

European XFEL

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The European XFEL - a Status report

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- Organisation
- From first lasing to first users
- First results
- Outlook

European XFEL Schenefeld *Photon Systems*



Inauguration 1. September 2017

August 17 2017

- Schenefeld und Hamburg
- European User Facility for X-ray Science
- Start of operation: July 1. 2017
- First robust users 14. September 2017.



About the European XFEL

- Start 2009
- Task : Construction
- Germany 58%, Russia 22%
- DESY operates the facility
- Staff XFEL about 4000
- Start of operation 1st year 2017
 - 1,22 Mrd. € (2017)
 - 600 Mio € in cash, 500 Mio € in bonds
 - Yearly running costs 117,6 Mio € (2018)

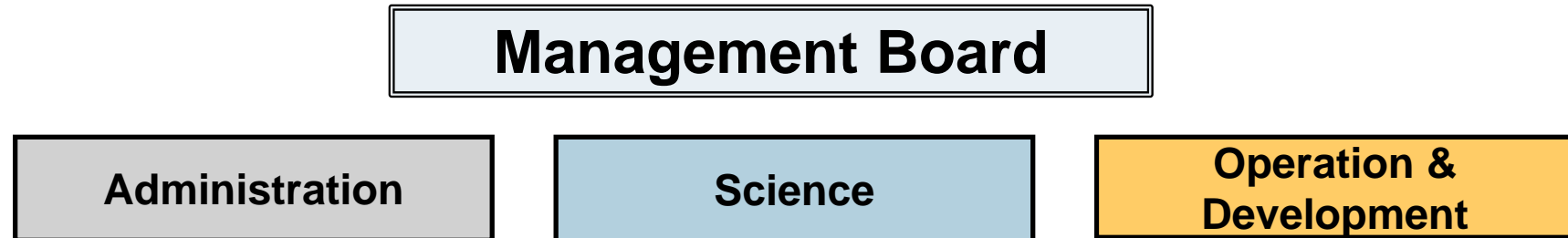


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Slide 4

FP14 Flaggenleiste mit HH und S-H? Gerade wegen letzterem.
Poppe, Frank; 30.01.2017

New organisational structure at European XFEL : 3 Divisions



Challenges to be met:

- We have to more efficient and use the resources better
- Review of the Operation Cost in 2019
- **From 2019 and onwards the operation cost will be fixed (apart from escalation)**

Goals for the coming 5 years

- We have to reach an acceptable work load for the Instruments
- We have to deliver 4000 hours/year of beamtime to the users for all 6 instruments
- We will offer new instrumentation to the users program
- We have to develop a vibrant R&D program
- We will work towards new instruments in SASE 4 and SASE 5

Short-Term Orga-Chart

Management Board
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 N.N (Scientific Director)
 Thomas Tschentscher (Scientific Director)

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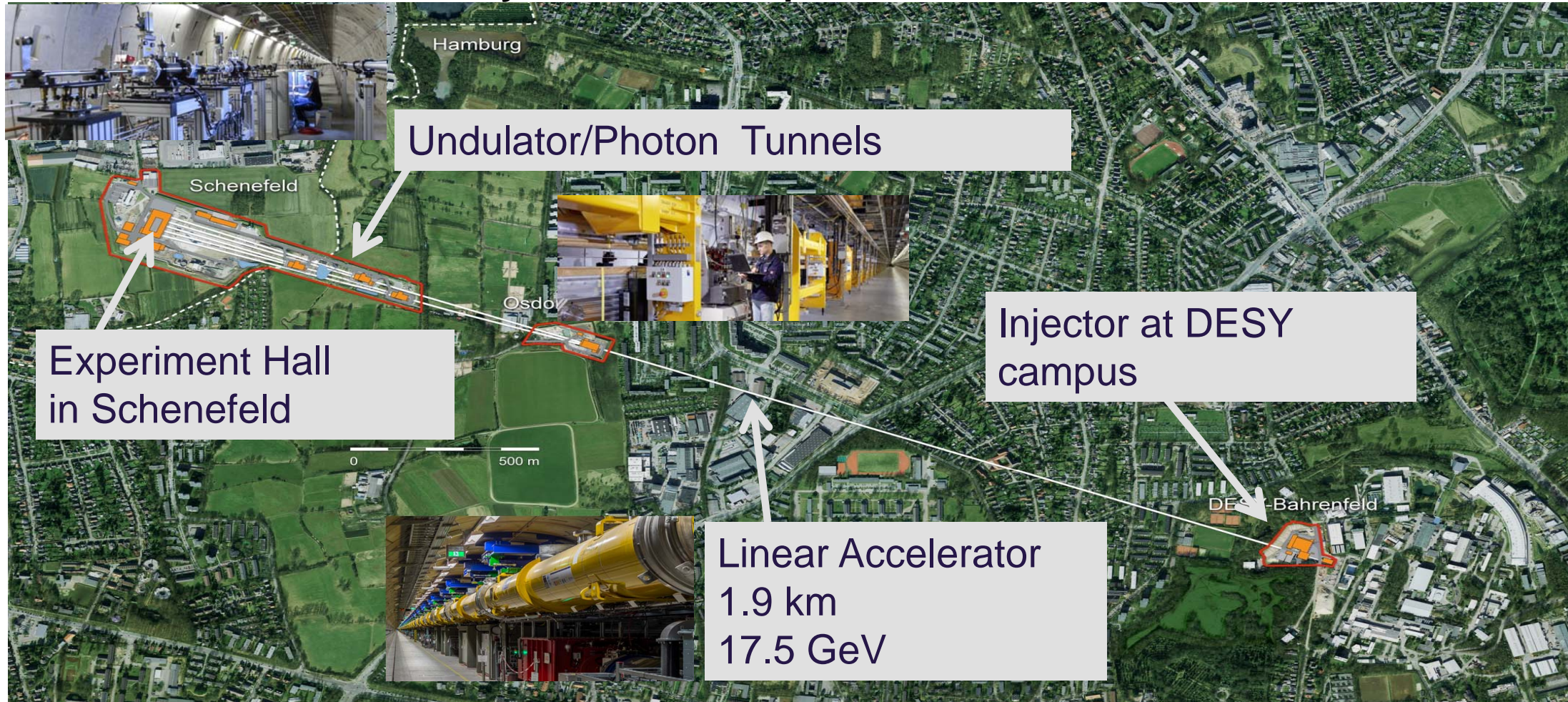
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 Safety & Radiation Protection
 Industrial Liason Office
 Press & Public Relations
 PSPO

Finance/Controlling Grant office
 Human Resources
 Legal Group
 Procurement/Logistics
 Library
 Asset Management
 User Office

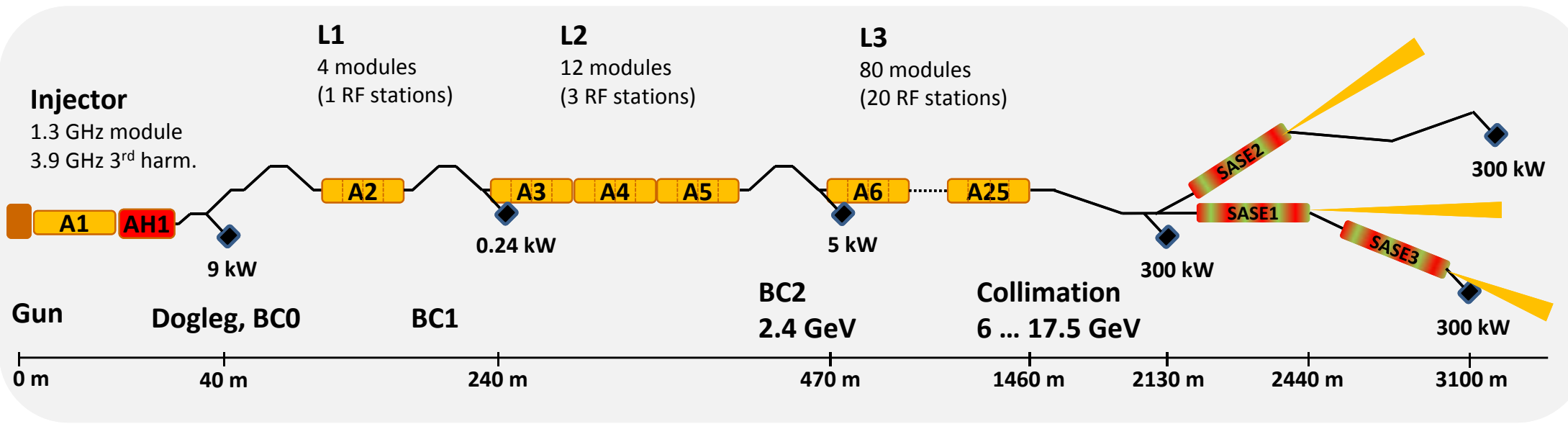
FXE
 HED
 MID
 SPB/SFX
 SCS
 Theory
 Simulation of Photon Fields
 Sample Environment

X-ray Optics
 X-ray Diagnostics
 Vacuum
 Optical Lasers
 Undulators
 Central Engineering team
 Detectors
 Control
 Electronics
 ITDM
 Technical Services
 Electrical Engineering Team

General layout of the European XFEL



Schematic accelerator overview



Courtesy Winni Decking



FEL May 2 : Simultaneous Lasing on all three SASE

Facility Development



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⊗ XTD9 (SASE1) Beam Permission ⊗ XTD6 (SASE2) Beam Permission

SASE 1 240.05 μJ NaN % @ 9.20 keV 1.35 \AA

variation over last 500 trains

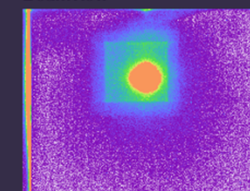
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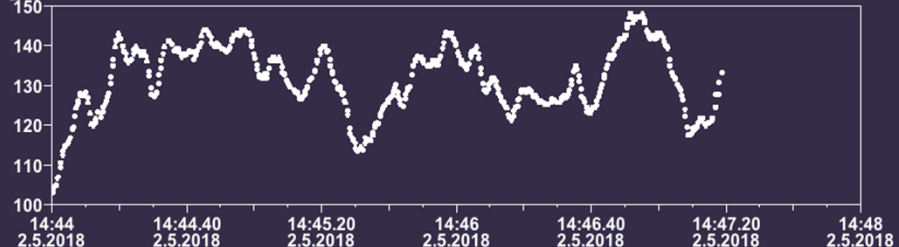


