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SPL-Fréjus

Collection part

Thanks to S. Gilardoni, A. Cazes

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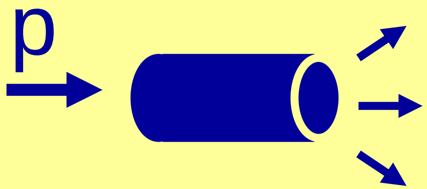
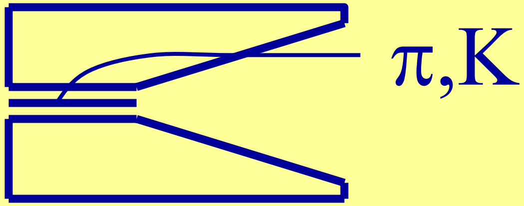
New optimization questioned @ MMW04*

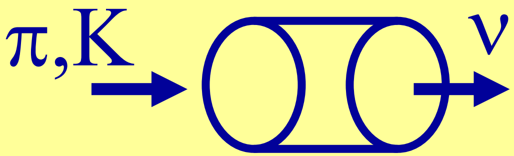
Particle production



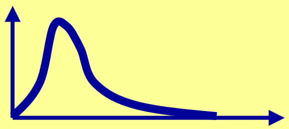
Horn design optimisation



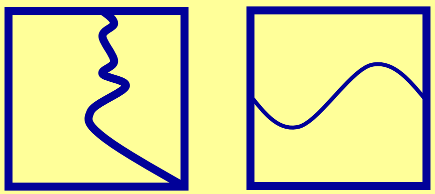
Decay tunnel parameter optimisation



Flux computation at Fréjus



θ_{13} and δ_{CP} sensitivity.



LAL – 04-102 submitted to EPJC

*: Multi MegaWatt Workshop at CERN 26-28 May 04

Particle production

Proton beam :

1. Pencil like
2. E_k=**2.2GeV**, **3.5GeV**,…, 8GeV

Target :

1. 30cm long cylinder, ∅15mm in Liq. Hg
2. FLUKA 2002.4

Normalized to 4MW beam power:

1.10 10^{23} pot/yr @ 2.2GeV
0.69 10^{23} pot/yr @ 3.5GeV
0.30 10^{23} pot/yr @ 8.0GeV

Max. π yield

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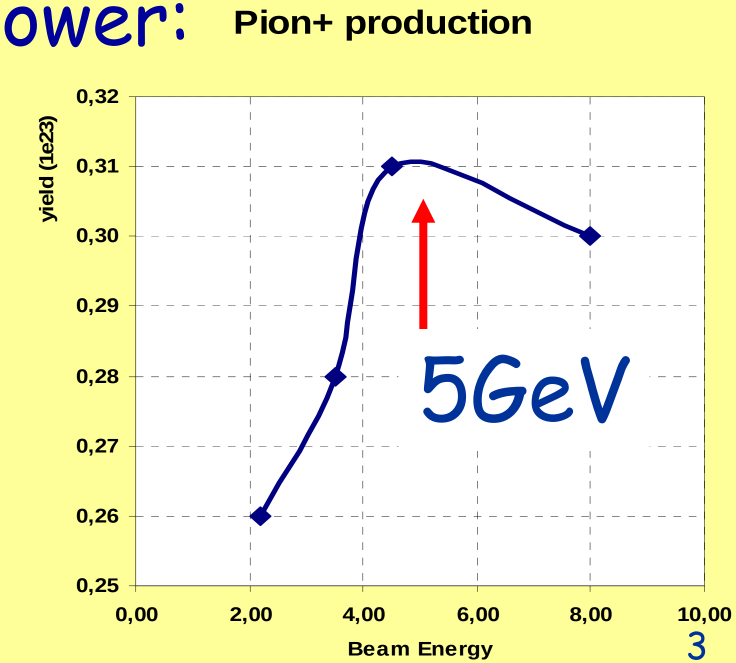
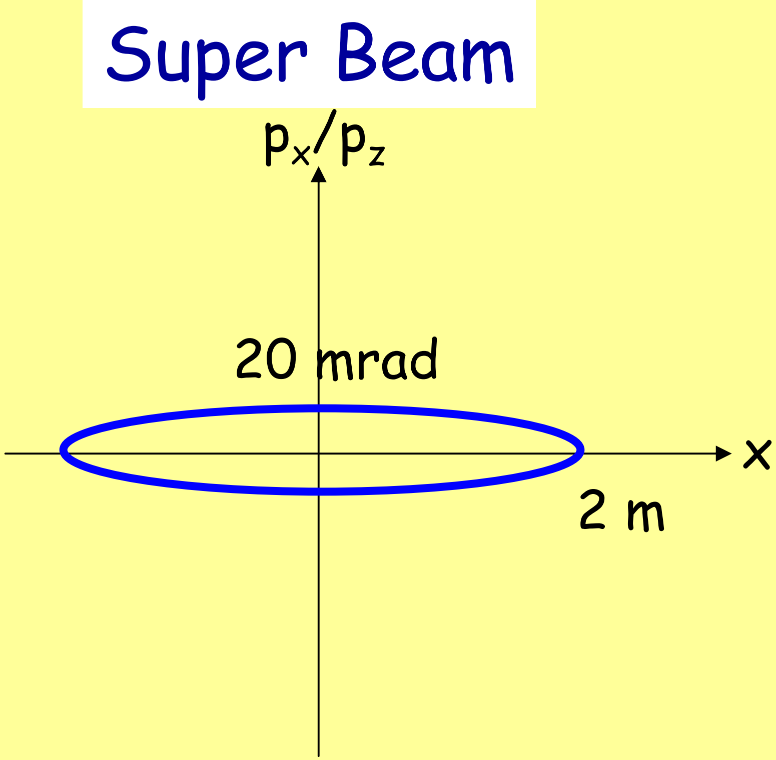
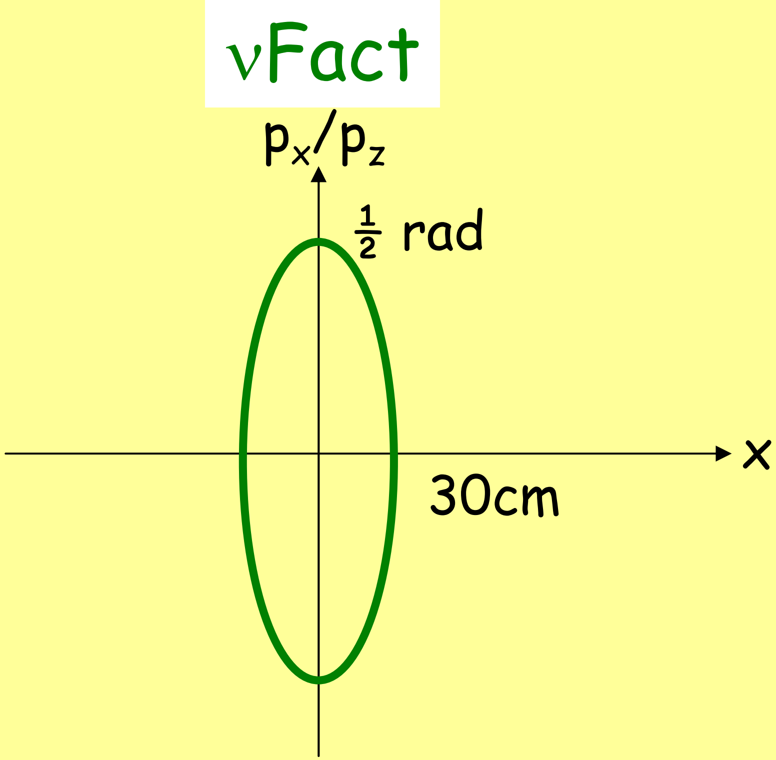
Max. Phys. sensitivity



