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Ions in particle accelerators

Their simulations and impact on the ecloud / gas densities of the LHC and future machines



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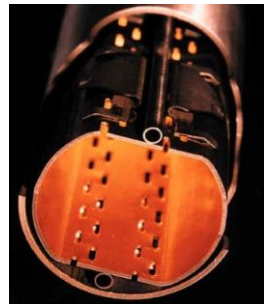
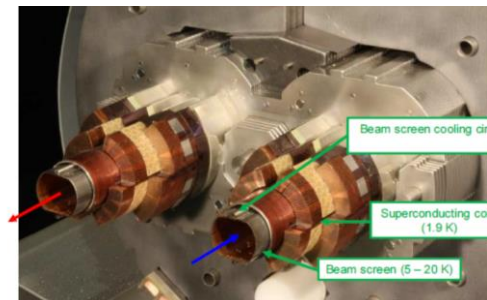
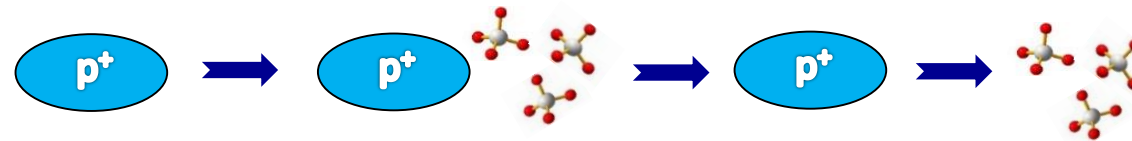
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Origin of ion production?

