

Challenges in understanding space charge effects (in the regime of long storage times)

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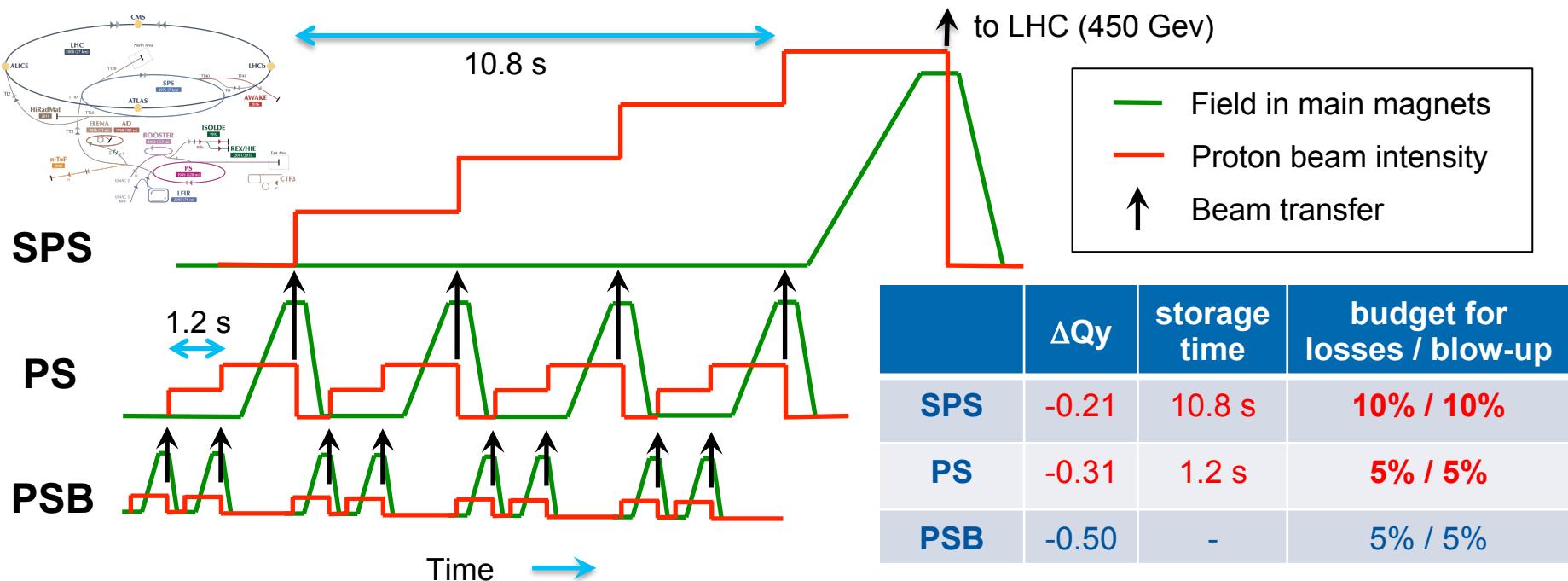
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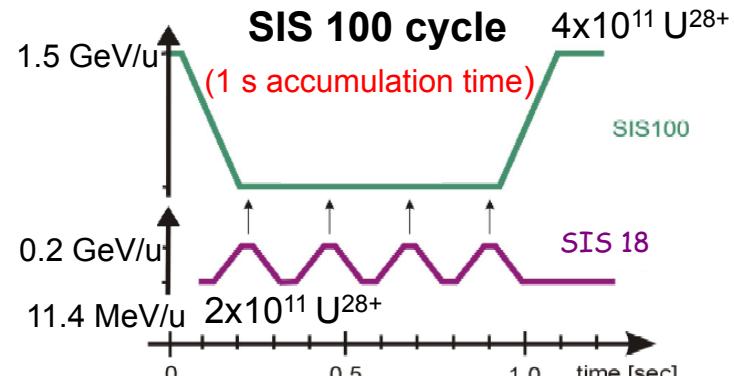
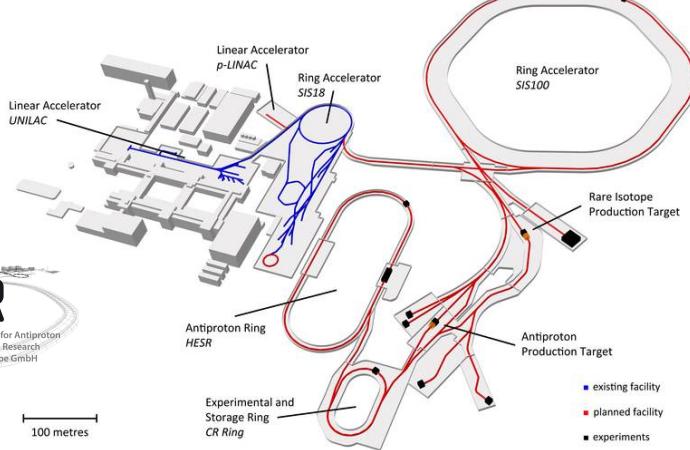
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	ΔQ_y	storage time	budget for losses
SIS100	-0.3	1 s	~5%

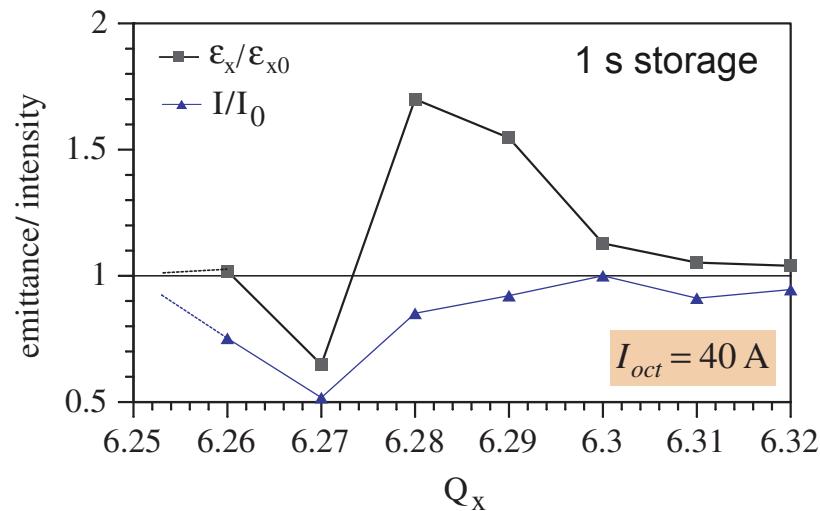
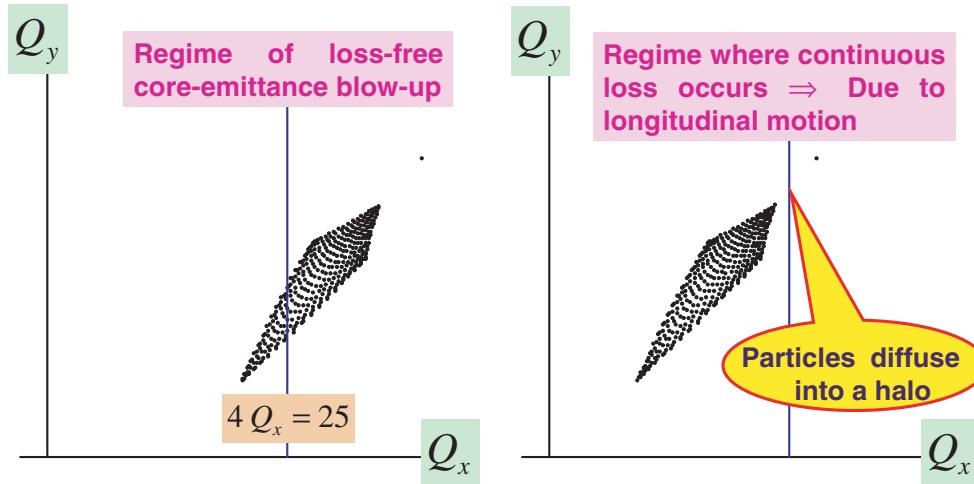
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 - **Tight budgets on losses and / or emittance growth**
- **Approach to understanding space charge effects**
 - Controlled machine experiments
 - Comparison with simulation models
 - Identification of relevant beam dynamics mechanisms

Pioneering experimental campaign at CERN PS (2002)

- Systematic measurement campaign on (horizontal) 4th order resonance
- Clear identification of two regimes:
 - Beam loss & bunch shortening for bare machine working points close to or slightly above the resonance
 - Transverse emittance blow-up (of the core) further above the resonance

