



# KEKB/SuperKEKB Linac

(and S-, C-, L-, X-bands developments)

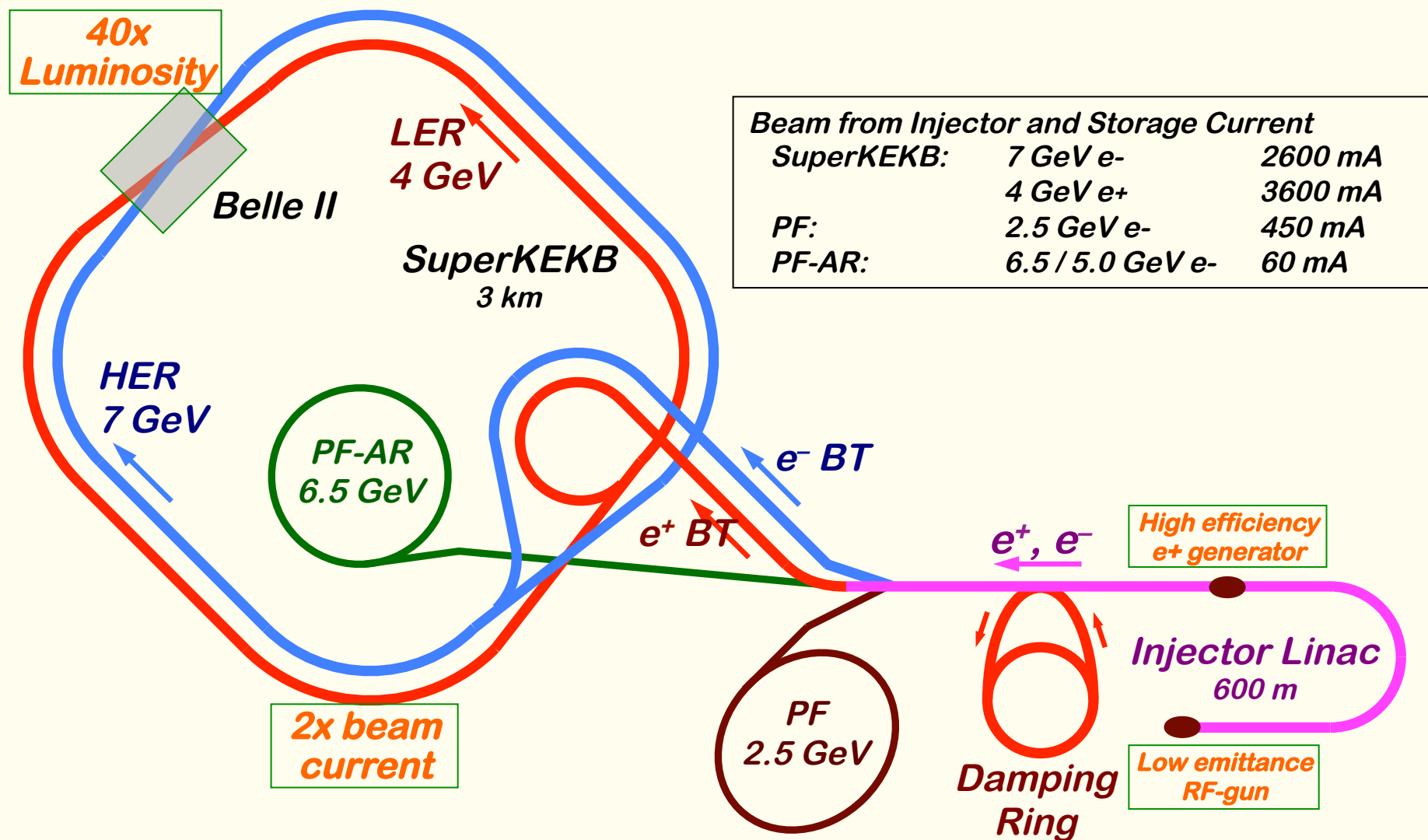
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# KEK Electron Accelerator Complex

## ◆ Present situation for SuperKEKB and light sources



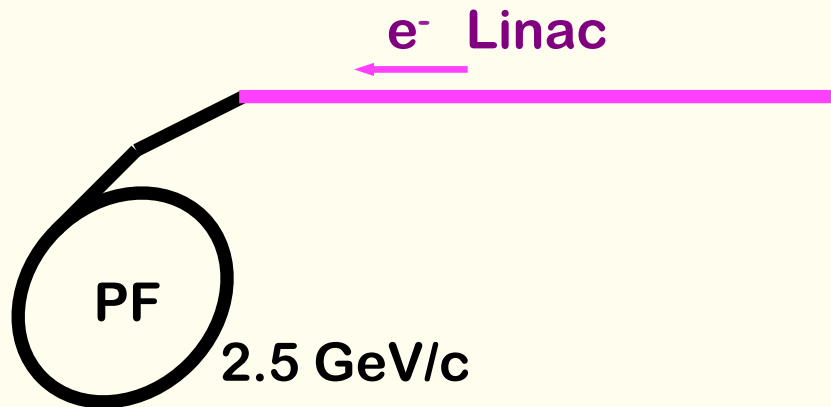


**Advances in KEK Injector Linac**  
Machine Performance Improvement  
Challenges towards SuperKEKB  
Upgraded Injector for SuperKEKB

# Photon Factory Configuration (1982 –)

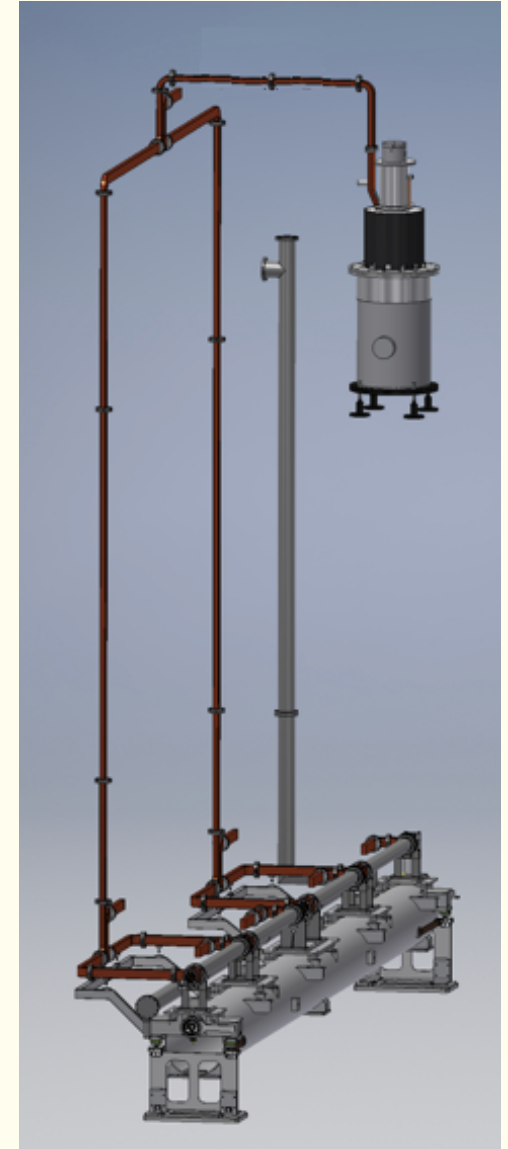
## ◆ Electron injector to dedicated light source

Linac delivered:  
for PF: 2.5 GeV  $e^-$



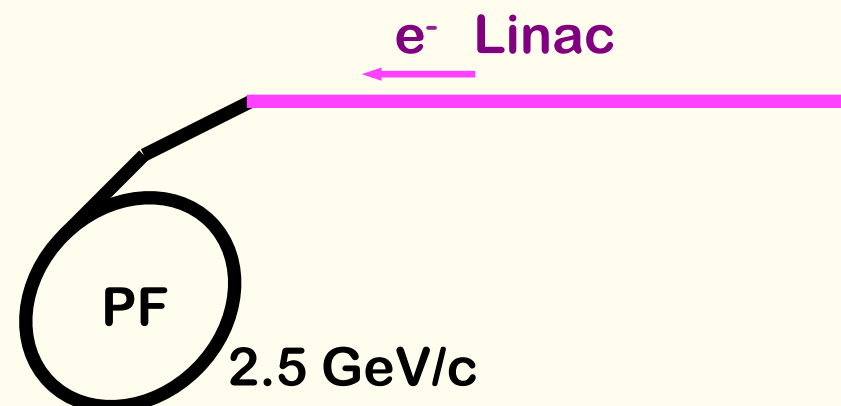
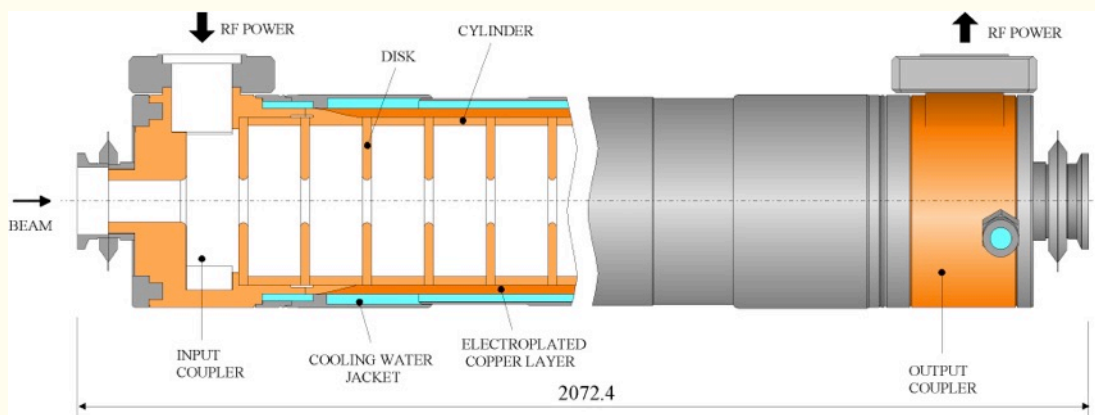
40 accelerator units were installed

Typical accelerator unit



# 2.5 GeV S-band Linac

- ◆ **Injector for dedicated light source, Photon Factory**
  - ❖ World-second dedicated (2nd generation) source after Daresbury
  - ❖ Construction: 1978 - 1982, Operation: 1982 - Now
- ◆ **Certain S-band experiences at universities in Japan**
  - ❖ ex. 300-MeV 300-Hz linac for nuclear physics
- ◆ **Foreseen collider project TRISTAN**
  - ❖ 2.5-GeV 400-m linac without booster
  - ❖ Quasi-constant gradient 2-m S-band structure



# 2.5 GeV S-band Structure

## ◆ Quasi-constant gradient

- ❖ Disk 2a of 20 mm, 75 micron-step changing from entrance to exit
- ❖ 5 sets of 2a to disperse transverse modes to avoid beam blow-up

## ◆ Electroplating technique to fabricate

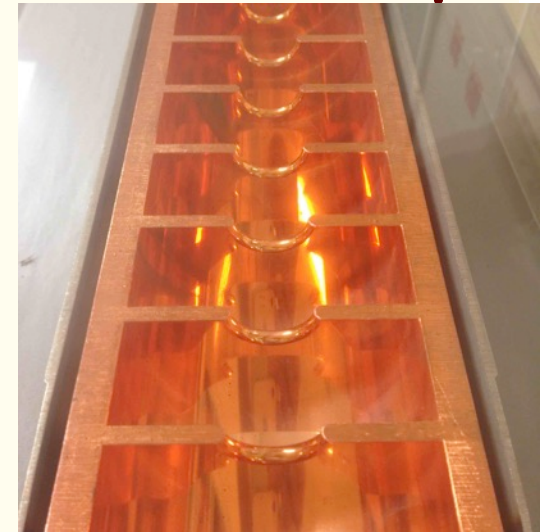
- ❖ No brazing, no need for tuning, and cost reduced
- ❖ 160 structures 40 RF sources installed

## ◆ Long-pulse injection

- ❖ up to 1 micro second, 8 MeV / m

## ◆ Several different injection modes during 37 years

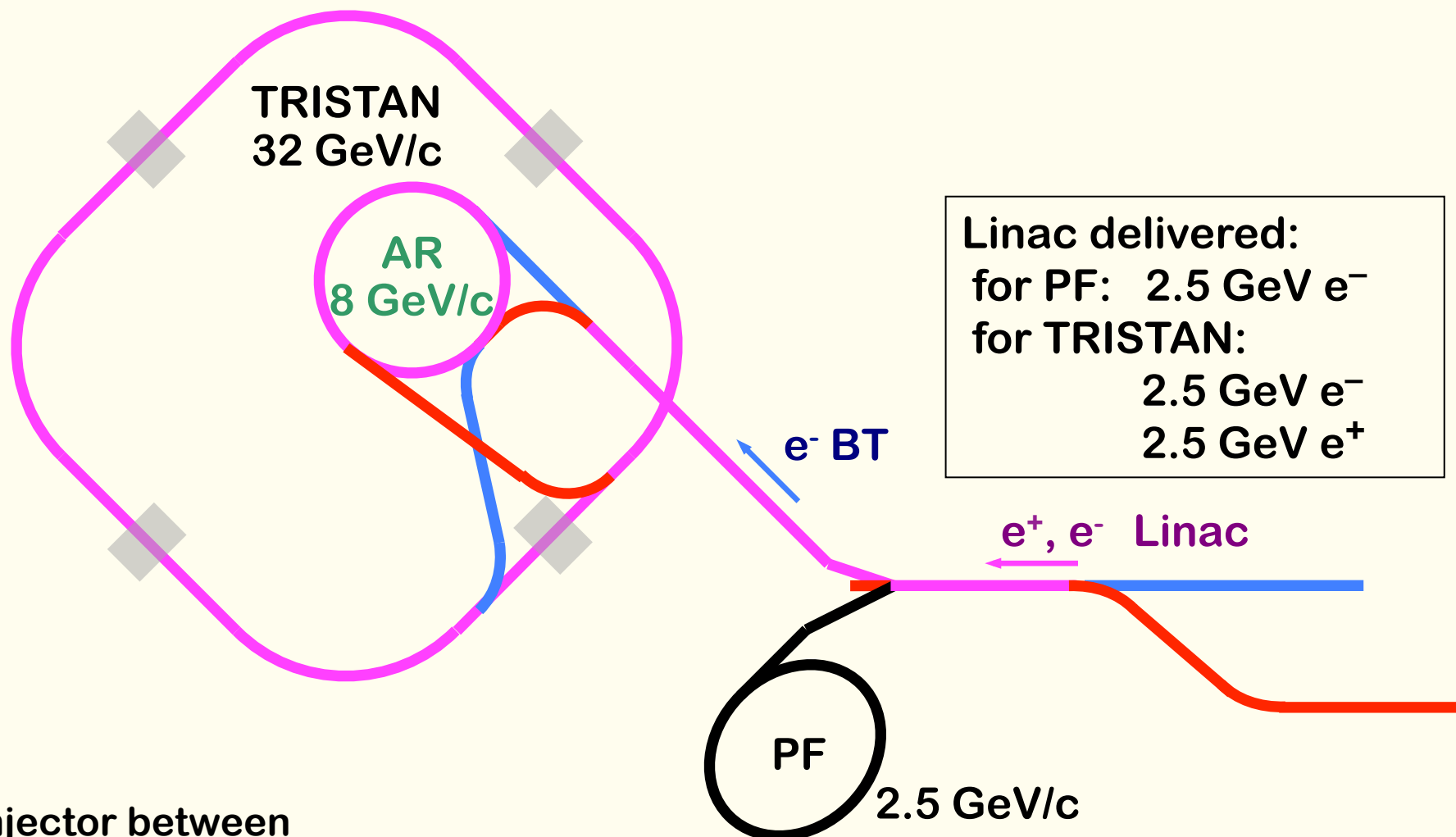
- ❖ Still serving 3000 users / year
- ❖ Positron injection to cure ion instability under certain vacuum condition
- ❖ Hybrid or shaft mode to serve single-bunch experiments as well
- ❖ Simultaneous top-up injection to share the beams





# TRISTAN Configuration (1986 – 1994)

## ◆ Electron positron collider for Top quark



Shared single injector between  
particle physics and photon experiments

# 500-MeV Positron for TRISTAN

## ◆ Injection part

- ❖ High current thermionic gun
- ❖ 119 MHz sub-harmonic buncher for single bunch operation

