

Toward polarized antiprotons: *Machine development for spin-filtering experiments at COSY*



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Motivation

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- The PAX collaboration proposed to investigate Drell Yan processes in scattering of polarized proton - antiproton beams at the HESR (FAIR).
- Annihilation of valence quark with an antivalence quark allows direct access to: transversity,

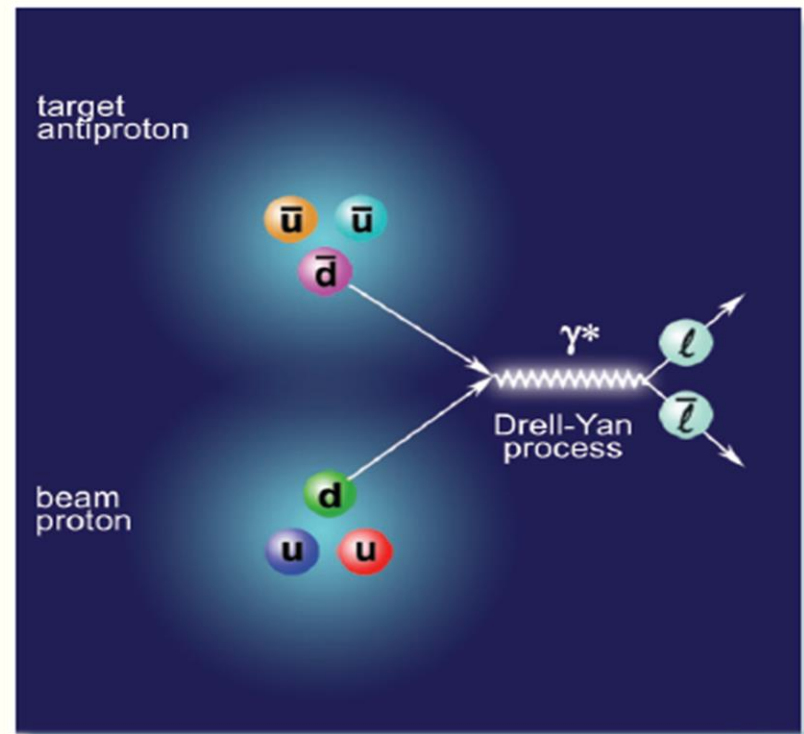
$$A_{TT} \equiv \frac{d\sigma^{\uparrow\uparrow} - d\sigma^{\uparrow\downarrow}}{d\sigma^{\uparrow\uparrow} + d\sigma^{\uparrow\downarrow}} = \hat{a}_{TT} \frac{\sum_q e_q^2 h_1^q(x_1, M^2) h_1^{\bar{q}}(x_2, M^2)}{\sum_q e_q^2 q(x_1, M^2) \bar{q}(x_2, M^2)}$$

- Requirements:

Polarized proton beam



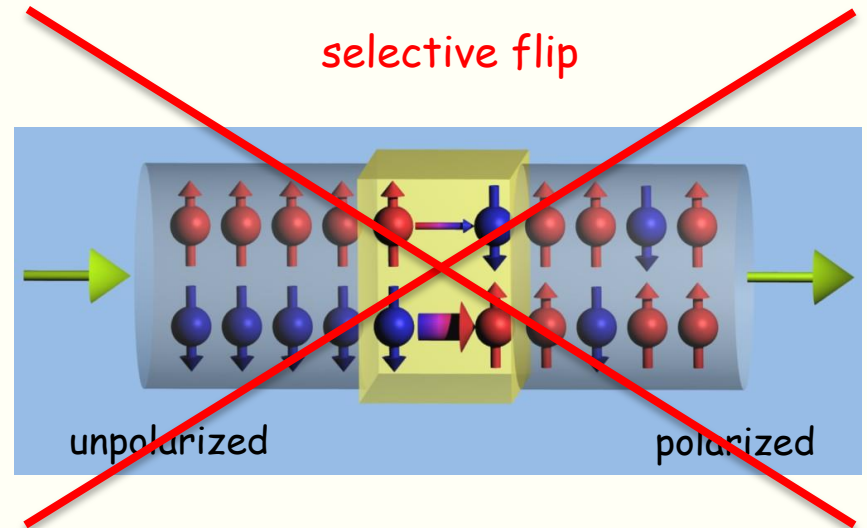
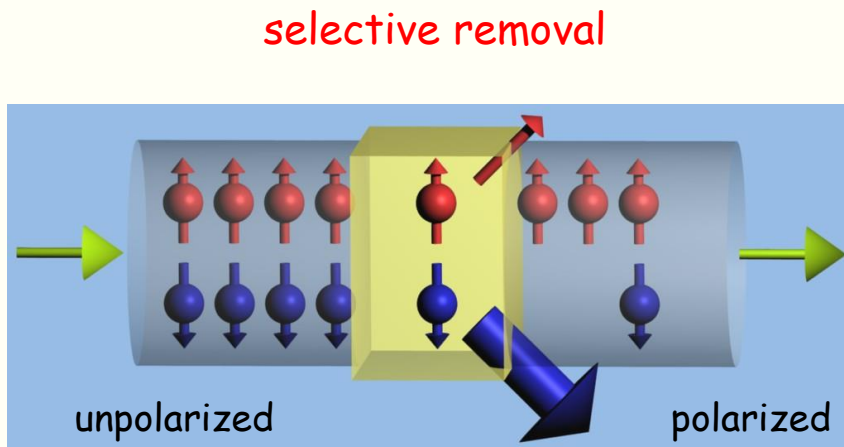
Polarized antiproton beam



How to Polarize Antiprotons?

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- Spin-1/2 particles: 2 states



- Selective removal reduces beam intensity - *Selective flip does not affect intensity*
- **but at COSY we demonstrated that**
- $e^- \bar{p}$ spin-flip cross-section is too low to use selective flip

D. Oellers. et al., Phys. Lett. B 674 (2009) 269.

D. Oellers. et al., Nucl. Instrum. Meth. A 759, 6 (2014).

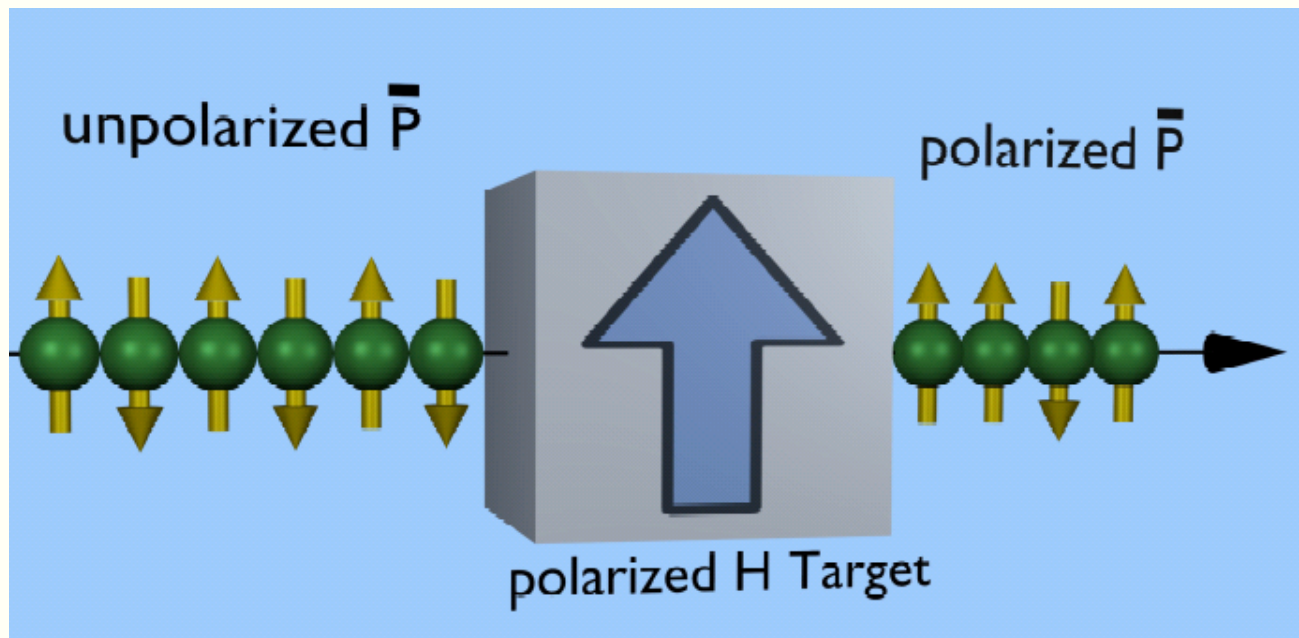
$$\sigma_{\parallel} < 8.0 * 10^6 \text{ b}$$

$$\sigma_{\perp} < 5.5 * 10^6 \text{ b}$$

Spin-filtering

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Polarization build-up of a circulating particle beam by interaction with a polarized gas target