Beamview

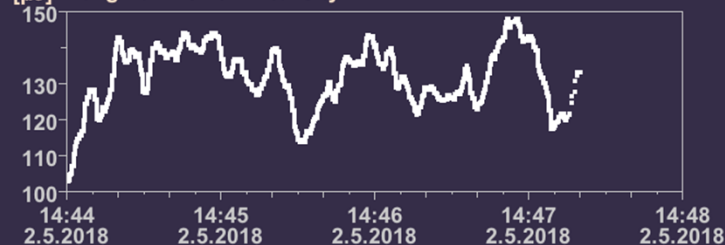


SASE 2 133.53 μJ @ 7.00 keV 1.77 \AA

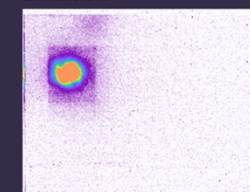
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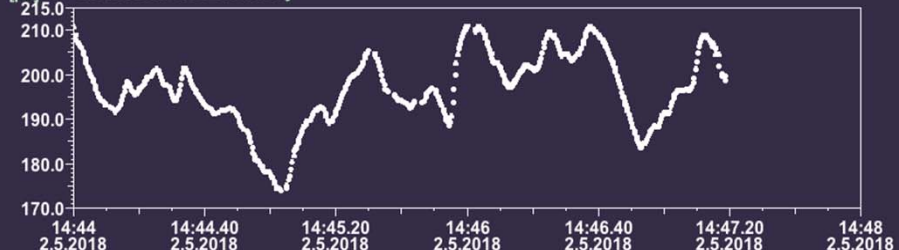
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SASE 3 198.91 μJ NaN % @ 0.70 keV 17.71 \AA

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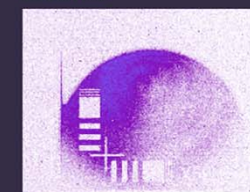
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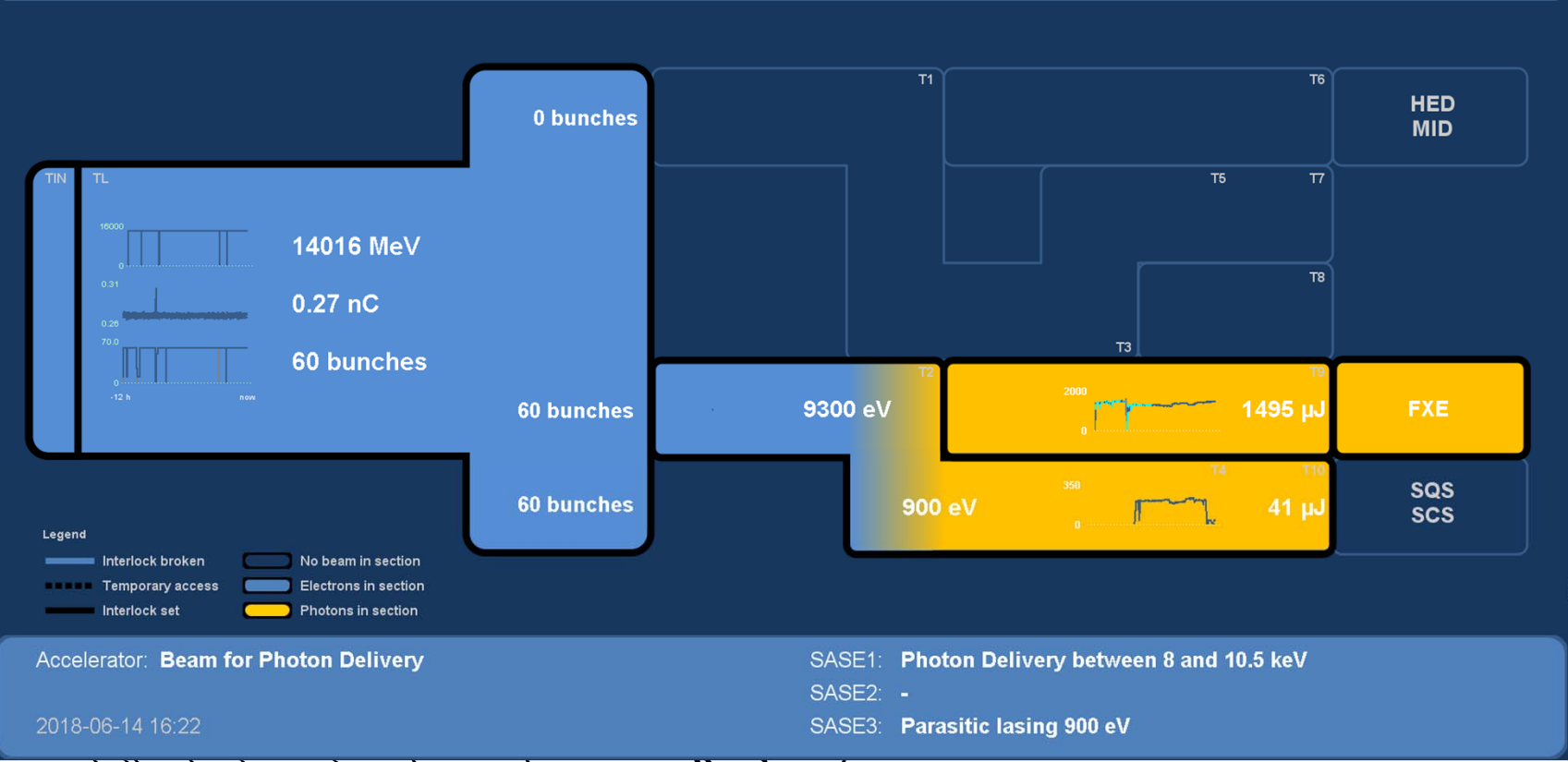
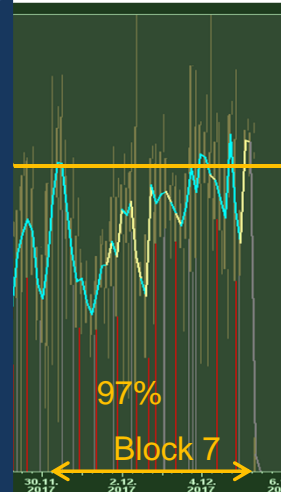
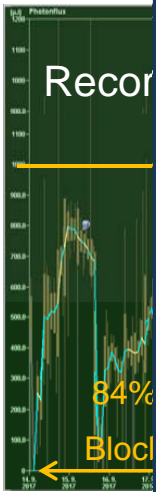
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Beamview



Beamline XFEL: User program



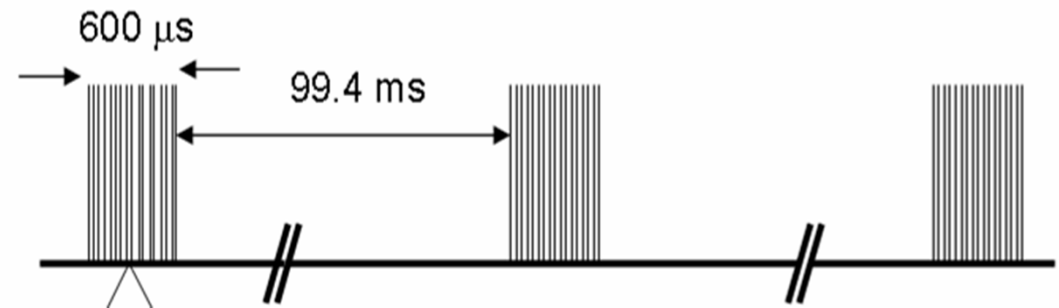
- Available
- Little
- vari
- Pro
- In general: the technical systems show **excellent** performance

Legend

- Interlock broken
- Temporary access
- Interlock set
- No beam in section
- Electrons in section
- Photons in section

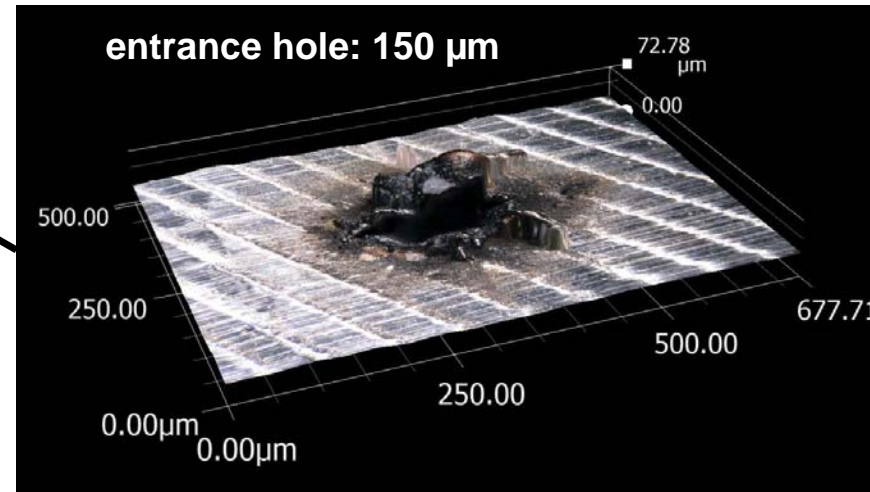
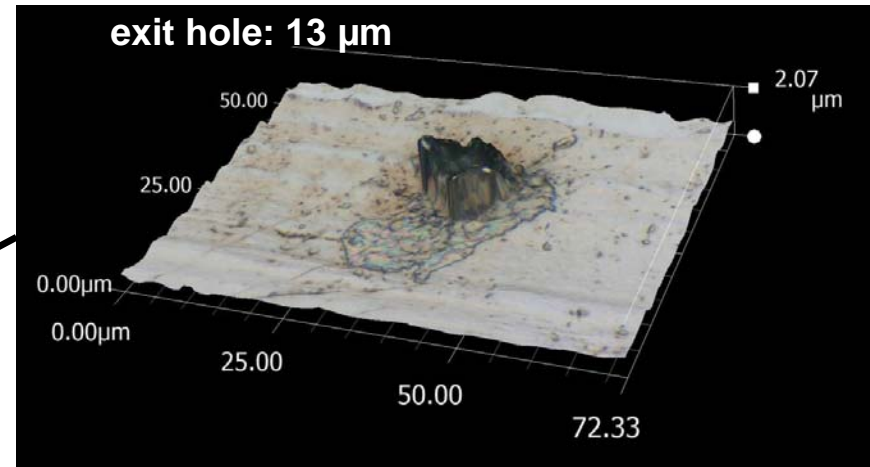
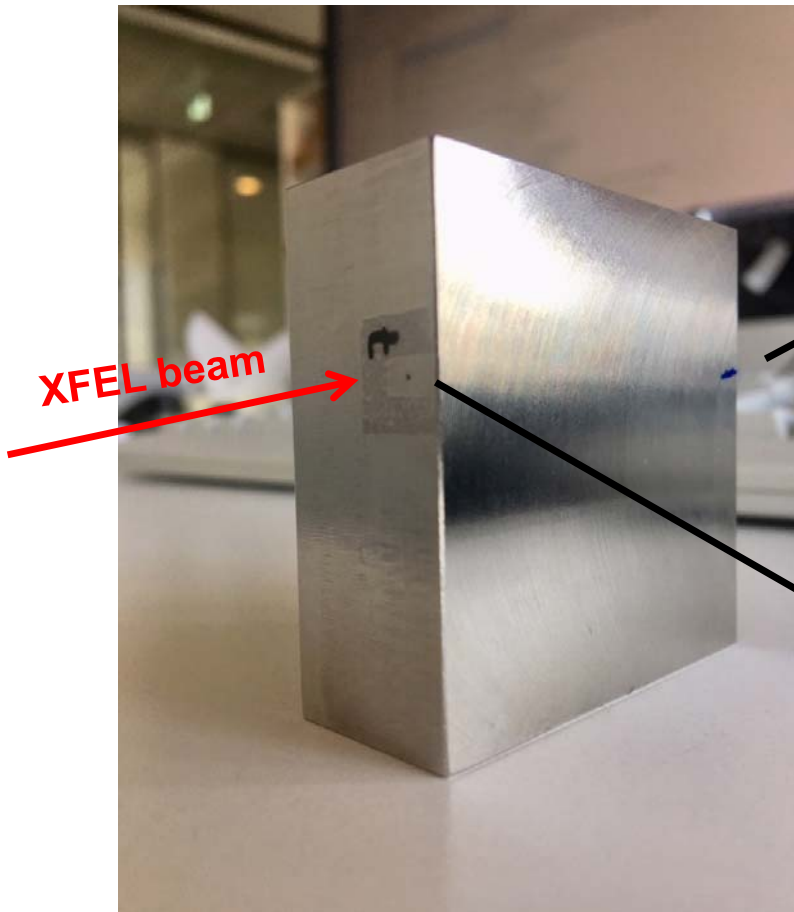
Key parameters of European XFEL

