



PPS @ HL-LHC: Status Report

LHC Forward Physics Meeting

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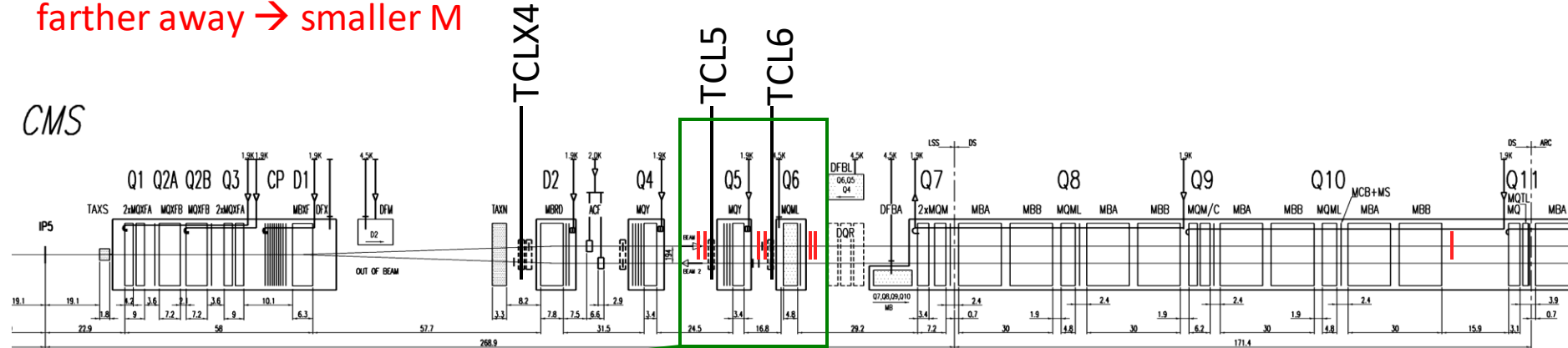
PPS @ HL-LHC: Proposed Layout

(on both sides of IP5, shown here: Sector 5-6)



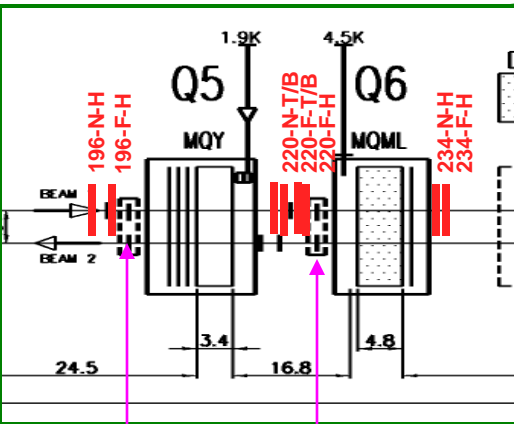
Locations from maximisation of accepted central mass range:

farther away → smaller M



196 m
220 m
234 m

420 m



TCL5

TCL6

- “warm region”:

- suitable for Roman Pot technology
- in each location 2 horizontal pots (single-sided) with a few metres lever arm
- @ 220 m: also 2 vertical pairs

- “cold region”:

- needs cryogenic bypass
- signal protons between beam pipes → limited space
- new developments needed
- second stage (LS4)

Total: 2 x 10 jaws (warm region) + 2 x (1–2) jaws (420m) = 22 – 24 jaws

→ similar to present day (26) → similar services (cables, cooling)



PPS @ HL-LHC: Project History

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The Compact Muon Solenoid Experiment

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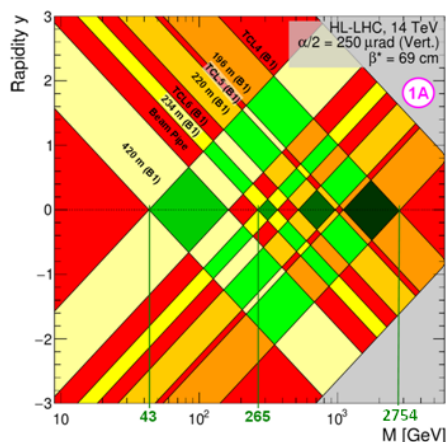
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The CMS Precision Proton Spectrometer at the HL-LHC – Expression of Interest

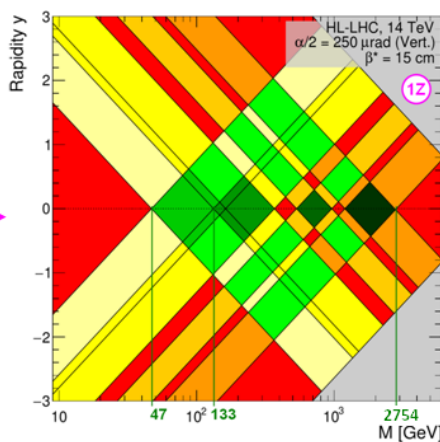
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- 4 locations on both sides of IP5 :
 - just before TCL5 (~ 196 m): high masses
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 - just after Q6 (~ 234 m): lower masses
 - 420 m: lowest masses

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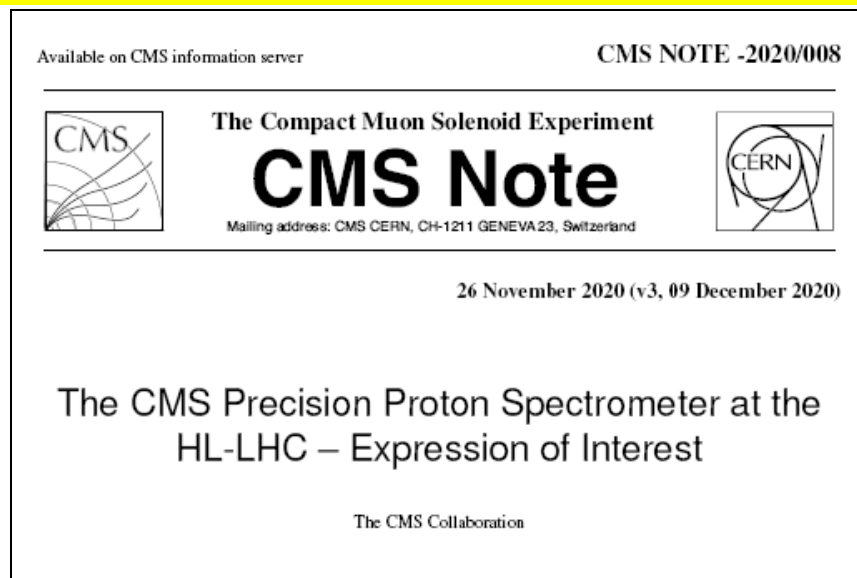
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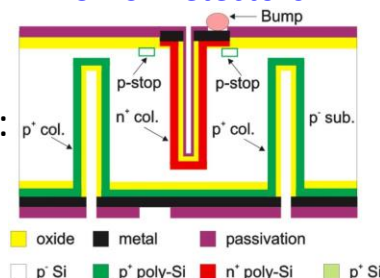


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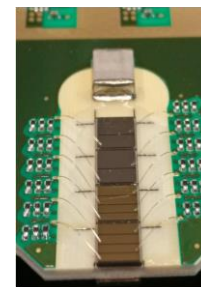
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- Detector technologies presently studied:
 - Tracking: 3D silicon pixel detectors (like in Run 2/3)
 - Time of Flight (to resolve pileup with multiplicity $\mu \leq 200$):
 - Diamond detectors (like in Run 2/3)
 - UFSD (LGAD) from CMS MTD-ETL

