

# Summary of experience with Tevatron synchrotron light diagnostics

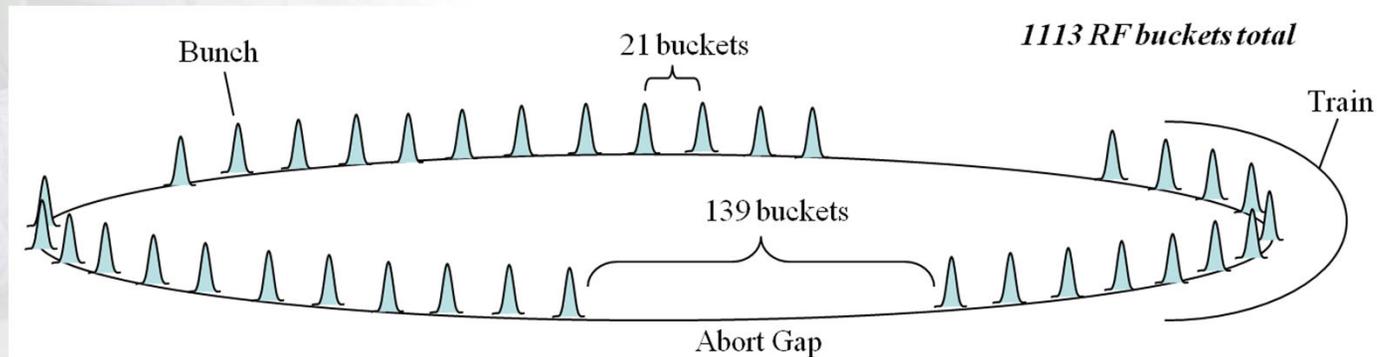
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Measurement for High Brightness Proton and Heavy Ion  
Accelerators

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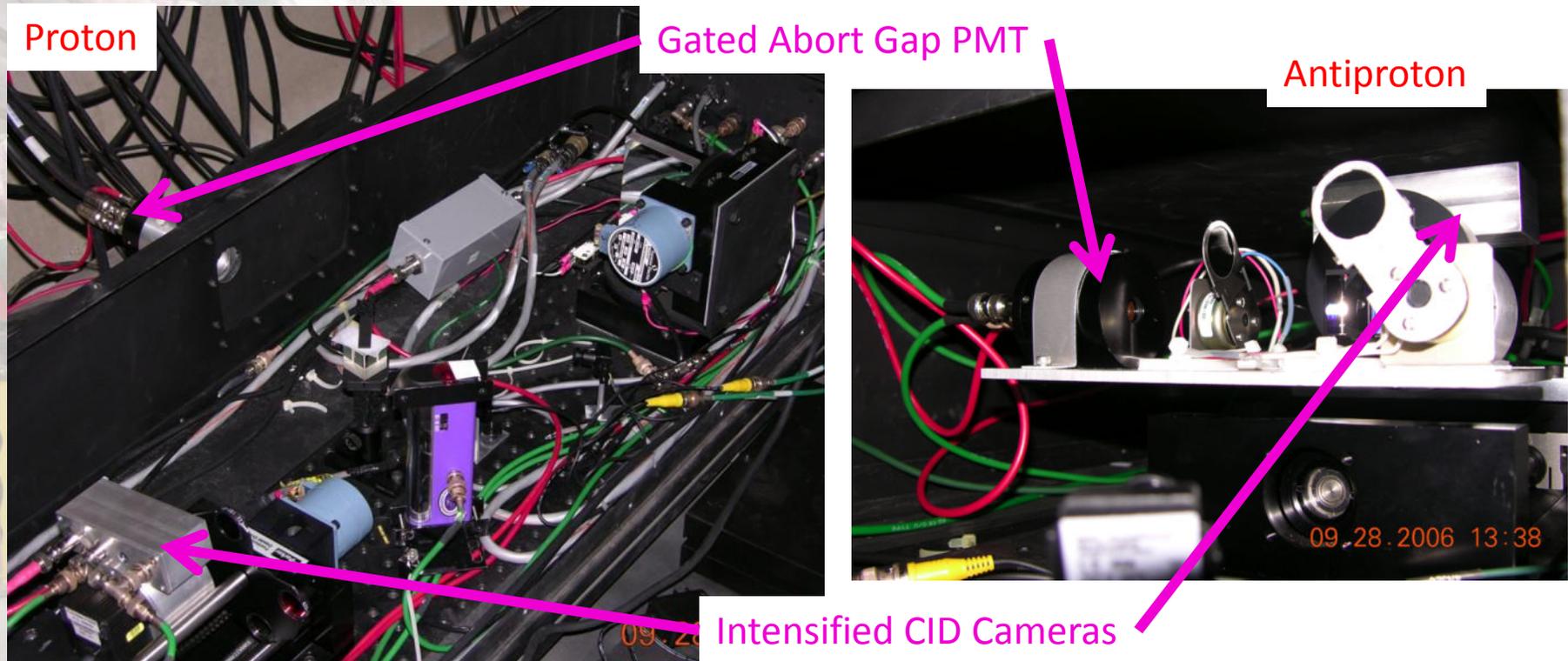
# Tevatron 1985(?) - 2011

- Collided 980 GeV protons and antiprotons in the same beampipe
- Proton intensity was  $\sim 1 \times 10^{13}$  ( $300 \times 10^9$ /bunch)
- Antiproton intensity was typically  $\sim 2 \times 10^{12}$  ( $50\text{-}100 \times 10^9$  / bunch at start of store)
- Beams were arranged in 3 sections of 12 bunches
- Bunch longitudinal sigma was 2-3 ns

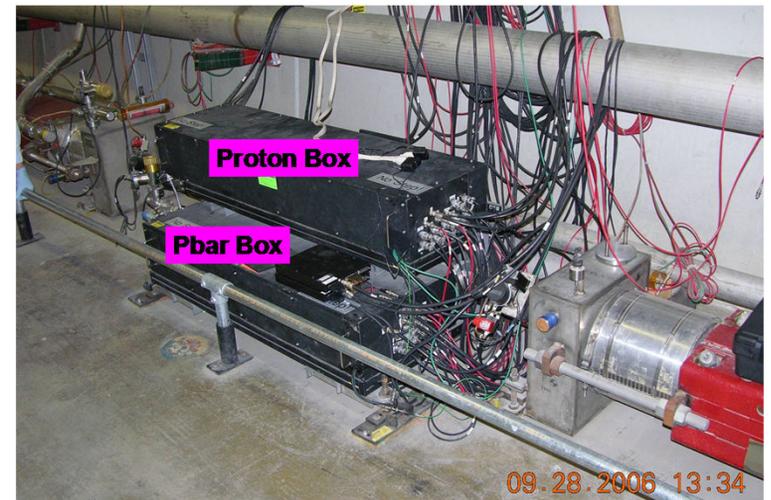
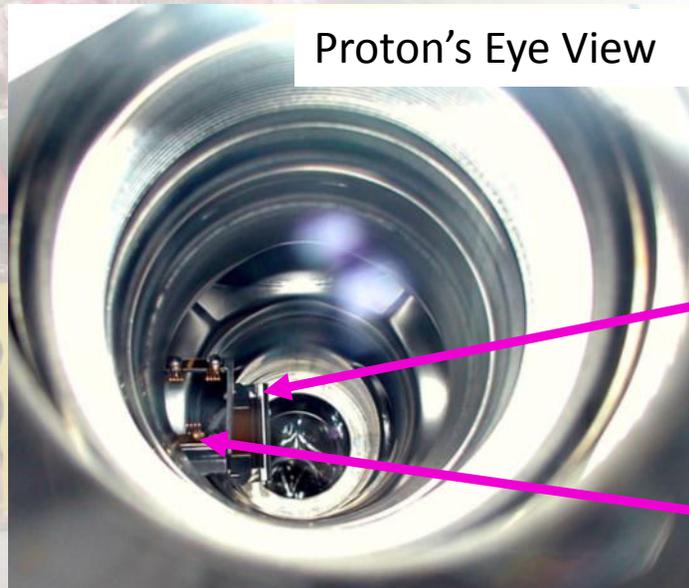
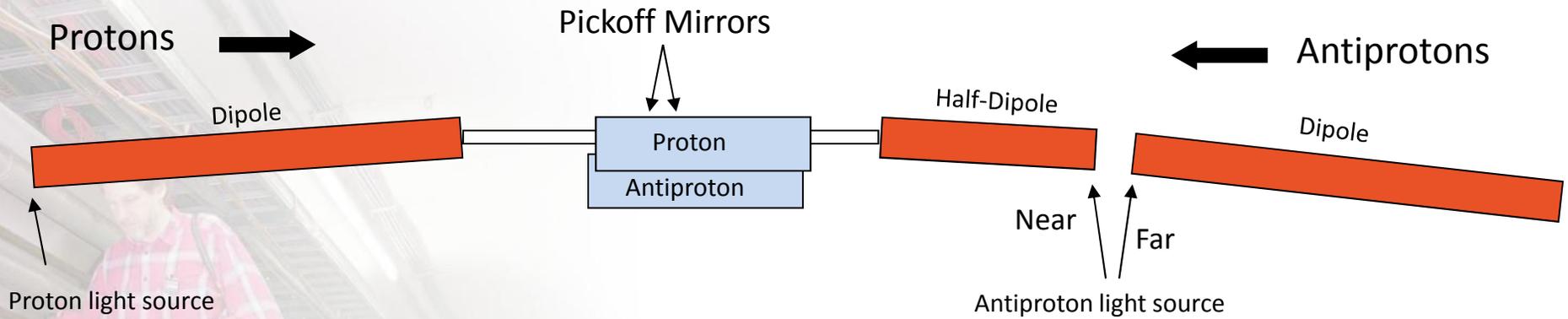


# Synchrotron Radiation Monitors

- Original creation by Alan Hahn and Pat Hurh early 1990's
- 2 profile monitors: one for protons, one for antiprotons
- 2 abort gap beam intensity monitors



