

Fast Orbit Feedback at the SLS

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Stability Requirements

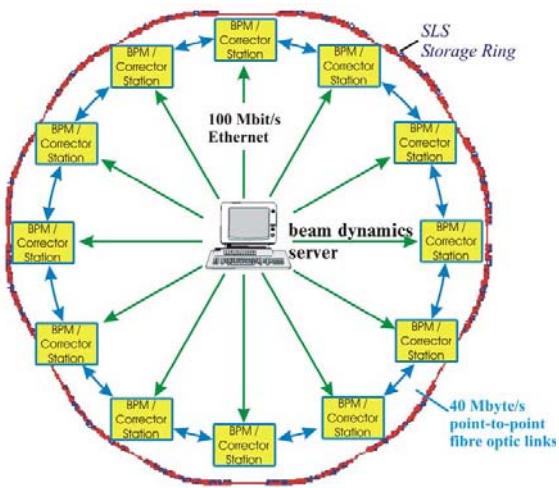
- **Angular stability:** $\Delta\Theta_{beam} < 1 \mu\text{rad}$ *
* typical $< 10 \mu\text{m}$ at the experiment
- **Position stability:**
 $\sigma/10$ at Insertion Devices (ID)
→ low beta ID: vertical beam size $\sim 10 \mu\text{m}$ (1% coupling)
→ **1 μm RMS in vertical plane**
- **suppression** of orbit distortion up to 100 Hz by factor of >5
- fast compensation of orbit distortions due to **ID gap changes**

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Fast Orbit Feedback Layout

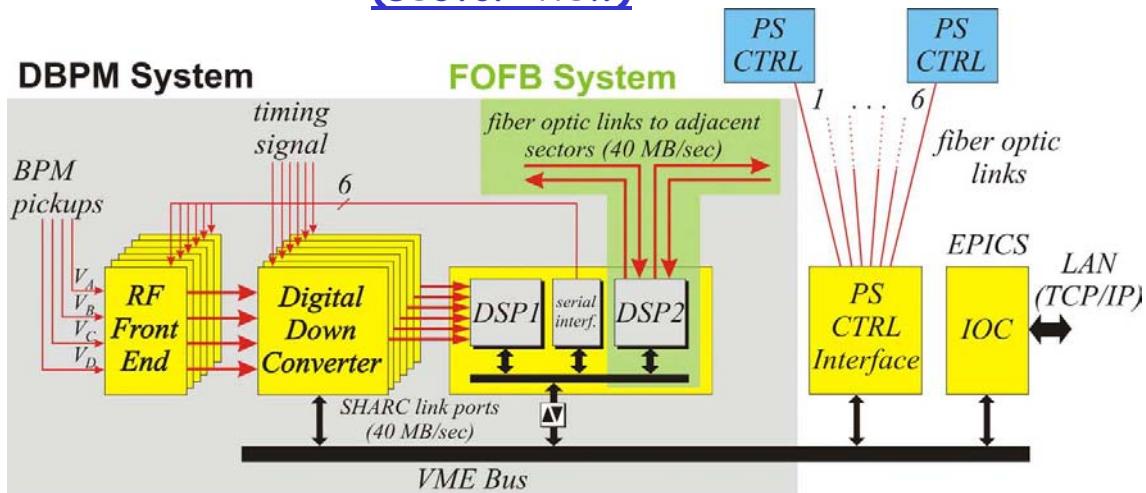
- only **one** feedback
- 6 BPMs / 6 corrector magnets in each plane, 12 sectors
- **decentralized** data processing
- sampling and correction rate: 4 kHz
- point-to-point fiber optic ring structure for global data exchange
- initialization and control by beam dynamics application (BD server)
- Femto project: additional BPM(s) and corrector magnet(s)



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DBPM / Fast Orbit Feedback Hardware Layout (sector view)



- DSP processor: ADSP2106x (on the market since Sep. 1994)
- DDC: Intersil HSP50214 (on the market since ~1997)

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FOFB: A highly sophisticated system

Required Subsystems:

- 72 DBPMs
- fast network for real time data exchange (24 modules)
- power supplies (144 PS + 24 VME interface boards)
- timing system (12 boards + ...)
- network
- control system (vxWorks, EPICS, Linux, Oracle DB)
- beam dynamics services
- “operator...” ☺

A failure in any subsystem will result in failure of the FOFB...

