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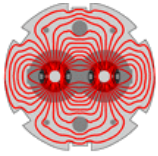
LARP BEAM INSTRUMENTATION

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Outline

Overview of LARP instrumentation

Experience from beam commissioning – Hardware updates

Sync Light Monitor

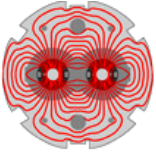
Beam Operations

AC Dipole – Optics measurements

Schottky – Beam Beam

Lumi – IP optimization

LTV/Toohig Impact



Advancing Accelerator Technology

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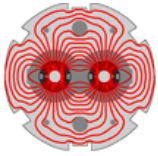
Major contributions to the field:

Benefiting the LHC and US colliders

- The AC dipole concept came from LARPs collaborations
now installed in all three hadron colliders
- The luminosity Monitor is designed to survive a level of radiation 100x larger than ever seen before
- Synch light monitoring on proton storage ring – world first – from PEPII experience to light from Pb ions!
- Tune and Coupling feedback is a world first, accomplished in RHIC
- The LHC Schottky monitor lead to the upgrade of the Tevatron system

Graduate students and post-docs actively involved

- 1 PhD on AC Dipole, then Toohig fellow
- 1 Graduate student in Lumi
- Several student projects in Lumi
 - Best project award at Sep 2009 APS-CA meeting



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Evolution with LHC commissioning

2008-9

Presented hardware commissioning results

Preparing for beam commissioning

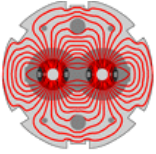
2010

Beam commissioning results from all instruments

Now

All instruments operational

Developing control room applications

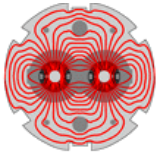


Impact on LHC Commissioning

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LARP's instruments continue to play a very important and visible role:

- AC Dipole
 - Due to the LHC's slow cycle (~ 1 hr for ramp up, ramp down, squeeze, precycle...), the AC dipole (non destructive) is **the only probe to beam optics above injection** energy
 - **β -beating and local coupling** have been measured and corrected for β -squeeze with the AC dipole
- Synchrotron light monitors
 - Actively the main **abort gap monitor**
- Schottky monitors
 - Increasing presence: beam-beam, chromaticity measurements
- Luminosity monitors
 - Now the only instrument to measure collision rate to **optimize IP**
- Tune tracker
 - Essential element during the **ramps**



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Synchrotron-Light Monitors

Two applications:

BSRT: Imaging telescope, for transverse beam profiles

BSRA: Abort-gap monitor, to verify that the gap is empty

When the kicker fires, particles in the gap get a partial kick and might cause a quench.

Two particle types:

Protons and lead ions

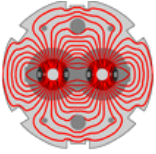
Three light sources:

Undulator radiation at injection (0.45 to 1.2 TeV)

Dipole edge radiation at intermediate energy (1.2 to 3 TeV)

Central dipole radiation at collision energy (3 to 7 TeV)

Spectrum and focus change during ramp



Sync Light Monitor

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November-December 2010: First run with lead ions

Synchrotron light images from **lead**

November: Duplicate optical table set up in lab

Detailed study of imaging

January 2011: Shutdown work in the tunnel

New “slow” camera with a 25-ns gate, intensifier for “fast” camera

Camera translation stage added for precise focus

Thorough check and adjustment of component positions and alignment

Longitudinal density monitors

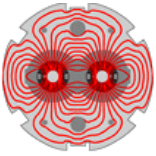
March-May: Measurements with beam

Bunch-by-bunch beam size

Longitudinal structure

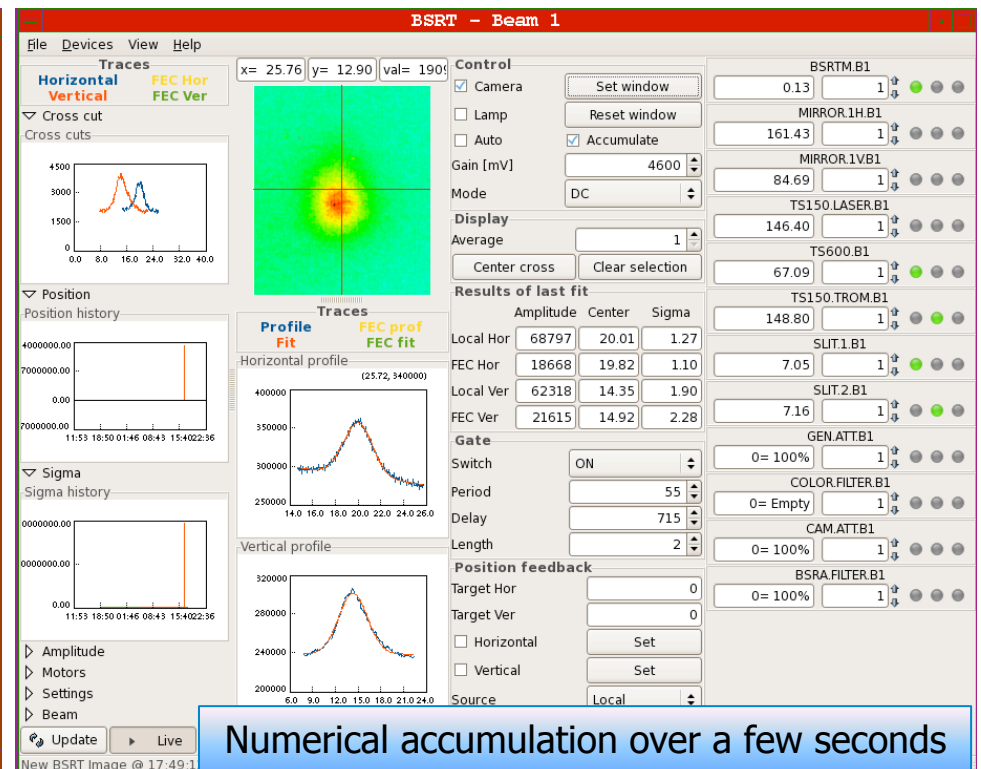
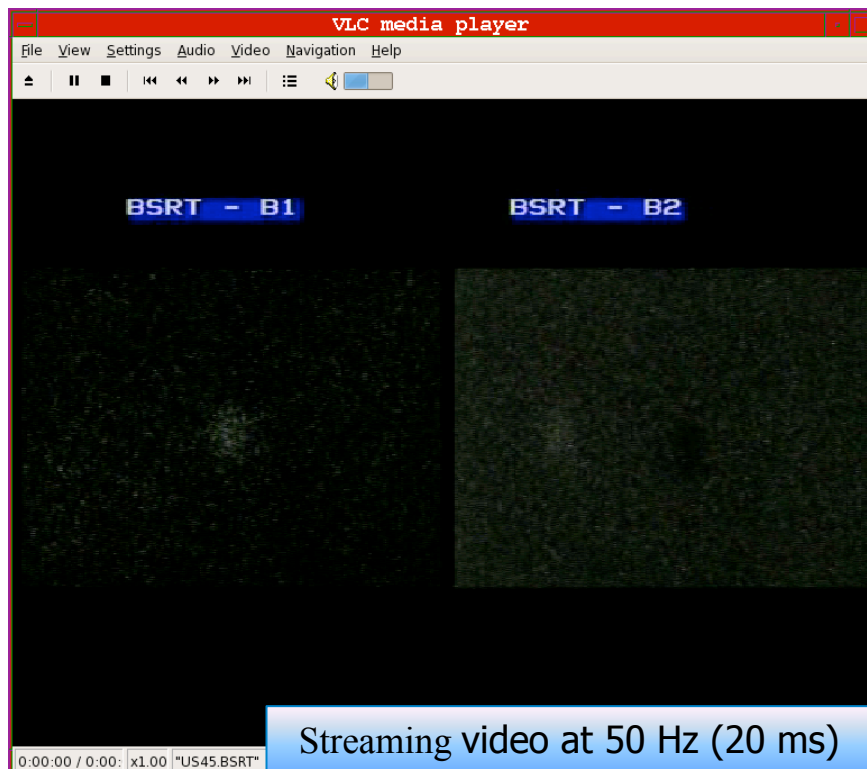
Summer: Testing upgrade ideas at SLAC (SPEAR3 ring)

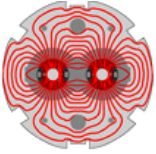
Halo monitor and rotating mask



First Images of Lead Ions at Injection

- **LARP** 2010 Nov 10: Light from 17 bunches, integrated over 20 ms
 - Images are faint, since most emission is infrared at this energy
 - Original prediction: 1-s integration needed for a clear image of a single bunch
 - Equivalent to 20-ms integration of 50 bunches
 - 1-s integration directly on the CCD would require only an additional logic pulse





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Wire Scanners (WS)

Reference for LHC transverse profile measurements

Can be used with just over 10^{13} protons without causing wire damage or a quench

BSRTS calibration vs WS

Measured for each beam and plane, as a function of energy

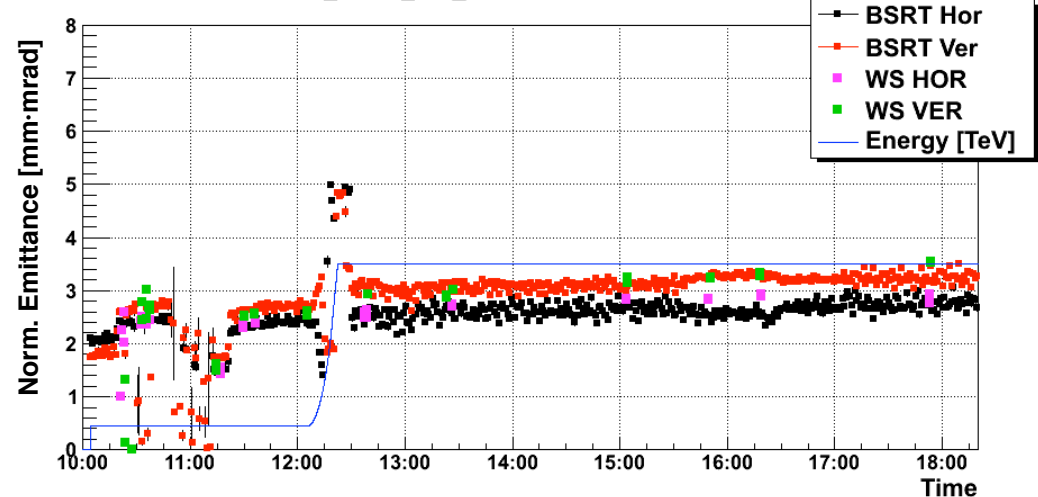
Corrections applied in quadrature to BSRT beam-size data

Corrections of 400–500 μm

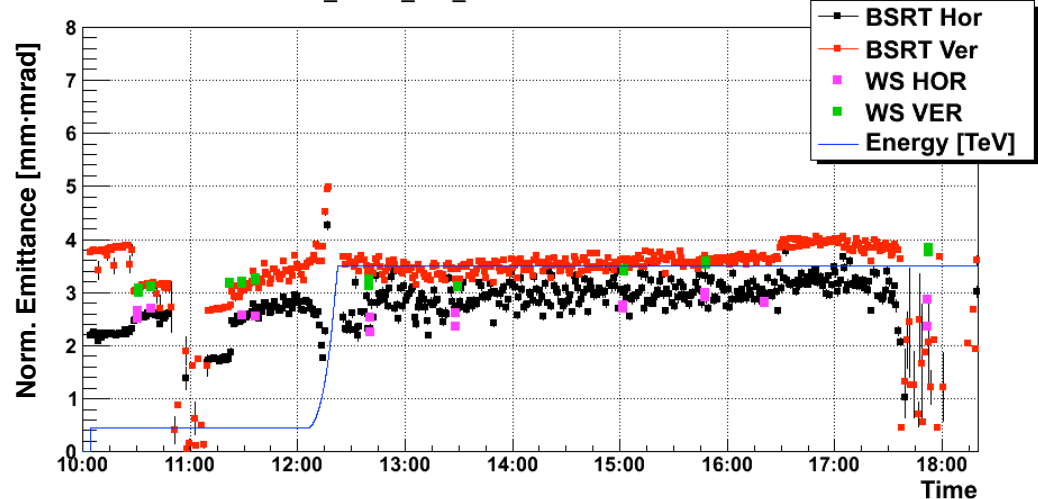
Possible sources: camera, digitizer, slit adjustment, diffraction

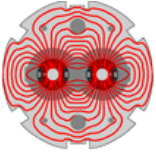
Calibration vs Wire Scanners

BEAM1 Emit vs Time 151010_BSRT_WS_VMS



BEAM2 Emit vs Time 151010_BSRT_WS_VMS





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Longitudinal-Density Monitor

