

# Introduction to particle physics: experimental part

**Few words about Standard Model**

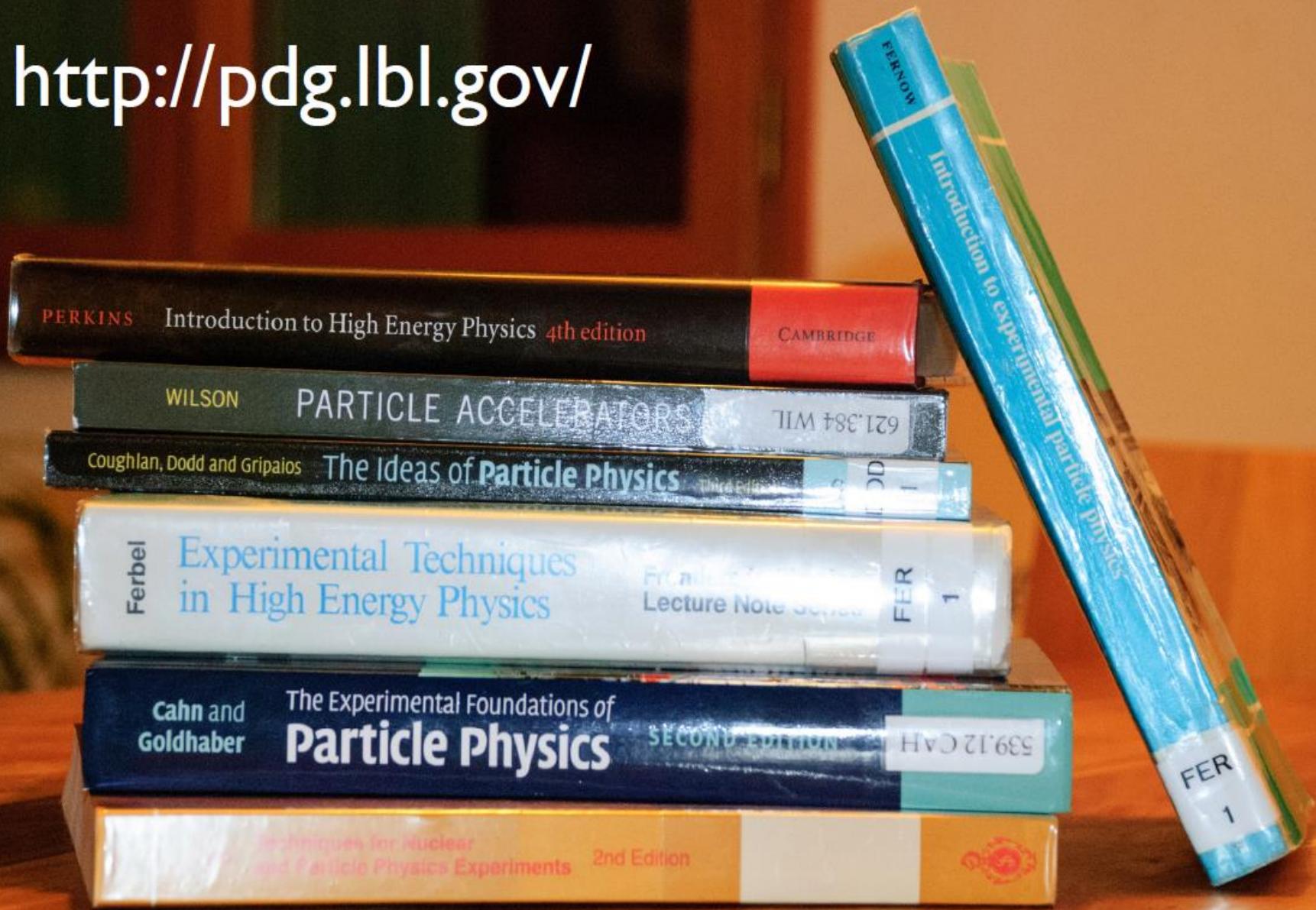
**Accelerators**

**CERN and LHC**

**Credits:**

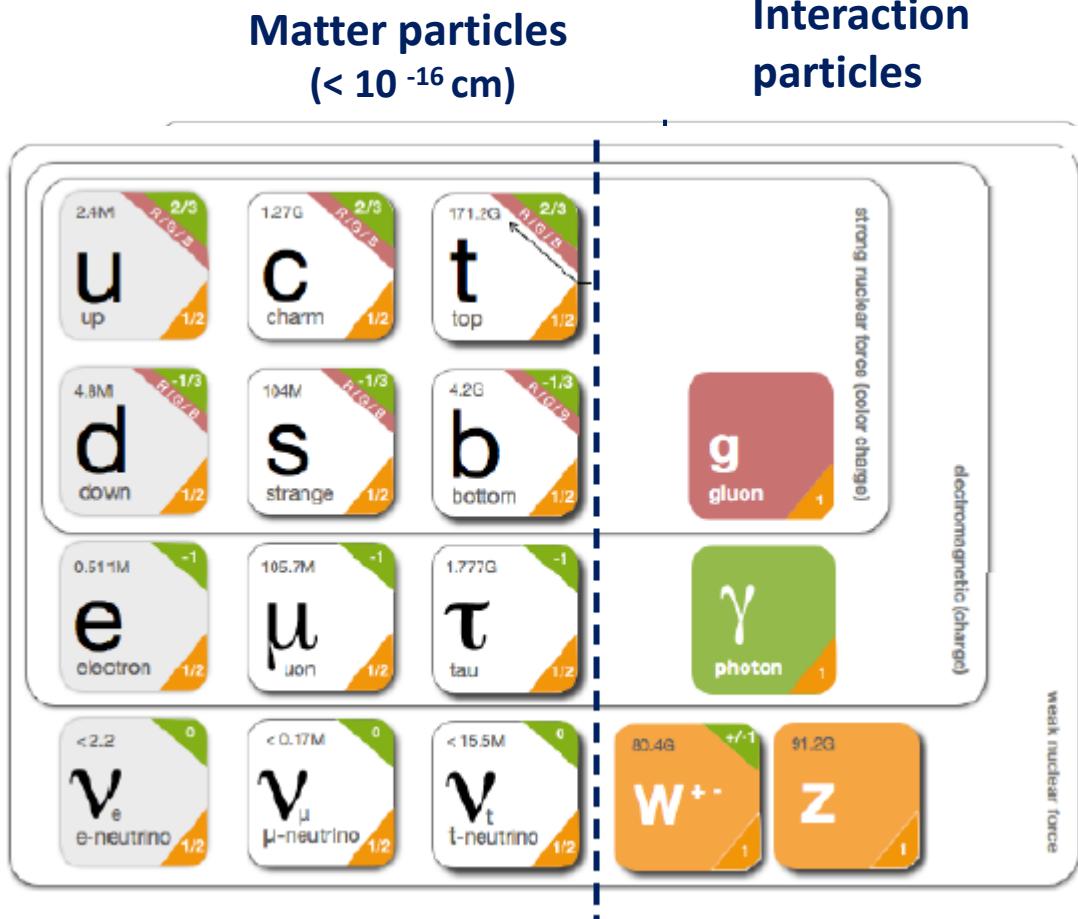
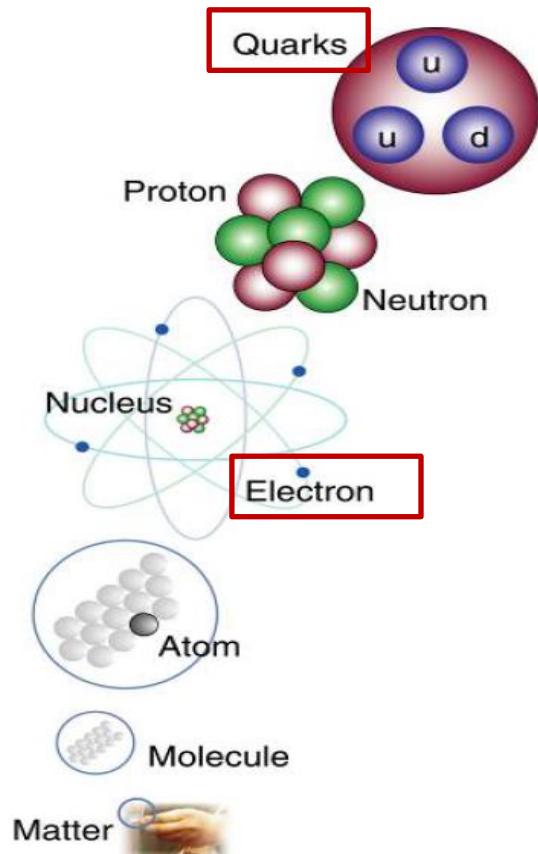
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# Particles of the Standard Model

Quantum mechanics



Higgs particle  
Is not a matter particle and  
not an interaction particle



# Nobel Prizes in Elementary Particle Physics



Sin-Itiro Tomonaga



Julian Schwinger



Richard P. Feynman



Sheldon Lee Glashow



Abdus Salam



Steven Weinberg

GREEN - theoretical  
BLUE - experimental



Leon M. Lederman



Melvin Schwartz



Jack Steinberger



Carlo Rubbia



Simon van der Meer



Georges Charpak



Gerardus 't Hooft



Martinus J.G. Veltman



M. Gell-Mann

1957 – C. N. Yang, T. Lee

1965 – S. I. Tomonaga, J. Schwinger, R.P Feynman

1969 – M. Gell-Mann

1976 – B. Richter and S. Ting

1979 – S.L. Glashow, A. Salam, S. Weinberg

1980 – J. Cronin, V. Fitch

1984 – C. Rubbia, S. van der Meer

1988 – L. M. Lederman, M. Schwartz, J. Steinberger

1990 – J. Friedman, J. Kendall, R. Taylor

1992 – G. Charpak

1995 – M. Perl, F. Reines

1999 – G. tHooft, M. J. Veltman

2004 – D. J. Gross, H. D. Politzer, F. Wilczek

2008 – Y. Nambu, M. Kobayashi, T. Masakawa

2013 – F. Englert and P. Higgs

2015 – T. Kajita and A. B. McDonald

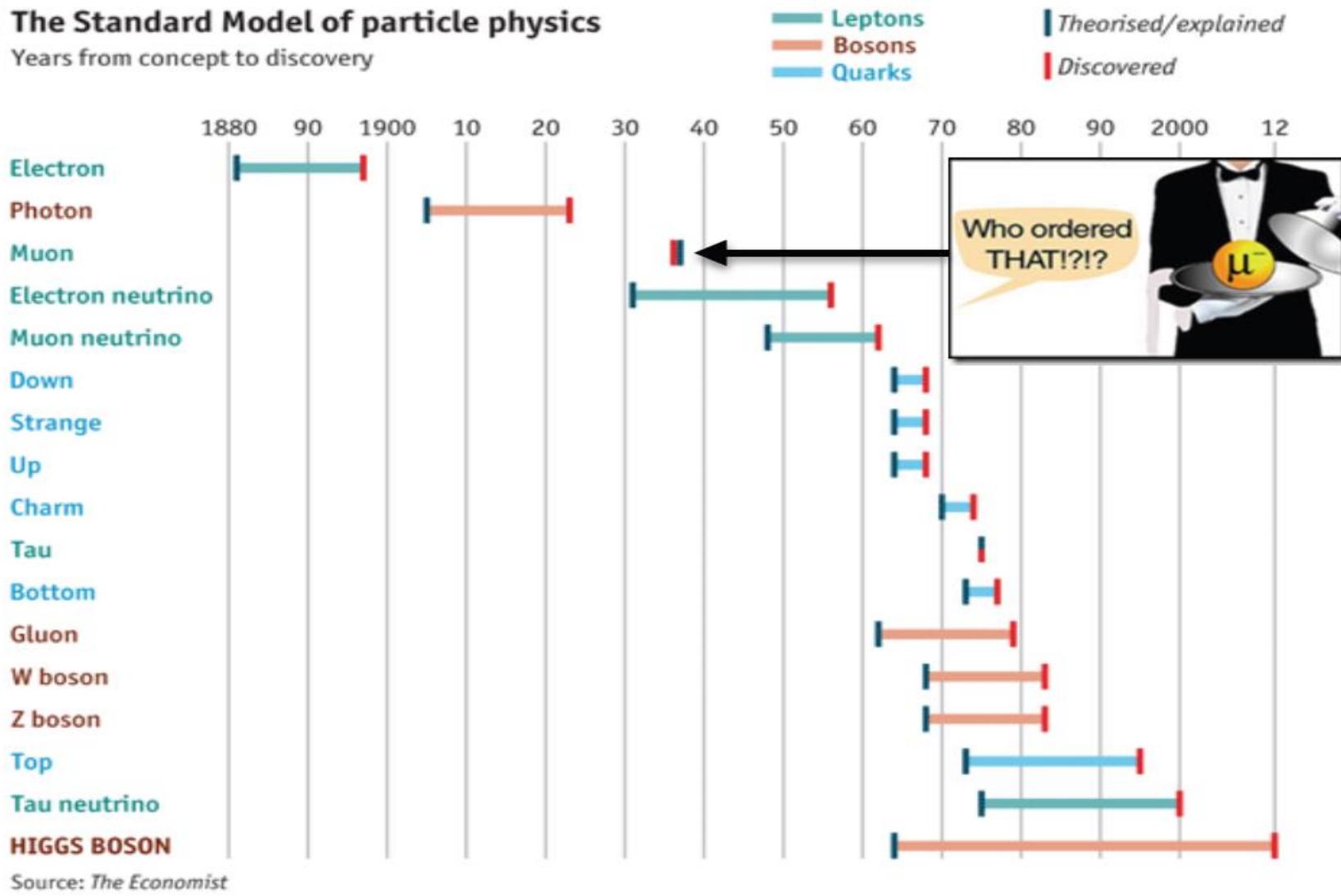
1964: „Higgs mechanism”  
was born

2012: „Higgs particle”  
was discovered

# Uncharted discoveries?

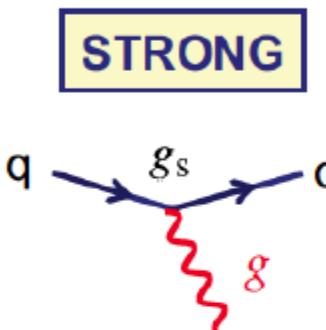
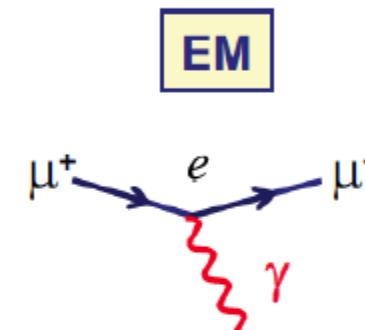
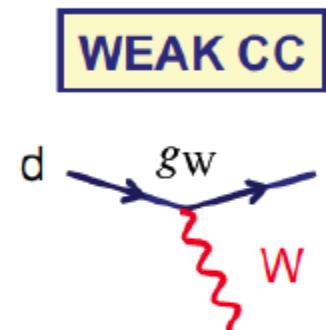
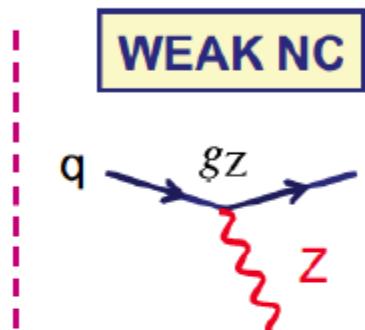
## The Standard Model of particle physics

Years from concept to discovery



# Interactions

The interaction of gauge bosons with fermions is described by the Standard Model

STRONG	EM	WEAK CC	WEAK NC
			
Only quarks Never changes flavour	All charged fermions Never changes flavour	All fermions <u>Always changes</u> flavour	All fermions Never changes flavour
$\alpha_S \sim 1/10$	$\alpha \simeq 1/137$		$\alpha_{W/Z} \sim 1/40$
Gluons massless	Photon massless	<b>W+, W-</b> very massive	<b>Z<sup>0</sup></b> very massive

# Standard Model confirmed by the data

	I	II	III	
mass →	2.4 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	1.27 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	171.2 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	0
charge →	2/3 u	2/3 c	2/3 t	0 γ
spin →	1/2	1/2	1/2	1
name →	up	charm	top	photon

Quarks	I	II	III	
mass →	4.8 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	104 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	4.2 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	0
charge →	-1/3 d	-1/3 s	-1/3 b	0 g gluon
spin →	1/2	1/2	1/2	1
name →	down	strange	bottom	

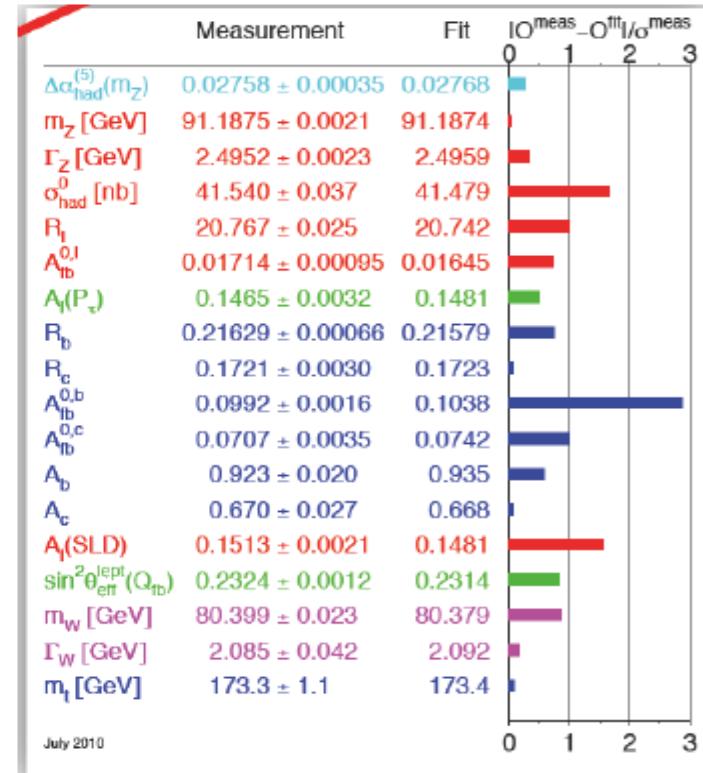
  

Leptons	I	II	III	Gauge bosons
mass →	<2.2 eV/c <sup>2</sup>	<0.17 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	<15.5 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	91.2 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>
charge →	0 e	0 μ	0 τ	0 Z <sup>0</sup>
spin →	1/2	1/2	1/2	1
name →	electron neutrino	muon neutrino	tau neutrino	Z boson

Leptons	I	II	III	Gauge bosons
mass →	0.511 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	105.7 MeV/c <sup>2</sup>	1.777 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>	80.4 GeV/c <sup>2</sup>
charge →	-1 e	-1 μ	-1 τ	±1 W <sup>+</sup>
spin →	1/2	1/2	1/2	1
name →	electron	muon	tau	W boson

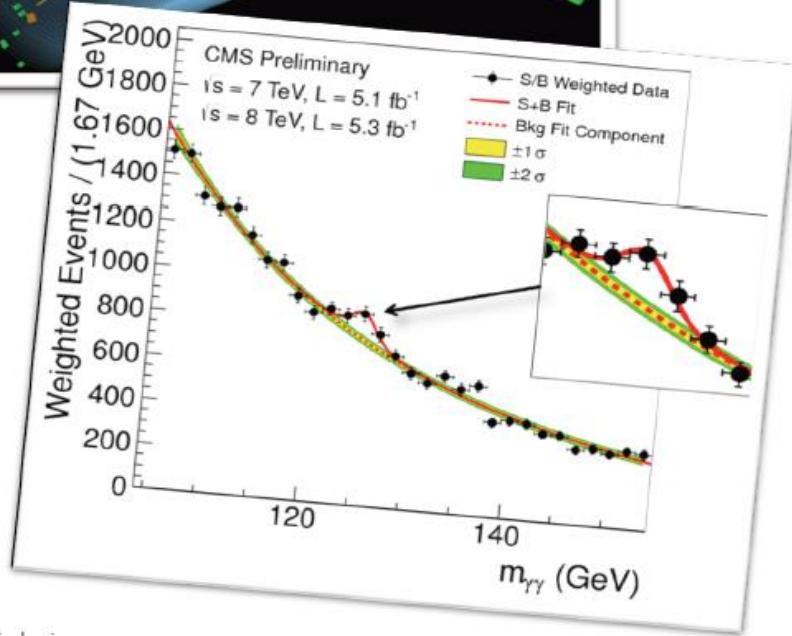
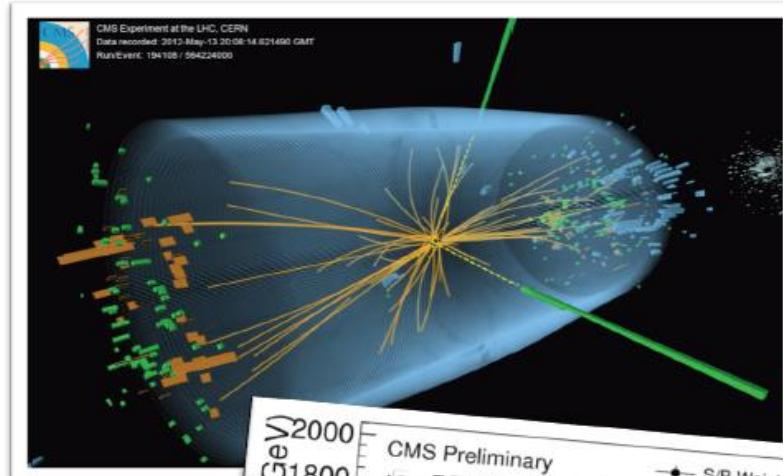
## STANDARD MODEL OF ELEMENTARY PARTICLES



Confirmed at sub 1% level!