## ◆ The same electroplating structure

- ❖ But combined 4-m structure for higher gradient

## ◆ Certain end-point experiments in-between injections

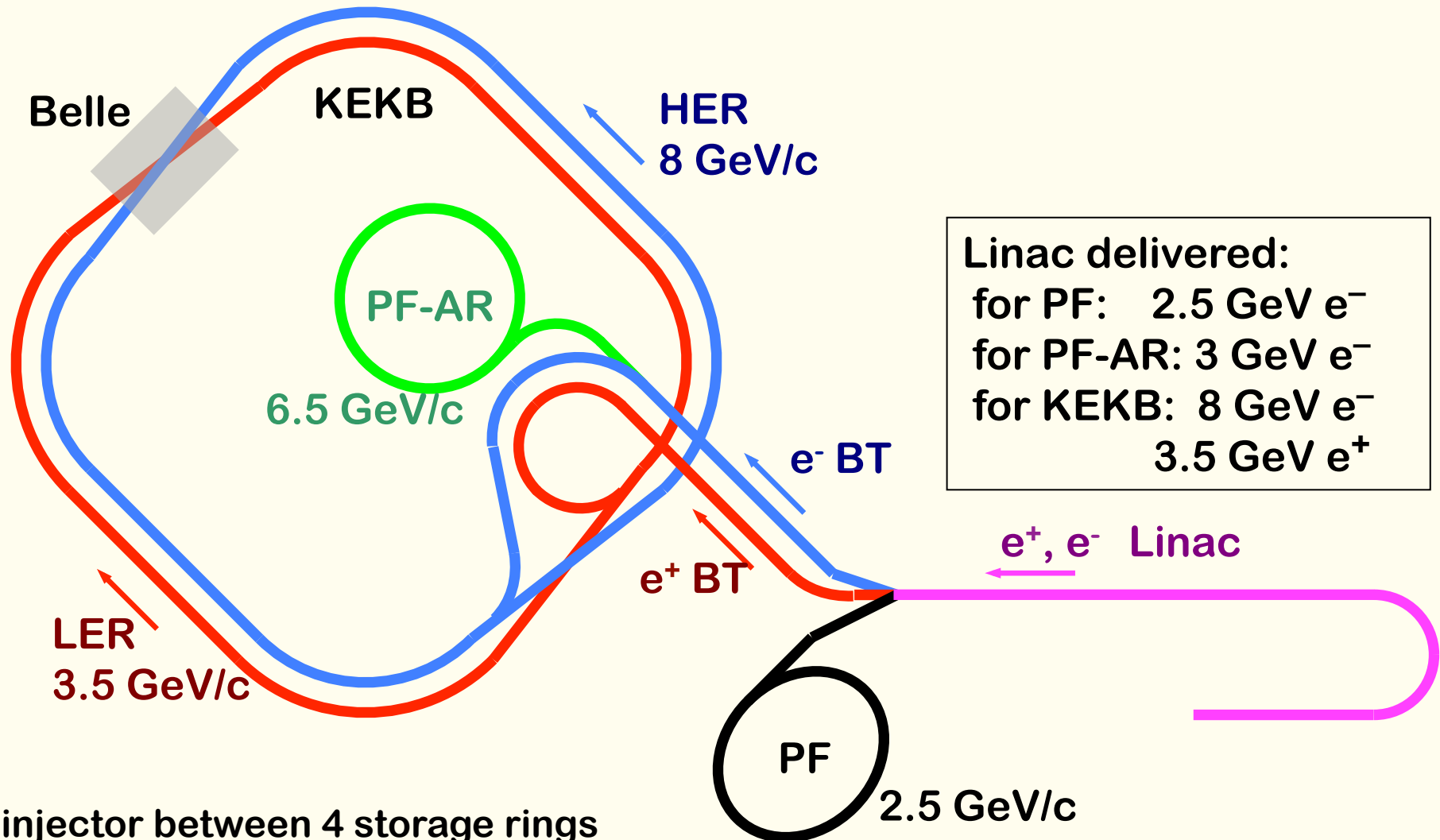
- ❖ Axion search
- ❖ Slow positron experiments for material science and particle physics
- ❖ Detector developments





# KEKB Configuration (1999 – 2010)

## ◆ Electron Positron Accelerator Complex at KEK



Shared single injector between 4 storage rings  
 Shared beam transport line between HER & PF-AR

# KEKB Design

- ◆ **Maximum re-use of TRISTAN inheritance**
- ◆ **However, still many improvements applied, ex.**
  - ❖ **Many bunch collisions with dual ring collider**
    - ✧ **Energy asymmetry for the boost of center of mass of Bs**
  - ❖ **Full energy injection**
    - ✧ **Energy upgrade with SLED RF pulse compressor**
      - ◆ **from 2.5 GeV (400 m) → 8 GeV (600 m)**
  - ❖ **Injection aperture of 30 ps**
    - ✧ **Slight RF frequency modification to have an integer relation**
      - ◆ **Linac 2856 MHz : 10.386 MHz x 275**
      - ◆ **Ring (508.5 MHz →) 508.9 MHz : 10.386 MHz x 49**
  - ❖ **And so on**

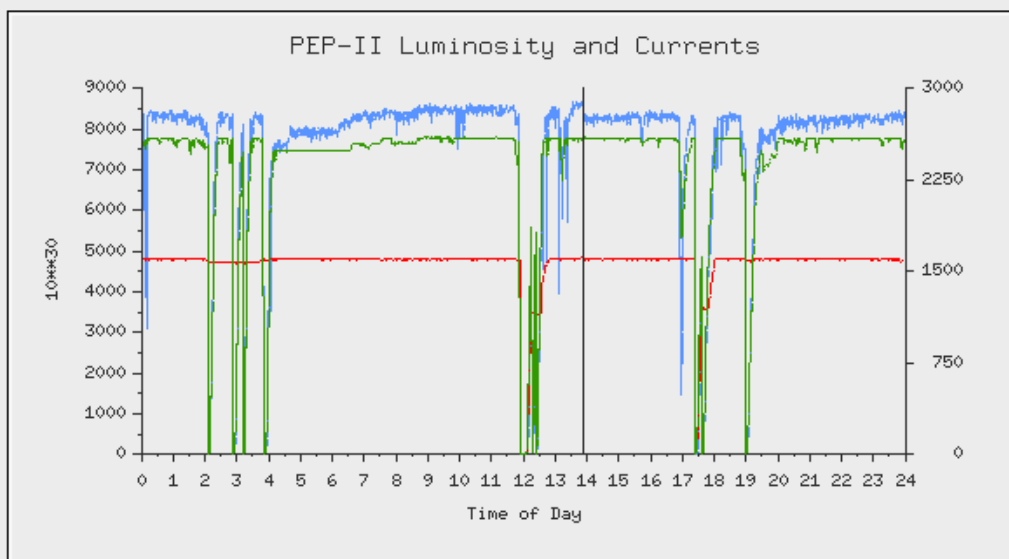


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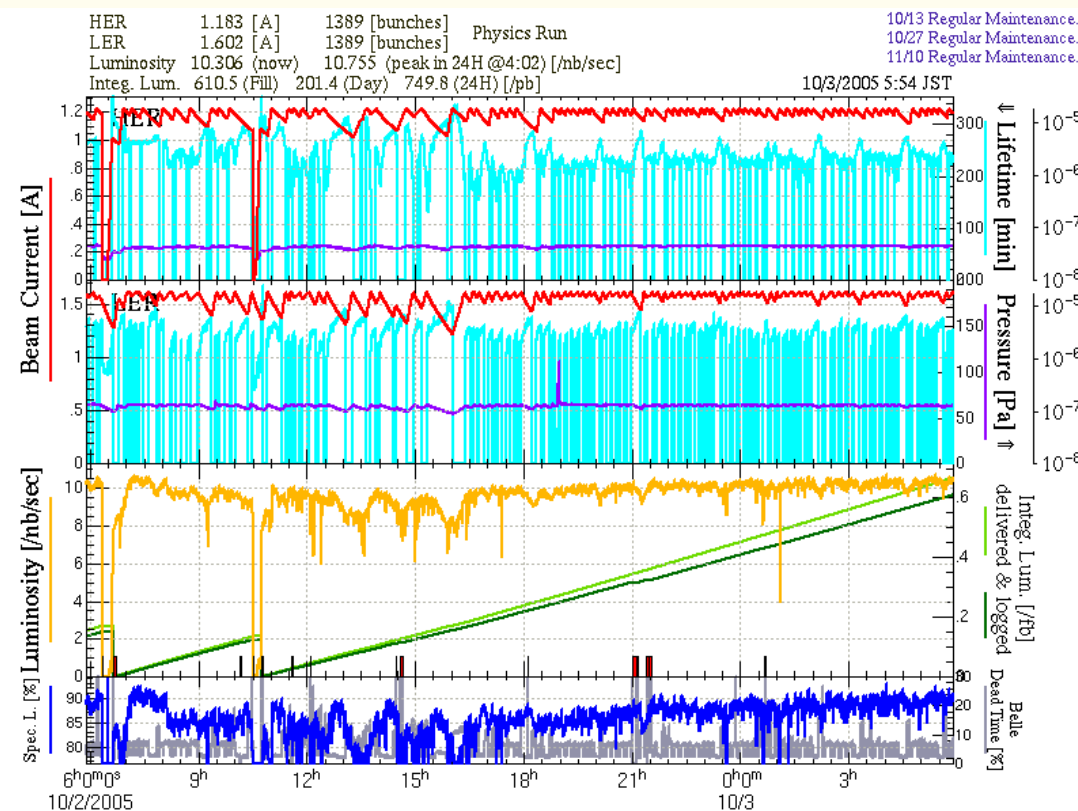
# PEP-II/SLAC and KEKB

◆ We shared ideas/experiences between PEP-II and KEKB control rooms

I HER	I LER	Luminosity	Spec Lum	E HER	E LER	E CM
1815.26	2622.97	8599	3.51	8985	3120	10590
mA	mA	10**30/Sec	N*10**30 / mA**2/Sec	MeV	MeV	MeV
HER N Buckets / Pattern			LER N Buckets / Pattern			
1732 by2_t36_her_30			1732 by2_t36_ler_30			
Last Owl/Day/Swing/24hr		208.8	234.5	209.6	852.9	Shift: 155.84 /pb
Peak Luminosities		8558	8485	8491		8763



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✧ Friendly competition (above plots were on the same day in Oct.2005)



# Performance improvements at KEKB

## ◆ Competition with SLAC PEP-II

### ❖ One of worries was the injector capability

- ✧ Injection beam quality

- ✧ Beam stability

- ✧ Beam current, especially positron

- ✧ Injection time to fill the both storage rings

- ✧ And, integrated luminosity

## ◆ Many improvements required, however

### ❖ Two serious damages in accelerator structure in 2001

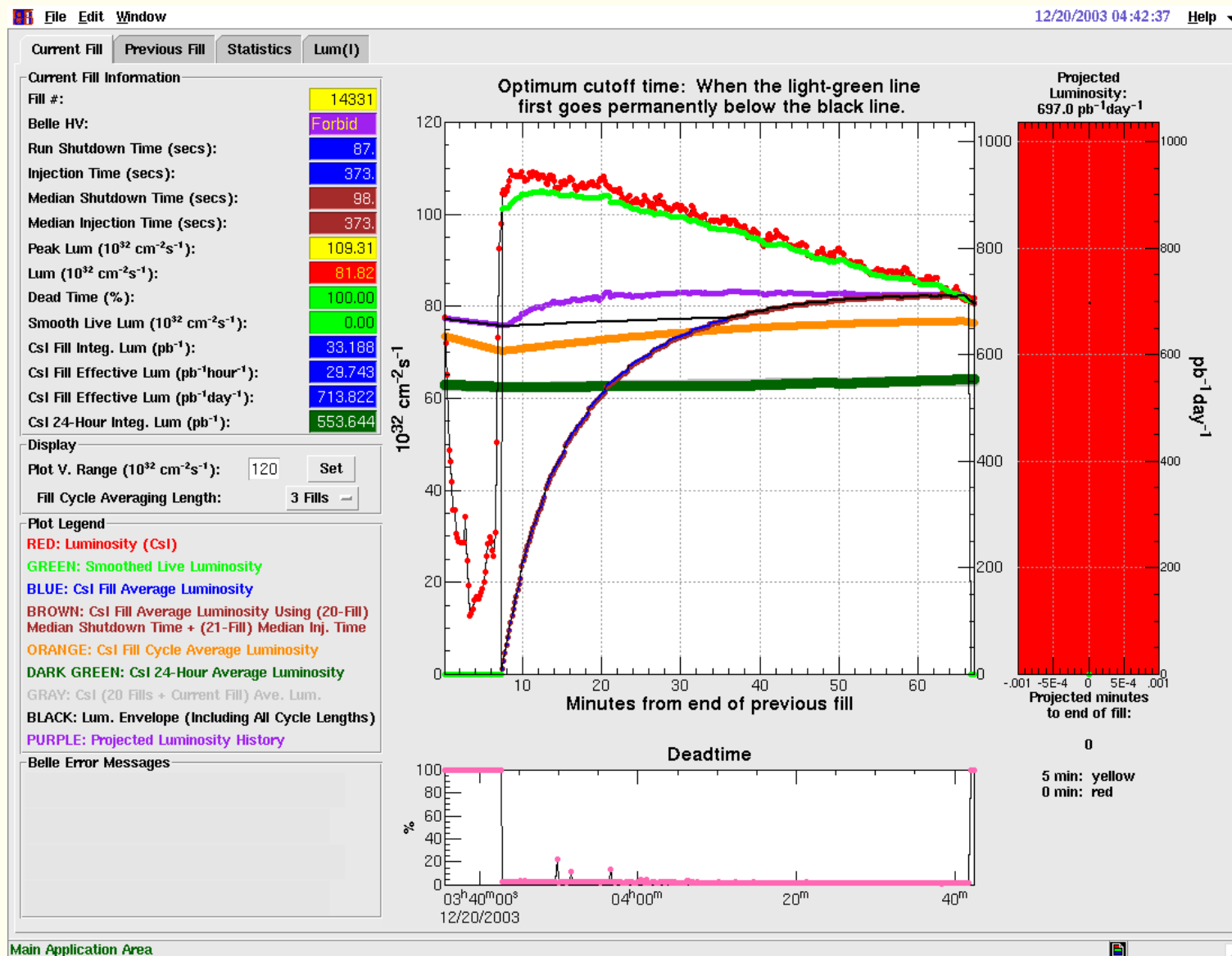
- ✧ after the performance was pushed too hard

- ✧ We found our way with optimized performance

# Operational Optimizations

## ◆ For example, run-length optimization

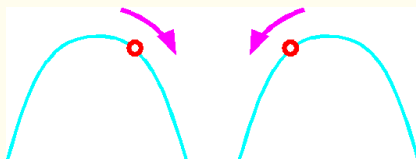
### ❖ One of 100 automations



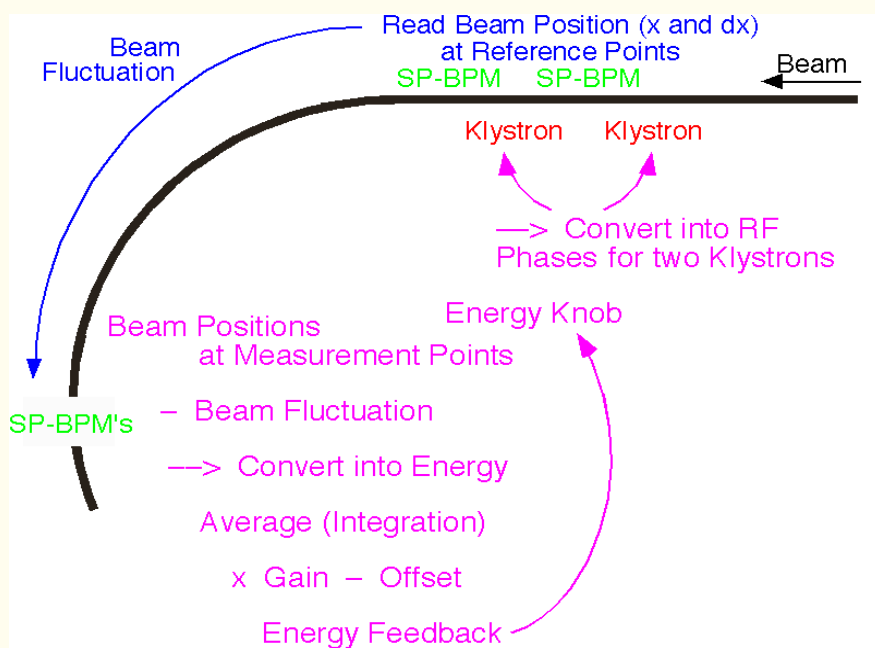
# Energy Stabilization Loops

## ◆ BPMs - Energy knob

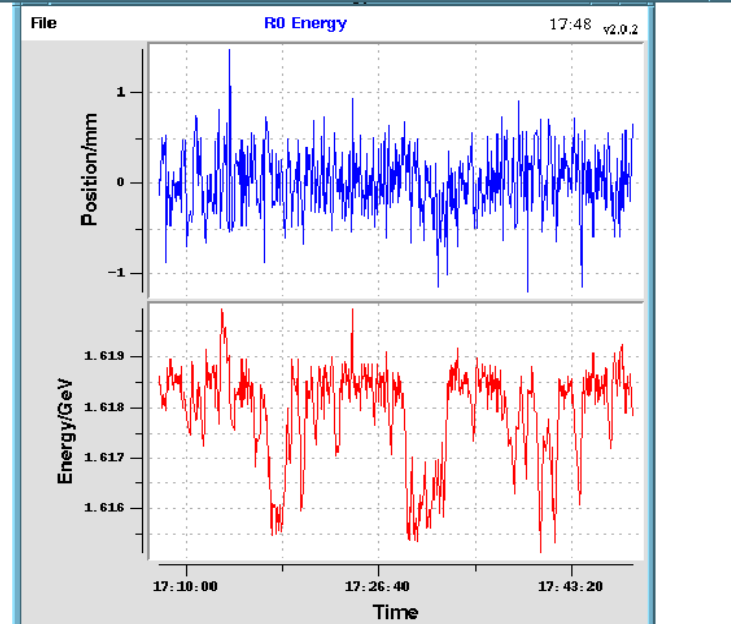
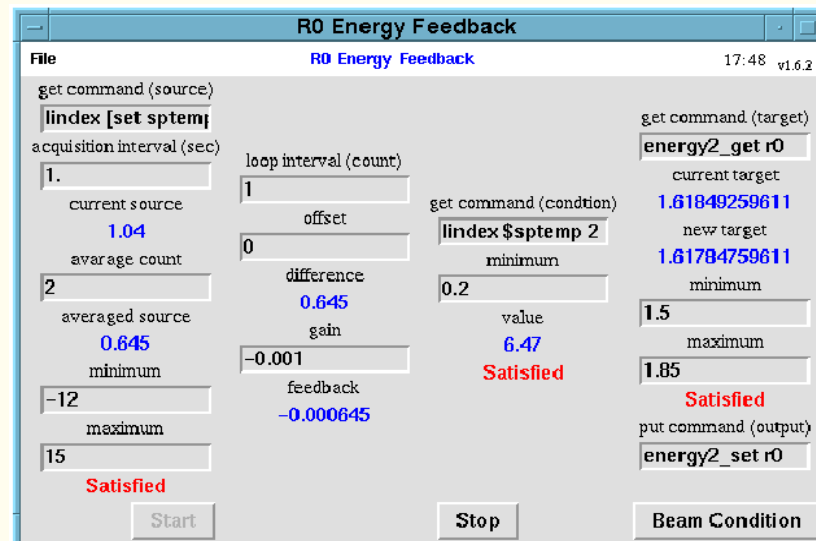
❖ Energy knob without energy spread



