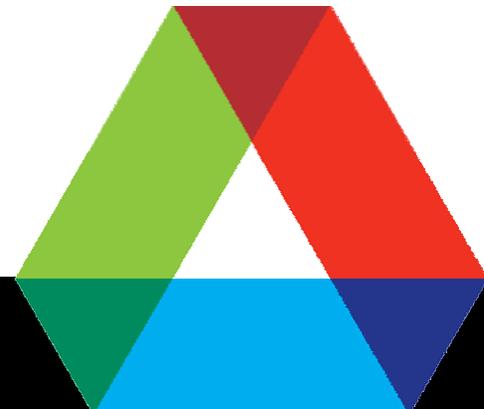


# *Physical Science Drivers for APS Upgrade*

*Qun Shen*

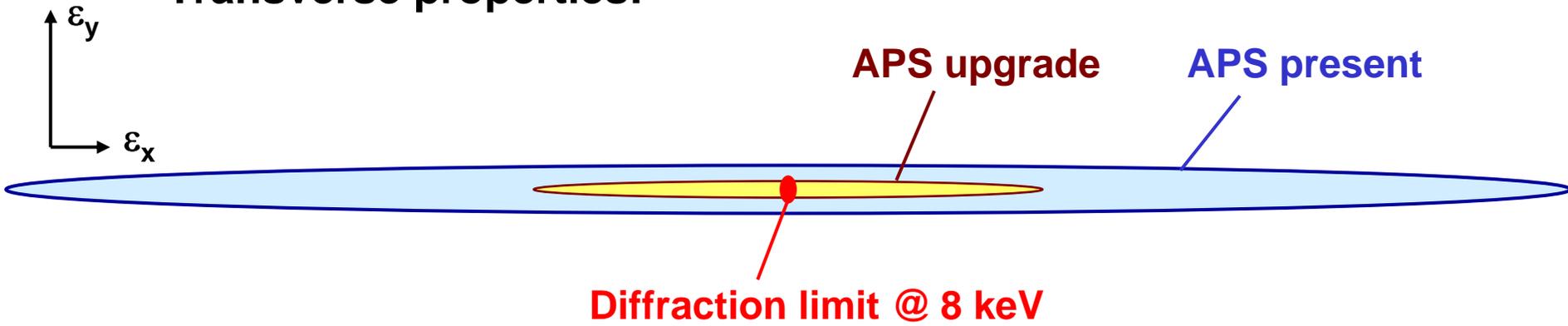
*X-ray Microscopy and Imaging Group  
Advanced Photon Source*

- *X-ray source properties with APS upgrade*
- *Coherent imaging*
- *Nanobeam science*
- *Short-pulse applications*
- *Implications to biology*

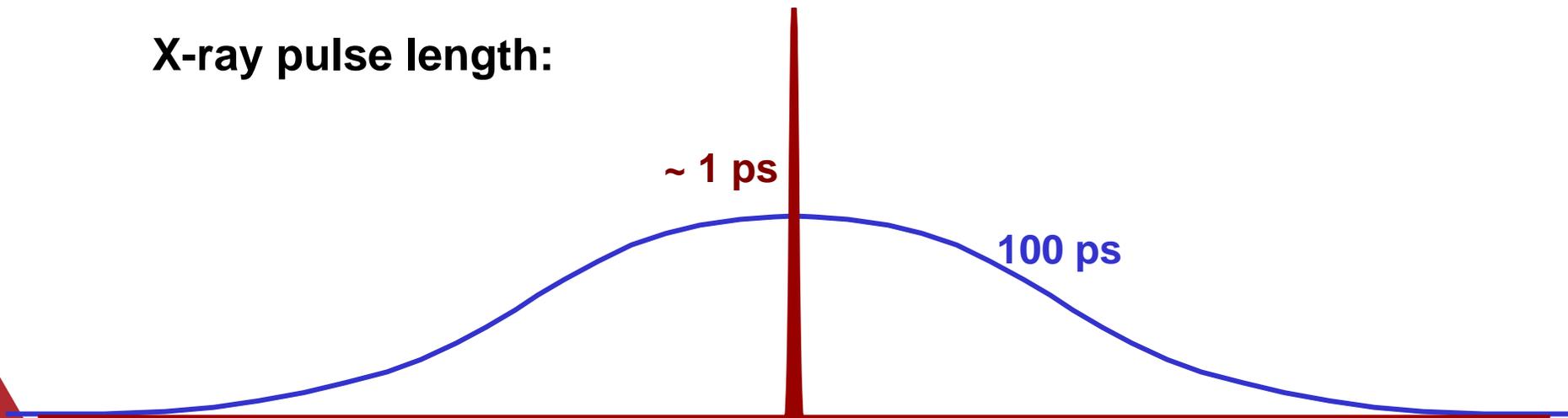


# X-ray Source Properties with APS Upgrade

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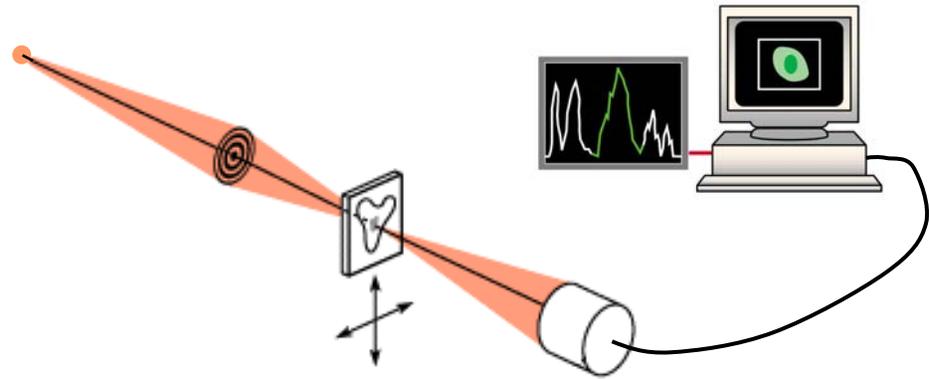
X-ray pulse length:



# Advances in X-ray Science

## X-ray experiment:

- source
- optics
- specimen
- detector
- analysis

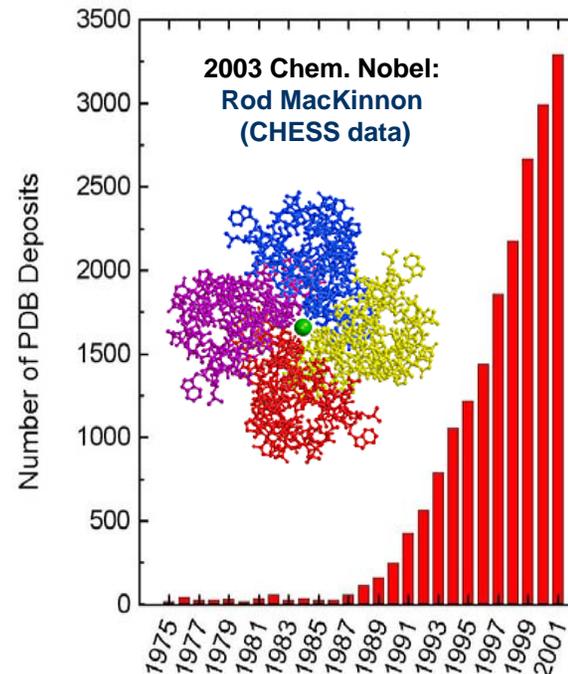


## Scientific society interests:

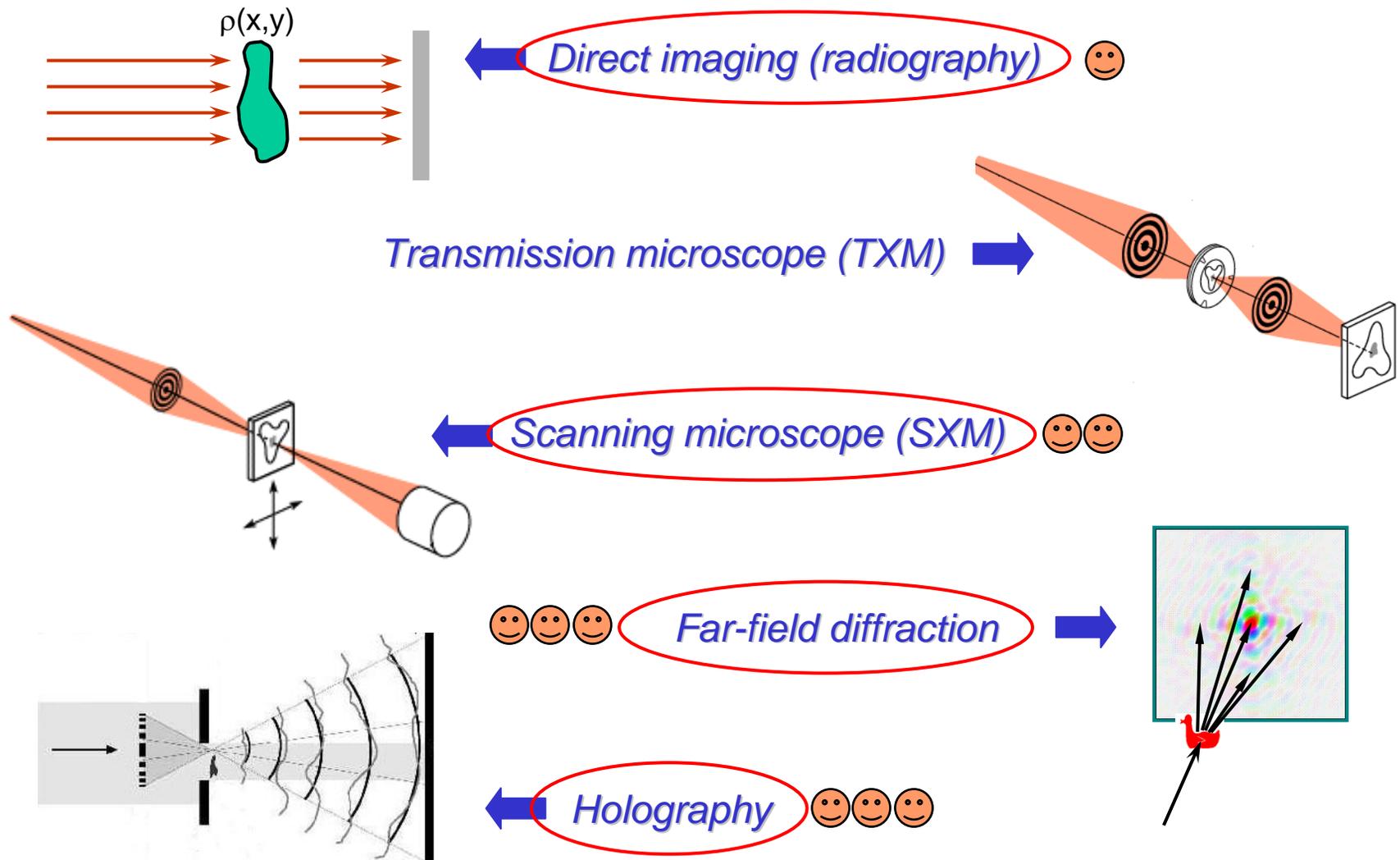
- structure  $\rightarrow$  function
- crystals  $\rightarrow$  noncrystalline
- homogeneous  $\rightarrow$  heterogeneous
- static  $\rightarrow$  dynamic / timing

## Advances in X-ray capabilities:

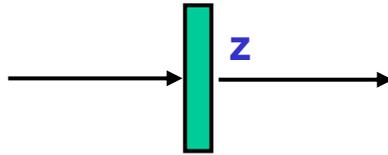
- imaging  $\leftrightarrow$  coherence
- nano-beams  $\leftrightarrow$  small source
- time-resolved  $\leftrightarrow$  short pulse



