



# Particle Beams for FT Experiments

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**Aim of the seminar:**

Go through the basic principles in the design of particle beams

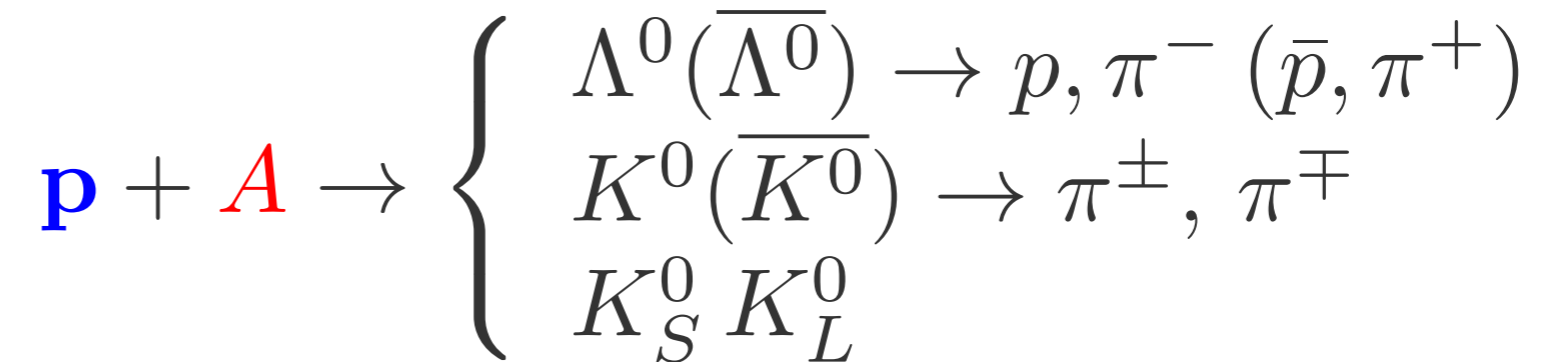
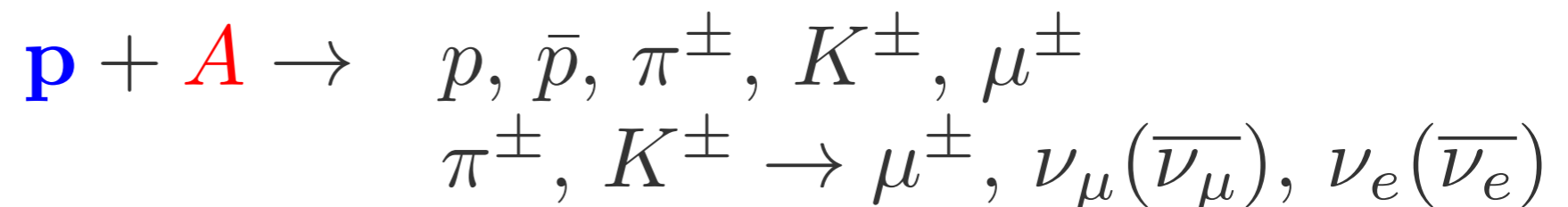
Not full fledge accelerator physics but lots of ideas and challenges behind

Playing with particles is fund and full of surprises !!!

# Particle Beams - what does it mean?

- ▶ Particle beams typically refer to **secondary** or **tertiary** beams, i.e. beams produced from other **primary** beams, typically via interaction in a target or by particle decay

- ▶ secondary/tertiary hadron beams :



- ▶ secondary/tertiary electron or photon beams :  $\mathbf{p} + \mathbf{A} \rightarrow e^{\pm}, \gamma$
- $e^{\pm} + \mathbf{A} \rightarrow \gamma$
- $\gamma + \mathbf{A} \rightarrow e^{\pm}$

- ▶ ion fragment beams :  $\mathbf{Ion}(\text{Pb}_{208}^{82}) + \mathbf{A} \rightarrow \text{Ion Fragments}(\text{X}_A^Z)$

# Characteristics of Charged Particles

Name		Q	Mass	Mean life ( $\tau$ )		c $\tau$	Mean decay distance	Decays	
			[MeV/c <sup>2</sup> ]	[s]	[m]		[m/GeV/c]		
Leptons	Electron	e	$\pm e$	0.511	stable				
	Muon	$\mu$	$\pm e$	105.6	$2.2 \times 10^{-6}$	659.6	$6.3 \times 10^3$	$\mu^+ \rightarrow e^+ \bar{\nu}_e \nu_\mu$ (100%)	
Hadrons	Mesons	Pion	$\pi$	$\pm e$	139.6	$2.6 \times 10^{-8}$	7.8	56.4	$\pi^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu$ (100%)
		Kaon	K	$\pm e$	493.6	$1.23 \times 10^{-8}$	3.7	8.38	$K^+ \rightarrow \mu^+ \nu_\mu$ (63%) $\pi^0 e^+ \nu_e$ (5%) $\pi^0 \mu^+ \nu_\mu$ (3%) $\pi^+ \pi^0$ (...) (28.9%)
	$K^0_s$								$8.9 \times 10^{-11}$
	$K^0$		0	497.6	$K^0_L$	$5.12 \times 10^{-8}$	15.34	34.4	$K^0_L \rightarrow \pi^\pm e^\mp \nu_e$ (40.5%) $\pi^\pm \mu^\mp \nu_\mu$ (27.0%) $3\pi^0$ (19.5%) $\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0$ (12.5%)
	Baryons	Proton	p	$\pm e$	938	stable			
Lambda		$\Lambda$	0	1115.6	$2.63 \times 10^{-10}$	0.079	0.237*	$\Lambda^0 \rightarrow p \pi^-$ (63.9%)	
Sigma Hyperons		$\Sigma^+$	+e	1189.3	$8.02 \times 10^{-11}$	0.024	0.068*	$\Sigma^+ \rightarrow p \pi^0$ (51.57%)	
	$\Sigma^-$	-e	1197.4	$1.48 \times 10^{-10}$	0.044	0.125*	$\Sigma^- \rightarrow n \pi^-$ (99.84%)		

(\*) for 10 GeV/c



# Particle Beams – Design basics

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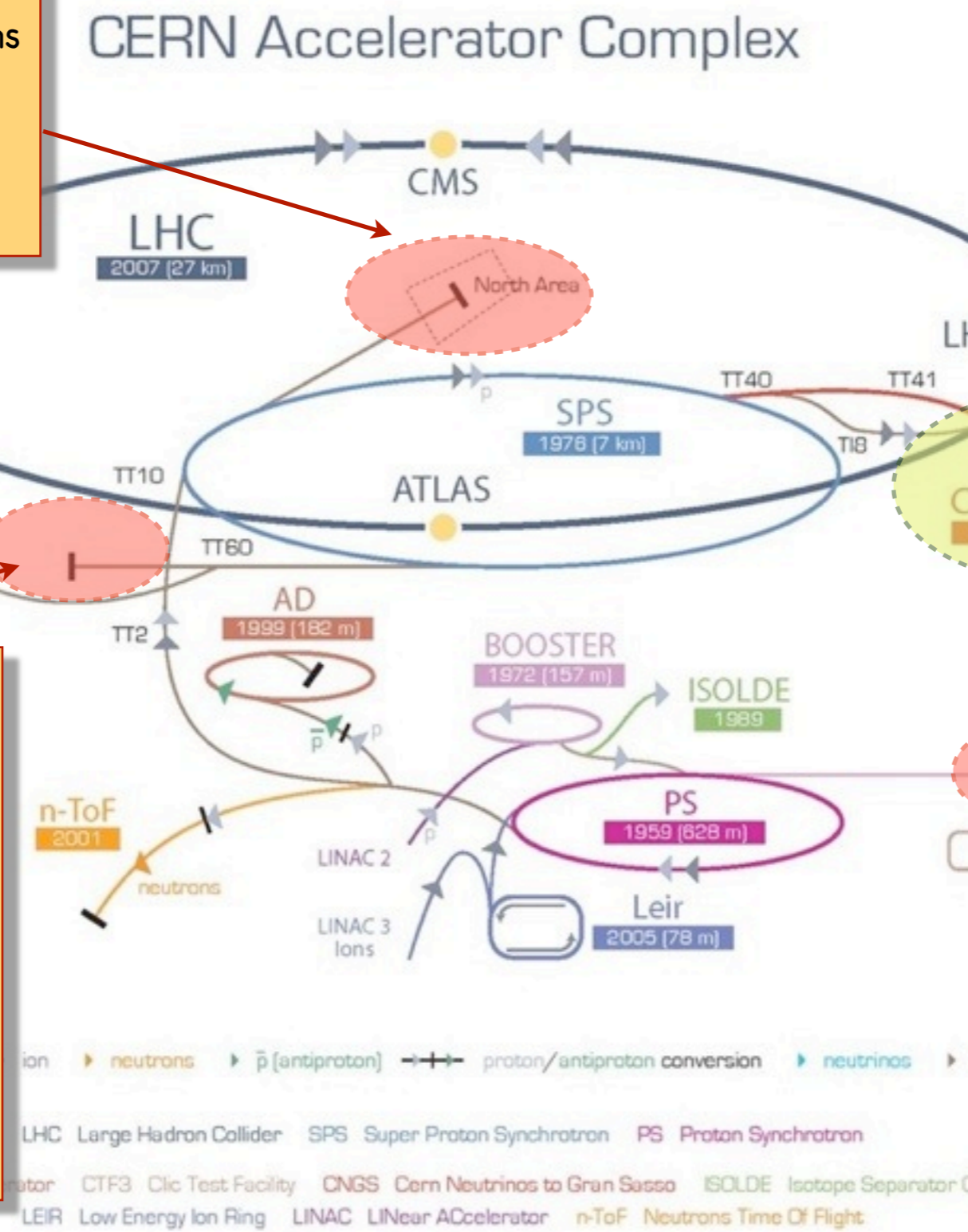
# Secondary Particle beams at CERN

- SPS - North Area**
- sec. hadron and electron beams
  - ion beams
  - Kaon & Muon beams
  - attenuated primary proton beams

- CNGS**
- Long-baseline neutrino beam
  - CERN to Grand Sasso (730km)

- SPS - West Area**
- sec. hadron and electron beams
  - ion beams
  - RF separated beams (BEBC, OMEGA exp.)
  - Wide and Narrow-band neutrino beams
  - Hyperon beams
  - Attenuated primary beams
- Decommissioned in 2004**

- PS - East Area**
- sec. hadron and electron beams
  - attenuated primary proton beam





# Secondary Beams & Experimental Halls

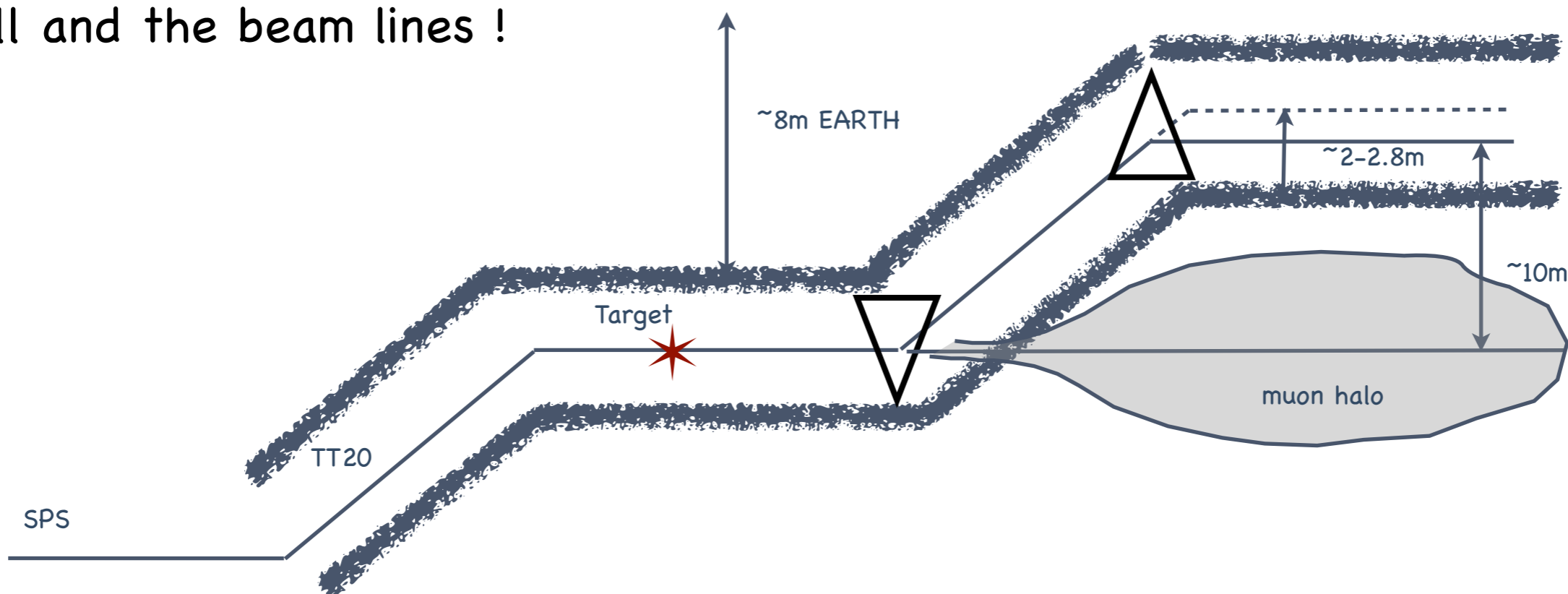
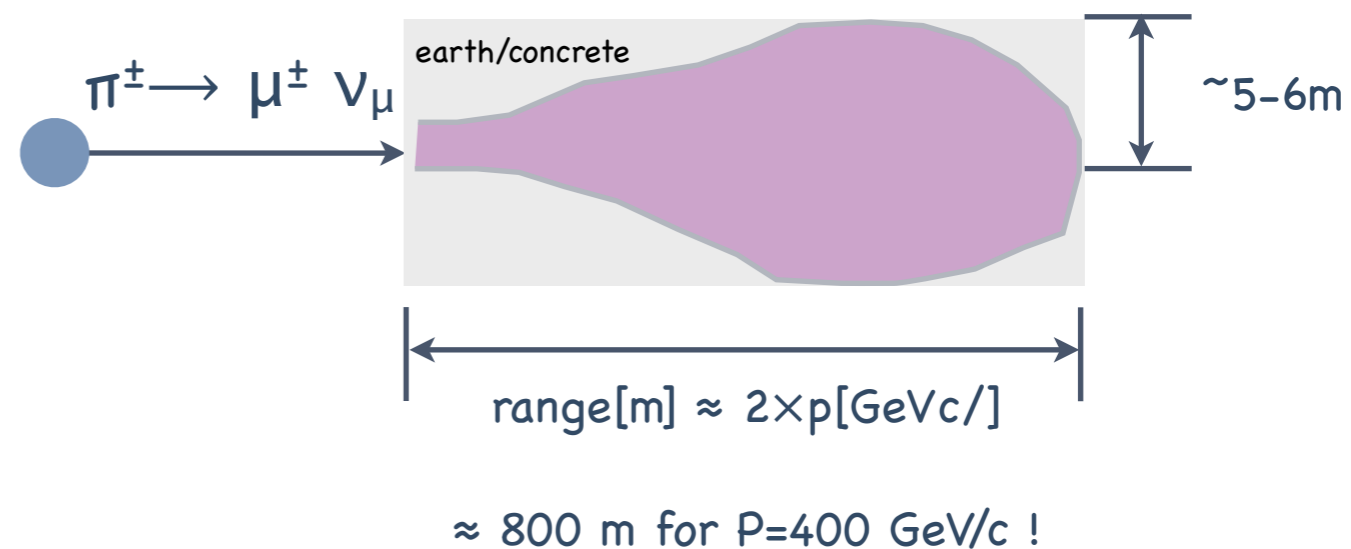
## Layout Considerations (I)

- ▶ Typically there is a strong interest to locate accelerators deep underground
  - ▶ lower cost - not need to buy the land (at least in EUROPE !)
  - ▶ minimize radiation impact to environment and population
  - ▶ if site well chosen, avoid problems with underground water
- ▶ However there is a strong interest to have the experimental halls at the surface or at shallow depth
  - ▶ experiments come with lot of accompanying infrastructure
    - ▶ overhead cranes, services: electrical installations, cryogenics, gases, cabling
  - ▶ the exp. halls can be made big to accommodate several experiments, running in parallel in different beam lines
    - ▶ share the infrastructure --> reduced cost
  - ▶ typically the experiments don't run at high intensities (FT physics = forward physics so not easy to cope with lot of rate) so radiation can be under control
    - ▶ radiation limits : <  $\sim 10^8$  ppb, shallow depth installations, <  $10^{11}$  ppb for underground caverns
- ▶ This natural choice has other advantages for the design of the beam lines !!

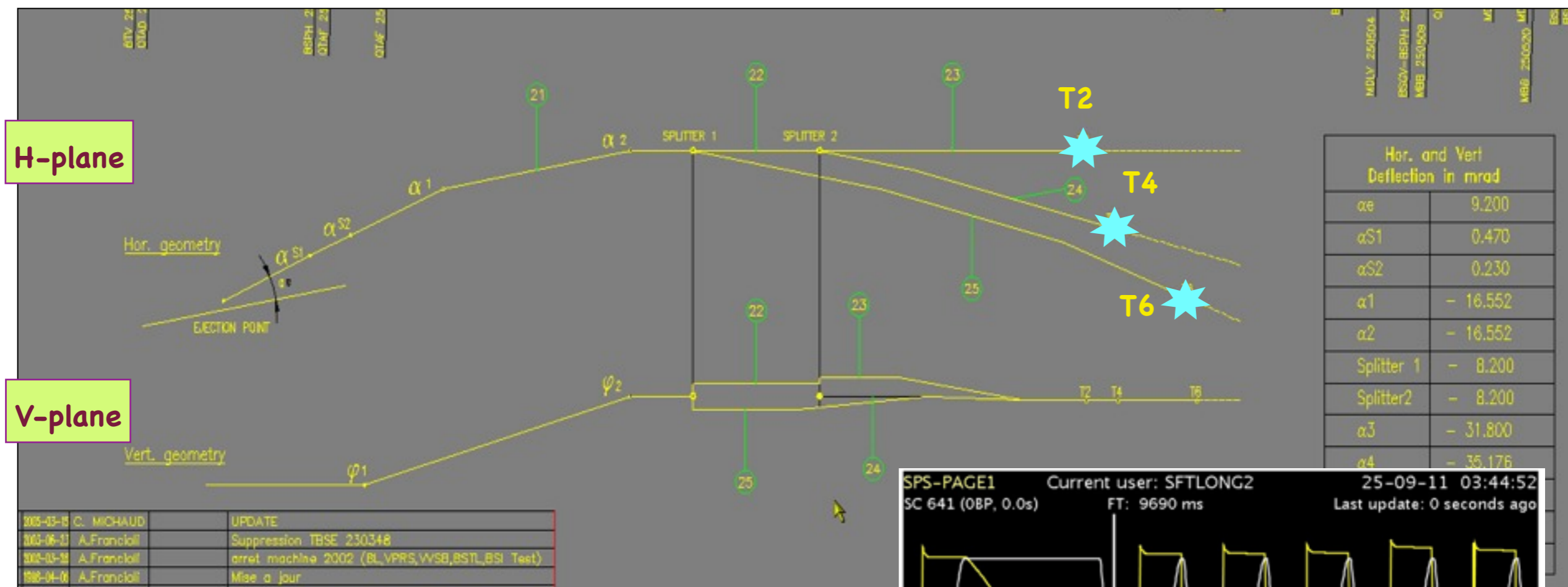
## Layout Considerations (II)

► For high-energy installations (like SPS), the muons will range out after traversing **~800m** of earth and will be **~5-6m** wide !

► Therefore to have several beams in a hall, side by side, the target must be separated vertically from the exp. hall and the beam lines !