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Performance: Stability Frequency Ranges

- **short term stability:** ~ 6 ms – 1 s (1 Hz – 150 Hz)

mainly limited by

- BPM resolution
- corrector magnet resolution
- system latency
- eddy currents in vacuum chambers

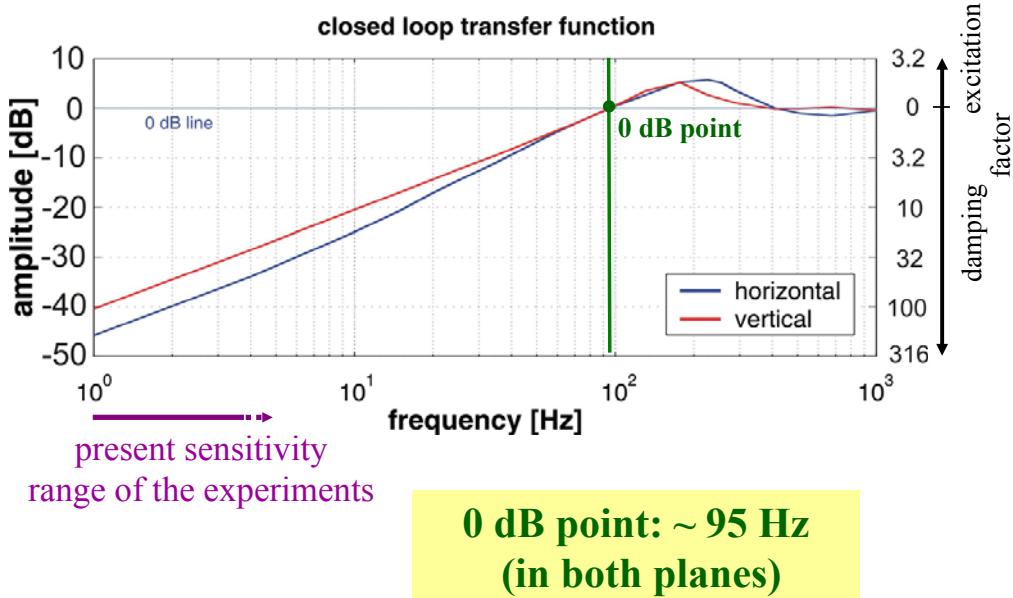
- **long term stability:** 1 s – days (run period)

mainly limited by

- reliability of hardware components
- systematic errors of BPMs
- thermal equilibrium of the machine (→ top-up)

Performance: Short Term Stability

transfer function measurement

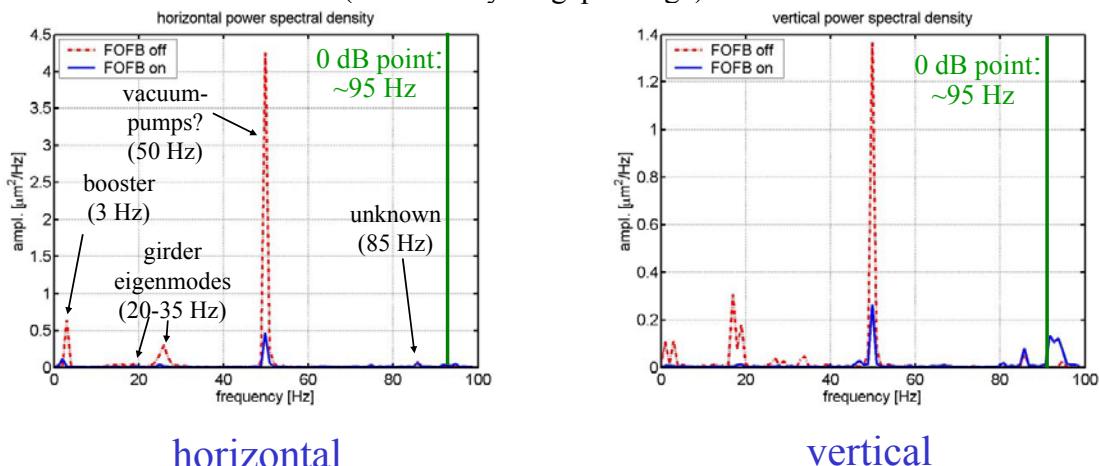


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FOFB: spectral power density (1-100 Hz)