# X-ray Imaging and Coherence



# Phase Contrast vs. Absorption Contrast Imaging

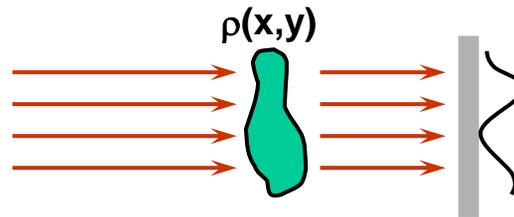


Refraction index:  $n = 1 - \delta - i\beta$

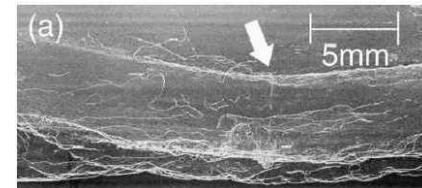
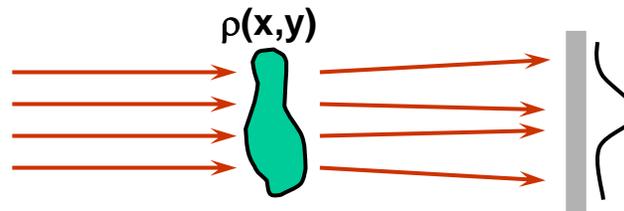
$$E(z) \sim E_0 e^{-i2\pi(-\delta-i\beta)z/\lambda} \sim E_0 e^{i2\pi\delta z/\lambda - 2\pi\beta z/\lambda}$$

$$I(z) \sim |E(z)|^2 \sim I_0 e^{-4\pi\beta z/\lambda}$$

⇒ **Absorption contrast:**  
 $\mu z = 4\pi\beta z/\lambda \sim \lambda^3$



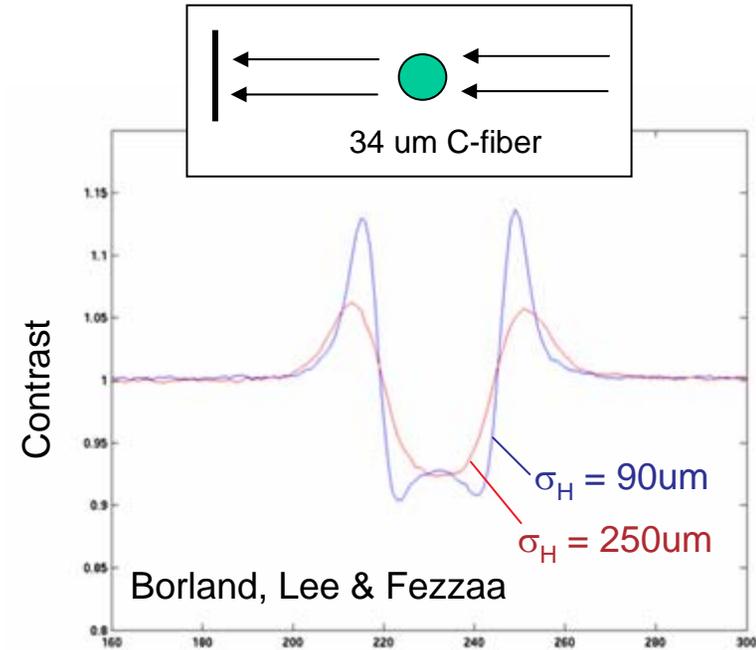
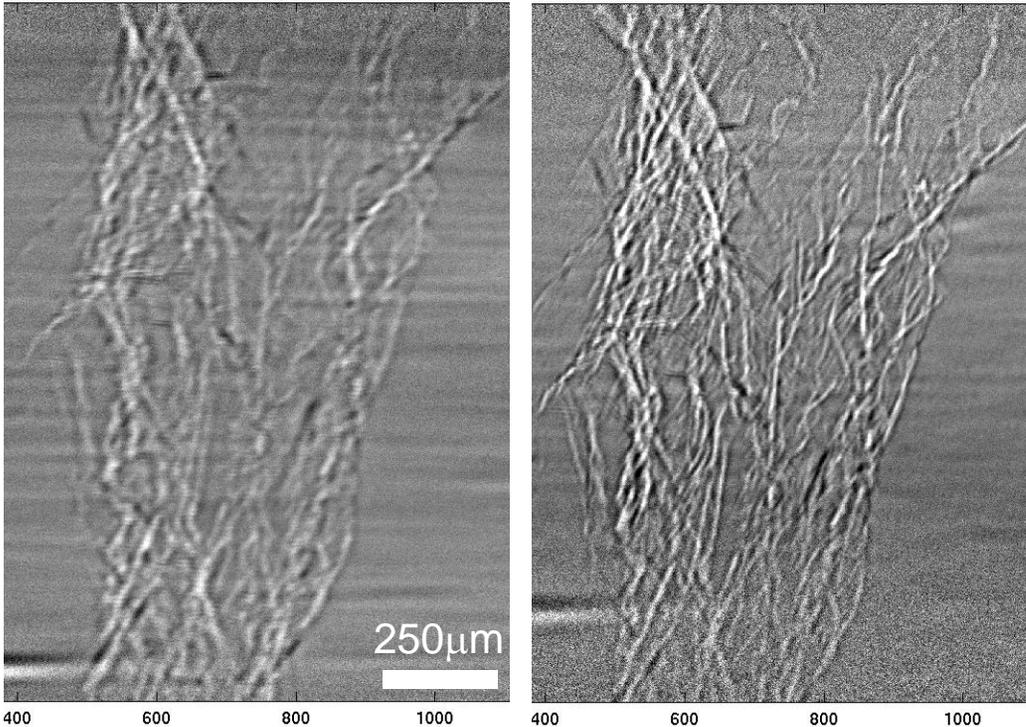
⇒ **Phase contrast:**  
 $\phi(z) = 2\pi\delta z/\lambda \sim \lambda$



*Mori et al. (2002): broken rib with surrounding soft tissue*

# Phase-Contrast Imaging Requires Local Coherence

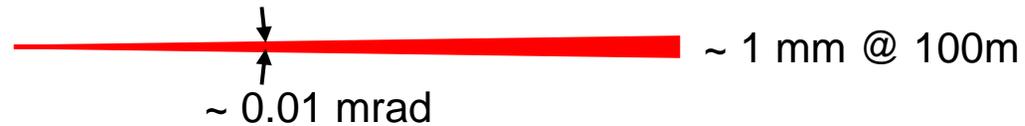
- **Small source size with APS upgrade would greatly enhance observable phase contrasts for weak density differences**



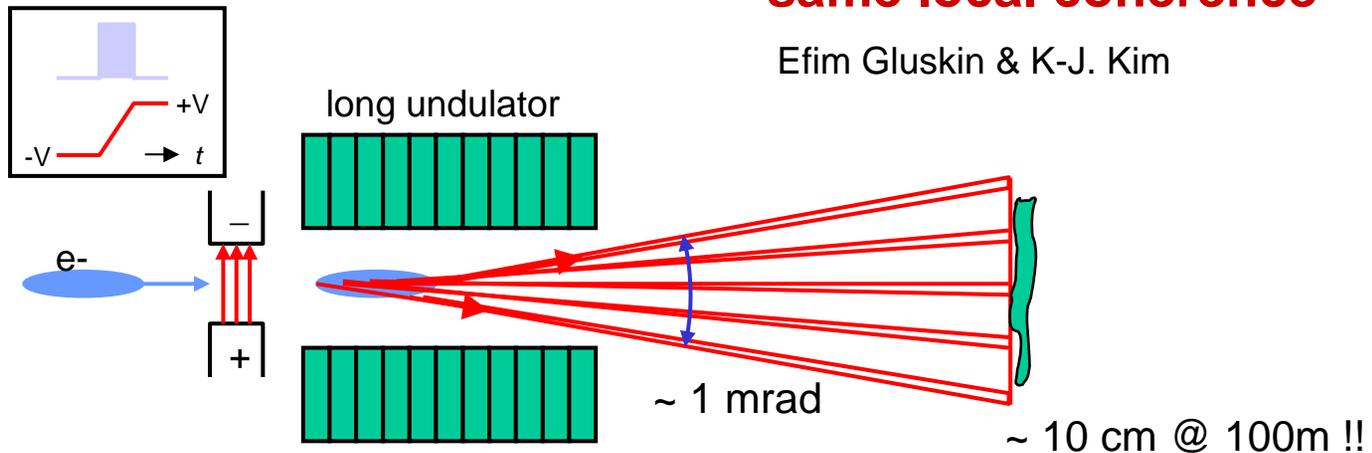
← Stress cracks in Aluminum  
 $t = 3 \text{ mm}$ ,  $30 \text{ keV}$ ,  $D = 1 \text{ m}$

# Improving Phase Contrast Imaging

- Normal undulator beam: **good coherence**  
**but small field of view**



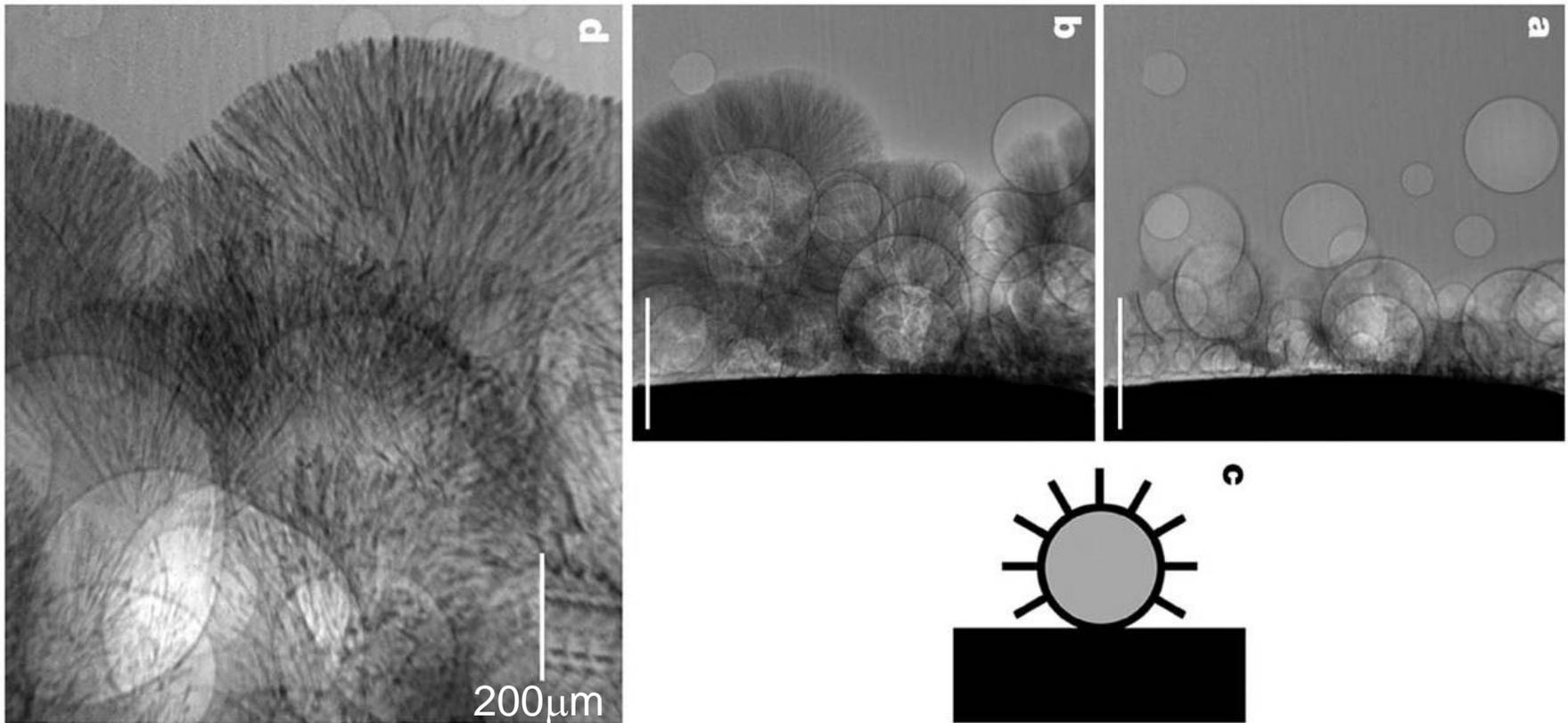
- RF-deflected undulator beam: **large field-of-view**  
**same local coherence**



# *In-situ X-ray Imaging of Electrodeposition*

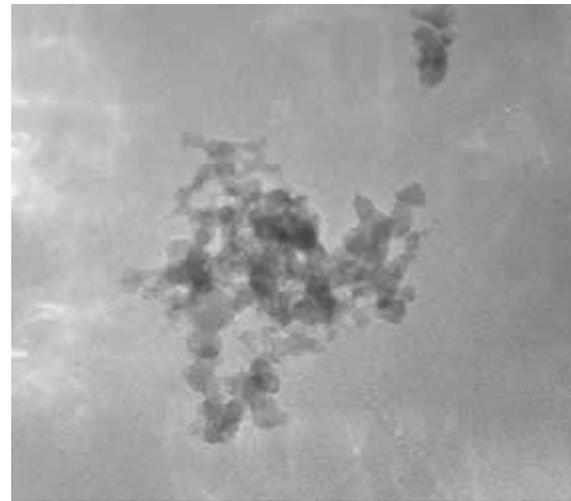
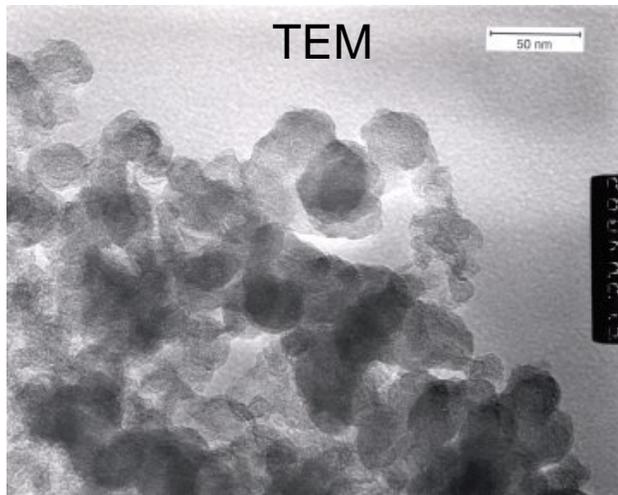
**Tsai et al, “Building on bubbles in metal electrodeposition”, *Nature* 417, 139 (2002)**

In the electrodeposition of metals, a widely used industrial technique, bubbles of gas generated near the cathode can adversely affect the quality of the metal coating. Phase-contrast imaging is used to witness directly and in real time the accumulation of zinc on hydrogen bubbles.



