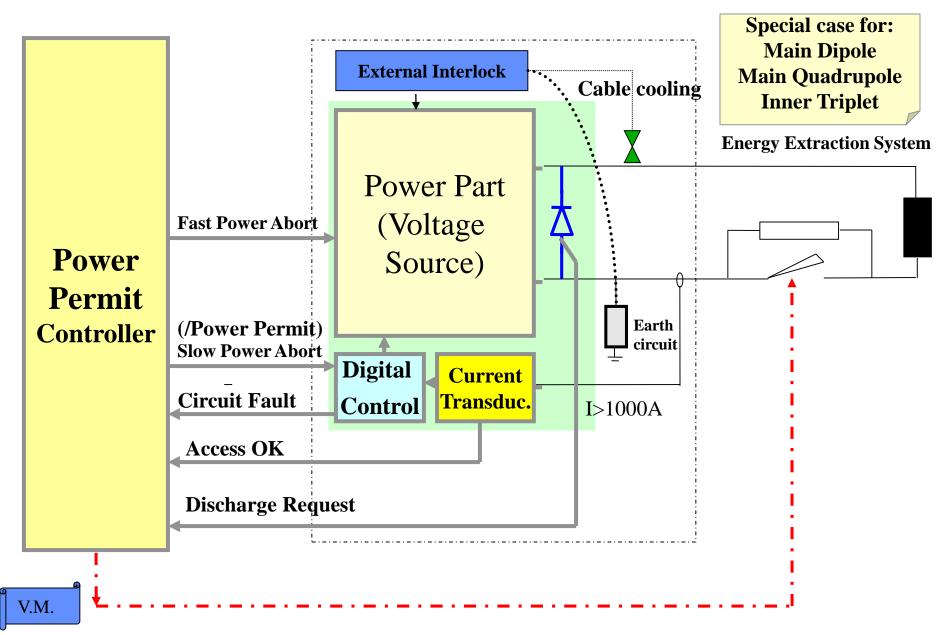
Ideas about the concept of LHC Powering Zones:

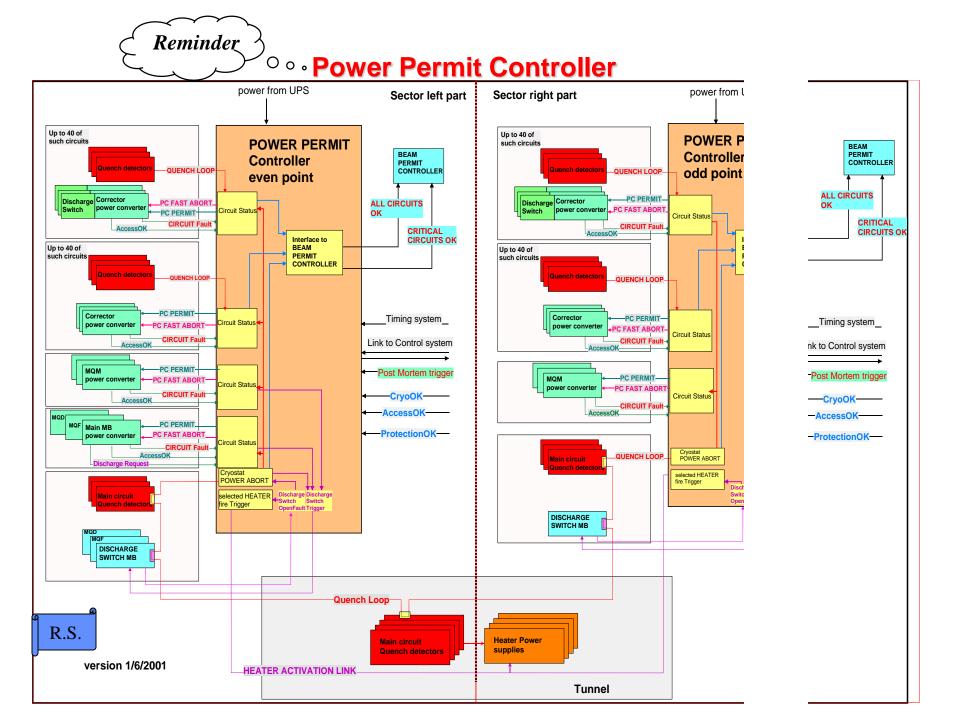
- <u>One Power Permit Controller</u> (PPC) is intended to monitor all circuits attached to <u>one "Powering Zone"</u>
- A **Powering Zone** could be :
 - one triplet cryostat
 - one matching section cryostat
 - ◆ one arc (for this particular case ← 2 PPCs)
 etc...
- a Powering Zone ≠ a Cryostat

