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Lectures [UAS (16.01.2013)

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whenever you have a
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question

#### The Large Hadron Collider

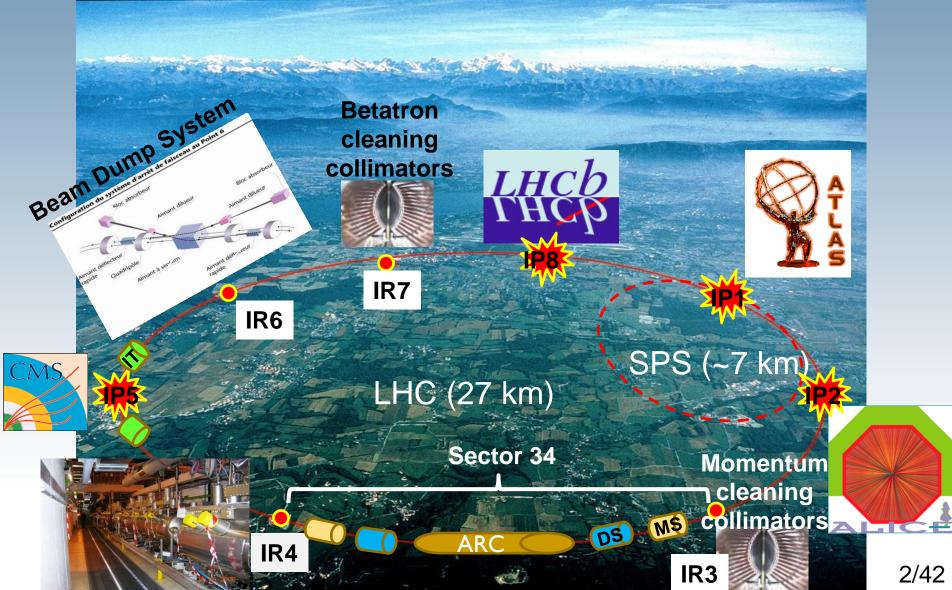
- I. LHC layout
- II. LHC Operational cycle
- III. Beam measurements





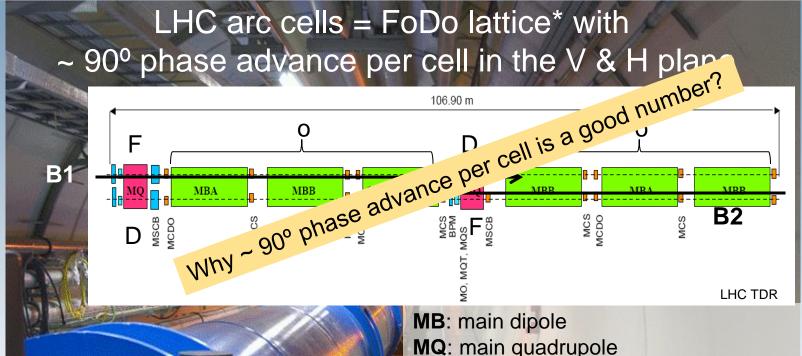
#### I. Basic layout of the machine





#### I. Basic layout of the machine: the arc





The FoDo-Lattice

A magnet structure consisting of focusing and defocusing quadrupole lenses in alternating order with nothing in between.

(Nothing = elements that can be neglected on first sight: drift, bending magnets, RF structures ... and especially experiments...)

MQ: main quadrupole MQT: Trim quadrupole

MQS: Skew trim quadrupole

MO: Lattice octupole (Landau damping)

MSCB: Skew sextupole +

Orbit corrector (lattice chroma+orbit)

MCS: Spool piece sextupole
MCDO: Spool piece octupole +

Decapole

BPM: Beam position monitor





Golden formula (you should know by heart) Circumference → FIXED!!! by LEP

$$B\rho = \frac{p}{Ze}$$

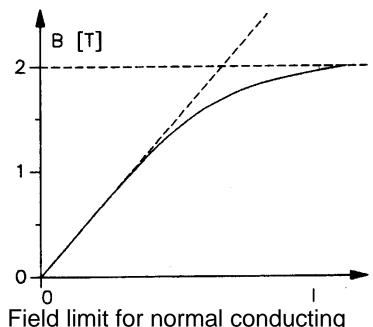
FIXED, no choice 
$$\rho \approx \frac{26658.9 \text{ m}}{2\pi} \cdot 66\% \approx 2780 \text{ m}$$

~ 66% of the lattice elements are dipoles

p = nucleon momentum → defined by the physics case → TeV range → 7 TeV

$$B = \frac{p}{\rho Ze} \approx 3.33 \frac{p\left(\frac{GeV}{c}\right)}{\rho(m)} = 8.39 T$$

We need SUPERCONDUCTING technology

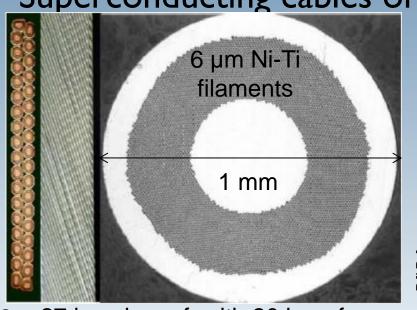


Field limit for normal conducting magnets due to saturation 4/42

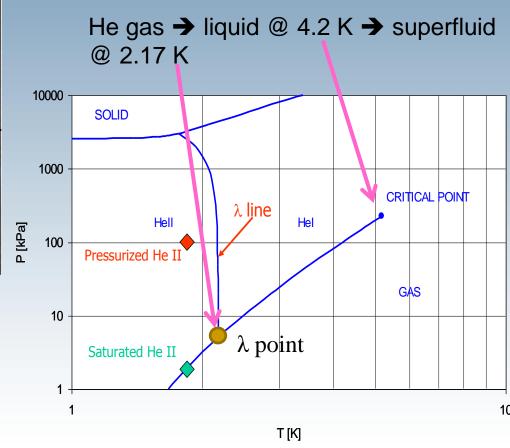
### I. Basic layout of the machine: Superconducting magnets



Superconducting cables of Nb-Ti

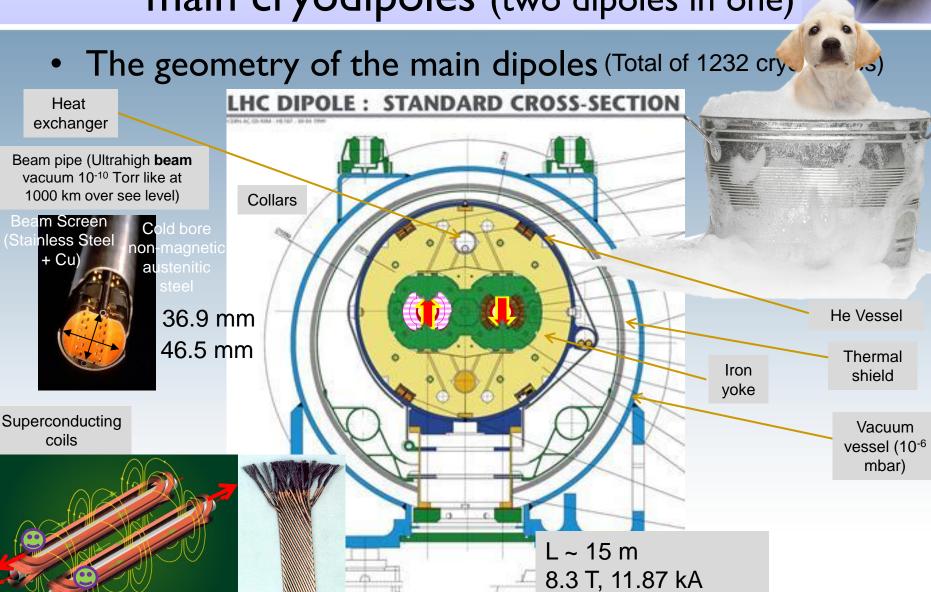


LHC ~ 27 km circumf. with 20 km of superconducting magnets operating @8.3 T. An equivalent machine with normal conducting magnets would have a circumference of 100 km and would consume 1000 MW of power → we would need a dedicated nuclear power station for such a machine. LHC consumes ~ 10% nuclear power station



Total amount of He used @LHC ~500-700 T

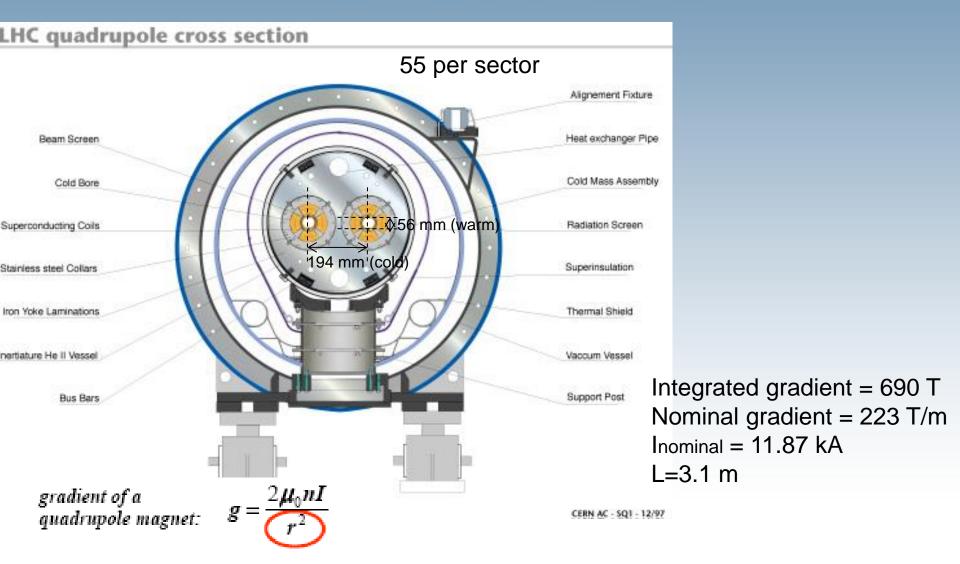
I. Basic layout of the machine: main cryodipoles (two dipoles in one)



T = 1.9 K, ~27.5 ton

### I. Basic layout of the machine: main quadrupoles





I. Basic layout of the machine: main dipoles -Field quality

#### The magnetic field of the main dipoles:

The **stability** of the geometry of the superconducting coils is essential to the field quality.

Mechanical stress during coil assembly

Thermal stresses during cool-down

**Electromagnetic stresses** during operation

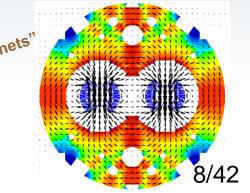
= sources of deformations of the coil geometry

Additional sources of field errors are the dimensional tolerances of the magnet components and of the manufacturing and assembling tooling.

