

# Beam-Beam Effects in colliders

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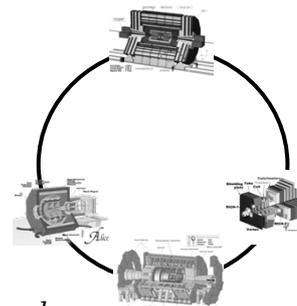
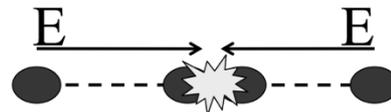


## Hadron Colliders

$$E^* \approx 2 \times E$$

$$N_{event/s} = L \cdot \sigma_{event}$$

$$L \propto \frac{N_p^2}{\sigma_x \sigma_y} \cdot n_b \cdot f_{rev}$$



**Bunch intensity:**  $N_p = 1.15 - 1.65 \cdot 10^{11}$  ppb

**Transverse Beam size:**  $\sigma_{x,y} = 16 - 30 \mu m$

**Number of bunches** 1370 - 2808

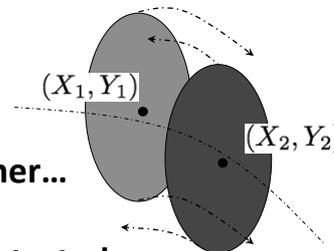
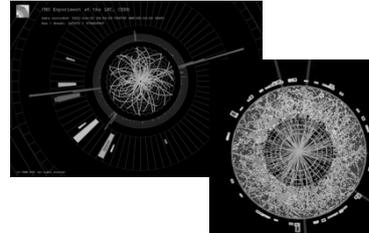
**Revolution frequency** 11 kHz

## When do we have beam-beam effects?

➤ They occur when two beams get closer and collide

➤ Two types

- High energy collisions between two particles (wanted)
- Distortions of beam by electromagnetic forces (unwanted)



- **Unfortunately: usually both go together...**
- **0.001% (or less) of particles collide**
- **99.999% (or more) of particles are distorted**

## Beam-beam effects: overview

➤ **Circular Colliders:** interaction occurs at every turn

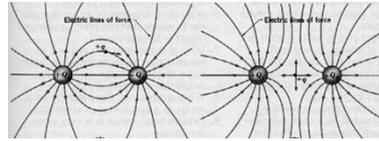
- Many effects and problems
- Try to understand some of them

- Overview of selected effects (single particle and multi-particle effects)
- Qualitative and physical picture of effects
- Observations
- Mathematical derivations and more info in References [1,3,4] or at

Beam-beam webpage <http://lhc-beam-beam.web.cern.ch/lhc-beam-beam/>  
And CAS Proceedings

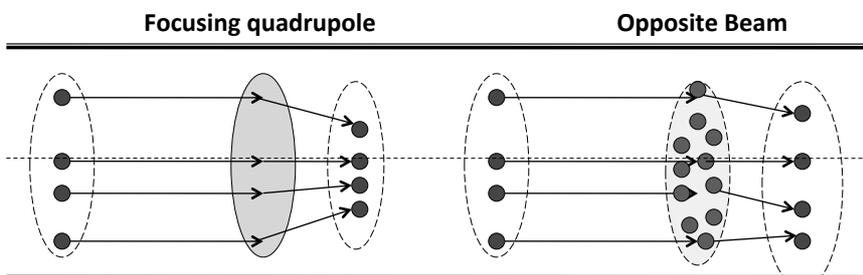
## Beams EM potential

- Beam is a collection of charges
- Beam is an electromagnetic potential for other charges



Force on itself (space charge) and opposing beam (beam-beam effects)

Single particle motion and whole bunch motion distorted



A beam acts on particles like an electromagnetic lens, but...

## Beam-beam Mathematics

General approach in electromagnetic problems Reference[5] already applied to beam-beam interactions in Reference[1,3, 4]

$$\Delta U = -\frac{1}{\epsilon_0} \rho(x, y, z)$$

Derive potential from Poisson equation for charges with distribution  $\rho$

$$U(x, y, z, \sigma_x, \sigma_y, \sigma_z) = \frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \iiint \frac{\rho(x_0, y_0, z_0) dx_0 dy_0 dz_0}{\sqrt{(x-x_0)^2 + (y-y_0)^2 + (z-z_0)^2}}$$

Solution of Poisson equation

$$\vec{E} = -\nabla U(x, y, z, \sigma_x, \sigma_y, \sigma_z)$$

Then compute the fields

$$\vec{F} = q(\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B})$$

From Lorentz force one calculates the force acting on test particle with charge  $q$

Making some assumptions we can simplify the problem and derive analytical formula for the force...

## Round Gaussian distribution:

Gaussian distribution for charges:

Round beams:

Very relativistic, Force has only radial component :

$$\sigma_x = \sigma_y = \sigma$$

$$\beta \approx 1 \quad r^2 = x^2 + y^2$$

$$F \propto \frac{N_p}{\sigma} \cdot \frac{1}{r} \cdot \left[ 1 - e^{-\frac{r^2}{2\sigma^2}} \right]$$

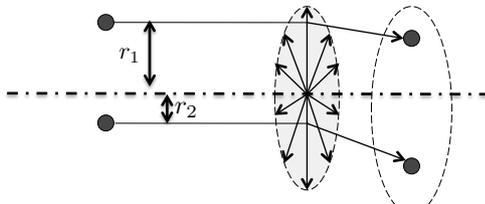
**Beam-beam Force**

$$\Delta r' = \frac{1}{mc\beta\gamma} \int F_r(r, s, t) dt$$

**Beam-beam kick obtained  
integrating the force over the  
collision (i.e. time of passage)**

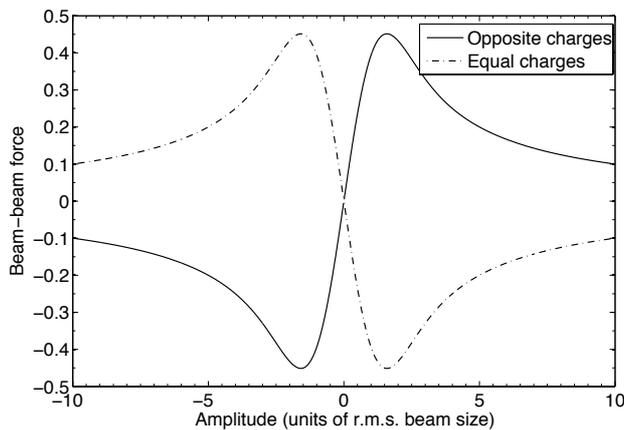
$$\Delta r' = -\frac{N_p r_0}{r} \cdot \frac{r}{r^2} \left[ 1 - e^{-\frac{r^2}{2\sigma^2}} \right]$$

**Only radial component in  
relativistic case**



**How does this force look  
like?**

## Beam-beam Force



$$F_r(r) = \pm \frac{ne^2(1 + \beta_{rel}^2)}{2\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{r} \left[ 1 - \exp\left(-\frac{r^2}{2\sigma^2}\right) \right]$$

## Why do we care?

Pushing for luminosity means stronger beam-beam effects

$$\mathcal{L} \propto \frac{N_p^2}{\sigma_x \sigma_y} \cdot n_b$$

$$F \propto \frac{N_p}{\sigma} \cdot \frac{1}{r} \cdot \left[ 1 - e^{-\frac{r^2}{2\sigma^2}} \right]$$

Physics fill lasts for many hours 10h – 24h

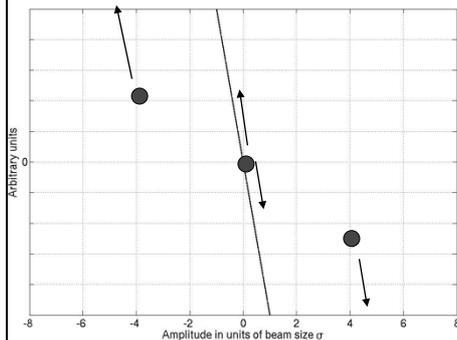
**Strongest non-linearity in a collider YOU CANNOT AVOID!**



Two main questions:  
 What happens to a single particle?  
 What happens to the whole beam?

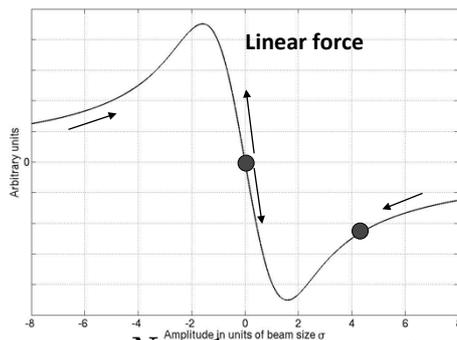
## Beam-Beam Force: single particle...

