

# Advanced algorithms for the LHC optics

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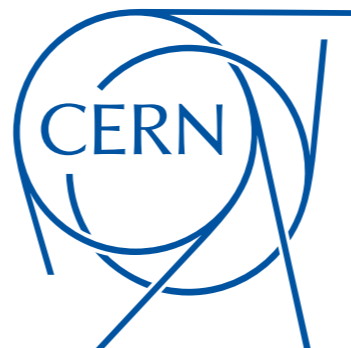
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# Outline

- Description of optics measurement method ( $\beta$ -function from BPM turn by turn data)
- Improvements
  - Random/statistical errors
  - Systematic errors
  - ➔ Better estimate of  $\beta$ -function
- Application on 2012 measurement data
- Improvements for betatron coupling control

# Motivation

- Tight tolerances for  $\beta$ -beat due to
  - Available mechanical aperture

„For the LHC the total tolerance for the  $\beta$ -beat has been specified as 14 %.“

–LHC Report 501

- In 2012 a  $\beta$ -beat of up to 100% was observed before local corrections

# Motivation

- Run II at 6.5 TeV  $\rightarrow$  allows for smaller beta\*
  - ➔ Enhances optics errors of triplet magnets
  - More quadrupole magnets in saturation regime
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- Higher damage potential at 6.5 TeV
  - ➔ Limits maximum excitation amplitude and total beam charge
  - ➔ Reduced signal to noise ratio for optics measurement

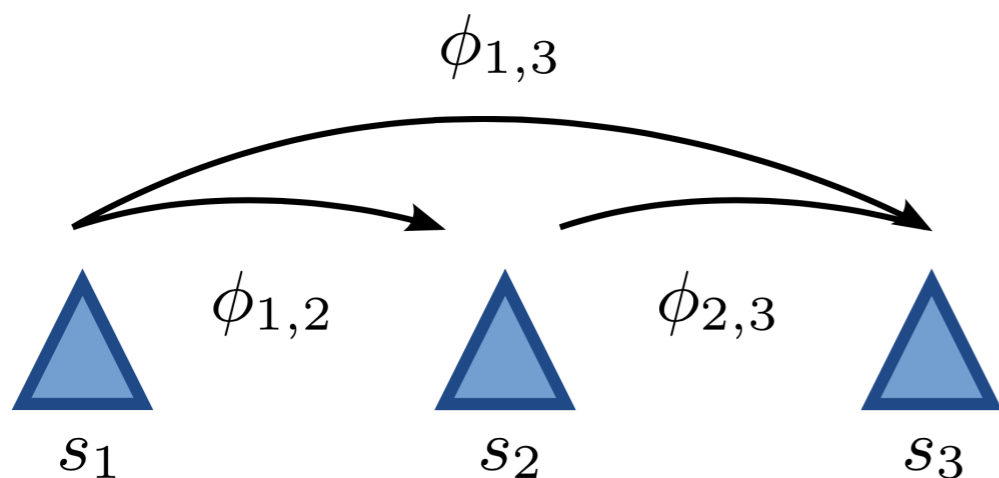
# Optics measurement

- Measurement of BPM turn-by-turn data  $x_i$

- Harmonic analysis  $C(w) = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x_i \cos(w i)$ ,  $S(w) = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x_i \sin(w i)$

$$\phi(w) = -\arctan\left(\frac{S(w)}{C(w)}\right)$$

- ➔ Phase advance of betatron oscillation between BPM



$$\beta_i = \frac{\epsilon_{ijk} \cot(\phi_{i,j}) + \epsilon_{ikj} \cot(\phi_{i,k})}{\epsilon_{ijk} \frac{M_{11}(i,j)}{M_{12}(i,j)} + \epsilon_{ikj} \frac{M_{11}(i,k)}{M_{12}(i,k)}}$$

# Optics measurement

- Optimum phase advances

$$\phi_{i,j} = \frac{\pi}{4} + n_1 \frac{\pi}{2},$$

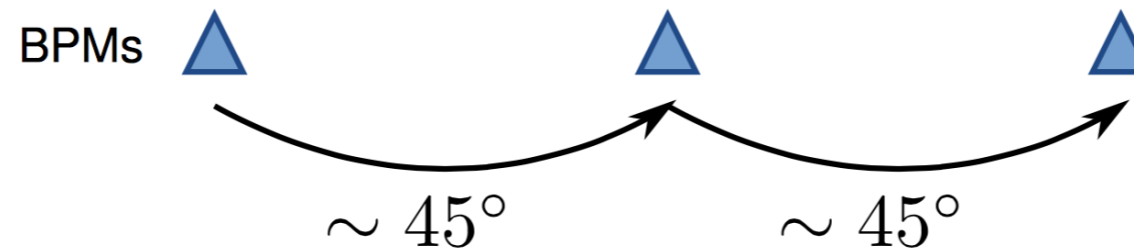
$$\phi_{i,k} = \frac{\pi}{4} + (2n_2 + 1 - n_1) \frac{\pi}{2},$$

$$n_1, n_2 \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

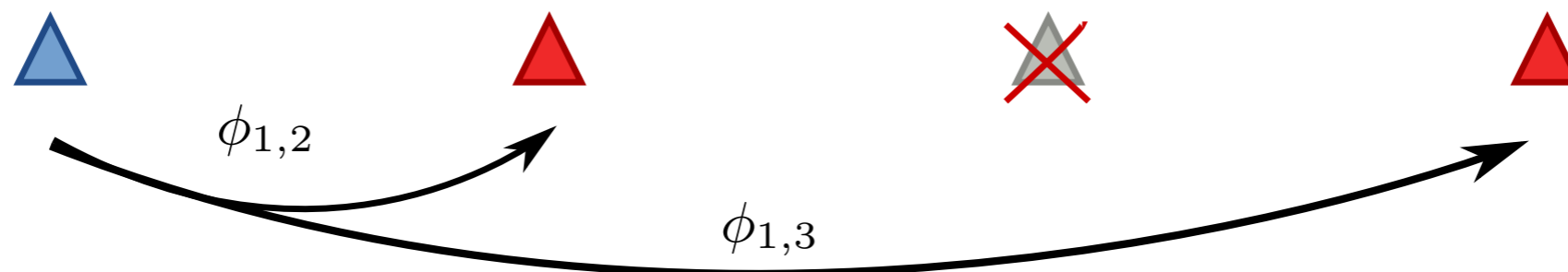
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- Multiples of  $\pi$  should be avoided as the cotangent becomes infinite

# Situation in the arcs



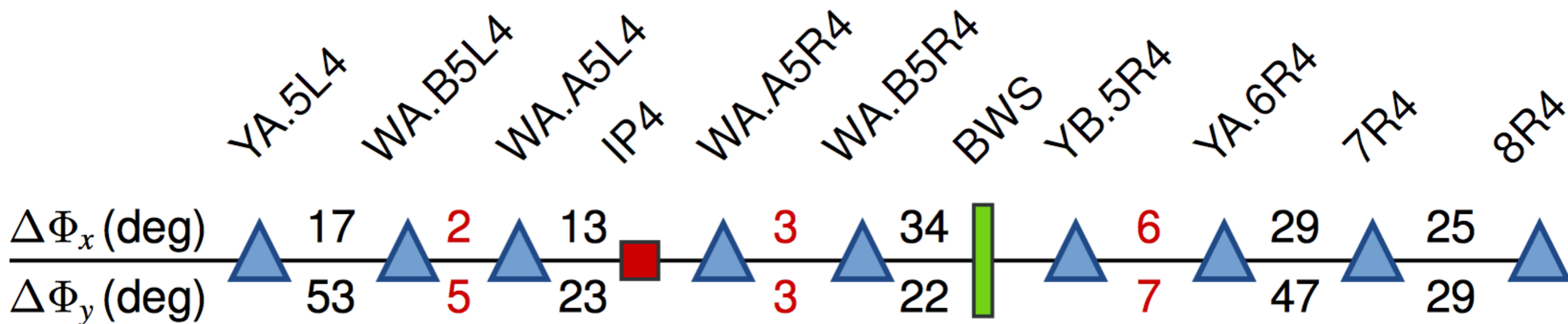
- Phase advances between consecutive BPMs not always suited for measurement
- Previous implementation used only **neighboring BPMs**
- Optimum if probed BPM in the middle
- If probed BPM right/left of other BPMs the optimum is to skip one BPM



