



Update on correlation between DA and Lifetime with Beam-Beam

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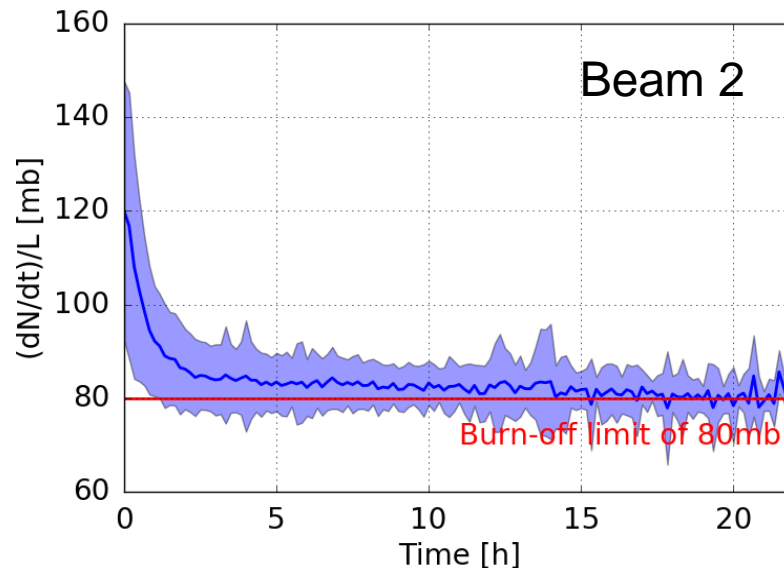
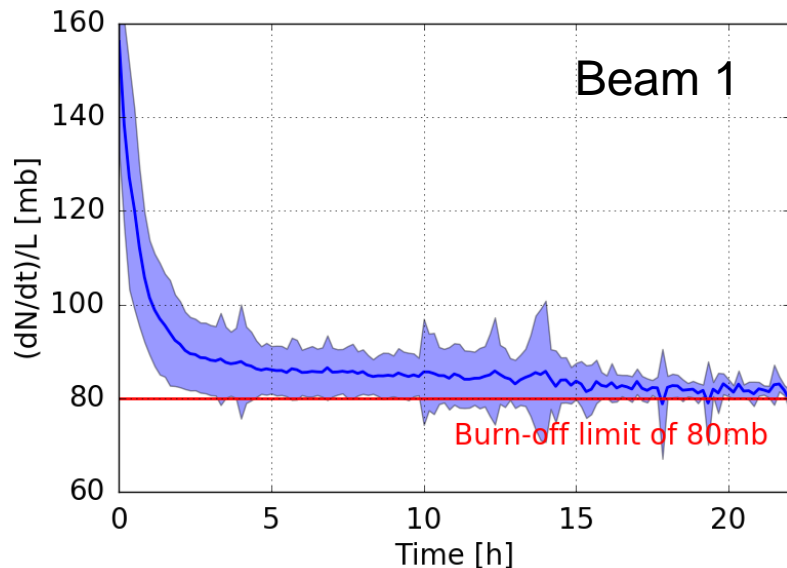
A foreword on DA

- The DA obtained from tracking simulations depends on several **conventions**:
 - Number of turns: 1M = 90 s of beam time
 - Choice of initial momentum: $27e-5 \sim \frac{3}{4}$ of the bucket height (see also D. Pellegrini, 81st WP2)
 - Number of angles for min DA: 5
 - Specific machine realisation (typically without errors)
 - LHCb normally in the good polarity, levelled by separation at $2e32$ Hz/cm²
- We use them as a **reference** for the DA vs lifetime comparison (i.e. different considerations can lead to different DA vs lifetime correlation).