Fast Orbit Feedback off/on (without any ID gap change)



(measured at tune BPM, outside of the feedback loop, $\beta_x=11$ m, $\beta_y=18$ m)

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FOFB: Cumulated Power Spectral Density (1-150 Hz)

	horizontal		vertical	
FOFB	off	on	off	on
1- 100 Hz	0.83 $\mu\text{m} \cdot \sqrt{\beta_x}$	0.38 $\mu\text{m} \cdot \sqrt{\beta_x}$	0.40 $\mu\text{m} \cdot \sqrt{\beta_y}$	0.27 $\mu\text{m} \cdot \sqrt{\beta_y}$
100-150 Hz	0.08 $\mu\text{m} \cdot \sqrt{\beta_x}$	0.17 $\mu\text{m} \cdot \sqrt{\beta_x}$	0.06 $\mu\text{m} \cdot \sqrt{\beta_y}$	0.11 $\mu\text{m} \cdot \sqrt{\beta_y}$
1-150 Hz	0.83 $\mu\text{m} \cdot \sqrt{\beta_x}$	0.41 $\mu\text{m} \cdot \sqrt{\beta_x}$	0.41 $\mu\text{m} \cdot \sqrt{\beta_y}$	0.29 $\mu\text{m} \cdot \sqrt{\beta_y}$

RMS values to be scaled with $\sqrt{\beta}$ at desired location

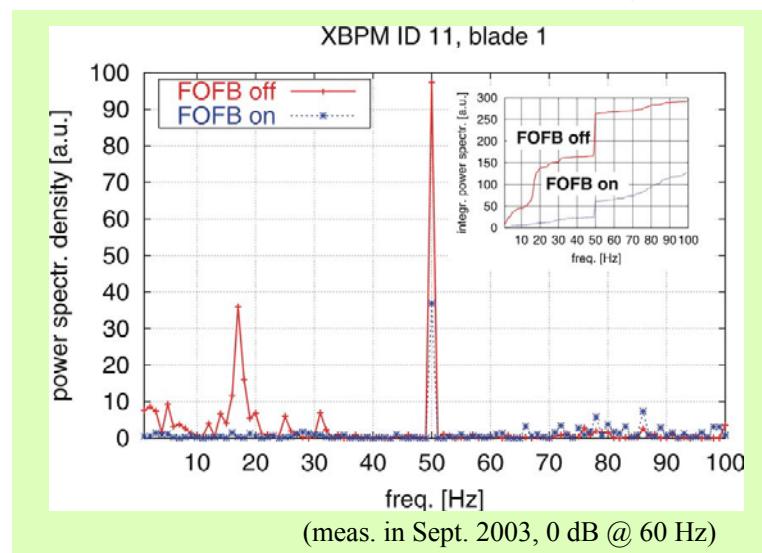
Examples (with FOFB):

Tune BPM ($\beta_y=18$ m): $\sigma_y = \sqrt{18} \cdot 0.29 \mu\text{m} = 1.2 \mu\text{m}$ (1 – 150 Hz)

Source point at ID 6S ($\beta_y=0.9$ m): $\sigma_y = \sqrt{0.9} \cdot 0.29 \mu\text{m} = 0.28 \mu\text{m}$ (1 – 150 Hz)