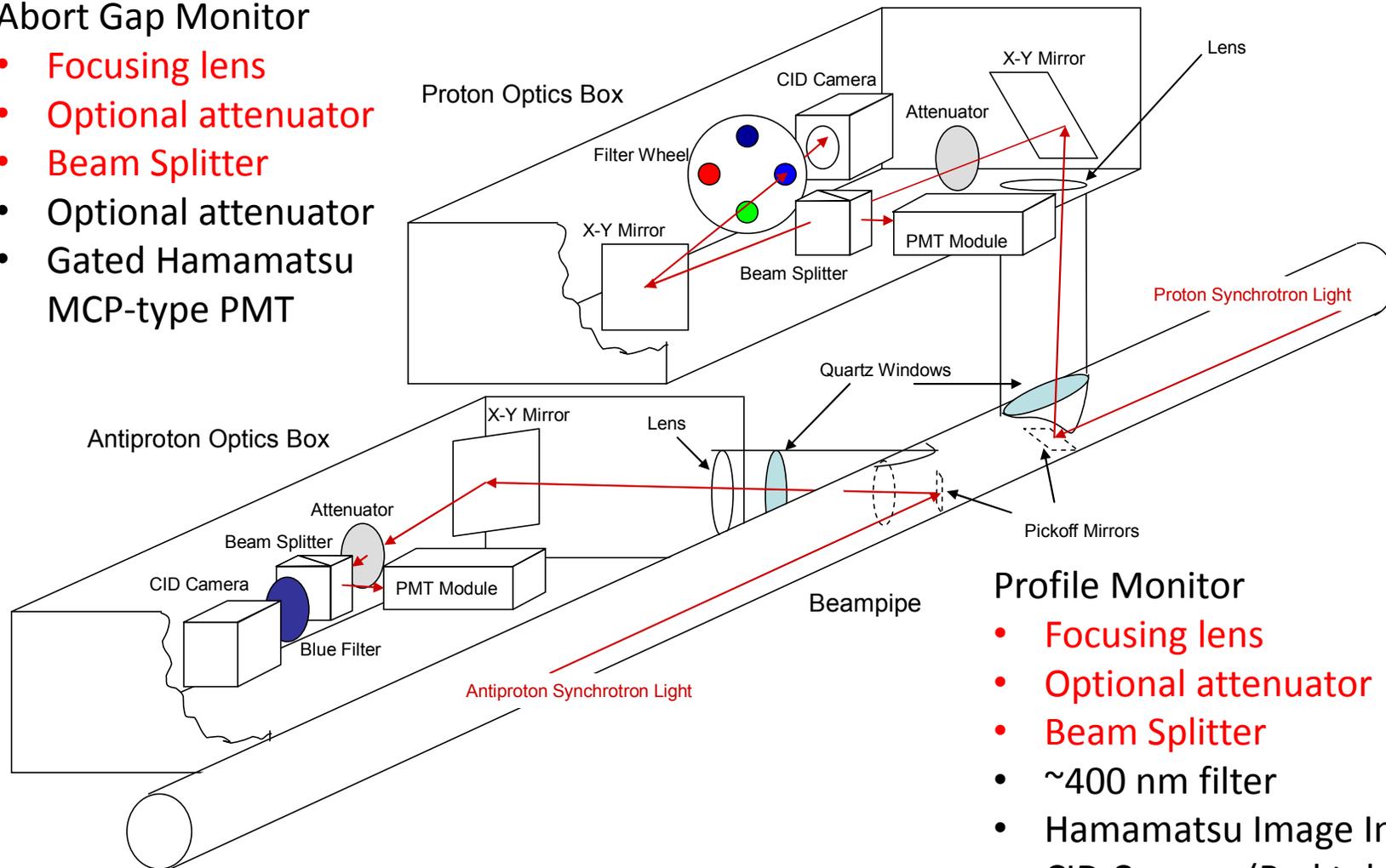
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## Abort Gap Monitor

- Focusing lens
- Optional attenuator
- Beam Splitter
- Optional attenuator
- Gated Hamamatsu MCP-type PMT



## Profile Monitor

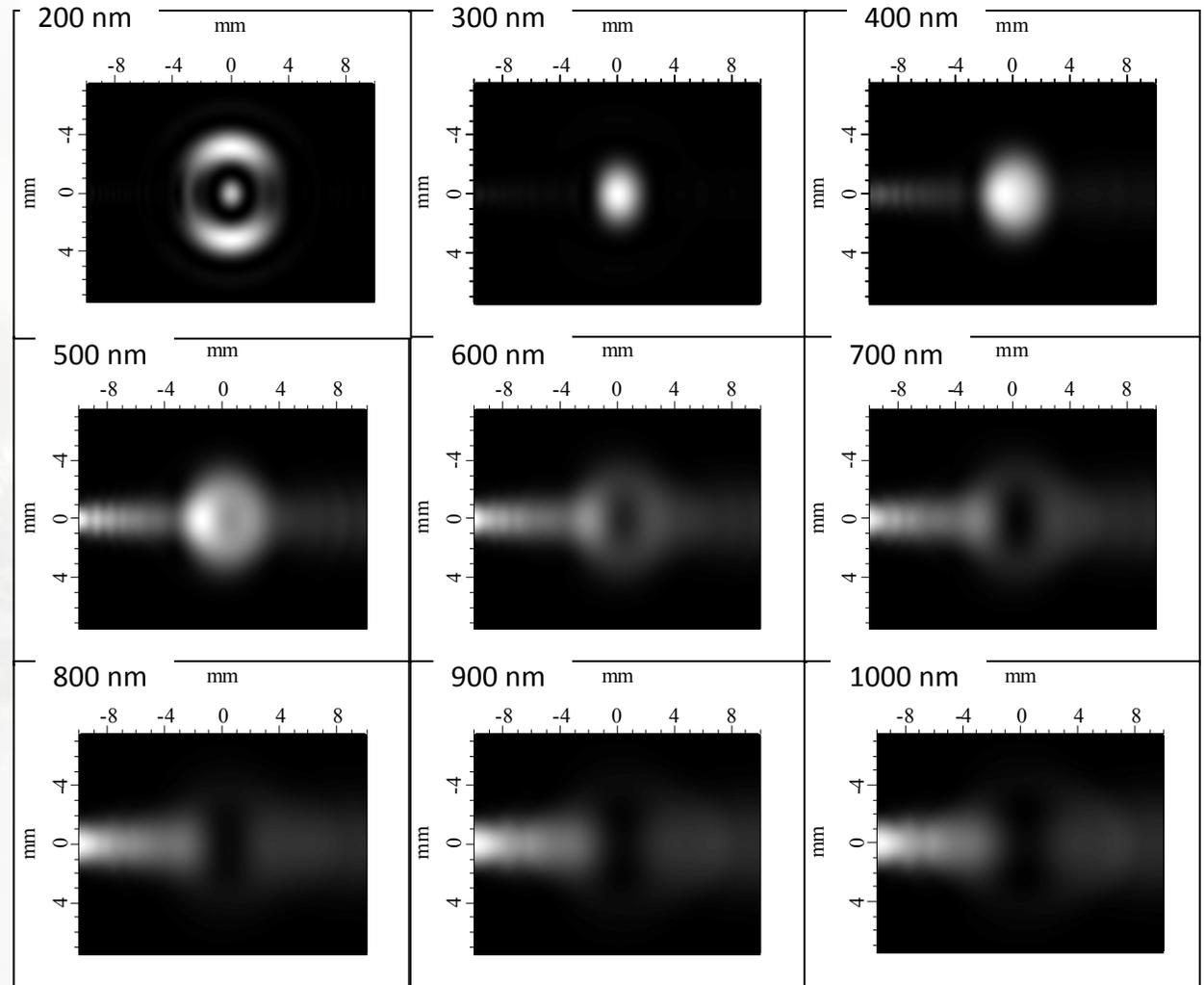
- Focusing lens
- Optional attenuator
- Beam Splitter
- ~400 nm filter
- Hamamatsu Image Intensifier
- CID Camera (Rad tolerant)

# Antiproton Light

Synchrotron Radiation Workshop (SRW) used extensively to understand various effects

These images are SRW simulations of illumination at the antiproton pickoff mirror

Antiproton source is two edges, hence the interference structure at 200 nm



# Profile Measurement, aka Synclite

After object...	Object Efficiency		# of photons / bunch / 25 nm	
			Protons	Antiprotons
Magnet Edge	—		750,000	750,000
Pickoff Mirror	90%		675,000	675,000
Vacuum Window	90%		608,000	608,000
Lens	93%		565,000	565,000
x-y Mirror	90%		509,000	509,000
Beam Splitter	44%		224,000	224,000
x-y Mirror (proton only)	90%		202,000	—
Wavelength Filter	10 nm 40%	40 nm 160%	81,000	358,000
Photocathode	14%		11,000 p.e.	50,000 p.e.

Proton Object Distance = 769 cm

Proton Image Distance = 187 cm

Proton Optical Magnification = 0.24

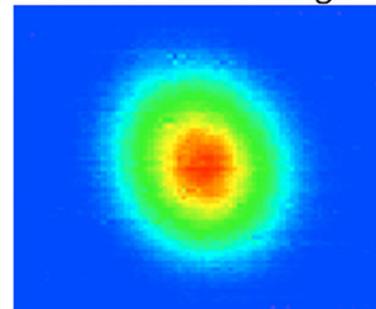
Antiproton  $\frac{1}{2}$  Dipole Object Distance = 503 cm

Antiproton Full Dipole Object Distance = 544 cm

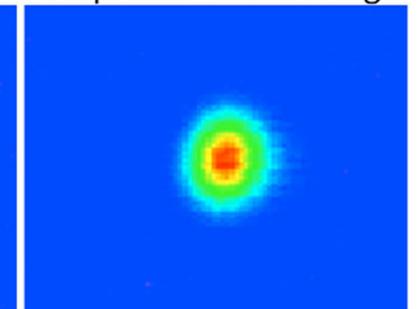
Antiproton Image Distance = 85 cm

Antiproton Optical Magnification = 0.17

Proton Beam Image

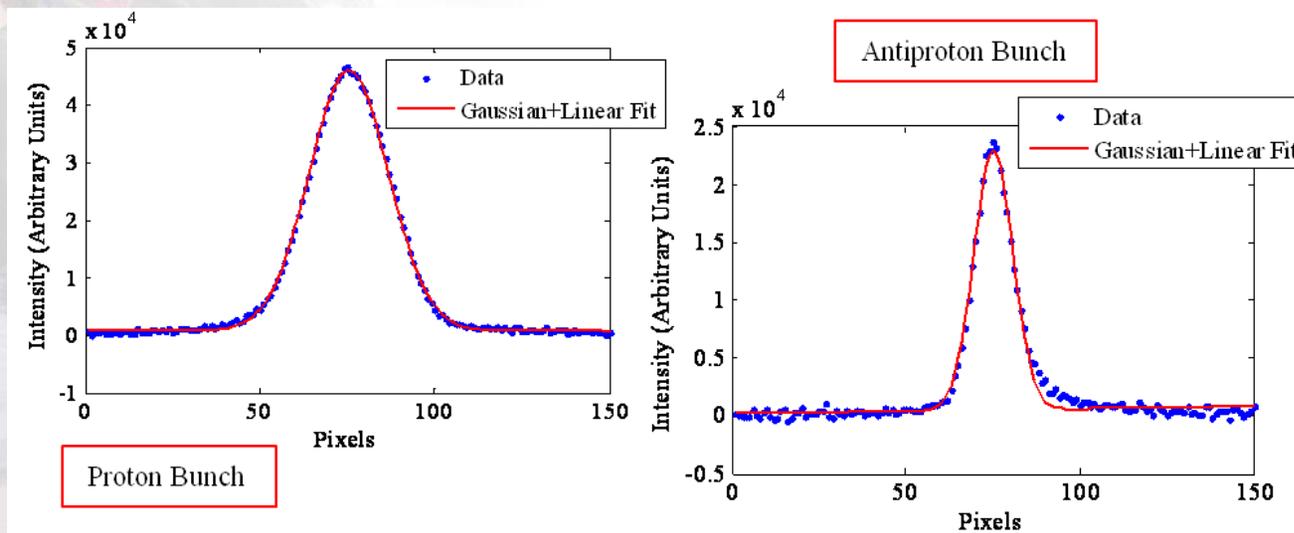


Antiproton Beam Image



# Acquisition

- Camera image acquired through LabVIEW program
  - Image consisted of a variable number of turns to optimize image intensity bunch-by-bunch
- Dark current image subtracted
- Line-by-line linear background subtracted from image
- Horizontal and Vertical Profiles fit with gaussian plus linear background
- Emittance evaluated from beam size plus lattice parameters plus  $dp/p$