# Situation in the interaction regions (IRs)

- Phase advances are irregular and can be very small
- Using neighboring BPM will result in large uncertainties

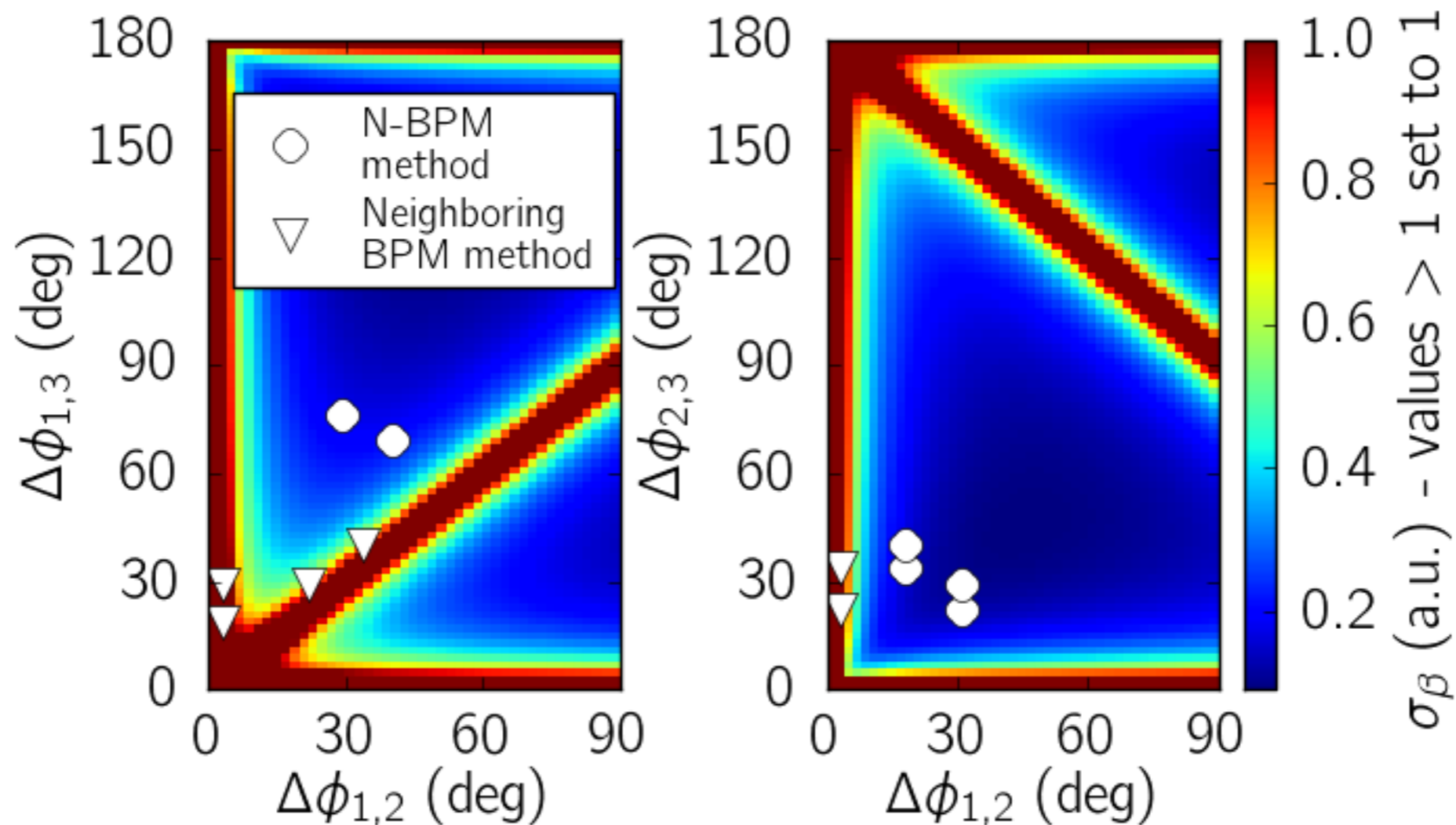
*Sketch of phase advances in IR4*





# Improvements

- Increase the range from which BPM combinations are chosen
- Choose BPM combinations with good phase advances



# N-BPM method

- Consider more  $\beta_i$  from different BPM combinations
- Minimize  $S(\beta)$  (least squares)

$$S(\beta) = \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^N (\beta_i - \beta) V_{ij}^{-1} (\beta_j - \beta) \quad V_{ij}, \text{ covariance matrix}$$

$$\text{Min}(S(\beta)) = S(\hat{\beta})$$

$$\hat{\beta} = \sum_{i=1}^N w_i \beta_i \quad w_i = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^N V_{ik}^{-1}}{\sum_{k=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^N V_{jk}^{-1}}.$$

Problem: Good knowledge of  $V_{ij}$

# Statistical error

- Uncertainty of the phase advance derived as standard deviation of  $n$  measurement files

$$\sigma_{\phi_{i,j}} = t(n) \sqrt{\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{k=1}^n (\overline{\phi_{i,j}} - \phi_{i,j,(k)})^2}$$

- $t(n)$  is a correction for small sample sizes from Student t-distribution
- Amount of measurements is always limited due to beam time

Number of measurements	$t(n)$
2	1.84
3	1.32
4	1.20
5	1.15
10	1.06

# Statistical error

- All phase advances that share one BPM are correlated

$$\rho(\phi_{i,j}, \phi_{i,k}) = \frac{\partial \phi_{i,j}}{\partial \phi_i} \frac{\partial \phi_{i,k}}{\partial \phi_i} \frac{\sigma_{\phi_i}^2}{\sigma_{\phi_{i,j}} \sigma_{\phi_{i,k}}}.$$

- Uncertainty of phase advance from standard deviation of all measurement files
- Not possible for single phase uncertainty since the value is arbitrary and may vary from measurement to measurement

