

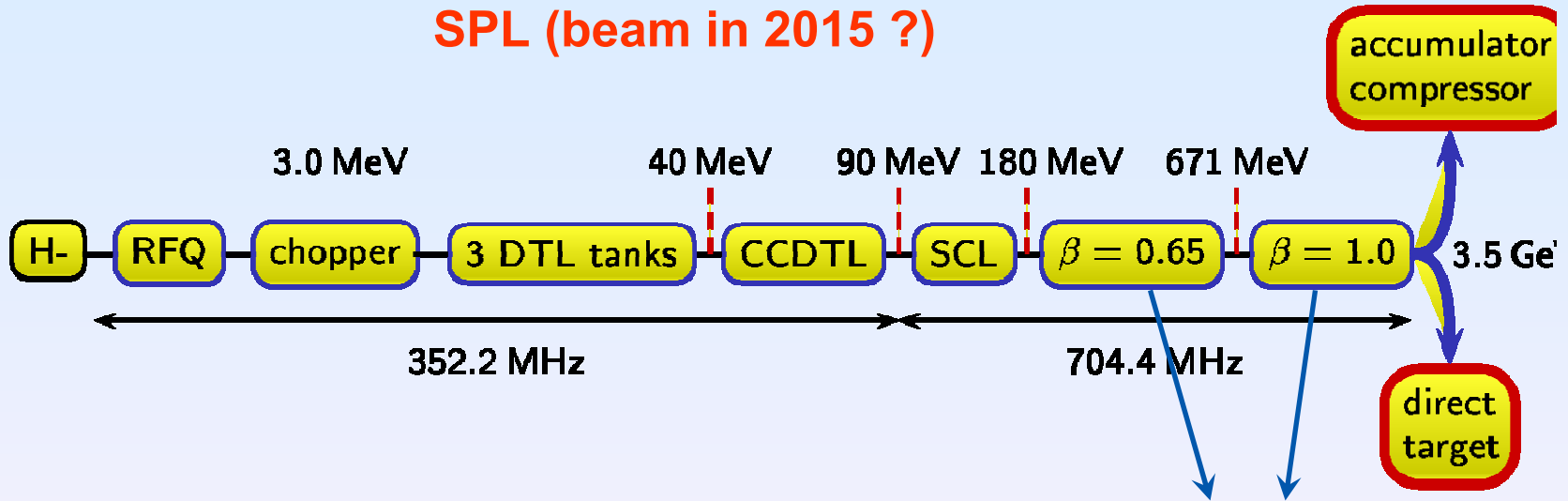
# SPL-based Proton Driver for $\nu$ Facilities at CERN: Updated Description

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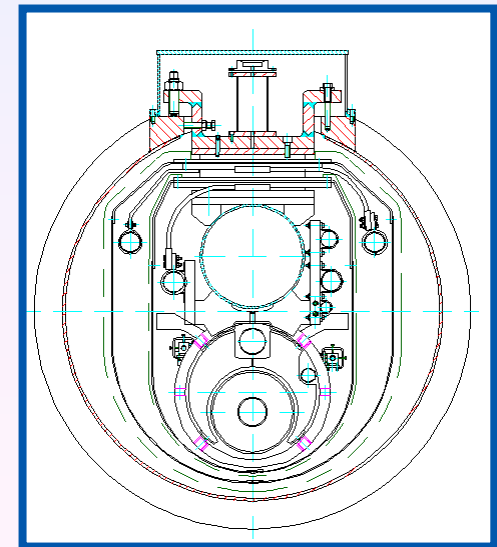
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# SPL block diagram (CRD-2)