Experience from 2016

Recap from 93rd WP2

Losses during the fill

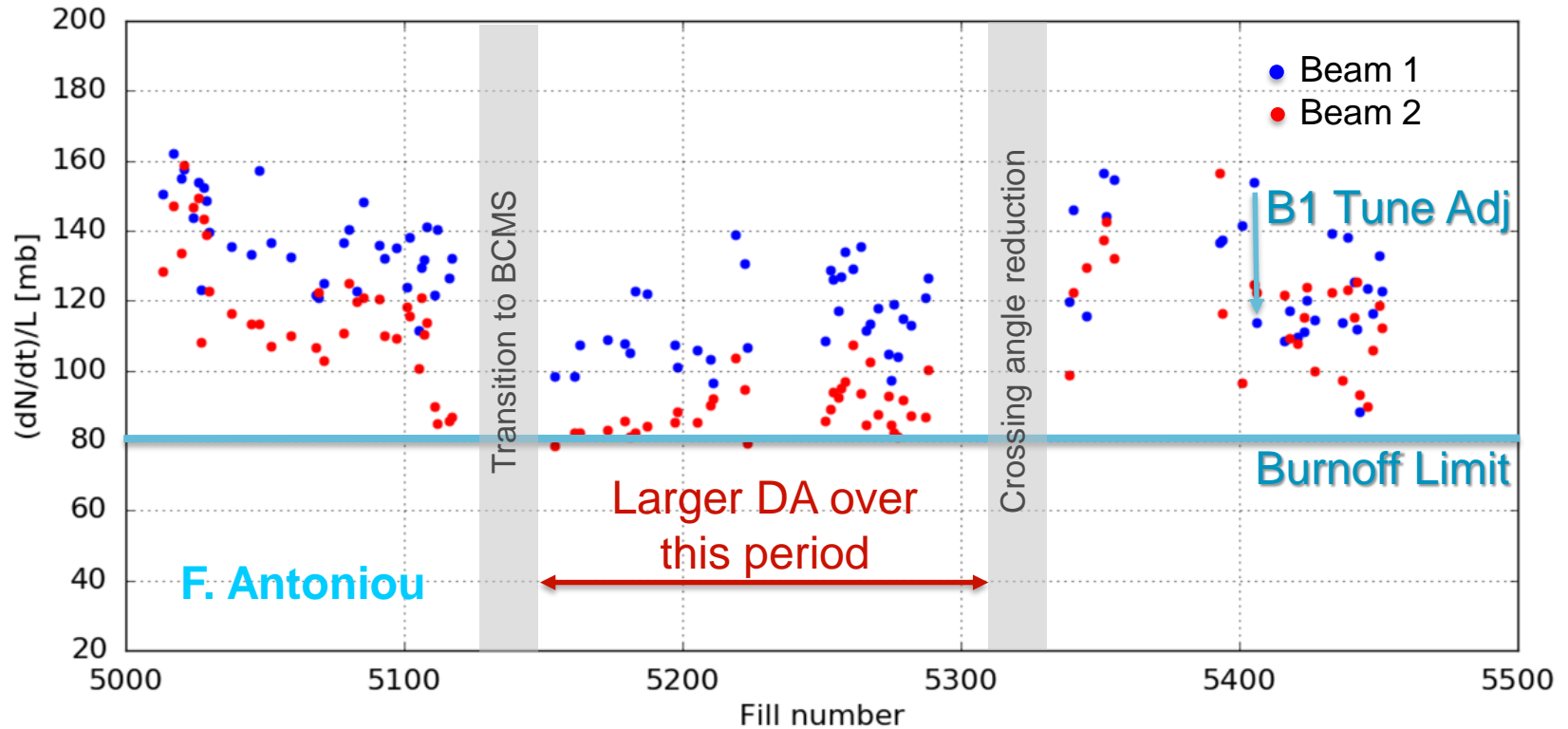


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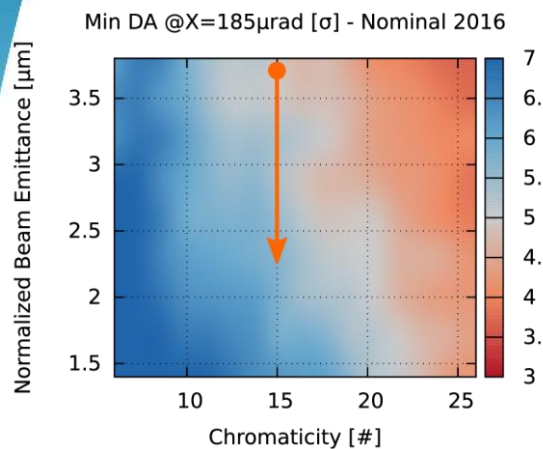
- Normalised loss-rate, approaches burn-off limit within first **2-3h**.
- These early losses appear to be **correlated** with DA.