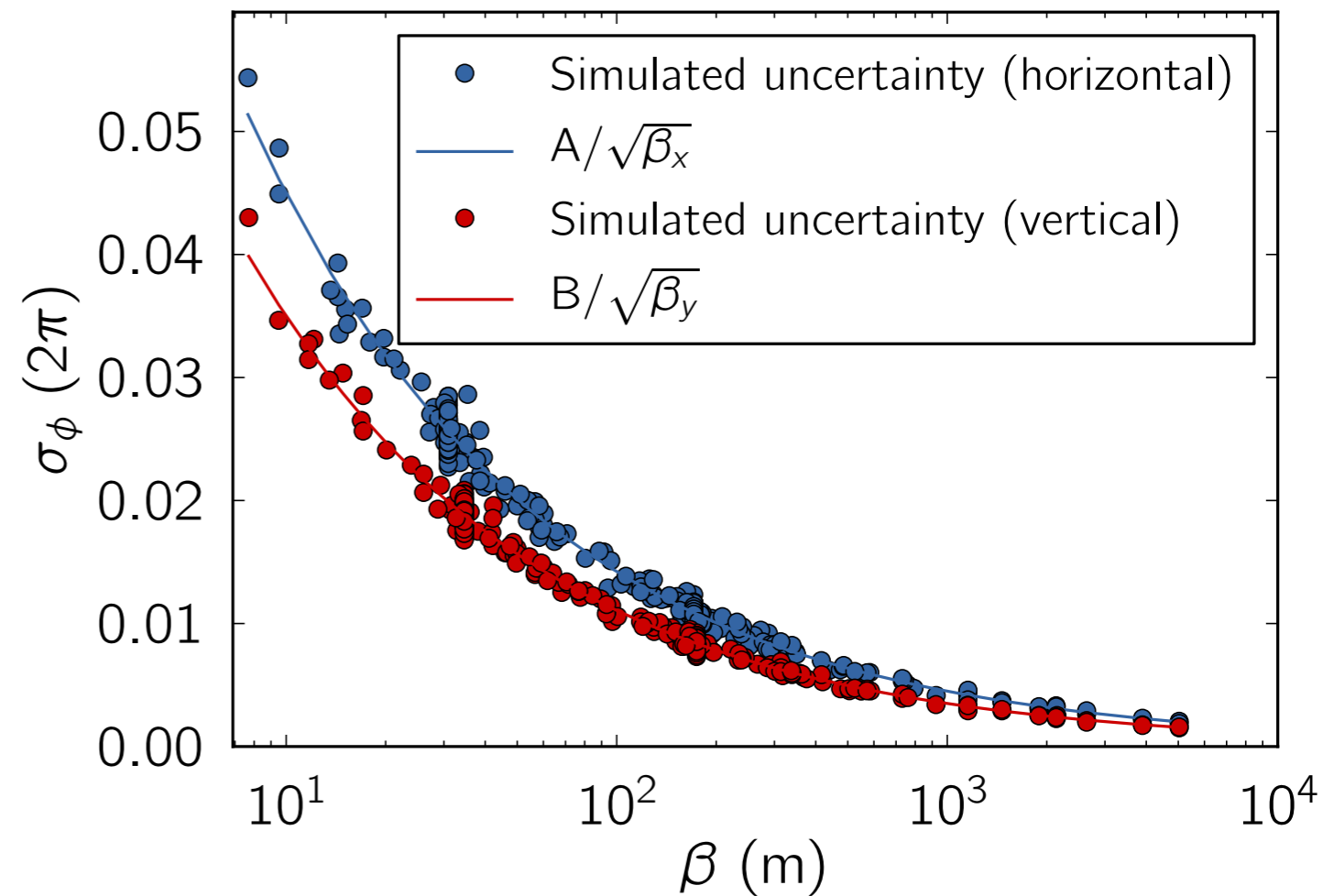
# Statistical error

- Ansatz for single phase uncertainty

$$\sigma_\phi \sim \beta^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

- Therefore

$$\sigma_{\phi_{i,j}}^2 = \sigma_{\phi_i}^2 \left( 1 + \frac{\beta_i}{\beta_j} \right)$$



# Statistical error

- For a probed BPM with  $\phi_1$  the covariance matrix is

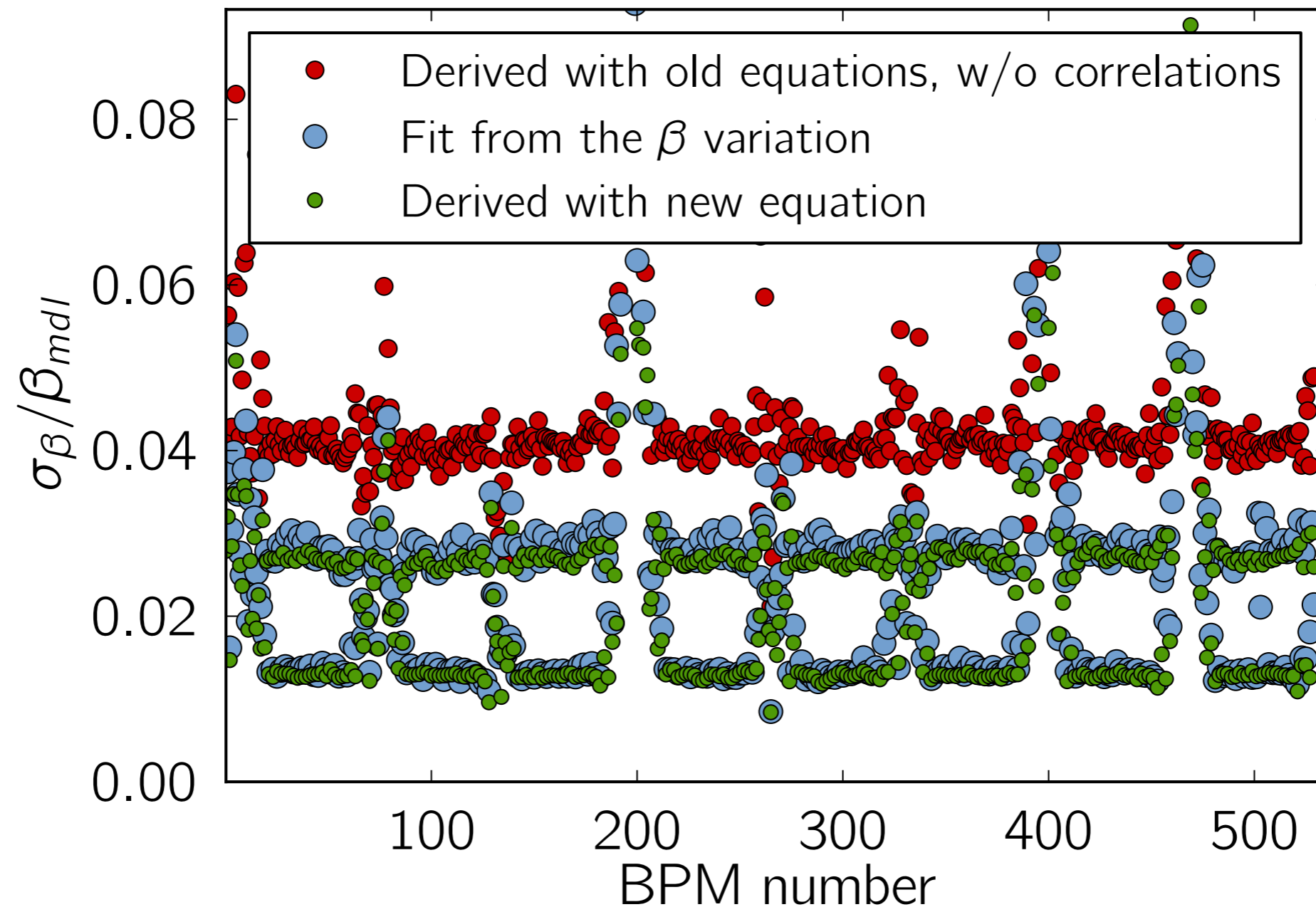
$$C_{i-1,j-1} = \rho(\phi_{1,i}, \phi_{1,j}) \sigma_{\phi_{1,i}} \sigma_{\phi_{1,j}},$$
$$i \geq 2, j \geq 2$$

- This can be transformed to a covariance matrix for the different  $\beta$ -functions

$$T = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial \beta_1}{\partial \phi_{1,2}} & \cdots & \frac{\partial \beta_N}{\partial \phi_{1,2}} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{\partial \beta_1}{\partial \phi_{1,n}} & \cdots & \frac{\partial \beta_N}{\partial \phi_{1,n}} \end{pmatrix} \quad V_{stat} = T^T C T$$

