

**Study of Longitudinal Phase Space  
Distribution Measurement  
via a Linear Focal Cherenkov Ring Camera**

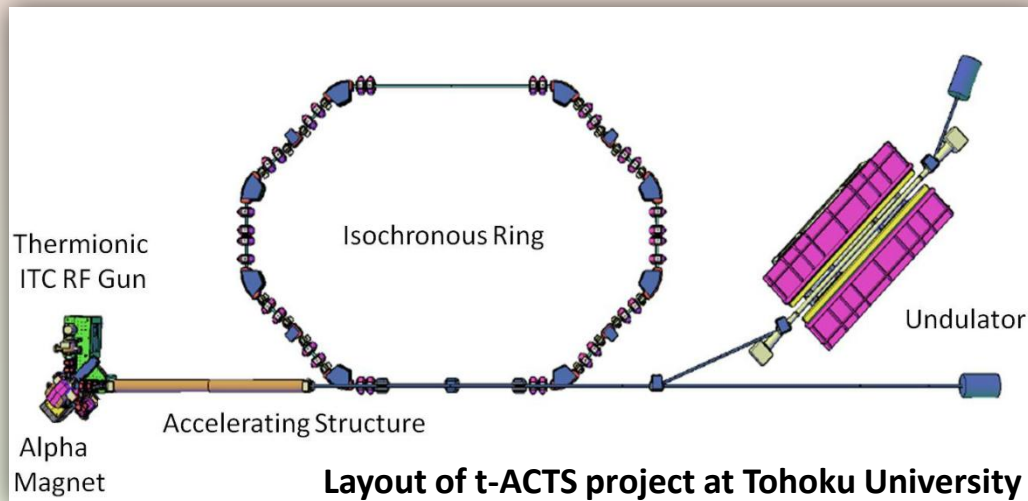
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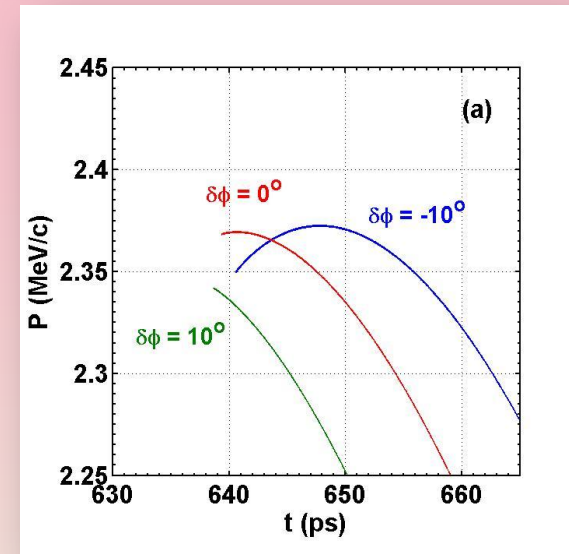
# Introduction

- A test accelerator for the coherent terahertz source (t-ACTS) at Tohoku University has been constructed
  - to generate intense coherent terahertz (THz) radiation from sub-picosecond electron bunches
  - an advanced independently tunable cells (ITC) thermionic RF gun consisting of two uncoupled cavities was proposed

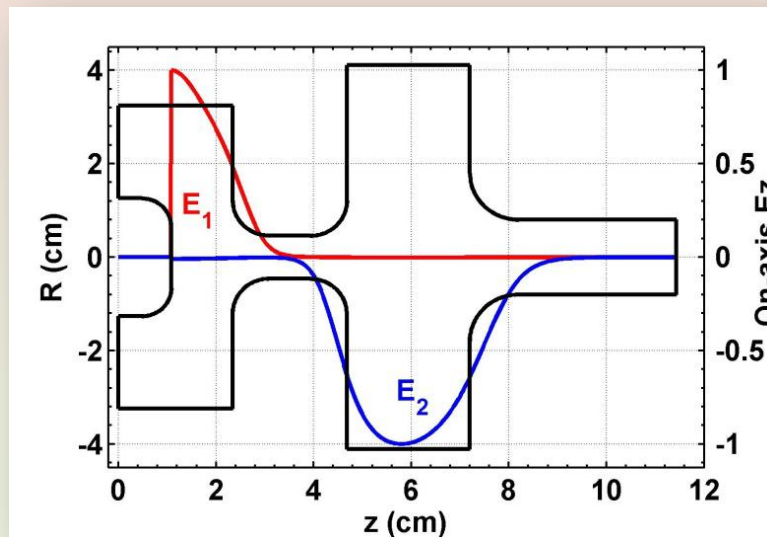


# Introduction

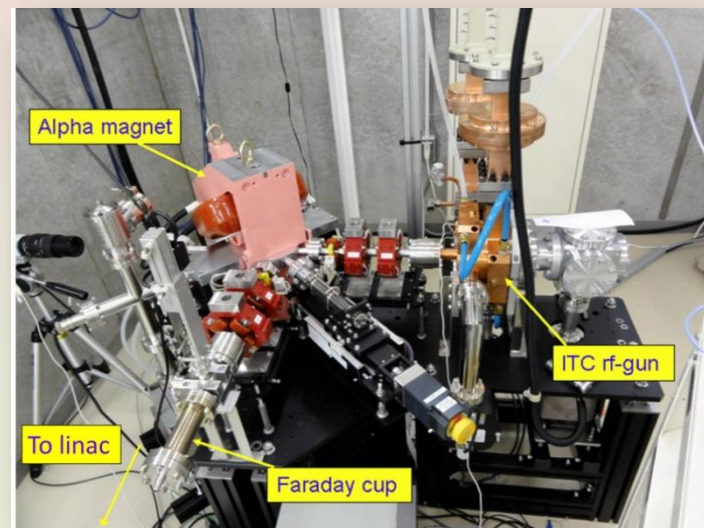
- electron beam will be introduced from the RF-gun into the bunch compression system
- To obtain extremely short electron bunch production
  - proper longitudinal phase space distribution by the ITC RF-gun adjusted relative RF phases and field strengths of the two cavities



longitudinal phase space (phase dependence)



Cross-section view of the ITC RF gun



Injector part for t-ACTS

# Cherenkov Radiation

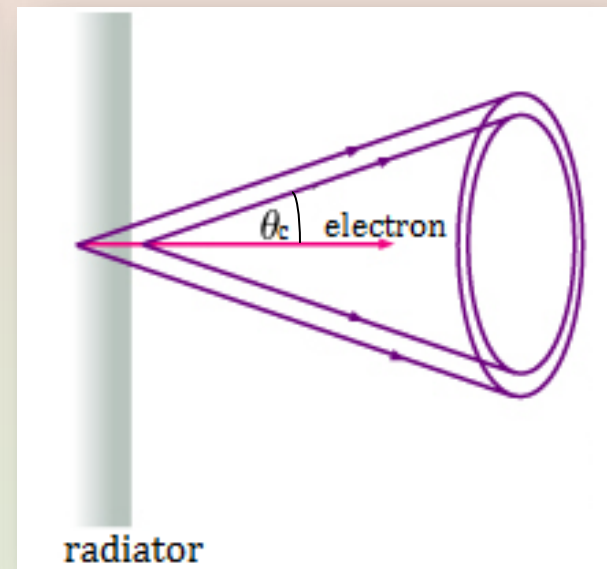
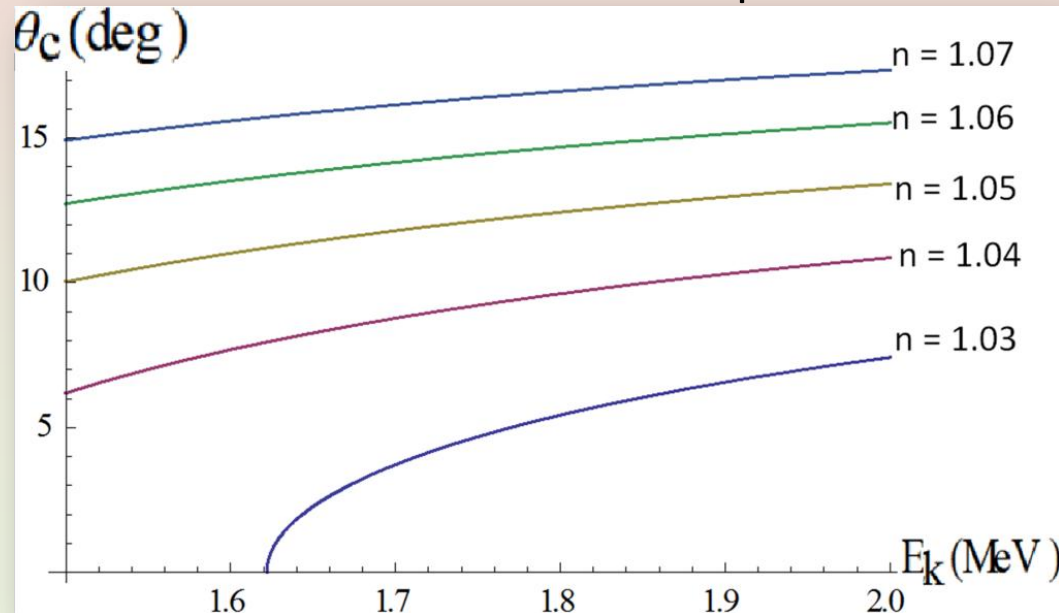
- one of diagnostic tools to measure electron energy  
(electron velocity corresponds to opening angle of Cherenkov light)

- **Cherenkov angle contains information of the particle energy**  $\beta > 1/n(\omega)$

$$\cos \theta_c = 1/n(\omega)\beta$$

- aerogel (refractive index  $n = 1.05$ ) = radiator
- number of the Cherenkov photons is enough to detect

$$N = 2\pi\alpha z \left( \frac{1}{\lambda_1} - \frac{1}{\lambda_2} \right) \sin^2 \theta_c$$



# Linear Focal Cherenkov Ring Camera

novel method for longitudinal phase space distribution measurement

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- $e^-$  with same Energy  $\rightarrow$  photon with same **Cherenkov** angle

2

- Special Mirror : “Turtle-back” mirror

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- **Focus** “same-**Cherenkov**-Angle photon” onto one certain Position
- “different-**Cherenkov**-Angle photon” gives **Linear** Position (focal line)

