



# Update on impact of flux jumps in 11T dipoles in Run3

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# Available Information

- Looking **only** at **11 T dipoles** assuming they may show a measurable effect in **Run 3**
  - Too little information about **RQX** behavior to be predictive for **HL-LHC** => **let's start with LHC!**

Description	Measured or Estimated	Value	Ref.
Flux jump <b>B1 amplitude</b> (all in the same “direction”)	<b>Measured</b>	mean 0.2 units <b>peak 0.6 units</b>	[1,3]
Flux jump A2-like amplitude	<b>Measured</b> (neglected here)	mean 0.15 units at 17 mm	[1,3]
<b>Trim power converter</b> reaction	<b>Estimated</b>	6 ppm $\sigma$ (of 600 A) <b>18 ppm <math>3\sigma</math></b>	[2,3]
Main dipole power converter reaction	<b>Estimated</b> (neglected here)	8e-3 ppm $\sigma$ (of 13 kA)	[2]
Single <b>flux jump duration</b>	<b>Measured</b> → <b>Estimated</b> →	50 ms mean rise time <b>120 ms FWHM</b>	[1,3]
<b>Beam energy</b> when <i>most</i> flux jumps occur	<b>Measured</b>	≈1.2 – ≈2.4 TeV → <b>&lt;3 TeV</b> (2 – 4 kA current)	[1,3]
<b>Frequency</b> of the flux jumps	<b>Measured</b>	<b>4.4 jumps/s</b>	[1,3]
<b>Number</b> of flux jumps per fill	<b>Computed</b>	<b>880 jumps</b>	[4]
<b>Probability</b> of a unit to be in a jump at a given time	<b>Computed</b>	<b>1/2</b>	[4]

[1] L. Fiscarelli – Measurements and analysis of flux jumps ([indico](#))

[2] M. Martino – Impact of Flux Jumps on PC Performance ([indico](#))

[3] J. Coello de Portugal – Impact of flux jumps in future colliders ([PRAB](#))

[4] D. Gamba – Revisiting flux jumps impact on orbit ([indico](#))

# Worst Case Assumptions

- Field jumps are given in “units”
  - Amplitude of the kick (in rad) is constant independently of energy
  - Orbit distortion, in  $\sigma_{\text{beam}}$ , increases with energy due to adiabatic damping
- We assume to have 4 11T units installed in LHC after LS2
  - A flux jump in each unit will cause an orbit jump at the TCPs
- We assume the worst case scenario:
  - Several 11T units jumping at the same time in the worst combination
  - Each unit jumps of 0.6 units amplitude (i.e. peak value!)
  - 3/1.18A TeV energy protons/ $^{208}\text{Pb}^{82+}$ 
    - worst ratio between orbit jump and beam sigma

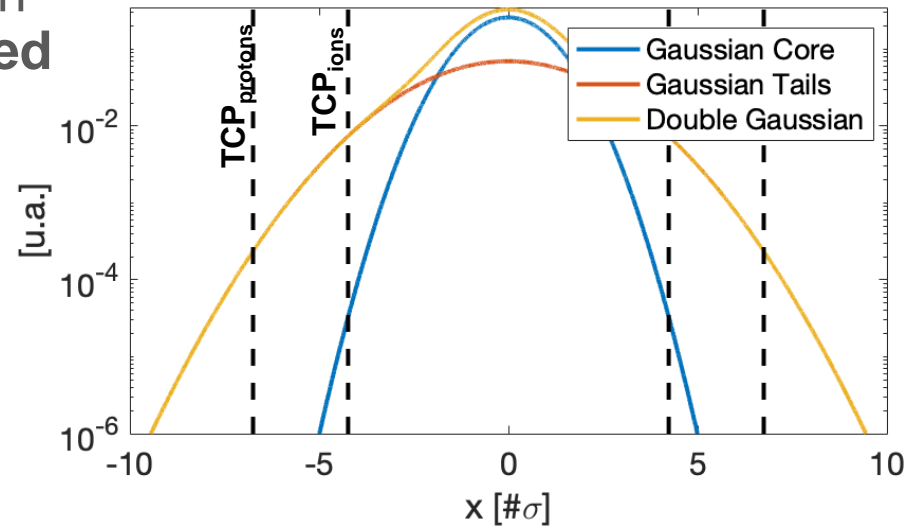
# Assumption on beam distribution and TCPs

- Double Gaussian beam distribution measured in LHC and typically<sup>1</sup> used for HEL simulations [5]

$$f(x) = \frac{I_1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_1} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\sigma_1^2}} + \frac{I_2}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_2} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\sigma_2^2}}$$

$$\text{where: } I_1/I_2 = 65/35$$

$$\sigma_2 = 2\sigma_1$$



- TCP aperture**  $5.7\sigma$  (wrt  $\epsilon_N = 3.5 \mu\text{m}$ ) equal (in mm) for protons and ions
  - Protons:  **$6.7 \sigma_{\text{beam}}$**  (wrt core  $\epsilon_N = 2.5 \mu\text{m}$ )
    - Conservative!:** in LHC typical measured  $\epsilon_N \approx 2 \mu\text{m}$
  - Ions:  **$4.2 \sigma_{\text{beam}}$**  (wrt core  $\epsilon_N = 2.5 \mu\text{m}$ )
    - Conservative!:** nominal LIU beam  $\epsilon_N \approx 1.65 \mu\text{m}$

<sup>1</sup>Reasonable average distribution over very few measurements.

# Some Summary Numbers

	Protons – 2021	Ions – 2021
Beam emittance $\epsilon_N$ [ $\mu\text{m}$ ]	(2.5)	(2.5)
TCP ap. ( $\sigma_{\text{beam}}$ for given $\epsilon_N$ )	6.7	4.2
<b>Max orbit jump at TCP [%<math>\sigma_{\text{beam}}</math>]</b>	<b>5.9</b>	<b>3.7</b>
Relative losses/jump [ $1/\% \sigma_{\text{beam}}$ ]	7e-6	2e-4
Max relative losses	4.1e-5	7.4e-4
Nominal beam intensity [particles]	3.9e14 [7]	2.2e11 [7]
<b>Max particles lost at TCPs</b>	<b>1.6e10 p</b>	<b>1.6e8 ions</b>
TCP BLM Th. RS06 (10 ms)	<b>1.9e10 p @3TeV<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>1.6e8 ions @1.18TeV/A<sup>2</sup></b>
TCP BLM Th. RS07 (82 ms)	<b>1.6e11 p @3TeV<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>3.2e8 ions @1.18TeV/A<sup>2</sup></b>

- Assuming the (reasonable) **worst flux jump scenario**, we would be **just below dump threshold** for both protons and ions.
- Note:** RS06 (10ms) and RS07 (82ms) to be compared with typical flux jump rise time (order of 50 ms)

<sup>1</sup> From lossmap@3TeV, using present threshold strategy

<sup>2</sup> From lossmap@2.51TeV: scaled down to 1.18 TeV/A

# Comparison to other observations

- **Loss-map** performed during **proton** ramp (@3 TeV) shows that **thresholds** (especially on **RS06**) might be **tighter than** what they **should/could be**
  - Likely, **a factor of a few to gain** – BLM thresholds due to collimation losses currently being reviewed by the BLM Threshold WG
- During **2018** run, beam losses due to **ground-motion-induced orbit jumps** (around 20-30Hz) of the order of **10%  $\sigma_{\text{beam}}$**  [6] – stronger than a flux jump, and at top energy
  - Losses of about **1-2e10 protons**
  - **x5 below dump threshold** (at least at TCPs on RS06, RS07, RS08)
- During the ramp **collimator jaws** move in **steps** of the order of  **$\sim 2\% \sigma_{\text{beam}}$**  in order to follow beam size reduction. (step time  $\ll 100$  ms)
  - **no critical BLM spikes ever observed**
- While inserting **crystal collimators** ( **$\sim 20\% \sigma_{\text{beam}}$** ) **slow loss** up to **1.2e8 ions** observed
  - **Compatible** with assumption of **similar tail population distribution as for protons**
- **10 Hz ion-fill dumps** were triggered by orbit distortion of  **$\approx 15\% \sigma_{\text{beam}}$**  and  **$\approx 110\% \text{BLM}_{\text{thresholds}}$** 
  - **Scaling to flux jump case**, one would be at about **66% of  $\text{BLM}_{\text{thresholds}}$** 
    - **Assuming 2.51 TeV/A!** Margin would increase at 1.18 TeV/A.

