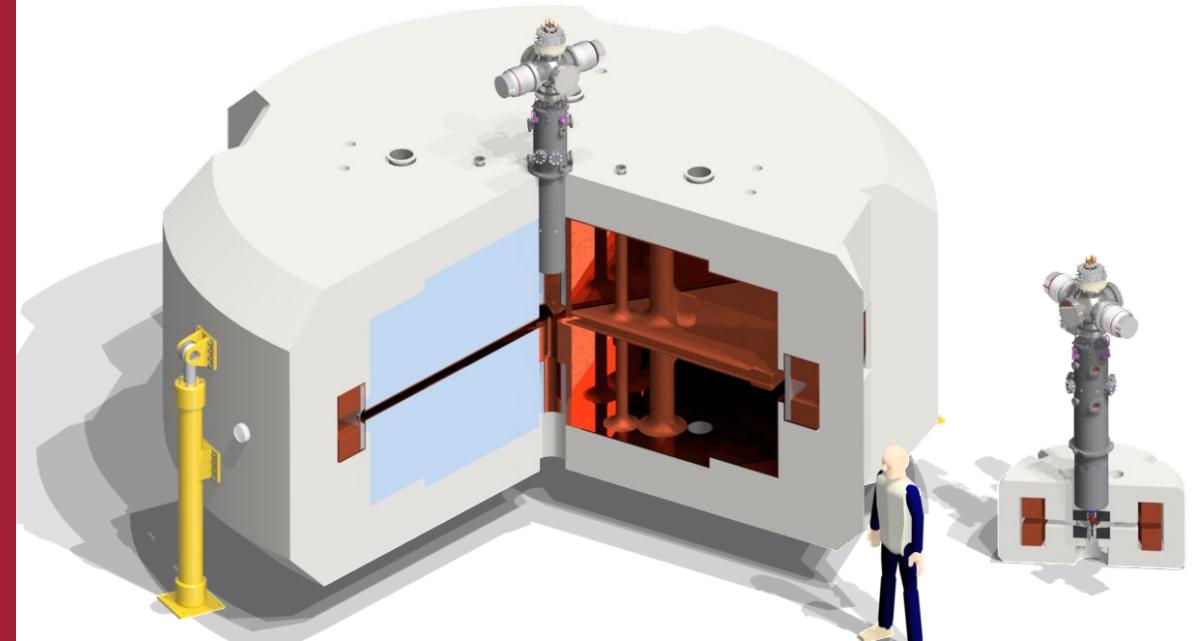


High-Fidelity Simulations and Machine Learning for Accelerator Design and Optimization

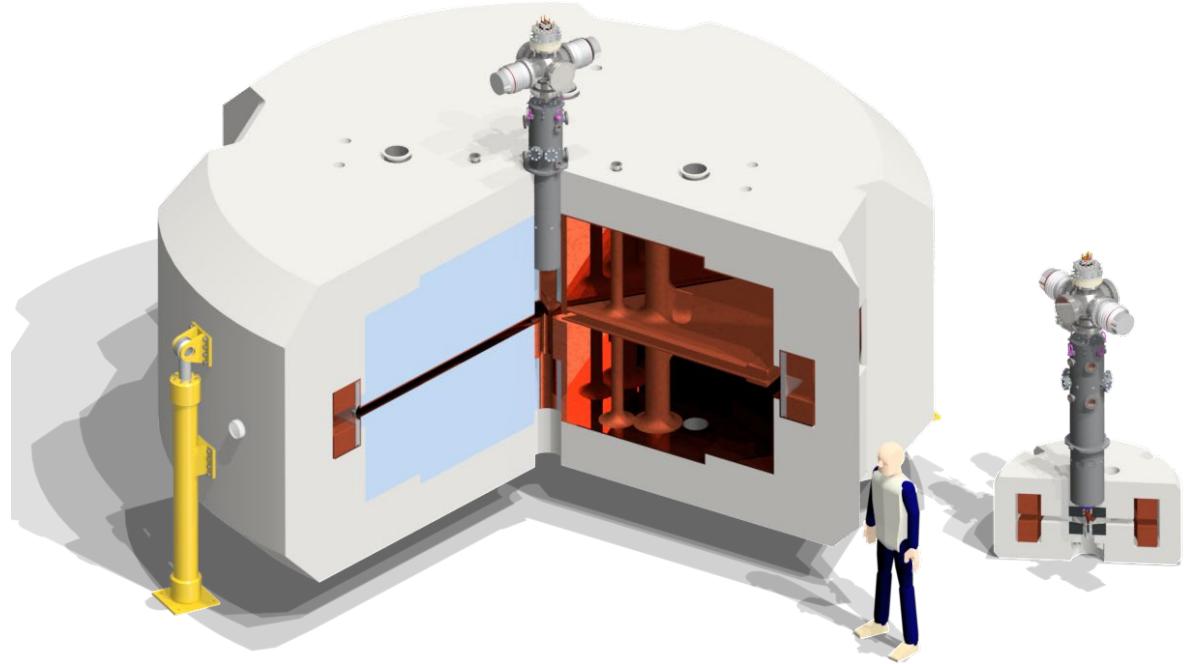
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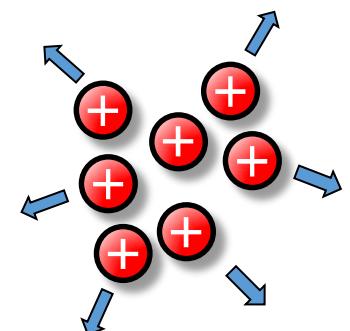
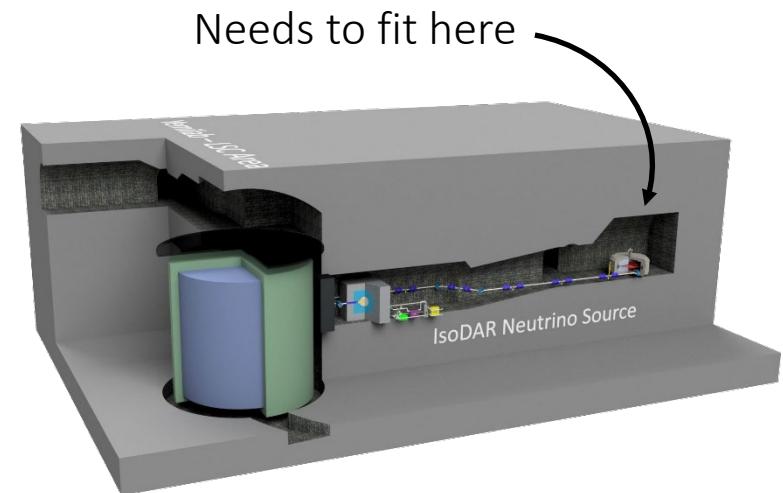
Outline

- Motivation – IsoDAR
 - The need for high-fidelity simulations
- Introduction to OPAL
- Simulation Results
- ML for Uncertainty Quantification
- ML for speeding up Optimization
- Outlook – Prototype testing
 - ML for commissioning assistance



