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Target and proton extraction channel studies

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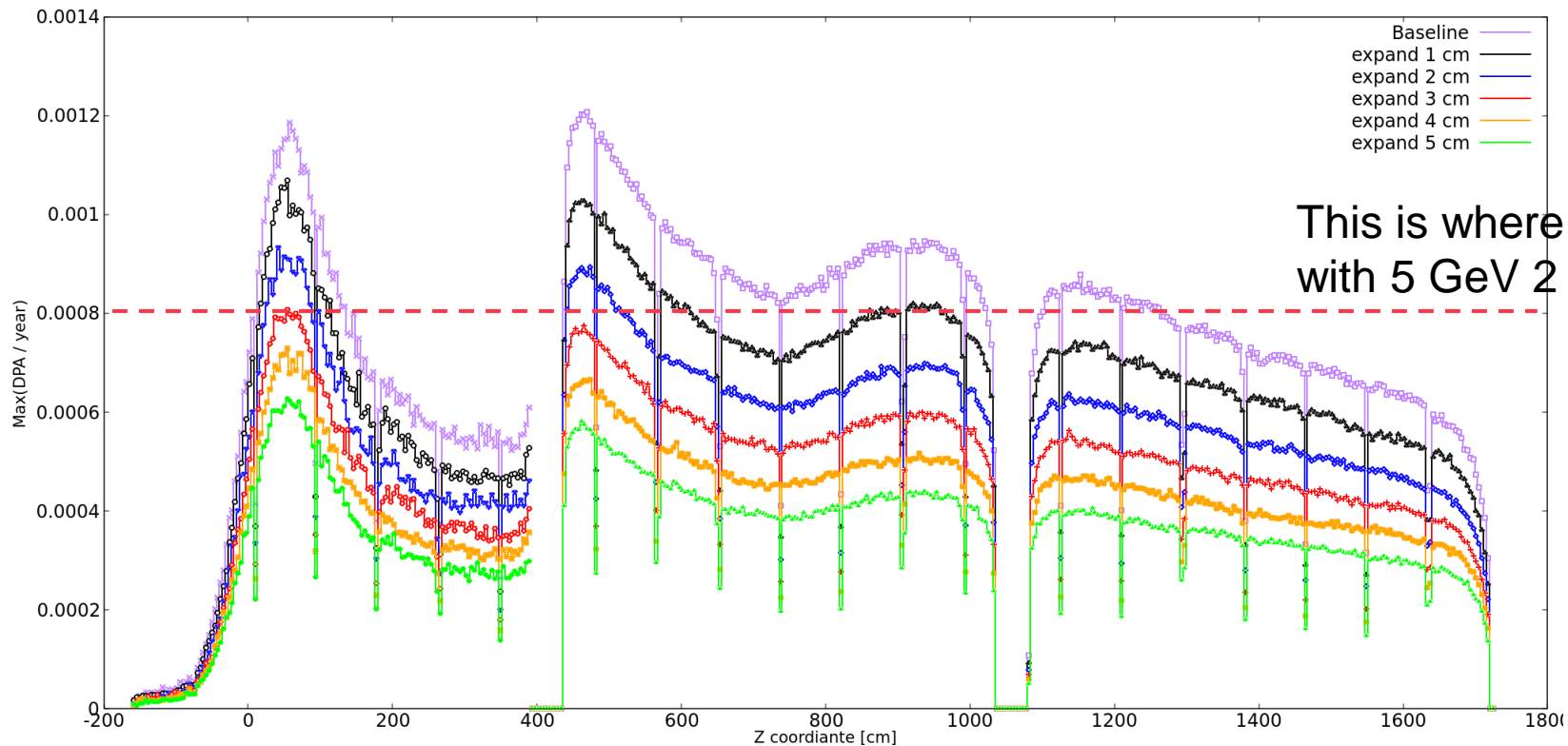
Outline



- Radiation load to the HTS magnets with structural constraints and 4 MW beam
- Energy deposition to the graphite target – forced convection vessel
- Graphite vs Lead – preliminary comparison
- Shortening the tapering region: 5 m and 10 m comparison
- Chicane studies continue

