

The HL-LHC Machine

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 Disclaimer: I will focus on the LHC and on the proton performance although a lot of work is on-going in the Injectors to meet the HL-LHC requirements and on the performance enhancement for ions for Run 3 and Run 4



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The Quest for Luminosity

(Round beams)

$$L = \frac{kN_b^2 f \gamma}{4\pi\beta^* \varepsilon^*} F$$

$$\sigma^* = \sqrt{\frac{\beta^* \varepsilon^*}{\gamma}}$$

To maximize L:

- Many bunches (k) → tight bunch spacing
- Many protons per bunch (N_b)
- Small emittance ε*

Small β*

 Maximize the parameter F (<1) depending on the crossing angle High beam "brightness" N_b/ε^{*} (particles per phase space volume)

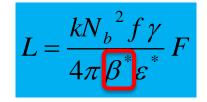
 $\pi \varepsilon$

- Injector chain performance !
- → Preservation in the LHC !!

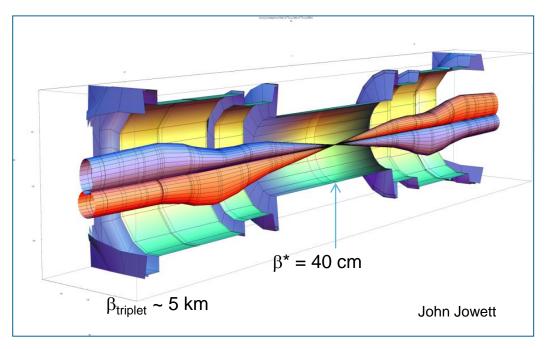
LHC Optics/Configuration



What limits β*?



- The triplet quadrupoles in the high luminosity IRs define the machine aperture limit for squeezed beams, β^* is constrained by:
 - the beam envelope
 - the crossing angle





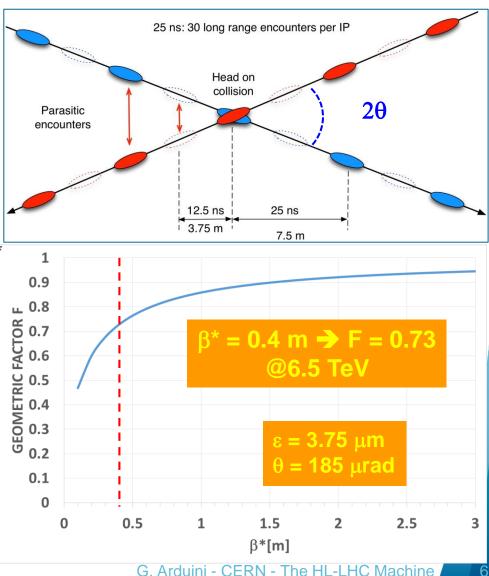
Crossing angle

L =

- Needed to avoid parasitic collisions and minimize beambeam effects
- Drawbacks:
 - Iuminosity geometric reduction factor due to bunch length σ_s and crossing angle θ becomes significant for low β* (small beam sizes)

$$F = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\sigma_s}{\sigma_{x/y}} \tan \theta\right)^2}}$$

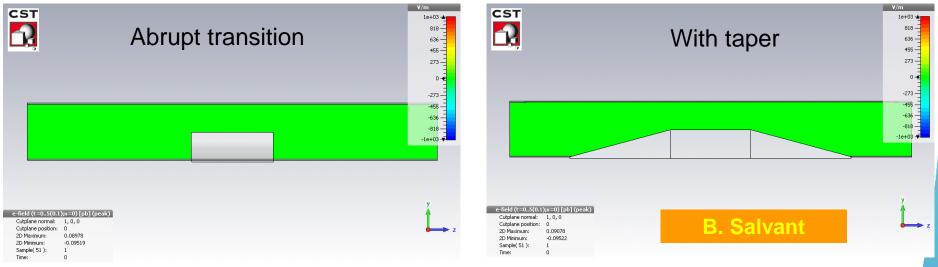
Reduction of the aperture





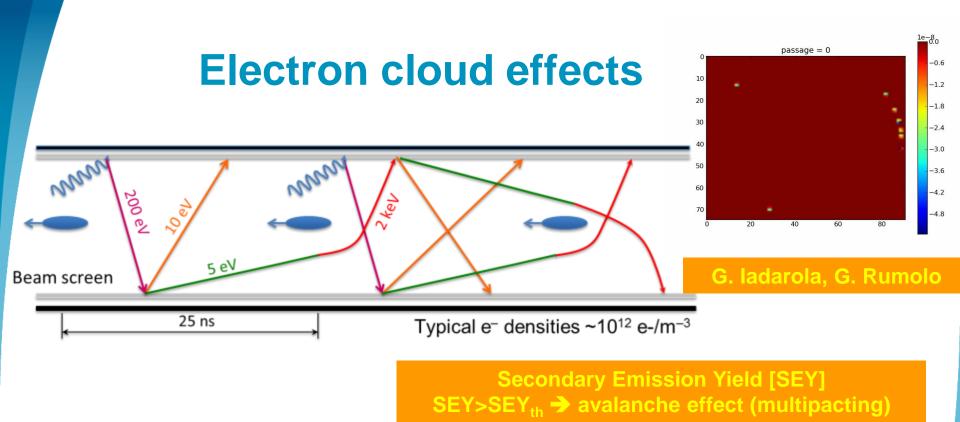
Wake fields and Impedances

- Intense bunches generate electromagnetic fields when passing inside a structure (in particular Carbon collimators – opening of O(1 mm)!!!)
- results in wake fields coupling with the beam and generating beam instabilities and emittance blow-up



- Avoid the abrupt transition for the beam fields at the location of the beam passage (taper)
- Reduce the resistivity of the material





Possible consequences:

- instabilities, emittance growth, desorption, vacuum degradation, background
- energy deposition in cryo surfaces

Electron bombardment of a surface has been proven to reduce **SEY** of a material as a function of the delivered electron dose. This technique, known as **scrubbing**, provides a mean to suppress electron cloud build-up.



