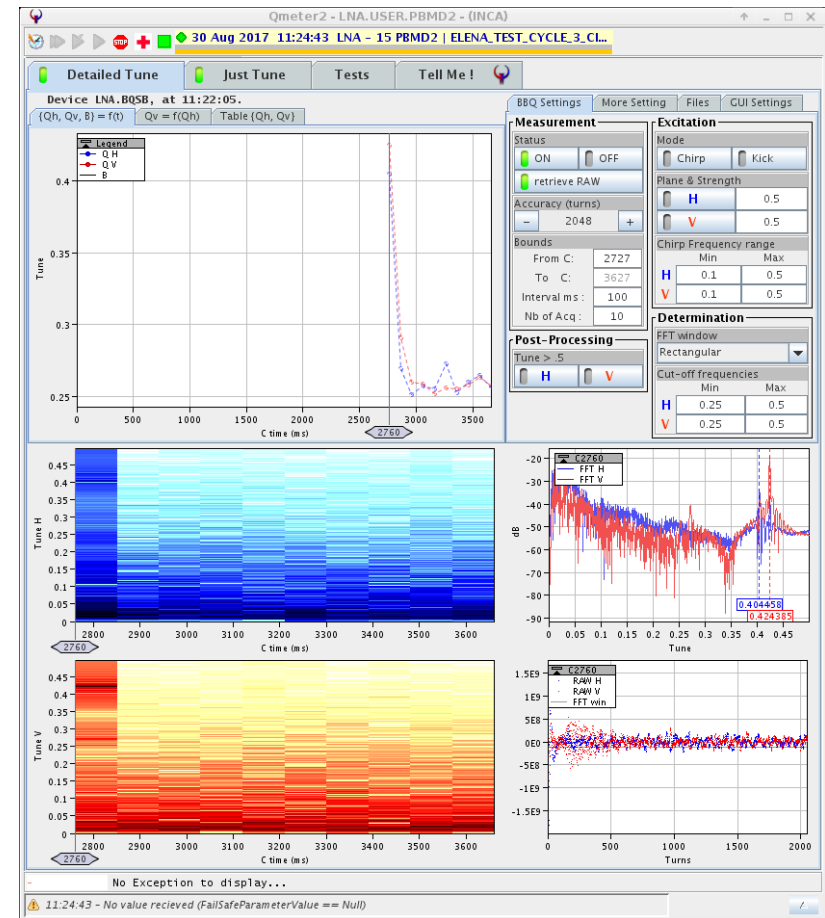




- Agenda:
- Approval of minutes
- Recent beam progress T.Eriksson
- RF progress, issues & priorities M.Jaussi
- Beam profile measurements P.Grandemange
- E-cooler magnetic measurements G.Tranquille
- AOB

- Recent activities:
- Pbar shifts mainly used for RF and scraper system commissioning
- 2 days for survey system measurements
- B-train calibration
- BBQ tune measurements
 - Pbars at 5.3 MeV, no excitation
 - Verified by change of tune settings



Issues



- Bpm signals have jumps spaced by ~ 160 ms.
- 2kHz occasional freq. offset at 5.3 MeV. Seems ok after B-tran high marker timing adjustment
- H- trajectory and injection not reproducible.....
- H- not very useful for beam commissioning for the moment



ELENA Beam Commissioning – next steps



- **Consolidation of injection line and injection into ring**
 - Improved reproducibility of injection – efficiency should be increased (H-)
 - Further studies to understand and empirically improve line and injection
- **First 85 keV beam (H⁻ and/or protons) for GBAR**
 - Requires profile monitors – 2 out of 3 installed. No readout electronics yet...
 - Setting up of RF synchro for Gbar H⁻ ejection
- **Pbar xfer from AD**
 - Set-up RF synchro
- **(Acceleration) Deceleration**
 - Setting up of LL RF; phase and radial loops
 - LPU signal quality vs. phase/radial loops
- **Setting up of antiproton cycle**
 - Requires electron cooler to be available and installed
- **Commissioning of instrumentation and understanding machine at low energy**
 - Orbit system – consolidate orbit correction (some corrections done successfully) and orbit response studies
 - Tomoscope – observe bunching & independent intensity estimate)
 - Tune (measurement and) corrections