

Particle Accelerator Physics

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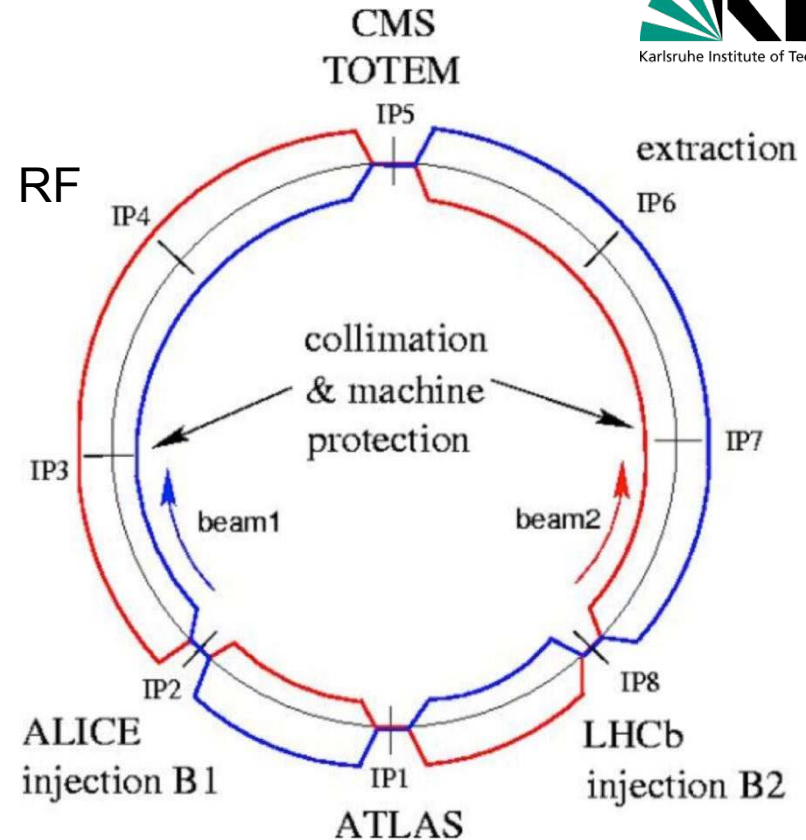
VIII - Current & future projects

- Concrete examples of current and future projects
 - LHC and HL-LHC
 - Linear colliders: CLIC & ILC
 - European XFEL
 - FCC
 - Muon Collider
 - (FFAGs)

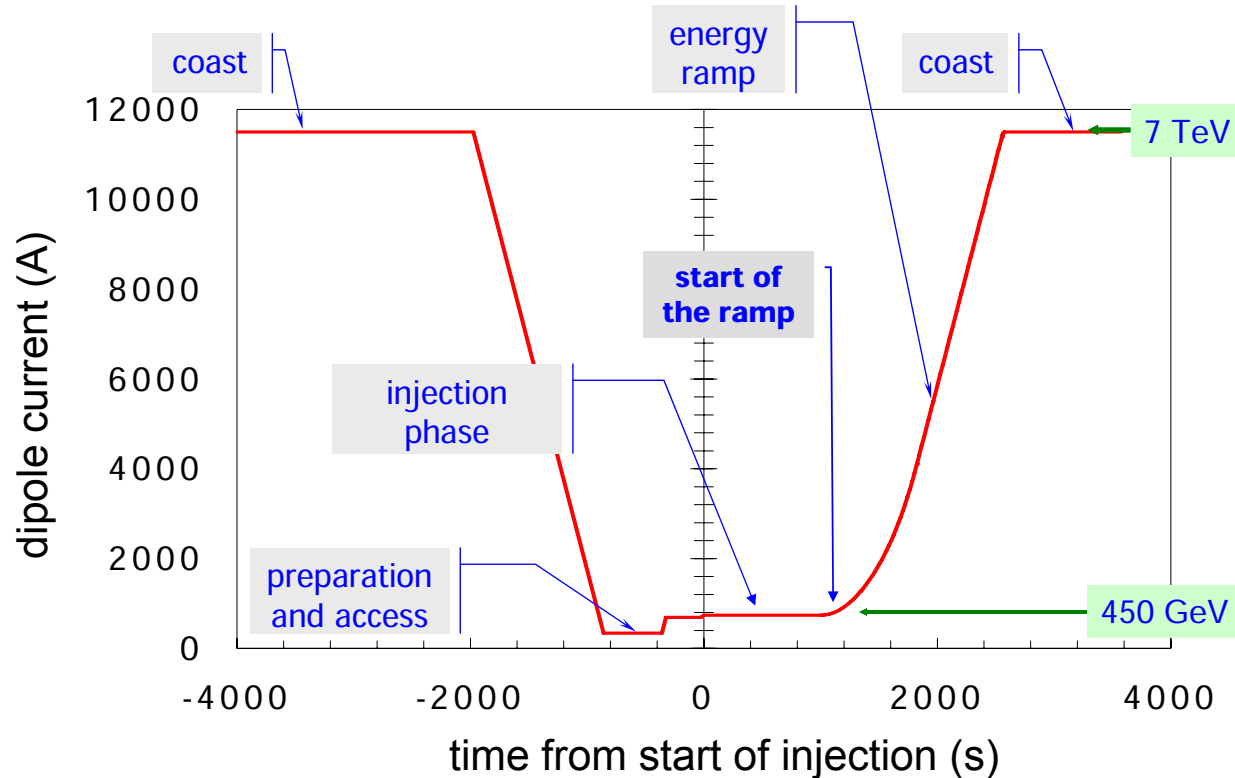
- New technologies
 - Plasma-based acceleration
 - Dielectric accelerators

The Large Hadron Collider

- Superconducting RF
- SC magnets (8.33 T at 1.9 K)
- FODO lattice
- 1232 15 m long dipoles
- “Two-in-one” magnets
- Field quality, resonances, ...
- Protons emitting synchrotron radiation
- Electron cloud effect
- 2808 bunches à 10^{11} protons
- Luminosity $\approx 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
- Beam energy: 0.45 - 7 TeV



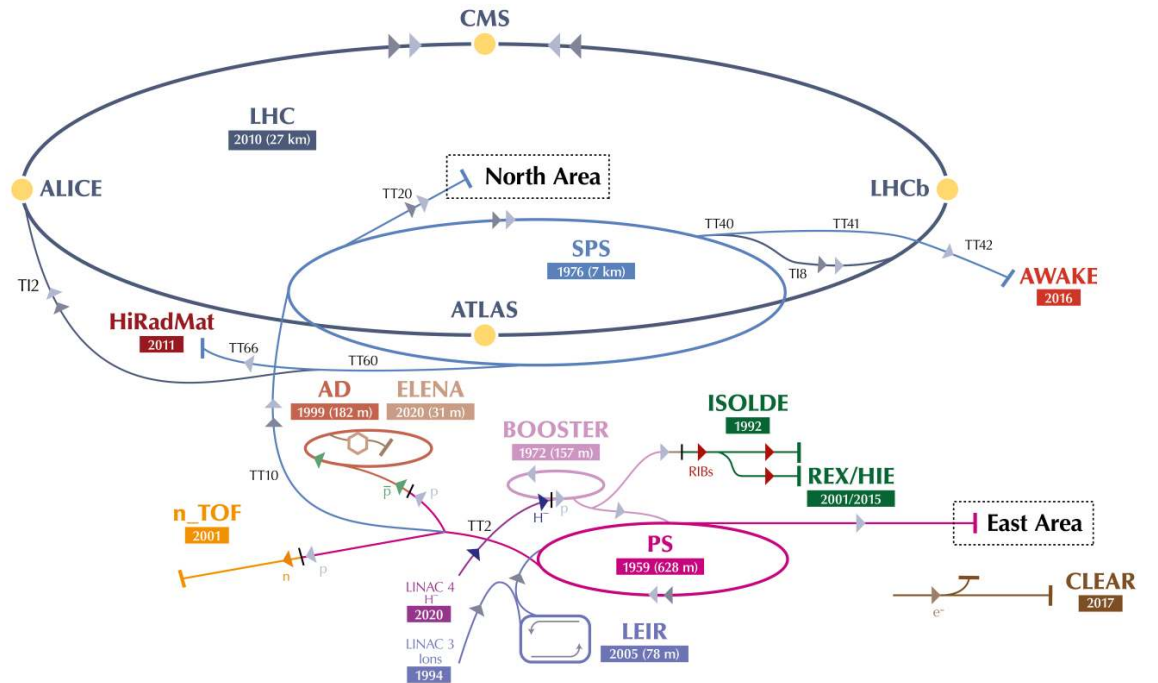
Standard operation



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The CERN accelerator complex

Complexe des accélérateurs du CERN



▶ H^- (hydrogen anions) ▶ p (protons) ▶ ions ▶ RIBs (Radioactive Ion Beams) ▶ n (neutrons) ▶ $\bar{p}$ (antiprotons) ▶ e^- (electrons)

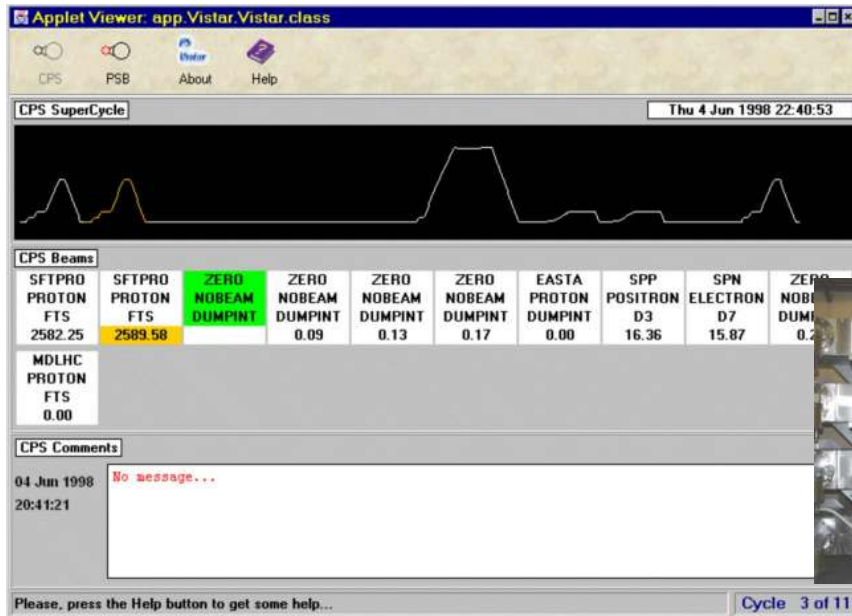
LHC - Large Hadron Collider // SPS - Super Proton Synchrotron // PS - Proton Synchrotron // AD - Antiproton Decelerator // CLEAR - CERN Linear Electron Accelerator for Research // AWAKE - Advanced WAKEfield Experiment // ISOLDE - Isotope Separator OnLine // REX/HIE - Radioactive Experiment/High Intensity and Energy ISOLDE // LEIR - Low Energy Ion Ring // LINAC - LINear ACcelerator // n_TOF - Neutrons Time Of Flight // HiRadMat - High-Radiation to Materials

Linac 4:	160 MeV
Booster:	1.4 GeV
PS:	25 GeV
SPS:	450 GeV
LHC:	7 TeV

Reference: CERN Document Server,
<https://cds.cern.ch/record/2813716>

Multi-cycling in the PS (“Proton Synchrotron”)

■ The CERN Proton Synchrotron is a so-called multi-cycling machine:

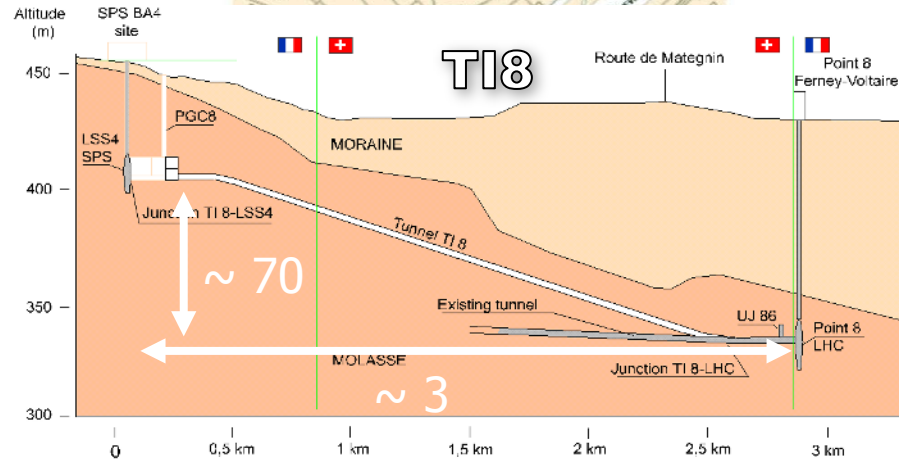


■ Different types of particles are accelerated one after the other in the same accelerator but with different cycles.



■ This poses particular challenges for, among other things, beam diagnostics and timing.

