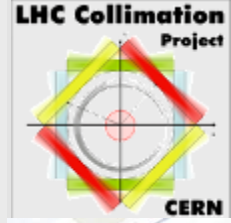




# Collimation Tolerances



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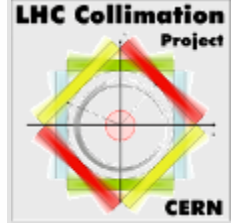
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LHC Crab Cavity  
Workshop



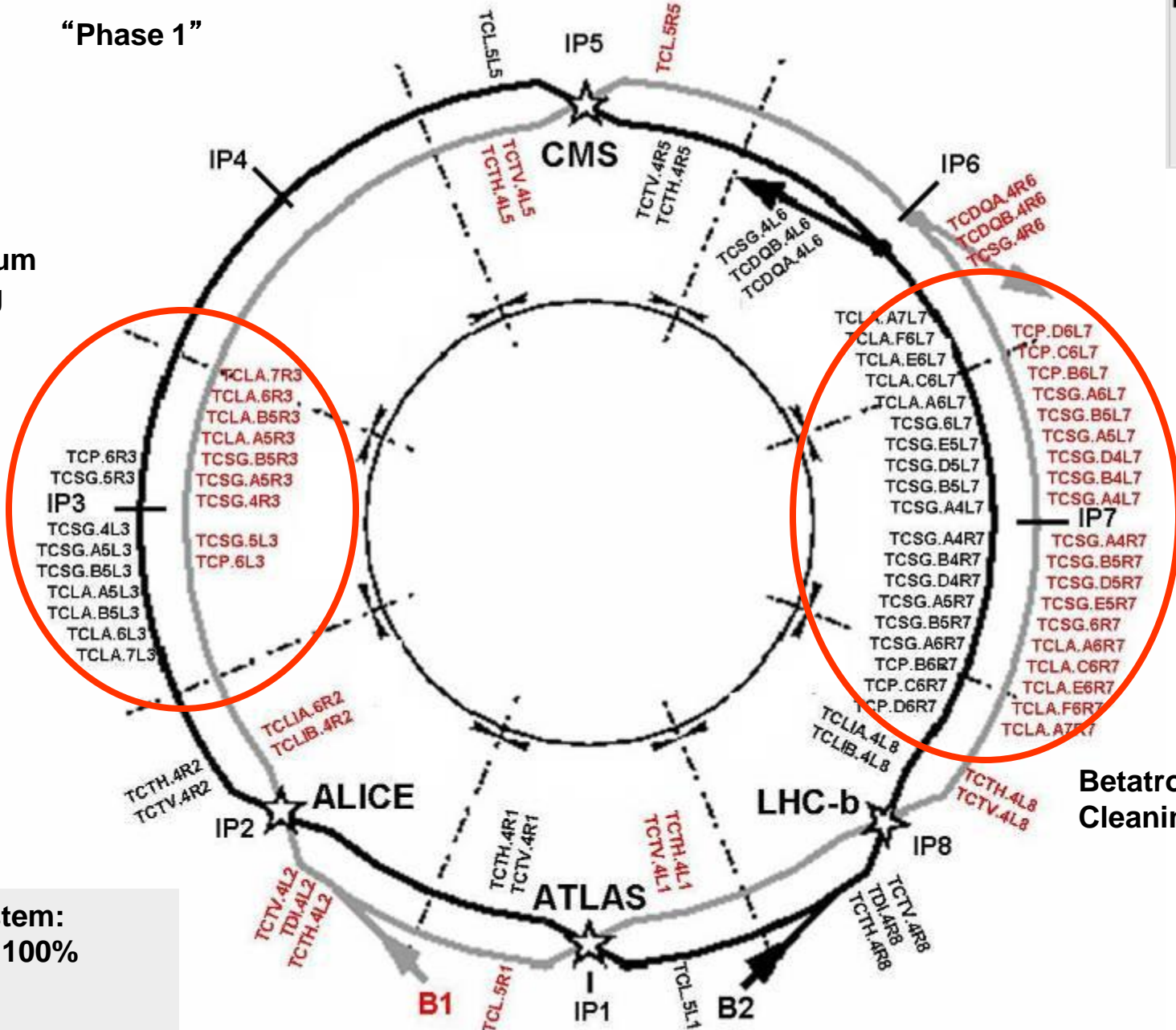
# Why Talk About Collimation?

- Collimation protects the machine aperture against **damage and quenches**.
- Any **significant change in the machine** must be revisited also from the collimation and machine protection view: **possible impact on protection, loss distribution, activation, quench limitations, experimental background**.
- Critical issues: Upgrades in several colliders were heavily affected by unforeseen problems with beam loss and background after the upgrade. Loss in overall integrated luminosity with insertion upgrade.
- Goal of this talk: **Give collimation input to the ongoing discussions for LHC upgrades such that it will be fully successful.**
- Note: MP and dump issues only mentioned as far as collimation is affected.



“Phase 1”

