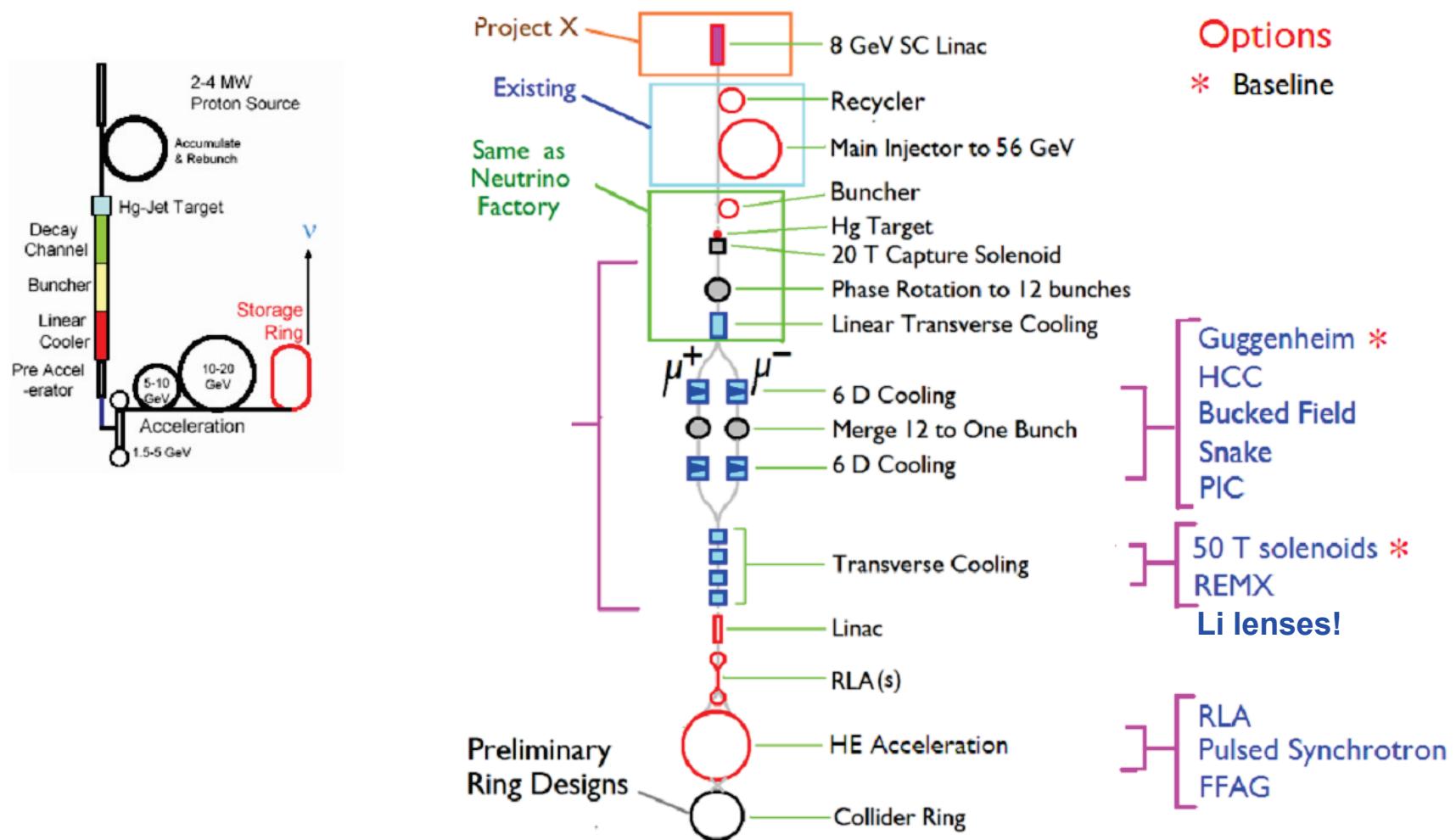


Design & Simulations Overview



NF & MC Baseline Schemes





Where We Were (a Year Ago)

Front end

- **Muon production:**

- Extensively studied. Simulations predicted only weak dependence of the pion yield on the proton energy but rather on the beam power.
- MERIT experiment underway

- **Capture/RF bunching/rotation:**

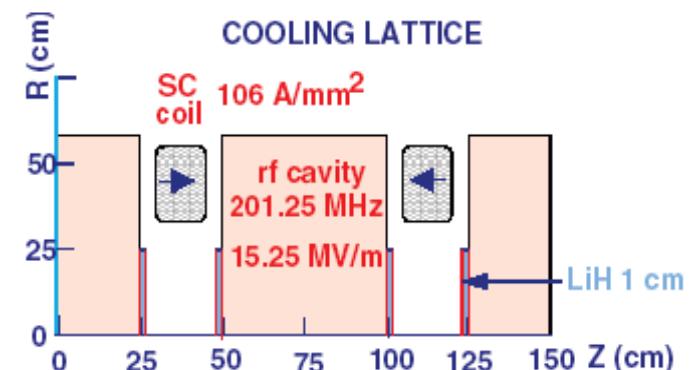
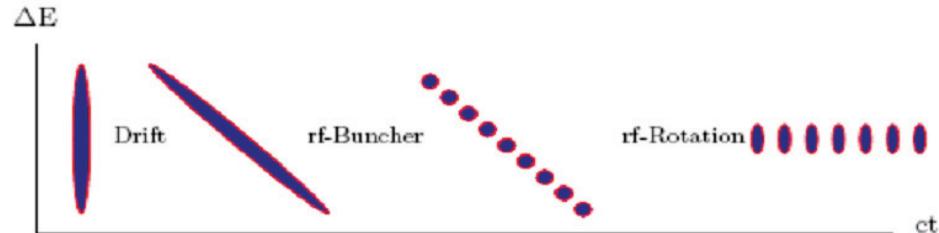
- scheme employing RF cavities with different frequencies to capture muons in a long train of bunches and to level their mean energies developed (D.Neuffer)

