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# FCC-ee IR beam losses and collimation system

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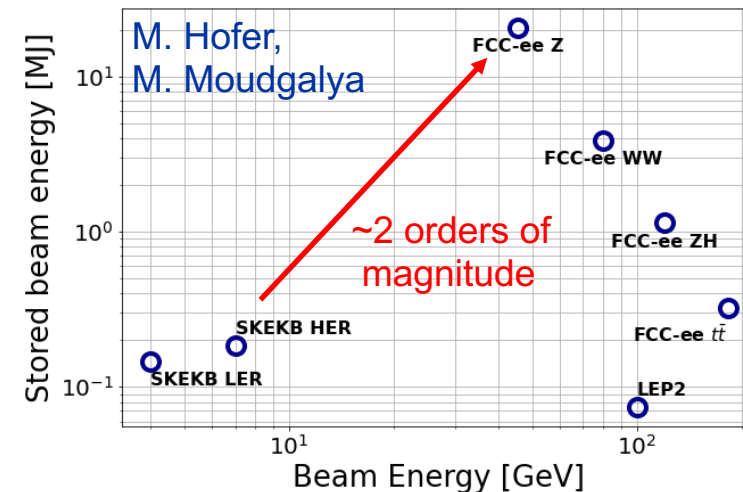
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# Collimation for the FCC-ee

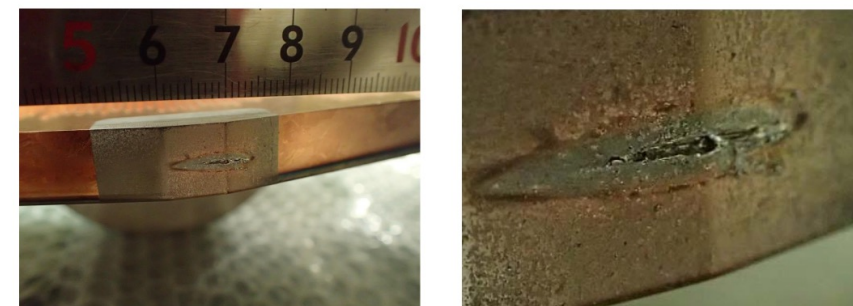
- The FCC-ee is the FCC first stage e+e- collider
  - 90.7 km circumference, tunnel compatible with the FCC-hh
  - 4 beam operation modes, optimized for production of different particles: **Z** (45.6 GeV), **W** (80 GeV), **H** (120 GeV), **t $\bar{t}$**  (182.5 GeV)
  - The stored beam energy reaches **17.5 MJ** for the 45.6 GeV **Z** mode, which is comparable to heavy-ion operation at the LHC

- The FCC-ee presents unique challenges

- Such beams are highly destructive: a collimation system is required
- The main roles of the collimation system are:
  - Protect the equipment from unavoidable losses
  - Reduce the backgrounds in the experiments



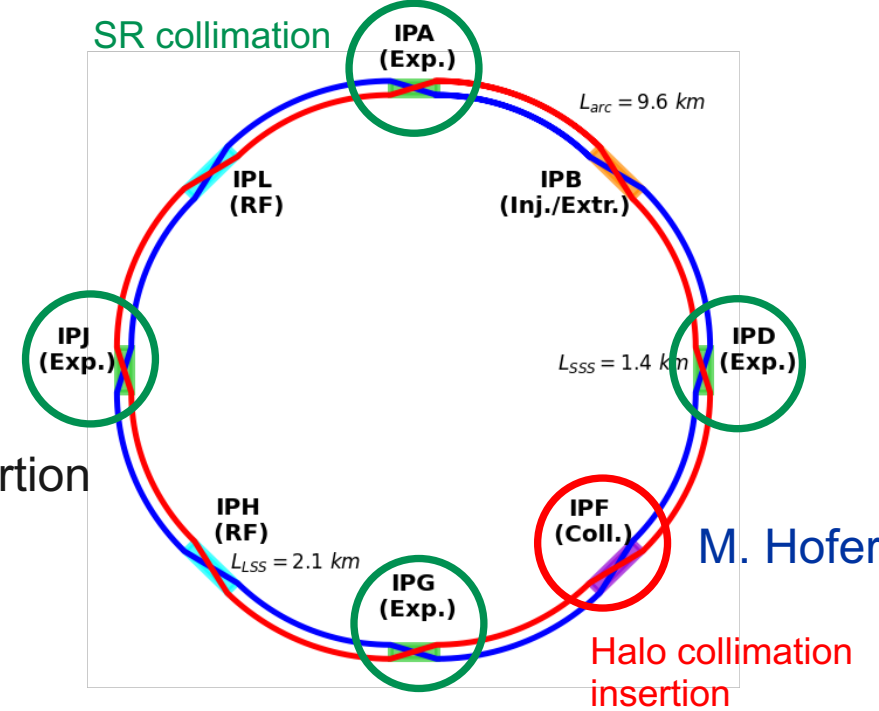
Comparison of lepton colliders



Damage to coated collimator jaw due to accidental beam loss in the SuperKEKB – T. Ishibashi ([talk](#))

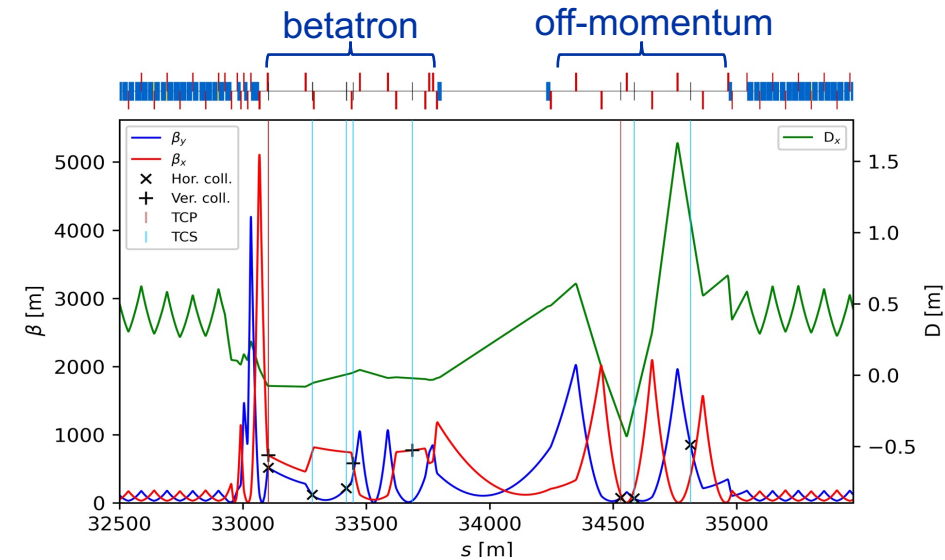
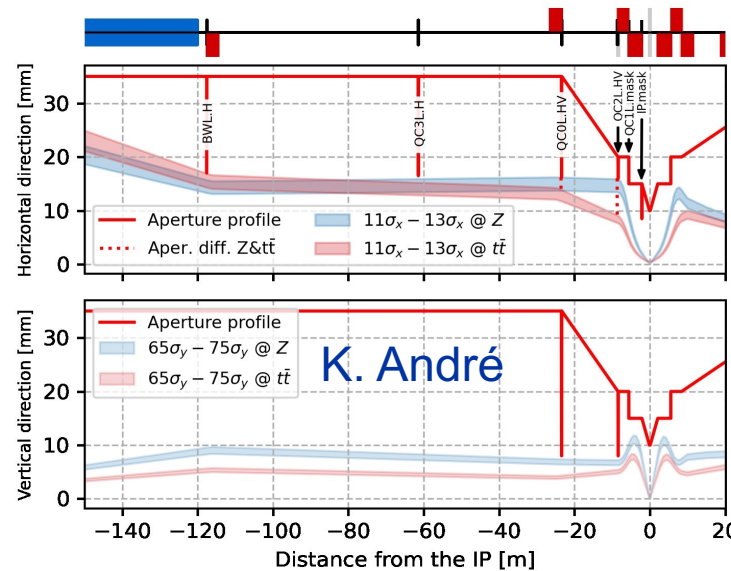
# FCC-ee collimation system

- Two types of collimation foreseen for the FCC-ee:
  - The beam halo (global) collimation
  - Synchrotron Radiation (SR) collimation – near the IPs
- Halo collimation in a dedicated insertion
  - Two-stage betatron and off-momentum collimation systems in one insertion
  - Ensure protection of the aperture bottlenecks in different conditions
  - Collimation optics (M. Hofer) and collimator parameters (G. Broggi)