❖ Simple P.I. Loop



6 feedback loops along the linac depending on the modes



# Feedback Stabilizer monitor

- ◆ Robust operation is essential
- ❖ Remote monitoring in summary panel
- ❖ Several conditions, limits in loop variables
- ❖ Beam-mode dependent operation
- ❖ Status and variable logging, and their viewers

File Checktime Linac Feedback Status 18:31 v1.3.0

**summary Thu Jan 31 18:29:34 2002**

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GU_A1_G HV	tkfb-guna1	xp400d:0	plum.kek.jp	Run	Satisfied	Satisfied		18:29:07	18:29:42	start	stop
GU_A1_G Delay e-	tkfb-guna1dle #2	xp400d:0	plum.kek.jp	Run	Beam elepos Denied	Satisfied		18:15:23	18:15:23	start	stop
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GU_CT_G HV	tkfb-gunct	xp400d:0	plum.kek.jp	Run	Satisfied	---		18:29:39	---	start	stop
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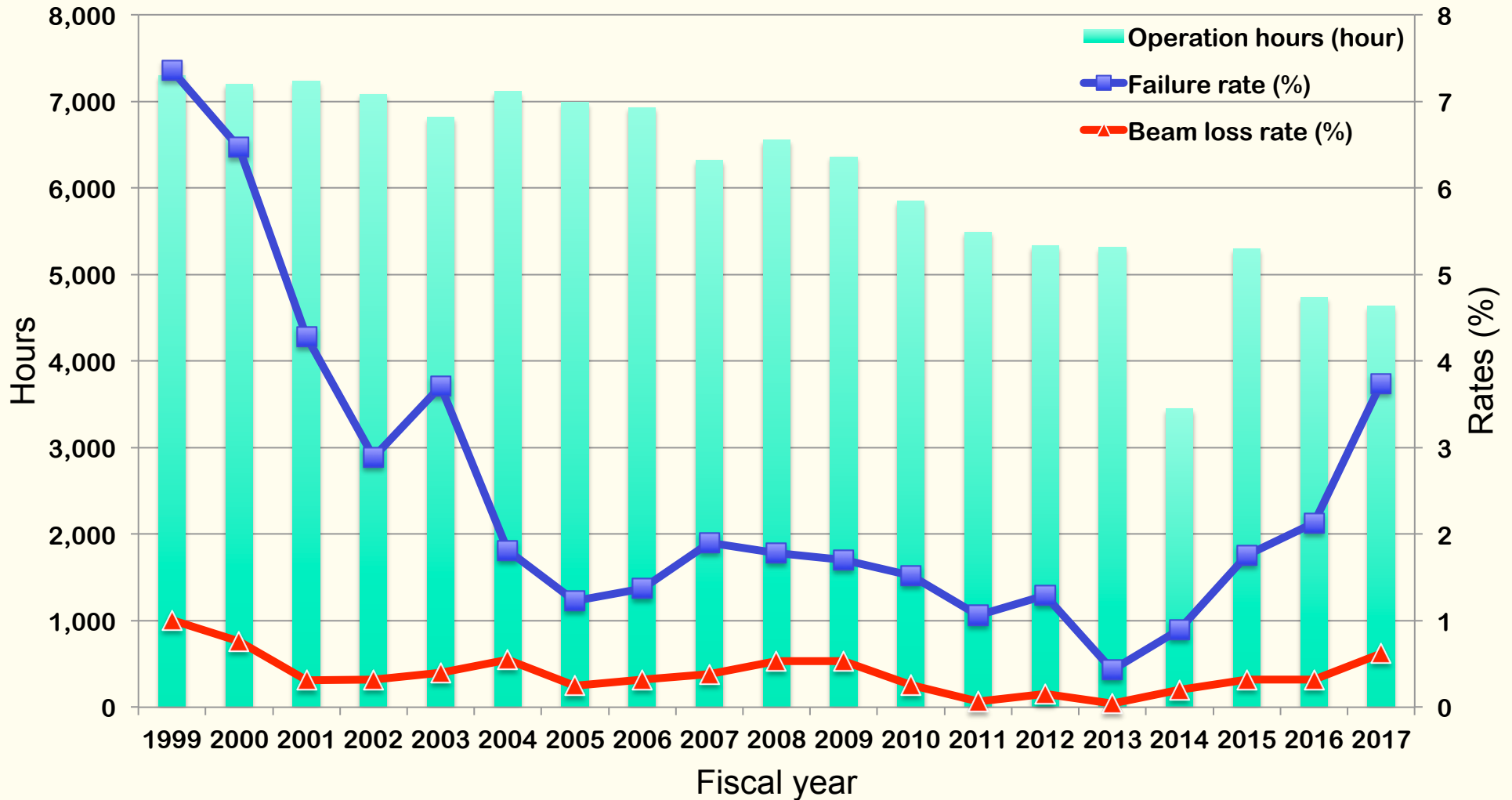




# Operation statistics and improvements

## ◆ Statistics

Injector operation hours and failure rates



◆ **Failure:** device failures that prevent optimum performance

◆ **Beam loss:** time when beam injection was really impossible

# Two bunches in a pulse

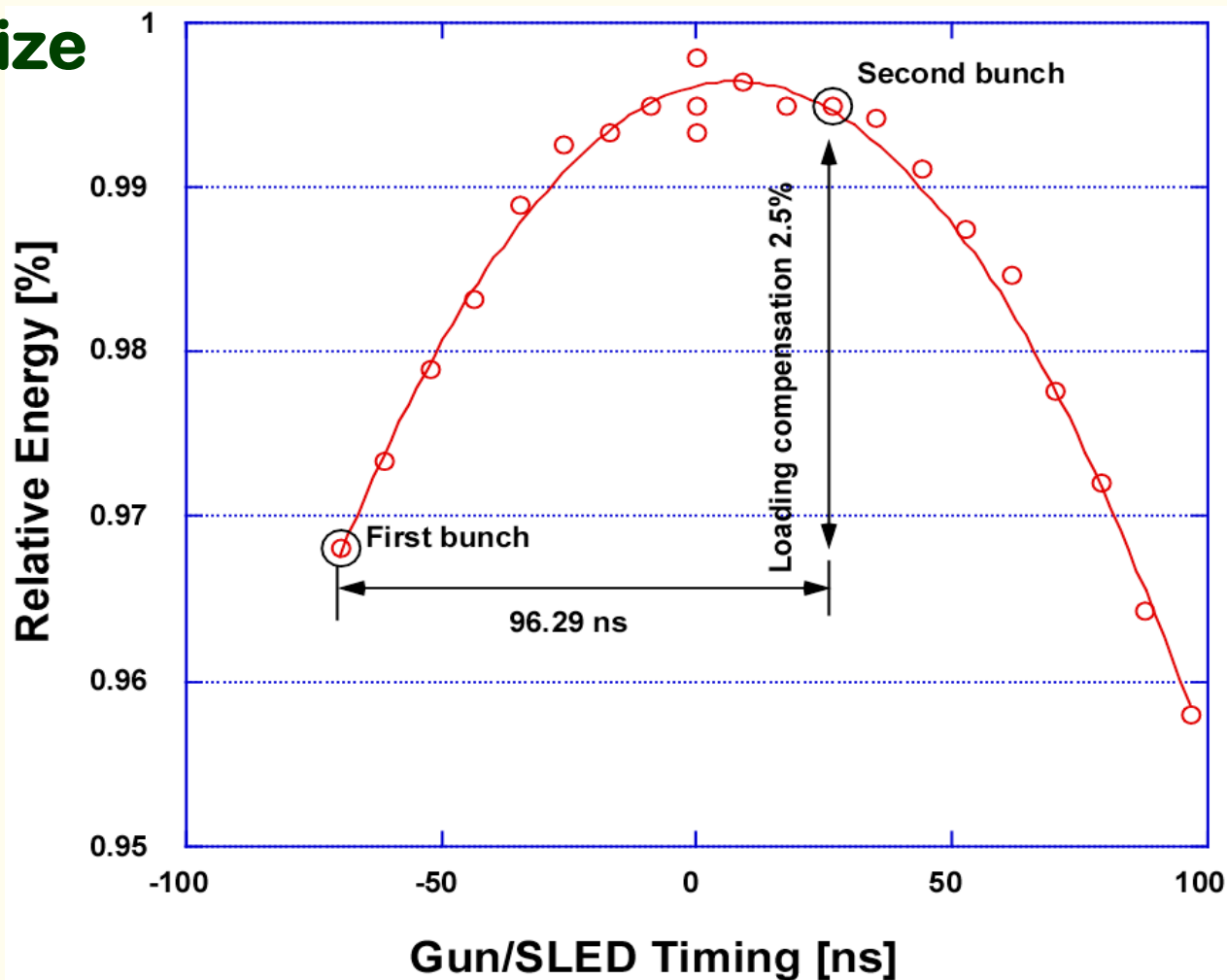
- ❖ As the stored beam current in MR increases, much more injection beam current was required
- ❖ Especially for the positron injection rate
- ◆ **Two bunches in a pulse acceleration in order to double the positron beam current planned**
  - ❖ Minimum bunch separation of 96 ns (10.386 MHz)
  - ❖ Parallel dual grid pulsers for a single cathode
  - ❖ Beam instrumentation with 96 ns separation
  - ❖ Timing manipulation and bucket selection
  - ❖ Energy equalization

# Energy Equalization

## ◆ Beam loading compensation

❖ For bunch separation of 96 ns

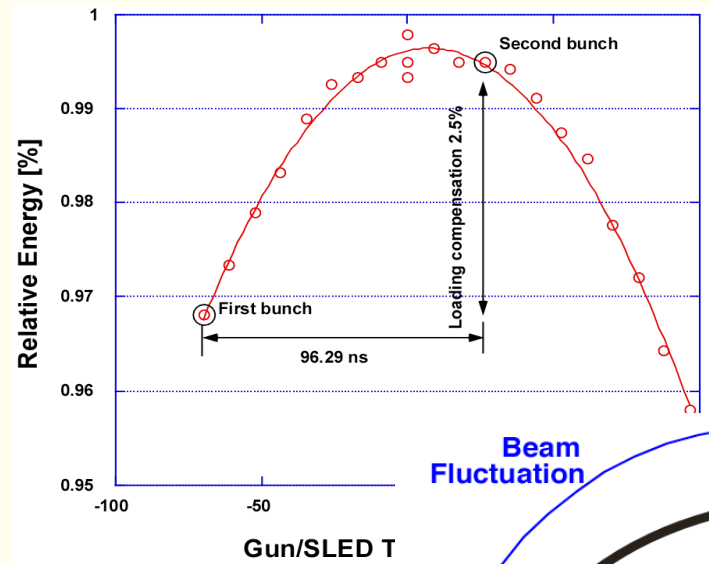
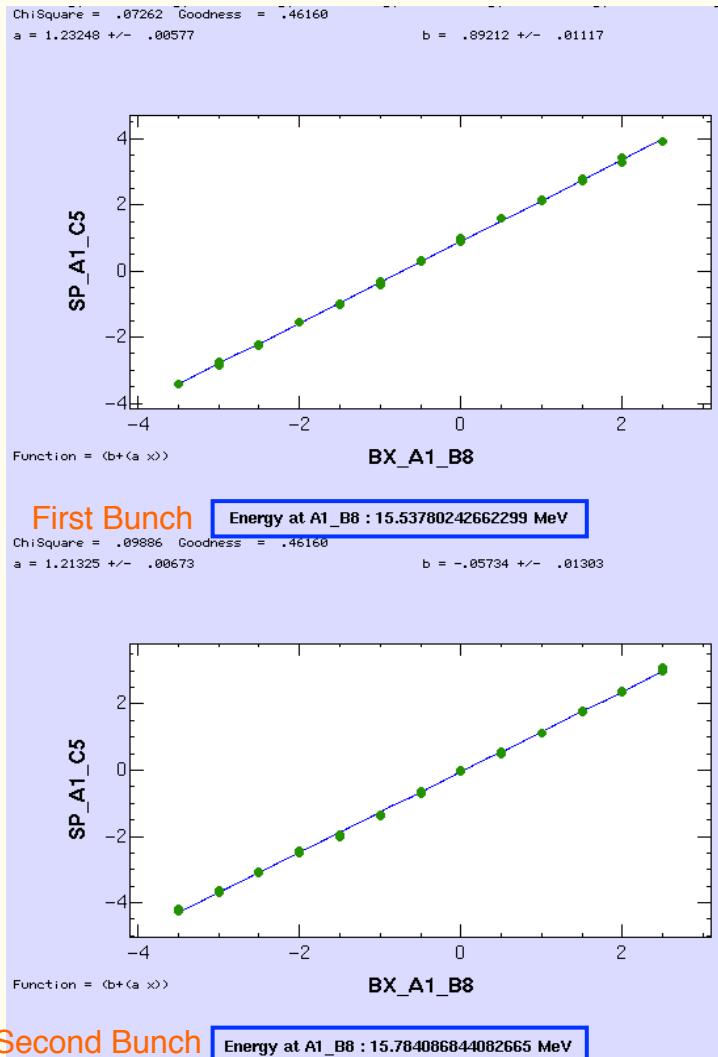
✧ Or we sometimes utilize energy difference in order to equalize the beam orbits



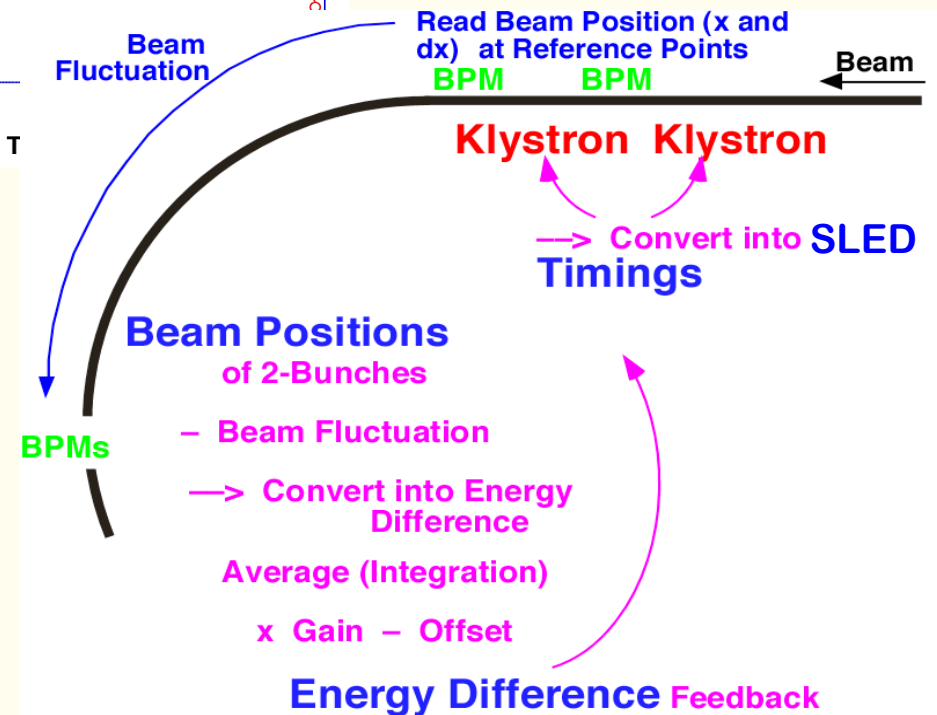
# Dual-bunch Energy Equalization, and Feedback

## ◆ Energy equalization is important for stable operation

Measurement at bunching section  
after energy equalization  
with RF pulse timing