Issues: RF in magnetic field; number of bunches;

- **Initial (transverse) cooling ($\varepsilon_{\perp N} > 2\text{cm} \rightarrow <1\text{cm}$):**

- Alternating solenoid channel and its modifications.
- MICE experiment in preparation

Issues: RF in magnetic field





Where We Were (cont'd)

6D Ionization cooling ($\epsilon_{\perp N}$ 1cm \rightarrow 0.5mm):

- "Guggenheim" RFOFO channel
 - simplified simulations O.K.

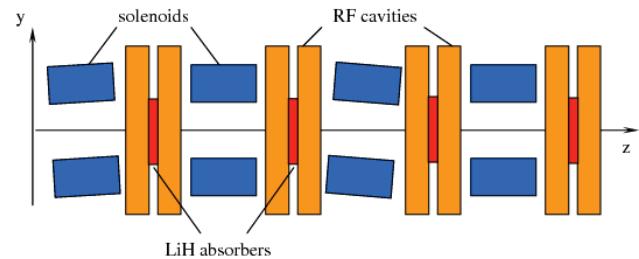
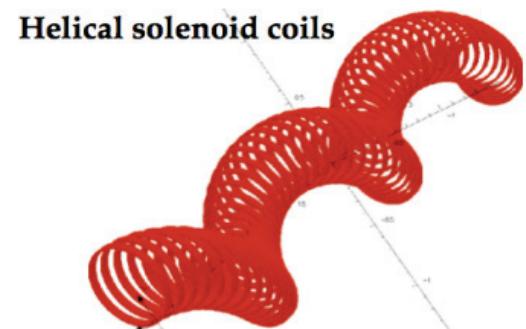
Issues: RF in magnetic field, simulations with real magnetic fields

- Helical Cooling Channel (HCC) with HPRF
 - theory (Y.Derbenev & R.Johnson), simulations with G4BL (K.Yonehara).
 - V.Kashikhin's solution (helical solenoid) how to avoid too high transverse B-fields

Issues: incorporating RF into the channel, HPRF with ionizing beam

- FOFO snake with block solenoids
 - theory, planar lattice design (YA)

Issues: RF in magnetic field, realistic simulations





Where We Were (cont'd)

Final cooling ($\varepsilon_{\perp N}$ 0.5mm → < 25μm):

- **High-field (50-60T) solenoid channel**

- simplified simulations with ICOOL (B.Palmer)

Issues: RF in magnetic field, no full lattice design

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“brute force” methods

- **Li lens channel**

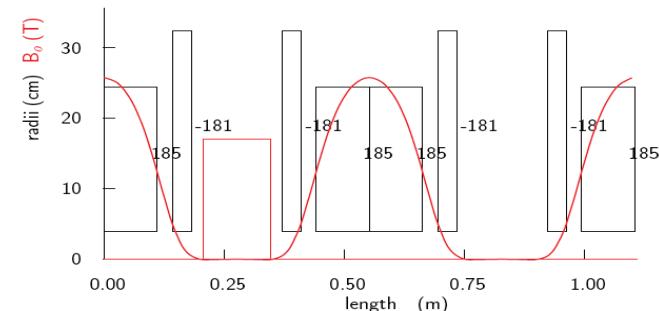
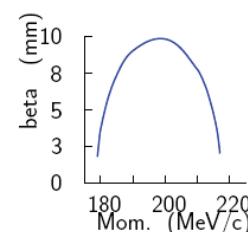
- lattice design & simulations (V.Balbekov)

Issues: small momentum acceptance, performance limited by Li heating

- **Low β lattice (R.Fernow)**

- lattice design & simulations

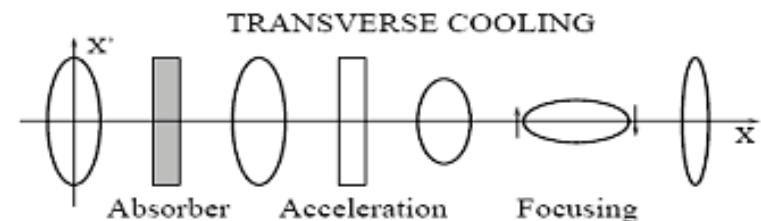
Issues: strong aberrations



- **PIC (Parametric resonance Ionization Cooling - V.Balbekov, re-invented by Y.Derbenev & R.Johnson)**

- theory, several lattice designs

Issues: strong aberrations





Where We Were (cont'd)

Muon Acceleration :

