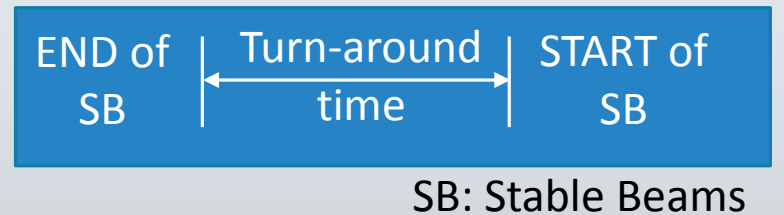


FCC-hh

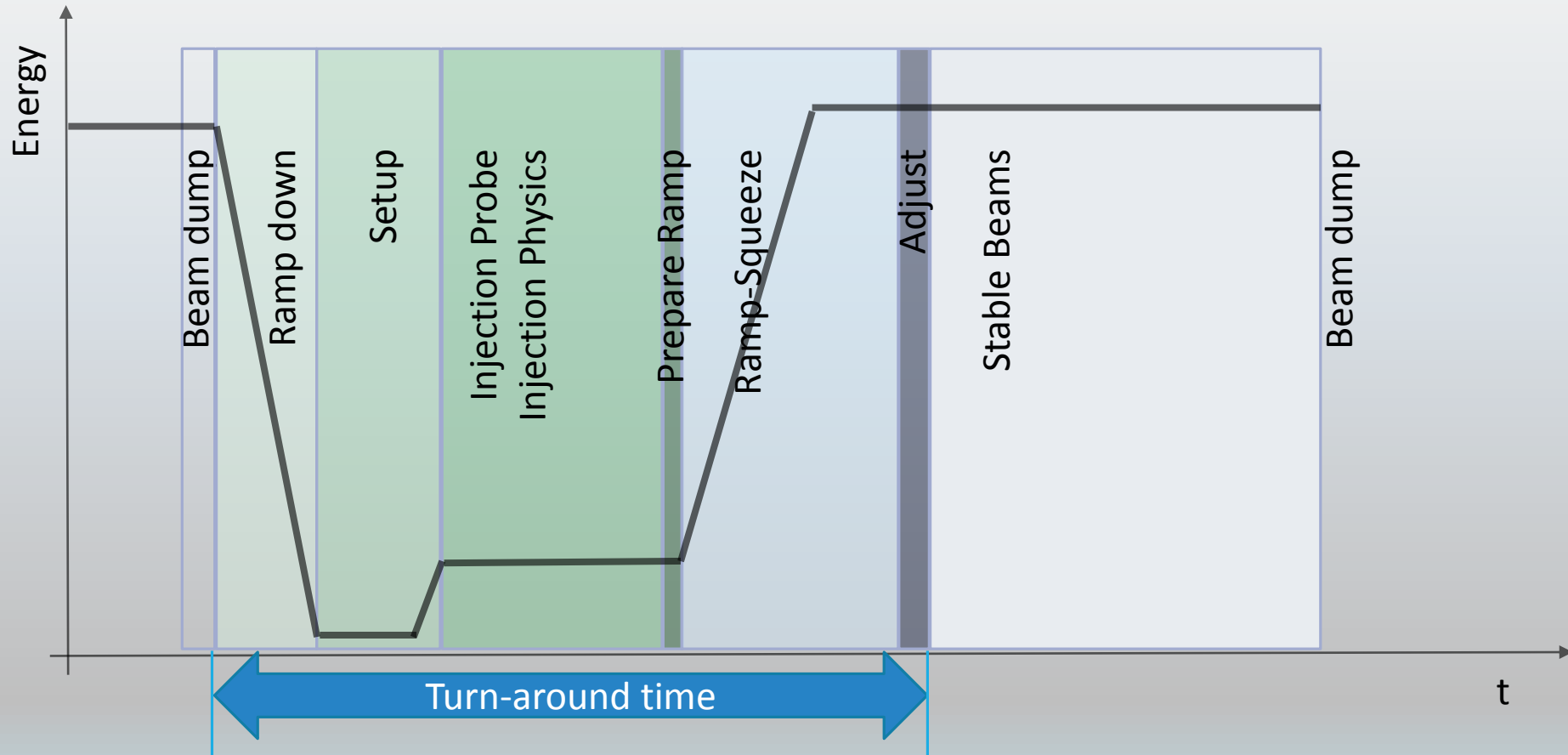
turn-around cycle



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FCC-hh operational cycle (= LHC)



Injection phase in FCC

Ref: "Hadron Injectors, Injection and TLs", L. Stoel, FCC Week Rome 2016

Opt	LINAC 4	PSB	PS	SPS	LHC	100 km HEB	FCCinj	Tinj (min)
Flattop beam energy (GeV)								
LHC x5	0.160	2	26	450	3300		3300	40
			72 b	9 PS->SPS = 648b	2x4 SPS->LHC = 2592 b/ring	4 LHC->FCC = 10368 b/ring		
HEB @FCC	0.160	2	26	450		3300	3300	29
				10 PS->SPS=720b	15 SPS->HEB =10800 b	1 HEB->FCC = 10800 b/ring		
HEB @SPS	0.160	2	45	1550			1550	34
			80 b	8 PS->SPS=640 b		2x17 SPS->FCC =10880 b/ring		