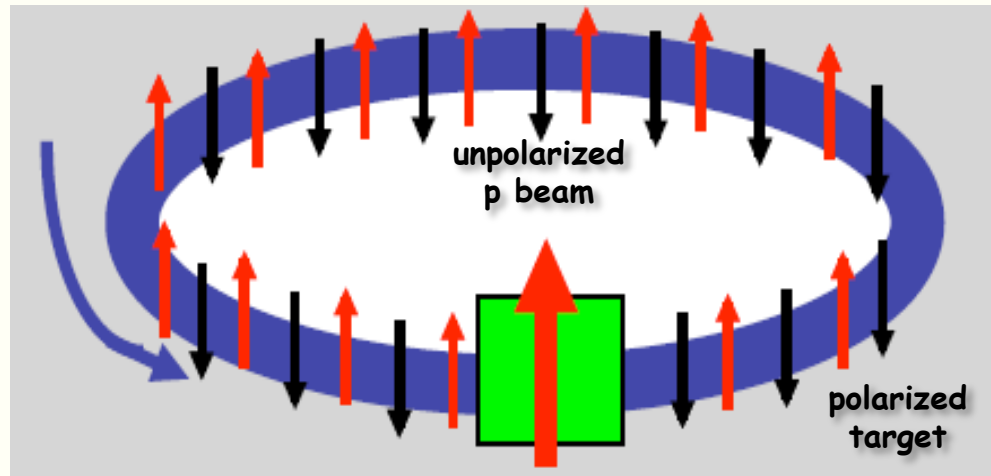
Spin-filtering

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$$\sigma_{tot} = \sigma_0 + \sigma_1(\vec{P} \cdot \vec{Q}) + \sigma_2(\vec{P} \cdot \hat{k})(\vec{Q} \cdot \hat{k})$$

P...beam particle spin orientation
Q...target particle spin orientation
k || beam direction

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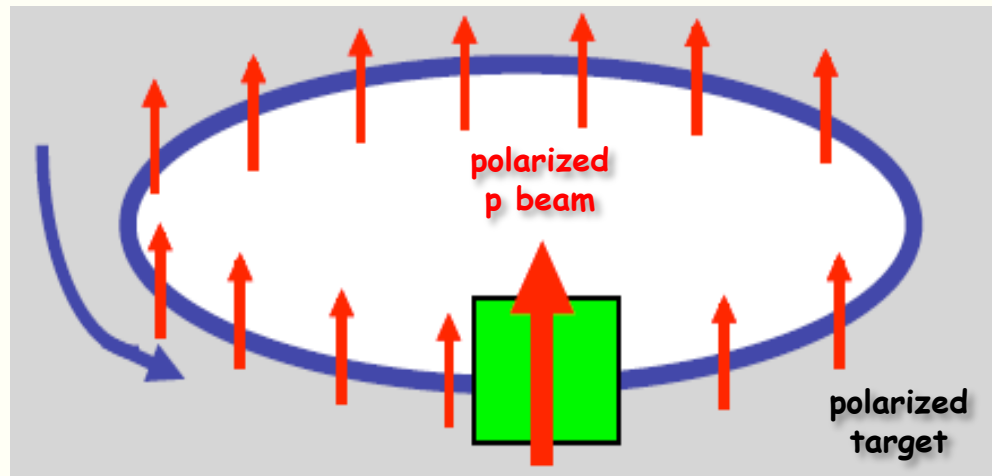
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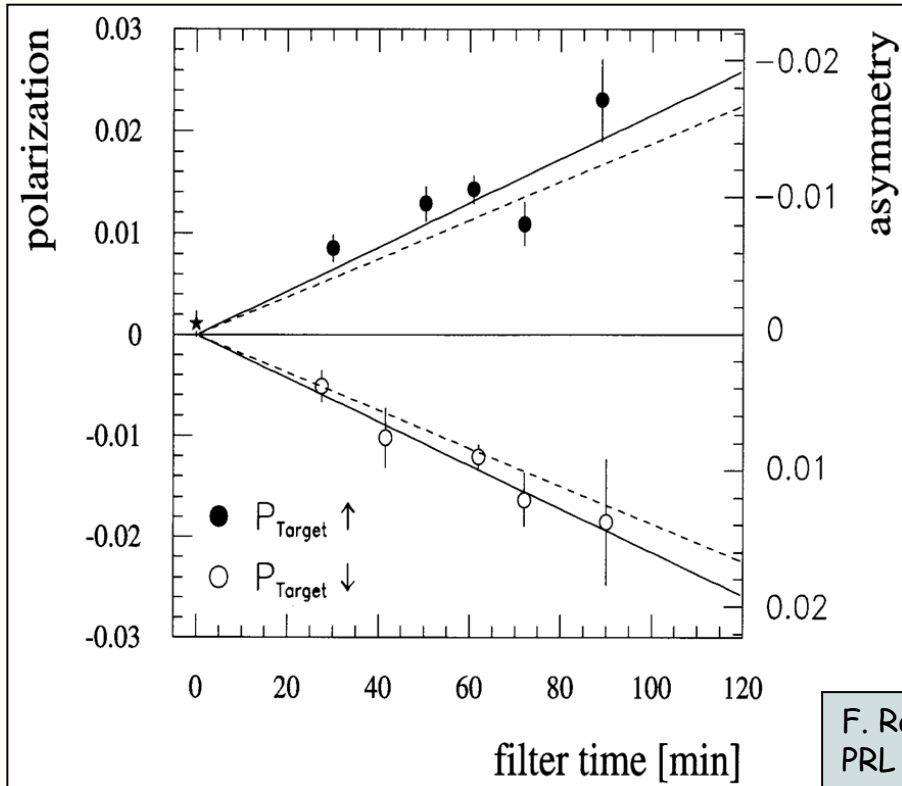
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1992: Filter Test at TSR with protons

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F. Rathmann. et al.,
PRL 71, 1379 (1993)

Spin filtering works
for protons

PAX submitted new proposal to find out how well does spin filtering work for antiprotons

Measurement of the Spin-Dependence of the pp Interaction at the AD Ring

(CERN-SPSC-2009-012 / SPSC-P-337)

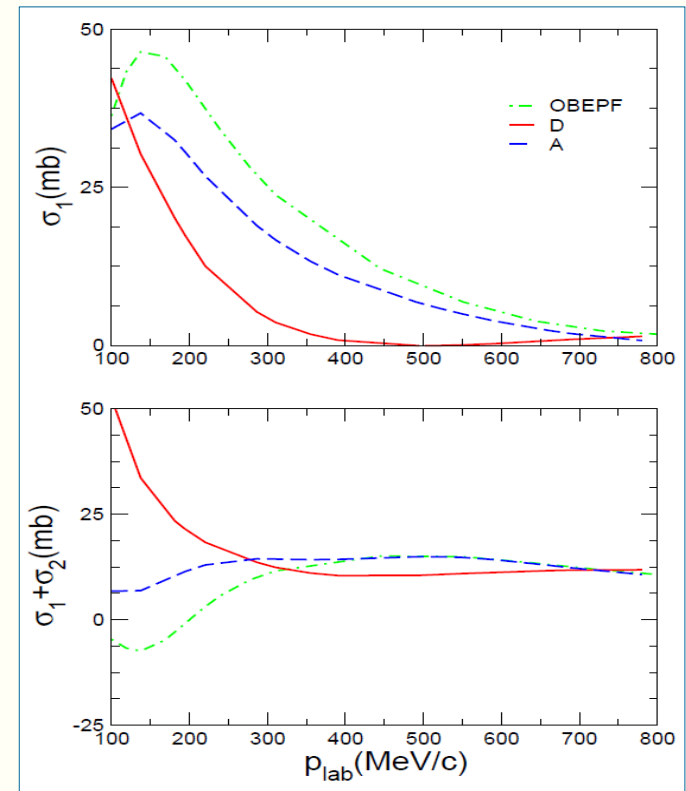
Spin-dependence of the \bar{p} - p interaction

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Model A: T. Hippchen et al., Phys. Rev. C 44, 1323 (1991).

Model OBEPF: J. Haidenbauer, K. Holinde, A.W. Thomas, Phys. Rev. C 45, 952 (1992).

Model D: V. Mull, K. Holinde, Phys. Rev. C 51, 2360 (1995).