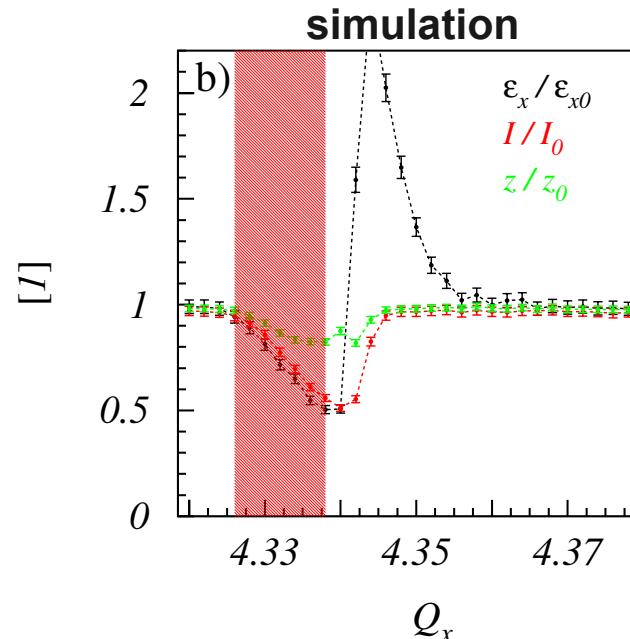
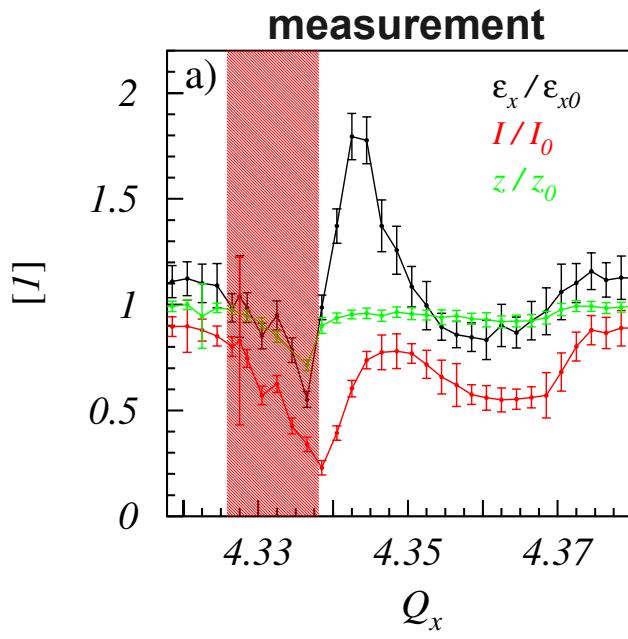


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Benchmark experiment at GSI SIS18 (2007)

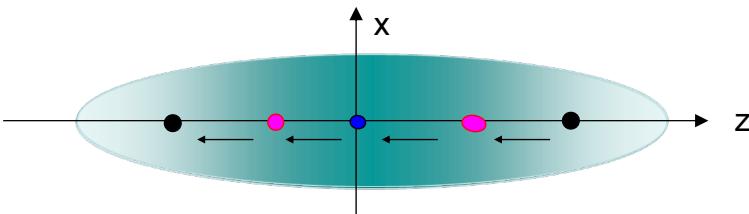
- Extensive campaign studying 3rd order resonance
 - Coasting and bunched beams, low and high intensity
- For bunched beam same behavior as in PS 4th order resonance experiment
 - Beam loss and beam growth regimes



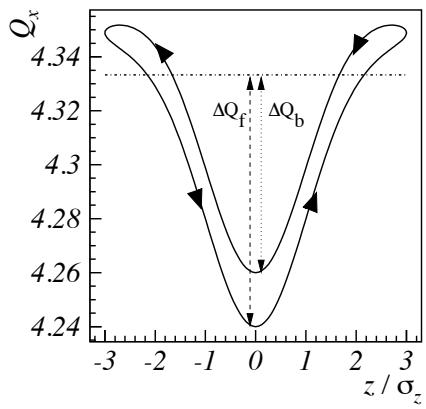
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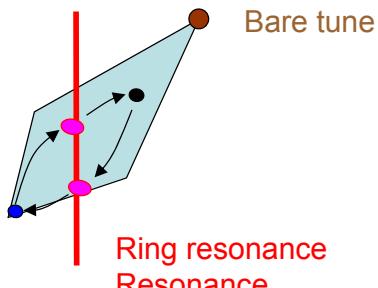
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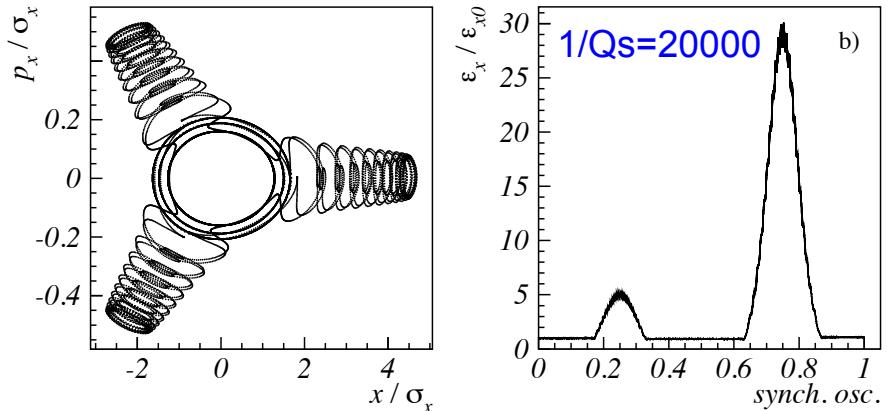
- space charge detuning varies along bunch
- synchrotron motion results in periodic tune modulation of individual particles
- chromaticity enhances tune excursion in one half synchrotron period and reduces it in other half



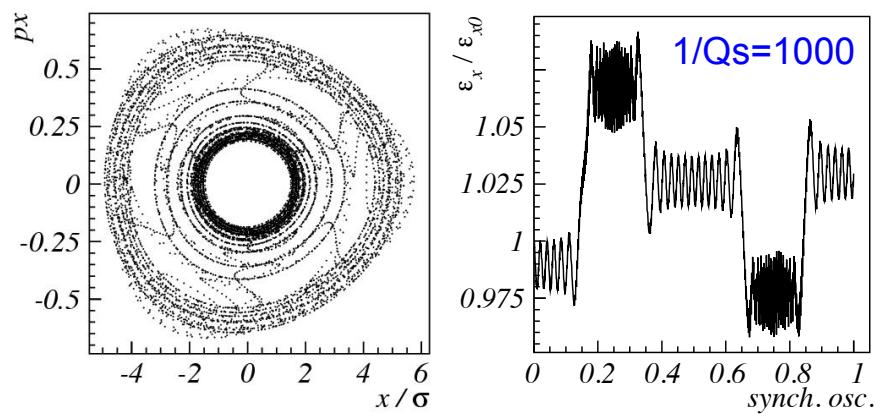
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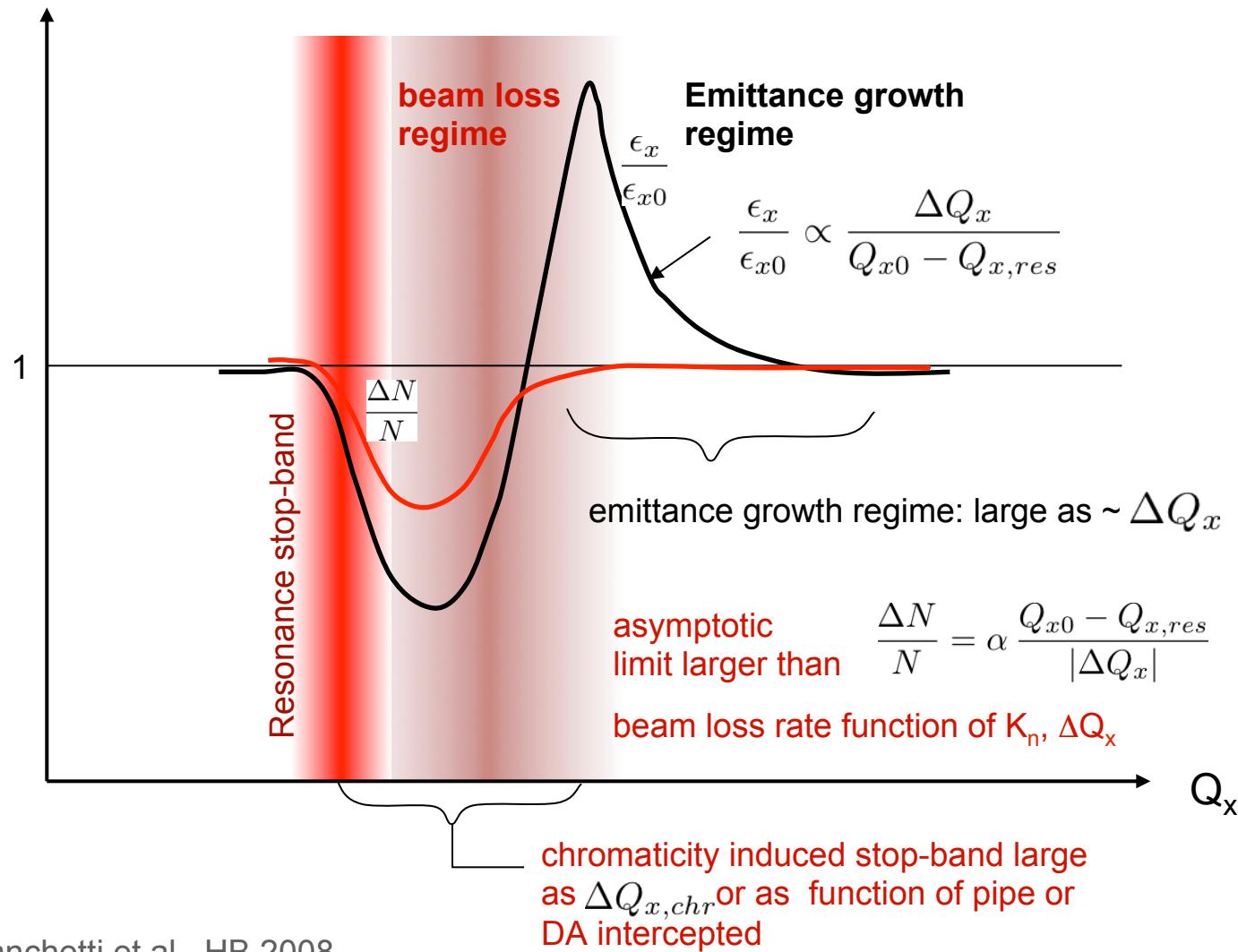
adiabatic limit of resonance crossing:
particle trapping in resonance islands



