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# Synchrotron Radiation User Facilities

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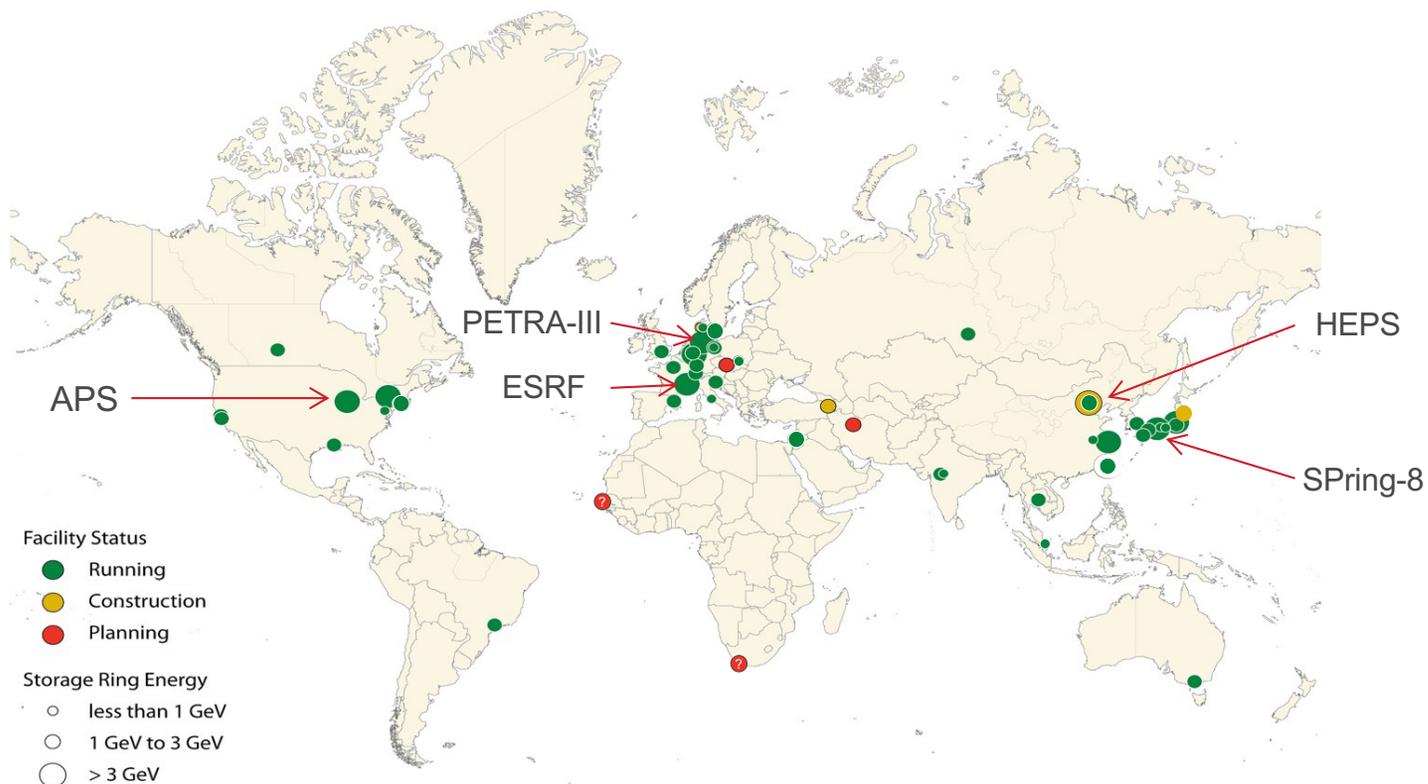
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# SYNCHROTRON FACILITIES AROUND THE WORLD

## Over 40 synchrotron light-source facilities world-wide



Approximately 50,000 scientists use one of these facilities each year.

Five are large-circumference high-energy (>5 GeV) high-brilliance (<3nm-rad) storage rings

# SYNCHROTRON LIGHT SOURCES IN NORTH AMERICA

8 light sources; 5 DOE US; 1 NSF US; 1 State US; 1 Canadian

2.9 GeV; 18.1 nm



**Canadian Light Source (CLS)**  
University of Saskatchewan

7 GeV; 3 nm



**Advanced Photon Source (APS)**  
Argonne National Laboratory

1.9 GeV; 2 nm



**Advanced Light Source (ALS)**  
Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory

6 GeV; 27 nm



**Cornell High-Energy Synchrotron Source (CHESS)**  
Cornell University

**Stanford Synchrotron Radiation Laboratory (SSRL)**  
**Linac Coherent Light Source (LCLS)**  
Stanford Linear Accelerator Center



