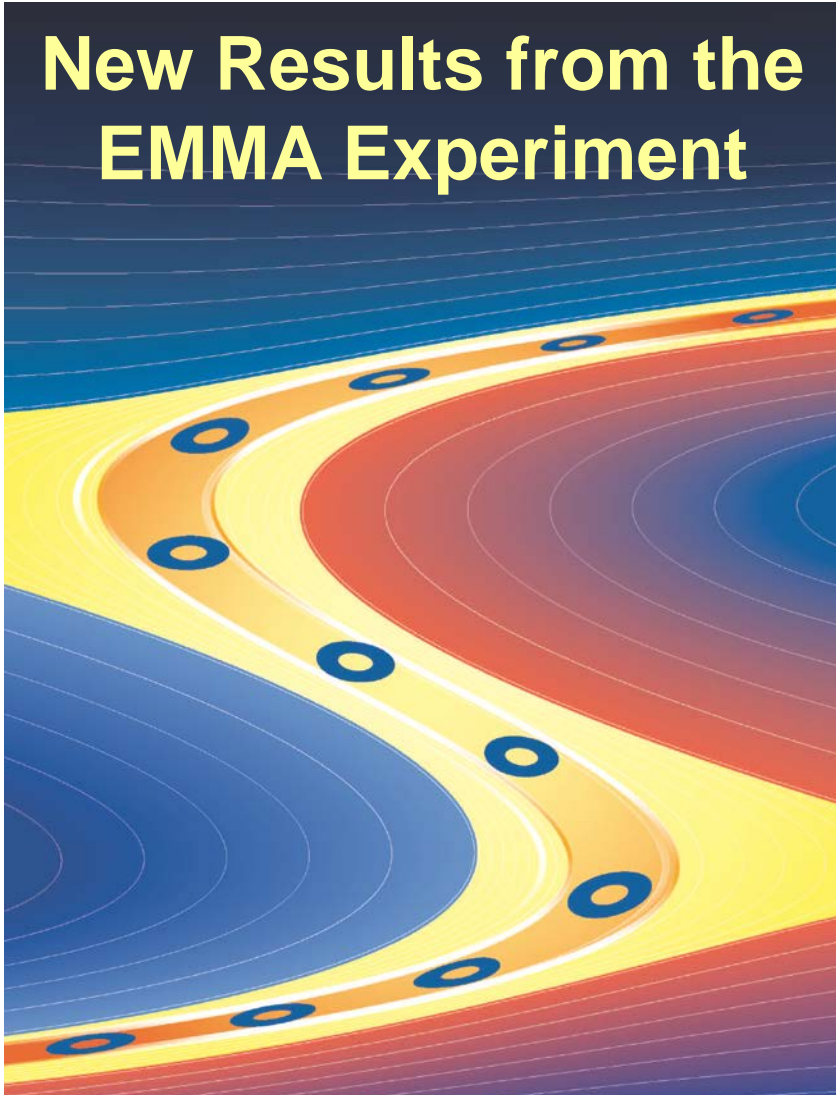


# New Results from the EMMA Experiment



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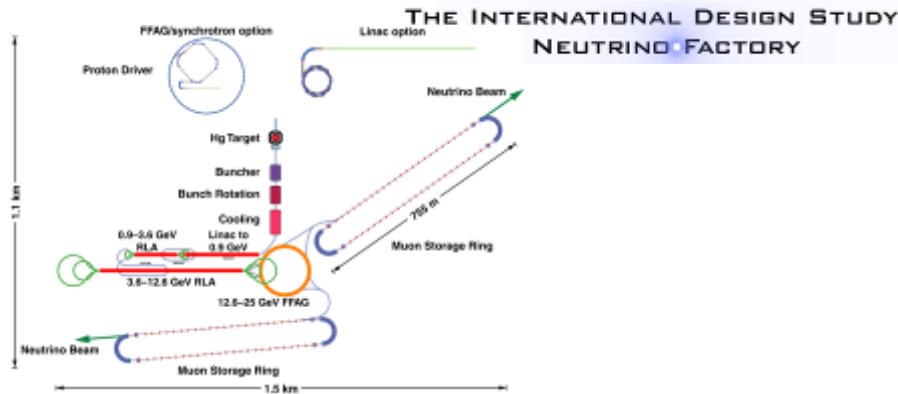


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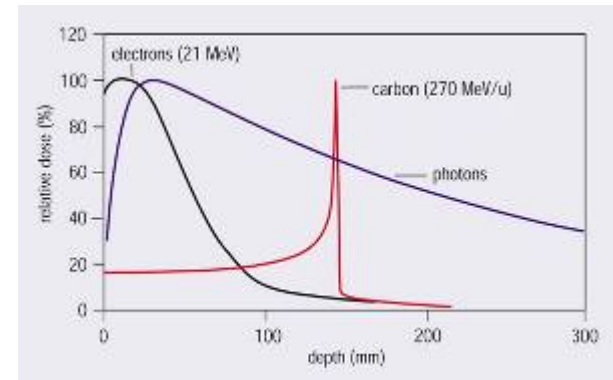
- Introduction
- Layout and Lattice
- Diagnostics
- Injection & Extraction
- Orbit Correction
- Slow integer tune crossing
- PRISM experiment on EMMA
- Summary