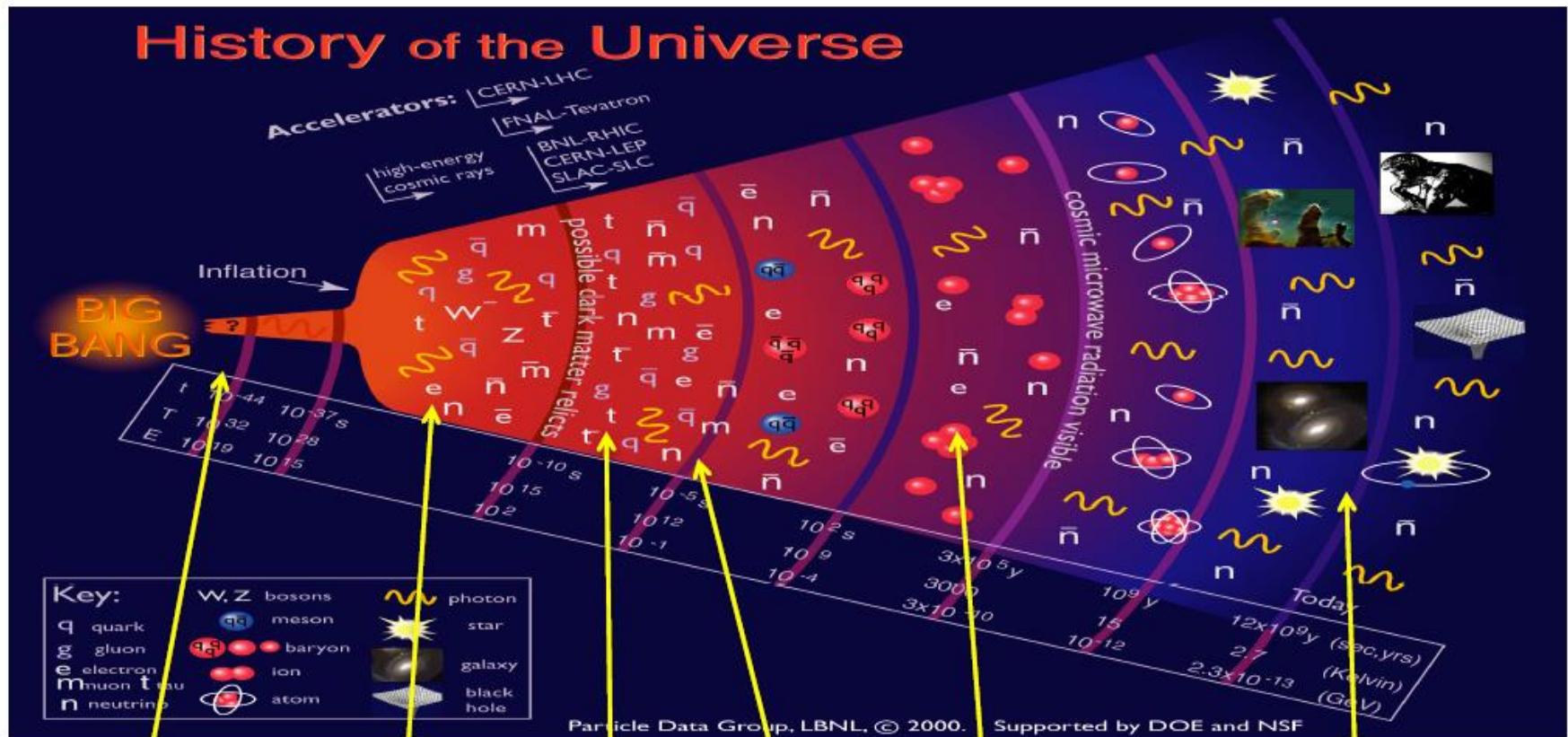
# Experiment = probing theories with data

$$\begin{aligned}
& - \frac{1}{2} i g_s^2 \partial_\mu g_\nu^a \partial_\nu g_\mu^a - g_s f^{abc} \partial_\mu g_\nu^a g_\mu^b g_\nu^c - \frac{1}{4} g_s^2 f^{abc} f^{ace} g_\mu^a g_\nu^b g_\mu^c g_\nu^e + \\
& - \frac{1}{2} i g_s^2 (\bar{q}_\mu^\alpha \gamma^\mu q_\nu^\alpha) g_\mu^a + C^a \partial^\mu C^a - g_s f^{abc} \partial_\mu C^b g_\mu^c - \partial_\mu \partial_\mu W_+^a W_-^a - \\
& M^2 W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- - \frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu Z_\mu^0 \partial_\mu Z_\mu^0 - \frac{1}{2 c_w} M^2 Z_\mu^0 Z_\mu^0 - \frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu A_\nu \partial_\mu A_\nu - \frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu H \partial_\mu H - \\
& \frac{1}{2} m_h^2 H^2 - \partial_\mu \phi^+ \partial_\mu \phi^- - M^2 \phi^+ \phi^- - \frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu \phi^0 \partial_\mu \phi^0 - \frac{1}{2 c_w} M \phi^0 \phi^0 - \beta_h \frac{2 M^2}{g^2} + \\
& \frac{1}{2} m_h^2 H^2 + \frac{1}{2} (H^2 + \phi^0 \phi^0 + 2 \phi^+ \phi^-)] + \frac{2 M^2}{g^2} \alpha_h - i g s_w [\partial_\mu Z_\mu^0 (W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- - \\
& - \frac{2 M}{g^2} H + \frac{1}{2} (H^2 + \phi^0 \phi^0 + 2 \phi^+ \phi^-)] + Z_\mu^0 (W_\mu^+ \partial_\mu W_\mu^- - \\
& - W_\mu^+ W_\mu^-) - Z_\mu^0 (W_\mu^+ \partial_\mu W_\mu^- - W_\mu^- \partial_\mu W_\mu^+) + Z_\mu^0 (W_\mu^+ \partial_\mu W_\mu^- - \\
& - W_\mu^- \partial_\mu W_\mu^+) - i g s_w [\partial_\mu A_\mu (W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- - W_\mu^- W_\mu^+)] - \frac{1}{2} g^2 W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- + \\
& W_\mu^+ \partial_\mu W_\mu^+) + A_\mu (W_\mu^+ \partial_\mu W_\mu^- - W_\mu^- \partial_\mu W_\mu^+) + \frac{1}{2} g^2 c_w^2 (Z_\mu^0 W_\mu^+ Z_\mu^0 W_\mu^- - Z_\mu^0 Z_\mu^0 W_\mu^+ W_\mu^-) + \\
& \frac{1}{2} g^2 W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- + g^2 c_w^2 (Z_\mu^0 W_\mu^+ Z_\mu^0 W_\mu^- - A_\mu A_\mu W_\mu^+ W_\mu^-) + g^2 s_w c_w [A_\mu Z_\mu^0 (W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- - \\
& - g^2 s_w^2 (A_\mu W_\mu^+ A_\mu W_\mu^- - A_\mu A_\mu W_\mu^+ W_\mu^-) + g^2 [H^3 + H \phi^0 \phi^0 + 2 H \phi^+ \phi^-] - \\
& - W_\mu^+ W_\mu^-) - 2 A_\mu Z_\mu^0 (W_\mu^+ W_\mu^-) - g \alpha_h [H^3 + H \phi^0 \phi^0 + 2 (H^0)^2 H^2] - \\
& \frac{1}{8} g^2 \alpha_h [H^4 + (\phi^0)^4 + 4 (\phi^+ \phi^-)^2 + 4 (\phi^0 \phi^0)^2 + 4 H^2 \phi^+ \phi^- + 2 (\phi^0)^2 H^2] - \\
& - g M W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- H - \frac{1}{2} \frac{M}{c_w} Z_\mu^0 Z_\mu^0 H - \frac{1}{2} i g [W_\mu^+ (\phi^0 \partial_\mu \phi^- - \phi^- \partial_\mu \phi^0) - \\
& - W_\mu^- (\phi^0 \partial_\mu \phi^+ - \phi^+ \partial_\mu \phi^0)] + \frac{1}{2} g [W_\mu^+ (H \partial_\mu \phi^- - \phi^- \partial_\mu H) - W_\mu^- (H \partial_\mu \phi^+ - \\
& - \phi^+ \partial_\mu H)] + \frac{1}{2} g \frac{1}{c_w} (Z_\mu^0 (H \partial_\mu \phi^- - \phi^- \partial_\mu H) - i g \frac{1}{c_w} M Z_\mu^0 (W_\mu^+ \phi^- - W_\mu^- \phi^+) + \\
& - i g s_w M A_\mu (W_\mu^+ \phi^- - W_\mu^- \phi^+) - i g \frac{1-2 c_w^2}{2 c_w} Z_\mu^0 (\phi^+ \partial_\mu \phi^- - \phi^- \partial_\mu \phi^+) + \\
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& - W_\mu^- \phi^+) - \frac{1}{2} i g^2 \frac{\Sigma_u}{c_w} Z_\mu^0 H (W_\mu^+ \phi^- - W_\mu^- \phi^+) + \frac{1}{2} g^2 s_w A_\mu \phi^0 (W_\mu^+ \phi^- + \\
& - W_\mu^- \phi^+) + \frac{1}{2} i g^2 s_w A_\mu H (W_\mu^+ \phi^- - W_\mu^- \phi^+) - g^2 \frac{\Sigma_u}{c_w} (2 c_w^2 - 1) Z_\mu^0 \phi^+ \phi^- - \\
& - g^2 s_w^2 A_\mu A_\mu \phi^+ \phi^- - \bar{e}^\lambda (\gamma \partial - m_\lambda^2) u_j^\lambda - \bar{u}_j^\lambda (\gamma \partial + m_\lambda^2) u_j^\lambda - \\
& - \bar{g}^1 s_w^2 A_\mu A_\mu \phi^+ \phi^- - \bar{e}^\lambda (\gamma \partial - m_\lambda^2) v^\lambda + \frac{2}{3} (\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu u_j^\lambda) - \frac{1}{3} (\bar{d}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu d_j^\lambda) + \\
& - \bar{g}_j^\lambda s_w^2 A_\mu A_\mu [\bar{e}^\lambda (\gamma \partial - m_\lambda^2) v^\lambda] + \bar{g}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu (4 s_w^2 - 1 - \gamma^5) e^\lambda + (u_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu (\frac{1}{3} \delta_{\mu\nu}^2 - \\
& - \bar{d}_j^\lambda (\gamma \partial + m_\lambda^2) d_j^\lambda) + i g s_w A_\mu [\bar{e}^\lambda (\gamma \partial - m_\lambda^2) v^\lambda] + (\bar{e}^\lambda \gamma^\mu (4 s_w^2 - 1 - \gamma^5) e^\lambda) + \\
& - \frac{16}{4 c_w} Z_\mu^0 [(\bar{e}^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) v^\lambda) + (\bar{e}^\lambda \gamma^\mu (4 s_w^2 - 1 - \gamma^5) e^\lambda)] + \frac{16}{2 \sqrt{2}} W_\mu^+ [(\bar{v}^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) \bar{d}_j^\lambda) + \\
& - (d_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 - \frac{1}{3} s_w^2 - \gamma^5) d_j^\lambda) + (\bar{d}_j^\lambda C_{\lambda\kappa} \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) u_j^\lambda) + (d_j^\lambda C_{\lambda\kappa} \gamma^\mu (1 + \\
& - \gamma^5) u_j^\lambda) + (\bar{d}_j^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) C_{\lambda\kappa} d_j^\lambda) + \frac{16}{2 \sqrt{2}} W_\mu^- [(\bar{e}^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) v^\lambda) + \\
& - (e^\lambda \gamma^\mu (1 + \gamma^5) v^\lambda)] + \frac{16}{2 \sqrt{2}} \frac{m_h^2}{M} [-\phi^0 (\bar{v}^\lambda (1 - \gamma^5) e^\lambda) + \phi^- (\bar{e}^\lambda (1 + \gamma^5) v^\lambda)] - \\
& - \frac{16}{2 \sqrt{2}} \frac{m_h^2}{M} [H (\bar{e}^\lambda e^\lambda) + i g \phi^0 (\bar{e}^\lambda \gamma^5 e^\lambda)] + \frac{16}{2 M \sqrt{2}} \phi^+ [-m_d^0 (\bar{u}_j^\lambda C_{\lambda\kappa} (1 - \gamma^5) d_j^\lambda) + \\
& - m_u^0 (\bar{u}_j^\lambda C_{\lambda\kappa} (1 + \gamma^5) d_j^\lambda) + \frac{16}{2 M \sqrt{2}} \phi^- [m_d^0 (\bar{d}_j^\lambda C_{\lambda\kappa} (1 + \gamma^5) u_j^\lambda) - m_u^0 (\bar{d}_j^\lambda C_{\lambda\kappa} (1 - \\
& - \gamma^5) u_j^\lambda)] - \frac{8}{2} \frac{m_h^2}{M} H (\bar{u}_j^\lambda u_j^\lambda) - \frac{8}{2} \frac{m_h^2}{M} H (\bar{d}_j^\lambda d_j^\lambda) + \frac{16}{2} \frac{m_h^2}{M} \phi^0 (\bar{u}_j^\lambda \gamma^5 u_j^\lambda) - \\
& - \frac{16}{2} \frac{m_h^2}{M} \phi^0 (\bar{d}_j^\lambda \gamma^5 d_j^\lambda) + \bar{X}^+ (\partial^\mu - M^2) X^+ + \bar{X}^- (\partial^\mu - M^2) X^- + \bar{X}^0 (\partial^\mu - \\
& - \frac{M^2}{c_w}) X^0 + \bar{Y} \partial^\mu Y + i g c_w W_\mu^+ (\partial_\mu \bar{X}^0 X^- - \partial_\mu \bar{X}^+ X^0) + i g s_w W_\mu^+ (\partial_\mu \bar{Y} X^- - \\
& - \partial_\mu \bar{X}^+ Y) + i g c_w W_\mu^- (\partial_\mu \bar{X}^- X^0 - \partial_\mu \bar{X}^0 X^-) + i g s_w W_\mu^- (\partial_\mu \bar{Y} X^- - \\
& - \partial_\mu \bar{X}^+ X^+) + i g c_w Z_\mu^0 (\partial_\mu \bar{X}^+ X^+ - \partial_\mu \bar{X}^- X^-) + i g s_w A_\mu (\partial_\mu \bar{X}^+ X^+ - \\
& - \partial_\mu \bar{X}^- X^-) - \frac{1}{2} g M [\bar{X}^+ X^+ H + \bar{X}^- X^- H + \frac{1}{c_w} \bar{X}^0 X^0 H] + \\
& - \frac{1-2 c_w^2}{2 c_w} i g M [\bar{X}^+ X^0 \phi^+ - \bar{X}^- X^0 \phi^-] + \frac{1}{2 c_w} i g M [\bar{X}^0 X^- \phi^+ - \bar{X}^0 X^+ \phi^-] + \\
& - i g M s_w [\bar{X}^0 X^- \phi^+ - \bar{X}^0 X^+ \phi^-] + \frac{1}{2} i g M [\bar{X}^+ X^+ \phi^0 - \bar{X}^- X^- \phi^0]
\end{aligned}$$



# Accelerators for high energy physics experiments

# History of the Universe



Cosmology

LHC

Nuclear physics

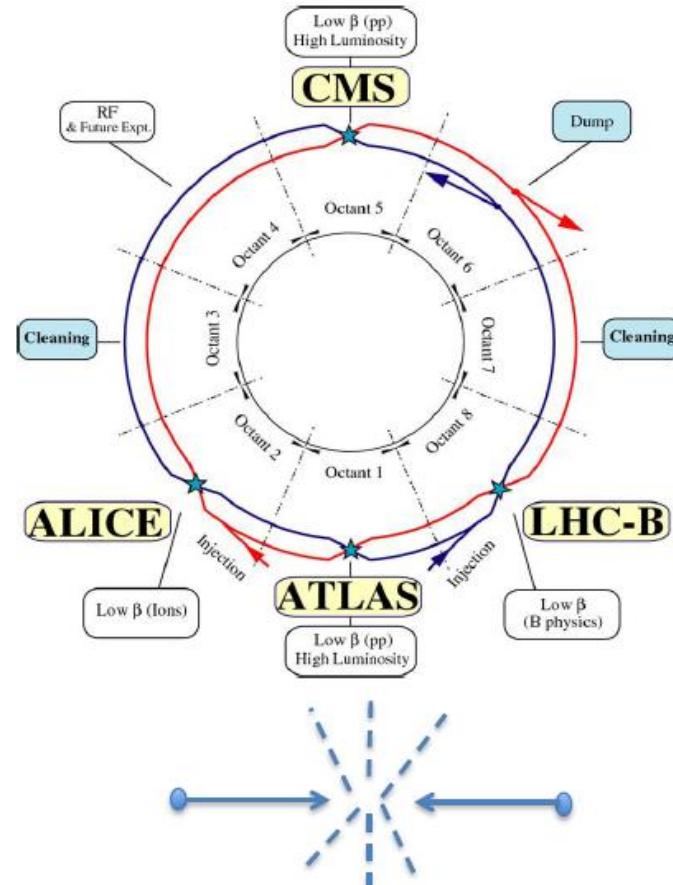
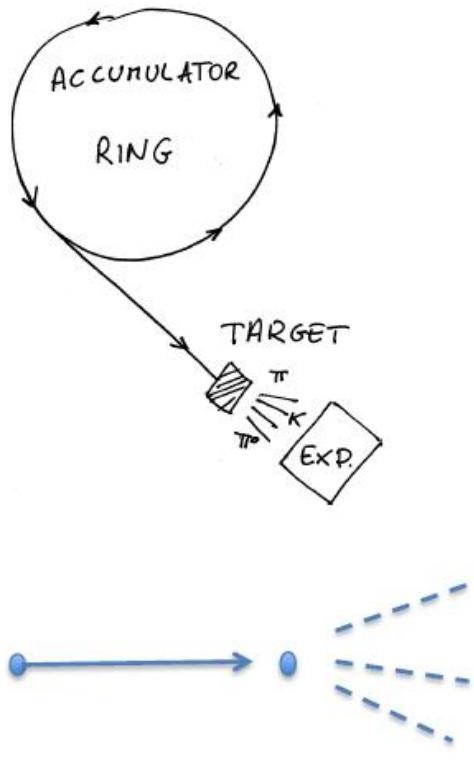
Cosmic rays

Quark/gluon plasma

Astrophysics

Plus ....

