

# HEP Perspective on FACET-II

## Long-Term Planning

Long-Term Planning Meeting

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# How do we think about science at FACET-II?

- If we were not constrained by funding, resources, or timelines, how would we pursue the best science at FACET-II?
- If we want to do science quickly, what should our priorities be?
- If we want to pursue Nature-level publications at FACET-II, what should our priorities be?
- If we want to address HEP/P5 concerns, what should our priorities be?



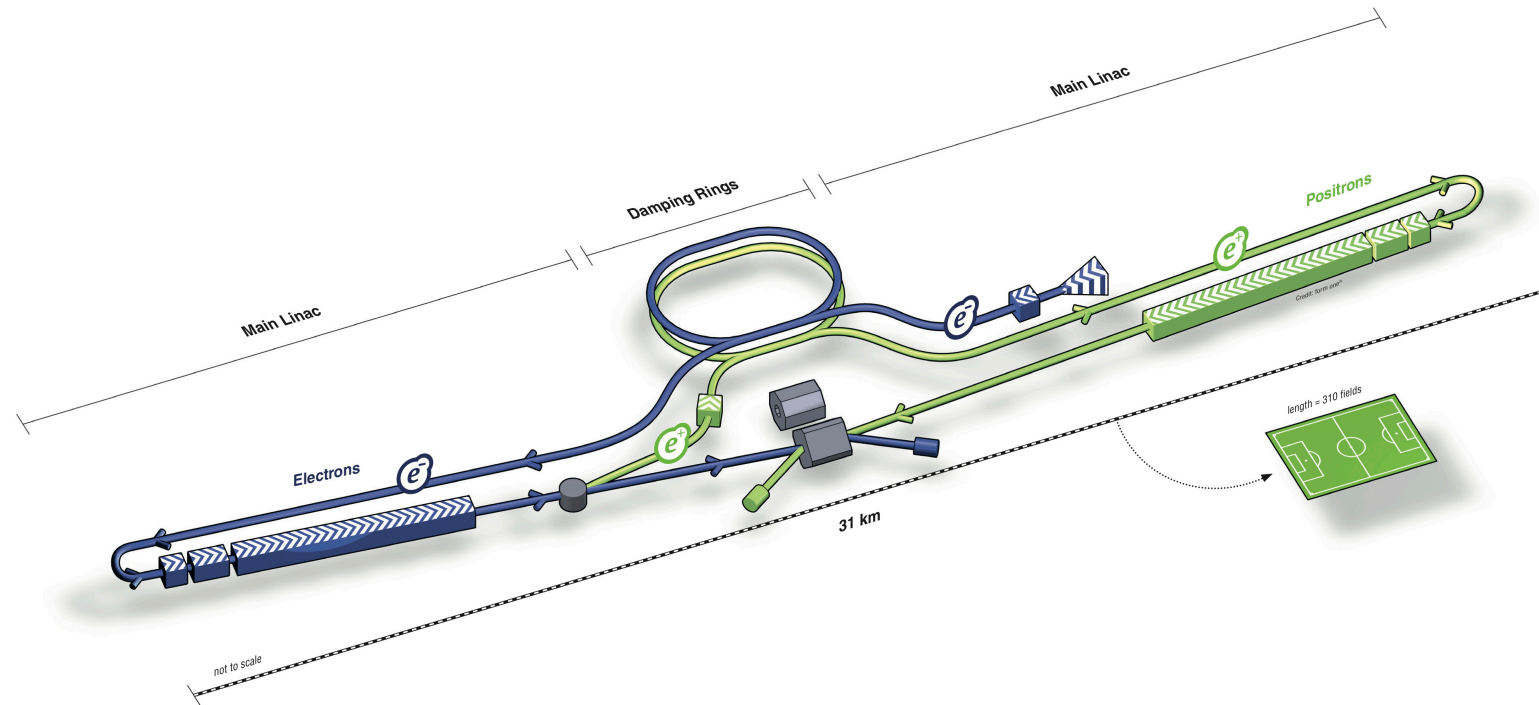
# HEP-Oriented Perspective

1. High-quality PWFA = Energy doubling + high efficiency + low energy spread + emittance preservation
  - What emittance value is acceptable? Is 30 microns too big?
2. Positrons!
  - FACET-II is only place in the world where we can do positron PWFA.
  - Electron-driven, positron-witness PWFA has never been demoed.
  - Obvious need for  $e^+e^-$  collider
3. Laser-electron beam collision for generating gammas
  - Critical for gamma-gamma collider
  - May help to understand QED processes in beamstrahlung
4. Plasma lenses
  - Important for beam delivery system
  - Test Oide limit
5. Low emittance electron beams from plasma
  - Good for HEP if we can get high enough charge

# Slides from Muon Collider Workshop

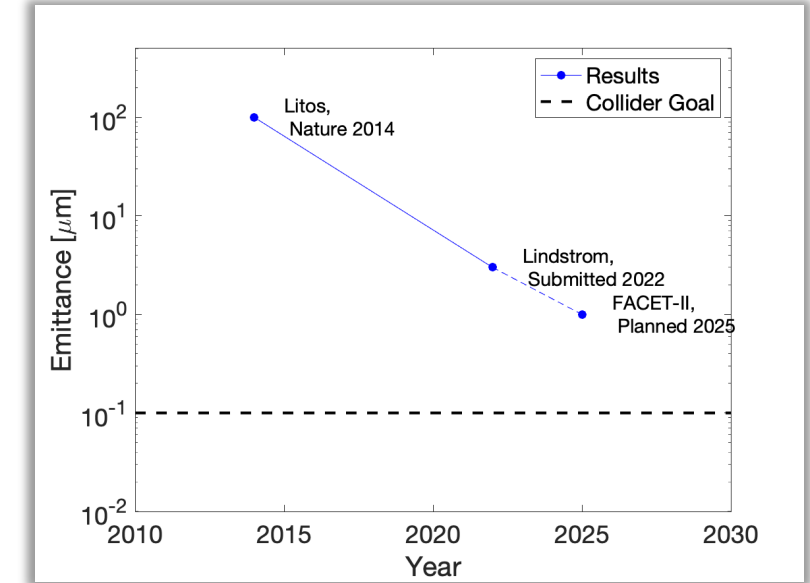
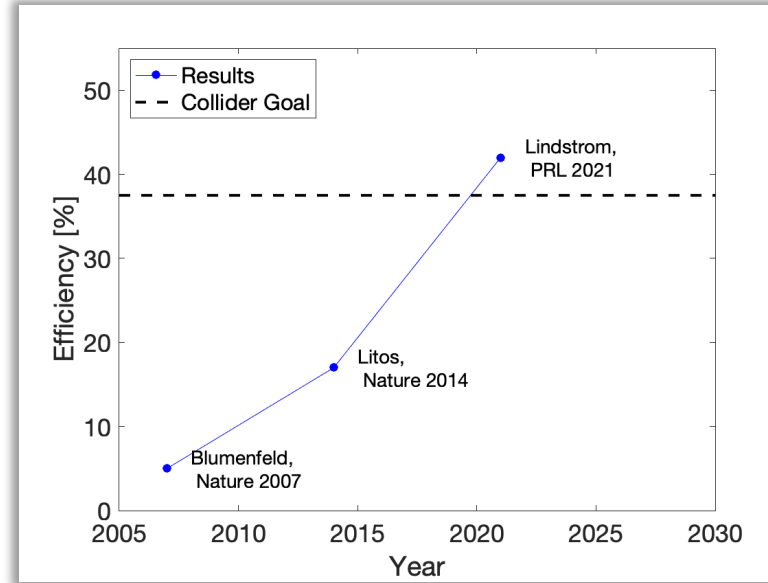
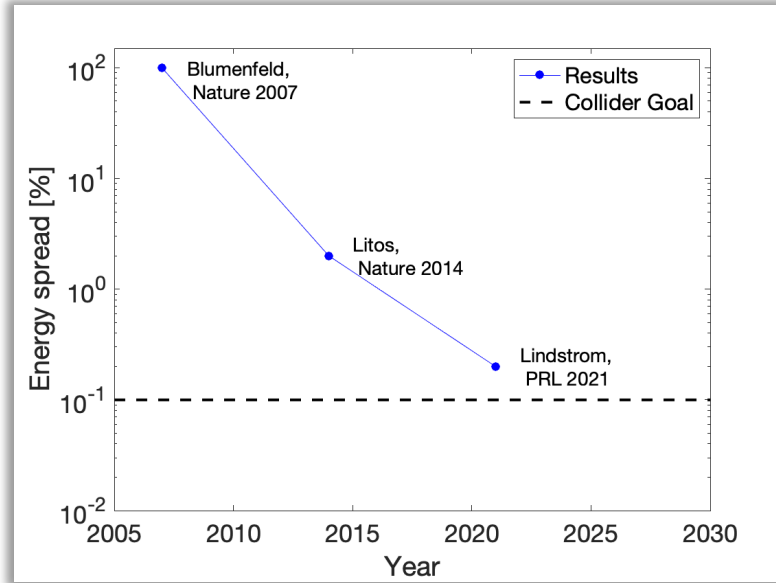


