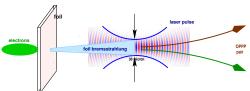
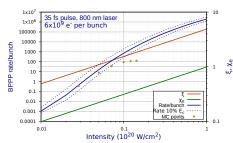
## BPPP asymptotic rate and monte carlo

- BPPP is OPPP integrated over bremstrahlung photon spectrum
- Rate is and exponential asymptote for  $\xi > 1/\sqrt{\chi_e} \gg 1$
- Simple dependence on Schwinger critical field
- Real experiment has gaussian pulse with varying intensity  $(\xi)$
- Monte carlo shows a good match for low ξ but varies thereafter
- Experimental effects need to be "unpacked" - angular spread, gaussian pulse
- Need to include full rate to compare with exponential

## Bremsstr. photon pair prodn (BPPP)



## BPPP asymptotic rate



$$\Gamma_{\mathrm{BPPP}}\!\rightarrow\!\frac{\alpha m^2}{\epsilon_p}\,\frac{9}{128}\sqrt{\frac{3}{2}}\frac{X}{X_0}\chi_e^2\exp\left[-\frac{8}{3\chi_e}(1\!-\!1/15\xi^2)\right]$$