## Synchrotron radiation collimators around the IPs

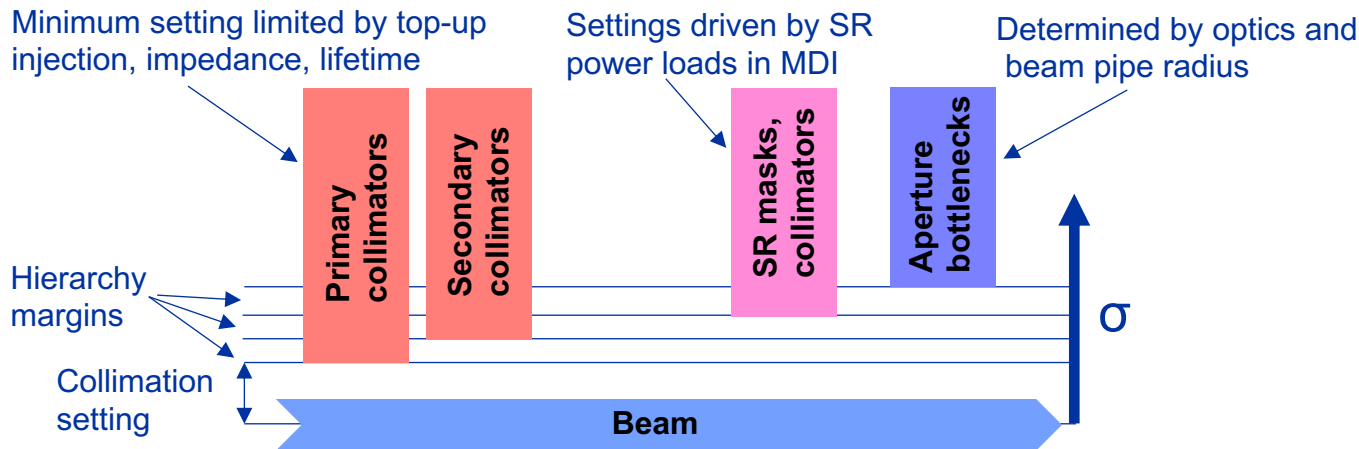
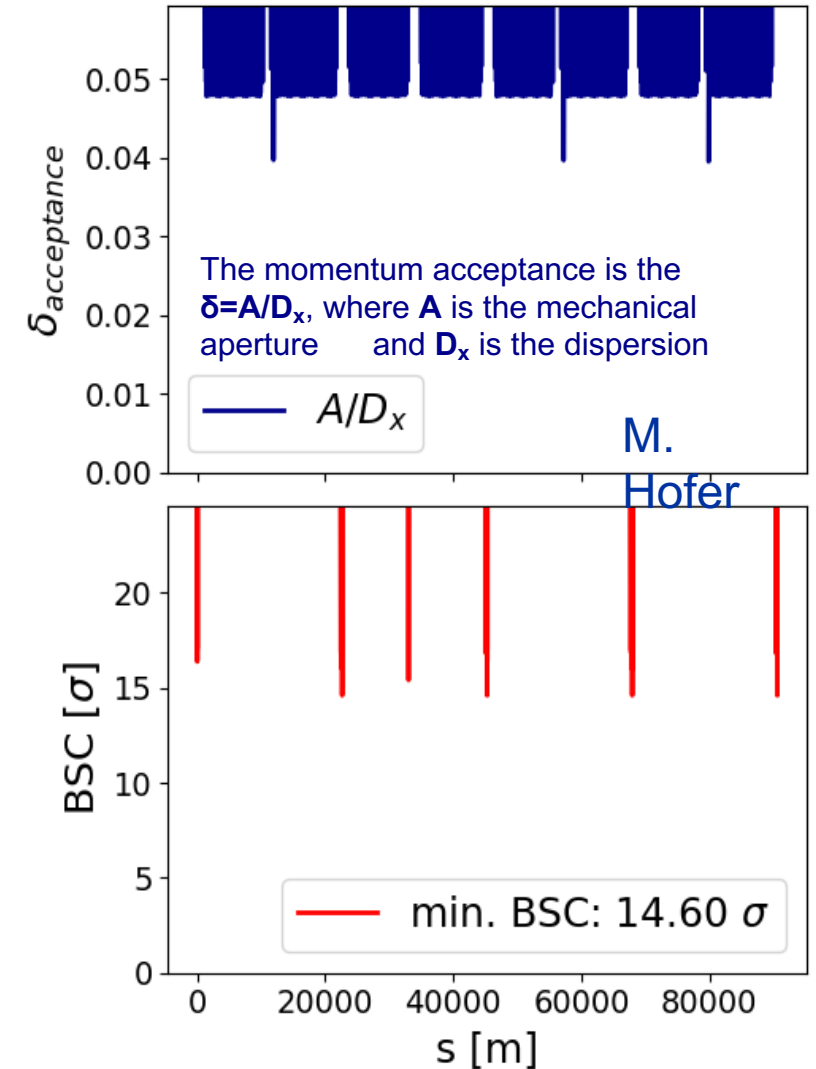
- 6 collimators and 2 masks upstream of the IPs (K. André)
- Designed to absorb SR photons



# FCC-ee aperture

- The aperture bottlenecks are in the experimental interaction regions (IRs)
  - Depend on the optics, layout, and mechanical aperture in the IRs
- The bottlenecks must be protected
  - The final focus quadrupoles are superconducting and there is a risk of quenches
  - The detector is sensitive to backgrounds from beam losses
  - The SR collimators and masks are not robust to large direct beam impacts, can also produce backgrounds

Aperture bottleneck for Z-operation mode



# FCC-ee halo collimation

## • Collimation system optics and settings

- Based on a triple double doublet (tridodo) scheme by [M. Hofer](#)
- Designed to maintain optimal collimator phase advances at acceptable mechanical gaps and flat  $\beta$ -functions at primary collimators
- Compatible with the new V23 layout, improved dynamic aperture

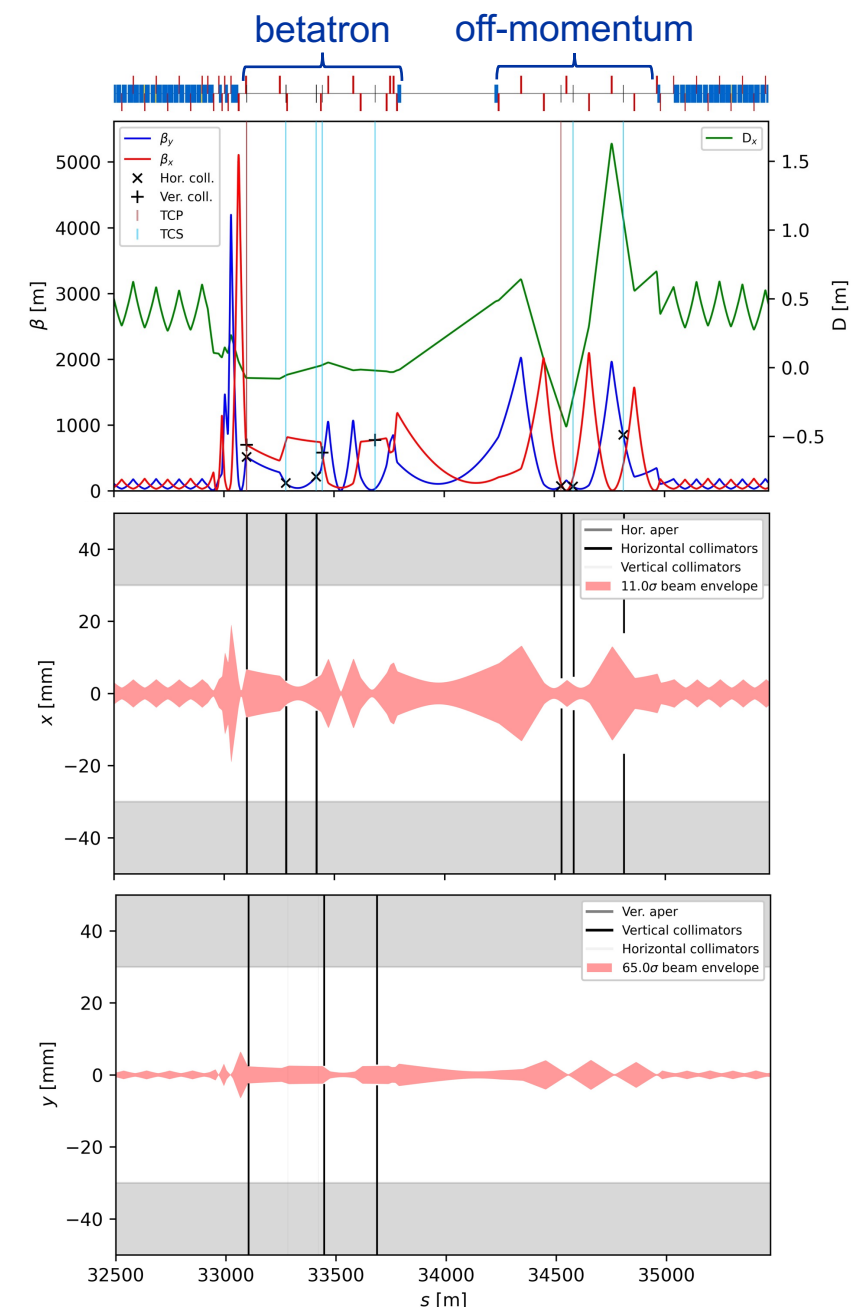
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TCS.H2.B1	H	Mo	30	13	5.1	90.6
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TCS.HP1.B1	H	Mo	30	21.5	4.7	2.1
TCS.HP2.B1	H	Mo	30	21.5	26.7	1.6