# Statistical error

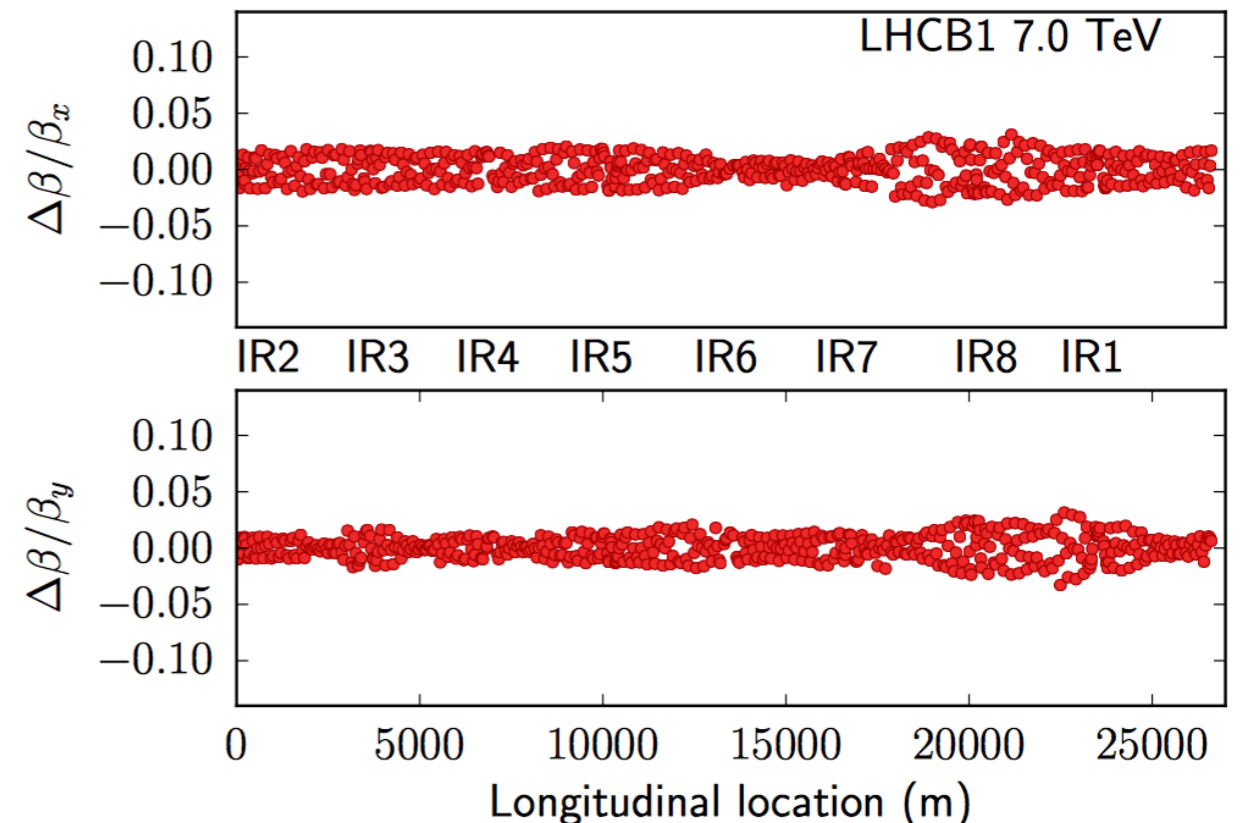
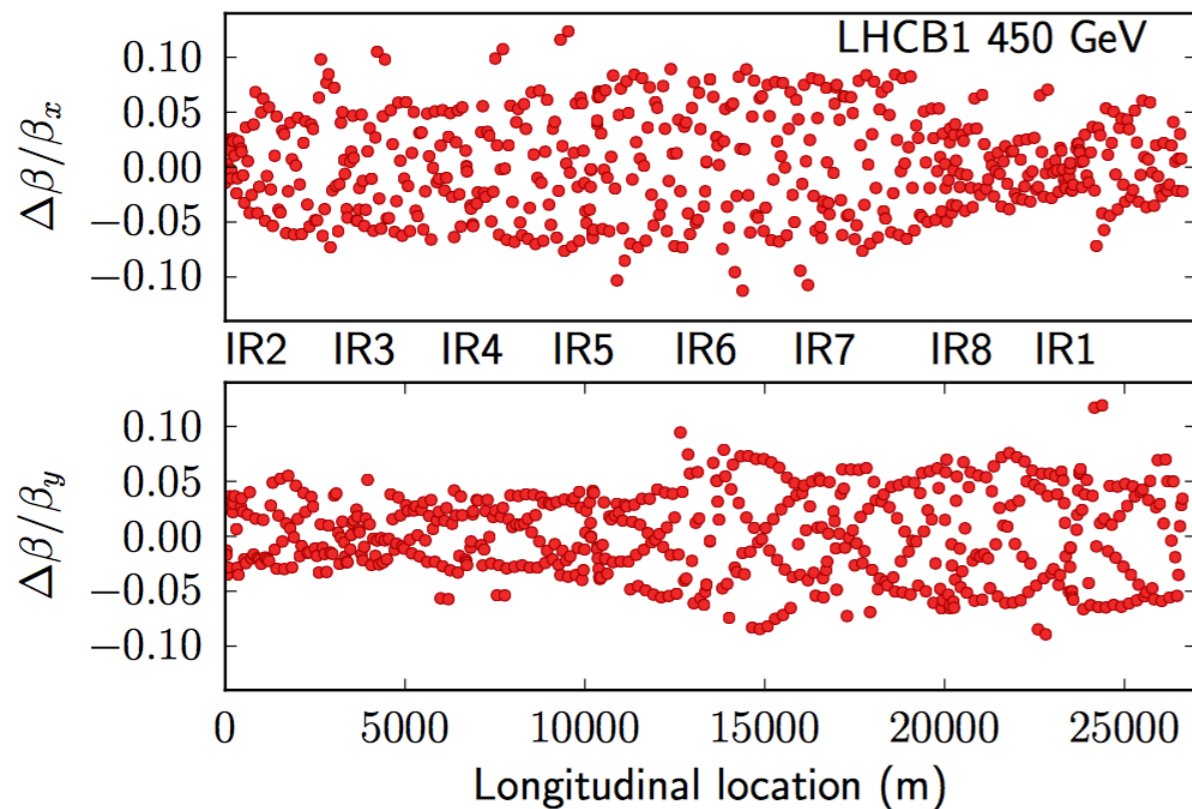
- Test of error bars in a simulation show good agreement



# Systematic errors

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- Improve the accuracy of the optics model
- ➔ Include measured dipole b2 errors





# Systematic errors

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- We consider the following perturbations of the optics model
  - Uncertainty of dipole b2 errors
  - Quadrupole gradient uncertainty
  - Longitudinal displacement of quadrupoles
  - Transverse displacement of sextupoles



