A possible (big?) plan for synergy between VHE-LHC and TLEP (and VLHeC)

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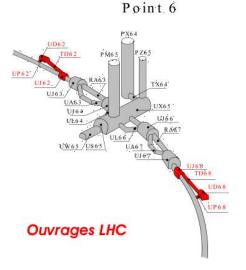
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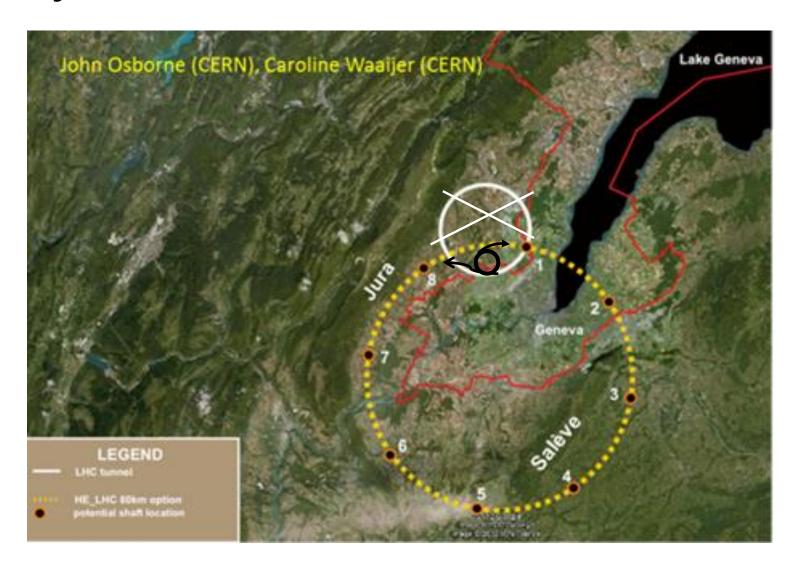
- Purely few preliminary ideas: not real work!!
 - ⇒ flaws, even basic ones, are possible!

LHC as Injector of VHE-LHC

- Running LHC at 10% duty cycle is a waste
 - LHC is complex machine not optimized for synchrotron (as one would like for injector) mode
 - The main energy consumption is cryogenics: about 45 MW, half of the LHC power but working continuously!
 - Maintaining an «old» (2035-2050) LHC, especially after the HL-LHC run is an effort that is hardly justified as 10% duty cycle injector (especially man-power)
 - The MTBF risk top become too low
- Extraction of beam from LHC will be difficult (buit not impossible).
 Modifications are needed to extract beam from other LHC points.



Injection scheme: SC-SPS→VHE-LHC



What we can have from SPS (approx.)

- The SPS+ we are discussing for HE-LHC is based on 4.5 T, 1 T/s
 - Discorap: INFN (FAIR collaboration) 2008-2012, with lenght of 3.5 m: reached B> 4.5 T and dB/dt > 0.3 T/s in pool boiling. In SuperCritical He should reach and pass1 T/s with low losses



SPS – Cont.

- Protvino dipoles: 1 m long,
 B= 6 T, 1T/s obtained few years ago (large losses)
- We can assume that with reasonabale R&D a value of 6 T, 1 T/s with low losses can ber obtained. We van assume the magnets can work with a dynamic range of 20
 - Ein = 75 GeV (0.3 T)
 - Eext = 1.5 TeV (6 T)

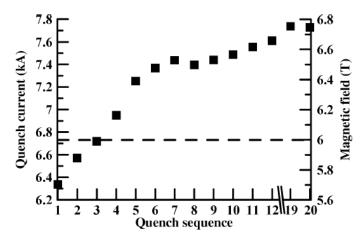


Fig. 4. Training curve of the dipole.

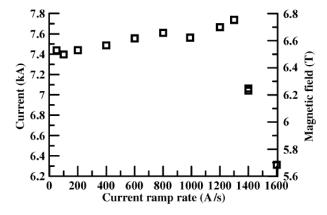


Fig. 5. Ramp rate dependence of the dipole.

Pipetron magnet proposed by Bill Foster (ca. 1996)

Proposed without return cable (i.e. using ground from current return)
First proposed for a superlarge ring (Pipetron) even 600 km long;

Then proposed as a cheap stage 1 (low energy) VLHC, at 1.5 T, to be substituted by 10.5 T dipoles for stage 2.

