


Start to End Simulations for FLASH2020+



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Outline

Status of past work when we started

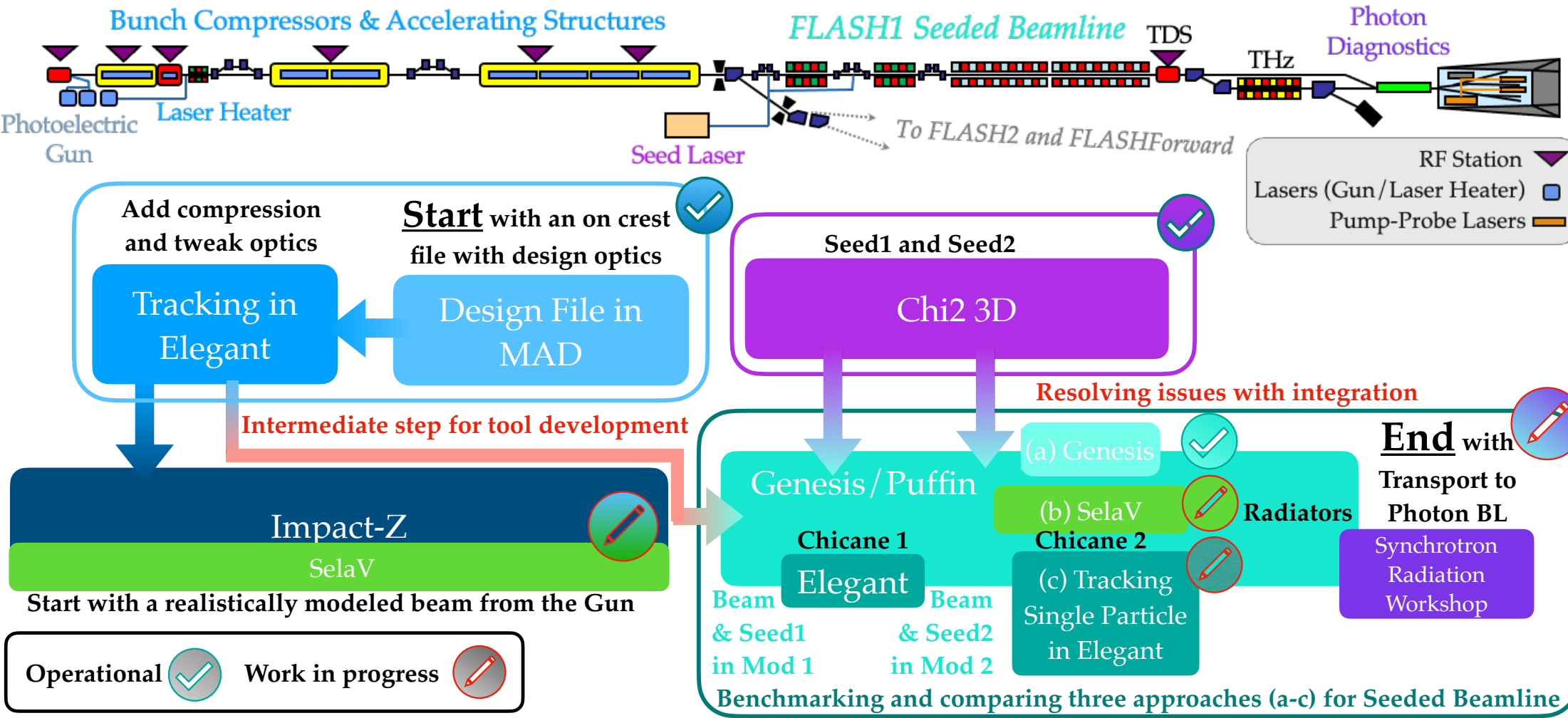
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Some Highlights

Outlook

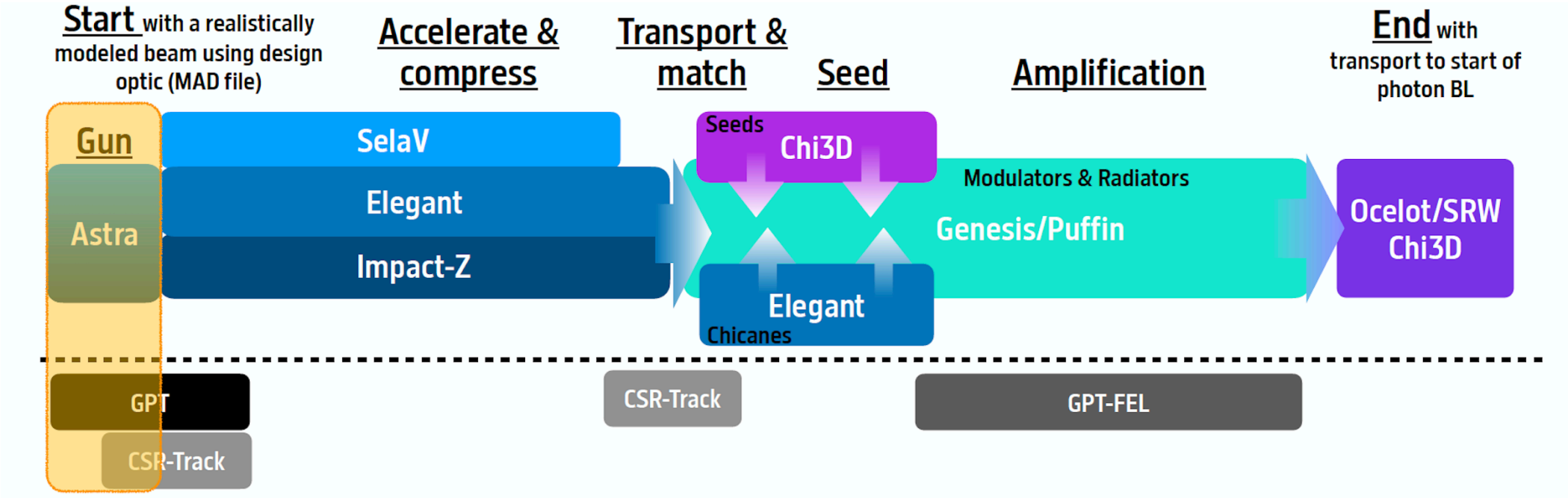
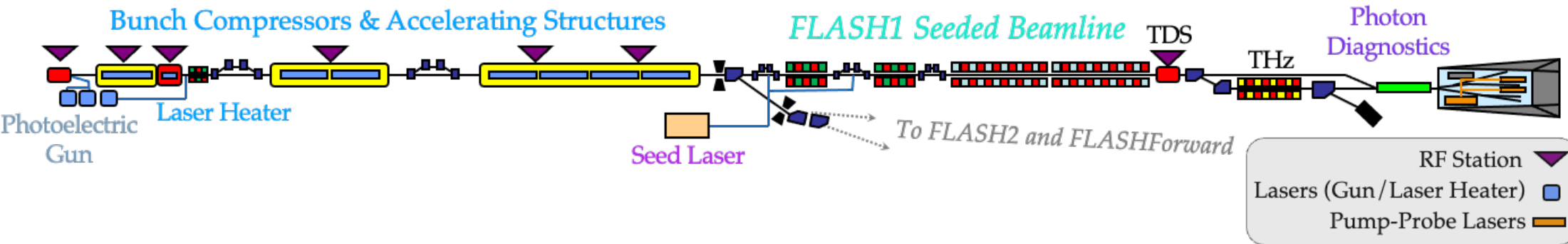
FLASH2020+ Start to End Simulations and Categories

