

LHC Commissioning and First Operation

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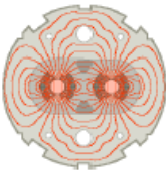
(On behalf of the LHC team and international collaborators)

Superconducting Proton Accelerator and Collider
installed in a 27km circumference underground tunnel (tunnel cross-section diameter 4m) at
CERN

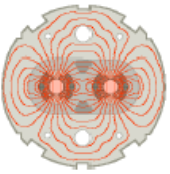
Tunnel was built for LEP collider in 1985



LHC: Some Technical Challenges



Circumference (km)	26.7	100-150m underground
Number of superconducting twin-bore Dipoles	1232	Cable Nb-Ti, cold mass 37million kg
Length of Dipole (m)	14.3	
Dipole Field Strength (Tesla)	8.4	Results from the high beam energy needed
Operating Temperature (K) (cryogenics system)	1.9	Superconducting magnets needed for the high magnetic field Super-fluid helium
Current in dipole sc coils (A)	13000	Results from the high magnetic field 1ppm resolution
Beam Intensity (A)	0.5	$2.2 \cdot 10^{-6}$ loss causes quench
Beam Stored Energy (MJoules)	362	Results from high beam energy and high beam current 1MJ melts 1.5kg Cu
Magnet Stored Energy (MJoules)/octant	1100	Results from the high magnetic field
Sector Powering Circuit	8	1612 different electrical circuits

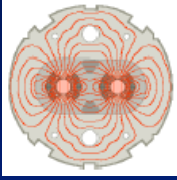


Topics

- The Past 21 months (reminder)
- The Present (status)
- The Future
 - Short term
 - Medium term
 - Long term



Incident of September 19th 2008



A very impressive start-up with beam on September 10, 2008

During a few days period without beam

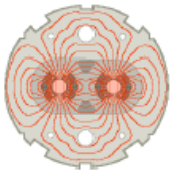
Making the last step of dipole circuit in sector 34, to 9.3kA

At 8.7kA, development of resistive zone in the dipole bus bar splice between Q24 R3 and the neighbouring dipole

Electrical arc developed which punctured the helium enclosure



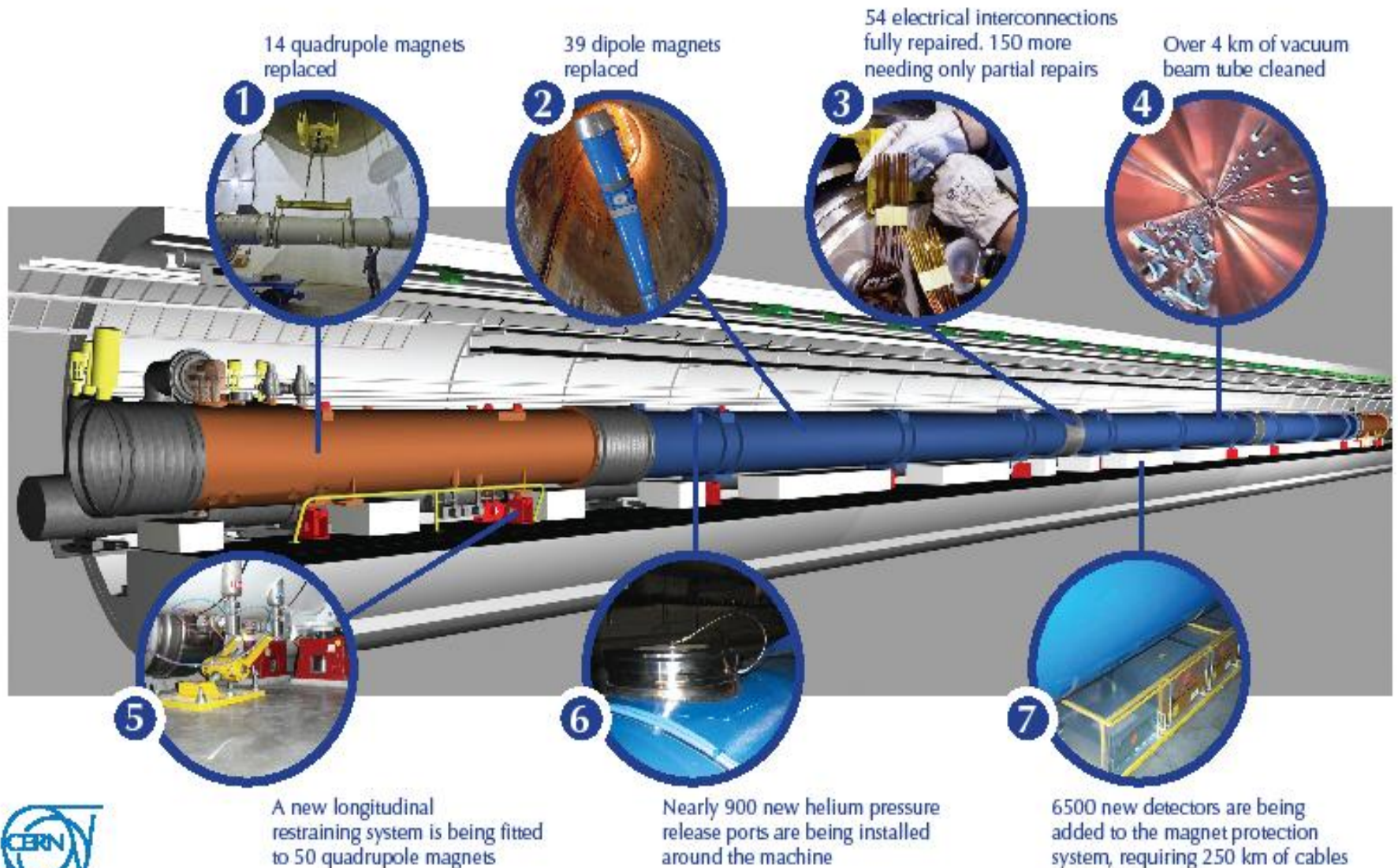
Summary LHC Commissioning (1)



2008

- 2008
 - Accelerator complete
 - Ring cold and under vacuum
- September 10th 2008
 - First beams around
- September 19th 2008
 - The incident
- 2008 – 2009
 - 14 months of major **repairs** and **consolidation**
 - New **Quench Protection System** for online monitoring and protection of all joints.

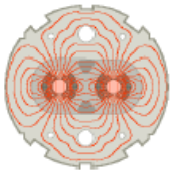
The LHC repairs in detail



+ 8 cryogenics!



Summary of LHC Commissioning (2)

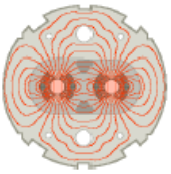


- November 20th 2009 2009
 - First beams around again
- November 29th 2009
 - Both beams accelerated to 1.18 TeV simultaneously
- December 8th 2009
 - 2x2 accelerated to 1.18 TeV LHC - highest energy collider
 - First collisions at 2.36 TeV cm!
- December 14th 2009
 - Stable 2x2 at 1.18 TeV
 - Collisions in all four experiments

Limited to 2 kA in main circuits (1.18 TeV) during deployment and testing of new Quench Protection System

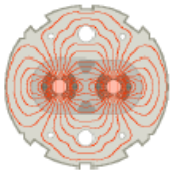


Decided Scenario 2010-2011



Following the technical discussions in Chamonix (Jan 2010) the CERN management and the LHC experiments decided

- Run at 3.5 TeV/beam up to a integrated luminosity of around 1fb^{-1} .
- Then consolidate the whole machine for 7TeV/beam (during a shutdown in 2012)
- From 2013 onwards LHC will be capable of maximum energies and luminosities



Why do we limit the beam energy to 3.5TeV in 2010-2011?

All the work we have done since November 2008 makes us certain that a **repeat** of September 19 can NEVER happen.

The offending connector in this incident had an estimated resistance of $220\text{n}\Omega$. We have measured all 10,000 inter-magnet connectors and the maximum resistance we have seen is $2.8\text{n}\Omega$.

BUT in April 2009, we have uncovered a different possible failure scenario which could under certain circumstances produce an electric arc in the “copper stabilizers” of the magnet interconnects

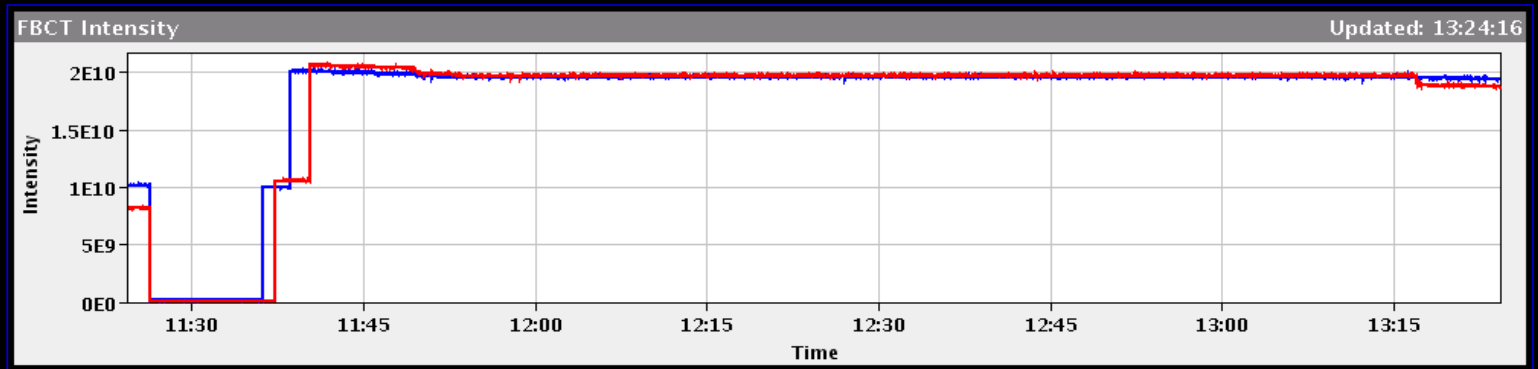
LHC1

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LHC Page1 Fill: 1005 E: 3500 GeV 30-03-2010 13:24:16

PROTON PHYSICS: STABLE BEAMS

Energy: 3500 GeV I(B1): 1.88e+10 I(B2): 1.68e+10



First Collisions at 3.5TeV/beam

Comments 30-03-2010 13:22:57 :

Stable beams!

BIS status and SMP flags

B1 B2

Link Status of Beam Permits	true	true
Global Beam Permit	true	true
Setup Beam	true	true
Beam Presence	true	true
Moveable Devices Allowed In	true	true
Stable Beams	true	true

LHC Operation in CCC : 77600, 70480

PM Status B1 ENABLED PM Status B2 ENABLED

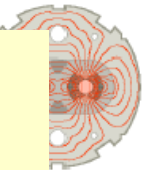
Summary of Luminosity Evolution 2010



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Easter: A very good 48 hour period!

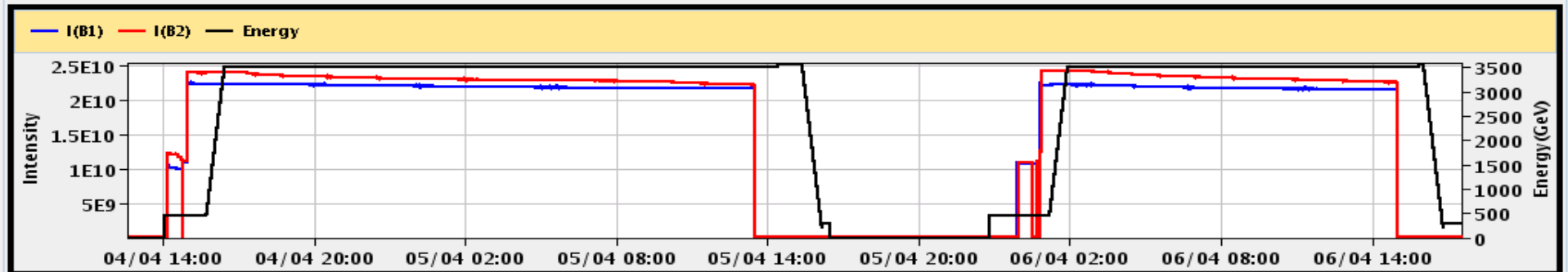


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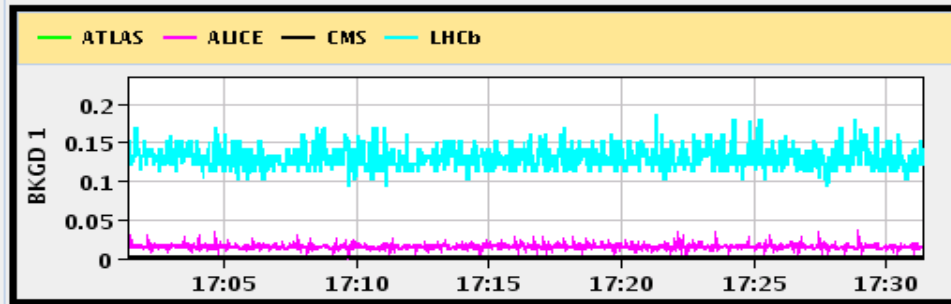
Energy: 297.4 GeV I(B1): 1.55e+08 I(B2): 7.01e+07

ALICE	CMS	LHCb
NOT READY	STANDBY	STANDBY
0.000e+00	0.000e+00	8.989e-04
4.059e-32	2.086e-11	1.635e-32
0.014	0.002	0.131
0.000	0.002	0.002
0.005	0.003	0.037
Position OUT	Gap: 58.0 mm	TOTEM: CALIBRATION