SuperBeam vs νFact Optics



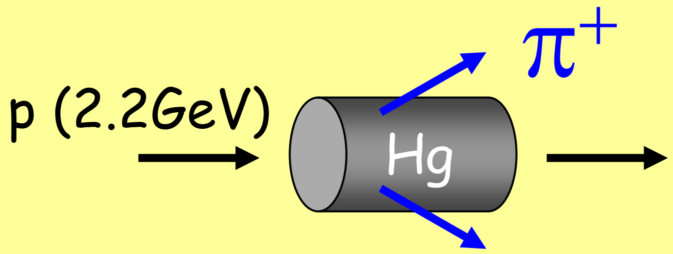
Spot size @ 130km
Decay tunnel size



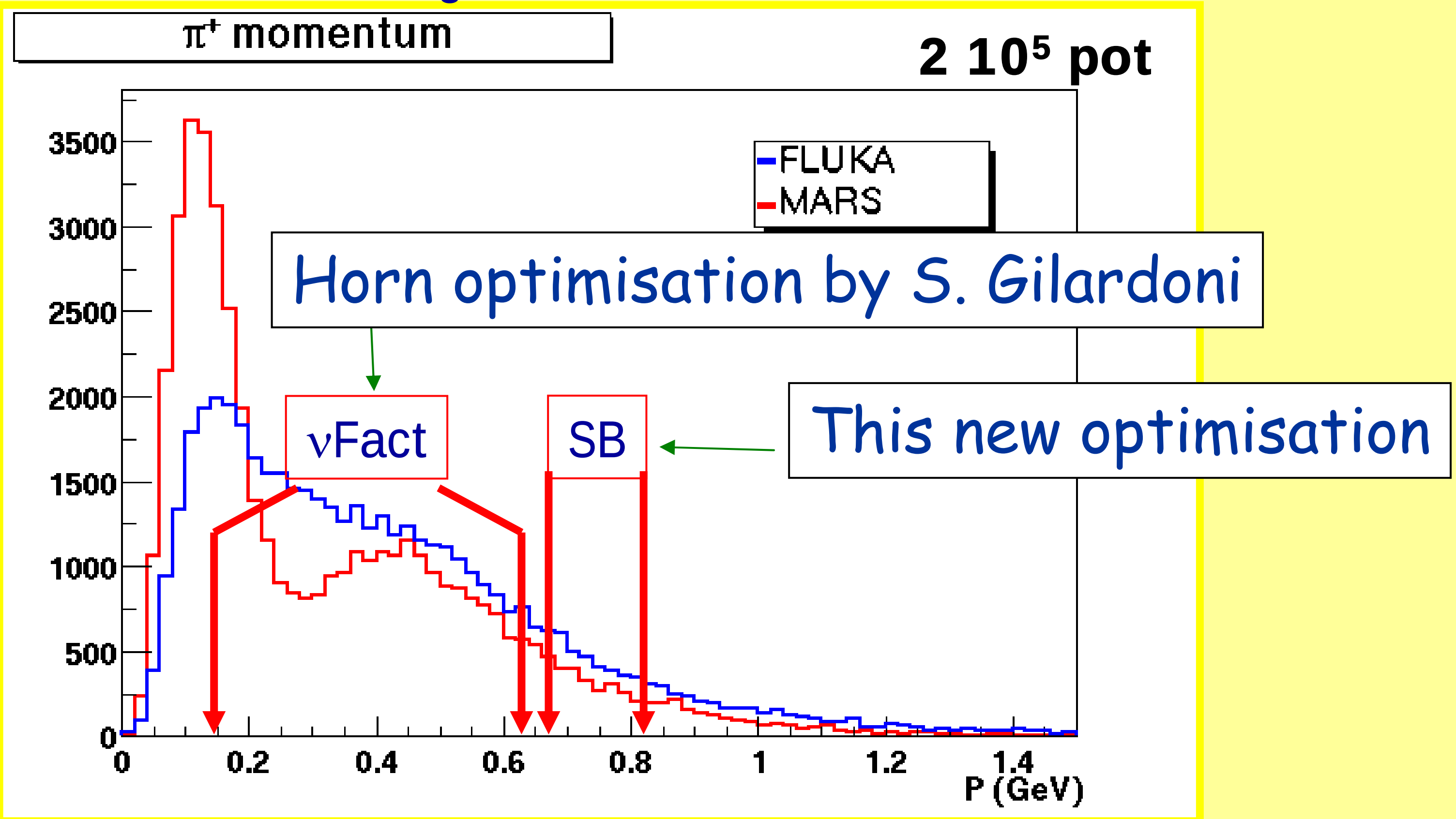
Decay channel solenoids
Aperture and B strength

Thanks S. Gilardoni

Pion production

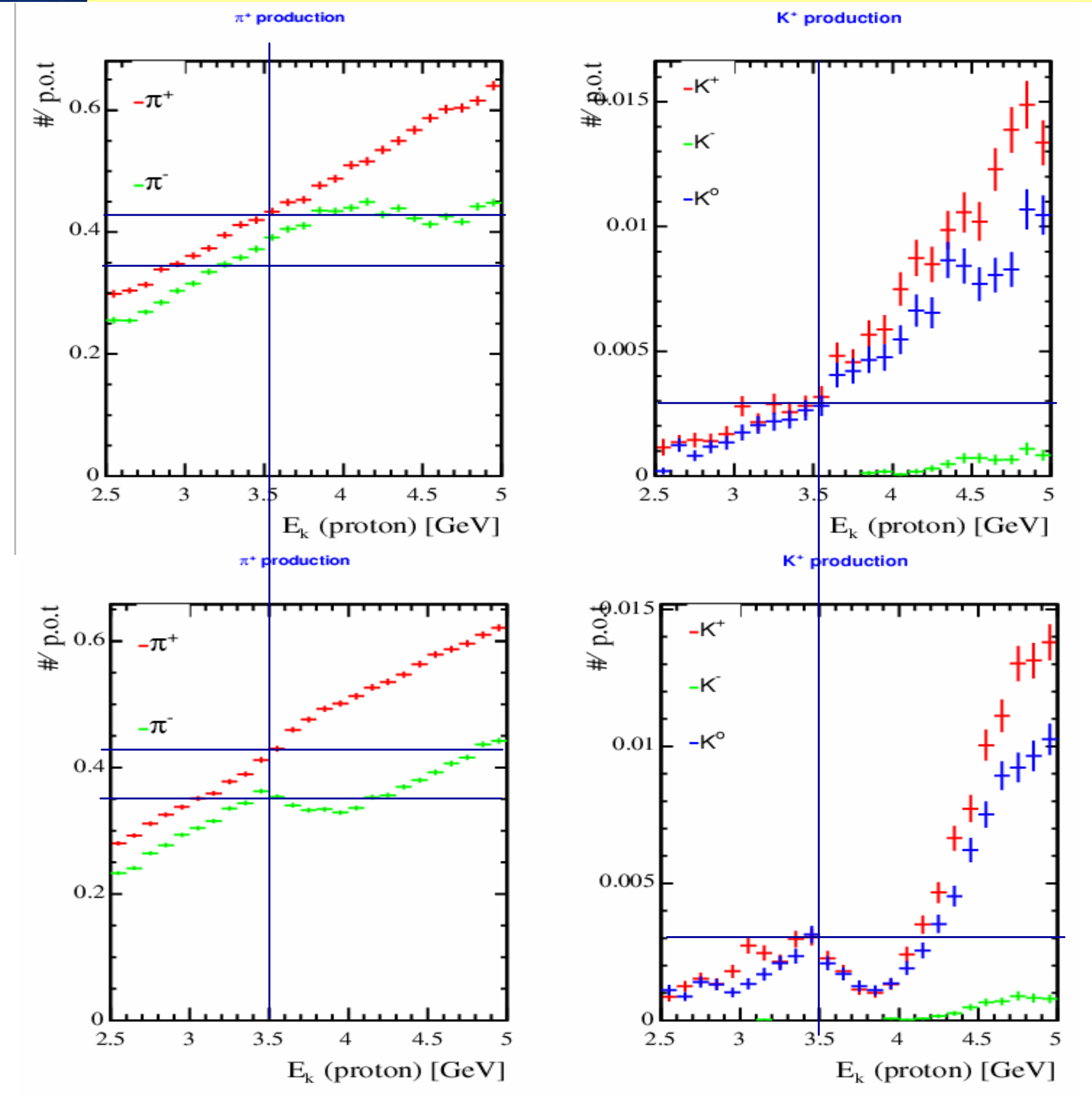


at the exit of the target



Rule of thumb: $E_\pi/3 \sim E_\nu\,(\text{MeV}) > 2.L(\text{km})$

Kaon/pion production?



FLUKA 2005.6

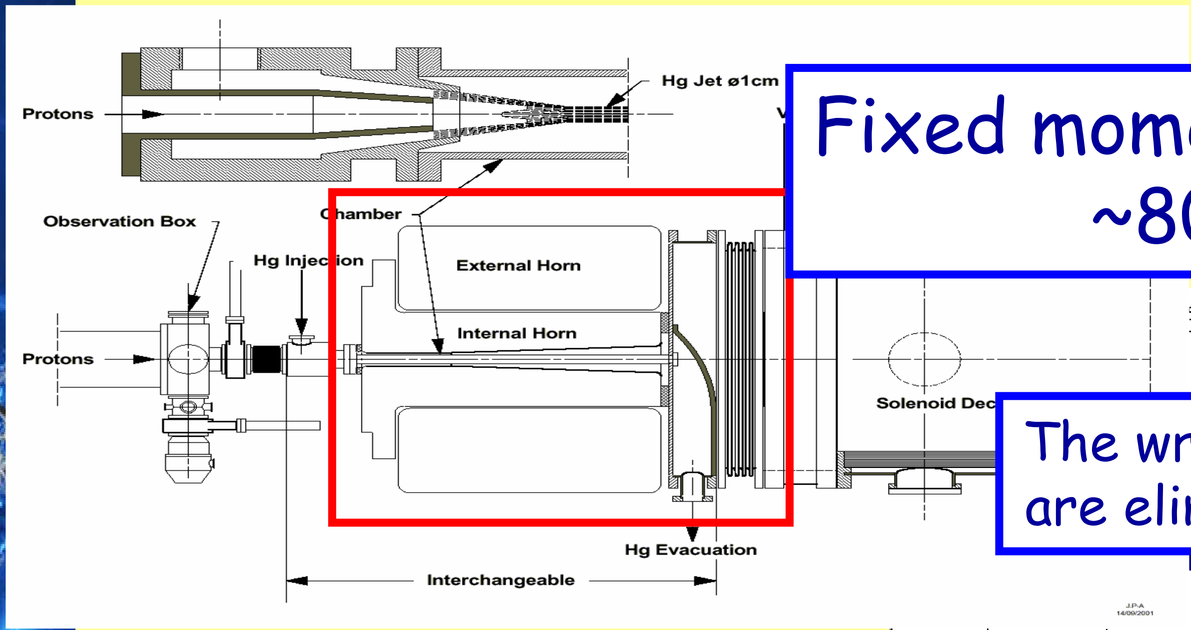
+12.5% π^- @3.5GeV

Big difference [3.5 ÷ 4.5] GeV

FLUKA 2002.4

HARP?

