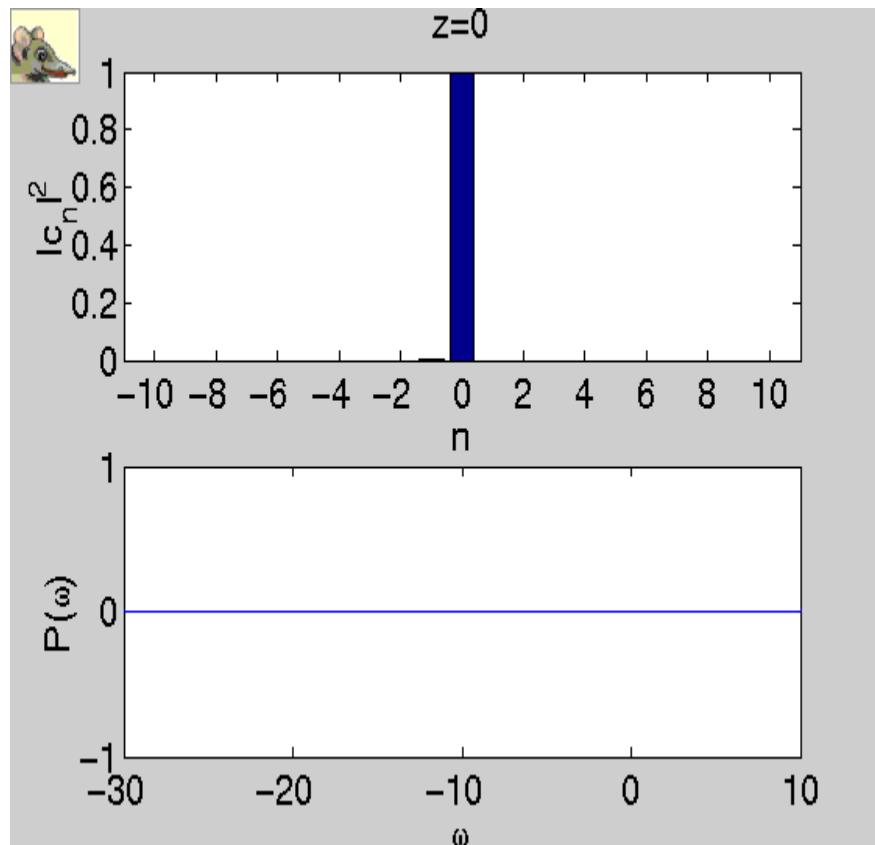
$$\bar{\rho} = 5$$

Evolution of radiation time structure in the electron rest frame



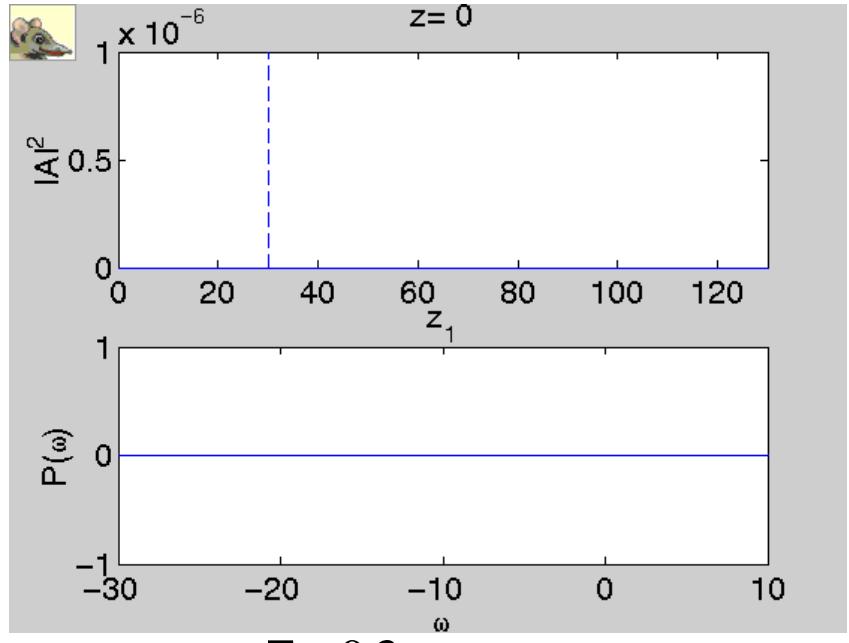
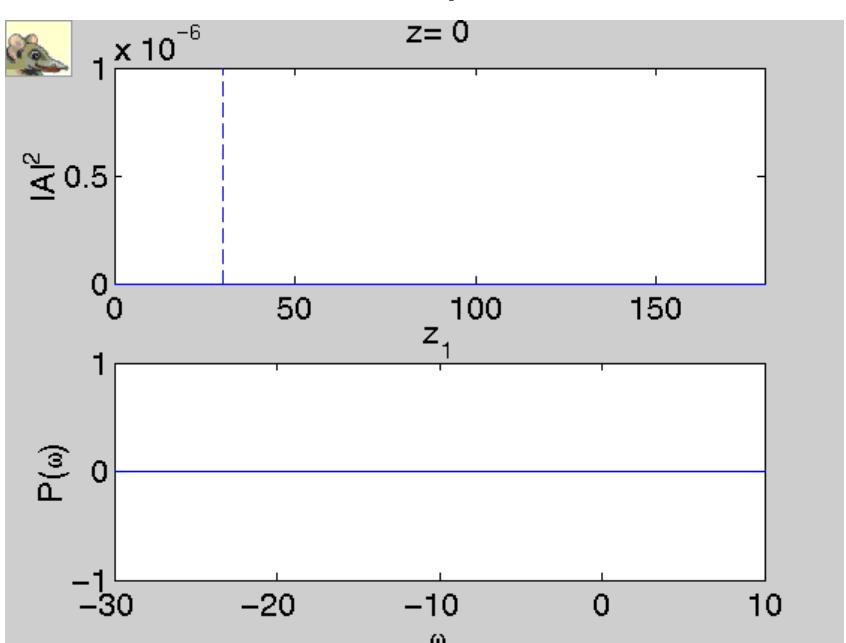
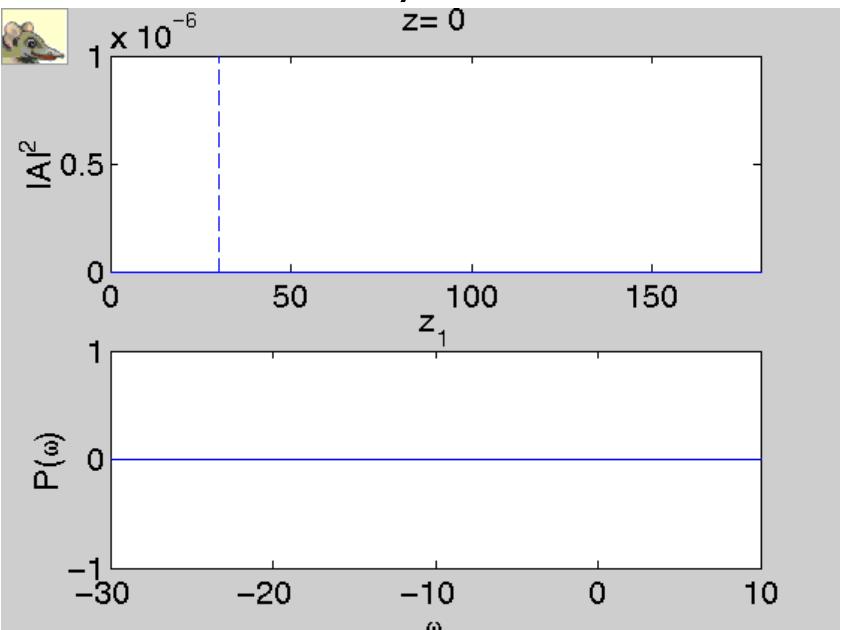
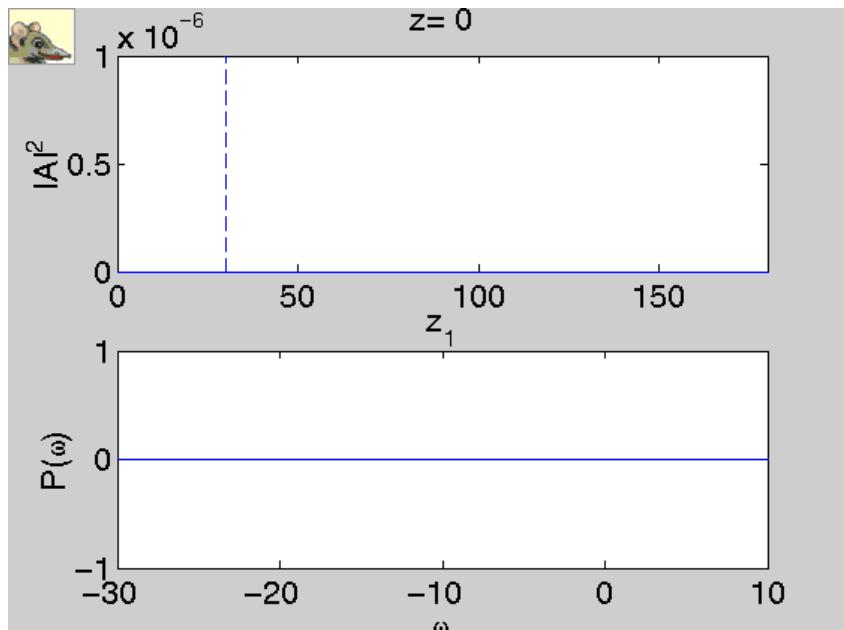
# Simulation using QFEL model: Momentum distribution (average)

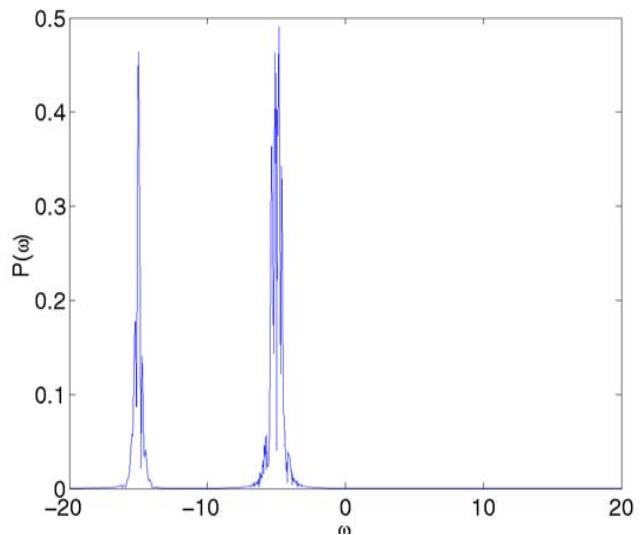
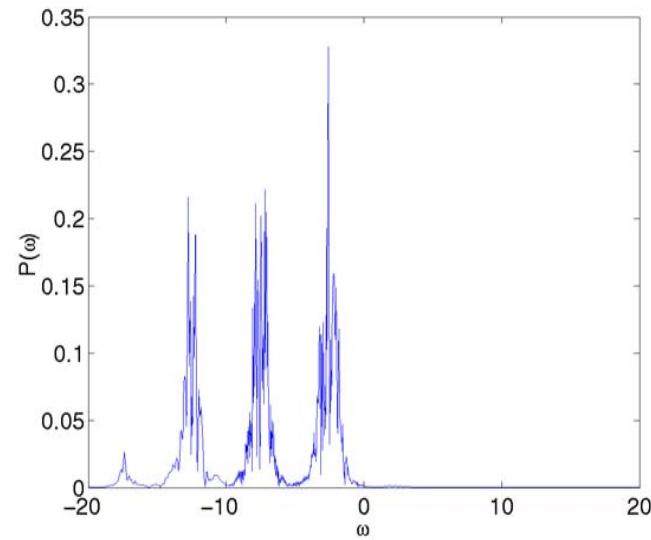
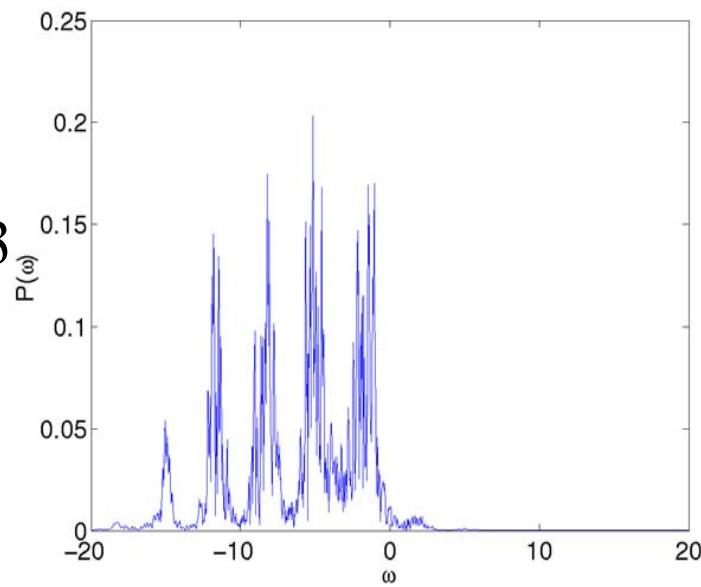
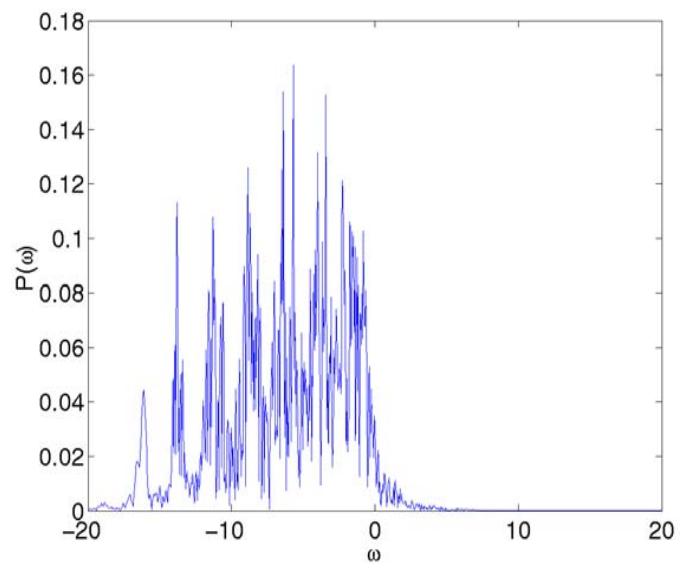
Quantum regime  $\bar{\rho} = 0.1$      $L/L_c = 30$     Classical regime  $\bar{\rho} = 5$



