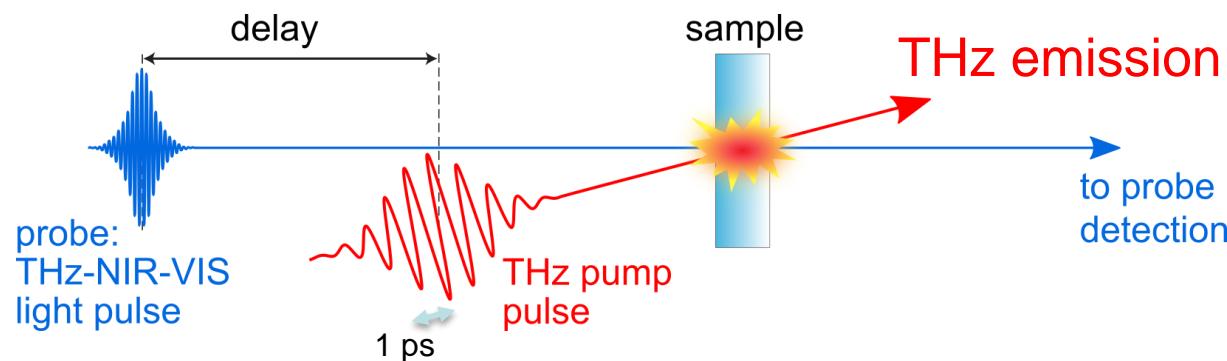




Current Status and Developments of ultrafast spectroscopy at accelerator based light source ELBE

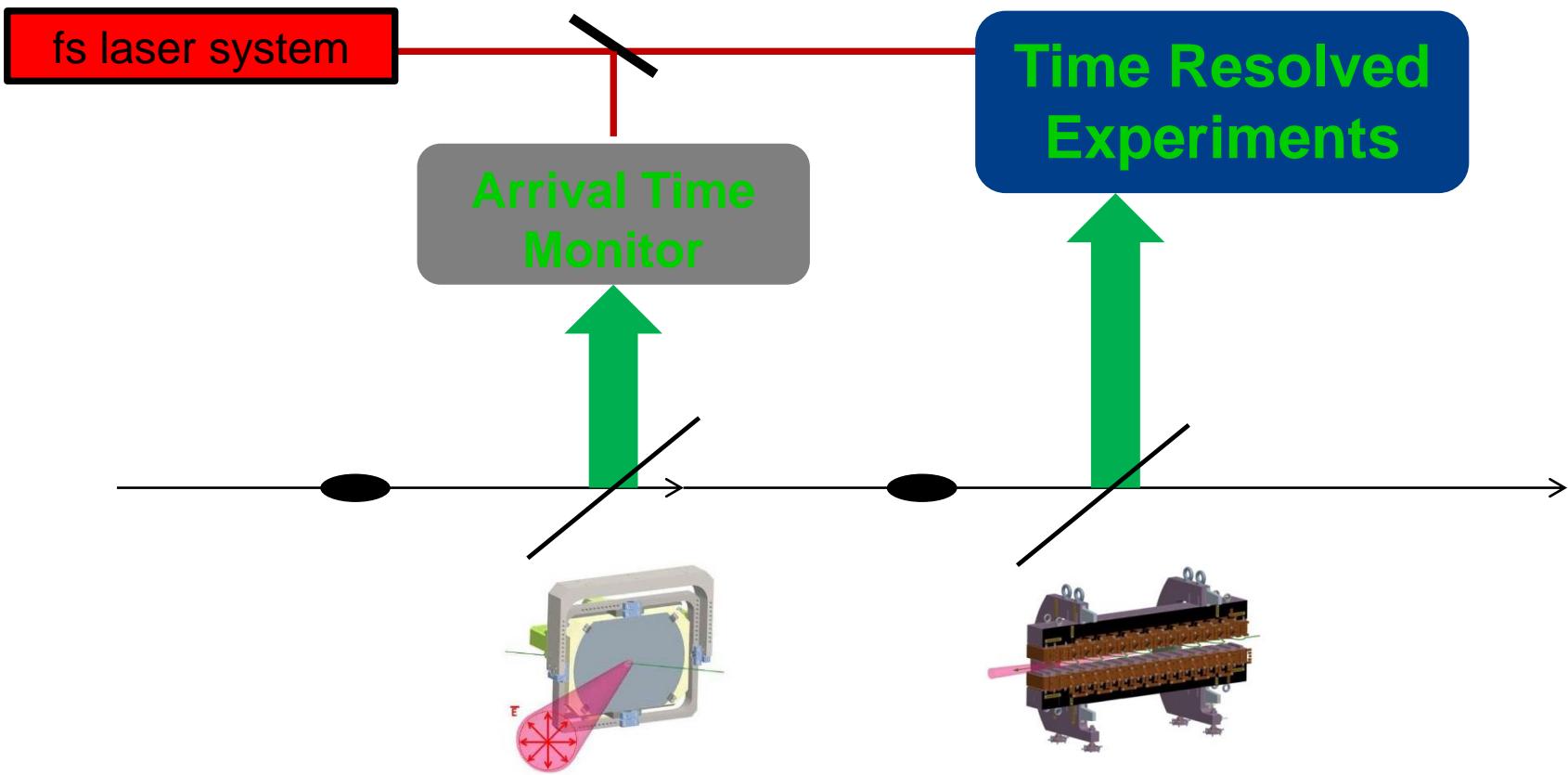
Ultrafast spectroscopy at 4th generation light sources:



bringing together:

- a) SRF-linac-driven THz sources
- b) table-top fs optical laser

Pulse resolved detection:



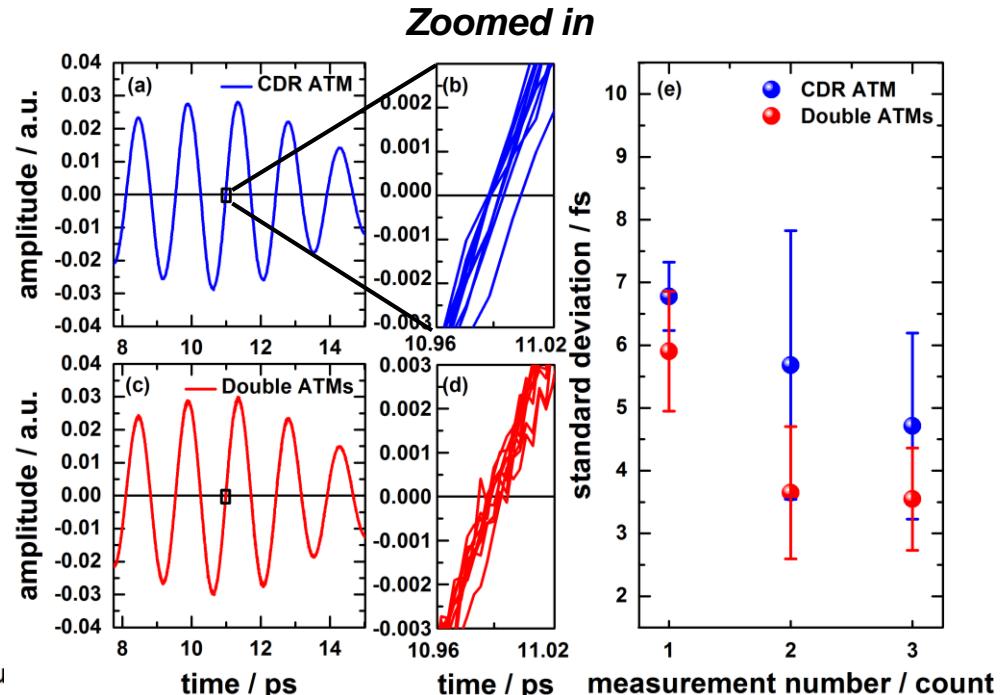
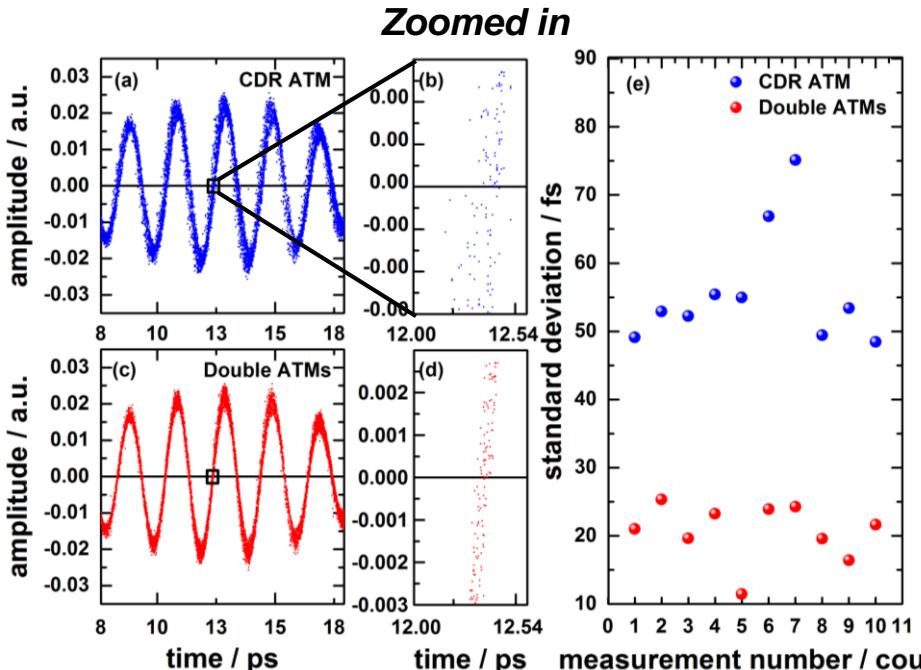
**utilizing intrinsic synchronization of photon pulses from
same electron bunch***

1. S. Kovalev et al., Struct. Dyn. 4, 024301 (2017)
2. B. Green et al., Scientific Reports 6, 22256 (2016)