DPA in HTS, 4 MW 10 GeV

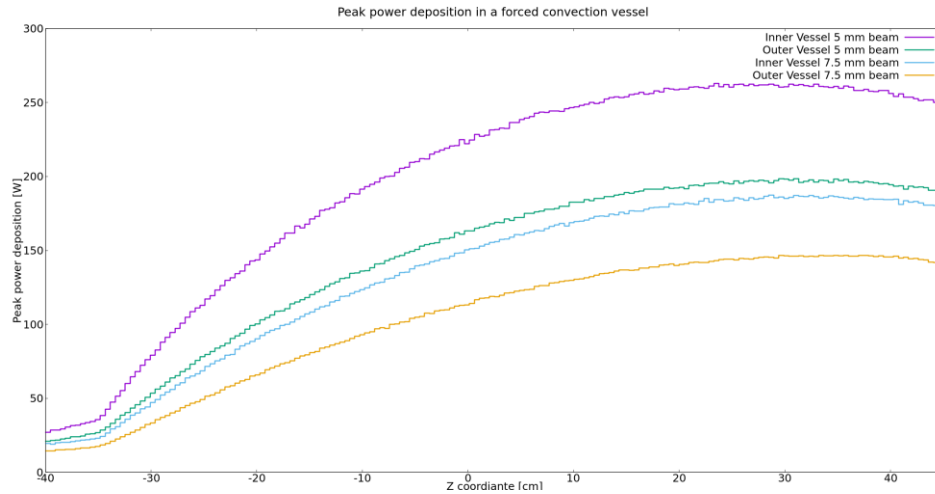
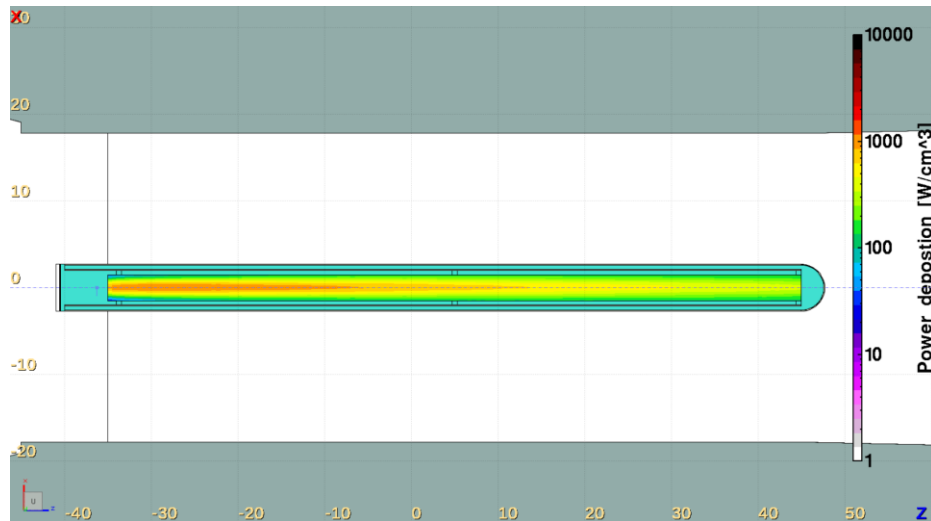
Max DPA for 4 MW 10 GeV proton beam



This is where we were
with 5 GeV 2 MW

Target Power deposition – forced convection vessel

Following the instructions from Silvio, the vessel walls are a only few mm from the edge of the target. **The goal of the study is to understand the power load in the new vessel design**



If this works, we could potentially reduce the magnet bore diameter by bringing the shielding closer to the target