# Systematic errors

- Final covariance matrix  $V_{ij} = V_{ij,stat} + V_{ij,syst}$

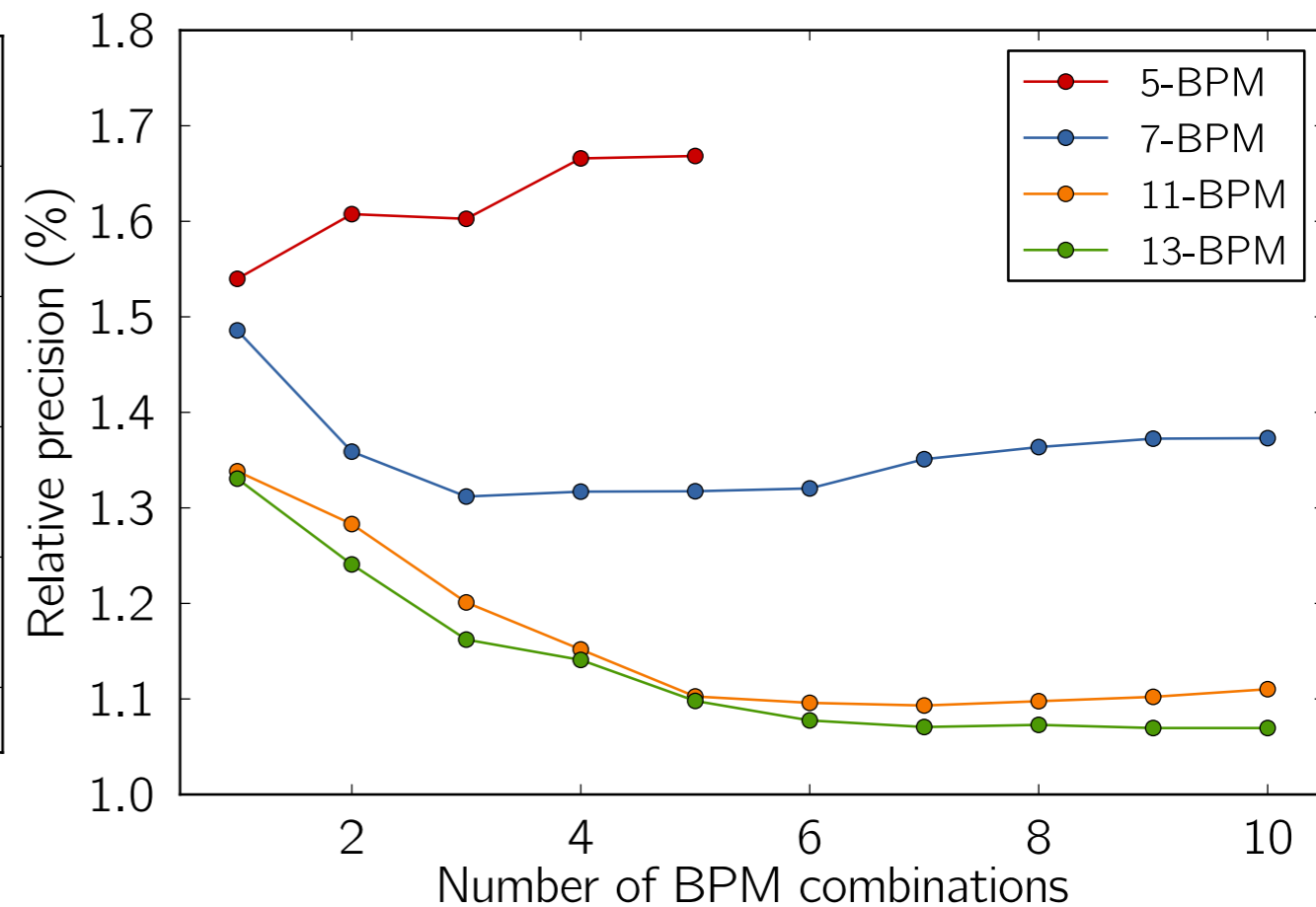
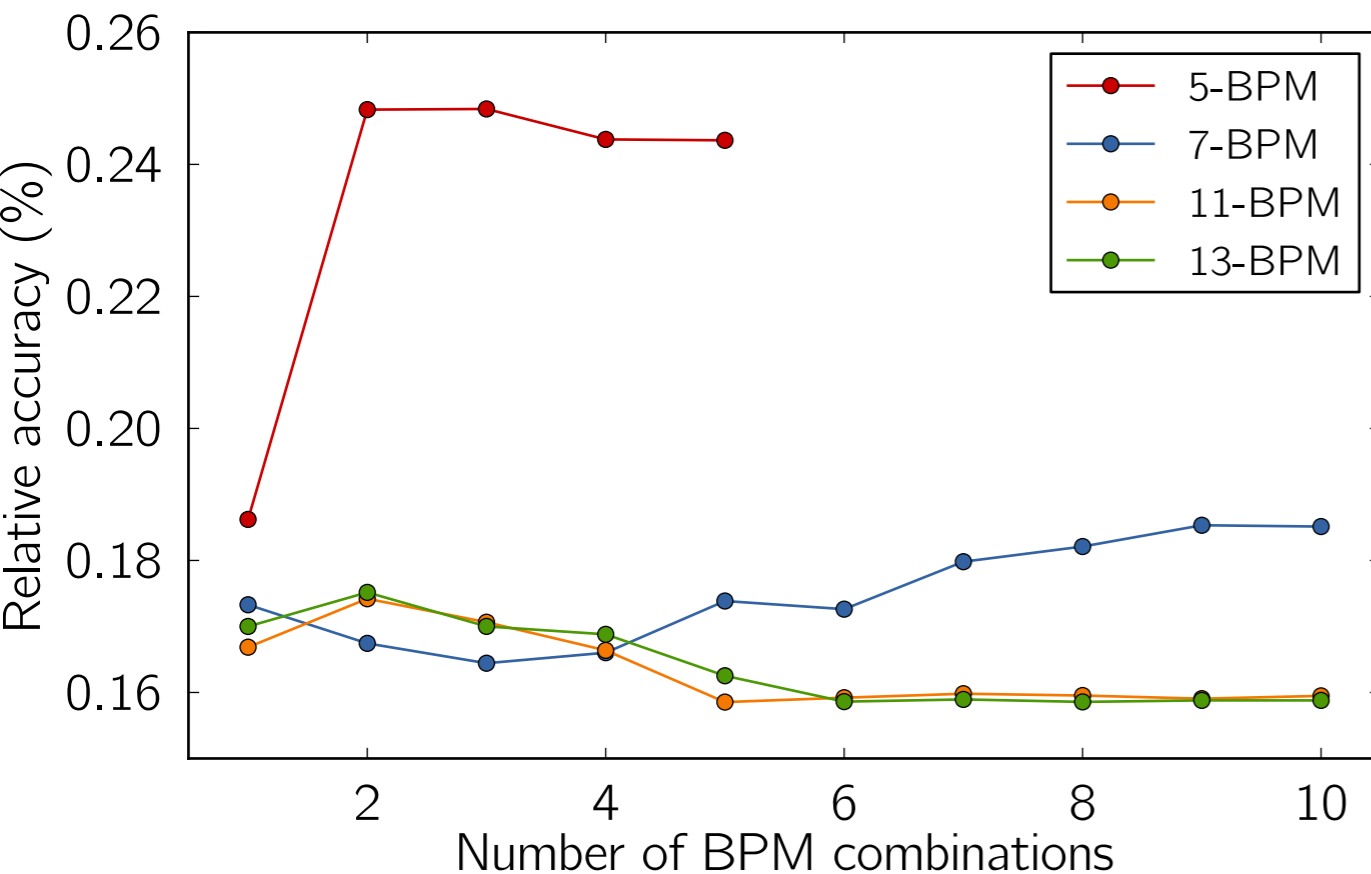
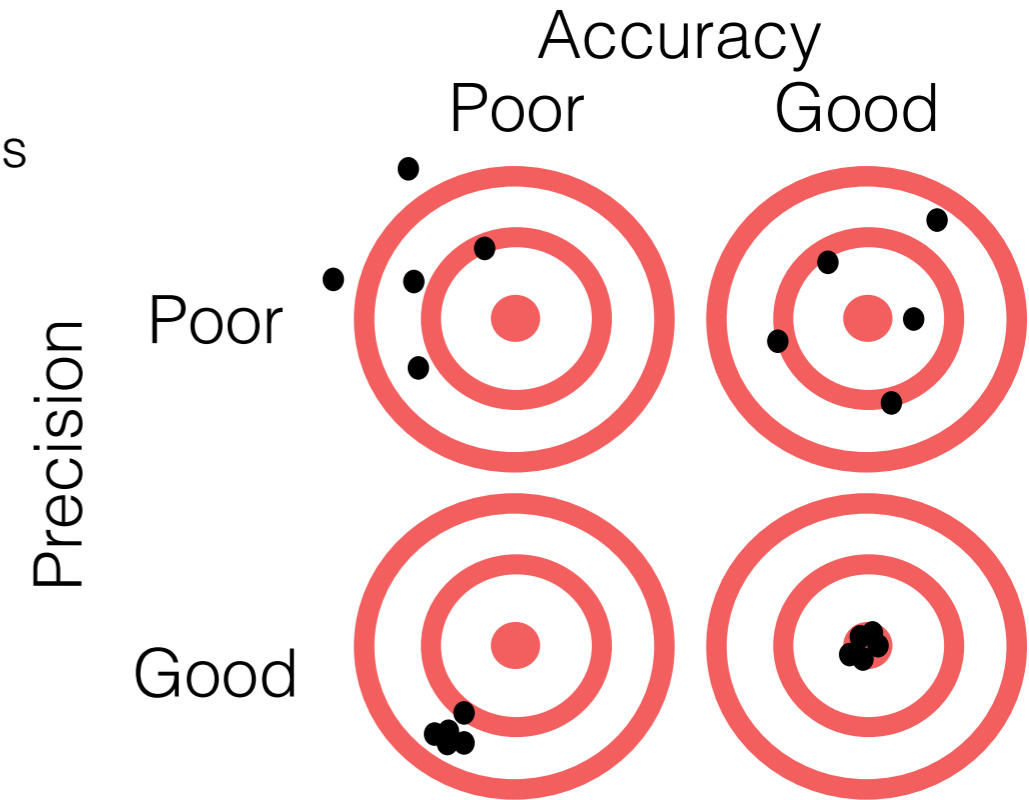
$$S(\beta) = \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^N (\beta_i - \beta) V_{ij}^{-1} (\beta_j - \beta)$$

$$\beta = \sum_{i=1}^N w_i \beta_i \quad w_i = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^N V_{ik}^{-1}}{\sum_{k=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^N V_{jk}^{-1}}$$

