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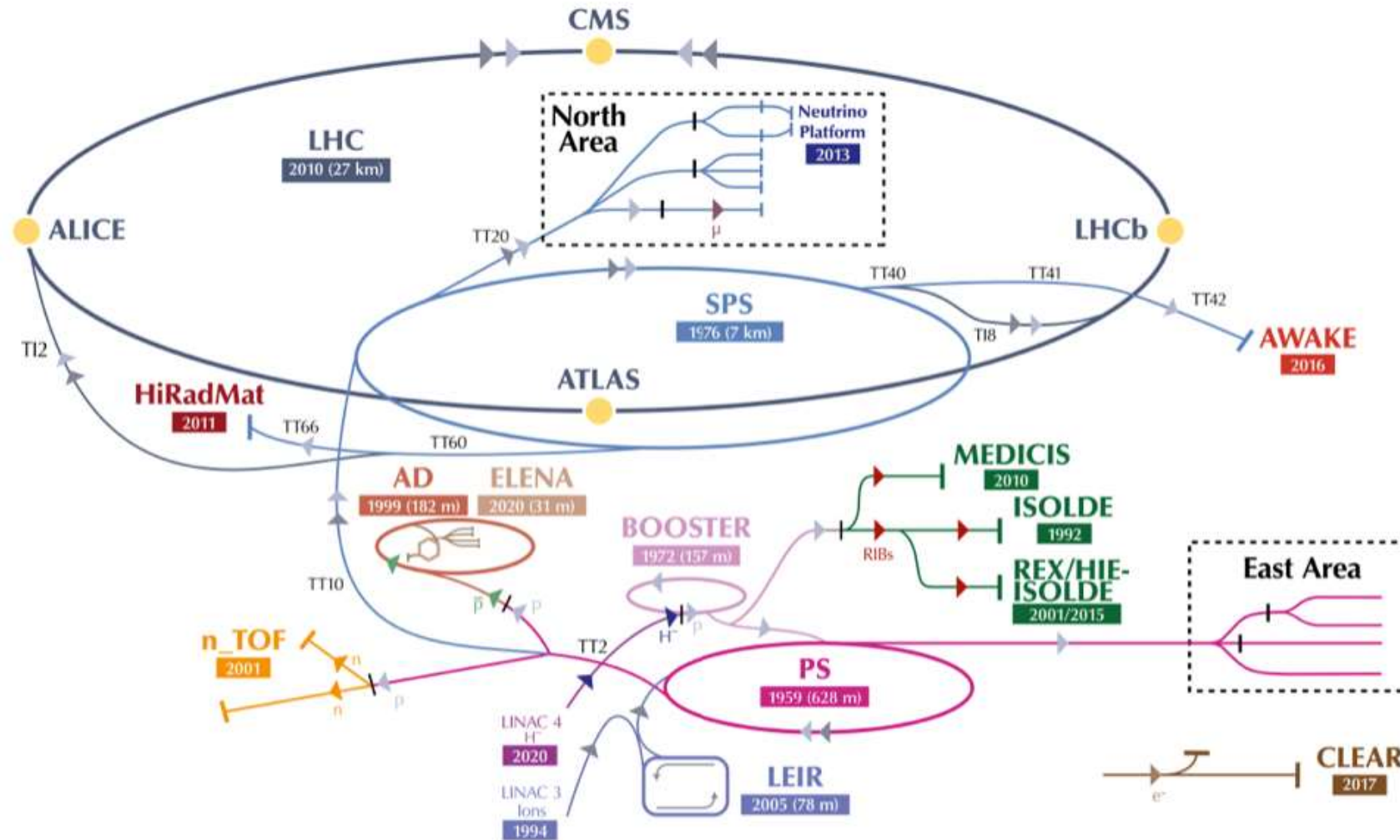
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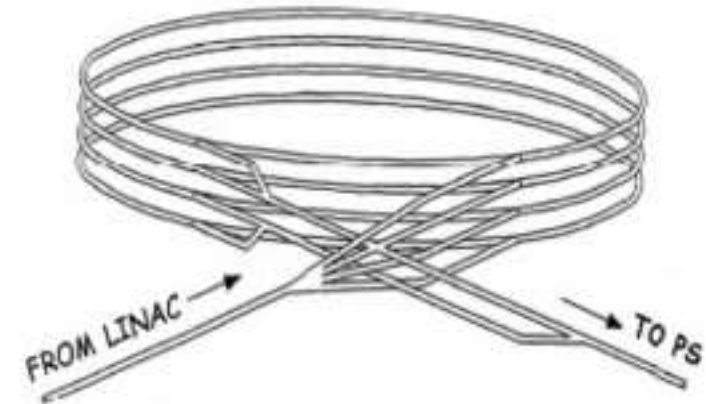
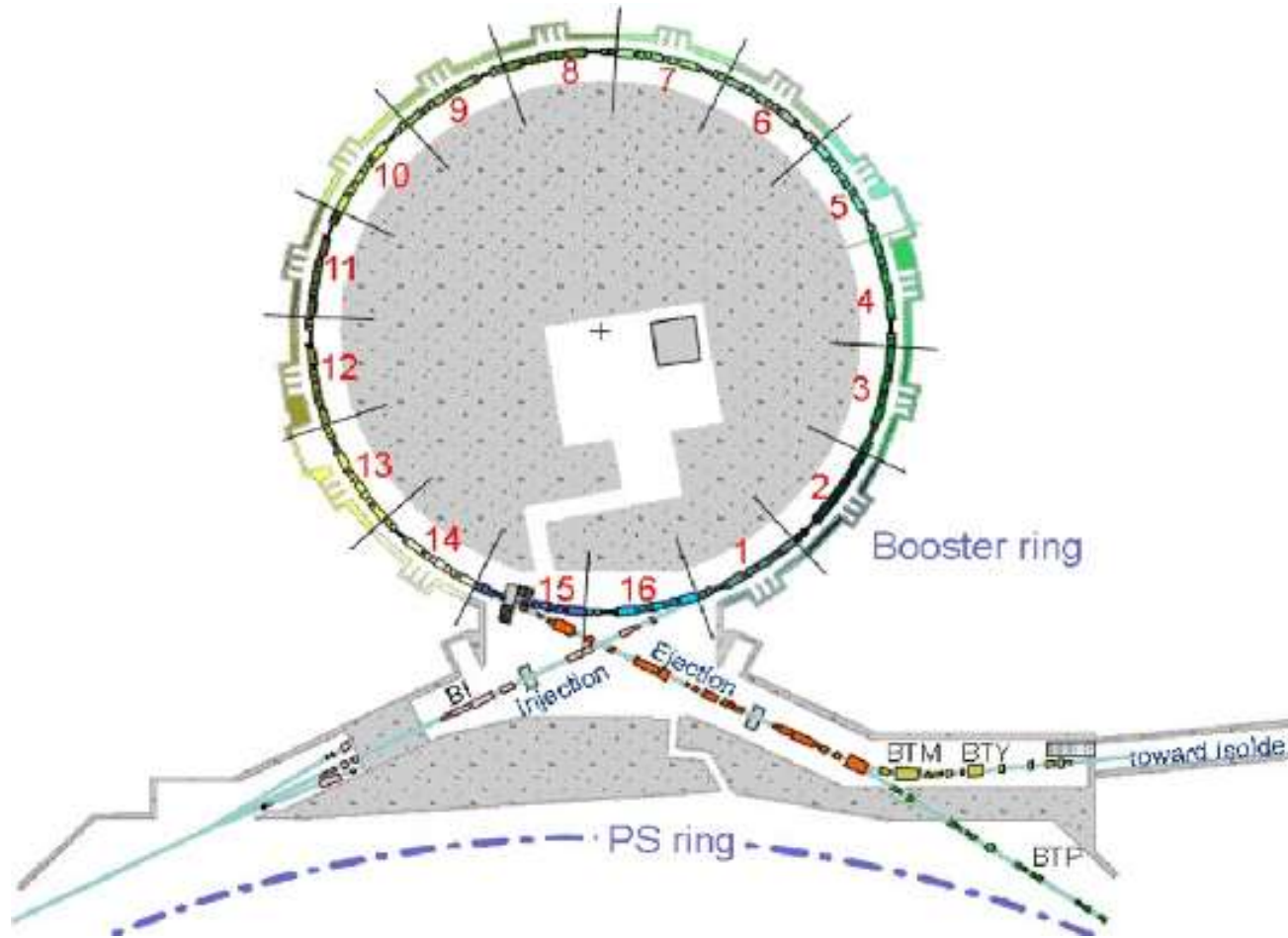
## The CERN accelerator complex *Complexe des accélérateurs du CERN*





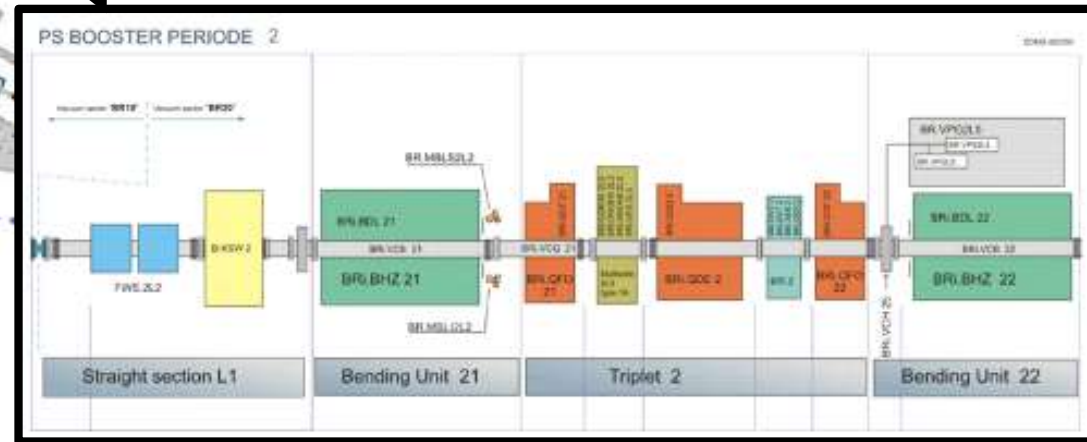
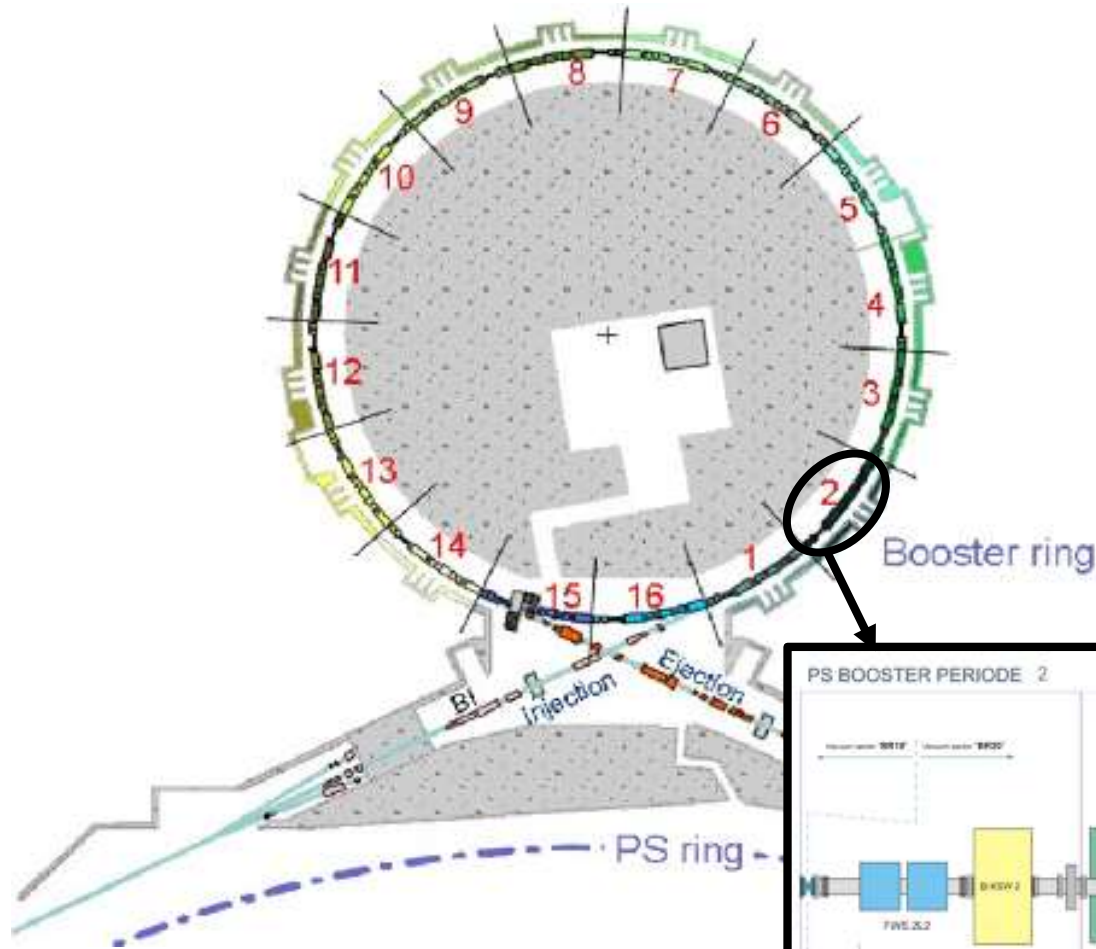
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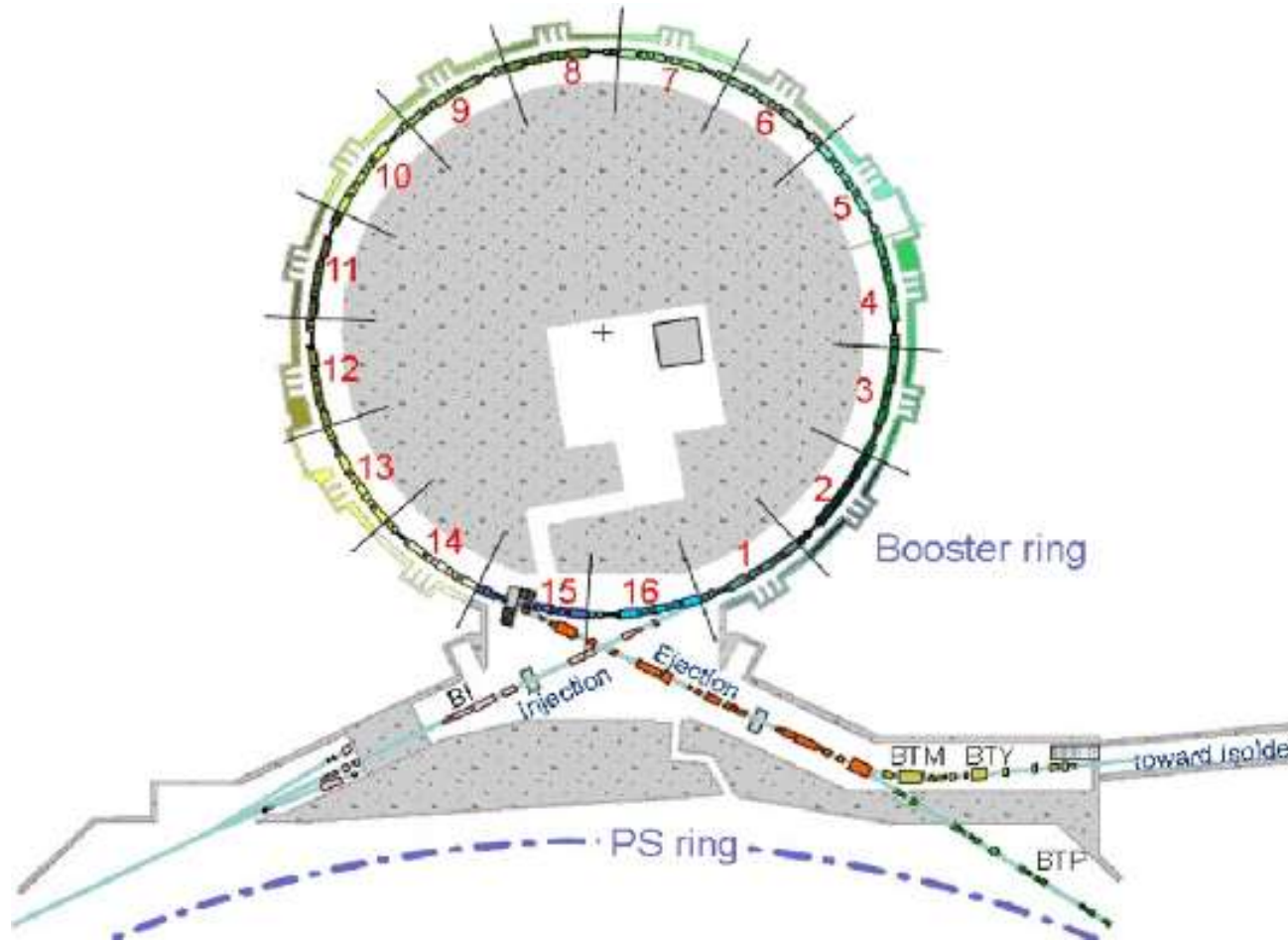