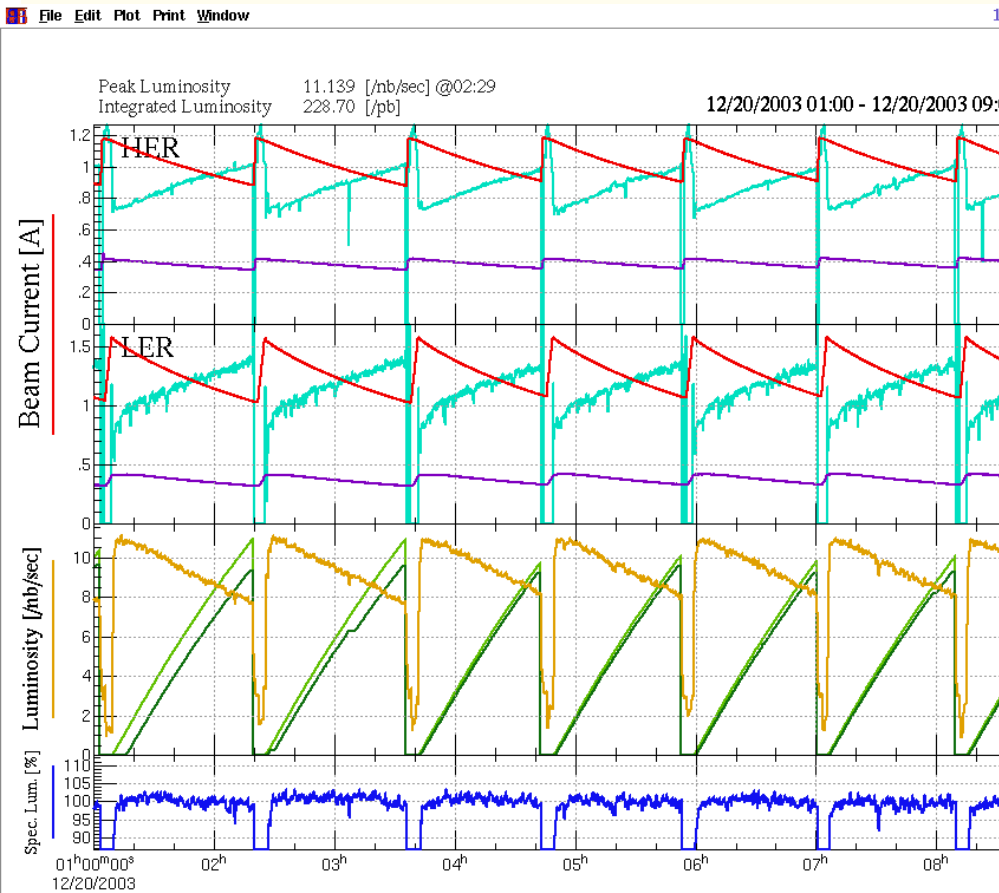
Stabilization at bending section  
with SLED timing



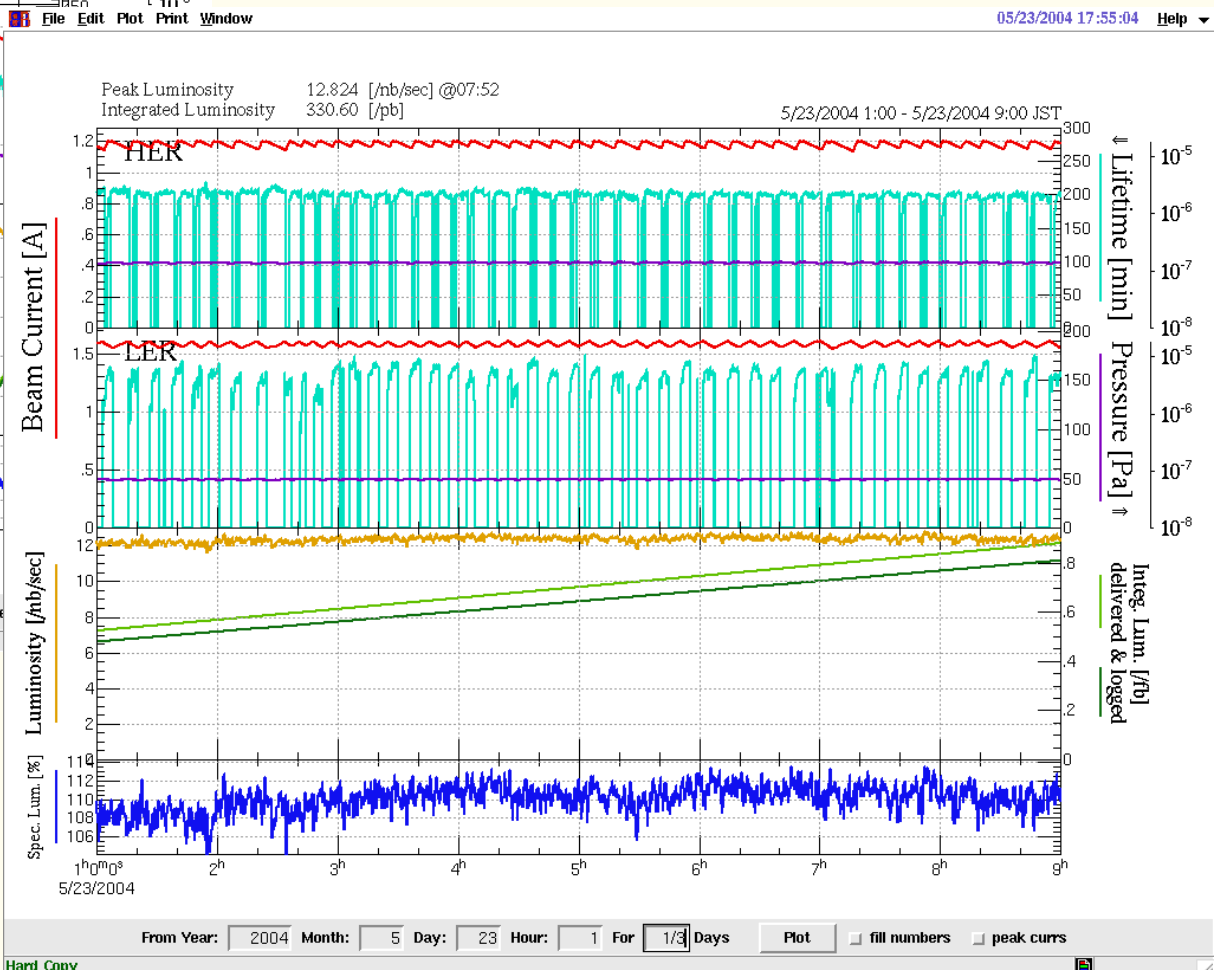
# Continuous Injection

- ❖ Detector data acquisition stopped during the injection and the detector high voltage (HV) preparation
- ❖ Especially for the positron injection rate
- ◆ **Continuous Injection with detector HV applied was another major step forward**
  - ❖ For higher integrated luminosity
  - ❖ by detector improvements, esp. CDC, TOF, DAQ
  - ❖ with certain benefit from collision with crossing angle
    - ✧ without bending magnet at IP, for lower background
  - ❖ Then, approximately 26% gain achieved

# Continuous injection



2004, after continuous injection was applied  
Data acquisition continued during injection  
(8-hour history of beam current, luminosity, etc.)

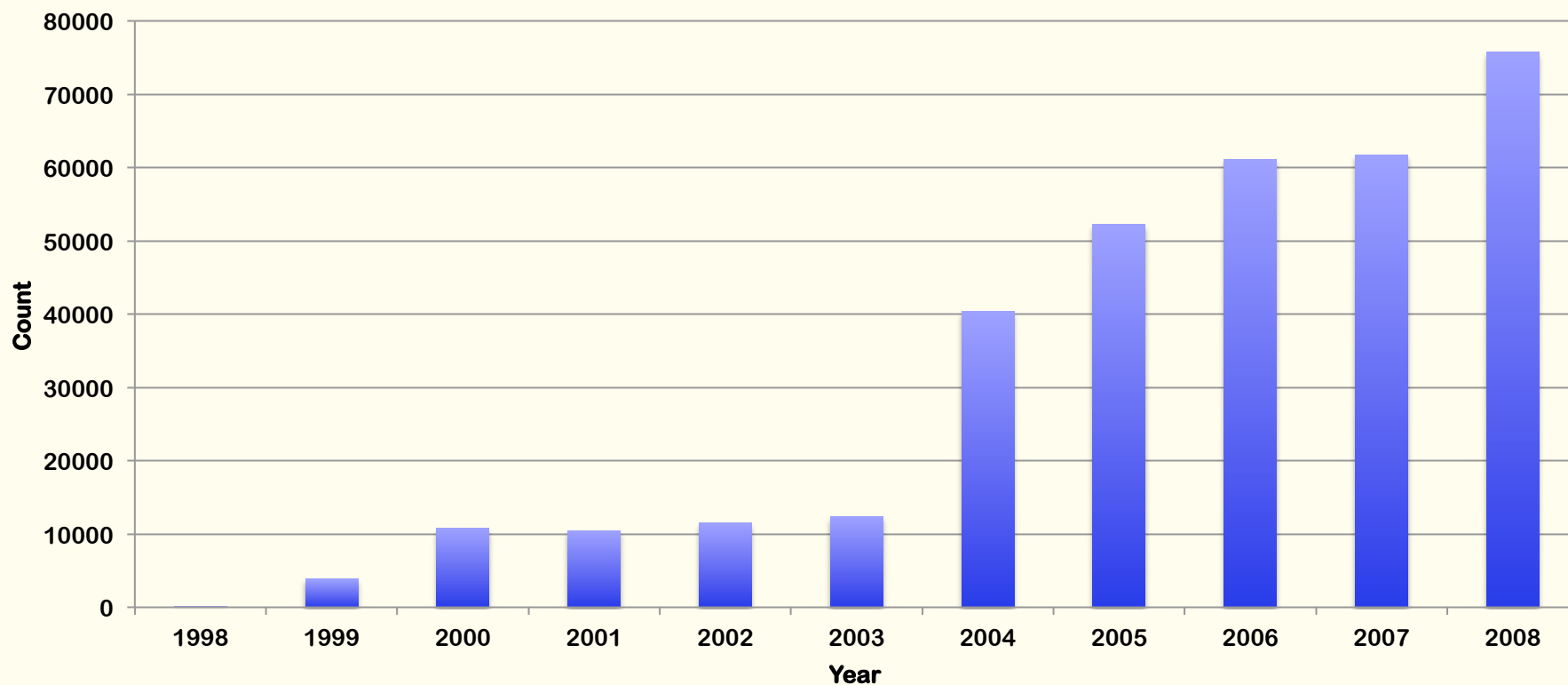


2003, before continuous injection was applied  
Data acquisition stopped during injection  
(8-hour history of beam current, luminosity, etc.)

# Beam mode switching improvements

◆ Continuous injection was applied in 2004

Beam mode switching



◆ Switched 360 times / day in 2008

◆ Simultaneous top-up injection was applied in 2009

# Simultaneous Top-up Injections

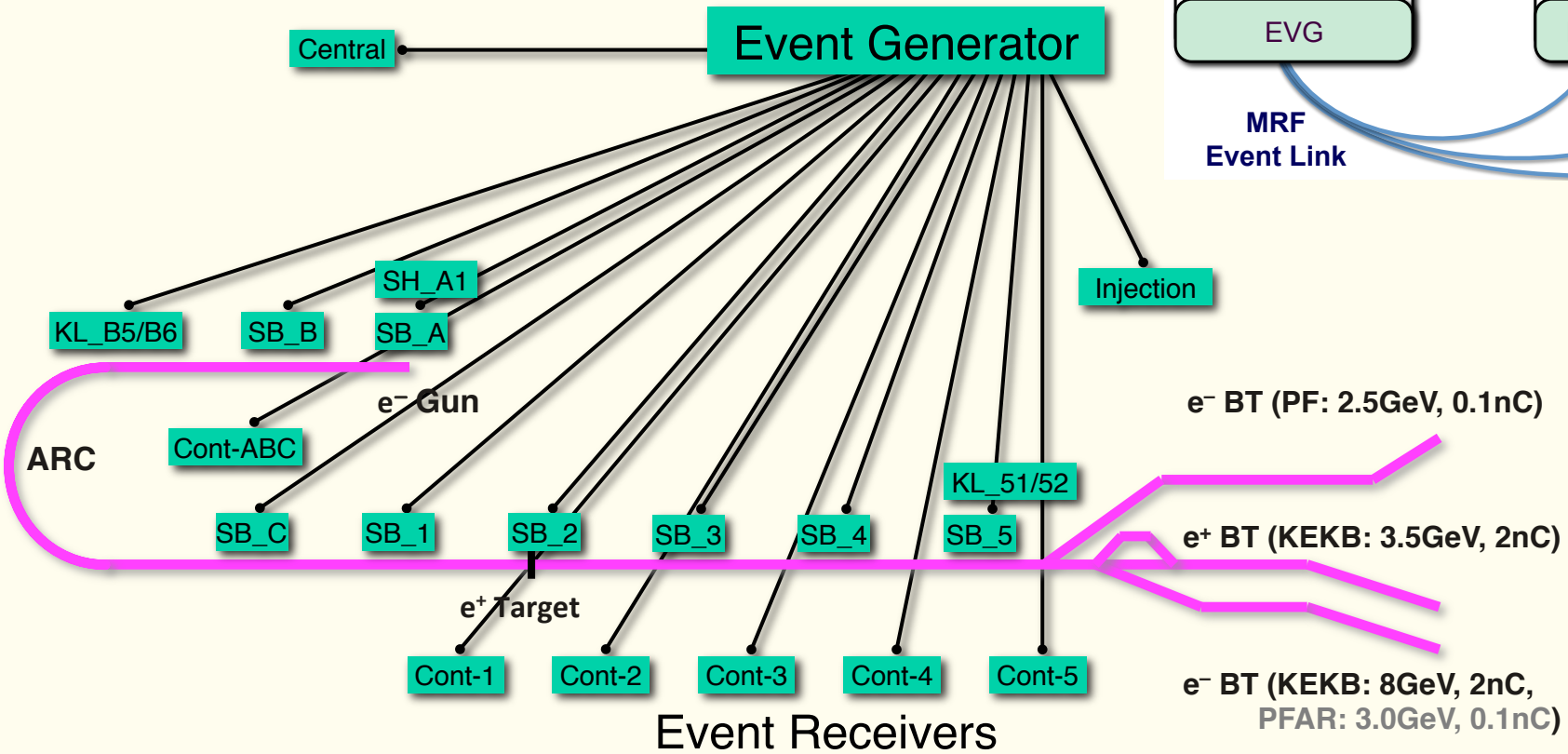
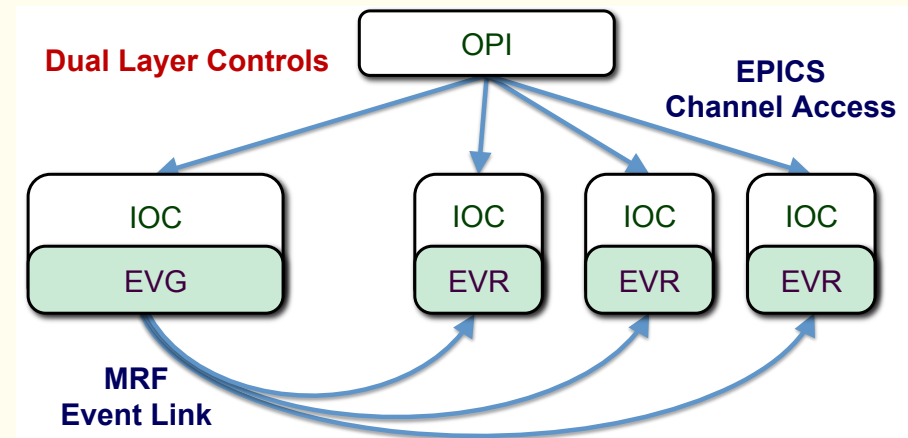
- ❖ Even faster beam mode switches
- ◆ **Pulse-to-pulse modulation (PPM) at 50 Hz**
  - ✧ PPM was first applied at PS/CERN (1977) at 1.2 second
- ❖ ~150 parameters were switched every 20 ms for 3 beams
- ◆ **Many Hardware improvements as well as controls**
  - ❖ PF top-up injection for higher quality experiments
  - ❖ Sensitive luminosity tuning with Crab cavities
- ✧ Many more parameters in SuperKEKB for 4 beams



# Fast Global Synchronous Controls

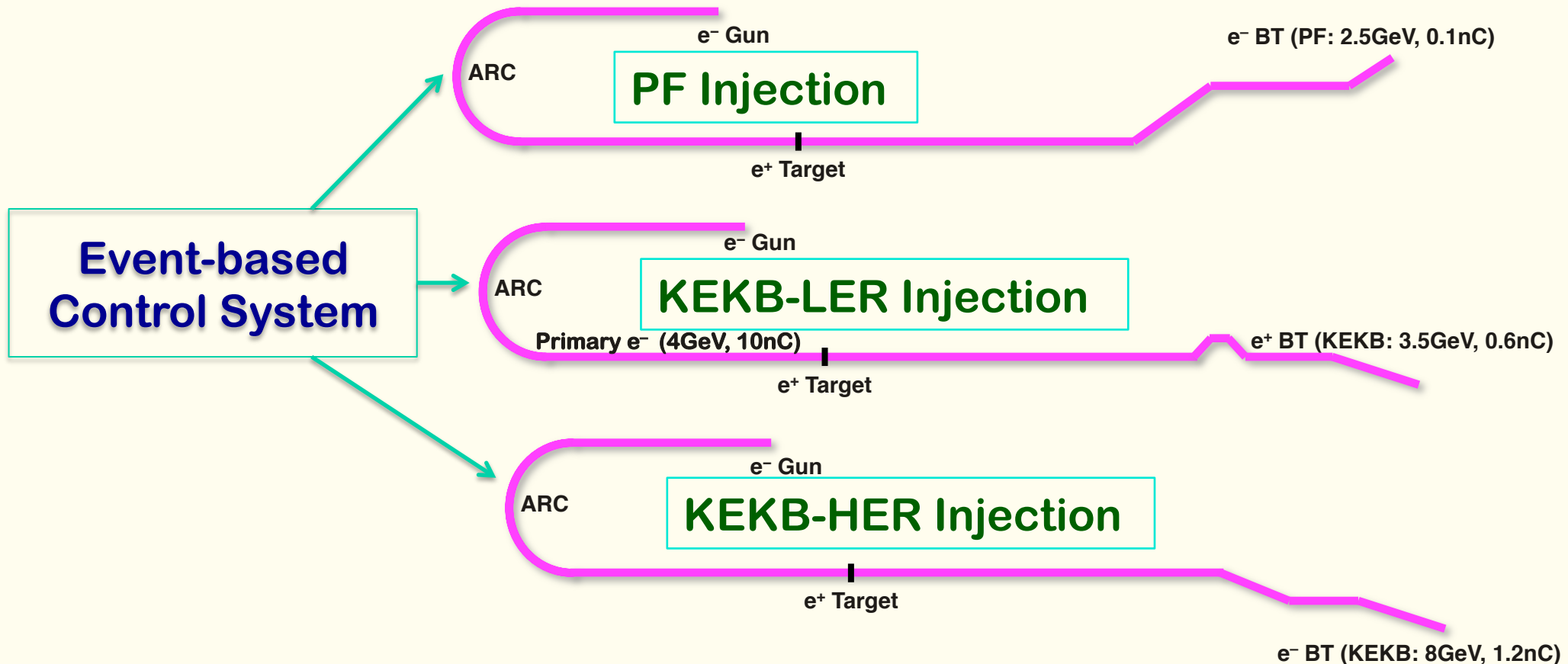
- ◆ Event-based controls (MRF)
- ◆ 114.24MHz event rate, 50Hz fiducials
- ◆ Timing precision < 10ps