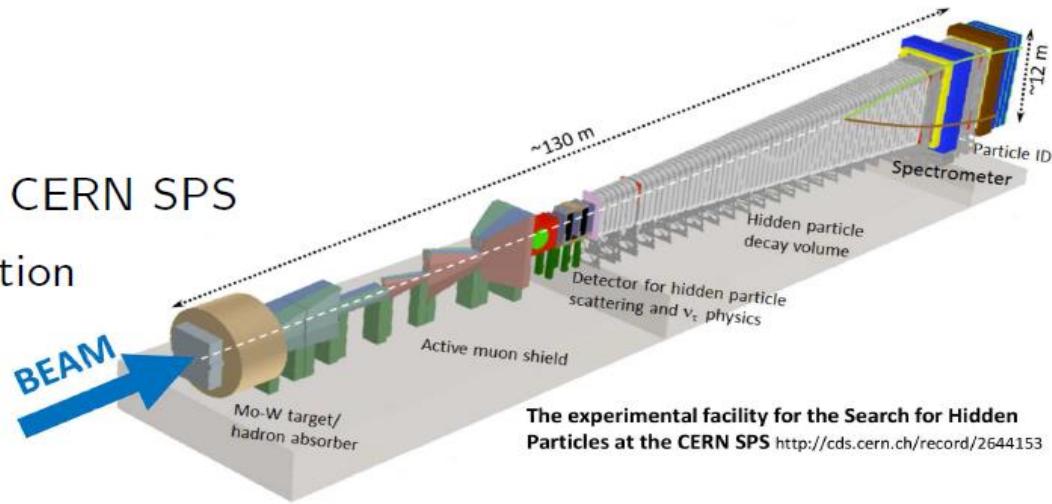
# Fixed target vs Colliders



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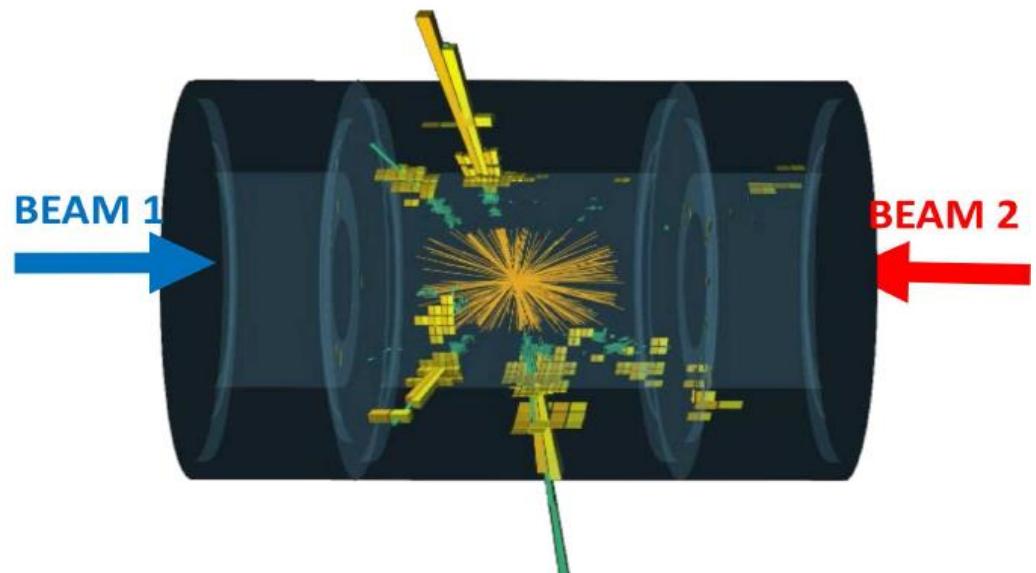
## Fixed target e.g. SHIP @ CERN SPS

- Simpler design/implementation  
→ **cost!**
- Potential for very high intensity beams & large numbers of collisions



## Collider e.g. LHC @ CERN

- More complex design + many extra challenges
- **LAB frame = CM frame**  
→ maximum energy available for new particle creation



# $E_{CM}$ in Fixed Target Experiment

A diagram illustrating a fixed target experiment. A blue arrow points from left to right, representing the incoming particle  $p_1 = (E_1/c, \vec{p}_1)$ . It strikes a stationary target, represented by a blue dot. From the point of impact, dashed blue lines diverge, representing the outgoing particle  $p_2 = (m_2 c, \vec{0})$ , which has zero momentum.

$$p_1 = (E_1/c, \vec{p}_1)$$
$$p_2 = (m_2 c, \vec{0})$$

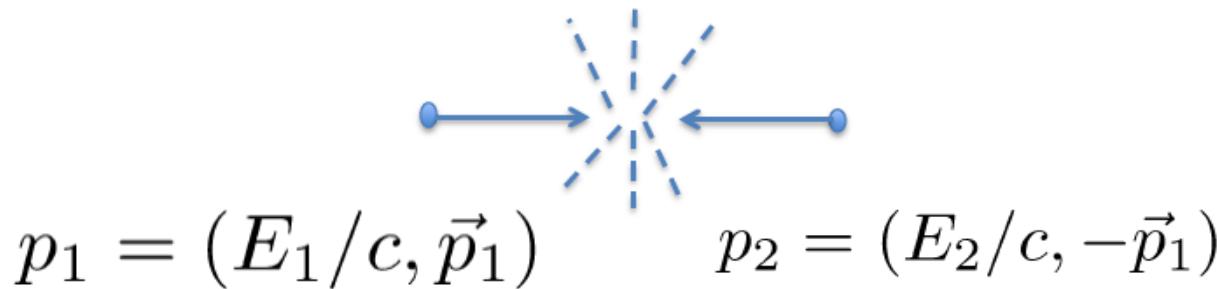
$$p_{tot} = (E_1/c + m_2 c, \vec{p}_1)$$

$$E_{CM}^2 = (m_1^2 + m_2^2)c^4 + 2E_1 m_2 c^2$$

$$E_{CM} \propto \sqrt{E_1}$$

# $E_{CM}$ in Collider Experiment

Laboratory Frame = CM Frame



$$E_{CM} = E_1 + E_2$$

- ➔ Collider more energy efficient;  
But also more complex: two beams to be accelerated and to be brought into collision

# Acceleration

Lorentz force law

$$\mathbf{F} = q(\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B})$$

Electric field   Velocity   Magnetic field

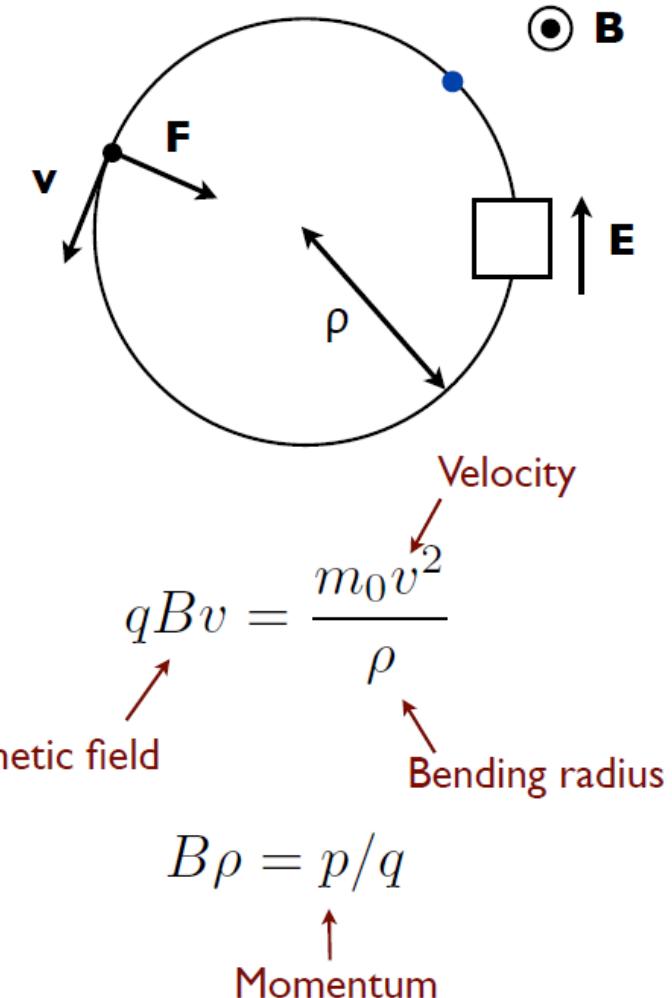
Energy change

$$\Delta E = \int_{\mathbf{r}_1}^{\mathbf{r}_2} \mathbf{F} \cdot d\mathbf{r}$$

- Electric field (either static or more commonly, time varying) to accelerate, or more appropriately, increase energy of beam
- Magnetic part of Lorentz force used to guide and focus
  - Dipole magnets: to bend
  - Quadrupole: to focus or defocus

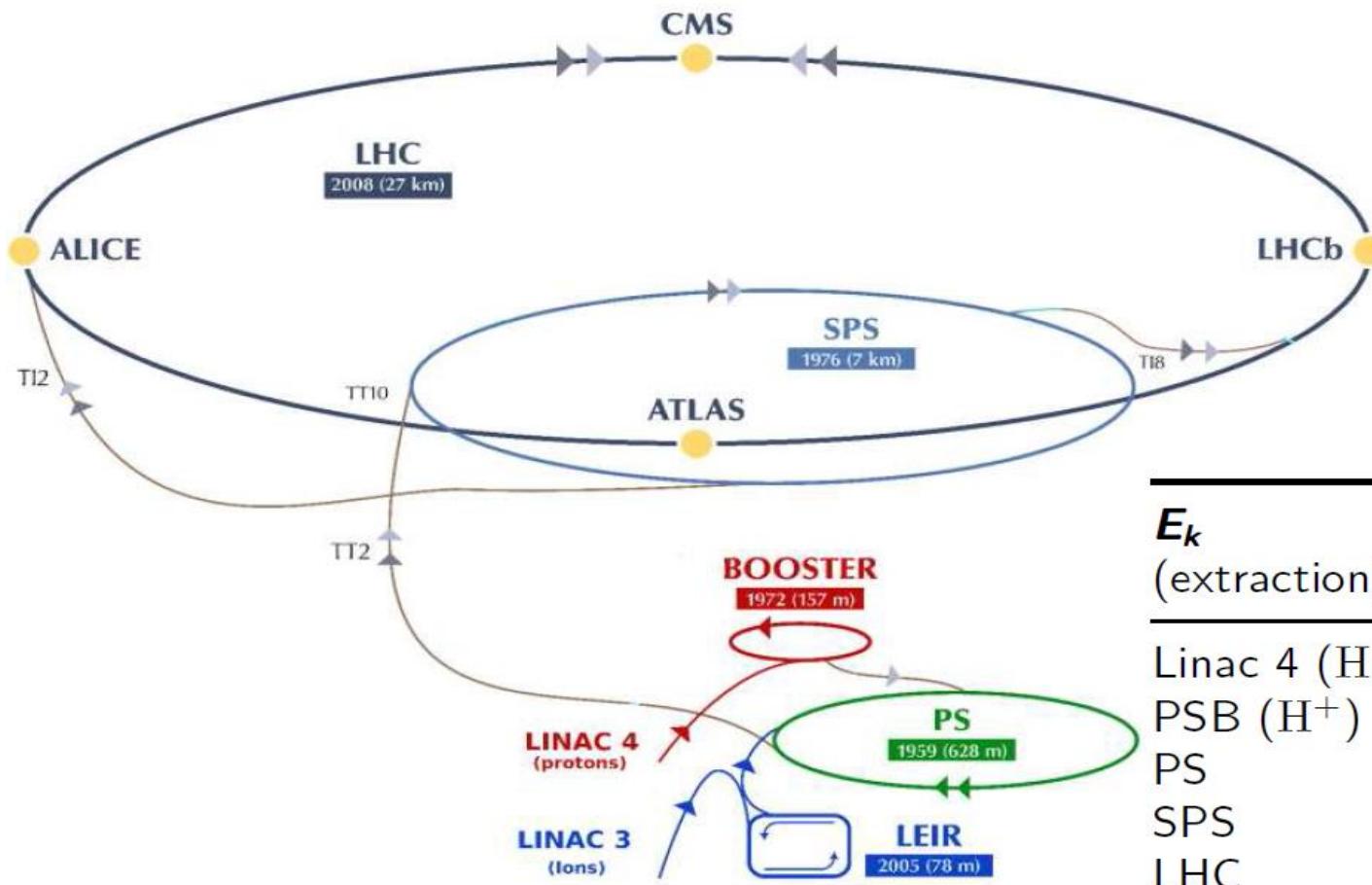
# Synchrotron

- Workhorse of modern particle physics
  - Huge legacy of discovery
  - Increase energy whilst synchronously increasing bending magnet strength
  - Stable storage of high beam current/power
- Magnetic field proportional to momentum



# CERN accelerator complex

## LHC injector chain



$E_k$ (extraction)	post-LIU ( $\geq 2020$ )
Linac 4 ( $H^-$ )	160 MeV
PSB ( $H^+$ )	2.0 GeV
PS	25 GeV
SPS	449 GeV
LHC	$\geq 6.8$ TeV

# Linac

## Linear Accelerator → 'Linac'

*Colloquially 'Linac' can refer both to a general Linear Accelerator facility or to a specific accelerating structure*

- **Single pass accelerator**
  - beam goes through once
  - facility not always straight, e.g. SLC
- **Energy depends on length**

## For HEP 2 main applications:

- **Low energy hadrons**
- **High energy  $e^-$  or  $e^+$  collider**
  - e.g. Stanford Linear Collider (1987-98, 3 km / 0.09 TeV)
  - e.g. next-gen lepton colliders: ILC (50 km / 1 TeV)
  - e.g. next-gen lepton colliders: CLIC (50 km / 3 TeV)



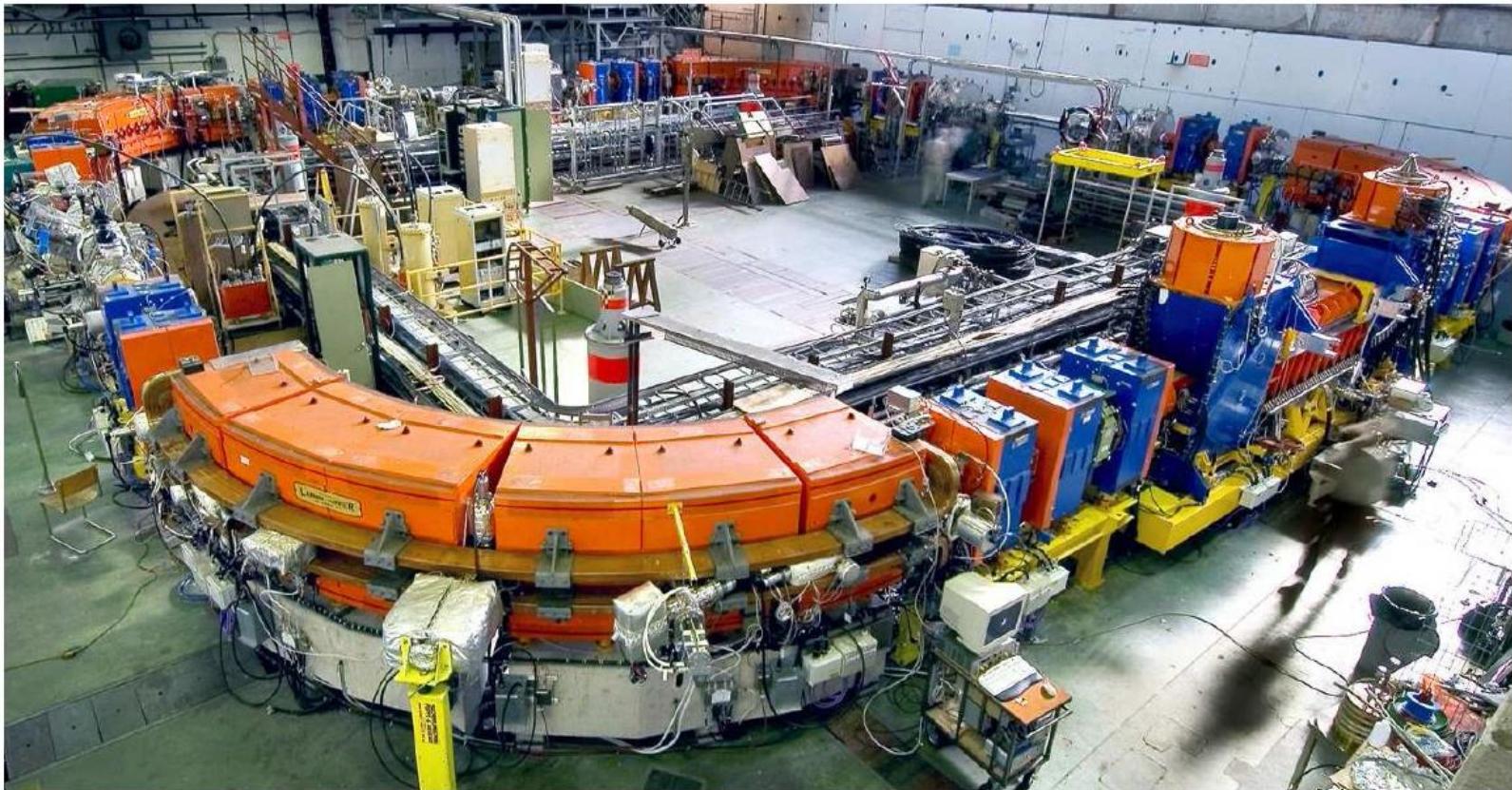
CERN Linac2  
1978 - 2019

# Synchrotron

## Synchrotron

- e.g. LHC, LEP, Tevatron, RHIC, HERA, SPS, PS...
- 'circular accelerator', 'collider ring'  
(doesn't actually need to be a circle)

- Repeated passage around the accelerator ring → great for HEP!  
→ re-use accelerating structures & repeatedly collide same beam
- During acceleration guiding fields increase to keep the beam on (~) same orbit



# Storage ring Colliders

Make use of all the particles' energy. 2-beam synchrotrons.

The first one: AdA (Frascatti), 1961-64, e+,e-, 250 MeV, 3m circumference

Many examples to come at DESY, SLAC, KEK, Fermilab with the Tevatron (980 GeV), BNL with RHIC

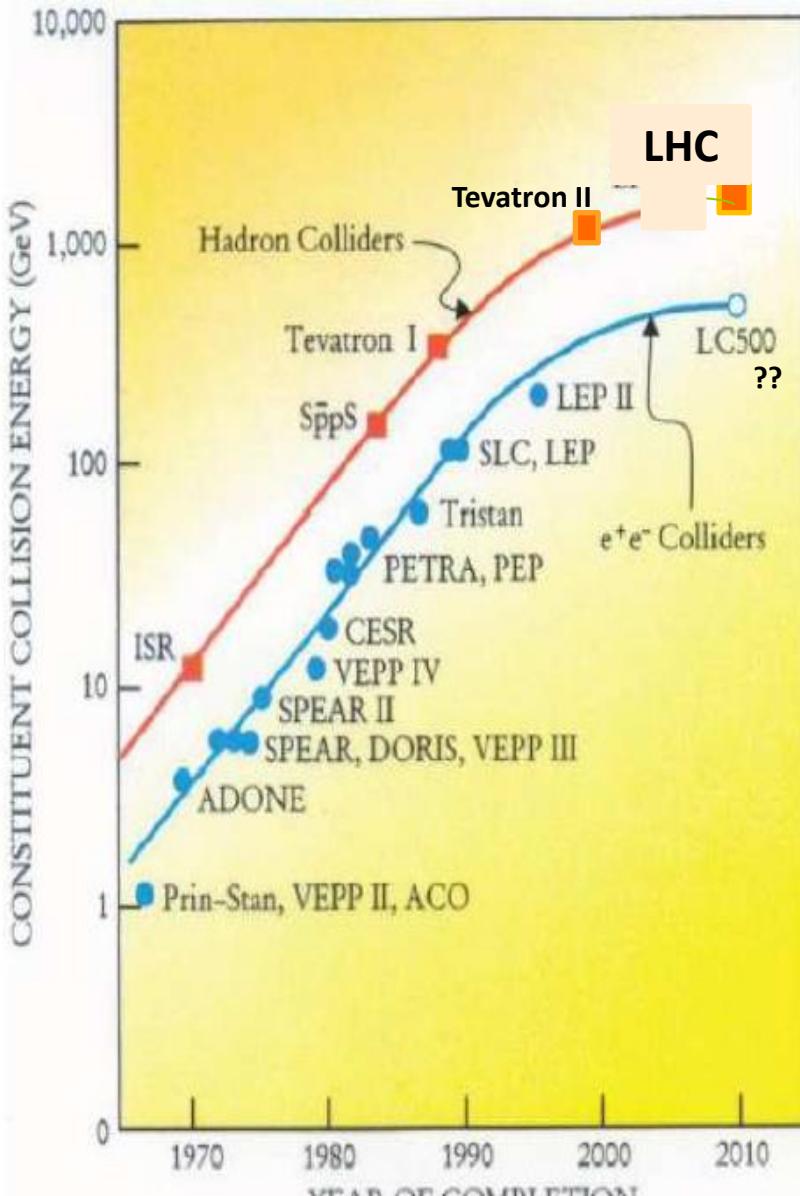
1971-1984: ISR (CERN), p+,p+, 31.5 GeV, 948 m circumference

1981-1991: SPS running as SppS, p+, p-, 270 – 315 GeV, 6.9 km circumference; discovery of W and Z Bosons

1989-2000: LEP highest energy electron synchrotron, e+,e-, 104 GeV, 27 km circumference; three generations of quarks, gluons and leptons

2008 - : LHC highest energy proton synchrotron, p+,p+, heavy ions, 6.5 TeV (2.76 TeV per nucleon for  $^{208}\text{Pb}^{82+}$ ); Discovery of Higgs

