Steady State Loss Quench Test (17.10.2010) Quench limits based on GEANT4 simulations

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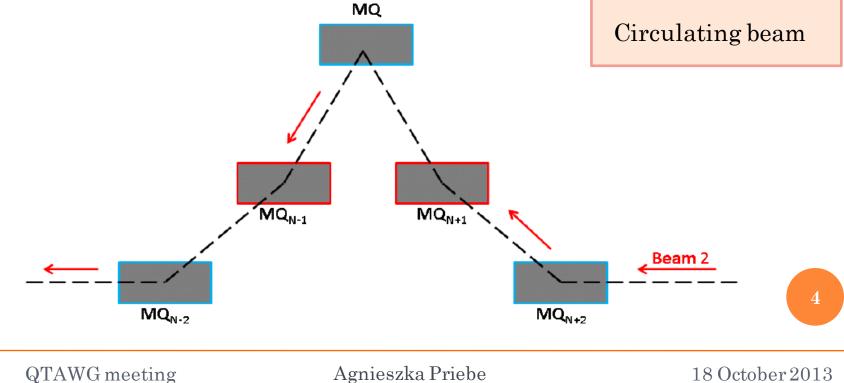




<u>Methodology of inducing beam losses</u>

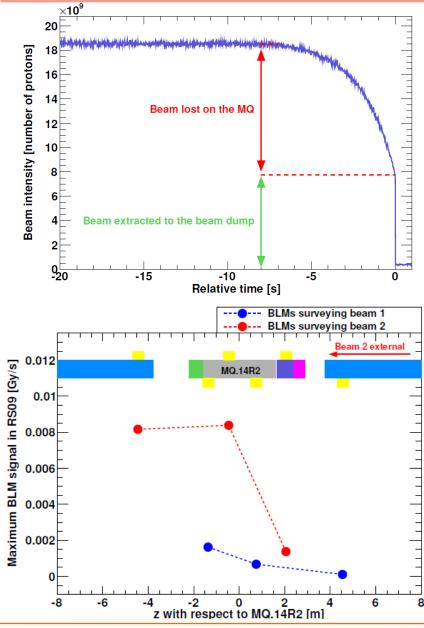
• Dynamic three corrector orbit bump

Location: 14R2 Particles: protons Energy: 3.5 TeV Beam: 2 Plane: vertical Timescale: s Circulating beam

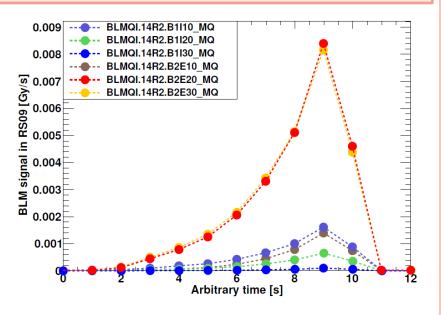




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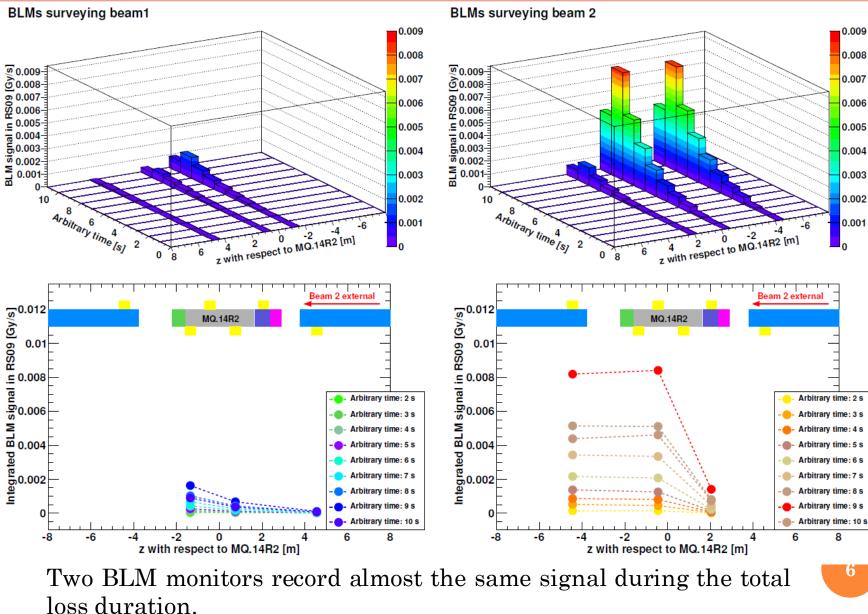
- Three pilot bunches with intensities of (5-6) ·10⁹ + (total 1.85 ·10¹⁰ p+)
- Loss rate increasing in time
- Loss duration: around 6 s

