



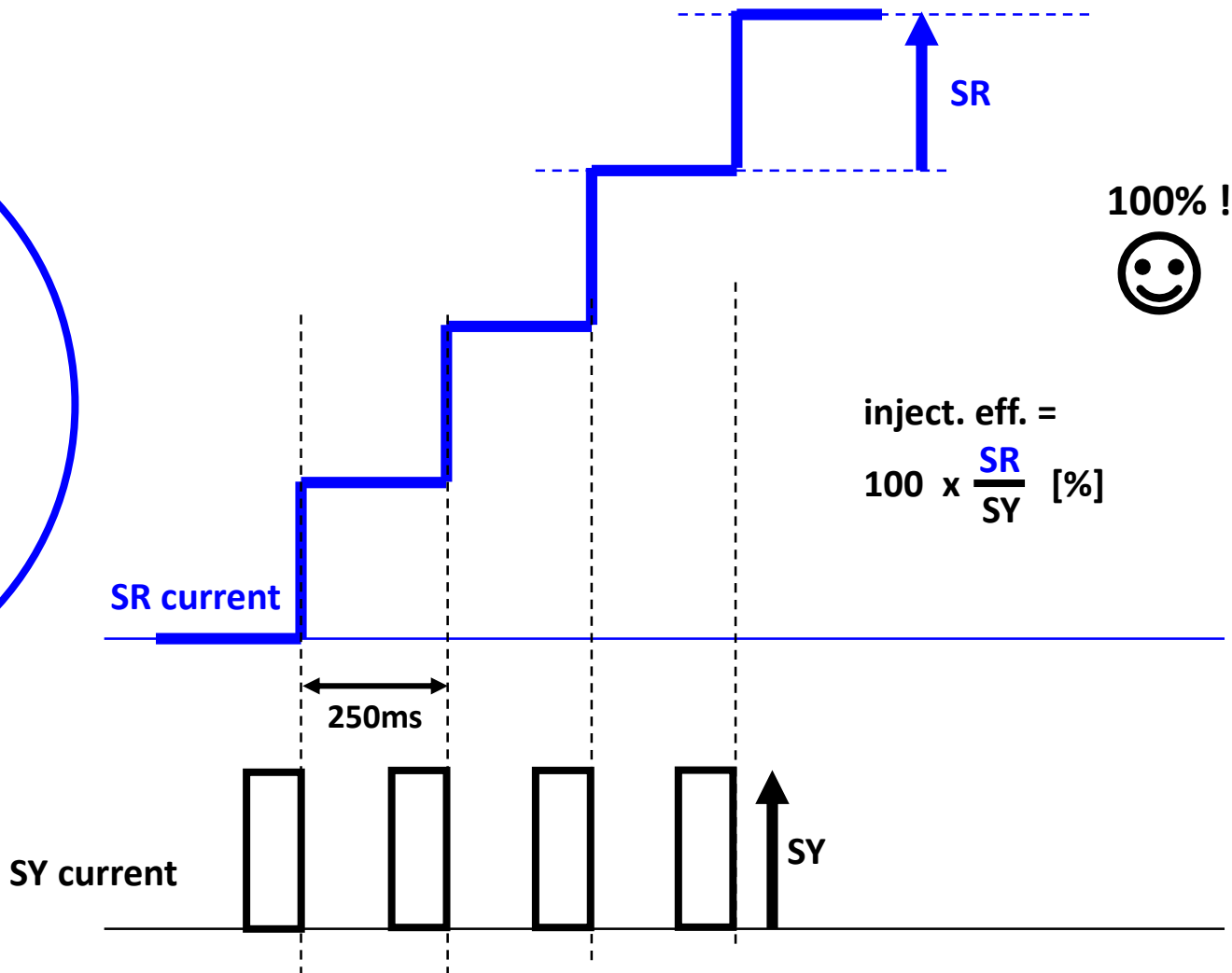
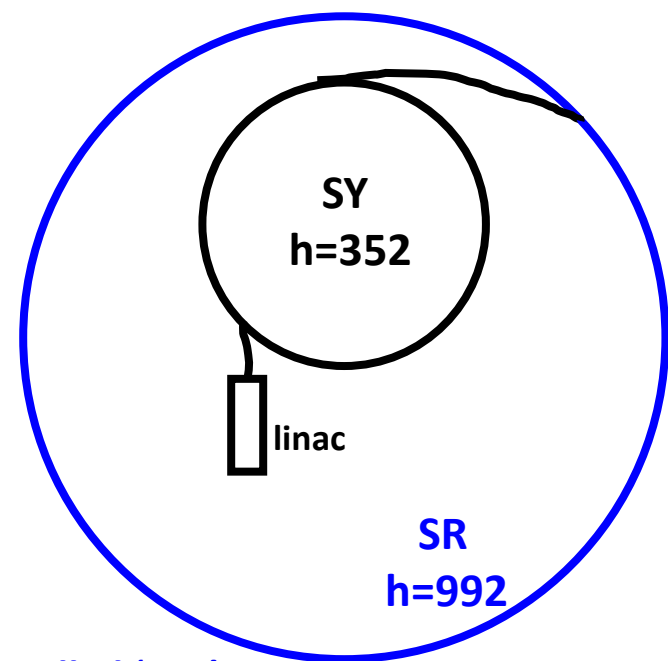
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measurement at the ESRF of :

- a) injection efficiency and
- b) the time-resolved losses of these injections

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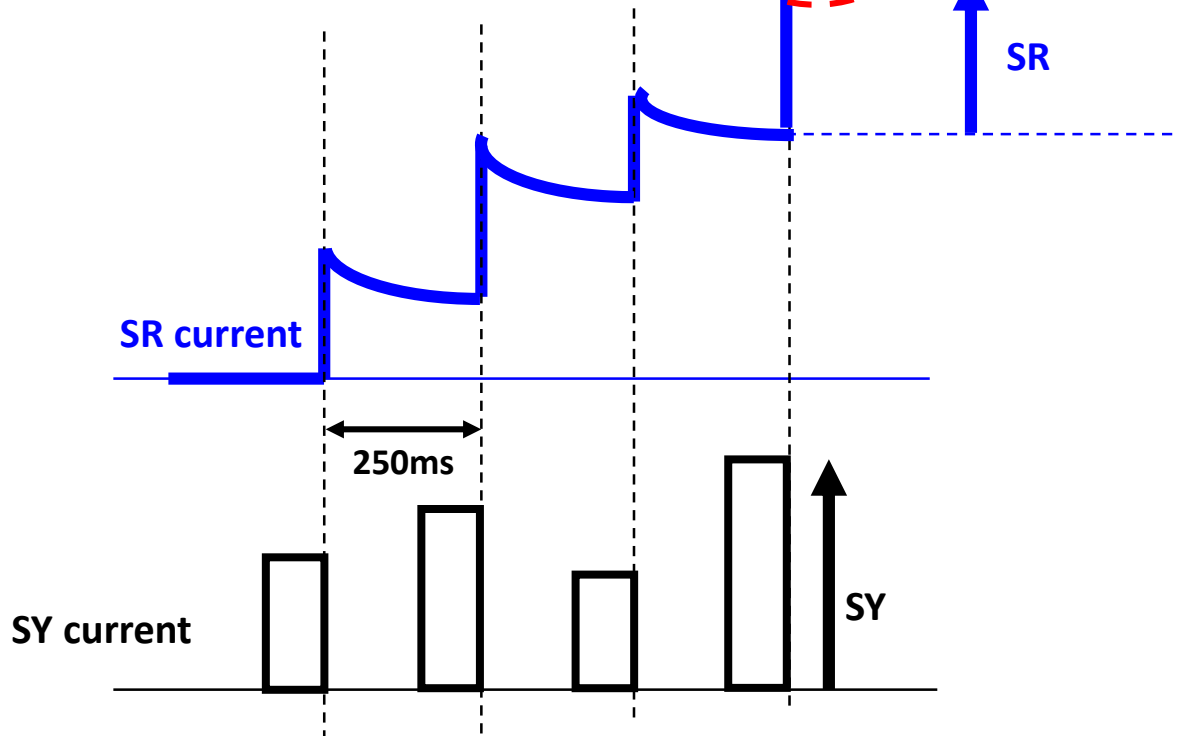
a) the precise measurement of this inject. eff. =

$$100 \times \frac{SR}{SY} = \dots 70 \% \text{ (typ.)}$$



b) time-resolved losses of these injections

real life at the ESRF ...



it happens that
we only add 20uA
on top of the 200mA

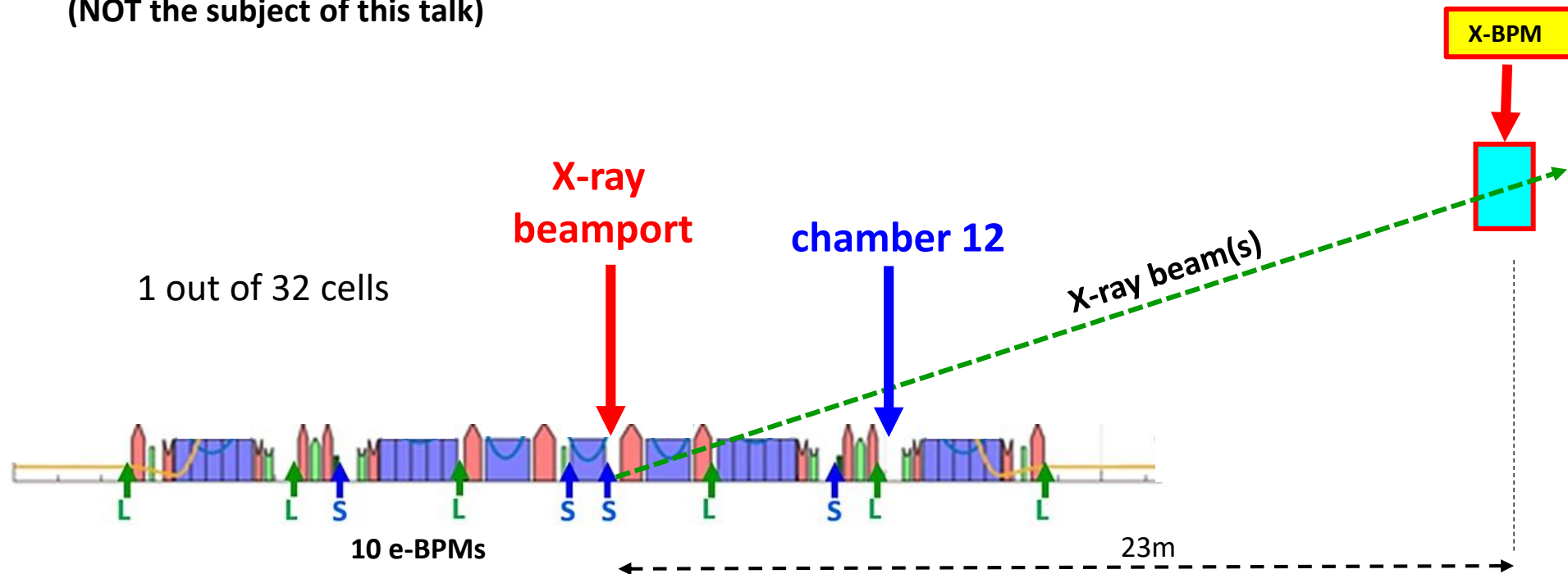
a weak $1E-4$ step-increase
that we still measure with
a few % precision



we are privileged to have (much) space in our Rings to get numerous additional diagnostics devices :
in almost each cell (32 in total) a straight-section (called [chamber 12](#)) is available, and thus we have

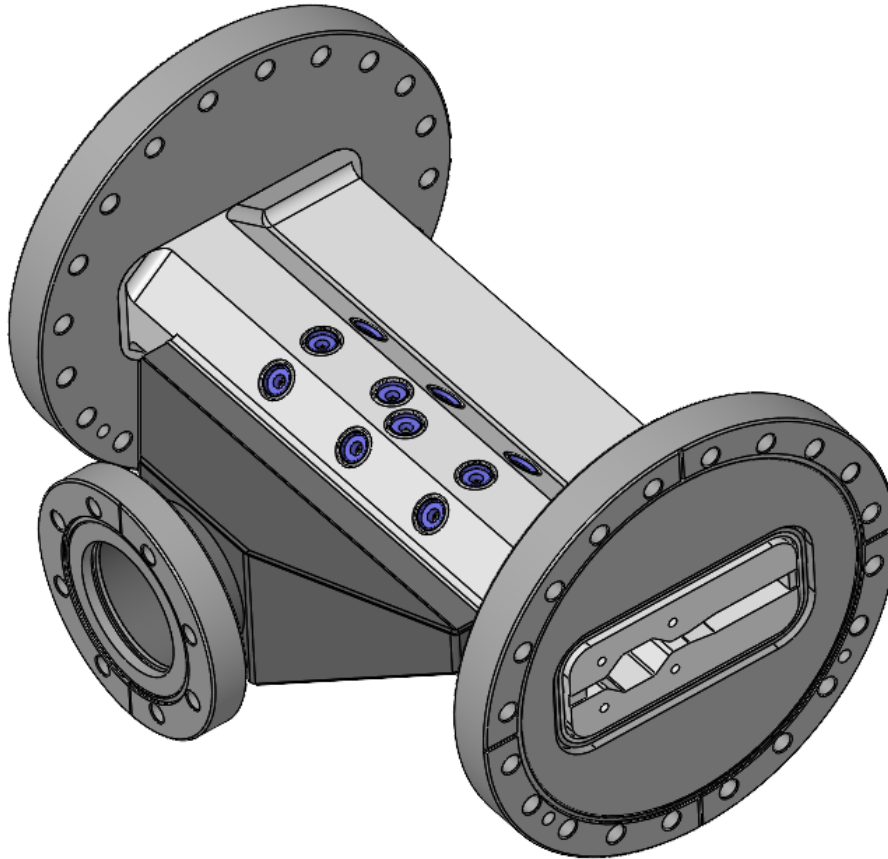
- 3 PCTs (current monitor, lifetime)
- 3 chambers with each 20 BPM-buttons (60 buttons, 8 for this Inj.Eff.)
- 3 strip-lines
- 2 scrapers
- 2 tune-monitors
- 2 collimators