Lattice defocusing quadrupole



$$F = -k \cdot r$$

Beam-beam force



$$F \propto \frac{N_p}{\sigma} \cdot \frac{1}{r} \cdot \left[ 1 - e^{-\frac{r^2}{2\sigma^2}} \right]$$

For small amplitudes: linear force  
 For large amplitude: very non-linear

**The beam will act as a strong non-linear electromagnetic lens!**

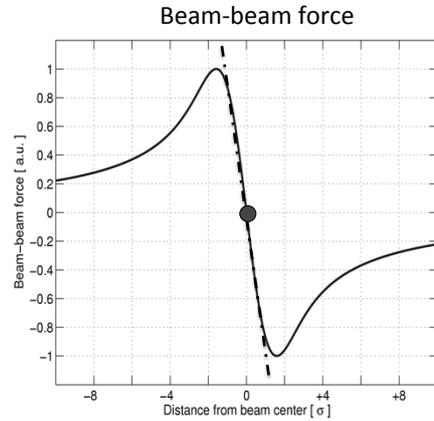
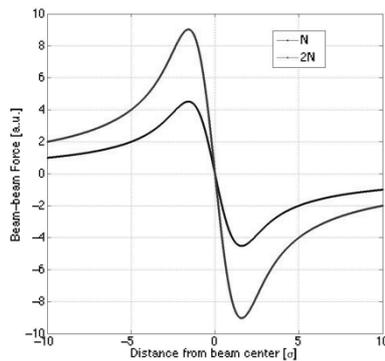
### Can we quantify the beam-beam strenght?

Quantifies the strength of the force but does NOT reflect the nonlinear nature of the force

For small amplitudes: linear force

$$F \propto -\xi \cdot r$$

The slope of the force gives you the beam-beam parameter  $\xi$



$$\Delta r' = -\frac{N_p r_0}{r} \cdot \frac{r}{r^2} \cdot \left[ 1 - e^{-\frac{r^2}{2\sigma^2}} \right]$$

$$\Delta r' = \frac{2N_p r_0}{\gamma} \cdot \frac{1}{r} \cdot \left[ 1 - \left( 1 - \frac{r^2}{2\sigma^2} + \dots \right) \right]$$

### Colliders:

For round beams:

$$\xi = \frac{\beta^*}{4\pi} \cdot \frac{\delta(\Delta r')}{\delta r} = \frac{N r_0 \beta^*}{4\pi \gamma \sigma^2}$$

For non-round beams:

$$\xi_{x,y} = \frac{N r_0 \beta_{x,y}^*}{2\pi \gamma \sigma_{x,y} (\sigma_x + \sigma_y)}$$

#### Examples:

Parameters	LEP (e <sup>+</sup> e <sup>-</sup> )	LHC(pp)
Intensity N <sub>p,e</sub> /bunch	4 · 10 <sup>11</sup>	1.15 · 10 <sup>11</sup>
Energy GeV	100	7000
Beam size H	160-200 μm	16.6 μm
Beam size V	2-4 μm	16.6 μm
β <sub>x,y</sub> <sup>*</sup> m	1.25-0.05	0.55-0.55
Crossing angle μrad	0	285
ξ <sub>bb</sub>	0.07	0.0037

## Linear Tune shift

For small amplitudes beam-beam can be approximated as linear force as a quadrupole

$$F \propto -\xi \cdot r$$

**Focal length:** 
$$\frac{1}{f} = \frac{\Delta x'}{x} = \frac{Nr_0}{\gamma\sigma^2} = \frac{\xi \cdot 4\pi}{\beta^*}$$

**Beam-beam matrix:** 
$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{\xi \cdot 4\pi}{\beta^*} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

**Perturbed one turn matrix with perturbed tune  $\Delta Q$  and beta function at the IP  $\beta^*$ :**

$$\begin{aligned} & \begin{pmatrix} \cos(2\pi(Q + \Delta Q)) & \beta^* \sin(2\pi(Q + \Delta Q)) \\ -\frac{1}{\beta^*} \sin(2\pi(Q + \Delta Q)) & \cos(2\pi(Q + \Delta Q)) \end{pmatrix} \\ = & \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2f} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \cos(2\pi Q) & \beta_0^* \sin(2\pi Q) \\ -\frac{1}{\beta_0^*} \sin(2\pi Q) & \cos(2\pi Q) \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2f} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

## Linear tune

Solving the one turn matrix one can derive the tune shift  $\Delta Q$  and the perturbed beta function at the IP  $\beta^*$ :

**Tune is changed**

$$\cos(2\pi(Q + \Delta Q)) = \cos(2\pi Q) - \frac{\beta_0^* \cdot 4\pi\xi}{\beta^*} \sin(2\pi Q)$$

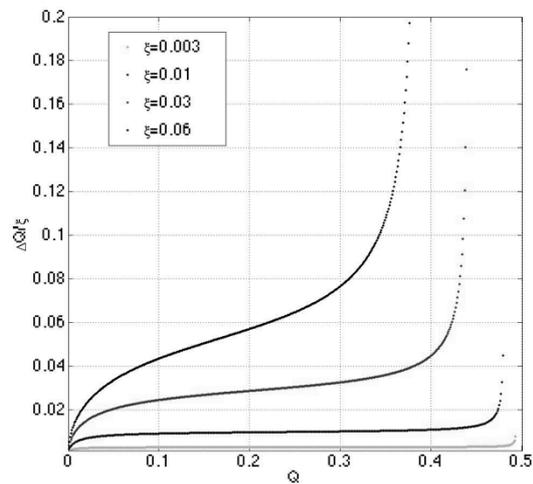
**$\beta$ -function is changed:**

$$\frac{\beta^*}{\beta_0^*} = \frac{\sin(2\pi Q)}{\sin(2\pi(Q + \Delta Q))}$$

...how do they change?

### Tune dependence of tune shift and dynamic beta

Tune shift as a function of tune

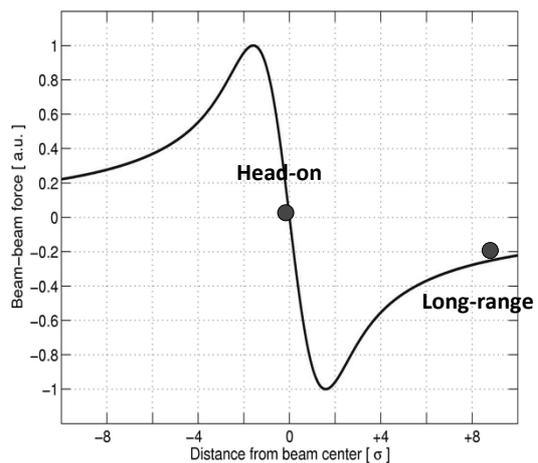


Larger  $\xi$  → Strongest variation with Q

### Head-on and Long-range interactions

Beam-beam force

$$L \propto \frac{N_p^2}{\sigma_x \sigma_y} \cdot n_b \cdot f_{rev}$$



Other beam passing in the center force: HEAD-ON beam-beam interaction

Other beam passing at an offset of the force: LONG-RANGE beam-beam interaction

### Circular colliders HO and LR

**SPS collider: 6 bunches  
3 HO and 9 LR**

IP 5 - UA 1  
electrostatic separators  
IP 4 - UA2  
electrostatic separators  
IP 6  
IP 1  
proton orbit for oper with 6 \* 6 bunches  
IP 3  
antiproton orbit for operation with 6 \* 6 bunches  
IP 2

**Tevatron: 36 bunches  
2 BBIs Head-on and 72 Long-range**

**RHIC: 110 bunches  
2 BBIs Head-on**

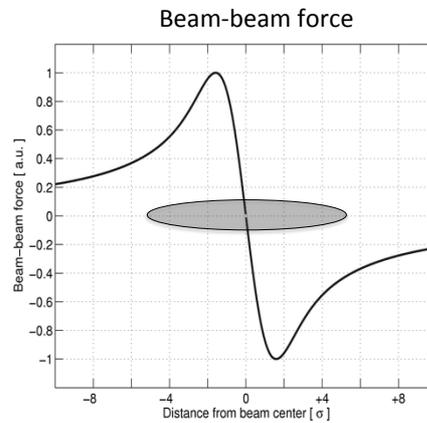
### LHC, KEKB... colliders

- Crossing angle operation
- High number of bunches in train structures

**72 bunches**

	SppS	Tevatron	RHIC	LHC
Number Bunches	6	36	109	2808
LR interactions	9	70	0	120/40
Head-on interactions	3	2	2	4

