

Accelerators Controls

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HELMHOLTZ RESEARCH FOR
GRAND CHALLENGES



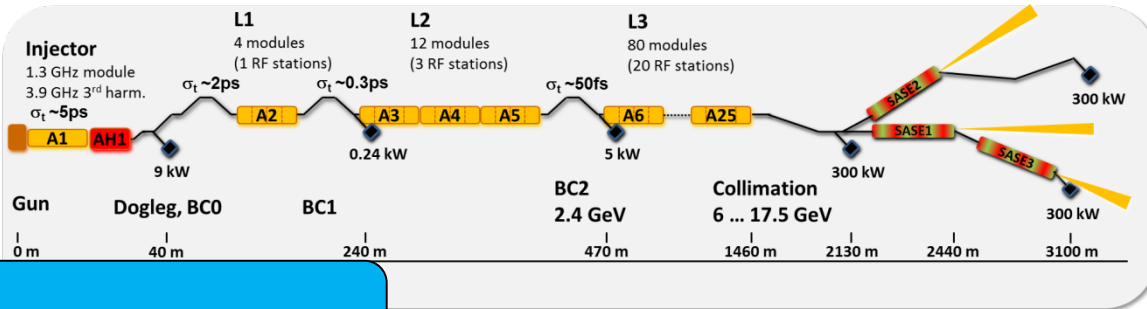
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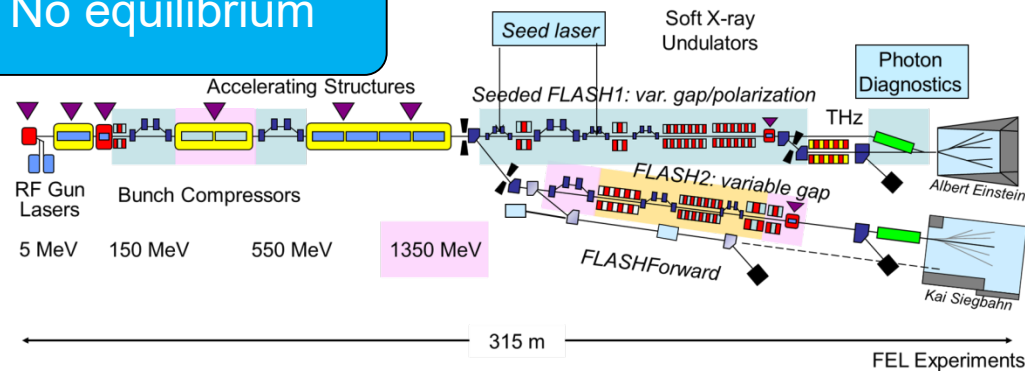
Different accelerators ... different challenges

Accelerators at DESY ...

FELs.... (reproducibility / optimization / flexibility / ...)

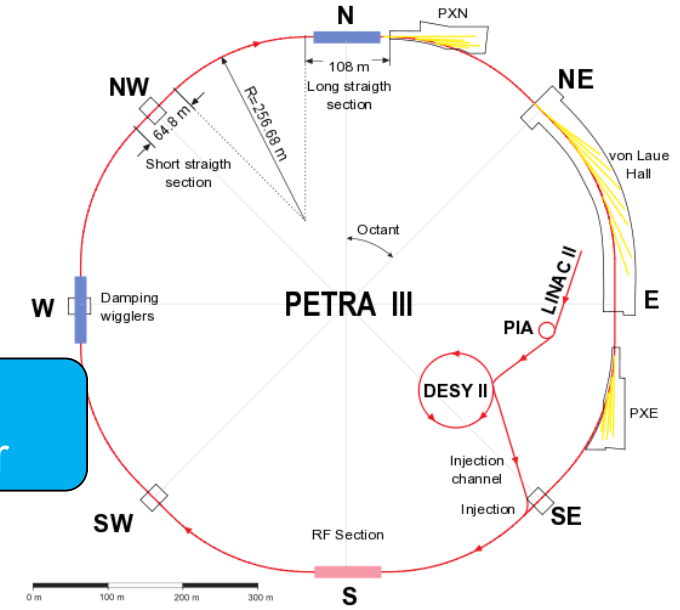


No equilibrium

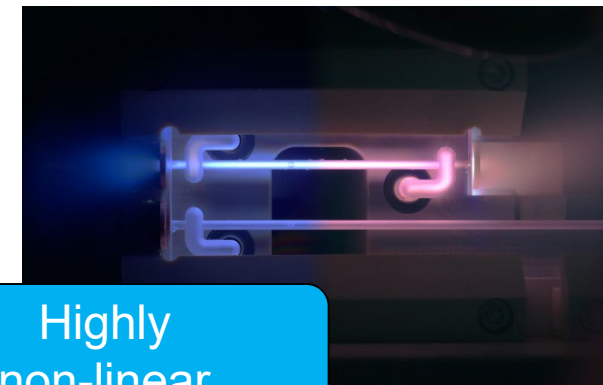


Storage ring
(lattice /
beamlines /
optic & orbit /
injection /
availability/...)