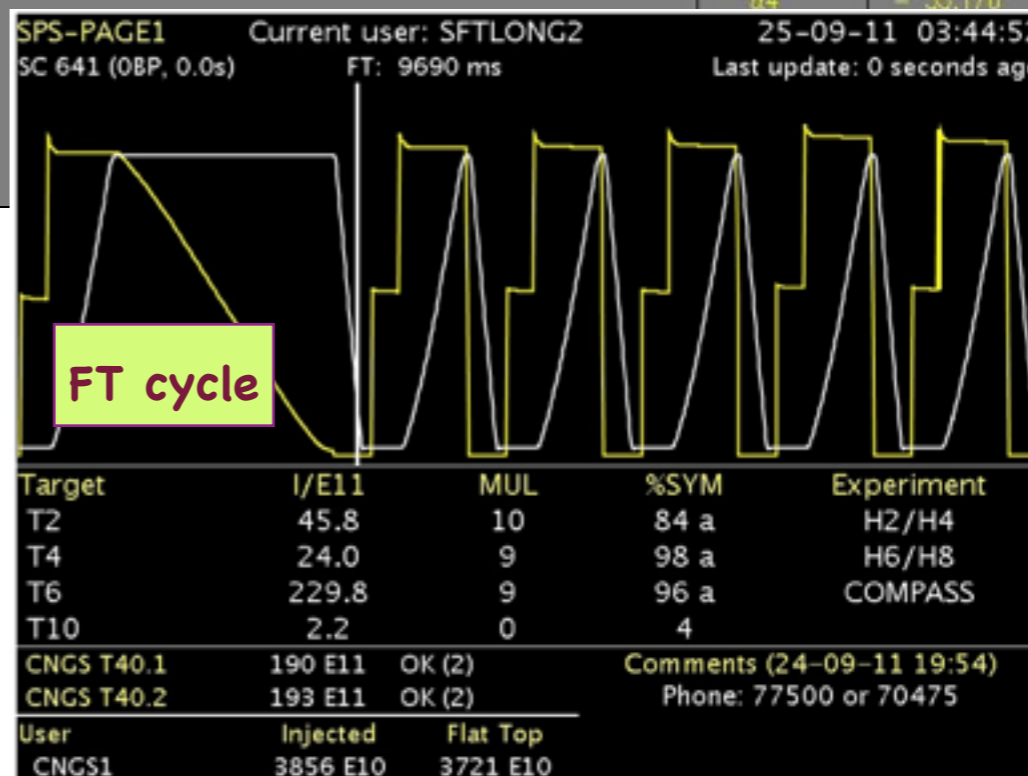


## Primary beam extraction and switchyard (I)



### Primary beam:

- slowly extracted from SPS
- 400 GeV/c
- $3 \times 10^{13}$  protons/extraction

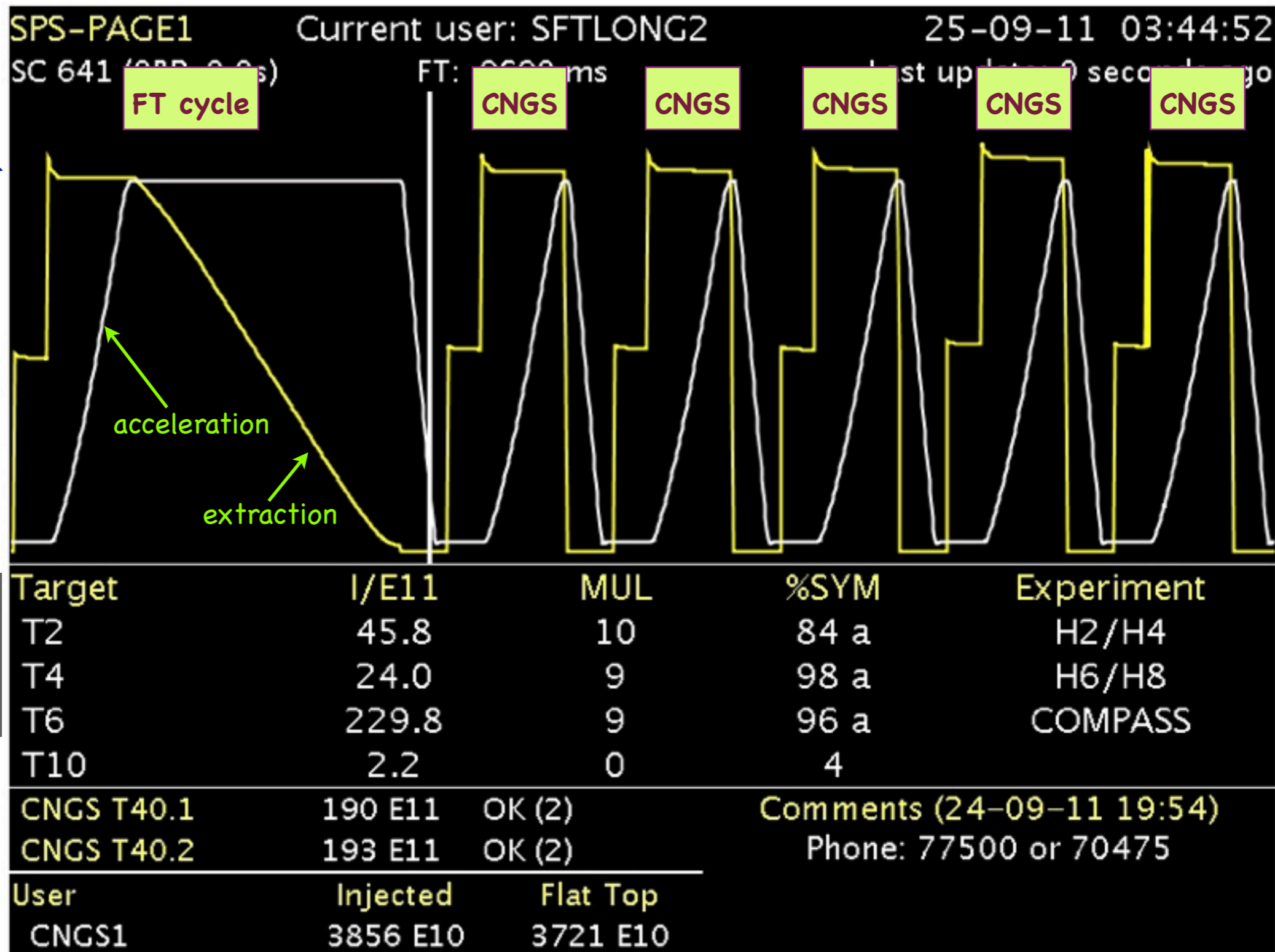






# Secondary Beams @ CERN - SPS North Area

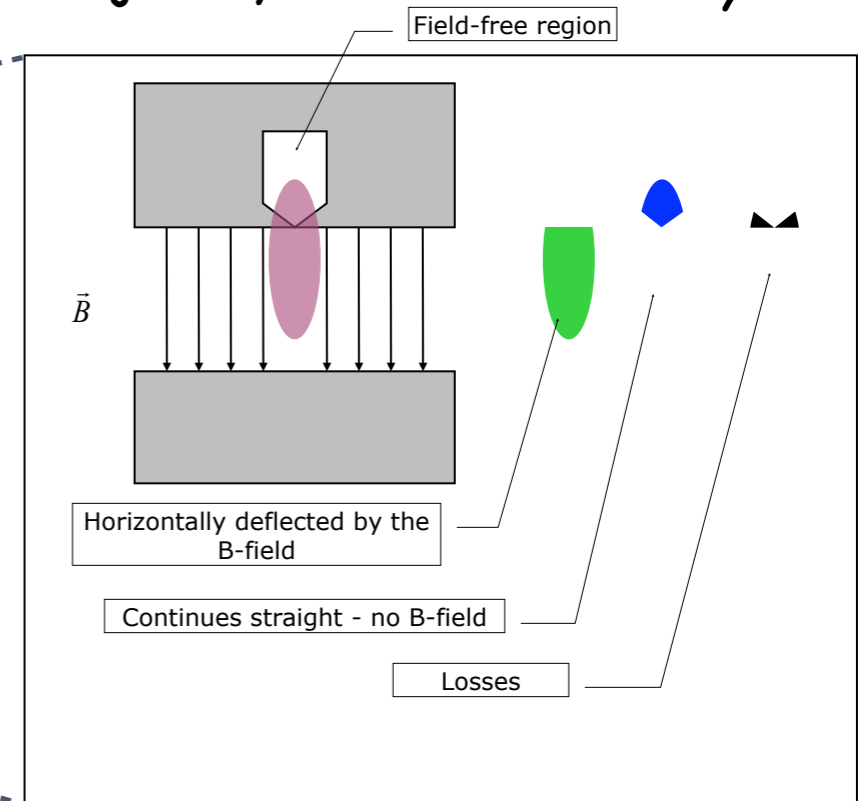
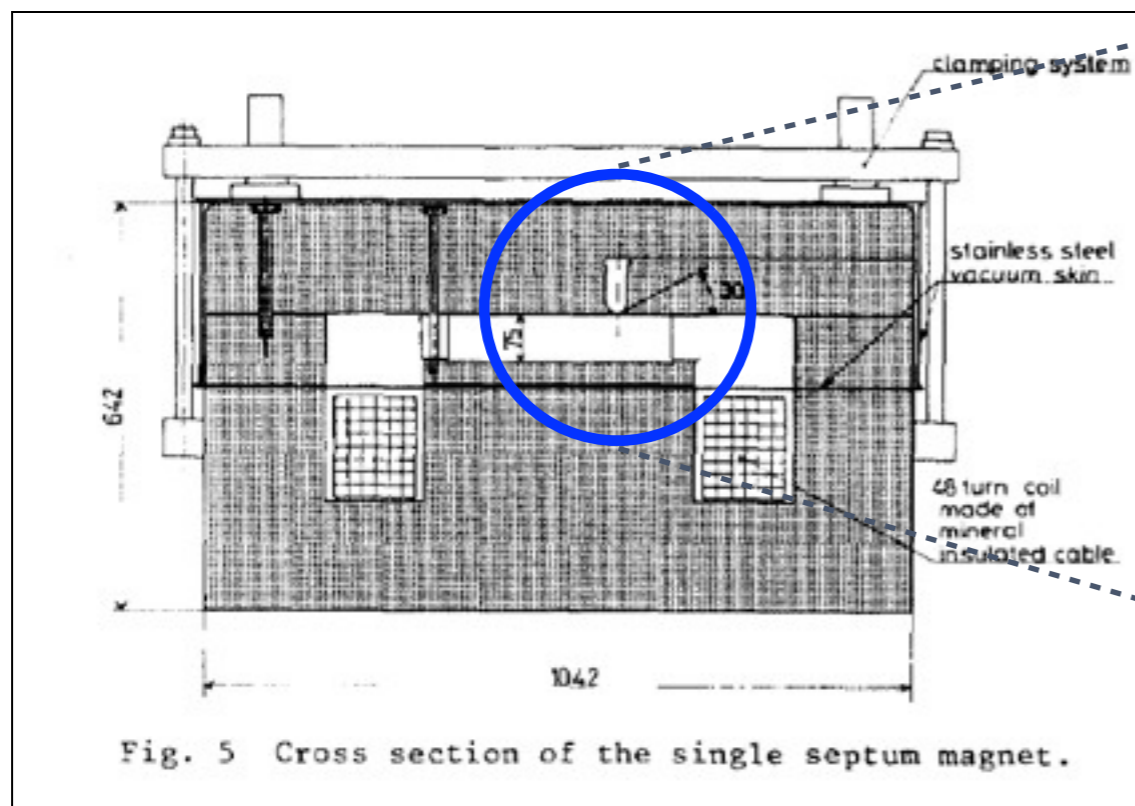
## ▶ SPS Beam extraction



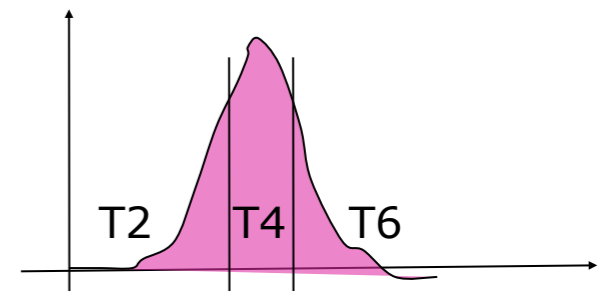
-yellow line= beam intensity  
 -white line = magnetic cycle

## Primary beam extraction and switchyard (II)

- ▶ **Beam splitters** : specially designed magnets that have a field-free region where part of the beam passes without deflection
- ▶ however part of the beam is lost - **very** radioactive objects, also the nearby area!!

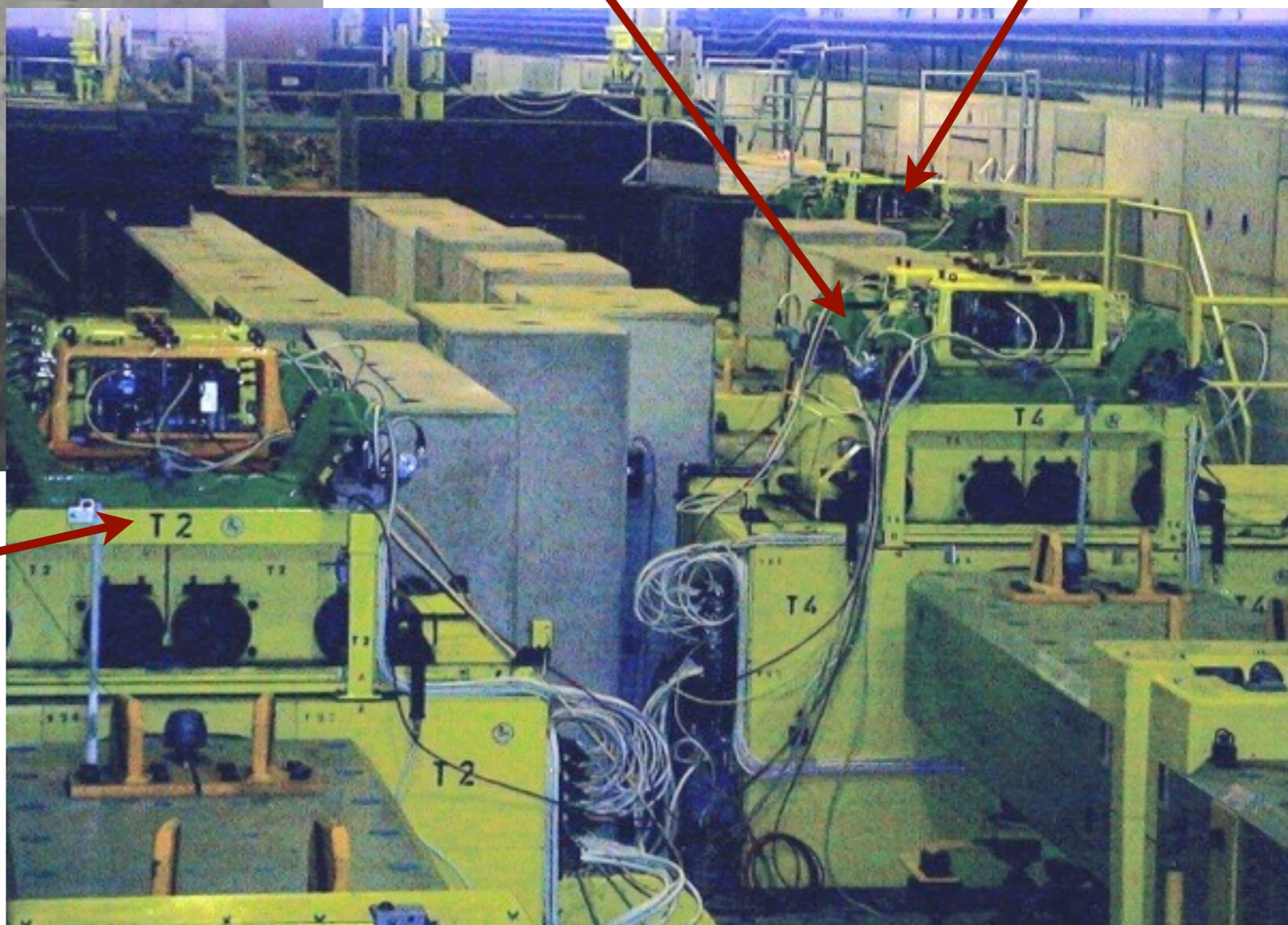
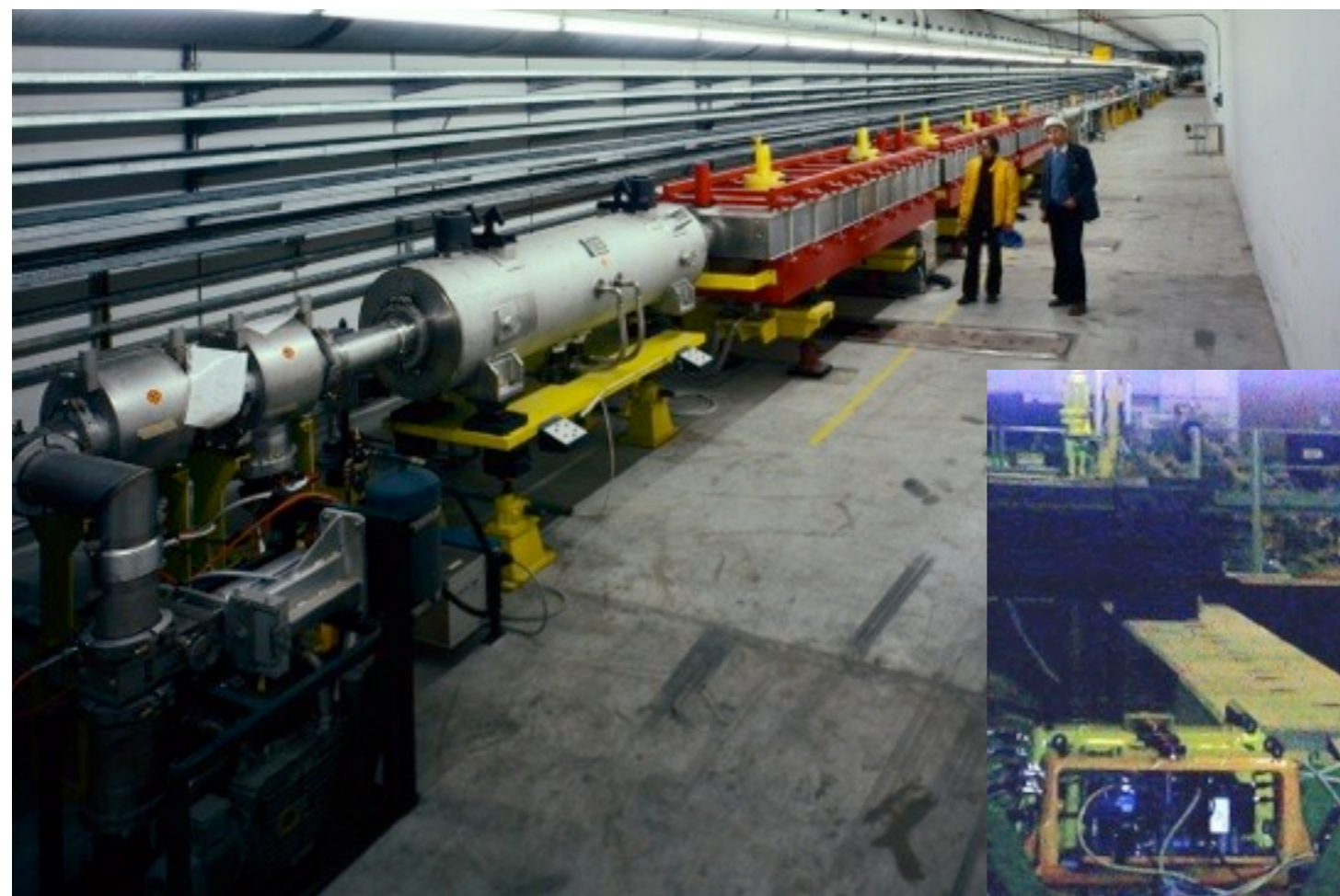


- ▶ Optimized beam optics to minimize the losses
  - ▶ small  $\beta_H$  (~9m) and large  $\beta_V$  (~23km)



**Exercise:** can you design such optics, including the focusing to the downstream targets?

## Primary beam extraction and switchyard (III)



**T4**  
(H6,H8,P0)

**T6**  
(M2)

**T2**  
(H2,H4)

► What else before the primary beam arrives to the targets?

► **Wobbling !!**

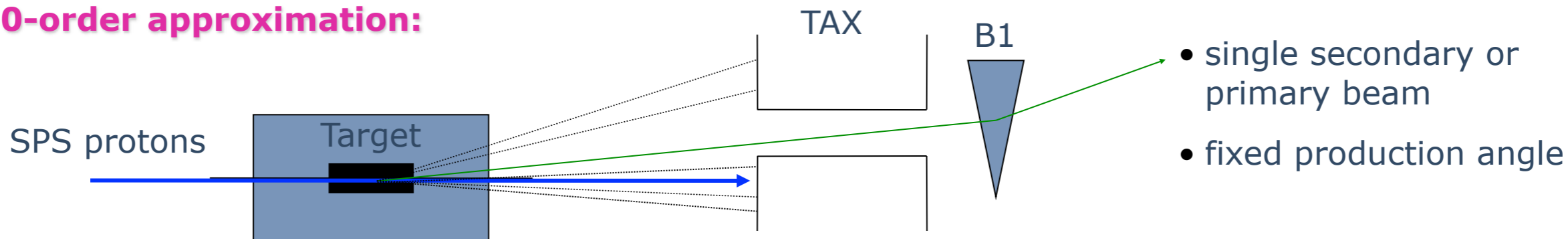
## Target station wobbling

- ▶ **Goal** : provide additional degrees of freedom and increase the flexibility in using a target station
- ▶ Produce several (>1) secondary beams from the same target
  - ▶ wide spectrum of secondary particles downstream the primary targets
  - ▶ all the particles are produced in a large variety of angles and energies
    - ▶ note: the most energetic particles are in the forward direction
  - ▶ must direct the wanted particles in each beam line to its direction (front-end), as defined by the target station layout
- ▶ Besides the secondary beams, the very intense primary proton beam has to be dumped in a controlled way
- ▶ **Solution: "target wobbling"**
  - ▶ adjust the angle of the primary beam to the target
  - ▶ based on physics of particle production, select & optimize the secondary beams

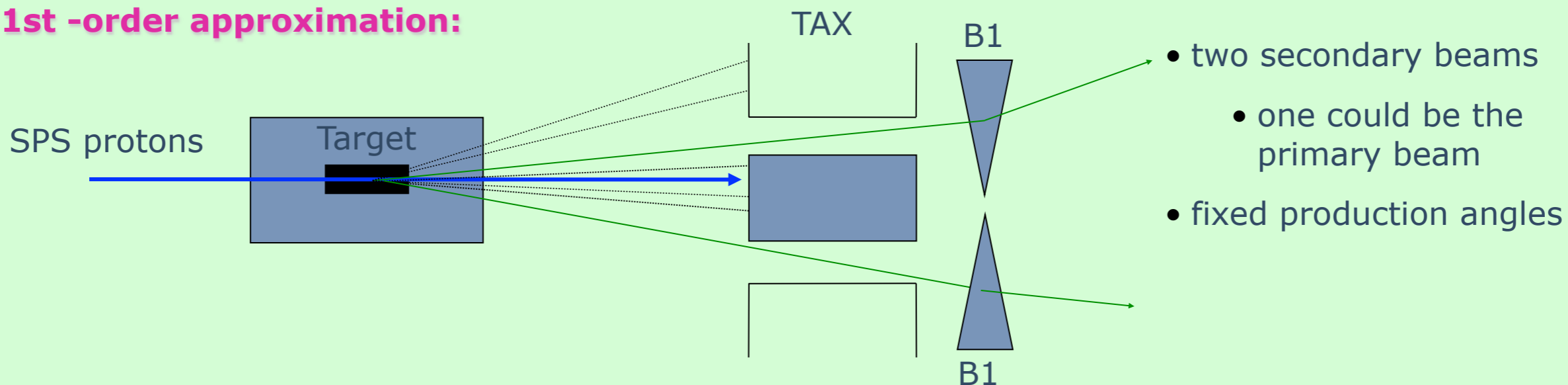


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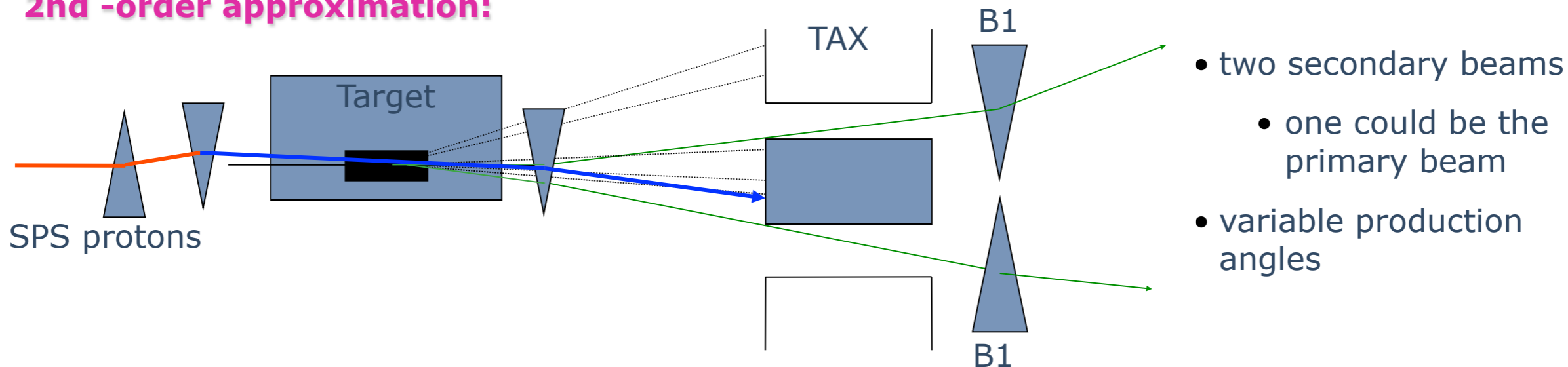
## 0-order approximation:



## 1st -order approximation:



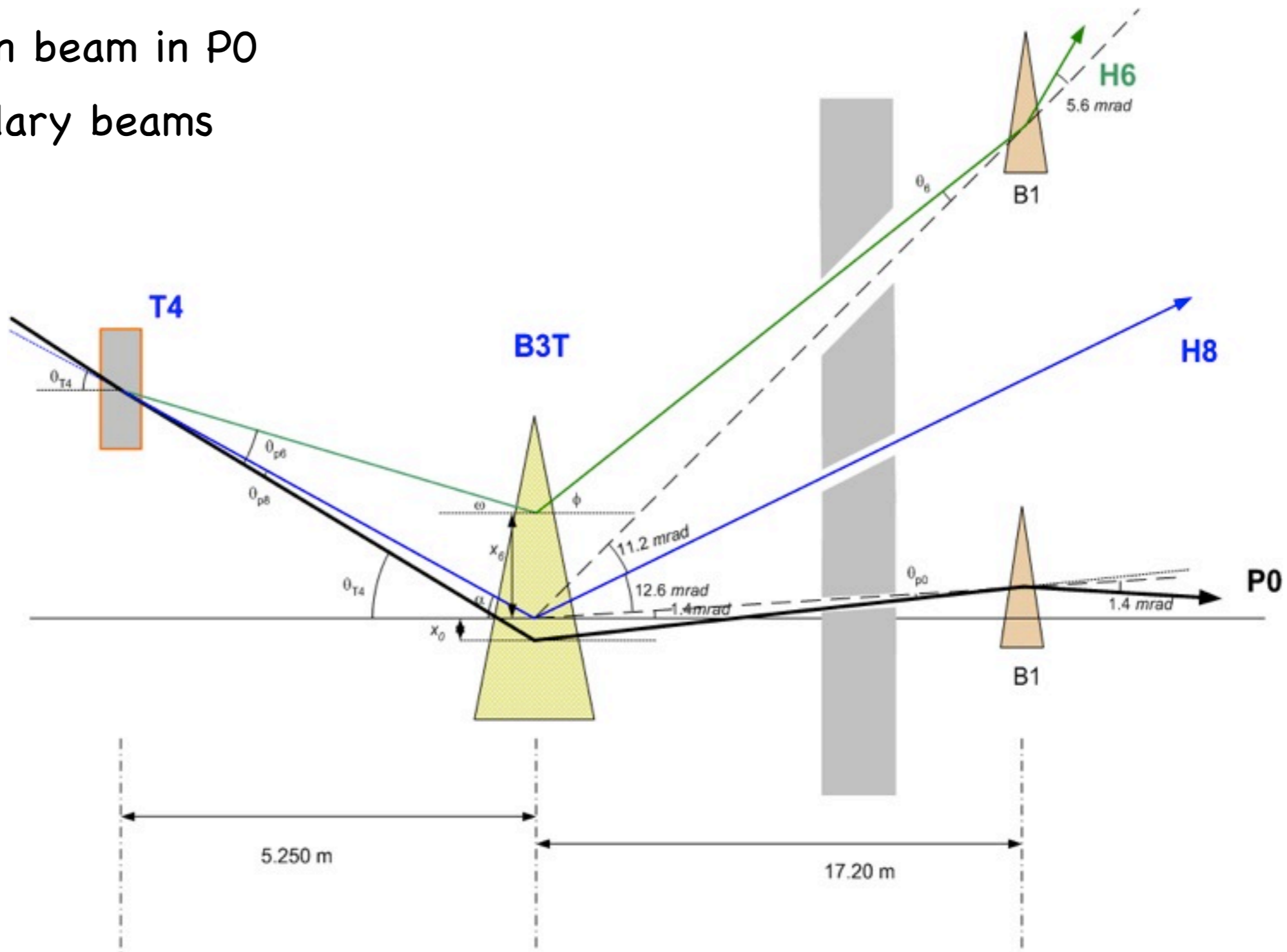
## 2nd -order approximation:





## Example 1: T4 wobbling

- ▶ primary proton beam in P0
- ▶ H8, H6 secondary beams

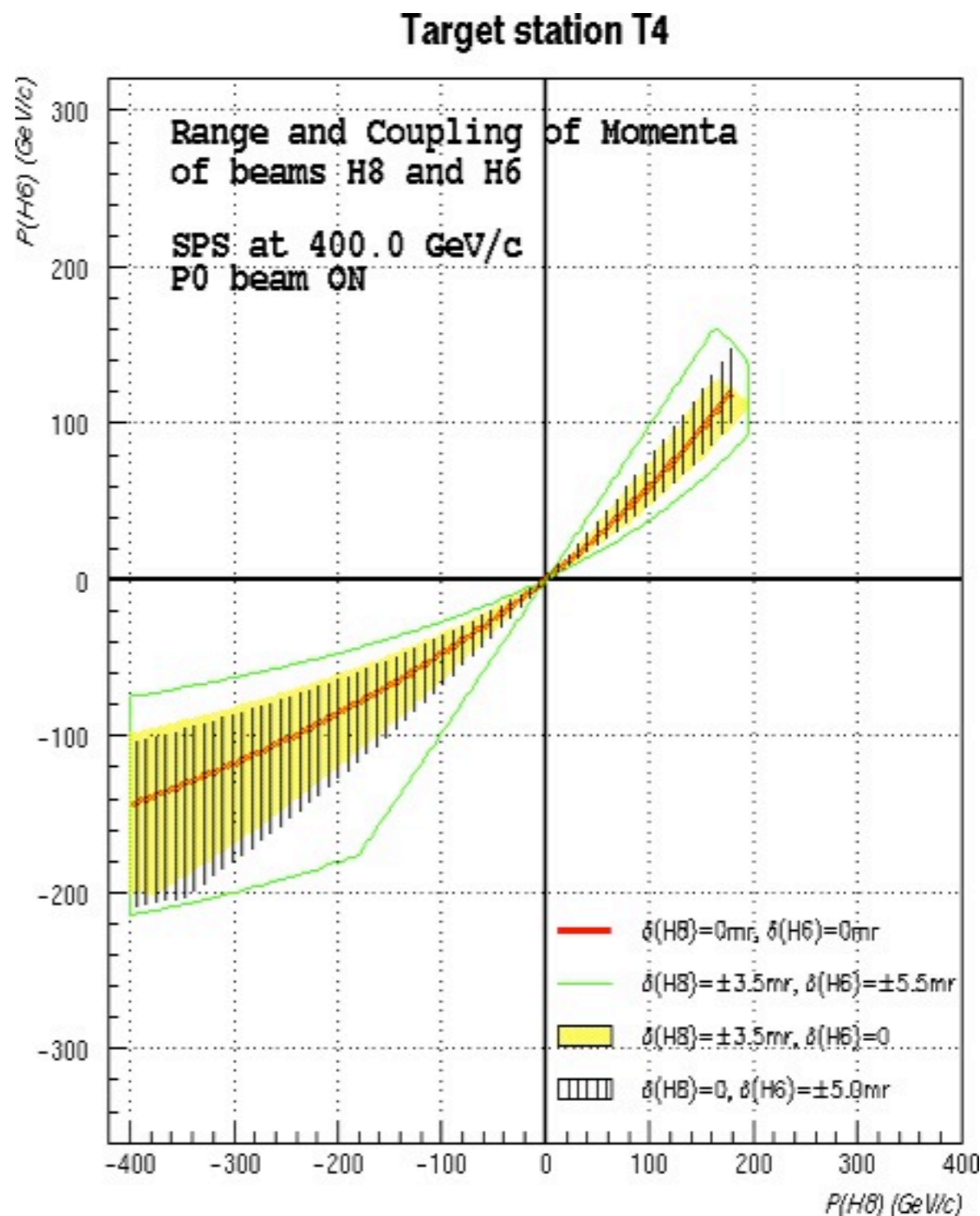


## Example 1:

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- ▶ H8, H6 secondary beams

Presently the most frequent case  
 “standard wobbling” settings:

H8	H6	
Energy (GeV/c) @ 0 mrad prod. angle	Energy (GeV/c)	Prod. Angle (mrad)
<b>+180</b>	+120	0
	+100	-5.46
	+80	-13.36
<b>+20</b>	+10	-1.58
	+20	8.58
	+6	-15.13
<b>-250</b>	-100	-0.33
	-200	8.06
	-120	2.15
	-60	-10.23



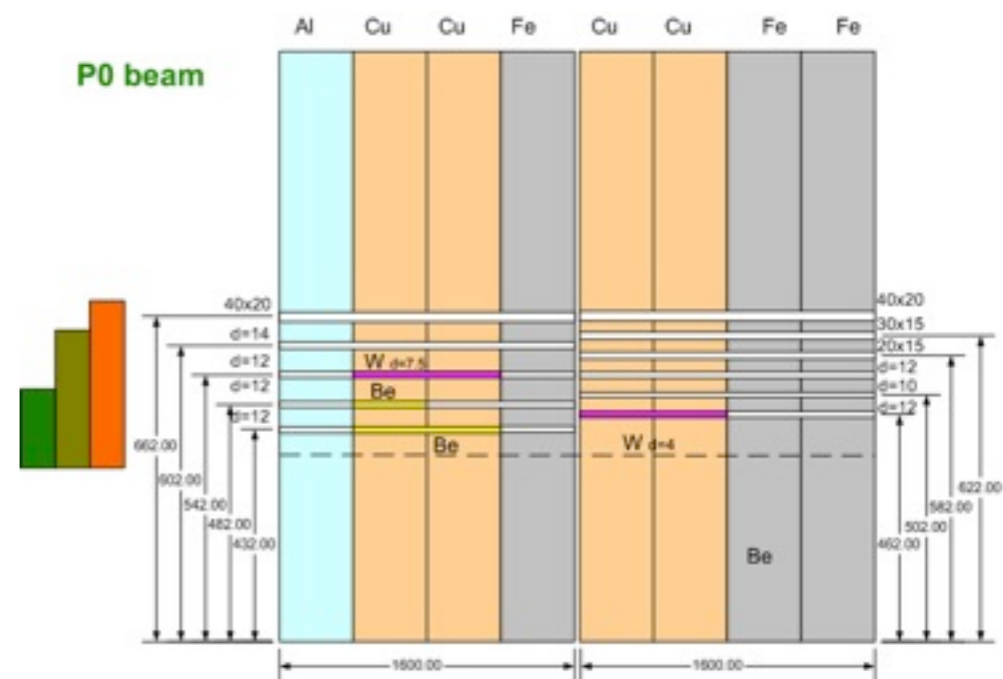
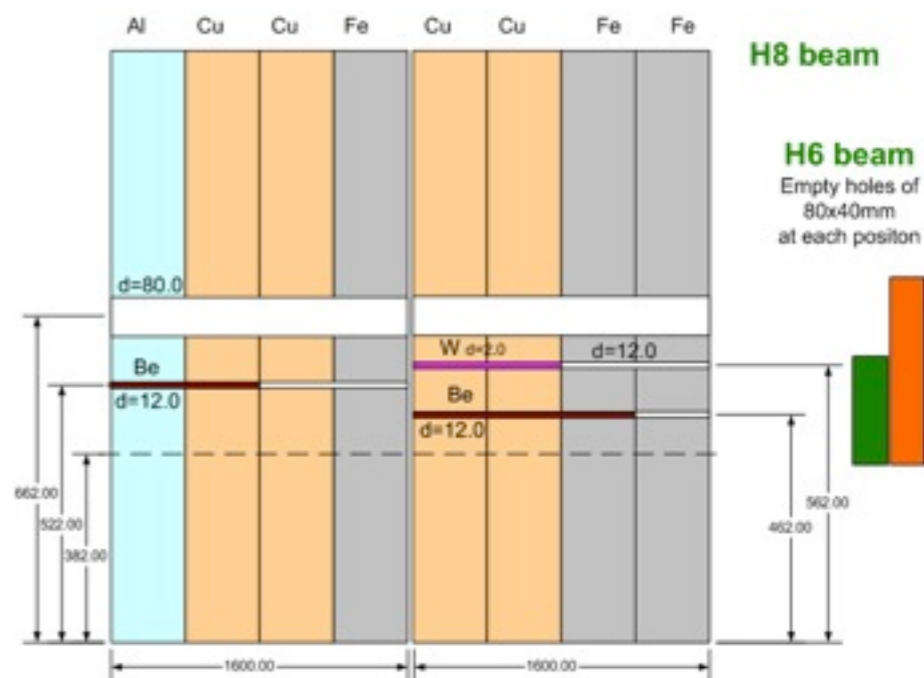
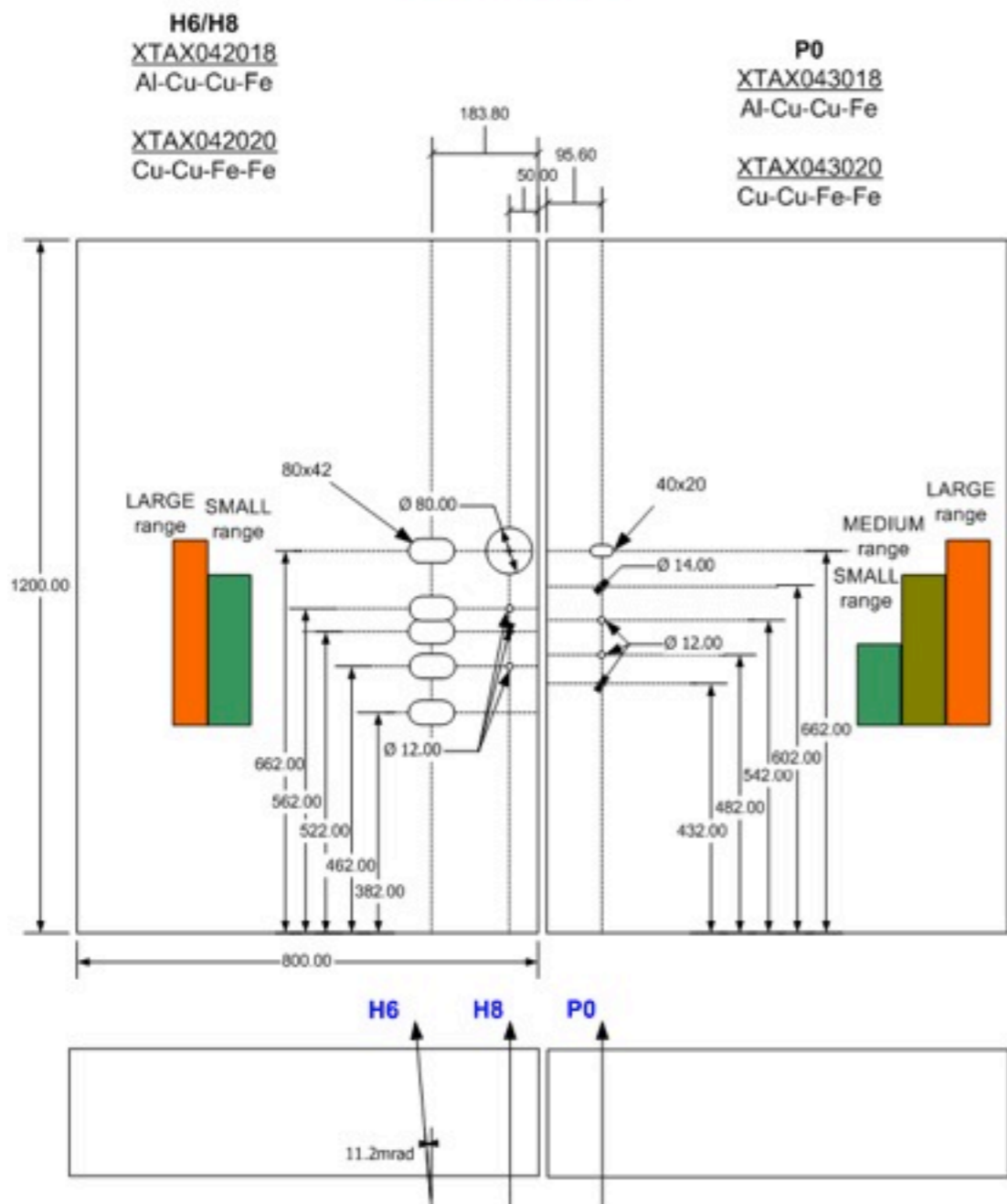
**Exercise:** can you calculate the settings for at least one case?  
**Note:** H8 doesn't have a B1, therefore must have scw=0 deg!



# The TAX absorber attenuator

## T4 Target TAX Blocks

Update 2000



# The TAX absorber attenuator



*Preparation and installation of new TAX blocks for T4.*

# The primary targets

- ▶ Target material and length
  - ▶ The proton intensity on each target can go up to  $10^{13}$  protons/pulse
    - ▶ limited by target and TAX absorber construction (i.e. cooling, etc.)
  
- ▶ The material with largest ratio:  $X_0/\lambda_{int}$  is preferred **Beryllium**
  
- ▶ Increasing the target length:
  - ▶ more production but also more re-absorption
    - ▶ lower the energy of the outgoing particles
    - ▶ Optimal choice  $\sim 1$  interaction length

Material	$X_0$ (cm)	$\lambda_{int}$ (cm)	$X_0/\lambda_{int}$
Beryllium	35.3	40.7	0.87
Copper	1.50	15.0	0.10
Lead	0.56	17.1	0.03

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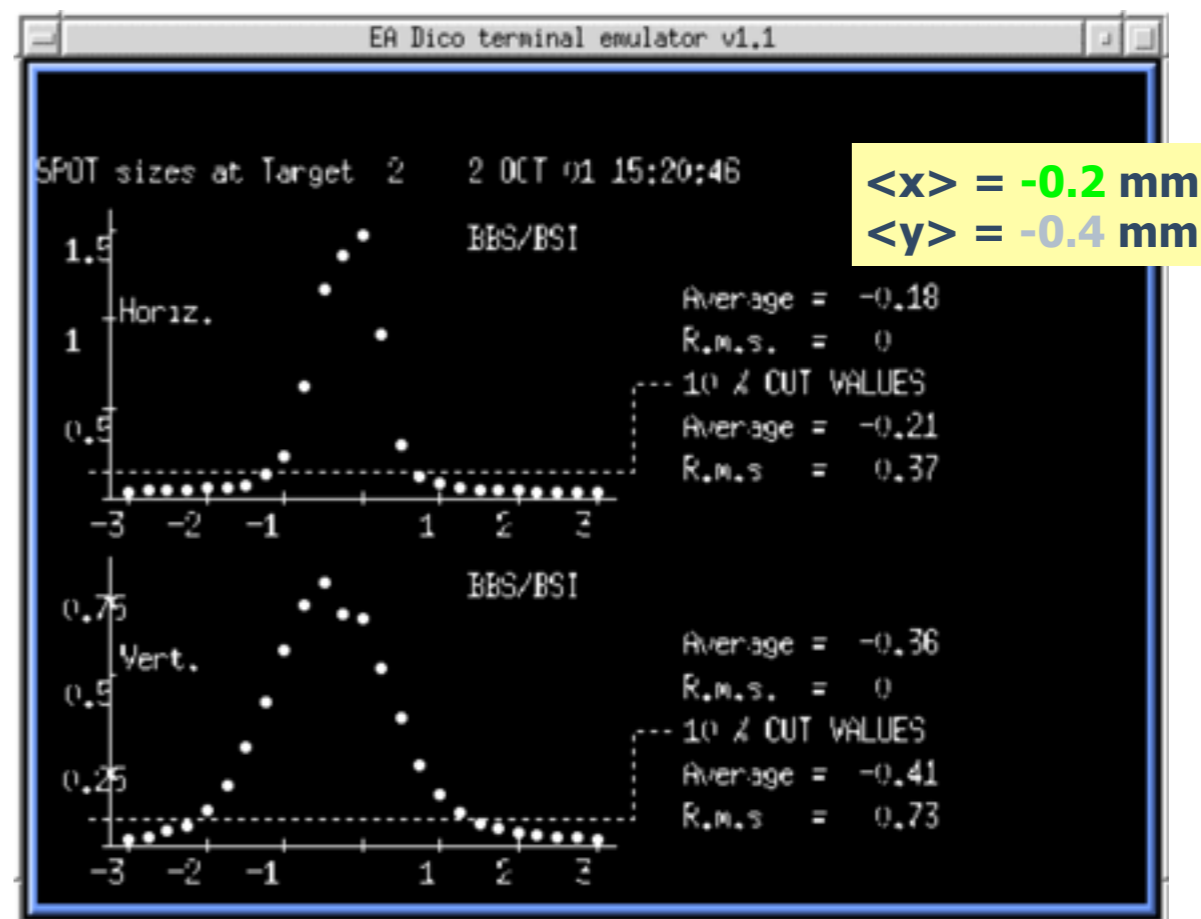
T2 target				
Position	H (mm)	V (mm)	L (mm)	Material
0	EMPTY			
1	160	2	300	Be
2	160	2	500	Be
3	160	2	180	Be
4	160	2	100	Be
5	120	2	40	Be



**Exercise:** can you design optics to make a  $MH=MV=1$  from the target to the experiment? Study the impact of a target target and how affects the final focusing?

## ▶ Beam position monitors

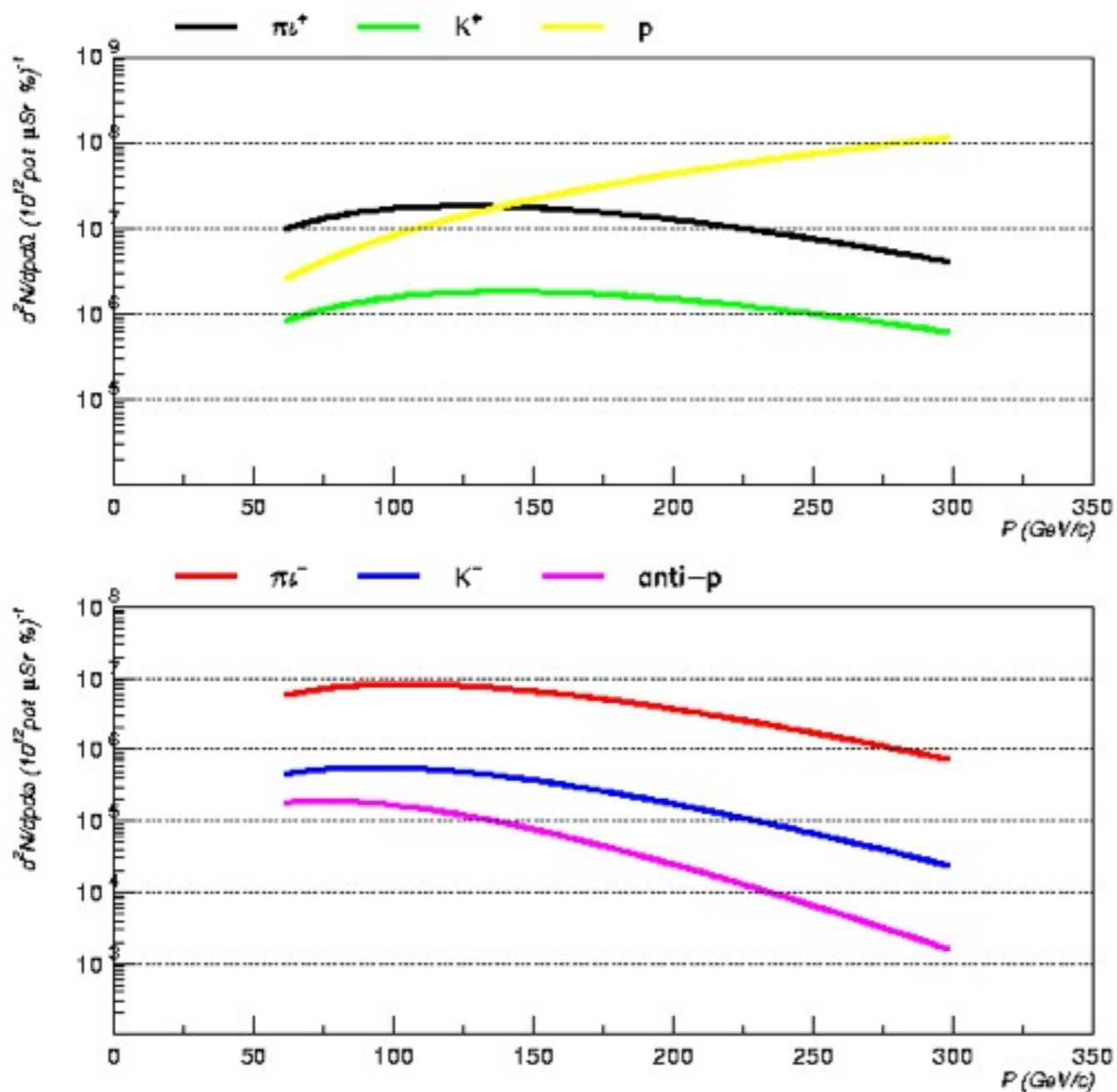
- ▶ TBIU (upstream), TBID (downstream)



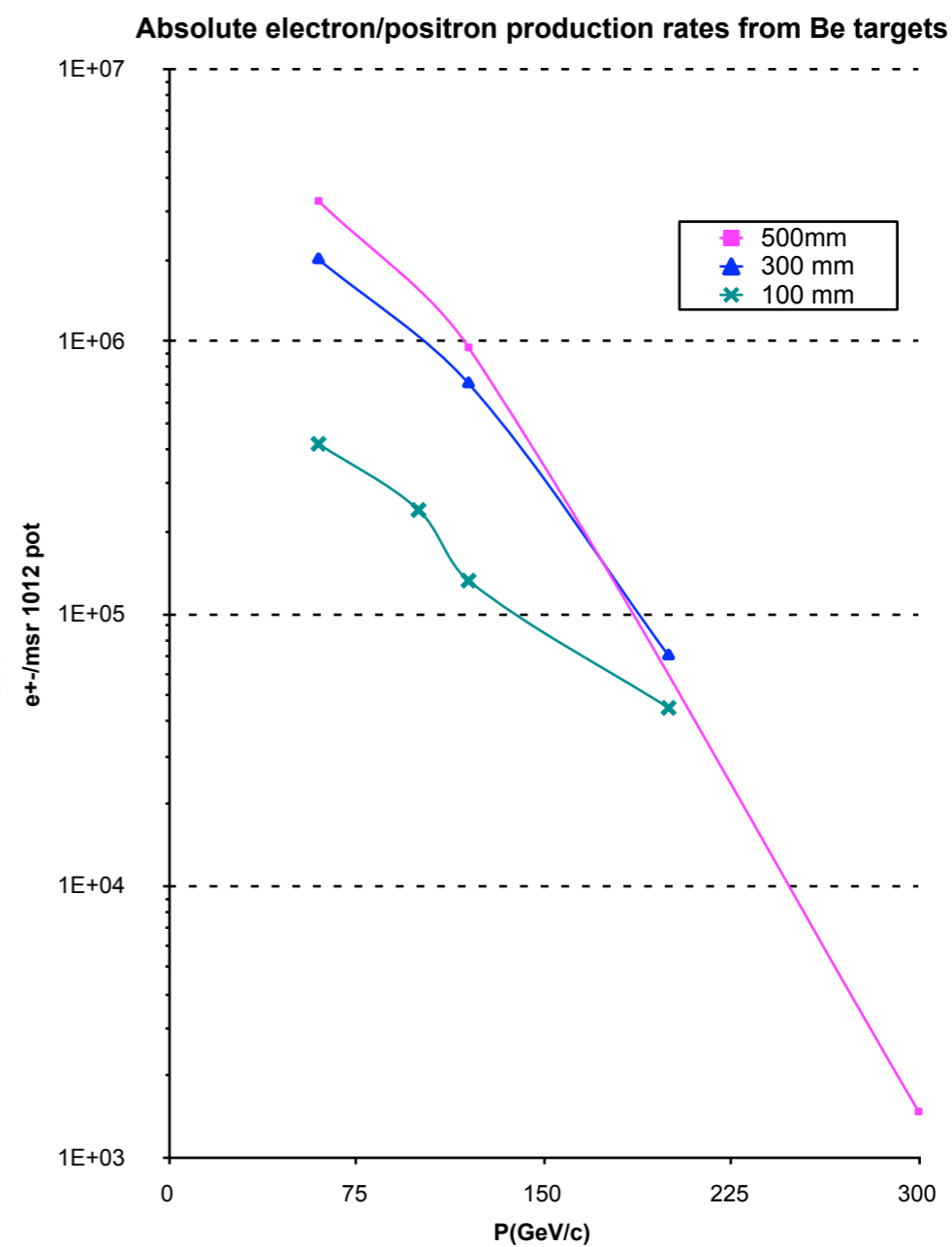
- ▶ mounted on the same girder as the target head for better alignment
- ▶ beam steering onto the target using BSM located  $\sim 30\text{m}$  upstream

- ▶ The primary beam spot and target head size, determine the "source" term for the secondary beam line
  - ▶ i.e. affect the final focusing at the experiment

## Hadron beams

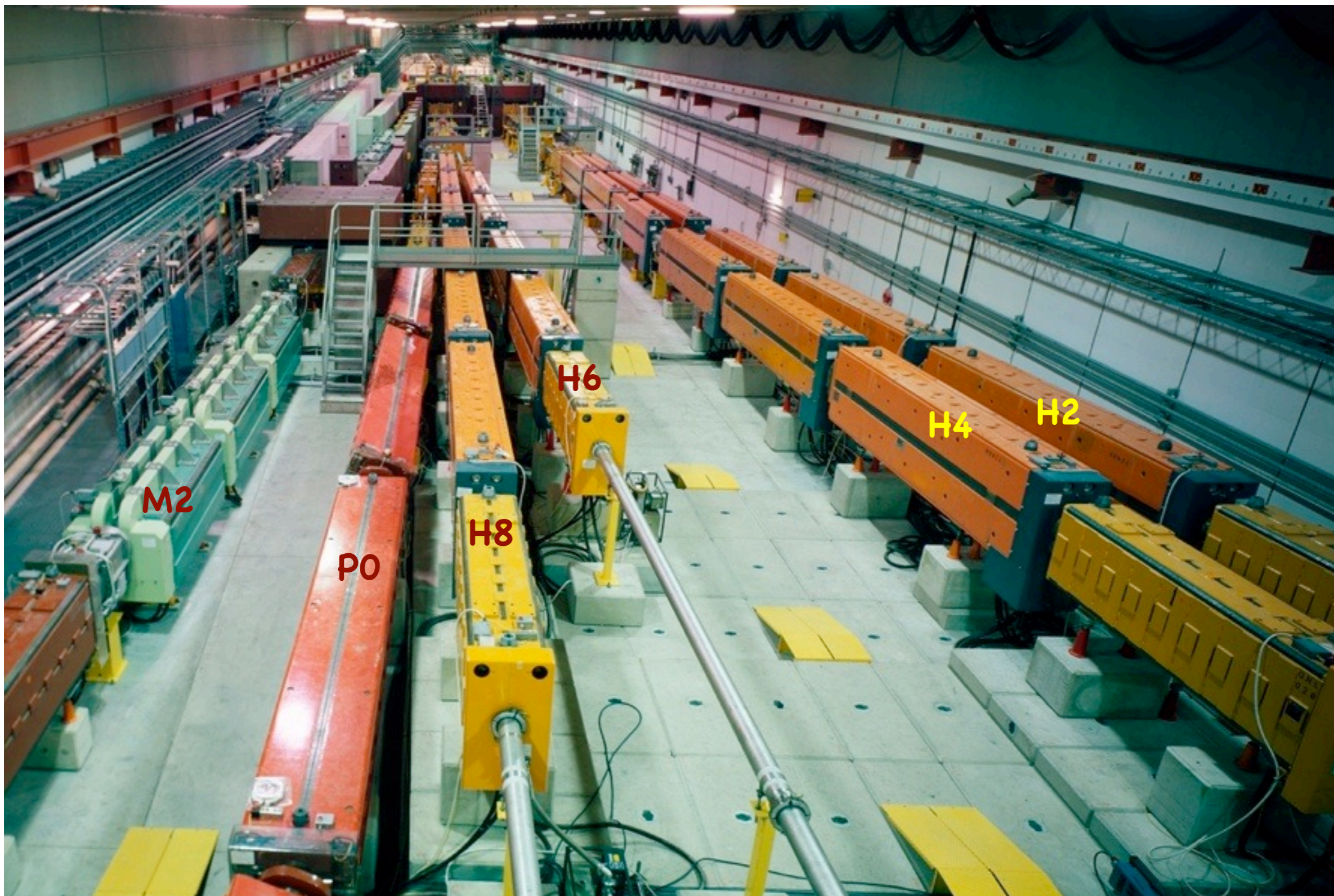


## Electron beams



Particle production by 400 GeV/c protons on Be targets, H.W.Atherton et. al.