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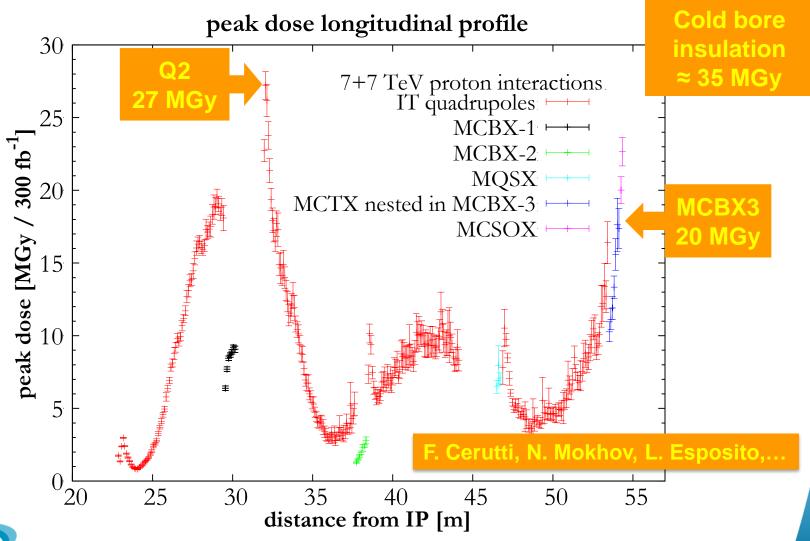


Summary: 2010-2016

| Parameter | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2015-16 | Nominal |
|--|--------|----------------|--------|-----------------------|---------|
| Energy [TeV] | 3.5 | 3.5 | 4.0 | 6.5 | 7.0 |
| N _b [10 ¹¹ p/bunch] | 1.2 | 1.45 | 1.6 | 1.15 | 1.15 |
| k (no. bunches) | 368 | 1380 | 1380 | 2244/2040 | 2808 |
| Bunch spacing [ns] | 150 | 75 / 50 | 50 | 25 | 25 |
| Stored energy [MJ] | 25 | 112 | 140 | 280 | 362 |
| ε* [μ m] | 2.4 | 2.4 | 2.5 | 3.5 | 3.75 |
| β* [m] | 3.5 | 1.5 → 1 | 0.6 | <mark>0.8→</mark> 0.4 | 0.55 |
| Full crossing angle [µrad] | 200 | 240 | 290 | 290 → 370 | 285 |
| L [10 ³⁴ cm ⁻² s ⁻¹] | 0.02 | 0.35 | 0.76 | 0.5/0.9 | 1.0 |
| Beam-beam parameter/IP (ΔQ_{bbho}) | -0.005 | -0.006 | -0.007 | -0.003 | -0.003 |
| Average Pile-up @ beg. of fill | 8 | 17 | 38 | 28 | 26 |



Limitations: Triplet radiation damage





Limitations - Magnets

- Max. heat load due to luminosity debris on the cold mass of the inner triplets as a result of the reduction of the diameter of the bayonet heat exchanger (in 2007)
- Maximum instantaneous luminosity ~1.7×10³⁴ cm⁻²s⁻¹



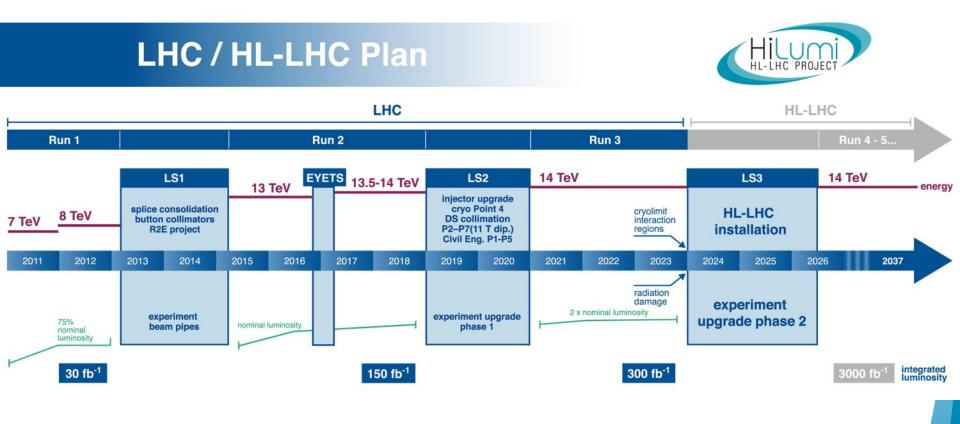


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Timeline & Goals



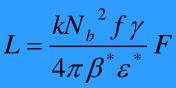


HL-LHC Goals

- Determine and implement a hardware configuration and a set of beam parameters allowing the LHC to reach the following targets:
 - Prepare machine for reliable operation beyond 2025 and up to ~2040 → Remove LHC technical bottlenecks and limitations
 - Enable the production of **3000 fb⁻¹** by 2037 → **250 fb⁻¹/yr**,
 - operating at max. average pile-up µ ~ 140 (→ peak luminosity of ~5×10³⁴ cm⁻² s⁻¹) compatibly with detector capabilities
- Ten times the luminosity reach of first 10 years of LHC operation!!