Dual layer control concept



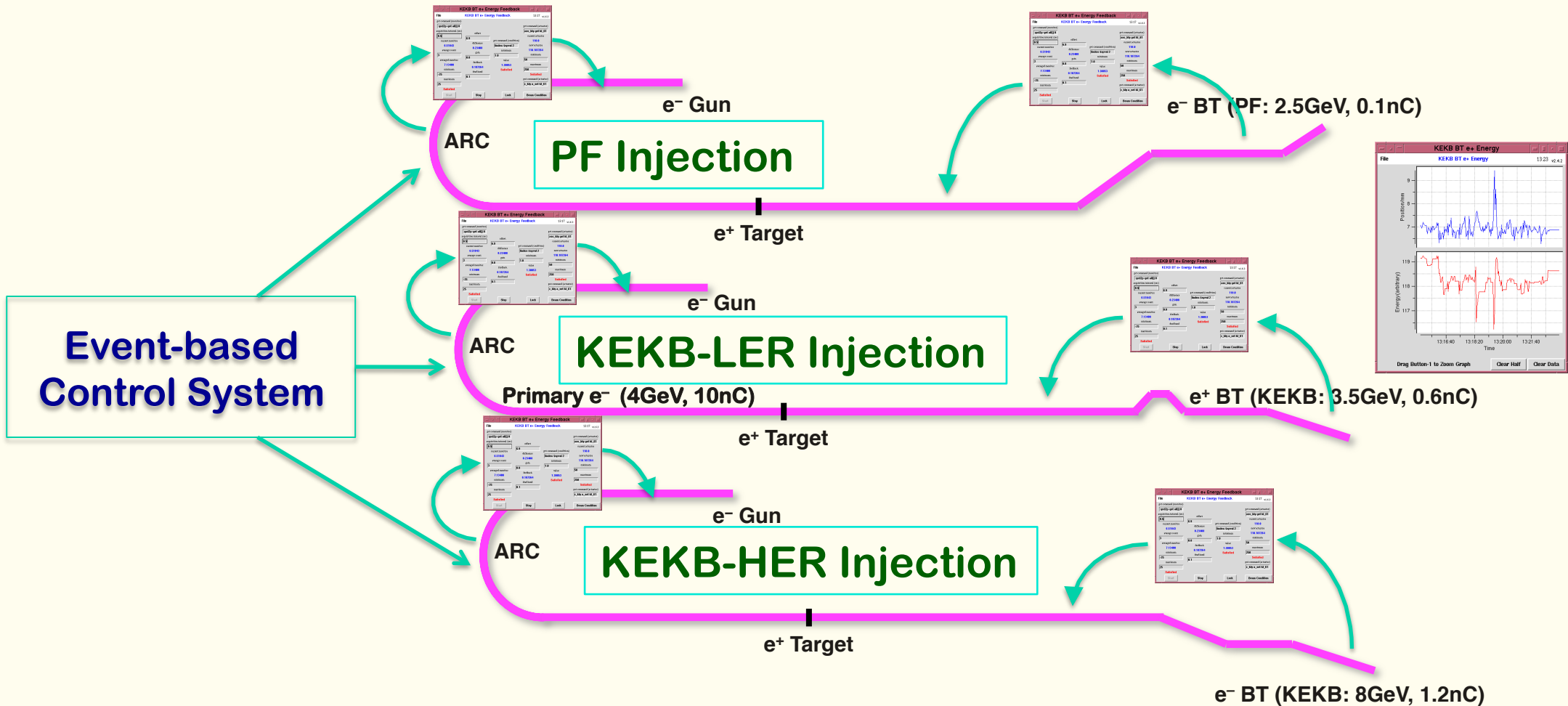
# One Machine, Multiple Virtual Accelerators (VAs)

- ◆ **Control/Monitor are carried dependent on a VA**
  - ❖ **Mostly independent between VAs**
- ◆ **Independent parameter set for each VA, one of the VAs is controlled at a time**
  - ❖ **VAs for Injections (HER (e<sup>-</sup>), LER (e<sup>+</sup>), PF, PF-AR) and Linac-only in SuperKEKB project**



# Multiple Closed Loop Controls Overlapped

◆ Closed loops were installed on each VA independently

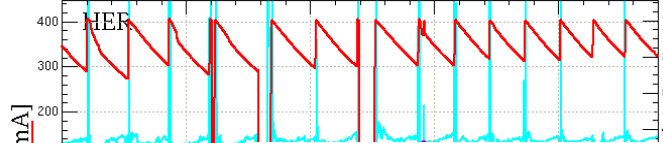




# KEKB Operation Improvement (base of SuperKEKB)

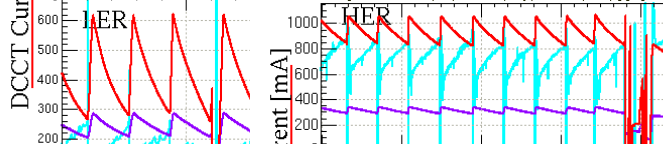
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 LER 312.9 [mA] 1125 [bunches]  
 Luminosity 1275. (now) 1763 (peak in 24H) [ $\times 10^{30}/\text{cm}^2\text{sec}$ ]  
 Integ. Lum. 5.7 (Full) 36.4 (Day) 81.6 (24H) [fb]

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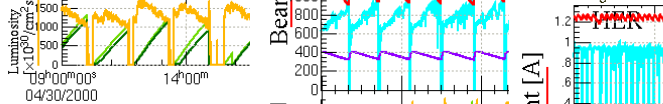
HER 1 [mA] 1284 [bunches] Physics Run  
 LER 1214. [mA] 1284 [bunches]  
 Luminosity 0 (now) 9027 (peak in 24H @04:38) [ $\mu\text{b}/\text{sec}$ ]  
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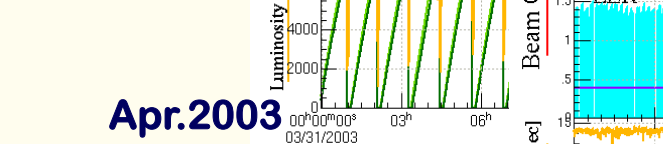
HER 1.256 [A] 1293 [bunches] Achieved 1000/pb/day  
 LER 1.638 [A] 1293 [bunches]  
 Luminosity 14.376 (now) 14.686 (peak in 24H @8:21) [nb/sec]  
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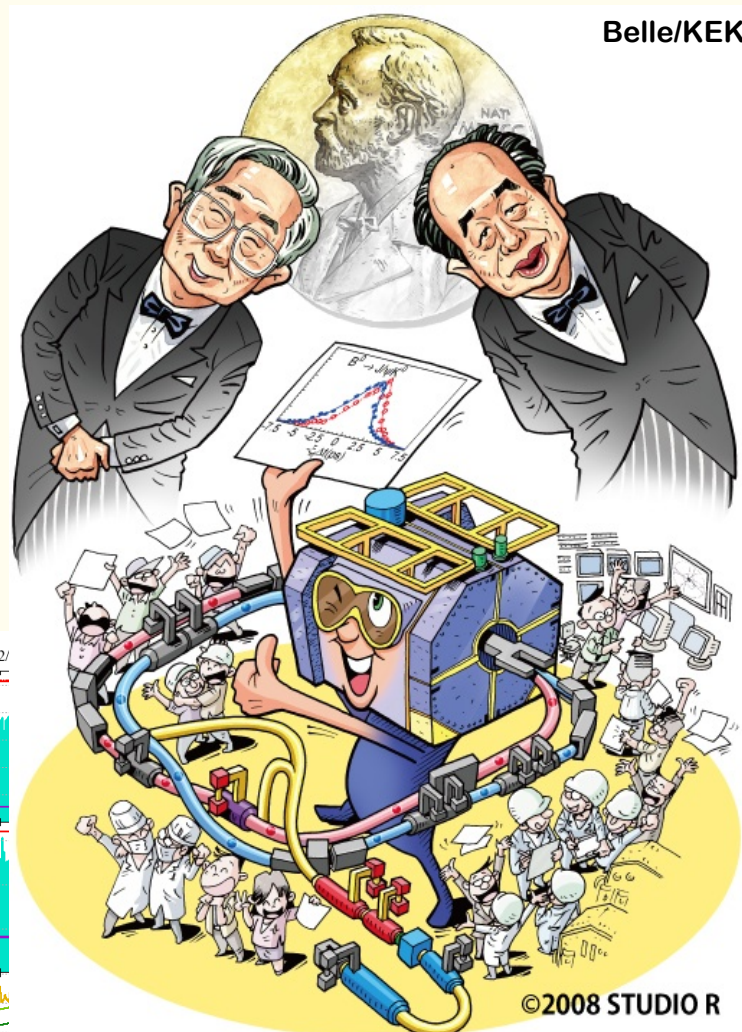
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red: beam current (e-, e+)  
 purple: vacuum (e-, e+)  
 yellow: luminosity  
 green: integrated luminosity



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Keeps world luminosity record



Advances in KEK Injector Linac  
Machine Performance Improvement  
**Challenges towards SuperKEKB**  
Upgraded Injector for SuperKEKB



# SuperKEKB at 2002

- ◆ Some consideration on upgrade for SuperKEKB was presented already in 2002
- ◆ Much different from present form, but this shows a project needs a long lead time

*Present Status and Future Upgrade of KEK e<sup>-</sup> Linac*

## Linac / Ring Upgrade for SuperKEKB

- ◆ for Precise Measurement of *B*-meson System Parameters and Search for New Physics (ex. SUSY)

SuperKEKB : Luminosity of  $10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

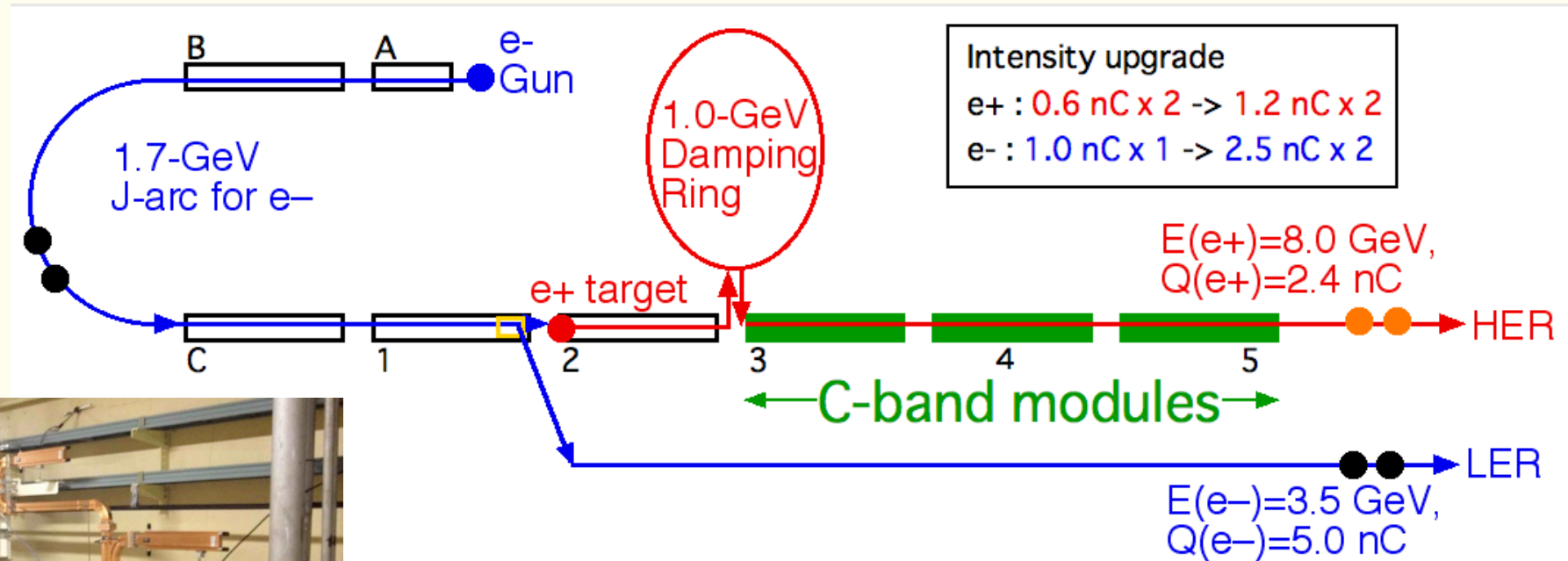
with Major Upgrade of Linac and Ring

- ◆ Luminosity Increase
  - (1) Squeezing **Beta** at Interaction Region (by factor of 3.3)
  - (2) Increasing e<sup>-</sup> and e<sup>+</sup> **Beam Current** (by factor of 3.3)
  - (3) **Exchanging Energies** of e<sup>-</sup> and e<sup>+</sup> (to cure e<sup>-</sup> cloud issues)
- ◆ for Linac
  - (3) is the Major Challenge, as well as (2)Two Schemes are Considered
  - (a) **Higher Gradient** with C-band Structures
  - (b) **Recirculation** of Positron

- ❖ Later,
- ❖ Energy exchange was rejected
- ❖ Nano-beam scheme was employed

# C-band Developments for Energy Exchange

- ◆ Electron cloud instability in the positron ring could be partially cured with higher energy in SuperKEKB

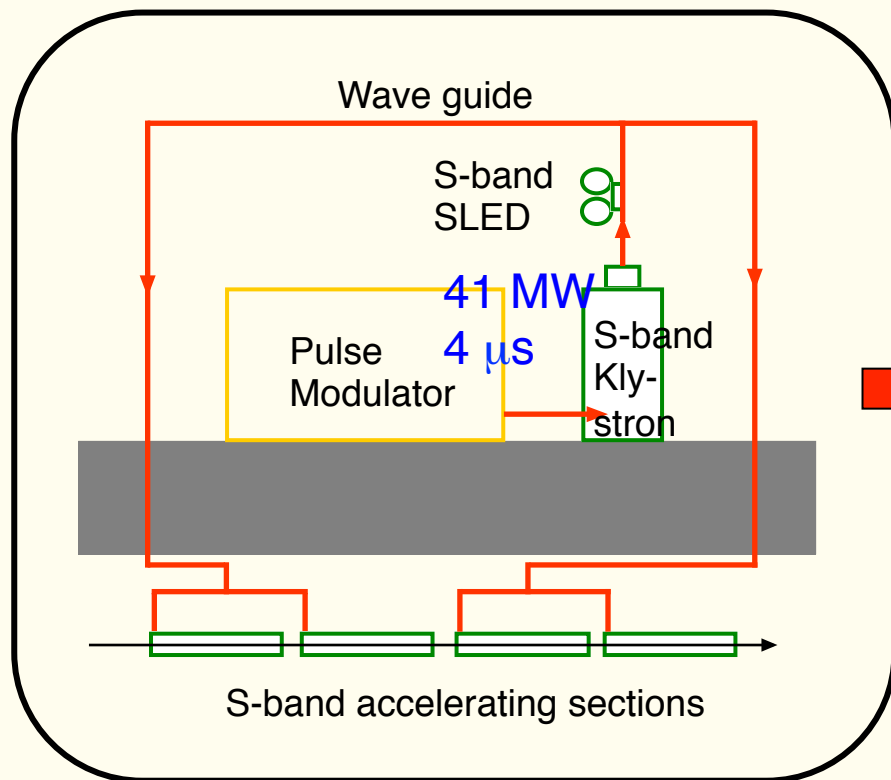


- ◆ The same electroplating technique was applied for the 1-m structures, and succeeded doubling the gradient