Parameter	Value
Electron Energy	8.5 – 17.5 GeV
Photon energy	0.26 - >25 keV
Pulse duration	2 – 100 fs
Seeding	In preparation
# of pulses	27000 /s
# of FELs	3
# of instruments	6
Start of operation	2017

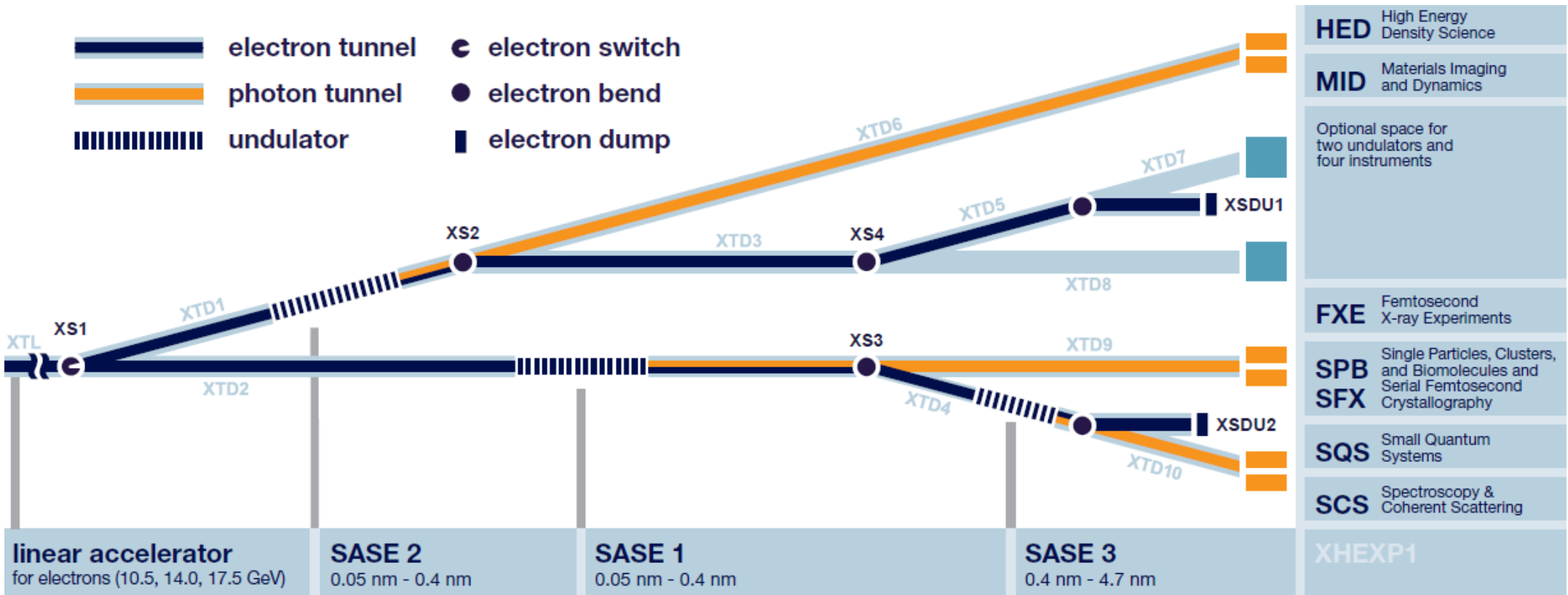


- Specific electron & x-ray beam delivery pattern
 - Follows from pulsed RF system
 - Trains of e-/x-ray pulses
 - Max. = 2.700 per train / 27.000 per sec
- High average brilliance
- Feedback & time and space stabilization
- Dedicated pulse delivery

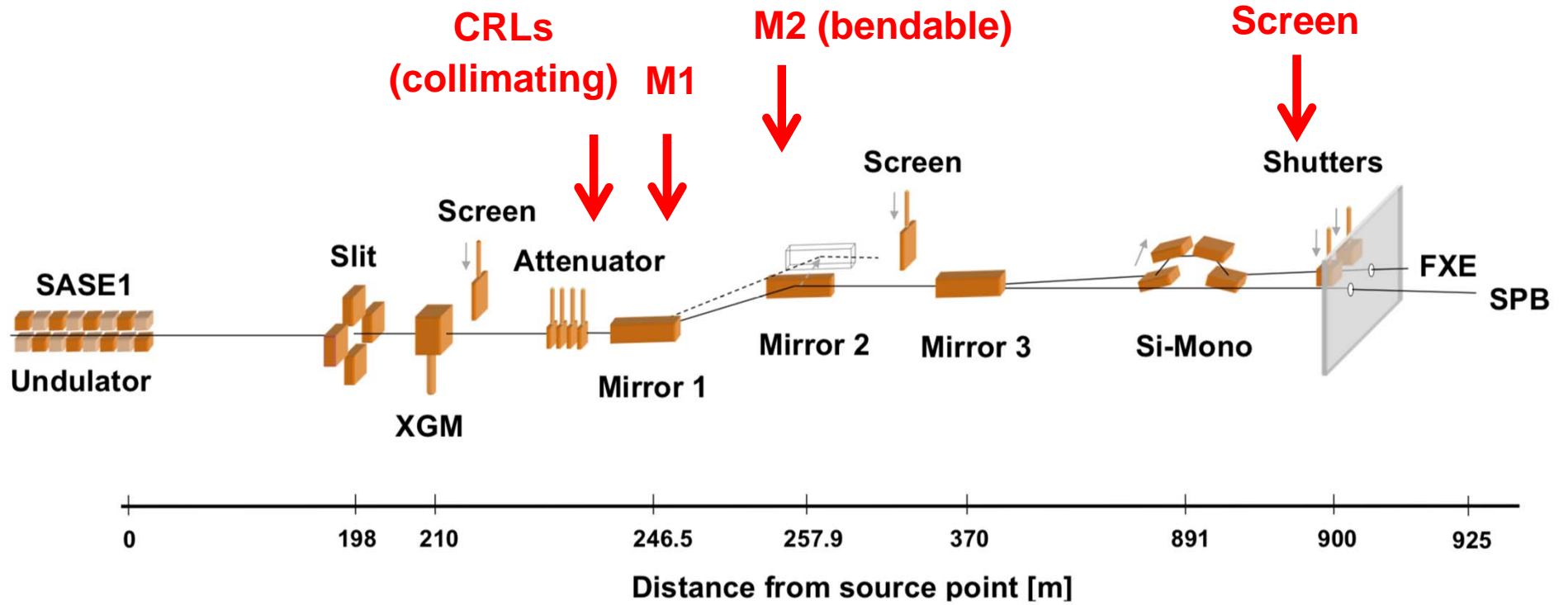
We have an exceptionally strong beam:
Drilling with XFEL beam through 50 mm of steel in 26 seconds



Experimental Hall



Photon Beamline SASE1



Scientific instruments

FXE (Femtosecond X-ray Experiments)

- Ultrafast dynamics of liquids and solid matter
- Combination of spec. & scat. techniques

Team: Ch. Bressler et al.

MID (Materials Imaging & Dynamics)

- CDI from nano-structured samples
- XPCS of nanoscale dynamics

Team: A. Madsen et al.

SQS (Small Quantum Systems)

- Ultrafast dynamics of atoms, ions & clusters
- Combination of spec. & coh. scat. techniques

Team: M. Meyer et al.

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SPB/SFX (Single Part., Bioimaging, & SFX)

- Coherent diffraction imaging from single part.
- Serial fs nano-crystallography

Team: A. Mancuso et al. / **SFX UC** (H. Chapman et al.)

HED (High Energy Density science)

- Ultrafast dynamics of highly excited matter
- Combinations of scattering, diff. & spectroscopy

Team: U. Zastrau et al. / **HiBEF UC** (T. Cowan et al.)

SCS (Spectroscopy & Coherent Scattering)

- Ultrafast dynamics of complex solids
- Combination of hr-inelastic spec. & coh.scattering

Team: A. Scherz et al. / **hRIXS UC** (A. Föhlisch et al.)