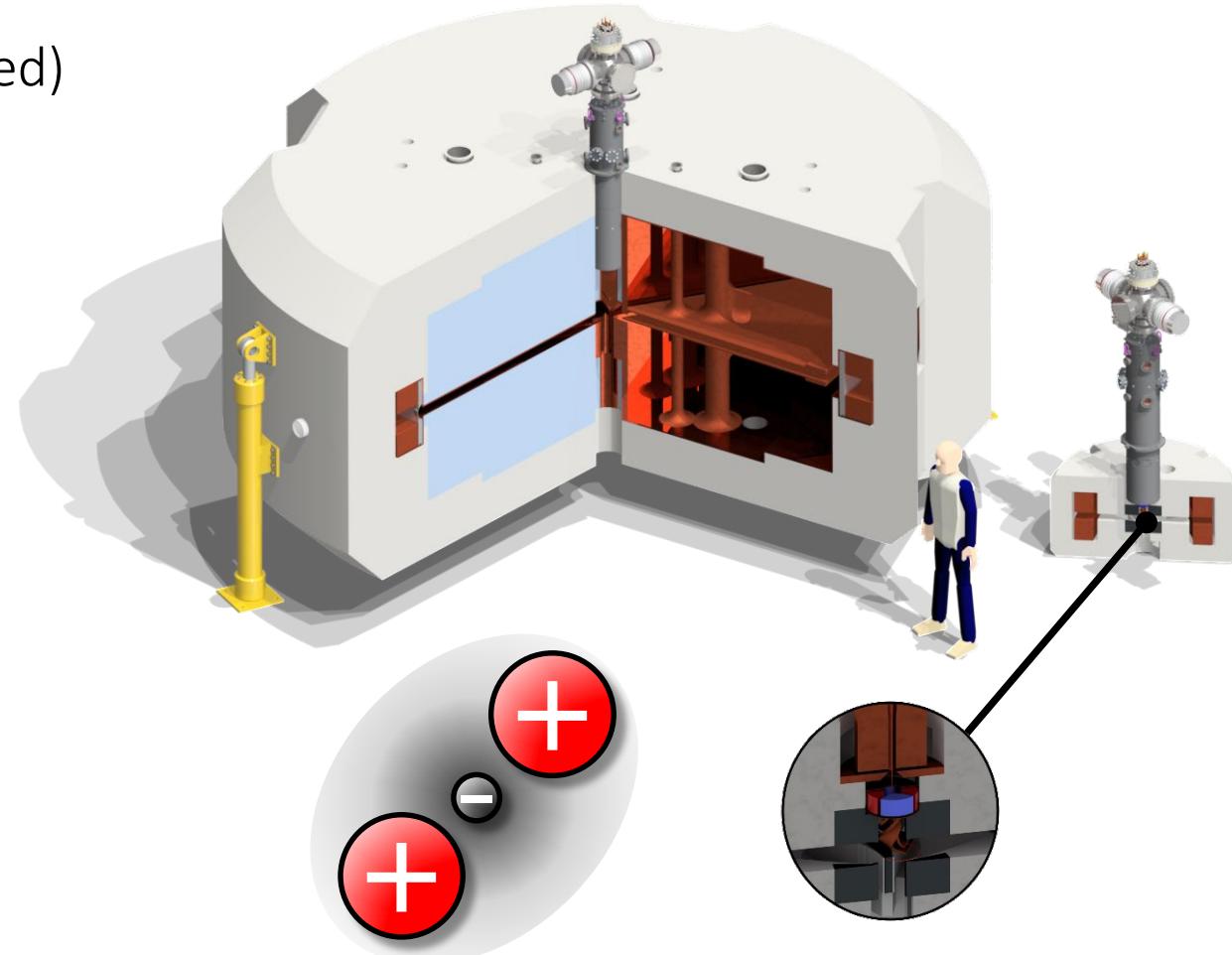
For the discovery-level experiment IsoDAR, we have specific accelerator requirements/challenges

- Isotope Decay-At-Rest (IsoDAR):
 - A proposed search for additional neutrinos with world-leading sensitivity.
- Accelerator Requirements:
 - Compact, robust, cost-effective (underground installation)
 - Continuous Wave (CW) operation, 80% duty factor (for maintenance)
 - 10 mA, 60 MeV protons on target
- Challenges:
 - Related to space-charge (Coulomb-repulsion of particles in bunch)
 - Leads to beam spread and non-linear behavior
 - Beam losses which lead to activation of the machine
(limit is 200 W in extraction region – PSI experience)



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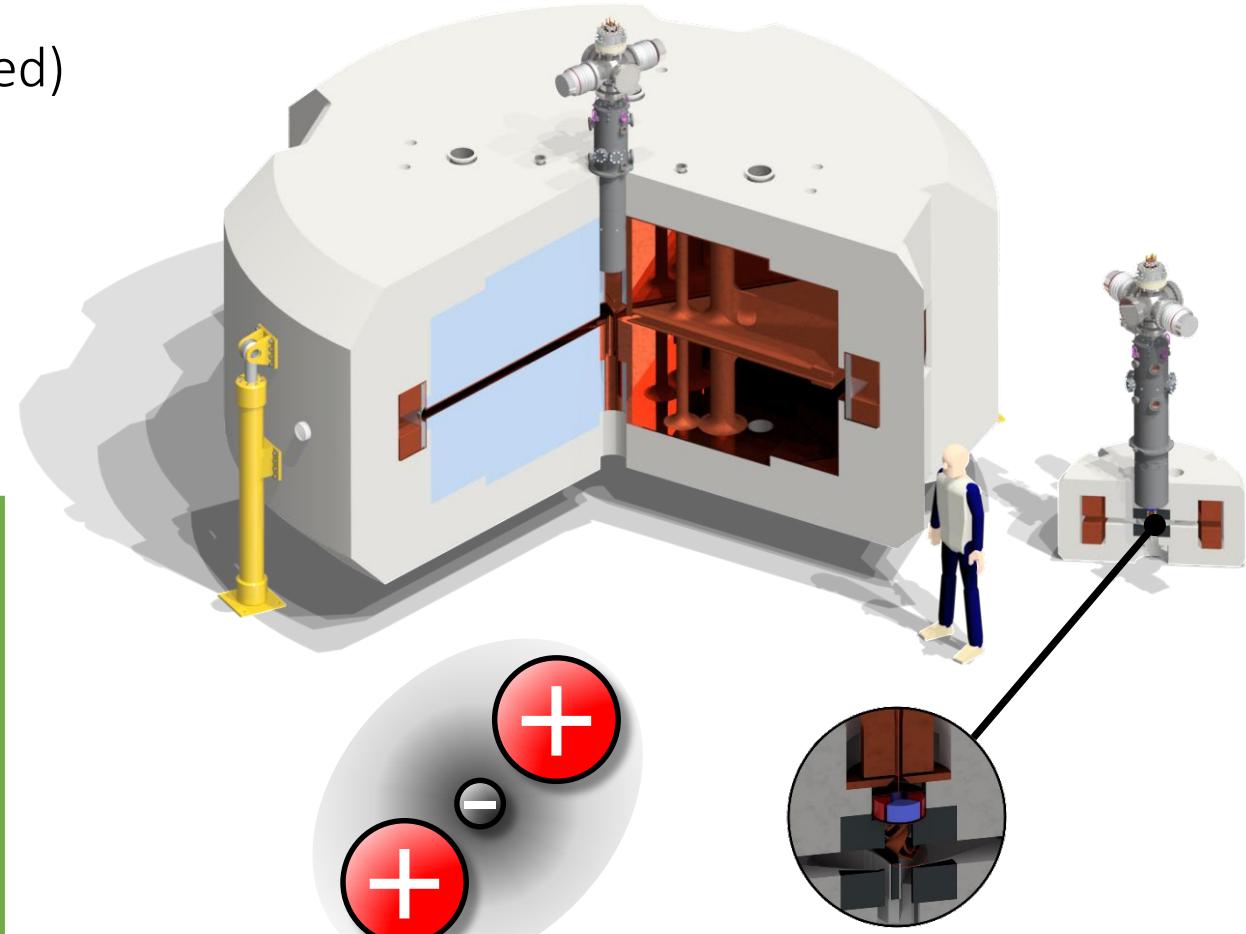
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- 4 double-gap cavities
→ high energy gain/turn
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- < 200 W losses = O(1e-4) relative loss
→ O(1e6) particles needed to resolve in sim

