SPS BLM MD 15-16 Nov 2006 results and 2007 MD proposal

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SPS Beam Conditions

- Coasting beam 270 GeV
 Type LHC2
 Intensity 4 bunches (1.1x10¹¹p⁺/bunch)
 RF ON
- LHC Collimator in LSS5 active

Available data

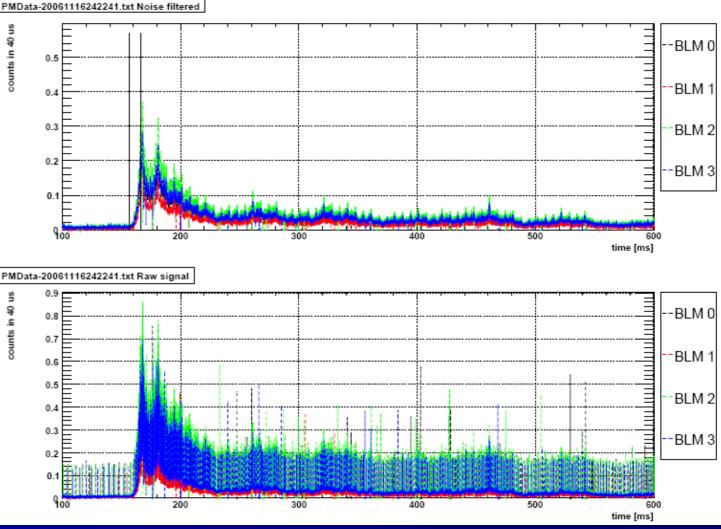
4 BLMIs installed downstream the collimator (~10m)

- 2 positions per jaw (motors) recorded
 - Single jaw moved (parallel displacement)

- 1.7s long <u>Post Mortem</u> triggered by collimator movement (40us integration time)
- 80 ms long <u>Collimation Logging</u> triggered by collimator movement (2.52 ms integration time)
- Peak of 12 <u>Running Sums</u> every second

Filtered + raw Post Mortem data

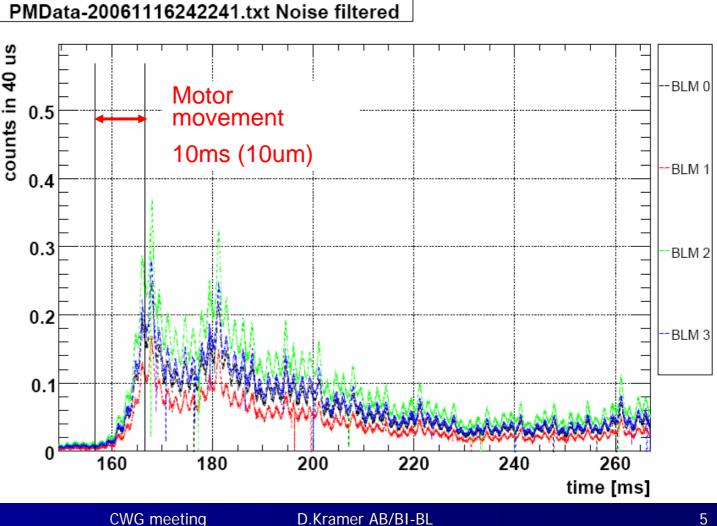
- 1 mm/s assumed for jaw speed
- Start @ trigger
 + 9ms
- CFC electronics introduces systematically additional counts
 - problem solved for the new version



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PM data zoom with jaw Start Stop marked

- **Offline filtering** does not change spectra (adapted for the specific CFC miscounting)
- Most visible ripple: 600Hz



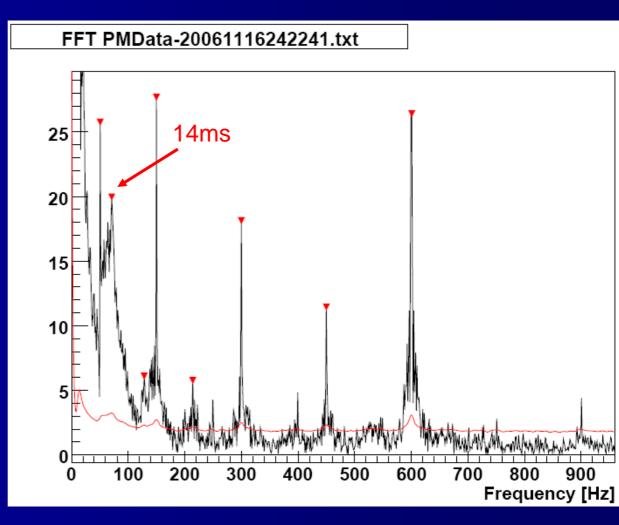
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FFT of the filtered PM data (previous plot) zoom

