Burn-off with asymmetric interaction points

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Asymmetric Interaction Points in (HL-)LHC IP1 & IP5 produce high



IP1 & IP5 produce high luminosity collisions \Leftrightarrow placed symmetrically.

IP8 produces low luminosity collisions $\stackrel{\star}{\Rightarrow}$ for different bunch pairs than IP1 & 5

Bunches colliding in IP1/IP5/IP8 suffer more intensity burnoff than the rest, generating bunch-bybunch variations which affect detector performance.

Collision patterns up to 3 bunches

B2





IP1/5 collision: ——

IP8 collision: -----





Type 1: cycle graph



All bunches in any cycle graph (any number of bunches) will follow the same burn-off (ignoring initial variations).

Type 2: string graph





All bunches in string graphs have different burn-off but it is a good approximation to consider internal bunches as loops.

Relevant configurations



B1	B2	Standard	BCMS
1	1	2376	2017
2	-2	186	345
3	3	186	345
(4)	-4	0	29

Analytical equations for the simulation code



$$\begin{array}{ccc} & & & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & & \\ \hline n_2 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_2 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_2 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_2 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_2 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_2 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_2 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_2 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_2 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_2 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_2 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ n_1 & & & \\ \hline n_1 & & & \\ n_1 & & & \\ n_1 & & & \\ n_1 &$$

$$n_{1}(t) = n_{2}(t)n_{r}e^{\sigma n_{2,0}\chi t}$$

$$n_{2}(t) = n_{2,0}\frac{\chi}{n_{r}e^{\sigma n_{2,0}\chi t} - \sigma_{r}n_{r} - 1}$$

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Worst bunch here is 3 in the string of 2 bunches.



Experimental evidence in LHC: luminosity



Experimental evidence in LHC: intensity





Experimental evidence in LHC: emittance





Summary & outlook



- ★ Bunch-by-bunch luminosity variations from burn-off are expected
- ★ with rms of about 2% in HL-LHC with LHCb upgrade II.
- ★ Tolerance is 10% rms and injectors could take most of it with 3% rms on bunch intensity and 9% on emittance.
- \star Need to simulate fills with initial fluctuations from injectors.
- ★ Experimental evidence observed in LHC. However further beam dynamics effects enter into play via emittance blow-up.
- ★ Further observations in Run 3: LHCb @ 2×10^{33} , IP1/5 @ $1-2 \times 10^{34}$.

Extra slides

Impact of LHCb upgrade II on ATLAS/CMS





LHCb upgrade II would reduce ATLAS/CMS integrated luminosity by 2% for both Nominal and Ultimate.

Impact on bunch population



Increasing LHCb luminosity to 1.5×10^{34} cm⁻²s⁻¹ comes with *a priori* a small impact on IP1&5 performance but introduces bunch-by-bunch variations



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Analytical solution for asymmetric collisions



It is possible to solve the differential equations for burn-off with unequal bunch charges and constant emittance (single IP):

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}n_1}{\mathrm{d}t} = -\sigma_r n_1 n_2 \quad , \qquad \frac{\mathrm{d}n_2}{\mathrm{d}t} = -\sigma_r n_1 n_2 \quad .$$

giving, for $n_{1,0} > n_{2,0}$:

$$egin{array}{rll} n_1(t) &=& rac{n_{1,0}\mathrm{e}^{\sigma_r(n_{1,0}-n_{2,0})t}}{rac{n_{1,0}}{n_{1,0}-n_{2,0}}(\mathrm{e}^{\sigma_r(n_{1,0}-n_{2,0})t}-1)+1} &, \ n_2(t) &=& rac{n_{2,0}}{rac{n_{1,0}}{n_{1,0}-n_{2,0}}(\mathrm{e}^{\sigma_r(n_{1,0}-n_{2,0})t}-1)+1} &. \end{array}$$





The ratio n_1/n_2 computed from previous eqs. gives:

$$rac{n_1(t)}{n_2(t)} \;=\; rac{n_{1,0}}{n_{2,0}} \mathrm{e}^{\sigma_r(n_{1,0}-n_{2,0})t} \;\;,$$

featuring an exponential divergence!

Therefore the interplay between bunch-by-bunch variations generated by the injectors, IP8 and the exponential amplification is of concern.

Asymmetric Interaction Points in (HL-)LHC