# Linear Collider Goals Drive Wakefield Accelerator Research



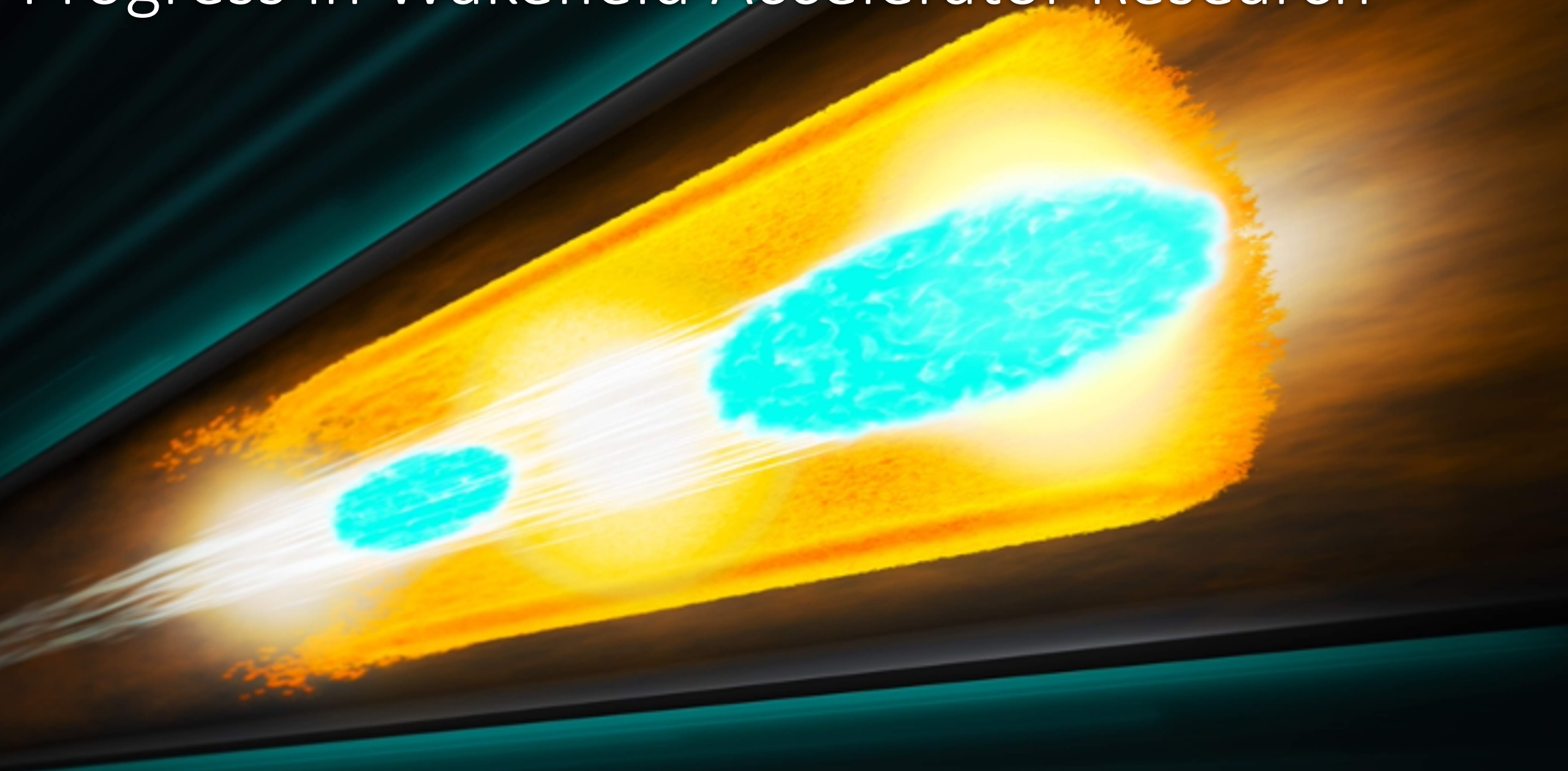
- Multi-TeV Linear Colliders are the ultimate goal of Wakefield Accelerator (WFA) research.
- Research targets include:
  - Ultra-high gradients = Compact colliders
  - Highly-efficient acceleration = Low power consumption
  - Short bunches = Increased luminosity

# Measurable Progress Toward Collider Goals



Plasma wakefield accelerators are approaching and *exceeding* the beam quality targets for a Linear Collider.

# Progress in Wakefield Accelerator Research





# Research Progress Since Last Snowmass/P5





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Efficient, Two-Bunch Acceleration in Plasma  
M. Litos et al, **Nature**, (2014)

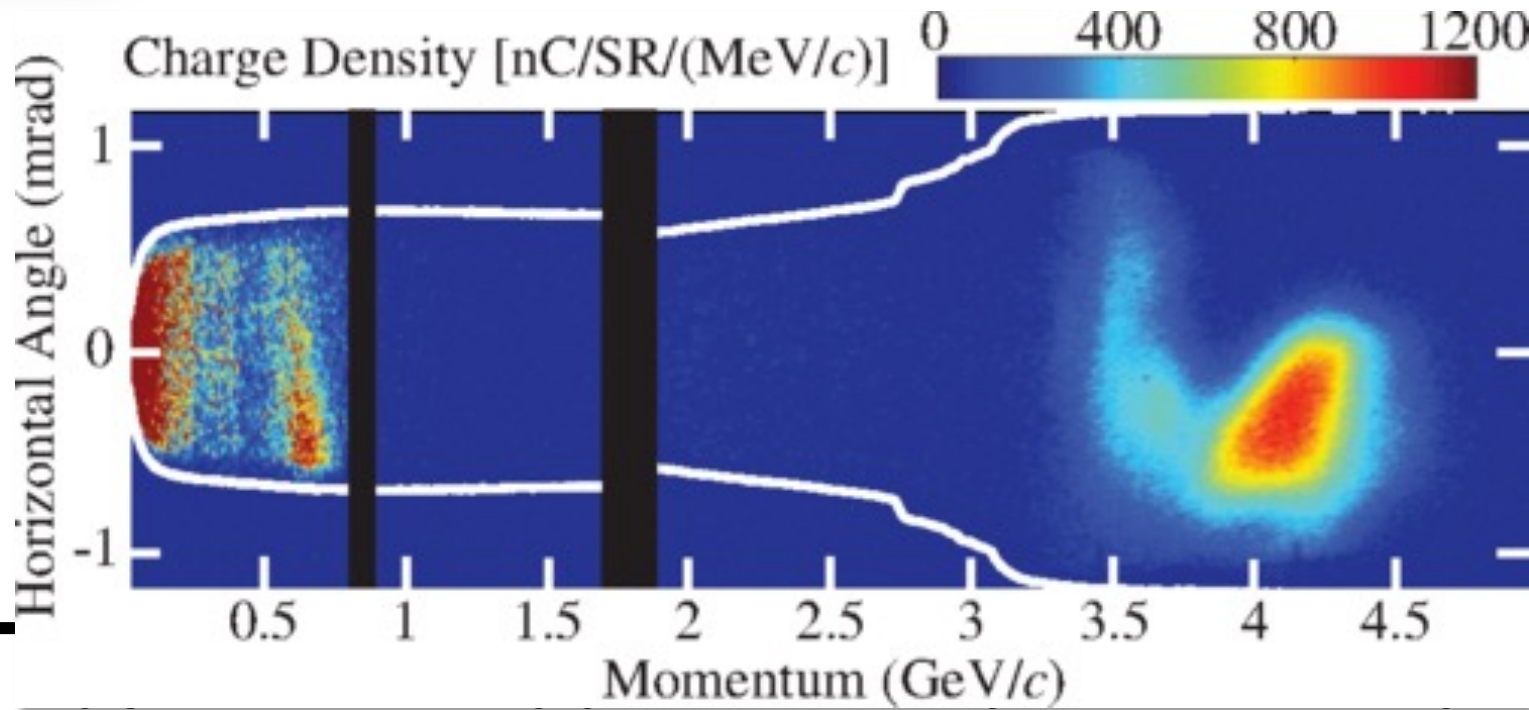


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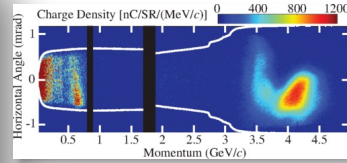


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Multi-GeV Laser Wakefield Acceleration  
W. Leemans et al, PRL, (2014)