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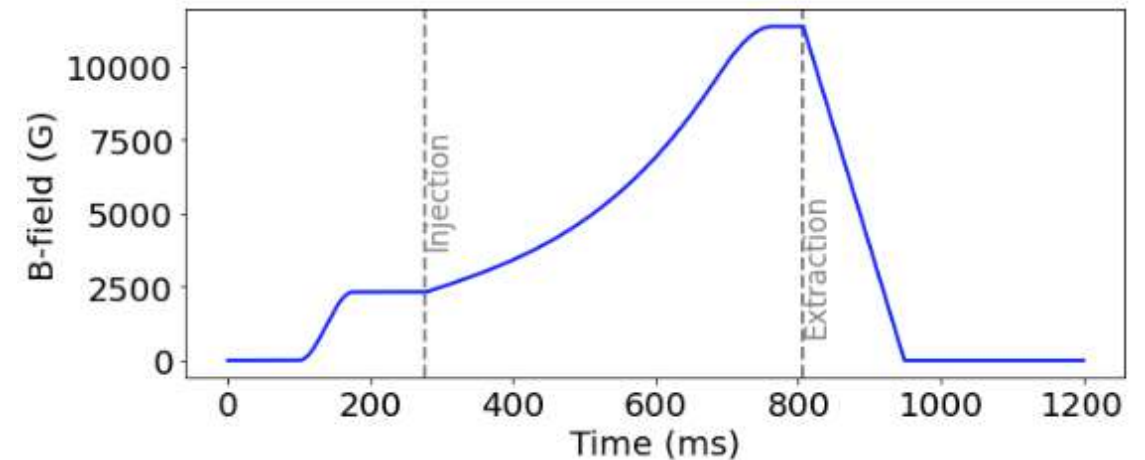
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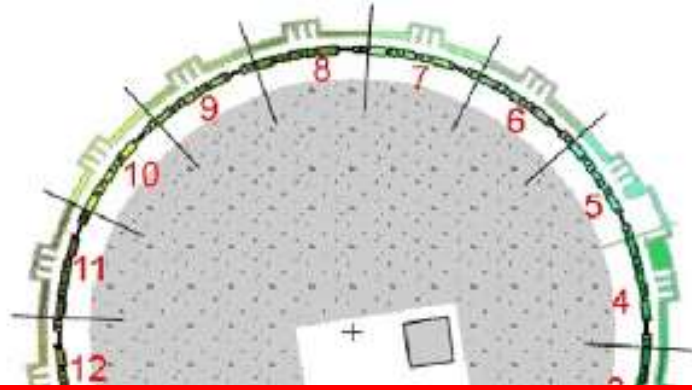
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Supervisor : S. Albright 167748								
Operator : CCC: 76671								
BP	User	Pls	Inj.	Acc.	b.Ej.E10	Ej.E10	Dest.	
23	---ZERO---	1	○○○○	○○○○	0.00	0.34	BDUMP	
24	---ZERO---	1	○○○○	○○○○	0.00	0.07	BDUMP	
25	EAST_T8_2022	2	○○●○	○○●○	59.88	60.37	EAST_T8_22	
26	---ZERO---	1	○○○○	○○○○	0.00	0.47	BDUMP	
27	---ZERO---	1	○○○○	○○○○	0.00	0.15	BDUMP	
1	MTE_2022_EM	21	●●●●	●●●●	2464	2474	MTE_22	
2	MTE_2022_EM	21	●●●●	●●●●	2465	2461	MTE_22	
3	ISOGPS_2022	18	●●●●	●●●●	1635	1611	BDUMP	
4	---ZERO---	1	○○○○	○○○○	0.00	0.37	BDUMP	
5	EAST_T8_2022	2	○○●○	○○●○	60.17	61.46	EAST_T8_22	
6	---ZERO---	1	○○○○	○○○○	0.00	0.20	BDUMP	
8	EAST_T9_2022	3	○○○○	○○○○	0.00	0.44	BDUMP	
	---ZERO---						BDUMP	
8/27 No Message								

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- PSB is constantly cycled with different beams. The cycles follow a predefined **super-cycle** which is repeated many times.

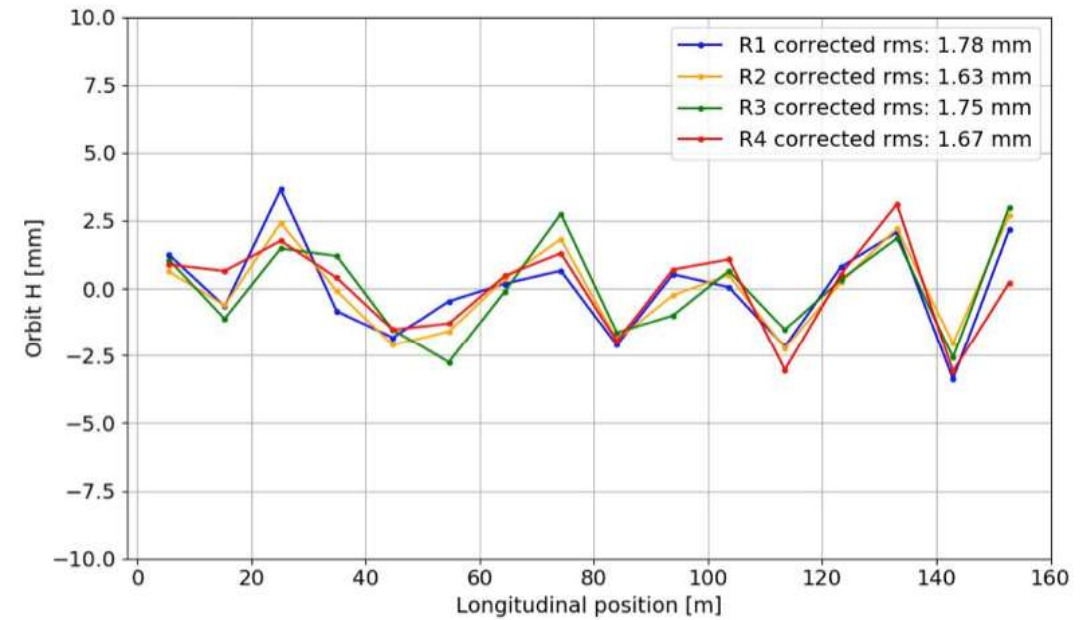
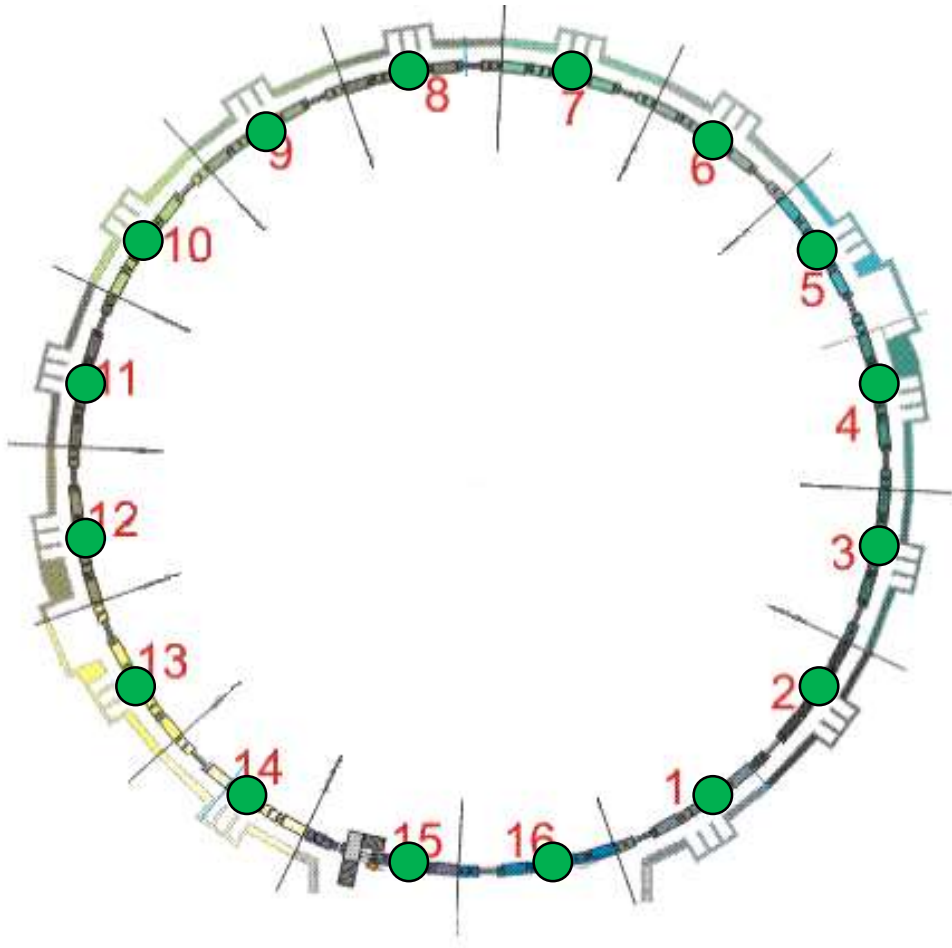
# Beams

PSB Beams						
Type	$N_b$ [ $10^{10}$ ppb]	$\epsilon_x$ [ $\mu\text{m}$ ]	$\epsilon_y$ [ $\mu\text{m}$ ]	$\epsilon_\delta$ [eVs]	h	Destination
LHC25	165	$< 2.2$	$< 2.2$	1.3	1	LHC
BCMS	85	$< 1.2$	$< 1.2$	0.9	1	LHC
EAST	170	1 – 2	1 – 2	$< 1.3$	1	East area (PS)
STAGISO	200-300	$< 5$	$< 4$	$< 1.6$	1	ISOLDE (PSB)
AD	400	9	5	1.3	1	AD (PS)
SFTPRO_MTE	$< 600$	$< 6 - 8$	$< 4$	$< 1.3$	2	North area (SPS)
NORMGPS/HRS	800	$< 15$	$< 8$	$< 1.8$	1	ISOLDE (PSB)
TOF	900	12	8	1.7	1	nTOF (PS)