# Energy frontier

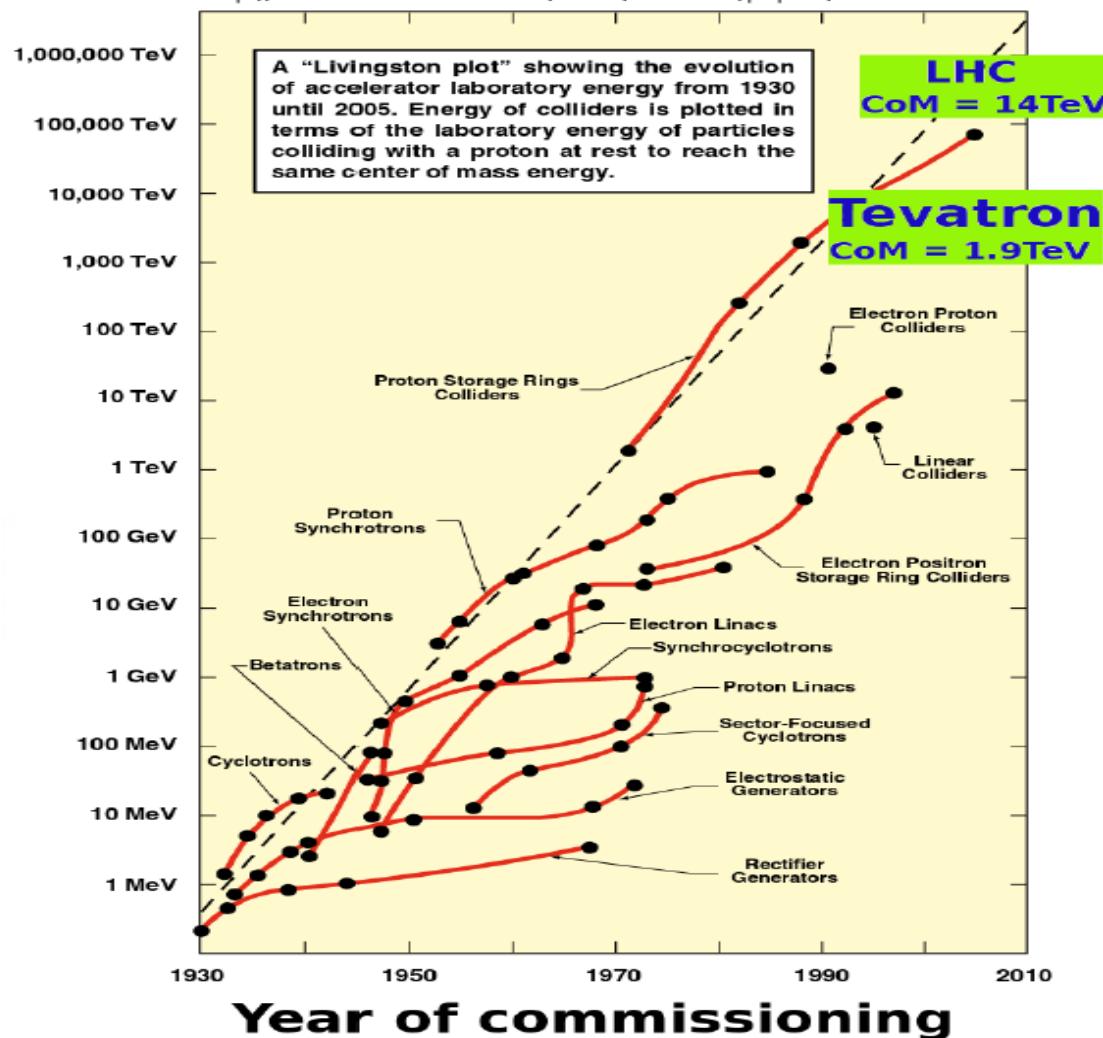


- The interplay between electron and hadron machines has a long and fruitful tradition
  - $J/\psi$  at SPEAR ( $e^+e^-$ ) and AGS (proton fixed target)
  - $\gamma$  discovery at E288 (p fixed target), precision  $B$  studies at the  $e^+e^-$  B factories
  - ...
  - top quark at LEP and Tevatron
- **Higgs boson at the LHC**

# Energy frontier

## Equivalent Beam Energy of Fixed Target Collider

From 2001 Snowmass Accelerator R&D report,  
Part I : Executive Summaries, eConf C010630, SLAC-R-599  
<http://www.slac.stanford.edu/econf/C010630/papers/MT1001.PDF>

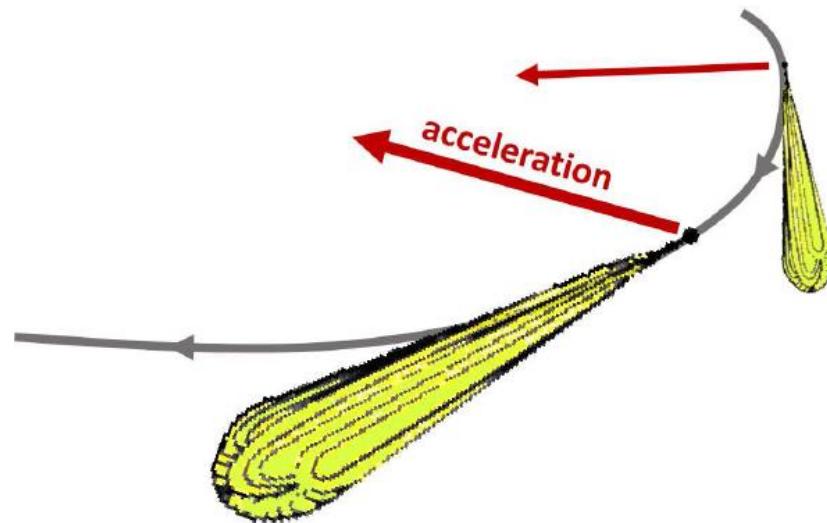


# Energy frontier

**Limiting factor for circular  $e^+ / e^-$  accelerators:**

→ particles emit **synchrotron radiation** as they are bent around ring

$$\Delta E/\text{turn} \propto \frac{(\beta_{\text{rel}}\gamma_{\text{rel}})^4}{\rho}$$



- **LEP (e) energy loss:**  $\sim 3 \text{ GeV/turn}$  (@ 101 GeV)
- **LHC (p) energy loss:**  $\sim 5 \text{ keV/turn}$  (@ 6.5 TeV)

# Energy frontier

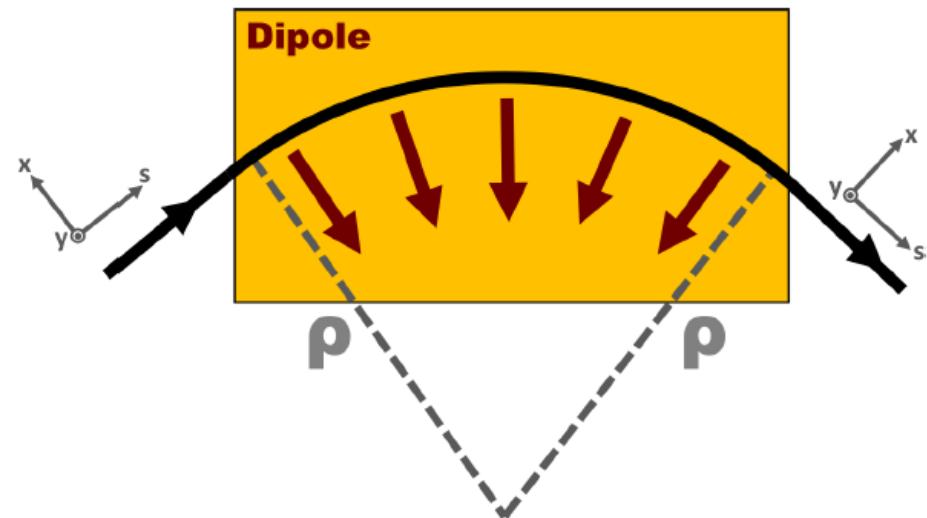
**Limiting factor for circular hadron collider:**

- need sufficient dipole field strength to bend beams around the ring
- **High Energy = high magnetic rigidity**

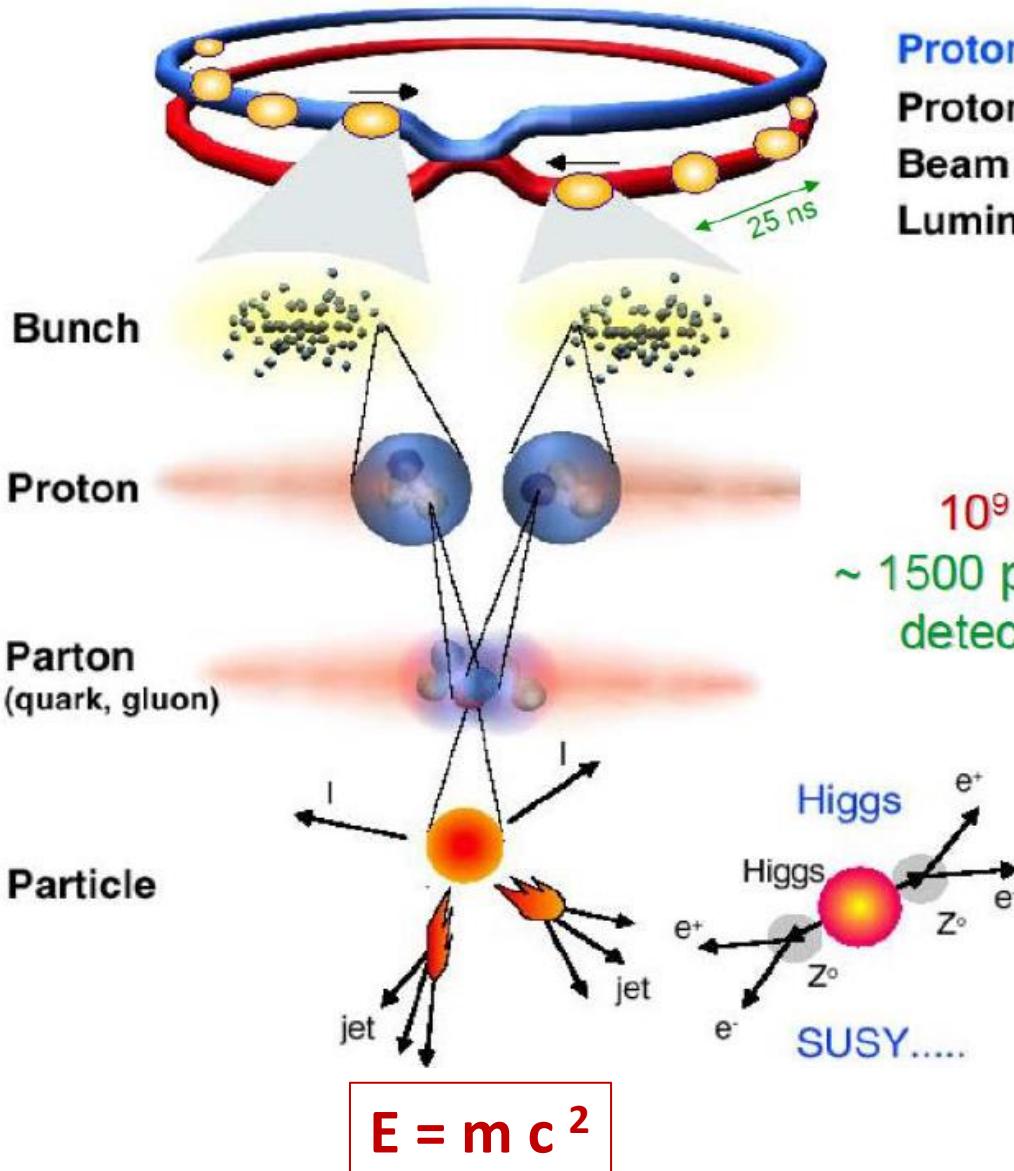
$$F_{Lorentz} = F_{centrip}$$

$$qvB = \frac{\gamma m_{rest}v^2}{\rho} = \frac{pv}{\rho}$$

$$B\rho = \frac{p}{q}$$



# Collisions at LHC



Proton-Proton

2835 bunch/beam

Protons/bunch

$10^{11}$

Beam energy

7 TeV ( $7 \times 10^{12} \text{ eV}$ )

Luminosity

$10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

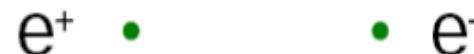
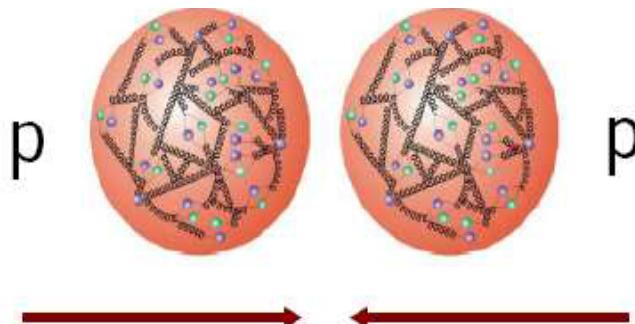
In the experiments:

$10^9$  pp interactions per second

~ 1500 particles (p, n,  $\pi$ ) produced in the detectors at each bunch-crossing

**Selection of 1 in  
10,000,000,000,000**

# Complementarity between pp and ee machines



- Proton-(Anti-)Proton Colliders
  - Higher energy reach (limited by magnets)
  - Composite particles: unknown and different colliding constituents, energies in each collision
  - Confusing final states
- Discovery machines ( $W, Z, t$ )
- In some cases: precision measurements possible ( $W$  mass at the Tevatron)
- Electron-Positron-Colliders
  - Energy reach limited by RF
  - Point like particles, exactly defined initial system, quantum numbers, energy, spin polarisation possible
  - Hadronic final states with clear signatures
- Precision machines
- Discovery potential, but not at the energy frontier

# Luminosity

- What luminosity is required for measurement?
- Need some knowledge of x-section
- Simple relationship between number of particles, frequency of collision and beam sizes

## Beamsize:

$$\sigma_{x,y} = \sqrt{\beta_{x,y}(s) \epsilon_{x,y}}$$

- $\beta(s)$ : 'beta-function' [m]
  - Property of the magnetic lattice
  - varies around the ring
- $\epsilon$ : 'emittance' [ $\mu\text{m}$ ]
  - Property of the particle bunch
  - Invariant around the ring

$$\mathcal{L} = f \frac{N_1 N_2}{4\pi \sigma_x \sigma_y}$$

Luminosity  $[s^{-1} m^{-2}]$   
 Frequency of collisions [Hz]      Beam r.m.s. sizes [m]  
 $\sigma = \sqrt{\epsilon \beta}$   
 Emittance [m]      Beta function [m]

Bunch populations

$$\mathcal{L} = f \frac{N_1 N_2}{4\pi \sqrt{\epsilon_x \beta_x^* \epsilon_y \beta_y^*}}$$

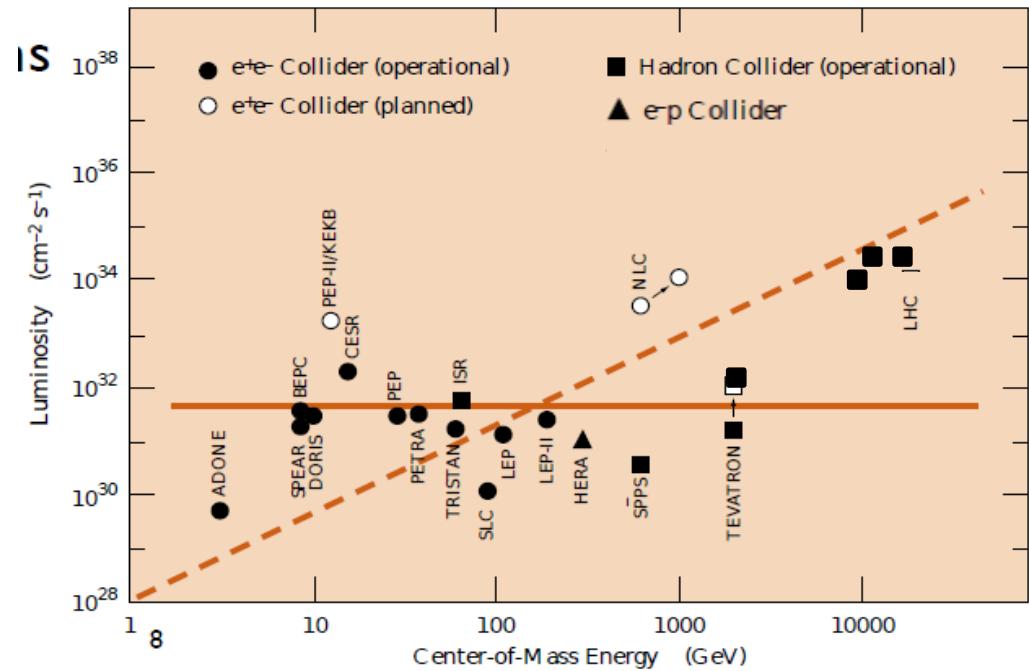
# Luminosity frontier

- Need corresponding rise in luminosity (beam intensity)

$$N = \sigma L = \sigma \int \mathcal{L} dt$$

Number of events      Instantaneous luminosity  
↓                          ↓  
Cross section      Integrated luminosity

- High luminosity brings all the challenges for the detectors:
  - High event rates
  - Pile up
  - Beam –beam interactions
  - Beamstrahlung



# Designing a machine

- Particle species
  - Electron/**positrons**
  - Protons/anti-protons
  - **Muons/anti-muons**
- Beam energy
- **Spin**
- Luminosity
- How do you produce antiparticles?
- Ones produced how ones keep them (muon collider)?
- Ones collided what ones does with spent beams?
- Accelerator and detector protection

# Accelerator is much more ....

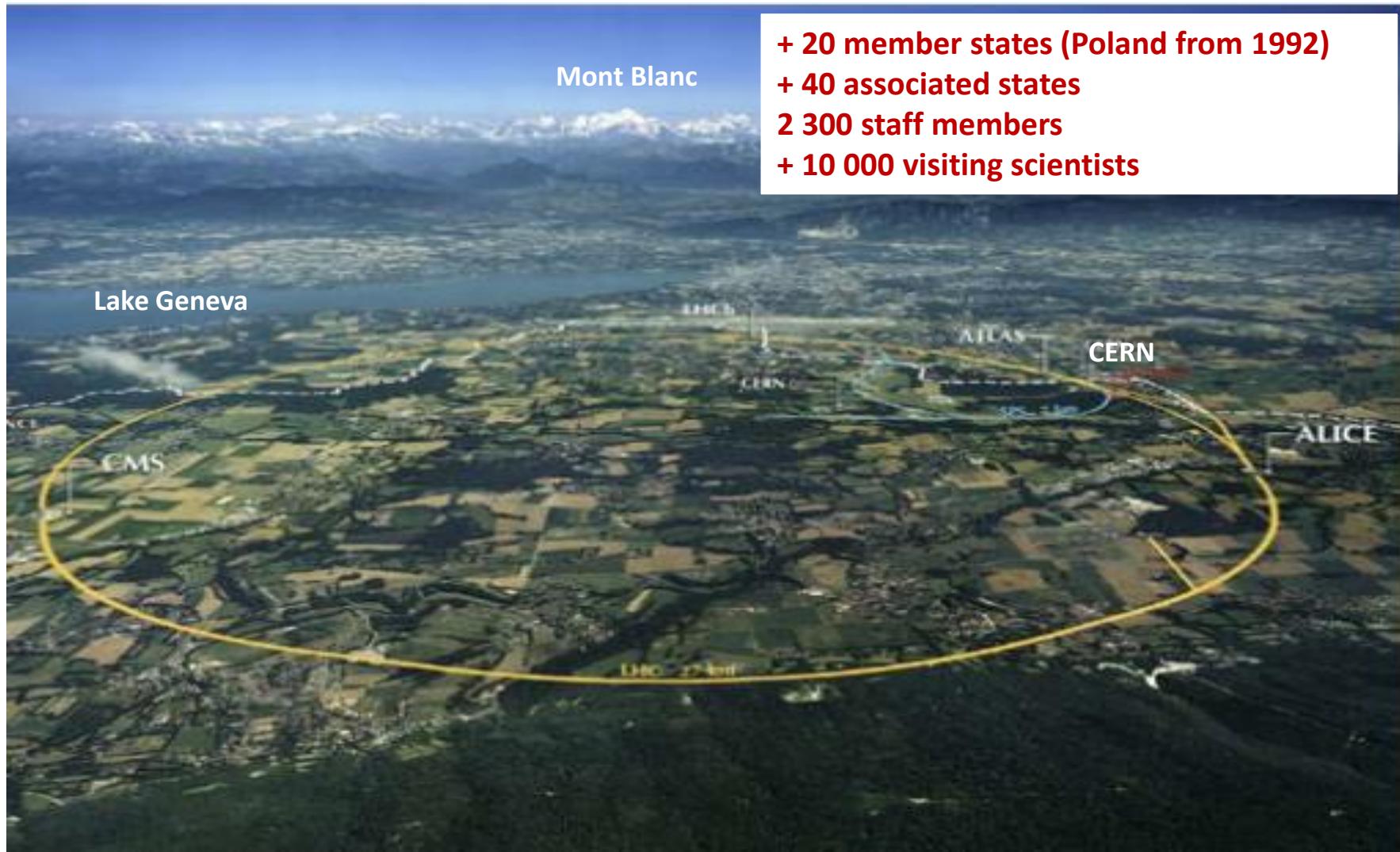
- Particle production
- Damping, cooling or preparation
- Injection and extraction
- Acceleration
- Collimation (betatron, energy etc.)
- Diagnostics and controls
- Machine (and detector protection)
- Beam delivery and luminosity production
- Technology spin off
  - Lower energy machines, medical applications, applied physics, materials, .....