**Tinj = filling time + ramp up/ramp down + 10 s.
No extra possible overheads.**

Assumptions:

- Bunch intensity 1e11 p+
- Staggered transfer assumed to cause no significant delay
- SPS cycle time = 10.8 + n x PS cycle time for n PS batches (except for HEB@SPS)

Injection phase in LHC: theory vs reality

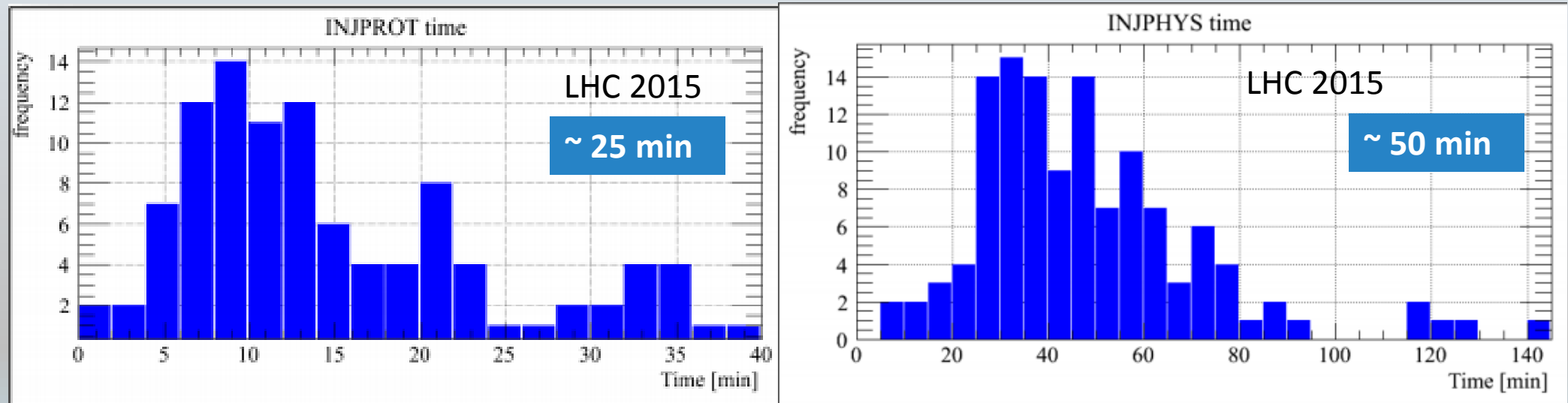
LHC minimum injection time =

number of injections required x SPS super cycle (SC) length:

Average number of injections per fill = 22

SPS SC length = 59 s (not optimized for a dedicated LHC filling!)

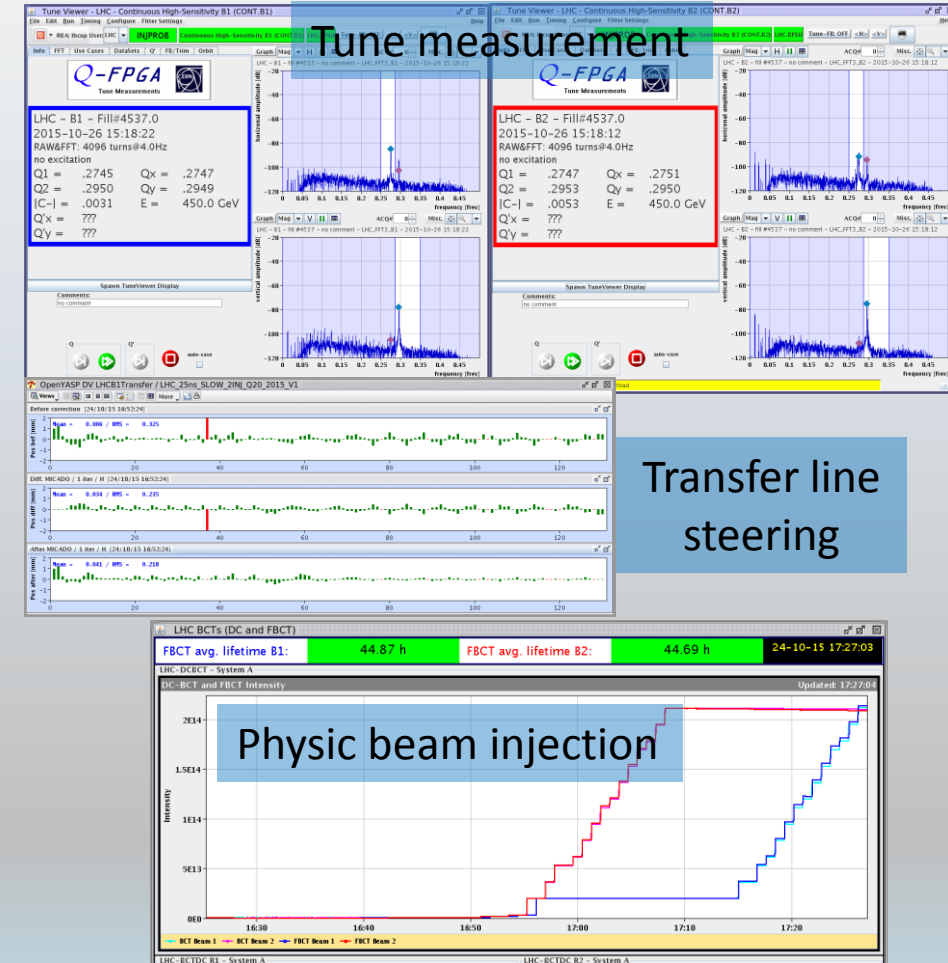
Minimum injection time in LHC = **22 minutes**