SASE1

SASE2

SASE3

Users Statistics Proposal round 1 and 2

Beamtime Allocation Period	201701 (Sep.-Dec. 2017)	201801 (Aug.-Oct. 2018)
Proposals submitted	63	61
Total proposers	505	440
User shifts requested	275	341
Proposals for FXE	37	42
Beamtime allocated	7	6
Proposals for SPB/SFX	26	19
Beamtime allocated	7	6
Users in Sep.-Dec.		
Users visits Schenefeld	463	
Remote access users	41	
Individual users	341	

Outline Annual Operation Schedule 2019 (FINAL-2, 28/08/2018)

Legende: Weekend Bank holiday Scheduled down RP ST FD XP

2019	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	
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TEST : 24 hours user mode

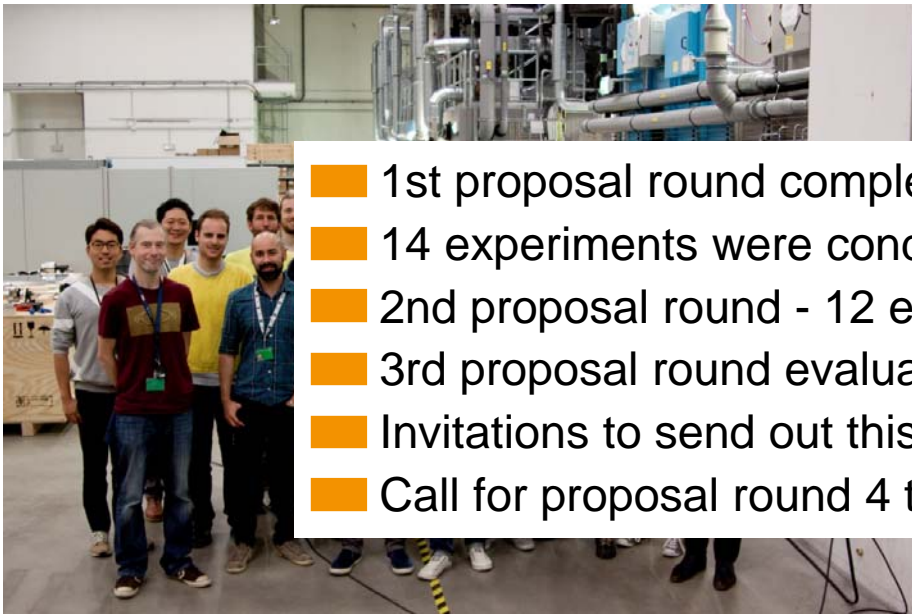
End 11.5 GeV

Start 11.5 GeV

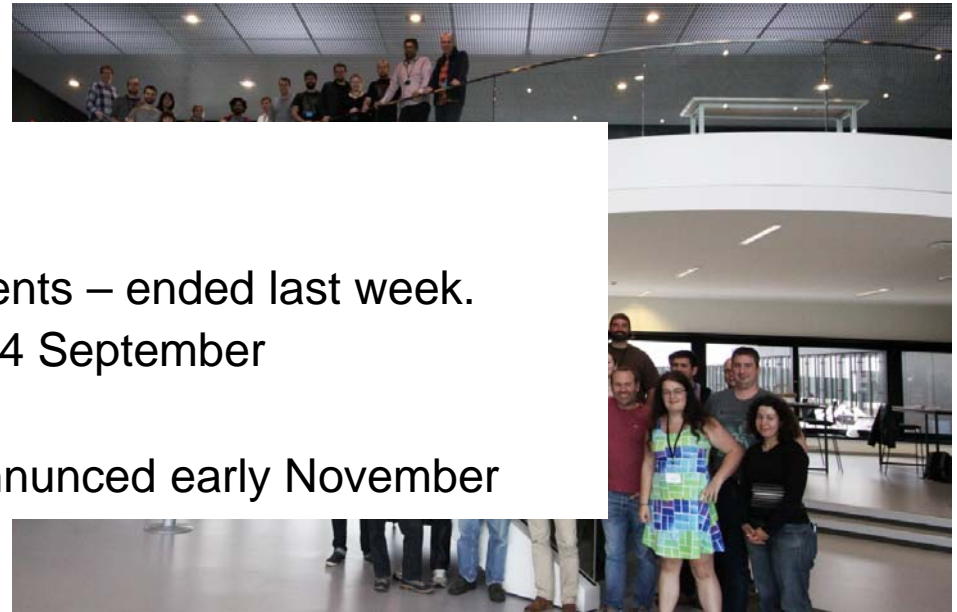
RP Radiation protection
 ST Setup, access, tuning
 FD Facility development
 XP X-ray program

The X-ray program
 Includes external (user) and
 internal commisioning and
 other internal use

First users – September 14 2017

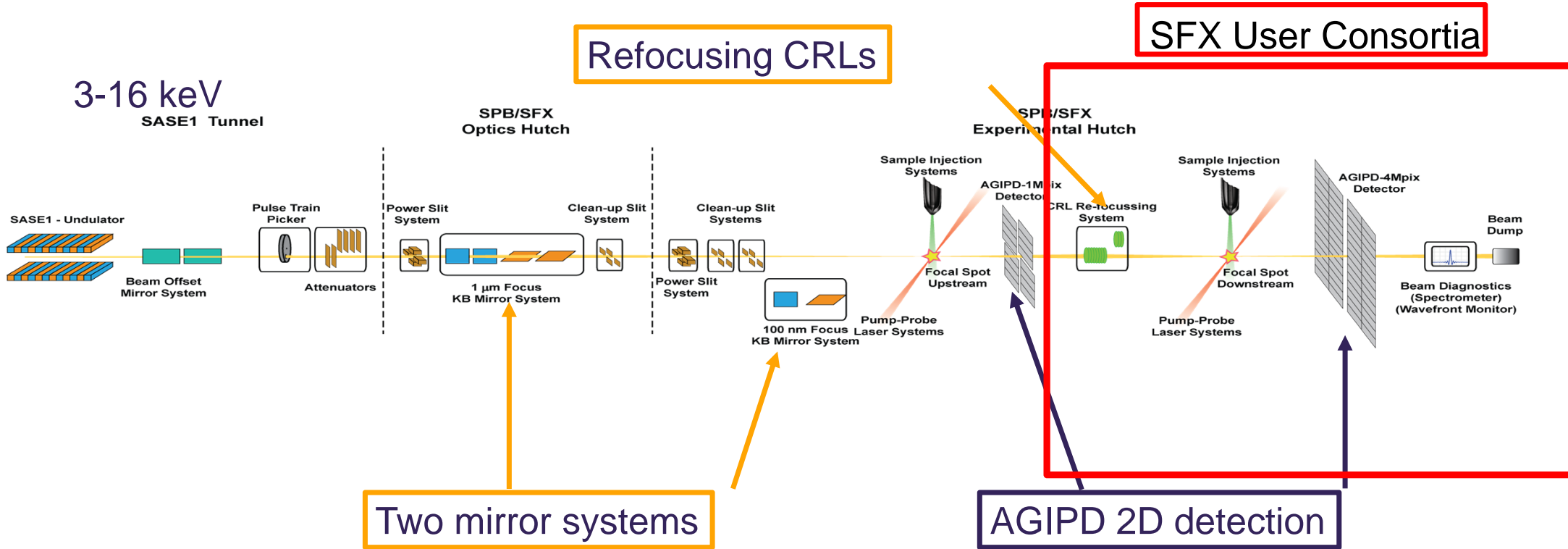


- 1st proposal round completed.
- 14 experiments were conducted.
- 2nd proposal round - 12 experiments – ended last week.
- 3rd proposal round evaluated 3 - 4 September
- Invitations to send out this week
- Call for proposal round 4 to be announced early November

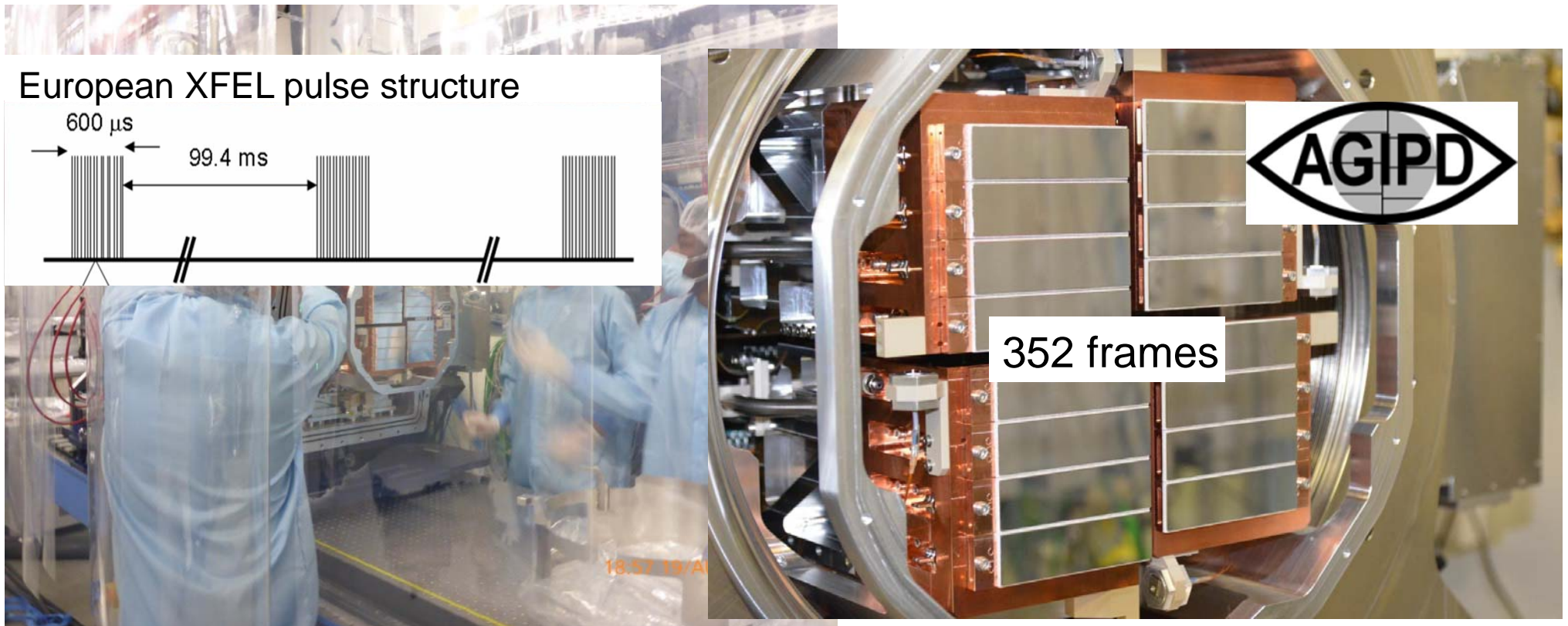


Four Months from first lasing to user operation !

