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Muon Colliders – “Light at the End of the Tunnel” for HEP

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ABSTRACT

Tighter requirements of new green standards for power consumption, the need to stay within reasonable costs of accelerator facility while aspiring for order of magnitude beyond the LHC center of mass energy in particle collisions call for a drastic paradigm shift from the “bigger, more powerful and more costly” tradition of HEP colliders of the past 50 years. I will review comparative advantages and challenges of multi-TeV muon colliders and argue that only since very recently we have proven the machine feasibility and are ready to start working toward complete technical design two decades from now for the concept of muon colliders, which offer unique option to advance the particle physics frontier and open the *Promise land* beyond the Standard Model.

High Energy $\mu^+\mu^-$ Colliders

Advantages:

- μ 's do not radiate when bent \rightarrow
acceleration in rings \rightarrow

smaller footprint

low cost

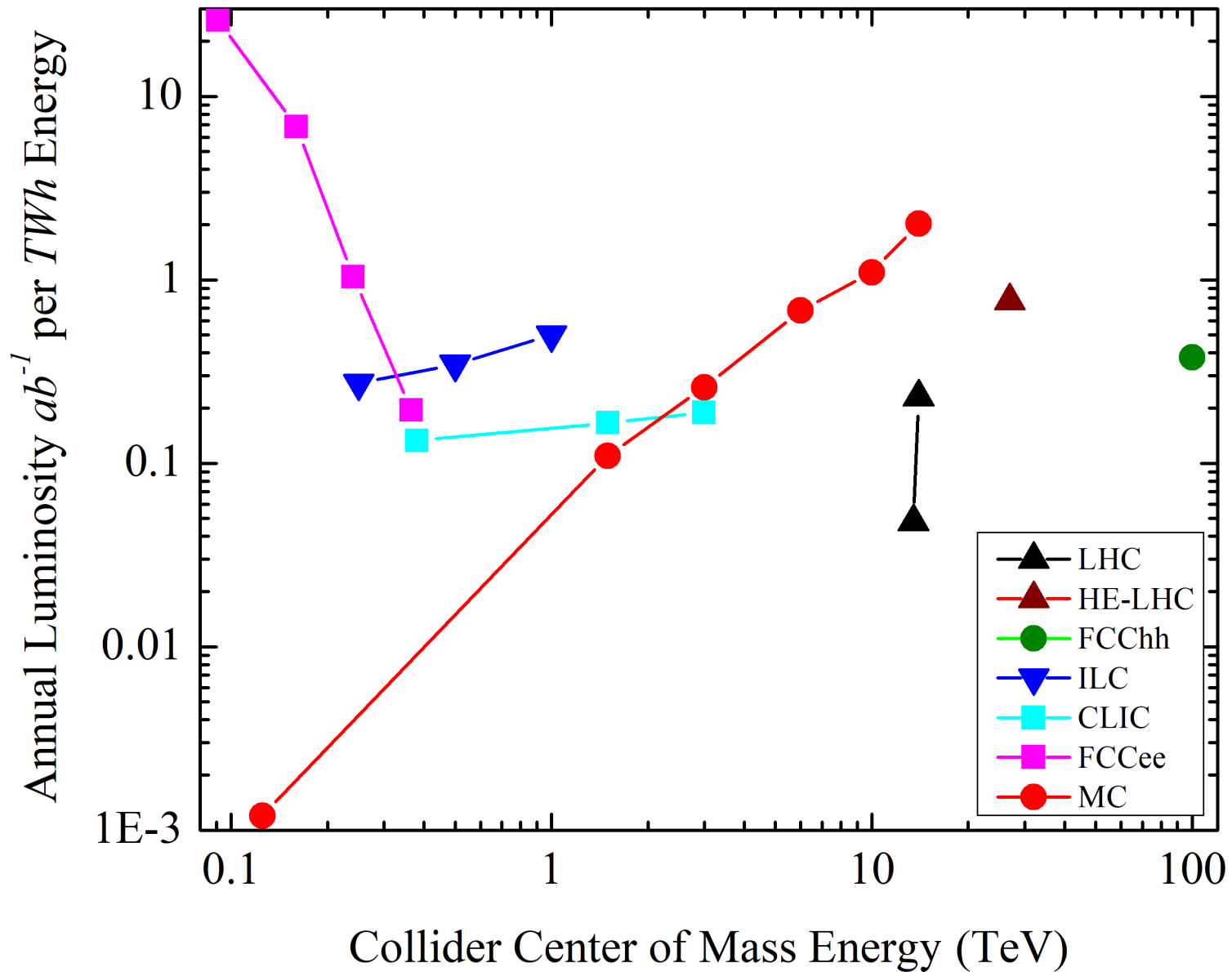
great power efficiency

- \sim **x7 energy** reach vs *pp*

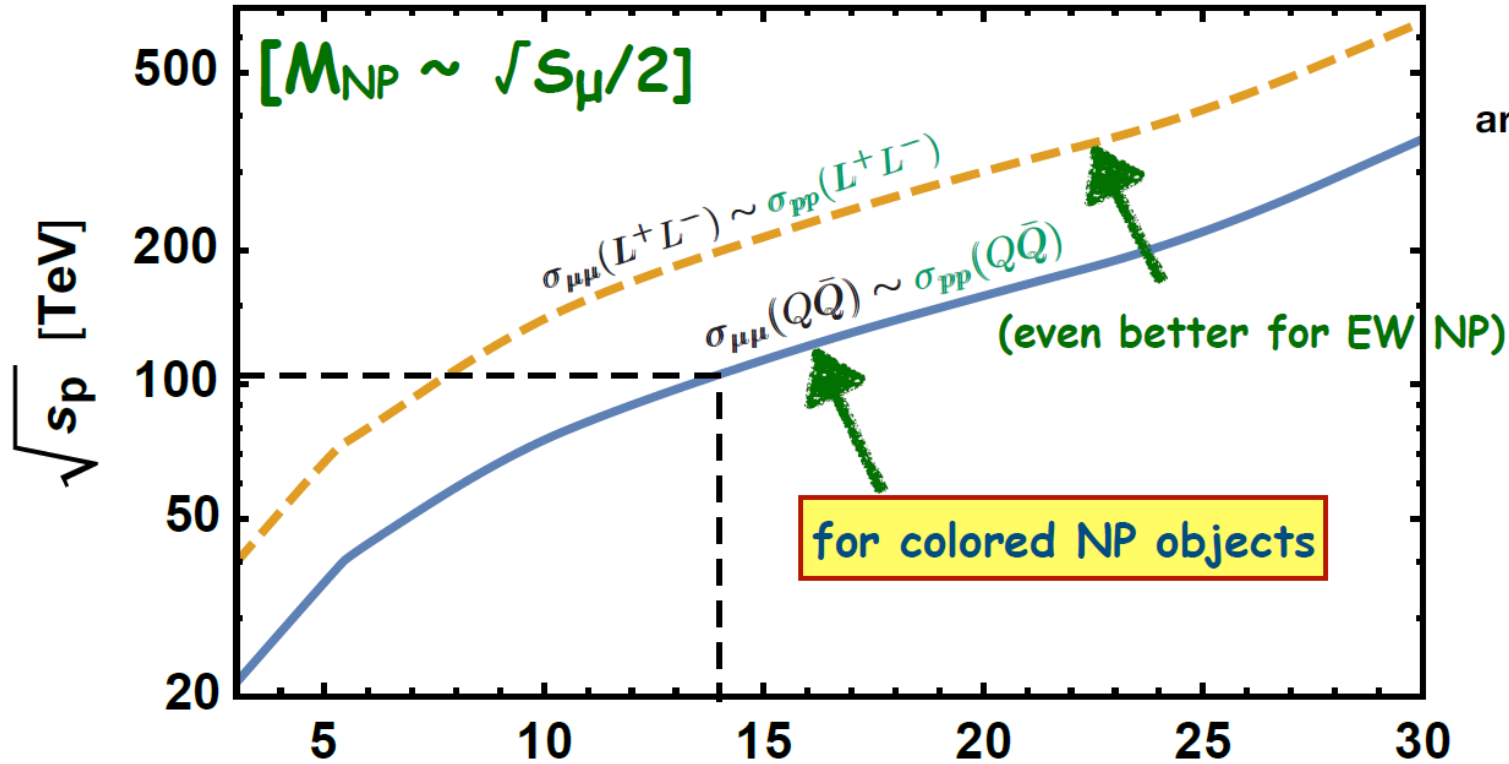
Offer “moderately conservative - moderately innovative” path to cost affordable energy frontier colliders:

Power efficiency

arXiv:2003.09084






"equivalent" reach in pp after rescaling for pdf's



- $\sqrt{s_\mu}$ [TeV]
- * $\mu\mu$ @ 14 TeV \rightarrow pp @ 100 (200)_{EW} TeV !
 - * $\mu\mu$ @ 30 TeV \rightarrow pp @ 350 (600)_{EW} TeV !!
- yet unexplored pheno !!!*

Project	Type	Energy (TeV, c.m.e.)	N_{det}	\mathcal{L}_{int} (ab^{-1})	Time (years)	Power (MW)	Cost
ILC	e^+e^-	0.25	1	2	11	129	4.8-5.3 BILCU
		0.5	1	4	10	163(204)	8.0 BILCU
		1	1			300	+(n/a)
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		1.5	1	2.5	7	370	+ 5.1 BCHF
		3	1	5	8	590	+7.3 BCHF
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		0.24	2	5	3	282	
		0.365 & 0.35	2	1.5+0.2	4+1	340	+1.1 BCHF
LHeC	ep	1.3	1	1	12	(+100)	1.75* BCHF
HE-LHC	pp	27	2	20	20	220	7.2 BCHF
FCC-hh	pp	100	2	30	25	580	17(+7) BCHF
FCC-eh	ep	3.5	1	2	25	(+100)	1.75 BCHF
Muon Collider	$\mu\mu$	14	2	50	15	290	10.7* BCHF

Muon Collider (2020) : Sub-Systems (approx. in scale)

-  $p+$ protons
-  $\mu-$ muons
-  $\mu+$ antimuons

Muon Booster

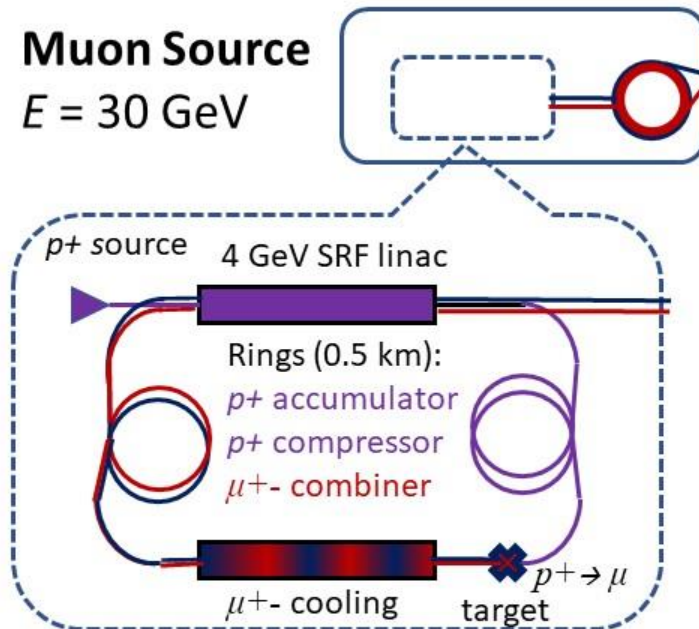
$E = 0.45$ TeV

$C = 6.9$ km

$B_{\text{max}} = 8$ T

Muon Source

$E = 30$ GeV



Muon

Accelerator-Collider

$E = 7+7$ TeV

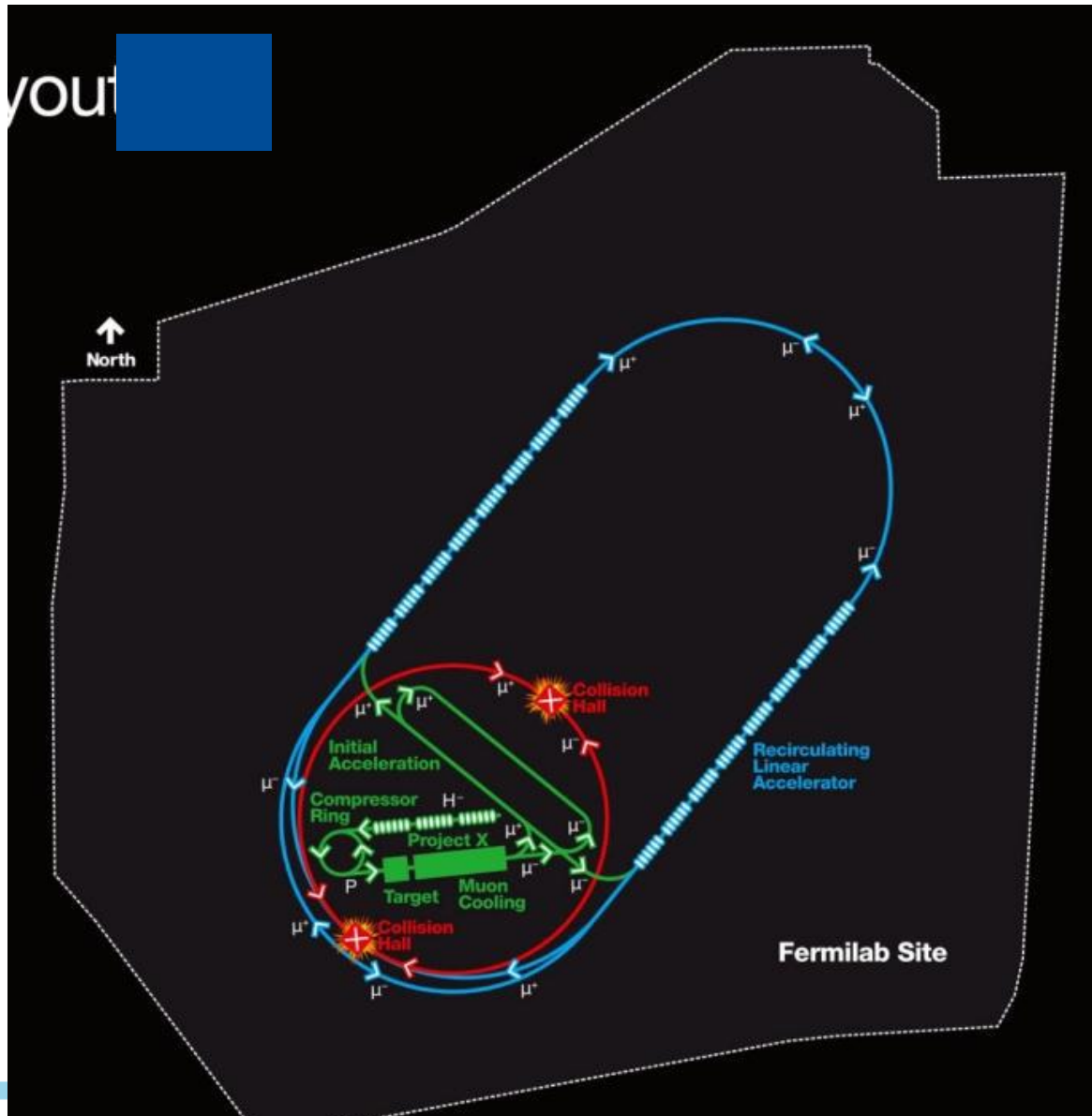
$C = 26.7$ km

$B_{\text{max}} = 16$ T

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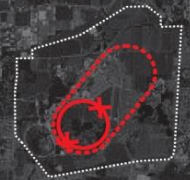
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1.5-4 TeV Muon Collider (ca.2007)



Comparison of Particle Colliders

To reach higher and higher collision energies, scientists have built and proposed larger and larger machines.