1st hour losses along the year

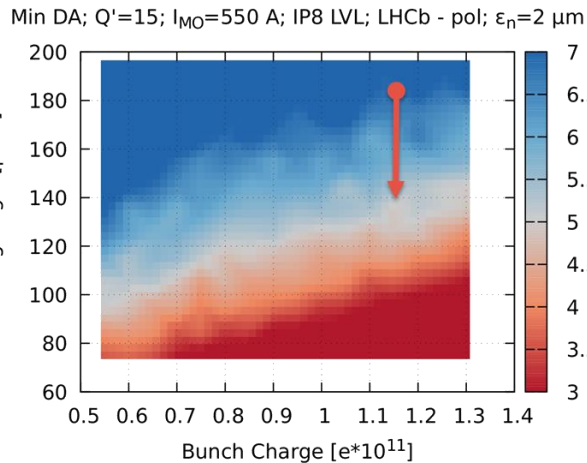
Averaged over the first 1.0h



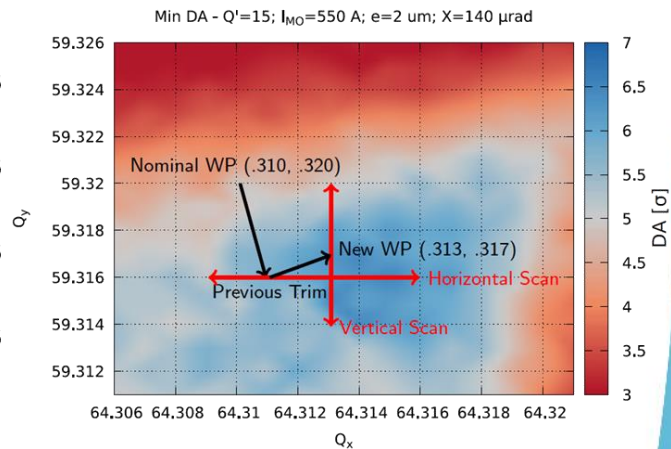
DA follow up along 2016 Run



- Reduction of emittance, increasing the DA from **5 to 6 σ**



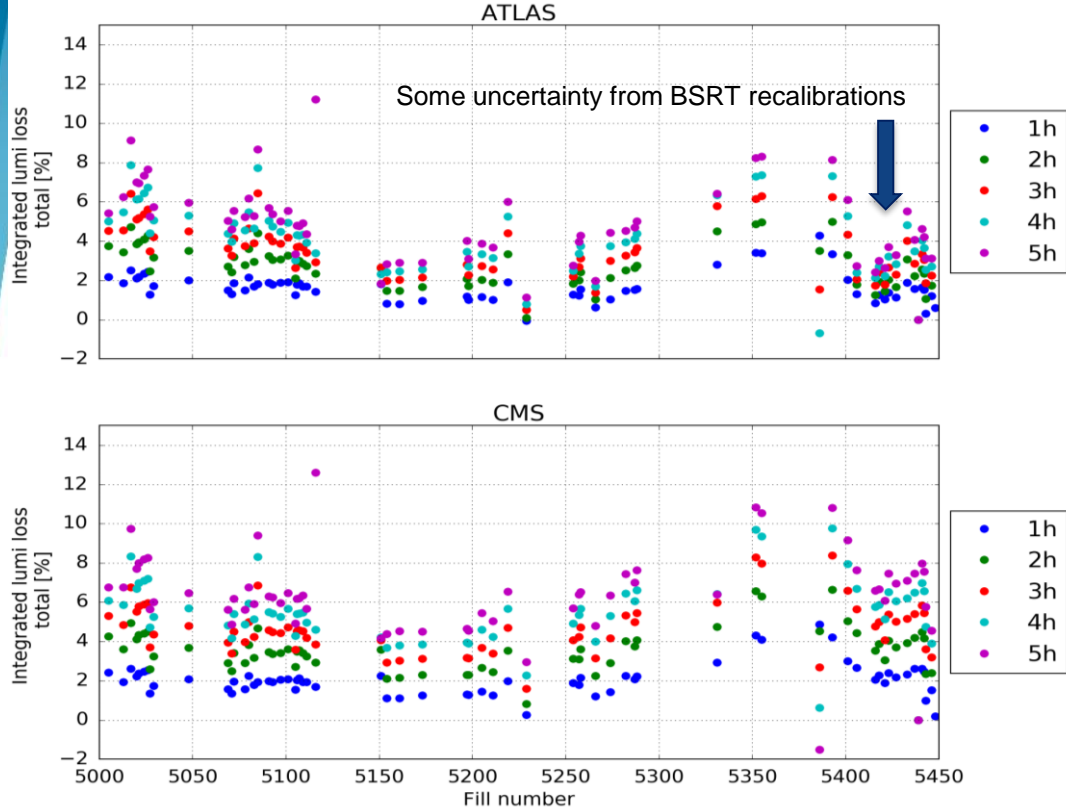
- Reduction of crossing angle, reducing the DA from **6 to 5 σ**



- Tune adjustment bringing restoring the DA from **5 to 6 σ**

What is the impact on the integrated luminosity?

Luminosity loss



- The integrated **luminosity loss** along the fills from:
- emittance blow-up (compared to the expected evolution), extending for the entire fill duration.
 - beam losses localised in the **first few hours**.

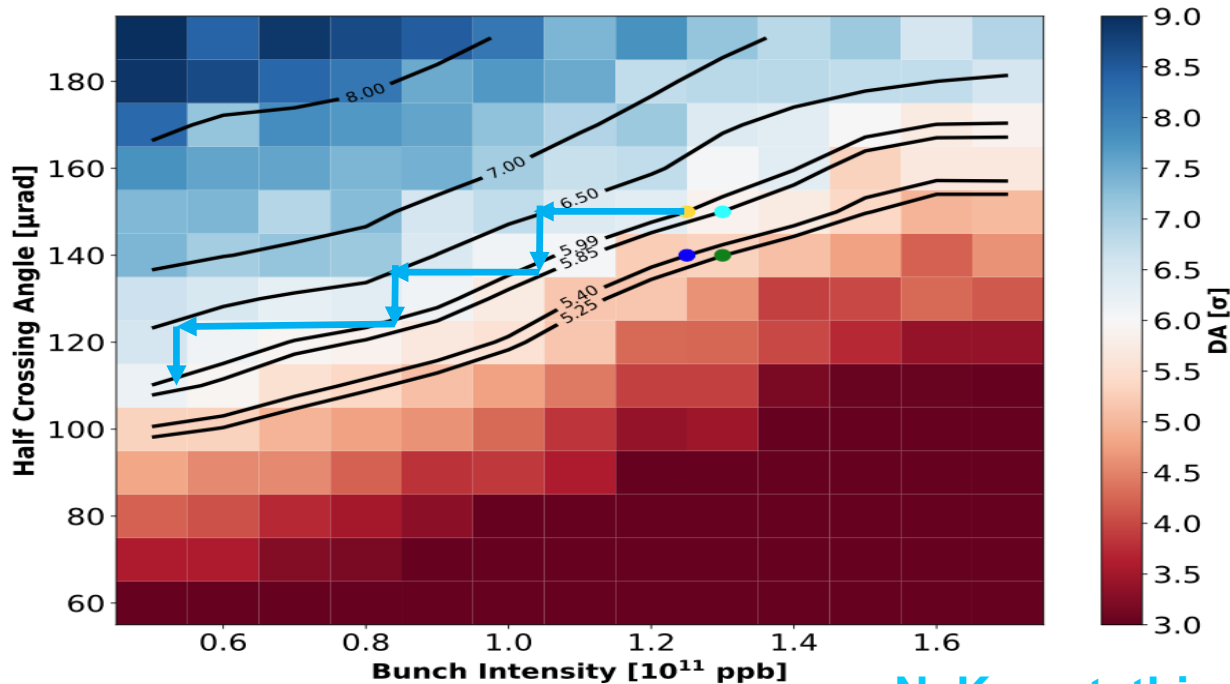
The contribution of losses is up to **2~3 %**, while the crossing reduction came with a **10 %** increase.