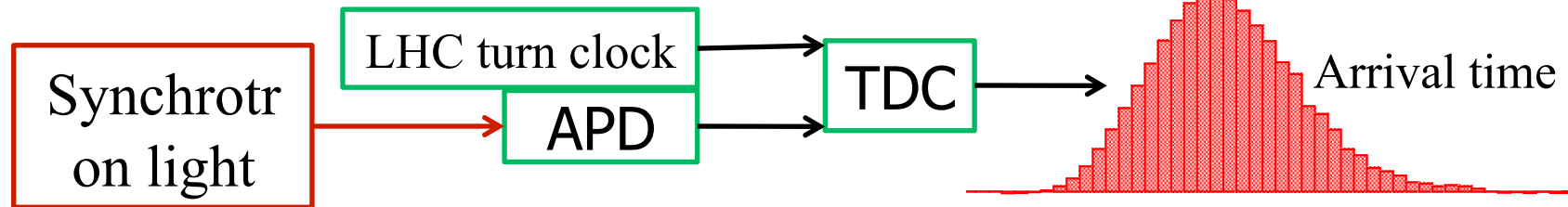
Monitor built by Adam Jeff (CERN)

Photon counting using an avalanche photodiode (APD)

1% of the BSRT's synchrotron light

Histogram of time from turn clock to APD pulse, with 50-ps bins

Now installed on both beams



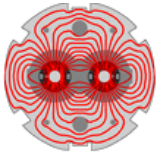
Modes:

Fast mode: 1-ms accumulation, for bunch length, shape, and density

Requires corrections for photon pile-up, APD deadtime and afterpulsing

Slow mode: 10-s accumulation, for tails and ghost bunches down to 5×10^5 protons (4×10^{-6} of a nominal full bunch)

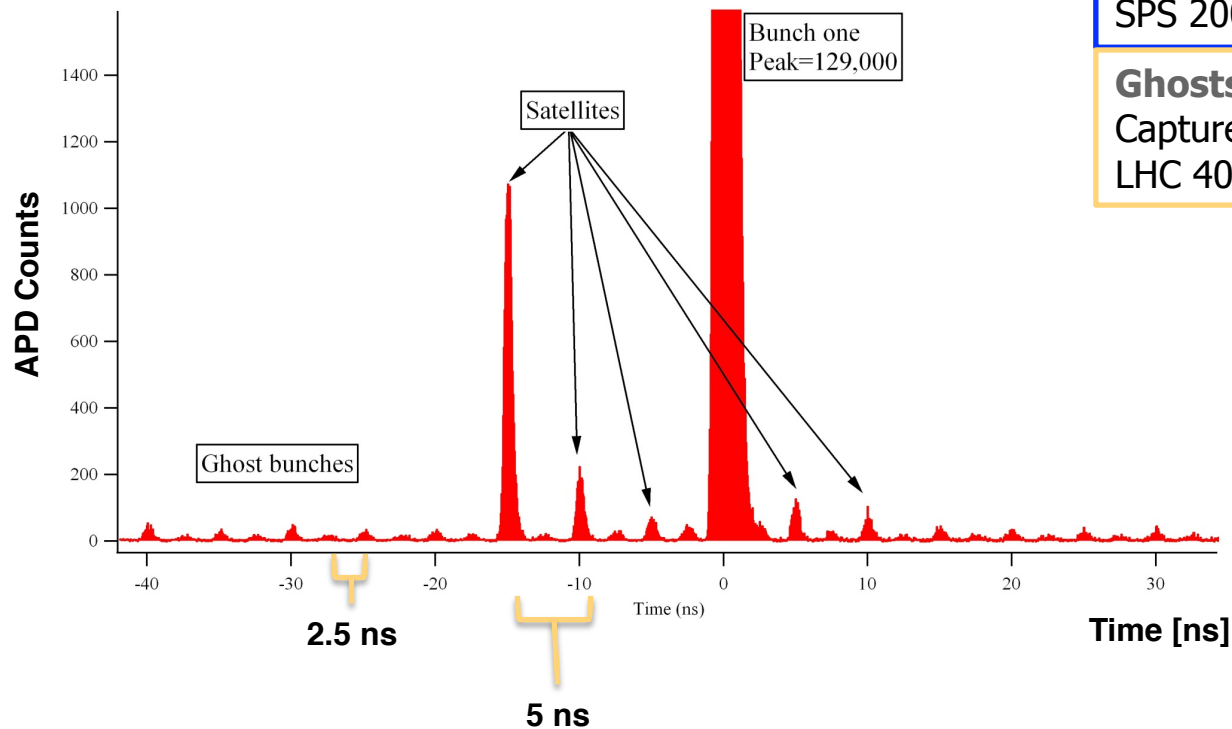
Only 1 photon every 200 turns



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LDM Measurement

Ions with 10-min integration



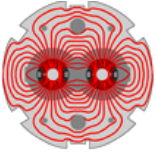
Satellites

Capture/splitting errors in the injectors
SPS 200 MHz \rightarrow 5 ns

Ghosts

Capture/splitting errors in the LHC
LHC 400 MHz \rightarrow 2.5 ns

LDM is the only LHC system able to see all structures from RF, with enough **dynamic range** and **time resolution** for monitoring satellites and ghosts



Beam-Halo Monitor

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Halo monitoring was part of the original specification for the synchrotron-light monitor.

LARP's involvement in both light monitors and collimation makes this a natural extension to the SLM project.

But the coronagraph needs some changes:

The Sun has a constant diameter and a sharp edge.

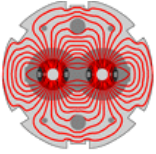
The beam has a varying diameter and a profile that is roughly Gaussian

An adjustable mask is needed. Two approaches:

A Digital Micro Mirror Array

Rotating Mask

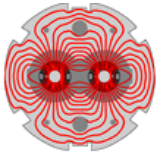
Tests of possible upgrades will begin this summer on SLAC's SPEAR-3 ring.



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Schottky – Operation with Beam

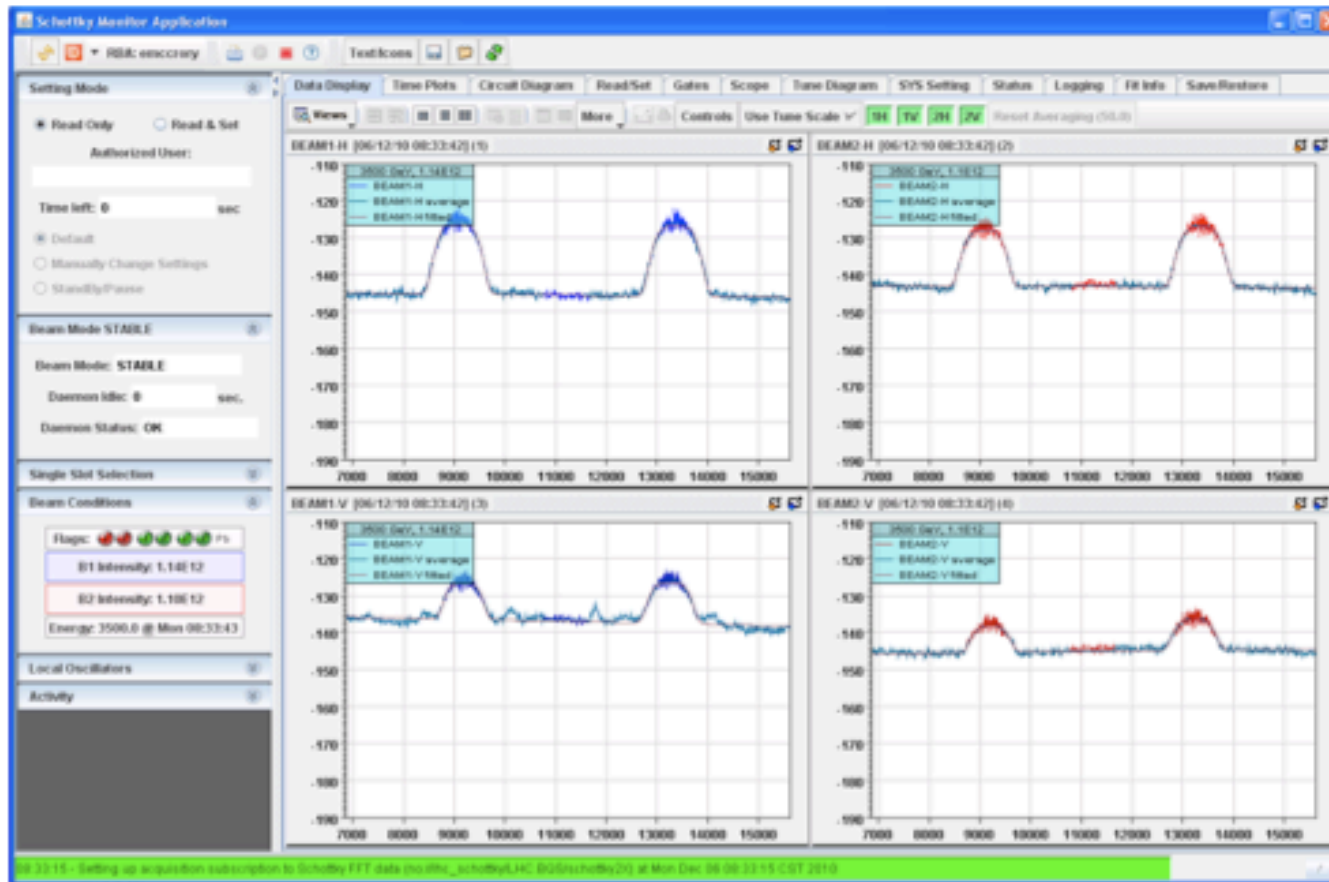
- Capabilities and Commissioning
 - Non invasive measurements
 - Bunch by bunch transverse measurements
 - Measures single bunch with 10^{11} protons/bunch
 - Verified tunes track with other tune measurements
 - Chromaticities and Momentum spread measured
 - Signal tracking for ramped beam measurements



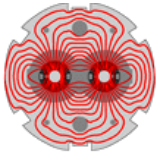
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Schottky – Pb Ions Signals

Lead Ions 1.1×10^{12} at 3.5 TeV



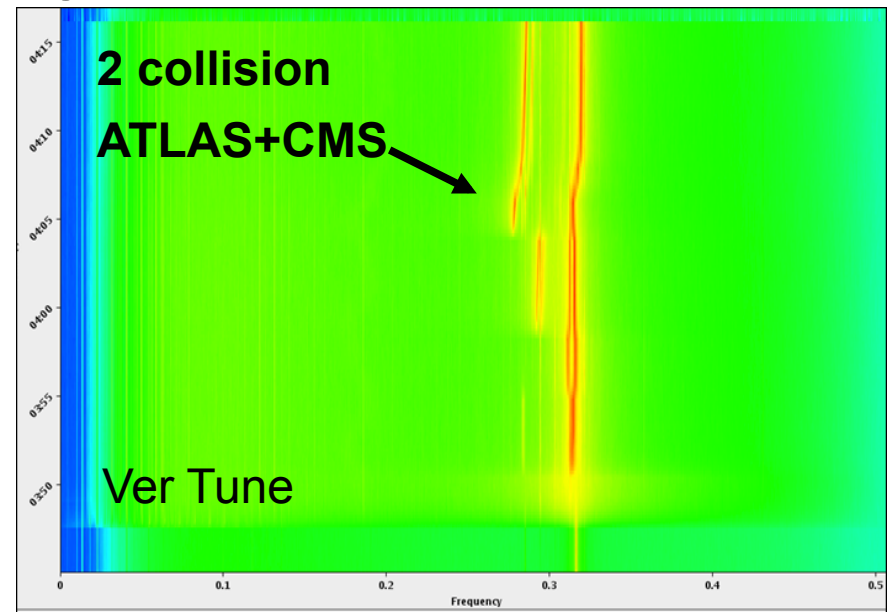
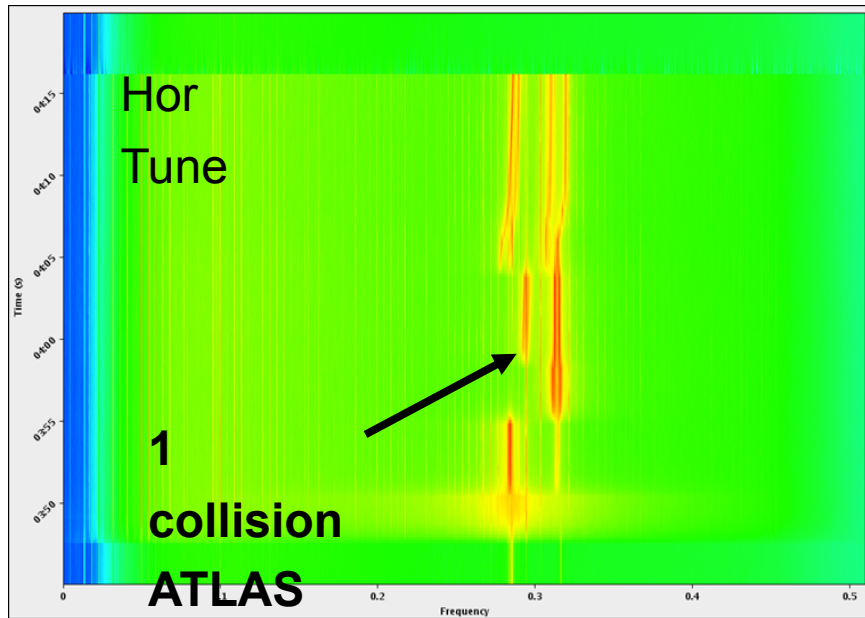
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Beam-beam experiment - BBQ