in addition to that we have also many X-ray beamports available (>18) for other diagnostics :
5 emittance-monitors (pinhole type), 10 X-BPMs, 2 Halo-monitors, Energy-monitor
(NOT the subject of this talk)



these additional and independent buttons are very useful

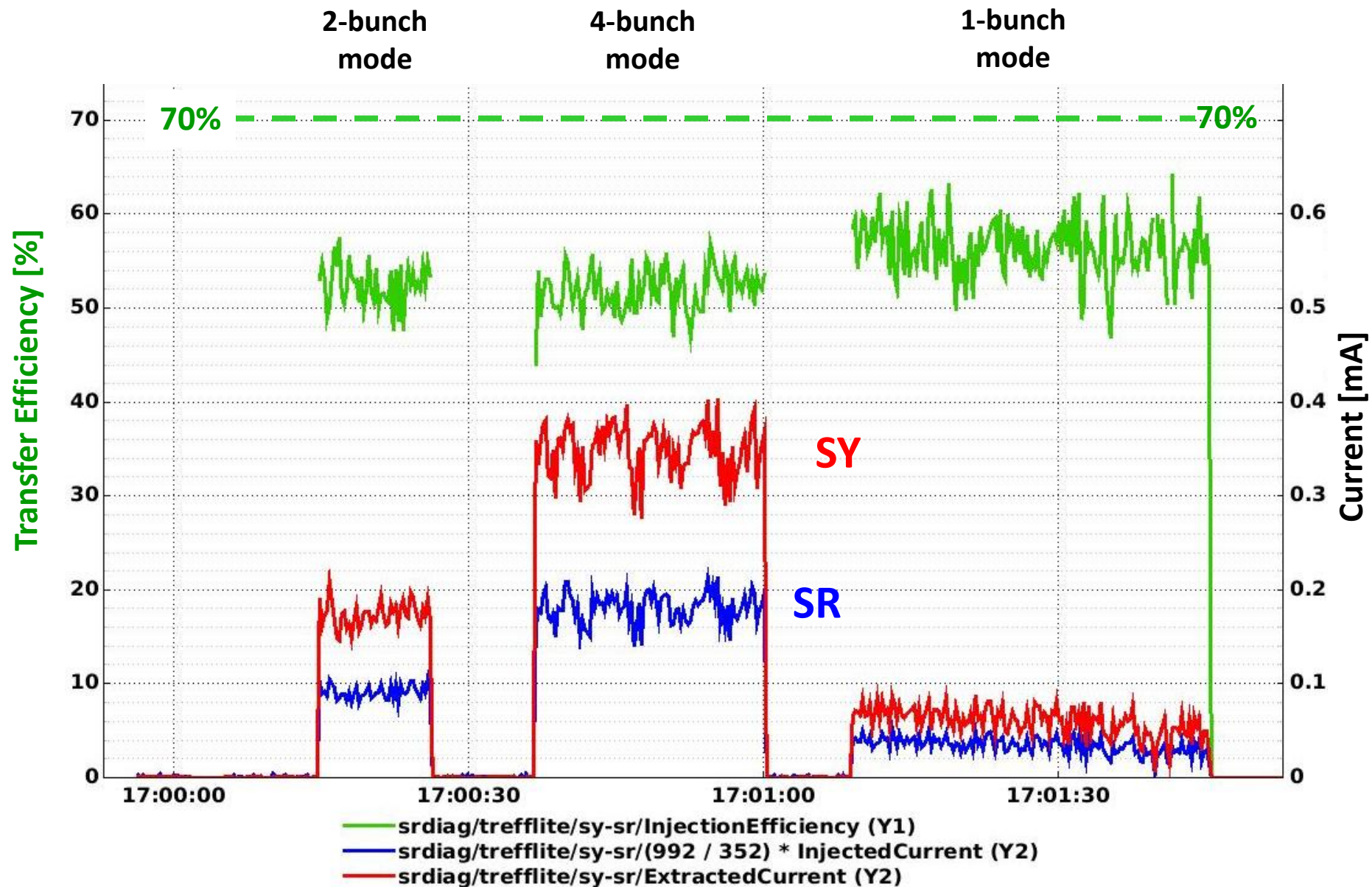
we do NOT share /mix signals & applications between
the regular 320 e-BPMs and other purposes (like this Inj.Eff. Monitor)



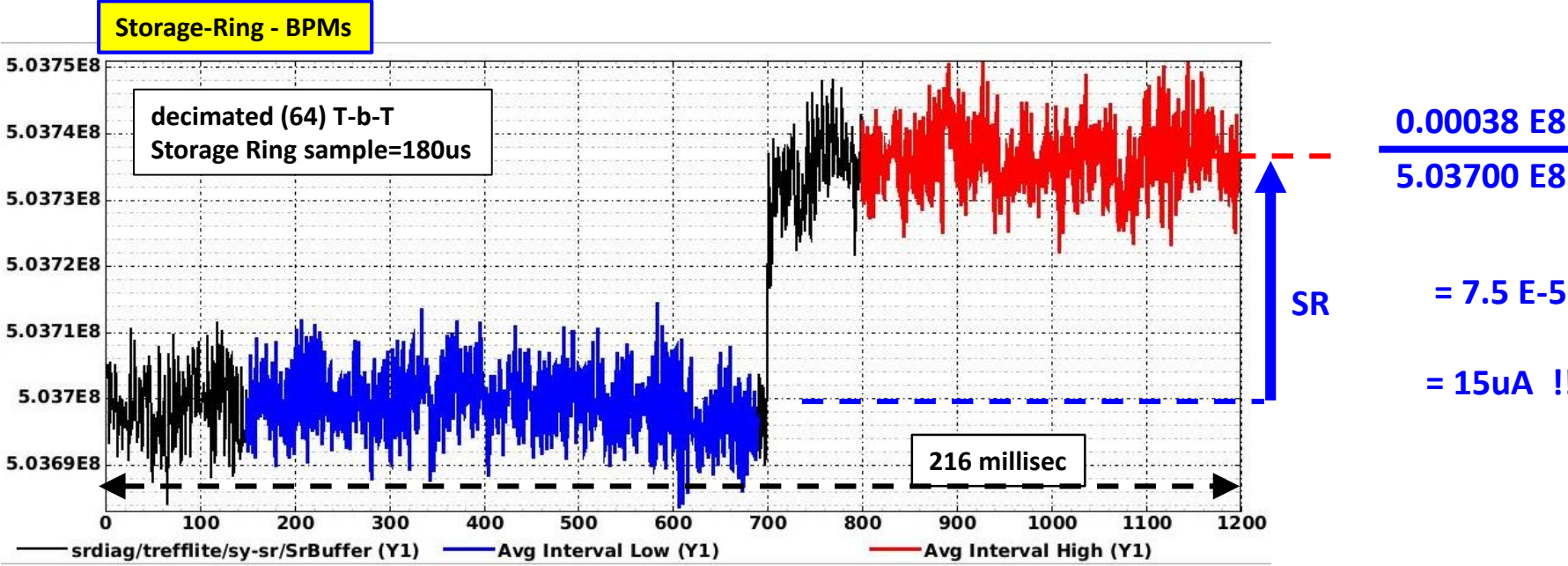
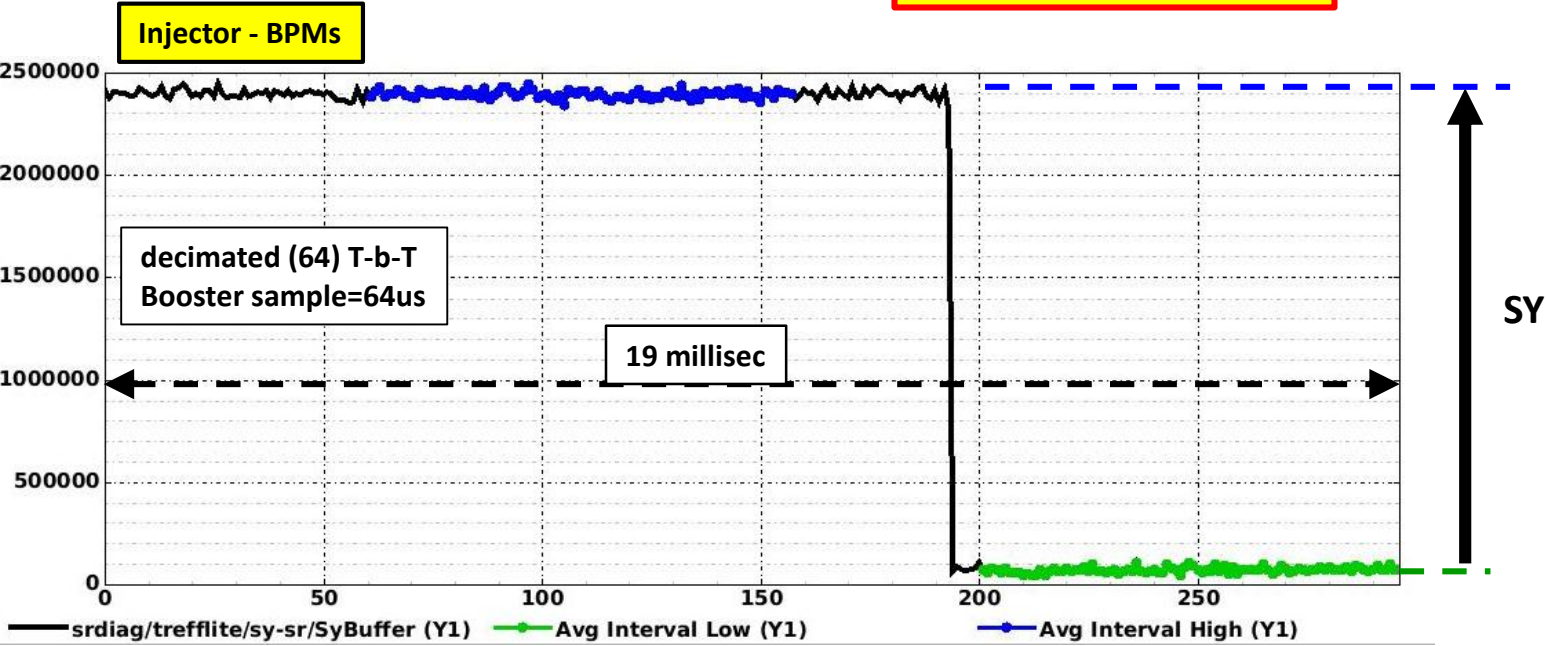
**3 installed in the
Storage Ring**

the 20-buttons chamber = Ch.12

results of Inj. Eff. :



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time-resolved losses at injection

since we loose about a third it would be good to know MORE about these losses so to possibly remedy this

localization

time-resolution

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128 BeamLoss Detectors (BLDs)

localization and time-resolution

measure in slow-mode during decay, and also
measure in fast-mode at each injection, with T-b-T resolution
(2.8us sample)
doubt : are the results linear ?

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320 e-BPMs, Sum from the T-b-T buffer (2.8us sample)

time-resolution

**weakness : the bunch-length of the injected beam oscillates strongly
→ affects the amplitude of the button-signal**

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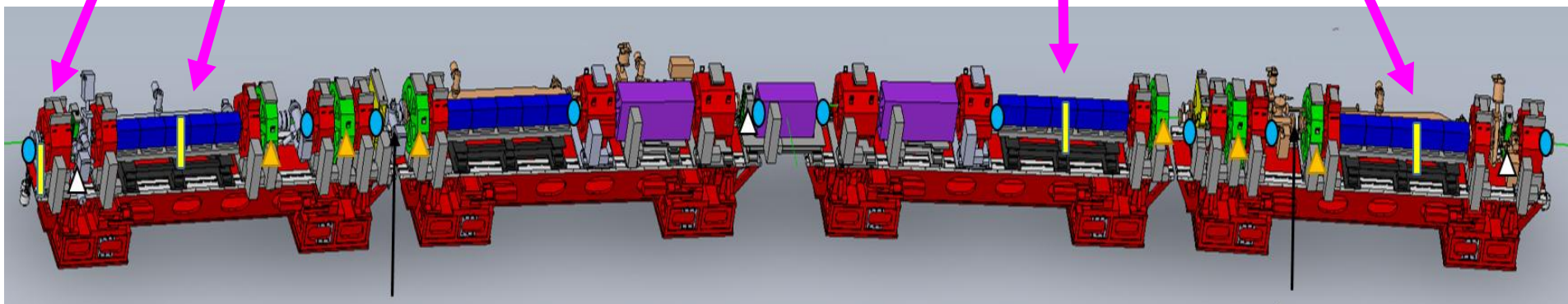
visible light acquisition of (all) the injected beam

time-resolution

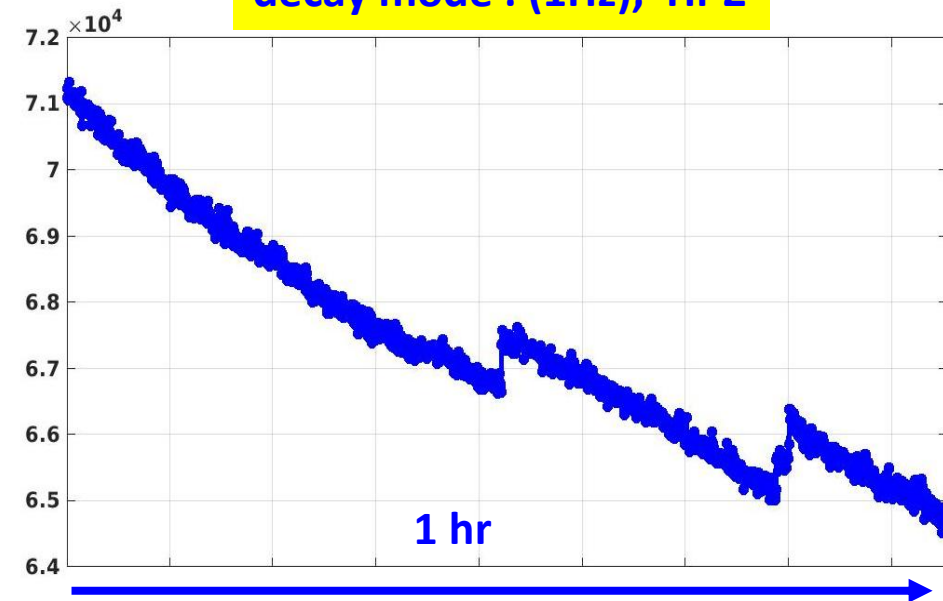
first attempts 2 years ago, some problems, aborted, but to be retried (?)