non-adiabatic resonance crossing:
scattering of particle trajectory



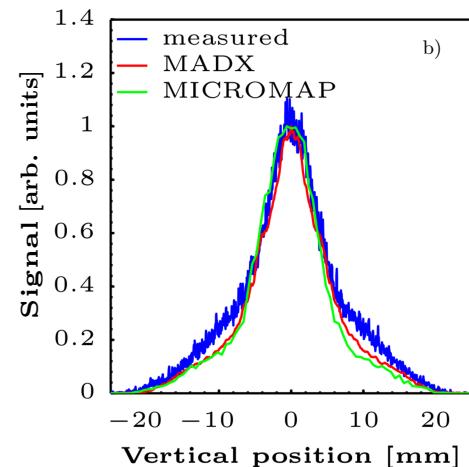
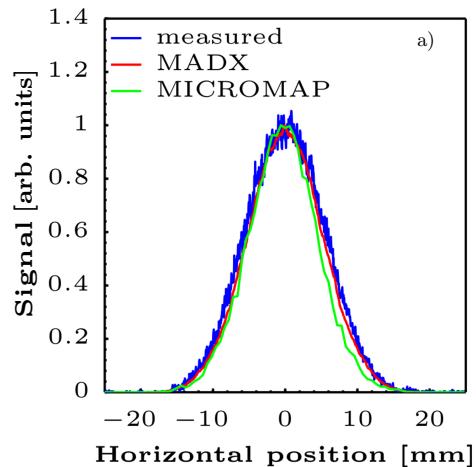
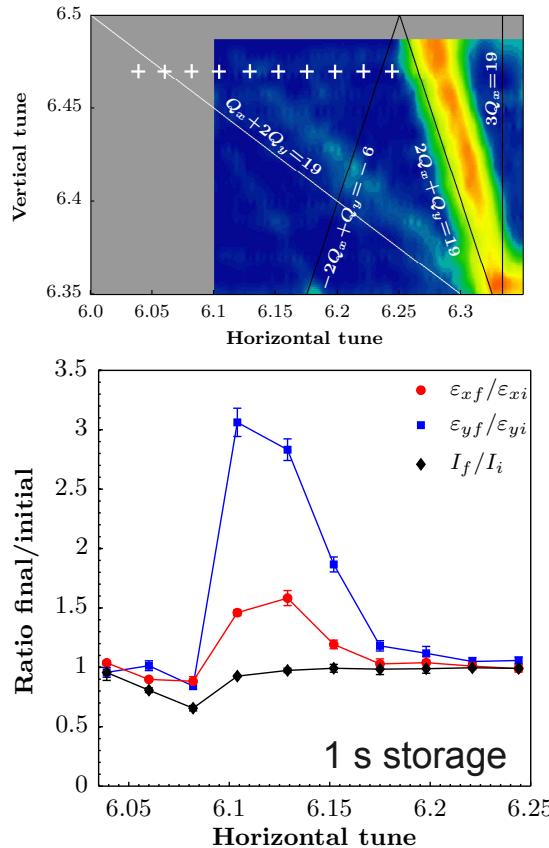
Consequences of periodic resonance crossing



G. Franchetti et al., HB 2008

Experiment on coupled resonance at CERN PS (2012)

- **3rd order coupled sum resonance $Q_x + 2 Q_y$**
 - Beam loss and emittance growth regimes (as in case of 1D resonance)
 - **Very asymmetric development of tails / halo** – also found in simulations



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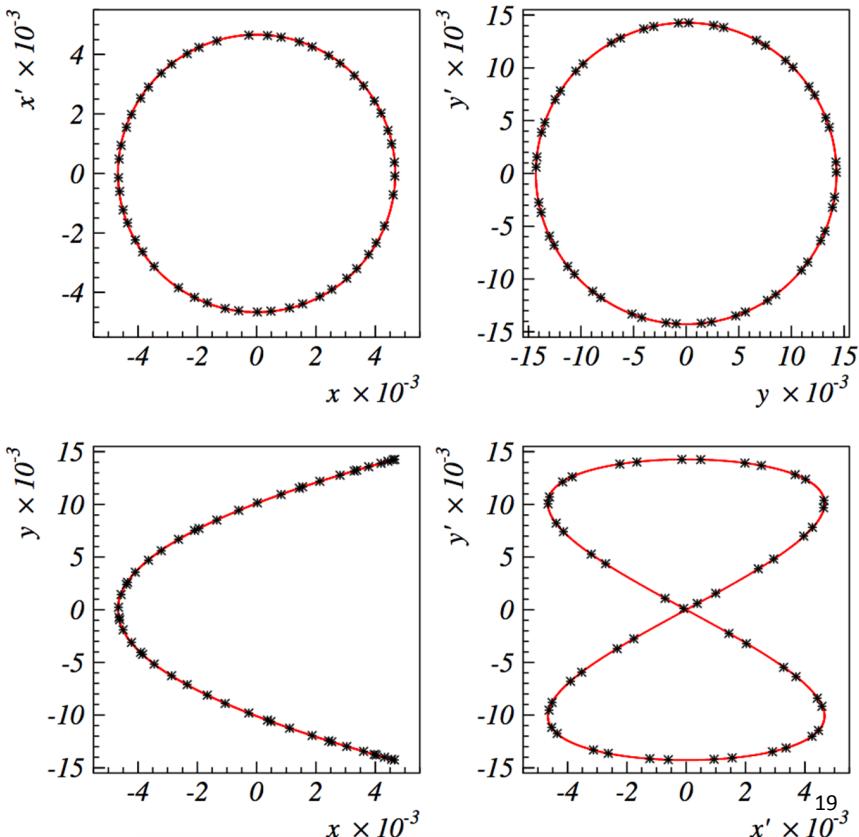
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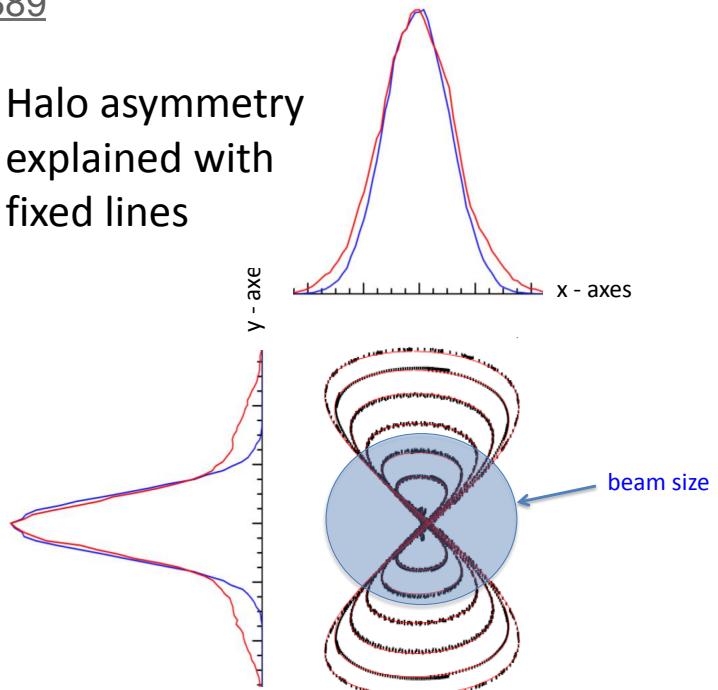
F. Schmidt PhD thesis, and others