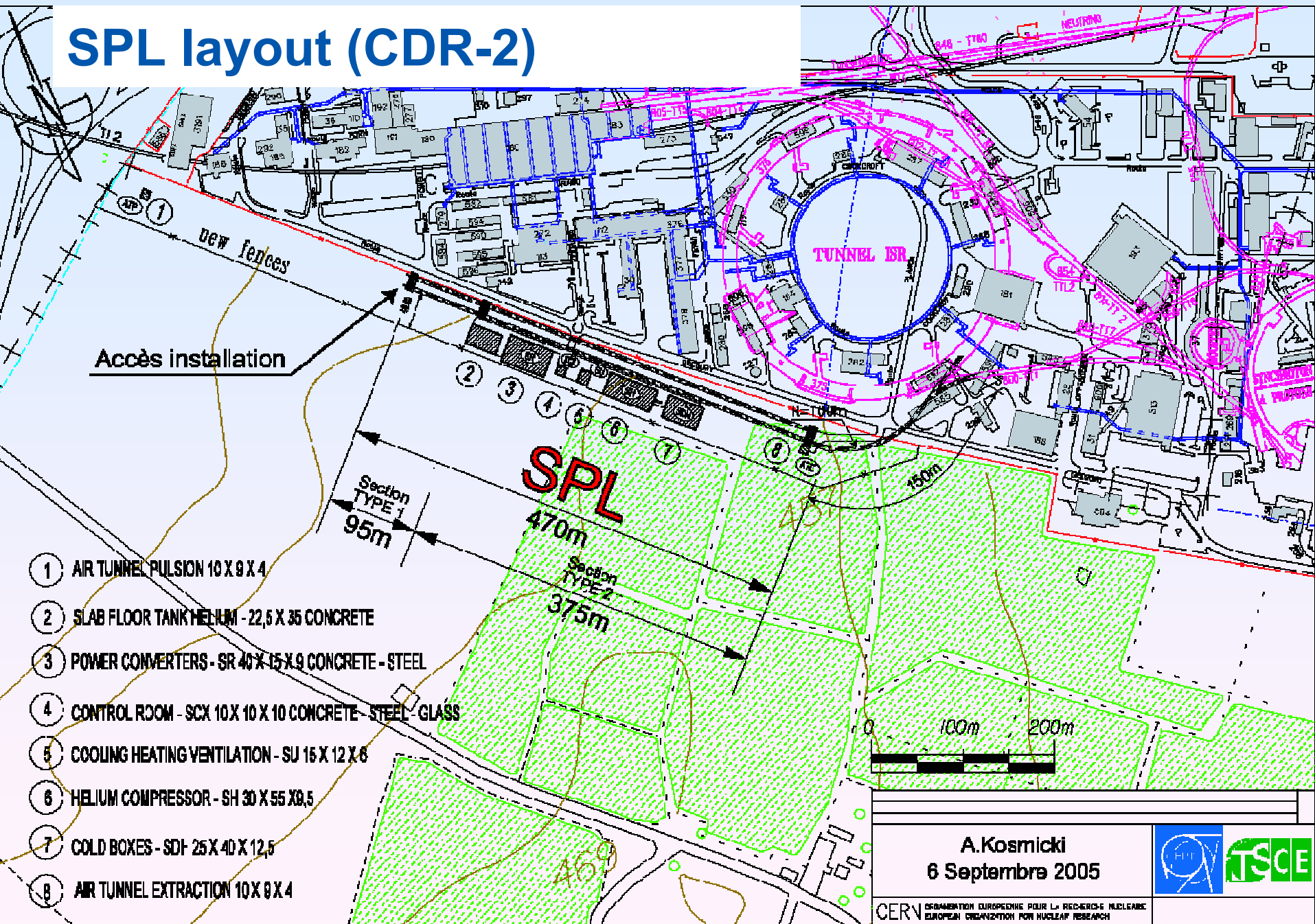
## SPL (beam in 2015 ?)



- relocation of Linac4, adding 366 m of SC RF,
- PS booster becomes obsolete,
- cavity power < 1 MW,
- TESLA/ILC type cryostats (INFN Milano) with 5-cell SC Nb cavities (CEA/INFN) and cold quadrupoles,
- layout and beam dynamics (CEA Saclay).