Beam transport: transfer line 8

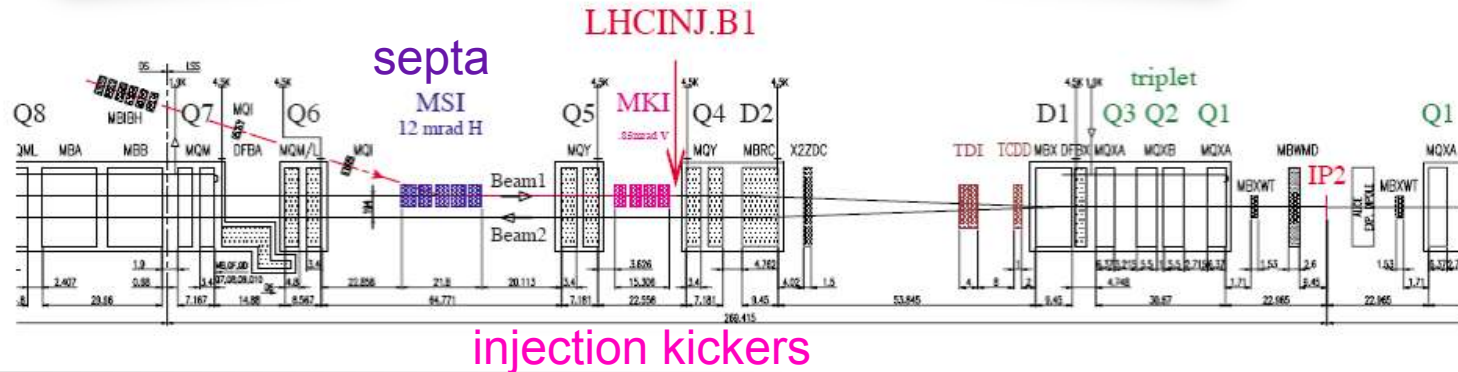




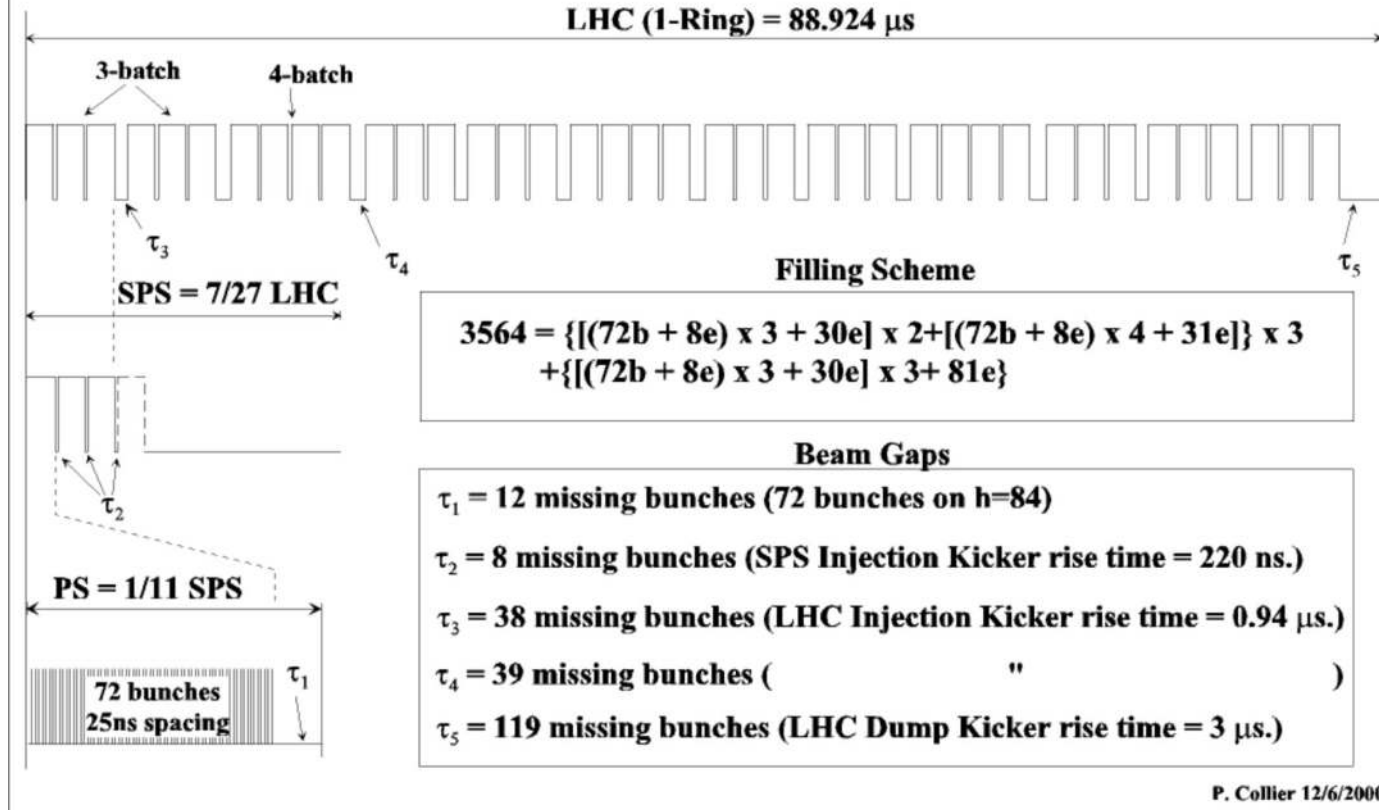
LHC

helium transport line

transfer line
(normal conducting)



Bunch Disposition in the LHC, SPS and PS

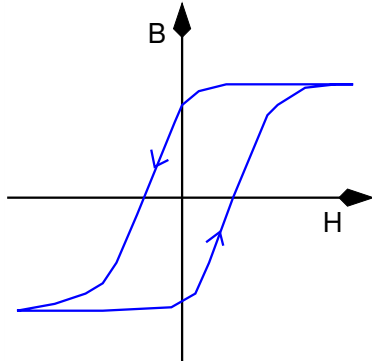


“filling pattern”

Why SC magnets?

- The highest possible beam energy requires a high integrated magnetic field: $E \propto \oint ds B(s)$
- With known dimensions of the tunnel and $p = 7 \text{ TeV}$ the required bending field can be estimated:

$$B[\text{T}] = \frac{1}{0.2998} \frac{p[\text{GeV}/c]}{\rho[\text{m}]} \quad (\rho \text{ is the bending field of the dipoles})$$
- Of the 27 km circumference only 22.2 km are arc sections, which corresponds to a bending radius of 3.5 km. However, only about 80 % of the arc sections are actually dipole magnets, so the bending radius is $\rho = 2.784 \text{ km} \rightarrow B \approx 8 \text{ T} \rightarrow$ superconducting magnets!



- Because of saturation, the field of Fe dominated magnets cannot reach fields beyond 2 T.
- The field is realized by a special cable winding that enables the required current distribution.
- Highest precision and stability of the coils are required to create an adequate magnetic field.

Field distribution

- Magnetic field outside and inside of the conductor:

$$r > a : \quad \vec{B} = \frac{\mu_0 I}{2 \pi r} \begin{pmatrix} -\sin \phi \\ \cos \phi \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

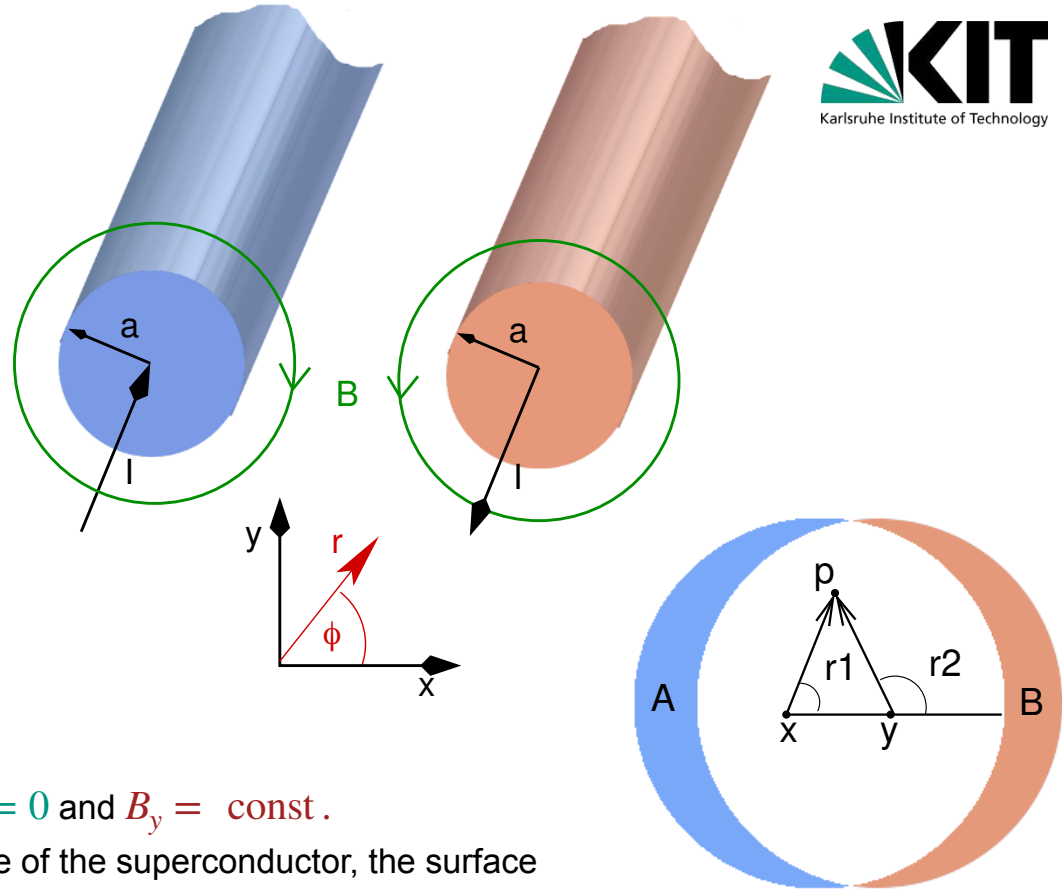
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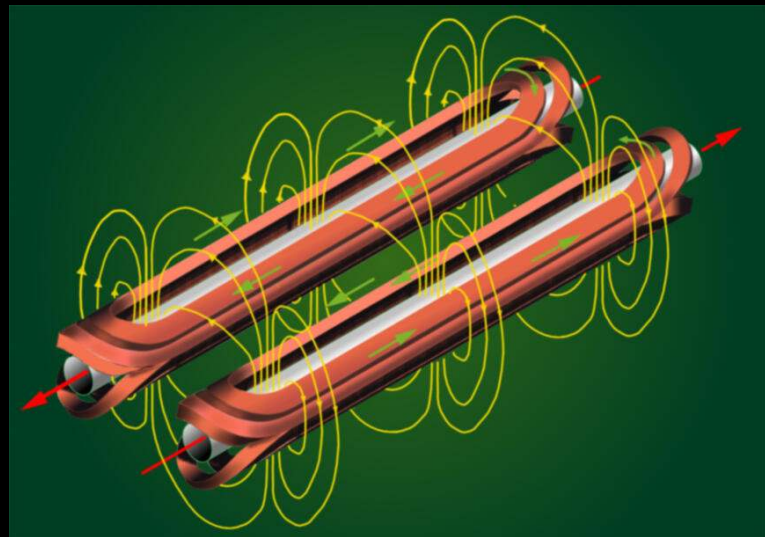
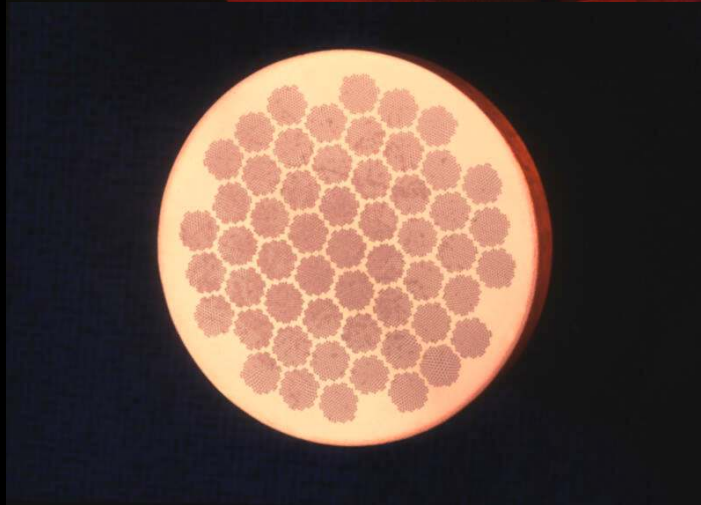
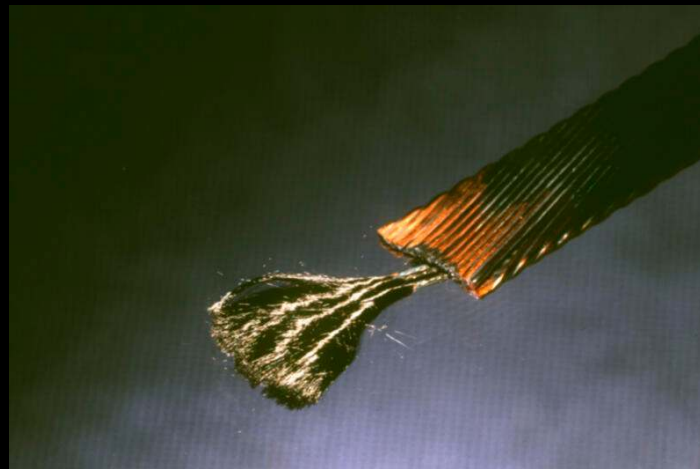
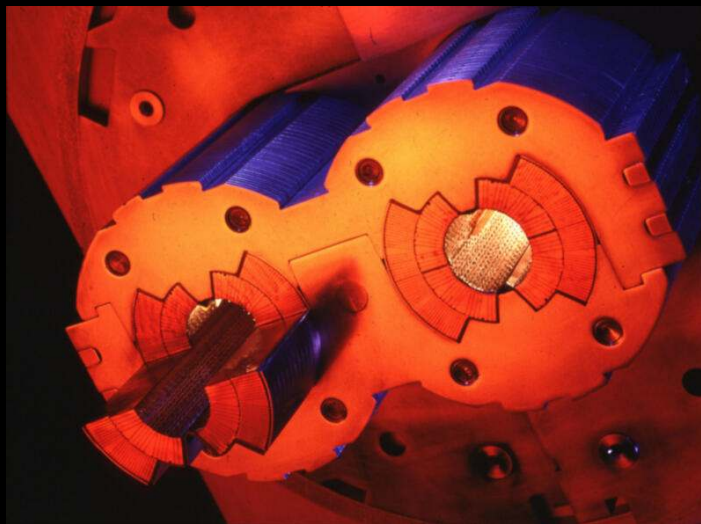
- Overlap of the cylinders provides

$$r_1 \sin \phi_1 - r_2 \sin \phi_2 = 0$$

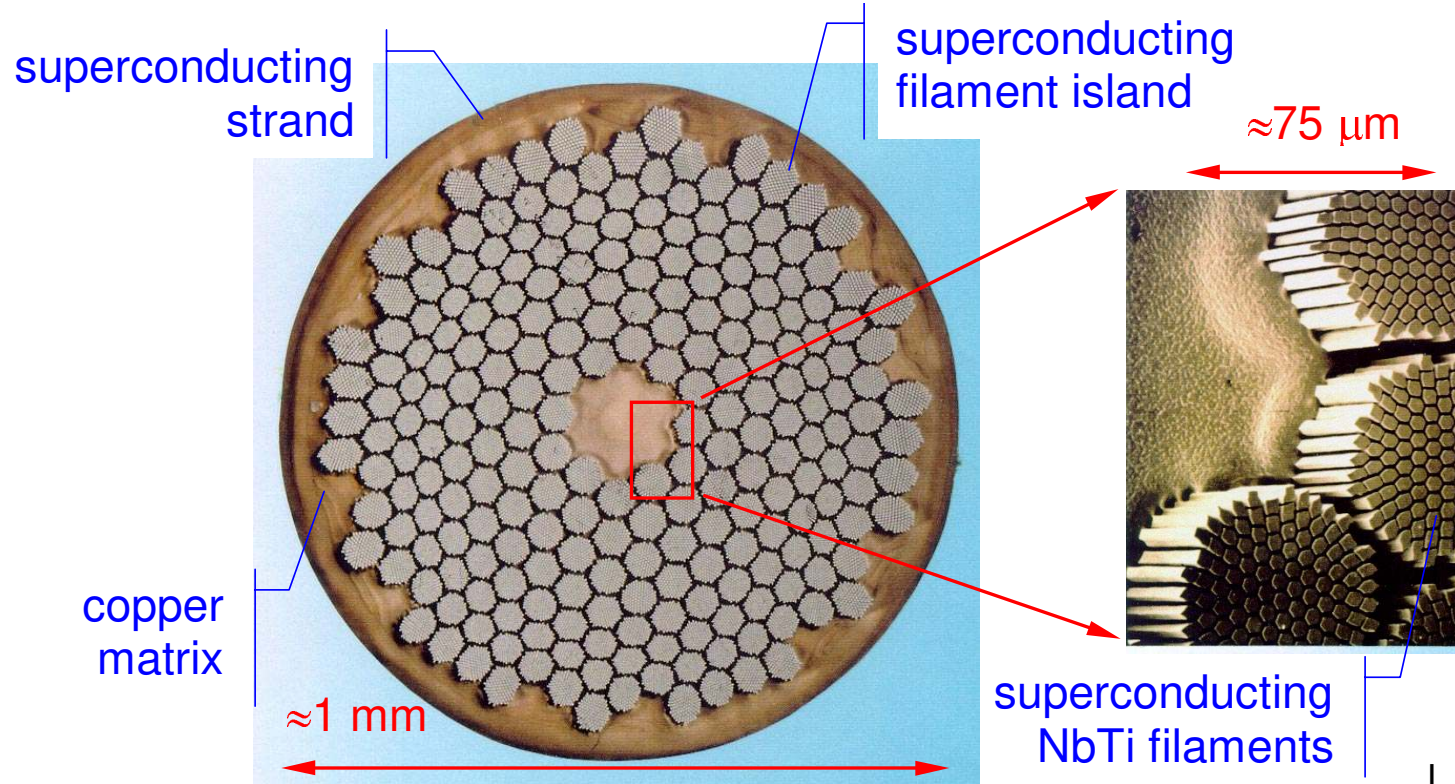
$$r_1 \cos \phi_1 - r_2 \cos \phi_2 = d$$

- Within the overlap area applies: $j = 0$, $B_x = 0$ and $B_y = \text{const.}$
- Since the current mainly flows on the surface of the superconductor, the surface must be maximised → Many superconductor filaments!