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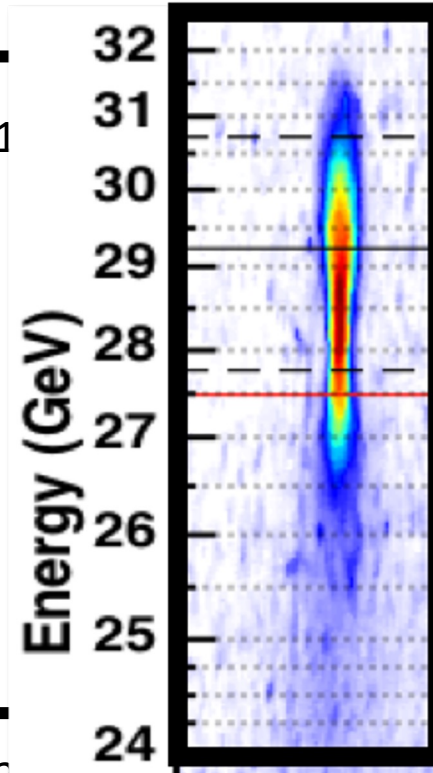
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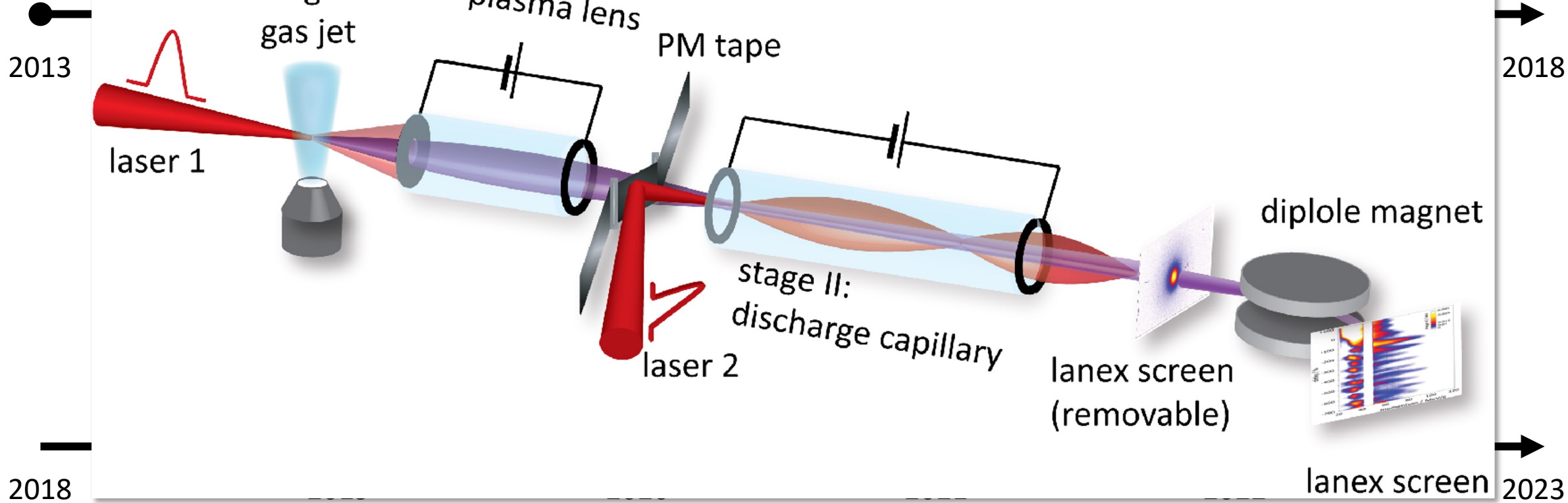
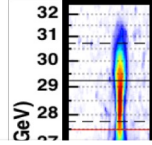
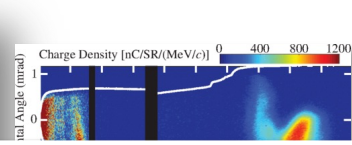
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Two-bunch acceleration to 9 GeV  
M. Litos et al, PPCF, (2015)

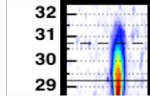
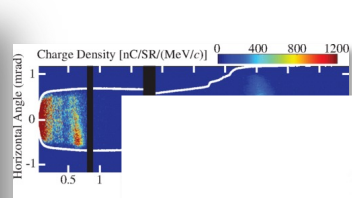
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Staging of Laser Wakefield Accelerators  
S. Steinke et al, *Nature*, (2016)



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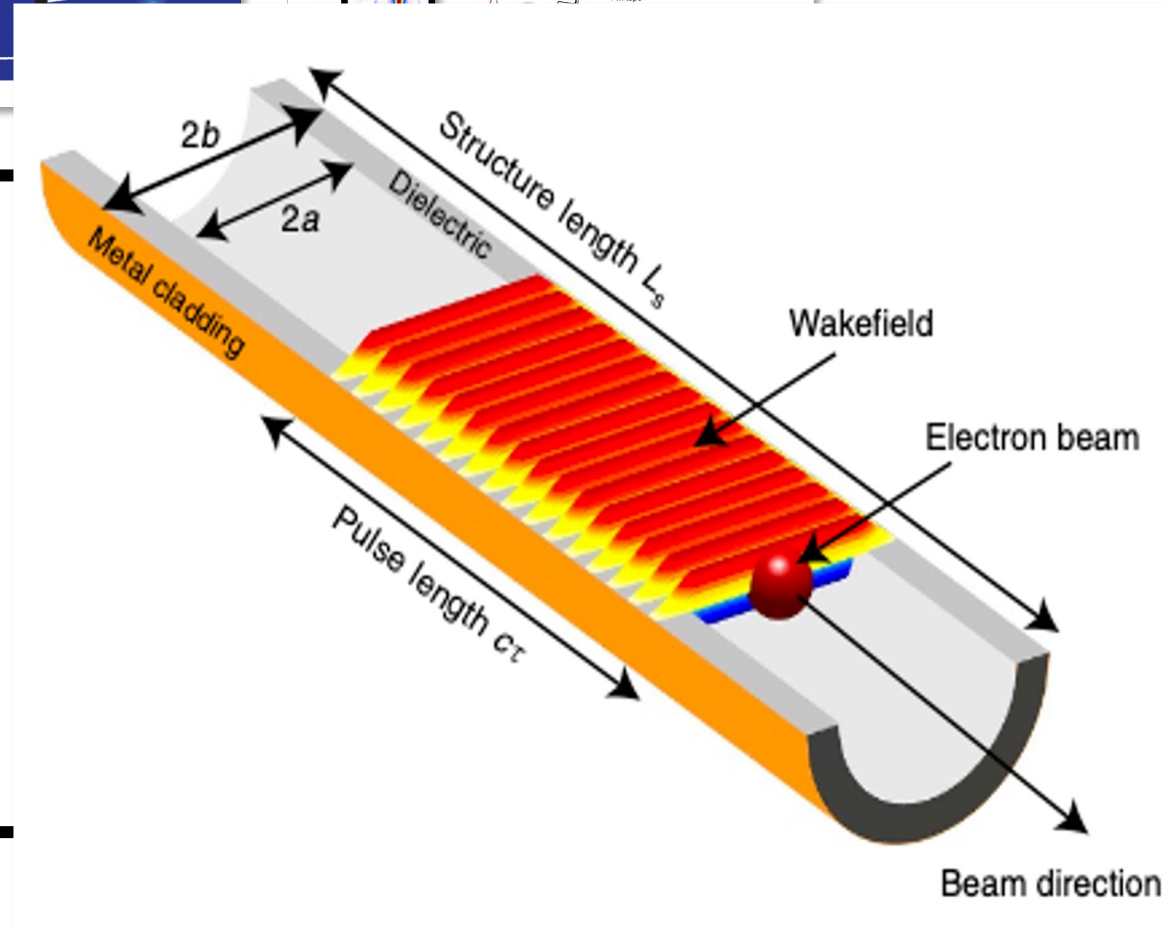
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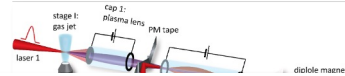
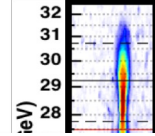
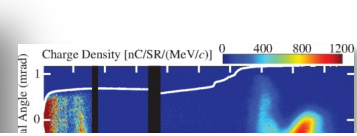
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1.3 GV/m Dielectric Wakefield Acceleration  
B. O'Shea et al, *Nat. Comm*, (2016)