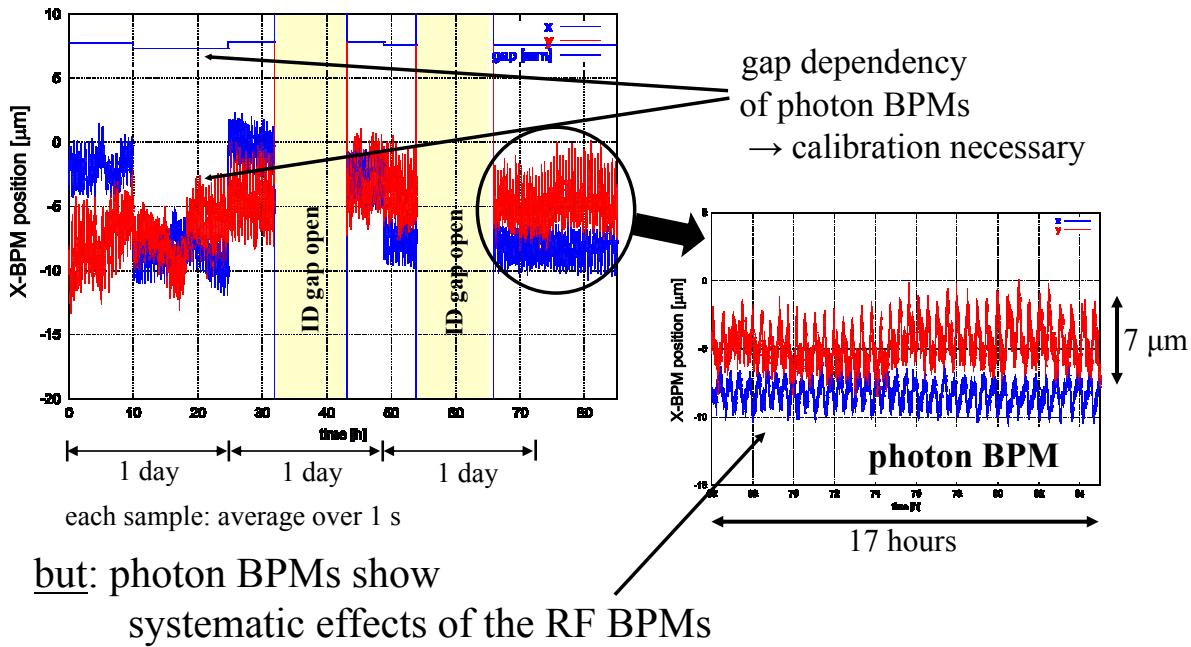
Performance: Short Term Stability (external reference: Photon BPM at beamline 11M)

- power spectral density @ single PBPM blade
- no synchronous readout of all 4 blades yet to determine hor./ver. PSD



⇒ successful suppression of noise sources originating from the electron beam

Performance: Long Term Stability (external reference: PBPM at beamline 6S)



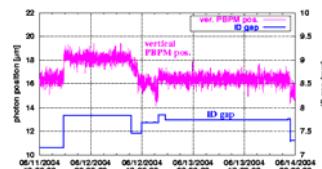
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Performance: Long Term Stability

Strategy:

- if photon BPMs are reliable enough
 - ⇒ used to minimize systematic effects of RF BPMs, girder drifts, temperature drifts, etc.
 - ⇒ slow PBPM feedback which changes reference orbit of FOFB (asymmetric bump)
 - ⇒ keep photon beam position constant at first PBPM
- so far: only one PBPM at ID beamline 4S and 6S is reliable enough and understood to be integrated in PBPM feedback
- **filling pattern feedback** to keep bunch pattern constant



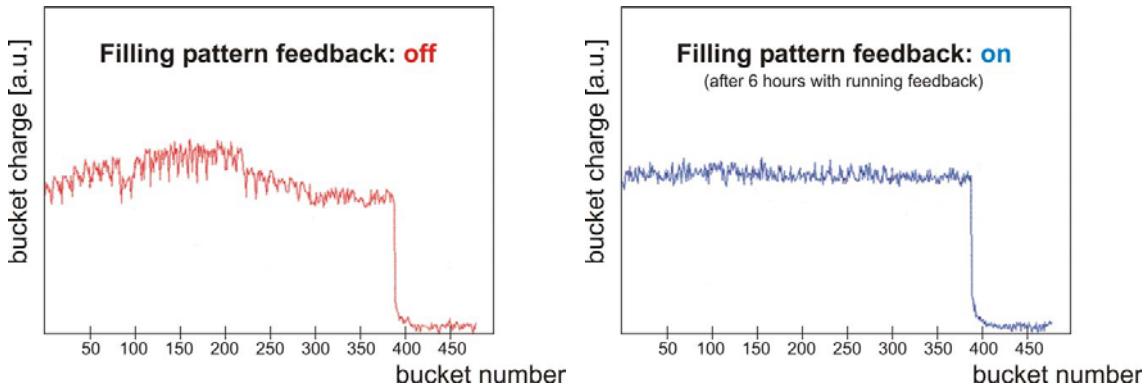
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Filling Pattern Feedback