Horn style of collection



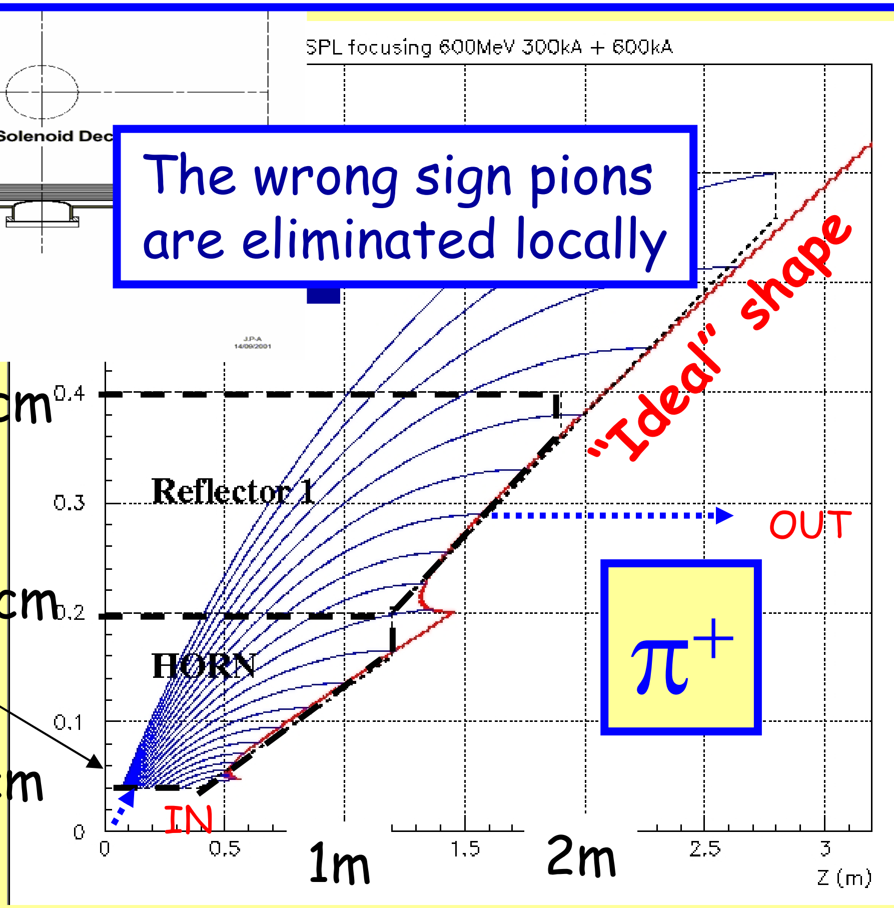
Fixed momentum focalisation ~800 MeV/c

$B_\phi(r) \propto I_{cur}/r$

I_{cur} ~ (300 ÷ 600) kA

r_{min} limited by Target size

The wrong sign pions are eliminated locally



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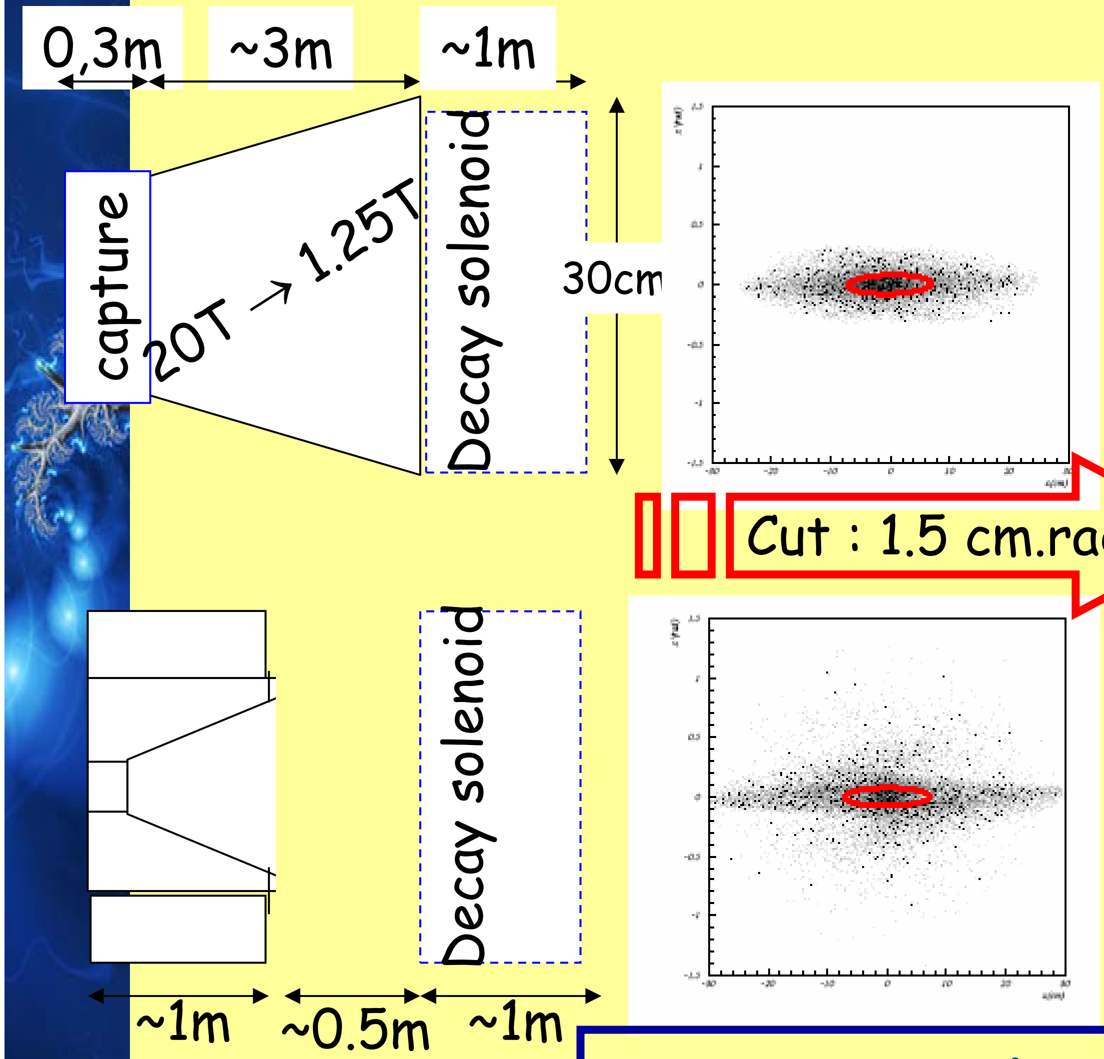
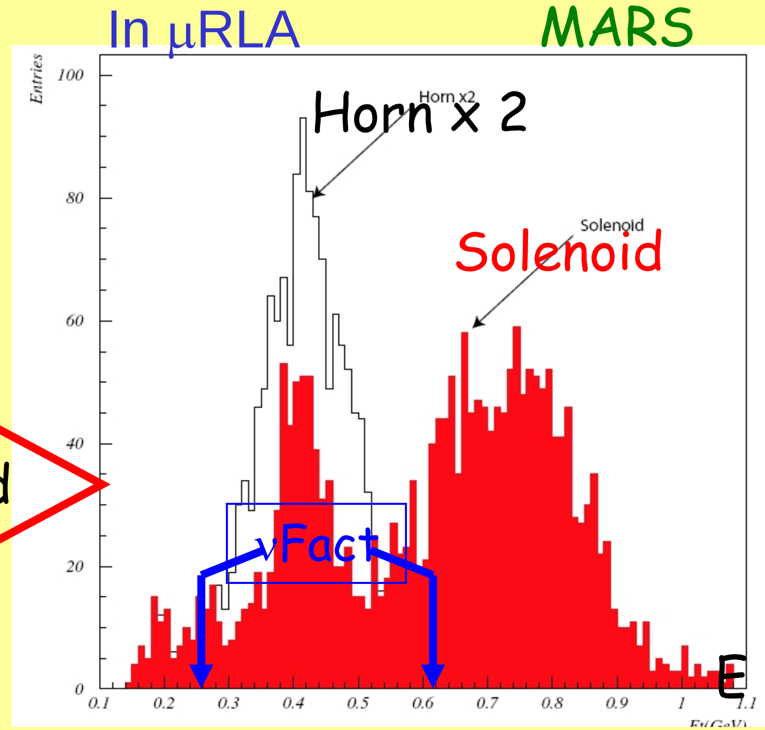
Comparison Solenoid vs Horn





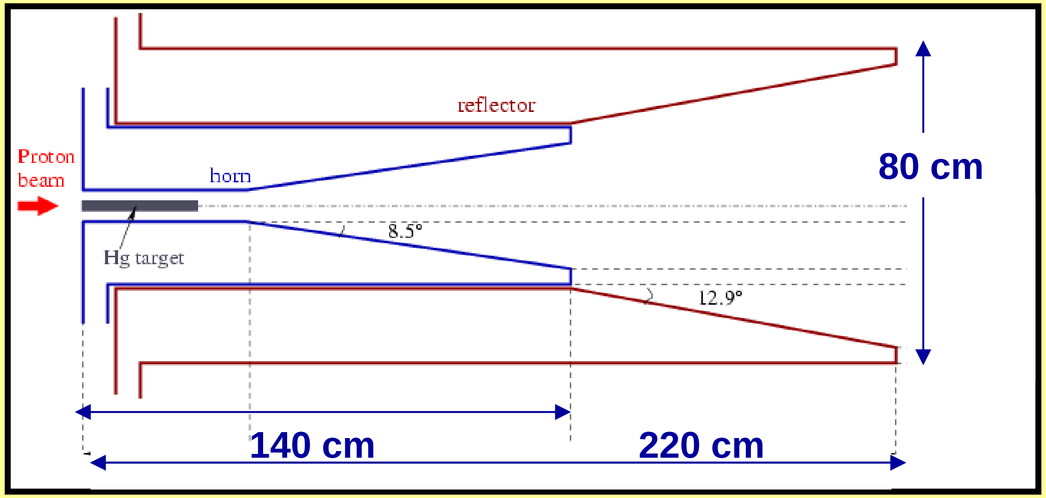
The collection yield is identical ~1.4 10^{-3} π/pot

Horn ≈ Solenoid

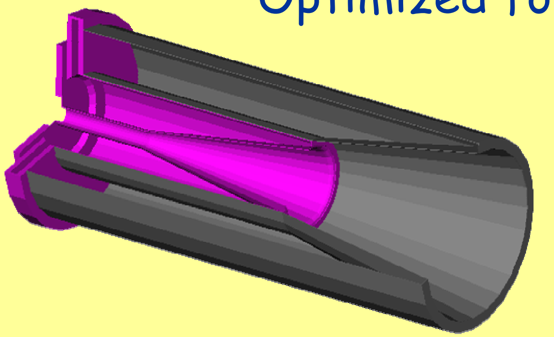
S. Gilardoni thesis

Horn design parameter for Super Beam

Conductor thickness : 3mm
horn : 300kAmps
reflector : 600kAmps
Challenging!!!