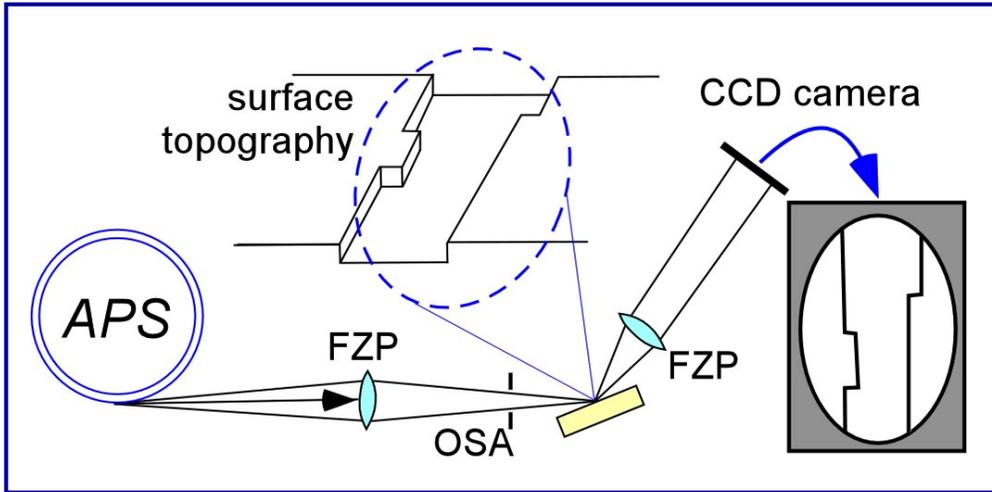
# Phase Contrast Imaging with APS Upgrade

- **Time-resolved imaging at unprecedented temporal resolution with few-ps single pulse capability and sub- $\mu\text{m}$  microscopic details, limited only by fundamental sound velocity  $\sim 1 \text{ km/sec}$  or  $1 \text{ nm/ps}$**
- **Direct real-time imaging of low-contrast materials processing and depositions, such as formations of carbon particulates in engines, polymer aggregates and polymer thin-film coatings**

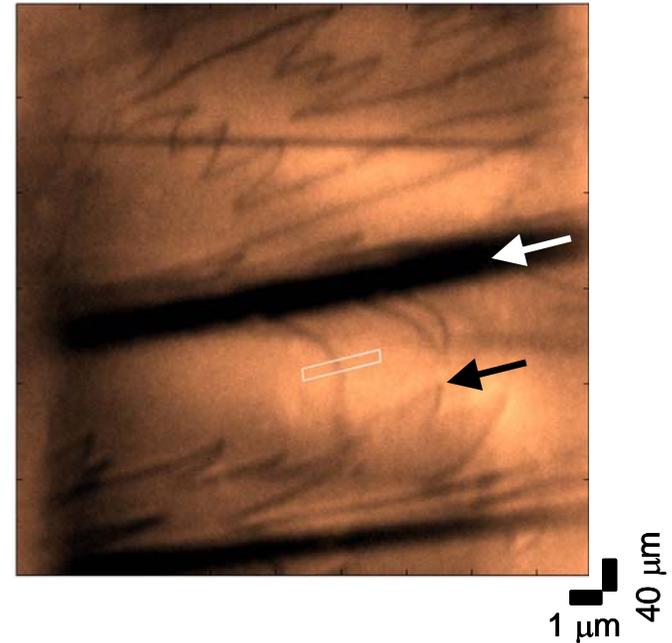


# Phase-Contrast X-ray Diffraction Microscopy

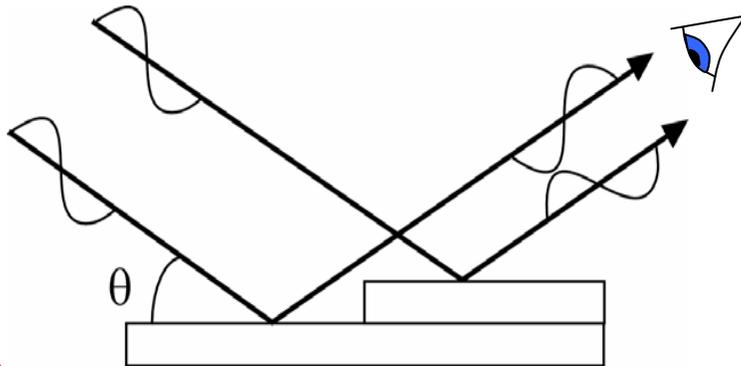
\*P. Fenter, C. Park, Z. Zhang, and S. Wang, submitted (2006)



Step distributions on  $\text{KAlSi}_3\text{O}_8$  (001)



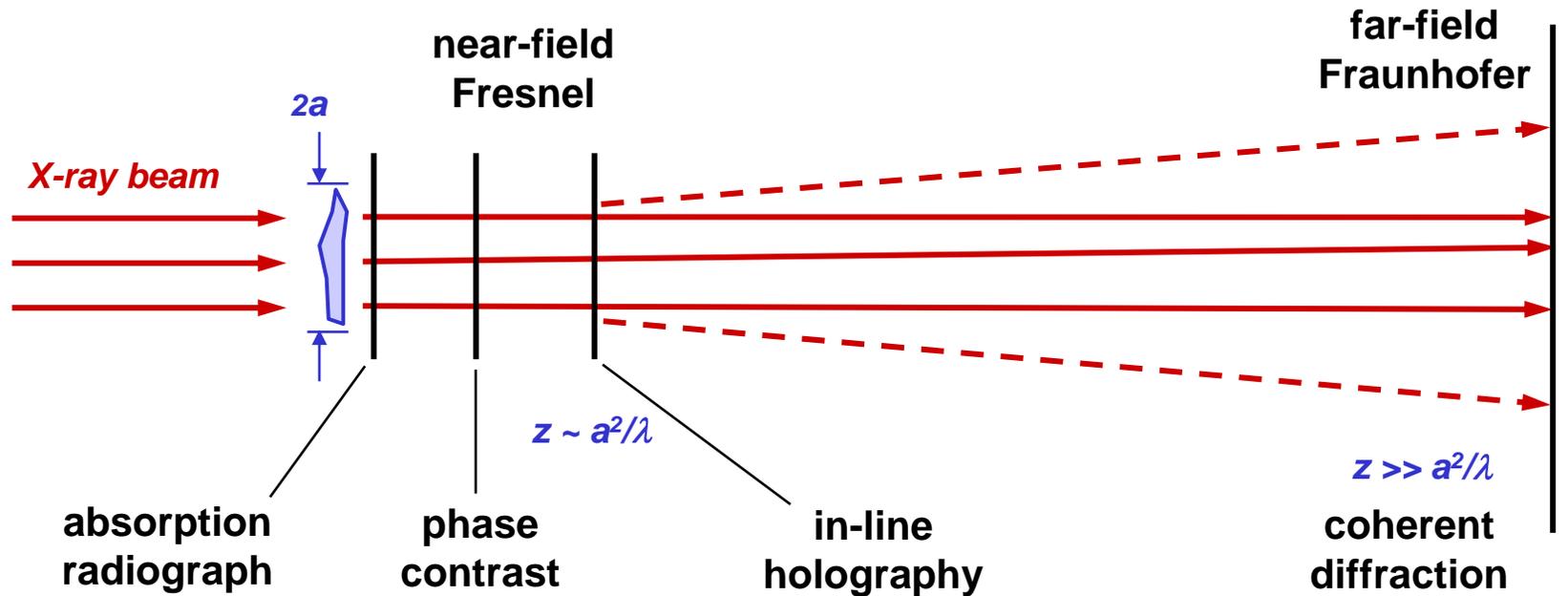
X-ray Reflection Interface Microscopy



*Non-invasive structural tool (no probe tip):*

- reactions in aggressive chemical conditions
- extreme pH, corrosive gases
- elevated temperature
- buried interfaces
- *in-situ, real-time observations of interfacial reactions*

# Different Regimes of X-ray Imaging



absorption radiograph

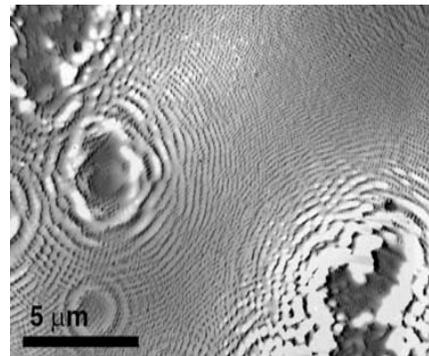


phase contrast



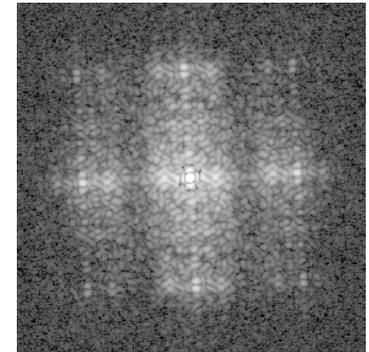
Kagoshima et al.  
JJAP (1999).

in-line holography



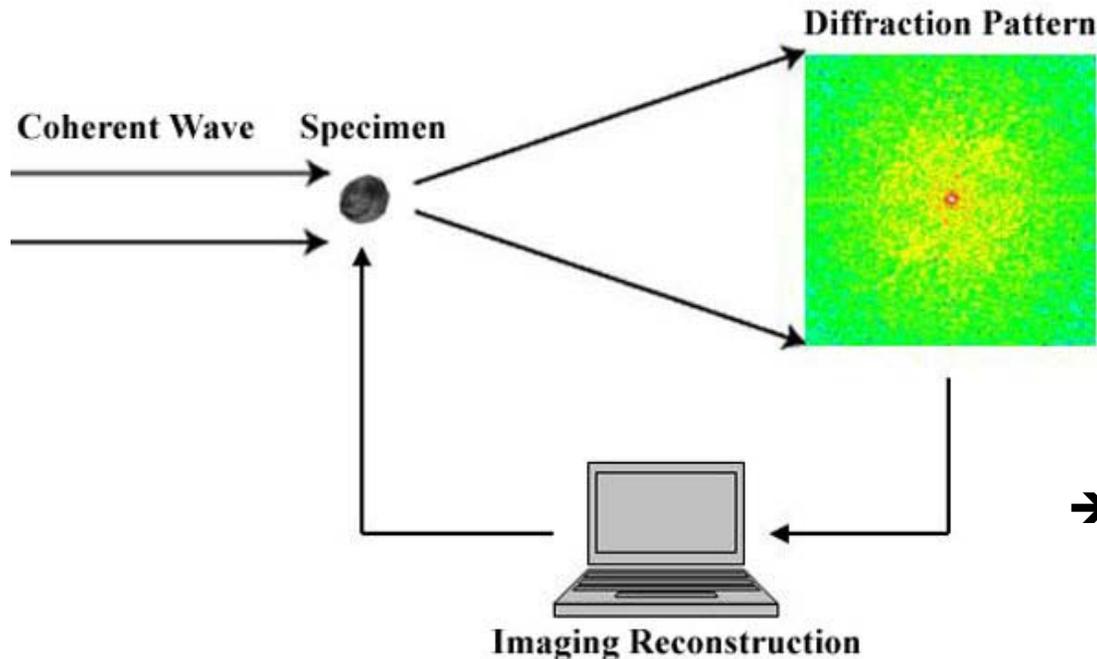
Jacobsen (2003).

coherent diffraction



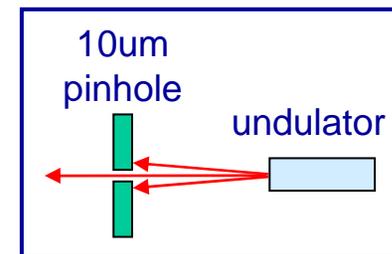
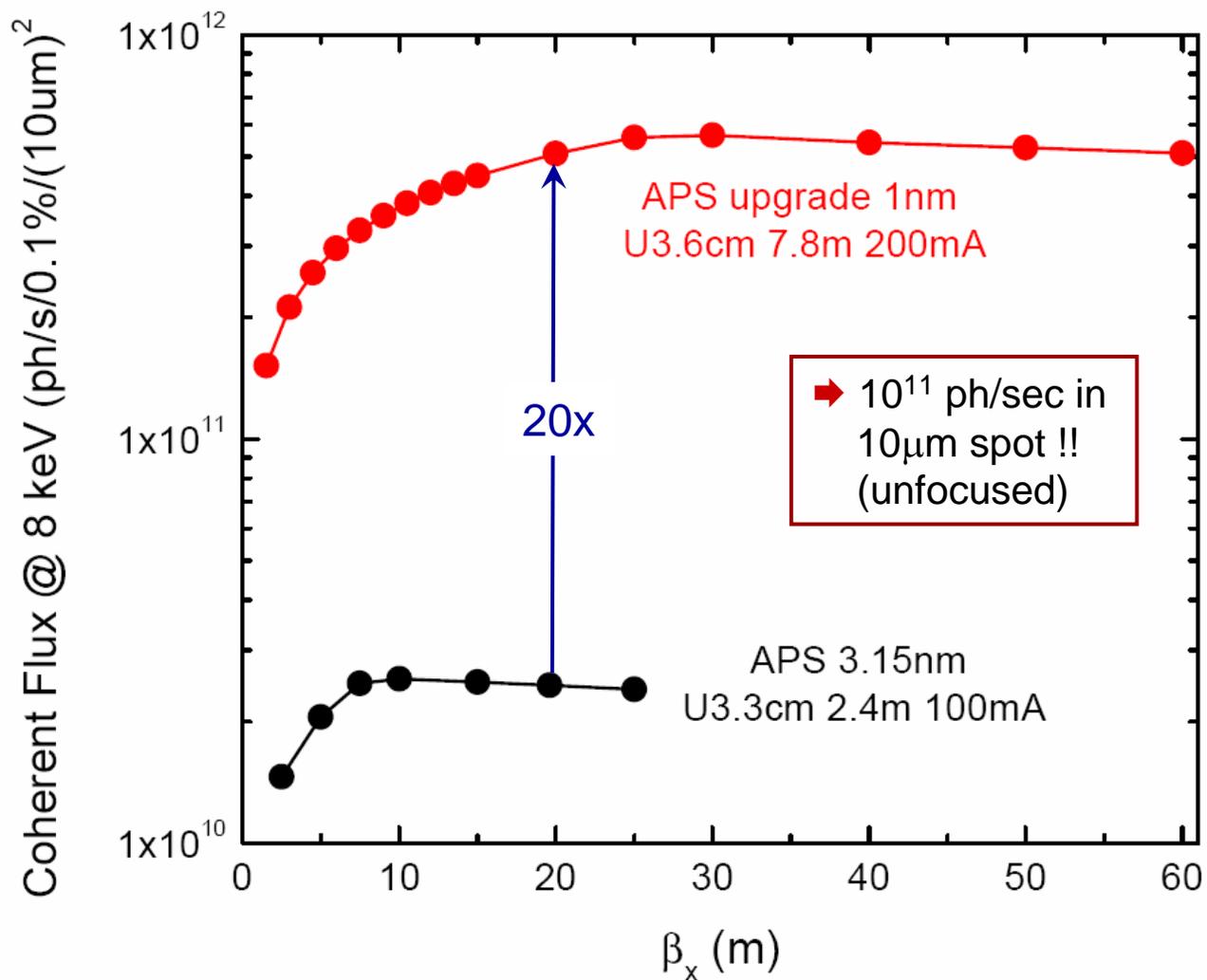
Miao et al.  
Nature (1999).