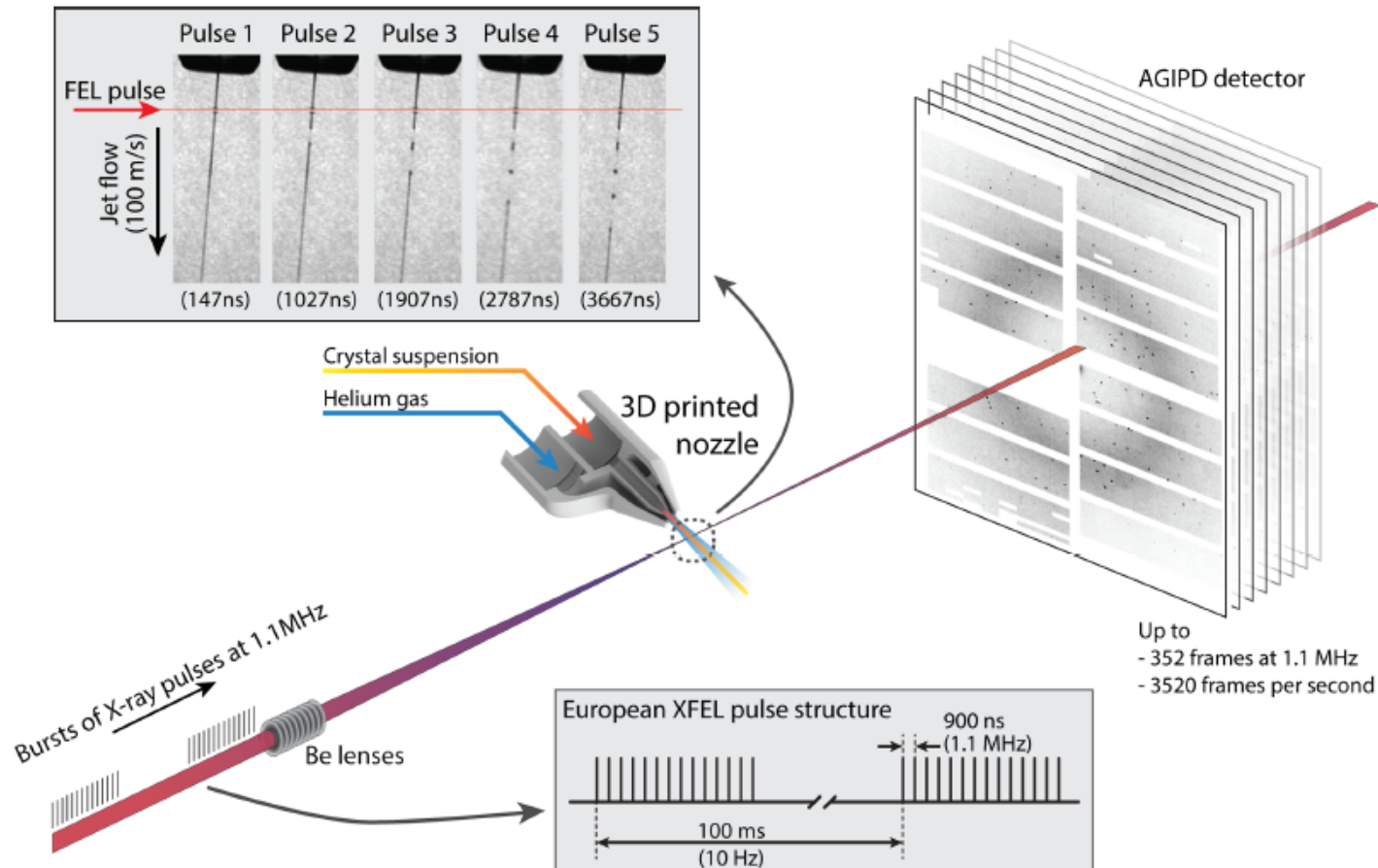
Schematic overview of the SPB/SFX Instrument



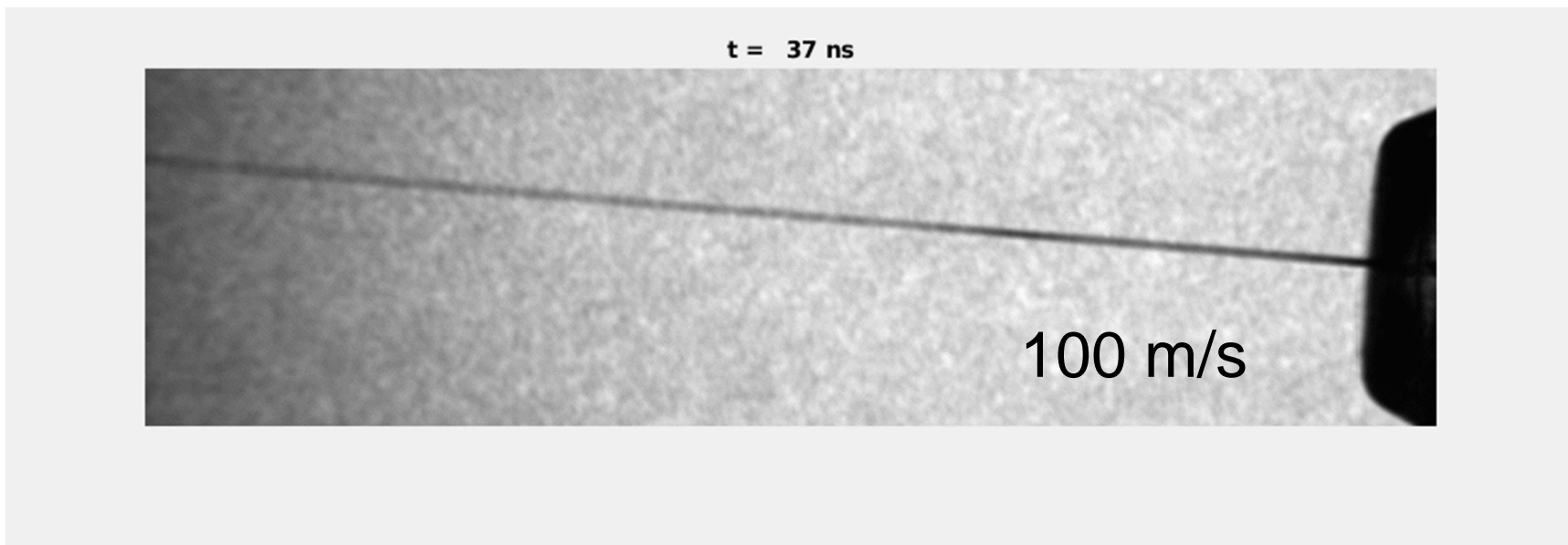
AGIPD Detector at SPB/SFX : Adaptive gain detector



Serial Femtosecond X-ray Crystallography



Fast jets recover in time for the next pulse at 1.1 MHz repetition rate

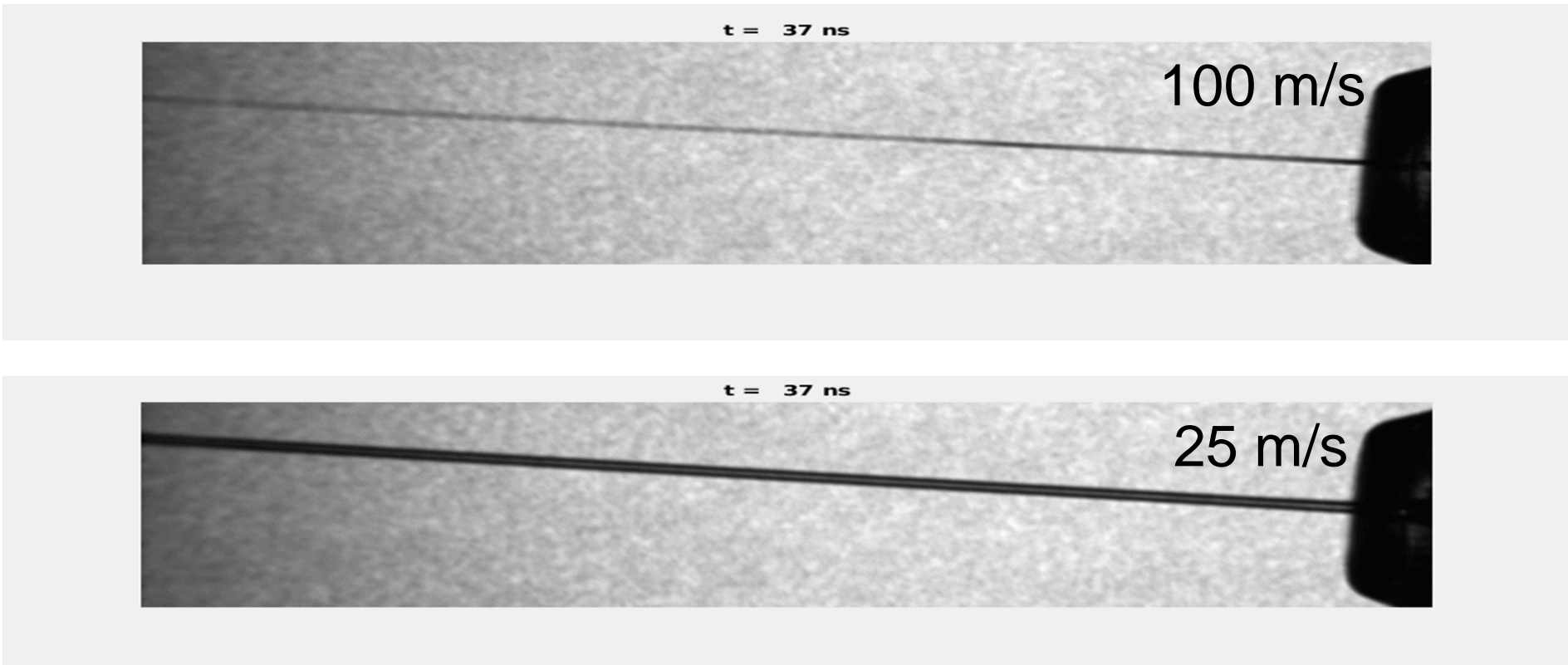


9.3 keV
580 mJ XFEL pulses
10 μm FWHM focus (or smaller)
1.1 MHz repetition rate

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(courtesy A. Barty, H. Chapman)

CFEL-designed fast jets recover in time for the next pulse at 1.1 MHz repetition rate



Max Wierdorn, Claudio Stan

European XFEL

(courtesy A. Barty, H. Chapman)

SPB/SFX experiment #2012: Many thousands of frames of diffraction data was collected and successfully analysed to give a structure!