① → Beam Loss Detectors , 128 units

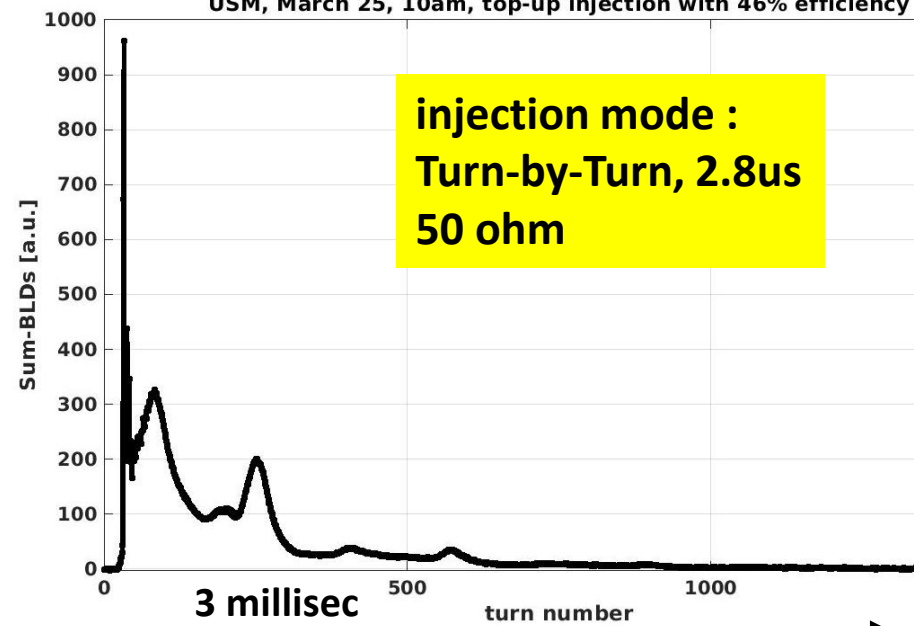
4 BLDs per cell



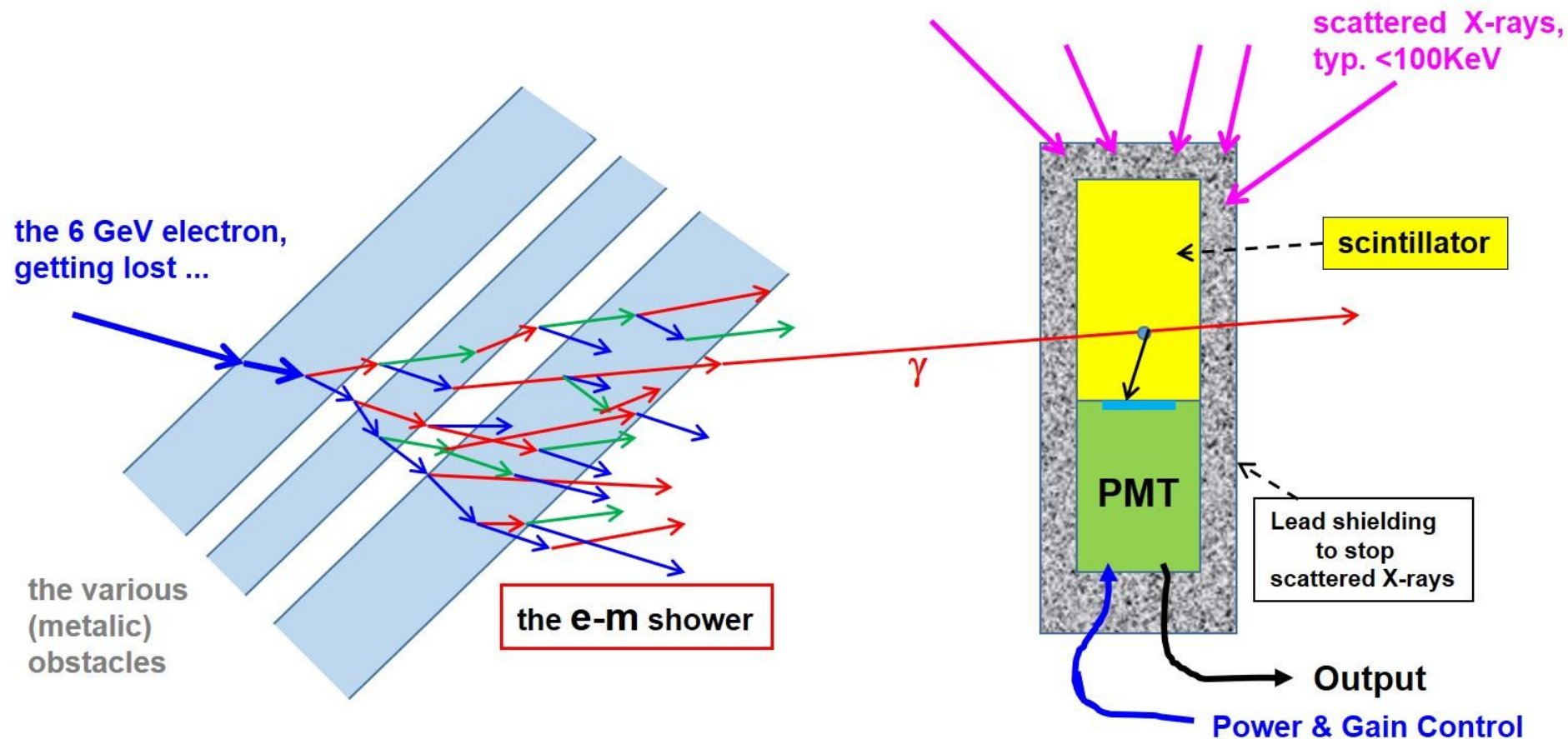
decay mode : (1Hz), Hi-Z



USM, March 25, 10am, top-up injection with 46% efficiency



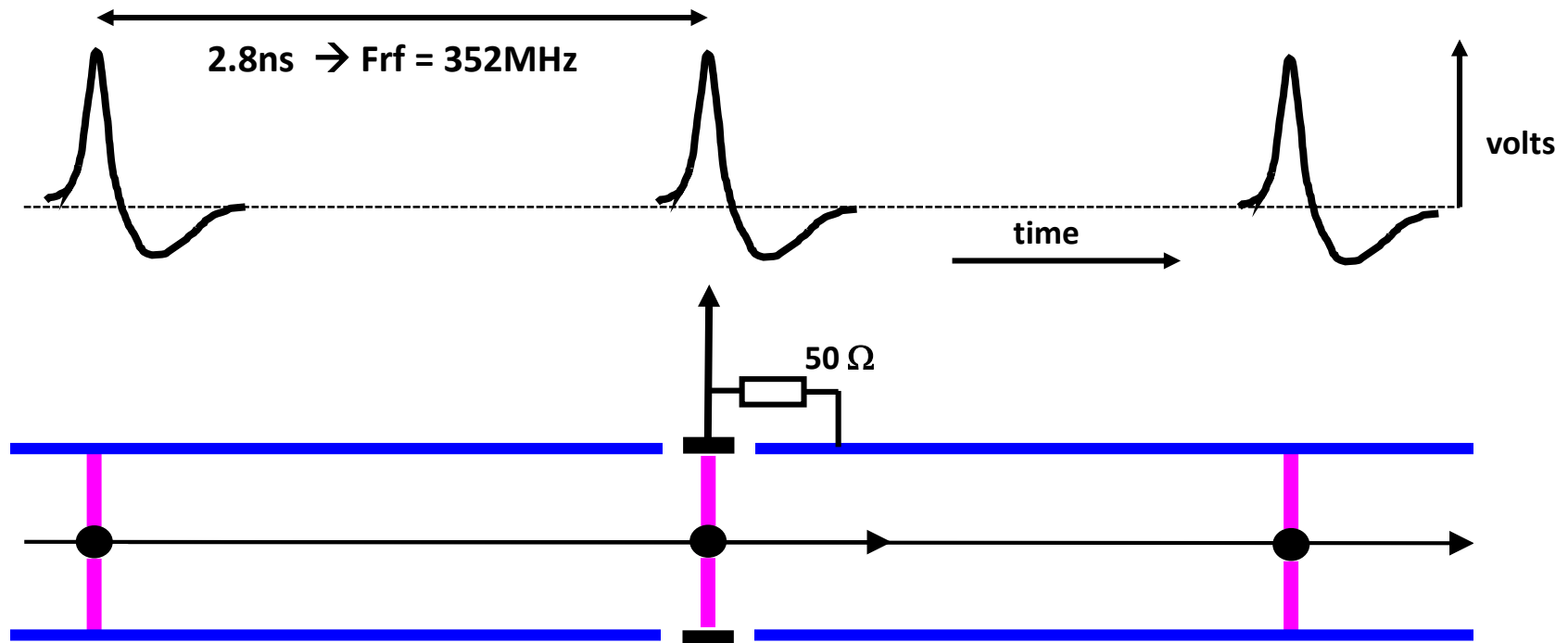
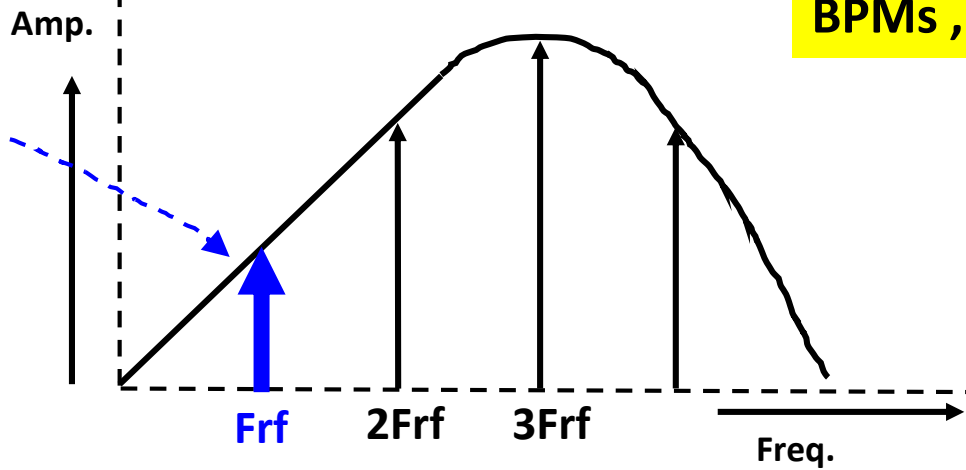
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the input signal to the photo-multiplier-tube (PMT) is a pulse of about **30 picosec**,
for **high amplitude** of that **short pulse** the **PMT** may **no longer be linear**

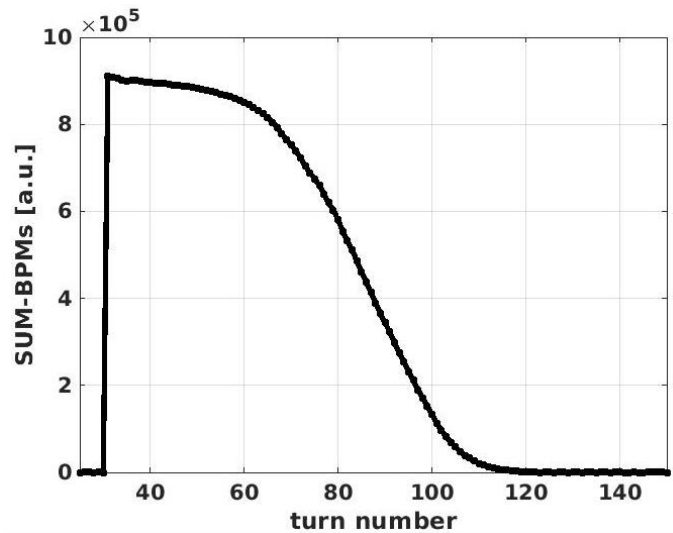
BPMs , 1280 buttons !

this amplitude
is all the time available
from 320 x 4 buttons
all through HQ-electronics
i.e. the Liberas