BBQ Signals

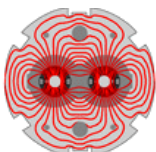


Bunch intensities: $\sim 1.9 \times 10^{11}$

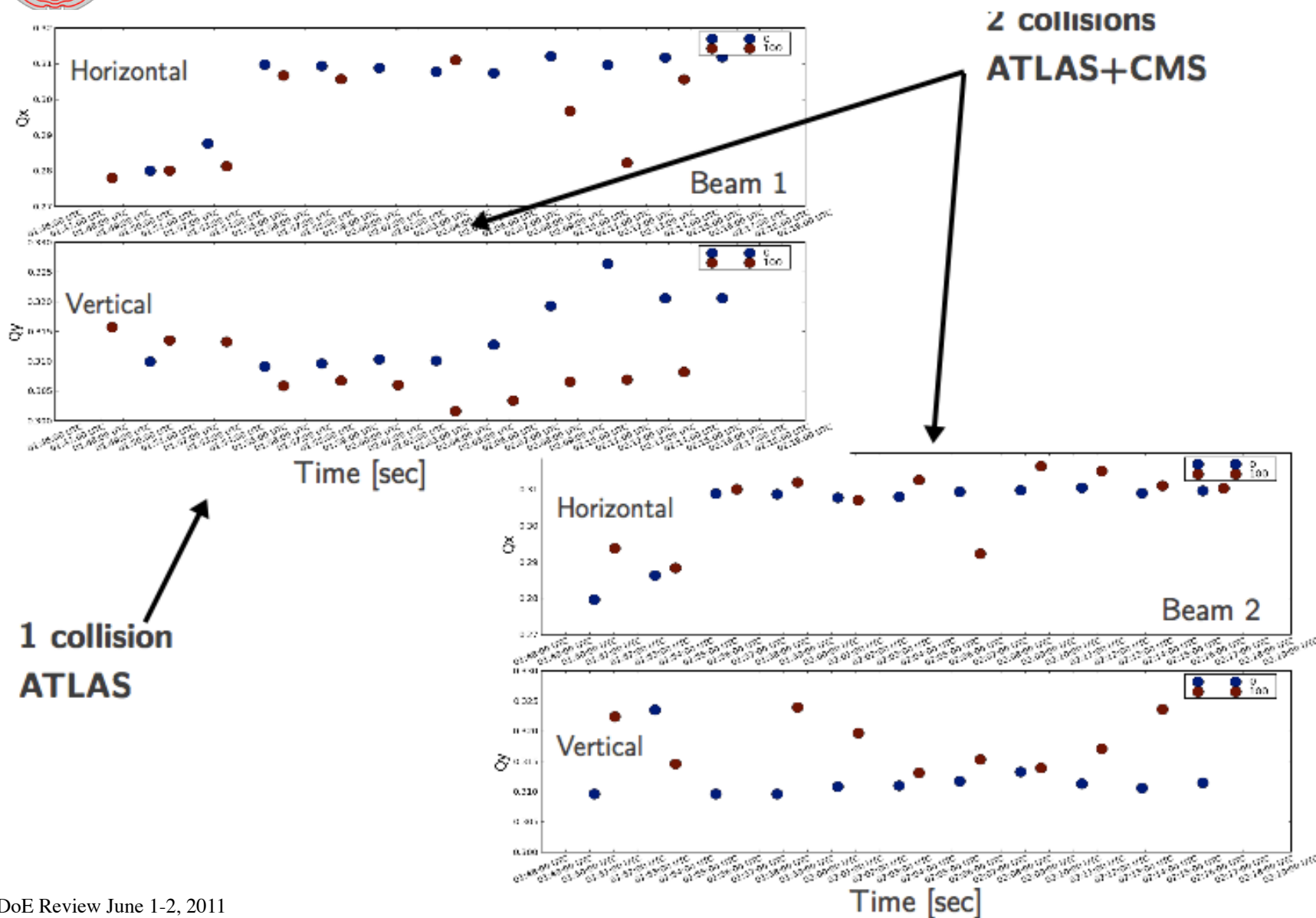
Emittances (x,y): $\sim 1.3 \text{ mm}$

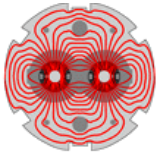
Beam-beam tune shift $> 0.015/\text{IP}$

Schottky signal noisy



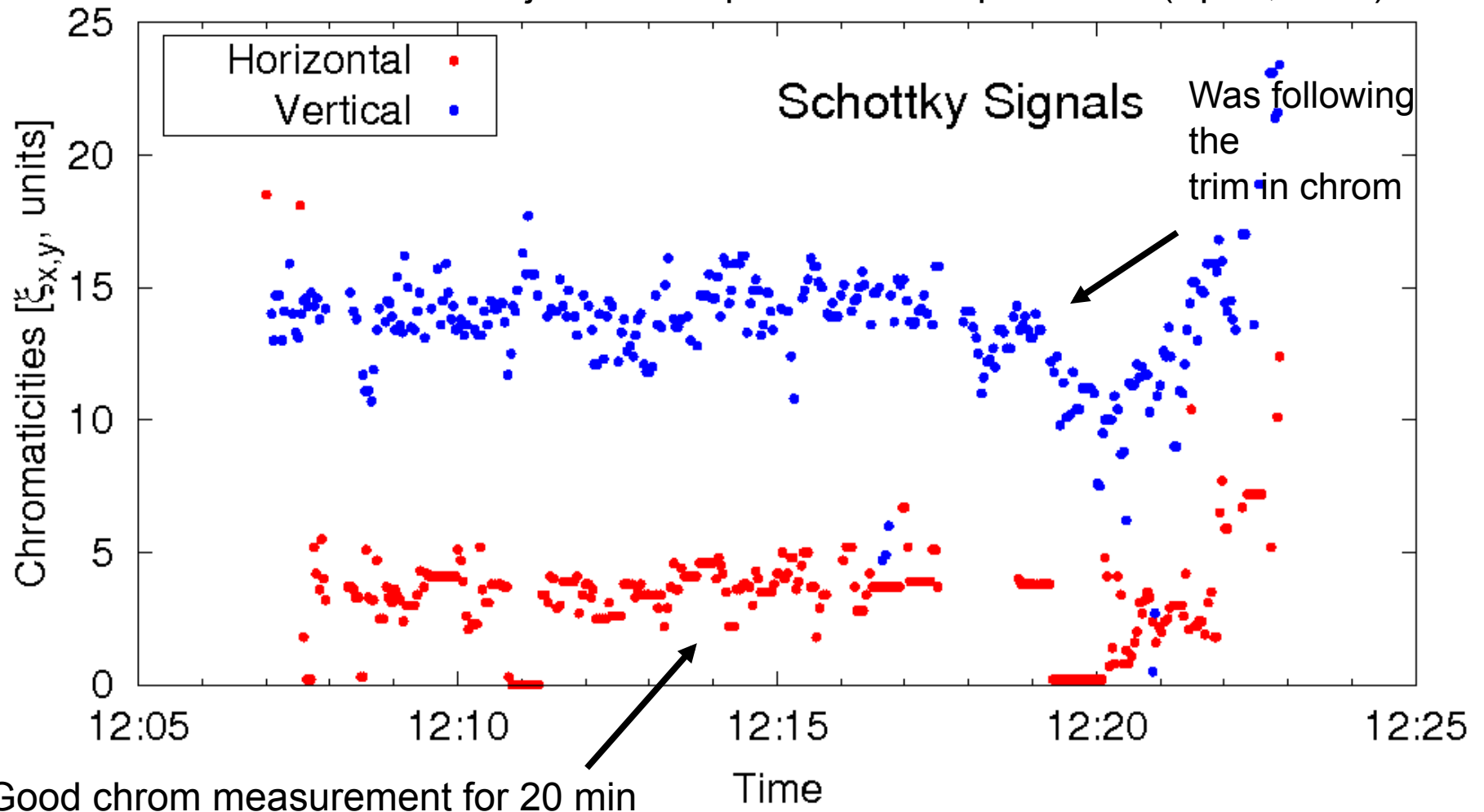
Schottky Beam Beam Effects measurement



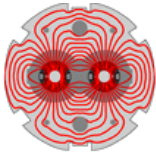


Chromaticity – Pilot Bunch

Injection setup for b-beat experiments (Apr 6, 2011)



Confirmed by classical radial modulation (horizontal, Beam 2)



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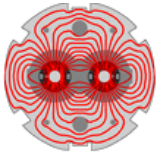
Schottky - Status

Powerful & non-invasive tool

- **System:** Hardware operational
 - Excellent quality for ions (for protons → RF noise & coherent oscillations)
 - Still needs manual input
 - Never all signals (B1/B2, H/V, Intensities diff)
- **Application:** Significant improvements/tools in 2011
 - Continuous monitoring of bunches & trains (Q, Q'...)

Future Plans

- Improve signals reliability (injection/top energy)
- Reduce Expert adjustment → leading to operational tool (like BBQ)



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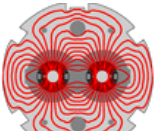
Lumi Status

As LHC luminosity improves, so do the demands on the lumi monitor system

R. Miyamoto supporting LHC operations locally
Numerous improvements and system tests
Moving from counting to pulse height mode

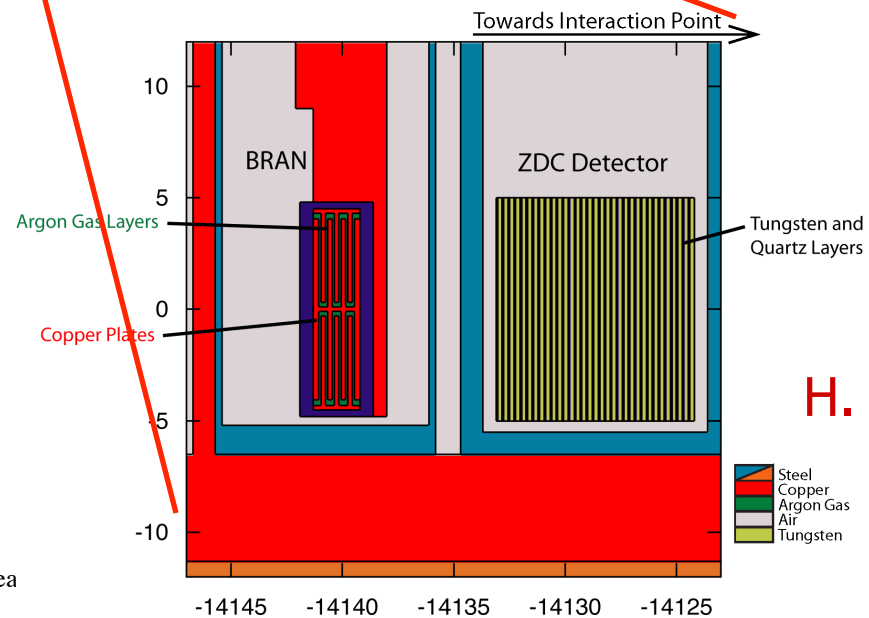
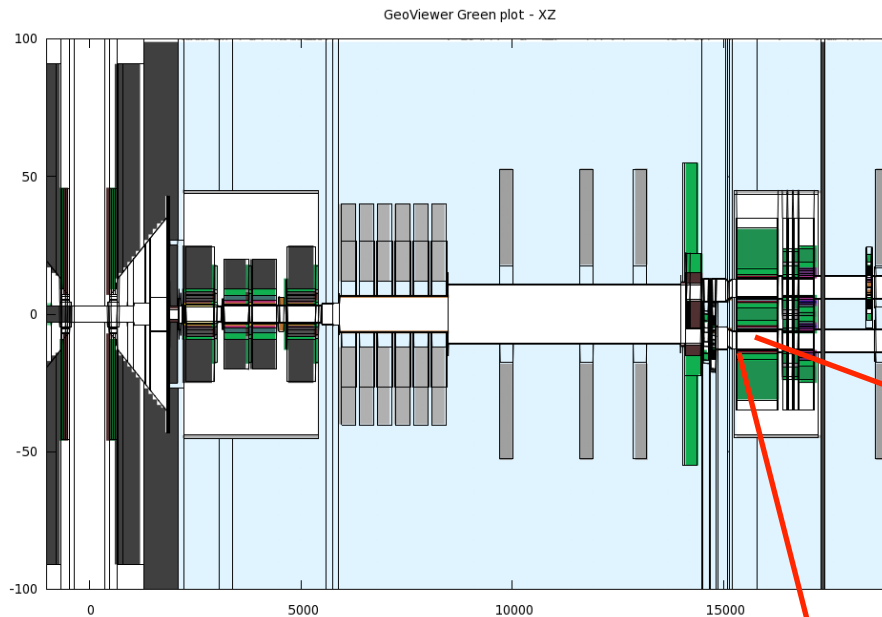
FLUKA model in support of data analysis