Need for Hi-Fi Simulation



To accurately simulate the sensitive and complicated effects
in the cyclotron, we use the Particle-In-Cell (PIC) code OPAL

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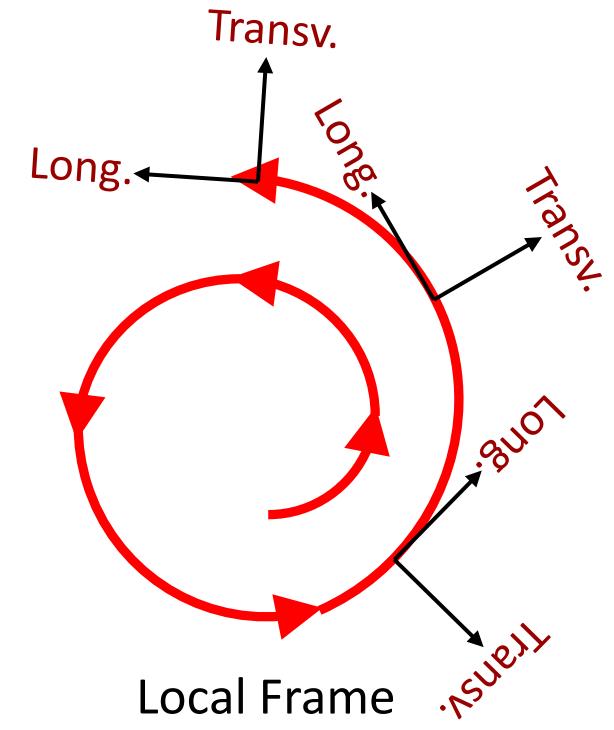
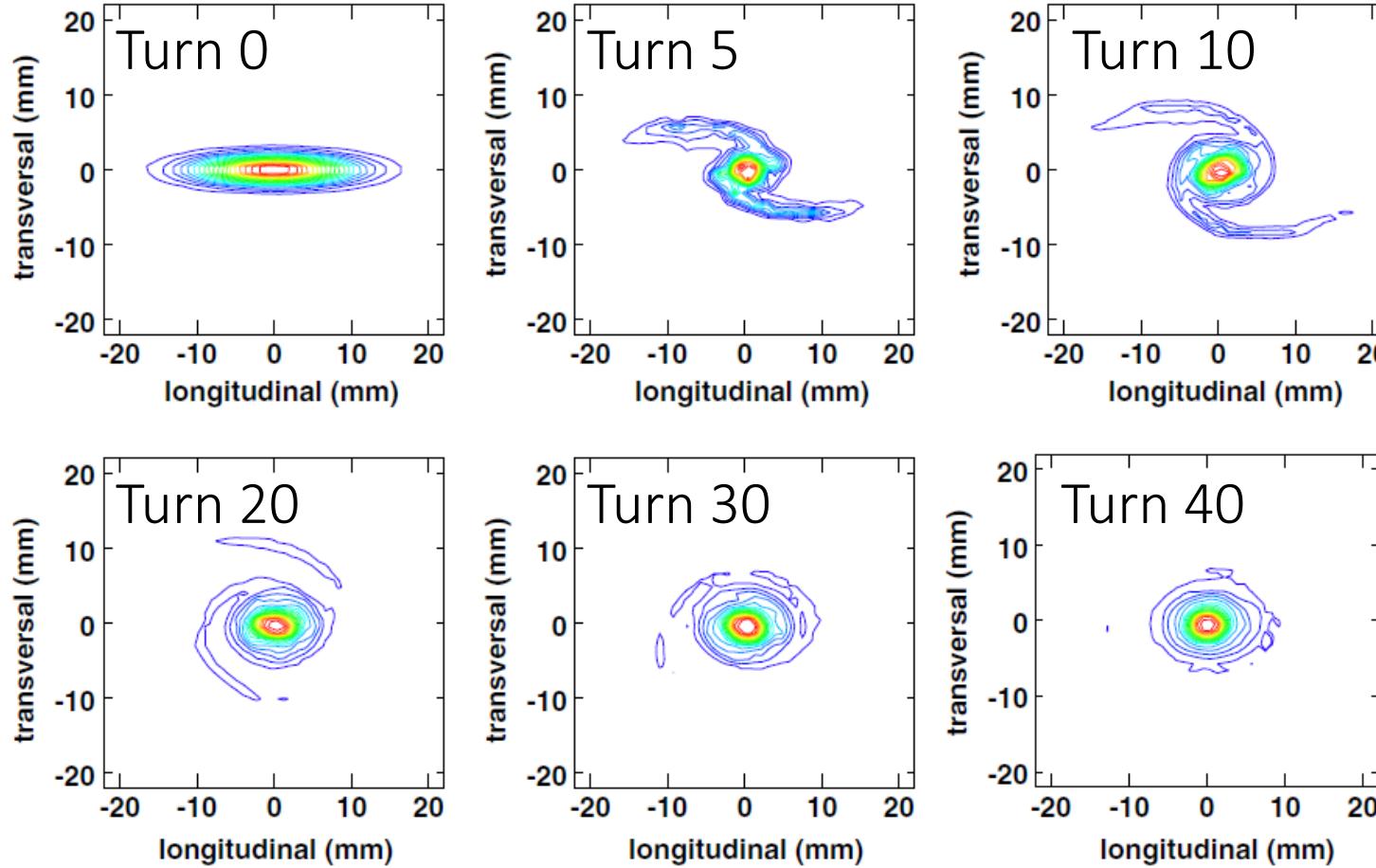
Object Oriented Parallel Particle Library (OPAL)