# Applications of ns-FFAGs

## Neutrino Factory

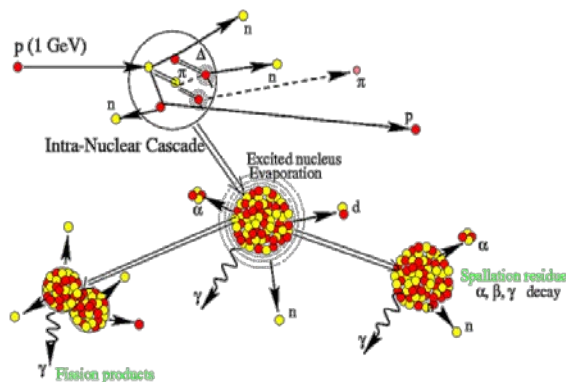


## Proton & Carbon Therapy

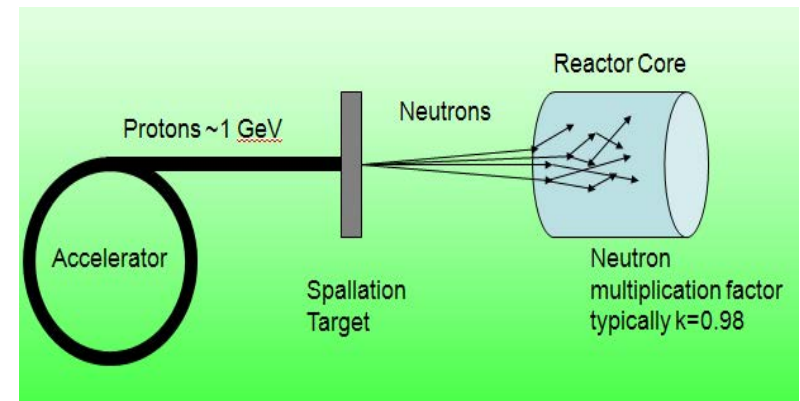


## High power proton driver

### Dedicated Muon Source



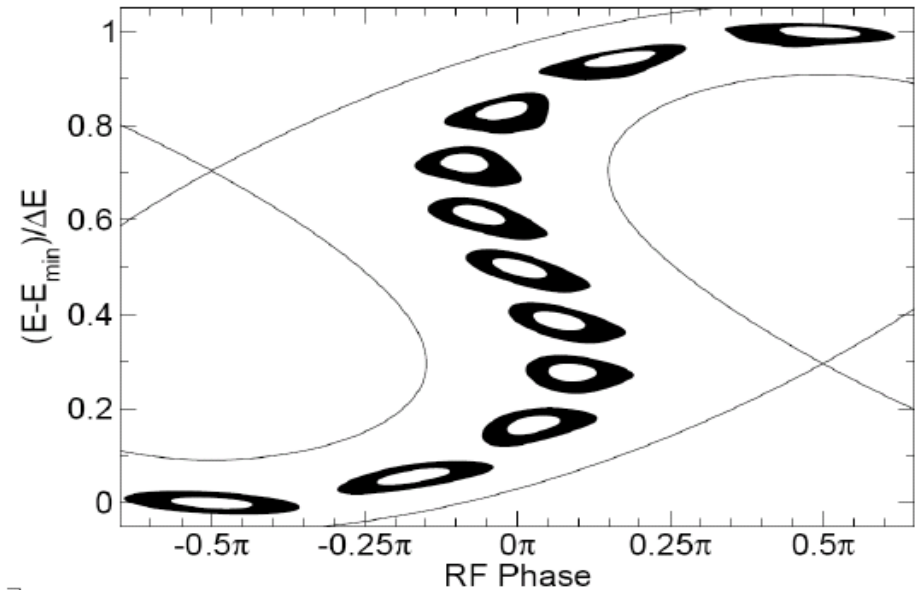
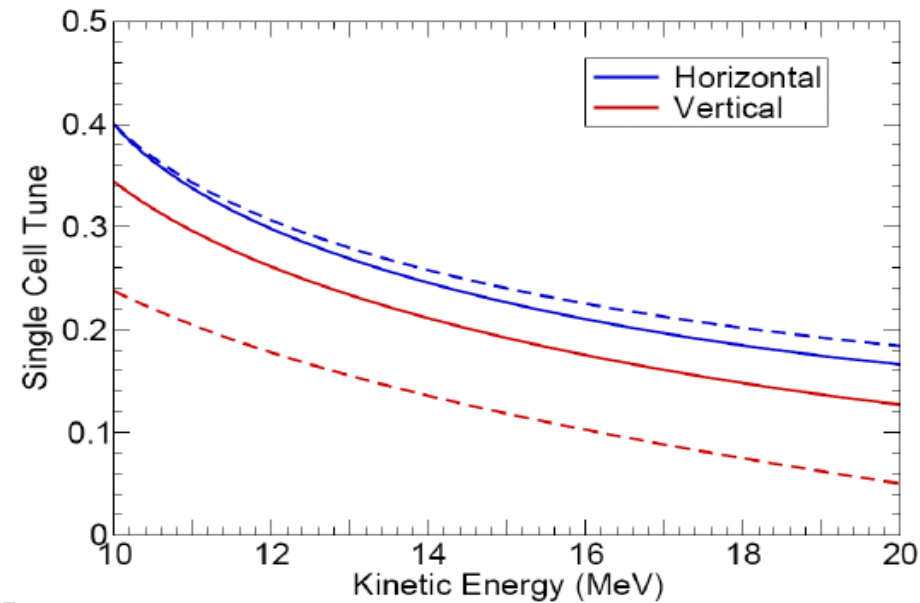
### Accelerator driven reactor



# EMMA Goals

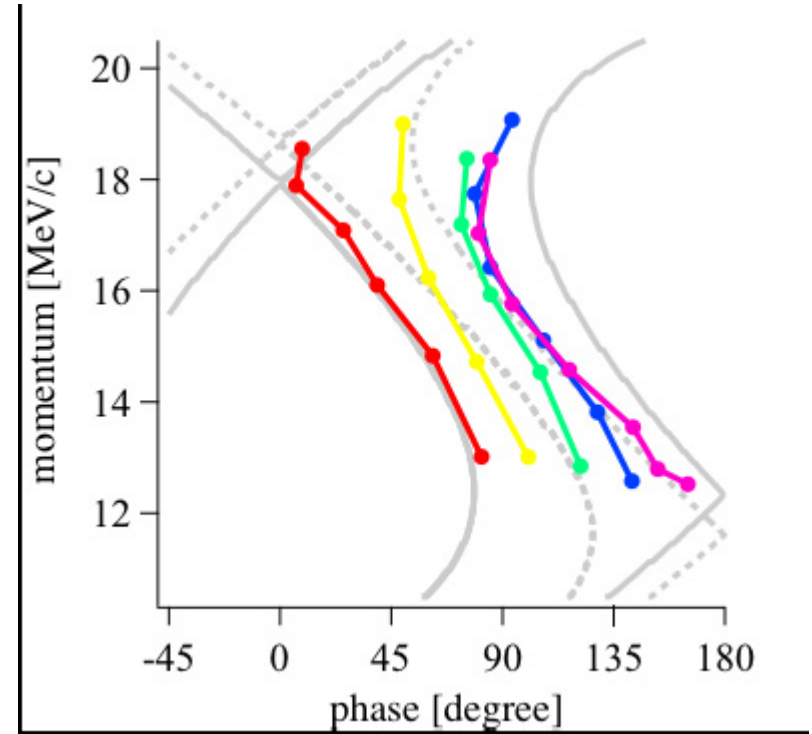
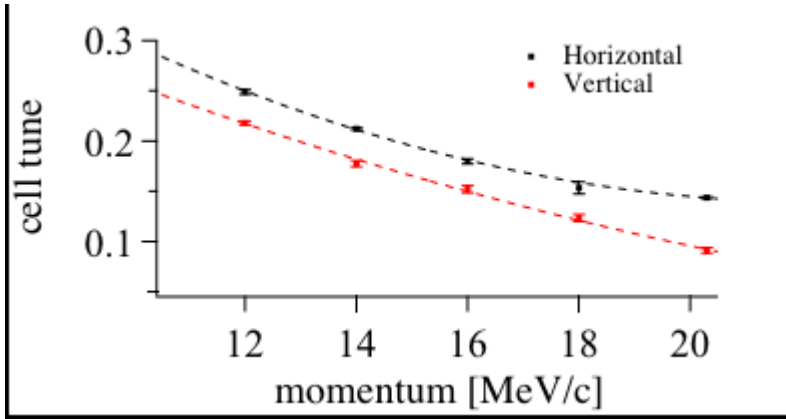
(1) Rapid acceleration with large tune variation (natural chromaticity)

(2) Serpentine acceleration  
(results from parabolic ToF)



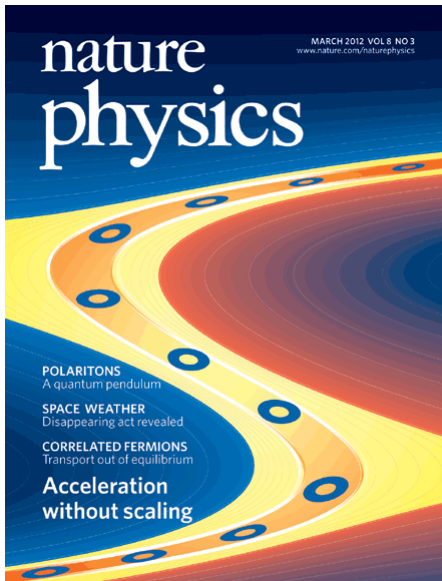
(3) Map the transverse and longitudinal acceptances.