Developing operator panel for CCC



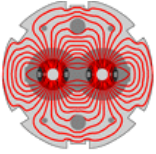
FLUKA model of IP

IP model developed at CERN



BRAN model previously developed at LBL

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Recent Model Improvements

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Imported the Fluka geometry of IP1

Developed at CERN (ATS-note-2010-046)

Models from IP to past the TAN

Fluka 2011 released

Simulates collisions

Specification of:

Ion species

Beam parameters (Crossing angle, momentum spread, beam size)

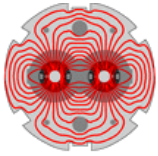
Can do arbitrary energy

Easily match LHC operating energy

Compare pp results with PbPb

Excellent tool for understand performance of BRAN and IP

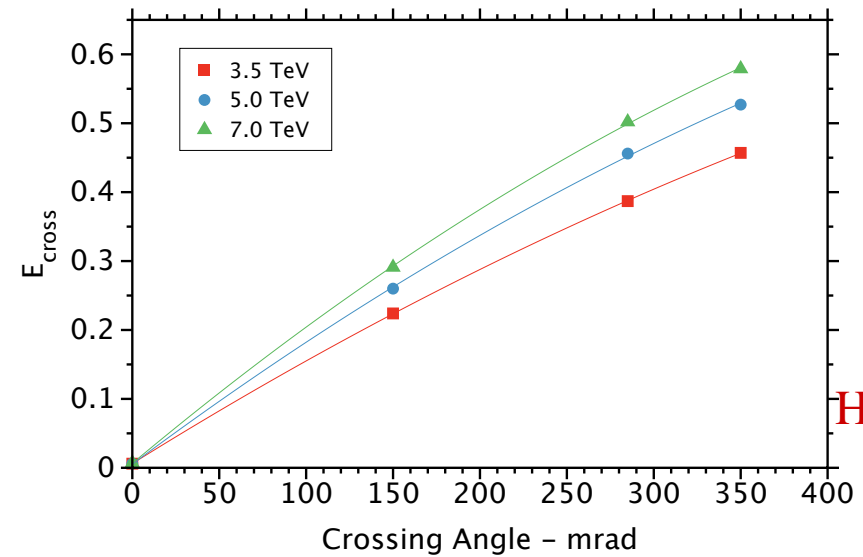
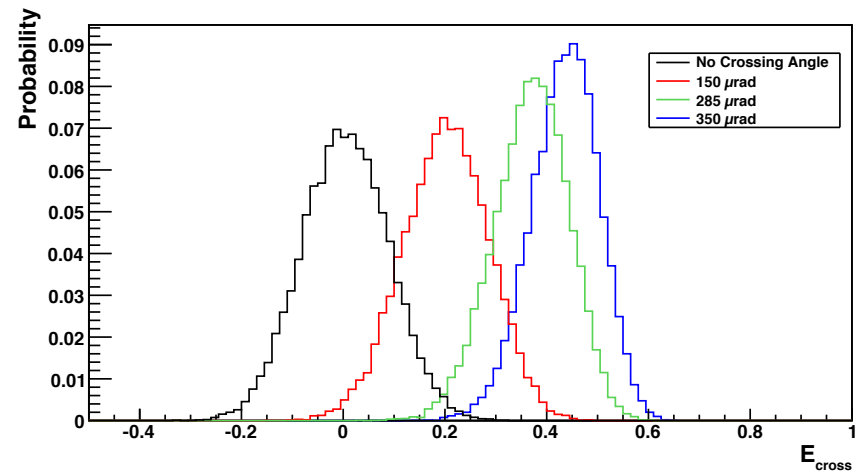
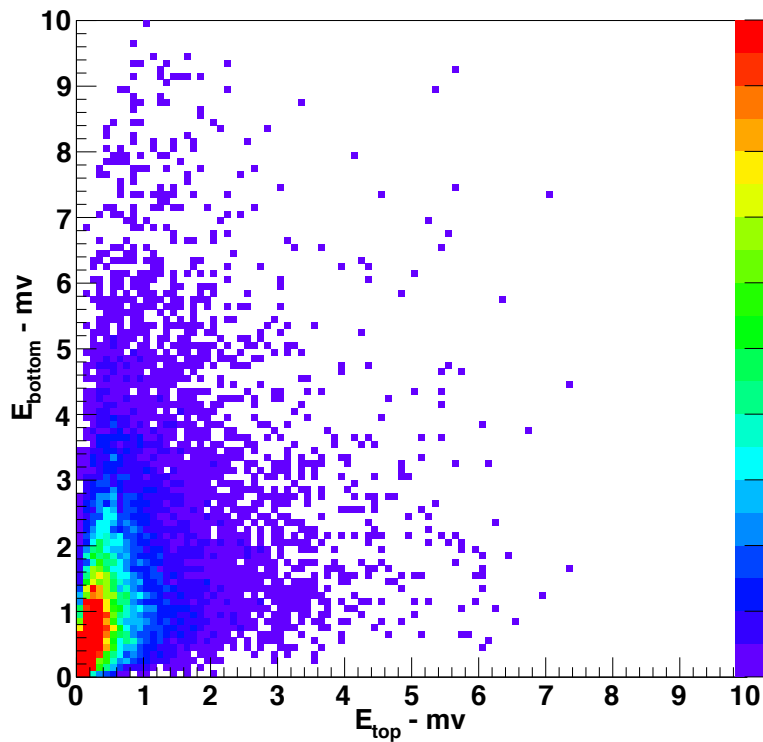
IP model and Fluka 2011 fully operational at LBNL



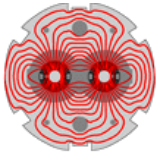
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Crossing Angle Modeled in FLUKA

Can measure crossing angle
by calculating differences
between detector quadrants

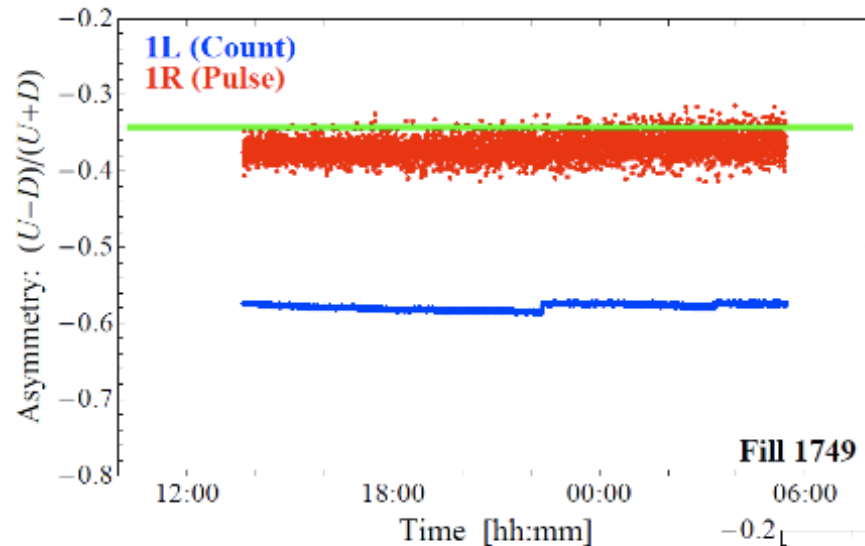


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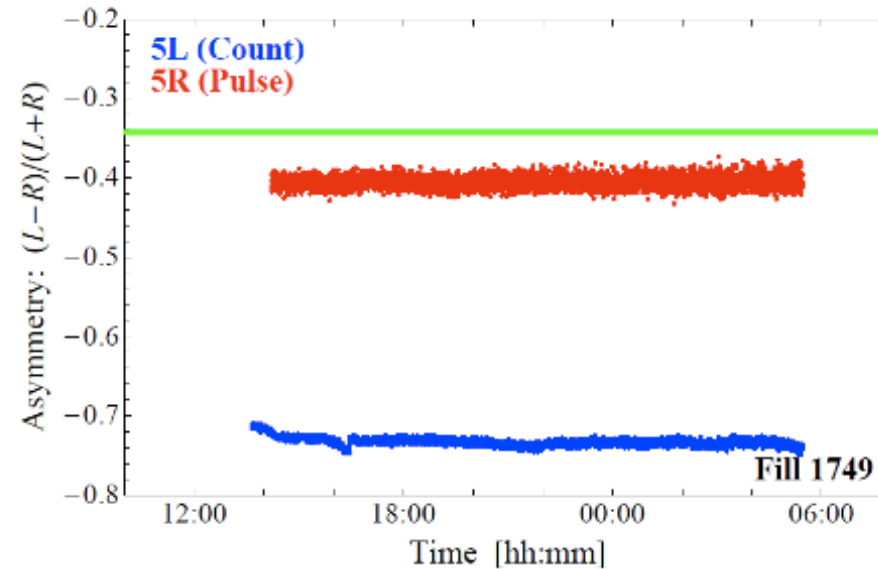


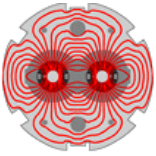
Crossing Angle Measured

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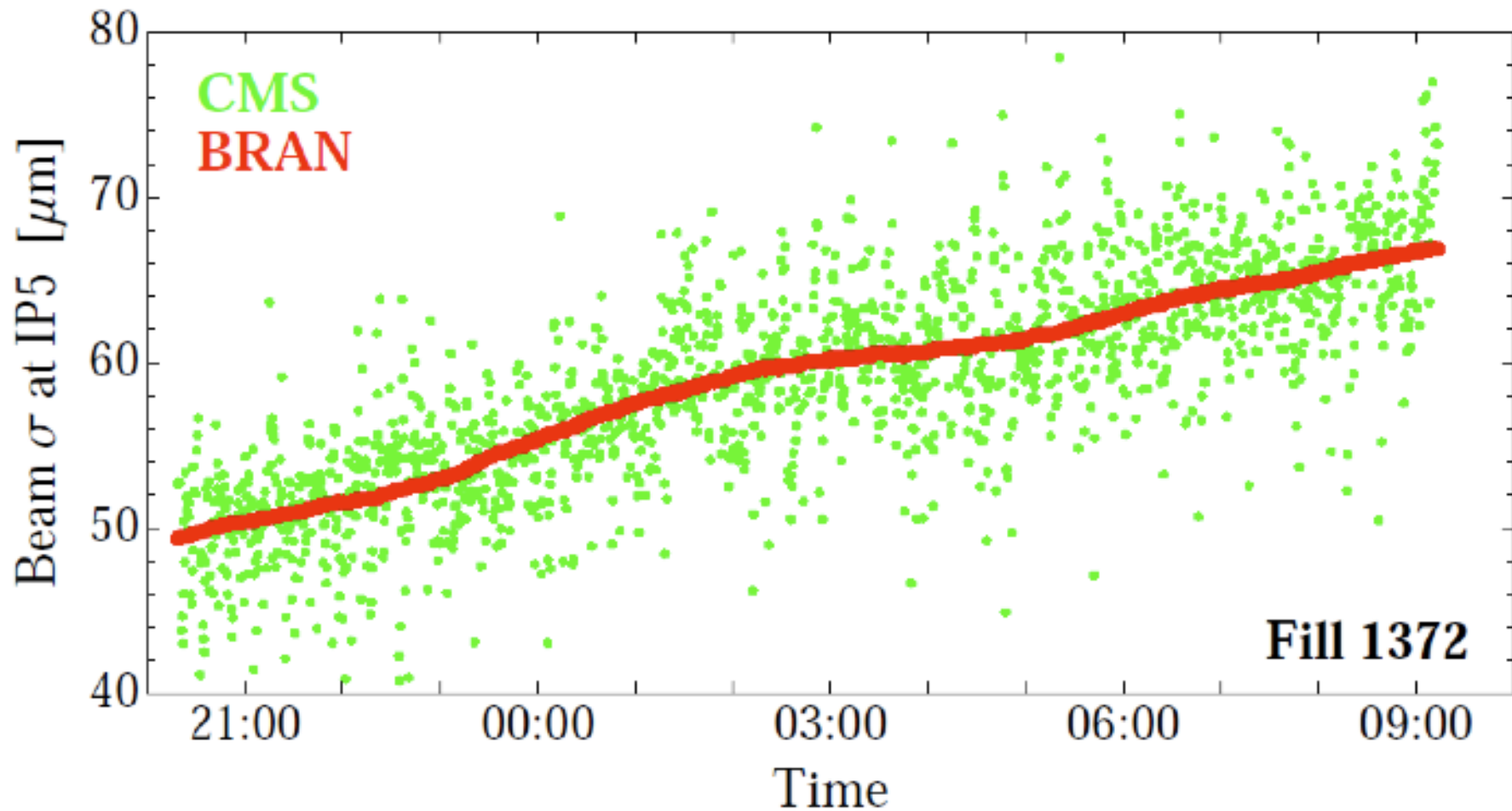
- We must use the pulse height for crossing angle measurements.
- Sensitive to the calibration. Calibration adjustment ongoing.