Initial Focus was on Benchmarking and handshaking between the 3 Categories to produce the first example of reliable S2E

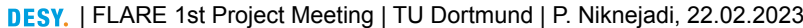


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Final main working flow and a few additional planned benchmarking

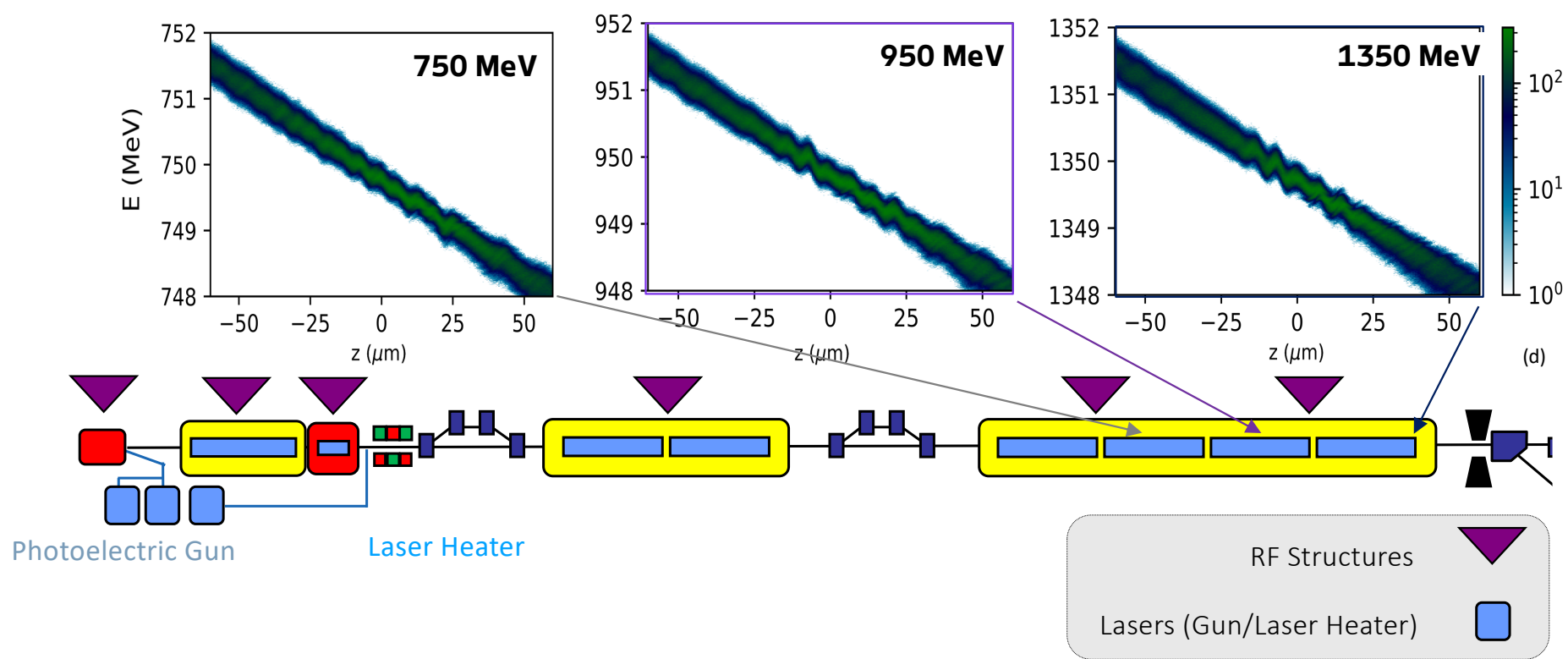


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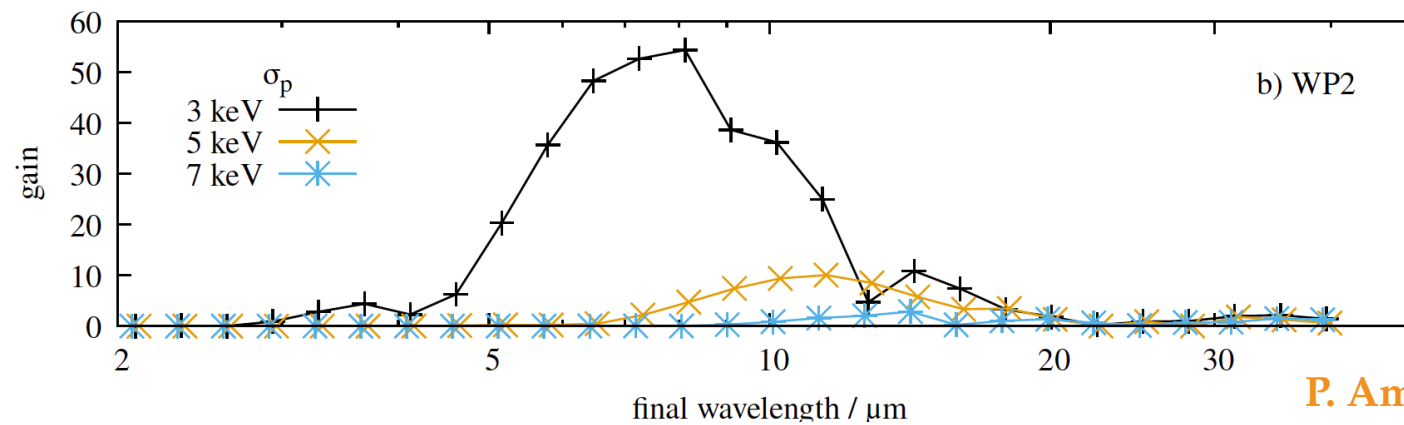
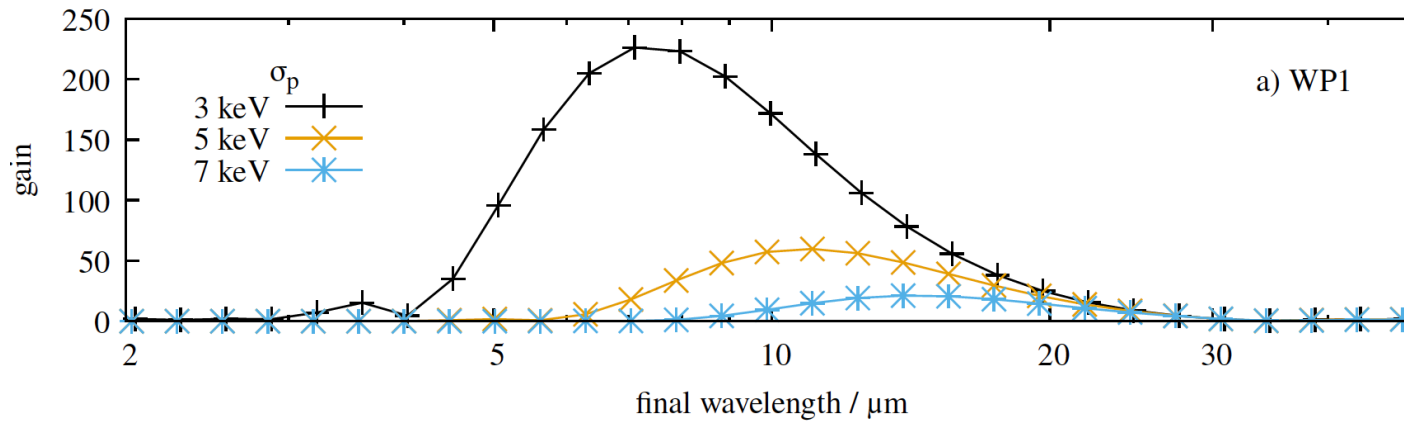


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Example of workflow Part 1 (New working Point)