3 GeV; 10 nm



**CAMD**  
Louisiana State University



1.3 GeV; 200 nm

**NSLS-II**  
Brookhaven National Laboratory



3 GeV; 0.75 nm

# LIGHT SOURCE PARAMETERS

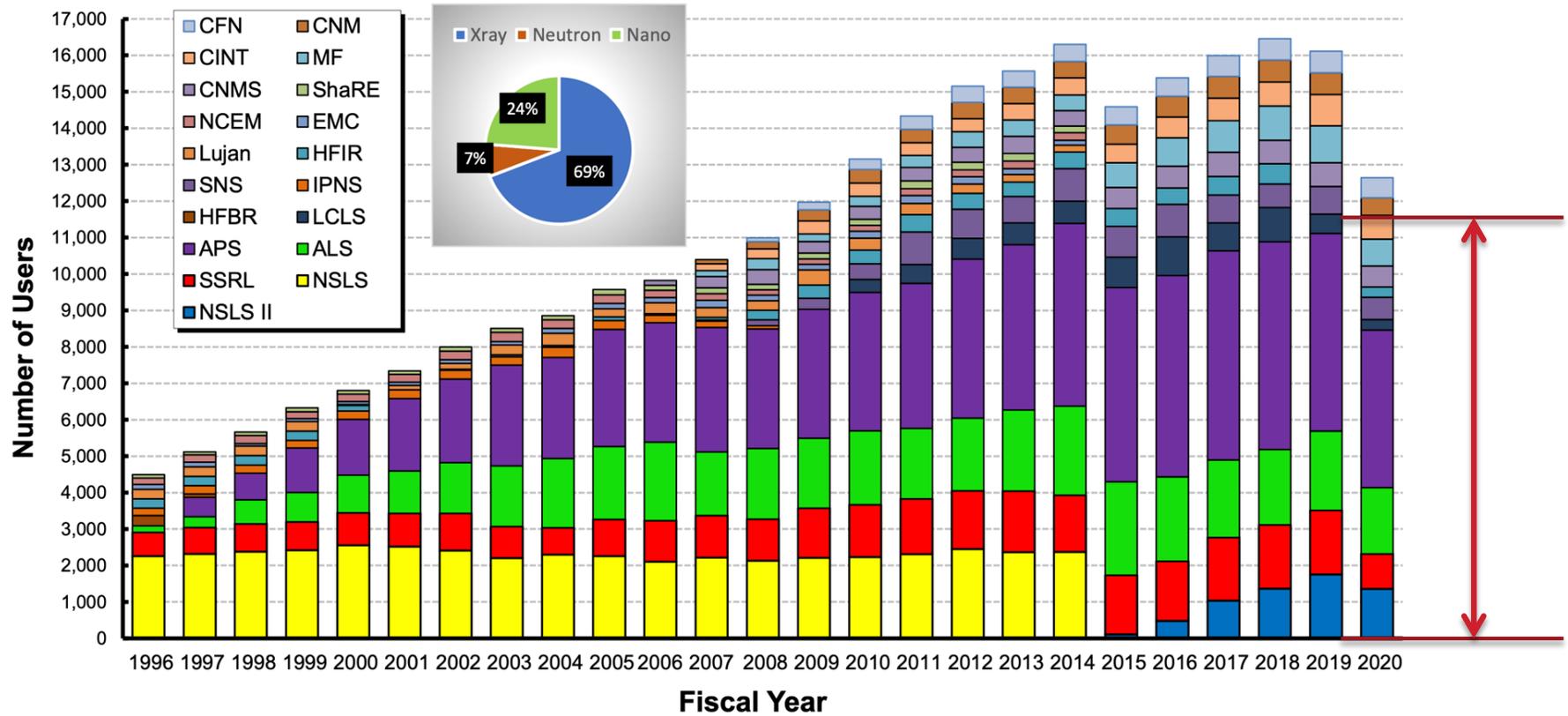
Source	Energy	Current	Circum.	Emittance	# Beamlines
APS	7.0 GeV	100 mA	1104m	3.0 nm-rad	67 (47 ID)
APS-U	6.0 GeV	200 mA	1104m- $\delta$	0.042 nm-rad	70 (54 ID)
NSLS-II	3.0 GeV	400 mA	792m	0.75 nm-rad	30 (22 ID)
SSRL	3.0 GeV	500 mA	234m	10 nm-rad	27 (18 ID)
ALS	1.9 GeV	500 mA	199m	2.0 nm-rad	46 (17 ID)
CHESS	6.0 GeV	200 mA	768m	27 nm-rad	8 (8 ID)
CLS	2.9 GeV	250 mA	170m	18.1 nm-rad	20 ( 13 ID)
CAMD	1.3 GeV	200 mA	55m	200 nm-rad	15 (3 ID)

Most important: Energy, emittance, & does it have a beamline for what I want to do

\*LCLS – X-ray free electron laser accelerator, so parameter don't easily correlate

# DOE SCIENTIFIC USER FACILITIES

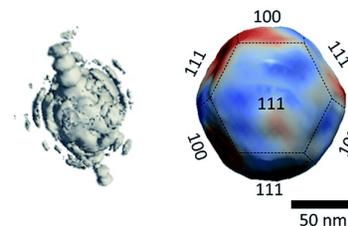
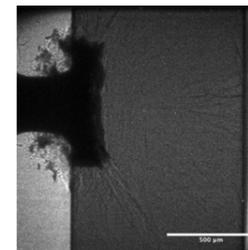
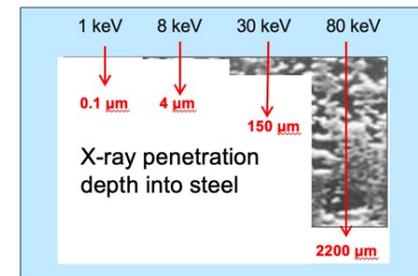
More than 11,000 unique users use one of the DOE light sources each year; Canadian Light Source ~1000; CHESS ~1000 users



