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Machine Interlock and Beam Abort System for SLS 2.0

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 - Decelerate beam
 - Dispersive orbit
 - Distributed losses at restrictive apertures
 - Septum blade
 - High-dispersion TBA-arcs

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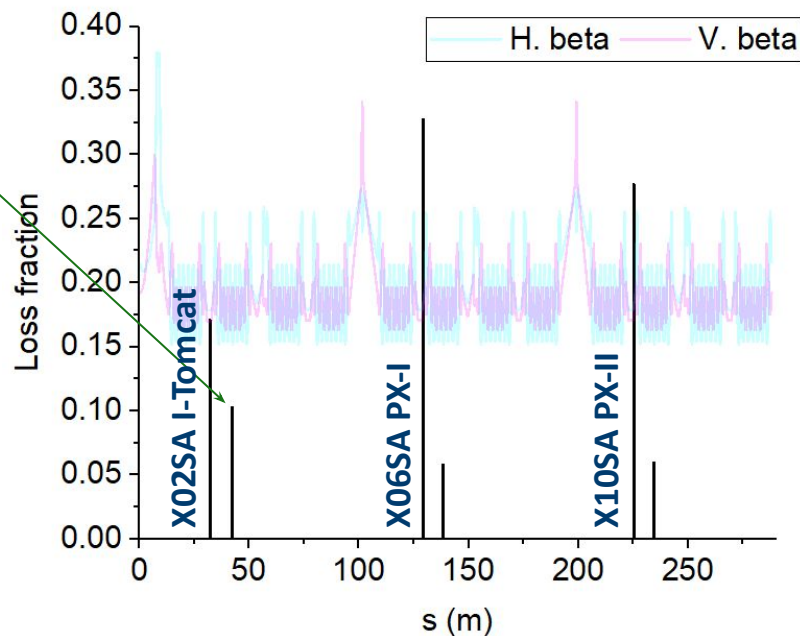
Introduction: The SLS 2.0 Beam Abort System

Tracking simulations for RF phase inversion show

- Loss localization at **IVU** & **SC superbend** (Arc **1, 2, 6, 10**)
- Fragile, 1 mm copper vacuum chamber
 - ➔ **RF phase inversion beam dump not applicable**
- Coasting beams lost after 300 turns (RF trips)
- Decelerated beams lost in 100 turns (PSYS interlocks)
 - ➔ **Beam dump delay < 100 μs required**
 - ➔ **Fast beam dump controller bypassing slow PLCs**

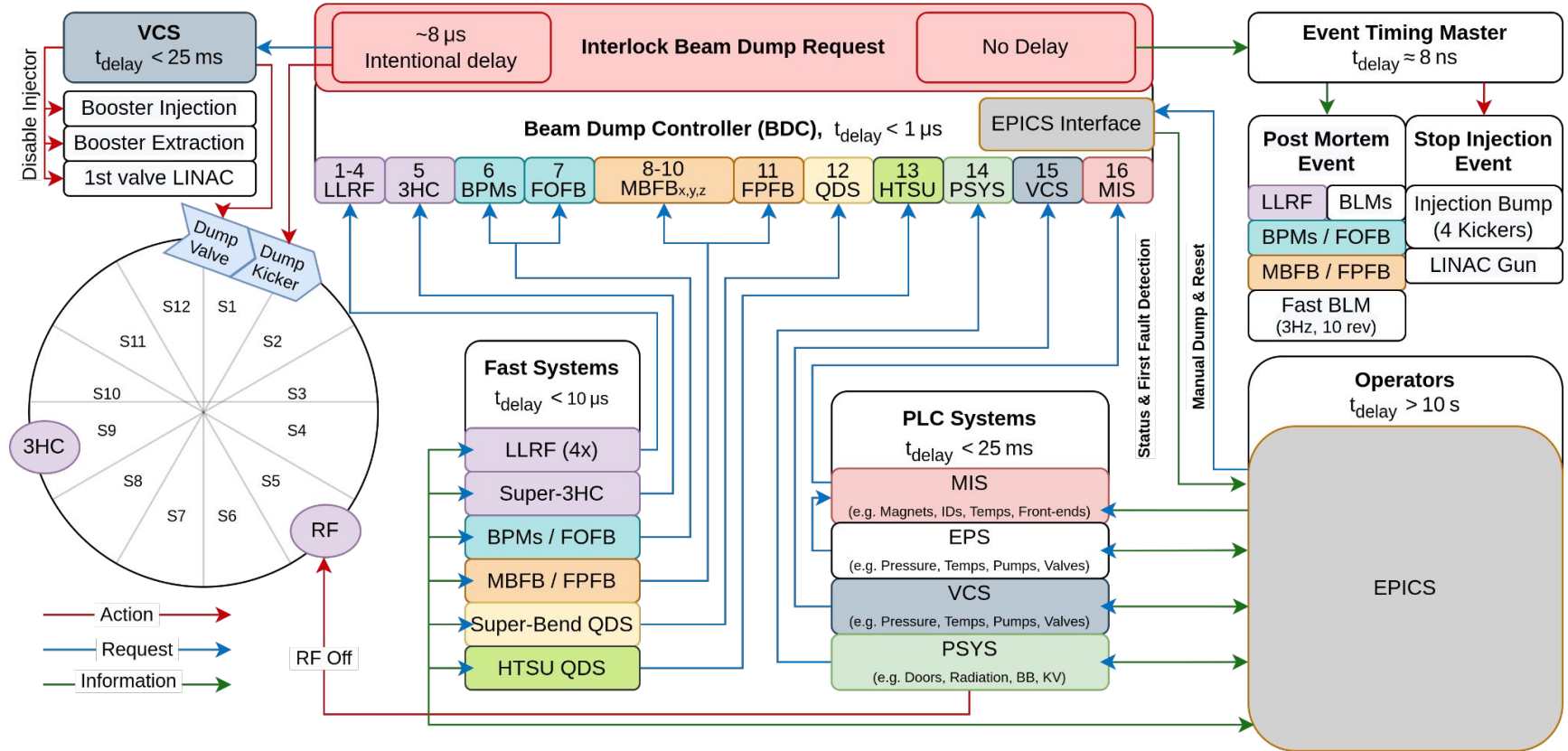
Destructive potential of stored beam

- 400mA @ 2.7GeV (from 2.4 GeV) = 1 kJ beam energy
- Emittance 157 pm (from 5500 pm)
- APS tungsten scraper experiments (2 kJ)
- SPring-8 Injection chamber vacuum leak with low-emittance optics (4 kJ)
 - ➔ **Dedicated kicker and dump for “bunch painting”**
 - ➔ **Stored beam itself becomes machine protection aspect like synchrotron radiation and beam loading**



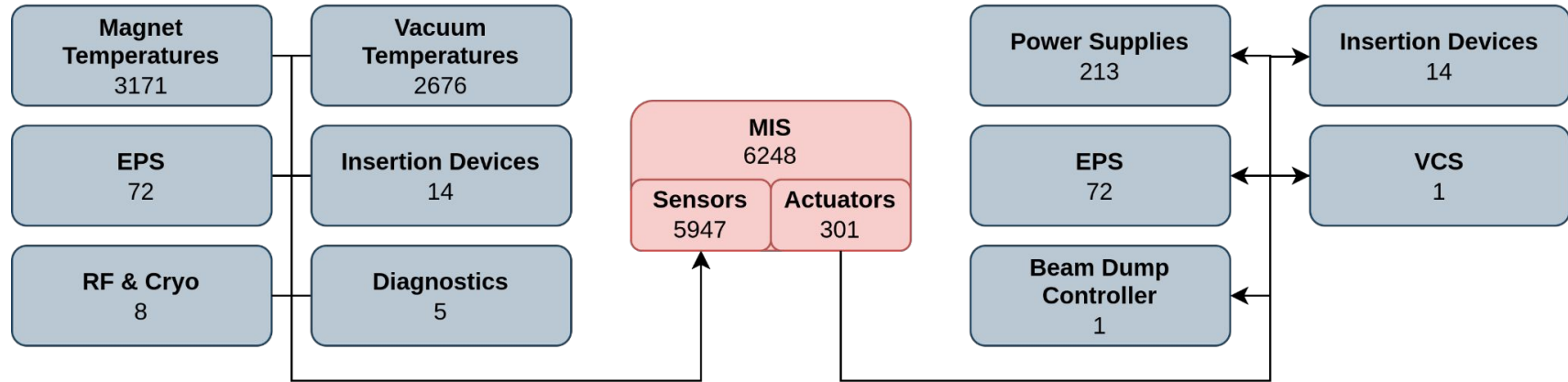
Longitudinal distribution of beam loss after RF phase inversion

Interlock Systems: Overview Schematic



→ For fast systems the total delay time from failure detection until completion of the interlock beam dump must be less than 100 μ s

Interlock Systems: Machine Interlock System

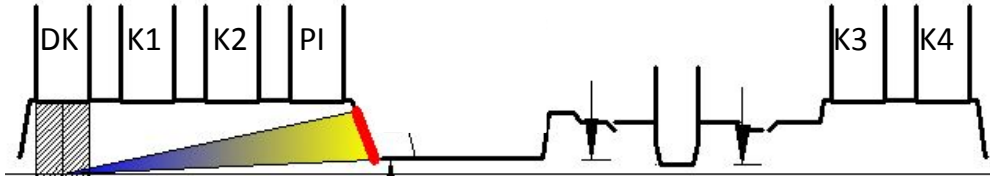


The Machine Interlock System (MIS)