3D Si Detectors



Run 2 Diamonds





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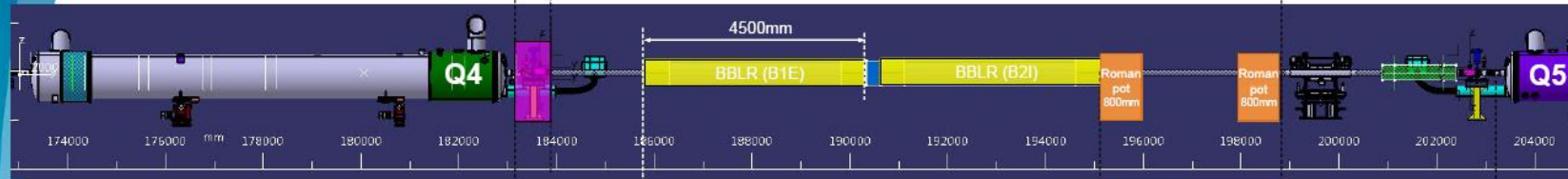
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Region of interest: 180-200m/IP5 → **196m**

LSS5R - MACHINE LAYOUT v.1.5

15008mm

v.1.5 official



Difference wrt 5R:

$203179 - 202572 = 607\text{mm}$

There is 607mm less space
in 5L = 1R !!

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mm/IP5

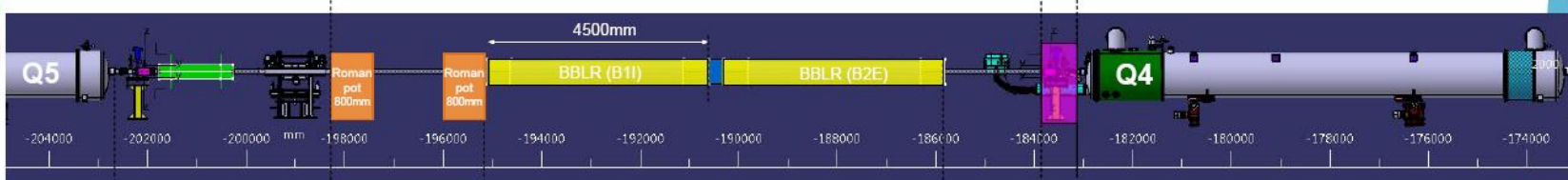
Option 196m:
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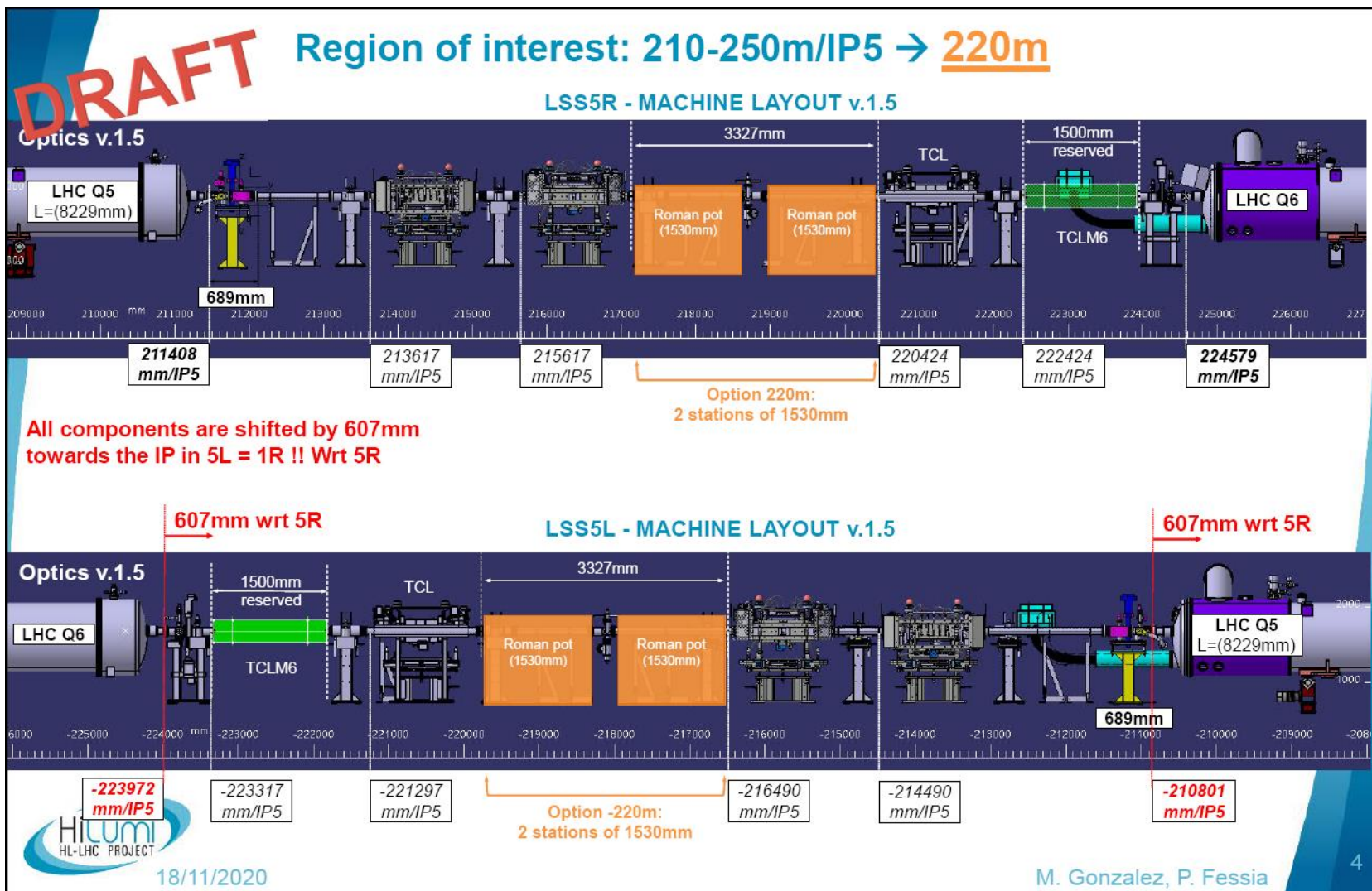


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Difficulty: these stations (like all beamline elements between -Q5 and +Q5)
needs to be on remote-controlled movable (x-y)-alignment platforms



- Only in this station: 2 vertical pairs for alignment and optics calibration
- To mounted on (manually adjusted) alignment platform



PPS @ HL-LHC: Recent Evolution

2021:

- Continued collaboration with machine layout team
 - space reservations, preliminary integration studies now separately for sectors 4-5 and 5-6
 - identification of main difficulties, but no show-stoppers by principle
 - space for cables reserved
- Update of performance studies:
 - optics/layout version 1.3 → 1.5
 - new operational scenario (levelling scheme, collimation strategy)
 - more detailed acceptance numbers (year by year), but no drastic changes
 - EoI assessments still valid
- Using HL-LHC fluence maps: Refinement of requirements on
 - detector vessel (pot)
 - detector segmentation (via occupancy arguments)
 - vertical shifts of detector packages for radiation dilution