LHC

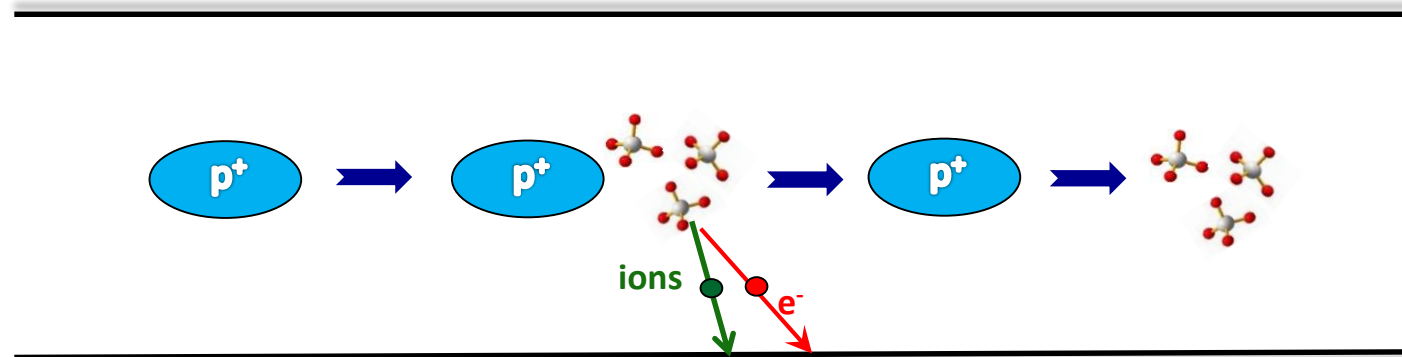




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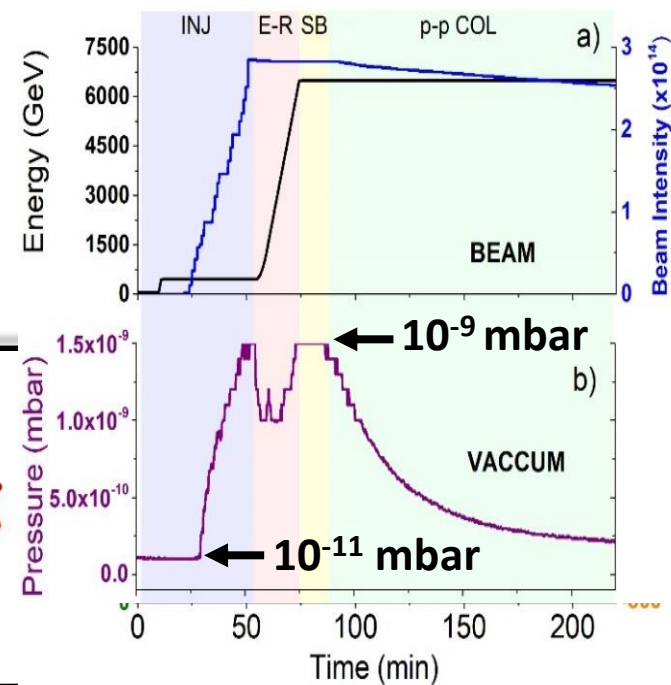
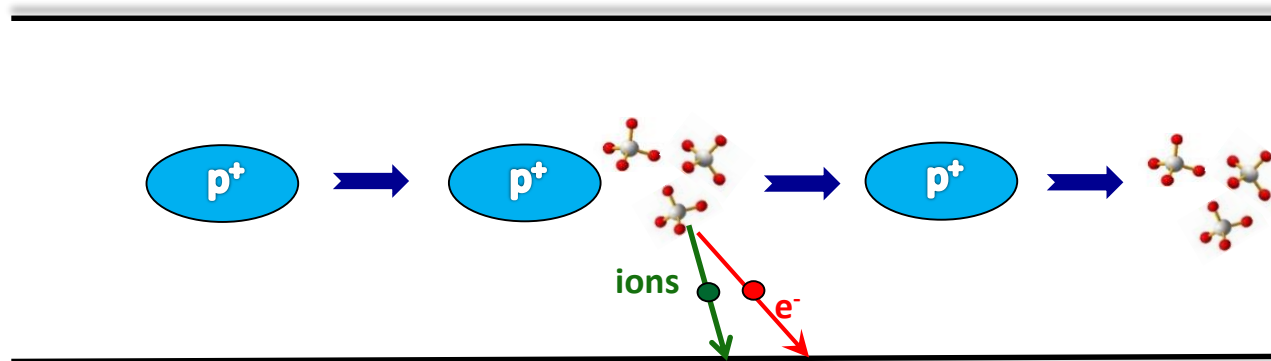




