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Optics Considerations for the PS2

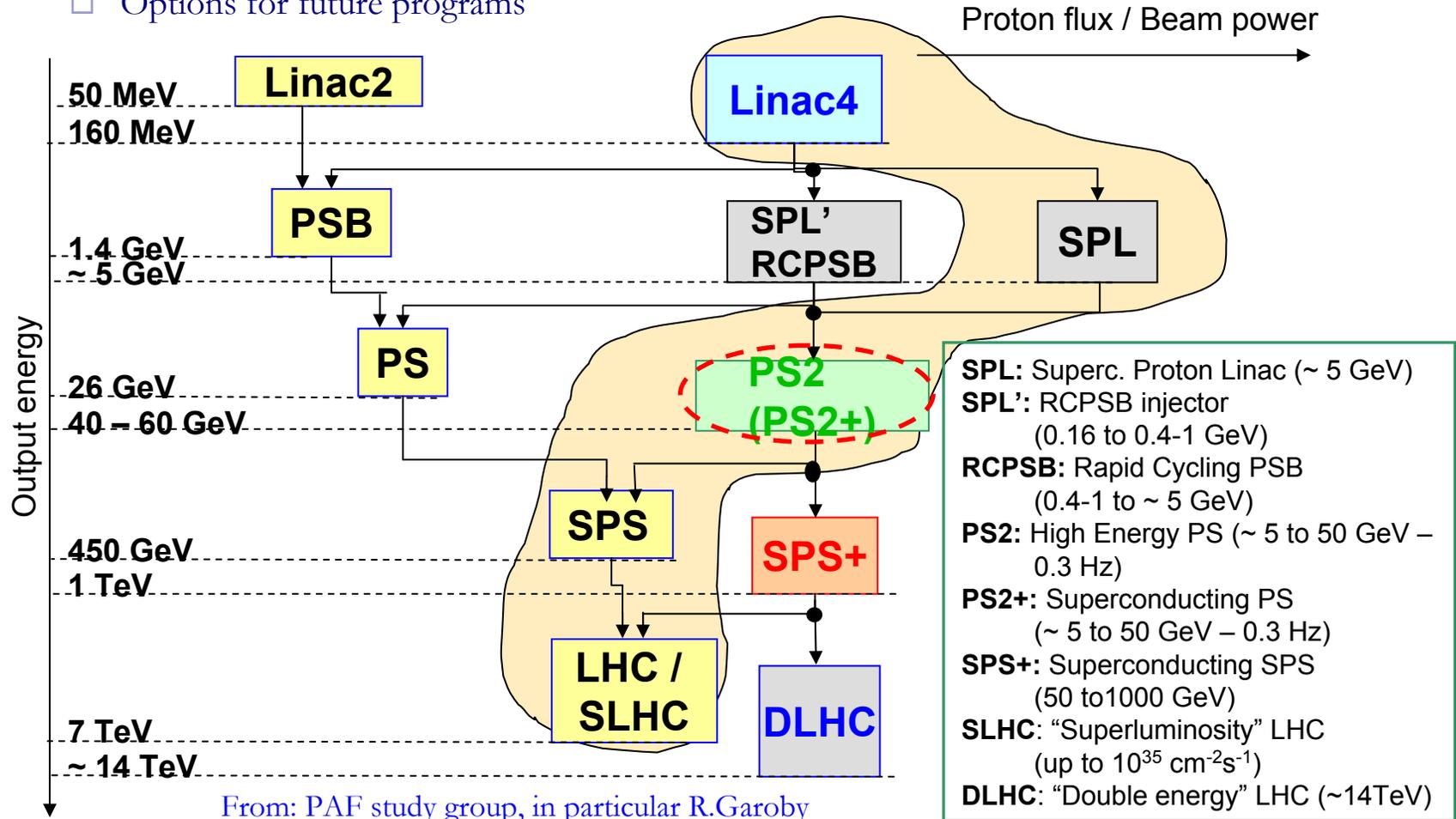
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Introduction - Motivation

- Proton Accelerators for the Future (PAF) study – identify upgrade scenario
 - Reliable operation for the LHC (allow ultimate LHC beam)
 - Options for future programs