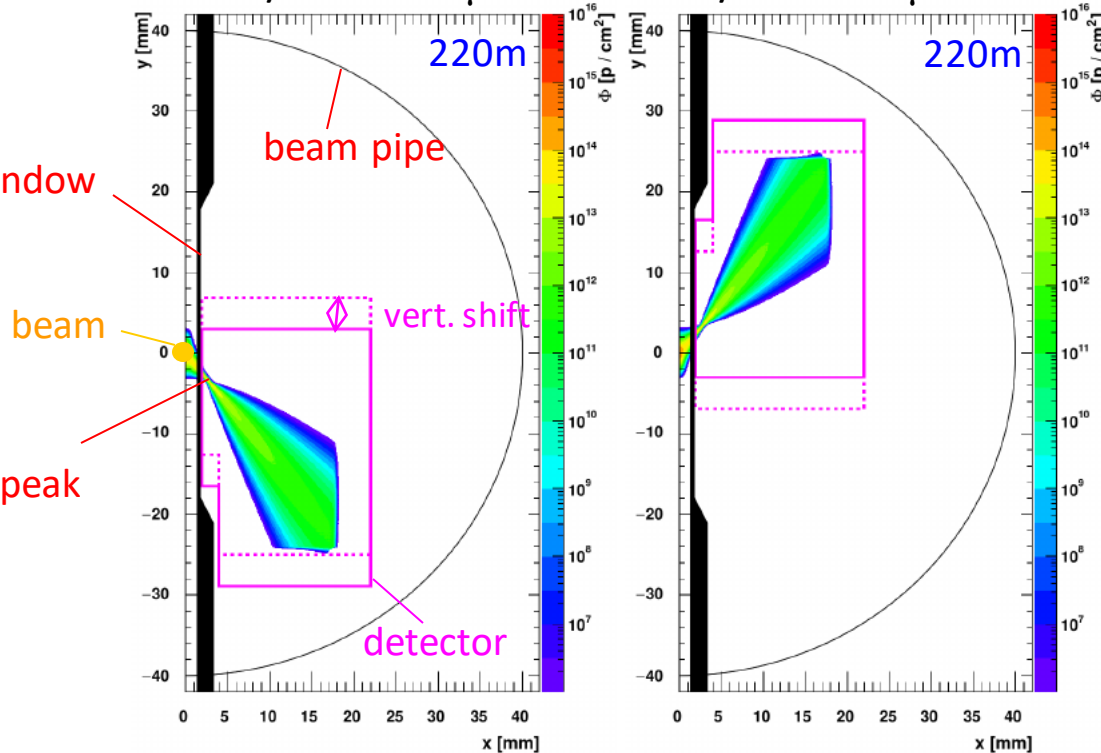
Need for New Detector Vessels

Fluence maps (after 1 fb^{-1})

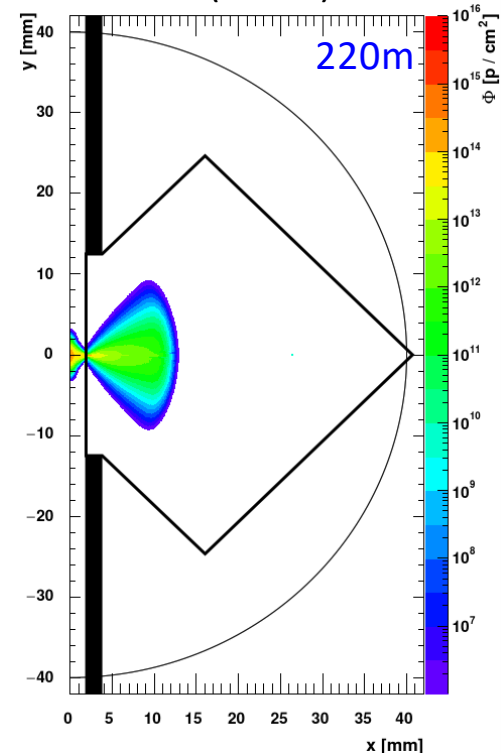
for vertical crossing angle

$\alpha/2 = +250 \mu\text{rad}$

$\alpha/2 = -250 \mu\text{rad}$



Comparison:
horizontal crossing
(Run 2):



- defines detector coverage needed (larger for vertical beam crossing)
- quantification of required vertical detector shifts inside pots from radiation hardness of detector candidates (tracking: 3D silicon pixels, timing: LGAD or diamonds)
 - requirements on size of thin window
- new detector vessels: shape and size identical to present pots, only thin window changes
- developments ongoing



PPS @ HL-LHC: Recent Evolution

2022:

- **January / February:**
presentations @ Chamonix meeting and in the HL-LHC Executive Committee with CERN directorate
- **Tight funding situation → New strategy:**

Most components of present Roman Pot system can be reused without significant loss in performance.

PPS @ HL-LHC: Reuse of Present Roman Pots

Inventory: enough RP units available to equip the 2 x 3 “warm” locations.

Present availability

RP station in the tunnel



Total: 8 triple station and 2 horizontal;
10 horizontal units; 2 cylinder. housing, 24 rec.

RP station in H8



2 horizontal units;
1 cylindrical housing, 1 rec. housing (revalidate)

RP station in CMS RP room



1 horiz.
units;
2 rec.
housings

Components for horizontal unit in plastic boxes in 226



3 new VP vac. chambers

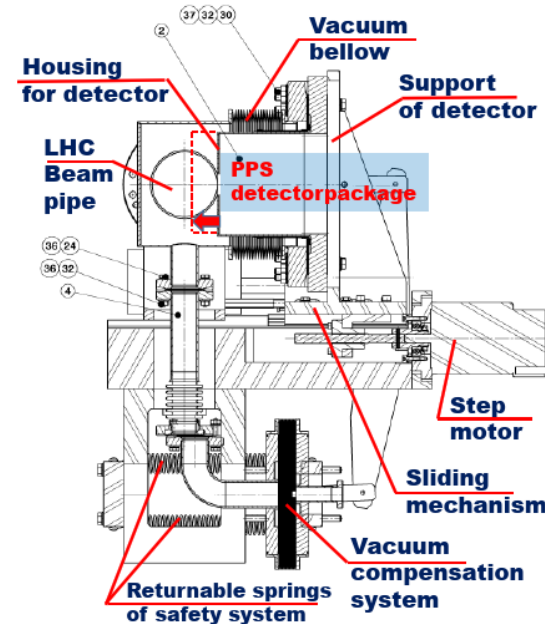


1 new cyl. housing



1 new horiz. unit

Availability: Numbers of RP station: 9 standard triple, plus 5 horizontal units (?);
Total numbers of horizontal units: 14 (8 tunnel + 3 P.5 + 2 H8 + 1 B.226);
Number of detector housing: 26 rectangular, 4 cylindrical (2 tunnel, 1 B226, 1 H8 (revalid.))



Being studied in detail: mandatory component replacements. Examples:

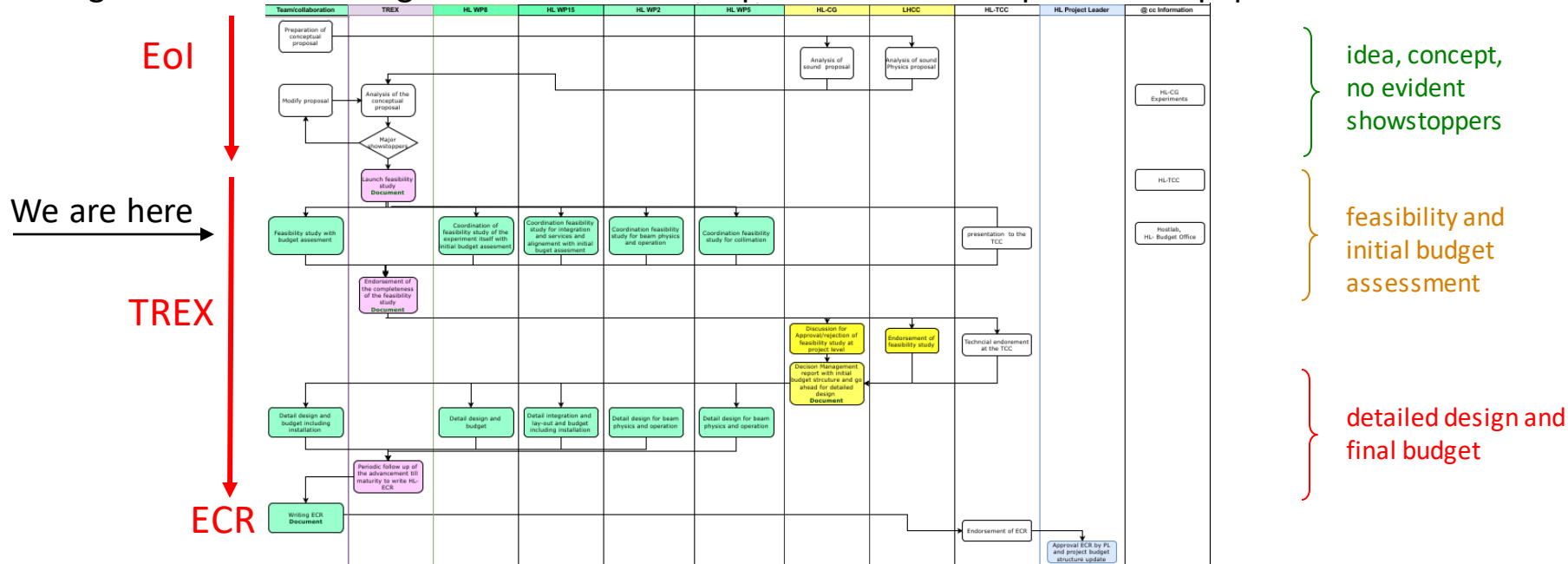
- precision screws of motorization
- detector packages
- detector vessels (new requirements on thin window geometry)

→ all “transparent” from machine integration point of view

Machine Integration

Most urgent activity!

PPS integration now following the standard HL-LHC process for new experiment equipment:



Appropriate forum: **TREX meetings** (“Tunnel Region EXperiments”)

→ **Aims:**

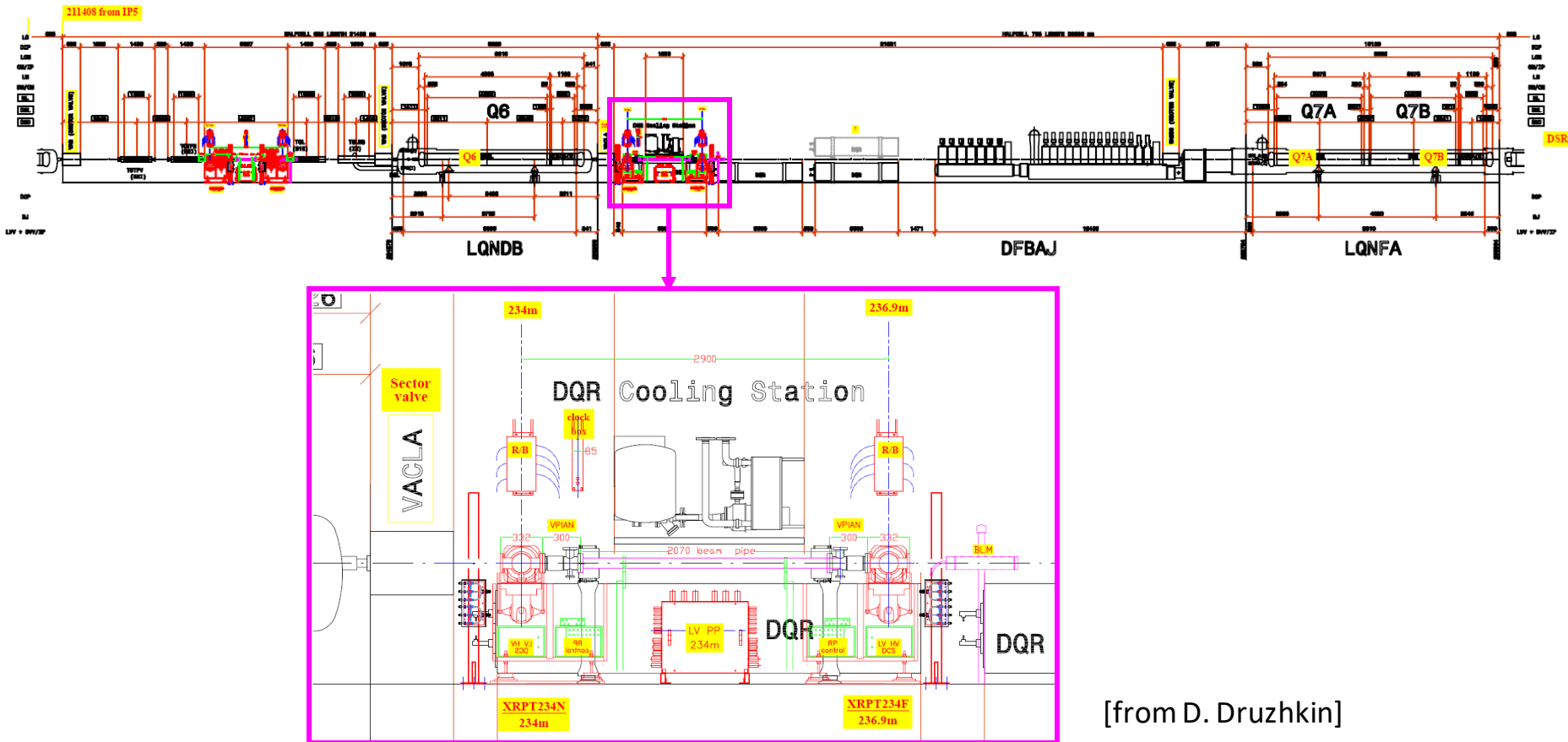
- **Engineering Change Request document (ECR)** as commonly used by the machine, for CMS purposes: ECR embedded in a larger document with updated performance numbers
- detailed integration with future optics version 1.7 (present version: 1.5)
- after integration of XRP units: adaptation of service components (e.g. patch panels) to available space
- material and work for integration → budget assessment for machine interface

Later: TDR including also physics and detectors

TREX: First Round

June 2022: first TREX meeting focussing on PPS@HL-LHC:

PPS input: integration drawing iteration 0 based on optics 1.5 and RP drawings



[from D. Druzhkin]

Detailed integration process deferred to dedicated subgroup meetings:

1. Vacuum group (TE-VSC): establish exact XRP positions, beam pipe connections, vacuum equipment
2. Survey + Alignment group (BE-GM-ASG): movable alignment platforms, wire alignment, XRP compliance with new alignment procedures

→ two rounds of meetings done

Highlight from Survey & Alignment Meeting: Movable Platforms

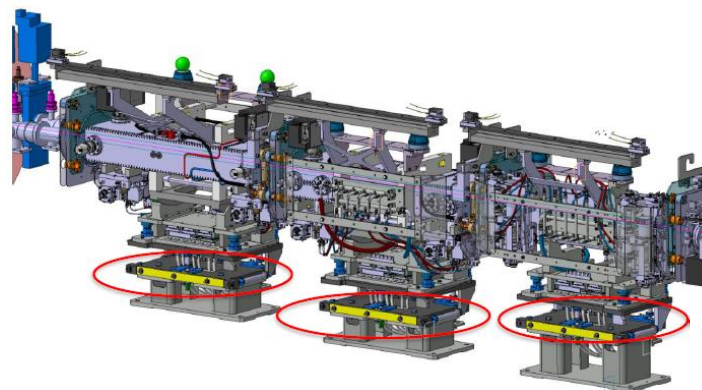
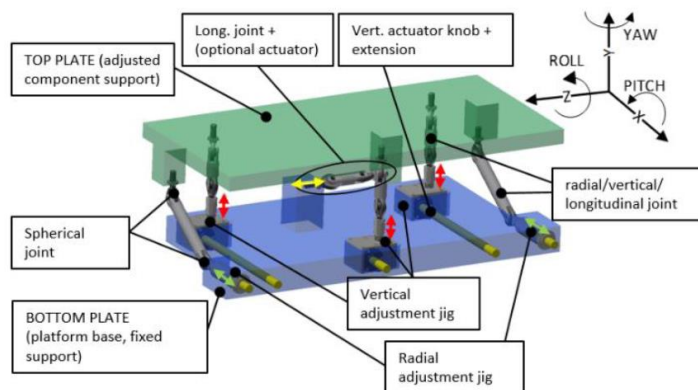
All stations need to be on movable alignment platforms.