- **FFAG**

- lattice design, simulations
- EMMA in preparation

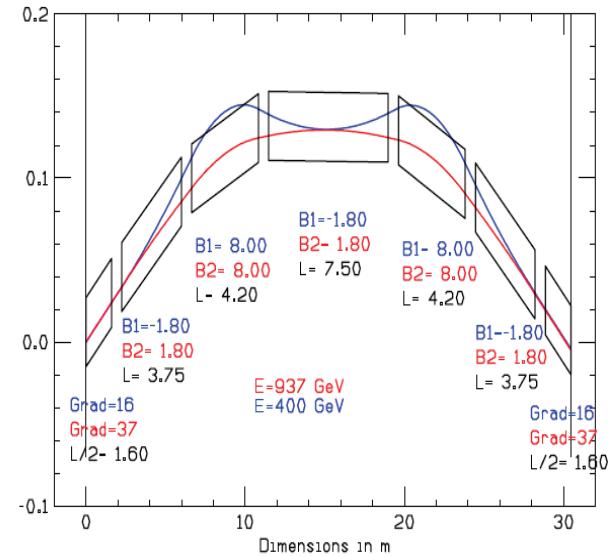
- **RLA**

- various options for linac and arcs studied
(A.Bogacz)

- **Fast Ramping Synchrotrons (D.Summers)**

- Scheme and lattice design for $30\text{GeV} \rightarrow 400\text{GeV} \rightarrow 0.75\text{TeV}$ tandem

Particle Paths in a 400 to 750 GeV Hybrid Half Cell



Dipoles oppose at injection, then act in unison at extraction.

*No problem expected with acceleration in NF,
there may be issues with acceleration of high-intensity bunches in MC*



Where We Were (cont'd)

Muon Collider Ring

- **Optics design**

- two 1996 designs for 2TeV, $\beta^*=3\text{mm}$, $\alpha_c \sim 10^{-5}$ (K.Oide and A.Garren et al.)

Issues: high sensitivity to errors ($\beta_{\max} \sim 900\text{km}$ and 300km respectively), too strong sextupoles in Oide's design, too small momentum acceptance in A.Garren's design)

- "Dipole first" optics (YA & Eliana) 0.75TeV, $\beta^*=1\text{cm}$, $\alpha_c \sim 10^{-4}$

Issues: insufficient DA, unknown effect of the IR dipoles on detector

- New attempts by Bogacz & Derbenev, Carol & Snopok

- **Detector protection**

- Background simulations, shielding design based on A.Garren's optics (N.Mokhov)

- **Magnets**

- LHC upgrade design is a good first approximation

- Open mid-plane magnets designed (R.Gupta) with $B=13-16\text{T}$



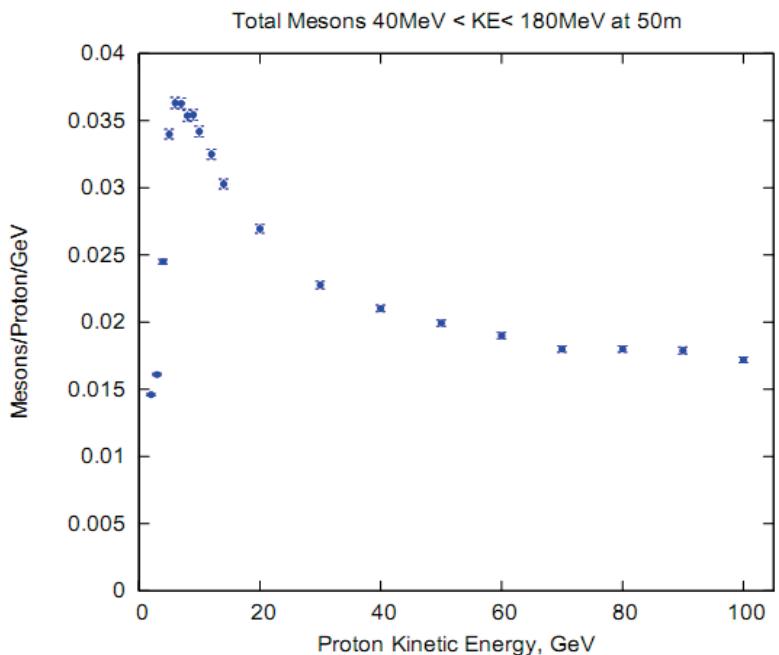
Recent Activities - Front End

Meson production in Hg target (H.Kirk)

- optimization for every proton energy
- new version of MARS code used
- important results for choice of the p-driver parameters (a strong argument in favor of 8 GeV)

P-driver options (just for reference):

- Project-X 8 GeV linac + accumulator/compressor rings (C.Ankenbrandt, M.Popovic)
- 8 GeV Fast Ramping Synchrotron with 600MeV injector (D.Summers)
- One of the above + acceleration to 56 GeV in MI (D.Neuffer)
- 21 GeV Fast Ramping Synchrotron with 2 GeV injector (D.McGinnis, V.Lebedev) + rebunching ring