# TCC2 Target station - Secondary beams





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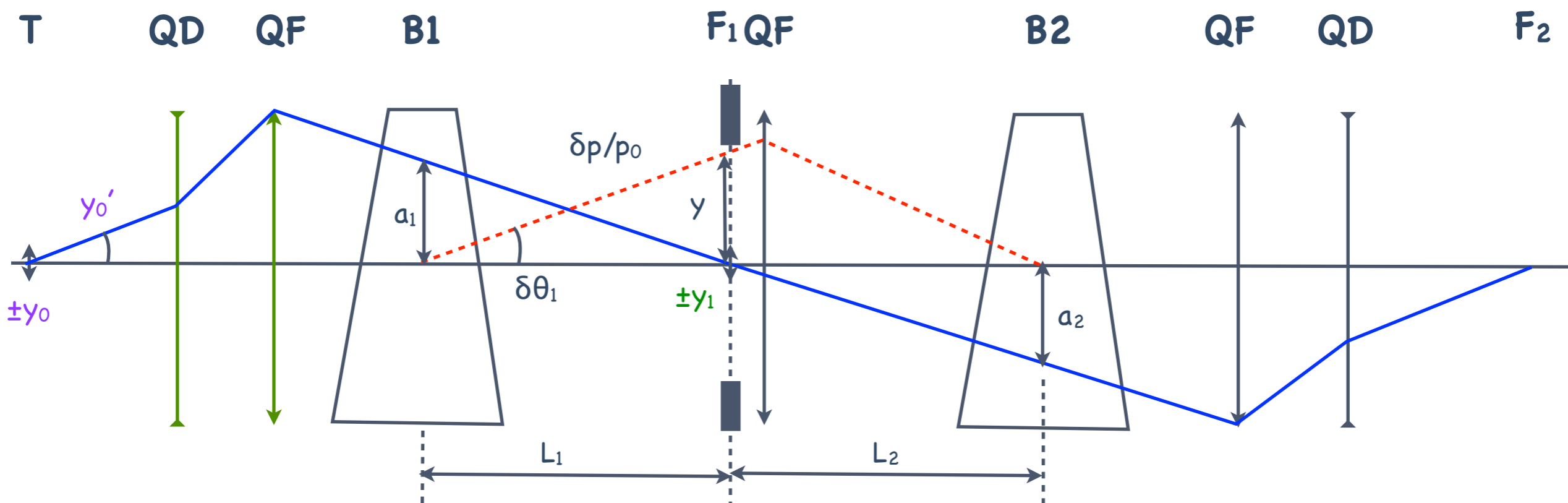
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## ▶ Final focusing to experiments

- ▶ focal point, spot size, beam divergence, no dispersion

- ▶ The momentum acceptance of a beam line ( $\delta p/p_0$ ) is determined by the first principal bend, following the acceptance quadrupoles



Beam emittance:  $\varepsilon = y_0 \cdot y_0'$

$\pm y_1$  : beam size at focus for the central momentum  $\left(\frac{\delta p}{p_0}\right)_{min} = \frac{y_1}{L_1 \cdot \theta_1}$

Beam dispersion:

$$\delta\theta_1 = -\frac{\delta p}{p_0} \cdot \theta_1$$

Intrinsic Resolving Power:

$$\mathbf{R} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{\delta p}{p_0}\right)_{min}} = \frac{L_1 \cdot \theta_1}{y_1} = \frac{a_1 \cdot \theta_1}{y_0 \cdot y_0'}$$

$y = L_1 \cdot \delta\theta_1 = -\frac{\delta p}{p_0} \cdot L_1 \theta_1$  **Momentum recombination @ F2**  
(dispersion correction):

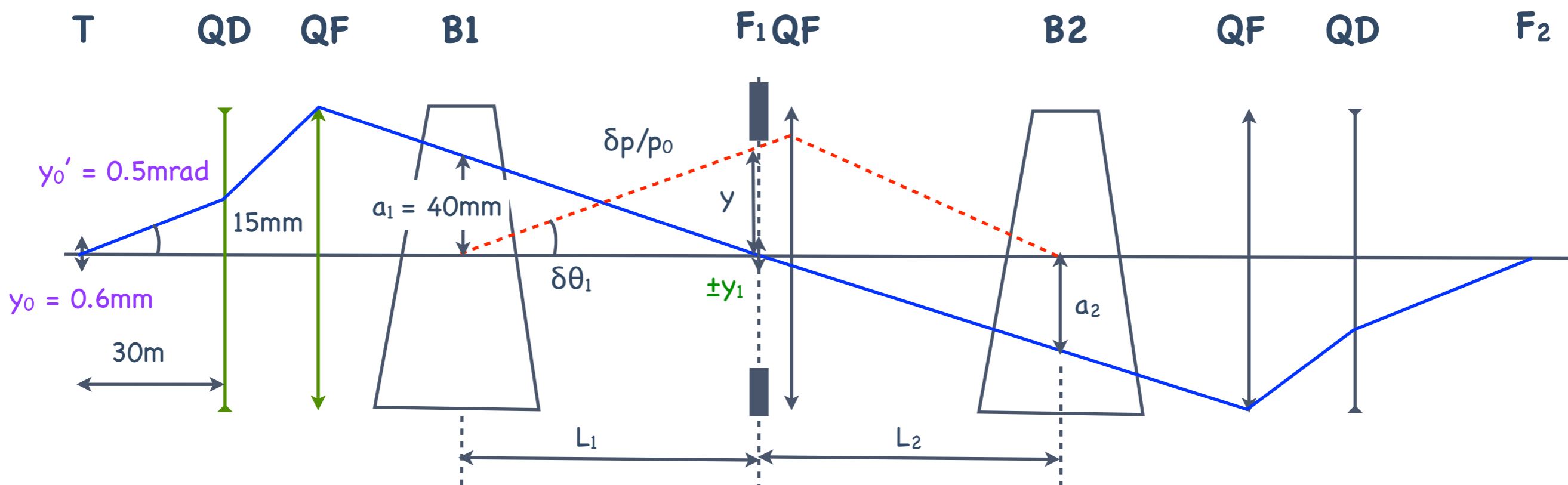
$$\sum_1^n a_n \cdot \theta_n = 0 \rightarrow a_1 \cdot \theta_1 + a_2 \cdot \theta_2 = 0$$

**Exercise:** can you verify the formula?



▶ SPS North Area: FT physics in the 70's, key parameter the **pion mass**

▶ beam lines with resolution :  $\pm \frac{\Delta p_{min}}{p} \simeq \pm \frac{m_{\pi}/2}{p} \simeq \frac{\pm 70 \text{ MeV}/c}{350 \text{ GeV}/c} = \mathbf{2 \times 10^{-4}}$



$$\theta_1 = R \cdot \frac{y_0 \cdot y_0'}{a_1} = \frac{1}{2 \times 10^{-4}} \cdot \frac{0.6 \text{ mm} \times 0.5 \text{ mrad}}{40} = \mathbf{40 \text{ mrad}}$$

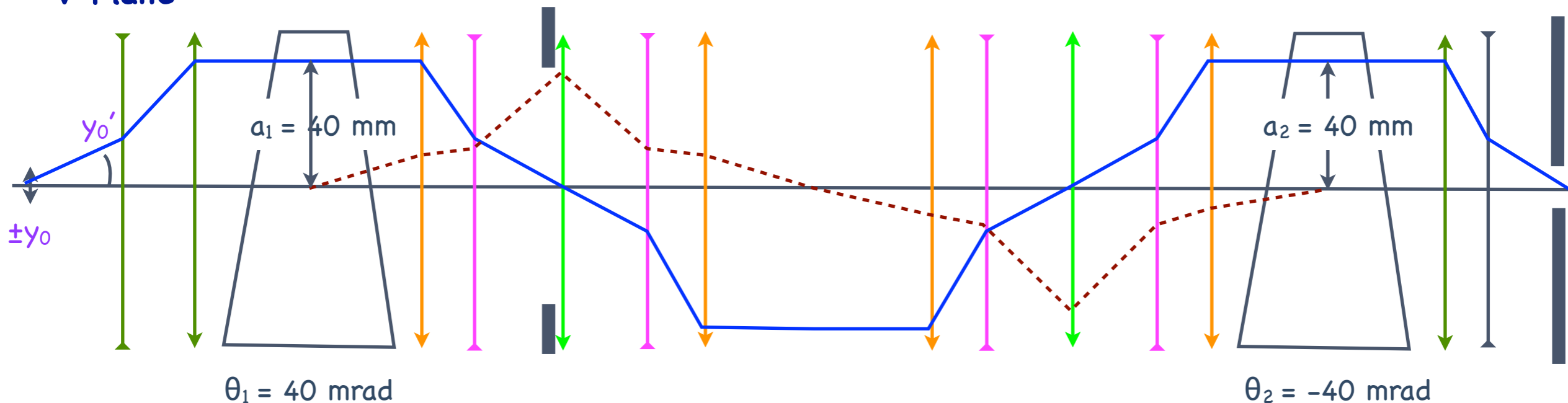
$$L_1 = \frac{R \cdot y_1}{\theta_1} = \frac{5 \times 10^{-3} \cdot 0.6 \text{ mm}}{40 \text{ mrad}} = 75 \text{ m}$$

**Momentum acceptance:**

$$y = -\frac{\delta p}{p_0} \cdot L_1 \theta_1 = 30 \text{ mm}/\% \delta p/p_0$$

assuming F1 is a focal point with  $M=-1$  wrt target

## V-Plane



### V-plane :

- $4 \times 75\text{m} = 300\text{m}$ , 360 deg phase advance
- momentum recombination (achromatic) at C9 and to the experiment

### Momentum acceptance :

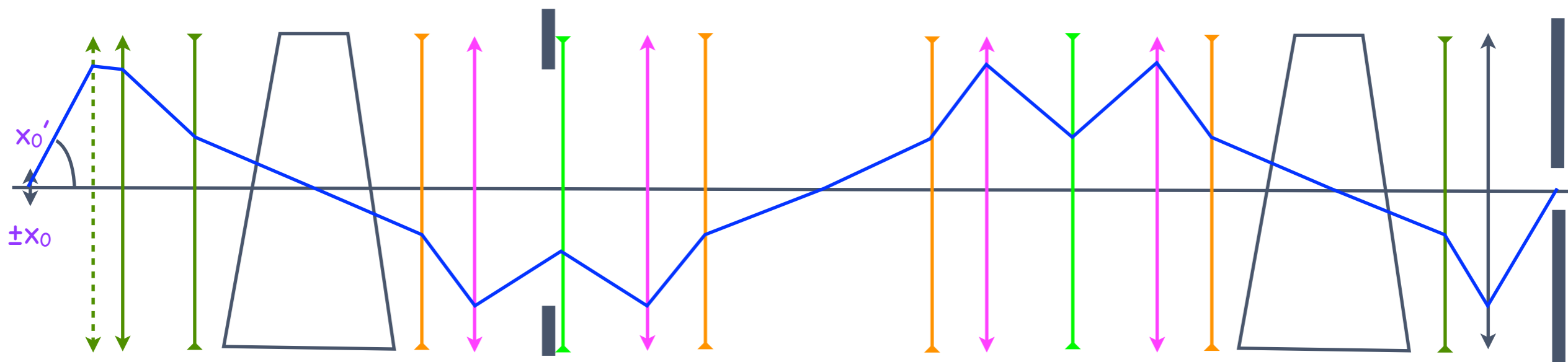
- $40\text{mm}/(30\text{mm}/\% \Delta p/p) \rightarrow 1.3\%$



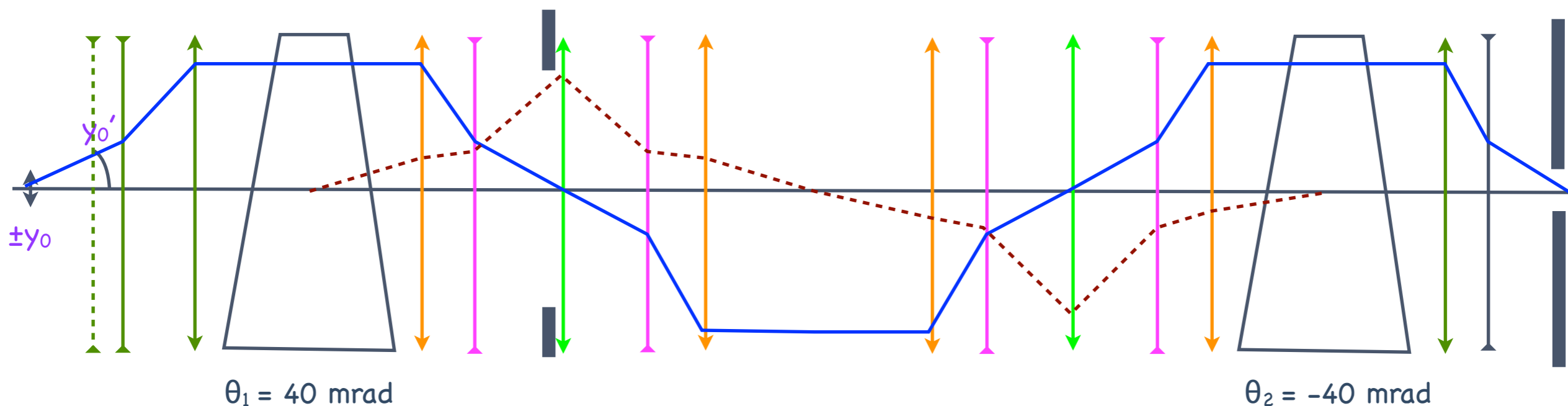
## High-transmission optics

**Exercise:** do you understand why this is called high-transmission optics?

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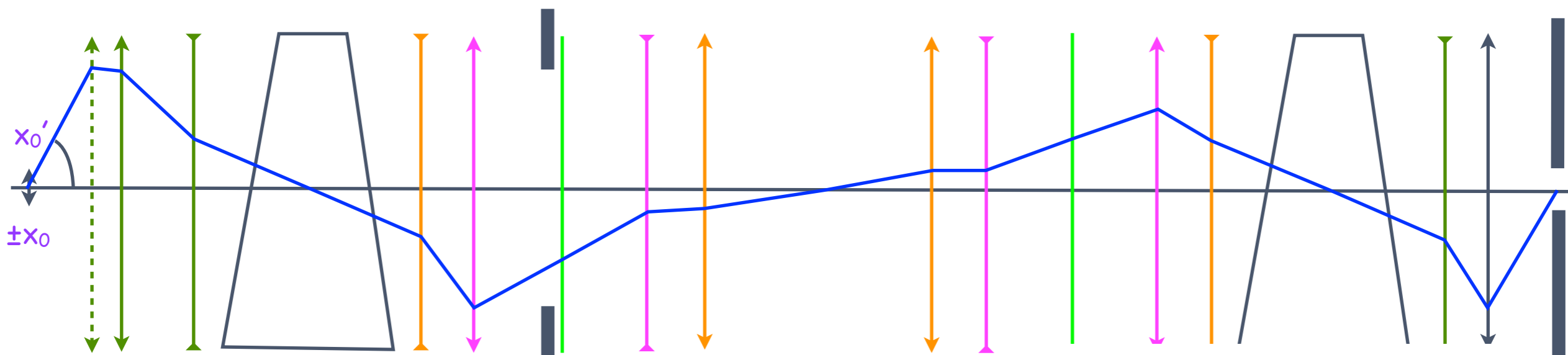


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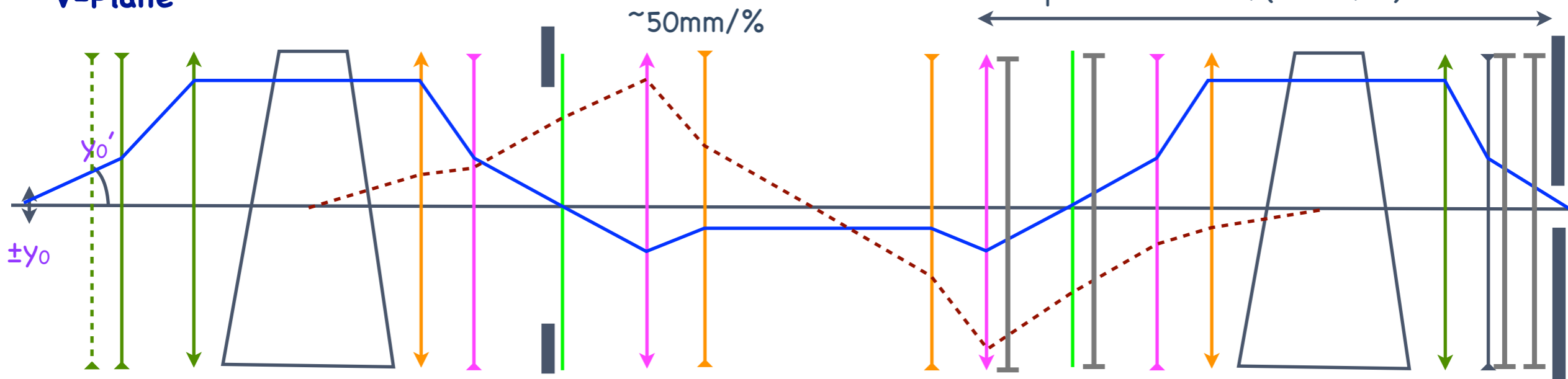
## High-resolution optics

### H-Plane



spectrometer :  
 - measurement resolution  $\approx 1\text{mm}$   
 - precision :  $1\text{mm}/(50\text{mm}/\%) \Rightarrow 0.2\%$

### V-Plane



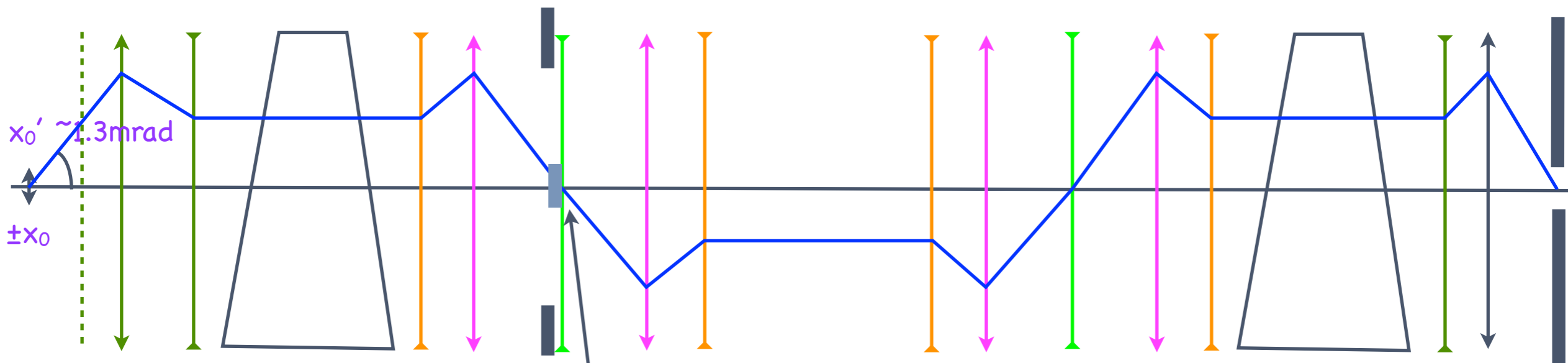
$$\theta_1 = 40 \text{ mrad}$$

$$\Delta p/p_{\text{max}} \approx 40\text{mm}/50\text{mm} \approx 0.8\%$$

$$\theta_2 = -40 \text{ mrad}$$

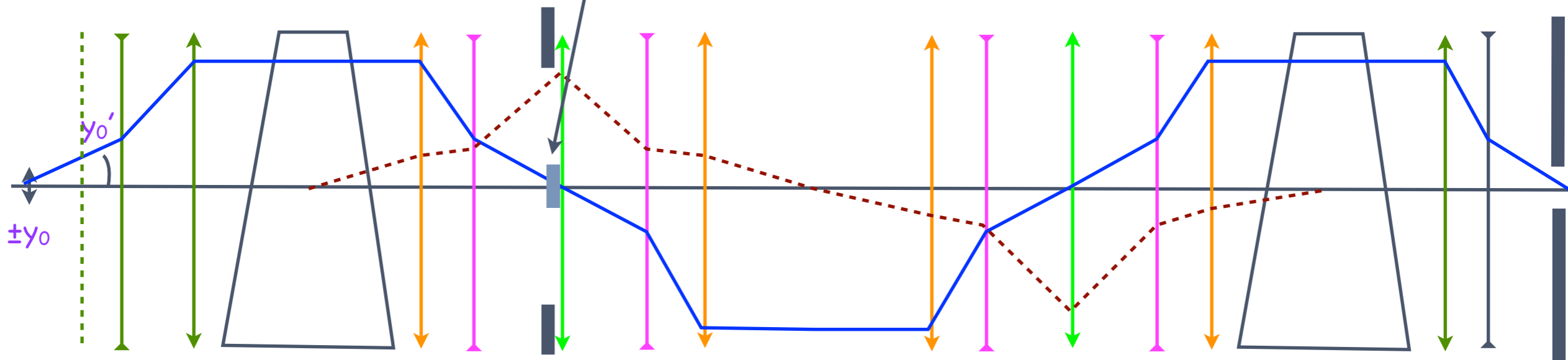
## Filter mode optics

### H-Plane



- simultaneous focus H&V-planes
- filter/absorber/radiation: secondary target  $\rightarrow$  tertiary beams

### V-Plane



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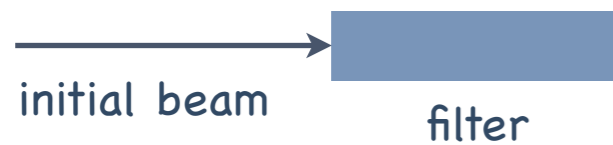
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## ▶ Beam enrichment by differential absorption



$$a'_i = \frac{a_i e^{-L/\lambda_i}}{\sum_i a_i e^{-L/\lambda_i}}$$

attenuation of selected particle

total beam attenuation

## ▶ Example :

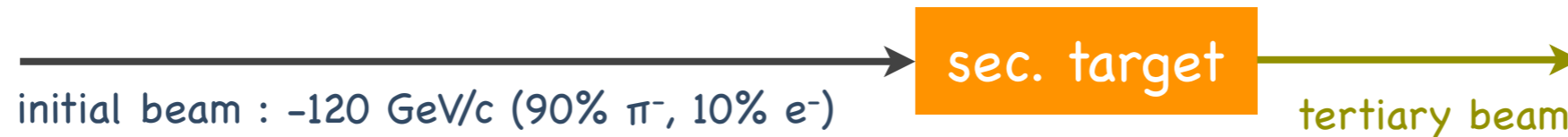
- ▶ 300 GeV/c positive beam filtered by 3m of  $(CH_2)_n$ - polyethylene
- ▶ initial flux:  $\approx 5 \times 10^8$  ppb

Particles	% - initial beam	%- filtered beam	flux at experiment
protons	92.5	73.4	$7.9 \times 10^6$
pions	5.8	19.1	$2.1 \times 10^6$
kaons	1.7	7.5	$8 \times 10^5$



- ▶ The filter must be placed in a focal point of the beam to minimize the emittance growth due to multiple scattering of the beam

## ▶ Tertiary beams – via secondary target



### ▶ 4mm thick Pb target

$$\approx 1 X_0, \approx 0 \lambda_{\text{int}}$$

tertiary beam = pure electron beam

- ▶ almost all pions pass through at -120 GeV/c
- ▶ electrons loose energy due Bremsstrahlung
- ▶ lots of low energy electrons

### ▶ 40 cm Cu target

$$\approx 30 X_0, \approx 3 \lambda_{\text{int}}$$

tertiary beam = hadron beam

- ▶ electrons are basically absorbed
- ▶ pions interact and loose energy

### ▶ 40cm Beryllium target

$$\approx 1 X_0, \approx 1 \lambda_{\text{int}}$$

tertiary beam = mixed beam

- ▶ produced both low-energy electrons and pions



## ▶ Particle tagging with Cherenkov counters

- ▶ detect the light emitted in a medium when a particle travels faster than the speed of light in the medium - Cherenkov light