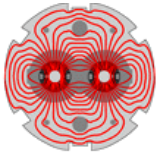


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Interaction area evolution – IP5

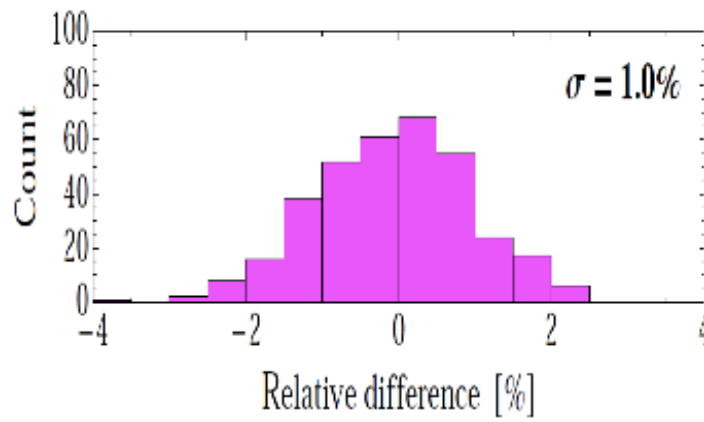
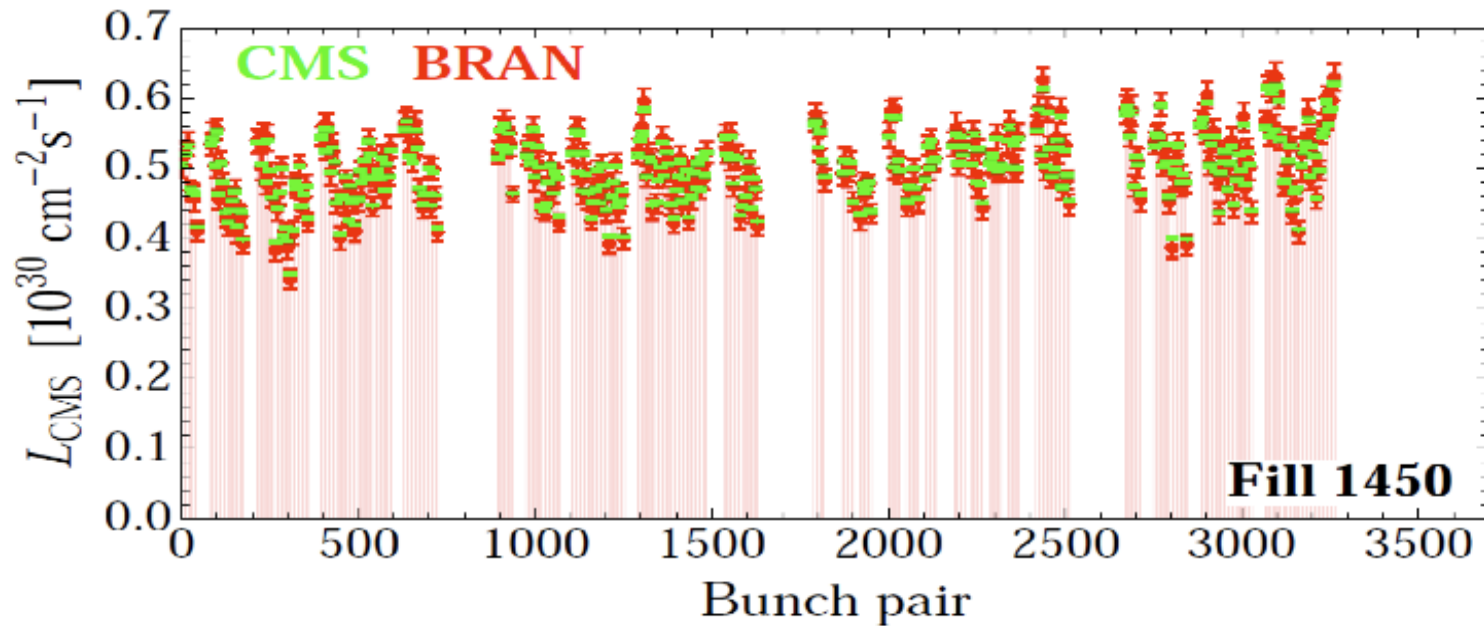


Specific luminosity plot is part of the **operator display** under development

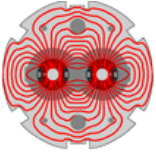


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Bunch-by-Bunch Luminosity



- ~1% discrepancy for bunch-by-bunch measurement.
- The discrepancy seems to come from the systematic.



AC Dipole Highlights

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In the 2011 run, β^* changed from (3.5,3.5,3.5,3.5) m to (1.5,10,1.5,3) m at IPs (1,2,5,8). This is due to:

IP1 and IP5: further squeeze allowed after reviewing of aperture at tertiary collimators.

IP2 and IP8: luminosities could exceed design values.

During the re-commissioning in 2011, optics measurements/corrections with

AC dipoles performed:

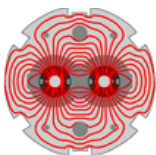
Peak β -beating is reduced to $\sim 10\%$ at collision with local + global corrections. β -beating up to flattop is verified to be good enough.

Coupling corrected at collision and later at injection and ramp for B2 during one MD.

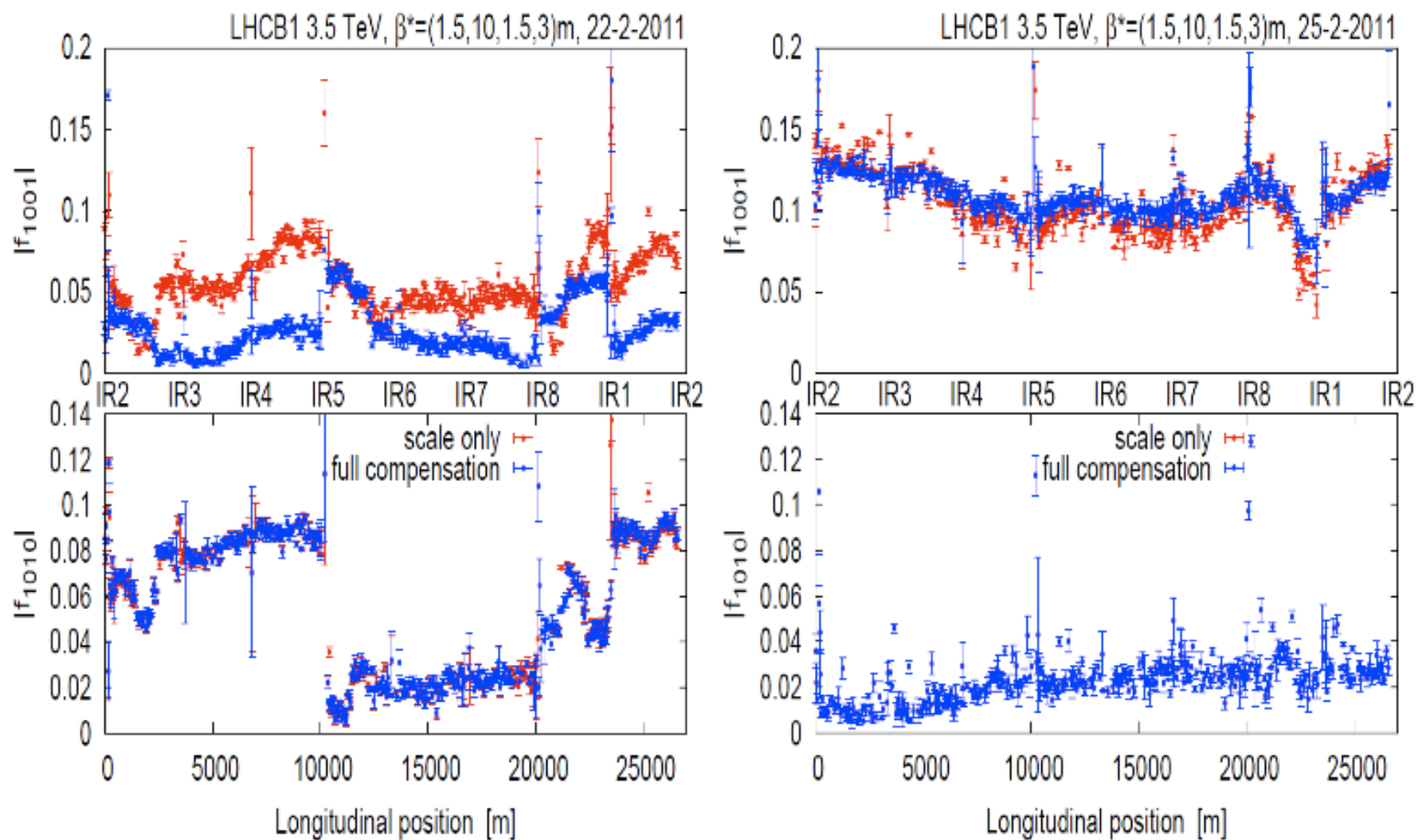
Good machine stability verified. K-modulation performed to β^* .

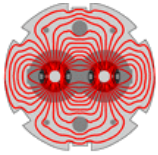
Improved diagnosis tools: GUI, codes, new analytics formula to measure coupling with AC dipoles.

Supported MDs: collision tunes from injection, 90 m β^* , ATS.