Momentum Cleaning

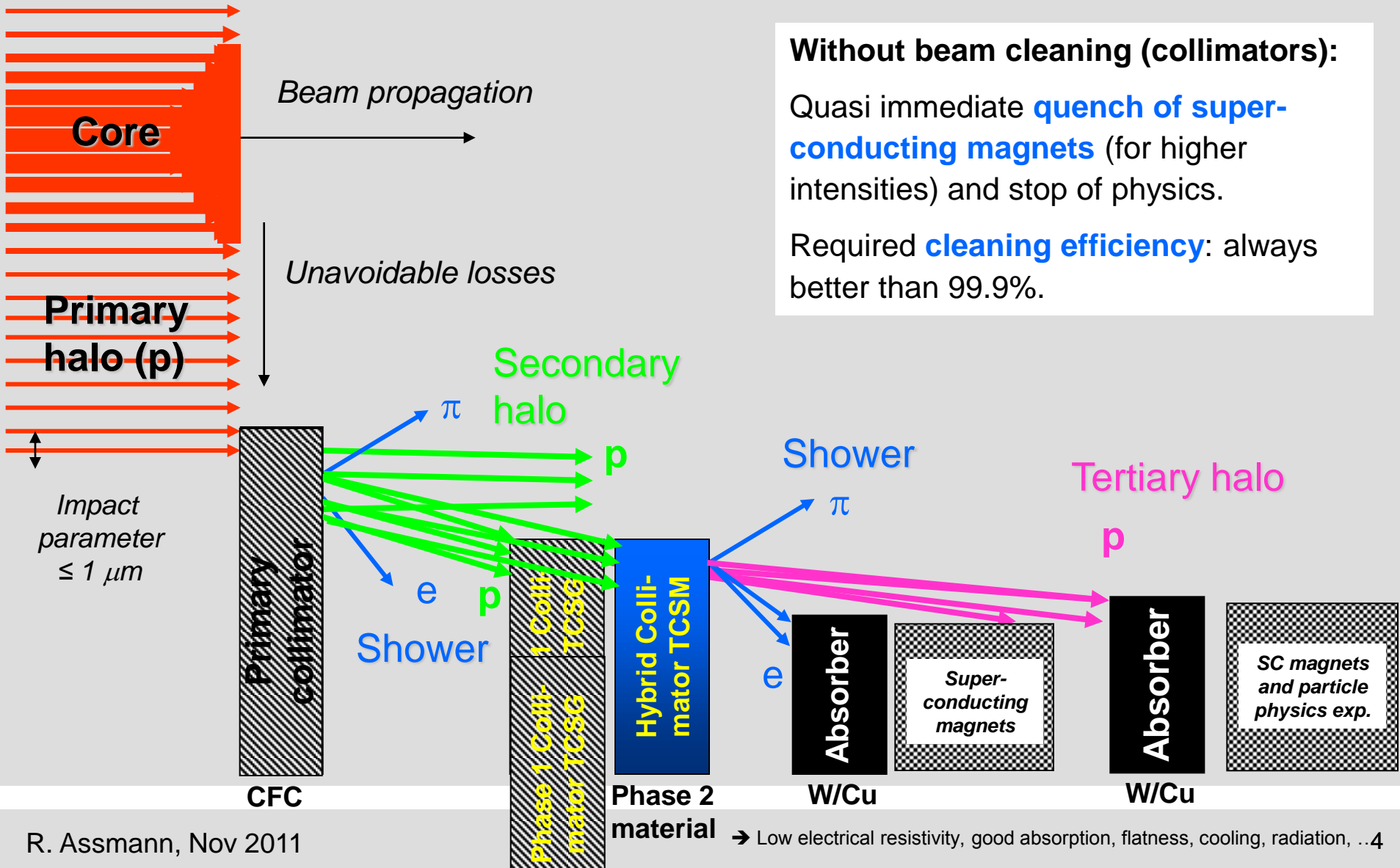


“Final” system:  
Layout is 100%  
frozen!

Betatron  
Cleaning



# LHC Cleaning & Protection



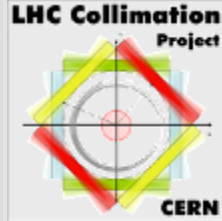
**Without beam cleaning (collimators):**  
 Quasi immediate **quench of super-conducting magnets** (for higher intensities) and stop of physics.  
 Required **cleaning efficiency**: always better than 99.9%.

# Functional Description

- Two-stage cleaning (**robust CFC primary and secondary collimators**).
- Catching the cleaning-induced showers (**Cu/W collimators**).
- Protecting the warm magnets against heat and radiation (**passive absorbers**).
  
- Local cleaning and protection at triplets (**Cu/W collimators**).
- Catching the p-p induced showers (**Cu collimators**).
  
- Intercepting mis-injected beam (**TCDI, TDI, TCLI**).
- Intercepting dumped beam (**TCDQ, TCS.TCDQ**).
  
- Scraping and halo diagnostics (**primary collimators and thin scrapers**).



# Setting Strategy for Collimation and Protection Elements



- **Clear requirements for settings:**

**LHC ring aperture** sets scale

$$a_{\text{ring}}$$

→ *tight LHC aperture*

**Protection devices** must protect ring aperture

$$a_{\text{prot}} < a_{\text{ring}}$$

→ *protect against injected beam; take into account accuracies*

**Secondary collimators** tighter than protection

$$a_{\text{sec}} < a_{\text{prot}}$$

→ *avoid too much secondary halo hitting protection devices*

**Primary collimators** tighter than secondary

$$a_{\text{prim}} < a_{\text{sec}}$$

→ *primary collimators define the aperture bottleneck in the LHC for cleaning of circulating beam!*

- **These conditions should always be fulfilled:**

***Not allowed to use protection devices (or warm aperture limits) as a single-stage cleaning system!***

*R. Assmann, Chamonix 2005*

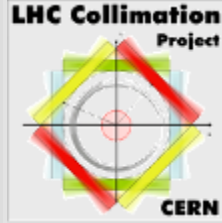
# 7 TeV Settings at (in $\sigma_\beta, \delta=0$ , nominal $\beta^*$ )

$a_{\text{abs}}$	=	$\sim 20.0 \sigma$	Active absorbers in IR3
$a_{\text{sec3}}$	=	18.0 $\sigma$	Secondary collimators IR3 (H)
$a_{\text{prim3}}$	=	15.0 $\sigma$	Primary collimators IR3 (H)
$a_{\text{abs}}$	=	$\sim 10.0 \sigma$	Active absorbers in and IR7
$a_{\text{ring}}$	=	8.4 $\sigma$	Triplet cold aperture
$a_{\text{prot triplet}}$	=	8.3 $\sigma$	TCT protection and cleaning at
$a_{\text{prot}}$	$\geq$	7.5 $\sigma$	TCDQ (H) protection element
$a_{\text{sec}}$	=	7.0 $\sigma$	Secondary collimators IR7
$a_{\text{prim}}$	=	6.0 $\sigma$	Primary collimators IR7

➔ “Canonical” 6/7  $\sigma$  collimation settings are achievable!