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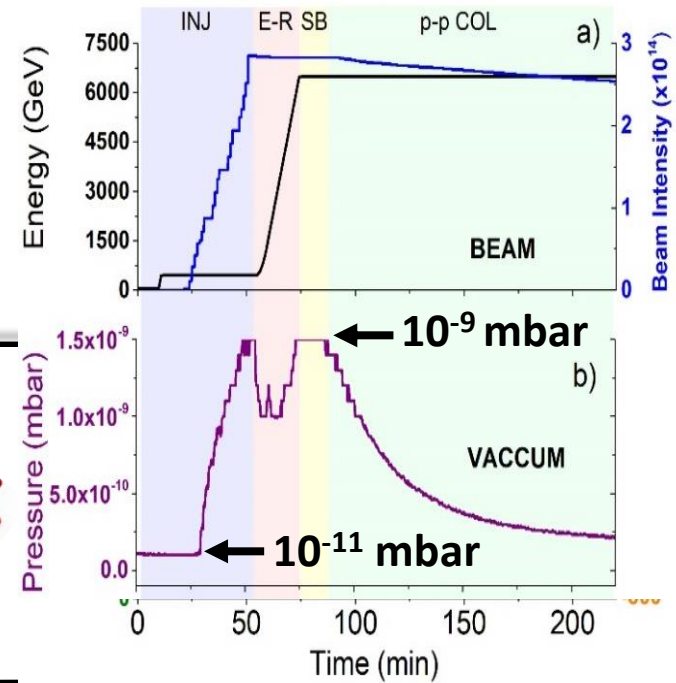
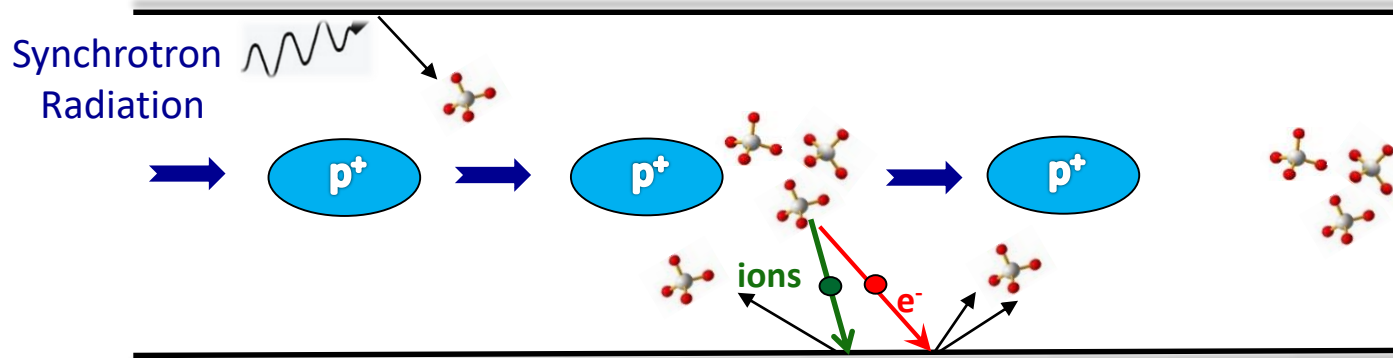
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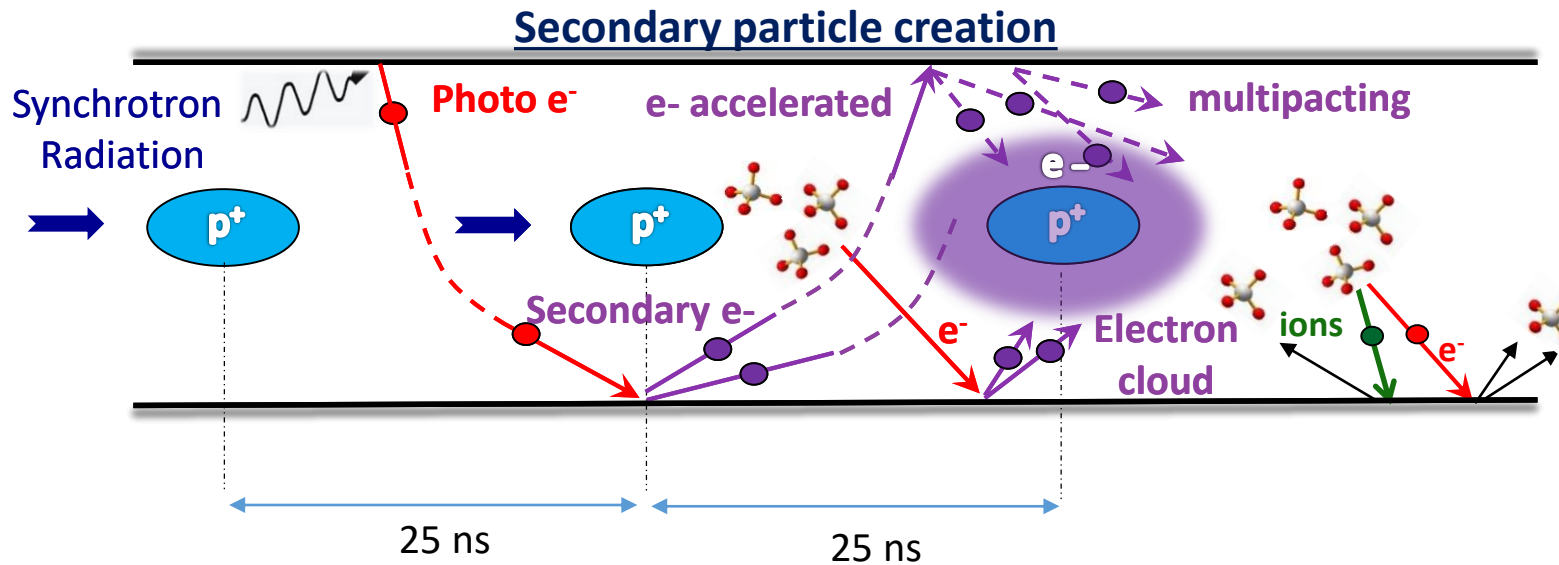
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e- / i+
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Increase of Stimulated Desorption + ionization of RG