The relative variations of the integrated field and of the field shape

imperfections must not exceed ~ 10 -4 and Reference: LHC Project Report 501

their reproducibility better than 10 Reference: LHC Project Report 501



### I. Basic layout of the machine: main dipoles → Field quality



#### Why the tolerances are so tight?

→ Because the field quality determines how long the particles can circulate in the accelerator

$$B_{y} + iB_{x} = B_{ref} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (b_{n} + ia_{n}) \left(\frac{x + iy}{R_{ref}}\right)^{n-1}$$

$$n = 1 \rightarrow \text{dipole}$$

$$n = 2 \rightarrow \text{quadrupole}$$

$$n = 3 \rightarrow \text{sextupole}$$

Up to which order do we care?

$$\rightarrow$$
 Up to n = 7 at least

 $n = 4 \rightarrow octupole$ 

 $n = 5 \rightarrow decapole$ 



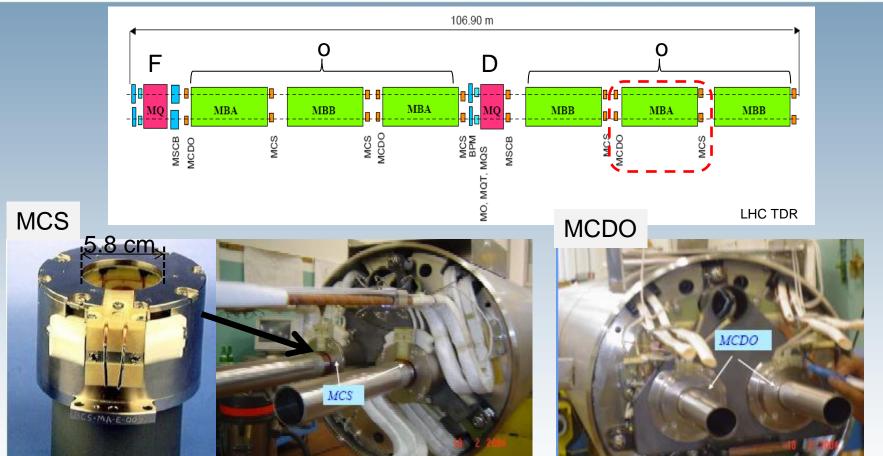
### I. Basic layout of the machine: main dipoles → Field quality



Error	Side effects if error is > few 10 <sup>-4</sup>	Corrected with	
al	Closed orbit perturbations and thus feed-down	Dipole correctors (MCB)	
Ы	contributions from higher order multiple errors		
a2	Linear coupling and vertical dispersion	Skew quadrupoles (MQS)	
b2	Tune change, $\beta$ and dispersion beating	Trim quadrupoles (MQT)	
a3	Chromatic coupling and Q"	Skew sextupoles (MSS)	
b3	b2 feed-down at injection (persistent current effect) and off-momentum $\beta$ -beat	Sextupole (MCS)	
a4	Dynamic aperture (DA) at injection		
b <b>4</b>	DA and Q" at injection	Octupole (MCO)	
a5	DA for off-momentum particles at injection		
b5	DA and Q" at injection	Decapole (MCD)	
a6 to b7	DA at injection  Sextupole  1.5s-06 1e-06 5-c17 0		

## I. Basic layout of the machine: dipole corrector magnets





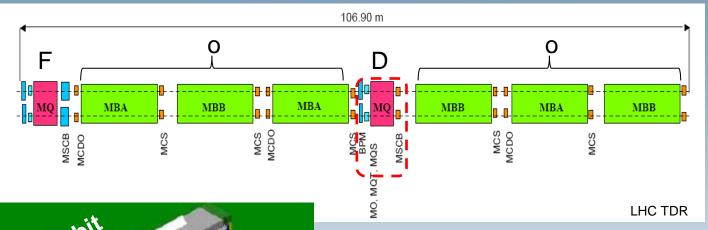
Nominal main field strength = 1630 T/m<sup>2</sup> Inominal = 550 A, 1.9 K, L=15.5 cm, ~10 kg Nominal main field strength ~ 120 T/m<sup>4</sup> Inominal = 550 A, 1.9 K, L=11 cm, ~6 kg

MCD:

MCO: Nominal main field strength = 8200 T/m<sup>3</sup> Inominal = 100 A, 1.9 K, L=11 cm, ~6 kg 11/42

#### I. Basic layout of the machine: quadrupole corrector magnets





Orbit **MSCB** Chromaticity 376 twin-aperture assemblies supplied by Tesla Eng. MSM (sextupole): MCBM (dipole):

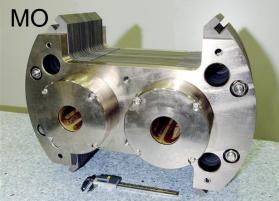
Nominal main field strength =  $4430 \text{ T/m}^2$ strength = 2.93 TInominal = 550 A, 1.9 K,

L=45.5 cm, ~83 kg

Nominal main field

Inominal = 55 A, 1.9 K, L=78.5 cm, ~143 kg

Landau damping



Nominal main field strength =  $63100 \text{ T/m}^3$ Inominal = 550 A, 1.9 KL=38 cm, ~8 kg

MQT/MQS

**MQT**: Trim quadrupole

MQS: Skew trim quadrupole

MQT/MQS:

Nominal main field strength = 123 T/m Inominal = 550 A, 1.9 K

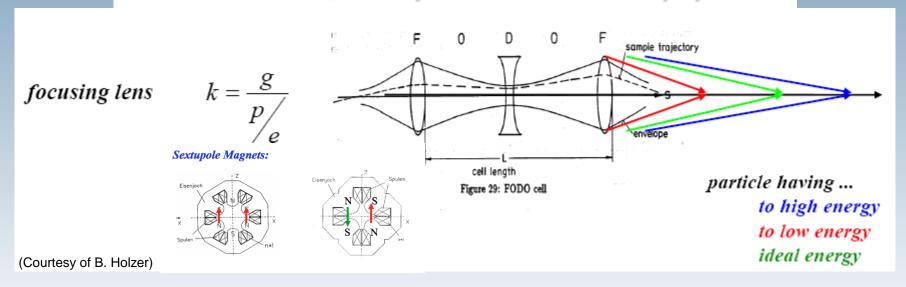
L=38 cm, ~250 kg

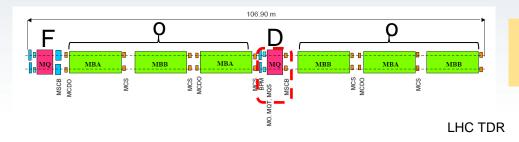
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#### I. Basic layout of the machine: quadrupole corrector magnets



#### 20.) Chromaticity: A Quadrupole Error for ∆p/p ≠ 0

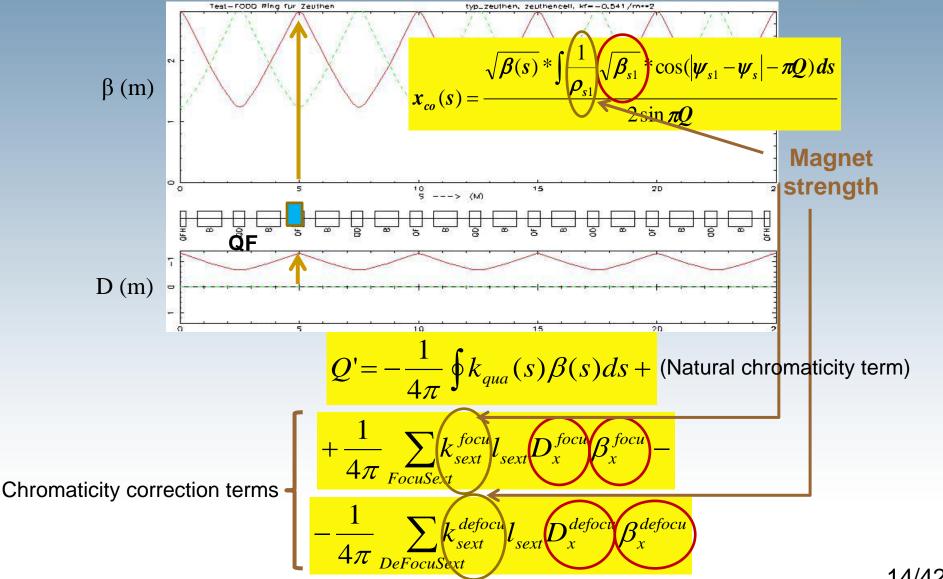




Why the orbit and sextupole correctors are placed close to a quadrupole?

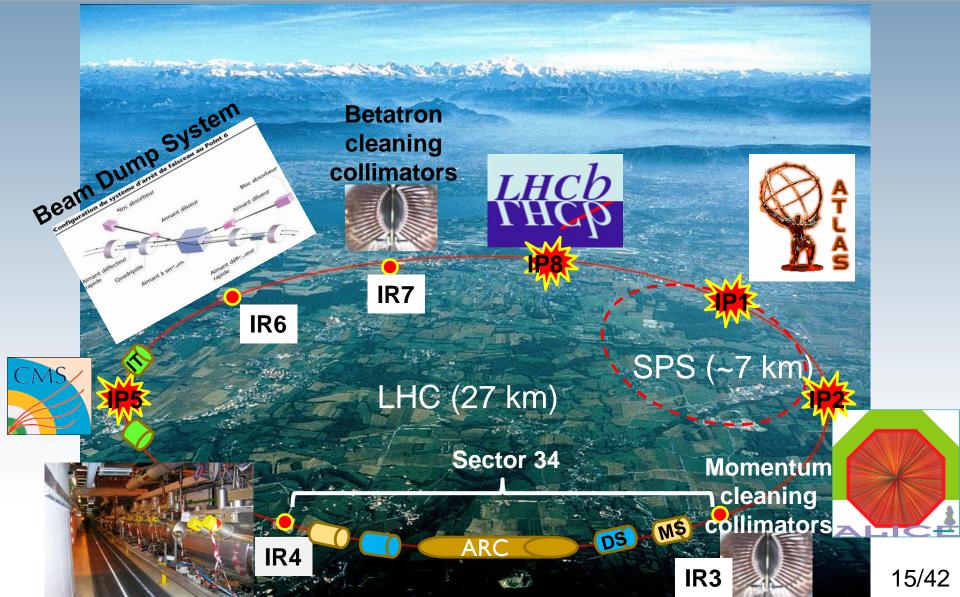
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#### I. Basic layout of the machine





### I. Basic layout of the machine: Dispersion suppression

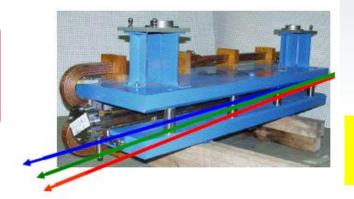


ARC	1 T		DS		LSS
		Q10	J Q9	Q8	il Q7
	3B MQ MQTL >	MBA MBB MQML MBA	MBB MQM/C MBA	MBB MQML MBA	MBB MQM
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	15	1.898	193	1.898.	
	0.68	2.407	2,409	2.407	0.68 3.4
	3.1   17.5717   29.96   1.8   29.96   5.165   29.96   1.8   29.96   7.167    The schema applies to all DS except the ones in IR3 and IR7				
	1 1/2/17	20100	OS except the ones in IR3	3.0	1107