# Converting S-band unit into C-band units

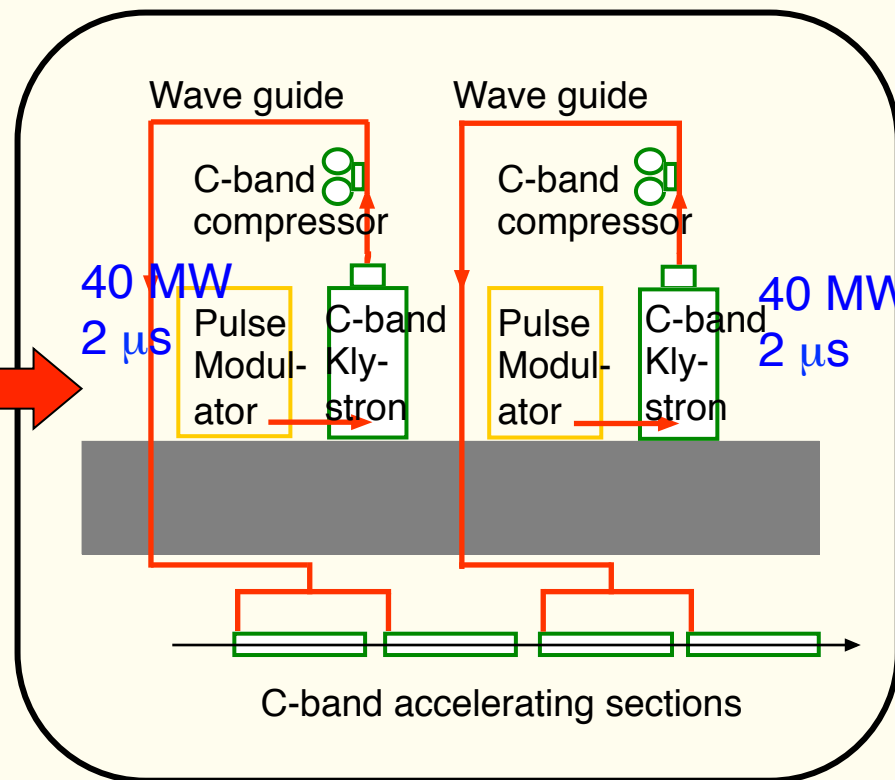
- ◆ 2 units were actually installed and operated for injections during the KEKB project

Existent S-band accelerator module



Accel. field gradient = 21 MV/m

New C-band accelerator module



Accel. field gradient = 42 MV/m

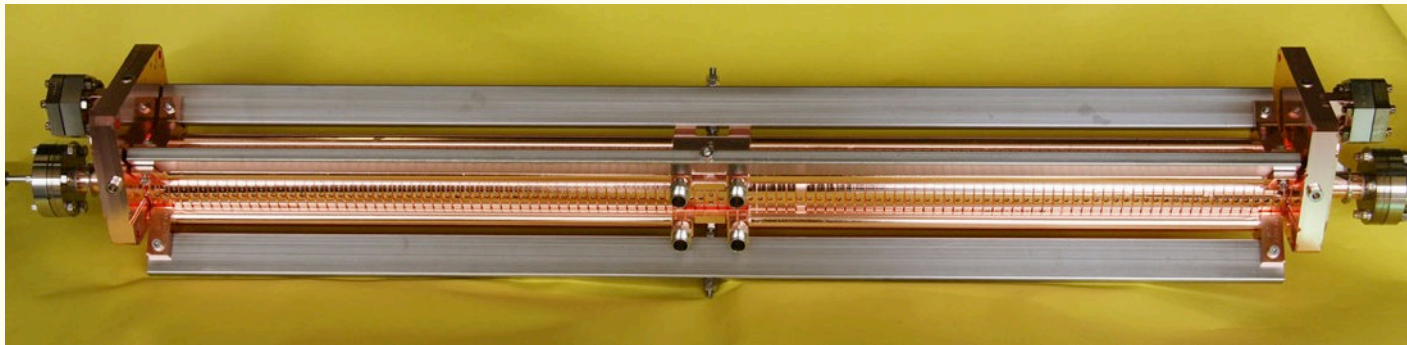
- ◆ However, later scheme did not allow small apertures to avoid emittance growth, and removed for SuperKEKB



# X-band Developments

## ◆ X-band deflector was developed

- ❖ For single-shot emittance measurement
- ❖ In collaboration with SLAC
- ❖ Medium power klystron and power modulators were developed
- ❖ Installation delayed for beamline design

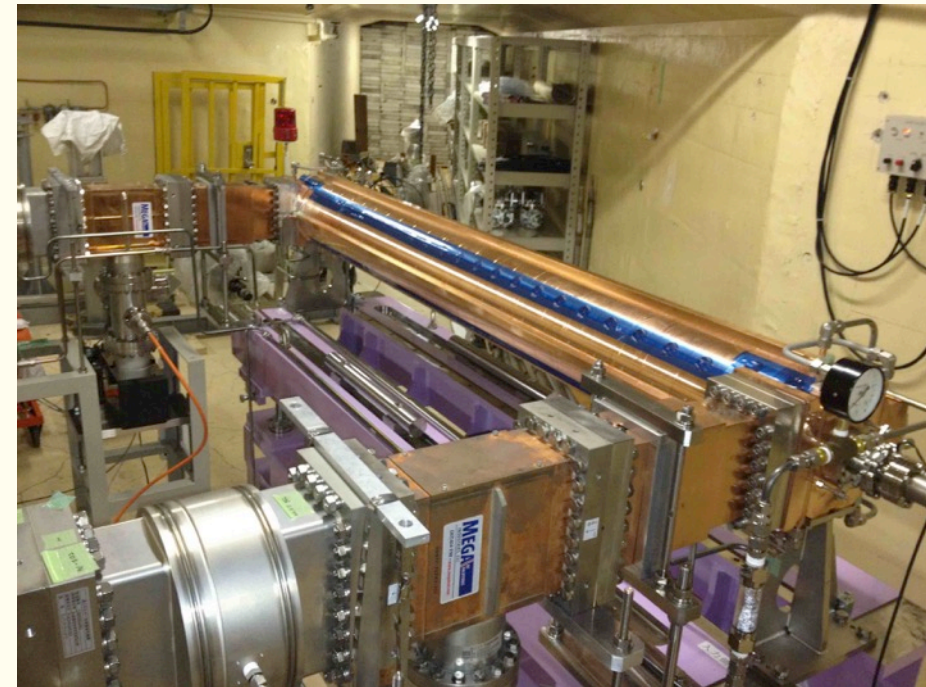


## ◆ General purpose high-gradient acceleration study

- ❖ In collaboration with CERN, SLAC, Beijing, Shanghai, ...
- ❖ Especially CLIC collaboration and CLIC prototype structure tests

# L-band Developments for Positron Yield

- ◆ L-band structure was developed to enhance the positron yield
  - ❖ After the positron target for large-aperture capturing
  - ❖ After the damping ring for bunching
- ◆ Kantal coaxial RF load to fit inside of solenoids
- ◆ Synergy expected with 1.3 GHz RF ILC development
  - ❖  $2856 \times 5 \div 11$ 
    - ✧ "11" is needed anyway for the ring synchronization
  - ❖ S-band satellite bunches can be filtered with this frequency
- ◆ Klystron was developed as well
  - ❖ High power test succeeded
- ◆ Now this is a backup plan



# Large Aperture S-band Development

- ◆ L-band system may consume large resources
- ◆ Beam simulation suggests S-band may suffice
  - ❖ With velocity bunching
  - ❖ For capturing, bunching, and satellite elimination
- ◆ Larger aperture S-band structure was designed
  - ❖ 20 mm  $\rightarrow$  30 mm aperture, double feed, fitting into solenoids
  - ❖ Electroplating  $\rightarrow$  brazing because of small productions



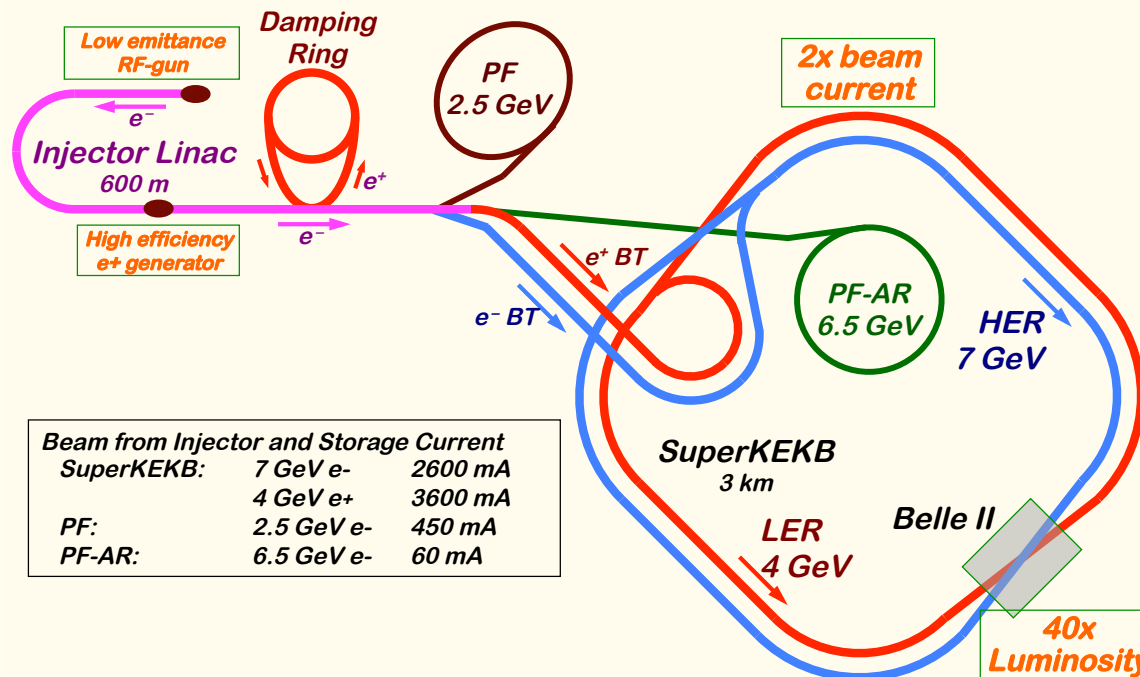




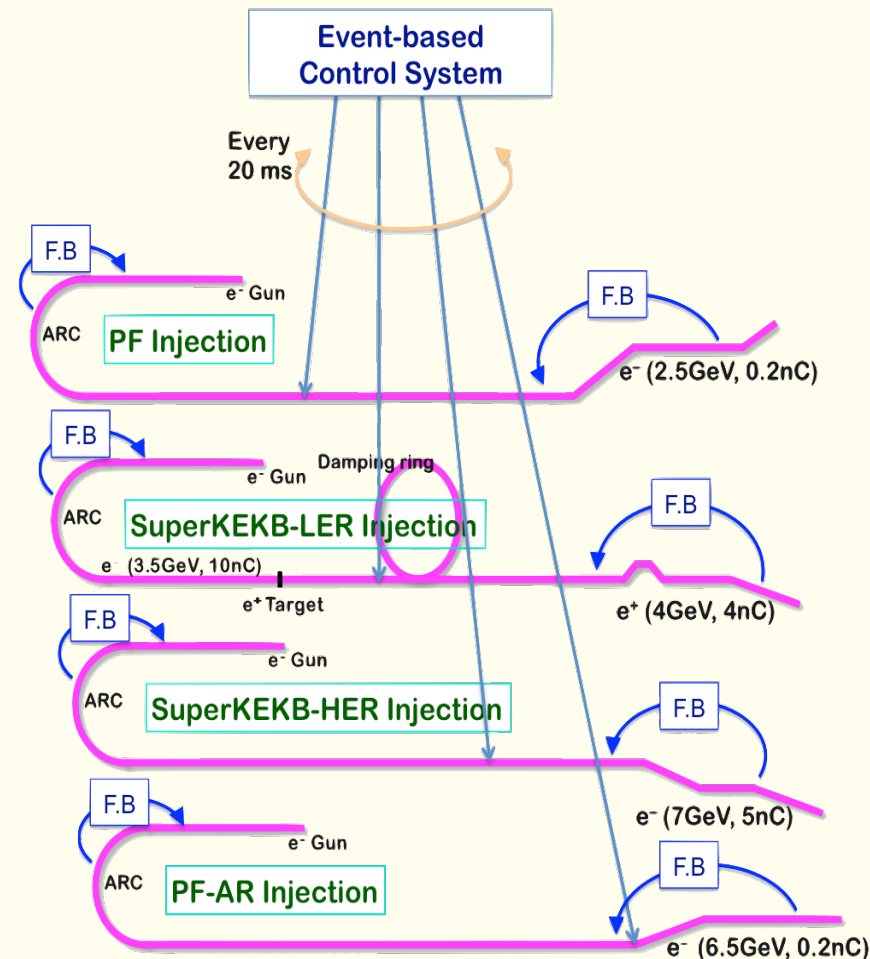
Advances in KEK Injector Linac  
Machine Performance Improvement  
Challenges towards SuperKEKB  
**Upgraded Injector for SuperKEKB**

# Mission of Electron/positron Injector in SuperKEKB

- ❖ For 40-times higher luminosity in SuperKEKB collider
- ❖ Low emittance & low energy spread injection beams with 4 times higher beam current
  - ❏ New high-current photo-cathode RF gun
  - ❏ New positron capture section
  - ❏ Positron damping ring injection/extraction
  - ❏ Optimized beam optics and correction
  - ❏ Precise beam orbit control with long-baseline alignment
  - ❏ Simultaneous top-up injection to DR/HER/LER/PF/PFAR
- ❖ Balanced injection for the both photon science and elementary particle physics experiments



SuperKEKB:	7 GeV e-	2600 mA
	4 GeV e+	3600 mA
PF:	2.5 GeV e-	450 mA
PF-AR:	6.5 GeV e-	60 mA

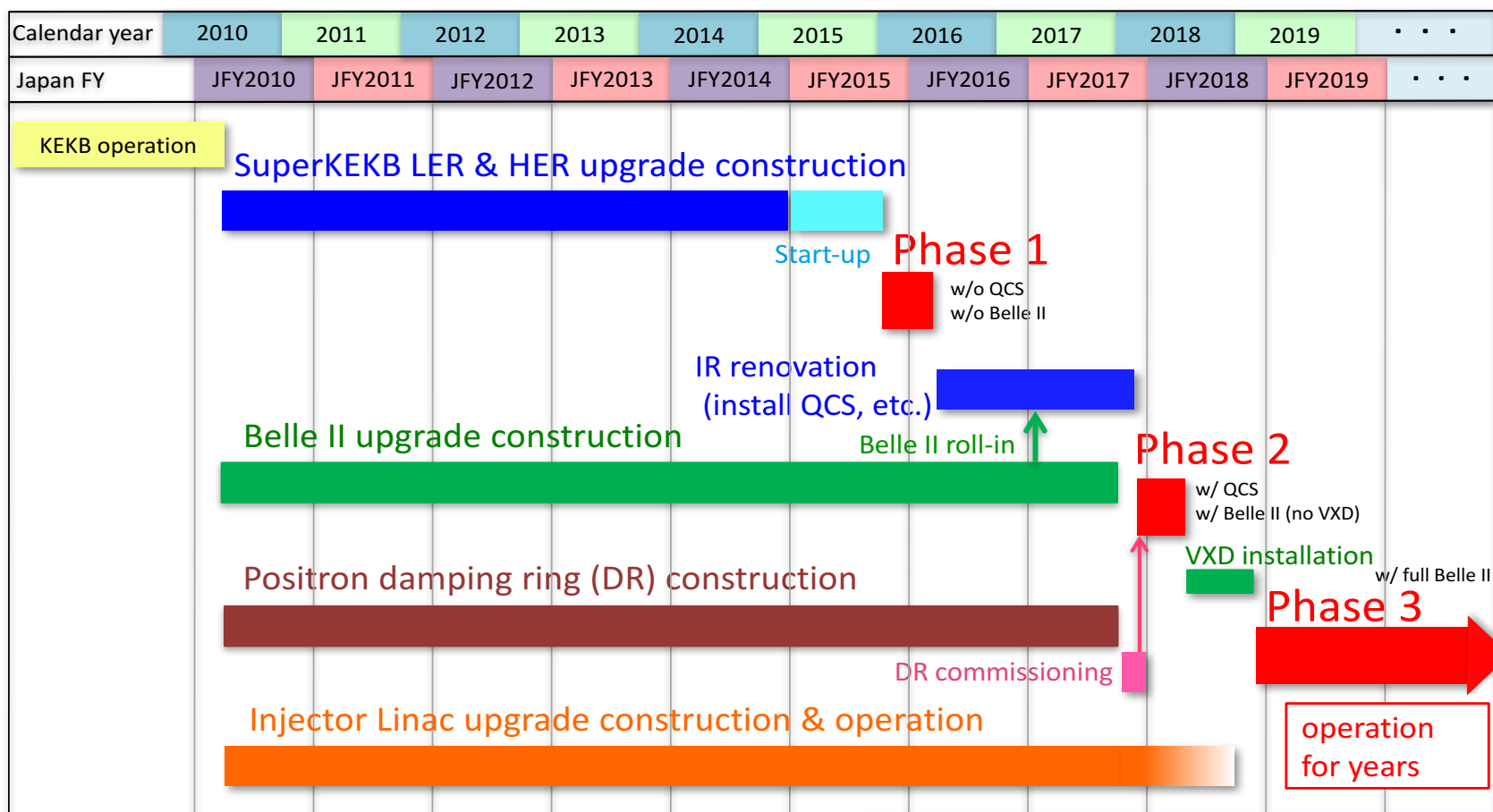


The single injector would behave as multiple injectors to multiple storage rings by the concept of virtual accelerator