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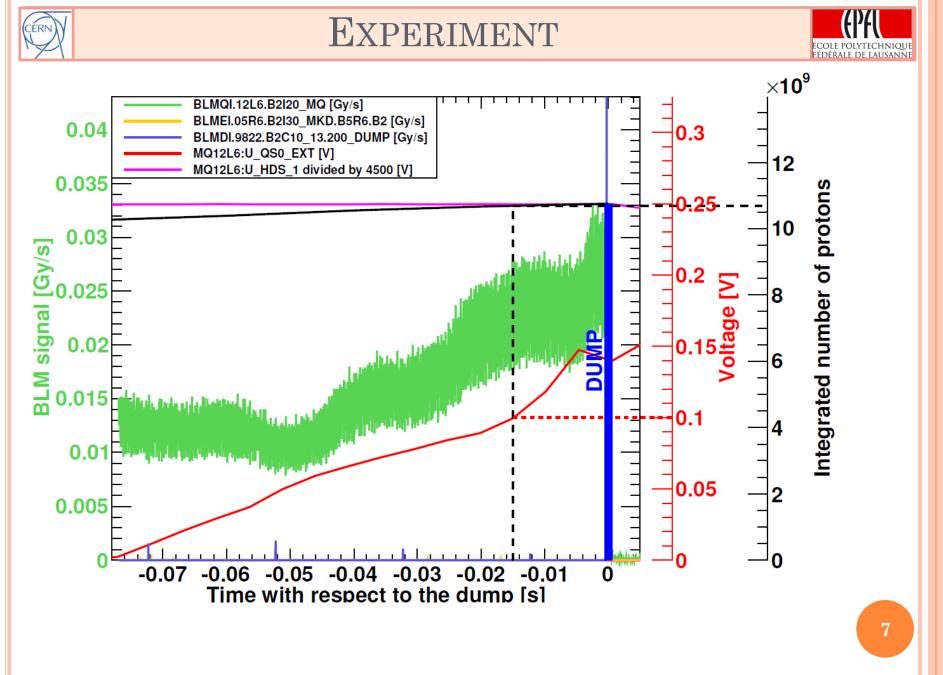
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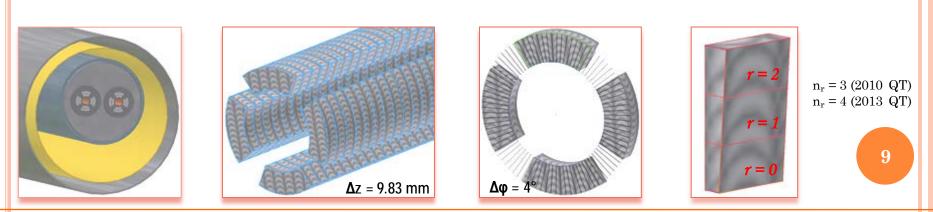
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GEANT4 SIMULATIONS

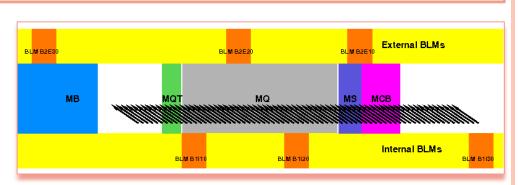
- Detailed magnet representation
- Magnetic field from ROXIE
- Long pseudo-monitors
- Impacting angle: 202 µrad
- 71 point like losses along magnets \rightarrow flexibility
- Aim: Correlation $E_{dep} = f(BLM)$



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LOSS PATTERN



Assessing loss patterns:

- 1) MAD-X simulations (Vera Chetvertkova)
- 2) Imposing expected loss pattern and verifying agreement with experimental data (min of similarity estimator)

3.5 TeV Steady State Quench Test 2010

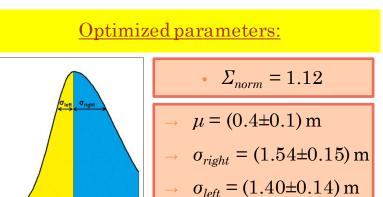
• B2V

Normalized weight [-]