- ▶ in a medium: He or N<sub>2</sub> gas

- ▶ particle  $v/c = p / \sqrt{p^2 + m^2}$

- ▶ light  $v/c = 1/n$

- ▶ the Cherenkov light is emitted in a cone of half angle:

$$\phi^2 = 2kP - \frac{m^2}{p^2}$$

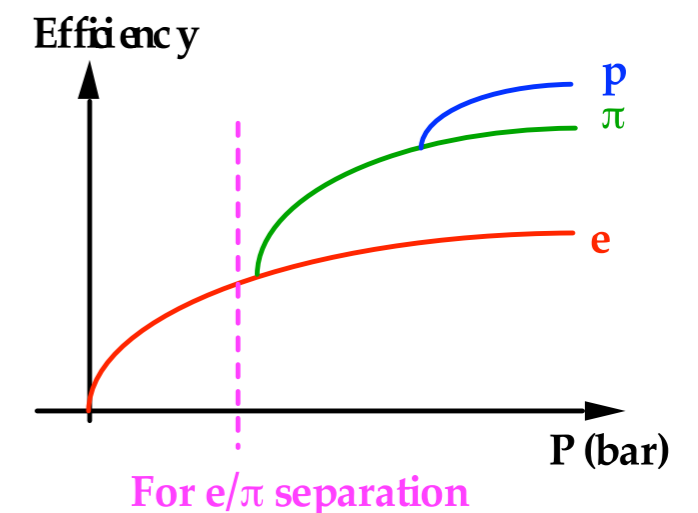
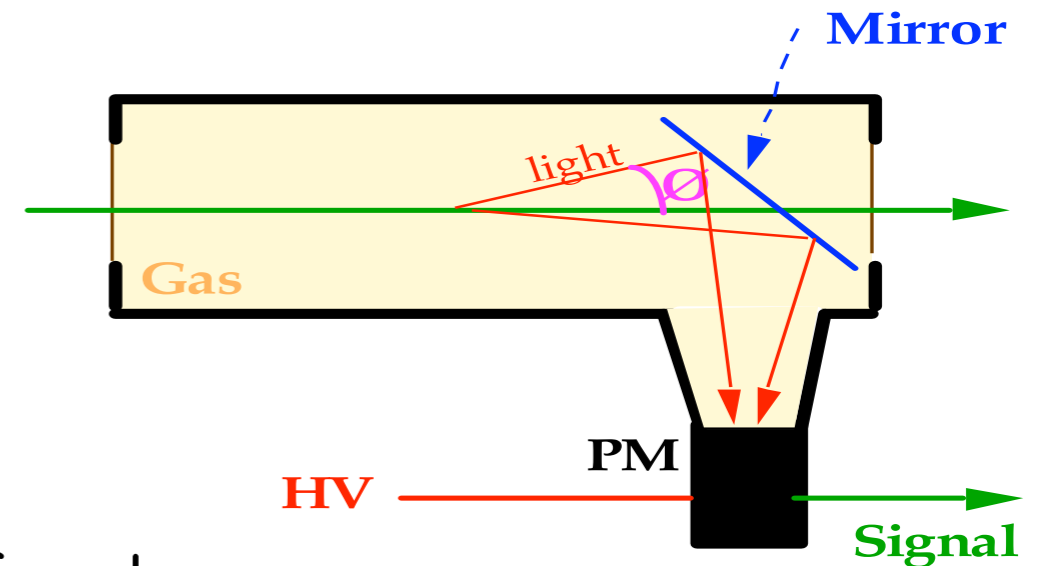
- ▶ adjust the pressure (**P**) to allow the light emission for each energy

- ▶ threshold pressure for each particle (**p**)

- ▶ **k** depends on the medium

- ▶ for high-energies use differential cherenkov counters

- ▶ CEDARs : detect the Cherenkov rings not only the light

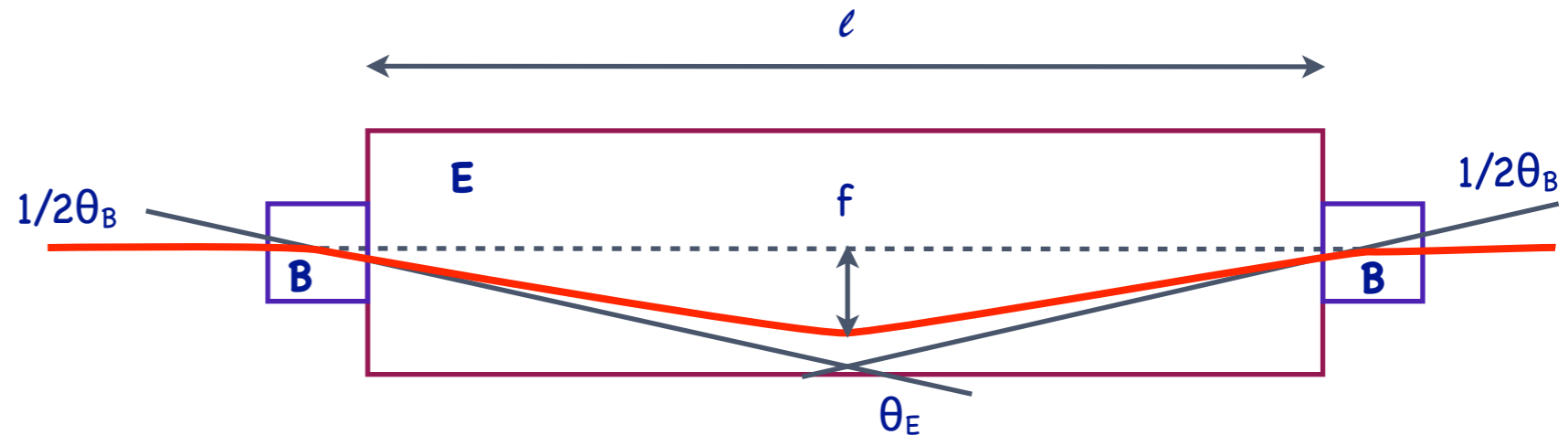


## ▶ Electrostatic separation

- ▶ the beam traverses an electric field coupled to a magnetic field at its extremes
- ▶ then

$$\frac{d^2 x}{ds^2} = 0$$

$$\frac{d^2 y}{ds^2} = \frac{e}{p} \left( \frac{E}{v} - B \right)$$



- ▶ the separation of two particles with masses  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  becomes:

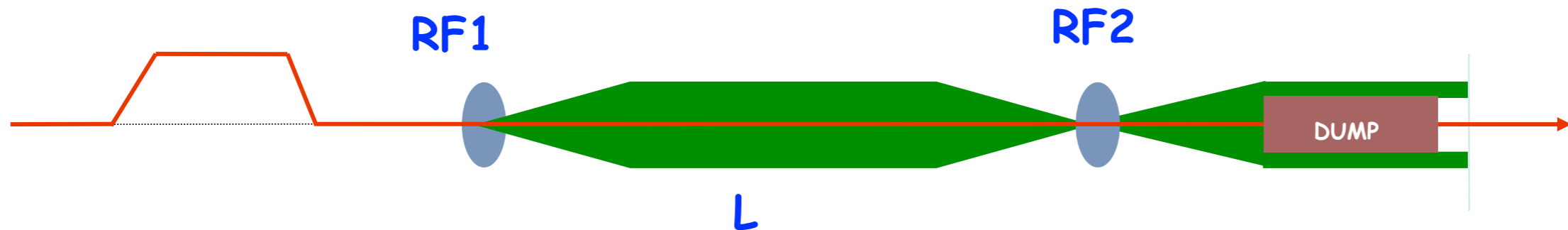
$$\Delta y = \frac{E c^2}{2 p^3} \left( \frac{l^2}{2} + l L \right) \cdot (m_1^2 - m_2^2)$$

**Exercise:** can you derive this formula?

- ▶ the wanted particles stay on beam axis, the others are absorbed in collimators
- ▶ Issues to consider:
  - ▶ acceptance losses due to sagitta – adopt geometry accordingly
  - ▶ separation decreases rapidly with momentum – good for K- $\pi$  separation at low energies
  - ▶ chromatic aberration due to spread in the beam momentum

## ▶ Radio-frequency separation

- ▶ extension of the electrostatic separator for higher momenta using RF fields



- ▶ must ensure 360-deg phase advance between the two RF cavities

$$\Delta\Phi = 2\pi \frac{L f}{c} \left( \frac{1}{\beta_1} - \frac{1}{\beta_2} \right), \quad \frac{1}{\beta_1} - \frac{1}{\beta_2} = \frac{(m_1^2 - m_2^2)}{2 p^2}$$

**Exercise:** can you derive this formula?

- ▶ Issues to consider – example K/ $\pi$  separation at 70–100 GeV/c range
  - ▶ increase  $L \sim p^2$  to keep the phase advance at 360-deg, but decays also  $\sim p$
  - ▶ separation among particles becomes harder with higher energies
  - ▶ effect of momentum spread and bunch length
    - ▶ coherence length of the cavity
      - ▶  $\lambda = c/f = 5\text{cm}@6\text{GHz}$ ; stability  $\Delta\Phi = \pi/10 \rightarrow L_{\text{coh}} = \lambda(\pi/10)/2\pi = 3\text{mm}$
  - ▶ beam divergence in the bending and transverse plane – acceptance loss



# Particle Beams – Design basics

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## ▶ Production

- ▶ primary beam layout and switchyard
- ▶ primary target : material, properties, dimensions
- ▶ capture/front-end : collect the secondary particles, beam acceptance

## ▶ Beam preparation and transport

- ▶ momentum selection, particle decay

## ▶ Particle selection

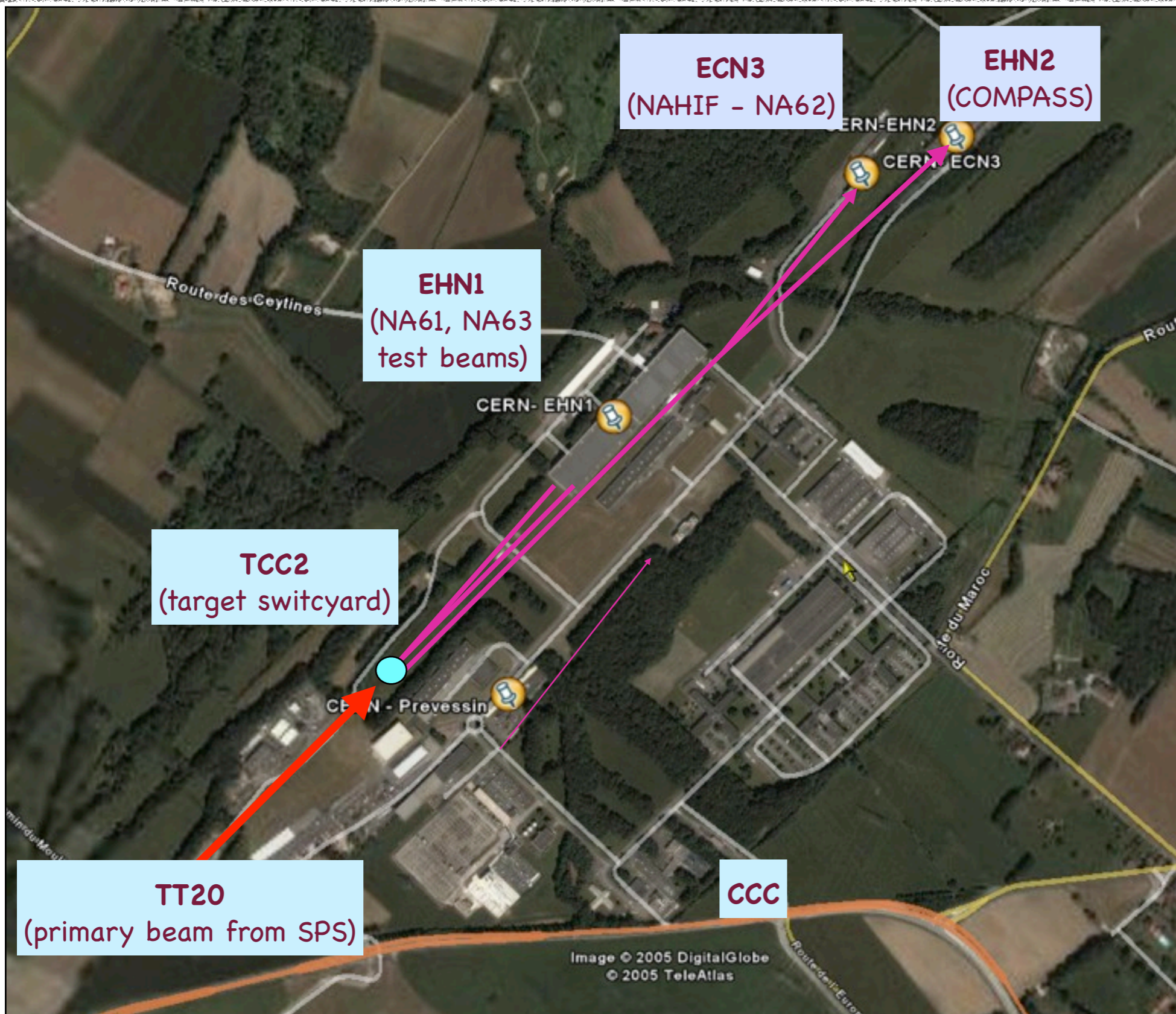
- ▶ selection or particle tagging/identification
- ▶ background (unwanted particles) rejection or optimization – collimation

## ▶ Final focusing to experiments

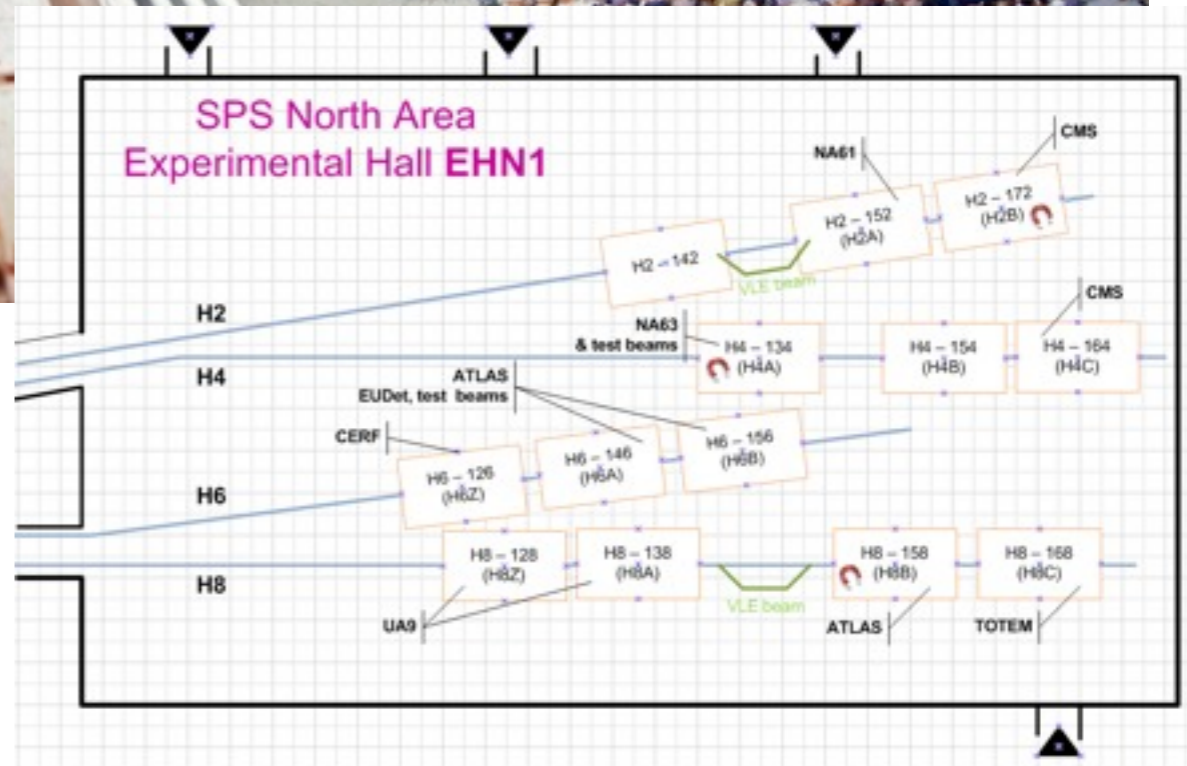
- ▶ focal point, spot size, beam divergence, no dispersion



# The SPS North Area - General Layout



# The SPS North Area - beam lines & Exp. Halls





# The SPS North Area - Civil engineering & shielding





# The SPS North Area Secondary – EHN1 beams

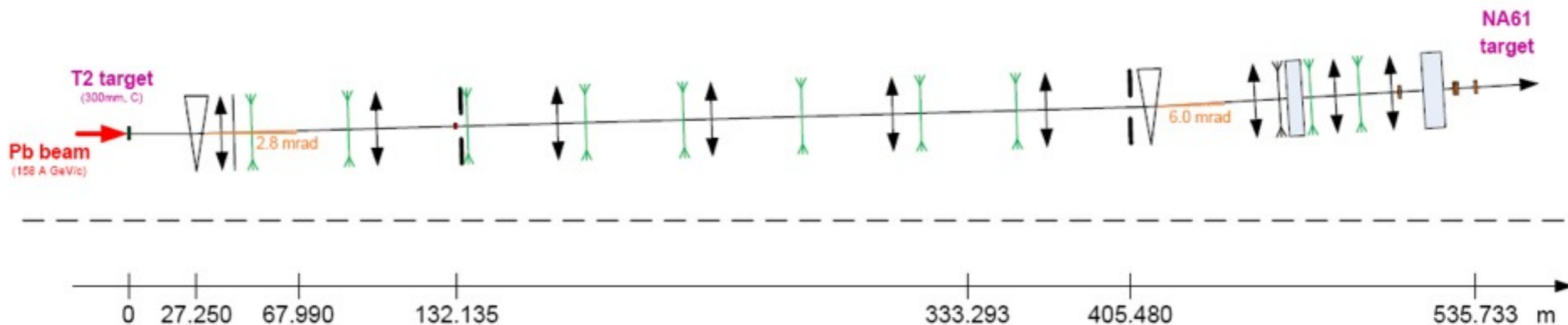
The SPS North Area

Target	Beam	Characteristics
T2	H2	High-energy, high-resolution secondary beam. Alternatively can be used to transport: attenuated primary beam of protons, electrons from $\gamma$ -conversion, polarized protons for $\Lambda^0$ decay, enriched low-intensity beam of anti-protons, or $K^+$ Main parameters: $P_{\max} = 400$ (450) GeV/c, Acc.=1.5 $\mu$ Sr, $\Delta p/p_{\max} = \pm 2.0$ %
	H4	High-energy, high-resolution secondary beam. Alternatively can be used to transport: primary protons, electrons from $\gamma$ -conversion, polarized protons for $\Lambda^0$ decay, enriched low-intensity beam of anti-protons, or $K^+$ Main parameters: $P_{\max} = 330$ (450) GeV/c, Acc.=1.5 $\mu$ Sr, $\Delta p/p_{\max} = \pm 1.4$ %
T4	H6	High-energy secondary beam. Main parameters: $P_{\max} = 203$ GeV/c, Acc.= 2.0 $\mu$ Sr, $\Delta p/p_{\max} = \pm 1.5$ %
	H8	High-energy, high-resolution secondary beam. Alternatively can be used to transport an attenuated primary proton beam Main parameters: $P_{\max} = 400$ (450) GeV/c, Acc.= 2.5 $\mu$ Sr, $\Delta p/p_{\max} = \pm 1.5$ %

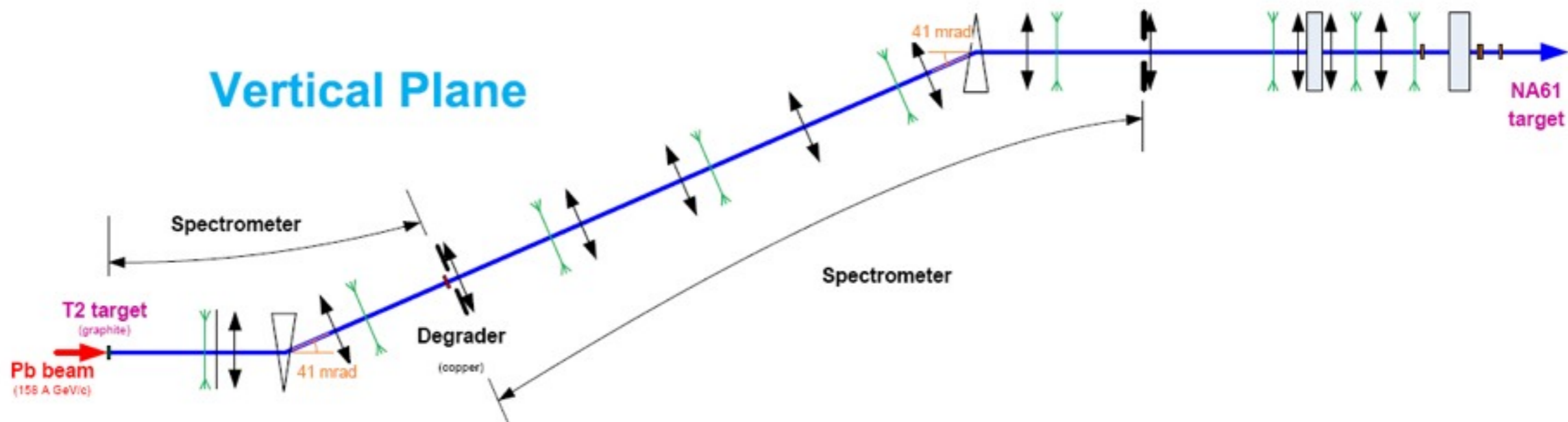


## H2 Beam Line – SPS North Area

### Horizontal Plane



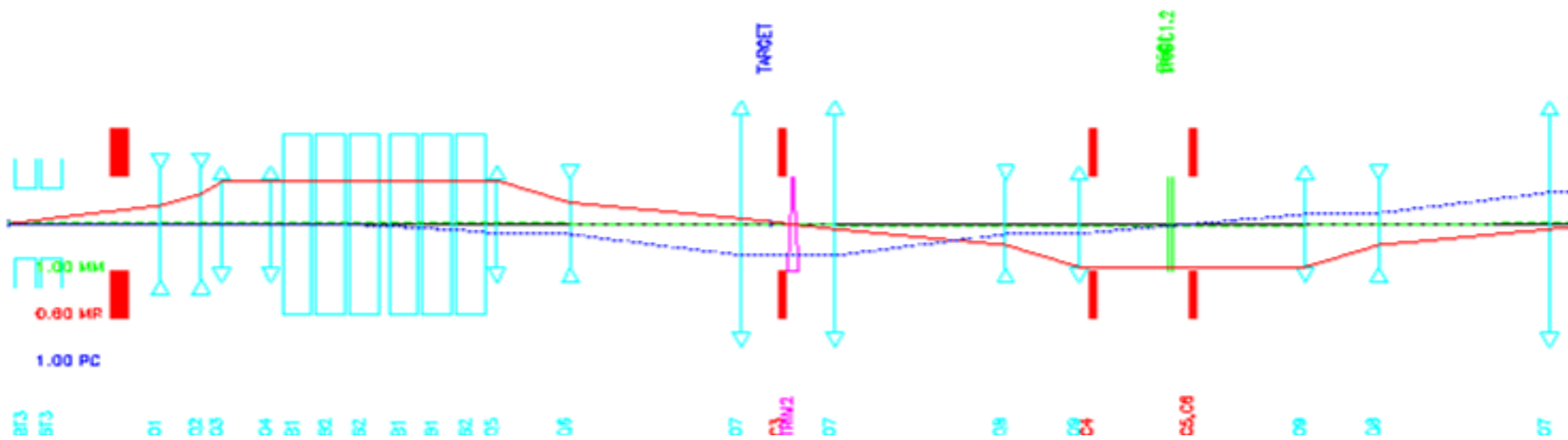
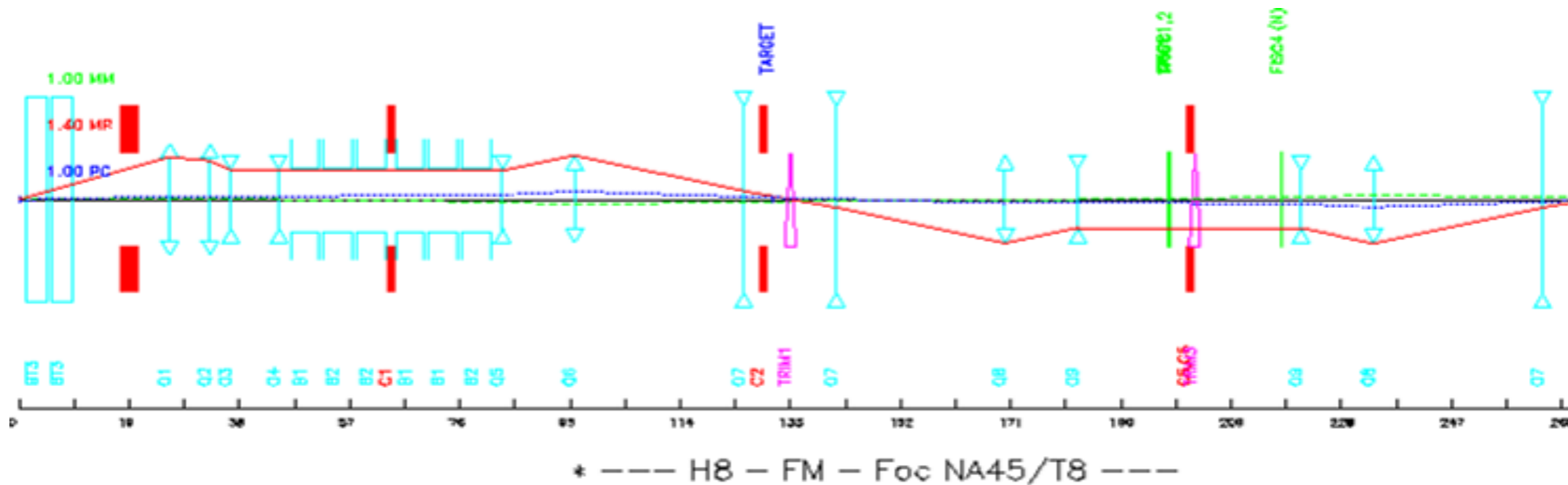
### Vertical Plane