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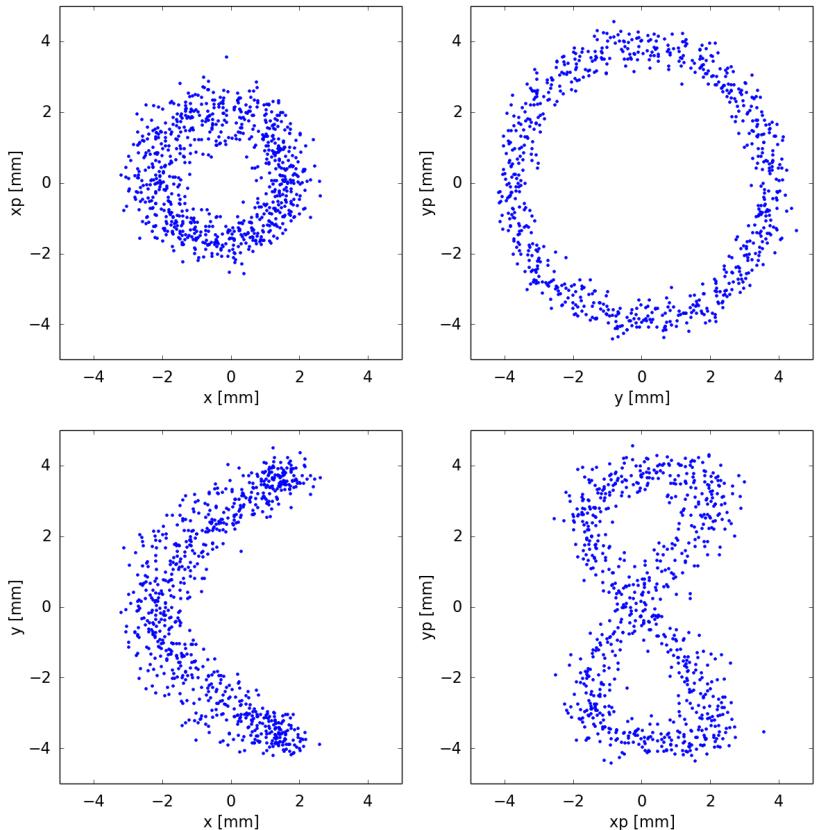
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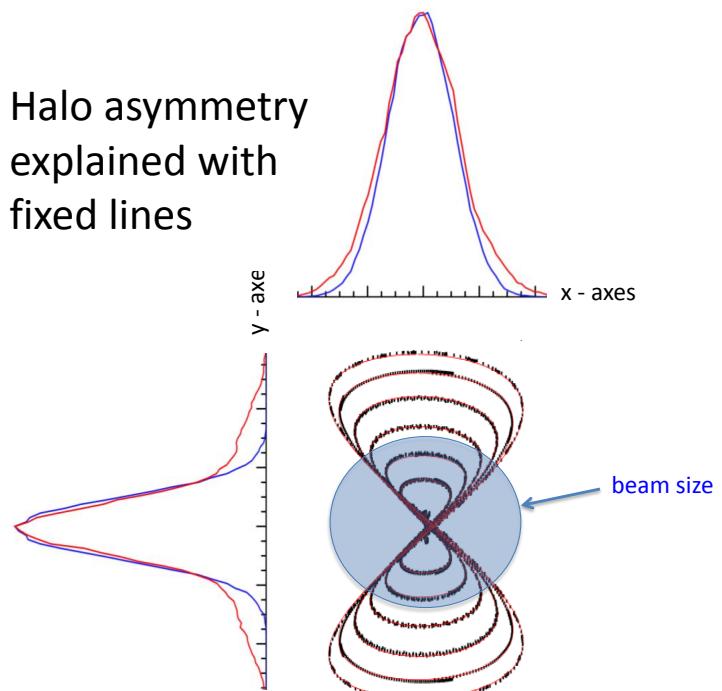
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Experimental demonstration in SPS (ongoing)

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What are the (remaining) challenges?

- **Macroparticle simulations for long storage times**
 - Computationally heavy - approximations have to be made
- **Quantitative agreement between measurements and simulations**
 - Accurate measurement of beam parameters (particularly difficult for beam profiles and beam halo)
 - Good knowledge of machine linear and non-linear errors (much more difficult for old machines)
 - Accurate aperture model including misalignments
 - Properly identifying and accounting for interfering effects (or suppressing them)
- **Interplay with other mechanisms and their identification**
- **Mitigation of beam degradation**
 - Compensation of magnet resonances in presence of space charge
 - Space charge compensation (e.g. using e-lenses studied by
O. Boine Frankenheim and W. Stem)

Simulation approaches

- **Space charge is all over the machine - need many space charge ‘kicks’**
 - Space charge interaction interleaved with particle tracking in magnetic guide field

Particle-In-Cell (PIC)

- Real number of particles represented by $\sim 10^6$ macroparticles
- Assign fractional macroparticles charge to spacial grids
- Solve Poisson equation on the grid points to obtain electric field

+ self consistent beam evolution

- computationally heavy – requires large number of macroparticles to avoid artificial emittance growth + only special variants are symplectic*

Frozen potential

- Assuming a fixed charge distribution function (usually Gaussian)
- Calculate space charge force analytically
- Smooth force at any spacial point

+ no issue with noise - less particles needed for tracking a distribution

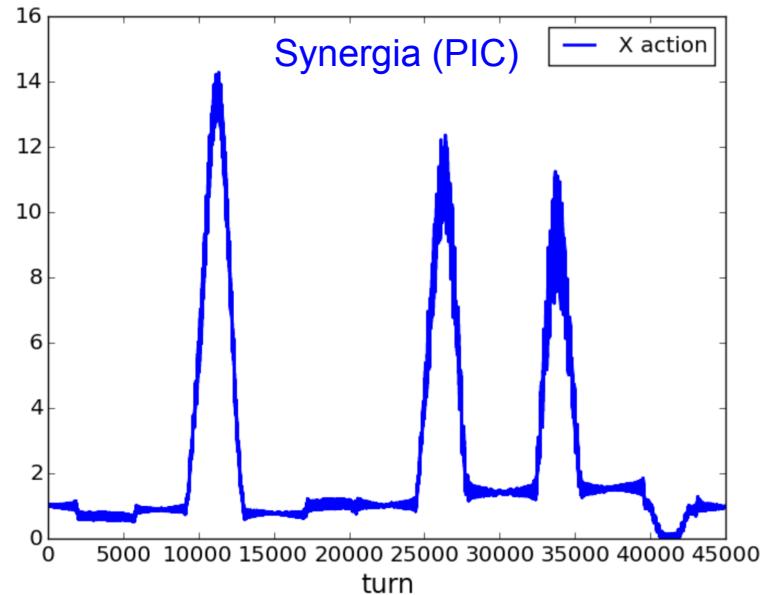
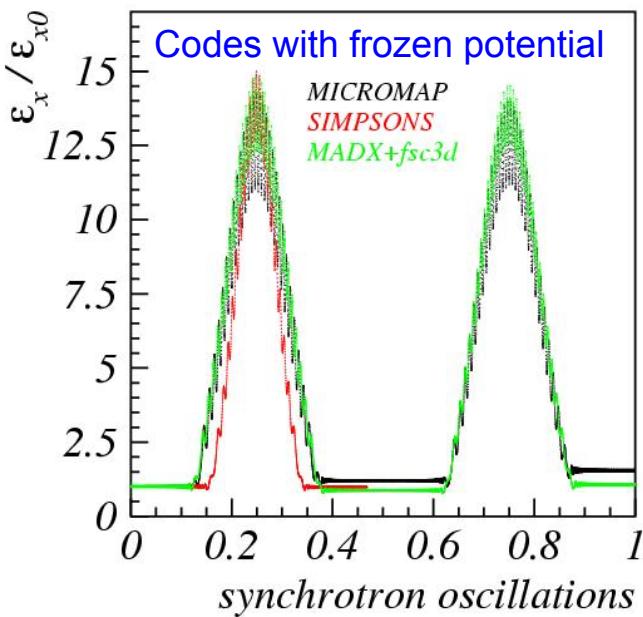
- not self consistent: evolution of charge distribution is not taken into account – semi-self consistency by periodic update of potential