# Particle Physics Labs

- There are many thousands of accelerators in operation today, mostly for medical or industrial applications  
But few *colliders* – they are used only for particle physics research
- Major particle physics laboratories around the world:

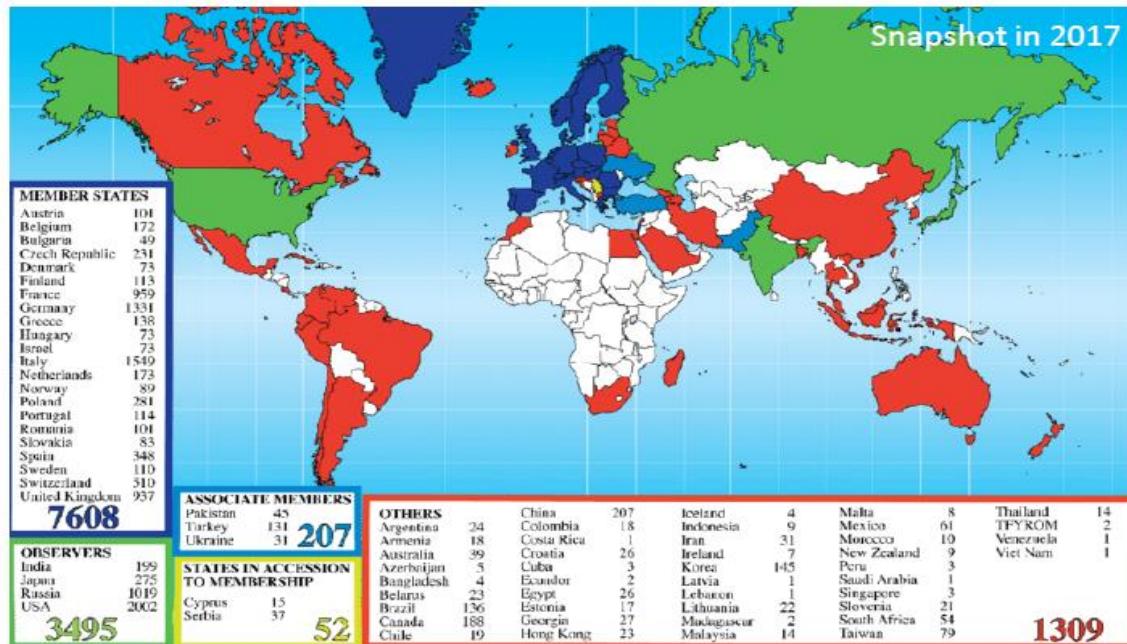


# CERN laboratory (founded in 1954)



# CERN laboratory: users

## CERN users



- CERN takes care of running the accelerators on its site (such as the LHC) while the experiments are built and run by collaborations of users from institutes around the world (ATLAS and CMS each have about 3000 authors)
- Specific programmes to encourage CERN-Latin America collaboration
  - **HELEN**: High-Energy physics Latin-American European Network (2005-9)
  - **EPLANET**: European Particle physics Latin-American NETwork (2011-15)

**LHC pp and ions**

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Switzerland  
Lake Geneva

**LHC Accelerator**  
(100 m down)

**CMS, TOTEM**

**LHCb**

**CERN-  
Prevessin**

**ALICE**

**SPS  
Accelerator**

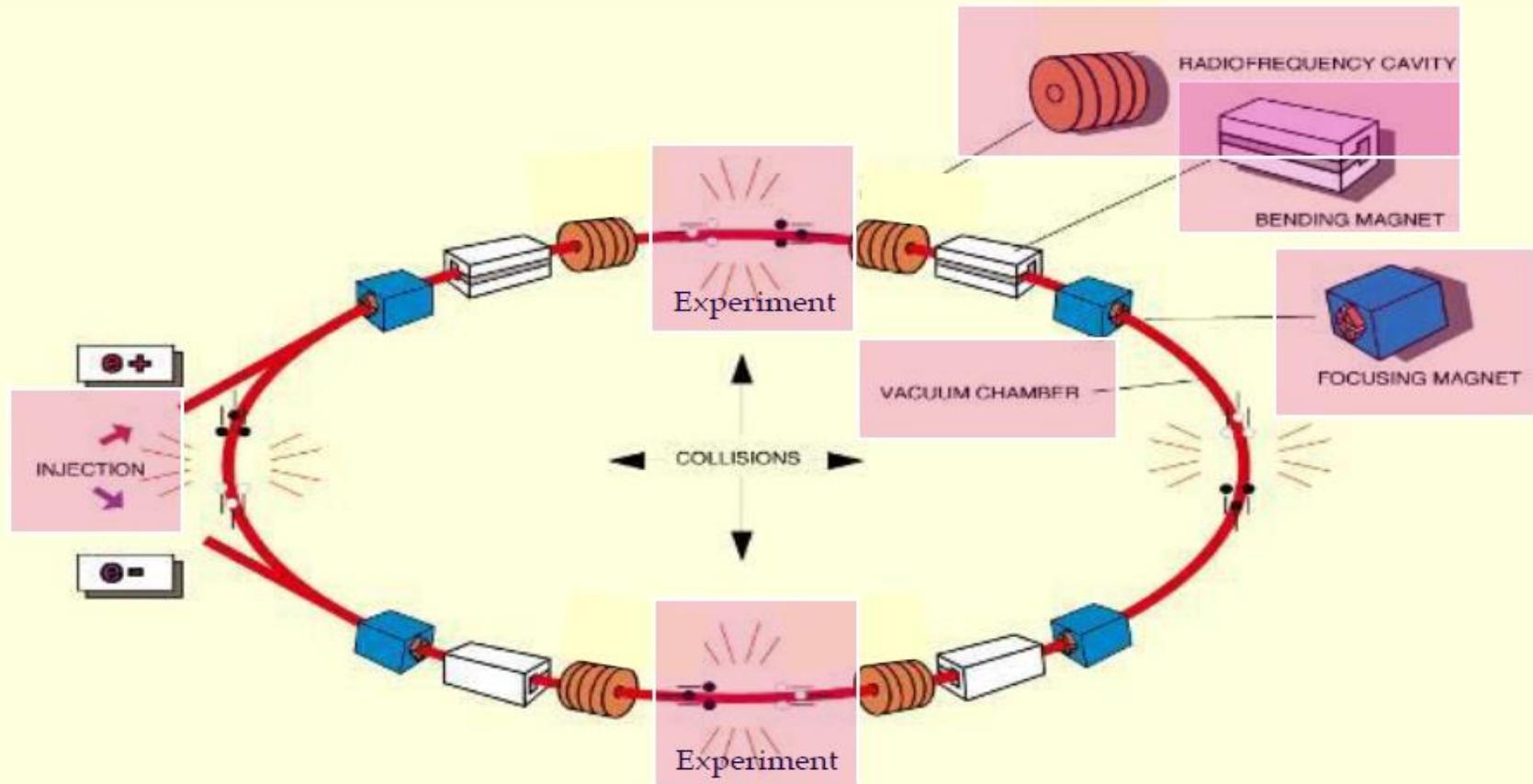
**ATLAS**

**CERN Main Site**

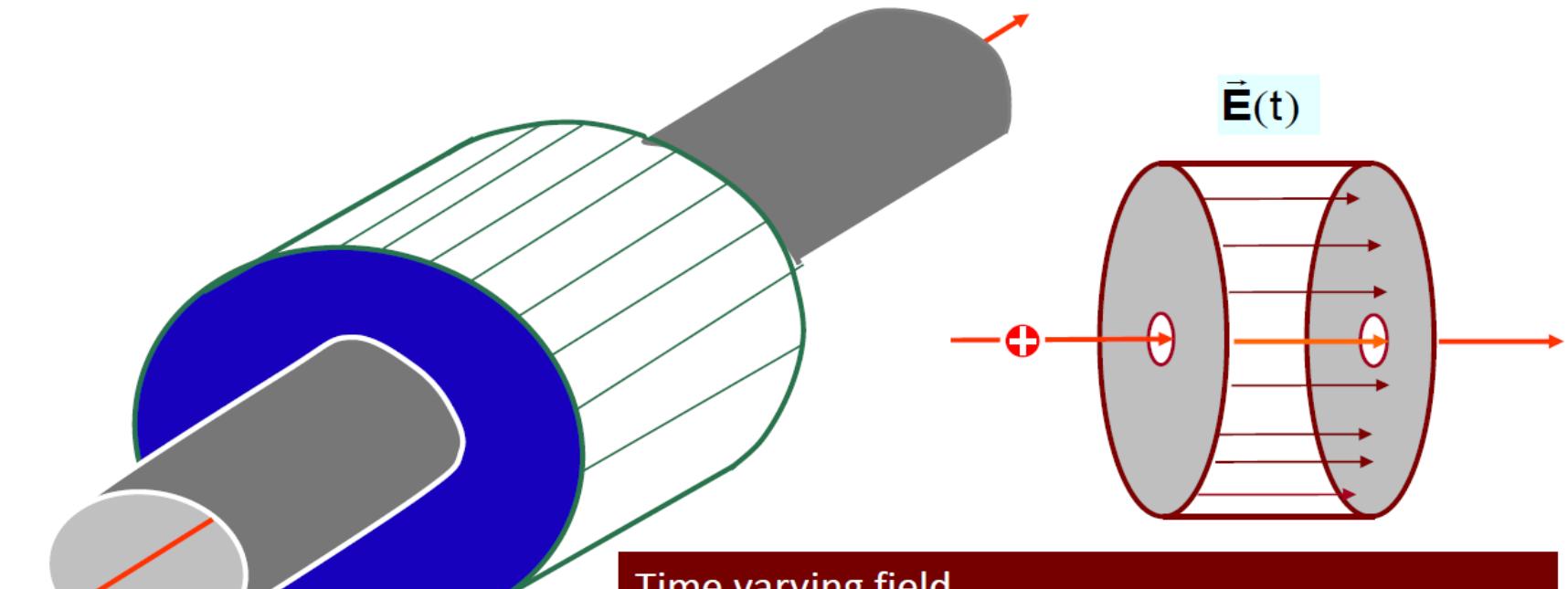
**France**

# Synchrotron + many passages in RF cavities

LHC **circular machine** with energy gain per turn  $\sim 0.5$  MeV  
acceleration from 450 GeV to 7 TeV will take about 20 minutes



# Particle acceleration in RF cavity



LHC RF frequency  
400 MHz

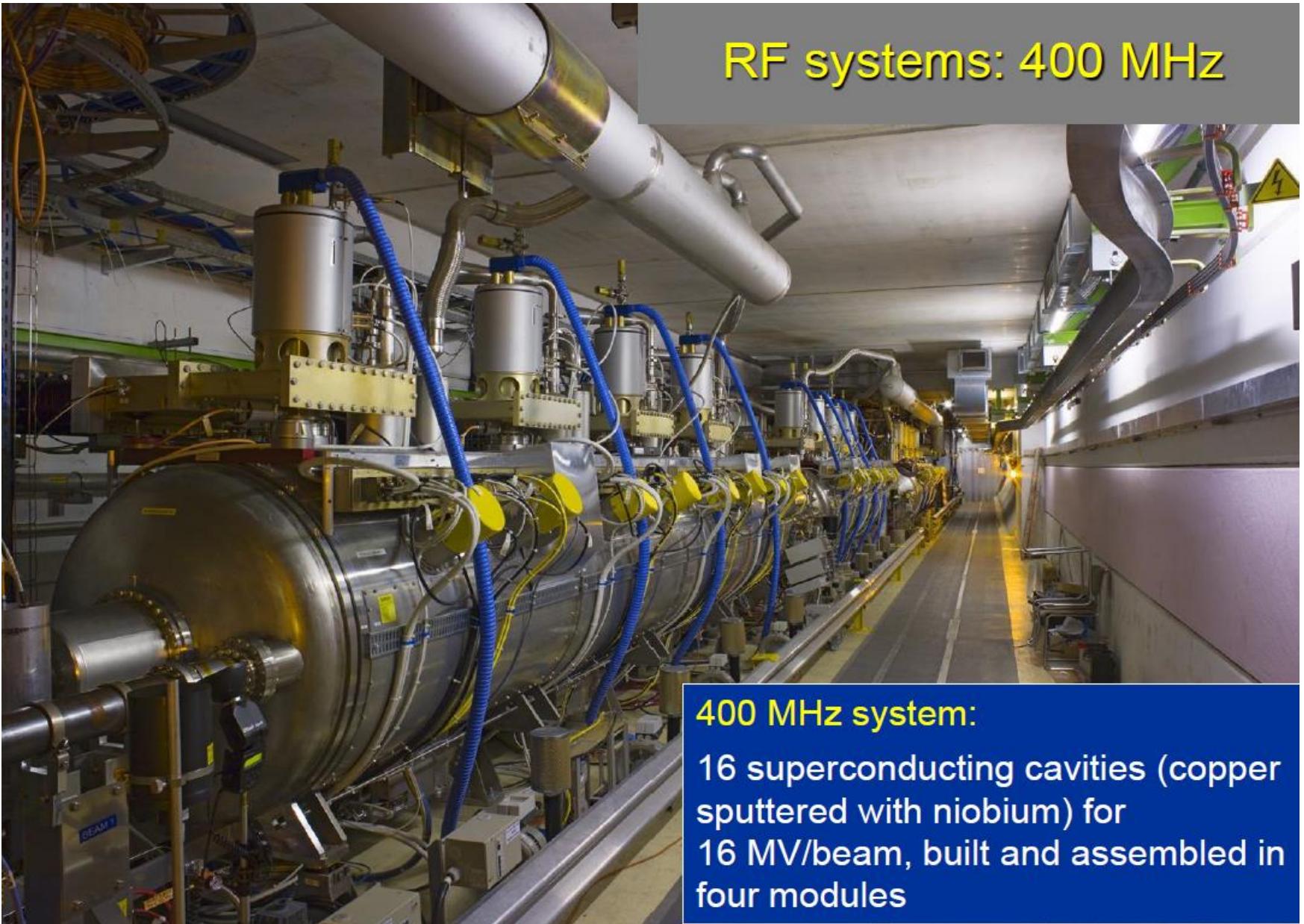
Revolution frequency  
11246 Hz

Time varying field

$$E_z(t) = E_0 \times \cos(\omega t + \phi)$$

Maximum field about 20 MV/m

Beams are accelerated in bunches (no continuous beam)



## RF systems: 400 MHz

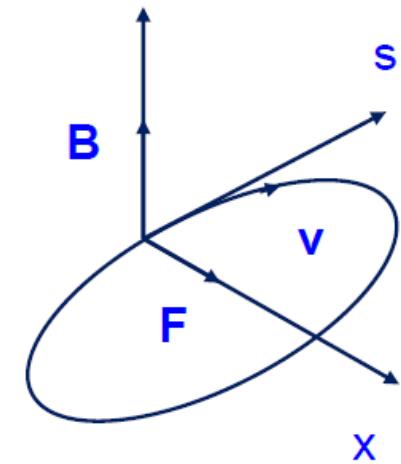
**400 MHz system:**  
**16 superconducting cavities (copper sputtered with niobium) for 16 MV/beam, built and assembled in four modules**

# Particle deflection: superconducting magnets

The force on a charged particle is proportional to the charge, the electric field, and the vector product of velocity and magnetic field given by Lorentz Force:

$$\vec{F} = q \cdot (\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B})$$

$$B = \frac{p}{e_0 \cdot R}$$



Maximum momentum 7000 GeV/c

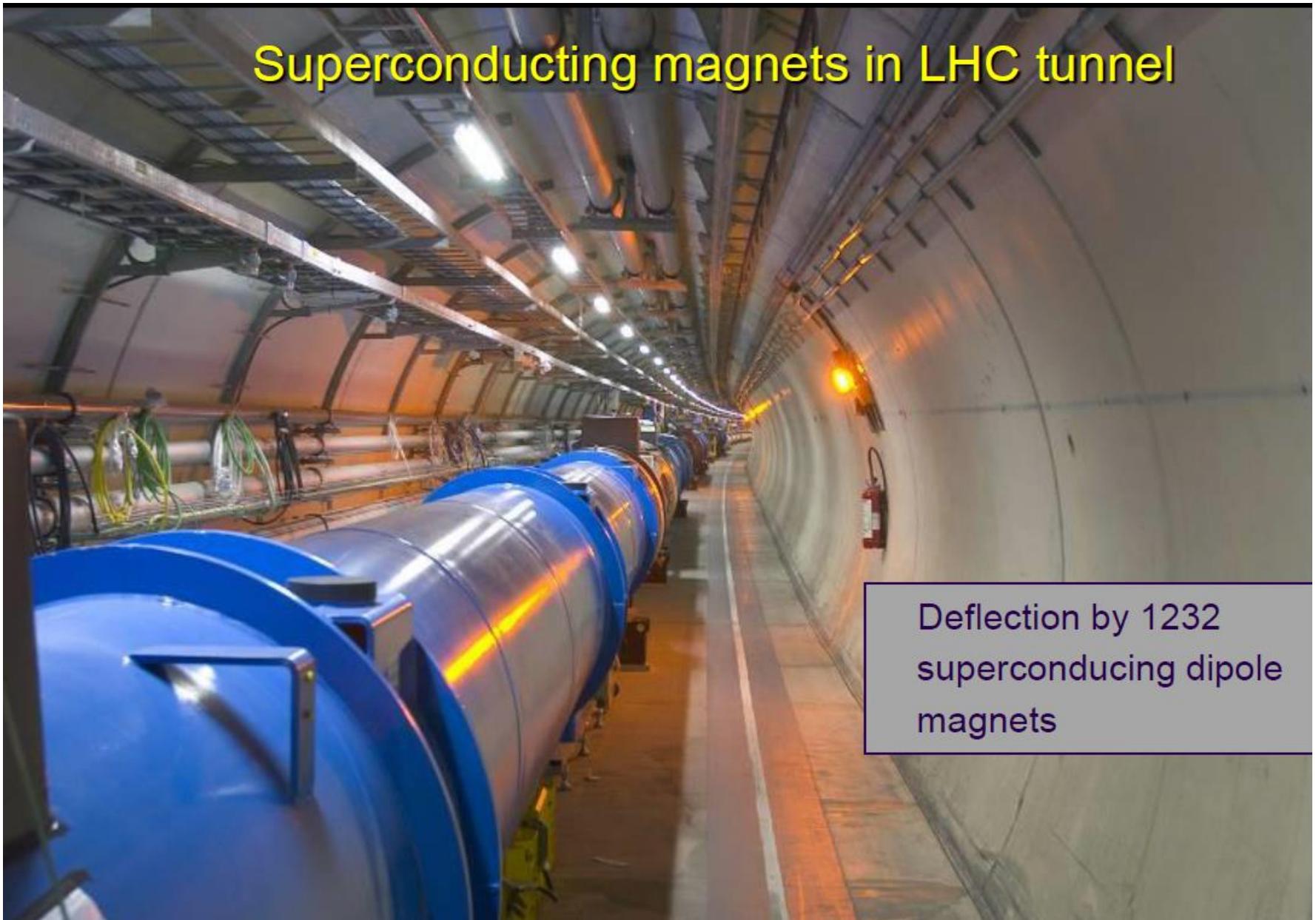
Radius 2805 m fixed by LEP tunnel

**Magnetic field  $B = 8.33$  Tesla**

Iron magnets limited to 2 Tesla, therefore superconducting magnets are required

Deflecting magnetic fields for two beams in opposite directions

# Superconducting magnets in LHC tunnel



Deflection by 1232  
superconducting dipole  
magnets

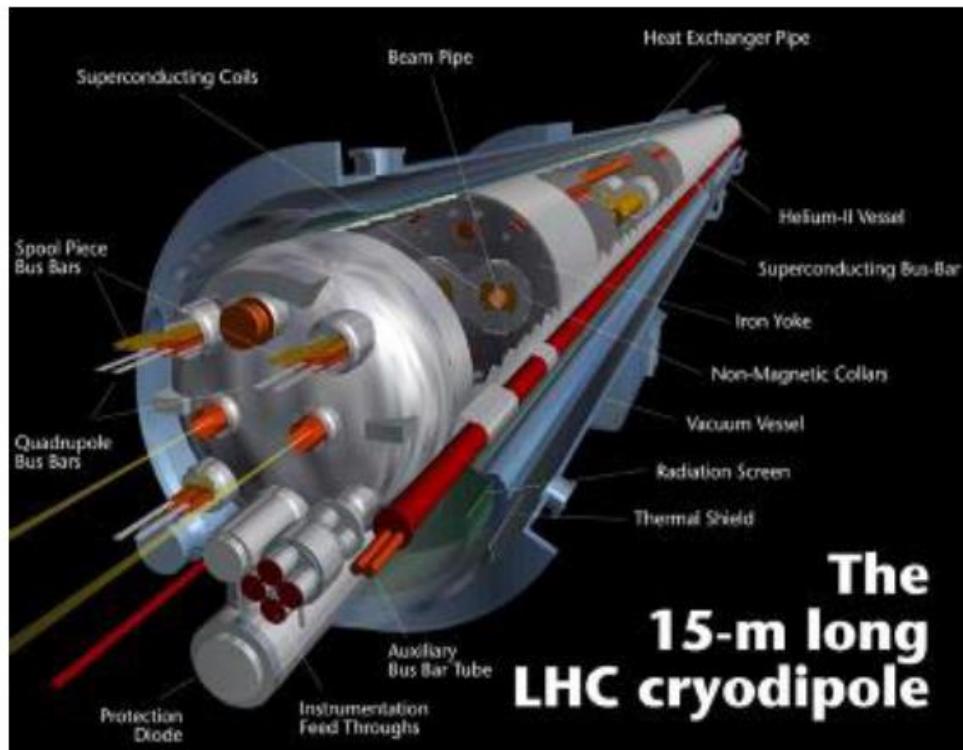
# Dipole magnets for the LHC

1232 Dipole magnets  
Length about 15 m

Magnetic Field 8.3 T for  
7 TeV

Two beam tubes with an  
opening of 56 mm

plus many other magnets, to ensure  
beam stability (1700 main magnets and  
about 8000 corrector magnets)