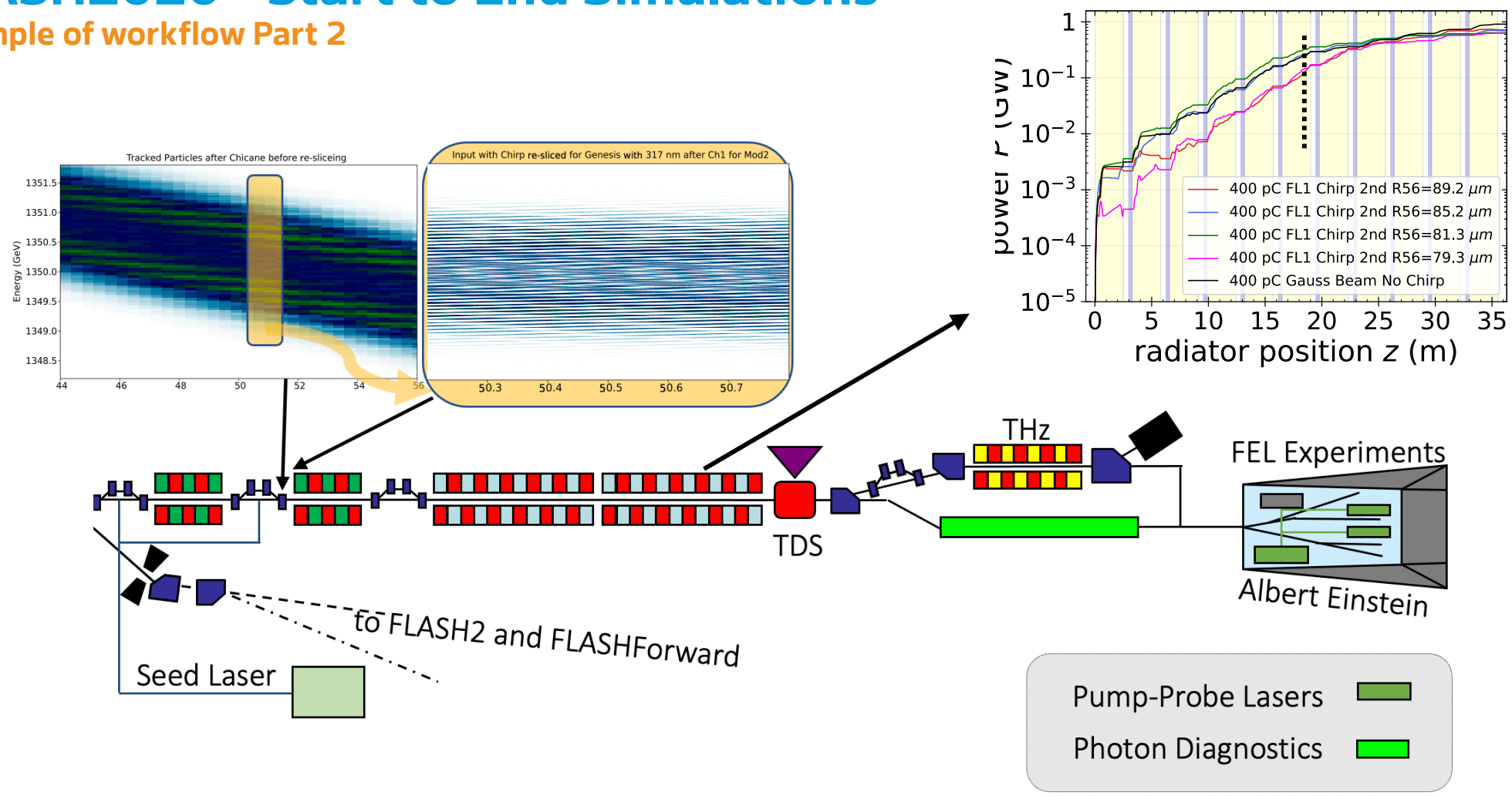
WP2: Reducing the Micro-bunching Gain (SelaV)



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