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# **R&D for SuperKEKB and the next generation high luminosity colliders**

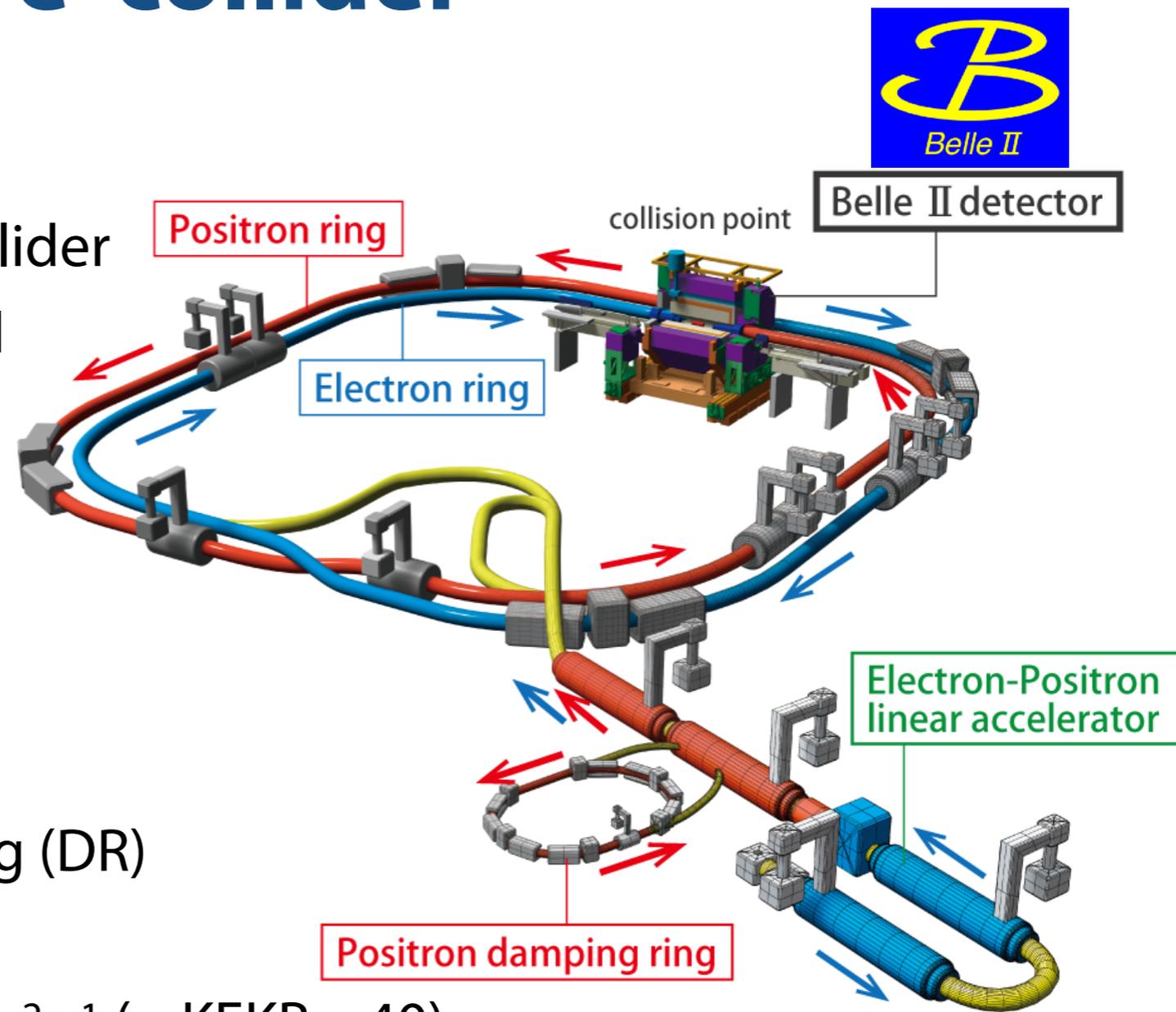
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# The SuperKEKB e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> collider

- Major upgrade to the KEKB e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> collider providing tons of B, τ, etc. to Belle II
- Main rings
  - 7 GeV e<sup>-</sup> storage ring (HER)
  - 4 GeV e<sup>+</sup> storage ring (LER)
- Injector complex
  - Electron/positron linac
  - 1.1 GeV positron damping ring (DR)
- Design parameters
  - Target Luminosity:  $8 \times 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$  (= KEKB x 40)
  - Maximum beam currents: 3.6 A (LER) and 2.6 A (HER)
  - $\beta_y^* \sim 0.3 \text{ mm}$
  - $\sigma_x^* \sim 10 \text{ }\mu\text{m}$ ,  $\sigma_y^* \sim 50 \text{ nm}$ ,  $\sigma_z \sim 6 \text{ mm}$