# WHY CHOOSE PARTICULAR FACILITY?

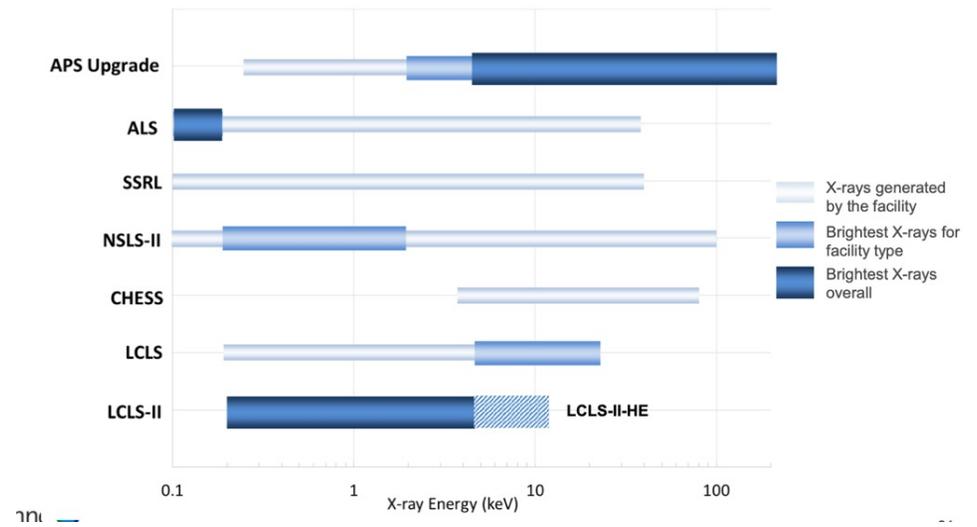
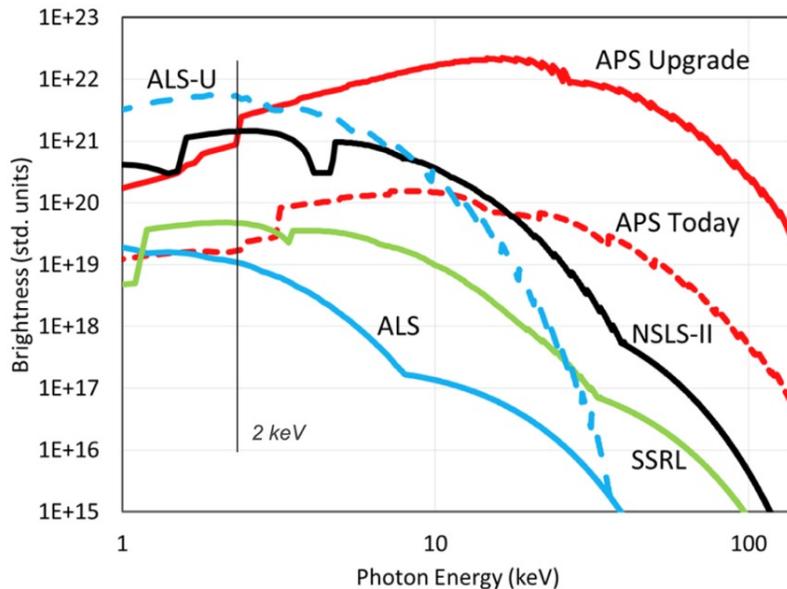
## Considerations for your experiment

- Energy range of x-rays
  - Higher energy storage rings generate "harder" x-rays
    - Penetration, complex environments, in-situ/operando, ...
  - Lower energy rings – light elements, electronic and magnetic sensitivity, ..
- Brightness
  - Enables smaller focal spots & coherence measurements
- Timing structure
  - Pulse structure suitable if doing ultra-fast experiments
    - Pump-probe; high-speed imaging
- Specialized capabilities
  - Unique measurements (e.g. beam polarization, magnetic field, stress/strain equipment, furnaces, laser heating, gas handling, ...)
  - Ancillary labs capabilities (e.g. electrochemistry, high pressure, ...)
- Location
  - Similar capabilities for some techniques (e.g. XAS, SAXS, ...)
  - Easier to transport your own equipment.



# DOE LIGHT SOURCE FACILITIES

## Light sources optimized\* for particular energy ranges

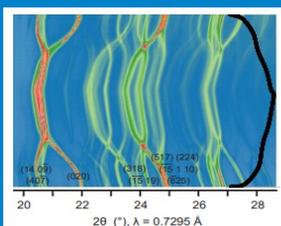


- Harder x-rays contain significant power in the x-ray beam
- Lower energy ring can go to higher current without heat load mitigation

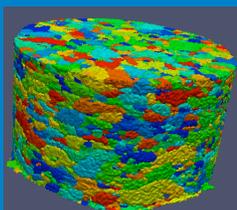
# LIGHT SOURCE FACILITIES

## Spectral range

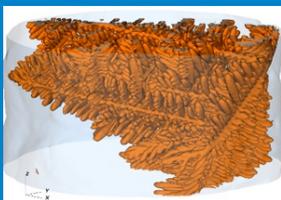
### Hard X-ray (>20 keV)



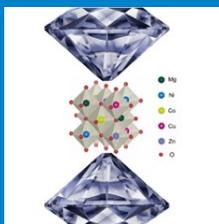
In-operando XRD



HighE Diff. Micro.



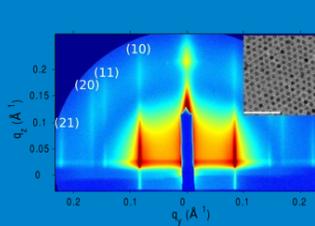
Dynamic Tomography



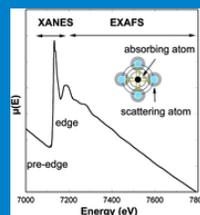
High-Press. XRD

PDF, HEDM, XRD, High Press., Tomography, ....

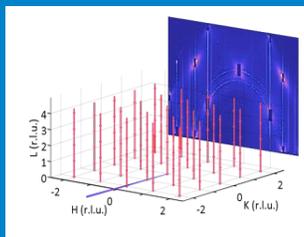
### X-rays (5-20 keV)



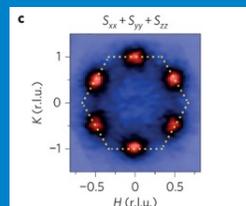
GI-SAXS



XAS



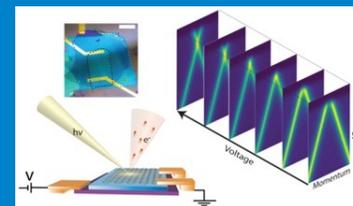
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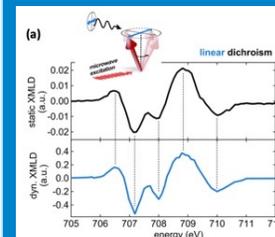
RIXS (3d K, 5d L)

SAXS, XAS, Diffraction, XRF, Spectro-microscopy, ....