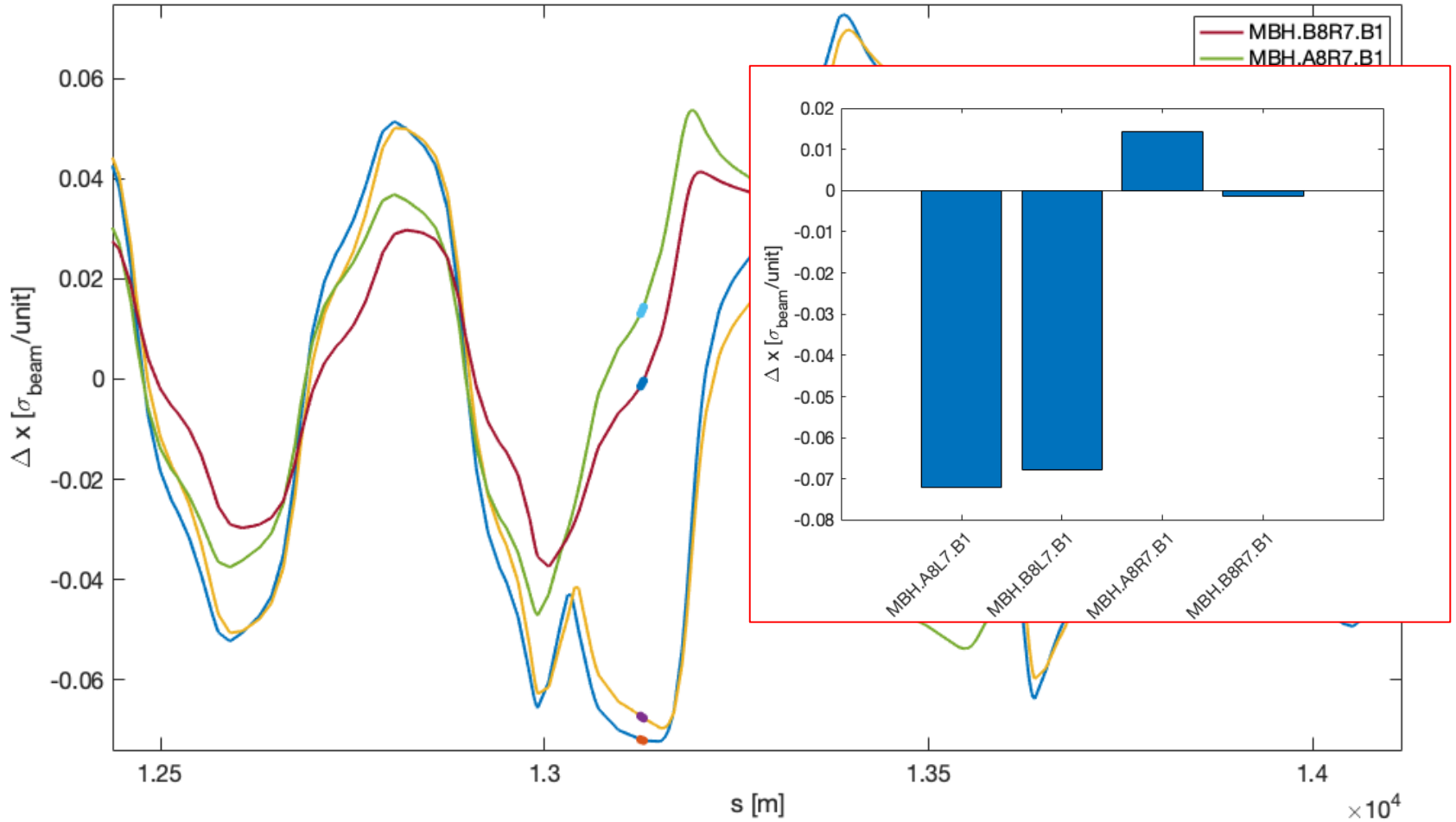
# Conclusions

- **Many unknowns**, but trying to take all known margins
- In **Run 3** we expect several **orbit jumps** at the TCPs (worst case):
  - up to **5.9% of  $\sigma_{\text{beam}}$  at 3 TeV** for protons
  - up to **3.7% of  $\sigma_{\text{beam}}$  at 1.18 TeV/A** for ions
- With the **present BLM thresholds**, such jumps could induce beam losses **just below dump threshold**
  - Using **very pessimistic** assumptions **on flux jumps!**
  - **Possible to gain margin** working on the **threshold settings**
    - **Under discussion** among BLM Threshold WG independently from flux jumps.
- *Consistent with several observations:*
  - **Lossmaps @3 TeV with protons**
  - **Ground-motion-induced losses** observed in 2018
  - **End-of fill crystal collimator insertion**
  - **10Hz-related ion-fill dumps**
- **11T dipoles in LHC are considered safe (regarding flux jumps)**
  - Will give us the opportunity to better evaluate the impact of RQX in HL-LHC

# Backup



# Impact of 11T @TCP @1m beta\* @7TeV



# Impact on beam losses (~LHC design protons)

- Double Gaussian beam distribution measured in LHC and typically used for HEL simulations [5]

$$f(x) = \frac{I_1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_1} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\sigma_1^2}} + \frac{I_2}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_2} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\sigma_2^2}}$$

where:  $I_1/I_2 = 65/35$

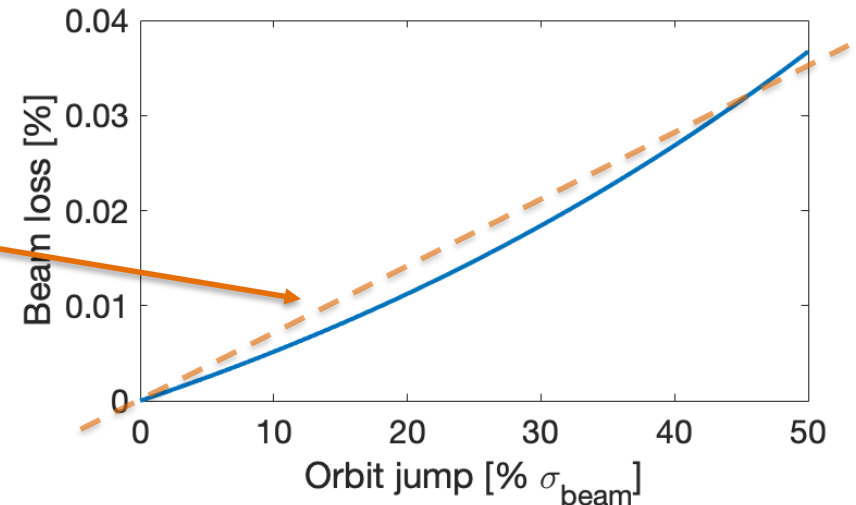
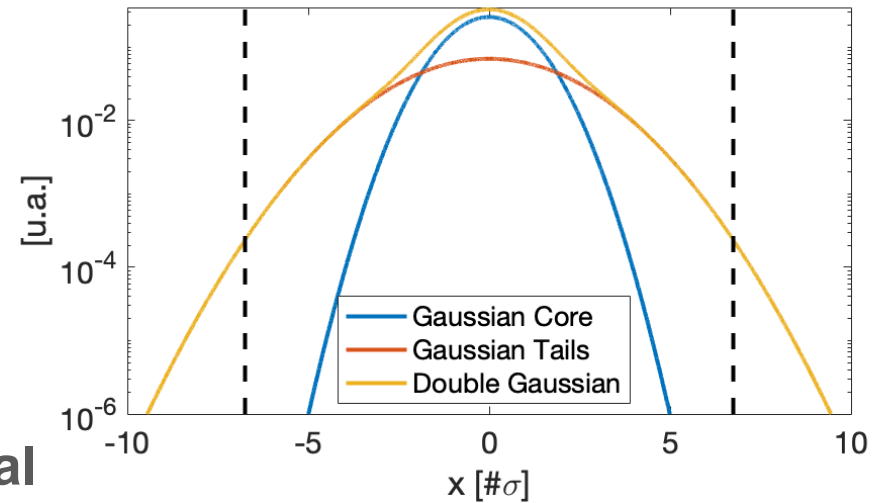
$$\sigma_2 = 2\sigma_1$$

- Losses assuming TCP opening equal to  $6.7 \sigma$  ( $2.5 \mu\text{m } \epsilon_N$ )

- (equivalent to  $5.7 \sigma$  ( $3.5 \mu\text{m } \epsilon_N$ ))

- 1%  $\sigma_{\text{beam}}$  orbit jump induces  $\approx 7e-6$  relative beam losses.

- 1.1 kJ (w.r.t. 154 MJ @3TeV)
- 2.3e9 protons (w.r.t. 3.22e14 full beam)



# Impact on beam losses (~LHC ions)

- Double Gaussian beam distribution measured in LHC and typically used for HEL simulations

$$f(x) = \frac{I_1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_1} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\sigma_1^2}} + \frac{I_2}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_2} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\sigma_2^2}}$$

where:  $I_1/I_2 = 65/35$

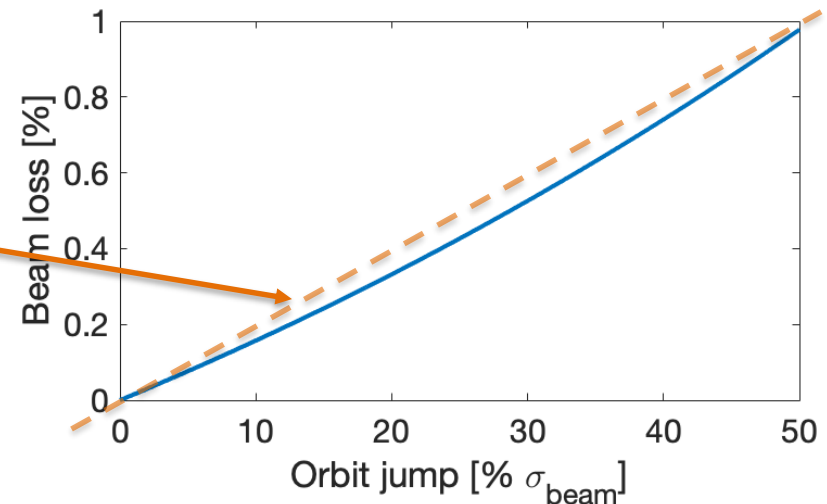
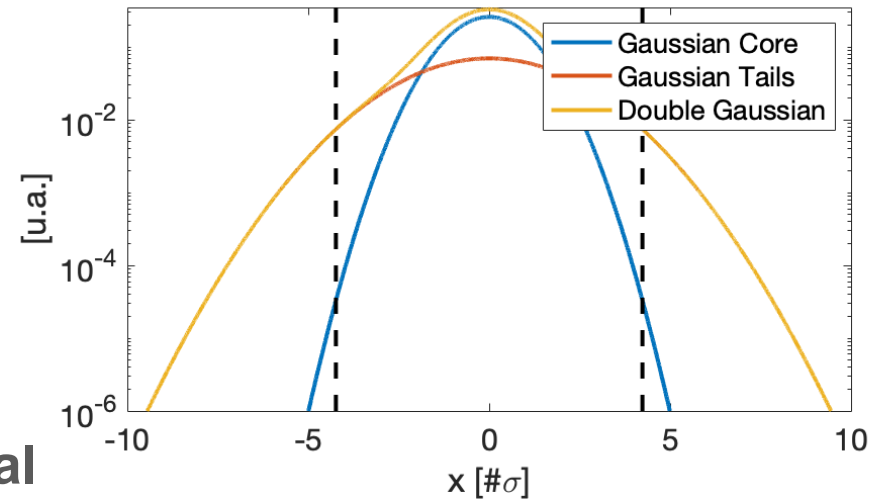
$\sigma_2 = 2\sigma_1$