Introduction – Requirements for PS2



- Replace the ageing PS and improve options for physics
- Integration in existing complex
- Versatile machine:
 - Many different beams (and bunch patterns)
 - Protons and ions (performance if SPL injector ?)
- Transfer operations
 - Injections:
 - H- charge exchange injection for protons (assuming SPL as injector)
 - Fast injection for ions (low magnetic field)
 - Ejections:
 - Fast single turn ejection (e.g. LHC beams)
 - Multiturn ejection (beam cut transversally in ~ 5 pieces) for SPS fixed target
 - Slow ejection (~ 1 s spill) for PS2 physics

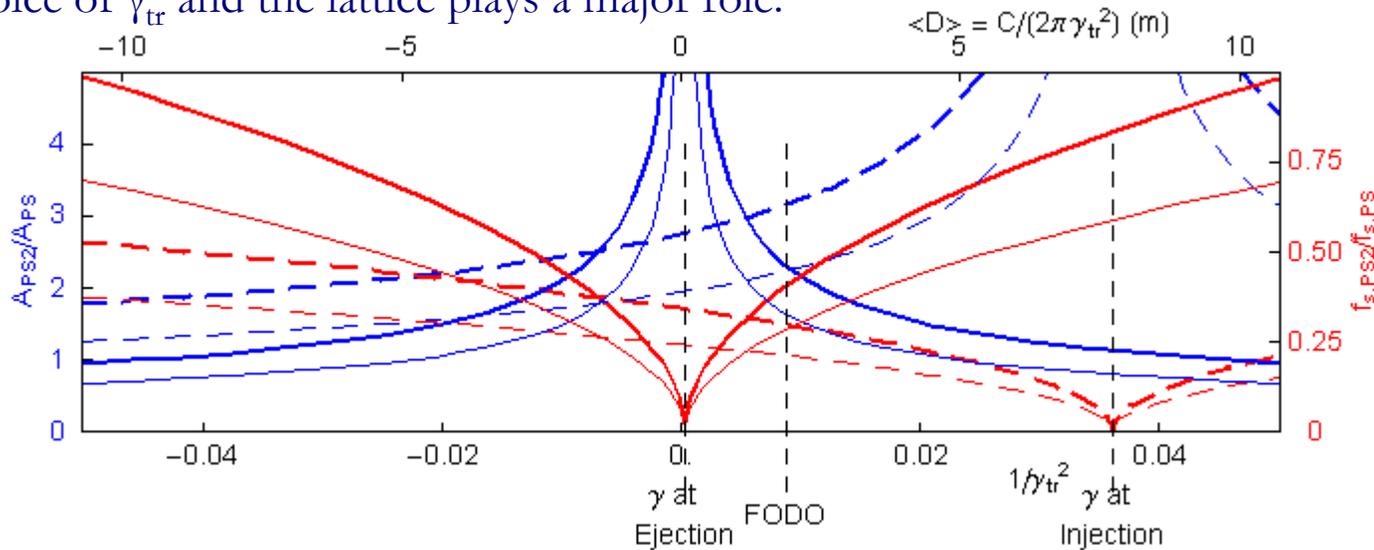
Design Considerations



- Considerations on machine circumference C_{PS2} :
 - PS2 ejection energy: 50 GeV (improve SPS performance)
 - $C_{\text{PS2}} \sim 2 C_{\text{PS}}$ (no superconducting high field magnets for robust operation)
 - SPS filling (5 turn PS2 ejection) and abort gap: $C_{\text{PS2}} \sim C_{\text{SPS}}/5 = 2.2 C_{\text{PS}}$
 - Analysis of possible bunch patterns required: $C_{\text{PS2}} = (15/77) C_{\text{SPS}} = 1346.4 \text{ m}$
- Required performance:
 - LHC scenarios: up to 4.0×10^{11} per LHC bunch (20% reserve for losses), spaced by 25 ns (average line density fixed), normalized rms emittances $3.0 \mu\text{m}$
 - Fixes (with direct space charge tune shift: 0.2) injection energy: 4 GeV
 - High intensity SPS physics beam with single transfer from PS2 determines aperture
- RF for bunch pattern for LHC options
 - Extrapolation of present PS scheme:
 - Tunable “10 MHz” system and various RF gymnastics involving higher fixed frequency cavities
 - Single $\sim 40 \text{ MHz}$ RF system with little tuning for acceleration:
 - Incompatible with ion operation
 - Proton bunch structure implemented at injection with chopping of SPL

