

# Impedance aspects of Crab cavities

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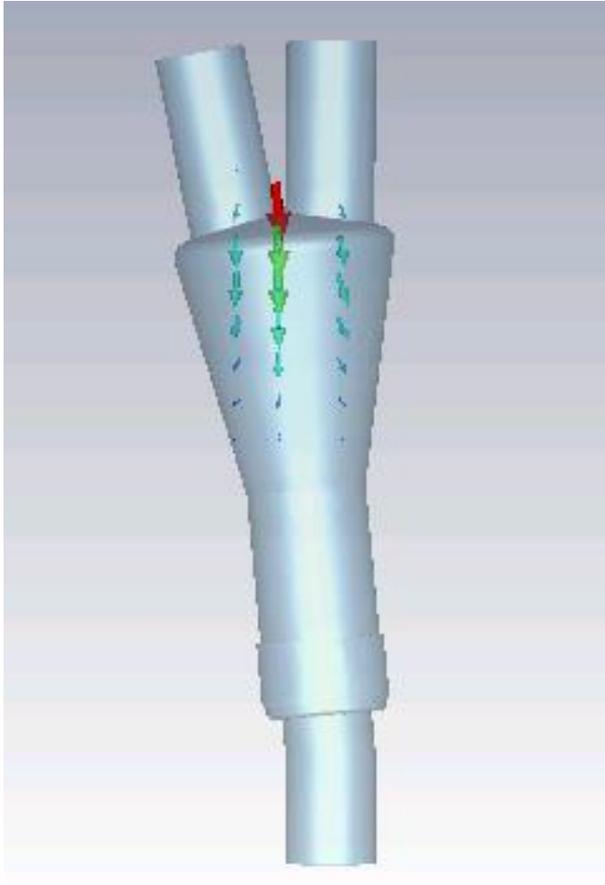
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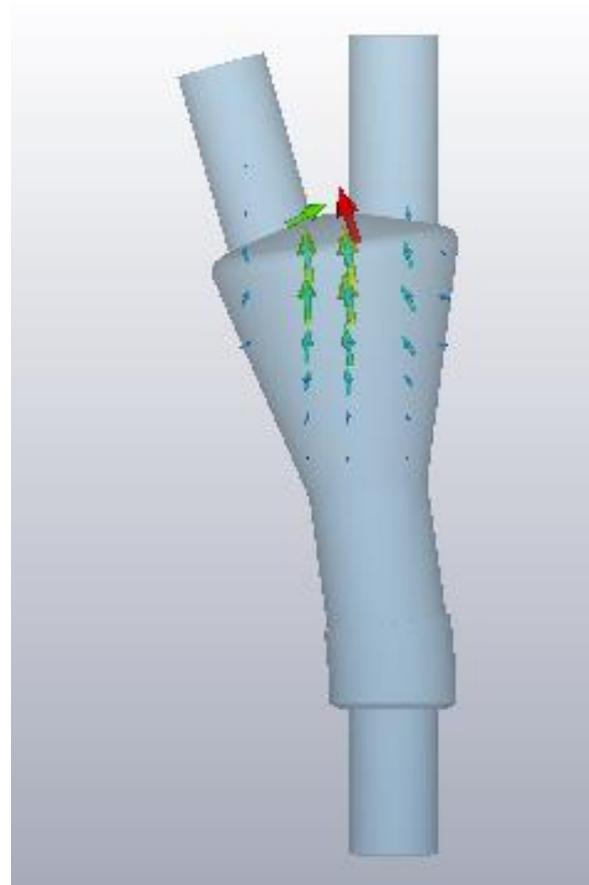
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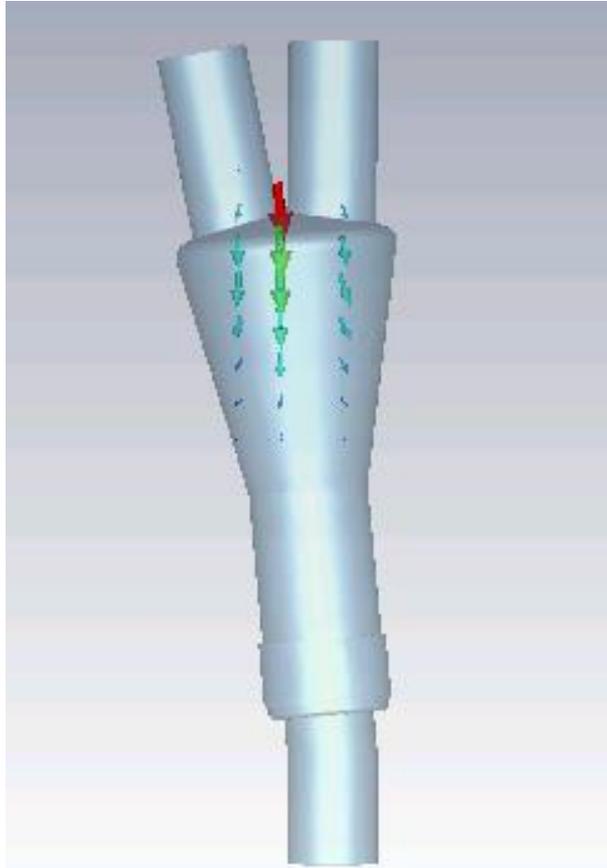


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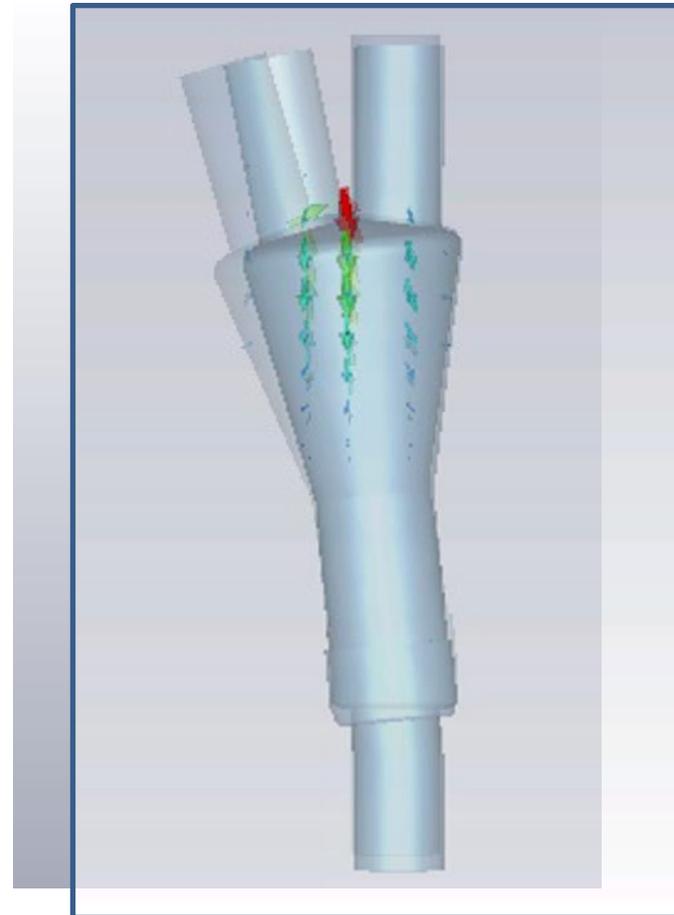


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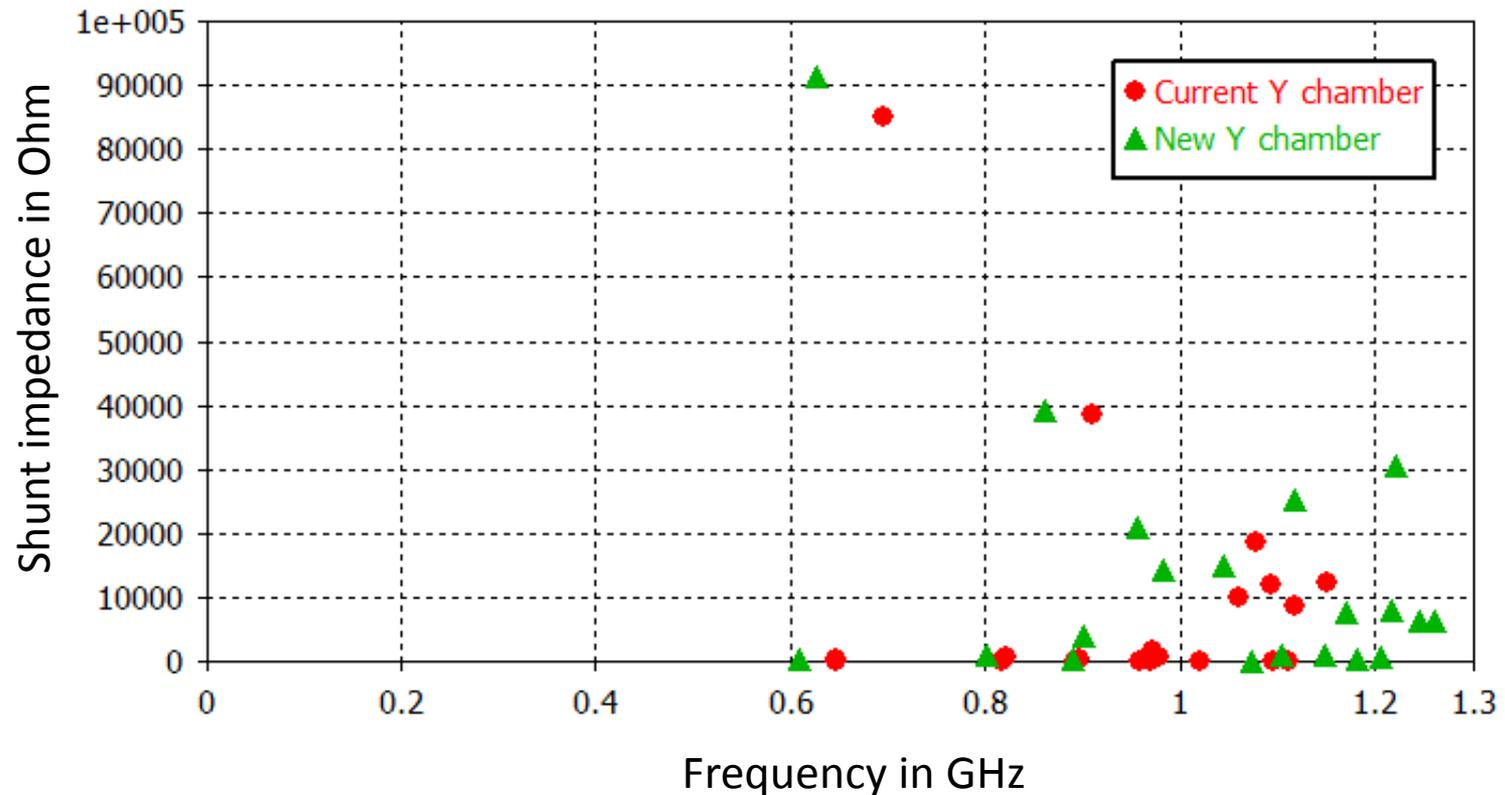
New chamber (16 degrees)