Oct. 2009 SPS Committee:

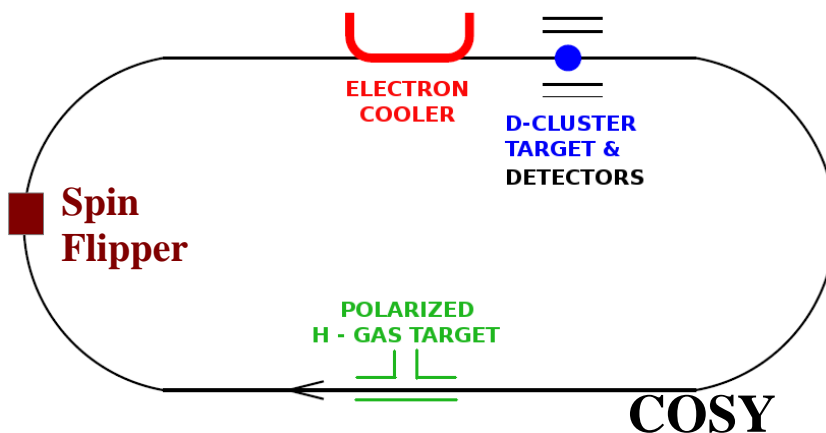
... Taking into account the timeline and constraints of the various projects concerned, the SPSC **encourages the PAX Collaboration to first perform their spin filtering measurements at COSY...**

Spin Filtering at COSY

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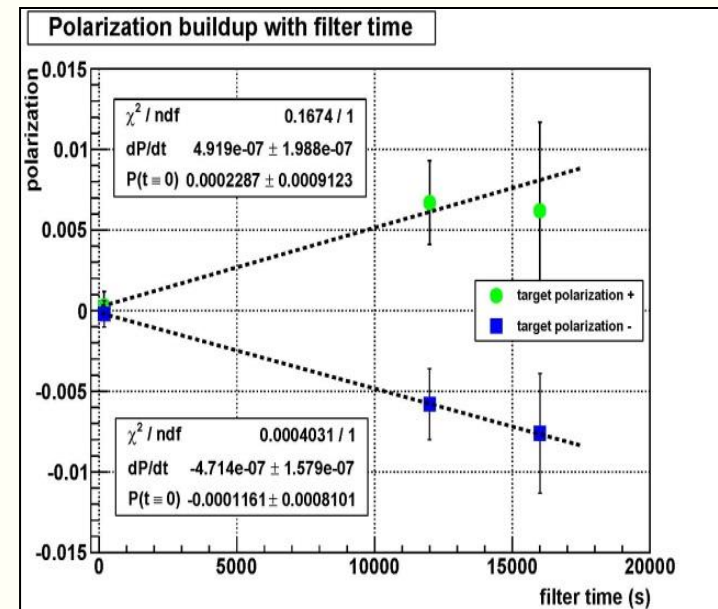
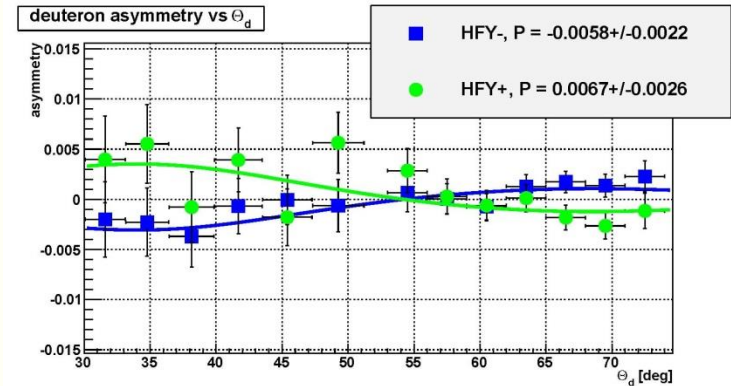
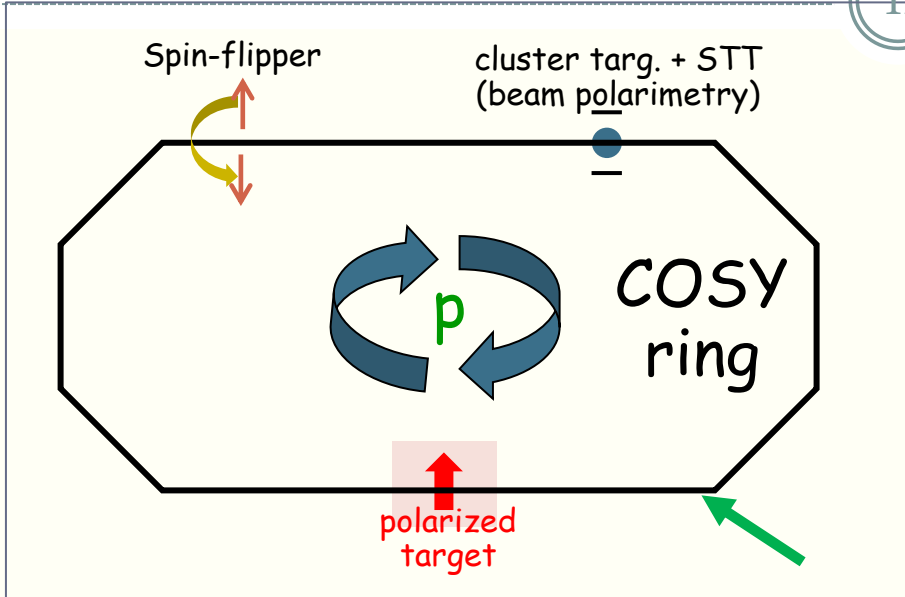
Spin filtering with protons to confirm understanding of the process and to commission the experimental setup

- Length: 183.4 m
- Injection energy: 45 MeV
- Electron cooling for long lifetimes up to 600 MeV/c (p)



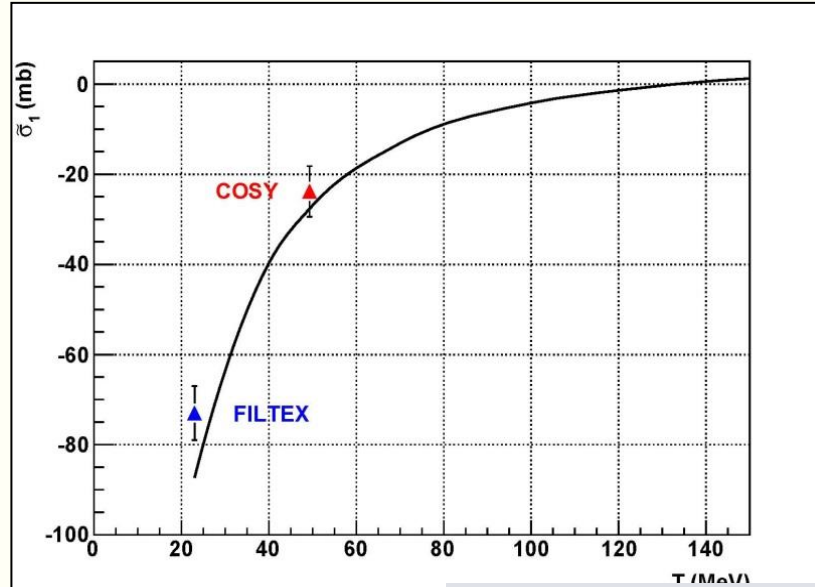
Spin-filtering cycle

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Spin-filtering: result

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W. Augustyniak et al., Phys. Lett. B 712 (2012) 64

▪ Milestone for the field

- Confirms understanding of spin-filtering as a viable method to polarize a stored beam.
- Confirms complete control of the systematics of the experiment.

Mar. 2012 SPS Committee:

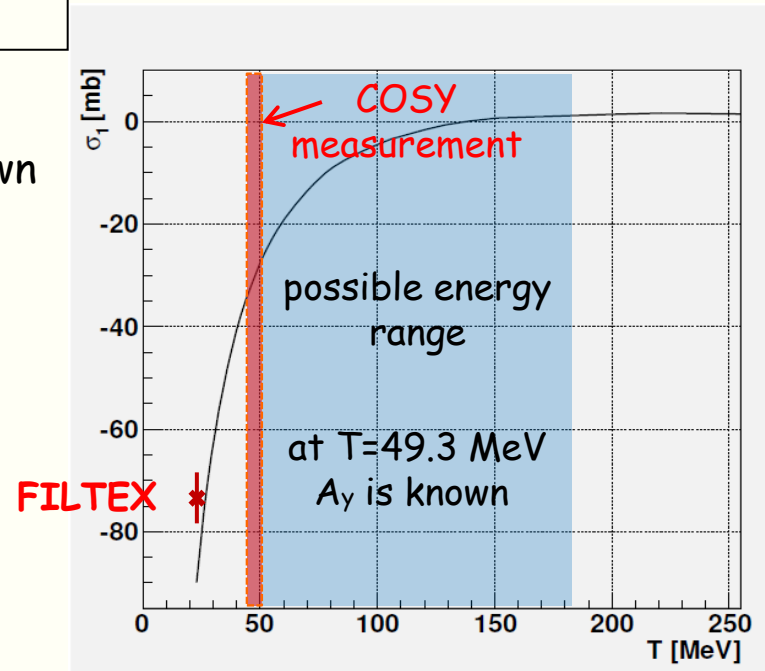
... many positive developments have occurred at the AD, leading to an updated program for the coming years **We consider that PAX is now incompatible with this program.**

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 - small kinetic energy, where
 - the analyzing power is known