Lead vs Graphite

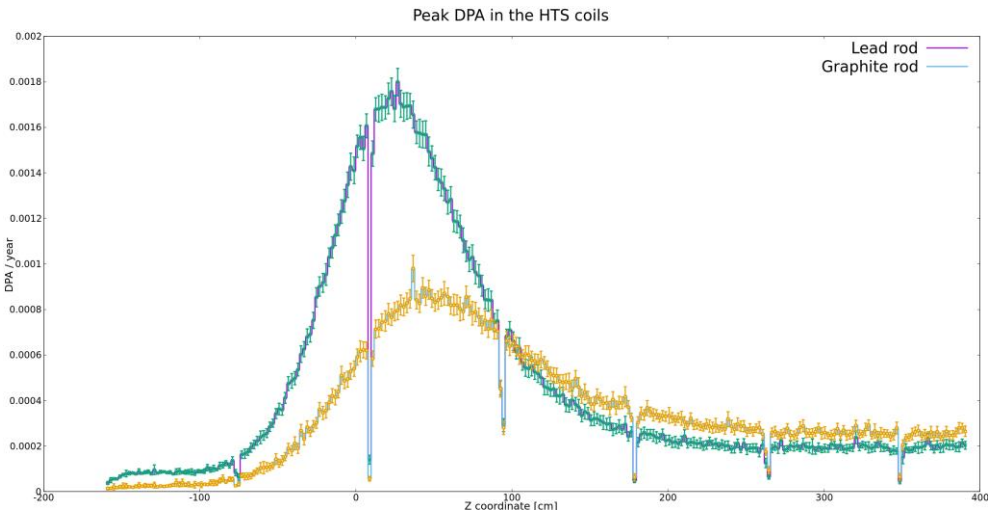
	Graphite	Lead
Length	80 cm	27.95 cm
Radius	15 mm	5.24 mm
Beam size (sigma)	5 mm	1.75 mm

In this comparison, both materials have the rod geometry; the length and the radius is re-scaled according to the ratio of 5 GeV proton inelastic scattering length

The beam size is also re-scaled accordingly and most likely not feasible for the investigated lead geometry,

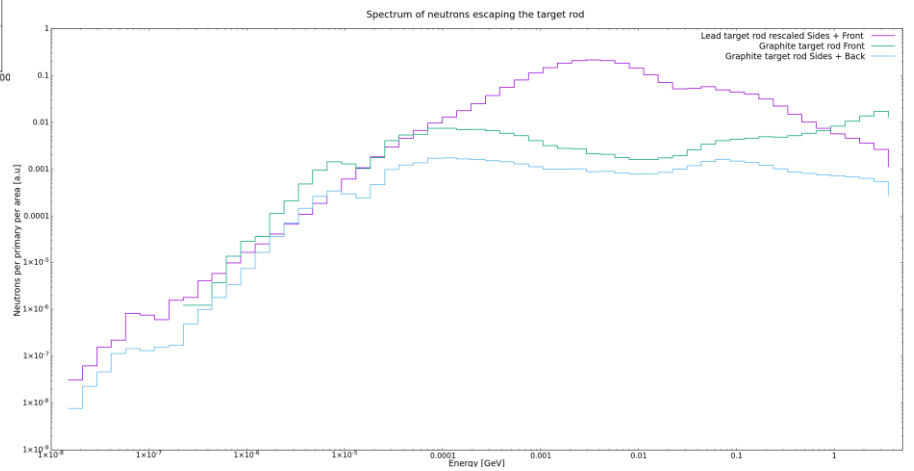
The study is meant to understand the pros and cons of different options.