# Coherent X-ray Diffraction Imaging



- Coherent diffraction imaging is much like crystallography but applied to **noncrystalline** materials
- First proposed by David Sayre in 1980, and first experimental demonstration by John Miao et al in 1999 using soft x-rays
- Requires a **fully coherent** x-ray beam

# Effects of APS Upgrade on Coherent Diffraction



$$\sigma_x = \sqrt{\epsilon_x \beta_x}$$

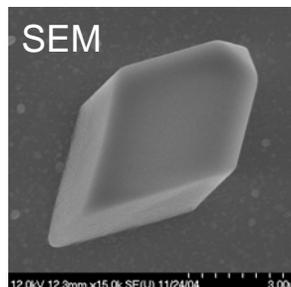
$$\sigma_{x'} = \sqrt{\epsilon_x / \beta_x}$$

## In addition:

- ➔ Detectors: faster readout, high sensitivity & dynamic range
- ➔ Improve S/N by reducing background

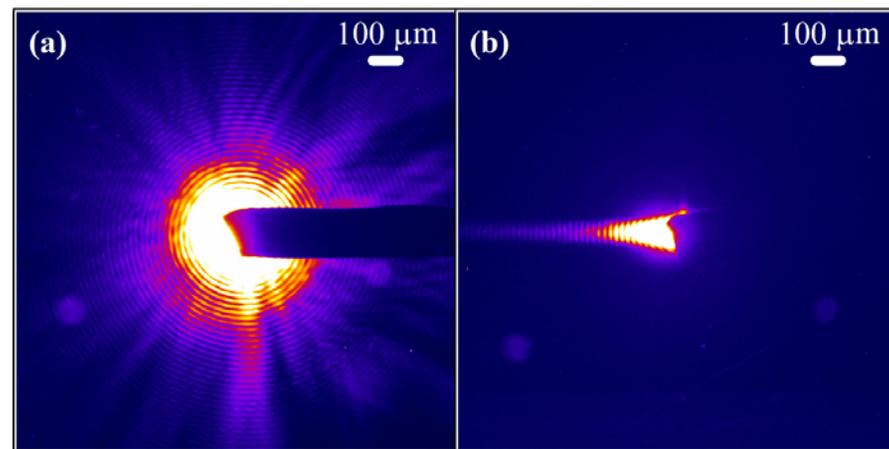
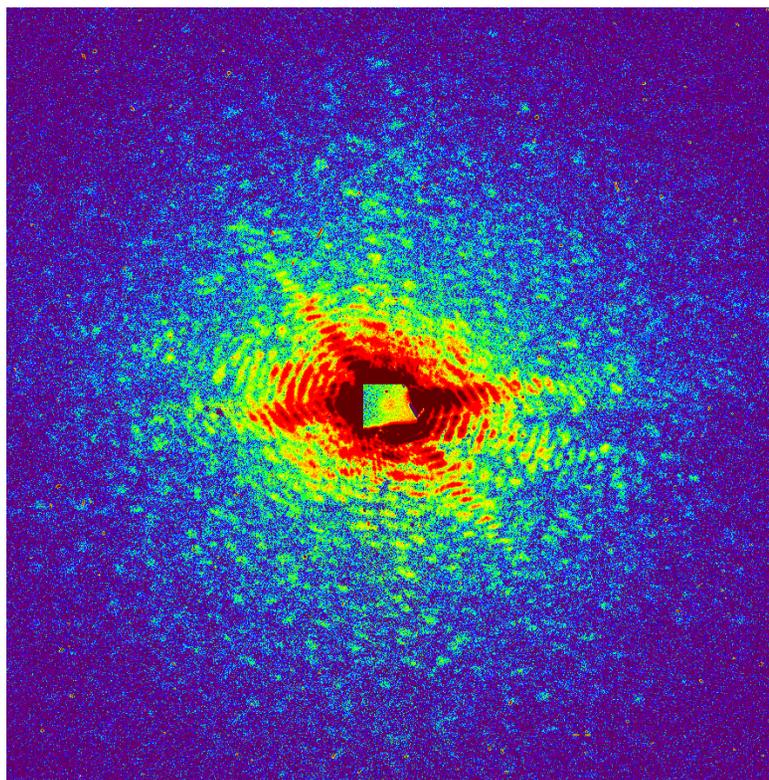
# Improving S/N with Crystal Guard Aperture

Xiao, de Jonge, Chu & Shen,  
submitted (2006)



Sample: Y. Xiao

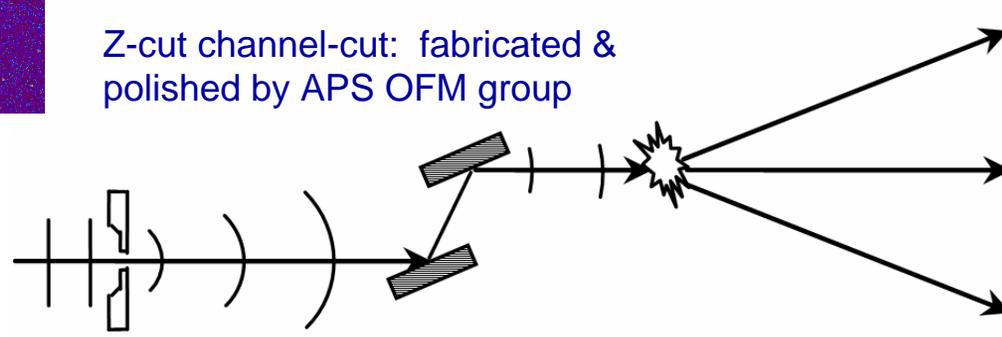
*Pb microparticle  
electrodeposited  
on Si-N window*



Z-cut channel-cut: fabricated &  
polished by APS OFM group

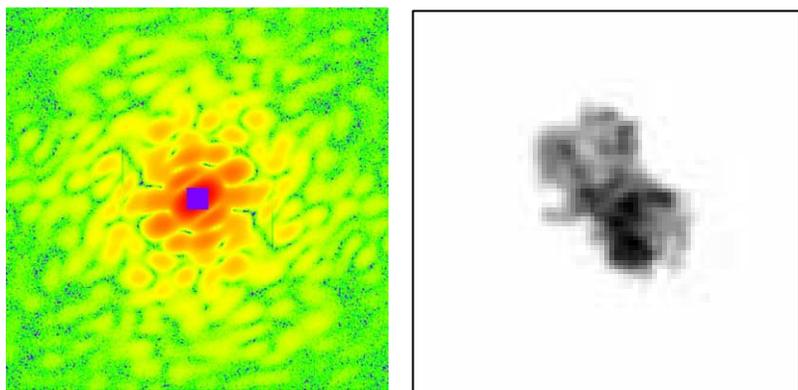
X-ray energy: 8.16 keV

Highest angle signal  
⇔ ~45nm resolution

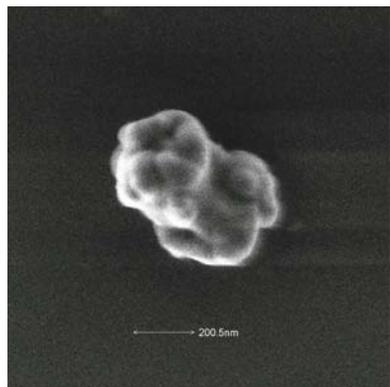


# Internal Structure and Strain of Nanoparticles

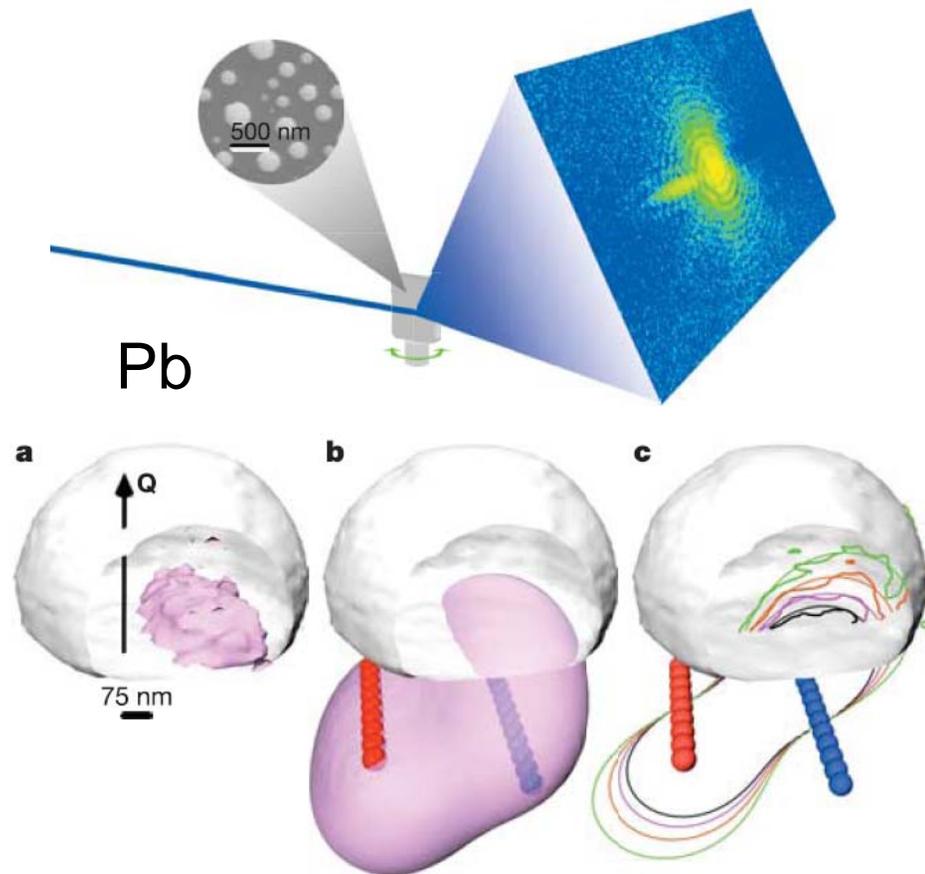
Miao et al, "Quantitative Image Reconstruction of GaN Quantum Dots from Oversampled Diffraction Intensities Alone", *Phys. Rev. Lett.* (2005)