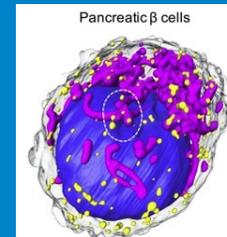
### Soft X-ray (<3 keV)



Angle Resolved Photoemission



XMCD

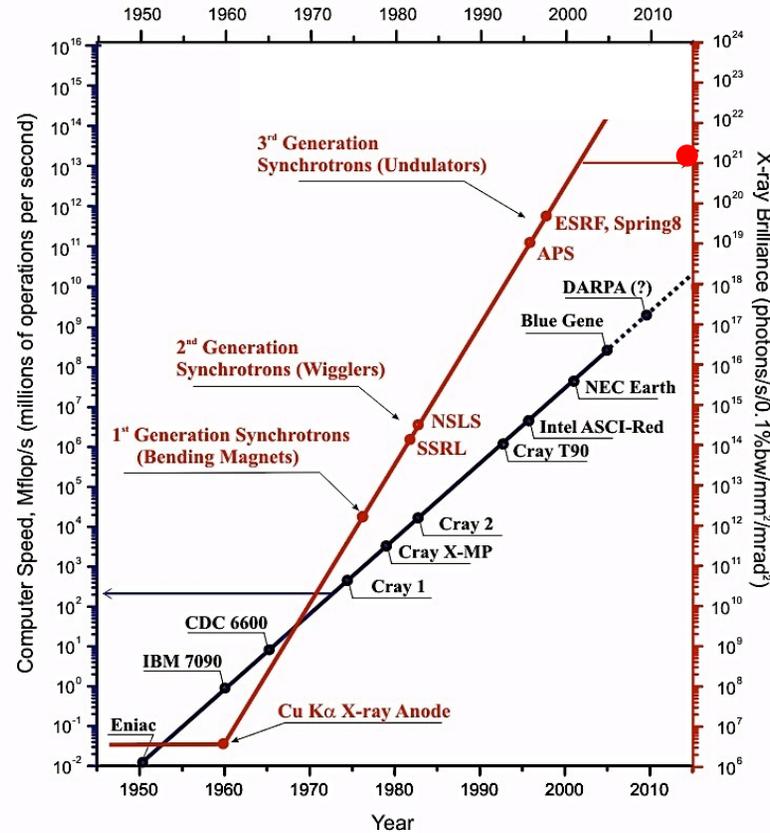
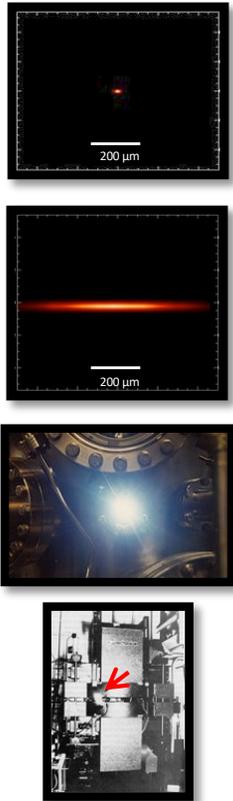


Imaging

ARPES, XMCD, Imaging, Light elements, ...

Facilities will offer range of capabilities even outside their “sweet” spot.

# EVOLUTION OF SYNCHROTRON BRIGHTNESS

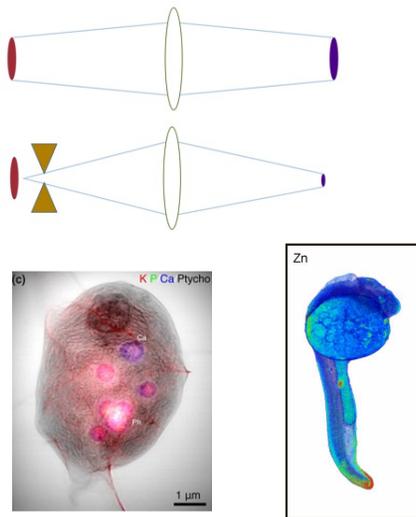


≥ 2 orders of magnitude increase in brightness between generations

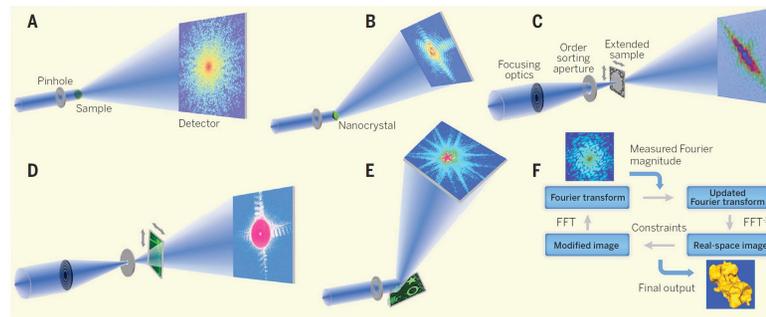
# DOE SCIENTIFIC USER FACILITIES

## Brightness & Beam Coherence

Focusing of x-ray beam



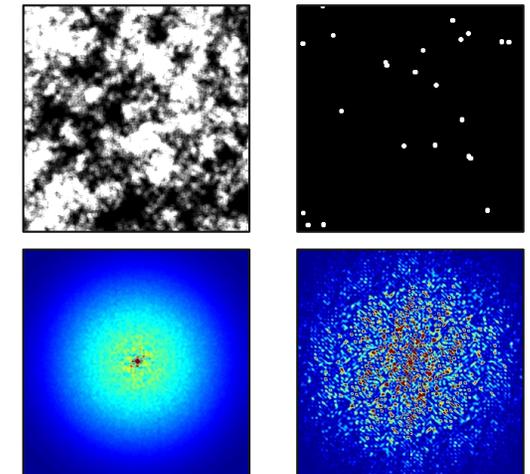
Coherent (lensless) imaging



J. Miao *et al.*, *Science* **348**, 530 (2015)

X-ray Photon Correlation Spectroscopy

Static Average      Fast particle dynamics



Simulation courtesy of Z. Jiang (APS)