Classical behaviour : both  $n < 0$  and  $n > 0$  occupied

Quantum behaviour : sequential SR decay, only  $n < 0$

$\bar{\rho} = 0.1$  $(2n-1)/2\bar{\rho}$  [ $n = 0, -1, \dots$ ] $\bar{\rho} = 0.2$  $\bar{\rho} = 0.3$  $\bar{\rho} = 0.4$ 

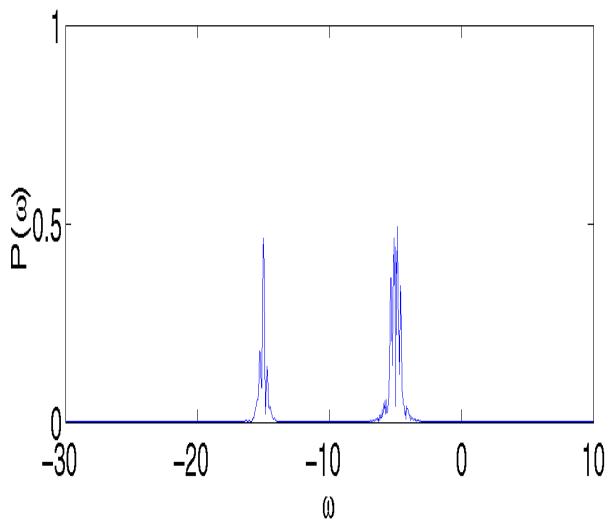
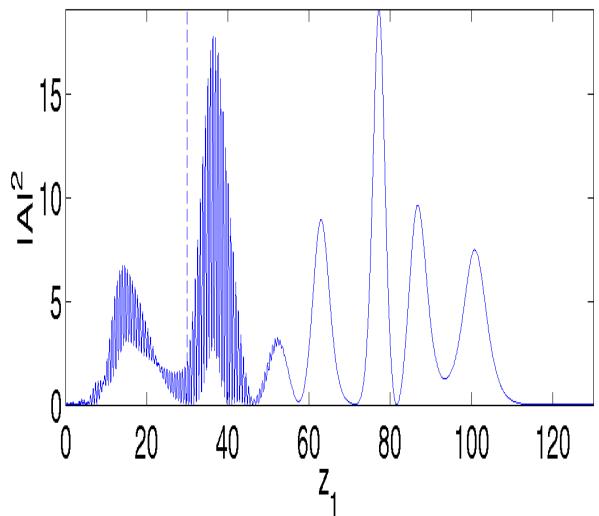
$\bar{\rho} = 0.1$  $\bar{\rho} = 0.2$  $\bar{\rho} = 0.3$  $\bar{\rho} = 0.4$ 

# Conclusions

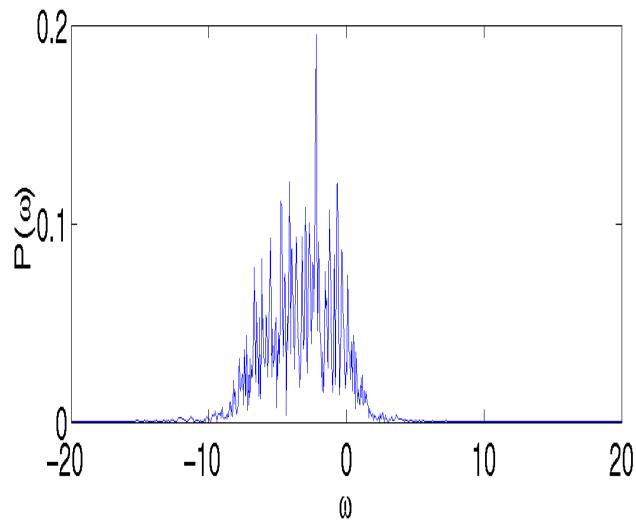
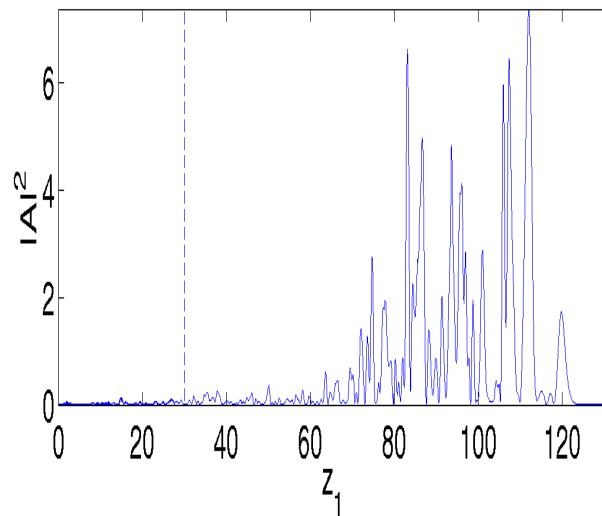
- Classical description of SASE valid IF  $\bar{\rho} \gg 1$
- IF  $\bar{\rho} \leq 1$  one has **quantum SASE**: the gain bandwidth **decreases** as  $4\sqrt{\bar{\rho}}$  and  $L_c \propto 1/\sqrt{\bar{\rho}}$   line narrowing, temporal coherence.
- Multiple lines Spectrum:
  - separation  $1/\bar{\rho}$ , linewidth  $4\sqrt{\bar{\rho}}$
- Classical limit: increasing  $\bar{\rho}$  separation  $\leq$  linewidth ( $\bar{\rho} \geq 0.4$ )  $\rightarrow$  continuous **spiky** classical spectrum.

For experimental setup see R.B., NIM A 546 (2005) 634, and this proceeding

Quantum  $\bar{\rho} = 0.1$



Classical  $\bar{\rho} = 5$



# Quantum Free Electron Laser

## QFEL

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Recenti studi [1] hanno dimostrato l'esistenza di un nuovo  
**REGIME QUANTISTICO**  
 del **FEL SASE** (Self Amplified **Superradiant** Emission)  
 per la produzione di raggi X coerenti ( $\lambda=1 \text{ \AA}$ )

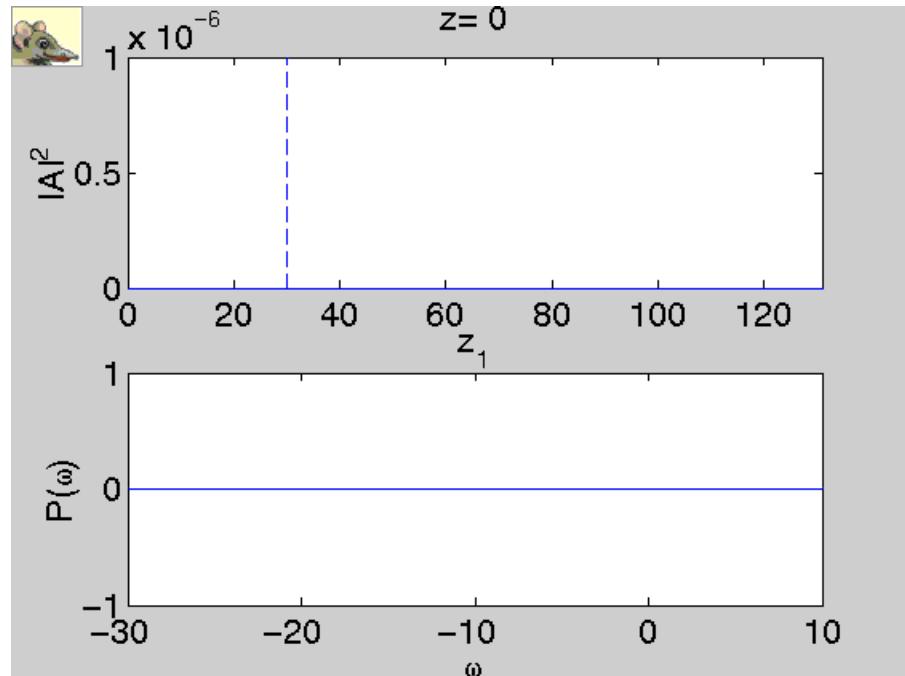
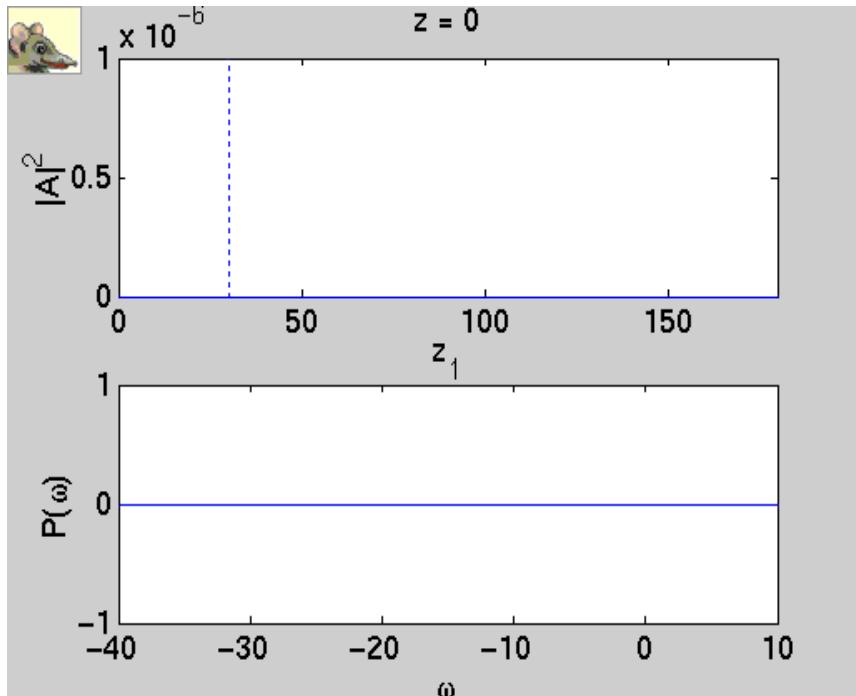
$$\bar{\rho} = \rho_{FEL} \left( \frac{mc^2\gamma}{\hbar\omega} \right)$$

$\bar{\rho}$  = numero medio fotoni emessi per elettrone  
 $\bar{\rho} > 1$  classical SASE (spiking incoerente)  
 $\bar{\rho} < 1$  quantum SASE (coerente)

$$\bar{\rho} = 0.05$$

$$L/L_c = 30$$

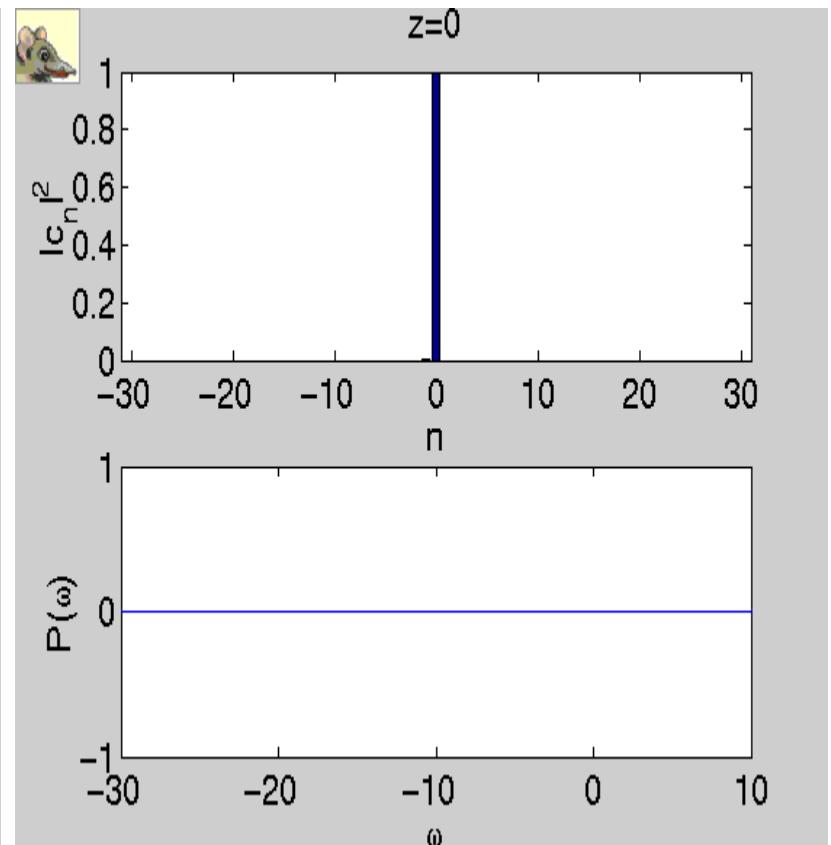
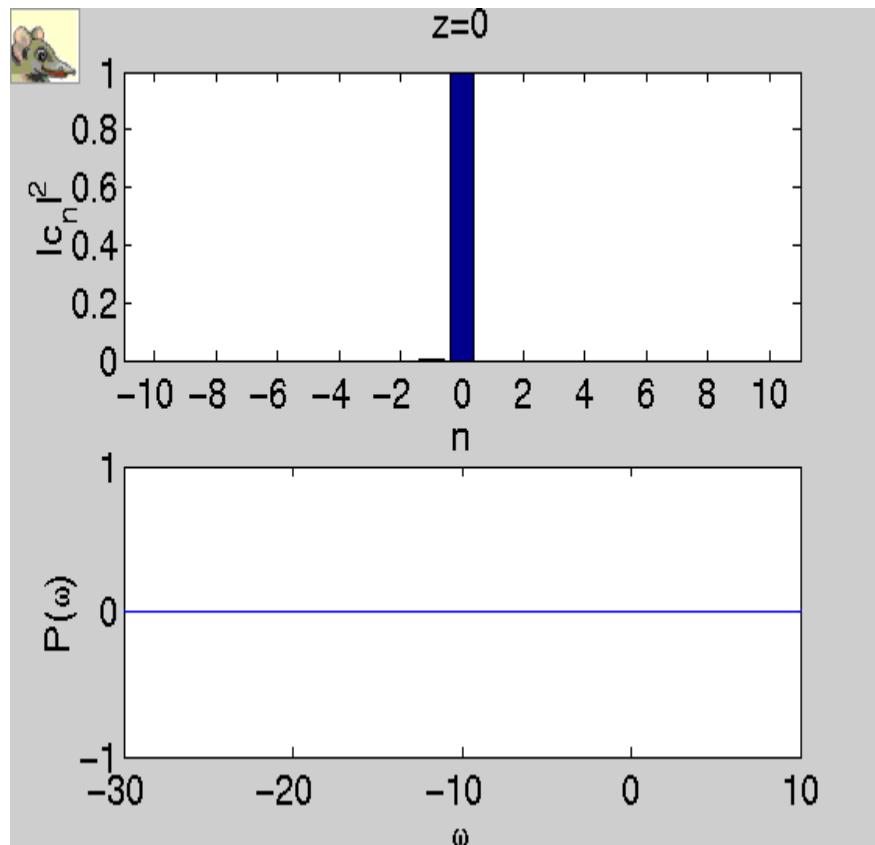
$$\bar{\rho} = 5$$



[1] R. Bonifacio, N. Piovella, G.R.M. Robb, "Quantum theory of SASE FEL", NIMA 543 (2005) 645.