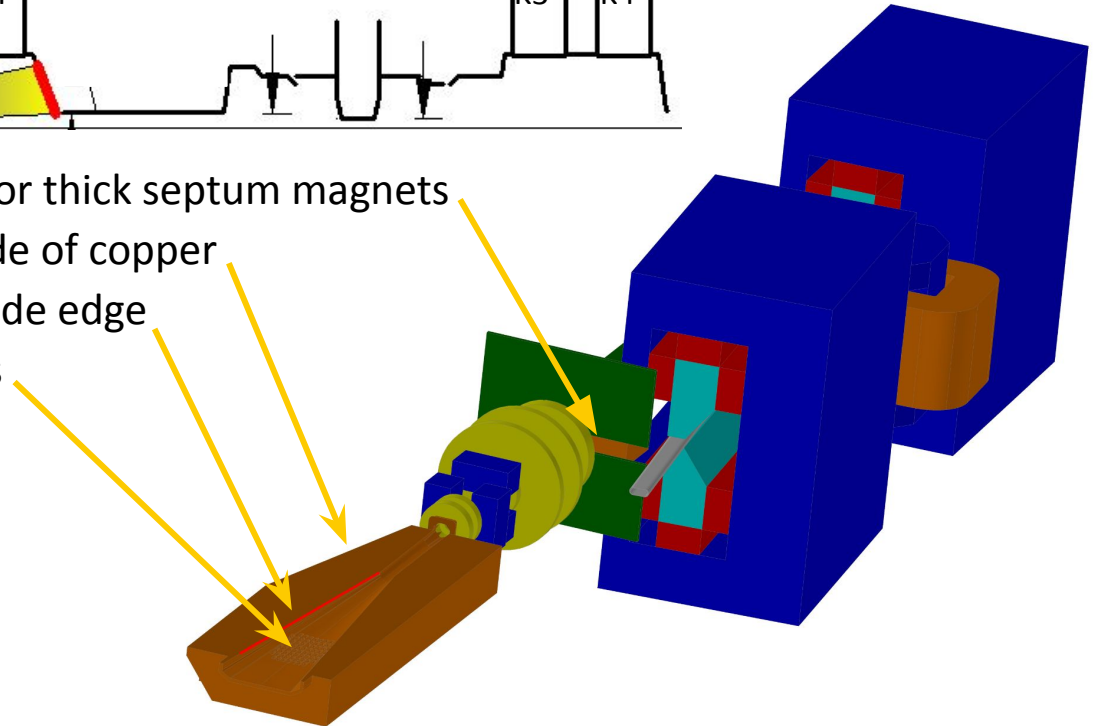
- Monitors the sensors and provides beam permits to the actuators
- Storage ring sensor signals in the tunnel are combined via profinet for each sector
- Extrapolating from experience with the SLS MIS, 90 dumps / year are expected during user operation

Beam Abort System: Dedicated Dump

The dedicated beam dump is located upstream of the thick septum in the injection straight



- Additional shielding block for thick septum magnets
- Dedicated beam dump made of copper
- Bunches spread along outside edge
- Integrated dual pump ports

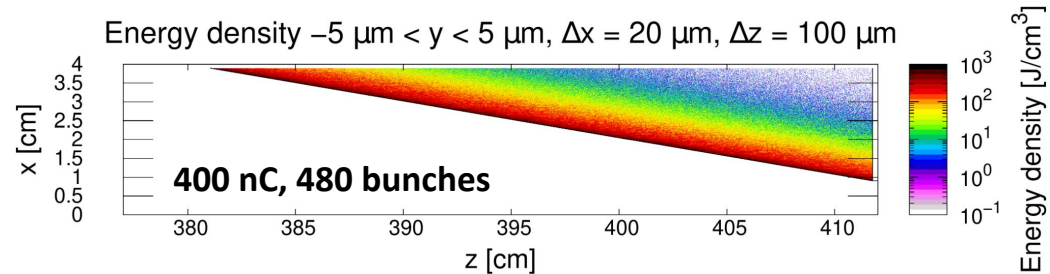
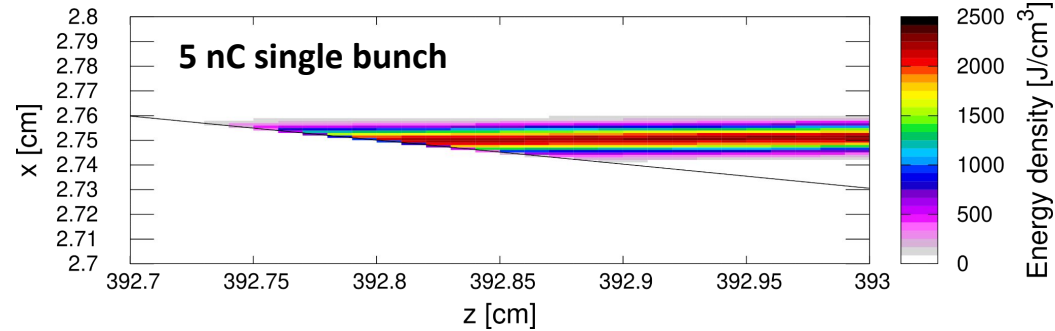


Beam Abort System: Energy Deposition

Beam Parameters

E	2.7 GeV
σ_x	35 μm
σ_y	11 μm

→ Dump kicker pulse spreads bunches over **331 mm** on the beam dump



	FLUKA	Formula* [1]
5 nC single Bunch	~ 2300 J/cm ³	~ 3530 J/cm ³
400 mA stored	~ 1000 J/cm ³	~ 588 J/cm ³

*Angle of incidence and super-imposition of multiple bunches and their particle showers not taken into account

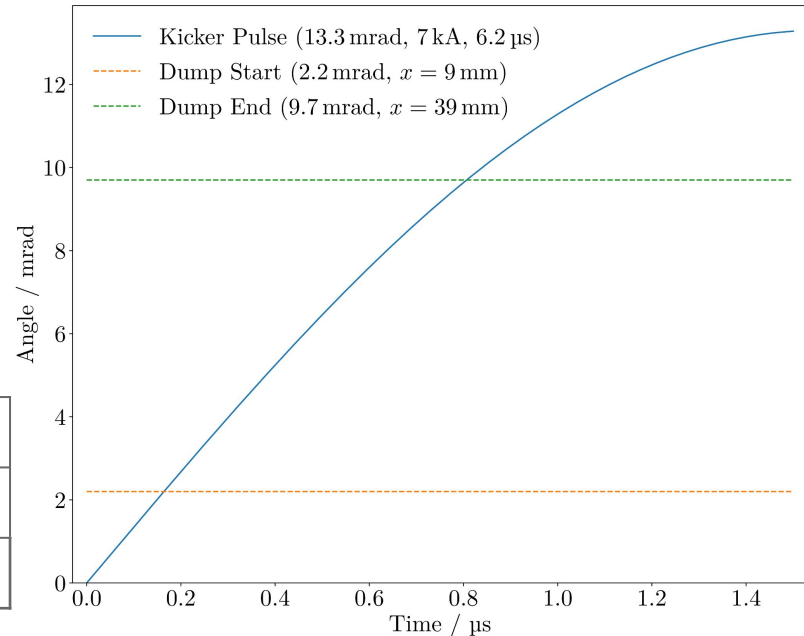
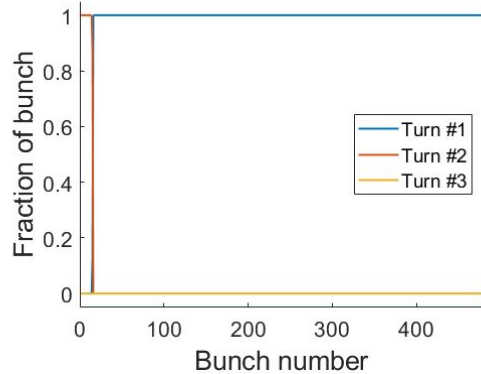
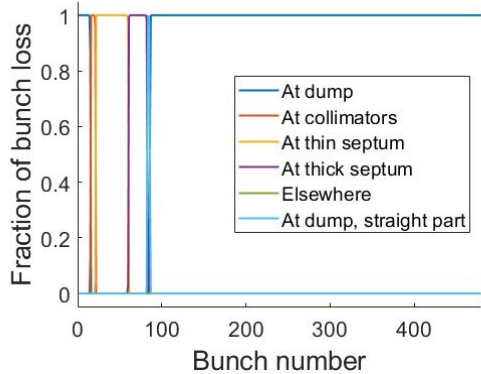
→ No heat diffusion ($< 1 \mu\text{s}$)

→ Neglecting heat of melting 3.6 kJ/cm³ is limit

[1] M. Borland, J. Dooling, R. Lindberg, V. Sajaev, A. Xiao, "Using Decoherence to Prevent Damage to the Swap-Out Dump for the APS Upgrade", in Proceedings of 9th IPAC, 2018, Vancouver, BC, Canada

Beam Abort System: Loss Distribution

→ Interlock beam dump loss distribution remains unchanged for horizontal or vertical orbit distortions of 500 μm peak to peak.