# The SPS North Area Secondary - EHN1 beams

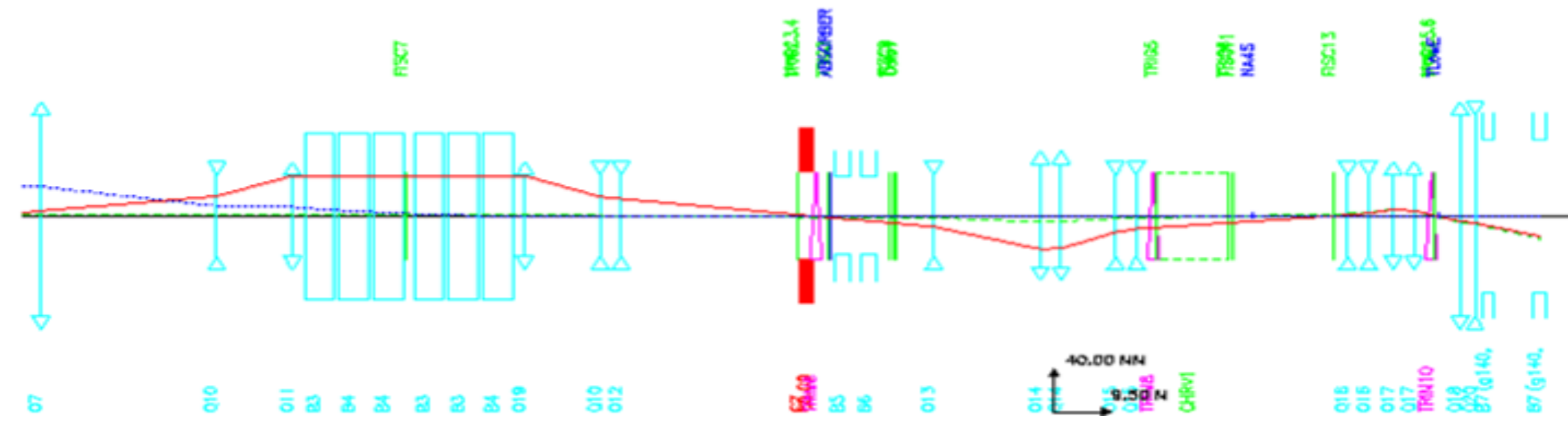
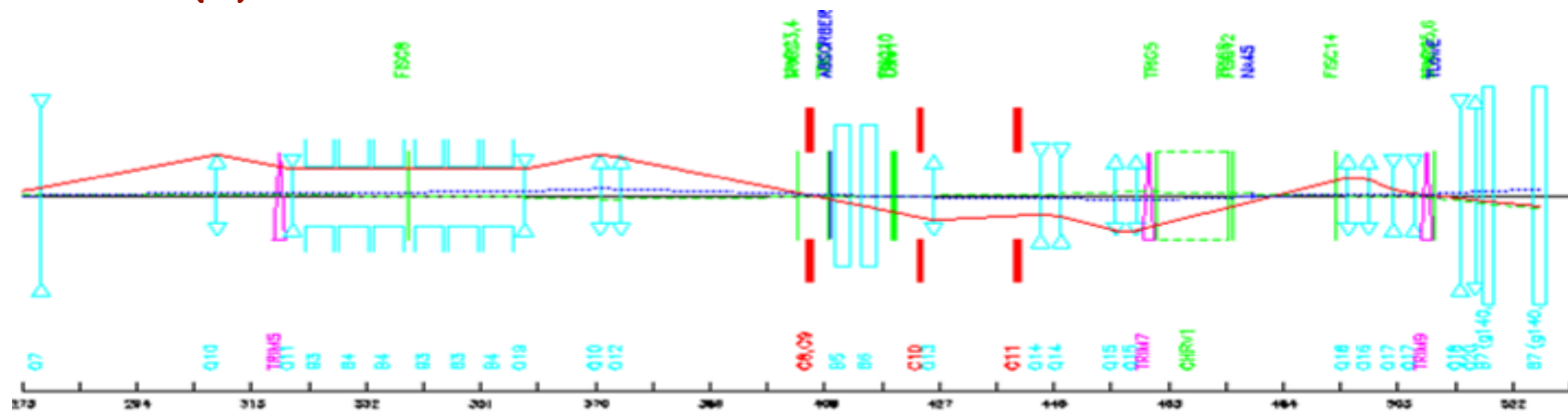
## H8 beam line





# The SPS North Area Secondary - EHN1 beams

## H8 beam line (II)



40.00 NM  
9.50 NM



# The SPS North Area Secondary – EHN2 beams

## ▶ **M2 beam requirements for COMPASS Experiment**

- ▶ The beam serves sometimes as a muon beam, sometimes as a hadron beam.
- ▶ **Beam conditions – muon beam:**
  - ▶ Spot size at the experiment : smaller than **8mm rms** in each plane, with a RMS divergence not exceeding **1mrad**,
  - ▶ The muon beam intensity at **160 GeV/c** should be up to  **$2 \times 10^8$  muons** per SPS cycle.
  - ▶ Variable horizontal angle of incidence to the COMPASS target, to compensate for the 1.05T spectrometer field of the experiment
- ▶ **Beam conditions – hadron beam :**
  - ▶ transport secondary hadron beams up to 280 GeV/c,
  - ▶ particle identification with 2 CEDAR counters, therefore a 15m long parallel section is required,
  - ▶ spot size:  $\sim 3$  mm rms and a small divergence
  - ▶ intensity  $\sim 10^8$  particles per SPS cycle.

# Muons from pion decay

- ▶ Pion decay in the  $\pi$  center of mass :

$$p^* = \frac{m_\pi^2 - m_\mu^2}{2m_\pi} = 30 \text{ MeV}/c$$

$$E^* = \frac{m_\pi^2 + m_\mu^2}{2m_\pi} = 110 \text{ MeV}/c$$

- ▶ boost in the laboratory frame :

$$E_\mu = \gamma_\pi (E^* + \beta_\pi p^* \cos\theta^*), \quad \beta_\pi \simeq 1$$

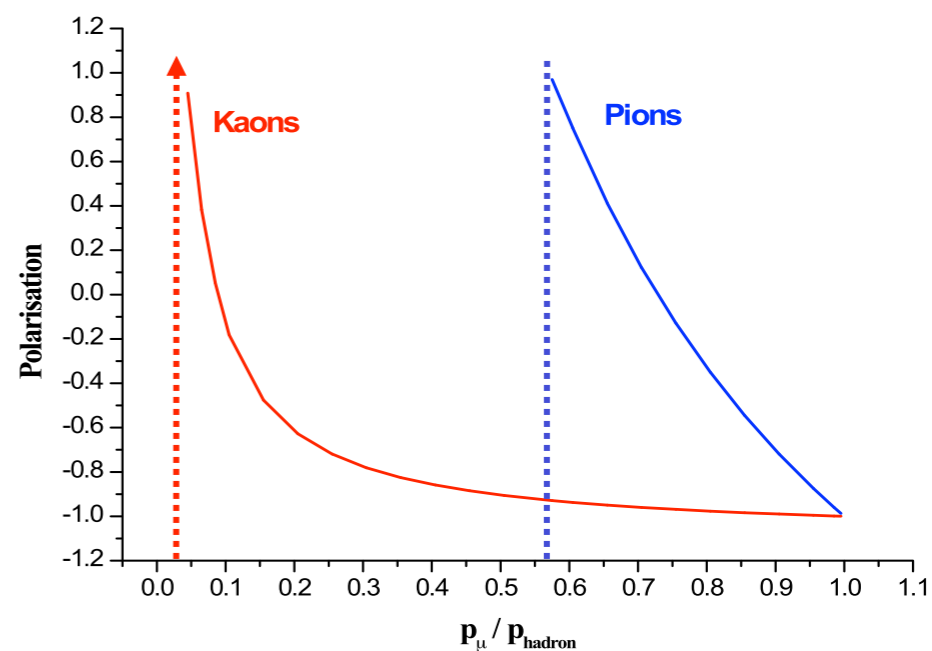
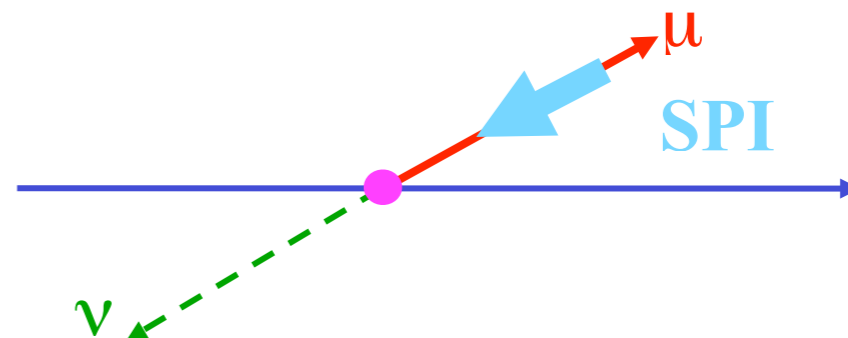
- ▶ Limiting cases:

$$\cos\theta = +1 \rightarrow E_{max} = 1.0 E_\pi$$

$$\cos\theta = -1 \rightarrow E_{min} = 0.57 E_\pi$$

$$0.57 < E_\mu / E_\pi < 1$$

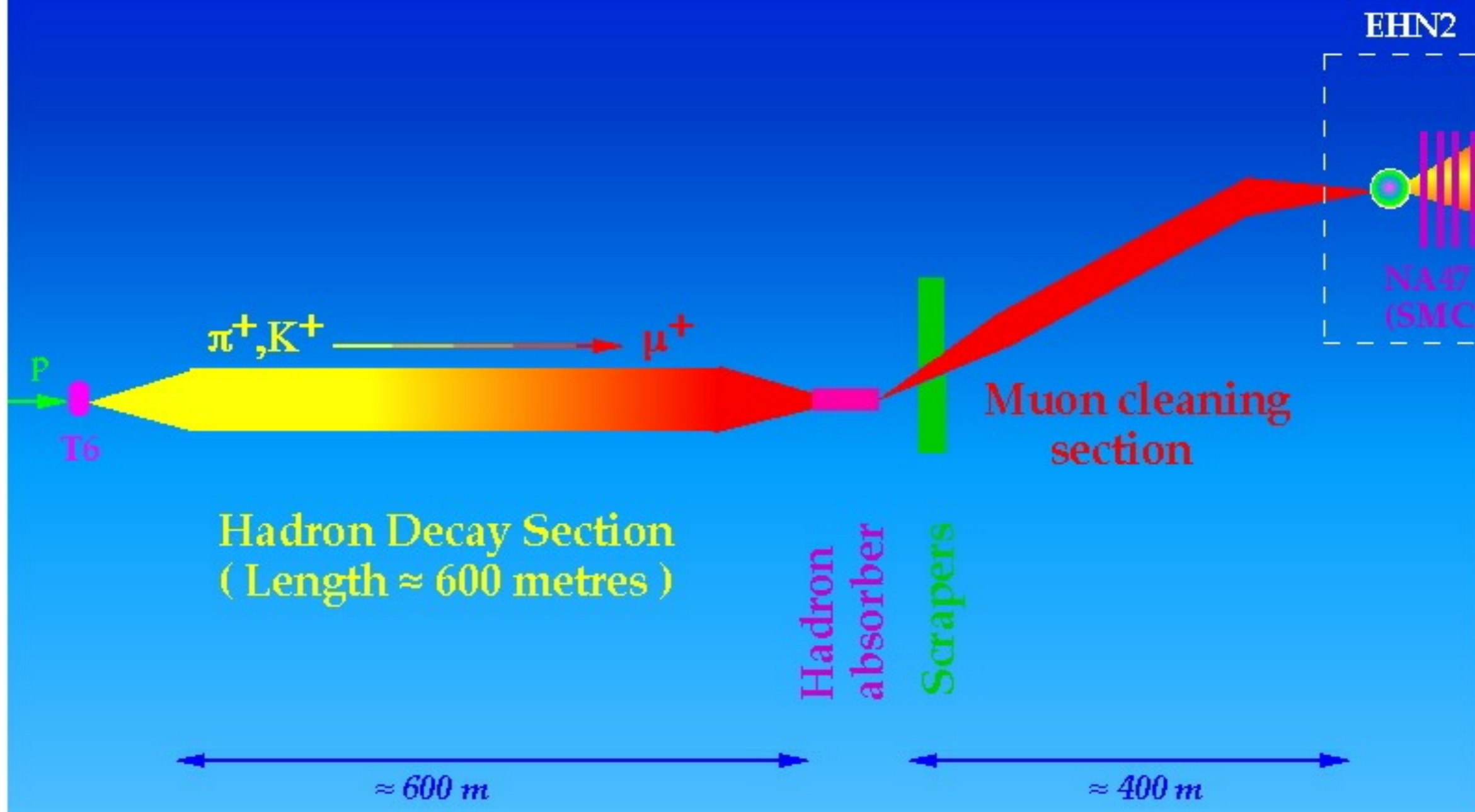
- ▶ Muons from pion decay are naturally polarized through parity violation



- ▶ M2 COMPASS beam :

- ▶  $p_\mu \sim 0.92 p_\pi$ ,  $\sim 80\%$  polarized

## THE M2 MUON BEAM (FOR NA47 - SMC)





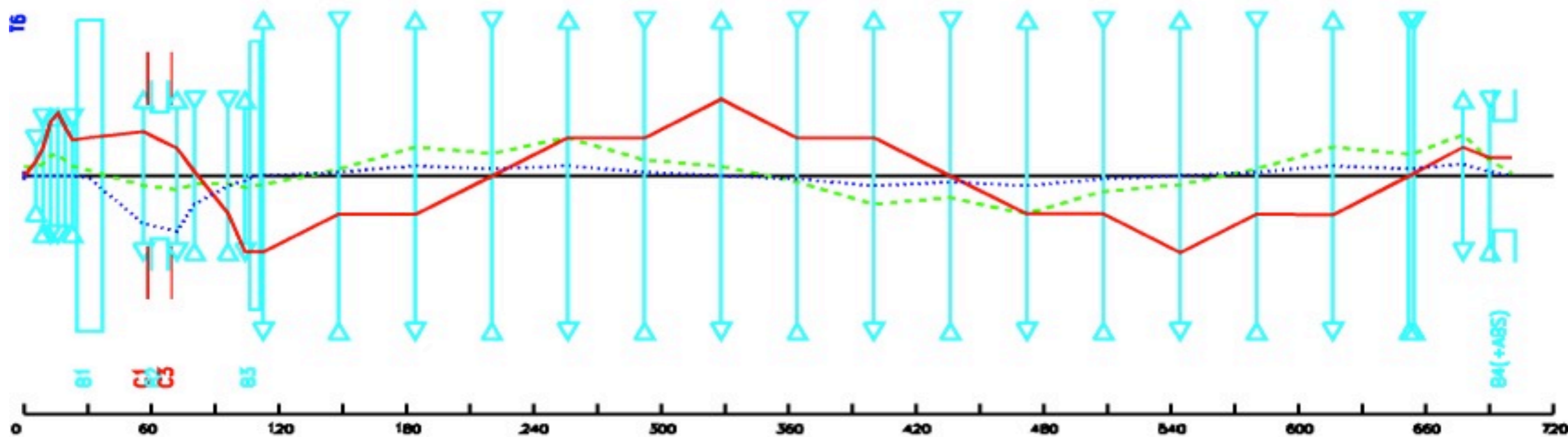
# The SPS North Area Secondary - EHN2 beams

## M2 beam optics challenges

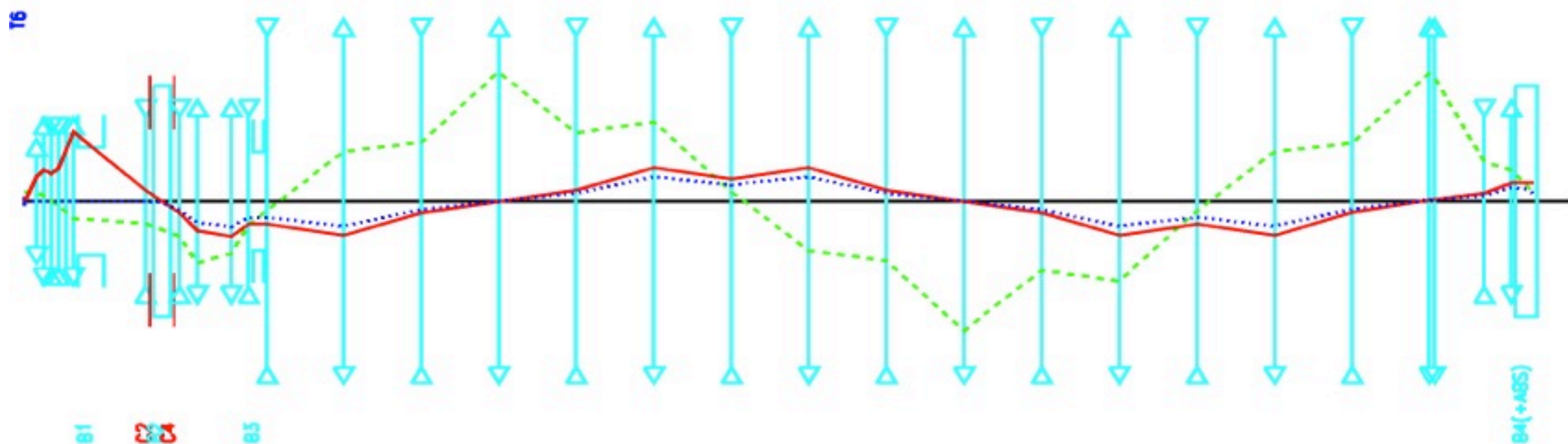
- ▶ Transport of pions and muons together in the decay volume
  - ▶ pions are matched to a long decay channel : 700m long,  $>5-10\%$  of  $\tau_\pi$
  - ▶ the pions have a large momentum spread  $\pm 10\%$
  - ▶ pions decay along the length to lower momentum muons that must be transported as well
- ▶ Transport of the muon beam
  - ▶ do the muon selection after the hadron stopper by magnetic collimation
  - ▶ unwanted muons must be far from the beam axis, and "ranged-out" in the earth
    - ▶ average energy loss  $\sim 0.5$  GeV/m ; for 200 GeV muons  $\rightarrow$  400 meters !
  - ▶ the origin of the muons is **not a point source** !
- ▶ Solution : use FODO channels
- ▶ Use beam simulation tool able to track muons outside the beam aperture - **HALO program**



# The SPS North Area Secondary - EHN2 beams M2



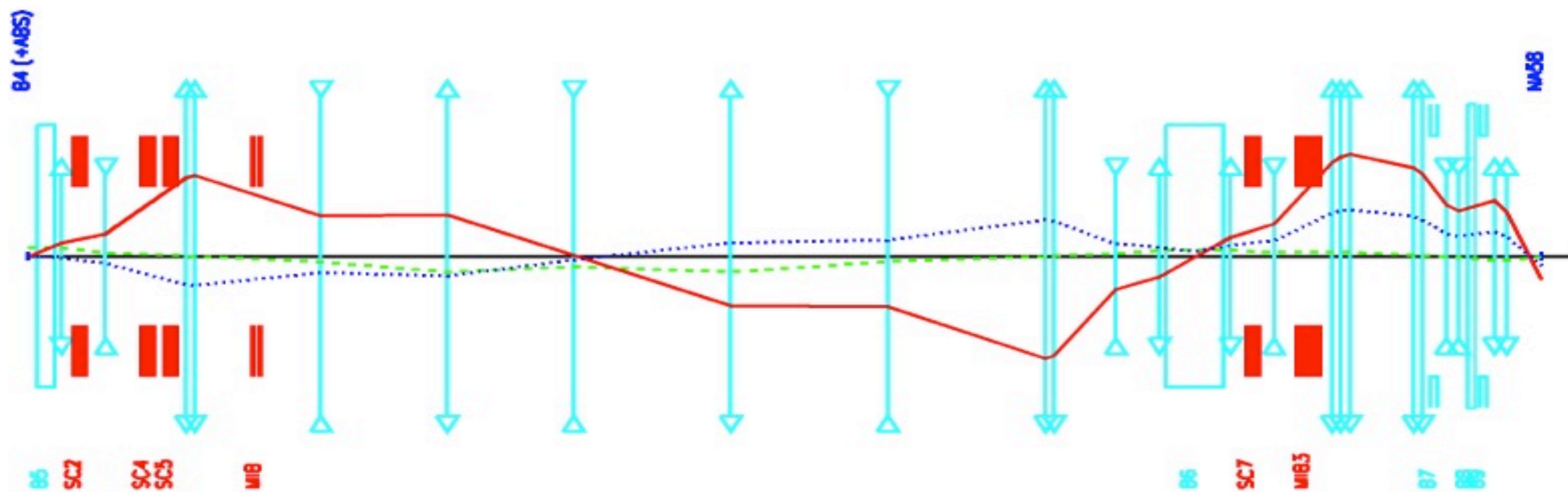
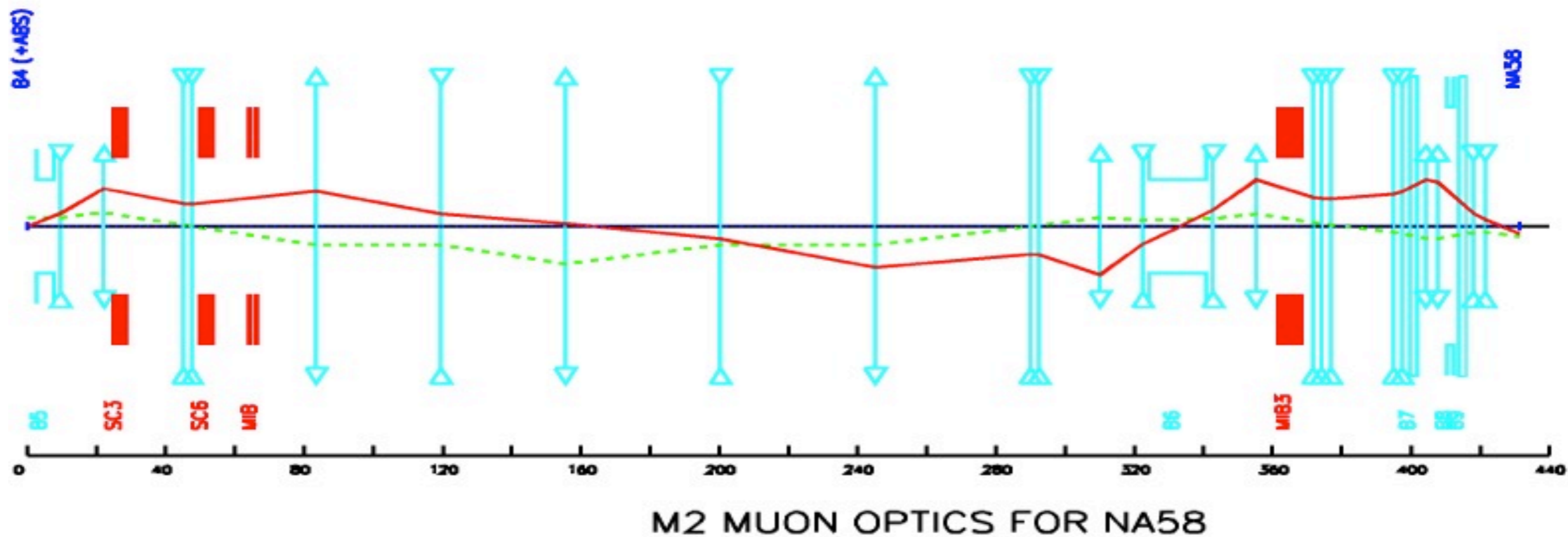
M2 HADRON SECTION OPTICS