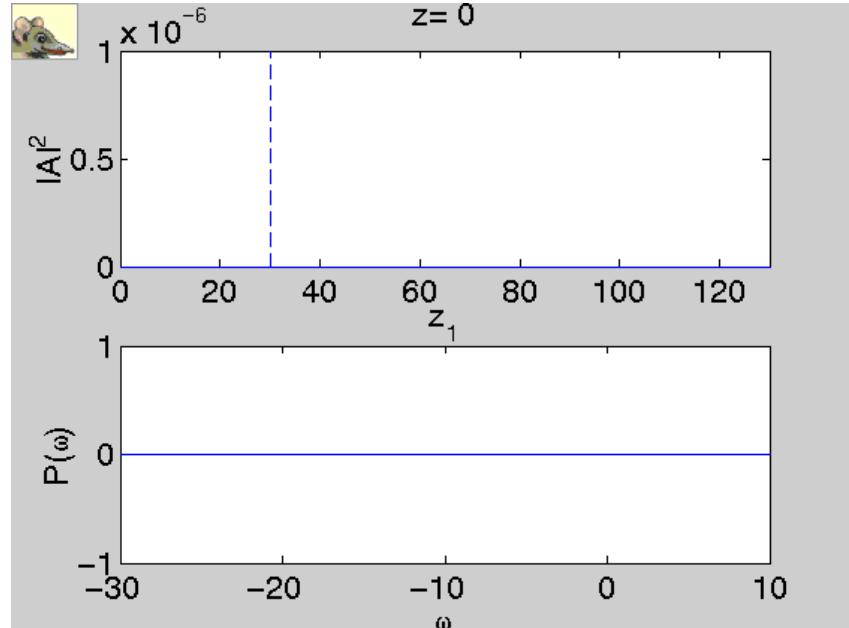
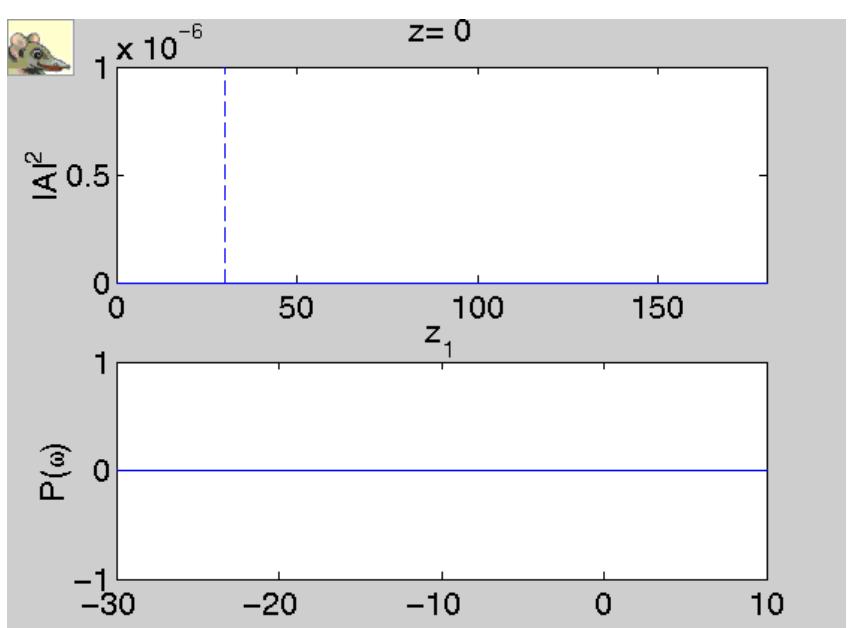
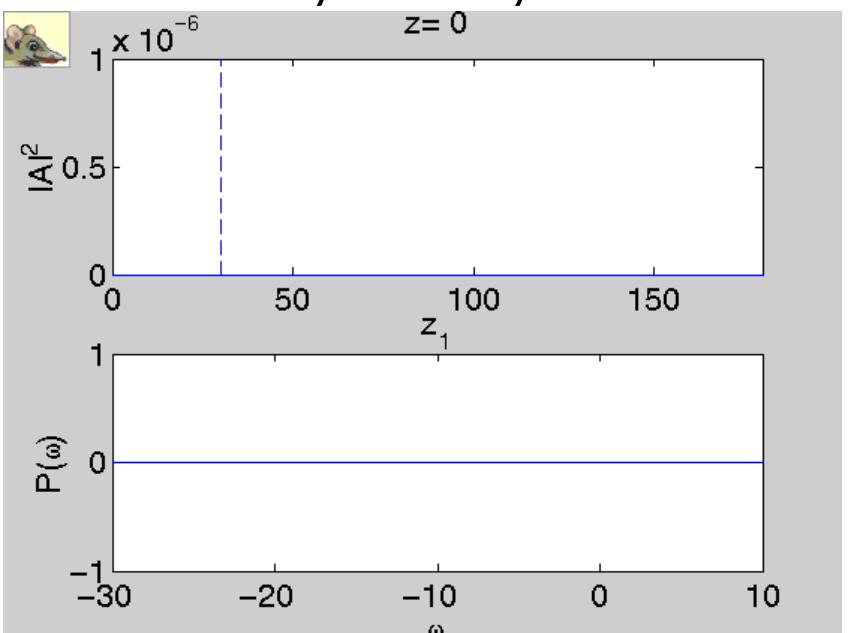
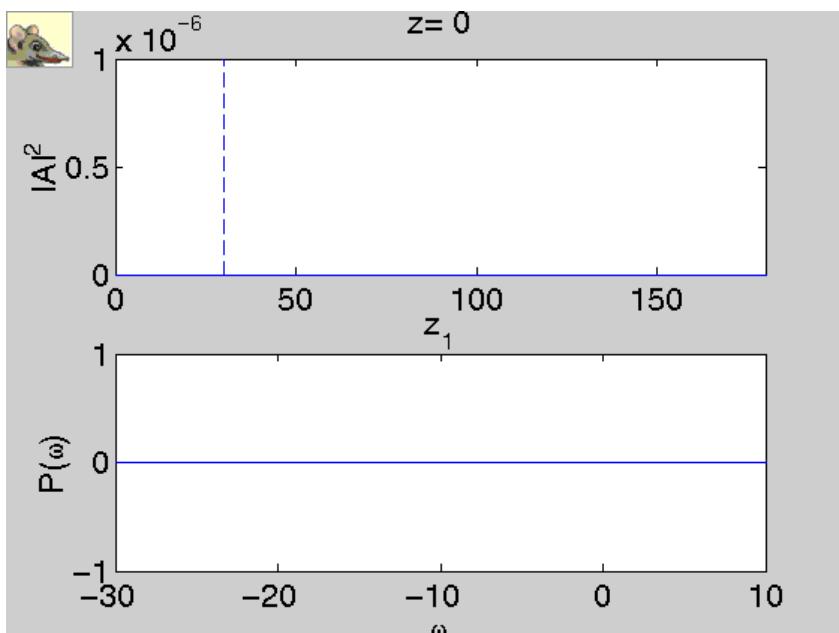
# QFEL Model: Momentum distribution and spectrum

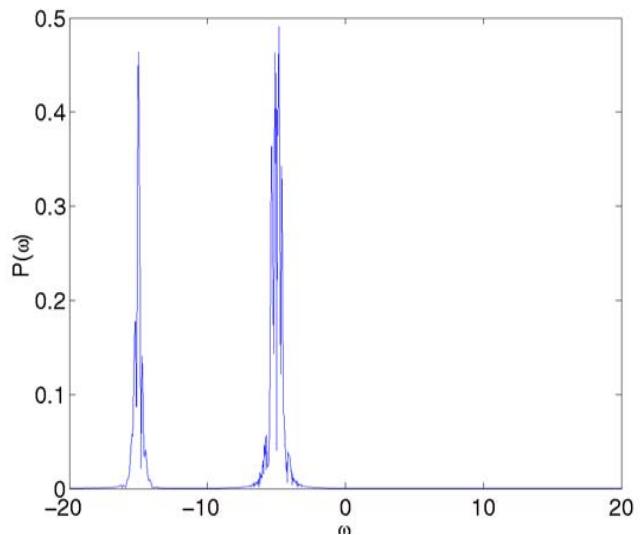
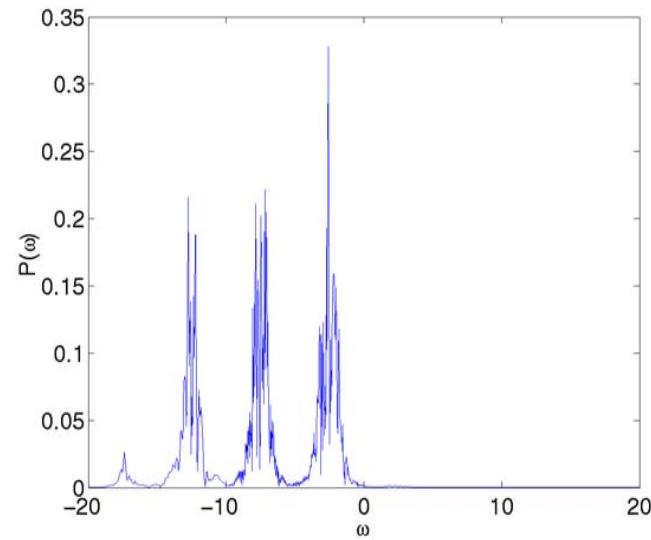
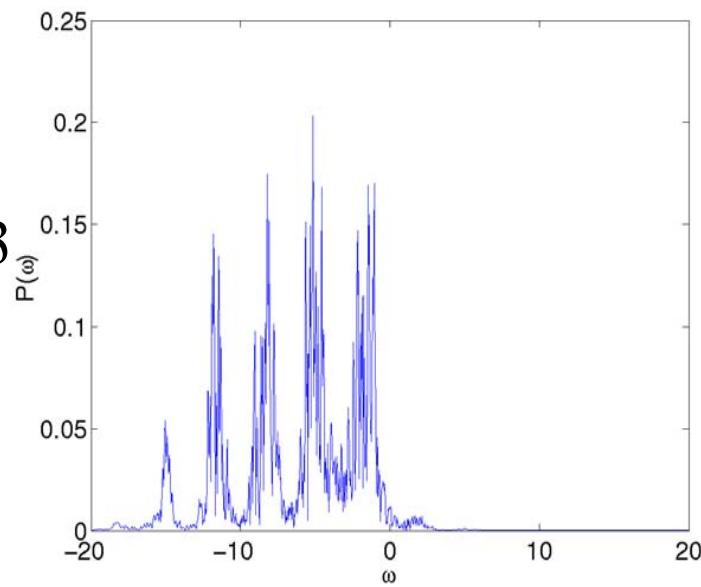
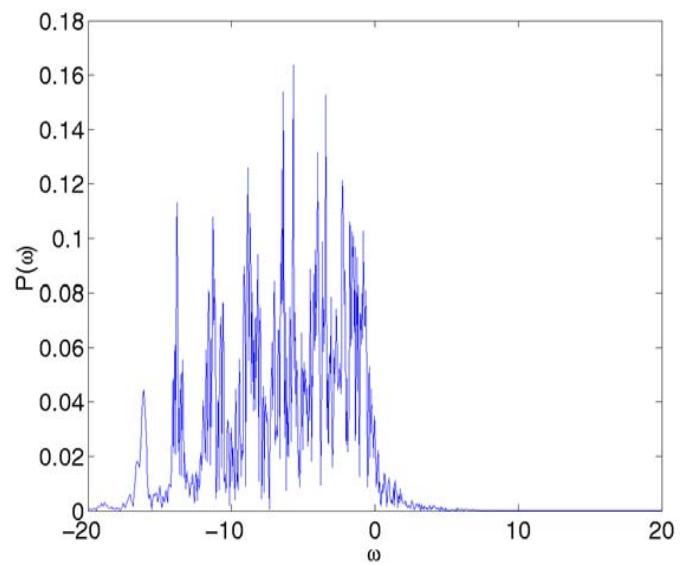
Quantum regime  $\bar{\rho} = 0.1$   $L/L_c = 30$  Classical regime  $\bar{\rho} = 5$



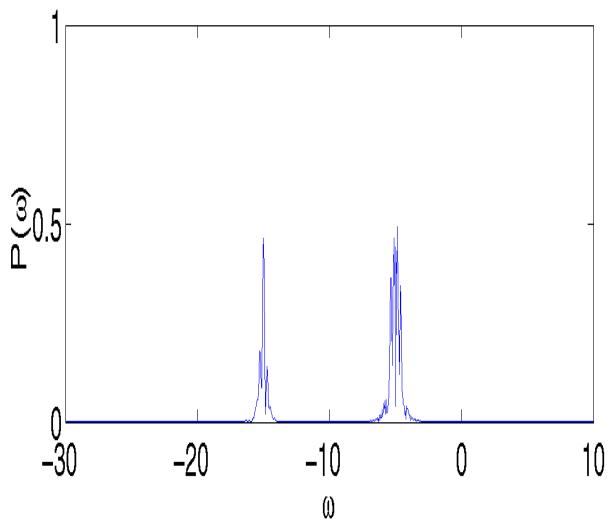
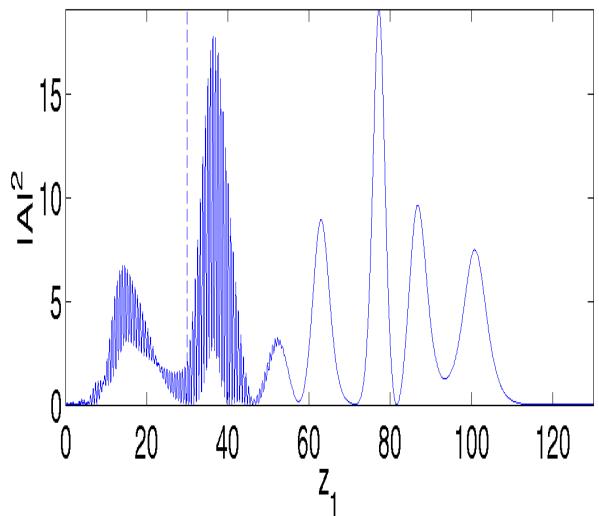
Classical behaviour : both  $n < 0$  and  $n > 0$  occupied