Trading DA for performances can be worth the losses.

Improvements in 2017

Crossing angle anti-leveling: a test for DA

LHC 2017; $8b4e_1$; $\beta^*=30$ cm; $(Q_x, Q_y)=(62.314, 61.320)$
 $I_{Mo}=330$ A; $Q'=15$; $\epsilon=2.5$ μm ; Min DA.

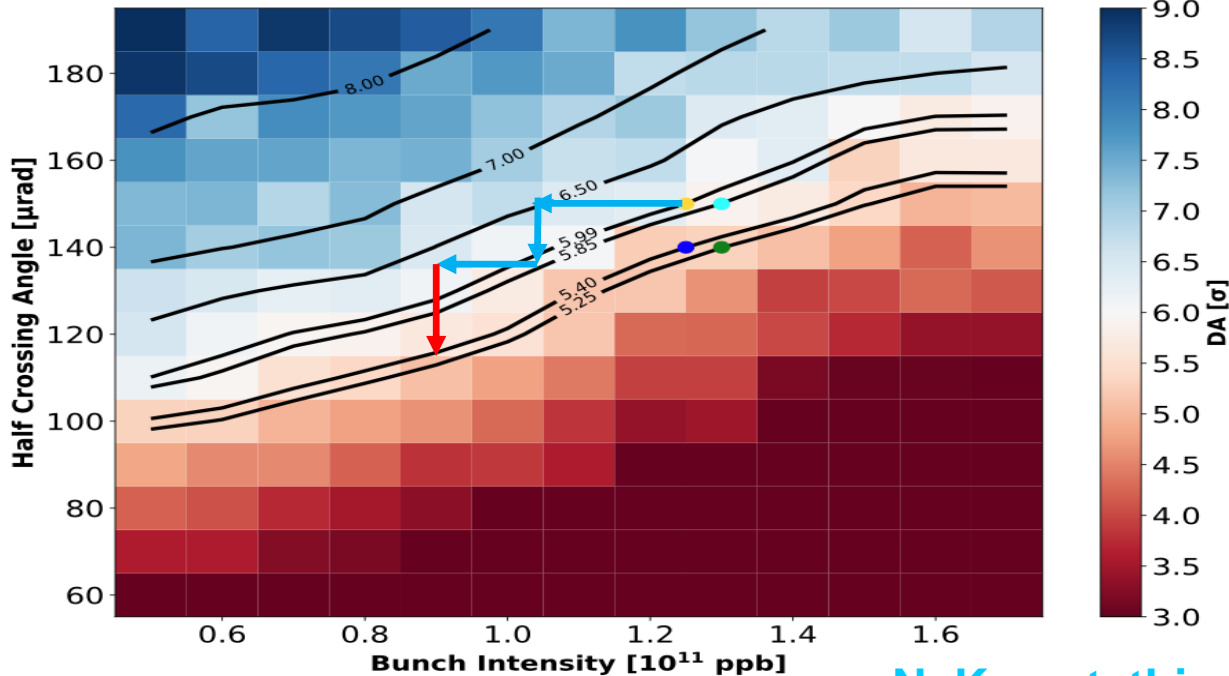


- Each intensity allows for a specific crossing angle in terms of DA
- Steps for crossing angle reduction based on DA simulations
- Steps translated into time for OP...