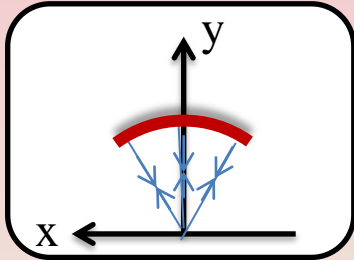
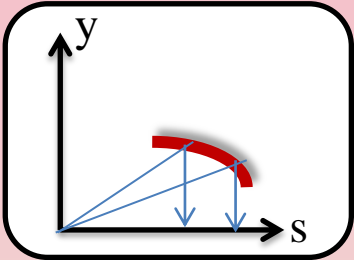
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- Streak **Camera**

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- directly observe longitudinal phase space distribution

# Special Mirror : “Turtle-back” mirror



• Parabolic curve : reflect the photons having the **same Cherenkov angle on a certain position**

• Spherical curve : designed for symmetry due to Cherenkov cone (**to focus** Cherenkov light on the beam axis)

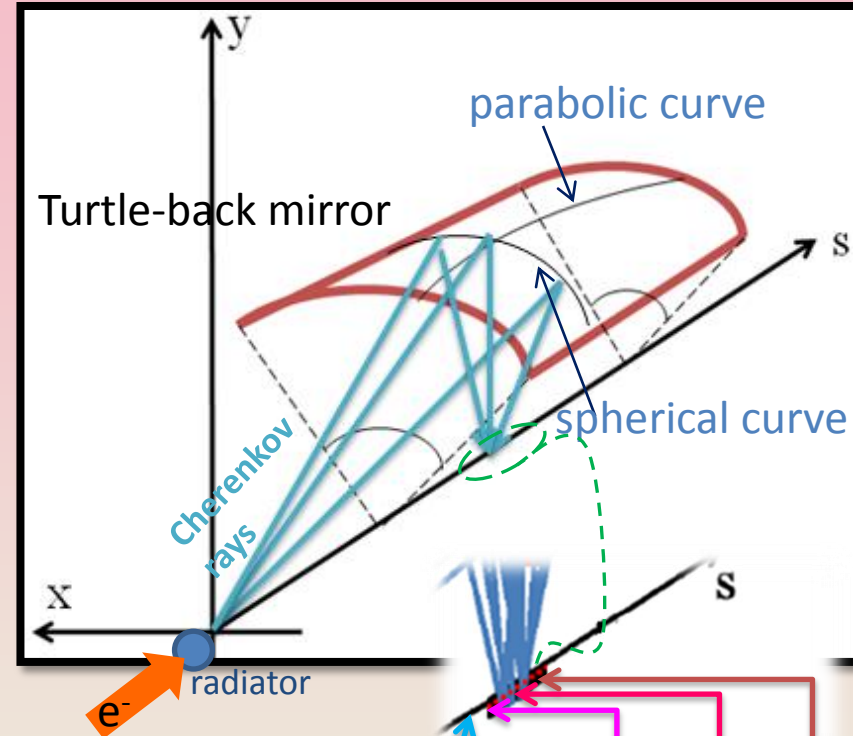
$$x^2 + y^2 - \left(-\frac{1}{2A}s^2 + \frac{A}{2}\right)^2 = 0$$

$A = 2x$ (focal length of parabolic curve)  
higher  $A \Rightarrow$  lower energy dependence

• Surface Equation:

e.g.  $A = 35$  cm;

mirror azimuthal size = 18 deg



$E+dE$     $E$     $E-dE$

focal position  
(corresponds to electron energy)

$$s_f(\beta) = An\beta \left( 1 - \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{1}{n\beta}\right)^2} \right)$$

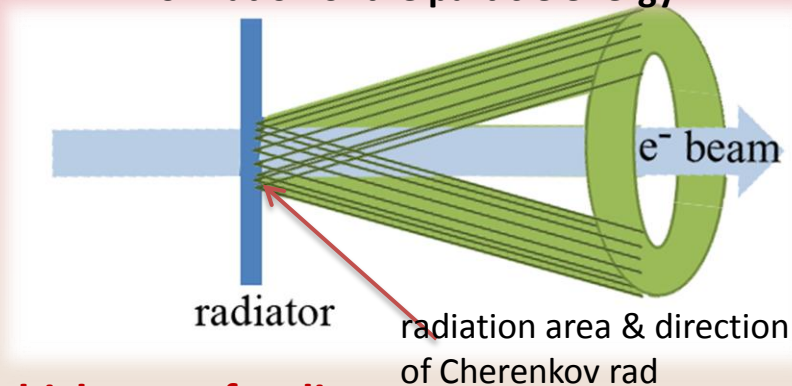


# Energy Resolution Factors

- **Transverse emittance**

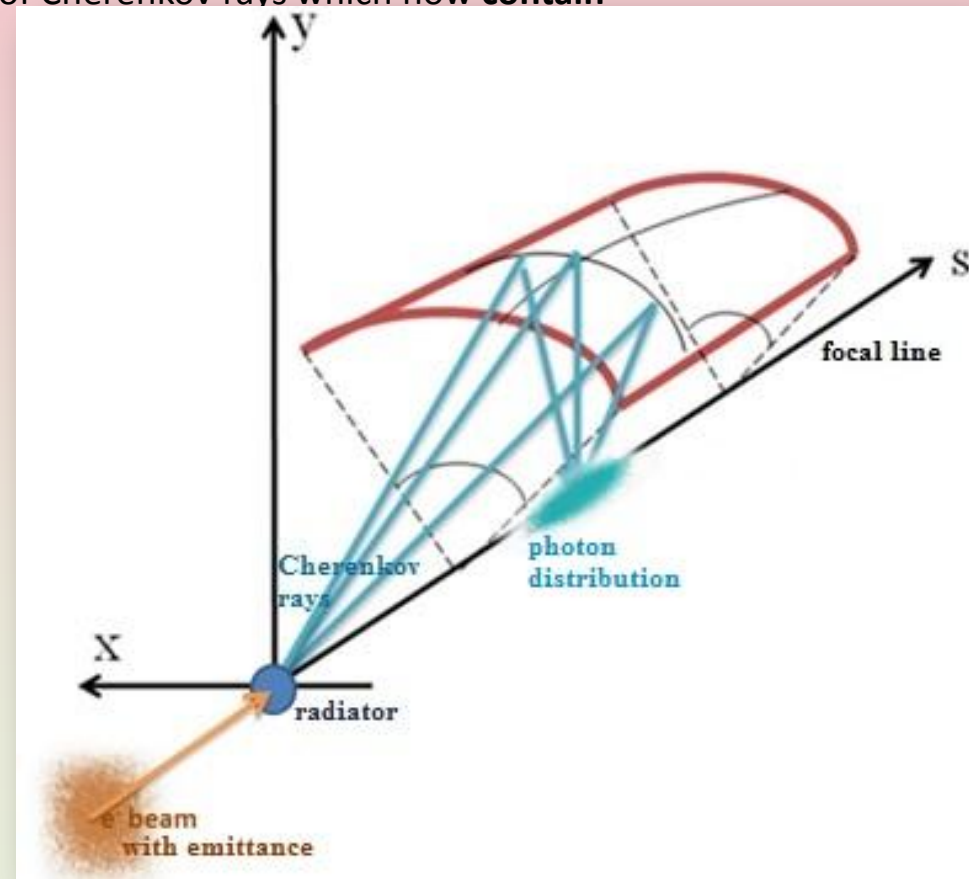
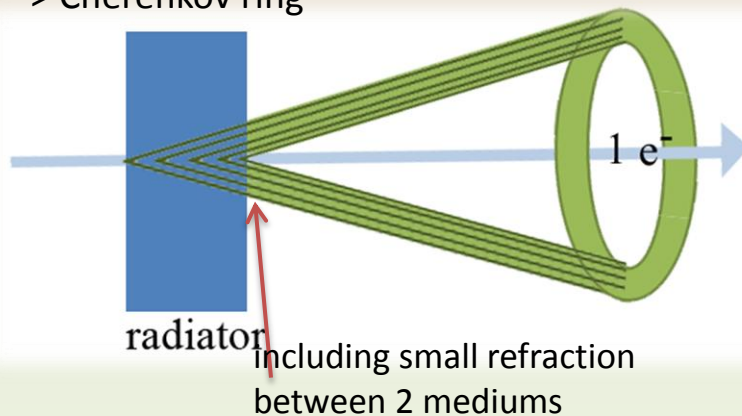
- Beam size  $\rightarrow$  radiation area  $\rightarrow$  Cherenkov ring
- “turtle-back” mirror **cannot** focus Cherenkov **Ring** from same energy of electron to one point
- Beam divergence  $\rightarrow$  change direction of Cherenkov rad.

Direction of each electron dictates direction of Cherenkov rays which now **contain information of the particle energy**



- **Thickness of radiator**

$\rightarrow$  Cherenkov ring





# Momentum and Time Resolution

- Momentum resolution

- defined as

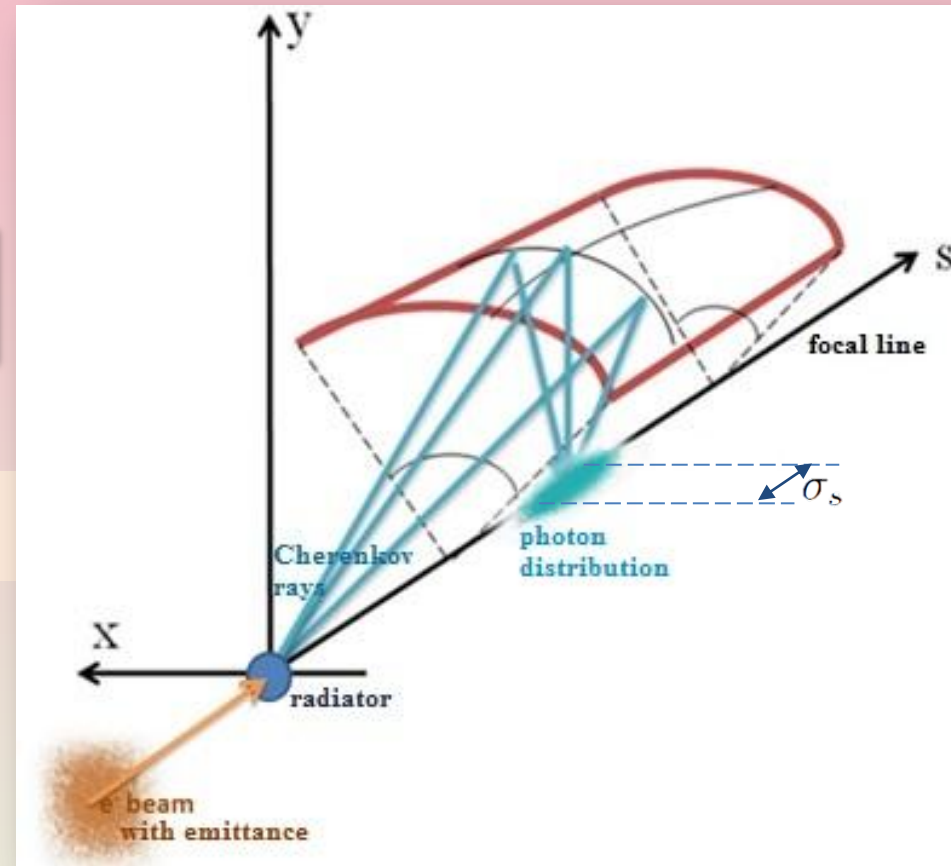
$$\sigma_s \left( \frac{dp}{ds_f} \right)$$