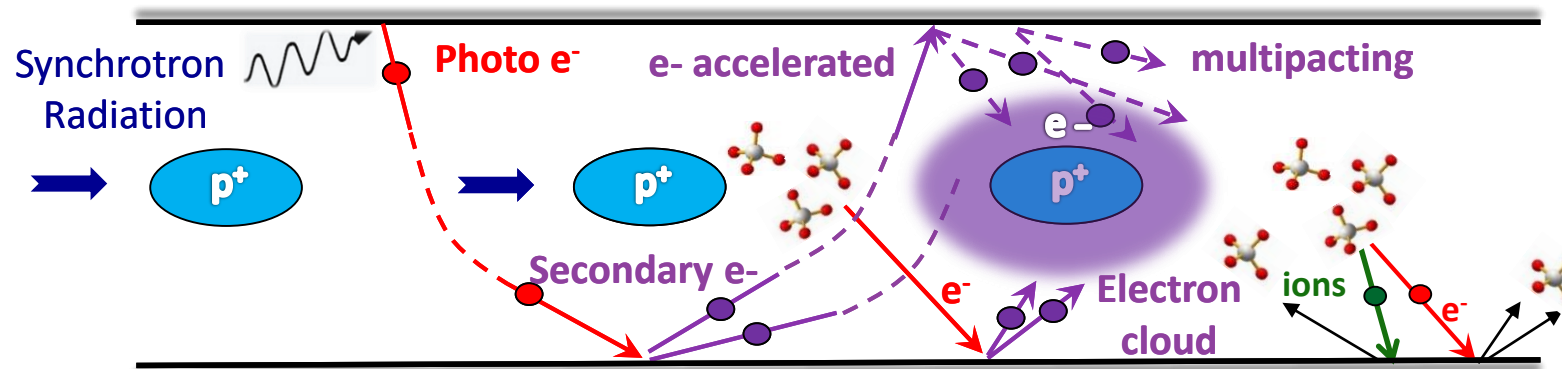
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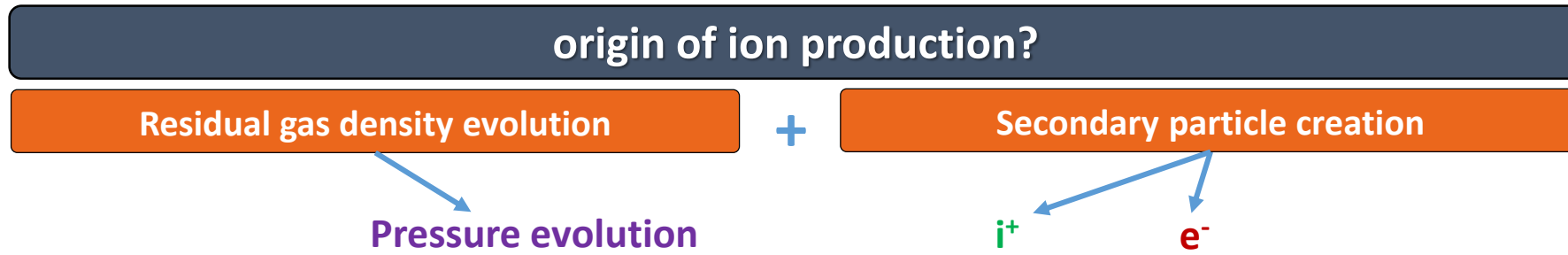
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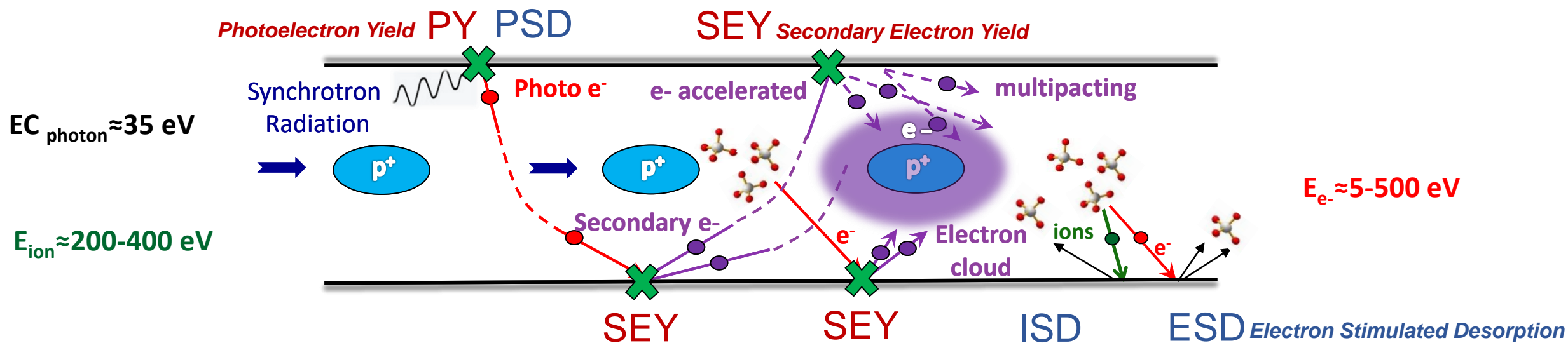
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For the LHC



main impact of ions: $ISD \rightarrow \eta_i > \eta_{e^-} > \eta_{ph}$

The goal of this study is to understand the role played by ions on pressure increase