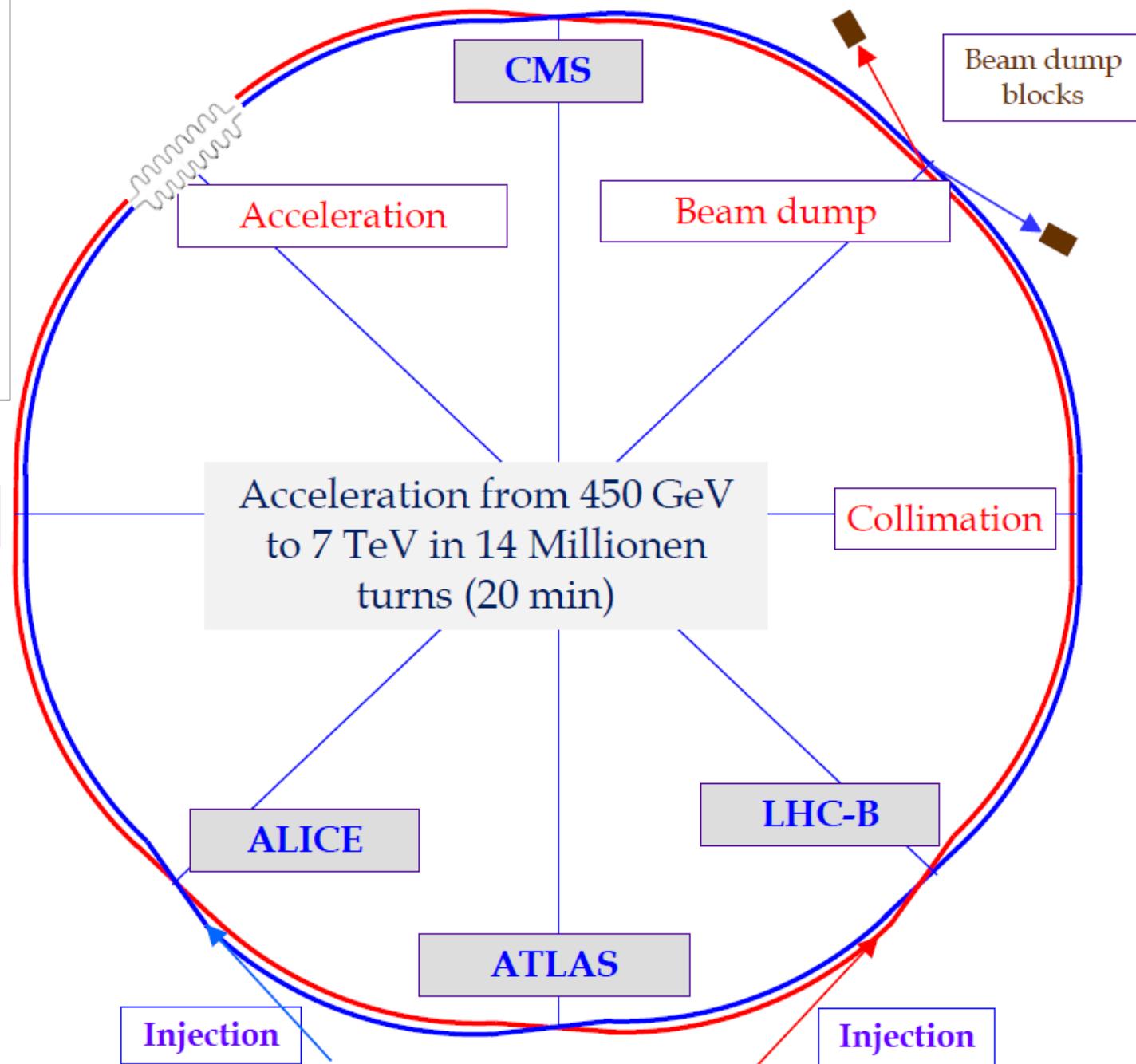
# LHC Layout

eight arcs (sectors)

eight long straight section (about  
700 m long)

1232 deflecting  
dipole magnets

- 27 km
- 2 beams
- 11246 turns/  
second



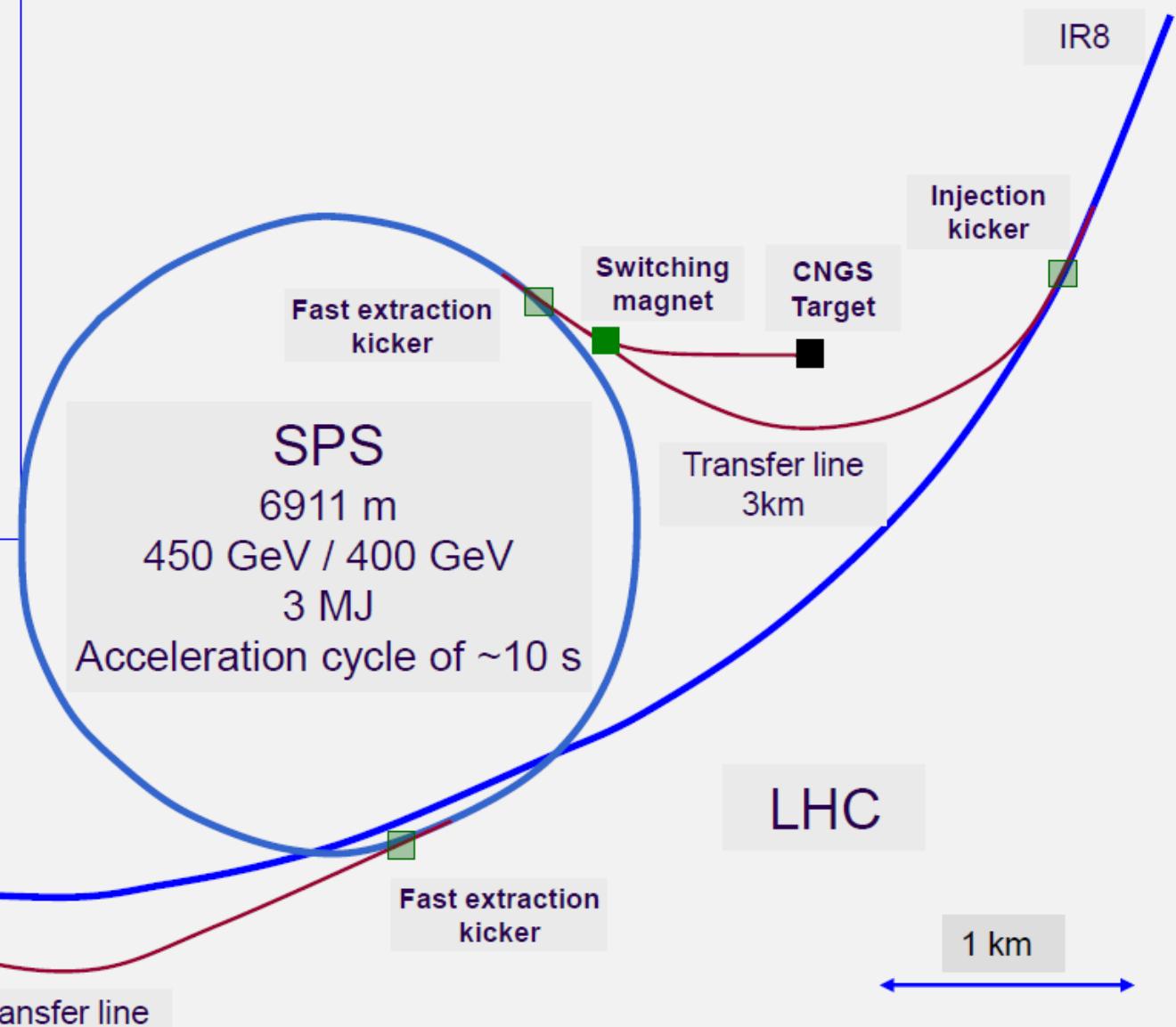
# SPS, transfer line and the LHC

Beam is accelerated in the SPS to 450 GeV (stored energy of 3 MJ)

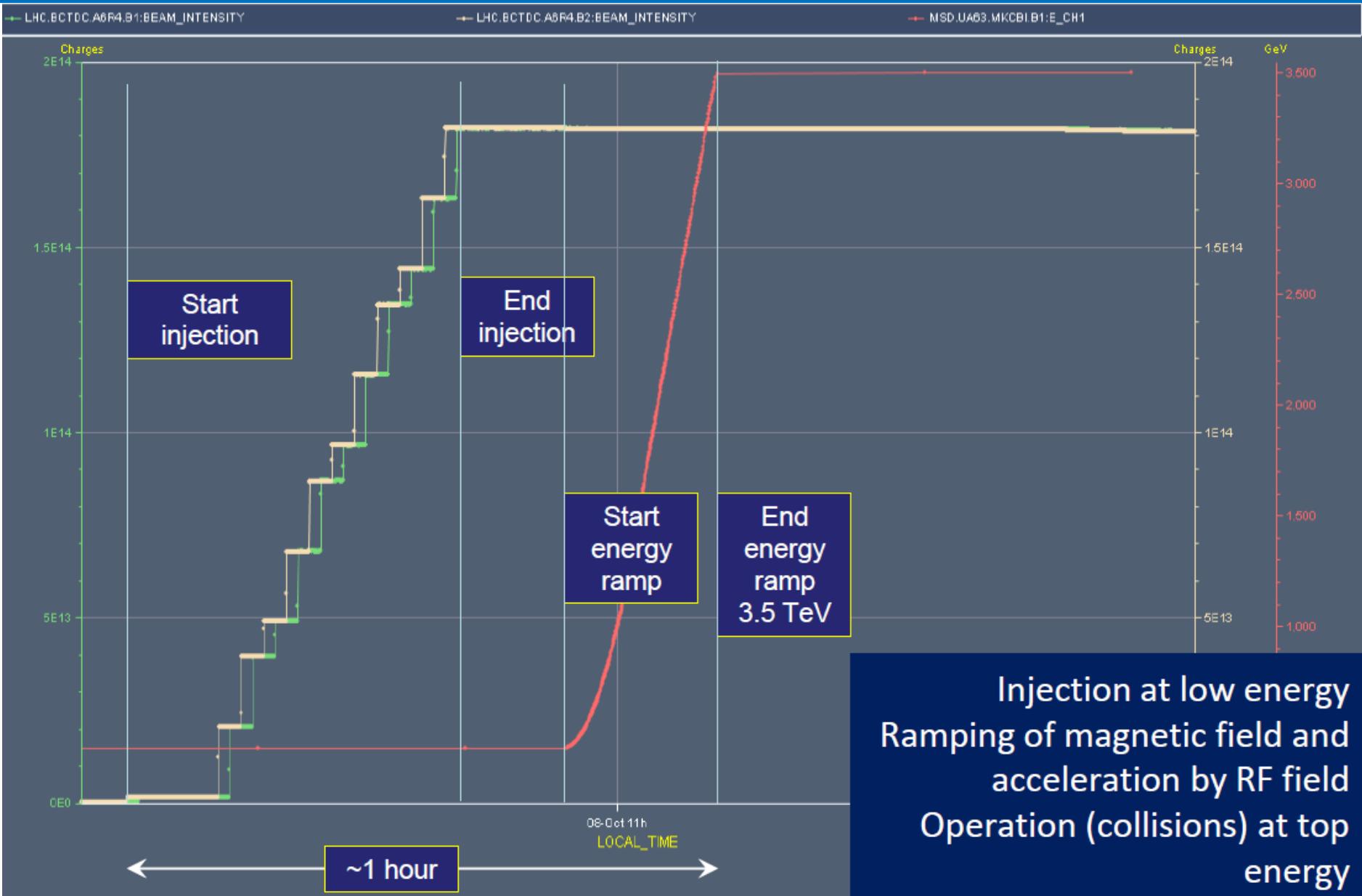
Beam is transferred from SPS to LHC

Beam is accelerated in the LHC to 6.5 TeV (stored energy of about 300 MJ)

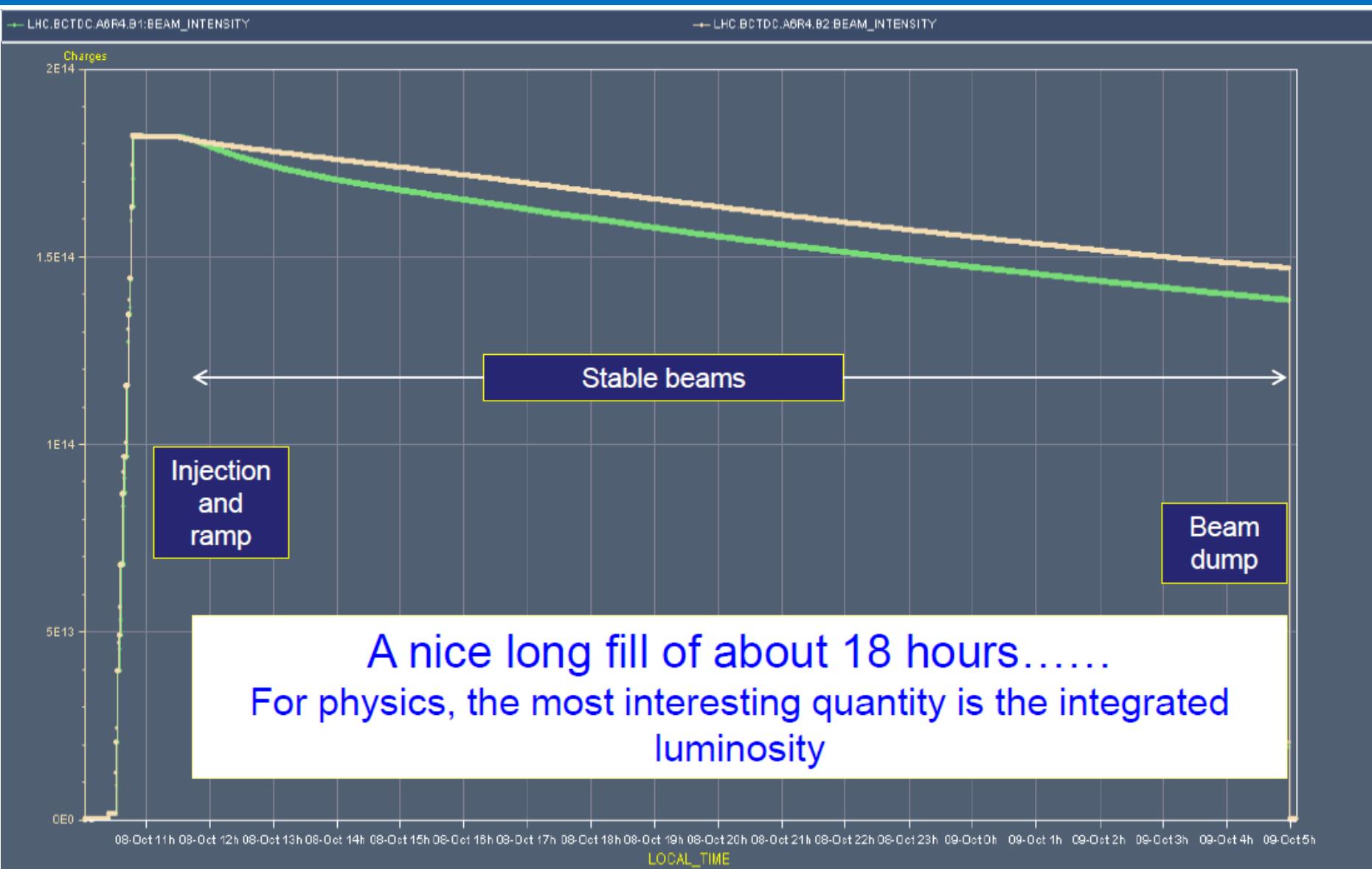
Scraping of beam in SPS before transfer to LHC



# Synchrotron principle: LHC fill (2011)



# Excelent fill (2011)



# Luminosity parameters

$$L = \frac{N^2 \times f \times n_b}{4 \times \pi \times \sigma_x \times \sigma_y}$$

N ...

number of protons per bunch

f ...

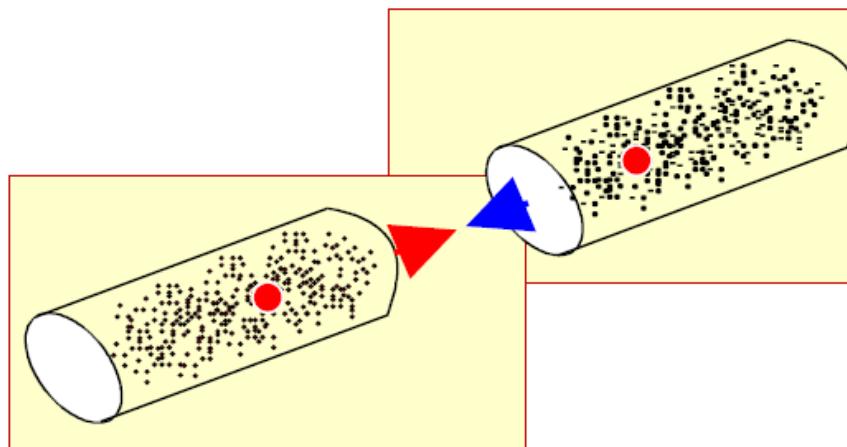
revolution frequency

n<sub>b</sub> ...

number of bunches per beam

$\sigma_x \times \sigma_y$  ...

beam dimensions at interaction point



# Luminosity parameters

Number of protons per bunch limited to about  $1\text{-}3 \times 10^{11}$  due to the beam-beam interaction and beam instabilities

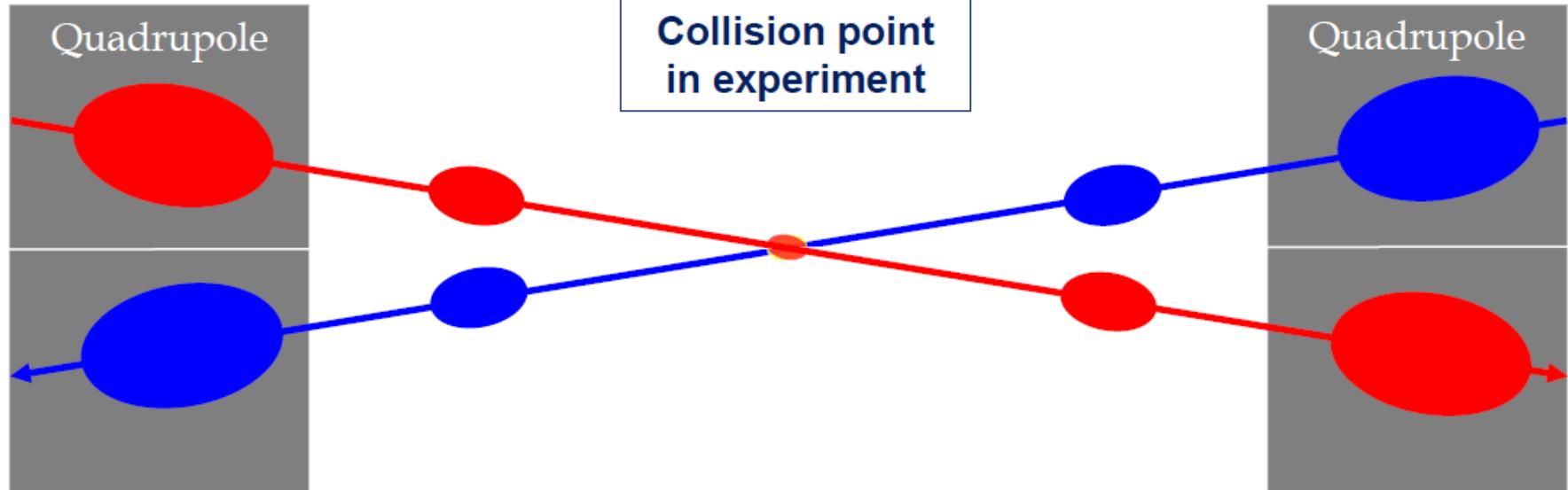
Beam size given by injectors and by space in vacuum chamber

$$f = 11246 \text{ Hz}$$

Beam size  $16 \mu\text{m}$ ,  
for  $\beta = 0.5 \text{ m}$  ( $\beta$  is a function of the lattice)

$$L = \frac{N^2 \cdot f \cdot n_b}{4 \cdot \pi \cdot \sigma_x \cdot \sigma_y} = 10^{34} [\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}] \text{ for 2808 bunches}$$

