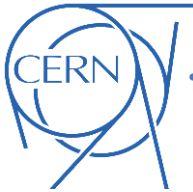


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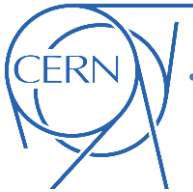
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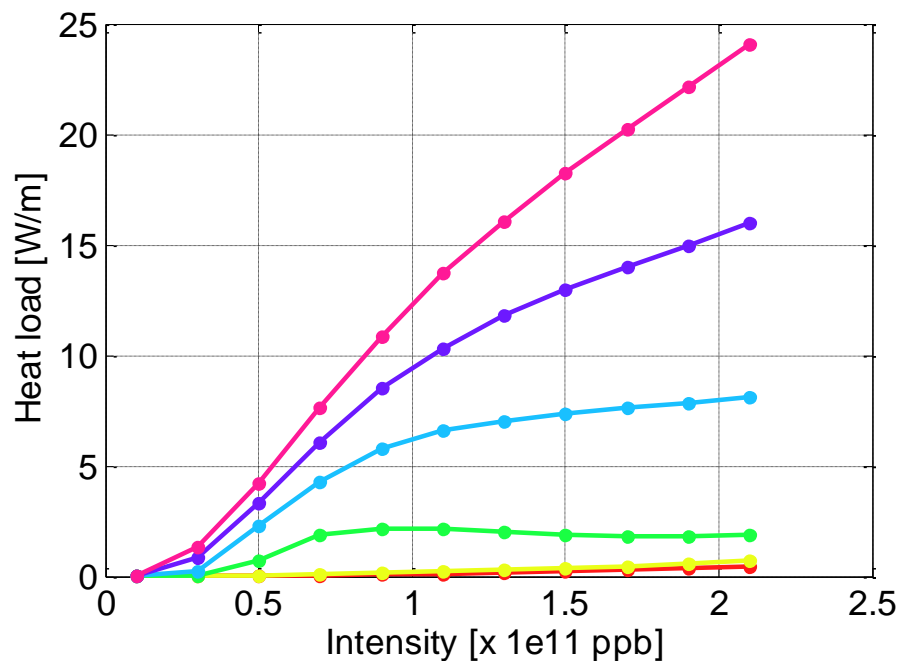


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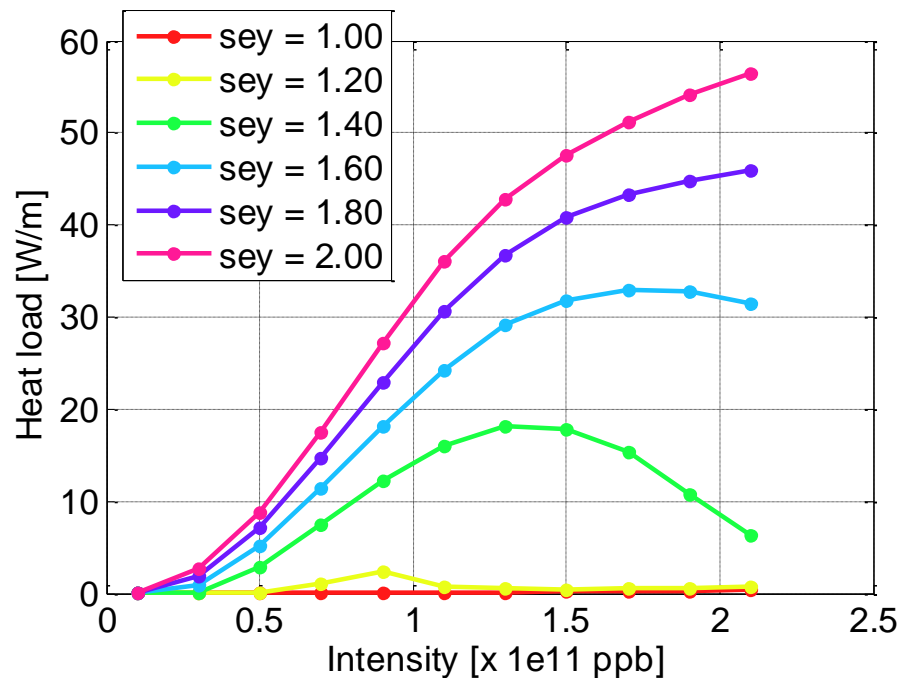


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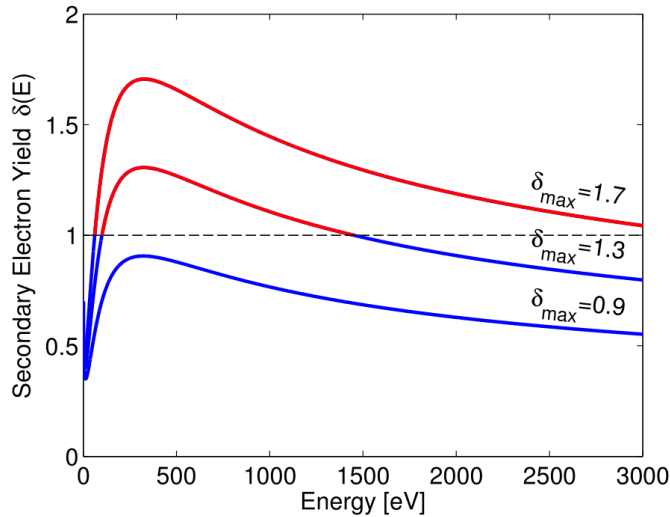


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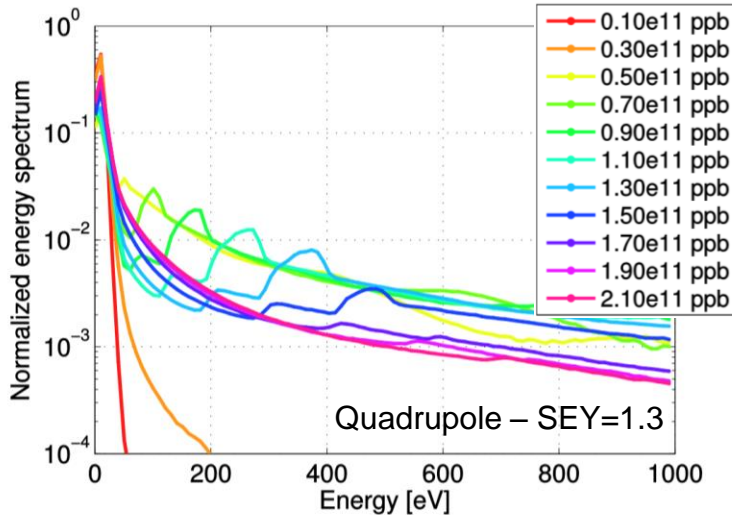


## Underlying mechanism:

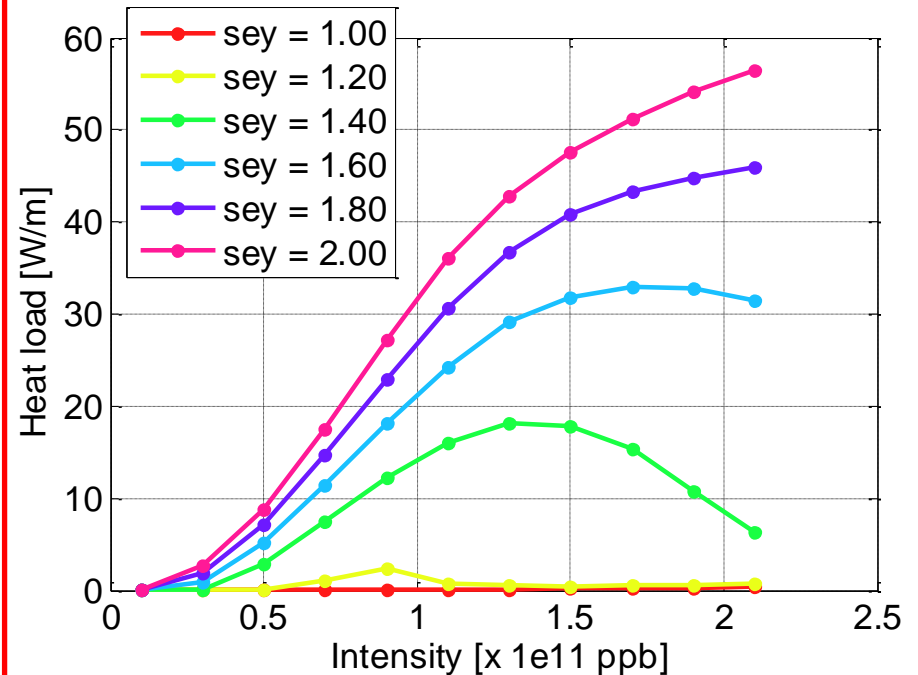
- When the SEY decreases the energy window for multipacting becomes narrower



- For high bunch intensity the e- spectrum drifts to higher energies



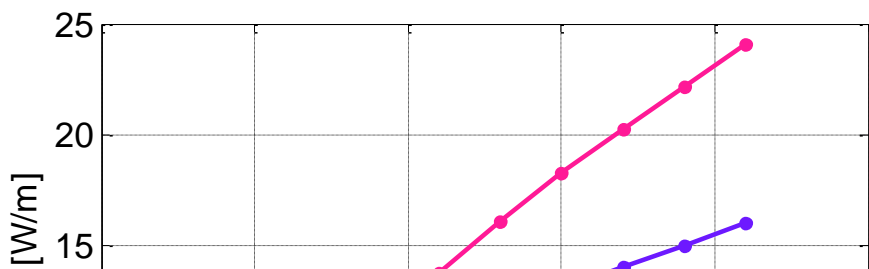
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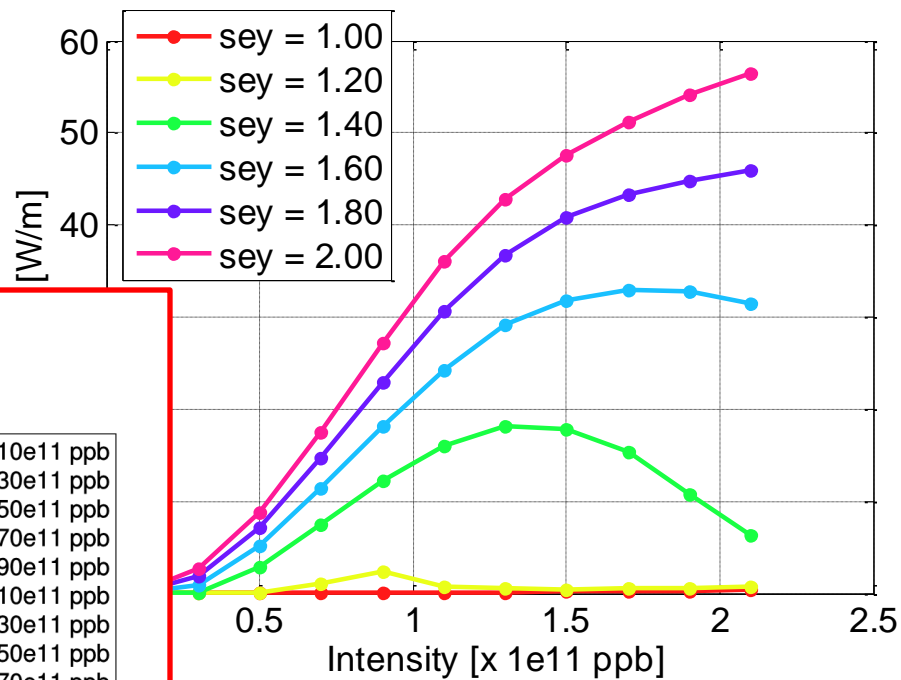