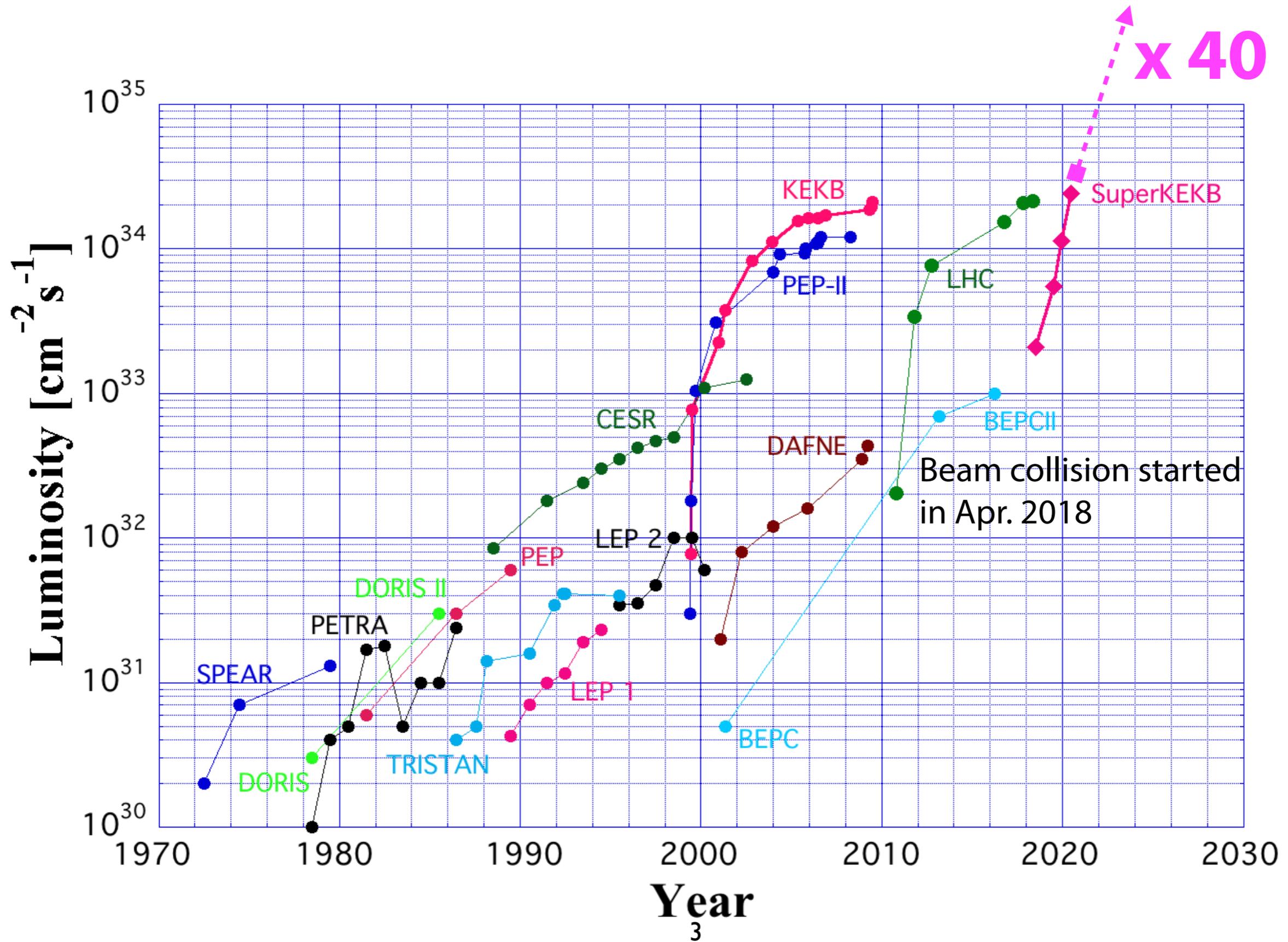
Experiments need

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{dN}{dt}$$

Accelerator delivers

New physics predicts

# History of peak luminosity (e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> collider)



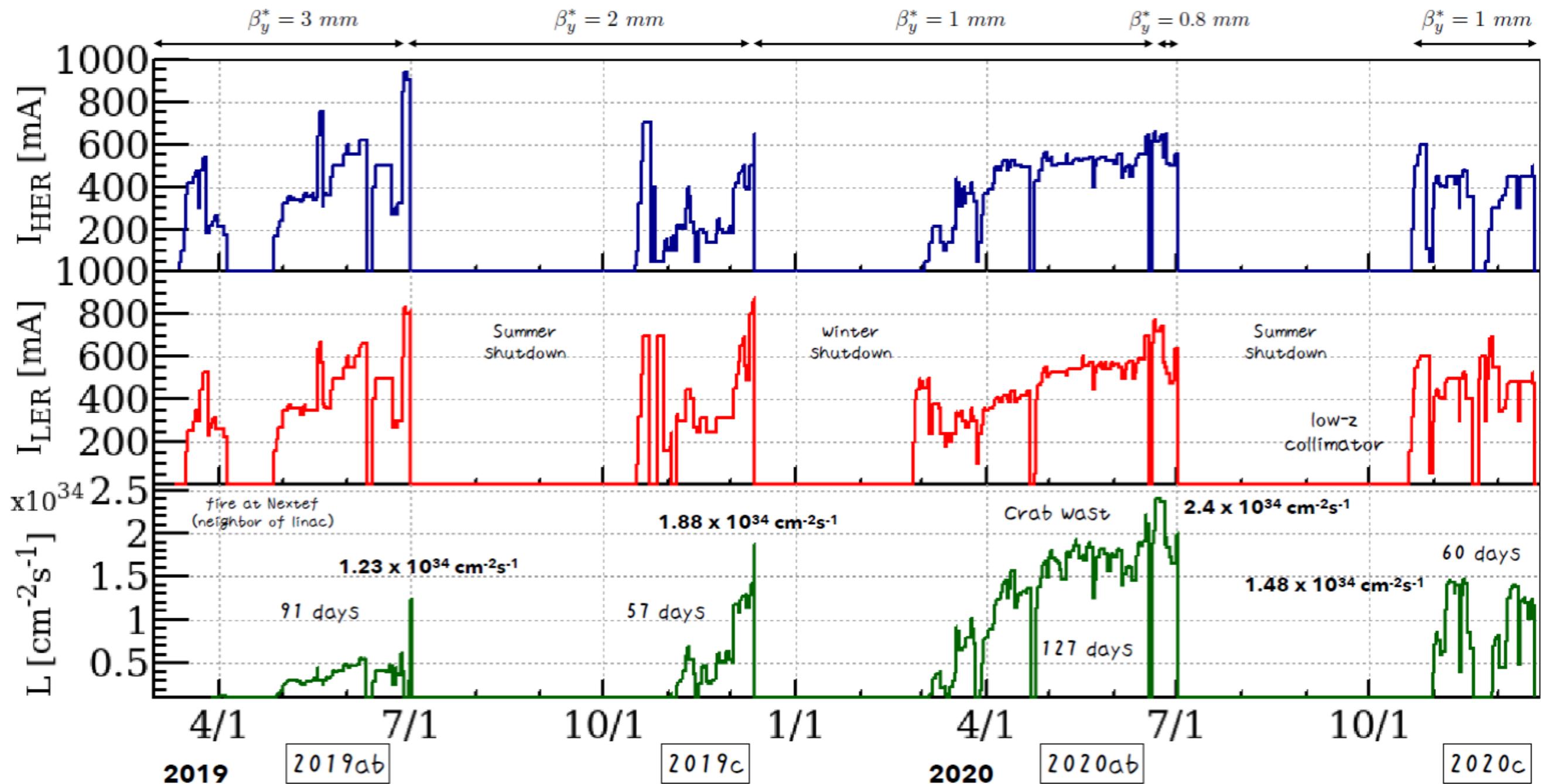
# Overview of the project

- US-Japan collaborative R&D for SuperKEKB and next generation high-luminosity colliders
  - *Orbit feedback system at the interaction point*
  - *X-ray beam size monitor*
  - *Beam collimators*
  - *Higher-order mode absorber*
  - *Very-high bandwidths and sampling rates digital circuits*
  - Electron-cloud effects, secondary electron yield
  - Large angle beamstrahlung monitor
  - Beam dynamics
  - Next-generation beam-injectors
- Realization of the target luminosity at SuperKEKB
  - Training of young scientists and engineers for future accelerators
- The project has been continued for ~20 years since FY2003.

# SuperKEKB operation in 2019 and 2020



History of Phase 3



# The SuperKEKB operation in 2020

- Crab waist and  $\beta_y^* = 1$  mm enabled the instantaneous luminosity  $2.4e+34$   $\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$  with half beam currents with respect to the KEKB beam currents for  $2.1e+34$   $\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ .
- $\beta_y^*$  could be down to 0.8 mm in physics operation condition.
- Fast beam-orbit feedback system at the IP worked successfully.
- In the operation 2020c (Oct-Dec 2020), encountering many troubles slowed down beam studies and an increase in luminosity.
  - Unexpectedly large impedance of newly introduced low-Z collimators and replacements of damaged collimators
  - Poor injection efficiency to the main rings
  - Trouble in the cooling water system
- **Social  Distancing**
  - affects R&D and operation efficiencies at some level...