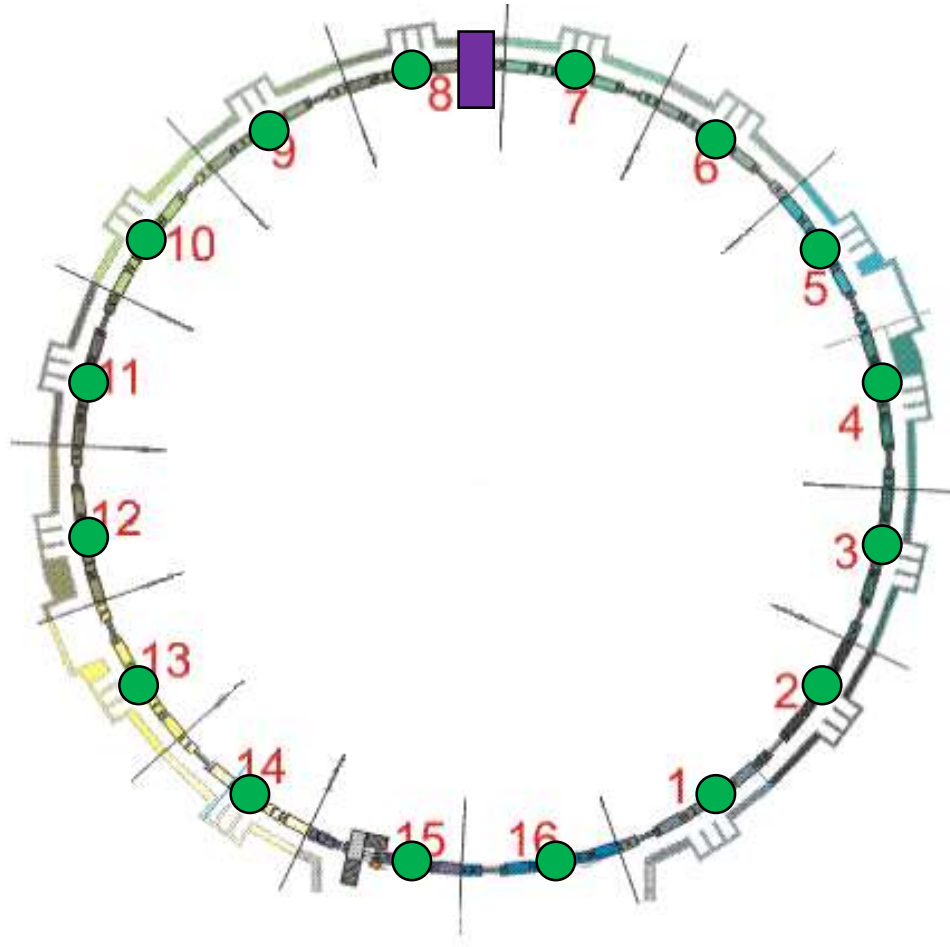
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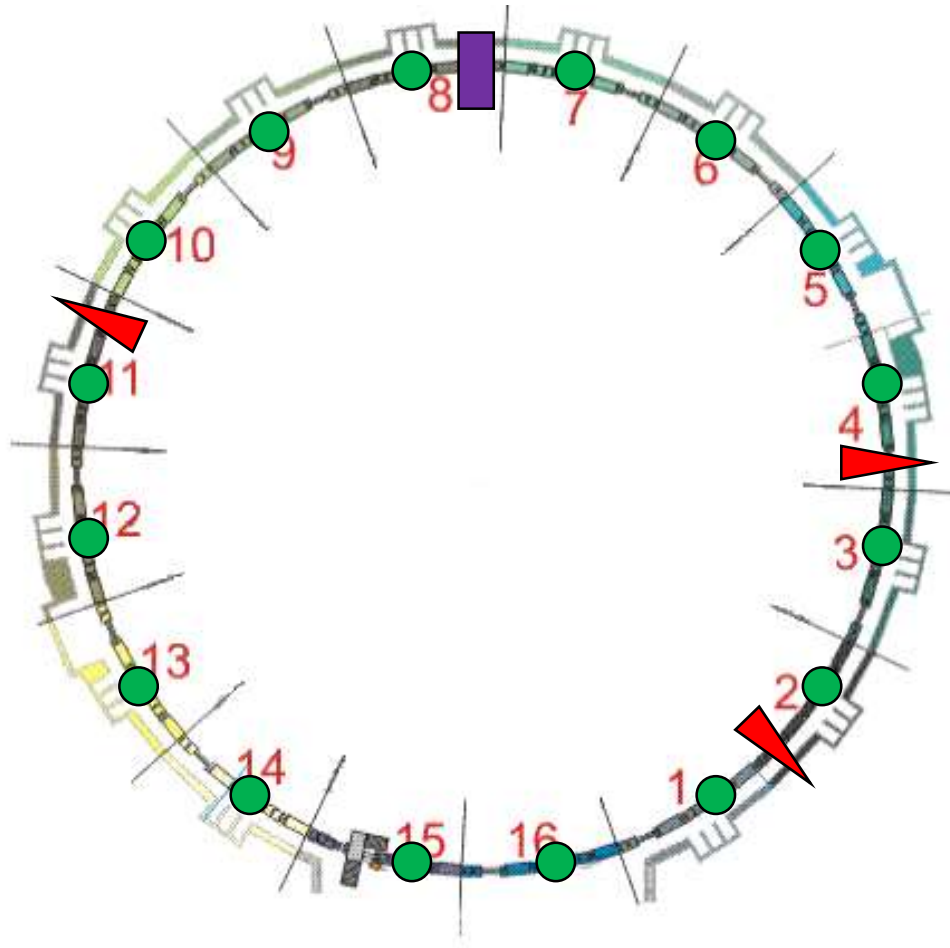
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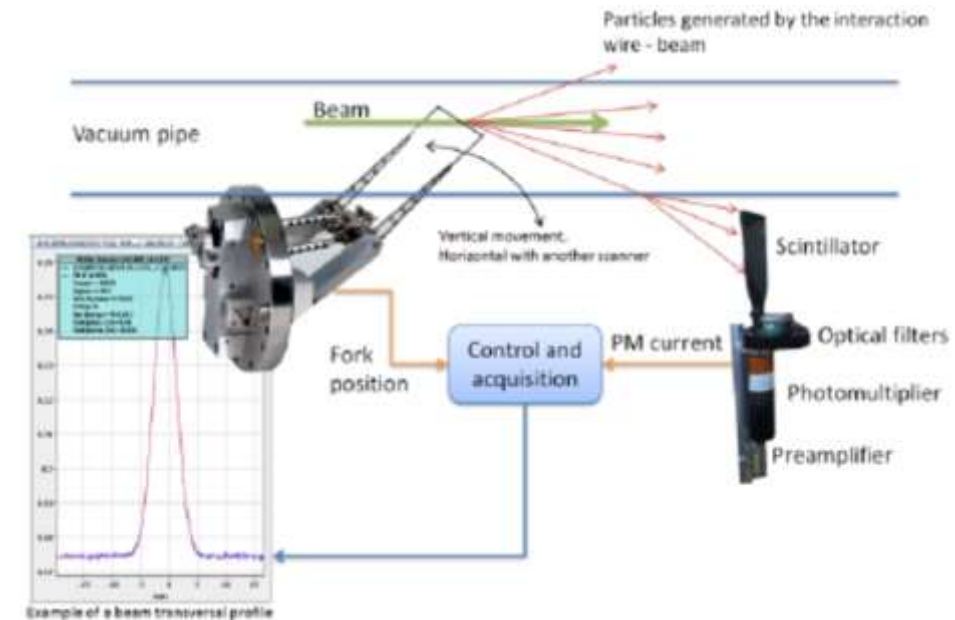
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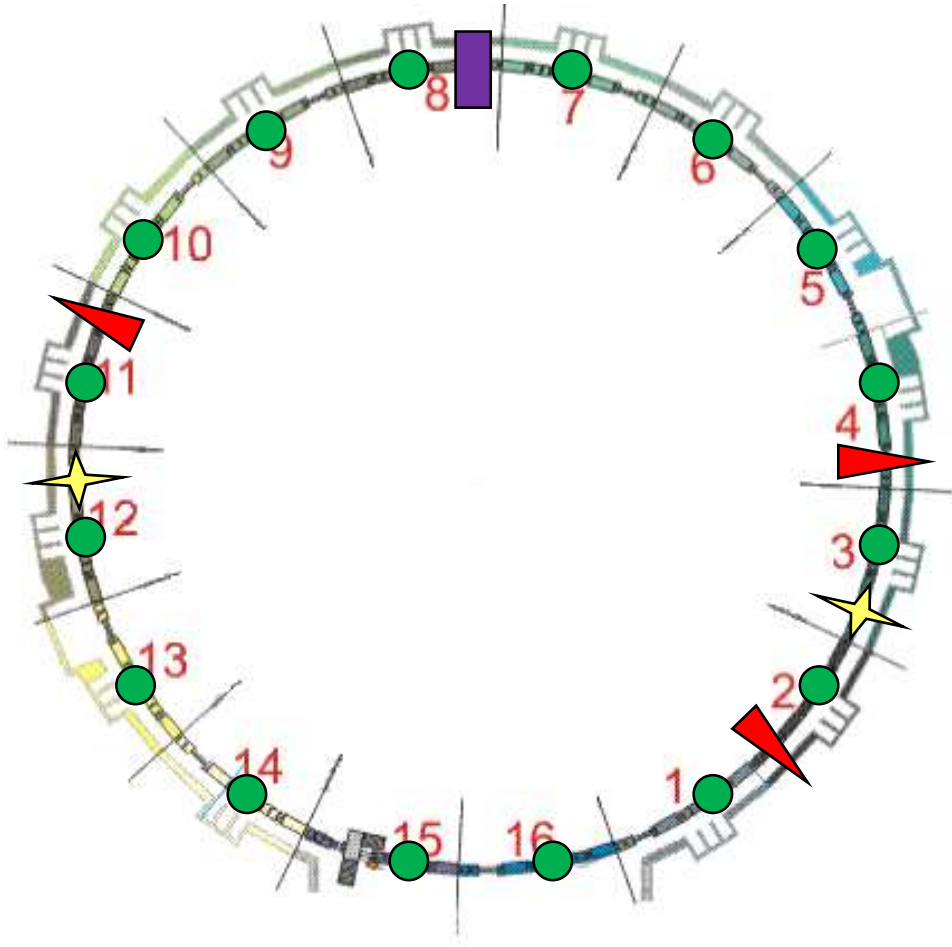
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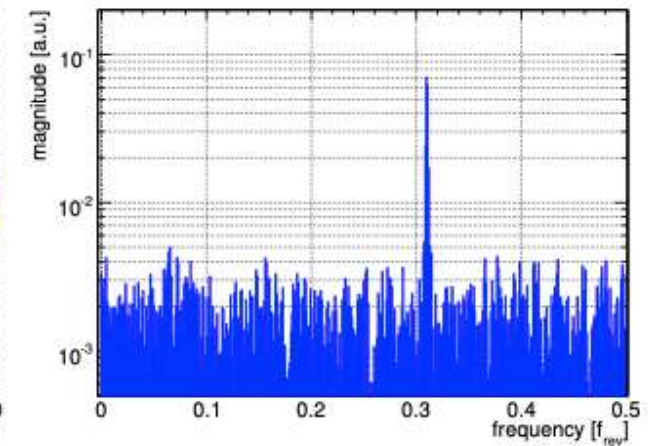
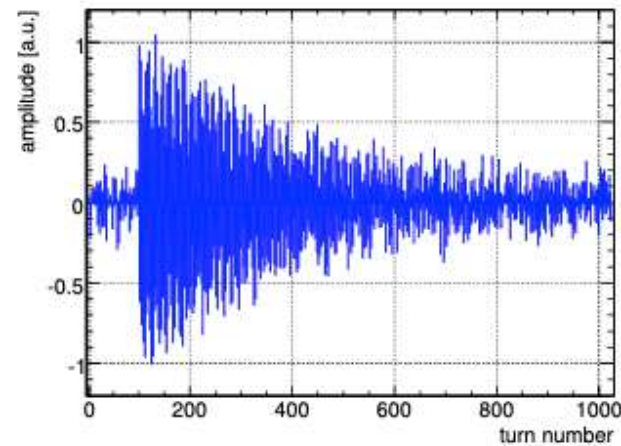
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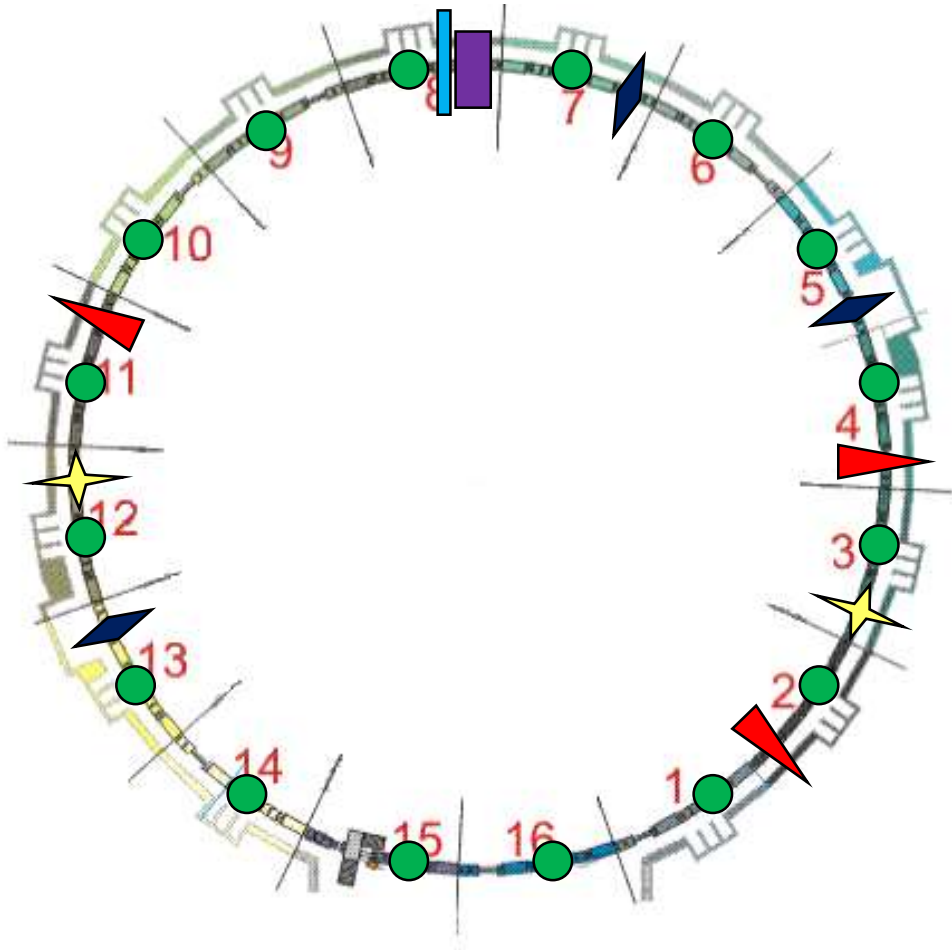


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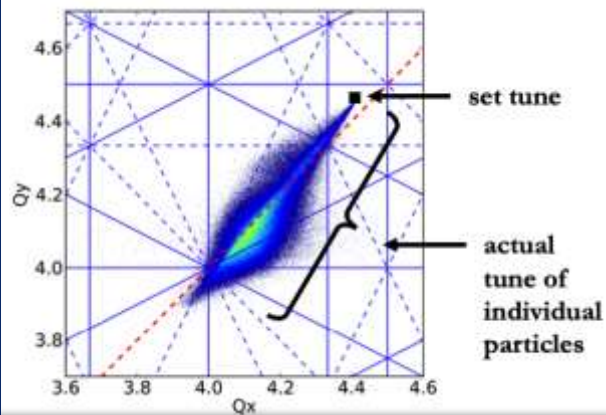
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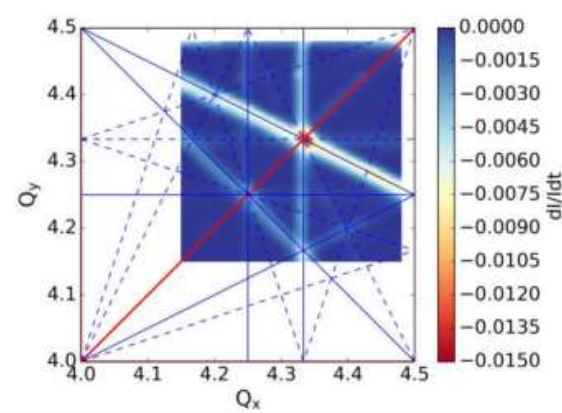
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- **Radio-Frequency cavities (RF)**: C02 (acceleration), C04 (second harmonic), C16 (longitudinal blow-up).
- Plenty of quadrupole, sextupole and octupole correctors (normal and skew).

# Beam Dynamics

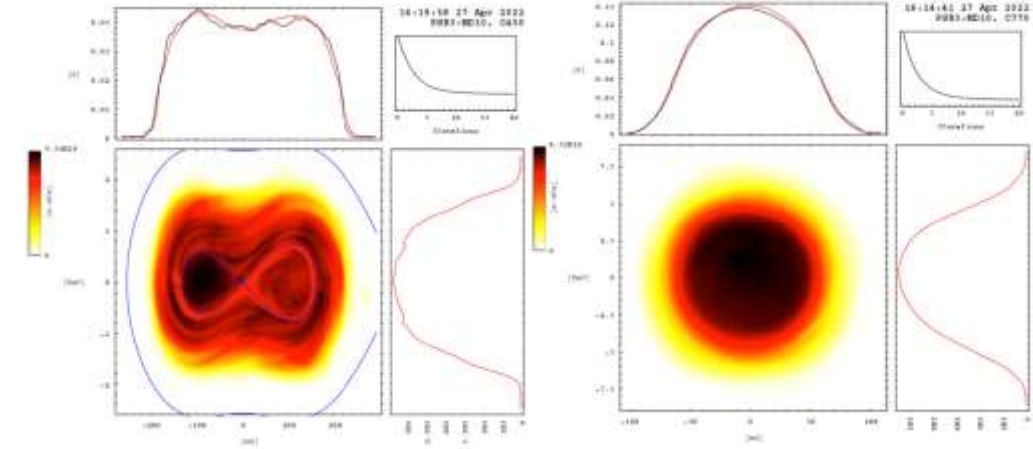
## Space Charge



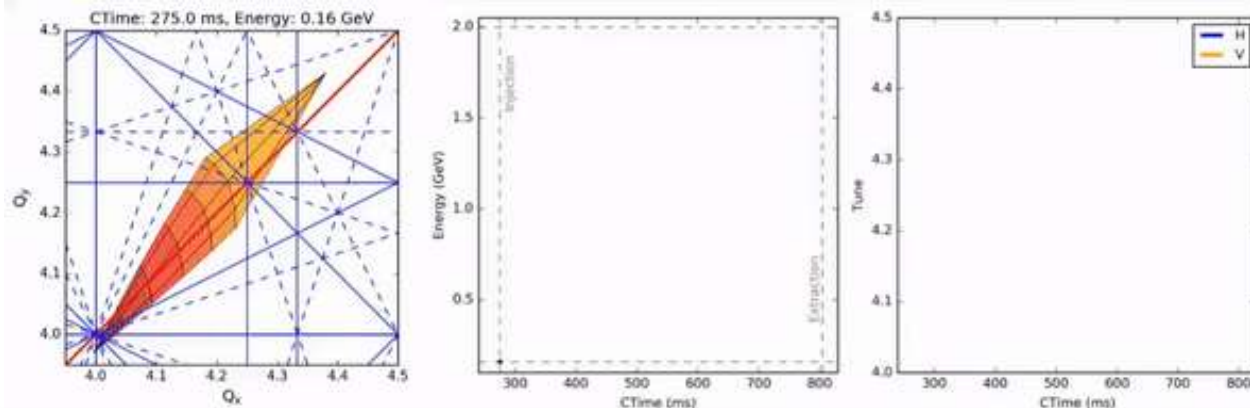
## Resonances



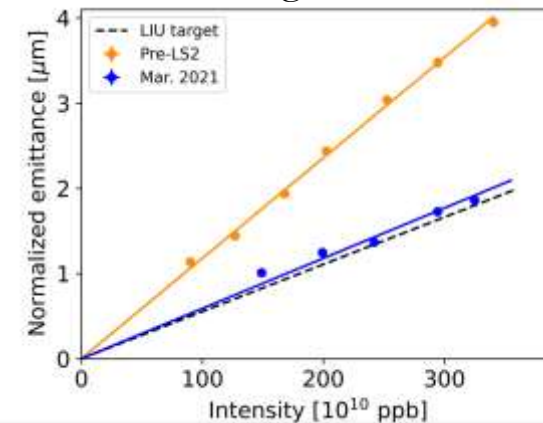
Beam goes from double harmonic to single harmonic to reduce the peak line density (therefore space charge)