RF = OFF

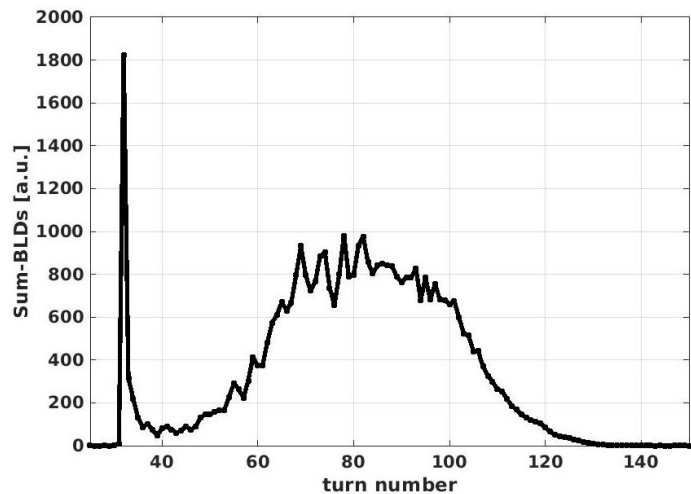
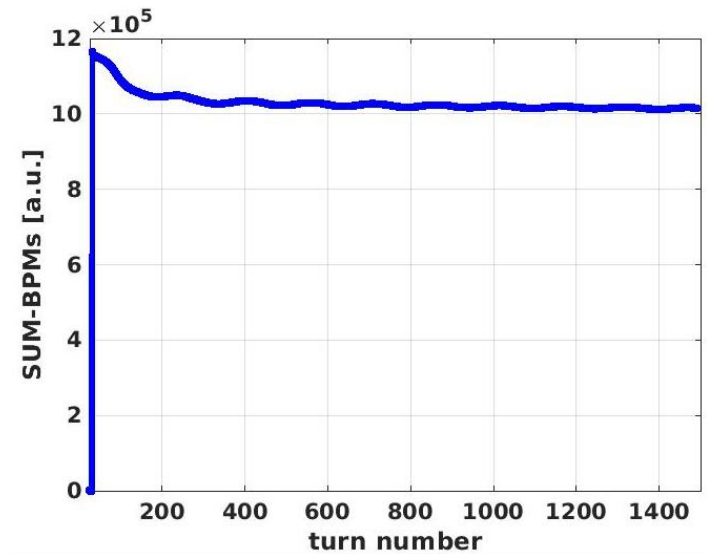
→ 100% of beam is lost
after 120 turns



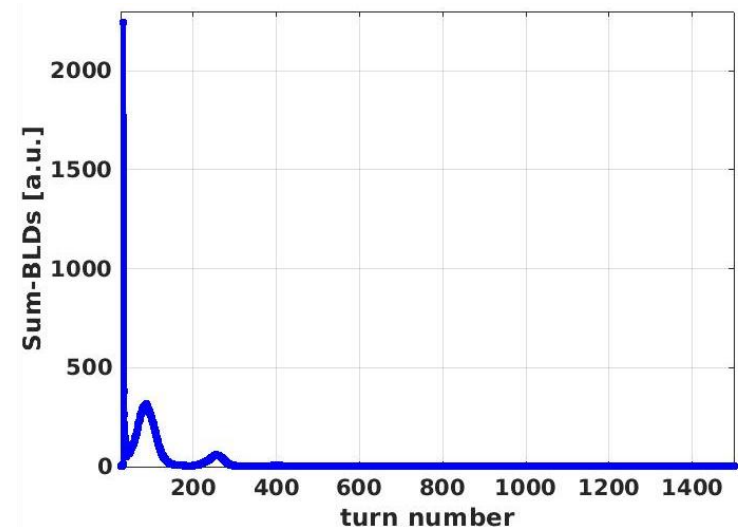
← **BPMs** →

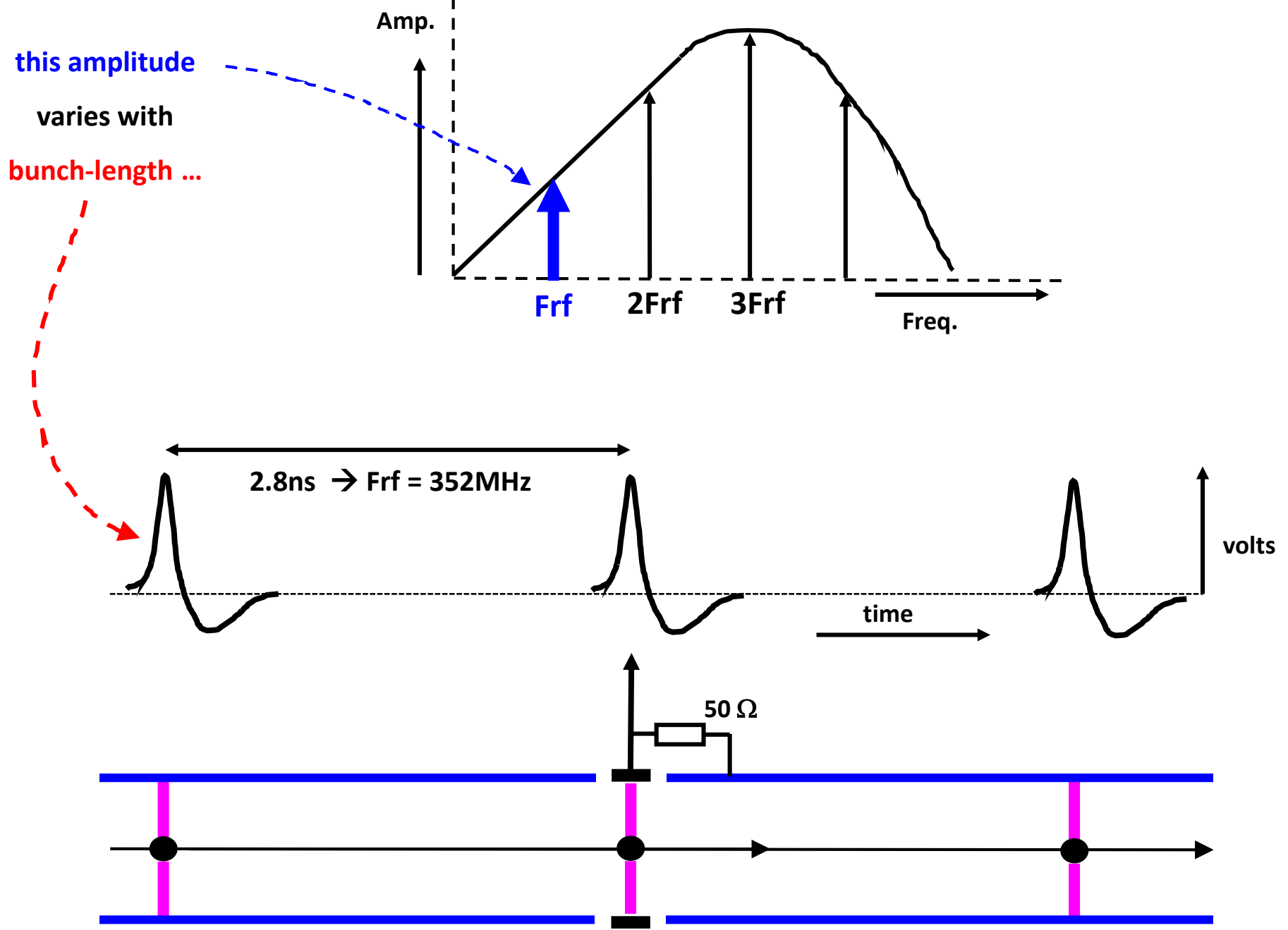
RF = normal

→ 40% of beam is lost ,
→ 60% is stored (i.e. Inject. Efficiency)