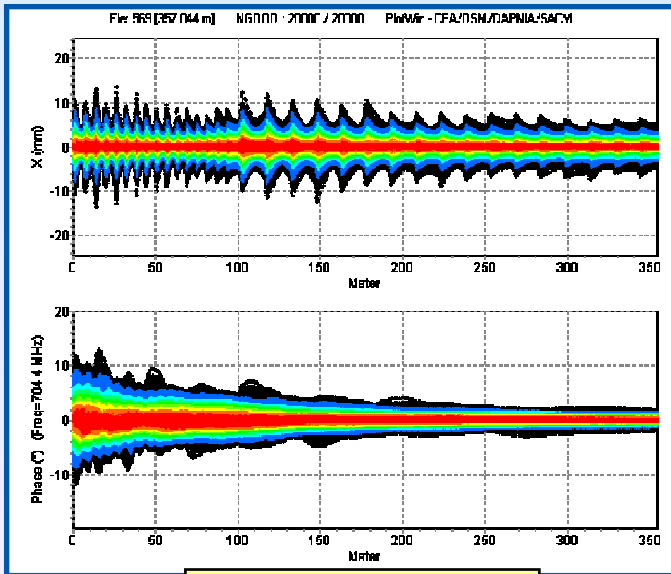


# SPL layout (CDR-2)

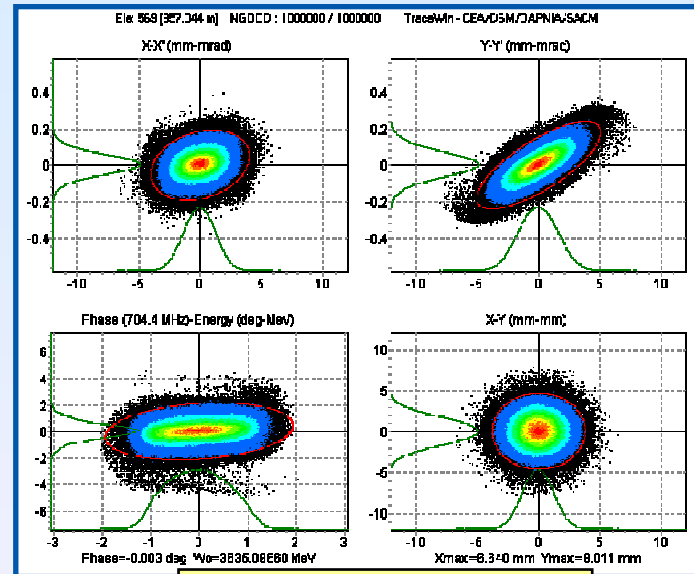


# SPL beam dynamics (CDR-2)

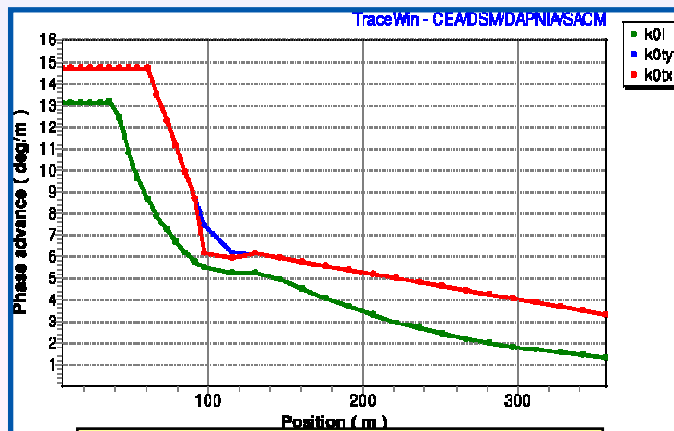
## Beam dynamics (CEA Saclay)