Longitudinal Aspects

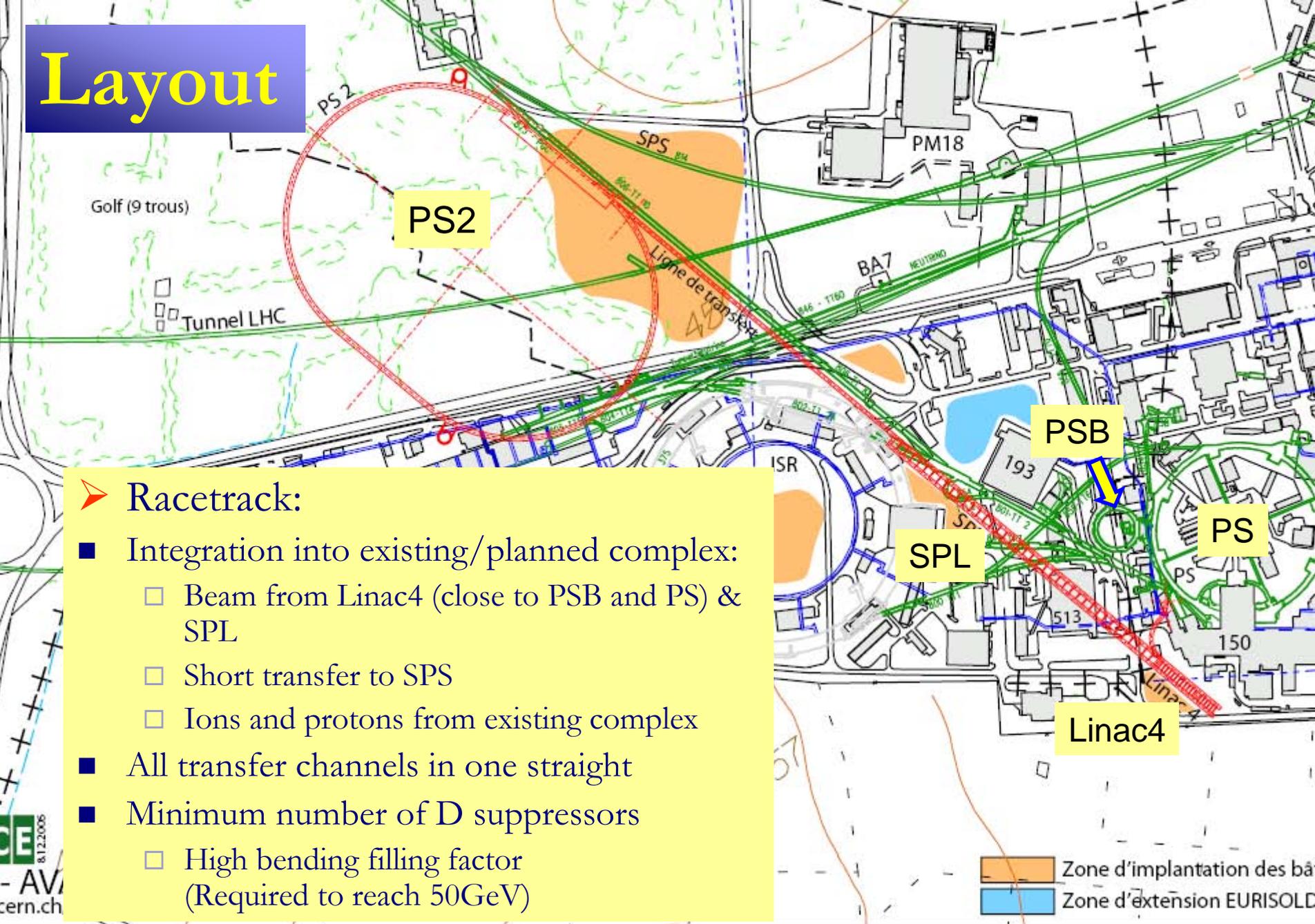
- The increase of working range (PS: 1.4 → 26GeV, PS2: 4 → 50GeV):
 - Slows down longitudinal motion while increasing acceptances
 - Impacts on RF gymnastics
- Choice of γ_{tr} and the lattice plays a major role:



Acceptance (blue) and adiabaticity (red) penalty functions
 at injection (dashed) and ejection (solid)
 keeping RF Voltages of present PS (thin lines) and doubling gradients (thick lines)

- Search for lattices with imaginary γ_{tr} :
 - Avoid transition crossing
 - Extrapolation of PS scheme: $1/\gamma_{tr}^2 = -.01$ implies a factor 2 longer gymnastics at ejection

Layout

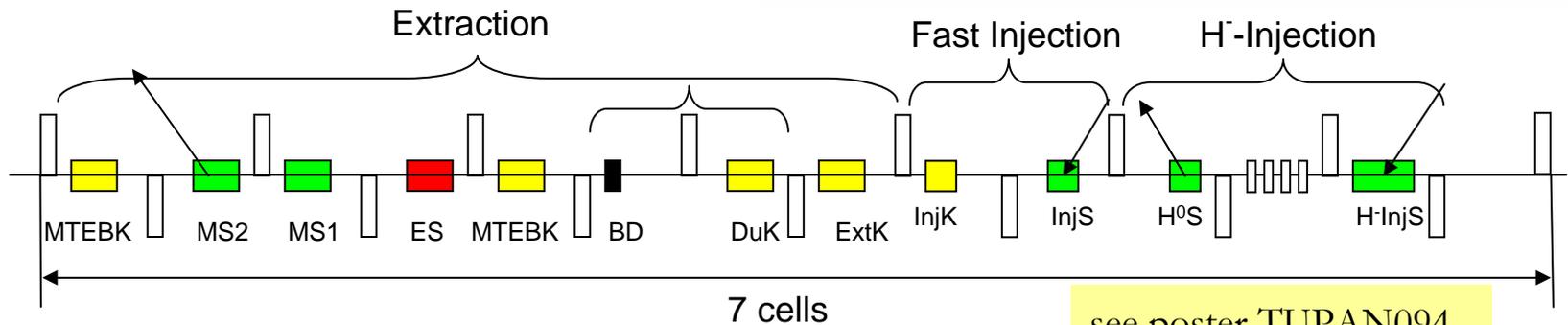
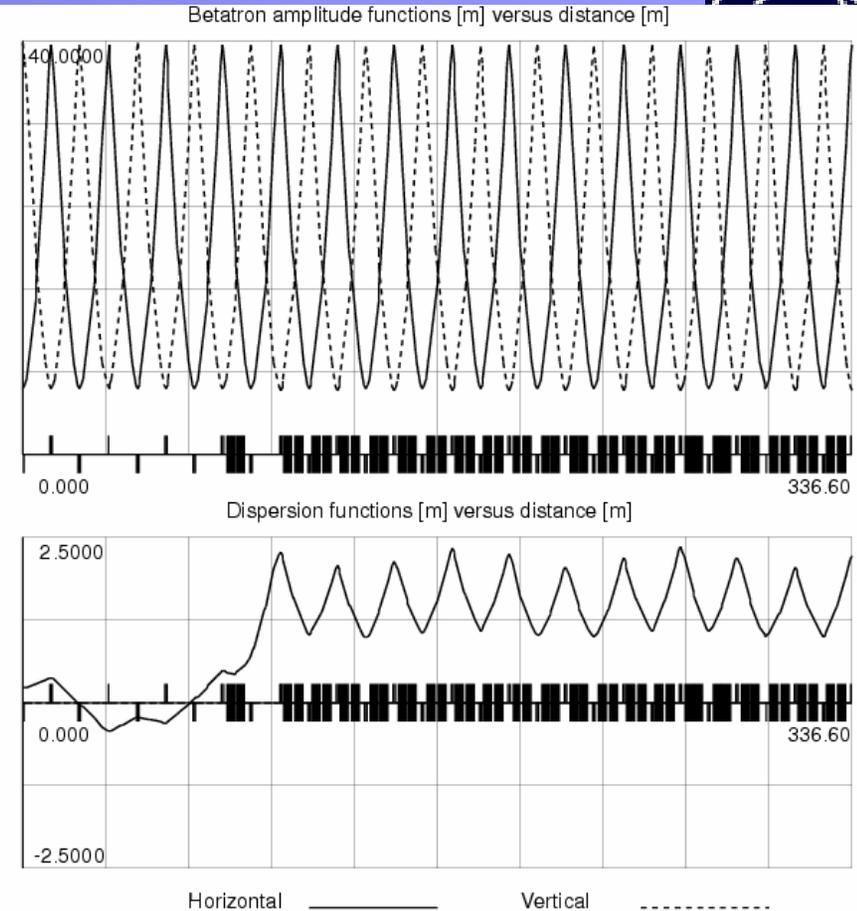