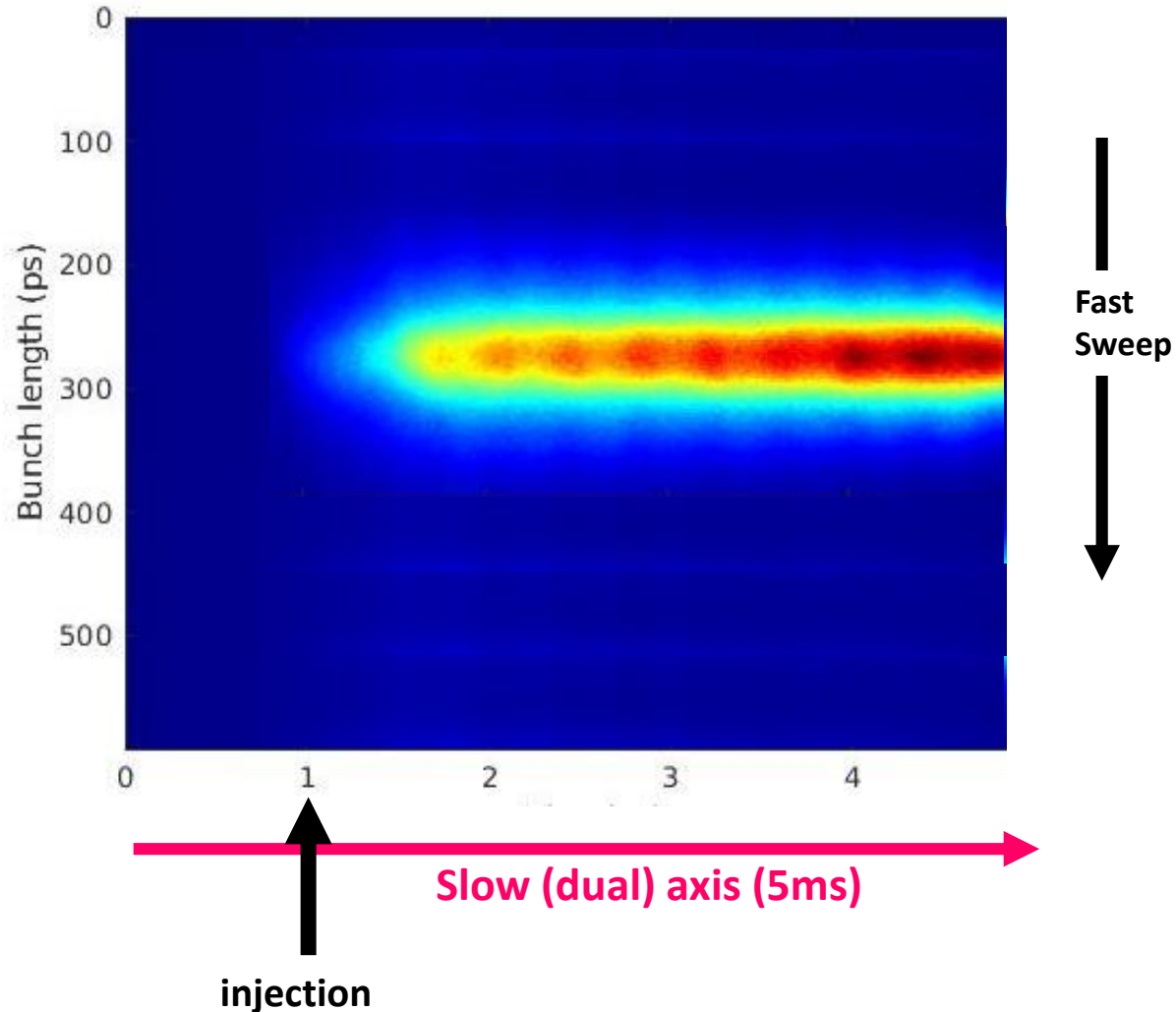
← **BLDs** →





evolution of the bunch-length
of the injected beam

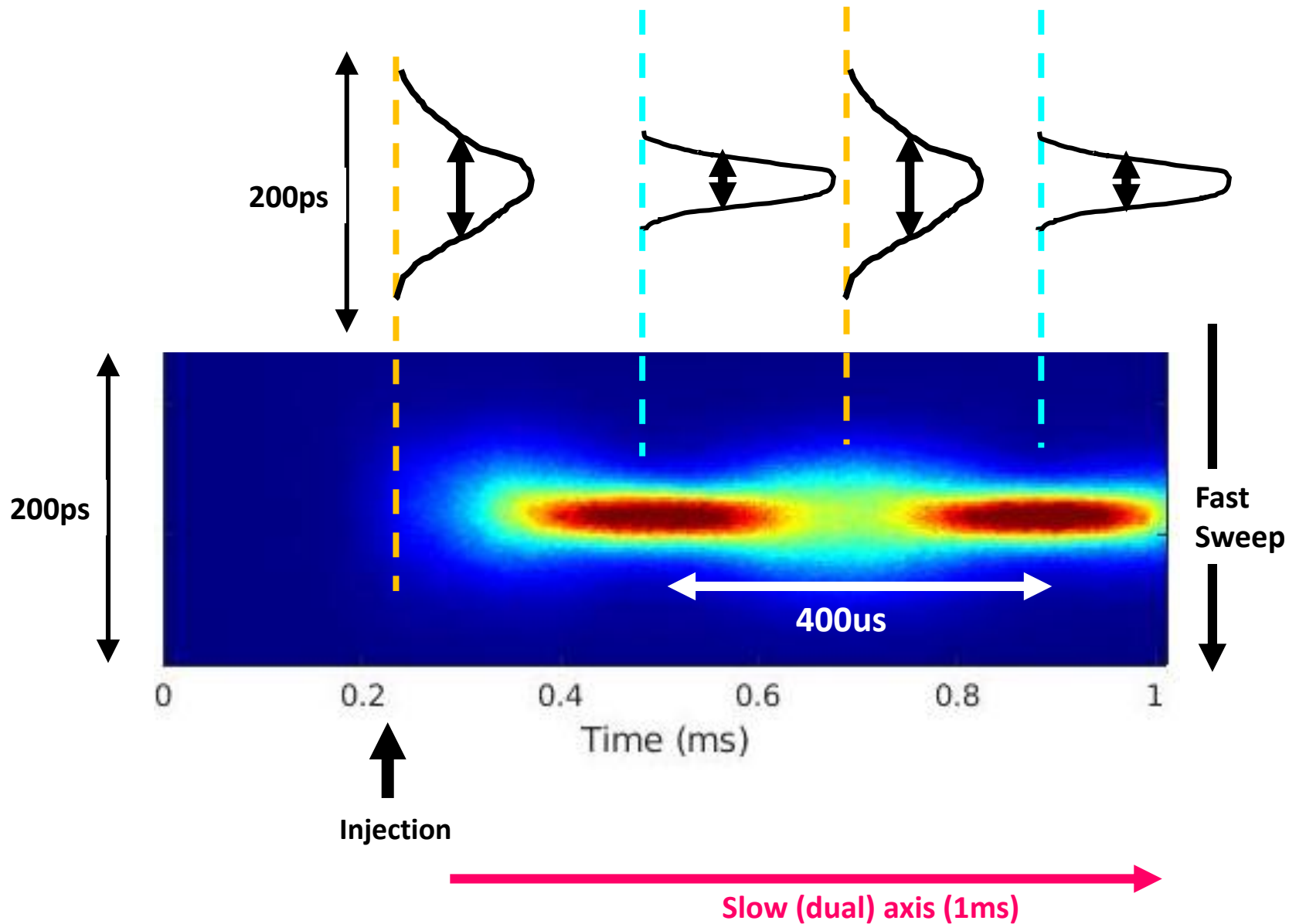
Streak camera

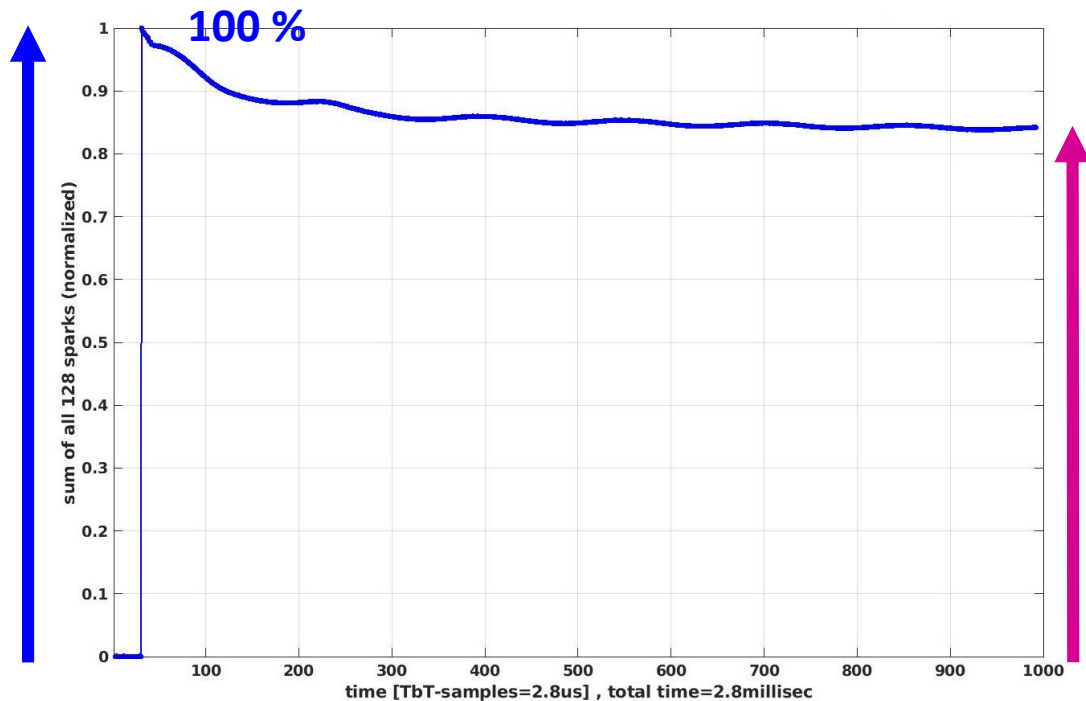


the beam is injected into an empty SR

the bunch length at injection is large
and then shrinks with time,
while oscillating for
a number of periods
and stabilizes after about 10ms

Evolution of the bunch-length of the injected beam



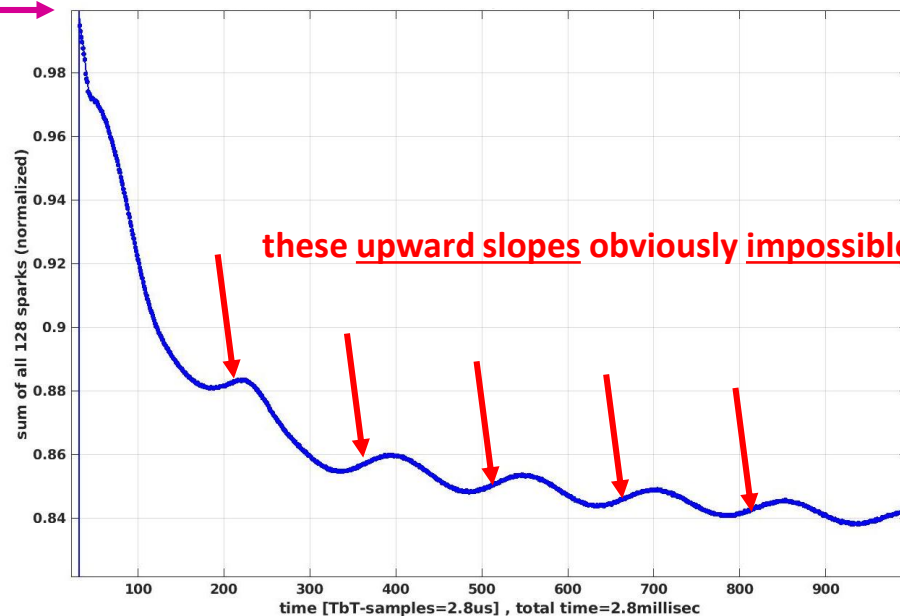


time resolved injection
from BPM buttons

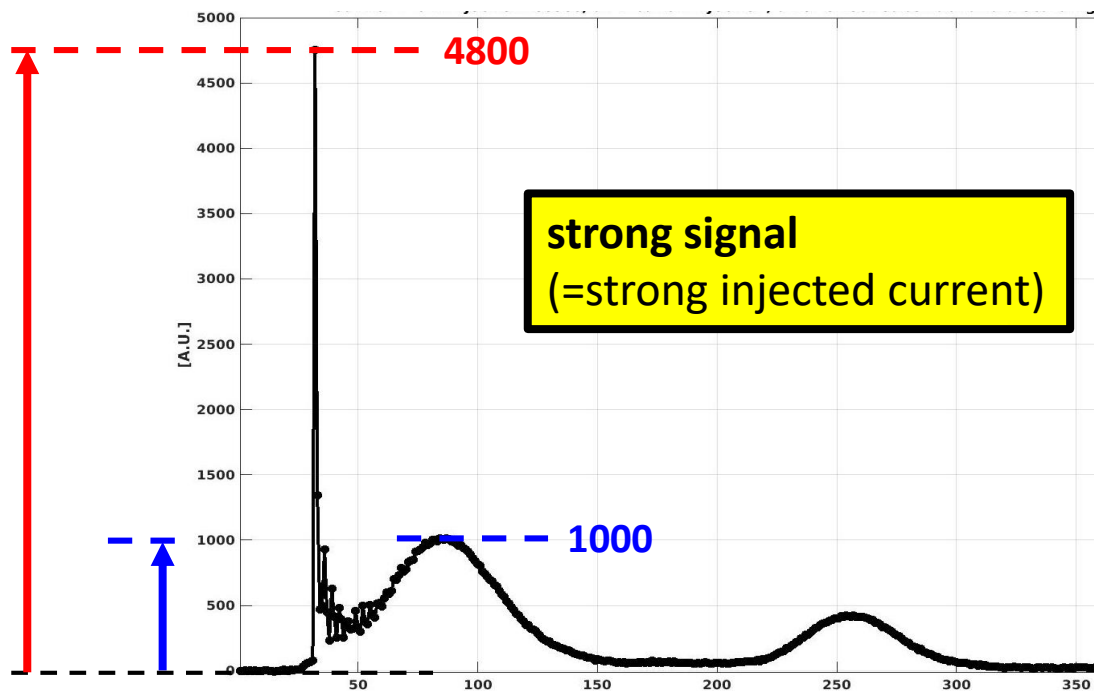
hey ...
>85% !??

sadly, we never had 85%

the injected
beam-charge
is under-valued
→ large bunch-length



→ caused by
bunch-length
variations of the
injected beam



two measurements
weak (1) and strong (5)
all other conditions identical

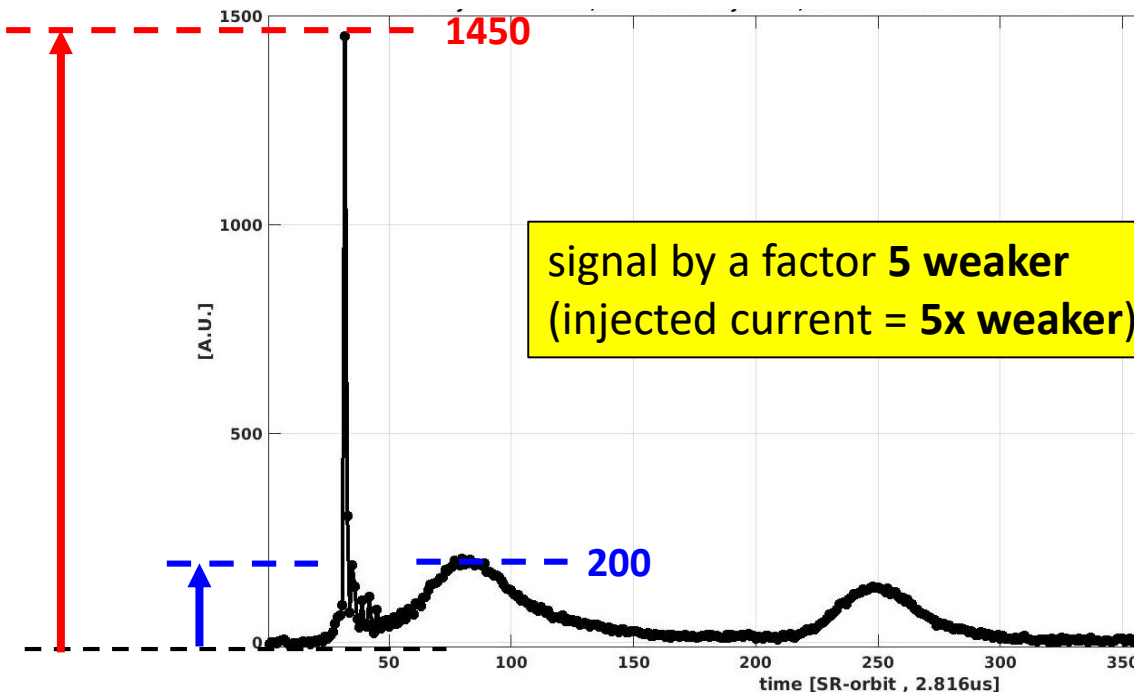
blue (weaker losses) is a
factor 5 stronger (1000/200)

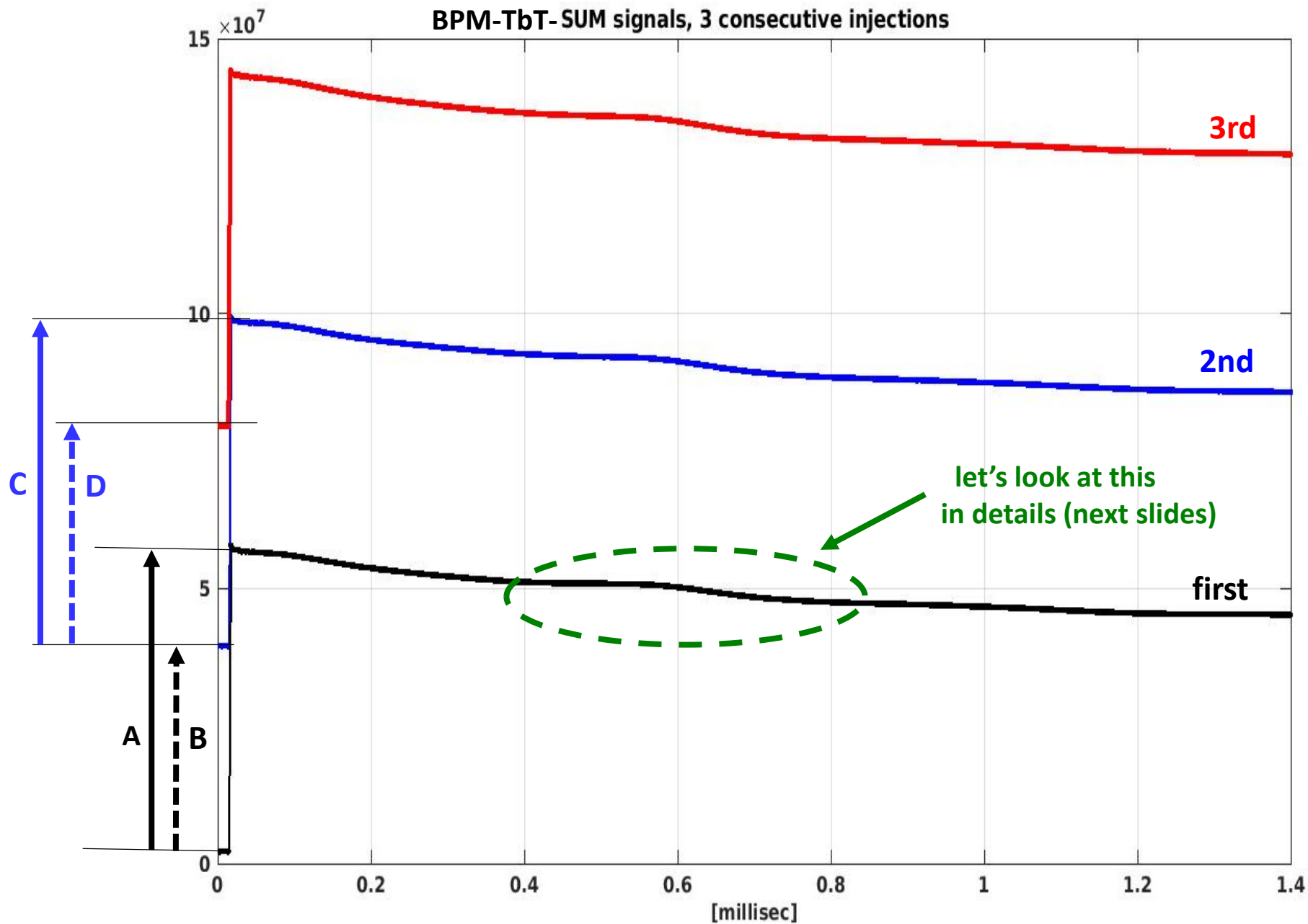
red (peaked losses) shows
only a factor 3.3 ...