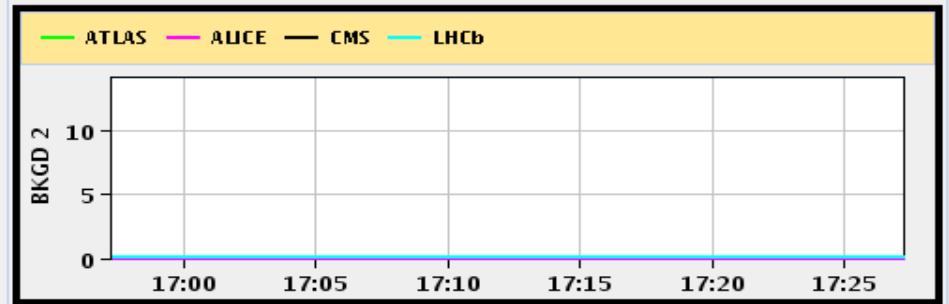
Performance over the last 12 Hrs



Background 1



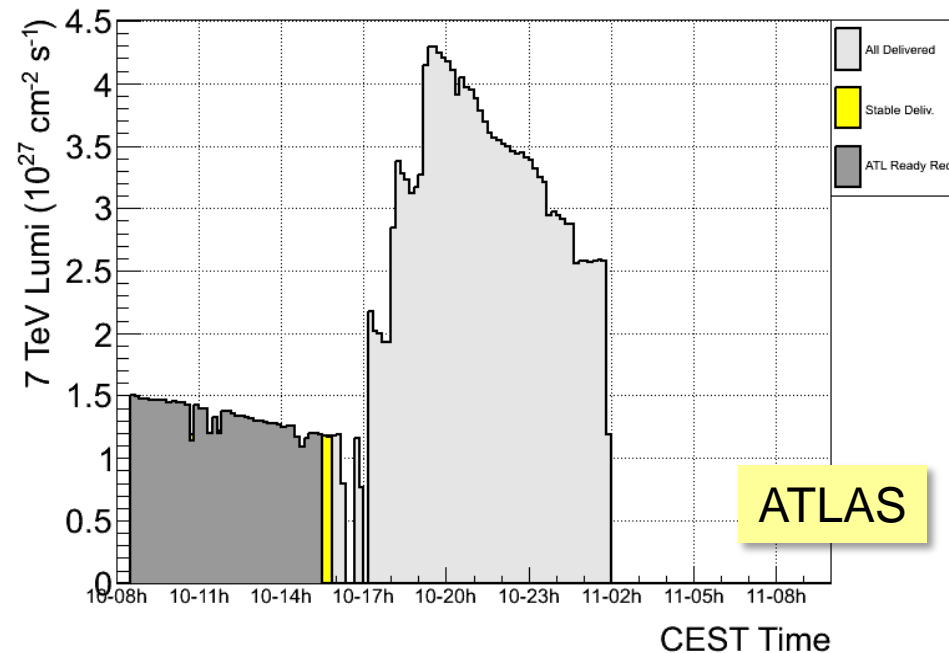
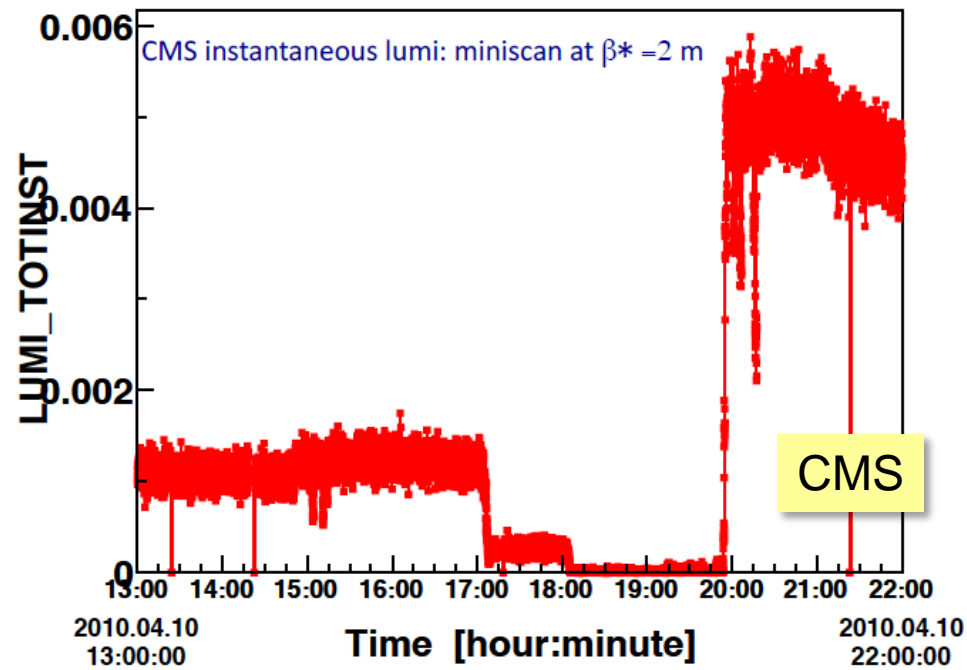
Background 2



10th April IP1 and 5, beta squeeze

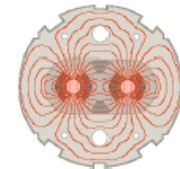
- Raw (online) lumi plots on 10 apr 2010, during the squeeze to 2m in IP1 and IP5
- Factor gained (raw numbers):
 - ~4.5 in Pt5 (after min scan)
 - ~4 in Pt1
- Not corrected for lumi decay over the ~5h of squeeze and mini scans

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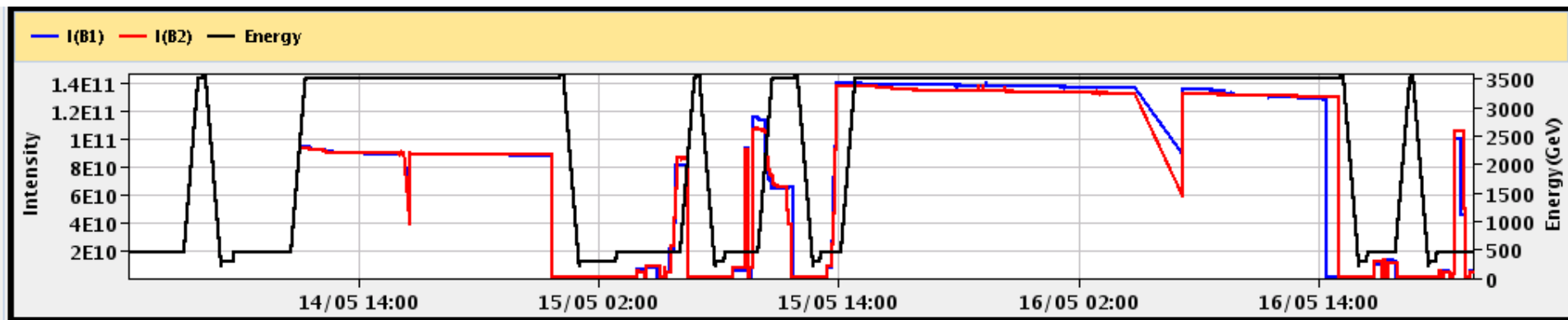




Pushing Number of $2e10$ Bunches

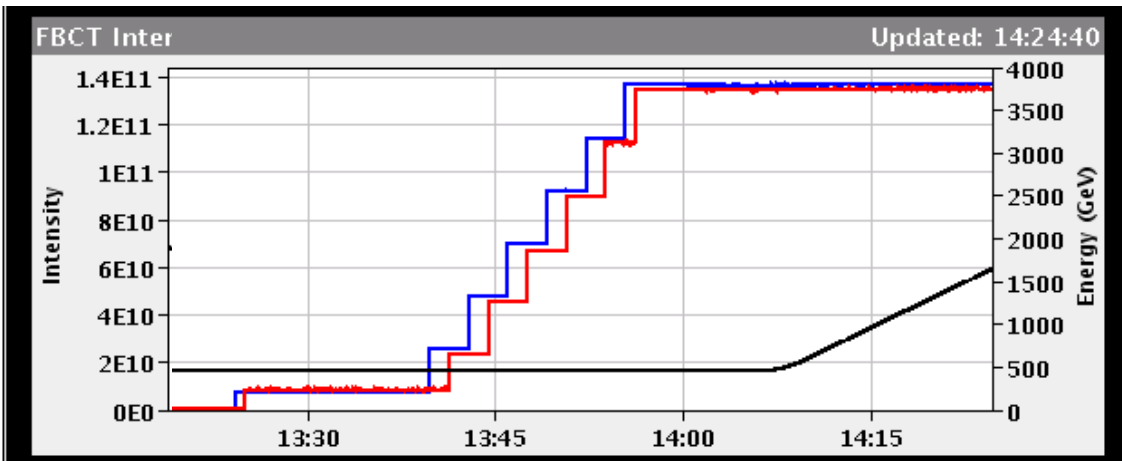


$2 \times 2e10 \rightarrow 4 \times 2e10 \quad 6 \times 2e10$ per beam



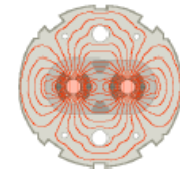
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48 hours





13 bunches: 3×10^{29} !!



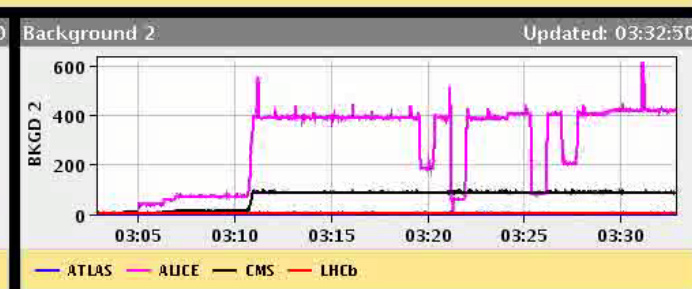
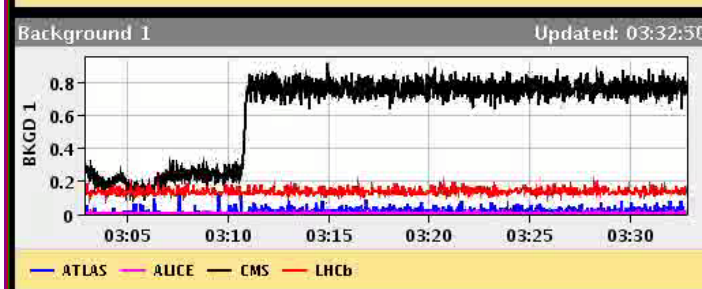
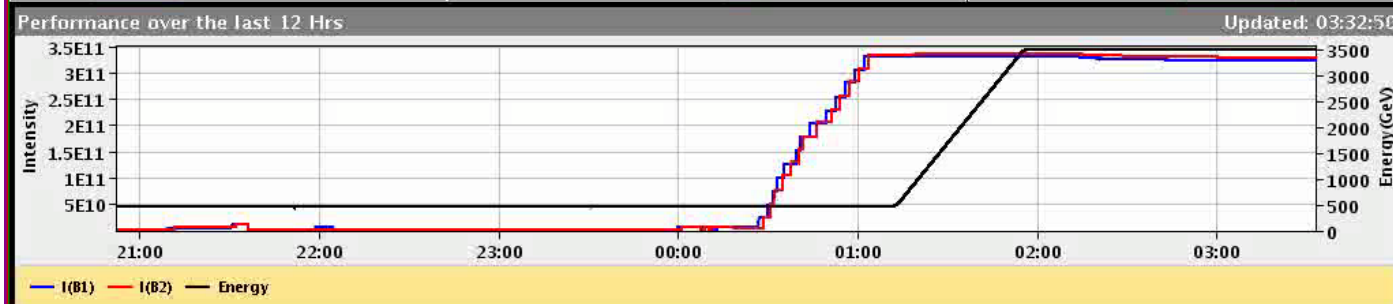
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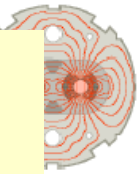
Energy: 3500 GeV I(B1): 3.22e+11 I(B2): 3.29e+11

ALICE	CMS	LHCb
PHYSICS	PHYSICS	PHYSICS
0.207	0.221	0.209
1.680e+03	3.979e+03	5.139e+03
0.004	0.804	0.160
420,420	87,974	4,457
0.002	0.003	0.051

LHCf **PHYSICS** Count(Hz): 84.900 LHCb VELO Position **IN** Gap: 0.0 mm TOTEM: **STANDBY**



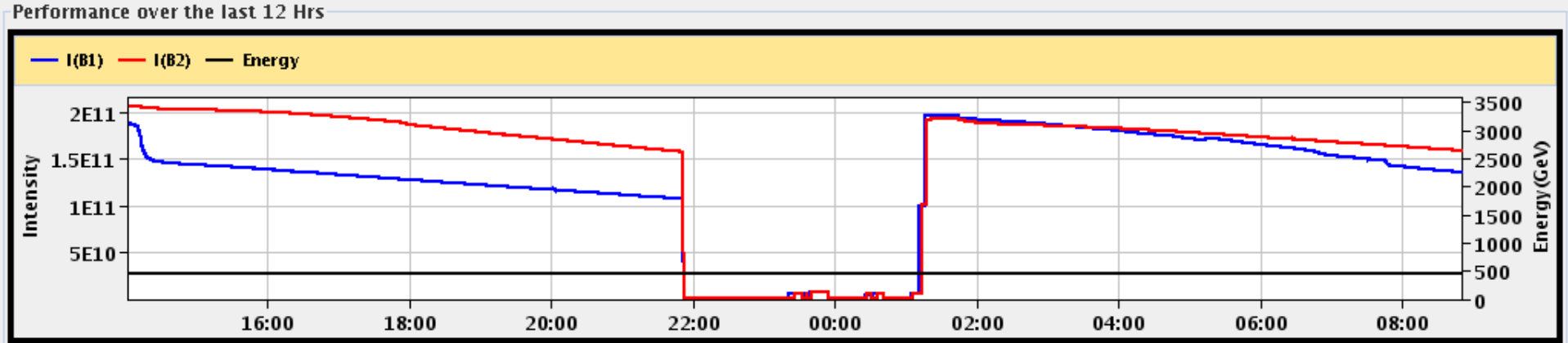
LHC Design Bunch Intensity: Thursday 15.4.2010



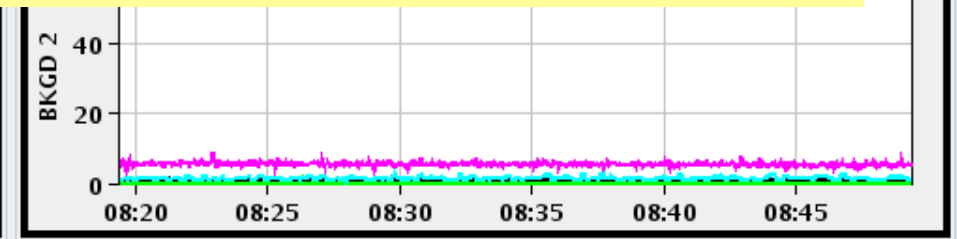
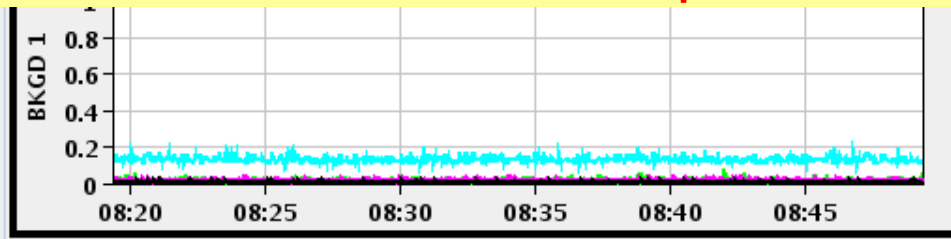
- Higher intensity
 - Over-injection working well
 - Over-injected $1.1E11$, with collimators at nominal 4.5 sigma settings.
 - Emittance at $1E11$: 2.5 μm H, 2,3 μm V.