Lead vs Graphite

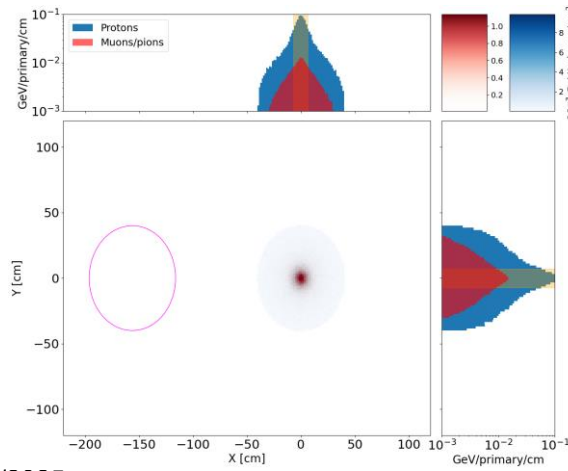
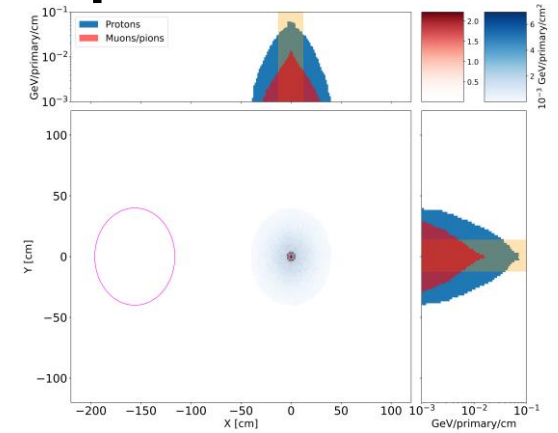
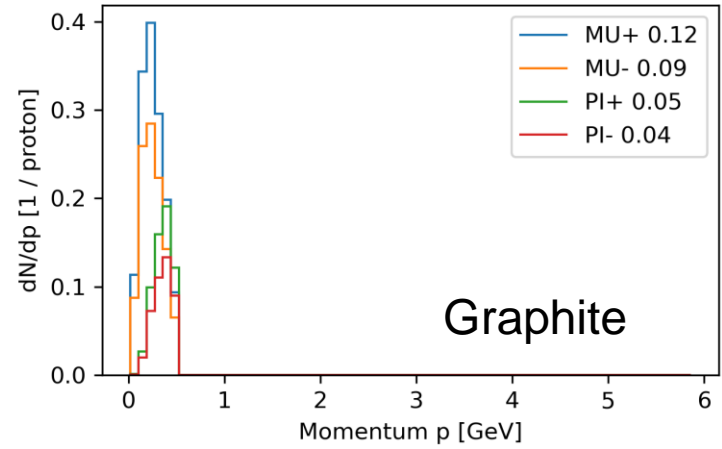
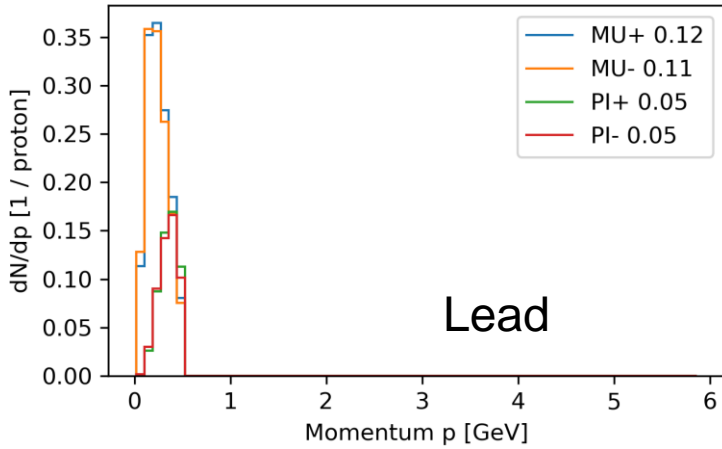


It is expected that the number of proton inelastic collisions is the same in both materials thanks to the re-scaling

However, the particle spectrum is different and also in the case of lead secondaries are produced on a shorter distance