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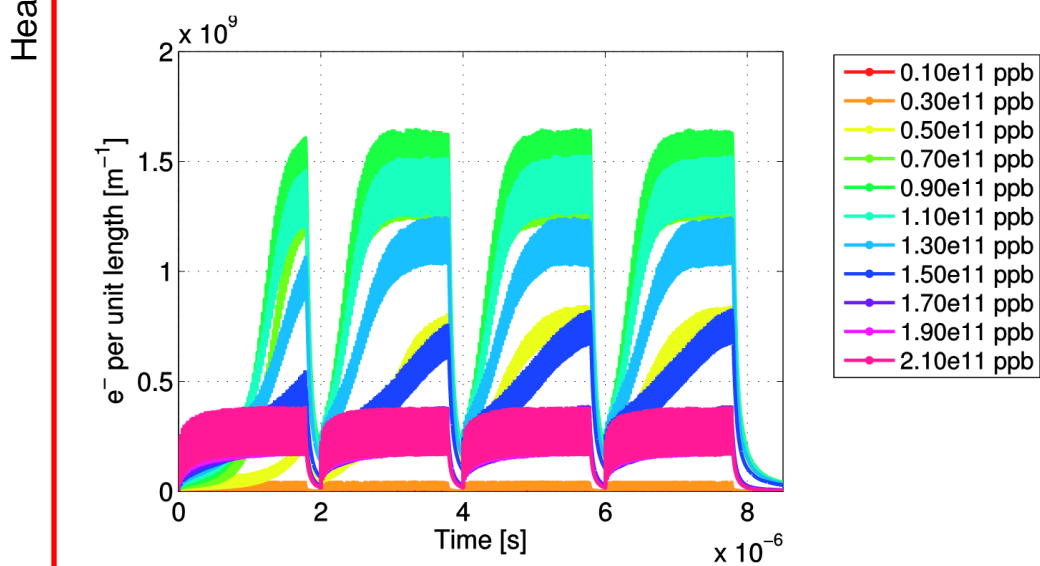
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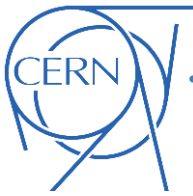


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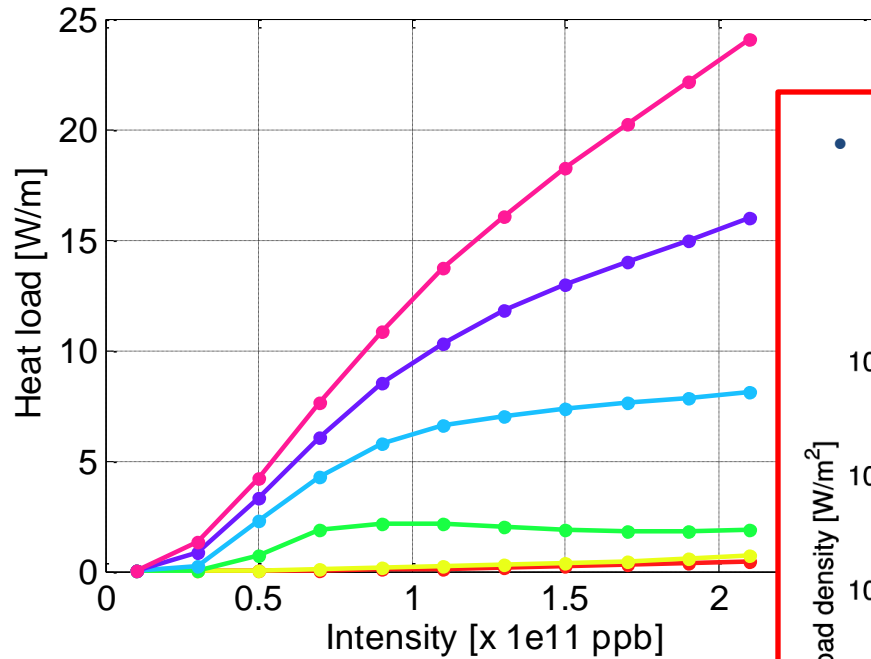
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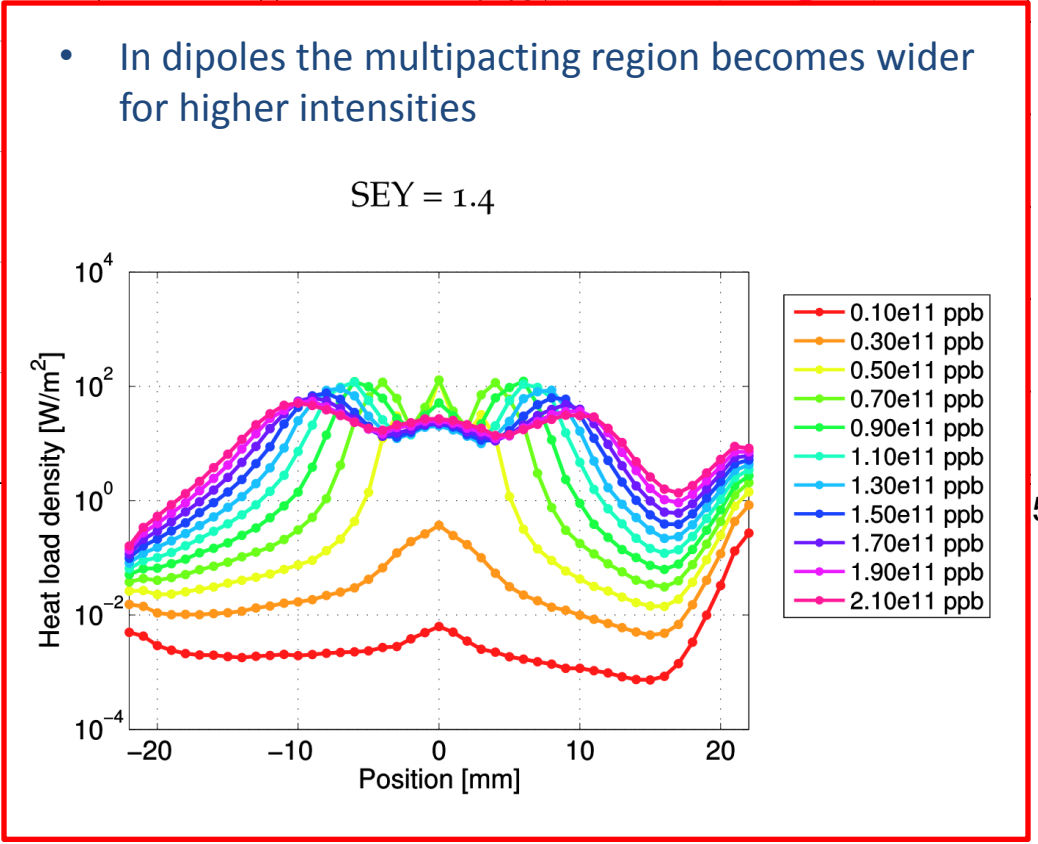
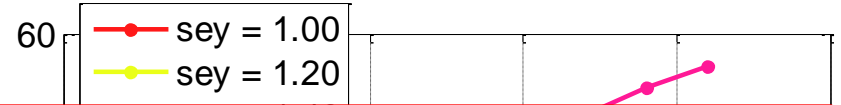