- Cancels the horizontal dispersion generated on one side by the arc dipoles and on the other by the separation/recombination dipoles and the crossing angle bumps
- Helps in matching the insertion optics to the periodic solution of the arc
- If only dipoles are used they cannot fully cancel the dispersion, just by a factor 2.5.
   Therefore individual powered quadrupoles are required (Q8-Q11 with I ~ 6000 A)

dipole magnet

$$\alpha = \frac{\int B \ dl}{p e}$$



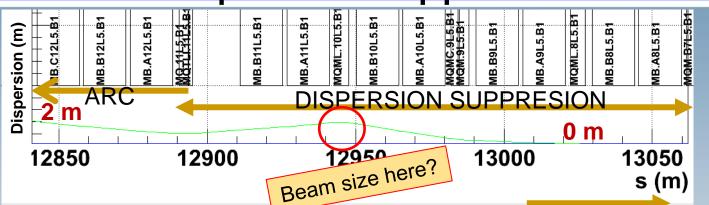
$$x'' + K(s)x = \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\Delta p}{p}$$

$$x(s) = x_{\beta}(s) + D(s) \frac{\Delta p}{p}$$

(Courtesy of B. Holzer)

### I. Basic layout of the machine: Dispersion suppression





D(s) is created by the dipole magnets and afterwards focused by the quadrupoles

Direction IP5

The inhomogeneous solution changes the beam size ...

$$\varepsilon = \frac{\varepsilon_n}{\beta_{rel}\gamma_{rel}}$$

$$\sigma = \sqrt{\sigma_{\beta}^2 + \sigma_D^2} = \sqrt{\varepsilon\beta + D^2 \left(\frac{\Delta p}{p}\right)^2}$$

At 7 TeV in LHC: 
$$\varepsilon n = 3.5 \ \mu m \ rad$$
,  $\beta = 180 \ m$ ,  $D = 2 \ m$ ,  $\Delta p/p \sim 10^{-3}$   
$$\sigma = \sqrt{0.084 \cdot 10^{-6} + 4 \cdot 10^{-6}} \cong \sigma_D$$

What is the beam size at 450 GeV?

$$σ = \sqrt{\frac{\varepsilon_n}{\beta \gamma}} \beta + D^2 \left(\frac{\Delta p}{p}\right)^2$$
 $\Rightarrow \gamma(@7 \text{ TeV}) \sim 7463 \gamma(@450 \text{ GeV}) \sim 480 β≈1$ 
 $\Rightarrow σ = \sqrt{1.3 \cdot 10^{-6} + 4 \cdot 10^{-6}} \cong σ_D + 30\% σ_β$ 

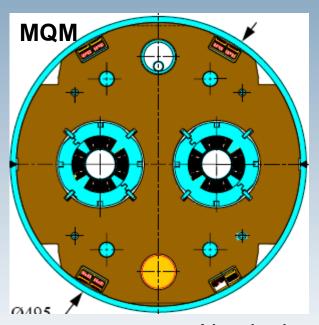
When you design your beam pipe you have to take into account the contribution of D(s)

Why do we suppress dispersion before reaching the IP?

### I. Basic layout of the machine: Dispersion suppression



Quadrupole types: MQ, MQM, MQTL





Nominal gradient = 200/160 T/m

Inominal = 5.4/4.3 kA

Lmag=2.4/3.4/4.8 m

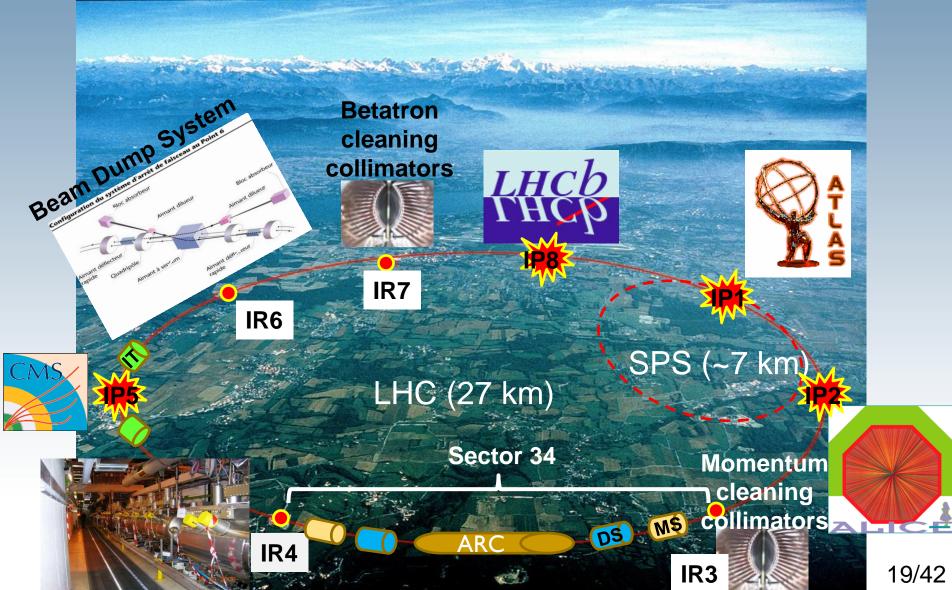
T=1.9/4.5 K

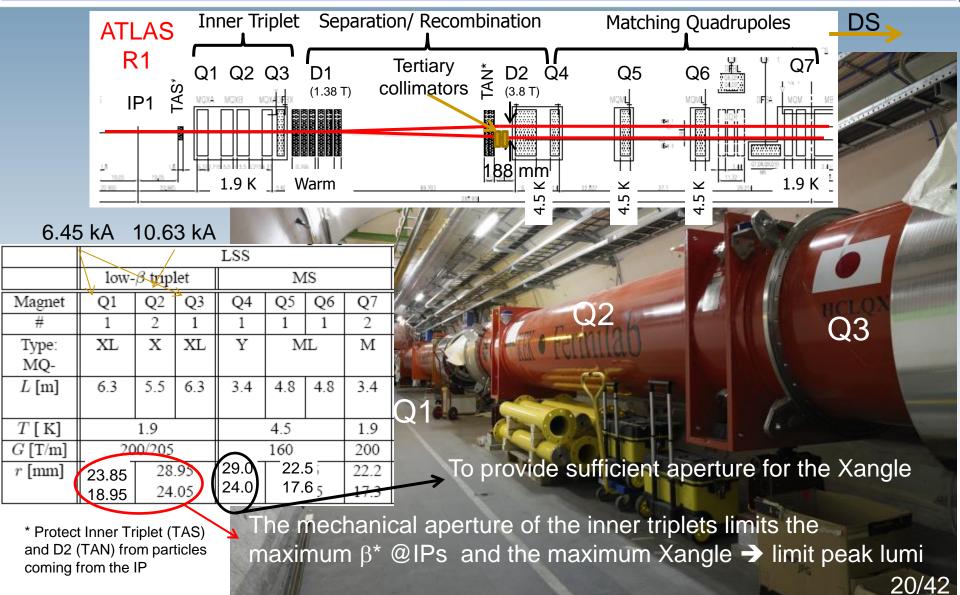
Cold bore  $\emptyset = 53/50 \text{ mm}$ 

**Individual powered apertures** 

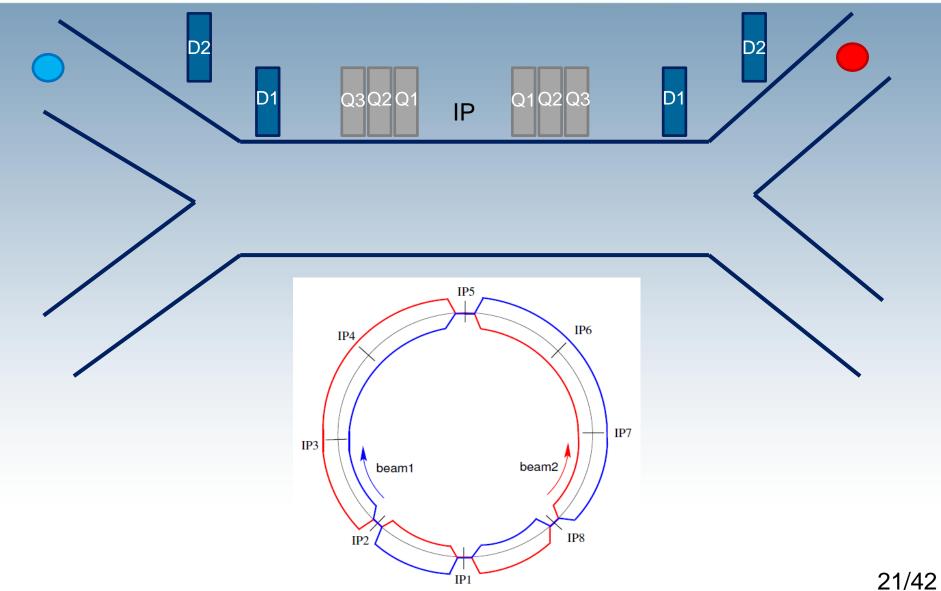
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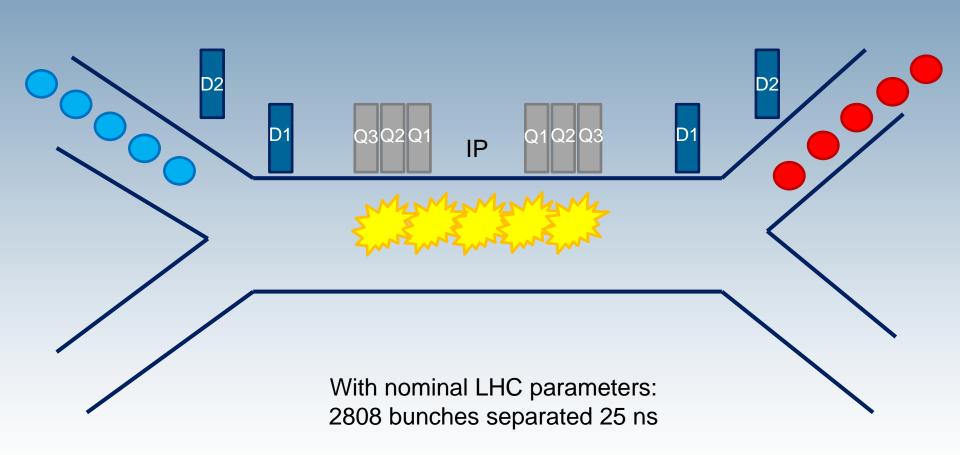