### Beam halo collimator parameters and settings

Note: 25 cm primary collimators adopted ([FCC week 23 talk](#))

V23, tridodo\_572 collimation optics, <https://gitlab.cern.ch/mihofer/fcc-ee-collimation-lattice>

G. Broggi



# FCC-ee IR losses

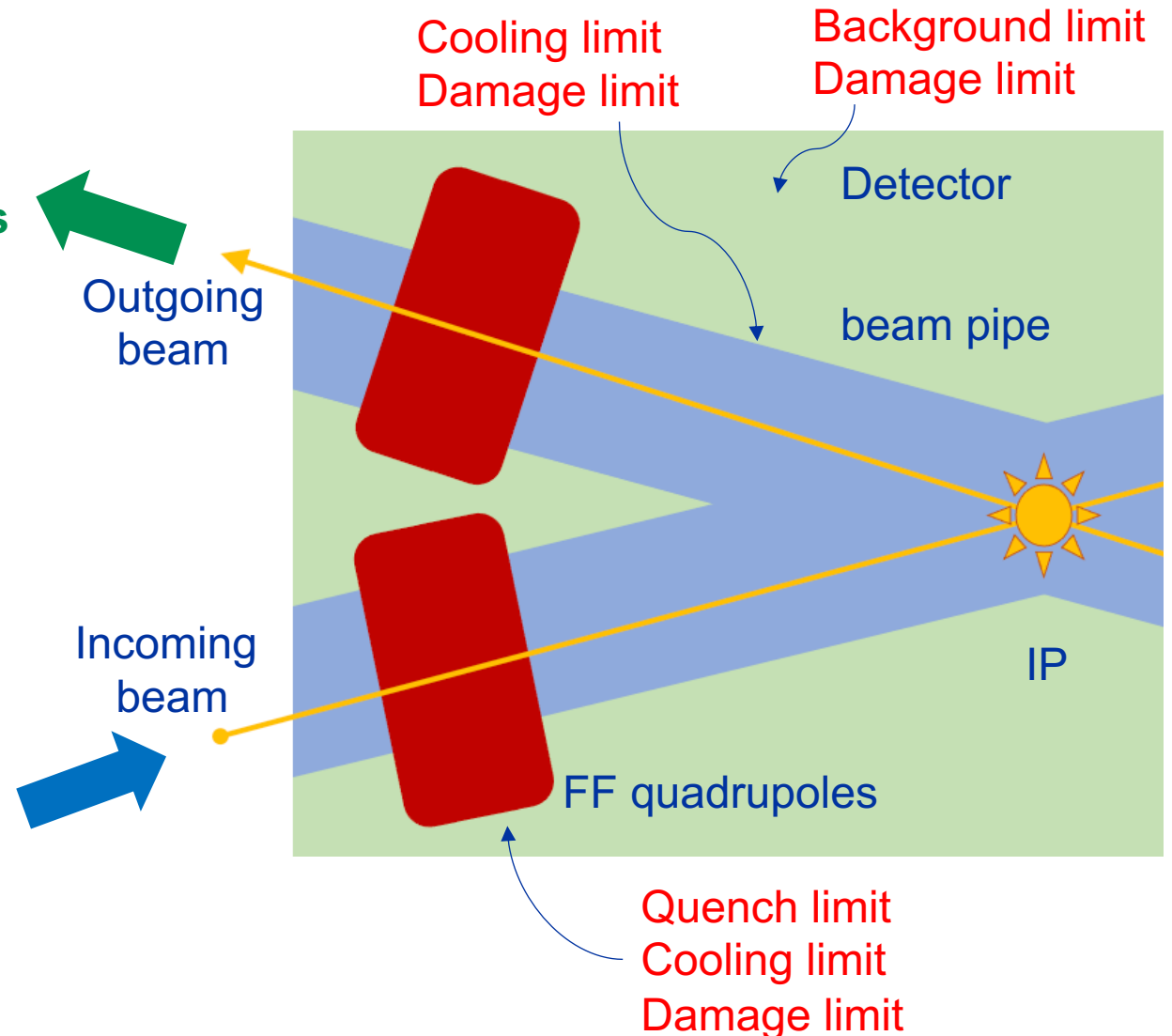
See talks today by [K. André](#) and [A. Frasca](#) and talk by [H. Burkhardt](#), FCC-EIC workshop '22

- Spent beam (Bhabha, Beamstrahlung)
- Beamstrahlung photons
- Synchrotron radiation
- Beam and photon losses due to failures



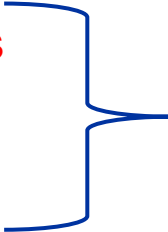
- Synchrotron radiation (core beam, tails, inj. beam, ...)

Collimation study

- Beam halo
- Injected beam
- Long-range spent beam
- Touschek, beam gas tails
- Beam losses due to failures
- Local beam gas, thermal photons
- Wakefield heating
- Other



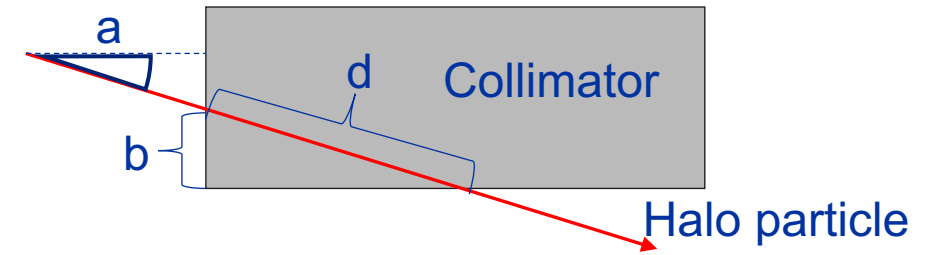
# FCC-ee beam loss scenarios

- **The FCC-ee will operate in a unique regime**
  - Electron / positron beam dynamics and beam-matter interactions
  - Stored beam energy exceeding material damage limits
  - Superconducting final focus quadrupoles, crab sextupoles, and RF cavities
  - Must study the beam loss processes and define the ones to protect against
  - Must study the equipment loss tolerances, for both regular and accidental losses
- **Important loss scenarios for particle tracking studies:**
  - **Beam halo**  Current studies
  - **Spent beam due to collision processes** (Beamstrahlung, Bhabha scattering)  Preliminary consideration
  - Beam tails from Touschek scattering and beam-gas interactions
  - Top-up injection
  - Failure modes (injection failures, asynchronous dump, others)