- Losses assuming TCP opening equal to  $4.2 \sigma$  ( $2.5 \mu\text{m } \epsilon_N$ )

- (equivalent to  $5.7 \sigma$  ( $3.5 \mu\text{m } \epsilon_N$ ) for protons)

- 1%  $\sigma_{\text{beam}}$  orbit jump induces  $\approx 2e-4$  relative beam losses.

- 1.7 kJ (w.r.t. 8.7 MJ @1.18A TeV)
- $4.4e7$  ions (w.r.t.  $2.2e11$  LIU beam [6,7])



# Impact on beam losses (LIU ions)

- Double Gaussian beam distribution measured in LHC and typically used for HEL simulations

$$f(x) = \frac{I_1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_1} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\sigma_1^2}} + \frac{I_2}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_2} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\sigma_2^2}}$$

where:  $I_1/I_2 = 65/35$

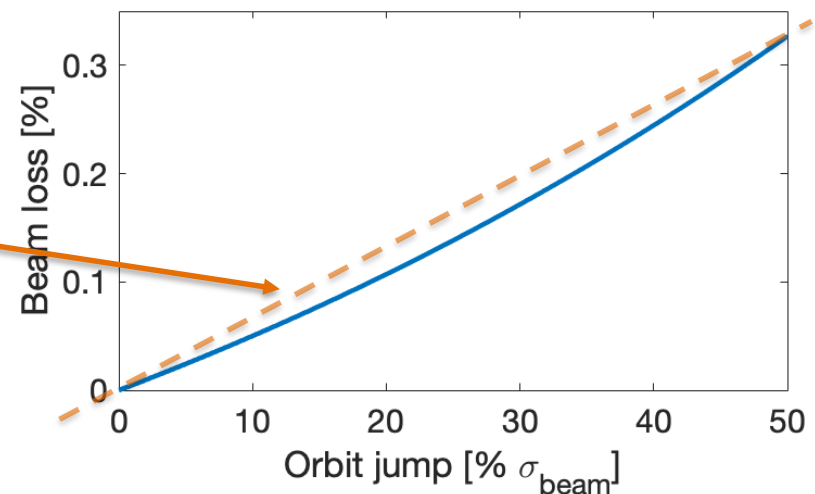
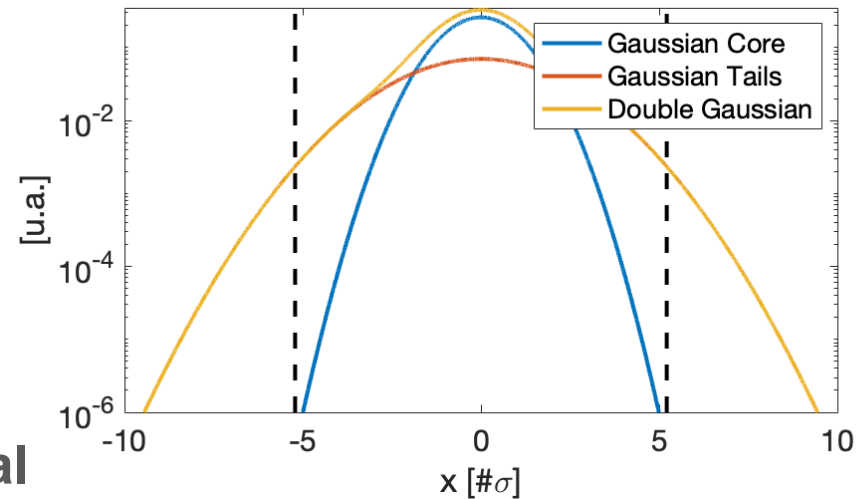
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- Losses assuming TCP opening equal to **5.2  $\sigma$  (1.65  $\mu\text{m } \epsilon_N$  (LIU))**

- (equivalent to 5.7  $\sigma$  (3.5  $\mu\text{m } \epsilon_N$ ) for protons)

- 1%  $\sigma_{\text{beam}}$  orbit jump induces  **$\approx 6.5e-5$**  relative beam losses.

- 0.6 kJ (w.r.t. 8.7 MJ @1.18A TeV)
- 1.4e7 ions (w.r.t. 2.2e11 LIU beam [6,7])



# Impact on beam losses (~LHC ions - crystal)

- Double Gaussian beam distribution measured in LHC and typically used for HEL simulations [5]

$$f(x) = \frac{I_1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_1} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\sigma_1^2}} + \frac{I_2}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_2} e^{-\frac{x^2}{2\sigma_2^2}}$$

where:  $I_1/I_2 = 65/35$

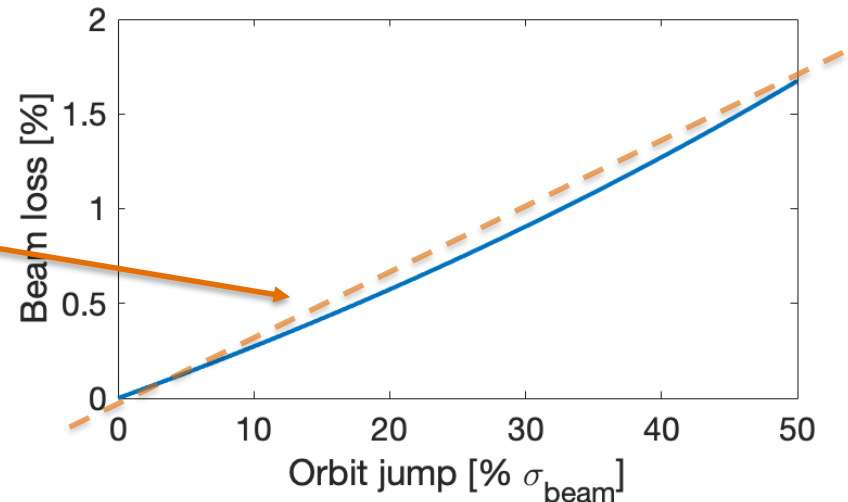
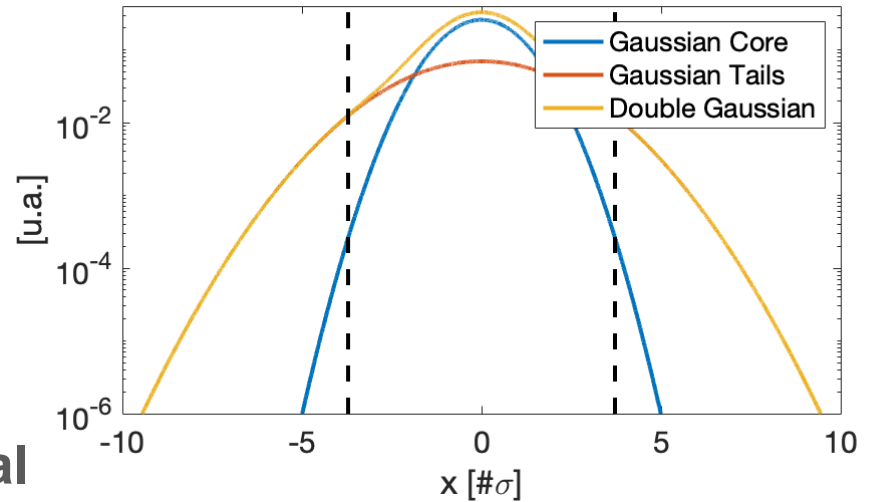
$\sigma_2 = 2\sigma_1$

- Losses assuming TCP opening equal to  $3.1 \sigma$  ( $2.5 \mu\text{m } \epsilon_N$ )

- (equivalent to  $5 \sigma$  ( $3.5 \mu\text{m } \epsilon_N$  for protons))

- 1%  $\sigma_{\text{beam}}$  orbit jump induces  $\approx 3.4e-4$  relative beam losses.