Comparison between single and sequential ATM

- *Short-term performance (single loop, 5 mins)*
- *Data are sorted but not binned*

- *Long-term performance (10 loops, 30 mins)*
- *Data are sorted and binned*



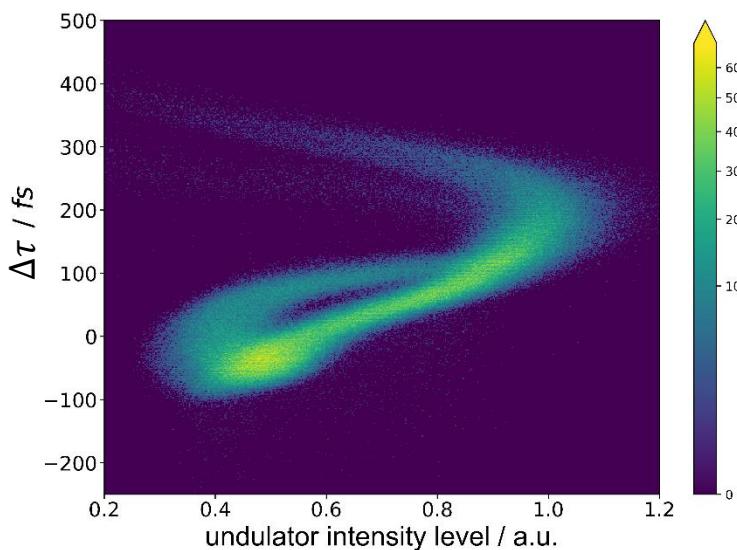
- *Temporal resolution increase from 55 to 20 fs*
- *Short -term jitter compensation*
- *Avoid CDR-undulator jitter.*