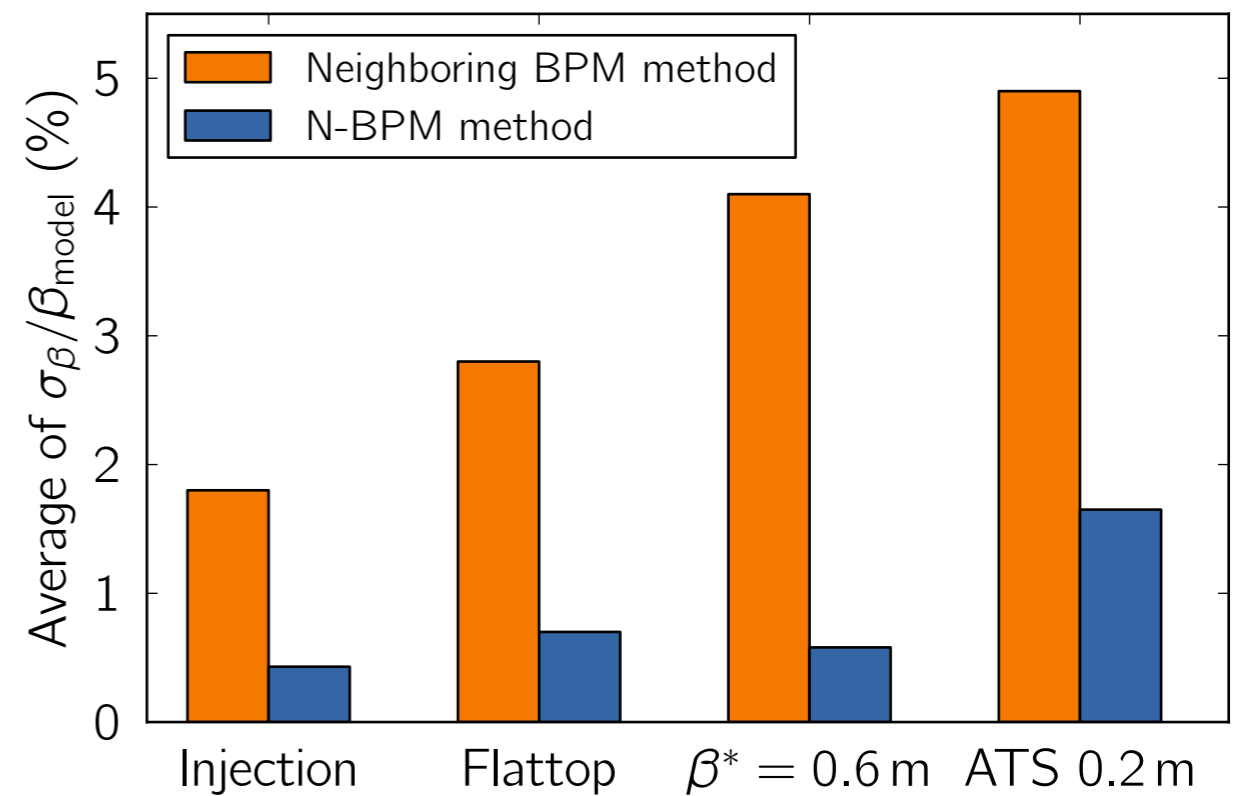
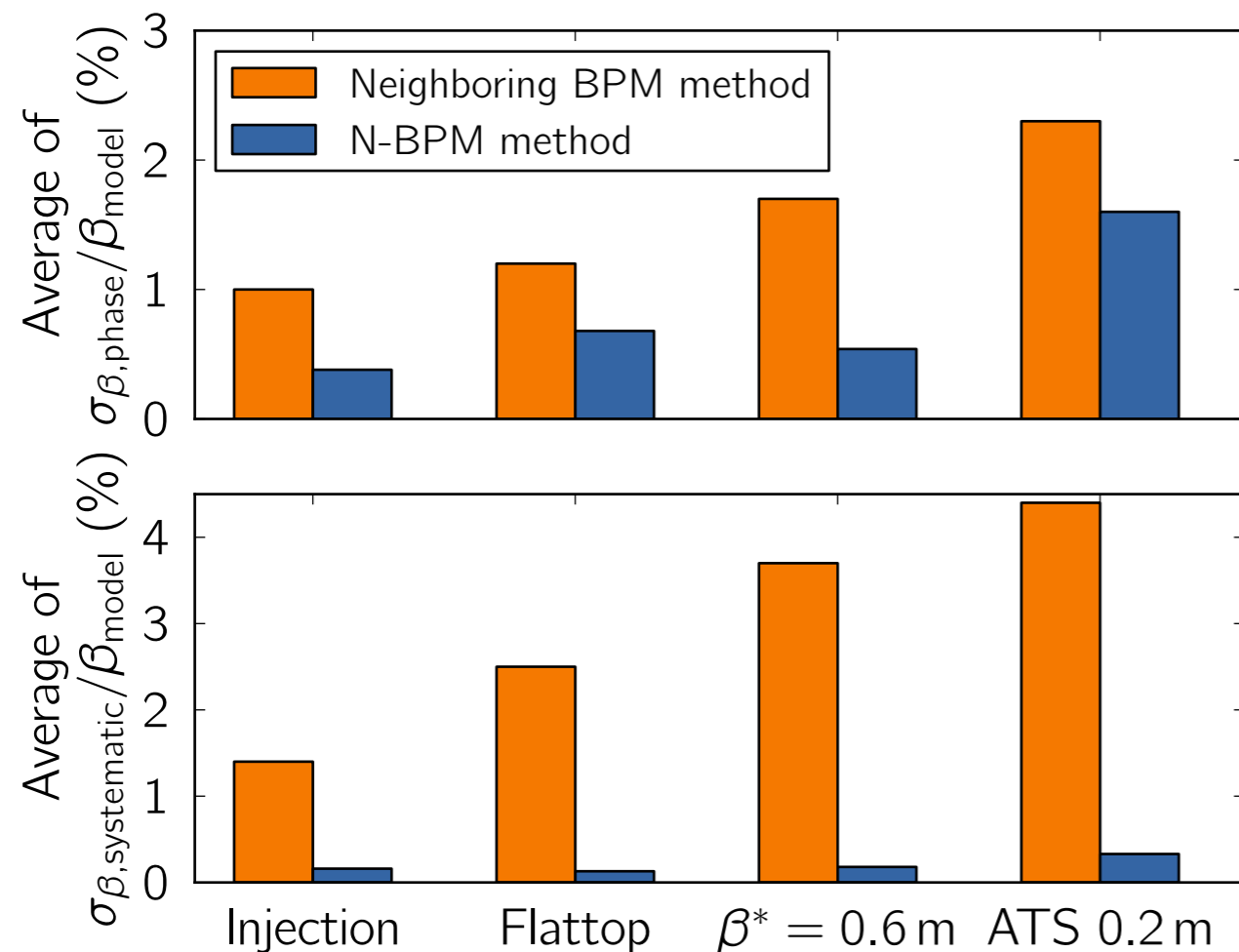
- Computation of systematic covariance matrix time consuming for large ranges of BPMs
- How many BPM combinations should be regarded?