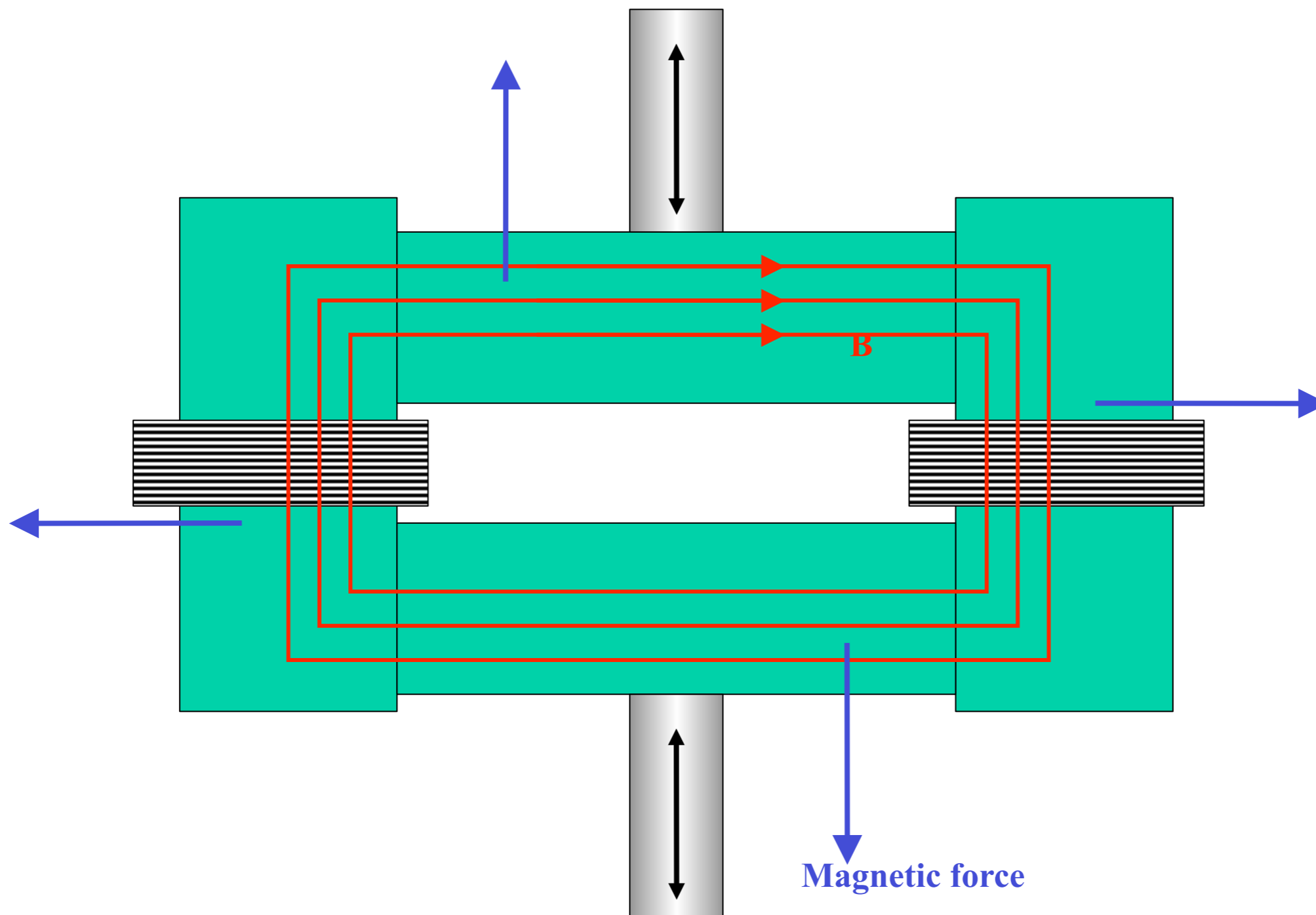




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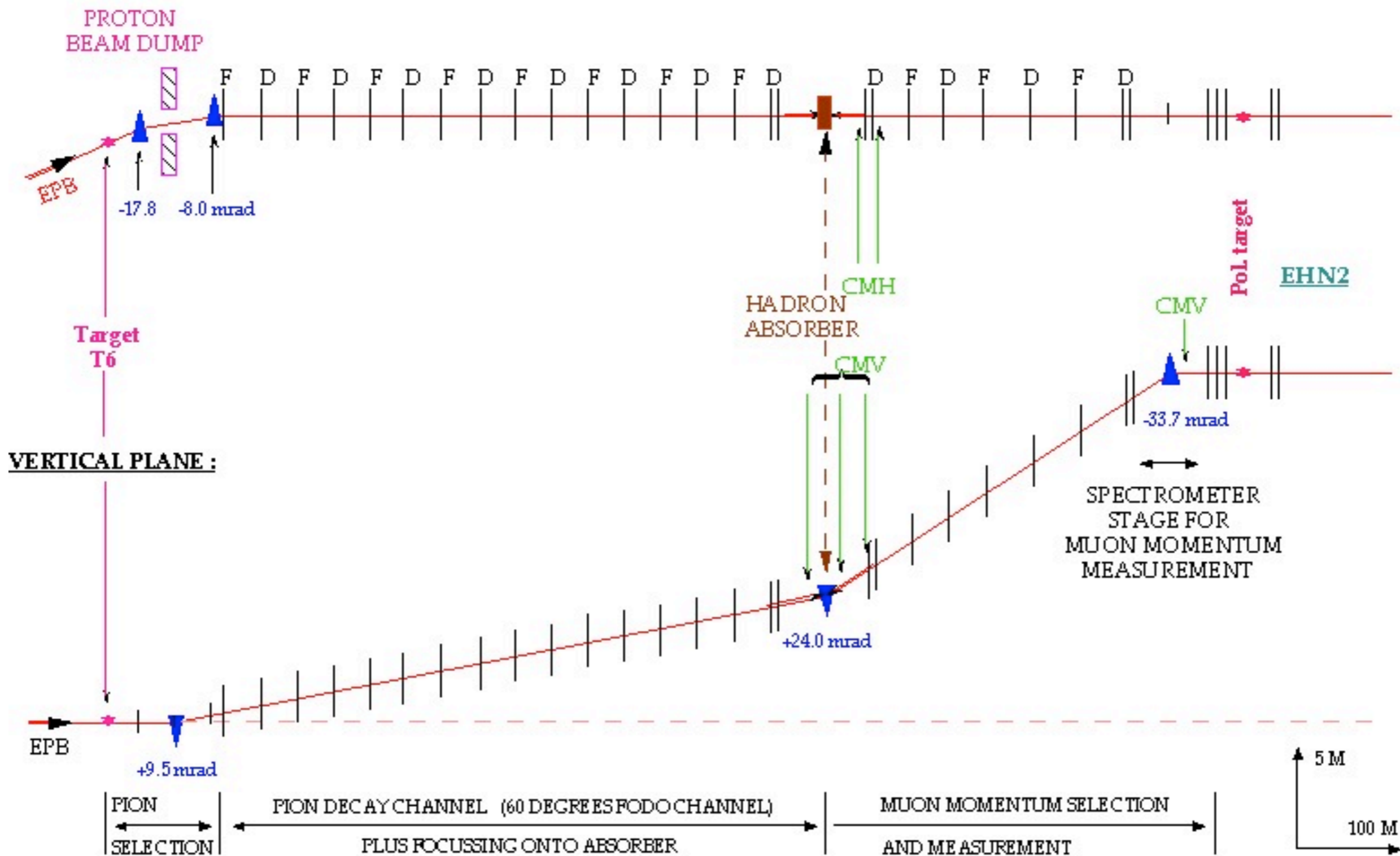
## ▶ SCRAPERS - Magnetic collimators



# The SPS North Area Secondary - EHN2 beams M2

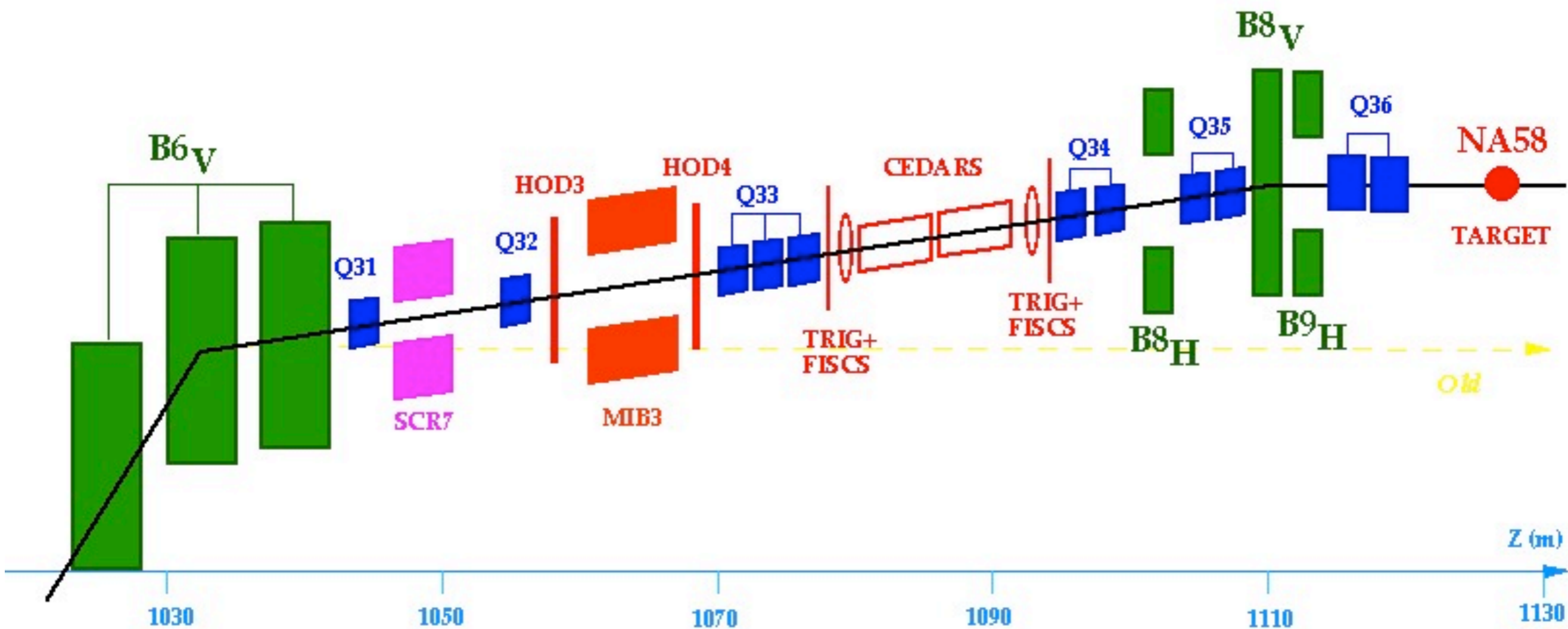
**HORIZONTAL PLANE :**

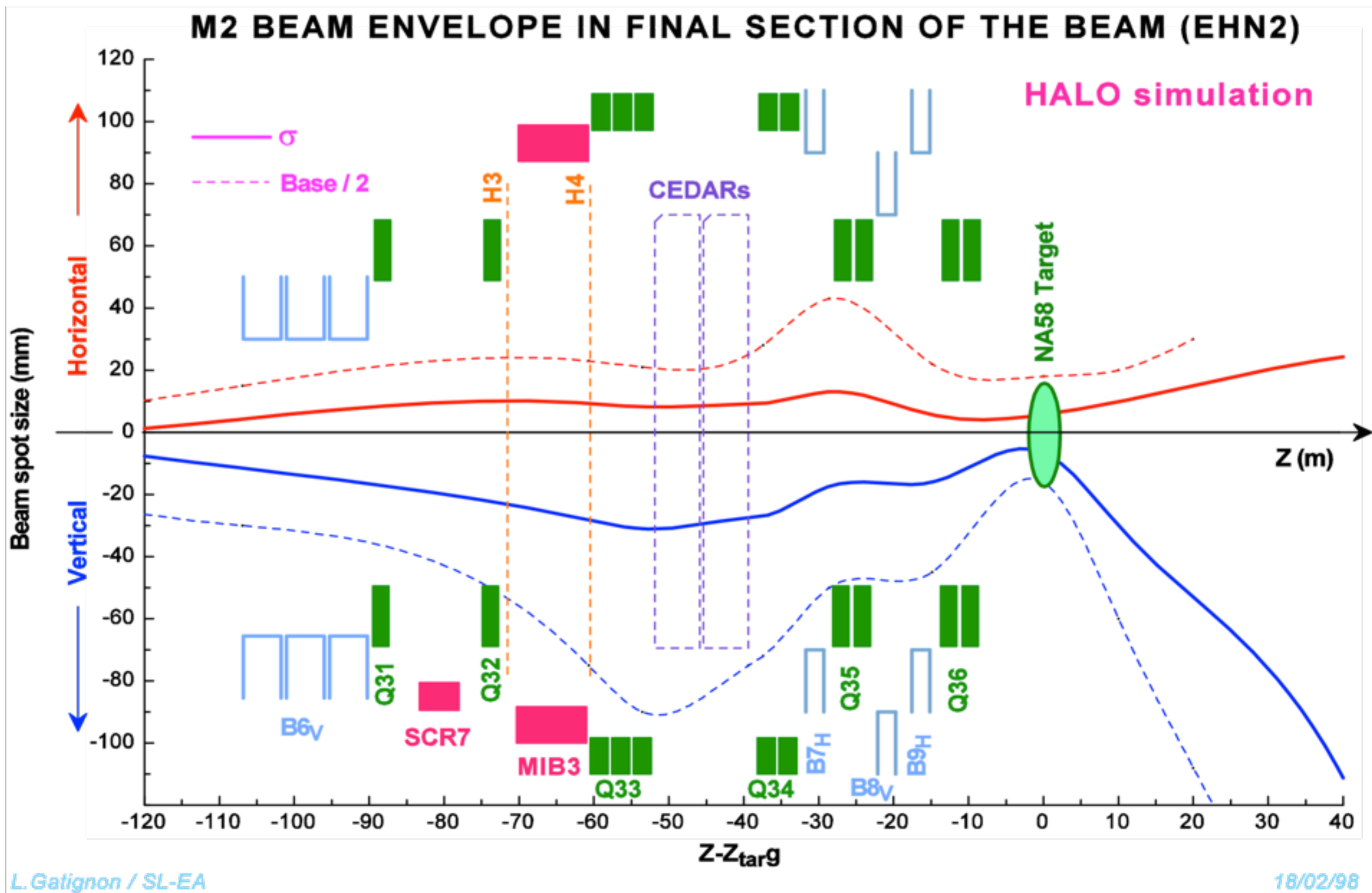
## SCHEMATIC LAYOUT OF M2 BEAM



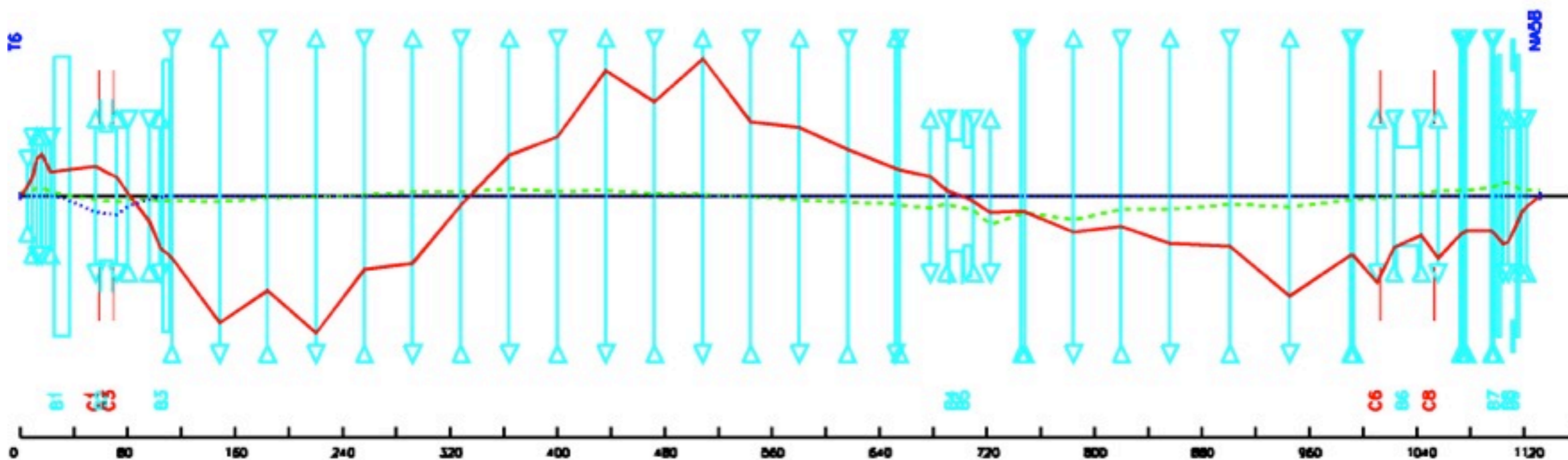
## M2 BEAM FOR COMPASS - VERTICAL SECTION

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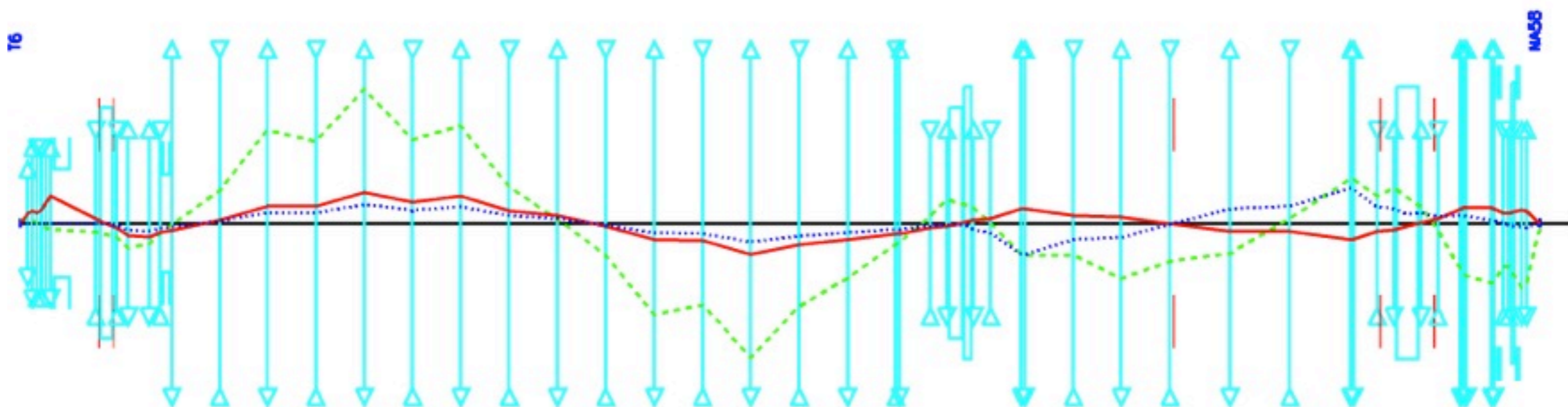




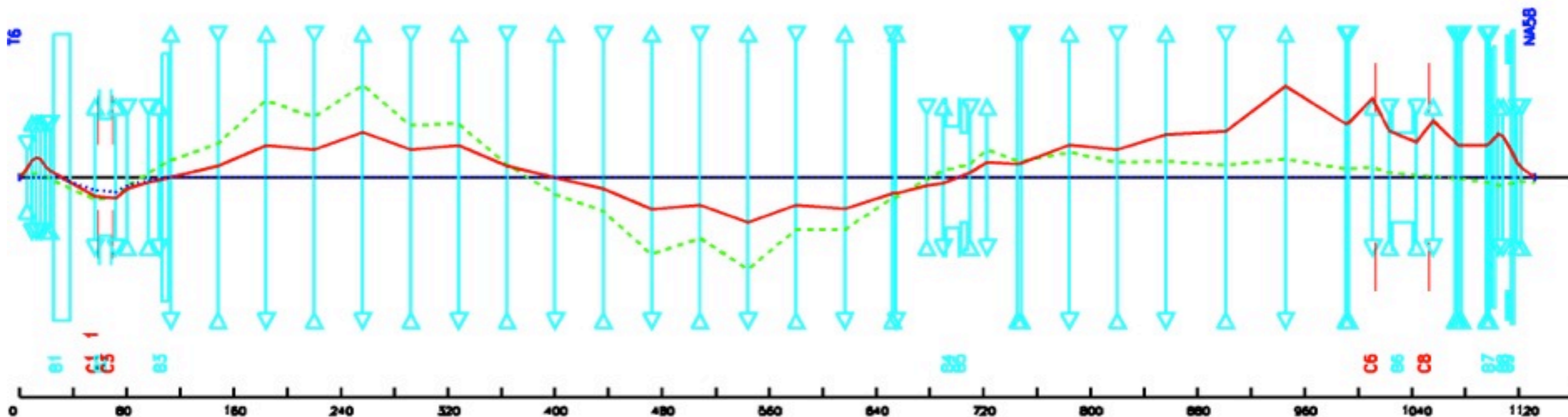
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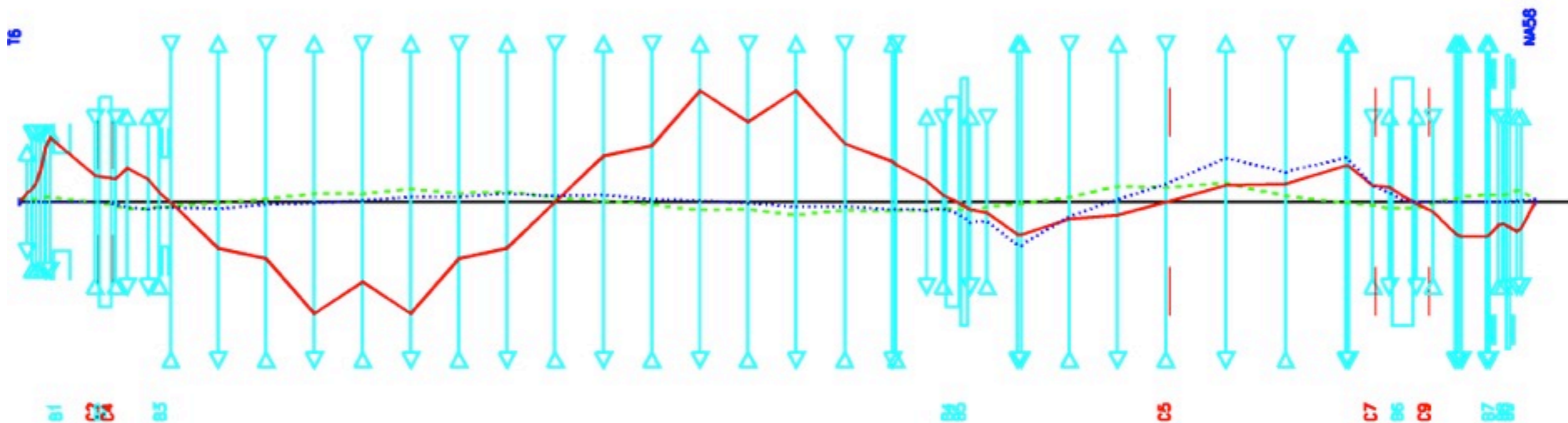
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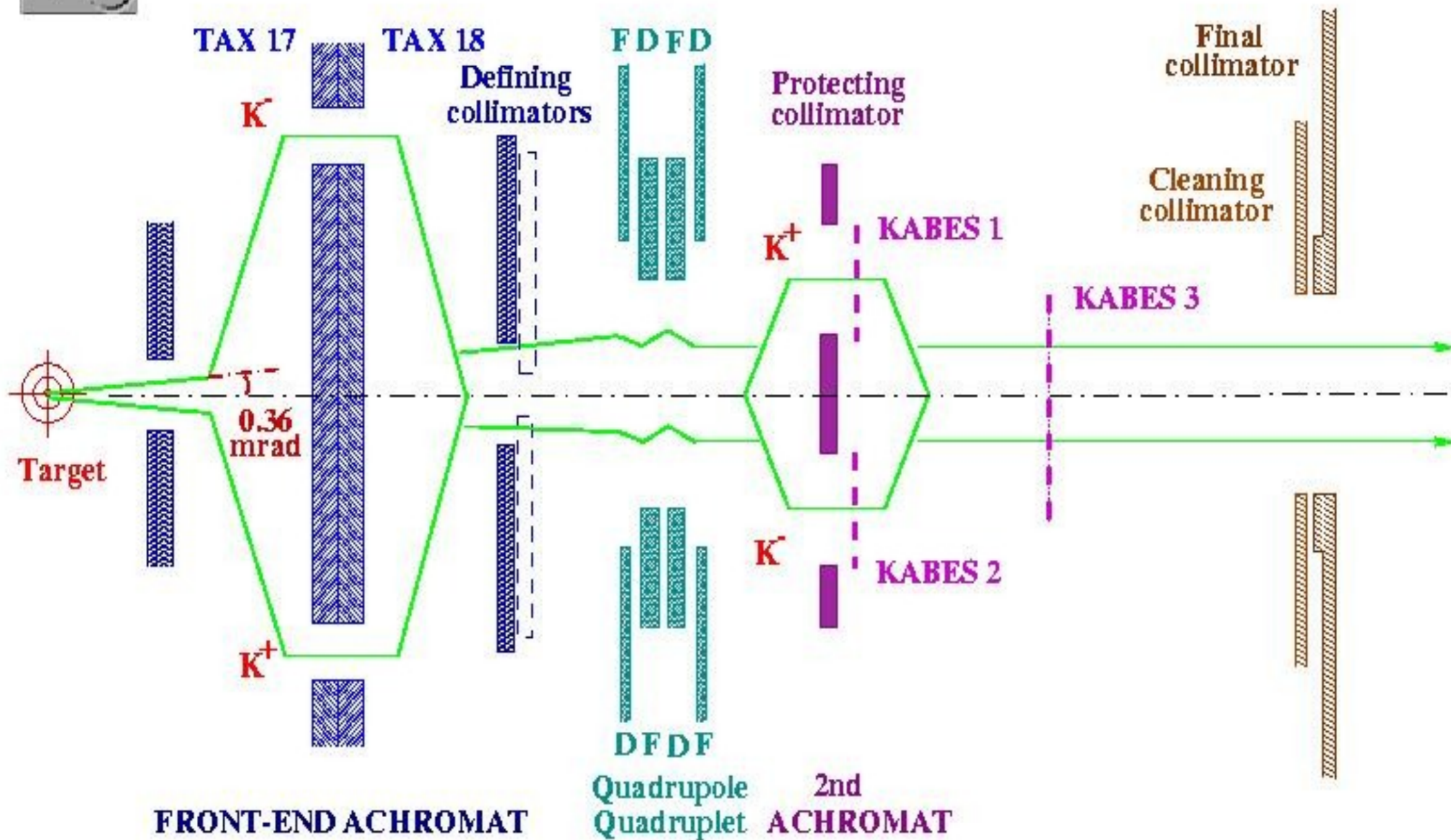


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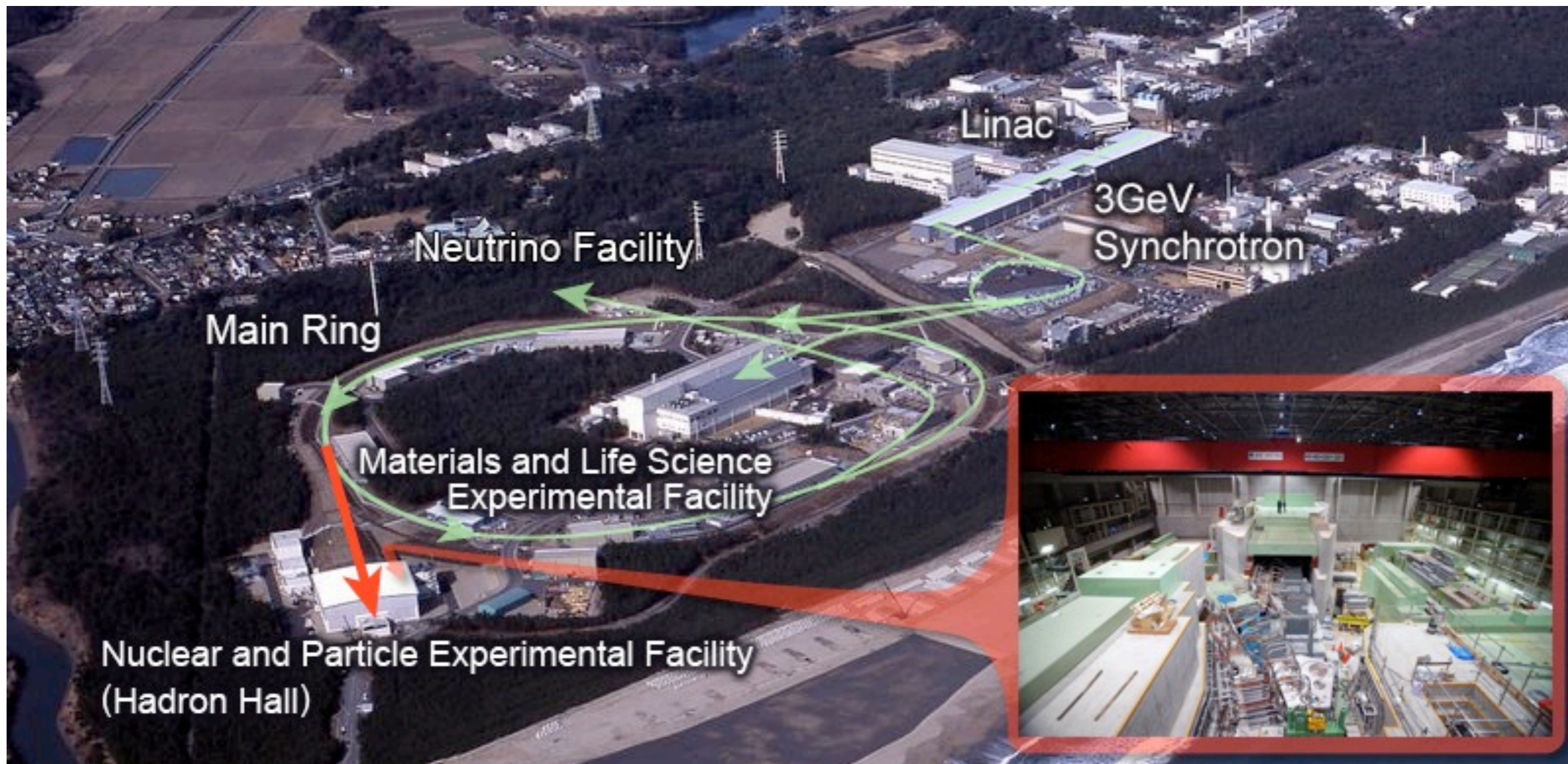