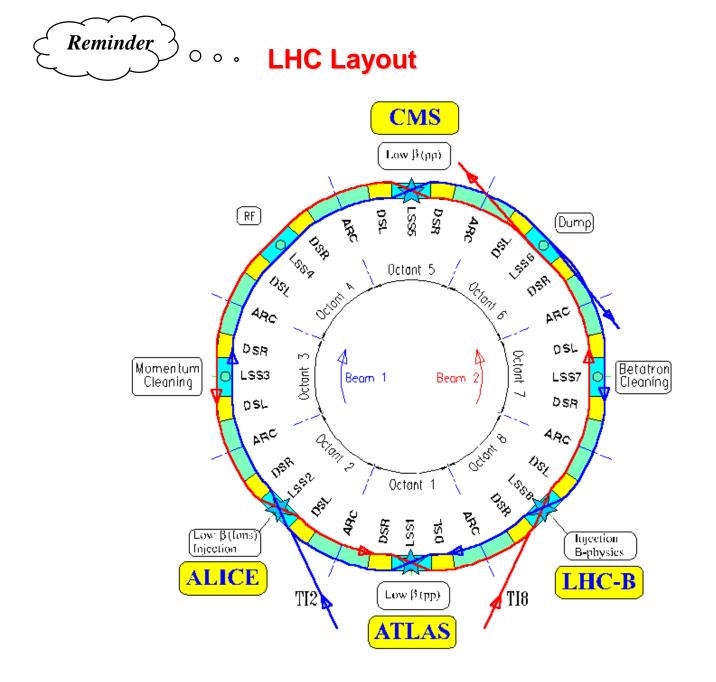
(but not always...)

• • Interface between a PPC and a Power Converter

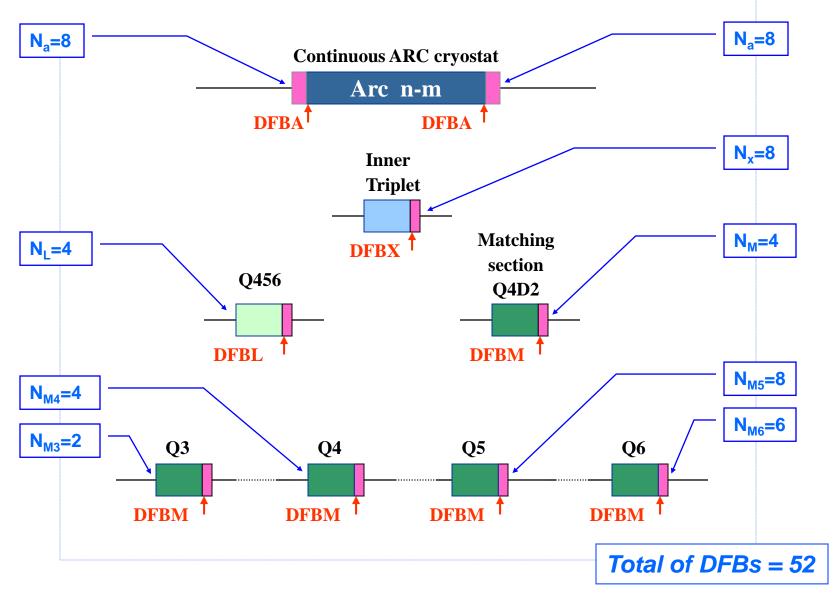
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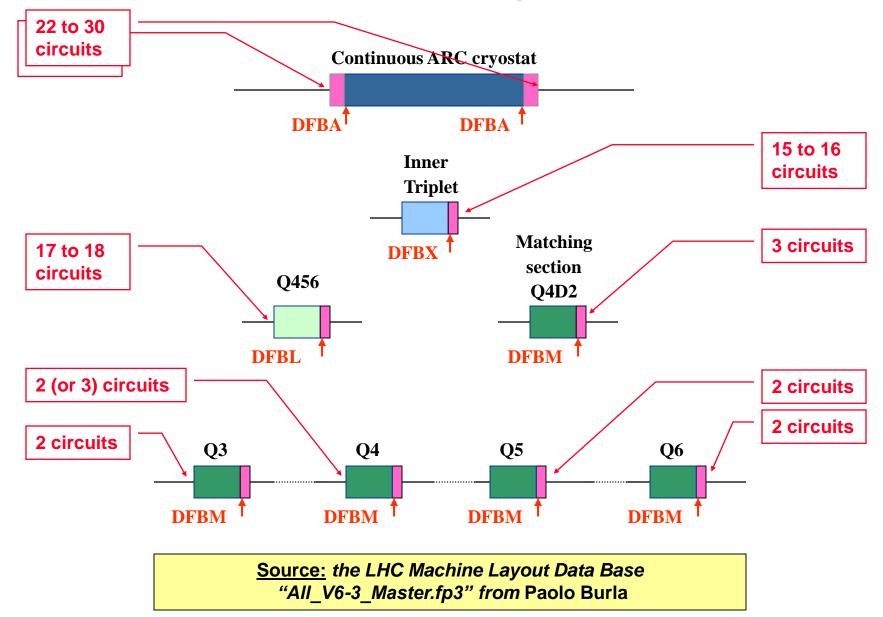