- Slight increase of volume to accommodate for the angle
- Real geometry also has a bellow on the taper (currently studied by Phoevos and Alick)

# Impedance of the new Y chambers

Comparison of modes between new Y chamber (16 deg) and current Y chamber (12 deg)



- 3D Model by F. Galleazzi does not contain the bellow
- New Y chamber would be slightly worse than the current chamber for longitudinal modes
- It would make sense to profit from the change of Y chamber to reduce its impedance

# Impedance of the new Y chambers

- Transverse effective impedance at low frequency:

	Current Y chamber	New Y chamber
Zx (total)	Ongoing	21 kOhm/m
Zy (total)	Ongoing	5 kOhm/m
Zlong	2.4 mOhm	3.5 mOhm

→ Impact of two new Y chambers expected to be small compared to SPS impedance (~10 Ohm and 20 MOhm/m)

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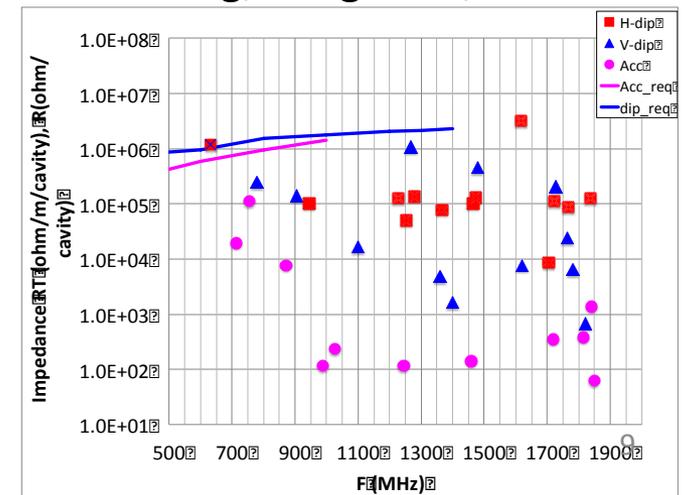
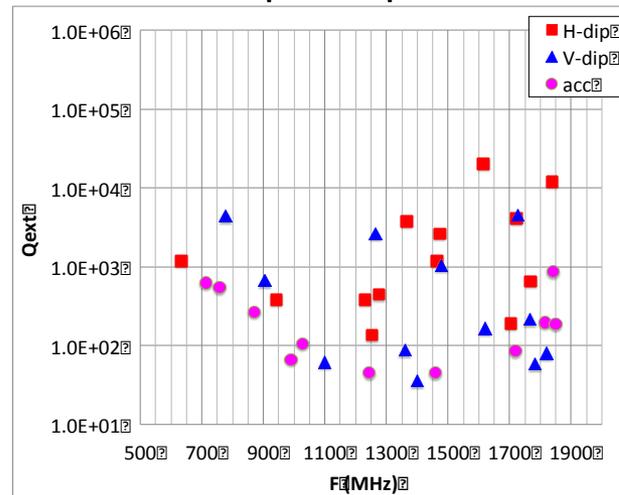
# Impedance of the crab cavities during operation

- Unlikely that any SPS operation occurs with crab cavities IN (information: Alick and Karel). However, let's check:
- Assumes symmetric contribution from Y chamber
- Damped longitudinal modes of  $\sim 100$  kOhm between 700 and 900 MHz would be similar to the modes of the Y chamber
- Other transverse modes at very high frequency for the SPS, and still small compared to the SPS effective impedance (20 MOhm/m - broad due to kickers).
- Transverse effective impedance of one crab cavity is small ( $\sim 3$  kOhm/m)

→ Impact of two crab cavities not expected to be a critical issue for SPS operation with LHC beam

→ therefore, crab cavities not expected to limit significantly the dedicated MD beams (if modes well damped)

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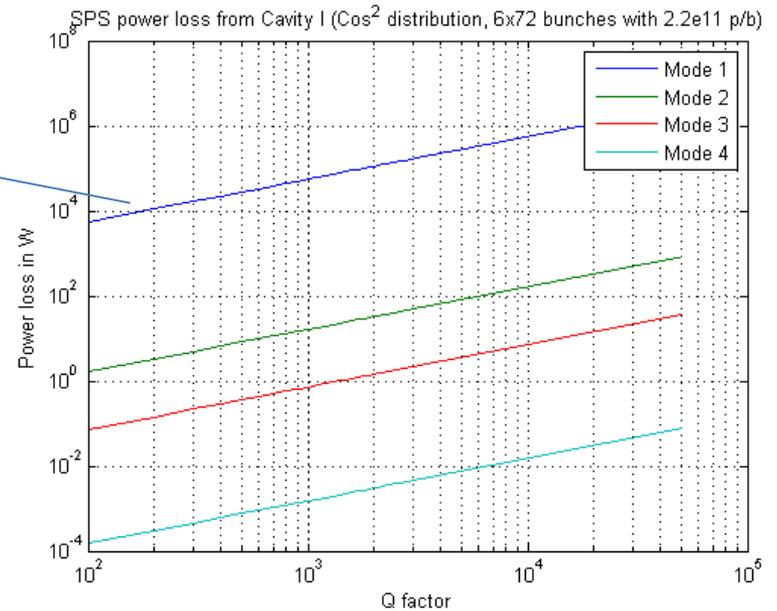
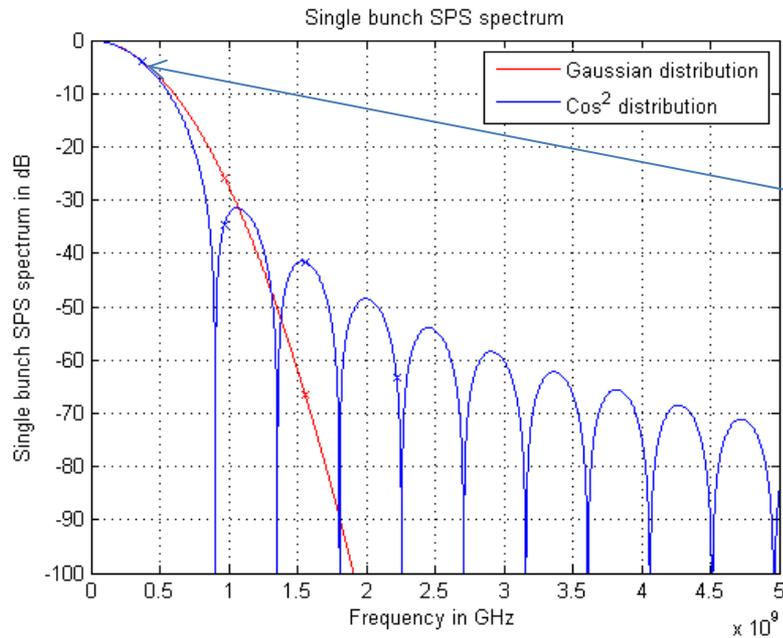


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# Power from SPS beam: cavity I (Lancaster)

- 1.6 ns bunch length, 6x72 bunches with 2.2e11 p/b
- Quite optimistic before LS2
- worst case scenario (also on beam spectrum line)