- 196 m stations: **remote-controlled** platform versions
- 220, 234 m stations: **manually adjusted** platform versions

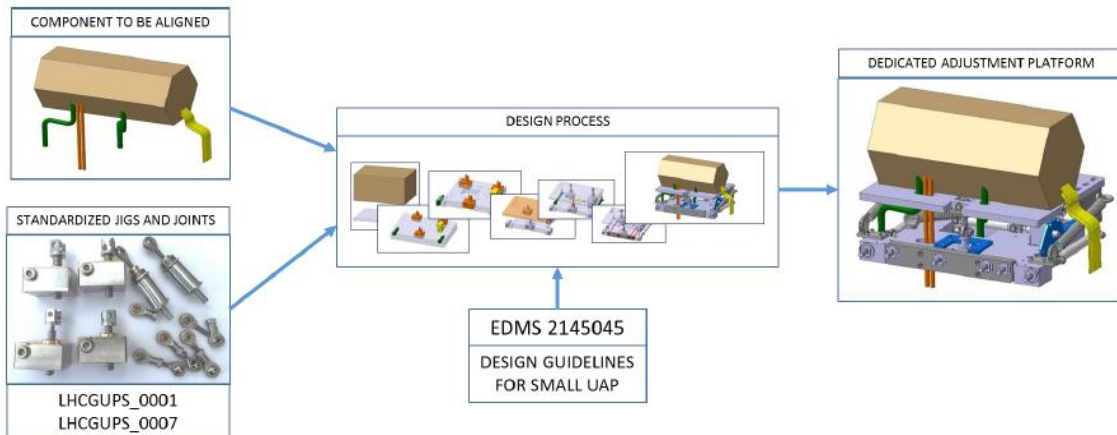
Amplitude = ± 2.5 mm needed

Received toolkit for custom-design of **Universal Adjustment Platform (UAP)**, i.e. (x,y)-Table

Example: D2-TAXN collimators support



UAP = design framework with standard components, adaptable to individual beamline elements
(a bit like LEGO)



being designed by us

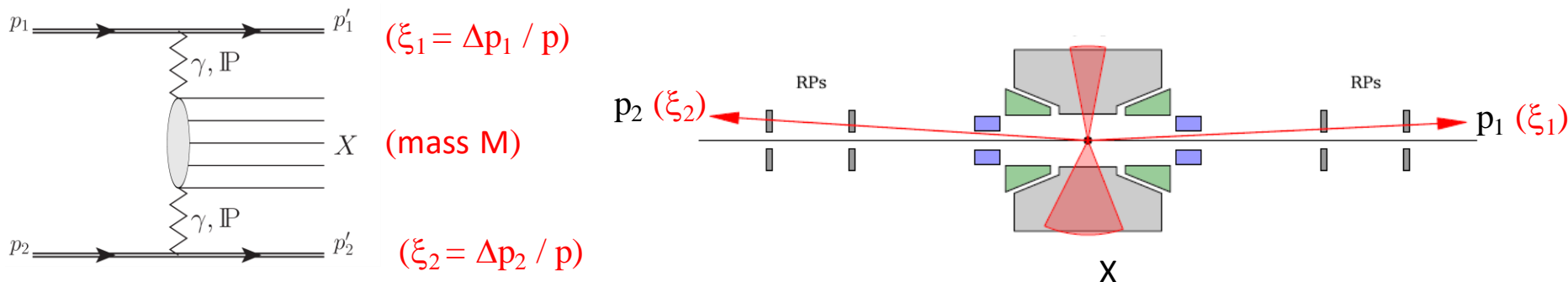
Summary

- Reuse most components of present-day Roman Pots to adapt to funding limitations
- Performance calculations updated from EoI → no major changes
- Machine integration studies now in the framework of TREX meetings
Discussions on integration details ongoing with
 - vacuum group
 - survey & alignment group→ aiming at [ECR document](#)
- Internal development of new RP detector vessel with identical outer specs as the present vessels
→ transparent for machine integration
- Later: [TDR](#) combining all aspects of the project

The End.

Appendix

Reminder on PPS Physics: Central Exclusive Production (CEP)



Surviving protons \rightarrow redundant kinematic information on the central system X .

- Fractional momentum losses (ξ_1, ξ_2) via proton tracking**
 \rightarrow Reconstruction of mass and rapidity of central system

$$M_X^2 = \xi_1 \xi_2 s$$

$$y_X = \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{\xi_1}{\xi_2}$$

- Transverse momenta ($p_{T,1}, p_{T,2}$) via proton tracking**
 \rightarrow momentum balance with central system useful for event selection:

$$\mathbf{p}_{T,X} + \mathbf{p}_{T,1} + \mathbf{p}_{T,2} = 0$$

- Longitudinal vertex position via proton time of flight (ToF)**
 \rightarrow important for resolving pileup (up to $\mu = 200$ at the HL-LHC)

Central Exclusive Production at Different Mass Scales

with 420 m station

0 – few 10 GeV

45 – few 100 GeV

few 100 GeV – few TeV

very low mass

(mesonic resonances,
glueballs)

needs special high β^* optics

→ done in Run 2,

not for HL-LHC,

not discussed here

low mass (gg and $\gamma\gamma$ exch.)

SM studies: exclusive Higgs,
dileptons

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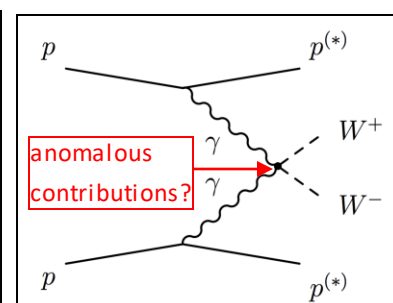
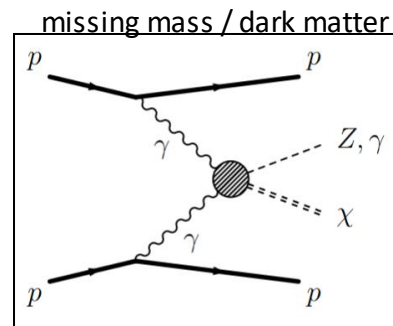
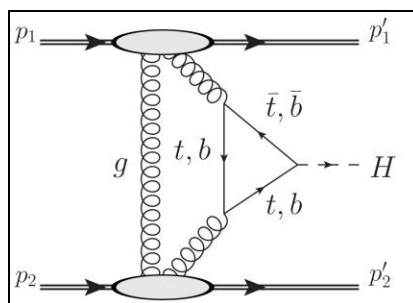
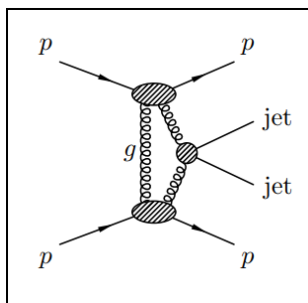
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missing mass / dark matter,