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Comments: II

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Comments: III

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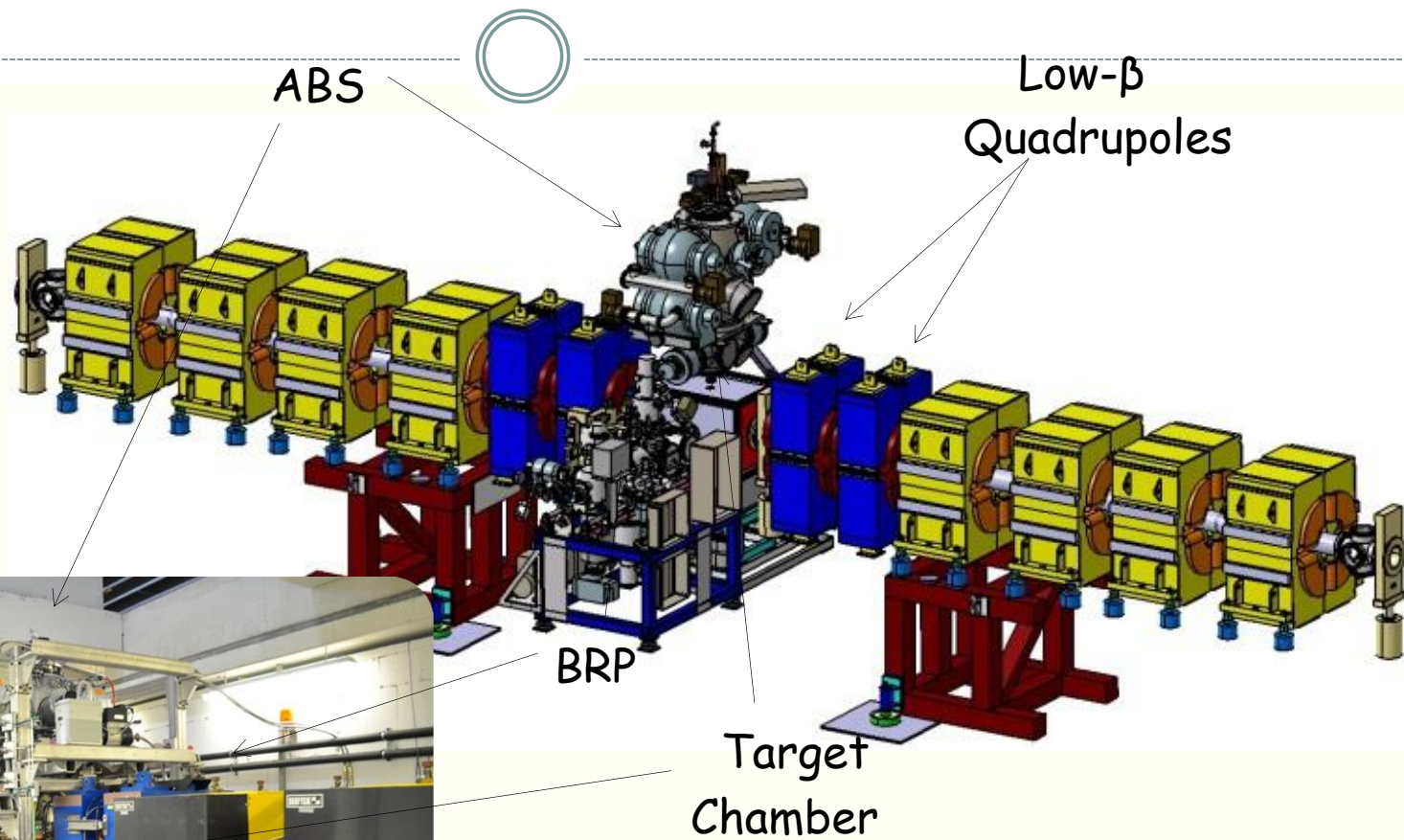
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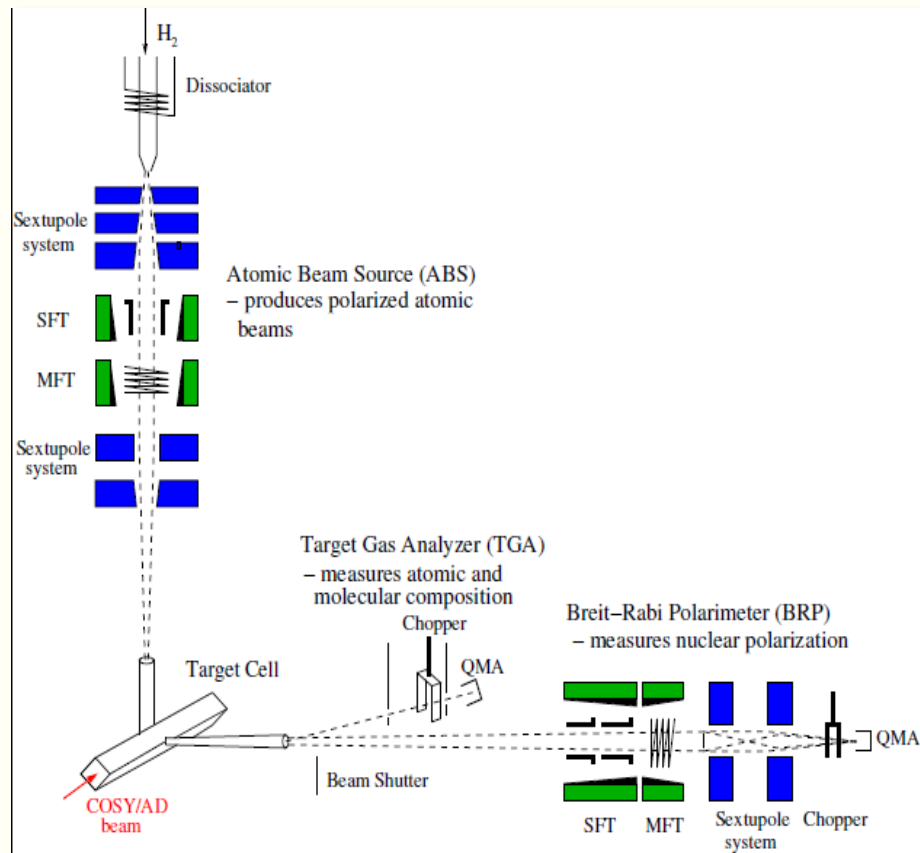
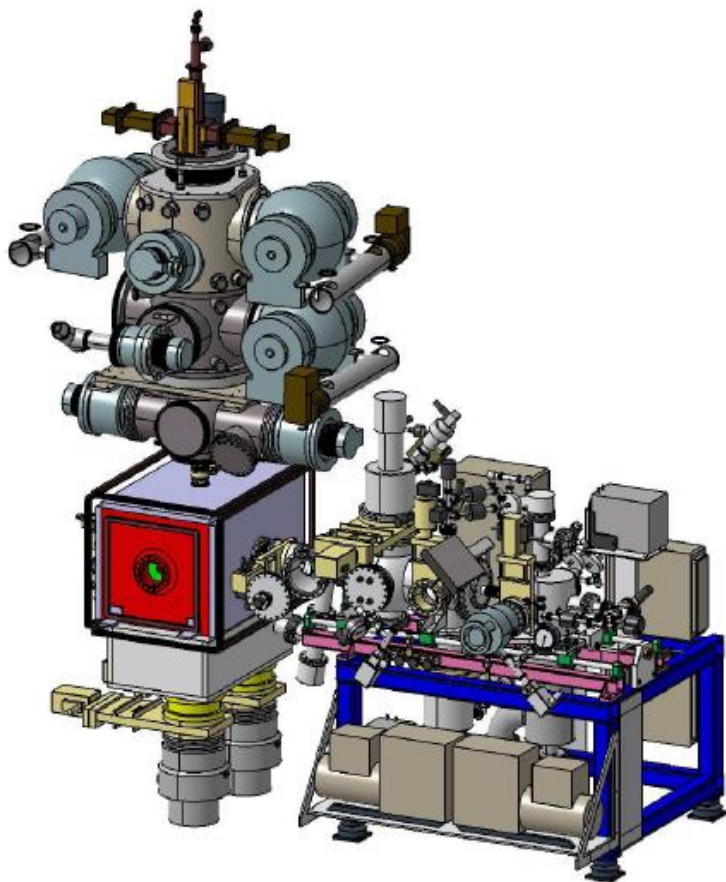
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4. **Maximum filtering time**
 - long beam lifetime (UHV, good beam preparation, etc.)