Drawing from the horn built at CERN
Optimized for Super Beam



Using Geant 3.2.1

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$E_\nu \sim 300MeV$
$E_\pi \sim 800MeV$

+ or - focusing

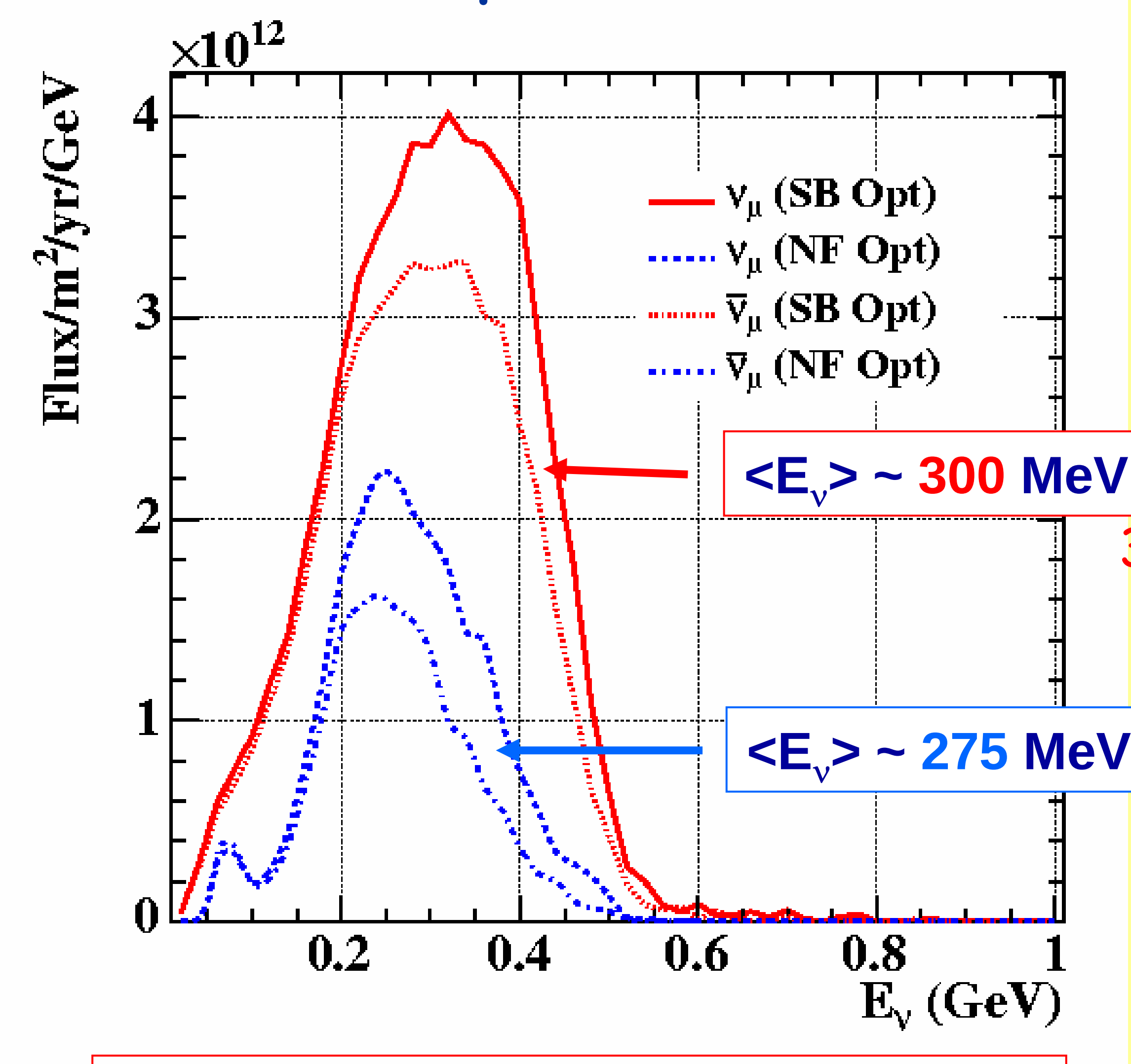
HORN	
inner radius	3.4cm
neck length	40cm
outer radius	20.5cm
total length	140cm
REFLECTOR	
outer radius	40cm
total length	220cm

Decay Tunnel Parameters

- Lengths:
  1. Modify beam purity
  2. Tested: 10m …→ 40m …→ 60m
  3. Optimum @ 40m
- Radius:
  1. modify acceptance
  2. 1m …→ 2m
  3. No optimum found: larger is better (we just keep "reasonable" radius)

This results have been checked on sensitivity to θ_{13} and δ_{CP}

Fluxes comparison @ 130km



~95 ν_μ^{CC}/kT/yr*

$\langle E_\nu \rangle$ ~ 300 MeV, 1.2 10^{12}/m²/yr

3.5GeV SPL optimum

$\langle E_\nu \rangle$ ~ 275 MeV, 4.5 10^{11}/m²/yr

Old νFact optimum

Reflector: 50% of the Flux

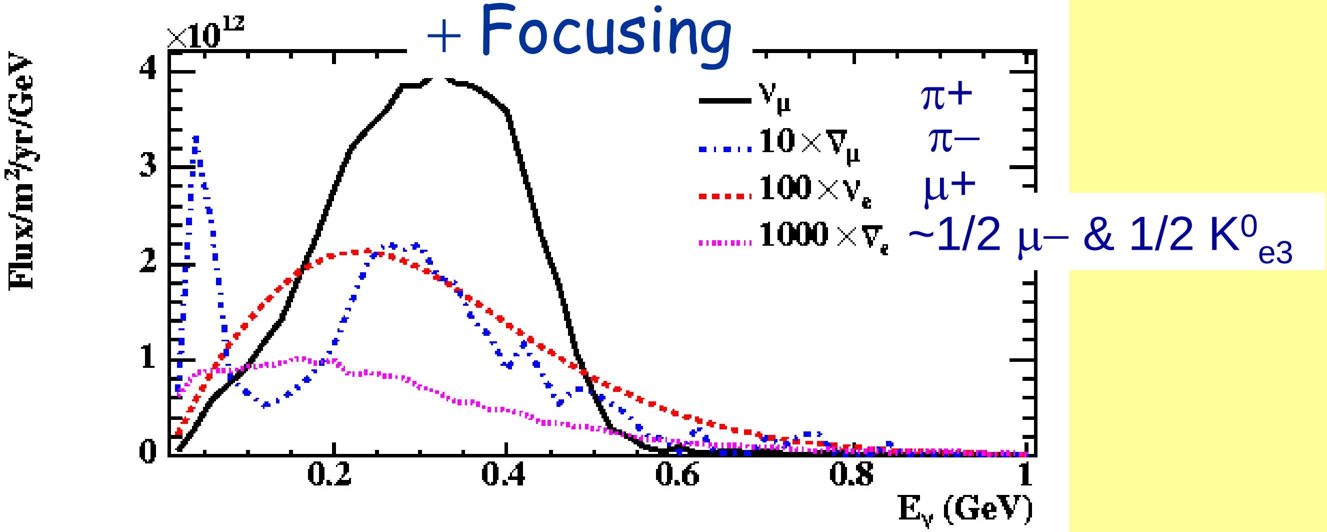
*: Lipari x-sect. (see later)

Flux @ 130km: composition

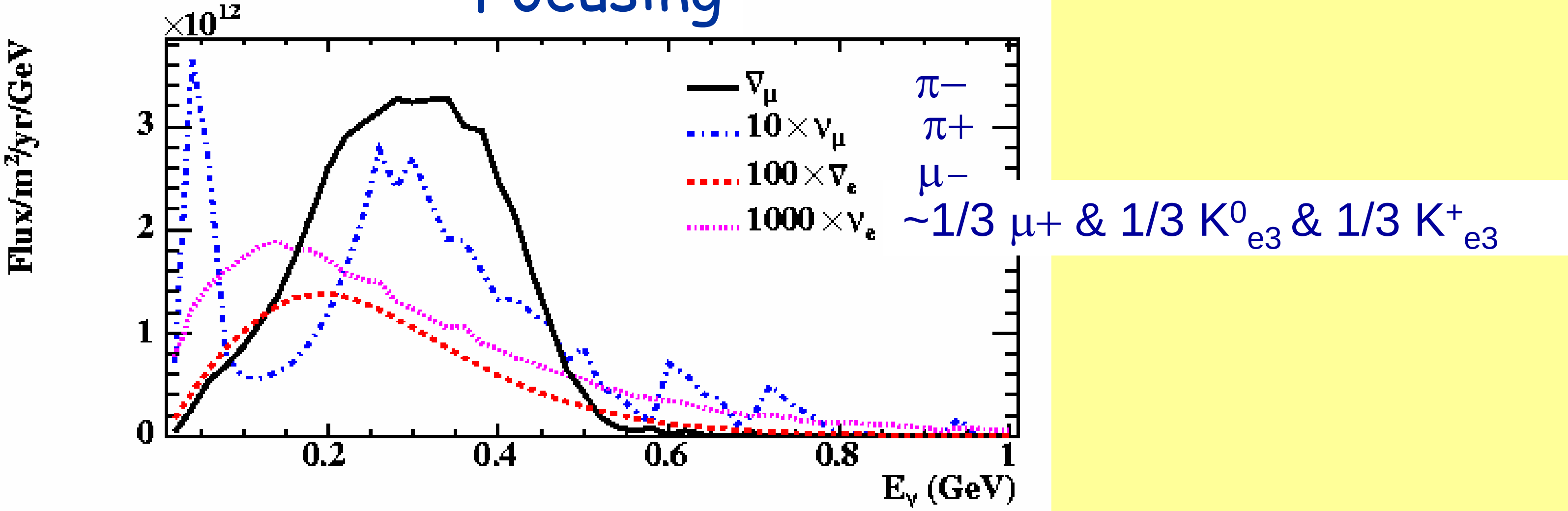
http://opera.web.lal.in2p3.fr/horn/Simu/index.htm