Equilibrium
but non-linear



Plasma accelerators (lasers control/ HPC /in-situ FB)



Highly
non-linear

Challenges and degree of matureness very different, but

- Increased complexity of controls
- Higher demands on accelerator operations
- Pushing the limits in terms of performance / reliability / availability
- **Many real-time feedbacks used to ensure proper operation**



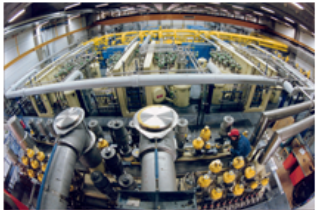
Challenges for controls to operation accelerators

Facilities includes many, highly diverse and distributed components

Large number of sensors & components

Large supply infrastructures: Cooling Systems/Power Distribution/Climatisation/Cryogenic system ...

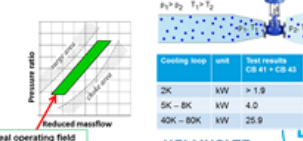
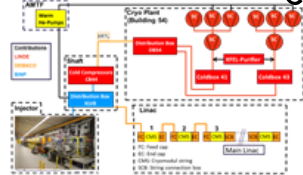
Here at the example of the Cryogenic-System:



XFEL cryogenic system:

- 671 control valves
- 2647 temperature sensors
- 800 pressure sensors
- 212 flow sensors
- >100 level sensors
- 433 regulation loops
- > 22000 records
- > 220000 properties

4-stage cold compressors:



Infrastructure

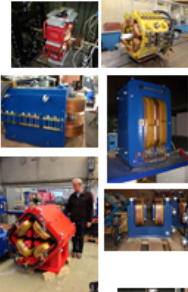
Similar complexity for water cooling & power distribution...

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Large number of sensors & components

Beam line devices ...



Magnets	103 Dipoles, 495 Quads, 59 Multipoles, 403 Correctors, 103 Quad-Movers, 2 Solenoids
Modules	101 x 1.3 GHz, 1 x 3.9 GHz, 27 RF Stations, 808 SRF cavities & HP Coupler & HOMs ...
Fast Devices	34 kicker magnets, 3 transverse deflecting structure
Undulator	1 Laser Heater Undulator, 91 SASE Undulator Segments
Vacuum	Total 4400 m of cold & warm vacuum in various sections: beam (1), coupler (99), laser (2), dump (3), iso (21) adds to 760 sputter ion pumps / 140 titan sublimation pumps / 40 pump carts / 54 valves / 8 fast shutter / + vacuum gauges And many more

Magnets & RF

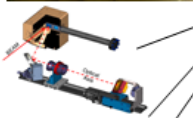


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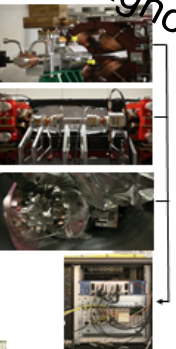
Large number of sensors & components

For beam diagnostics ... mostly bunch-to-bunch resolution required



Installed Diagnostics Items	Number
Beam Position Monitors	453
Charge Monitors	51
Imaging stations	67
Dark current monitors	9
Wire Scanners	12
Loss Monitors	474
Dosimetry Systems	630
Transverse Deflecting Structures	2
Bunch Compression Monitors	4
Beam Arrival Time Monitors	7
Electro-Optical Systems	3
THz spectrometer	1

Diagnostics

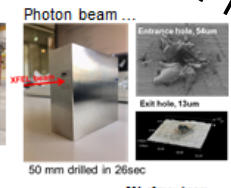
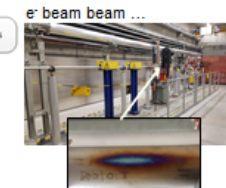
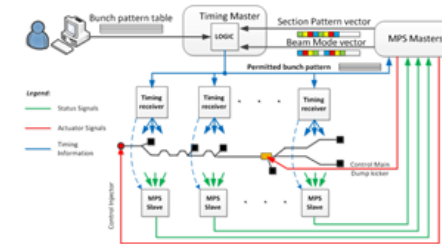


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High power beam & beam density

Machine protect to prevent acc. & photon sub-system damages



Machine Protection

Challenge:

- Large number of different inputs
- Fast reaction time ~ us
- Re-configurable
- Not too restrictive ... but still save

- 160 collectors boards
- ~ 4000 different signals (magnets/BLMs/toroids/vacuum/diagnostic/couplers/waveguides/...