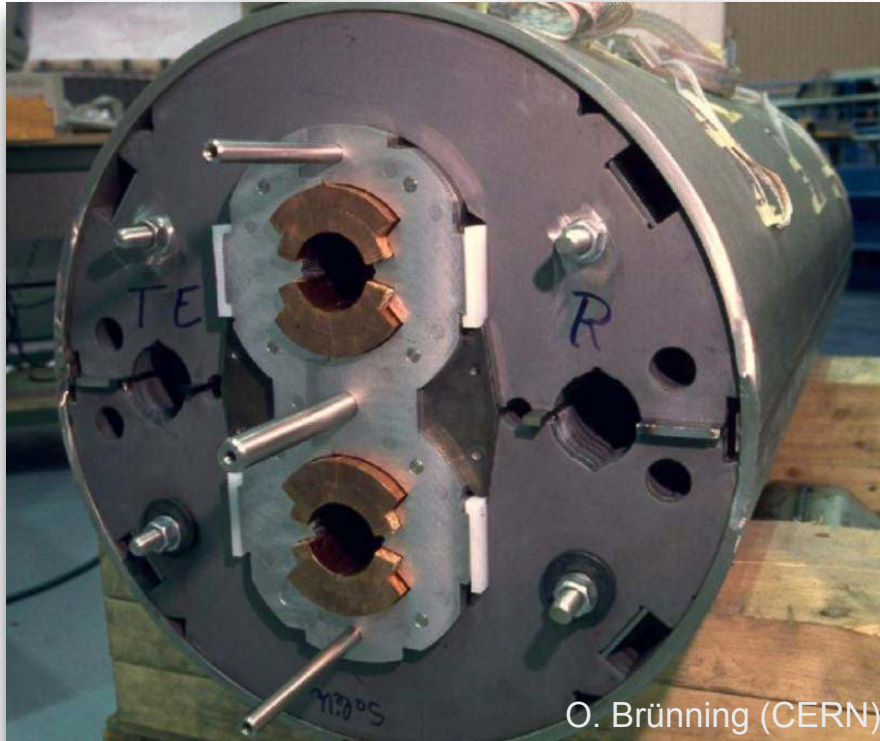


Superconductor filaments



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Mechanical stability



- With a field of $B = 8.4 \text{ T}$ and a current per winding of $I = 11 \text{ kA}$, a force of $F = 92400 \text{ N/m}$ acts on each of the 30 windings.
- This corresponds to 5 cars/m/winding.
- For all 30 inner windings the magnet must therefore withstand the equivalent of 150 cars/m without deforming.
- High demands on the mechanical stability of the design.

Field components and field errors

- The fields of the individual LHC dipoles are measured in a warm and partly in a cold state before installation.
- The magnetic field can be broken down into its components:

$$\vec{B} = B_y + iB_x = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (\mathcal{B}_n + i\mathcal{A}_n)z^{n-1}$$

with $z = x + iy$

- Coefficients:
 - $\mathcal{B}_n$: normal coefficient, $\mathcal{A}_n$: skew coefficient
 - $n = 1$ is a dipole field, $n = 2$ is a quadrupole field, etc.
- In the LHC, the dipoles are installed in such a way that their field errors compensate each other as far as possible.



CDS: CERN-AC-0904053-06

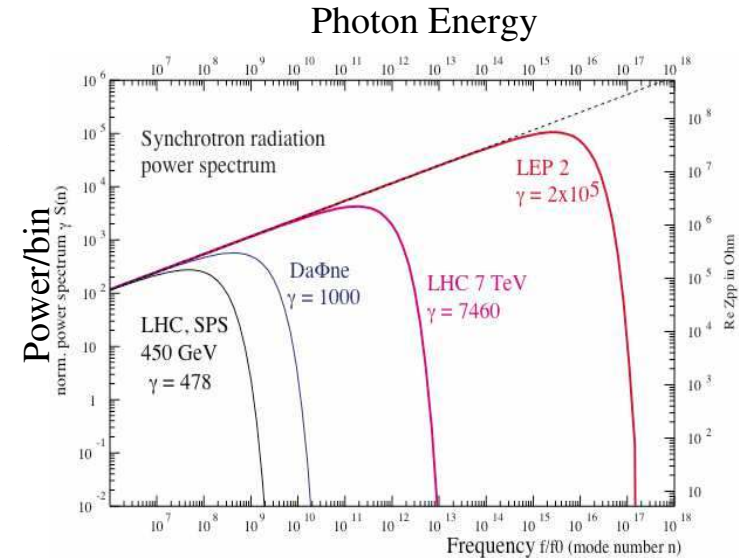
Synchrotron radiation

■ LEP

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- Critical energy: $E_c = 730 \text{ keV}$
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- Radiation power (at $I = 1 \text{ A}$): **7.2 kW**



$$E_c = \frac{3 \hbar c \gamma^3}{2 \rho}$$

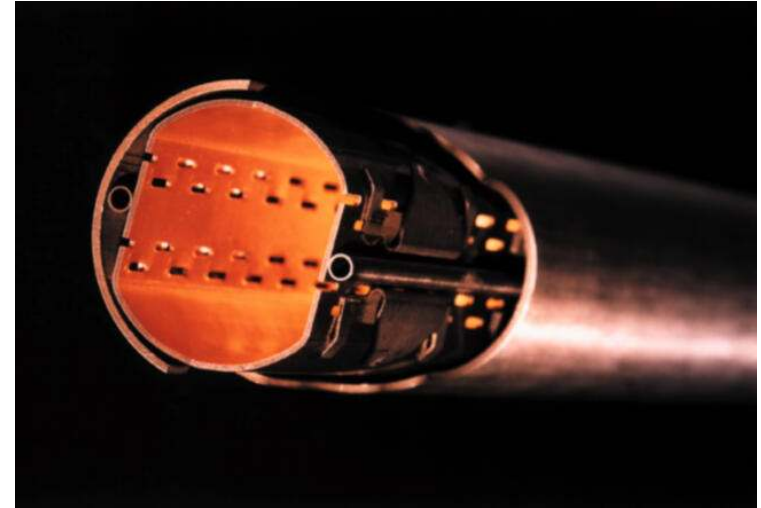
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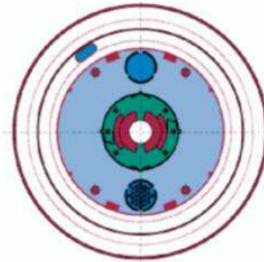


beam screen to protect
superconductor from SR

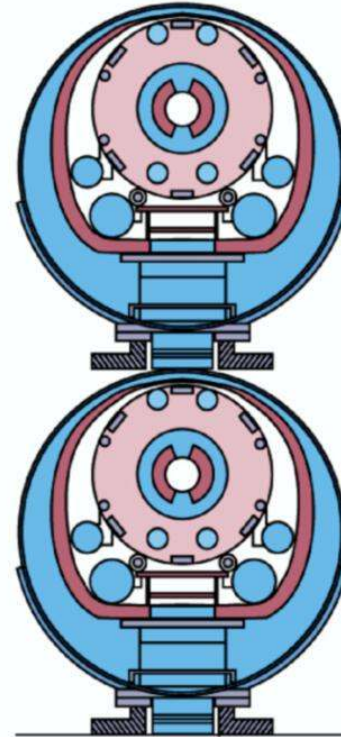
SC magnets in comparison



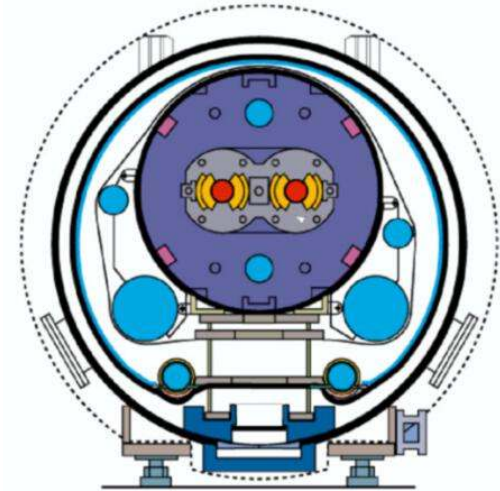
TEVATRON
 $B = 4 \text{ T}$
Bore : 76 mm



HERA
 $B = 4.5 - 6 \text{ T}$
BORE : 75 mm



SSC
 $B = 6.6 \text{ T}$
Bore : 50 mm



LHC
 $B = 8.65 \text{ T}$
Bore : 56 mm

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Cryomodule in the tunnel

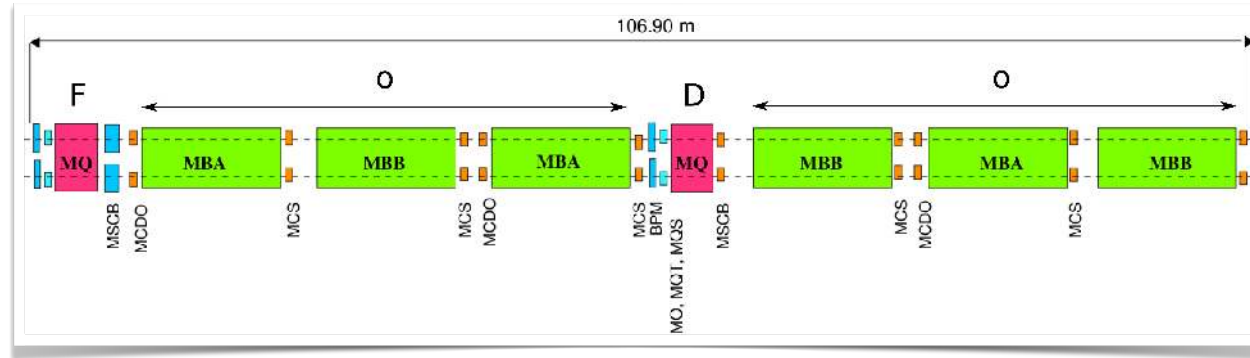


The LHC under construction





The LHC lattice



- For highest beam energies $\oint B ds$ must be maximized.
- Because of technical limitations of the magnetic field of the dipoles (quenches), the field must be distributed $\rightarrow$ large number of dipoles, high dipole filling factor
- Adequate lattice choice: FODO structure in the arc sections
- 23 FODO cells per arc (107 m length)
- Since the dipoles are very long (14.3 m), the magnets must be curved (about 2 cm sagitta)

The LHC beam

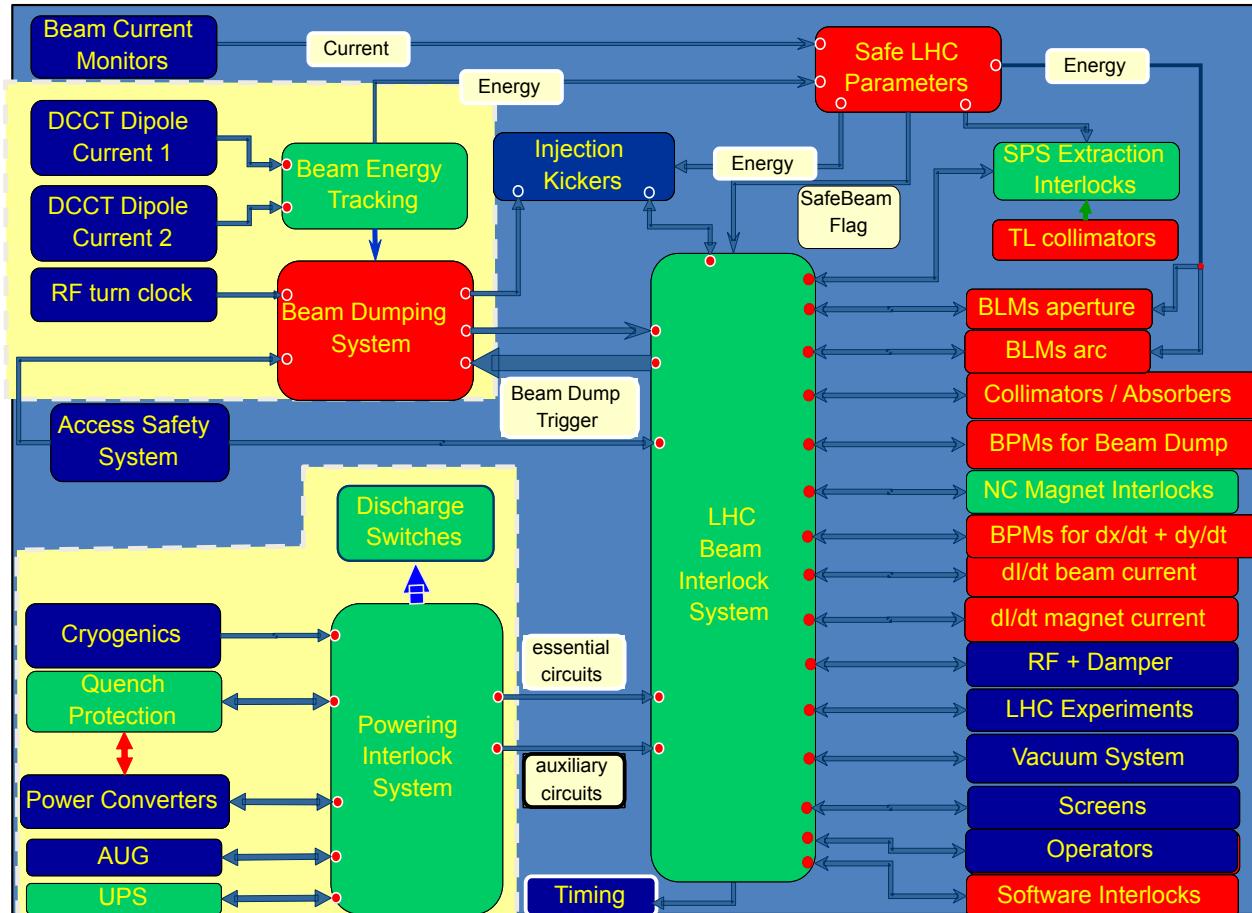
	LEP2	LHC
Momentum at flat-top (TeV/c)	0.1	7
Dipole field at flat-top (T)	0.11	8.44
Luminosity ($10^{32} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$)	1	100
Number of bunches	8	2808
Bunch population (10^{11})	4.2	1.15
Beam size (arc section)	1800/140 μm (h/v)	200-300 μm
Beam size (IP)	200/3 μm (h/v)	16 μm

single vs. double ring!

flat vs. round beam

- Energy in the magnet system: 10 GJ (Airbus A380 at 700 km/h)
- Energy per beam: 362 MJ (120 kg TNT or 20 kg Swiss cheese)
- In comparison: 0.7 MJ melt 1 kg copper
- Energy in the LEP2 beam: 0.03 MJ

⇒ **Active beam protection required (beamloss monitors, interlocks, & beam collimation)**

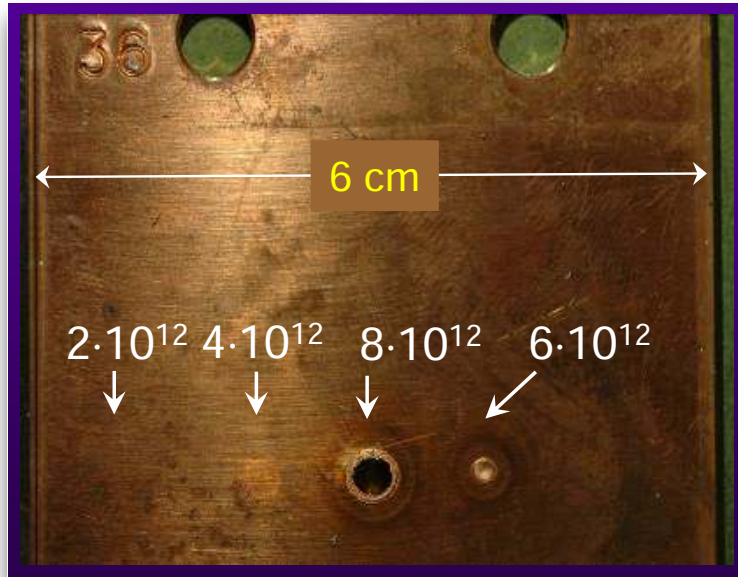


■ LHC machine protection & safety

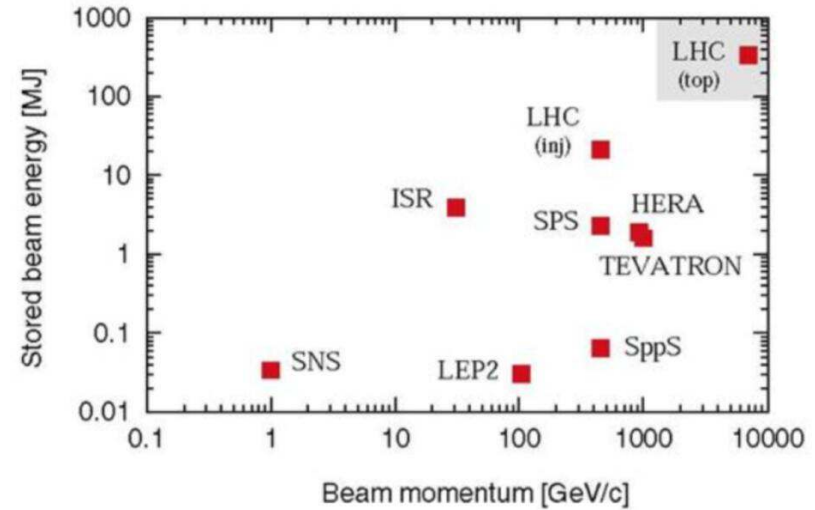
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Damages by the beam

- **LHC:** 100 times higher stored energy and smaller beams
→ 3 orders of magnitude higher energy density!