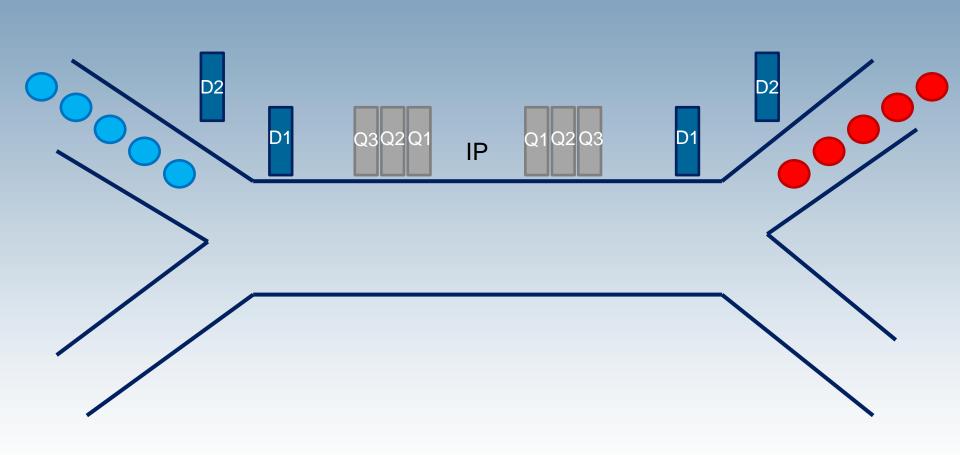




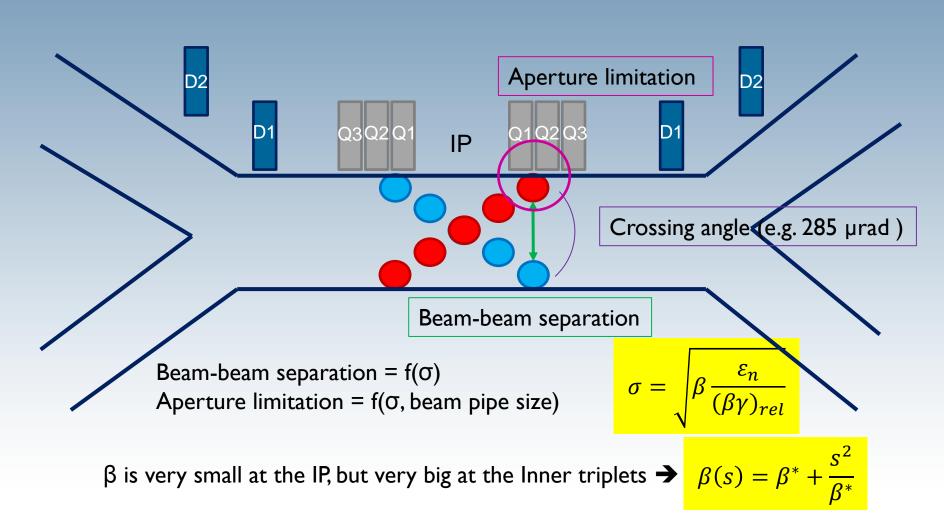


We can have up to 30 parasitic interactions around the IP



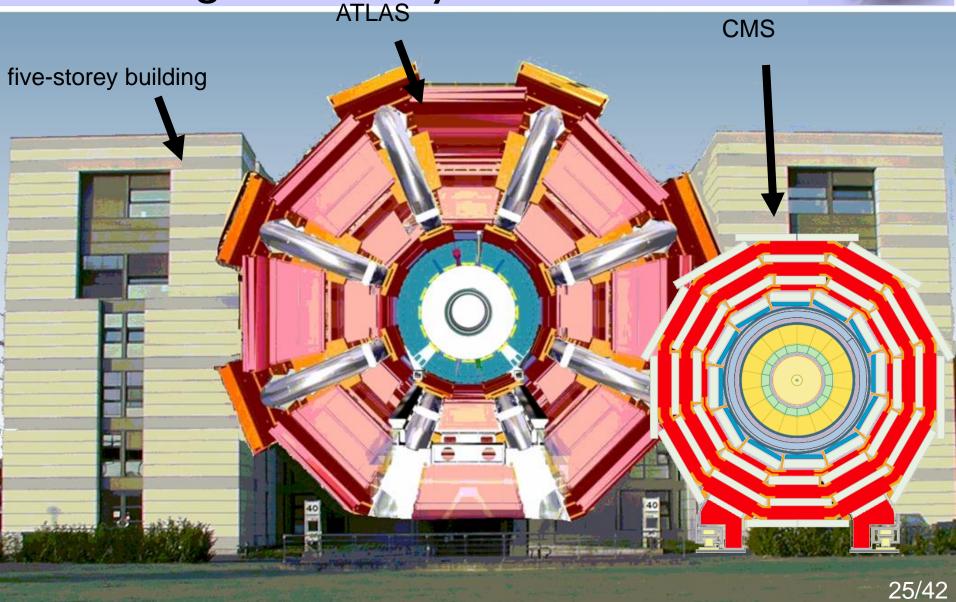




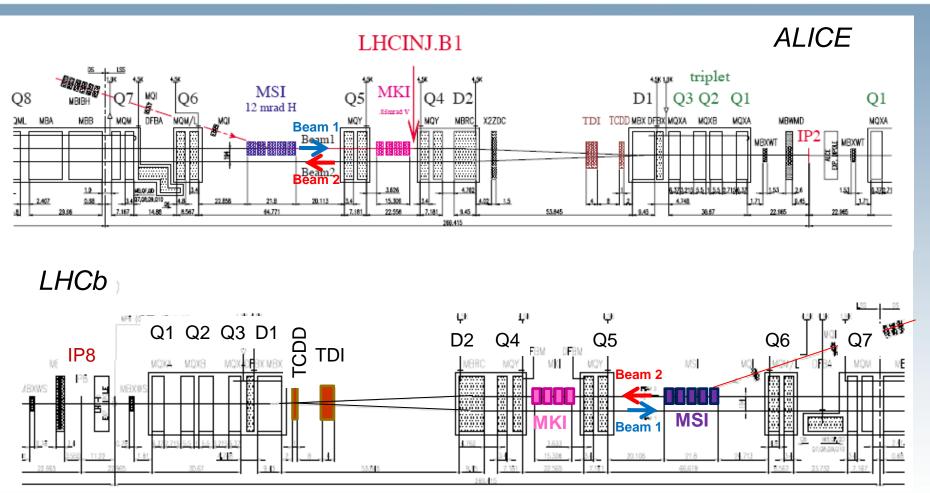


Therefore, the quadrupoles around the IP have such a big apertures







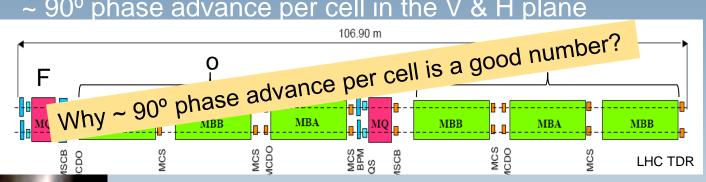


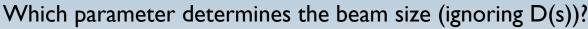
Extra challenge -> the lattice has to accommodate the injection region





LHC arc cells = FoDo lattice\* with ~ 90° phase advance per cell in the V & H plane





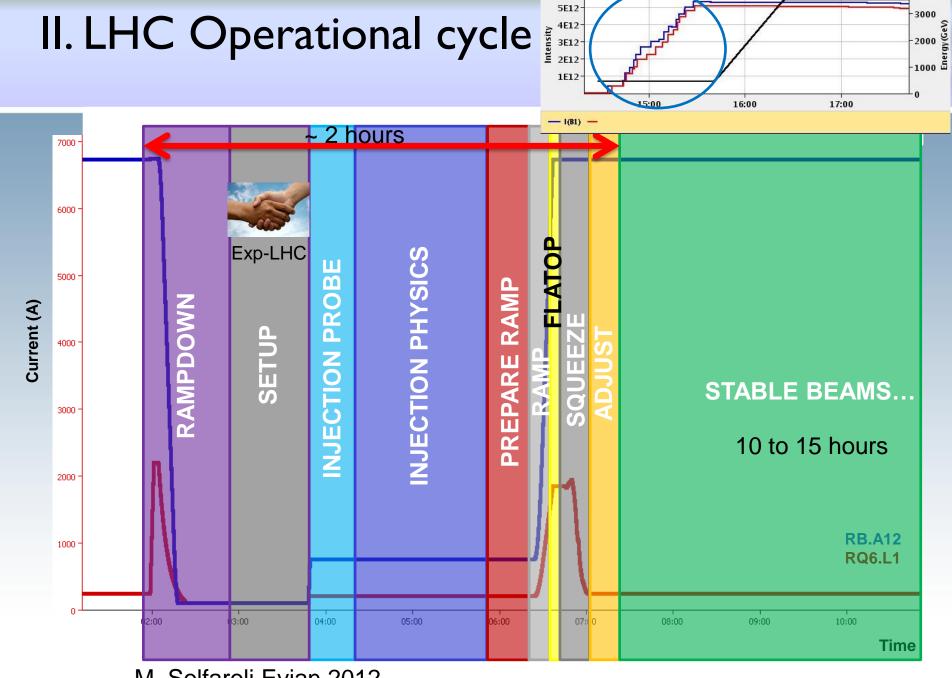
$$r^2 = \varepsilon_x \beta_x + \varepsilon_y \beta_y$$

(In general in proton machines £x≈£y → beams are round)

In order to get the maximum aperture possible the  $\beta(s)$  in both planes have to be minimized:

$$\frac{d}{d\mu}(\beta_{max} + \beta_{min}) = \frac{d}{d\mu}\left(\frac{\left(1 + \sin\frac{\mu}{2}\right)L}{\sin\mu} + \frac{\left(1 - \sin\frac{\mu}{2}\right)L}{\sin\mu}\right) = \frac{d}{d\mu}\left(\frac{2L}{\sin\mu}\right) = 0$$

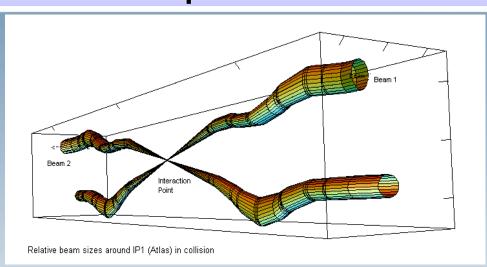
$$\frac{L}{\sin^2 \mu} \cos \mu = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \mu = 90^{\circ}$$