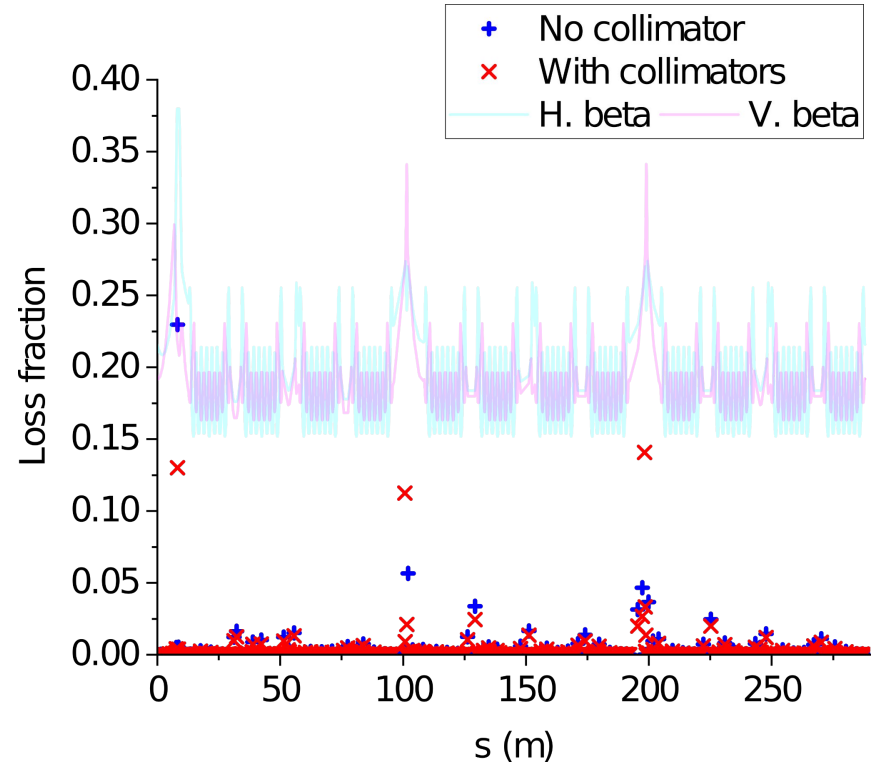
Orbit Distortion	Collimators	Thin septum	Thick septum	Dump	Elsewhere
Horizontal	1.2 ± 0.5 %	8.1 ± 0.1 %	4.3 ± 0.2 %	86.3 ± 0.5 %	0.0 ± 0.0 %
Vertical	1.3 ± 0.0 %	8.1 ± 0.0 %	4.4 ± 0.0 %	86.2 ± 0.0 %	0.0 ± 0.0 %

Losses: Continuous Loss Distribution

Inklusive loss map (Touschek, Bremss, Gas) for user operation with / without horizontal and vertical collimators at 5L and 9L

- Total Lifetime of 8 hours
 - With SC 3HC (2.6 x bunch lengthening)
 - Touschek scattering (Lifetime ~11.7 hours)
 - Gas scattering (Lifetime ~35 hours)
 - Bremsstrahlung (Lifetime ~90 hours)

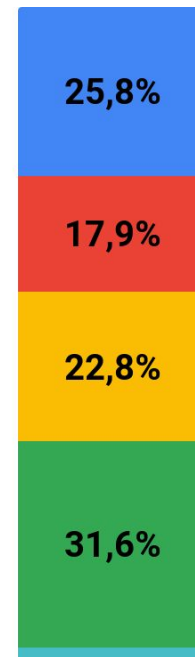
- Loss of 1200 mA per day
 - Due to finite beam lifetime
 - Stored beam of 400 mA
 - Frequent-refill Top-Up Scheme every 3 min



Losses: Overall Loss Distribution

	Dump *	Lifetime	Total
Lost beams per year	~ 210	~ 846	~ 1058
Lost charge per year	36 μC	338 μC	422 μC
Collimators 9L	< 1 %	17.4 %	13,9 %
Collimators 5L	< 1 %	12.1 %	9,7 %
Thin Septum Blade	< 1 %	13.4 %	12,3 %
Outer Thin Septum	8 %	< 1 %	
At Beam Dump	86 %	< 1 %	17,1 %
At Thick Septum	5 %	< 1 %	1 %
Elsewhere	< 1 %	57 %	45,7%

- * = ~90 interlock beam dumps
- + ~70 beam dumps after/before user operation
- + ~50 during machine development

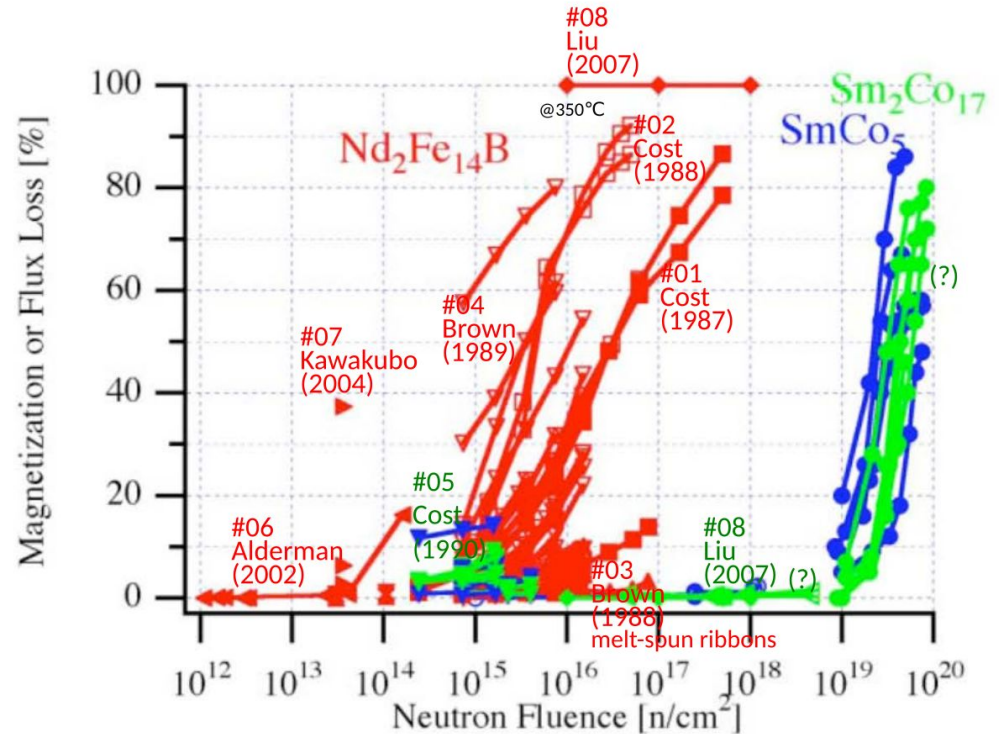


Beam loss distribution between the hotspots excluding the fraction lost "elsewhere"

Losses: Risk for Permanent Magnets

- Defining a safe / tolerable neutron fluence limit for permanent magnets is difficult
- Radiation damage demagnetization mechanisms complex with many variables
- Conservative limit following this plot (we use NdFeB)

➤ 10^{12} n/cm²



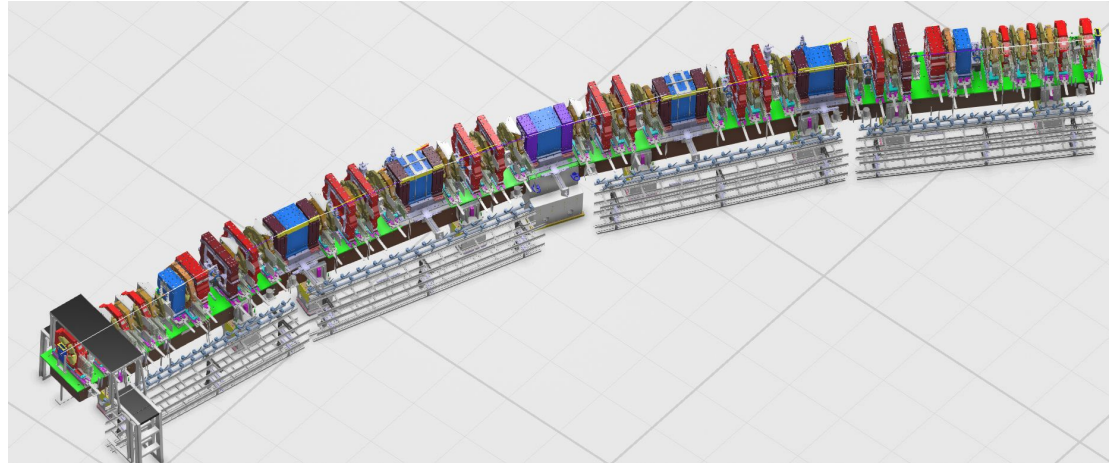
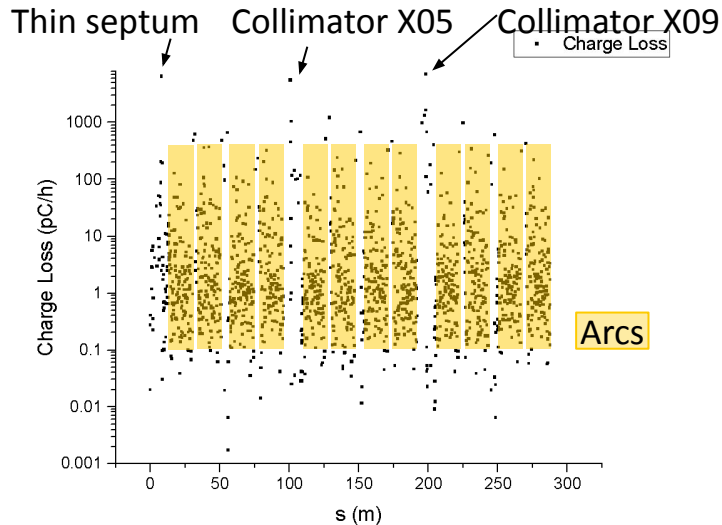
Demagnetisation as a function of neutron fluence in various experiments.

Plot originally shown in EPAC'2006 paper "65 MeV Neutron Irradiation of Nd-Fe-B Permanent Magnets" by X.-M. Maréchal et al (THPCH135) and updated in CLIC – Note – 1079 by Ben Shepherd.