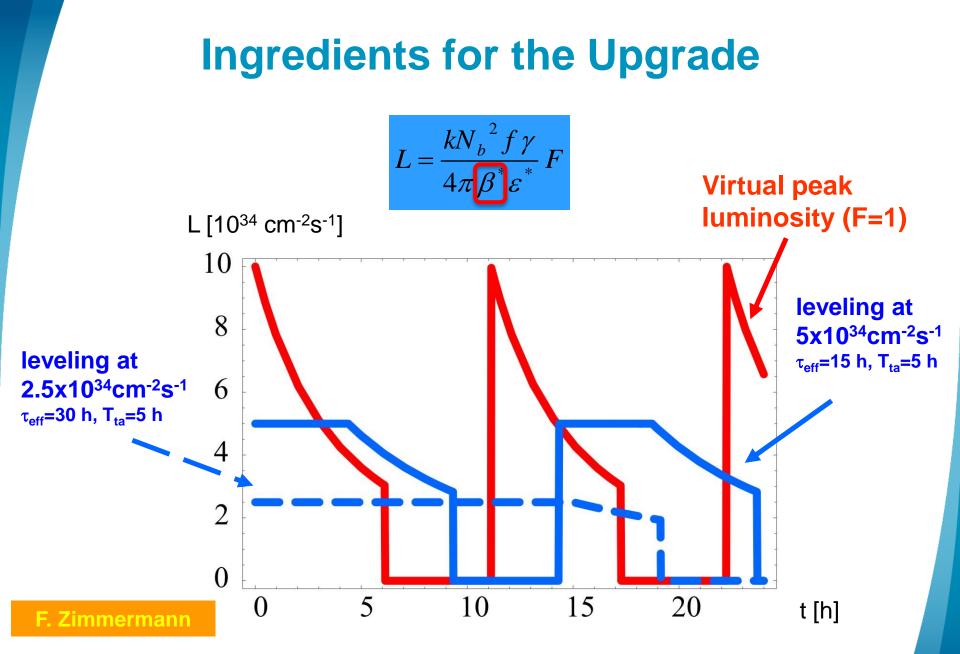


Ingredients for the Upgrade $L = \frac{kN_b^2 f \gamma}{4\pi \beta^* \varepsilon^*} F$



- Operation at pile-up/pile-up density limit (set by the experiments) by choosing parameters that allow higher than design pile-up:
 - Beam brightness and in particular bunch population to sustain burn-off over long periods -> LHC Injector Upgrade
 - Maximize number of bunches to minimize pile-up
 25 ns
 - Low β^* optics
 - Large crossing angle to minimize the beam-beam effects
 - Fight the reduction factor F by crab crossing
- Improve 'Machine Efficiency' -> minimize the number of unscheduled beam aborts







HL-LHC Parameters

| Parameter | Nominal | HL-LHC |
|--|-----------|------------|
| Bunch population N _b [10 ¹¹] | 1.15 | 2.2 |
| Number of bunches | 2808 | 2748 |
| Beam current [A] | 0.58 | 1.12 |
| Stored Beam Energy [MJ] | 362 | 677 |
| Full crossing angle [µrad] | 285 | 590 |
| Beam separation [σ] | 9.9 | 12.5 |
| Min β^* [m] | 0.55 | 0.15 |
| Normalized emittance ϵ_n [µm] | 3.75 | 2.5 |
| r.m.s. bunch length [m] | 0.075 | 0.081 |
| Virtual Luminosity (w/o CC) [10 ³⁴ cm ⁻² s ⁻¹] | 1.2 (1.2) | 21.3 (7.2) |
| Max. Luminosity [10 ³⁴ cm ⁻² s ⁻¹] | 1 | 5.1 |
| Levelled Pile-up/Pile-up density [evt. / evt./mm] | 26/0.2 | 140/1.25 |



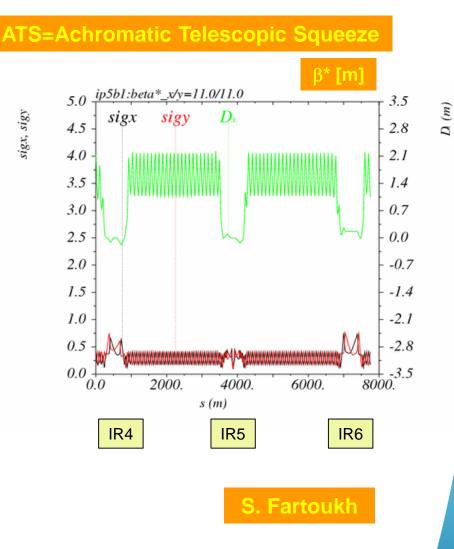
Challenges

- Low β^* optics and large aperture triplets
- Operation of the crab cavities in a high intensity hadron machine
- Operation with large stored energy → halo, losses → collimation
- Beam stability and minimization of impedance
- Electron cloud mitigation with 25 ns beams
- Reliability!!



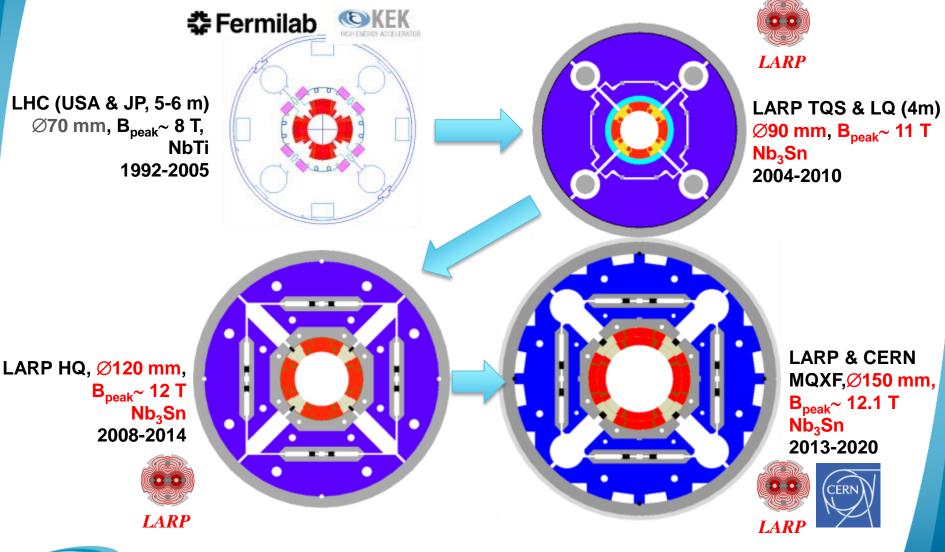
Low β*

- An "almost" standard squeeze (local to IP1/5), (pre-squeeze)
- A further reduction of β^{*} (squeeze): acting on IR2/8 for squeezing IR1 and IR4/6 for IR5, inducing β-beating in adjacent sectors → large crossing angle → larger aperture triplet (reduced gradient → longer) and matching section





