

# PETRA III beamlines, services and access

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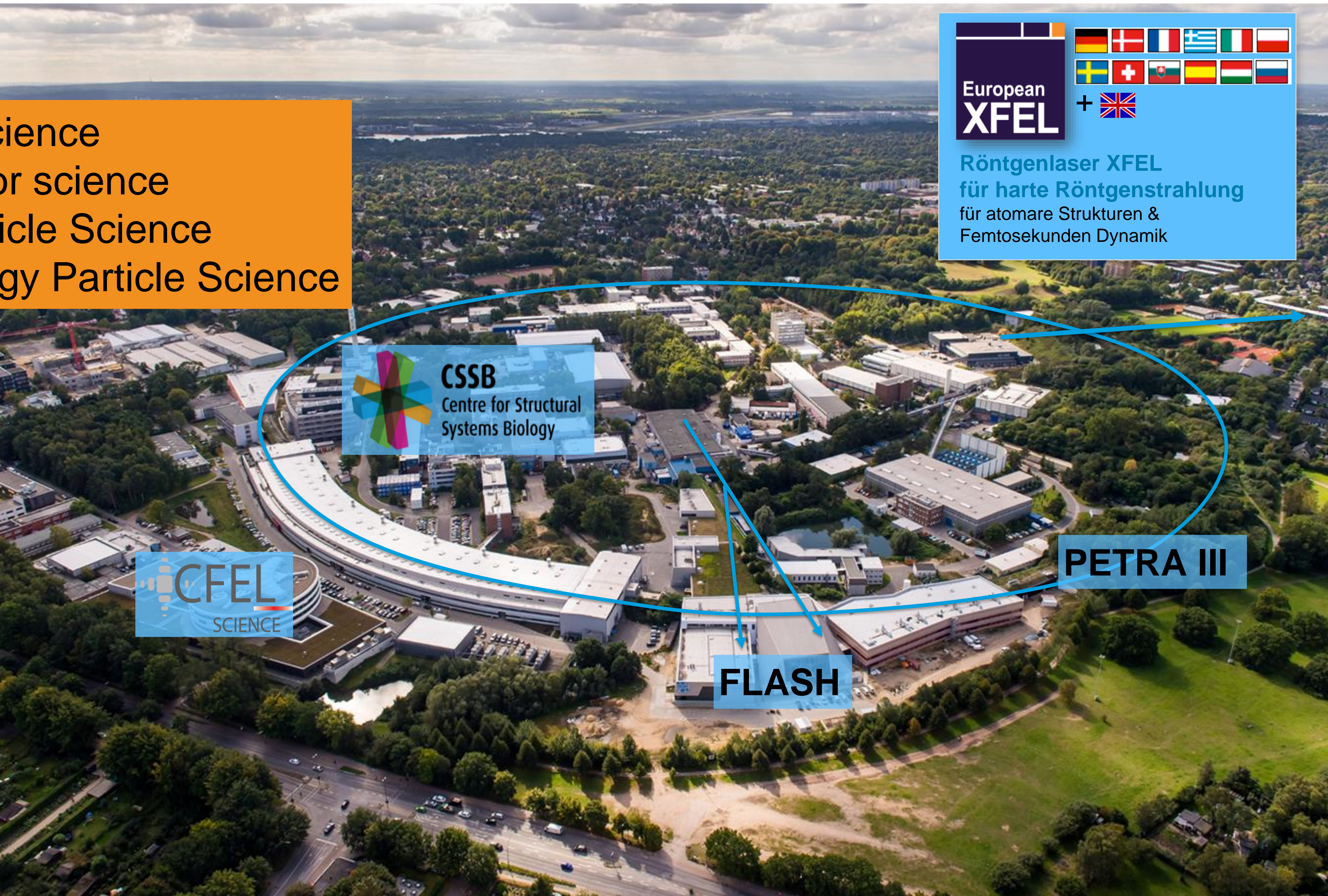
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Photon Science  
Accelerator science  
Astro Particle Science  
High Energy Particle Science



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**XFEL**

Röntgenlaser XFEL  
für harte Röntgenstrahlung  
für atomare Strukturen &  
Femtosekunden Dynamik



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**PETRA III**

# PETRA III fact sheet

## DESY's Brilliant Synchrotron Radiation Source

### History of PETRA:

1978: PETRA I built for high-energy physics, first direct observation of the gluon

1988: PETRA II as pre-accelerator for HERA

**2007: rebuild of PETRA** as a 3. generation synchrotron radiation source (PETRA III)

**2010: start of user operation** with the first three beamlines

2013: all 15 beamlines fully operational in the experimental hall "Max v. Laue"

2016: PETRA III extension project starts users operation with the first two beamlines

**planned for 2027:** shutdown of PETRA III as part of PETRA IV upgrade

The PETRA III experimental hall „Max von Laue“



electron energy	<b>6 GeV</b>
stored current	<b>100 / 120 mA</b>
emittance (h × v)	<b>1.3 nmrad × 15 pmrad</b>
circumference	<b>2304 m</b>
photon energy range	<b>250 eV - 150 keV</b>
beamlines in operation	25
beamlines under construction	1 (P25)
beamlines still open	1 (P63)
user operation (hours/year)	5000
bunch separation	<b>192 ns or 16 ns</b>

# PETRA III

more than 50 experiments covering most relevant methods

## Diffraction & Scattering

P02.1, P02.2, P07, P21.1, P21.2, P61  
P03, P12, P62  
P08, P23, P24, P25 (2024)  
P11, P13, P14  
P04, P06, P10  
P09

High energy X-ray, white beam diffraction & imaging  
Small angle scattering, GISAXS,  $\mu$ ASAXS  
Crystallography & Surfaces scattering,  
Macromolecular crystallography  
Coherent diffraction & scattering  
Resonant magnetic scattering

## Spectroscopy

P01  
P22  
P04  
P64, P65  
P09  
P66

Inelastic and nuclear resonant scattering  
Hard X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy  
Soft X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy  
X-ray absorption & fluorescence spectroscopy  
XMCD  
VUV spectroscopy, t-resolved

## Imaging

P04, P06, P10  
P05, P06, P07, P14, P61, P23-KIT (2024)  
P03, P06, P21.1, P21.2, P62, P25 (2024)

Micro & Nano imaging (coherence)  
Micro & Nano imaging (absorption & phase contrast, **laminography**)  
Micro & Nano imaging (**fluorescence**, dark field, SAXS, etc. )

➔ Several beamlines host multiple methods (P01, P04, P07, P09, P10, P23)

Hall „Paul Peter Ewald“  
BLs P61 ... P65

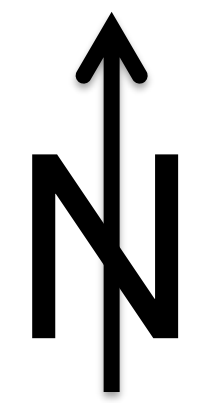
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P66

Hall „Max von Laue“  
Beamlines P01-P14



— HEREON  
— EMBL  
— Sweden

Hall „Ada Yonath“  
BLs P21...P25

# X-ray beam parameters

## Insertion devices

Low- $\beta$  sector (hor. x ver. RMS):

$\beta$ function	approx. $1.3 \times 3 \text{ m}^2$
Source size	$35 \times 6 \text{ }\mu\text{m}^2$
Source divergence	$28 \times 6 \text{ }\mu\text{rad}^2$

High- $\beta$  sector:

$\beta$ function	approx. $18 \times 3 \text{ m}^2$
Source size	$140 \times 6 \text{ }\mu\text{m}^2$
Source divergence	$8 \times 6 \text{ }\mu\text{rad}^2$

## Photon flux at $\Delta E/E = 10^{-4}$

Coherent flux	$10^{11} \text{ ph/sec}$
Full beam	$3 \cdot 10^{13} \text{ ph/sec}$

## Focusing of X-rays :

- $2 \mu\text{m}$  (easy)
- $100 \text{ nm}$  (needs some attention)
- $5 \text{ nm}$  (lowest ever achieved)

## Photon energy of X-rays :

- 5 beamlines with  $> 60 \text{ keV}$  available
- good opportunities for materials science