standard deviation of  
photon distribution in s direction

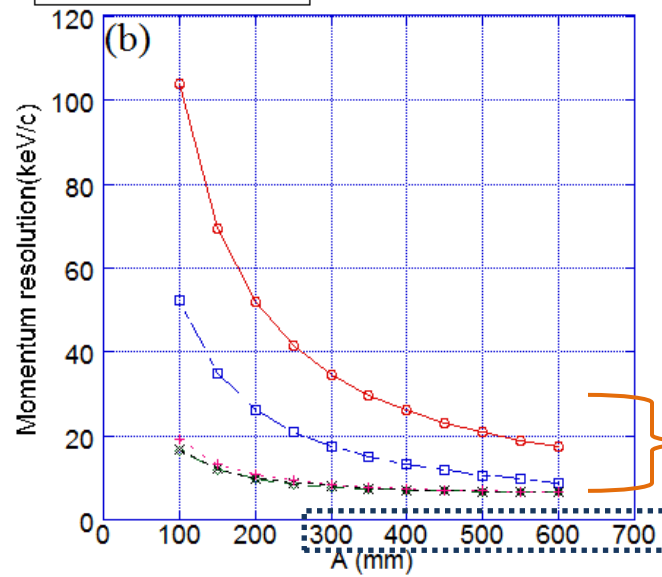
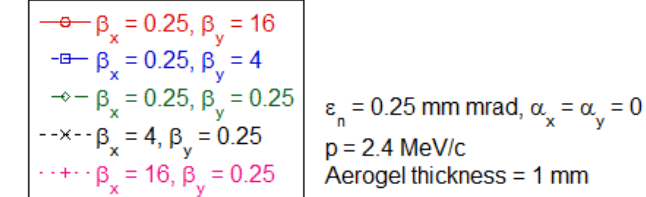
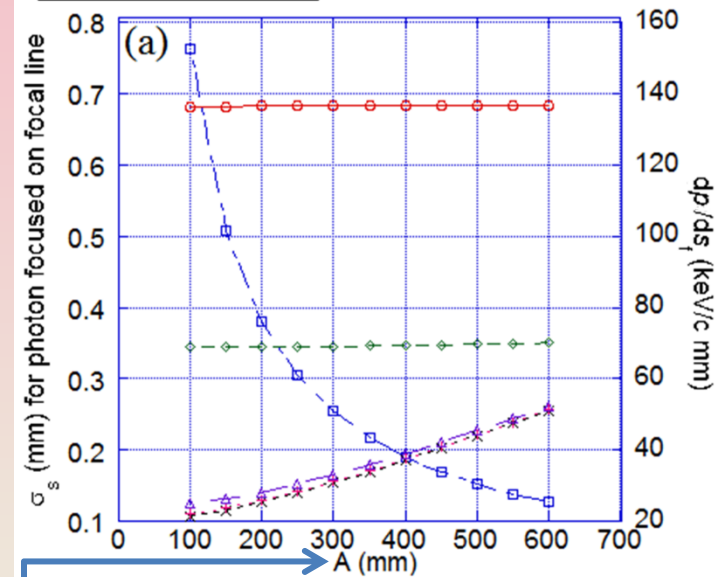
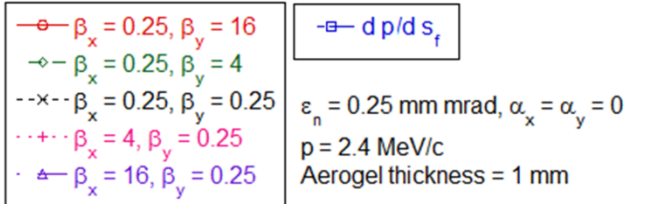
momentum dependence  
at focal position

- Time resolution

- defined as the standard deviation of the arrival time of Cherenkov rays



# A Dependence of Momentum Resolution



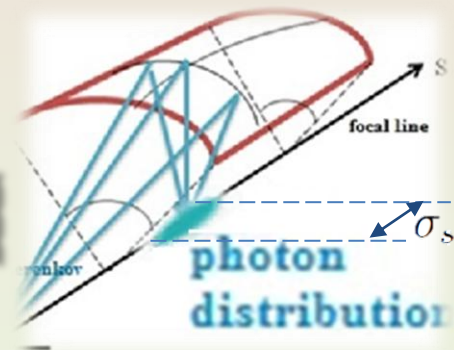
- (time resolution is nearly constant for different  $A$ )

momentum resolution is about 10-40 keV/c

- momentum resolution is getting better, due to higher  $A$  (bigger mirror)
- proper beam focusing (proper twiss parameter beta) can enhance momentum resolution

turtle-back mirror's parameter  $A$

$$x^2 + y^2 - \left(-\frac{1}{2A}s^2 + \frac{A}{2}\right)^2 = 0$$

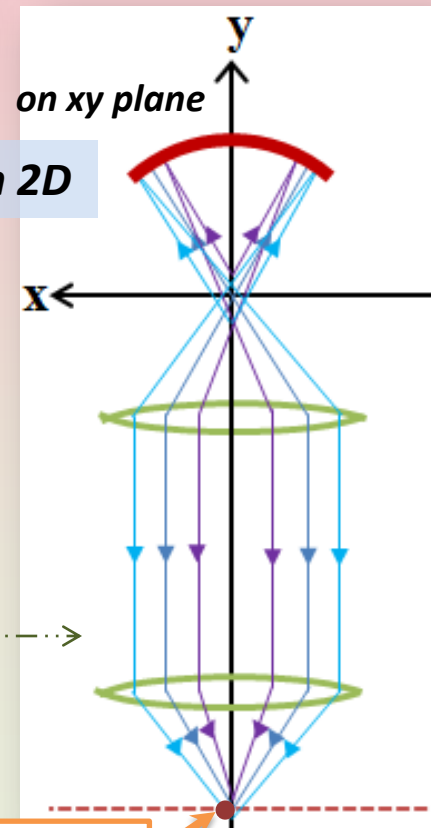
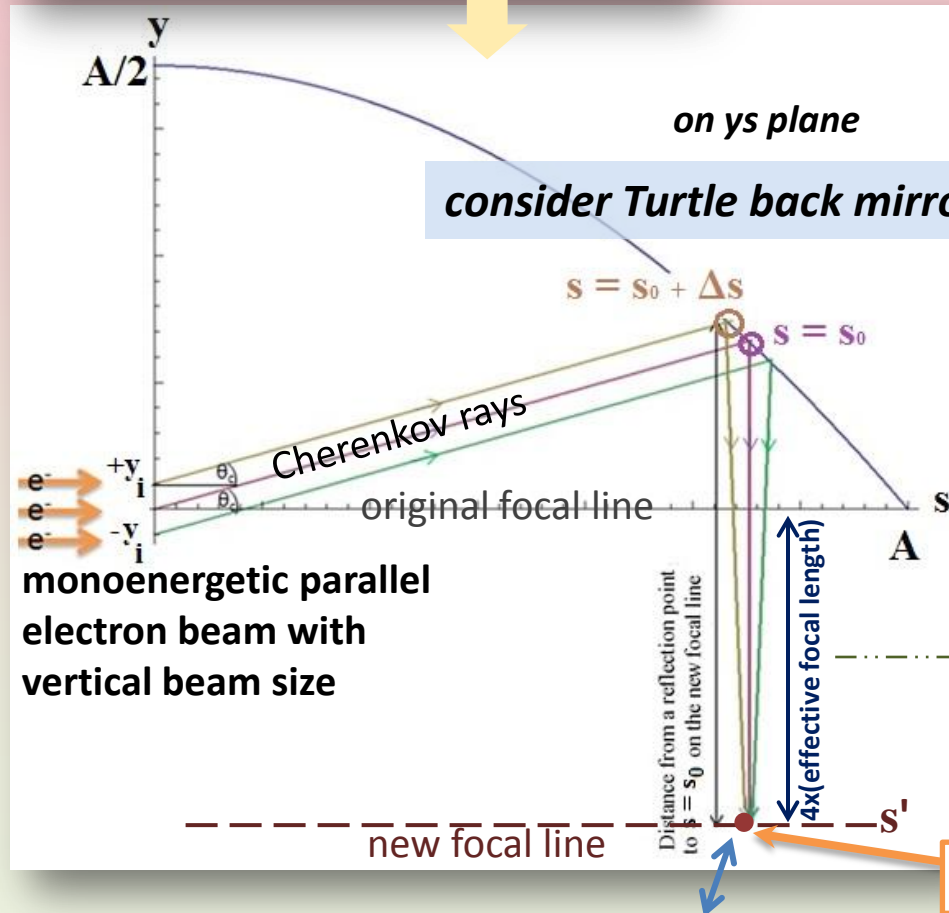
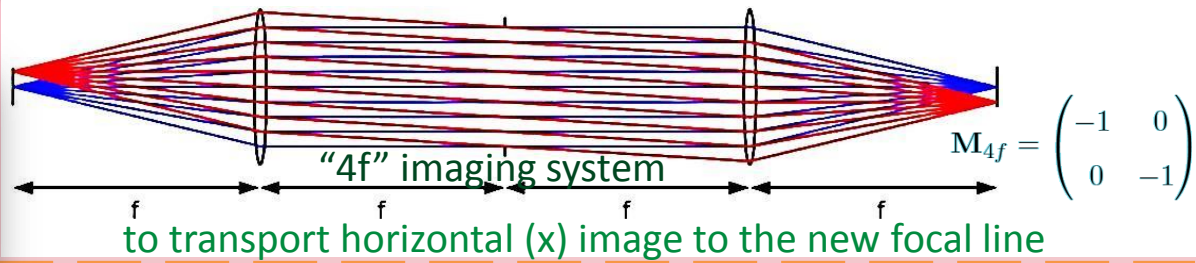