<https://gitlab.psi.ch/OPAL/src/wikis/home>

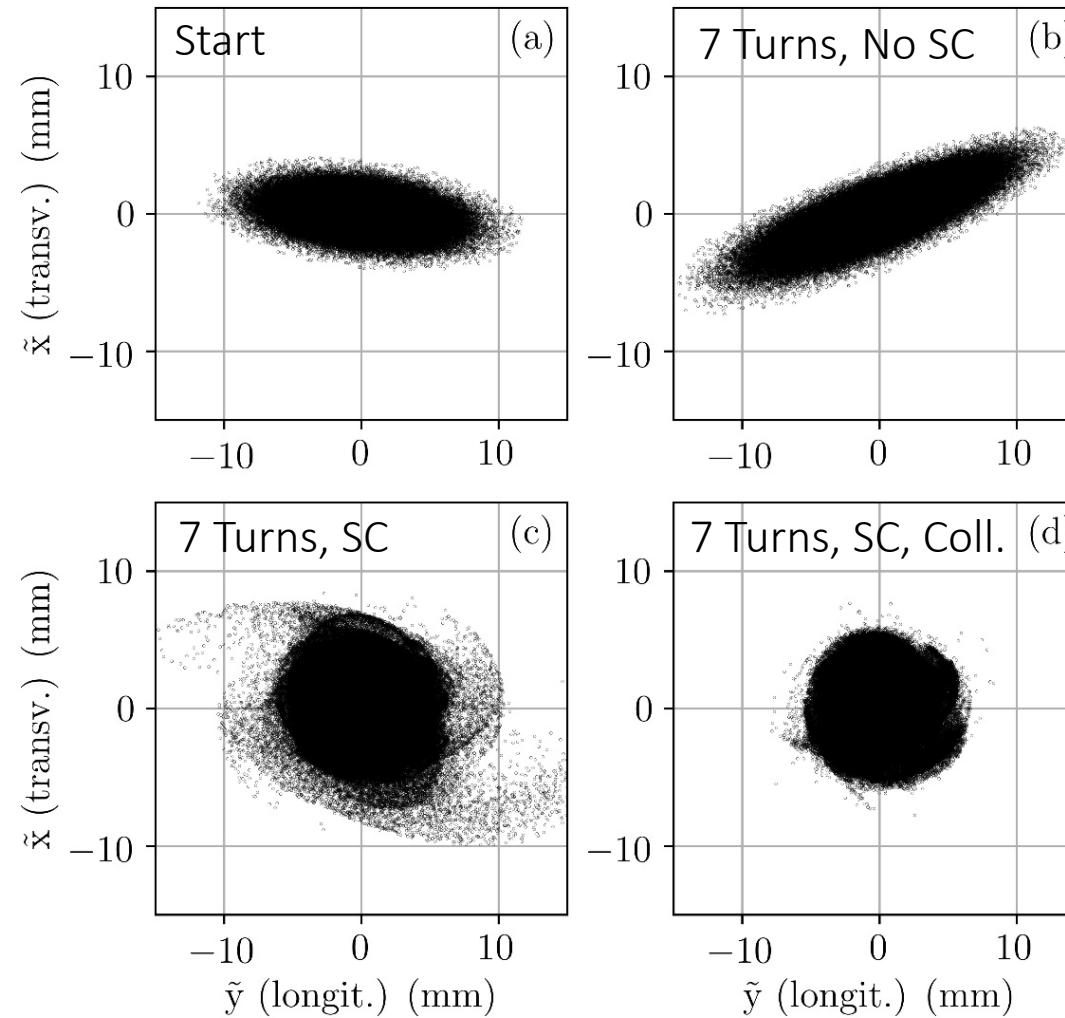
OPAL is a versatile open-source tool for charged-particle optics in large accelerator structures and beam lines including 3D EM field calculation, collisions, radiation, particle-matter interaction, and multi-objective optimisation

- OPAL is built from the ground up as an HPC application
- OPAL runs on your laptop as well as on the largest HPC clusters
- OPAL uses the MAD language with extensions
- OPAL is written in C++, uses design patterns, easy to extend
- The OPAL Discussion Forum:
<https://psilists.ethz.ch/sympa/info/opal>
- International team of 11 active developers and a user base of $\mathcal{O}(100)$
- The OPAL **sampler** command can generate labeled data sets using the largest computing resources and allocations available

Vortex motion – Discovered in PSI Injector II Simulated with OPAL → Good Agreement

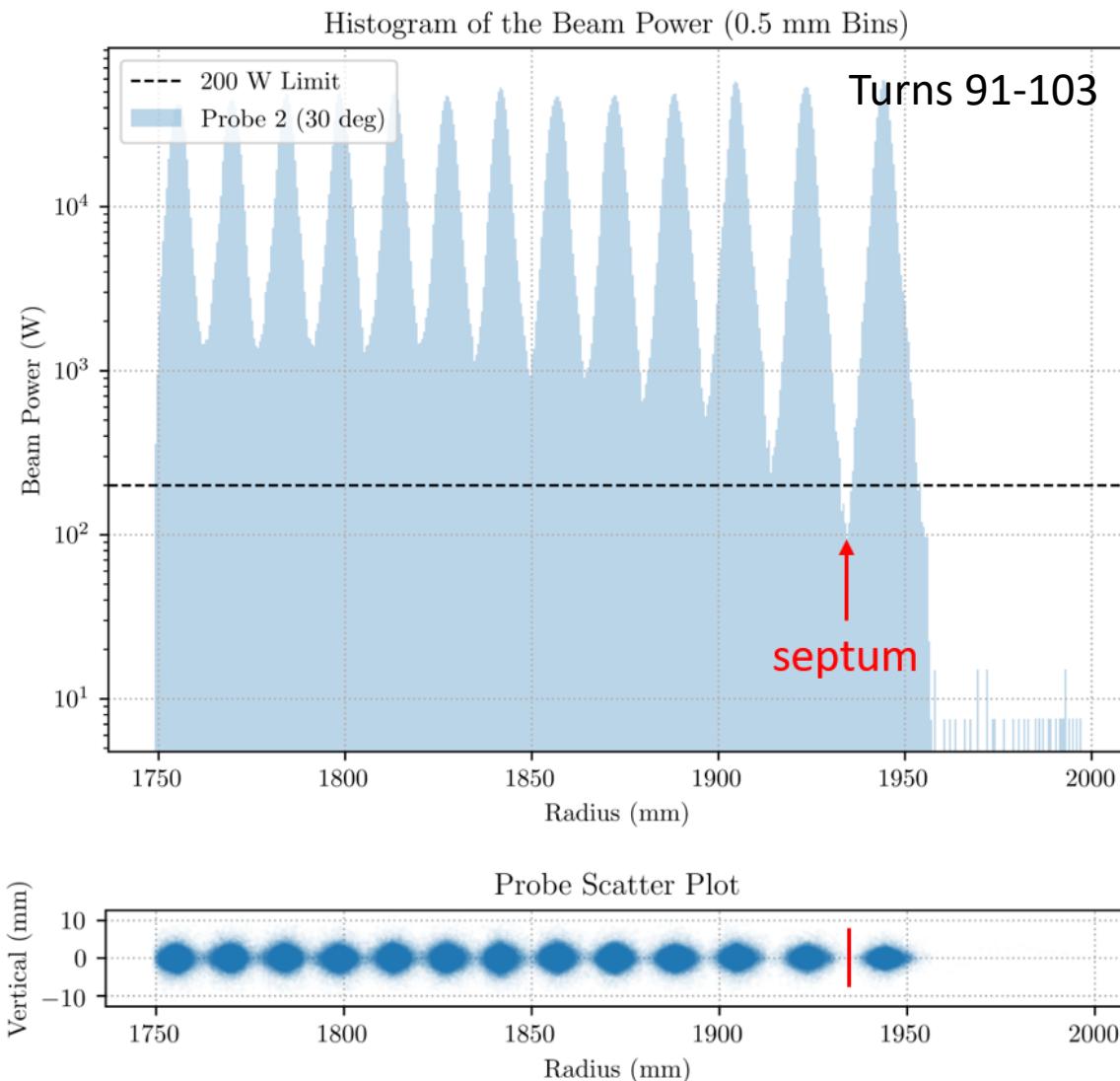
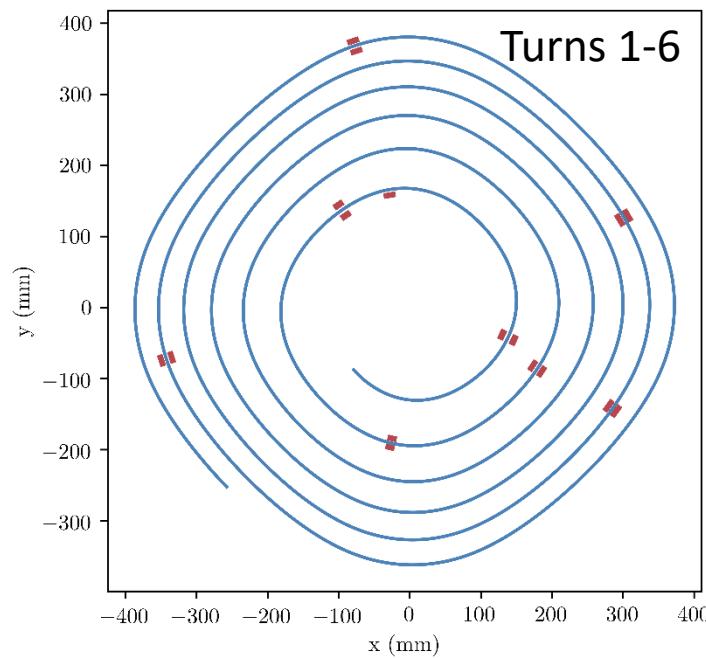