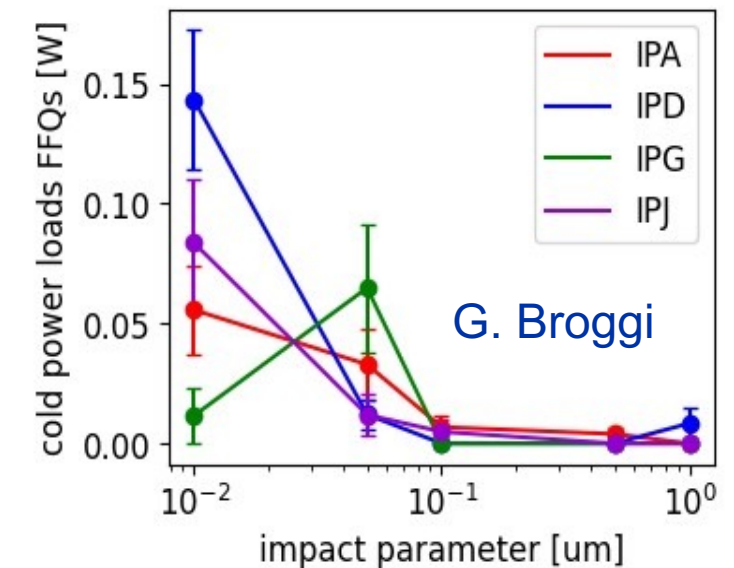
Setting up studies,  
Inputs required to set  
up models

# Current study: beam halo losses

- “Generic beam halo” beam loss scenario:
  - Specify a minimum beam lifetime that must be sustained during normal operation
    - Preliminary specification of a **5 minute lifetime**
  - Assume a **slow loss process** – halo particles always intercepted by the primary collimators
  - The loss process is not simulated, all particles start impacting a collimator
    - Track the particles scattered out from the collimator and record losses on the aperture
  - Currently using **1  $\mu\text{m}$  impact parameter** as standard
    - Selected to give a conservative performance estimate
    - Impact parameter scans ongoing



a = angle of incidence  
b = impact parameter  
d = distance traversed



Impact parameter scan (Z mode) tridodo\_572

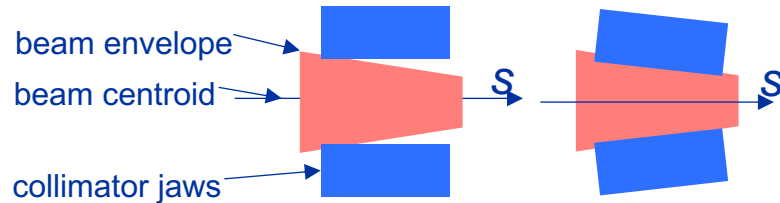


# Beam halo losses for the Z mode

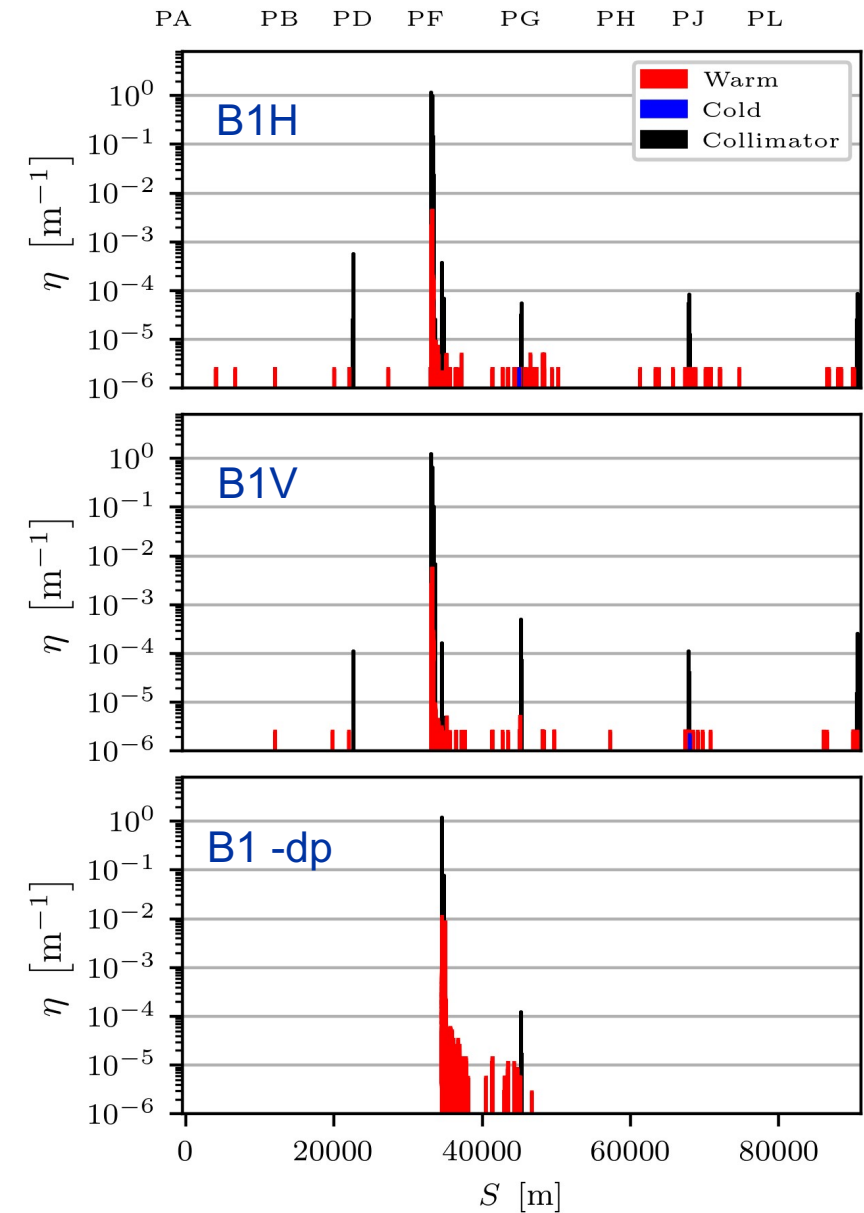
- The Z mode is the current focus (Beam 1, 45.6 GeV, e<sup>+</sup>), **17.5 MJ** stored beam energy
- The **5 minute** beam lifetime → total loss power **58.3 kW**

- 3 cases considered:
  - Horizontal betatron losses (B1H)
  - Vertical betatron losses (B1V)
  - Off-momentum losses  $\delta < 0$  (B1-dp)

- For the off-momentum case, using a tilted collimator, aligned to the beam divergence