Quantum behaviour : sequential SR decay, only  $n < 0$

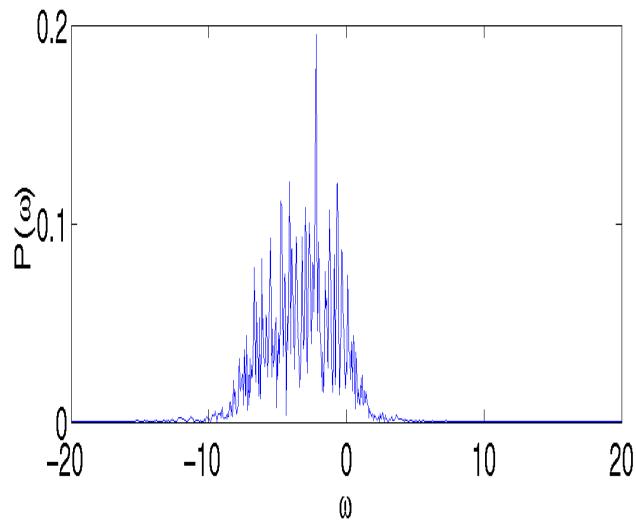
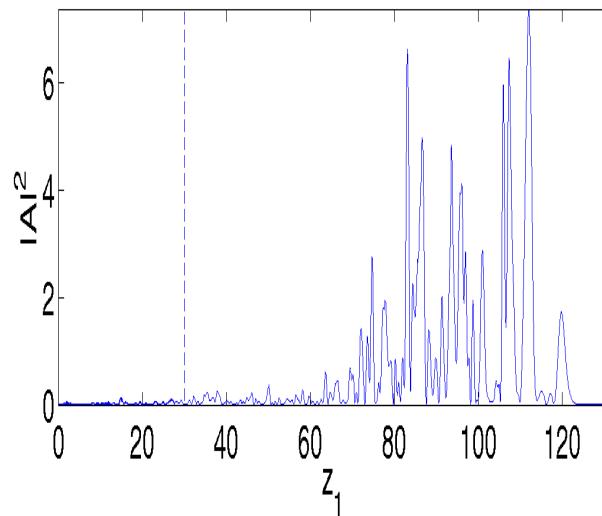
$\bar{\rho} = 0.1$  $(2n-1)/2\bar{\rho}$  [ $n = 0, -1, \dots$ ] $\bar{\rho} = 0.2$  $\bar{\rho} = 0.3 \quad 1/\bar{\rho} = 3.3$  $\bar{\rho} = 0.4 \quad 1/\bar{\rho} = 2.5$ 

$\bar{\rho} = 0.1$  $\bar{\rho} = 0.2$  $\bar{\rho} = 0.3$  $\bar{\rho} = 0.4$ 

Quantum  $\bar{\rho} = 0.1$

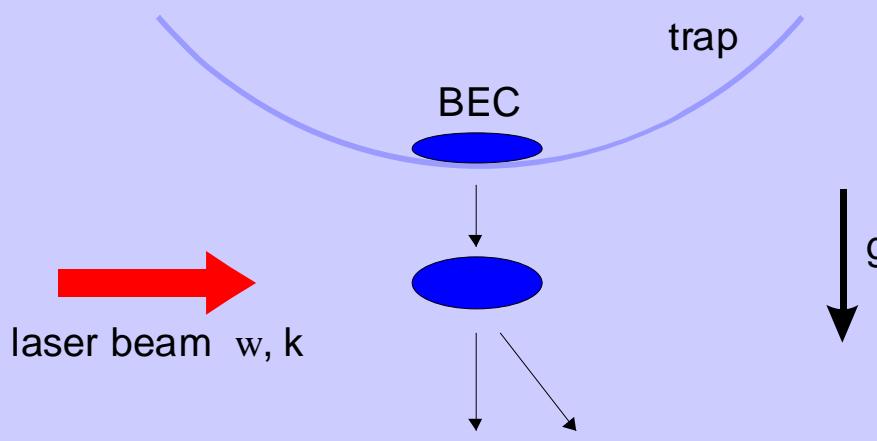


Classical  $\bar{\rho} = 5$



# Experimental Evidence of Quantum Dynamics – The LENS Experiment

- Production of an elongated  $^{87}\text{Rb}$  BEC in a magnetic trap
- Laser pulse during first expansion of the condensate
- Absorption imaging of the momentum components of the cloud

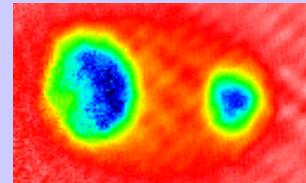


Experimental values:

$$\Delta = 13 \text{ GHz}$$

$$w = 750 \mu\text{m}$$

$$P = 13 \text{ mW}$$

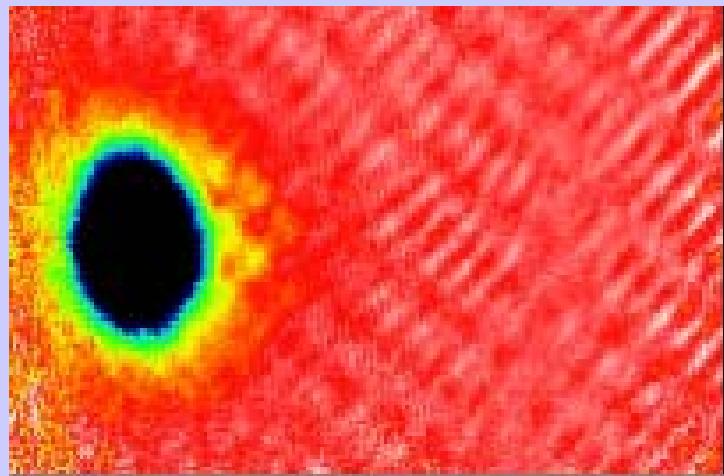


absorption imaging

$$\Delta p = 2\hbar k$$

# The experiment

Temporal evolution of the population in the first three atomic momentum states during the application of the light pulse.



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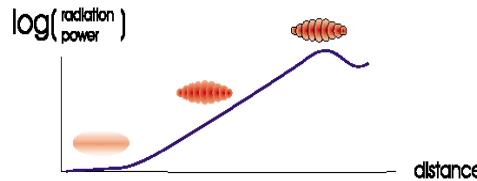
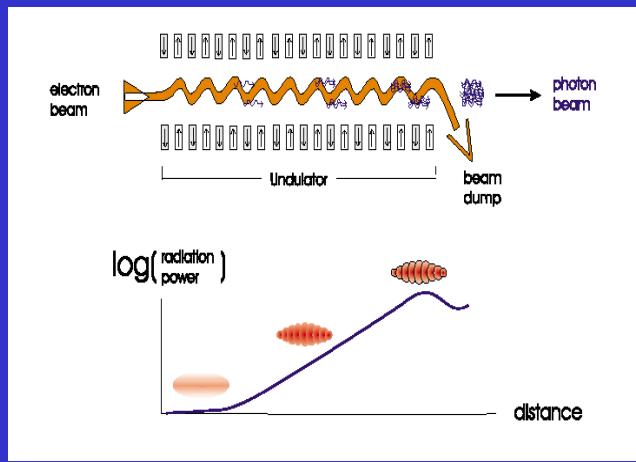
$n=-1$



$n=-2$

$p=0$

$p=-2\hbar k$     $p=-4\hbar k$

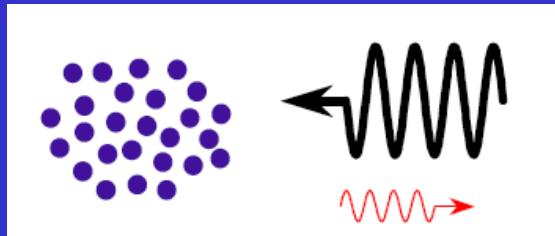


Svantaggi FEL SASE in regime classico (DESY, SLAC):

- richiede Linac ai GeV (Km) e ondulatori molto lunghi (100 m)
- Spettro della radiazione largo e caotico (spikes)
- Costo elevato ( $10^9$  U\$) e grandi dimensioni

Vantaggi FEL SASE in regime quantistico:

- quantum purification (spettro monocromatico)
- Possibilità di usare un ondulatore laser
- Costo ridotto ( $10^6$  U\$) e Apparato COMPATTO (m)



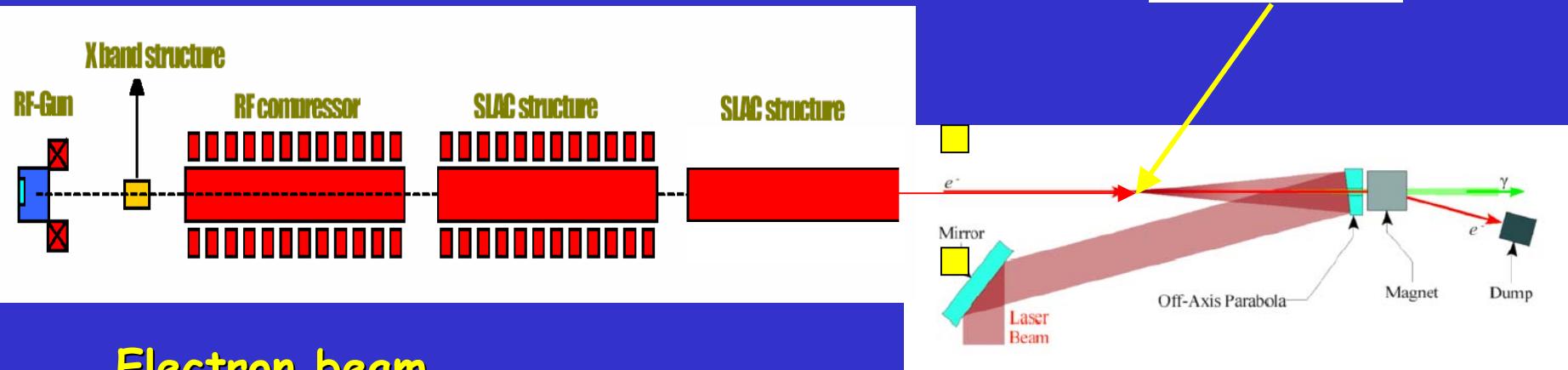
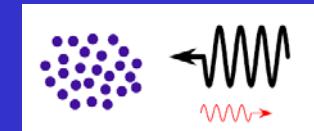


### Ingredienti del Quantum FEL SASE:

- Fascio di elettroni 5-100 MeV, 100 A ,  
 $\varepsilon_n < 2 \text{ mm mrad}$
- Laser wiggler a 0.8 micron a 10-100 TW (Ti:Sa)

Entrambi sono in via di realizzazione nel progetto speciale SPARC/PLASMON\_X

# Preliminary parameters list for QFEL



## Electron beam

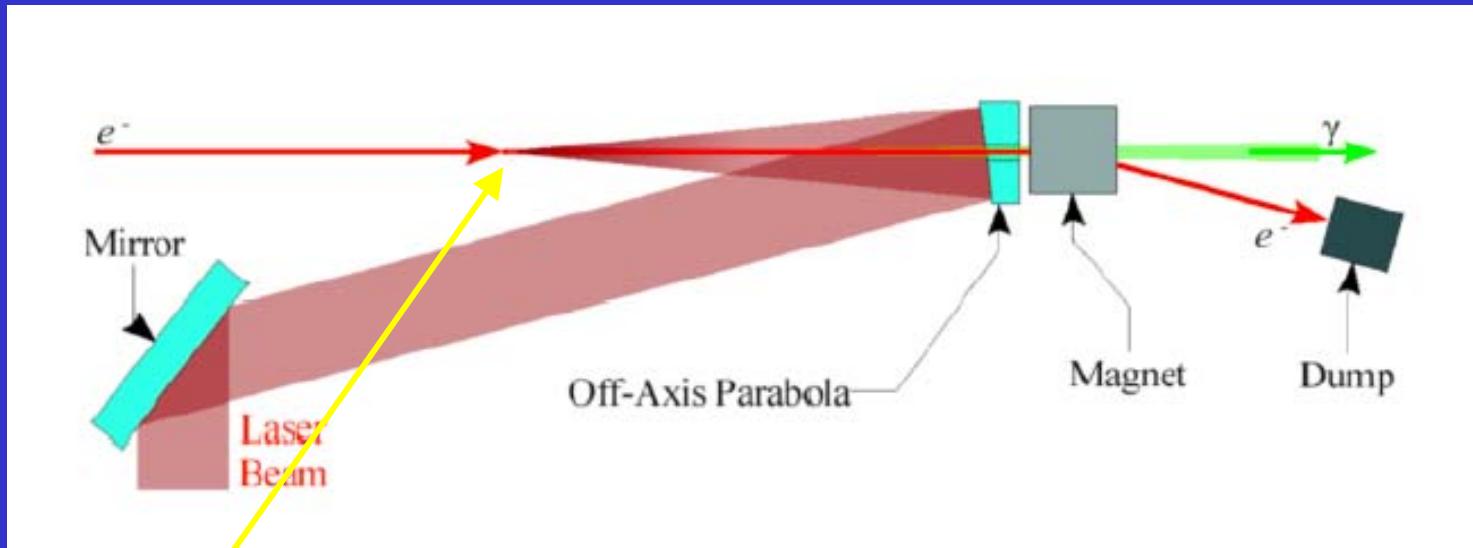
E [MeV]	20
I [A]	40
$\varepsilon_n$ [ $\mu\text{m}$ ]	1
$\delta\gamma/\gamma$ [%]	0.03
$\beta^*$ [mm]	0.5-1

## Laser beam

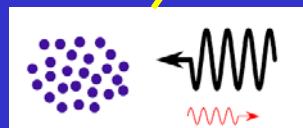
$\lambda$ [ $\mu\text{m}$ ]	0.8
P [TW]	1
E [J]	4
$w_o$ [ $\mu\text{m}$ ]	5-10
$Z_r$ [ $\mu\text{m}$ ]	80-300

## QFEL beam

$\lambda_r$ [A]	1.7
$P_r$ [MW]	0.3



CDR PLASMONX



Caratteristiche della radiazione QFEL  
(stime preliminari):

- $\sim 10^{10}$  fotoni a  $\lambda \sim 1 \text{ \AA}$  per qualche ps
- monocromaticità ( $\Delta\lambda/\lambda < 10^{-4}$ )