M. Solfaroli Evian 2012

#### II. LHC Operational cycle:Squeeze → reduce β\*





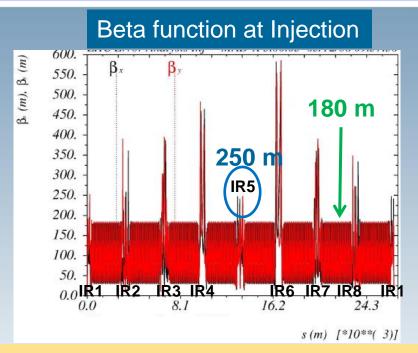
Squeeze the beam size down as much as possible at the collision point to increase the chances of a collision

$$L \approx \frac{N_1 N_2 f_{rev} N_b}{4\pi \sigma^2} \sigma = \sqrt{\beta \frac{\varepsilon_n}{(\beta \gamma)_{rel}}}$$

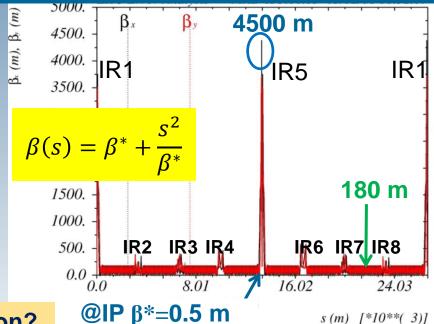
- So even tough we squeeze our N<sub>1,2</sub>=100,000 million protons per bunch down to 16 microns (1/5 the width of a human hair) at the interaction point. We get only around 20 collisions per crossing with nominal beam currents.
- The bunches cross (every 25 ns) so often we end up with around 600 million collisions per second at the start of a fill with nominal current.
- Most protons miss each other and carry on around the ring. The beams are kept circulating for hours  $\rightarrow$  10 hours  $\rightarrow$  29/42

#### II. LHC Operational cycle: Squeeze $\rightarrow$ reduce $\beta^*$ ( $\beta$ @IP)

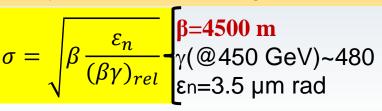








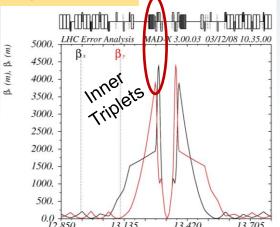
Why we cannot have  $\beta^* = 0.5$  m at injection?



#### Remember:

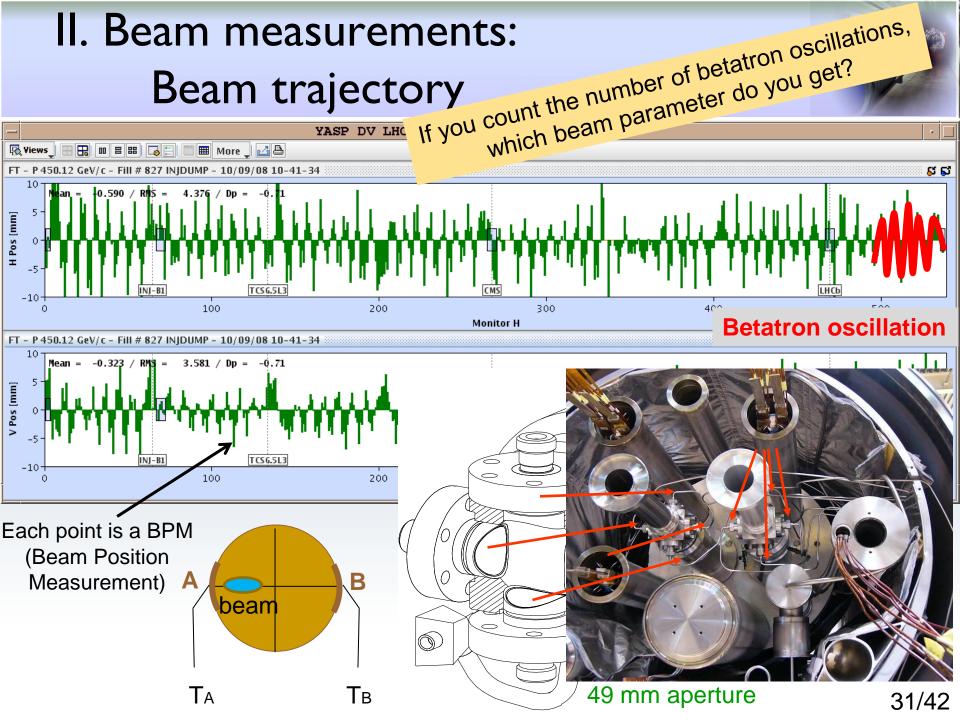
there is no D(s) here

 $\sigma \sim 6 \text{ mm} !!$ 



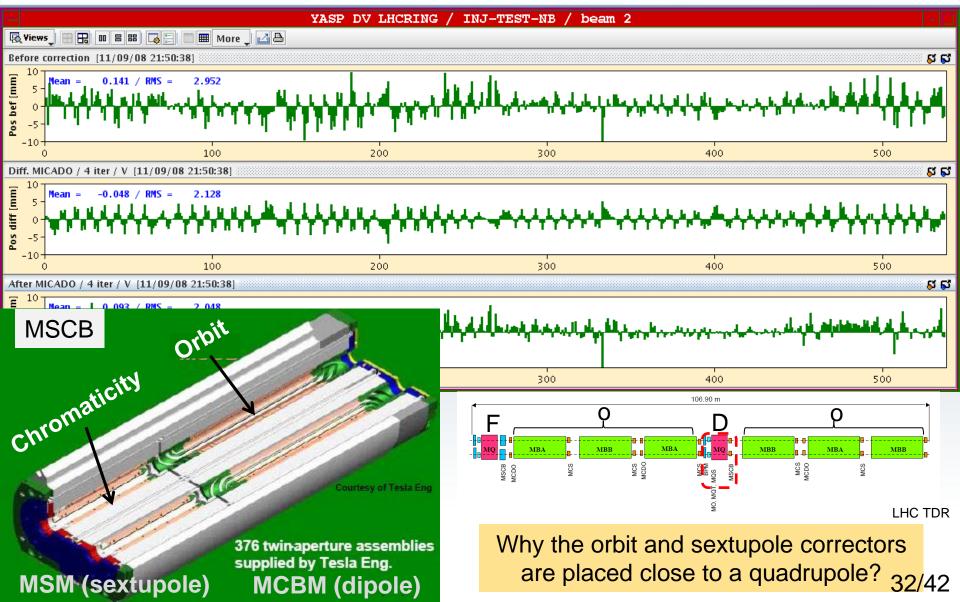
Rbeampipe~29/24 mm we could only accommodate ~ 4 times the beam size and we need at least 7σ clearance

@ 7 TeV

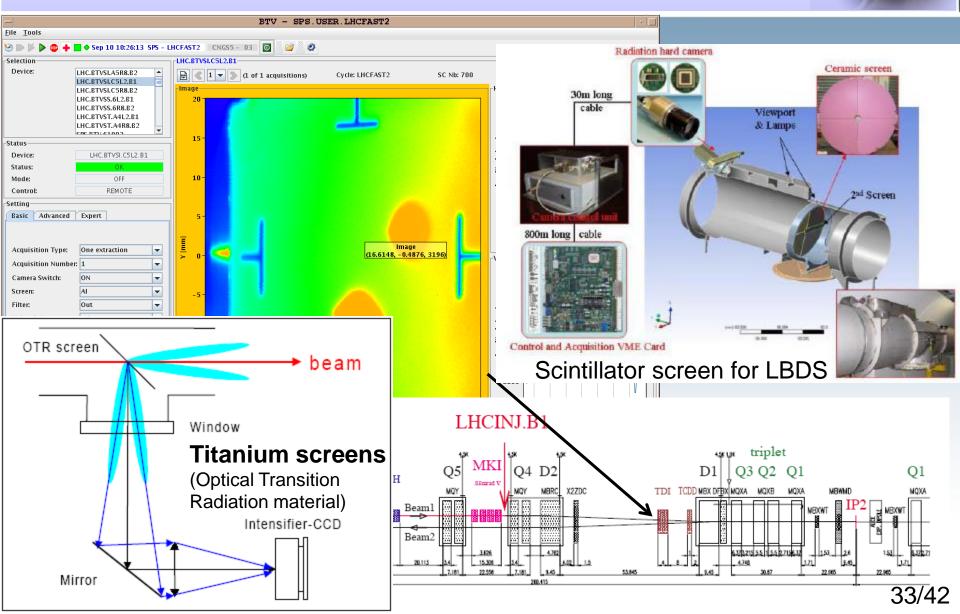


## II. Beam measurements: Beam trajectory correction





#### II. Beam profile measurements: Beam I on TDI screen – I<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> turns

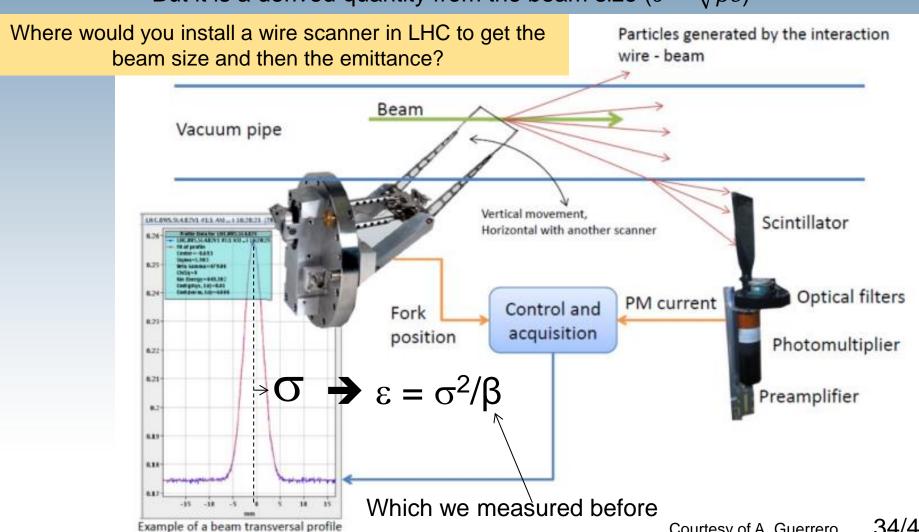


#### II. Beam profile measurements:

#### Emittance measurement - Wire scanner

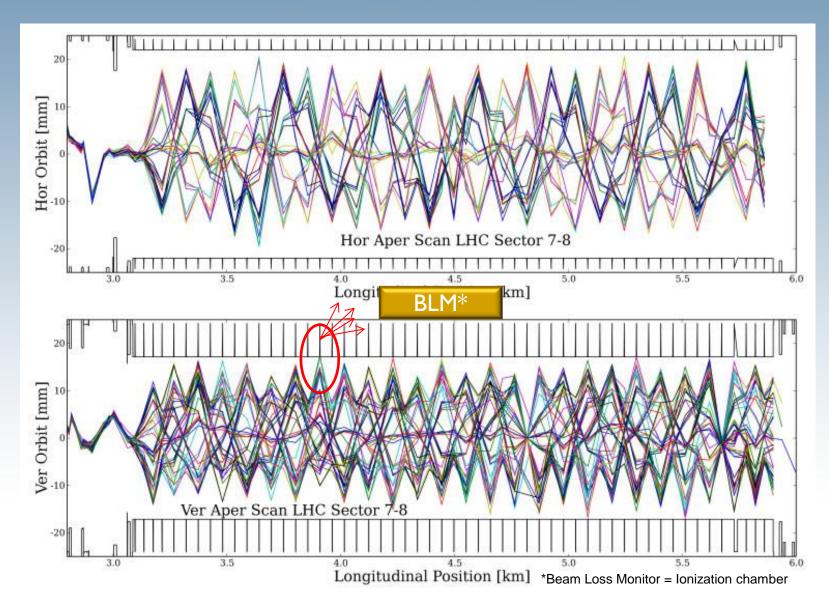


Emittance is the figure of merit for profile measurements. But it is a derived quantity from the beam size ( $\sigma = \sqrt{\beta \varepsilon}$ )