Type of LHC Cryostats:

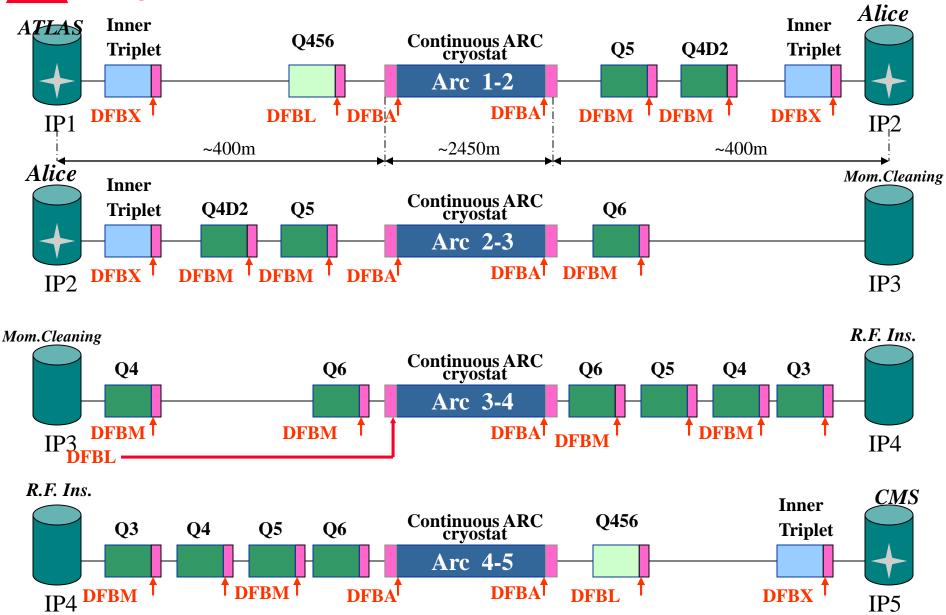


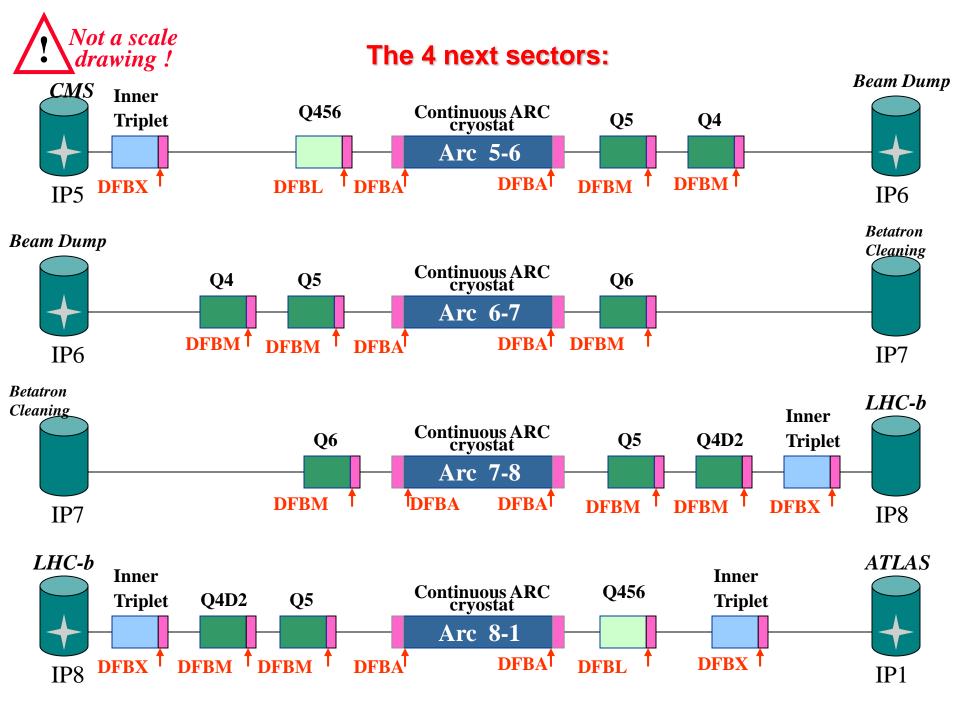
Number of circuits per DFB:





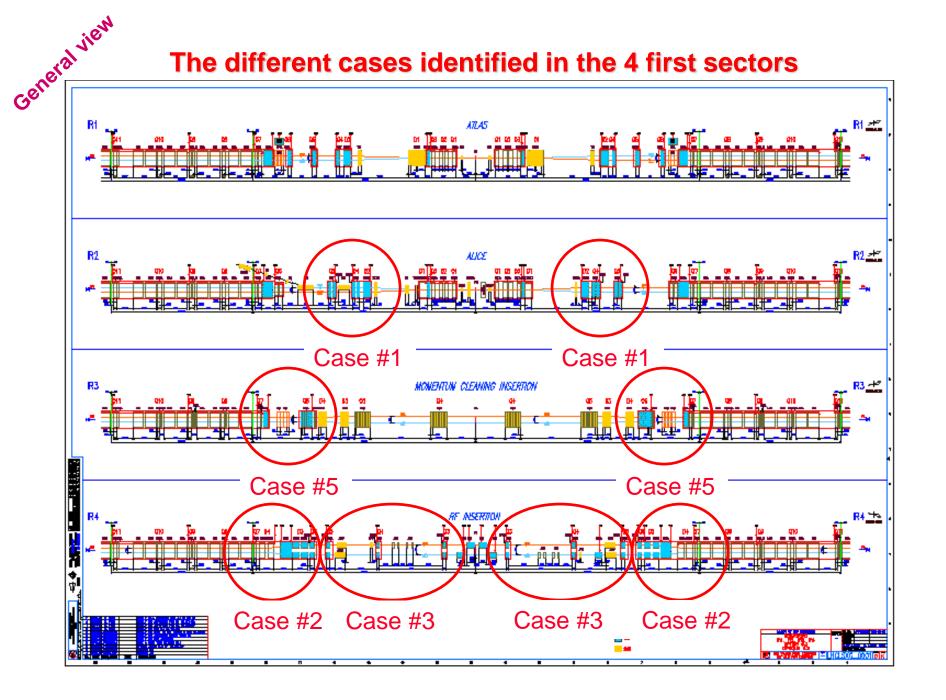
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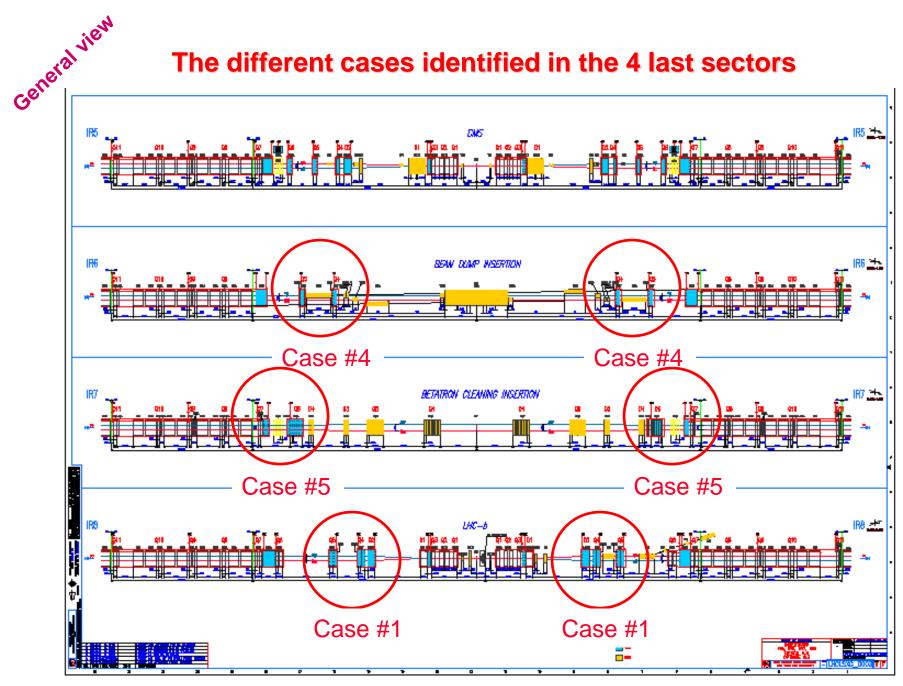