# Energy Resolution Enhancement

$$\Delta s \approx -y_i / \sqrt{\tan^2 \theta_c + 1} \quad \text{for } y_i \ll f = A/2,$$

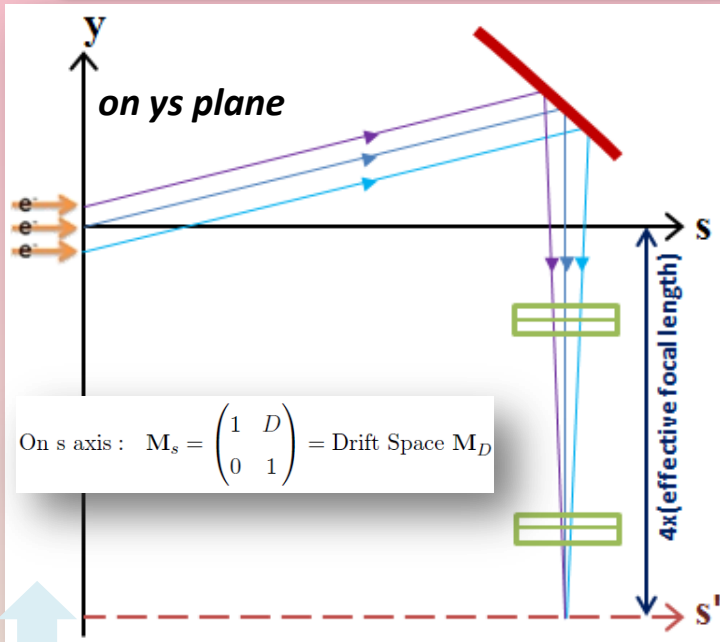
$$\tan \theta_s = s' = \frac{ds}{dy} = \frac{1 - 4(s_0 + \Delta s) \left( \frac{2(s_0 + \Delta s) + 4f \tan \theta_c}{4(s_0 + \Delta s)^2 + 16f^2} \right)}{\tan \theta_c - 8f \left( \frac{2(s_0 + \Delta s) + 4f \tan \theta_c}{4(s_0 + \Delta s)^2 + 16f^2} \right)},$$

distance from a reflection point to  $s = s_0$  on the new focal line =  $\frac{\Delta s}{s'}$

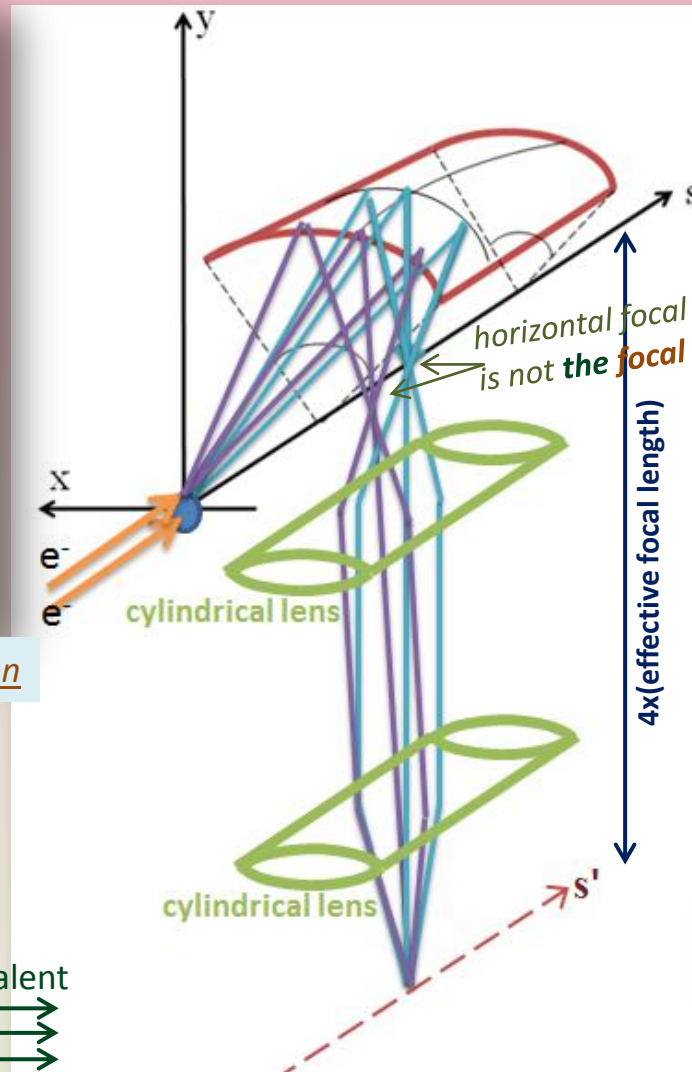
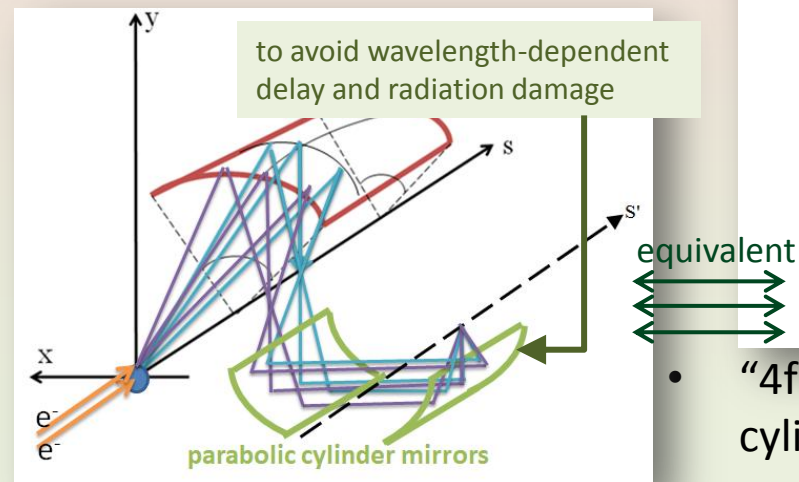


practically smaller photon distribution in  $s$  direction, or better energy resolution

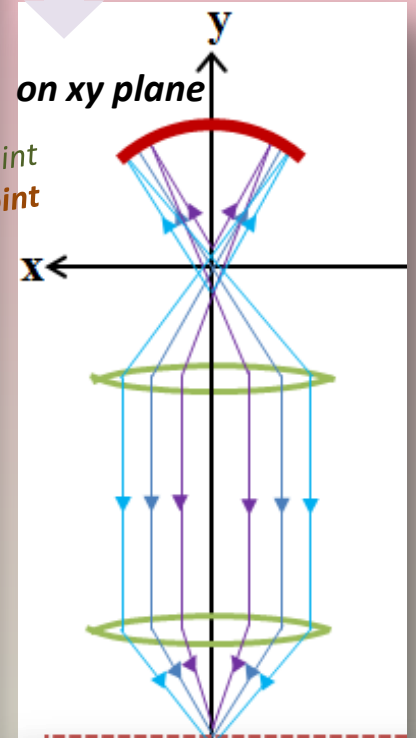
# Energy Resolution Enhancement



allow turtle-back mirror's focusing in s-direction



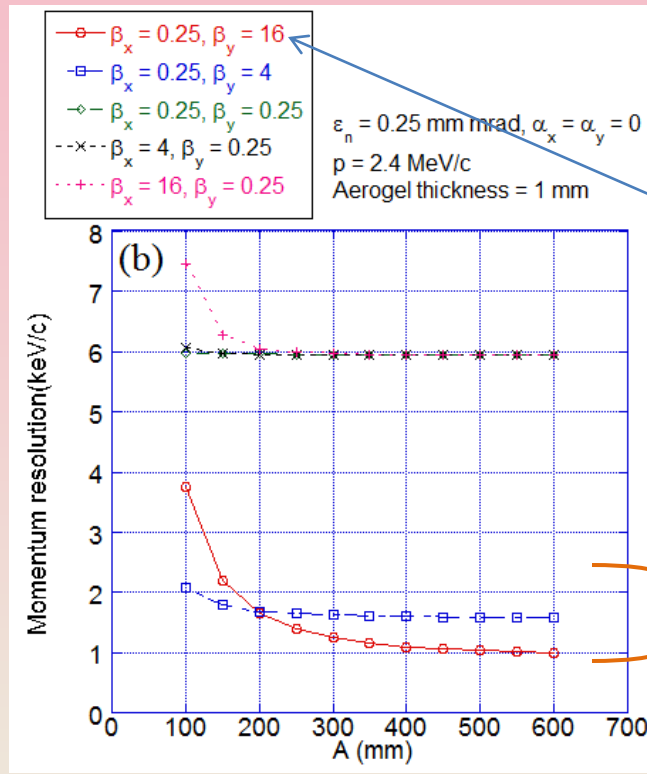
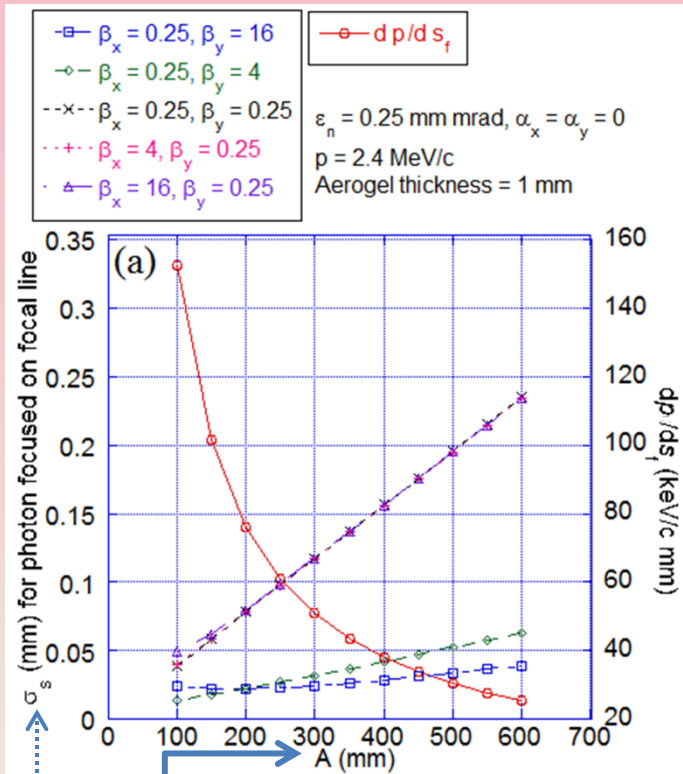
transport horizontal image to the new focal line