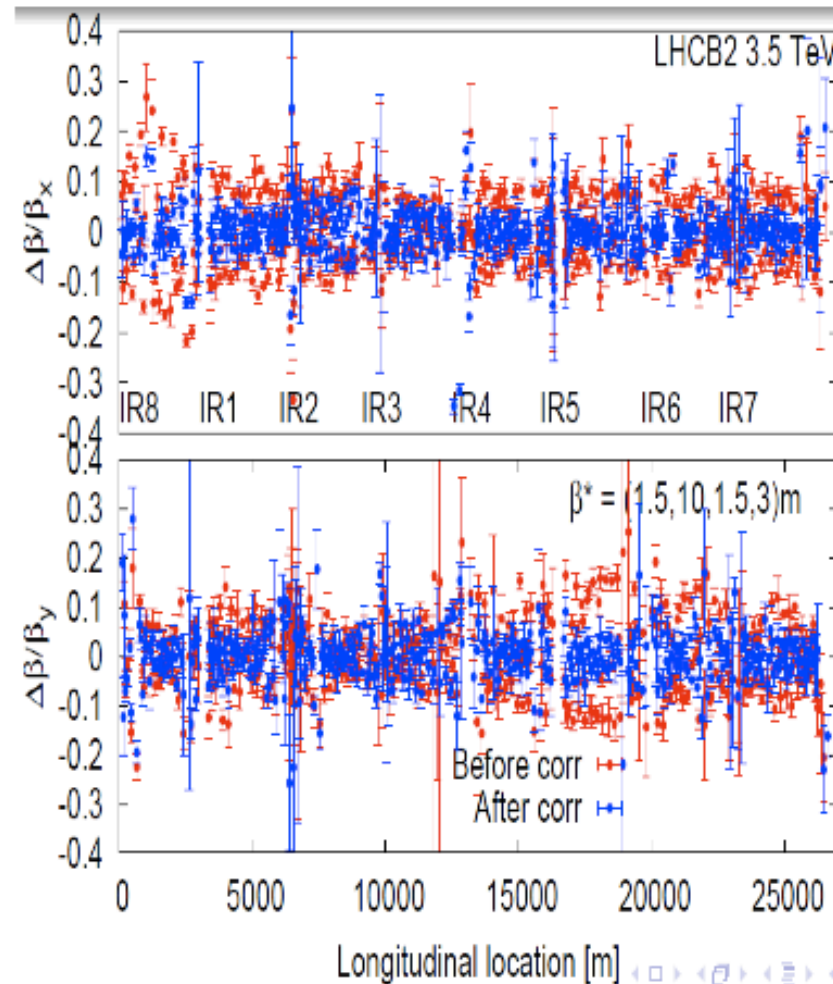
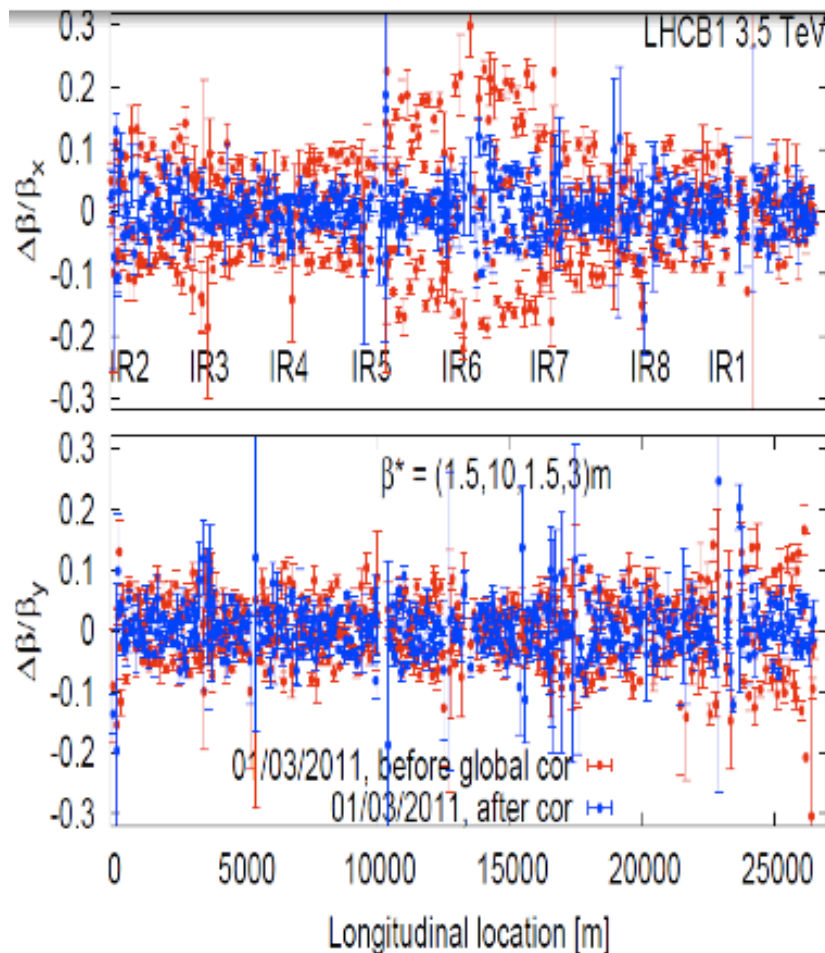
Improved Analysis



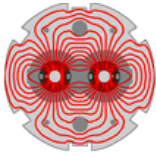


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Global β -beating Correction at Collision



Achieved $\sim 10\%$ β -beating in both planes for both beams!

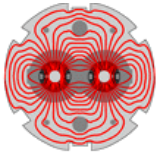


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Collaborative Efforts

LARP works with CERN in different ways

1. LARP and CERN equally involved in the developments and implementation
 - AC Dipole – each lab built a system for own collider
 - Tune and Coupling Feedback – System developed and tested in RHIC, CERN implemented in LHC
2. LARP did studies and provided prints, CERN implemented in LHC
 - Schottky Monitor – FNAL built processing electronics modeled after the tevatron's
 - Synch Light Monitor – study by LARP, fabrication and installation by CERN
3. LARP did most of the work, CERN provided local support only
 - Luminosity Monitors



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Handoff to CERN

All instruments are completed and fully operational

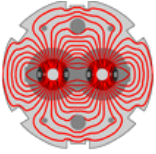
Last hardware issue resolved during 2010 winter break

Moving into operations requires two champions

- an instrument 'owner' in BE/BI to maintain and enhance the device
- an 'operator' in BE/OP to lead it into operations

LARP's experts continue to develop the performance of the instruments and collaborate with CERN staff





Final Considerations

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Results made possible by **significant contributions** from all labs

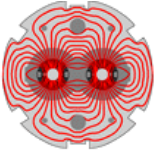
This year we spent less than \$0.3M of LARP's money

- Lumi monitor initially funded by LBL for 3 years
- AC dipole enhanced by BNL and FNAL
- Schottky monitor - controls interfaces and programming contributed by FNAL (LAFS)
- Synch Light Monitor (and LLRF) – almost entirely funded by SLAC, including one LTV

LARP management helping secure adequate resources in support of the LHC commissioning

LTVs and Toohig fellows

Integration with beam commissioning activities is essential to the success of the instruments provided by the LARP collaboration



More Considerations

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Developing instruments as the LHC performance increases

Toohig + LTVs essential to the process

AC Dipole, Lumi – R. Miyamoto

Sync Light – A. Fisher

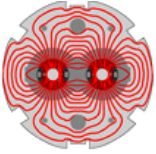
Schottky – R. Calaga

Hardware functioning well

Possible improvements identified and implemented or under study

Developing user applications to contribute to everyday operations

Lumi, Schottky



Conclusions

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Spending roughly \$6.8M of the ~\$70M spent by LARP to date, the instrumentation program has delivered tangible contributions that will help the LHC

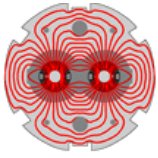
- reach design energy
- reach design luminosity

Made possible by collaborations with CERN and contributions of each of the LARP labs

New proposals keep coming but face reducing budgets and competing priorities

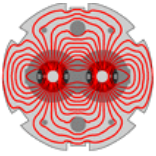
This program will advance the US HEP program by

- Enhancing US accelerator skills
- Developing advanced diagnostic techniques that will apply to present and future US programs
- Help maximize LHC performance



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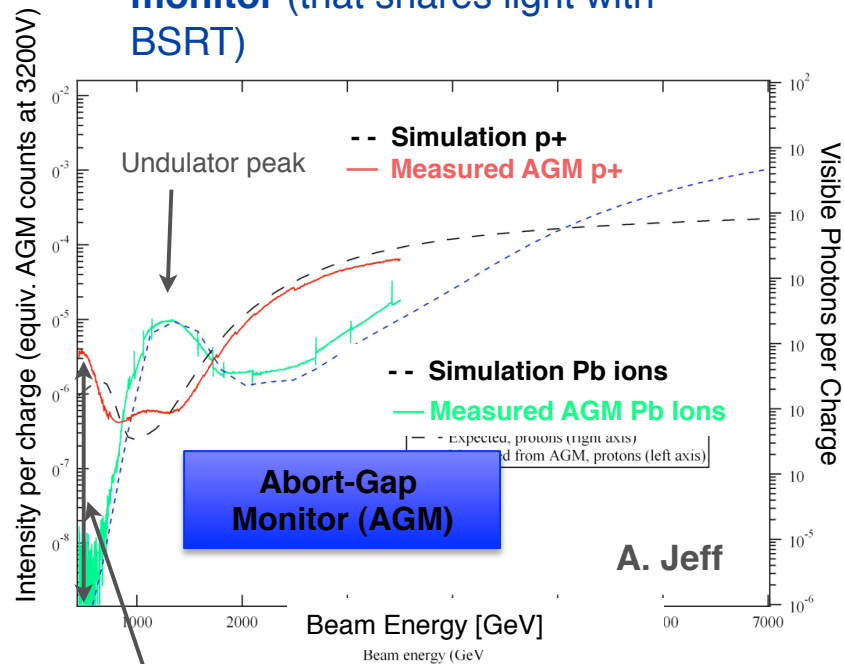
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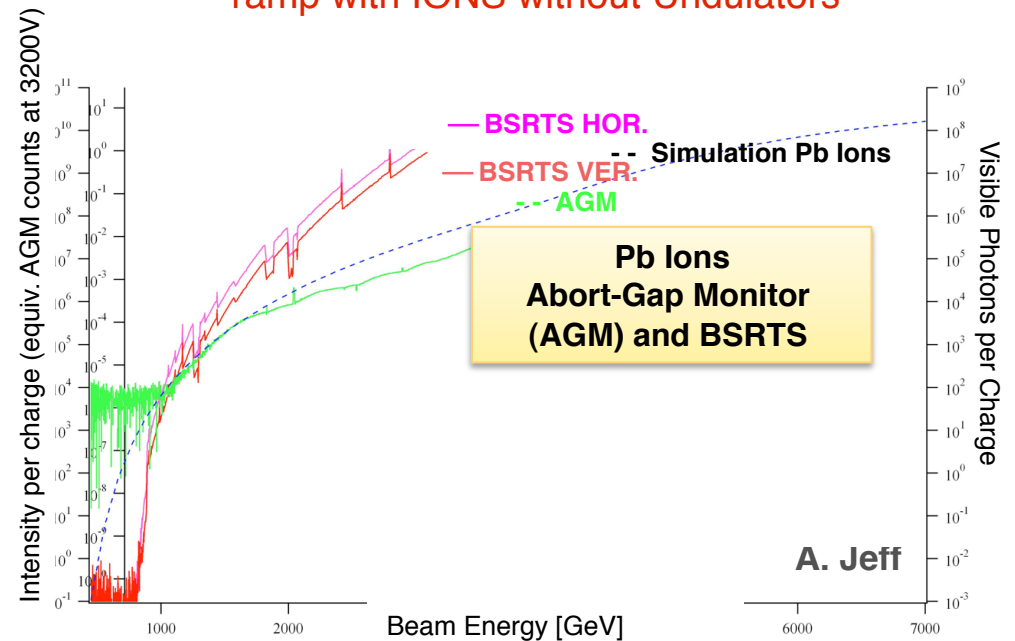
Simulated vs Measured Light Intensity

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Photons per charge as simulated and measured by **Abort Gap monitor** (that shares light with BSRT)

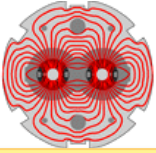


Photons per charge as simulated and measured by **BSRT** during a ramp with IONS without Undulators



At least a factor of 10^4 between protons and ions at injection energy.

Nevertheless, it was possible to image the ions at injection.



Monitoring LHC Emittance with BSRT

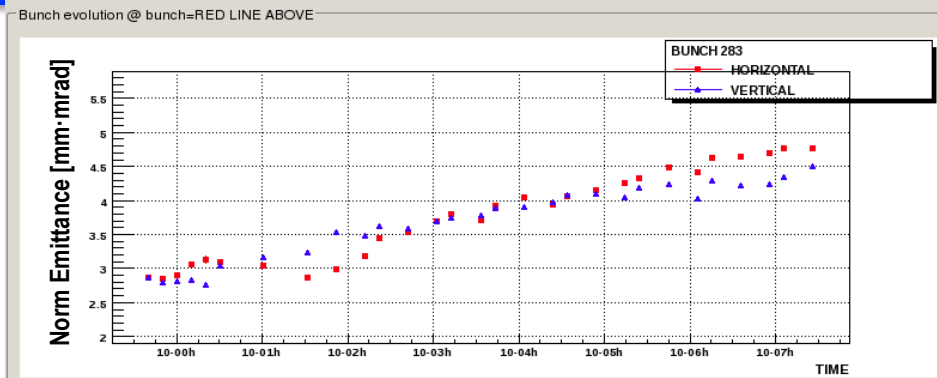
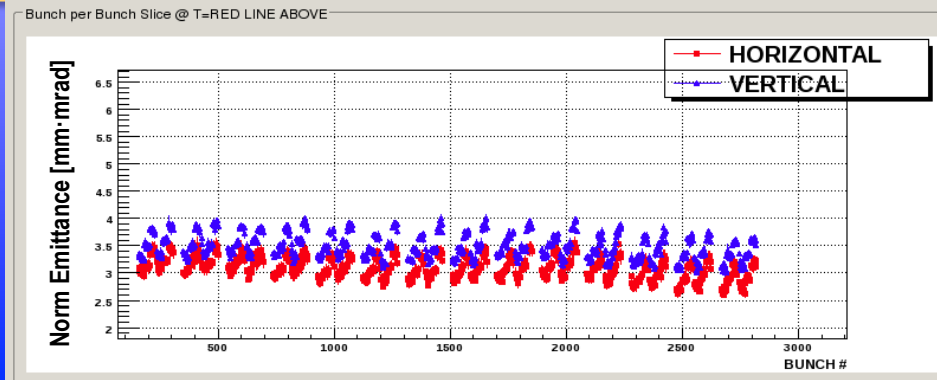
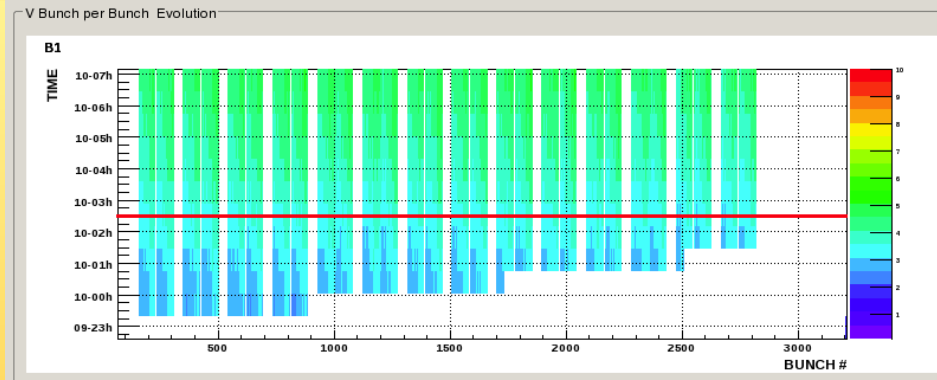
Transverse vertical emittance
versus bunch number and
time

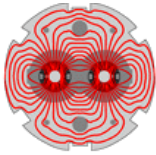
Bunch-by-bunch emittance
at a fixed time

Structure comes from injectors.
Sawtooth pattern here repeats with
PS period.