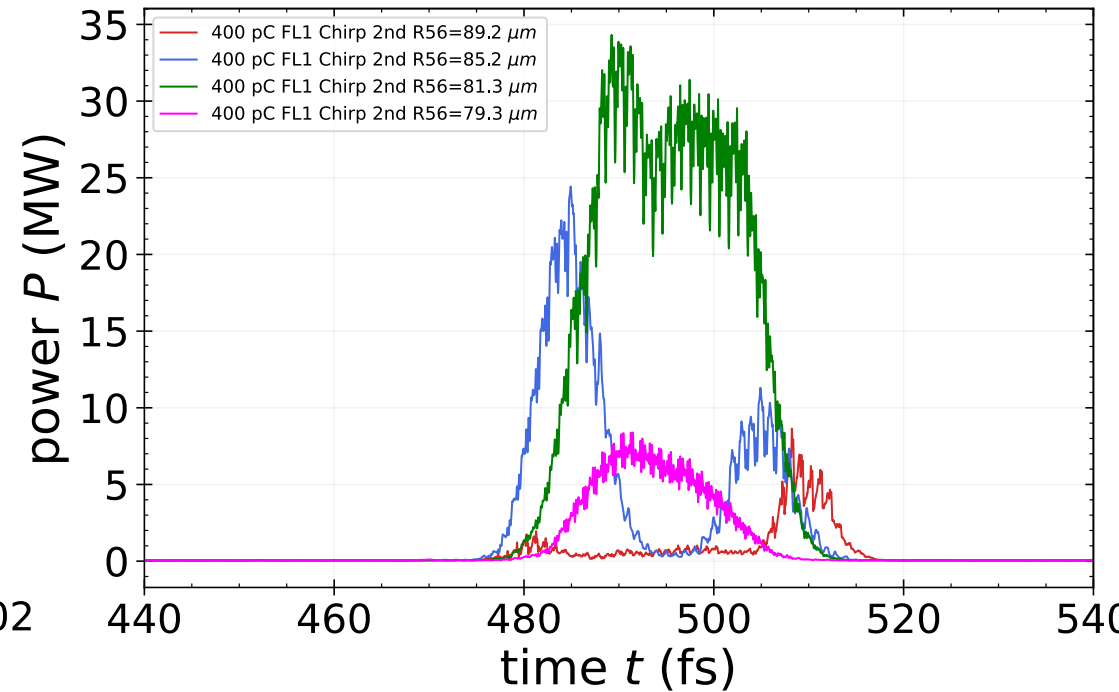
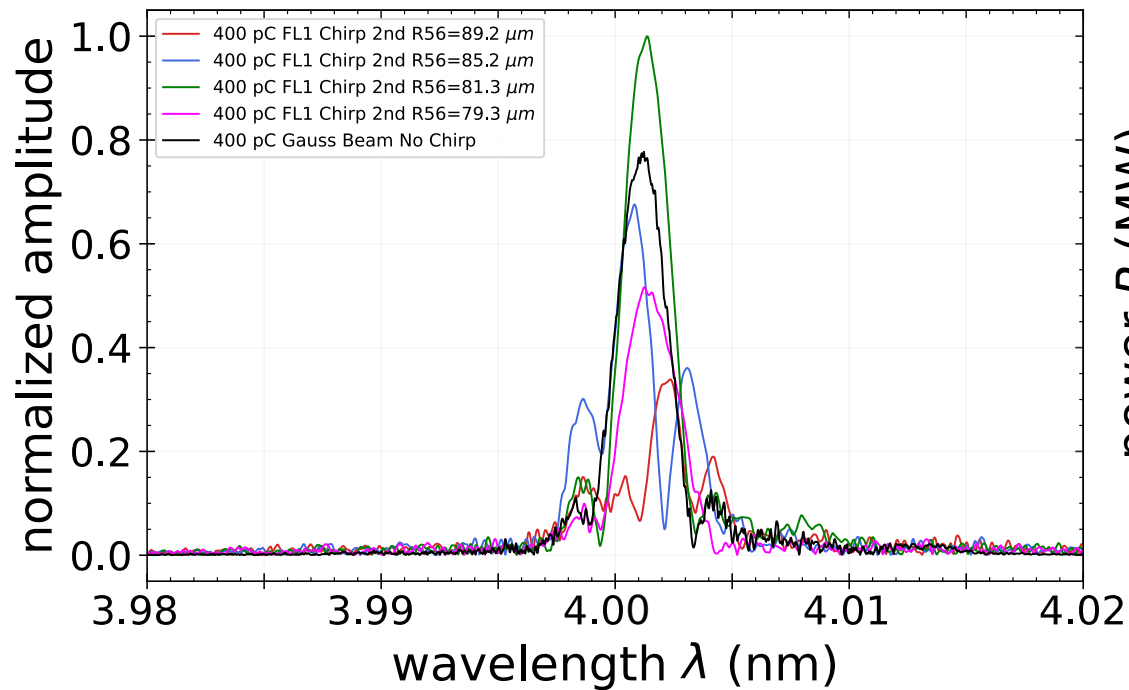
Example of workflow Part 2