# Intensity Effects on Measured Size

4 sources of intensity variation in the system

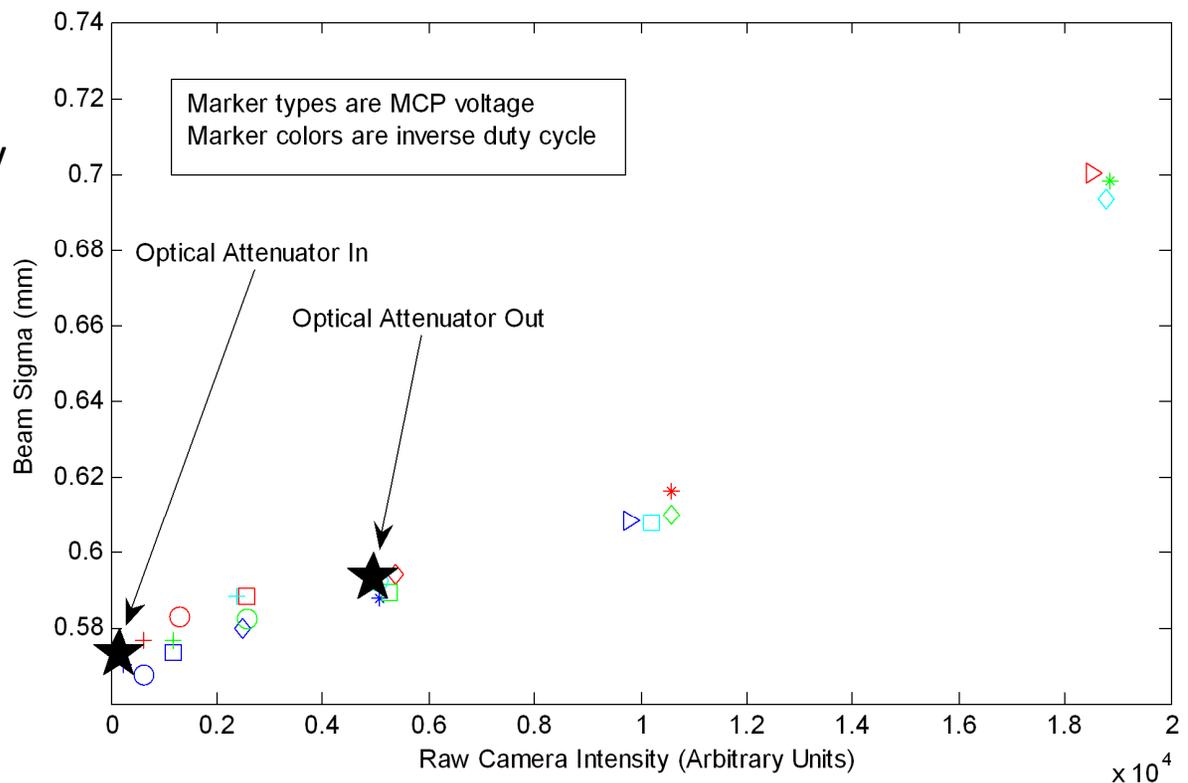
Intensifier gain

Intensifier gating duty cycle

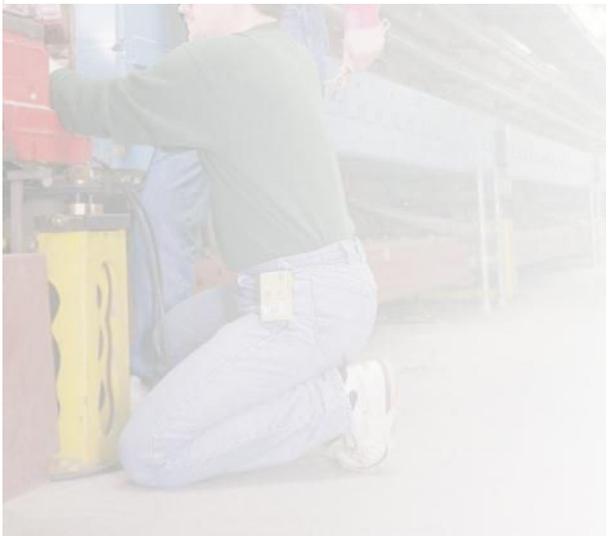
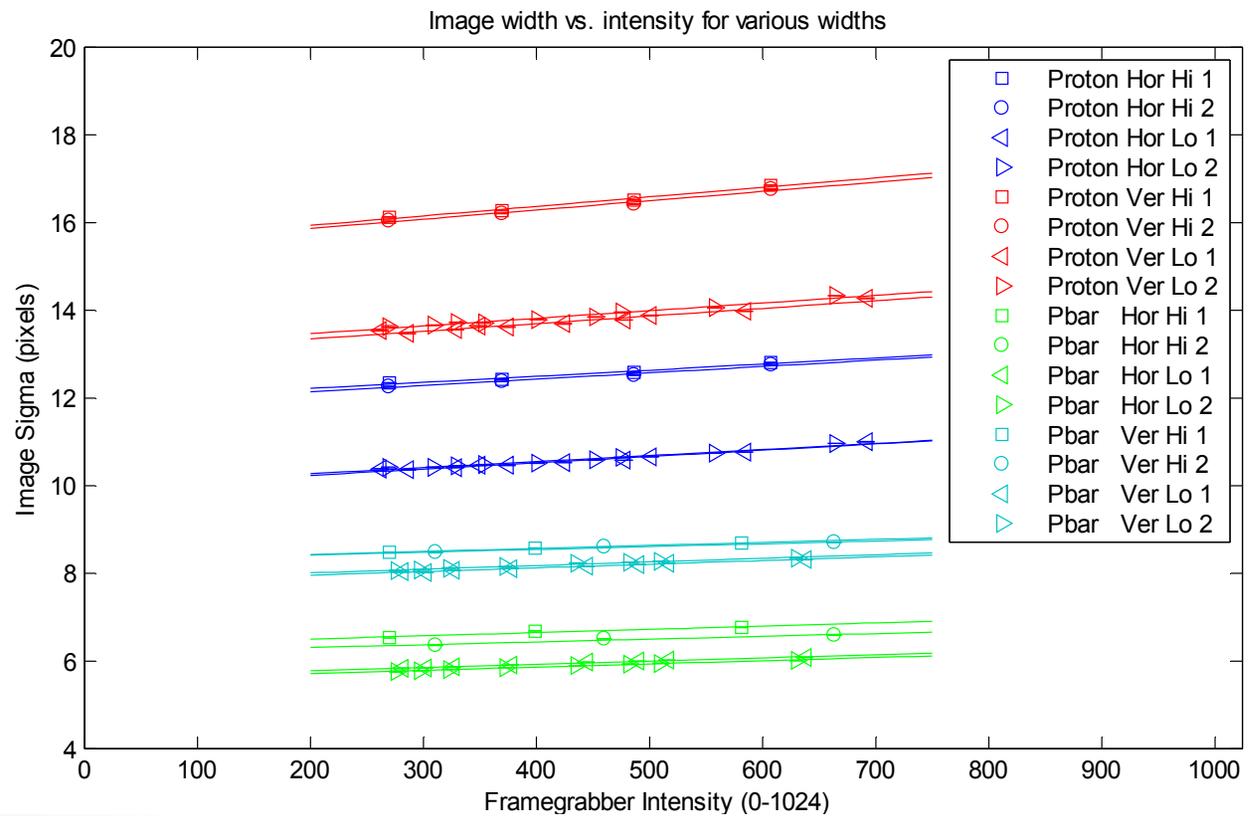
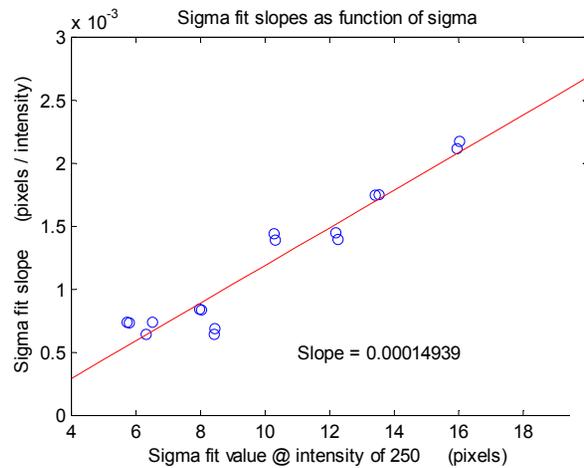
Intensifier gating voltage

Synchrotron radiation intensity

All intensity effects can be parameterized with image intensity

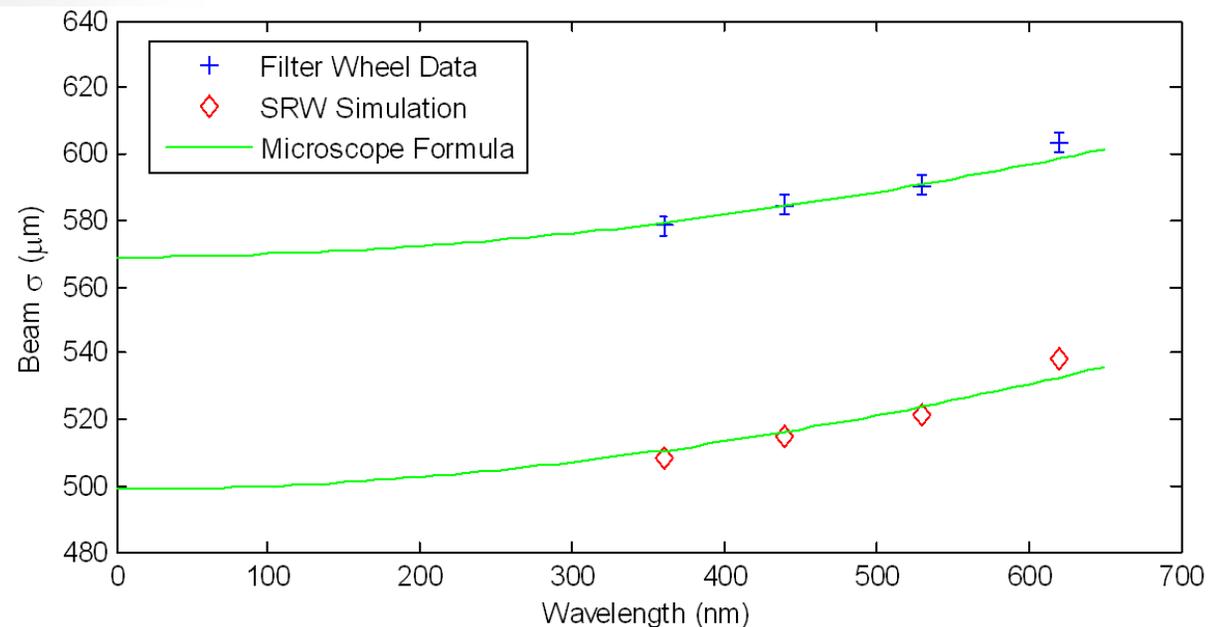


# Intensity Effects on Measured Size



# Diffraction

- Classical diffraction  $r_{airy} = 0.61 \frac{\lambda}{NA}$
- Plot is measured sigma vs. wavelength
  - Data points are taken with 10 nm bandwidth filters
  - Red points are SRW simulation