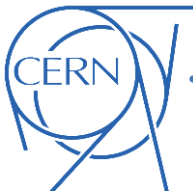
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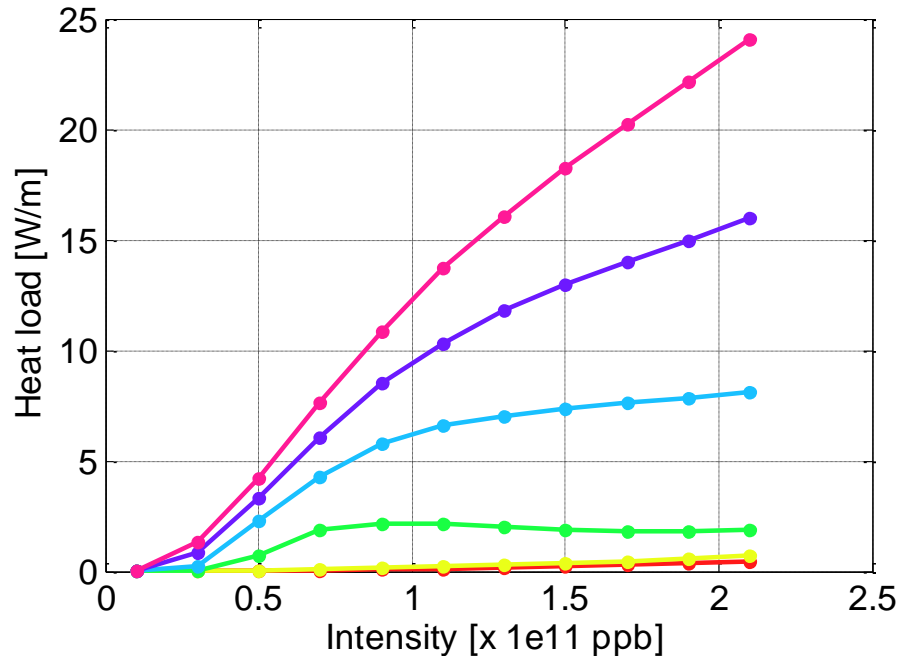
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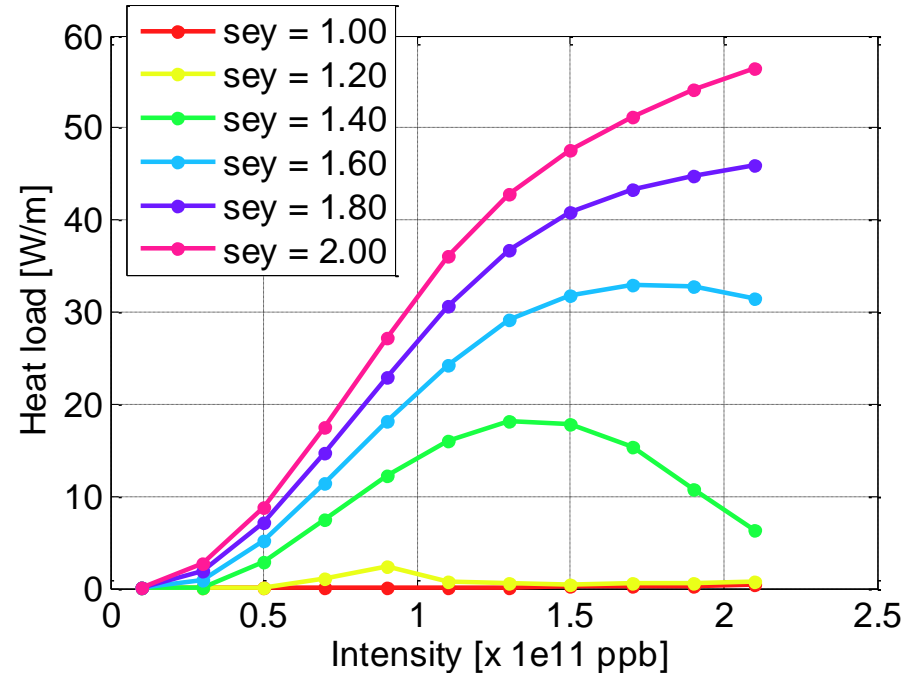


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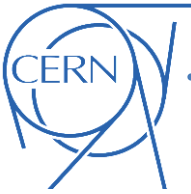


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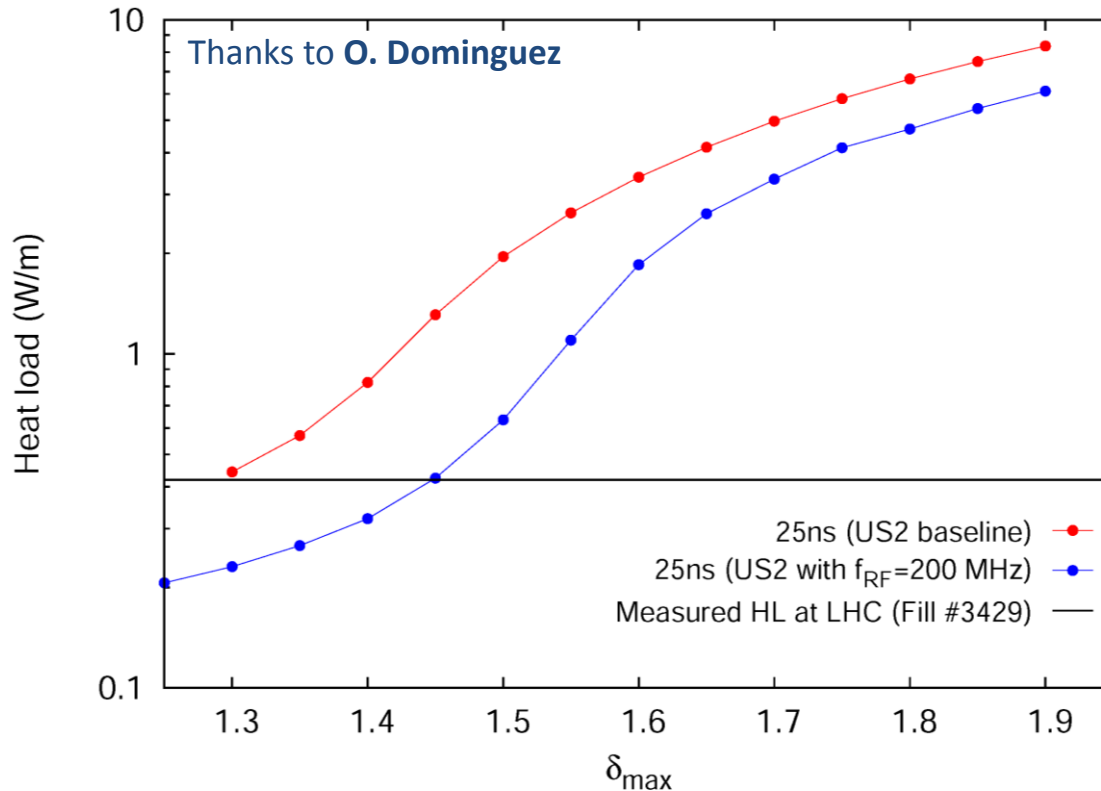


- Warning: dependencies rely on **assumptions on  $E_{max}$  and uniform SEY** on the wall
- Provided that we manage to access a **low SEY regime**, increased **bunch intensity** should be **acceptable for heat load**, effect on the beam still to be assessed

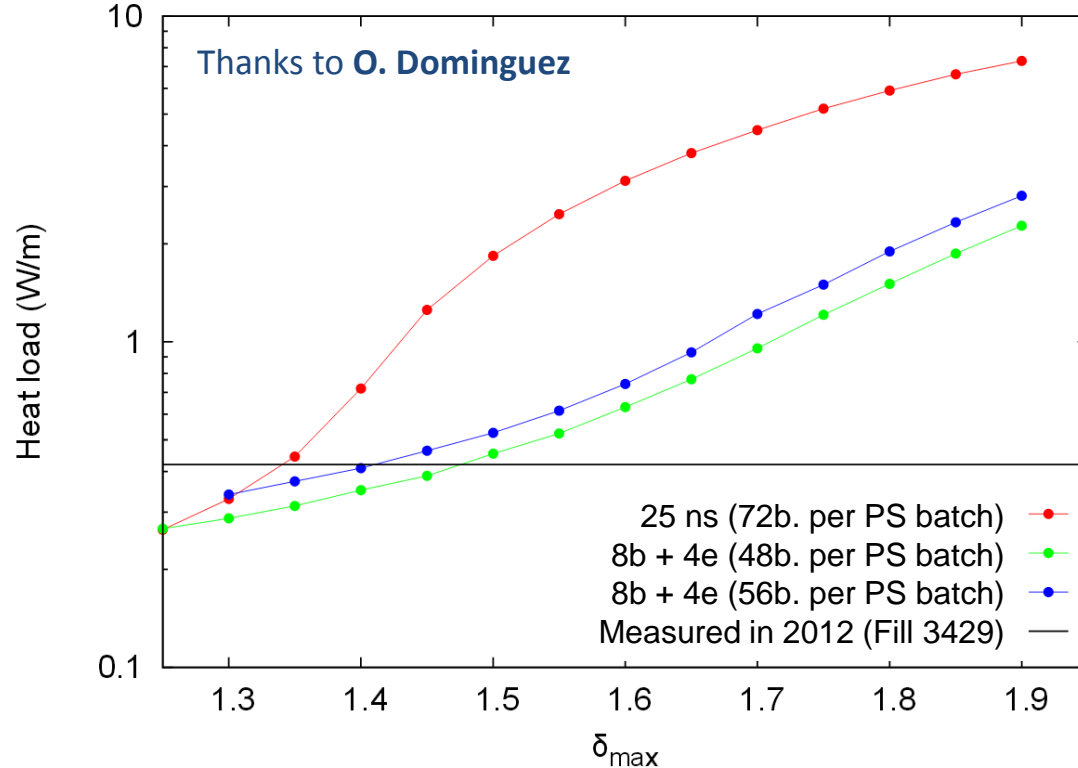




# 200 MHz option: effect on e-cloud in the dipoles



- If option with **200 MHz main RF** is adopted, longer bunches will have a **positive impact also on electron cloud**
- Impact of bunch length on e-cloud to be studied experimentally in Run 2 (e.g. to mitigate degradation at low energy)

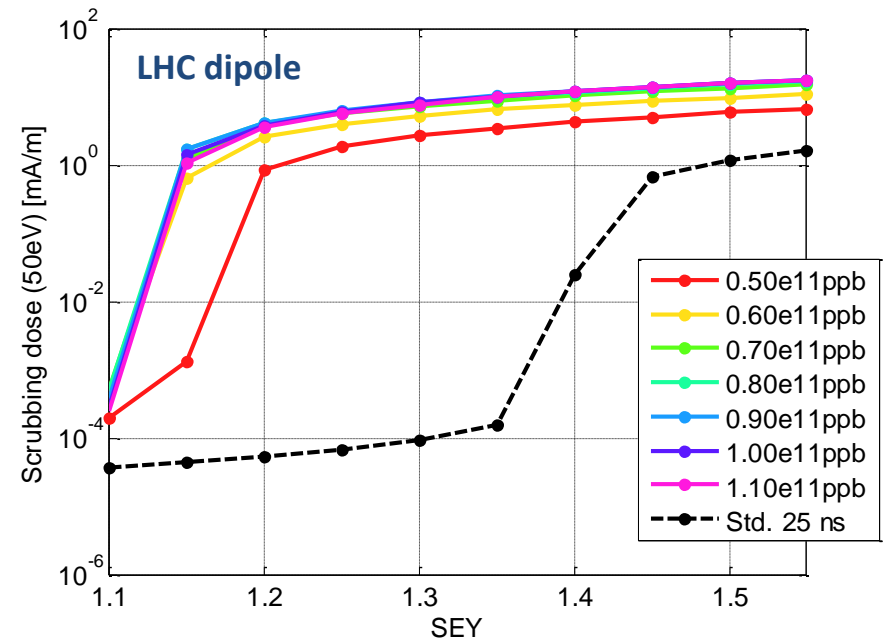
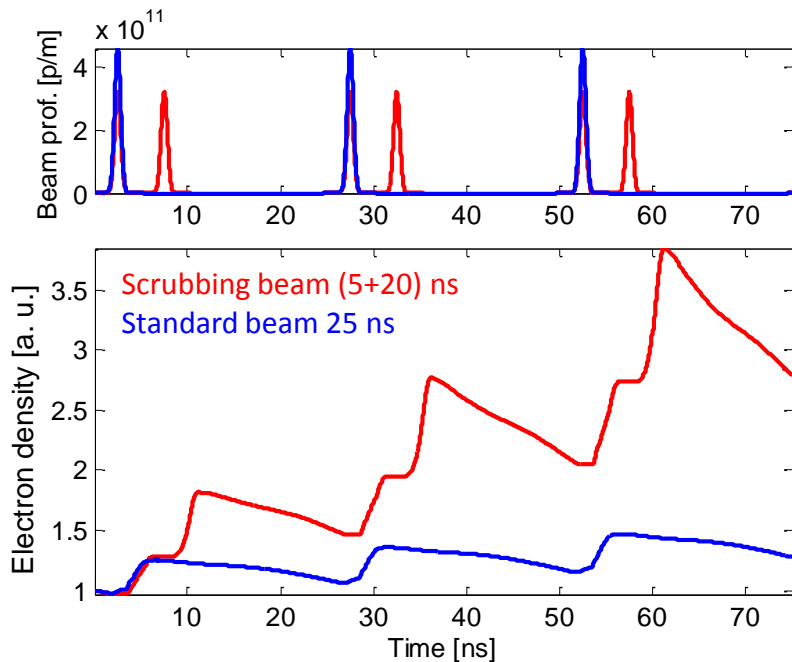