Ref: M. Solfaroli, LHC EVIAN Workshop 2015

Injection phase in LHC: injection probe & injection physics beam

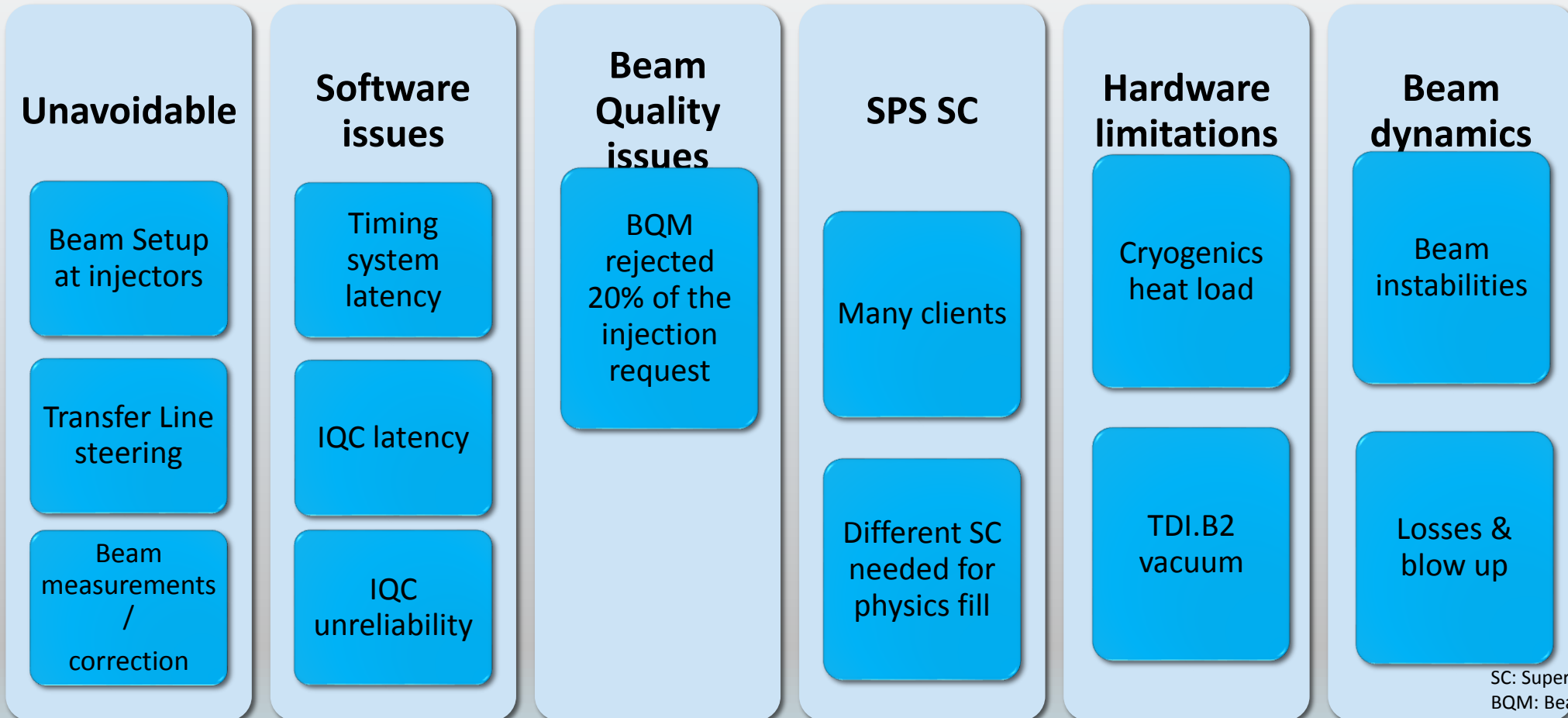
1. **Pilot bunch** injection ($\sim 1e10$ p+)
 - (pilot reinjection might be required)
2. **Measure/correct**: Q, Q', C, orbit, phase error
3. Injection of **2x12 bunch train** per beam:
 1. check **transfer line** and injection oscillations
 2. If not good \rightarrow transfer line steering (takes time)
 3. If good \rightarrow **measure emittance**
4. Injection of the rest of the **physics beam**
5. Once machine full \rightarrow **PREPARE RAMP**