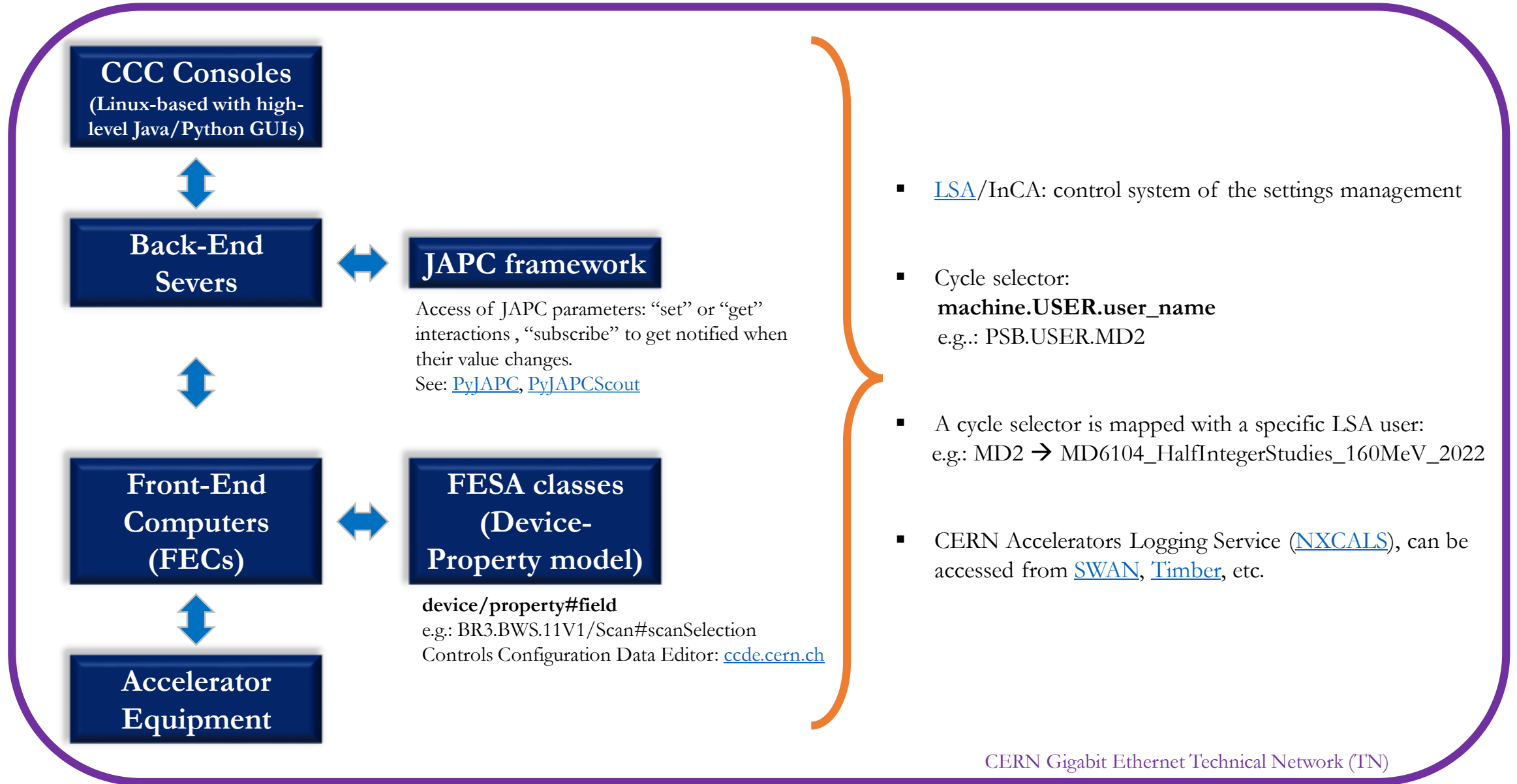
While beam is accelerated, tunes are dynamically changed.



## Brightness



# Control Systems



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```
from pyjapcscout import PyJapcScout

# start a PyJAPC interface for a specific user
myPyJapc = PyJapcScout(incaAcceleratorName='PSB')
mySelector = 'PSB.USER.MD5'
myPyJapc.setDefaultSelector(mySelector)
myPyJapc.rbacLogin() # Get and RBAC token by location

# Device properties to monitor
signalsToMonitor = []
rings = ['R3']
for ring in rings:
    signalsToMonitor.append('B%s.BCT-ST/Samples'%ring) # BCT for intensity measurement
    signalsToMonitor.append('B%s.BQ-H-ST/Samples'%ring) # BBQ device for tune measurement
    signalsToMonitor.append('B%s.BQ-V-ST/Samples'%ring) # BBQ device for tune measurement
    signalsToMonitor.append('B%s.BWS.4L1.H/Acquisition'%ring) # Horizontal Wire Scanner
    signalsToMonitor.append('B%s.BWS.1L1.V/Acquisition'%ring) # Vertical Wire Scanner

# Callback function
def myCallback(data, h):
    print( 'Shot ' + str(len(glob.glob(h.saveDataPath + '2021*'))))
    indx = len(glob.glob(h.saveDataPath + '2021*'))

    if indx == total_number_of_shots:
        h.stopMonitor()
        print("#####")
        print('Measurement finished and monitor stopped.')

# Create subscriptions
myMonitor = myPyJapc.PyJapcScoutMonitor(mySelector, signalsToMonitor, onValueReceived=myCallback,
                                         selectorOverride = mySelector, groupStrategy = 'extended',
                                         allowManyUpdatesPerCycle=False, strategyTimeout=5200,
                                         forceGetOnChangeAndConstantValues=False)

# saving data configuration
myMonitor.saveDataPath = './orbit/data2/'
myMonitor.saveData = False
myMonitor.saveDataFormat = 'parquet' # or 'parquet' or 'pickle' or 'pickledict' or 'mat'

