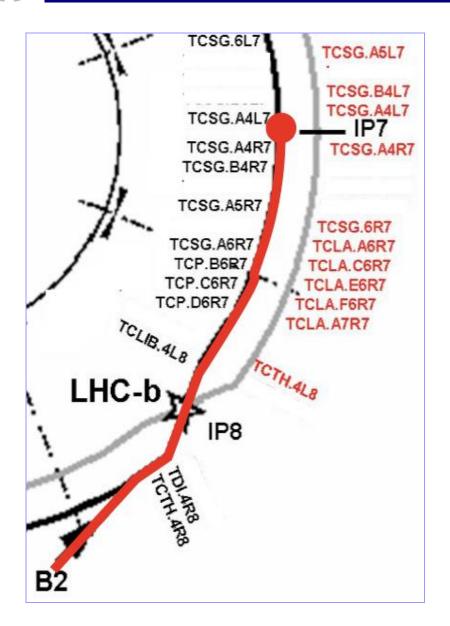
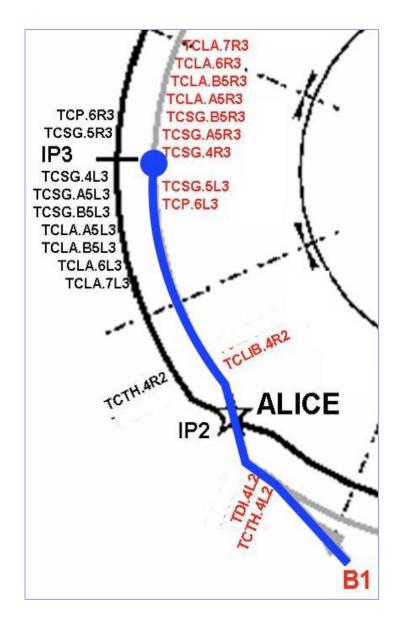


Injection test(s) 2009







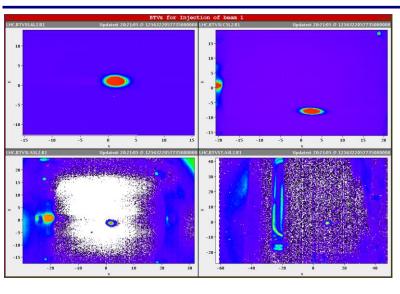
Main Objectives

- Injection region
 - □ aperture, protection, kickers
- Threading, energy matching
- Optics measurements
 - □ check re-matched lines and dispersion into LHC
 - □ polarities
- Beam instrumentation system response
 - □ BLMs, BPM (BST triggered acquisition)
- Aperture checks
- Check LHCb & Alice spectrometers