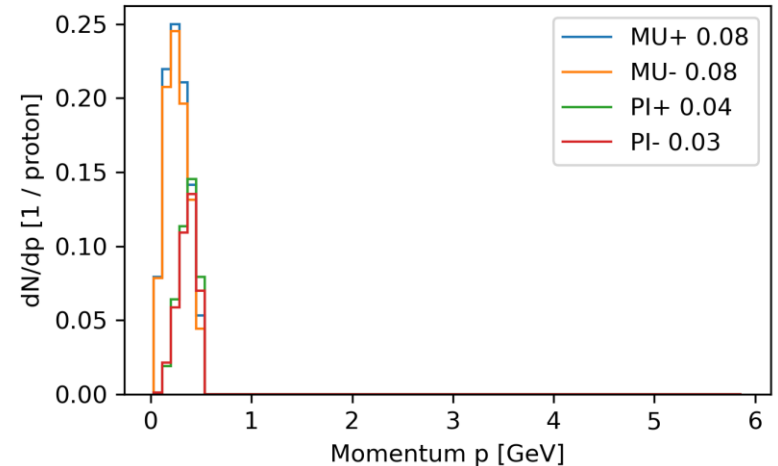
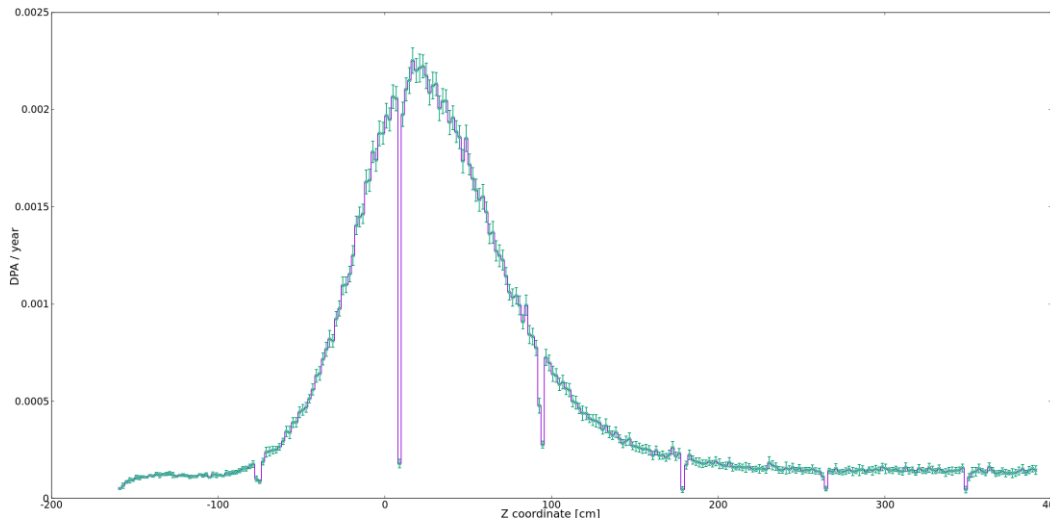
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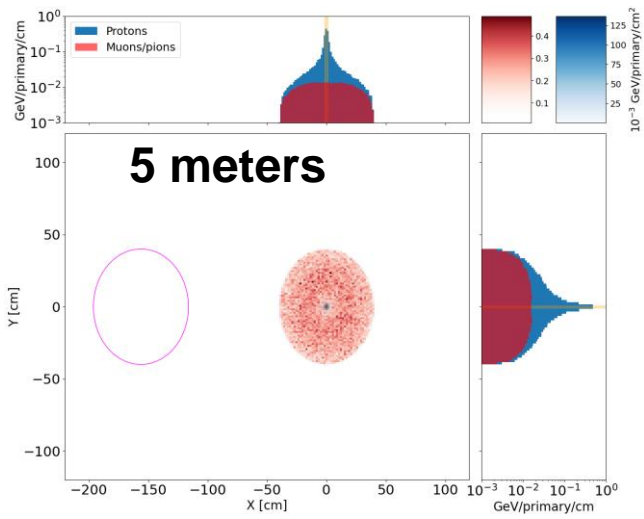
Lead curtain

- The more feasible proposed lead target geometry is a curtain, but it was found that it reduces the muon/pion yield while increasing the radiation load to the HTS coils.

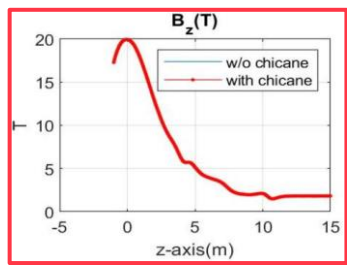
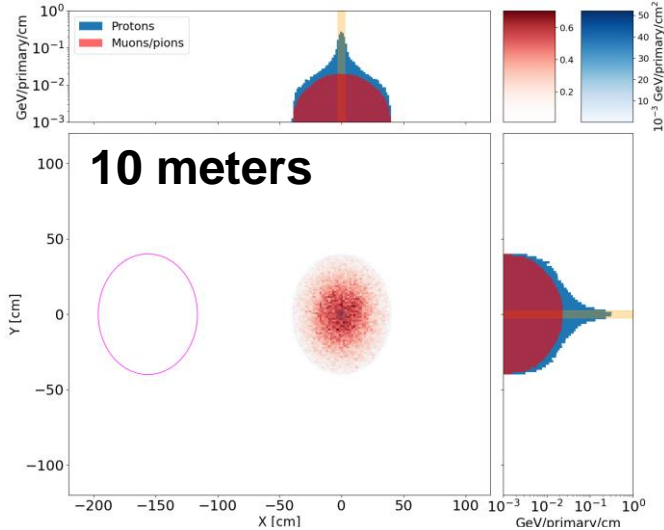
Peak DPA in the HTS coils from a Lead curtain