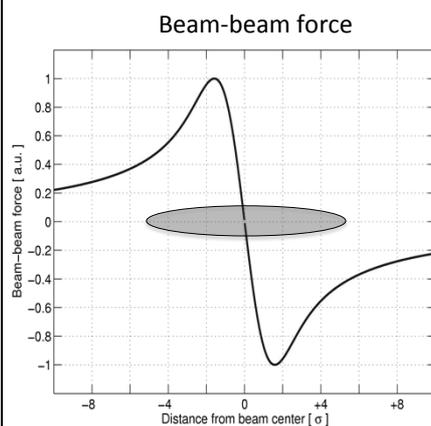
## A beam is a collection of particles



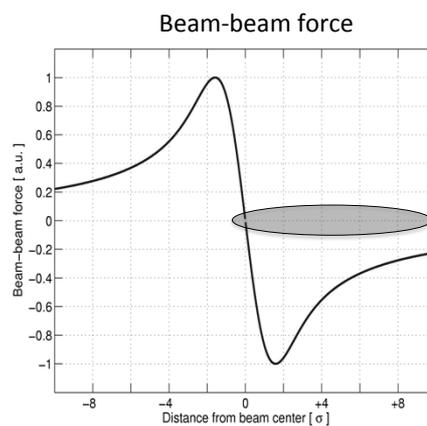
Beam 2 passing in the center of force produce by Beam 1  
 Particles of Beam 2 will experience different ranges of the beam-beam forces

**Tune shift as a function of amplitude (detuning with amplitude or  
 tune spread)**

## A beam will experience all the force range



Second beam passing in the center  
**HEAD-ON beam-beam interaction**

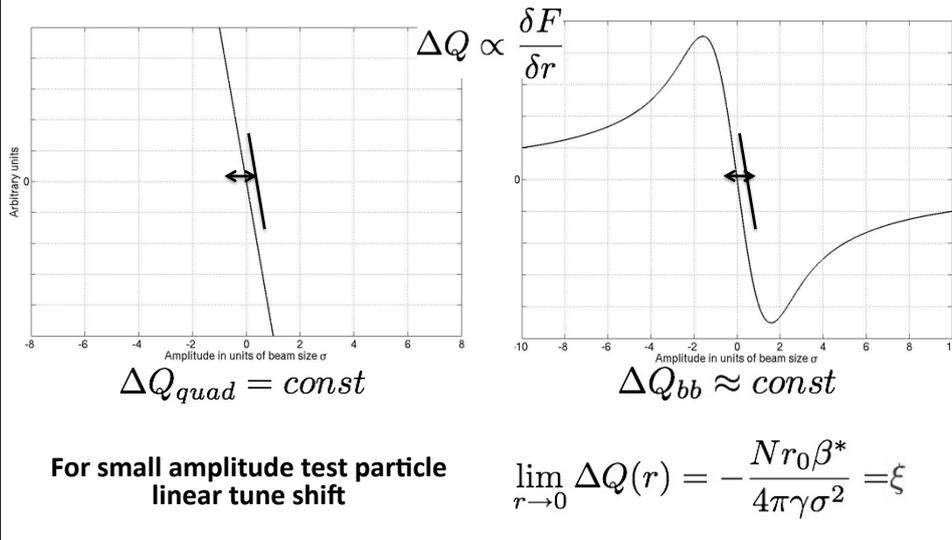


Second beam displaced offset  
**LONG-RANGE beam-beam interaction**

**Different particles will see different force**

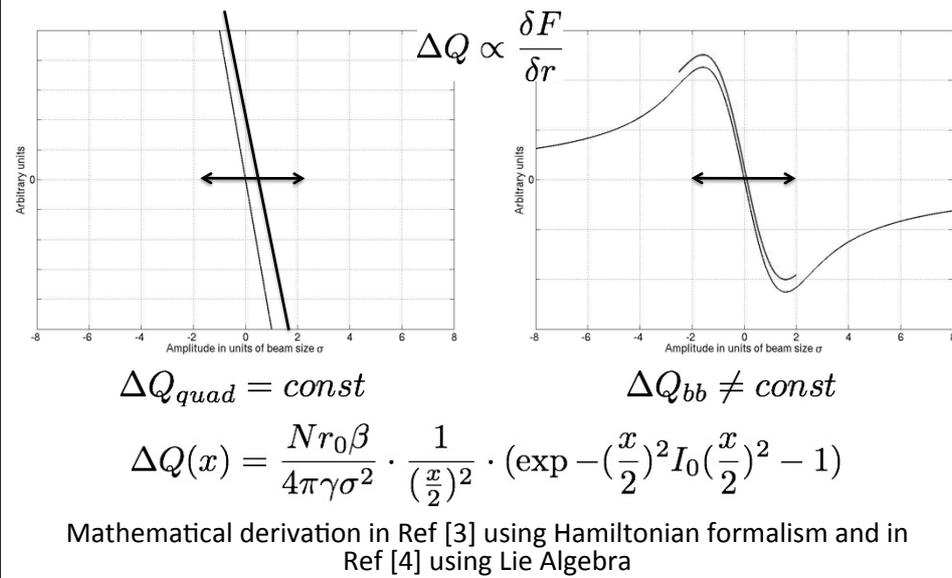
## Detuning with Amplitude for head-on

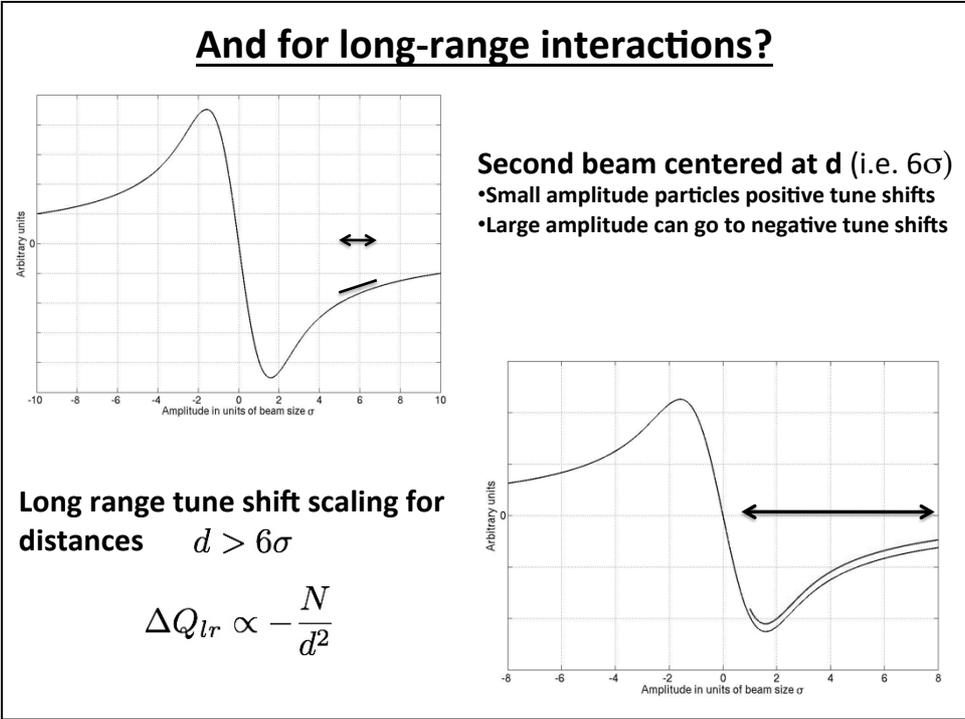
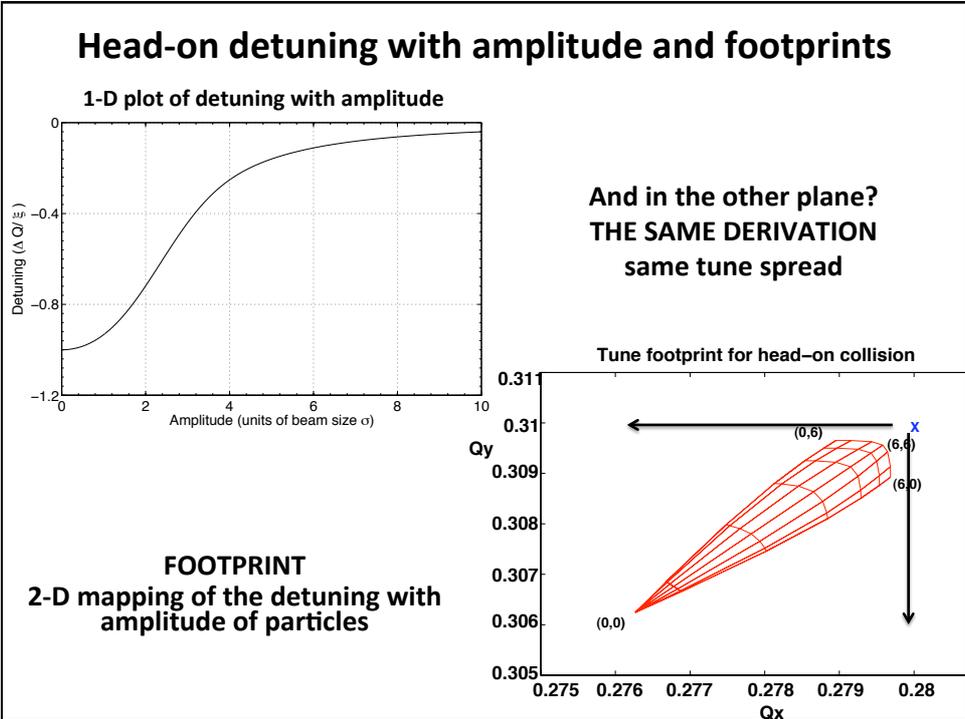
Instantaneous tune shift of test particle when it crosses the other beam is related to the derivative of the force with respect to the amplitude