	ATLAS	ALICE	CMS	LHCb
Experiment Status	PHYSICS	PHYSICS	PHYSICS	PHYSICS
Instantaneous Luminosity	4.080e-03	2.376e-03	3.276e-03	2.314e-03
BRAN Count Rate	0.000e+00	0.000e+00	5.000e+00	1.000e+00
BKGD 1	0.015	0.013	0.010	0.122
BKGD 2	0.000	5.000	0.774	0.850
BKGD 3	0.000	0.005	0.003	0.047

LHCf **PHYSICS** Count(Hz): 0.000 | LHCb VELO Position **IN** Gap: 20.0 mm | TOTEM: **STANDBY**



3rd May: Stable beams at design current per bunch at 450GeV
 Much easier than anticipated!!



Preparation for design intensities at 3.5TeV/beam

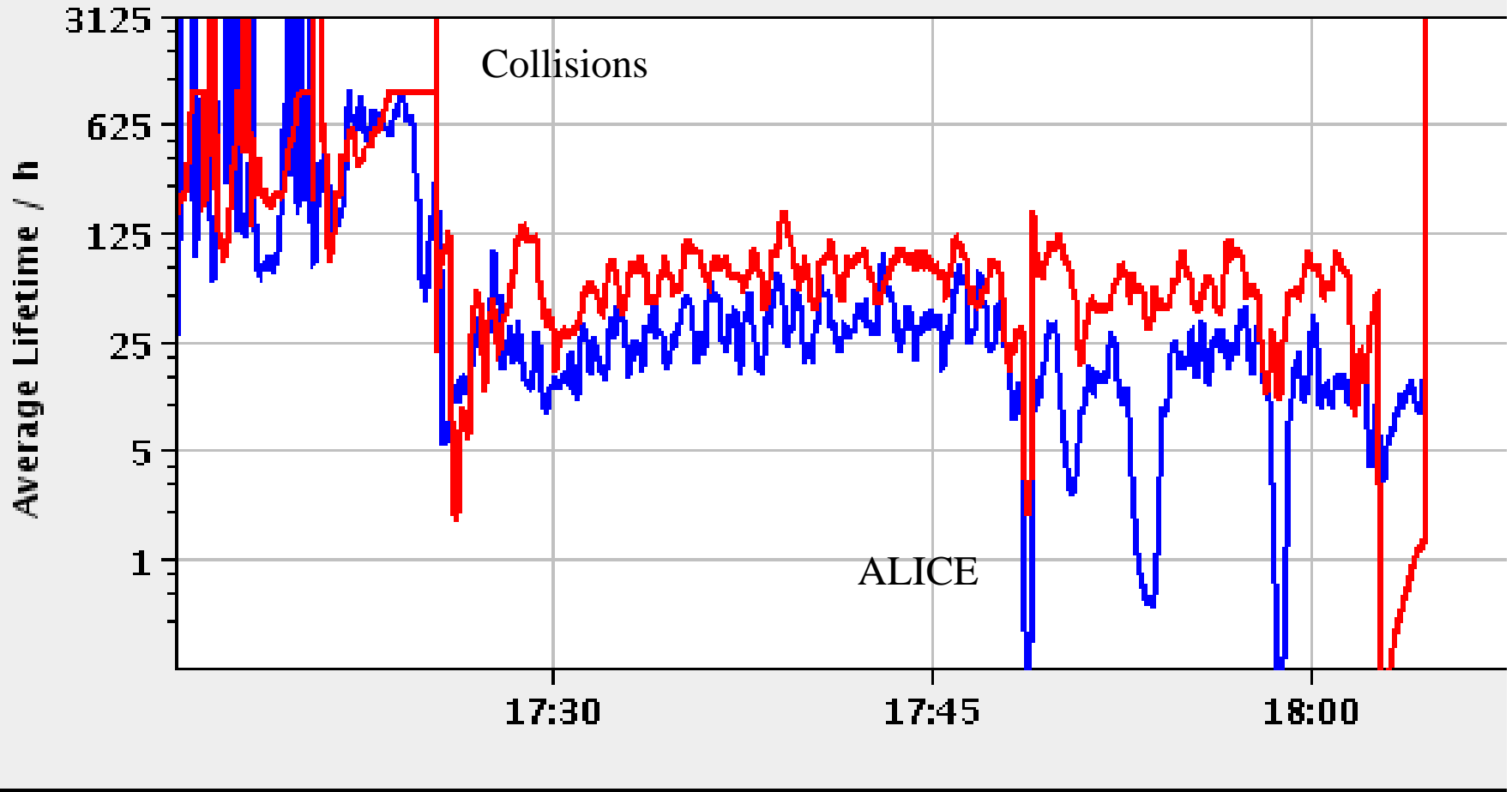
- From 3rd May until 9 June, machine time shared between physics and machine studies.
 - Physics with $\sim 2 \times 10^{10}$ protons/bunch
 - Machine studies to develop 1×10^{11} protons per bunch

Following discussions with the 4 spokespersons and the physics coordinator, a decision was unanimously made on 9 June to concentrate on “Machine studies to develop 1×10^{11} protons per bunch” until it was operational. This meant postponing physics data taking for around 2-3 weeks.

Not as easy as we anticipated after the 450GeV runs

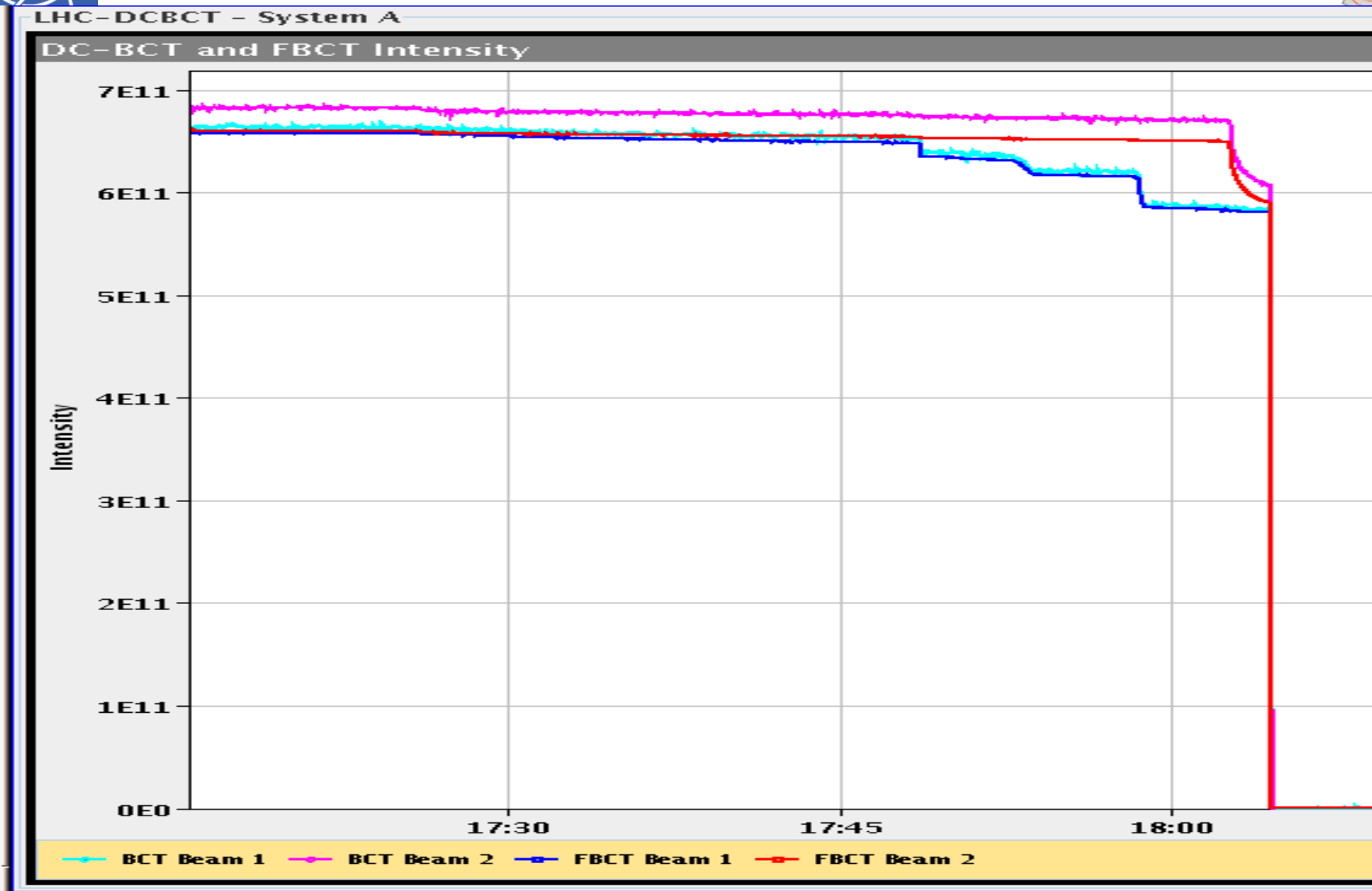
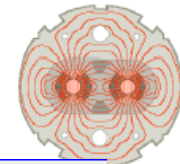
LHC-FBCT Average Lifetime

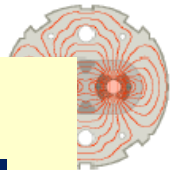
FBCT Average Beam Lifetime in h





Beam Intensity Losses





Getting to Stable beams at $\sim 1.1 \times 10^{11}$.

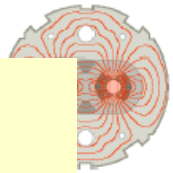
- Set up for high intensity
 - Collimators (loss maps)
 - Injection tuning
 - Beam dump set up



This part was anticipated as needed

Not anticipated following collisions at 450 GeV

- Instabilities in Collision at 3.5 TeV/beam
 - Collimator closer to beam \rightarrow increased beam impedance \rightarrow transverse stability limit reduced
 - Peak current increased \rightarrow transverse instabilities
 - Cure: longitudinal emittance increase in the SPS and during the ramp in LHC
 - Cure: transverse feedback system
 - Transverse beam size too small \rightarrow beam-beam
 - Cure: emittance increase in the SPS
 - Cure: emittance control during the ramp in the LHC
 - Cure: better equalization of emittances between beams 1 and 2



26th June: 5×10^{29} with 3 bunches/beam; $10^{11}/b$

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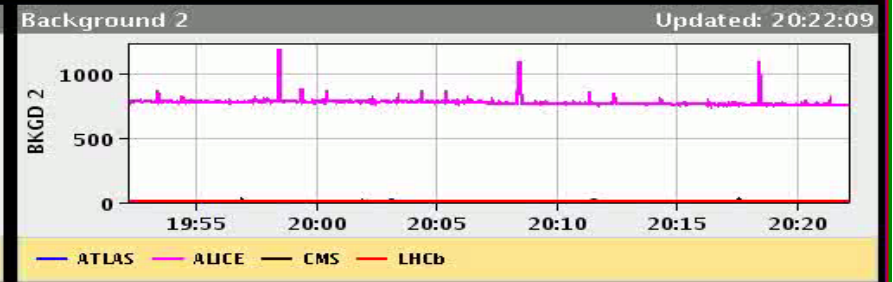
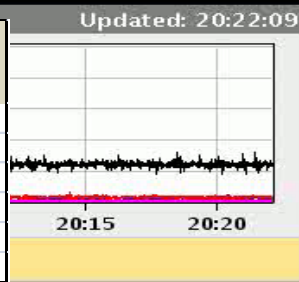
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Experiment Status	PHYSICS	PHYSICS	PHYSICS	PHYSICS
Instantaneous Lumi (ub.s) ⁻¹	0.500	0.275	0.516	0.444
BRAN Count Rate (Hz)	5.395e+03	3.675e+03	7.550e+03	8.960e+03
BKGD 1	0.022	0.014	1.178	0.131
BKGD 2	3.000	755.420	0.002	1.238
BKGD 3	0.000	0.006	0.003	0.054