# Beam size



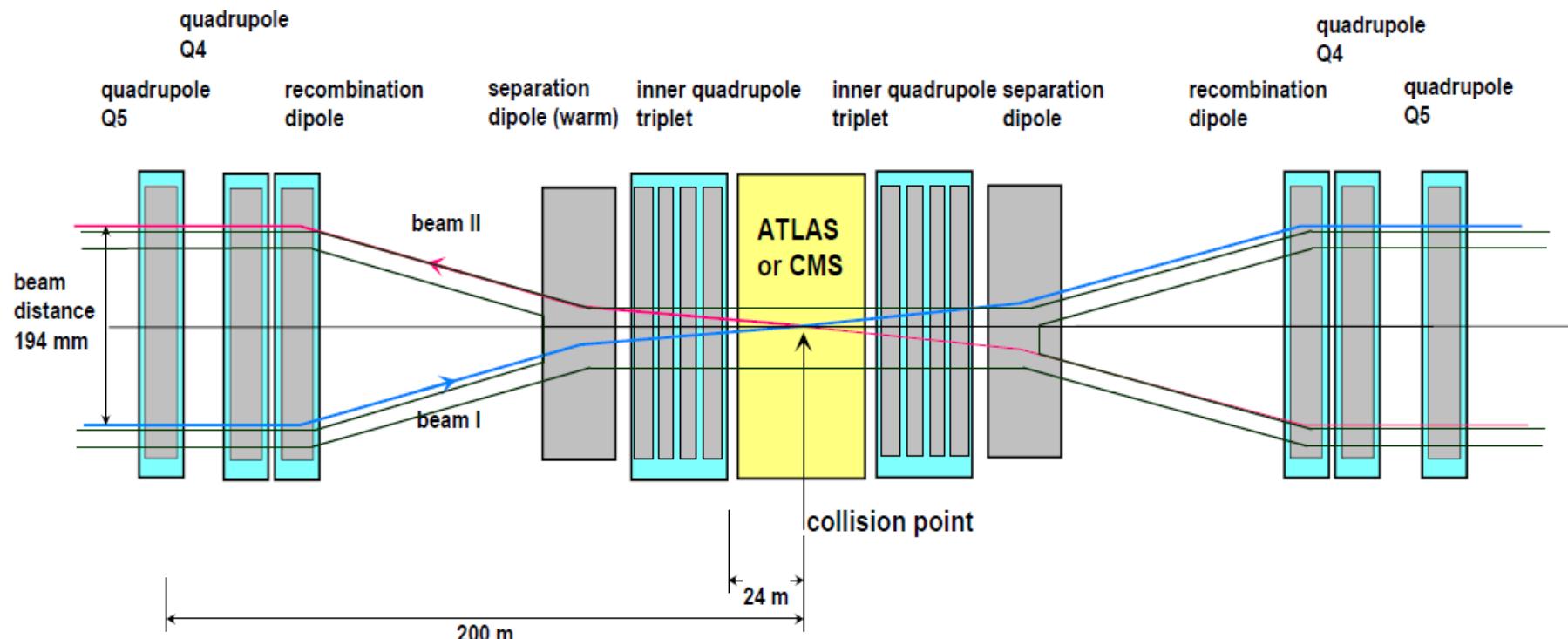
- Large beam size in adjacent quadrupole magnets
- Separation between beams needed, about  $10 \sigma$
- Limitation is the aperture in quadrupoles
- Limitation of  $\beta$  function at IP to 0.4 m (2017)



- ⇒ With the parameters of 2012 for each bunch crossing there are up to  $\sim 35$  interactions (lower luminosity, less number of bunches)
- ⇒ ‘Hats off’ to ALTAS & CMS for handling this pile-up !!



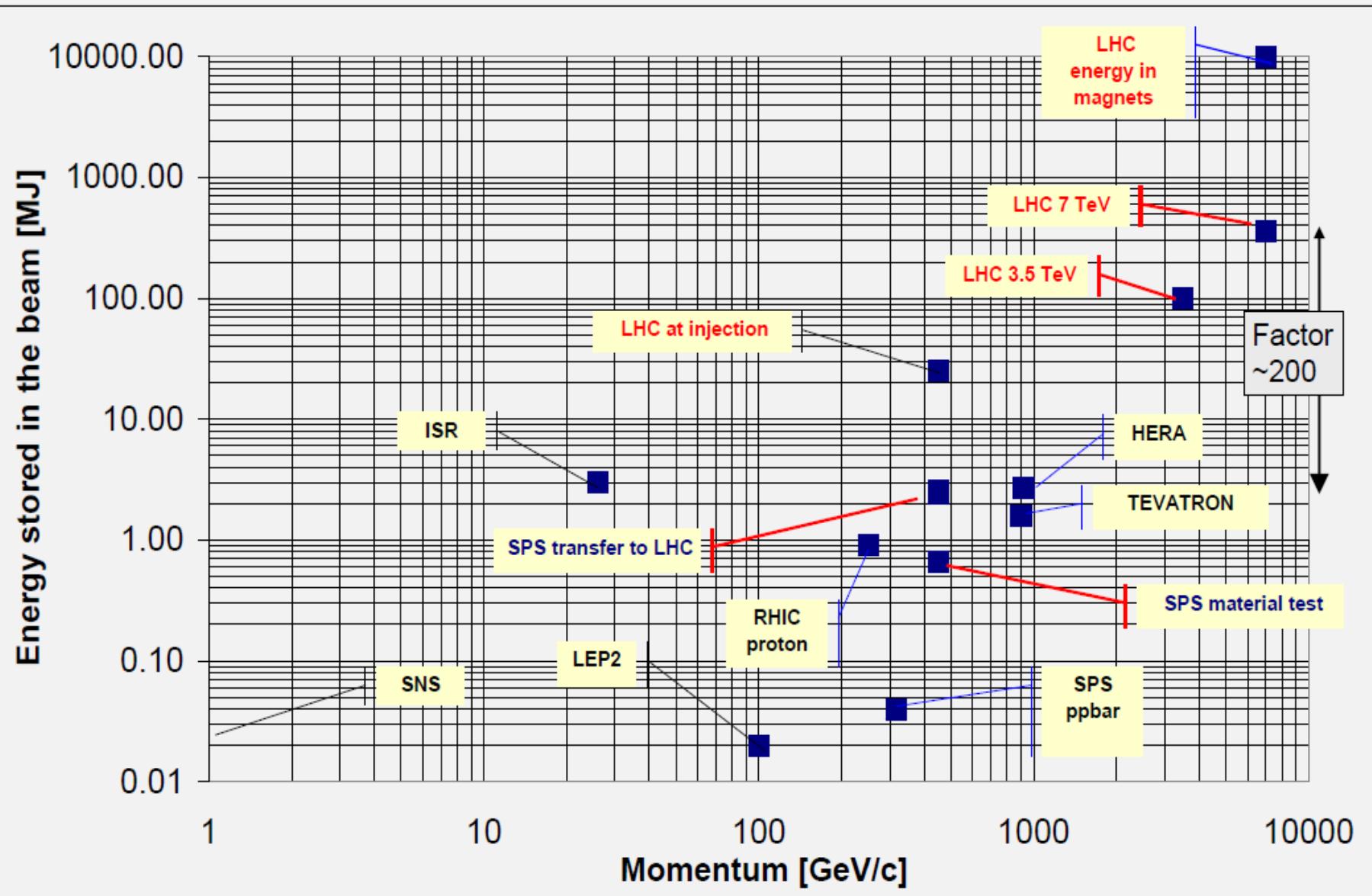
# Experimental long straight section



Example for an LHC insertion with ATLAS or CMS

- The 2 LHC beams are brought together to collide in a ‘common’ region
- Over  $\sim 260$  m the beams circulate in one vacuum chamber with ‘parasitic’ encounters (when the spacing between bunches is small enough)
- Total crossing angle of about  $250 \mu\text{rad}$

# Energy stored in the beam



# What does it mean?

The energy of an 200 m long fast train at 155 km/hour corresponds to the energy of 360 MJoule stored in one LHC beam



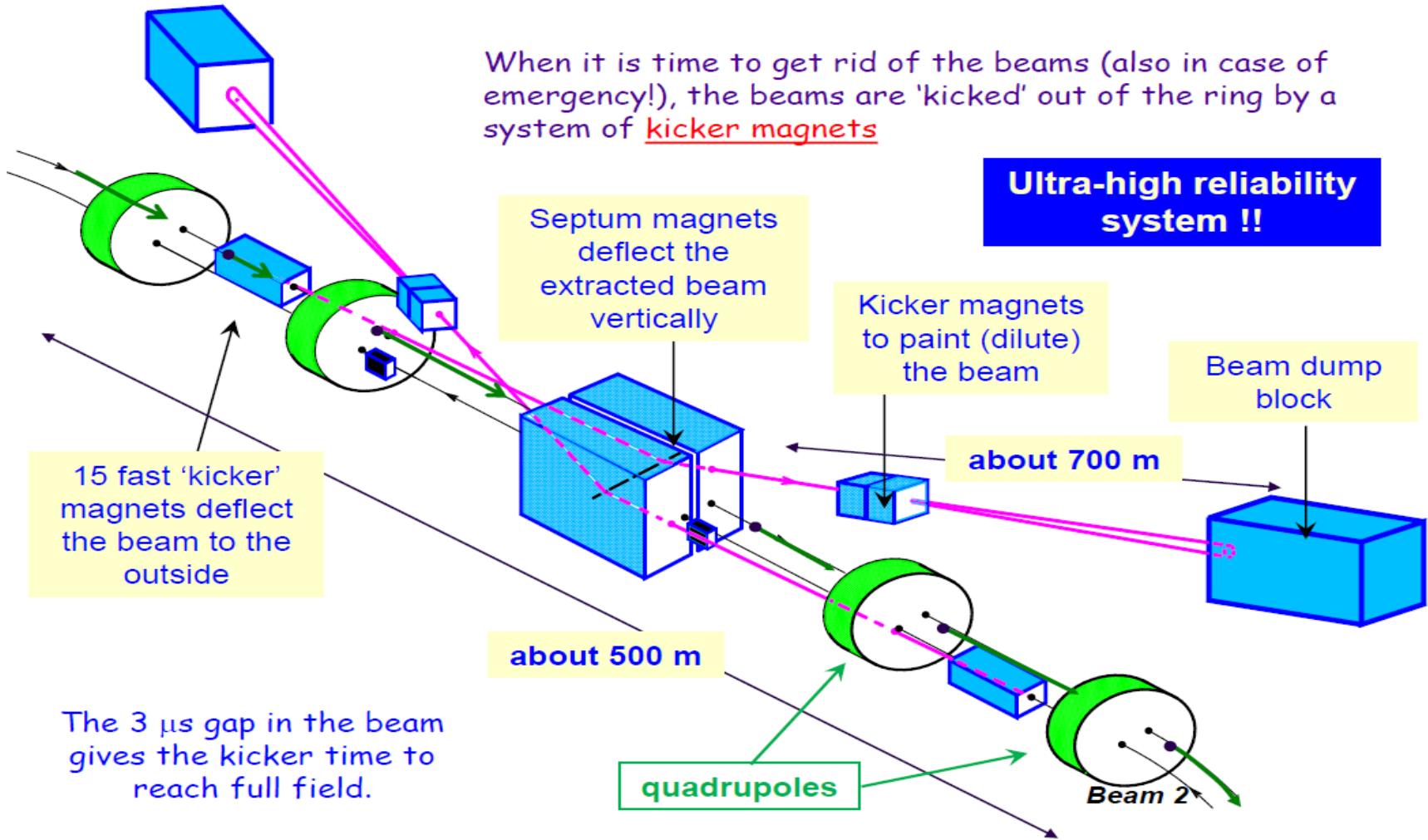
**360 MJoule:** the energy stored in one LHC beam corresponds approximately to...

- 90 kg of TNT
- 8 litres of gasoline
- 15 kg of chocolate



It's how *easy* the energy is released that matters most !!

# Layout of beam system dump





# Dump line



# Beam Loss Monitors

- Ionization chambers to detect beam losses:
  - Reaction time  $\sim \frac{1}{2}$  turn ( $40\ \mu\text{s}$ )
  - Very large dynamic range ( $> 10^6$ )
- There are **~3600 chambers** distributed over the ring to detect abnormal beam losses and if necessary trigger a beam abort !
- Very important beam instrumentation!



# The LHC: just another collider?

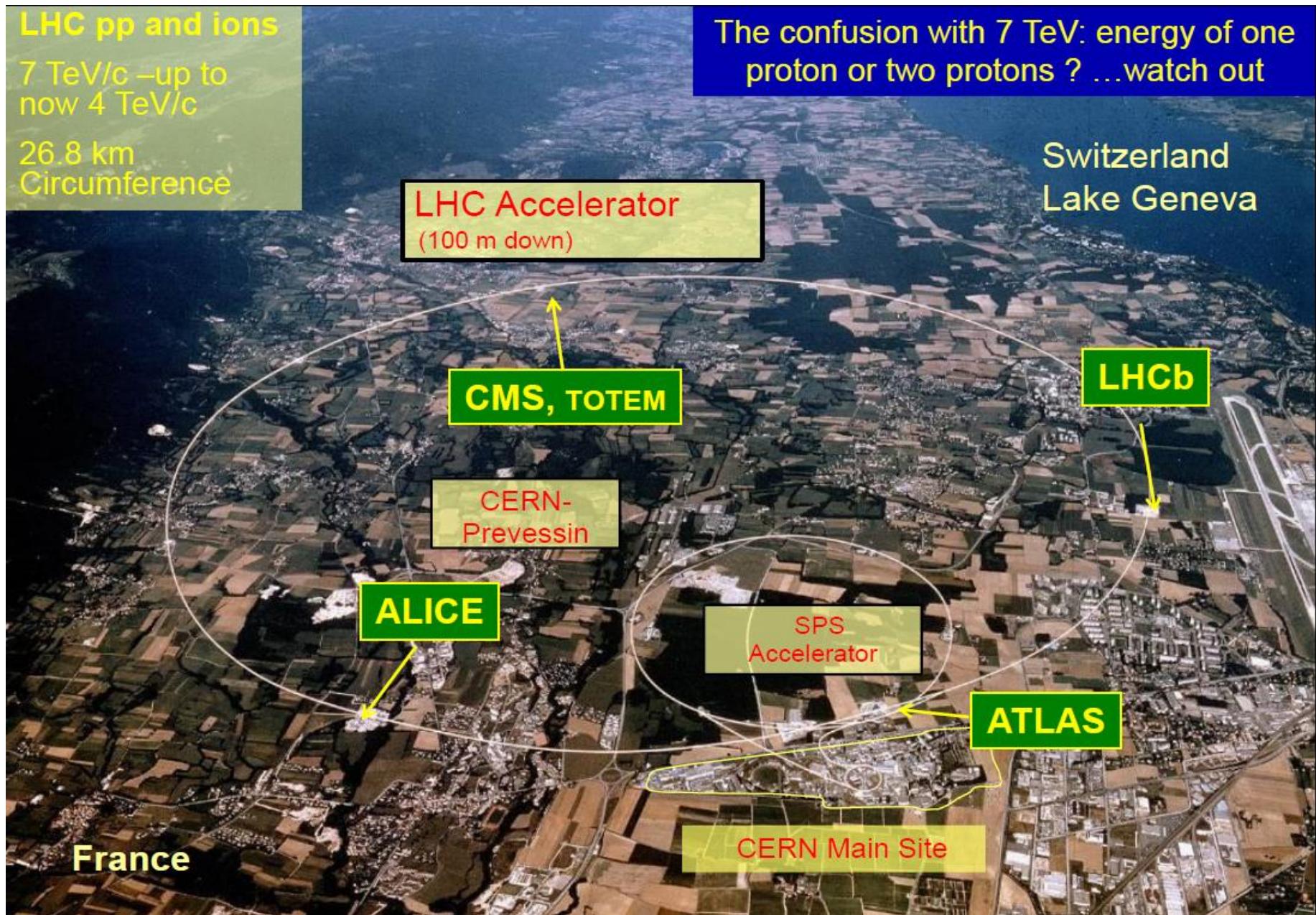
	Start	Type	Max proton energy [GeV]	Length [m]	B Field [Tesla]	Lumi [ $\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ ]	Stored beam energy [MJoule]
TEVATRON Fermilab Illinois USA	1983	p-pbar	980	6300	4.5	$4.3 \cdot 10^{32}$	1.6 for protons
HERA DESY Hamburg	1992	p – e+ p – e-	920	6300	5.5	$5.1 \cdot 10^{31}$	2.7 for protons
RHIC Brookhaven Long Island	2000	Ion-Ion p-p	250	3834	4.3	$1.5 \cdot 10^{32}$	0.9 per proton beam
LHC CERN	2008	Ion-Ion p-p	7000	26800	8.3	$10^{34}$ Now $7.7 \times 10^{33}$	<b>362 per beam</b>
Factor			7	4	2	<b>50</b>	<b>100</b>

**LHC pp and ions**

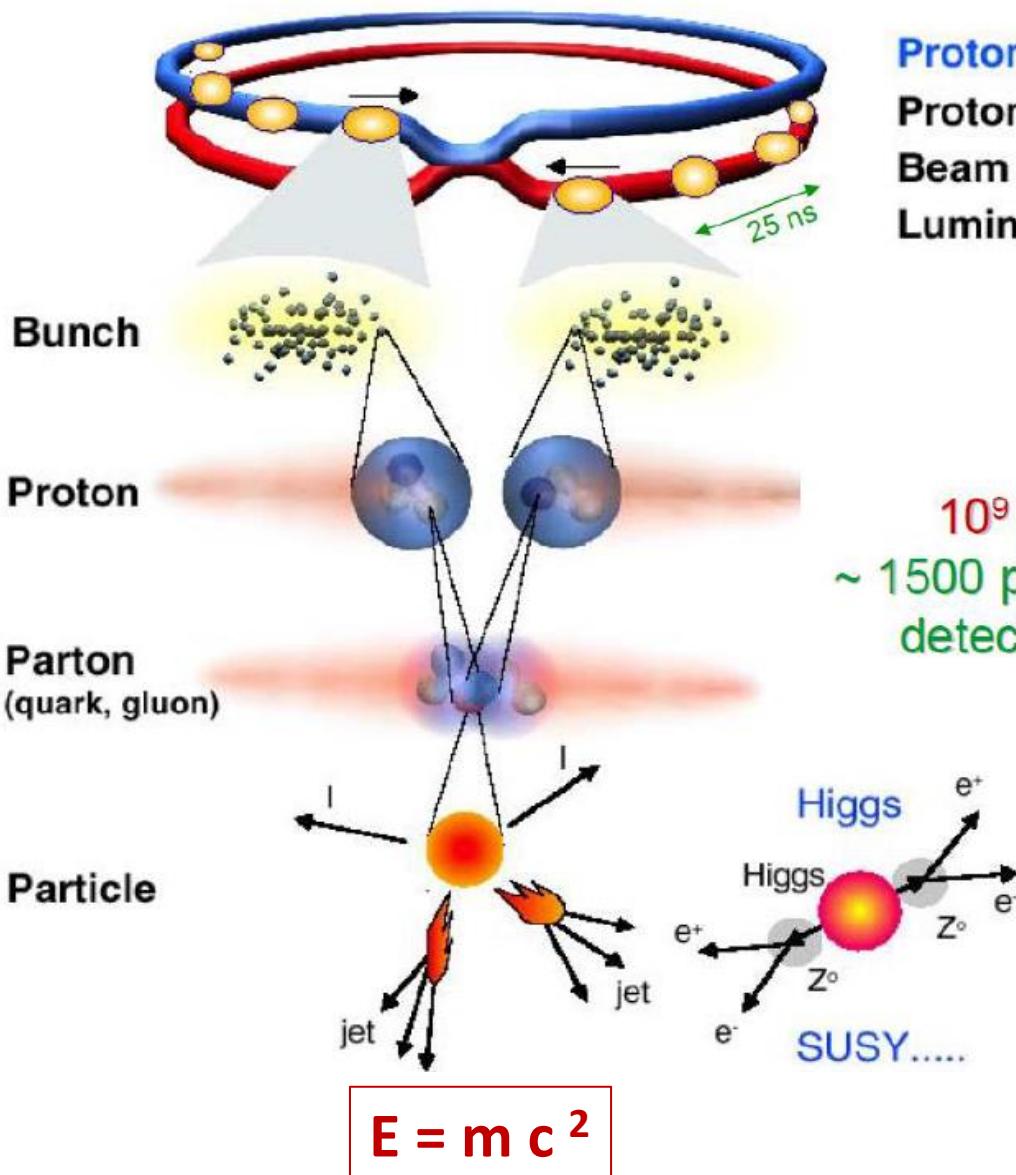
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# Collisions at LHC