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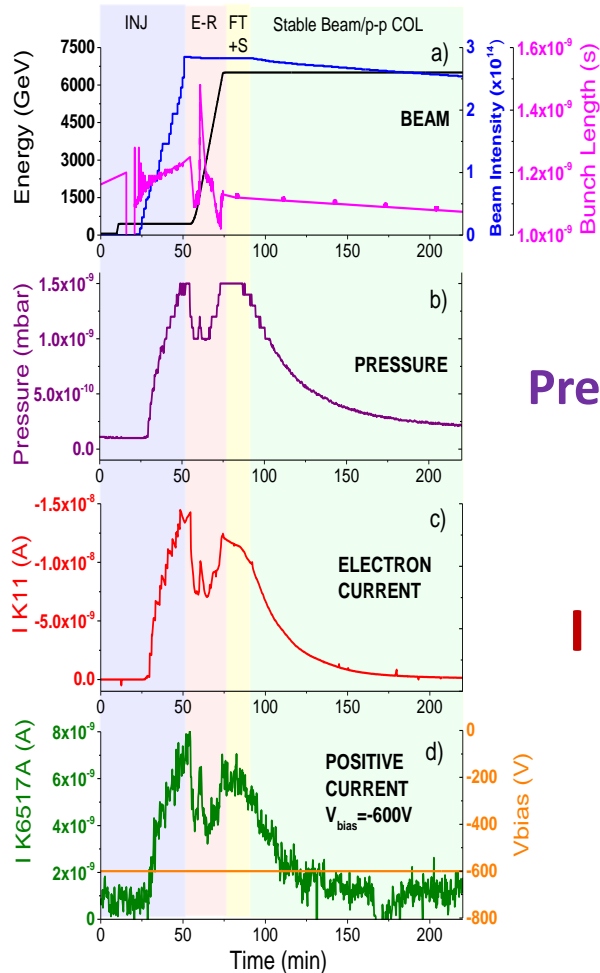
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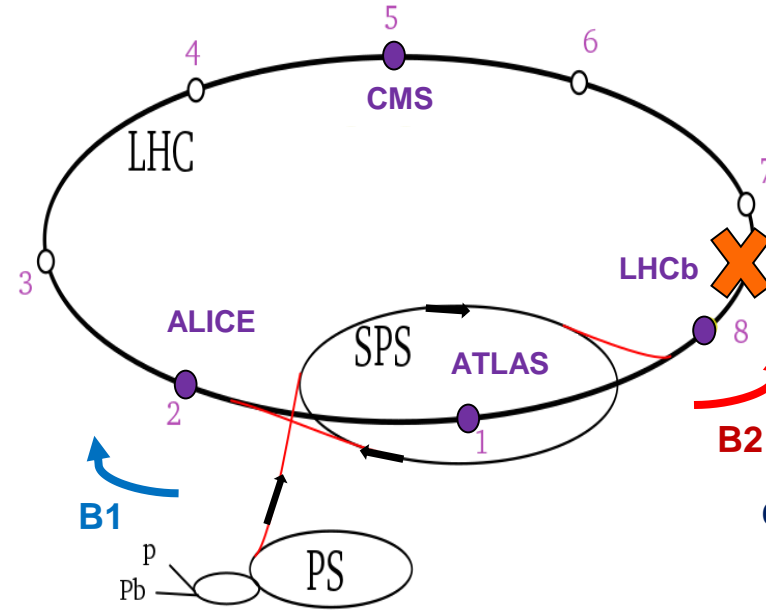
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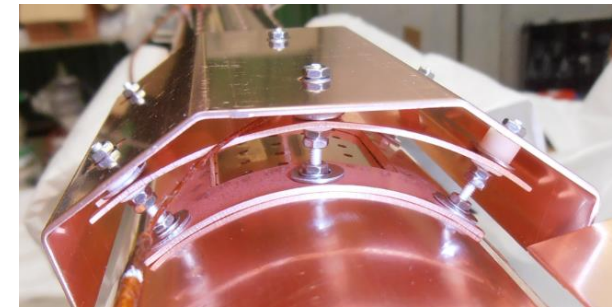
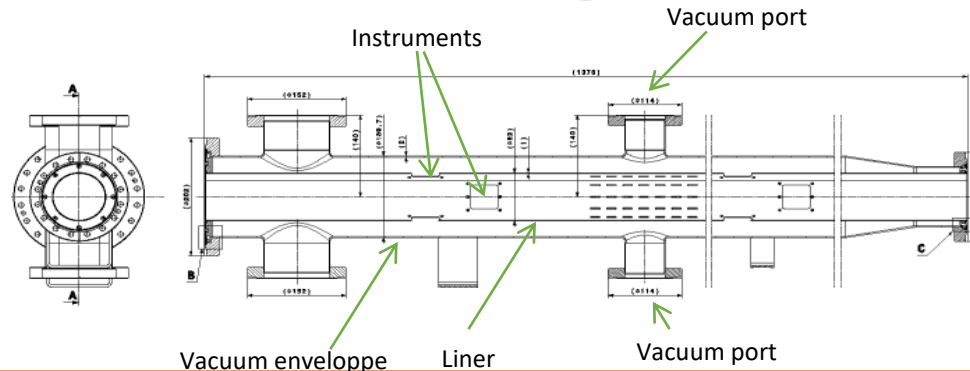
$$I = I_{e-}$$