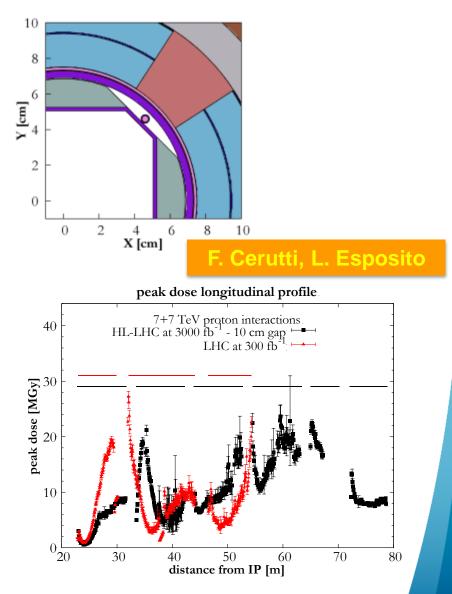
From LHC to HL-LHC triplets





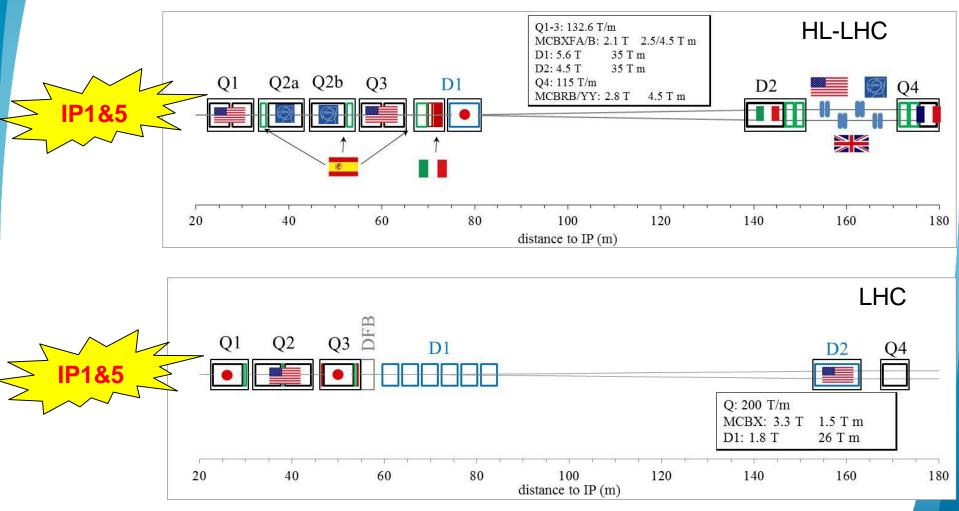
Shielding against Radiation Damage

- Tungsten shielding on the beam screen 16 mm in Q1 and 6 mm elsewhere
- More than 600 W in the cold masses as well as in the beam screen (i.e. 1.2-1.3 kW in total)!!
 New Cryogenics plants
- Expect same integrated radiation dose in HL-LHC after 3000 fb⁻¹ as in LHC after 300 fb⁻¹!!



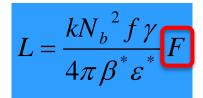


The HL-LHC Interaction Region

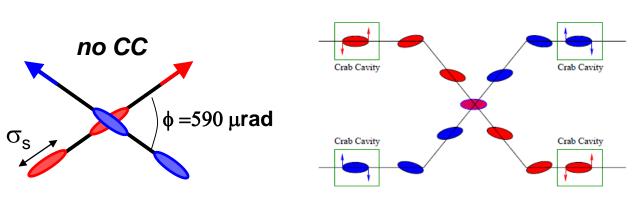




Crab cavities

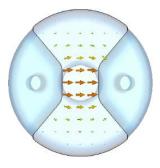


 Crab-cavities (CC) to deflect the bunch head and tail transversely to counteract the luminosity loss from the large crossing angles and small beam sizes at HL-LHC and to reduce pile-up density



On both sides of IP1 and IP5

Transverse Electric Field



 CCs have never been used in a hadron machine there are many challenges: noise on the beam, machine protection etc. → SPS tests in 2018 → Staged Installation (2 crab cavities/IP side/beam)



LARP

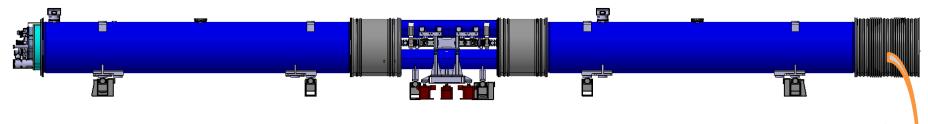
Collimation Upgrade

- Worry about beam losses:
 - Failure Scenarios → Local beam Impact
 - Equipment damage
 - Machine Protection
 - Lifetime & Loss Spikes → Distributed losses
 - Magnet Quench
 - Radiation to Electronics and Single Event Upsets
 - Machine efficiency
- New collimators in the Dispersion Suppressors around the betatron collimation section (LSS7)
- Hollow electron lens for halo depletion (not yet in the baseline but being considered)