3.5GeV Kinetic p beam
~800MeVπ focusing
40m decay tunnel length
2m decay tunnel radius

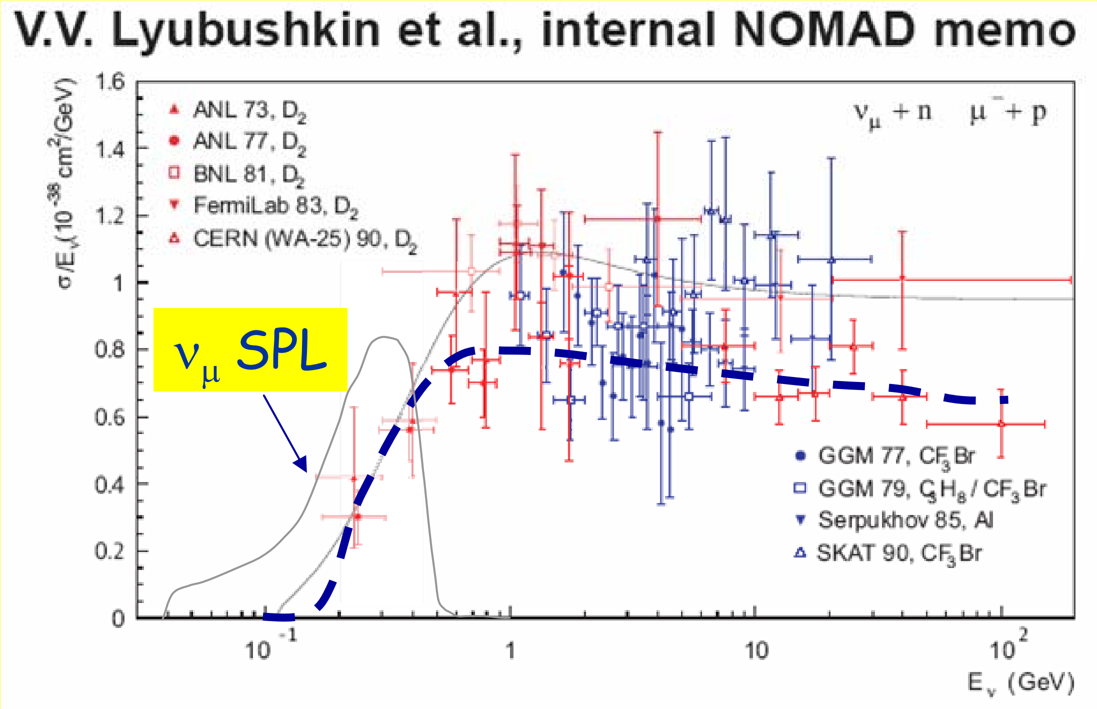
+ Focusing



− Focusing



The X-sections



---: Lipari et al.

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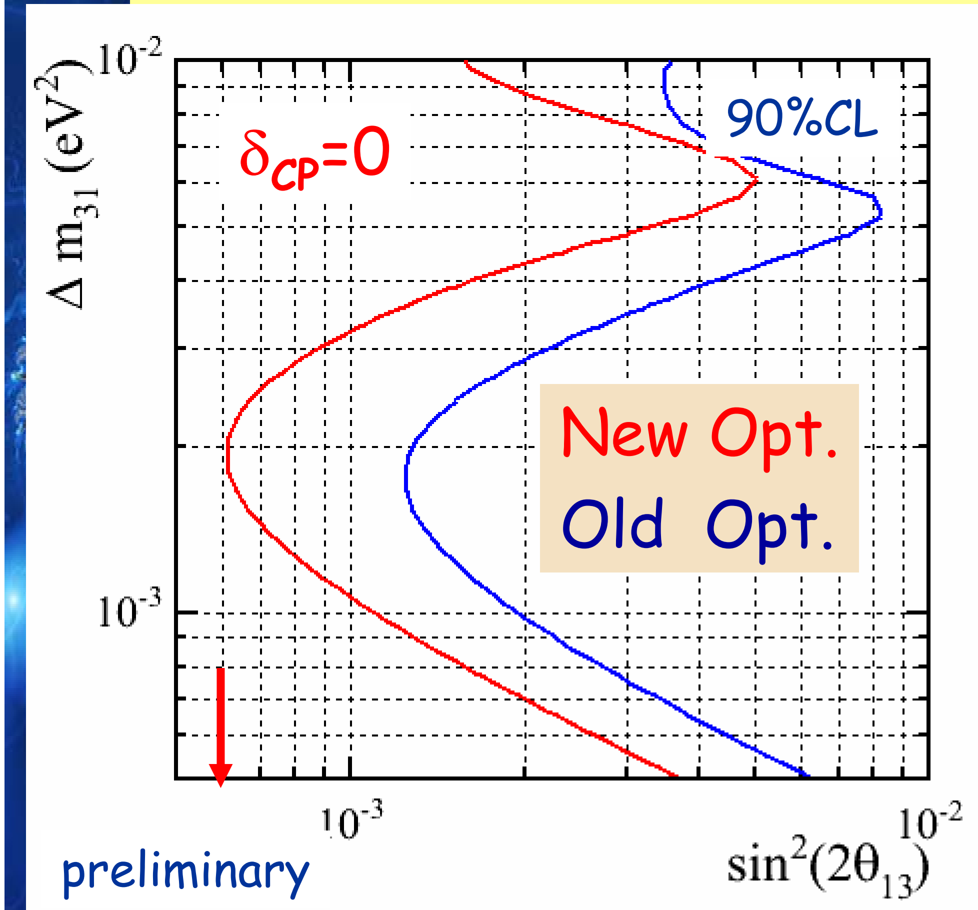
on H_2O

βB is an ideal tool to measure these cross-sections and a 2% systematic error on both signal and background are used.

Some physics performances

440kT water Č, 4MW SPL, GLoBES



5yrs (+)

True values: **(Δm^2_{3}, $\sin^2 2\theta_{13}$)**

$\sin^2 2\theta_{12}$=0.82, $\theta_{23}=\pi/4$, Δm^2_{21}=8.1 $10^{-5}eV^2$

5% external precision on θ_{12} and Δm^2_{21} **and use SPL disappearance channel and spectrum analysis***

2% syst. on signal & bkg

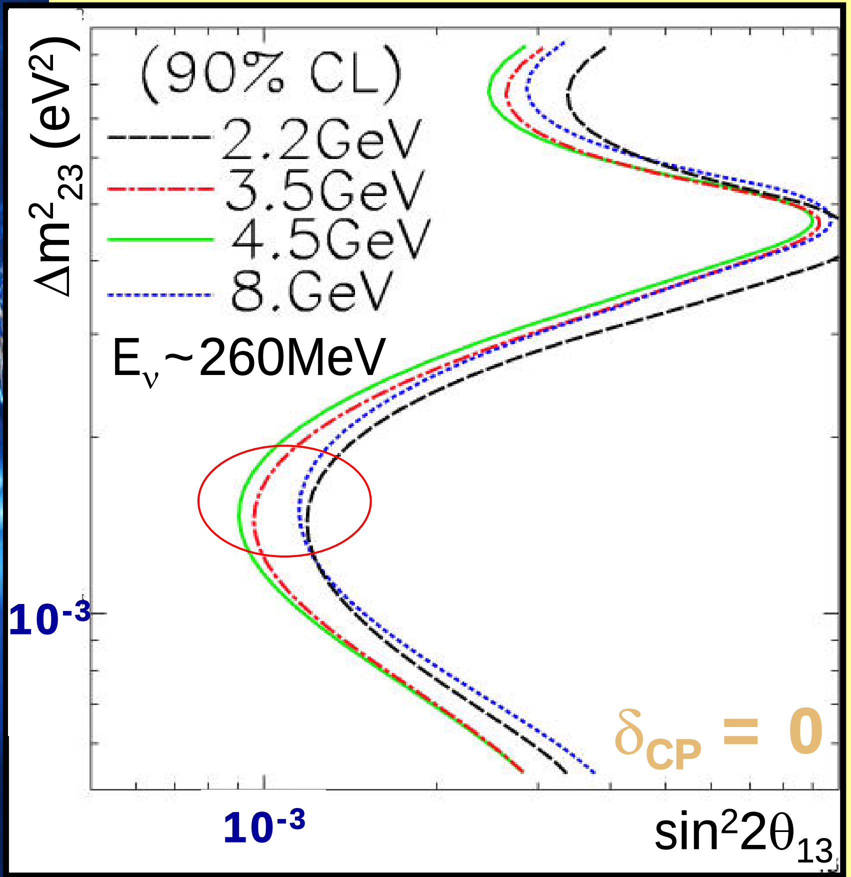
$\sin^2 2\theta_{13}$(90%CL) = 6 10^{-3} (0.7°)