- No of lost protons: $1.1 \cdot 10^{10}$
- Loss duration: 5.6 s

z [m] Asymmetrical Gaussian

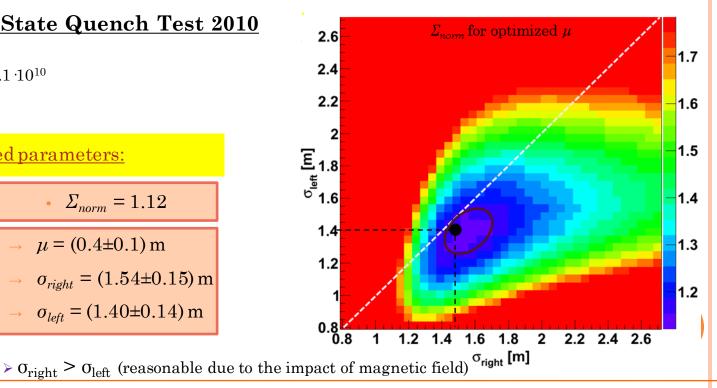
Cell: 14R2



Simulation-experiment similarity estimator:

$$\Sigma_{\mu,\sigma_r,\sigma_l}^{norm} = \sum_{i=1}^{6} \left(\frac{BLM_i^{sim} - BLM_i^{exp}}{BLM_i^{sim}} \right)^2$$

 BLM_i^{sim} - simulated signal of *i*-th BLM BLM_i^{exp} - measured signal of i-th BLM



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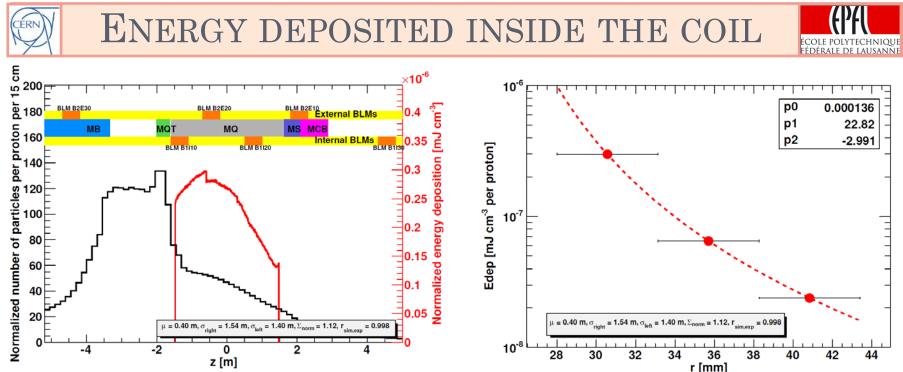
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In the case of steady state regime, the quench limit corresponds to the average energy deposited along the cable.

In order to compare Geant4 and QP3 results, average over 18 strands was considered.

Quench limit: Geant 4: $1.56 \cdot 10^{-7} \text{ mJ/cm}^3 \text{ per proton}$

Quench limit for steady state regime was estimated to be

- Geant4: 1.7 J/cm³
- QP3: 0.5 J/cm^3 ($0.4 \text{ J/cm}^3 \leftarrow B$. Auchmann)

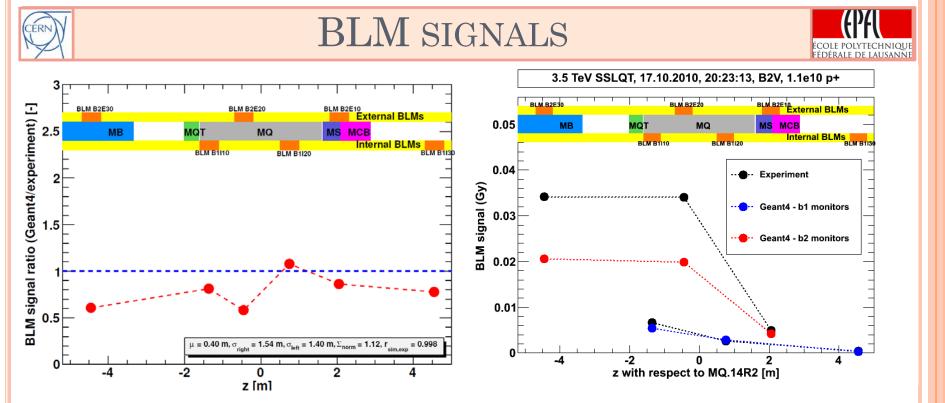
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for $1.1 \cdot 10^{10}$ lost protons