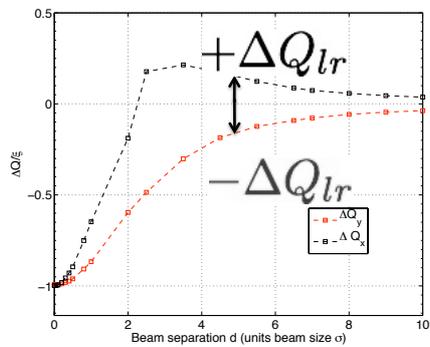
## Detuning with Amplitude for head-on

Beam with many particles this results in a tune spread



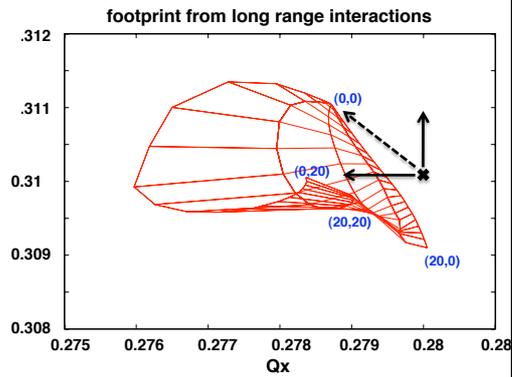


## Long-range footprints

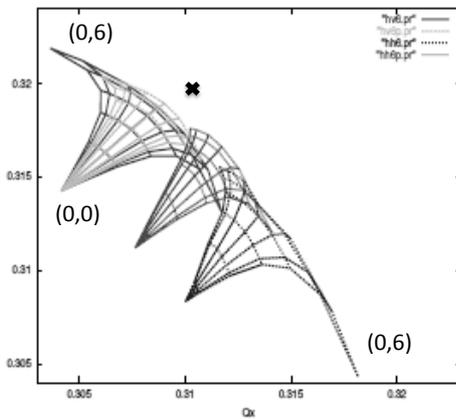


Separation in vertical plane!  
 And in horizontal plane?  
 The test particle is centered with  
 the opposite beam  
 tune spread more like for head-on  
 at large amplitudes

The picture is more complicated  
 now the LARGE amplitude particles  
 see the second beam and have  
 larger tune shift



## Beam-beam tune shift and spread



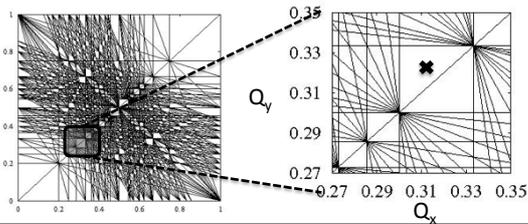
Footprints depend on:

- number of interactions
- Type (Head-on and long-range)
- Plane of interaction

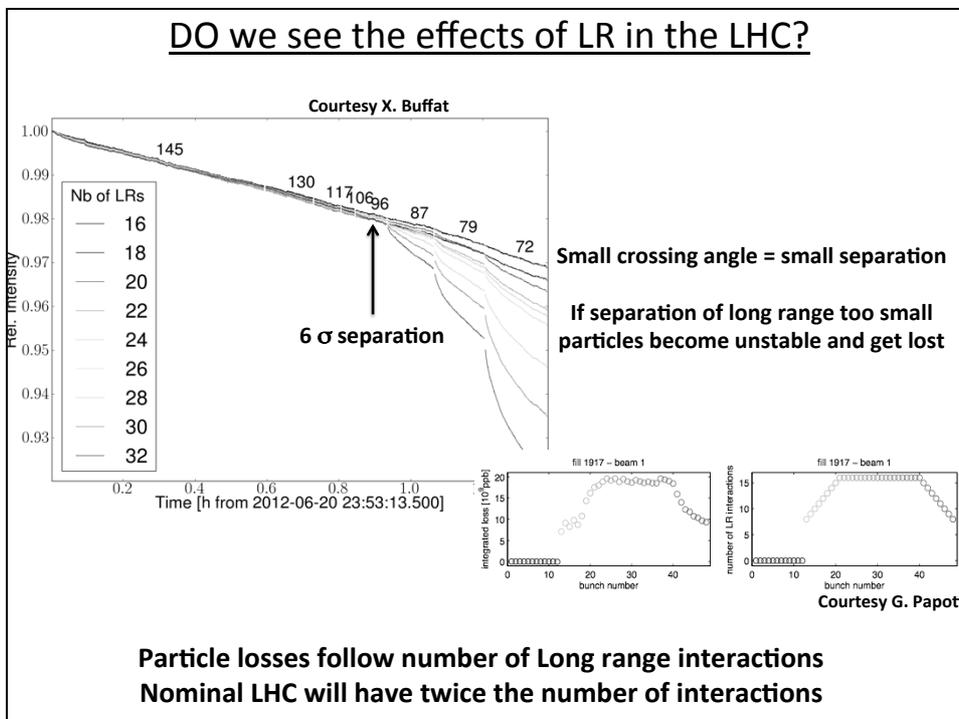
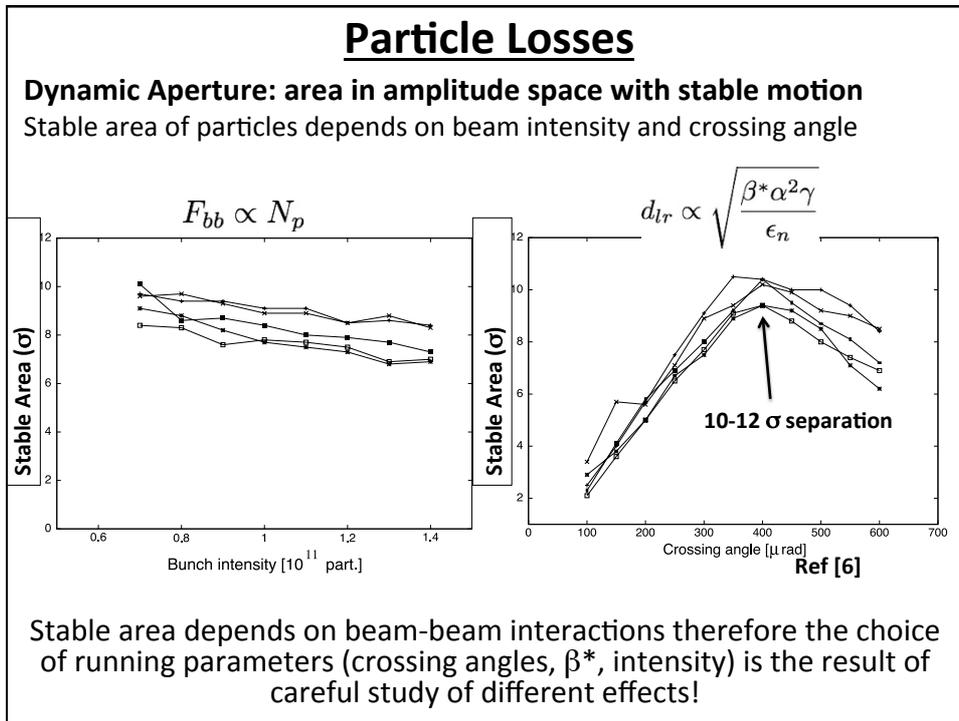
When long-range effects become  
 important footprint wings appear and  
 alternating crossing important

Aim to reduce the area as much as  
 possible!