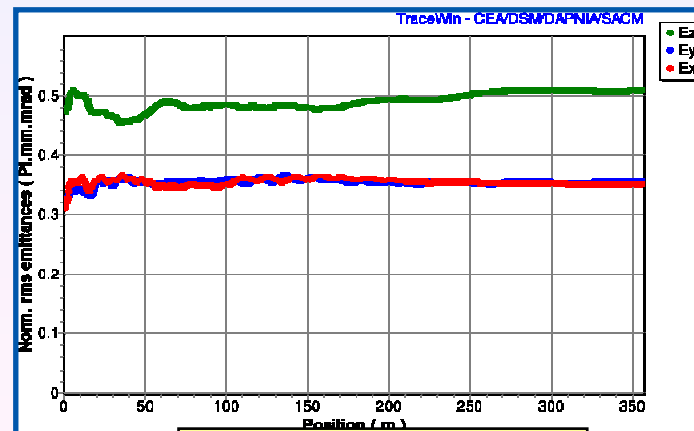
beam envelopes



output phase space



phase advance per metre



emittance evolution

# SPL beam characteristics

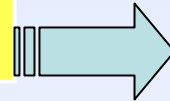
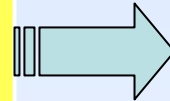
|                                   | CDR1<br>[2000] | CDR2<br>[2006] |     |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|----------------|-----|
| energy                            | 2.2            | 3.5 ↑          | GeV |
| average beam power                | 4              | 4              | MW  |
| length                            | 690            | 450 ↓          | m   |
| average RF power                  | 24             | 17.4 ↓         | MW  |
| average cryogenics power          | 9.6            | 6.7 ↓          | MW  |
| repetition rate                   | 50             | 50             | Hz  |
| beam pulse length                 | 2.8            | 0.57 ↓         | ms  |
| average pulse current*            | 13             | 40 ↑           | mA  |
| peak current*                     | 20.8           | 64 ↑           | mA  |
| beam duty cycle                   | 14             | 2.9 ↓          | %   |
| peak RF power                     | 32             | 163 ↓          | MW  |
| no. of 352.2 MHz klystrons (1 MW) | 44             | 14 ↑           |     |
| no. of 704.4 MHz klystrons (5 MW) | -              | 44             |     |
| no. of tetrodes                   | 79             | 3              |     |
| cryo temperature                  | 4.5            | 2 ↓            | K   |

\* after chopping

# Scenarios for accumulation & compression (1/7)

For  $\nu$  physics, the time structure of the linac beam has to be changed:

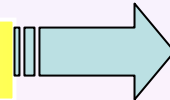
- for a **beta-beam based facility**  
[200 kW beam @ 1-5 GeV]  
+  
super-beam [4 MW @ 3.5 GeV]



Long beam burst ( $\sim$ ms)  
 $\Rightarrow$  direct use of linac beam

Short beam burst ( $\sim$  $\mu$ s)  
 $\Rightarrow$  accumulator

- for a  **$\nu$  factory** [4 MW beam @ 4-10 GeV]



Short beam burst ( $\sim$  $\mu$ s)  
 $\Rightarrow$  accumulator  
+  
Short bunches ( $\sim$ ns)  
 $\Rightarrow$  compressor

The requirements of a  $\nu$  factory are the most demanding.

# Scenarios for accumulation & compression (2/7)

Parameters required by a  $\nu$  factory\*

|                              |               |
|------------------------------|---------------|
| Beam power (P)               | ~ 4 MW        |
| Kinetic energy (T)           | 4 – 10 GeV    |
| Bunch length                 | 1-3 ns rms    |
| Distance between bunches ??? | $\geq 100$ ns |
| Burst length                 | 1-3 $\mu$ s   |
| Repetition rate              | $\leq 50$ Hz  |

\* Partial understanding...