# EMMA acceleration



• Measured

- Successfull acceleration in serpentine channel
- Published in Nature Physics (01/03/12)



# Accelerator Requirements

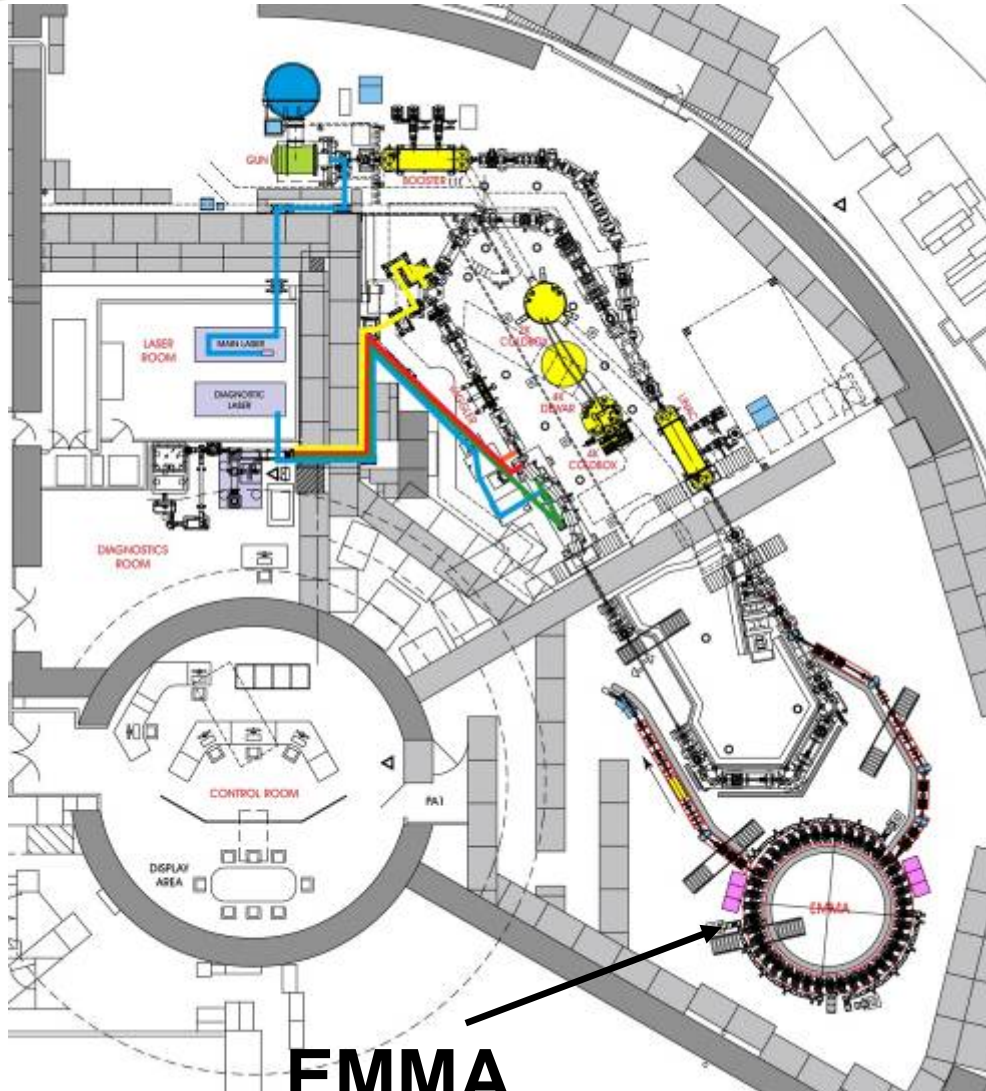
- **Injection & extraction at all energies, 10 - 20 MeV**
- **Fixed energy operation to map closed orbits and tunes vs momentum**
- **Use equivalent momentum concept**
- **Many lattice configurations**
  - **Vary ratio of dipole to quadrupole fields**
  - **Vary frequency, amplitude and phase of RF cavities**
- **Map longitudinal and transverse acceptances with probe beam from ALICE**
- **EMMA is heavily instrumented with beam diagnostics**

# LAYOUT AND LATTICE



# ALICE

## Accelerators and Lasers In Combined Experiments



**EMMA**

Energy range	10 – 20 MeV
Lattice	F/D Doublet
Circumference	16.57 m
No of cells	42
Normalised transverse acceptance	$3\pi$ mm-rad

Frequency (nominal)	1.3 GHz
No of RF cavities	19
Repetition rate	1 - 10 Hz
Bunch charge	20-60 pC single bunch



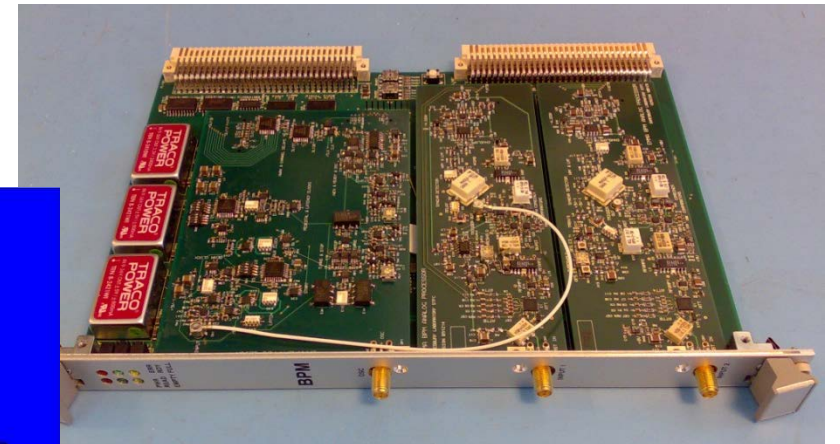
# DIAGNOSTICS

# BPMs (MOPPR060 & MOPPR061)

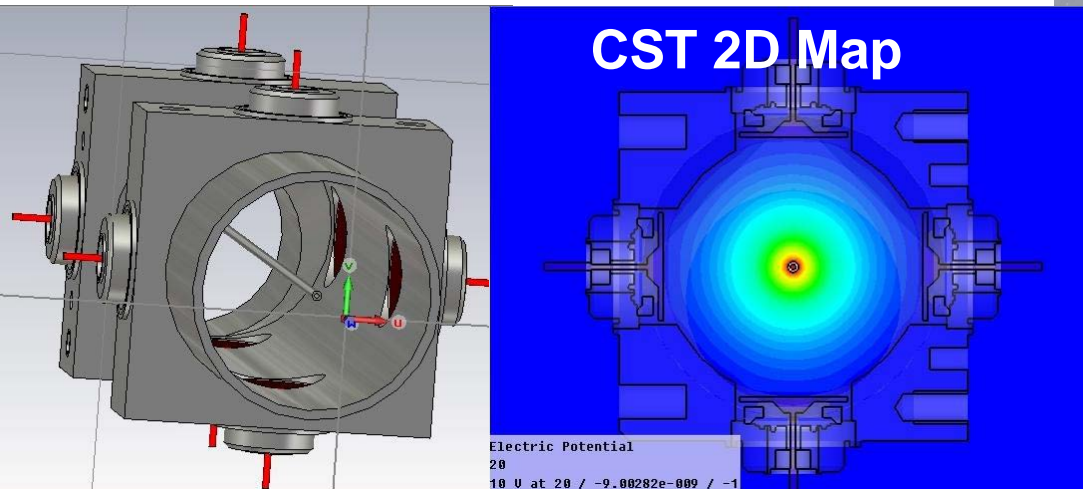
- 50  $\mu\text{m}$  resolution or smaller over a large aperture
- Controlled via EPICS
- Giving turn by turn information
- Computing
  - Position
  - Charge