Vortex Motion in the IsoDAR 60 MeV/amu cyclotron simulated with OPAL



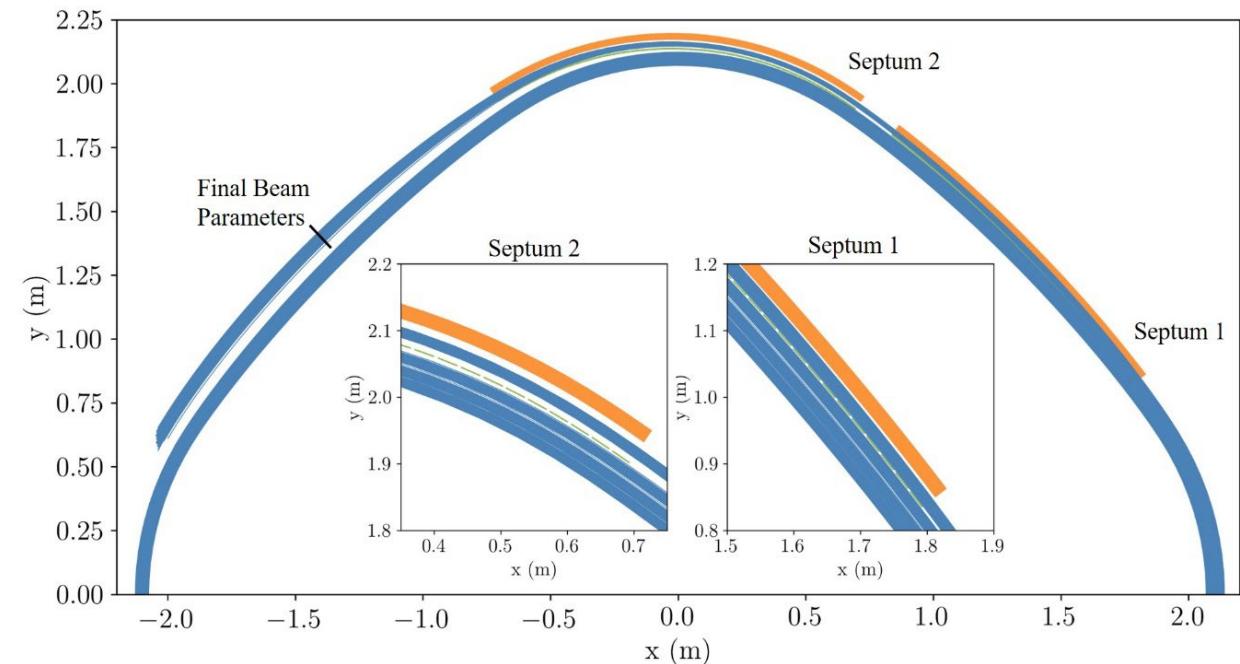
Optimize phase, RF voltage, cavity shape, collimator placement

- Phase: -5° , $V = 70\text{-}240\text{kV}$
- Collimate Halo $\rightarrow \sim 30\%$ loss
- 98 W on septum ($\sim 1\text{e-}4$ rel.)