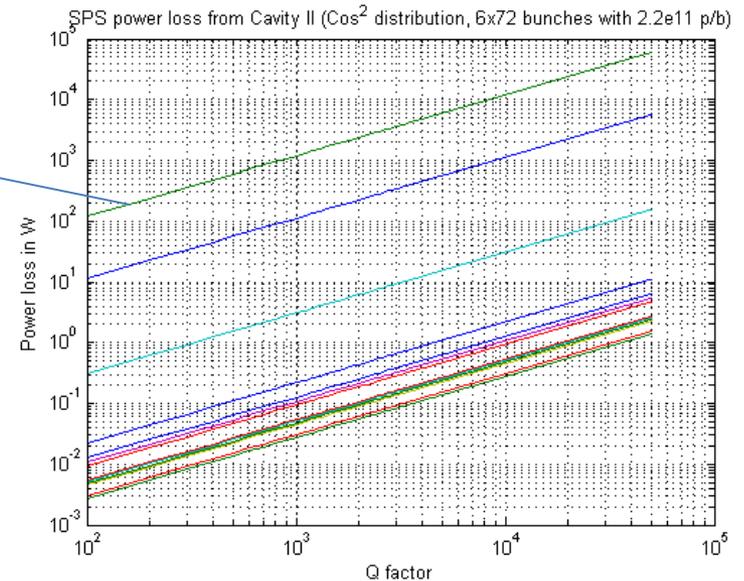
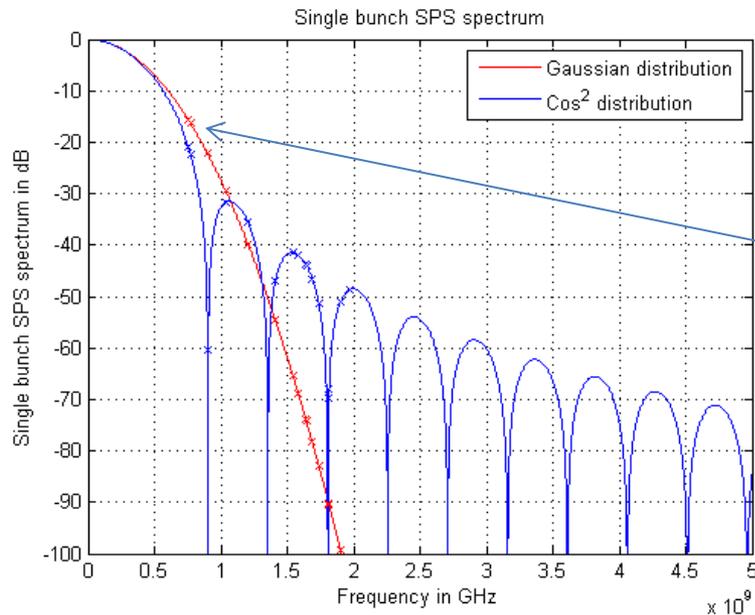


→ With Q=1000, power loss for the worst mode (375 MHz) is ~50 kW

Using  $P_{loss} = (2 * (M * N_b * e * f_{rev})^2 * h(f)^2 * R / Q * Q;$

# Power from SPS beam: cavity II (ODU)

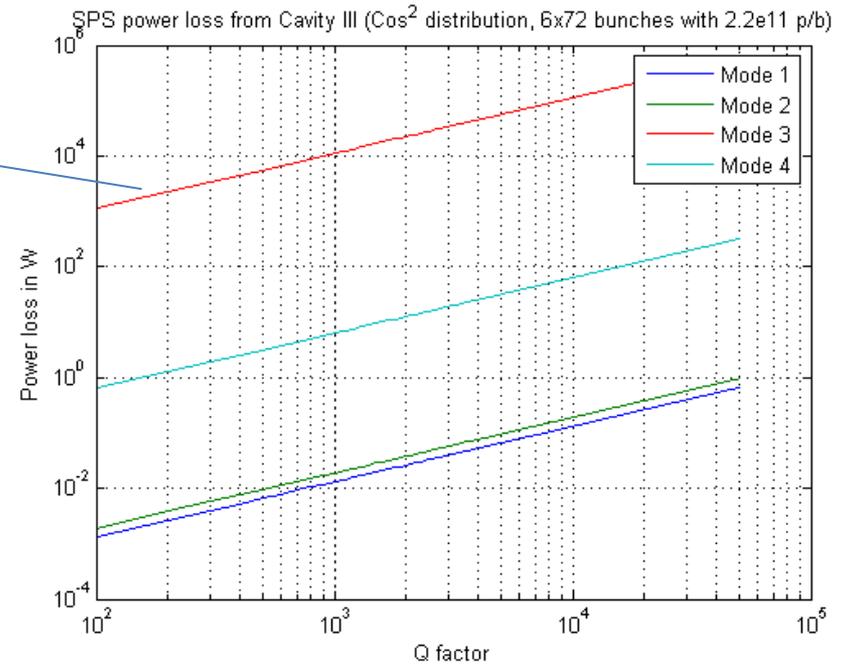
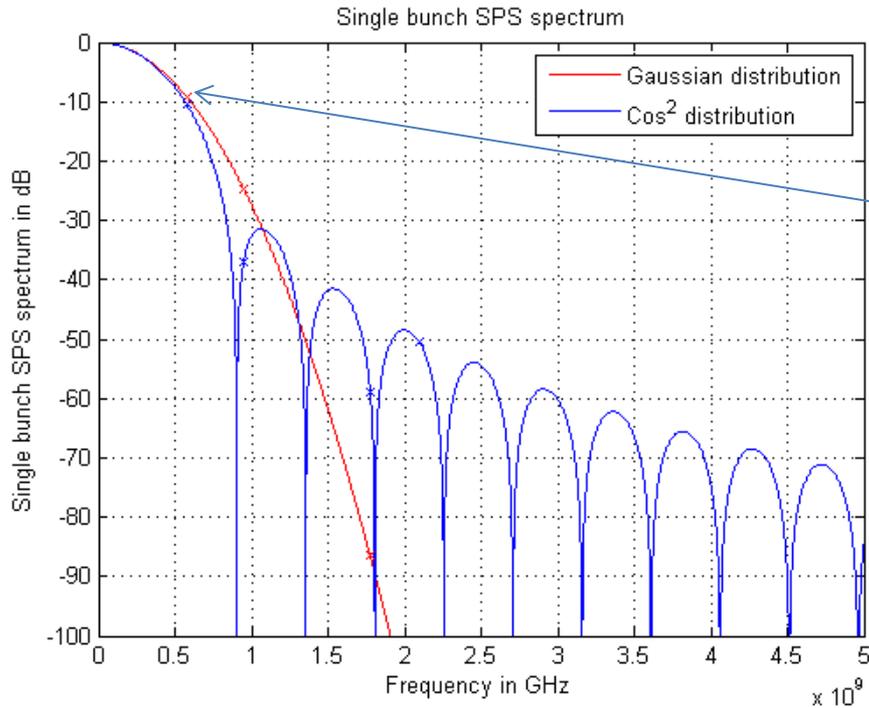
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# Power from SPS beam: cavity III (BNL)

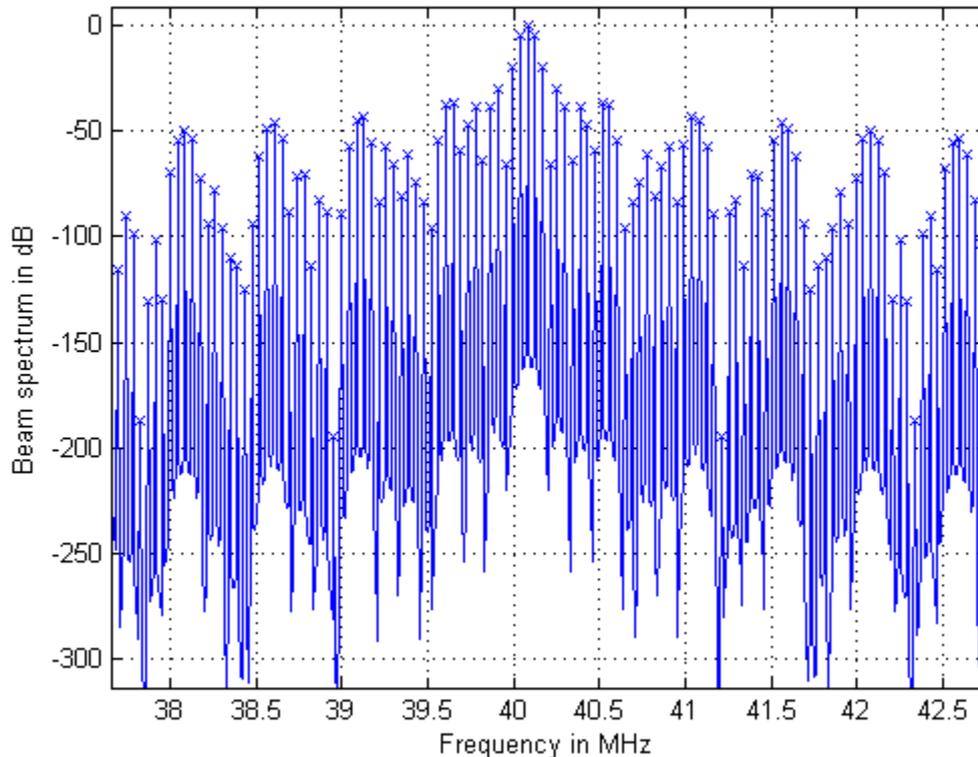
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→ With  $Q=1000$ , power loss for the worst mode (577 MHz) is  $\sim 10$  kW (worst case)

# Off resonance effect

Normalized SPS beam spectrum for 25 ns beam (288 bunches)



- Very strong reduction in beam spectrum if 0.5 MHz away from resonance
- Also developed by E. Metral at IBIC 2013 and R. Calaga et al in a [note](#)

- Are these worst case power values still reasonable?
- In summary for SPS, impact on beam is expected to be limited

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# Requests for shunt impedance of resonant modes

- History of requests for maximum longitudinal shunt impedance added to LHC at a given frequency:
  - E. Shaposhnikova (CC10 workshop)
    - 200 kOhm limit for ultimate intensity, 1 ns, 2.5eVs at 7 TeV relaxed beyond 600 MHz as  $(\tau f_r)^{5/3}$
  - A. Burov (CC11 workshop)
    - 2.4 MOhm limit for ultimate intensity, 1.1 ns at 7 TeV
  - B. Salvant based on A. Burov's model (HiLumi 2012 workshop)
    - 1.7 MOhm limit for 2.2e11 p/b, 1 ns at 7 TeV
- Need convergence of theoretical models and guidance of macroparticle simulations
- Ongoing heavy work (N. Mounet):
  - Impedance model with and without additional resonant modes
  - DELPHI and HEADTAIL simulations to assess intensity limits
- Current limit for current installation into LHC set to max  $R_s \sim 200$  kOhm per resonant mode up to 1.5 GHz (agreed with BE/RF-BR).
- This limit is known to be conservative (in particular since the bunch length is longer than the design bunch length) and could be revised following the results of the study.