→ up 500kW electron beam power
→ Damages within ~ few us possible

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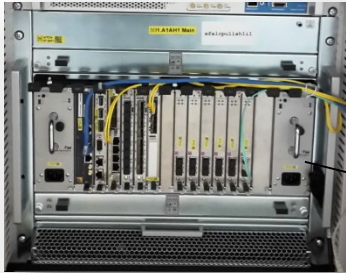
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Digitalization changes ...

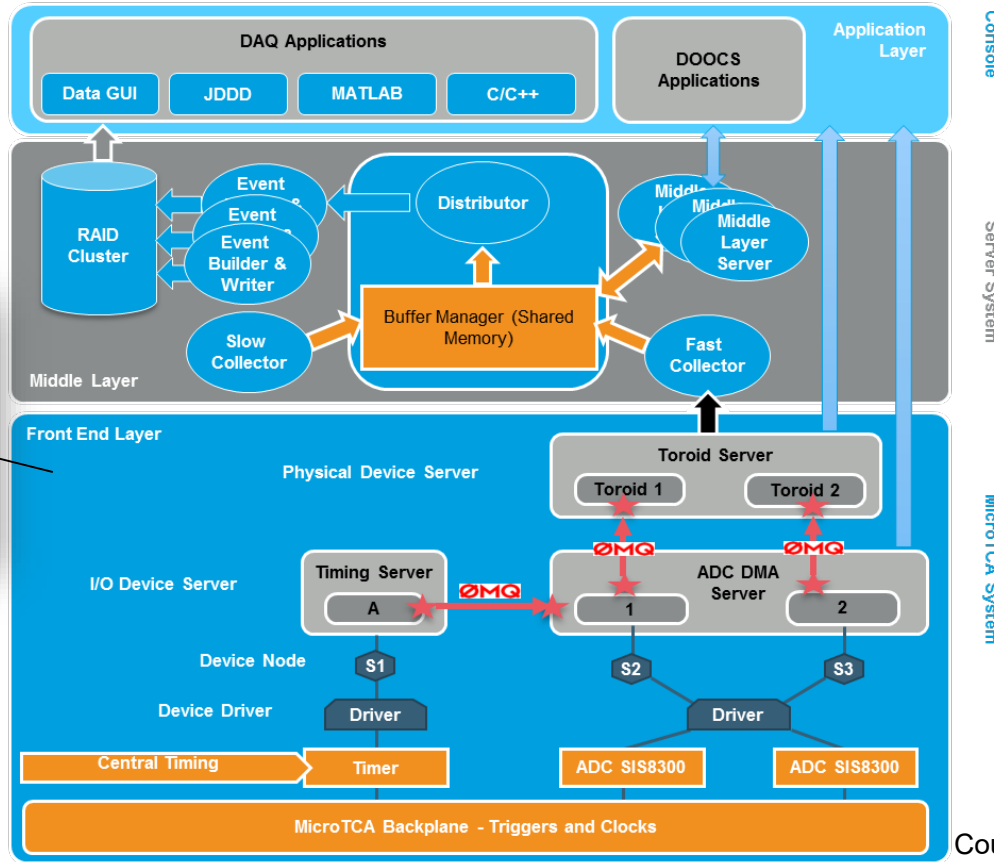
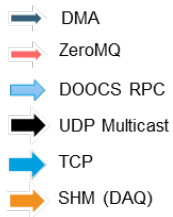
- Classical 3 tier structure

DOOCS

Standardize
hardware & software



MicroTCA .4



Courtesy: T. Wilksen

Example EuXFEL:

- > 10 million control parameters
- > 700.000 local archives
- > 20.000 high data rate channels
- > 40 TB/day DAQ (compressed)

→ Configuration management already challenging

→ Large amount of data available

- ❖ data mining
- ❖ information extraction
- ❖ machine / system optimization
- ❖ failure detection
- ❖ predictive maintenance
- ❖ ...

→ < 1% sent from front-ends

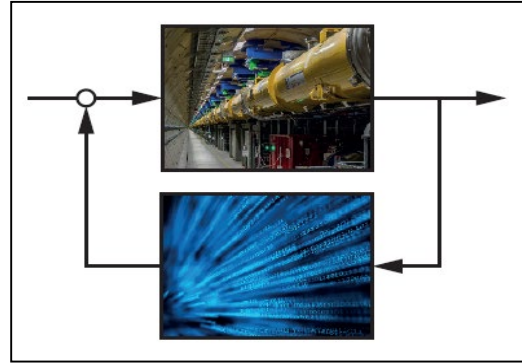
• Requires new techniques & technologies → Smart AI/ML based automation



Challenges for controls to operation accelerators

Cooperation options HAW-DESY

- Data mining & data analytics
- Fault diagnosis & smart supervisory control
- Many & complex real-time feedbacks involved
- Software engineering & architecture
- Embedded Electronics Development / Firmware



Courtesy: A. Eichler