LHCf **PHYSICS** Count(Hz): 565.500 LHCb VELO Position **OFF** Gap: 58.0 mm TOTEM: **CALIBRATION**

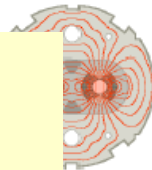
Performance over the last 12 Hrs Updated: 20:22:09

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5	2	6	2.00E+10	1.2E+11	0.0678	1.5000	4	7.1E+28	15 May 2010
6	2	13	2.60E+10	3.4E+11	0.1910	2.8167	8	2.4E+29	22 May 2010
7	3.5	3	1.10E+11	3.3E+11	0.1865	0.9763	2	6.1E+29	26 June 2010
8	3.5	6	1.00E+11	6.0E+11	0.3391	1.8182	4	1.0E+30	02 July 2010
9	3.5	8	9.00E+10	7.2E+11	0.4069	1.2000	6	1.2E+30	12 July 2010
10	3.5	13	9.00E+10	1.2E+12	0.6612	1.6250	8	1.6E+30	15 July 2010





New Record Lumi > 1e30 cm-2 s-1



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Experiment Status	PHYSICS	PHYSICS	PHYSICS	PHYSICS
Instantaneous Lumi (ub.s)^-1	1.054	0.004	1.172	1.047
BRAN Count Rate (Hz)	1.098e+04	3.100e+01	1.657e+04	2.124e+04
BRCD 1	0.028	0.016	0.416	0.160
BRCD 2	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
BRCD 3	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000

2nd July: Colliding 6 bunches per beam; 10¹¹/b

LHCf **MOVING** Count(Hz): 0.114 LHCb VELO Position **QUIT** Gap: 58.0 mm TOTEM: **STANDBY**

Performance over the last 12 Hrs Updated: 17:36:20



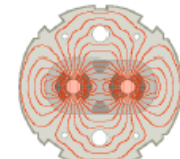
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2	10	2	2.00E+10	4.0E+10	0.0226	2.0000	1	3.6E+27	02 April 2010
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5	2	6	2.00E+10	1.2E+11	0.0678	1.5000	4	7.1E+28	15 May 2010
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8	3.5	6	1.00E+11	6.0E+11	0.3391	1.8182	4	1.0E+30	02 July 2010
9	3.5	8	9.00E+10	7.2E+11	0.4069	1.2000	6	1.2E+30	12 July 2010
10	3.5	13	9.00E+10	1.2E+12	0.6612	1.6250	8	1.6E+30	15 July 2010

Emittances before ramp
 B1 H: 2.5
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Good periods !

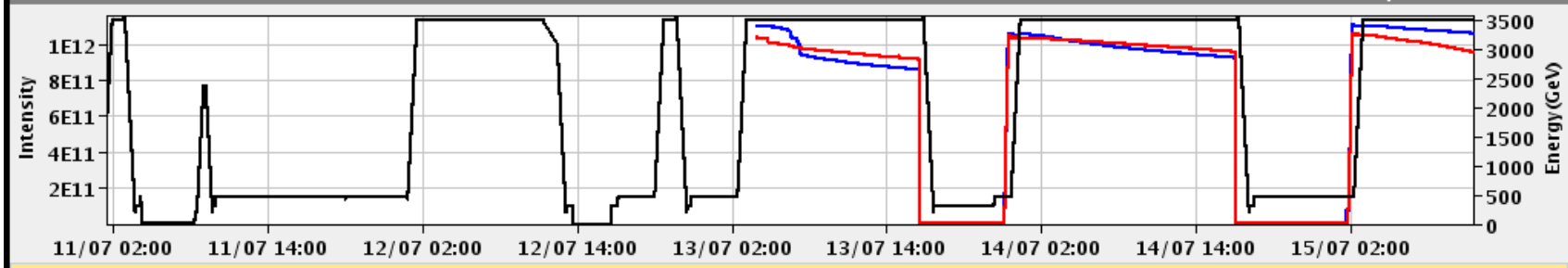


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	ATLAS	ALICE	CMS	LHCb
Experiment Status	PHYSICS	PHYSICS	PHYSICS	PHYSICS
Instantaneous Lumi (ub.s)^-1	0.763	0.109	0.772	0.816
BRAN Count Rate (Hz)	8.195e+03	9.410e+02	1.245e+04	1.615e+04
BKGD 1	0.006	0.026	1.428	0.160
BKGD 2	2.000	0.232	0.002	0.002
BKGD 3	0.000	0.008	0.003	0.069

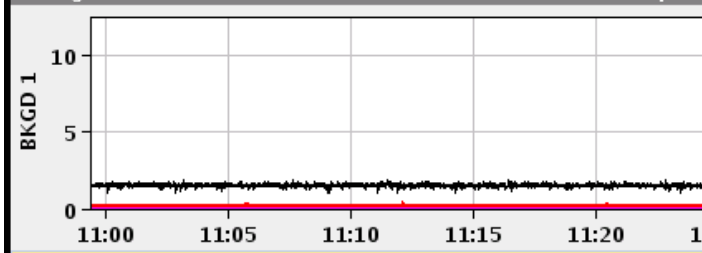
LHCf	PHYSICS	Count(Hz): 0.000	LHCb VELO Position	IN	Gap: -0.0 mm	TOTEM:	PHYSICS
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Performance over the last 12 Hrs Updated: 11:28:59



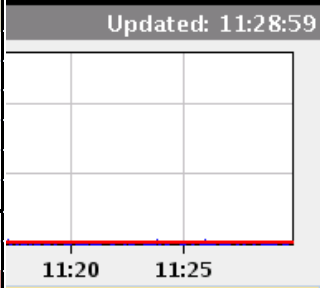
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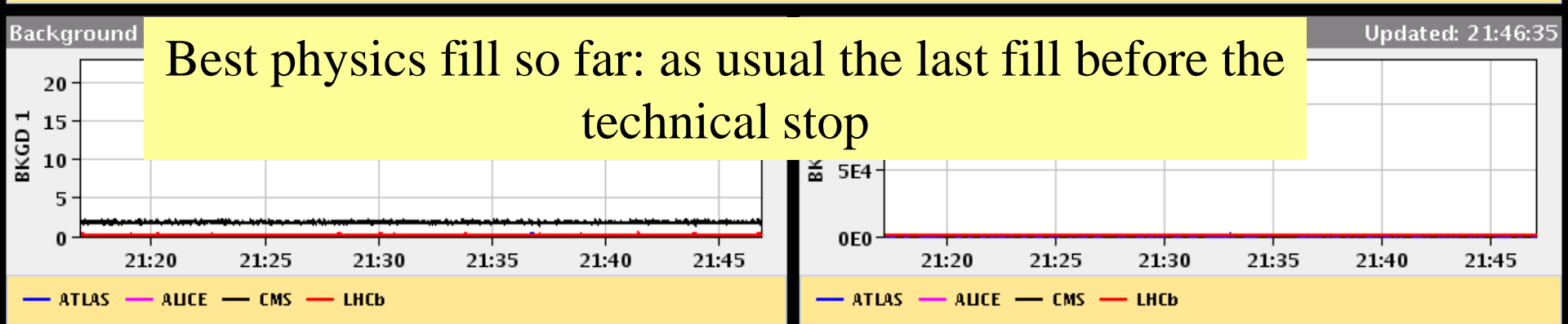
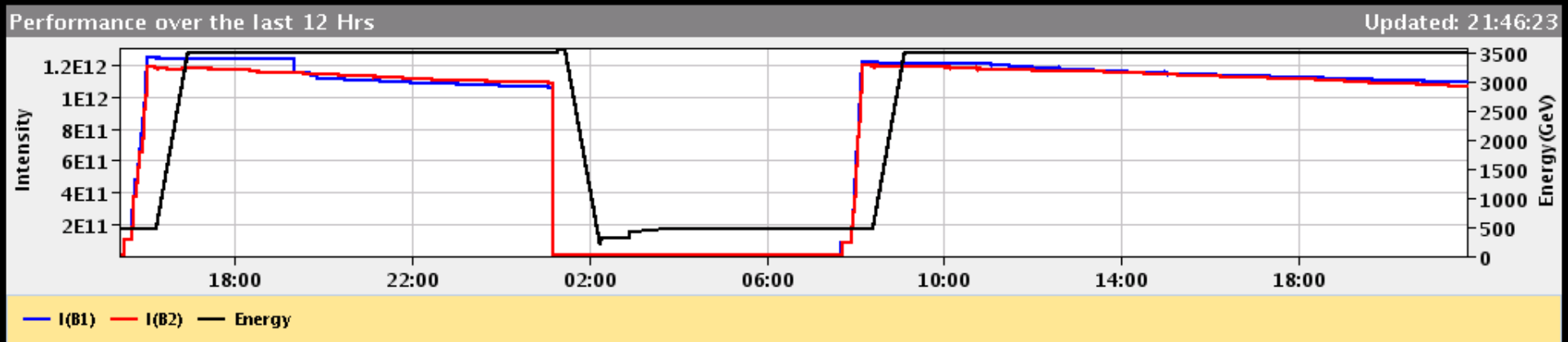
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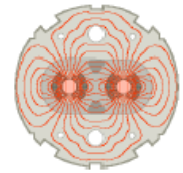
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2	10	2	2.00E+10	4.0E+10	0.0226	2.0000	1	3.6E+27	02 April 2010
3	2	2	2.00E+10	4.0E+10	0.0226	1.0000	1	1.8E+28	10 April 2010
4	2	4	2.00E+10	8.0E+10	0.0452	2.0000	2	3.6E+28	19 April 2010
5	2	6	2.00E+10	1.2E+11	0.0678	1.5000	4	7.1E+28	15 May 2010
6	2	13	2.60E+10	3.4E+11	0.1910	2.8167	8	2.4E+29	22 May 2010
7	3.5	3	1.10E+11	3.3E+11	0.1865	0.9763	2	6.1E+29	26 June 2010
8	3.5	6	1.00E+11	6.0E+11	0.3391	1.8182	4	1.0E+30	02 July 2010
9	3.5	8	9.00E+10	7.2E+11	0.4069	1.2000	6	1.2E+30	12 July 2010
10	3.5	13	9.00E+10	1.2E+12	0.6612	1.6250	8	1.6E+30	15 July 2010



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Event	β^*	Nb	lb	ltot	MJ	MJ Factor	Nc	Peak luminosity	Date	PHYSICS	PHYSICS	STANDBY	NOT_READY
1	10	2	1.00E+10	2.0E+10	0.0113	0.0000	1	8.9E+26	30 March 2010	0.930	0.063	0.944	0.905
2	10	2	2.00E+10	4.0E+10	0.0226	2.0000	1	3.6E+27	02 April 2010	1.5e+03	5.430e+02	1.471e+04	1.847e+04
3	2	2	2.00E+10	4.0E+10	0.0226	1.0000	1	1.8E+28	10 April 2010	0.008	0.013	1.714	0.160
4	2	4	2.00E+10	8.0E+10	0.0452	2.0000	2	3.6E+28	19 April 2010	3.000	0.134	0.002	3.602
5	2	6	2.00E+10	1.2E+11	0.0678	1.5000	4	7.1E+28	15 May 2010	0.000	0.007	0.003	0.066
6	2	13	2.60E+10	3.4E+11	0.1910	2.8167	8	2.4E+29	22 May 2010				
7	3.5	3	1.10E+11	3.3E+11	0.1865	0.9763	2	6.1E+29	26 June 2010				
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LHCf **PHYSICS** Count(Hz): 195.200 | LHCb VELO Position **IN** Gap: 0.0 mm | TOTEM: **STANDBY**





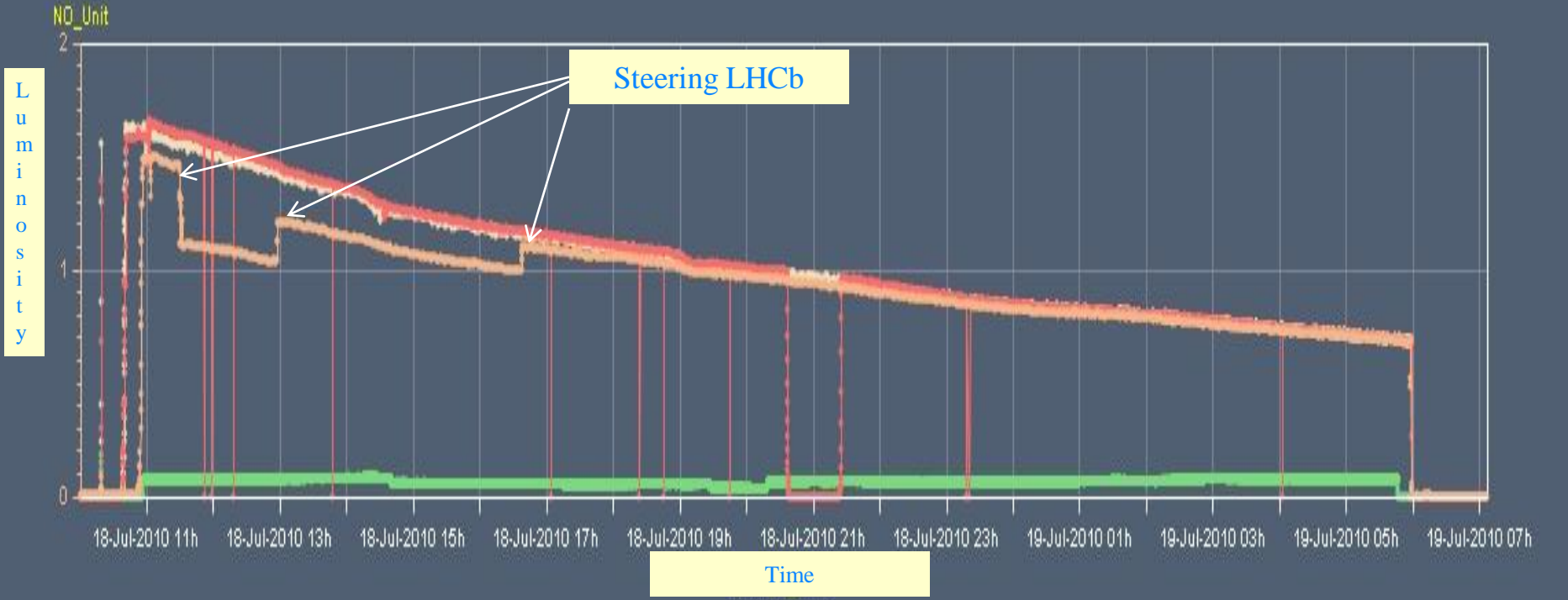
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→ CMS:LUMI_TOT_INST