# Longitudinal impedance limit for coupled bunch instabilities

- Many parameters can/will change for the chosen options of HL-LHC:
  - Higher bunch and beam intensity (2748 bunches with  $2.2e11$  p/b)
  - 200 MHz or 800 MHz ? Longitudinal emittance? Bunch length?
- Until the parameters are clearer, this limit shall continue to be enforced.
  - With 16 (or 12) identical cavities per beam, this would mean a limit of 12 k $\Omega$  (or 16 k $\Omega$ ) per cavity
    - Possibility to use two sets of different cavities to increase the threshold by a factor 2.
    - Interesting suggestion by E. Shaposhnikova to detune and spread all longitudinal modes of the cavities on purpose
    - Limit would then be back to 200 k $\Omega$  per cavity.

Worst longitudinal mode	Cavity I (Lancaster)	Cavity II (ODU)	Cavity III (BNL)
Frequency (MHz)	375	772	577
R/Q ( $\Omega$ )	125	180	108
<b>Min Q to reach 12 k<math>\Omega</math>/cavity</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>110</b>
<b>Min Q to reach 200 k<math>\Omega</math>/cavity</b>	<b>1600</b>	<b>1100</b>	<b>1850</b>
Required separation $\Delta f > f/Q$ (MHz)	0.2	0.7	0.3

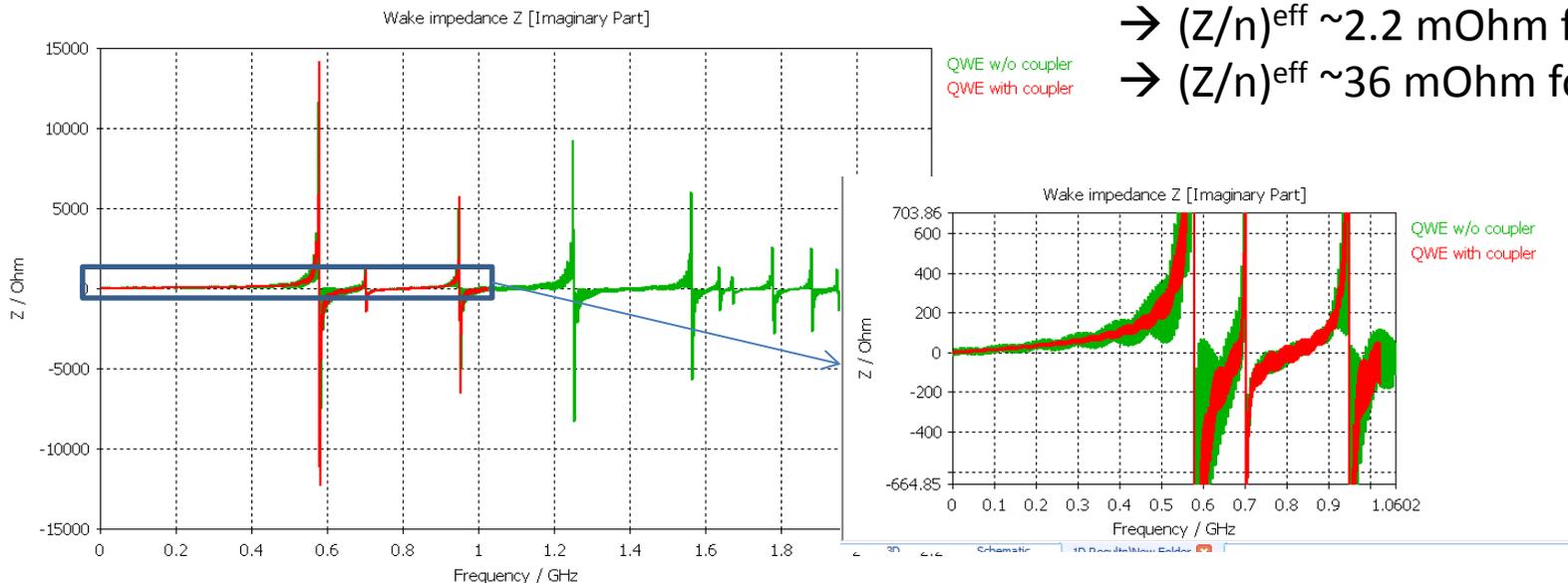
→ Would this detuning be feasible for many cavities?

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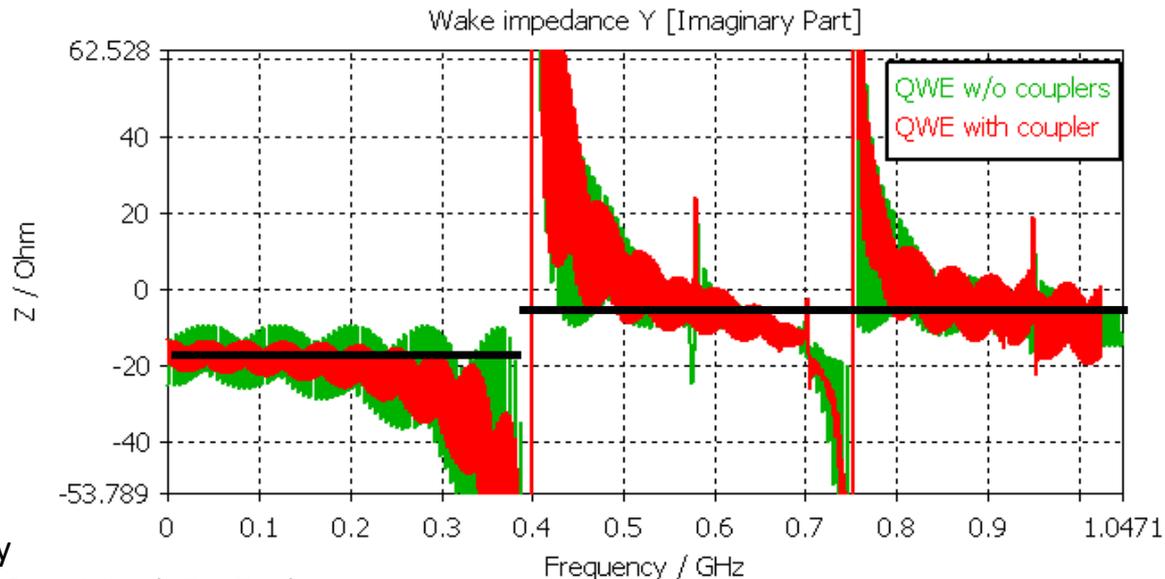
- Crab cavities have very large resonances
  - simulated through eigenmode solver
    - $f, R, Q$
- Is there anything besides the resonances?
  - Effect on synchrotron and betatron tune shift would come from effective longitudinal and transverse impedances
  - Simulated through wakefield solver → ex: QWE cavity



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- Transverse case



Beam displacement= 5 mm

→  $Z^{\text{eff}} \sim 20 \text{ Ohm}/5 \text{ mm}=4 \text{ kOhm}/\text{m}$  for 1 cavity

→  $Z^{\text{eff}} \sim 30 \text{ Ohm}/5\text{mm} * 16=100 \text{ kOhm}/\text{m}$  for 16 cavities ( $\langle Z_x+Z_y \rangle$ )

→ Which is 5% compared to the total LHC impedance at injection ( $\sim 2 \text{ MOhm}/\text{m}$ )

→ However, beta in collisions can be of the order of 4 km →  $Z^{\text{eff}} \sim 100\text{e}3 * 4000/70= 5 \text{ MOhm}/\text{m}$  for 16 cavities

- 16 crab cavities per beam would add 25 % of the total LHC impedance (below 400 MHz).
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First idea: We chose to add constant impedance contributions to resonator models

→ Problem: are we not counting the same contribution twice ?

→ At low frequency,  $Z_{\text{resonator}} \rightarrow j * R/Q * f/f_r$  in longitudinal and  $j * R/Q$  in transverse.

For the specific QWE case:

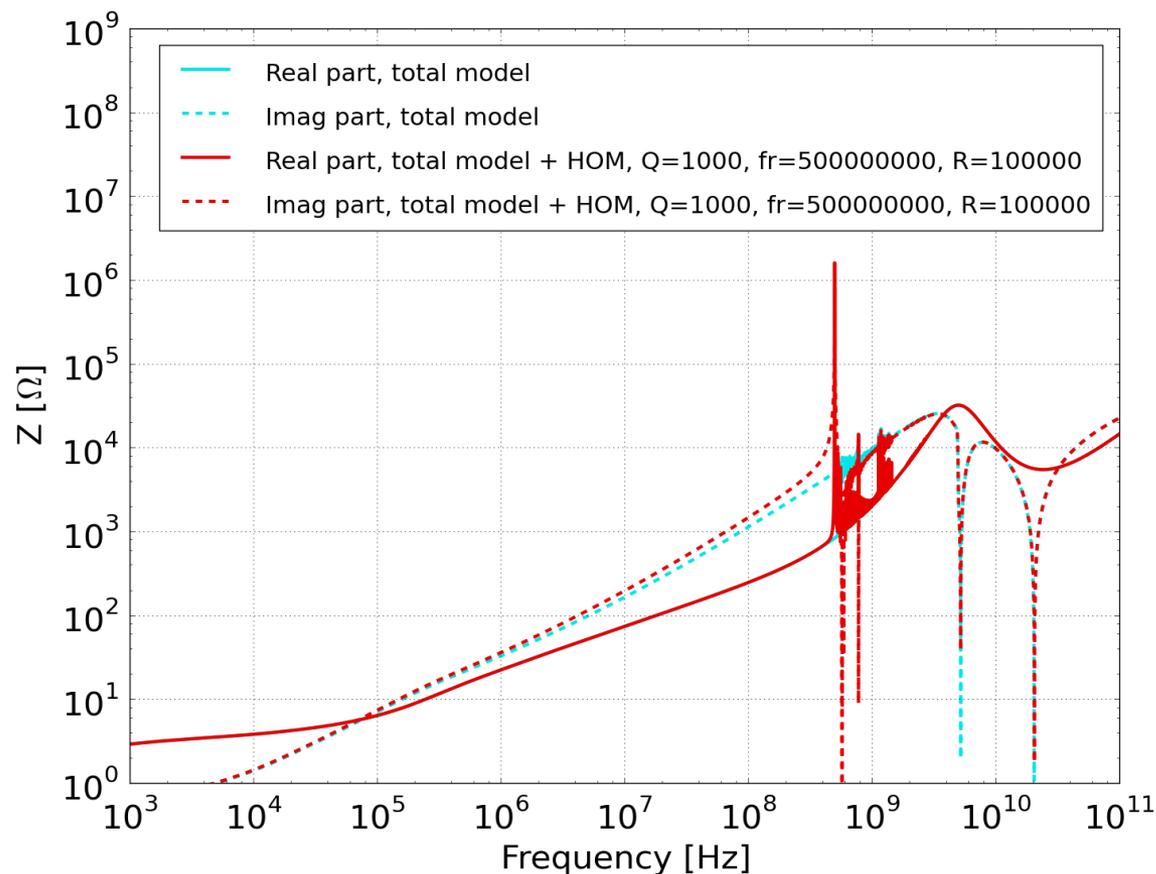
-  $\text{Im}(Z_{\text{long}}/n) \sim R/Q/f_{\text{res}} * f_{\text{rev}} \sim 108/577\text{e}6 * 11\text{e}3=2 \text{ mOhm}$  (2.2 mOhm computed) → the longitudinal mode could be enough