**Coupler**

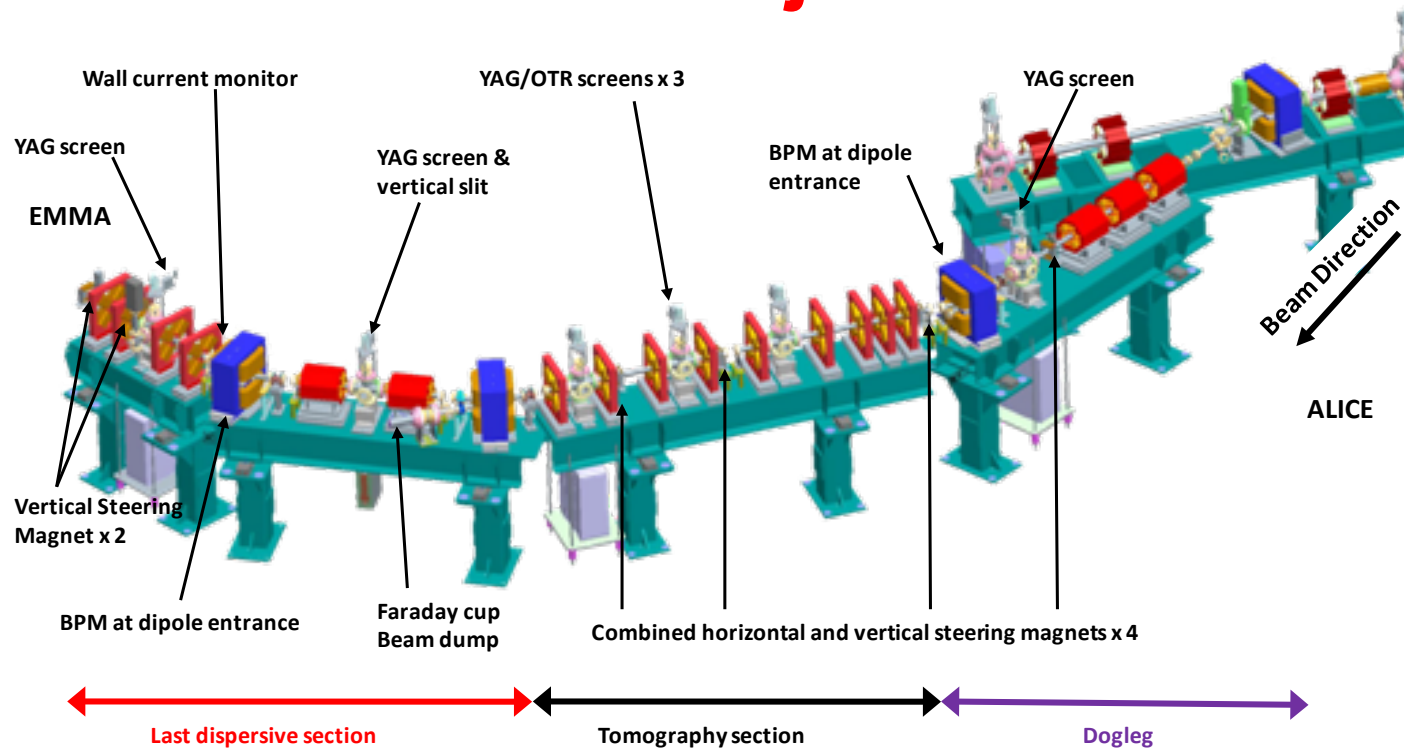


**Detector card**



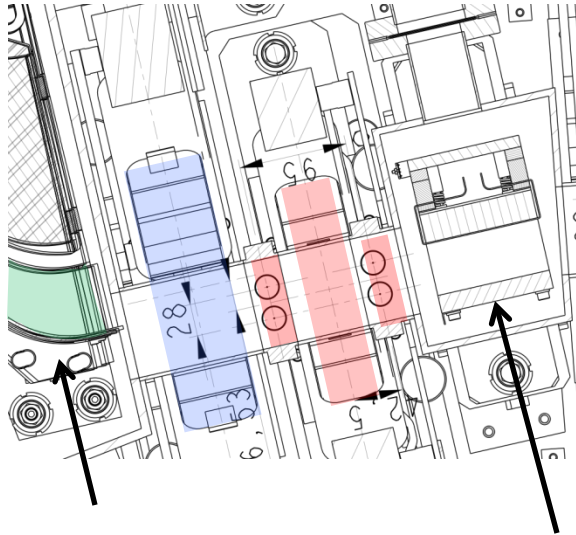
# INJECTION

# Injection line



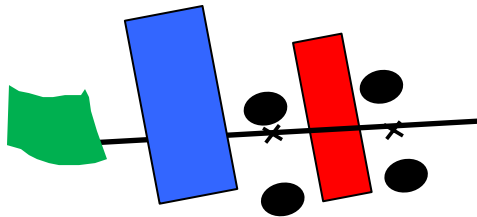
- Dogleg to extract beam from ALICE
- Tomography (dual purpose)
- Minimise energy spread (done &  $< 0.05\%$  at 15 MeV)