- Filling pattern with 25 ns spacing interleaving **batches of 8 bunches with gaps of 4 slots**, showed a significantly **increased multipacting threshold** compared the standard scheme
  - **backup scheme** in case safe operation with 25 ns beam is hampered by e-cloud (still 50% more bunches wrt 50 ns)
- The effectiveness of this scheme will have to be confirmed during Run 2

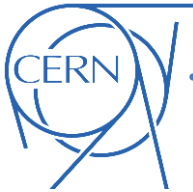


# “Doublet” scrubbing beam

- Operation with 25 ns will rely on SEY reduction by beam induced scrubbing
- To operate with 25 ns beams (~2800b.) it is **mandatory to achieve lower values in SEY compared to what was achieved in Run**
  - **Dedicated scrubbing beams with hybrid bunch spacing (5+20 ns)** are presently under study (e-cloud enhancement shown experimentally at SPS)
  - If possible to be used for scrubbing already during Run 2 (SPS and LHC)

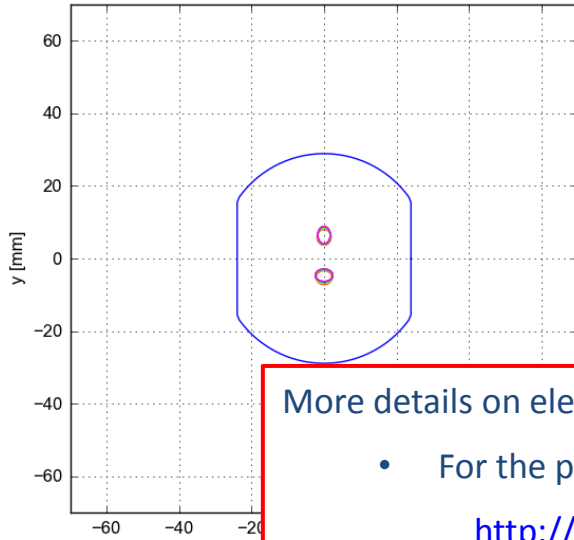


PyECLOUD simulations

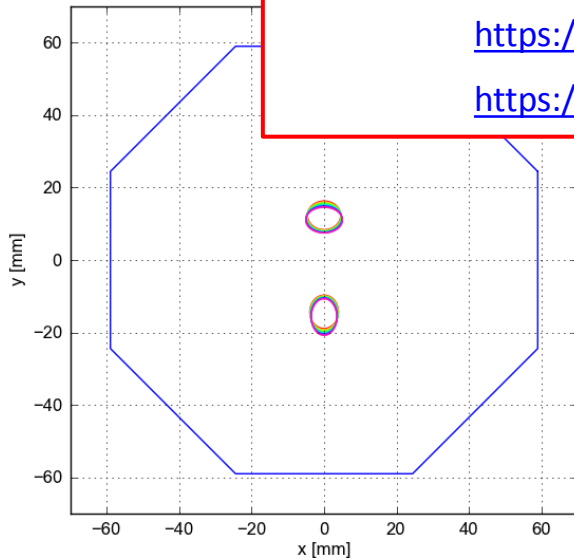


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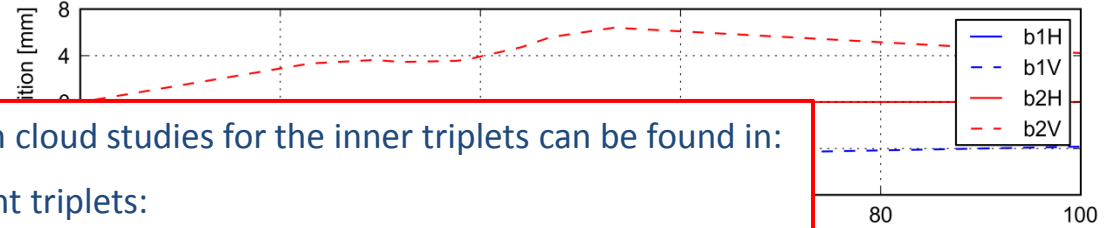
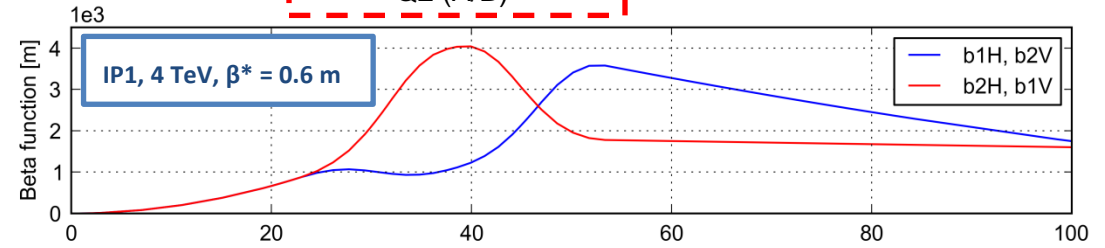
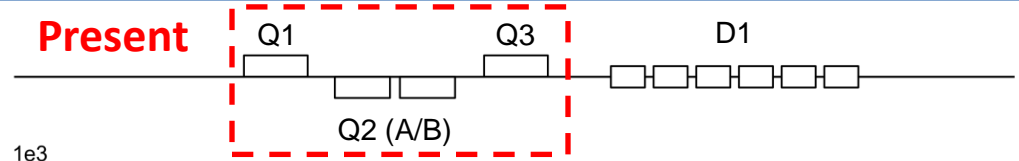
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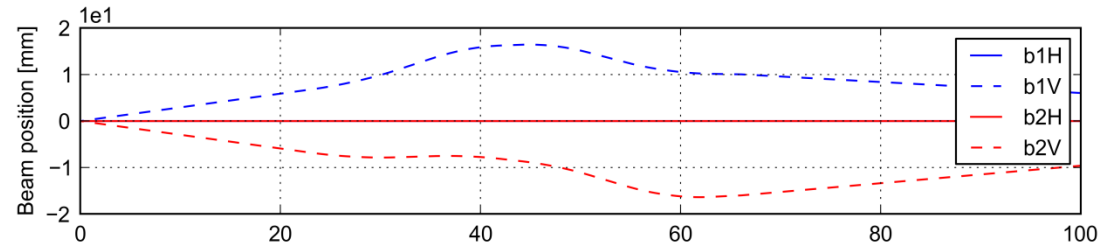
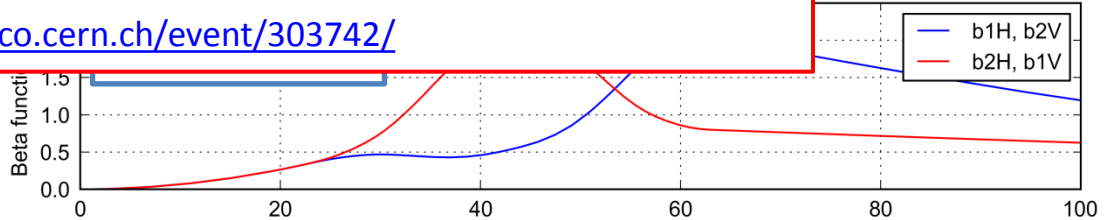


Present



More details on electron cloud studies for the inner triplets can be found in:

- For the present triplets:  
<http://indico.cern.ch/event/270441/>
- For the HL LHC triplets (including IP2 and IP8):  
<https://indico.cern.ch/event/278323/>  
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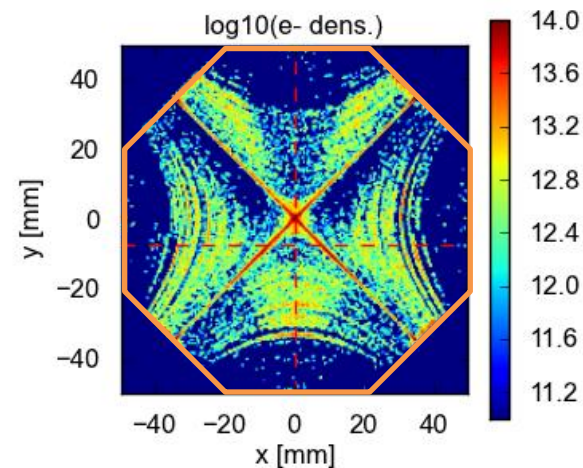
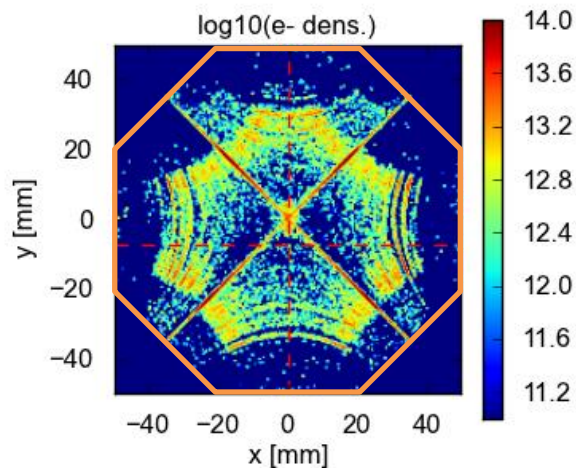
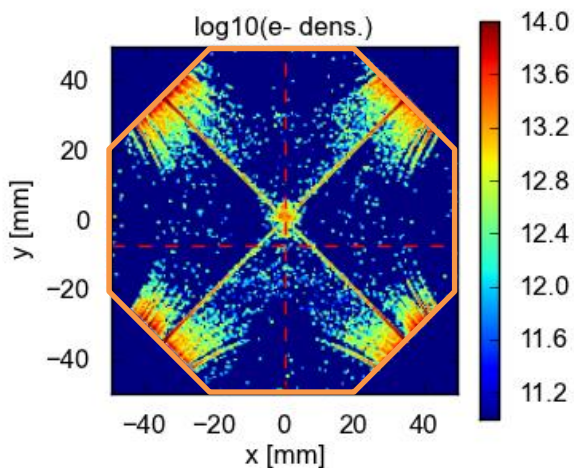