-  $\text{Im}(Z_{\text{trans}}) \sim R/Q=400 \text{ Ohm}$  (convention:  $Z_t[\text{Ohm}/\text{m}]=R[\text{Ohm}] * \omega/c=3.3 \text{ kOhm}/\text{m}$ ) → the transverse mode could be enough

→ most likely no need to add constant values, as we thought we should do.

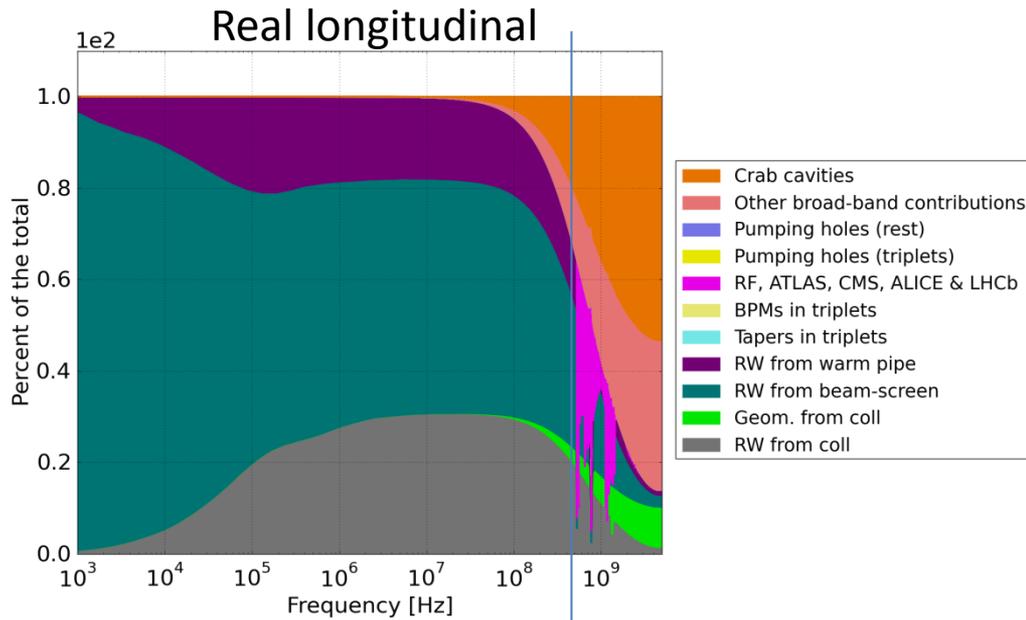
# Contribution of longitudinal crab cavity to LHC impedance model

Impact of longitudinal mode of 16 cavities at 500 MHz ( $R=100$  kOhm,  $Q=1000$ )



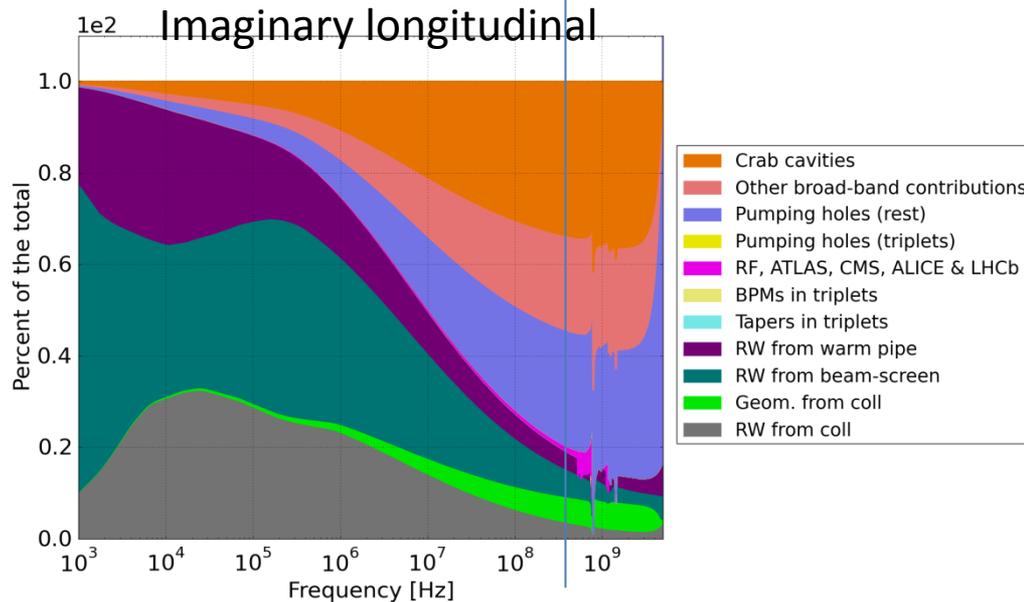
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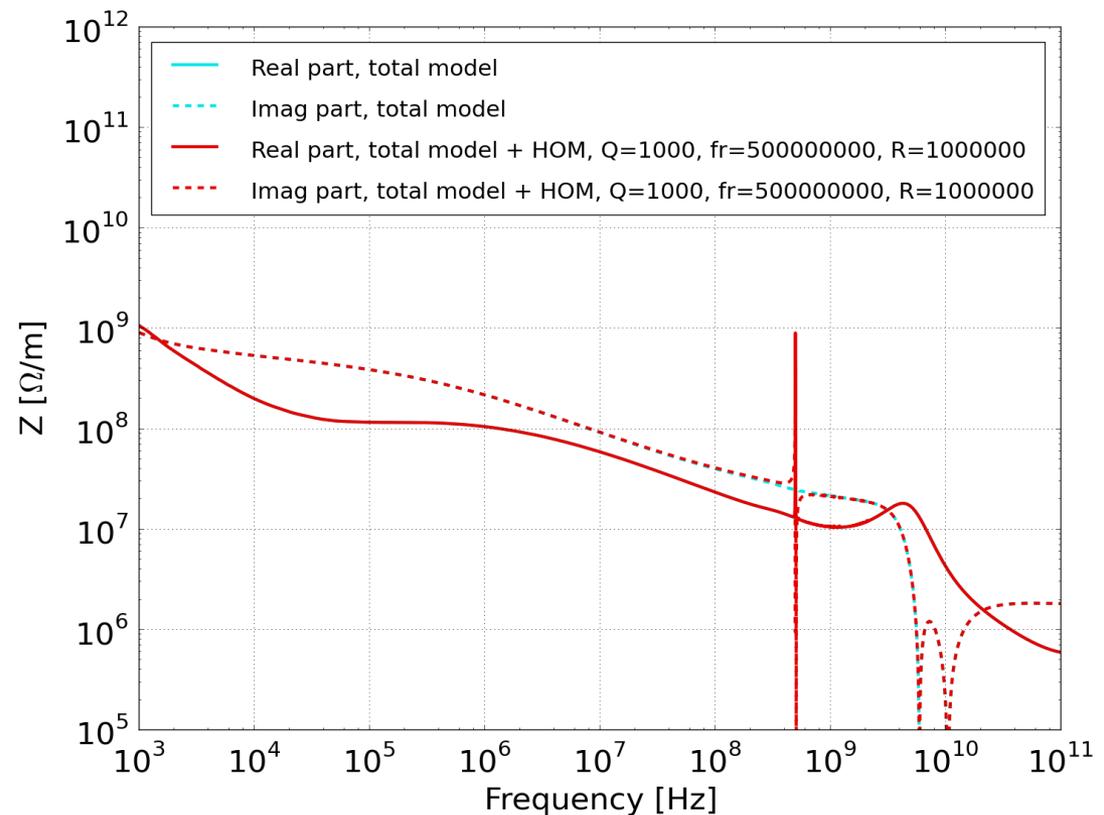
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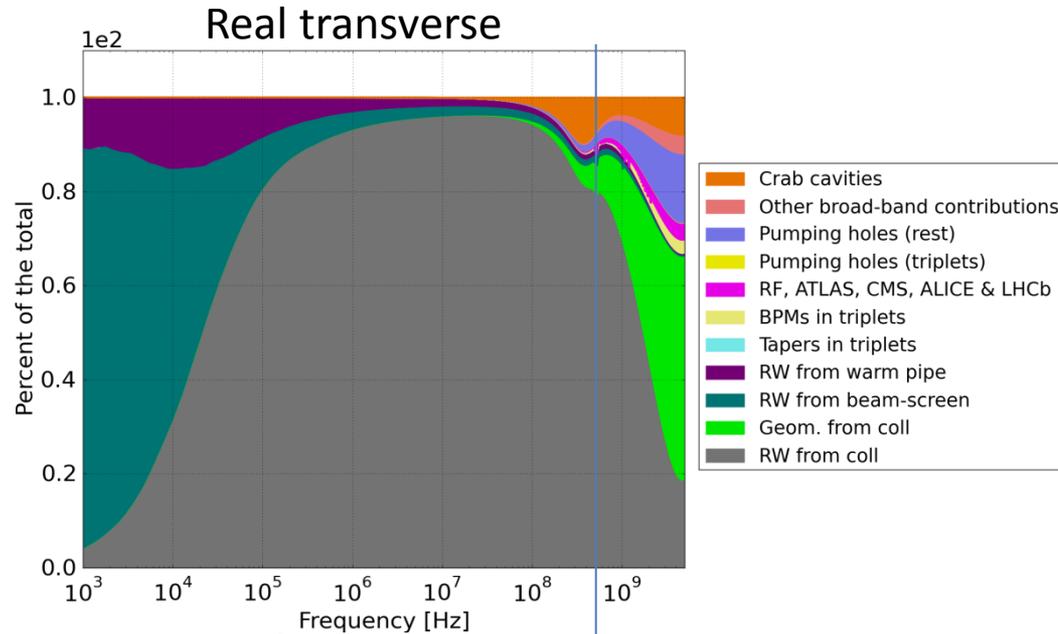
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- Example of  $R_t=1$  M $\Omega$ /m and  $Q=1000$