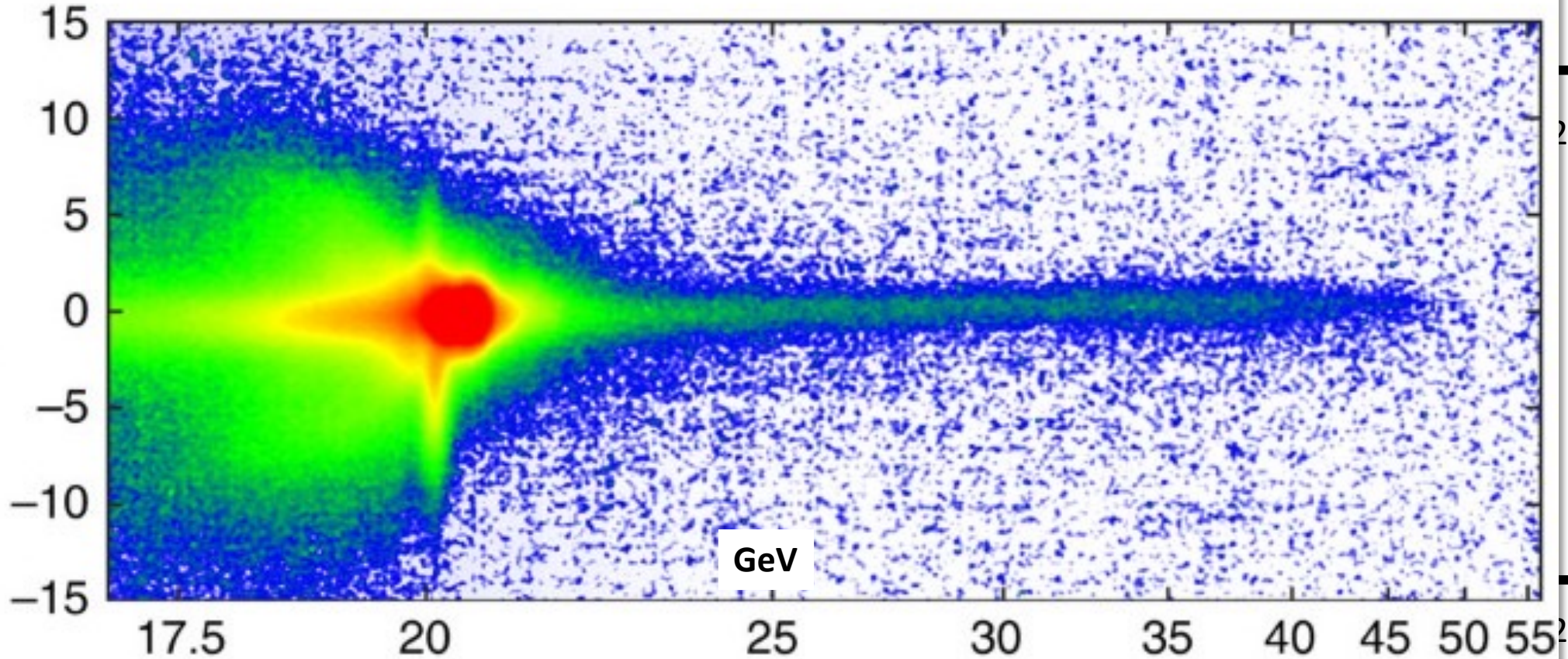
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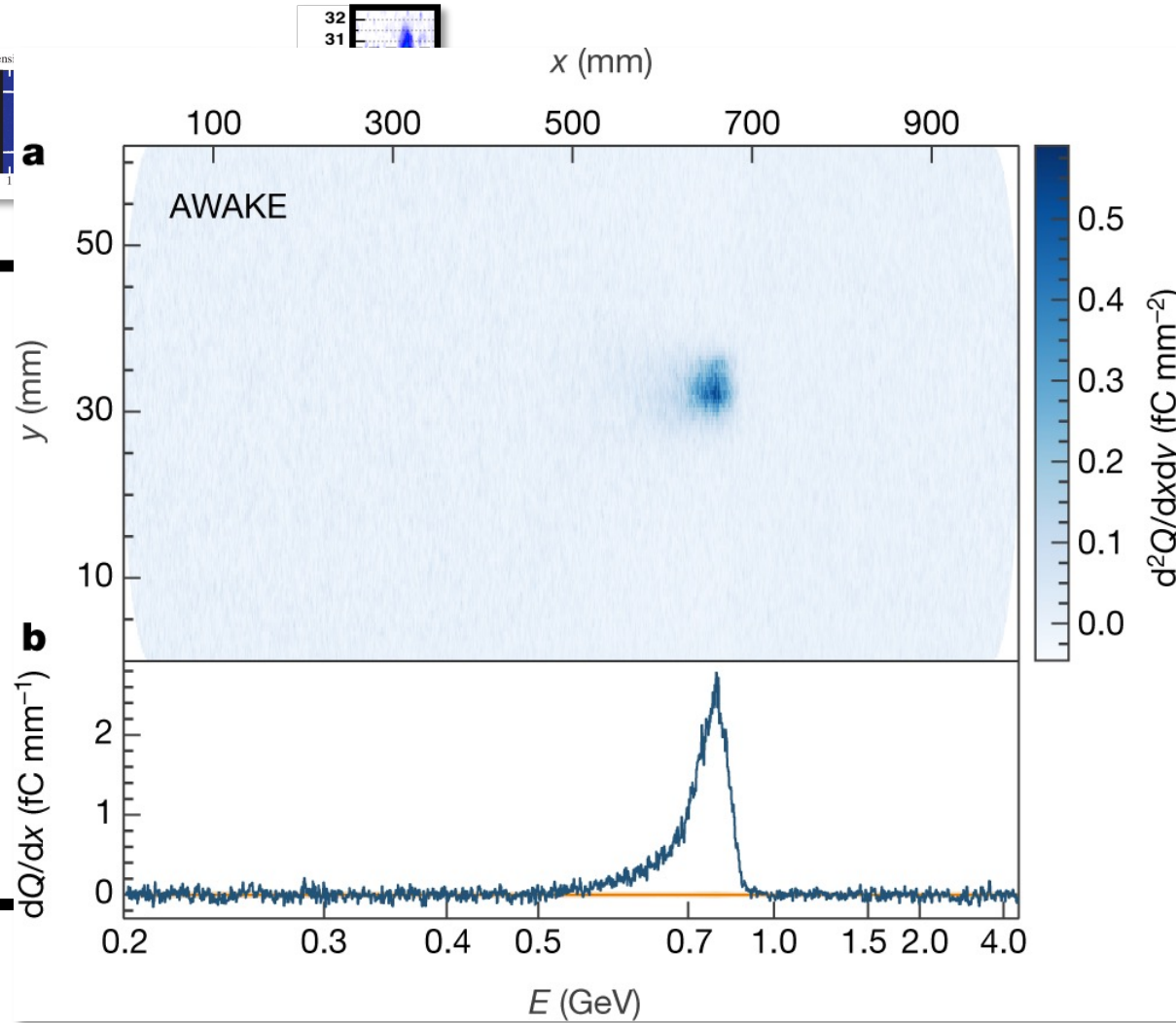
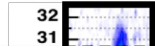
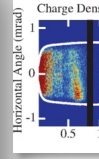
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150 GV/m Plasma Wakefield Acceleration  
S. Corde et al, *Nat. Comm*, (2016)

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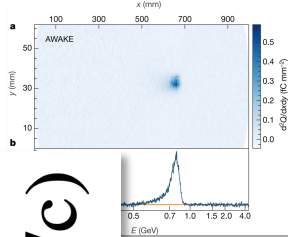
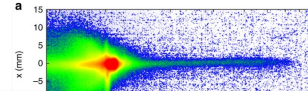
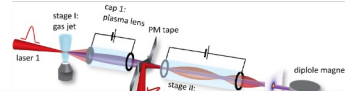
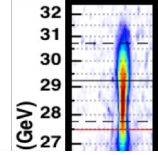
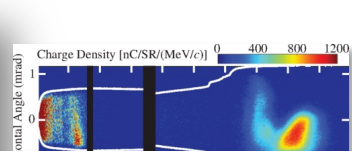
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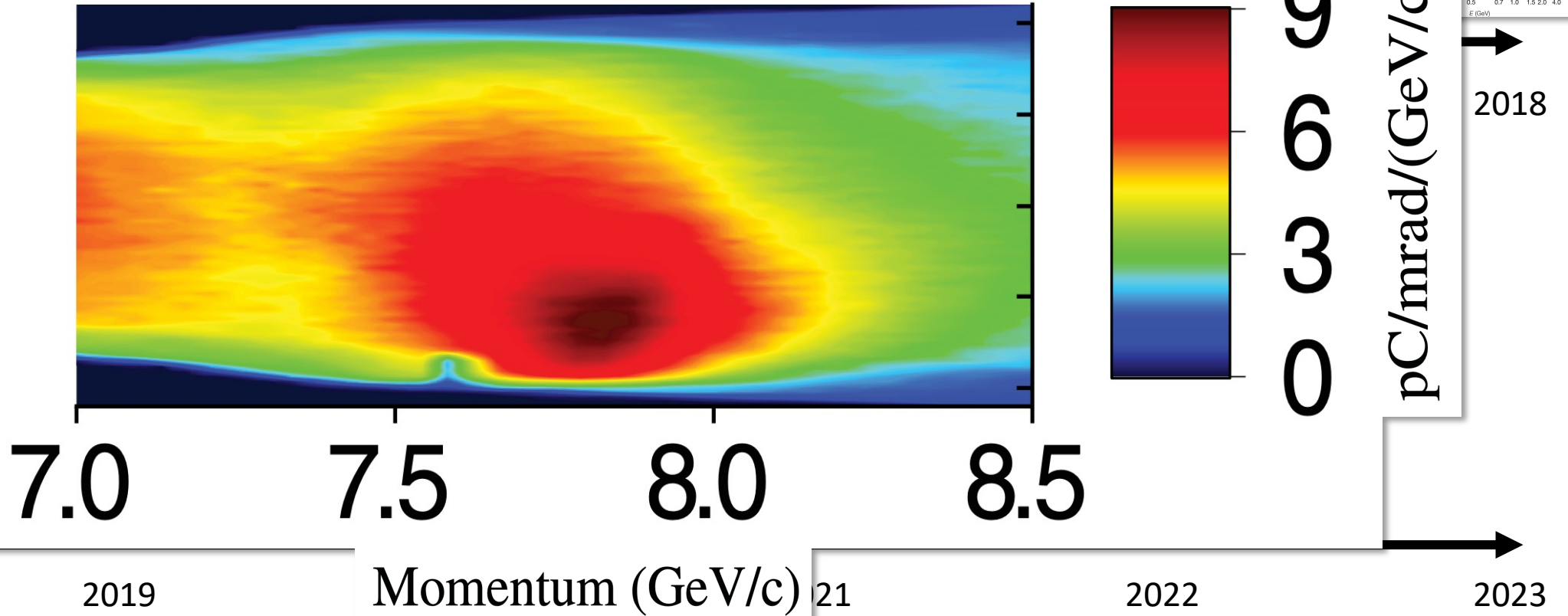
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AWAKE Collab., *Nature*, (2018)