VPS Conditions

- At room temperature
- In a straight section of LHC
- No magnetic field
- 80 mm diameter

Measurements performed on copper beam screen (station 4) B1



V. BAGLIN, meeting, CERN, 5th Dec. 2017



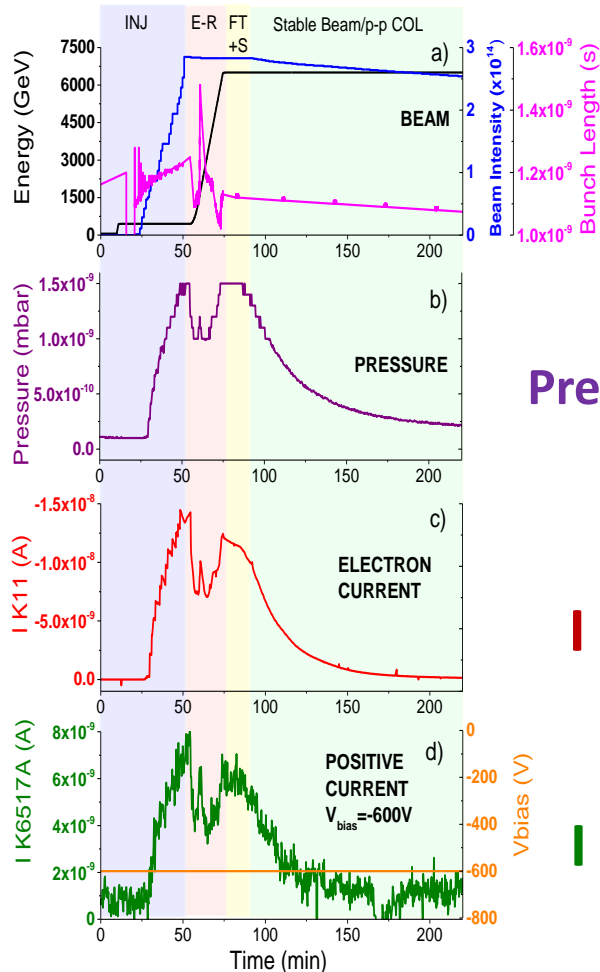
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$$I = I_{e-} \quad V_{\text{bias}} = +9V$$

$$I = I_{\text{ion}} + I_{e-(E > V_{\text{bias}})} + I_{SE} \quad V_{\text{bias}} = -600V \quad \leftarrow \text{ions?}$$



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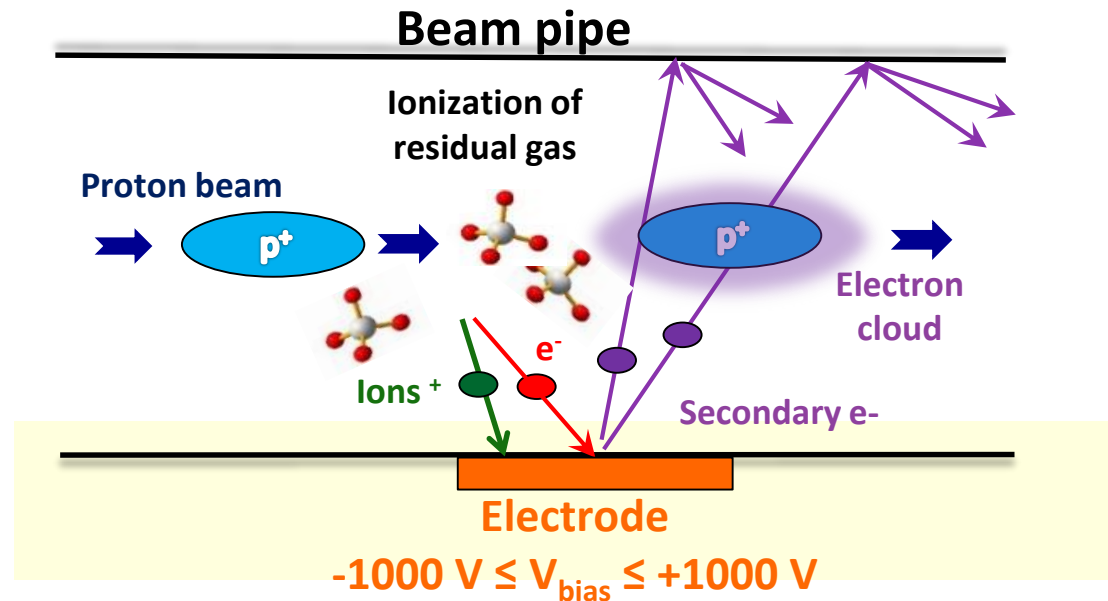
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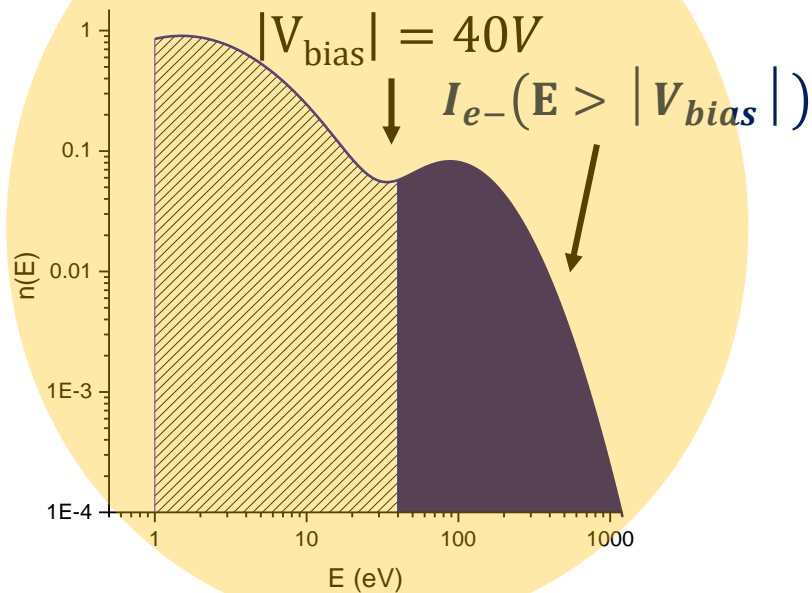
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To discriminate the contribution of e⁻ to ions, we compare the **exp measurement vs calculated current** only due to an e⁻ contribution for different bias applied on the electrode.