- 0.6 kJ (w.r.t. **1.7 MJ** @1.18A TeV)
  - 1.5e7 protons (w.r.t. **4.4e10 at the time**)

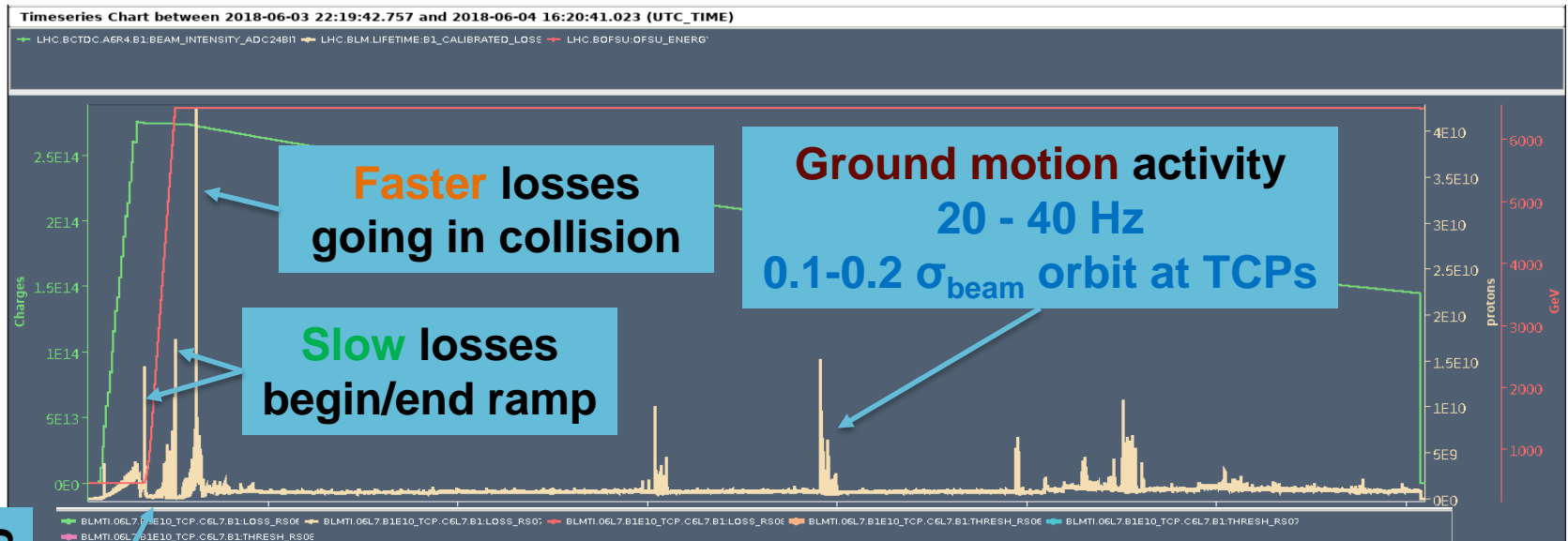


# Analysis of other observations

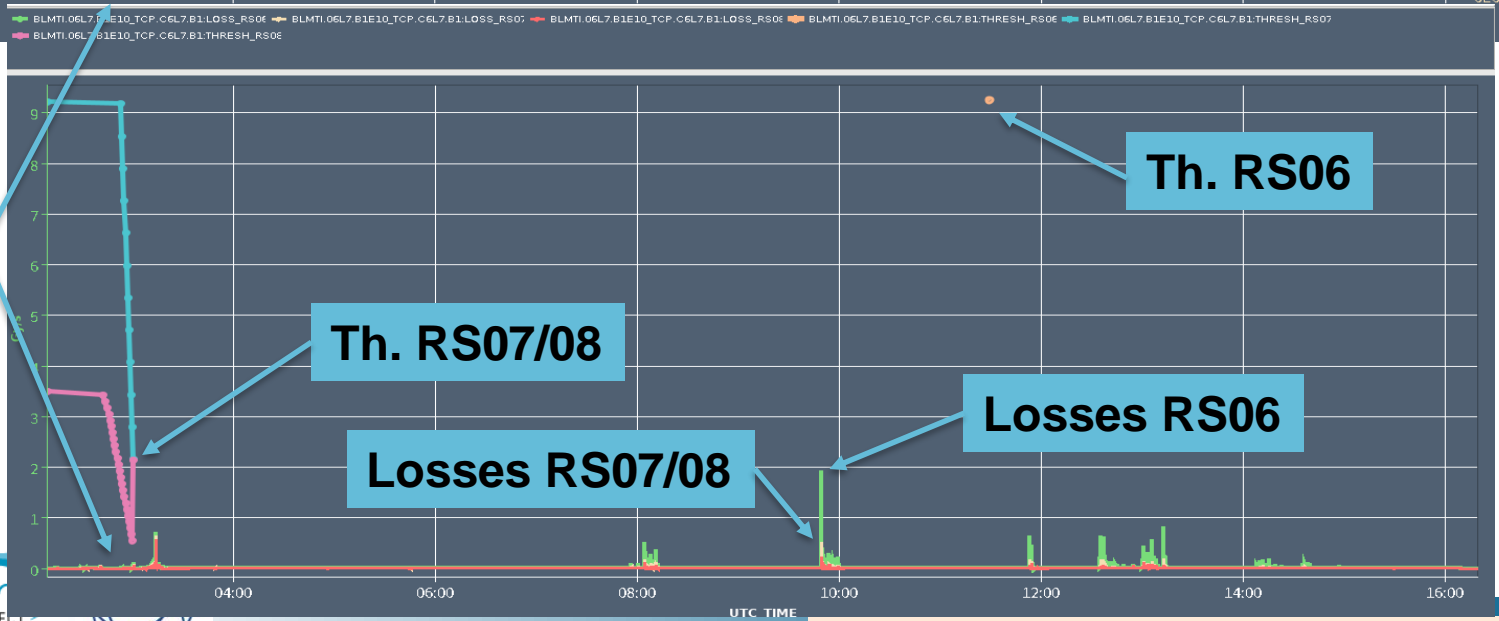
# Ground motion – proton (Fill 6757)

# Some observables (losses at TCPs)

- We were about **x5** below dump threshold on RS06-RS07-RS08 @TCPs



No fast nor big losses during ramp





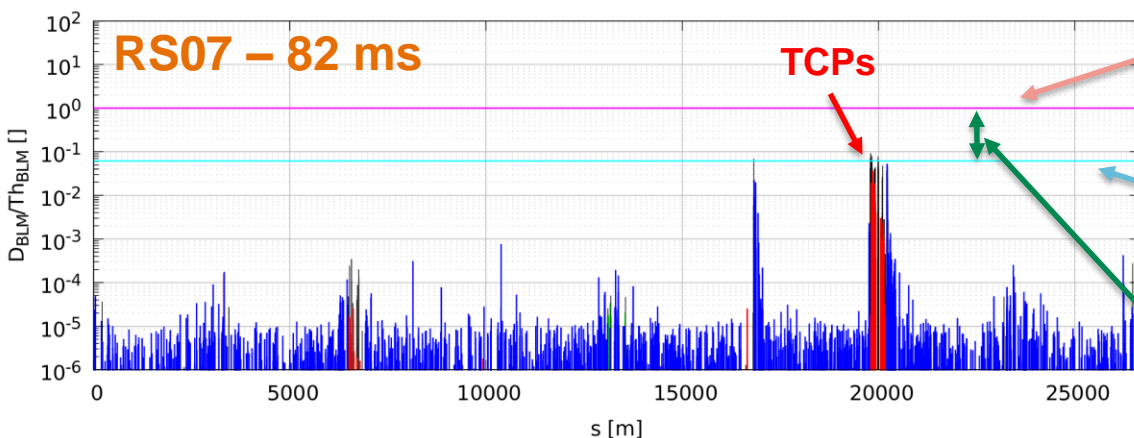
# Loss Map @3 TeV

# Loss-map measured at 3 TeV (B1)

- Measurement performed **losing a pilot** ( $8\text{-}9 \times 10^{10}$  protons) in  $\sim 5$  s.
- Rescaling** data assuming to loose  $1.6 \times 10^{10}$  protons (assumed in slide 5) for RS06/07:

XRP █ coll  warm  cold  7.7 kJ  125.0 kJ

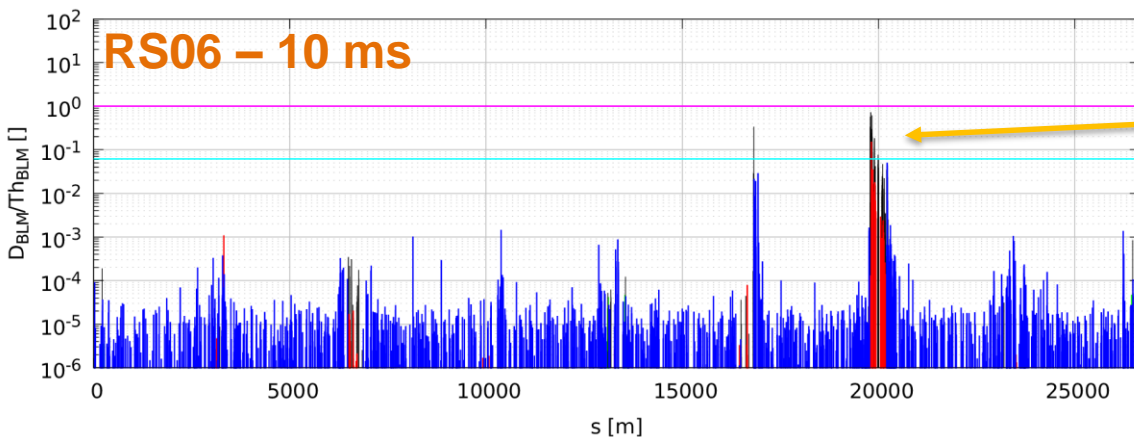
Rescaled Loss Map normalised to thresholds - background subtracted  
B1H - 2018-07-31 01:48:23.811000