- *Temporal resolution increase from 6 to 4 fs*
- *Long-term drift compensation*
- *Temp. drifts of beamlines.*

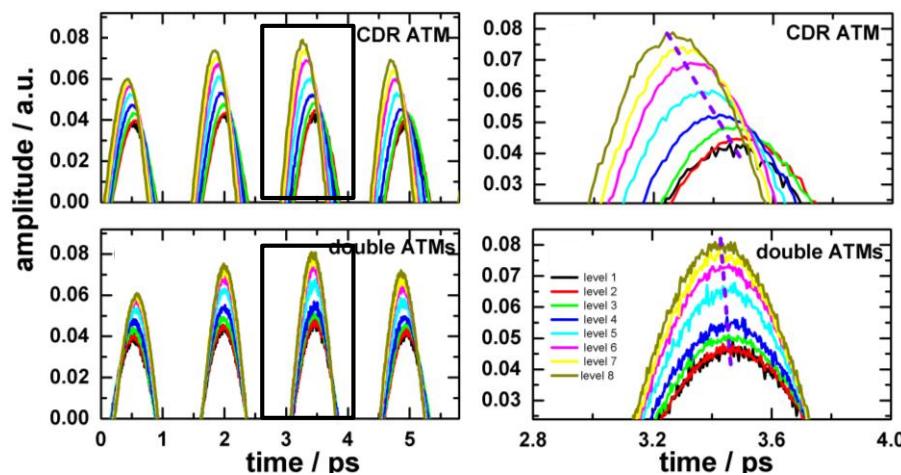
• *Temporal resolution is estimated by RMS distribution of data points around zero-crossing positions*

Correlation between Arrival time difference and undulator pulse intensity

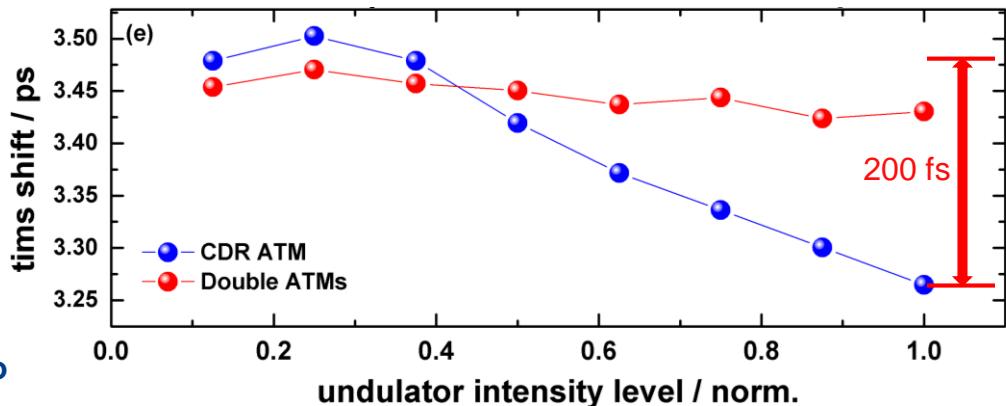
$\Delta\tau$ vs. undulator intensity level