# Accelerator schedules after FY2021

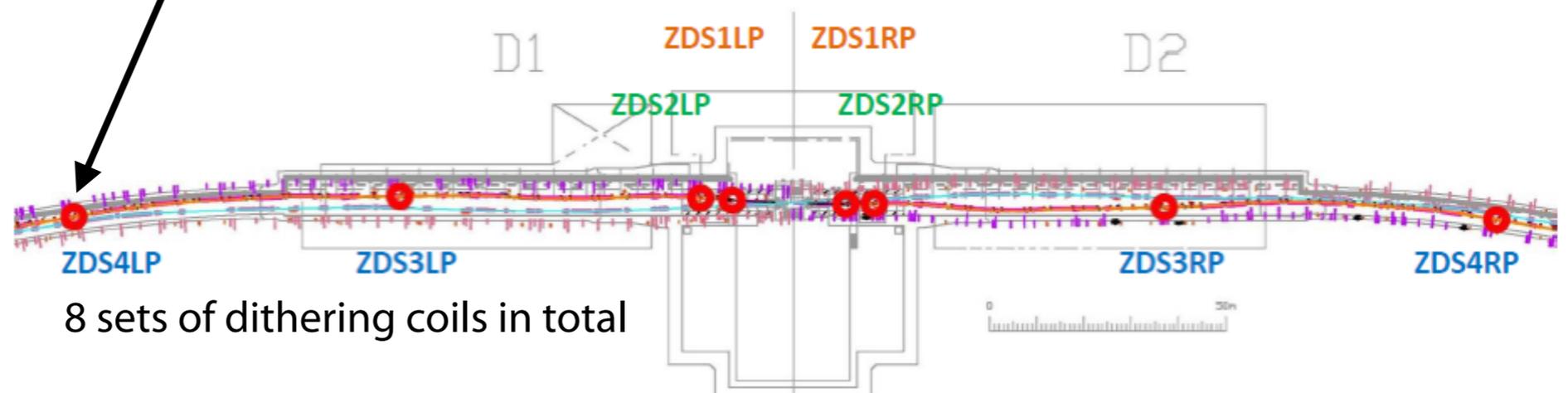
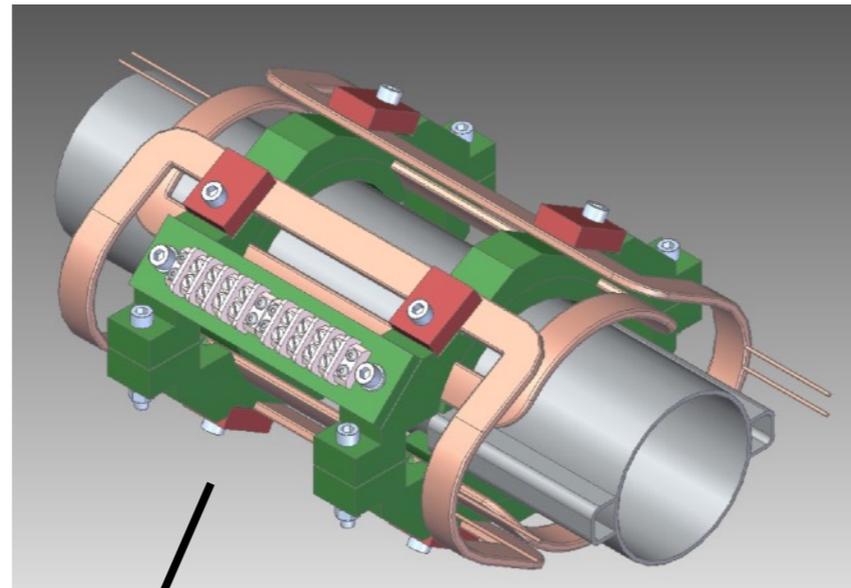
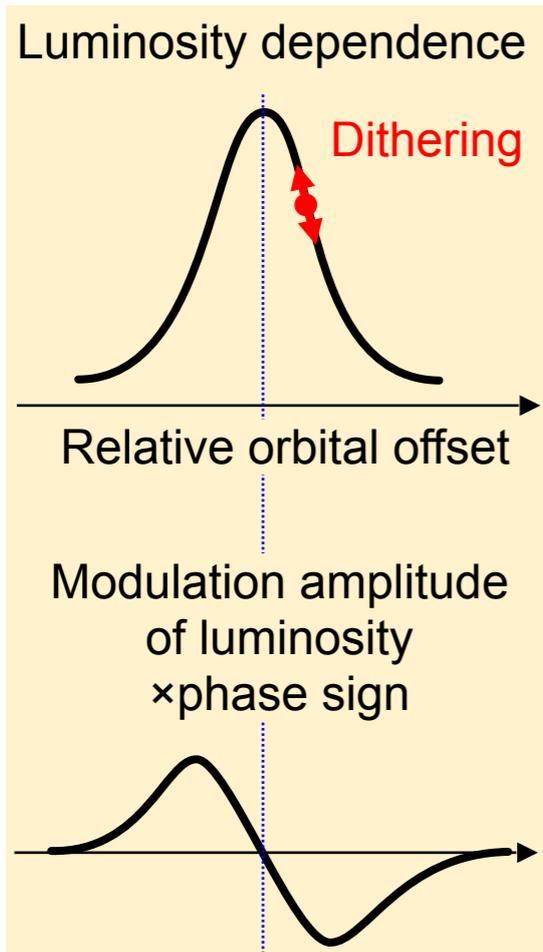
- FY2021
  - 7 months operation (Apr-Jul, Oct-Dec, Feb-Mar)
  - Primary task is to integrate luminosity as much as possible.
- FY2022
  - Operation will end on middle July followed by long shutdown for the Belle II pixel detector replacement.
  - Improvements of the SuperKEKB components
- FY2023
  - Expect resume the operation around May

# Project status

- Orbit feedback system at the interaction point
- X-ray beam size monitor
- Beam collimators
- Higher order mode absorber
- Very-high bandwidths and sampling rates digital circuits

# Orbit feedback system at the IP

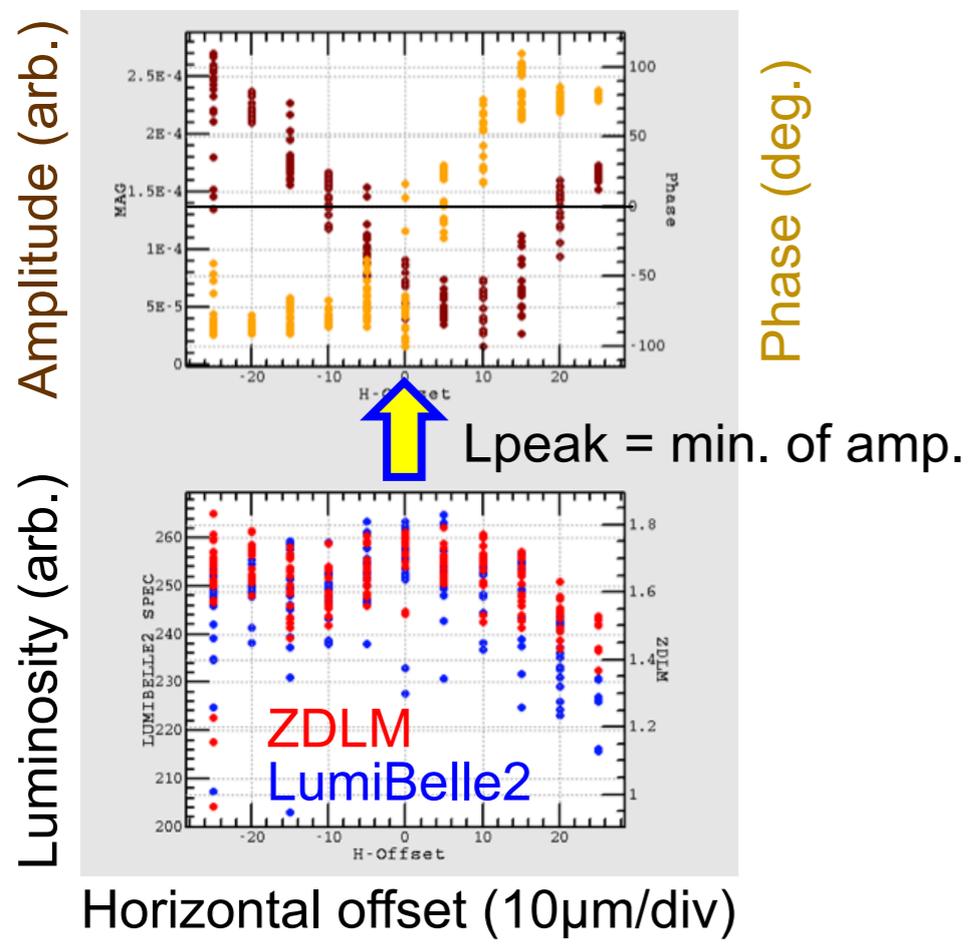
- Modulate orbit positions and angles at the IP using a sinusoidal signal ( $\sim 70$  Hz), and detect the frequency and phase response using the luminosity monitors via lock-in amplifiers
- Constructing dithering feedback systems as collaborating with SLAC