GaN

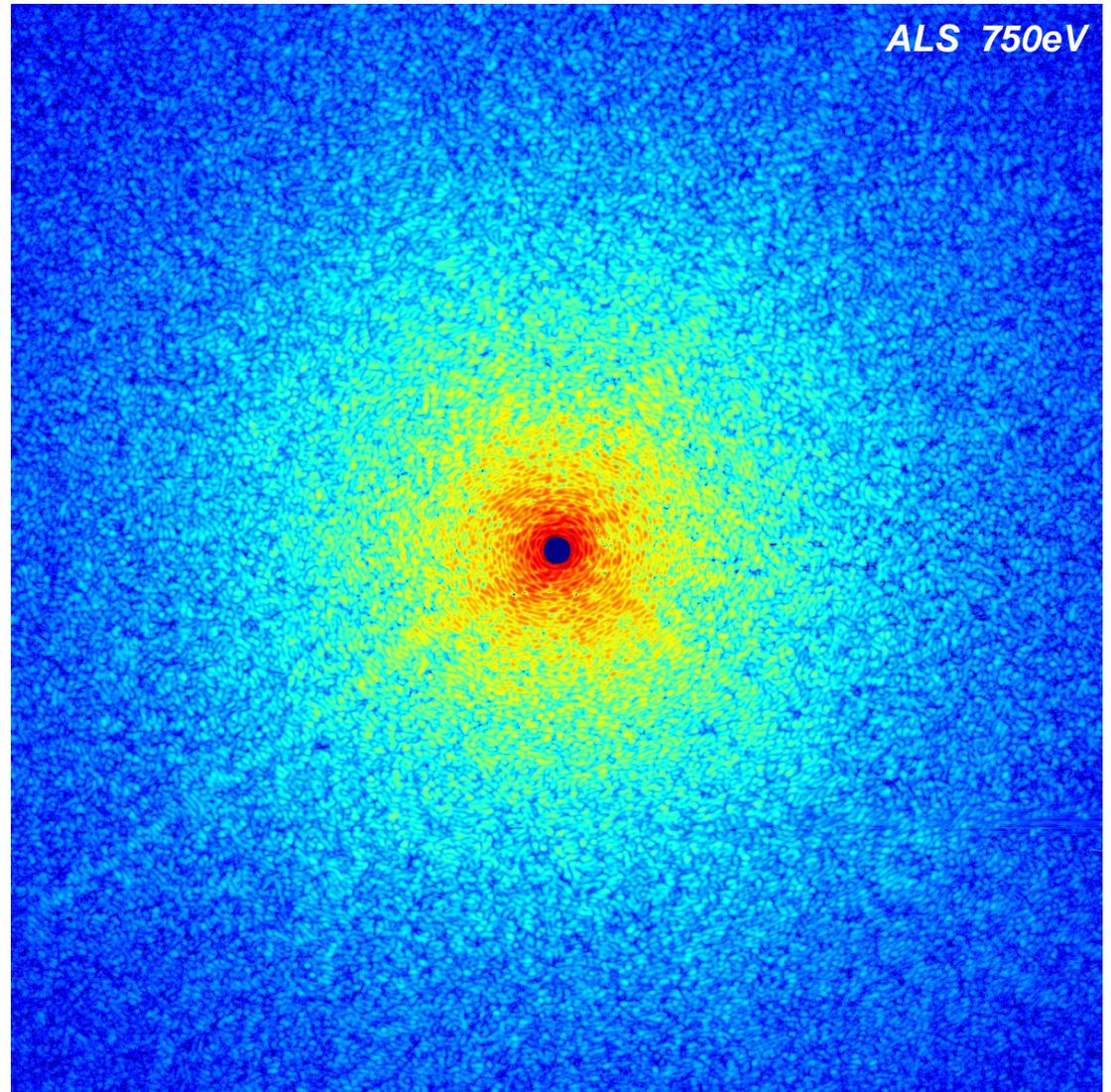
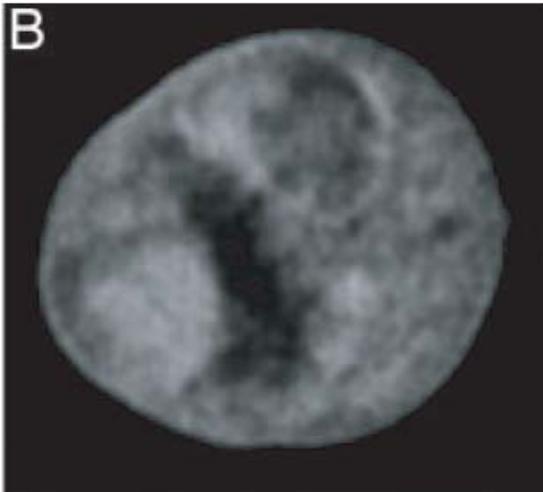
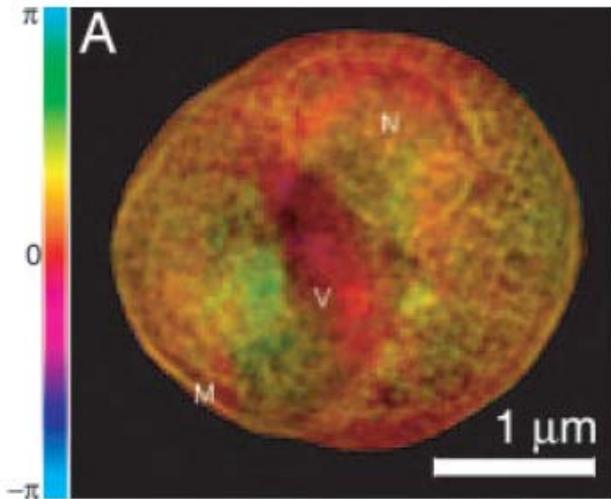


M.A. Pferfer et al., "Three-dimensional mapping of a deformation field inside a nanocrystal", *Nature* 442, 63 (2006)



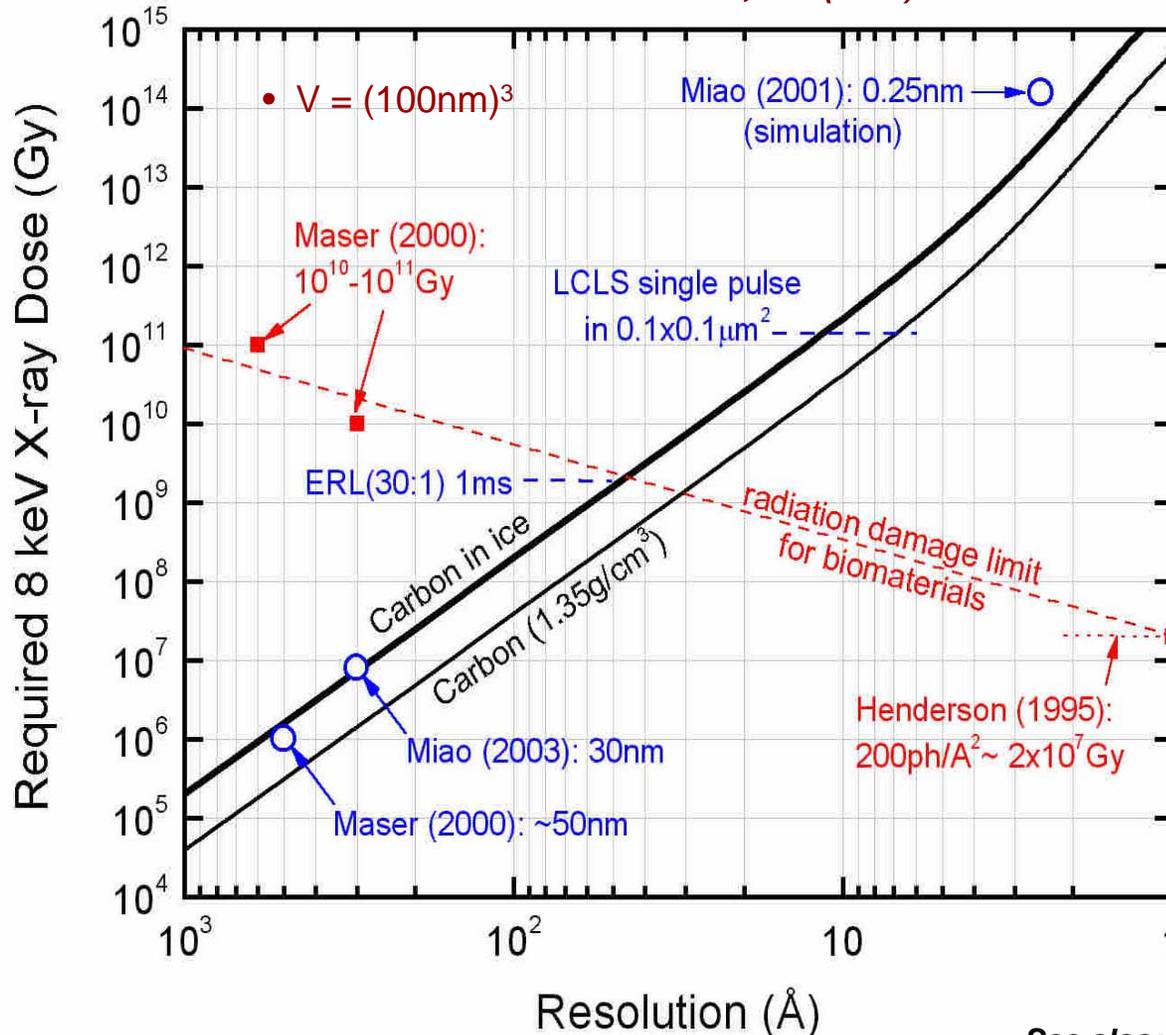
# Coherent Diffraction Imaging of Freeze-dried Yeast Cell

Shapiro et al. PNAS 102,  
15343 (2005)



# Dose vs. Resolution & Radiation Damage (biomaterials)

Shen et al. JSR 11, 432 (2004)



$$Dose = \frac{(I_0 \Delta t) \mu \cdot E}{\rho}$$

To go beyond  
damage limit:

- Femtosecond diffraction with XFEL pulses [Hajdu 2000]
- Self-assembled macromolecule array
- Continuous stream of molecules oriented by laser [Spence 2004]

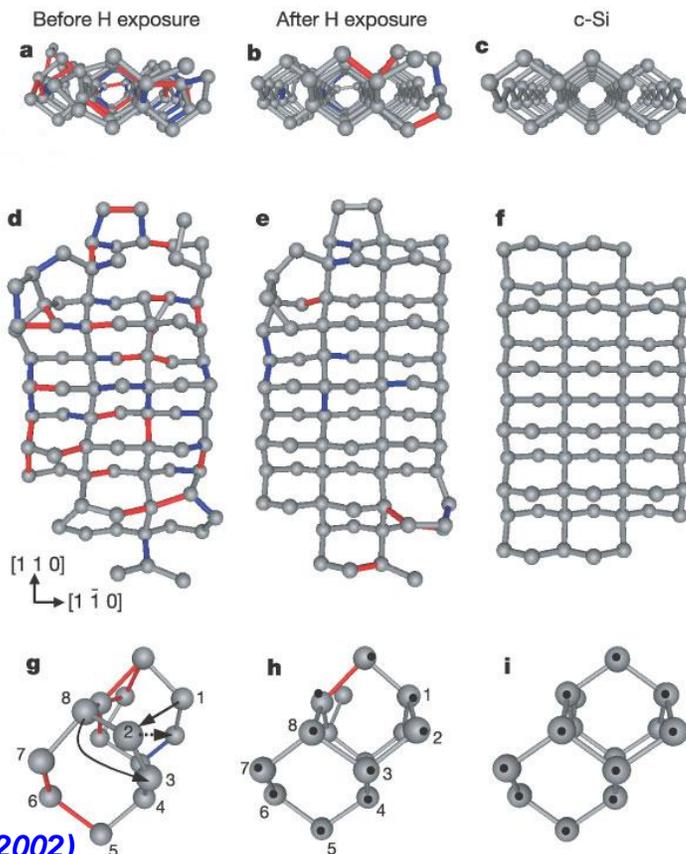
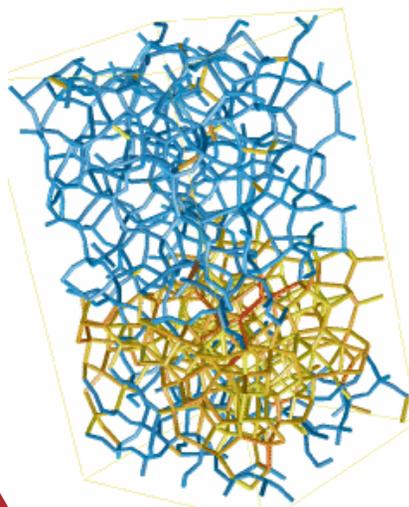
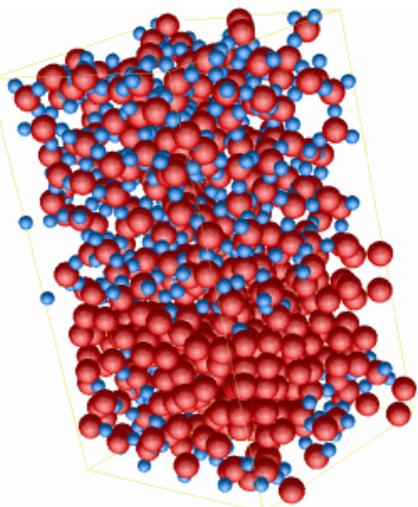
See also: Marchesini et al. Opt. Express (2003)

# New Opportunities with Coherent Diffraction Imaging

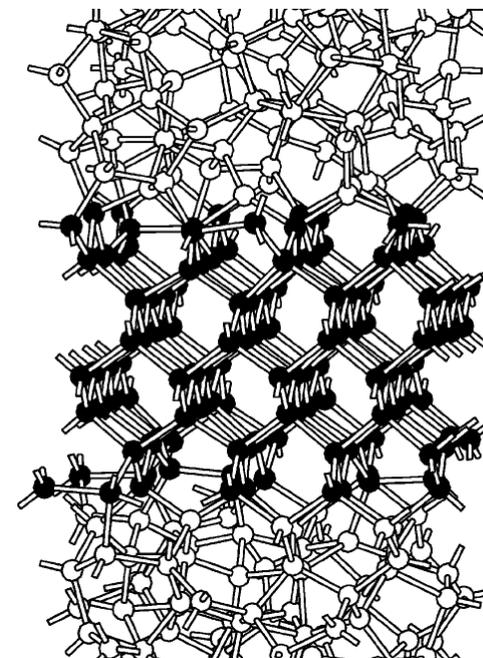
Veit Elser (Cornell)

Amorphous Silicon ( $\alpha$ -Si):