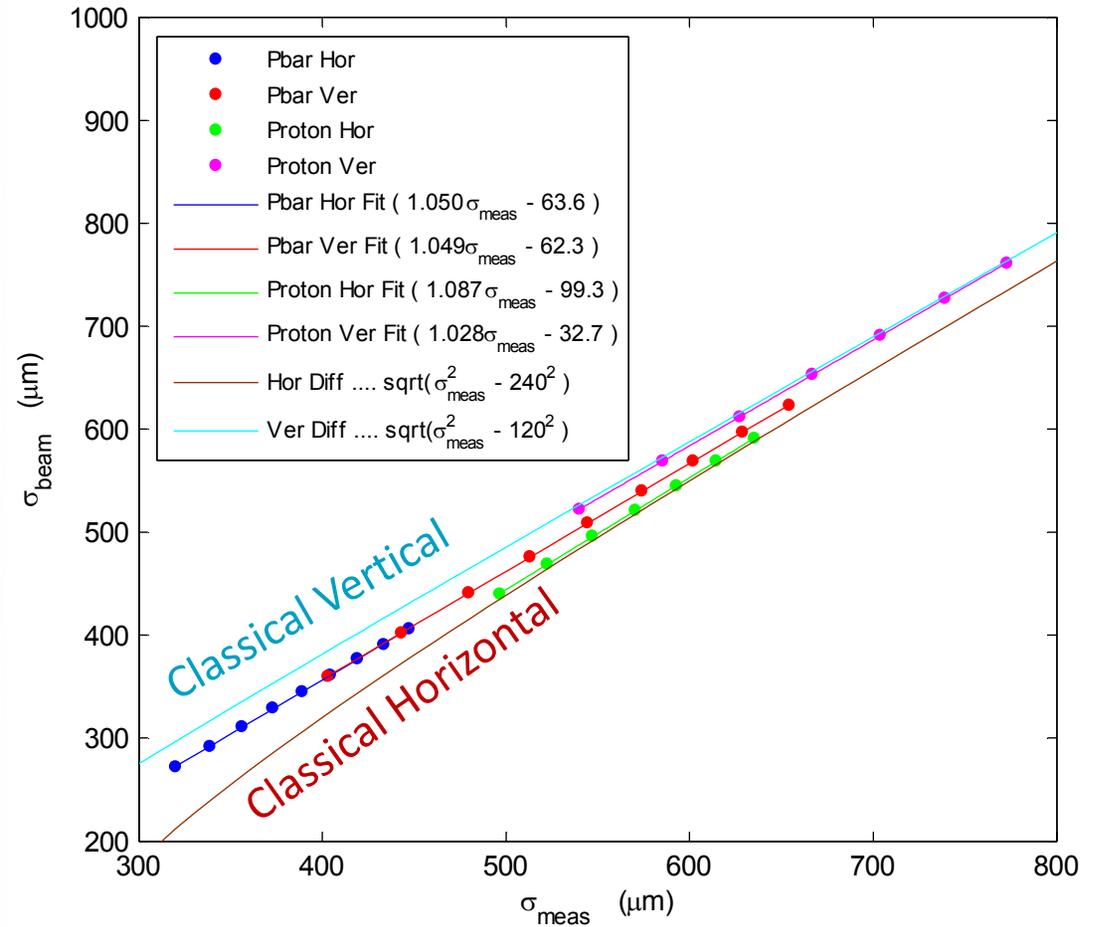


# Diffraction

SRW simulation of diffraction as a function of sigma

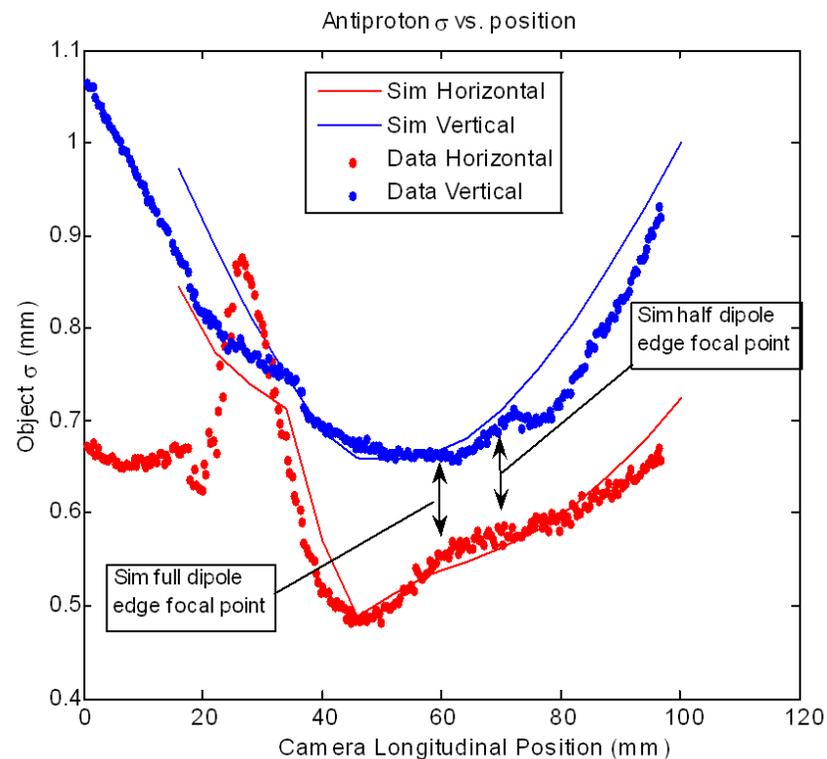
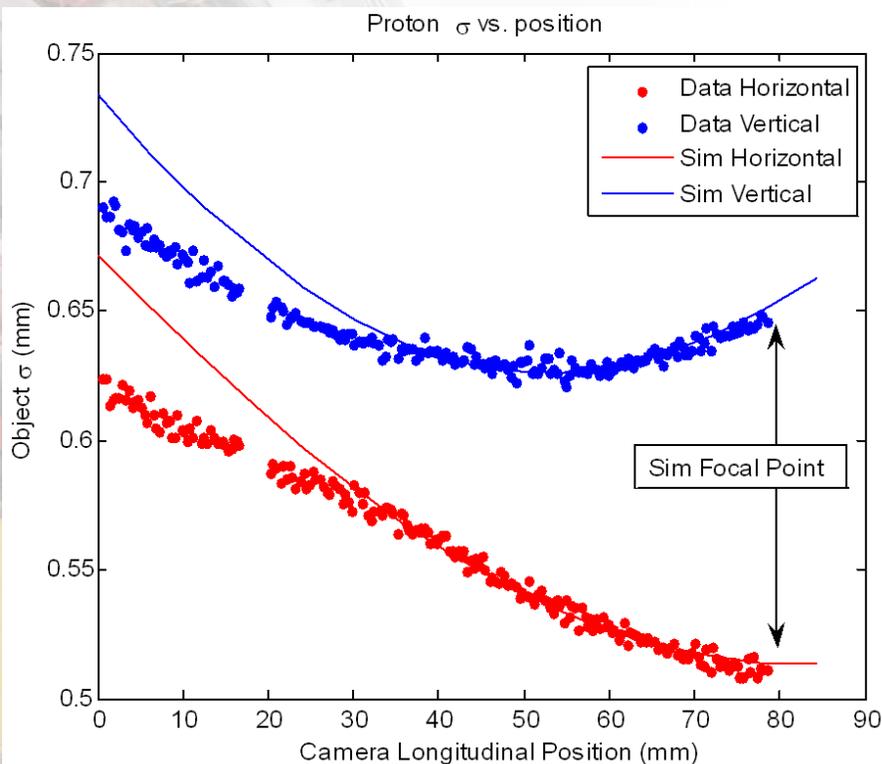
Proton simulations agree with classical but antiproton does not

- Diffraction varies across image
- Presumably due to multiple source points and/or body light

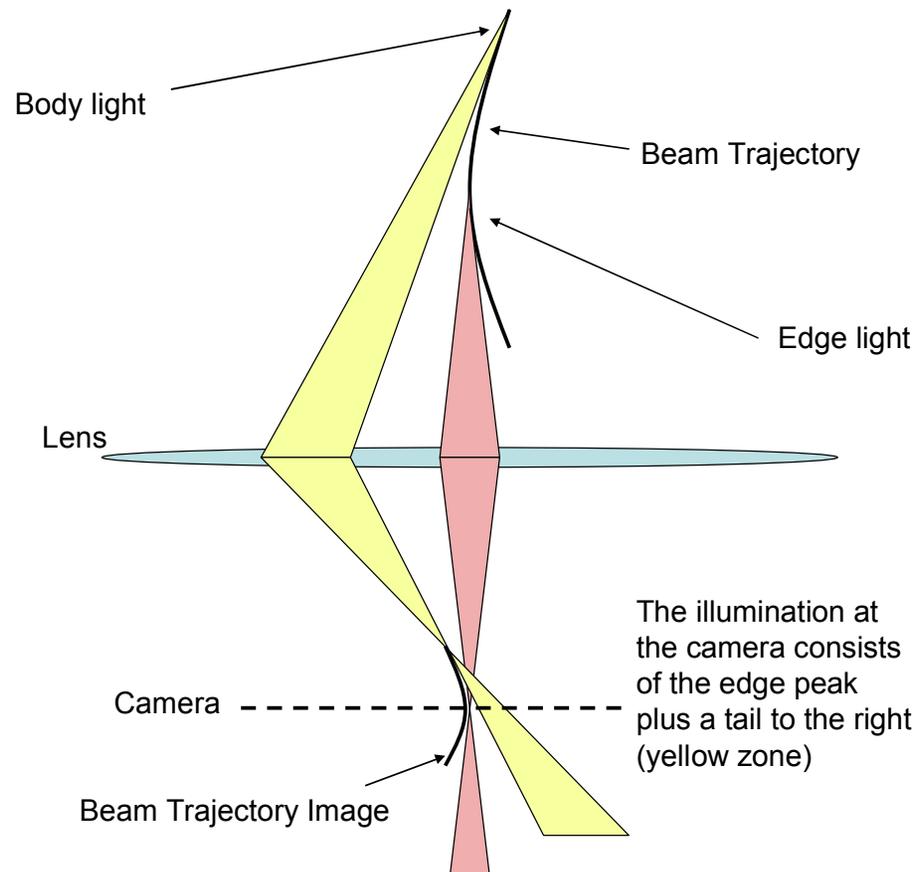


# Camera Focus

Because synchrotron radiation is not a point source, focusing is a more complicated issue  
 Particularly in the antiproton case with 2 magnet edges