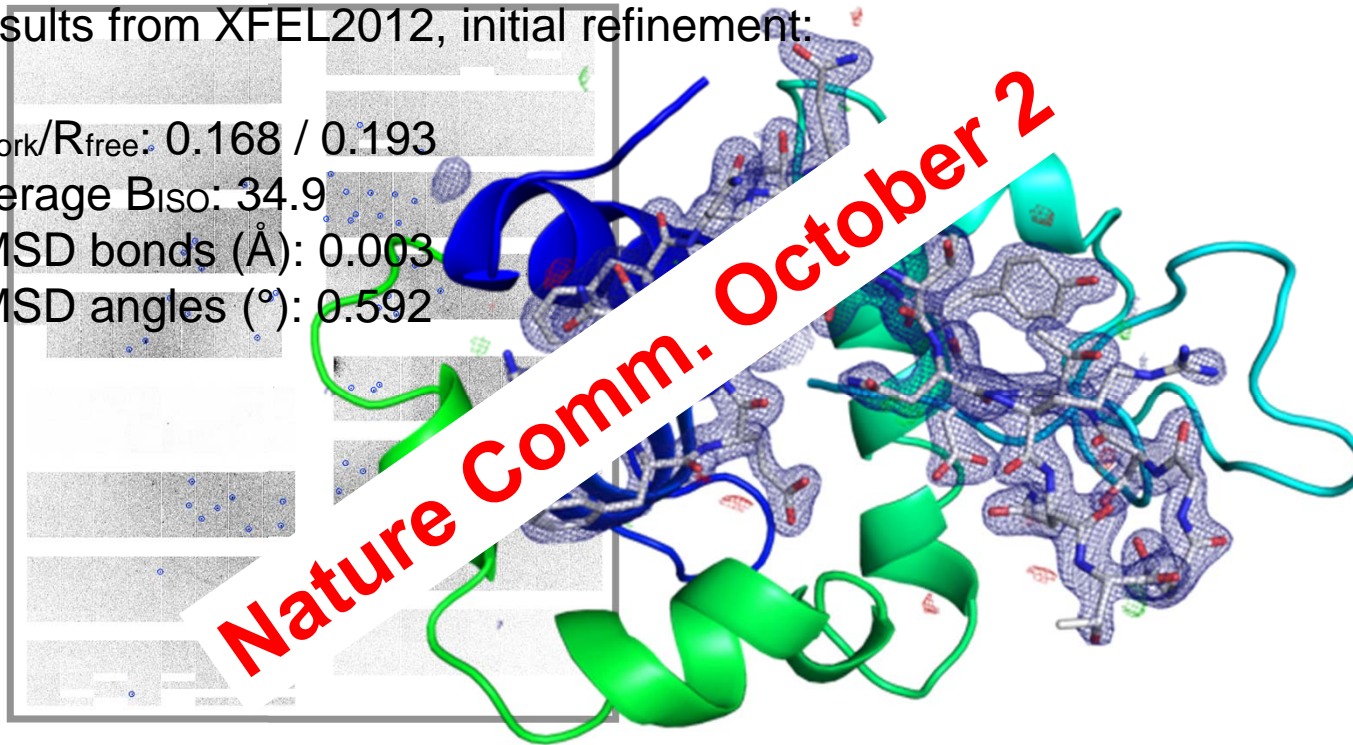
Results from XFEL2012, initial refinement:

$R_{\text{work}}/R_{\text{free}}$: 0.168 / 0.193

Average B_{iso} : 34.9

RMSD bonds (Å): 0.003

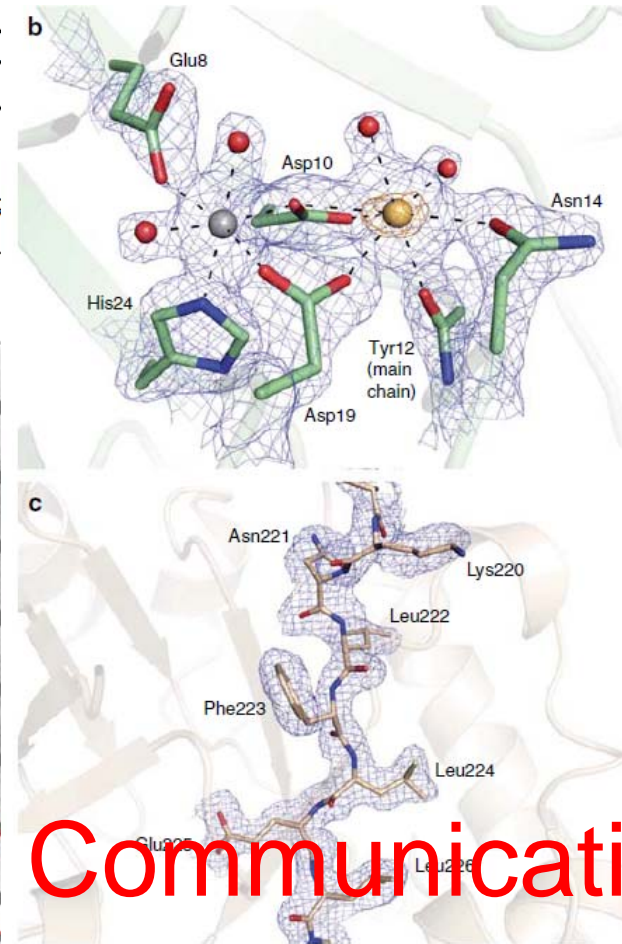
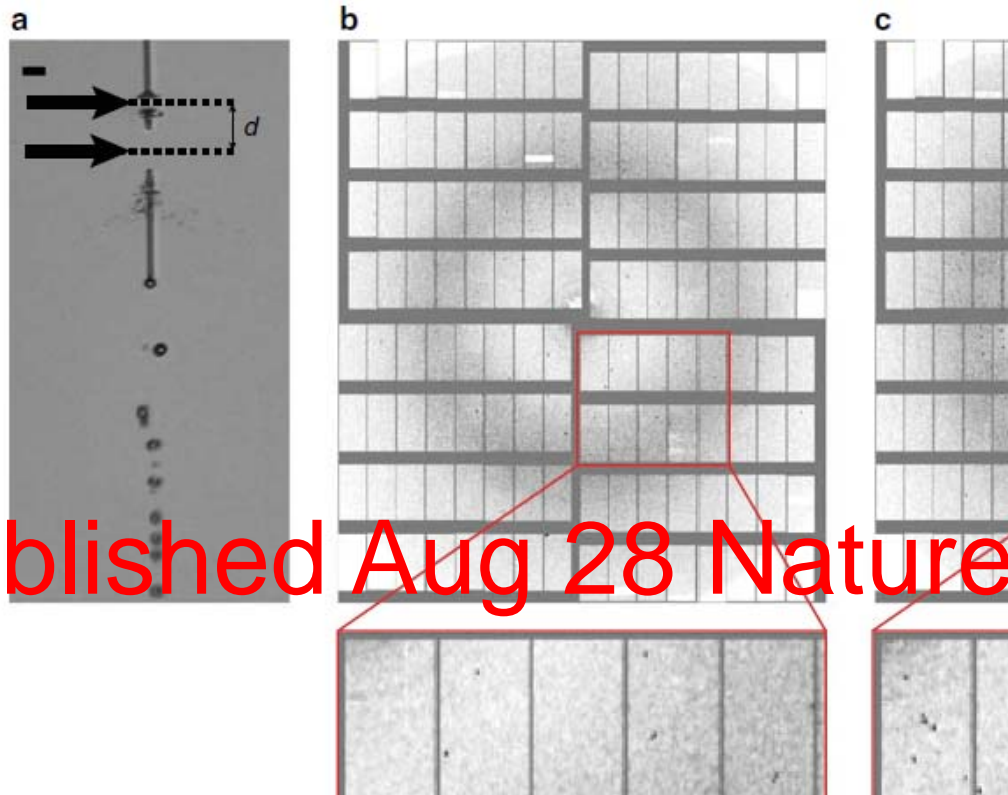
RMSD angles (°): 0.592



- This is the first realisation of the European XFEL's purpose—a complete experiment from start-to-end demonstrated in the very first user experiment at the facility at the SPB/SFX instrument (Data September 2017, Analysis November 2017). That is, structural biology works at XFEL!

Megahertz data collection from pro microcrystals at an X-ray free-electron

Marie Luise Grünbein¹, Johan Bielecki², Alexander Gorel¹, Miriam Stricker¹, F Marco Cammarata³, Katerina Dörner², Lars Fröhlich⁴, Elisabeth Hartmann⁵, ...



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XBI Bio Laboratories for Users



- 5-15 Users per SPB Beamtime (about 40 in total)
- Very positive feedback
- Usage:
 - Handling of cells
 - Dark room
 - Cold room
 - Anaerobic Box
 - Centrifugation
 - Cryogenic storage
 - Sample analysis
 - Microscopy
 - Growing crystals
 - Characterization
 - Preparation for injection

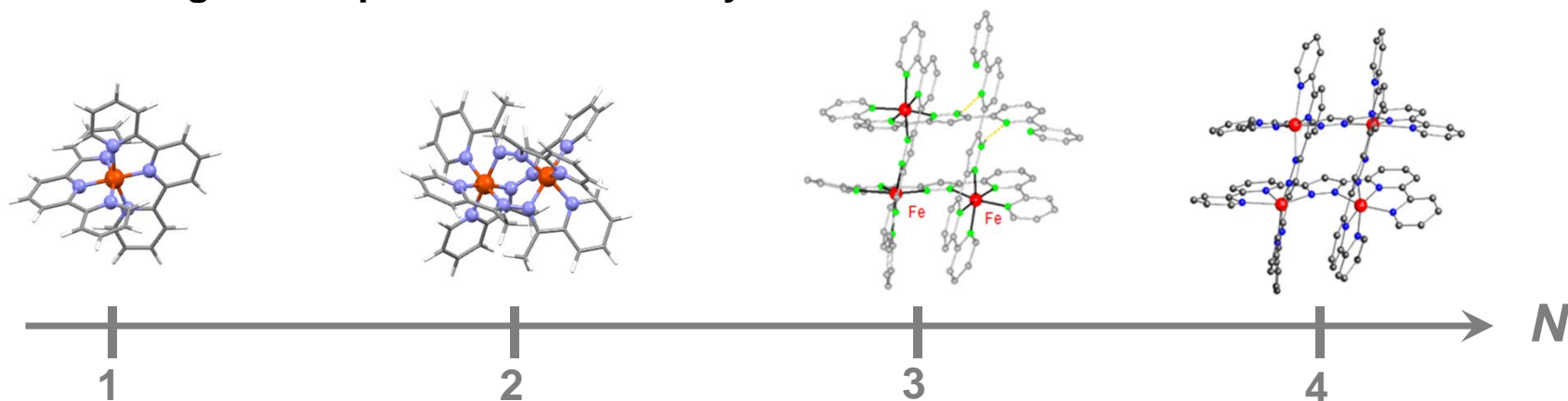
FXE scientific instrument (Christian Bressler)



FXE : Controlling spin-state switching in the condensed phase (Experiment #2050)

30.11. – 04.12.2017 Sophie Canton (DESY/ELI)

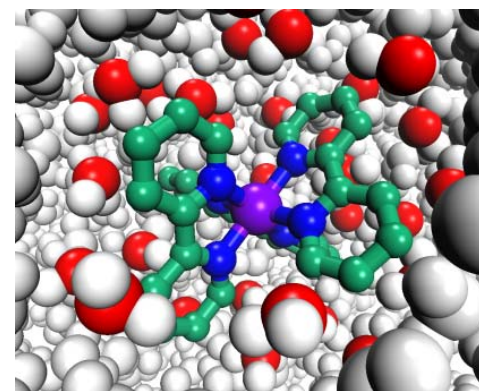
■ Characterizing the **fs** spin and structural dynamics as function of N








■ What is the role of the solvation shell ?