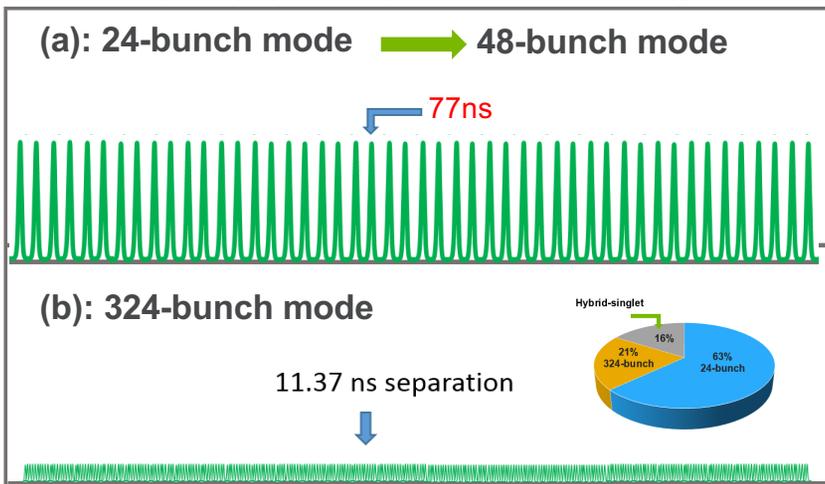
Brightness enables focusing of all x-rays into nanometer scale focal spots  
 Enables lensless imaging & studies of dynamics using correlation methods

See talks by Chris Jacobsen, Stefan Hruszkewycz (Tuesday) & Larry Lurio (today)

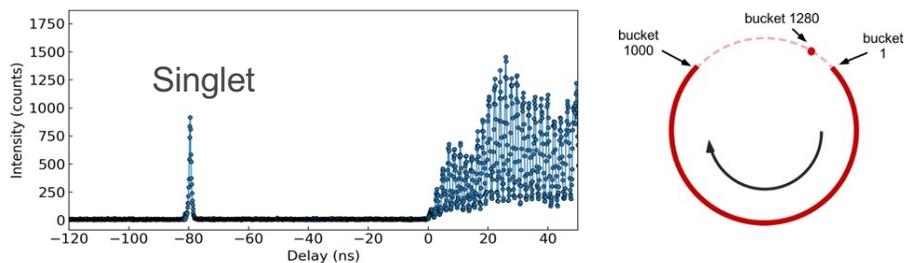
# LIGHT SOURCE FACILITIES

## Timing modes

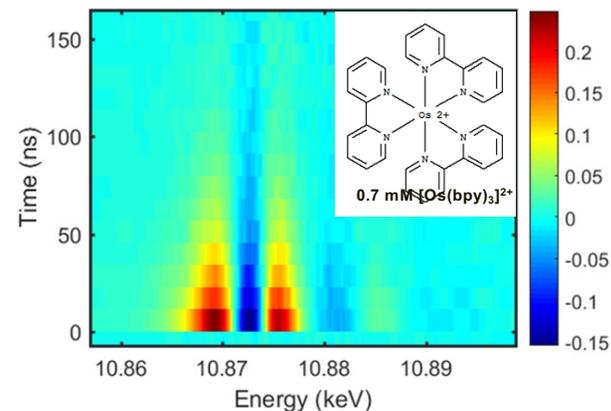
APS operates majority of the time (~80%) in a fill pattern that enables pump-probe (and other) timing studies