Experimental setup and commissioning



Atomic Beam Source

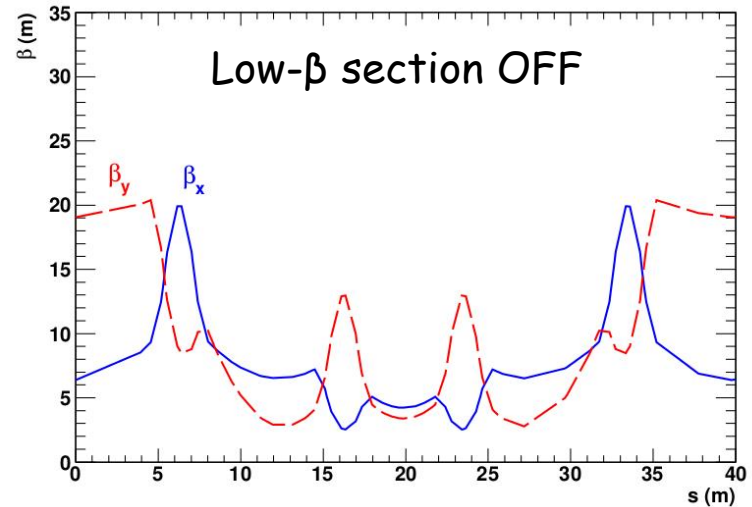
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Low- β section

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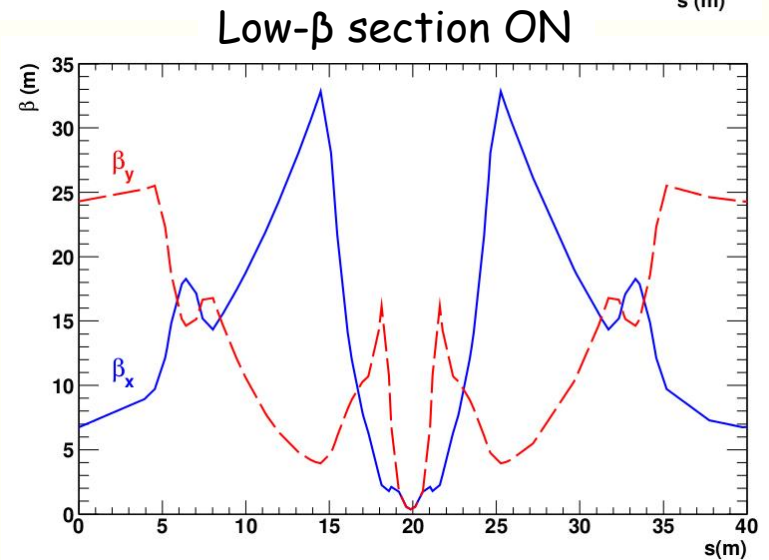
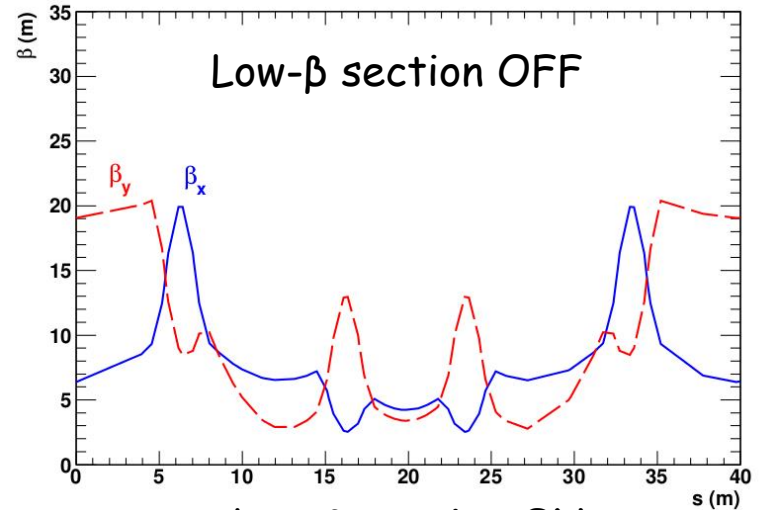
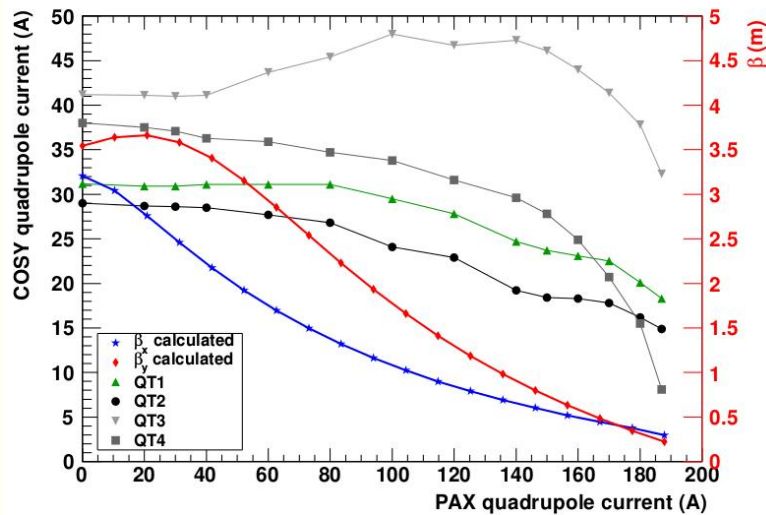


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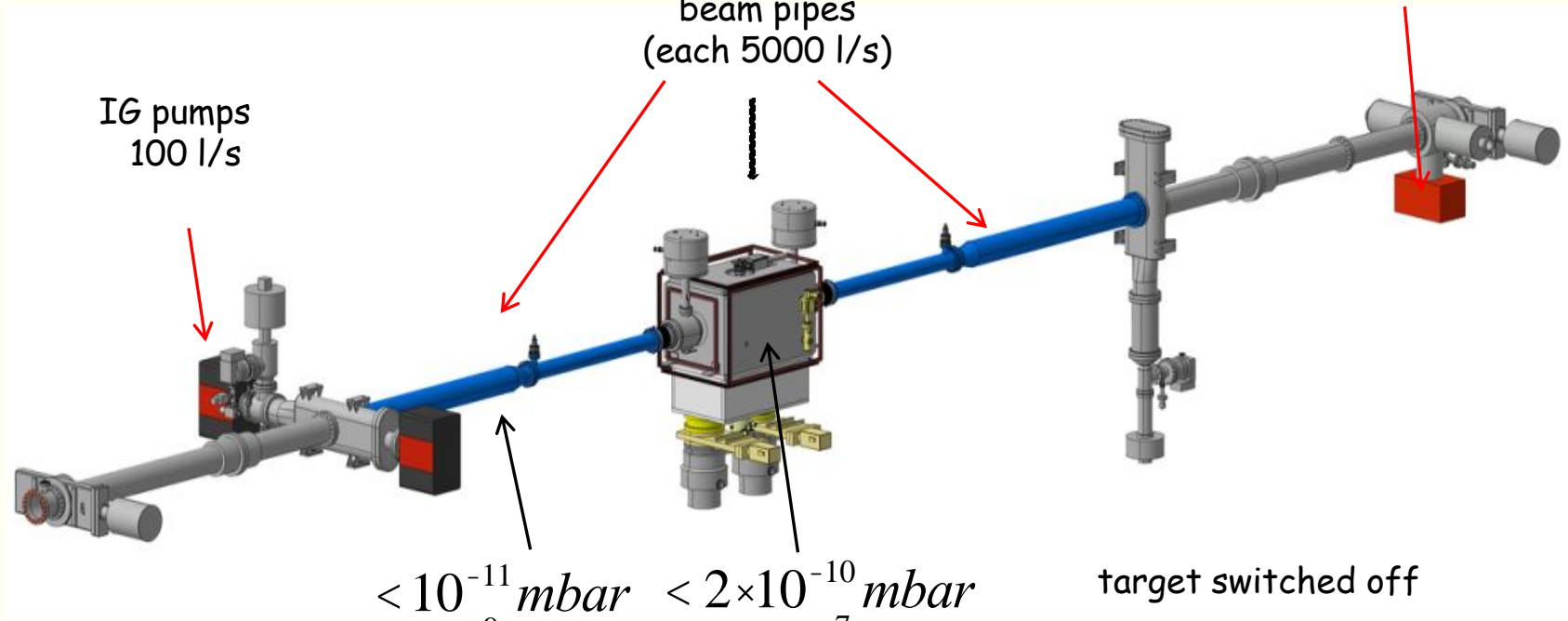
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PAX vacuum section

$$3 \times 10^{16} \frac{\text{atoms}}{\text{s}}$$

NEG coated
beam pipes
(each 5000 l/s)

IG pumps
100 l/s



$$\begin{aligned} &< 10^{-11} \text{ mbar} \\ &< 10^{-9} \text{ mbar} \end{aligned}$$