Muon Collider
d=2km



LHC
d=8.4km



ILC
l=30km



CLIC
l=50km

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Colliders: Pro &

VLHC
d=74km

Why the cost is so low ?

A. (Most important) much less RF

B. (Smaller) size matters

C. (Lower) Power consumption

! WARNING !

$\alpha\beta\gamma$ - Cost Estimate Model:

$$\text{Cost(TPC)} = \alpha L^{1/2} + \beta E^{1/2} + \gamma P^{1/2}$$

- a) $\pm 33\%$ estimate, for a “green field” accelerators
- b) “US-Accounting” = TPC ! ($\sim 2\text{-}2.5 \times$ *European Accounting*)
- c) Coefficients (units: 10 km for L , 1 TeV for E , 100 MW for P)
 - $\alpha \approx 2\text{B}\$/\text{sqrt}(L/10 \text{ km})$
 - $\beta \approx 10\text{B}\$/\text{sqrt}(E/\text{TeV})$ for SC/NC RF !!!
 - $\beta \approx 2\text{B}\$ /\text{sqrt}(E/\text{TeV})$ for SC magnets !!
 - $\beta \approx 1\text{B}\$ /\text{sqrt}(E/\text{TeV})$ for NC magnets !
 - $\gamma \approx 2\text{B}\$/\text{sqrt}(P/100 \text{ MW})$

USE AT YOUR OWN RISK!

$$L \gtrsim \frac{5 \text{ years}}{\text{time}} \left(\frac{\sqrt{s}_{\mu}}{10 \text{ TeV}} \right)^2 2 \cdot 10^{35} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$$

Collecting 100 events might be sufficient to discover new particles with easily identifiable decay products, such as Stops and Top Partners related with Naturalness. An instantaneous luminosity of $2 \cdot 10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$, at 10 TeV, would be sufficient to probe these particles up to the collider reach. Ten thousands events would instead be needed to aim at percent-level measurements of electroweak SM processes at high invariant mass, allowing to probe hundreds of TeV New Physics scales indirectly as **b** previously mentioned. In this case the luminosity requirement becomes:

Parameter table

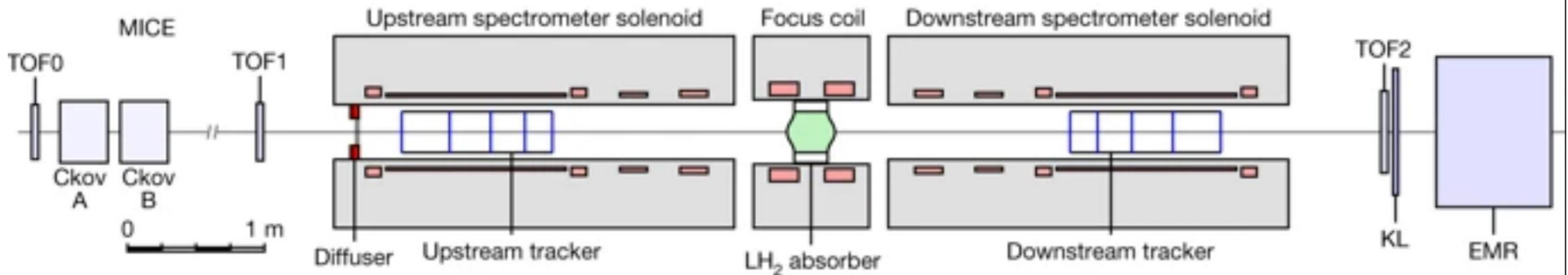
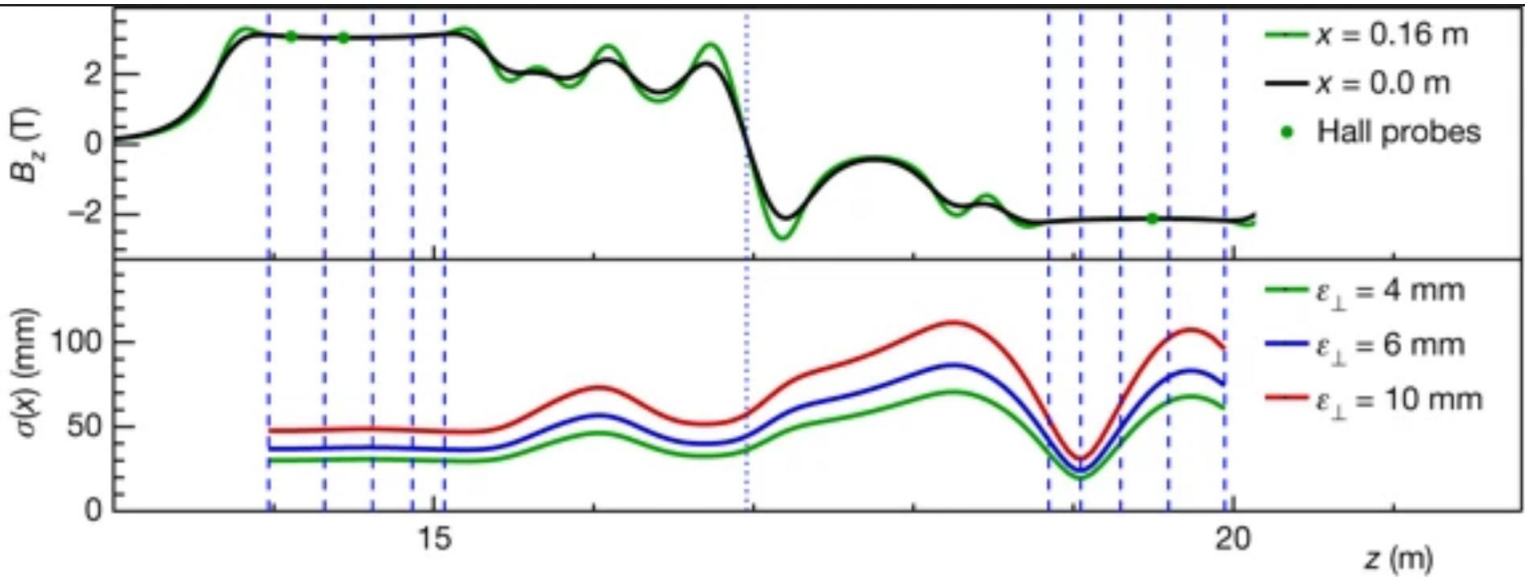
(* indicates collider rings which fit the LHC tunnel)

Center of mass energy \sqrt{s} (TeV)	.126	3	14
Circumference (km)	.3	4.5 (26.7*)	14 (26.7*)
Interaction regions	1	2	2
Peak luminosity ($10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$)	0.008	4.4	40
Int. lum. per exp. ($\text{ab}^{-1}/\text{year}$)	0.001	0.5	3
Time between coll. (μs)	1	0.025	90
Cycle rep. rate (Hz)	1	6(35*)	4(7*)
Energy spread (rms, %)	0.004	0.1	0.1
Bunch length (rms, mm)	63	5	1
IP beam size (μm)	75	3.0	0.6
β^* , amplitude function at IP (mm)	17	5	1
Avg. magnetic field (T)	10(?)	8(5.5*)	10.5(5.5*)
Max. magnetic field (T)	10(?)	12	16
Proton driver beam power (MW)	4	4	1
Total facility AC power (MW)	200	230	290