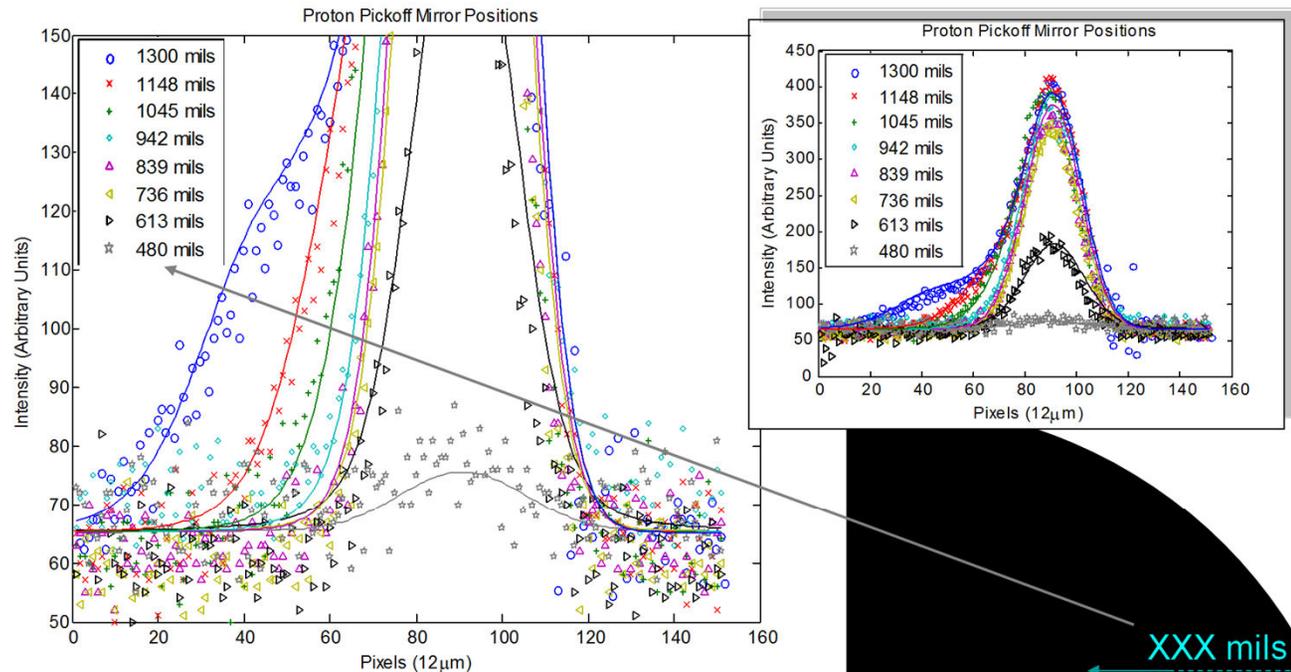


# Impact of Extended Source

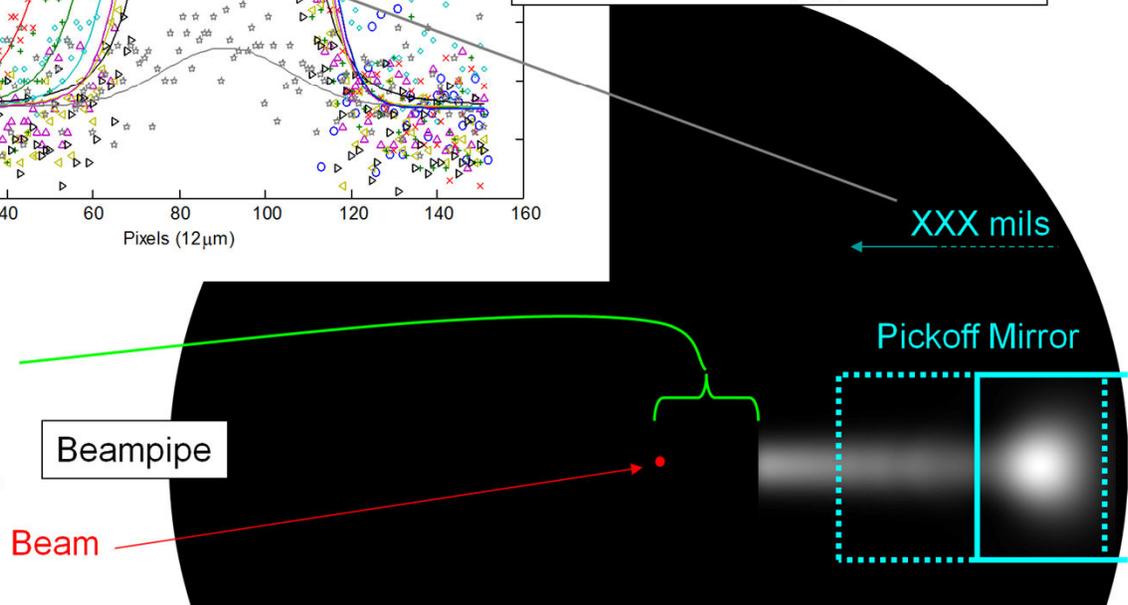


# Proton Mirror Study

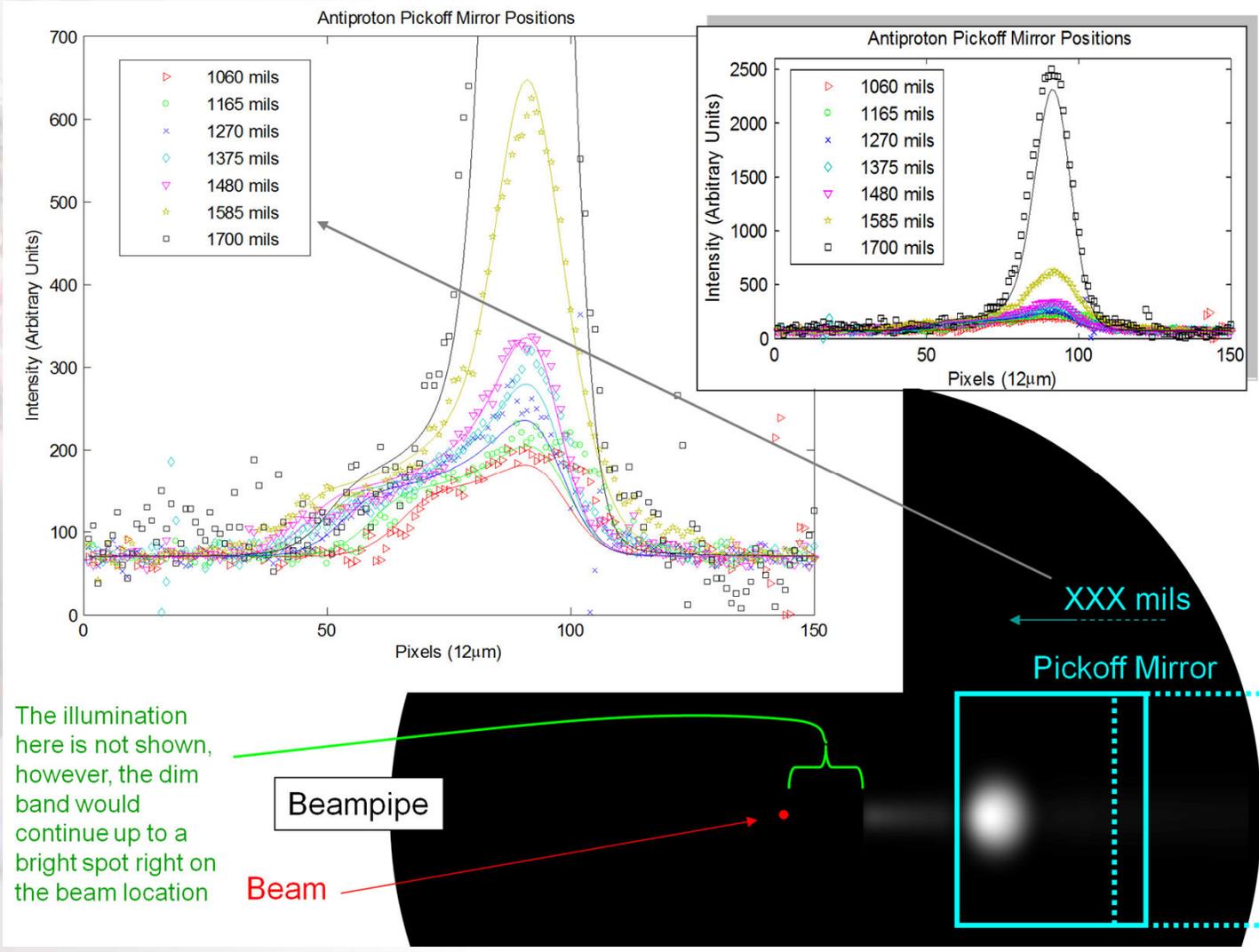
Moved the pickoff mirror which selected differing contributions of light



The illumination here is not shown, however, the dim band would continue up to a bright spot right on the beam location



