LHC (and ATLAS) Status and Plans

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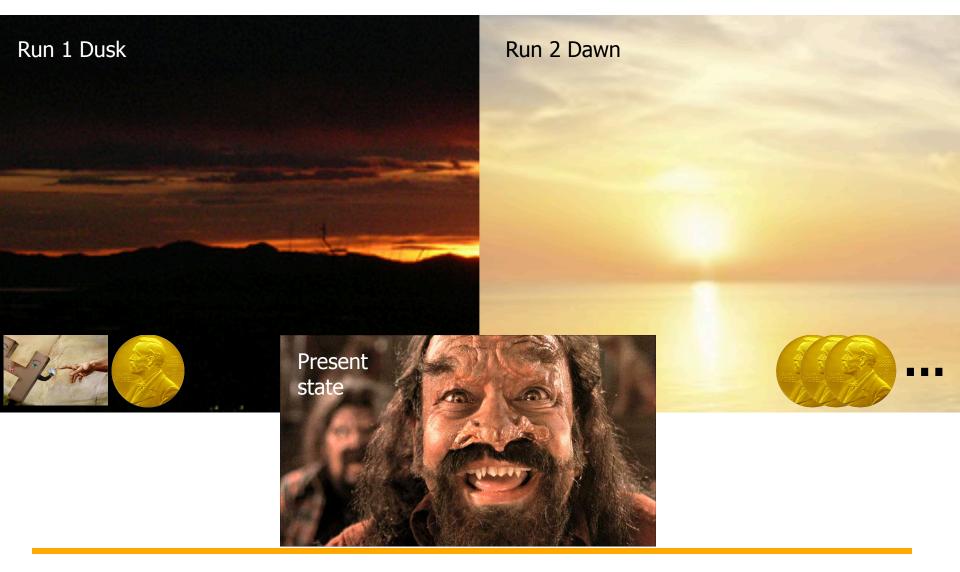
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From Dusk Till Dawn...





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LHC Schedule: The Big Picture

LS = Long Shutdown

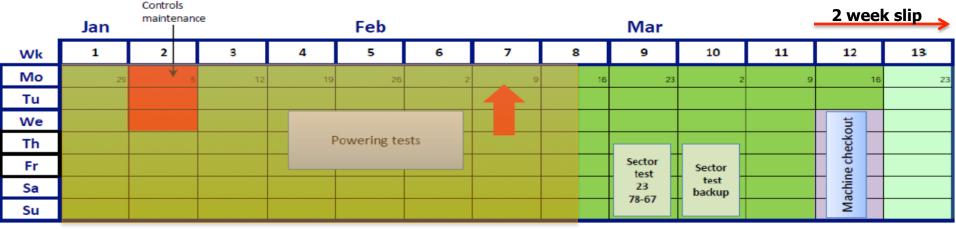


 The HL-LHC running starts in 2025 and continues beyond LS4 until 2035



2015 LHC Schedule







 Expect 1st beam in the week starting March 23!

Recommissoning with beam

Special physics runs (indicative - schedule to be established)

Physics

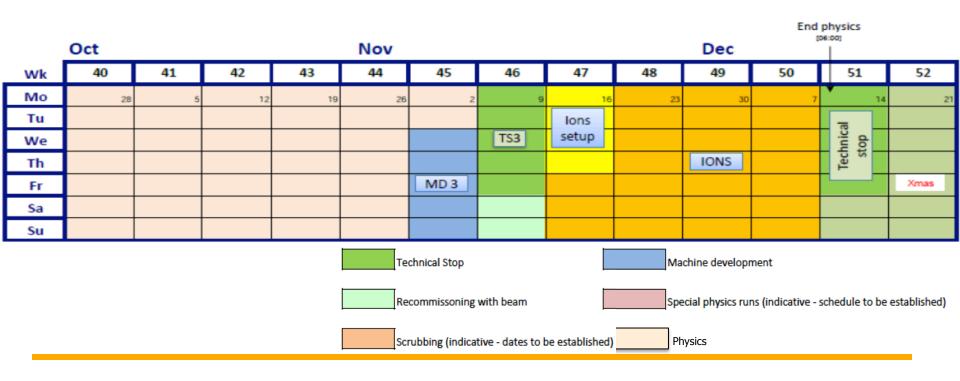
Scrubbing (indicative - dates to be established)



University of Illinois 2015 LHC Schedule (cont.)