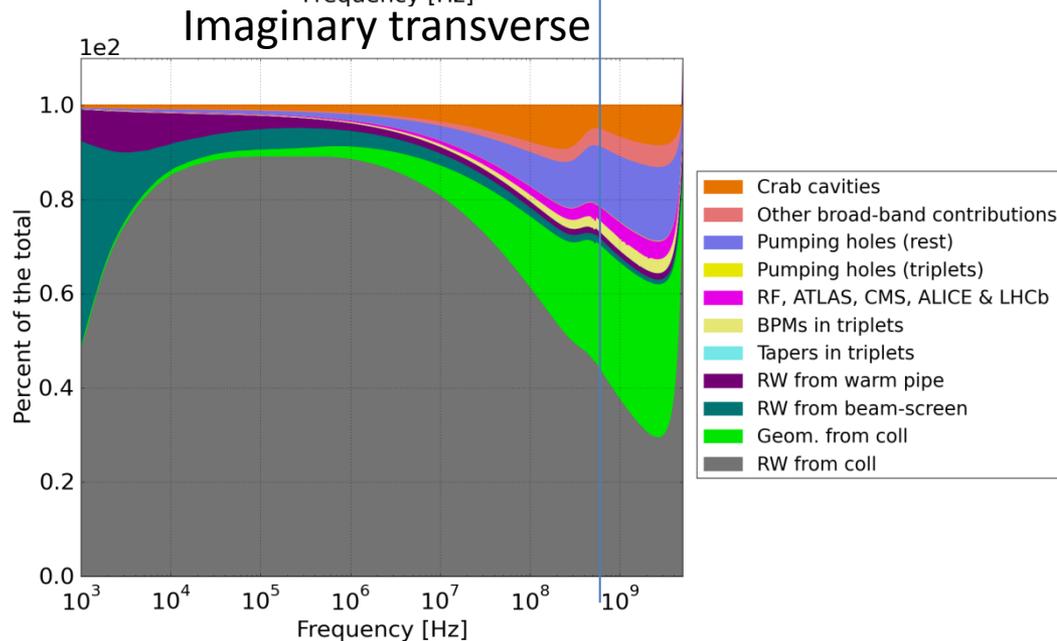
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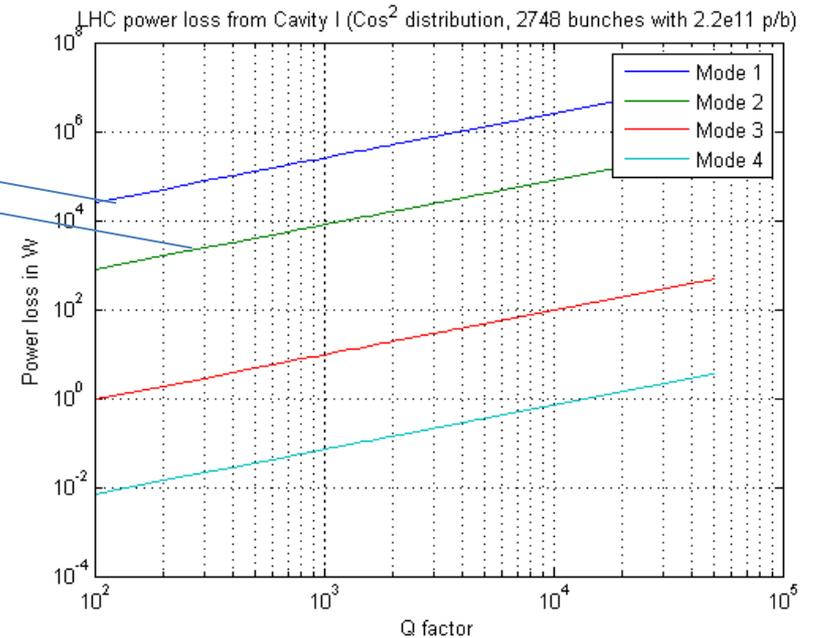
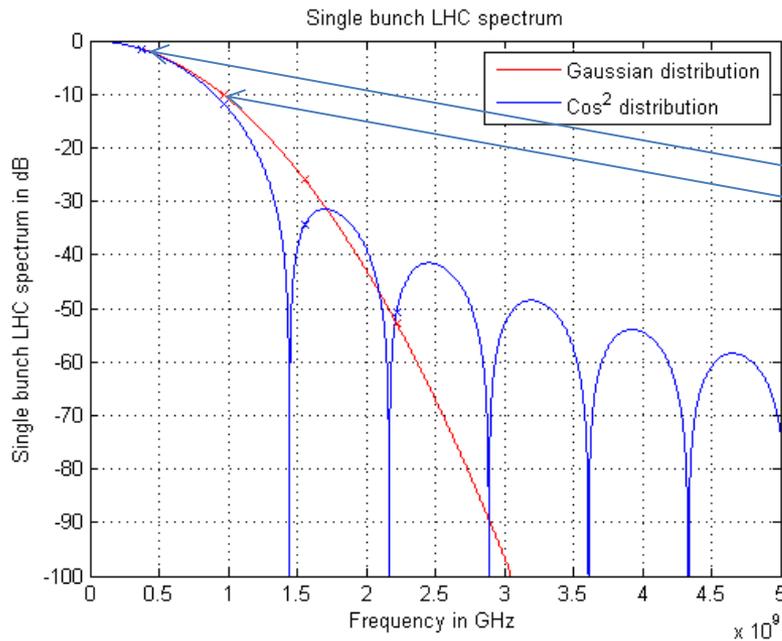