I_{e^-}

Depends on e⁻ energy spectrum



Experimental Data from Elena Buratin, 2015, CERN

$$I_{+ \text{ due to } e^-}(E_{e^-}, V_{bias}) = I_{e^-} + I_{SE}$$

$$= I_{e^-} [1 - SEY]$$

Calculated current induced by e⁻ = e⁻ contribution using **experimental data of the e⁻ energy spectrum** and **calculated Cu SEY**.



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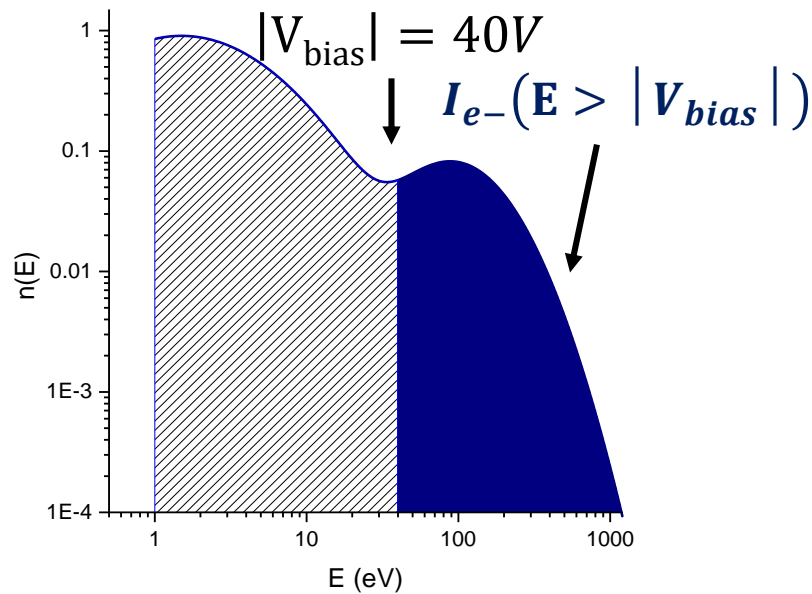
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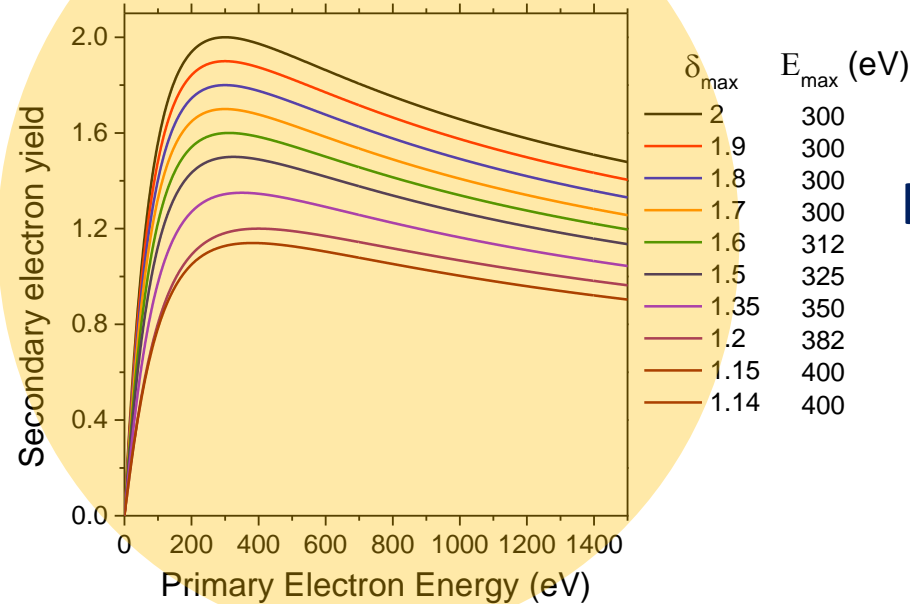
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Calculated Data using $s=1.35$ for LHC Forman CERN