➤ Racetrack:

- Integration into existing/planned complex:
 - Beam from Linac4 (close to PSB and PS) & SPL
 - Short transfer to SPS
 - Ions and protons from existing complex
- All transfer channels in one straight
- Minimum number of D suppressors
 - High bending filling factor (Required to reach 50GeV)

Plain FODO Lattice

- Conventional Approach:
 - FODO with dispersion suppressors for $D = 0$ m in straights
 - 90° phase advance per cell for injection/ejection equipment
 - 7 cells/straight and 22 cells/arc -> in total 58 cells
 - $Q_H = 14.5$, $Q_V = 14.5$
 - Only complete lattice at present



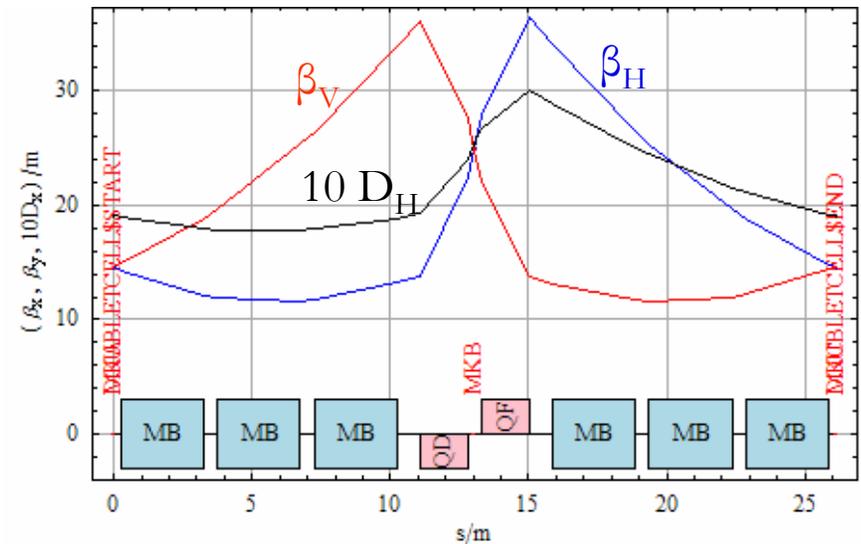
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Doublet and Triplet Lattices



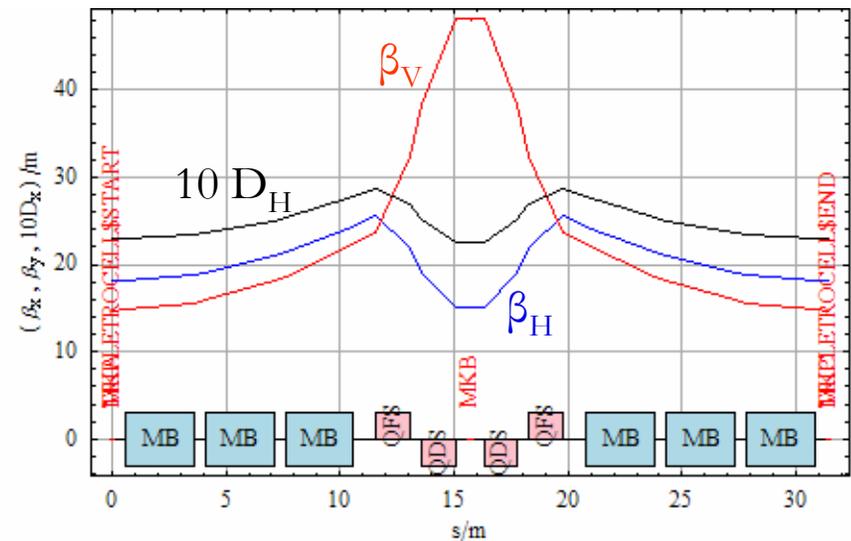
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- Long straight sections
- Inefficient focusing (high gradients)
- Put aside at present