Proton-Proton

2835 bunch/beam

Protons/bunch

$10^{11}$

Beam energy

7 TeV ( $7 \times 10^{12} \text{ eV}$ )

Luminosity

$10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$

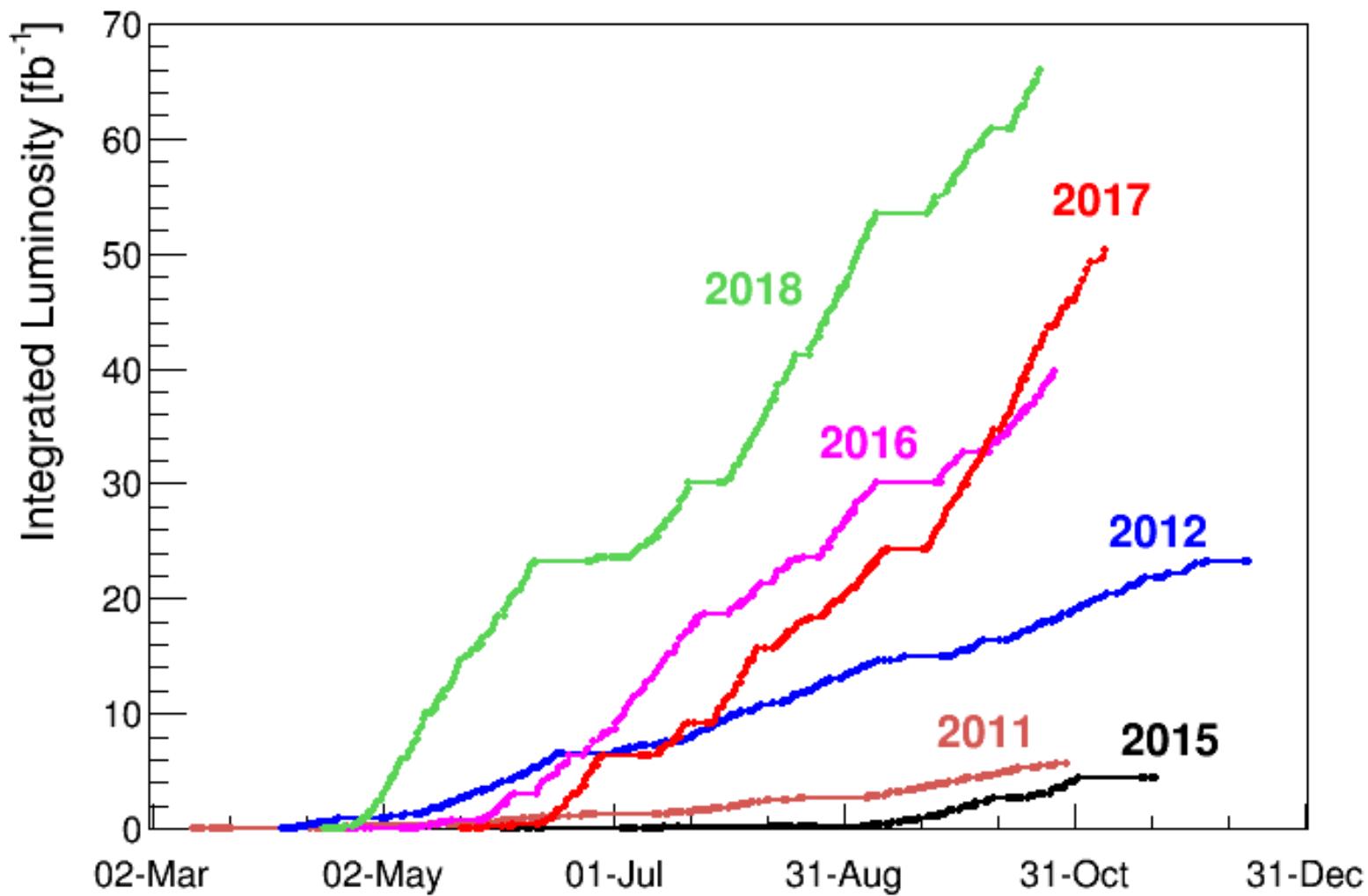
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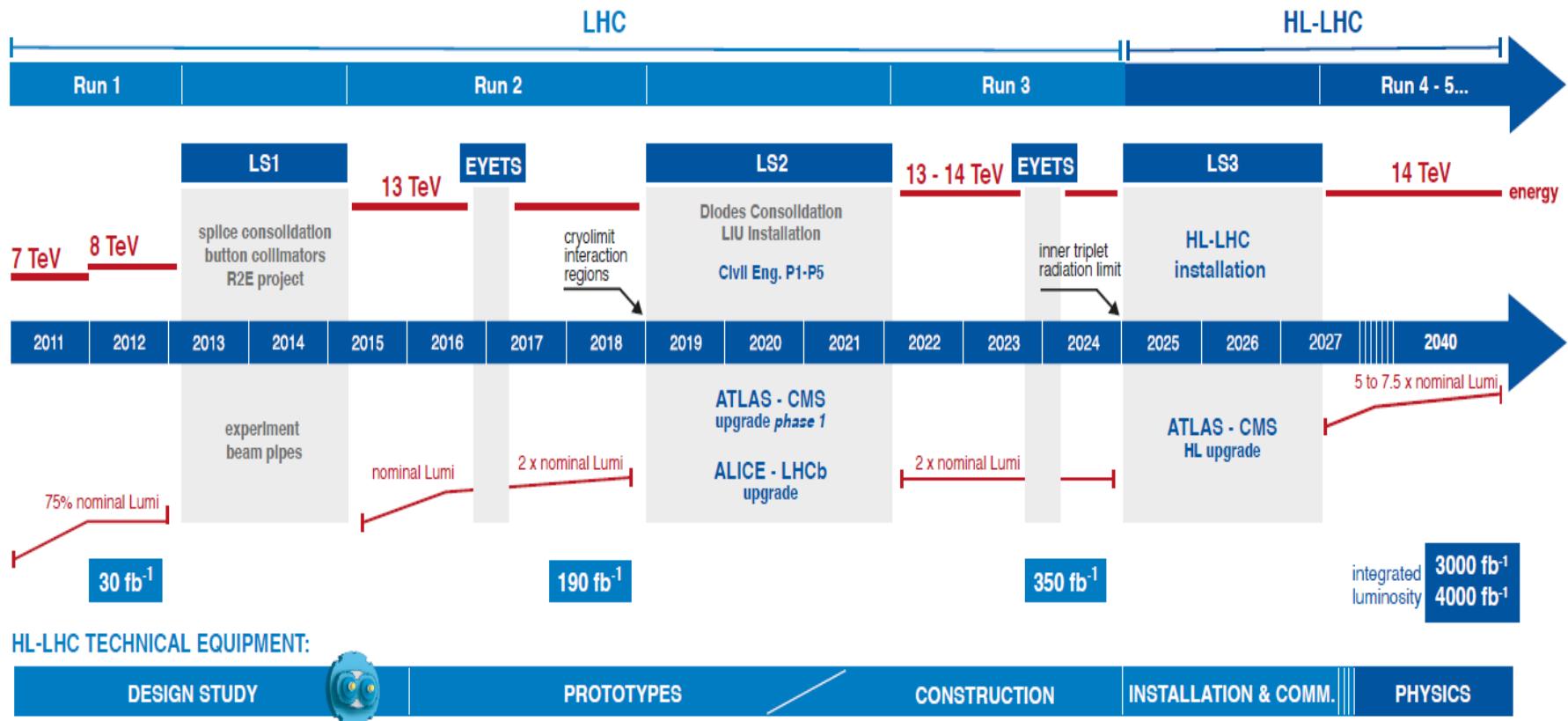
# Run 2 at 13 TeV: 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018



# LHC Beam parameters achieved

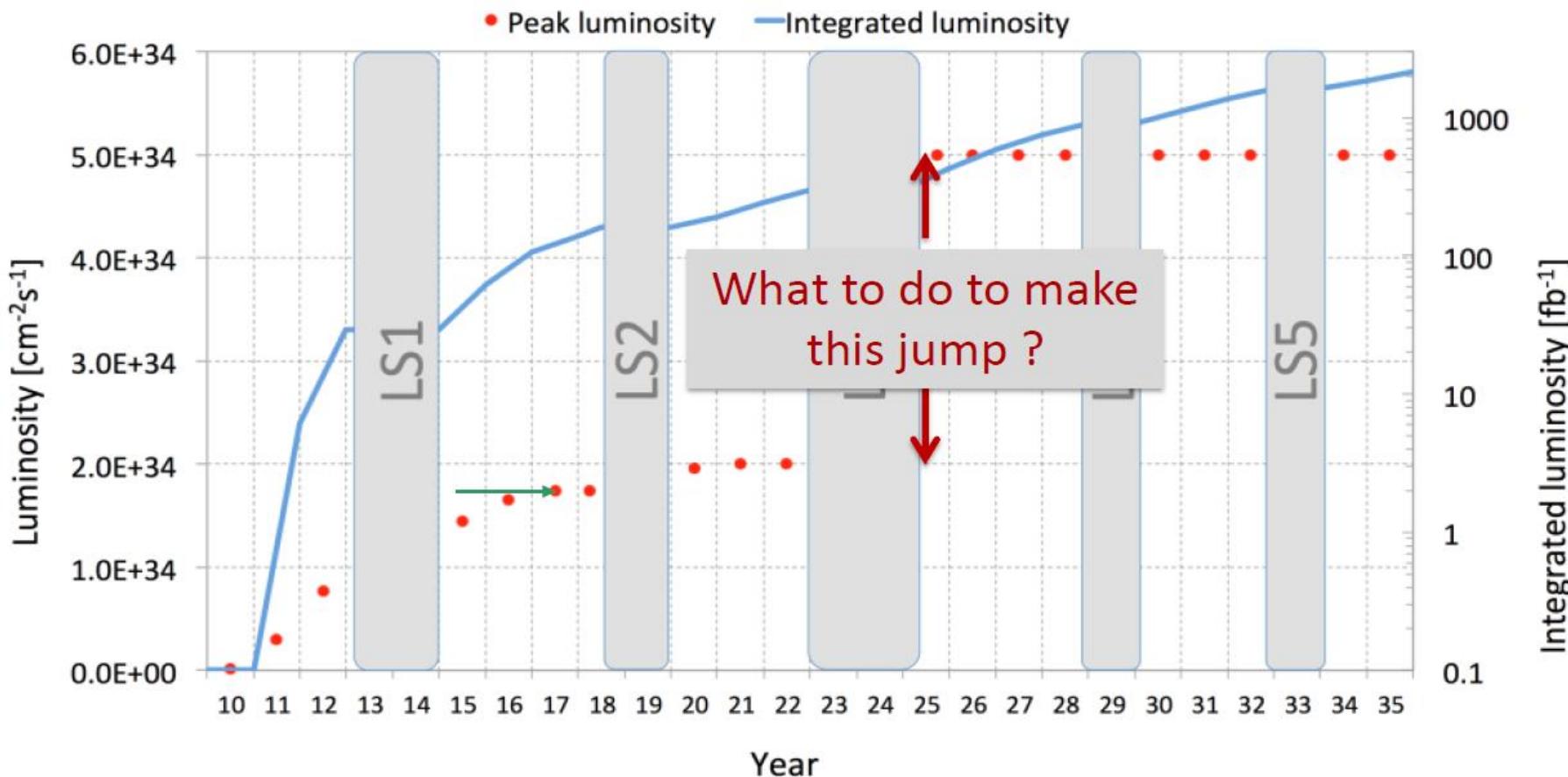
Parameter	2018	Design
<b>Energy</b> [TeV]	<b>6.5</b>	7.0
<b>No. of bunches</b>	<b>2556</b>	2808
<b>Max. stored energy</b> per beam (MJ)	<b>312</b>	362
$\beta^*$ [cm]	<b>30 → 25</b>	55
<b>p/bunch</b> (typical value) [ $10^{11}$ ]	<b>1.1</b>	1.15
Typical normalized <b>emittance</b> [ $\mu\text{m}$ ]	<b>~1.8</b>	3.75
Peak <b>luminosity</b> [ $10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ ]	<b>2.1</b>	1.0

# Plans for next (two) decades



For next 2 years, 2024 and 2025 we will continue taking data of Run3. Great opportunity and timing to start analysing them for your master thesis and then continue with PhD for full set of Run3 data.

# LHC high luminosity upgrade



# High luminosity LHC performance estimates

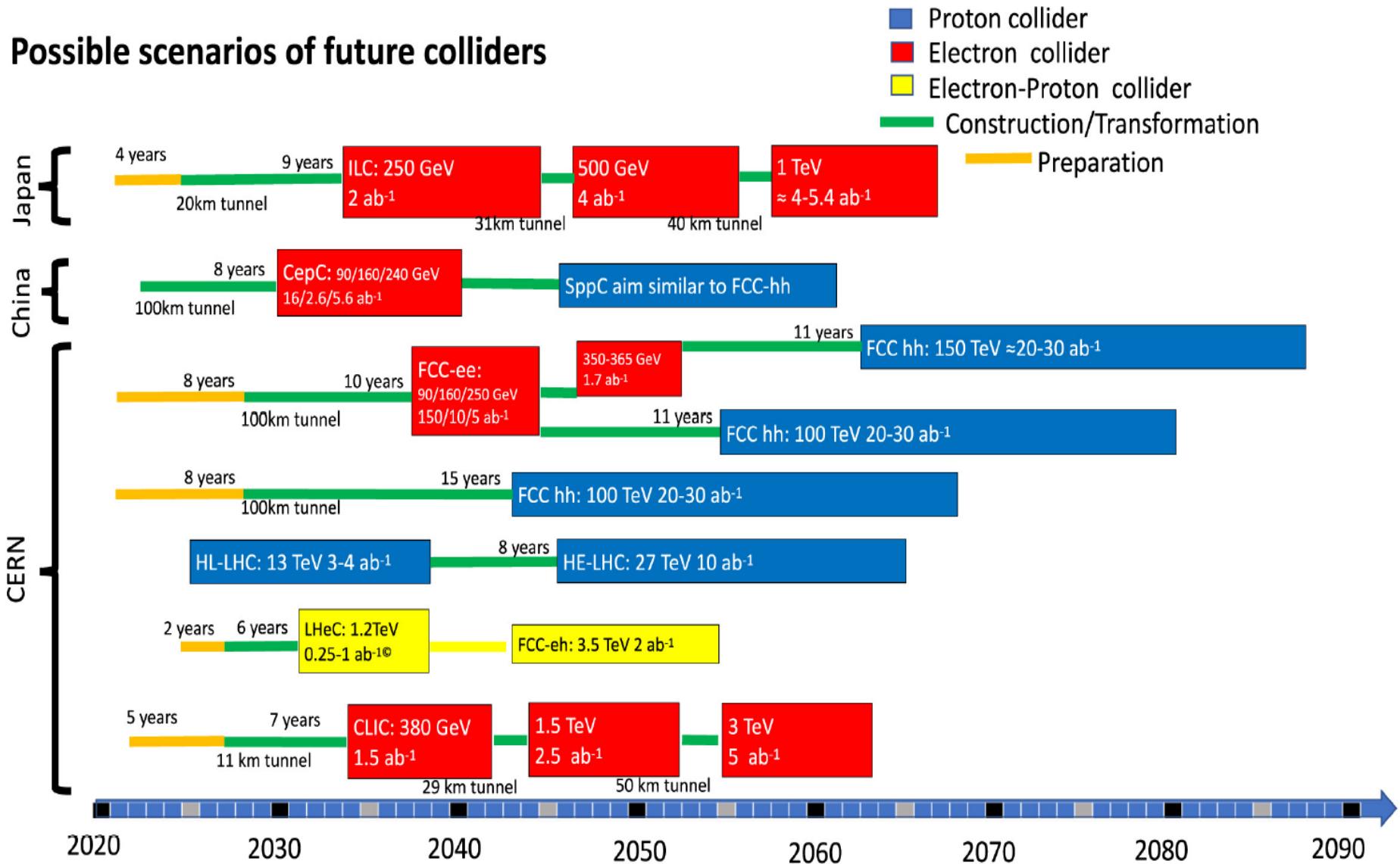
Parameter	Nominal	25ns – HL-LHC
Bunch population $N_b$ [ $10^{11}$ ]	1.15	2.2
Number of bunches	2808	2748
Beam current [A]	0.58	1.12
Crossing angle [ $\mu\text{rad}$ ]	300	590
Beam separation [ $\sigma$ ]	9.9	12.5
$\beta^*$ [m]	0.55	0.15
Normalized emittance $\varepsilon_n$ [ $\mu\text{m}$ ]	3.75	2.5
$\varepsilon_L$ [eVs]	2.51	2.51
Relative energy spread [ $10^{-4}$ ]	1.20	1.20
r.m.s. bunch length [m]	0.075	0.075
Virtual Luminosity (w/o CC) [ $10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ ]	1.2 (1.2)	21.3 (7.2)
Max. Luminosity [ $10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ ]	1	5.1
Levelled Pile-up/Pile-up density [evt. / evt./mm]	26/0.2	140/1.25

Aim for ~250  $\text{fb}^{-1}/y$

$\Delta Q_{bb} \sim -0.01$

# Scenarios for future colliders

## Possible scenarios of future colliders



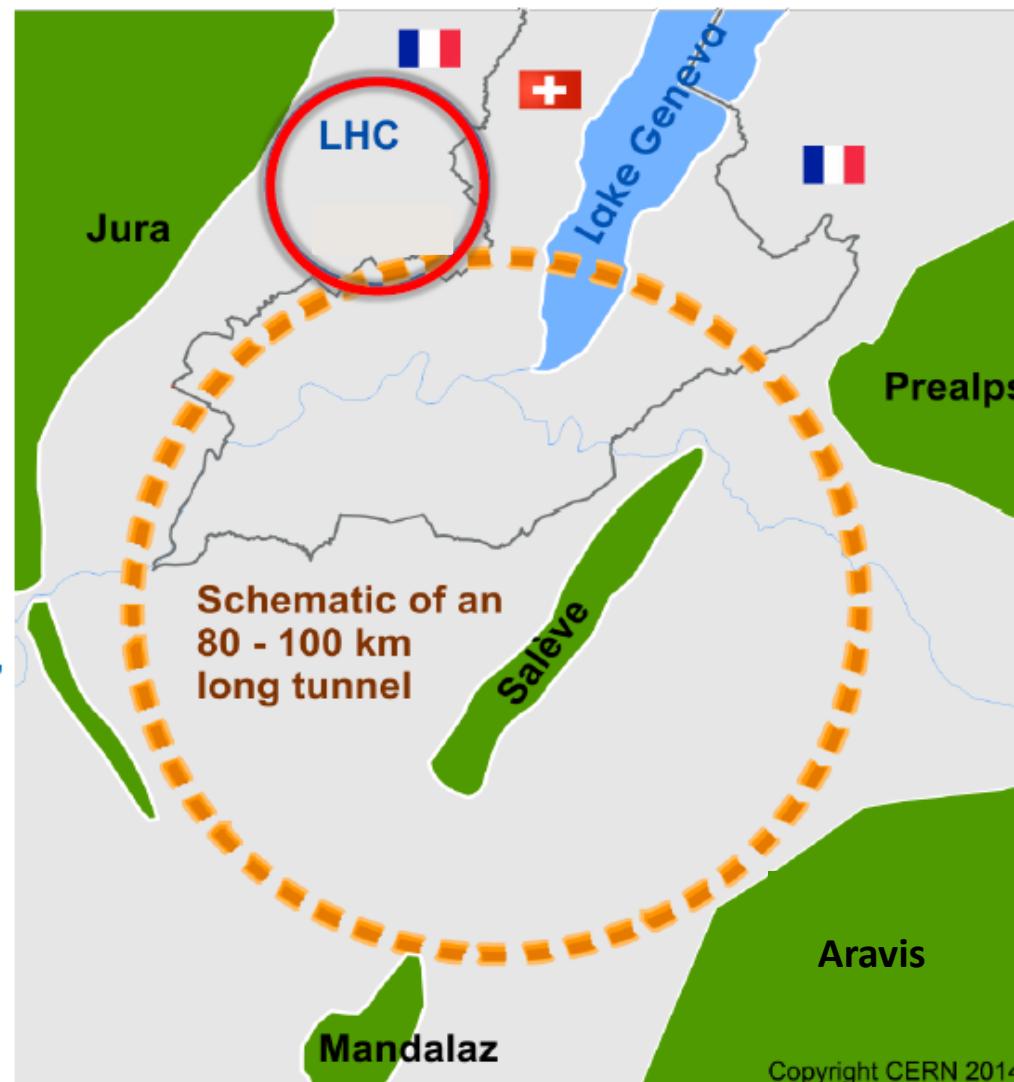
# Plans for FCC

international FCC collaboration (CERN as host lab) to design:

- **$p\bar{p}$ -collider (FCC-hh)**  
→ main emphasis, defining infrastructure requirements

**$\sim 16 \text{ T} \Rightarrow 100 \text{ TeV } p\bar{p}$  in 100 km**

- **80-100 km tunnel infrastructure** in Geneva area, site specific
- **$e^+e^-$  collider (FCC-ee),** as a possible first step
- **$p-e$  (FCC-he) option,** one IP, FCC-hh & ERL



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