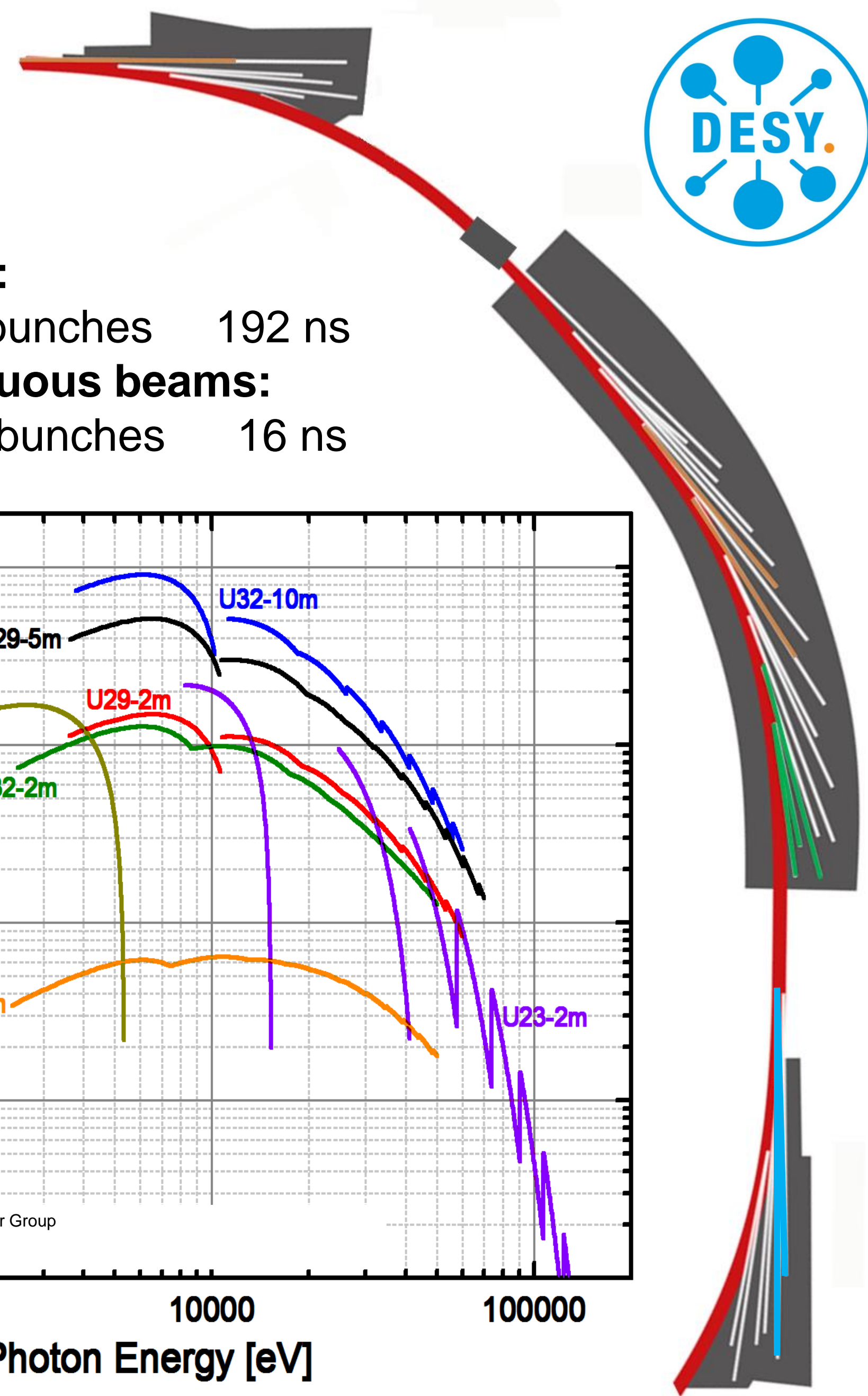
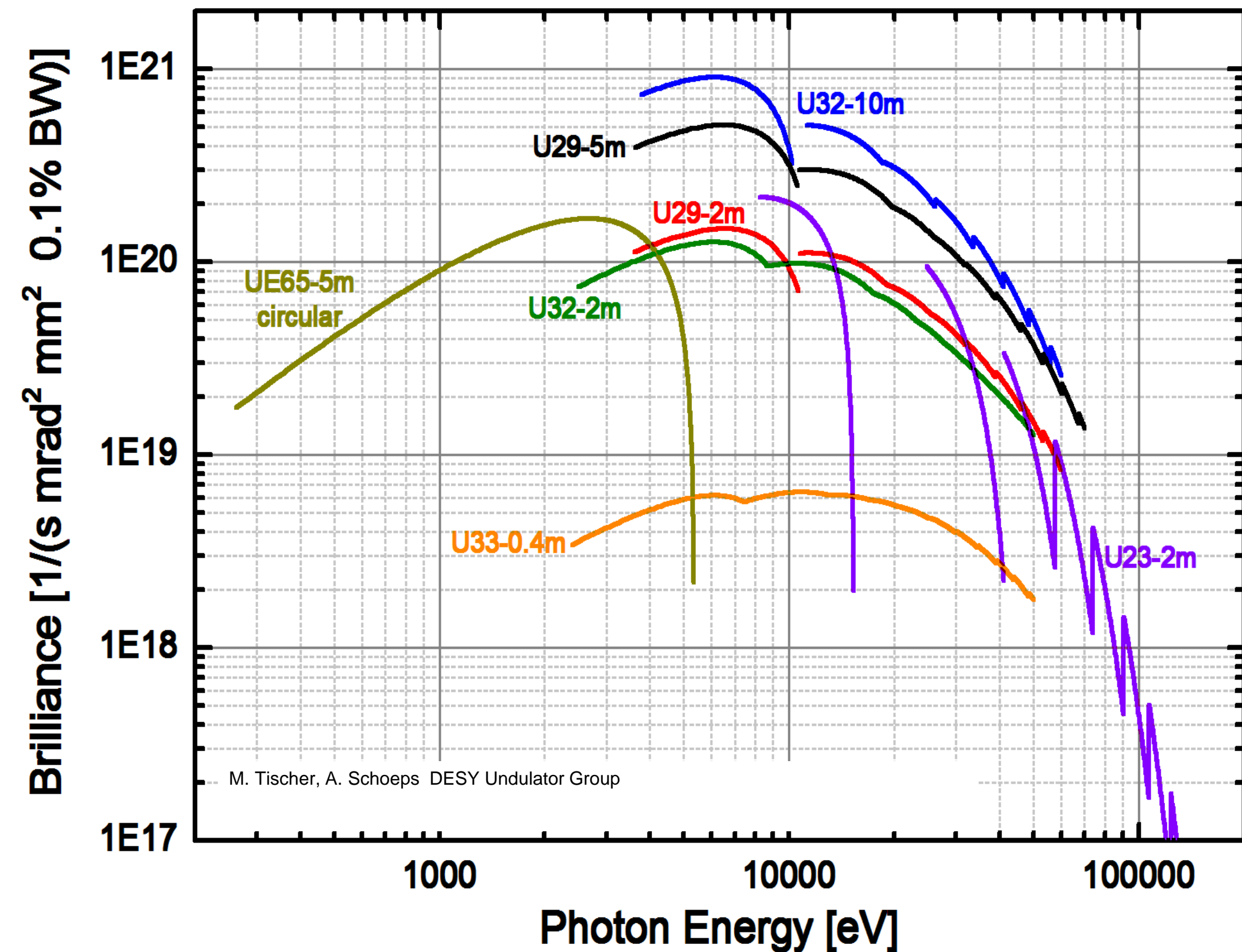
Bunch length 100 ps

## Bunch mode for timing:

timing mode: 40 bunches 192 ns

## Bunch mode for continuous beams:

continuous: 480 bunches 16 ns



# PETRA III

23 Beamlines operational

## Methods at beamlines

- Scattering
- Diffraction
- Spectroscopy
- Imaging
- Coherence applications

## With experiments optimized for:

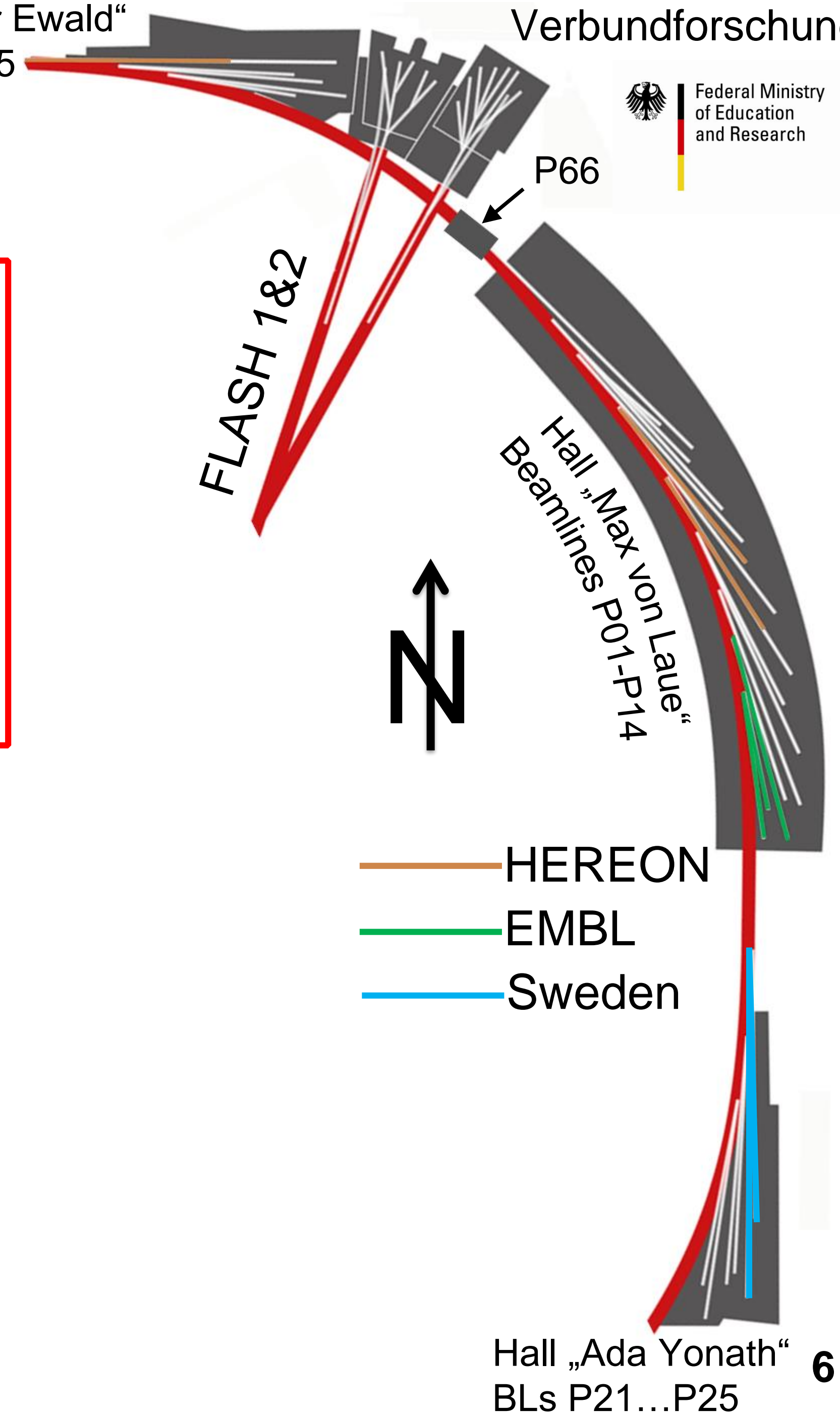
- Large coherence volume
- High flux
- Small focus
- High energy resolution
- High stability
- Speed
- In-situ & operando methods