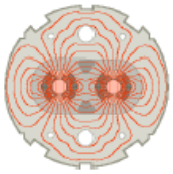
→ LHCb:LUMI_TOT_INST



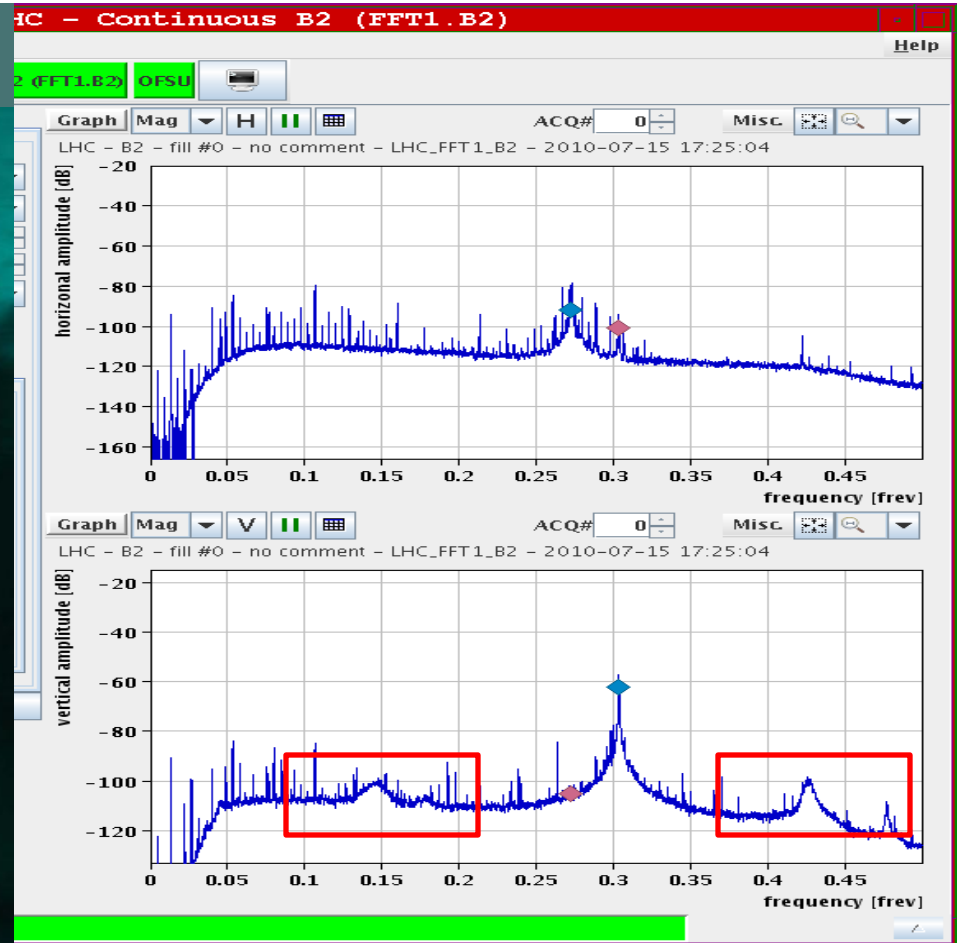
Fill 1233 Best LHC physics fill so far:



Some Accelerator Physics issues: The Hump



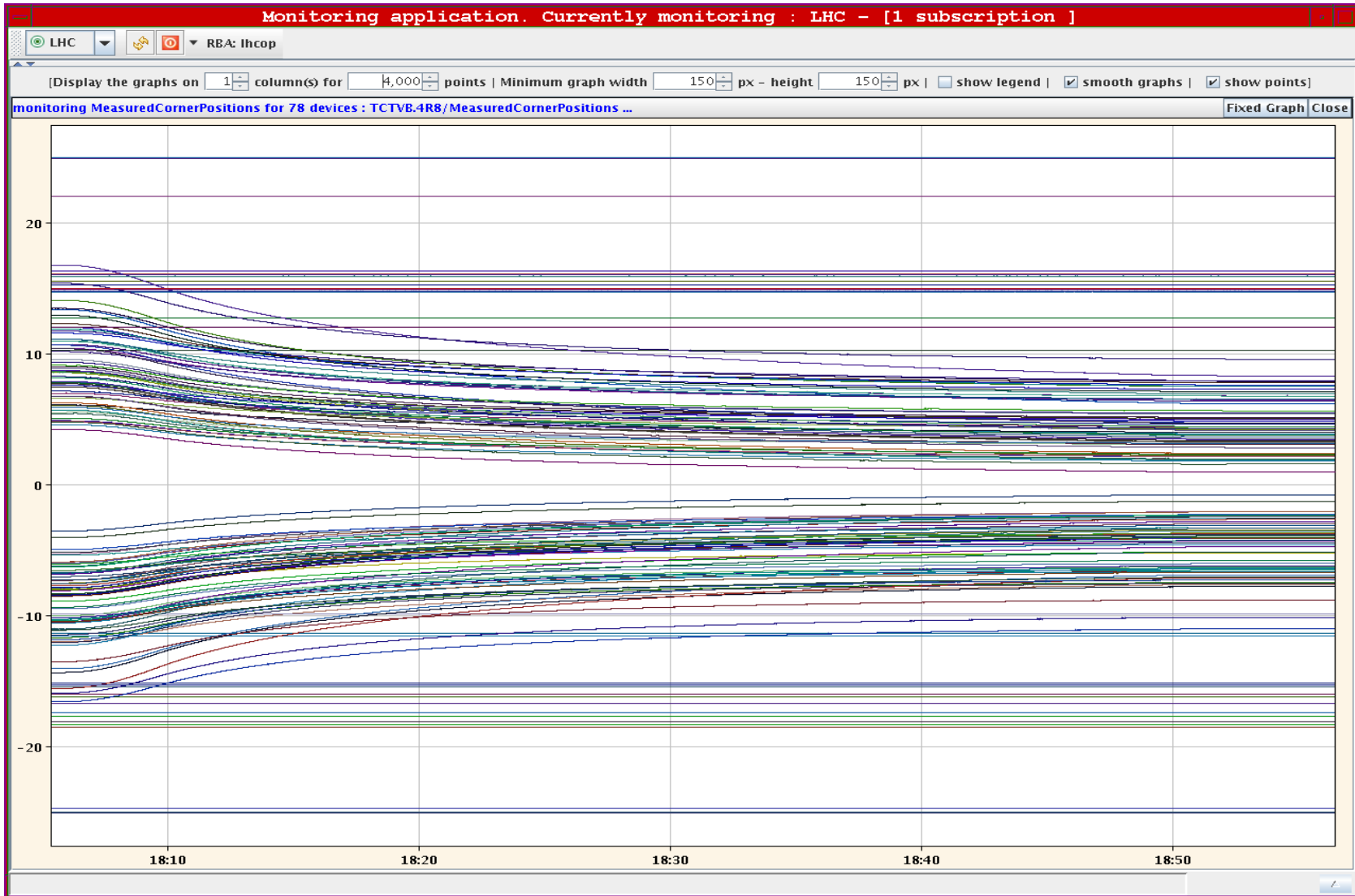
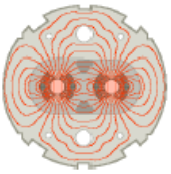
The Hump
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Cure: transverse feedback system