Passive compensation of tune shift Ref[7]







## Observations in Leptons:

From our known formulas:

$$L = \frac{N_1 N_2 f n_b}{4\pi\sigma_x\sigma_y} \quad \xi_{x,y} = \frac{N r_0 \beta_{x,y}^*}{2\pi\gamma\sigma_{x,y}(\sigma_x + \sigma_y)}$$

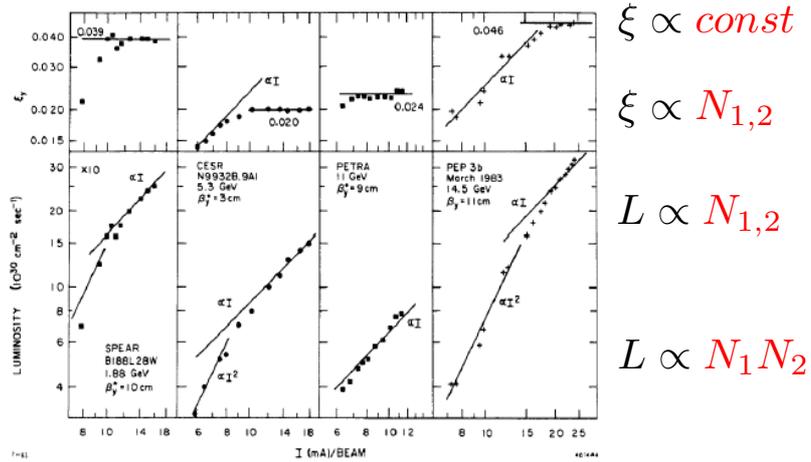
Increasing bunch population  $N_1$  and  $N_2$ :

- luminosity should increase  $N_2$   $L \propto N_1 N_2$
- beam-beam parameter linearly  $\xi \propto N_{1,2}$

But...

## Leptons beam-beam limit

First beam-beam limit (J. Seeman, 1983)



Luminosity and vertical tune shift parameter vs. beam current for SPEAR, CESR, PETRA & PEP.

## What is happening?

Again....

$$\xi_{x,y} = \frac{Nr_0\beta_{x,y}^*}{2\pi\gamma\sigma_{x,y}(\sigma_x + \sigma_y)}$$

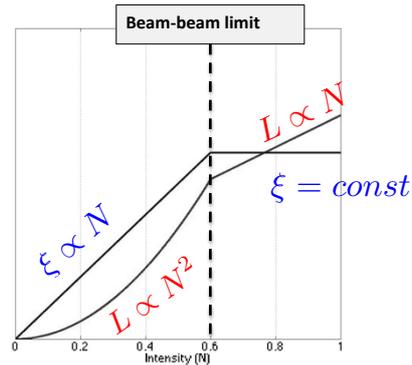
$$L = \frac{N^2fn_b}{4\pi\sigma_x\sigma_y}$$

Lepton colliders  $\sigma_x \gg \sigma_y$

$$\xi_y \approx \frac{r_0\beta_y^*}{2\pi\gamma\sigma_x} \left( \frac{N}{\sigma_y} \right)$$

$$L = \frac{Nfn_b}{4\pi\sigma_x} \left( \frac{N}{\sigma_y} \right)$$

As to be constant!



**Above beam-beam limit:**

**$\sigma_y$  increases when N increases to keep  $\xi$  constant**

## Equilibrium emittance

1. Synchrotron radiation: vertical plane damped, horizontal plane excited!
2. Horizontal beam size normally much larger than vertical (LEP 200 - 4  $\mu\text{m}$ )
3. Vertical beam-beam effect depends on horizontal (larger) amplitude
4. Coupling from horizontal to vertical plane

$$\xi_{x,y} = \frac{Nr_0\beta_{x,y}^*}{2\pi\gamma\sigma_{x,y}(\sigma_x + \sigma_y)}$$

**Equilibrium between horizontal excitation and vertical damping determines  $\xi_{\text{limit}}$**

## Long-range BB and Orbit Effects

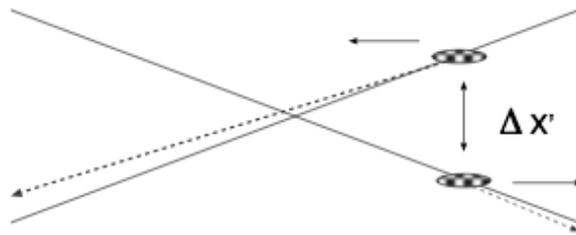
Long Range Beam-beam interactions lead to orbit effects

Long range kick 
$$\Delta x'(x + d, y, r) = -\frac{2Nr_0}{\gamma} \frac{(x + d)}{r^2} [1 - \exp(-\frac{r^2}{2\sigma^2})]$$

For well separated beams  $d \gg \sigma$

The force has an amplitude independent contribution: ORBIT KICK

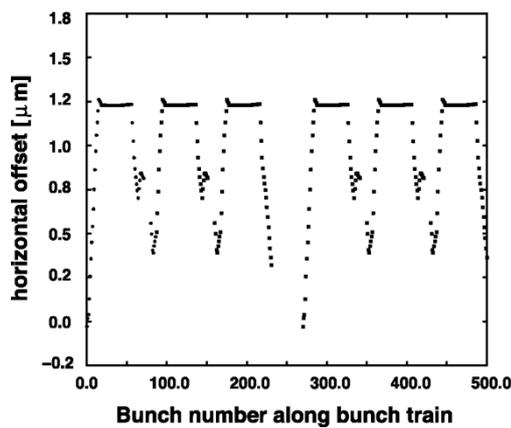
$$\Delta x' = \frac{const}{d} [1 - \frac{x}{d} + O(\frac{x^2}{d^2}) + \dots]$$



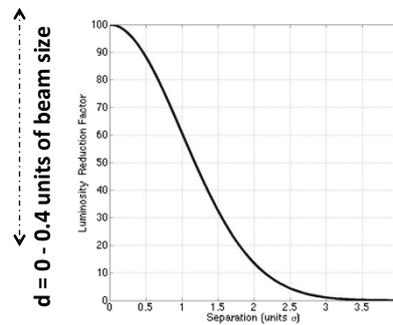
Orbit can be corrected but we should remember PACMAN effects

## LHC orbit effects

Orbit effects different due to Pacman effects and the many long-range add up giving a non negligible effect



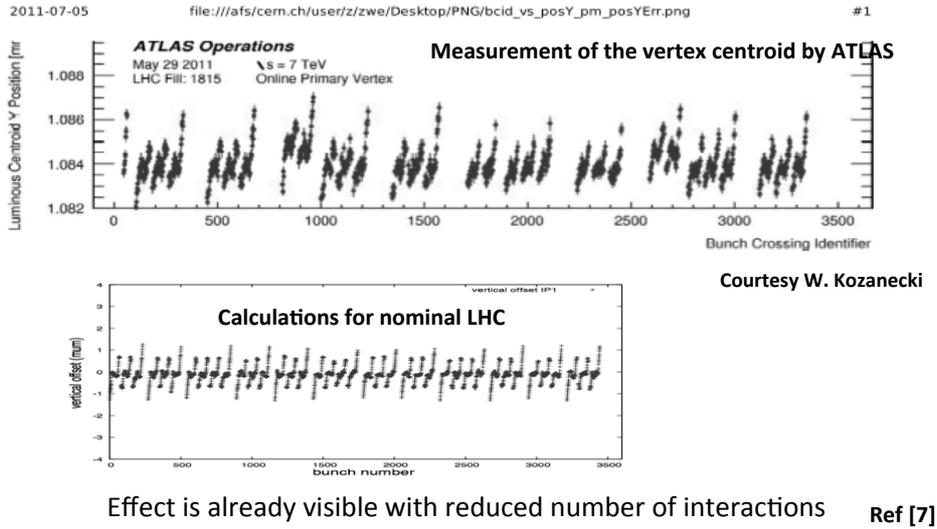
$$L = L_0 \cdot e^{-\frac{d^2}{4\sigma_x^2}}$$