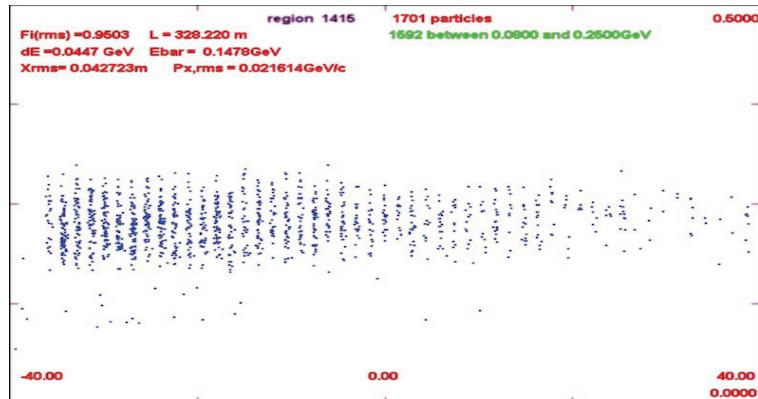
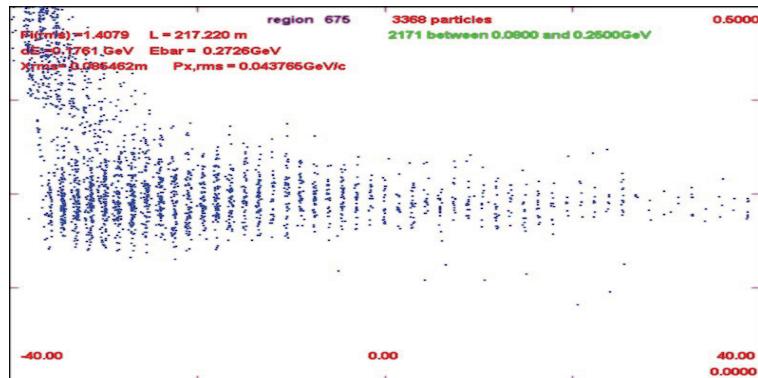
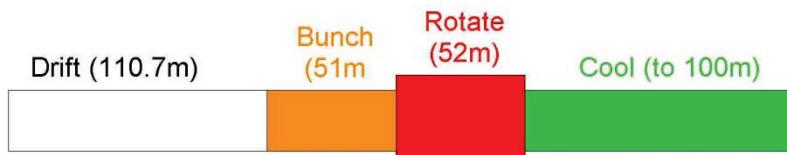




Muon Bunching/Rotation (D.Neuffer)

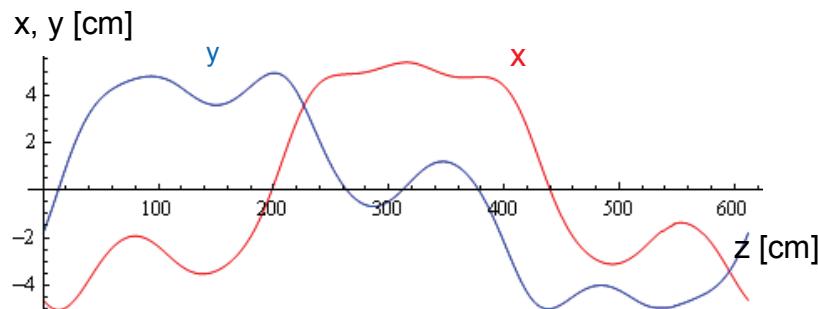
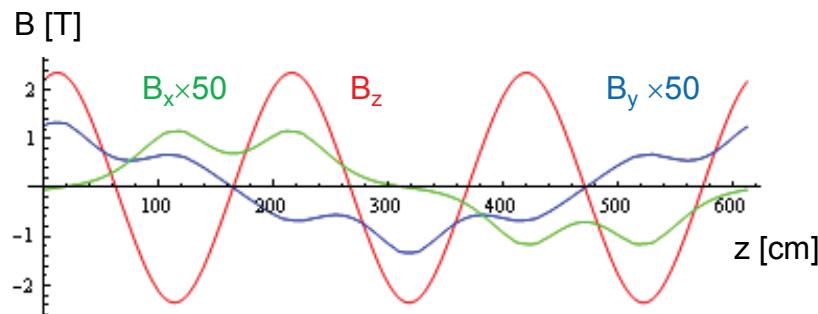
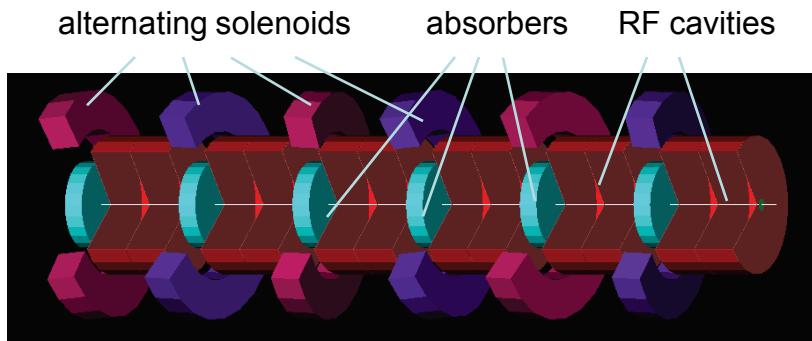
Optimization of the baseline scheme:

- alternating solenoids in the rotator (to provide a kind of magnetic insulation) ⇒
- increase in RF voltage (10MV/m → 15MV/m) ⇒
 - capture efficiency $0.2\mu/p \rightarrow 0.25 \mu/p$ at $E_p=24\text{GeV}$
 - smaller number of bunches (12) containing 80% of μ 's
- increase in mean momentum ($220\text{MeV}/c \rightarrow 280\text{MeV}/c$) allows to pack muons in even smaller number of bunches



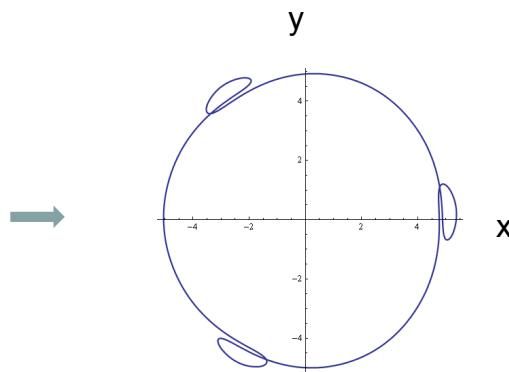


FOFO Snake for Initial Cooling (YA)