If any BLM would **hits this line**, we should dump the beam

In **theory**, all BLM threshold should be adjusted to be **all on this line** (as it is for TCPs)

In **theory**, more than **x10** below theoretical threshold



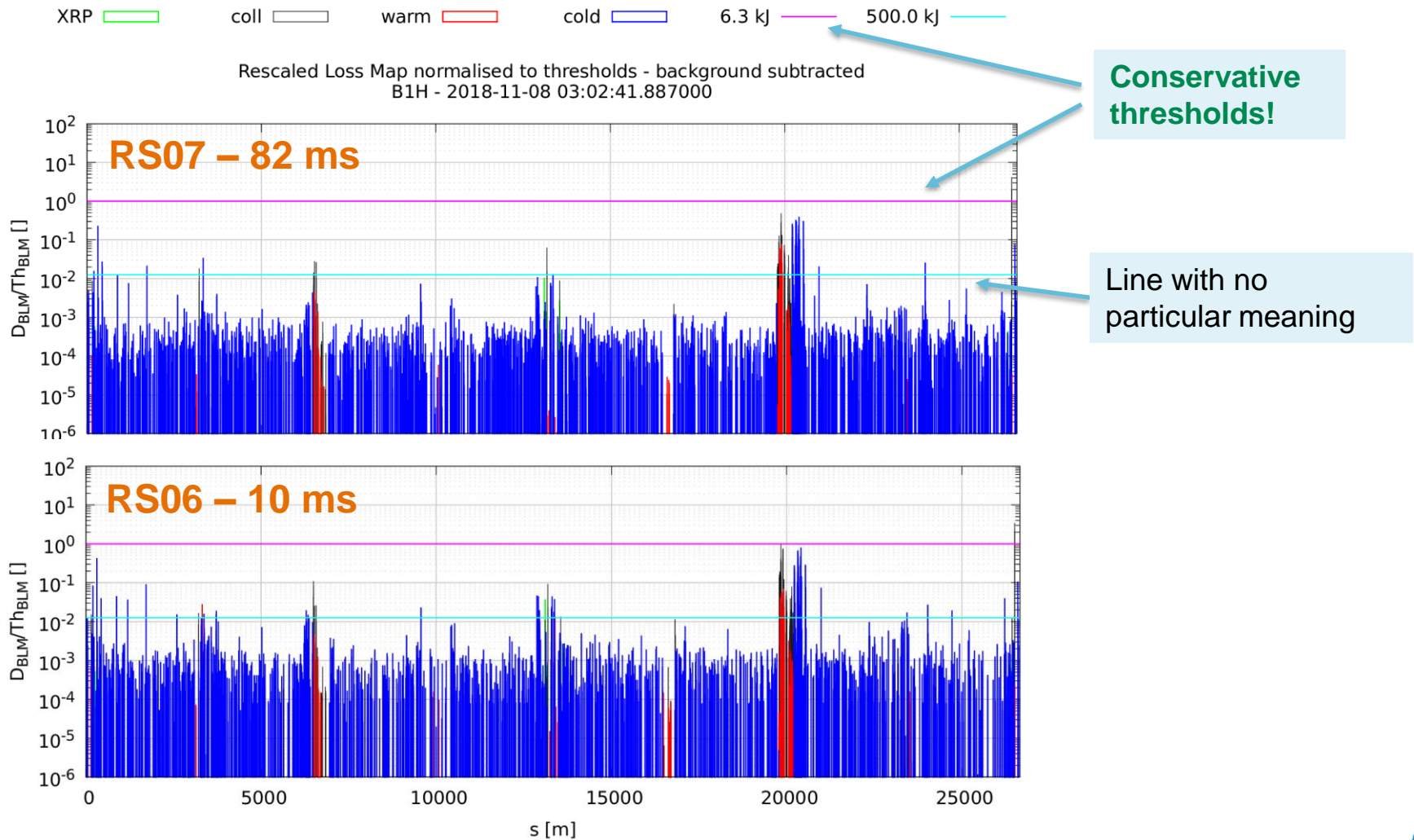
In **practice**, for RS06 thresholds are set tighter than required

⇒ **With such an event, today, very close to a dump!**

⇒ **However: flux jump takes typically  $\sim 50$  ms, not 10 ms!**

# Loss Map measured at 2.51 TeV/A scaled to 1.18 TeV/A

- Assuming present thresholds, assuming to lose 1.6e8 ions



# Crystal Collimator test (Fill 7454)

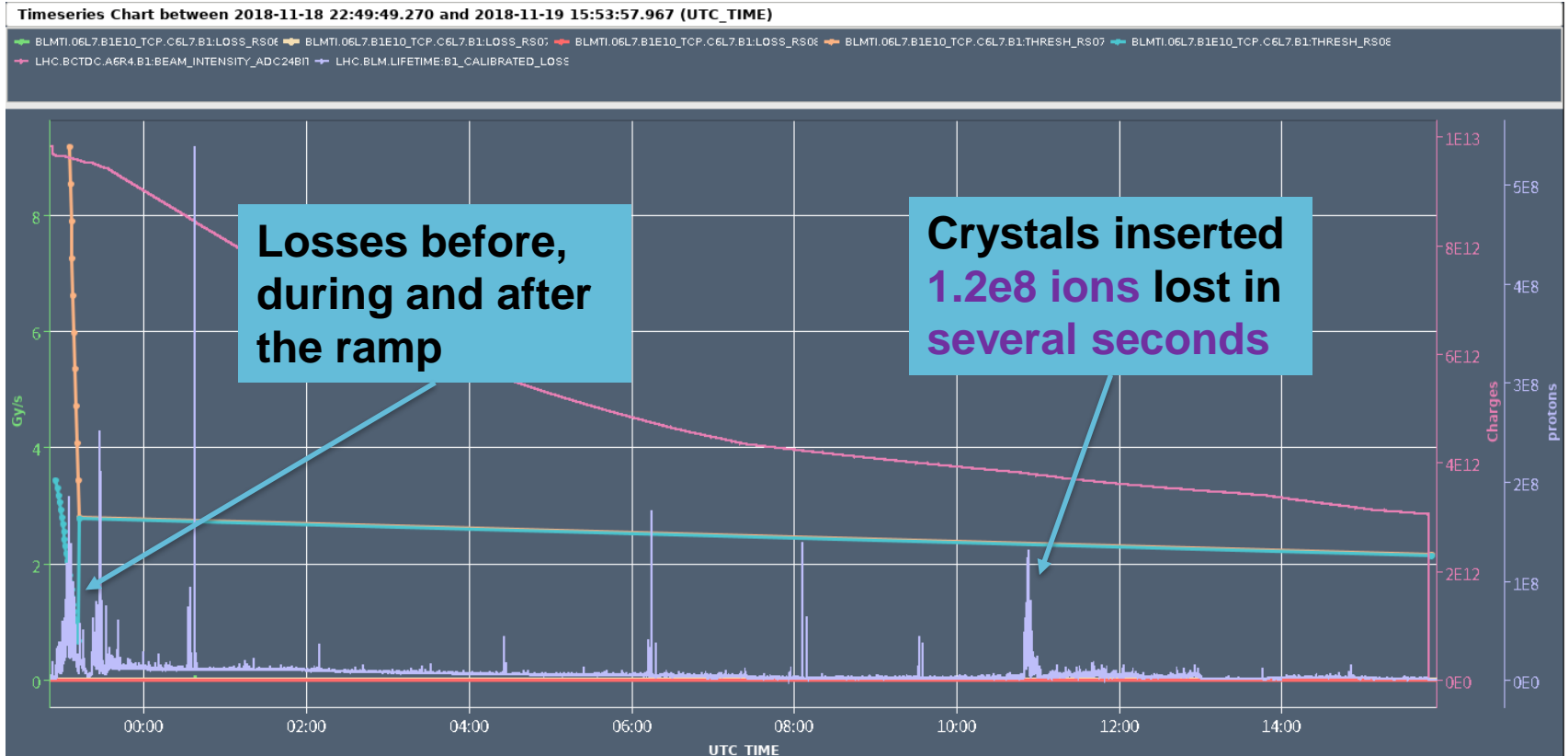
# Intensity loss during crystal insertion

Crystal (Fill 7454)	FBCT				BCT			
	$I_{in}$ (Ch)	$I_{fin}$ (Ch)	$\Delta I$ (Ch)	$\Delta I/I_{in}$	$I_{in}$ (Ch)	$I_{fin}$ (Ch)	$\Delta I$ (Ch)	$\Delta I/I_{in}$
B1H	3.64e12	3.63e12	1e10	2.7e-3	3.8e12	3.79e12	1e10	2.6e-3
B1V	3.57e12	3.56e12	1e10	2.8e-3	3.73e12	3.72e12	1e10	2.7e-3

## Main considerations:

- FBCT are calibrated using BCT and the difference of absolute value between the two signal can be due to:
  - problems of calibration
  - presence of de-bunched beam to which FBCT are not sensitive
- No visible intensity loss when inserting crystals in B2:
  - Other observation shows B2 crystals primary collimation stage, thus:
    - we didn't enter of the same fraction of sigma with the crystals in the two beam (but I doubt it because the beating should be <5%)
    - the population in the B2 tails between 5.0 s and 4.75 s is less than in B1 and below the sensitivity of FBCT and BCT.
- Consider that we were in stable beams from several hours, and this is only one "measurement". Thus, any extrapolation can have significant errors.