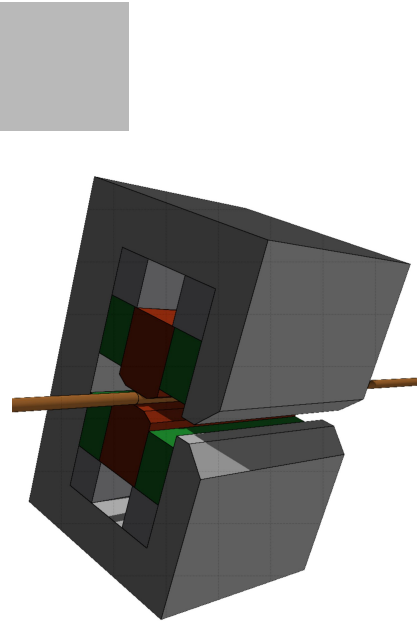
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Conservative Loss Approximation (Lifetime = 8 h, Beam Current = 400 mA, top up every 3 min)

- 1200 nC lost per day = $7.5e12$ electrons per day
 - 57 % lost at non-hotspots
 - assume even distribution to each arc (1/12)
 - assume even distribution to each bend (1/7)
 - add $4e5$ electrons per s from collimators
- $= 8.6e7$ electrons per s
 $= 4.9e7$ electrons per s
 $= 4.1e6$ electrons per s
 $= 5.8e5$ electrons per s
 $= 9.8e5$ electrons per s



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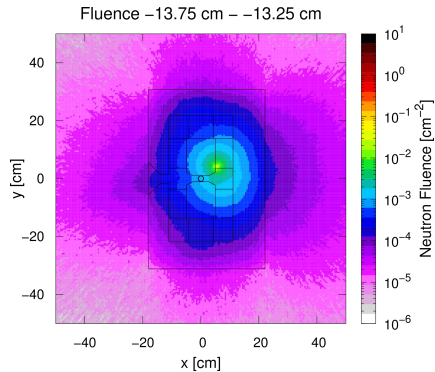


Unrealistic Case

Vertical losses aimed at PM block from short distance.

→ **0.7 m** upstream of BN center

→ **y' = 62 mrad**

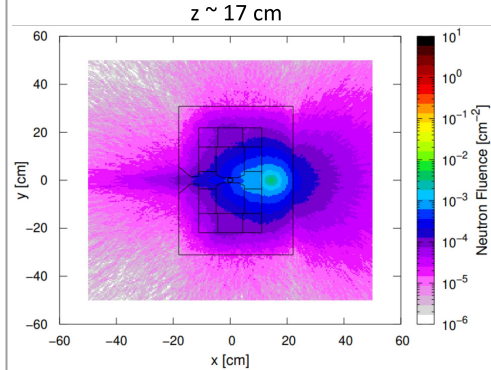


Bad Case

Horizontal losses aimed at magnet from short distance.

→ **0.5 m** upstream of BN center

→ **x' = 200 mrad**

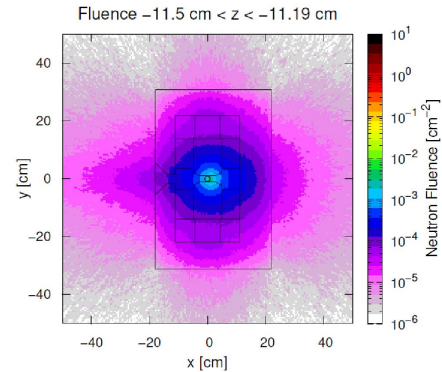


Slightly More Realistic Case

Horizontal losses localized directly at start of PM block.

→ **0.2 m** upstream of BN center

→ **x' = 200 μrad**



Neutrons / cm² on PM
block in 20 years

1e12 neutrons / cm²
reached after

2.5e13

0.8 years

6.2e11

32.2 years

2.2e11

92.1 years

Machine protection architecture for SLS 2.0 compared to predecessor

- Substantially faster
- More sophisticated interlock beam dump procedure
- Better post mortem diagnostics

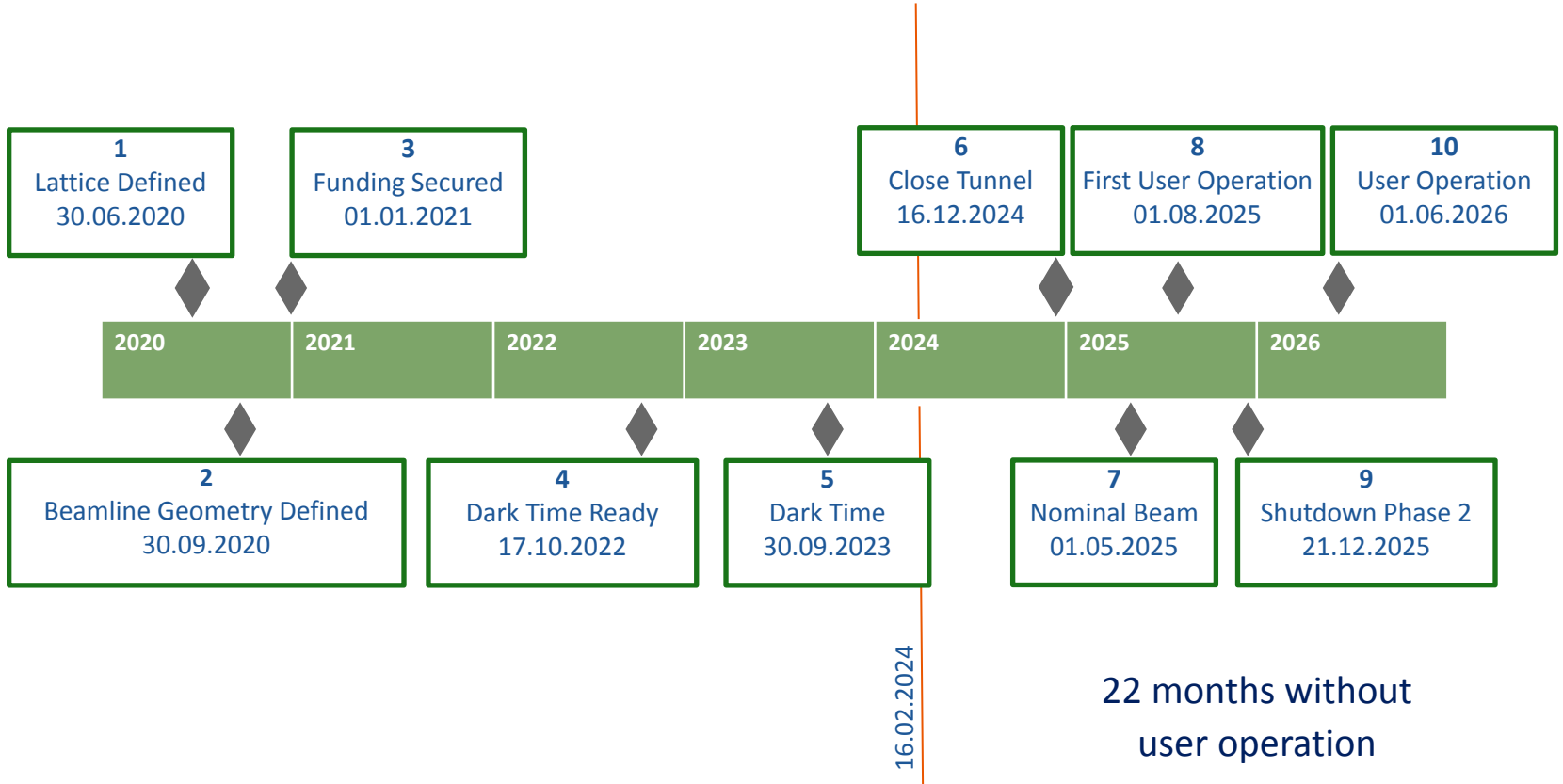
Losses for the SLS 2.0 compared to predecessor

- More concentrated loss regions due to
 - Low dispersion arcs MBA design
 - Use of collimators in storage ring
- **No critical degradation to permanent magnets over lifetime of accelerator**