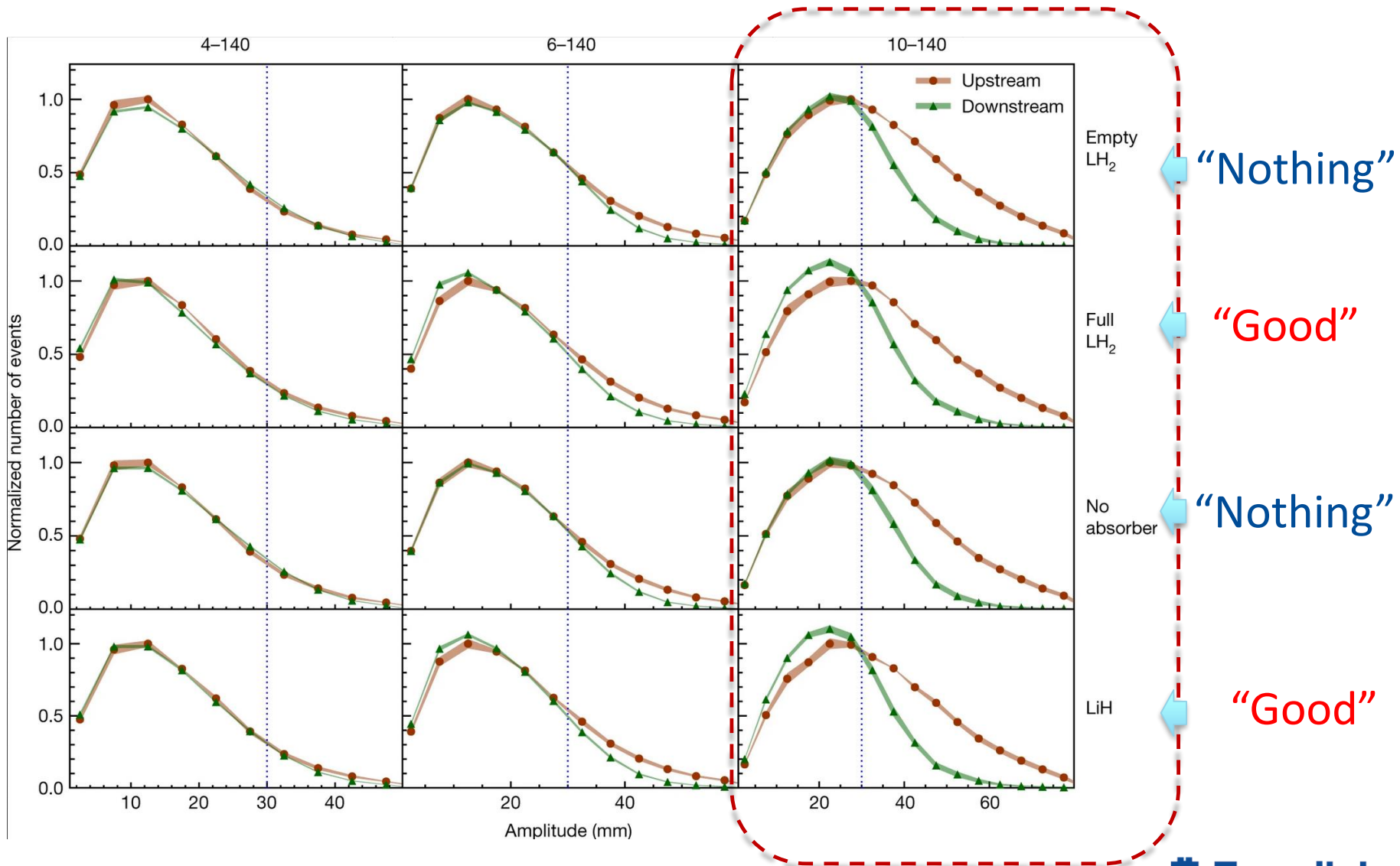
Subsystems

- (i) a high power **proton driver** (SRF 4 GeV 2-4 MW H- linac);
- (ii) pre-target **accumulation and compressor rings**, in which high-intensity 1-3 ns long proton bunches are formed;
- (iii) a liquid mercury **target** for converting the proton beam into a tertiary muon beam with energy of about 200 MeV;
- (iv) a multi-stage **ionization cooling** section that reduces the transverse and longitudinal emittances and, thereby, creates a low emittance beam;
- (v) a multistage **acceleration** (initial and main) system --- the latter employing a series recirculating rapid cycling synchrotrons (RCS) to accelerate muons in a modest number of turns up to 3-7 TeV using high gradient superconducting RF cavities;
- (vi) about 8.5 km diameter **collider ring** located some 100 m underground, where counter-propagating muon beams are stored and collide over the roughly 1000--2000 turns corresponding to the muon lifetime.