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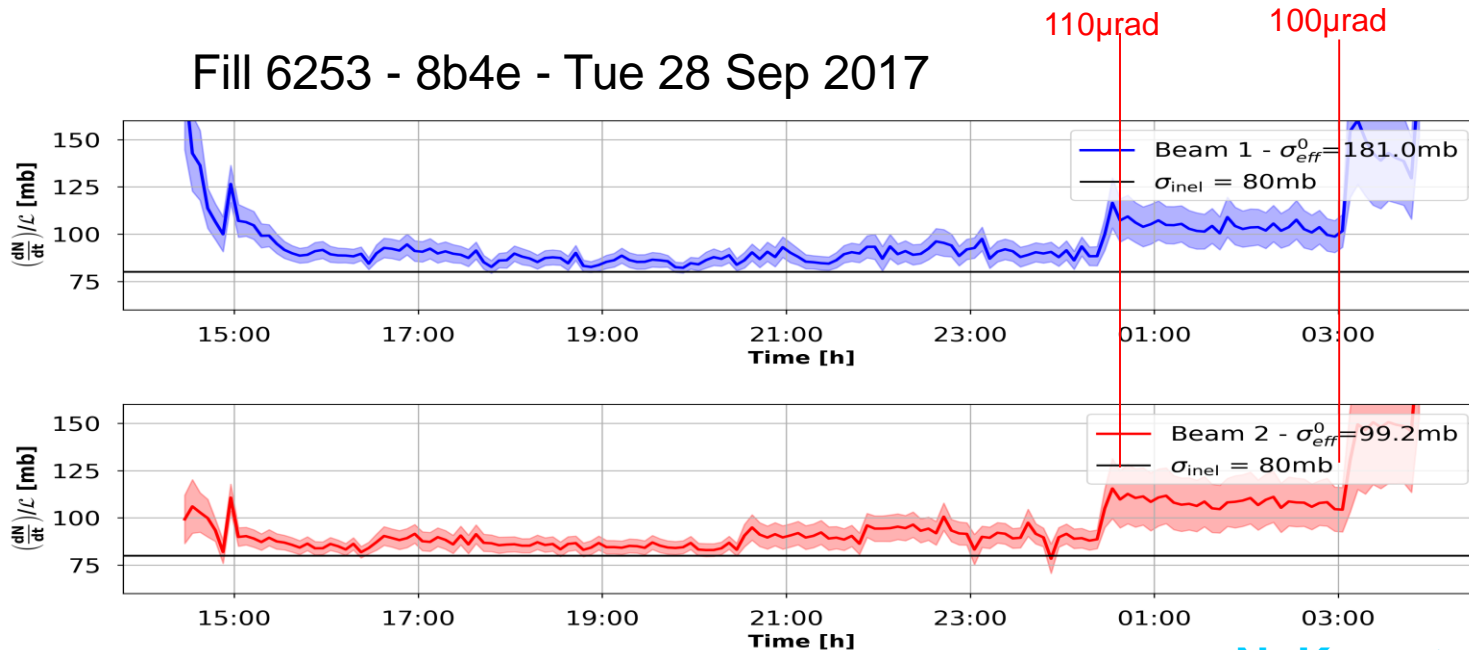


- Reduction steps not always applied at the right intensity
- Sometimes resulting in aggressive settings

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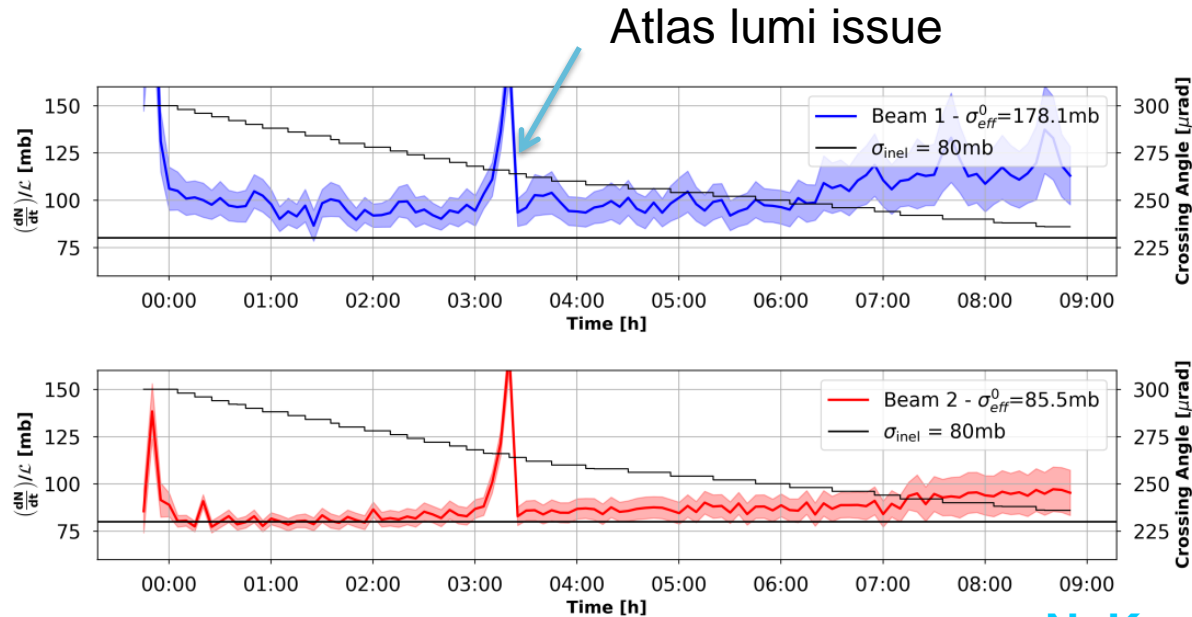
Fill 6253 - 8b4e - Tue 28 Sep 2017



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- Lifetime approaches the burnoff limit very quickly.
- Aggressive settings are seen on the beam lifetime and cross section.