Pre-requisites and procedures detailed

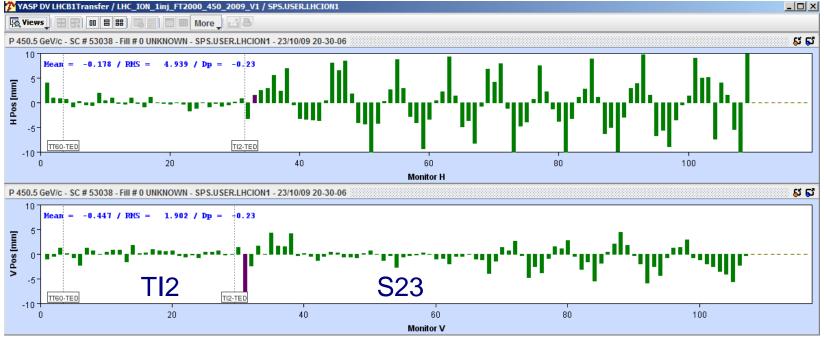


First lead ions in LHC



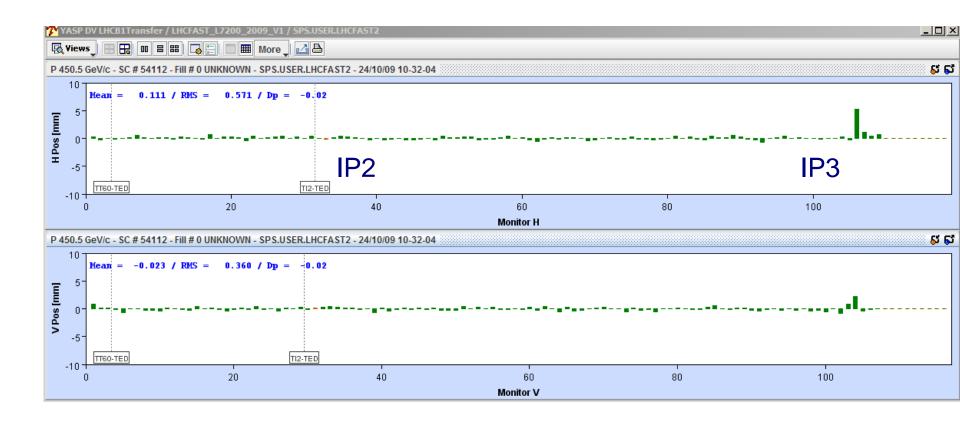
Injection region screens

TI2/S23 – first trajectory





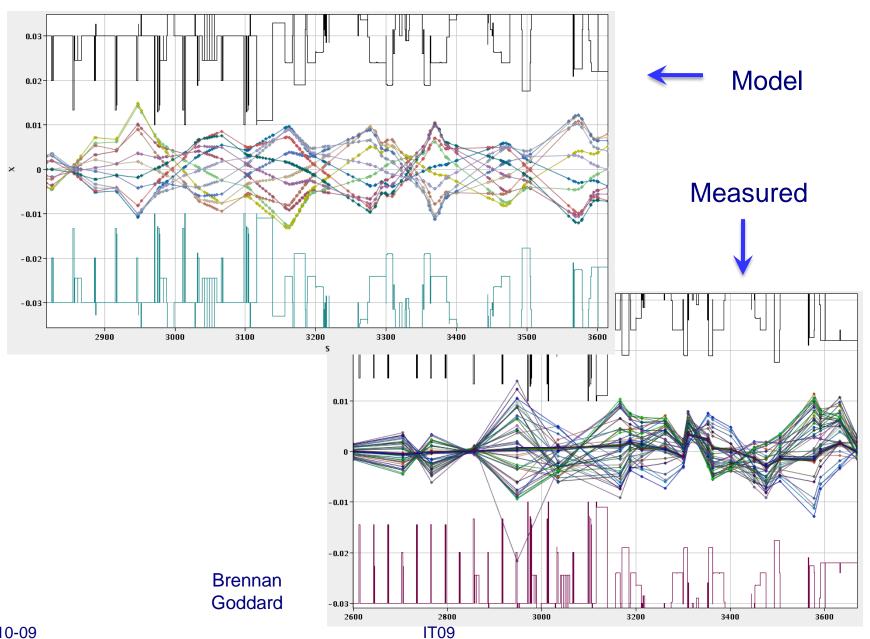
Trajectory difference before/after pre-cycle