# Optimisation of injection

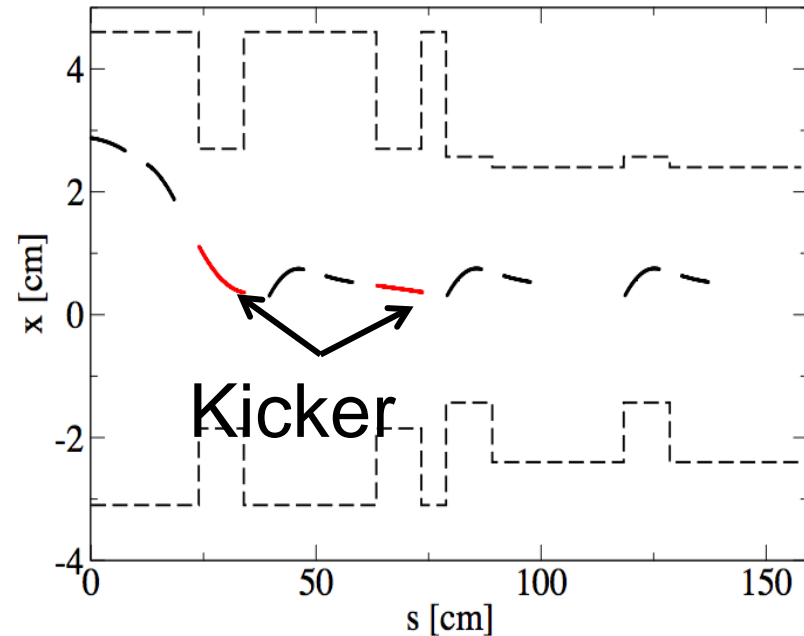


Septum

Kicker



Angle at end of SEPT determined from BPM offsets with quads OFF

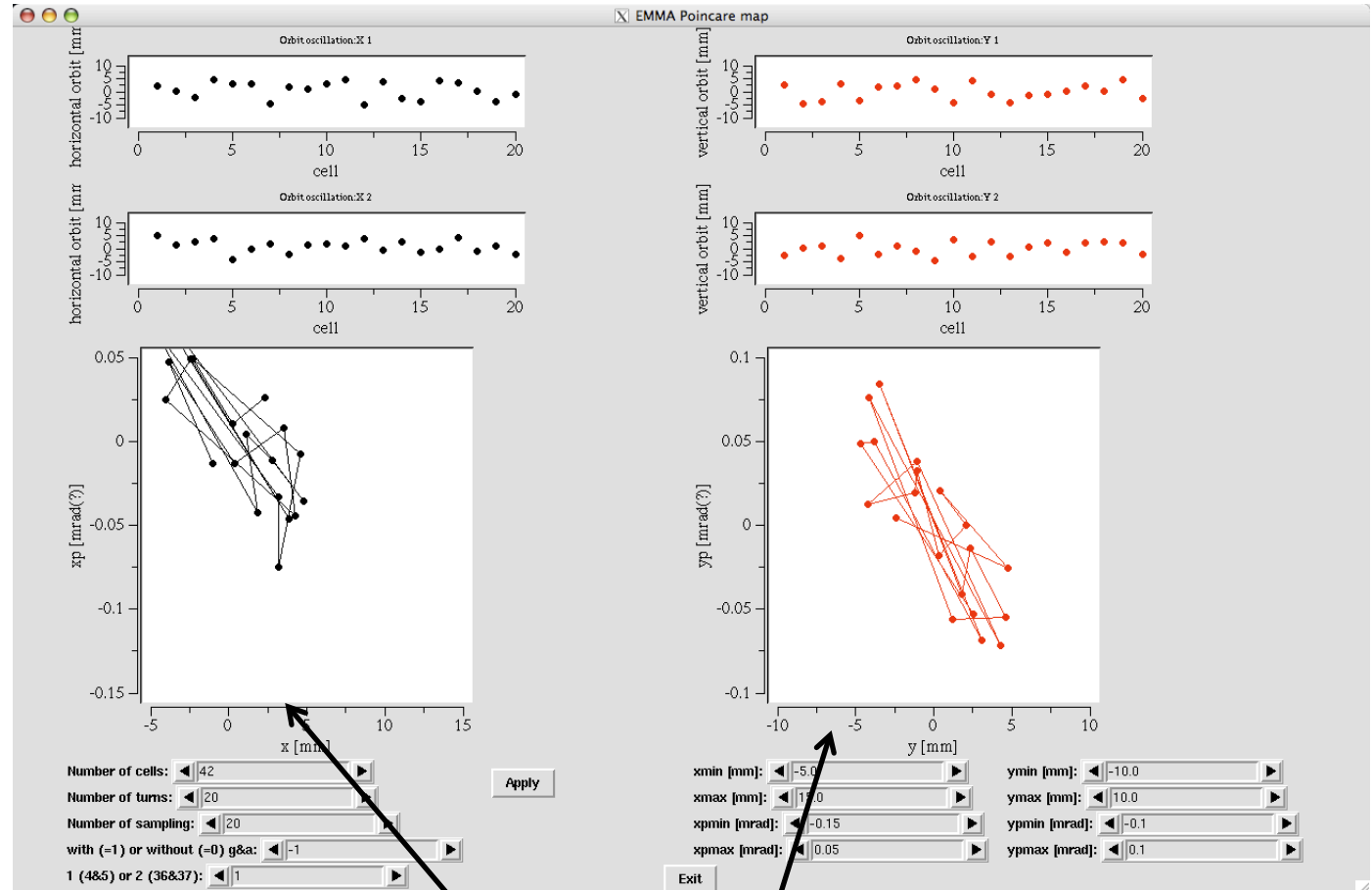


- Use code to determine kicker strengths relatively close to pragmatically found strengths
- Can generate Poincaré map from BPM readouts in real time



# Real time Poincaré plot

- Use 2 BPMs after septum
- Kickers off
- Updated every second
- Measure momentum in both planes



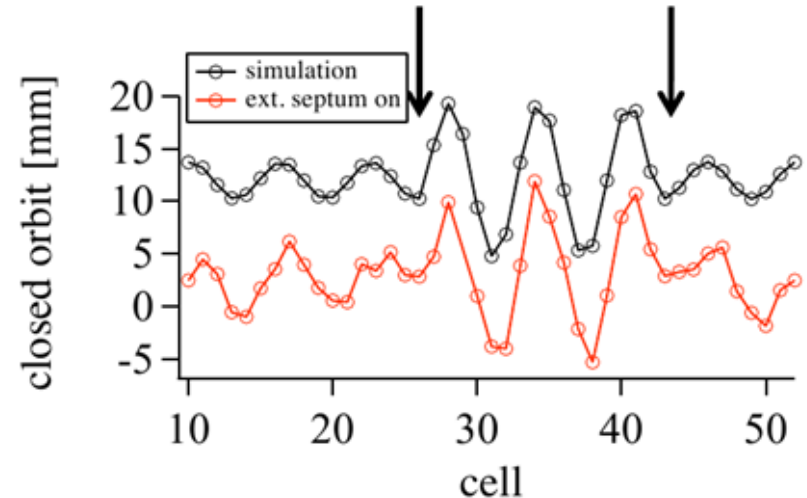
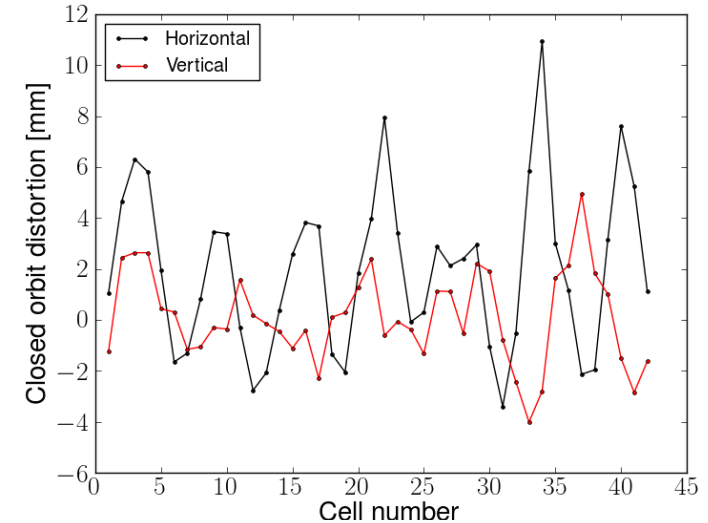
Updated every ~second

# Orbit Correction (TUPPD021)

## Error Sources

- Large closed orbit distortion in both horizontal and vertical planes (several mm). We would like to reduce this to increase the effective physical aperture.
- In the horizontal plane the stray field due to the septum is major source (0.5 mTm). Identified by checking the effect of the extraction septum on the orbit distortion.
- In the vertical plane it is possible that stray fields in the vertical correctors are also a source.

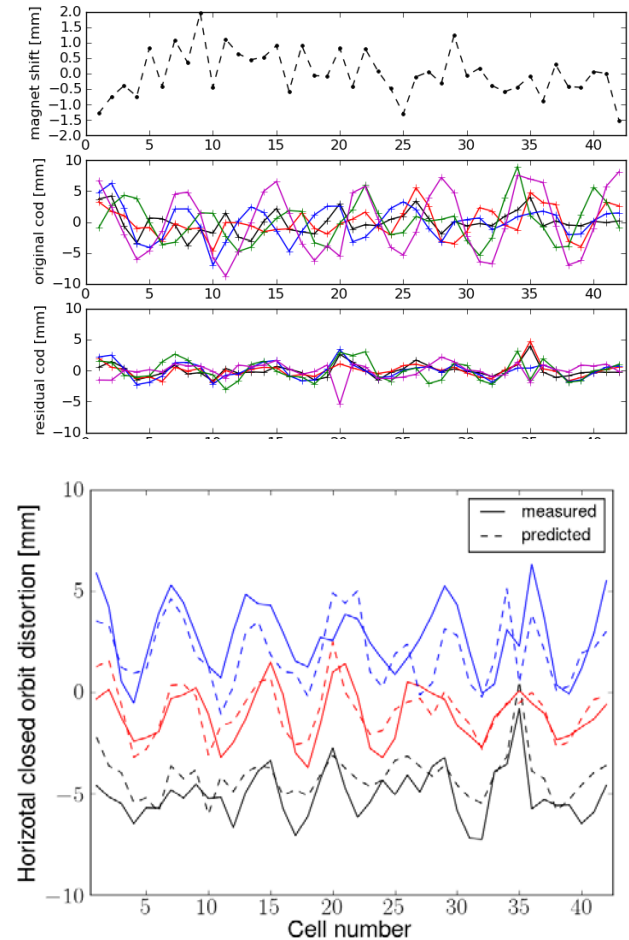
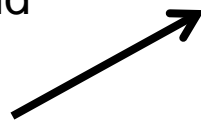
Effect of septum on orbit distortion (model)