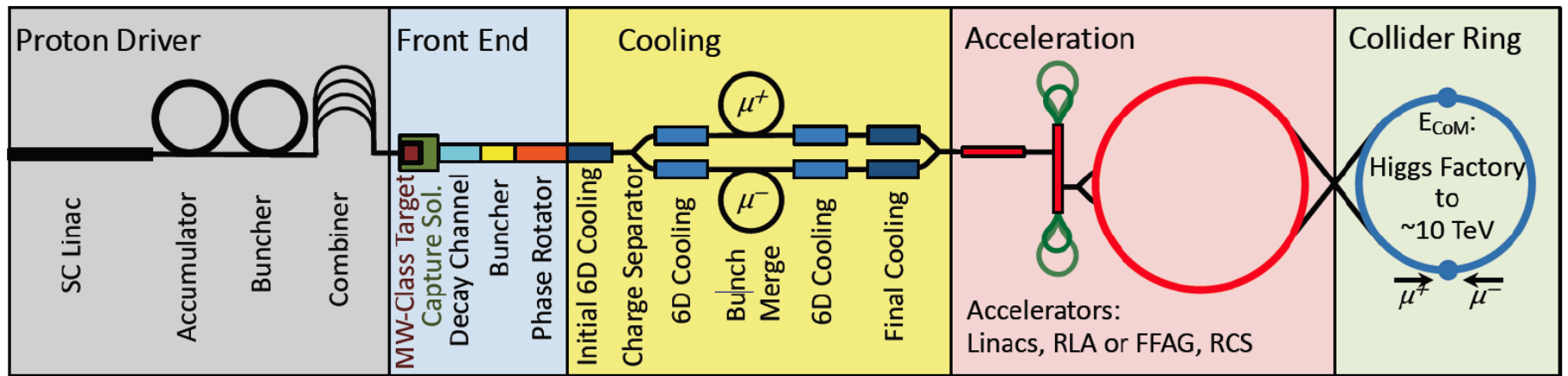
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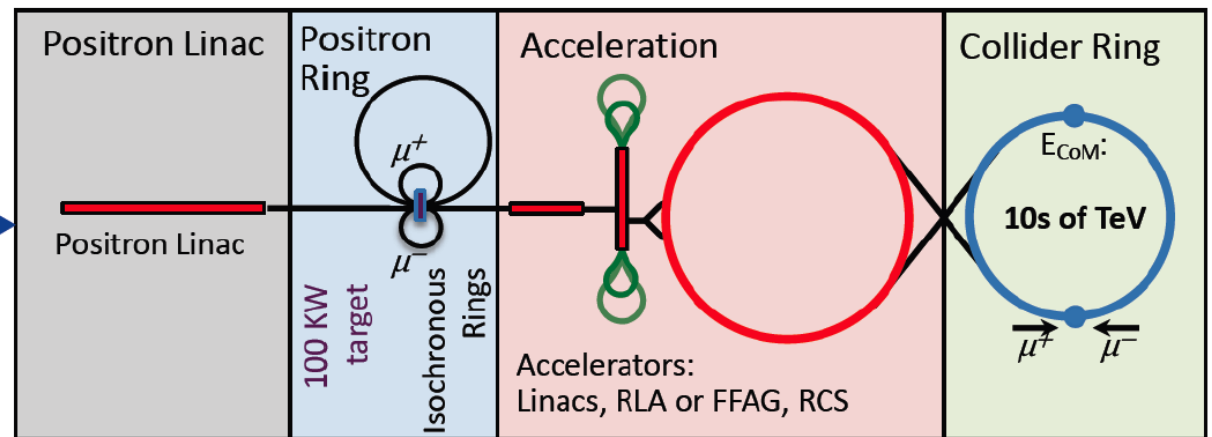
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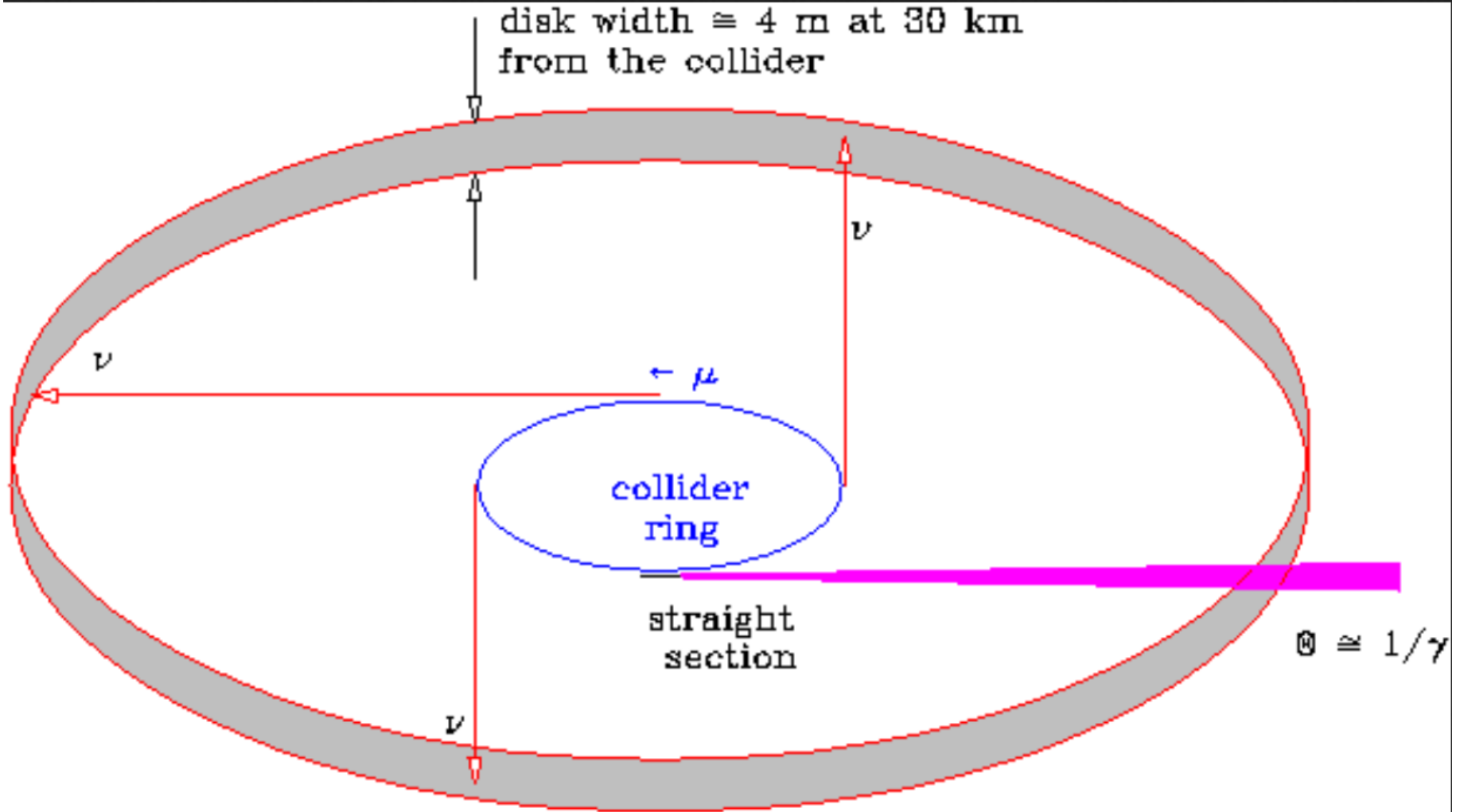
Alternative Concepts: μ 's from protons vs μ 's from e^+



Low EMittance Muon Accelerator (LEMMA):
 10^{11} μ pairs/sec from e^+e^- interactions. The small production emittance allows lower overall charge in the collider rings – hence, lower backgrounds in a collider detector and a higher potential CoM energy due to neutrino radiation.



Neutrino Radiation

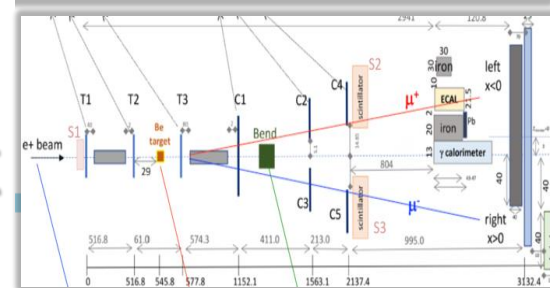
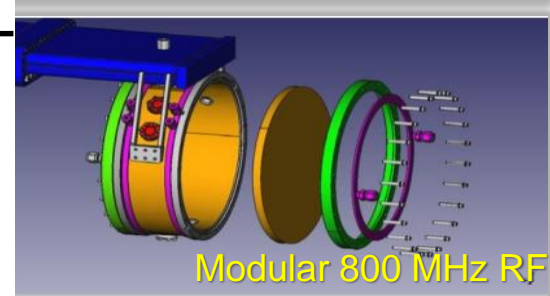
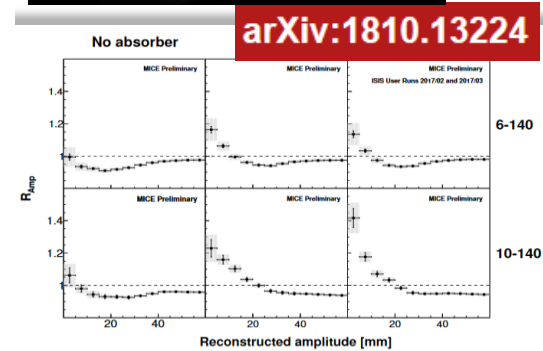
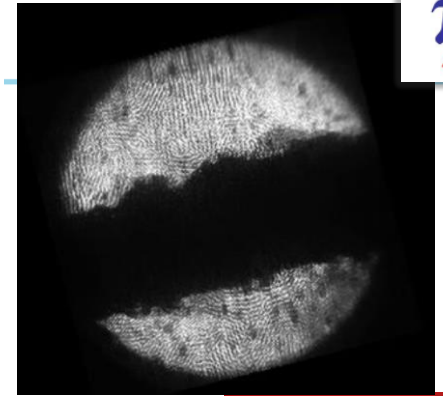


1 mSv/yr mitigation ideas: a) depth; b) few mm vertical collider orbit Variation; c) less muons \rightarrow muon production via positrons