# Uncertainty from simulated measurement

- Simulation of optics measurement under realistic conditions
- Scan of using different amount of BPM combinations which are chosen from different range of BPMs
- Accuracy: average relative shift from true value
- Precision: average relative spread



# 2012 measurement re-analysis

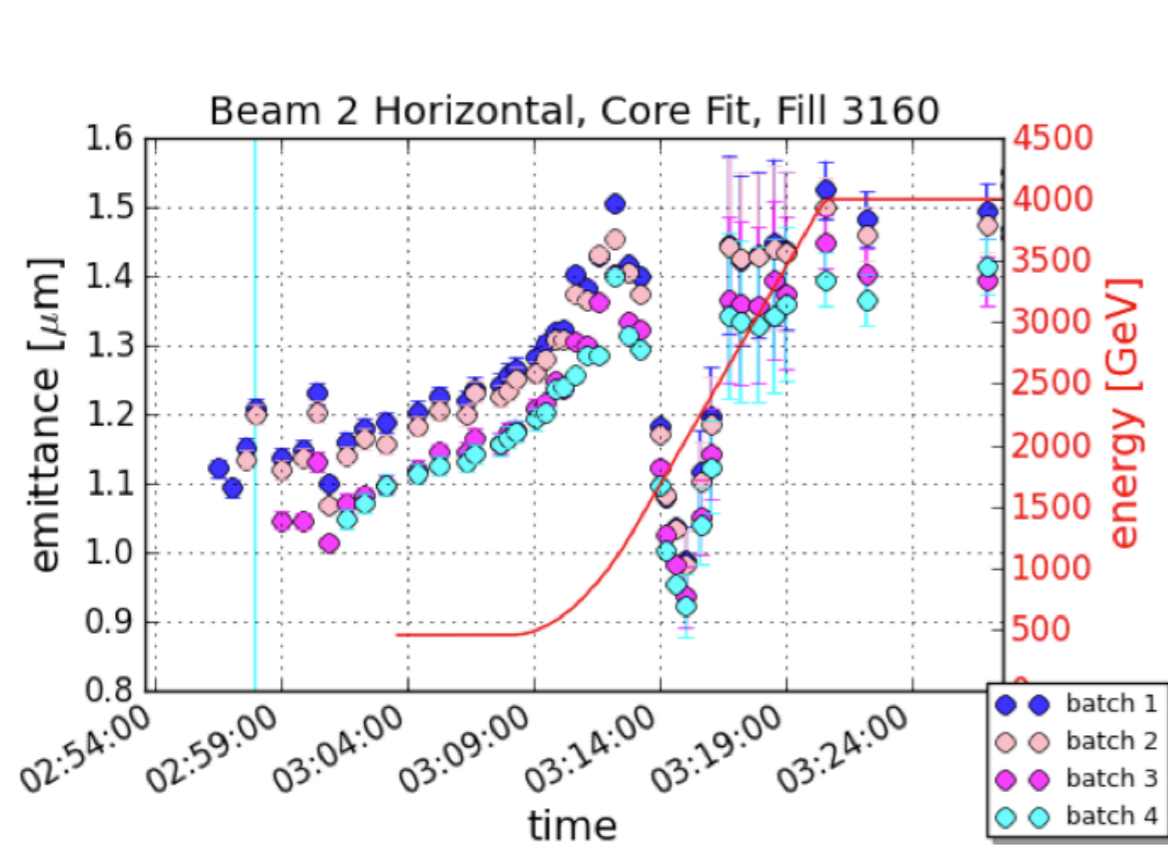


- Significant improvement in the error bars
- Especially systematic errors were overestimated in the past

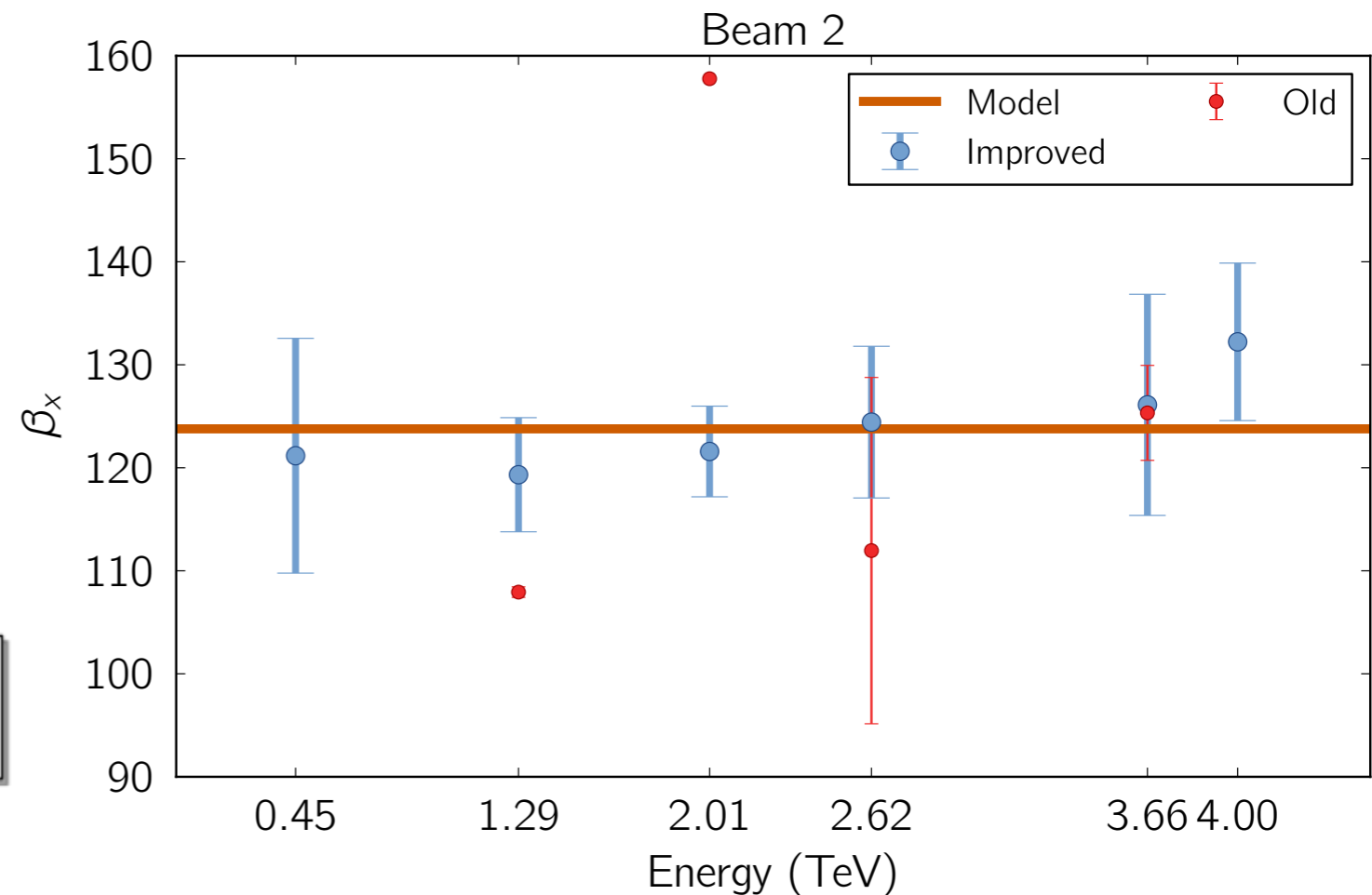
# Beta-function during the ramp

- Motivated by emittance study during the ramp
- Propagation of optical functions to in this case beam wire scanners
- New analytic equations for error propagation

$$\sigma_{\beta_s}^2 = \left( \beta_s \sin(2\phi) \frac{\alpha_0}{\beta_0} + \beta_s \cos(2\phi) \frac{1}{\beta_0} \right)^2 \sigma_{\beta_0}^2 + (\beta_s \sin(2\phi))^2 \sigma_{\alpha_0}^2$$