# Scenarios for accumulation & compression (3/7)

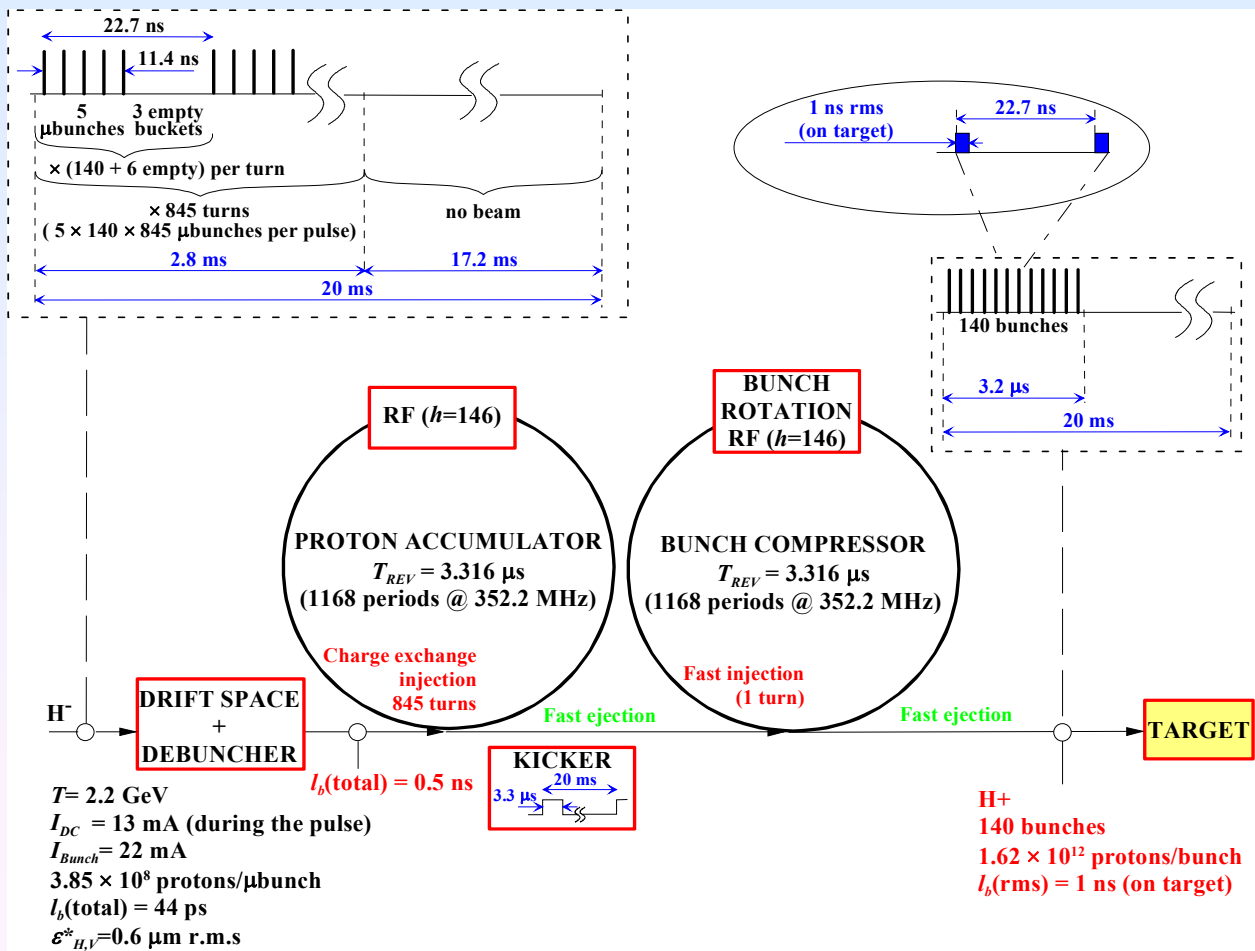
## Consequences for a linac-based driver

|  |  |
|--|--|
| <b>Kinetic energy (T)</b>                            | <b>Cost increases with T<br/>⇒ Minimize T (&lt; 4 – 8 ? GeV)</b>   |
| <b>Repetition rate (<math>f_{\text{rep}}</math>)</b> | <b>Constant beam power imposes the number of protons/pulse <math>N_p</math></b>  |
| <b>Bunch length (<math>l_b</math>)</b>               | <b>Energy acceptance + longitudinal space charge restrict to low longitudinal emittance<br/>⇒ minimum number of bunches (<math>N_b</math>)</b>   |
| <b>Distance between bunches (<math>d_b</math>)</b>   | <b>Accumulator circumference C is proportional to <math>N_b \times d_b</math><br/>&amp; Laslett tune shift <math>\Delta Q</math> is proportional to C<br/>⇒ minimize <math>d_b</math> to minimize <math>\Delta Q</math> &amp; cost</b> |
| <b>Burst length</b>                                  | <b>Constraints the highest value of C</b>  |