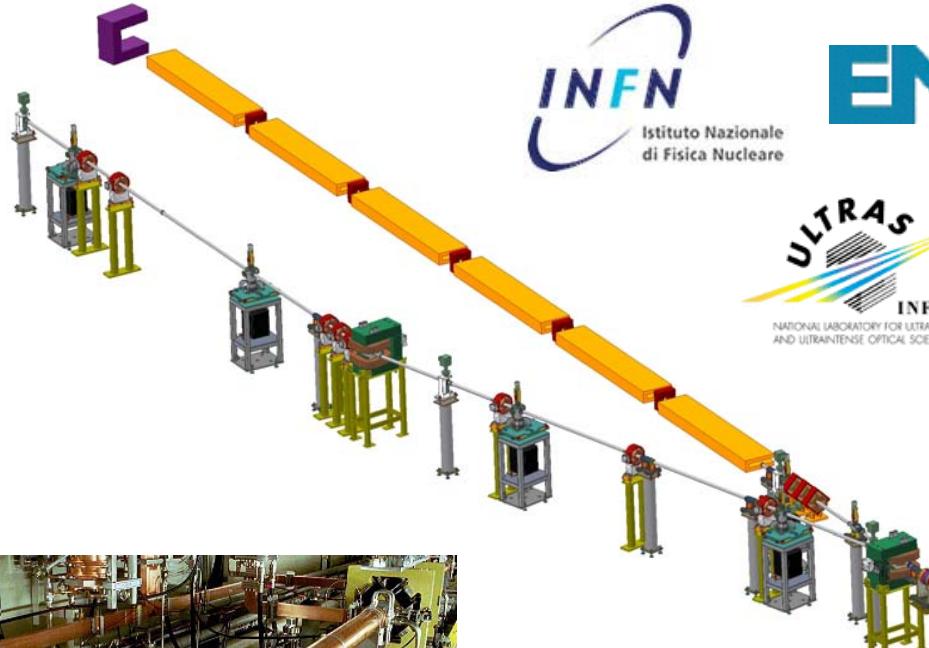
I primi studi preliminari sono basati su un  
modello quantistico 1D

E' necessario estendere lo studio analitico/numerico del modello 1D a un modello 3D quantistico per dimostrare la fattibilità di un esperimento di **Quantum SASE** da eseguire ai LNF

Finanziamenti richiesti per MISSIONI e CALCOLO

## COMPITI DEI DIVERSI GRUPPI PARTECIPANTI

- 1) **Sezione di Milano:** studio degli effetti di energy spread del fascio di elettroni sul guadagno FEL in regime quantistico.  
Estensione del modello quantistico unidimensionale a un modello tridimensionale che includa gli effetti di emittanza trasversa e longitudinale del fascio di elettroni e la variazione trasversa dell'ondulatore laser.
- 2) **Sezione di Frascati:** ottimizzazione della dinamica del fascio ad alta brillanza del fotoiniettore di SPARC per l'esperimento QFEL. Sviluppo di un codice 3D per la simulazione dell'interazione FEL in regime quantistico.
- 3) **Sezione di Napoli:** studio della dinamica trasversale del fascio di elettroni in presenza del campo elettromagnetico totale nel FEL (campo dell'ondulatore + campo generato) tenendo conto di eventuali modulazioni dell'emittanza causate dal damping radiativo e dall'eccitazione quantistica nel framework del TWM.



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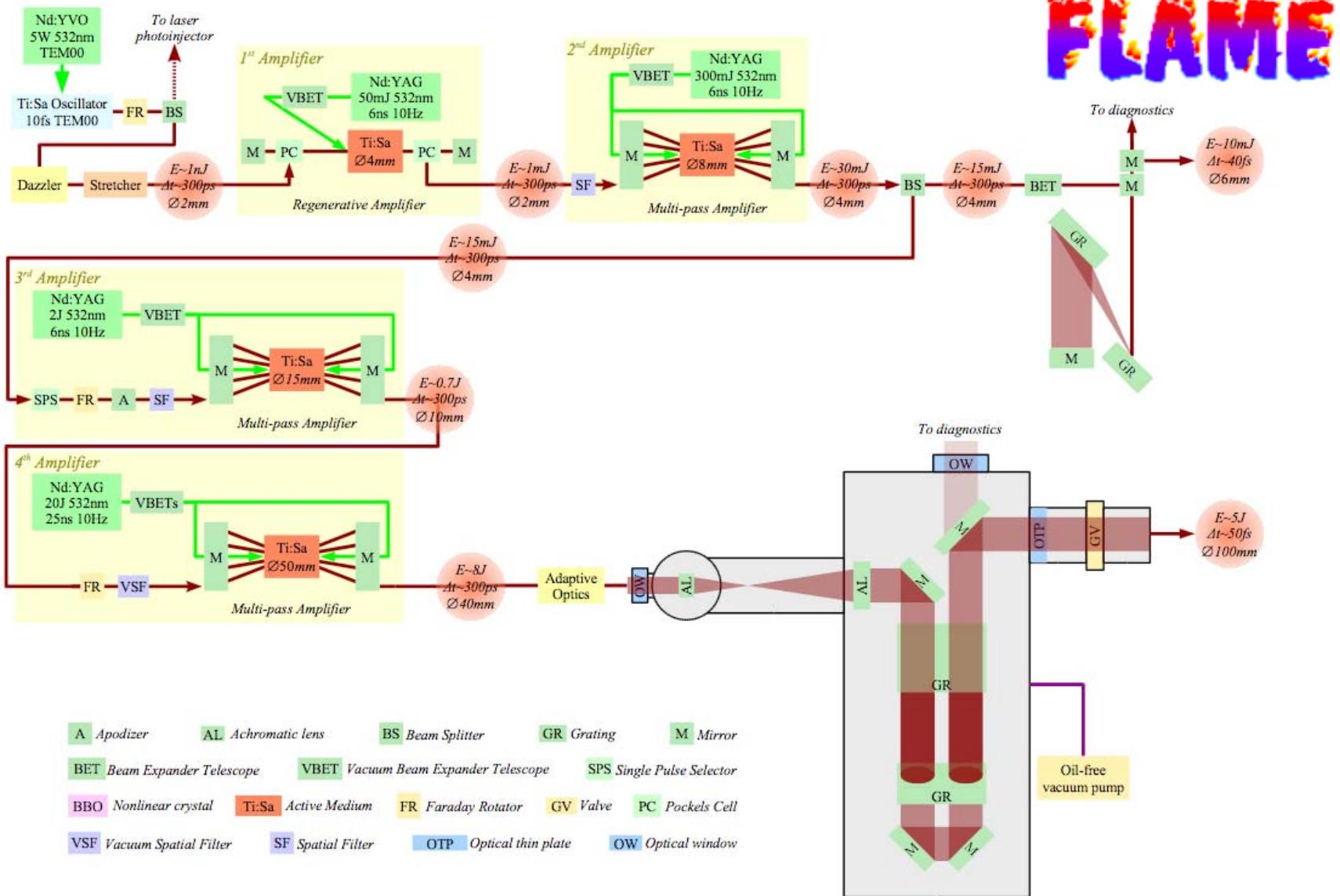
QuickTens™ and a  
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# The Frascati Laser for Acceleration and Multidisciplinary Experiments



**laser pulses: 50 fs, 800 nm >100 TW @10 Hz**

Struttura	MI	ME	Cons	Inv.	Totale
LNF [1.6]	2	6	0.5	4	12.5
MI [3.0] ( <a href="#">2.5</a> )	7	14	1	0	22
NA [1.1]	3	2	1	0	6
Tot [5.7]	12	22	2.5	4	40.5





Thank you and see you in my office in Brazil

## BRAFEL Possible Experimental Parameters

Beam parameters (Pedro email) from the gun

$$L_b = 30 \text{ } \mu\text{m} (\tau = 100 \text{ fs}), I_p = 750 \text{ A}, \sigma = 3 \text{ mm}$$
$$\epsilon_n = 4 \text{ mm mrad}, \gamma \approx 3 \text{ MeV}, \Delta\gamma/\gamma \approx 10^{-2}$$

FEL parameters

$$\lambda_r = 100 \text{ } \mu\text{m}, \lambda_w = 3 \text{ cm}, \gamma = 17 \text{ (E= 8.5 MeV)}, a_w = 1, B_w = 0.3 \text{ T}$$
$$\rho \approx 5 \cdot 10^{-2}, L_g = 7.5 \text{ cm}, L_c = 200 \text{ } \mu\text{m} (L_c \gg L_b) \text{ Superradiance}$$
$$L_w \geq 10 L_g = 75 \text{ cm}$$

Note:  $L_b < \lambda_r$ : coherent spontaneous emission (CSE)

Alternative parameters:  $L_b = 300 \text{ } \mu\text{m} (\tau=1\text{ps}) , I_p = 75 \text{ A},$   
 $\rho \approx 2.5 \cdot 10^{-2}, L_g = 15 \text{ cm}, L_c = 400 \text{ } \mu\text{m}, (L_c \gg L_b) \text{ Superradiance}$

BUT  $L_b \gg \lambda_r$ , NO CSE

$$L_w \geq 10 L_g = 1.5 \text{ m}$$

Rayleigh range,  $Z_r = 1 \text{ m} \gg L_g$ , OK!

$P_r \approx 1.5 \text{ MW in 5 ps}$  (to be checked numerically)

No similar source available at 100  $\mu\text{m}$ .

# Large harmonic bunching in a HGFEL

R. B, L. De Salvo, P. Pierini, NIM A293, 627 (1990)

$$\frac{d\theta_j}{d\bar{z}} = p_j$$

$$\frac{dp_j}{d\bar{z}} = - \sum_h F_h(\xi) (A_h e^{ih\theta_j} + c.c.)$$

$$\frac{dA_h}{d\bar{z}} = F_h(\xi) \left\langle e^{-ih\theta_j} \right\rangle$$

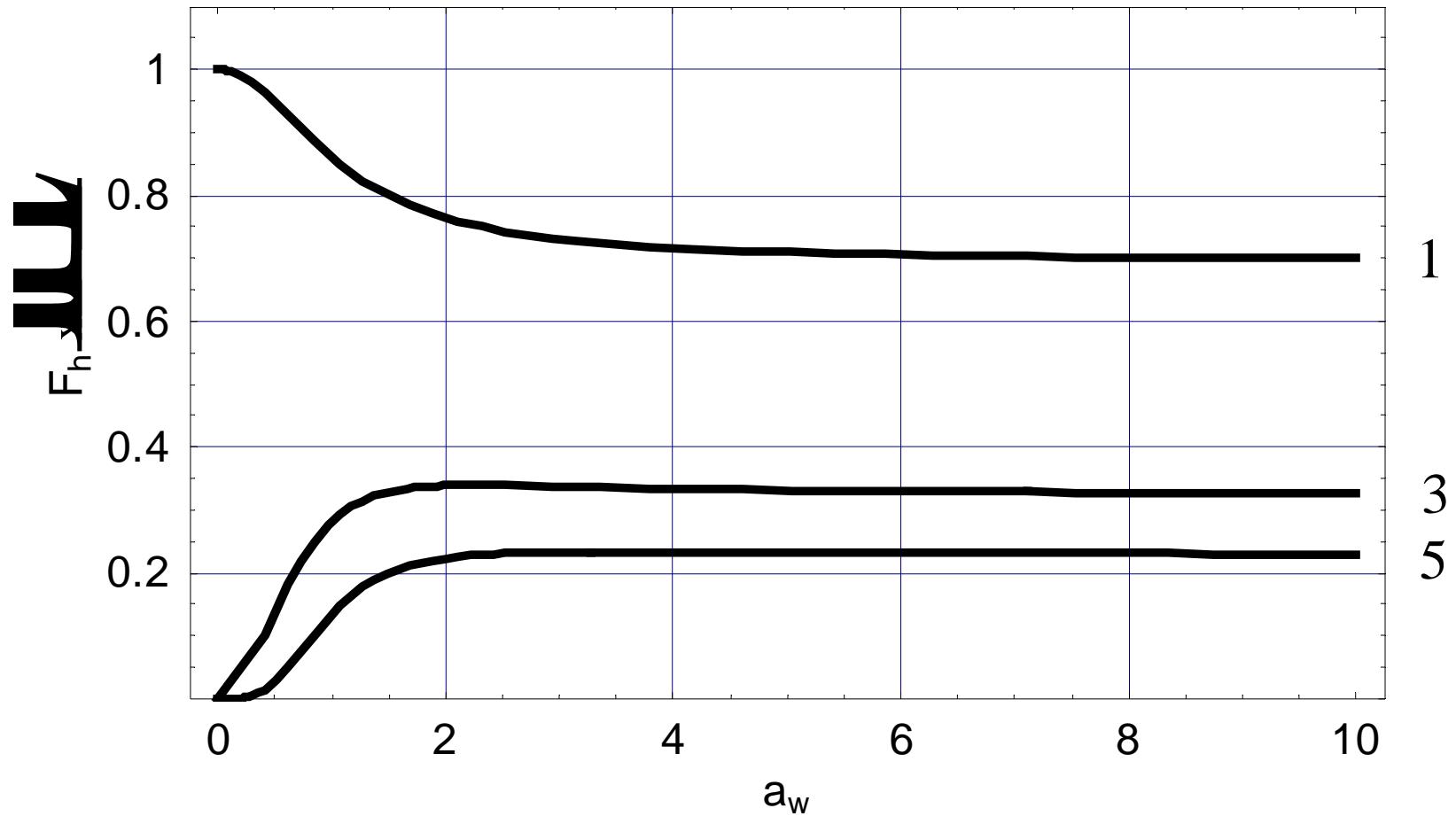
$$F_h(x) = (-1)^{(h-1)/2} \left[ J_{(h-1)/2}(hx) - J_{(h+1)/2}(hx) \right]$$

$$\xi = a_w^2 / (1 + a_w^2) 2$$

$$b_h \equiv \left\langle \exp(-ih\theta) \right\rangle$$

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# The driving mechanism for Large Harmonic Bunching

## Linearizing

$$\frac{dA_1}{dz} = F_1 b_1 \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{d^3 b_1}{d\bar{z}^3} = iF_1^2 b_1 \quad (2)$$

$$\frac{d^2 b_2}{d\bar{z}^2} = 2iF_1 A_1 b_1 \quad (3)$$

$$\frac{dA_3}{d\bar{z}} = F_3 b_3 \quad (4)$$

$$\frac{d^3 b_3}{d\bar{z}^3} = 3iF_3^2 b_3 + 3iF_1 \frac{dA_1 b_2}{d\bar{z}} \quad (5)$$

$$\frac{d^3 b_3}{d\bar{z}^3} = 3iF_3^2 b_3 + \frac{9}{2} F_1 A_0^3 e^{3\lambda_1 \bar{z}} \quad (5)$$

$$seed \ A_1(0) \xrightarrow{(1)(2)} A_1, b_1 \propto e^{\lambda_1 \bar{z}}$$

$$\lambda_1 = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} F_1^{2/3}$$

$$A_1 \cdot b_1 \xrightarrow{(3)} b_2 \propto e^{2\lambda_1 \bar{z}} \qquad b_2 \cdot A_1 \xrightarrow{(5)(4)} b_3 \propto e^{3\lambda_1 \bar{z}}$$

In general (see later):  $|b_n(\bar{z})| \approx |b_1(\bar{z})|^n \propto e^{n\lambda_1 \bar{z}}$  large gain

but: larger lethargy  $\rightarrow$  noise amplification and energy spread:  
exponential gain?