Why Powering Zone ?

- The Powering of LHC is made in sectors (*i.e.* 8 "machines")
- Independent testing of stretches of machine (*similar to String 2*)
- Quenches or faults in one Powering Zone of a machine will have no impact on other parts of the machine.

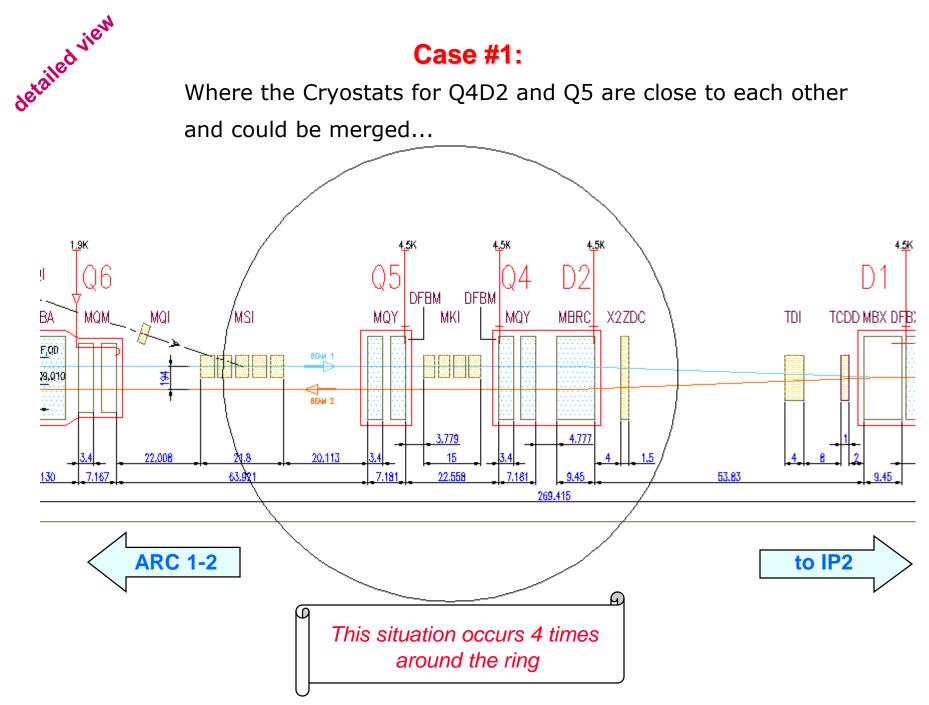


The different cases identified in the 4 last sectors



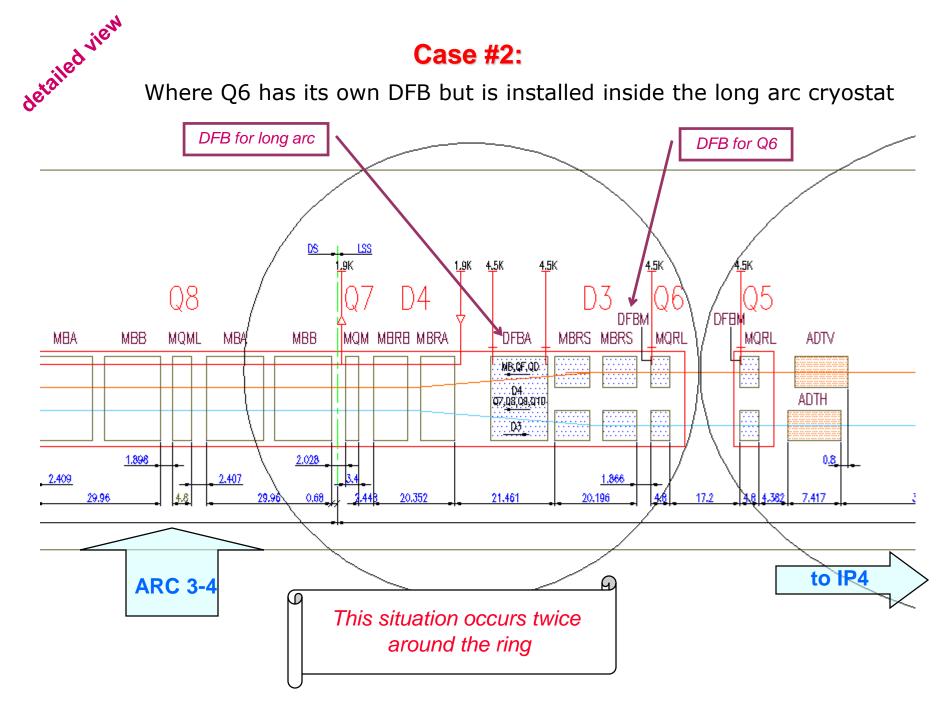


Where the Cryostats for Q4D2 and Q5 are close to each other



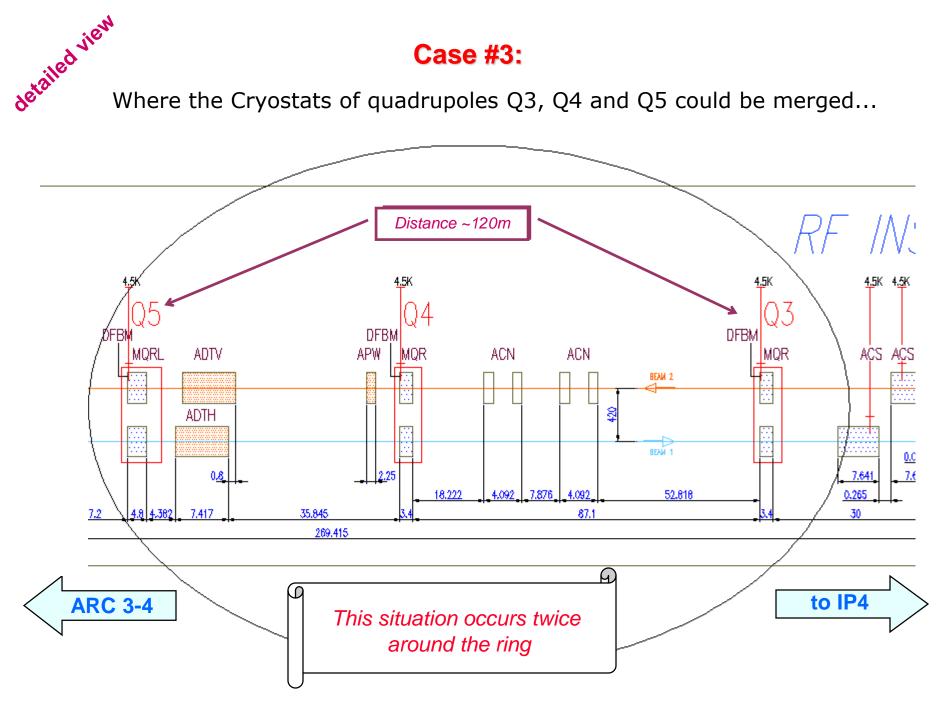
Case #2:

Where Q6 has its own DFB but is installed inside the long arc cryostat



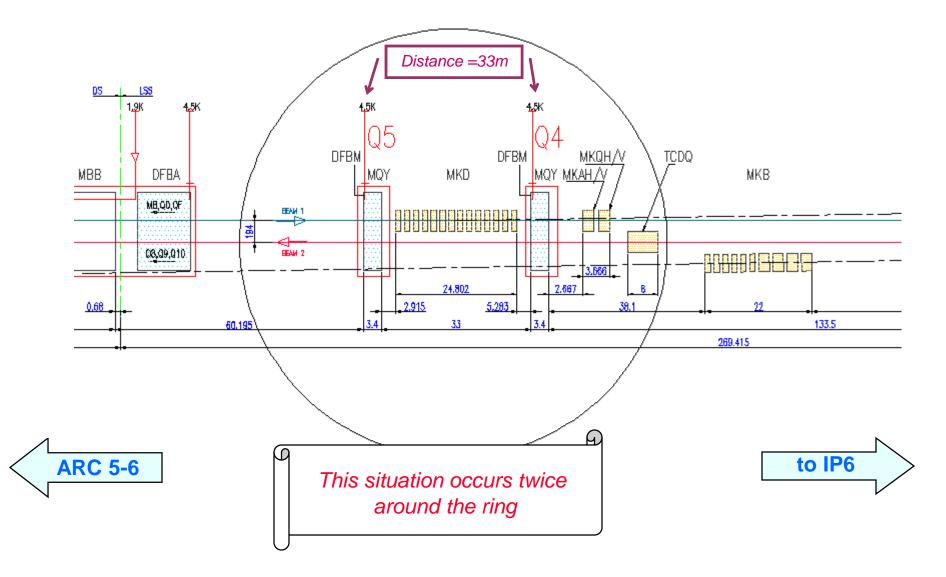
Case #3:

Where the Cryostats of quadrupoles Q3, Q4 and Q5 could be merged...



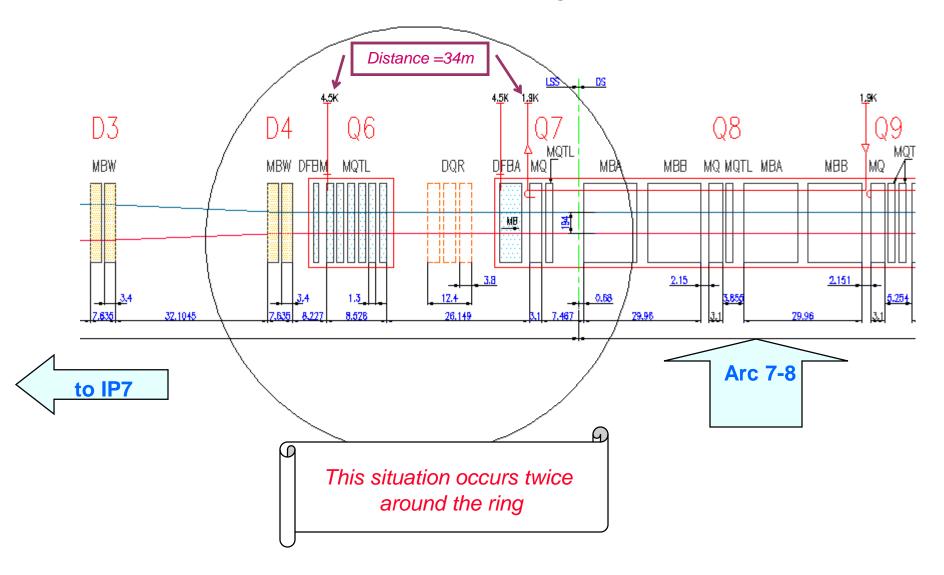
Case #4:

detailed view Where the Cryostats of quadrupoles Q4 and Q5 could be also merged...