Reproducibility looks very good

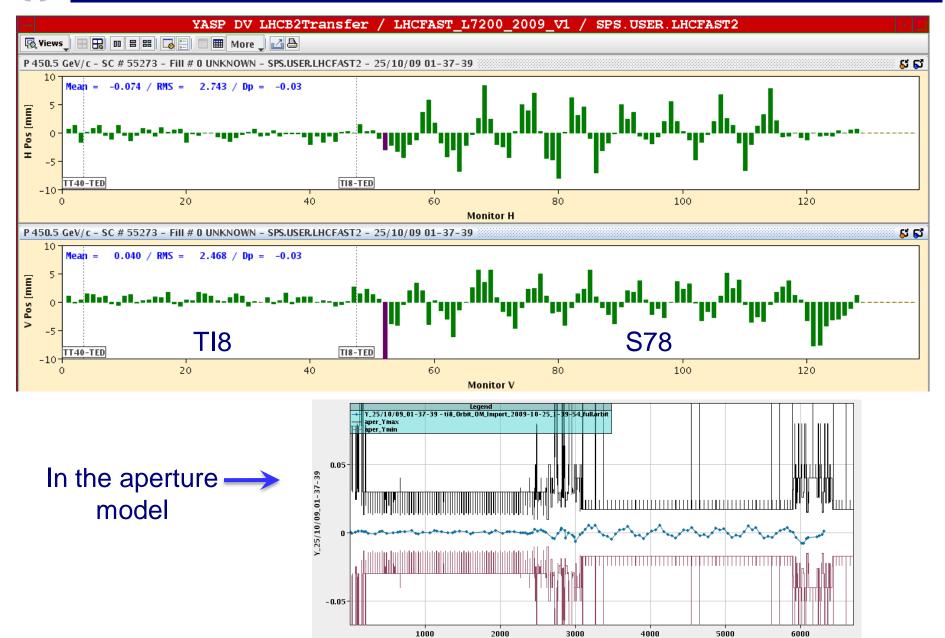


Injection region aperture





First beam to point 7

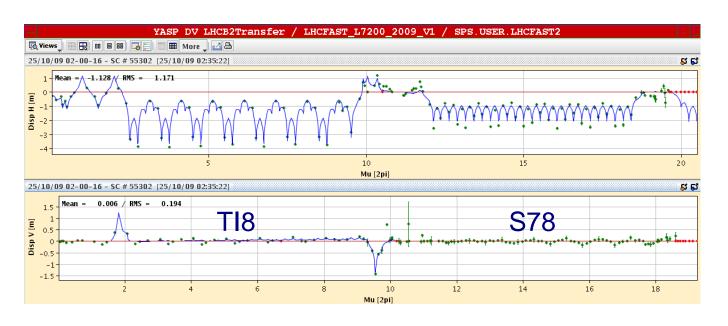


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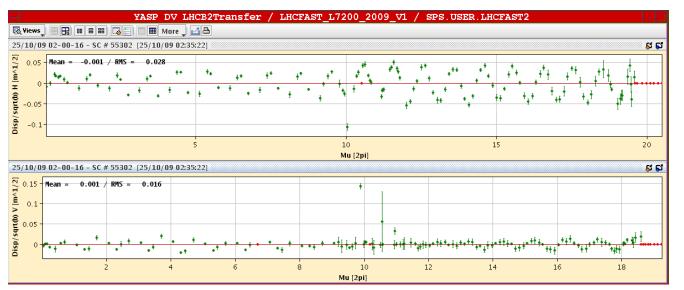
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Dispersion TI8/S78



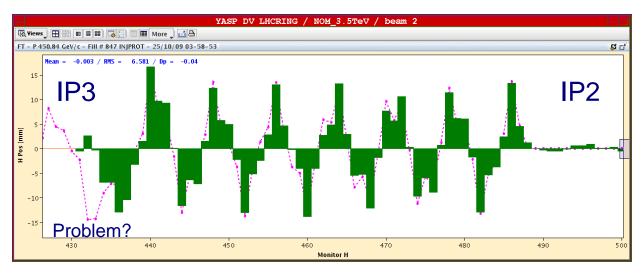
Measured v. model



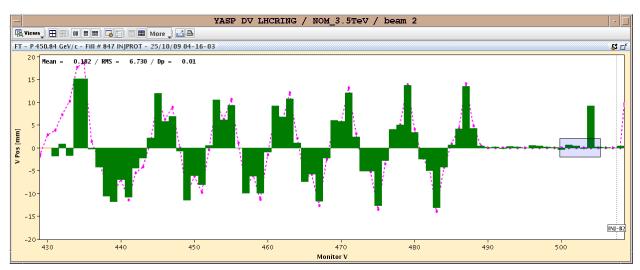
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Kick response







Green - Measured

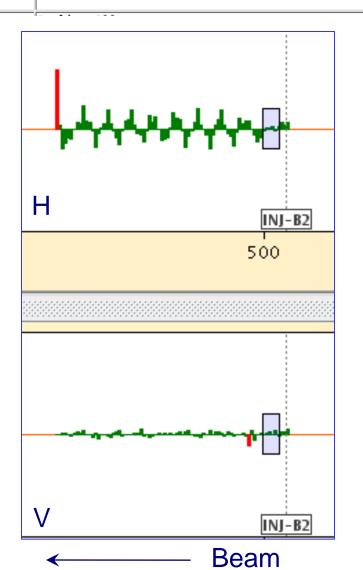
Purple - model

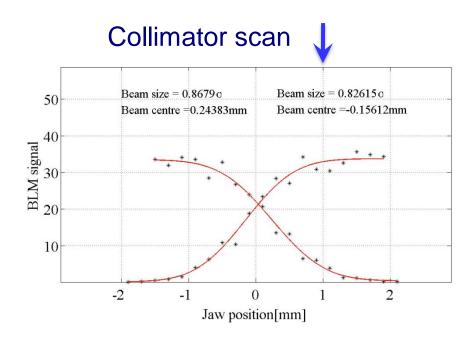


Sunday – Walter starts early...

Walter (with an old clock): after the first moments of dismay, start pre cycle of s23.

56 06:10 For this we need to coordinate with the aperture measurements in s78, because the sequence changes the beam process