*J. Qiang, “Symplectic multiparticle tracking model for self-consistent space-charge simulation”, PRAB 20, 014203 (2017)

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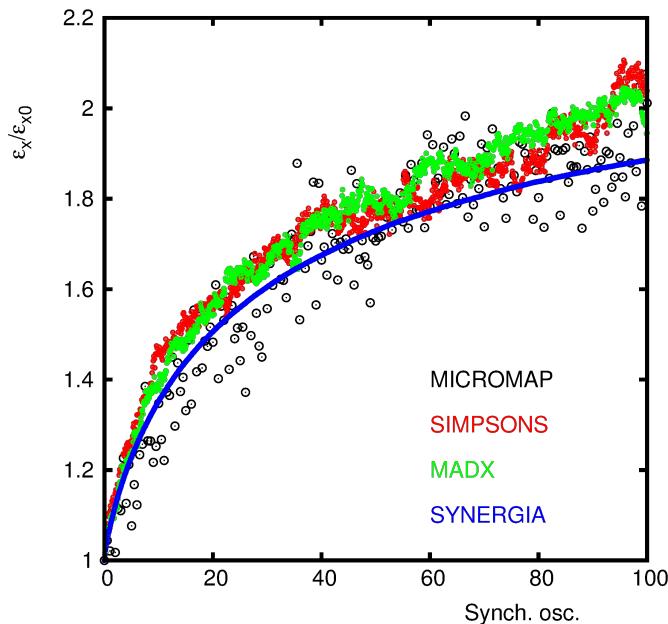


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Tracking for 100000 turns
Periodic crossing of $Q_x = 4.33$ resonance in SIS18

The PIC code is self consistent, but required 6M macroparticles (computationally very heavy)

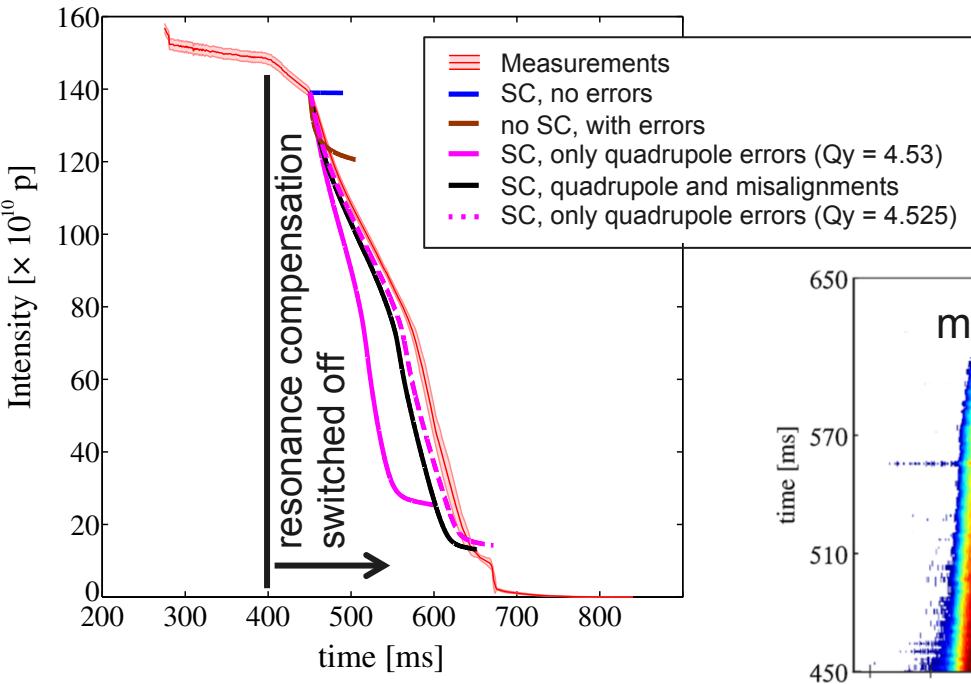
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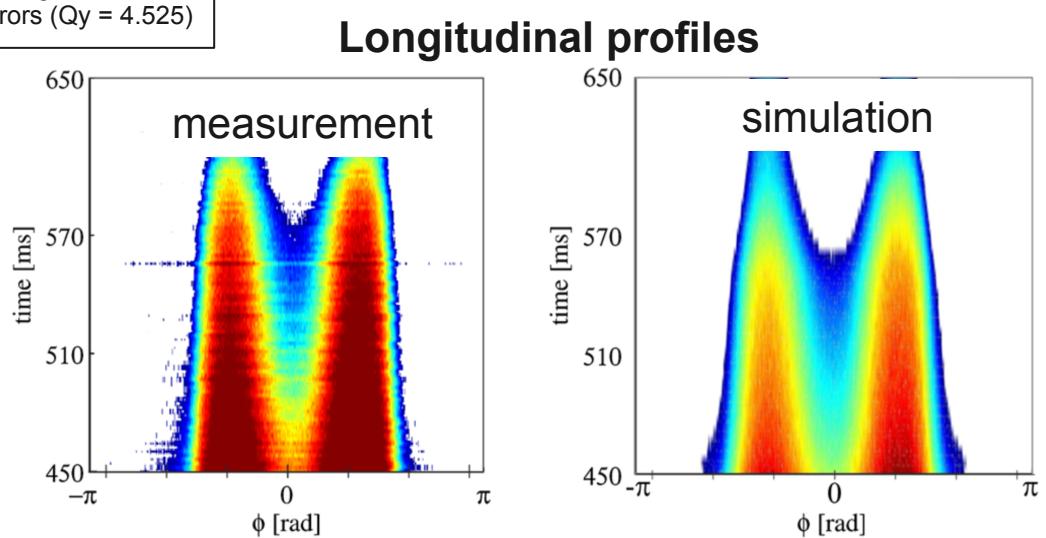
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- **Future steps**
 - Discussions ongoing for extending the benchmarking suite with additional test cases (e.g. including a case where losses are expected)

Importance of machine model at the CERN PSB

- **Benchmark campaign on half integer resonance $Q_y = 4.5$**
 - Reproducing losses at half integer resonance at PSB required accurate (linear) machine model obtained from measurements (LOCO)
 - Bunch shortening in double harmonic RF nicely reproduced in simulations