Periodic orbit for $p=200\text{MeV}/c$

- The idea: create rotating B_{\perp} field by periodically tilting solenoids, e.g. with 6-solenoid period.
- Periodic orbits for μ^+ and μ^- look exactly the same, just shifted by a half period (3 solenoids).
- With tune $Q_{\perp} > 1$ (per period) $\mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{D} > 0$
 \Rightarrow muons with higher momentum make a longer path \Rightarrow longitudinal cooling achieved even with planar absorbers





FOFO Snake for Initial Cooling (YA)

Particular example:

Solenoids: L=24cm, Rin=60cm, Rout=92cm, pitch 7mrad, B_z max=2.35T ($p=200\text{MeV}/c$)

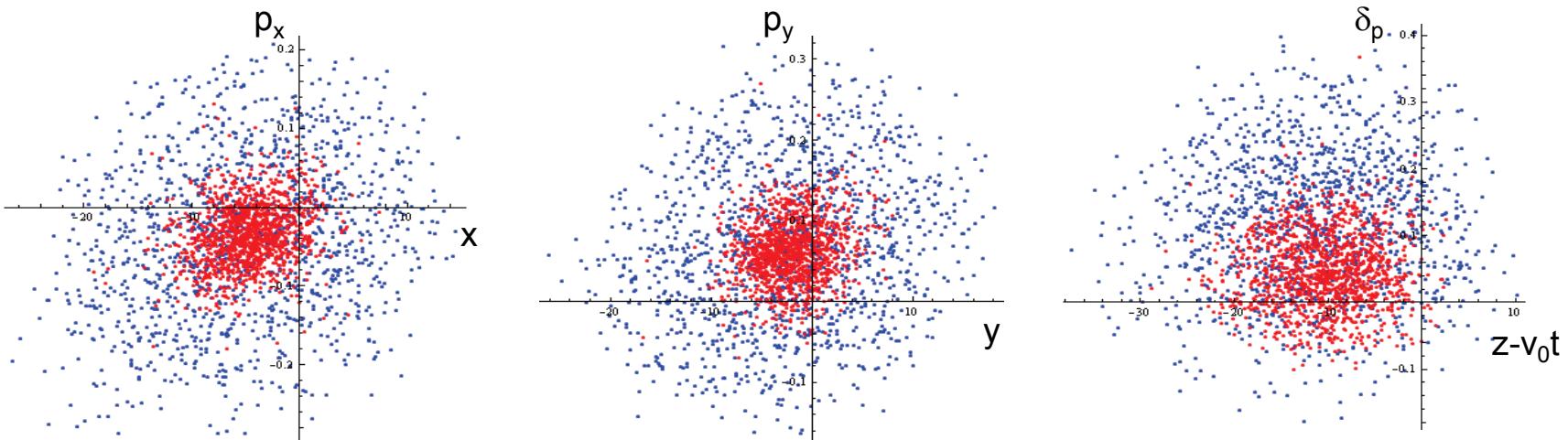
RF: 200 MHz pillbox 2x36cm, Emax=16MV/m

Absorbers: 15cm LH2 planar

Equilibrium emittances, $\varepsilon_{in}[\text{cm}]$: 0.32, 0.45, 0.69 (w/o windows)

Tracking: initial emittances [cm]: 2.05, 2.13, 3.75

w/o stochastic effects and decay survival over 25 periods (153m) 97%



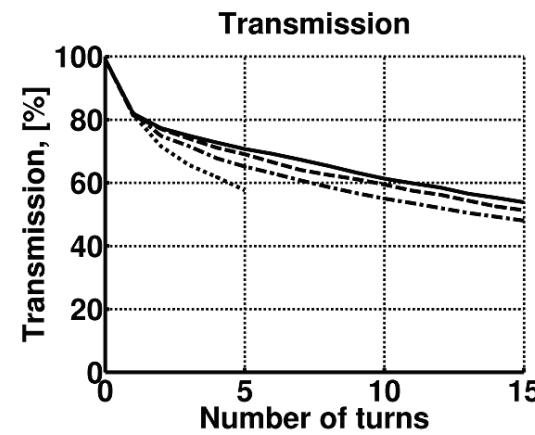
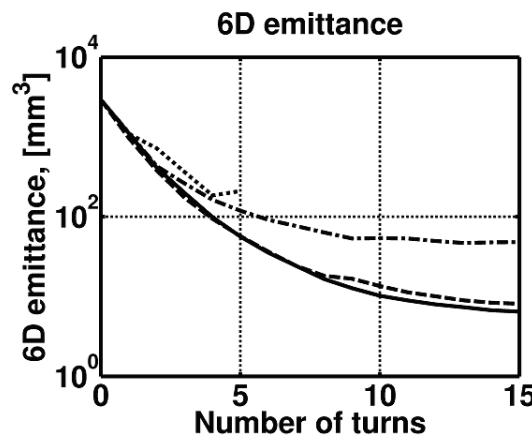
This channel is also an option for basic 6D-cooling



Guggenheim Simulations (P.Snopok)

Four simulations are considered:

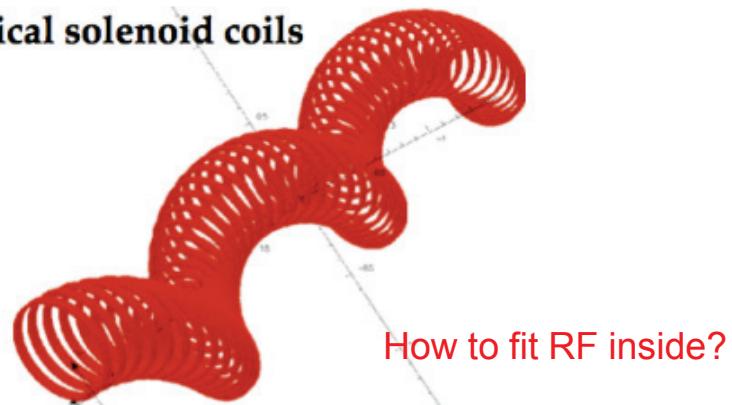
- Original RFOFO lattice
- Ideal Guggenheim (shielding between layers, single turn)
- “Realistic” Guggenheim (shielding between layers, single turn, RF cavities with windows, absorbers with windows)
- 5-layer “fair” Guggenheim (no shielding, all 5 layers contributing, all windows)





Helical Cooling Channel

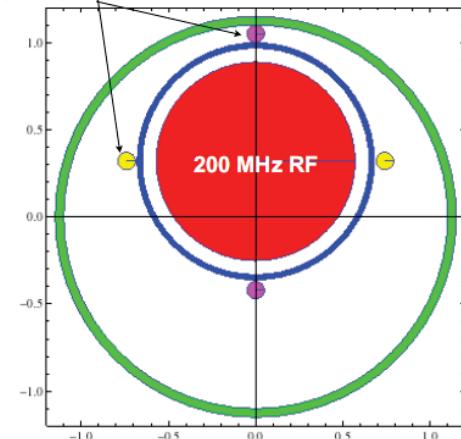
Helical solenoid coils



New design

Introduce helical quadrupole conductors to generate optimum field gradient

Helical quadrupole conductor

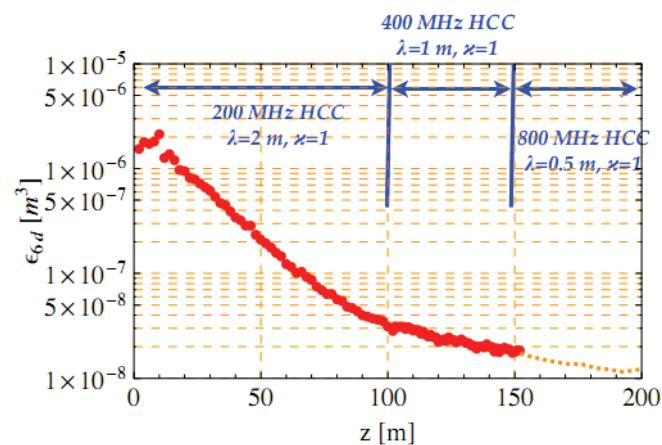


- **New ideas how to increase the required HCC inner radius:**

- Quad coils + counter-solenoid (K.Yonehara)
- Additional wedge absorbers (V.Balbekov) - abandoned

- **New ideas for RF in HCC:**

- Travelling wave structure (L.Thorndahl)
- Dielectric-filled cavities (M.Popovic)
- Toroidal cavities (V.Balbekov) - abandoned





Final cooling

- **Li lenses revisited**

- D.Cline, K.Lee and A.Garren considered Li ring

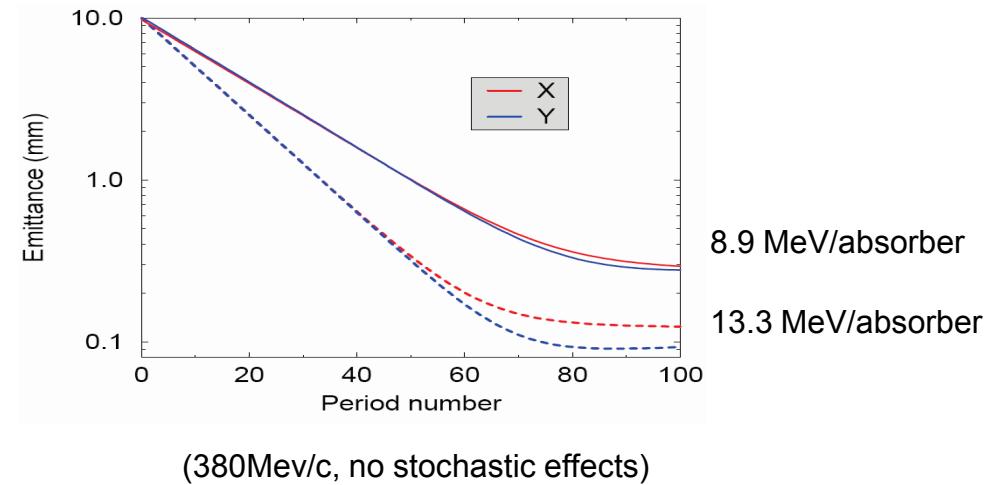
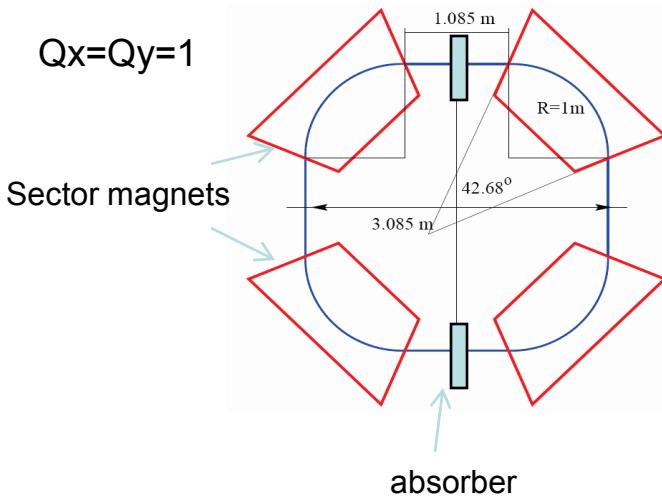
- V.Lebedev has some practical ideas