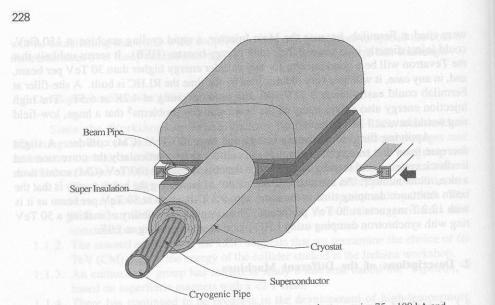
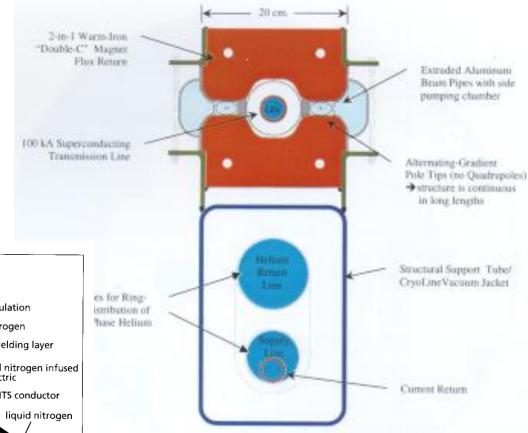


FIG. 1. Double-C twin bore transmission line magnet. The center conductor carries 75 - 100 kA and returns in a separate and nearby cryogenic line. The steel and beam tube are at room temperature. The pole pieces are shaped to provide both bending and alternating gradient focusing.

Even though this ring is very large, the cryogenics system is quite modest. The conductor is at a force null, so the support structure for it has a low heat leak. Furthermore, the yoke steel is not cryogenic and the synchrotron radiation power is removed at room temperature, permitting a much smaller and simpler cryogenic system than for any high-field design. A preliminary design has been presented using NbTi as the conductor and liquid helium as the coolant. Eight refrigerator plants, each roughly the size and power of an SSC plant are located around the ring. It is interesting to note that the transmission-line design is particularly well-suited to either effective use of pre-reacted Nb₃Sn operating at up to 10 K, presently commercially available high-temperature superconductor at 25 K, or, with some development success, the more speculative HTS deposited on structured substrates, operating at 77 K. In all these cases, operating costs would drop dramatically. The wall-plug power, for example, would be less than 5 MW if the transmission line could be operated at LN₂ temperature.

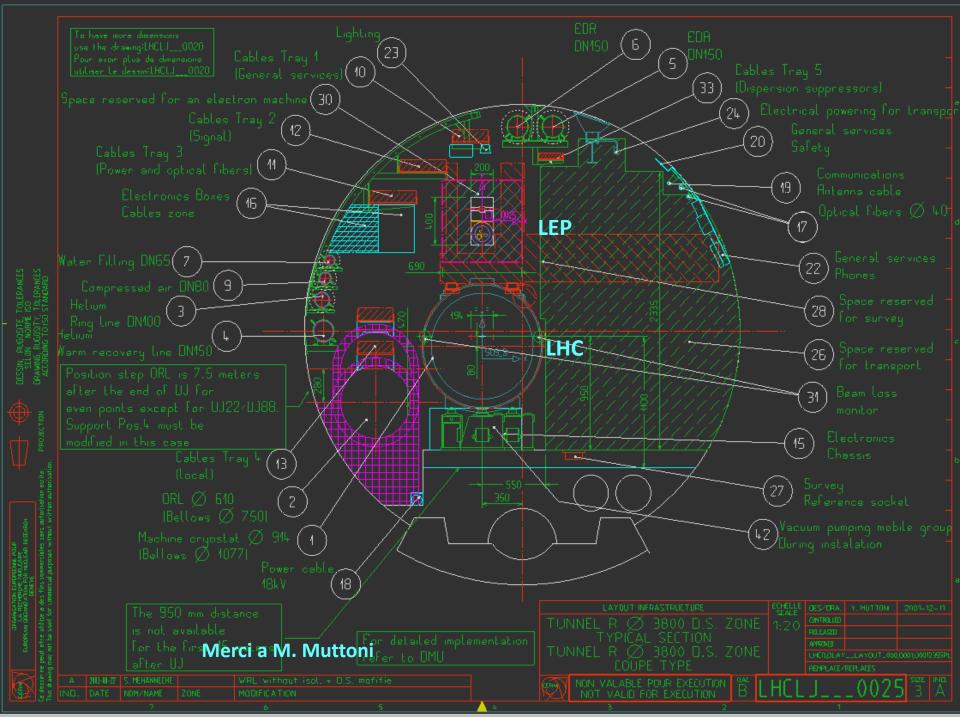
From Nb-Ti to HTS (higher margin, stability and robutstness) for LHC