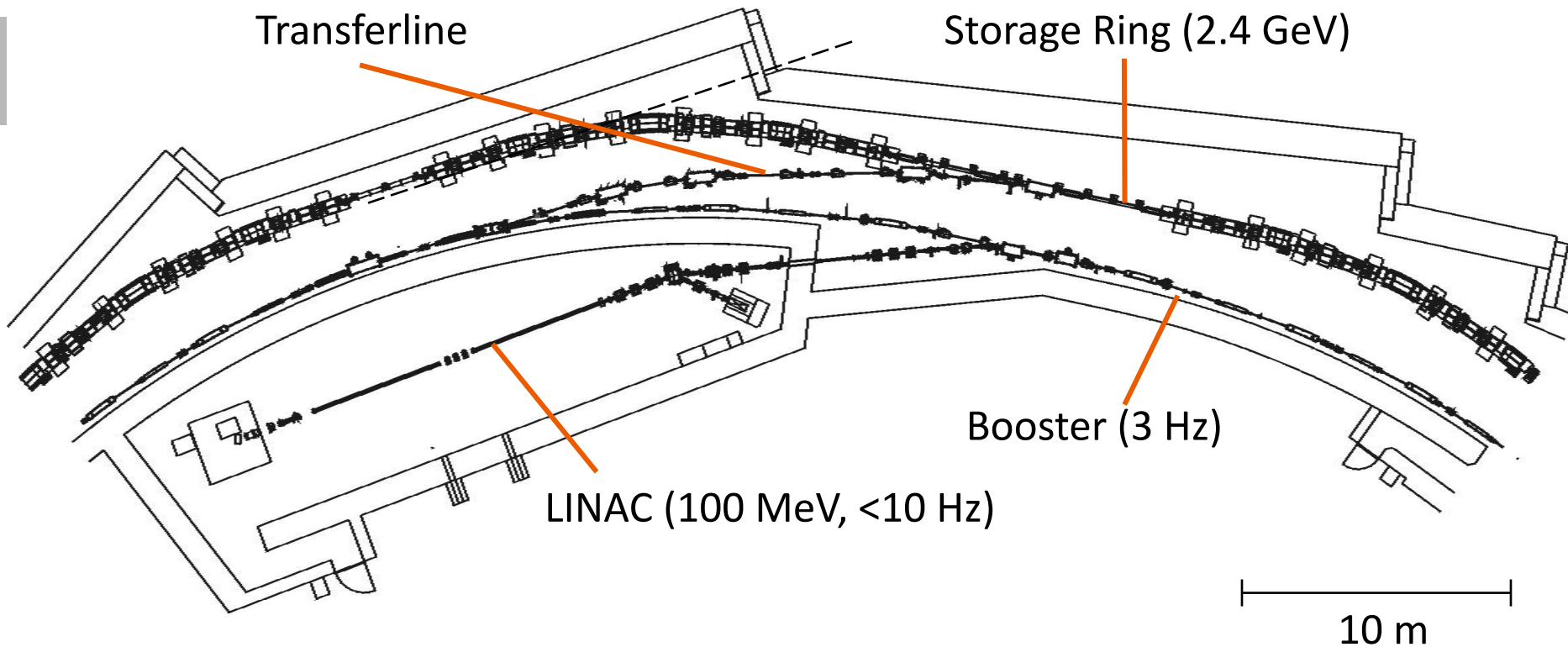
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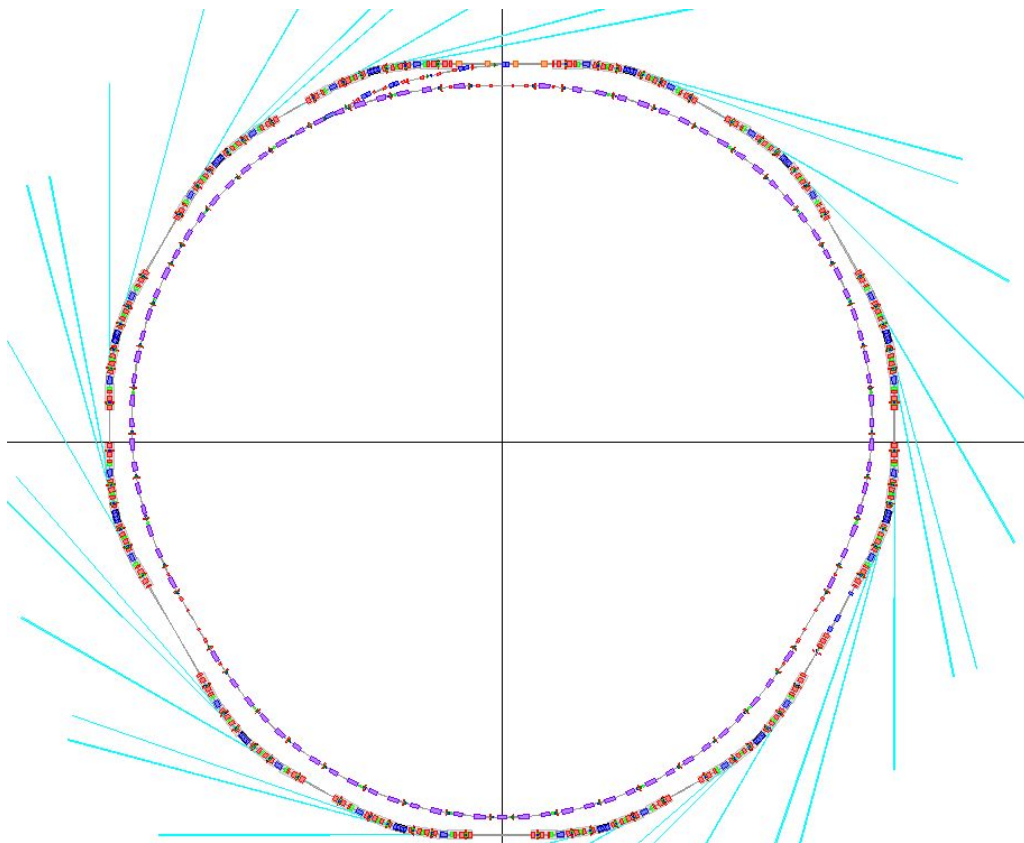
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SLS 2.0 - Milestones



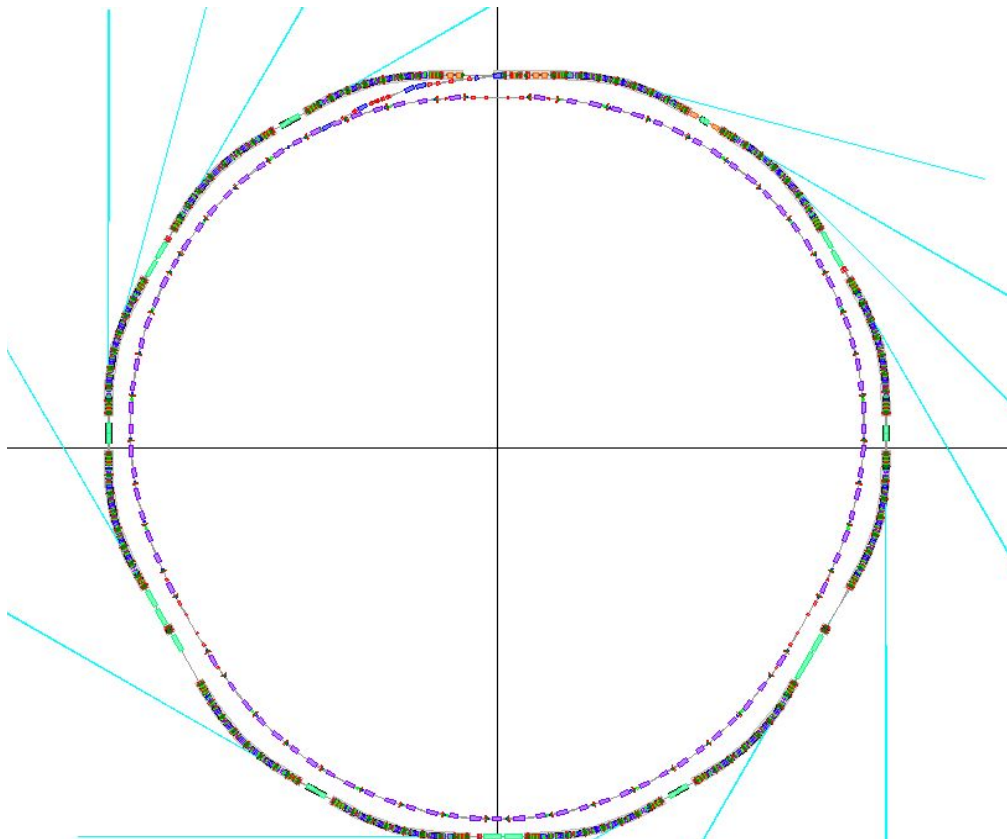
Swiss Light Source - SLS





- Circumference **288 m**
- Straights
 - **3 × Long**
 - **3 × Medium**
 - **6 × Short**
 - Total Length **~ 80 m**
- Beam Current **400 mA**
- Beam Energy **2.41 GeV**
- Emittance **5.5 nm**

Swiss Light Source - Upgrade Project SLS 2.0



- **Maintained**

- Circumference **288 m**
- Straights
 - **3 × Long**
 - **3 × Medium**
 - **6 × Short**
 - **Total Length ~80 m**
- Beam Current **400 mA**

- **Almost Maintained**

- Source Point Positions |shifts| < **70 mm**

- **Improved**

- Emittance **157 pm** (from 5500 pm)
- Energy **2.7 GeV** (from 2.41 GeV)

SLS 2.0 Interlock Beam Dump - Requirements

Tracking

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- RF
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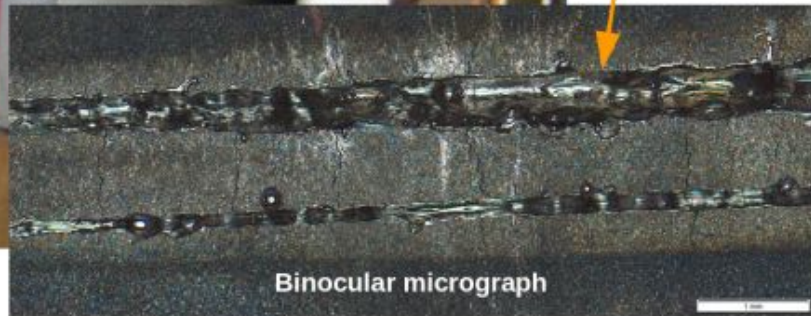
Destruct

- Em
- 400

- **APS tungsten scraper experiments (2 kJ) [1, 2]**
- Spring-8 Injection chamber vacuum leak with low-emittance optics (4 kJ)
- Controlled beam dump with dedicated kicker, dump and “bunch painting”



ONE 24-bunch fill
(370 nC), melted
tungsten

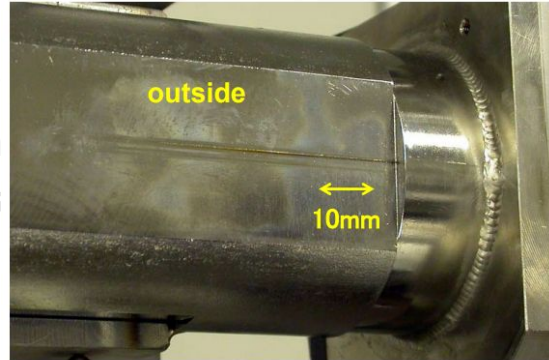


[1] J. Dooling & M. Borland, *Energy Deposition in the APS-U swap-out dump and discussion of whole beam loss*, Technical Workshop on Injection and Injection Systems, August 28-30, 2017, Berlin, Germany
 [2] *Advanced Photon Source Upgrade Project*, Final Design Report, May, 2019, Chapter 2: Accelerator Upgrade, 2-2.9 Beam Dumps and Collimation, 2-2.9.4 Whole-beam dump, P.42