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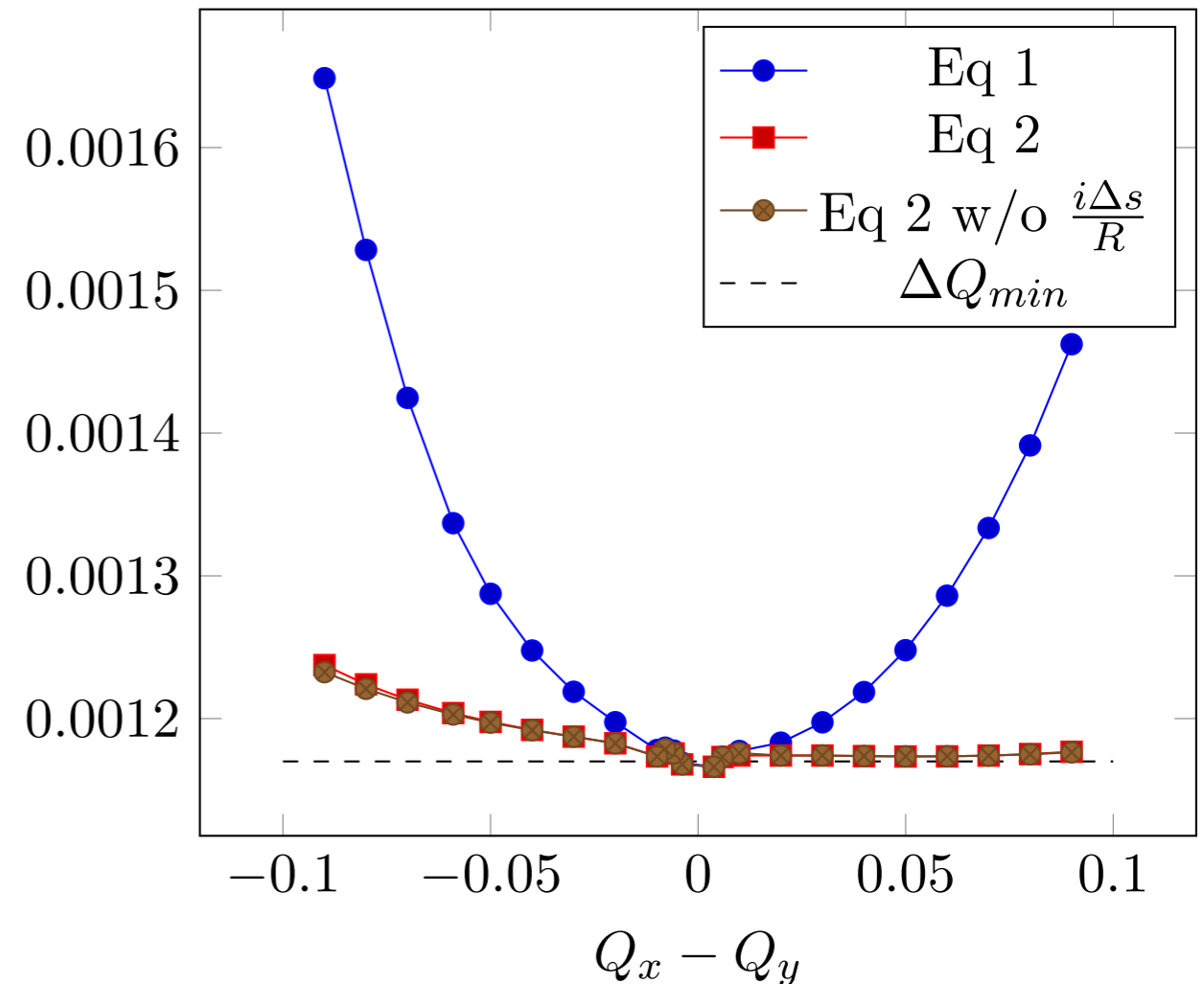
# Betatron coupling control

- An approximative  $|C^-|$  can be calculated from the resonance driving terms

$$\Delta Q_{min} = |C^-| \approx 4\Delta \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N |f_{1001i}| \quad (1)$$

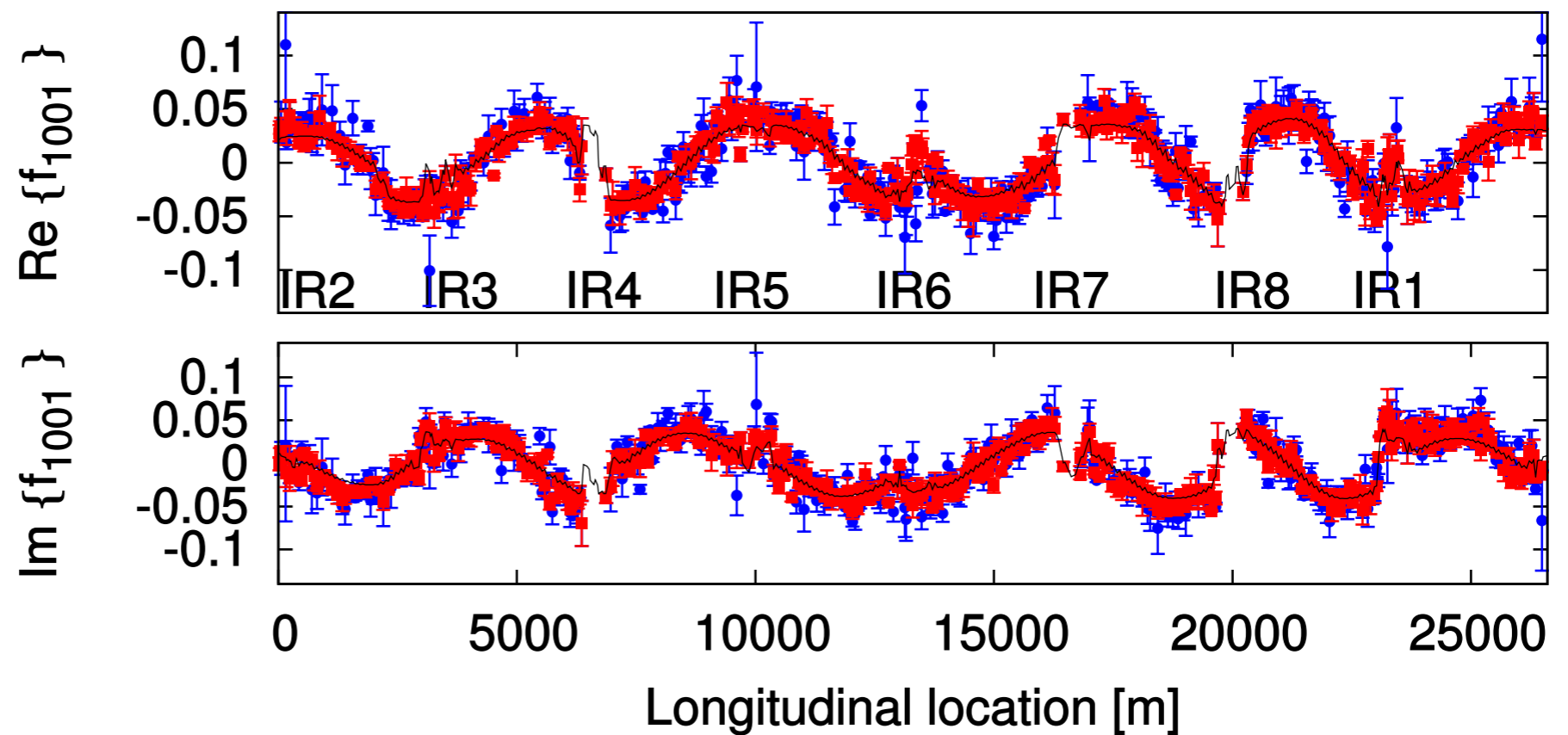
- A new improved formula (Eq(2)) has been implemented which better relates the  $f_{1001}$  to the  $|C^-|$

$$\Delta Q_{min} = |C^-| = \left| \frac{4\Delta}{2\pi R} \oint ds f_{1001} e^{i(\phi_x - \phi_y) + is\Delta/R} \right| \quad (2)$$



# Betatron coupling control

- Two BPMs are used for deriving the resonance driving terms  $f_{1001}$  and  $f_{1010}$
- Error propagation shows an optimum phase advance between both BPMs of  $\pi/2$
- Pairing BPMs with optimal phase advance improves resolution by a factor of 3 for the LHC





# Summary

- LHC run at 6.5 TeV requires more precise optics measurements and corrections
- Detailed error analysis for systematic and random errors for  $\beta$ -measurement
- Re-analyzing 2012 data demonstrates better resolution
- Significant better resolution in coupling measurement

**Thank you for your attention!**