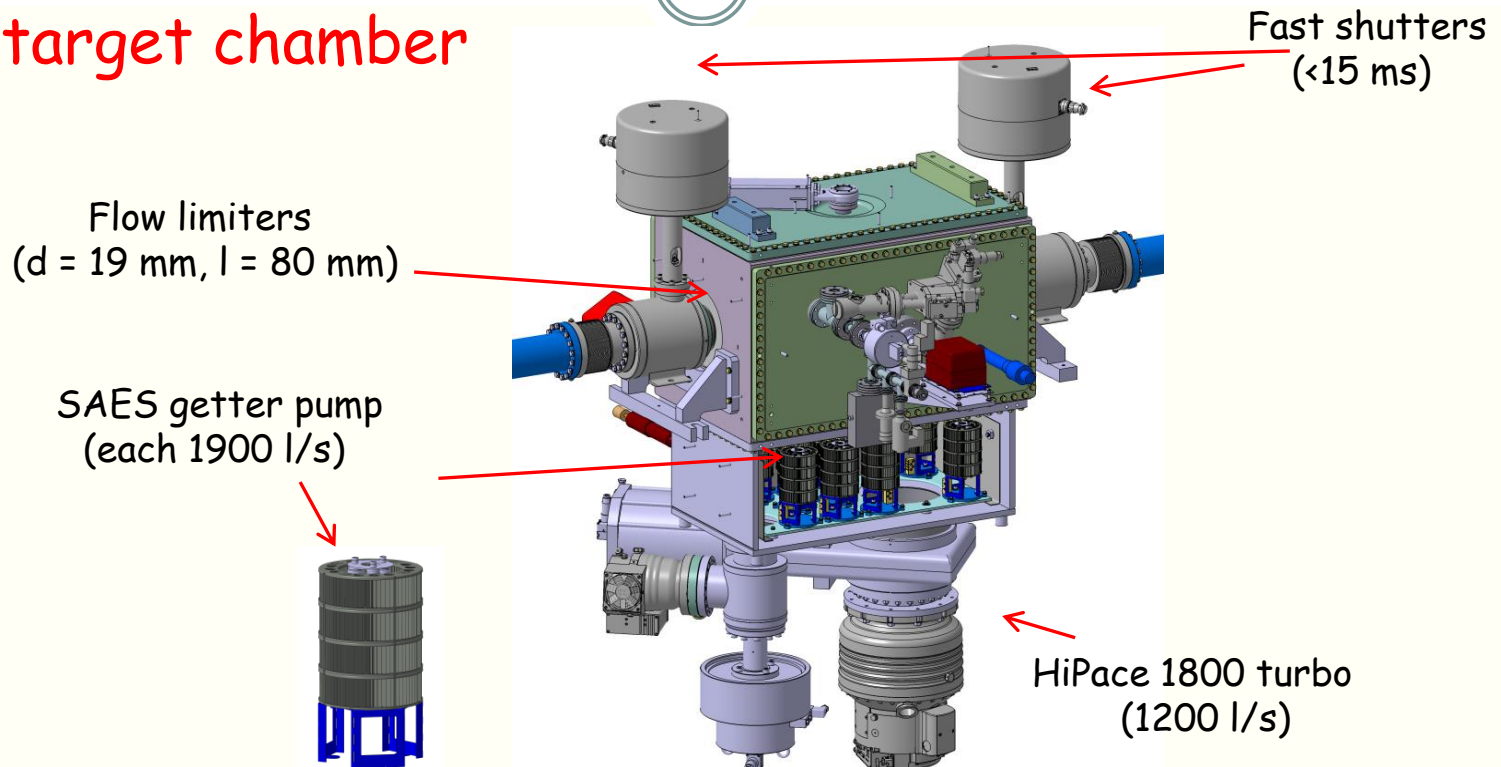
$$\begin{aligned} &< 2 \times 10^{-10} \text{ mbar} \\ &< 2 \times 10^{-7} \text{ mbar} \end{aligned}$$

target switched off
target switched on

Vacuum system: II

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PAX target chamber



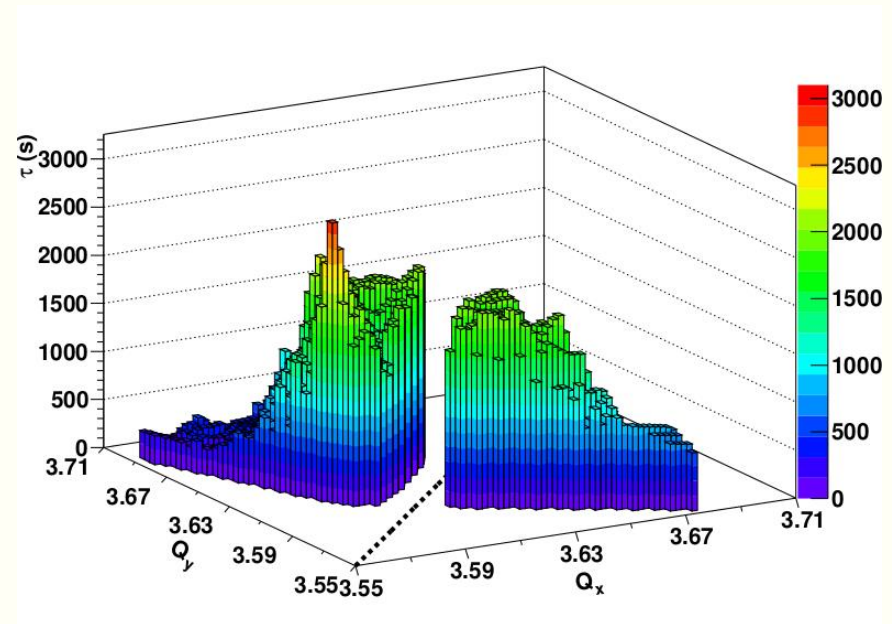
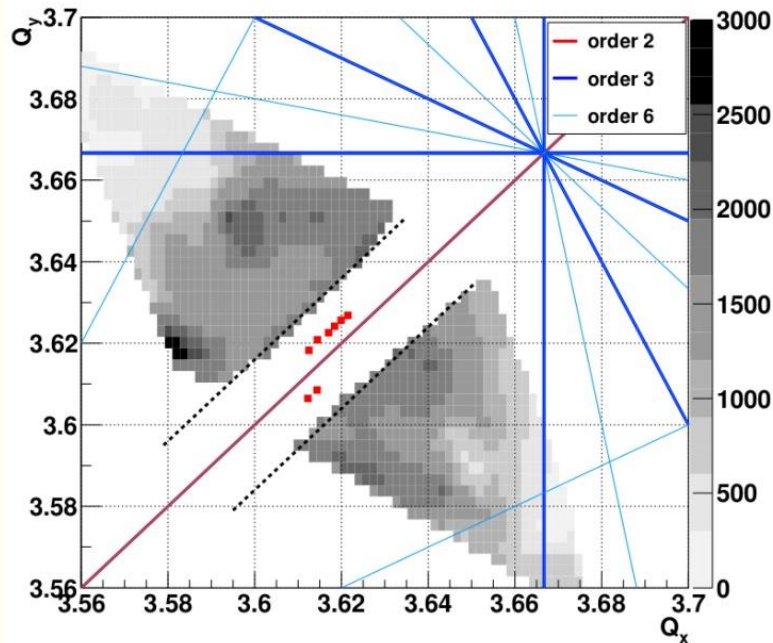
Beam losses due to	τ (s)
single-scattering in storage cell	48500
gas load elsewhere in the low- β section	47500
machine vacuum alone	12000

24000s

Identification of optimal working point

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- Search for optimal betatron tune by varying currents in quads $\pm 3\%$
- Beam lifetime increases as by decreasing tune spin: $\Delta Q_{\text{split}} = |Q_x - Q_y|$
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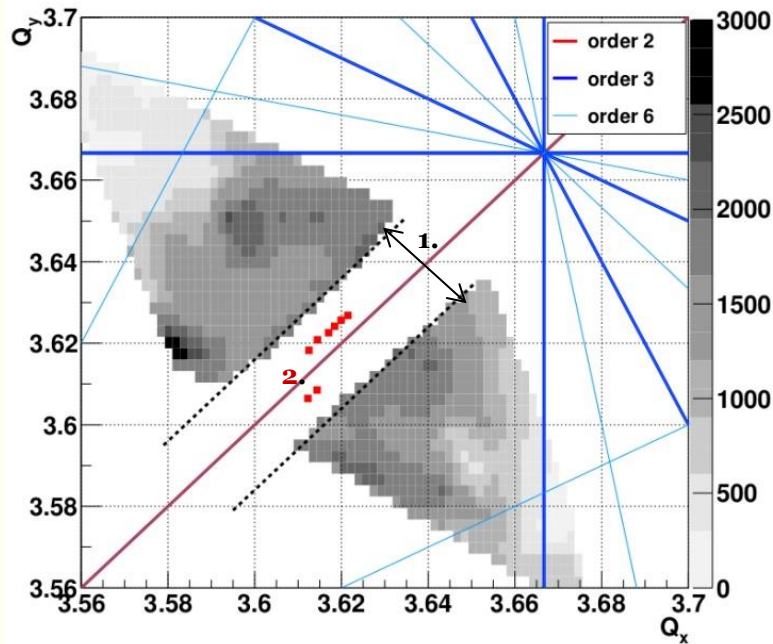


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1. $\Delta Q_{\text{split}} = 0.014$
2. $\Delta Q_{\text{split}} = 0.006$ (sextupoles)
3. $\Delta Q_{\text{split}} = 0.008$ (orbit correction)