## External contributions or responsibilities

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|--------------|--|-------------------|
| 3            | Beamlines operated by EMBL   |                   |
| 2.5          | Beamlines operated by HEREON   |                   |
| 1.3          | „Indian virtual beamline“  | → priority access |
| <b>0.325</b> | <b>„Saxonian virtual beamline“</b>   | → priority access |
| 1.89         | Swedish beamline equivalents<br>with the two Swedish beamlines P21.1 and P21.2 | → priority access |
| 1            | beamline several MPG/Helmholtz involvements                                    | → priority access |

Hall „Paul Peter Ewald“  
BLs P61 ... P65

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# PETRA III

## User Operations & Schedule 2020

**Available** (with >98% availability)

user time : 4000 h/a

internal time : 1000 h/a

**Unique users:** 3350 per year

**User visits:** 7500 per year

### Visits from Saxony

**since 07/2022:** 289

(07/2018-12/2019: 148)

### Unique User from Saxony

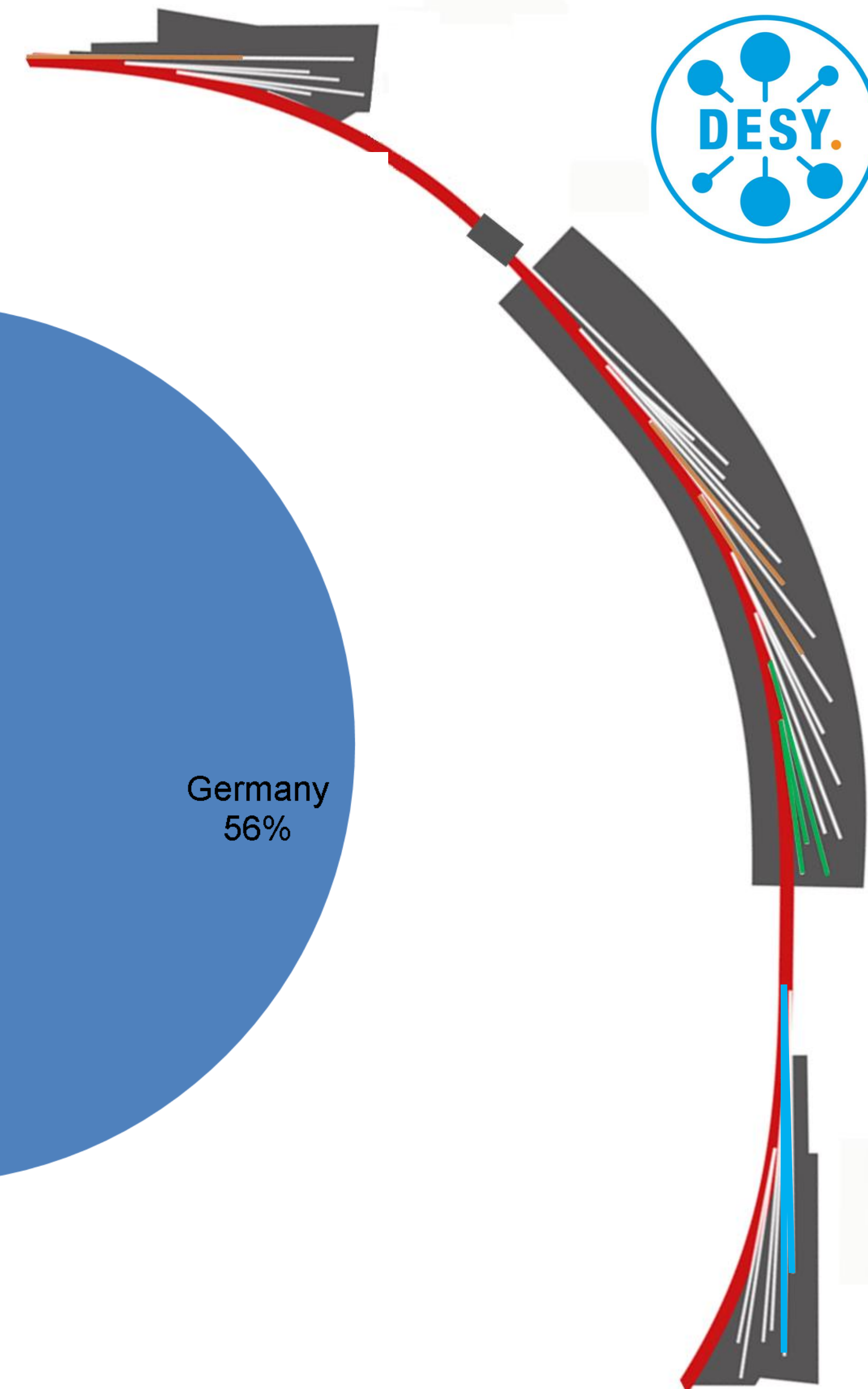
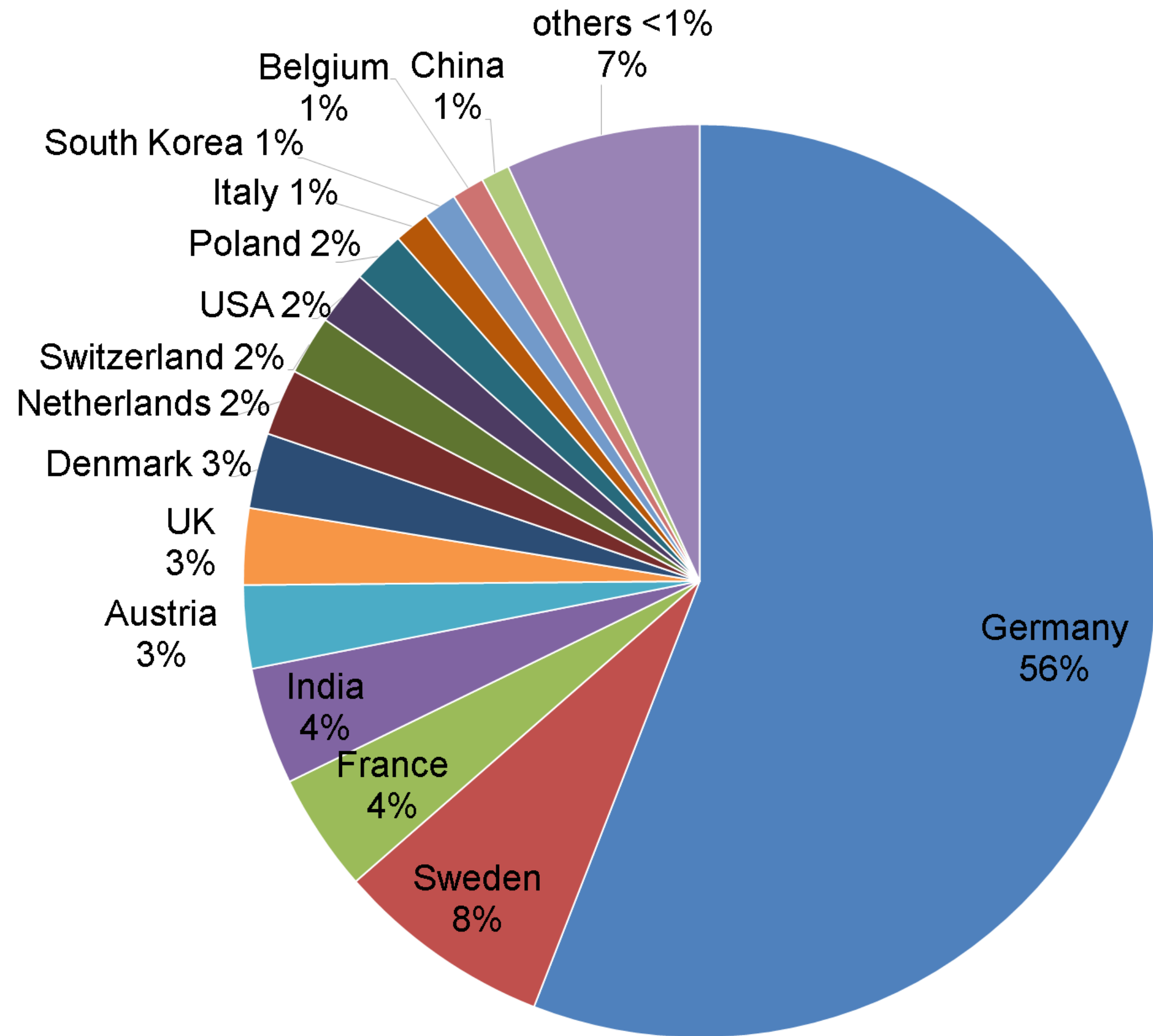
**since 07/2022:** 157

(07/2018-12/2019: 89)

### Experiments from Saxony

**since 07/2022:** 86

(07/2018-12/2019: 61)



**Since start of the Saxonian-DESY Cooperation  
x 2 more users and 30% more experiments**

# PETRA III access for proposals from Saxony

## Priority access



The access is compatible with the so-called „Swedish Model“.