Results of R54 Scan in the Second Chicane for Chirped Beam

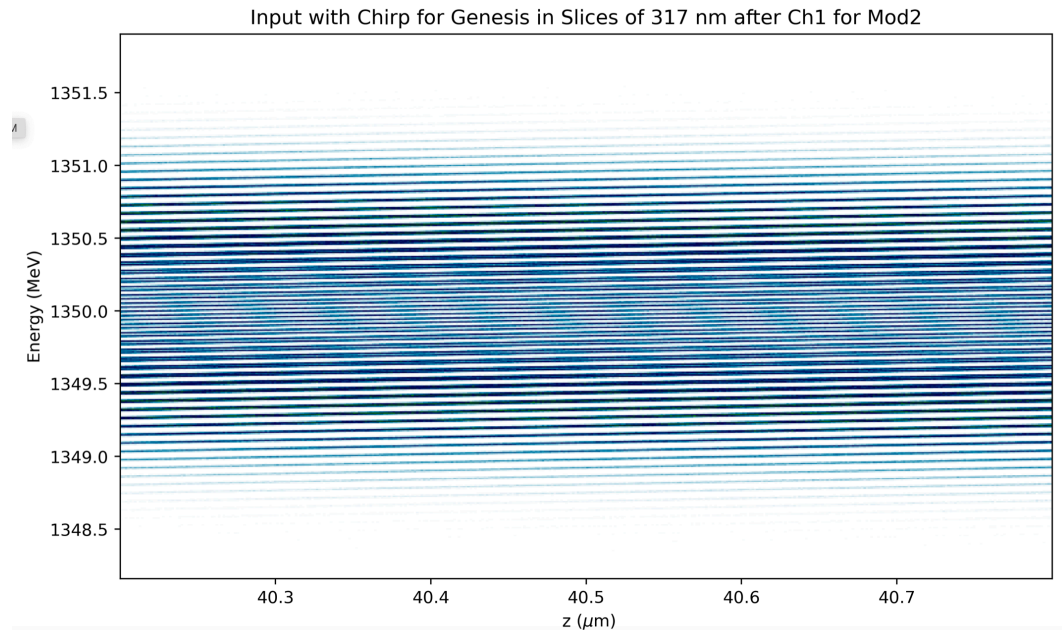
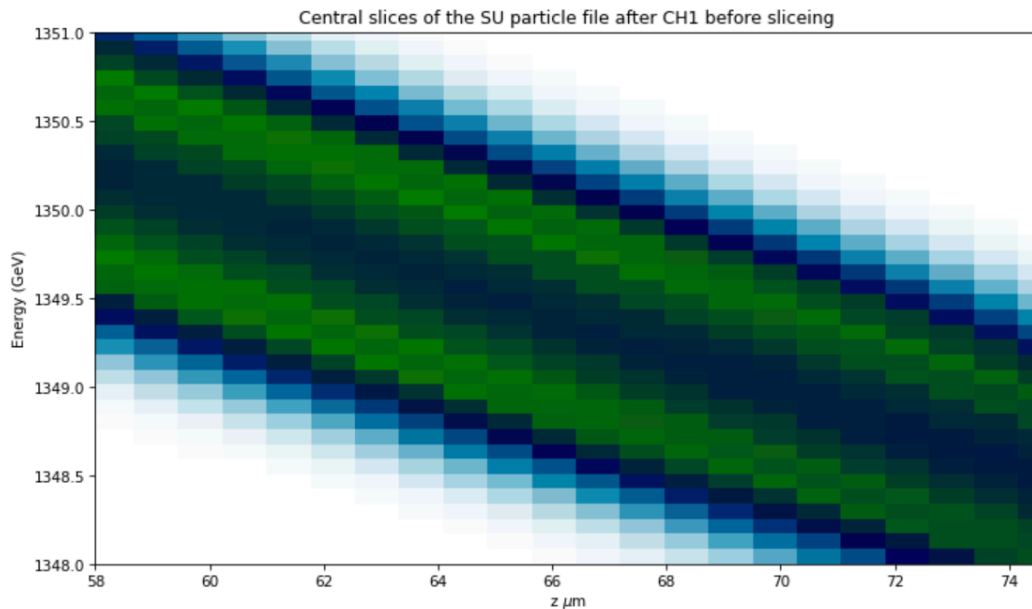
Example of workflow Part 2 (Cont.)