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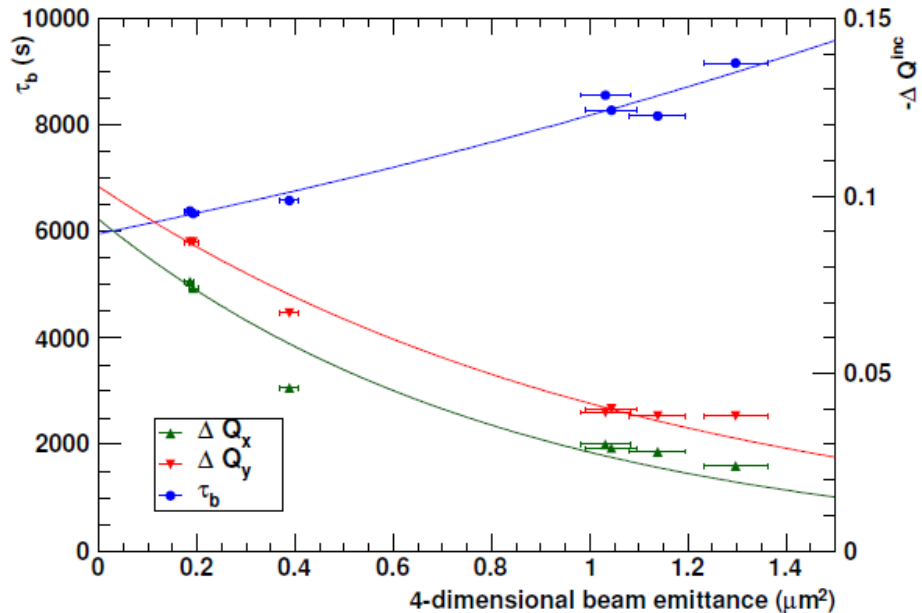
Space charge effects

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- Measure beam lifetime as function of space charge
- Variation of beam emittance for constant intensity
- Tilt of e-beam with respect to p-beam changes cooling performance
- Beam lifetime increases with decreasing space charge
- Betatron amplitude-dependent detuning („tune spread“)

Maximal incoherent tune shift given by:

$$DQ_{x,y}^{inc} = - \frac{r_0 \cdot N}{pb_{LL}^2 g_L^3} \cdot \frac{F_{x,y} G}{B_f} \cdot \frac{1}{e_{x,y} + \sqrt{e_x \cdot e_y}}$$



K. Schindl, *Space Charge*, CERN Accelerator School, Zeuthen, Germany, September 15-26, 305 (2003).

Future plans

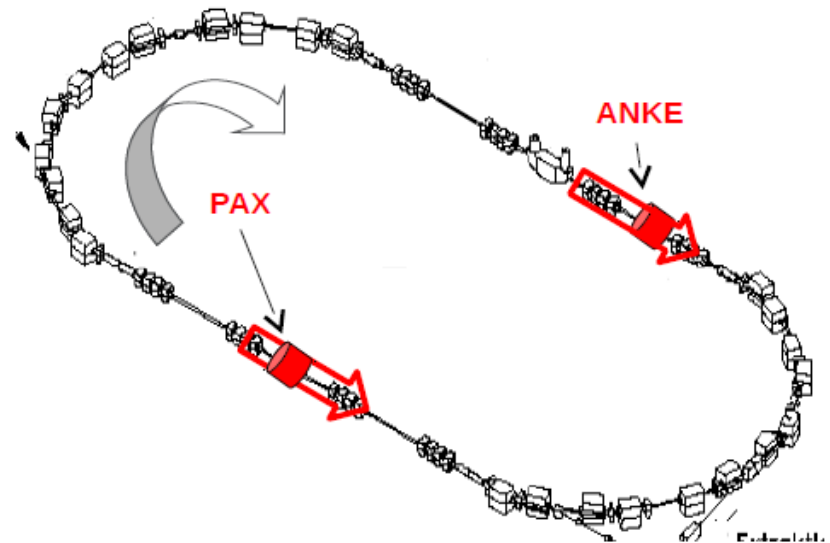
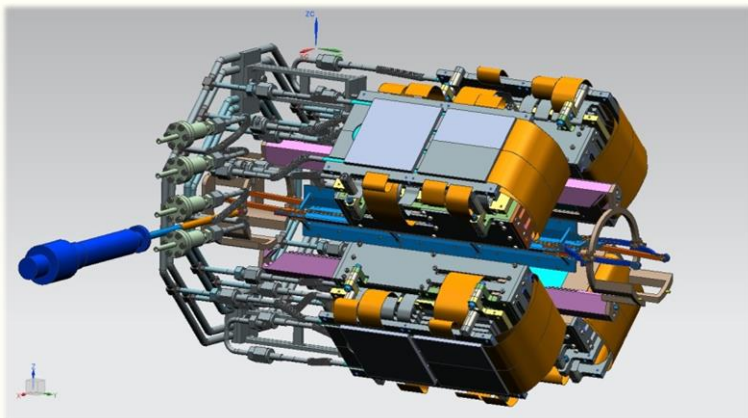
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Waiting for CERN ... (or construction of FAIR facility)

Longitudinal spin-filtering test at *COSY*

Superconducting 2.1 Tm at ANKE place

Longitudinal polarization at PAX place



Longitudinal beam polarimeter in preparation

(→ G. Ciullo 24.10)

Summary

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Status:

- Successful spin filtering measurement at COSY on transverse polarized target.
- Excellent agreement with theoretical predictions for protons
- Development of a protocol for spin-filtering tests
- Excellent performance for the COSY ring (precision machine)

Future plans at COSY

- Spin filtering with protons and a longitudinally polarized gas target at COSY at $T_p = 130$ MeV ($\vec{p}\vec{p}$ scattering)

Still pending:

- Spin-filtering experiments at AD (or FAIR) (transv. and long. polarization)

Thank you!



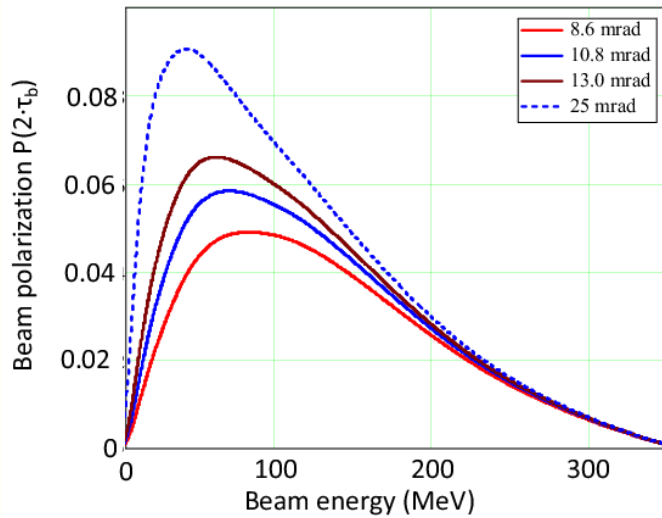
Additional Slides

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Expected Polarizations for pbar

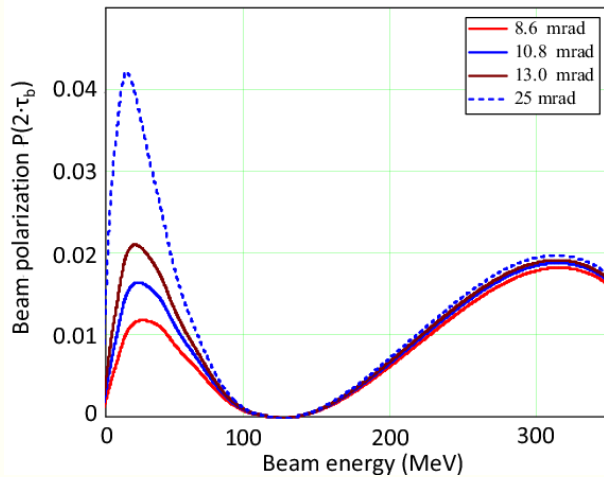
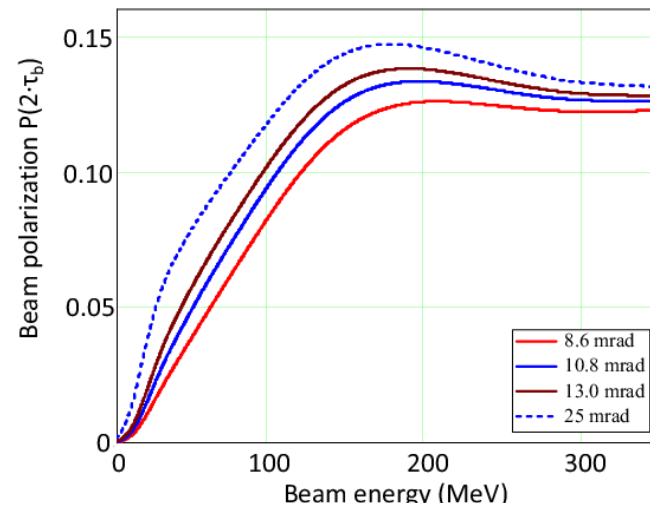
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transversal