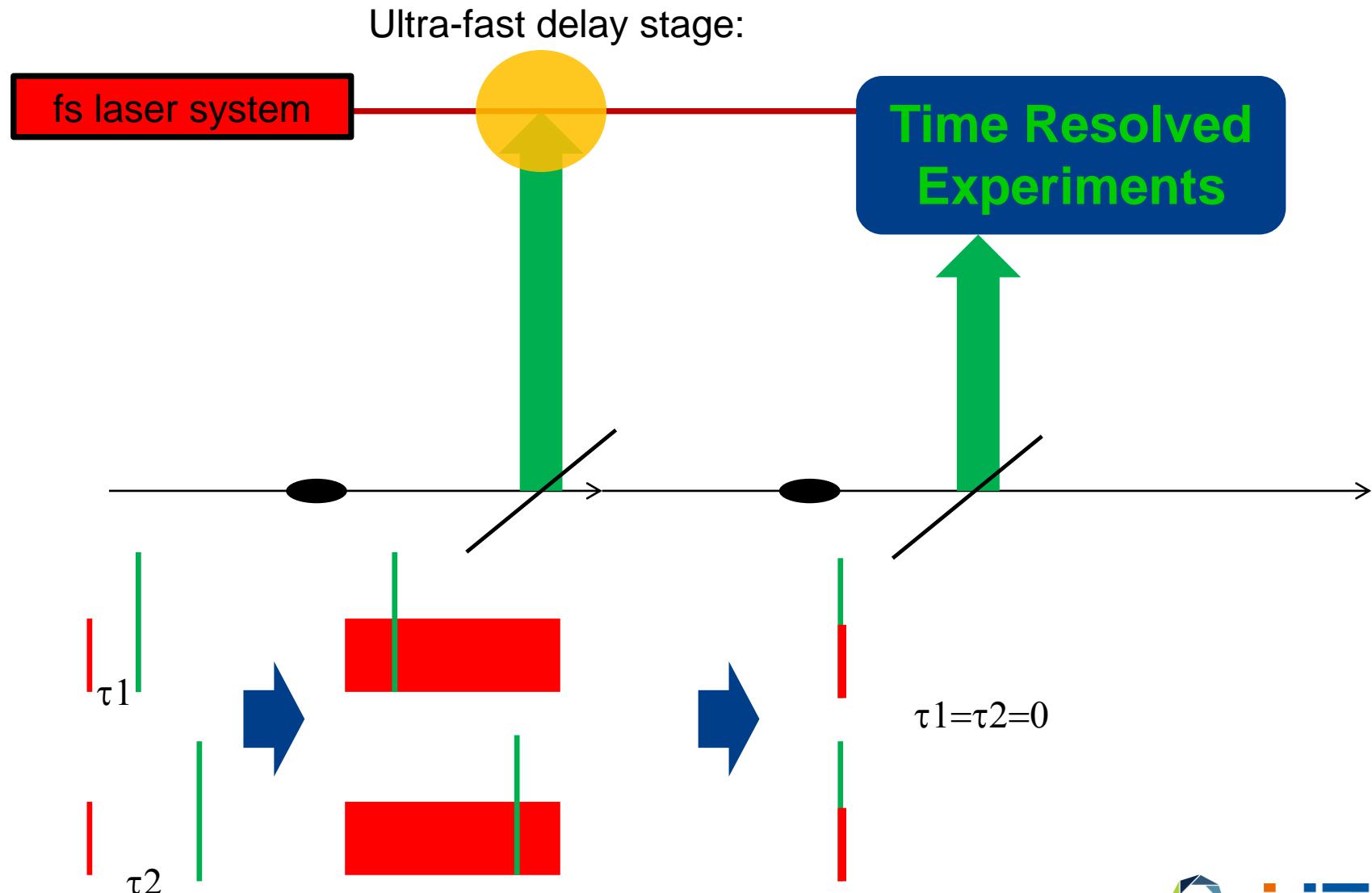
EOS trace binned with different
undulator intensity level



- $\Delta\tau$: arrival time difference between CDR and undulator pulse
- Undulator intensity level: read out from undulator ATM
- Increase timing accuracy by decreasing pulse intensity correlated arrival time shift
- !!!Could be a new diagnostic tool investigating electron energy charge dispersion between undulator and CDR source !!!