# Antiproton Mirror Study

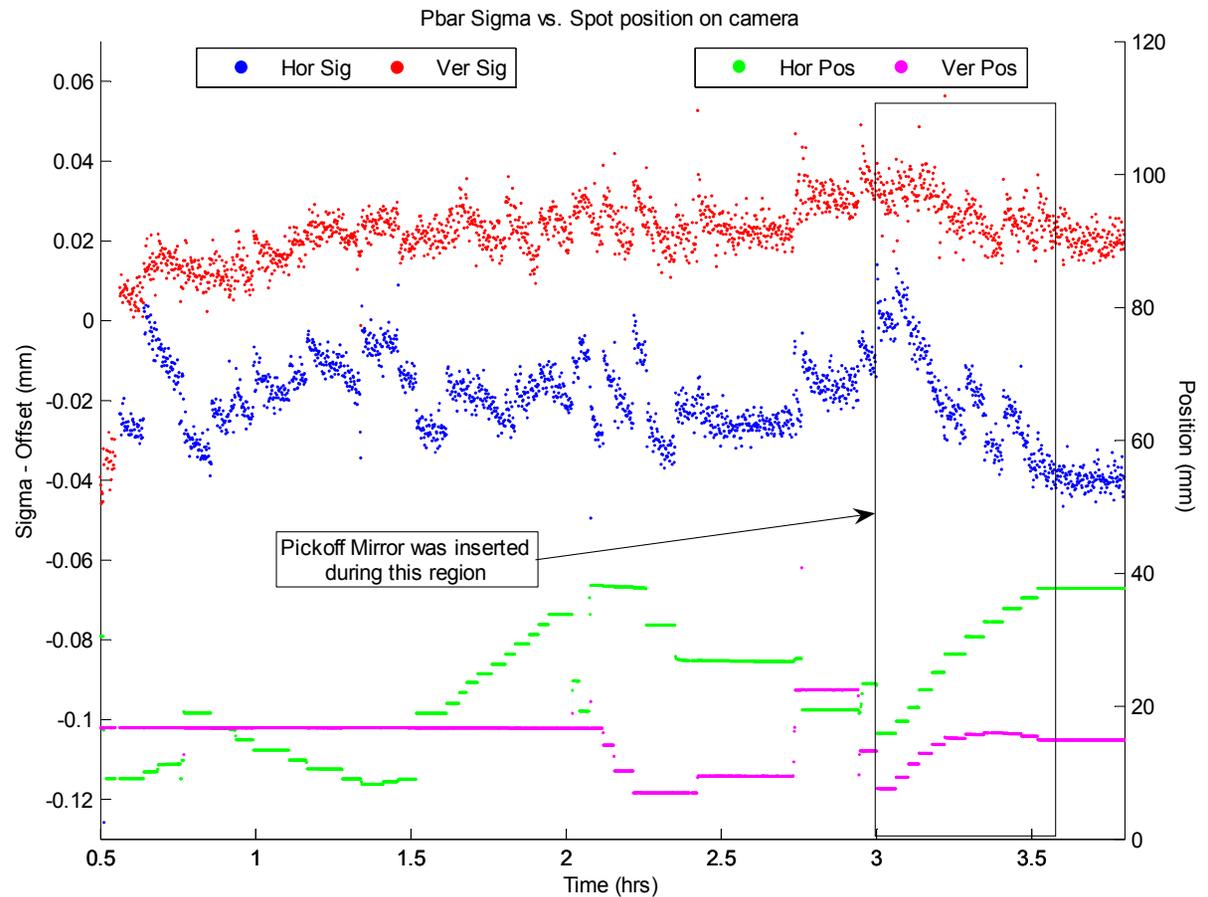


# Resolution vs. Position on Intensifier

Variation of measured sigma as a function of position on the intensified camera

RMS is  $< 10 \mu\text{m}$

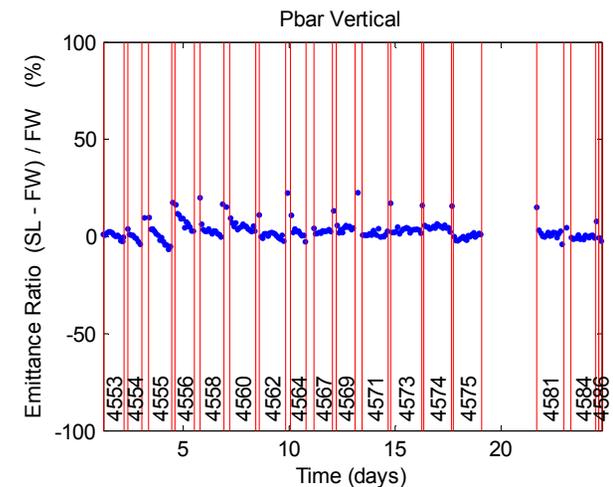
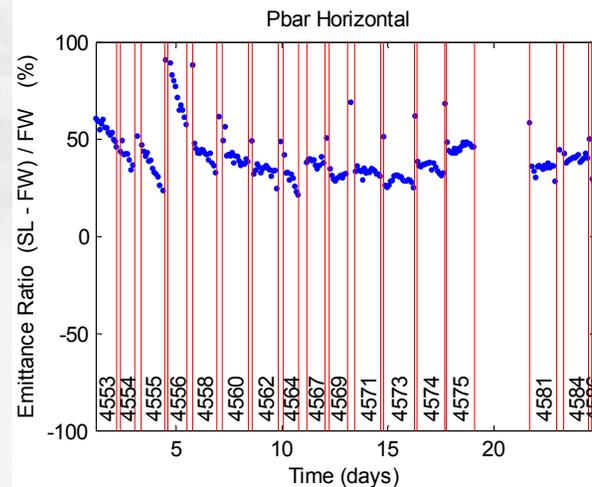
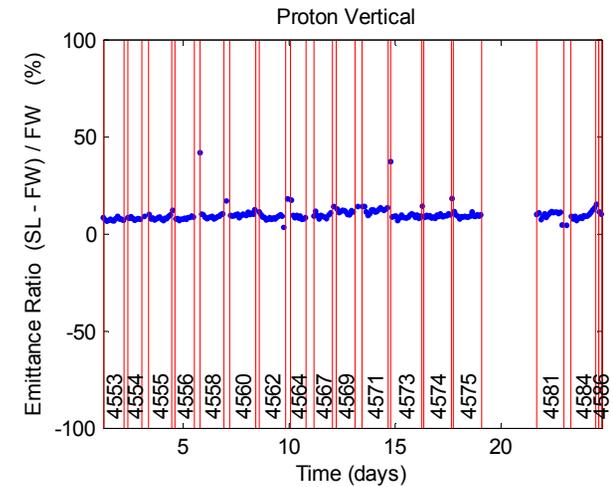
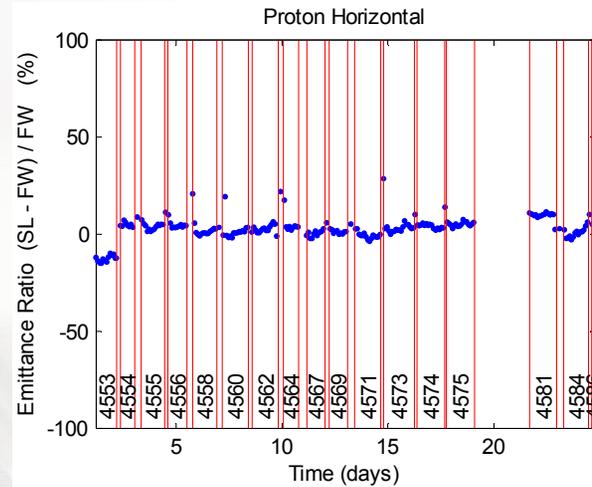
Saw signal degradation towards end of Tevatron



# Synclite vs. Flying Wire

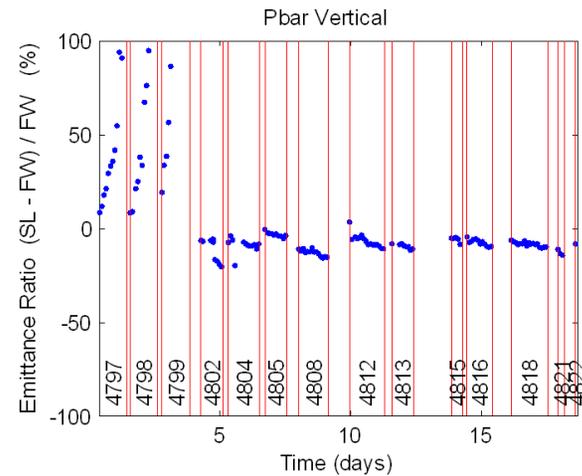
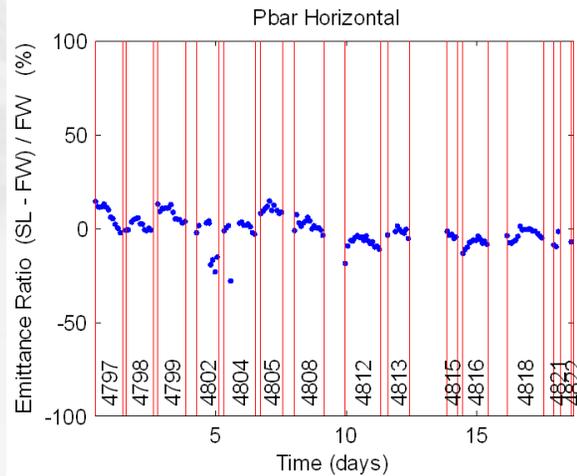
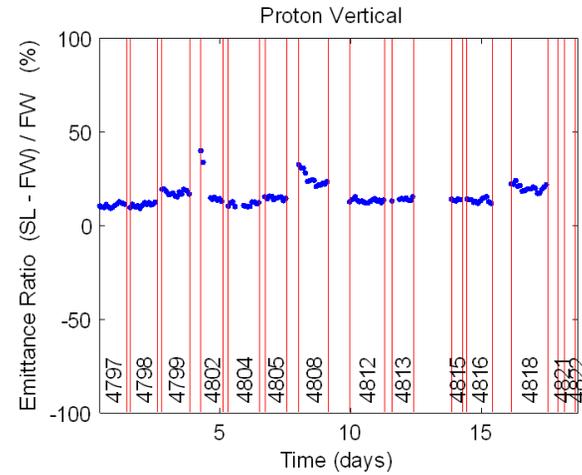
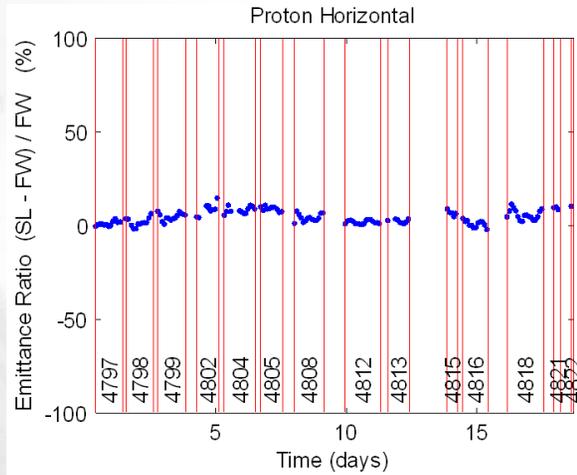
Overall resolution term obtained by flattening the comparison within store (red lines)