On x axis :  $M_x = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = M_{4f}$

- “4f” imaging system consisted of 2 off-axis parabolic cylinder mirrors can be used to enhance energy resolution

# A Dependence of Momentum Resolution

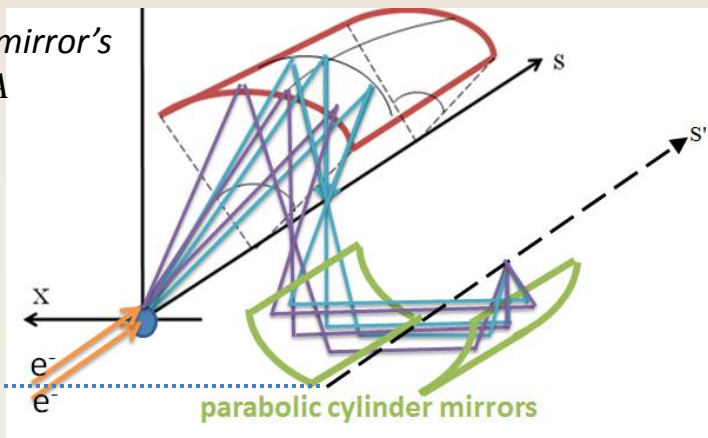


- (time resolution is nearly constant for different  $A$ )
- enhancement by off-axis parabolic cylinder mirrors requires small beam divergence  $y'$

momentum resolution is about 1-3 keV/c

turtle-back mirror's parameter  $A$

photon distribution at new focal line  $s'$



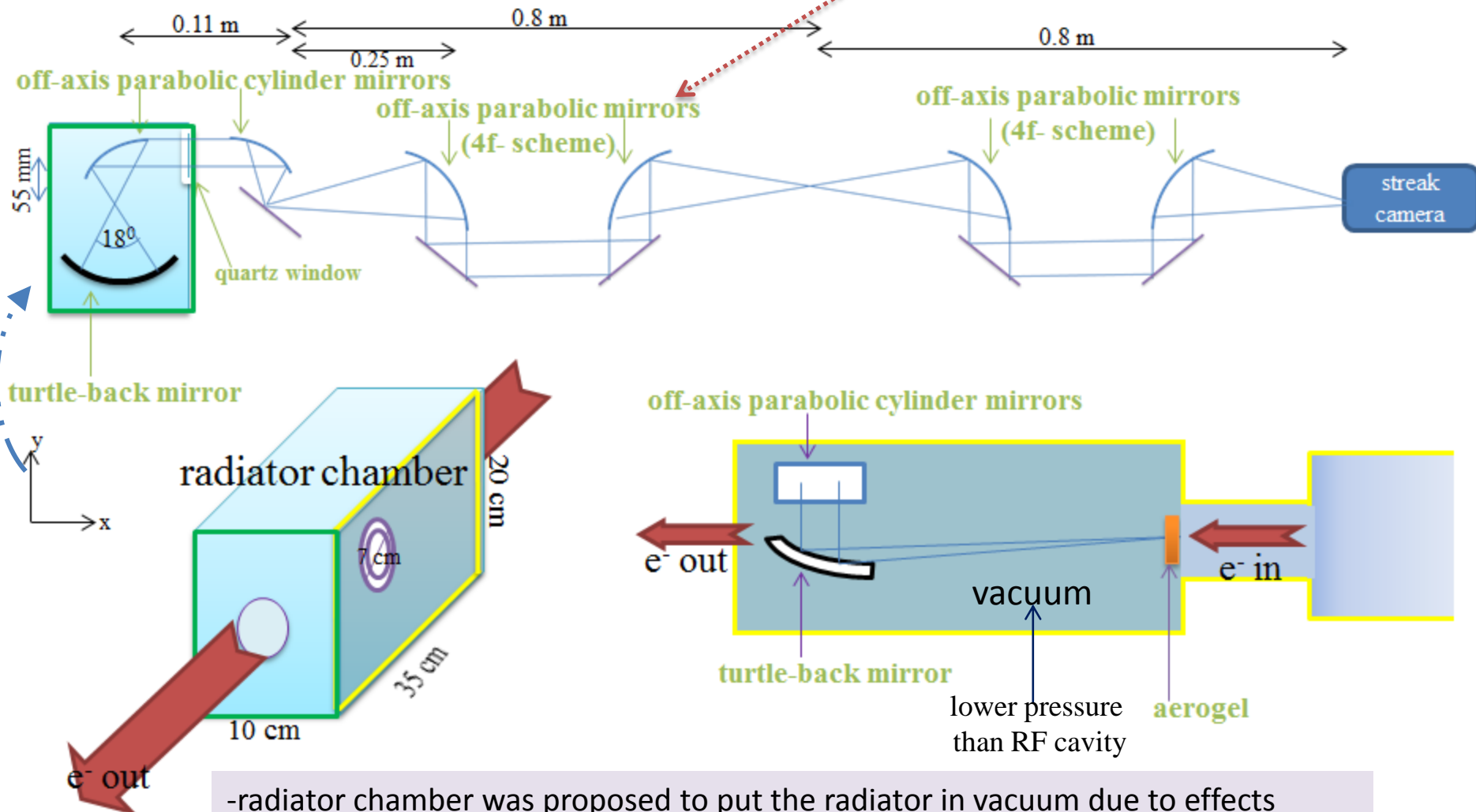
enhanced by  
off-axis  
parabolic  
cylinder mirrors

effective focal length  
 $f_{OAPC} = 0.1571A$



# Proposed Experimental Setup

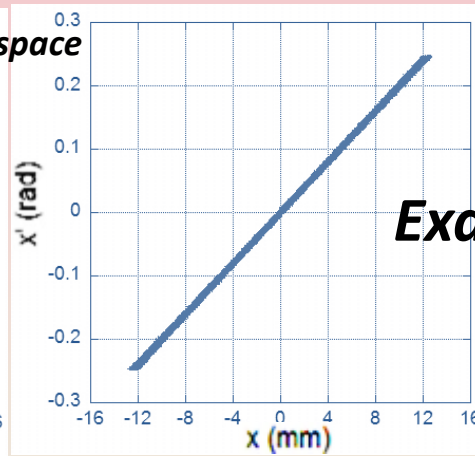
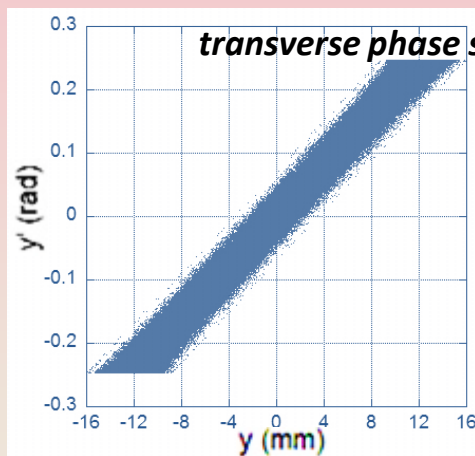
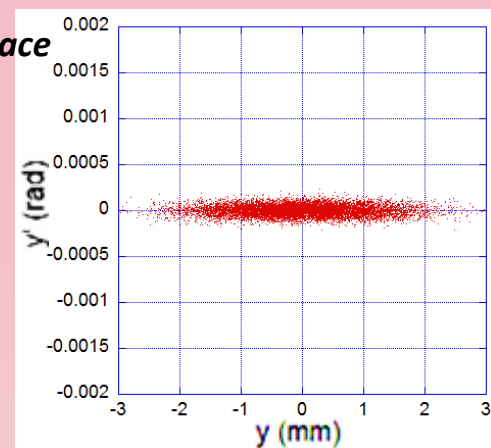
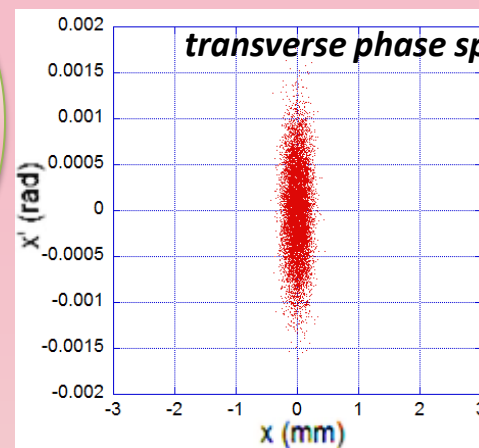
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K. Rosbach et al. Reactive optical system for time-resolved  
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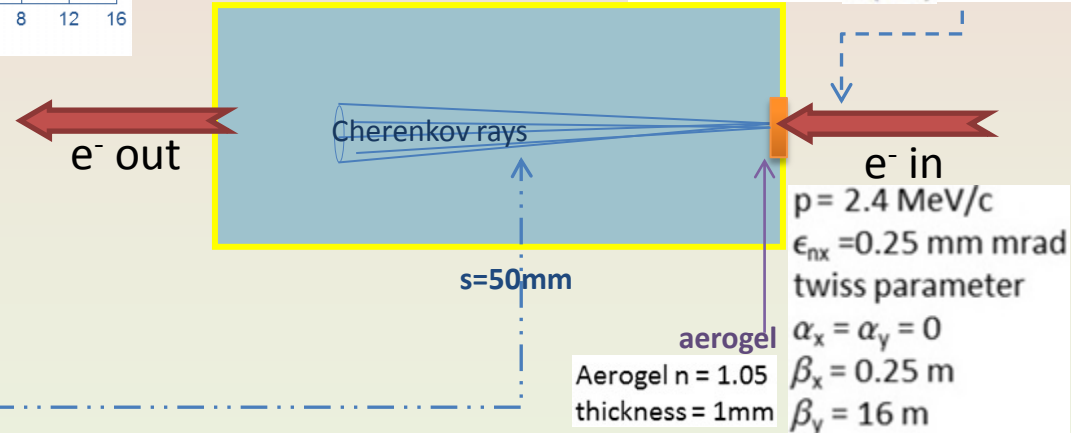
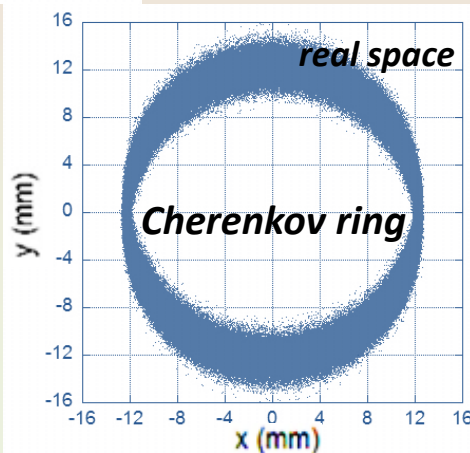
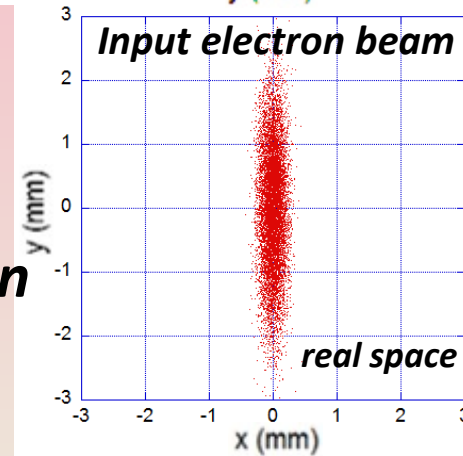
- radiator chamber was proposed to put the radiator in vacuum due to effects of multiple scatterings of electrons when extracted through beam window
- OAPC mirror used to transport light to outside of vacuum through quartz window

# Generating Cherenkov Rays

The experimental setup with reflective optics is examined by numerical ray tracing.