In short this means:

- Saxonian users write **beamtime proposals** parallel to other users via the web-interface **DOOR**
- Saxonian users are **FREE** to apply for beamtime at **ALL** PETRA III beamlines
- In DOOR, during the process of completing the beamtime proposal. The **applicant ensures:**
  - + that the DOOR-“Project Leader” is **staff member** at an **institute/university in Saxony**
  - + chooses the value **“Saxony-DESY collaboration”** at the drop-down menu “User Group/Collaboration”
- Beamtime proposals marked as “Saxony-DESY collaboration” are **reviewed by the DESY Project Review Panel** in parallel to all other proposals
- Saxony-DESY proposals are selected by **scientific excellence AND/OR by priority access**
- Saxony proposal to HEREON or EMBL beamlines are treated as regular non-priority proposals

**Two ways to receive beamtime: regular scientific excellence or by priority access**

Reserved for Saxonian-DESY cooperation: 0.325 beamline equivalents = 910h = 38 days of beamtime p.a.

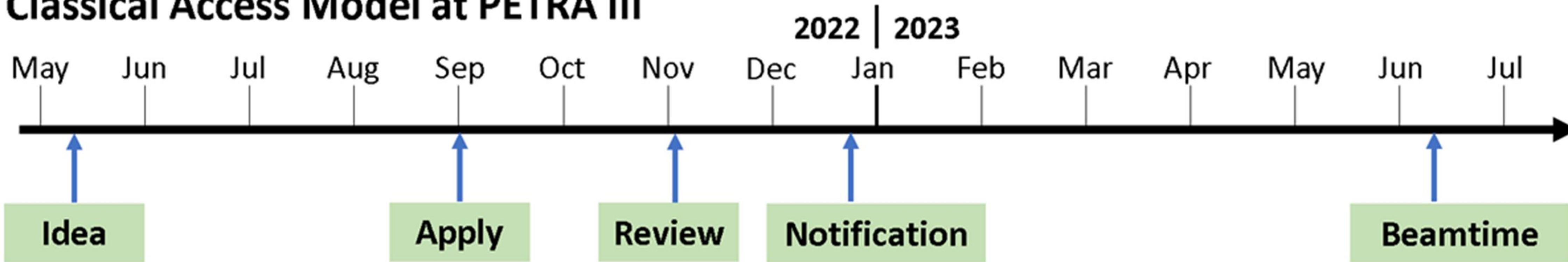


# PETRA III new rolling access model

Current access model is NOT flexible

**Beamtime access is bound to calls:** March 1st and September 1st.  
**Beamtime is scheduled:** March call: August-December  
September call: February-July

## Classical Access Model at PETRA III



Long waiting time (up to 15 Months) even for small and simple experiments

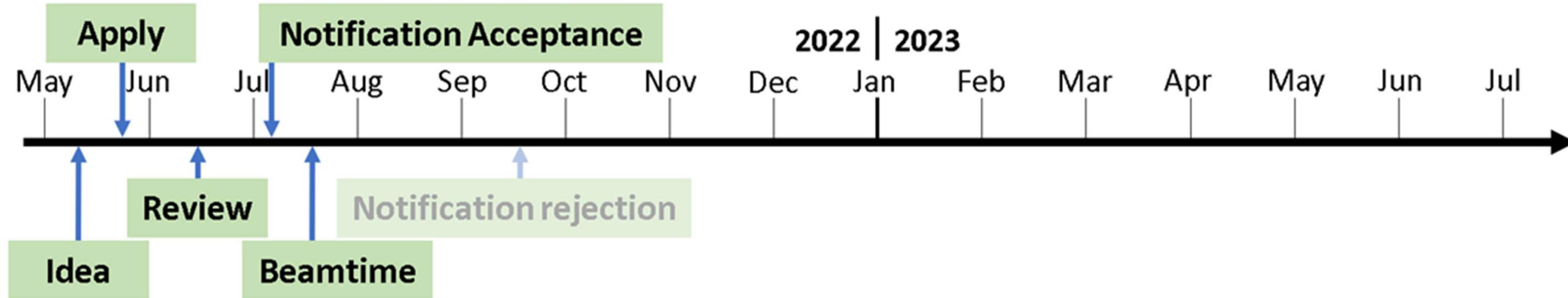
# PETRA III new rolling access model

New rolling access model at P08, P11, P22, P23, P24 and chemistry lab + nano lab



## No call, no deadline

### new Access Model



You will be able to submit a proposal at any time.  
You will be able to specify “long lead time” or “prompt access”.  
You will be able to split a beamtime (e.g. 18h → 3 x 6 shifts beamtime).

**Starting 2024 for P08, P11, P22, P23, P24, chemistry labs and nano lab instruments**

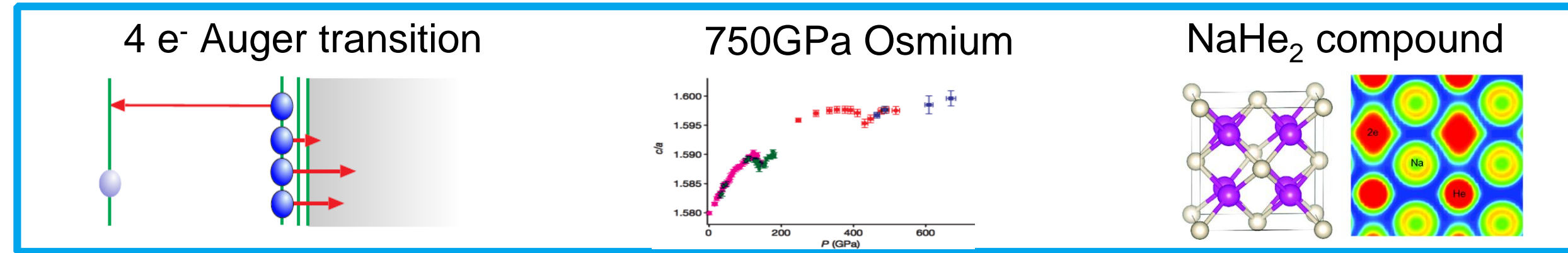
# PETRA III

Beamlines can serve many different science areas

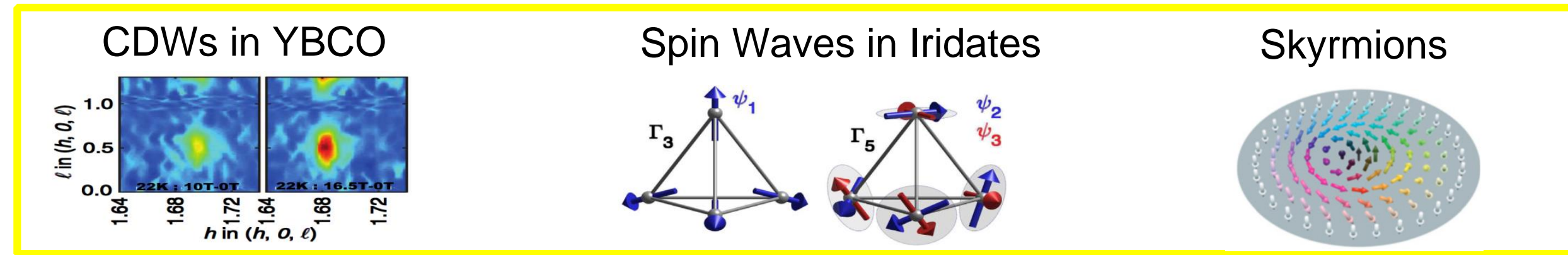
PETRA III users conduct science in many areas, Swedish community is strongest



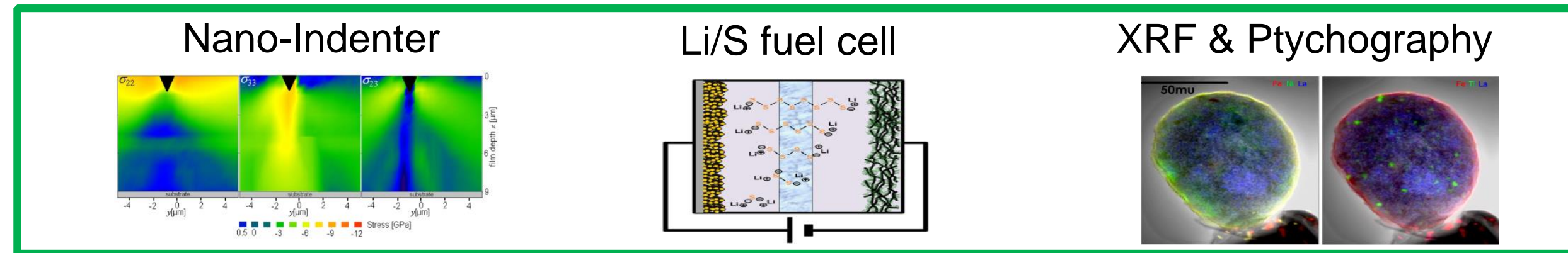
**Extreme States of Matter:  
From Cold Ions to Hot Plasmas**