Implications

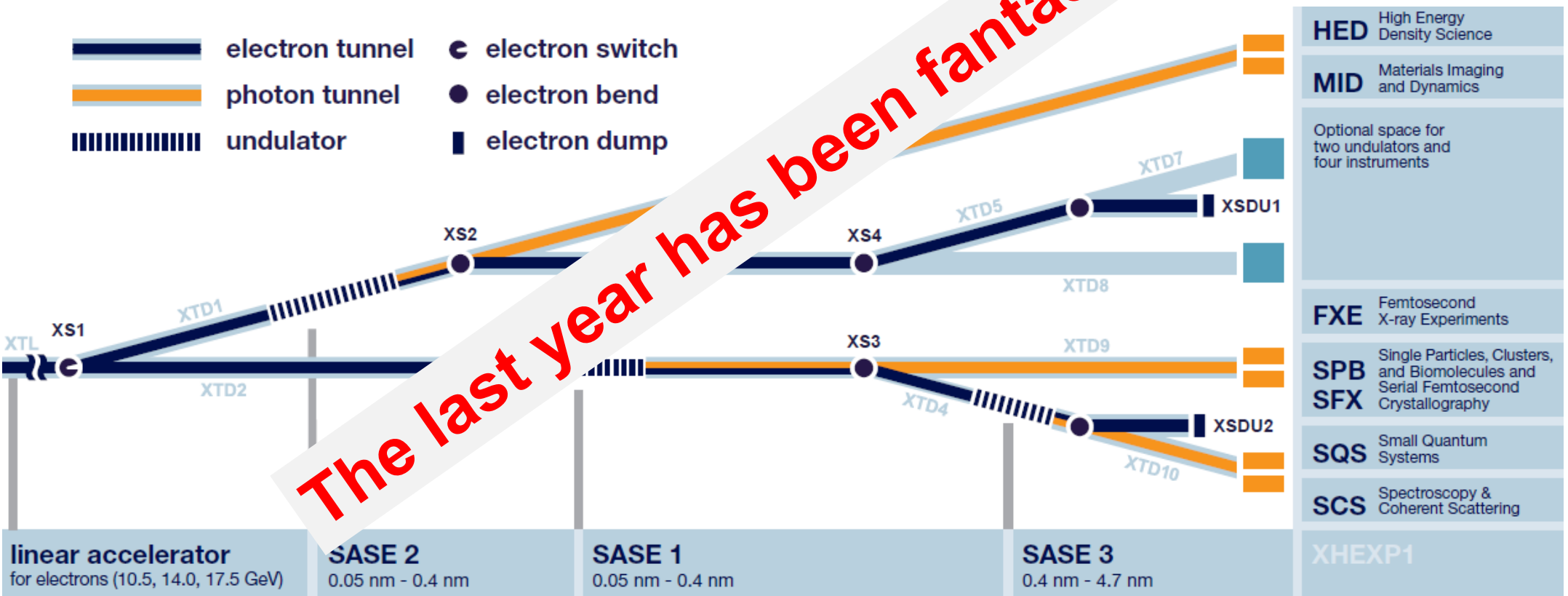
Molecular electronics, quantum information
Energy management in multichromophoric systems



Outlook Experimental Hall

-  electron tunnel
-  photon tunnel
-  undulator
-  electron switch
-  electron bend
-  electron dump

The last year has been fantastic



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Sep 5 : European XFEL celebrates one year of user operation



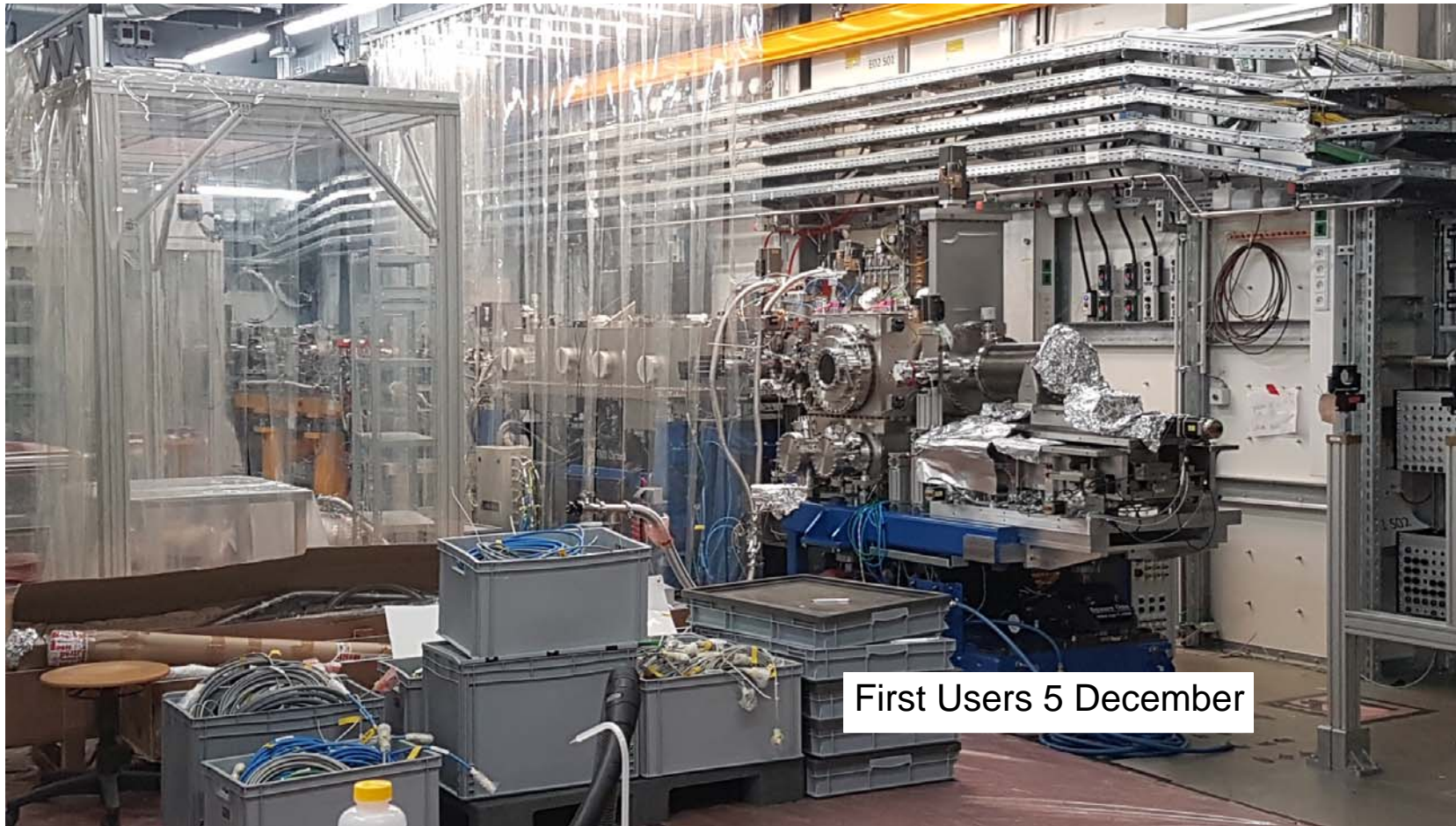
Progress SASE 2 and SASE 3

27.08.2018 – SQS experiment



First Users 29 November

27.08.2018 – SCS experiment



25 October – First Beam at MID



27.08.2018 – MID experiment

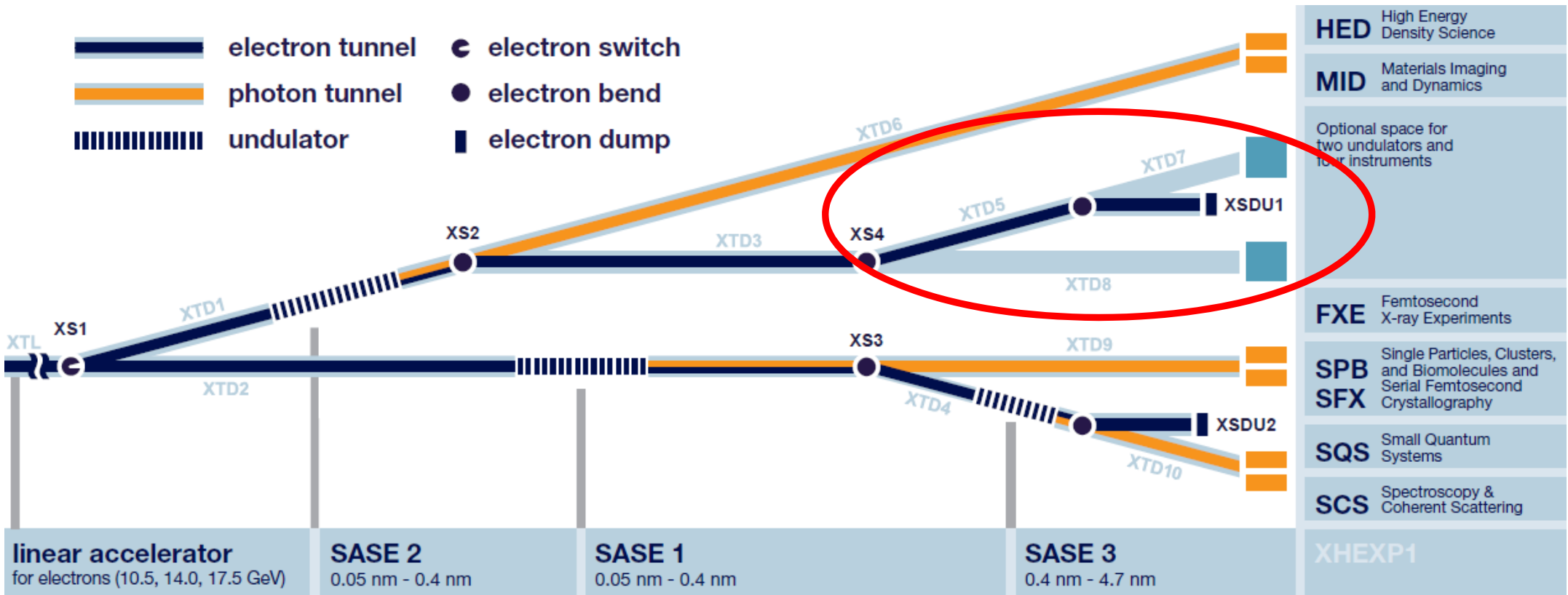


27.08.2018 – HED experiment



First Users 1 May

Experimental Hall



Shaping the Future : first workshop on Dec 6/7

options for the SASE4/5 tunnels

■ Day 1 : Session I : Introduction - Facility Description - Scientific trends

- A hard (7 keV - 25 keV) and ultra-hard X-ray source (25 keV -100 keV) for the European XFEL at 17.5 GeV
- Super-X: Simulations for super-hard X-ray generation with short period undulators for the European XFEL
- Hard X-ray generation at SHINE