 Dominant frequencies from 3-phase Magnet Power Supplies

> - 50 150 300 450 600 Hz

 71 Hz from the jaw bending..? (tau = 14ms)



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Possible sources of the ripple

HV BLM power supply

– Low pass filter at the HV input to the BLM

Single phase PS (would not have 600Hz)

EMC into the BLM signal or HV cables

- Unlikely as not seen if no losses occur

Introduced by transverse beam oscillations

Sum of FFTs of relevant PM files

Sum of FFTs of PostM data 16/11/06 FFT [arb.units] 10 1 10⁻¹ 1000 2000 3000 4000 5000 6000 Frequency [Hz]

High frequency lines to be identified

- H & V tune + Qs
- Electronics chain effects

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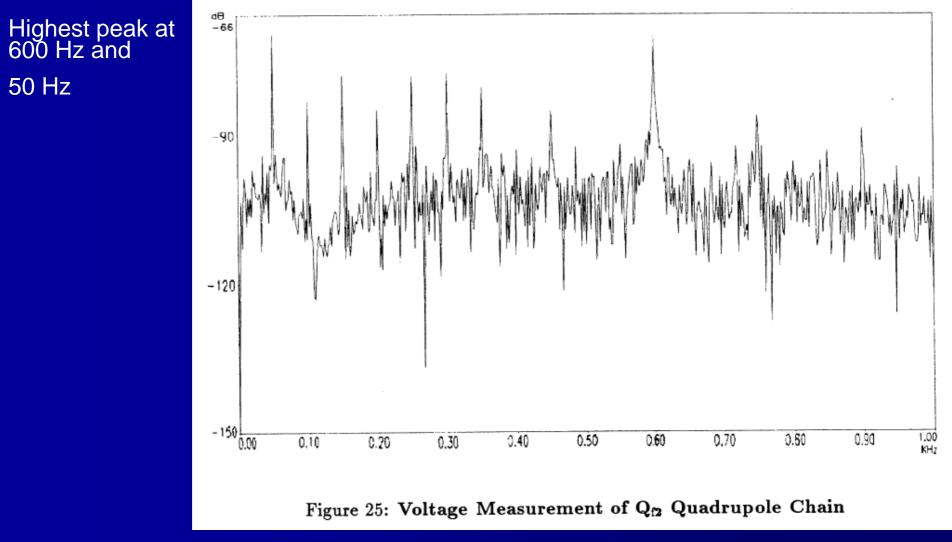
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Zoom of previous plot (sum over 32 collimator movements)

Sum of FFTs of PostM data 16/11/06 FT [arb.units] 10 1 10⁻¹ 200 300 400 500 600 700 800 100 900 Frequency [Hz]

Frequency spectra stable over ~2h time

FFT of Quadrupole voltage from "Power Supply Ripple Study at the SPS" (1994)



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SPS Horizontal tune ripple measurements (92 & 93)

- 200,500 and
 1000 Hz do not
 come from MPC
- 150,300,600 are also in the voltage spectra
- Inconsistency of the 150 Hz line in 1993

