

MD2095: Heat load studies with 50 ns beams

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- The MD consists in filling the LHC with 50 ns trains with high bunch intensity (1.7e11 p/bunch), possibly with the full machine
 - The **operational cycle** will be used (with no major changes)
 - Flat-top (6.5 TeV) would be sufficient for heat load measurements but
 squeeze and collisions are of interest for other studies (see later)





- When operating with 25 ns beams, heat loads on the arc beam screens show large differences between sectors
- The **origin** of this difference is presently not understood, and the high-load sectors constitute a **limitation** for the (HL)LHC intensity reach
- Such a difference was not present during Run 1





From the available data the problem seems restricted to 25 ns case, but 50 ns and 100 ns fills in Run 2 had rather low total intensity

- Heat load measurements are quite poor for low load
- o Beam screen cooling system working in a different regime







- A 50 ns fill with high intensity would provide measurements with heat loads in the range of what is observed in 25 ns fills, but from very well known sources, i.e. synchrotron radiation and the impedance of the beam screen
- In these conditions it will **be interesting to check** whether:
 - The difference between sectors is observed
 - The cell-by-cell pattern is the same as for 25 ns





Comparison 25 ns and 50 ns beams with same train pattern and similar
bunch length can be used to exclude other impedances as the source of the
difference between sectors, as for any impedance the following relation
needs to be verified:



$$\left(\frac{BunchInt_{25ns}}{BunchInt_{50ns}}\right)^2$$





- 50 ns beams have been requested also for collimation MDs (MD2206) aiming at studying losses and collimation with high bunch intensity
 - Main goal is to investigate loss rates with high bunch intensity in comparison with 2012 experience (as recommended by HL-LHC electron lens review)
 - This MD could be part of the "mini ramp-up" in intensity needed to go to full machine and parasitic measurements on the fills with larger number of bunches would complete the study
- Other studies would profit from data collected with high intensity 50 ns beams, investigating open questions from 2012 and probing bunch intensities towards HL-LHC:
 - **Beam induced heating:** check behavior of sensitive elements with high bunch intensity
 - Beam-beam and luminosity modeling: observe the evolution of beam parameters i.e. lifetime, emittances, specific luminosity in presence of a stronger head-on in combination with long ranges (MD2209)
 - **Stability:** study instabilities observed with high intensity in 2012 profiting of improved knowledge of machine parameters (Q', coupling)



- Systems that might need to be tuned/verified (to be checked in detail):
 - Injection
 - Interlock BPMs in IP6
 - Orbit measurements
 - ADT (high intensity settings need to be prepared also for high pile-up test with 8b4e?)
- Possible ramp-up:
 - A few trains (could be collimation MD)
 - 300b
 - 600b
 - 1300b



Thanks of your attention!

**** Case: 50 ns, high intensity ****

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Bunch intensity: 1.70ell p/bunch

Number of bunches: 1278

Bunch length (4 sigmas): 1.10 ns

Energy: 6500 GeV

Heat loads (for 2 beams):

- Impedance 10.5 W/half-cell

- Synchrotron radiation 9.2 W/half-cell

Total 19.7 W/half-cell
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**** Case: 25 ns ****

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Bunch intensity: 1.10ell p/bunch

Number of bunches: 2256

Bunch length (4 sigmas): 1.10 ns

Energy: 6500 GeV

Heat loads (for 2 beams):

- Impedance 7.7 W/half-cell

- Synchrotron radiation 10.6 W/half-cell

Total 18.3 W/half-cell
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