■ Day 1: Session II : Hard X-rays

- A soft X-ray line for generating pulses between 1nm and a few 10s nm for the European XFEL
- External seeding possibilities at the European XFEL and THz addition
- Superradiance for Soft X-Ray production

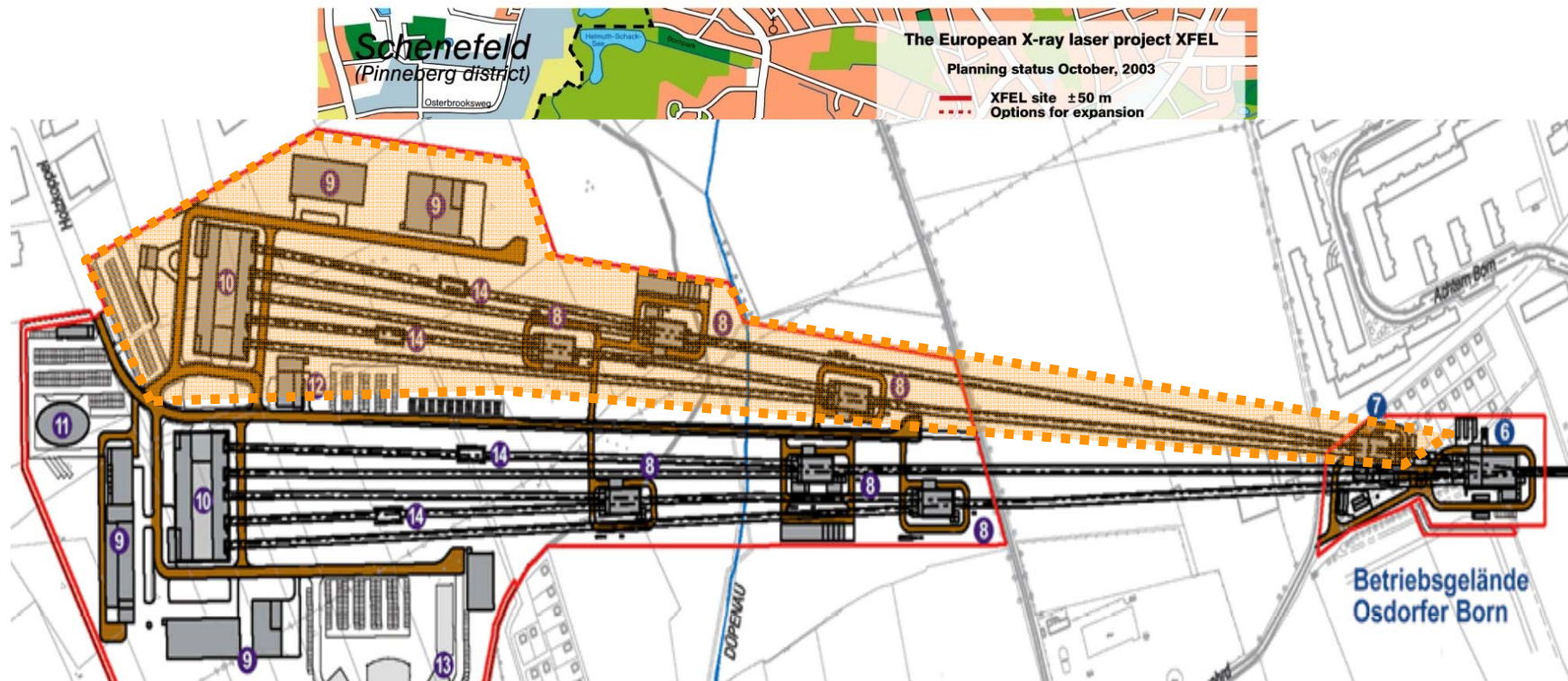
■ Day 2 : Session III: Soft X-Rays

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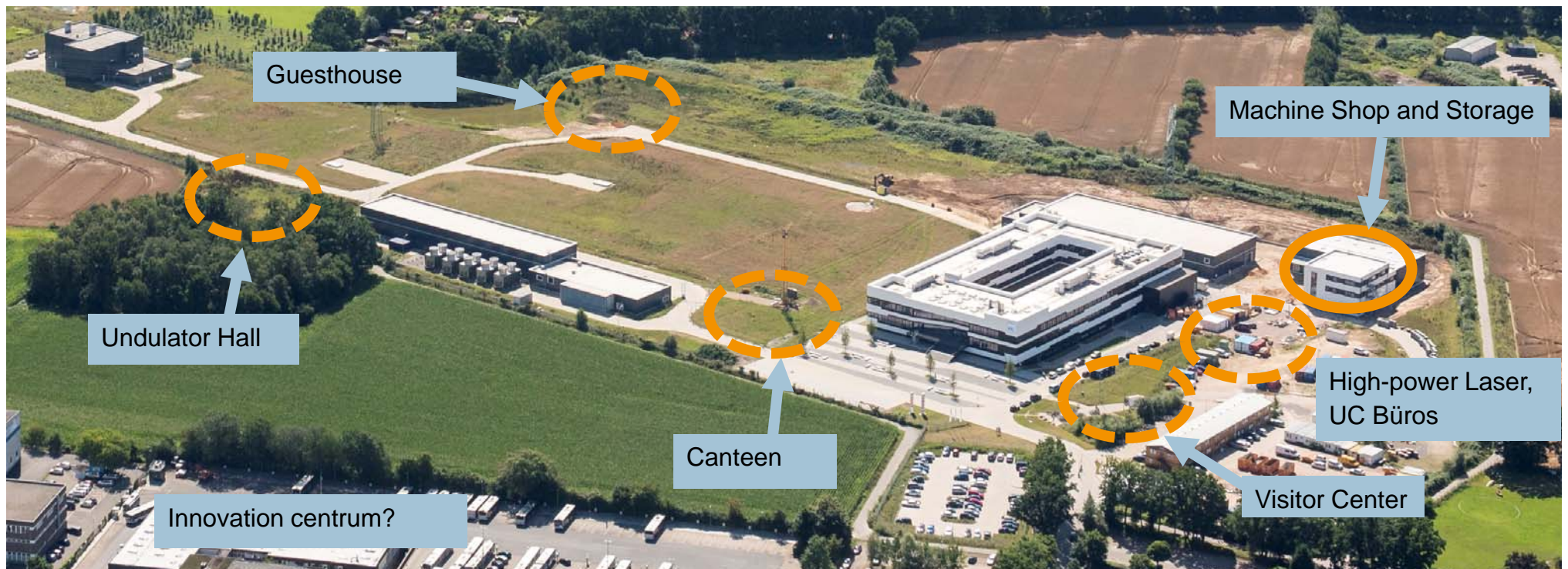
■ Session IV : Other concepts

■ Long term plan (~ 2027 - 2032) . Second fan and c.w.








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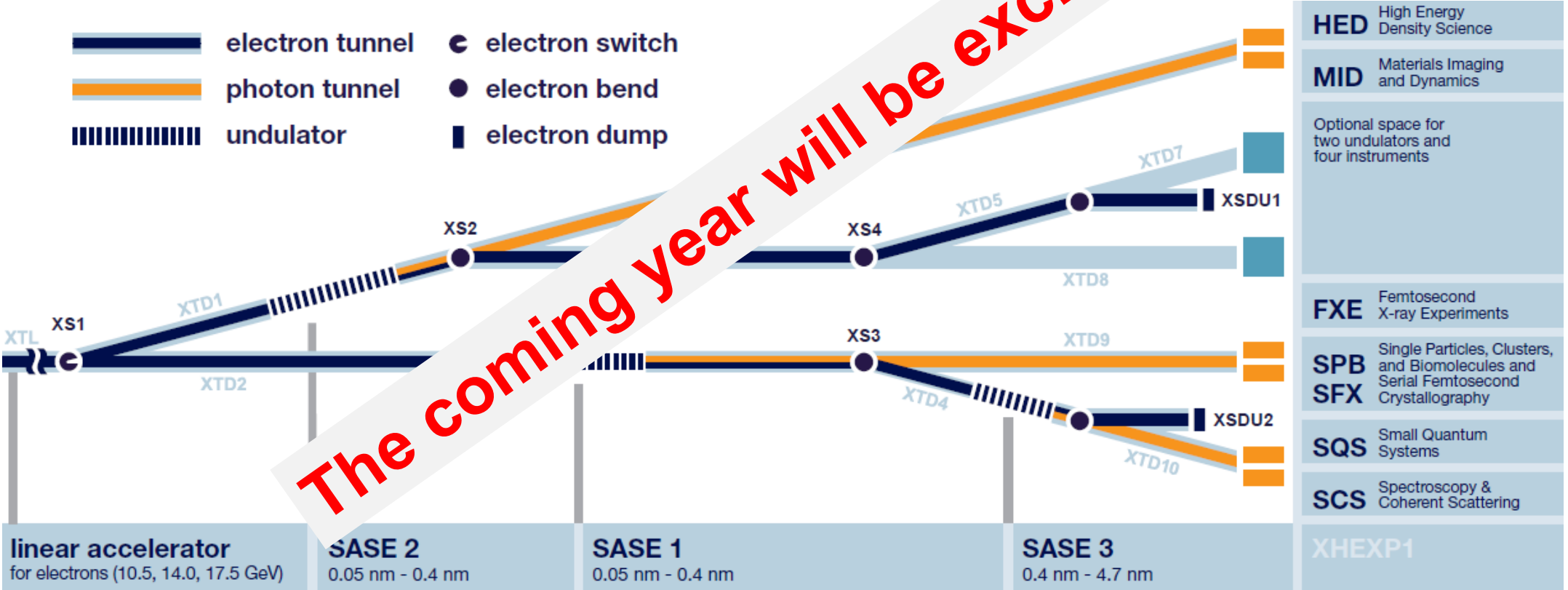
Campus Schenefeld including planned Canteen und Guesthouse



Outlook Experimental Hall

The coming year will be exciting

-  electron tunnel
-  photon tunnel
-  undulator
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And to the fantastic Accelerator Staff



Thanks to all the DESY accelerator staff for their hard work and for their commitment