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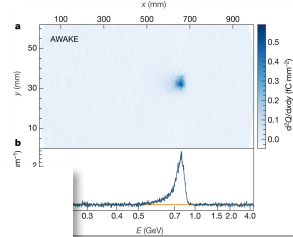
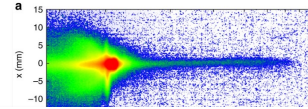
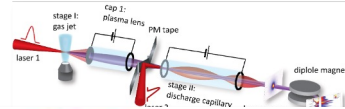
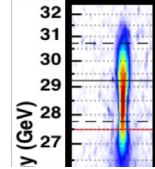
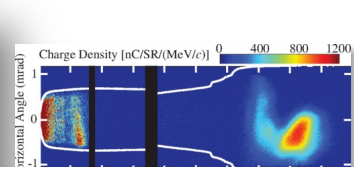
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8 GeV Laser Wakefield Acceleration  
A. Gonsalves et al, PRL, (2019)



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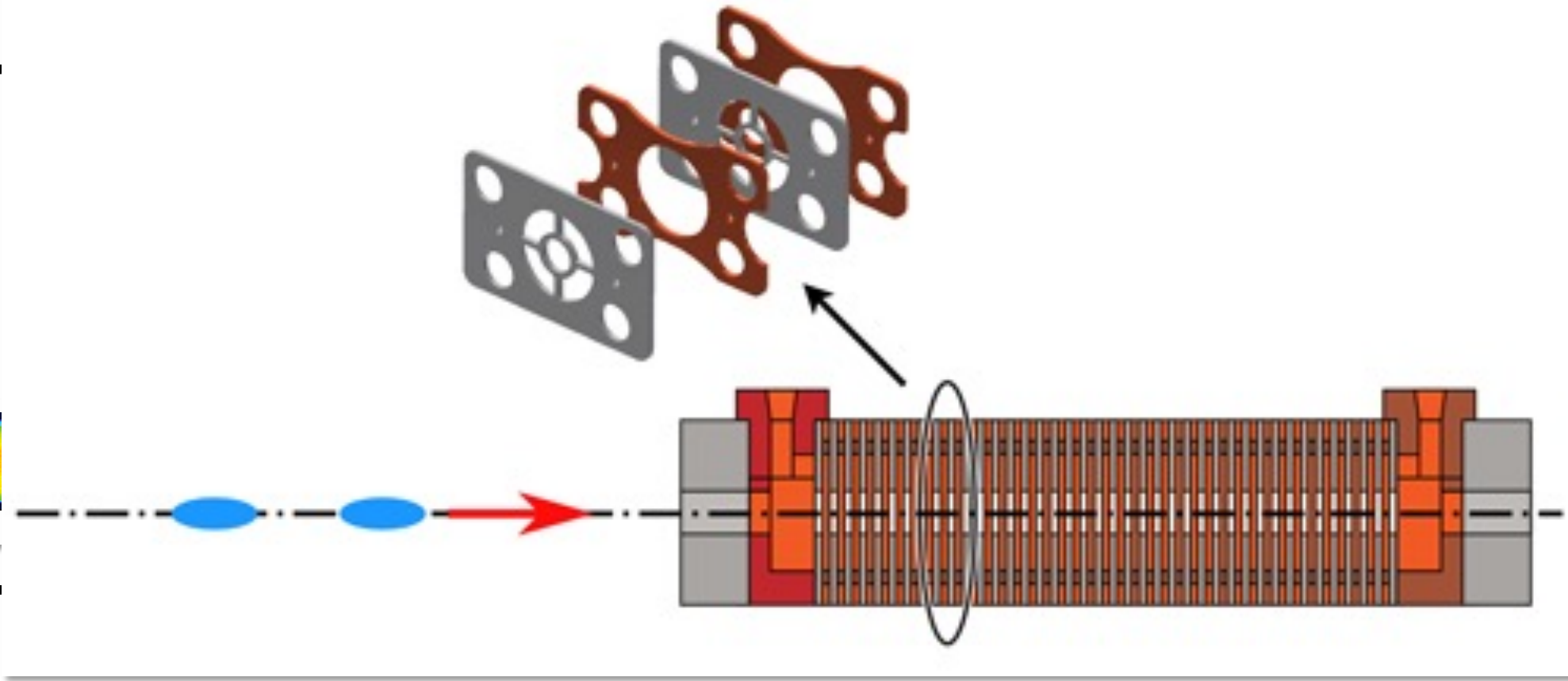


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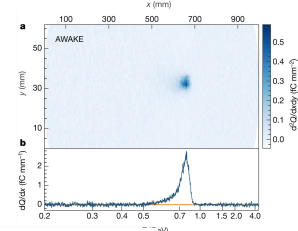
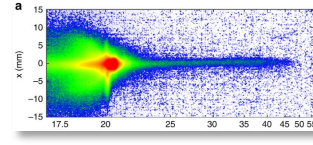
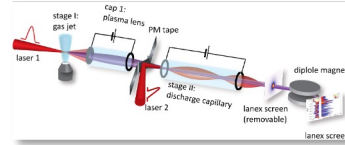
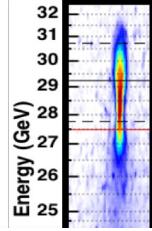
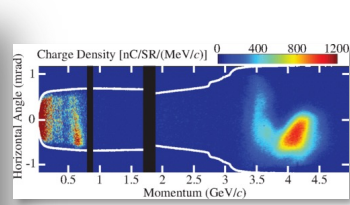
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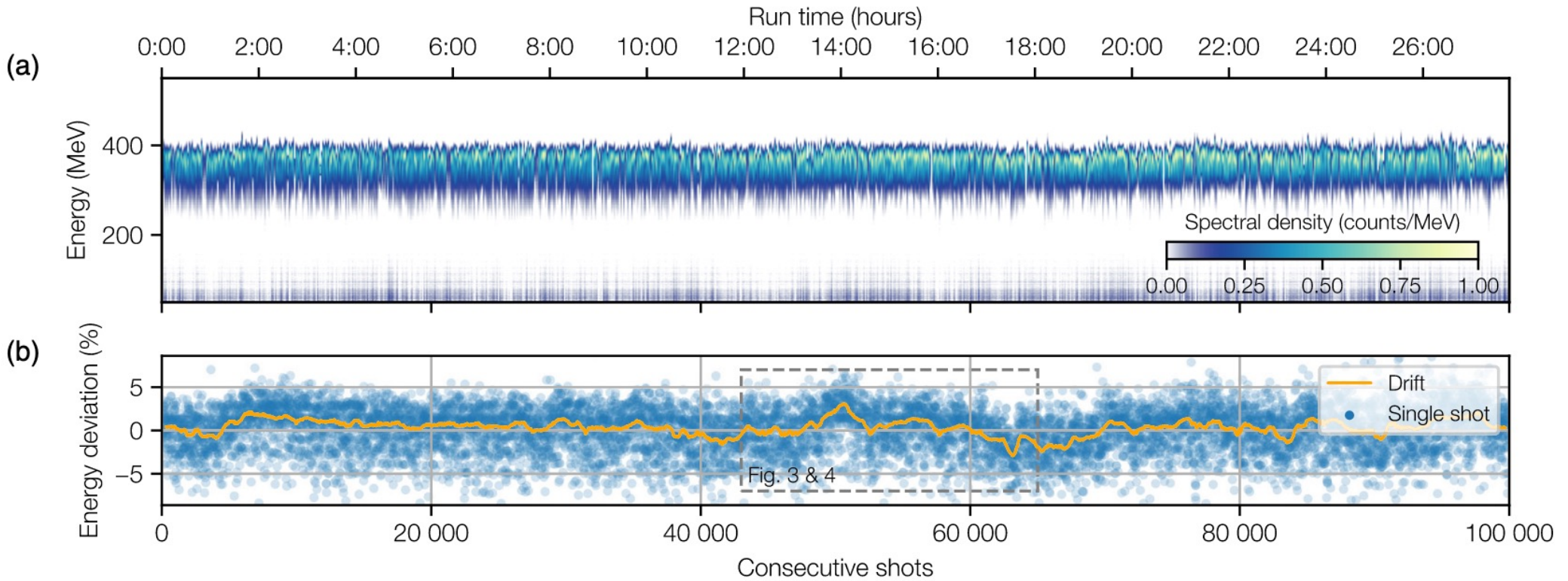
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X. Lu et al, PRL, (2019)

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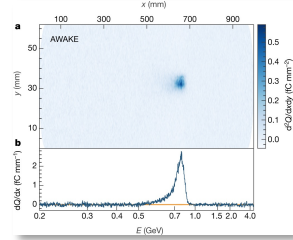
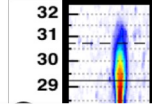
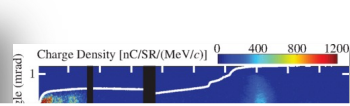