Only 6 Radiators
Closed



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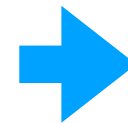
Case 1: EEHG Chicane



Need to make sure peak current is more or less in center of slice

Might need to cut the beginning of the beam

Consistent bunching needs to be checked

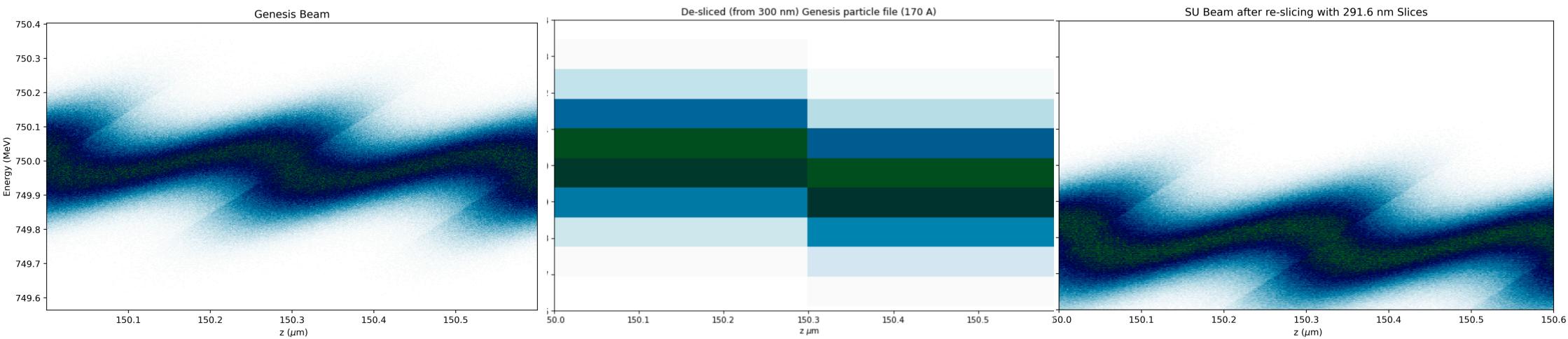


Iterative process

SU to Genesis for two different cases:

Case 2: (testing script with relatively low R56)

Optical klystron beam from Genesis is de-sliced after the chicane



The beam is re-sliced with a different slice length

Laser Start 2 End simulations

Short intro to Chi3D

Propagation of ultra-short laser pulses in isotropic and birefringent media

- rely on a new concept utilizing the fact that all second-order conversion processes of practical use are realized in birefringent nonlinear crystals
- Super fluorescence cone / cascaded frequency generation in chirped pulse parametric amplifiers