# Scenarios for accumulation & compression (4/7)

With SPL CDR1 (2000): severe constraint due to the low beam energy



|                        |                             |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <b>T</b>               | <b>2.2 GeV</b>              |
| <b>f<sub>rep</sub></b> | <b>50 Hz</b>                |
| <b>N<sub>p</sub></b>   | <b>2.27 10<sup>14</sup></b> |
| <b>l<sub>b</sub></b>   | <b>1 ns</b>                 |
| <b>N<sub>b</sub></b>   | <b>140</b>                  |
| <b>d<sub>b</sub></b>   | <b>22.7 ns</b>              |
| <b>C</b>               | <b>3.316 μs</b>             |

# Scenarios for accumulation & compression (5/7)

With SPL CDR2 (2006): higher beam energy => less constraints



First approach...

|  |   |
|--|---|
| <b>Kinetic energy (T)</b>                            | <b>3.5 GeV</b>  |
| <b>Repetition rate (<math>f_{\text{rep}}</math>)</b> | <b>50 Hz <math>\Rightarrow N_p = 1.43 \cdot 10^{14}</math> p/p</b>  |
| <b>Bunch length (<math>l_b</math>)</b>               | <b>For the same <math>\Delta p/p</math> acceptance + because of lower <math>N_p</math><br/>+ relaxing on <math>l_b</math> (2 ns instead of 1 ns)<br/><math>\Rightarrow N_b</math> (goal) = 17<br/>[<math>8.41 \cdot 10^{12}</math> p/b]</b> |
| <b>Distance between bunches (<math>d_b</math>)</b>   | <b><math>d_b</math> (goal) = 90.86 ns<br/>C (goal) = 1.635 <math>\mu</math>s</b>  |

Feasibility in the accumulator/compressor has been pre-checked

# Scenarios for accumulation & compression (6/7)

**With a linac-based driver there is the possibility to do multiple accumulations with a single linac beam pulse, and therefore generate multiple bursts of beam onto the target.**

This is of interest if:

- all parameters are constant in the  $\mu$  channel during the whole duration of the proton beam on the target (transverse focusing, gradient in the RF cavities...). It is not unreasonable to hope for  $\sim 1$  ms.
- the  $\mu$  storage ring is long enough to contain all the successive bursts.

The main disadvantage is that the kickers must provide multiple kicks within  $\sim 1$  ms.

**This makes it possible to tailor the intensity per burst / the distance between bunches / the main cycling rate of whole facility...**

# Scenarios for accumulation & compression (7/7)

With SPL CDR2 (2006): other approach using multi-pulsing

Fill & eject 6 times single bunches from an accumulator/compressor of 272 ns revolution period

Fill & eject 12 times single bunches from an accumulator/compressor of 272 ns revolution period


|  |   |   |
|--|---|---|
| <b>Kinetic energy (T)</b>                            | <b>&gt; 3.5 GeV</b>                       | <b>3.5 GeV</b>                            |
| <b>Repetition rate (<math>f_{\text{rep}}</math>)</b> | <b>6 bunches at 50 Hz</b>                 | <b>12 bunches at 25 Hz</b>                |
| <b>Number of protons/bunch</b>                       | <b><math>2.4 \cdot 10^{13}</math> p/p</b> | <b><math>2.4 \cdot 10^{13}</math> p/p</b> |
| <b>Time interval between bunches</b>                 | <b>95 <math>\mu\text{s}</math></b>        | <b>95 <math>\mu\text{s}</math></b>        |
| <b>Total burst duration</b>                          | <b>475 <math>\mu\text{s}</math></b>       | <b>1.045 ms</b>                           |
| <b>Bunch length (<math>l_b</math>)</b>               | <b>~ 3 ns ?</b>                           | <b>~ 3 ns ?</b>                           |

Many open questions to be studied ...