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- Controlled experiment with SPS beam:
 - Beam energy: $E_0 = 450$ GeV
 - Beam size: $\sigma_{x/y} = 1.1/0.6$ mm
 - Visible damages starting from 4×10^{12} protons
 - No problem for less than 2×10^{12} protons
- **Special beam dump required!**

Hydrodynamic tunneling experiment at HiRadMat

F. Burkart, PhD thesis



- 15 copper cylinders exposed to SPS beam
- $L=10$ cm, 4 cm radius

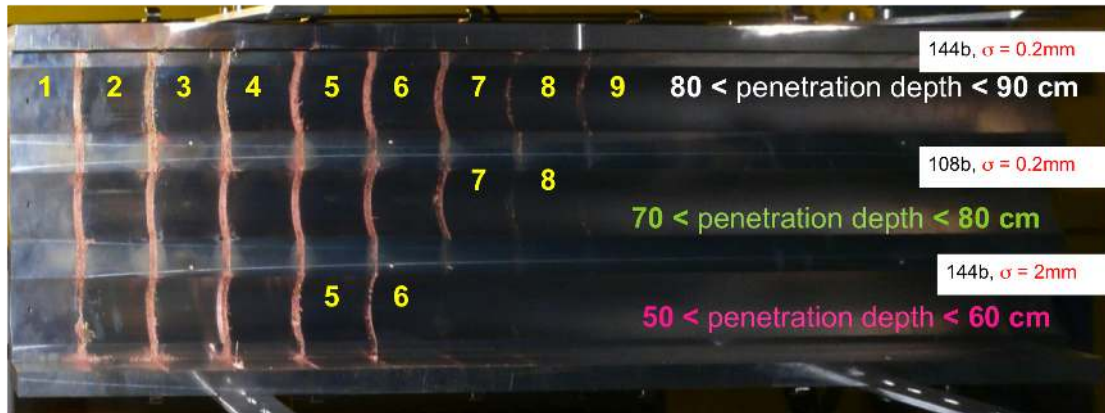
Experimental results I

- Beam energy: 440 GeV
- Bunch intensity: 1.5×10^{11} protons,
- Bunch length 0.5 ns, bunch separation 50 ns

target 3

target 2

target 1



top cover of the
experimental setup after
irradiation with traces of
melted copper

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Experimental results: target 3



front

back

Target 3: first cylinder



front

back

Target 3: second cylinder

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Hydrodynamic tunneling

- Heated material undergoes phase transition
 - liquefaction
 - evaporation
 - weakly ionised plasma
- High temperature creates high pressures
 - launches radially outgoing shock wave
 - substantial density depletion along axis
- Subsequent bunches penetrate much deeper into the target.



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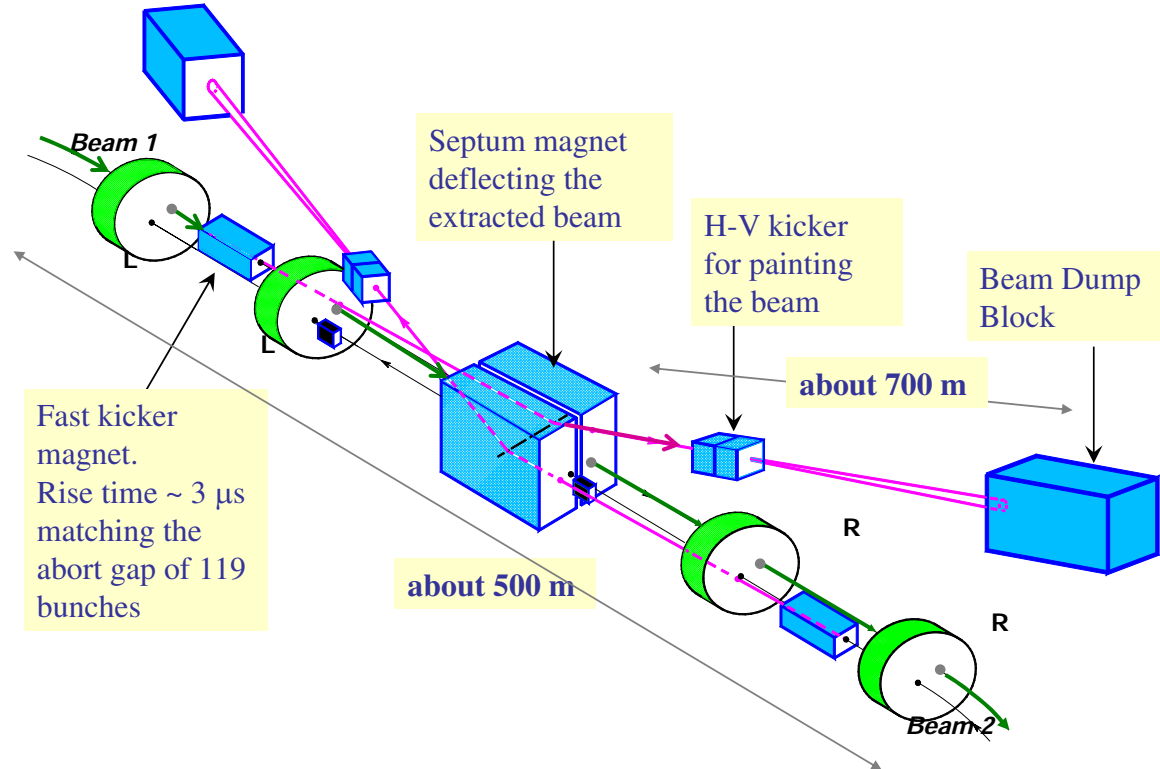
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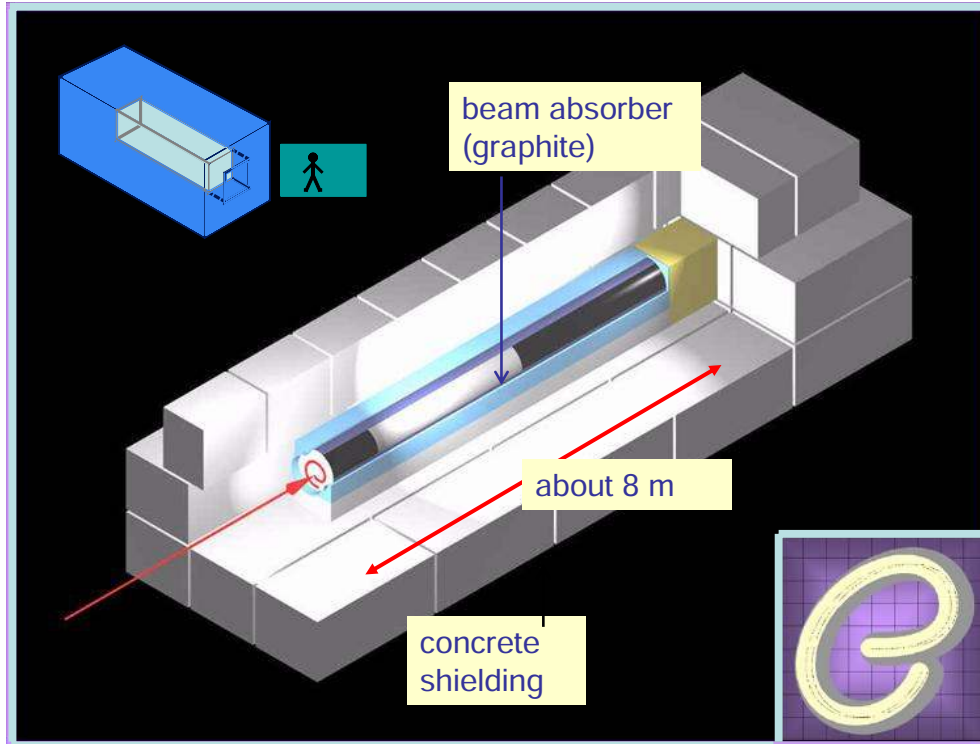


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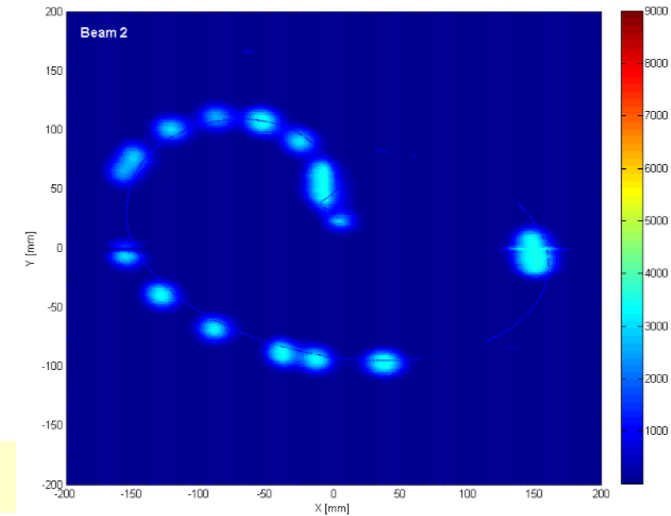
The LHC beam dump



The beam dump block



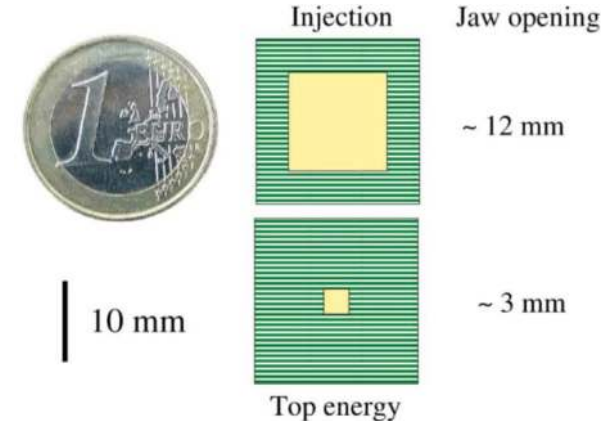
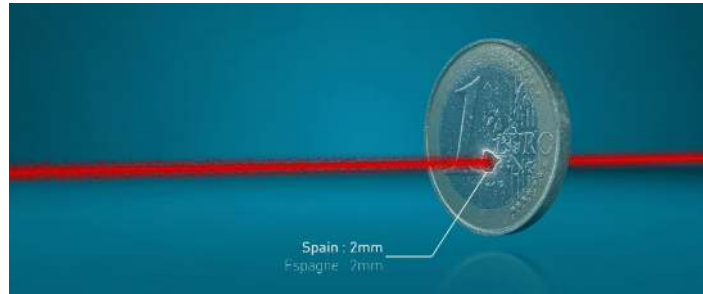
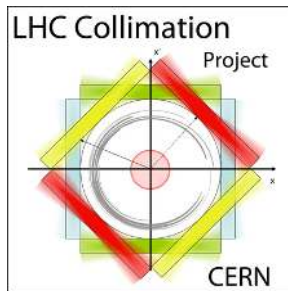
Test dump of 16 bunches



in $< 90 \mu\text{s}!!!$

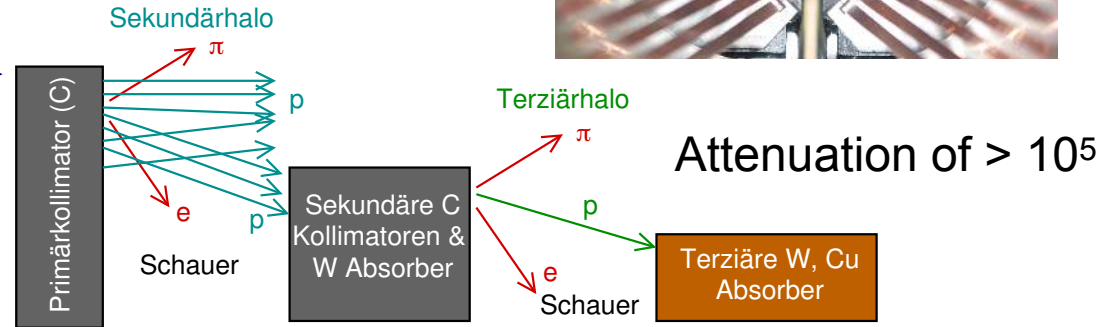
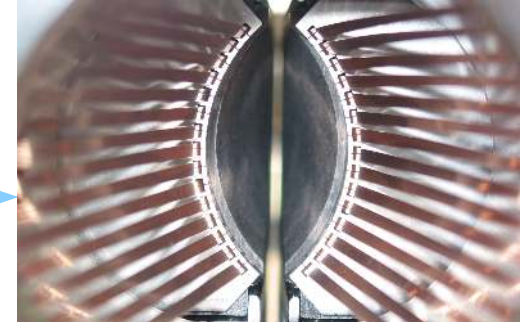
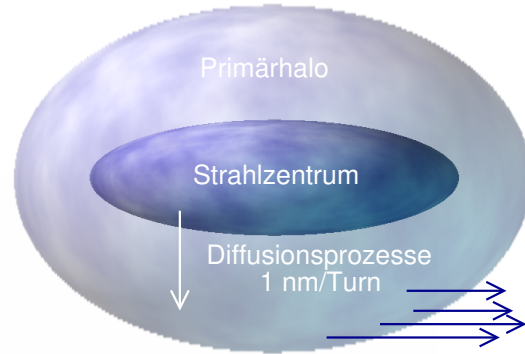
Beam loss in superconducting environment

- During a sudden beam loss 2 MJ/mm are being deposited in the magnet within 200 ns.
→ quench of the superconducting magnet!
- This energy corresponds to 0.5 kg TNT.
- An LHC dipole quenches at 8.5 W/m.
- Maximum beam loss: at 7 TeV: 1% in 10 s corresponding to 500 kW
- A sophisticated system of multi-stage collimators prevents energy deposition and thus quenching.





Collimation



- 122 collimators of 8 types in total
- Problem: C is radiation hard, but has a high impedance!