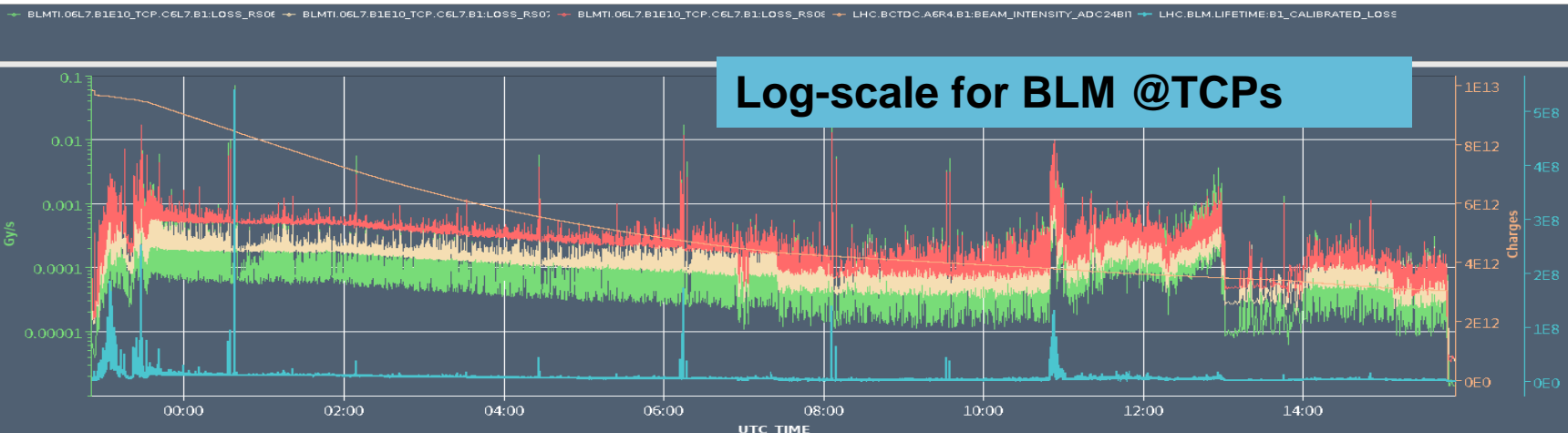
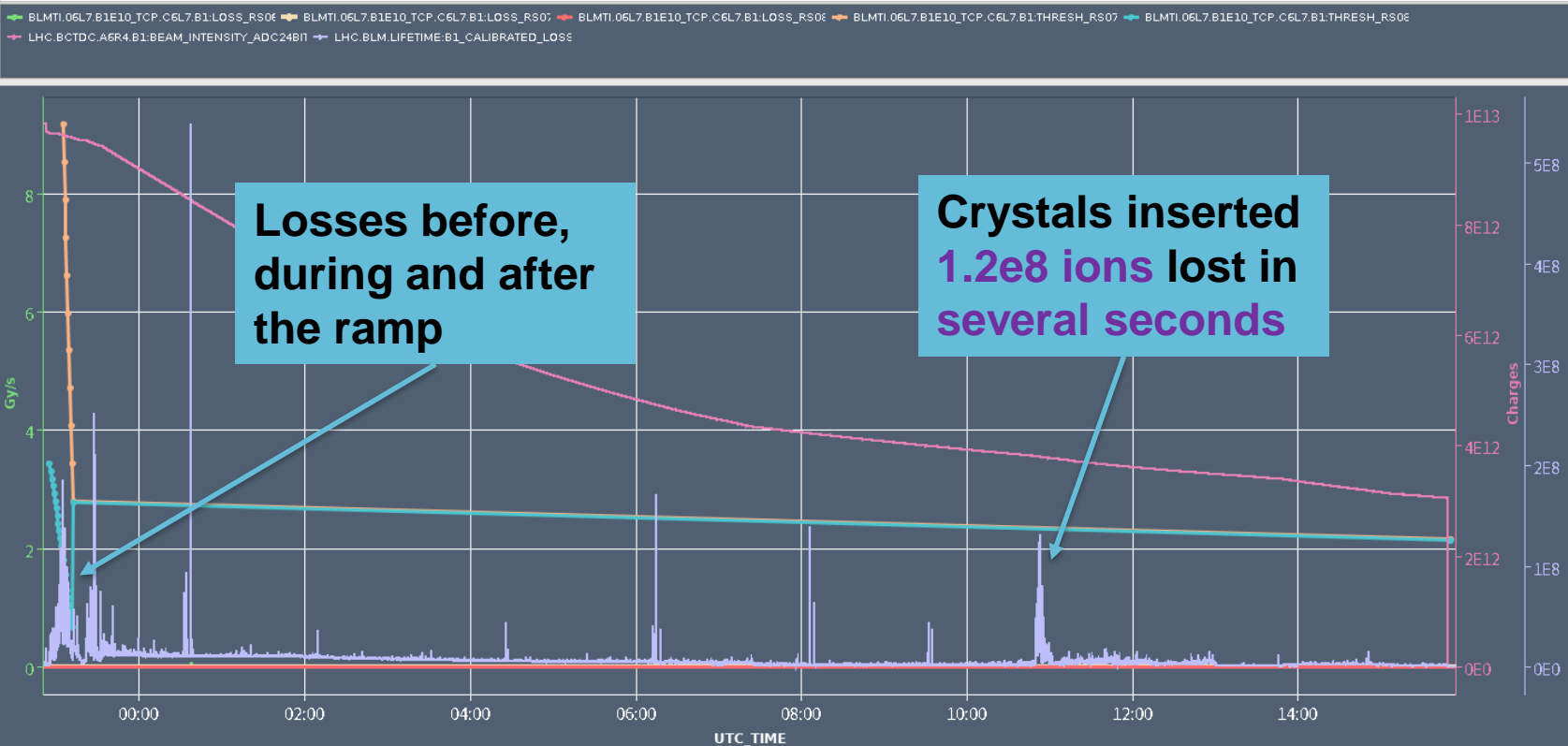
# Fill 7454: crystal insertion



- No major BLM signal observed, despite  $1.2e8$  ions lost in total, **but over several seconds.**

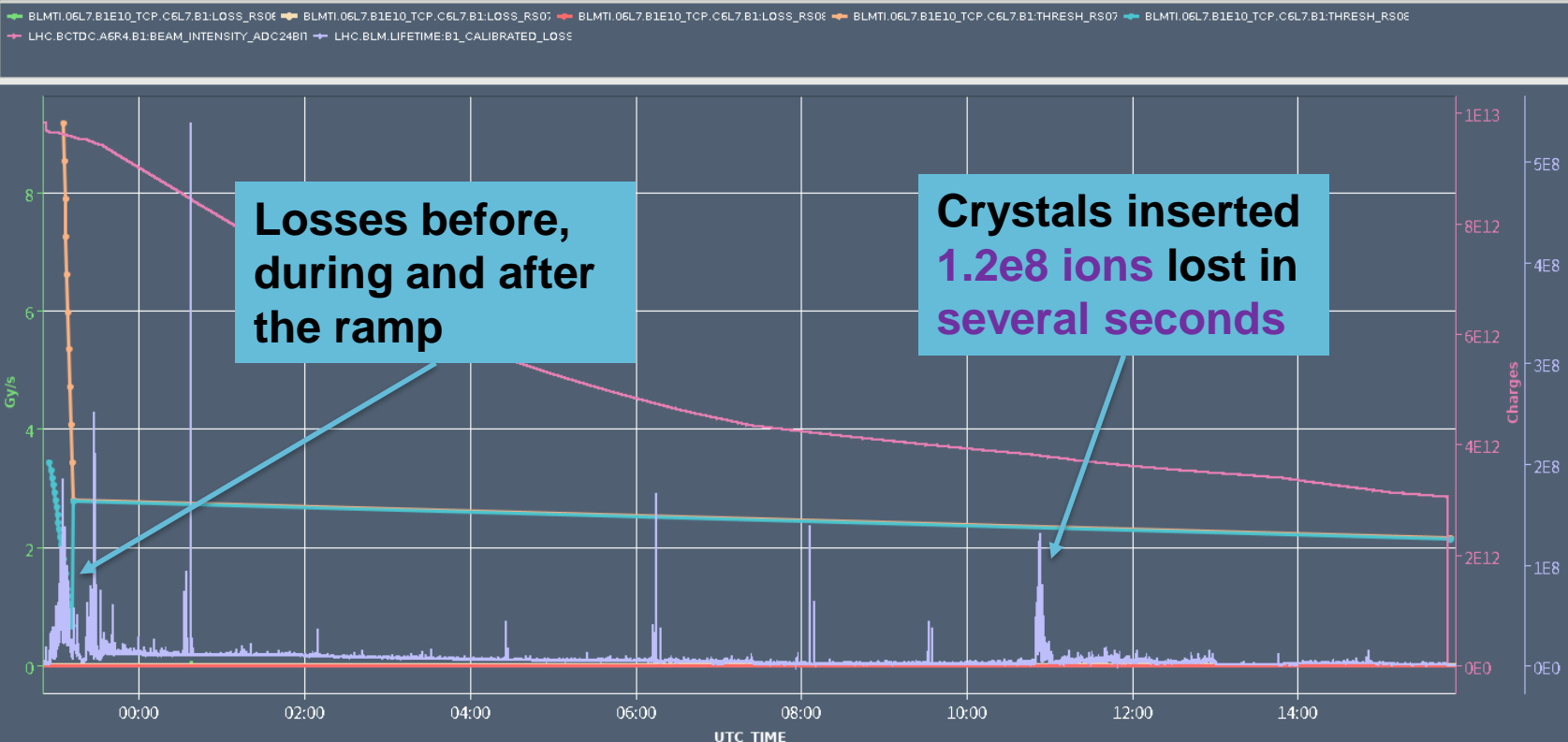
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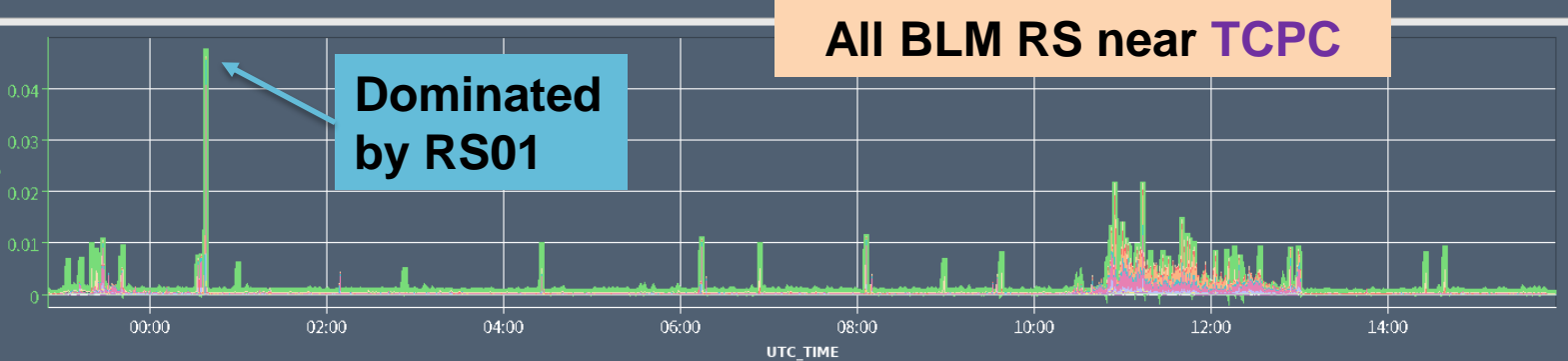