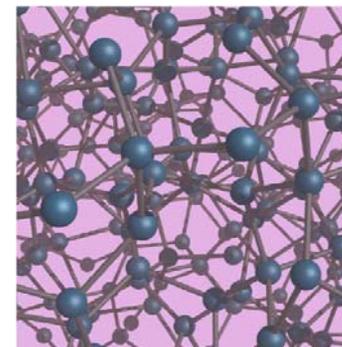
- atomic resolution structure data still lacking
- one of grand challenges in solid state physics



*Nature* 418, 62 (2002)

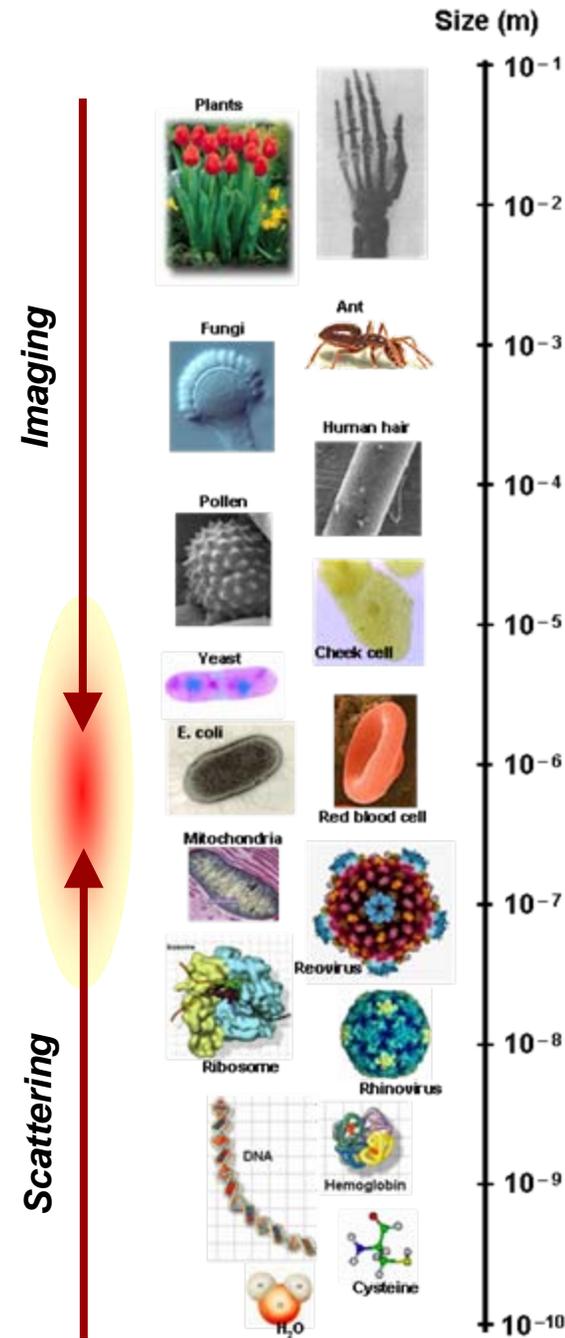


*PRB* 58, 4579 (1998)



# Thoughts on APS Upgrade & CDI

- ❖ **Coherent X-ray Diffraction Imaging** is an exciting research field with many potential applications, but requires further R&D and optimizations of both experiments and theory.
- ❖ **Upgraded APS** is expected to deliver ~20x more coherent hard x-rays in typical CDI experiments. Along with R&D in optimized experimental conditions, APS offers excellent opportunities to play a leading role in realizing the full potentials of emerging CDI applications.
- ❖ **Emerging Applications:**
  - structure and strain in nanoparticles
  - atomic structure of amorphous materials
  - 2D crystallography for e.g. membrane proteins
  - few unit-cell crystals
  - organelle structures in biological cells
  - laser-oriented macromolecules
  - bio-organic-inorganic hybrid structures

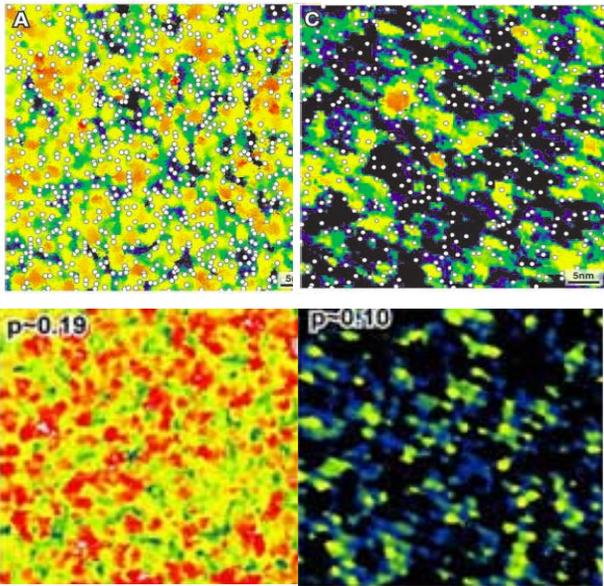


# Domains and domain wall fluctuations

Oleg Shpyrko & Eric Isaacs

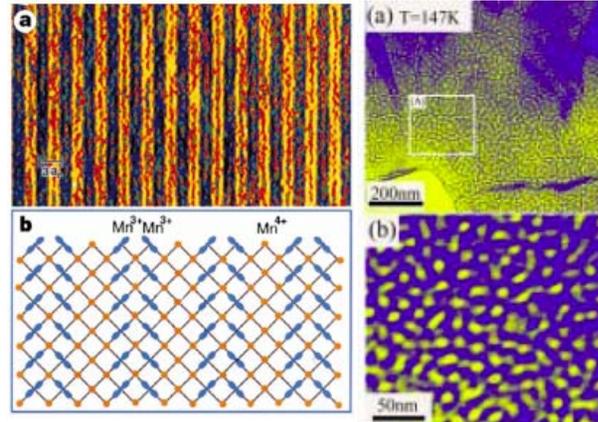
Strongly competing spin, charge, orbital, lattice degrees of freedom: inhomogeneities

## High-T<sub>c</sub> cuprates:



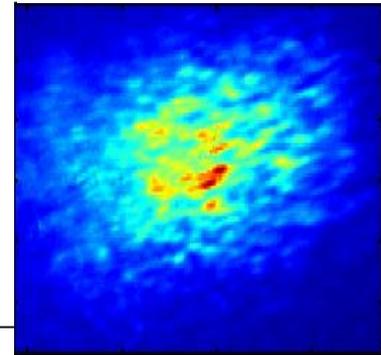
K. McElroy, S. Davis et al., *Science* (2004)

## CMR manganites:



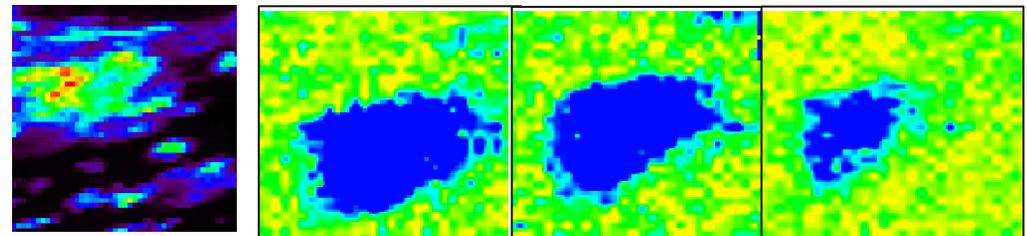
S. Mori et al., *Nature* (1998)  
M. Uehara et al., *Nature* (1999)

**XPCS:**  
Coherent x-ray speckle image



## AFM Chromium:

charge- and spin-density wave domains:



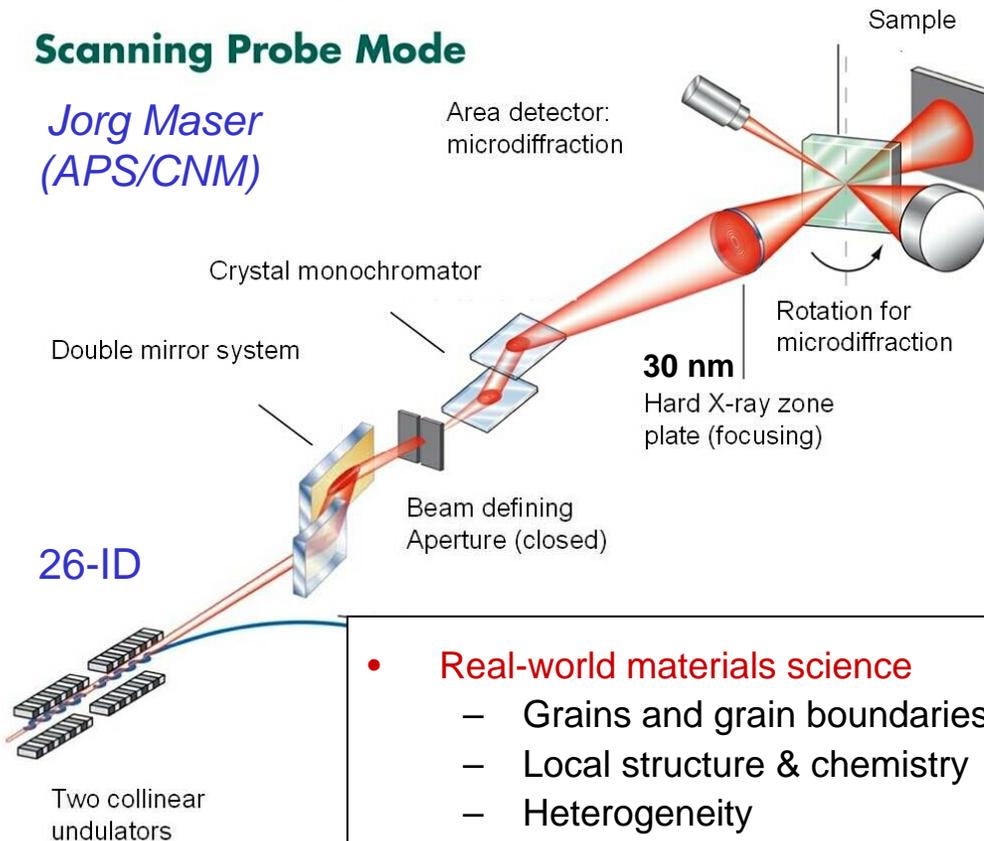
P. G. Evans, E. D. Isaacs, et al., *Science* (2002)

# Science with Nano-focused X-rays

## APS/CNM Nanoprobe

### Scanning Probe Mode

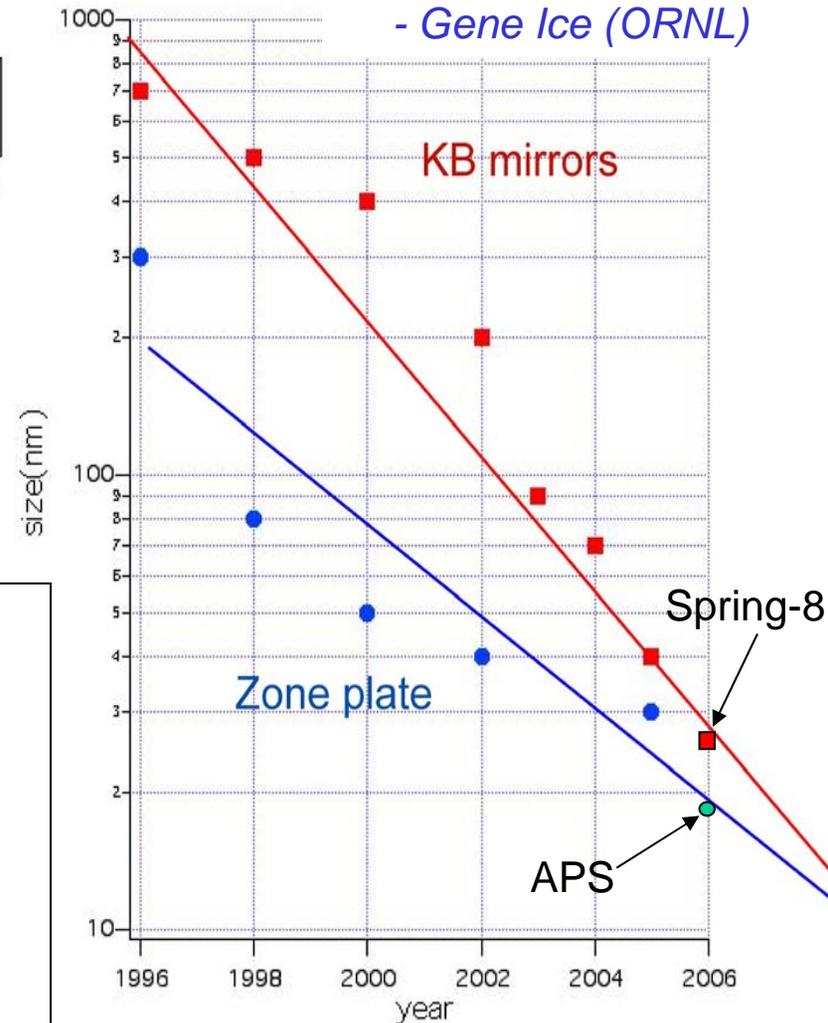
Jorg Maser  
(APS/CNM)



- **Real-world materials science**
  - Grains and grain boundaries
  - Local structure & chemistry
  - Heterogeneity
  - Defects/ correlations
- **Trace elements in biology**
  - Biological cells
  - Soft tissues
  - Bionanotechnology