8 sets of dithering coils in total

# Orbit feedback system at the IP

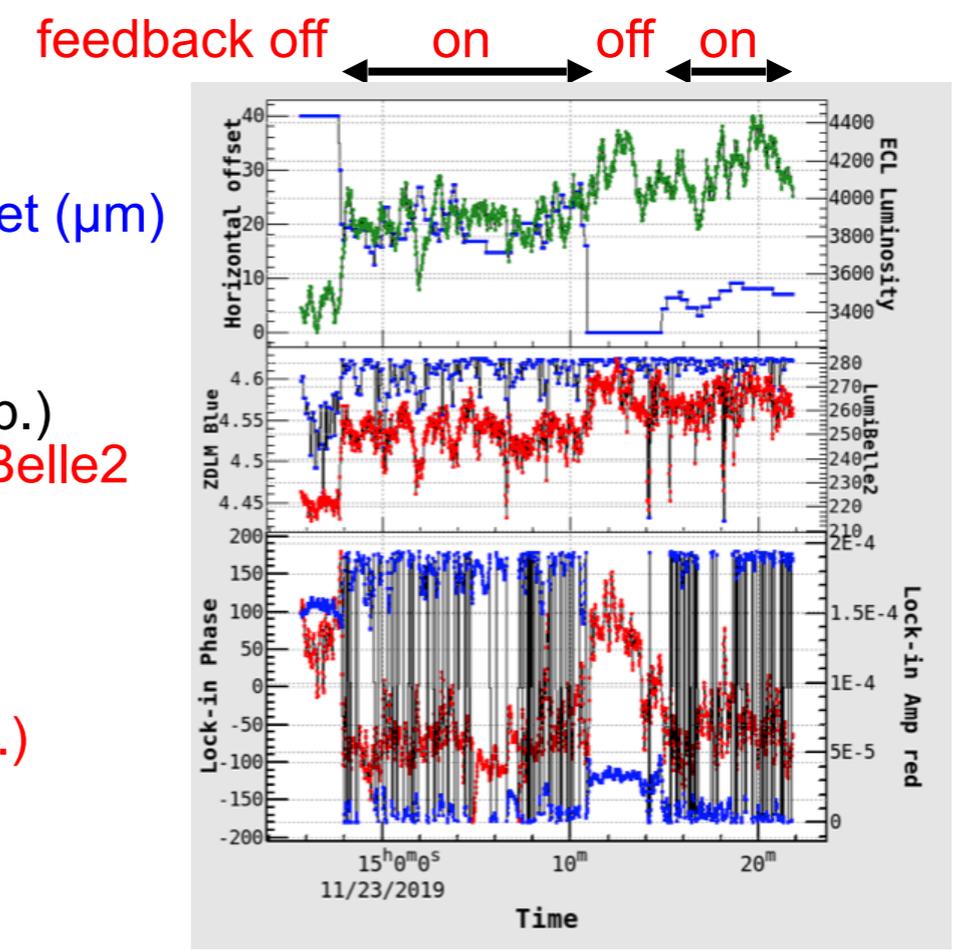
- FY2019
  - The dithering system worked as horizontal IP-orbit feedback.
  - Basic functionalities were confirmed in the horizontal axis.
  - A. Fisher (SLAC) and U. Wienands (ANL) visited KEK and joined beam tests.
- Started R&D for the existing dithering system to be inclusive of hor. and ver. axes.



Horizontal offset ( $\mu$ m)

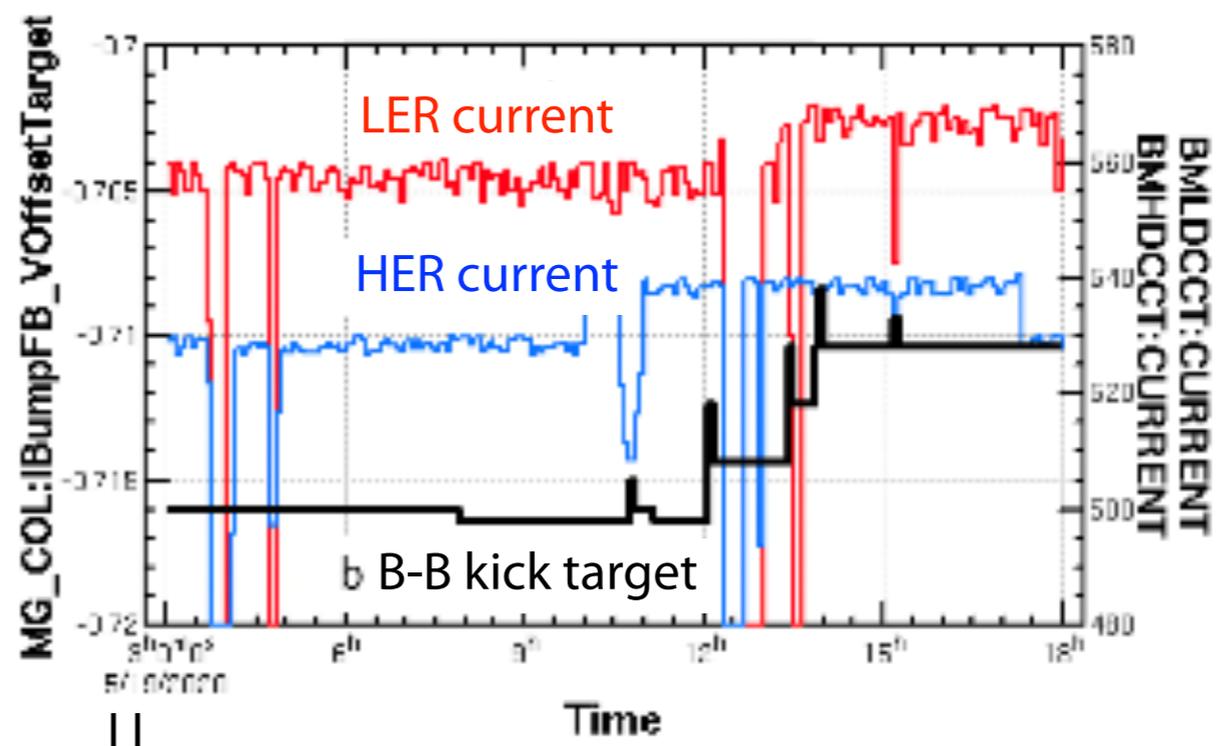
Luminosity (arb.)  
ZDLM & LumiBelle2

Modulation  
amplitude (arb.)  
& phase (deg)



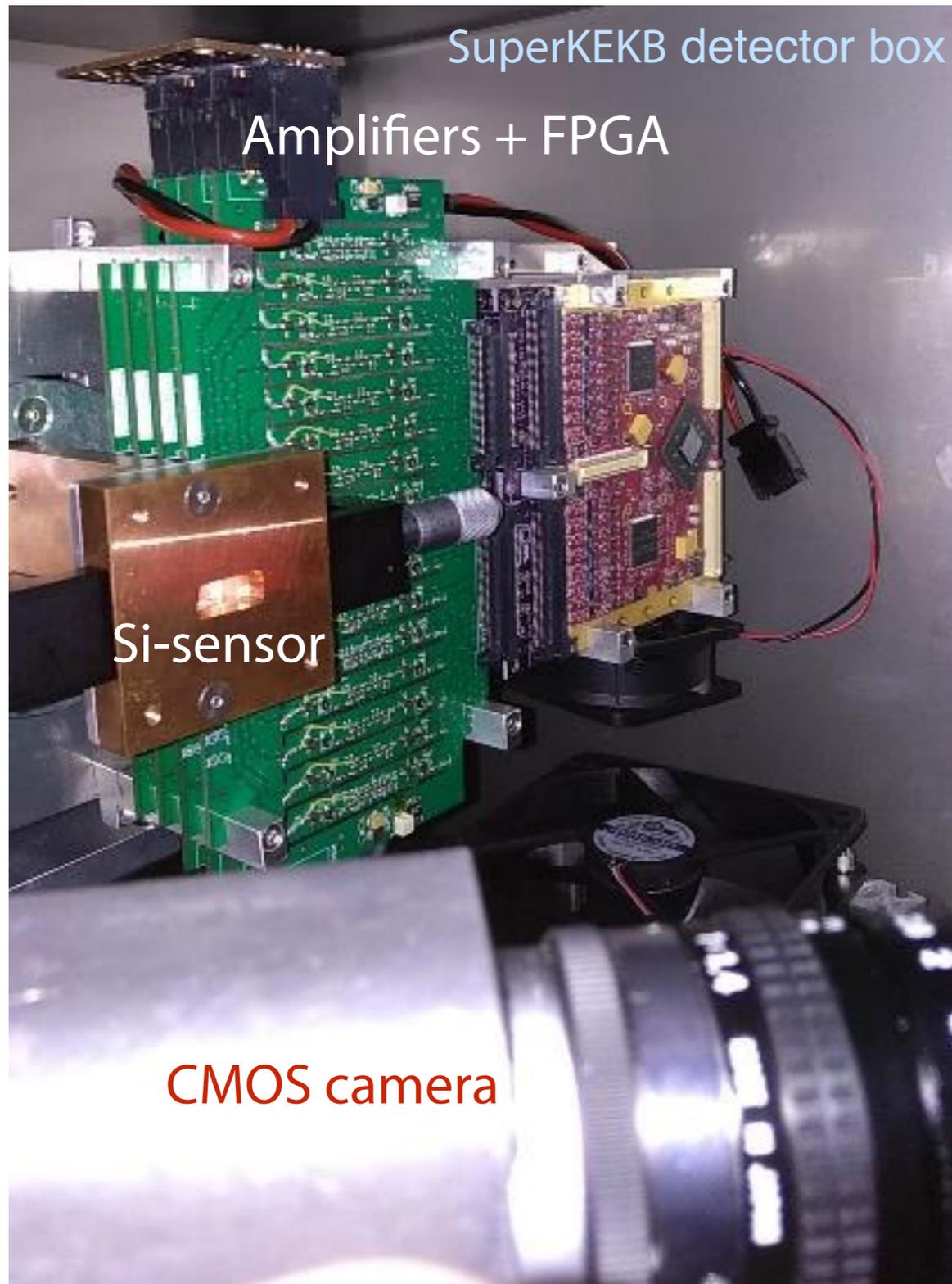
# Orbit feedback system at the IP

- The dithering system is planned to extend to vertical position and possibly vertical angle to work with horizontal position simultaneously.
  - Existing mainly-used vertical orbit feedback system measures a canonical “beam-beam” kick and changes the electron orbit to keep a beam-beam kick constant so as to get the instantaneous luminosity maximum.
- Due to a dependence of the beam-beam kick’s target value on beam currents, at each the beam current we have to explore the target value by manually setting a knob parameter.
  - Can we use the dithering system to automatically search the best beam-beam kick target value?
- Vertical dithering feedback system can keep higher luminosity even during “decay mode” operation.