# Conclusions & outlook

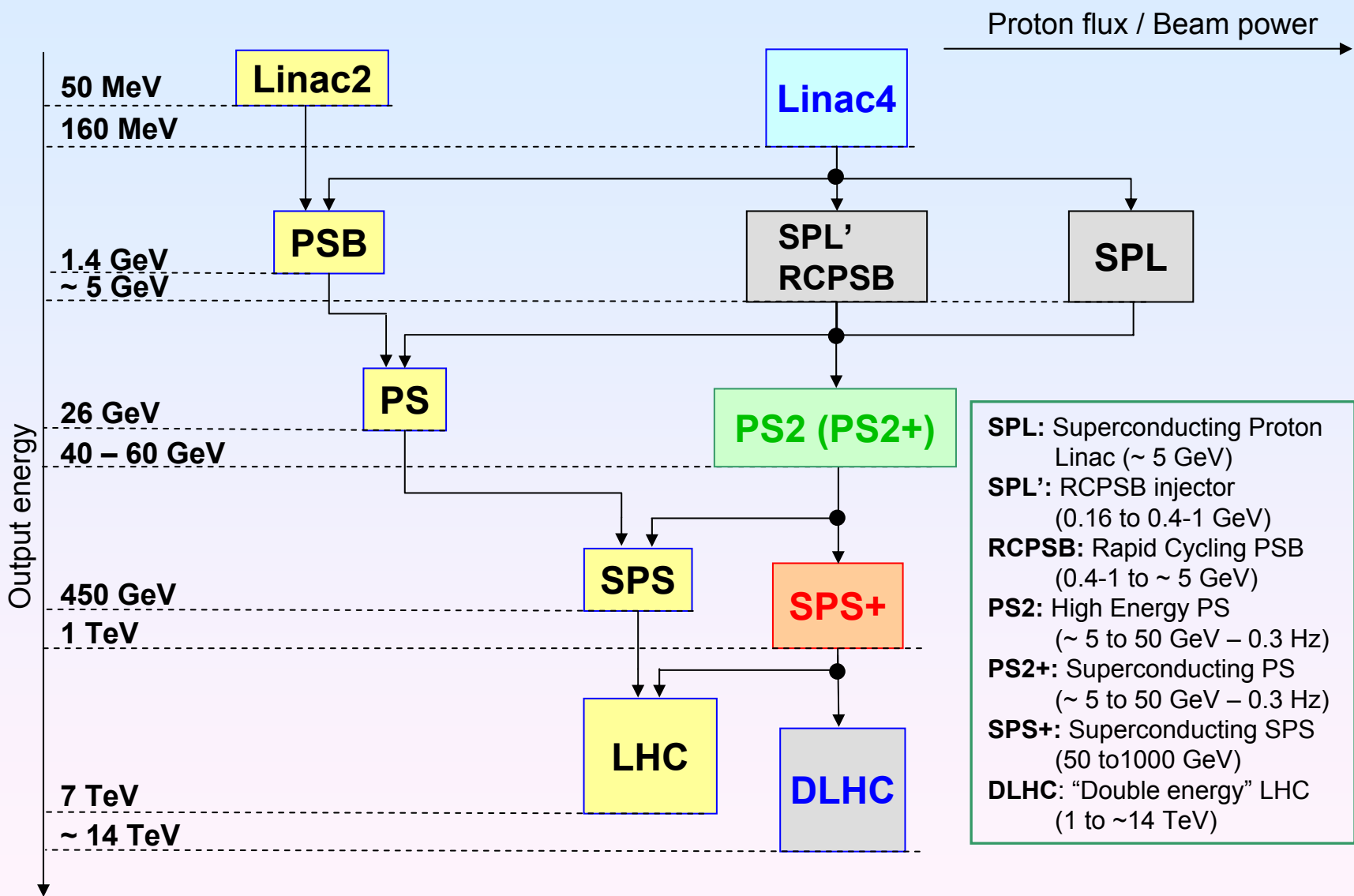
**The new SPL design (CDR2 – 2006) is largely improved:**