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# Collimator Hierarchy



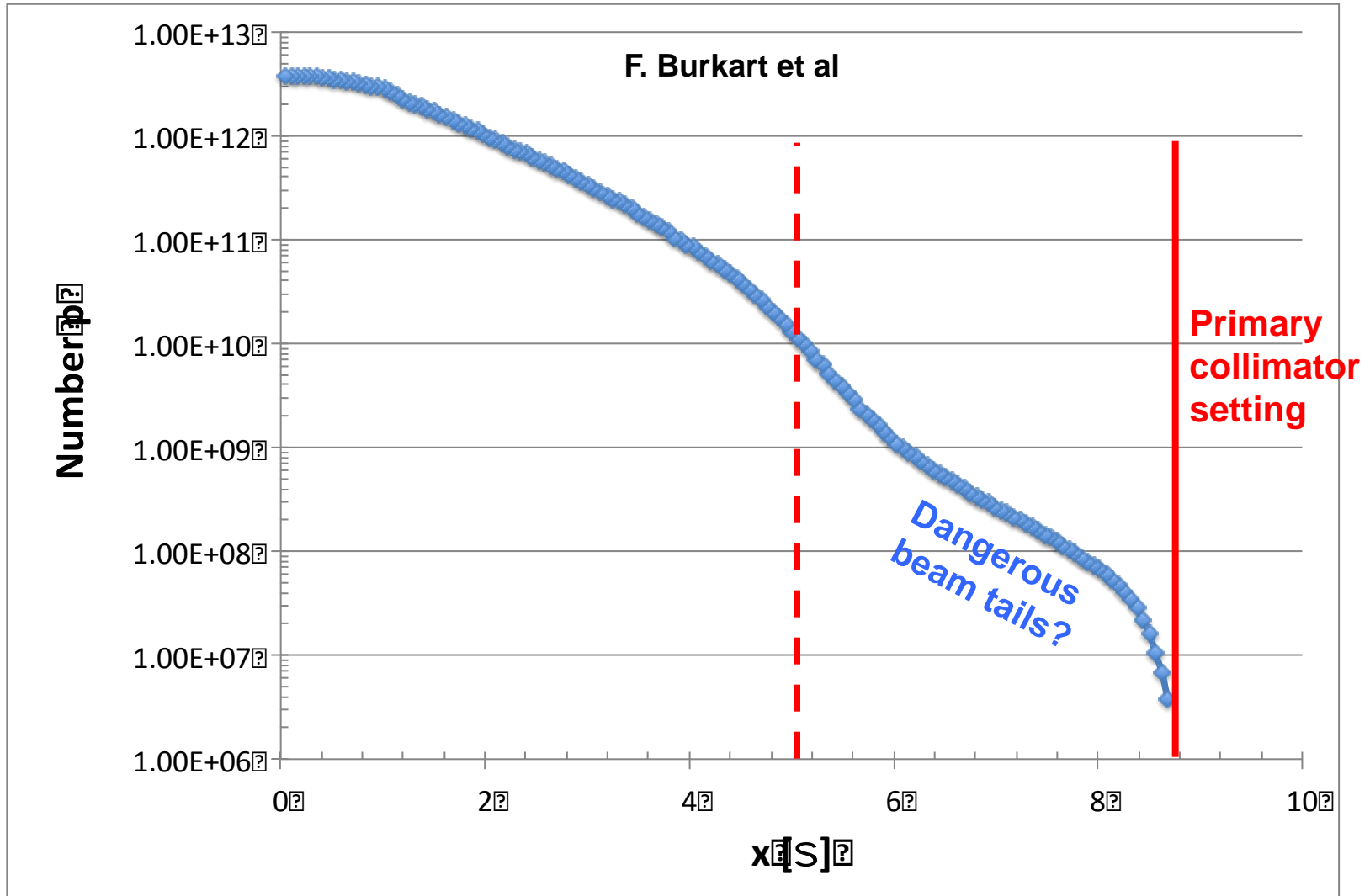
- Collimators must **respect a very strict setting hierarchy**. Not useful to explain here. Just sketching it:
  - **Primary collimators (TCP)** must always be closest to the beam.
  - **Secondary collimators (TCSM)** must always be second-closest to the beam.
  - **Protection collimators (TCLA)** must always be closer to the beam than local magnet or vacuum pipe aperture. They shall, however, never act as primary or secondary collimators.
- **Optics perturbations can lead to violations of this hierarchy**. In particular beta beat is dangerous (changes of machine beta functions).
- The upgrade optics faces a special problem: **off-momentum beta-beat** → head and tail of beam collimated at different places from the core!
- Off-momentum beta beat **mixes up the 6D phase space** and can **corrupt collimation performance** (secondary collimator becomes a primary collimator for off-momentum particles).



# Tolerances to Beam Loss

- The robust LHC collimators (primary and secondary CFC collimators) can stand the following maximum beam impact at 7 TeV:
  - **1 MJ within 150 ns**
  - **0.5 MW on the  $\geq 1$  s time scale** ( $\approx 0.1\%$  of beam stored per s)
- The non-robust collimators (W and Cu) can withstand much less beam. To be safe a factor  $\approx 100$  should be respected:
  - **10 kJ within 150 ns**
  - **5 kW on the  $\geq 1$  s time scale** ( $\approx 10^{-5}$  of beam stored per s)
- These limits depend on detailed bunch properties (emittance, beta functions, ...).
- Crab cavity failures should respect these limits to avoid damage to collimators, including impact on other collimators due to distortions of phase space.

# Note: Highly Populated Beam Tails (B1H, 450 GeV, total intensity $1e14p$ , real $\sigma$ )



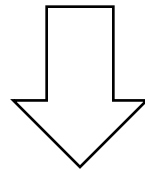
# Tolerances: Orbit & Beta Beat

(transient, equivalent also for “slice” orbit – crab cavity)

- Orbit worst case:
  - No orbit shift at primary collimator
  - Maximum orbit shift  $90^\circ$  downstream
  - This reduces retraction between primary collimator and downstream collimator.
  - If loss of retraction is too big: Downstream collimator can become primary collimator.
- Orbit tolerance defined: **30  $\mu\text{m}$  at 7 TeV**  
(transient, for collimation at  $6 \sigma$  at 7 TeV,  $0.15 \sigma$ )
- Beta beat tolerance: **5% at 7 TeV**  
(transient, for collimation at  $6 \sigma$  at 7 TeV,  $0.3 \sigma$ )
- Takes almost half of overall tolerance budget ( $1 \sigma$ ). Details depend on settings, location, ...

# Tolerances: Effect from Off-Momentum Beta Beat, Dispersion, ...

$$\mathbf{x}_{\text{cut}}(\mathbf{i}_{\text{coll}}) = \mathbf{n}_{\beta_x \text{ cut}}(\mathbf{i}_{\text{coll}}, \delta) \sqrt{\varepsilon_x \beta_x(\mathbf{i}_{\text{coll}}, \delta)} + \mathbf{D}_x(\mathbf{i}_{\text{coll}}, \delta) \delta$$



$$\mathbf{n}_{\beta_x \text{ cut}}(\mathbf{i}_{\text{coll}}, \delta) = \frac{\pm \mathbf{x}_{\text{cut}}(\mathbf{i}_{\text{coll}}) - \mathbf{D}_x(\mathbf{i}_{\text{coll}}, \delta) \delta}{\sqrt{\varepsilon_x \beta_x(\mathbf{i}_{\text{coll}}, \delta)}}$$

