

# Hilbert Spectroscopy as a Tool for pulsed Electron Beam Diagnostics

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# **Outline:**



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- Transition radiation spectra and bunch form analysis
- Data aquisition system for pulsed radiation
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#### Terahertz Hilbert Spectroscopy using High-Tc Josephson Junctions: from Nanophysics to Applications







### ac-Josephson Effect



• When 
$$I cRn = 2 mV$$
,  $fc \approx 1 THz$ 



#### dc Response of Josephson Junction to weak monochromatic Radiation

$$\frac{V(t)}{R_{n}} + I_{c} \cdot Sin\left[2\pi \frac{2e}{h_{0}} \int_{0}^{t} V(t)dt\right] = I + I_{s}Sin2\pi ft$$

$$\Delta I(V) = \left(\frac{2e}{h}\right)^2 \frac{I_c^2 R_n^2}{4I(V)} \frac{I_s^2}{(f_j^2 - f^2)}$$

Response  $\Delta I$  (V):

- resonance near hf/2e
- square-law detection
- additivity



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#### **Principles of Hilbert spectroscopy**

- •Hilbert spectroscopy is based on the ac Josephson effect.
- •Response of Josephson junction to signal with arbitrary spectrum

$$\Delta I(V) = -\left(\frac{2e}{h}\right) \frac{\pi \cdot I_c^2 \cdot R_n^2}{8 \cdot I(V) \cdot V} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\pi}\right) \cdot P \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{S_{I_c^2}(f) \cdot df}{f - f_j}$$

$$S_{I_{\delta}^{2}}(f) = \left(\frac{1}{\pi}\right) \cdot P \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{H(f_{j}) \cdot df_{j}}{f_{j} - f}$$

$$H(V) = \left(\frac{8}{\pi}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{h}{2e}\right) \frac{I(V) \cdot V \cdot \Delta I(V)}{I_c^2 \cdot R_n^2}$$





### [001]-tilt YBa<sub>2</sub>Cu<sub>3</sub>O<sub>7-x</sub> Grain-Boundary Junctions for Hilbert Spectroscopy



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Spectral Range of the ac Josephson Effect



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#### **Comparison of Spectrometers**

#### Advantage:

A transformation of the spectrum into an electrical signal is achieved:

•In **HTS** by a high-speed <u>nanoelectronic</u> device, a Josephson junction,

•in **FTS** by a low-speed bulk opticalmechanical device, an interferometer, and a broadband detector,

•in **TDS** by a detector with a low-speed bulk optical-mechanical delay line.





#### **Terahertz Hilbert-Transform Spectrometers**



Our goals:

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• More broadband

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- Faster
- More sensitive
- General-purpose and application-oriented

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#### **Applications of Terahertz Hilbert Spectroscopy**

Spectral analysis of terahertz laser (CH<sub>3</sub>OH laser with CO<sub>2</sub> pump) Our goal:

Spectral analysis of novel terahertz sources



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#### **Applications of Terahertz Hilbert Spectroscopy**

Transmission spectroscopy with broadband radiation source (high-pressure Hg lamp)





Our goal: Spectroscopy of dielectrics magnetic materials EBG structures biological substances at 100 GHz-10 THz

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#### **Applications of Terahertz Hilbert Spectroscopy**

Frequency-resolved electron bunch diagnostics at linear accelerators\* Our goal:

Fast electron bunch analysis for next generation of large accelerators





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### **Challenges & Goals**



- Physics of high-Tc junctions
  - relation between nanostructure of barrier & ac Josephson effect
  - high-frequency limit of the ac Josephson effect
- Technology of high-Tc junctions
  - high LcRn-product for operation up to 10 THz
  - high spatial homogenuity for array application
- Development of spectrometers
  - fast spectrometer for novel terahertz sources (pulsed and continuous) for e-beams: transition radiation, synchrotron radiation, weak fields

#### e-Beam Diagnostics

- terahertz spectrometer for material science and biology



Spectroscopic measurements of coherent radiation for bunch length or bunch form diagnostics:

Fourier Transform spectroscopy (polarizing Martin Puplett) Electro-optic sampling