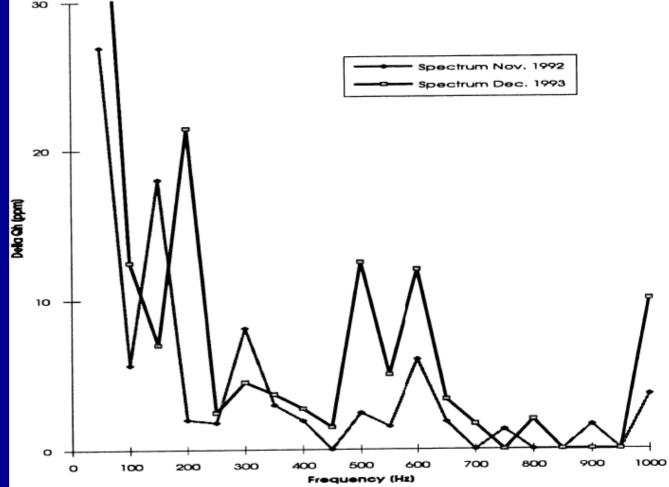
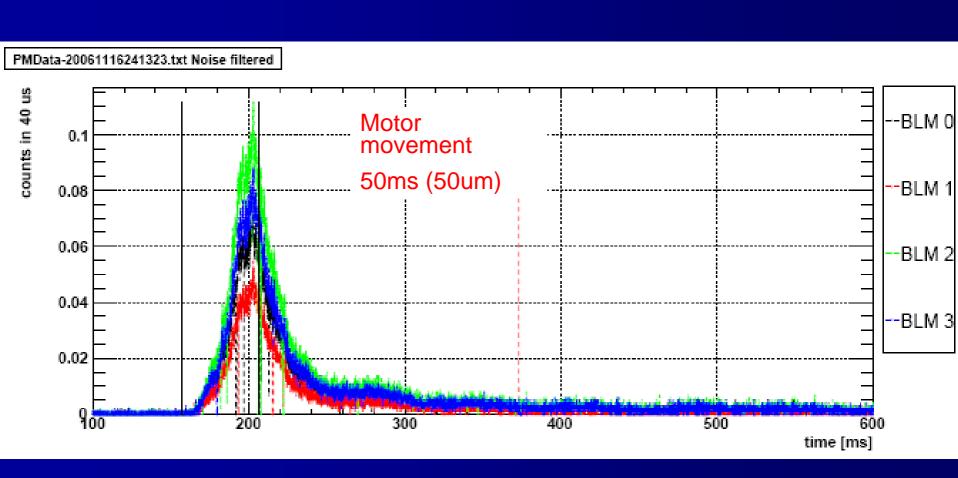


Figure 29: Comparison of Schottky Tune Ripple Measurements

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Example of longer jaw movement



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Collimation logging was verified by reproducing it from PM data

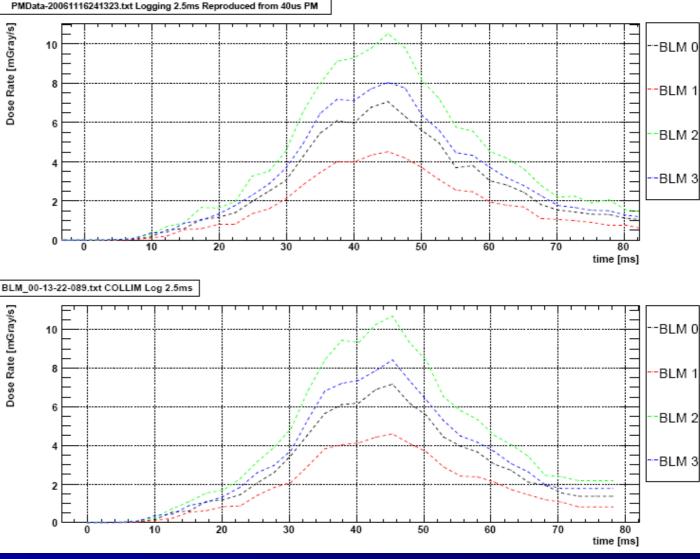
PM file timestamp: 00:13:23

Dose Rate [mGray/s]

Dose Rate [mGray/s]

Logging timestamp: 00:13:22

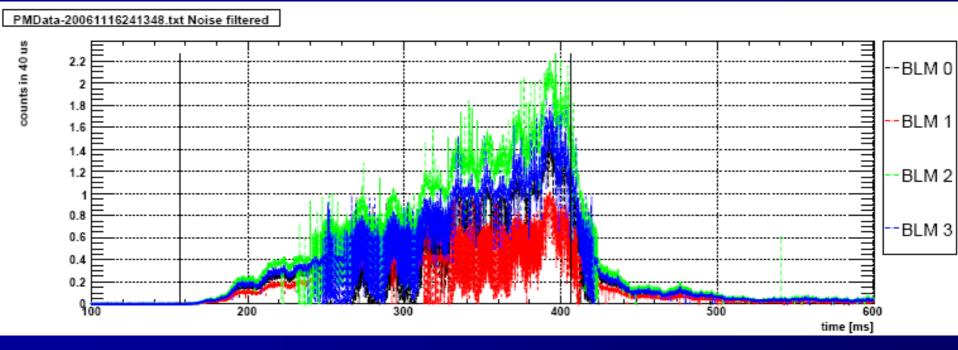
Standard offset of 1.7s?