Other notable progress



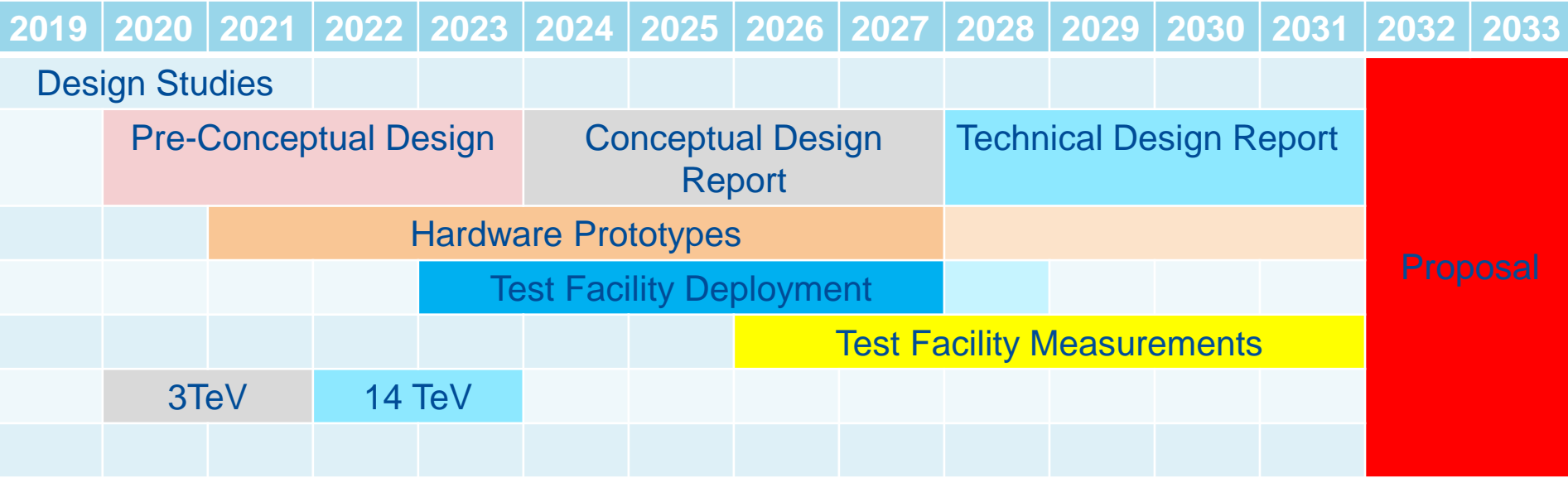
- **Liquid mercury targets:**
 - MERIT beam test @ CERN
 - Equivalent to ~ 8 MW avg beam power
- **NC RF 50 MV/m in 3 T field**
 - Developed and tested at Fermilab
- **Rapid cycling HTS magnets**
 - Record 12 T/s – built and tested at FNAL
- **First RF acceleration of muons**
 - J-PARC MUSE RFQ 90 KeV
- **US MAP Collaboration → Int'l**
- **Low emittance (no cool) concept**
 - 45 GeV $e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$: CERN fixed target



Path forward

- Become *post-LHC* (TDR by 2040) = CERN Test Facility by 2025
- Key R&D to secure low cost and power and high Lumi:
 1. high field, robust and cost-effective 12-16 T superconducting magnets for the muon production, cooling, acceleration and collision, with power- efficient cryogenics subsystems;
 2. high-gradient and robust normal-conducting RF to minimize muon losses during cooling and power-efficient superconducting RF for fast muon acceleration;
 3. fast ramping normal-conducting, superferric or superconducting magnets that can be used in a RCS to accelerate the muons;
 4. advanced detector concepts and technologies to deal with the background induced by the muon beams, as well as fast, robust, high-resolution beam diagnostics instrumentation.
- **Develop STRONG physics case and detector concepts !!!**

Back up slides



Finding Common Denominators * – Three Factors

** to be further discussed in the Symposium's accelerator sessions*

- **F1 “Technology Readiness” :**

Green	- TDR
Yellow	- CDR
Red	- R&D

- **F2 “Energy Efficiency”**

Green	: 100-200 MW
Yellow	: 200-400 MW
Red	: > 400 MW

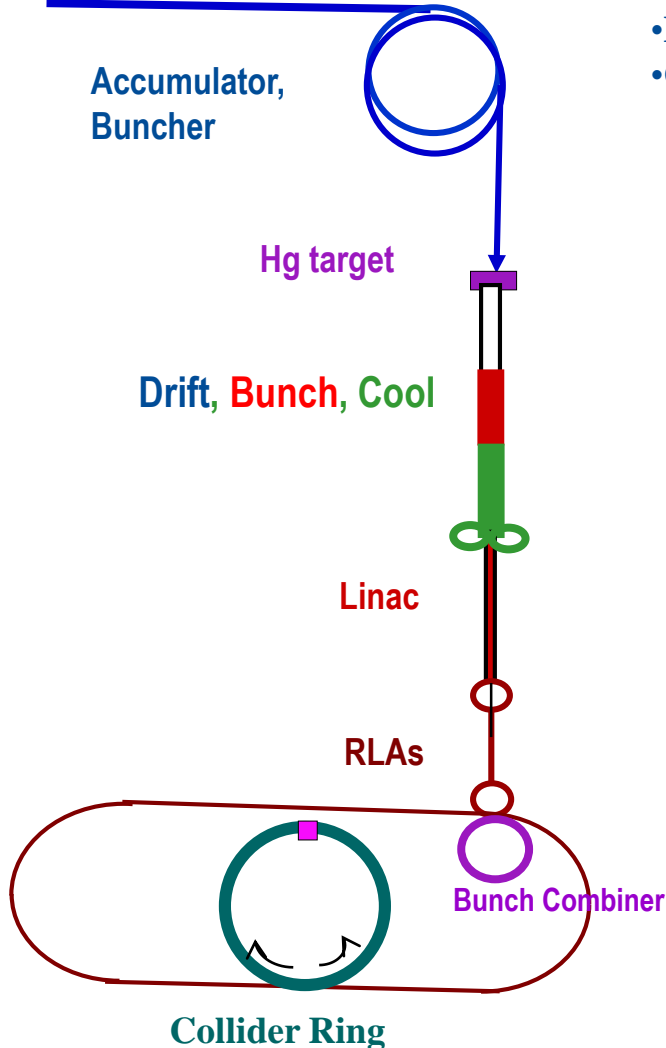
- **F3 “Cost” :**

Green	: < LHC
Yellow	: 1-2 x LHC
Red	: > 2x LHC

Higgs Factories	Readiness	Power-Eff.	Cost
<i>ee</i> Linear 250 GeV	Green	Green	Yellow
<i>ee</i> Rings 240 GeV/tt	Yellow	Yellow	Yellow
$\mu\mu$ Collider 125 GeV	Red	Yellow	Green *
Multi-TeV Colliders			
<i>ee</i> Linear 1-3 TeV	Yellow	Yellow	Red
<i>pp</i> Rings HE-LHC	Yellow	Green	Yellow
FCC-hh/SppC	Yellow	Red	Red
$\mu\mu$ Coll. 3-14 TeV	Red	Yellow	Green *