- **Parametric resonance structures (PIC)**

- “proof-of principle” simulations with ICOOL by Palmer and Fornow, but w/o addressing the aberrations issue

- “Epicyclic HCC” proposed by Derbenev with purportedly smaller aberrations and larger dispersion to facilitate their correction

- “Fringe-focusing” ring cooler proposed by Balbekov (can it be “guggenheimized”?)





Muon Acceleration

- Design of the baseline NF accelerator chain is mainly done

- Various modifications of RLA considered

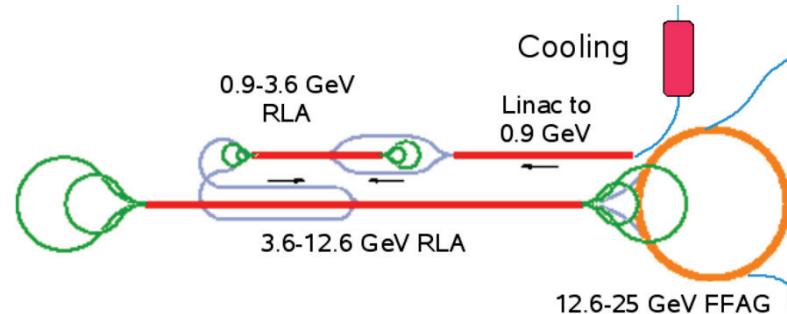
- pulsed optics in linacs and multiple “droplet” arcs \Rightarrow up to 12 passes
- FFAG arcs in both racetrack and “dogbone” configurations

- Fast Ramping Synchrotrons

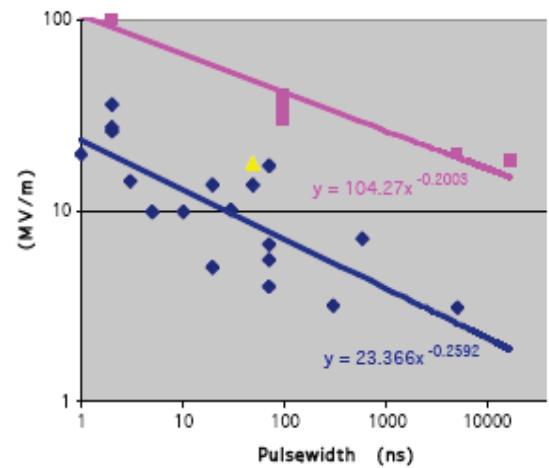
- D.Summers considers energies beyond 1TeV

- High-Gradient Induction Linac?

- “Dielectric Wall Accelerator” (G.Caporaso, LLNL) may be an efficient way to accelerate single high-intensity bunches