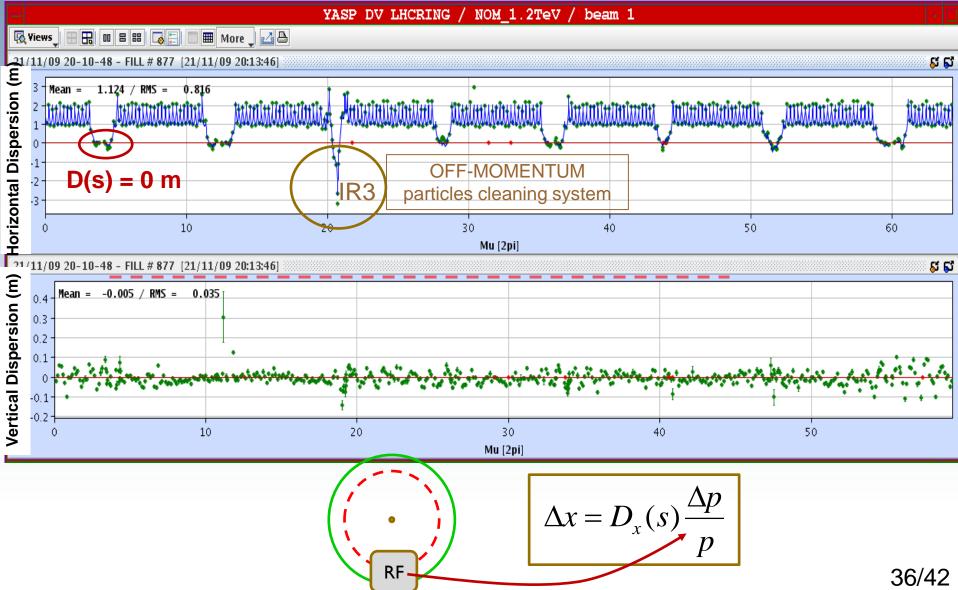
## II. Beam measurements: Aperture scan





#### II. Beam measurements: Dispersion measurement



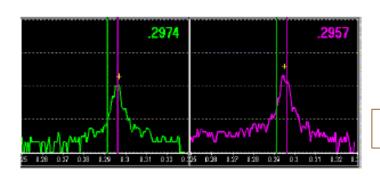


## II. Beam measurements: Beta measurement



a quadrupol error leads to a shift of the tune:

1st Change quadrupole strength in steps

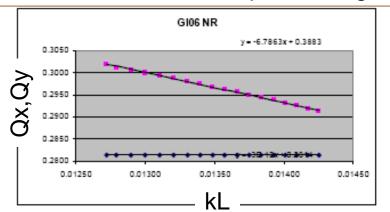


$$\Delta Q = \int_{s0}^{s0+l} \frac{\Delta k \beta(s)}{4\pi} ds \approx \frac{\Delta k l_{quad} \overline{\beta}}{4\pi}$$

2<sup>nd</sup> Measure Tune

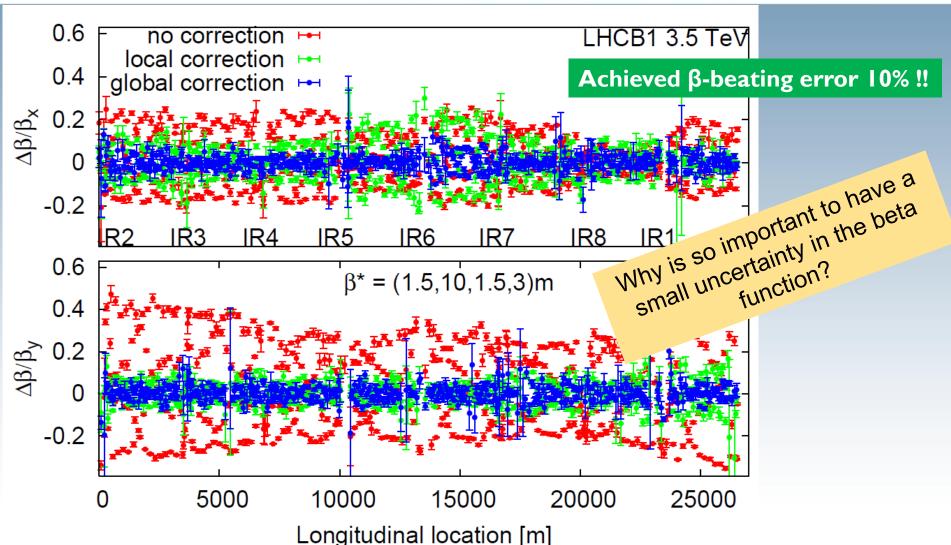
Example: measurement of \beta in a storage ring: tune spectrum

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> Plot Tune vs Quadrupole strength



## II. Beam measurements: Beta measurement



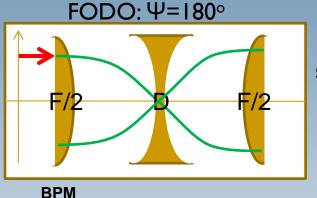


Reference: Record low beta beating in the LHC

Tomas, R. et al. Phy. Rev. Special Topics - Accelerators and Beams15(9).

## II. Beam measurements:



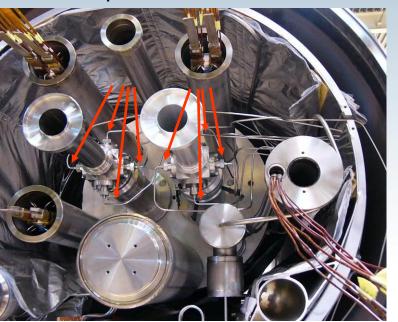


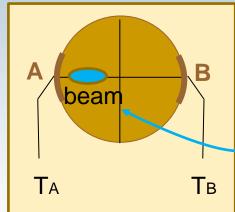
Every 2xT we measure the same position:

$$\frac{1}{2T} = f_Q = Q \cdot \frac{1}{T} = Q \cdot f_{rev}$$

$$\rightarrow Q = 0.5$$

BPM pos → FFT → tune

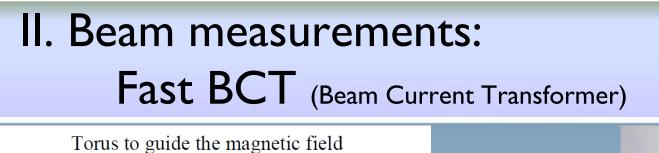


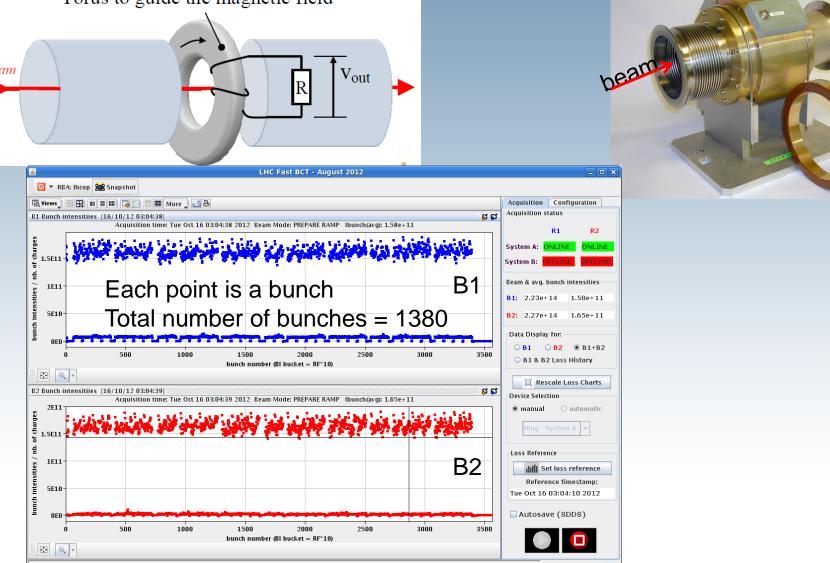


With a frequency of ~3 kHz we measure the same beam position



$$Qx = .279$$
 <sub>@LHC</sub>  $Qy = .310$ 



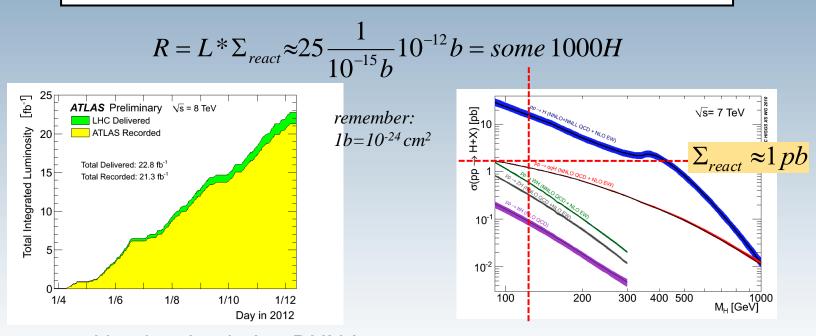


**FBCT** 

### High Light of the LHC



production rate of events is determined by the cross section  $\Sigma_{\text{react}}$  and a parameter L that is given by the design of the accelerator: ... the luminosity