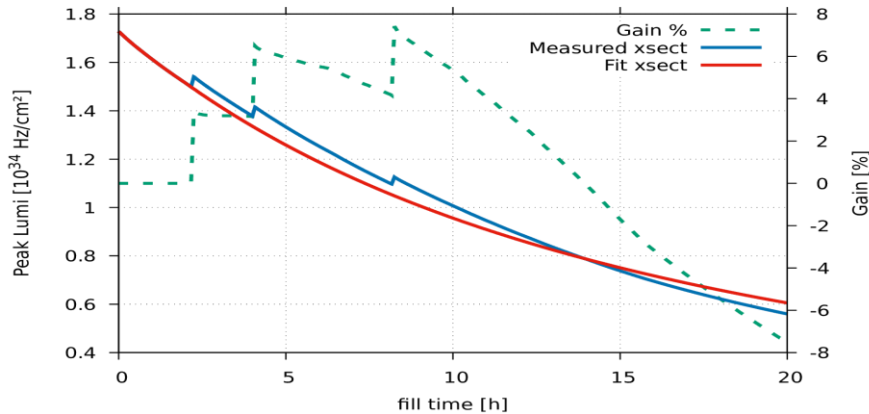
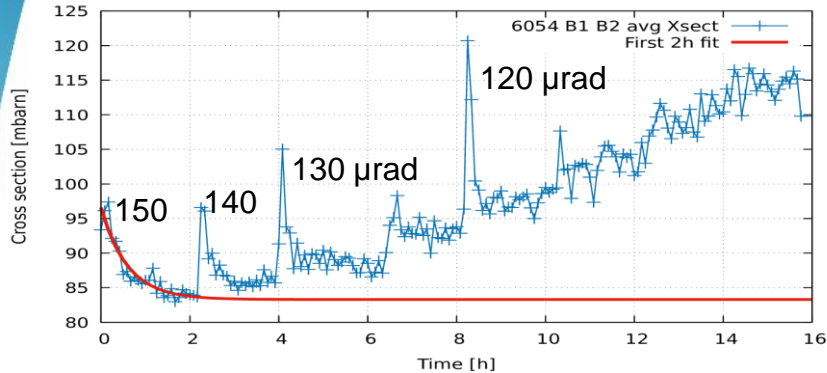
Fill 6061: Continuous variation of crossing angle



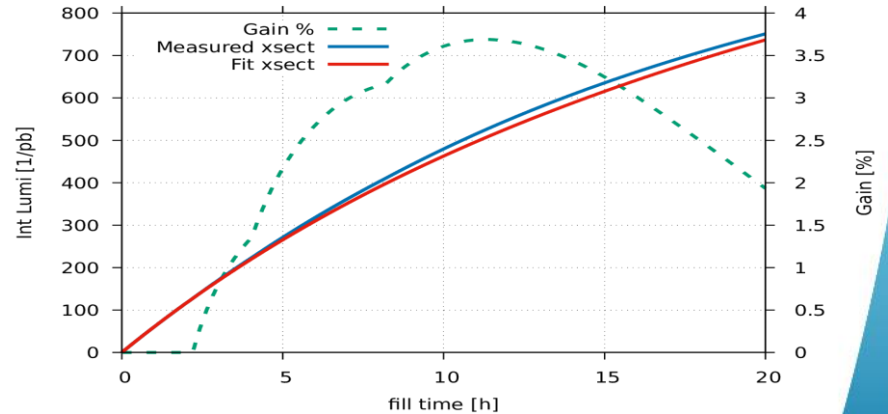
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- Smooth losses without large dips
- Proposed for HL-LHC

A word on performance



- Perform integration with:
 - Measured (fill 6054) cross section and realistic crossing angle steps,
 - Cross section fitted on the first 2h and fixed crossing angle.
- Aggressive crossing steps, still ~3% gain of integrated luminosity.

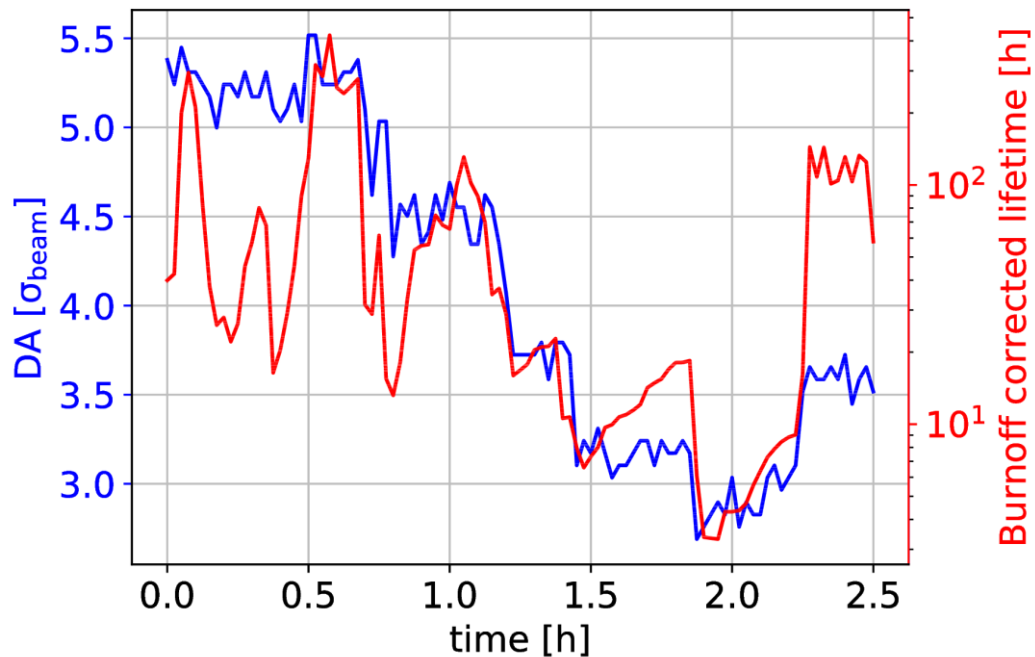


Putting all together

- **Feed** all the machine settings and beam measurements to DA simulations and **benchmark** with lifetime.
- **MD2209** (G. Iadarola, D. Pellegrini et al.) Crossing angle with high intensity 8b4e bunches chosen:
 - Reduction of the crossing angle in steps;
 - Very good tune and lumi control along the fill;
 - Attempt to recover lifetime at the smallest crossing by reducing octupoles and chroma.