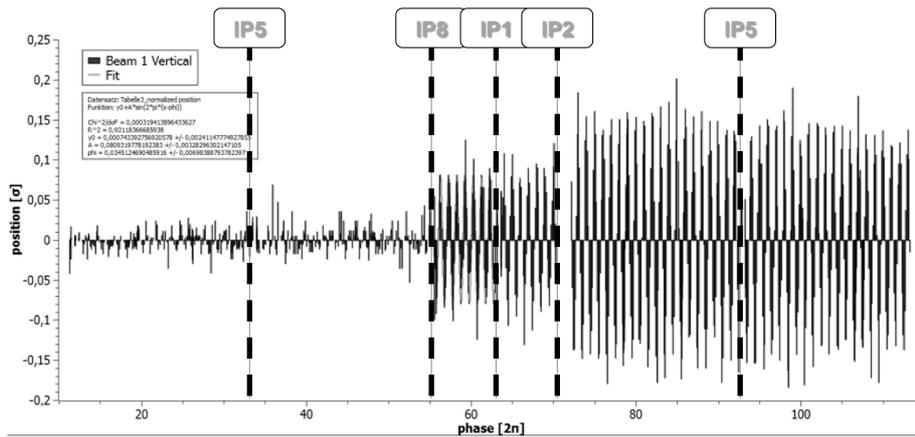
Ref [7]

## Long range orbit effect

Long range interactions leads to orbit offsets at the experiment a direct consequence is deterioration of the luminosity

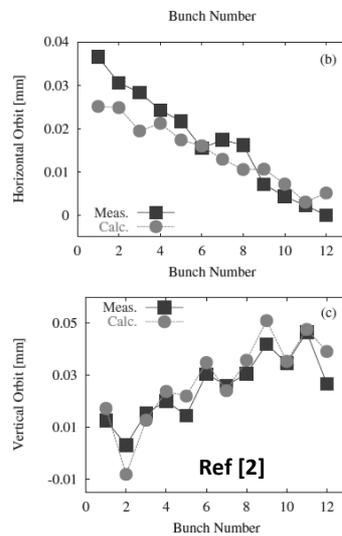


## Long range orbit effect observations:



Vertical oscillation starts when one beam is ejected and dumped

## Tevatron orbit effects



Beam-beam single bunch orbit can be well reproduced and measured also in LEP

Effects can become important  
(1  $\sigma$  offset not impossible)

**LUMINOSITY Deterioration**

## Coherent dipolar beam-beam modes

Coherent beam-beam effects arise from the forces which an exciting bunch exerts on a whole test bunch during collision

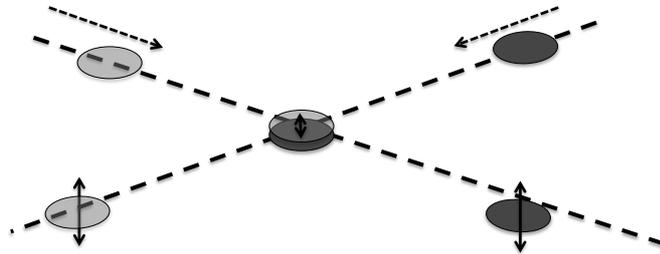
We study the collective behaviour of all particles of a bunch

Coherent motion requires an organized behaviour of all particles of the bunch

### **Coherent beam-beam force**

- Beam distributions  $\Psi_1$  and  $\Psi_2$  mutually changed by interaction
- Interaction depends on distributions
  - Beam 1  $\Psi_1$  solution depends on beam 2  $\Psi_2$
  - Beam 2  $\Psi_2$  solution depends on beam 1  $\Psi_1$
- Need a self-consistent solution

## Coherent beam-beam effects



- Whole bunch sees a kick as an entity (coherent kick)
- Coherent kick seen by full bunch different from single particle kick
- Requires integration of individual kick over particle distribution

$$\Delta r' = -\frac{N_p r_0}{r} \cdot \frac{r}{r^2} \cdot \left[ 1 - e^{-\frac{r^2}{4\sigma^2}} \right]$$

- Coherent kick of separated beams can excite coherent dipolar oscillations
- All bunches couple because each bunch “sees” many opposing bunches(LR): many coherent modes possible!

## Coherent effects

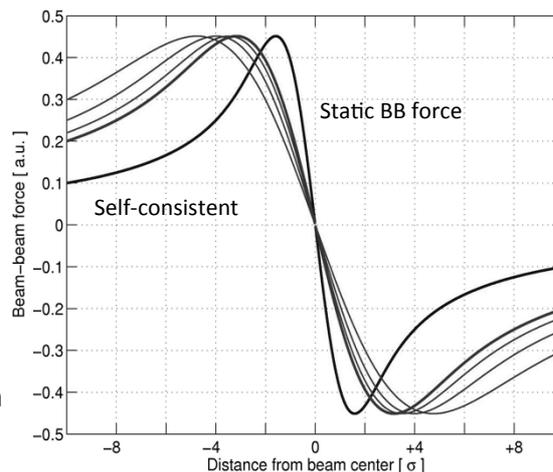
### Self-consistent treatment needed

#### Perturbative methods

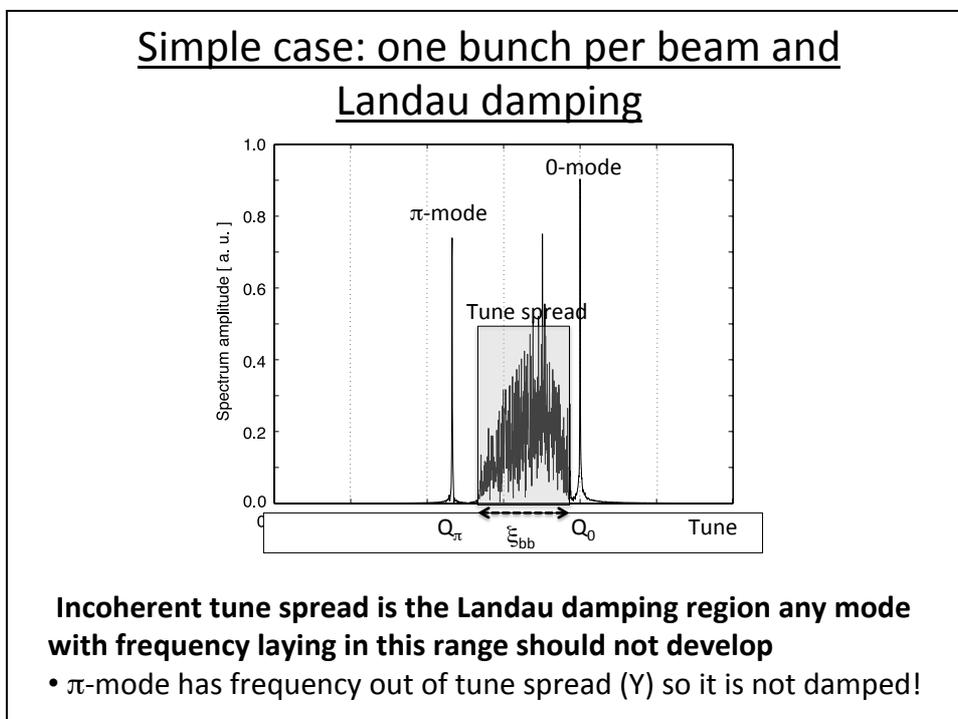
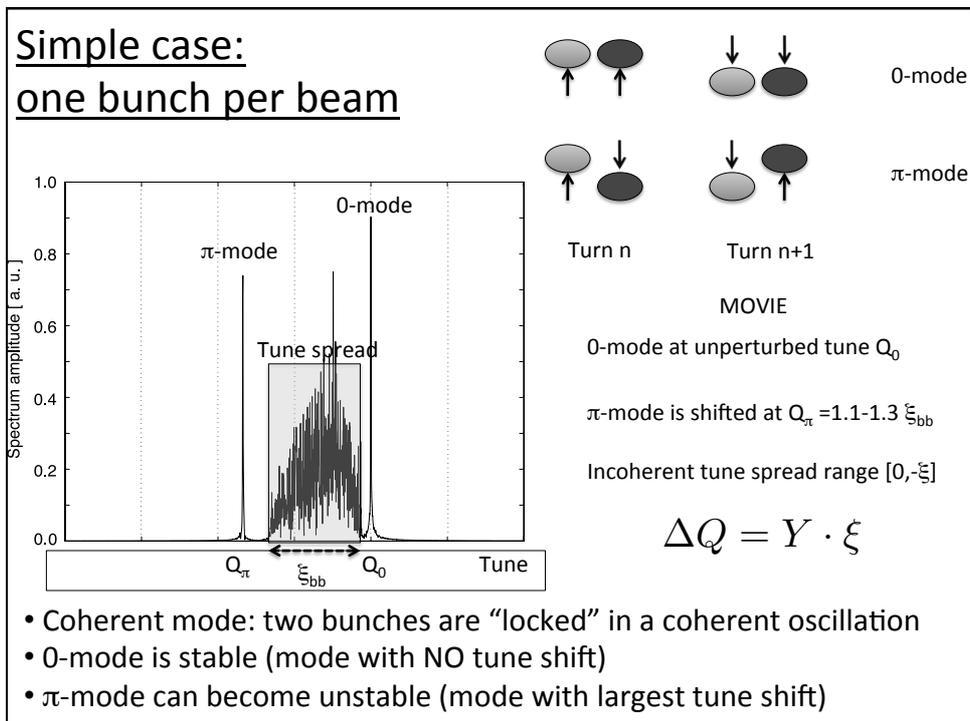
static source of distortion:  
example magnet