Single-bunch emittance vs time

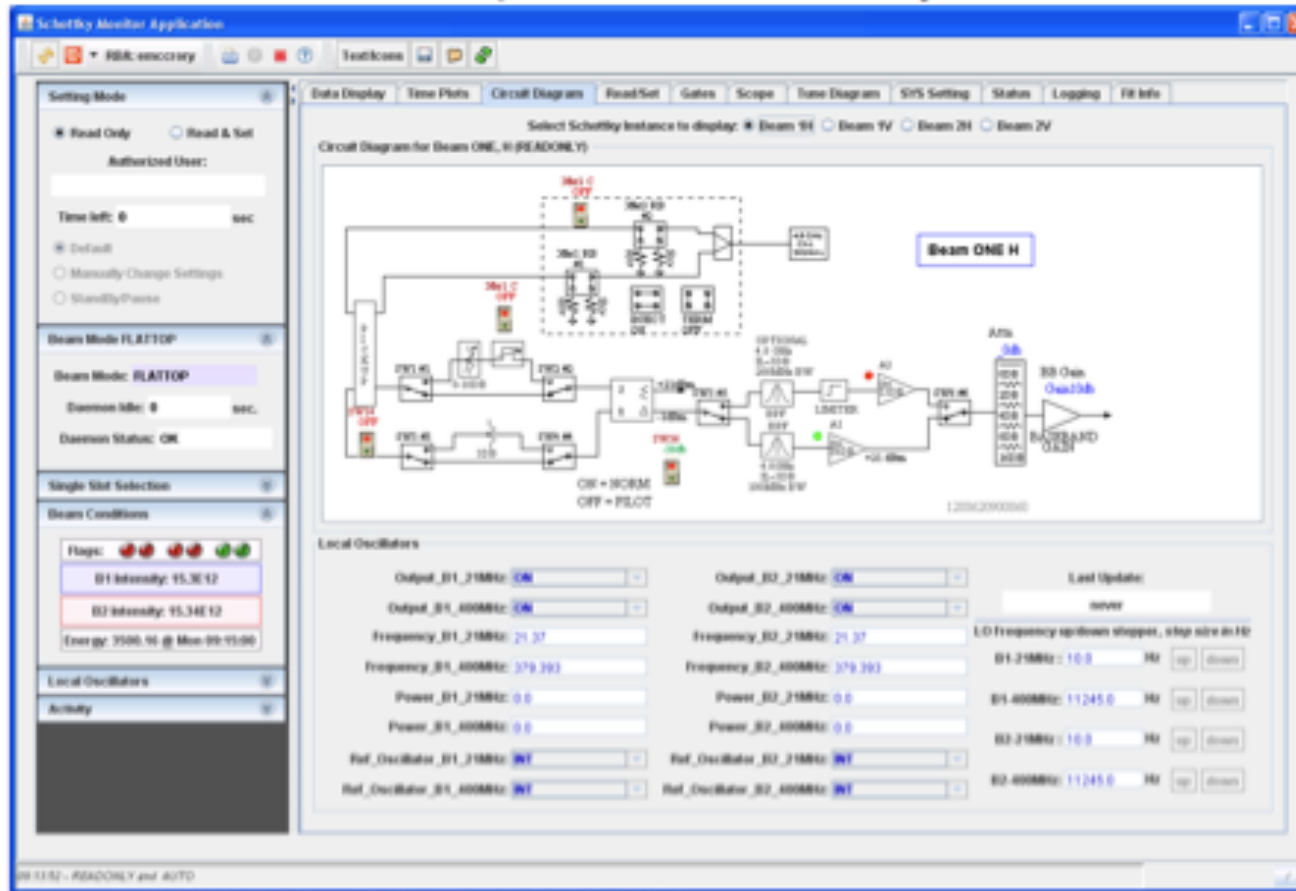
Emittance reduction between two
measurements on the same bunch
gives estimate of statistical error.



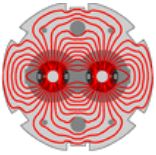


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Schottky – Interactive Graphics Control



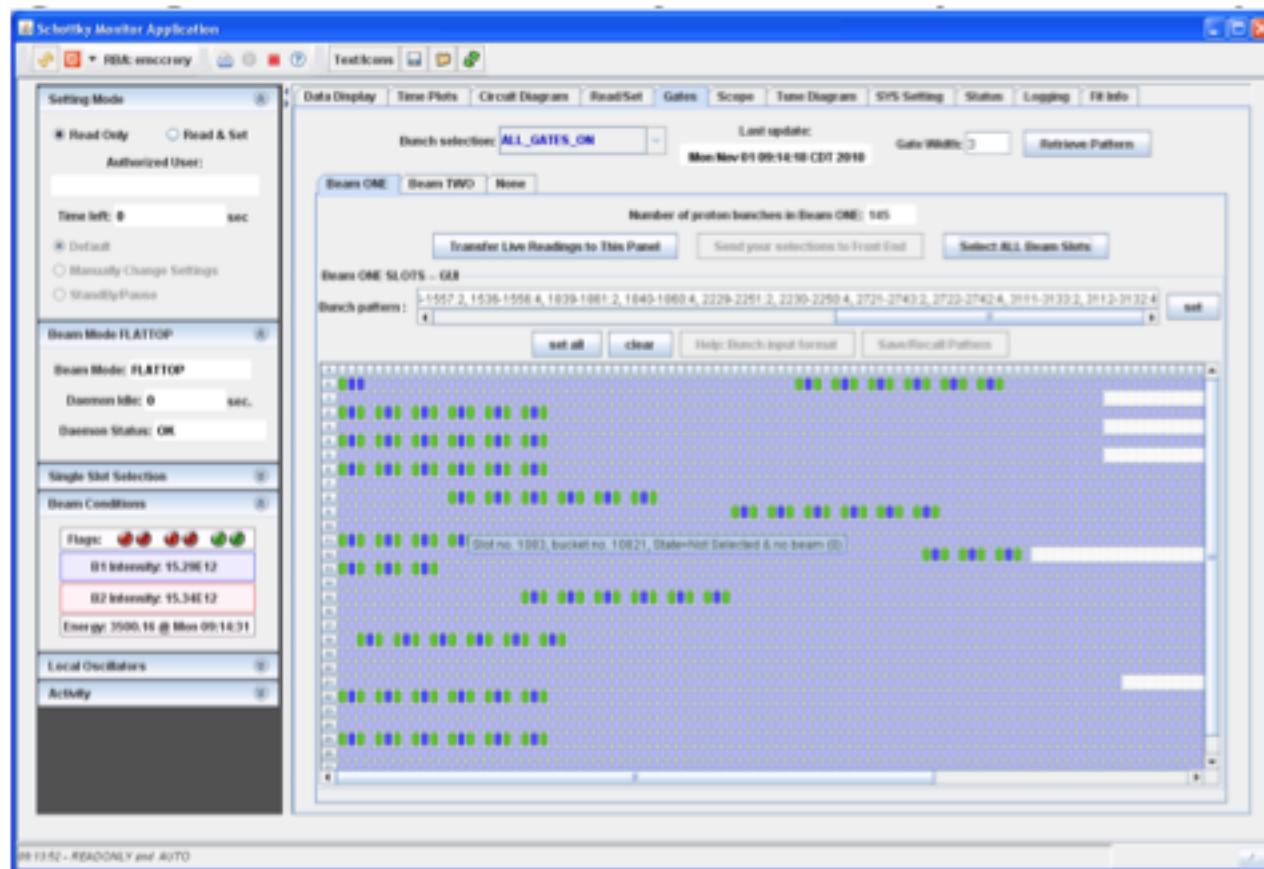
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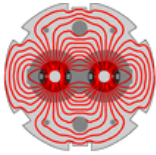
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Automated Gating Control

Allows for any number of bunch configurations

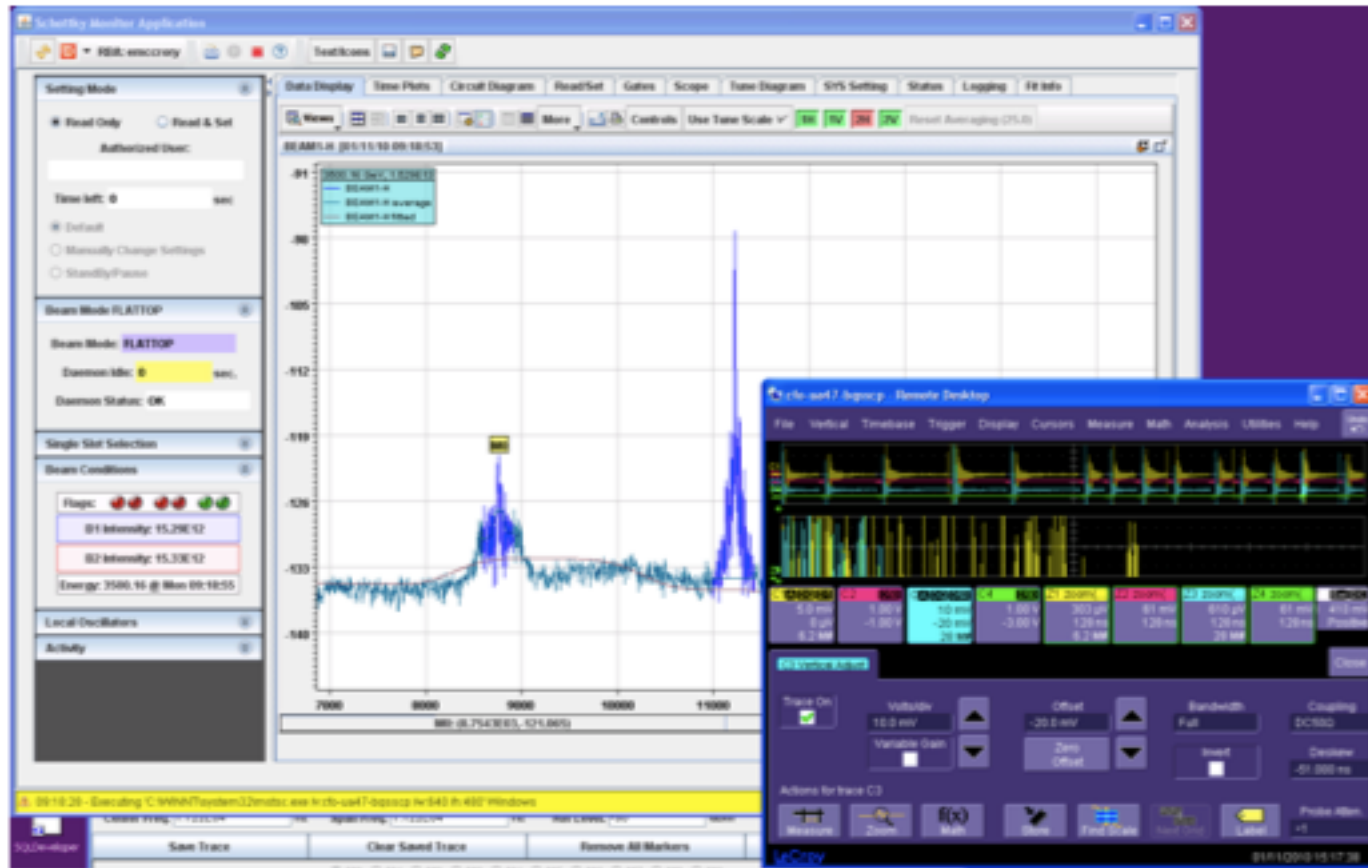


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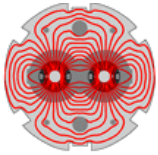