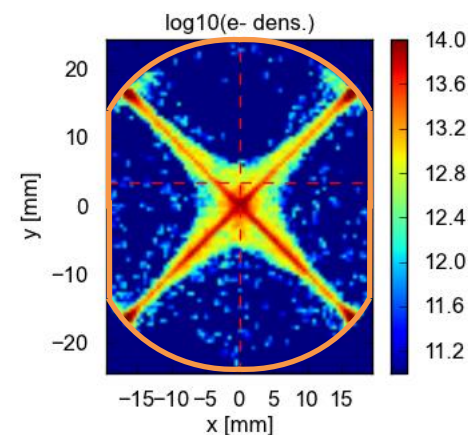
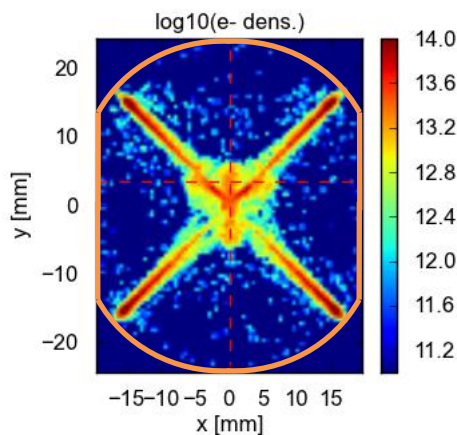
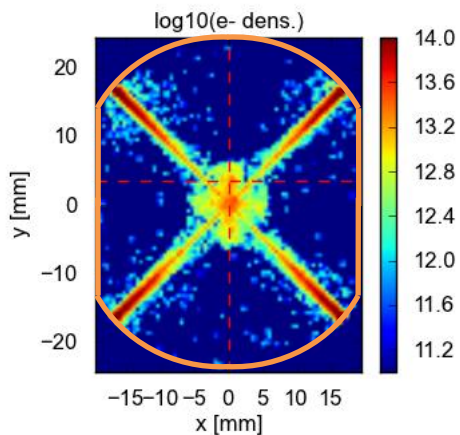
# A look to the EC buildup – HL-LHC triplets

Few snapshots of the **electron distribution** → HL-LHC triplets develop thicker stripes along field lines farther from the center of the chamber

## HL-LHC ( $2.20 \times 10^{11}$ ppb)



## Present ( $1.15 \times 10^{11}$ ppb)

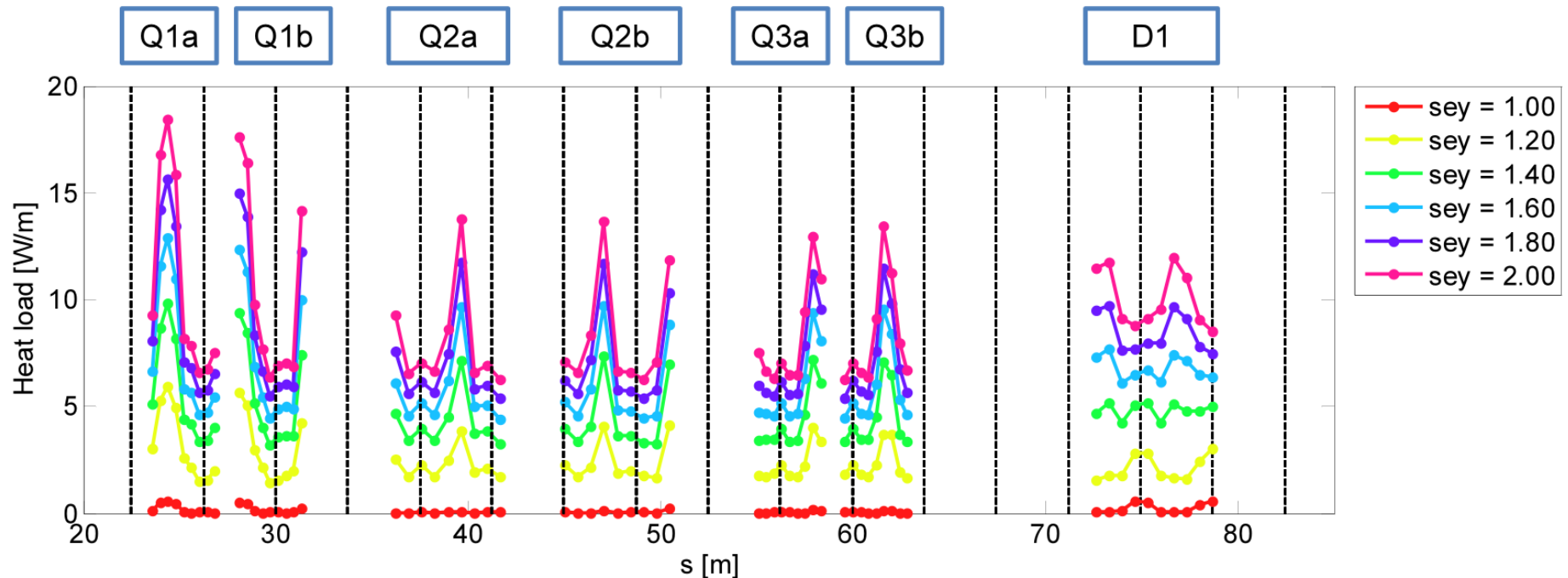




# Distribution of heat load – HL-LHC triplets

Heat load distribution along HL-LHC **triplets + D1**

- **Build up more or less efficient at different locations** mainly due to the different hybrid bunch spacings
- The least efficient build up, i.e. lower heat load, at the locations of the **long-range encounters** (vertical dashed lines)
- Values in **D1 are comparable or higher than values in the quads**

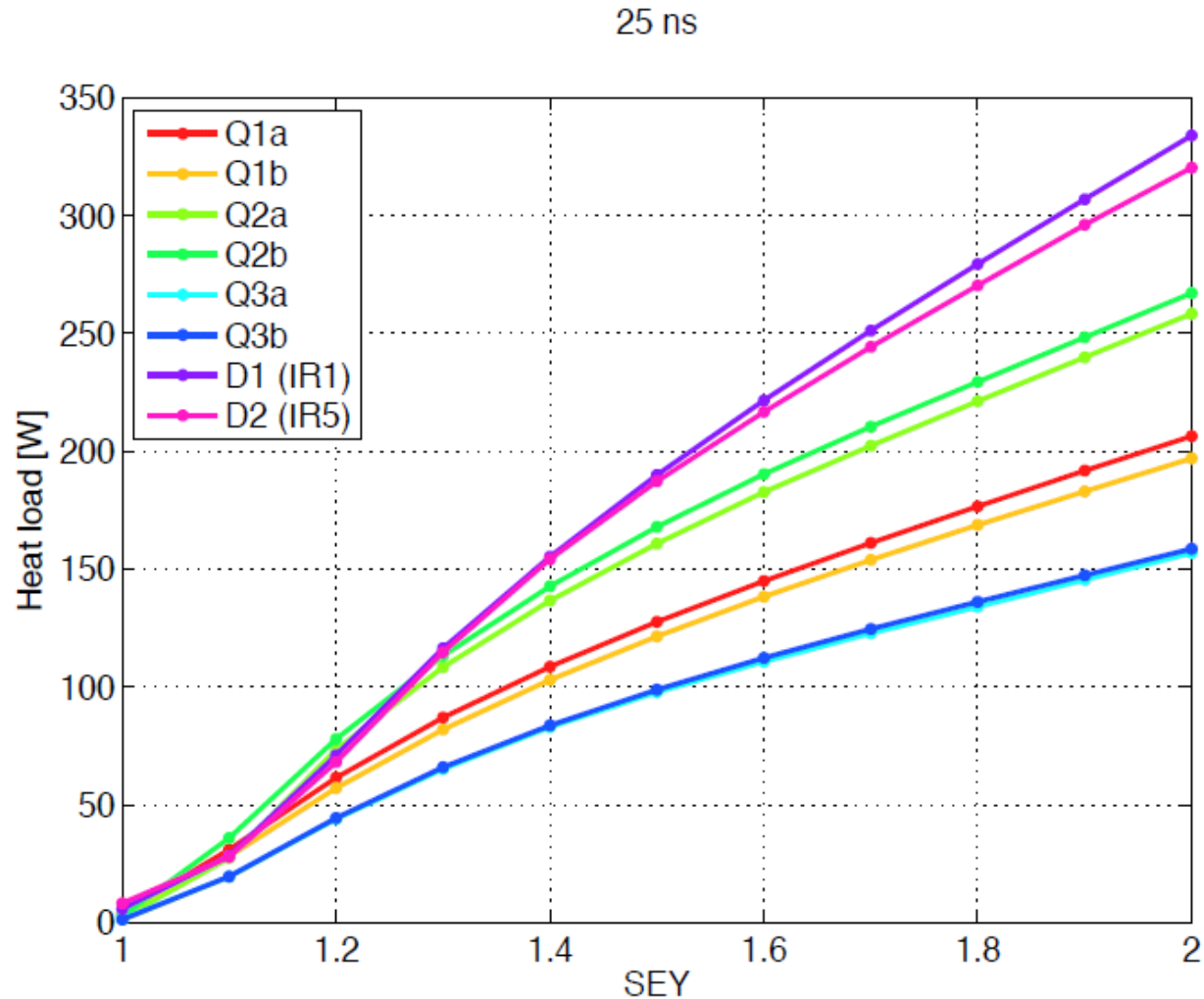




# Total heat load per element – HL-LHC triplets

Total **heat load per element** in HL-LHC triplets + D1

- Similar thresholds for quads and D1
- Values in D1 higher than values in the quads for high SEY values