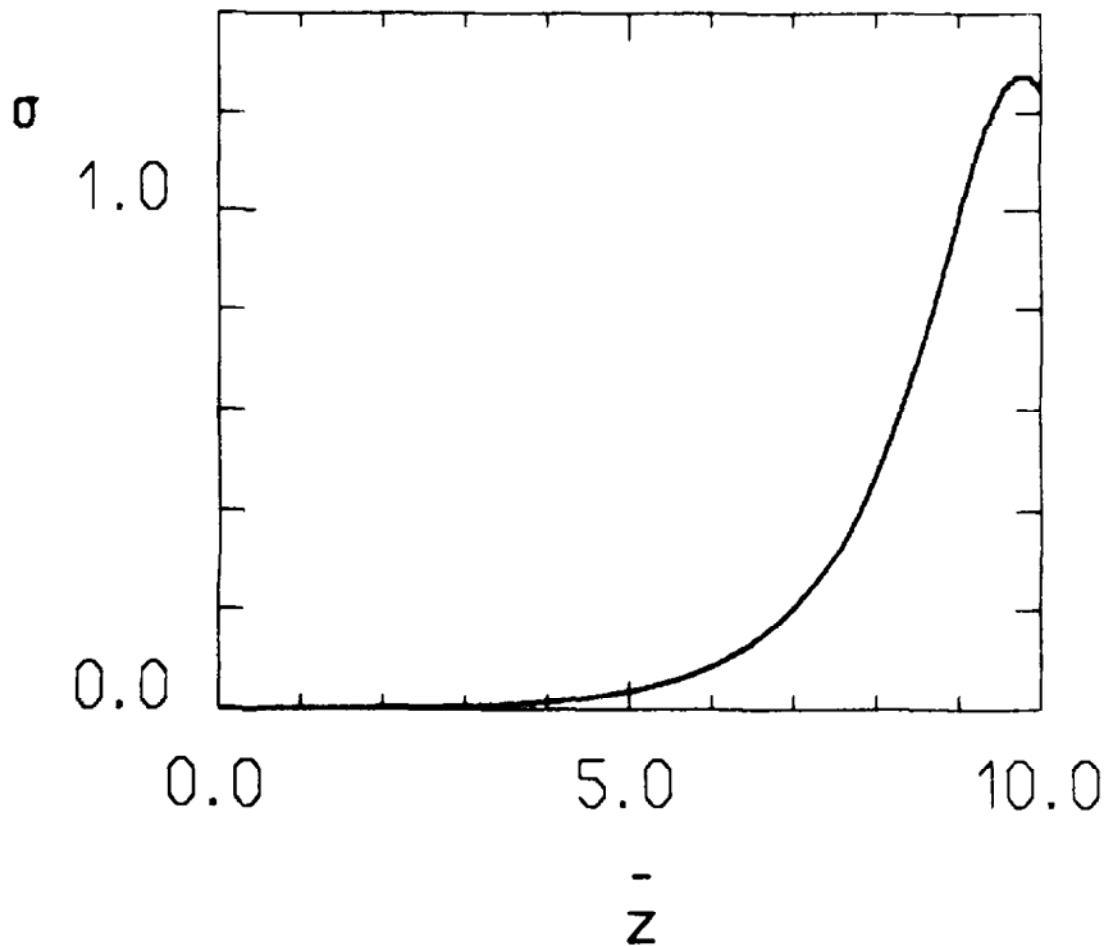
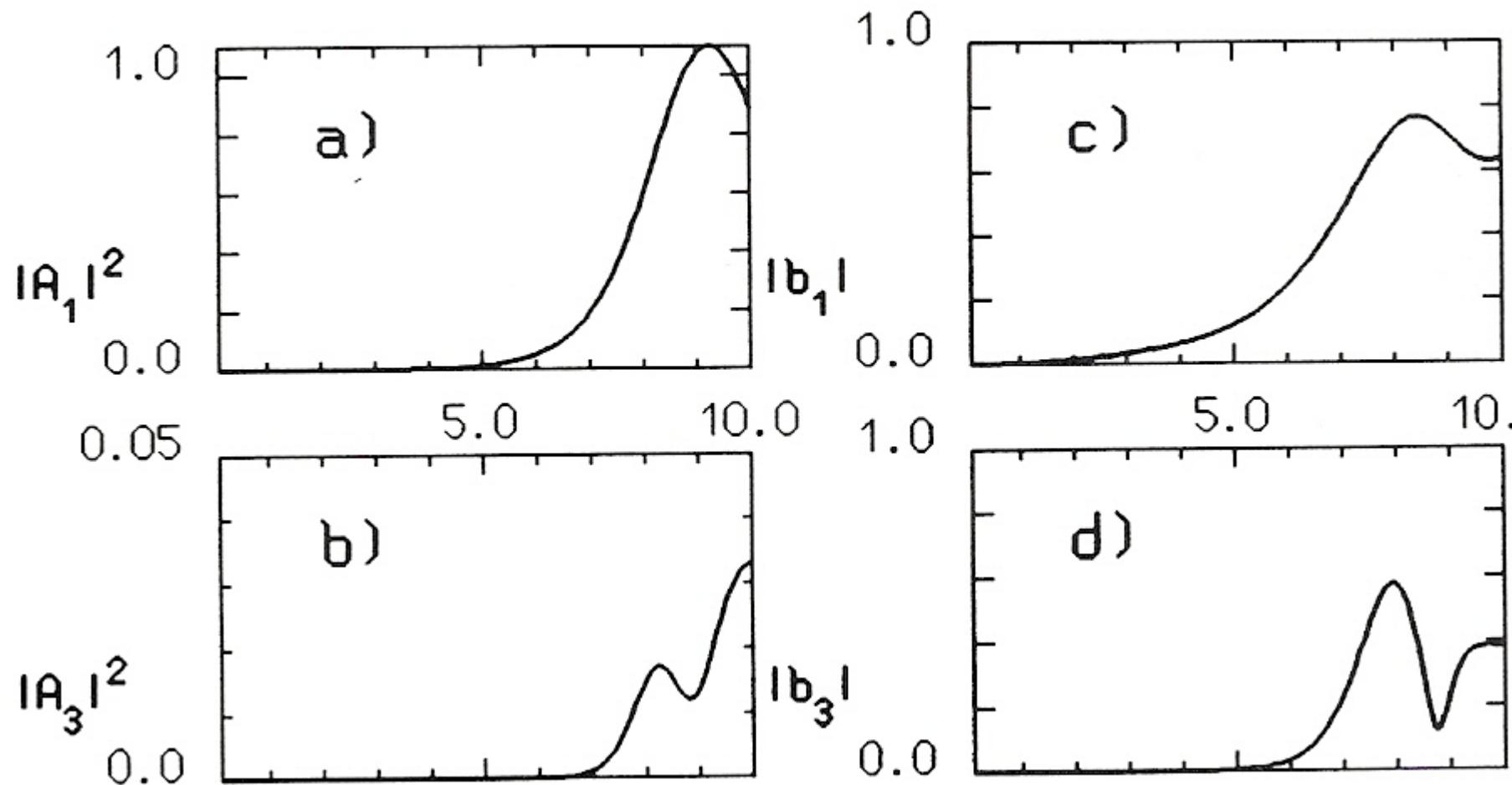
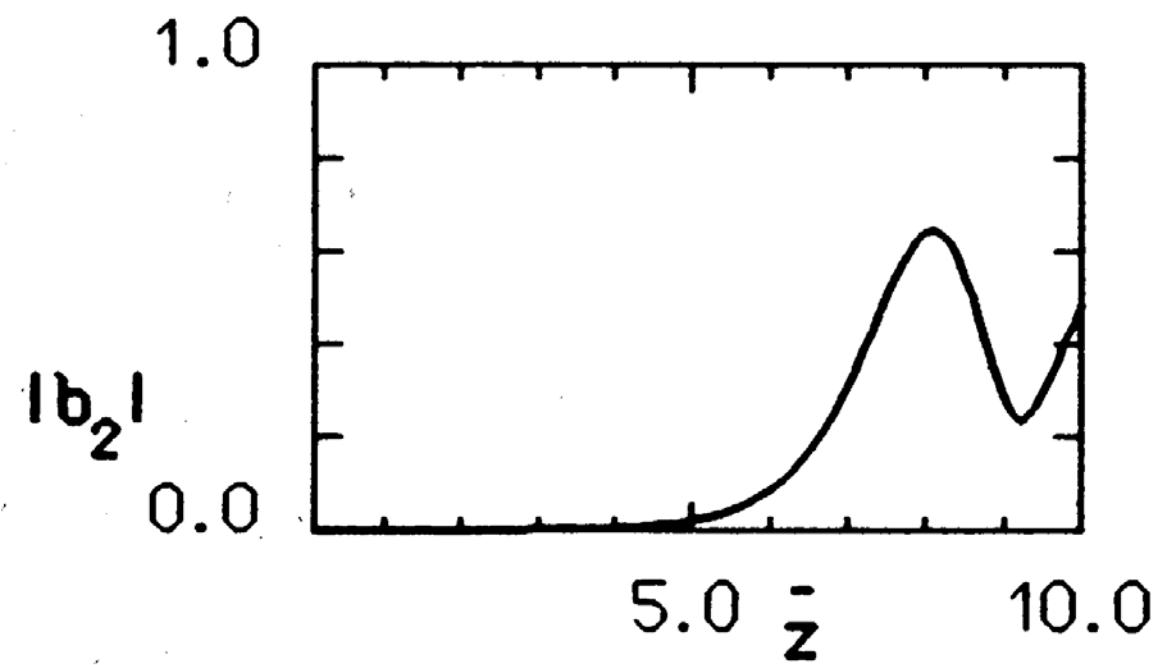
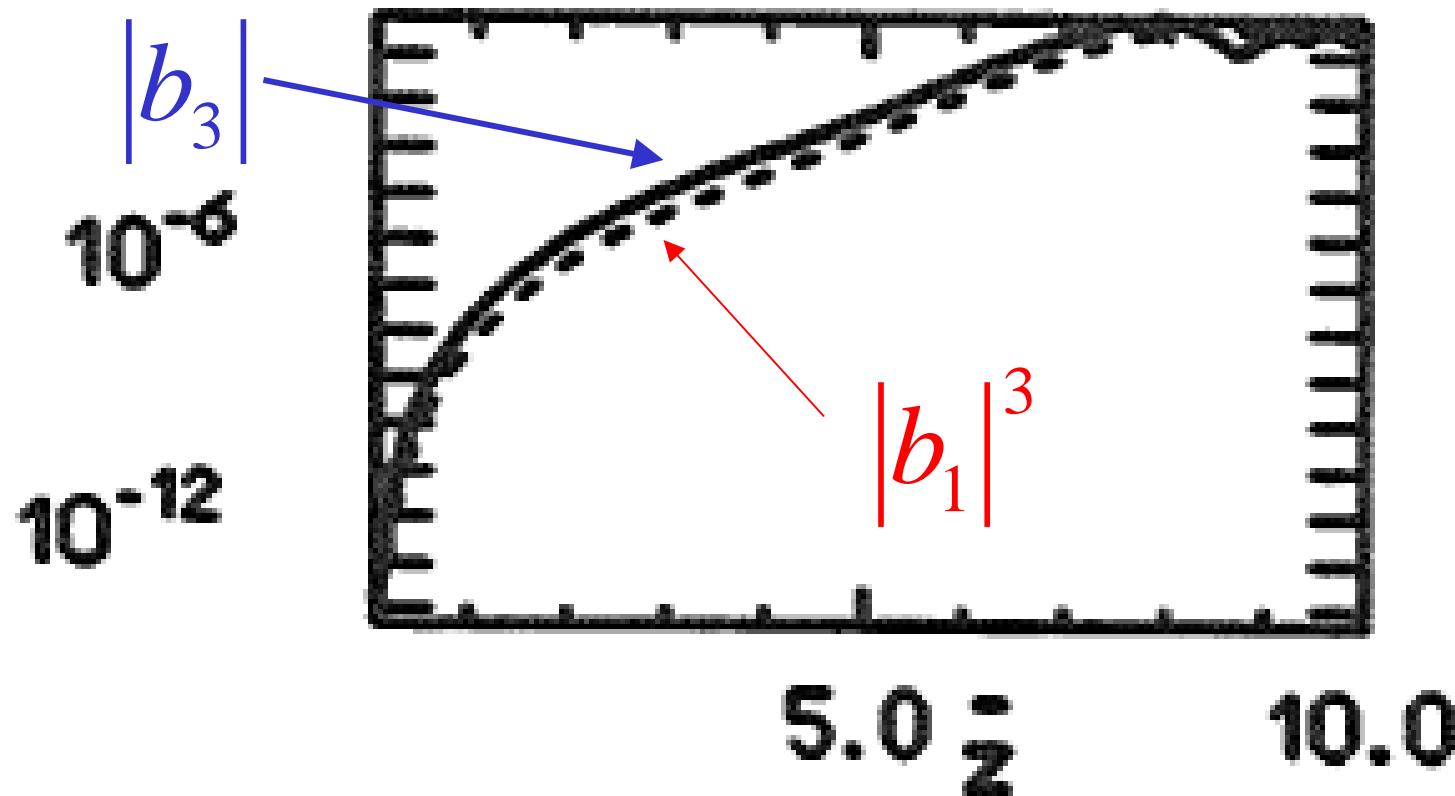


FIG. 4. FEL-induced energy spread,  $\sigma$  as a function of the dimensionless modulator length  $\bar{z}$  for  $A_0 = 10^{-3}$ .

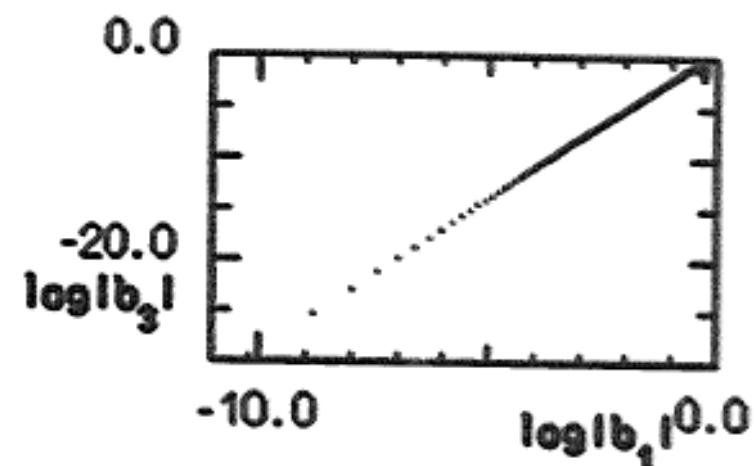






Proof of the linear driving mechanism deep into the linear regime!