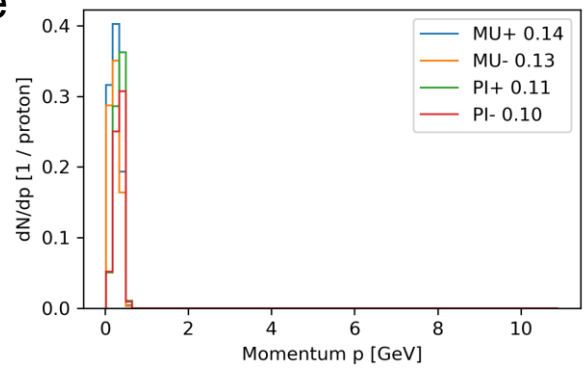
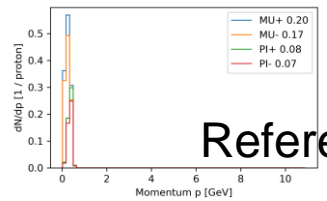
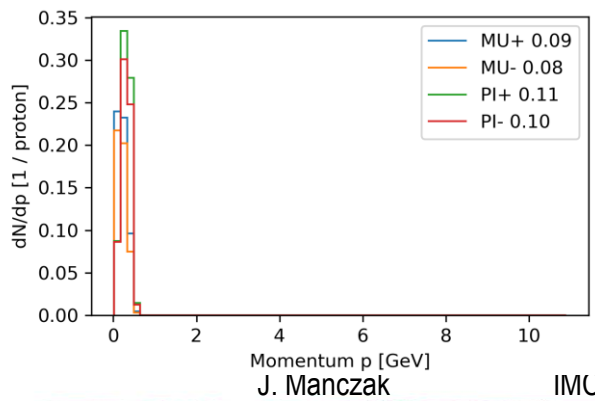
10 GeV 4 MW Shorter tapering – spent protons and yield



All the plots are at the end of the tapering

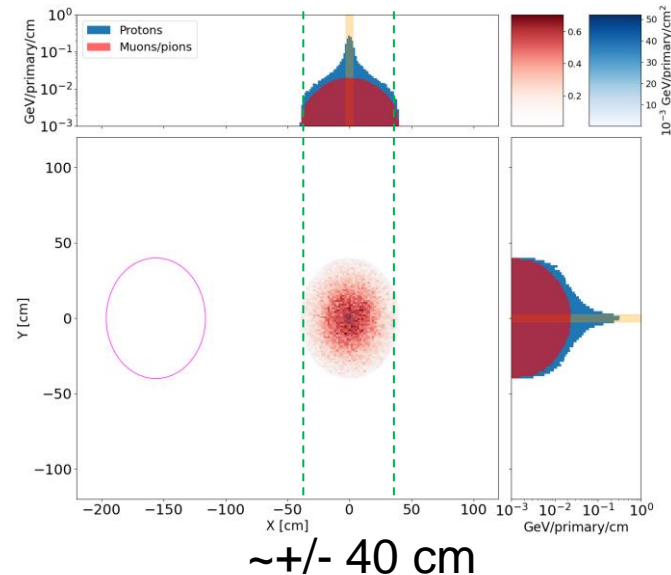


Magnetic field profile in the tapering is compressed in Z, not re-calculated!