Transfer line steering

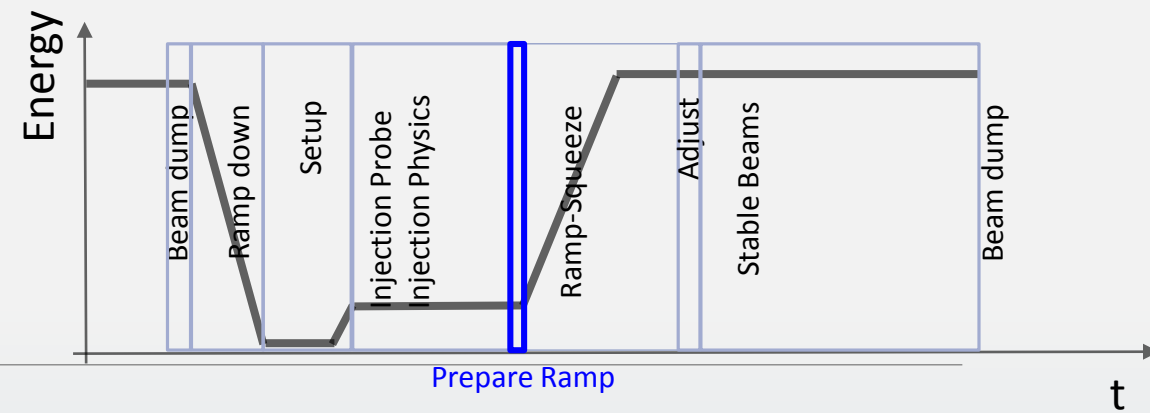
Injection phase in LHC: what can go wrong

Ref: D. Jacquet LHC
EVIAN Workshop
2015



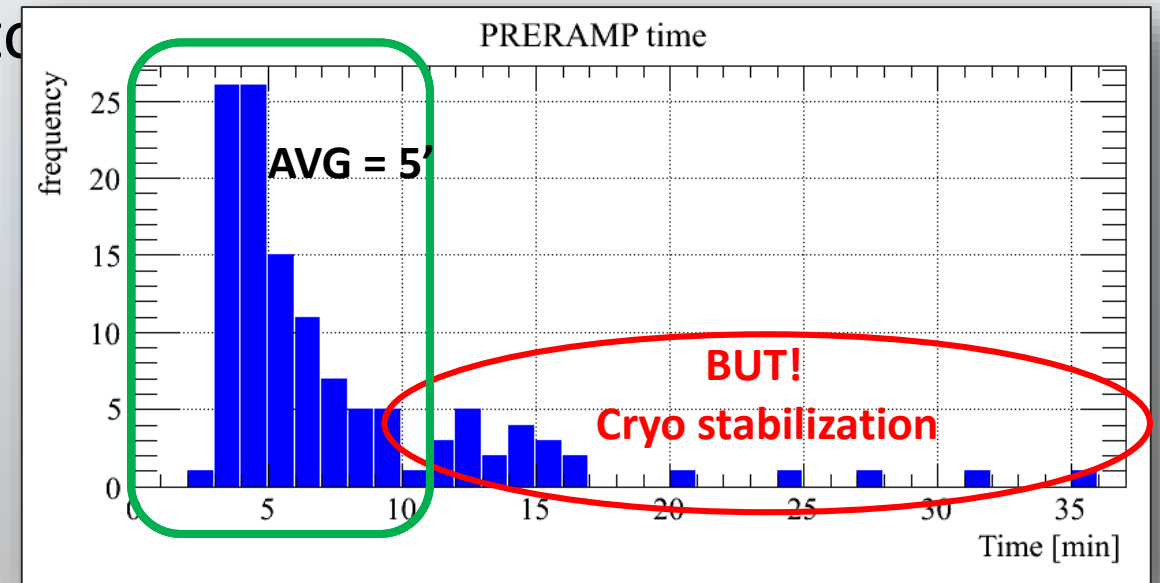
SC: Super Cycle
BQM: Beam Quality Monitor
BS: Beam Screen

Prepare ramp



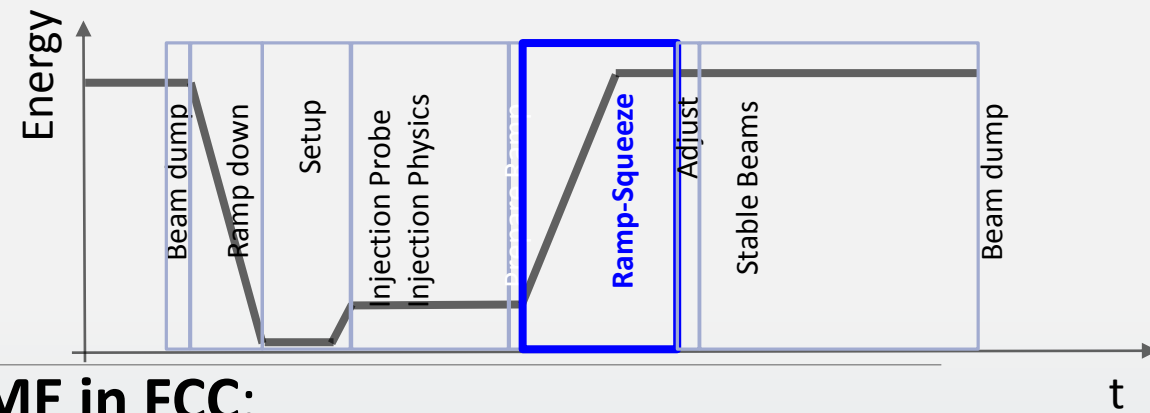
Prepare ramp in LHC:

- Injection protection collimators to parking
- Settings incorporation in the ramp function
- Load settings in RF, PC, collimators, transverse dampers
- Prepare feedbacks to follow the ramp



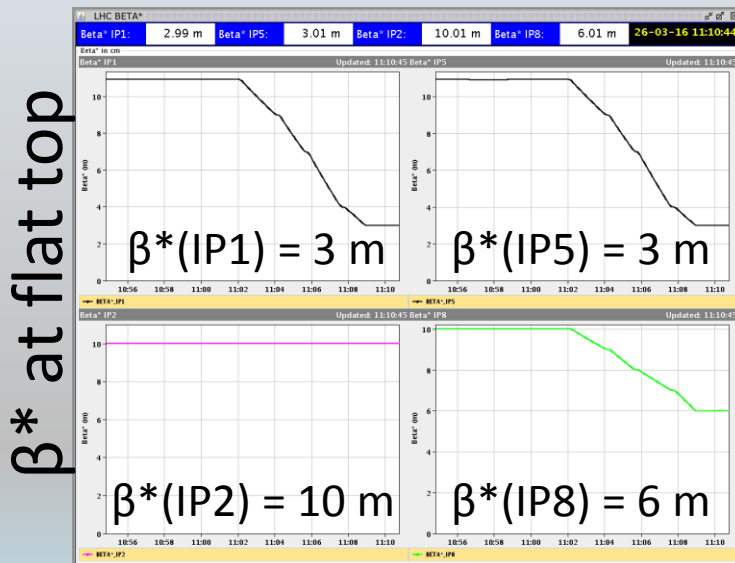
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Ramp-Squeeze



Ramp-squeeze in LHC:

- Function playing ([automatic procedure](#))
- Q, Orbit and Transverse [Feedbacks on](#)



- **RAMP TIME in FCC:**

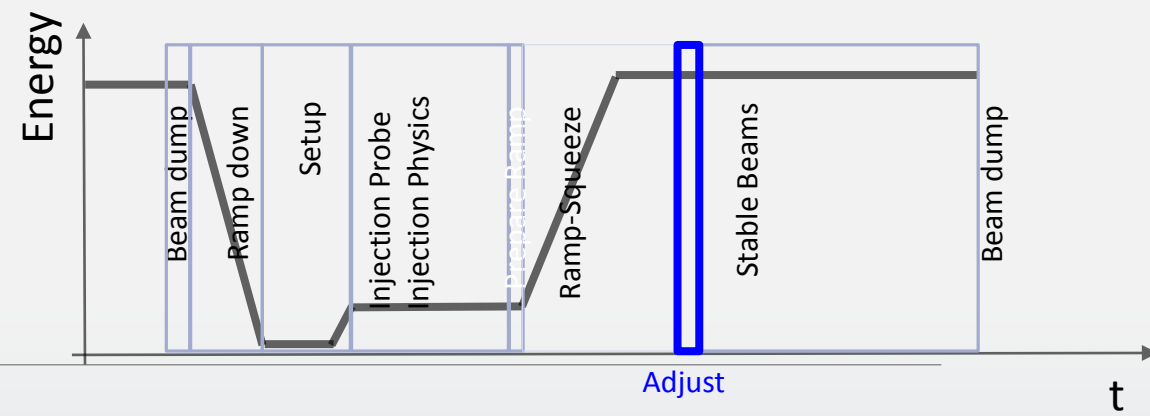
20 min → Ref: “Concepts for magnet circuit powering and protection”, M. Prioli, FCC Week Rome 2016

- **SQUEEZE TIME in FCC:**

- LHC squeeze from 11 m to 0.8 m (IP1&5) = 12.5 minutes
- FCC-hh baseline squeeze from 5 m to 1.1 m → half of the LHC squeeze → **6 min**
- Since combined with the ramp, part remains in the shadow → **3 min**