Linear dependence, with a slope of 3!



# The multiple wiggler scheme

R. B., L. De Salvo, P. Pierini, E. T. Scharlemann, NIM A 296, 787 (1990)

I. First wiggler: buncher seed at  $\lambda_1 = \frac{\lambda_w(1+a_w^2)}{2\gamma^2};$

II. Second wiggler:  $\lambda_n = \frac{\lambda_1}{n} = \frac{\lambda_w(1+a_w^2)}{2\gamma^2 n};$

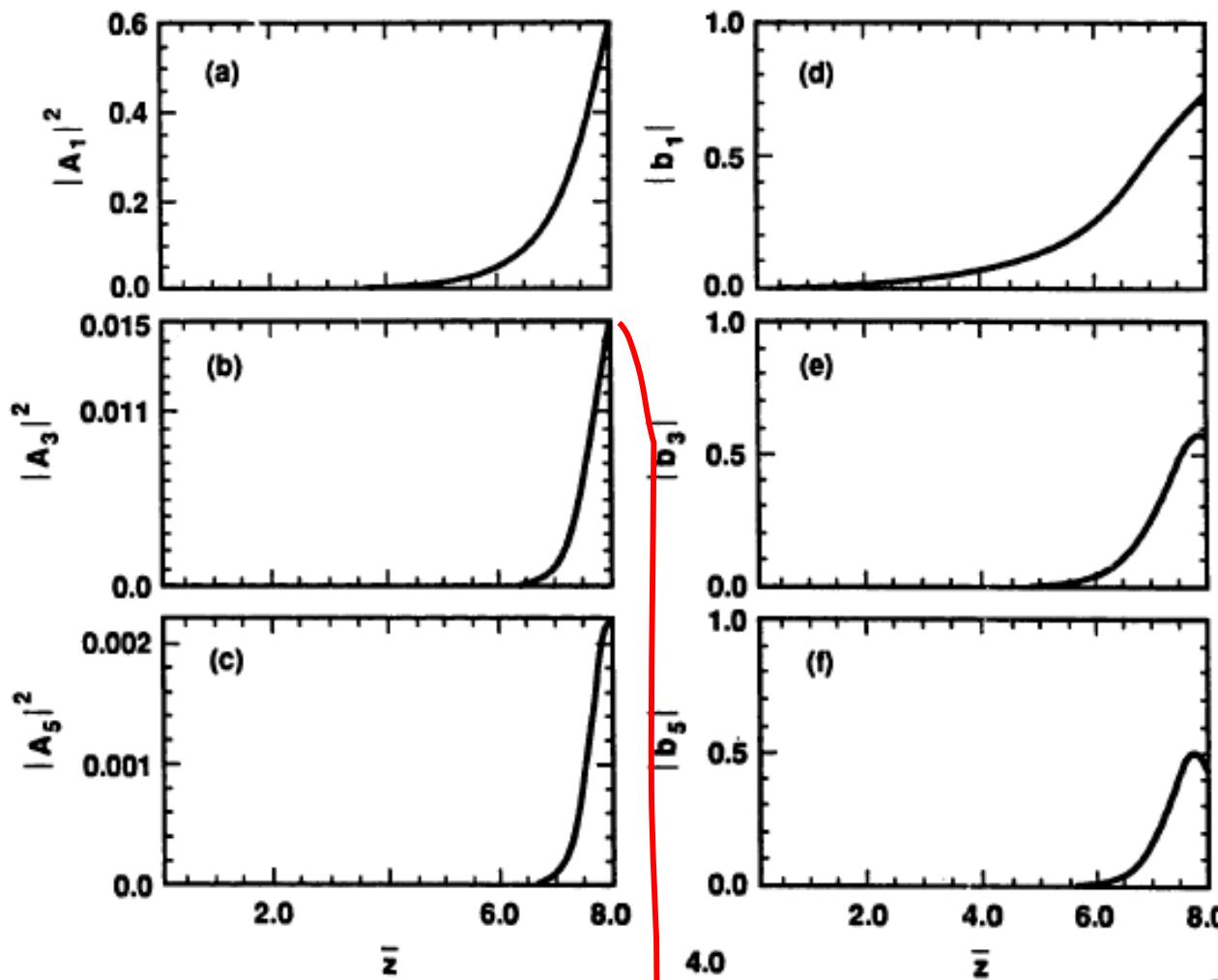
The bunching on the nth harmonic becomes the fundamental.

If  $a_w^2 \gg 1,$   $a_w^{II} = \frac{a_w}{\sqrt{n}}$

Superradiant emission in second wiggler from prebunched electrons

$I \propto z^2, N^2$  see 3D simulations

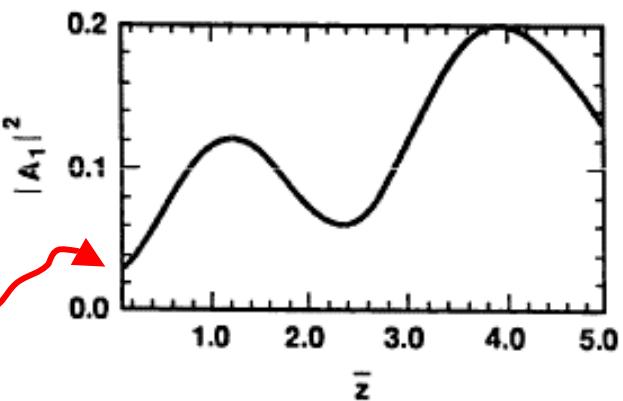
Exponential gain? Good luck. Apparently never observed.



First wiggler  
BUNCHER

1D simulations

Second wiggler  
RADIATOR  
 $3^\circ$  harmonic



# 3D simulations (E.T.Scharlemann)

Table 1  
Simulation parameters

<i>Electron beam:</i>	
Energy	300 MeV
Current	300 A
Normalized emittance (enclosing 90% of the current)	$40\pi$ mm mrad
Energy spread (enclosing 90% of the current)	0.5%
<i>Wiggler:</i>	
Period	3 cm
Overall length	< 20 m
<i>Signal:</i>	
Fundamental	240 nm
Input	100 W, focused at wiggler entrance
Third harmonic	80 nm

## 240 nm FEL buncher

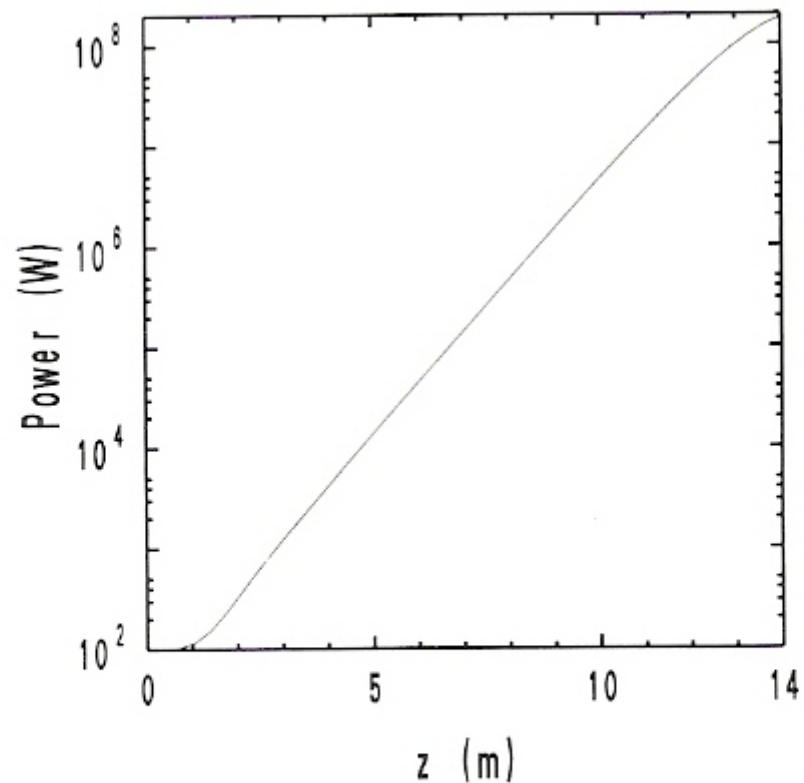
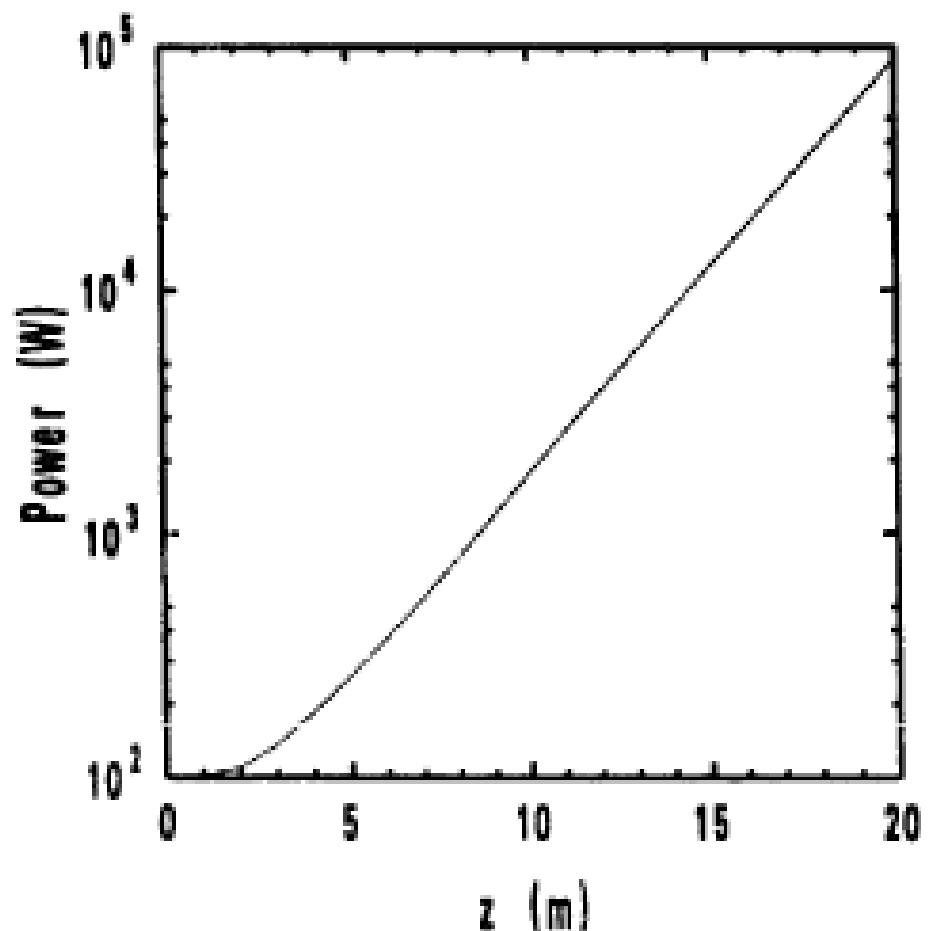


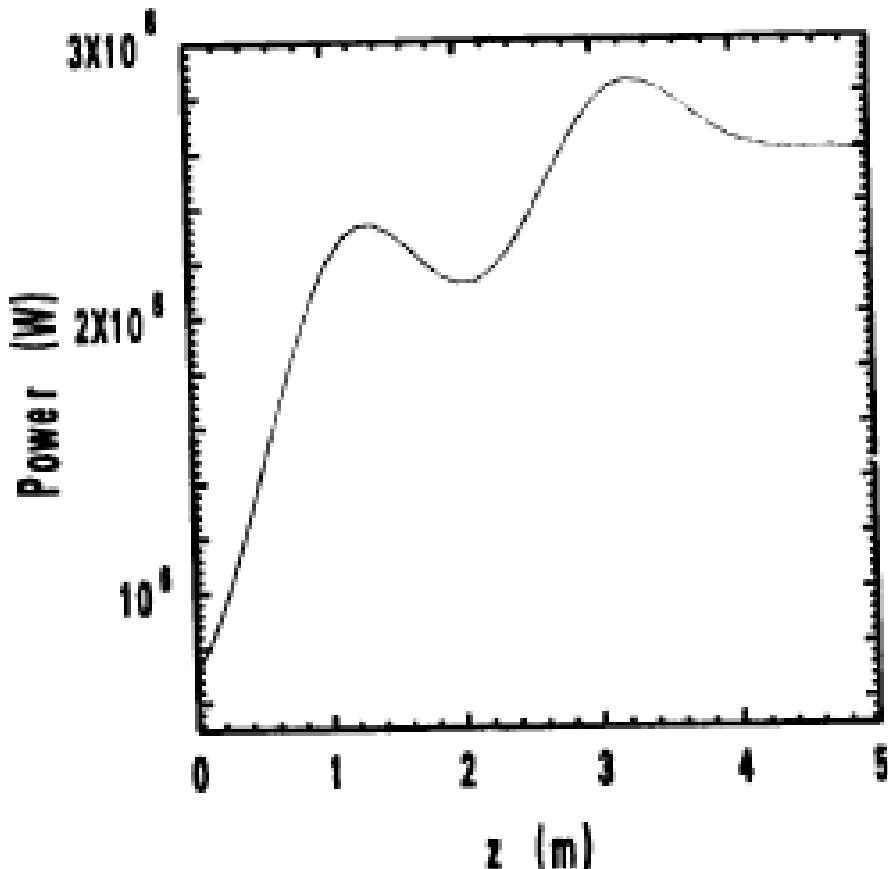
Fig. 4. Power at 240 nm vs  $z$  in a 14 m wiggler section resonant at 240 nm, starting from 100 W of 240 nm input power. An exponential gain of 5.2 dB/m is evident.

## 80 nm FEL



88 kW after 20 m

# 80 nm FEL RADIATOR (SRHG)



3 MW after 14+3.2 m  
Instead of 88 kW in 20 m  
Why?  
Emittance limitation:

$$\varepsilon_n \leq \frac{\gamma\lambda_r}{4\pi}$$

OK at 240 nm!  
NOT OK at 80 nm!