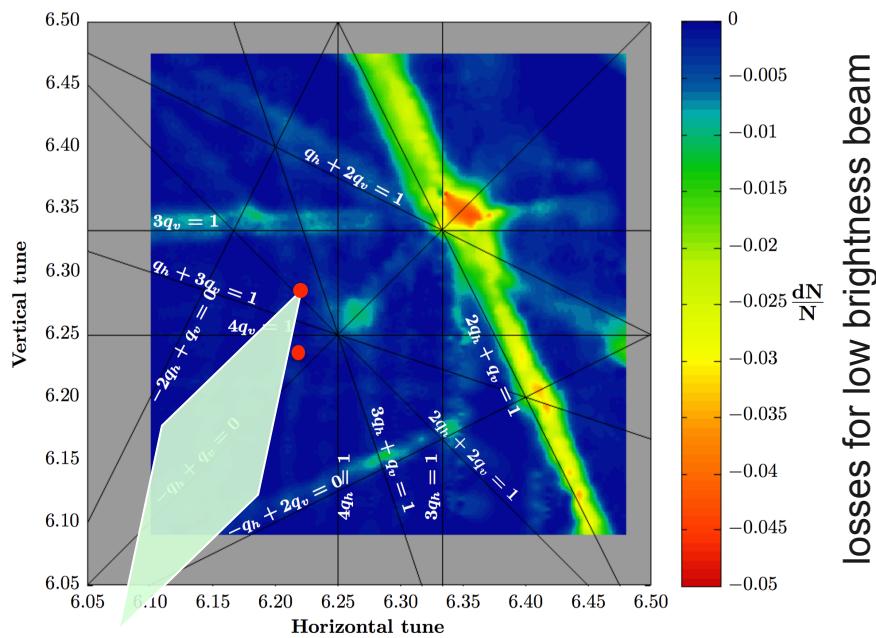
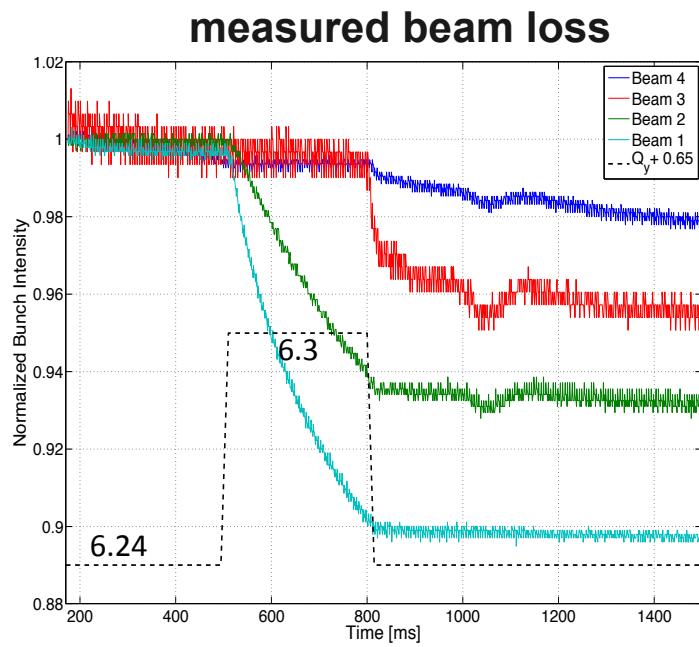