# Orbit Correction multiple momenta

- No conventional closed orbit in ns-FFAGs so minimise measured deviation with respect to target deviation
- Tune & phase advance change with momentum so correction for one energy may not work for all
- Solve using least squares method
- Three energies shown (14.3, 16.4 & 18 MeV/c)
  - Shift in D quads, orbit before and after correction

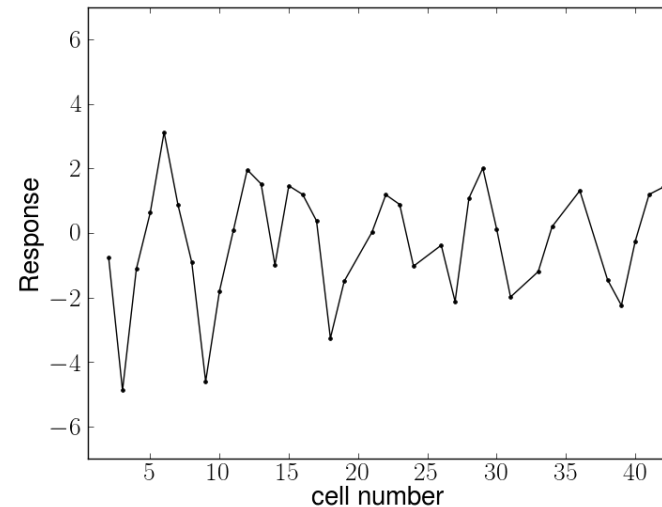
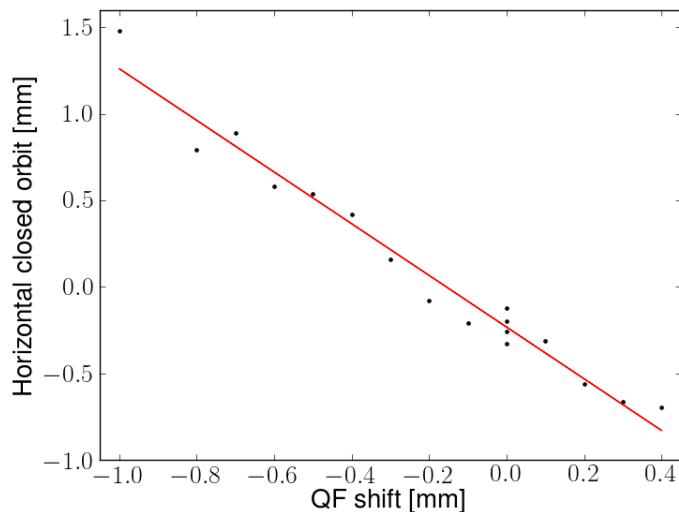
Residual distortion after correction vs. model



# Orbit Correction

## Response matrix measurement

- Measuring the response matrix directly useful for correction.
- A single F quad was shifted in 0.1 mm steps and the closed orbit measured each time.
- Response given by slope of linear fit to data.
- Need to repeat for the other quadrupoles and vertical correctors to complete the response matrix.

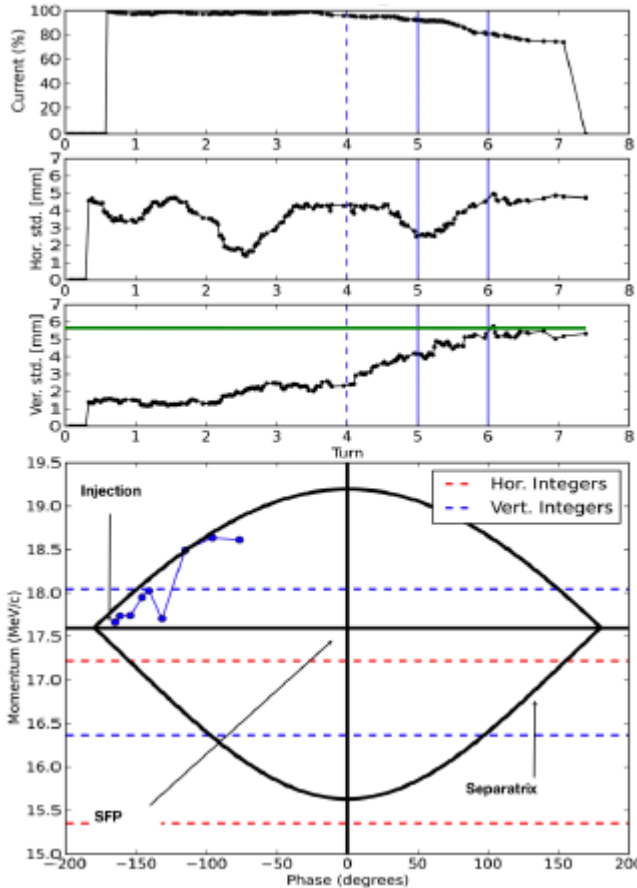


# Slow Integer Tune Crossing (MOPPD021)

- Inject bunch into RF bucket and let it undergo synchrotron oscillations
- Arrange lattice such that horizontal and / or vertical integer tunes are crossed during synchrotron oscillation
- Regions of tune space crossed at 0.2 – 2 MV / turn
- Inject at 12.5 MeV/c and look at equivalent momenta for different energies
- Look at amplitude growth and longitudinal phase space taking different voltage and phase as parameters which change tune crossing speed
  - Near stable fixed point
  - Far away from stable fixed point