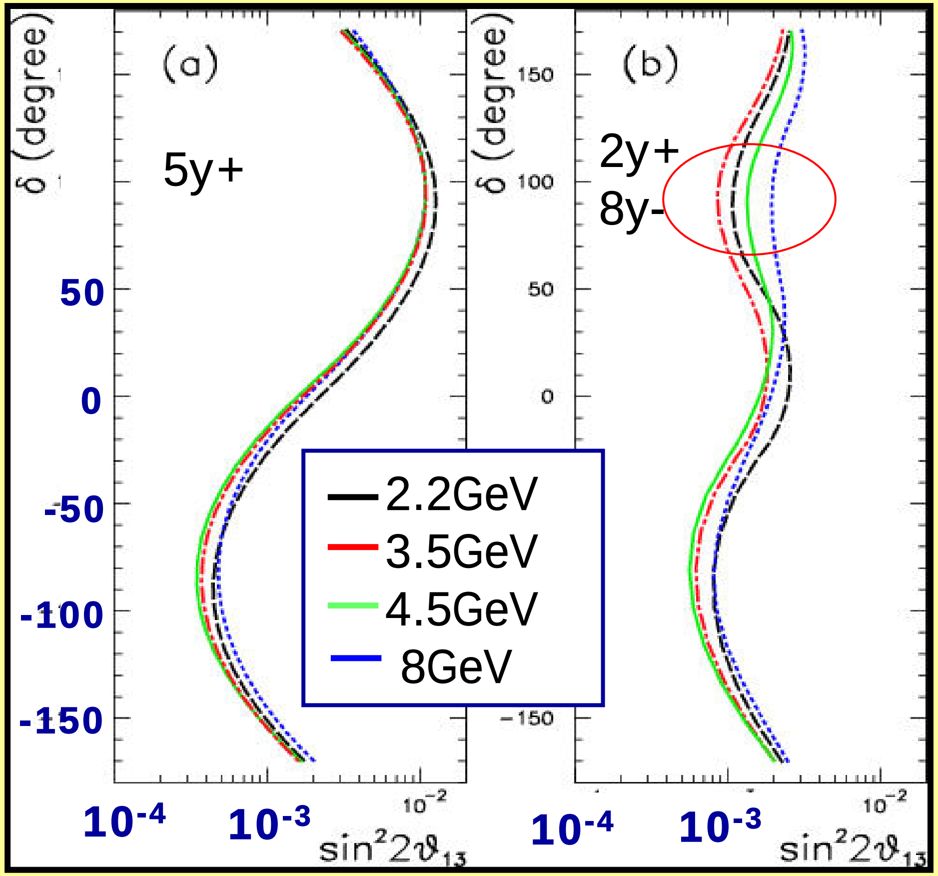
sizeable improvement

*: 5 bins [0.08,1.08] GeV

(χ^2(2dof)=4.6 or 11.83)

Beam Energy comparison

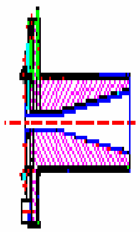




hep-ex/0411062 with an early version of analysis

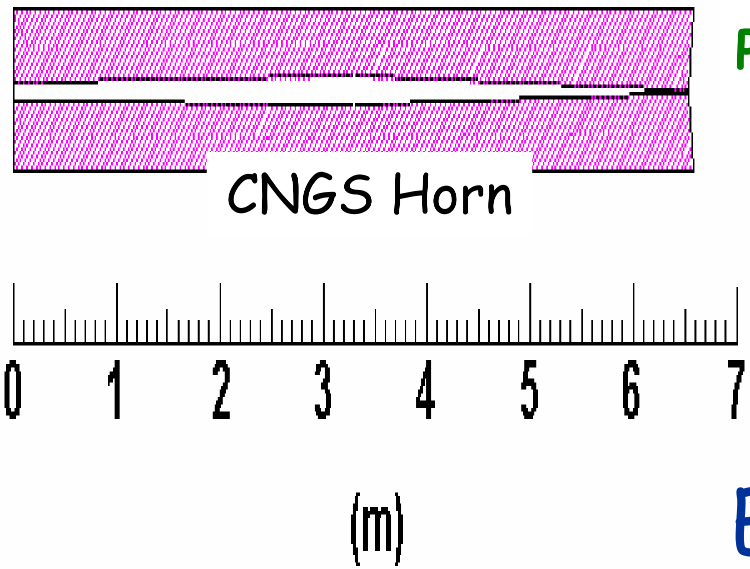
3.5GeV is an optimum

CNGS vs SB/νFact HORN



SB/νFact CERN proto

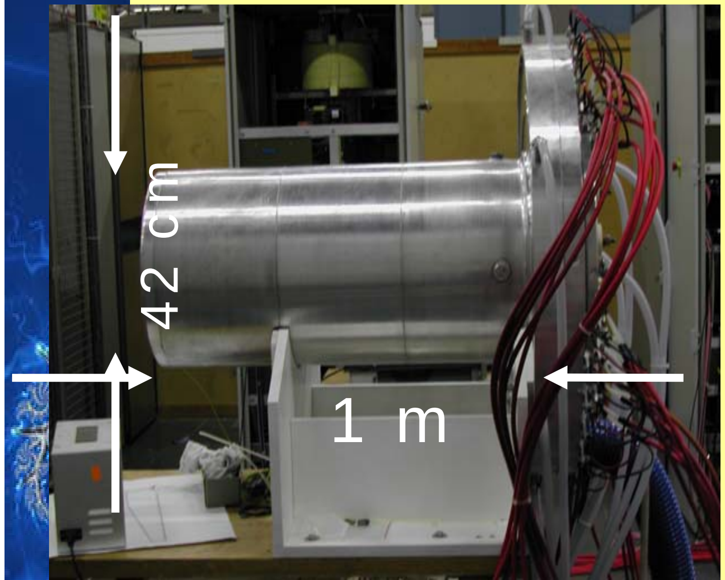
P_{beam} = 4MW / 2÷3GeV, **Target inside**
300÷600kA/50Hz/100μs
200 M pulses/6 weeks
Neck: P_J = 7kW, **P_B = 63kW** (8mm eq. Alu)
10^{22} fast neutron/cm²/6 months

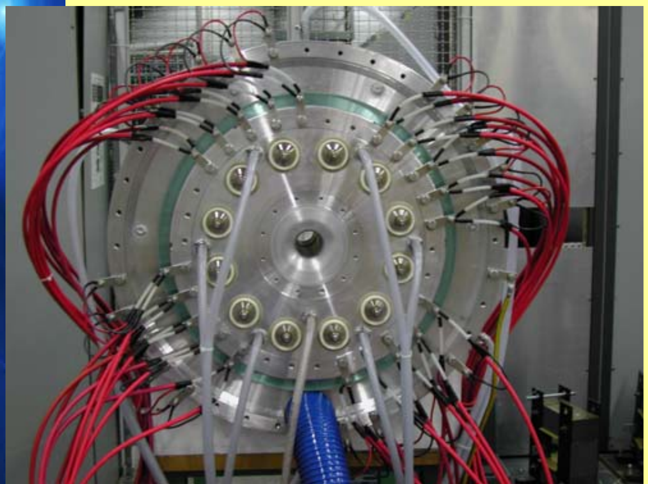


P_{beam} = 0,4MW / 400GeV, **Target outside**
150kA/2pulses 10μs-6s
20 M 2pulses/5 years
IC: **P_J = 13kW**, P_B = 5kW (2mm Alu)

Every parameter is critical

CERN prototype (2001-2002)





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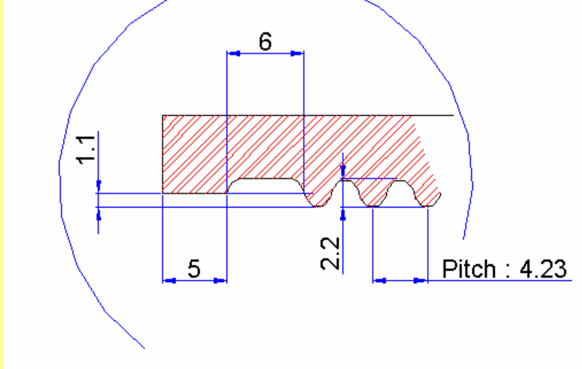