SLS 2.0 Interlock Beam Dump - Requirements

Tracking simulations show

- Unfortunate loss location
→ RF phase inversion
- RF trip causes beam loss
→ Beam dump design
→ Fast beam dump

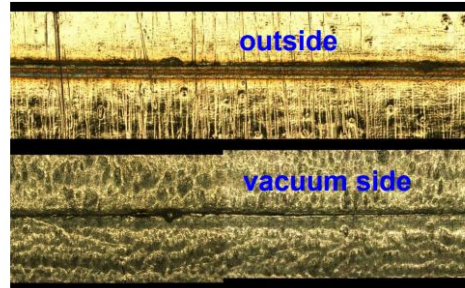


and SC superbend
cable

systems required

Destructive potential of stored beam

- Emittance 157 pm (fr)
- 400mA @ 2.7GeV (fr)
- APS tungsten scraper



- **SPRING-8 Injection chamber vacuum leak with low-emittance optics (4 kJ) [3]**

→ Controlled beam dump with dedicated kicker, dump and “bunch painting”

[3] H. Tanaka et al., *Top-Up Operation of Spring-8 Storage Ring with Low-Emittance Optics*, Proceedings of EPAC 2006, Edinburgh, Scotland, THPLS034

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 - RF phase inversion
 - Decelerate beam
 - Dispersive orbit
 - Distributed losses at restrictive apertures
 - Thin septum
 - High-dispersion TBA-arcs
- Machine protection main aspects
 - Synchrotron radiation
 - Beam loading
- SLS 2.0 interlock beam dump concept
 - Fast Beam Dump Controller
 - Bypass slow PLC systems
 - Dedicated Dump Kicker
 - Bunch painting
 - Dedicated Beam Dump
 - Localized losses
- Machine protection main aspects
 - Synchrotron radiation
 - Beam loading
 - **Stored beam**

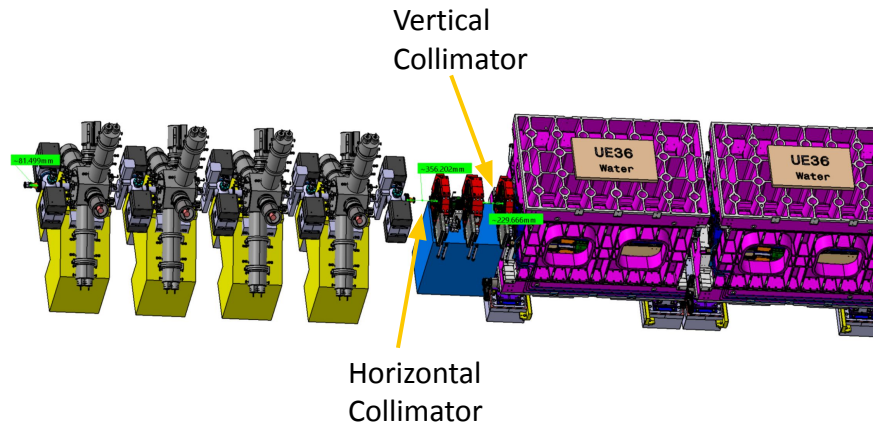
- Main tasks
 - Catch mis-injected beams
 - Mitigate hot spots from
 - gas scattering at small gap and high beta undulators
 - Touschek scattering in arcs
 - Protect
 - IDs
 - RF
- Collimation efficiency
 - 42.9 % overall including thin septum aperture
 - Short range losses dominate for Touschek- and Gas-Scattering
 - No space for collimator in dispersive region

Machine Protection: Collimation

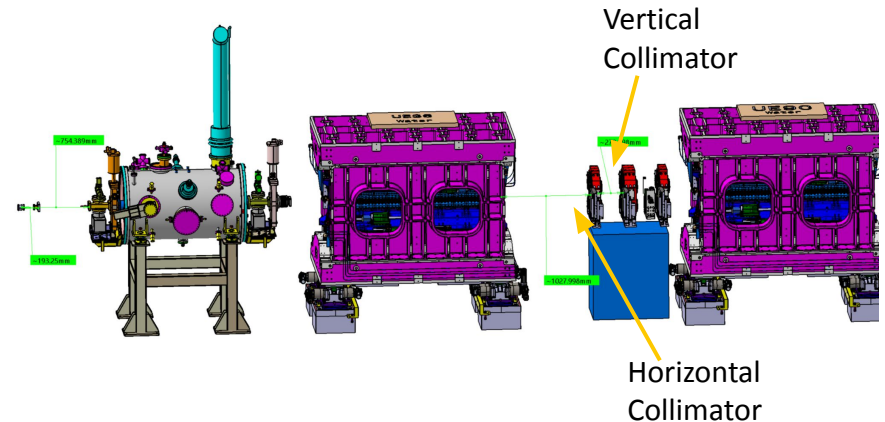
Collimator Positioning

- No space in dispersive regions in arc sections
- Use long straights 5L and 9L with each
 - 2 hor. Collimators, aperture equivalent to the Injection septum
 - 2 ver. Collimators, aperture equivalent to 4-mm **full** undulator gap
 - Design based on simplified & smaller ESRF-EBS collimators

Collimators in 5L



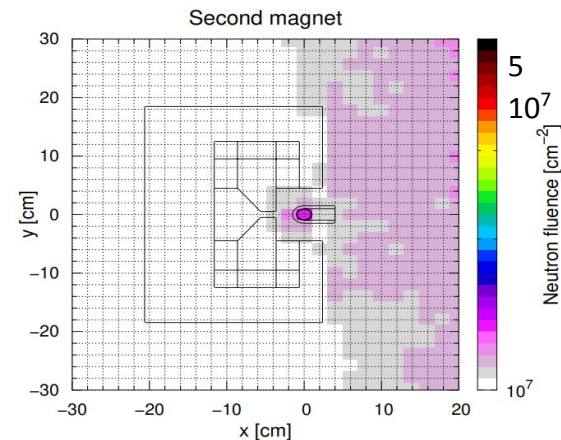
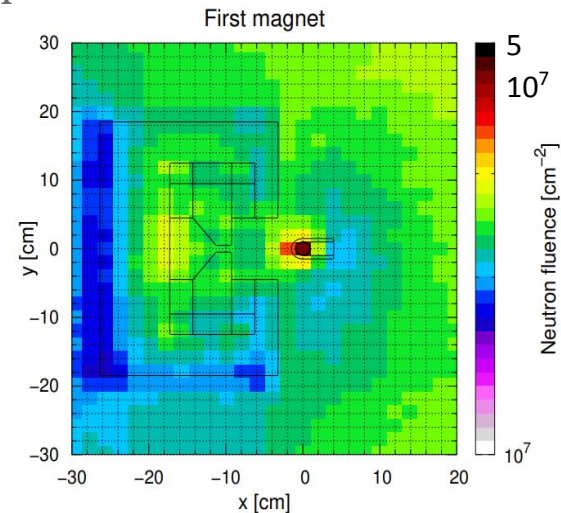
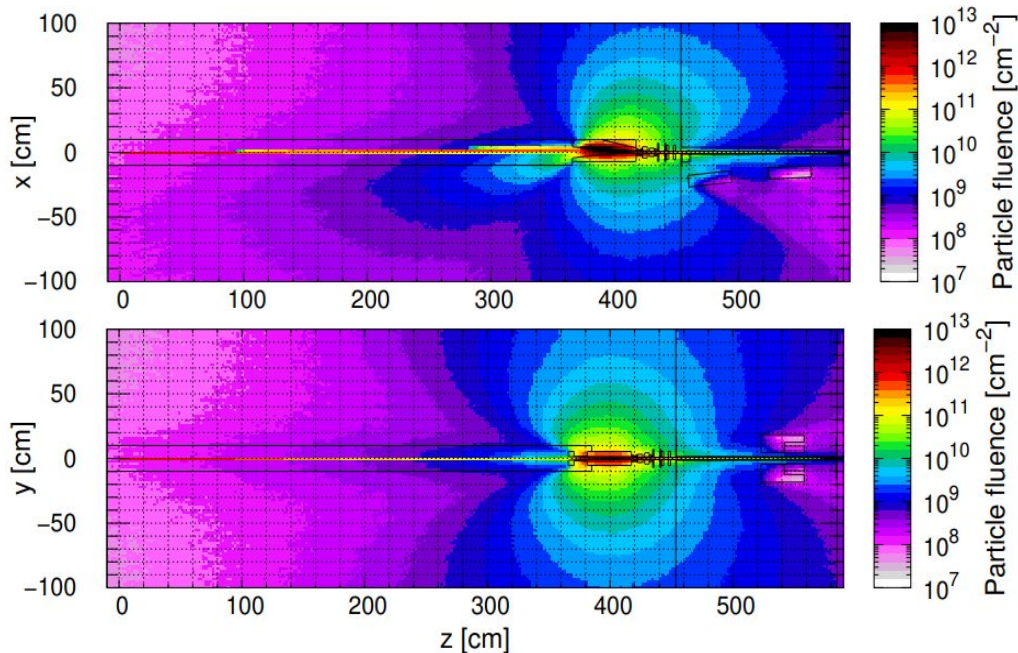
Collimators in 9L