Standard SLS filling pattern:

- 390 buckets filled
- gap of 90 buckets

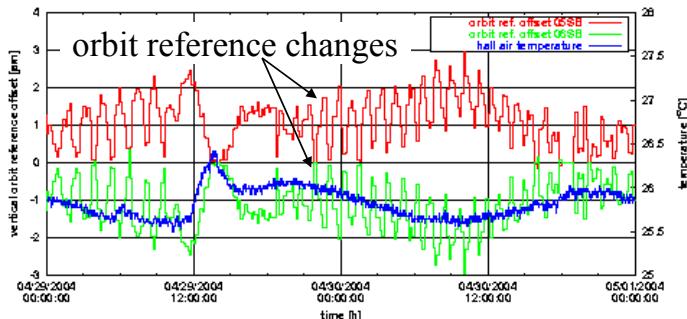


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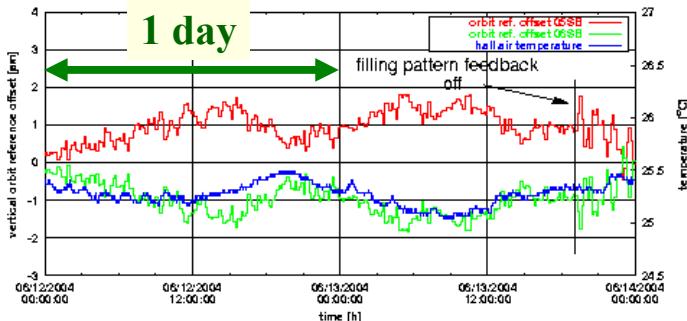
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Performance: Long Term Stability @ ID 6S

• without filling pattern feedback



• with filling pattern feedback



⇒ ref. orbit changes:
 $< \pm 1 \mu\text{m}$
 over 1 day period

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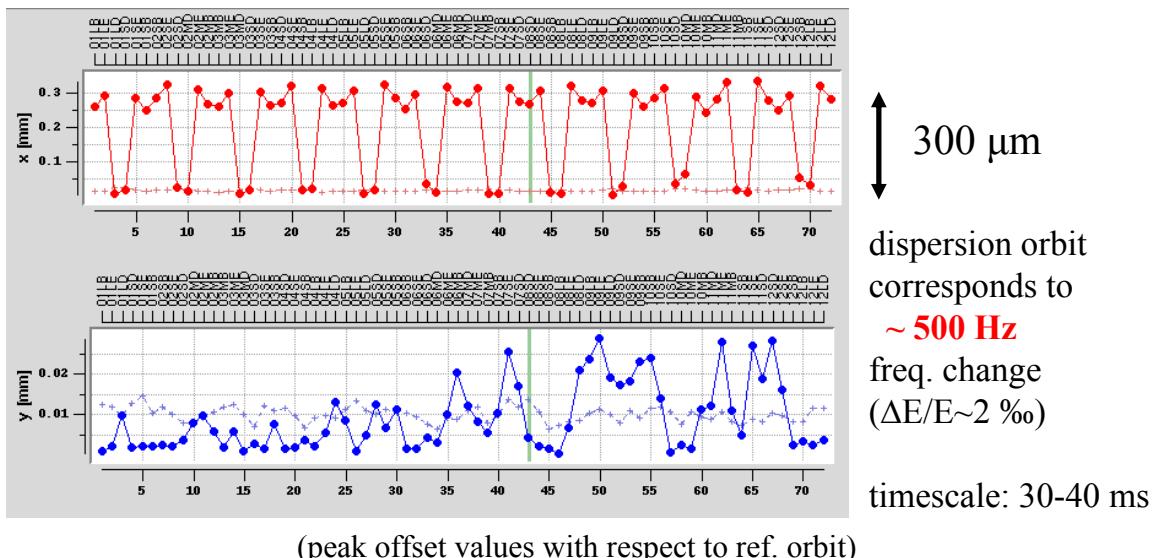
FOFB: Experiences / Limitations