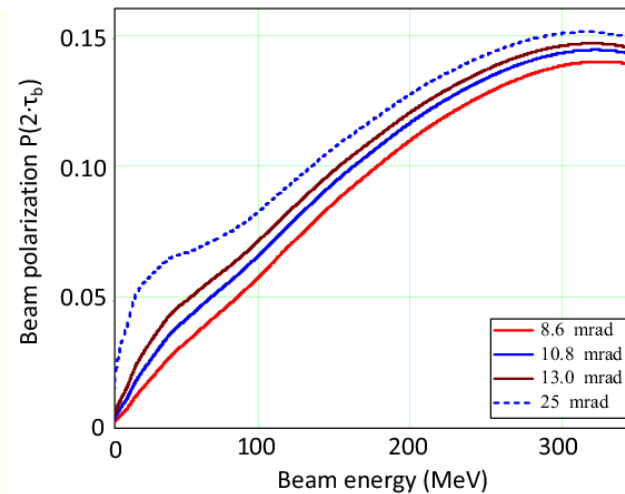


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longitudinal



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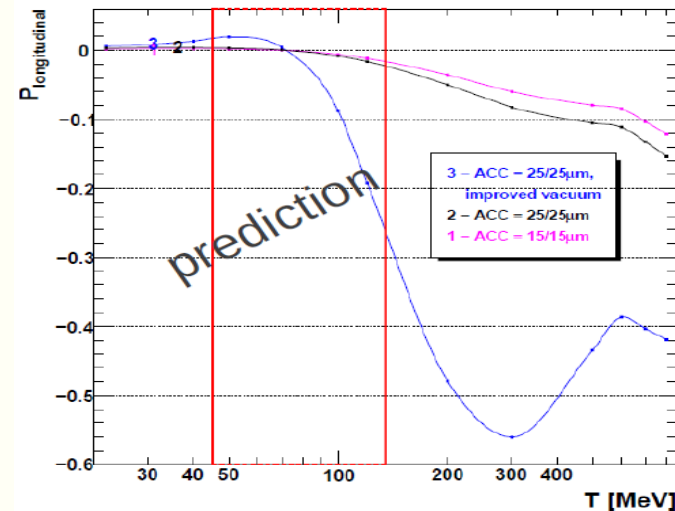
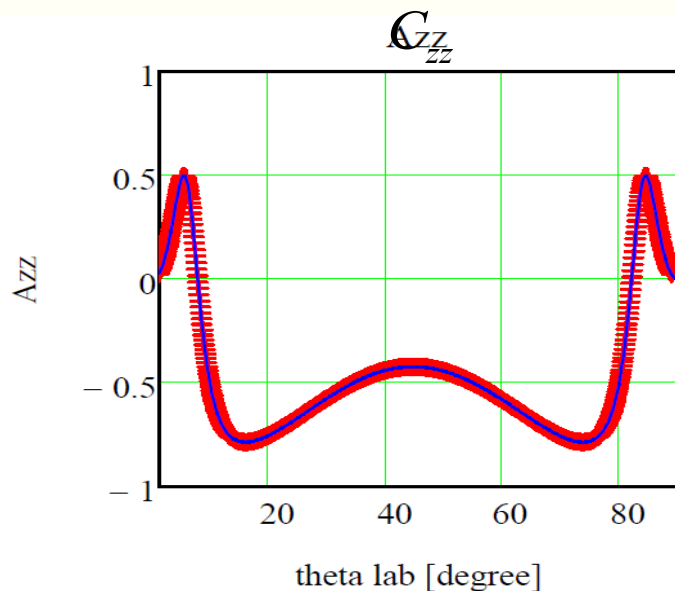


Spin Filtering with Longitudinal Polarization

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- Buildup of longitudinal beam polarization due to repeated interaction with a longitudinally polarized hydrogen target
- T_p 45 - 130 MeV kinetic proton energy
- Detector: Measurement of longitudinal beam polarization using elastic scattering
 - Measurement during filtering with hydrogen target possible
 - Spin correlation coefficient (~ 0.5)
 - No background

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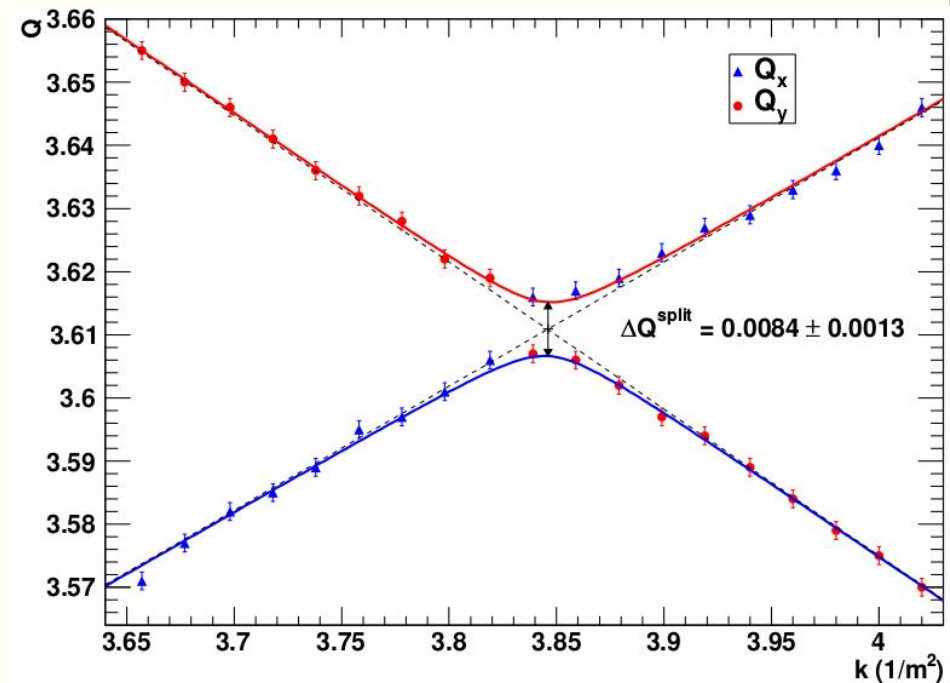


Low- β section: II

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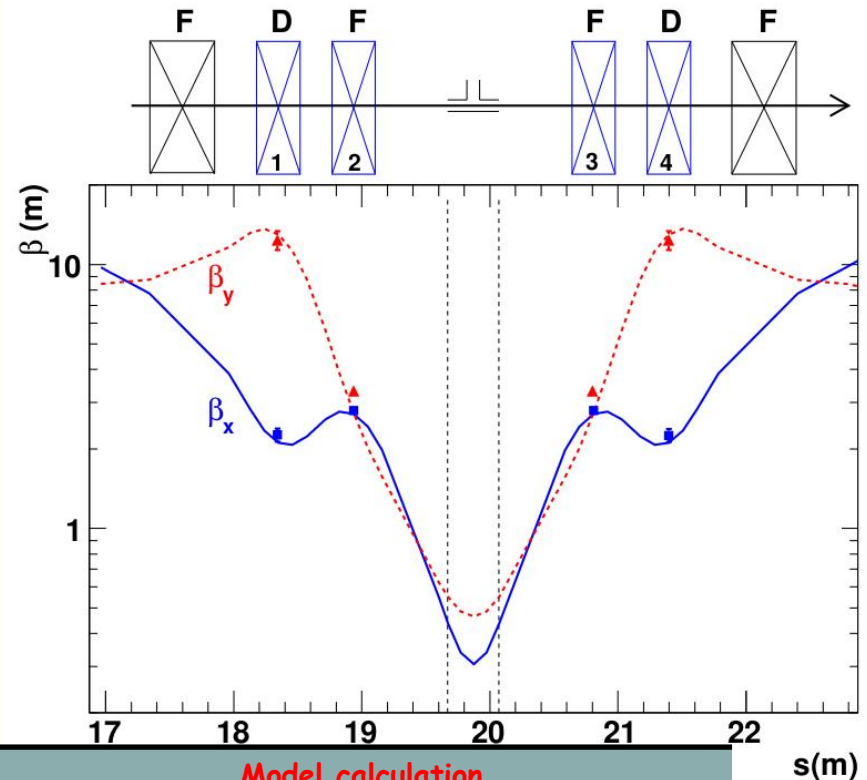


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	Measurement		Model calculation		
	PAX 1	PAX 2	PAX 1	PAX 2	center
β_x (m)	2.31±0.13	2.80±0.04	2.11	2.71	0.31
β_y (m)	12.41±1.01	3.31±0.05	12.99	2.74	0.46

Orbit Correction

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- Corrections of deviations from ideal orbit
- Closed orbit correction scheme based on orbit response matrix (ORM)

$$u(s) = R_{s,i}^u \times J_u(s) \quad \text{with} \quad R_{s,i}^u = \sqrt{b_{u,i} \cdot b_{u,s}} \frac{\cos(pQ_u - j_{u,s \rightarrow i})}{2 \sin(pQ_u)}$$

- χ^2 minimization to determine correction angle kicks θ_u