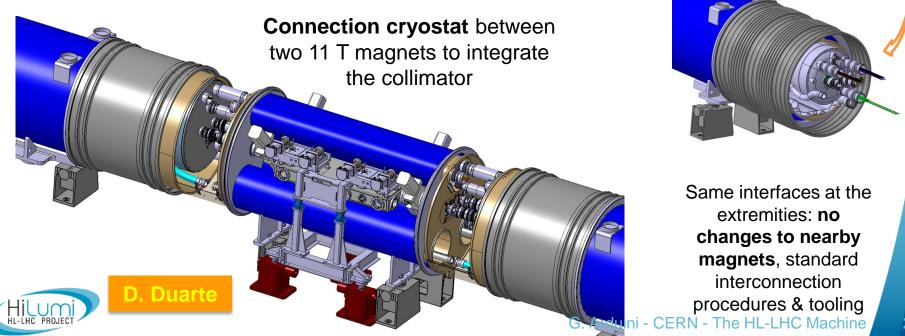


Dispersion Suppressor Collimators with 11 T Dipoles

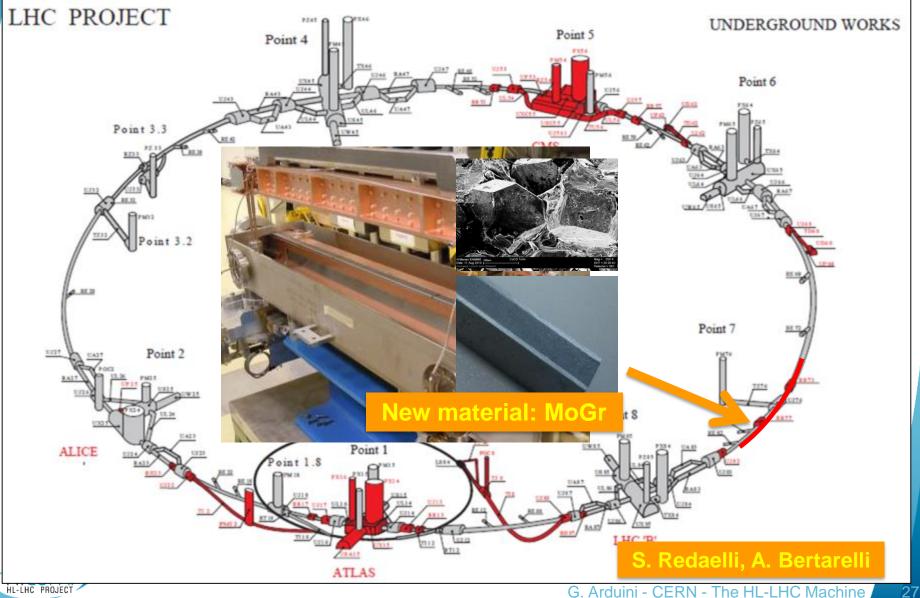
LHC MB replaced by 3 cryostats + collimator, all independently supported and aligned:



Same 15660 mm length between interconnect planes as an LHC MB

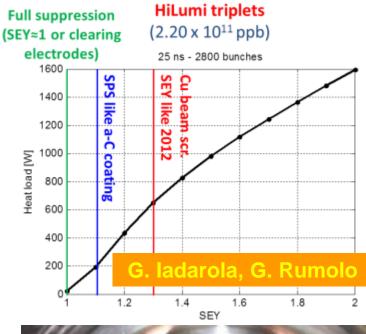


Low Impedance Collimators in LSS7



25 ns operation (e-cloud)

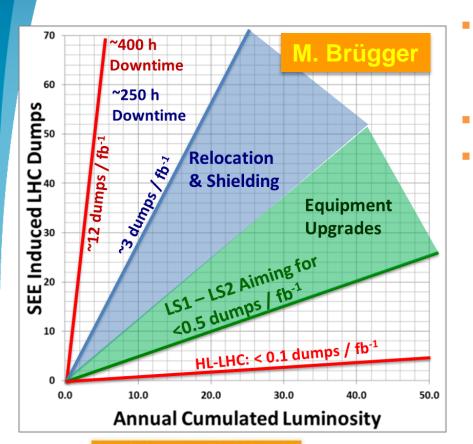
- HL-LHC triplets/matching section + Triplet/D1 in IP2 and 8:
 - Expect no suppression of the electron cloud with scrubbing → a-C coatings (SEY ~ 1.1) to minimize heat load on the beam screen.
- Laboratory and in-situ tests (SPS) ongoing to characterize the properties of these coatings at room and cryogenic temperatures
- Irradiation tests to evaluate aging effects.



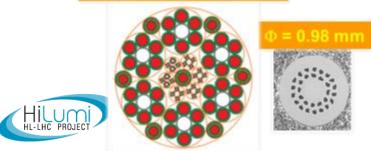




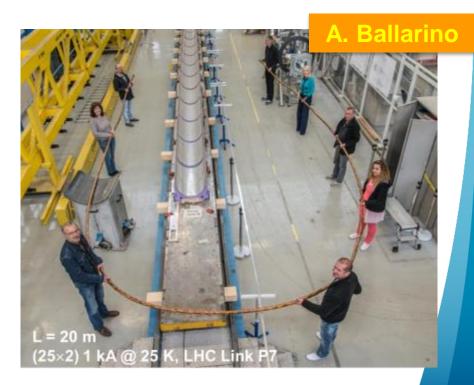
Radiation to Electronics (R2E)



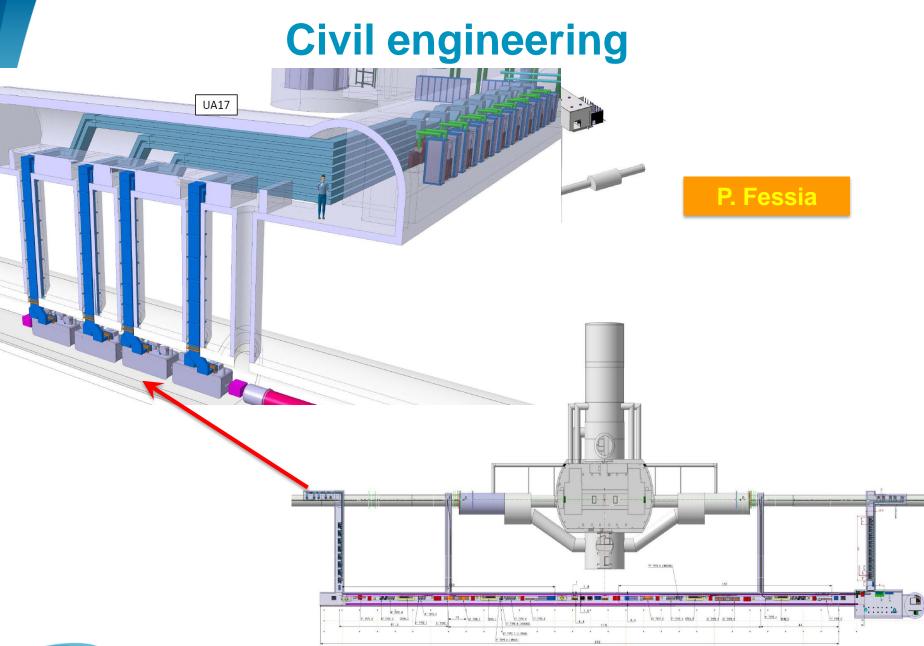
Φ = 65 mm, |I_{tot}|=150 kA



- R2E consolidation during LS1 not sufficient for the HL-LHC era (~2 fb⁻¹/ day) → 1 dump/day due to SEU
- PC far from tunnel \rightarrow SC links (HTS)
- QPS systems out of the tunnel