# SiXRM : Silicon-strip X-ray beam size monitor

(See also Poster session #4 by Matt Andrew)



- **X-ray beam size monitors at SuperKEKB**

1) CMOS area cameras

→ Cheap and robust, but generally slow. Suitable for streaming beam size measurements

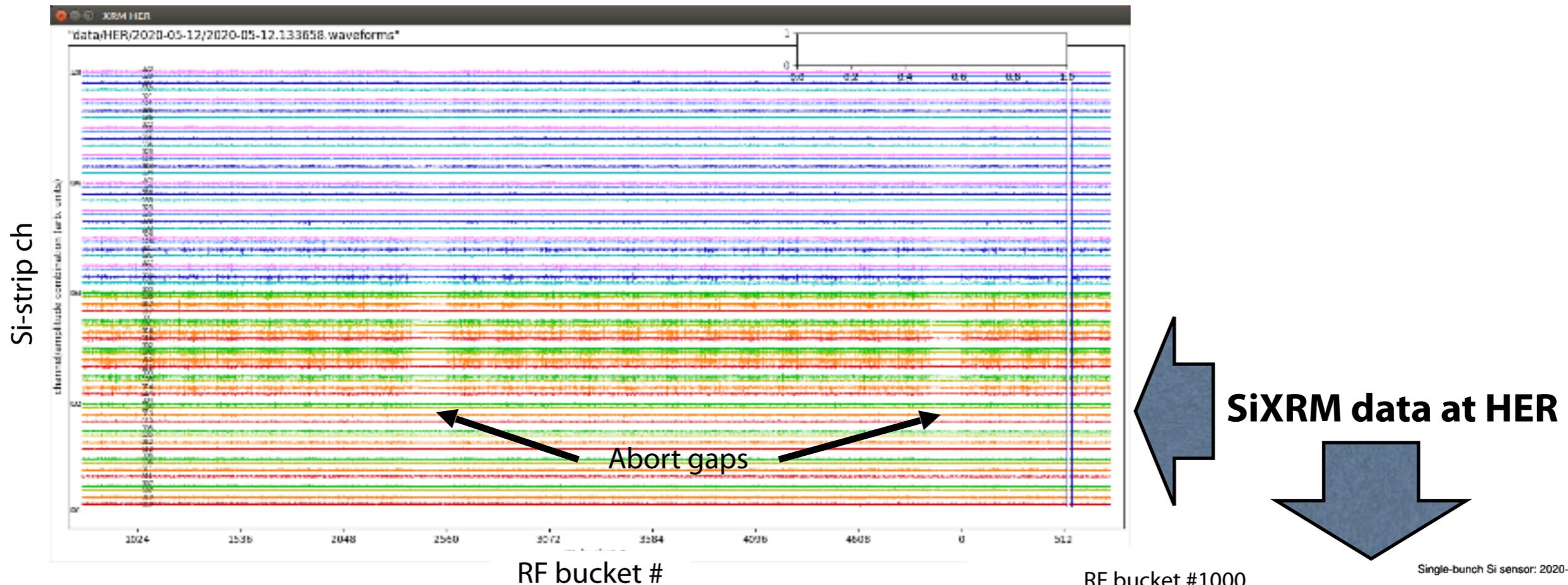
2) Silicon strip sensors

→ 2.7 Gbps enables bunch-by-bunch measurements. Good for beam study

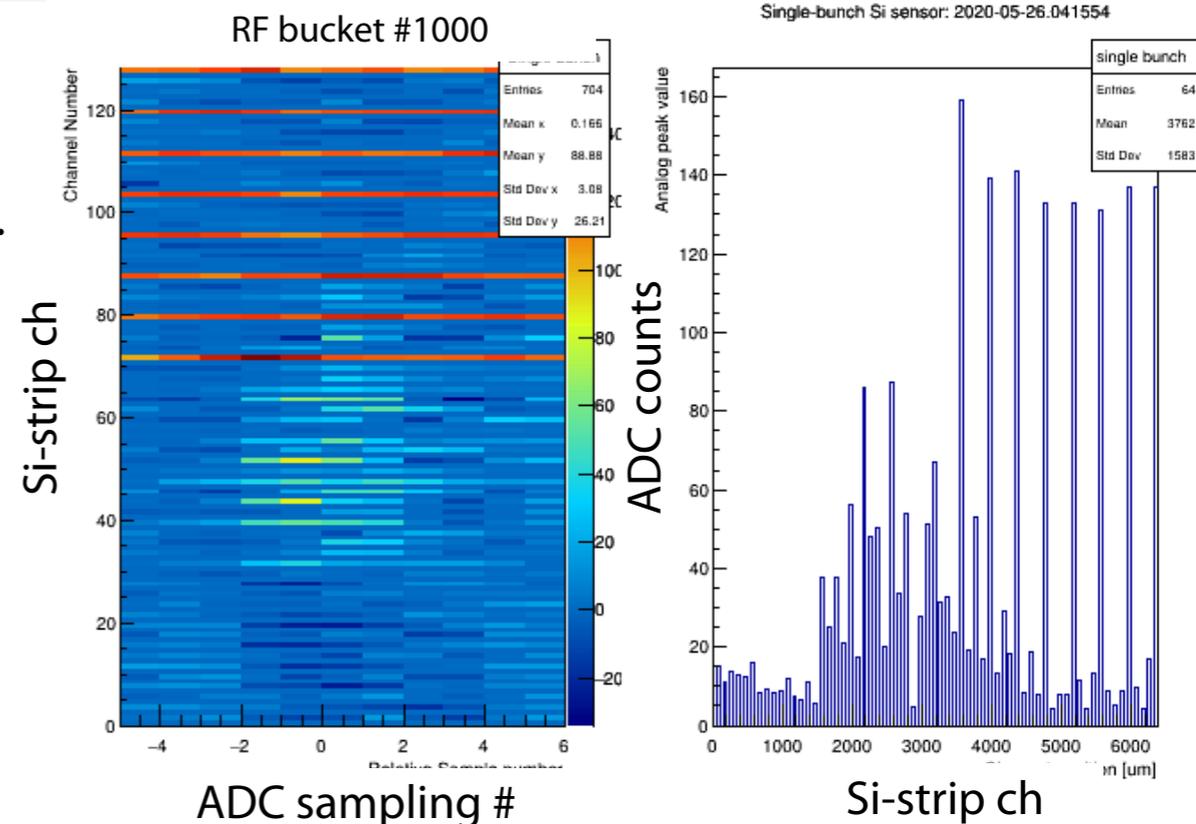
*CMOS cameras and Si-strip sensors are complementary monitors.*