Beam can be extracted with good quality

- Minimal losses at 60 MeV/amu: < 100 Watt (factor 2 below 200 W limit)!
- RMS Size:
 - Radial: 7.5 mm
 - Longitudinal: 11 mm
 - Vertical: 1.9 mm
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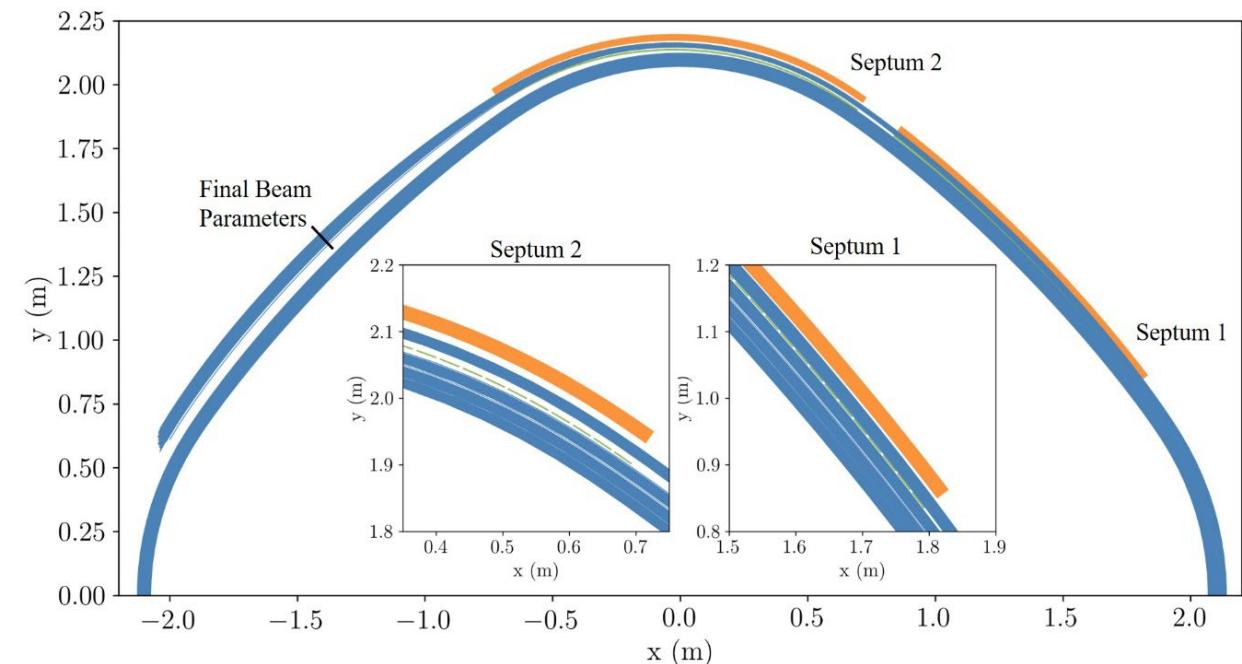
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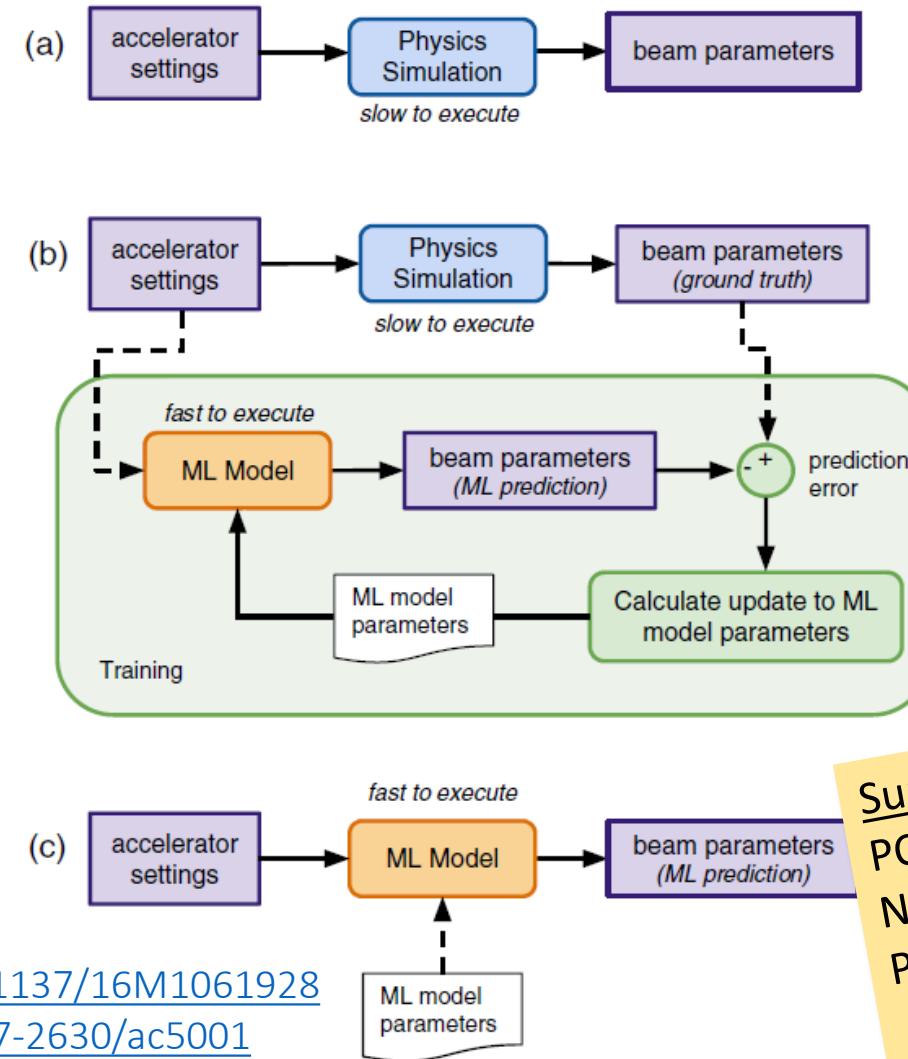
- Is it robust?

Use Surrogate Modeling (AI/ML) for Uncertainty Quantification (see next slides)



Excellent opportunity to use machine learning (“Virtual Accelerators”)

- Particle accelerator simulations can be complex with large sets of input parameters
- Optimization requires repeated evaluation of points in parameter-hyperspace.
- Surrogate model: train neural net on sparse set of points in this hyperspace
- Evaluation of surrogate model is orders of magnitude faster than original simulation
 - Uncertainty Quantification (using PCE)
 - Optimization
 - Real-Time Feedback



Surrogate Model
PCE or a ML-trained
NN to replace costly
PIC simulations.

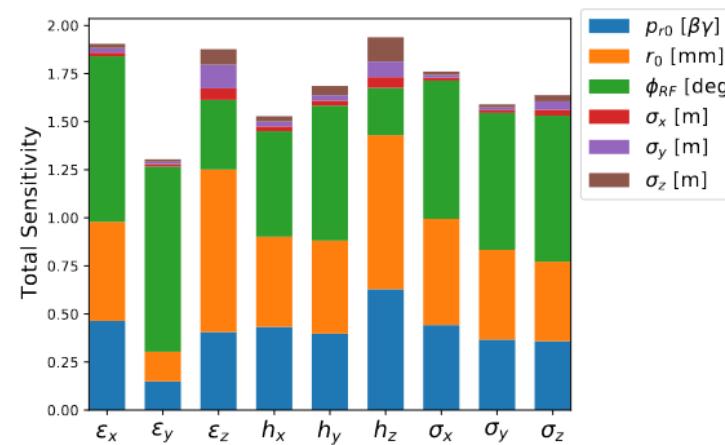
Uncertainty Quantification using Polynomial Chaos Expansion (PCE)-based SM shows robust cyclotron design

- Surrogate model using Polynomial Chaos Expansion (PCE)