# SuperKEKB Schedule

## SuperKEKB/Belle II schedule





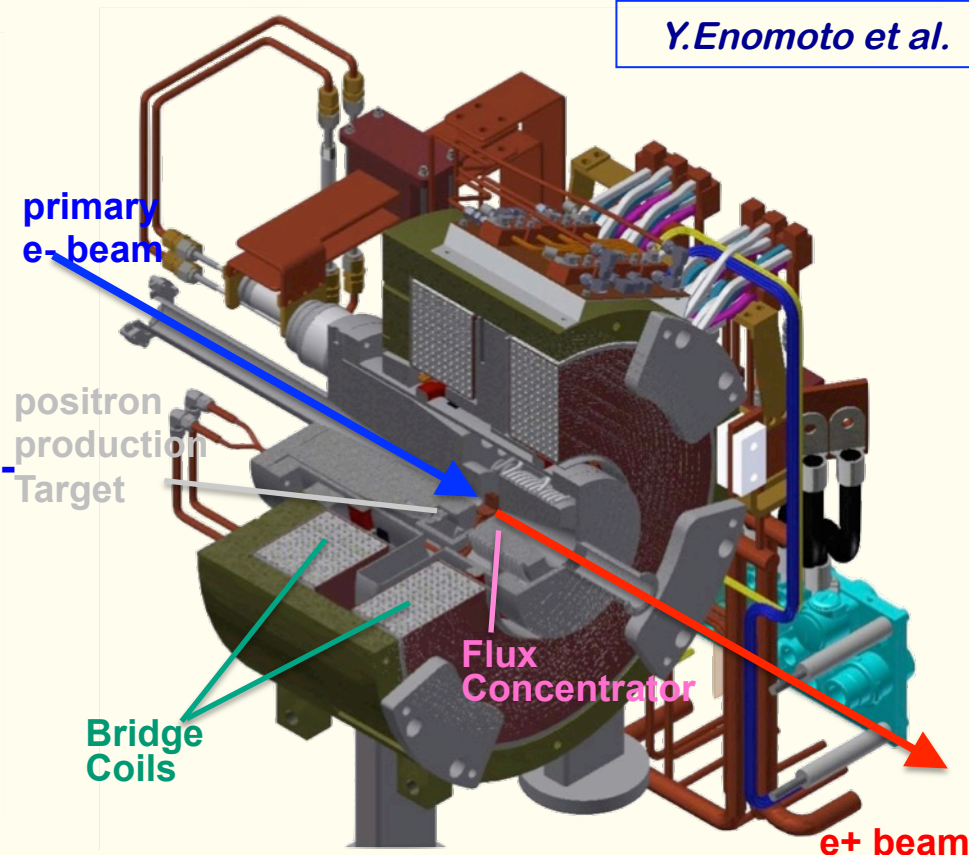
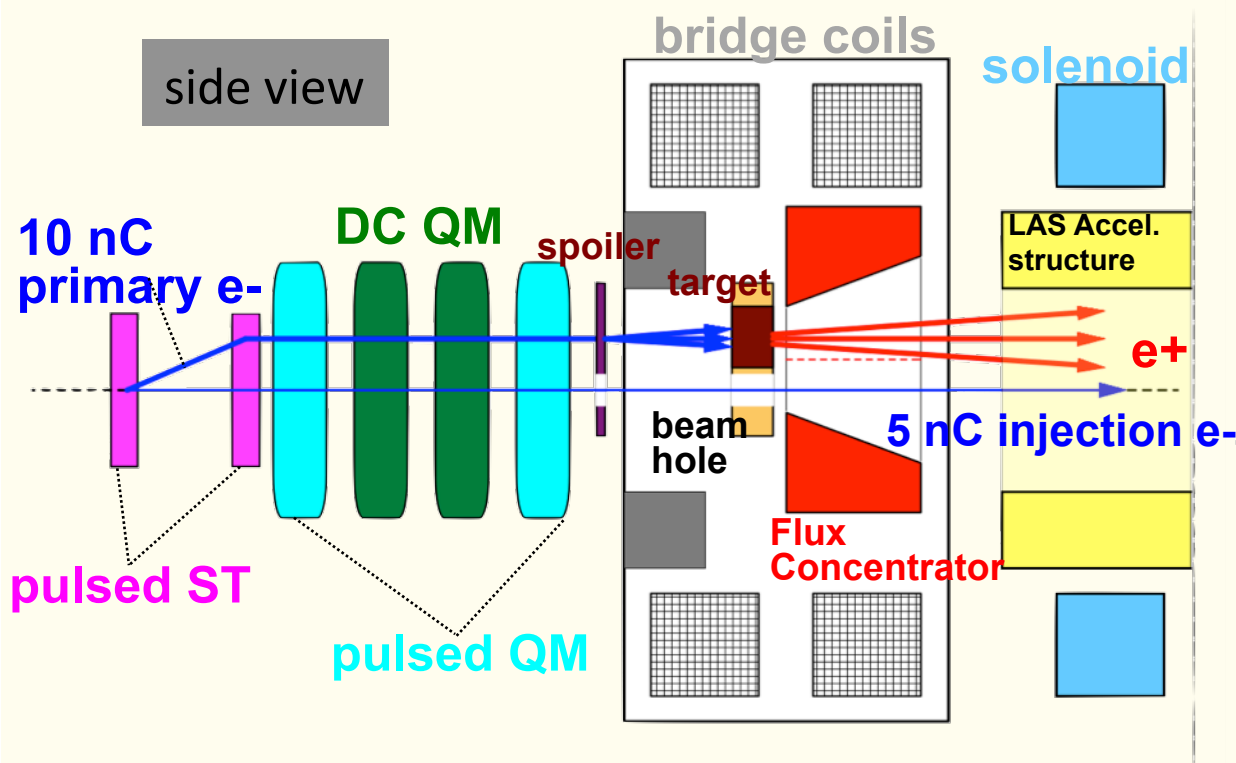
# Required injector beam parameters

## Injector Linac Parameters

Stage	KEKB Achievements		Phase-I Achievements		Phase-II Requirements		Pre-Phase-II Achievements		Phase-III 1st Year Plan		Phase-III Final Requirements	
	e+	e-	e+	e-	e+	e-	e+	e-	e+	e-	e+	e-
Beam	e+	e-	e+	e-	e+	e-	e+	e-	e+	e-	e+	e-
Energy	3.5 GeV	8.0 GeV	4.0 GeV	7.0 GeV	4.0 GeV	7.0 GeV	4.0 GeV	7.0 GeV	4.0 GeV	7.0 GeV	4.0 GeV+	7.0 GeV+
Stored current	1.6 A	1.1 A	1 A	1 A	1.8 A	1.3 A	-	-	3.6 A	2.6 A	3.6 A	2.6 A
Life time (min.)	150	200	100	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6
Bunch charge (nC)	primary e- 10 → 1	1	primary e- 8 → 0.4	1	0.5	1	1.4	2.5	primary e- 10 1 - 3	1 - 3	primary e- 10 → 4	4
Norm. Emittance ( $\gamma\beta\epsilon$ ) ( $\mu\text{rad}$ )	1400	310	1000	130	200/40 (Hor/Ver)	150	200/5 (Hor/Ver)	20 @ SectorB	<u>100/15</u> (Hor/Ver)	<u>40/20</u> (Hor/Ver)	<u>100/15</u> (Hor/Ver)	<u>40/20</u> (Hor/Ver)
Energy spread	0.13%	0.13%	0.50%	0.50%	0.16%	0.10%	?	?	<u>0.16%</u>	<u>0.07%</u>	<u>0.16%</u>	<u>0.07%</u>
Bunch / Pulse	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Repetition rate	50 Hz		25 Hz		25 Hz		25 Hz		50 Hz		50 Hz	
Simultaneous top-up injection (PPM)	3 rings (LER, HER, PF)		No top-up		Eventually		Only for LER, PF, PF-AR		<u>4+1 rings</u> (LER, HER, DR, PF, PF-AR)		<u>4+1 rings</u> (LER, HER, DR, PF, PF-AR)	

# Positron generation for SuperKEKB

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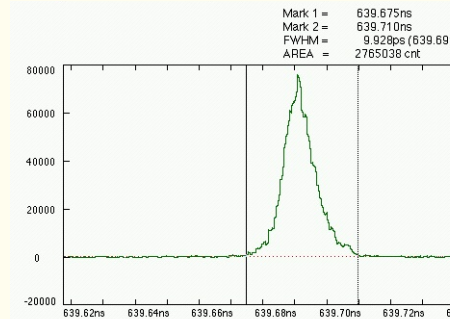
New positron capture section after target with  
 Flux concentrator (FC) and large-aperture S-band structure (LAS)  
 Satellite bunch (beam loss) elimination with velocity bunching  
 Pinhole (2mm) for passing electrons beside target (3.5mm)  
 Recently, facing discharge difficulties at maximum field



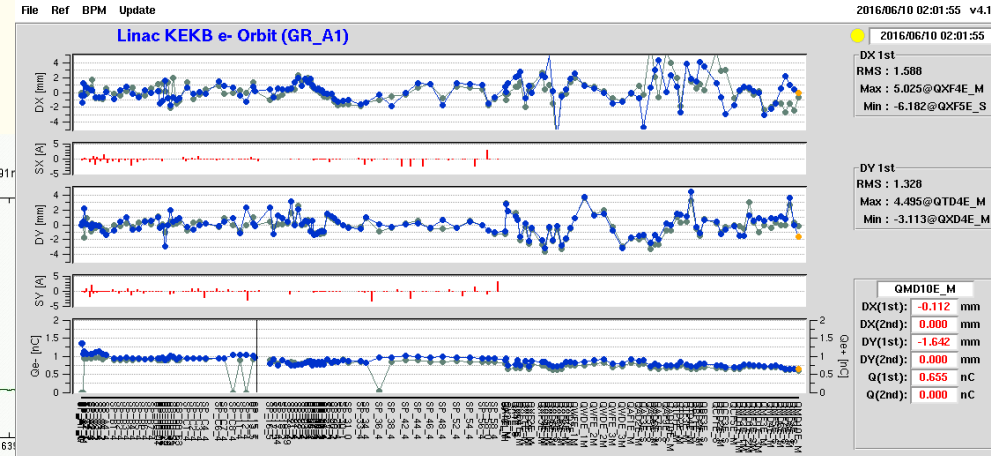
# Development of Photo-cathode RF Gun

M. Yoshida et al.

- ◆ Succeeded in injection during SuperKEKB Phase 1 and 2 commissioning
- ◆ Employs Yb-doped-fiber and Nd/Yb:YAG laser, Ir5Ce cathode, QTWSC or cut disk cavities
- ◆ Stability improving
- ◆ Beam instrumentation improvements and comparison with simulation codes underway
- ◆ Secondary RF gun was constructed as a backup
- ◆ Incorporate suggestions by review committee for availability and so on

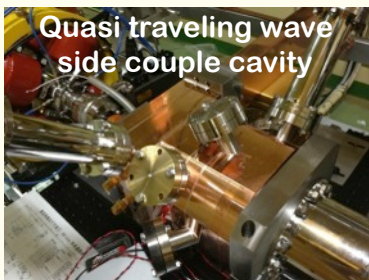
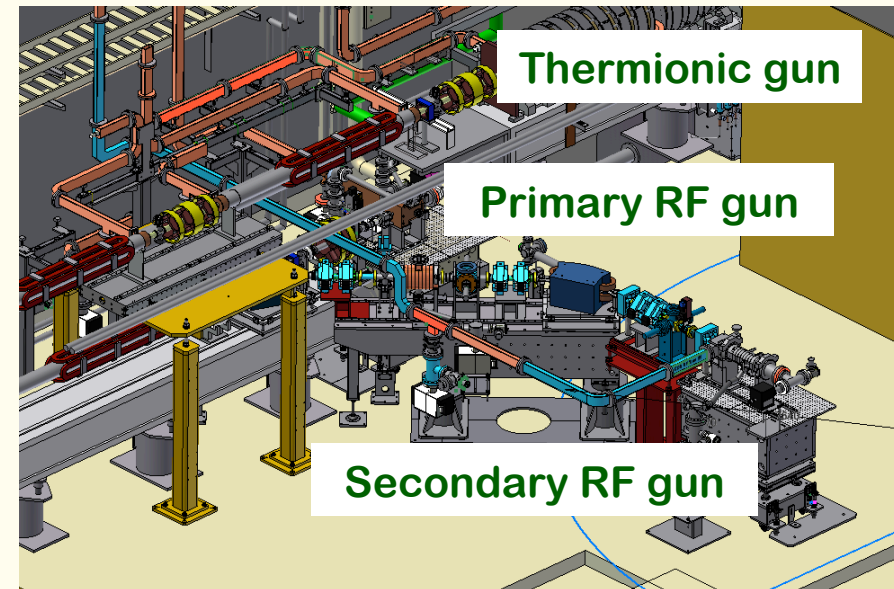


Bunch width

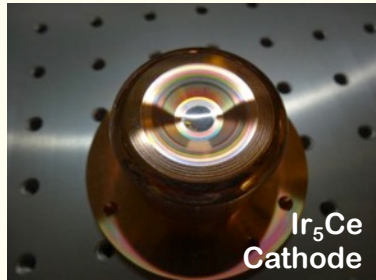


Beam orbit measurement

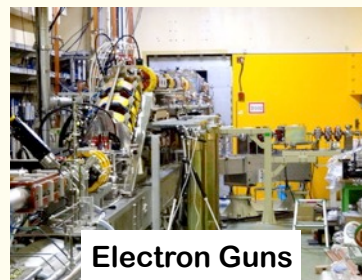
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Quasi traveling wave side couple cavity



Ir<sub>5</sub>Ce Cathode

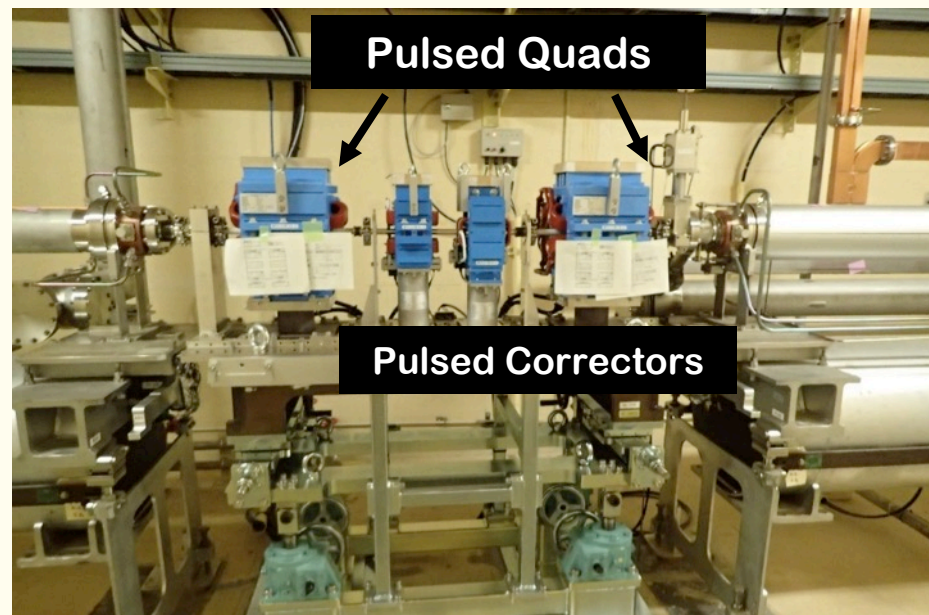
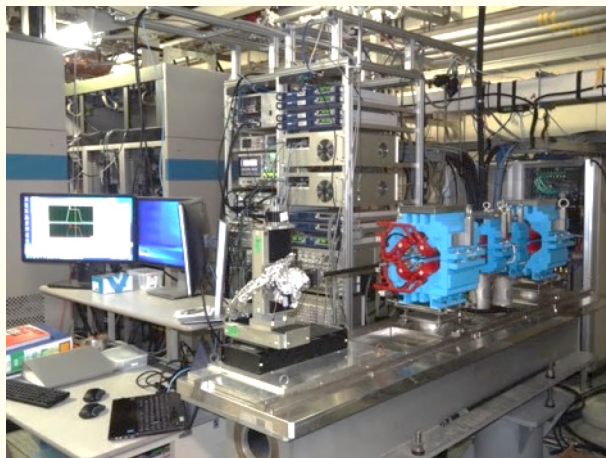


Electron Guns

# Development and installation of pulsed magnets

- ❖ Pulsed magnets and power supplies were installed in 2017
- ❖ >30 quads, >40 steerings, 2 bends, 14 girders are operational
- ❖ Quads with advanced design at 1 mH, 330 A, 340 V, 1 ms with energy recovery up to 75%
- ❖ Small form-factor of 19 inch width and 3U height each
- ❖ Steering power supplies were also developed in-house
- ❖ Essential for SuperKEKB low-emittance injection and for simultaneous injection
- ❖ 4+1 ring simultaneous injections with virtual accelerator concept

*Enomoto, Natsui et al*



- ❖ Long term tests at a stand
- ❖ Satisfies specifications
- ❖ Control synchronization

- ❖ Successful fast beam switches
- ❖ 0.01% reproducibility and stability
- ❖ Girders with In-house drawings to save resources
- ❖ 0.1mm alignment precision