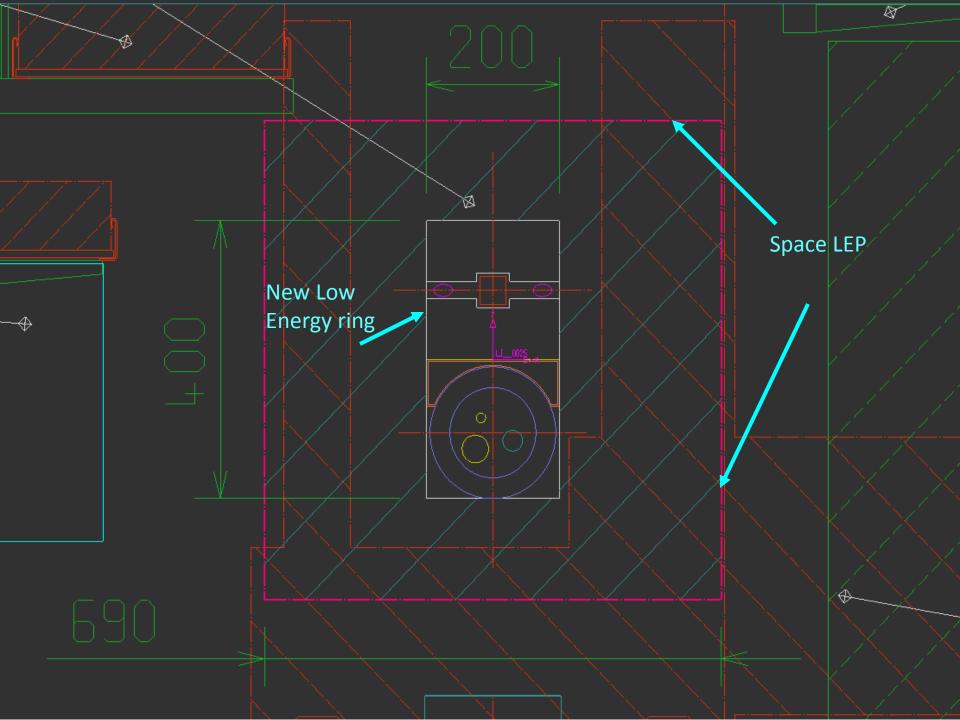
- Pipetron! The cheap Sc magnet for 2 T
- Iron excited by a transmission line of HTS (LN!!!)



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Collaboration with H. Piekarz, Fermilab, that has done design and prototype based on a Nb-Ti 100 kA in 2007





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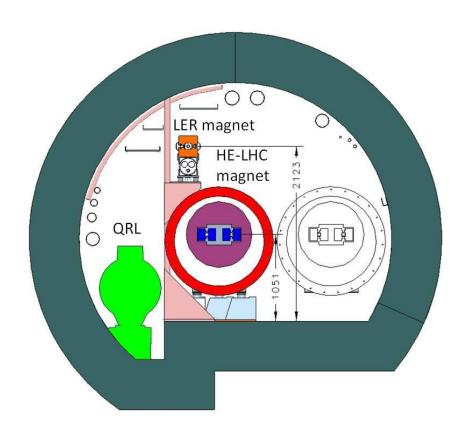