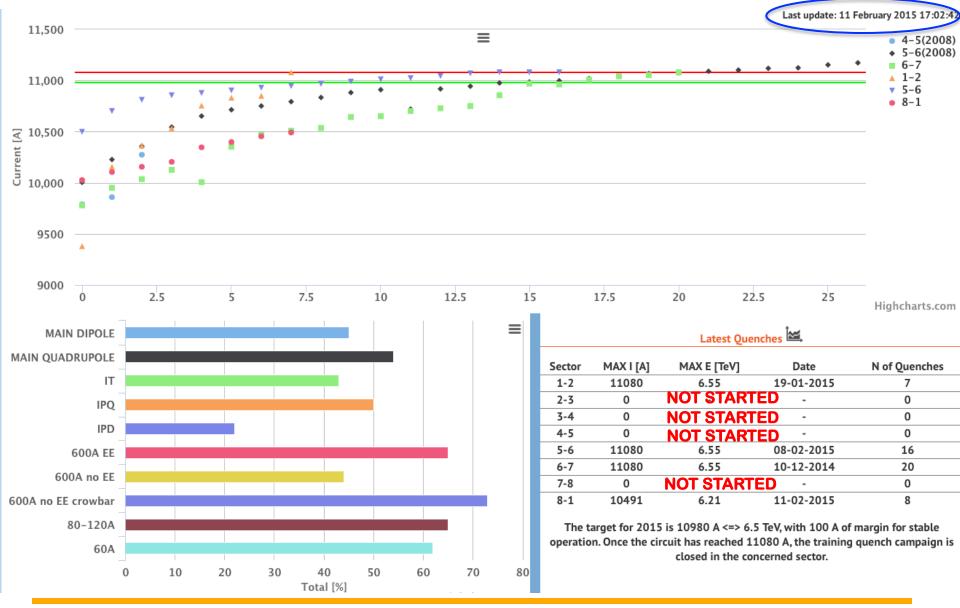






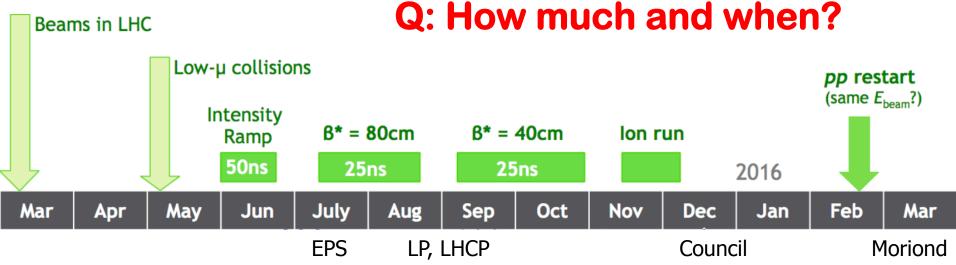
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2015 Summary (@13 TeV):

- $\leq 1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ with 50 ns by July 5
- ~3 fb⁻¹ with 25 ns by Sept 6
- ~12 fb⁻¹ with 25 ns by Nov 3

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	Phase	Days	
	Initial Commissioning	56	
	Scrubbing (for 50 and 25 ns)	23	
	Early LHCf/VdM1	5	
	Proton physics 50 ns	9 + 19	
	Proton physics 25 ns – phase 1	30	
	Change in beta*	5	
	Proton physics phase 2 (including ramp-up)	48	- 10
	Special physics runs (TOTEM/VdM2) Intermediate energy run - to be scheduled	7	
	MD	15	- 4
	Technical stops	15	
	Technical stop recovery	6	
	lon setup/lon run	4 + 24	
	Total	266 (38 weeks)	





ATLAS Status / Plans



M8 "Week" - Major Milestone Run

Key goals for this milestone run

- Re-establish smooth running
- Collect > ~3M ID cosmics
- Solenoid ON Friday 13th
- All systems included and running together at 100 kHz
- Deploy full Run-2 menu, new CTP (at last!), L1topo etc
- Deploy new software release 20.1 at point-1 and Tier-0
- Full "dry-run" test of LHC handshake, warm start, scan variables ... (Feb 18th)
- Measure and test latencies with L1Topo and ALFA
- Test muon alignment run
- LAr HV on, flammable gas in muon detectors



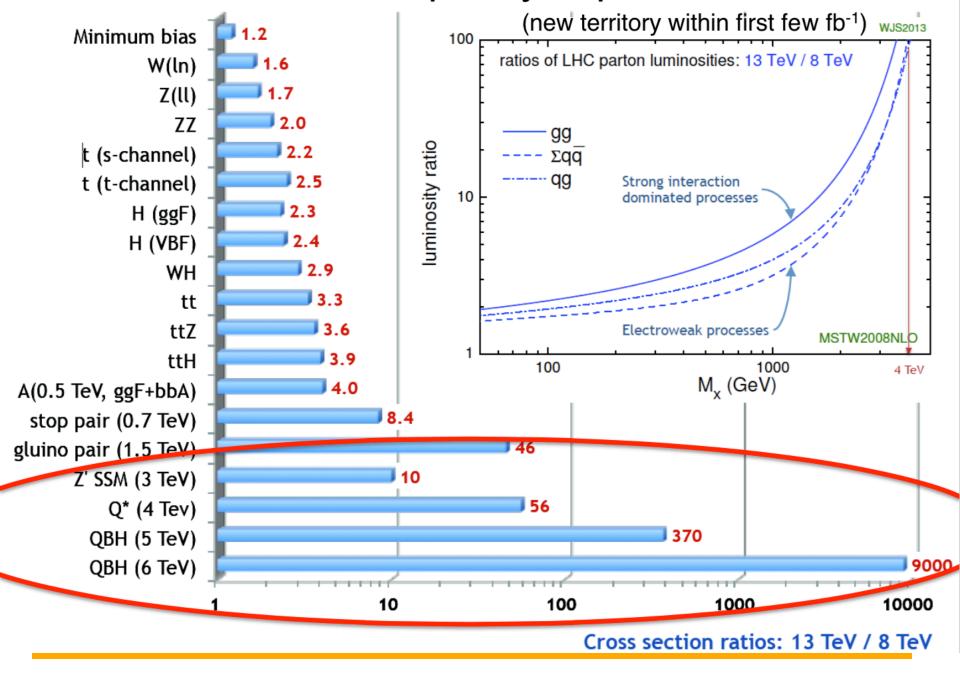


ATLAS Run I Analyses & Publications...



*PC: parachute provided only in *exceptional* cases

• *FTK* ;)



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Summary

- A feast is coming...
- LHC is in the midst of magnet conditioning for 13 TeV
 - Expect 1st beam at on 23 March (previously 9 March)
 - "Success-driven schedule", with ~no contingency in final powering tests
- ATLAS now in 24/7 shift mode
 - In midst of M8 commissioning work
 - Run I pub → Run 2 prep
- Expect ~3 (15) fb⁻¹ early Sep (Nov)
 - Many analyses exceed Run 1 sensitivity with a few fb⁻¹ (or less)

Festina Lente!