# Slow Integer Tune Crossing (2)

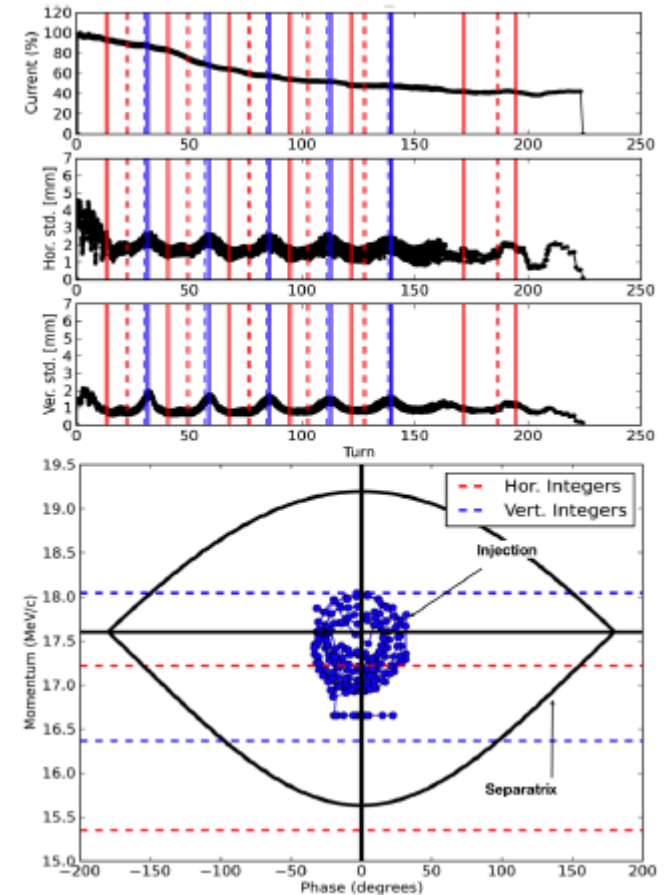


Current vs. Turn #

x pos. vs. Turn #

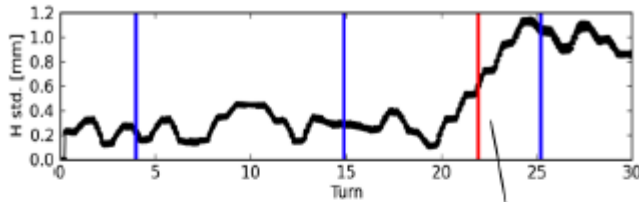
y pos. vs. Turn #

position in RF  
bucket for each  
turn #

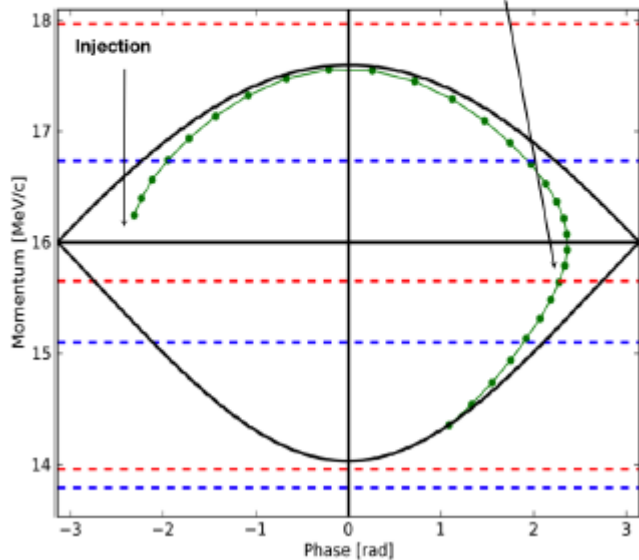


- Experimental results injecting beam near the stable fixed point and away from it

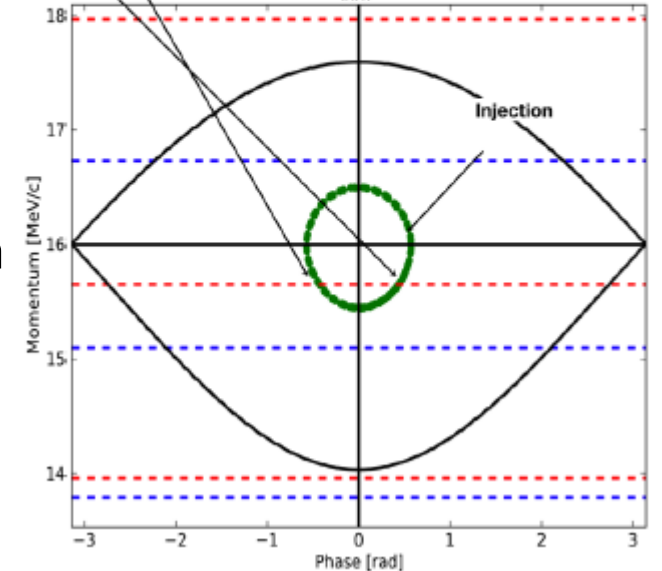
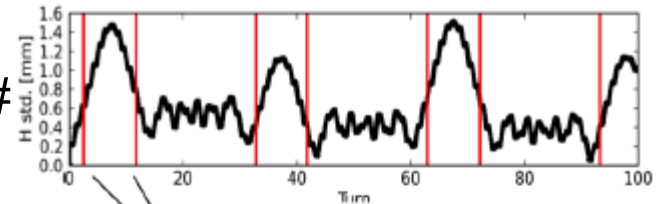
# Slow Integer Tune Crossing (3)



x pos. vs. Turn #



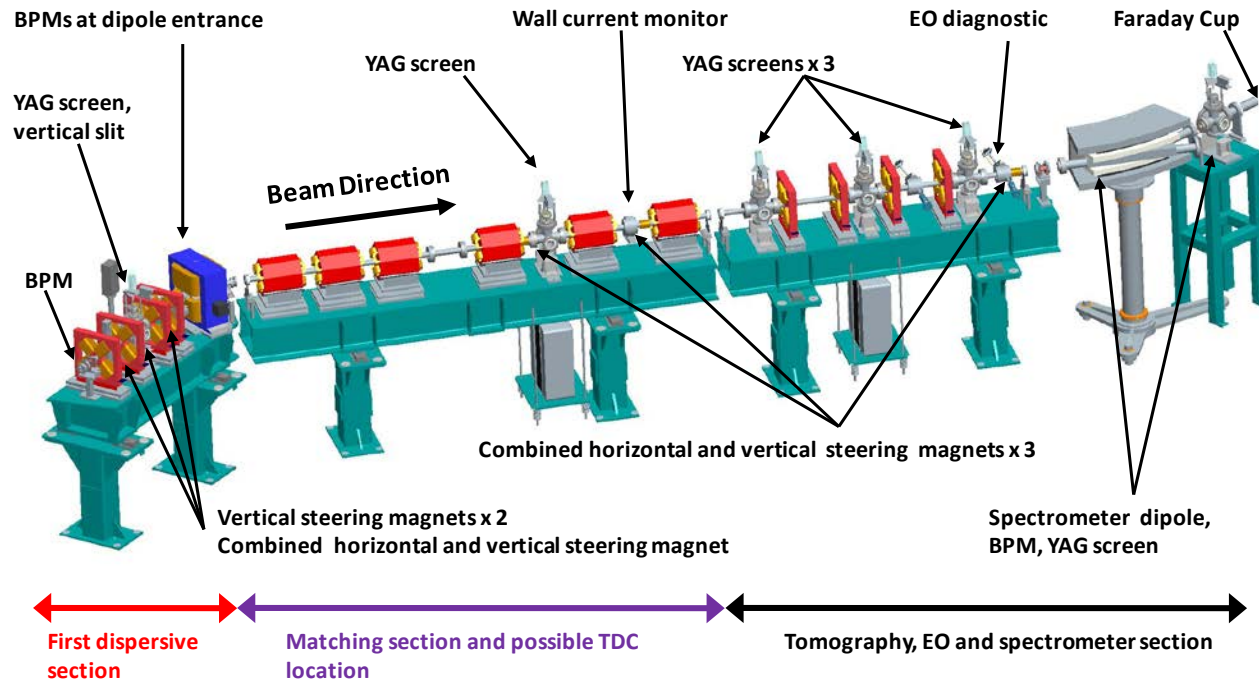
position in RF  
bucket for each  
turn #