NSLS-II 1320 Buckets; 1056 filled; 2 ns separation

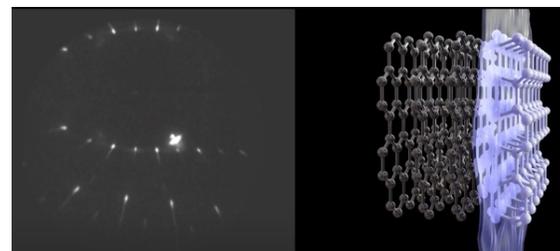


Time-Resolved X-ray Absorption  
Os L<sub>III</sub> edge difference XAS



E. Kinigstein *et al.*, *Rev. Sci. Instrum.* **92**, 085109 (2021)

Single pulse x-ray diffraction @ APS 35-ID



# LIGHT SOURCE FACILITIES

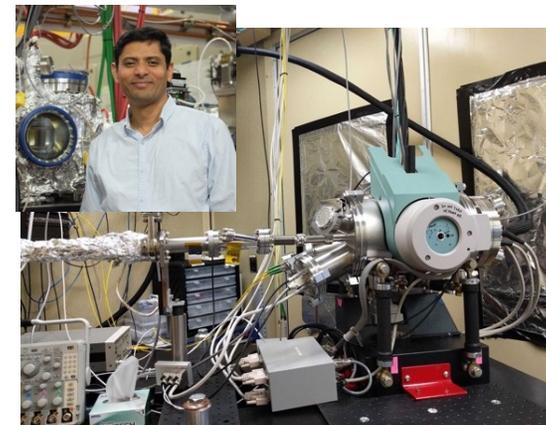
## Beamline capabilities



Nanoprobe @ APS



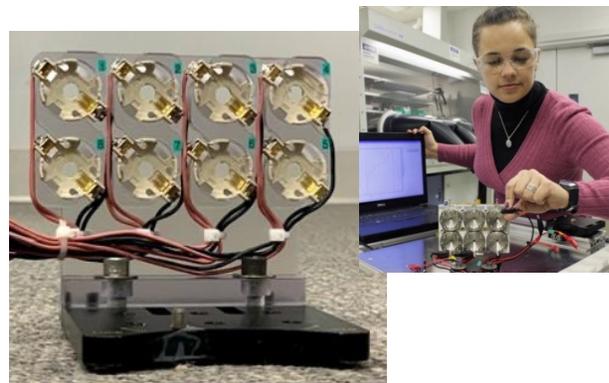
Soft X-ray RIXS @ NSLS-II



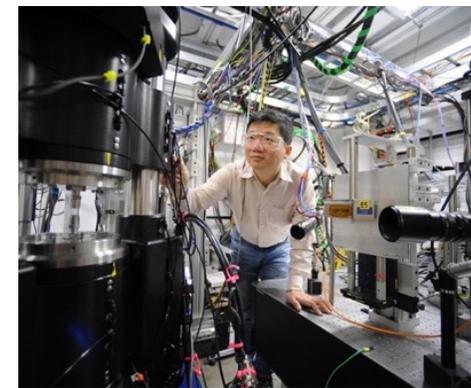
COSMIC imaging @ ALS



MEC instrument @ LCLS



AMPIX electrochemical cells @ APS



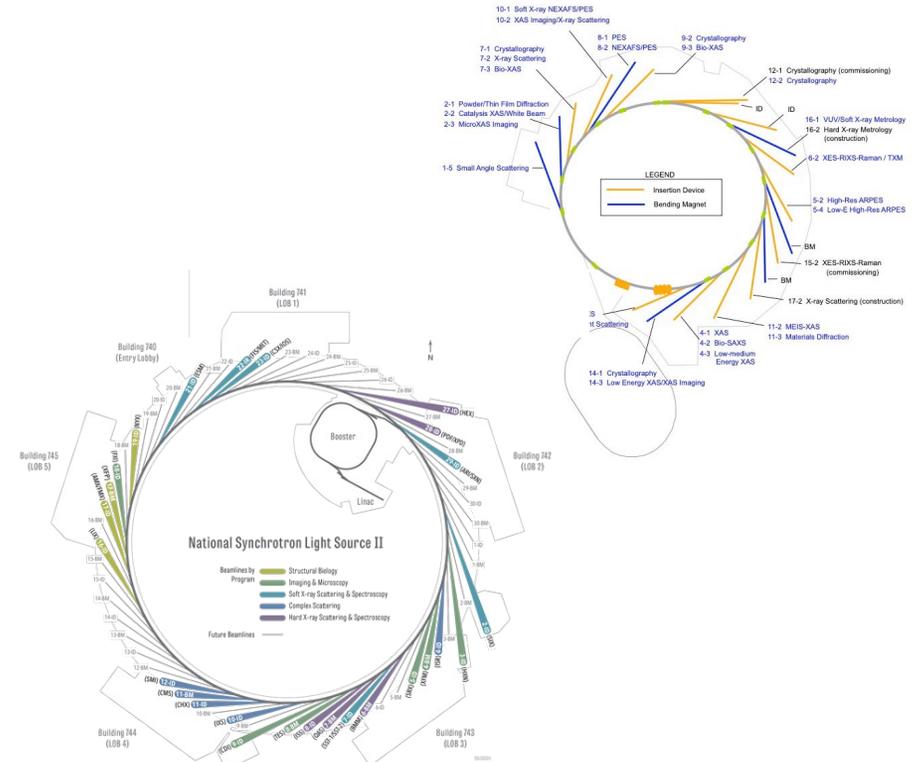
RAMS instrument @ APS

- Ancillary capabilities at each beamline typically given on web pages

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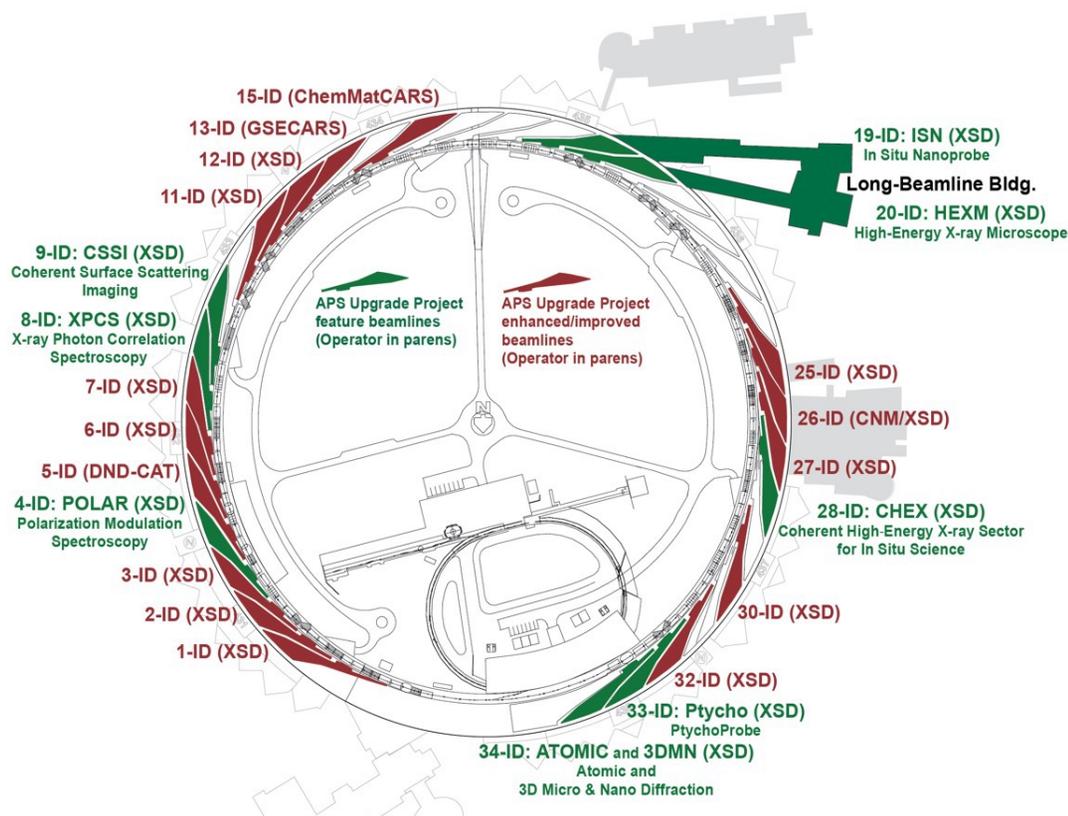
## Beamline capabilities information