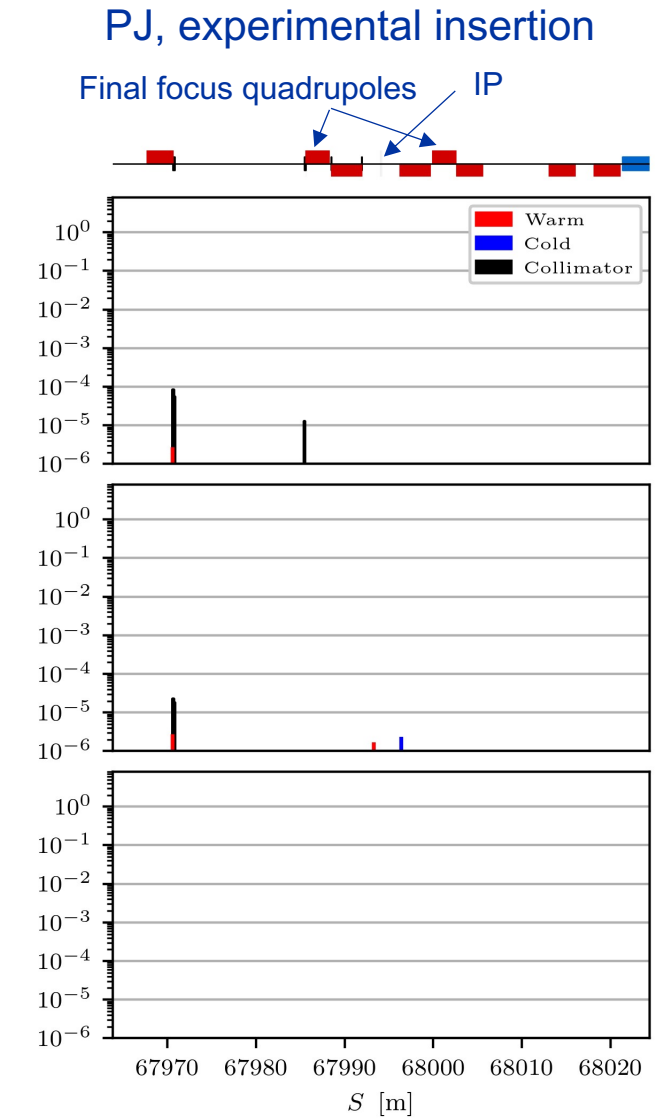
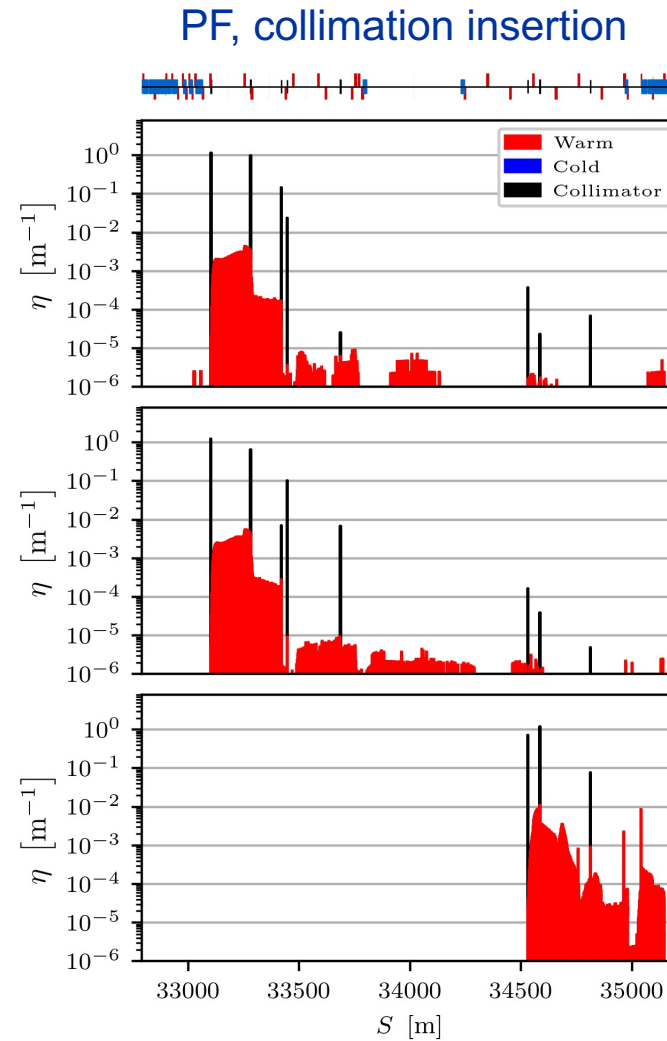
- Good loss cleaning performance observed
  - Minimal losses on the final focus quadrupoles in all scenarios
  - Residual losses on superconducting crab sextupoles



Z-mode betatron and off-momentum halo loss maps

# Beam halo losses for the Z mode

- The beam collimation system shows significant loss suppression
  - More than **99.96%** of losses contained within the collimation insertion PF
  - Almost no losses reach any of the IRs
  - Energy deposition studies and thermo-mechanical studies are required for the collimators and most exposed magnets
- Collaborative studies ongoing:
  - IR loss optimization ([G. Broggi](#))
  - Detector backgrounds ([A. Ciarma](#), [FCC week 23 talk](#))
  - Impedance ([M. Migliorati](#), [FCCIS 23 talk](#))
  - Energy deposition & thermomechanical studies ([G. Lerner](#), [A. Frasca](#), [R. Andrade](#))
  - Studies provide input to a detailed, iterative design effort

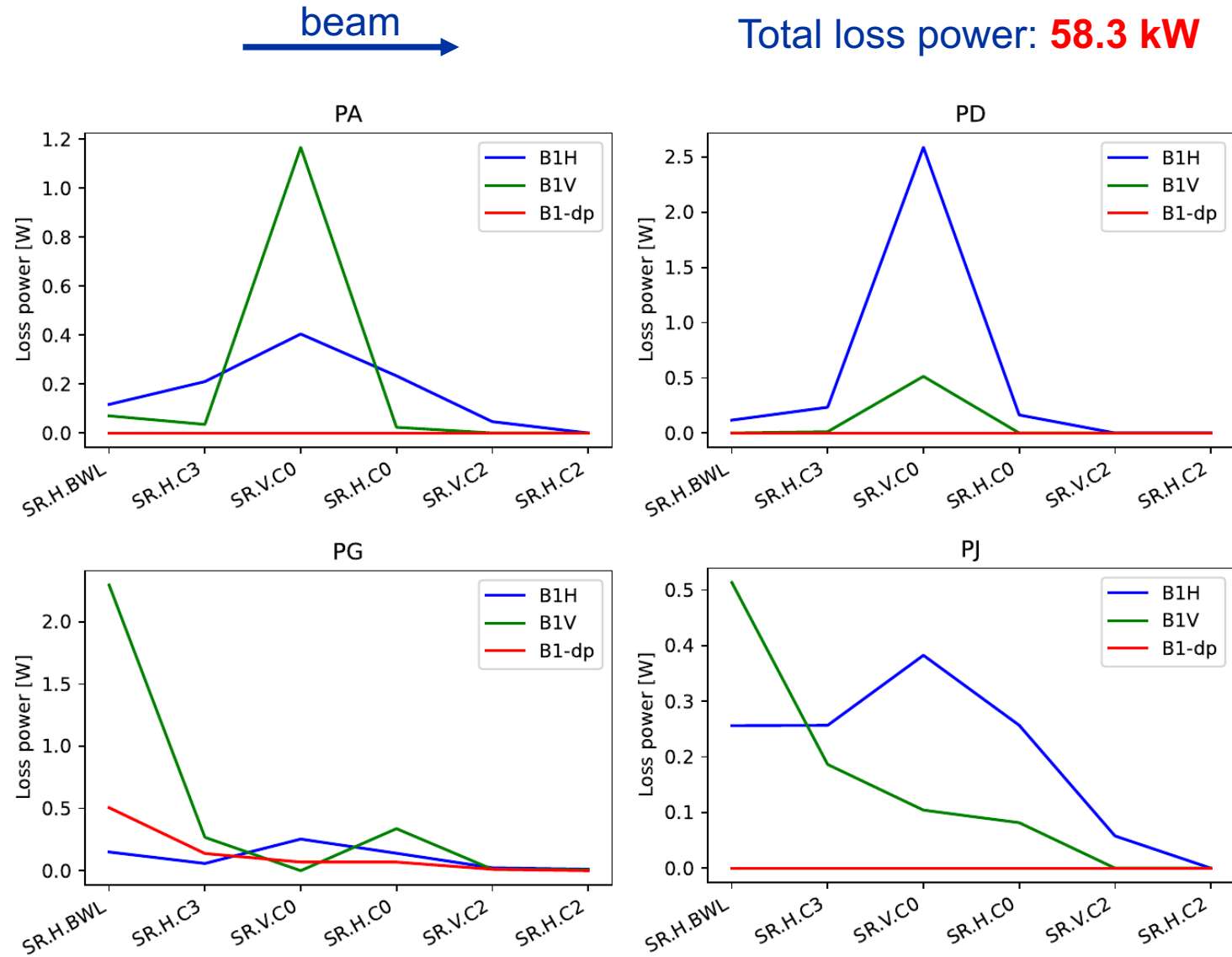
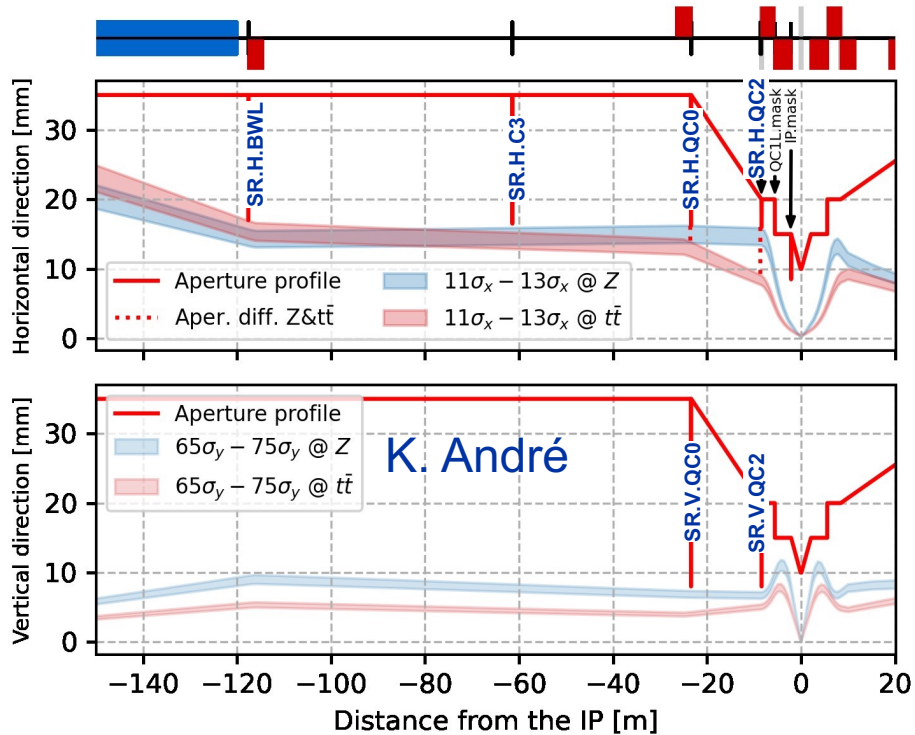