**MADX**

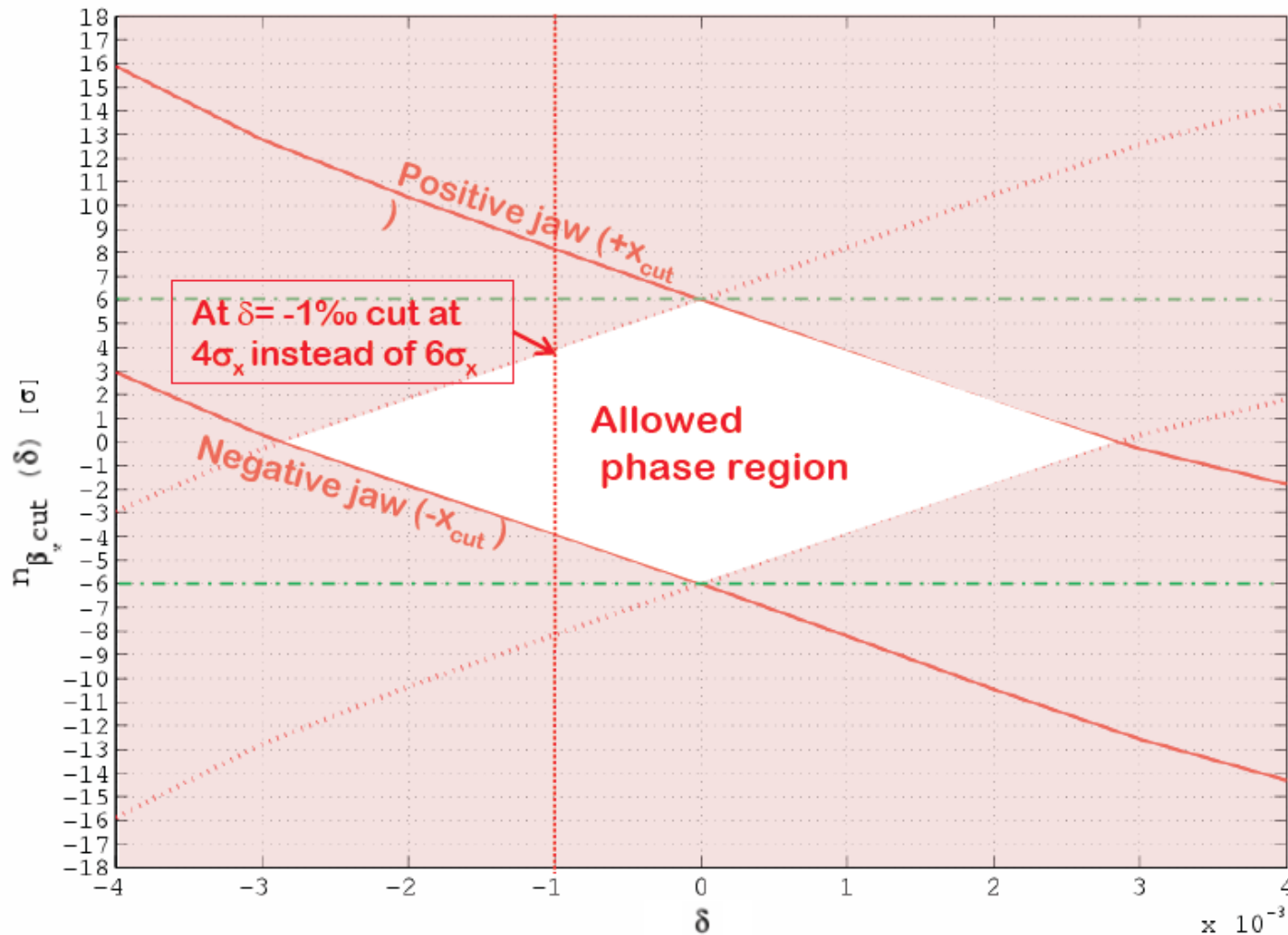
**MADX**

**positive and negative x jaws**

# Allowed phase space region

TCP.C6L7.B1

(Horizontal primary betatron collimator, beta beat IP1 → IP5)

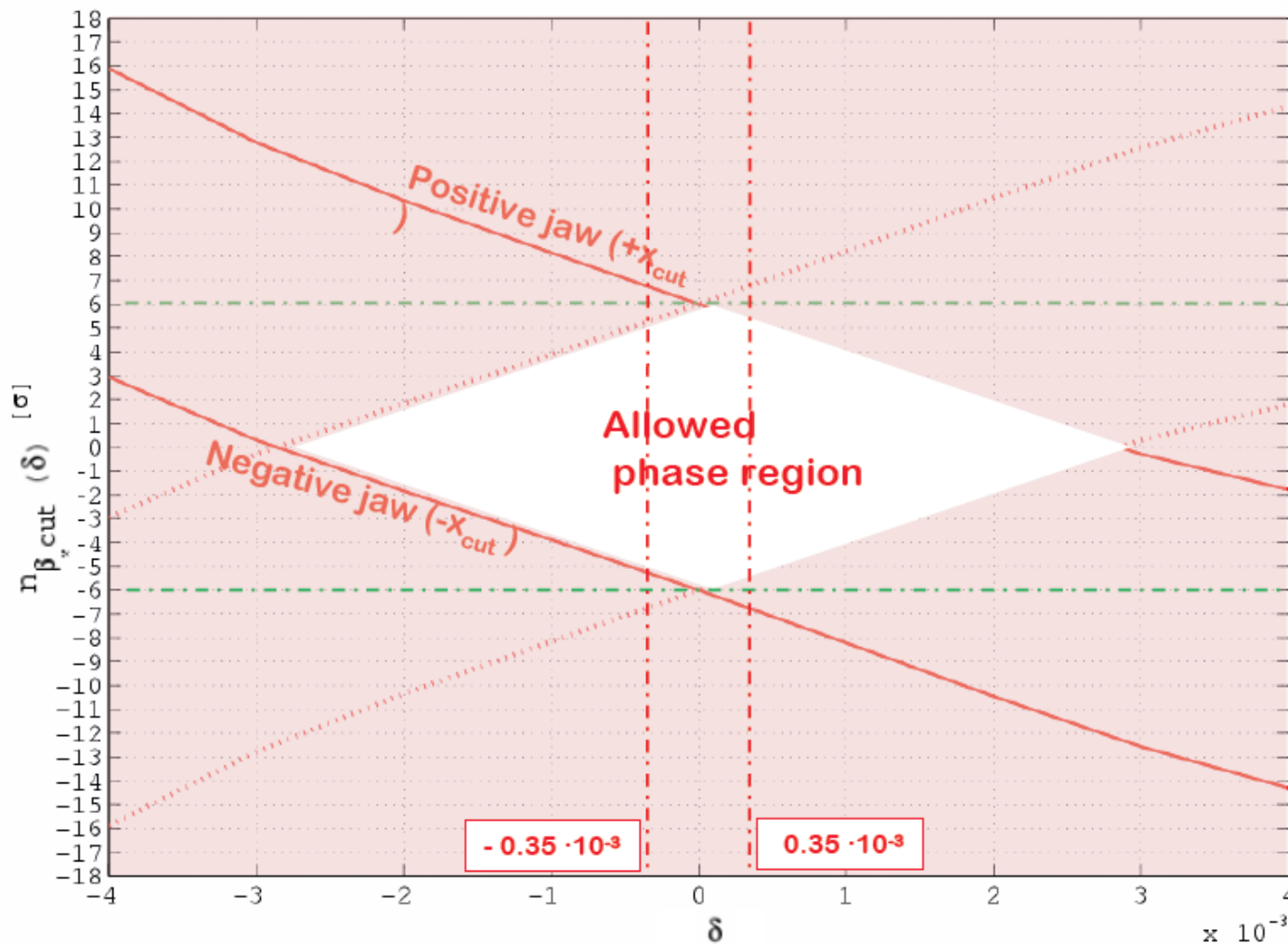


Reflecting each point with respect to the  $\eta_{\beta_{x\text{cut}}}=0$  line an “allowed phase space region” is defined. (single turn amplitude jumps of many  $\sigma_x$  are excluded)