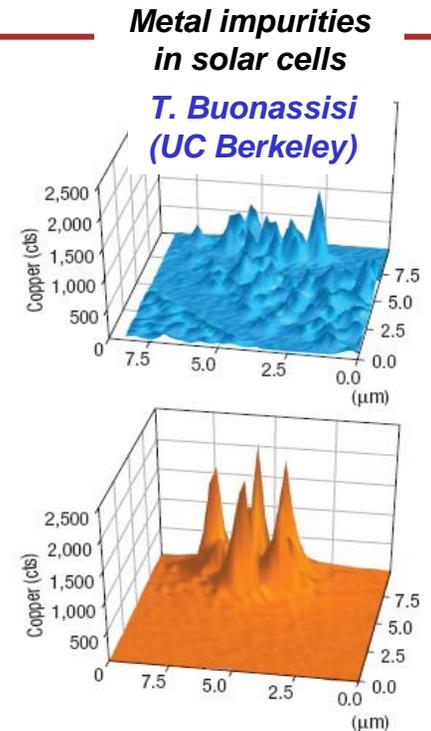
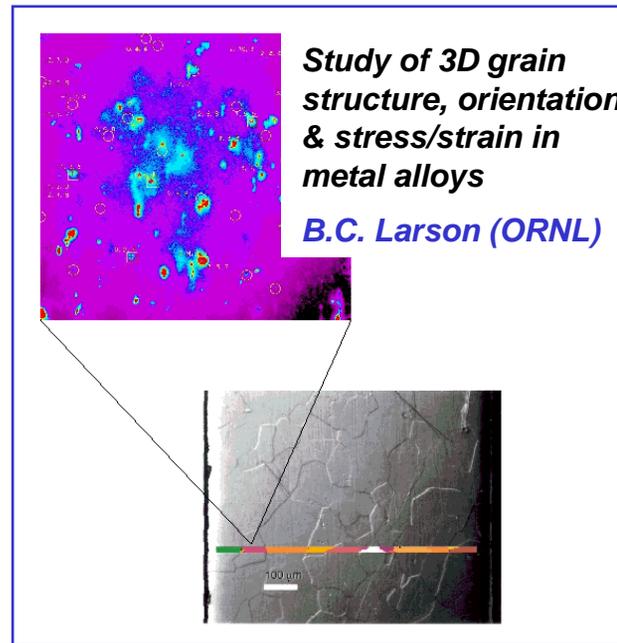
## Small beams change everything!

- Gene Ice (ORNL)

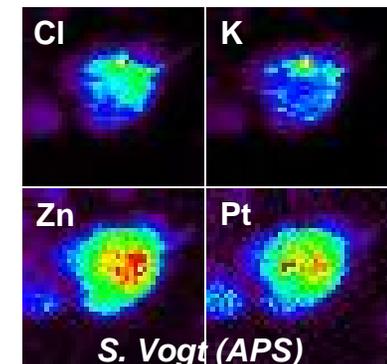


# X-ray Imaging of Functional Units in Materials Science and Biology

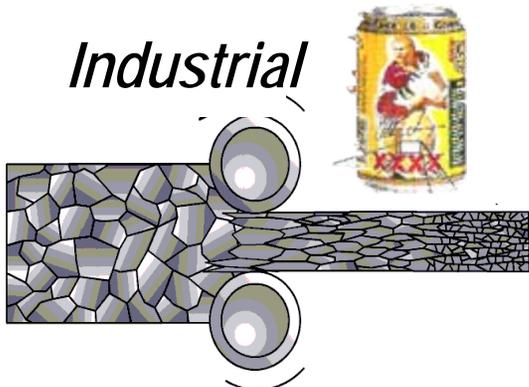
- Nano-focus beamline will be capable of focusing 10-20 keV x-rays down to **5 nm** in size, using latest x-ray optics developed at the APS and CNM
- Nanometer beam and improved detectors will provide unprecedented elemental sensitivity to **sub-zepto ( $<10^{-21}$ ) grams** for trace metals (e.g. Zn, Fe, Mn) in biological cells, with potential to locate **single metal atoms** at 5-nm resolution
- Enable molecular imaging of **metal-containing proteins, functional contrast agents, and novel therapeutic drugs** at the organelle level
- Single-atom detectability for materials science will offer a non-destructive penetrating probe for impurity/defect studies and **nano-domain engineering** of functional electronic materials such as solar cells



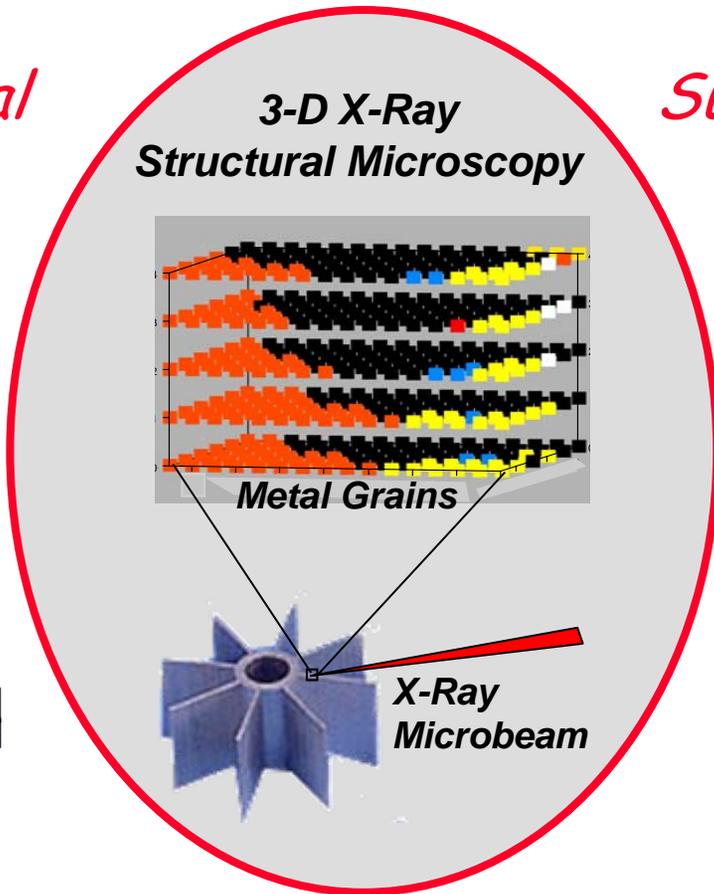
**Elemental distribution in a cisplatin-treated cancer cell**



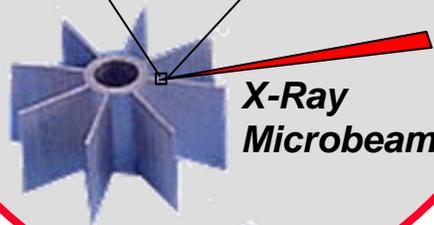
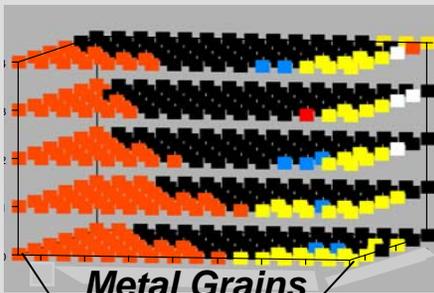
# Three-Dimensional X-Ray Structural Microscopy



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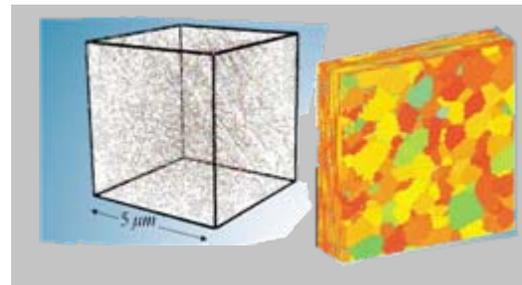


3-D X-Ray  
Structural Microscopy



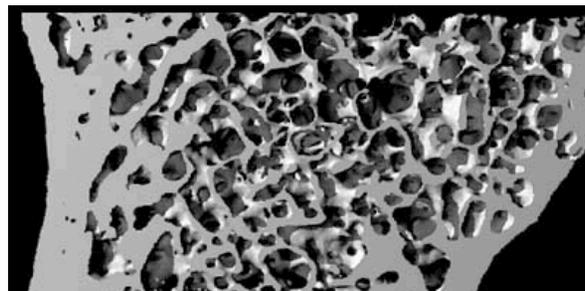
Submicron Resolution  
Nondestructive  
General

Fundamental

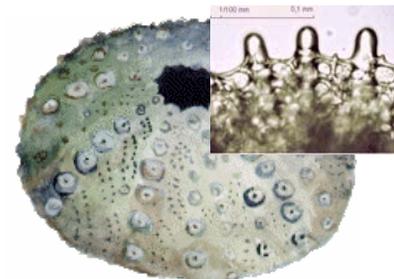


Multi-Scale Modeling

Biological

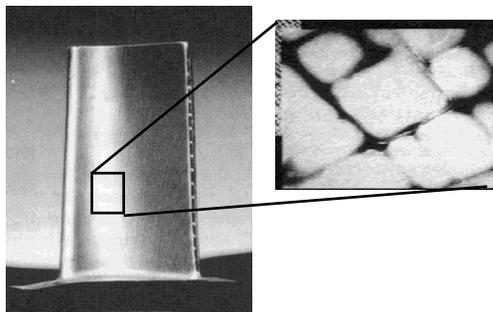


Bone Structure



Marine Structures

Technological



Turbine  
Blades

Ben Larson

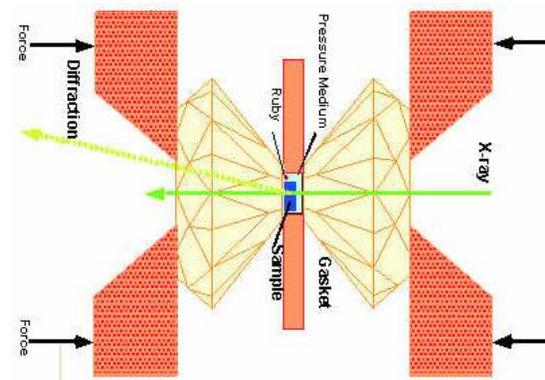
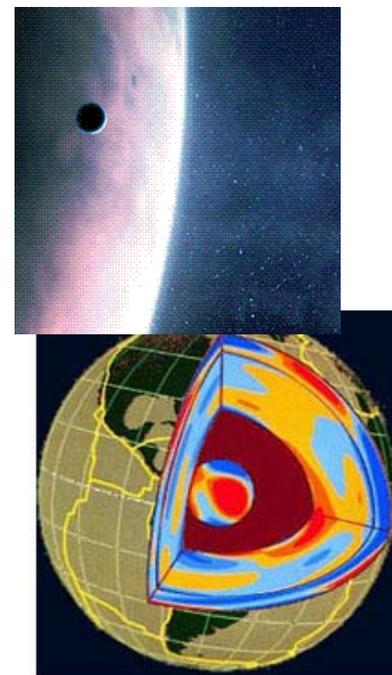
Microbeam X-Rays - ORNL



# New High-Pressure Frontiers with Nanofocus

David Mao (Carnegie Institute of Washington)

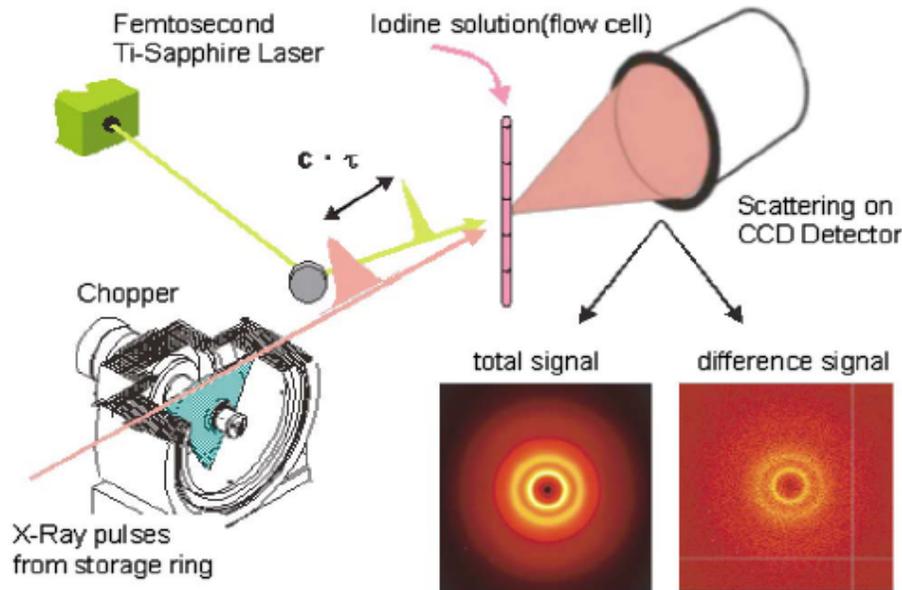
- Terapascal pressure with nanoscale probes – With tens of micrometer anvil tip and optical-x-ray probe, major breakthroughs were achieved in the 1970-80's to advance sustainable pressures from 50 to 350 GPa. With the new prospects of nanofabrication of diamond anvil tips and new facilities to probe high-pressure samples with tens of nanometer resolution, we can expect the **next breakthroughs of reaching TPa** pressures and opening the vast new areas for discovery of myriad novel materials and phenomena at nanoscale.
- Warm condensed matter at high pressures -- Up to 6,000 K temperatures have been achieved with laser-heating at high-pressure as a result of coordinated development of 5 micrometer x-ray probe on tens of micrometer focused laser-heating area. With the prospect of tens of nanometer x-ray probe, the heating spot can be reduced to the diffraction limit of the heating laser (<1  $\mu\text{m}$ ) and the maximum temperature could be greatly **extended above one electron volt (12,400 K)**, thus enabling static high-pressure research at warm condensed matter region including applications to astrophysics and high energy-density materials.