Z-mode betatron halo loss maps for selected regions

# Z mode losses on SR collimators

- The SR collimators intercept losses for all cases

- Highest load on C0 vertical and BWL horizontal SR collimators, up to 2.6 W
- Lowest load on C2 horizontal and vertical SR collimators



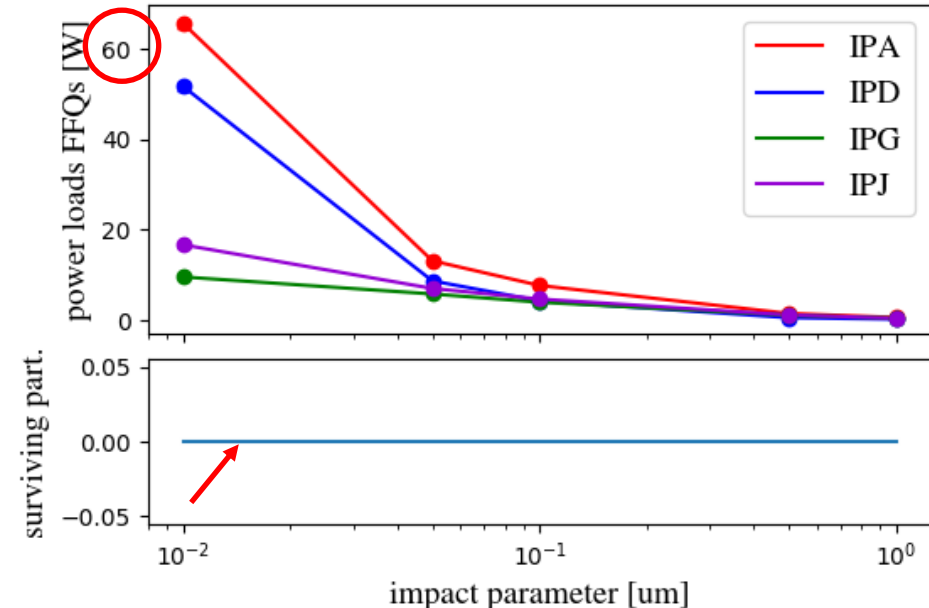
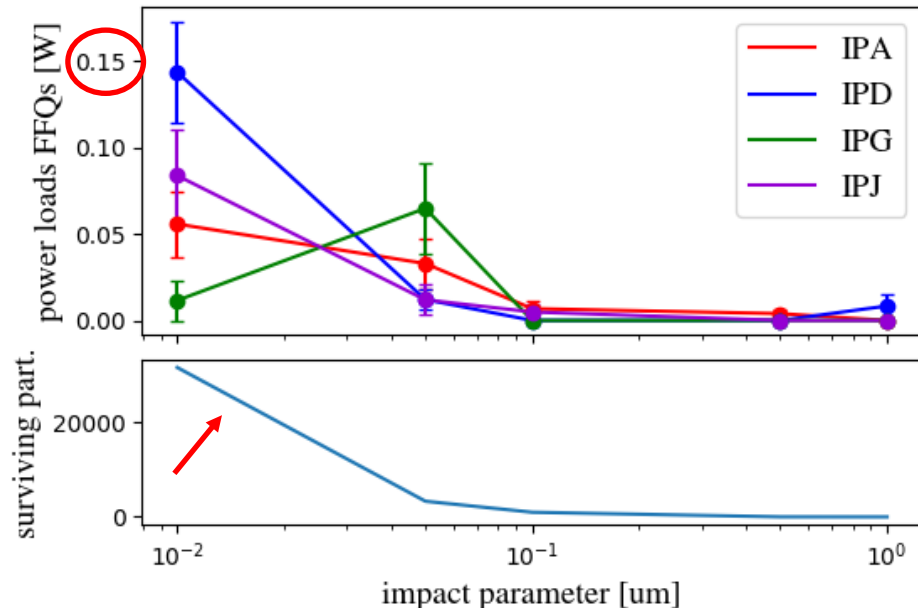
# Z mode impact parameter scan

- Using **1  $\mu\text{m}$  impact parameter**, but also studying the sensitivity with impact parameter scans
  - $5 \times 10^6$  primary particles tracked for 700 turns at each step
- The new lattice and collimation system demonstrates lower losses across the board
  - Most likely due to the new collimation insertion optics and better resulting dynamic aperture ([M. Hofer](#))
  - Absence of a clear critical impact parameter  $b > 0 \mu\text{m}$ , which presents challenges for modelling
  - Surface roughness effects not considered – can play a role for  $b \lesssim 0.1 \mu\text{m}$**

V23, tridodo\_572 collimation optics

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V22, splitinsertion\_529 collimation optics

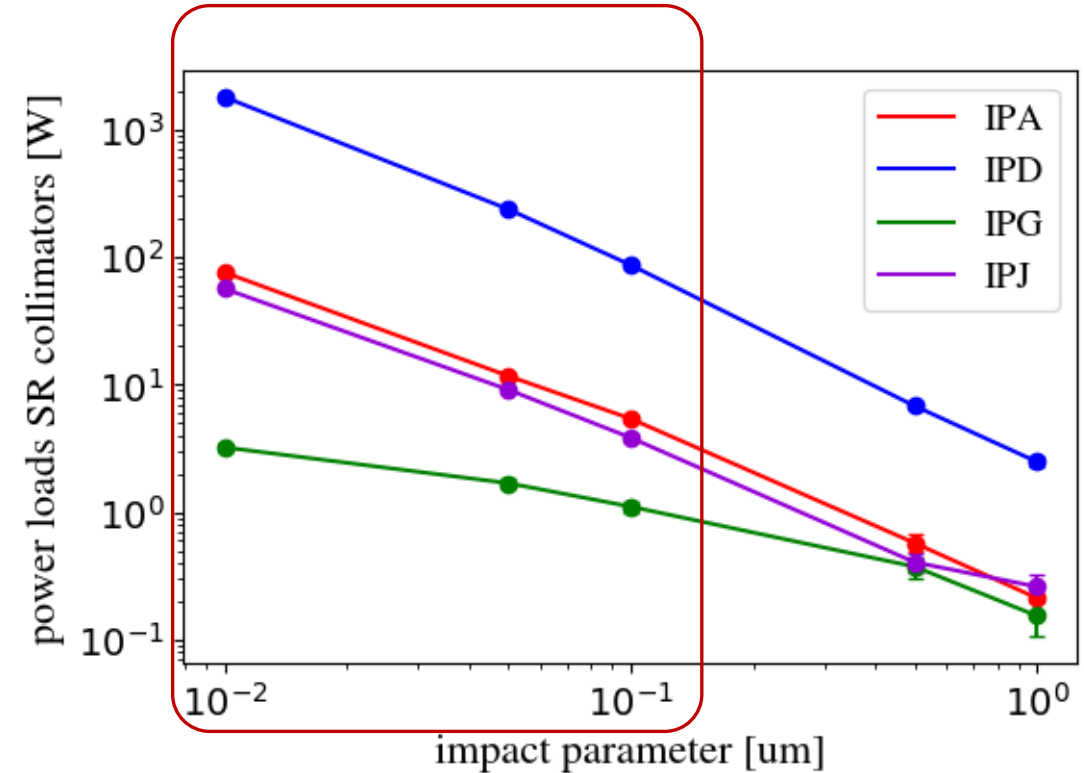


FCC week 23, talk

# Z mode impact parameter scan

- Near total absence of losses on FFQs and the detector region with the latest configuration
- Losses on the SR collimators is another aspect that might be critical for the IR
  - SR collimators are likely not robust to large beam losses
  - Higher power loads require more cooling
  - The SR collimators can be a source of backgrounds for the detectors
- **Power loads on SR collimators**
  - SR collimators in PD are most exposed to beam halo losses
  - Up to **1.8 kW** on a single SR collimator for the **10 nm** impact parameter case
  - Particle-collimator interaction modelling at  **$b \lesssim 0.1 \mu\text{m}$**  may be incomplete, so this value is likely pessimistic
  - Further studies are required

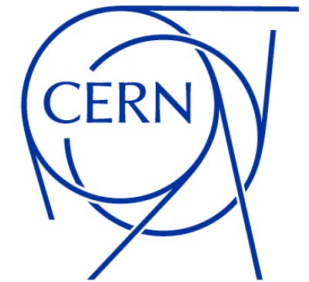
N.B. Material and surface properties, and physics list settings are important in this region. The values are preliminary.