LHC Injectors Upgrade

Parameter	LHC	HL-LHC
Beam energy in collision [TeV]	7	7
Particles per bunch, N [10^{11}]	1.15	2.2
Number of bunches per beam, n_b	2808	2748
Number of collisions (IP1, IP5)	2808	2736
Crossing angle (IP1, IP5) [μrad]	285	590
Minimum β^* [m]	0.55	0.15
Normalized emittance ϵ_n [μm]	3.75	2.50
RMS energy spread [10^{-4}]	1.13	1.13 ¹
RMS bunch length [cm]	7.55	7.55 ²
Piwinski parameter, ϕ	0.65	3.14
Total loss factor without CC, R_0	0.836	0.305
Total loss factor with CC, R_1	–	0.829
Pile up without CCs and leveling ³	27	198
Pile up with CCs and leveling	–	138
Peak luminosity without CCs [$10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$]	1.00	7.18
Virtual luminosity with CCs [$10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$] ⁴	–	19.54
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Remember: ϵ defined by quality of injectors



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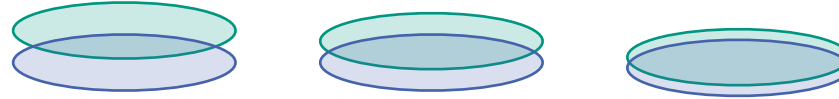
Collision event with 7 vertices



Collision event with 25 vertices

Luminosity levelling

■ Bunch overlap



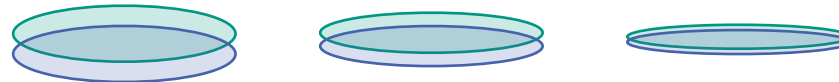
■ β^* squeeze



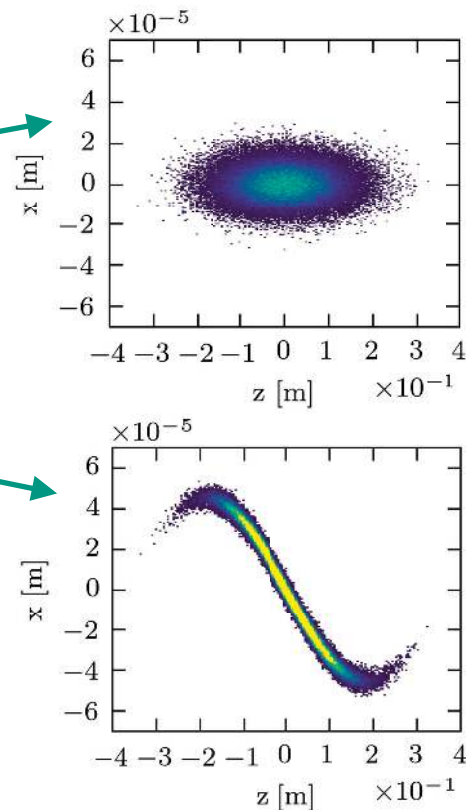
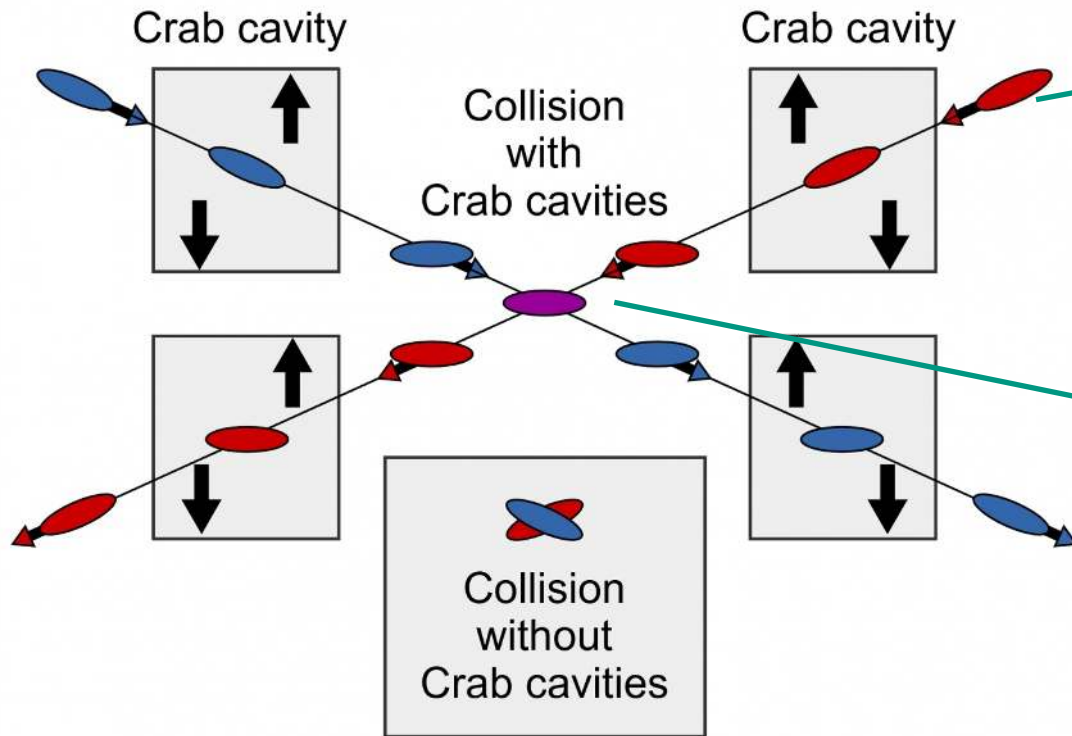
■ Crab cavities



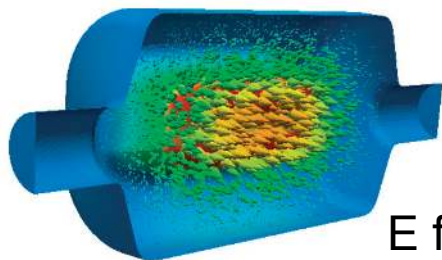
■ Combinations



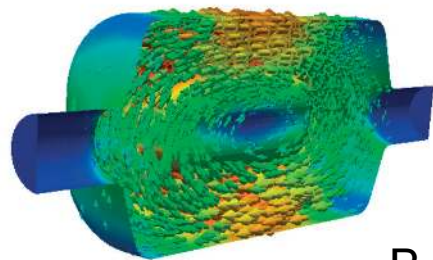
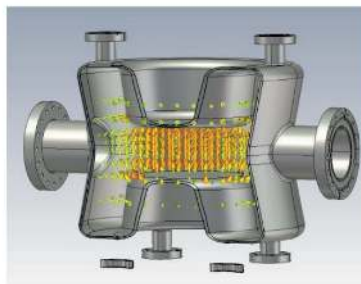
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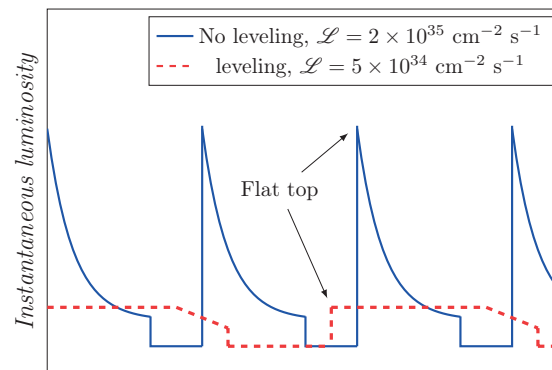
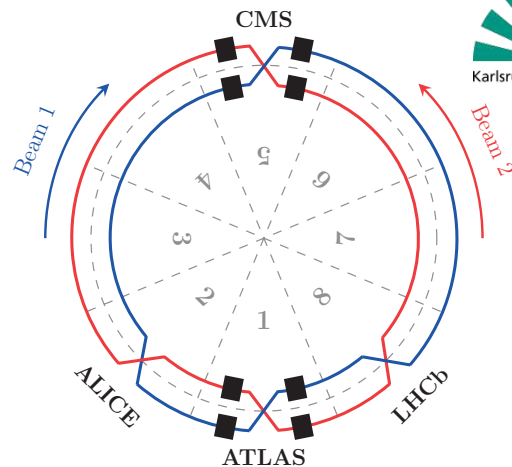
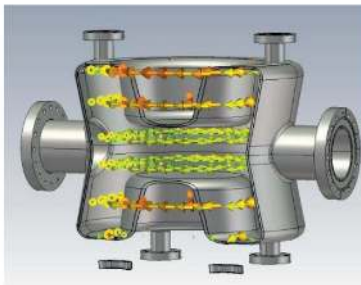
Crab cavities II



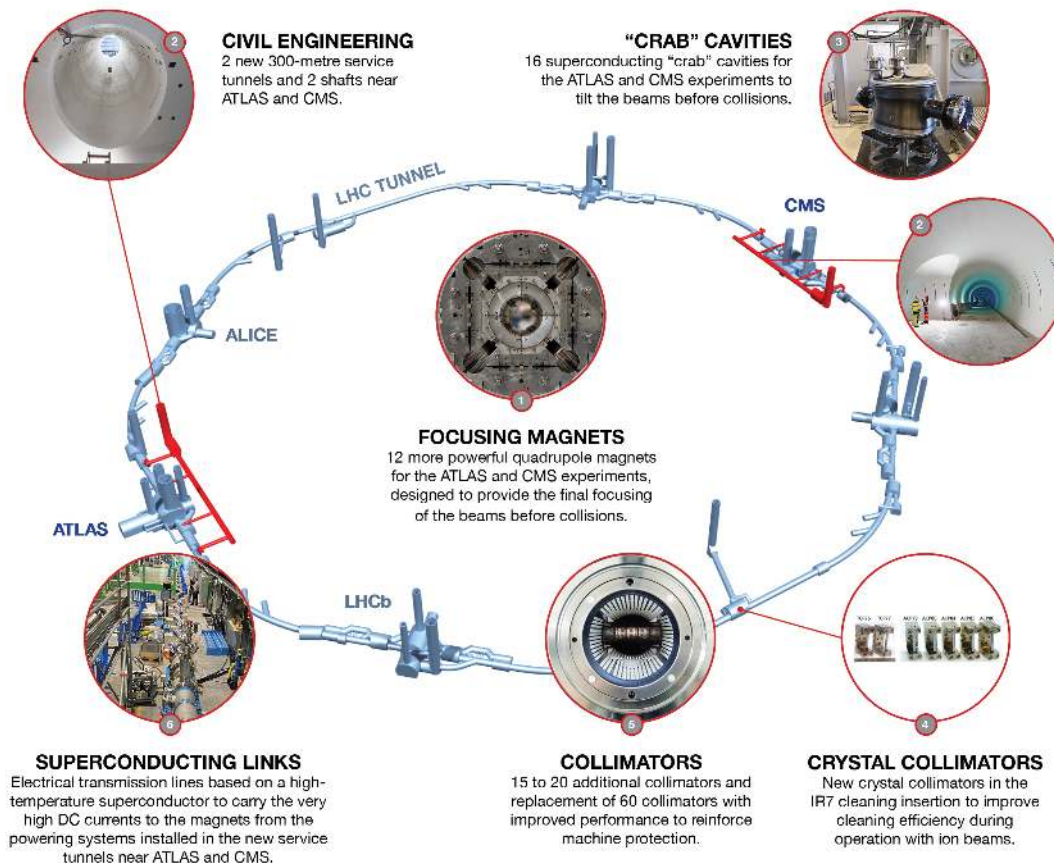
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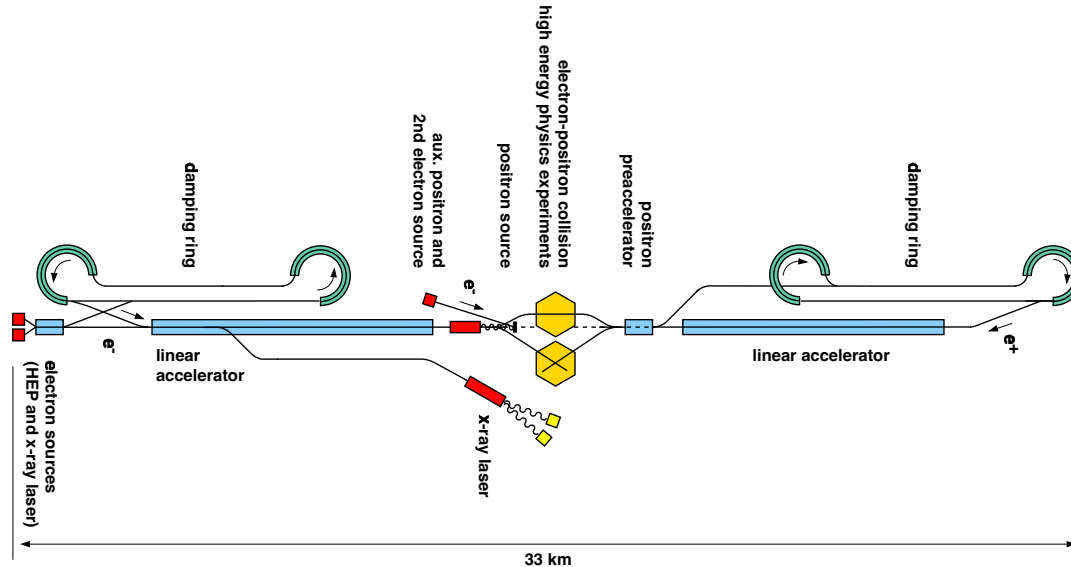
B field



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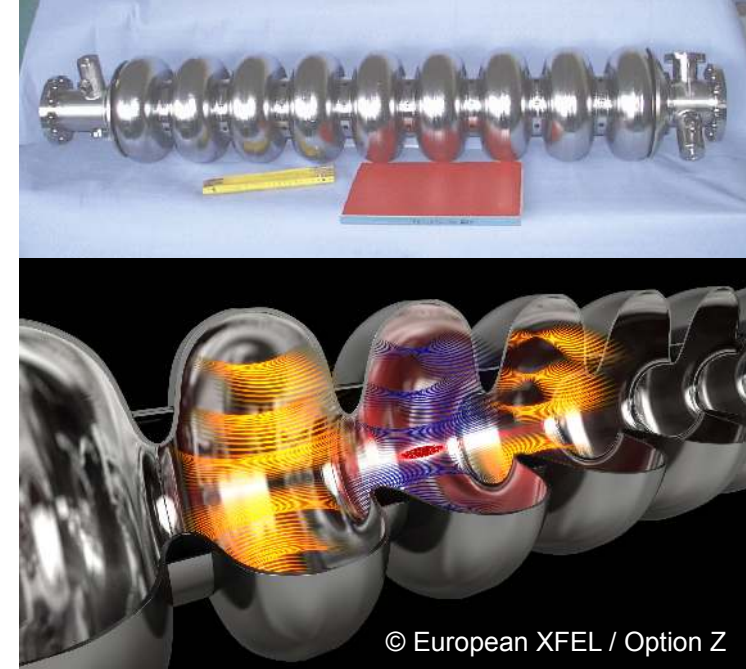