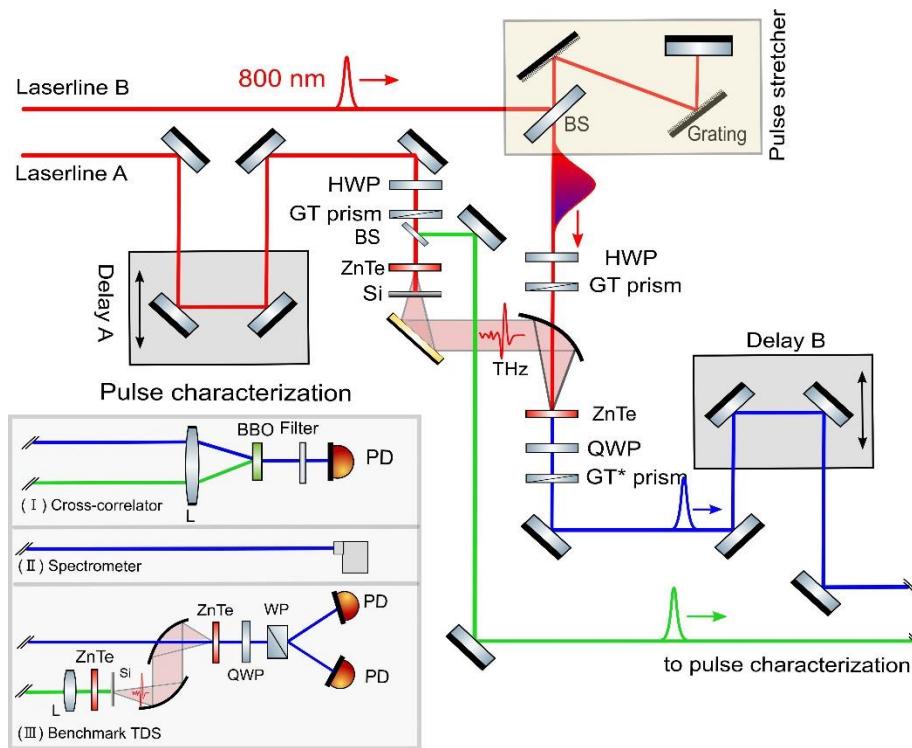
Intrinsic synchronization:



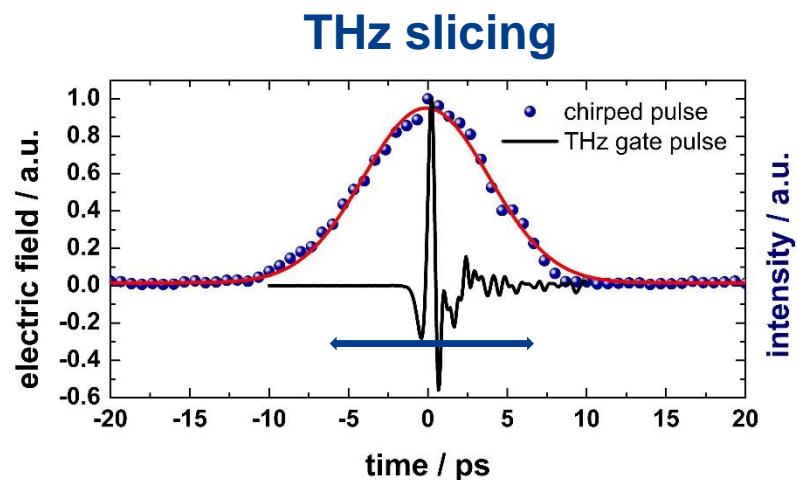
M. Chen et al., Optics Letters 43, 2213-2216 (2018)