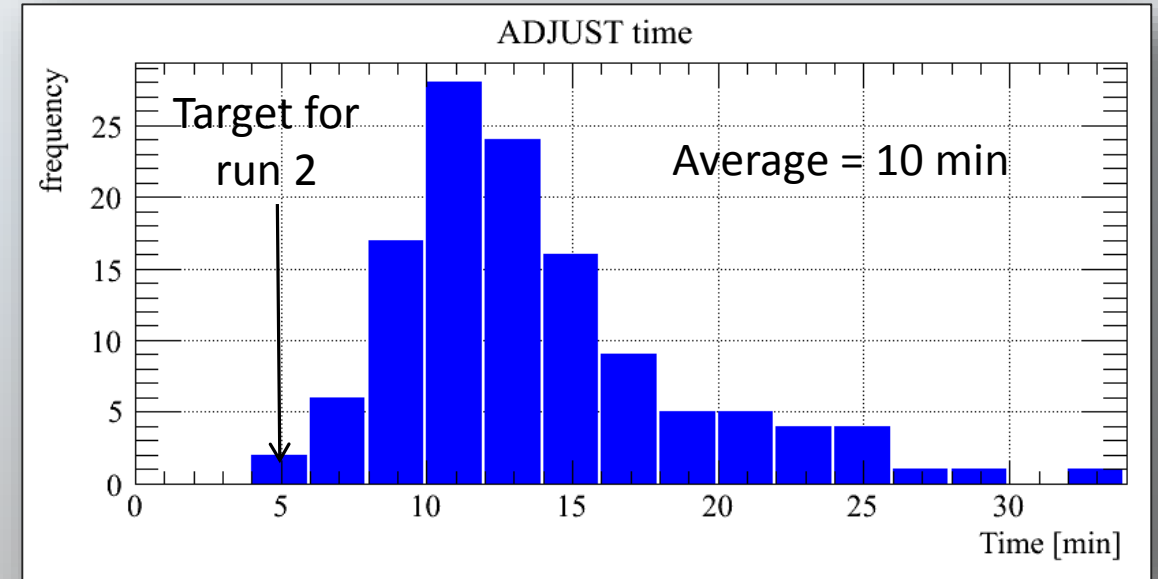
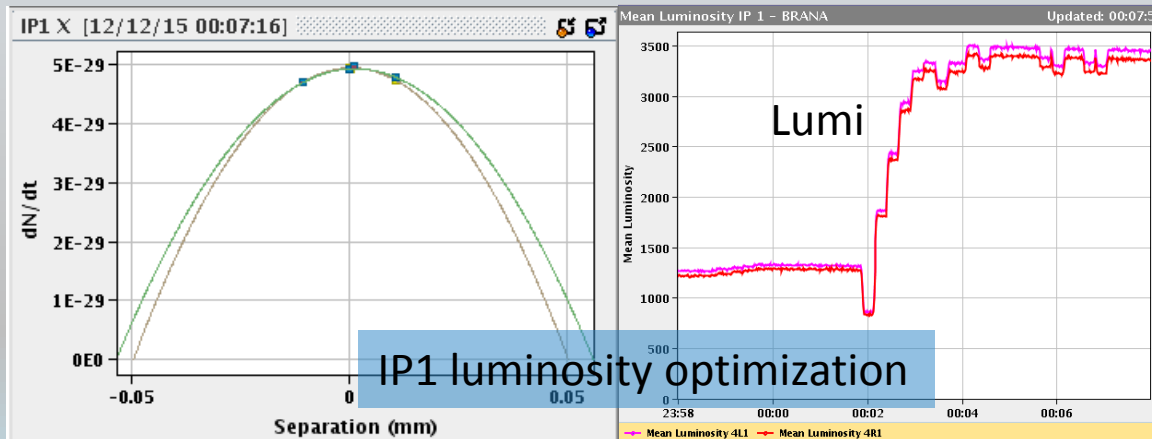
- **FLAT TOP in FCC:** operator sequential actions ~ **5 min**

Adjust



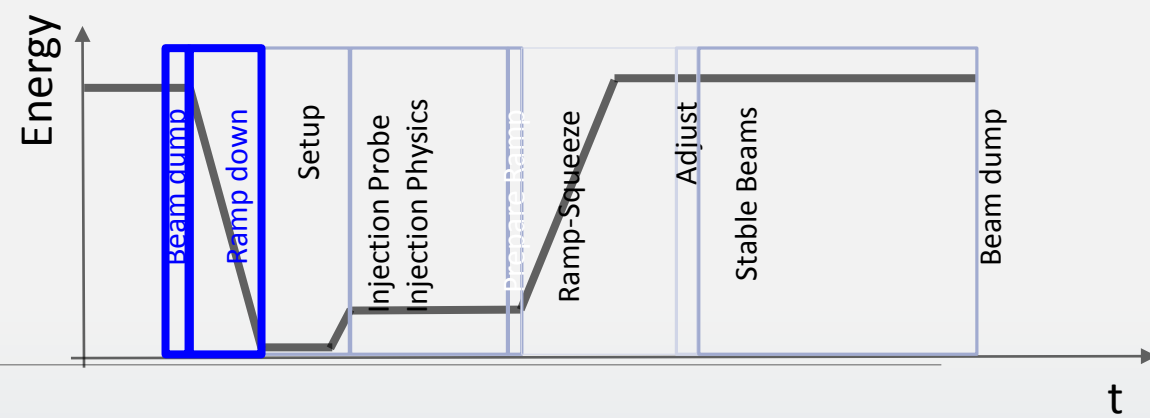
Adjust in LHC:

- Settings incorporation
- Functions playing (automatic procedure)
- Experiments luminosity optimization



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Beam dump – ramp down

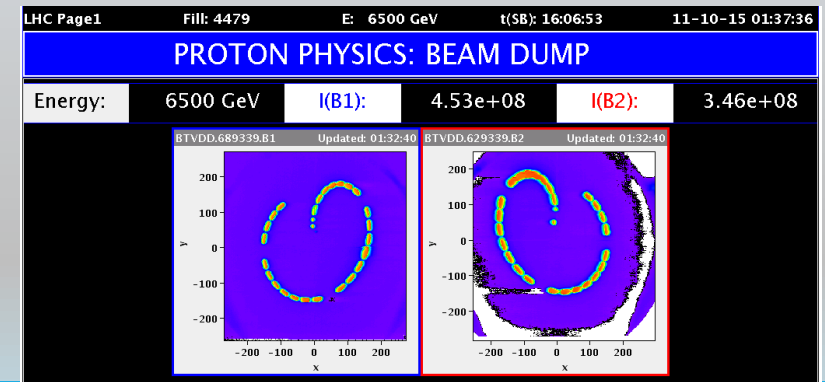


Beam dump – ramp down in LHC:

- **Handshake** for beam dump ~ 5 min (done in SB)
- Beams are dumped and the **ramp down** starts in parallel to **many other tasks** to **prepare** the rest of the machine for the **next injection**
- But the **time is driven by the magnet circuits ramp down**

Ramp down time in FCC:

- If all main power converters are four-quadrant \rightarrow ramp down = ramp = **20 min**
- In LHC is not the case and the ramp down is ~ 40 min (2xramp)

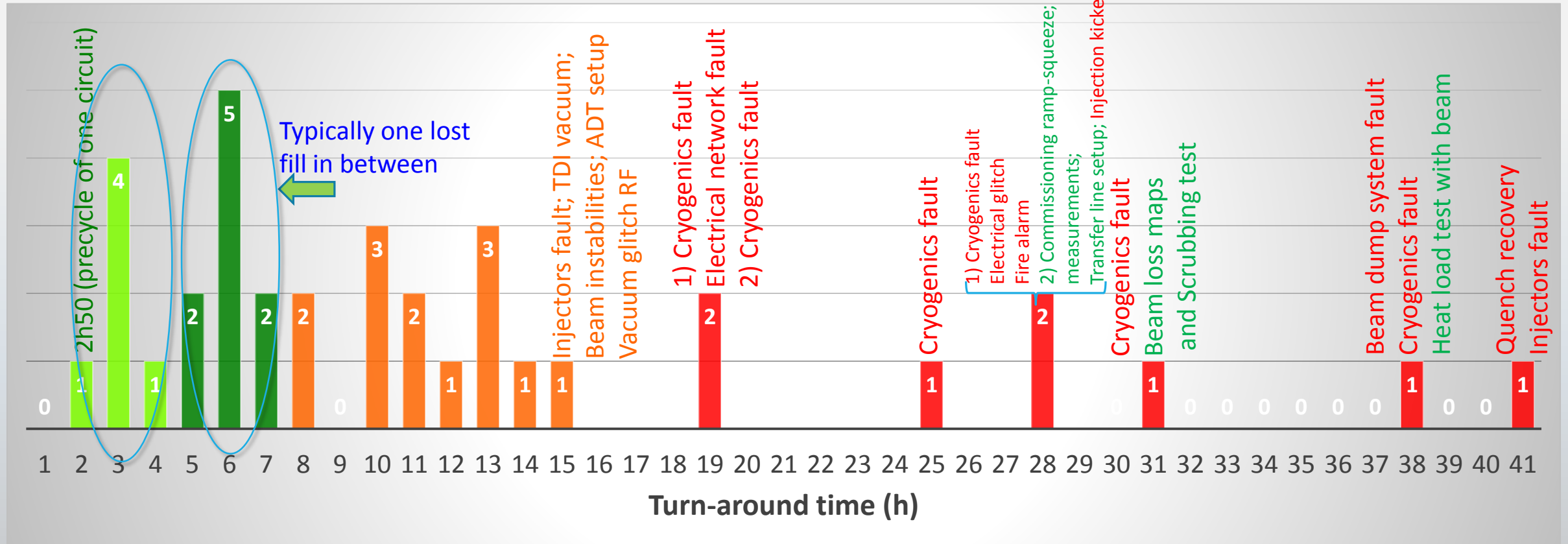


FCC-hh theoretical turn-around time

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INJECTION	40
PREPARE RAMP	5
RAMP-SQUEEZE-FLAT TOP	20+5+3
ADJUST	5
RAMP DOWN	20
TOTAL	108±10 (1.8±0.2 h)

 ≈ LHC theoretical turn-around time

LHC turn-around time (e.g. October 2015, 25 ns, > 1500 b physics production)