Emittance limitation relaxed in SRHG!  
Good agreement with 1D

# Exact Theory with Dispersive Section

R. Bonifacio, R. Corsini, P. Pierini, PRA 45, 4091 (1992)

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} D = \frac{S}{4}(-B_0); \quad \frac{S}{2}(B_0); \quad \frac{S}{4}(-B_0) \quad \text{total } S \\ \\ D = \frac{1}{48} \rho k \left( \frac{eB_0}{mc\gamma} \right)^2 S^3 \end{array} \right. \quad \text{Free space} \quad D = \frac{L}{L_g (1 + a_w^2)}$$

Gallardo, Pellegrini,  
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Assuming gaussian momentum spread  $\sigma = \frac{\Delta\gamma}{\rho\gamma}$

$$|b_n(\bar{z})| = \left| \left\langle e^{-in(\theta + Dp)} \right\rangle \right| = e^{-n^2 D^2 \sigma^2 / 2} \left| J_n \left( \frac{2}{3} n A_0 \left( D^2 + \sqrt{3}D + 1 \right)^{1/2} e^{\sqrt{3}\bar{z}/2} \right) \right|$$

- i)  $|J_n| < 1 \Rightarrow \sigma \leq 1/nD$
- ii) for  $x < 1, D = 0, J_n(x) \propto x^n \Rightarrow |b_n| \propto |b_1|^n$
- iii)  $D=0, J_n$  decreases very slowly with  $n \Rightarrow$  large harmonic bunching

Dispersive section convenient only if  $\sigma < 0.1$  ( $\Delta\gamma/\gamma < 0.1$   $\rho \approx 10^{-5}$ )

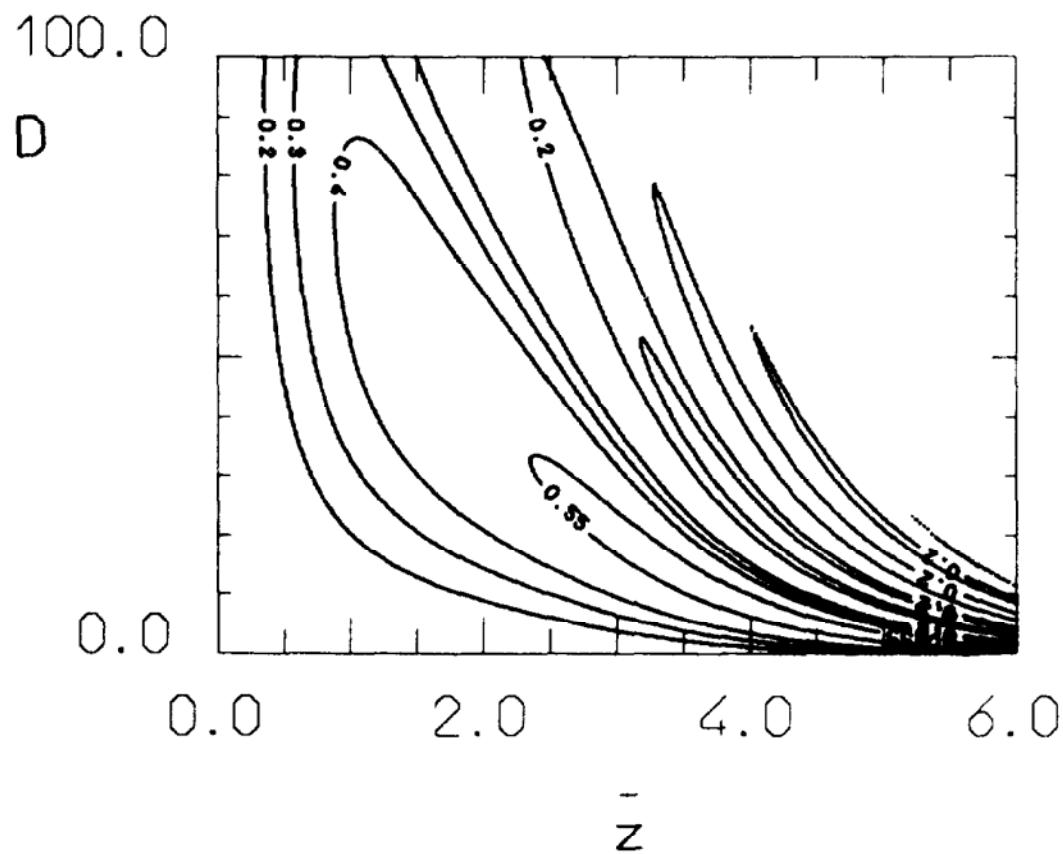


FIG. 1. Level curve of the bunching factor given by expression (28) as a function of the dimensionless length of the modulator  $\bar{z}$  (horizontal axis) and the dimensionless dispersive section strength parameter  $D$  (vertical axis). The parameters used here are  $\sigma = 0.01$  and  $A_0 = 0.01$ .

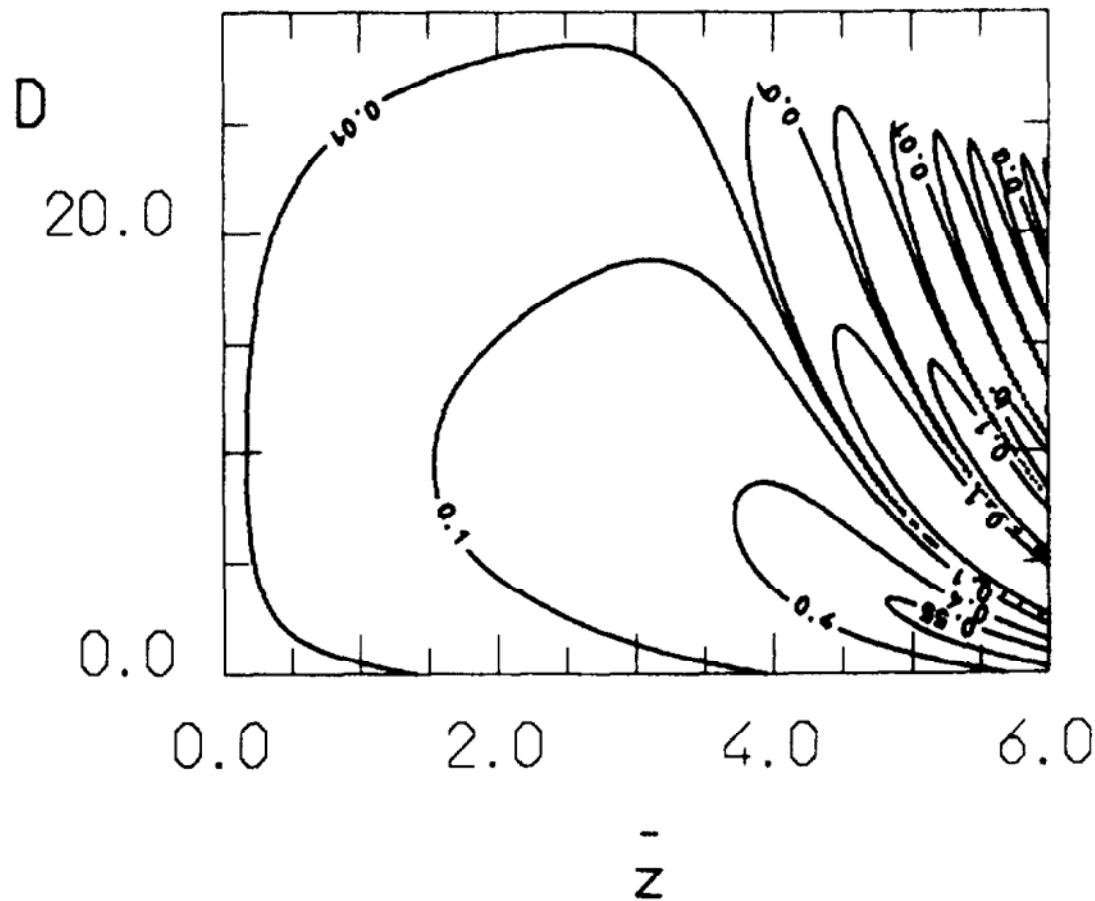


FIG. 2. As Fig. 1, for the parameters  $\sigma = 0.1$  and  $A_0 = 0.01$ . Dispersive section ineffective unless  $\sigma \leq 0.1$

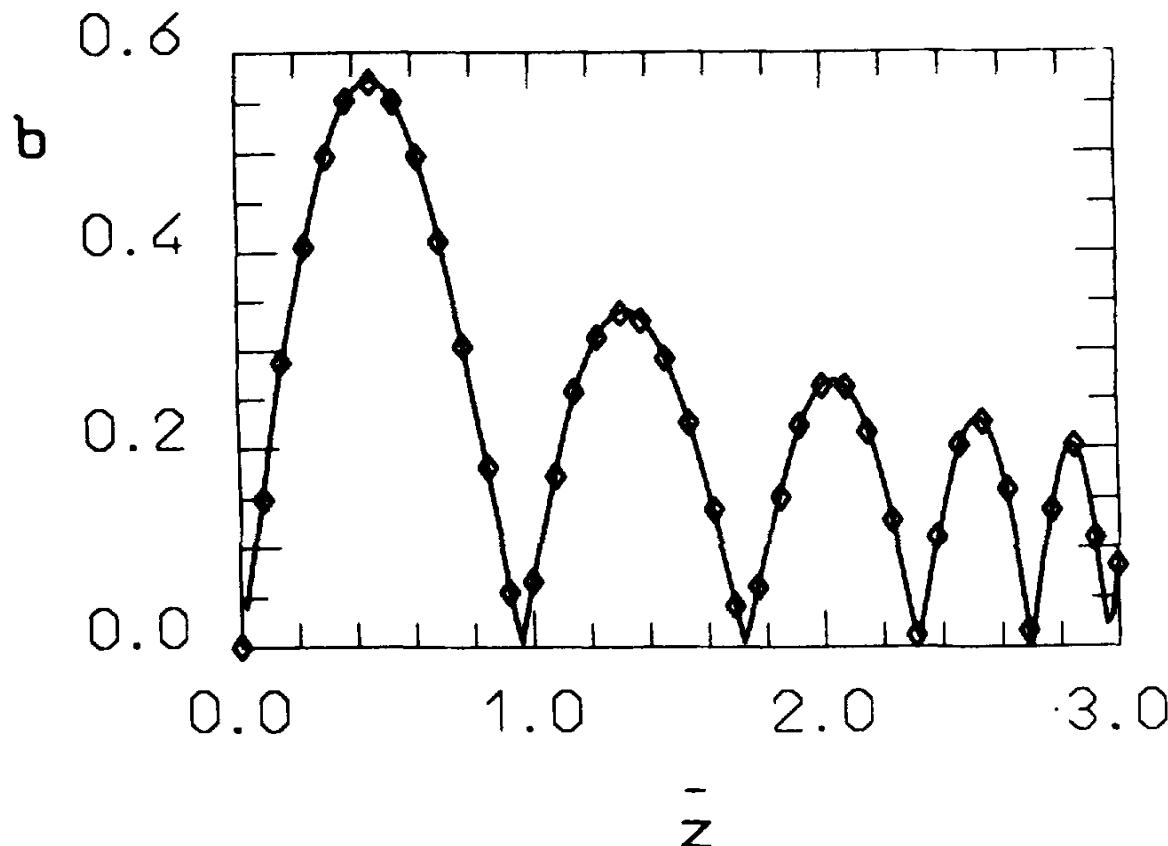


FIG. 3. Bunching at the end of the dispersive section as a function of the dimensionless modulator length. The solid line was produced integrating the system of electron-field equation of Ref. [3]; the symbols are evaluated from the expression (28). The parameters used in this simulation are  $D = 2000$ ,  $A_0 = 10^{-3}$ , and  $\sigma = 10^{-4}$ .

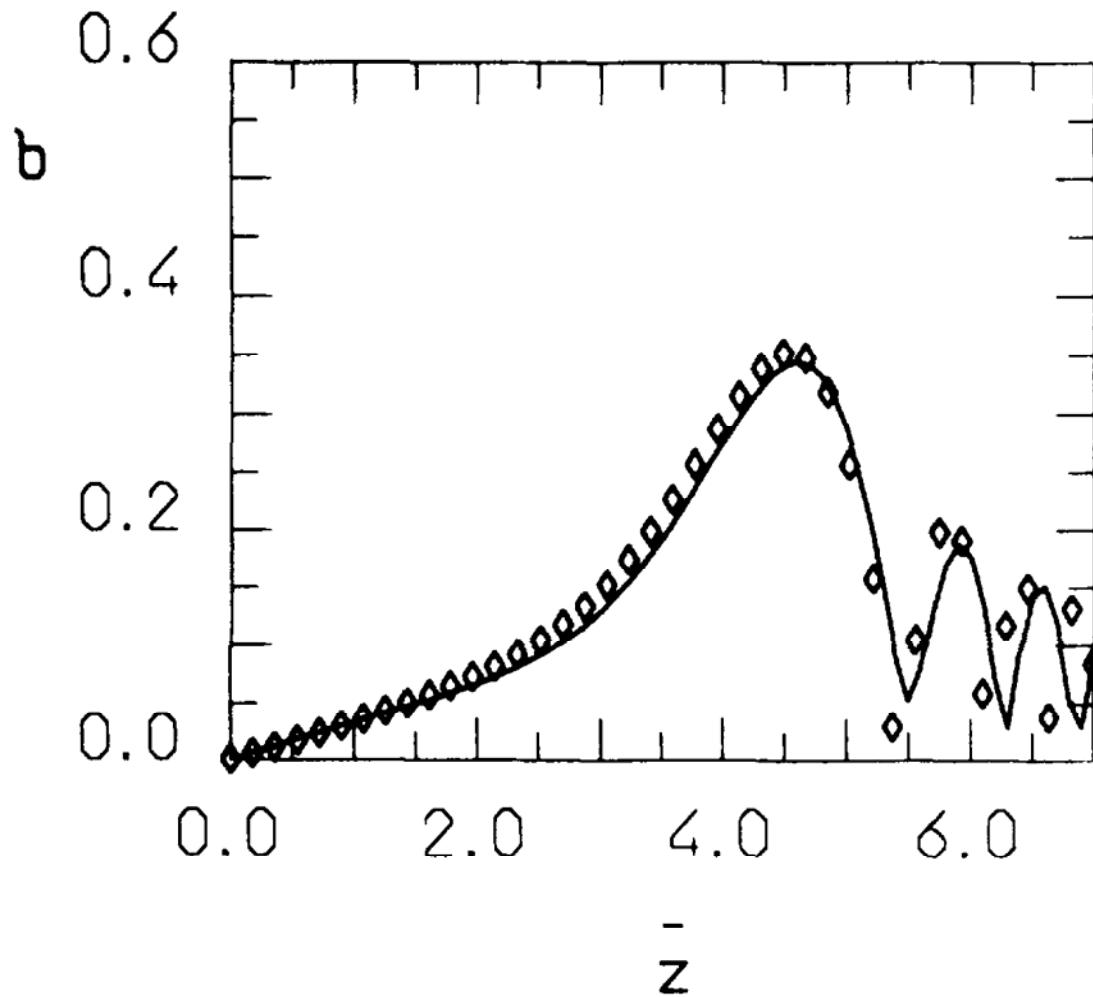


FIG. 5. As Fig. 3, but for the following set of parameters:  
 $D = 5$ ,  $A_0 = 10^{-2}$ , and  $\sigma = 0.2$ .

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