Long jaw displacement

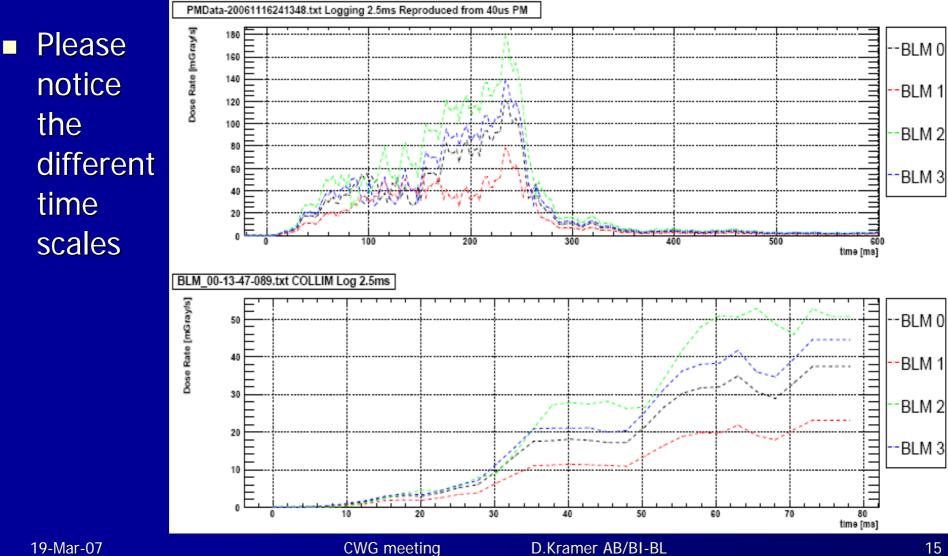
Nonlinear behavior at 1 count due to miscounting of the ADC in the CFC electronics

Jaw movement long compare to 80ms logging



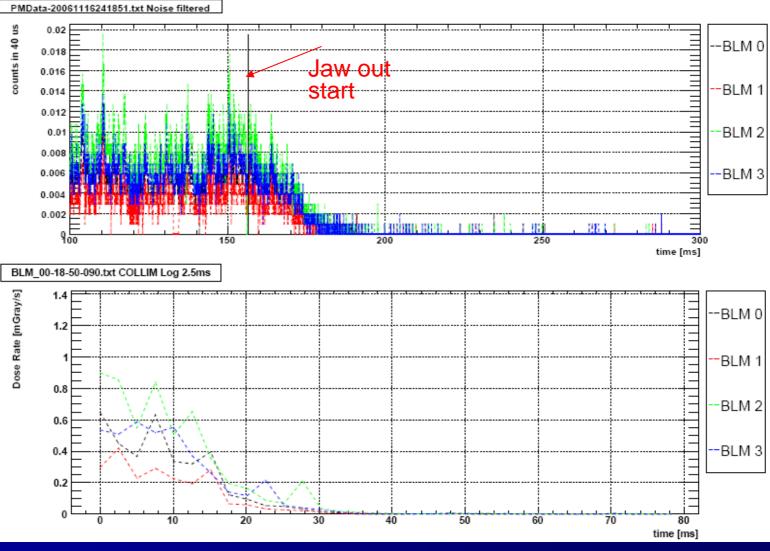
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Corresponding Logging data