$t\bar{t}$

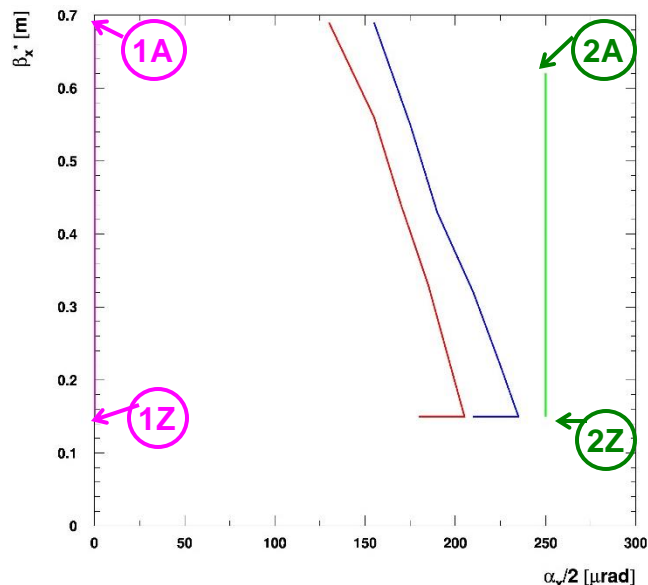
high mass ($\gamma\gamma$ exch. dominant):

BSM searches: Axion-like particles,
anomalous gauge couplings ($\gamma\gamma WW$, $\gamma\gamma ZZ$)



The PPS and AFP HL-LHC projects are for **standard beam optics and conditions**,
no special runs, except alignment and calibration fills (few hours)

Acceptance in the Mass – Rapidity Plane



Labels (1A), (1Z), (2A), (2Z)
= start and end points of **any vertical**
and the **simplest horizontal** trajectory

Note on p_T :

The M-y plot is for proton $p_{T,1} = p_{T,2} = 0$
Fixed non-zero p_T would shift the contours.

For each point ($\alpha_x/2, \beta_x^*$):

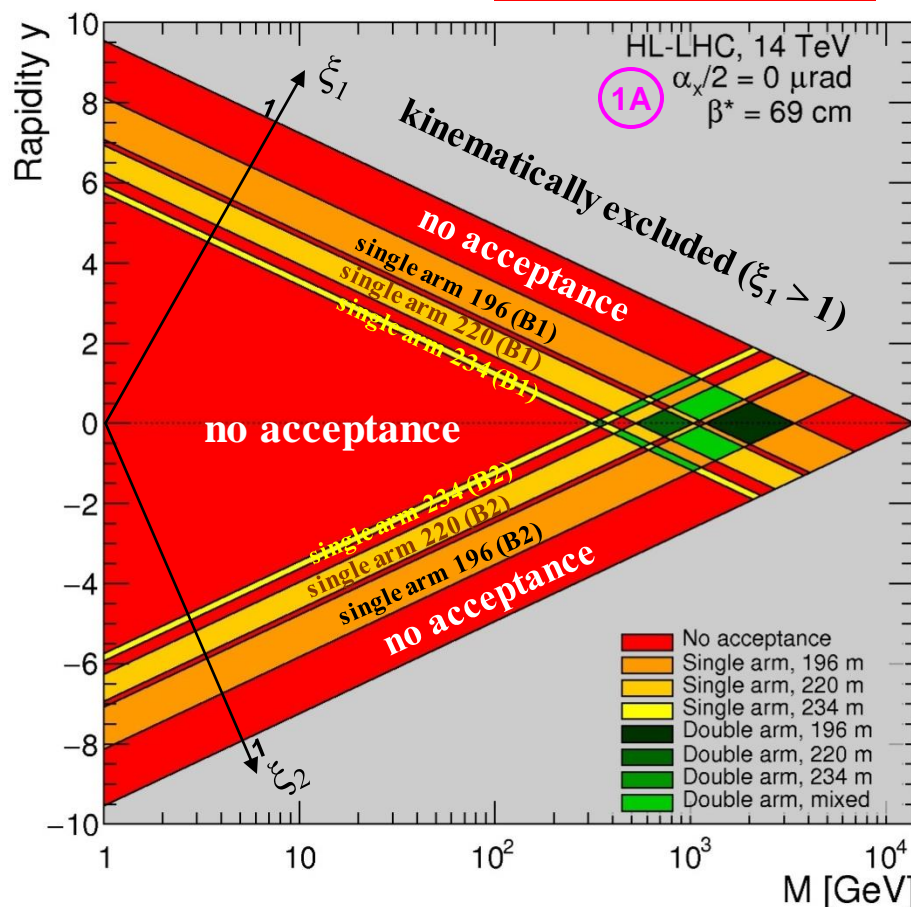
Acceptance for central exclusive events is defined in 2-dim space (ξ_1, ξ_2)
or equivalently – after basis rotation – in (M, y):

$$M^2 = \xi_1 \xi_2 s$$

$$\ln \frac{M}{\sqrt{s}} = \frac{1}{2} (\ln \xi_1 + \ln \xi_2)$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{\xi_1}{\xi_2}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2} (\ln \xi_1 - \ln \xi_2)$$



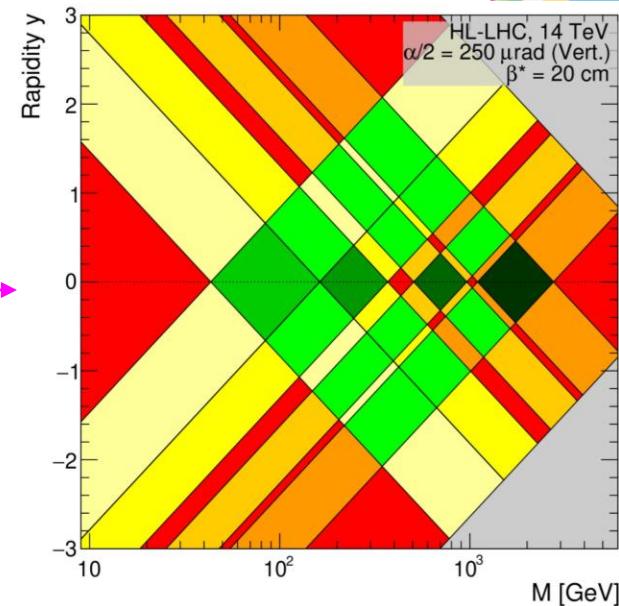
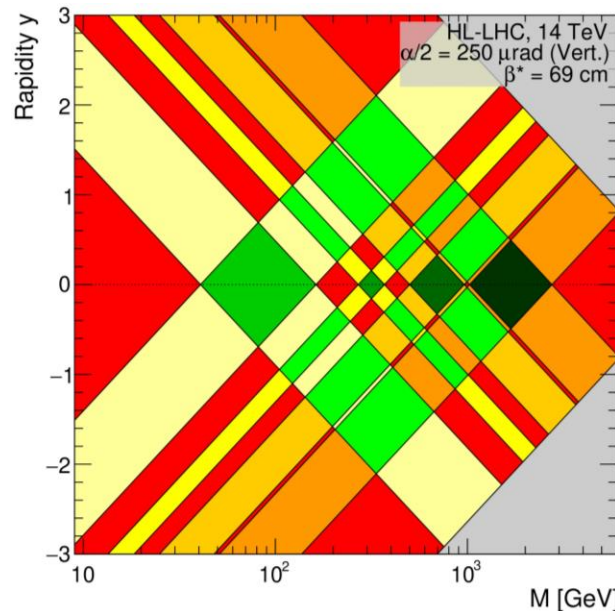
Acceptance in Mass – Rapidity Plane (new settings)