Beamlines Directory						
Information on APS Operations and General User Programs During the COVID Pandemic. To determine what access modes are available to general users at this time, check the operational status of the APS - Read More						
Beamline	Disciplines	Techniques	Energy Range	Access	Operator	Status
1-BM-B,C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Materials Science</li> <li>Physics</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Optics testing</li> <li>Detector testing</li> <li>Topography</li> <li>White Laue Single Crystal Diffraction</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6-30 keV</li> <li>50-120 keV</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On-site</li> </ul>	XSD	●
1-ID-B,C,E	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Materials Science</li> <li>Physics</li> <li>Chemistry</li> <li>Life Sciences</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>High-energy x-ray diffraction</li> <li>Tomography</li> <li>Small-angle x-ray scattering</li> <li>Fluorescence spectroscopy</li> <li>Pair distribution function</li> <li>Phase contrast imaging</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>41-136 keV</li> <li>45-116 keV</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On-site</li> </ul>	XSD	●
2-BM-A,B	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Physics</li> <li>Life Sciences</li> <li>GeoScience</li> <li>Materials Science</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tomography</li> <li>Phase contrast imaging</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>10-170 keV</li> <li>11-35 keV</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On-site</li> </ul>	XSD	●
2-ID-D	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Life Sciences</li> <li>Materials Science</li> <li>Environmental Science</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Microfluorescence</li> <li>Micro x-ray absorption fine structure</li> <li>Nano-imaging</li> <li>Ptychography</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5-30 keV</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On-site</li> <li>Remote</li> <li>Mail-in</li> <li>Beamline Staff</li> </ul>	XSD	●
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- Types of measurements supported at beamlines typically given on web pages
- Contact local beamlines staff with questions

# APS UPGRADE PROJECT



- \$815M upgrade; Reuses ~\$1.5B in infrastructure
- Split ~1/2 accelerator & ~1/2 beamlines

APS Today



$\epsilon_0 = 3100 \text{ pm}$

APS Upgrade



$\epsilon_0 = 42 \text{ pm}$

- New storage ring and new updated insertion devices yields brightness increases of **up to 500x**
- Project includes 9 new feature & 15 enhanced beamlines to optimally exploit this brightness increase
- Exploit high performance computing, AI/ML for data analysis

44 Petaflops



On-line 22'

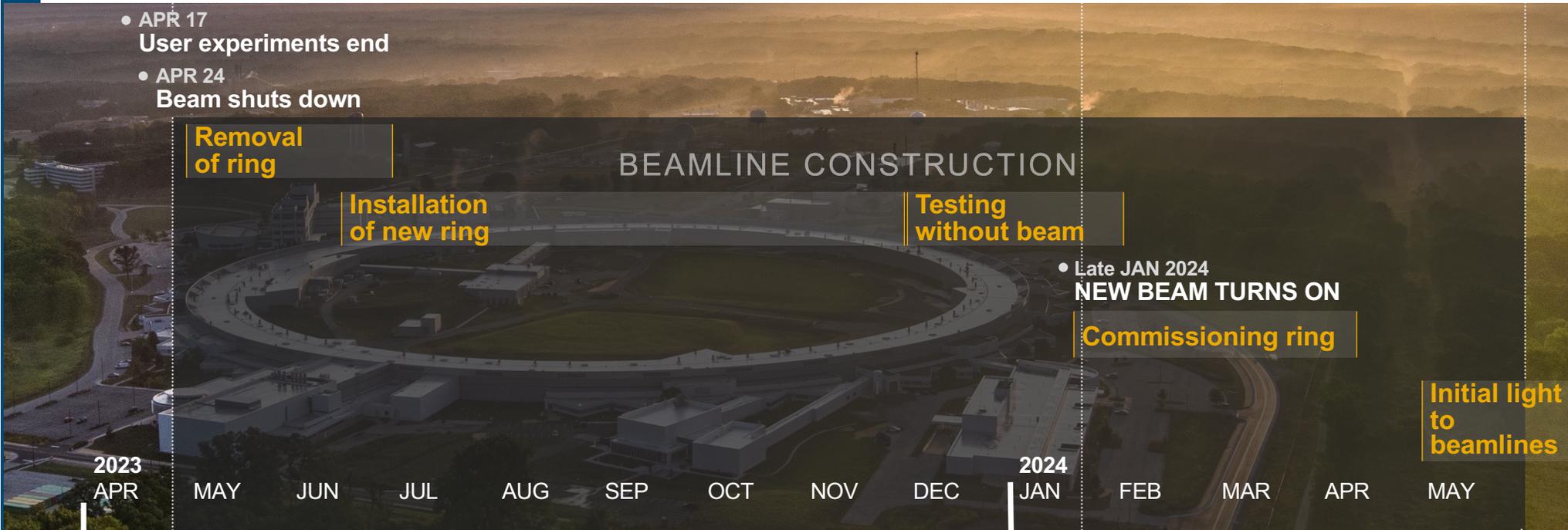
~2 Exaflop (2000 Petaflops)



Coming Fall 23'