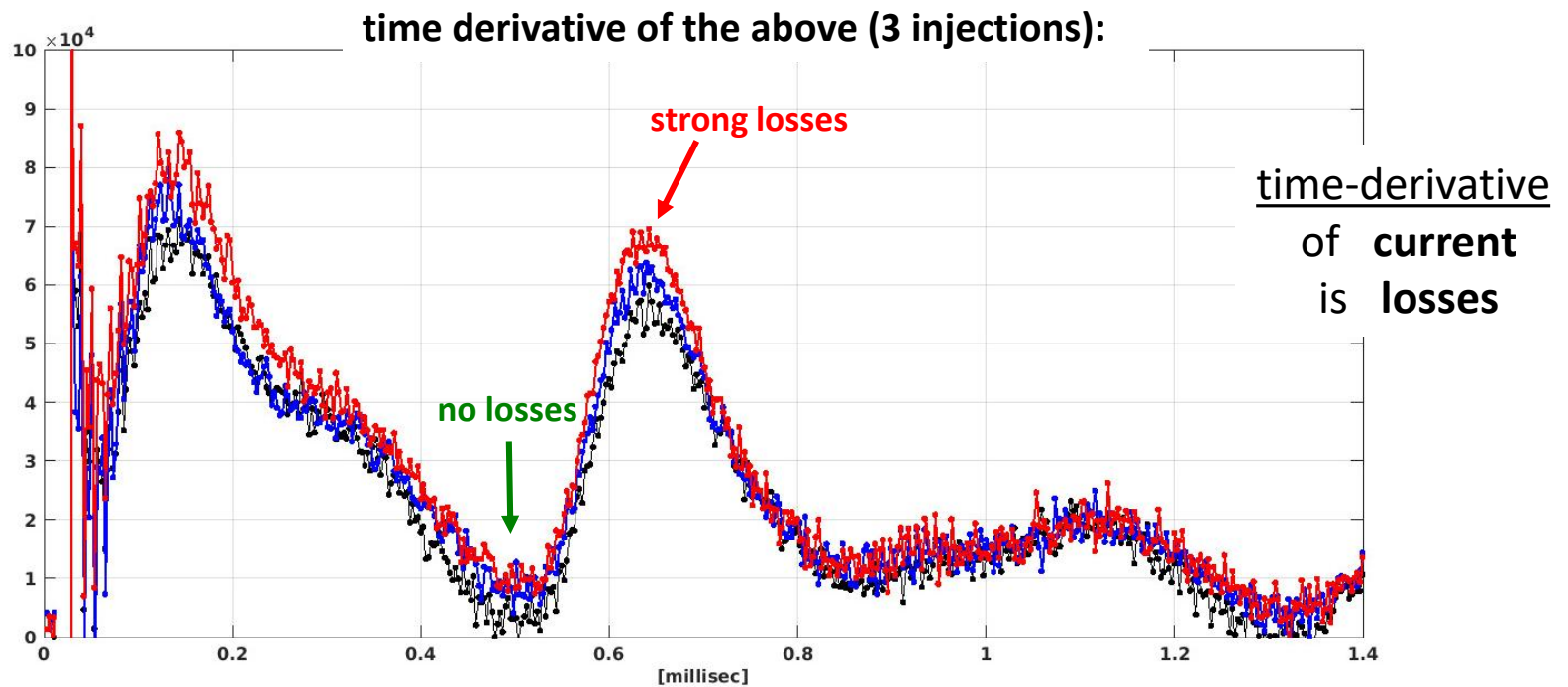
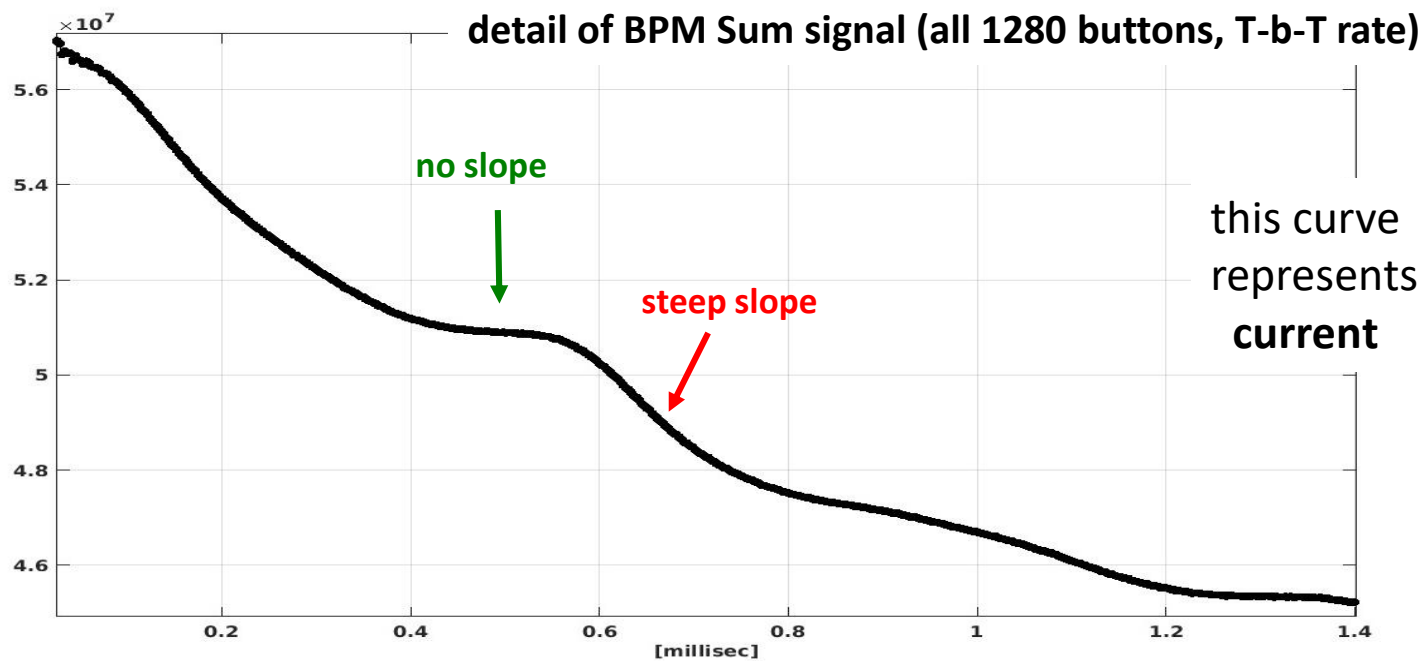
some dis-linearity (30%) for
high amplitudes

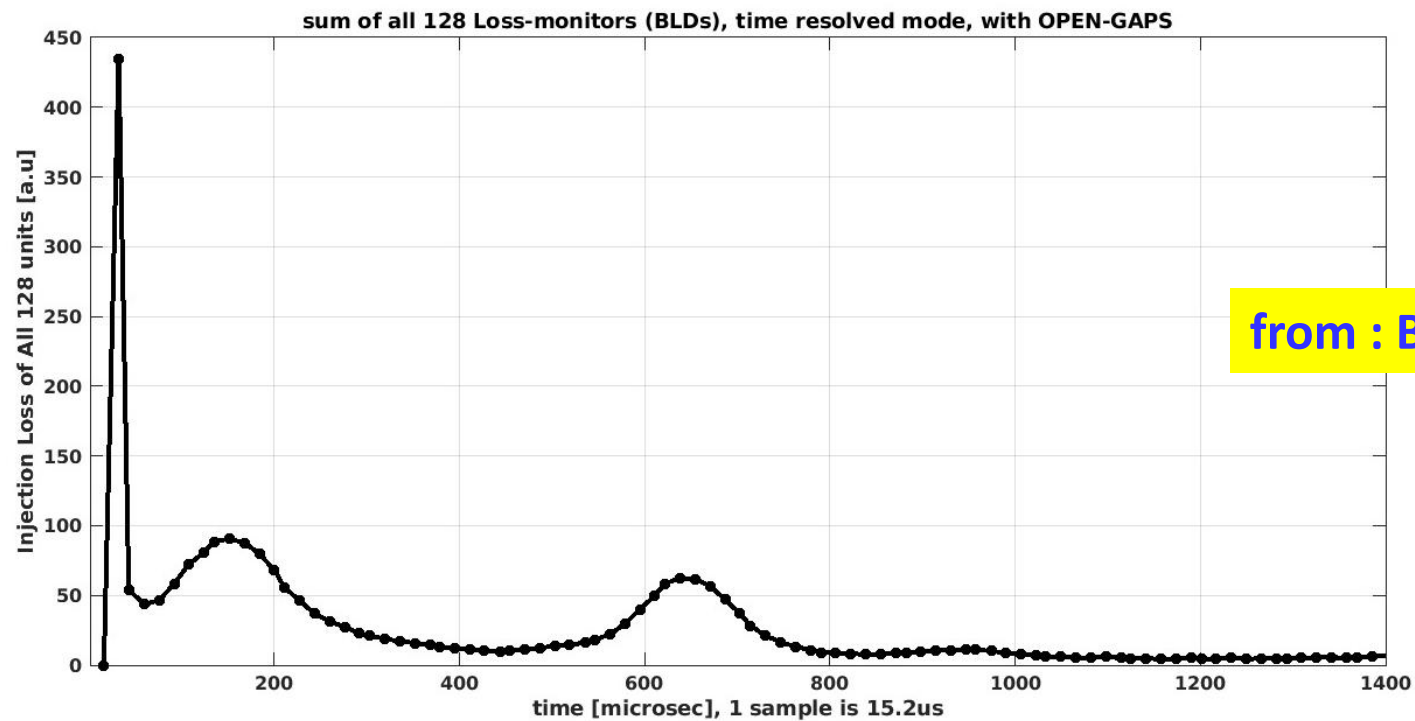
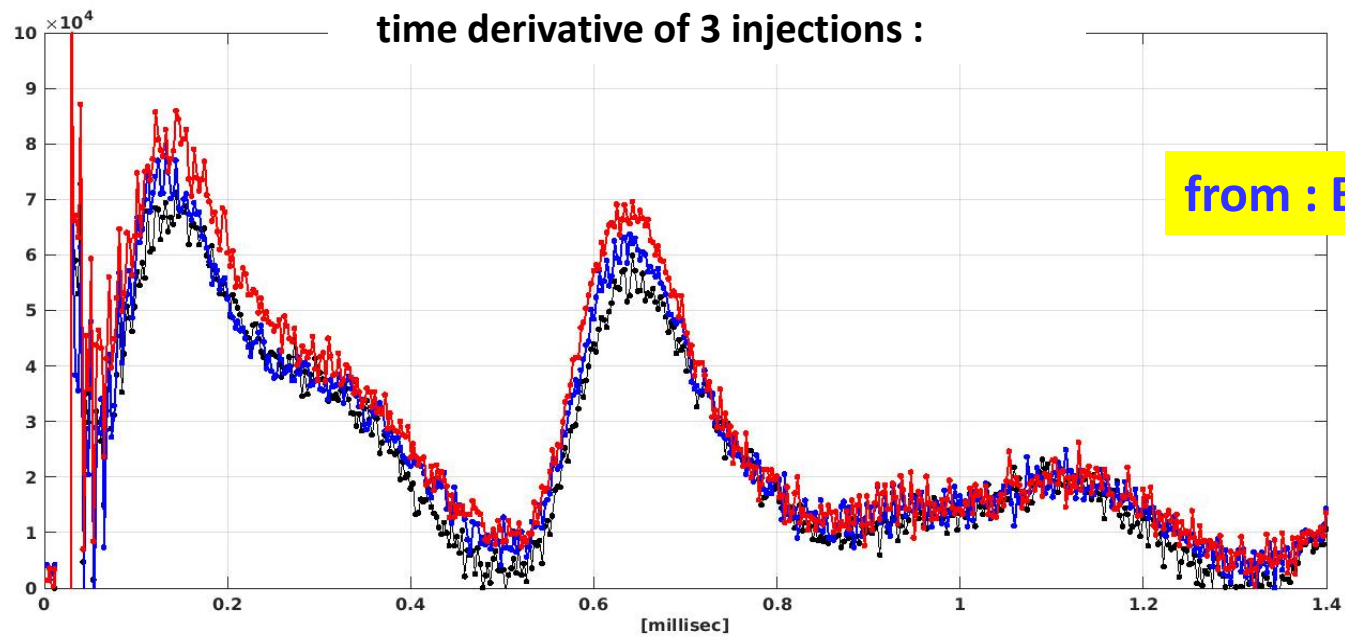
is NOT an issue for most
BLD applications

but not allowing a precise
and a certain measurement
of time-resolved losses ...









the two methods (using BPMs and BLDs) have both different limitations, but they nevertheless show also (partly) a good consistency between them

can we think of a new and independent method to even better measure time-resolved injection losses (at T-b-T rate) ?