#### Self-consistent method

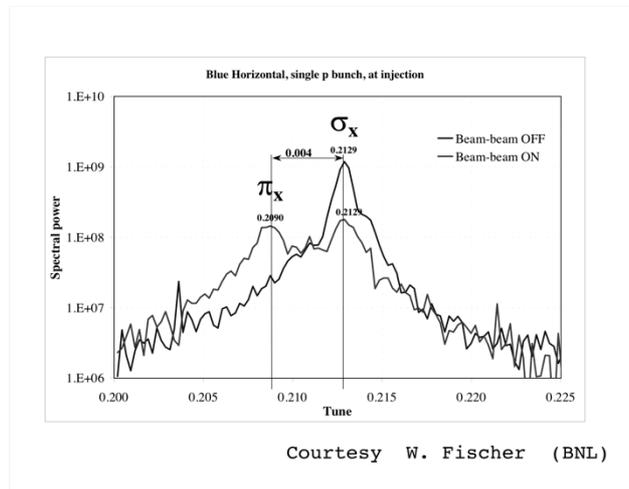
source of distortion changes  
as a result of the distortion



**For a complete understanding of BB effect a self-consistent treatment should be used**



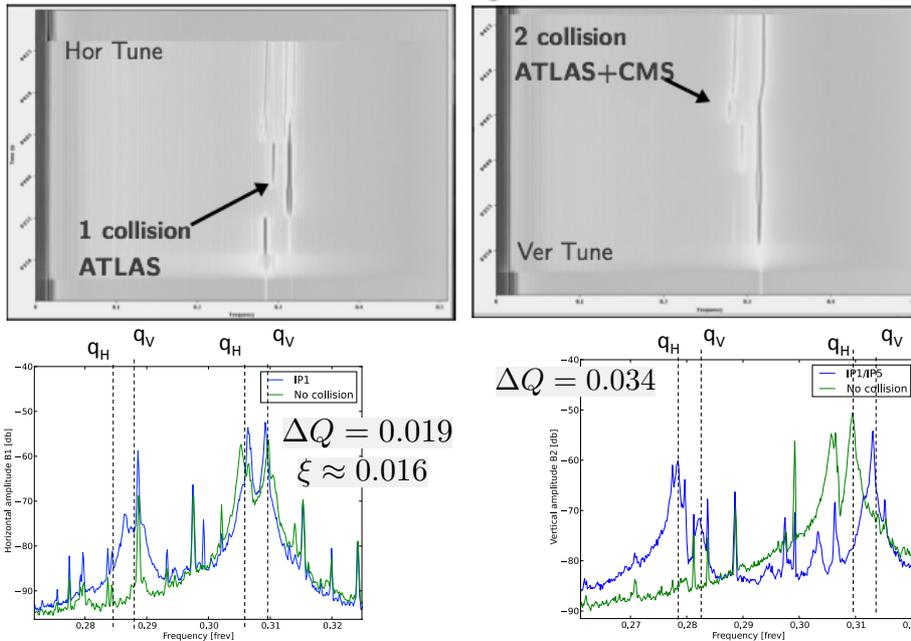
## Coherent modes at RHIC



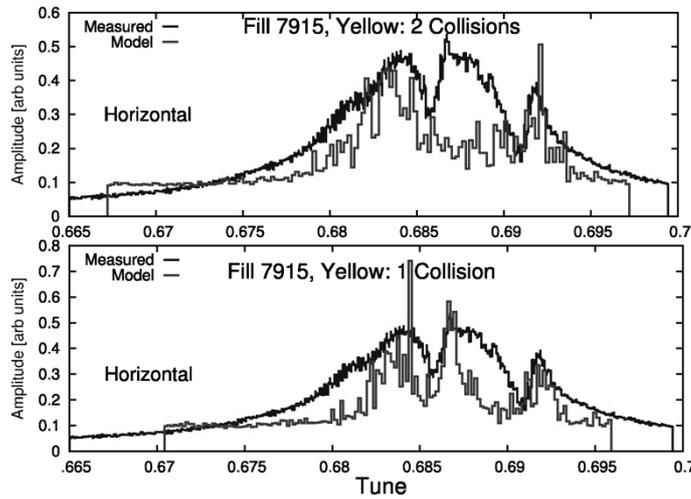
Tune spectra before collision and in collision two modes visible