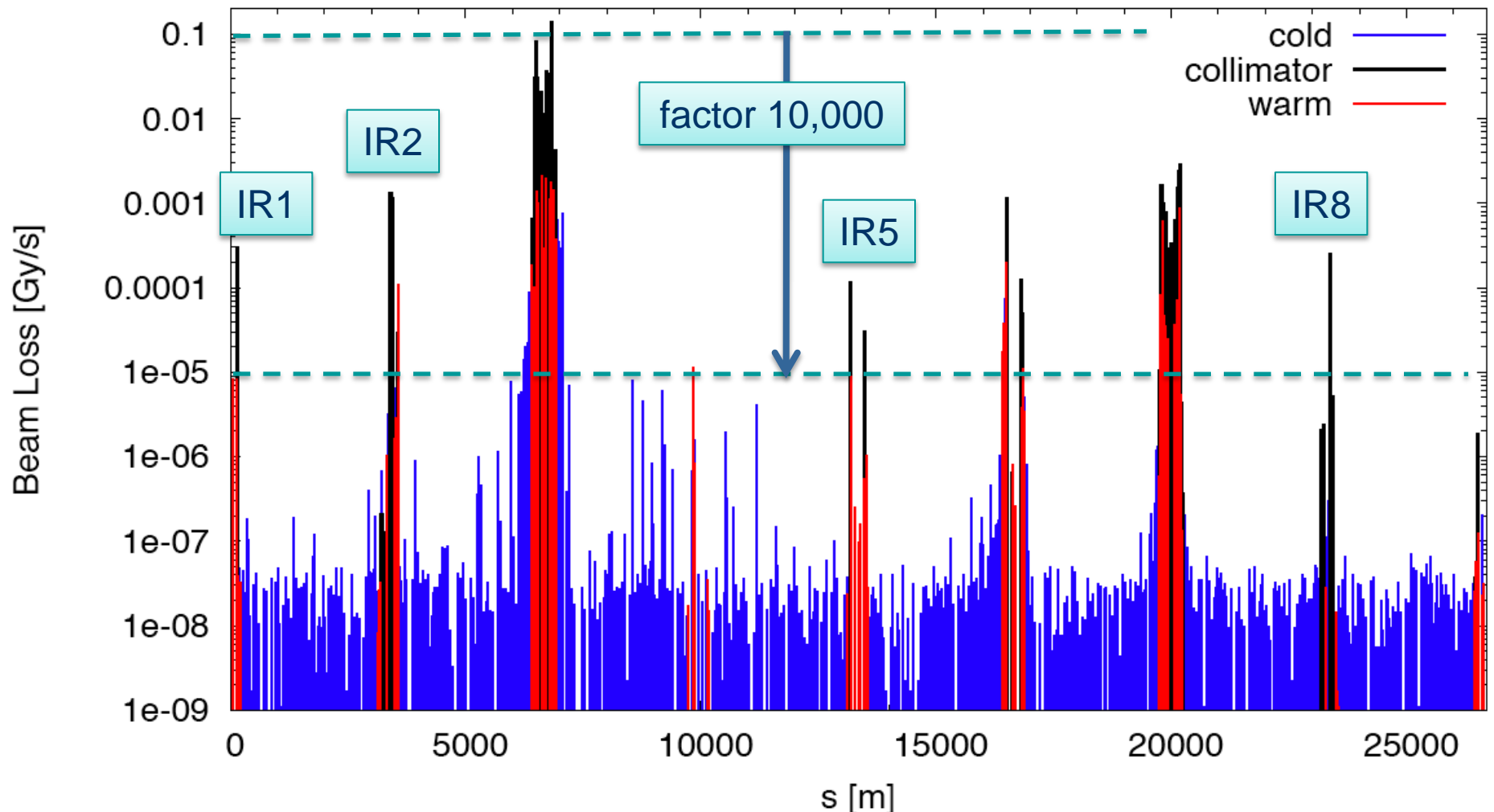


Closing Collimators During Ramp increases the transverse impedance

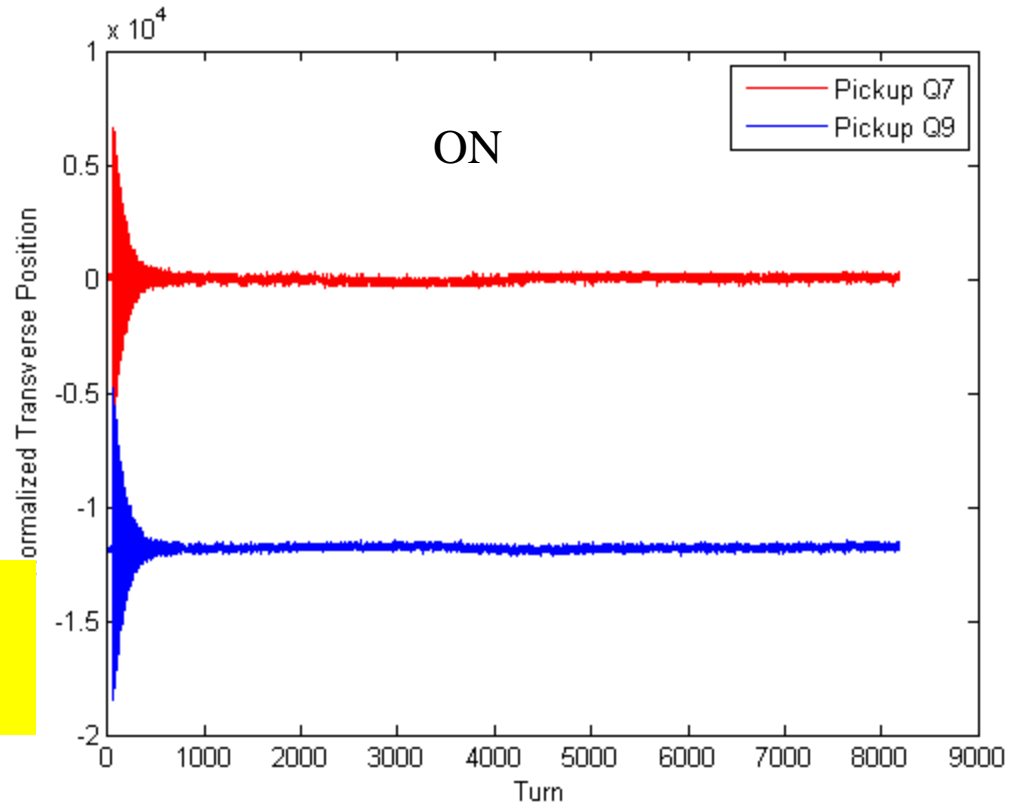
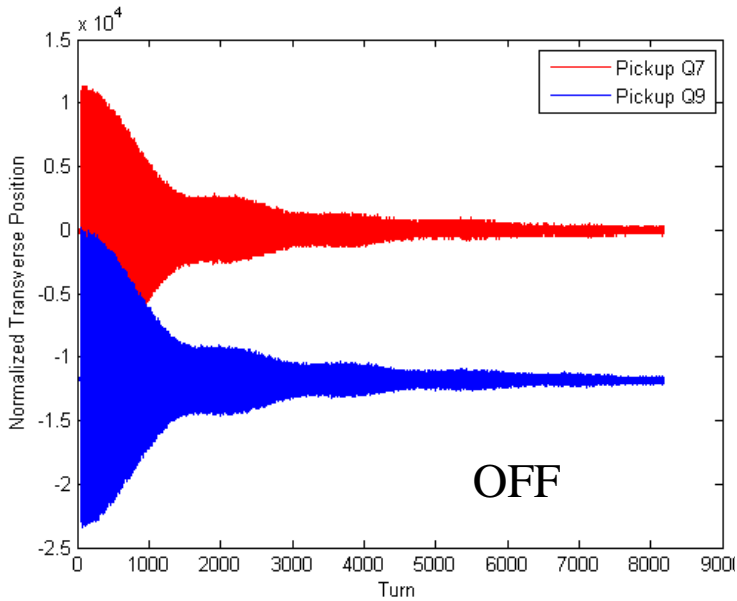


Qualification: Off-momentum collimation

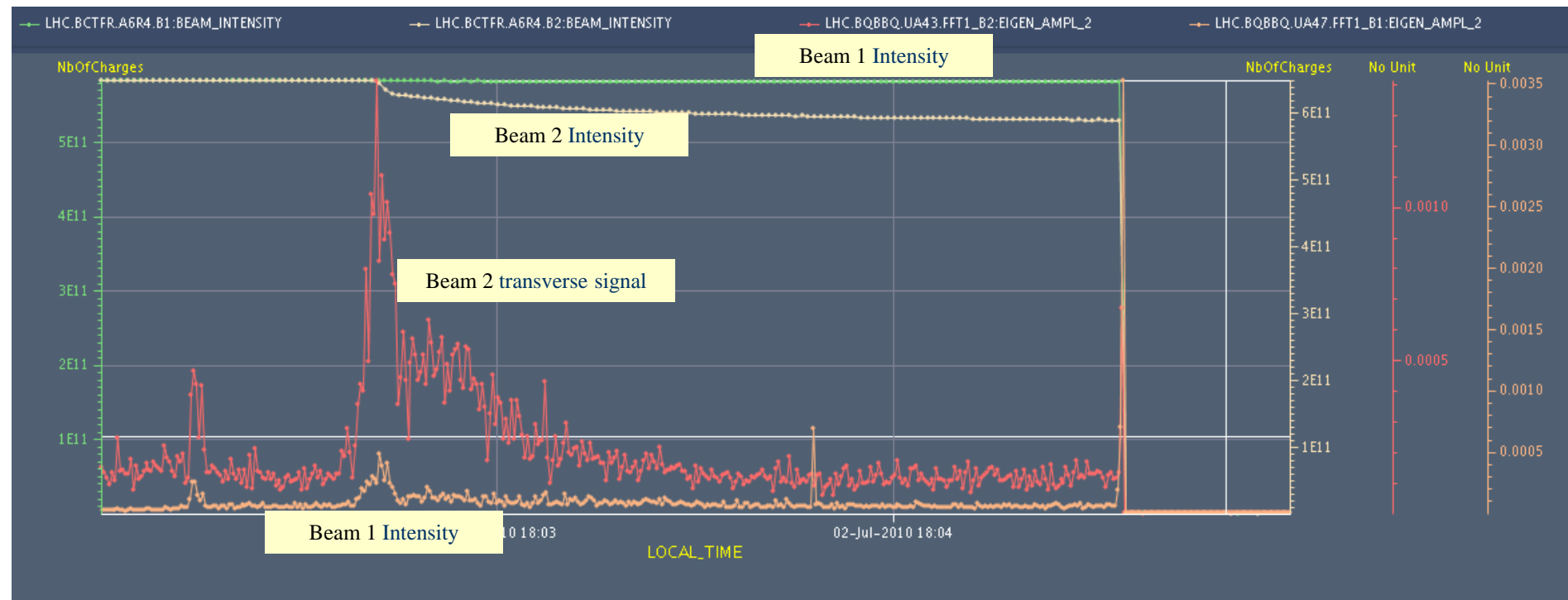
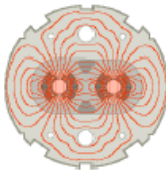
Loss map for off-momentum error. All OK. See expected low leakage to experimental IR's. OK for stable beams from coll.



Transverse Damper: Damping Beam Excitations



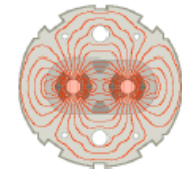
Transverse Damper will stabilize against the Hump



Transverse Damper will stabilize against these coherent instabilities

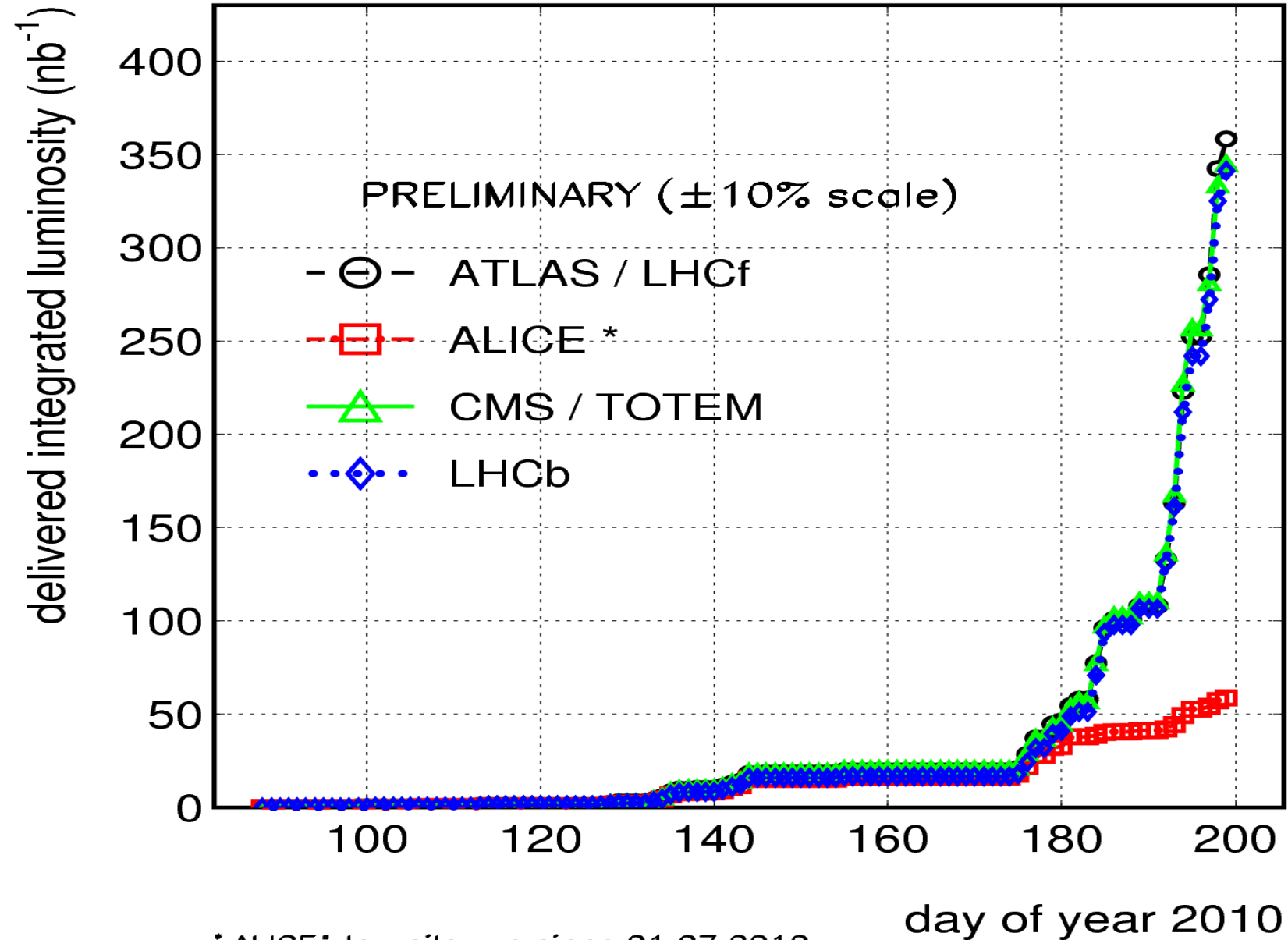


Summary of Luminosity Evolution

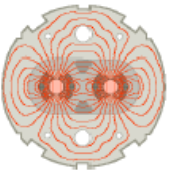


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LHC 2010 RUN (3.5 TeV/beam)

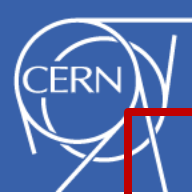


Short term Objectives

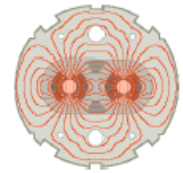


Integrated luminosity of $\geq 1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ by the end of 2011

- requires a peak luminosity of $\geq 1 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ during 2011
- \rightarrow must reach $\sim 1 \times 10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ during 2010



Peak lumi (in STABLE BEAMS)



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Fills 1005-1199

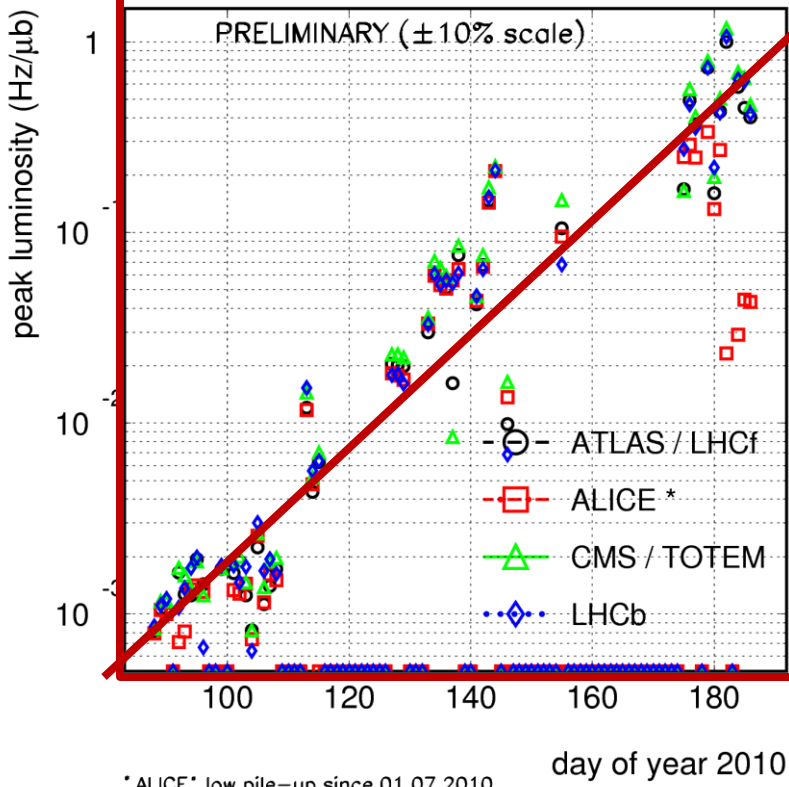
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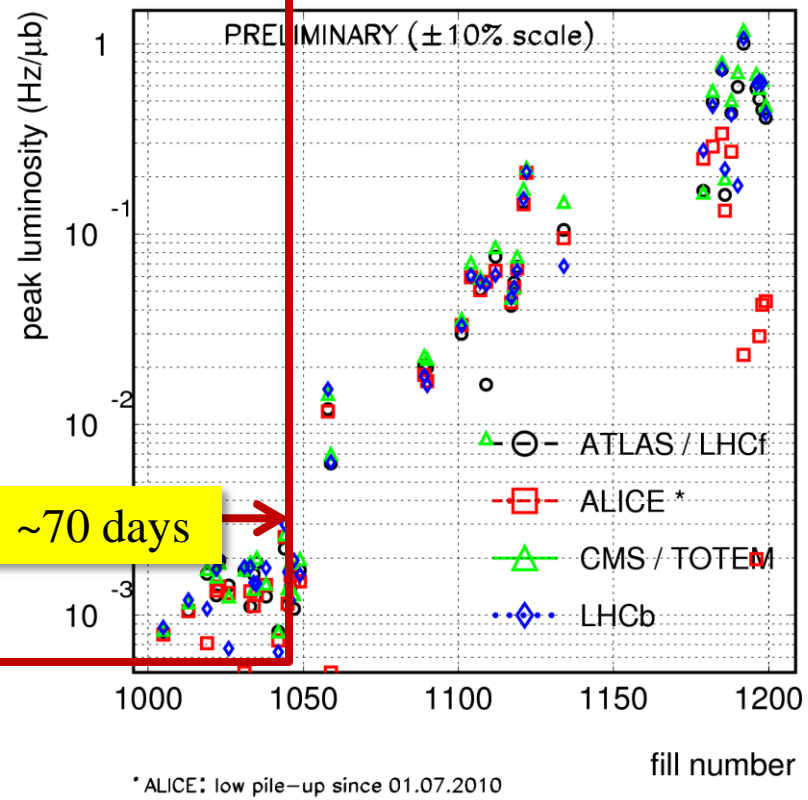
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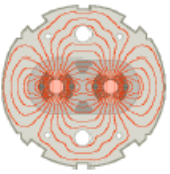
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Longer Term Objectives