■ Triplet:

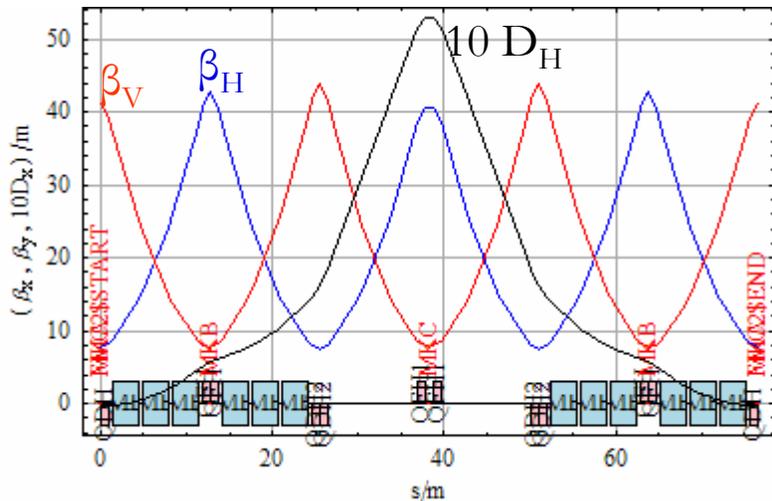
- Long straight sections
- Small maximum β 's in bending magnets
- Inefficient focusing (high gradients)
- Put aside at present



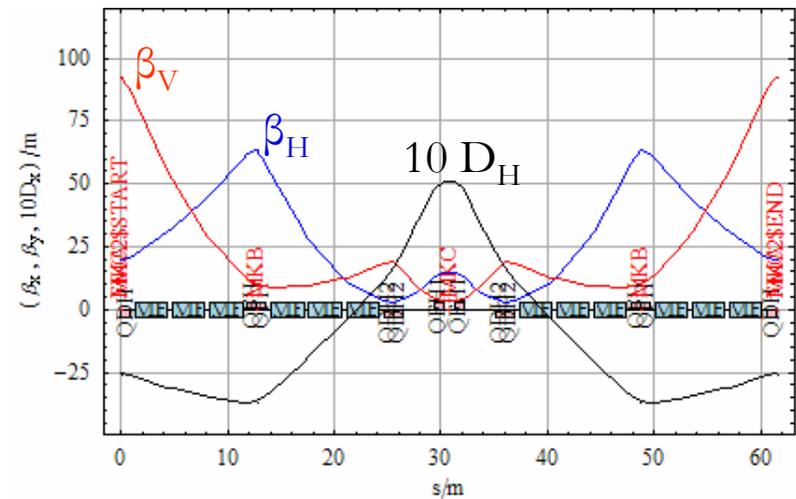
Negative Momentum Compaction (NMC) Modules



- Negative dispersion in bendings needed
- Similar to and inspired from existing modules (e.g. J-PARC, many studies)
- First approach (one module made of three FODO cells):
 - Match regular FODO (no bends in central cell) to given phase advance
 - reduced distance and rematch only central quads to given phase advance (in general three times that of the FODO)