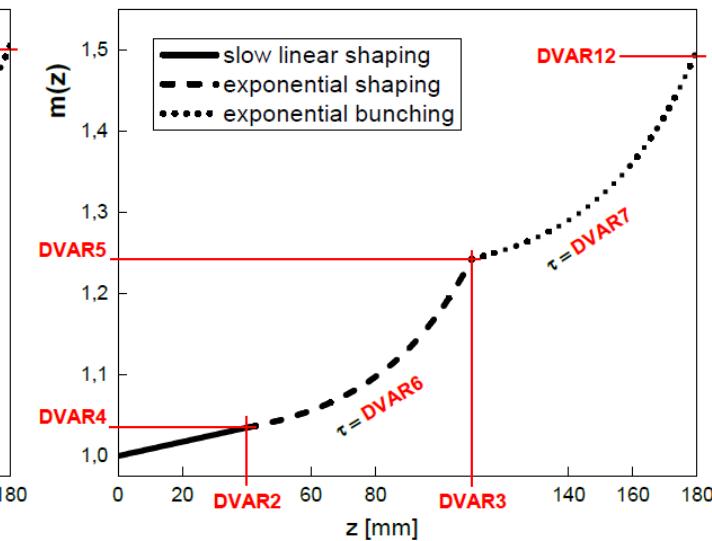
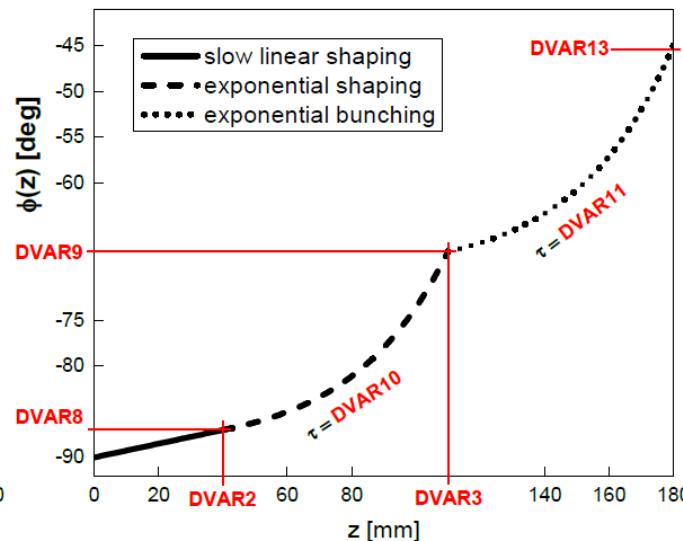
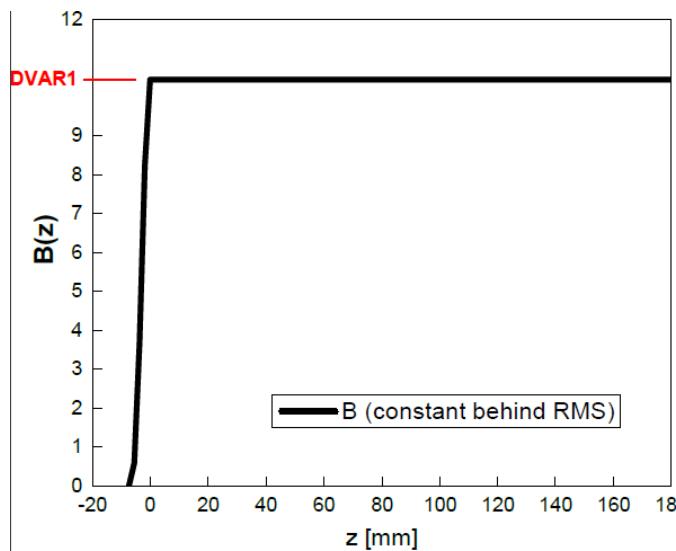
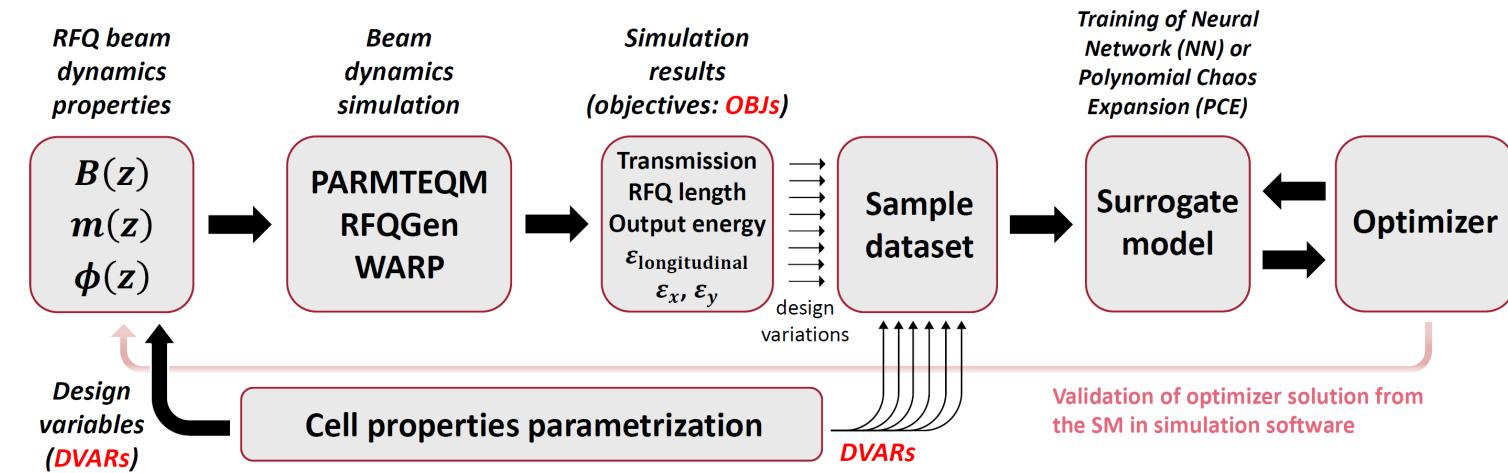
- Input parameters:

| | p_{r0} [$\beta\gamma$] | r_0 [mm] | ϕ_{rf} [deg] | σ_x [m] | σ_y [m] | σ_z [m] |
|-------|----------------------------|------------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Lower | 0.00225 | 115.9 | 283.0 | 0.00095 | 0.00285 | 0.00475 |
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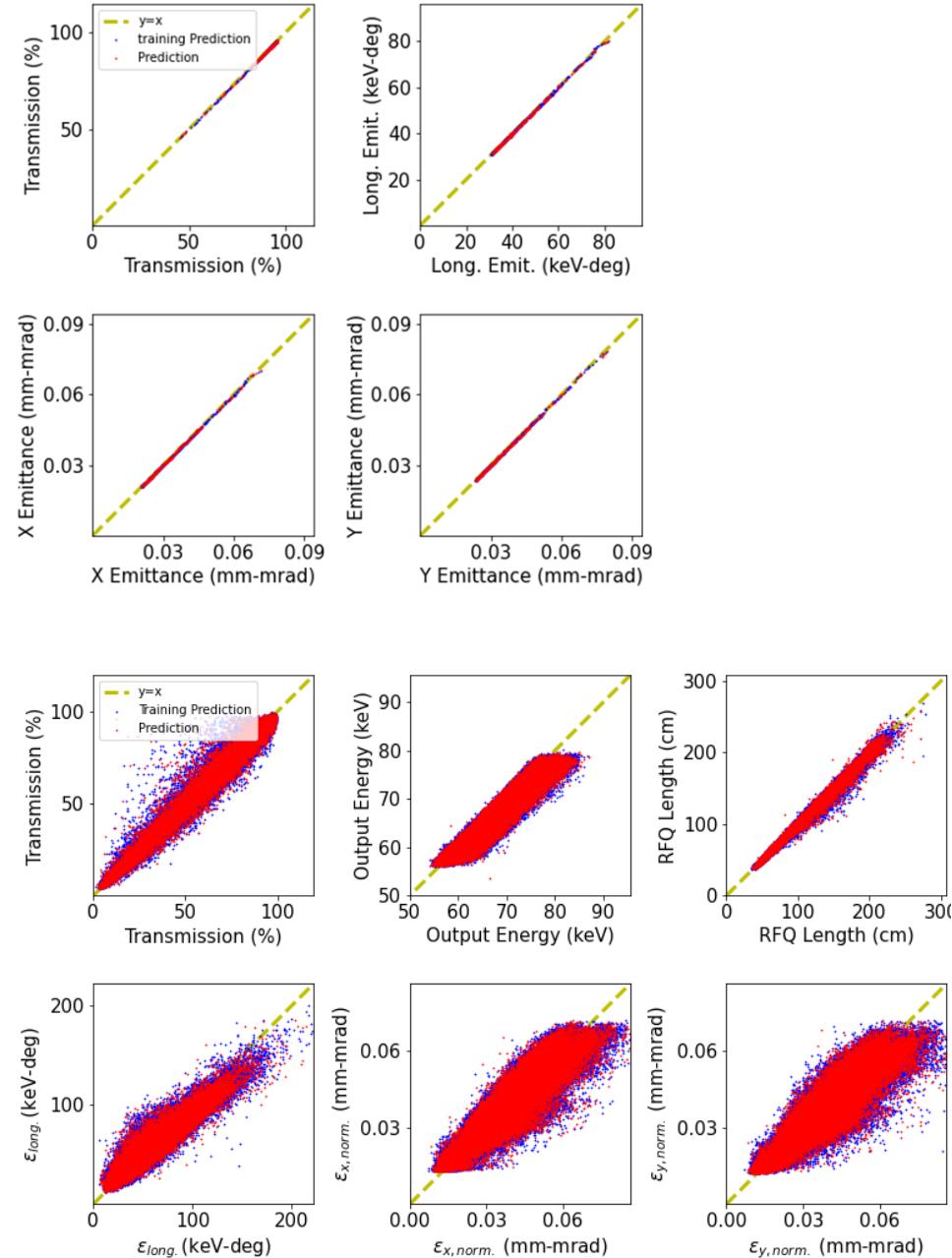
- Quantities of Interest (QoI): Beam size, Halo parameter, Emittance
- Yields Sobol' indices indicate sensitivity of system to variation of certain input parameters
- Robust vs. beam size changes
- Other parameters are slow-changing or can be quickly adjusted in a feedback system ✓
- Also for collimator placement to determine optimal design ✓