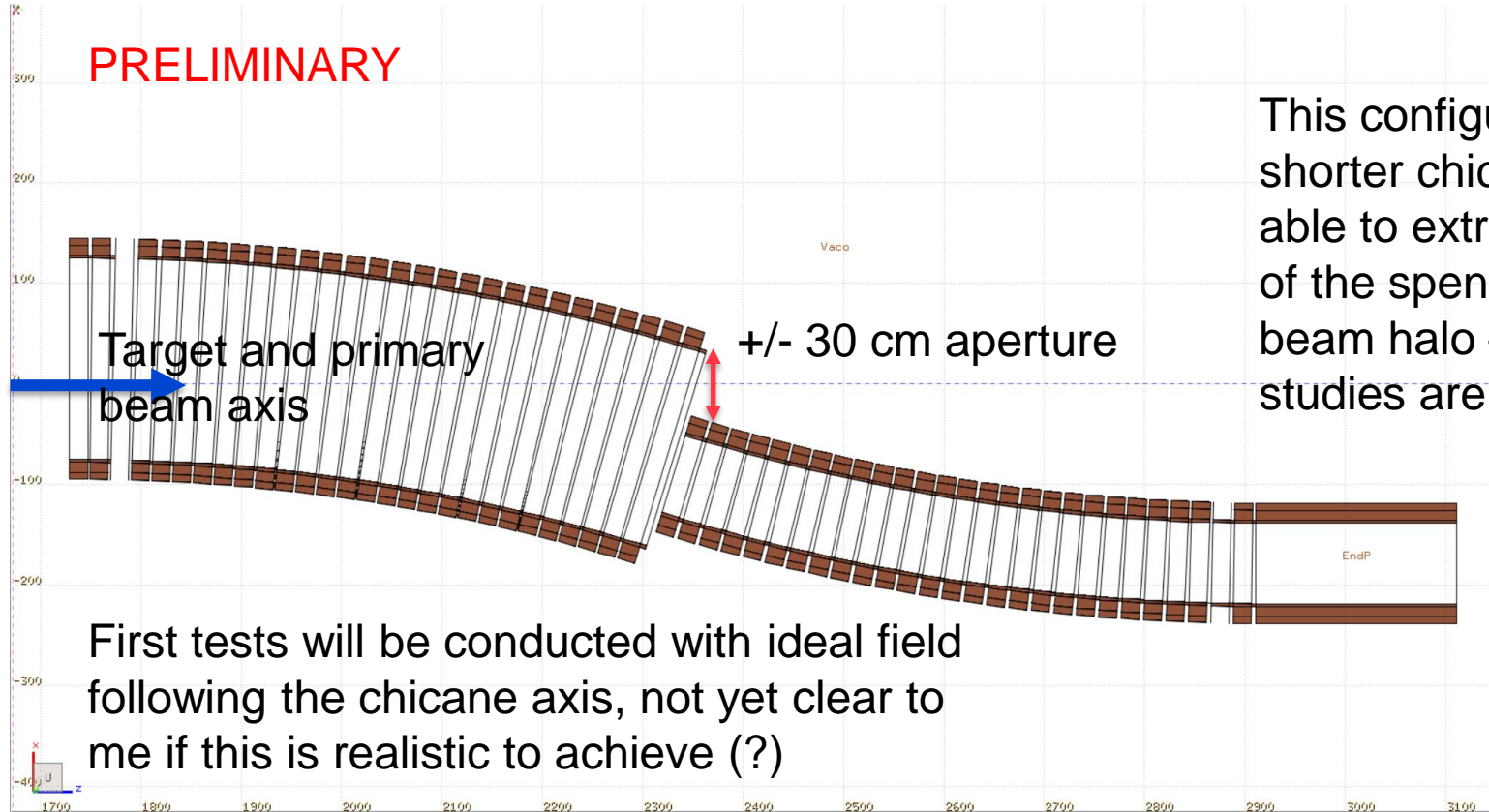
Short tapering

- Shortening the tapering does not reduce the radiation load to the chicane magnets – the proton halo is still present
- If we want to keep the solenoid chicane, we may have to search for viable solutions to expand the extraction window size.
- The spent beam size is mostly driven by the size of the tapering
- Current window size is $\sim \pm 20$ cm
- Doubling this size would be ideal.



Chicane with shifted axis

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This configuration with a shorter chicane could be able to extract a big part of the spent proton beam halo – more studies are needed

First tests will be conducted with ideal field following the chicane axis, not yet clear to me if this is realistic to achieve (?)