Radiation Protection: Interlock Beam Dump

Dose on thick septum permanent magnets

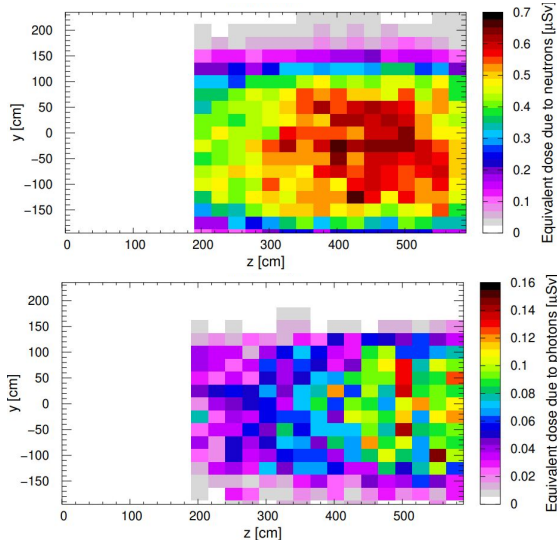
- $10^7 \ll 10^{15}$ neutrons / cm^2
- Total average dose < 0.1 Gy



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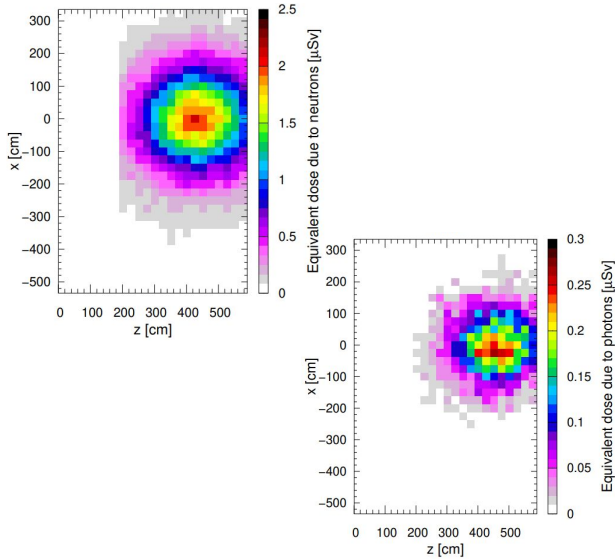
Dose outside Tunnel

Inner Wall



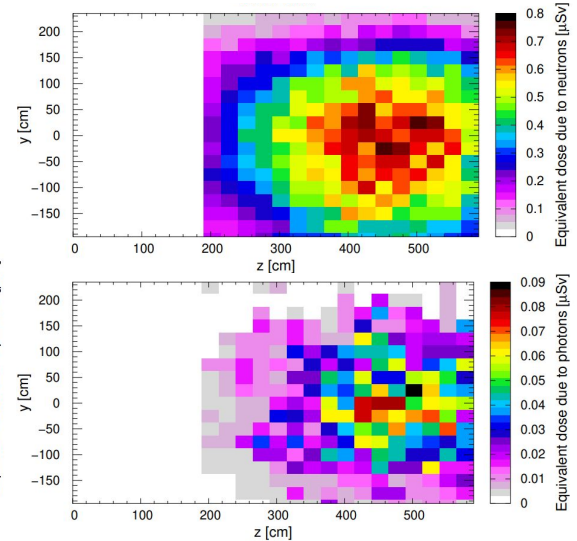
$\Sigma < 1 \mu\text{Sv/dump}$

Roof



$\Sigma < 3 \mu\text{Sv/dump}$

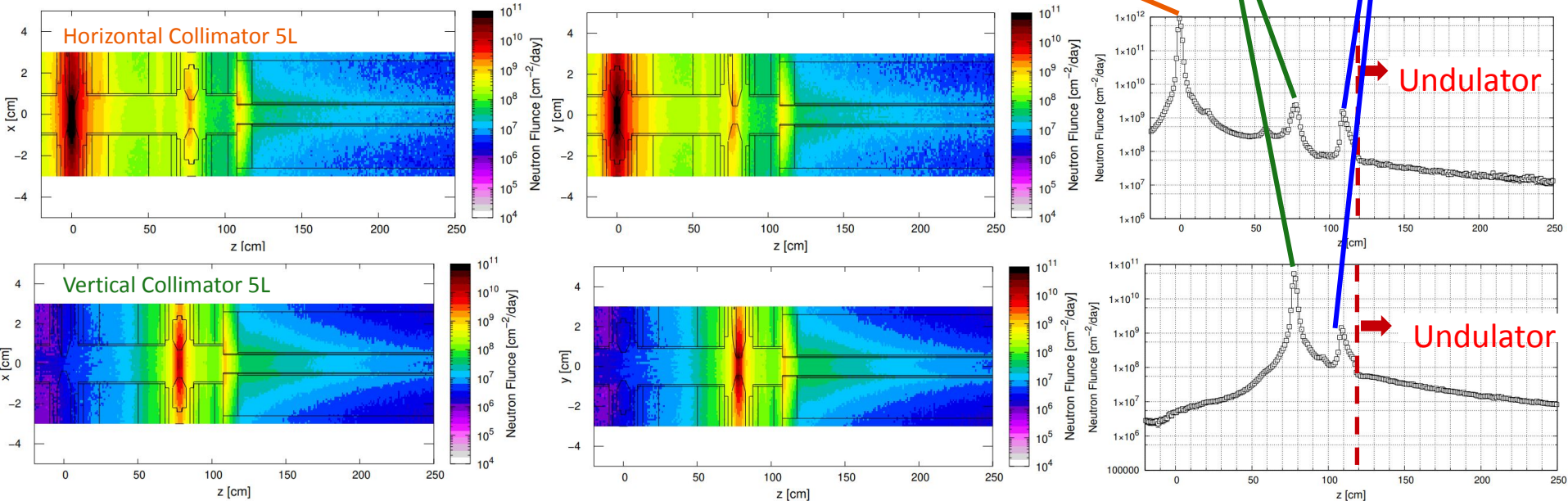
Outer Wall



$\Sigma < 1 \mu\text{Sv/dump}$

- Dose outside SLS bunker dominated by neutron contribution. Total escaping energy ~1%. No shielding yet.
- **Limit** outside inner and outer wall: **20 μSv/week**

- Total daily fluence $\sim 10^8$ neutrons/cm²
- Considered threshold for demagnetization $\sim 10^{12}$ neutrons/cm²
- **Possible operation for more than 20 years**

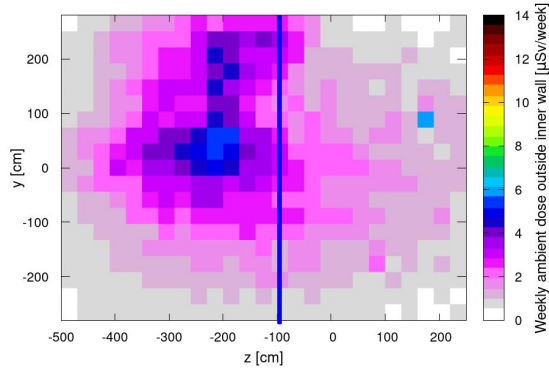


Radiation Protection: Collimation

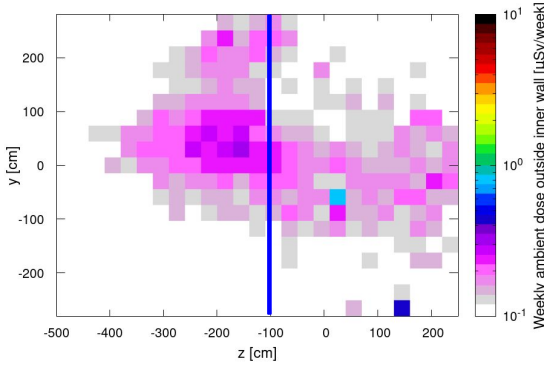
Collimators in X05L - Dose Outside Tunnel

Inner Wall
 $\Sigma < 20$
 $\mu\text{Sv/week}$

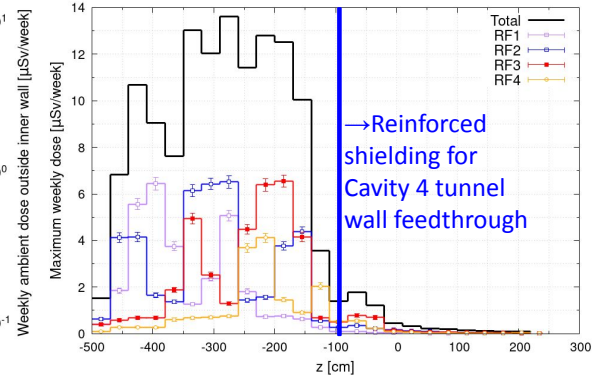
Horizontal Collimator



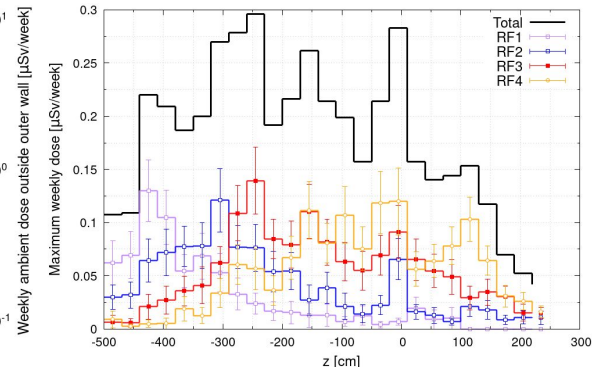
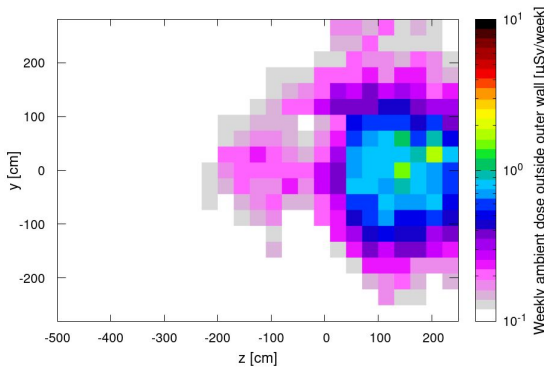
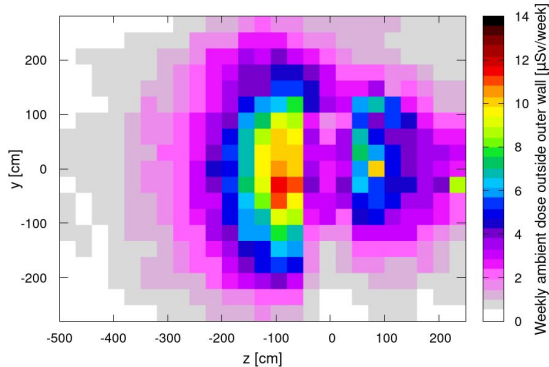
Vertical Collimator