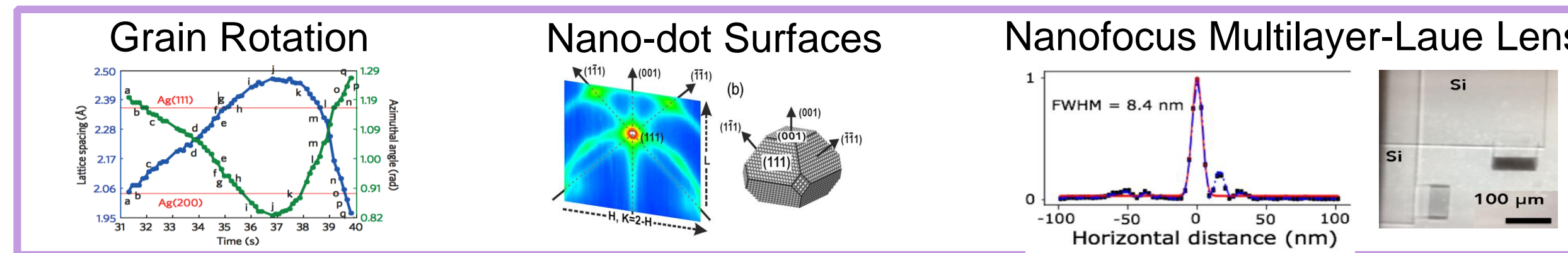
**Quantum Condensed Matter:  
Magnetism, Superconductivity,  
and Beyond**



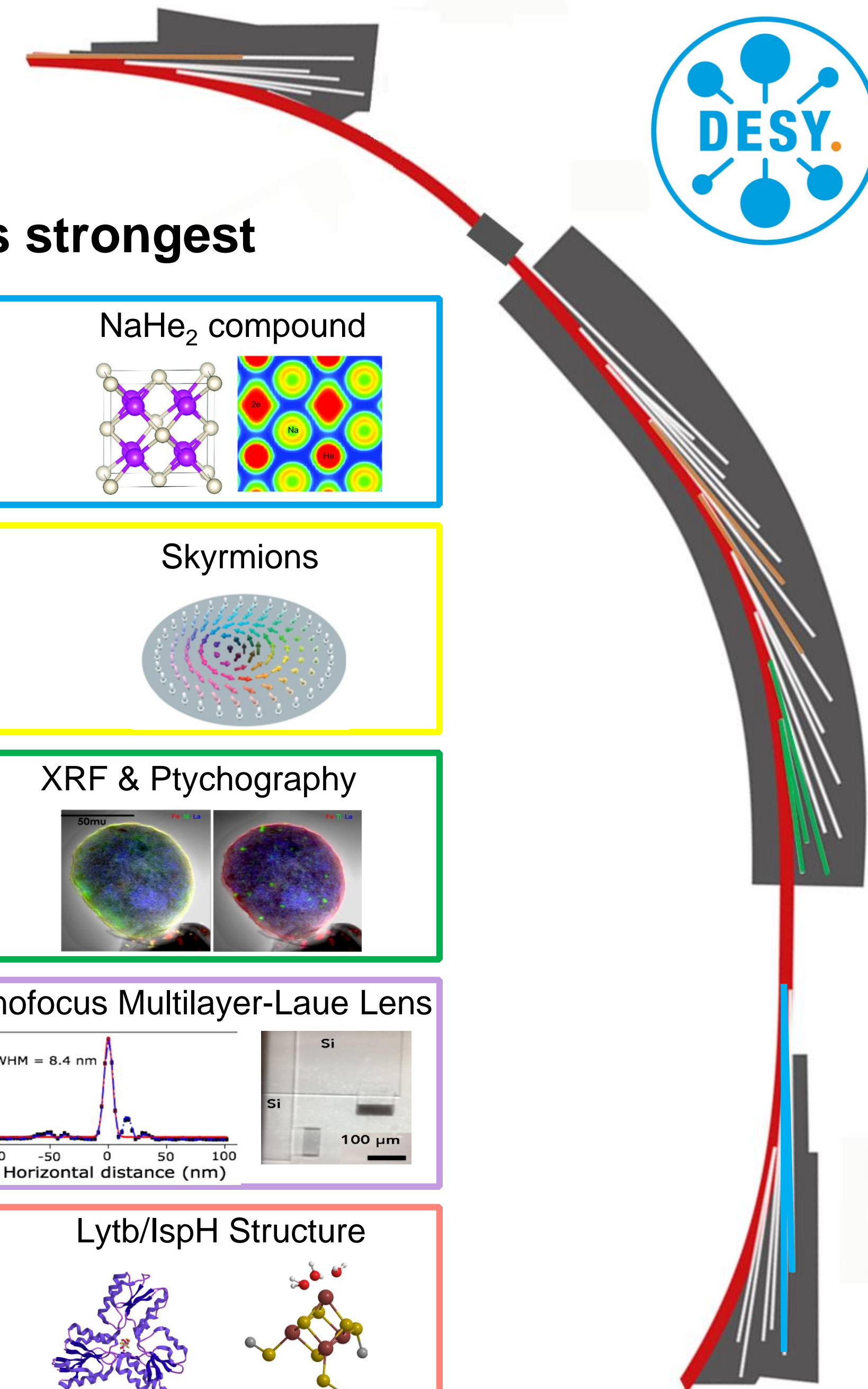
**Materials and Processes for Energy  
and Transport Technologies**