Intrinsic synchronization: proof-of-principle

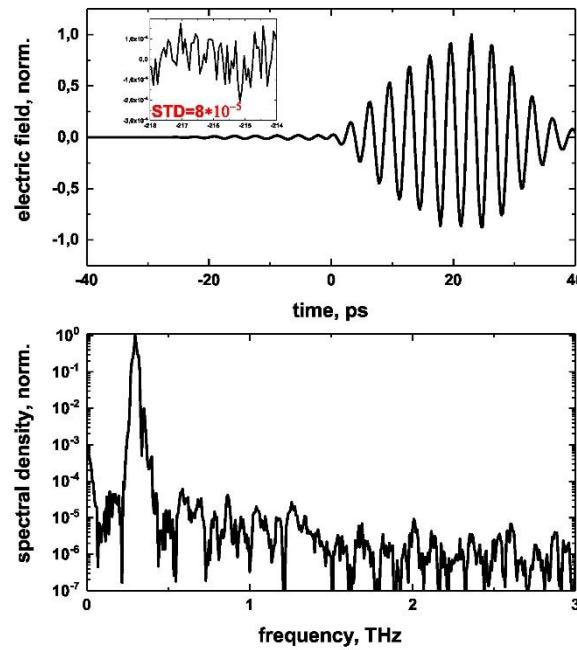
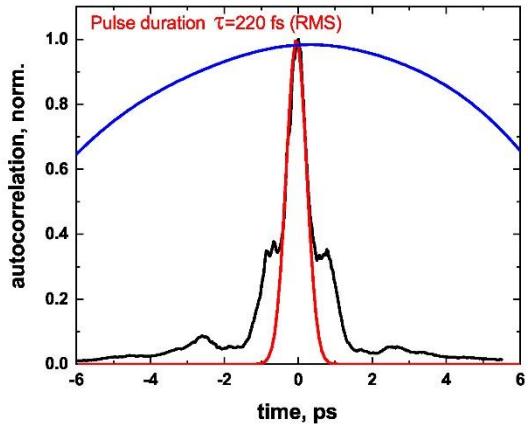
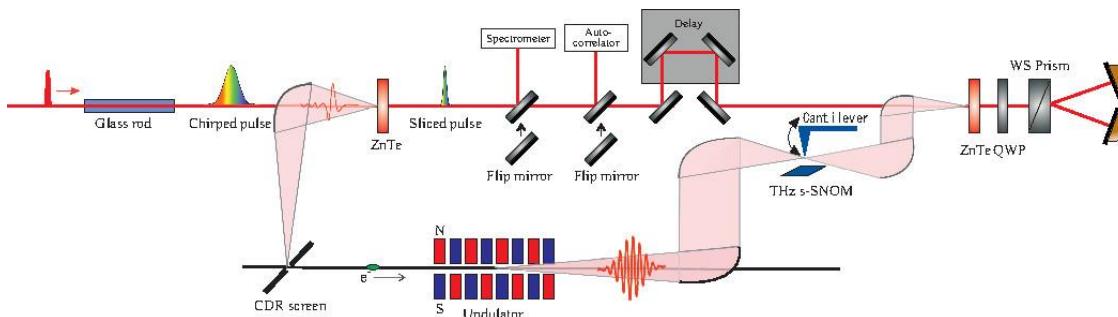
Table top experiment