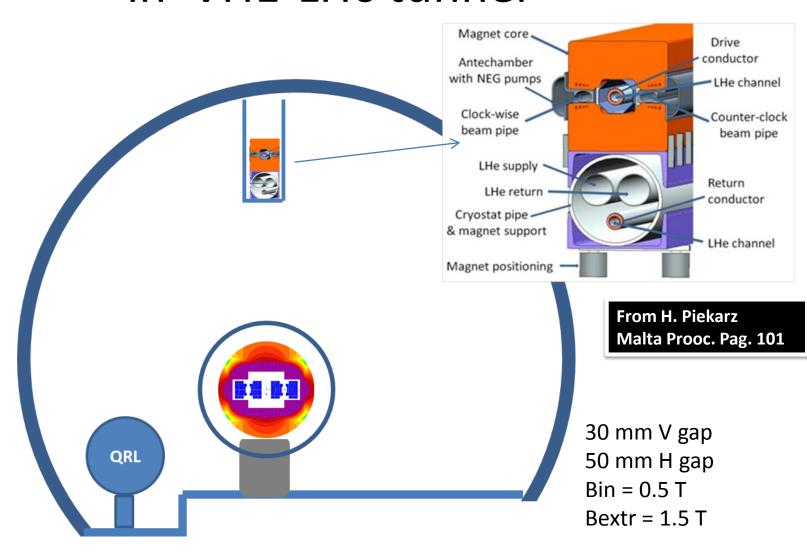
Fig. 8: Possible arrangement of LER and HE-LHC magnet rings in the LHC tunnel and position of a second HE-LHC magnet in transportation through the tunnel.

The idea here was to compare SC-SPS + Sc transfer beam lines TI2, TI8 witjh an injection from today SPS into a LER in the LHC tunnel, transferring beam to HE-LHC in a single turn.

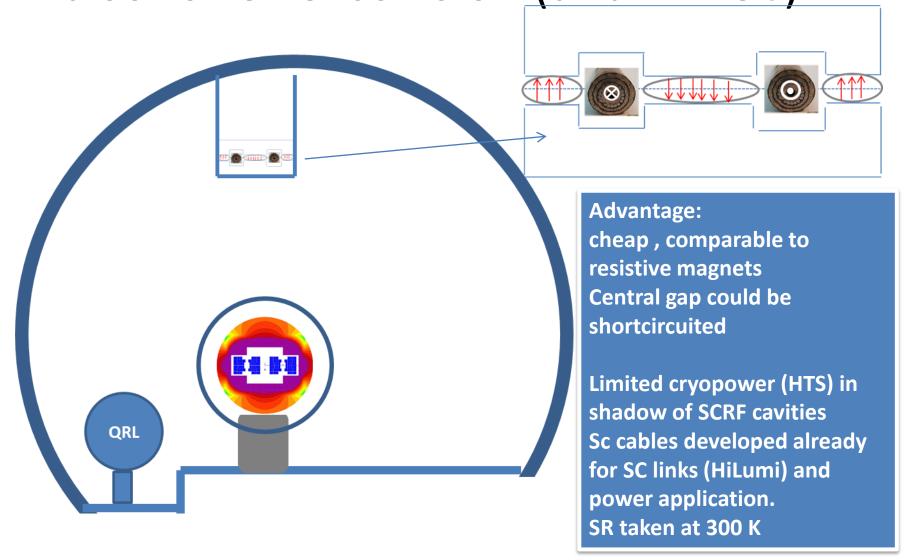
The results was that cost of LER is much less wrt to SC-SPS option.

Integration is difficutlt but not impossible since there si new lay-out (HE-LHC are bigger than LHC ones, but we might eliminate QRL)

Possible arrangement in VHE-LHc tunnel



Possible VHE-LHC with a LER suitable also for e⁺-e⁻ collision (and VLHeC)



Possible steps for a technical synergy between TLEP and VHE-LHC

- Build the SC-SPS (by 2030 to be installed in a long shutdown:may be a benefit also for final phase of HiLumi?)
- Build the 80 km tunnel and the LER (by 2030)
- To be exploited for e+e- (beginning of 2030s?)
- Meanwhile build the 16-20 T dipoles for the hadron collider (on the momentum of the 12-13 T magnets we are prototyping for HiLumi)
 - If it is worth: install in HE-LHC the first 35% of the magnets to have 30 TeV c.o.m. «quick» collision (2035?)
 - Complete the magnets for the VHE-LHC to be installed after 2040?
 - The curvature of the LHC is moderate (and is formed at magnet assembly) and the magnet can be made to be retrofitted in the 80 km tunnel
- Or, once stopped HiLumi, abandon LHC tunnel and go for VHE-LHC (80-100 TeV c.o.m.) directly, with TLEP and VLHeC
- Cryogenics for SCRF cavities e+e- and magnets for LER and VHE-LHC (and other infrastructure) is COMMON