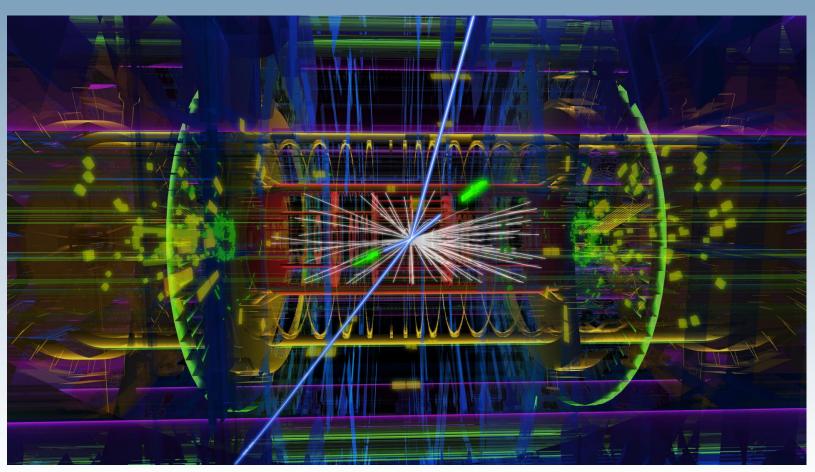
Integrated luminosity during RUN I

$$\int Ldt \approx 25 \, fb^{-1}$$

Official number: 1400 clearly identified Higgs particles "on-tape"

### High Light of the HEP year





ATLAS event display: Higgs => two electrons & two muons



### **SPARE SLIDES**

## I. Basic layout of the machine: Superconducting magnets

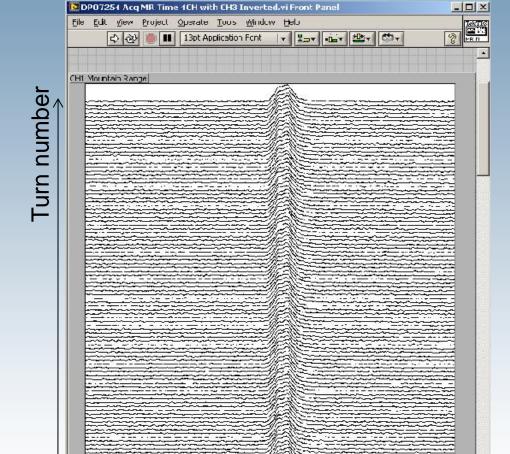


- Superfluid helium → Why is it so great?!!
  - very high thermal conductivity 

     is able to conduct away heat a thousand times better than a metallic conductor like copper
  - very low viscosity coefficient an penetrate tiny cracks, deep inside the magnet coils to absorb any generated heat
  - very high heat capacity prevents small transient temperature fluctuations

### XIV. Beam captured – mountain range display





DP07254 Acq MR Time 1CH with CH3 Inverted.vi Front Panel

### Now RF ON

Bunch length ~ 1.5 ns → ~ 45 cm

0.0n 10.0n 12.Cn 14.0n 16.0n 10.0r 20.0n 22.0n

### Beam parameters (nominal)

 $\beta^* = 0.55 \text{ m}$ 

RMS bunch length  $\varepsilon = 0.5$  nm rad

RMS beam size @IPI & IP5  $\rightarrow \sigma_{x,y} = \sqrt{\epsilon \beta}$ 

RMS beam size @IP2 & IP8  $\rightarrow \sigma_{x,y} = \sqrt{\epsilon \beta}$ 

Geometric luminosity reduction factor (F)

Instantaneous lumi @IPI & IP5 (IP2Pb-Pb, IP8)

Beam current

Stored energy/beam

		Injection	Collision	201
Proton energy	GeV	450	7000	400
Particles/bunch		$1.15 \times 10^{11}$		1.6 x
Num. bunches		2808		138
Longitudinal emittance (40)	eVs	1.0	2.5	
Transverse normalized emittance	µm rad	3.5	3.75	

Α

MI

cm

μm

μm

cm<sup>-2</sup>s<sup>-1</sup>

23.3

11.24

375.2

279.6

1011

 $\beta^* = 0.6 \text{ m}$ 

 $7 \cdot 10^{33}$ 

rad

 $\varepsilon n = 2.5 \mu m$ 

0.582

Peak luminosity related data

362

7.55

16.7

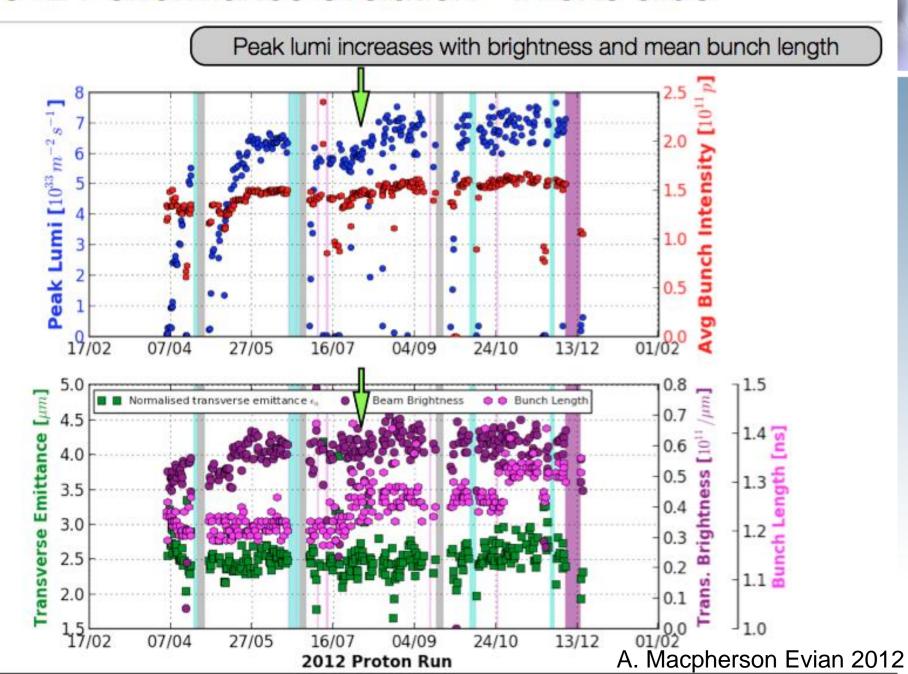
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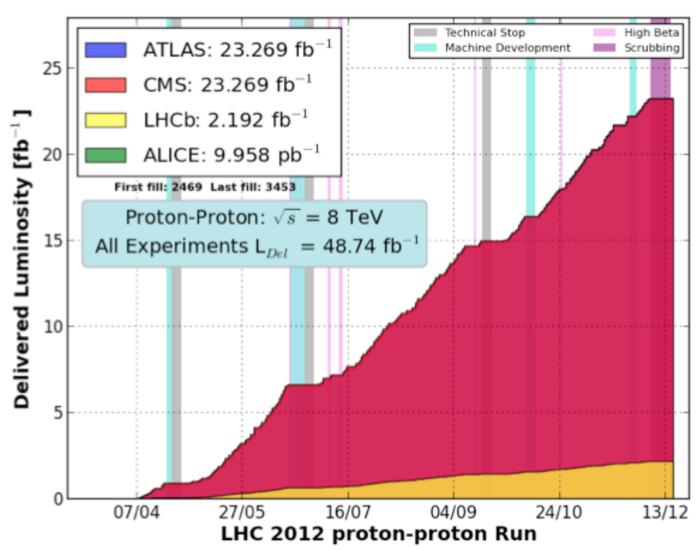
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### 2012 Performance evolution - in one slide