Pre 2006 shutdown

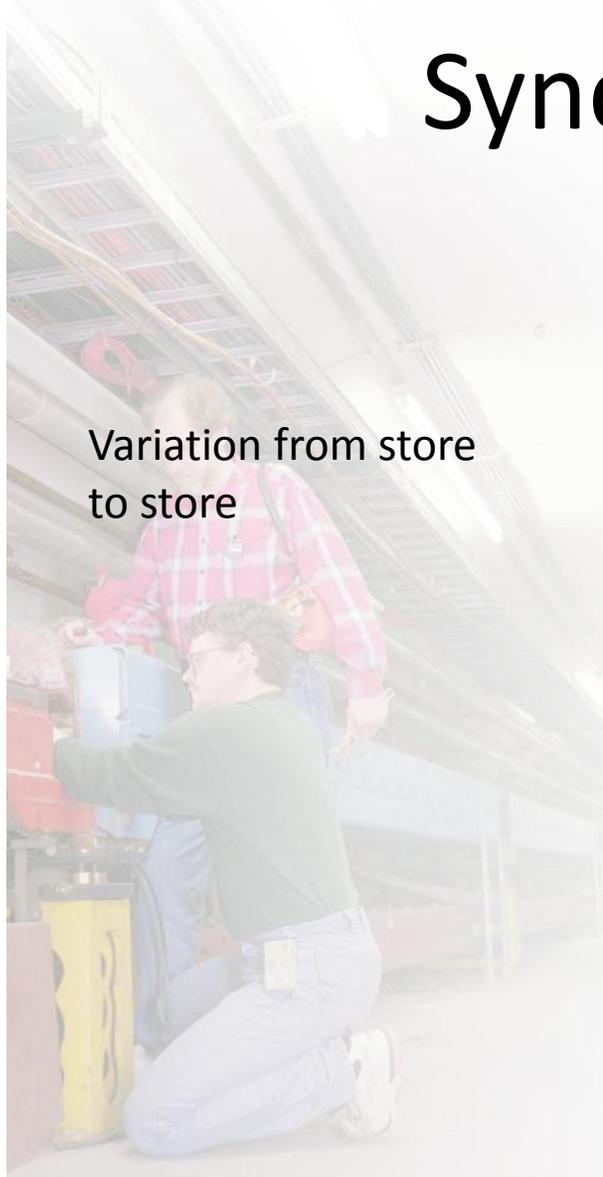


# Synclite vs. Flying Wires

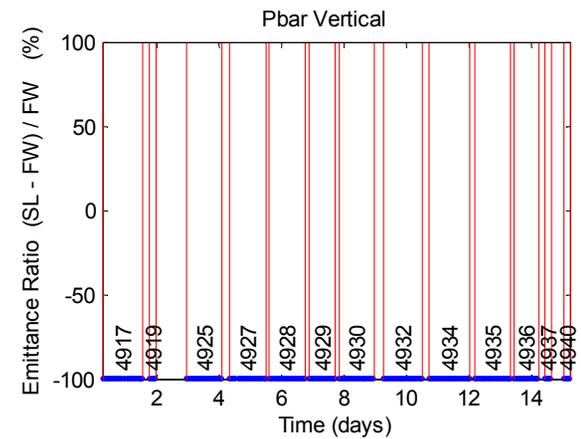
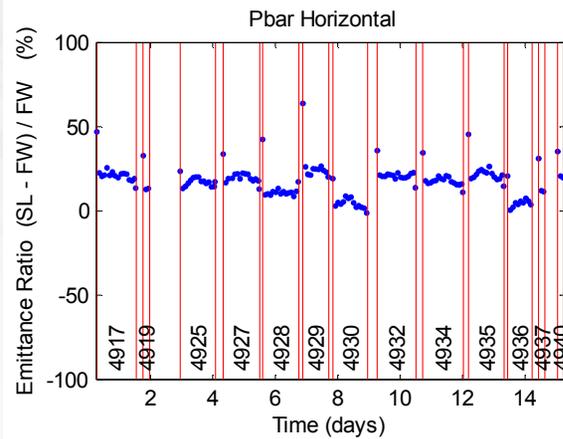
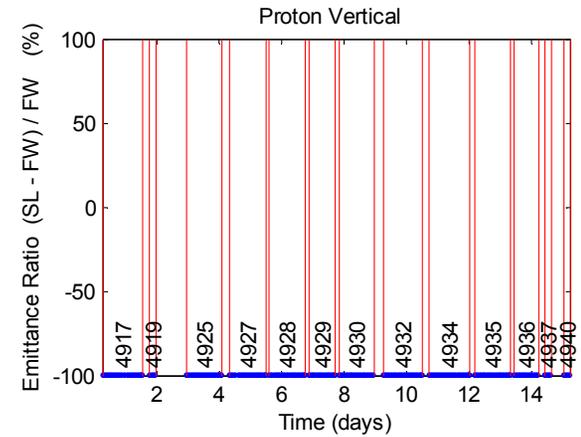
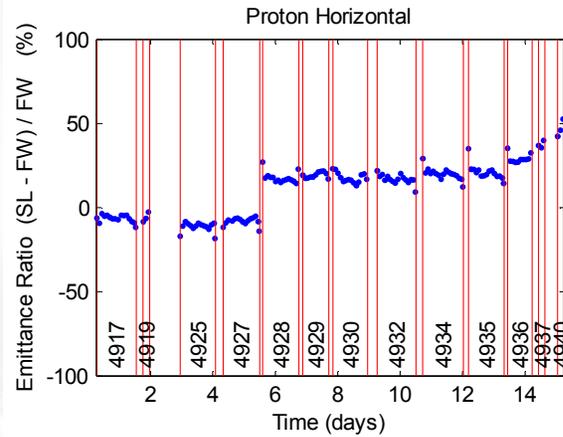
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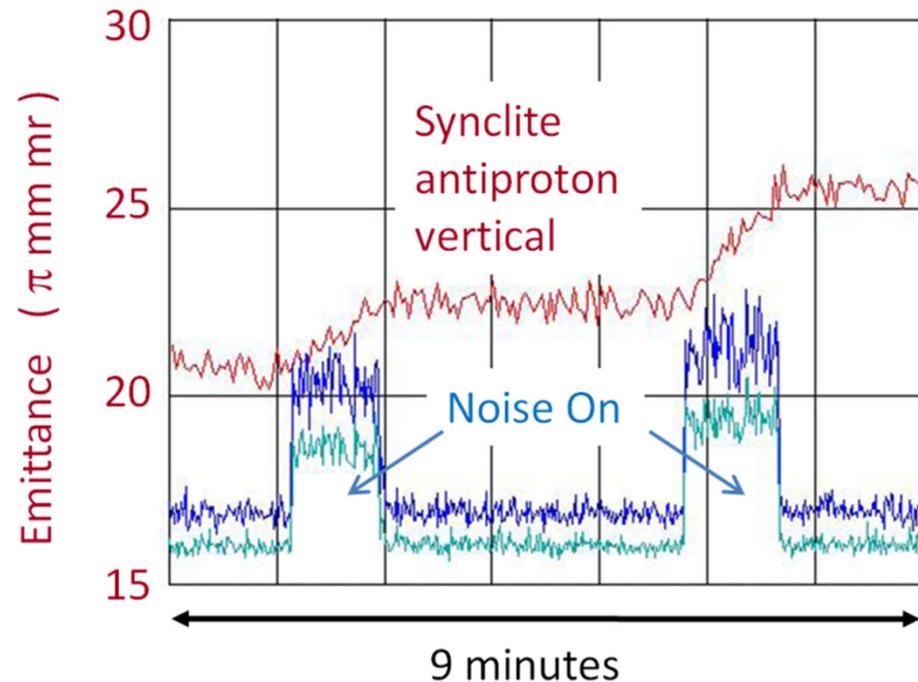


Variation from store to store



# Synclite Use

- With the advent of electron cooling
  - Antiproton beam too bright
  - Proton beam emittance growth
  - Poor luminosity lifetime
- So... uncool the antiprotons a bit
  - Noise source kicker
  - Synclite antiproton signal as feedback



# Abort Gap Monitor

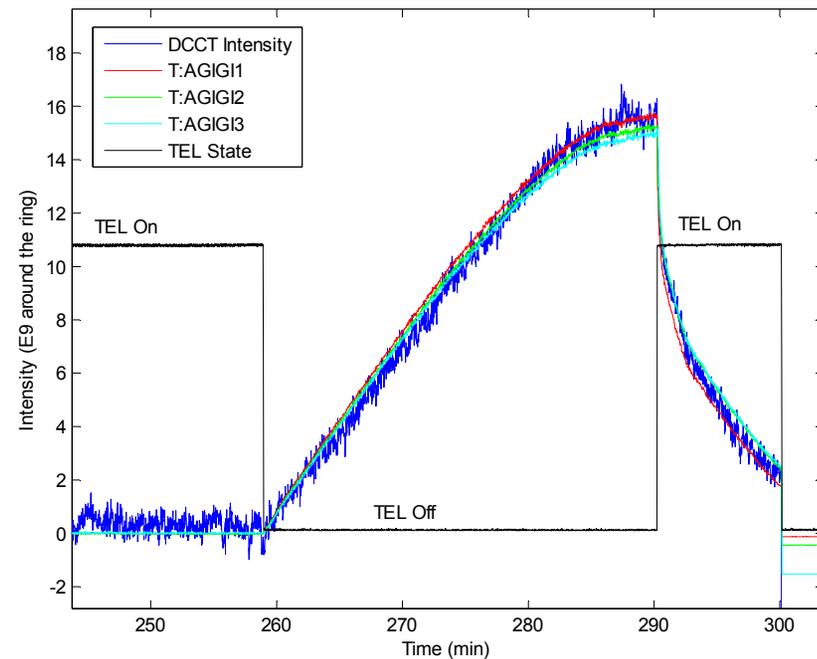
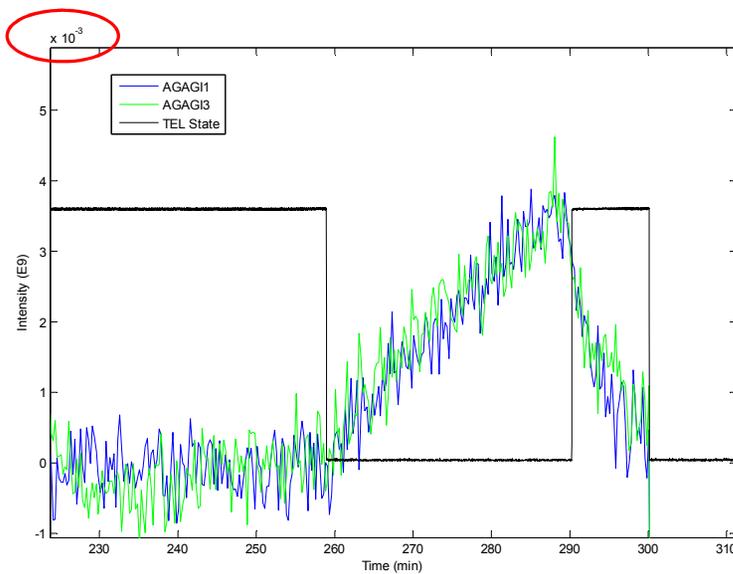
- PMT is a Hamamatsu 3-stage MCP type
- PMT charge signal is integrated for a specified duration and digitized
- Critical time was during the early part of the gap in which the abort kicker would fire
- The table below lists the number of photons or photoelectrons after a particular optic element

	Protons				Antiprotons			
Wavelength (nm)	450	550	650	750	450	550	650	750
# of photons / 100 nm / 10 <sup>9</sup> particles	15,000	24,000	30,000	37,000	39,000	58,000	80,000	106,000
Optical Efficiency – Mirrors, etc...	30.0%				30.0%			
Quantum Efficiency	13.0%	8.5%	5.5%	2.0%	13.0%	8.5%	5.5%	2.0%
Duty Cycle (1 abort gap)	0.1				0.1			
# photoelectrons	191				496			