RF



Outer Wall
 $\Sigma < 13$
 $\mu\text{Sv/week}$
(Inside hutch)

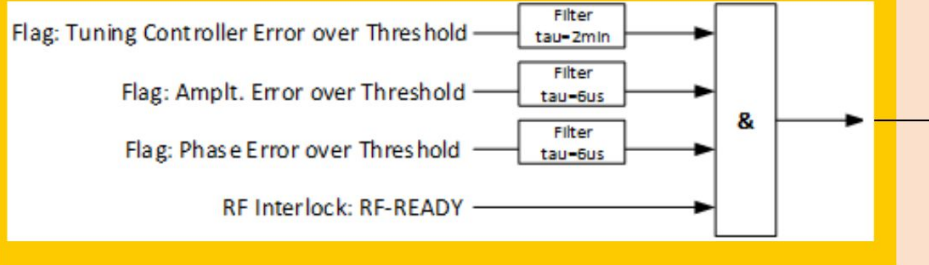


- Dose on tunnel roof varies with construction but $\Sigma < 1 \mu\text{Sv/hour}$ (Limit is $\sim 10 \mu\text{Sv/hour}$).
- RF cavity assumption ($14 \mu\text{Sv/week}$) based on maximum from measurements fluctuating by factor 3.

Beam Dump Controller - LLRF Input

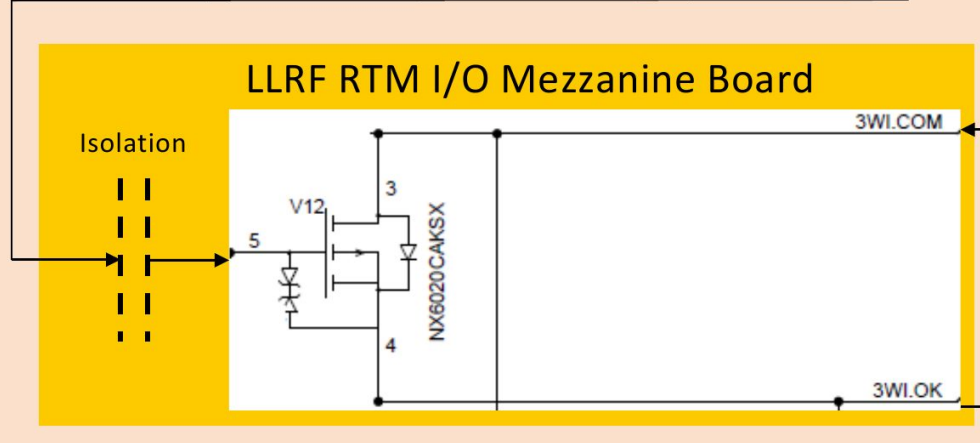
CPCI-serial crate of one SR LLRF system

LLRF FPGA + Software



Compact-PCI serial backplane front to rear I/O

LLRF RTM I/O Mezzanine Board



Detection scheme:

- RF Interlock: Fast
- Others filtered, filter times and thresholds expert configurable

BDC

Current source:
30 mA / 24 V

Input circuit

Bad situations

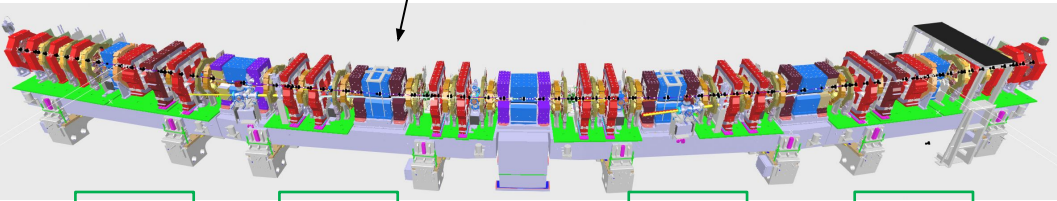
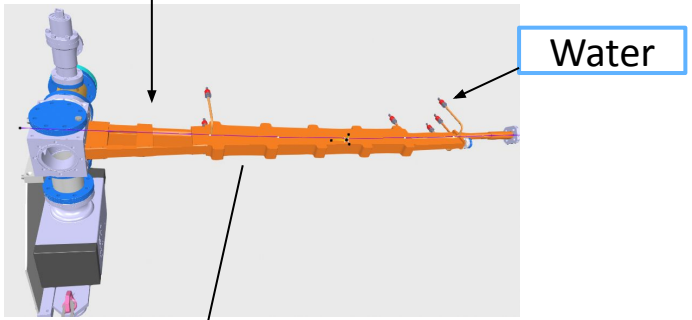
- **RF trip (e.g., arc detected)**
 - Coasting Beam lost after 300 μ s in 2-3 turns
- **Failure of superconducting superbend**
 - 60 mrad, decay in \sim ca. 30 s \rightarrow 2 μ rad / ms
 - Critical limit at \sim 1 % \rightarrow 0.6 mrad \rightarrow reached after 300 ms

Catching corresponding orbit errors

- **With only new SLS 2.0 DBPM3**
 - 20 kHz \rightarrow 100 μ s \rightarrow 0.2 μ Rad \ll 0.6 mRad
 - 1 MHz \rightarrow 2 μ s \rightarrow 4 nRad \ll 0.6 mRad
- **With mix of old BPM and new DBPM3**
 - 4 kHz sampling rate, 1 kHz bandwidth, 1 ms \rightarrow 2 μ rad
 - too slow for RF trip !

Machine Interlock System - Vacuum Temperature

Vacuum chamber Inputs



PLC
Module 1

PLC
Module 2

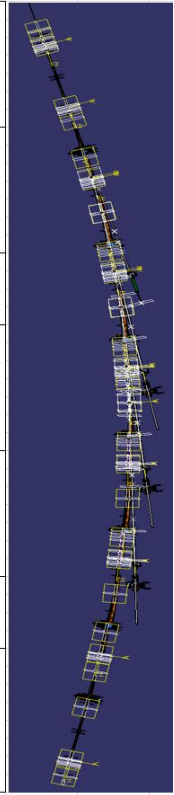
PLC
Module 3

PLC
Module 4

Chambers:	
EPICS HIGH	55°C
EPICS HIHI	60°C
Interlock	70°C

Water	
EPICS HIGH	35°C
EPICS HIHI	40°C
Interlock	50°C

Typ	Index	Kammer	Thermoelemente		Girder	Dipol	
			Kamm	Wat			
CSU	u	gerade Kupferkammer	4	2	1550	1	D
CSS		BPM		2	1550		
CSU	m	gerade Kupferkammer	2	2	1550		
CSU	d	gerade Kupferkammer	4	2	1550		
CSS		BPM			1550	2	
CBI		Dipolkammer D	8	2	1550		
	AB				2 1550	2	
CRU (CRU_D)			8	2	2100		
	CPS	Beamabgang Gerade	2			2	C
	CPS Ventil		2				
	CPS AB_FE			2			
CSS_Long		BPM				3	A
CBN		Dipolkammer C	10	3	2100		
	AB				2100	2	B
CRM			8	2	2600		
CSS_Long		BPM				3	B
CBN		Dipolkammer B	10	3	2600		
	AB				2 2600	3	A
CRM			8	2	3510		
	CPD	Beamabgang Dipol/Diagnostics	2	2	3510	3	A
	CPS Ventil		2	2	3510		
	CPS AB_FE			2			
CSS_Long		BPM				4	E
CBN/CBS		Dipolkammer A	10	3	3510		
	AB				2 3510	3	A
CRM/CRS			8	2	4410		
	CPD	Beamabgang Dipol/Diagnostics	2	2	4410	4	E
	CPS Ventil		2				
	CPS AB_FE			2			
CSS_Long		BPM				4	E
CBN		Dipolkammer E	10	3	4410		
	AB				2 4410	4	E
CRM			8	2	4910		
CSS_Long		BPM				5	F
CBN		Dipolkammer F	10	3	4910		
	AB				2 4910	5	G
CRD			8	2	5460		
CSS_Long		BPM				5	G
CBO		Dipolkammer G	10	2	5460		
	AB				2 5460	5	G
CSD + CSS	u	gerade Kupferkammer integrierter BPM	4	2	5460		
CSD	m	gerade Kupferkammer	4	2	5460	5	G
CSS		BPM			5460		
CSD	d	gerade Kupferkammer	2	2	5460	5	G
					2 5460		
		Summe		148	65		
				213			



Machine Interlock System - Magnet Temperature

Inputs

- **Concept:** PT-100 Temperature sensors are cast into the coils
- Each sensor is individually wired to and monitored by the MIS
- Front and rear view:



RF Shielding