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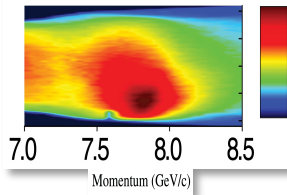
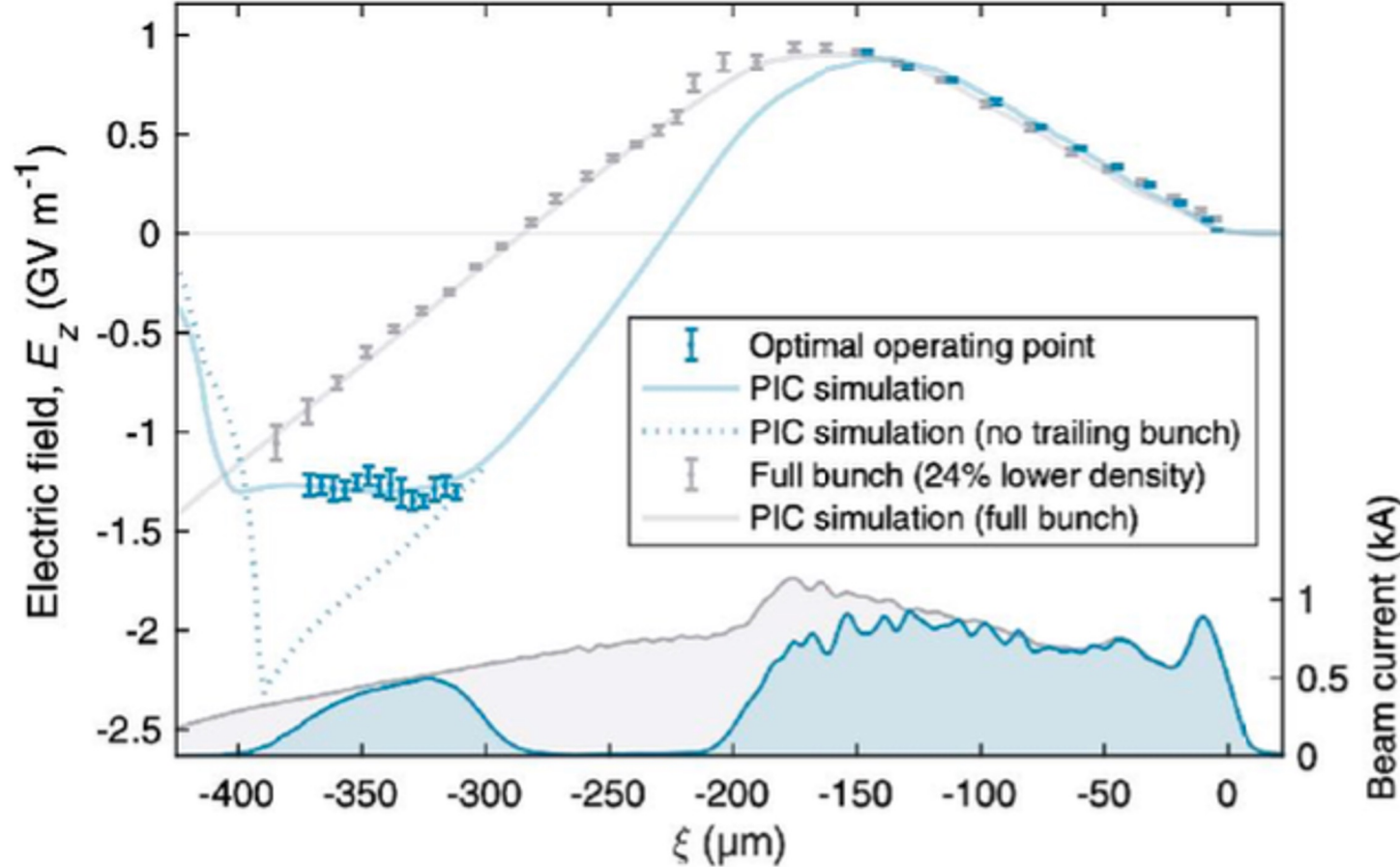
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Stable Operation of a Laser Plasma Accelerator  
A. Maier et al, **PRX**, (2020)

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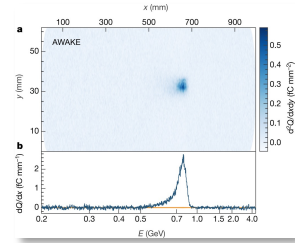
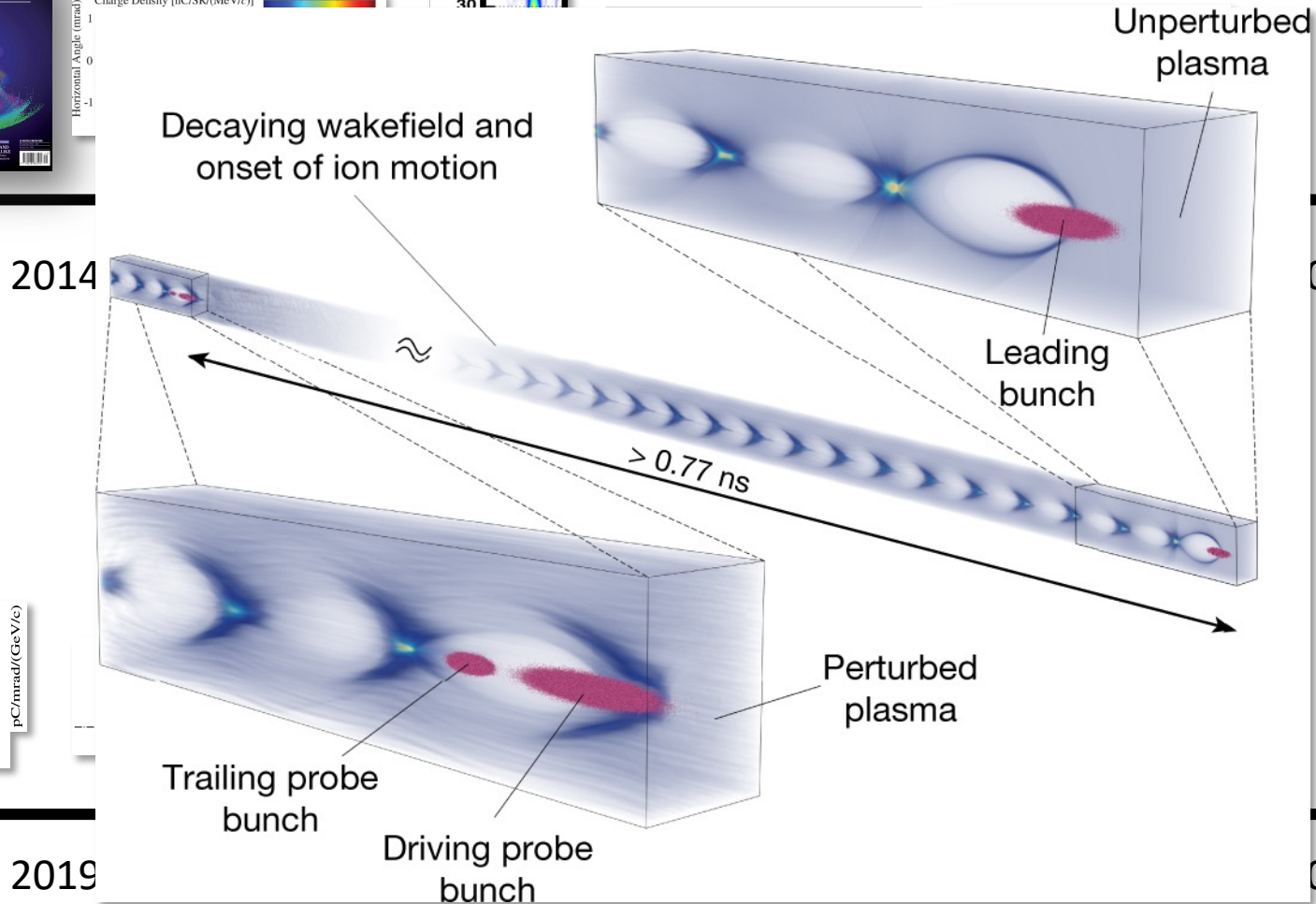
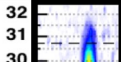
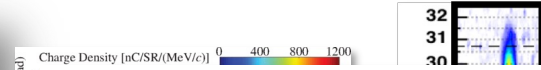
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0.2% Energy-Spread with 42% efficiency PWFA  
C. Lindstrom et al, PRL, (2021)



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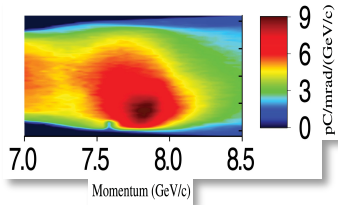