“~NoCooling” Muon Collider

Proton Linac 8 GeV

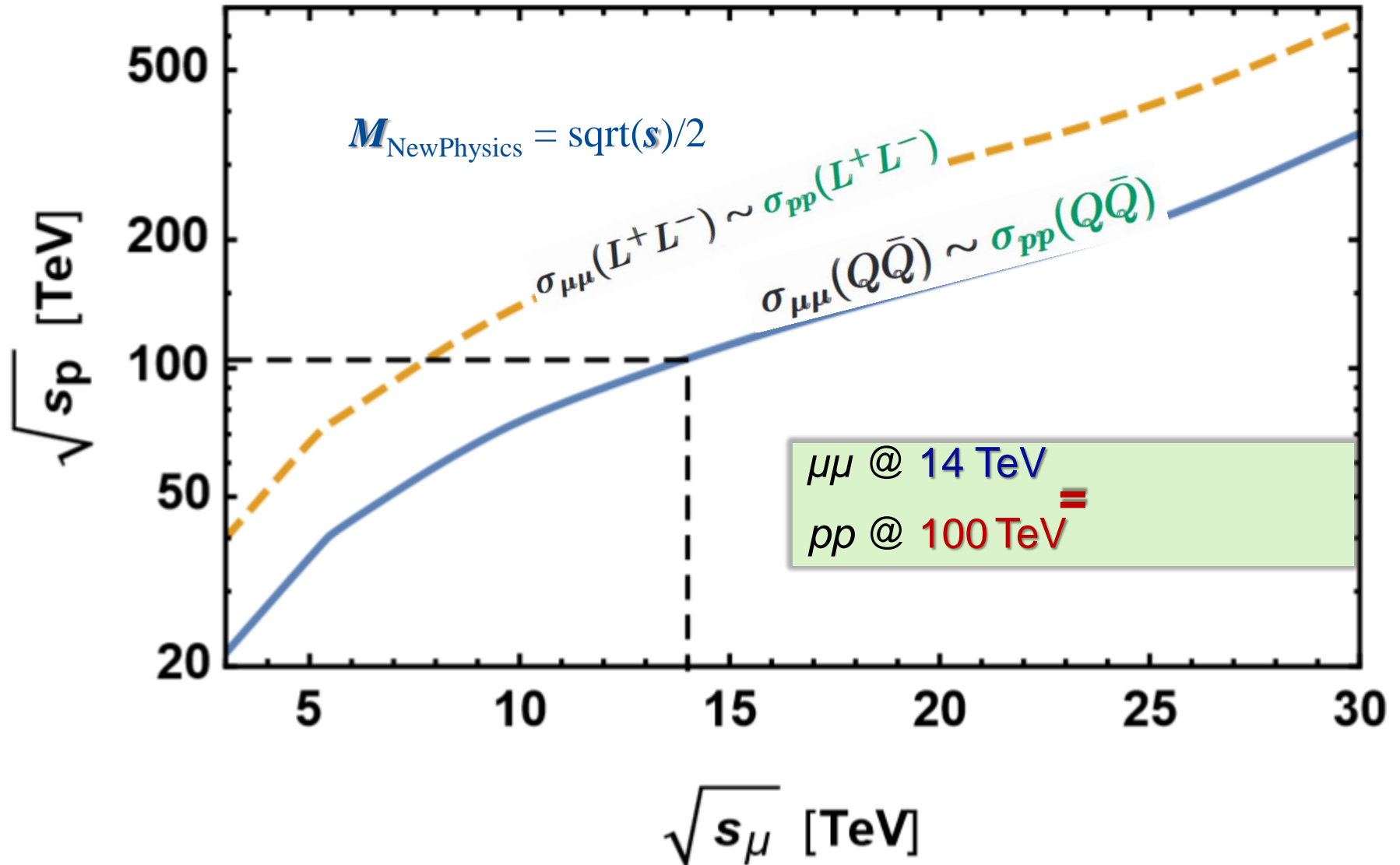


- Reduce transverse emittance to 0.001m
- Could then use 1300MHz ?
- IR quads less than $r = 10\text{cm}$
- Combine 12 bunches to 1

D.Neuffer (2011)

Parameter	Symbol	Value
Proton Beam Power	P_p	2.4 MW
Bunch frequency	F_p	60 Hz
Protons per bunch	N_p	3×10^{13}
Proton beam energy	E_p	8 GeV
Number of muon bunches	n_B	1
$\mu^{\pm}/$ bunch	N_μ	10^{12}
Transverse emittance	$\epsilon_{t,N}$	0.001m
Collision β^*	β^*	0.04m
Beam size at collision	$\sigma_{x,y}$	0.0063cm
Beam size (arcs)	$\sigma_{x,y}$	0.3cm
Beam size IR quad	σ_{\max}	3cm
Collision Beam Energy	E_{μ^+}, E_{μ^-}	1 TeV (2TeV total)
Luminosity	L_0	1.2×10^{32}

$$\delta v_{RB} = 0.0014$$



Discussion : “Granada Message”

1. despite ups and downs over the past 20 years, the mumu concept is not going away and the reasons are [...]
 - *Muons are particles of the future – e+e- LCs don't work above 3-6 TeV, pp rings above 100-300TeV*
 - *Generally feasible and VERY cost saving (physic reach 14 Tev mumu = FCChh)*
 - *Great results from MERIT, MAP and MICE*
2. $\mu\mu$ offers a "moderately conservative-moderately innovative" way to cost affordable energy frontier colliders
 - *We do not call for basic technology breakthroughs – MC can be built with magnets and RF (not even record breaking ones)*
3. major advantages/promises are [...]
 - *C.M.Energy reach and resolution (<0.1%)*
 - *Cost ("LHC $\pm 30\%$ " even for 14 TeV)*
4. key challenges are [...]
 - *Muon production and cooling, cost efficient acceleration, detector background and neutrino radiation*
 - *They are not showstoppers – (just) implications on performance , little on energy*
5. to claim feasibility (CDR in 5 yrs, TDR in 10-15 yrs from now) we need [...R&D program goals]
 - *Int'l collaboration with CERN as host, move toward a test facility in ~3-5 years to demo PD- and/or LEMMA- concepts, detector studies and tests*

Future pp Colliders at CERN

parameter	FCC-hh		HE-LHC	(HL) LHC
collision energy cms [TeV]	100		27	14
dipole field [T]	16		16	8.33
circumference [km]	100		27	27
straight section length [m]	1400		528	528
# IP	2 main & 2		2 & 2	2 & 2
beam current [A]	0.5		1.12	(1.12) 0.58
bunch intensity [10^{11}]	1	1 (0.2)	2.2 (0.44)	(2.2) 1.15
bunch spacing [ns]	25	25 (5)	25 (5)	25
rms bunch length [cm]	7.55		7.55	(8.1) 7.55
peak luminosity [$10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$]	5	30	25	(5) 1
events/bunch crossing	170	1k (200)	~800 (160)	(135) 27
stored energy/beam [GJ]	8.4		1.3	(0.7) 0.36
beta* [m]	1.1-0.3		0.25	(0.20) 0.55
norm. emittance [μm]	2.2 (0.4)		2.5 (0.5)	(2.5) 3.75

- HE-LHC and FCC-hh will be part of the European strategy 2018-2020 exercise
- Selection of “optimal” pp collisions energy is challenging

Future Energy Frontier Colliders

- All proposals are focused on :
 - *(Affordable) Cost and (High) Luminosity*
- Usually :
 - *Scale of civil construction grows with Energy*
 - *Cost of accelerator components grows with Energy*
 - *Requirement site power grows with Energy*
- So, the total cost grows with ENERGY
 - Thankfully, not linearly , more like $cost \sim \beta E^\kappa$, $\kappa \approx 1/2 \dots 2/3$
 - *Take ILC as an example: 0.25 \rightarrow 0.5 \rightarrow 1 TeV 0.69 : 1 : 1.67*
 - Still, huge challenge for energies E some **x10** of LHC
 - Choice of technology (β) and *prior investments* are critical

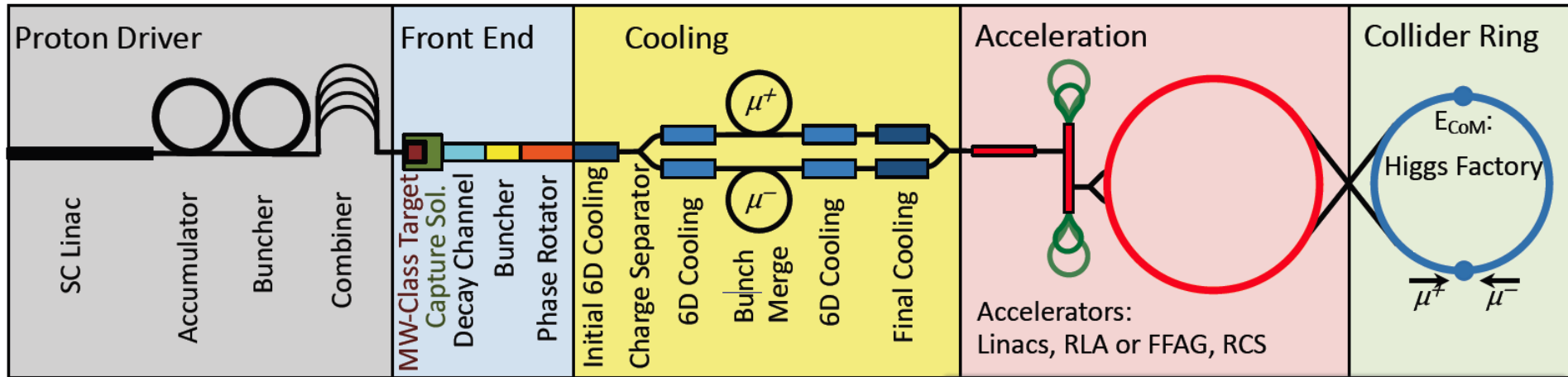
Comparisons

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$\mu^+\mu^-$ Higgs Factory

V. Barger, et al, *Physics Reports* 286, 1-51 (1997)

JINST Special Issue (*MUON*)