**Nanoscience and Materials for  
Information Technologies**



**Soft Matter, Health and Life  
Sciences**

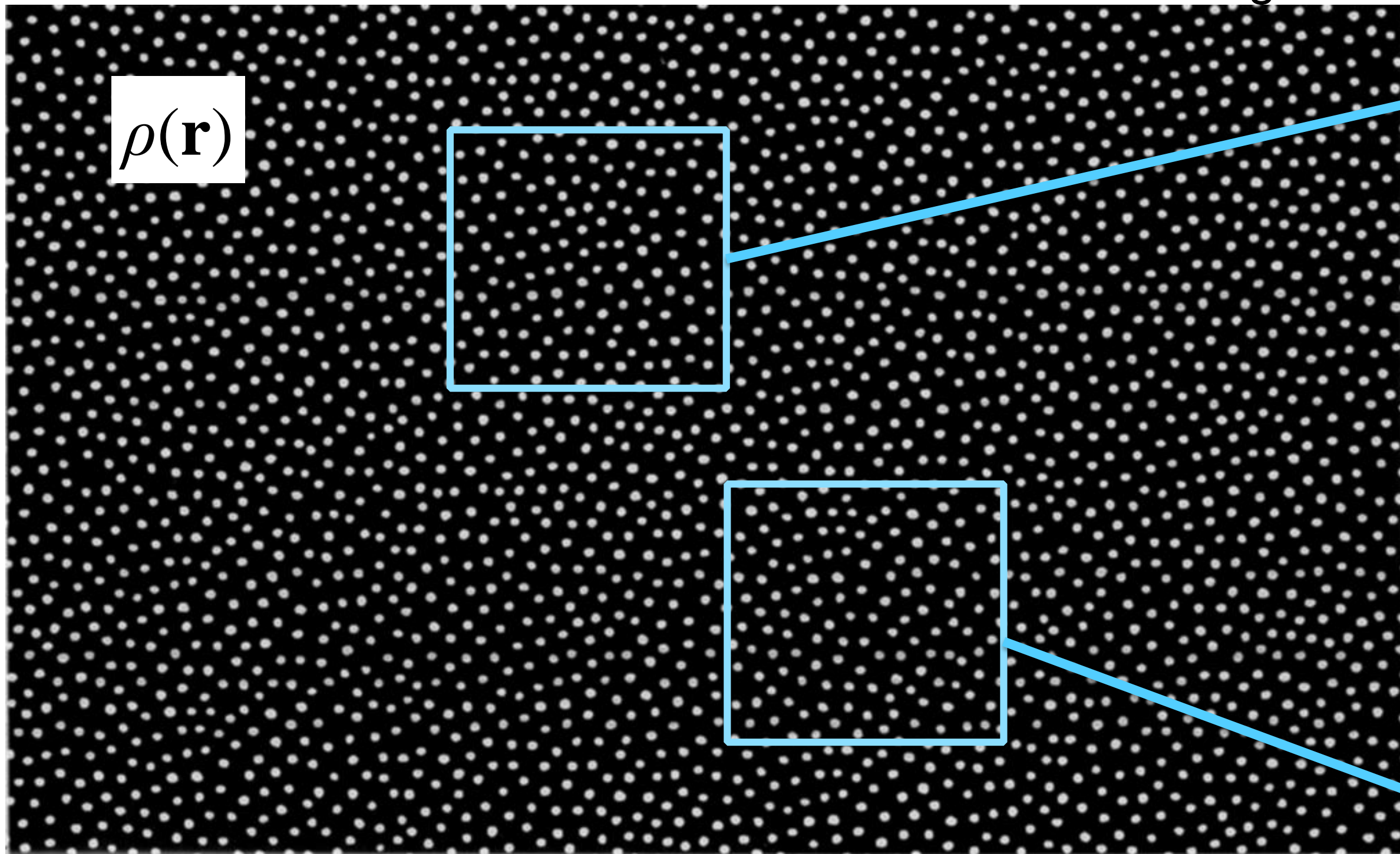


# PETRA III delivers coherent photons

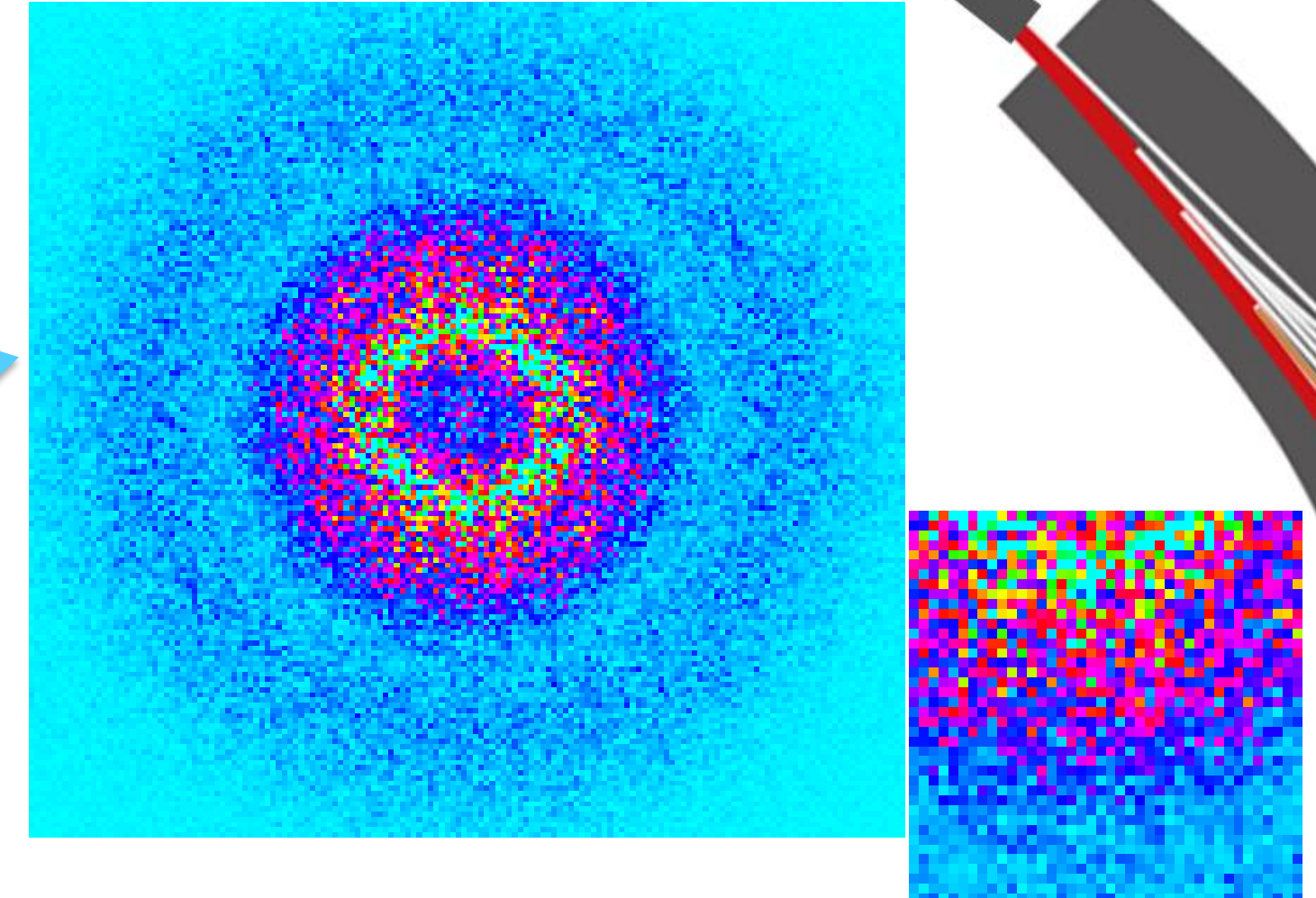
## Coherence for experiments (demonstrator)

$$A(\mathbf{q}) \propto \int_{V_{\text{coher}}} \rho(\mathbf{r}) \exp(i\mathbf{q} \cdot \mathbf{r}) d^3r = \mathcal{F}\{\rho(\mathbf{r})\}$$

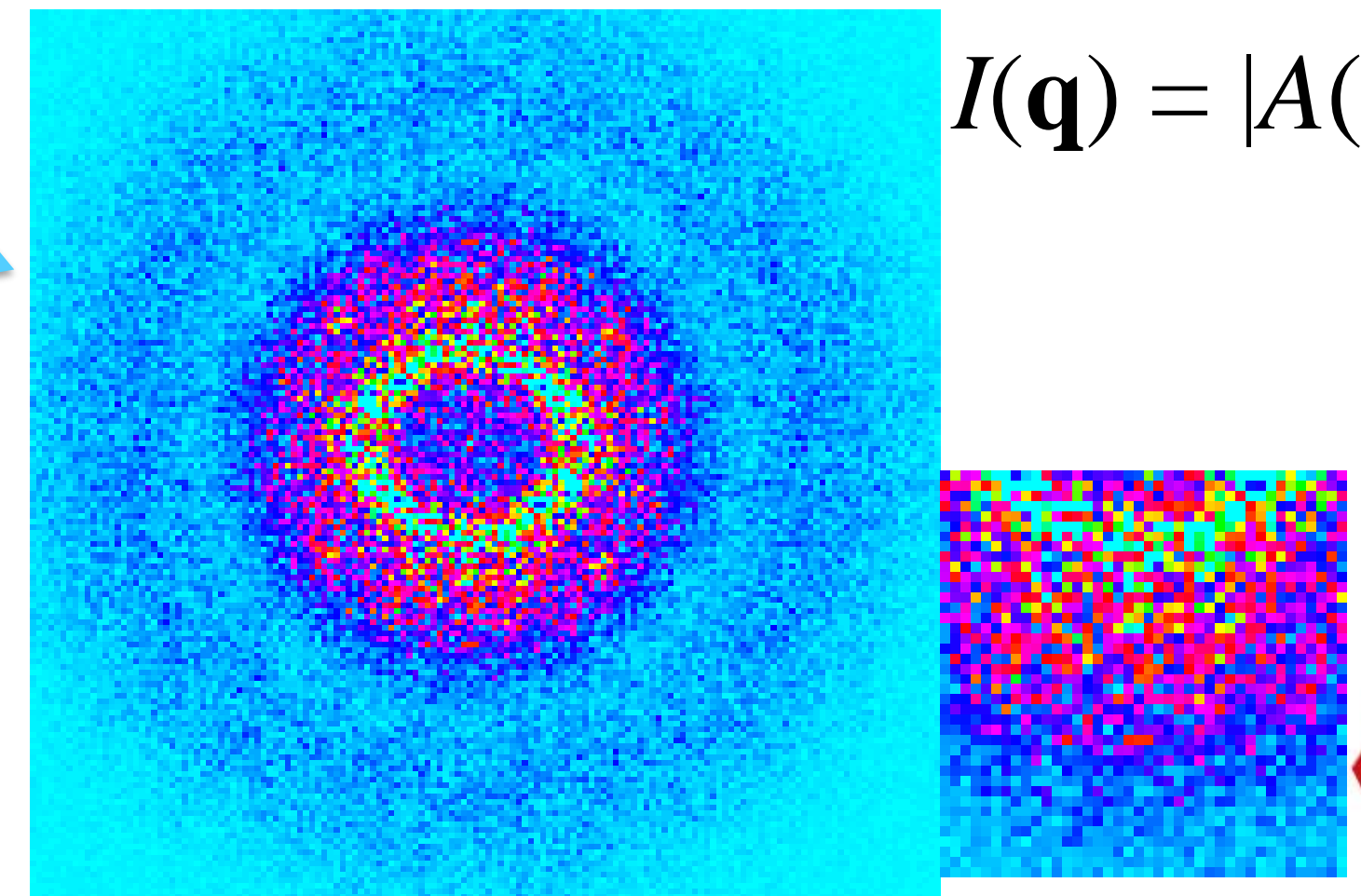
coherence volume



Coherent scattering with speckles



two diffraction patterns:  
„similar but different in details“



$$I(\mathbf{q}) = |A(\mathbf{q})|^2$$

- speckles contain the details of illuminated area
- overall shape contains the general sample characteristics

Measurement with partially incoherent beam would be the incoherent sum of all patterns → liquids scattering