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Concluding remarks

- The progress in the performance of the LHC has been so far breath-taking
 - Some of the (beam dynamics) challenges and limitations have been outlined
 - We are exploring (and mastering) higher energies and operation with 25 ns (all but trivial). Aim for 300 fb⁻¹ by the end of Run 3
 - This experience is providing critical input for the LHC upgrade
- Luminosity performance and choices for the upgrade are now constrained by the acceptable detector pile-up/pile-up density
 - To reach 3000 fb⁻¹ by ~2037 we are pushing even further the above challenges...
 - New technologies are being developed (with enormous progress in recent years) to achieve these parameters





Thank you for your attention!

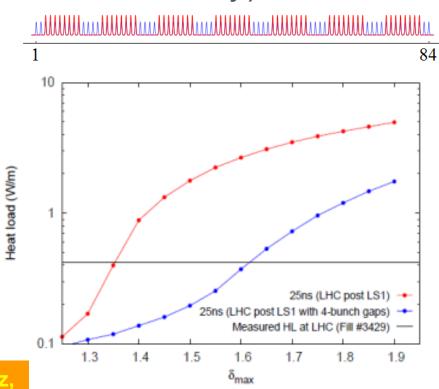
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25 ns operation (e-cloud)

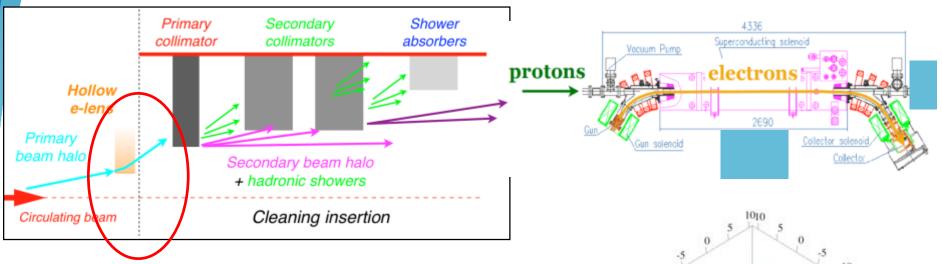
- Relies on scrubbing to suppress electron cloud in the dipoles (heat load and beam stability)
- Alternatives:
- 'ad-hoc' 25 ns filling schemes to minimize electron cloud build-up (e.g. 8b+4e scheme) → reduction of the integrated luminosity to 190 fb⁻¹/y (w.r.t. ~260 fb⁻¹ for nominal scenario) but with longer fills (9 to 10 h)

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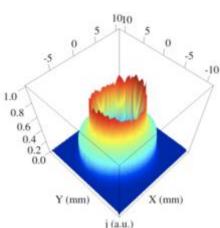
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Halo control: hollow e-lens



- Potential of hollow e-lens:
 - Control the halo dynamics without affecting the beam core;
 - Control the time-profile of beam losses (avoid loss spikes);
 - Control the steady halo population (crucial in case of CC fast failures).



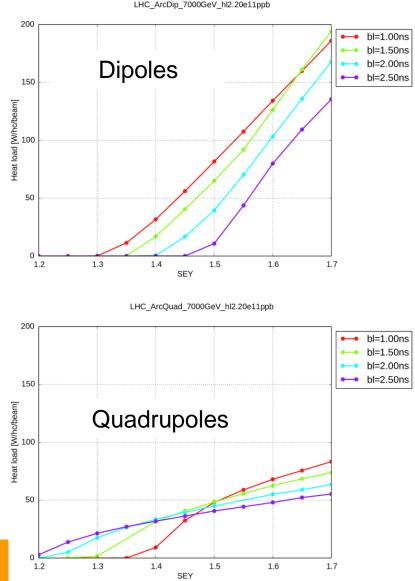
S. Redaelli Collaboration with FNAL



200 MHz

- Longer bunches captured on a 200 MHz system could significantly reduce electron cloud effects:
 - Strong beneficial effect on dipoles (main limitation)
 - Weak effect on quadrupoles, even detrimental for low SEY
- Negligible reduction of the integrated luminosity
- Beam-beam effects studied and did not show any show-stopper
- Need to take a decision by 2018 in order to be ready for LS3

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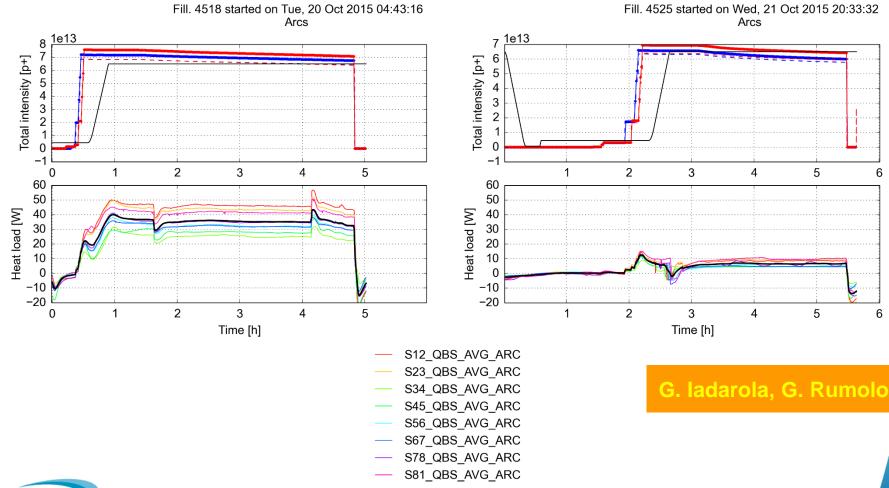




