Record luminosities at the Tevatron & Future potentiality

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Outline

- Overview of Fermilab operations
- Major accomplishments
- Antiproton Production
- Recycler Only Operation
- Tevatron issues
- Conclusions

Fermilab Accelerator Complex



Two Collider Experiments CDF D0

Two neutrino Experiments NuMI MiniBooNE

120 GeV Fixed Target Experiments

Ongoing program of Tevatron, *p* source, Main Injector, and Recycler upgrades

... One source of protons



Collider Parameters

Parameter	Present	Upgrade	Units
Peak Luminosity	185	300	10 ³⁰ cm ⁻² s ⁻¹
Luminosity Lifetime	8.5	-	hr
Store hours per week	97	105	hr/wk
Integrated Luminosity	5.1	-	pb ⁻¹ /store
Total Run II∫ <i>Ldt</i>	2.2	7	fb ⁻¹
Protons per bunch	250	270	109
p per bunch	58	127	109
Number of bunches	36×36	36×36	
β* at IPs	28	28	m
p stacking rate to Accumulator	17.5	30	10 ¹⁰ /hr
p stacking rate to Recycler	12.0	-	10 ¹⁰ /hr

Luminosity Progress

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Run II Milestones

Milestone	Date	
Start of Run II Commissioning	March 2001	
Collider Operational	July 2003	
Recycler Electron Cooling Operational	July 2005	
Slip Stacking Operational	August 2005	
Lower β^{*} from 35 cm to 28 cm	September 2005	
Recycler Only Operations	October 2005	
Tevatron Separator Upgrade	Spring 2006	

Antiproton Production

- > Beam on target Slip Stacking
- > Consequences

- > Lithium Lens & Aperture upgrades
- Stacktail Cooling Issues

Collider Operation - p Stacking

120 GeV protons (8×10¹²) on target

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8 GeV π , μ , & \overline{p} in AP2 line

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Stochastically stack in Accumulator





Stacking Rate History



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p Stacking - Beam on Target

Stacking rate increases have generally followed the increases in beam on target.

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The steady increase after the 2004 shutdown is due to Slip Stacking.

Presently 8.2x10¹² protons per cycle are routinely targeted.



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Slip Stacking

Two proton batches are injected into the Main Injector on different radial orbits. They will have different momenta and revolution frequencies.

Since the revolution frequency of these two batches are different they will slip longitudinally relative to one another.

When the two batches are azimuthally aligned they are captured in a common RF bucket and accelerated to 120 GeV.





Consequences - Target Damage

3 Nickel disks

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Diameter: 11.43 cm Height: 2.15 cm Air Cooled

Capacity: 6x10¹⁸ protons/disk - Takes ~ 5 weeks to consume one disk -Yield degraded by ~5% after this -Target lifetime is ~3 months



p Production - Collecting beam from the target



Old Li Lens Design



<u>Note</u>:

- No cooling of steel body
- Only septum is made of titanium

High Gradient Lithium Lens - New Design

- Features: > Diffusion bonded titanium body
- > Improvec cooling
- > Li buffer **Titanium Septum & Body** volumes eliminated

Cooling Water

Diffusion Bonding:

> Better, more uniform cooling of lens body

Ceramic

Insulator

Cooling Water

- > Allows use of new Ti alloy (Ti 10V-2Fe-3Al)
- Simplified lens fabrication
- Elimination of weld joints on septum \succ

Beryllium

End Cap

Beam

Measured Yield Increase with Gradient





Accumulator Stacking

Injected beam is moved by RF to Deposition Orbit.

Deposited pulse is moved of the deposition orbit and stacked by the stacktail cooling system.

Deposition orbit must be cleared off prior to next pulse.



Stacktail Bandwidth Improvement



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Recycler Only Operation (1)

Stacking Rate in the accumulator is stack-size dependant.

As the core grows its signal on the stacktail pickups grows also.

The result is core heating by the stacktail. Thus, as the core grows the stacktail gain must be lowered \Rightarrow stacking rate decreases.

Solution: Transfer the beam to the Recycler before the core grows too large.

Stacking rate, mA/h, Aug.18-Sep.18, 200



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Recycler Only Operation (2)

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For more information on rapid transfers to the Recycler see V. Nagaslaev poster

Shifting from Accumulator to Recycler Operation



Newly Operational ➤ BPM Upgrade ➤ Lower β*

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> Separator Upgrade

Problems
Magnet Failures

Yet to Come
> Working point change

BPM upgrade

- \succ 10 25 μm Resolution
- Accuracy of proton position measurement improved by order of magnitude.
- > Ability to measure antiproton orbits for the first time

28 cm β^* Optics Change

Lattice measurements exploited new BPM electronics.

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Tested after HEP prior to store termination.

> β^* change implemented in September 2005.



Separator Upgrade

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- > Additional HV modules installed
- Polarity reversing switches
- > Increased HV capacity

Comparison of luminosity evolution with model that does not include beam-beam effects.

- Prior to separator upgrade a model without beam-beam does not well represent the data
- After separator upgrade beam-beam mitigated model matches data



Tevatron Failures

Three Tevatron magnet failures occurred in early FY 2006. Each were induced by components that failed to operate properly during "mild" quenches.

- > Mild quench -10-15K magnet temperature, < 1 hour recovery
- > Major quench -100k magnet temperature, multi-hour recovery

Two of the magnet failures were the result of failed "Kautzky" (pressure relief) valves.

>We view this as a systematic failure

Shutdown 2006:

Replaced the failed part in all of the Tevatron Kautzky valves (~1200) during this shutdown

➢Repaired all known cold leaks (F4, E2, A3, B4)



Tevatron - Yet to Come

Normal operating point between 4/7 and 3/5.

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Plan to move working point to vicinity of ½ >40% more tune space >Greater chromatic effects



Conclusions

- Enormous progress in the last two years
 - Peak luminosity increase by factor of 2.5
 - > 30-40 pb⁻¹/week integrated luminosity
 - > 2x increase in \overline{p} stacking rate since early 2005
- More is expected
 - > \overline{p} stacking rate increase to ~30x10¹⁰/hr
 - More protons, and antiprotons => higher initial and integrated luminosity
 - $L_0 \sim 270 \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ (Last week had record $L_0 = 277 \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$)
 - *Ldt* ~ 6.4 pb⁻¹/store ~ 320 pb⁻¹/week (my estimates not official)
 - Run II total integrated luminosity of 7 fb⁻¹ is within reach

Debuncher Operation