*Example of Calculation*





# Ray Tracing Results

$p = 2.4 \text{ MeV/c}$   
 $\epsilon_{nx} = 0.25 \text{ mm mrad}$   
 twiss parameter  
 $\alpha_x = \alpha_y = 0$   
 $\beta_x = 0.25 \text{ m}$   
 $\beta_y = 16 \text{ m}$

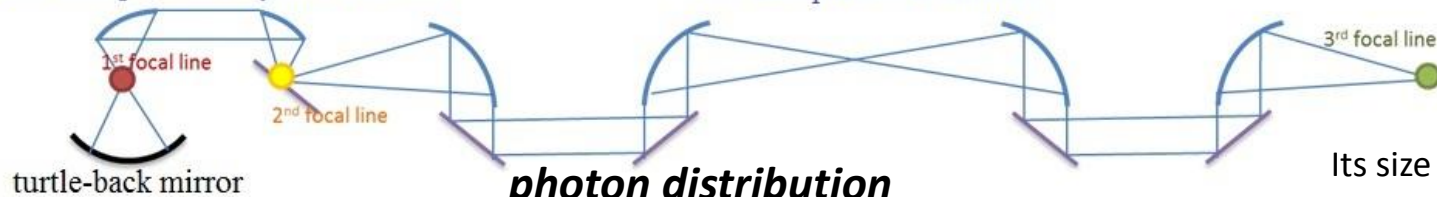
Aerogel  $n = 1.05$   
 thickness = 1 mm

center of parabolic  
 mirror can be set  
 by matching  
 $p = 2.35 \text{ MeV/c}$

$p = 2.294 - 2.412 \text{ MeV/c}$   
 can be observed at once  
 (3mm steak camera entrance)

2 off-axis parabolic cylinder mirrors

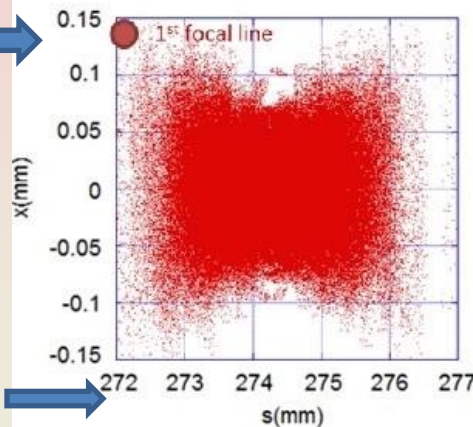
4 off-axis parabolic mirrors



**photon distribution**

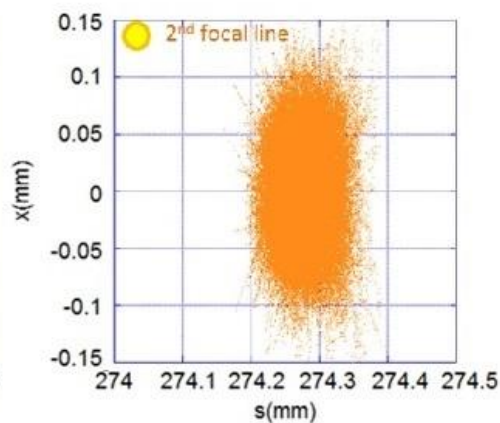
Its size is proportional  
to energy resolution  
by energy dependence

Detector screen

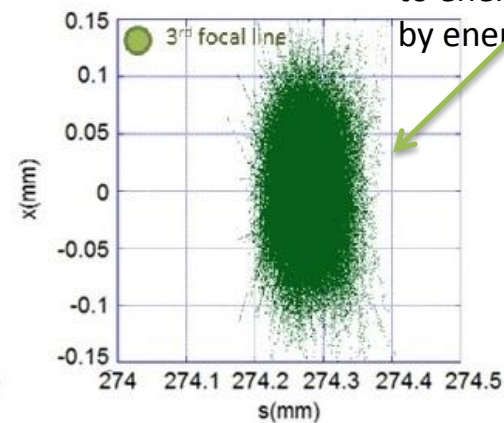


focal line

mean_x (mm)	+0.0001
mean_s (mm)	274.2690
$\sigma_x$ (mm)	0.0340
$\sigma_s$ (mm)	0.6829
p resolution(keV/c)	29.72
mean_time (ps)	1169.252
$\sigma_{\text{arrival time}}$ (ps)	0.7406



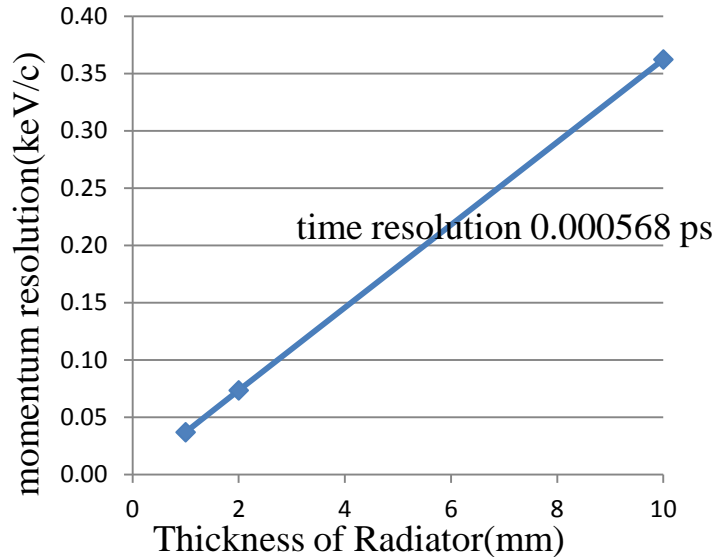
mean_x (mm)	+0.0001
mean_s (mm)	274.2750
$\sigma_x$ (mm)	0.0358
$\sigma_s$ (mm)	0.0241
p resolution(keV/c)	1.049
mean_time (ps)	1910.431
$\sigma_{\text{arrival time}}$ (ps)	0.7420



mean_x (mm)	+0.0001
mean_s (mm)	274.27500
$\sigma_x$ (mm)	0.0361
$\sigma_s$ (mm)	0.0241
p resolution(keV/c)	1.049
mean_time (ps)	8583.384
$\sigma_{\text{arrival time}}$ (ps)	0.7423

seems satisfied

# Ray Tracing Results

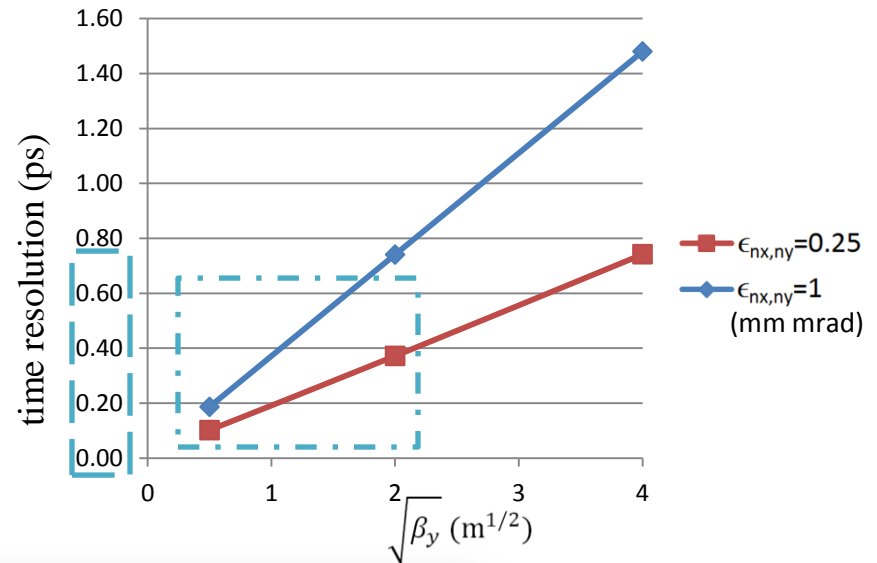
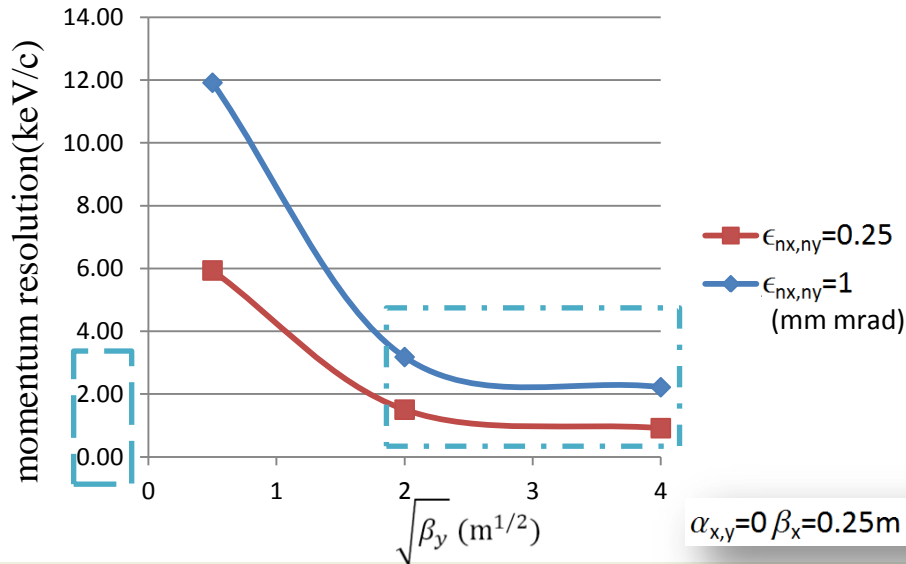


wavelength-dependence delay(552.225-557.775nm)  
 1%bandwidth of 555nm  
 ○ momentum resolution 0.019 keV/c  
 ○ time resolution 0.0014 ps  
 thickness of radiator

small  
effect

y-emittance mainly gives significant resolution

- smaller beam divergence ( $y'$ )
  - degrades time resolution
  - better momentum resolution