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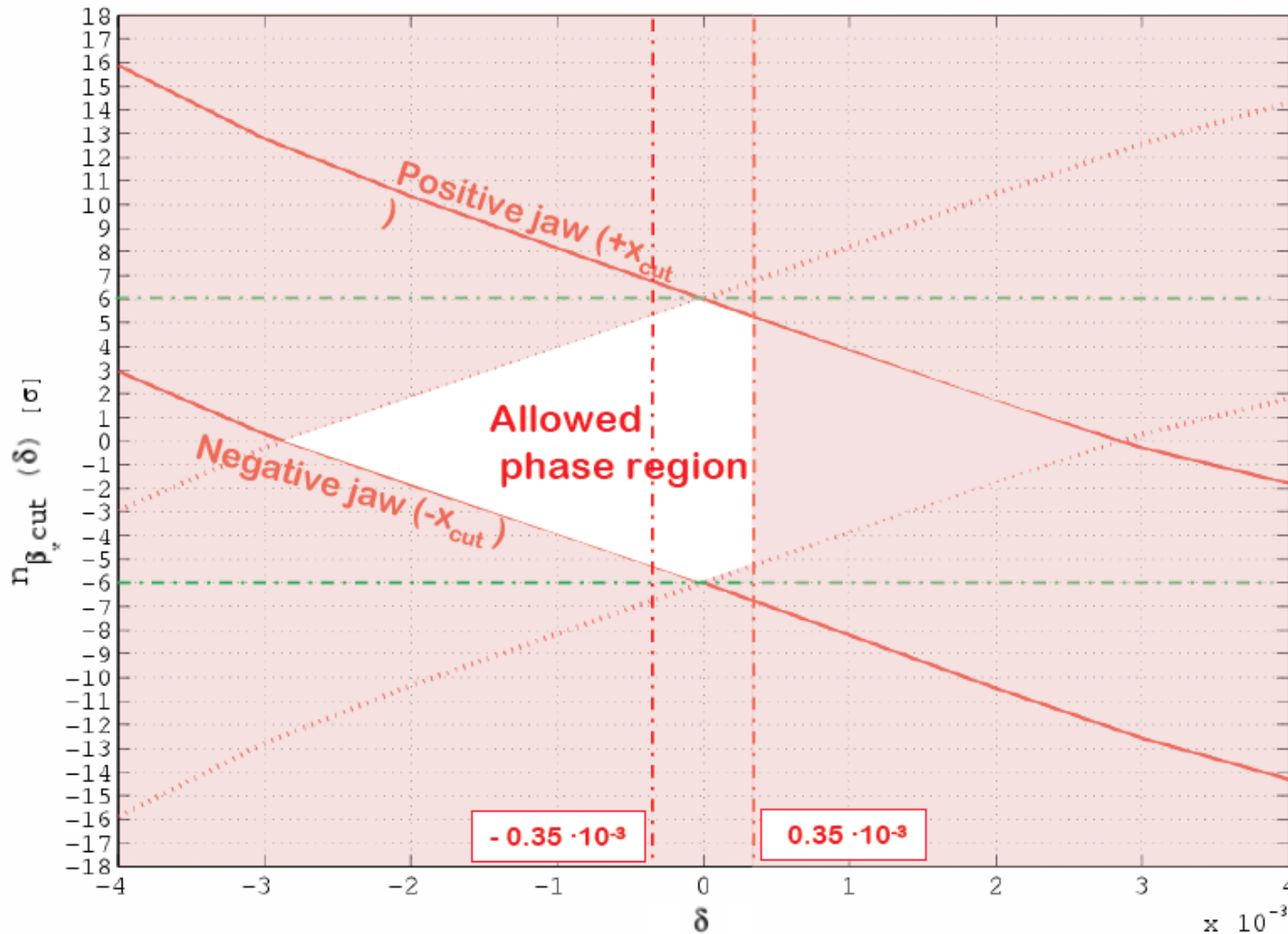
**Momentum aperture**  
in the ring:  $\pm 7 \cdot 10^{-3} [\delta]$   
(mechanical aperture, tolerances, orbit,  $3\sigma$  beam)

**Half height of the bucket:**  $\pm 0.35 \cdot 10^{-3} [\delta]$   
[E. Shaposhnikova, S. Fartoukh, B. Jeanneret  
"LHC abort gap filling by proton beam";  
LHC project report t 63]