# Total heat load on the triplet beam screen

Effect of larger bunch population and chamber size. For the **same SEY**:

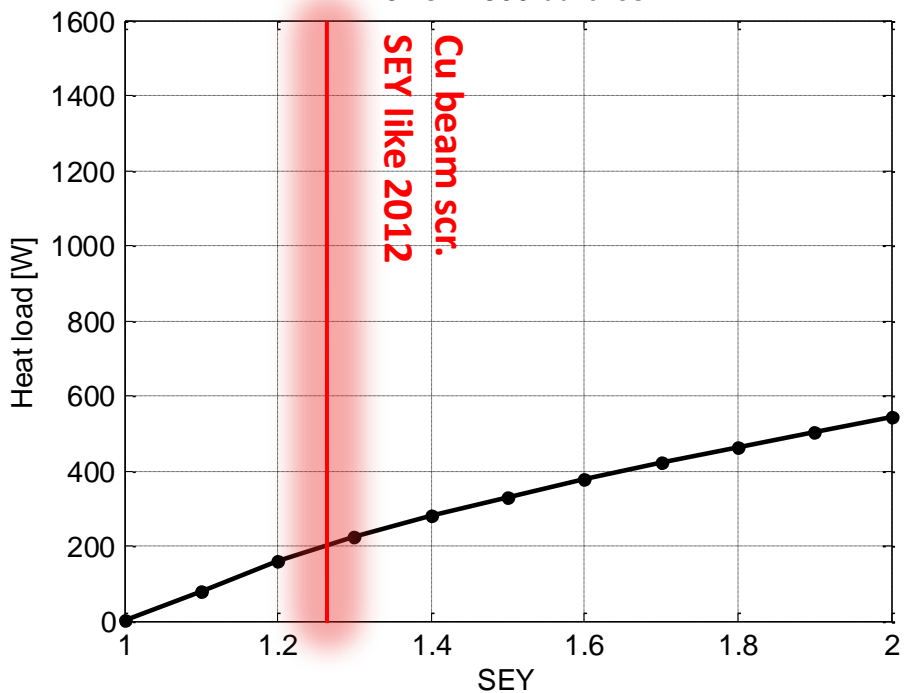
- Similar energy of multipacting electrons
- Larger number of impacting electrons

⇒ Total **heat load about x3 larger**

**e-cloud suppression** can be obtained using **low SEY coatings** and/or **clearing electrodes**

**Present triplets**  
( $1.15 \times 10^{11}$  ppb)

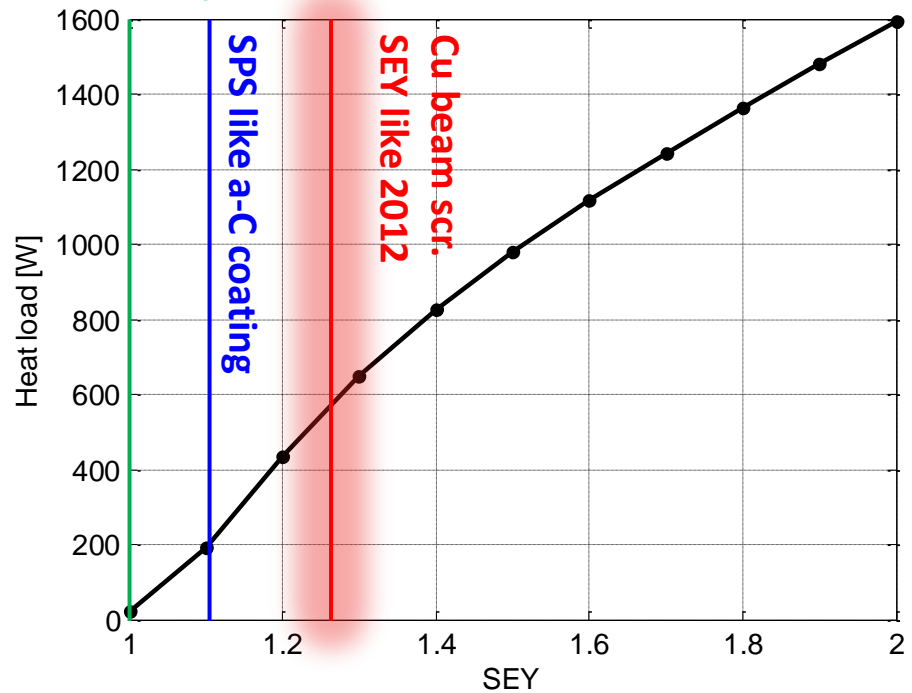
25 ns - 2800 bunches



**Full suppression**  
(SEY≈1 or clearing electrodes)

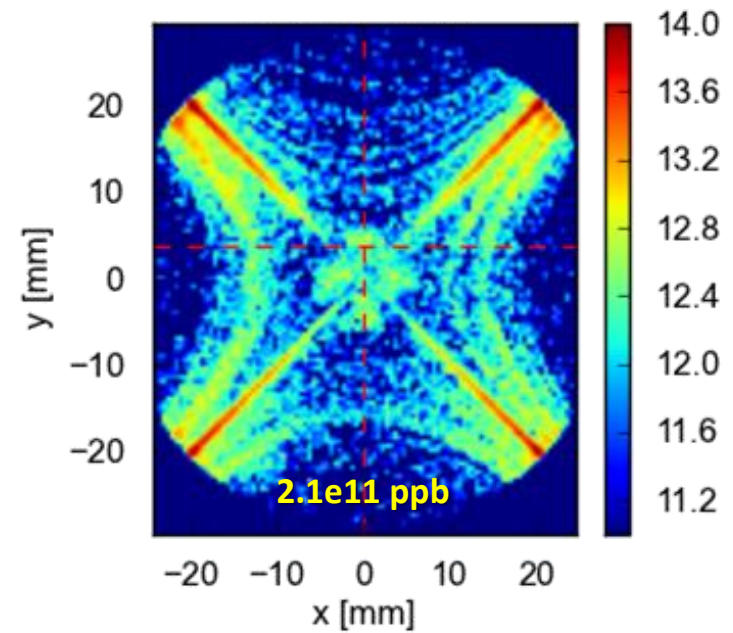
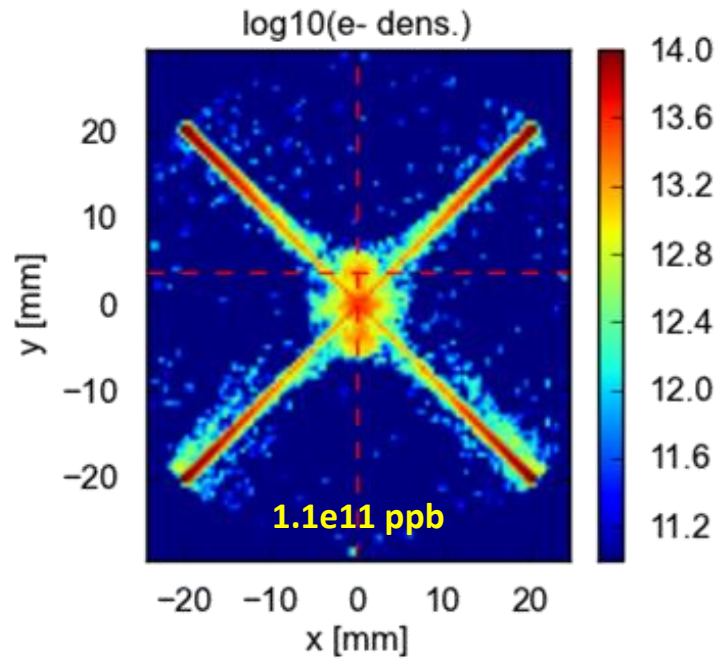
**HiLumi triplets**  
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Electron cloud in present inner triplets, scaling with bunch population for one cut:

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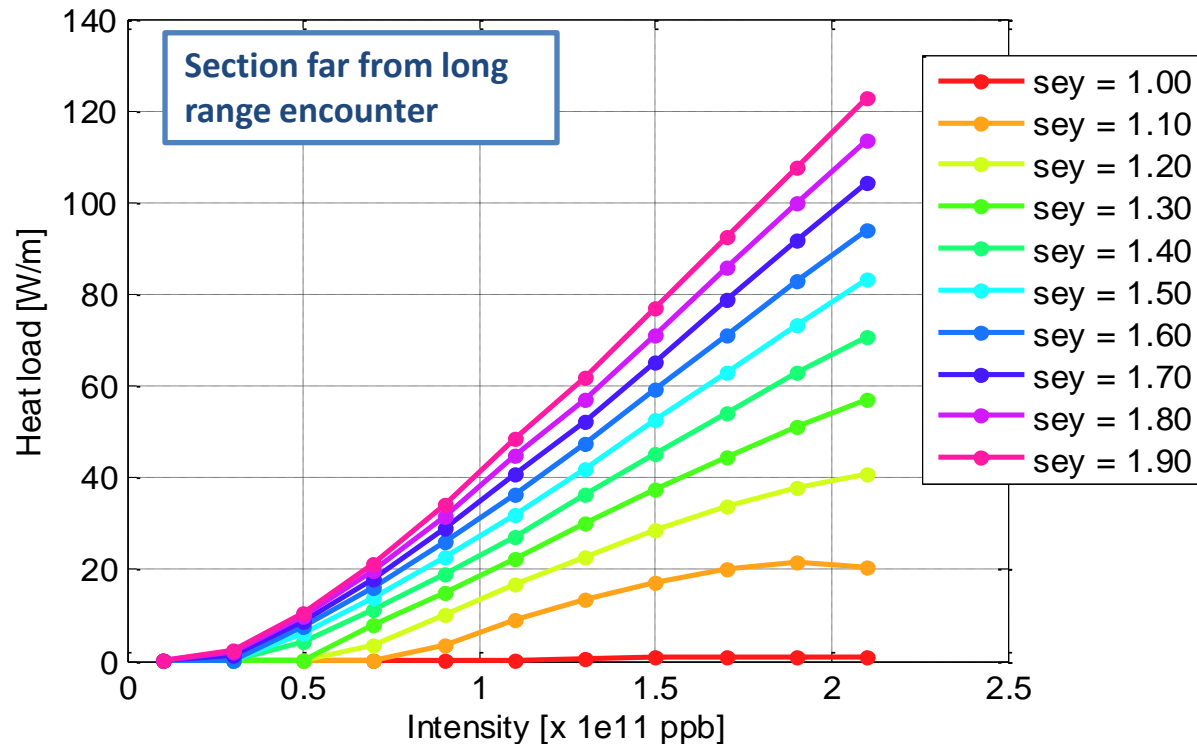