8b+4e: a validated alternative

Standard 25 ns

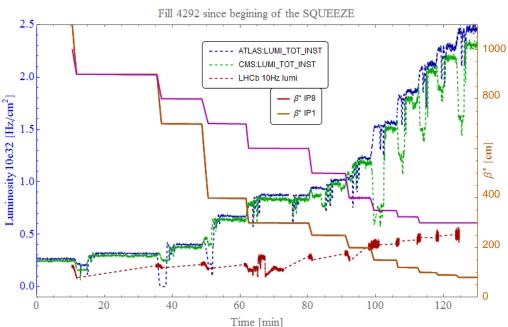
8b+4e





β* levelling

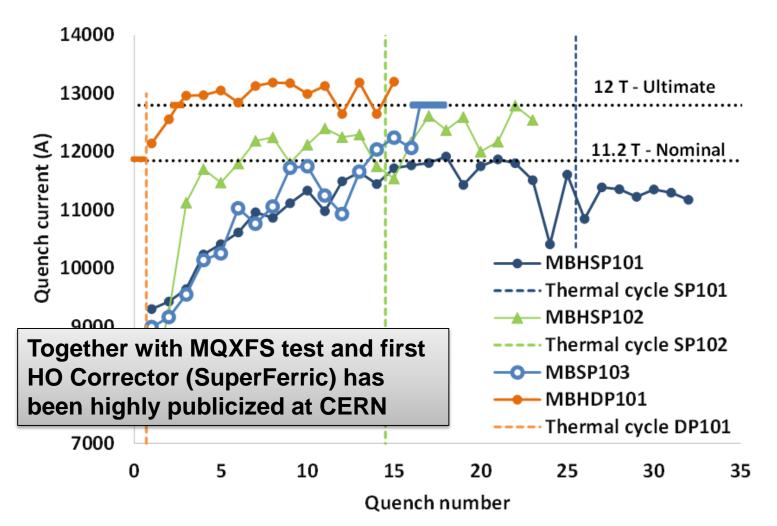
- Successful test (at low intensity) with 3 points collided and squeezed at the same time:
 - Reproducible and deterministic
 - Change in beam separation below 1 sigma (green band) in most cases.
 - Good agreement between the applied luminosity trims and separation values tracked by the BPMs (IP1/IP5) → can be used for active feedback (next step)



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11 T dipole recent results



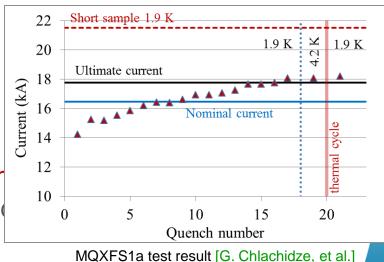
- Total number of quenches at 1.9 K: 86
- Very limited detraining after thermal cycles, apart from coil 107
- 94 % of short sample reached.





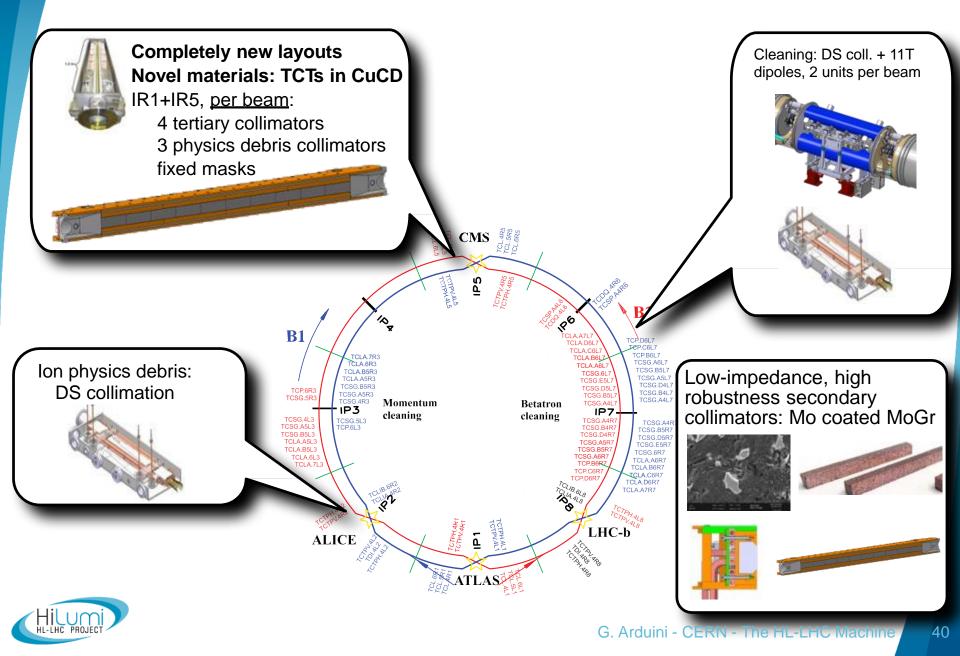
- Nb₃Sn quad in collaboration with US, 11.5 T peak field
 - Q1/Q3 from US, Q2a Q2b from CERN [see P. Ferracin talk]
 - Same cross-section, common program for short model
- Status: model
 - First short model successfully tested in March (~6 mont delay)
 - Ultimate reached, perfect memory after thermal cycle
 - Included two CERN and two LARP coils
 - Second test with larger load in July