Jaw move out of the beam

Please
 notice
 the
 different
 time
 scales



LSS5 MD request for 2007

Tests of the new electronics version

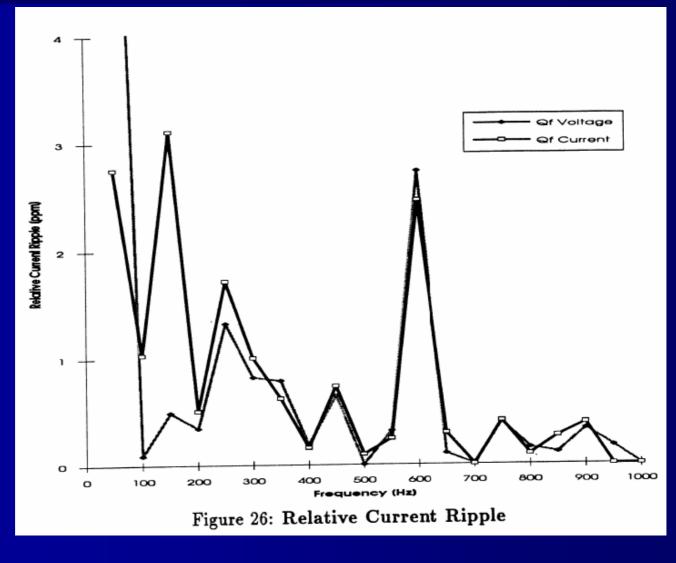
- Investigation of the beam loss signal oscillations (influence of RF, Transverse Damper, no HV Power Supply)
- Final prototype of SEM (BLMS) to be installed instead of 1 BLMI (next to the beam pipe)
- Optimization of the Collimation Data

Conclusions & remarks

80 ms Collimation logging might not be enough?

- Important horizontal beam oscillations possible cause for tail repopulation? (to be confirmed...)
- 2007 MD time for testing the SEM and firmware upgrade

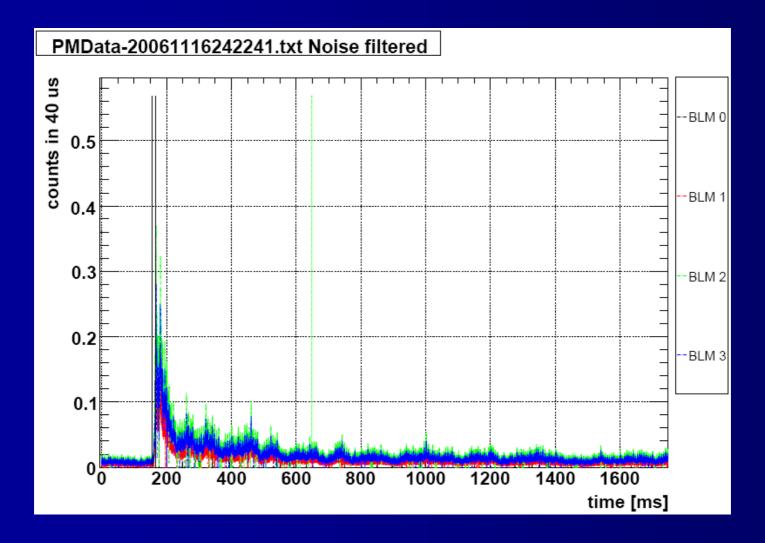
Spare plots: Measured Relative quadrupole current/voltage ripple in SPS 1993



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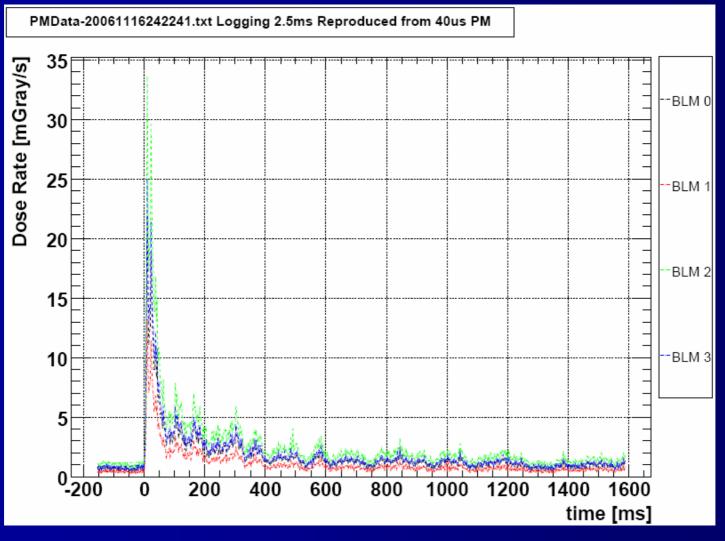
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0:22:41 full PM file length



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0:22:41 Logging reproduced from full PM file length



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