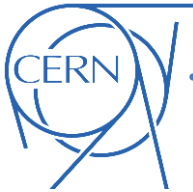
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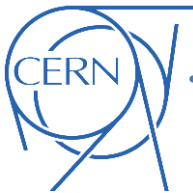
- **Wider multipacting region** for high bunch intensity
- Doubling bunch population leads to about **x3 larger heat load**
- e-cloud **suppression strategies needed** also for these magnets

**Detailed study for precise heat load estimation** still needs to be performed





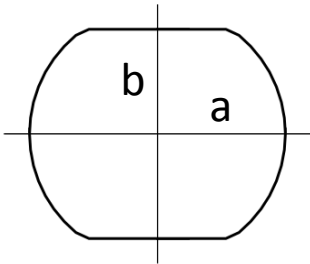
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# Matching section IP5 - Present LHC

IR5\_present\_7000GeV

Q4 Q5 Q6 Q7  
BS2 BS1 BS1 BS Arc



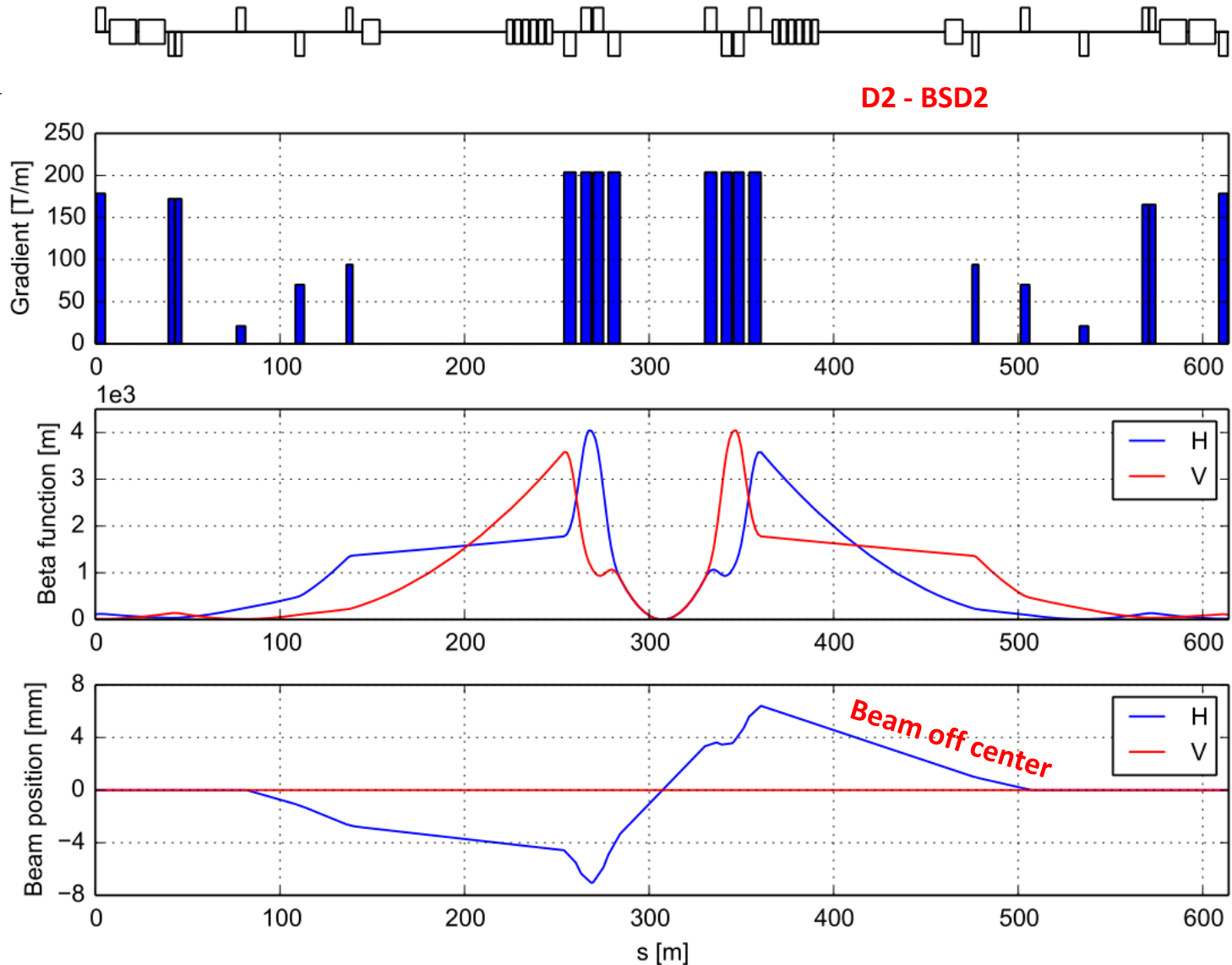
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Beam screens  
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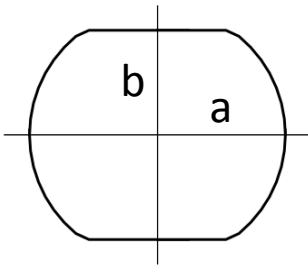




# Matching section IP5 – HL-LHC

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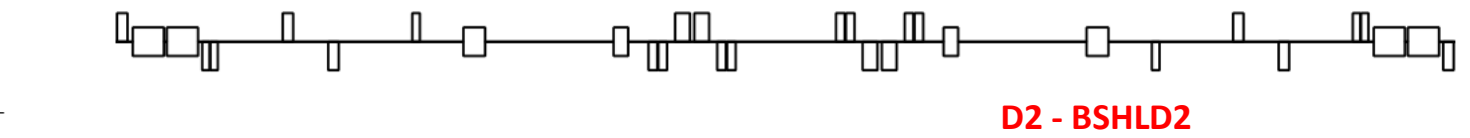
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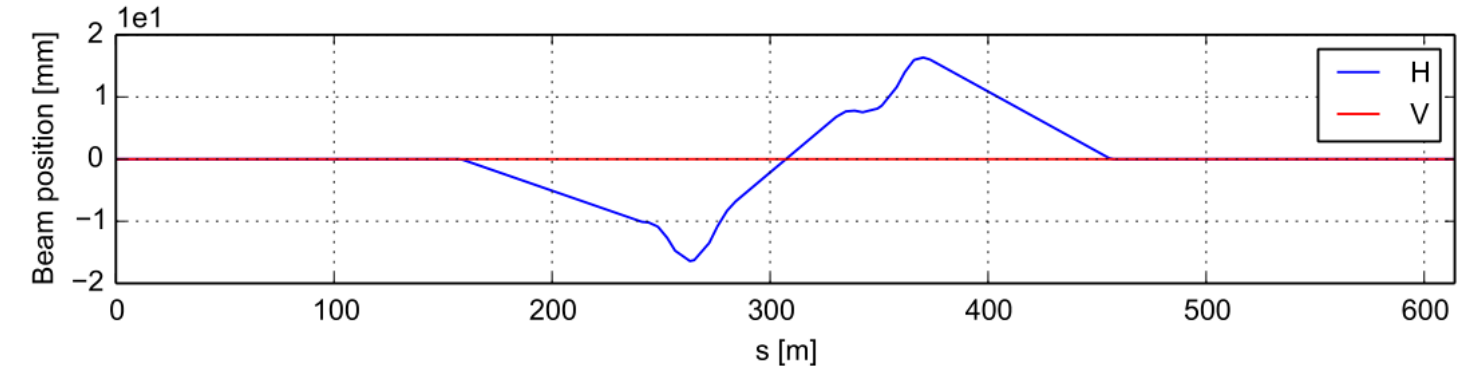
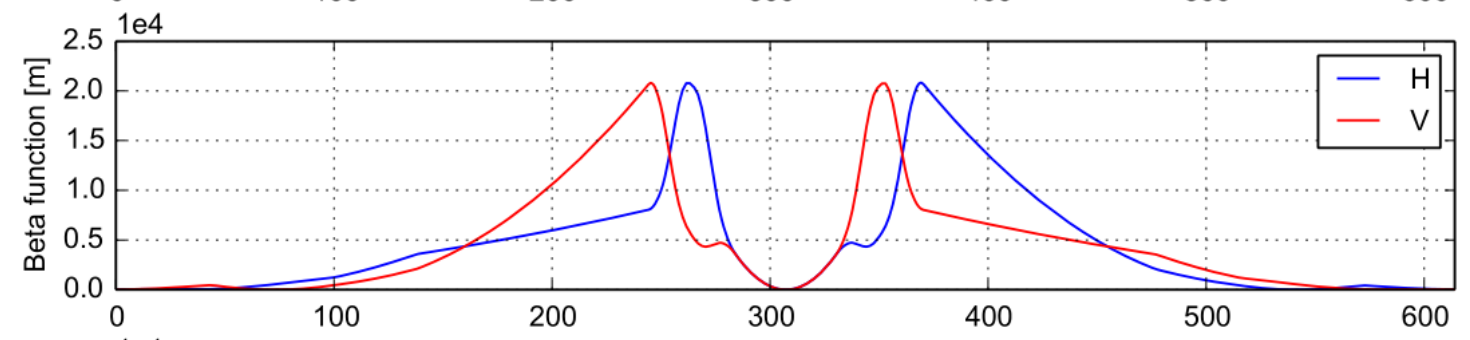
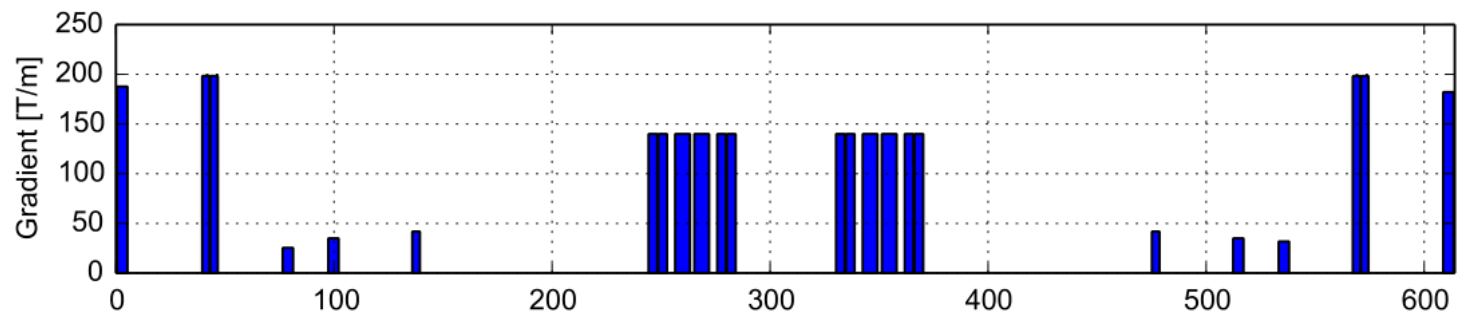
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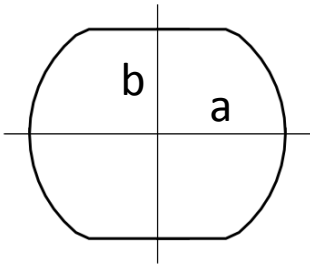