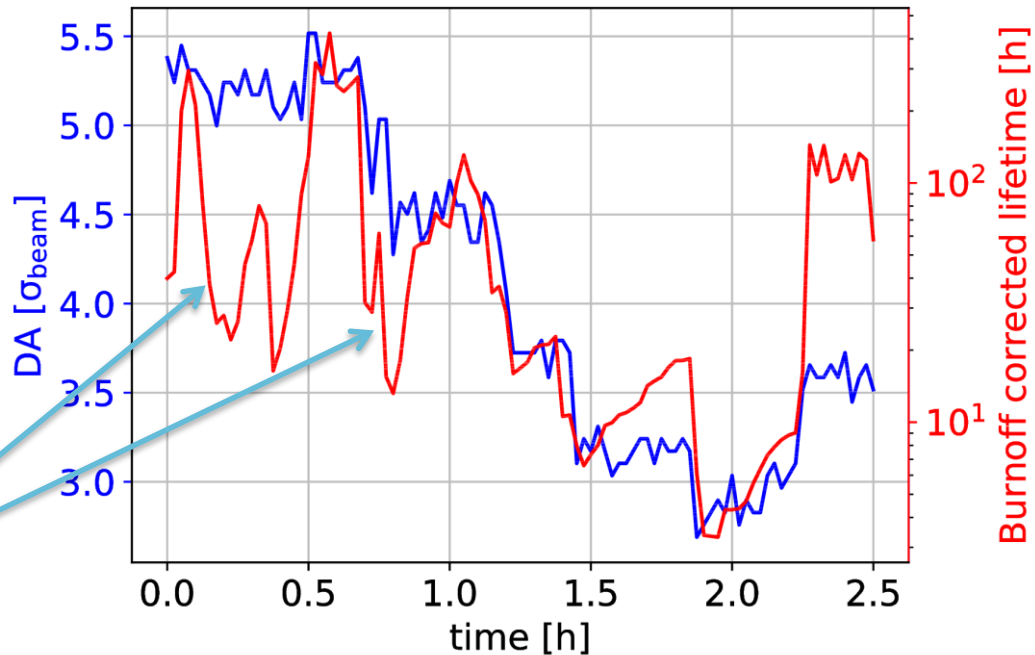
Lifetime vs DA

LHC MD 2209 - Crossing angle with high intensity 8b4e



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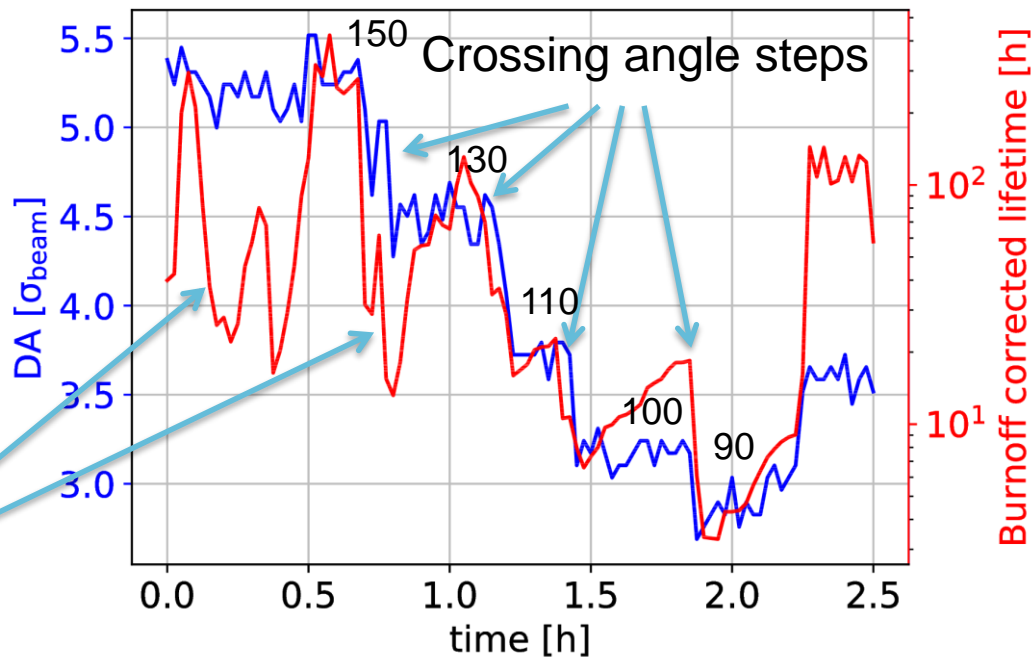
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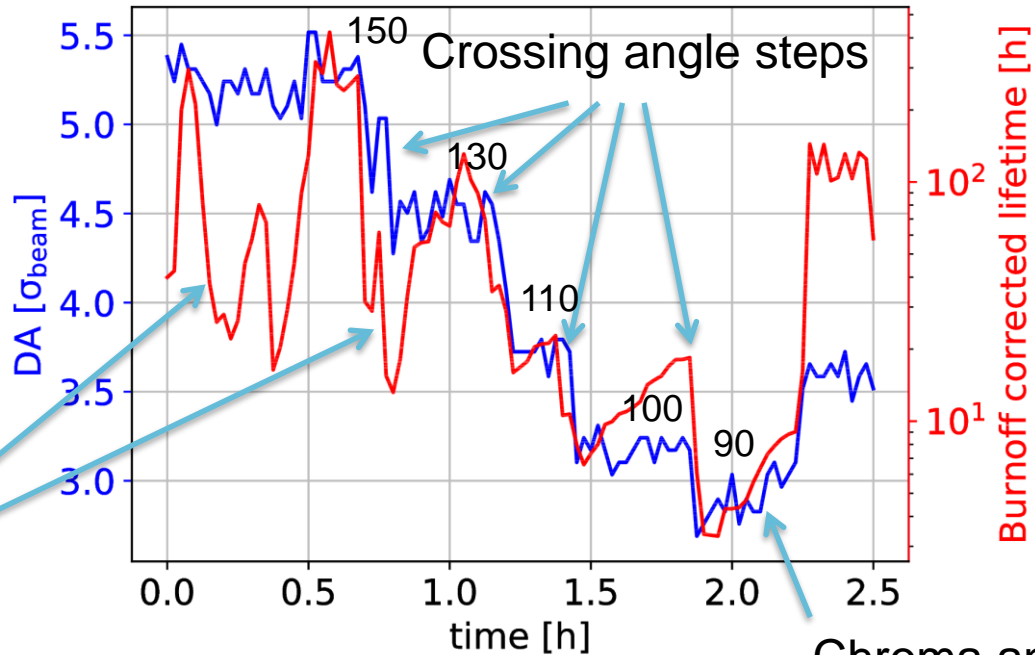
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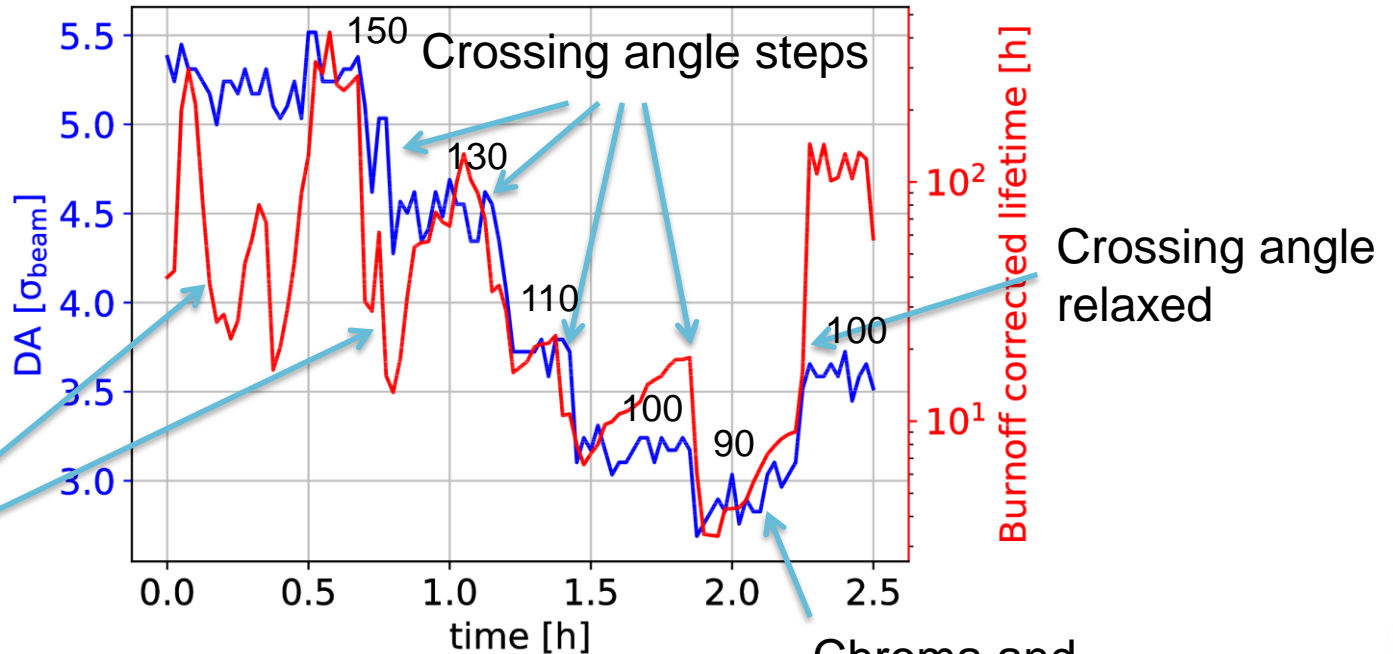
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Conclusions

- Flexible crossing angle operation **extremely useful**, also in MDs!
- First-of-the-kind exercise of **feeding** of both beam and machine parameters along the fill to DA simulations.
- Remarkable **agreement** between the steps in burnoff-corrected lifetime and DA.
- DA can be affected by **systematics**.
- Cannot reproduce the **raise** of lifetime after aggressive steps or when relaxing the crossing angle:
 - Intensity and emittance variations are **not enough** to explain.

Outlook

- Move to **lifetime** simulations, taking into account the particles already lost in the previous tracking intervals to understand the quick gain of lifetime after the perturbations.
- Extend the analysis to additional fills to improve the **statistics**.
- Possibly **identify** more lifetime-affecting settings in order to improve the general understanding.
- Initiate **beam 2** simulations with beam-beam.



Backup