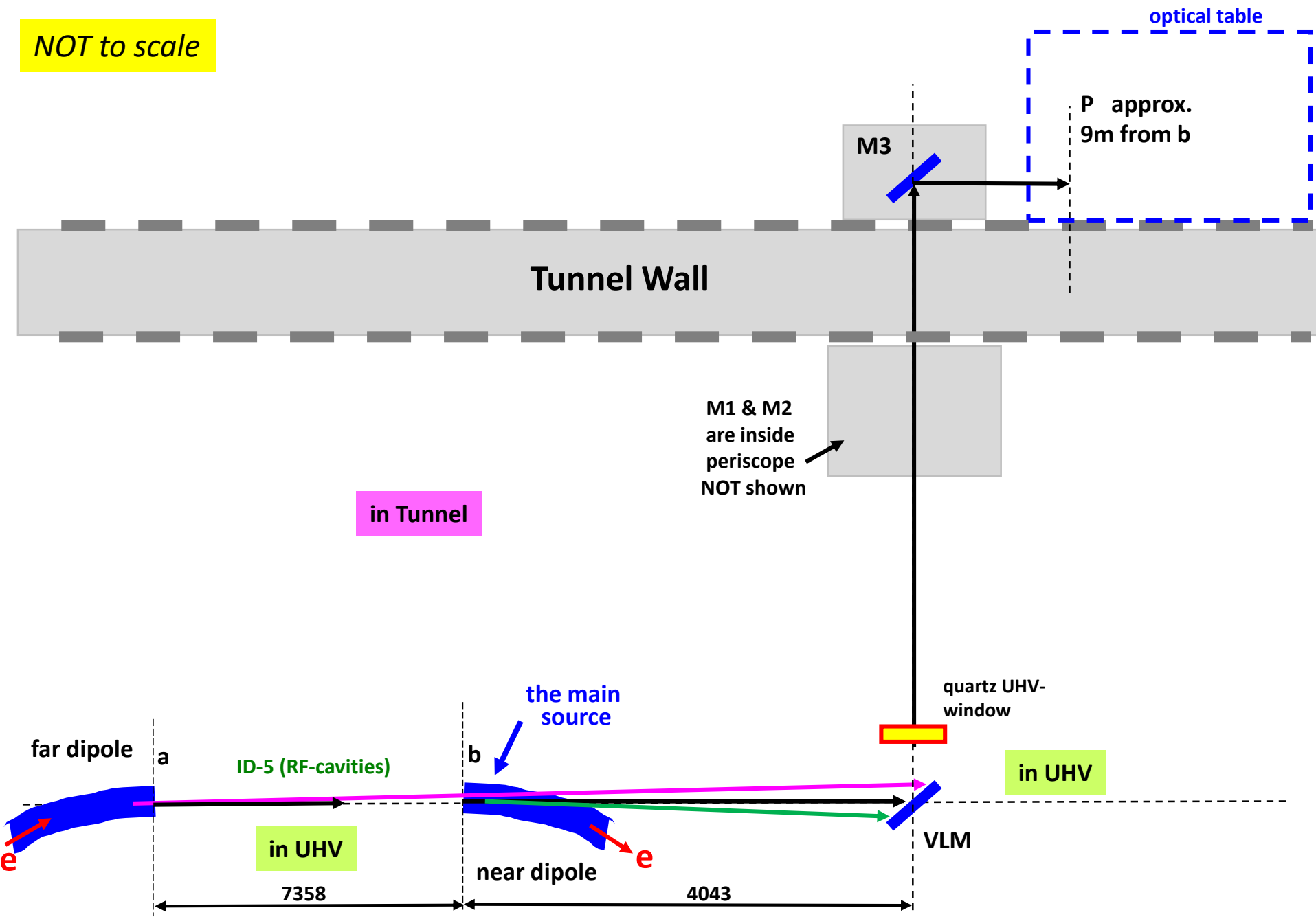
→ capture the full cone of **visible light**, at injection, into an empty storage ring, and focus all that light onto a suitable detector → acquire at T-b-T rate

advantages :
- the flux of visible light is not dependent of bunch-length
- this detector can handle strong peaked flux (no dislinearity)

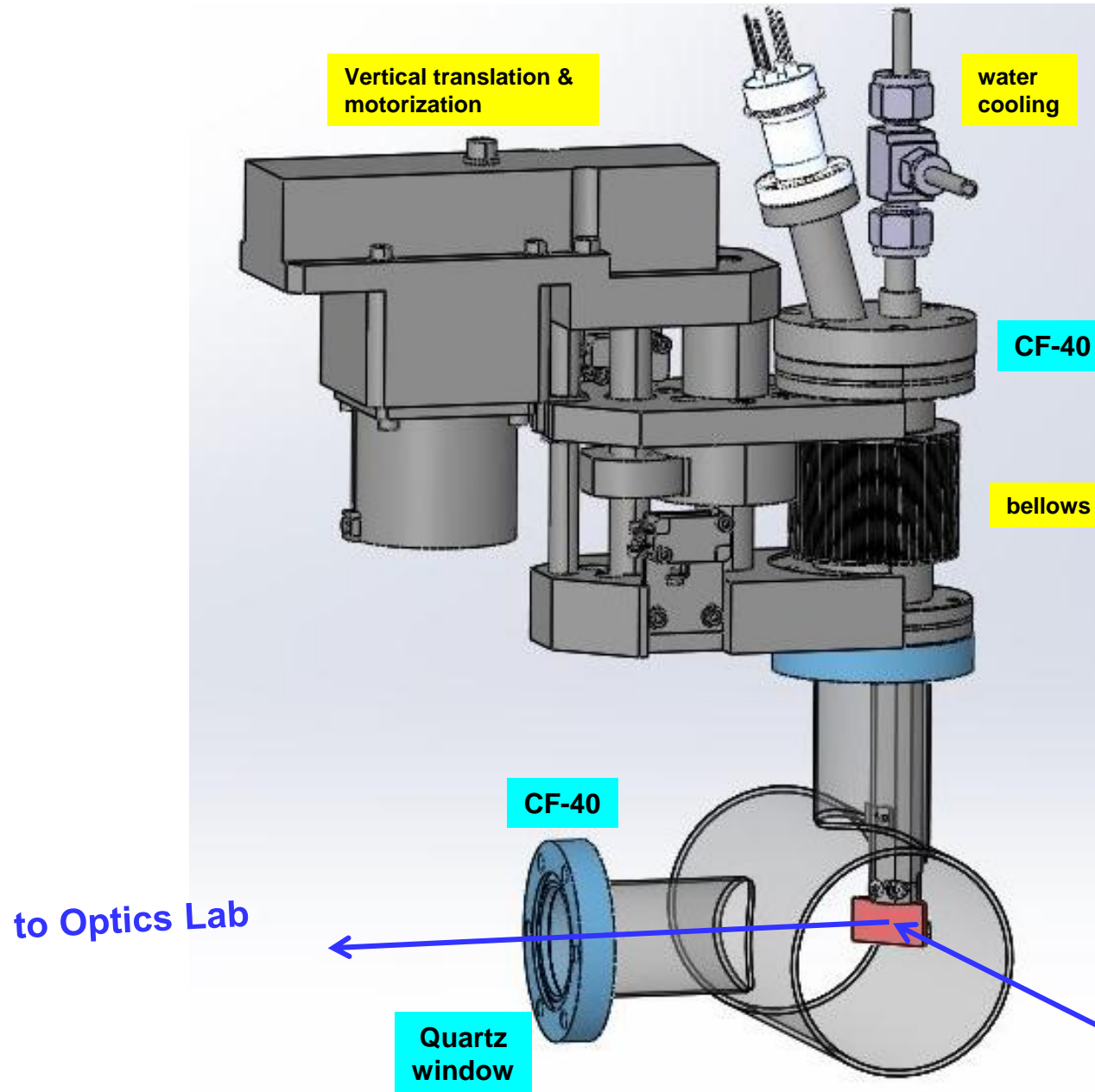
top-view

optics lab (Exp. Hall)

NOT to scale



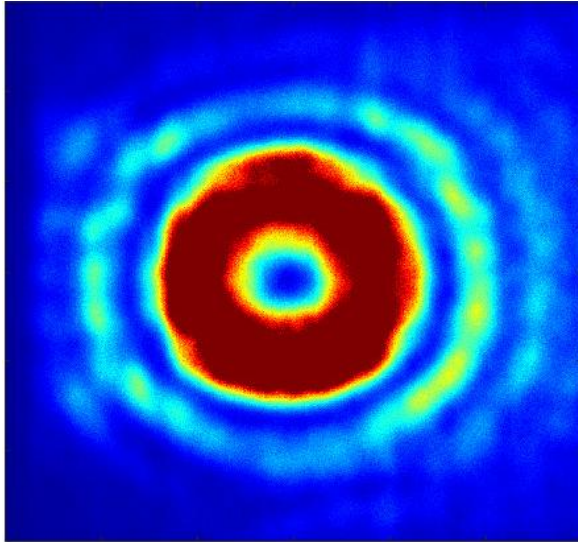
Visible Light Mirror : VLM



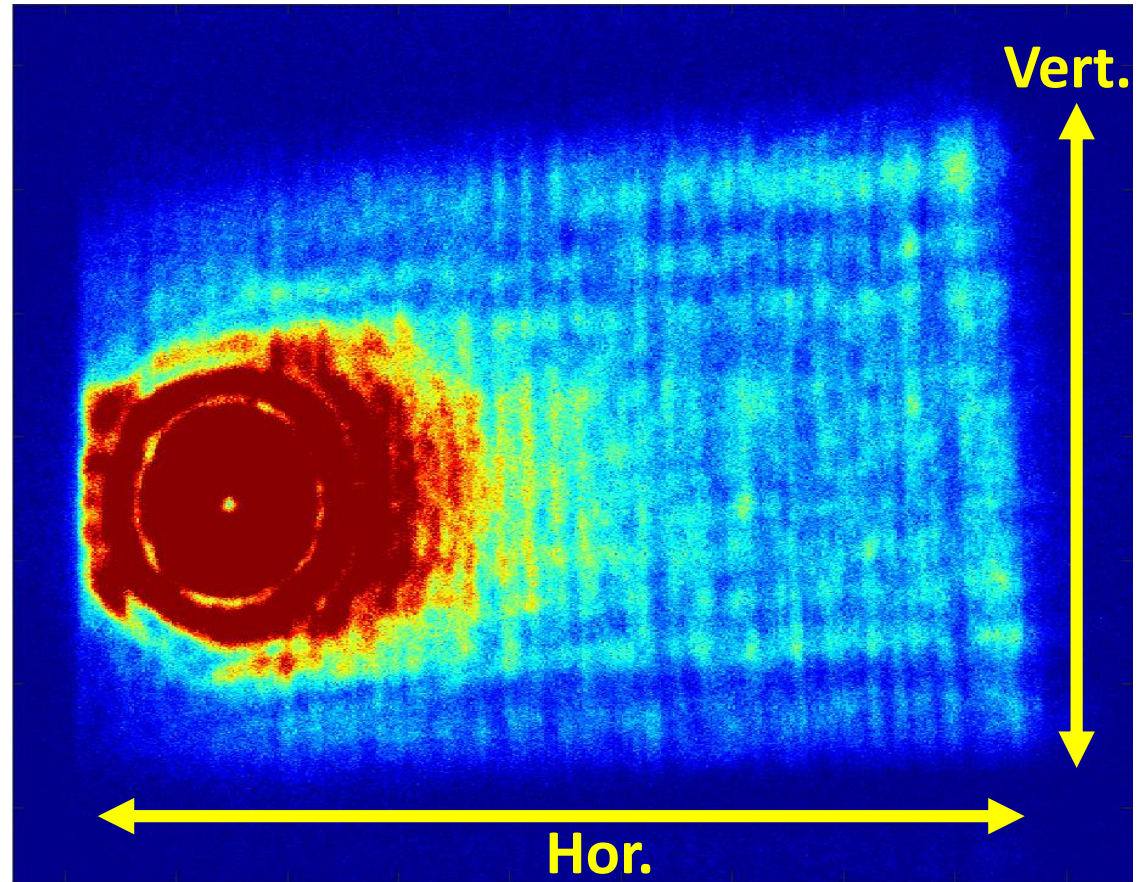
this mirror can be fully inserted into the beam-path