# start acquisition
myMonitor.startMonitor()
```



# Measurements that we could try today

- Beam parameter adjustments (intensity, emittance blow-up, energy spread).
- Betatron tune measurement and correction.
- Chromaticity measurement and correction.
- Transverse profiles measurement and emittance/brightness reconstruction.
- Closed orbit measurement and correction (?)
- Resonance crossing and compensation.
- Beta-beating measurement and correction.
- Instabilities (?)
- Other ideas?

In principle, we should avoid having high losses at high energy, **mind the beam intensity.**

With the non-accelerating flat bottom (160 MeV) cycle have more flexibility (unbunched beam, resonance trapping etc.)

MDs rarely go as planned, be gentle ☺

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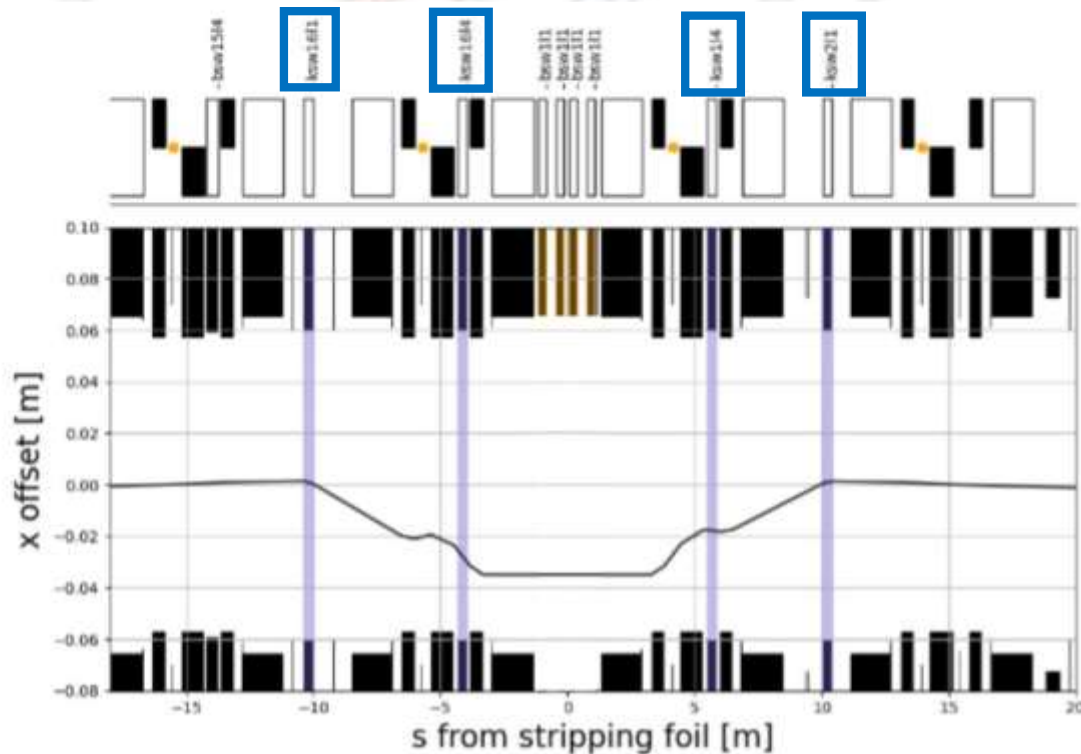
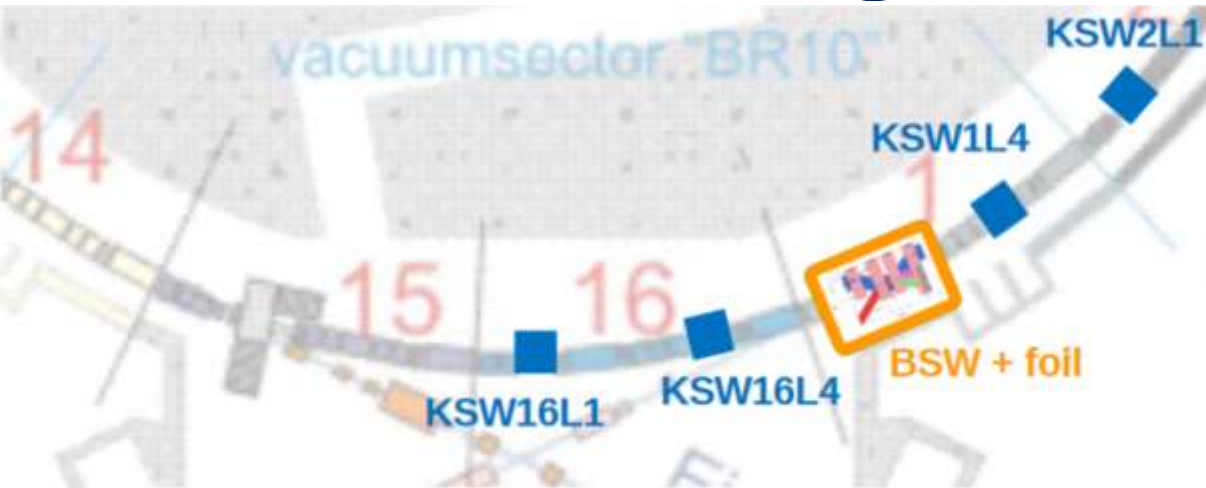
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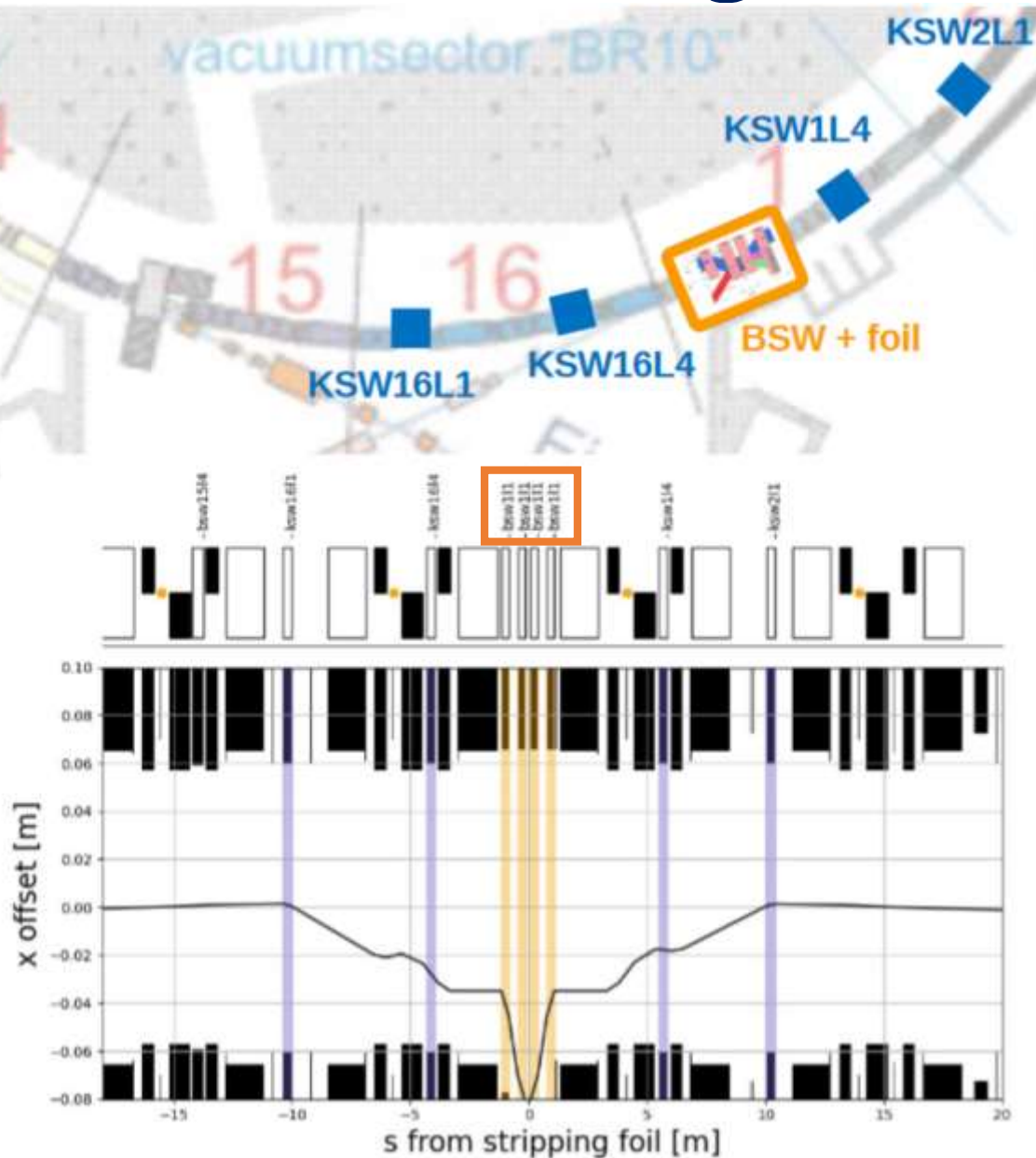


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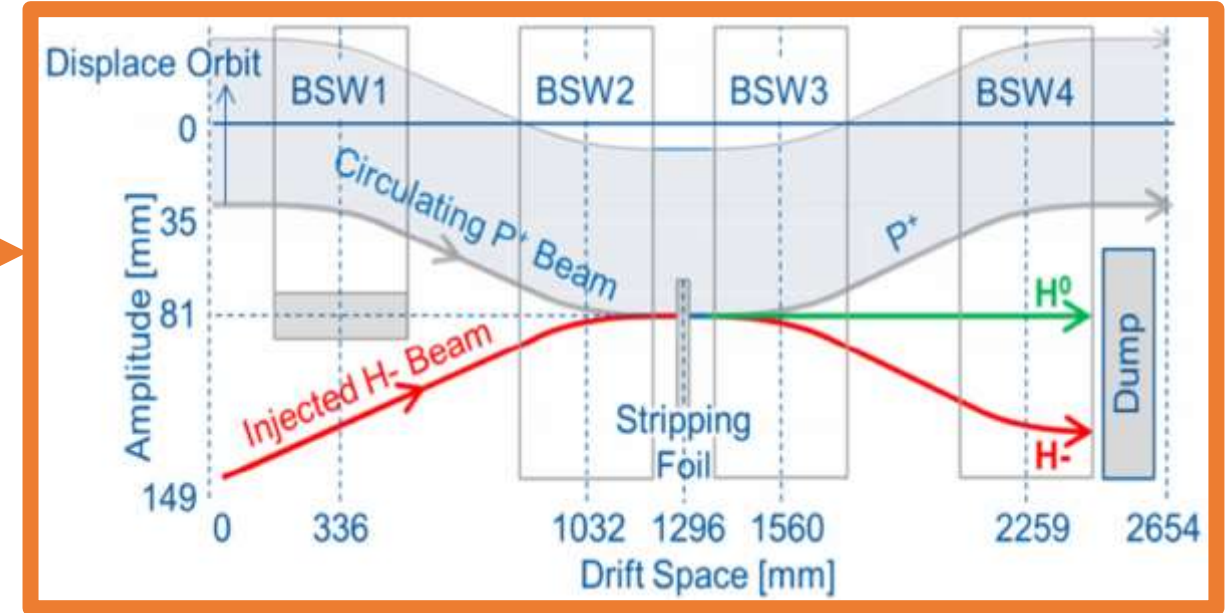
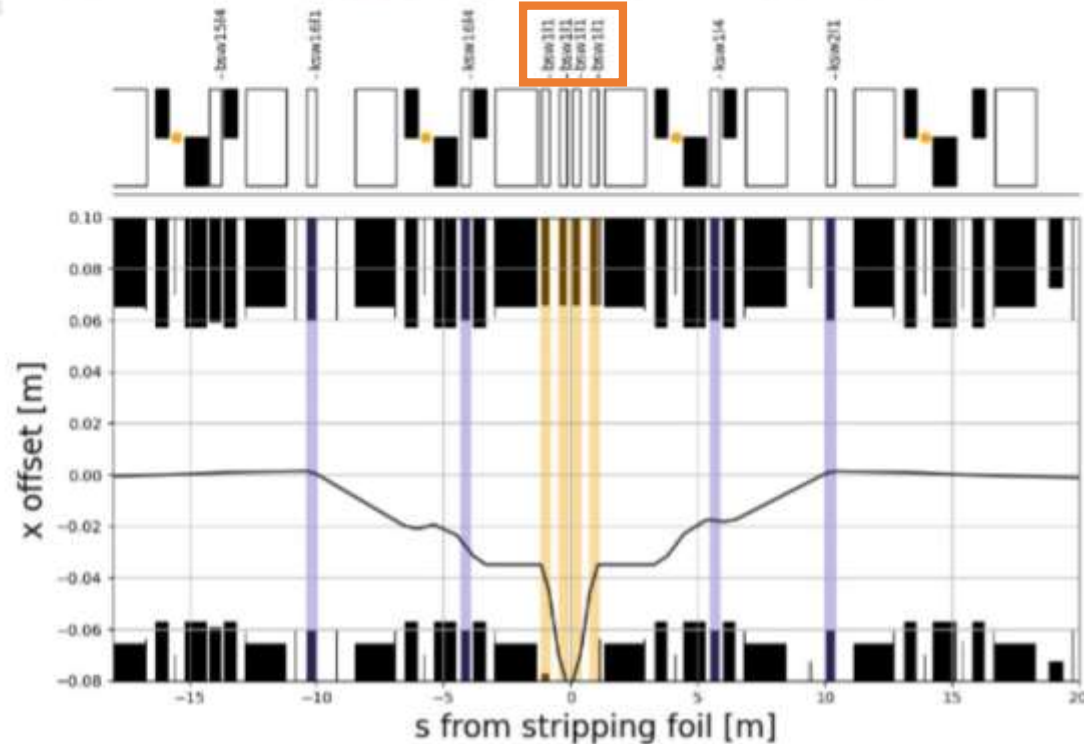
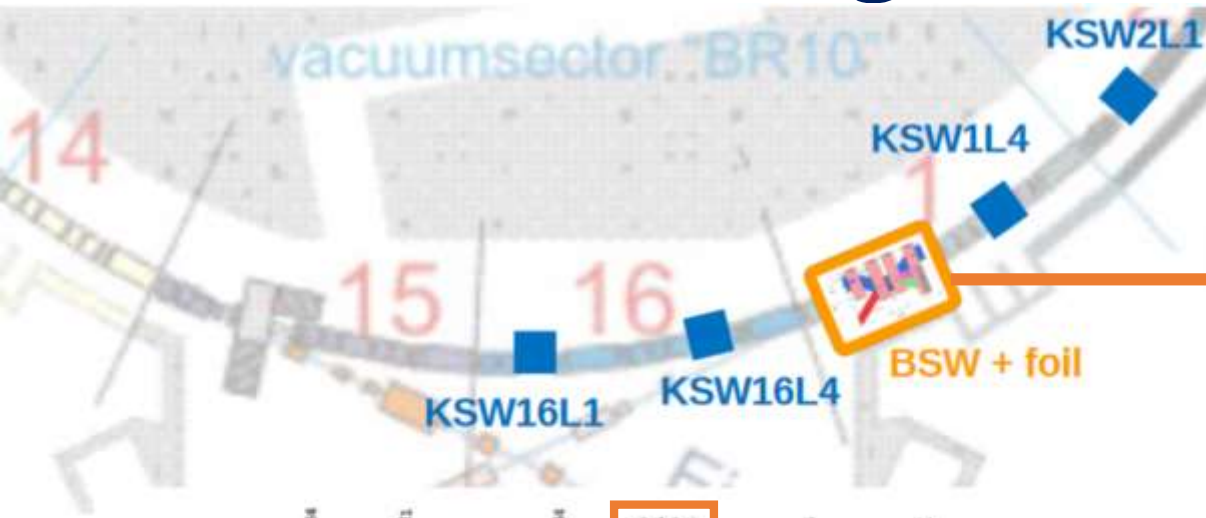
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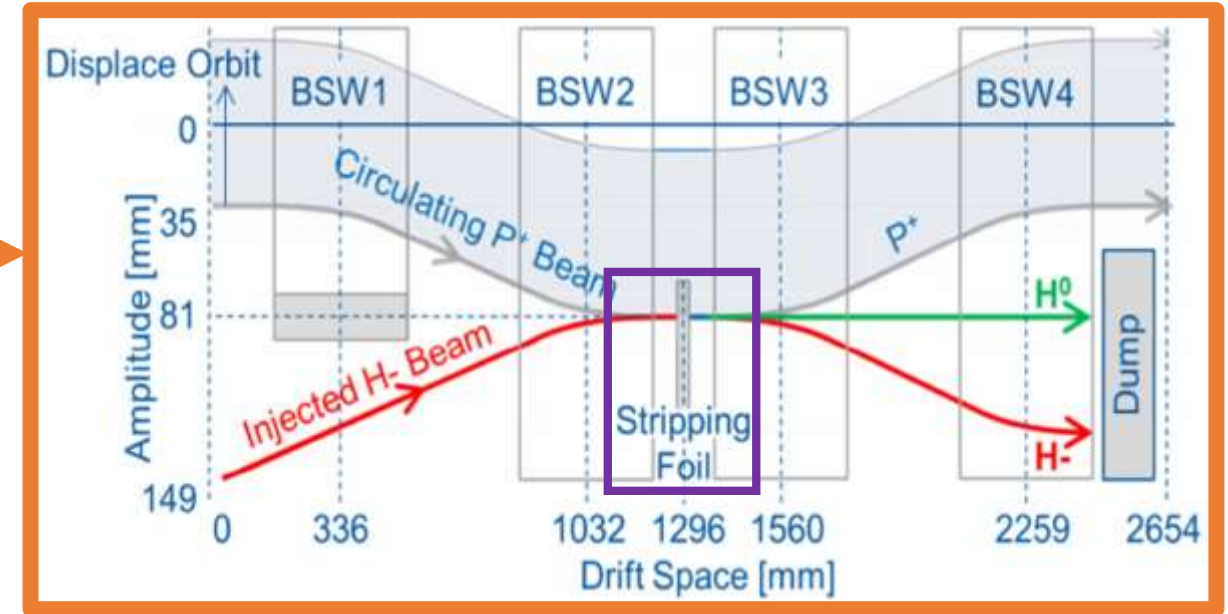
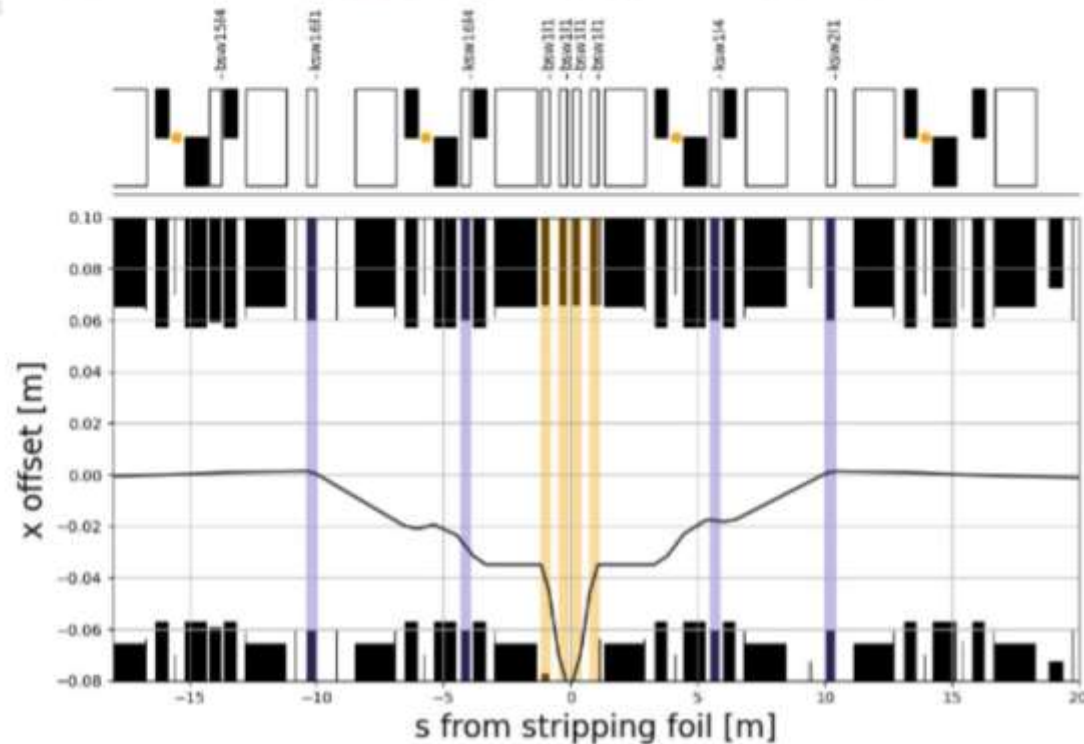
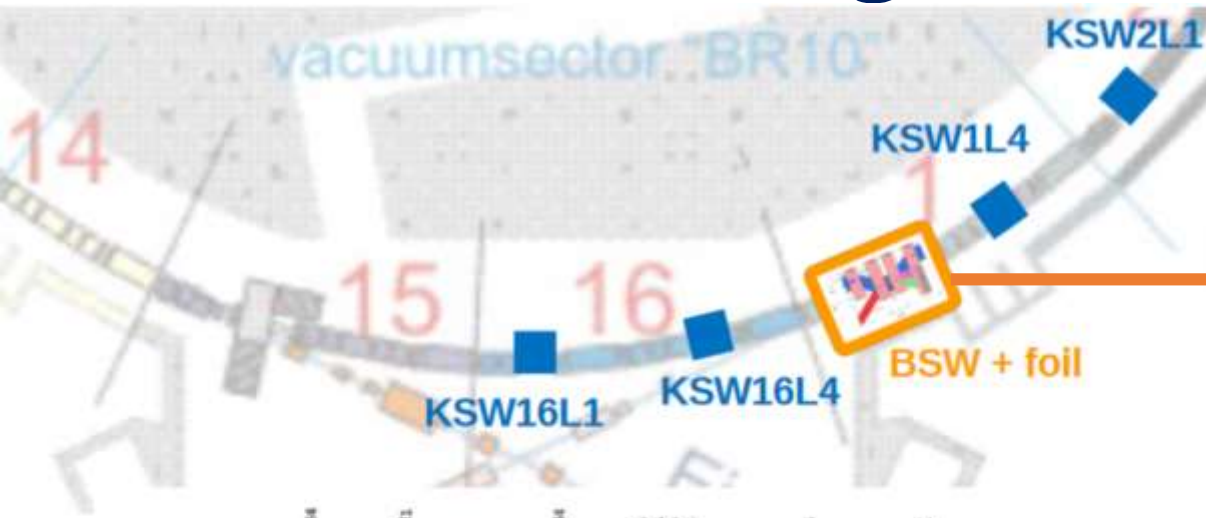


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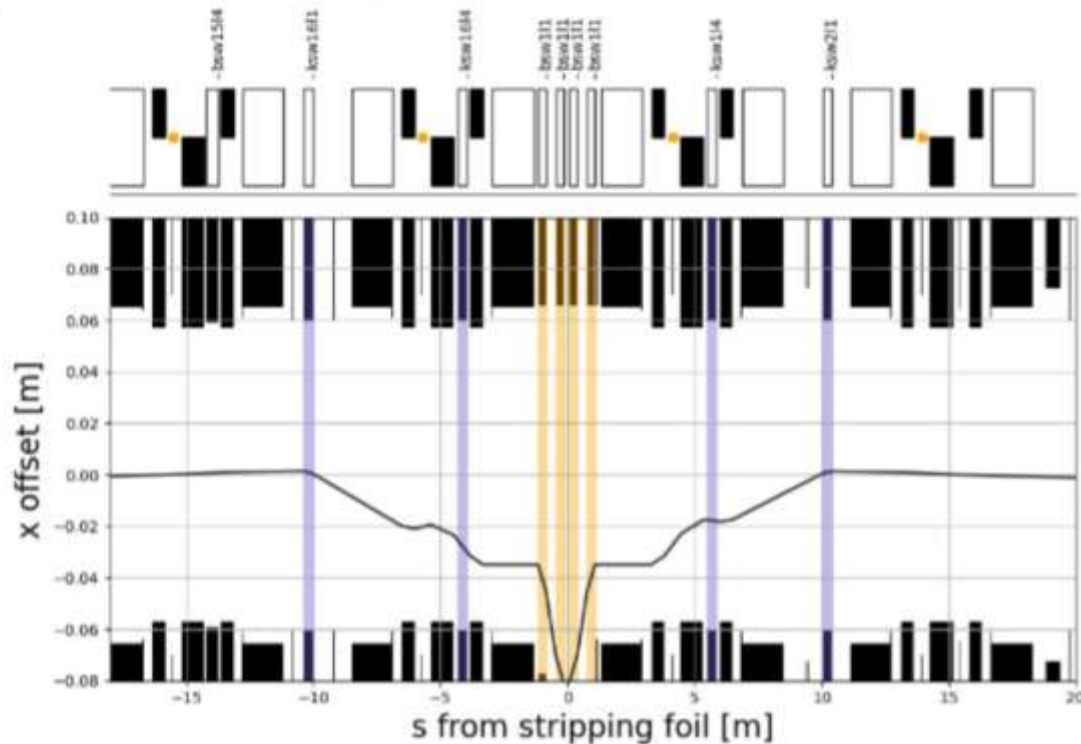
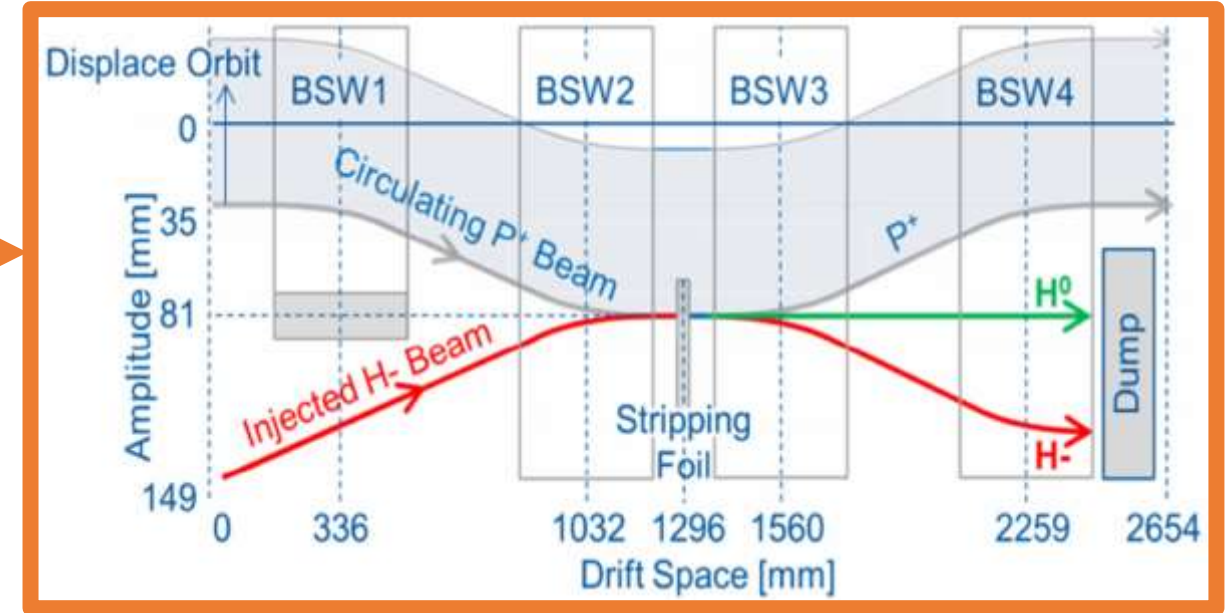
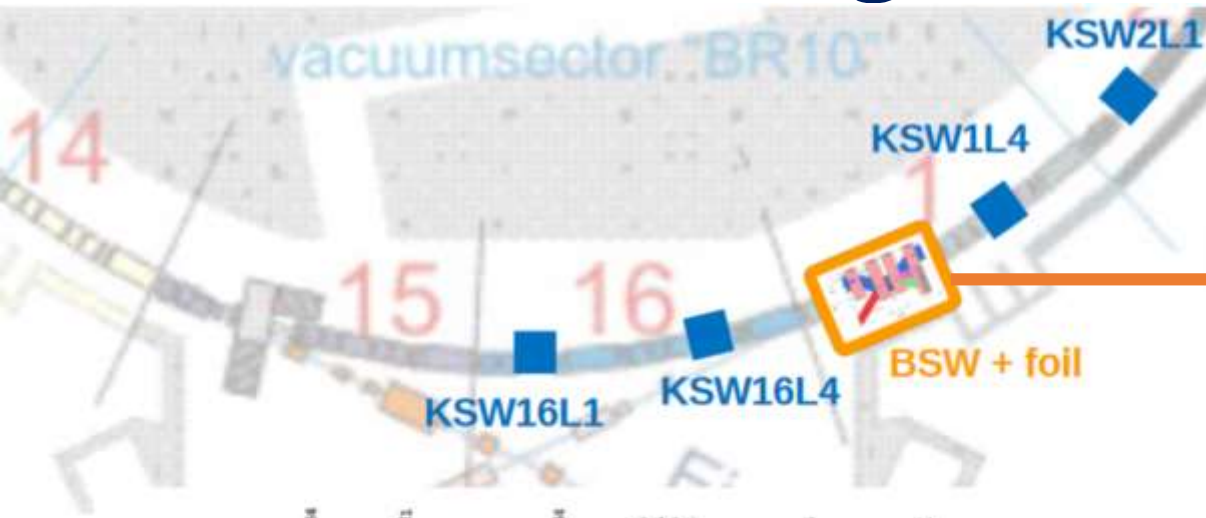
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Injection process over  $\sim 100$  turns (multi-turn injection).  
Closure of the bump over 5000 turns ( $\sim 5$ ms).