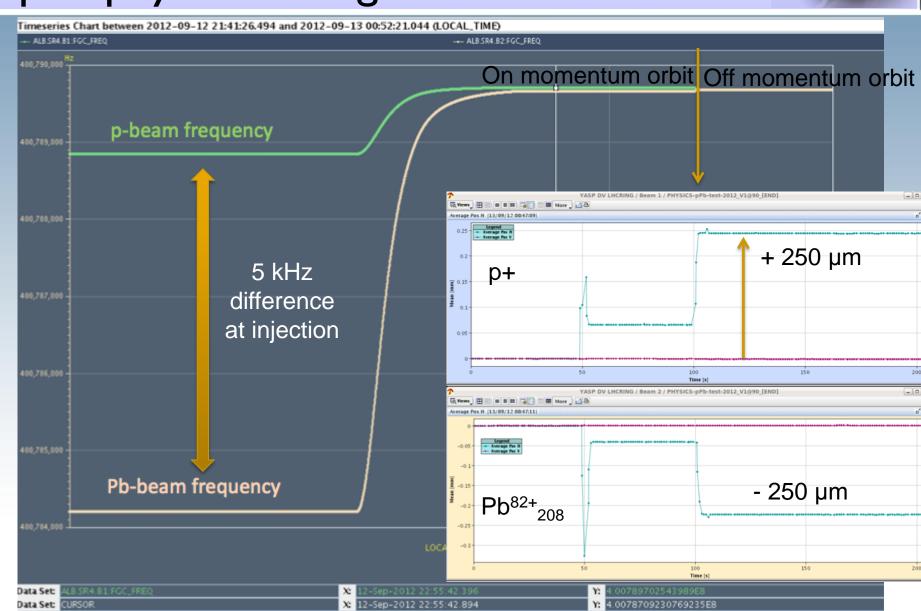
### 2012 - Luminosity Delivered

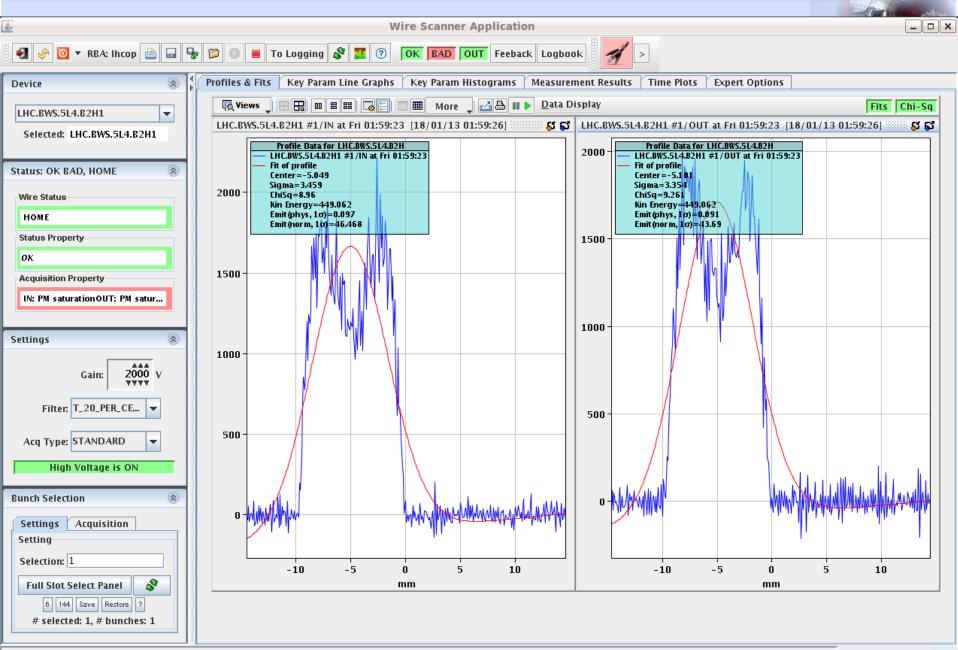


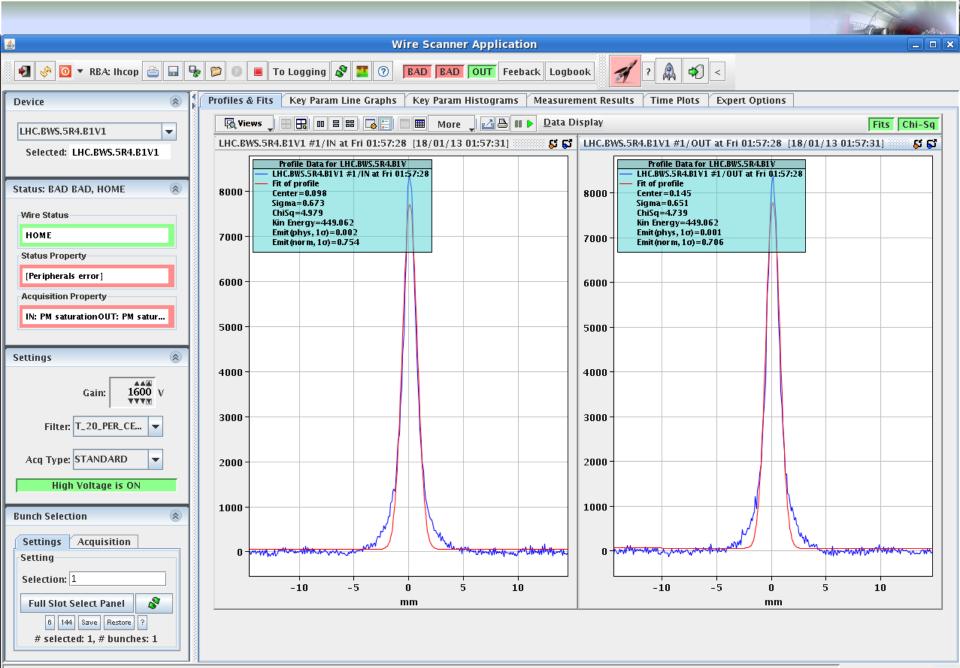
A. Macpherson Evian 2012



### pPb physics during 2013







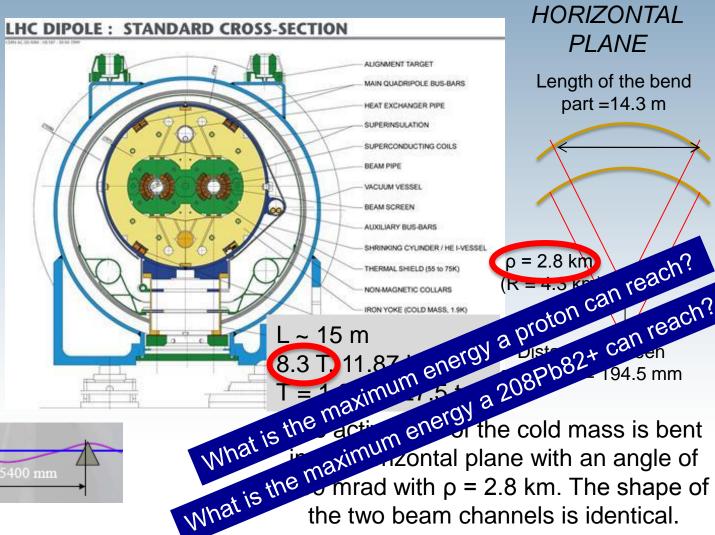
### I. Basic layout of the machine: main cryodipoles (two dipoles in one)

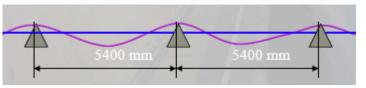


• The geometry of the main dipoles (Total of 1232 cryodipoles)

VERTICAL PI ANF

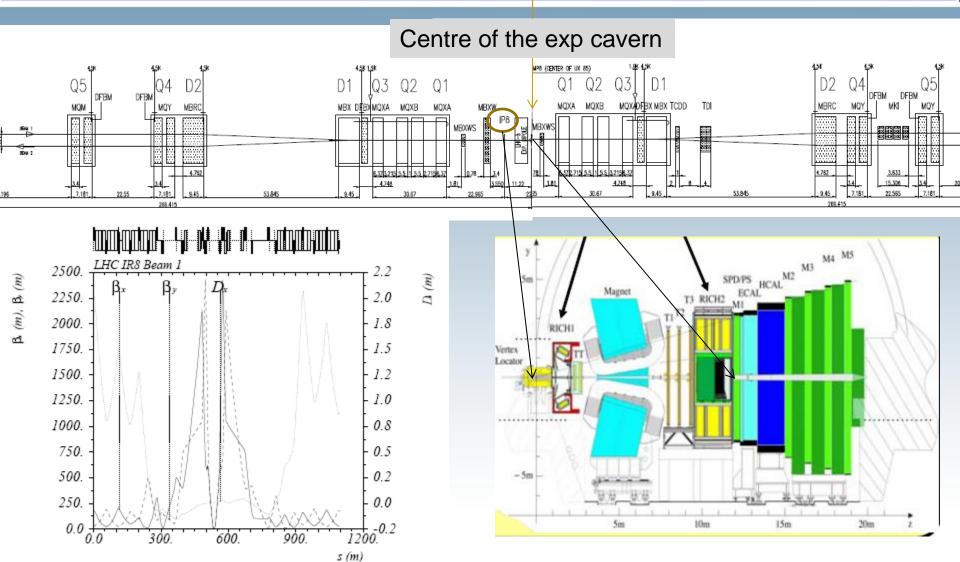
The theoretical shape of the beam channels is a straight line, while the natural shape has ~ 0.3 mm deflection between two supports at 5.4 m distance





## II. The experiments: Low luminosity insertions: LHCb

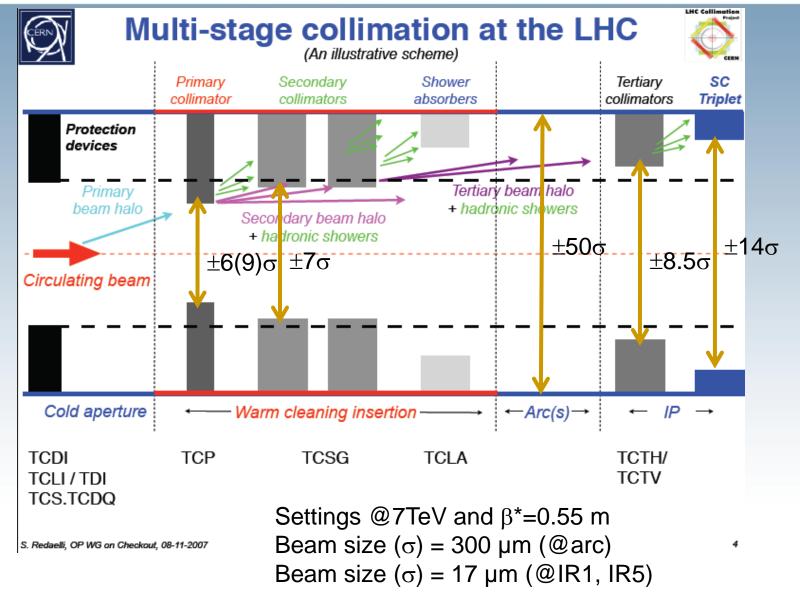




(c) Beam 1, collision optics

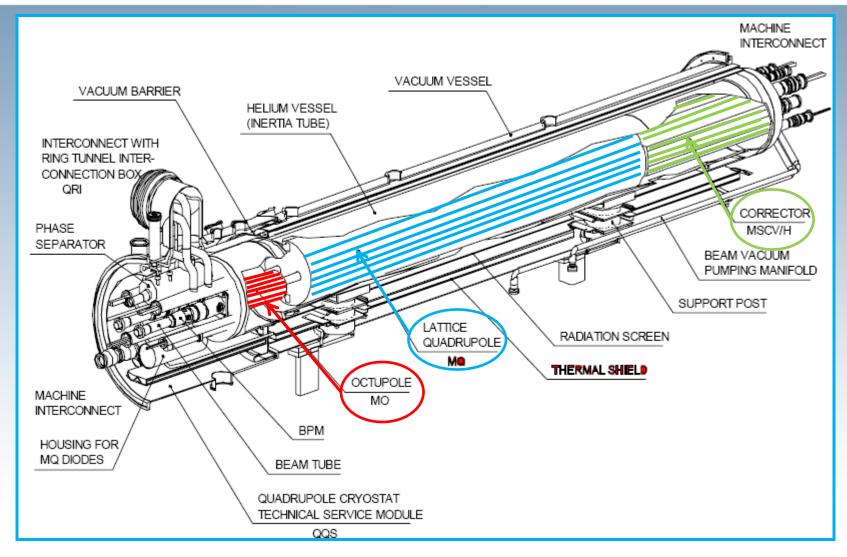
## IV. Momentum and betatron cleaning insertions (IR3, IR7)





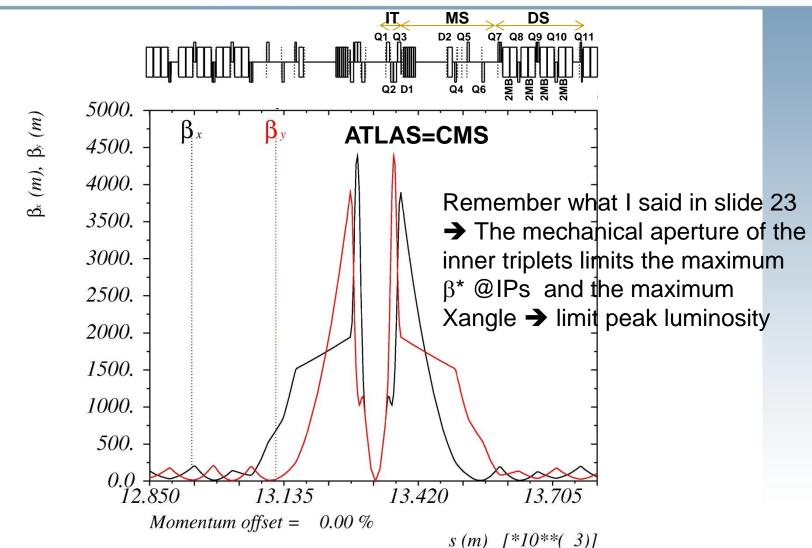
### I. Basic layout of the machine: quadrupole corrector magnets





## II. LHC Operational cycle:Squeeze → reduce β\*





# II. Beam measurements: Integer tunes