TESLA, X-FEL and ILC



- “1 TeV energy superconducting linear accelerator”
- 500 GeV beam energy

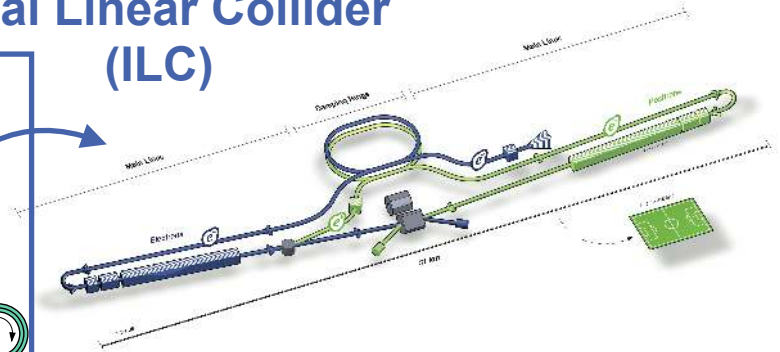
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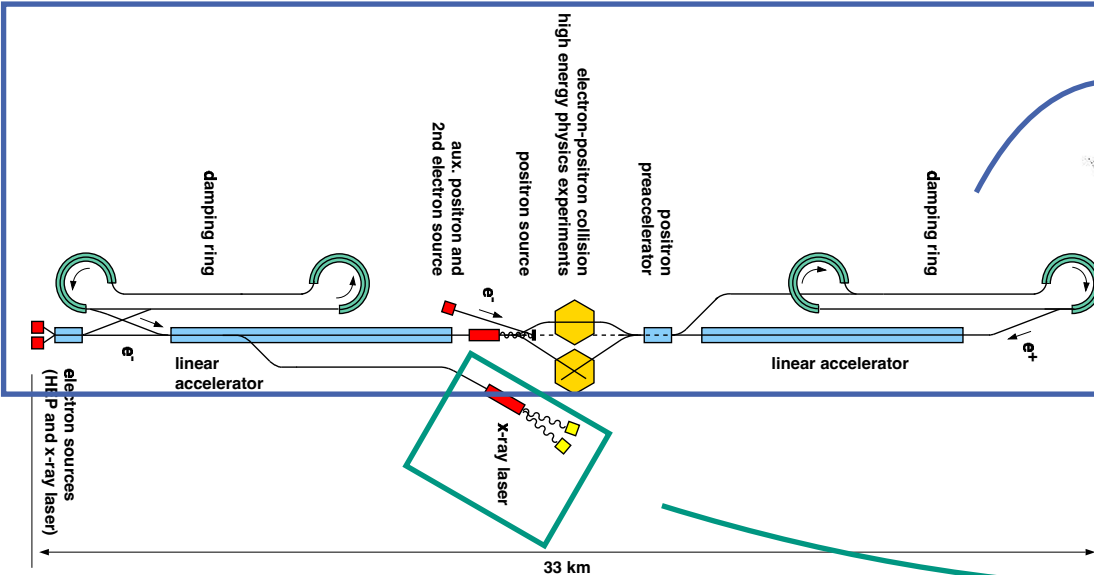
Superconducting Nb cavities:
9 cells, 1.3 GHz, 23.4 MV/m

TESLA, X-FEL and ILC

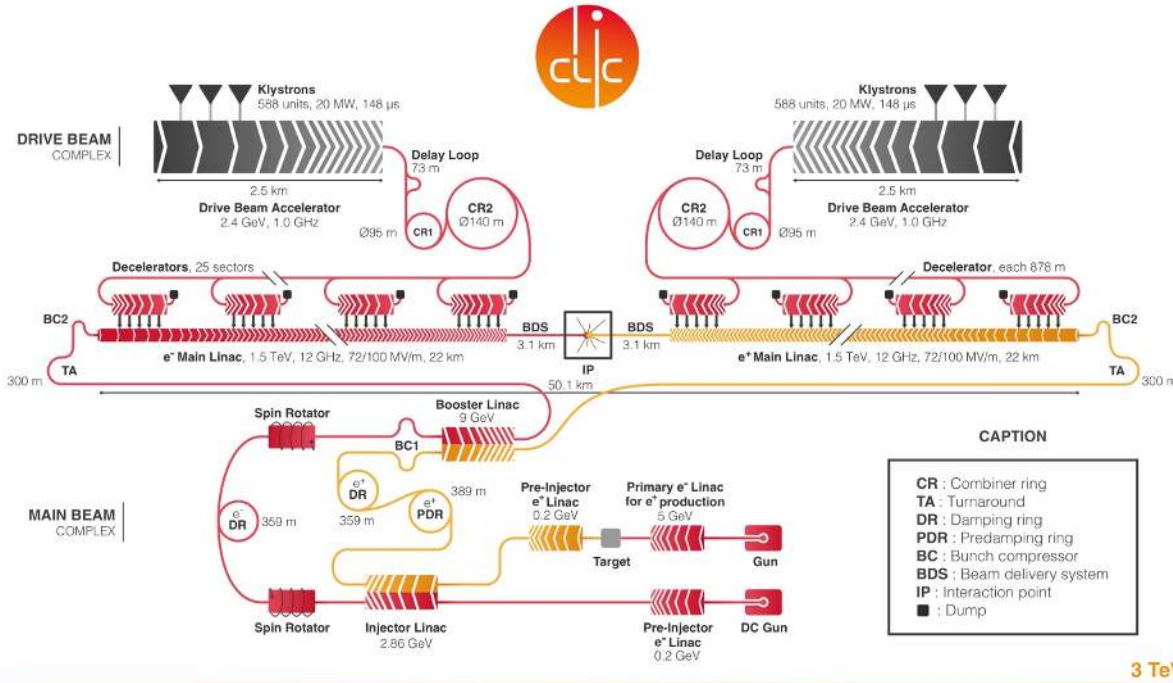
International Linear Collider (ILC)



European X-FEL

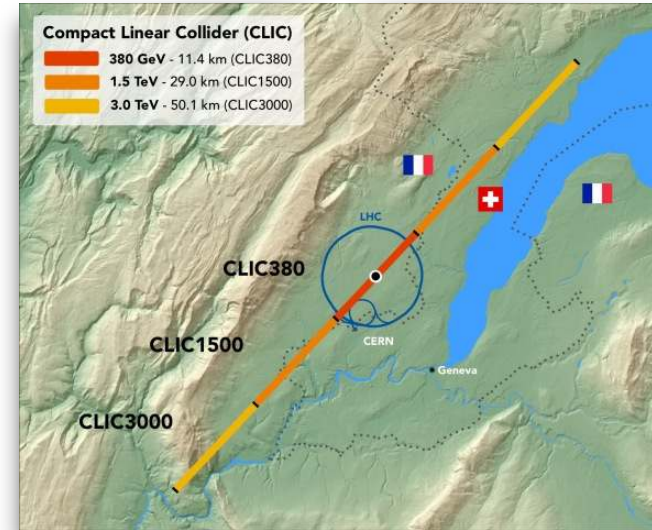


CLIC — Compact Linear Collider



CAPTION

CR : Combiner ring
TA : Turnaround
DR : Damping ring
PDR : Predamping ring
BC : Bunch compressor
BDS : Beam delivery system
IP : Interaction point
■ : Dump



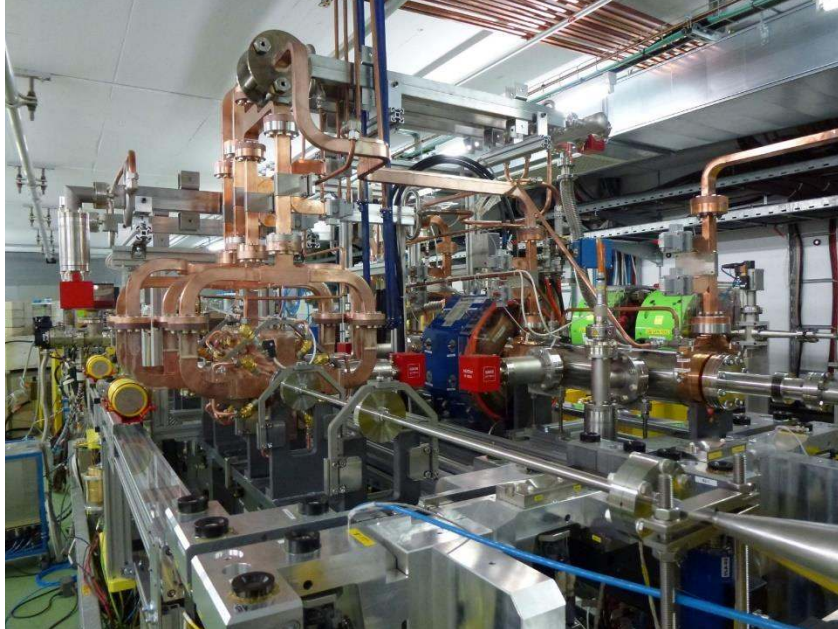
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CLIC - Scheme of the Compact Linear Collider (CLIC)

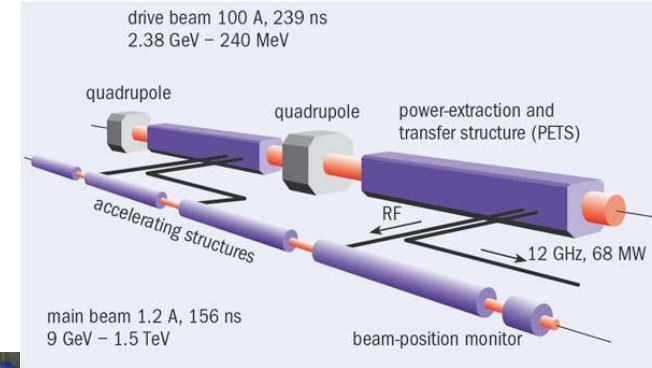
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Two-beam acceleration



CLIC test facility



S. Staples — Future Collider CAS

100 MV/m accelerating gradient achieved!

Muon Collider

- Elementary particles
- High energy
- Low synchrotron radiation

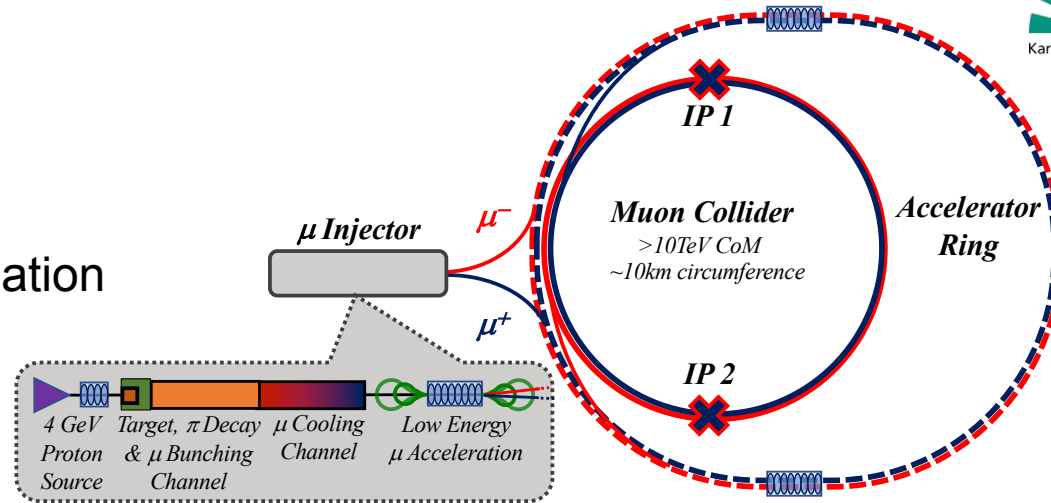


Fig. 1: A conceptual scheme for the Muon Collider

Design challenges

- Cooling of the muon beam
- Fast-ramping high-field magnets (T/ms), corresponding SRF system
- **Muon decay**: Dipoles must be robust to radiation, high neutrino flux, detector must distinguish between signal and beam-induced background

Mont Blanc

Annemasse

Salève

Annecy

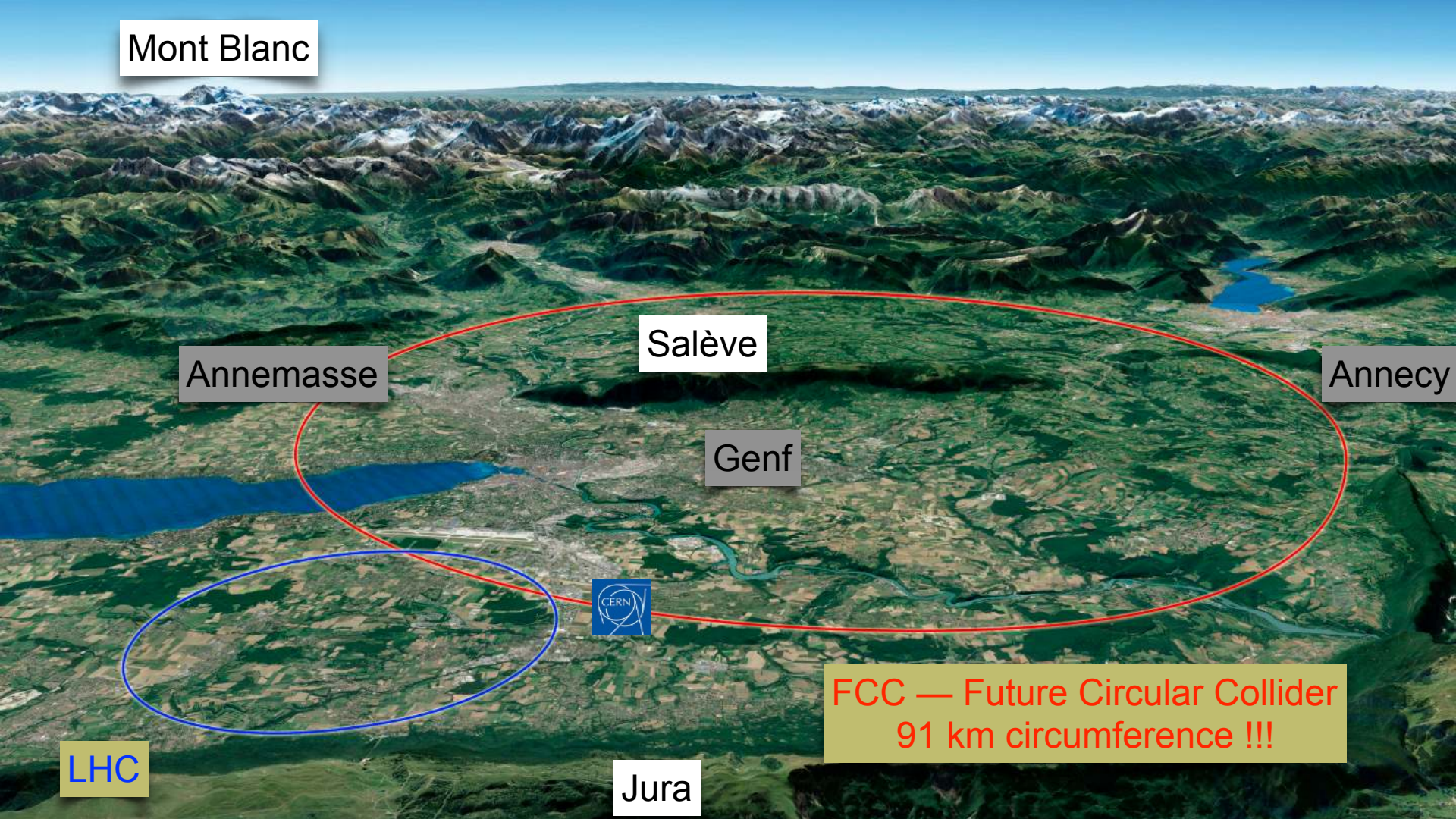
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LHC

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FCC — Future Circular Collider
91 km circumference !!!