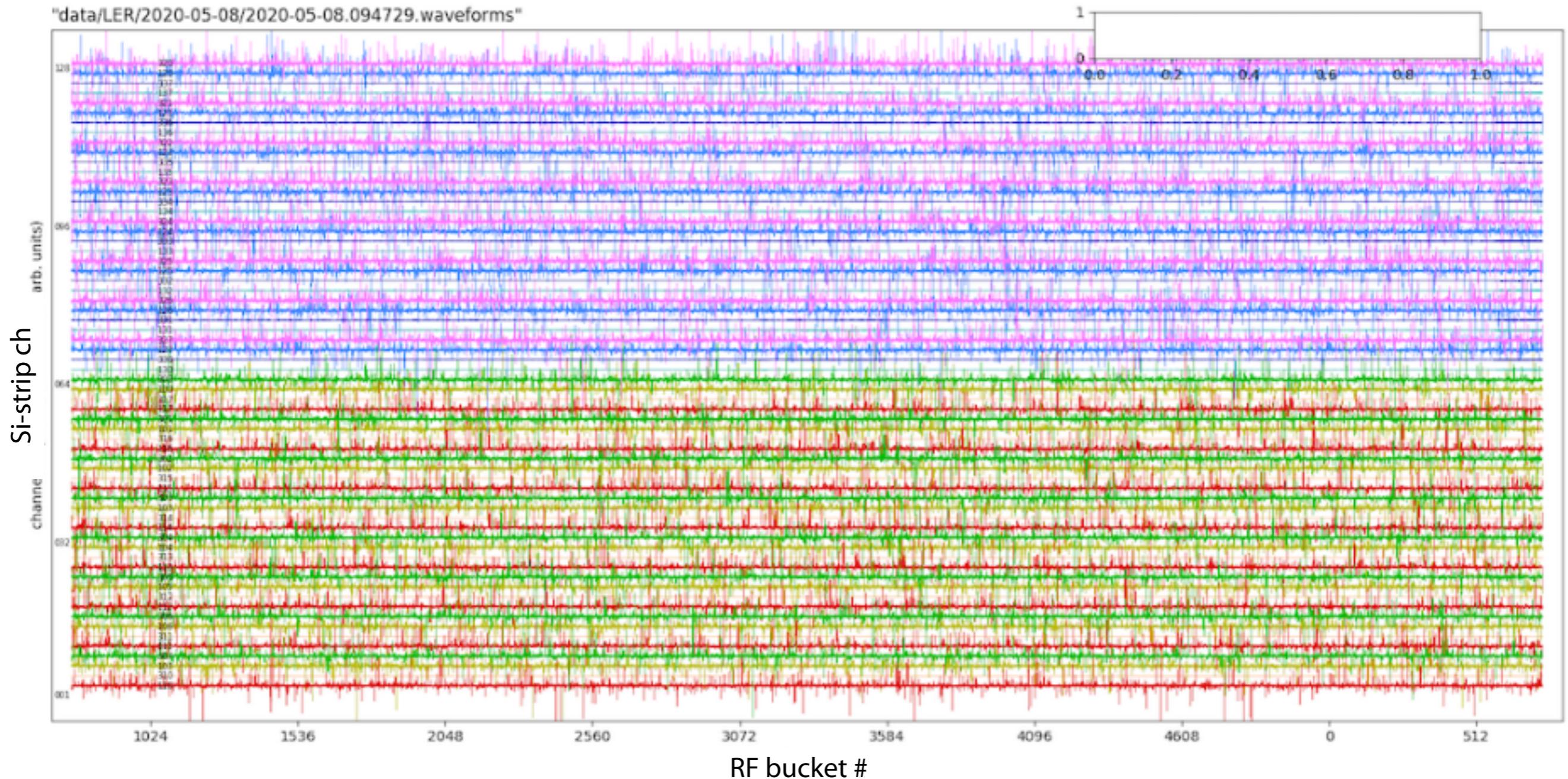
# SiXRM data at HER (2020/5)



- Achievements in FY2020
  - 1) The HER detector measures beam-induced signals showing clear signature of two abort gaps and X-ray coded aperture mask.
  - 2) Stable operation for two months.
- Tasks and future plans
  - 1) Dead-channels and oscillation on the full complement → Hawaii University and SLAC developed new pre-amplifier being tested at Hawaii. New amplifier will be installed in 2021.
  - 2) Channel-by-channel gain calibration → The calibration bench using an infra-red laser was made at KEK. [X-ray tube bench will be constructed in 2021-2022.](#)



# SiXRM data at LER (2020/5)



- **Achievement in FY2020**

We could not take good data at LER due to large oscillation, though the LER detector was healthy before installation.

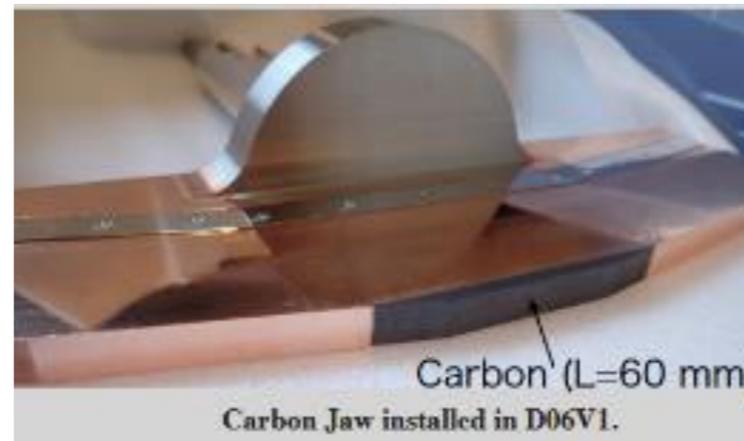
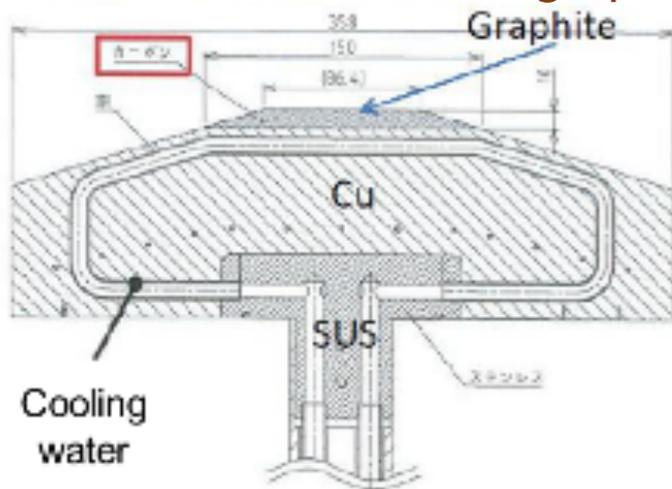
- **Tasks and future plans**

- 1) New sensor and pre-amplifier will be installed in LER as well as HER.
- 2) Need spare amplifier and sensor at least one for each?