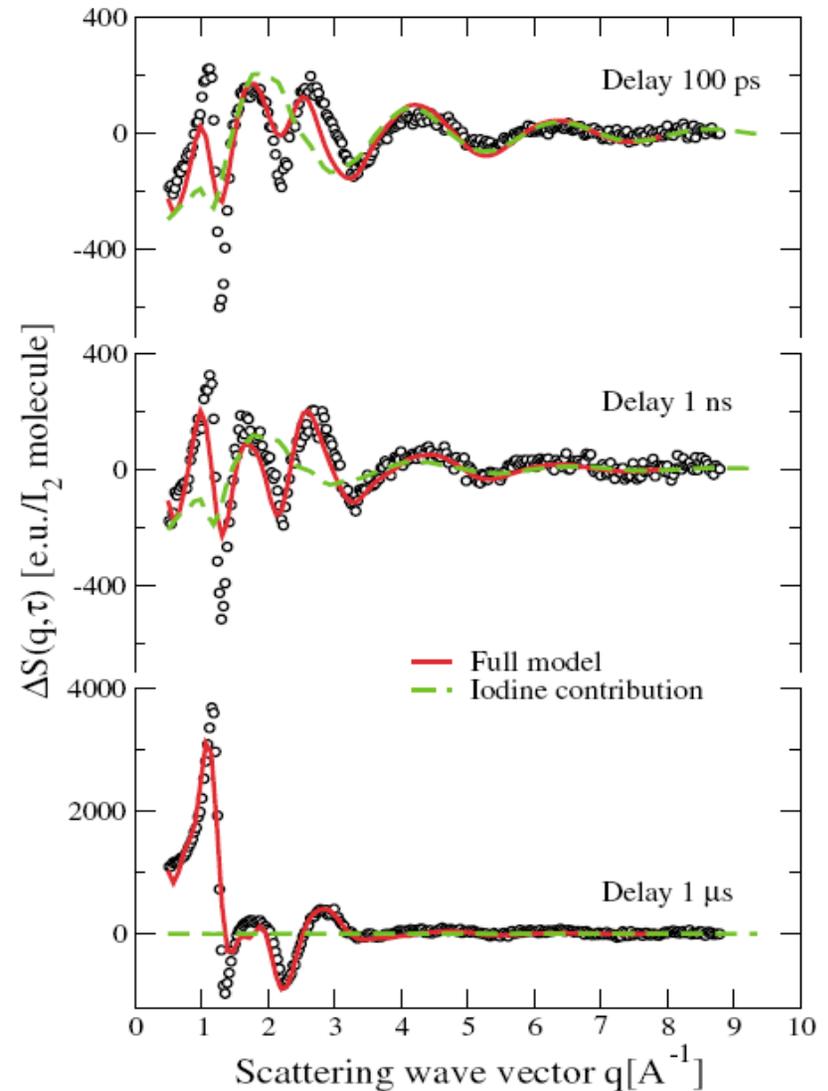
# Science with Short X-ray Pulses

Plech, Wulff, et al. PRL (2004)

## Visualizing Chemical Reactions in Solution by Picosecond X-Ray Diffraction

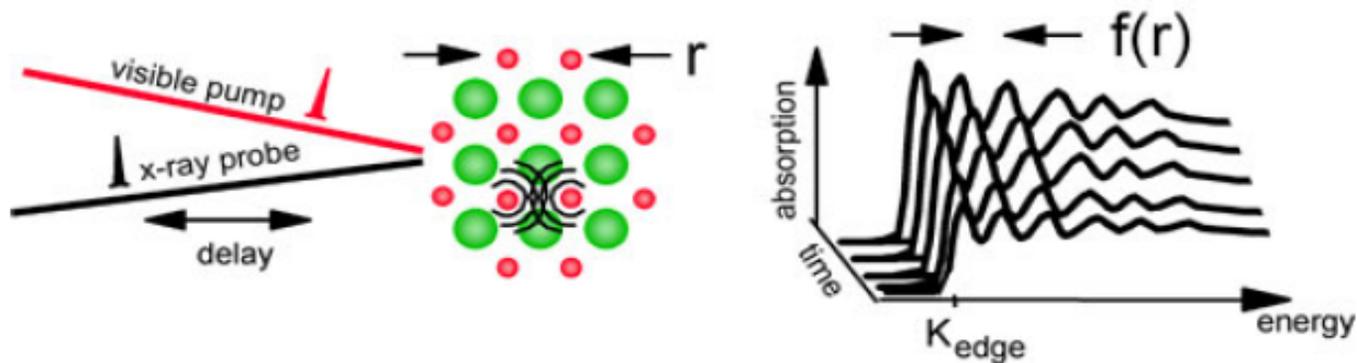


ESRF



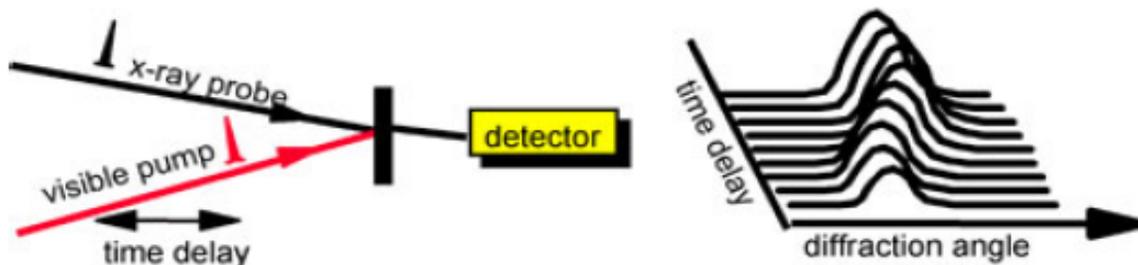
# Laser-pump, X-ray probe Experiments

## Time-resolved EXAFS, NEXAFS, surface EXAFS



*D. Reis  
(Michigan)*

## Time-resolved x-ray diffraction

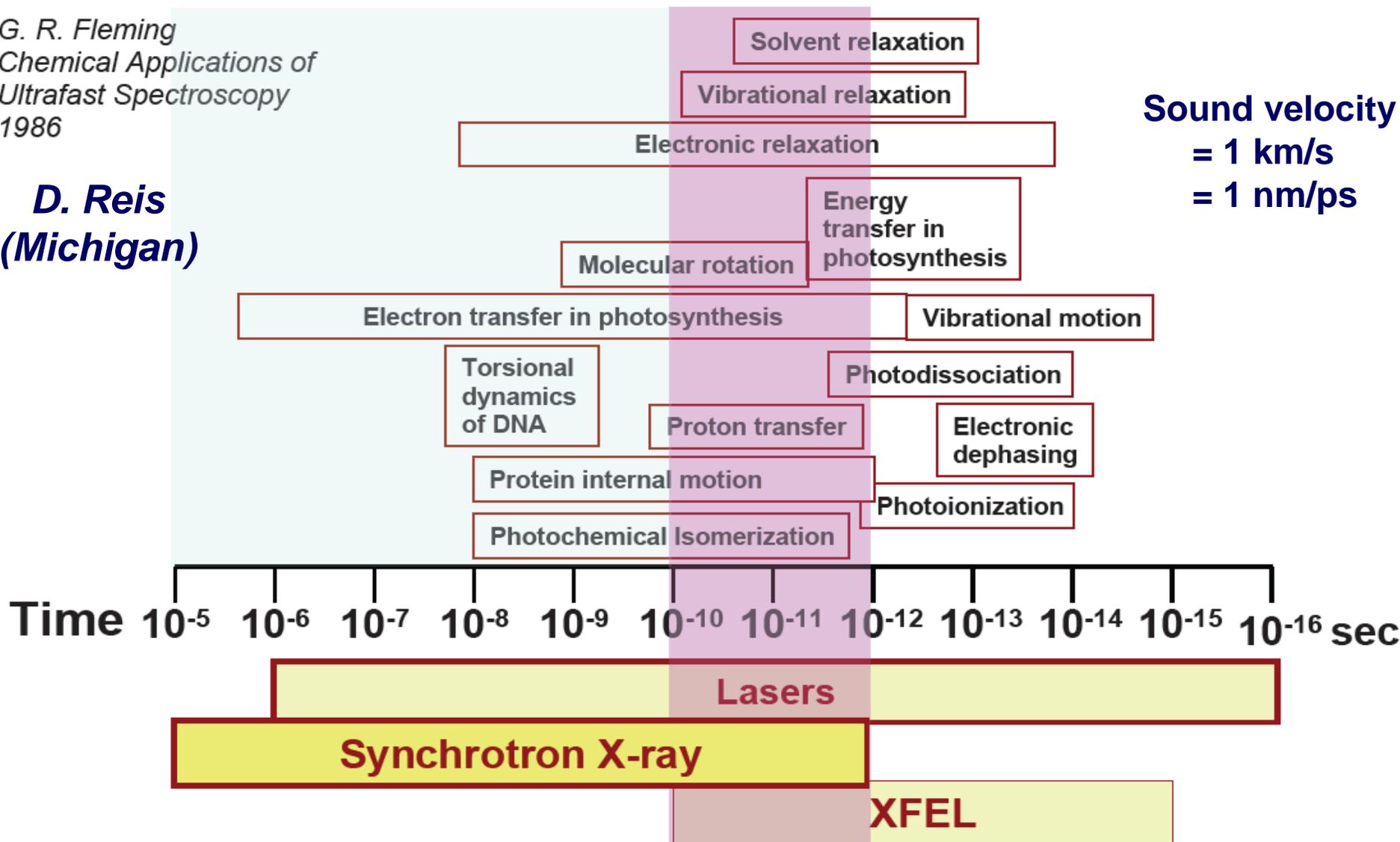


# Multiple Temporal Scales in Chemical Sciences

G. R. Fleming  
*Chemical Applications of  
Ultrafast Spectroscopy*  
1986

**D. Reis  
(Michigan)**

**Sound velocity**  
= 1 km/s  
= 1 nm/ps

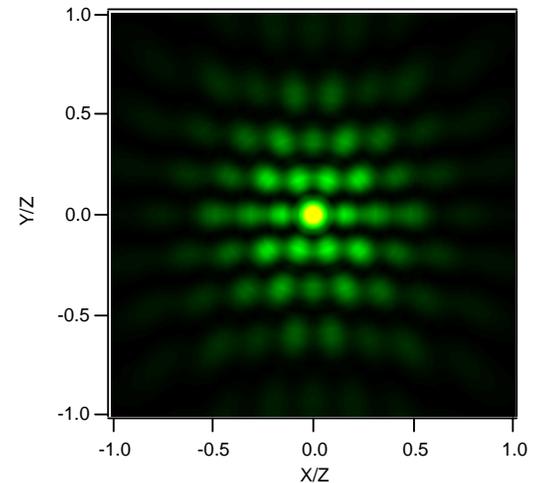
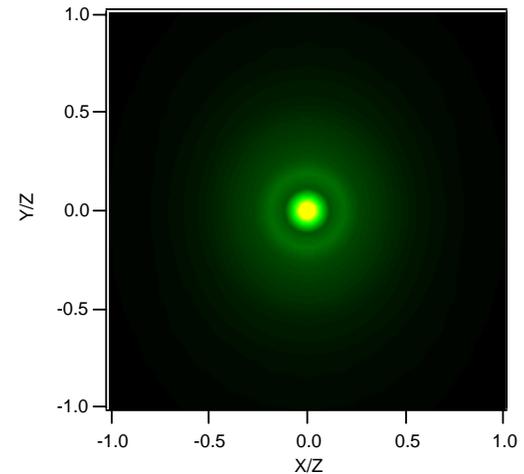
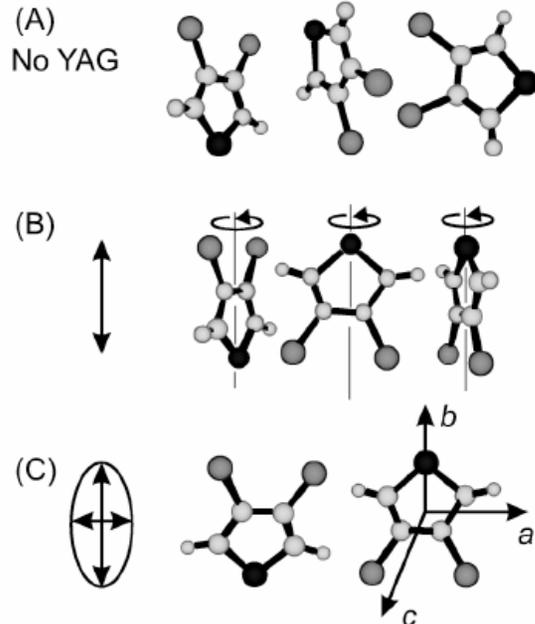


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# Laser Alignment of Complex Molecules

Linda Young (ANL) - Cornell ERL Workshop (2006)

3-D alignment w/elliptically polz'd fields  
3,4 dibromothiophene



J.J. Larsen et al., PRL 85, 2470 (2000)



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**Thank You !**