no heat-load issues since we inject $<1\text{mA}$ into an empty ring

images taken with
stable stored beam

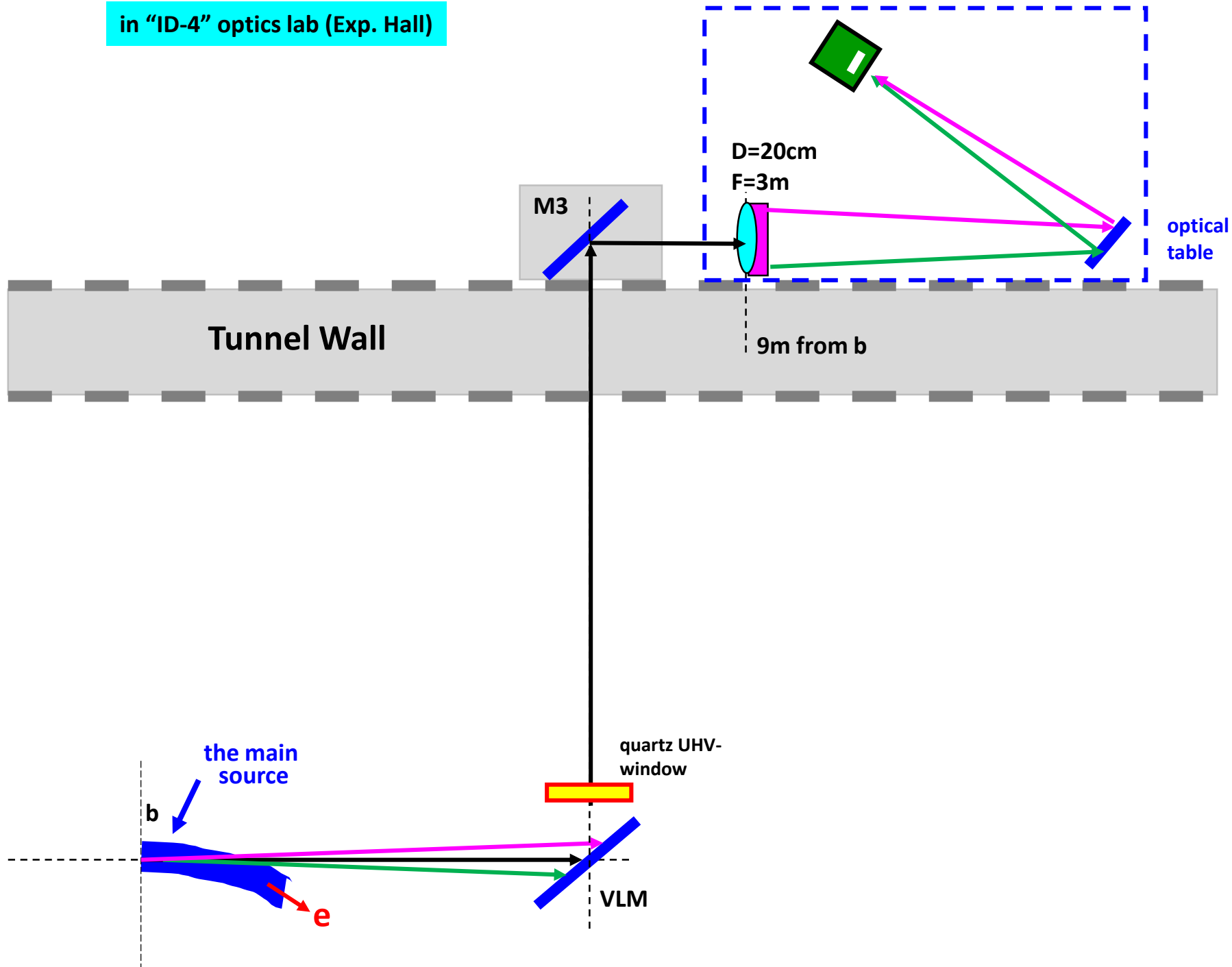


interference pattern of
Visible Light produced by
the fringe (slope) fields
of two Dipole magnets

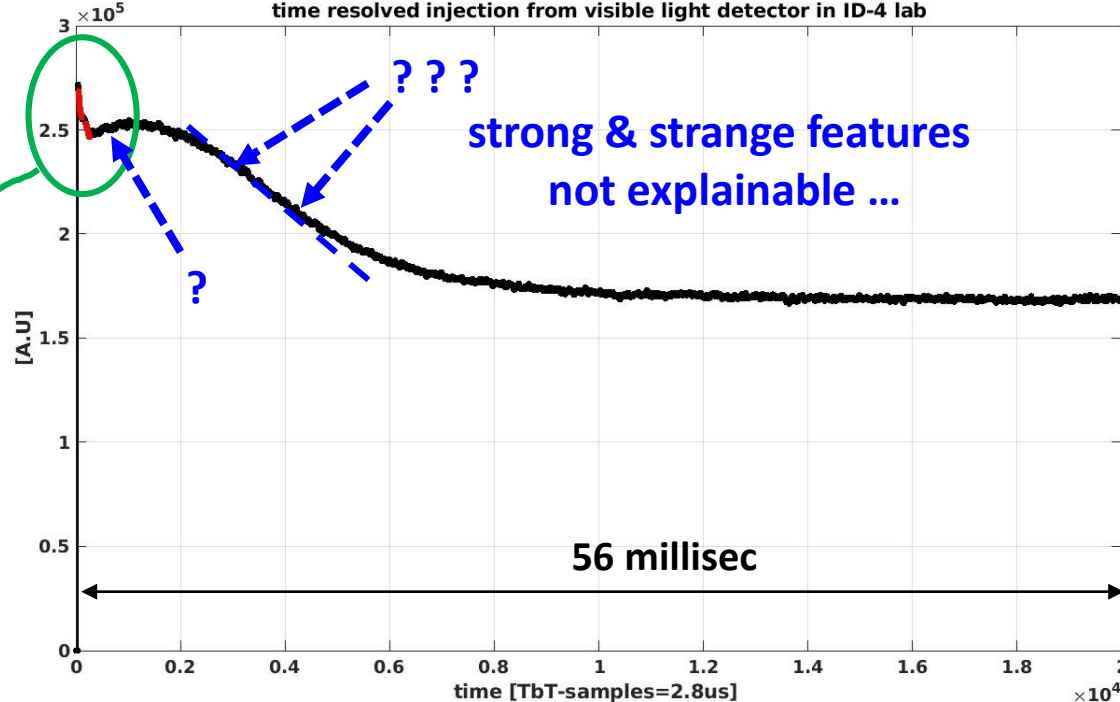


the full extracted light :
the dimensions correspond
well to what expected,

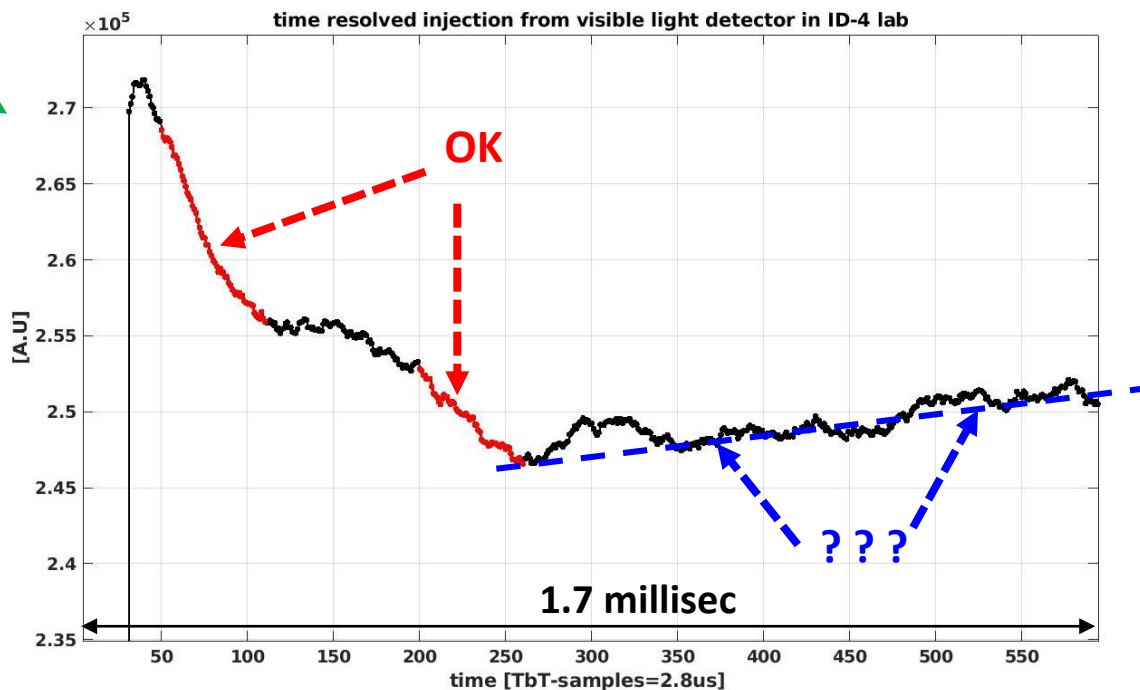
in "ID-4" optics lab (Exp. Hall)

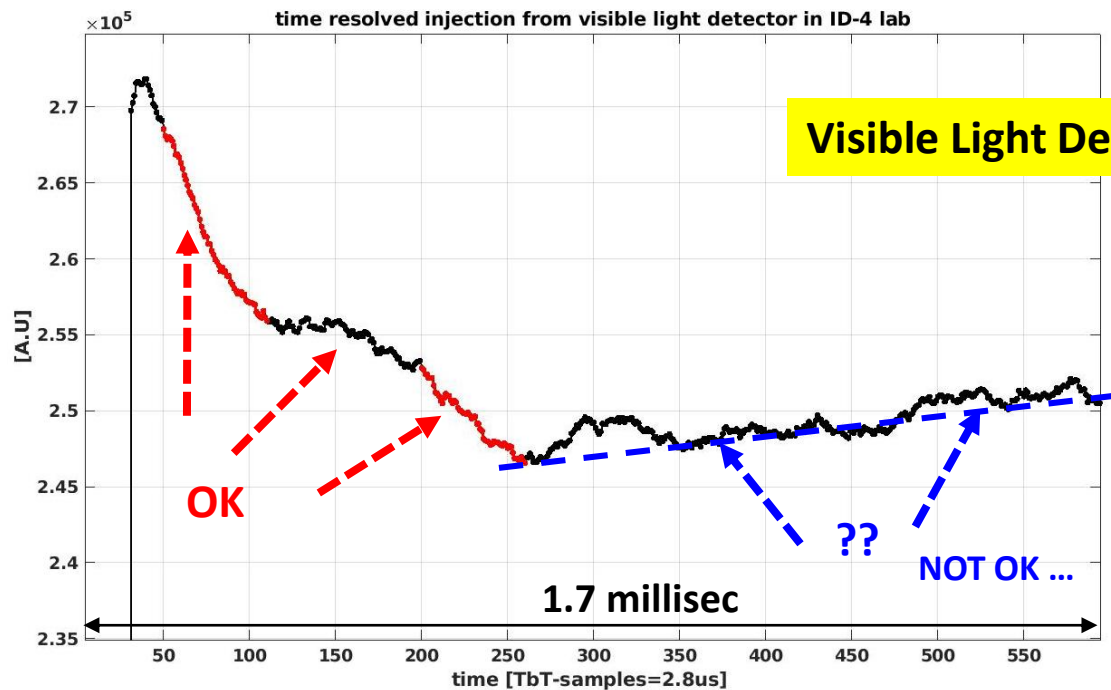
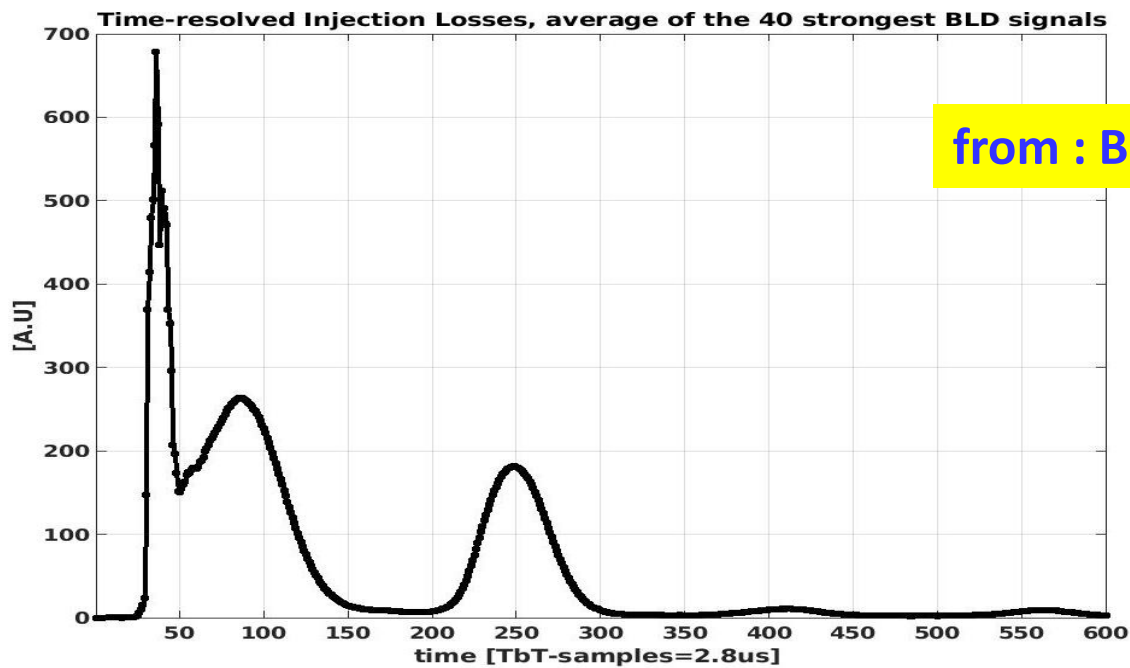


Visible Light Detector



zoom





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conclusions :

we operate a good, reliable and precise and high-resolution injection-efficiency monitor based on simply (a few extra) BPM-buttons & Libera-Spark electronics

**although we also get the fast T-b-T data from (all) BPM-buttons & Sparks
there is distortion in that data, due to inevitable bunch-length fluctuations**

**the BLDs in fast/injection mode yield beautiful data of these fast losses,
but a dislinearity exists (in the PMT) when handling strong & peaked signals (30ps)**

**tests on acquiring visible light for these fast injection losses were not fully satisfactory
this method is anyway not compatible for measurements with a filled storage ring**

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thank you for your attention !

is injection efficiency important for your light source ?

how do you measure injection efficiency ?

with what precision/resolution ? at what rate ?

can you resolve the time-structure of injection losses ?

can you localize these losses in your Storage Ring ?