# Beam parameter adjustments

## Intensity

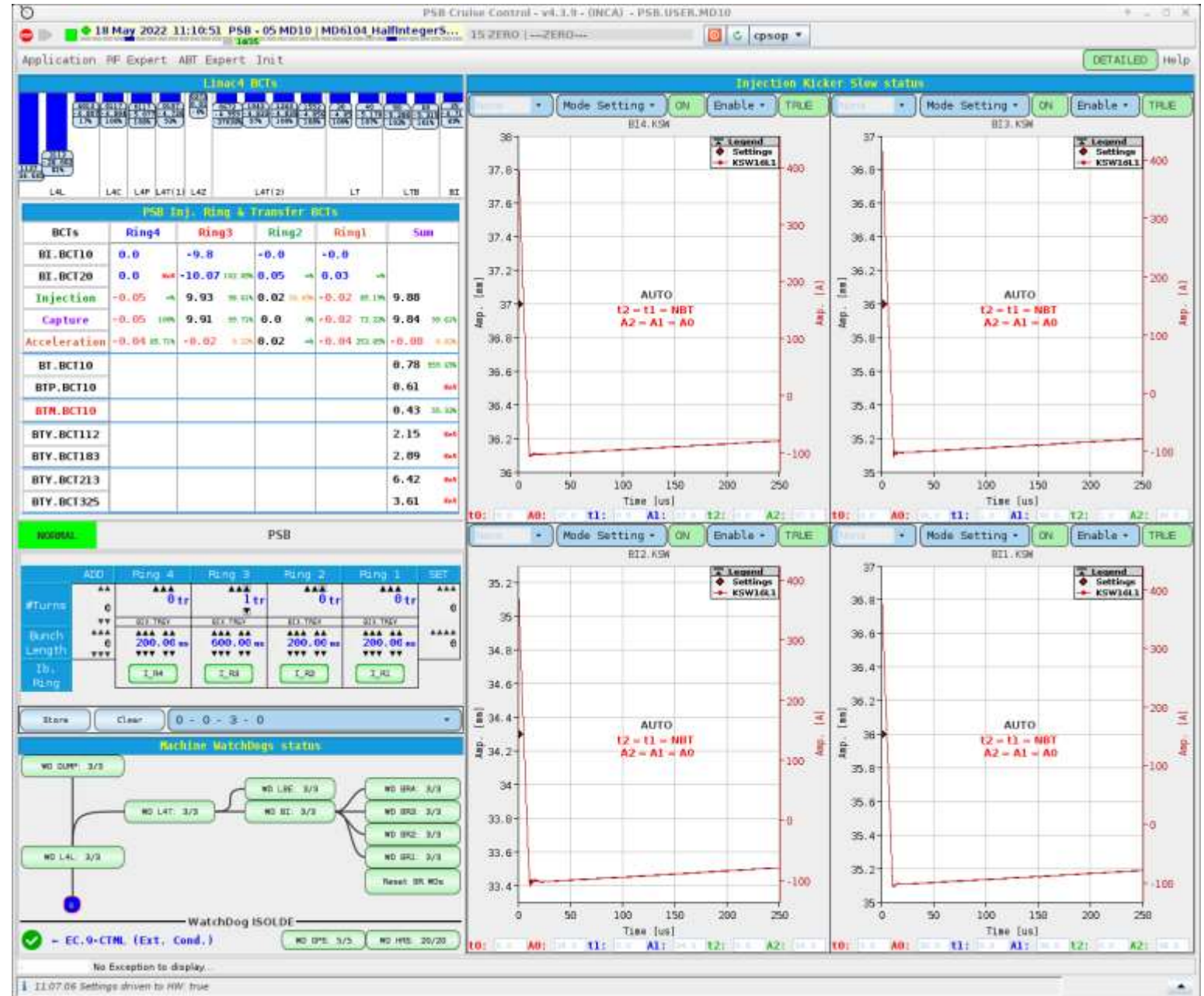
Changing the number and length of the pulses injected from Linac4

## Momentum spread

Change the energy spread of the Linac4 pulse.

## Emittance blow-up

- Change the number of foil crossings
- Injection misteering (injection oscillations)



# Tune setup



$$(Q_x, Q_y) = (4.17, 4.23)$$

Working point at which the extraction is setup.

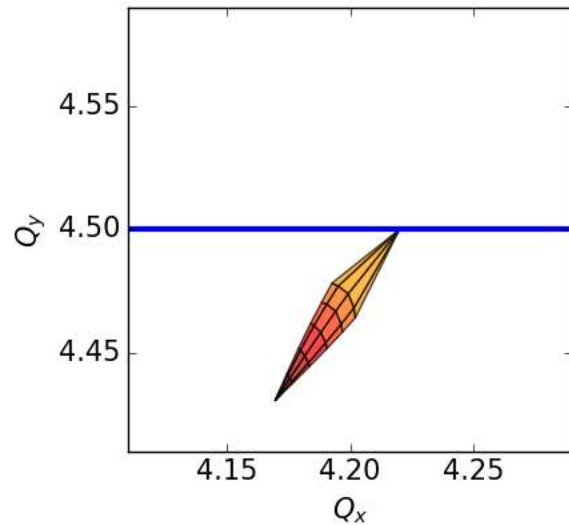
Dynamic tune change during the PSB cycle

What is the optimal tune ramp?

# Tune setup: losses and emittance blow-up

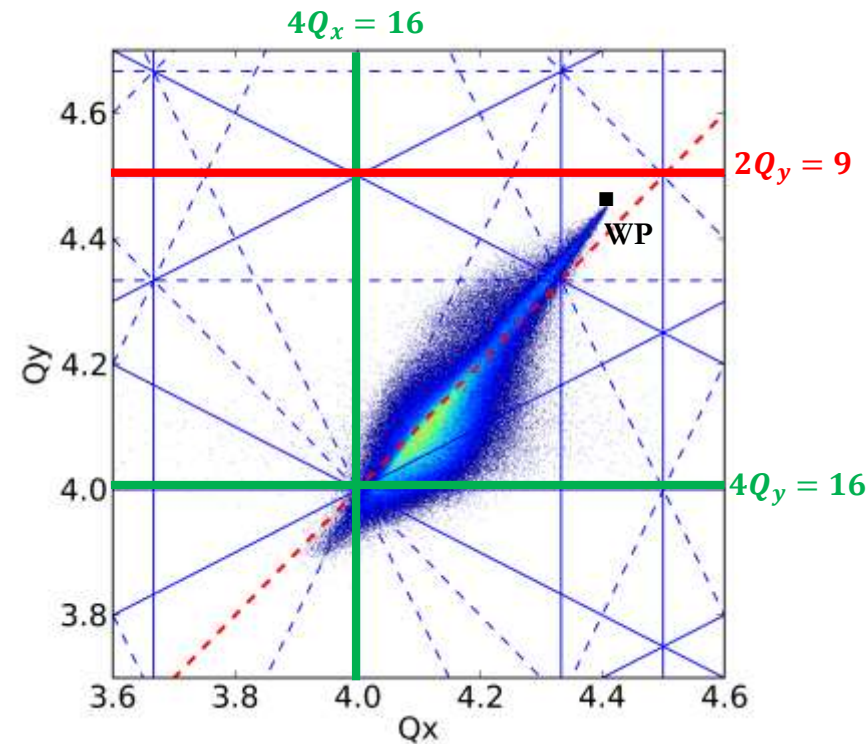
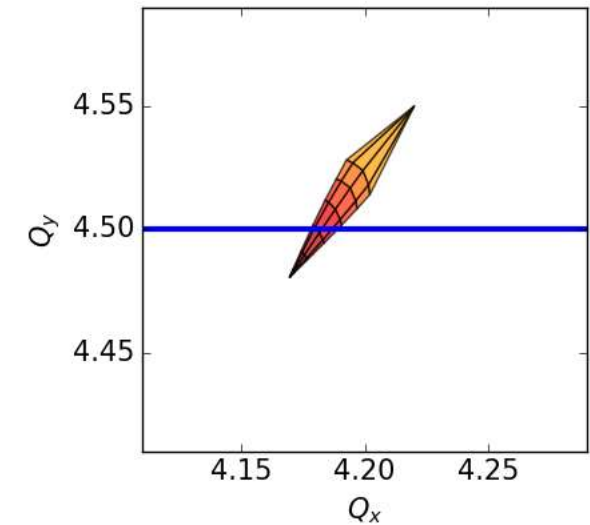
High amplitude (tails) particles  
interact with the resonance:

**losses**



Low amplitude (core) particles  
interact with the resonance:

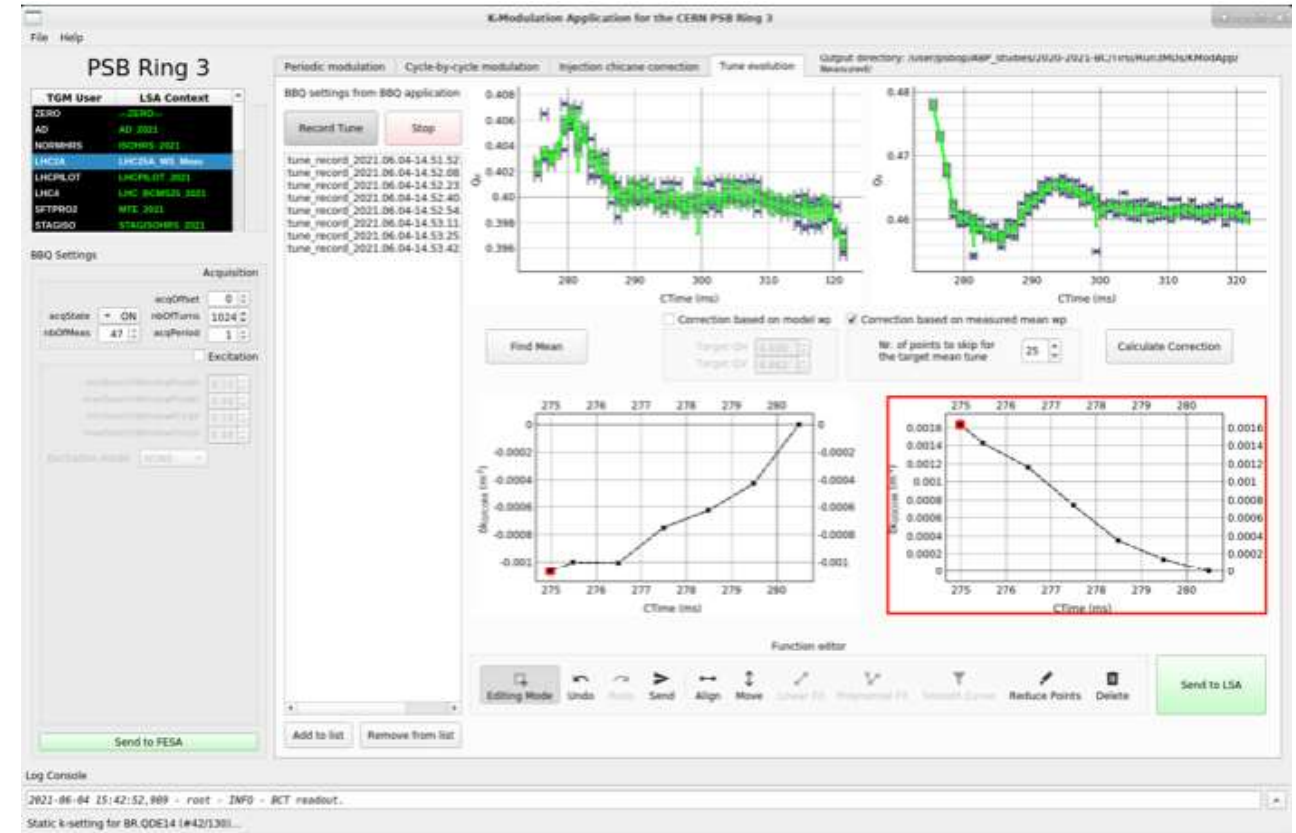
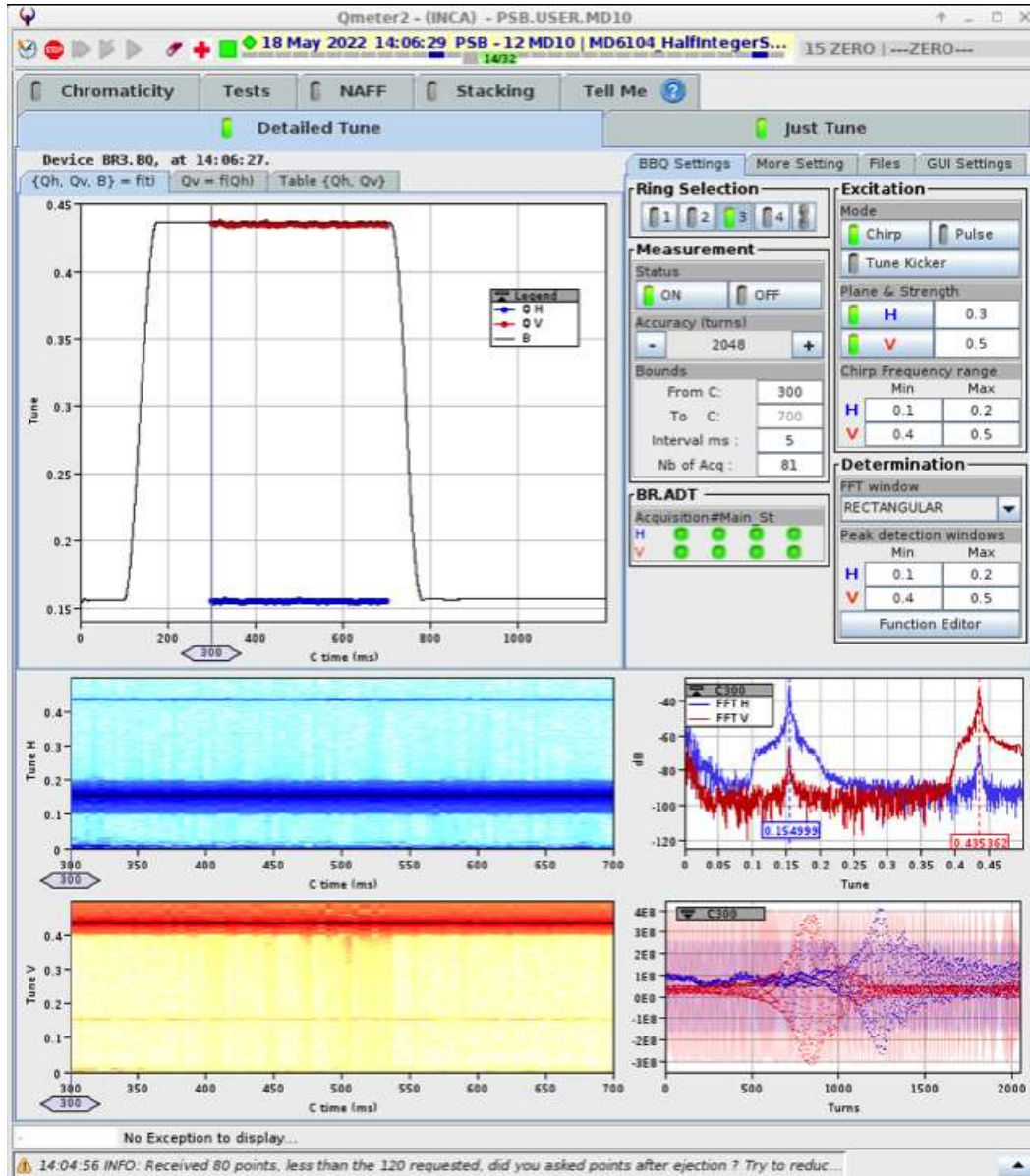
**emittance blow-up**



PSB operates in the brightness limit:  
space charge tune spread larger than 0.5



# Tune measurement and correction



Tune correction based on  
the “make-rules”:

$$Q \rightarrow k \rightarrow I$$



# Chromaticity measurement and correction

## Chromaticity

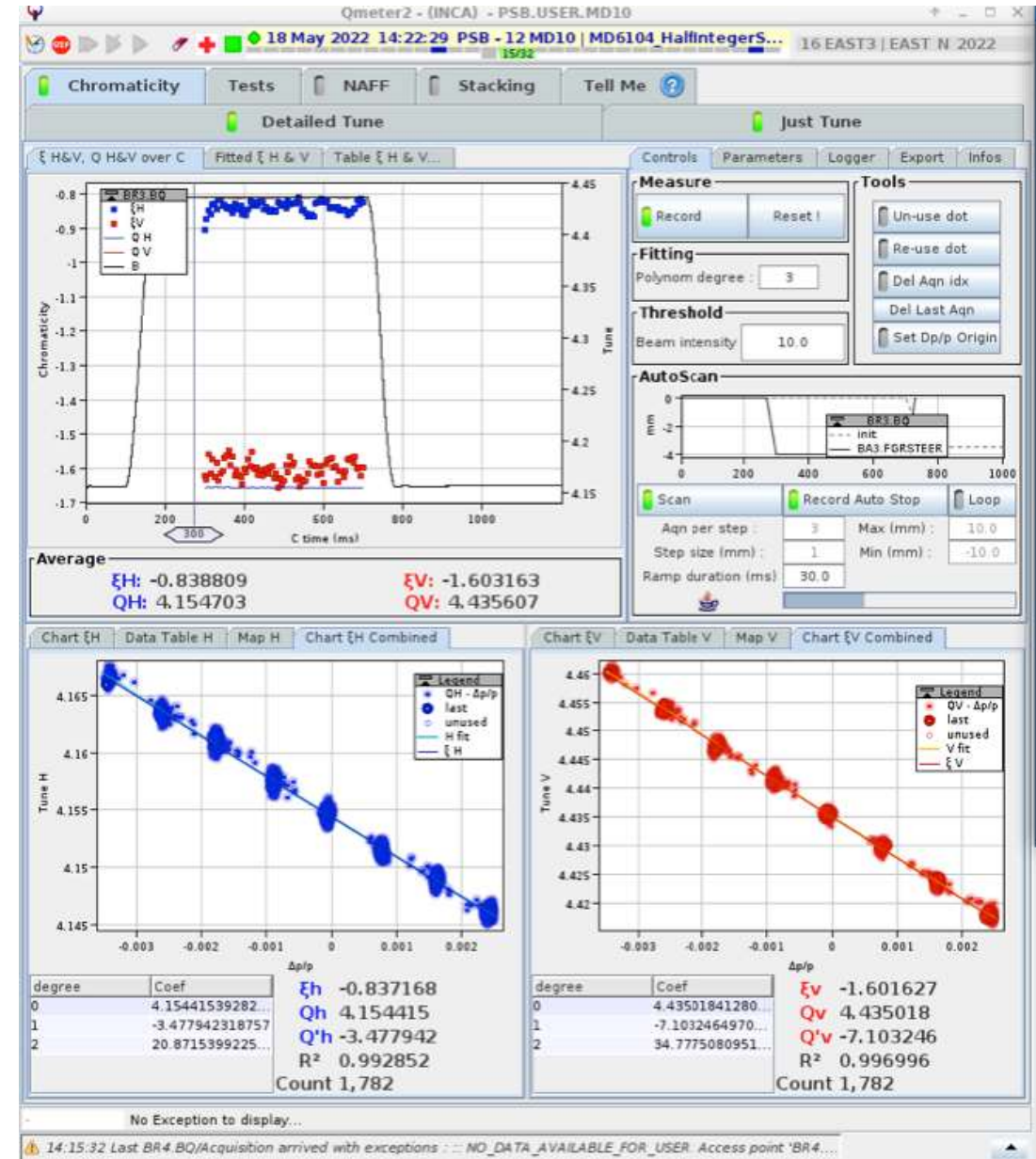
$$\xi = \frac{\delta Q}{(\delta p/p)} \text{ or } Q' = \frac{(\delta Q/Q)}{(\delta p/p)}$$

Chromaticity is measured by measuring the tune shift for different radial steerings.

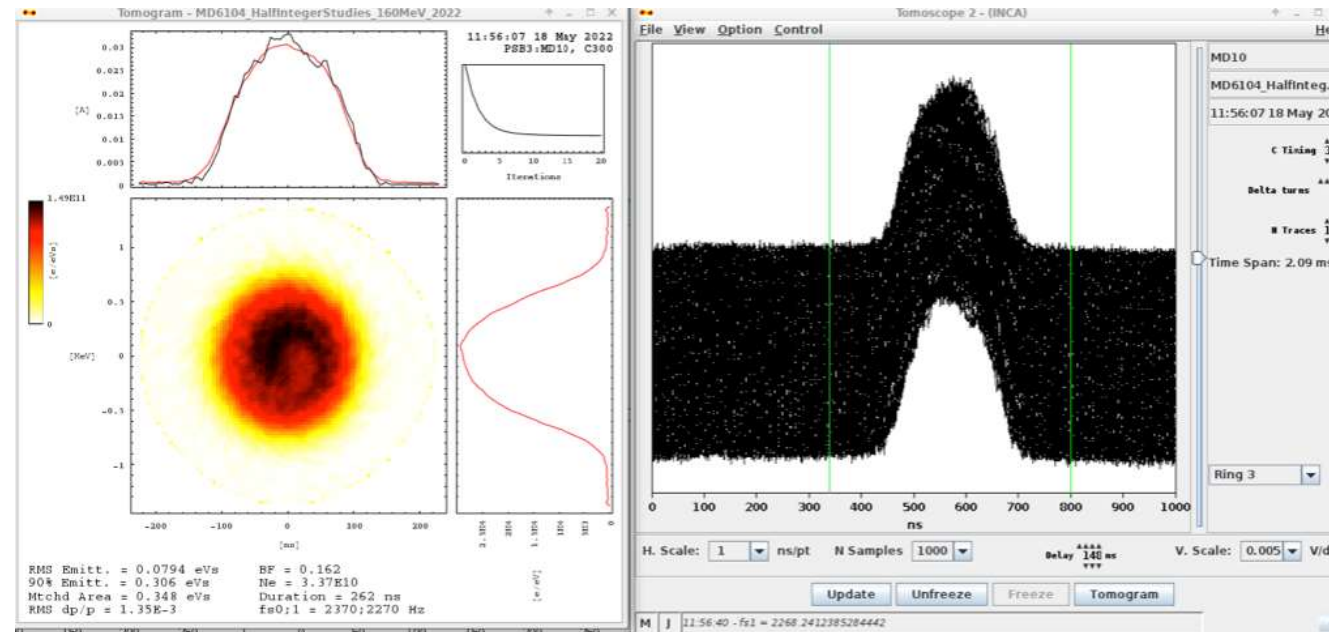
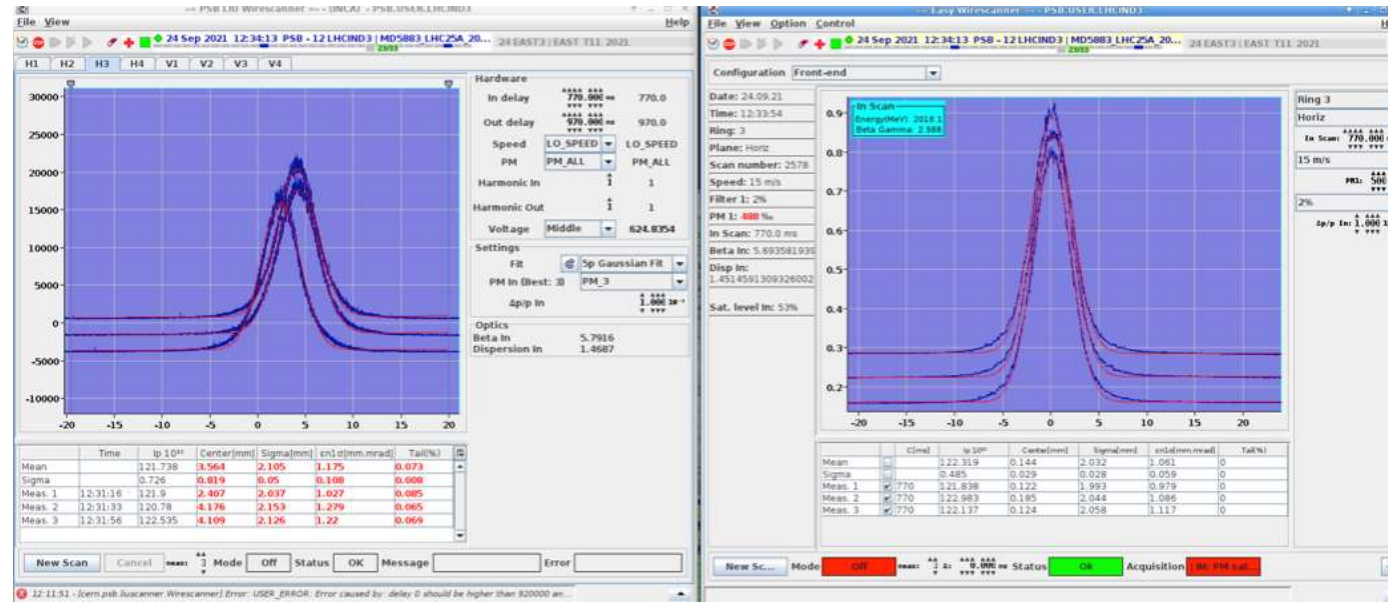
$$\frac{\delta p}{p} = \frac{1}{\eta} \frac{\delta f_{rev}}{f_{rev}}, \text{ where } \eta \text{ the phase slippage factor}$$

and  $f_{RF} = hf_{rev}$

Chromaticity is very close to the model. MAD-X can be used to find the sextupole strength to compensate it.