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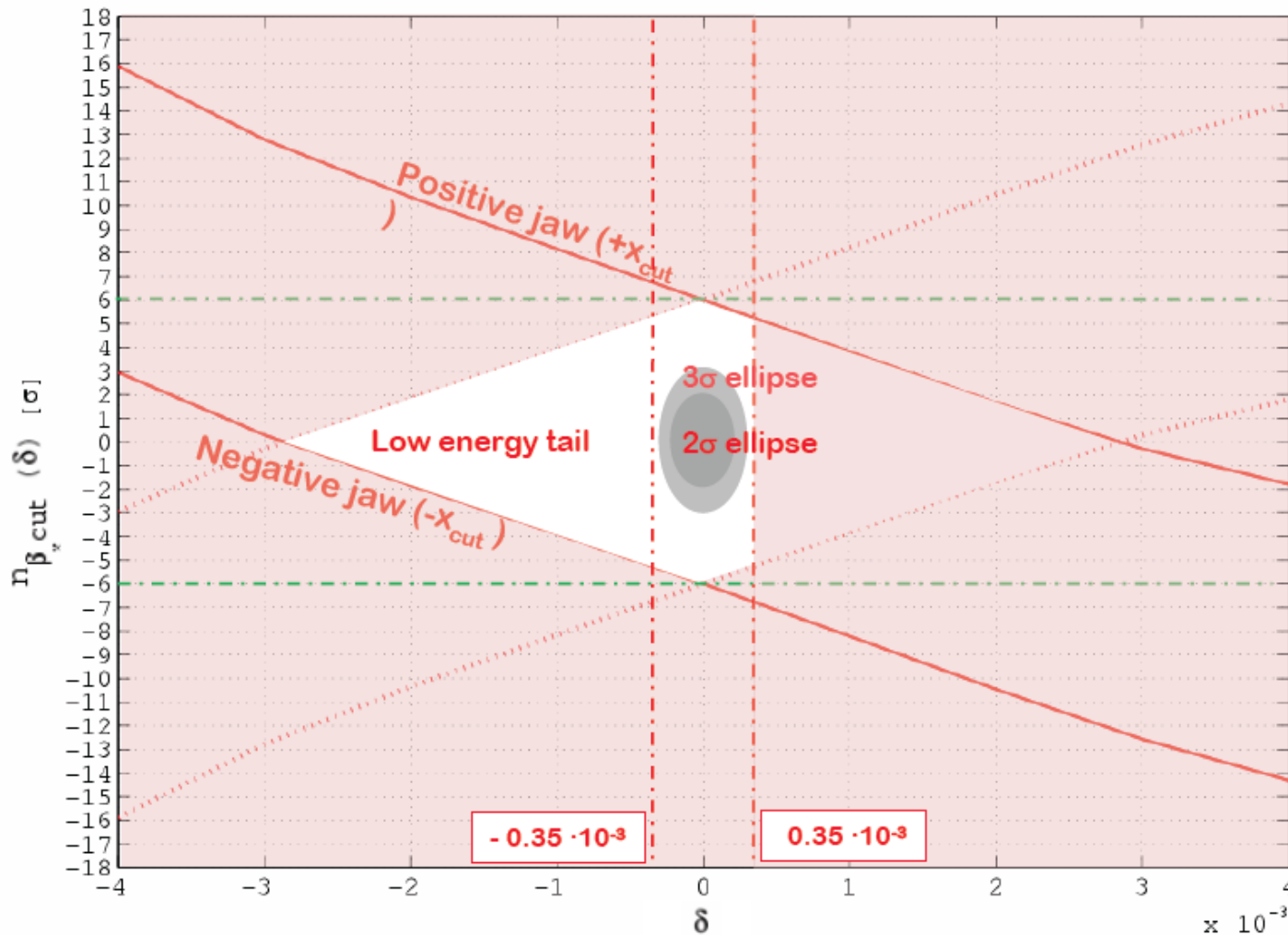
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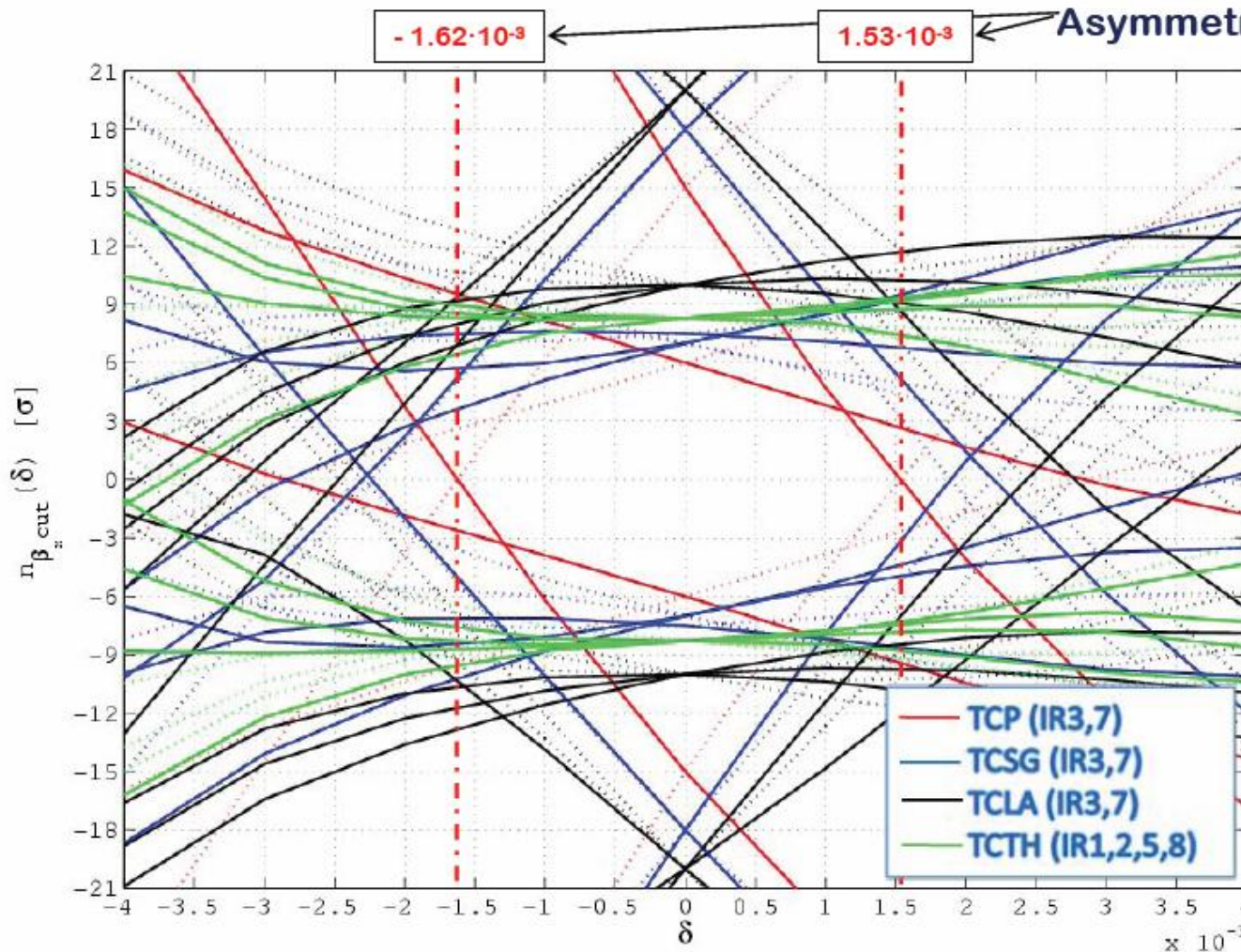
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# Off momentum Beta beat IP1 → IP5

Overlapping all the horizontal collimators:



Asymmetry due to dispersion

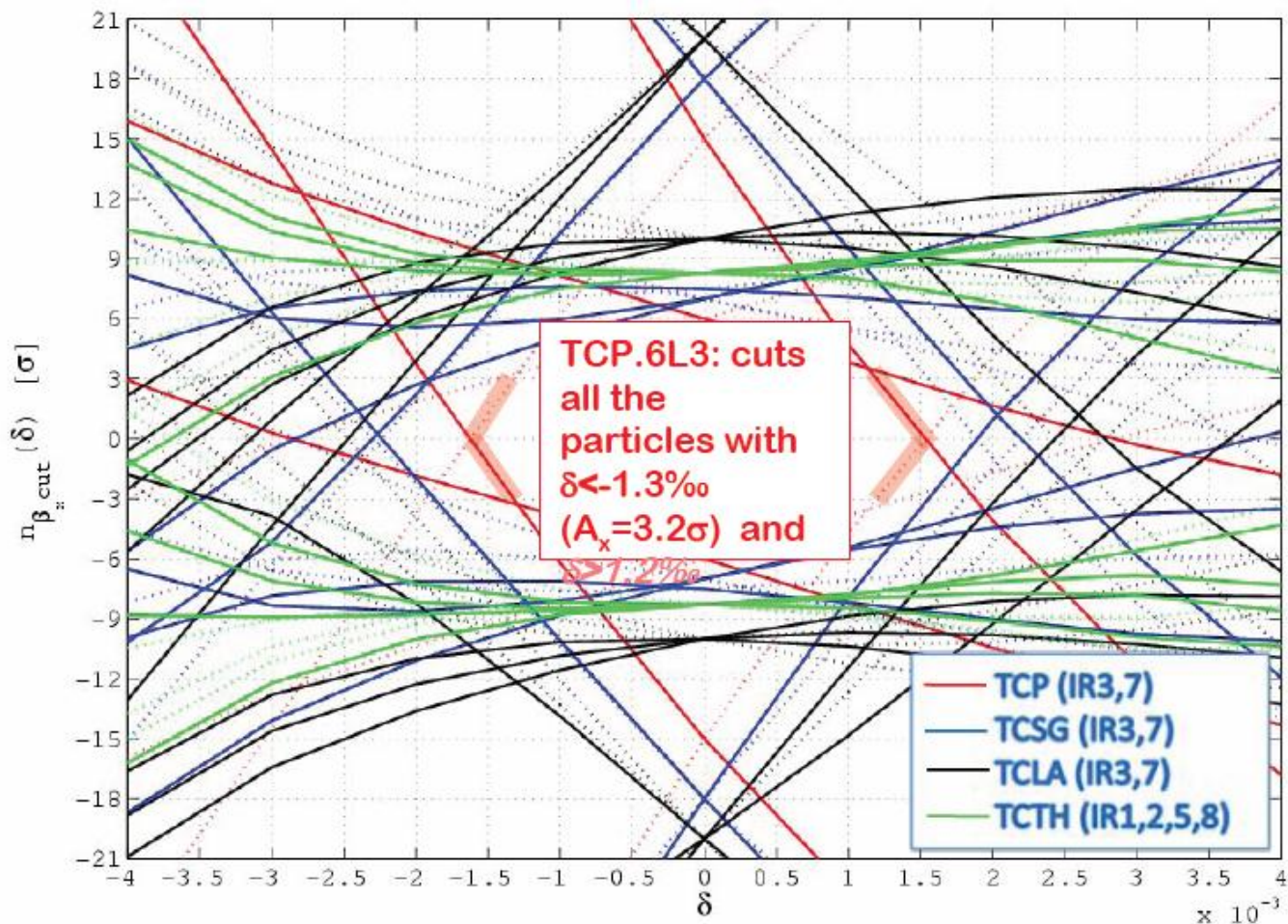
Each solid line represent one collimator jaw.

Each color represent one collimator family (legend)

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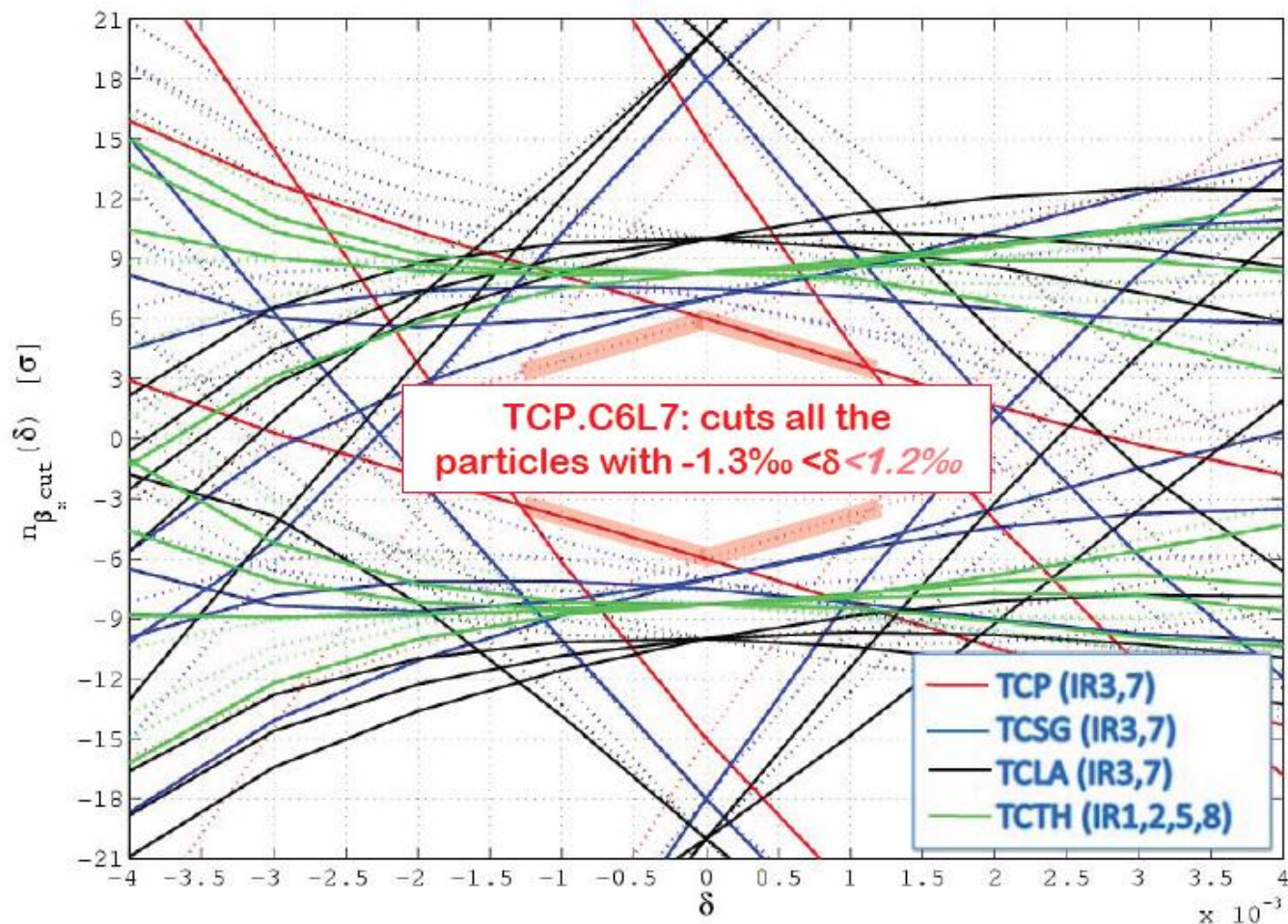
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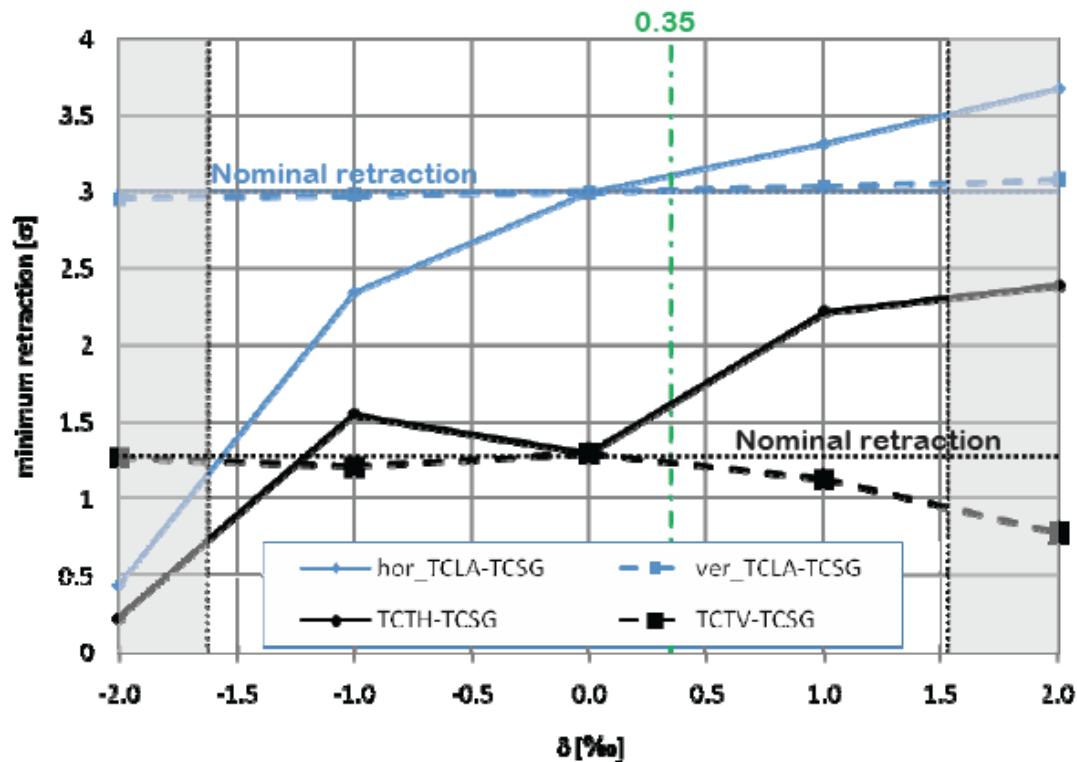
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# IR7 TCLA/TCTH-TCSG retraction [ $\sigma$ ]