Key facts:

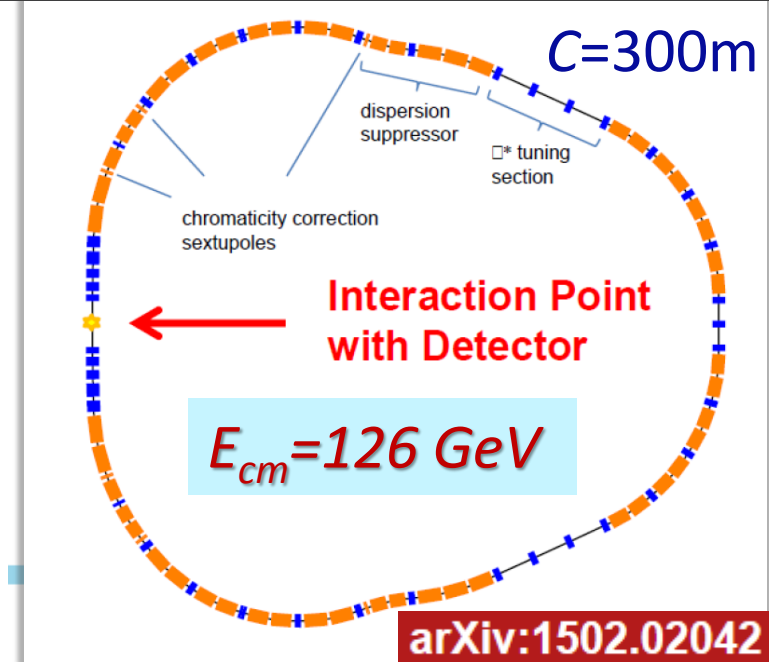
1/100 luminosity requirements (large cross-section in s -channel)

Half the energy $2 \times 63 \text{ GeV}$ $\mu^+\mu^- \rightarrow H_0$

Small footprint ($<10 \text{ km}$) and low cost

Small(est) energy spread $\sim 3 \text{ MeV}$

Total site power $\sim 200 \text{ MW}$ (tbd)

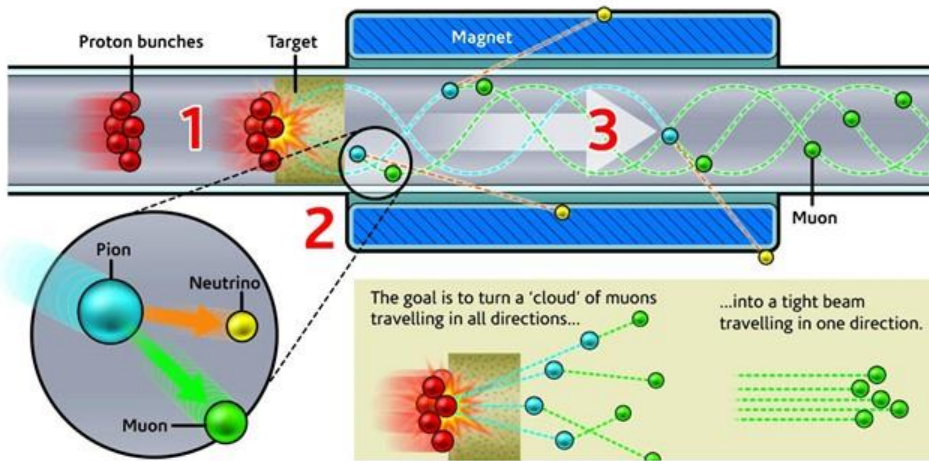


Muon Collider	$\mu+\mu-$	
Beam Energy	GeV	
Peak Luminosity (10^{34})	cm ⁻² s ⁻¹	
Int. Luminosity	ab ⁻¹ /yr	
Beam dE/E at IP		
Transv. beam sizes at IP x/y	um	
Rms bunch length / beta*	cm	
Crossing angle	urad	
Rep./Rev. frequency	Hz	
Bunch spacing	ns	
# of IPs		
# of bunches		
Length/Circumference	km	
Facility site power	MW	
Cost range		
Timescale till operations		

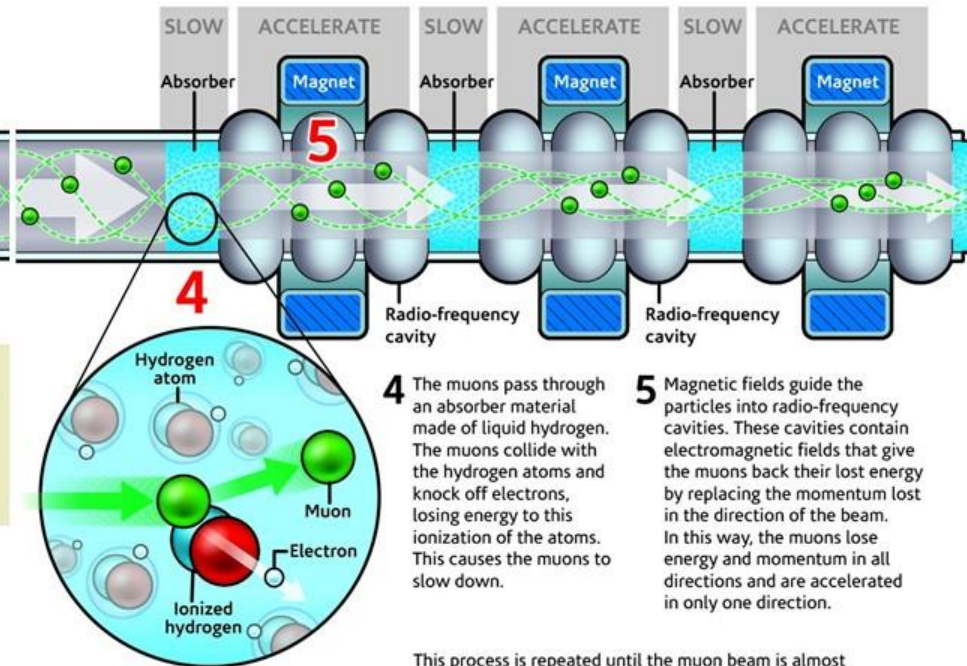
1 Bunches of protons are accelerated into a target of dense material (such as tungsten or mercury). The atoms within the target emit a particle called a pion.

2 Pions are unstable and they quickly decay into a muon and a neutrino.

3 The neutrinos, being virtually massless and without charge, pass out of the experiment. Magnets direct charged muons of the correct energy moving in the right direction.



The goal is to turn a 'cloud' of muons travelling in all directions...
...into a tight beam travelling in one direction.



4 The muons pass through an absorber material made of liquid hydrogen. The muons collide with the hydrogen atoms and knock off electrons, losing energy to this ionization of the atoms. This causes the muons to slow down.

5 Magnetic fields guide the particles into radio-frequency cavities. These cavities contain electromagnetic fields that give the muons back their lost energy by replacing the momentum lost in the direction of the beam. In this way, the muons lose energy and momentum in all directions and are accelerated in only one direction.

This process is repeated until the muon beam is almost laser-like, ready for injection into the main accelerator.

Infographic: STFC, Ben Gilliland