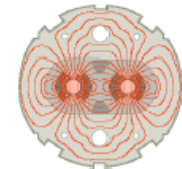


Integrated luminosity of $\geq 3000\text{fb}^{-1}$ by the end of the LHC life

- requires a peak luminosity of $\geq 5 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ during 2021-2030
- \rightarrow integrated **yearly** luminosity of around 250-300 fb^{-1}

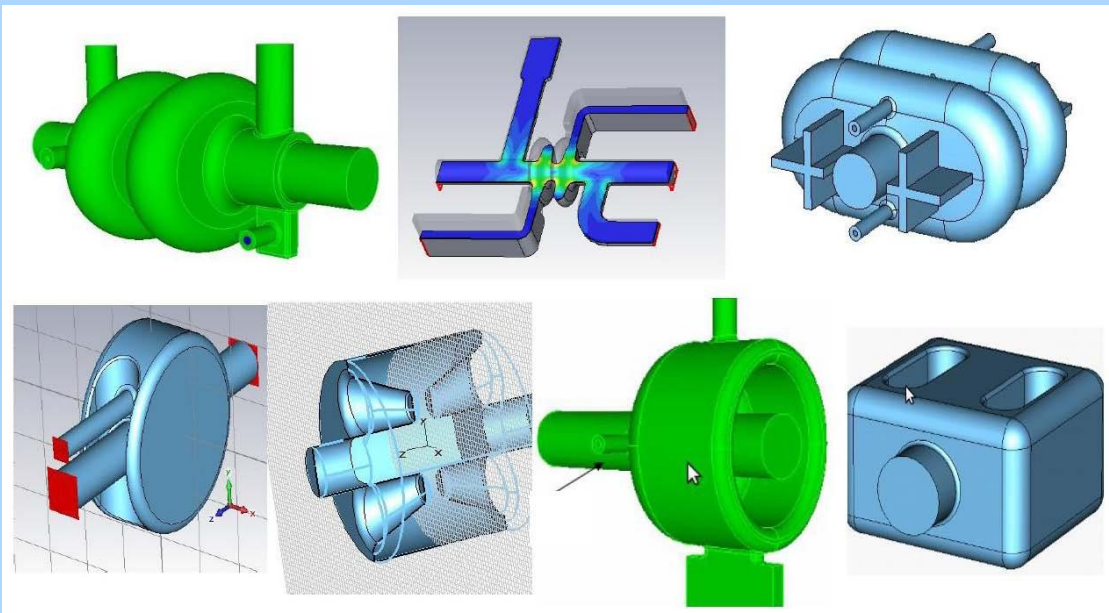
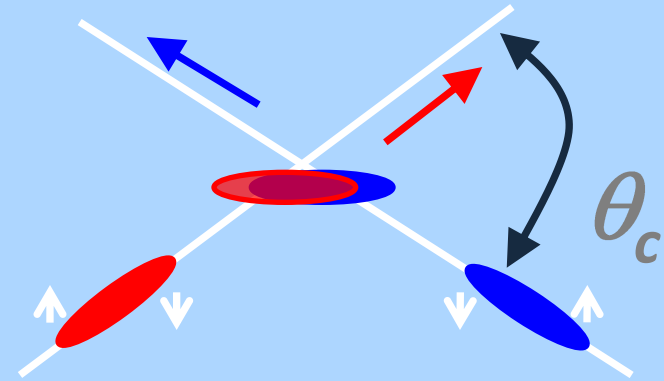
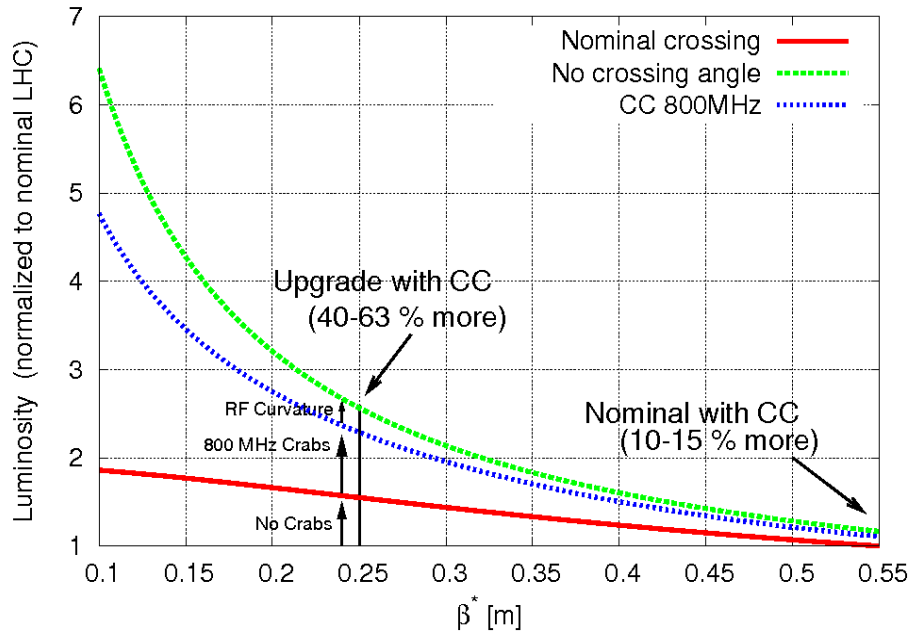
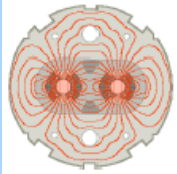


New studies under way (HL-LHC)



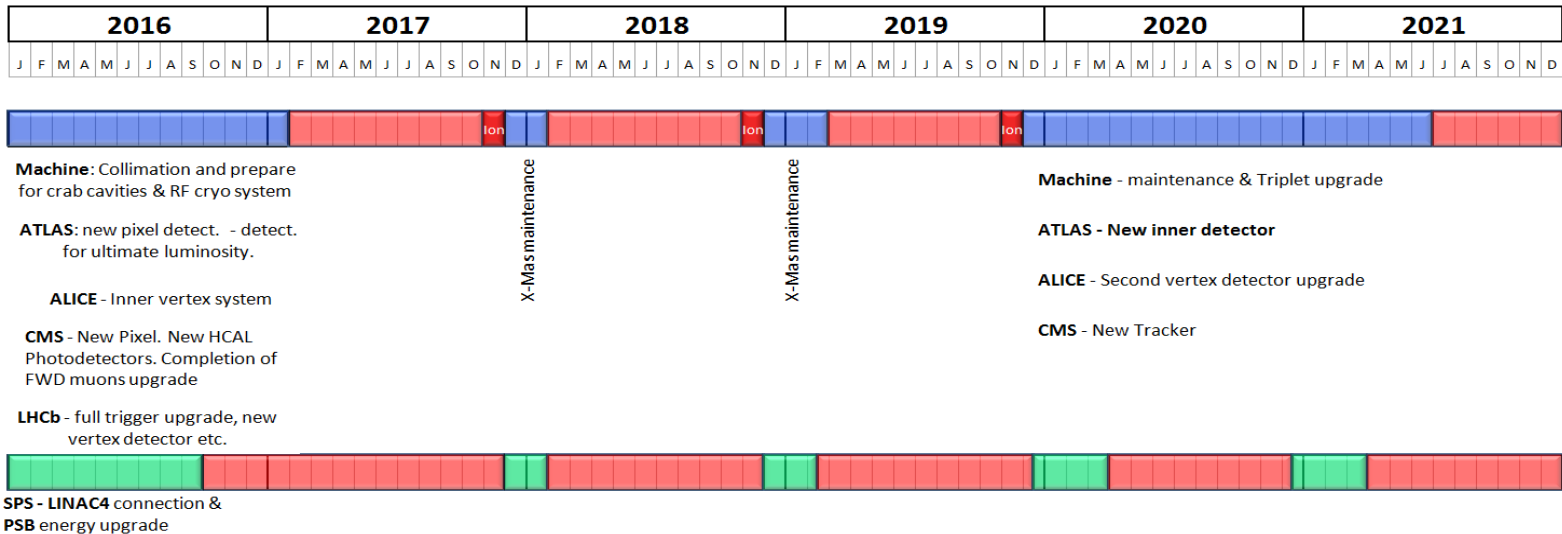
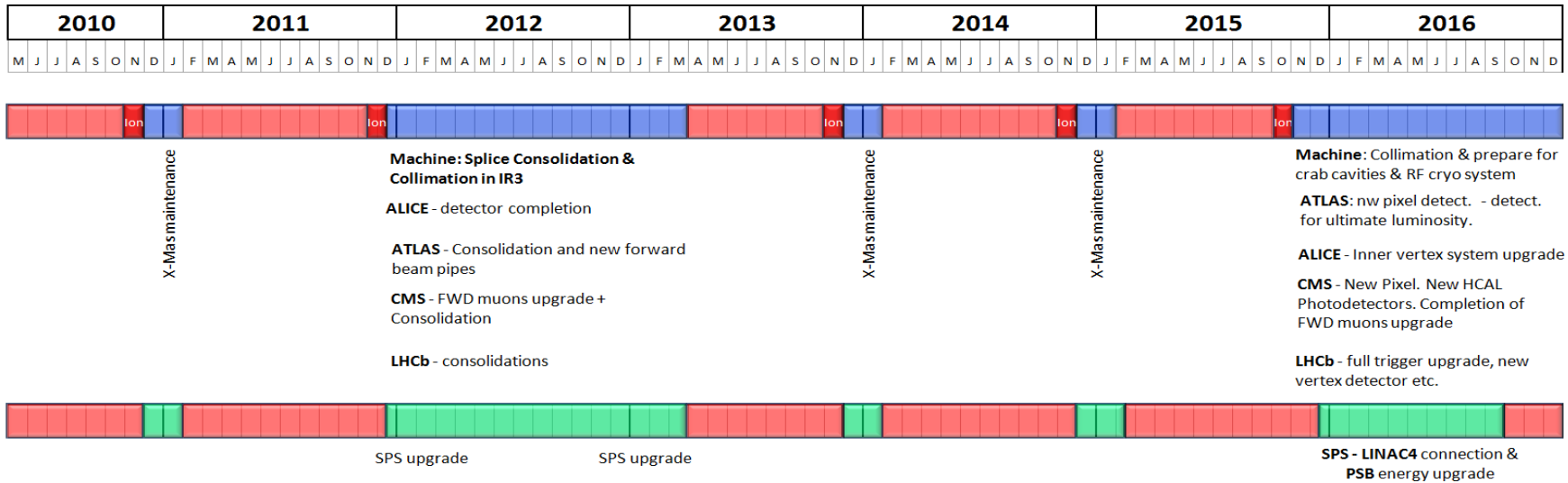
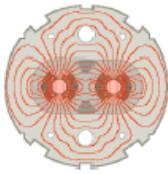
- **High Gradient/Large Aperture Quads, with B_{peak} 13-15 T.** (Nb_3Sn)
 - Higher field quadrupoles translate in **higher gradient/shorter length** or larger aperture/same length or a mix.
 - **US-LARP engaged to produce proof by 2013.**
 - β^* as small as 22 cm are possible with a **factor ~ 2.5** in luminosity by itself, **if coupled with a mechanism to compensate the geometrical reduction**
- **Crab Cavities:** this is the best candidate for exploiting small β^*
 - However it should be underlined that today Crab Cavities are not validated for LHC, not even conceptually: **the issue of machine protection will be addressed with priority**
- **SC links** to replace at the surface electronic equipment today in the tunnel and exposed to high radiation
- **New Cryopumps** in IP1 & IP5: for power AND to make independent Arc- IR:
- Upgrades in the injector chain (LINAC4, PS Booster, PS, **SPS**)