- Simulation results injecting beam near the stable fixed point and away from it

# EXTRACTION

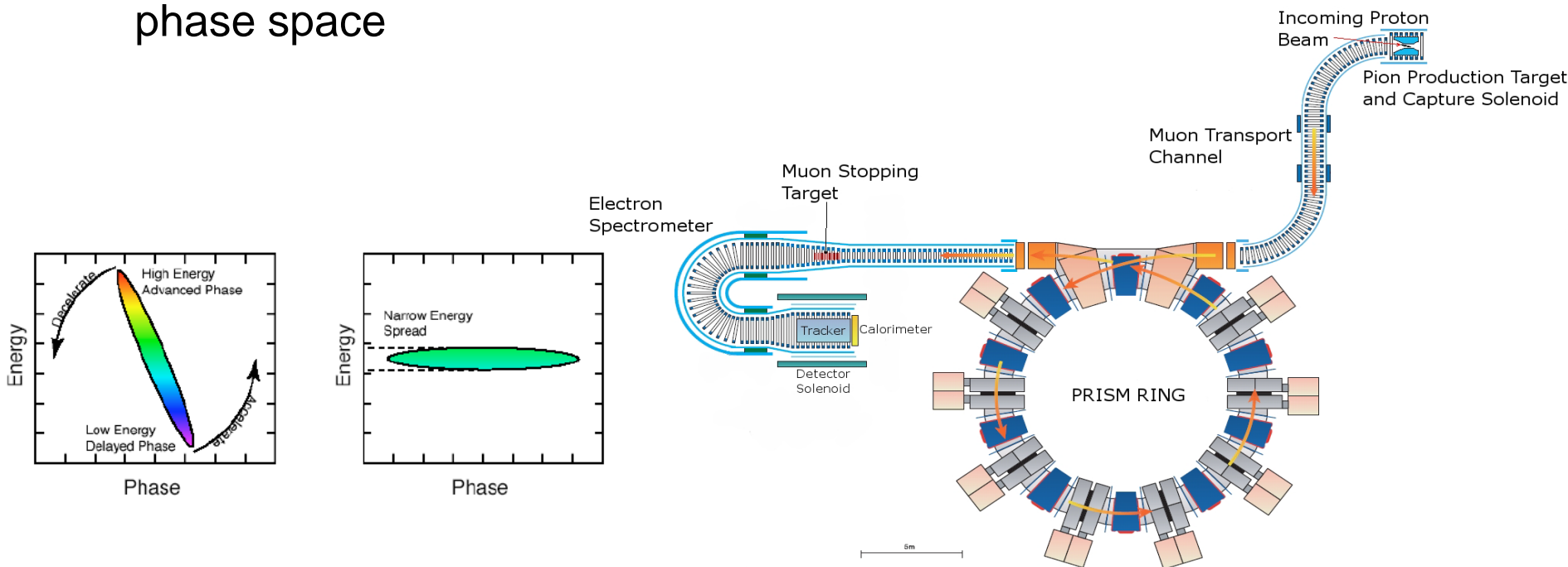
# Extraction



- Can routinely extract the beam - still very little charge
- Have plenty of diagnostics for further understanding the beam & what EMMA has done to it
- Projected emittance, slice emittance, bunch length, energy spread, slice energy spread

# PRISM experiment on EMMA (TUPPD002)

- PRISM (Phase Rotated Intense Slow Muons) looks at muon to electron conversion (CLFV) as predicted by some unified theories
- Need a very small energy spread
- Want to use an FFAG (possibly non-scaling) to rotate the bunch in phase space

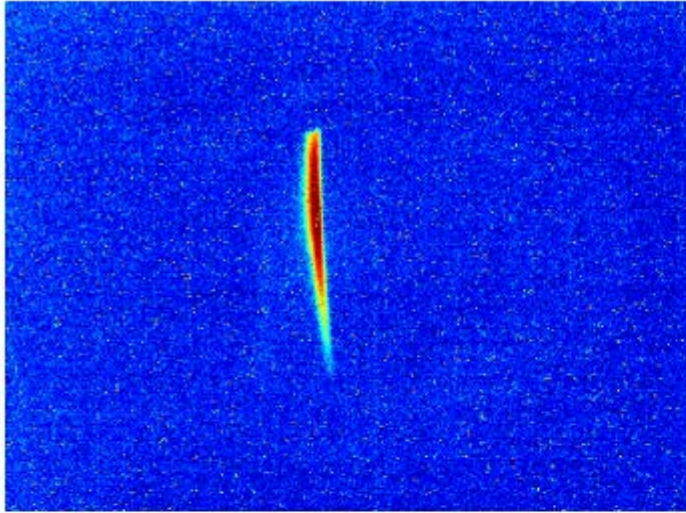




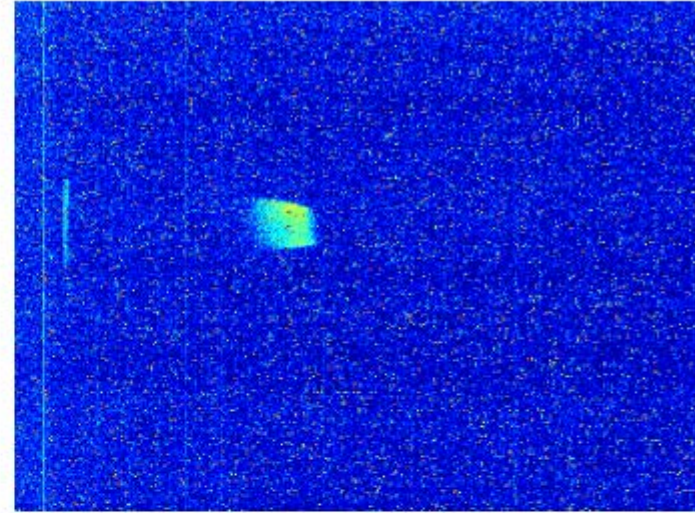
# PRISM Experiment on EMMA

- Test Non-Scaling optics for PRISM
- $\frac{1}{4}$  of the synchrotron oscillation takes  $\sim 3$  turns in EMMA and  $\sim 6$  turns in PRISM.
- Experimental steps:
  - Inject into EMMA at fixed energy from ALICE with different transverse amplitudes with RF on (voltage and phase set to stationary bucket) *or* use different equivalent energies with transverse amplitudes & RF on.
- Extract after  $\frac{1}{4}$  ( $\frac{3}{4}$ ) of synchrotron oscillation and measure energy and ToF.
- Scale magnets in extraction line according to energy via a script
- Analyse the data and reproduce the longitudinal phase space as a function of the transverse amplitude

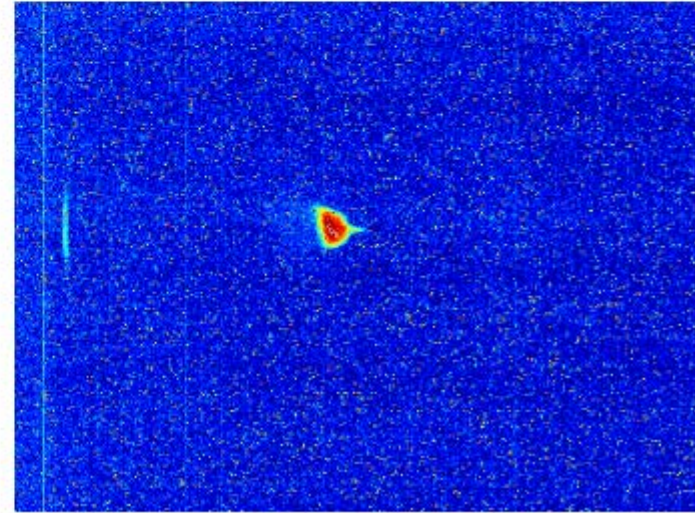
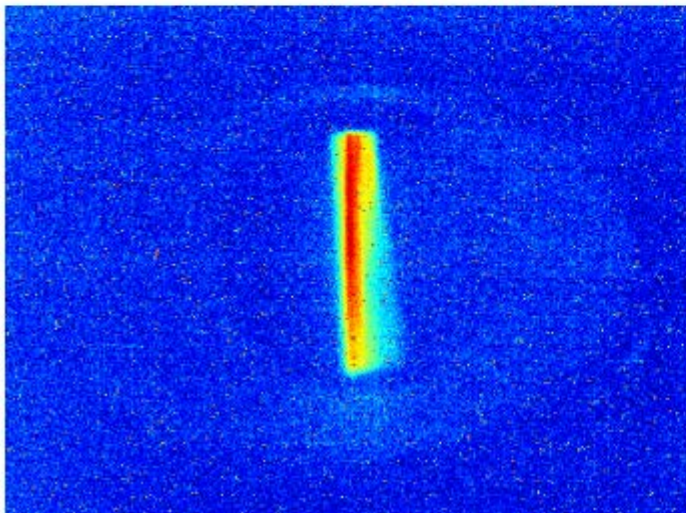
# PRISM Experiment on EMMA



YAG01 – 3/2 (top), 5/2 turns, RF on, scaling



YAG03 – 3/2 (top), 5/2 turns, RF on, scaling



# Summary

- Design and construction phase of the project is complete
- Injection / extraction complicated but workable solution
- Have successfully accelerated !
- EMMA experiment still under way:
  - Many 1000s of turns at fixed energy and for various energies
  - Time of flight measurements / tunes have been measured at various quadrupole settings and various equivalent energies
  - Full orbit correction under way
  - Started detailed characterisation of the accelerator
  - Aperture studies & PRISM experiment to be completed

**Apply lessons learnt to new applications!**

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