Output intensity distribution in space and time as well as peak power and phase

- Used for Study of impact of Laser chirp on Seeded FEL is in progress

Laser Start 2 End simulations

Chi3D Output Flexibility

convert from chi3D to Genesis

```
1 function chi3DtoGen(obj,Eftfxfy)
2
3 clear all
4 load ccSFG_compressed.mat
5 Eftfxfy = E_ftfxfy;
6
7 %%
8 % tWindow -> z-window & Nt -> number of slices because dt = wavelength
9 N_slices = 4000; %z_window = wavelength * (N_slices + 1)
10
11 % position x y % GD -> z position of the laser pulse
12 % pointing x y
13 % chirp
14 EorI=16e-6; %pulse energy if smaller 1 or intensity if larger 1
15 alpha_x=0 ; %pointing x
16 alpha_y=0 ; %pointing y
17 GD=0 ; %position along z = t*3e8 -> GD = z/3e8
18 GDD=0 ; %linear chirp
19 TOD=0 ; %nonlinear chirp
20 radiusOfCurvature_x=0 ; %focussing
21 radiusOfCurvature_y=0 ;
22 shift_x=0 ; %position x
23 shift_y=0 ; %position y
24 slant_x=0 ; %angular chirp x
25 slant_y=0 ; %angular chirp y
26 % Phase= 0; %can be scalar, wavefront, or whole pulse
27
28
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Bridging S2E simulations and Machine Operations (work in progress)