regular FODO 90°/cell
 -> zero dispersion at beginning/end



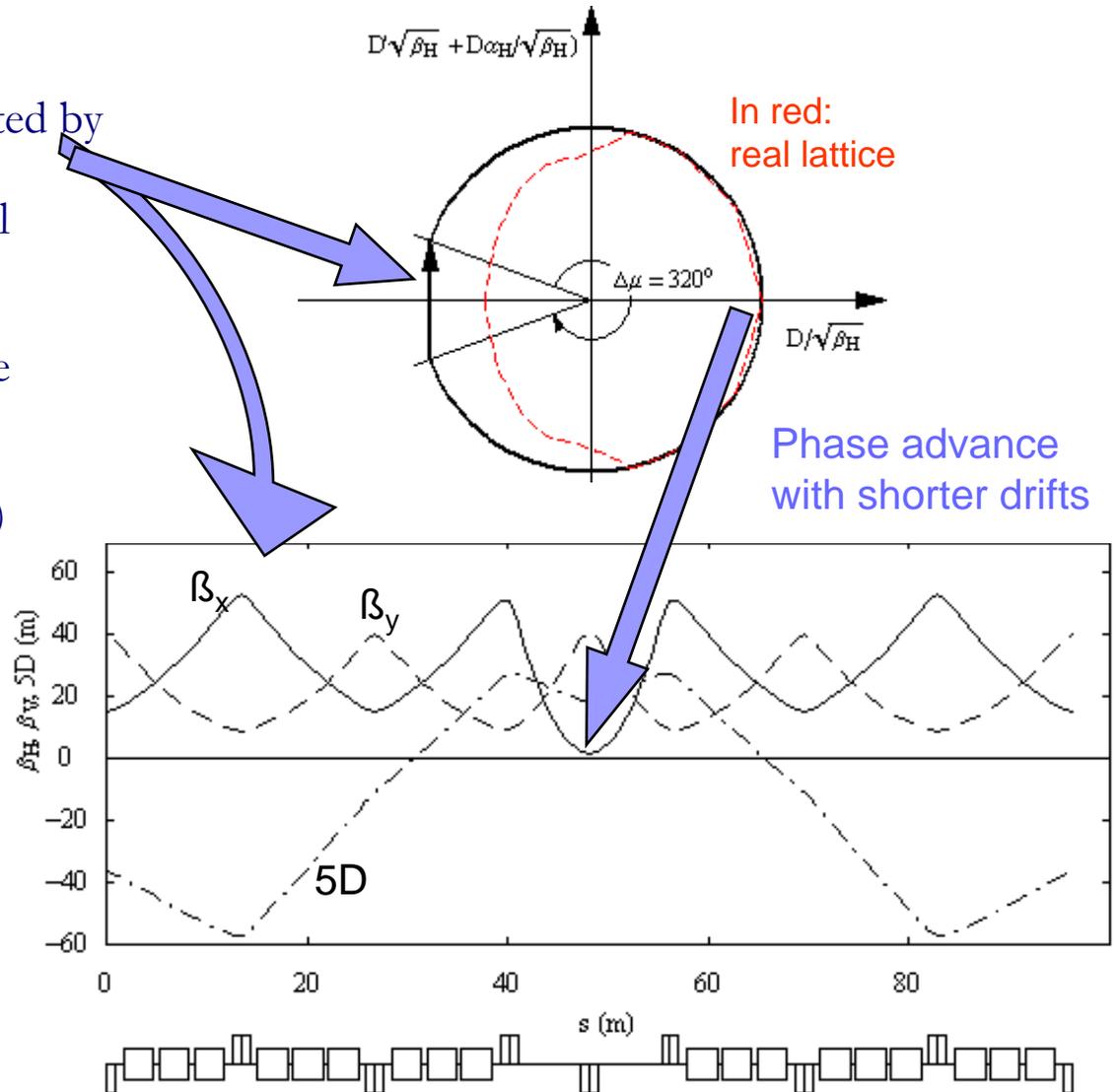
reduced drift in center, average 90°/cell
 -> negative dispersion at beginning/end
 $\gamma_{tr} \sim 10 i$ (for whole PS2)

Negative Momentum Compaction (NMC) Modules



■ Second approach:

- Dispersion beating excited by “kicks” in bends,
- Resonant behavior: total phase advance $< 2\pi$
- Improve filling factor: four FODO per module
- Central drifts could be filled (price: increased momentum compaction)



■ Challenges:

- Filling factor
- Straights with zero dispersion

Summary and Outlook



- Study on PS2 to replace the ageing PS started (in the frame of more general investigations on CERN complex upgrades)
- Different lattice types investigated
 - FODO type lattice a good candidate and well advanced
 - NMC lattice based on FODO a candidate
 - No transition crossing
 - Challenge: high dipole filling factor, matching to straights with zero dispersion
- Outlook:
 - Complete a lattice based on NMC modules
 - Revise longitudinal gymnastics (momentum compaction acceptable ?)
 - Thorough study of non-linear dynamics and instabilities
 - Foreseen schedule:
 - Completion of PS2 Study: 2010
 - Decision and start of construction : 2012 (?)