D2 - BSHLD2





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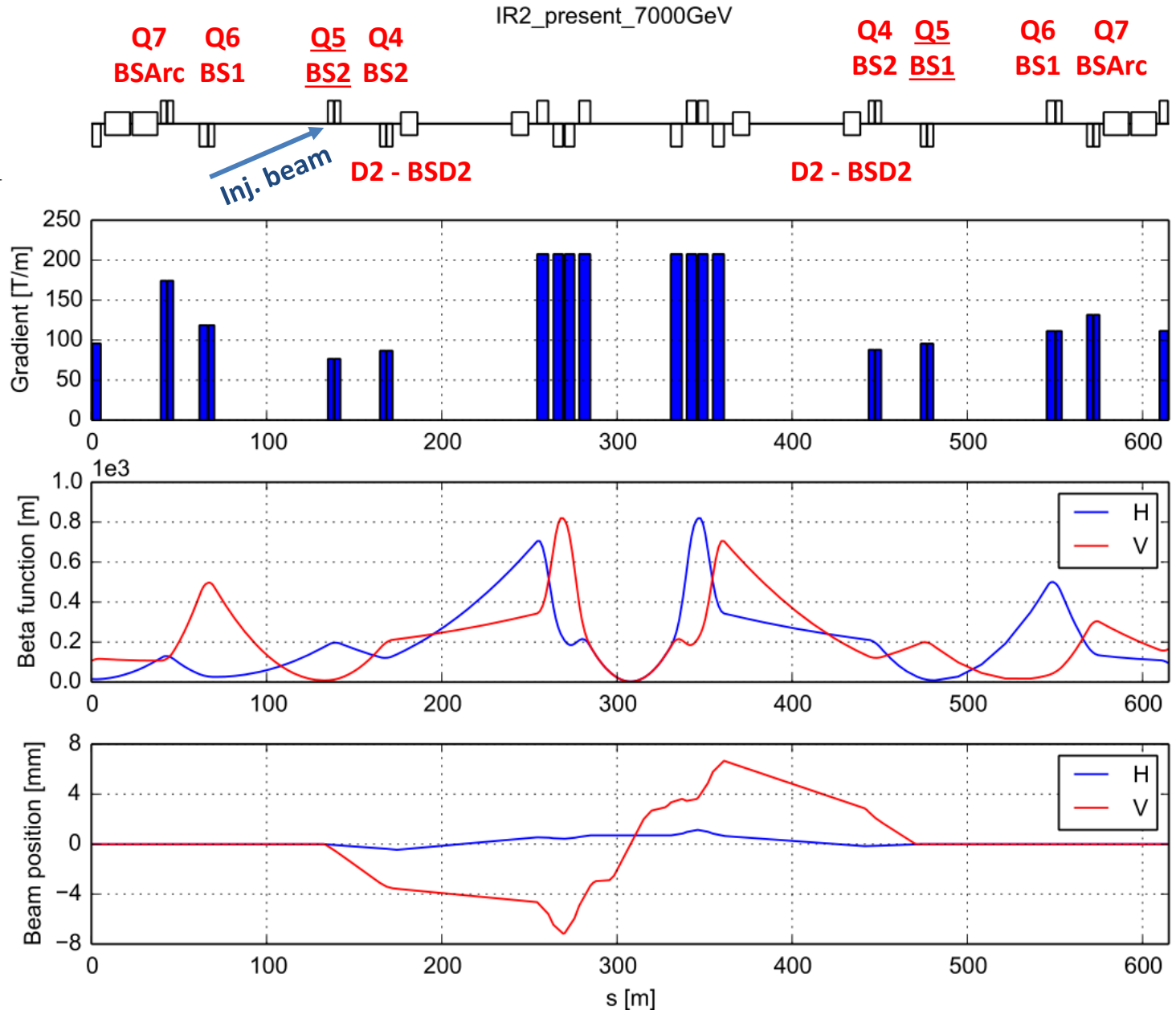
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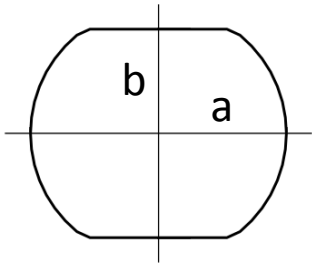
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**Many, many, many configurations** in terms of **B field/gradient**, **beam size** and **beam position** considering energy ramp, squeeze, separation,  $\beta^*$ -leveling etc...

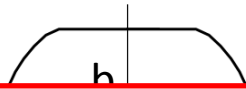


Need for parametric scans to assess which of these dependencies strongly impact the EC buildup





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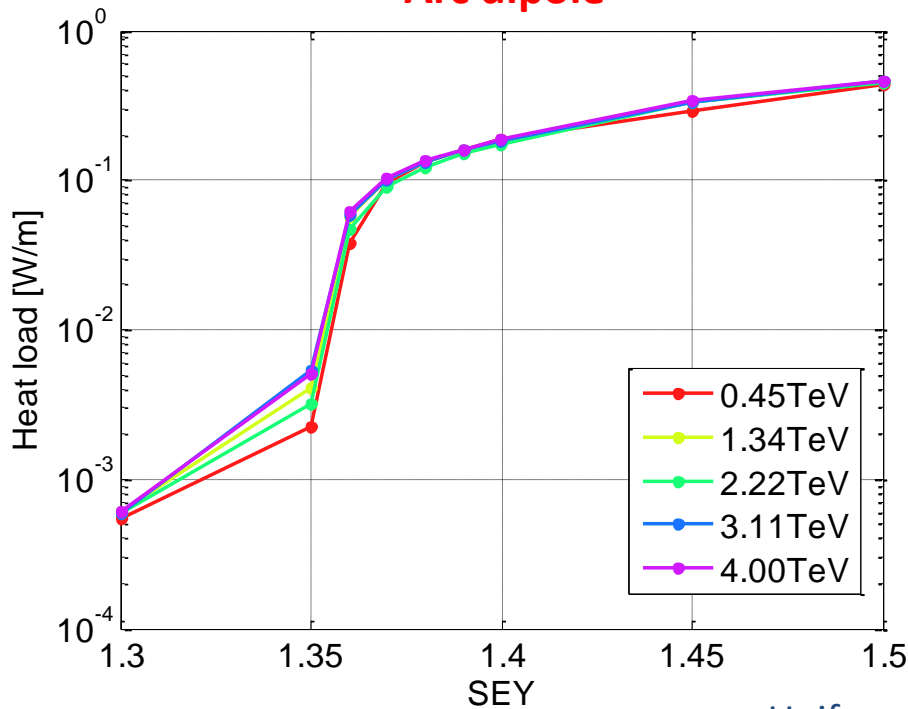
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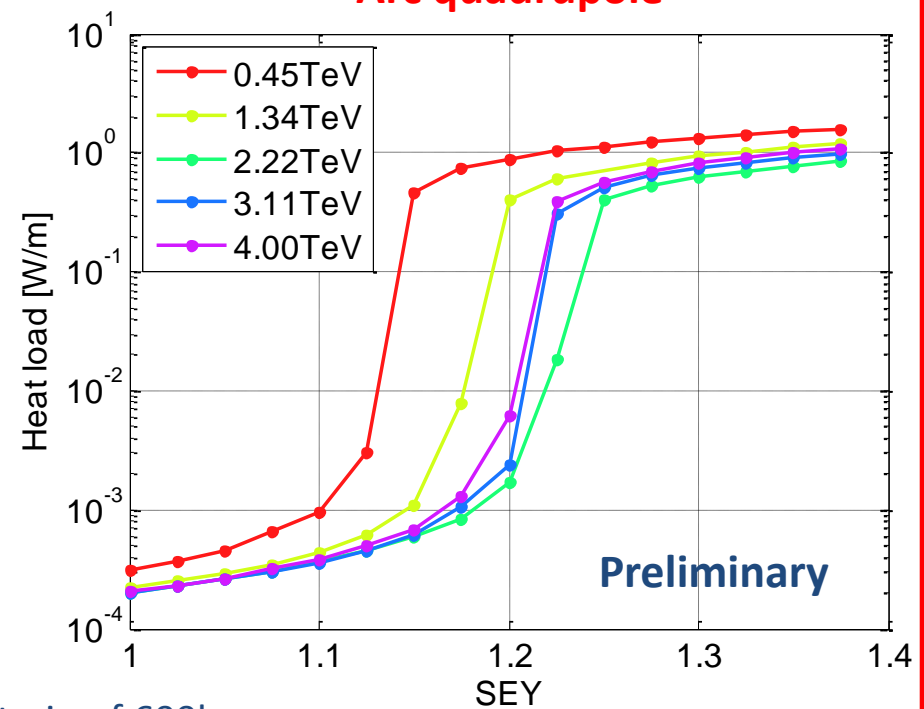
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Some preliminary indication: effect of **beam size and B field** variation during the energy ramp (nominal intensity)

### Arc dipole



### Arc quadrupole



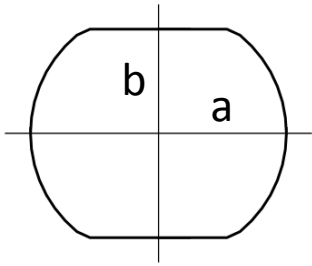
Preliminary

Uniform train of 600b.

Thanks to L. Mether



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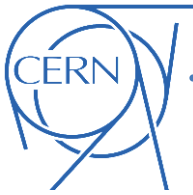
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## Next steps:

Effects of beam size  
Effect of B gradient } Arc quadrupole (practically also matching quad with BS1)

Effect of beam position } Q4 IP2 (where the effect is stronger)



**Thanks for your attention!**