# Collimation and beam-beam effects

- **Interactions at the IPs have a crucial role in FCC-ee beam dynamics**
  - Beamstrahlung, radiative Bhabha scattering, beam-beam kicks
  - Main contribution to the beam lifetime in nominal operation
  - Produce distinct beam loss distributions around the ring
- **Large effort to model these effects in Xsuite** (P. Kicsiny, X. Buffat, T. Pieloni)
  - See [talk](#) by P. Kicsiny this week
  - EPFL-led effort, part of a CHART-funded FCC software collaboration project
  - Recent benchmarks show good agreement with established tools
  - The models are modular and can be combined with other studies
- **Goal: integrate beam-beam effects in collimation tracking studies**
  - Long-range loss distribution from spent beam
  - Effect of beam-beam interaction on distributions during collimation tracking

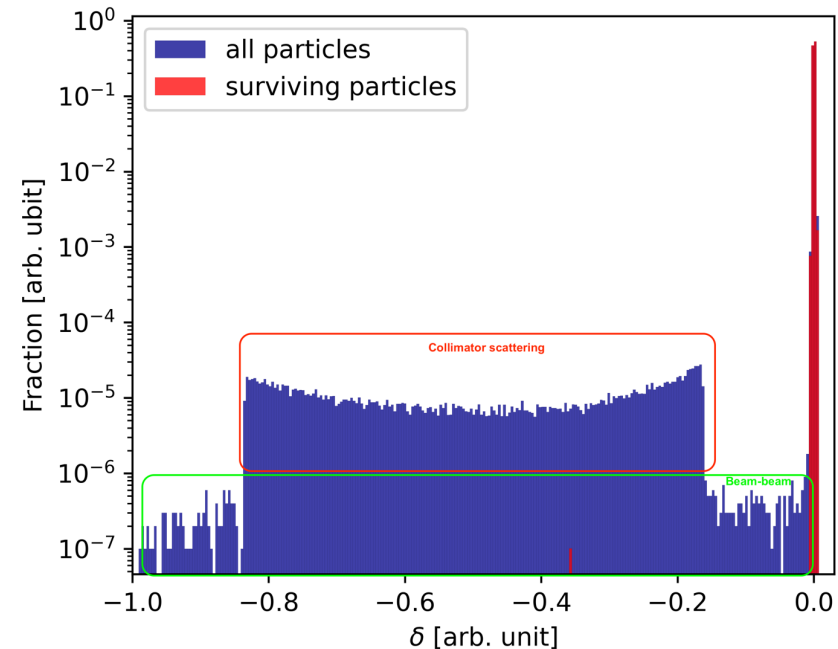
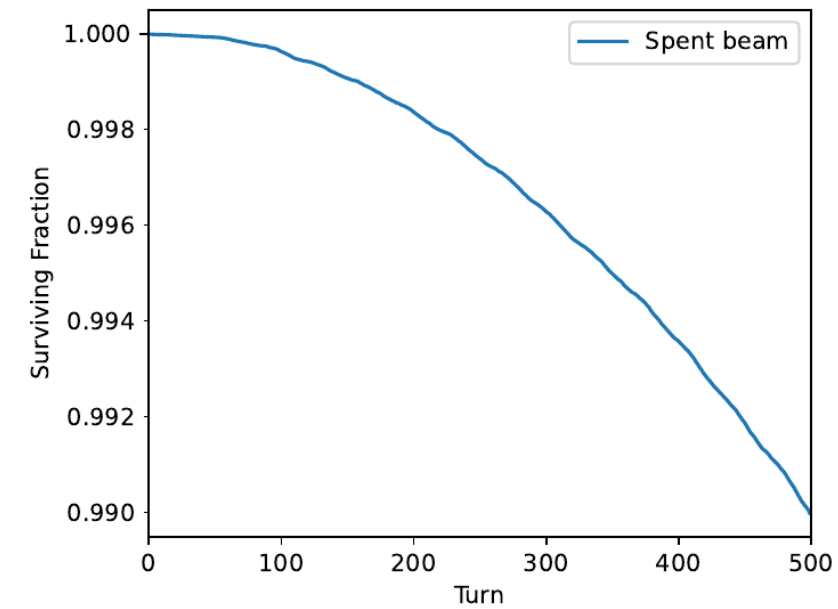
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# FCC-ee Z-mode spent beam losses

- Study for the first time collimation with beam-beam integrated
  - Full non-linear lattice, crab-waist, detailed aperture and collimator models, radiation and tapering, weak-strong beam-beam, Beamstrahlung, and Bhabha scattering in 4 IPs
- Initial run carried out:
  - Clockwise beam 1 (positrons), 45.6 GeV
  - Track a matched Gaussian beam of  $10^7$  primary positrons from IPA for 500 turns
  - Equilibrium beam-beam emittance and bunch length, no coupling
  - Cumulative loss over 500 turns is  $\sim 1\%$ , **check in detail**:
    - The full aperture and collimator model, worse DA and MA due to inclusion of the collimation insertion optics, and the lack of vertical emittance generation from the lattice likely play a role
  - Only the loss distribution along the ring is considered, the lifetime from the simulation is not used:  
**cannot estimate the lifetime from this simulation**

PRELIMINARY



# FCC-ee Z-mode spent beam losses

- **Lost particles accumulated to obtain loss maps**
  - The loss maps are scaled to the combined nominal beam lifetime from lattice, SR, beamstrahlung and luminosity
- **Significant losses observed on SR collimators**
  - Large losses on the vertical SR.C0 collimators in PD, PA and PJ
  - Up to **3.4 kW** on a SR collimator, investigate the source
- **These are first preliminary results; detailed analysis will be carried out**