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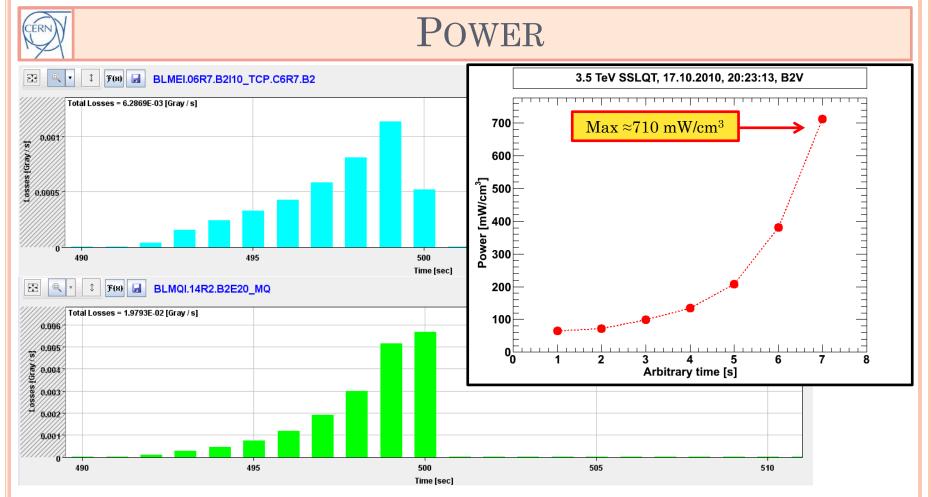


> The best fitting results (not necessarily the most probable ones)

Geant4 simulations underestimate BLM signal (based on 2013 QT experience) so this approach has to be compared with loss patterns from MAD-X.



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Power load is calculated based on BCT data and estimated Geant4 quench limit assuming that all protons were lost on MQ.14R2. The max value \approx 710 mW/cm³ is huge.

However, the collimators were not open completely(!) and losses occured there as well.

This gives an uncertainty of 50% (\rightarrow difficult to estimate exact number of protons lost on the MQ+ what time exactly should be taken as loss duration?).



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- QP3: 0.5 J/cm³ (0.4 J/cm³ \leftarrow B. Auchmann)
- The maximum power load on MQ was around 710 mW/cm³ (calculated from BCT data) which is huge and due to losses on collimators, biased with 50% of uncertainty.
- The results are based on finding "the best fitting" scenario (not necessarily the most probable one).
- 4. Loss pattern from orbit simulations (Vera) will be used soon, the results will be compared.



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Comments?

Remarks?

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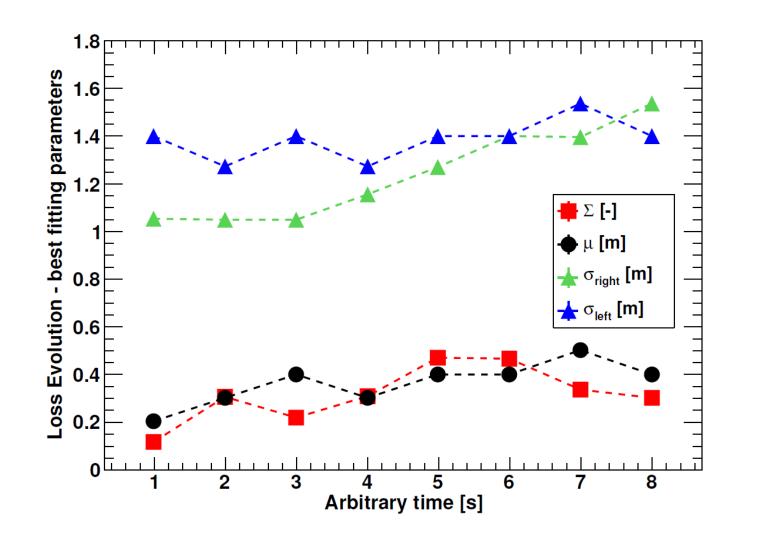
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