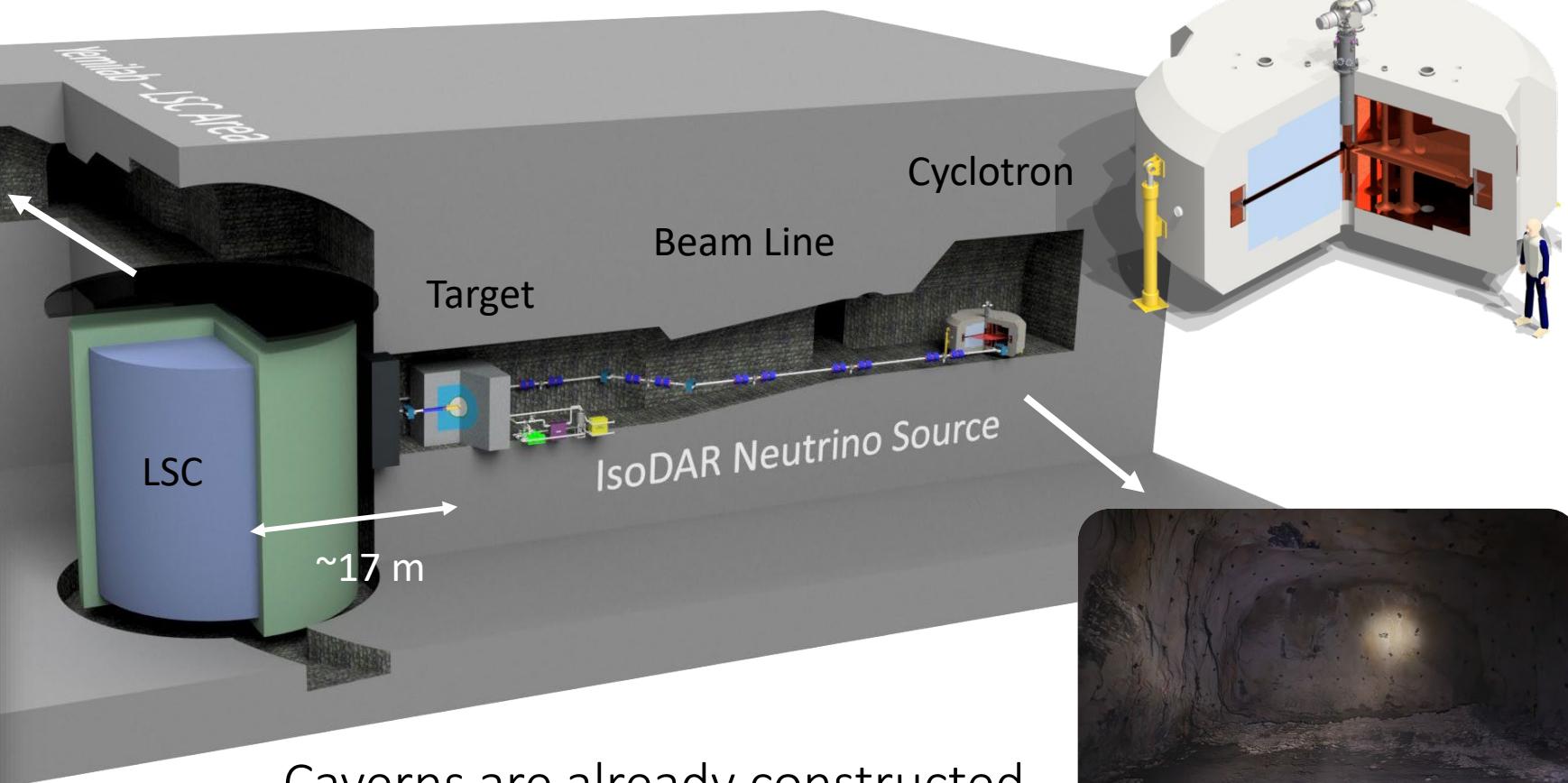
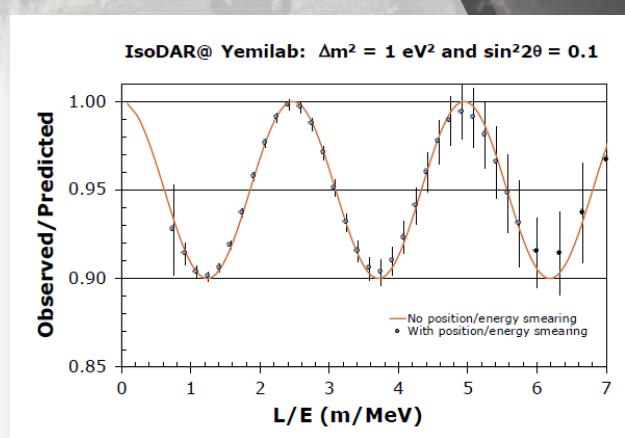
RFQ Parametrization – Surrogate Modelling - Optimization



- Excellent results for Twiss parameters
- Bodes well for tuning assistant
- Challenges with RFQ mechanical design prediction
- Interesting avenue of research!
- Can already be used to restrict parameter space for optimization



With robust, optimized design, IsoDAR is pre-approved to run at Yemilab in Korea



Caverns are already constructed

Physics Paper: <http://arxiv.org/abs/2111.09480>, PRD 2022
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Thank You!

IsoDAR: International collaboration of ~30 scientists



Industry Partners



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