Vertical crossing in IP5

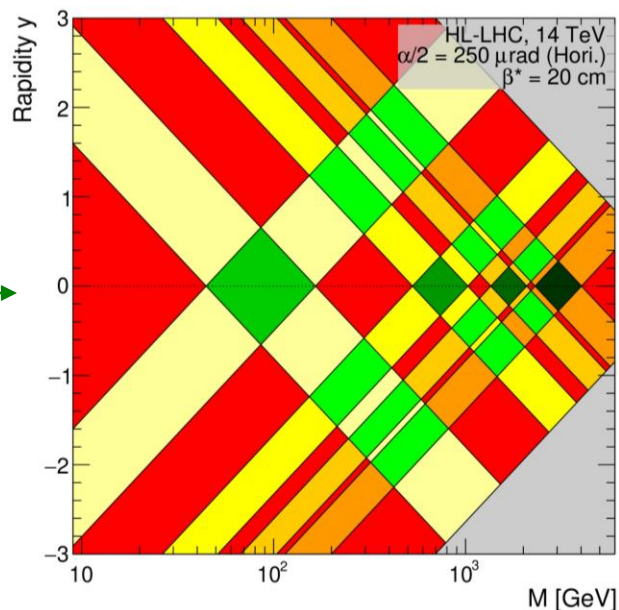
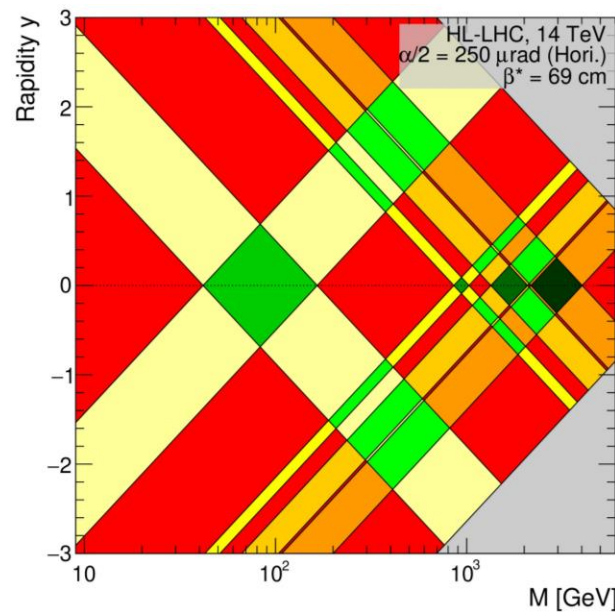
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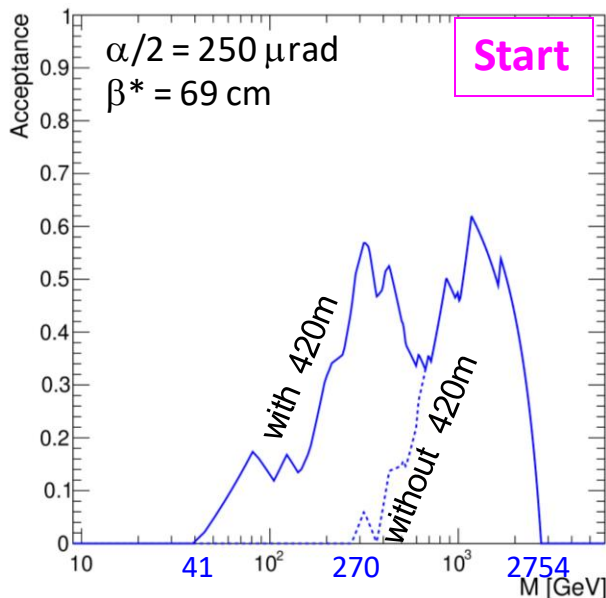
Horizontal crossing in IP5

Large gaps !



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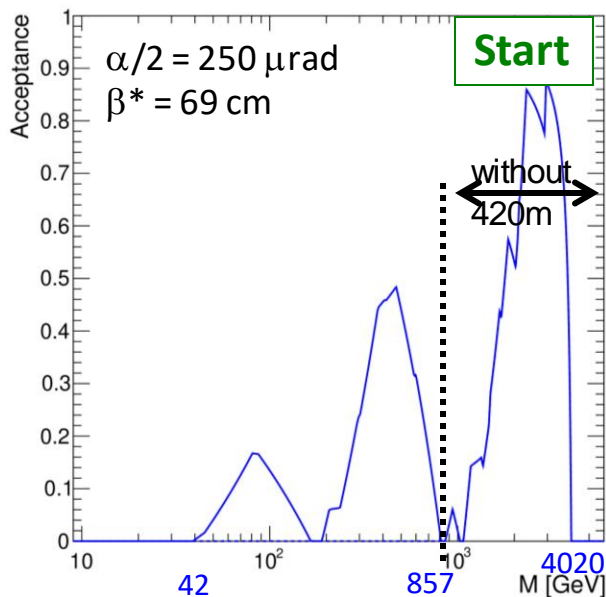
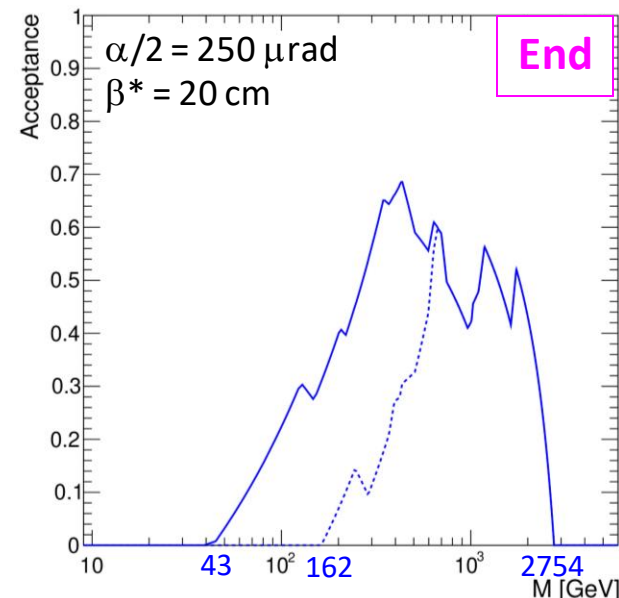
assuming flat rapidity distribution in region $\xi_1, \xi_2 < 0.3$



Vertical crossing in IP5
(decided for implementation)

Evolution along the Fill

(luminosity levelling)



Horizontal crossing in IP5
(for comparison)

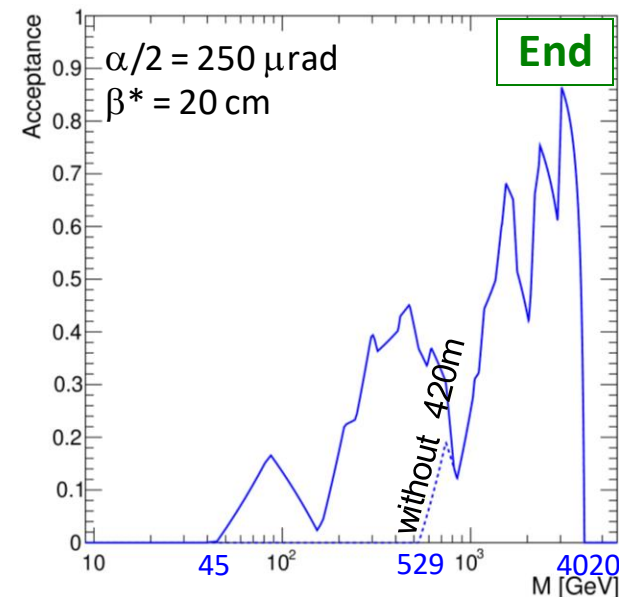
Evolution along the Fill

(“baseline” luminosity levelling trajectory)