Surface breakdown field stress (MV/m) vs. Pulsewidth



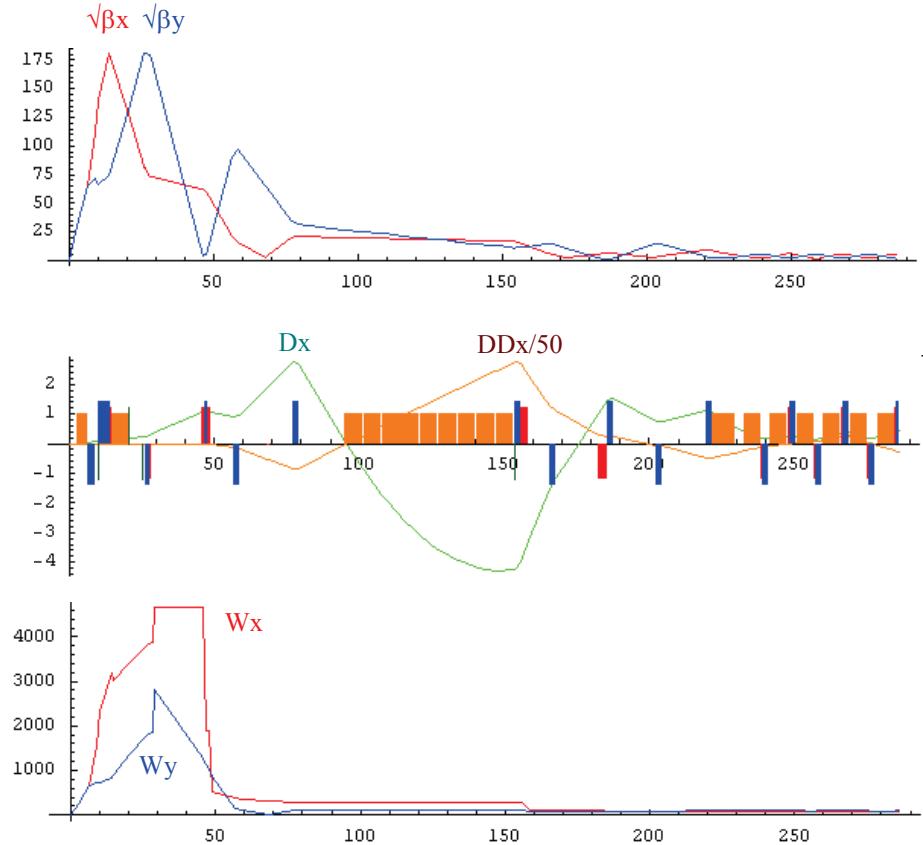


Collider Ring Optics

- Nonlinear correctors in the 0.75TeV “dipole first” lattice adjusted. Basic parameters:

- $\beta^* = 1\text{cm}$
- $\beta_{\text{max}}=32\text{km}$
- momentum compaction $= 5.5 \cdot 10^{-5}$
- circumference $= 3.1\text{km}$
- momentum acceptance $\pm 0.63\%$
- Dynamic Aperture $\geq 3\sigma$ for $\varepsilon_{\perp N}=25\mu\text{m}$

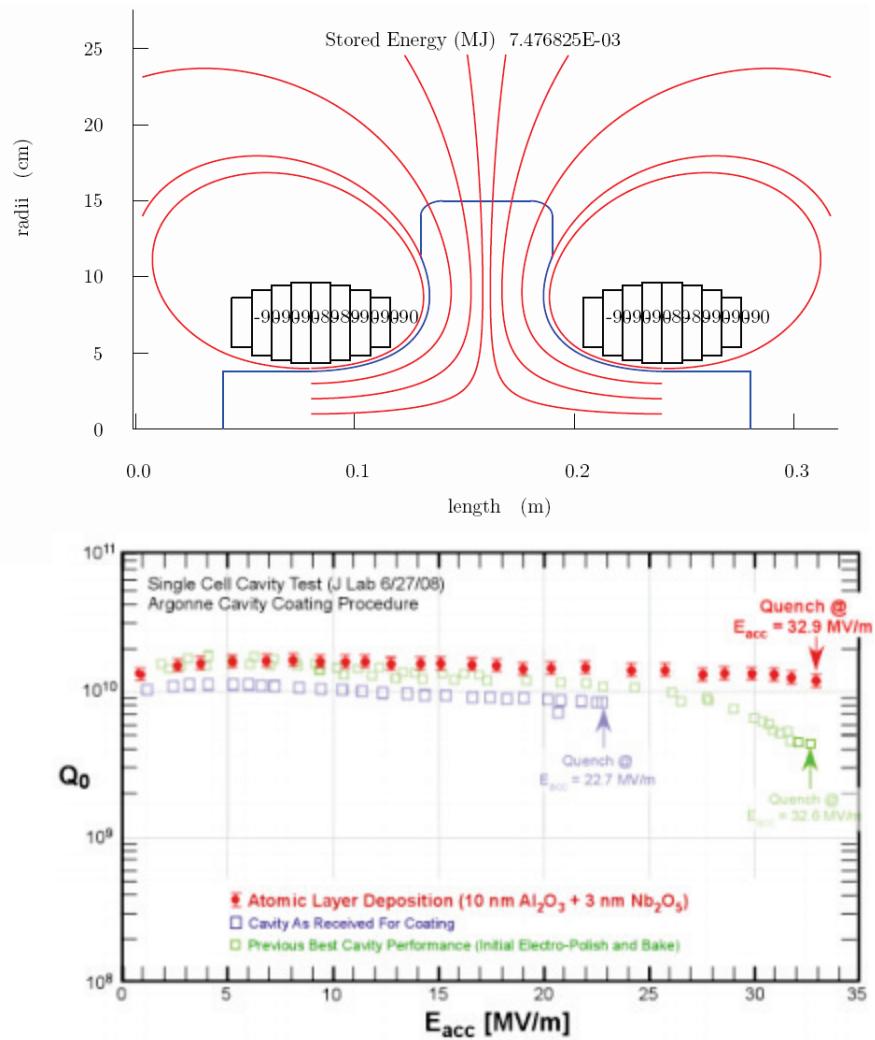
- Work started on new design combining local IR chromaticity correction with non-interleaved special sections (Eliana)

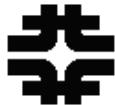




RF simulations

- **HPRF**
 - effect of ionization by accelerated beam (A.Tollestrup)
- **RF breakdown simulations**
 - “induced cyclic fatigue” due to energy deposition by electrons (BNL)
 - plasma formation and “exponential” growth due to field emission enhancement by local plasma potential (ANL)
- **Cures:**
 - “magnetic insulation” (R.Palmer)
 - atomic layer deposition (J.Norem)





Summary

- **Significant progress in all areas of NF and MC projects**
 - front-end design optimized
 - encouraging results for FOFO snake, new HCC scheme
 - new ideas for final cooling (EpicyclicPIC, FringeFieldPIC)
 - MC lattice design meeting requirements
 - new versions of RLA and FS
 - better understanding of RF breakdown mechanism
- **NF IDS mature enough to produce CDR within ~3 years**
- **There are critical issues for MC, most notably with final cooling, that will be addressed in 5-year plan (R.Fernow)**
- **My apologies for not mentioning many important results**



Backup slide - Emittance Evolution