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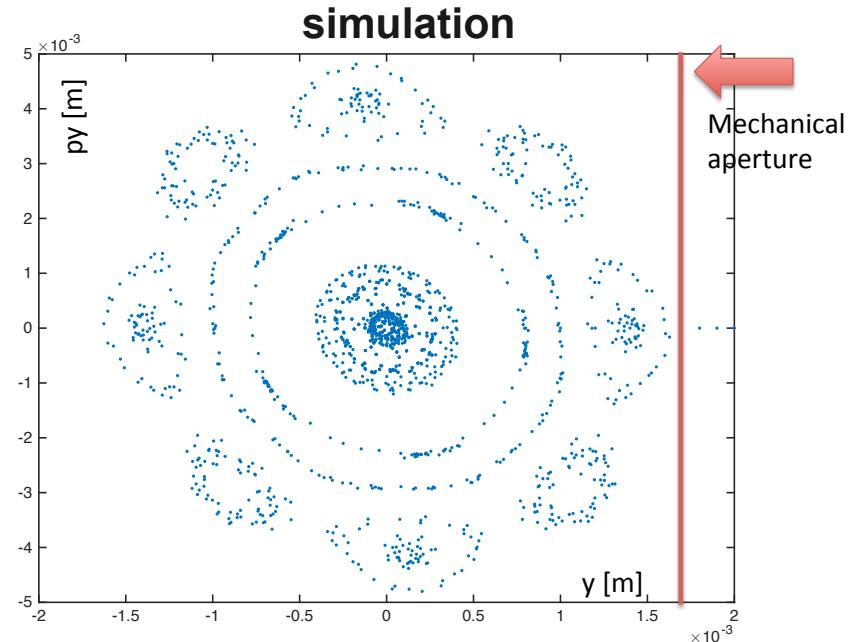
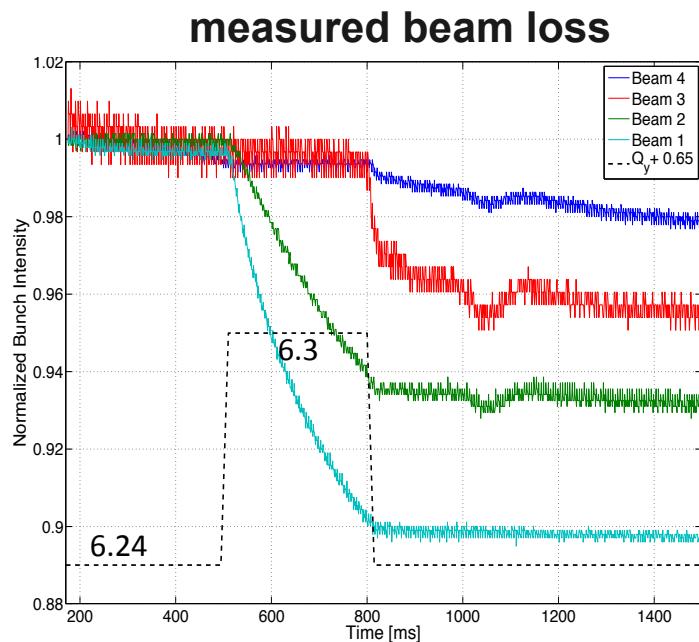
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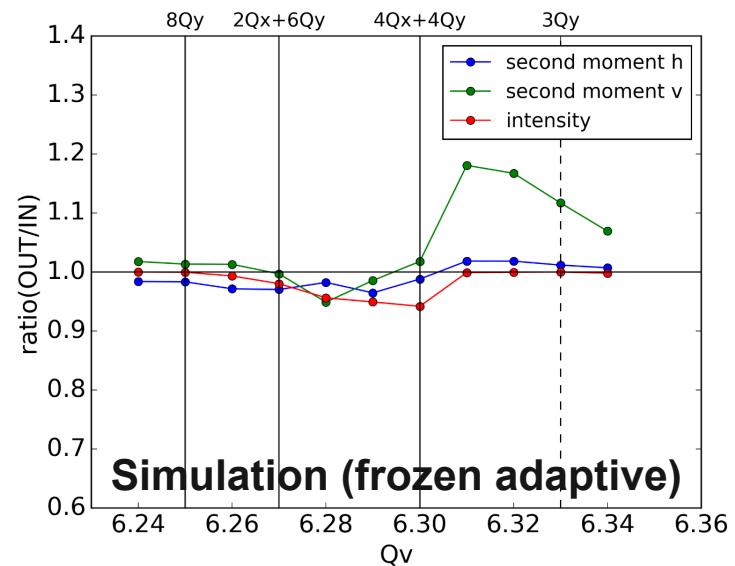
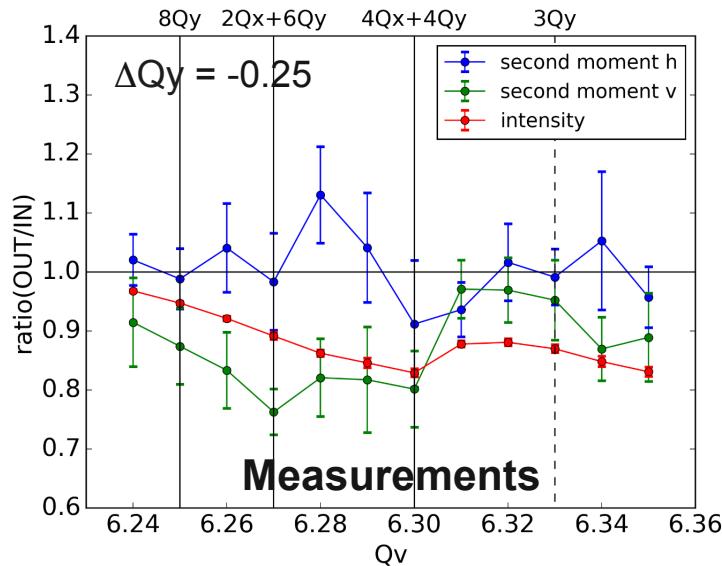
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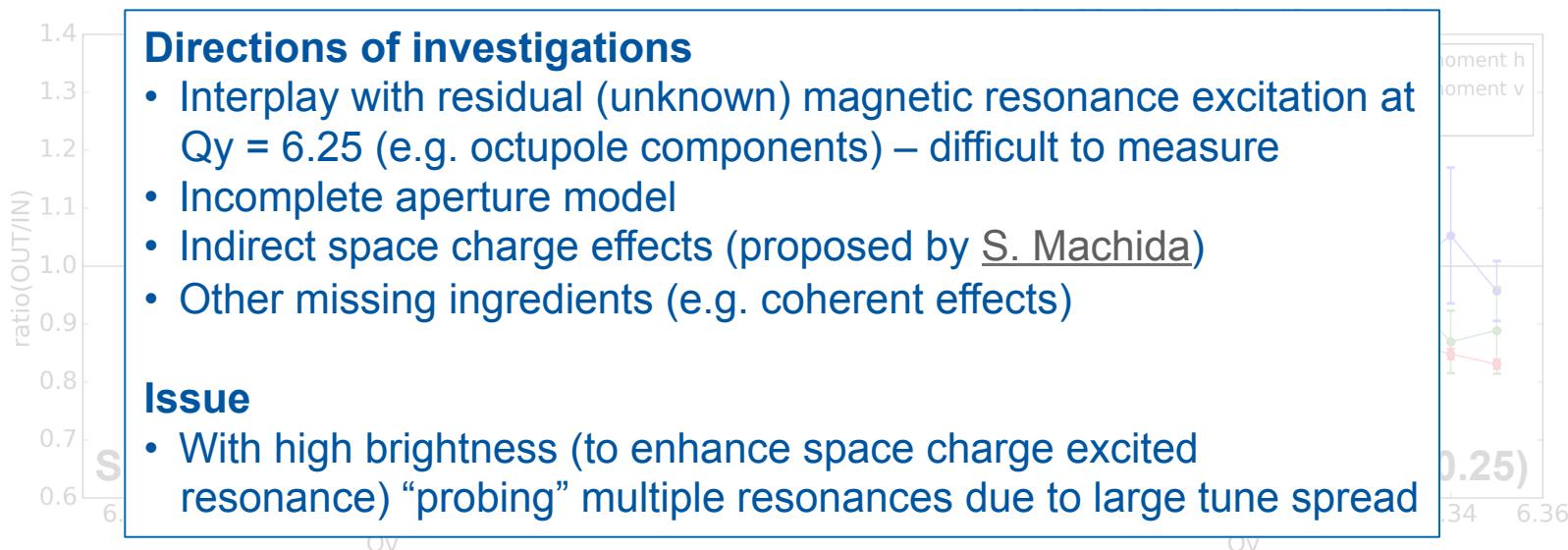
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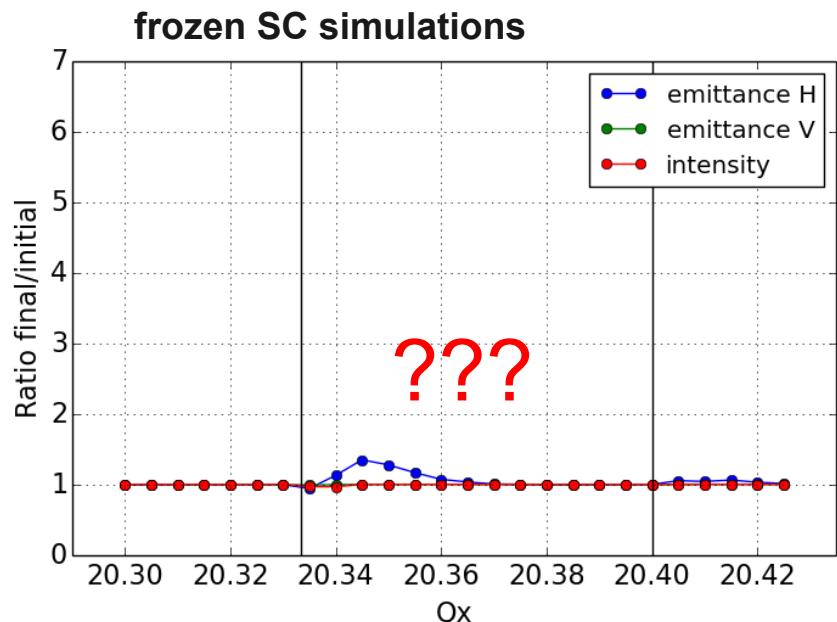
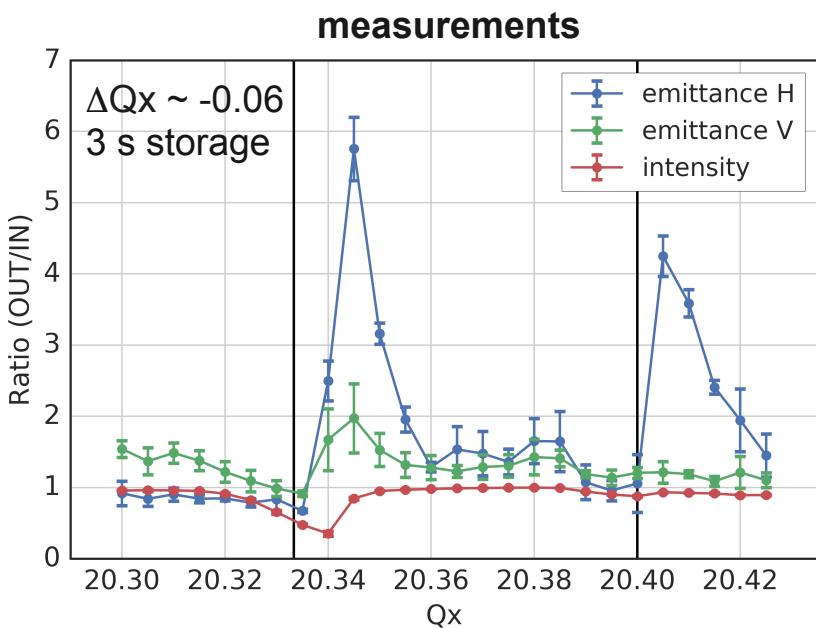
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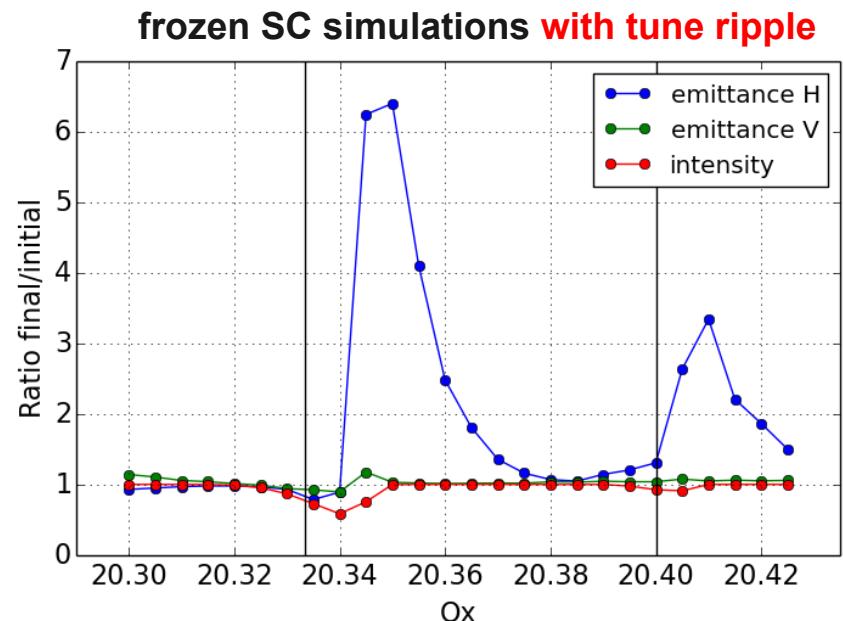
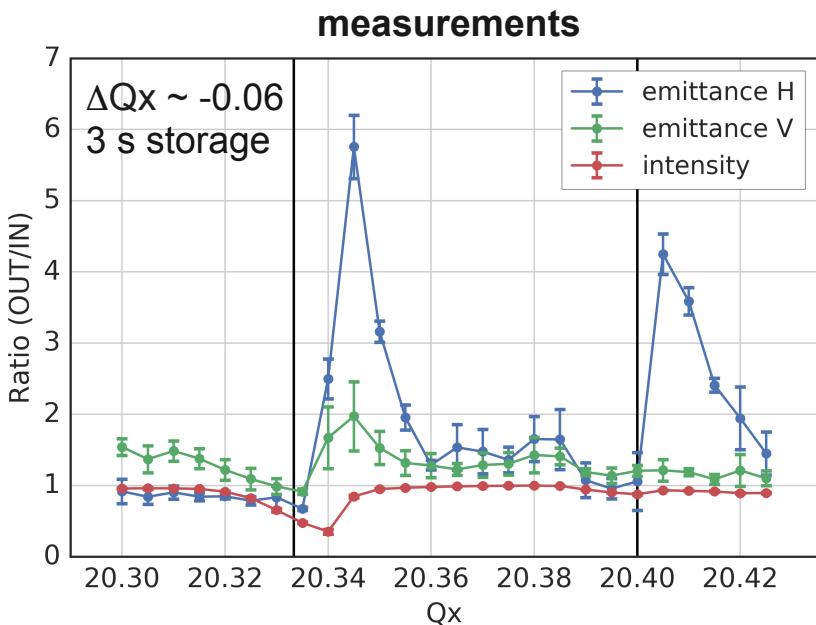