# Transverse and longitudinal profiles



# Emittance and Brightness

In the PSB we have non-zero dispersion: coupling between transverse and longitudinal motion →  
**growth of the horizontal phase space that the beam occupies**

$$\begin{aligned}\langle x \rangle_{measured} &= \langle x \rangle_{betatronic} * \langle x \rangle_{dispersive} \\ \langle x \rangle_{measured} &= \langle \epsilon_x \beta_x \rangle * \langle D_x \delta p/p \rangle\end{aligned}$$

If all three  
Gaussian



$$\sigma_{measured} = \sqrt{\epsilon_x \beta_x + \left( D_x \frac{\delta p}{p} \right)^2}$$

Emittance → Normalized emittance  
 $\epsilon_n = \epsilon_x \beta_{rel} \gamma_{rel}$



If at least one  
non-Gaussian

Deconvolution not trivial; need iterative  
algorithms

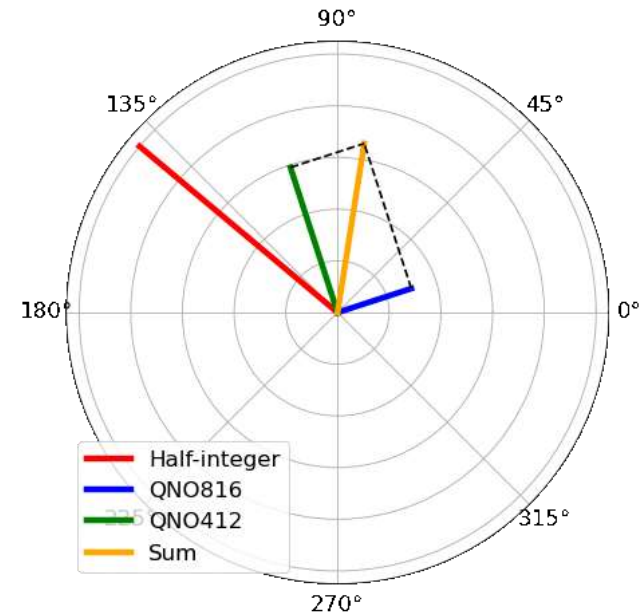
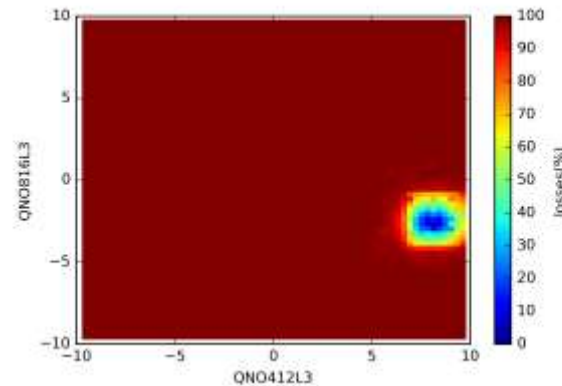
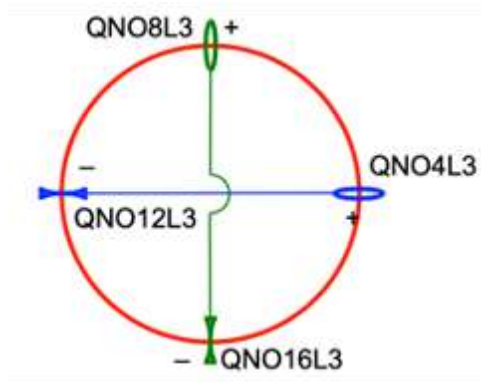
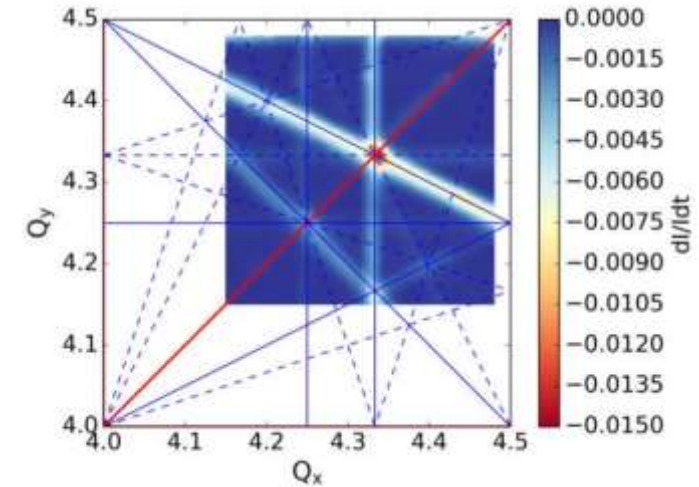
Brightness → Intensity/emittance

# Closed Orbit Measurement and Correction

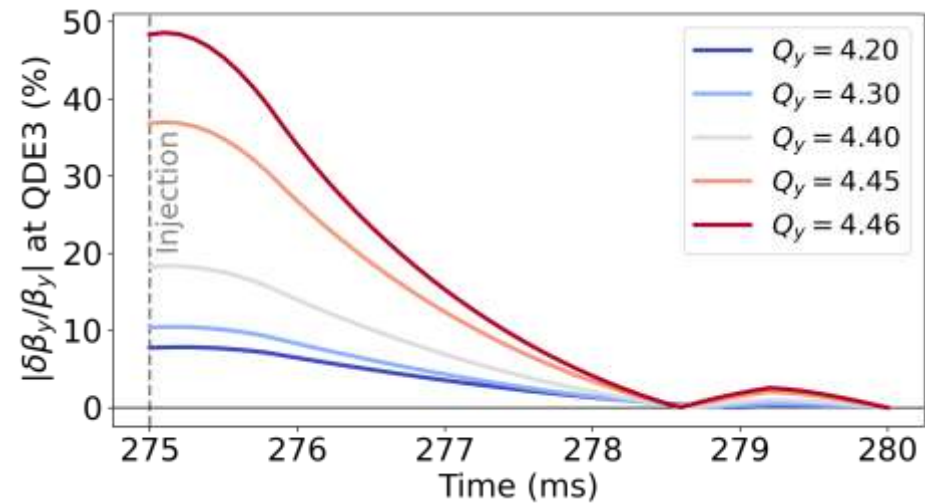
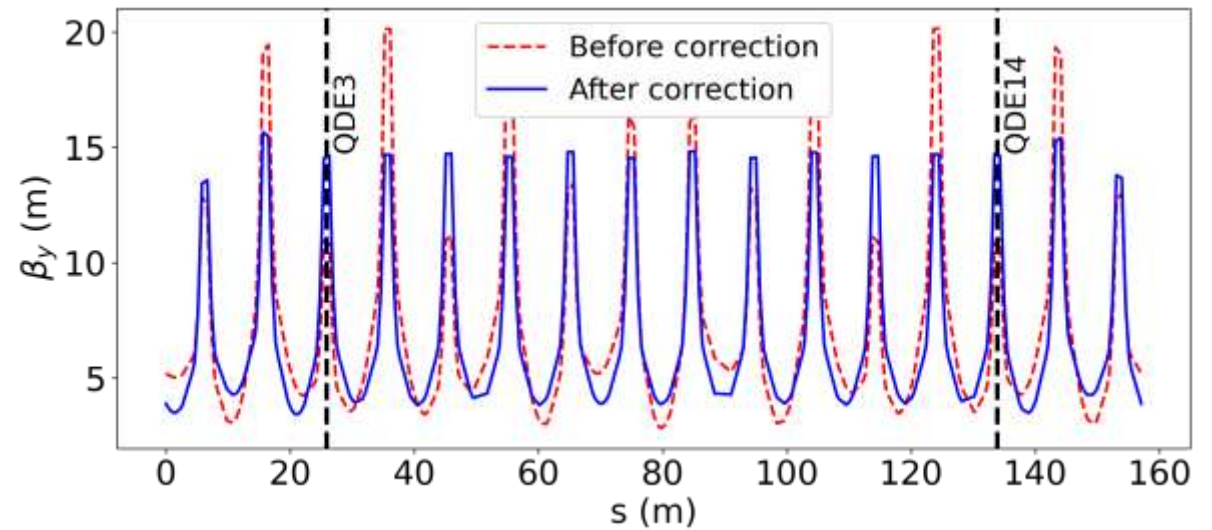
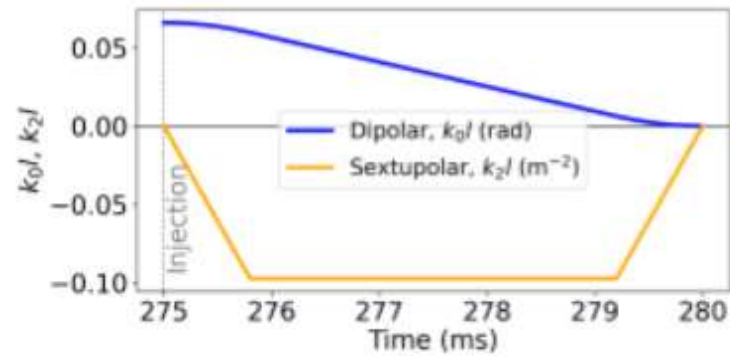


# Resonance crossing and compensation

- Third and fourth order resonances are dynamically crossed at different times during the acceleration cycle.
- Resonance compensation is applied using the available quadrupole, sextupole and octupole correctors, only when the resonance is crossed.
- One corrector can perturb the compensation of other resonances. Attempts have been made for a global resonance compensation.
- The compensation is done experimentally by finding a suitable magnet pair for the correction and changing the driving term that they create.