Crab cavities for exploiting low β^*

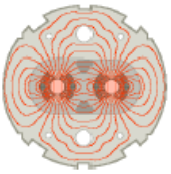




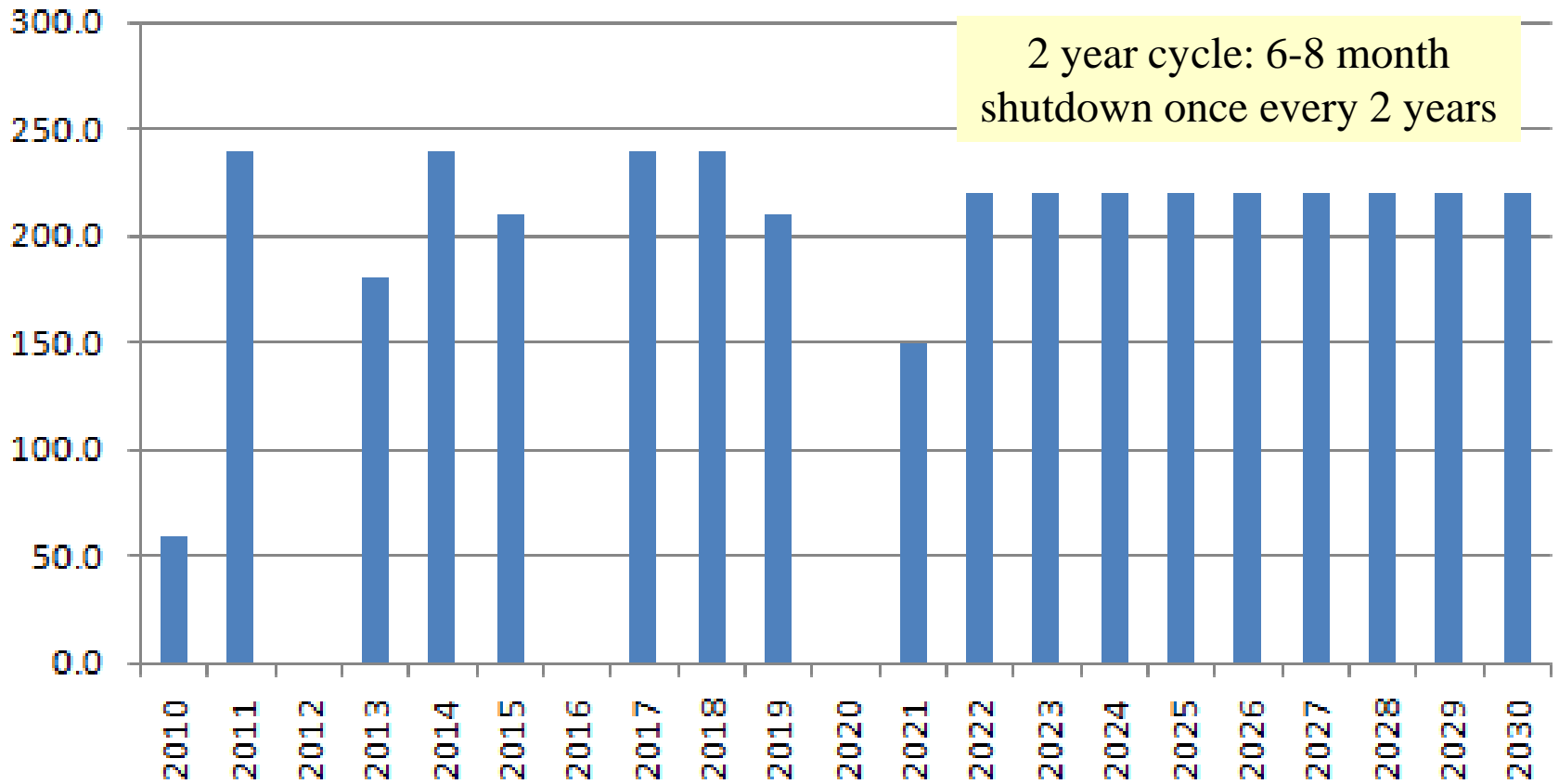
The 10 year technical Plan



The 20 year physics plan

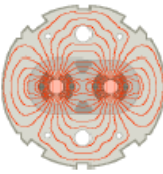


Physics Days





Preliminary Luminosity Predictions

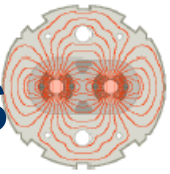


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2011	3.50	0.25	2.00	796	8.0E+10	6.4E+13	36.0	1.886E+32			0.98	1.04				
2012											0.0	1.0				
2013	6.50	0.20	0.55	796	1.15E+11	9.2E+13	96.0	4.006E+34	76.1197	180.0	8.2	9.2				
2014	7.00	0.20	0.55	1404	1.15E+11	1.6E+14	102.4060	5.390E+34	102.4060	240.0	20.7	30.0				
2015	7.00	0.20	0.55	2808	1.15E+11	3.2E+14	102.4060	5.390E+34	102.4060	172.8	210.0	36.3	66.3			
2016											0.0	0.0	66.3			
2017	7.00	0.25	0.55	2808	1.15E+11	5.1E+14	102.4060	5.390E+34	102.4060	200.0	240.0	51.8	118.1			
2018	7.00	0.28	0.55	2808	1.15E+11	5.1E+14	102.4060	5.390E+34	102.4060	32.3251	411.6	240.0	98.8	216.9		
2019	7.00	0.30	0.55	2808	1.15E+11	5.1E+14	102.4060	5.390E+34	102.4060	41.5198	566.4	210.0	118.9	335.8		
2020											0.0	0.0	335.8			
2021	7.00	0.20	0.55	2808	1.15E+11	5.1E+14	102.4060	5.390E+34	102.4060	57.6	4.006E+34	76.1197	692.3	150.0	103.8	439.7
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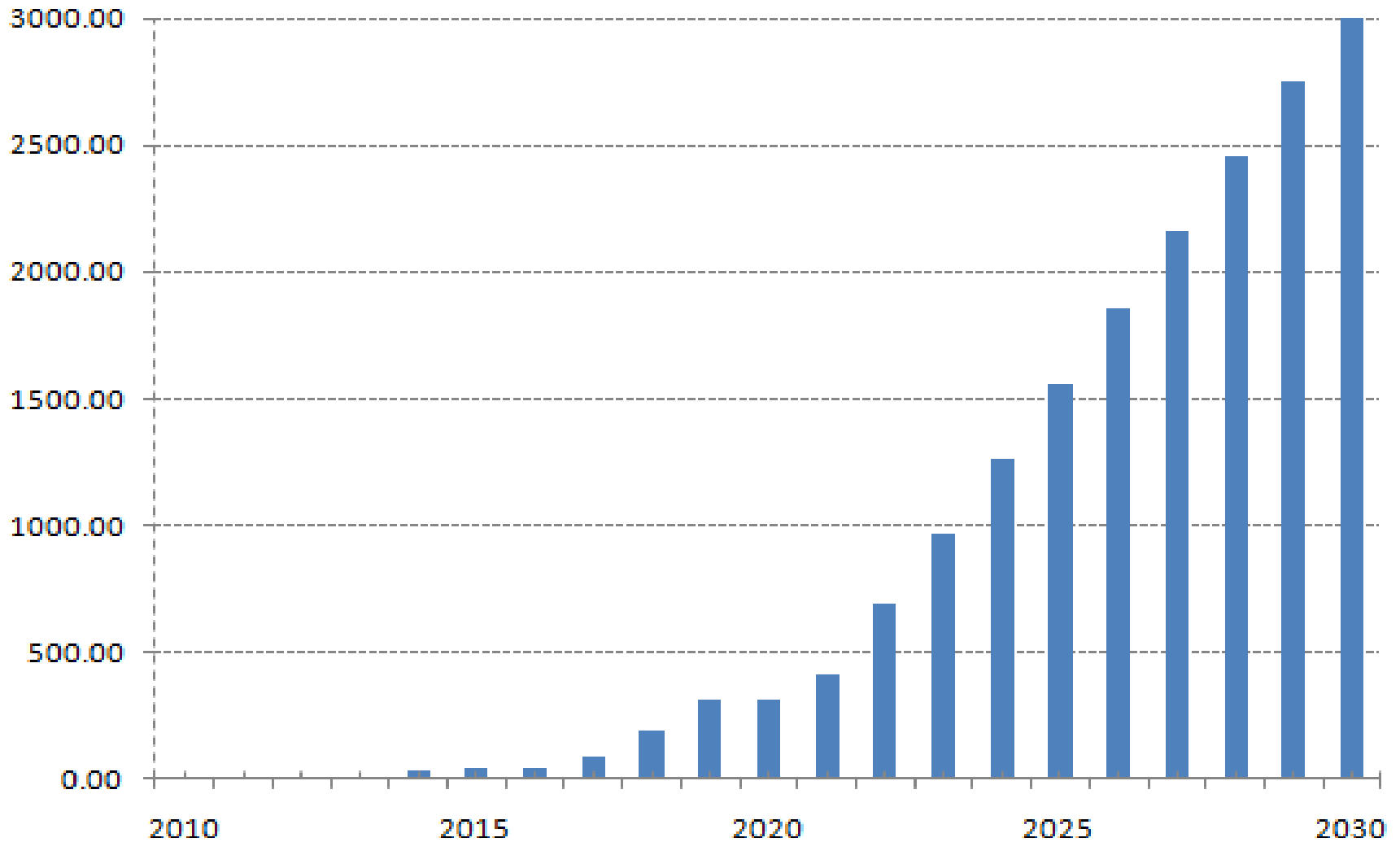
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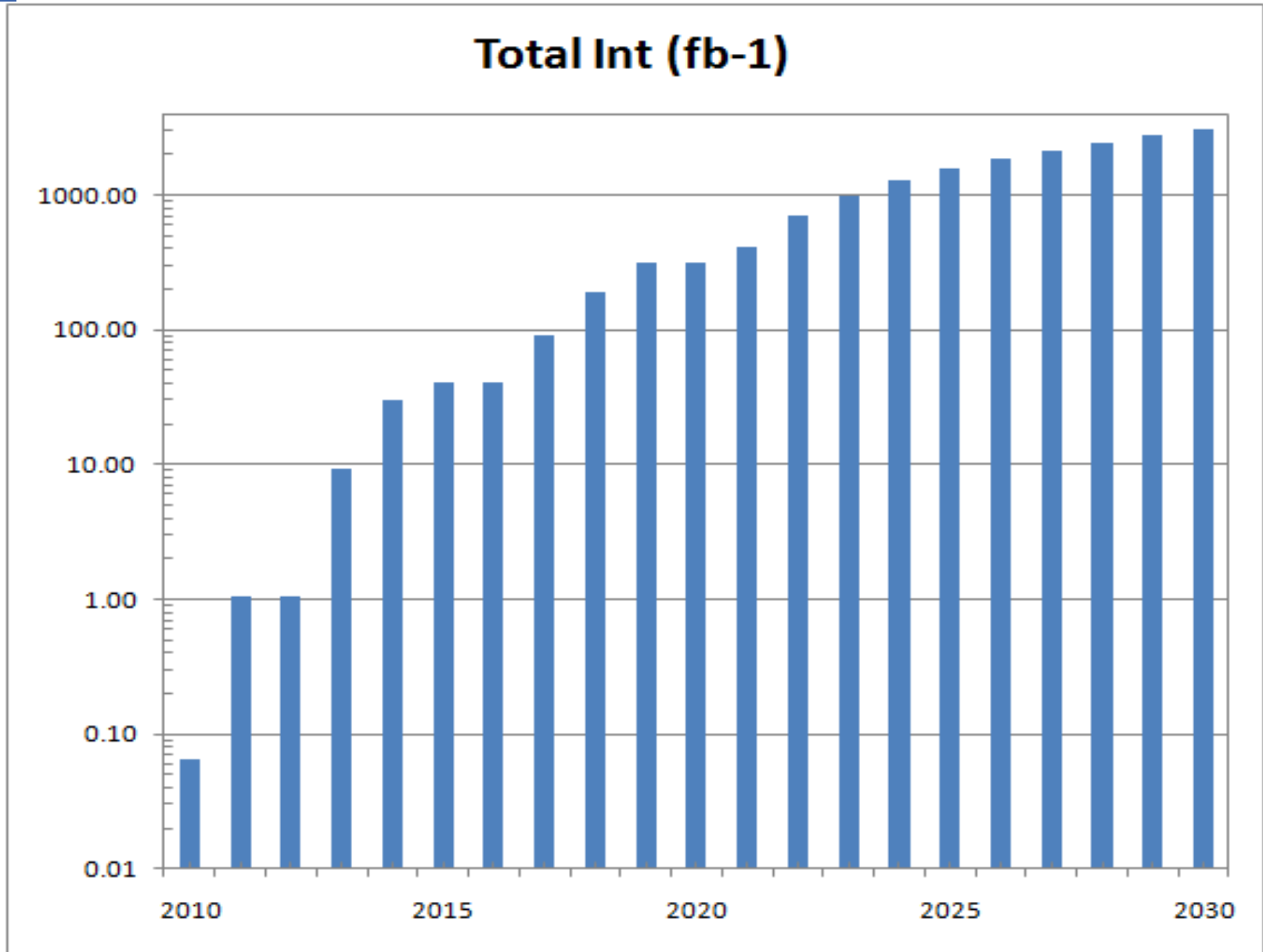
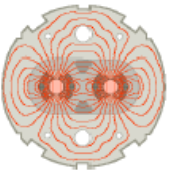


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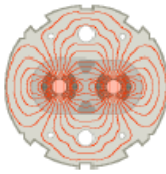
Total Int (fb⁻¹)







Very Long Term Objectives: Higher Energy LHC



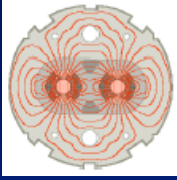
Preliminary HE-LHC - parameters

	nominal LHC	HE-LHC
beam energy [TeV]	7	16.5
dipole field [T]	8.33	20
dipole coil aperture [mm]	56	40-45
#bunches / beam	1124	1404
bunch population [10^{11}]	1.15	1.29
initial transverse normalized emittance [nm^2]	3.75	3.75 (x), 1.84 (y)
number of IPs contributing	3	2
maximum total beam size [$\sigma_{x,y}$]	0.01	0.01
IP beta function [m^{-1}]	0.55	1.0 (x), 0.43 (y)
full crossing angle [mrad]	300	175
stored beam current [mA]	285 ($9.5 \sigma_{x,y}$)	175 ($12 \sigma_{x0}$)
stored beam energy [MJ]	362	479
SR power [MW]	3.6	62.3
longitudinal damping time [h]	12.9	0.98
events per bunch crossing	19	76
peak luminosity [$10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$]	1.0	2.0
beam lifetime [h]	46	13
integrated luminosity over 10 h [fb^{-1}]	9.3	9.5

Very preliminary with large error bars

HE-LHC – main issues and R&D

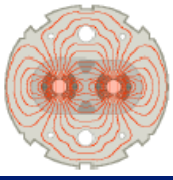
- **high-field 20-T dipole** magnets based on Nb_3Sn , Nb_3Al , and HTS
- **high-gradient quadrupole magnets** for arc and IR
- **fast cycling SC magnets** for 1-TeV injector
- **emittance control** in regime of strong SR damping and IBS
- cryogenic handling of **SR heat load** (first analysis; looks manageable)
- dynamic **vacuum**



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