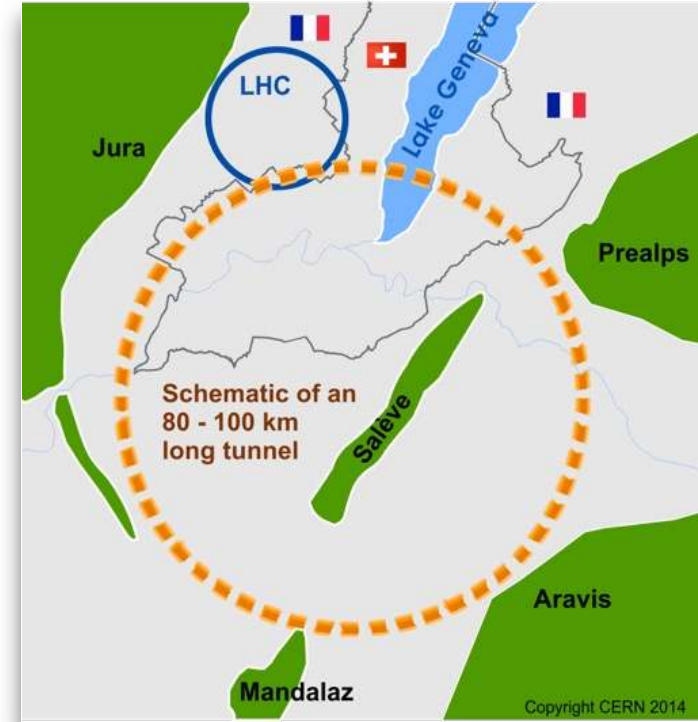
Future Circular Collider Study



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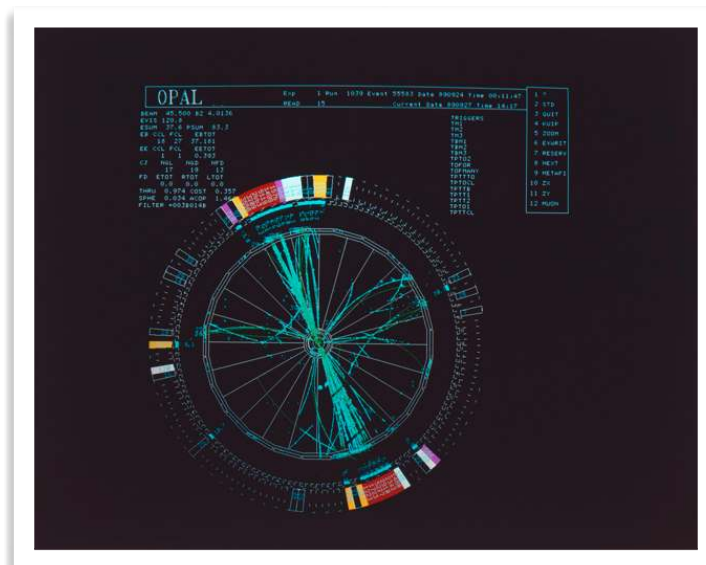
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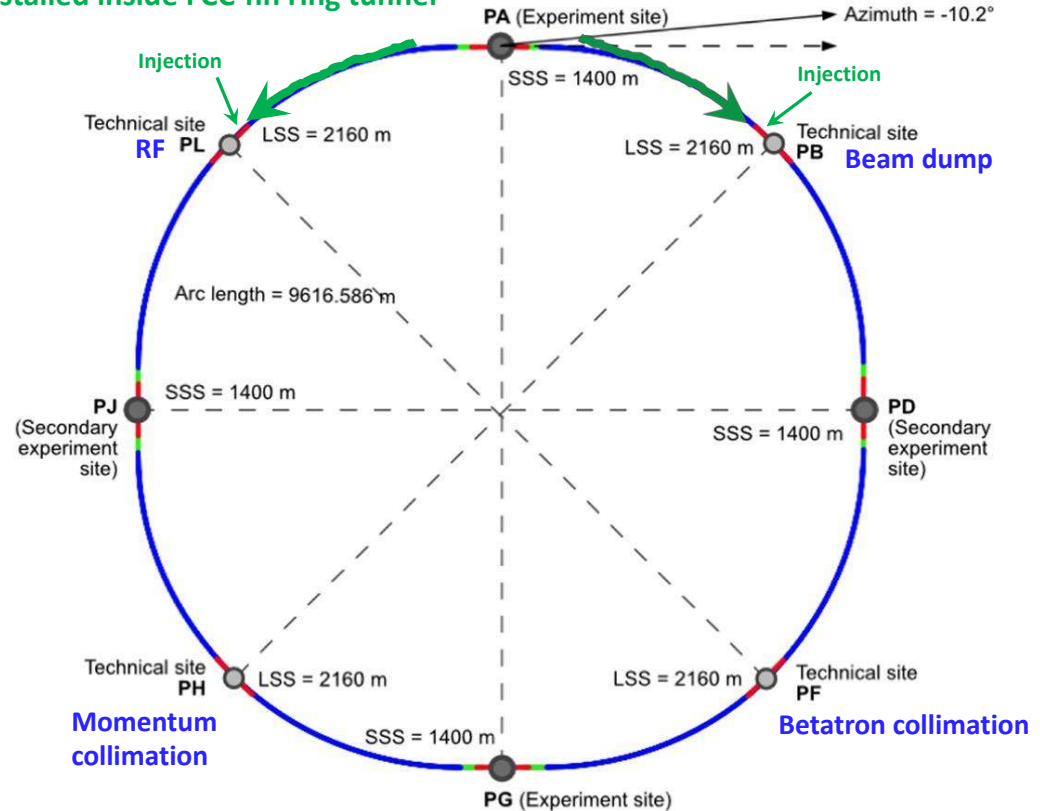
FCC-hh

- 50 TeV beam energy
- 16 T Nb₃SN magnets
- $U_0 \approx 5$ MeV/turn



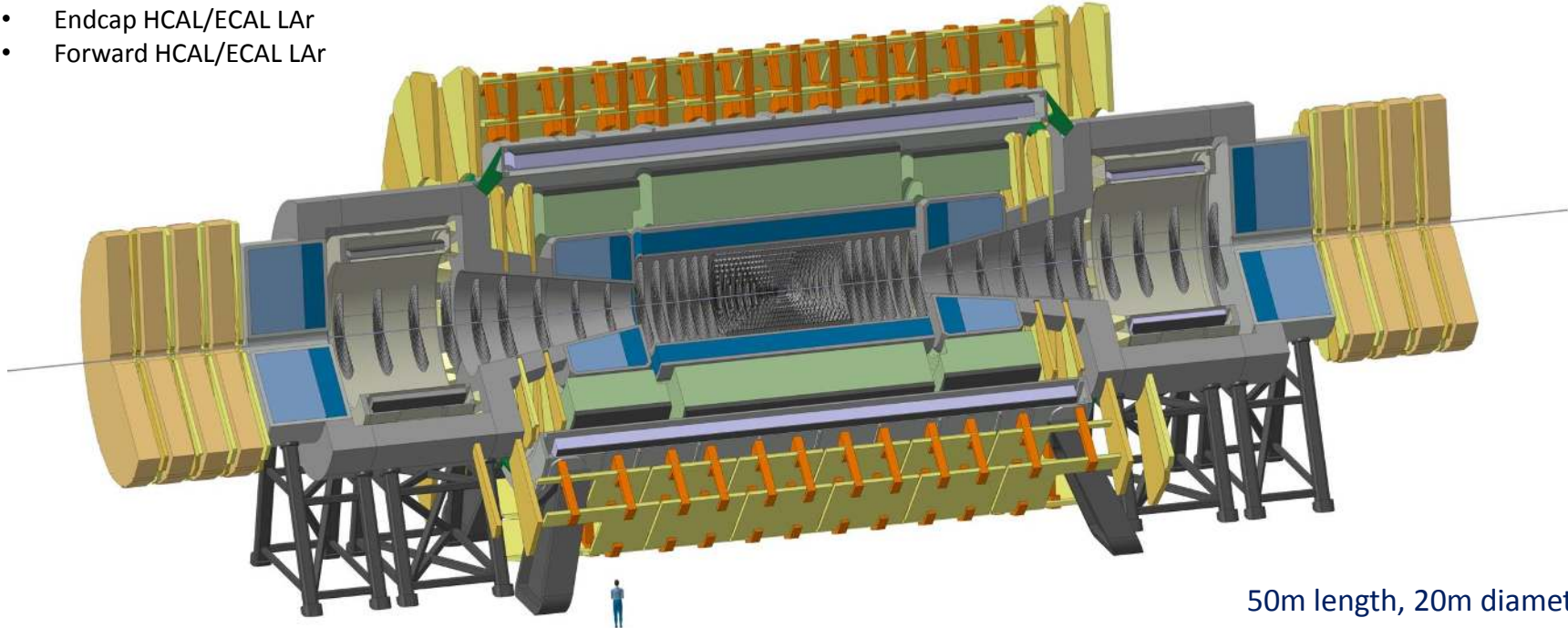
Vacuum tests of the beam screen prototype at KARA!!!

transfer lines proposed to be
installed inside FCC-hh ring tunnel



- 4T, 10m solenoid, unshielded
- Forward solenoids, unshielded
- Silicon tracker
- Barrel ECAL LAr
- Barrel HCAL Fe/Sci
- Endcap HCAL/ECAL LAr
- Forward HCAL/ECAL LAr

FCC-hh: Detector

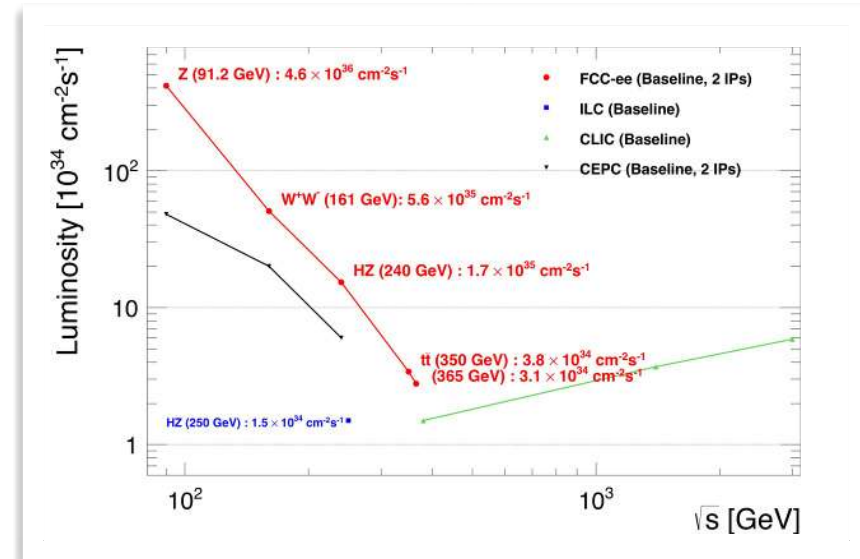


50m length, 20m diameter
similar to size of ATLAS

FCC-ee: Luminosity vs. radiation power

- Higher luminosity than linear colliders (below 400 GeV)
- Higher repetition rate & current
- Multiple experiments
- **FCC-ee: SR power limited to 50 MW!**

Energy (GeV)	# bunches	# particles per bunch (10^{11})	Luminosity ($10^{34}/\text{cm}^2\text{s}$)
45.6	16640	1.7	460
80.0	2000	1.5	56
120.0	328	1.8	17
182.5	48	2.3	3.1

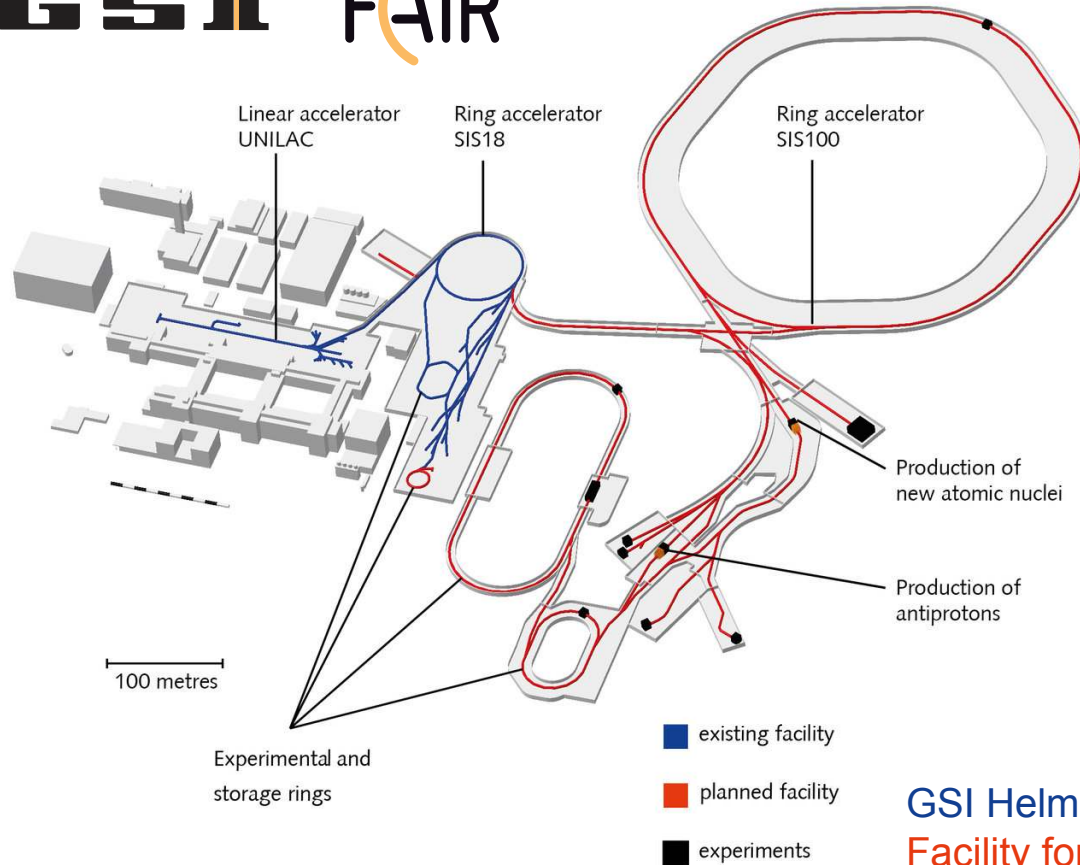


FCC-ee Design Report: Baseline luminosities expected to be delivered for different e⁺e⁻ collider projects

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- Vacuum chamber with winglets to place SR absorbers with great distance to lower impedance.





SIS100

- 1.1 km
- 30 GeV/nucleon
- Superconducting

Superconducting Fragment Separator

- Separator for radioactive nuclei
- Protons... Uranium

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magnet of the Super-FRS

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ESS — European Spallation Source



Research with neutrons

- Neutrons are excellent for probing materials on a molecular level.

ESS

- Replacing reactor technology
- High brightness neutron beams
- Created by 2 GeV protons hitting a spinning tungsten target



How does it work?

1 Protons are generated in the ion source

Hydrogen is heated using microwaves, until it becomes a plasma. Then the electrons are stripped away and the protons are steered and focussed into the accelerator.