No fill made the LHC theoretical minimum of ~ 1.8 h

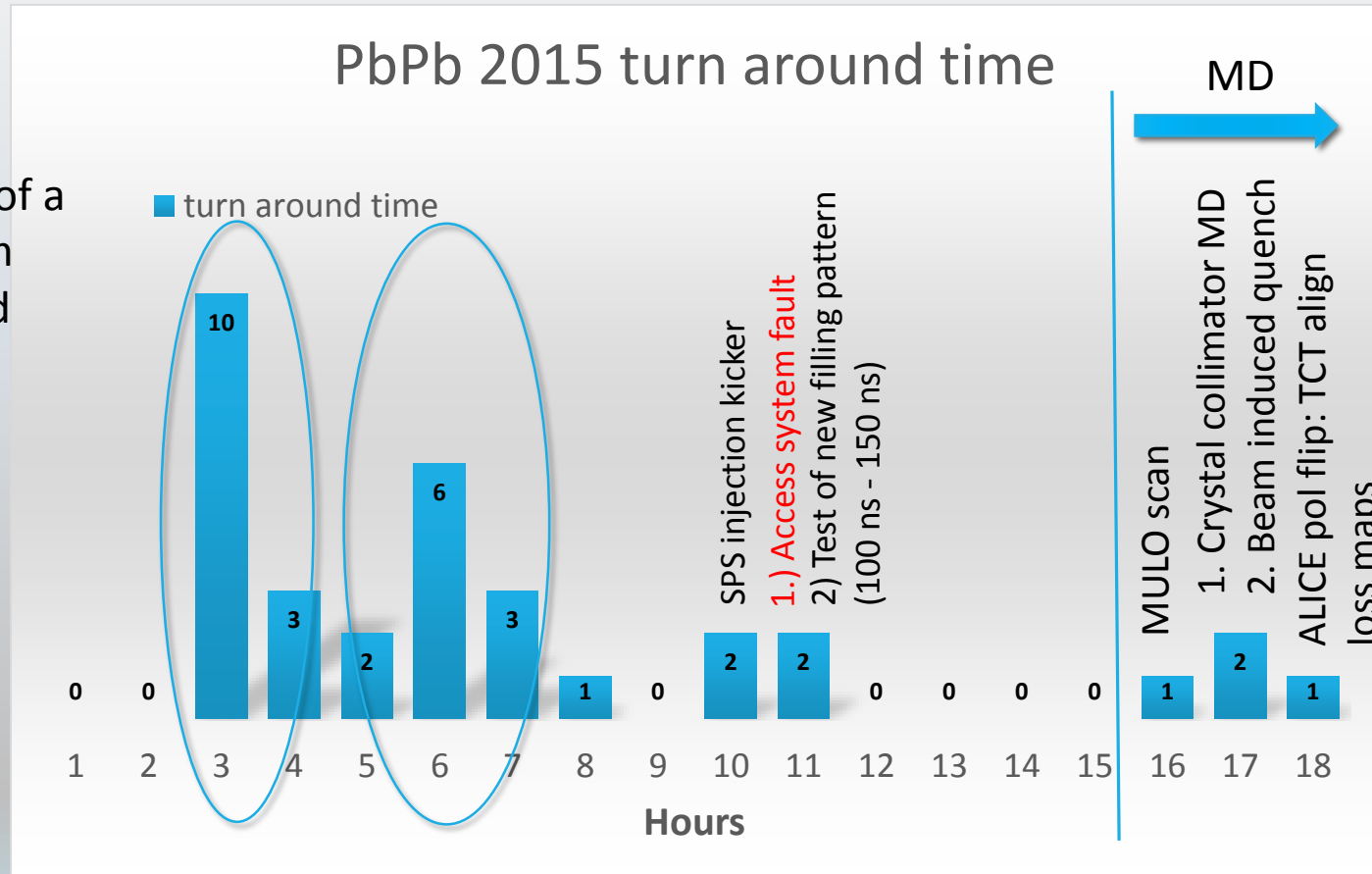
Distribution is a function of the AVAILABILITY/RELIABILITY

There are four categories:

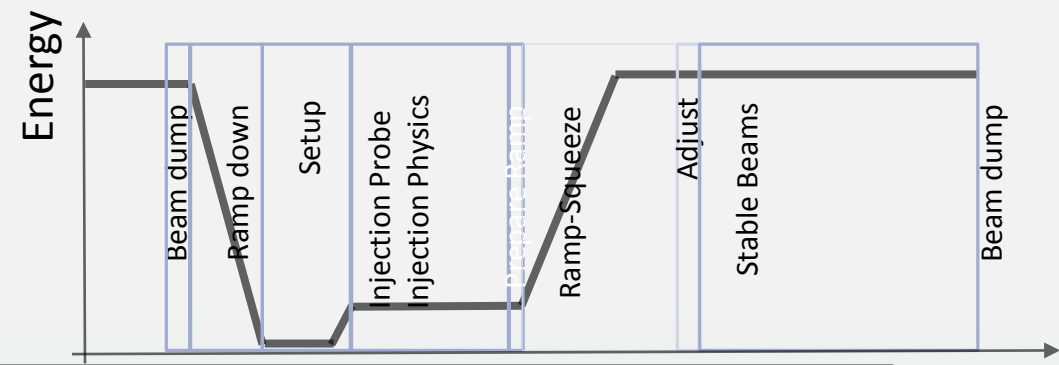
- Closest to theoretical value
- Typically one fill lost in between
- Miscellaneous faults: short-medium recovery time
- Long recovery time faults

LHC turn-around time PbPb 2015

Illustrates the behaviour of a machine without beam intensity problems and cryogenic heat load



Conclusions



- FCC-hh nominal cycle a la LHC
- Theoretical **TURN-AROUND CYCLE TIME:**
1.8 hours
- Real machines behave different,
e.g. injection phase will be more than beam production at the injectors and transfer into FCC

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- The **turn-around cycle time** is a crucial input to:
 - 1. AVAILABILITY-RELIABILITY FOR FCC-hh** → see “First results from availability studies”, A. Apollonio, FCC Week Rome 2016
 - 2. OPTIMAL TIME IN STABLE BEAMS**
→ see “Luminosity Evolution in a Run”, X. Buffat, FCC Week Rome 2016