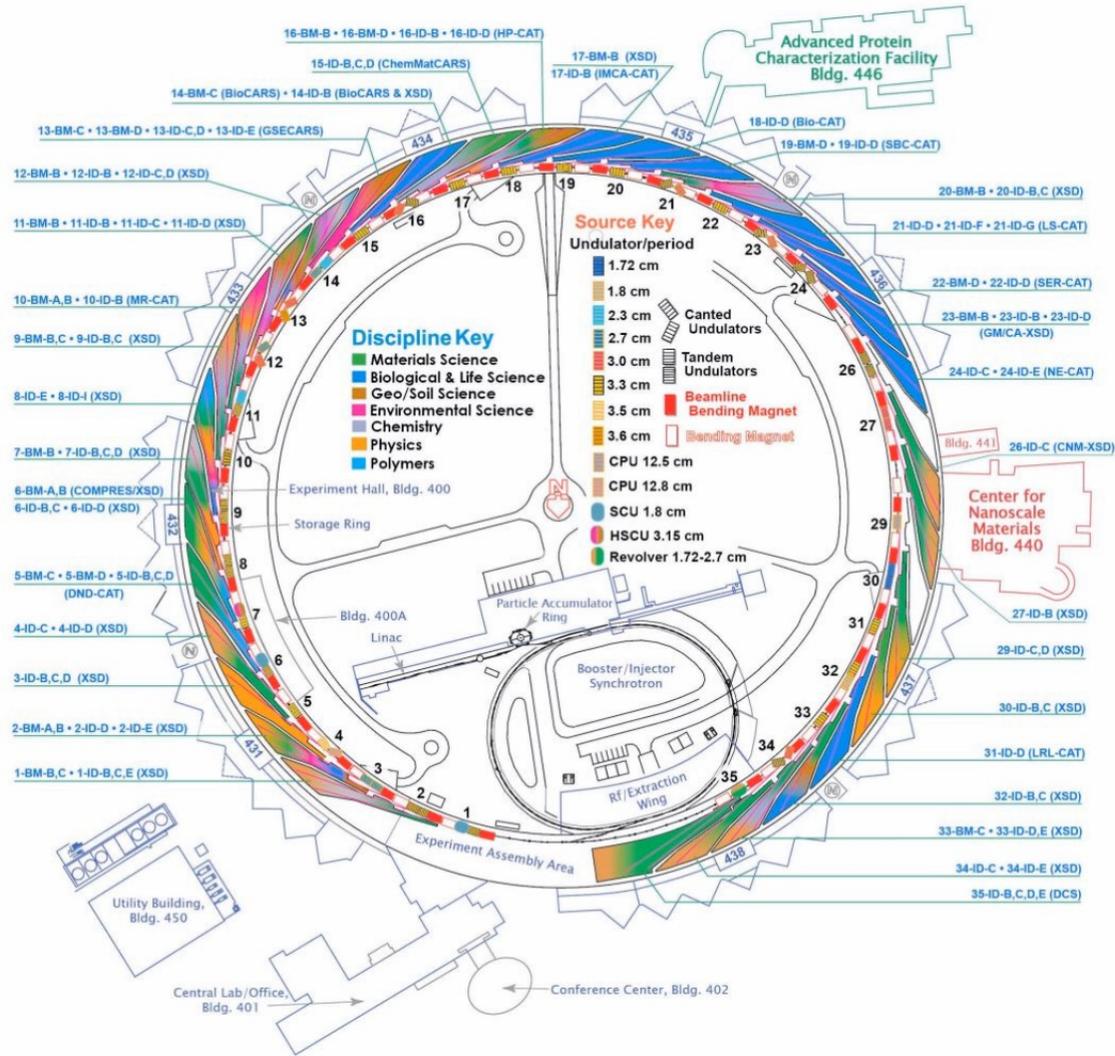
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# APS-U DARK TIME SCHEDULE



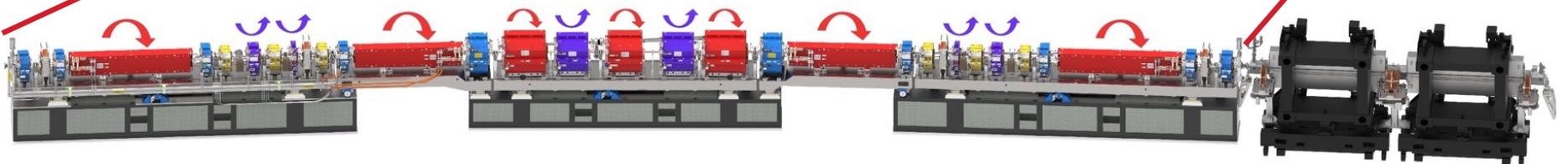
Today: Accelerator installation & beamline work

Initial light from APS-U expected onto experimental hall floor in May '24 (~9 months from now)



# APS-U SECTOR IN OFFSITE WAREHOUSE

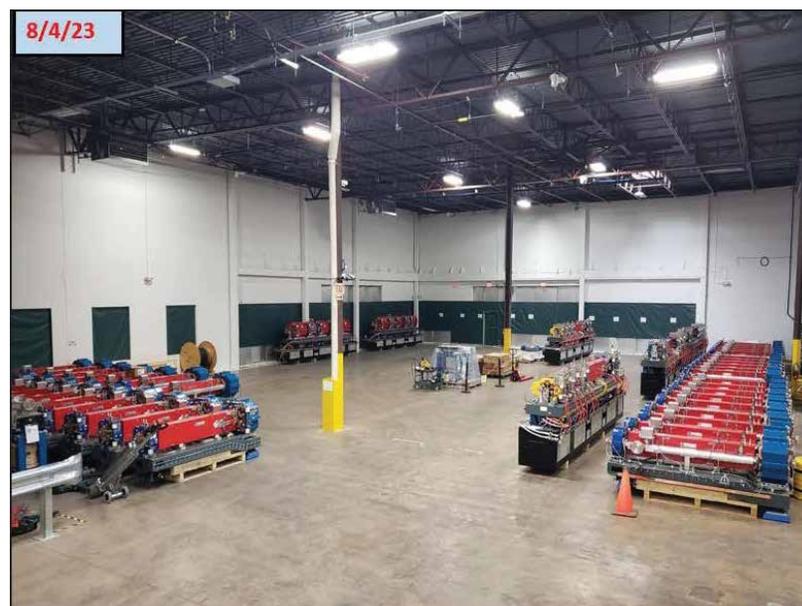
Sector Mockup





# OFFSITE WAREHOUSE

## Emptying out fast

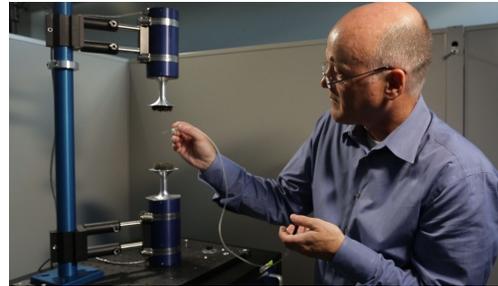




# SUMMARY

Lots of considerations when choosing a beamline/facility  
Can be daunting task.

- Energy range for measurement?
- Brightness needs?
- Timing structure important?
- Specialized sample/measurement capabilities needed?
- Location
  - Remote or Mail-in capabilities offered?



Staff at the facilities there to help you make the most effective use of your time.  
Talk to them, they can help guide you towards the best choice beamlines

**QUESTIONS**