$\alpha_{x,y}=0$   $\beta_x=0.25$ m  $\lambda$ 1%bandwidth of 555nm aerogel1mm

# Discussion

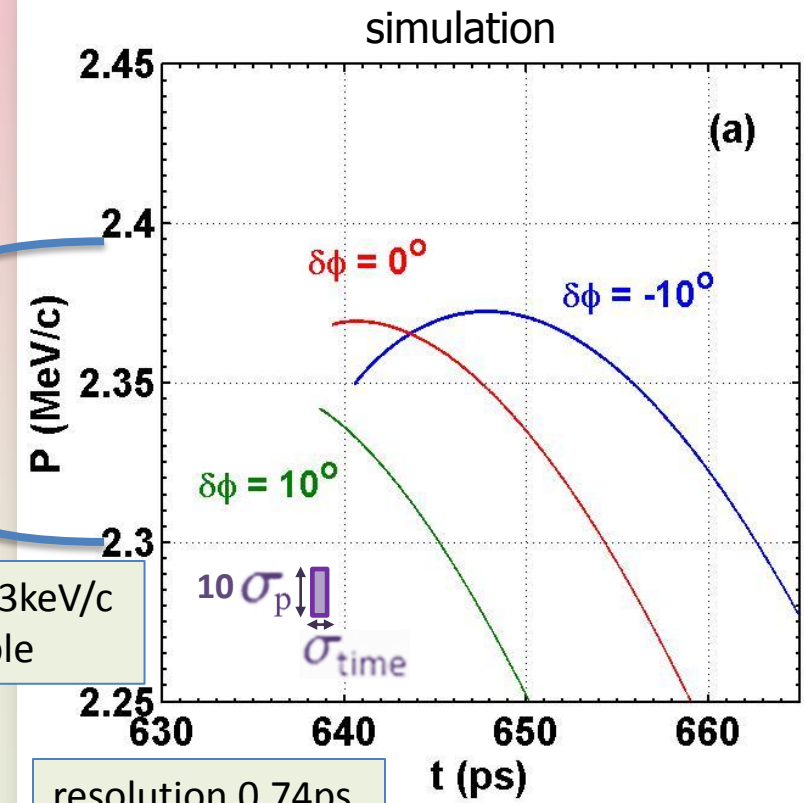
- with the example setup
- for normalized emittance of 1 mm mrad with selected twiss parameters

Range in one shot

- Sufficient momentum & time resolutions were derived

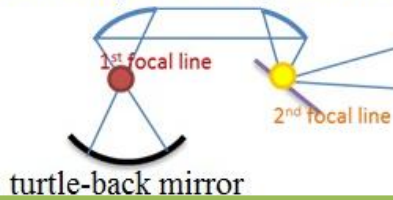
resolution 3keV/c  
is acceptable

resolution 0.74ps  
is acceptable



# Effects of Simple Misalignment

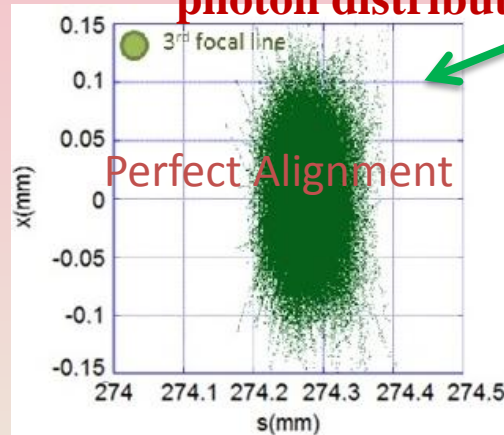
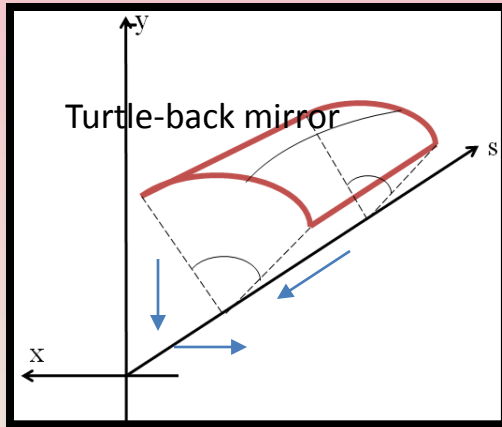
2 off-axis parabolic cylinder mirrors



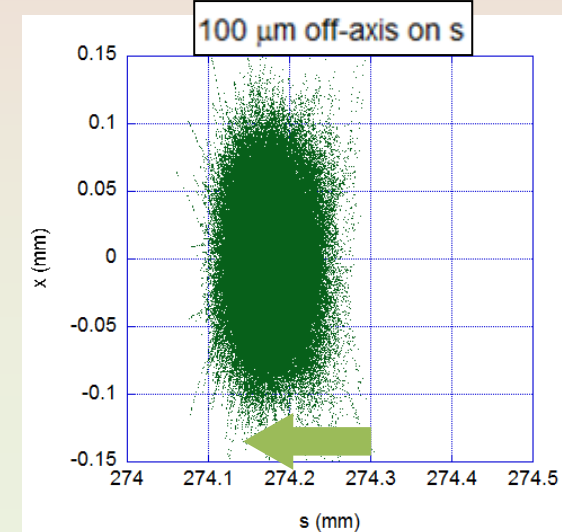
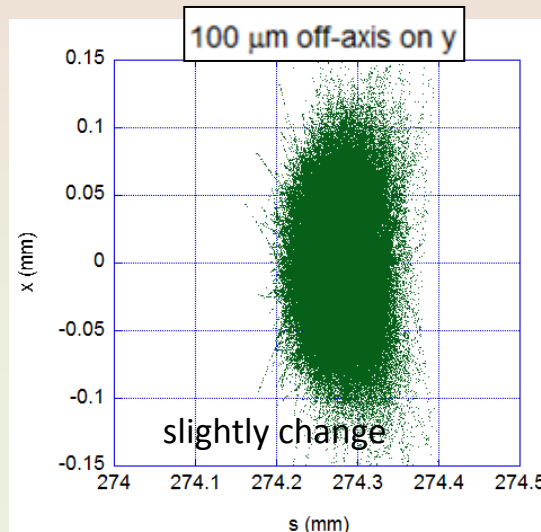
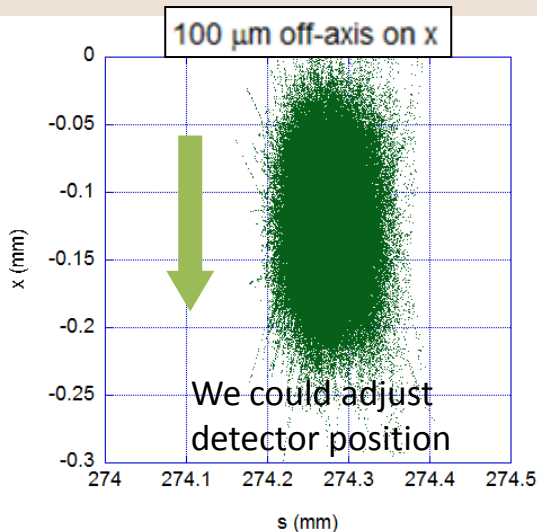
4 off-axis parabolic mirrors



photon distribution on detector screen



off-axis on x and y  
: won't become a problem  
off-axis on s  
: give error in energy measurement  
(position on focal line  $\leftrightarrow$  energy)



# Conclusion

- Longitudinal phase space distribution measurement via a linear focal Cherenkov ring camera has been studied
- The “4f” imaging system consisted of two off-axis parabolic cylinder mirrors can transport the Cherenkov light to outside of the vacuum system through a quartz window and enhance energy resolution of the system
- Numerical ray tracing
  - optimize the optical elements’ parameters and configuration
  - Sufficient energy (*or* momentum) and time resolutions were derived