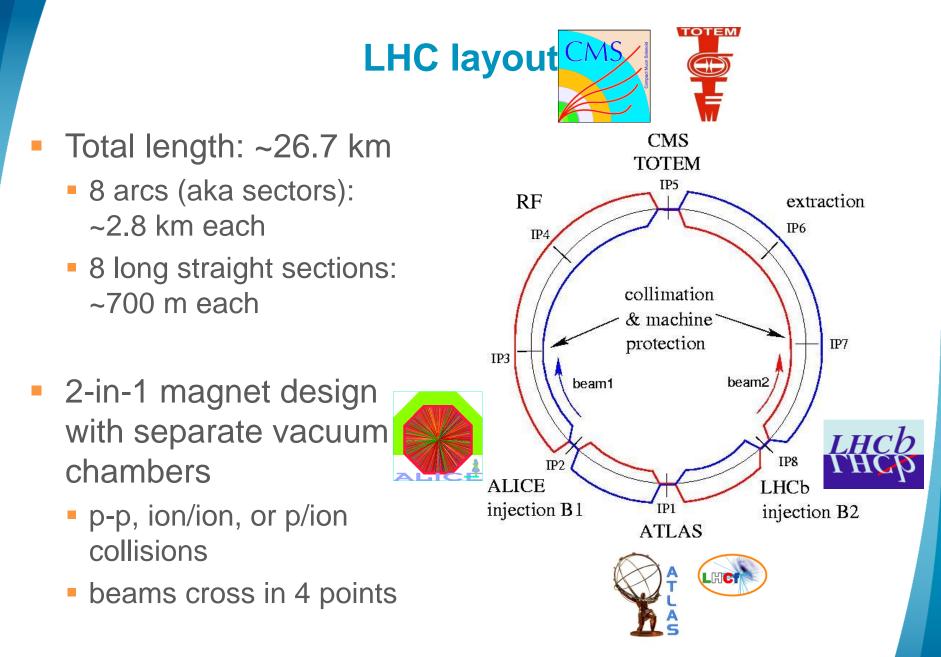
- Status: prototype
 - In BNL mirror test in July (4.2 m)
 - At CERN tooling being commission
 - Winding of 7 m coil (copper) started



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Baseline upgrades

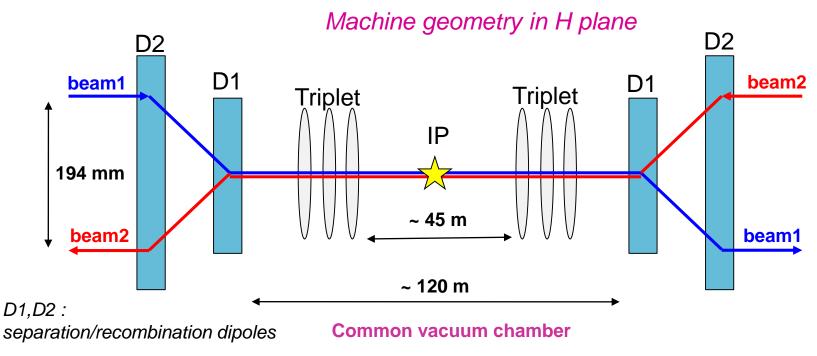






Interaction regions geometry

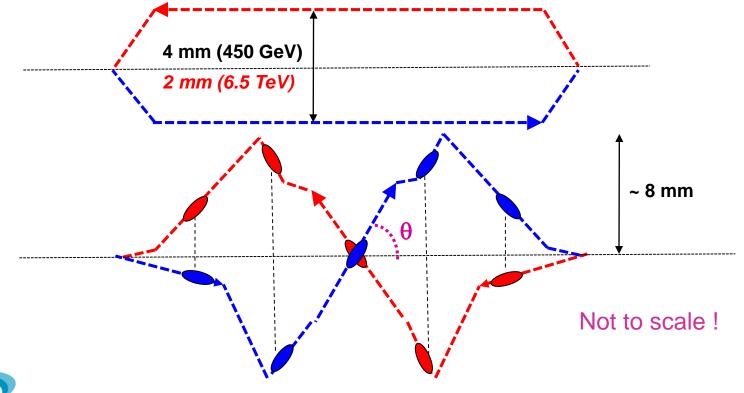
- In the IRs, the beams are first combined into a single common vacuum chamber and then re-separated in the horizontal plane,
- The beams move from inner to outer bore (or vice-versa),
- The triplet quadrupoles are used to focus the beam at the IP.





Separation and crossing

- Because of the tight bunch spacing and to prevent undesired parasitic collisions in the common vacuum chamber:
 - Parallel separation in one plane, collapsed to bring the beams in collision
 - Crossing angle in the other plane

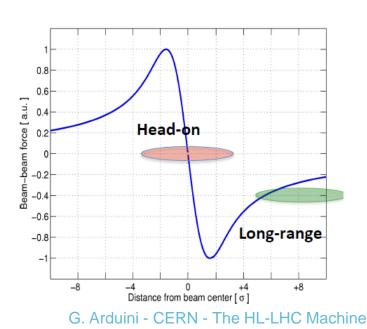


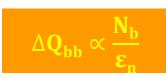


Beam-beam effects

- Strong non linear fields when counter-rotating beams share vacuum chamber.
- spread in betatronic frequencies -> risk of overlapping resonances driven by magnetic errors
- Minimize magnetic field errors and noise
 Paid off for the LHC
- Devise correction schemes and sorting
 Paid off for the LHC
- Initially expected to have limit at ∆Q_{BB} ~ 0.003/IP → exceeded by a factor 2







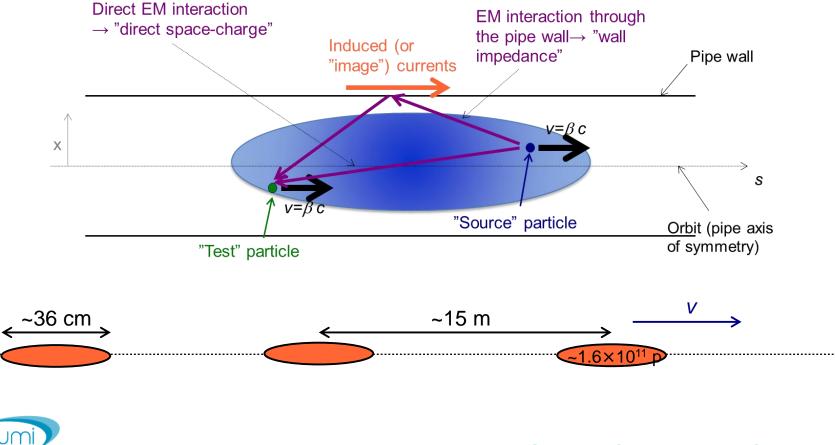
Head-on

Long-range



Wake fields and instabilities

• Wake fields can couple the head and tail of a bunch or consecutive bunches leading to instabilities



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Limitations: Cryogenics