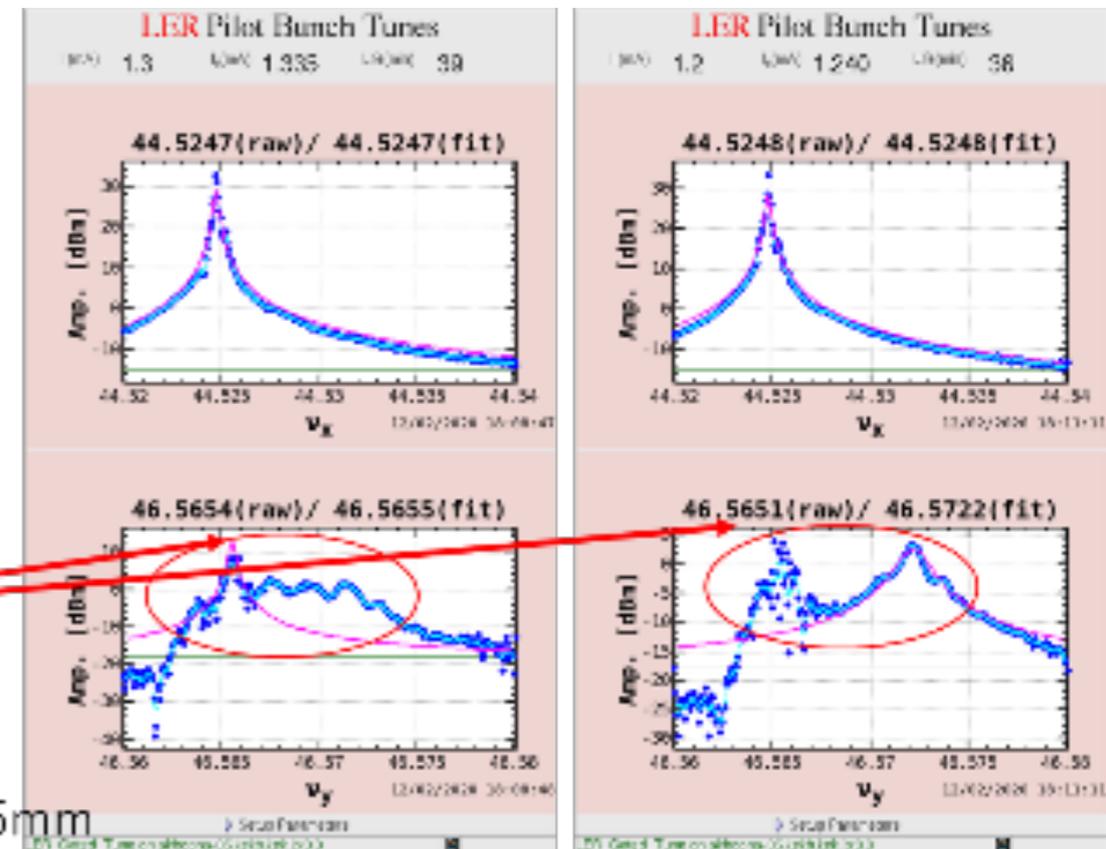
# Low-Z beam collimators

- A new collimator with low-Z-material-made (graphite) jaws was installed in the arc section of LER in 2020.
  - A 60 mm long jaw corresponds to 1/3 of the graphite's radiation length.
  - Expected to protect "key collimators" near IP from strayed beams.
- The low-Z collimator actually well suppressed the Belle II background.
- As a side effect the high impedance induced a strong beam instability (TMCI).
- The low-Z collimator was tentatively replaced with the tantalum one.
- R&D on a new collimator jaw with a short (3 mm) tantalum head is undergoing on behalf of carbon head.

Jaw with graphite at the tip part



LER tune spectrum (left:1.3 mA, right:1.25 mA)



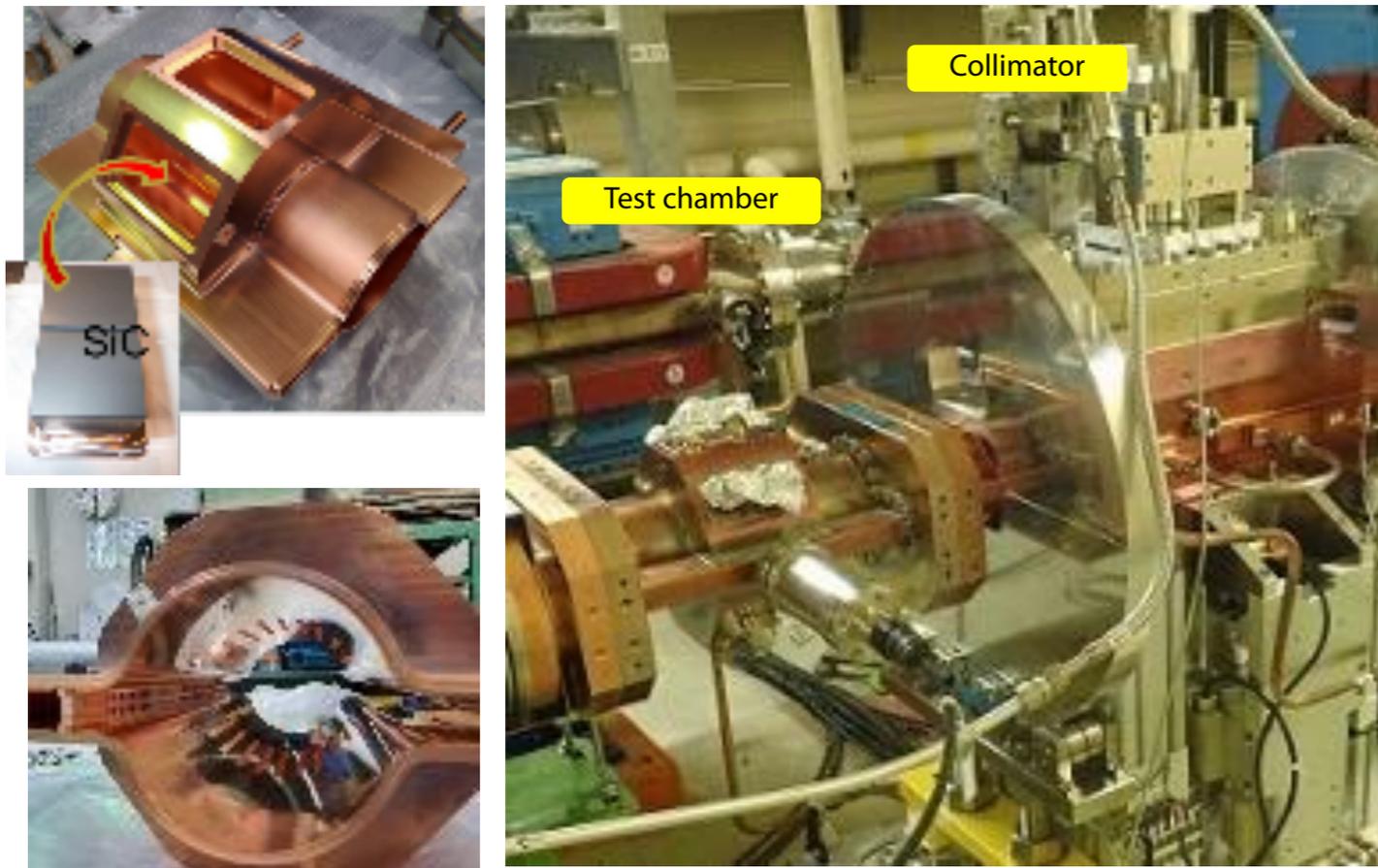
**Sideband appeared and bunch current could not be accumulated**

Half gap 2.5mm

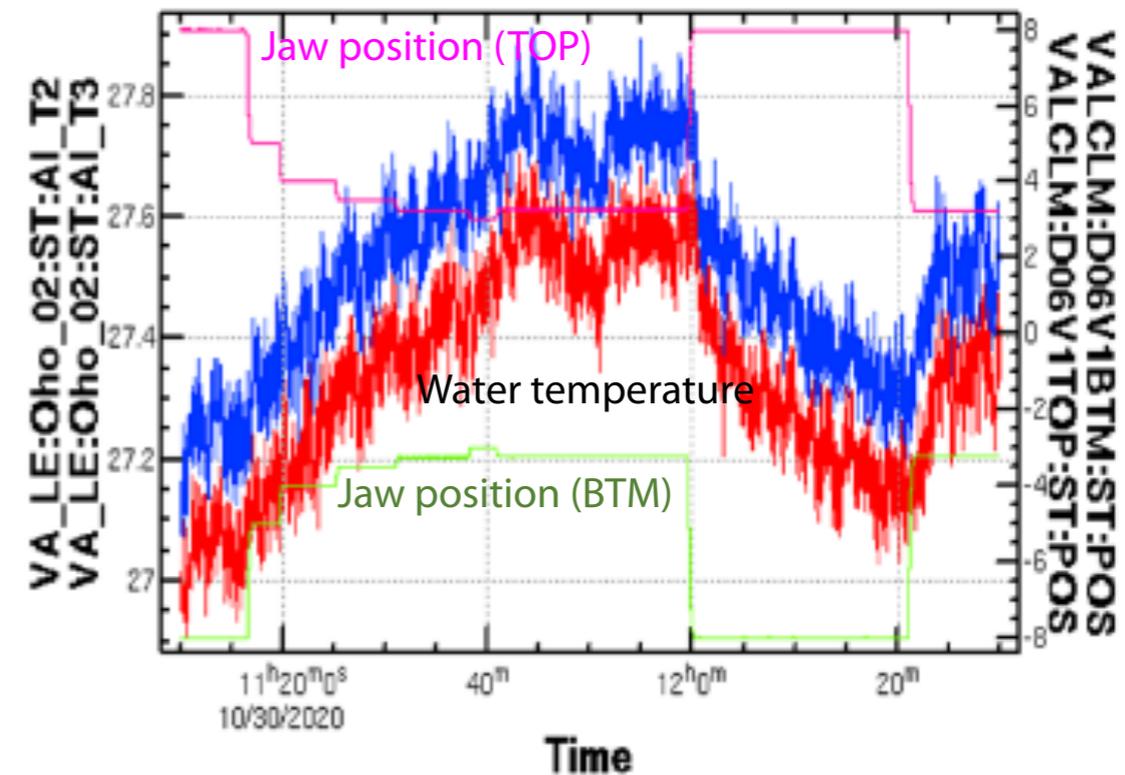
# HOM (higher-order mode) absorber

- Vacuum pressure bursts near the IP might be owing to HOM heating.
- A prototype HOM absorber chamber using SiC blocks was installed in LER near a beam collimator in 2020.
- Performed beam tests with the test chamber in Oct 2020
  - Cooling water temperature changes as synchronized with the collimator jaws' position. Further detailed study is ongoing.