# PETRA III (Example)

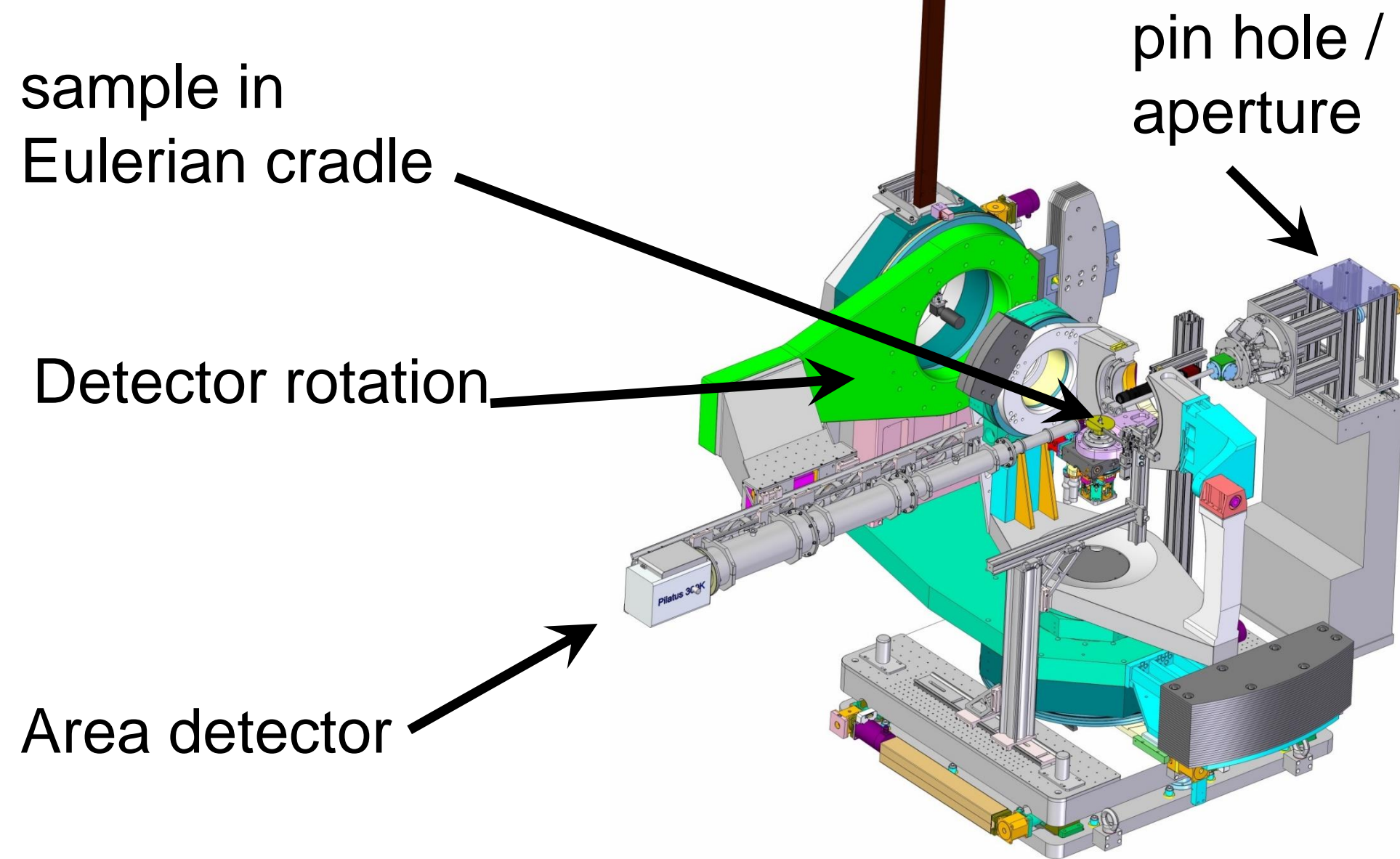
## Selected Beamlines: Nano-wires

### P10 : Coherence applications

#### Science Cases

- Structure of nano-particles
- multimodal bio imaging
- Bragg Coherent Diffraction Imaging (CDI)

Energy range : 5 keV – 18 keV  
Beamsize @ sample : some 10nm ... 500 $\mu$ m  
Coherent Flux @ sample:  $10^{10}$  ph/s –  $10^{11}$  ph/s



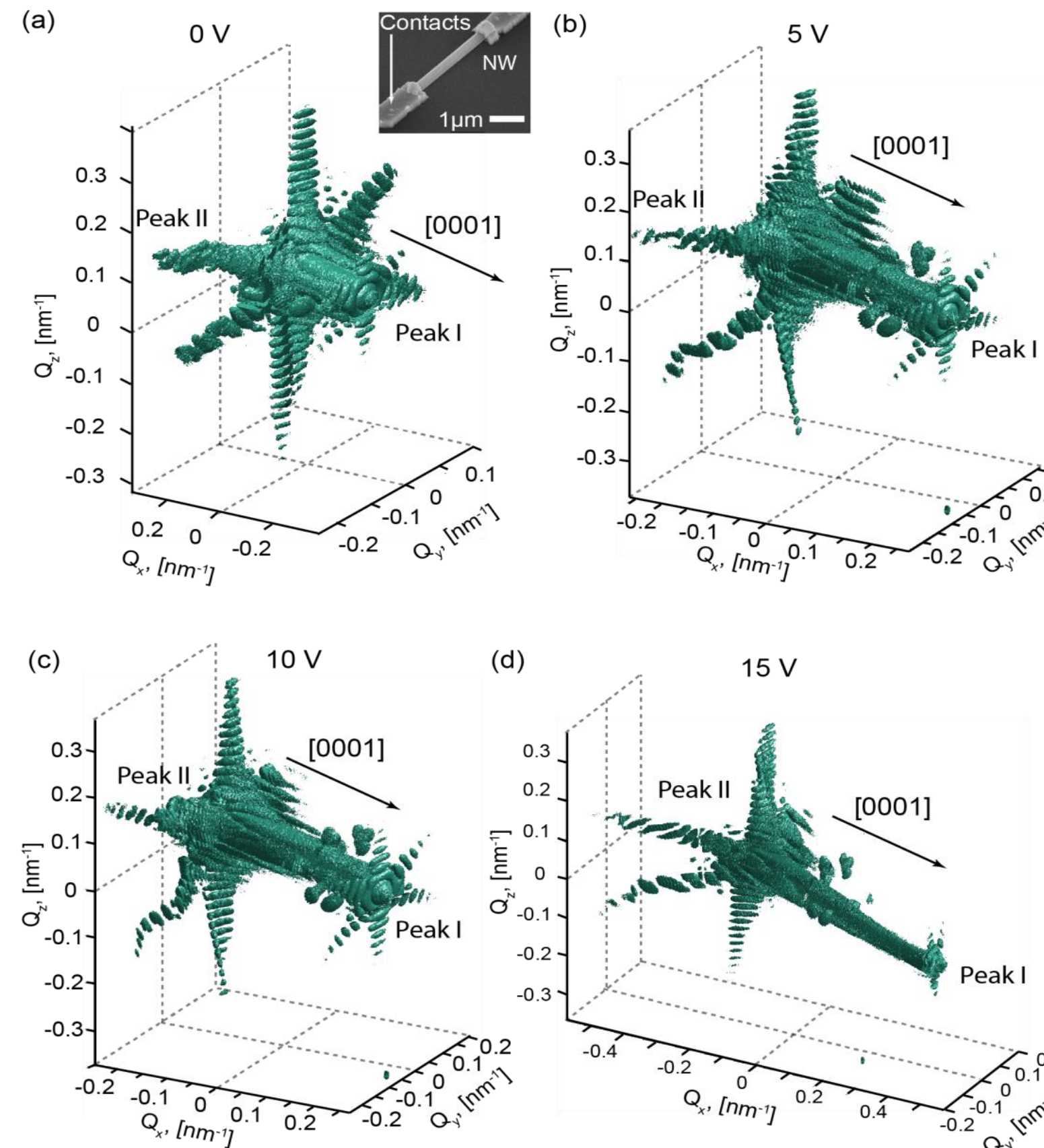
#### Structural changes in a single GaN nanowire under applied voltage bias

S. Lazarev et. al., Nano Lett. 18, 5446 (2018)

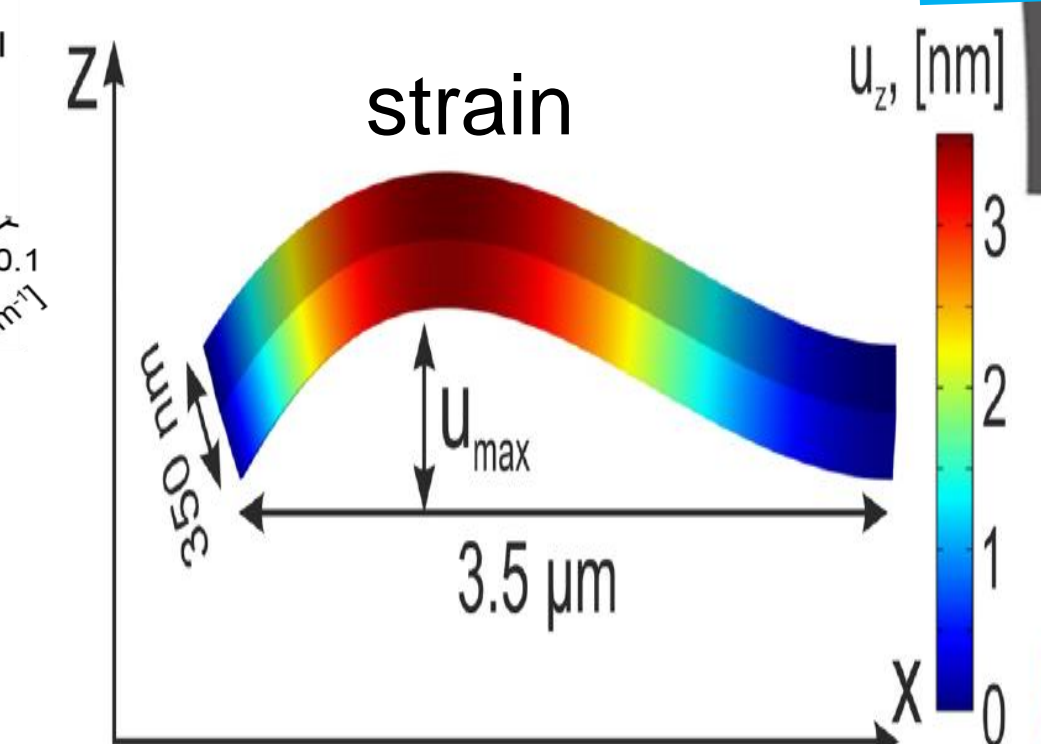
P10 @ DESY

GaN nanowire under heat impact by electrical current

- thermal denaturation of crystal lattice?
- nano-strain and shape?