## Head-on beam-beam coherent mode: LHC

BBQ Signals

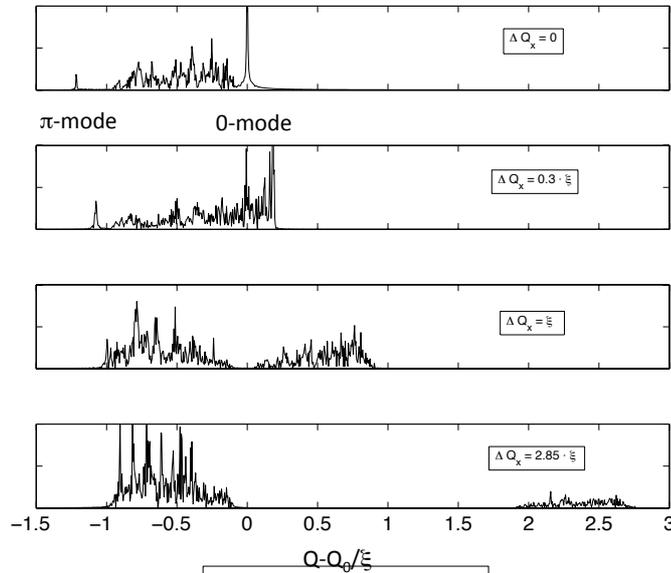


### Beam-beam coherent modes and Landau Damping

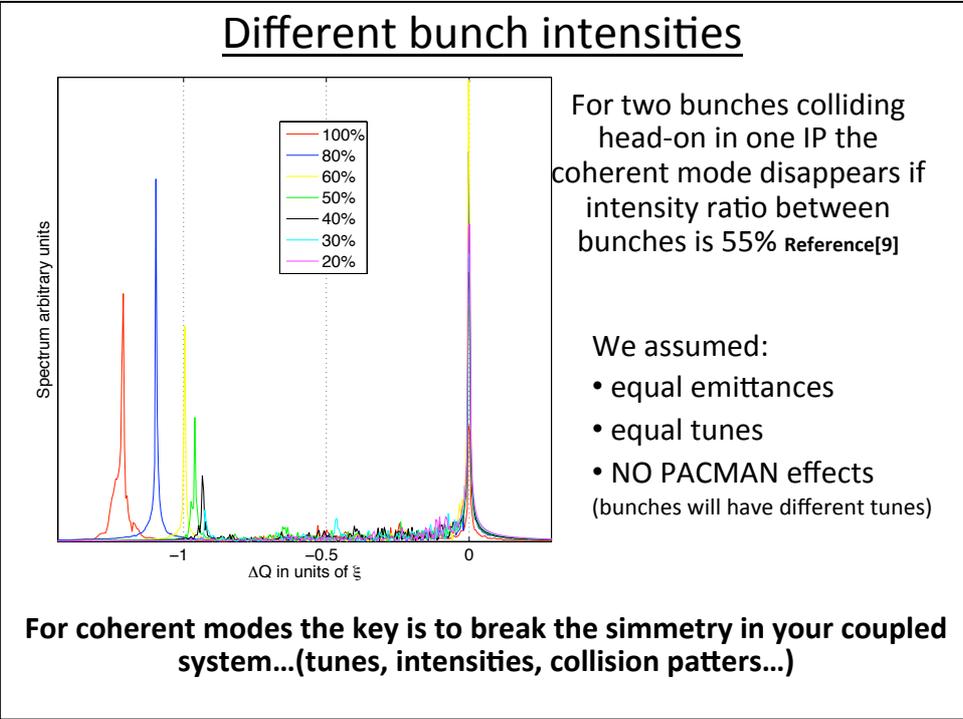
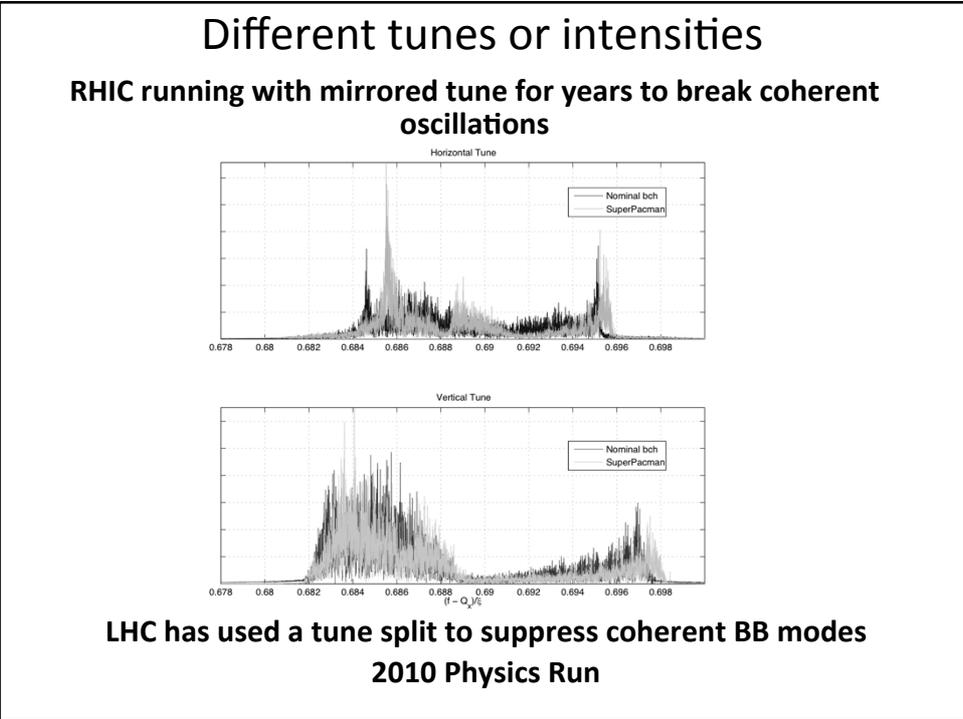


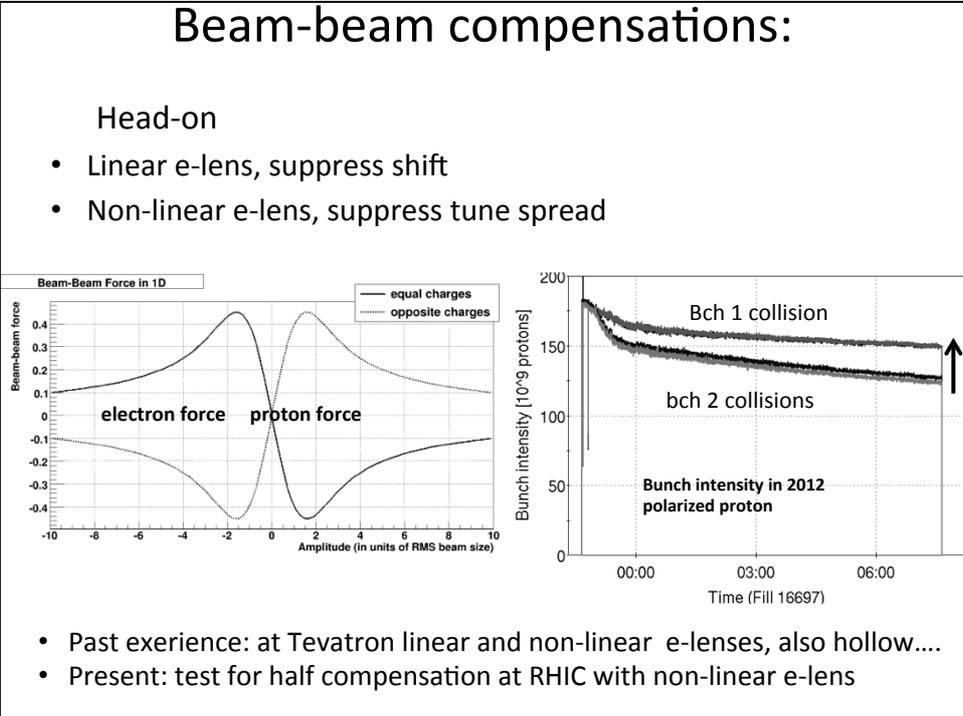
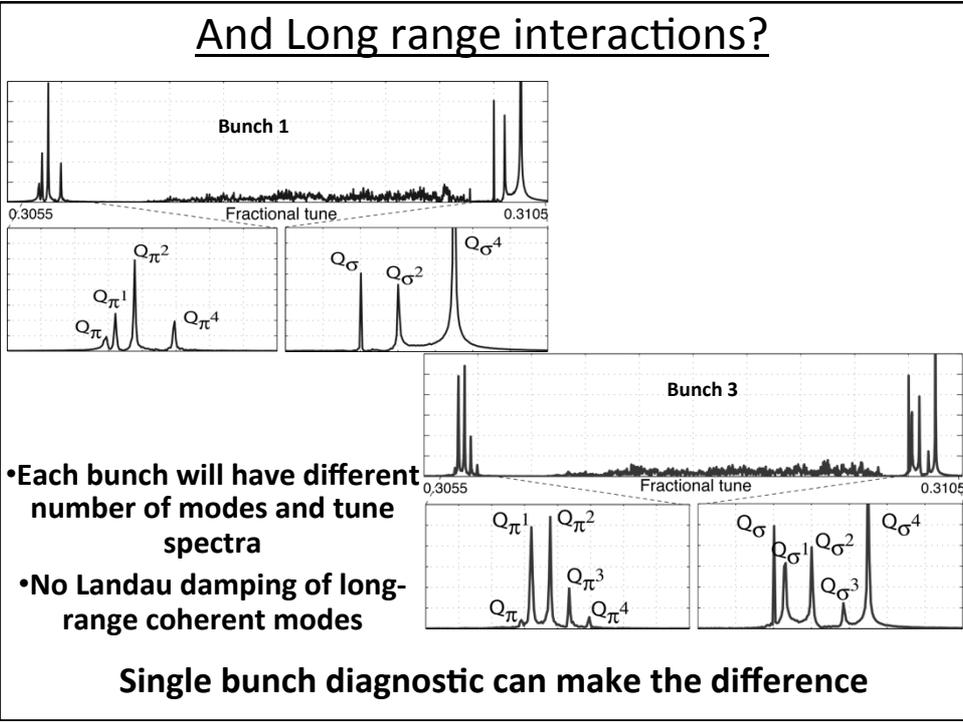
**Pacman effect on coherent modes**  
**Single bunch diagnostic so important**

### Different Tunes



**Tune split breaks symmetry and coherent modes disappear**  
 Analytical calculations in Reference [8]

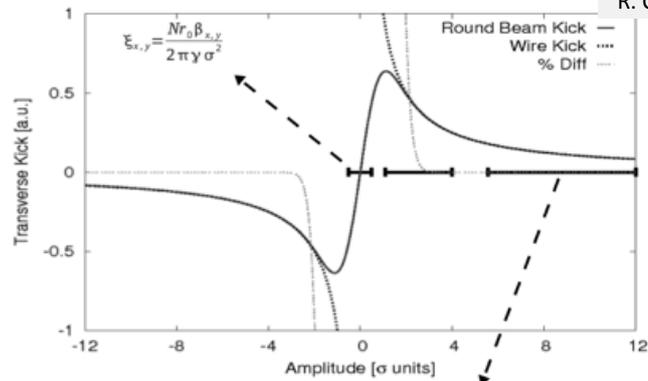




## Beam-beam compensations: long-range

### Beam-beam wire compensation

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- Past experience: at RHIC several tests till 2009...
- Present: simulation studies on-going for possible use in HL-LHC...

...not covered here...

- *Linear colliders special issues*
- *Asymmetric beams effects*
- *Coasting beams*
- *Beamstrahlung*
- *Synchrotron coupling*
- *Beam-beam experiments*
- *Beam-beam and impedance*
- ...

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