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Remote Control of Gate Timing O-Scope

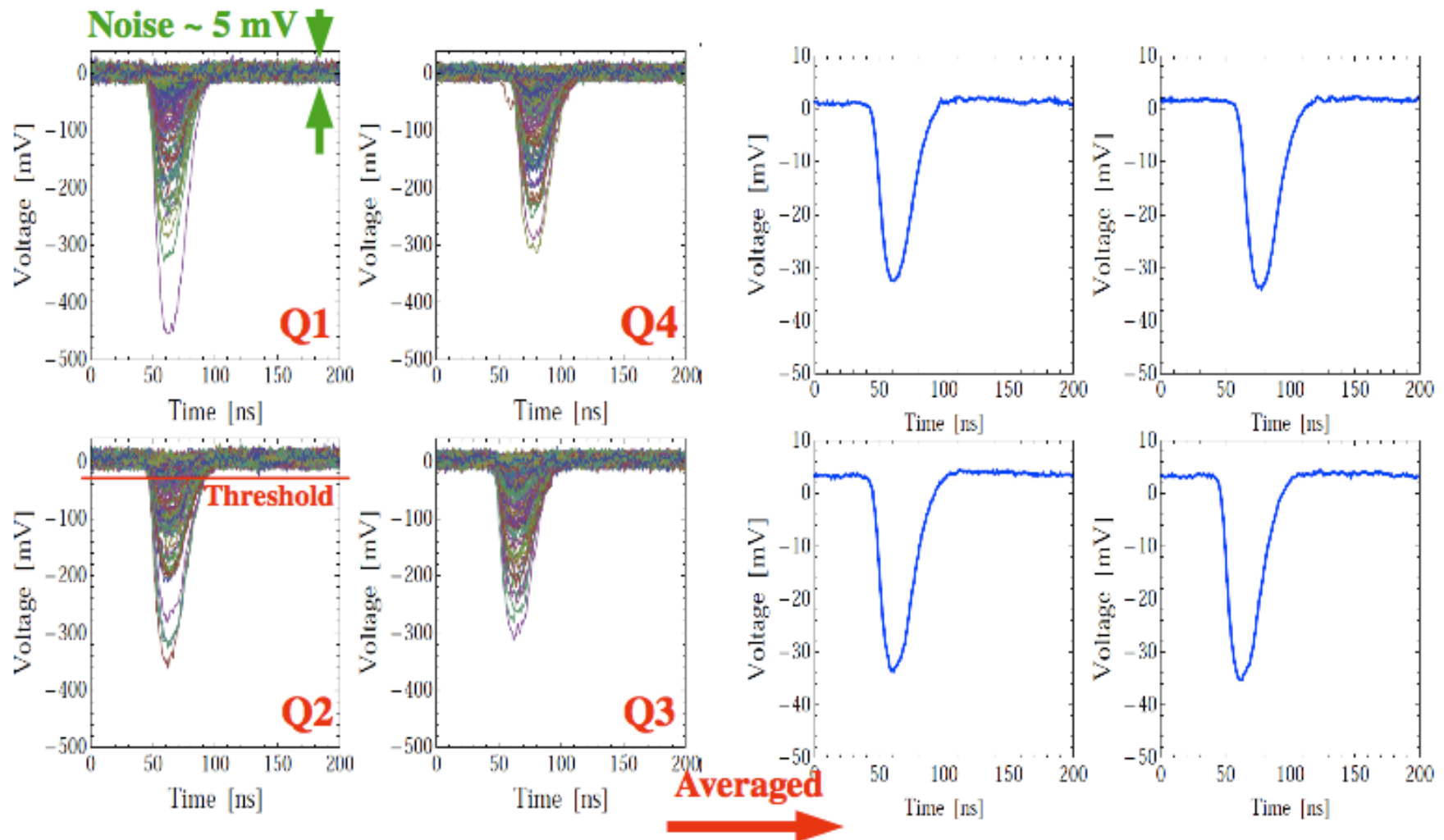


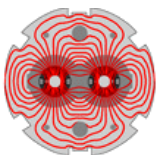
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Lumi – Counting and Pulse Height Modes

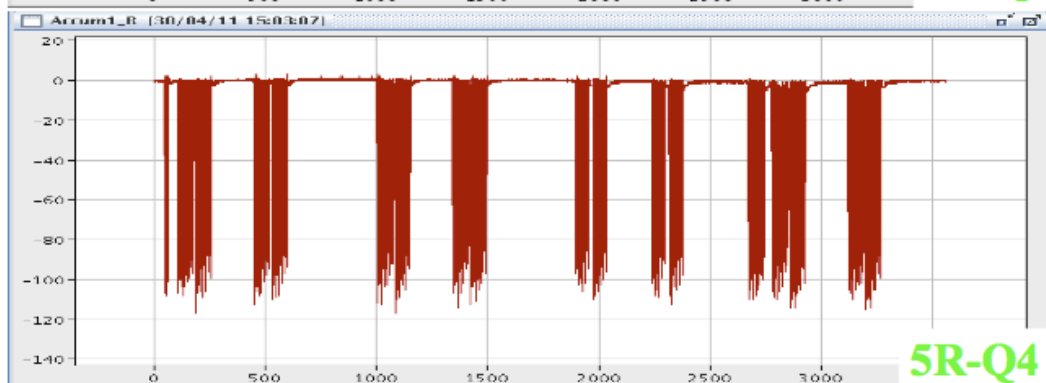
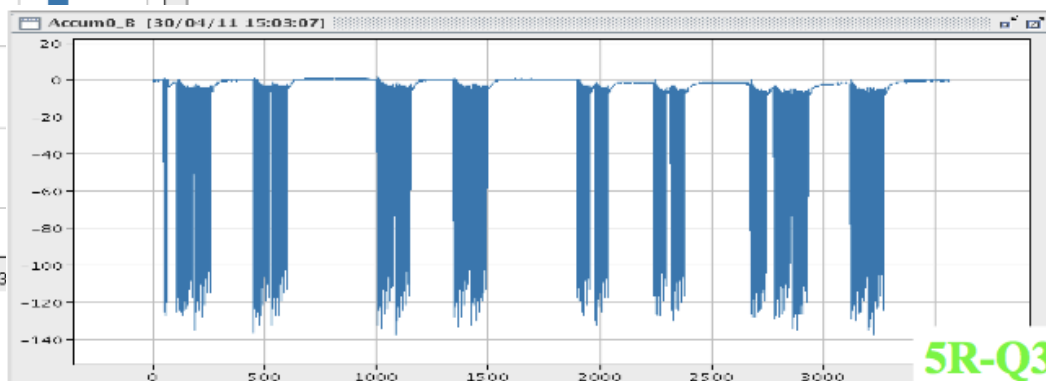
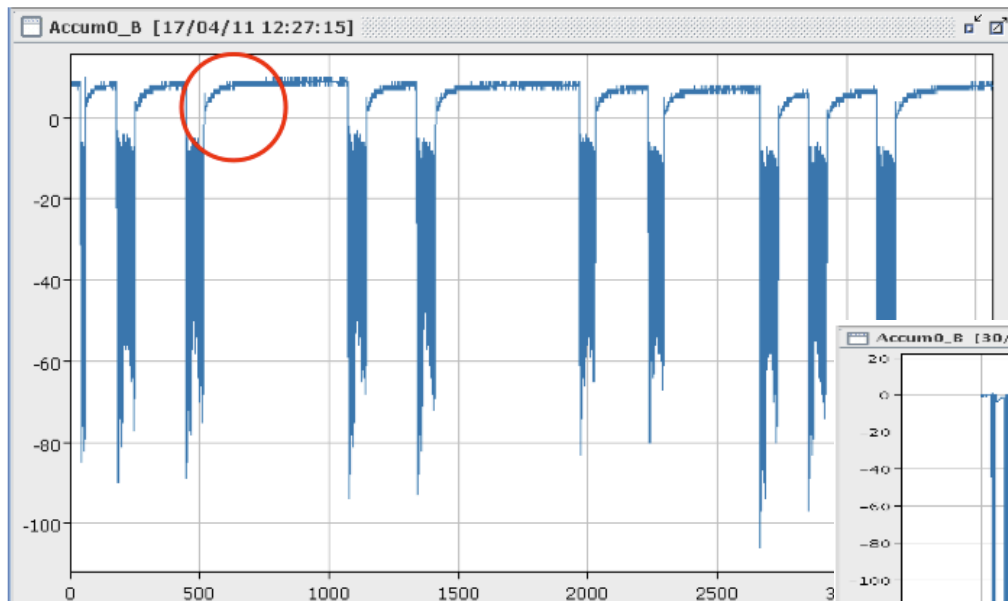
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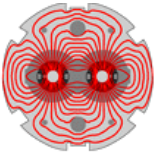




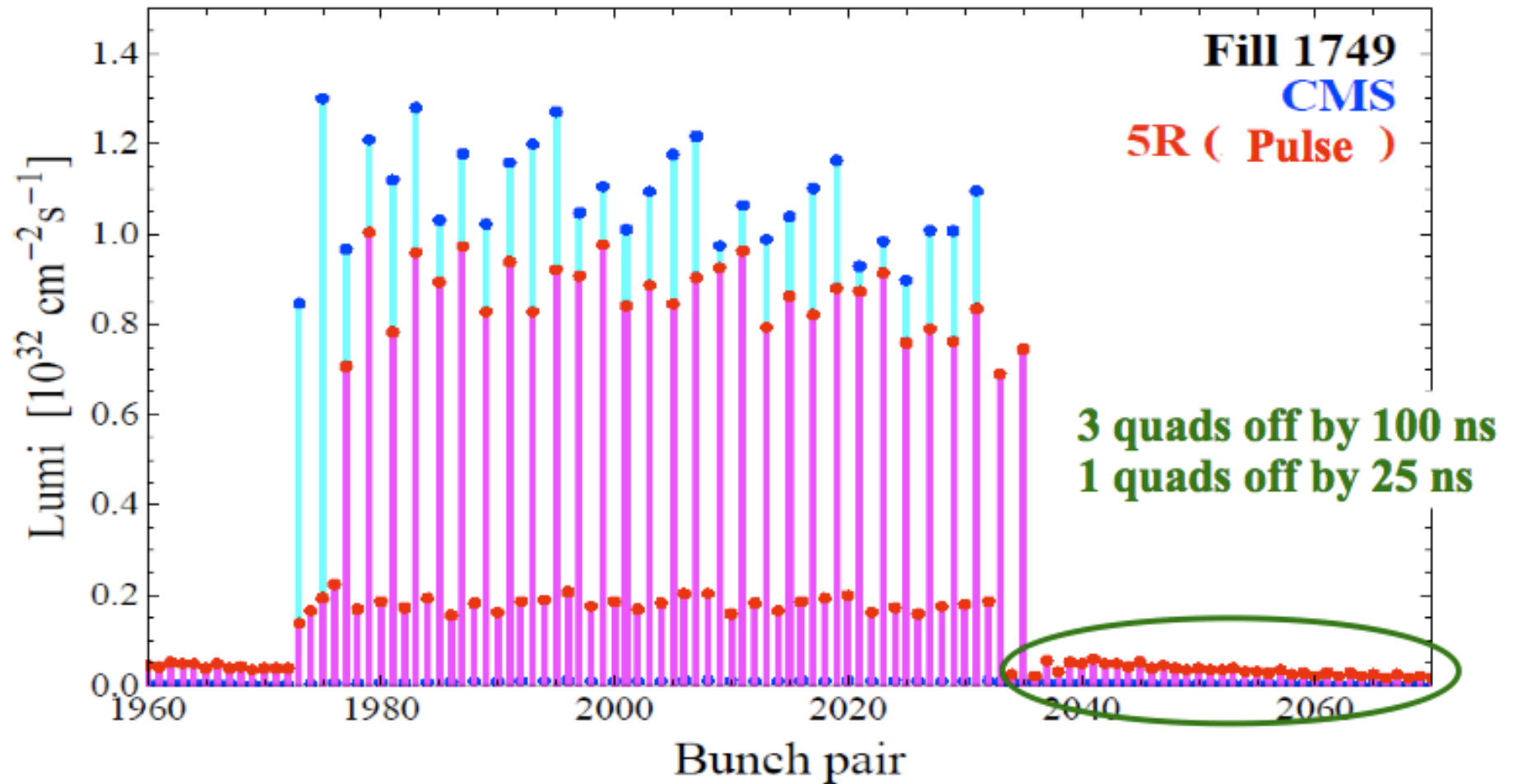
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Pulse Height Readout Adjustments

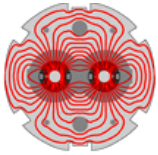




Readout Timing Adjustments



Operational at 50 ns



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B1 Global Correction with SVD fit