Water cooling

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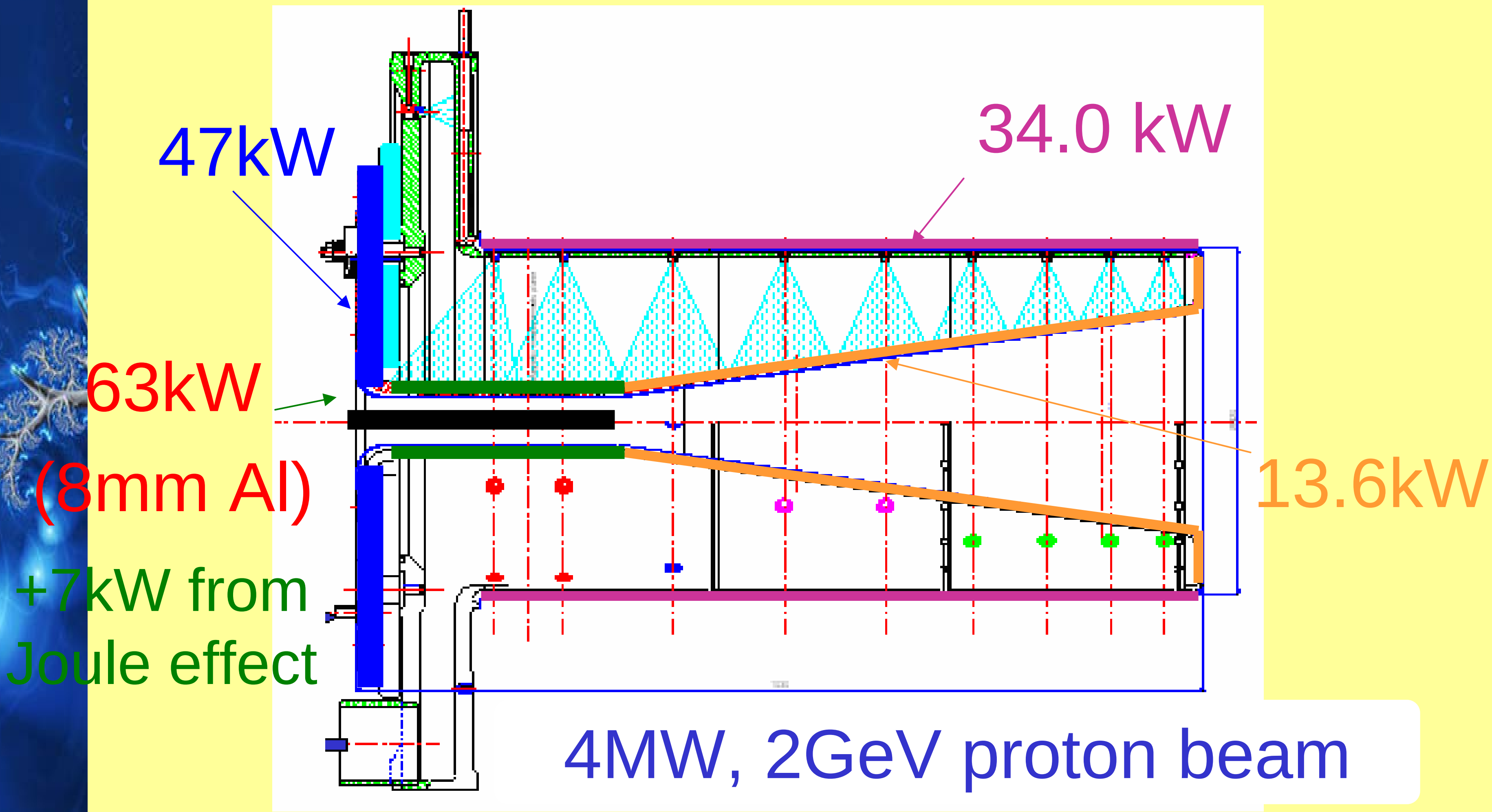
S.Rangod, J.M Mauguin

(NUFACT-NOTE : 4, 28, 42, 80, 81, 126, 129)

Energy deposition in the horn (induced by protons)



Solution ?: reduce Al thickness (3mm Al) + strength rings

A. Cazes + JEC

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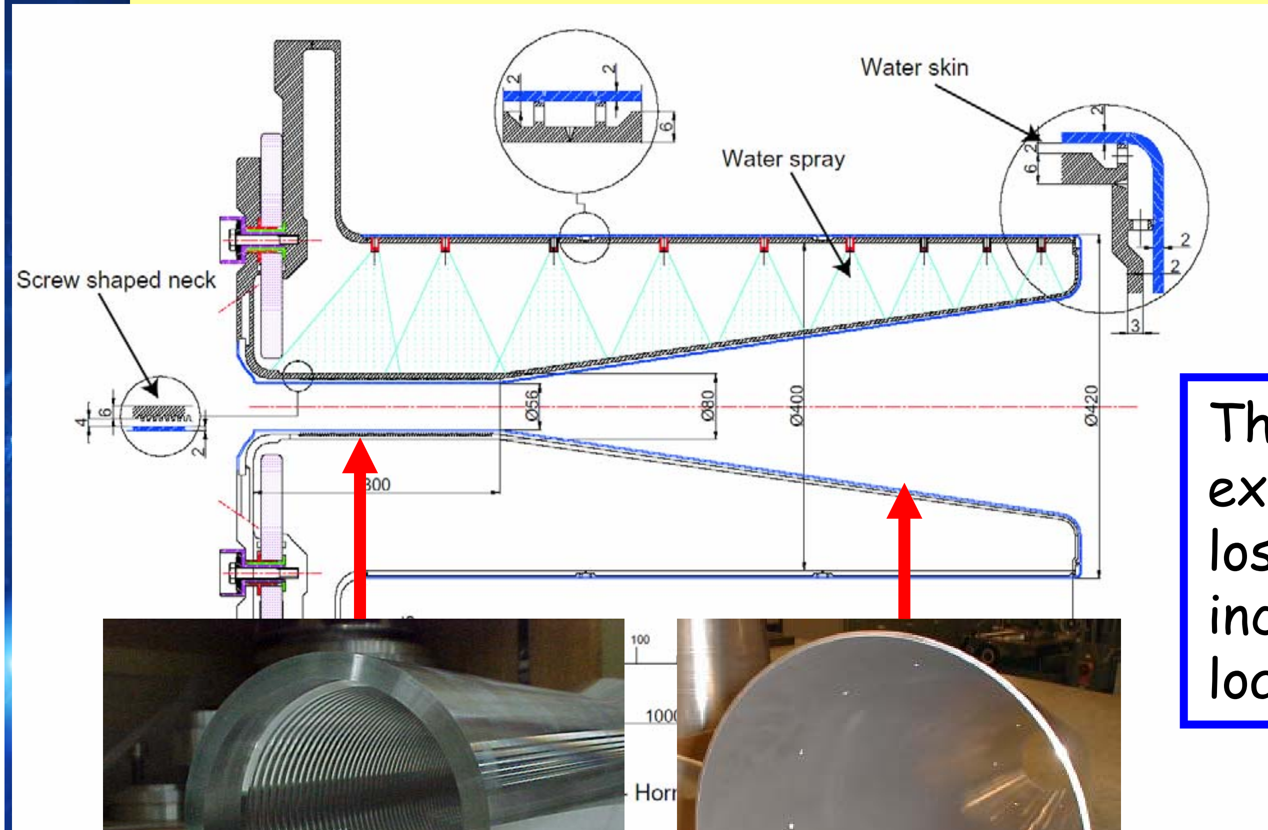
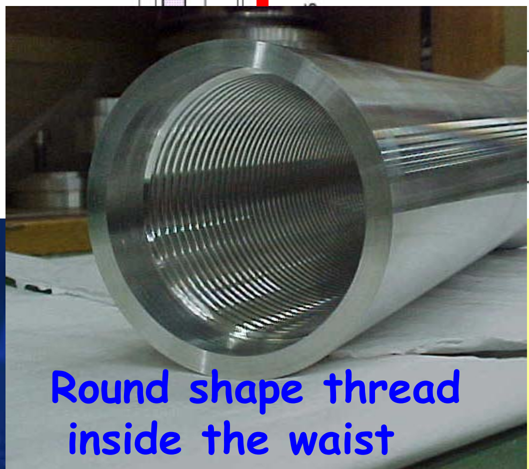
Horn cooling (CERN schema)

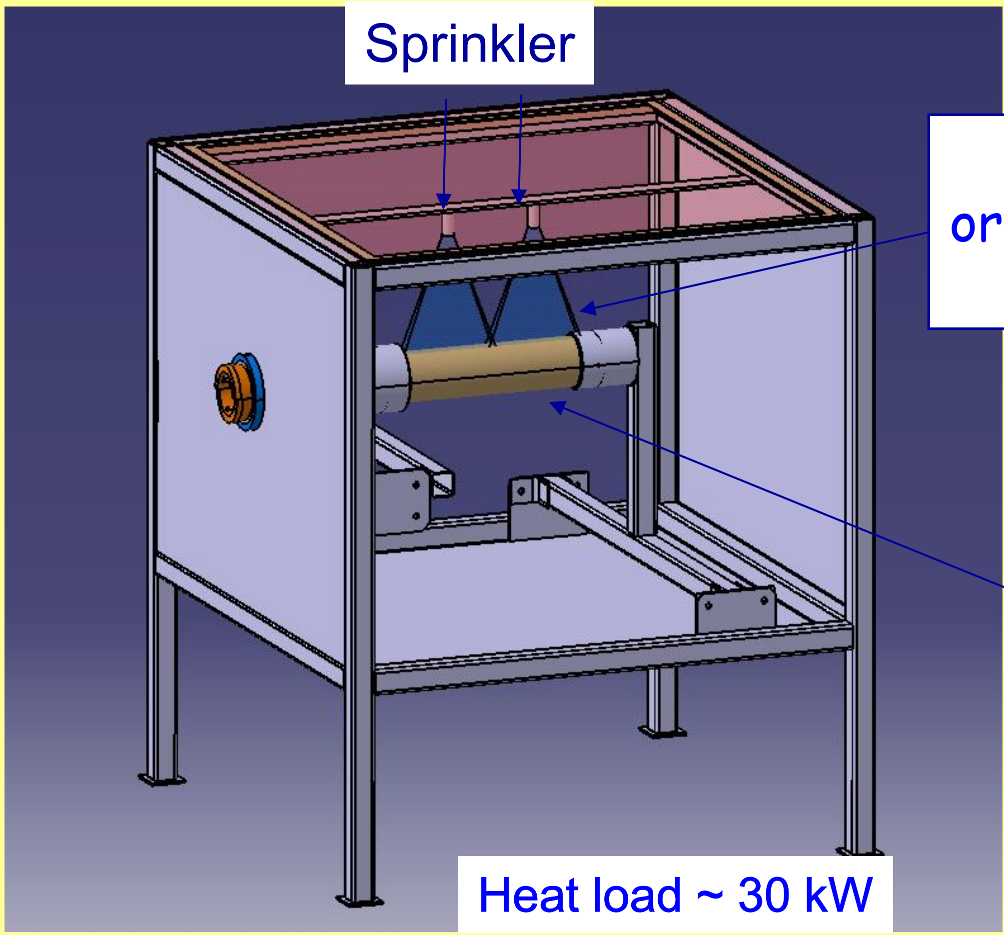




The gain in surface exchange is somewhat lost by the thickness increase and then the heat load increase…

20kW/surface exchange
275kW/m^2

R&D: water cooling is still ok?