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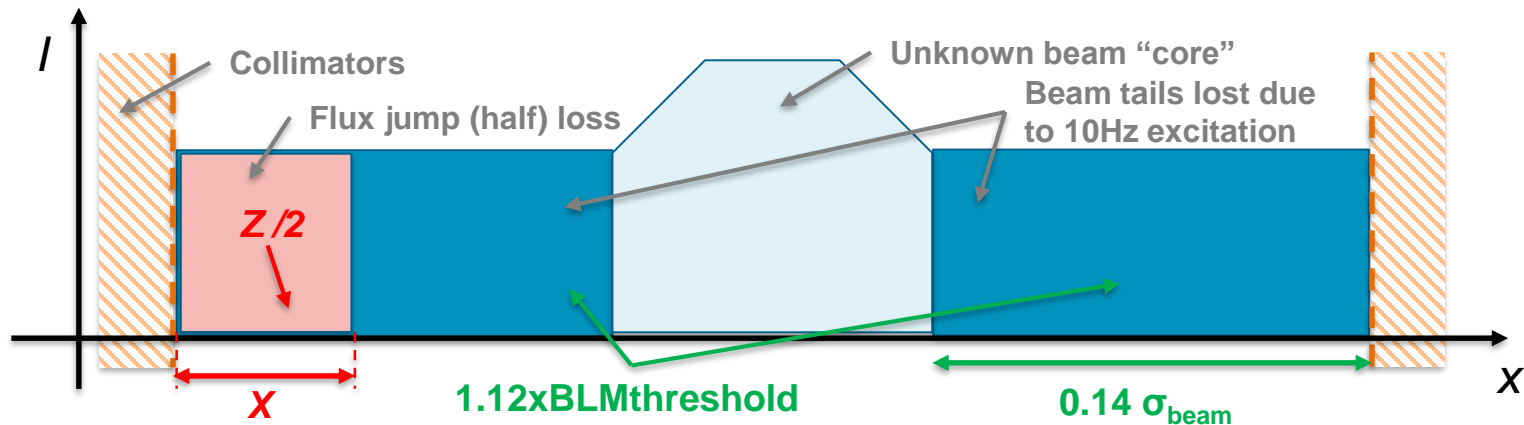
# 10 Hz data analysis

# 10 Hz-induced Pb-Pb fill dumps

Fill	BLM	RS	Losses [Gy/s]	Threshold [Gy/s]	Ratio Loss/Th	(Pk-Pk)/2 orbit [ $\mu\text{m} / \sigma_{\text{beam}}^*$ ]	B1 / B2 intensity [ $10^{11}$ ]
7442	BLMTI.04R6.B2I10.TCDSA.A4R6.B2	1	0.21	0.1274	1.65	48 / 0.13	0.97/1.00
		2	0.21		1.65		
		3	0.21		1.65		
		4	0.20		1.57		
		5	0.19		1.49		
		6	0.14		1.10		
	BLMTI.05L7.B1E10_TCSG.A5L7.B1	8	0.0591	0.0583	1.01		
		9	0.0297	0.0291	1.02		
7447	BLMTI.04R6.B2I10.TCDSA.A4R6.B2	1	0.1278	0.1274	1.003	60 / <b>0.16</b>	<b>1.21</b> /1.20
	BLMTI.04L1.B1I10_TCTPH.4L1.B1	<b>7</b>	0.0039	0.0035	<b>1.11</b>		
7458	BLMTI.05L7.B1E10_TCSG.A5L7.B1	8	0.0584	0.0584	1.002	58 / 0.15	1.01/1.04
		9	0.0354	0.0291	1.21		
	BLMQI_13R7.B1E10_MQ	8	0.0035	0.0034	1.03		
<b>7459</b>	<b>BLMTI.04L1.B1I10_TCTPH.4L1.B1</b>	<b>7</b>	0.0039	0.0035	<b>1.12</b>	54 / <b>0.14</b>	<b>0.99</b> /1.02
	BLMQI_13R7.B1E10_MQ	8	0.0036	0.0034	1.05		
	BLMTI.05L7.B1E10_TCSG.A5L7.B1	8	0.0603	0.0583	1.03		
		9	0.0315	0.0291	1.08		
7482	BLMQI_13R7.B1E10_MQ	8	0.0036	0.0034	1.06	66 / 0.17	1.46/1.45
	BLMTI.05L7.B1E10_TCSG.A5L7.B1	8	0.0597	0.0583	1.02		

# Extrapolation of 10Hz dumps to flux jumps

- Typically dumping on RS>08 (>655 ms). A few dumps on RS07 (82 ms)
- Worst case on RS07 (fill 7459 @2.51 TeV/A):
  - $1.12 \times \text{BLM}_{\text{threshold}}$  for a orbit jitter of  $0.14 \sigma_{\text{beam}}$  (Pk-Pk)/2 and B1 of  $0.99 \times 10^{11}$  ions
- Assuming the following scenario (not to scale):



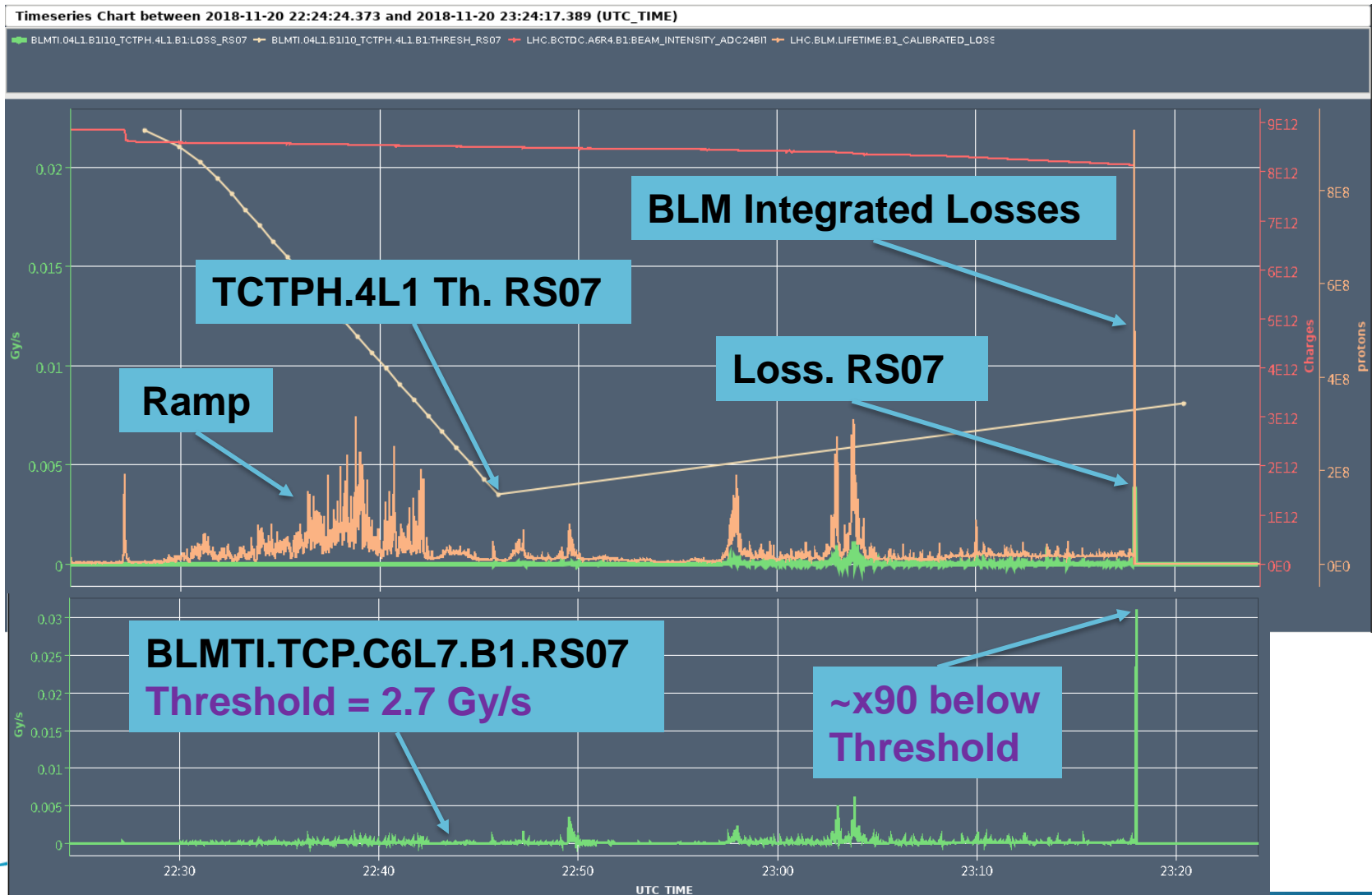
- Re-normalizing for **LIU intensity  $2.2 \times 10^{11}$** ;  $\epsilon_N = 2.5 \text{ um}$ ;  **$0.037 \sigma_{\text{beam}}$  jump**:
  - neglecting** normalization wrt to energy ( $1.18 \text{ TeV/A}$  instead of  $2.51 \text{ TeV/A}$ )