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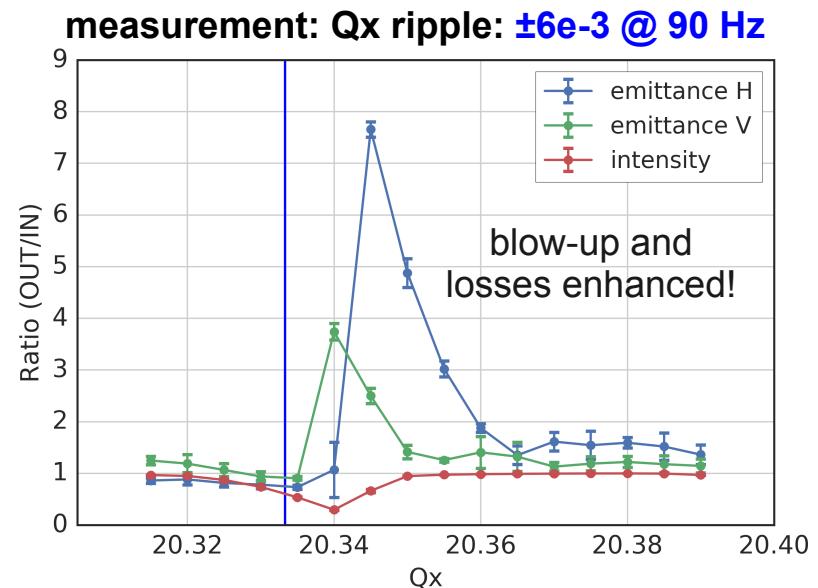
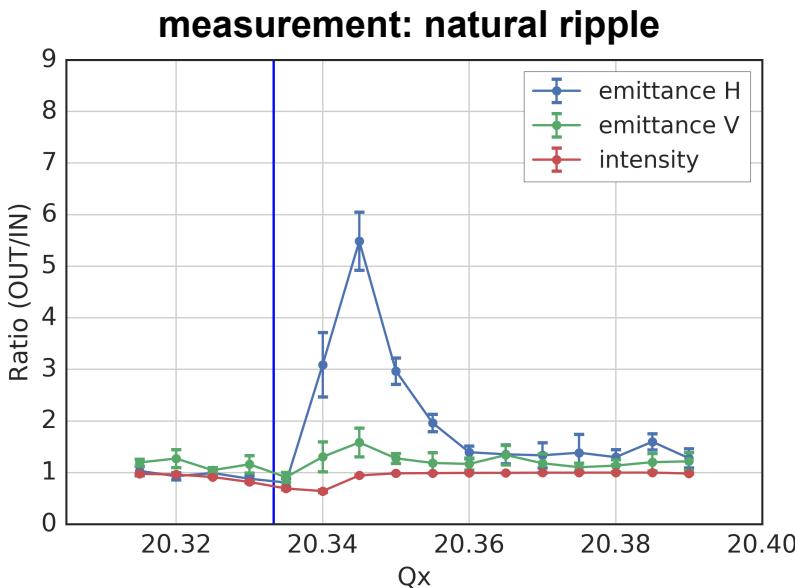
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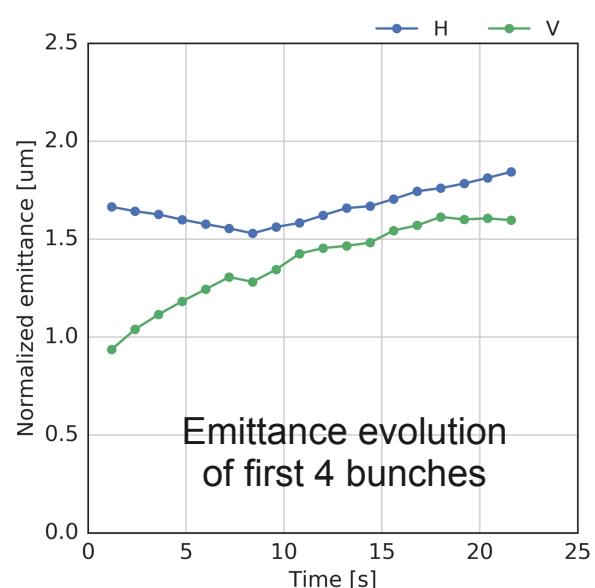
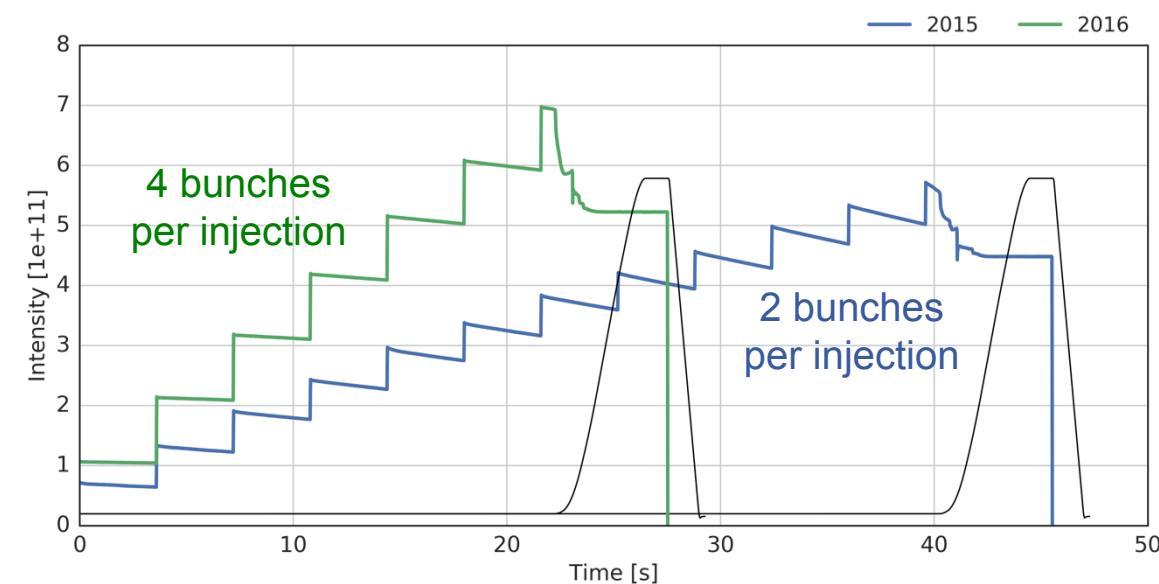


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Interplay with IBS for Pb82+ ions at CERN SPS

- Pb82+ ion bunches have to be accumulated over ~40 s at SPS
 - $\Delta Q_y \sim -0.3$ at injection
 - Strong emittance growth, partially from Intra Beam Scattering
 - Biggest concern for this beam is transmission (to maximize luminosity in LHC)
 - Losses maybe due to interplay between space charge and Intra Beam Scattering – *to be studied*



Conclusions & Outlook

- **Space charge effects in the long-term storage regime can result in beam loss and emittance growth due to periodic resonance crossing**
 - Result of systematic experiments and studies performed over the last decade for 1D and more recently also for 2D resonances
- **Overcoming limitations of simulations for long storage times is challenging**
 - Simulations with frozen potential avoid noise issues but are not (fully) self-consistent
 - Good agreement between PIC and frozen potential in code-to-code benchmarking – cases with losses to be checked systematically
- **Quantitative agreement between experiment and simulations is challenging**
 - Requires accurate knowledge of machine aperture and linear / non-linear errors
 - Identify and suppress interfering effects or properly account for them in simulation
- **Future directions: interplay with other mechanisms need to be studied**
 - Tune modulation induced by power converter ripple
 - Intra Beam Scattering (especially for ions)
 - E-cloud (see talk of G. Rumolo)
 - Indirect space charge and impedance





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