# Pulse-to-pulse modulation

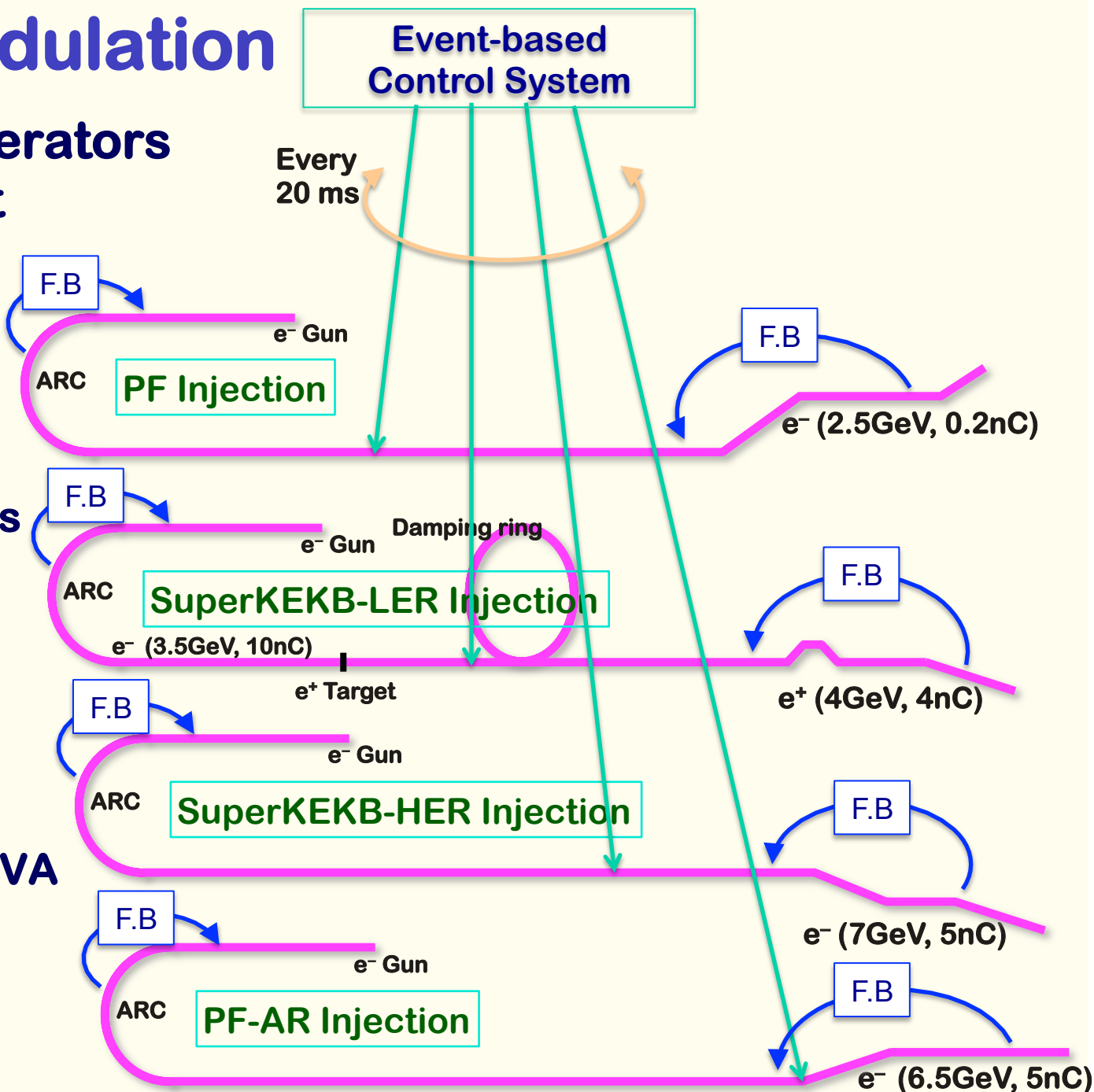
## ◆ Four PPM virtual accelerators for SuperKEKB project

Based on Dual-tier controls with EPICS and event-system

Independent parameter sets for each VA (20ms)  
>200 parameters

for equipment controls  
many more for beam controls

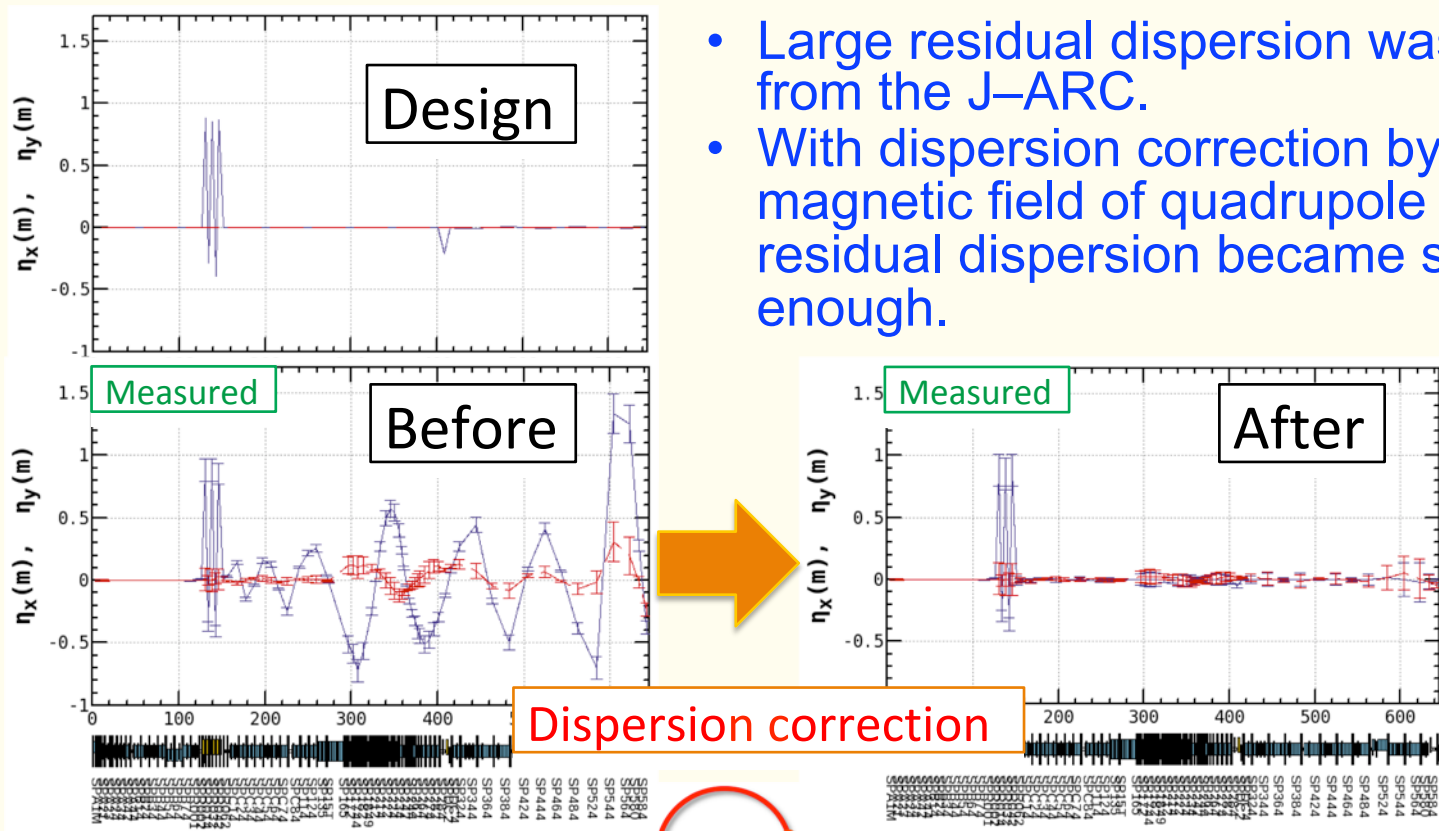
maybe with additional PPM VA of **stealth beam** for measurement



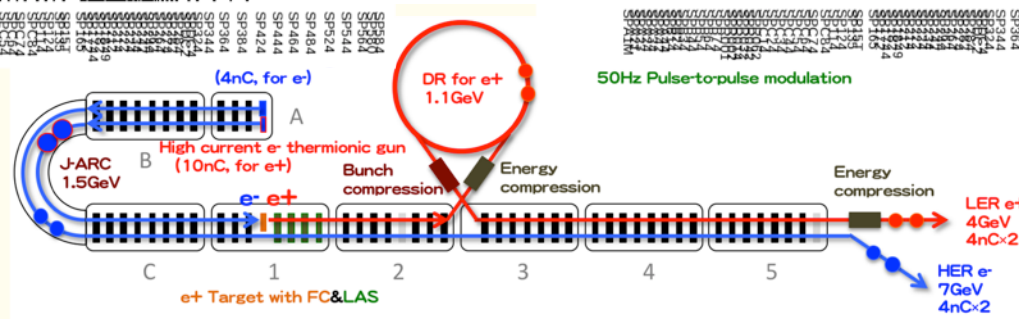


# Residual Dispersion Function in Linac

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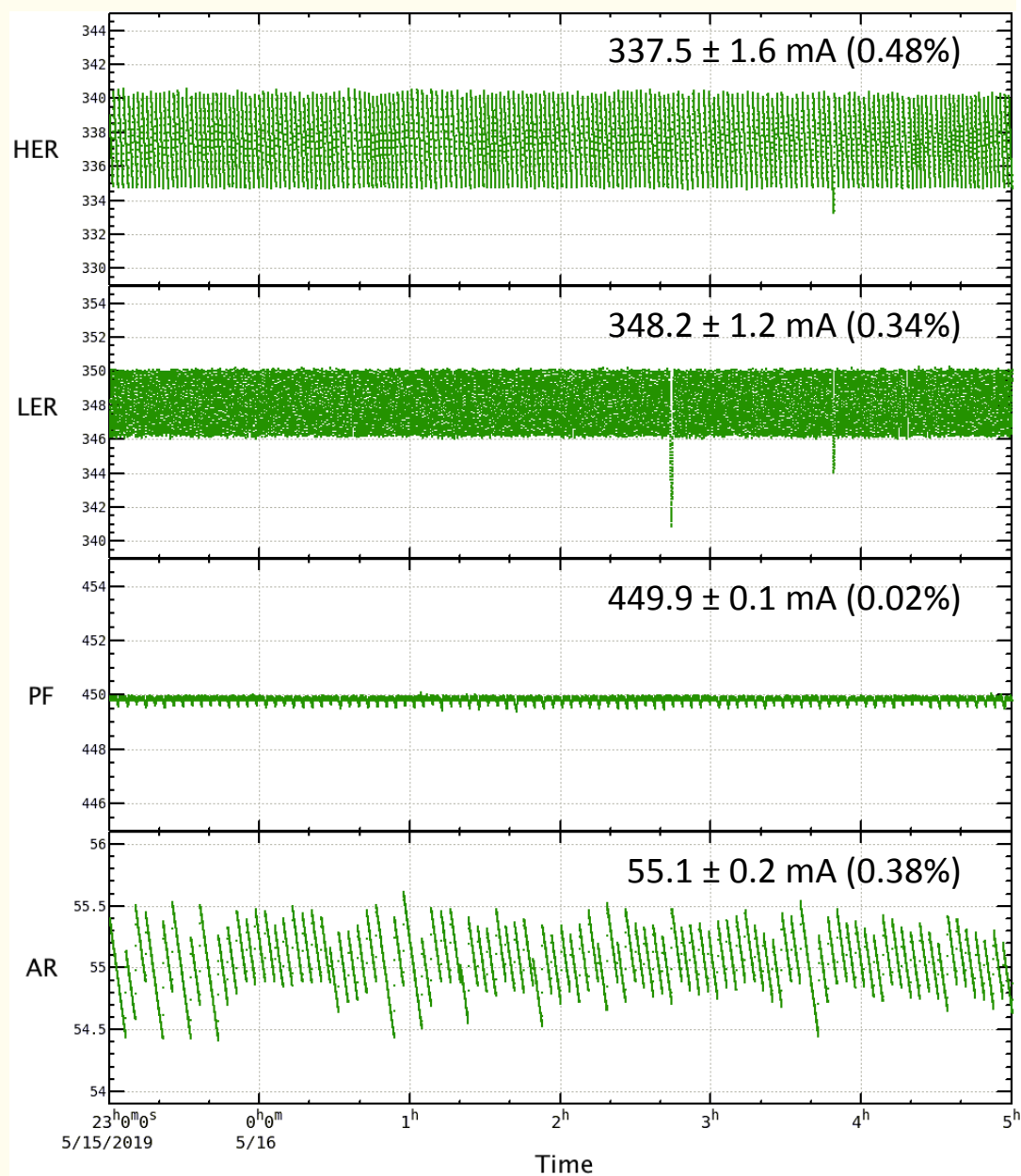
- Large residual dispersion was generated from the J-ARC.
- With dispersion correction by tuning the magnetic field of quadrupole magnets, residual dispersion became small enough.



# Simultaneous 4 + 1 Ring Top-up Injection

## ◆ Realized for the first time

- ❖ SuperKEKB HER 7 GeV e<sup>-</sup>
  - ❖ SuperKEKB LER 4 GeV e<sup>+</sup>
  - ❖ Photon Factory 2.5 GeV e<sup>-</sup>
  - ❖ PF-AR 5.0 / 6.5 GeV e<sup>-</sup>
- ❖ 4 beams are modulated at 20 ms PPM
  - ❖ More than 200 pulsed devices were constructed for SuperKEKB, as well as beam and RF monitors
  - ❖ Injection noise (background) were well studied and routinely adopted from the 3rd week of May (after a severe fire)





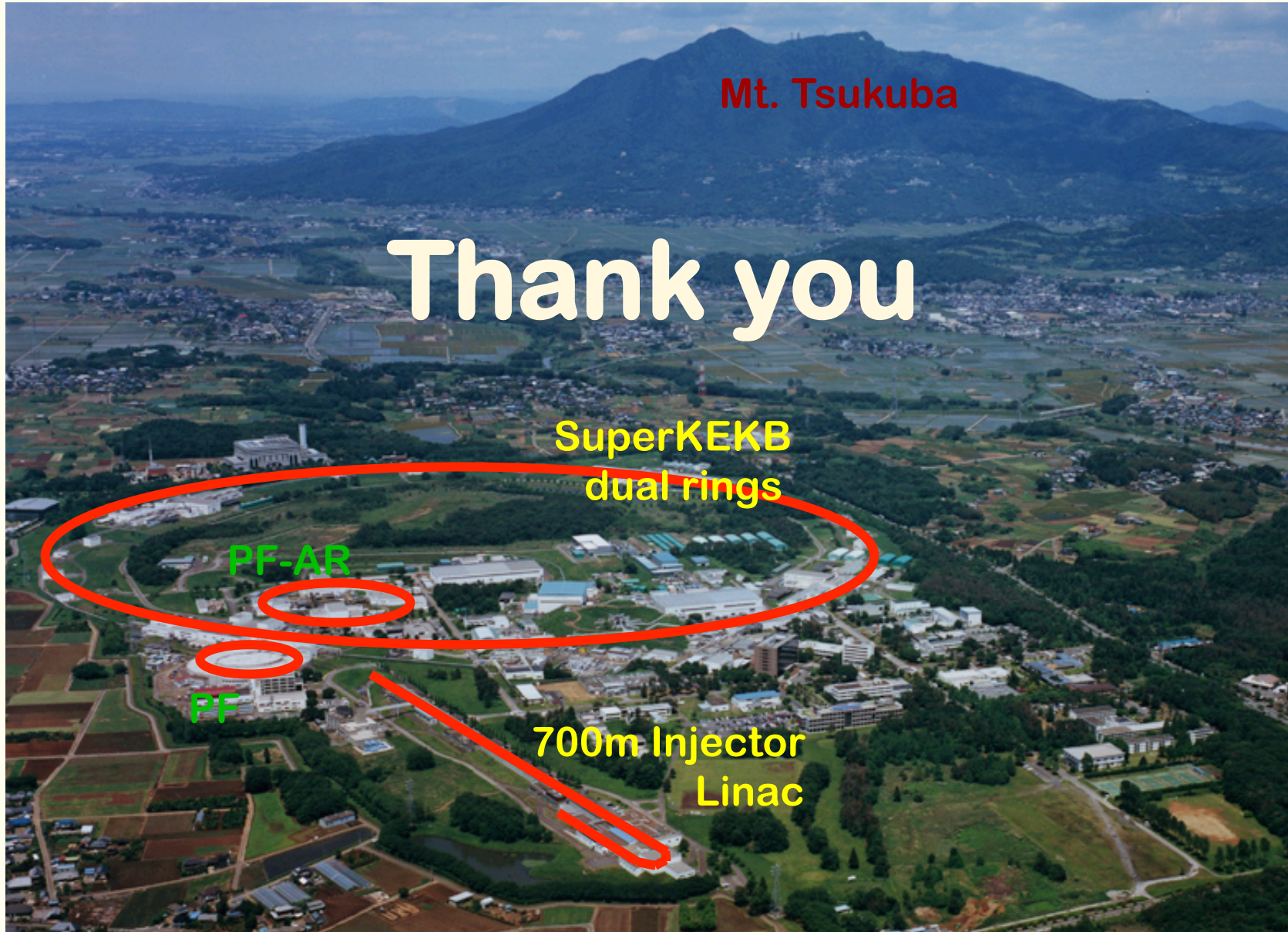
# Summary



# Summary

- ◆ We learned a lot during injector development and operation for 4 decades
- ◆ It contributed to achieve the world highest luminosity
- ◆ Injection into SuperKEKB is another challenge with higher beam charge and lower transverse/longitudinal emittance
- ◆ Trial and error for a new accelerator may be necessary depending on many parameters along the accelerator chain
- ◆ With some Phronesis we can enjoy accelerators
  - ❖ Phronesis [Greek]: Practical wisdom, Ability to understand the Universal Truth





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