3 The protons strike the target and high-energy neutrons are released

The ESS target is a 2.5 metre diameter stainless steel disc containing bricks of tungsten – a heavy metal with many neutrons. The disc rotates 23.3 times per minute. The more neutrons produced in the target collision, the 'brighter' the neutron source. **ESS will be one of the world's brightest neutron sources.**

2 Cavities accelerate the protons to 96% of the speed of light

Electromagnetic fields accelerate the protons along the 602.5m linear accelerator, or Linac. Protons have a positive charge so large magnets called quadrupoles are used to keep the proton beam focussed all along the Linac. **A new pulse of protons is generated 14 times a second.**

4 The neutrons are slowed down and sent down neutron guides to the instruments

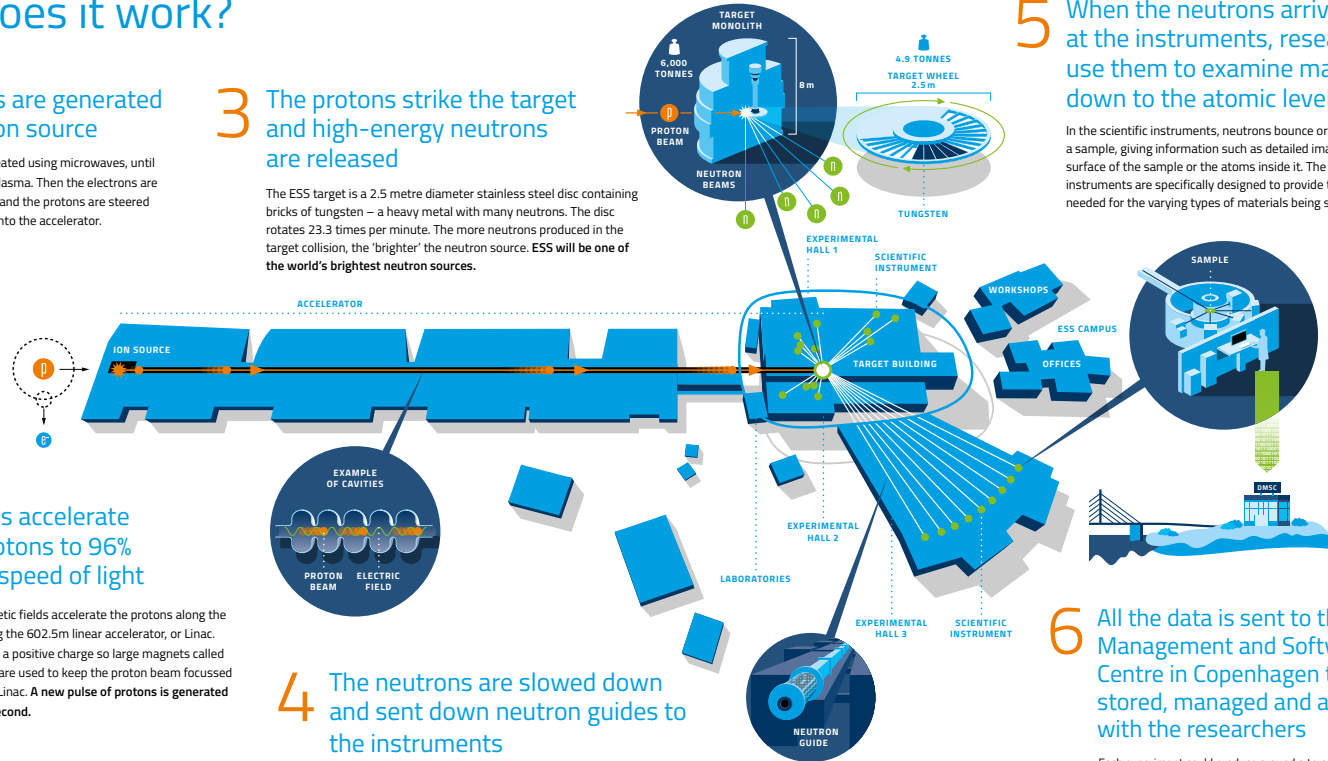
The guides are extremely stable, with highly reflective walls, so that as many neutrons as possible reach all the way to the end. **Some of these neutron guides are up to 160 m in length!**

5 When the neutrons arrive at the instruments, researchers use them to examine matter down to the atomic level

In the scientific instruments, neutrons bounce or scatter off a sample, giving information such as detailed images of the surface of the sample or the atoms inside it. The different instruments are specifically designed to provide the data needed for the varying types of materials being studied.

6 All the data is sent to the Data Management and Software Centre in Copenhagen to be stored, managed and analysed with the researchers

Each experiment could produce around a terabyte of data – **that is around 500 hours of movies!** Software and scientific computing experts help the researchers understand, visualise and interpret their results.



Accelerator test facilities at IBPT/KIT

KARA



FLUTE

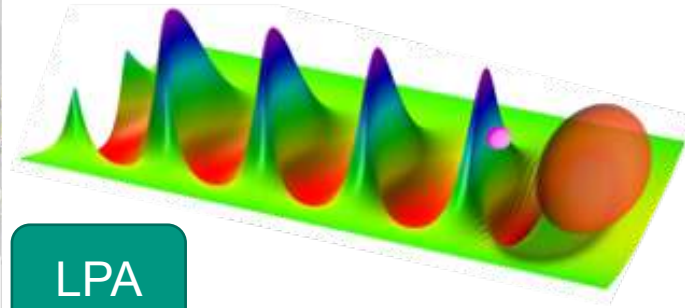


in operation

cSTART



LPA



under construction

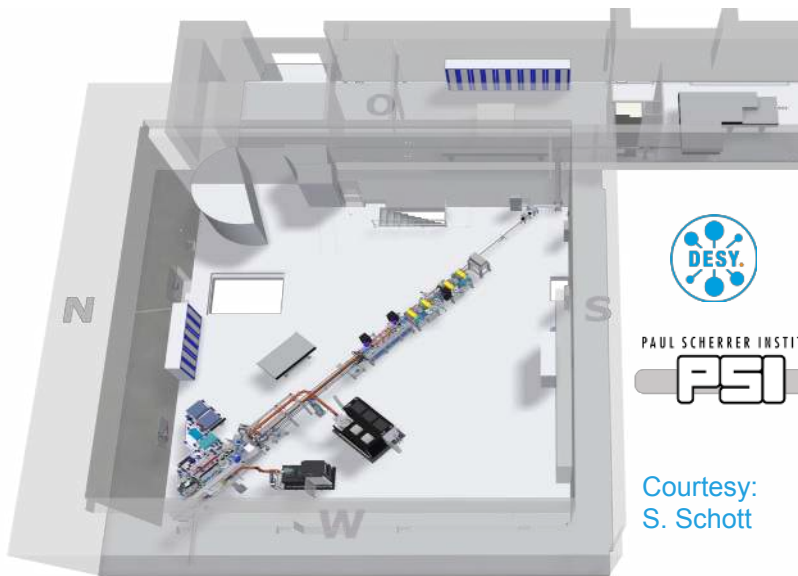
FLUTE: Accelerator Test Facility at KIT



■ FLUTE (Ferninfrarot Linac- Und Test-Experiment)

- Test facility for accelerator physics within ARD
- Experiments with THz radiation

Final electron energy	~ 41	MeV
Electron bunch charge	0.001 - 1	nC
Electron bunch length	1 - 300	fs
Pulse repetition rate	5	Hz
THz E-Field strength	up to 1.2	GV/m



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S. Schott

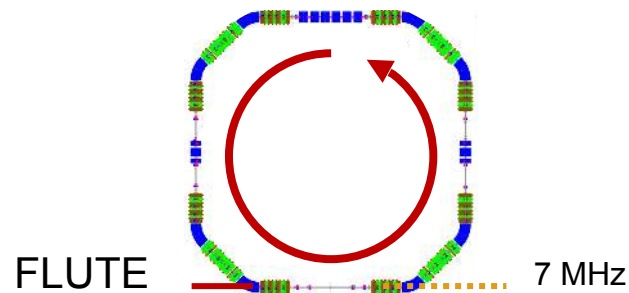
■ R&D topics

- Serve as a test bench for new beam diagnostic methods and tools
- Systematic bunch compression and THz generation studies
- Develop single shot fs diagnostics
- Synchronization on a femtosecond level

www.ibpt.kit.edu/flute

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- Motivation: Storage of ultra-short (fs) electron bunches at high repetition rate
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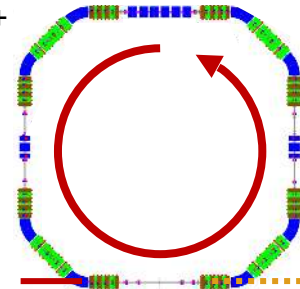
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1. injection +
storage

LPA

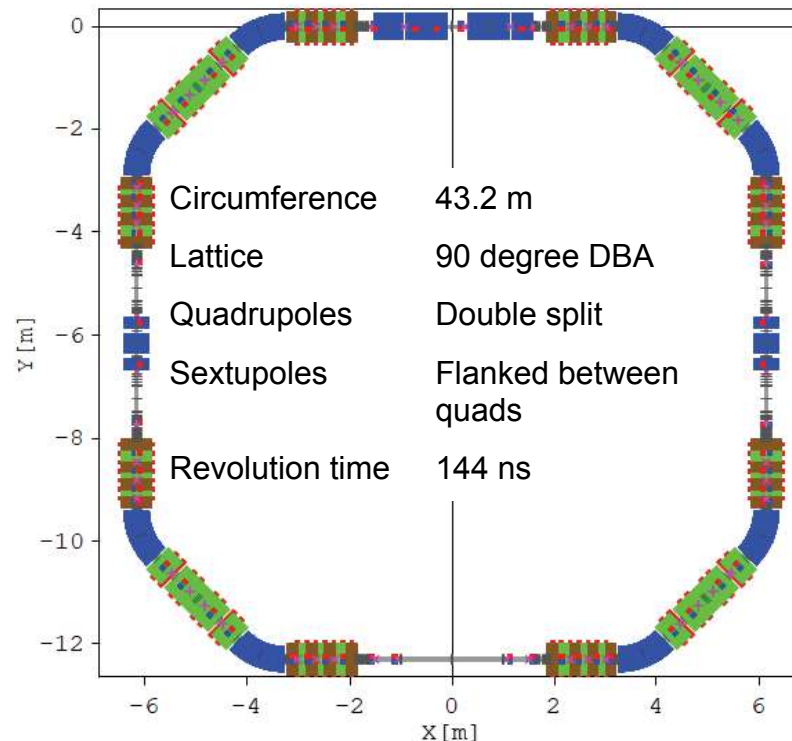


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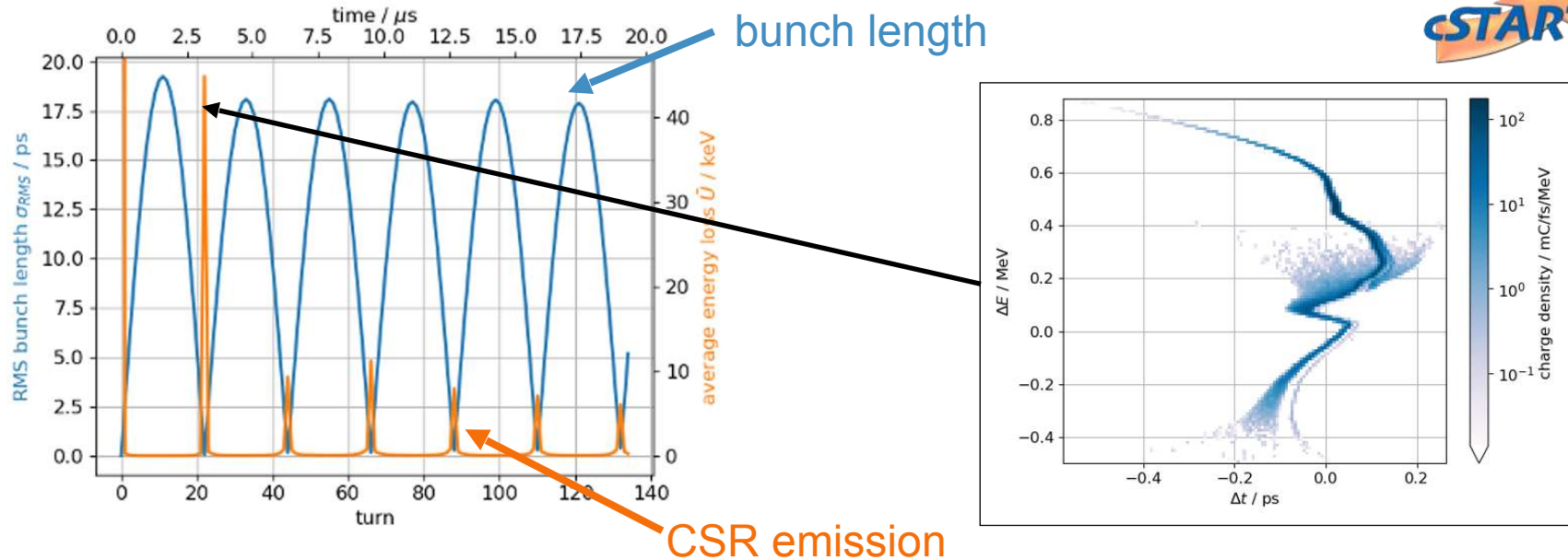
cSTART Project



- **Motivation:** Storage of ultra-short (fs) electron bunches with high repetition rate
- Compact storage ring with very large momentum acceptance and dynamic aperture
- **Status:**
 - Technical design and specification: finished
 - Injection line magnets: first magnets delivered, rest in production
 - Test diagnostics at KARA booster: ongoing



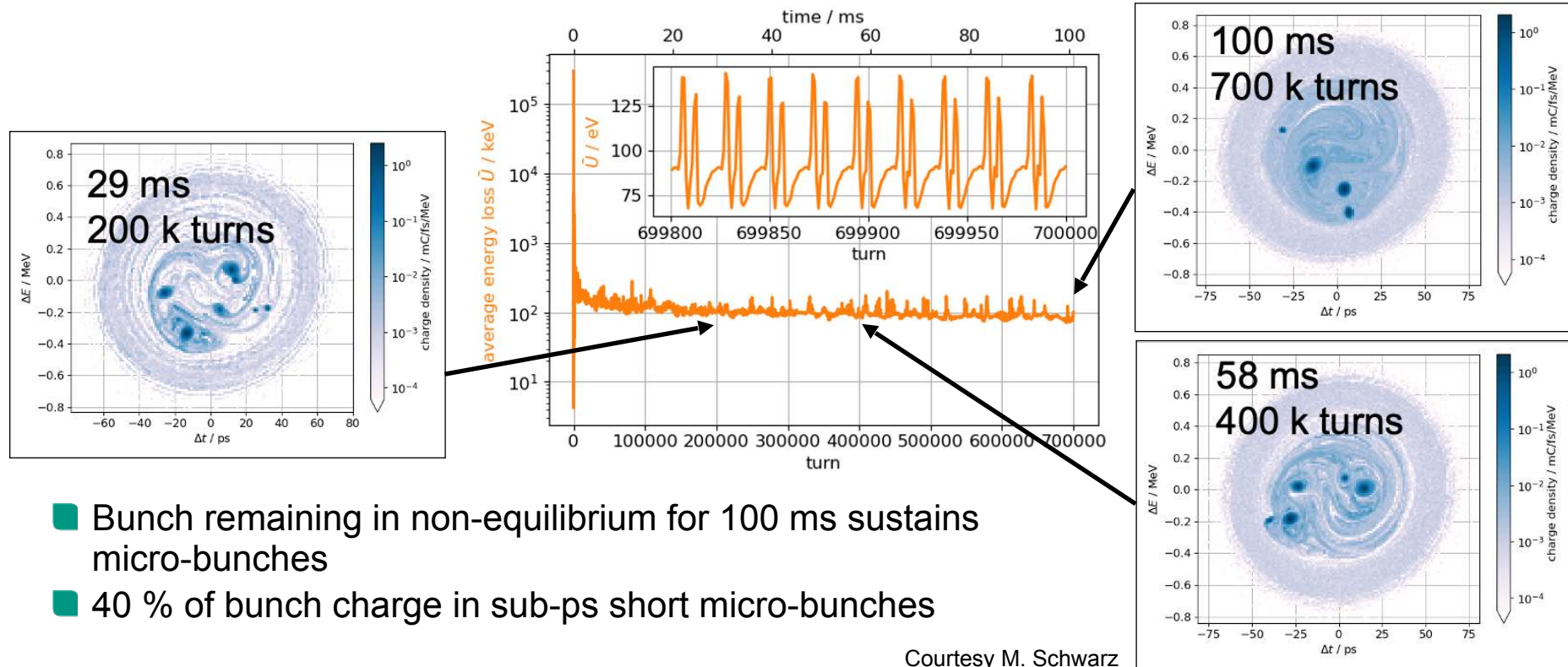
Short bunches in non-equilibrium at cSTART



fs bunch length recovered every
~18 turns with strong THz emission

Courtesy M. Schwarz

Evolution over 100 ms



- Bunch remaining in non-equilibrium for 100 ms sustains micro-bunches
- 40 % of bunch charge in sub-ps short micro-bunches

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Laser plasma accelerator



Commercial Laser System

- For laser plasma accelerator (LPA) injector
- Parameters: $> 1.5 \text{ J}$, $< 25 \text{ fs}$, $> 60 \text{ TW}$, 10 Hz
 - Commissioning ongoing

LPA design by KIT

- Led by Prof. Matthias Fuchs
- In cooperation with DESY