# Abort Gap Monitor Calibration

Calibration of the abort gap monitor via

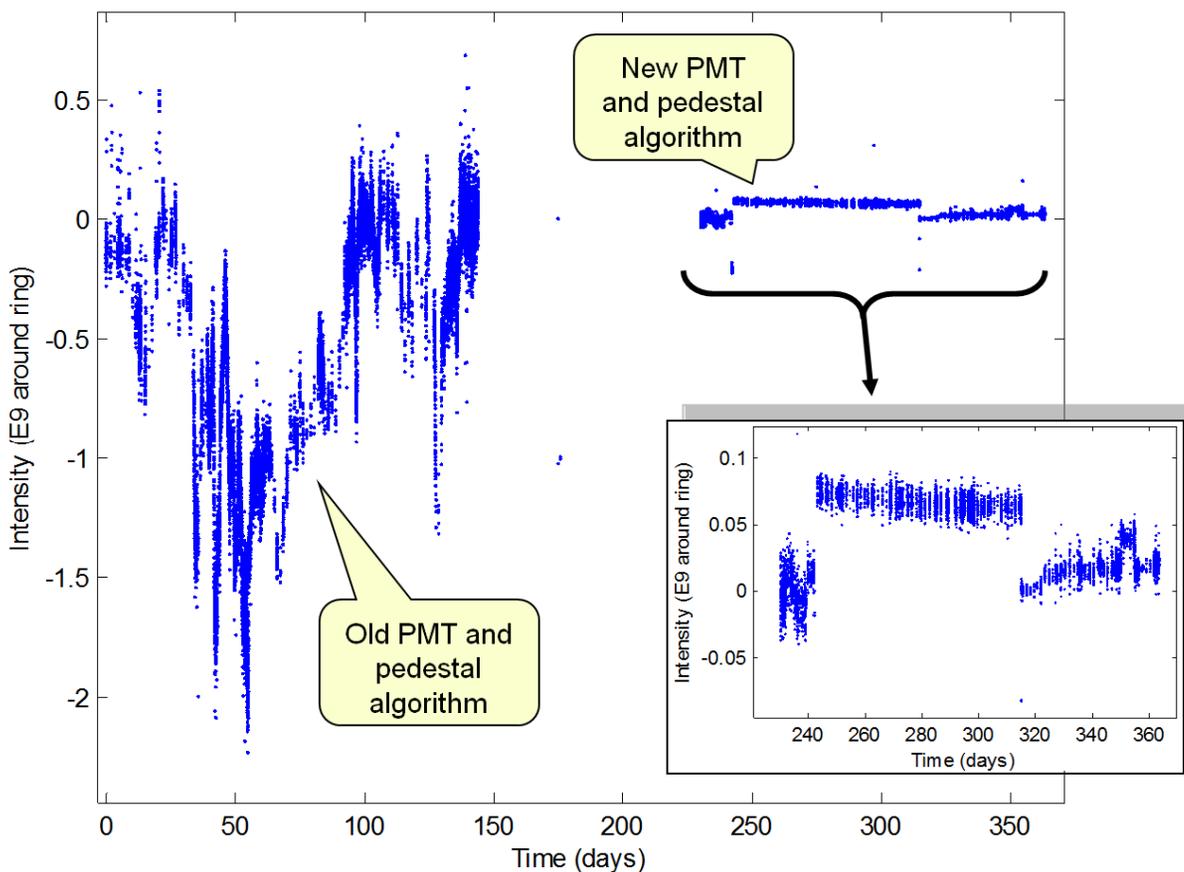
- Baseline-subtracted DCCT signal
- Tevatron Electron Lens (abort gap cleaner)



# Pedestal Algorithm

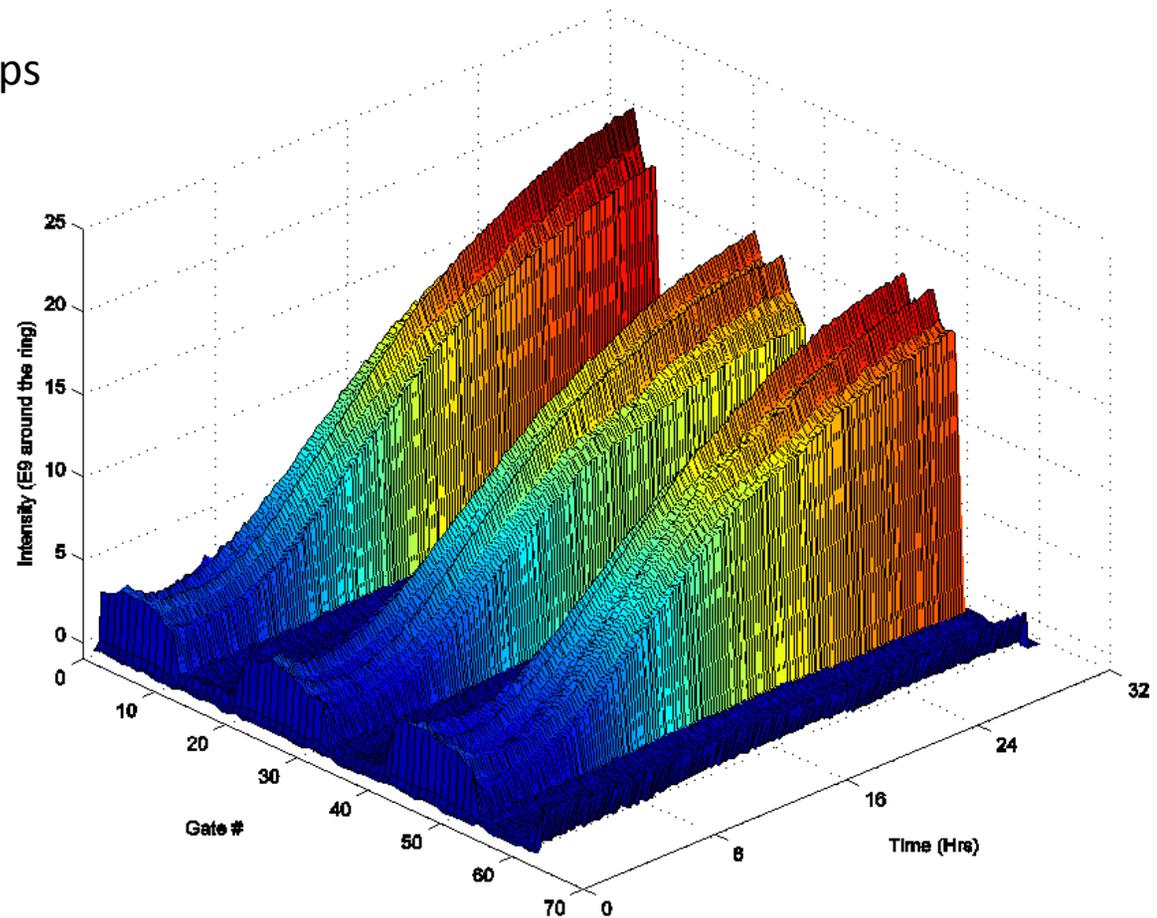
Pedestals have two components

- A beam-off pedestal
- A beam-on non-gated pedestal
  - Tracks changes over time



# Beam Growth Between Bunches

Tevatron Electron Lens  
keeps the level low in the gaps

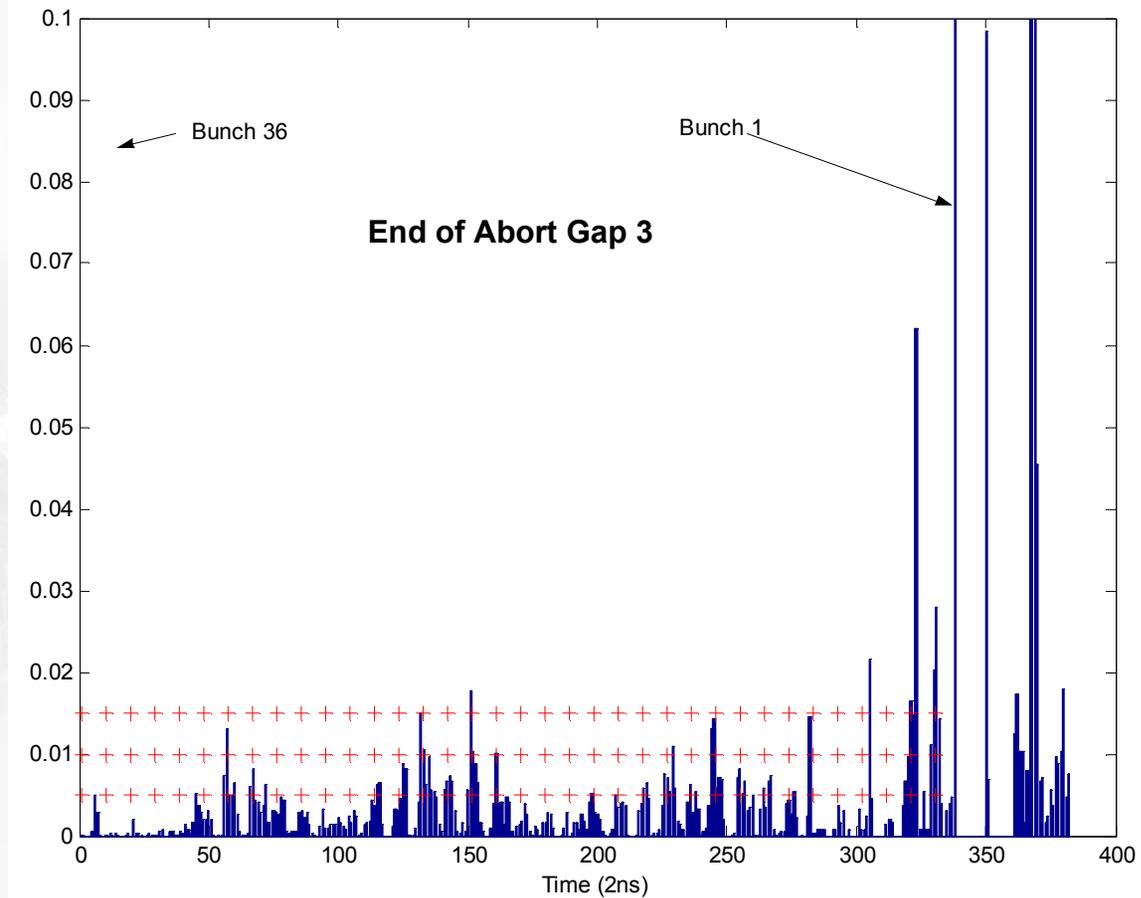


# Bunched Beam From Main Injector

Measurements in photon counting mode

Bunch 36 is 2  
microsecs to the left of  
this plot

The red crosses show  
my best guess at the  
location of the center  
of the buckets.



# Conclusions

- Synclite
  - Worked well
  - Should have had a uniform illumination calibration source (actually did, but not very uniform)
  - Should have measured the optical resolution
    - Planned to but didn't finish it