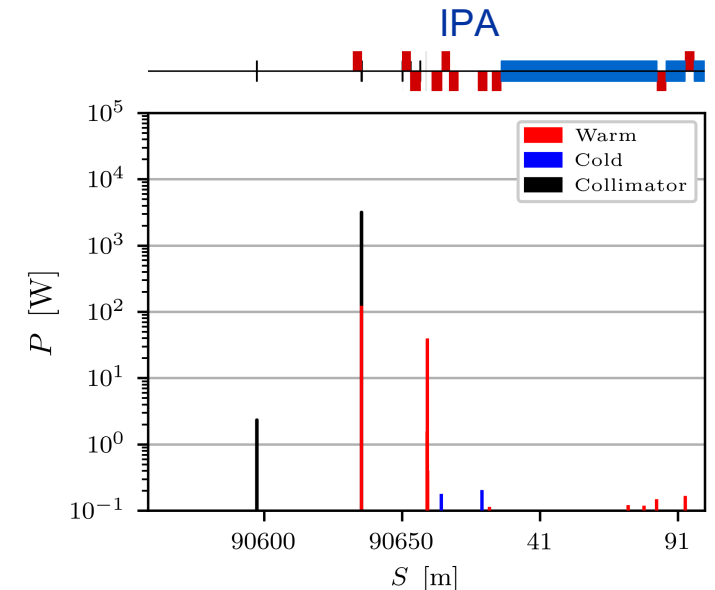
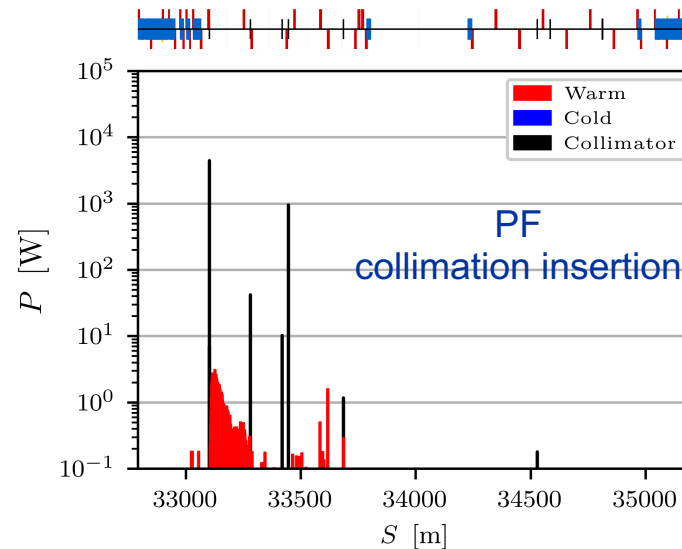
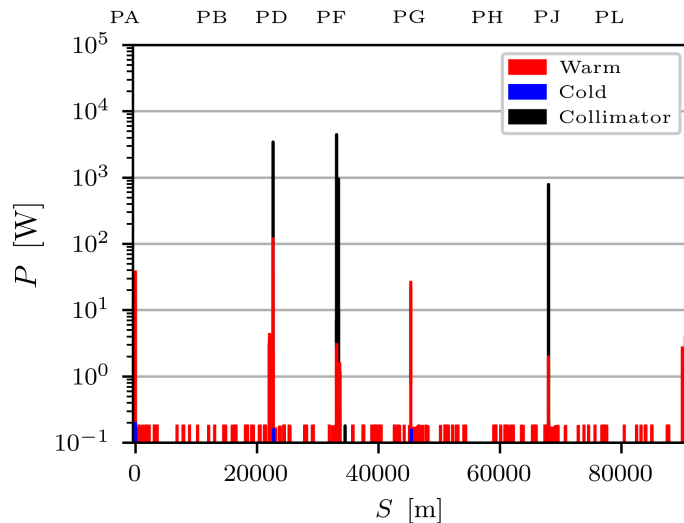
Lifetime for the Z mode, [K. Oide talk](#)

Lifetime (q + BS + lattice)	[sec]	10000
Lifetime (lum) <sup>b</sup>	[sec]	1330

$$\tau^{-1} = \frac{1}{\tau_{q+BS+lattice}} + \frac{1}{\tau_{lum}}$$

Beam lifetime: **1174 sec** → Total loss power: **15 kW**

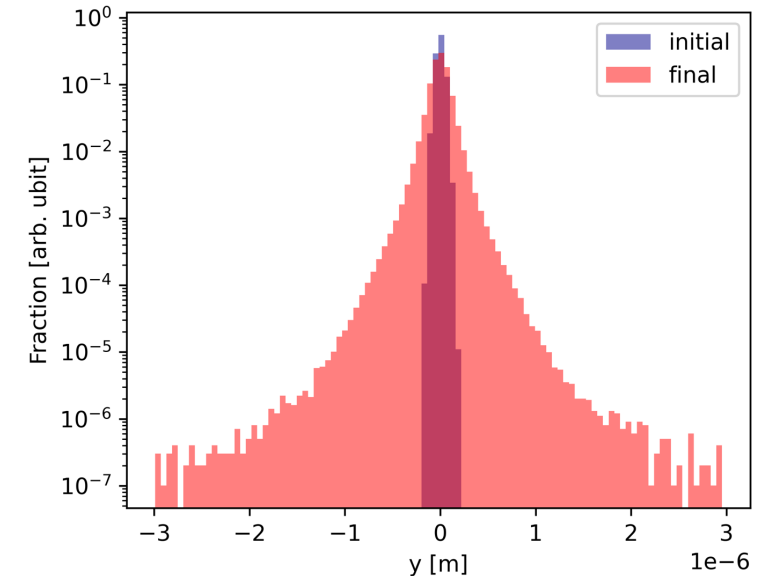
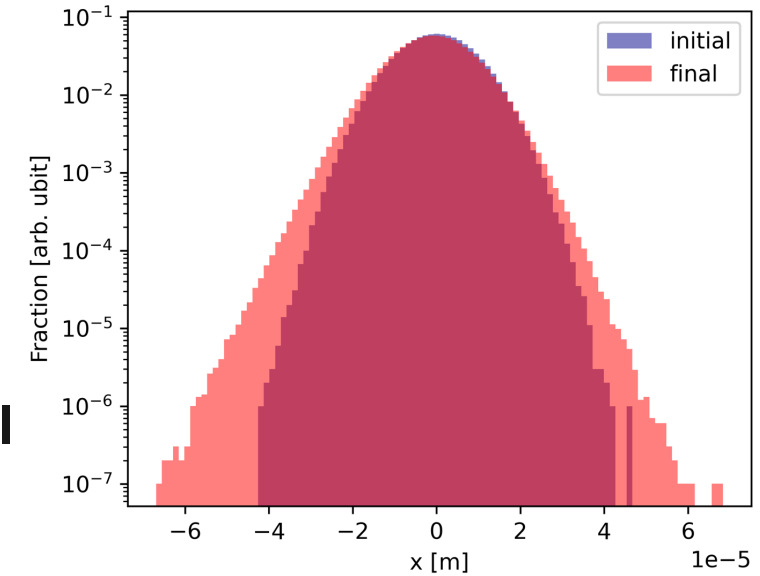
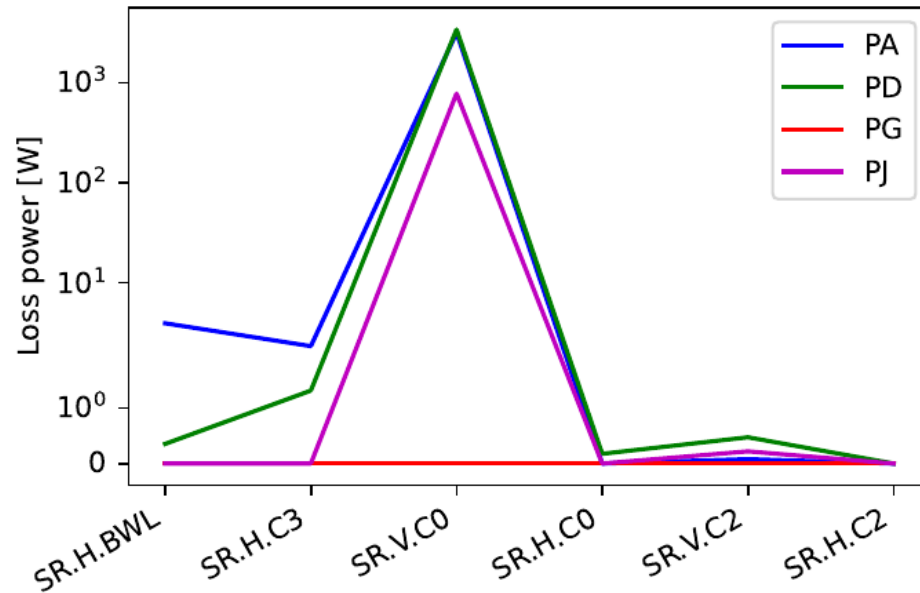
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# FCC-ee Z-mode spent beam losses

- The high losses on SR collimators are in the vertical plane
- The losses are driven by a strong blow-up in the vertical
  - This blow-up is not expected
  - Check in detail settings for the beam-beam elements and the crab sextupoles
- **While preliminary, the first results demonstrate the feasibility of combining collimation and beam-beam studies in the same model**



Transverse distribution after 500 turns

# FCC-ee collimation summary

- **Studies of IR beam losses and collimation for the FCC-ee**
  - The collimation system design is available, including beam halo and SR collimators
    - Adapted to the latest layout and lattice baseline, new collimation optics implemented
  - Crucial beam loss scenarios identified, with studies ongoing:
    - Beam halo losses studied for the most critical Z mode, no show-stoppers identified
      - Improved collimation performance with respect to the previous baseline
      - Ongoing collaboration with the MDI, impedance, engineering, FLUKA studies team
    - First integrated beam-beam and collimation studies
      - Preliminary results available, but further studies are required
- **Next steps**
  - Study other beam loss scenarios – top-up injection, beam-gas, failure scenarios
  - Obtain input for the equipment loss tolerances – superconducting magnets, collimators, other
    - Energy deposition studies required for magnets, collimators, and masks
    - Tolerance of the detectors to backgrounds required
  - Study all beam modes

Need input from PED experts

# Thank you!