HOM absorber chamber installed in the ring



Temperature of cooling water and jaw positions



# Beam diagnostics and control electronics

- For accelerator applications such as beam instability feedback and low-level RF control, a multi-GHz sampling RFSoc device will be a powerful tool to enable required very-high bandwidths and sampling rates.
- Evaluation test and R&D for accelerator (and detector) application are ongoing at SLAC.
  - Initial test at KEK started using the same RFSoc evaluation board as SLAC (Xilinx ZCU111).
  - Towards new bunch feedback system FPGA code developments started with a fixed frequency and then for a variable frequency.

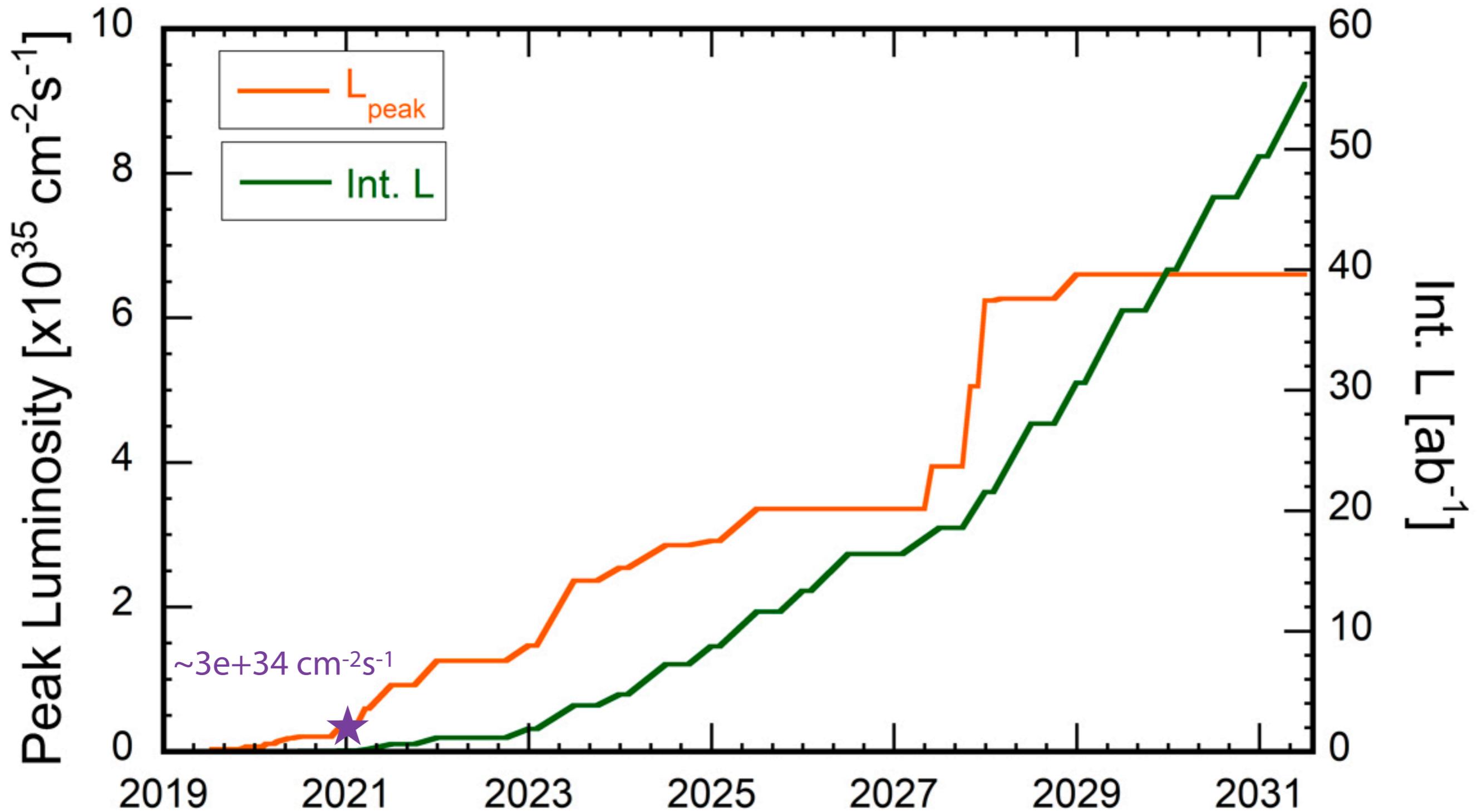


# Overall plans in FY2021-2023

- Commissioning of SuperKEKB
  - There would be no major issue due to COVID-19 for now.
  - Hope US researchers and engineers visit KEK to accelerate further!!
  - Theoretical study on impedance and beam dynamics are of importance.
- IP-orbit feedback system
  - Extension to horizontal and vertical simultaneous operation
- X-ray beam size monitor
  - Aim to complete the present detector systems and perform stable operation
  - Next challenge is to measure head-tail separate beam sizes
- Beam collimators and HOM absorber
  - Low impedance and “hard-to-break” collimators are urgent issue
- Bunch-by-bunch feedback and high-speed digital circuits
  - Develop the RFSoc-based feedback system synchronized with the RF freq.
  - Investigate possible luminosity degradation owing to noise in the feedback loop

**Stay tuned!!**

# Luminosity projection

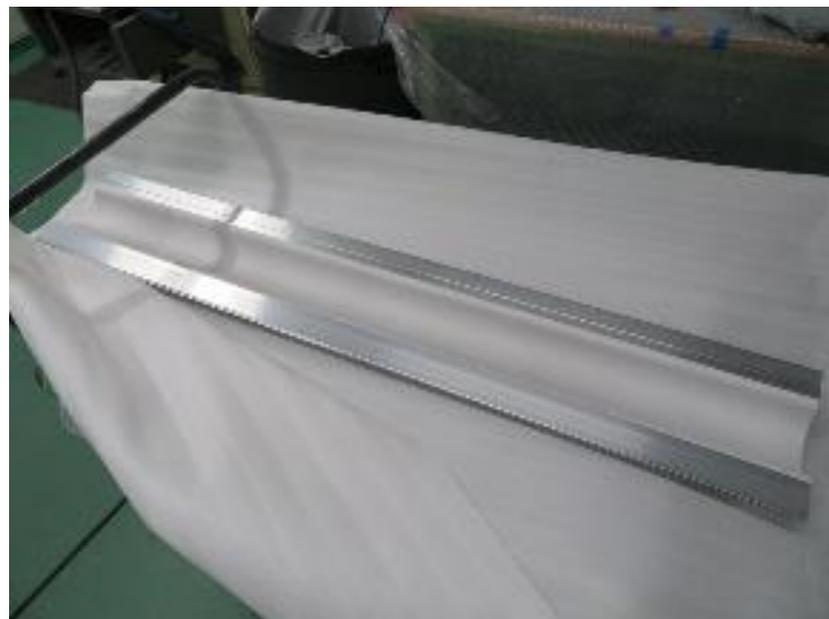


# Electron cloud effects

[M. L. Yao, PASJ2020, FRPP41]

- Investigating effects of rough surfaces on reducing the secondary electron yield (SEY)
  - Aluminum substrate coated with copper powder by thermal spraying showed low SEY. It is of importance to establish thermal spray conditions and beam-pipe production method.
  - Aluminum alloy beam pipe is under production now, where the inner surface was copper thermal spray coated.
- Beam pipe will be delivered soon and installed in LER in 2021 summer shutdown.
  - Electron cloud mitigation will be tested in the autumn run (a.k.a. 2021c).

Al beam pipe cut in half  
(pre thermal-spraying)



Thermal spraying



After coating with rough Cu film