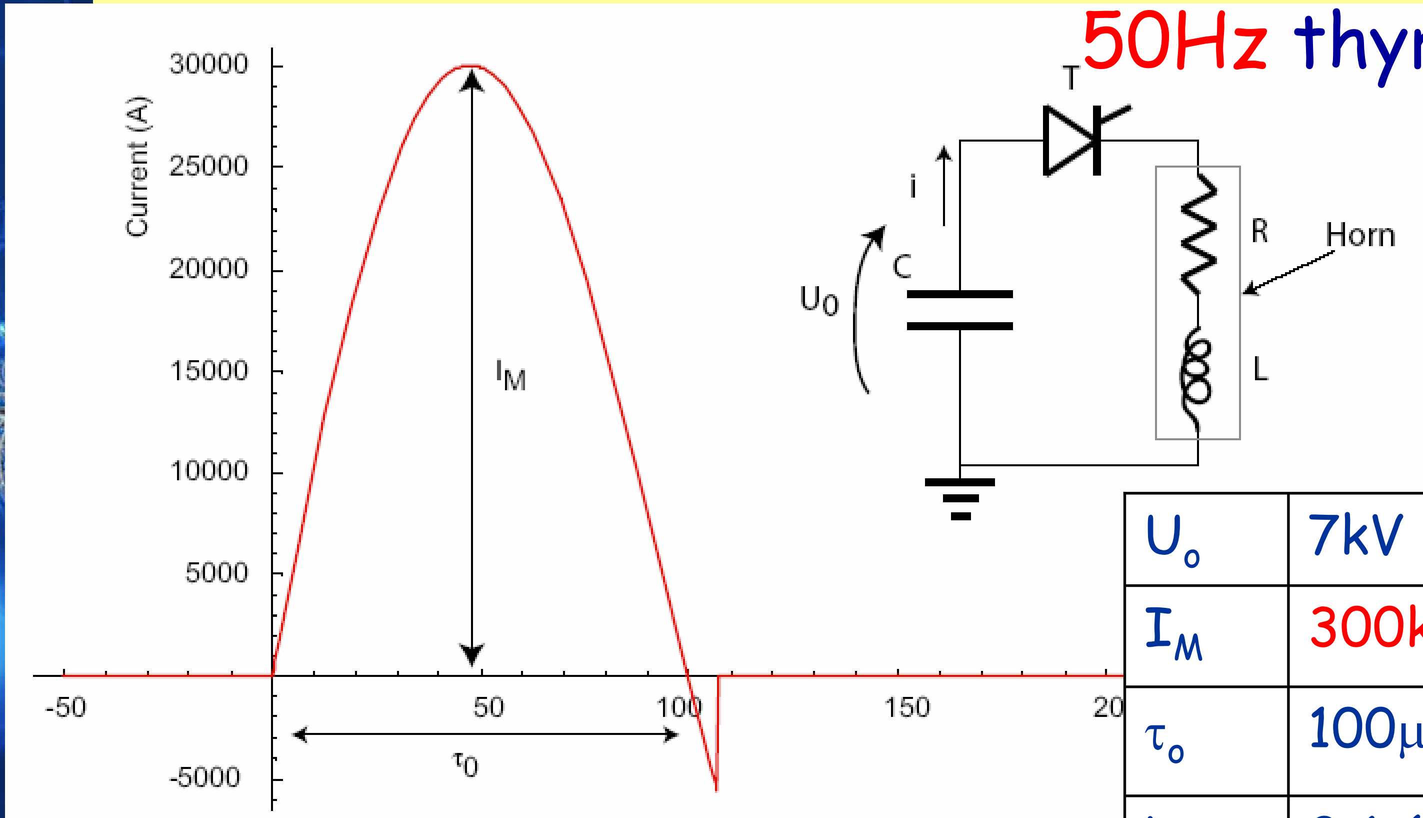
Aluminum alloy cylinder
80 mm ext. diameter
300 mm length

Contact me if you plan to do it

Power Supply (basic)

The main trouble

50Hz thyristors



U_o	7kV
I_M	300kA (14,5 rms)
τ_o	100µs
L	0.6 (0.4 Horn)µH
R	500 (180 Horn) µΩ
C	1500µF

50Hz: 20 x « µ life time »

Power Supply

- CERN had successfully tested the Horn at 100kA/(0.5)Hz
- mid-June 03: a schedule of conditions have been written by LAL (13p) for a (300kA/100μs/50Hz) power supply.

1st industrial price feed back:

1. Main power supply (7kV/130A): HAZEMEYER co.: ~ 160k€
2. Switches (300kA/100μs/50Hz): ABB co: ~ 3x2x50k€* = 300k€

A solution exists for ~ 460k€ (700kCH)

But we think that a 300kA/1Hz may be a good next step to push the present CERN power supply prototype..

*: factor 2 for # of switches, factor 3 for 1Hz -> 50Hz

Al alloy property modifications

(n,p) et (n,α) reactions produce hydrogen and helium cavities

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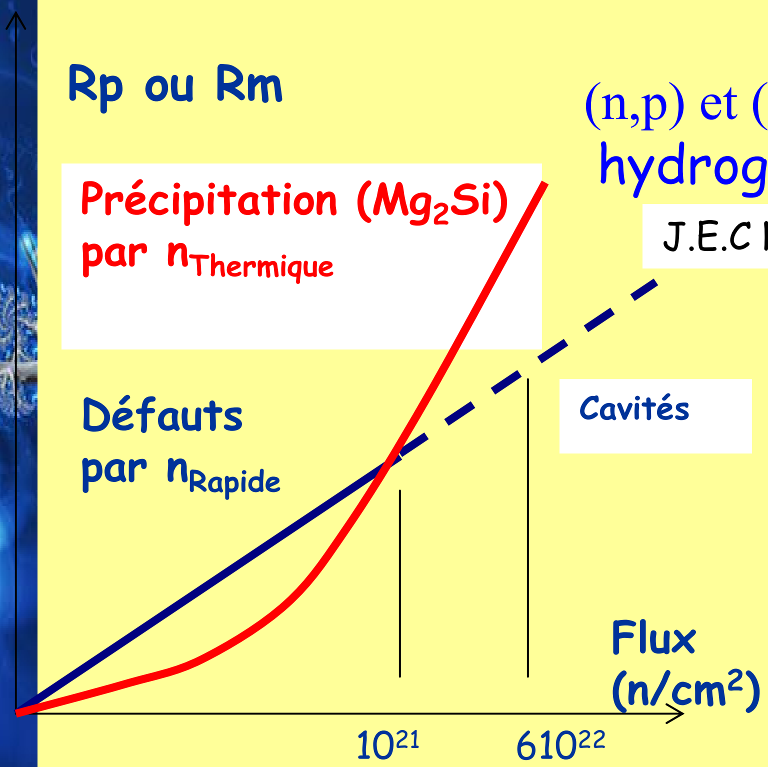

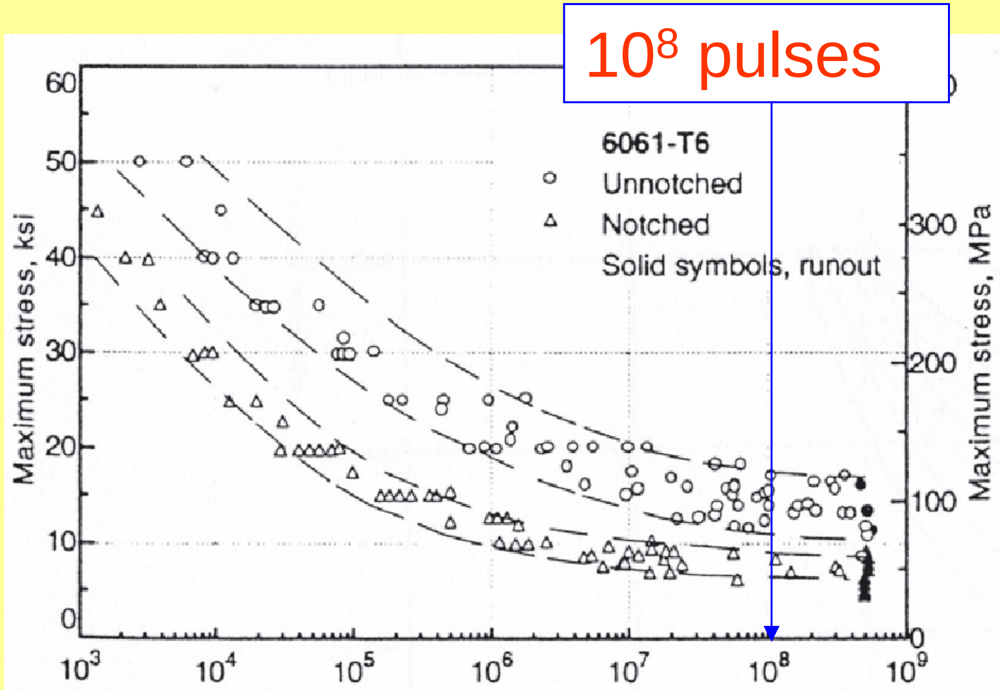

6082 (CNGS) or 6061 (MiniBOONE)

Non irradiated Al can stand more than 10^8 pulses
And also MiniBOONE…

Max. stress ~ 14MPa to be confirmed

Other problems…

- Integration of the Target
- Compatibility with Hg
- Radioactive water cooling treatment
- Water Cooled Striplines
- Fabrication cost issues if the life time of a horn is < 1y
- Fast Coupling (cooling & electric) remotely controlled (see US/Japan example)
- Nuclear waste management

…

Summary

- An optimized version of the Horn-like collection/focusing and SuperBeam energy is available with the present knowledge of the π/K production x-sections and the detector performances.
- The Horn R&D has been interrupted more or less in 2002 at CERN and not revived yet elsewhere.
- The Horn-like collection has been demonstrated in the past to be equivalent to a Solenoid-like collection for a NuFact. The SB-Horn and the NF-Horn are different simply because they have different purposes, but they share a lot of design parameters, so a SB-Horn is a prototype for a NF-Horn.

Thank you