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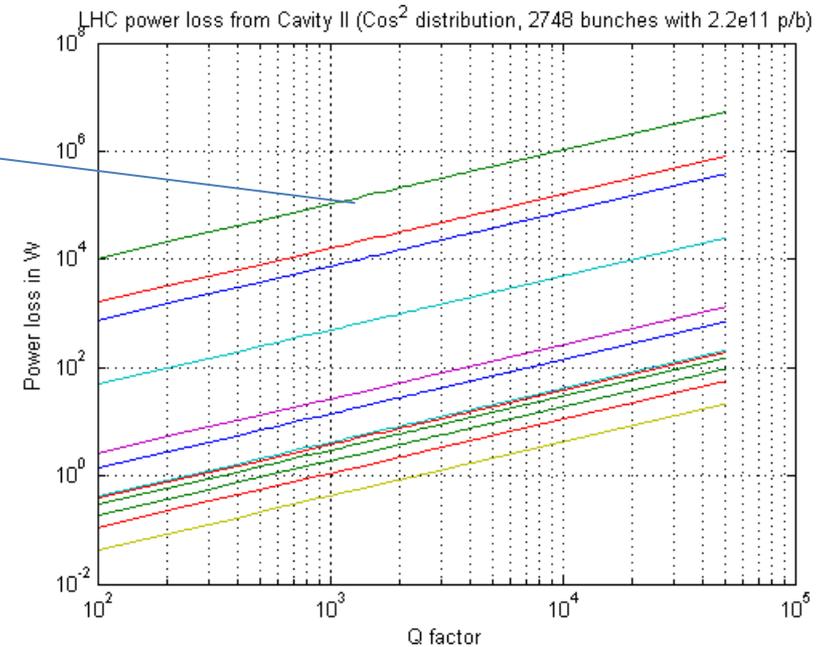
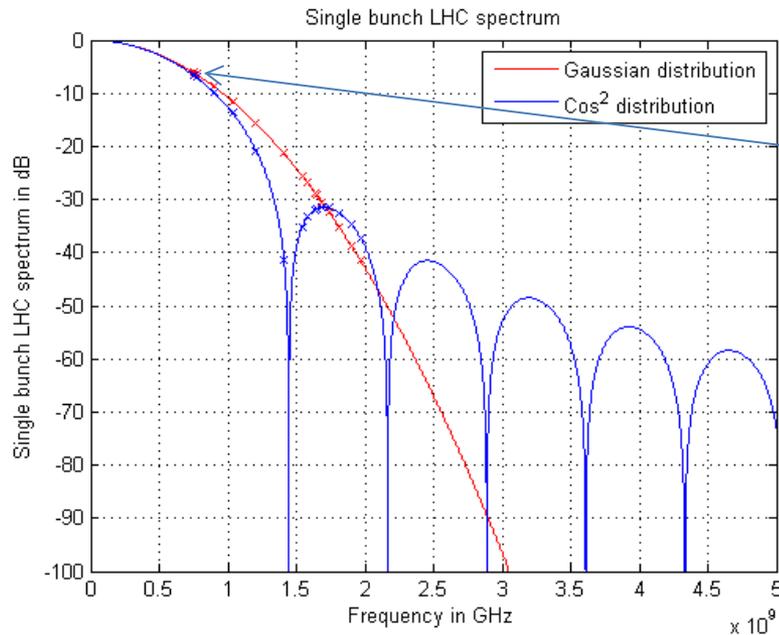
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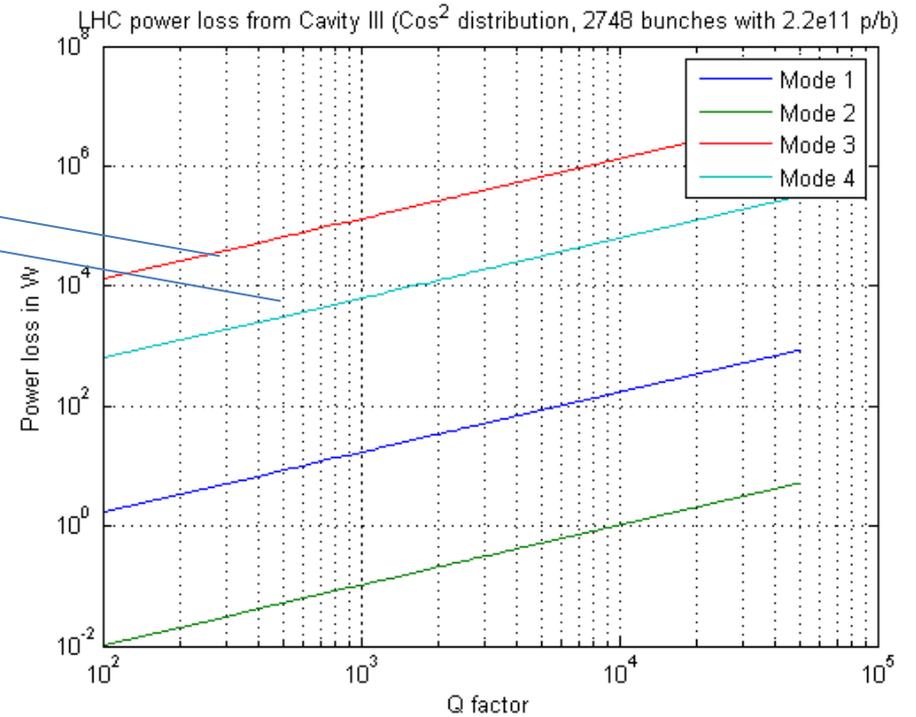
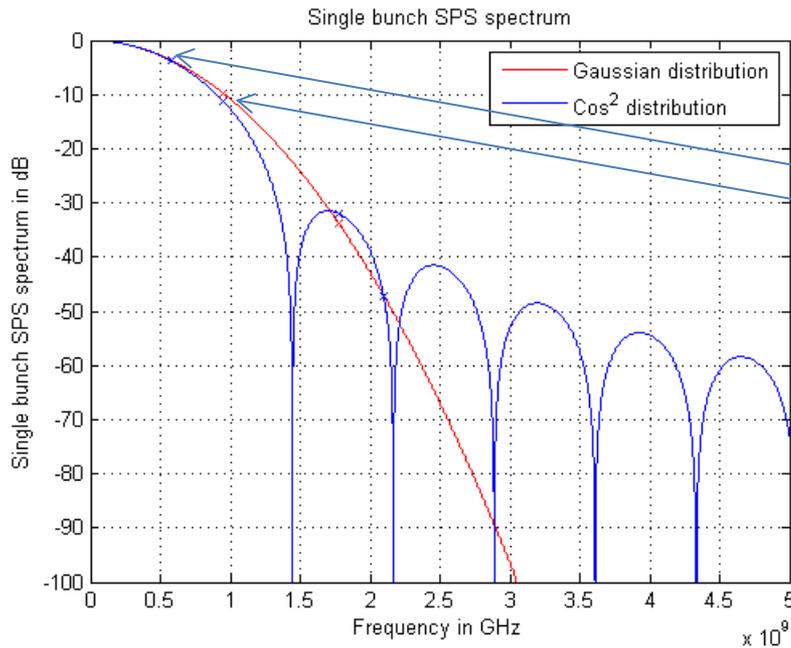
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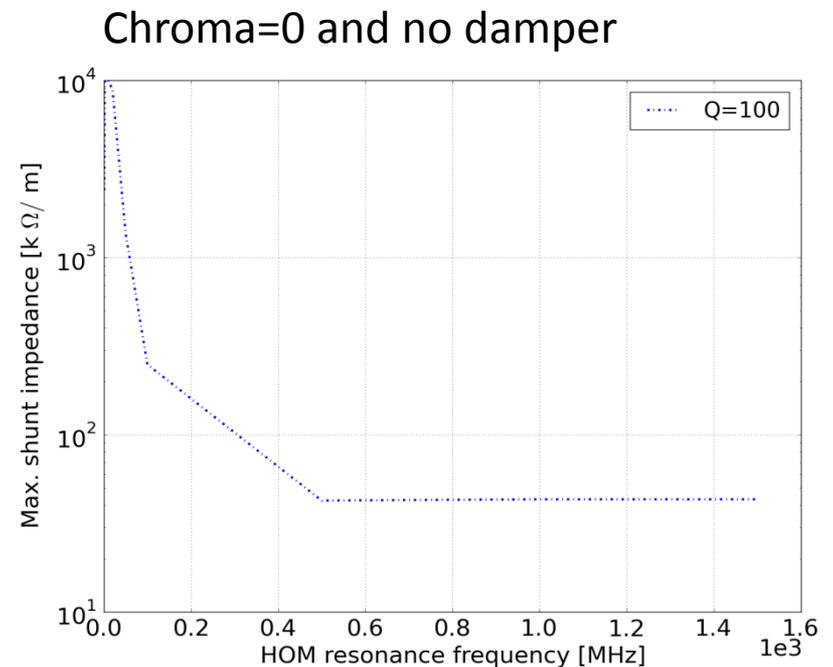
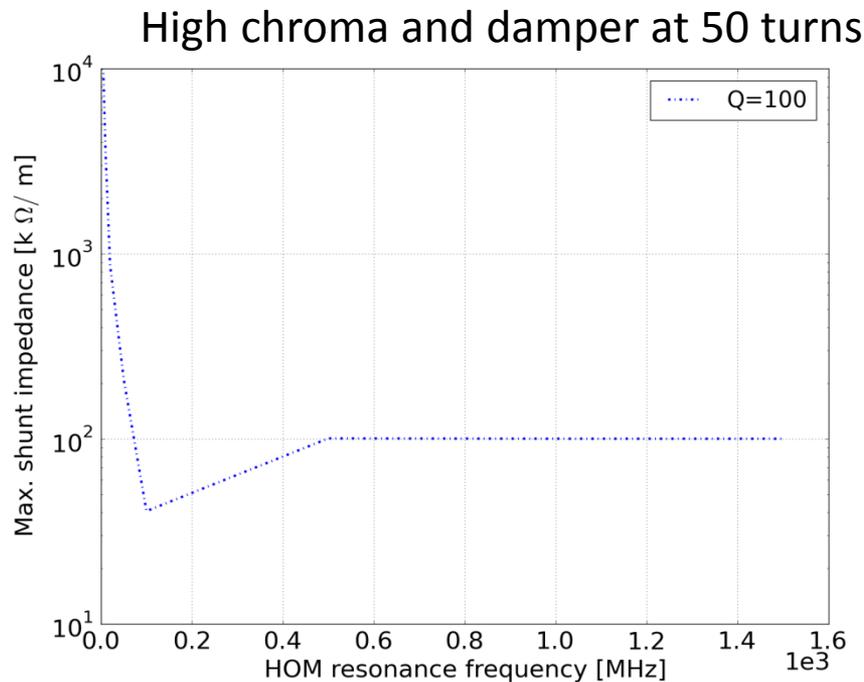
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# Impact on transverse stability

- Ongoing studies with DELPHI: example of max shunt impedance of transverse mode vs frequency to increase the TMCI threshold by less than 1% (with  $Q=100$ )