Mapping of the 0001 GaN Bragg Reflection as function of position



- exponential growth of aggregates and relaxation time

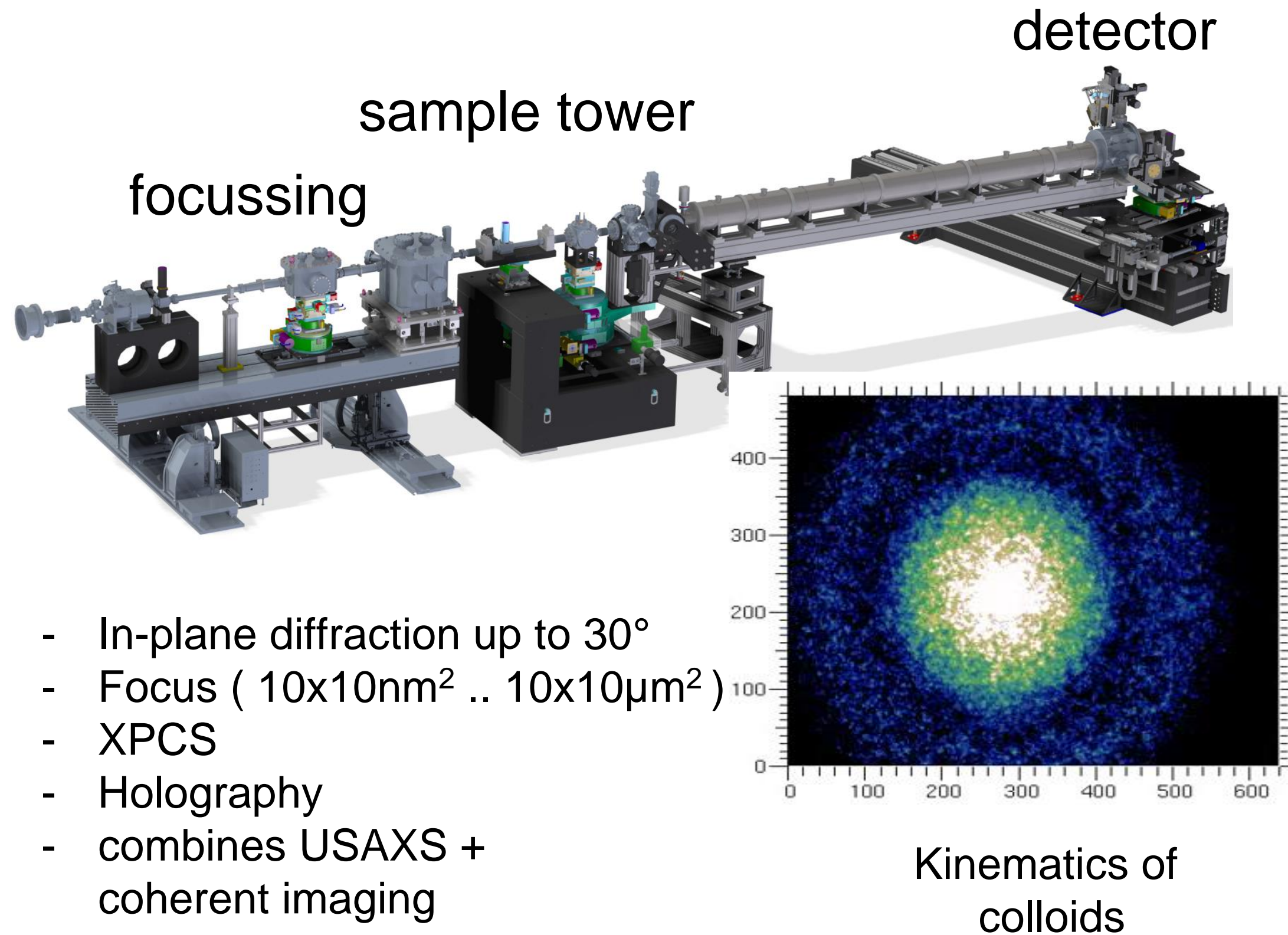
# PETRA III (Example)

## Selected Beamlines: Kinetics/Dynamics

### P10 : Coherence applications

#### Science Cases

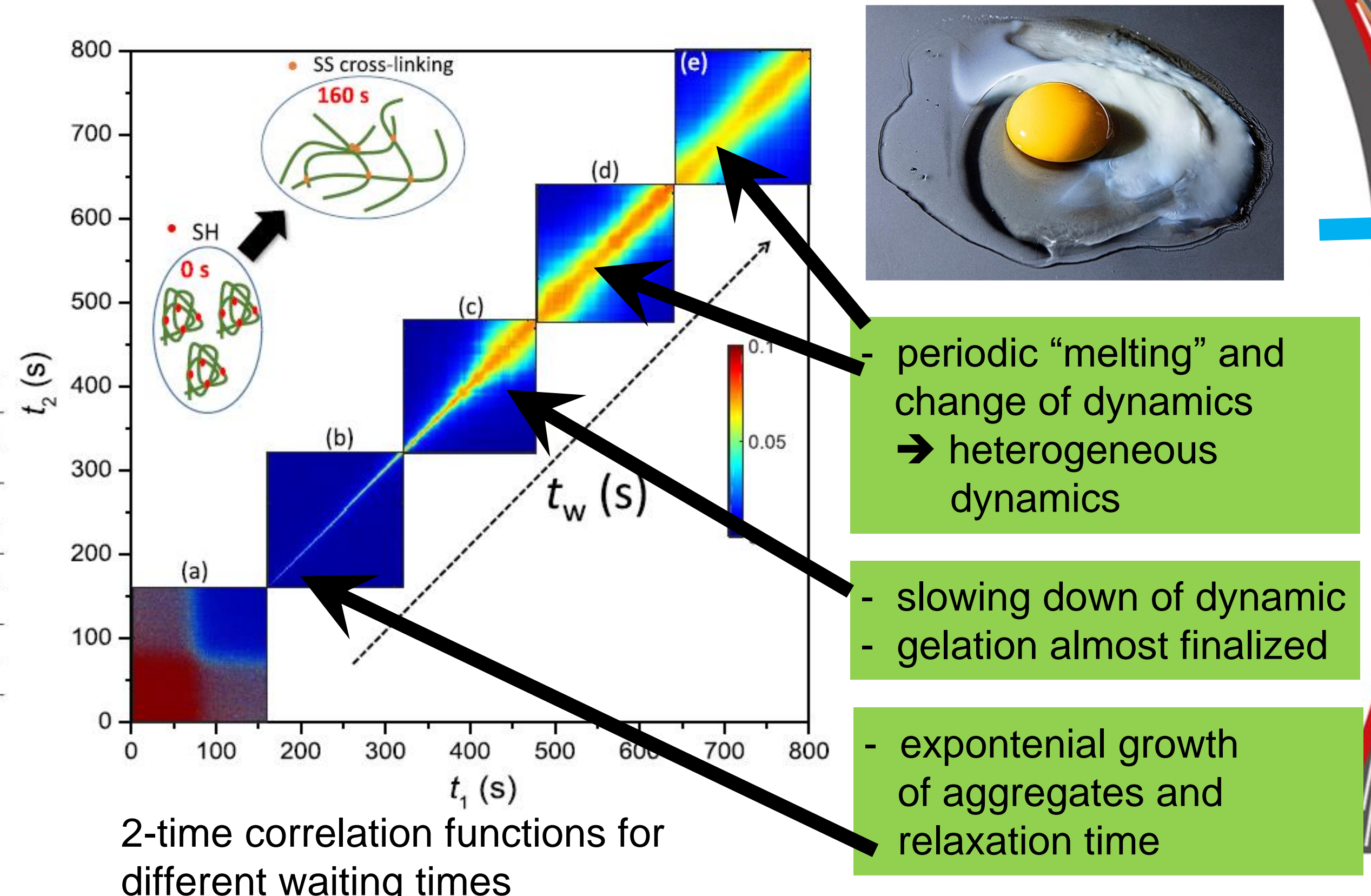
- Dynamics/Kinematics of soft matter
- multimodal bio imaging
- ultra high resolution SAXS



- In-plane diffraction up to  $30^\circ$
- Focus (  $10 \times 10 \text{ nm}^2$  ..  $10 \times 10 \mu\text{m}^2$  )
- XPCS
- Holography
- combines USAXS + coherent imaging

**Kinetics of Network Formation and Heterogeneous Dynamics of an Egg White Gel Revealed by Coherent X-Ray Scattering**  
 N. Begam et. al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 126, 098001 (2021) P10 @ DESY

cooking of egg white:  
 → thermal denaturation into a gel network (at  $80^\circ\text{C}$ )  
 → kinematics?



2-time correlation functions for different waiting times



# PETRA III

## Photon Science Team

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# Thank you !!