$$Z = 1.12 \times \frac{0.037}{0.14} \times \frac{2.2}{0.99} = 0.66$$

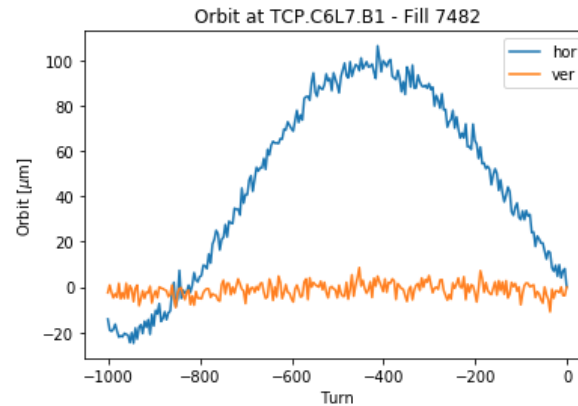
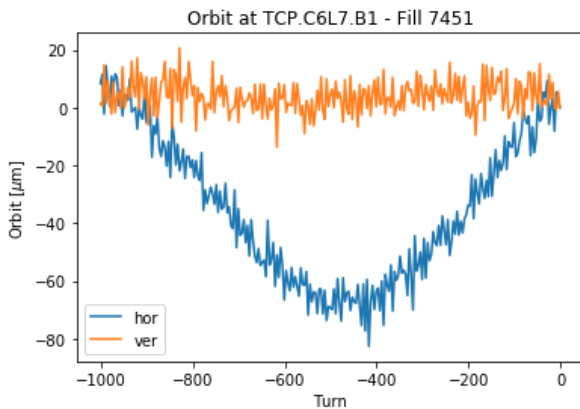
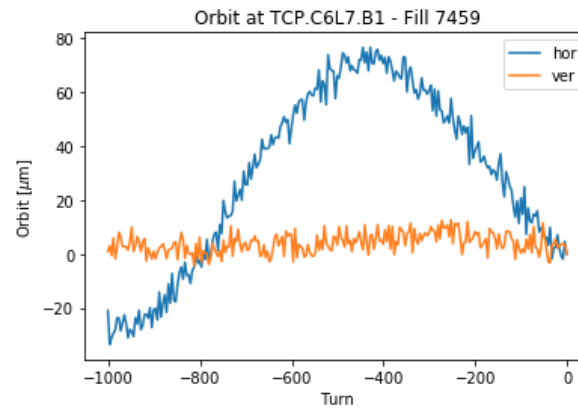
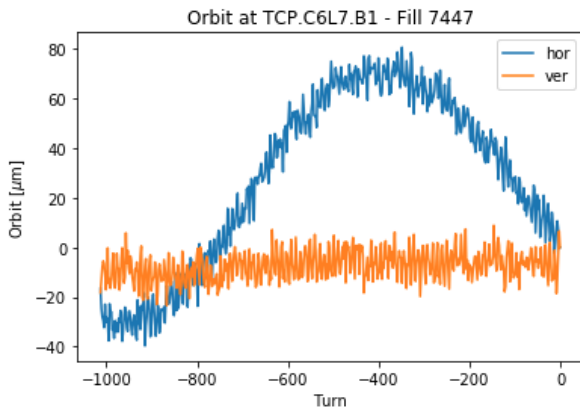
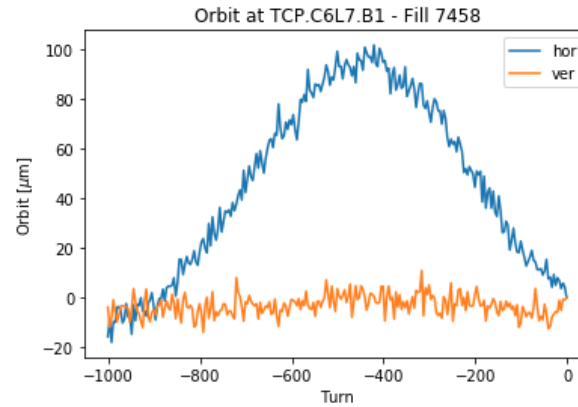
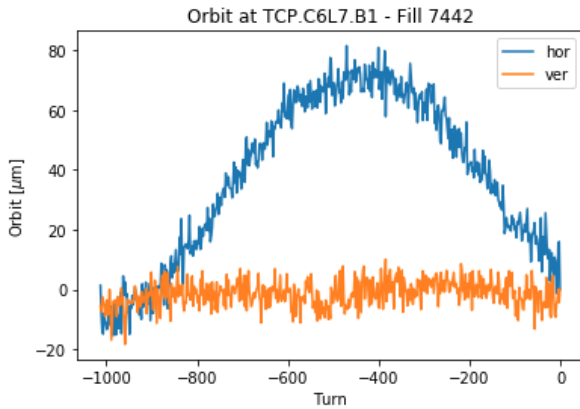
**=> 66%  $\text{BLM}_{\text{threshold}}$**

# Fill 7459 – 10Hz-induced dump

- Dumped on TCTPH.4L1, but  $\sim x90$  below threshold at TCPs
  - This is **normal** for ions! -> cleaning efficiency locally at TCPs is low. Fragments lost downstream



# Turn-by-Turn View



max-min value in data set  
(no averaging)

7442  
Delta pos at TCP.C6L7.B1= 96.92356658966669  
7447  
Delta pos at TCP.C6L7.B1= 120.26509331118783  
7451  
Delta pos at TCP.C6L7.B1= 94.27792197679815  
7458  
Delta pos at TCP.C6L7.B1= 116.22714589768549  
7459  
Delta pos at TCP.C6L7.B1= 107.74611960443664  
7482  
Delta pos at TCP.C6L7.B1= 131.17636981857282

# Final Table

# Some summary numbers

	Protons		Ions			
	~LHC	LHC-2021	LHC-crystal	LHC-10Hz dump	LHC	LHC-LIU
Beam emittance $\epsilon_N$ [ $\mu\text{m}$ ]	(2.5)		(2.5)	(2.5)	(2.5)	1.65 [7]
TCP ap. ( $\sigma_{\text{beam}}$ $\epsilon_N = 3.5$ [ $\mu\text{m}$ ])	5.7		5	5.7	5.7	
TCP ap. ( $\sigma_{\text{beam}}$ for given $\epsilon_N$ )	6.7		3.7	4.2	4.2	5.2
Max orbit jump at TCP [ $\% \sigma_{\text{beam}}$ ]	5.9		18.6	14	3.7	4.6
Relative losses/jump [ $1/\% \sigma_{\text{beam}}$ ]	7e-6		3.4e-4	2e-4	2e-4	6.5e-5
Max relative losses	4.1e-5		6.3e-3	2.8e-3	7.4e-4	3e-4
Total beam intensity [particles]	3.2e14 [8]	3.9e14 [7]	4.4e10	9.9e10	1.6e11 [6]	2.2e11 [7]
Max particles lost at TCPs	1.3e10	1.6e10	2.8e8	2.8e8	1.2e8	6.6e7
<b>Observed</b> loss [particles]	-	-	1.2e8 (during several s)	3.9e-3 Gy/s RS07	-	-
BLM Th. RS06 (10 ms) @3TeV	1.9e10 p	1.9e10 p		0.1274 Gy/s	9.5e10/20 8=4.6e8	-
BLM Th. RS07 (82 ms) @3TeV	1.6e11 p	1.6e11 p		3.5e-3 Gy/s	7.6e11/20 8 = 3.7e9	-

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