Thank you for your kind attention

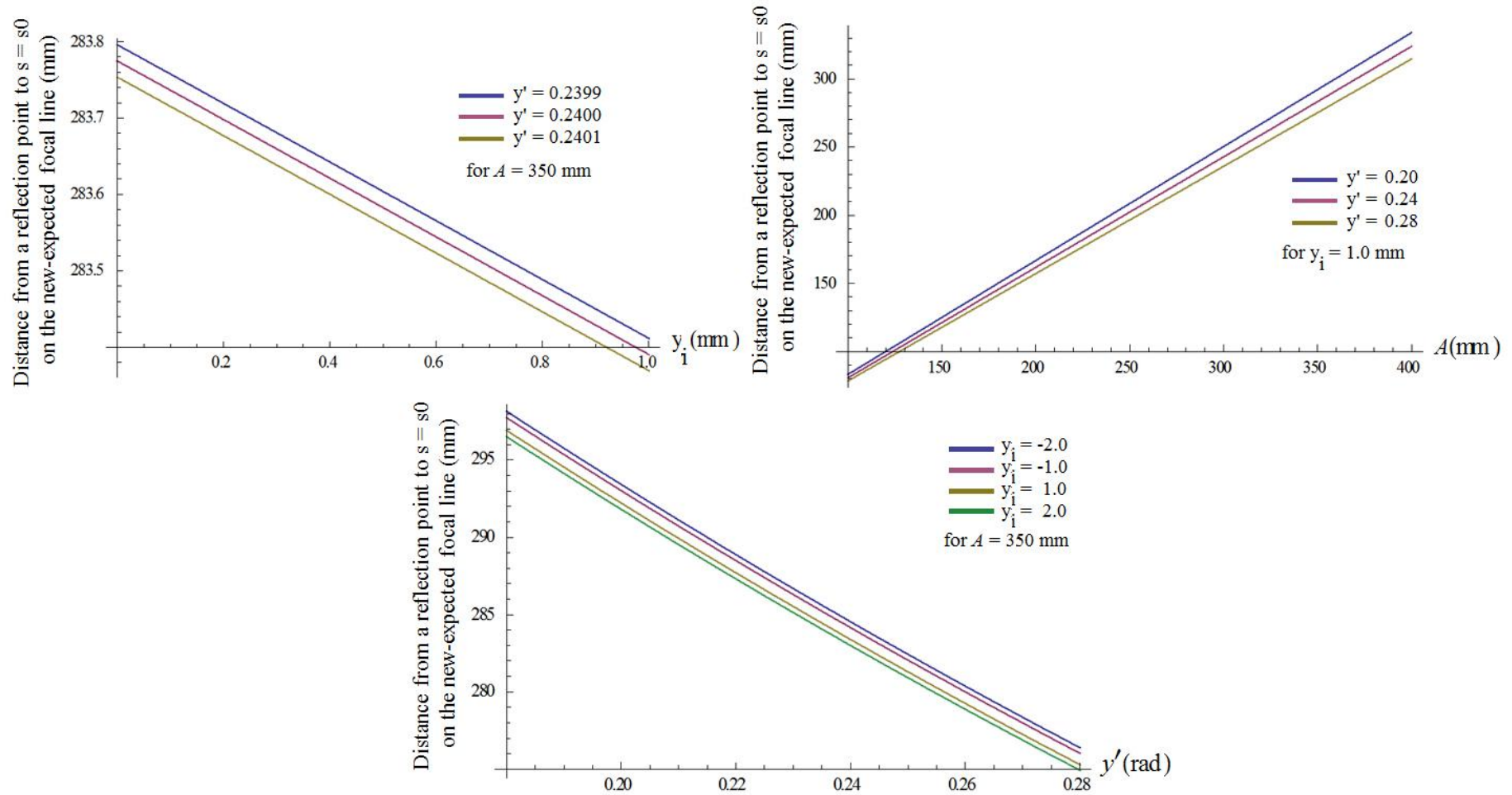
# Back up : Number of Photon

$$N = 2\pi\alpha z \left( \frac{1}{\lambda_1} - \frac{1}{\lambda_2} \right) \sin^2 \theta_c$$

- number of the Cherenkov photons is enough to detect
- Example ( $N = 5$  million)
  - At t-ACTS
    - electron momentum extracted from ITC-RF gun 2.3 MeV/c with energy spread of about 2%
  - Cherenkov radiator = aerogel
    - refractive index  $n = 1.05$ , thickness = 1.0 mm
    - by 20 pC bunch (in micro-pulse) ,  $p=2.3\text{MeV}/c$
    - 1% bandwidth of a wavelength around 555 nm
      - ignore frequency dependence in refractive index

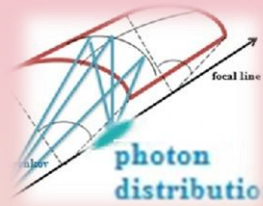


# Back up : Energy Resolution Enhancement

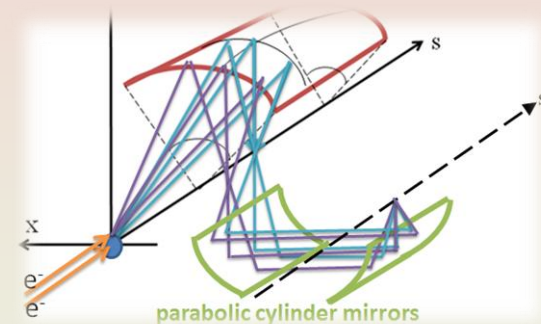
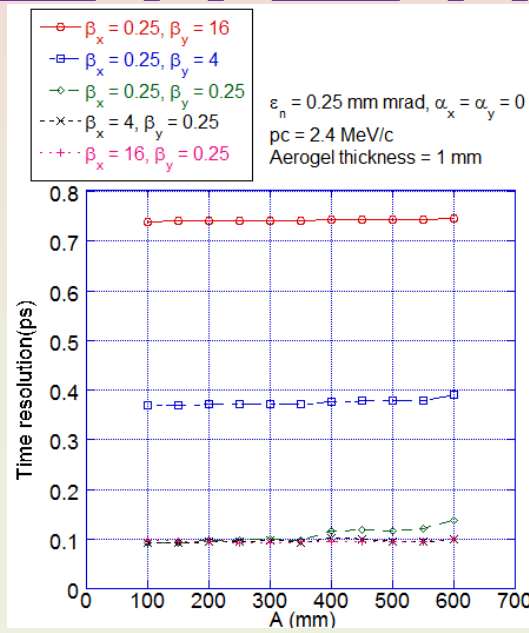
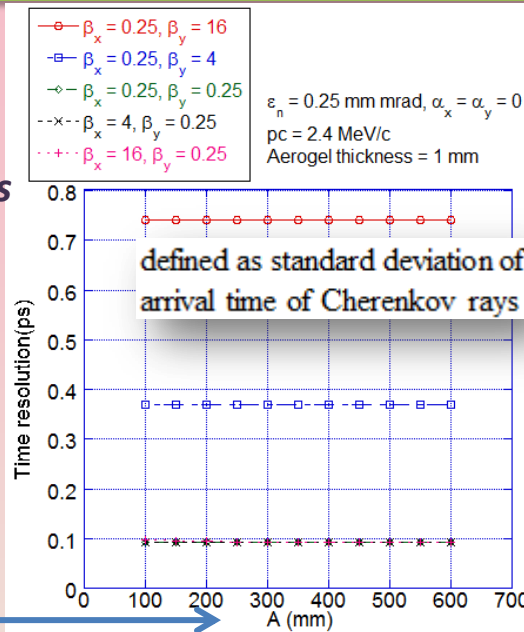


# Back up : Calculation Results

*not enhanced  
by off-axis  
parabolic  
cylinder mirrors*



turtle-back mirror's  
parameter A



*enhanced by  
off-axis  
parabolic  
cylinder mirrors*

effective focal length  
 $f_{OAPC} = 0.1571A$

# Back up: Calculation Results

y-emittance mainly gives significant resolution

electron which hits the radiator at  $(x, y) = (0, 0)$

**Time Resolution (ps)** **Momentum Resolution(keV/c)**

defined as standard deviation of arrival time of Cherenkov rays

defined as  $\sigma_s(\frac{dpc}{ds_f})$

case	Time Resolution (ps)			Momentum Resolution(keV/c)		
	1st	2nd	3rd	1st	2nd	3rd
1 ref e <sup>-</sup> +wavelength $\lambda(552.225-557.775)$ 1%bandwidth of 555nm	0.0000000	0.0010273	0.0013551	0.0634745	0.0634745	0.0190349
2 ref e <sup>-</sup> +radiator thickness 1.0 mm aerogel n=1.05	0.0000176	0.0000003	0.0005687	2.1712830	0.0369714	0.0368971
3 ref e <sup>-</sup> +radiator thickness 2.0 mm aerogel n=1.05	0.0000705	0.0000012	0.0005687	4.3427108	0.0734926	0.0734262
4 ref e <sup>-</sup> +radiator thickness 10.0 mm aerogel n=1.05	0.0017629	0.0000304	0.0005683	21.7191306	0.3623170	0.3622650
5 $\epsilon_{rx}=0 \epsilon_{ny}=0.25 \alpha_y=0 \beta_y=0.25m$	0.0925872	0.2667220	0.2674871	7.0184796	5.9360204	5.9360207
6 $\epsilon_{rx}=0 \epsilon_{ny}=0.25 \alpha_y=0 \beta_y=4m$	0.3702555	0.3935371	0.3941017	14.8886487	1.5027685	1.5027639
7 $\epsilon_{rx}=0 \epsilon_{ny}=0.25 \alpha_y=0 \beta_y=16m$	0.7405188	0.7463854	0.7467152	29.6208227	0.9133822	0.9133238
8 $\epsilon_{rx}=0 \epsilon_{ny}=0.25 \alpha_y=0 \beta_y=0.25m$ 1%bandwidth of 555nm aerogel 1mm	0.0925796	0.2580870	0.2588675	7.3443100	5.9364653	5.9364650
9 $\epsilon_{rx}=0 \epsilon_{ny}=0.25 \alpha_y=0 \beta_y=4m$ 1%bandwidth of 555nm aerogel 1mm	0.3702333	0.3920253	0.3925992	15.0520362	1.5032021	1.5031899
10 $\epsilon_{rx}=0 \epsilon_{ny}=0.25 \alpha_y=0 \beta_y=16m$ 1%bandwidth of 555nm aerogel 1mm	0.7404706	0.7463548	0.7466844	29.7072245	0.9134193	0.9133747
11 $\epsilon_{rx,ny}=0.25 \alpha_{x,y}=0 \beta_x=0.25m \beta_y=0.25m$ 1%bandwidth of 555nm aerogel 1mm	0.0925860	0.0998227	0.1019871	7.3690126	5.9583790	5.9583775
12 $\epsilon_{rx,ny}=0.25 \alpha_{x,y}=0 \beta_x=0.25m \beta_y=4m$ 1%bandwidth of 555nm aerogel 1mm	0.3702872	0.3715214	0.3721355	15.0668293	1.5887432	1.5887368
13 $\epsilon_{rx,ny}=0.25 \alpha_{x,y}=0 \beta_x=0.25m \beta_y=16m$ 1%bandwidth of 555nm aerogel 1mm	0.7406017	0.7419743	0.7423214	29.7182403	1.0487822	1.0487346
14 $\epsilon_{rx,ny}=1 \alpha_{x,y}=0 \beta_x=0.25m \beta_y=0.25m$ 1%bandwidth of 555nm aerogel 1mm	0.1852009	0.1868234	0.1868271	14.2446314	11.9152394	11.9152381
15 $\epsilon_{rx,ny}=1 \alpha_{x,y}=0 \beta_x=0.25m \beta_y=4m$ 1%bandwidth of 555nm aerogel 1mm	0.7405793	0.7409596	0.7409756	29.8903285	3.1789495	3.1789340
16 $\epsilon_{rx,ny}=1 \alpha_{x,y}=0 \beta_x=0.25m \beta_y=16m$ 1%bandwidth of 555nm aerogel 1mm	1.4809827	1.4802813	1.4803128	59.2768380	2.2175278	2.2174474

smaller beam divergence ( $y'$ )  
- degrades time resolution  
- better momentum resolution

TABLE : Energy and time resolution at the three focal lines for various conditions e.g. electron beam twiss parameter and normalized emittance (unit of mm mrad), radiator aerogel thickness, and wavelength wavelength-dependent delay (in air and quartz window) for electron momentum  $pc$  of 2.4 MeV/c. ref e<sup>-</sup> refers to reference electron which hits the radiator at  $(x, y) = (0, 0)$ .

resolution doesn't depend on x-emittance