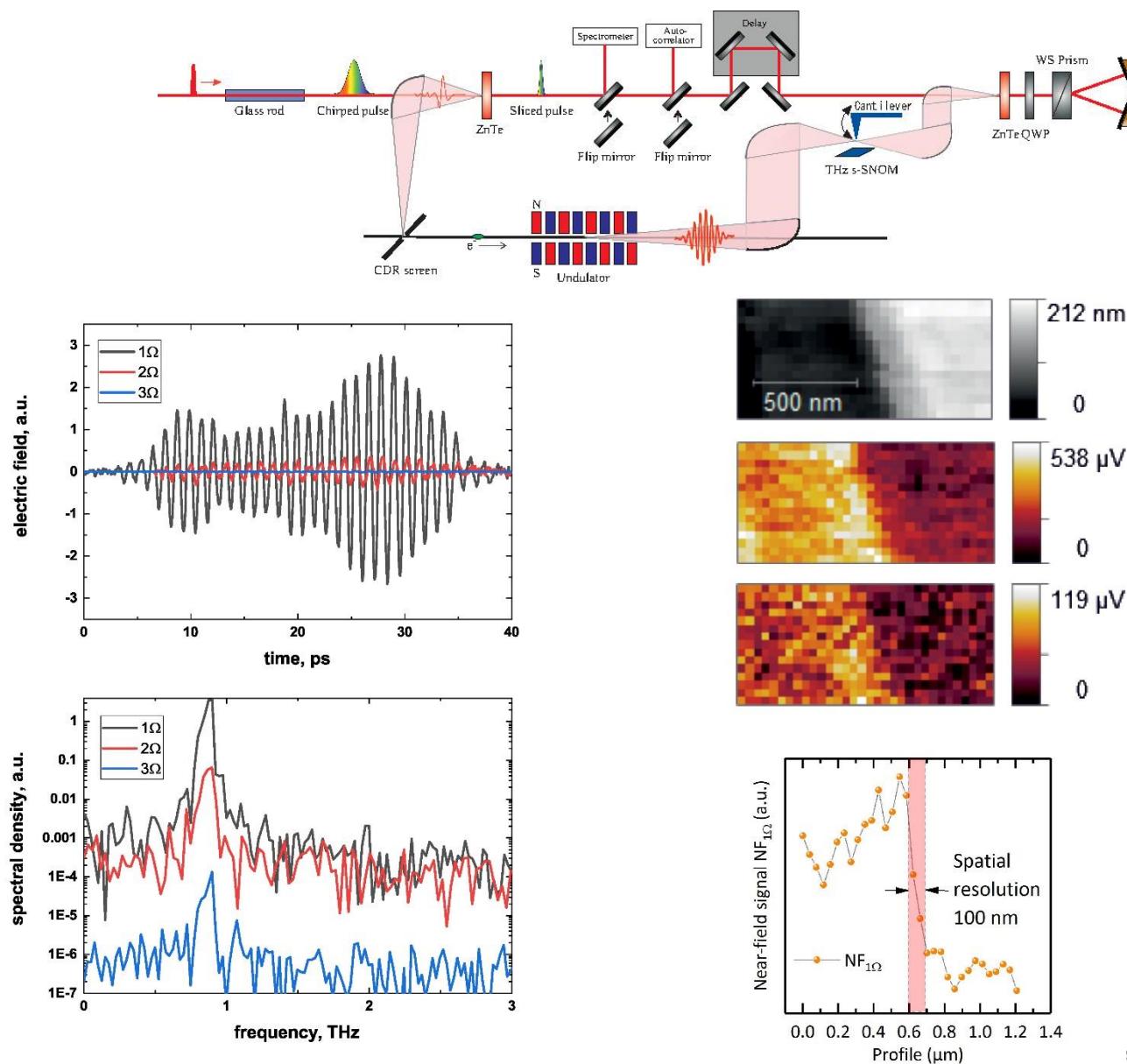
- Delay A: emulate jitter source
- Single cycle THz pulse: emulated CDR pulse



Intrinsic synchronization: at accelerator-based light



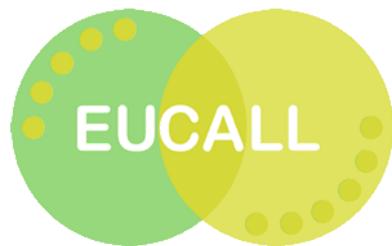
tr-SNOM at accelerator based light sources



Further work:

- Wavelength jitter: Fourier limited long laser pulses implementation
- Sliced pulse amplification: nJ – 100 nJ
- Duration compression: sub 100 fs (case of TELBE)
- Contrast improvements: ...

Thank you for your attention.



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