Nominal half-gap ( $\beta=\beta_0$ ) in IR7: TCSG =  $7\sigma$   
 TCLA =  $10\sigma$   
 TCTH/V =  $8.3\sigma$



- Horizontal TCLA-TCSG:  
**1.8 $\sigma$  reduction  $\rightarrow$  Worrisome!**
- Horizontal TCTH-TCSG:  
**0.5 $\sigma$  reduction**  
**tighter tolerances!!**

# Conclusion

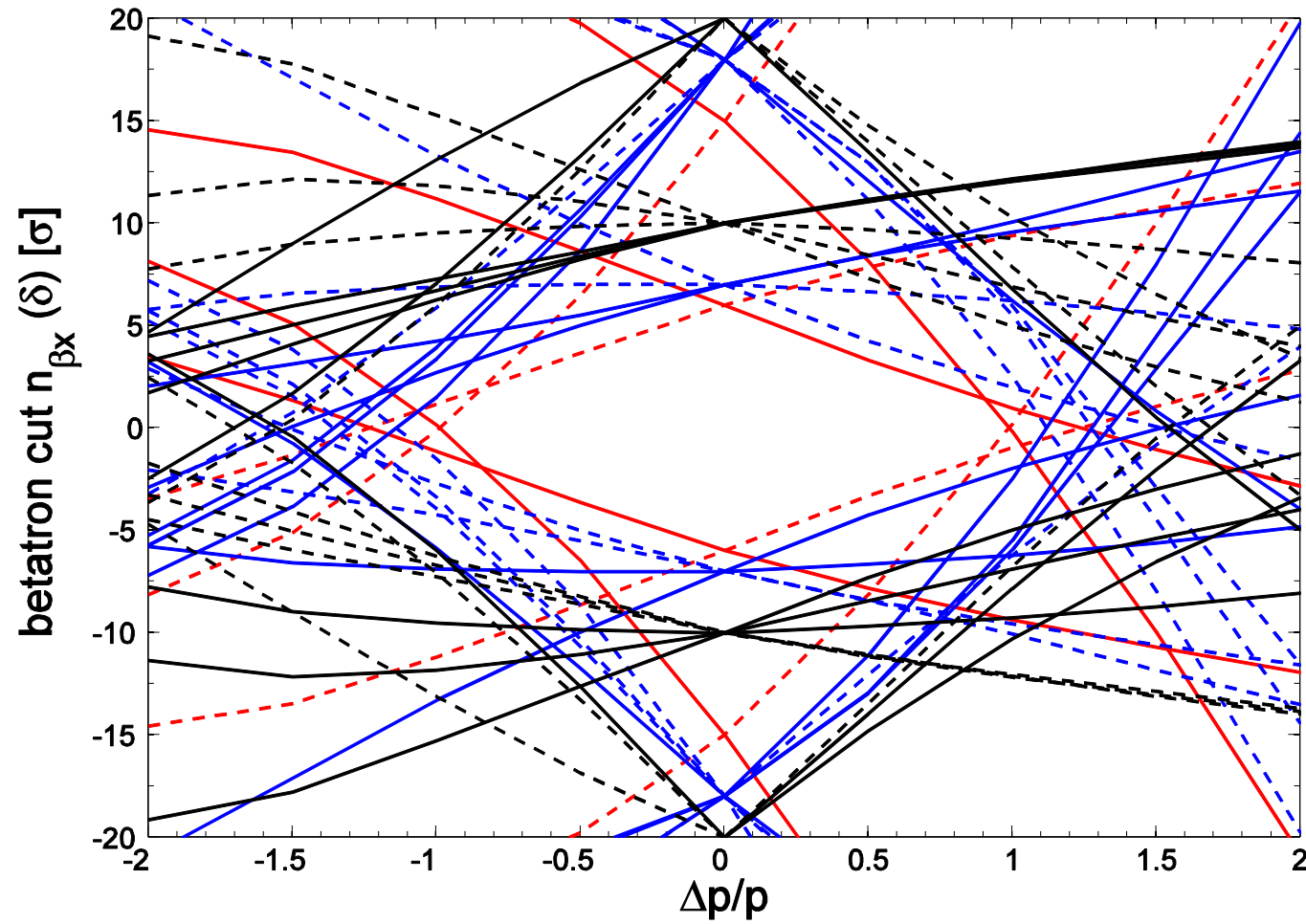
- The tolerances for LHC collimation were presented.
- Any upgrade must **respect the robustness limits of LHC collimation**, taking into account the beam energy stored in the tails of the LHC beams.
- We **presently run in a tolerance-optimized way** → 3 – 4 times the tolerances that we will have later at 7 TeV with the system (and LHC performance) pushed to its limit.
- Tolerances **will become very critical by the time we will install crab cavities** into LHC:
  - Almost half of the margin eaten up by transient orbit and beta beat errors.
  - Some other margin required for collimator stability.
  - Chromatic beta beat can take additional margin away.
  - Crab cavities should not reduce this further → local solution favored.
  - Impact of failures might be most critical residual issue with local crabbing.



# Additional Slides



# Phase Space Cut, 7 TeV, No Corrections, Separation ON



Seems OK...

Curved lines indicate effect of off-momentum changes.

However, hierarchy respected.