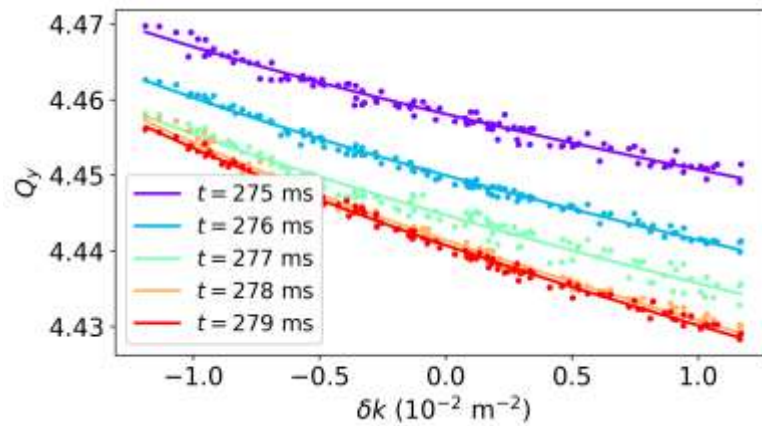
# Injection chicane beta-beating



# $\beta$ -beating measurements at injection

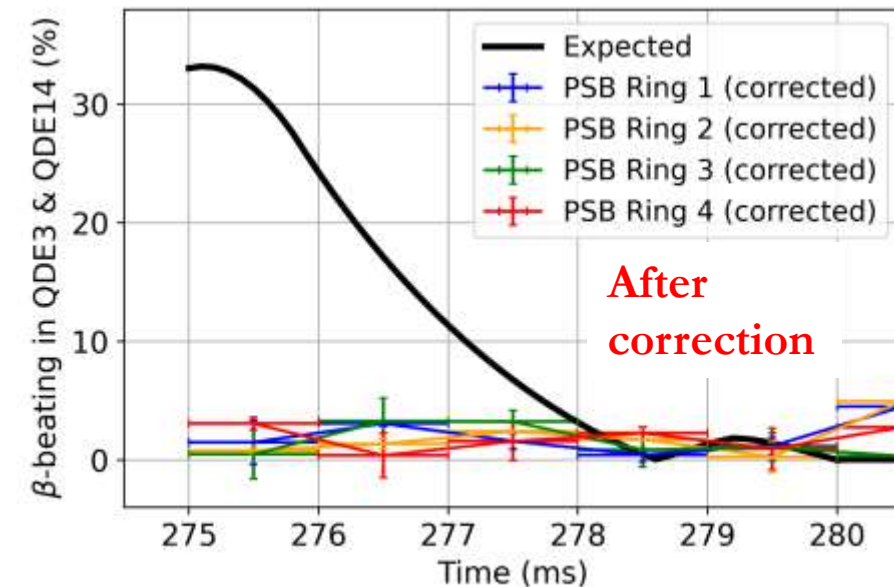
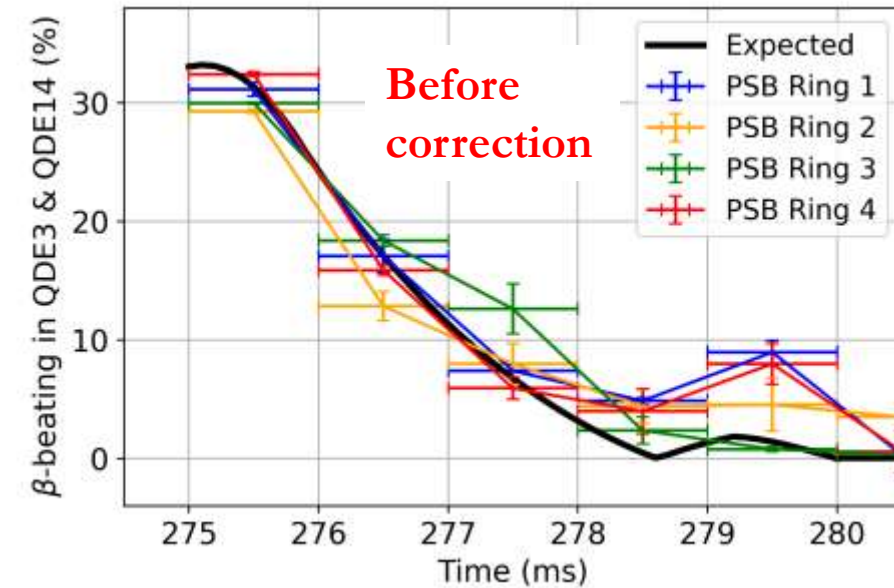
➤ MD5465 used during the 2020-2021 PSB beam commissioning for the:

- Measurement of the  **$\beta$ -beating** during the fall of the injection chicane using k-modulation (excellent agreement with expected perturbations).
- Calculation of the **dynamic correction** [1] which was applied to the machine.



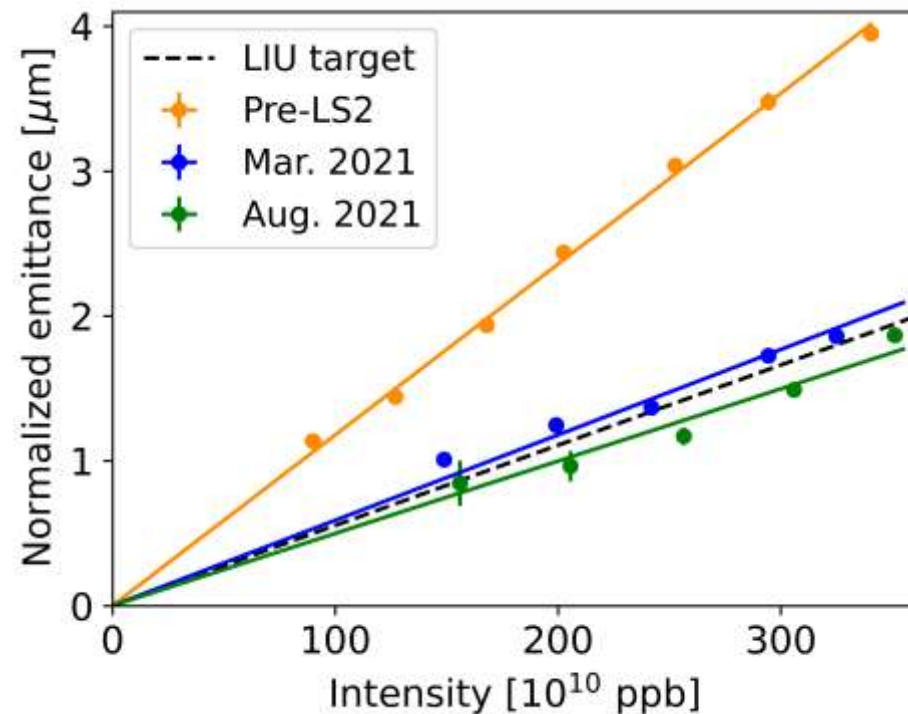
➤ Measurements acquired with a **k-modulation GUI** [2], available in the CCC (a user manual is currently being written).

- ✓ Measurement would not be possible without the **important contributions** of OP, RF, ABT, EPC (improved regulation of quadrupole circuits), ABP (resonance compensation and tune control), BI (BBQ application).



# Dynamic $\beta$ -beating correction and impact on brightness

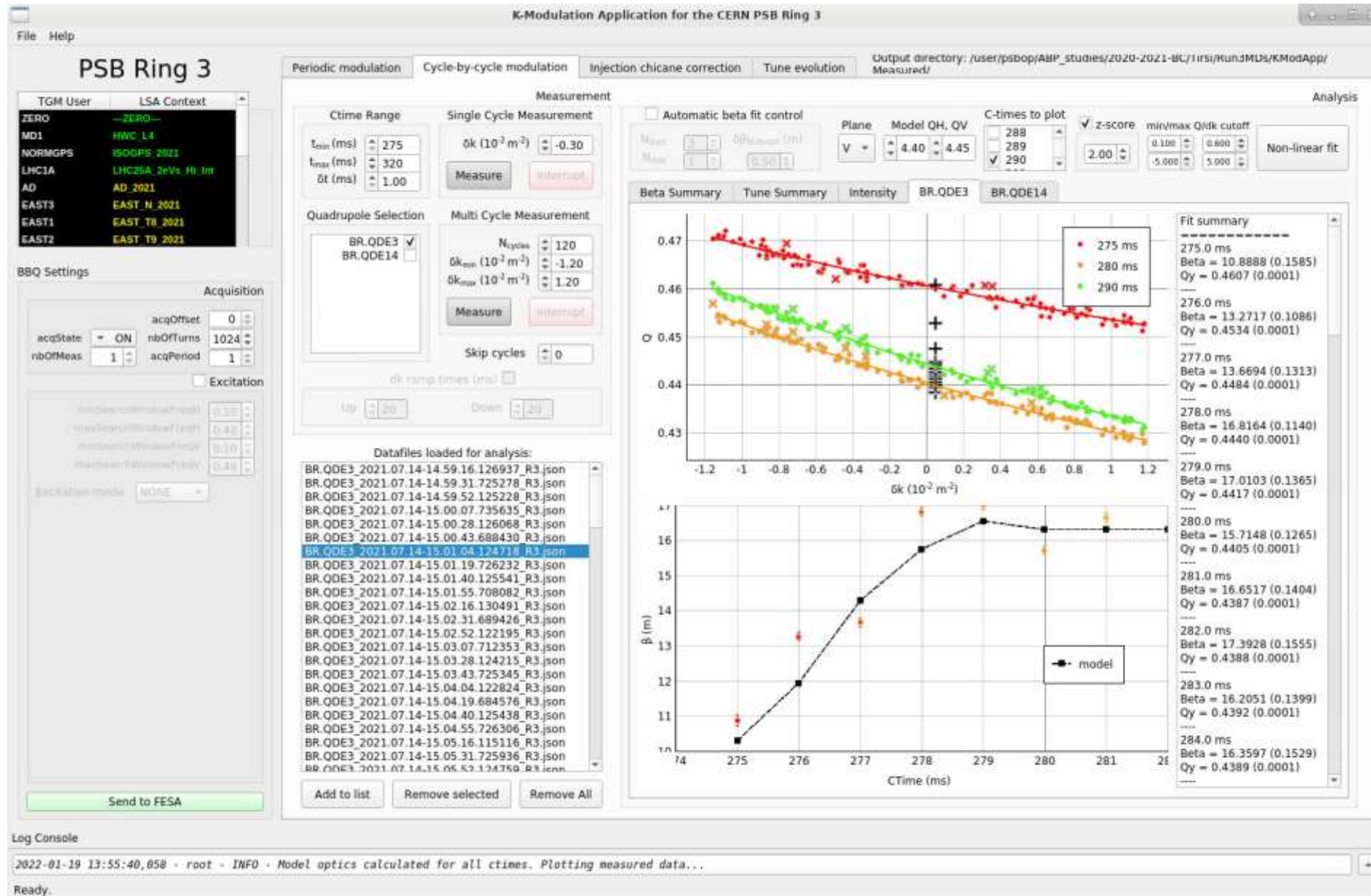
- MD results had a positive impact on the brightness performance:
  - Correction of the  $\beta$ -beating allowed the stable beam operation much closer to the half-integer resonance, which further mitigated the space charge effects at injection and **contributed to an increased brightness** [1].
  - **Brightness curve measurements** were performed after the optimization of the resonance compensation, the  $\beta$ -beating correction and tune evolution.



- Dynamic  $\beta$ -beating correction was **operational in 2021**. MD5465 to be used for **reviewing the correction functions** after the restart of the machine.



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# Instabilities