## SIMULTANEOUS $K^+$ AND $K^-$ BEAMS

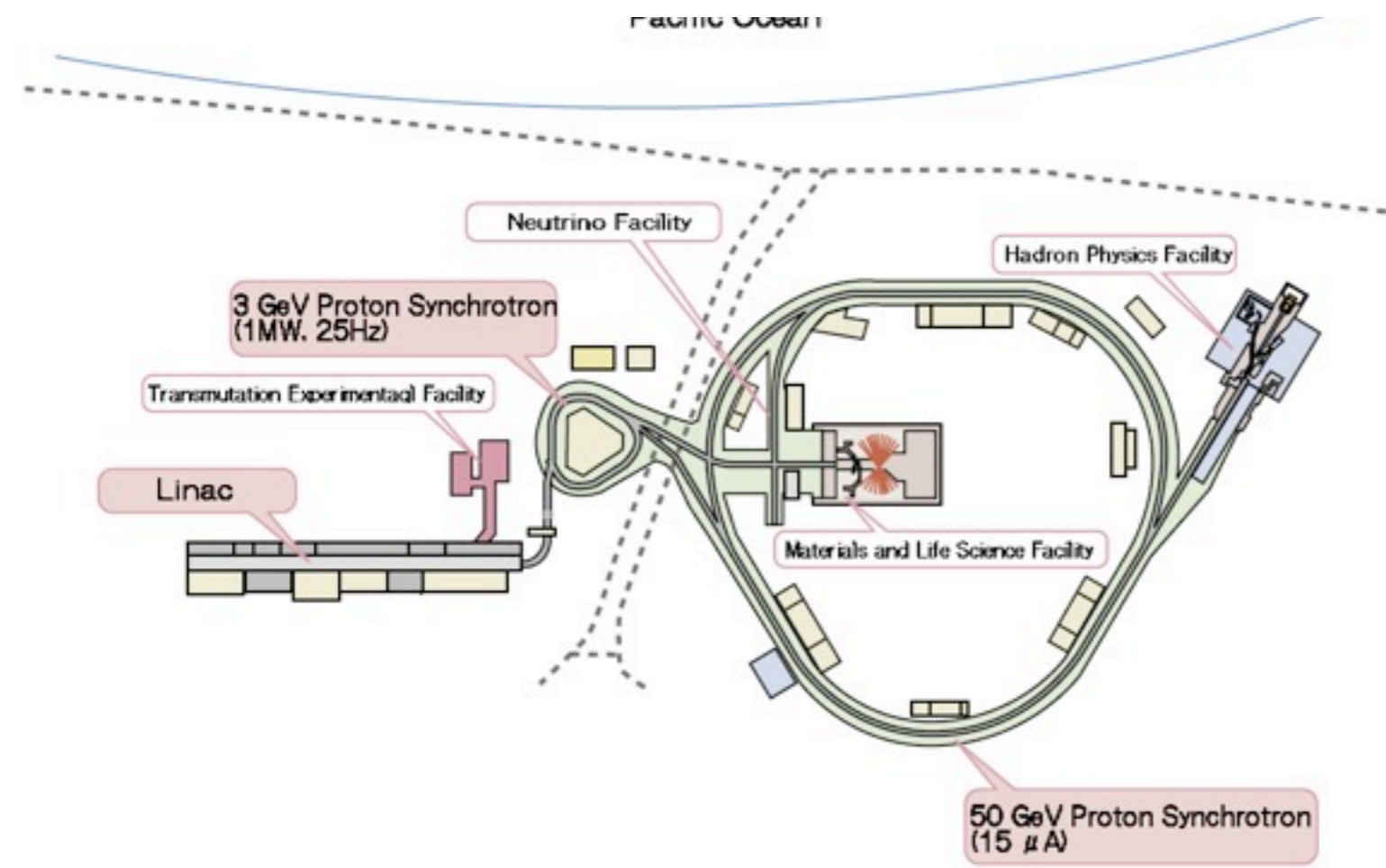
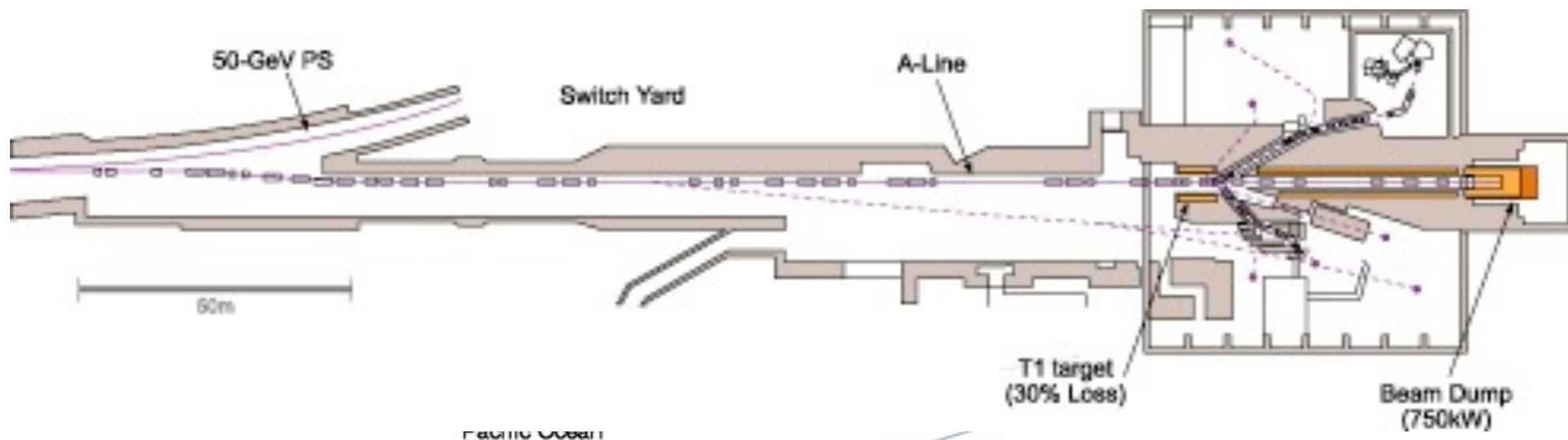




## ▶ Hadron beams at J-PARC



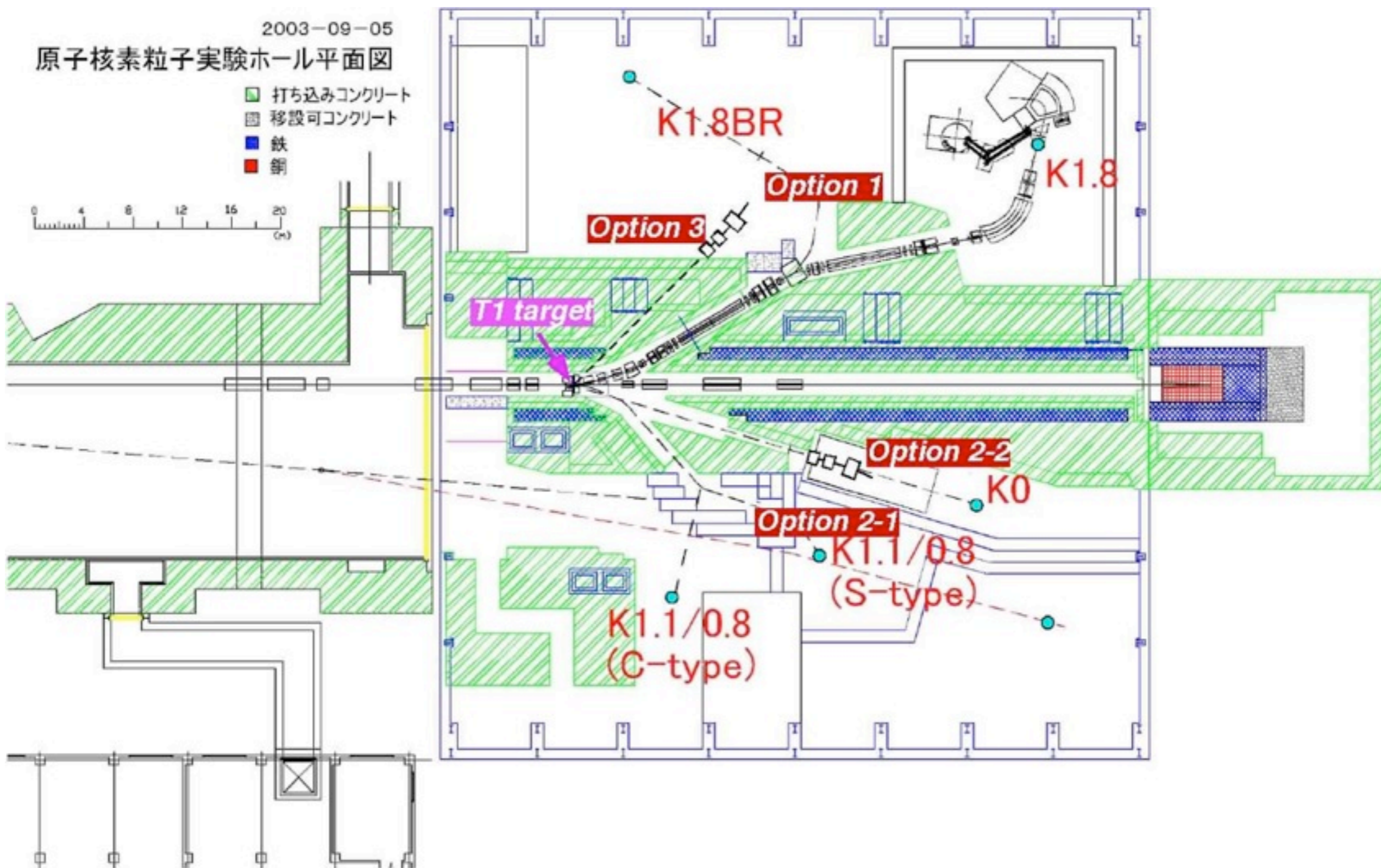
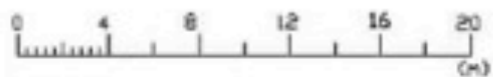
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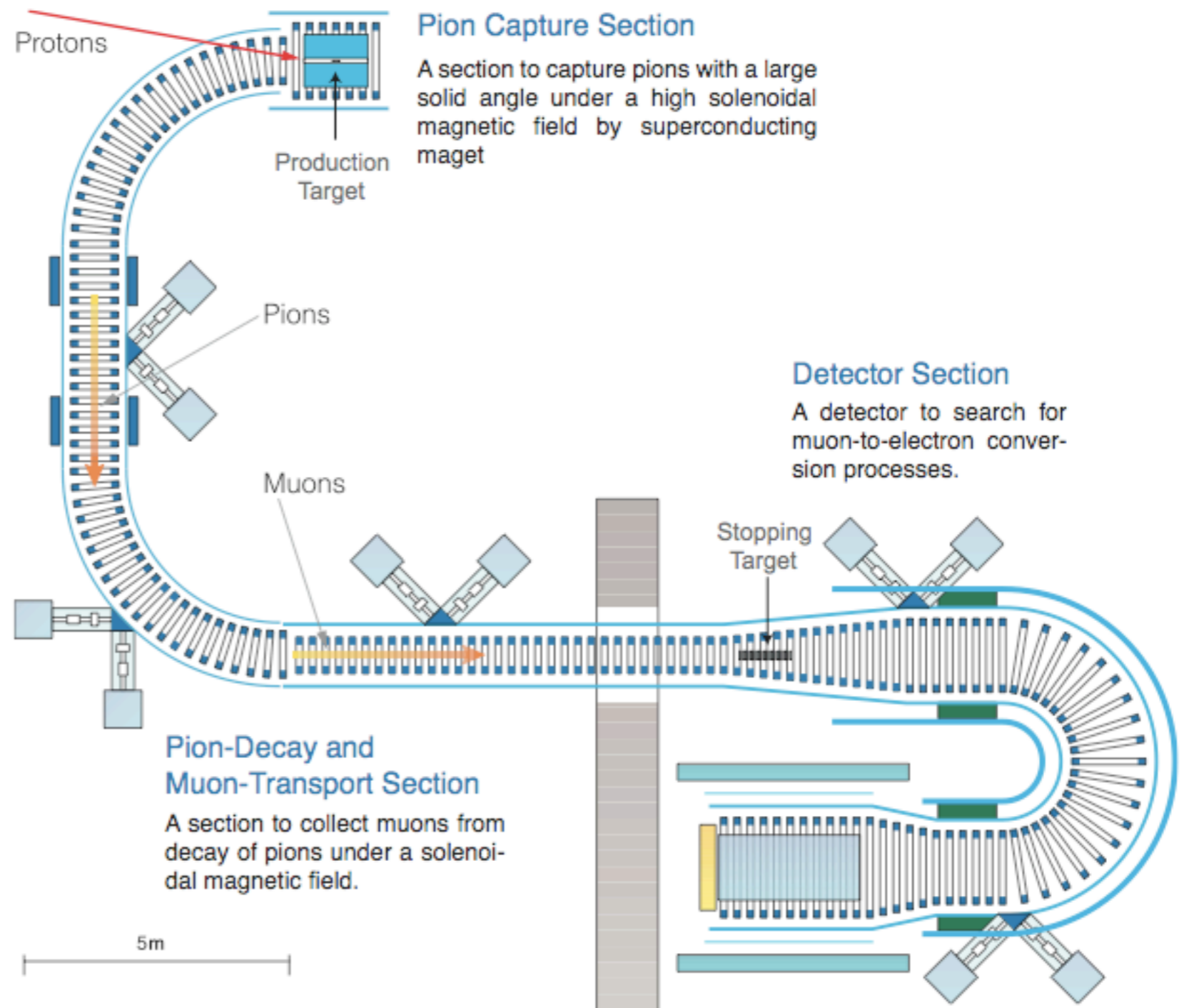
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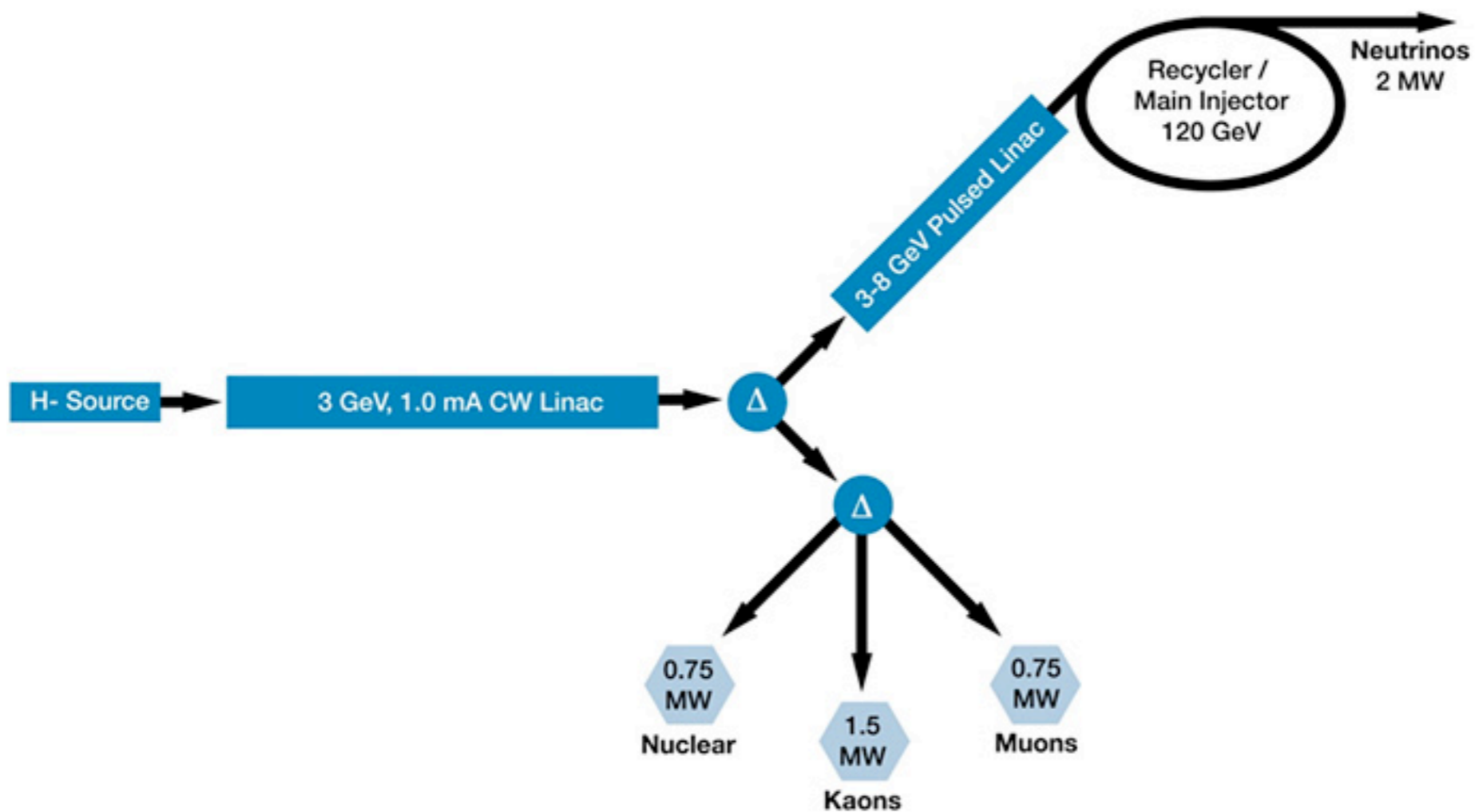


# J-PARC muon beam for COMET experiment

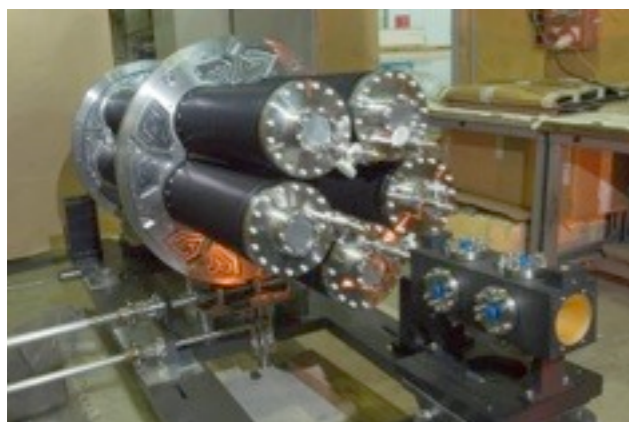
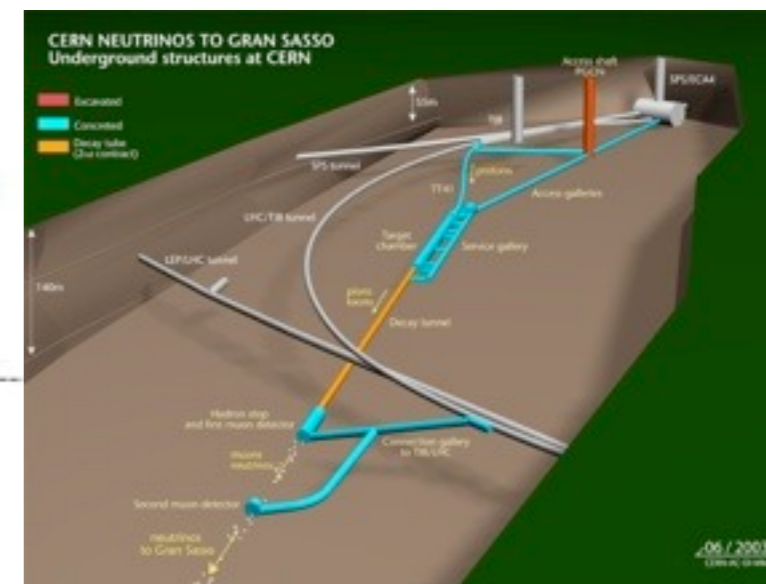
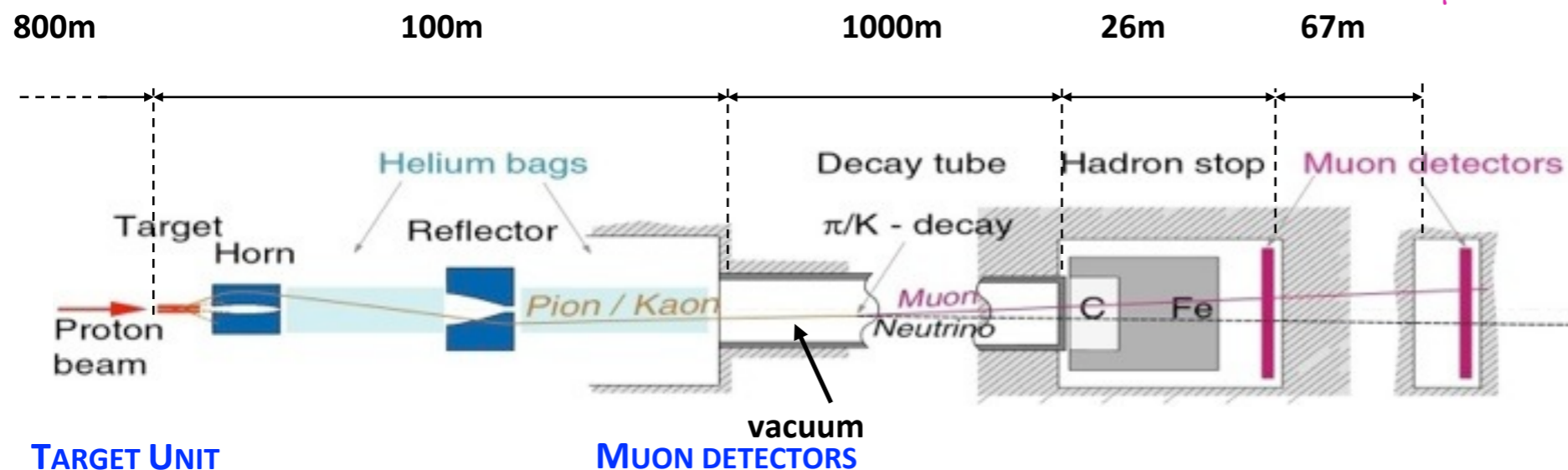
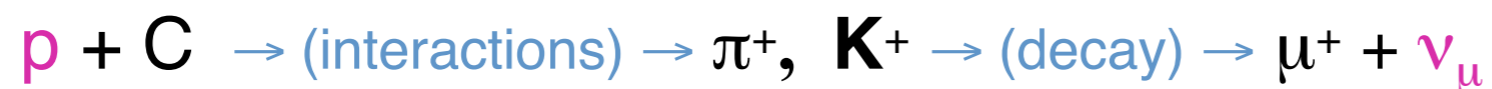
- ▶ Aim for  $10^{-16}$  sensitivity to  $\mu$ -e conversion
- ▶ Require  $\sim 10^{18}$  muons
- ▶ Proton beam: 8 GeV/c



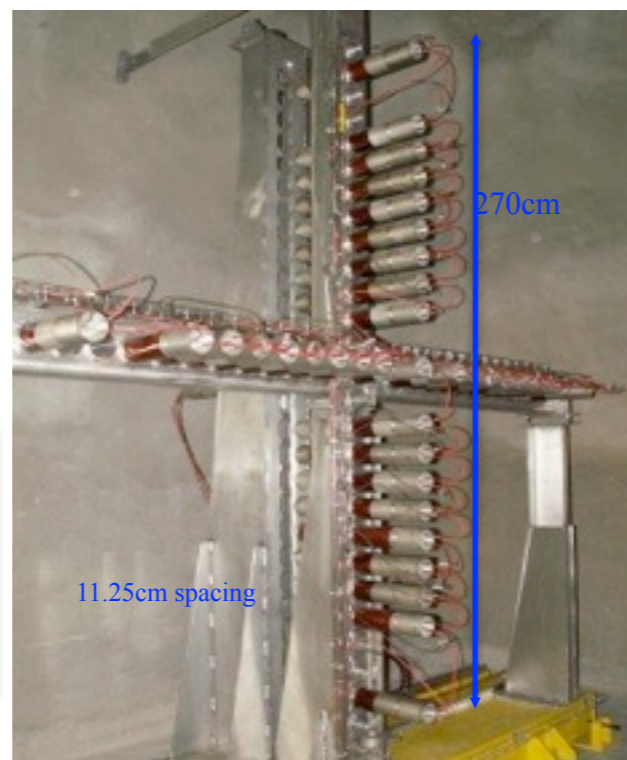
## ► FermiLab Project-X



## ▶ CNGS Neutrino beam at CERN



- C rods
- 5(4) mm  $\varnothing$
- 5 in-situ spares



- 2 × 41 fixed monitors
- 2 × 1 motorized monitor

**Exercise:** why we use horns in neutrino beams and not quads?





# Thank You for your attention

## Questions ?

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