- energy (3.5 GeV) is a compromise that can potentially satisfy EURISOL, neutrino applications, and LHC upgrade scenarios,
- design is more optimum (length reduced by 35% while the energy is increased by 60%, higher instantaneous current reducing the number of turns for accumulation in the ring...)
- upgrades are possible in terms of energy and/or power.

**This typically illustrates the potential of a linac-based proton driver for a  $\nu$  factory, which can be the basis of a high energy accelerator complex  and has a remarkable flexibility to adapt to the requirements of the following part of the facility.**

# ANNEX

# Evolution of the CERN accelerator complex



# Scenarios for the proton accelerator complex



## - Stages of implementation

| STAGE                                     | 1                                 | 2  | 3  | 4  |
|---|-----------------------------------|--|--|--|
| DESCRIPTION<br>( <i>new accelerator</i> ) | <i>Linac4</i><br>PSB<br>PS<br>SPS | <i>Linac4</i><br>PSB<br><i>PS2 or PS2+</i><br>( <i>&amp; PS</i> )<br>SPS | <i>Linac4</i><br><i>SPL</i><br><i>PS2 or PS2+</i><br>SPS | <i>Linac4</i><br><i>SPL</i><br><i>PS2 or PS2+</i><br><i>SPS+</i> |
| Performance of LHC injectors (SLHC)       | +<br>Ultimate beam from PS        | ++<br>Ultimate beam from SPS   | ++<br>Maximum SPS performance                            | +++<br>Highest performance LHC injector                          |
| Higher energy LHC                         | -                                 | -  | -  | +++  |
| $\beta$ beam                              | -                                 | -  | ++ ( $\gamma \sim 100$ )                                 | ++ ( $\gamma \sim 200$ )   |
| $\nu$ Factory                             | -                                 | -  | +++ (~5 GeV prod. beam)                                  | +++ (~5 GeV prod. beam)  |
| $k, \mu$                                  | -                                 | ~150 kW beam at 50 GeV   | ~200 kW beam at 50 GeV                                   | ~200 kW beam at 50 GeV   |
| EURISOL                                   | -                                 | -  | +++  | +++  |



# Exotic scenarios for accumulation & compression

With SPL CDR2 (2006): other approach using multi-pulsing

Fill & eject 6 times multiple bunches from an accumulator/compressor of 272 ns revolution period

Fill & eject 12 times multiple bunches from an accumulator/compressor of 272 ns revolution period

|  |   |   |
|--|---|---|
| <b>Kinetic energy (T)</b>                            | <b>&gt; 3.5 GeV</b>                       | <b>3.5 GeV</b>                            |
| <b>Repetition rate (<math>f_{\text{rep}}</math>)</b> | <b>6 batches of 3 bunches at 50 Hz</b>    | <b>12 batches of 3 bunches at 25 Hz</b>   |
| <b>Number of protons/bunch</b>                       | <b><math>2.4 \cdot 10^{13}</math> p/p</b> | <b><math>2.4 \cdot 10^{13}</math> p/p</b> |
| <b>Time interval between bunches</b>                 | <b>95 <math>\mu\text{s}</math></b>        | <b>95 <math>\mu\text{s}</math></b>        |
| <b>Total burst duration</b>                          | <b>475 <math>\mu\text{s}</math></b>       | <b>1.045 ms</b>                           |
| <b>Bunch length (<math>l_b</math>)</b>               | <b>~ 2 ns ?</b>                           | <b>~ 2 ns</b>                             |

**Main issue:** the distance between bunches imposes a quantum  $\Delta f$  in the  $\mu$  capture & bunch rotation channel. How much is acceptable ? 10 MHz ?