Hilbert-Transform spectroscopy: Broad band: 50 GHz - 4.5 THz Fast (no mechanical moving parts!) Frequency resolution: ca.10<sup>-3</sup> Dynamic range: 50dB Min power: 1.8x 10<sup>-11</sup> W for20 dB

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#### Hilbert Spectroscopy of Coherent Transition Radiation in TESLA Test Facility Linear Accelerator at DESY





First measurements at DESY, 1997 •Thermoionic gun, N =2.3x10<sup>8</sup> electrons •Macrobunch averaging •Bunch length measured by HTS:  $\sigma_z = 0.4$  mm,  $\sigma_t = 1.2$  ps,  $\sigma_f = 92$  GHz

Measurements at DESY, 1999, 2001
New Photoinjector, N =1.6x10<sup>10</sup> electrons
Pulse response detection from a single bunch

Hypothetical spectrum:  $\sigma_7 = 50 \ \mu m$ ,  $\sigma_t = 0.17 \ ps$ ,  $\sigma_f = 0.72 \ THz$ 

Bunch form analysis needs ca. 4 THz



spectral intensity of transition radiation emitted by a bunch of N electrons

$$I_{total}(\lambda) = I_1(\lambda) \cdot \left[ N + N(N-1) \left| \int \rho(z) \cdot \exp\left(\frac{2\pi i z}{\lambda}\right) dz \right|^2 \right]$$

 $I_1(I)$  is the intensity of transition radiation emitted by a single electron at given wavelength I. The integral is the longitudinal bunch form-factor, defined as the Fourier transform of the longitudinal charge distribution r(z) in the bunch.

When the charge distribution r(z) in the bunch is localized in space with a characteristic length L

$$\begin{split} I_{total}(\lambda) &= N \cdot I_1(\lambda) & \lambda << L \text{ uncoherent} \\ I_{total}(\lambda) &= N^2 \cdot I_1(\lambda) & \lambda >> L \text{ coherent} \end{split}$$

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### **Bunch-form Diagnostics**



Hypothetical longitudinal charge distributions in the bunch and the corresponding coherent radiation spectra.

The plots on the left correspond to rms bunch length of 250  $\mu$ m, those on the right - to 50  $\mu$ m.

## **Hilbert Spectrometer** at the DESY Linac

Attenuator Window in the vacuum chamber of linac HT spectrometer Linac Pulse response from HT spectrometer Control room

Measurements of pulsed coherent transition radiation from electron bunch by Hilberttransform spectrometer.

Compact HTspectrometer with high-Tc Josephson junction operating at temperature of 80 K was used during the measurements.

70 m

**TESLA** Test Facility linear accelerator at DESY (Hamburg). 1999



Parabolic mirrors

Hilbert Spectrometer at the DESY TESLA Test Facility Linac



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The view of the HT spectrometer from the optical input.

#### Time Diagrams for the Operation of the Electron Linac at TESLA Test Facility at DESY



previous configuration with thermoionic gun

planned configuration with a photo-injector puls-trains with max. 7200 pulses

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The time dependence of the response of Hilbert spectrometer to the pulse transition radiation at TESLA Test Facility (trace 1). The trace 2 is a trigger signal from the linac.

#### **Conclusions:**



- Fast Hilbert spectrometer based on high-Tc Josephson junctions for pulsed coherent transition radiation at TESLA Test Facility at DESY.
- Characterization in the laboratory : power dynamic range of 50 dB, spectral range from gigahertz range to terahertz range (50 GHz til 4.5 THz)
- Spectrometer with digital data transfer tested at TESLA Test Facility.
- Spectrum of transition radiation e.g. averaging 9 pulses bunches in one macrobunch delivered spectrum spreading from 50 to 500 GHz.

#### **Outlook and Goals:**

- Developed spectrometer allows measurements of whole spectrum during a single macrobunch, when a number of more than 500 bunches are provided (projected are 7200 bunches at TESLA).
- Hilbert spectrometer, integrated not into a liquid nitrogen cryostat but into a Stirling cooler.
  - Extension to shorter pulses (ca. 10 THz, 100fs)



We are open for test measurements at different facilties participating in the ELAN-Care network which provide radiation in the terahertz range