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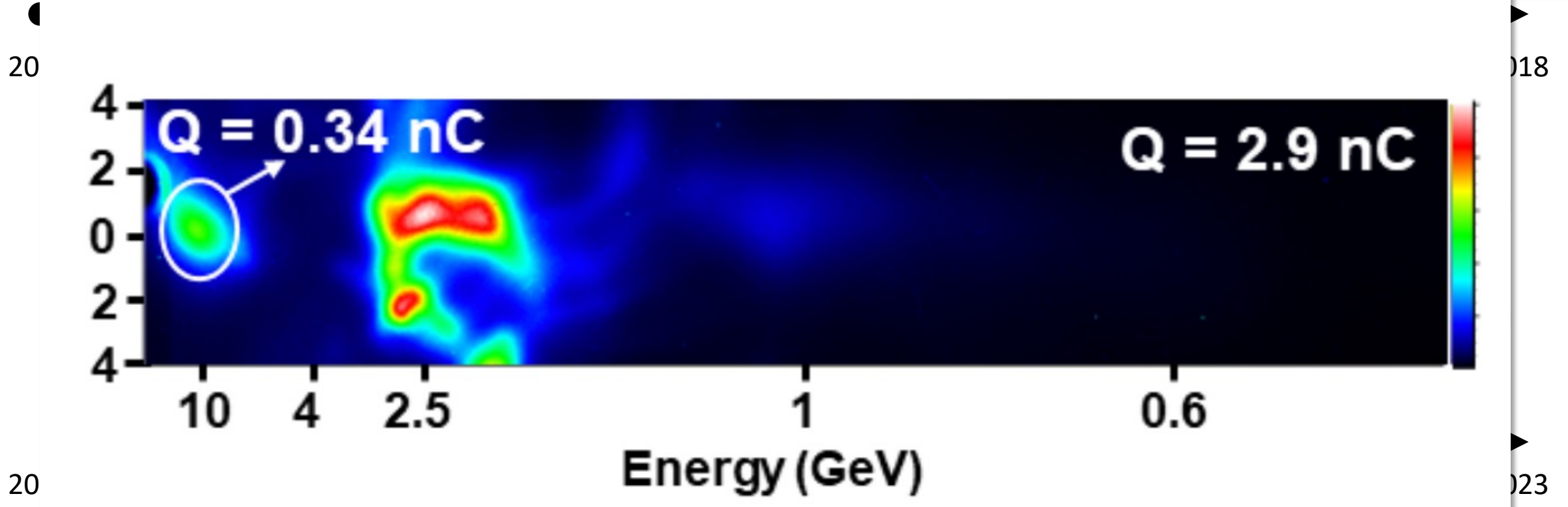
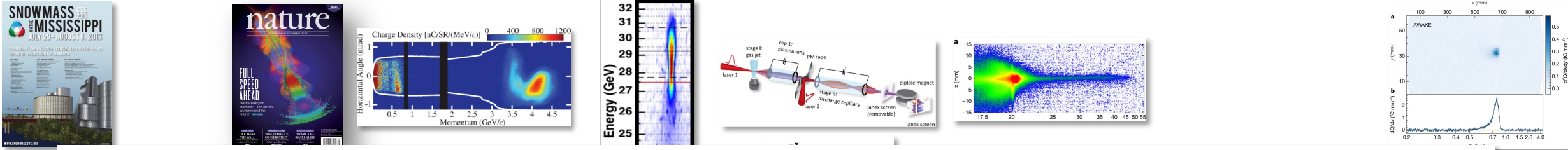
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High repetition-rate PWFA  
R. D'Arcy et al, *Nature*, (2022)



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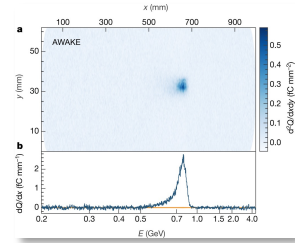
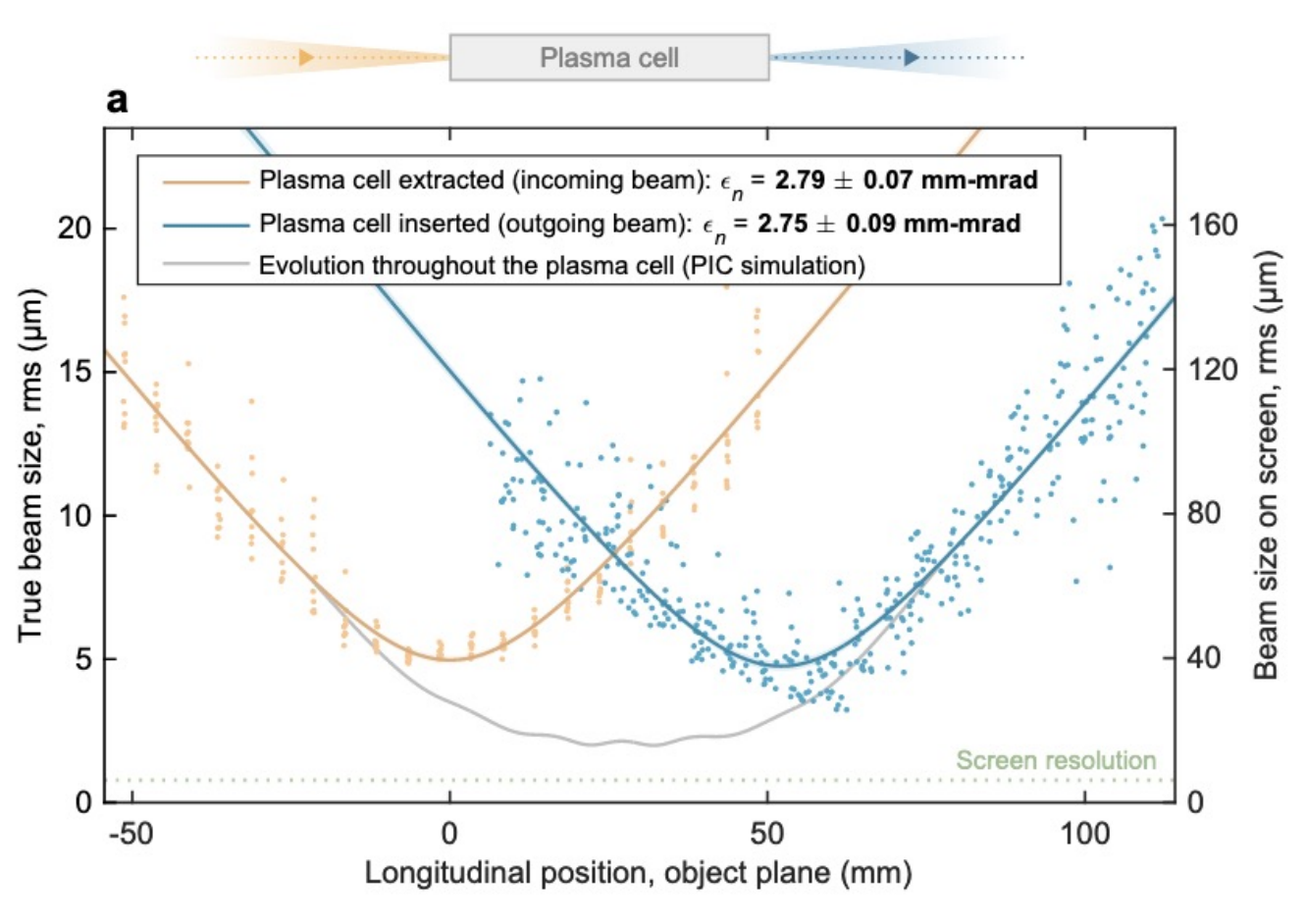
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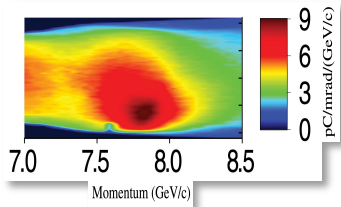


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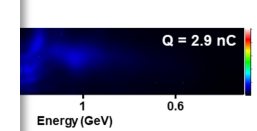


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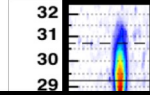
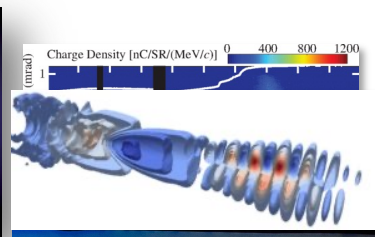


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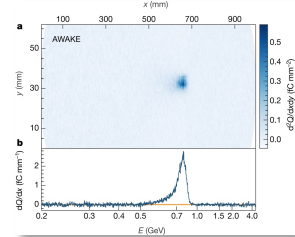
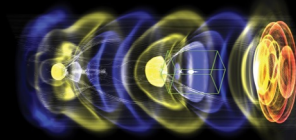
Emittance Preservation in a Plasma Wakefield Accelerator  
C. Lindstrom et al, ([under review](#)), (2022)