Dispersion:

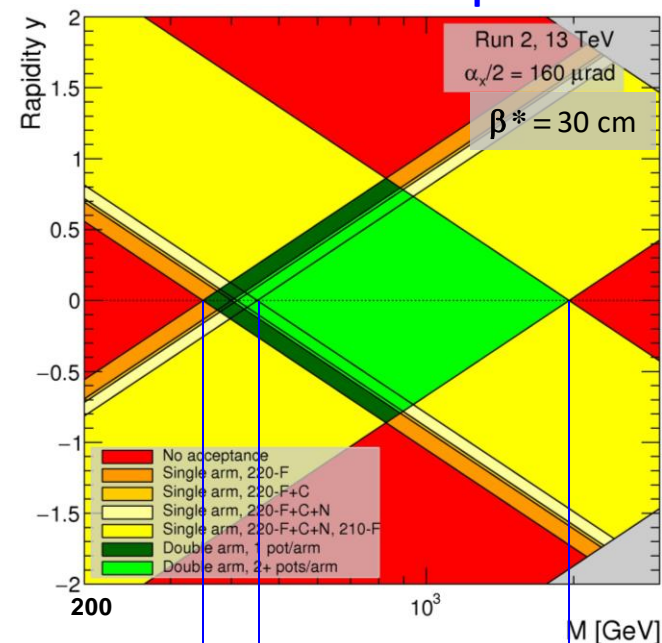
$$D_x = D_x(0) - D_x' \alpha_x/2$$

(X-angle **reduces** D_x !)



Comparison Mass-Rapidity Acceptance Run 2 / HL-LHC

2018 Nominal Optics

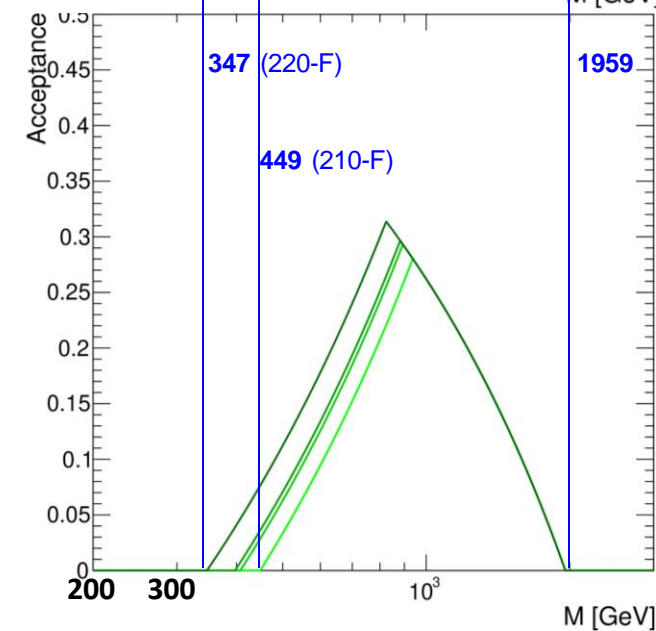


HL-LHC (vertical crossing):

without 420 m: 133 GeV – 2.7 TeV

with 420 m: 43 GeV – 2.7 TeV

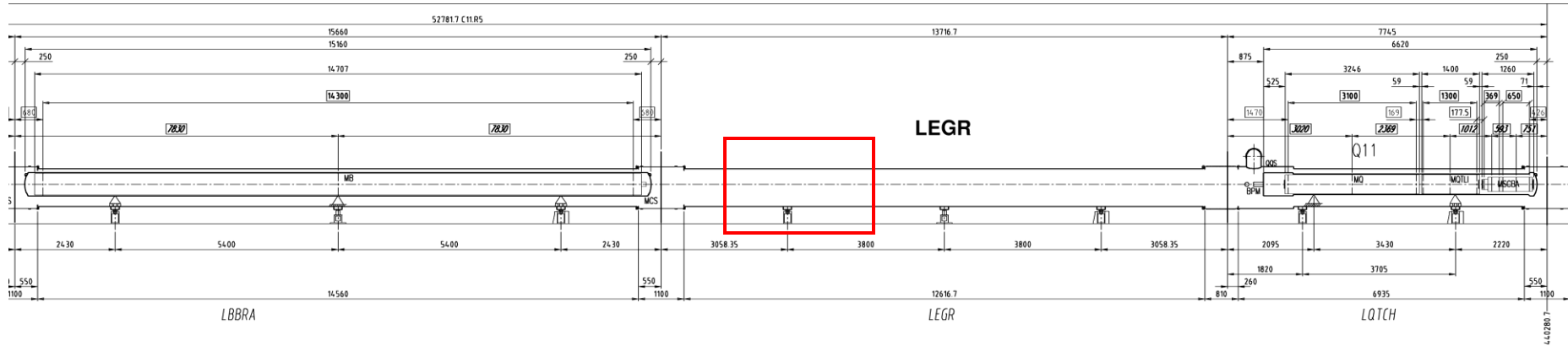
Physics programme allows
a staged installation (420 m later)



The 420 m Station



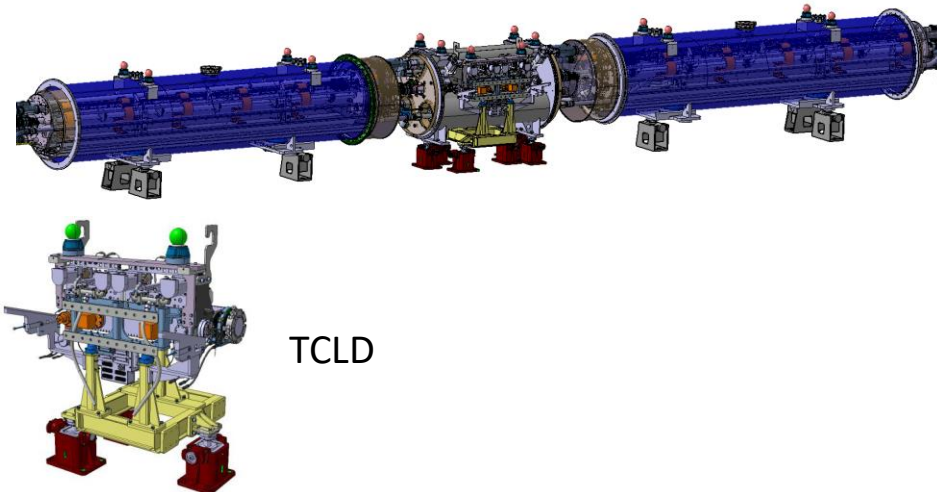
Necessary for masses < 200 GeV (e.g. exclusive Higgs production)



- Region with an empty cryostat (“missing magnet”)
- Signal proton tracks are between the 2 beampipes (positive dispersion)
 → Not suitable for present Roman Pot technology → needs special development

Ideas:

- Re-use connection cryostat from TCLD integration or cryostat designed for the old FP420 project
- Detector vessel options:
 - mini Roman Pot
 - modified TCLD
 - moveable beampipe



Second-stage project for installation in LS4