- arbitrary orbits possible (→ allows simple PBPM feedback)
- bigger feedback loop delays than expected (sample period: 250 µs)
 - data transfer from DSP to PSC via IOC: ~100 µs
 - substantial group delay in digital filters: ~600 µs
- total loop delay of 1.5 ms
- slightly lower bandwidth than envisaged (0 dB @ 95 Hz)
but: no dominant excitation lines in noise spectrum @80-100 Hz
- Mean Time Between Failures
 - hardware (DBPM/FOFB): 1 failure/month
 - ctrl sys./network/user/operator: 1-3 failures/month
- “RF glitches” while adjusting the main RF frequency (IEEE interface of RF generator)

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RF frequency change:



⇒ change of frequency requires different strategy (?)

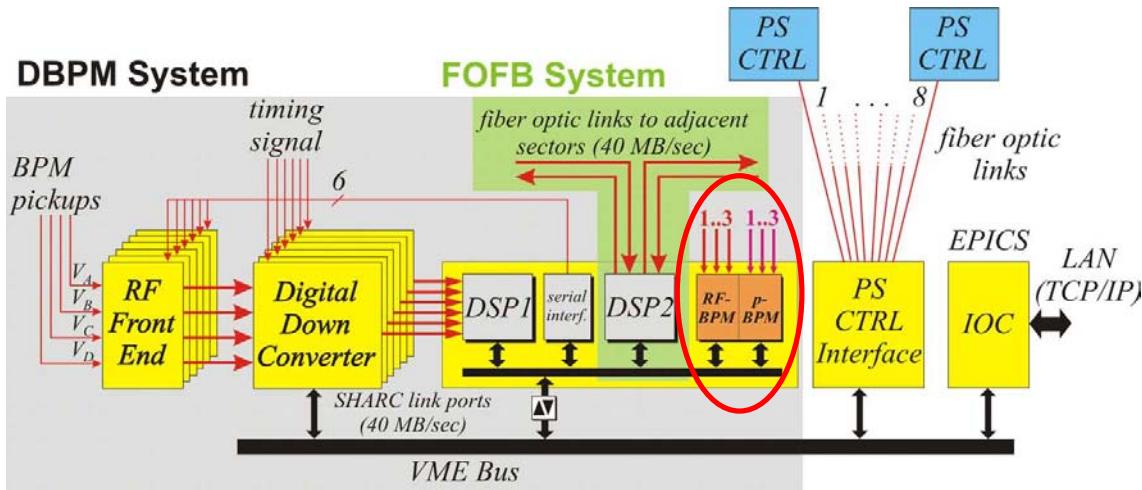
(→ frequency modulation input of RF generator instead IEEE interface?)

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FOFB: Extensions

- **Femto project:** requires additional BPM/corrector magnets in ID straight to guarantee the required orbit stability (Jul. 05)
- integration of photon BPMs into FOFB (\rightarrow IR beamlines)



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Summary

- very flexible and reliable FOFB system
- suppressions of orbit distortions up to **95 Hz**
- global orbit stability (1 – 150 Hz):

horizontal	$0.41 \mu\text{m} \cdot \sqrt{\beta_x}$
vertical	$0.29 \mu\text{m} \cdot \sqrt{\beta_y}$
- power spectral densities of photon BPMs: still to be measured
- residual variations of photon beam @ PBPM 6S: $\leq 7 \mu\text{m}_{\text{pp}}$ (long term)
- PBPM feedback @ beamline 4S, 6S $\rightarrow < \pm 1 \mu\text{m}$ (long term)
- **filling pattern feedback** minimizes systematic errors of RF-BPMs, remaining systematic errors due to temperature dependency of RF-BPM electronic $< \pm 1 \mu\text{m/day}$ @ RF-BPM
- substantial improvements for “**easy usability**”
- upgrade/extension for additional RF-BPMs (Femto) & photon BPM integration

SPring8: “Maybe we don’t need a fast orbit feedback.”

ALS: “The users didn’t request a fast orbit feedback
but we knew that we can do better...”

SLS: “We already have a stable beam and we need
a fast orbit feedback to preserve it.”