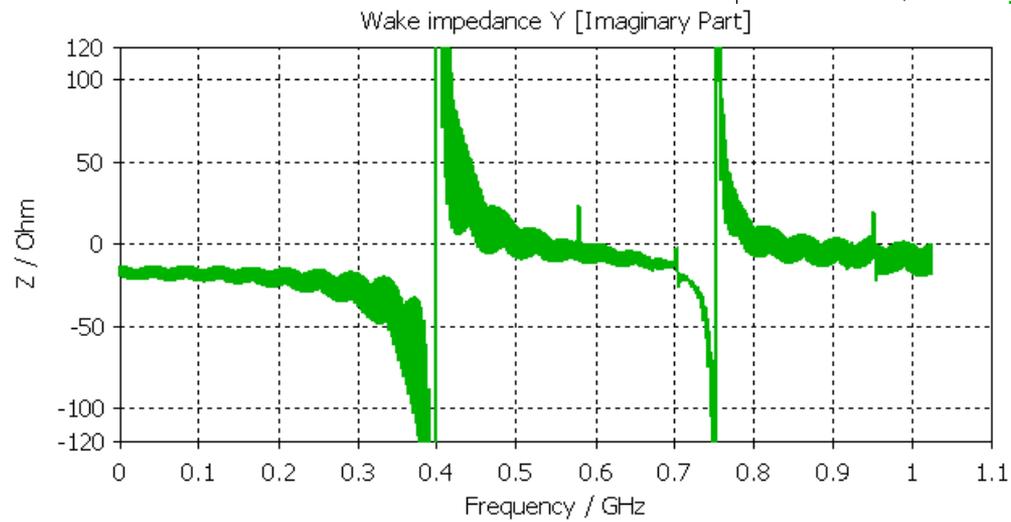
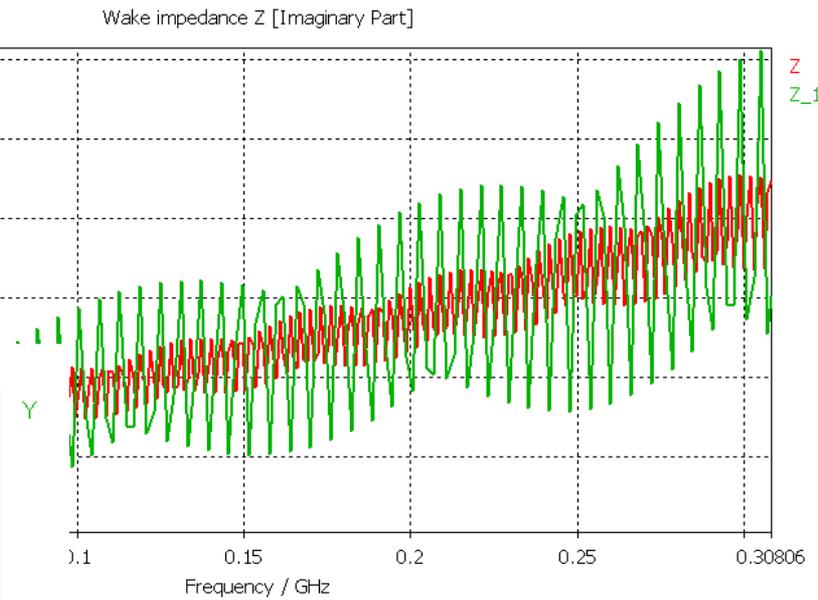
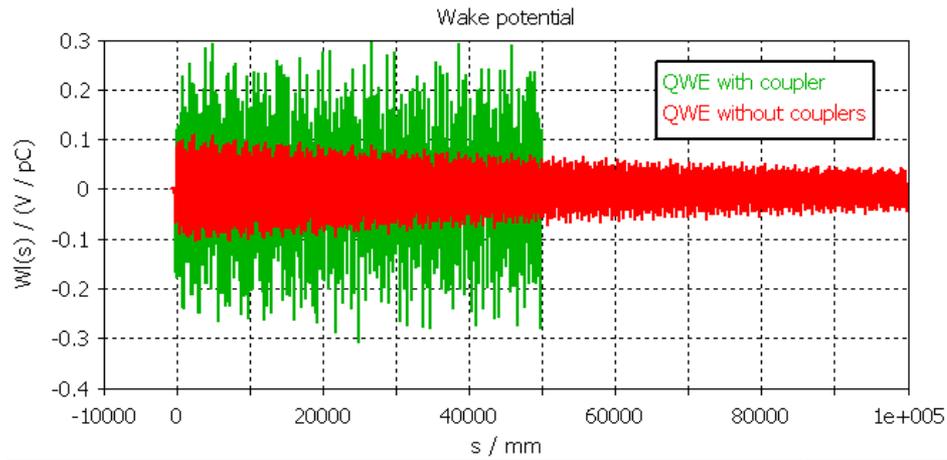
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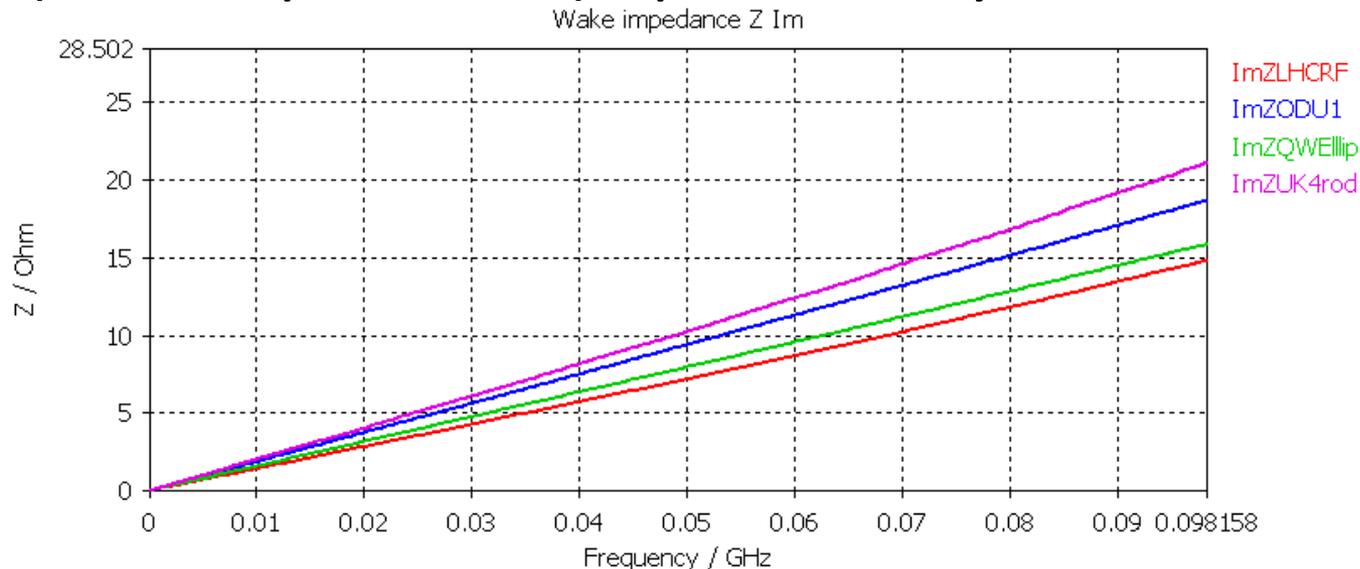






# Low frequency longitudinal impedance of crab cavities (8 or 12 per beam) - preliminary

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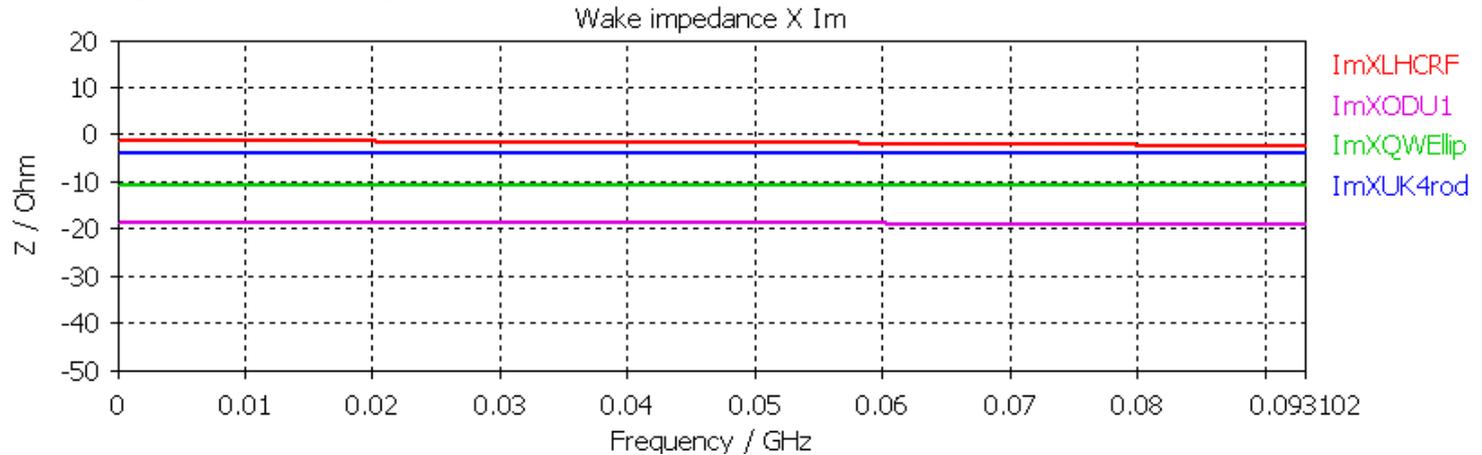


	For 1 cavity $Z/n$ (mOhm)	for 12 cavities $Z/n$ (mOhm)
LHCRF	1.7	14 (8 cavities)
BNL	1.8	22
ODU	2.2	26
UK	2.4	29

To be compared to the current LHC budget  
of 90 mOhm

Very large contribution (20% to 30%) to be followed up with BE/RF-BR

# Low frequency transverse impedance of crab cavities (8 or 12 per beam) - preliminary



	1 cavity $Z_x$ in $\Omega$	1 cavity $Z_y$ in $\Omega$	1 cavity $\langle Z \rangle = (Z_x + Z_y) / (2 * d)$ in $\Omega/m$	1 cavity $Z_{eff} = \langle Z \rangle * \beta / \langle \beta \rangle$ in $\Omega/m$	12 cavity $Z_{eff} = \langle Z \rangle * \beta / \langle \beta \rangle$ in $\Omega/m$
LHCRF	6	2	800	800	6.4E+03 (8 cav)
BNL	18	10	2800	93E03	1.1E+06
ODU	10	19	2900	97E03	1.2E+06
UK	25	4	2900	97E03	1.2E+06

In collisions,  $\beta = 4\text{km}$  and  $\langle \beta \rangle = 120\text{ m}$  is the average beta at the collimators, main impedance source which is not changing with the new optics.

**At injection, 12 cavities represent 2% of the full LHC impedance, in collisions 4%**