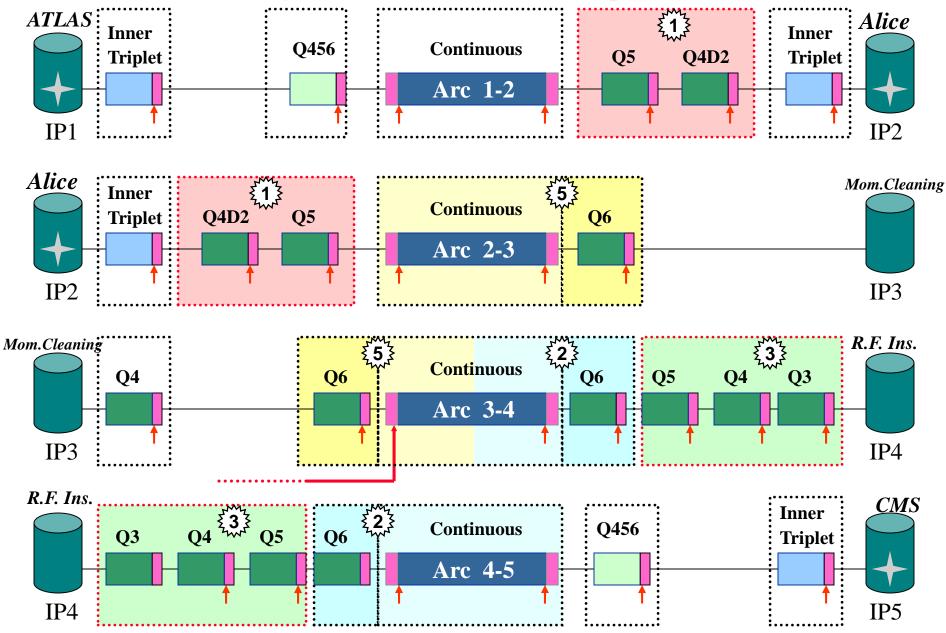


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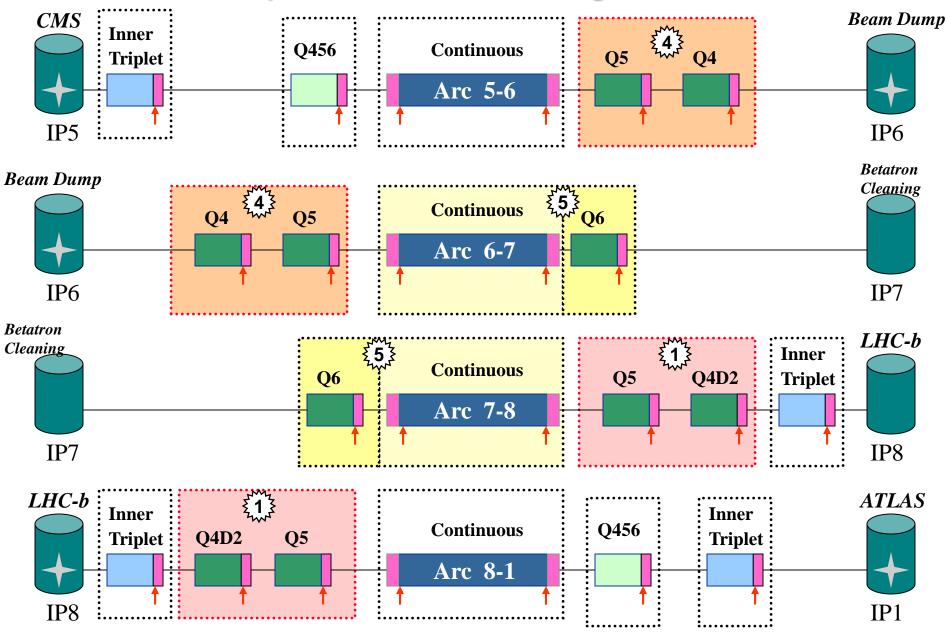
detailed view Where the Q6 cryostat is nearby of the long arc cryostat and could be included in the arc Powering Zone...



Proposal Review for Powering Zones (1/2)



Proposal Review for Powering Zones (2/2)



Conclusions about the Powering Zones:

- 1 Powering Zone \Leftrightarrow 1 Power Permit Controller (2 for a long arc)
- Easier to control the powering:
 - one "green light" from the Cryo. system
 - one "green light" from the Quench system
 - one "green light" from the Access system
- by reducing number of Power Permit Controller
 - (\sim 36 P.P.C. will be used to monitor all the circuits

attached to the 44 cryostats via 52 DFBs)

- \blacklozenge maintainability \checkmark and cost \checkmark
- Open question: what about the warm magnets? dedicated protection? or be included in the nearest Powering zone?