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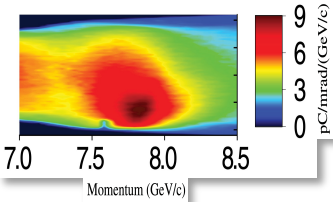
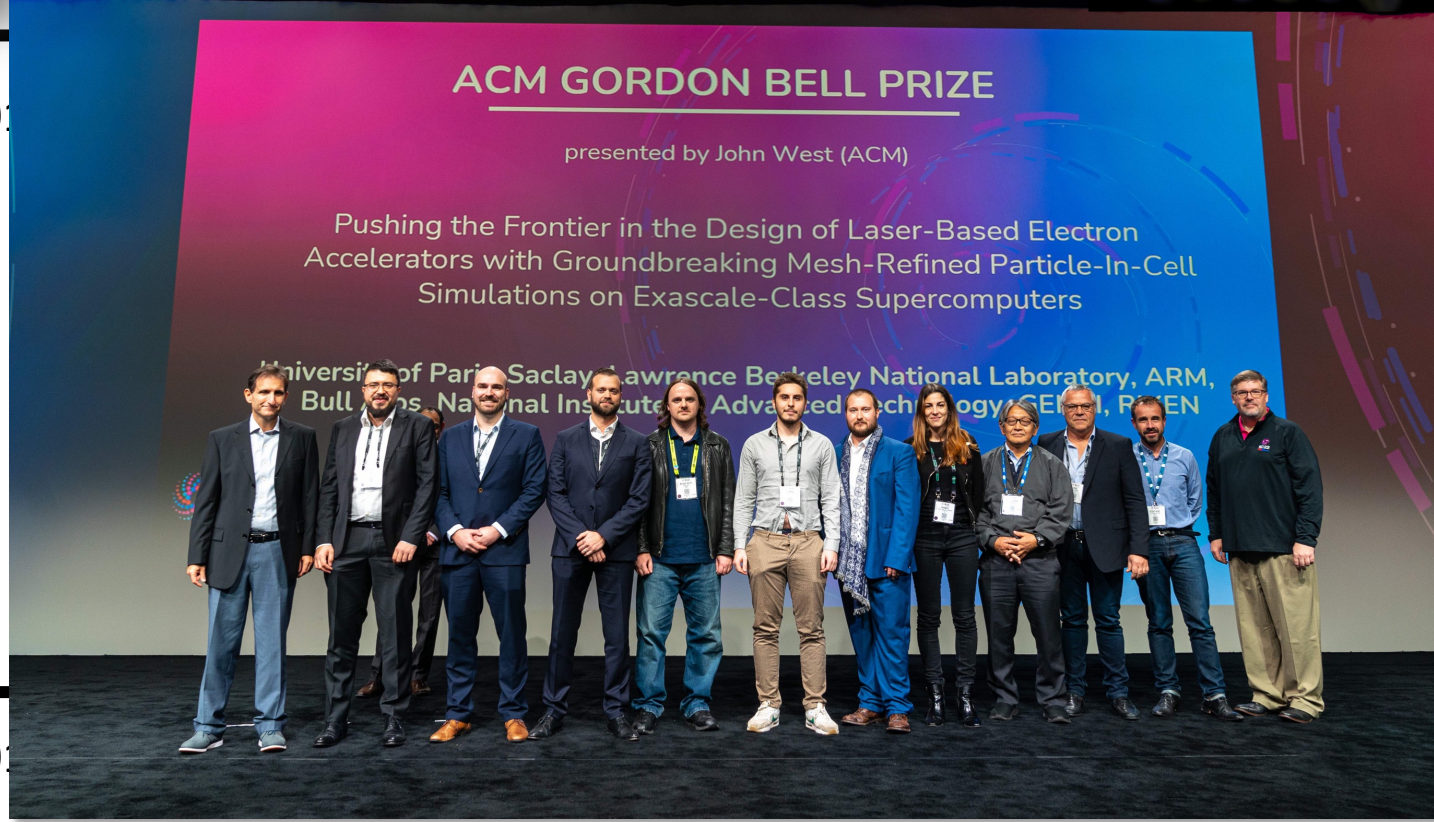
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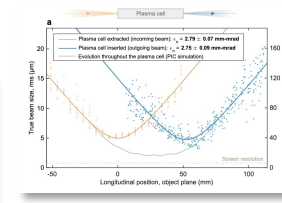
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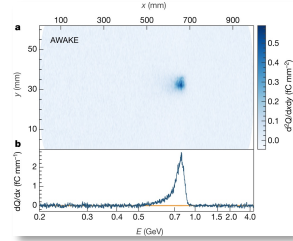
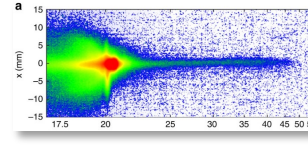
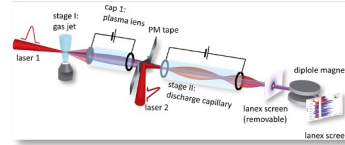
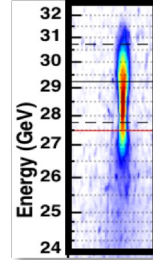
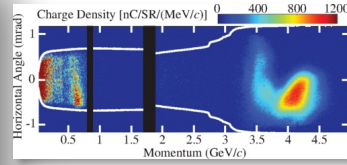
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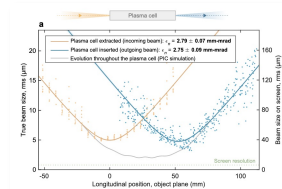
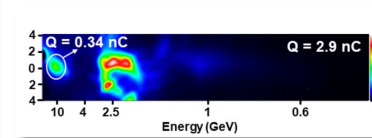
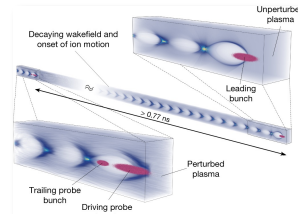
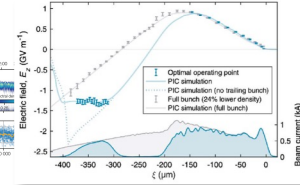
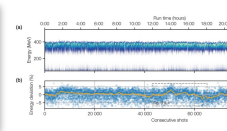
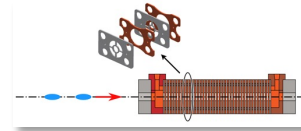
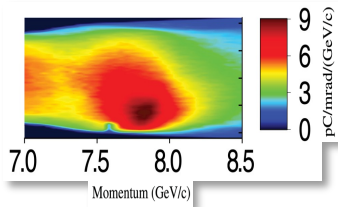
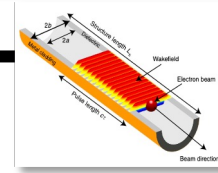
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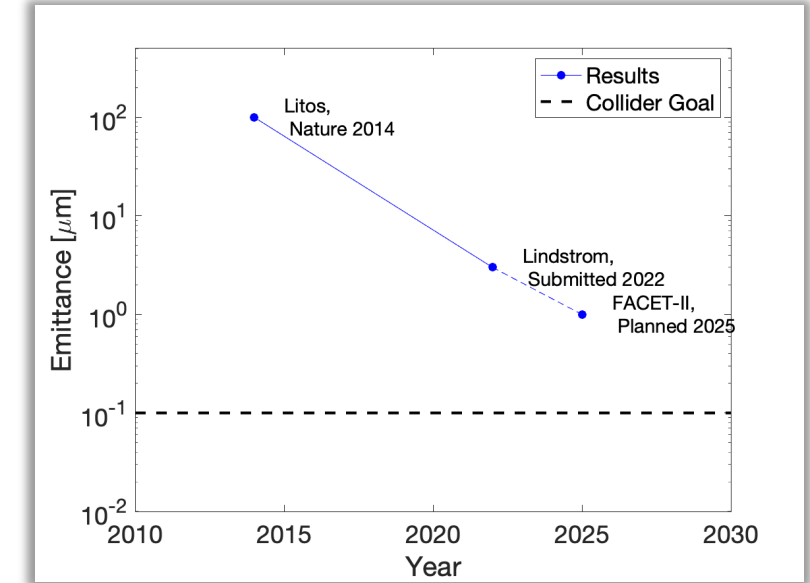
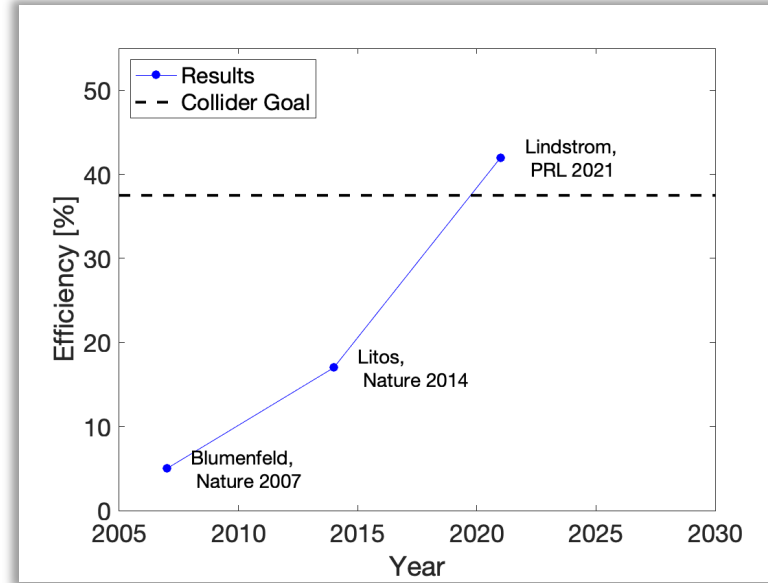
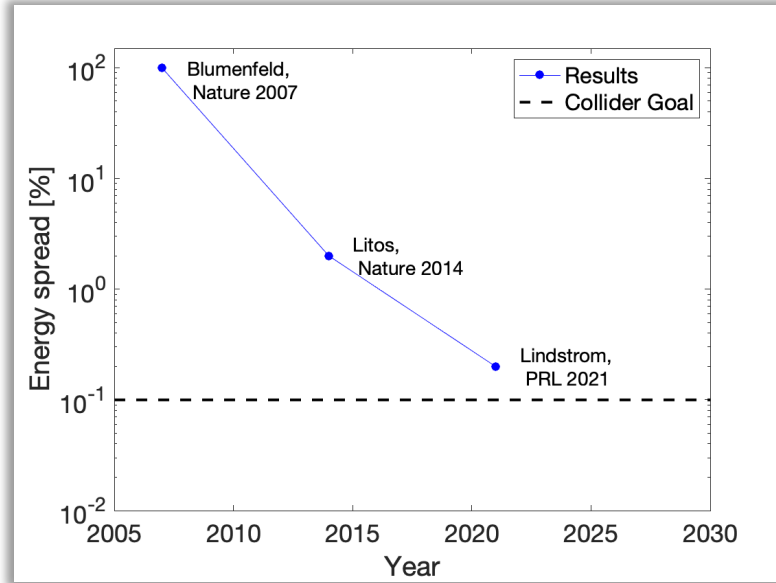
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