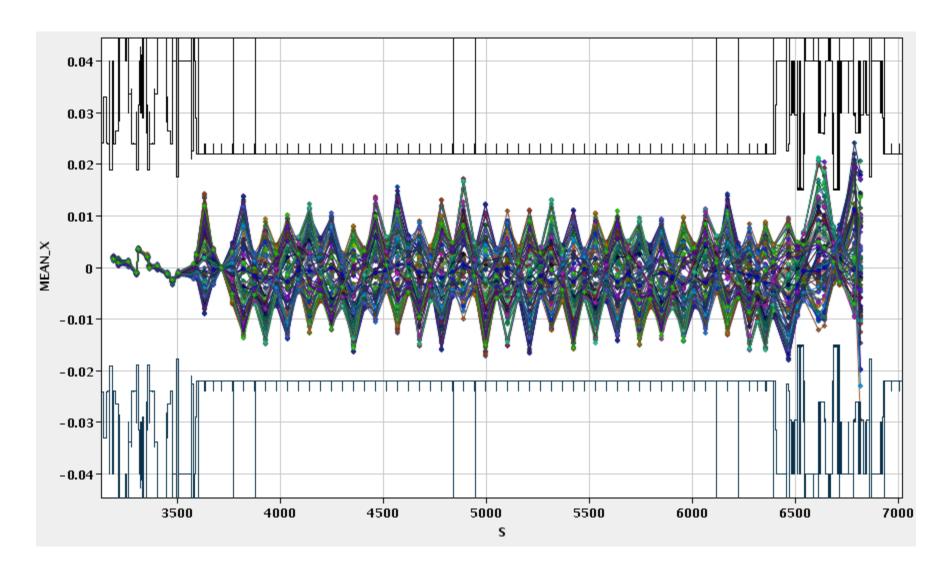




Non-closure of LHCb dipole and compensators with LHCb dipole at full field (rms ~ 1 mm)

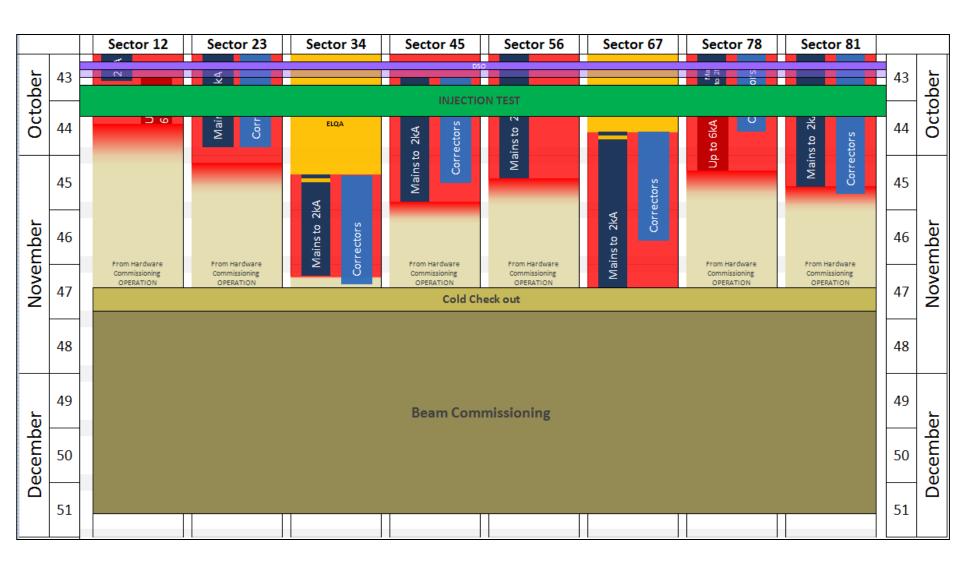


Aperture scans – Sector 23

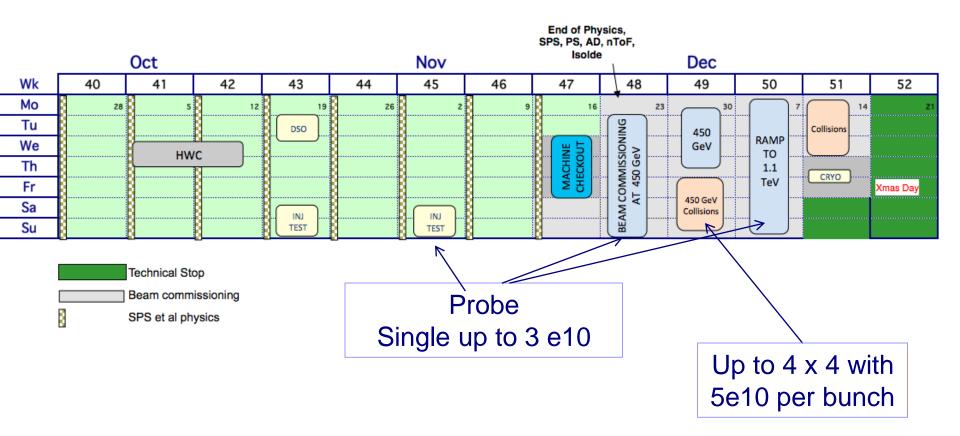




Schedule 2009



LHC 2009



- All dates approximate...
- Reasonable machine availability assumed
- Stop LHC with beam ~17th December 2009, restart ~ 7th January 2010