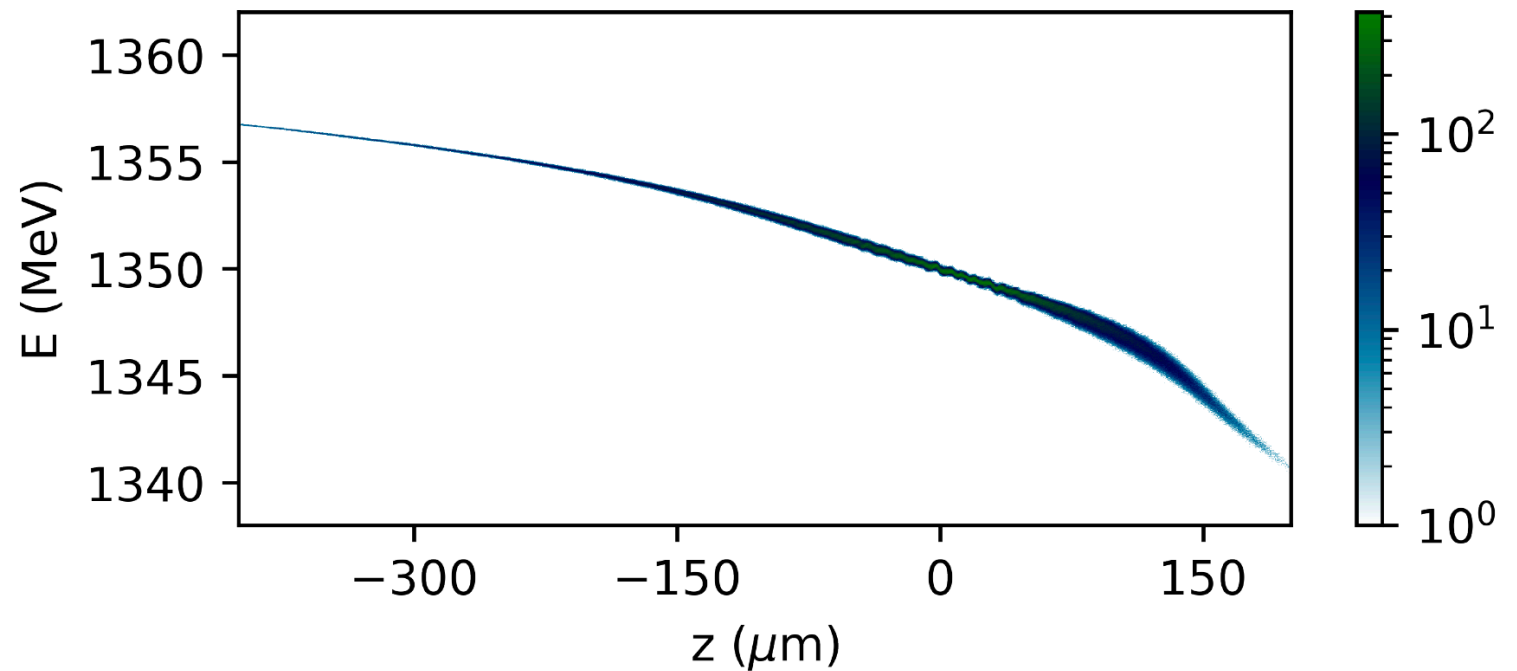
WP2: Impact-Z >> matched in elegant to Mod 1

**Best of Impact-Z
simulations**

**After scanning and
optimizing number of
particles, grid, ...**

**One finals simulation
takes about 3-5 days**

**SelaV is relatively
instantaneous**

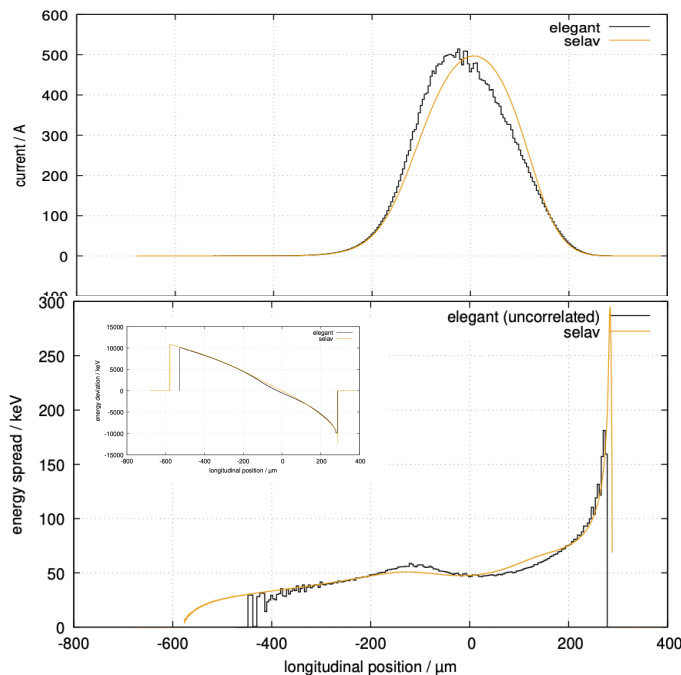


From FLASH2020+ Start to End to better Machine Operation

Acceleration and Compression stage, Results after BC2

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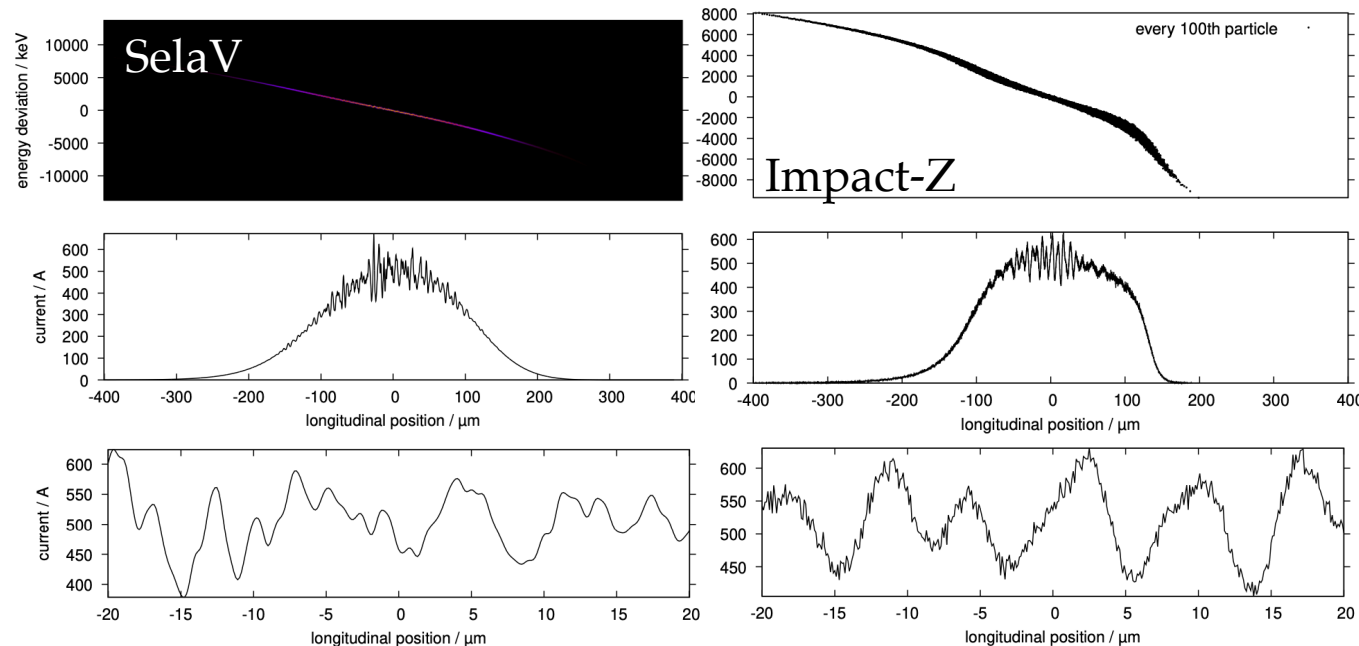
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Plotting one in every 1e4 particles for Impact-Z (one in every 100th is saved and one in every 100th of that is plotted)



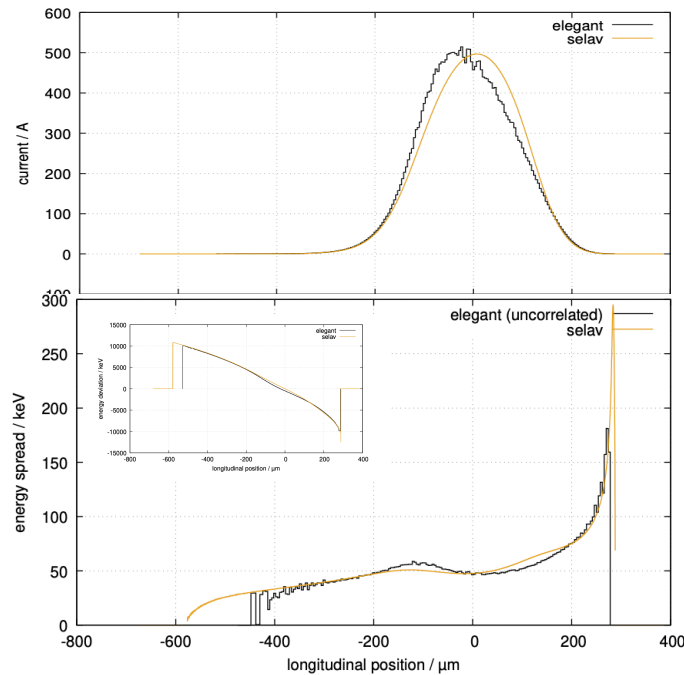
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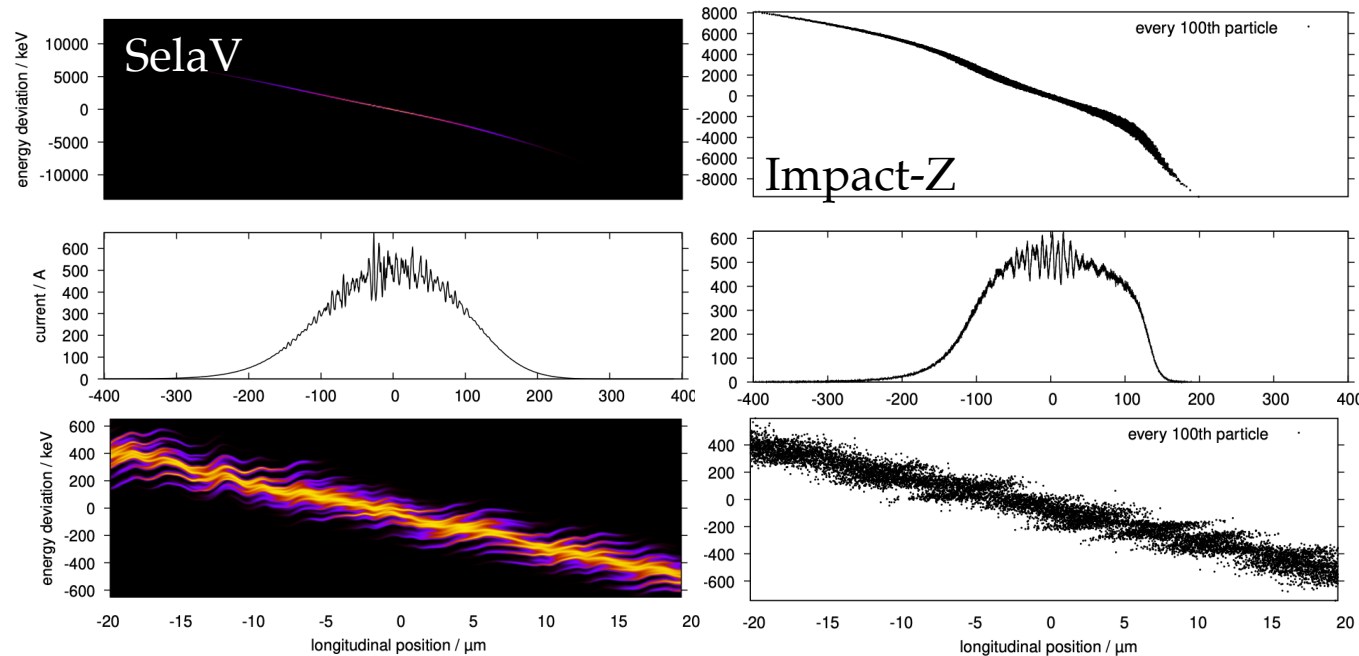
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Summary

Start to End simulations with Working point 2 in ongoing

Handshaking and full S2E workflow is nearly done

The S2E workflow is benefiting other studies (Advance modes for FLASH2020+)

In parallel work on having accessible simulations is also ongoing

Thank you

Back up (Grid Optimization)