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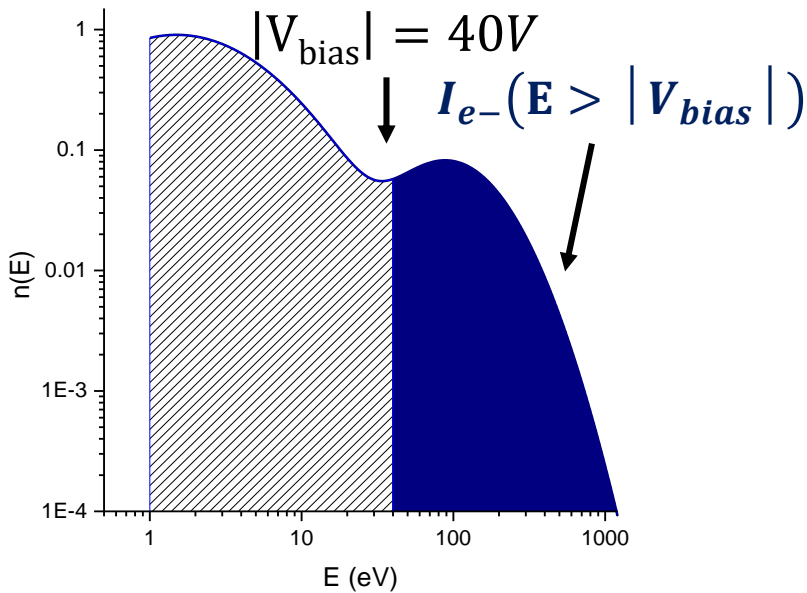
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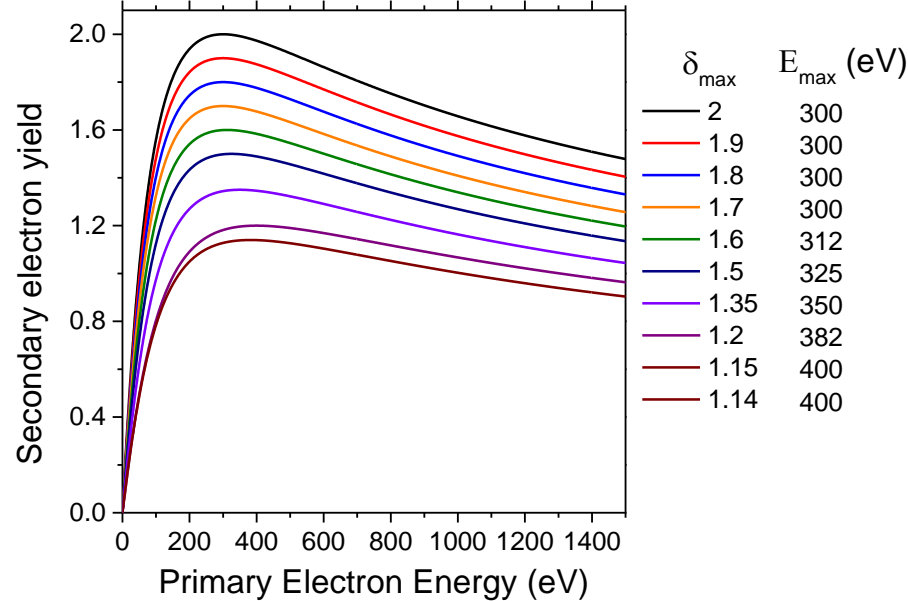
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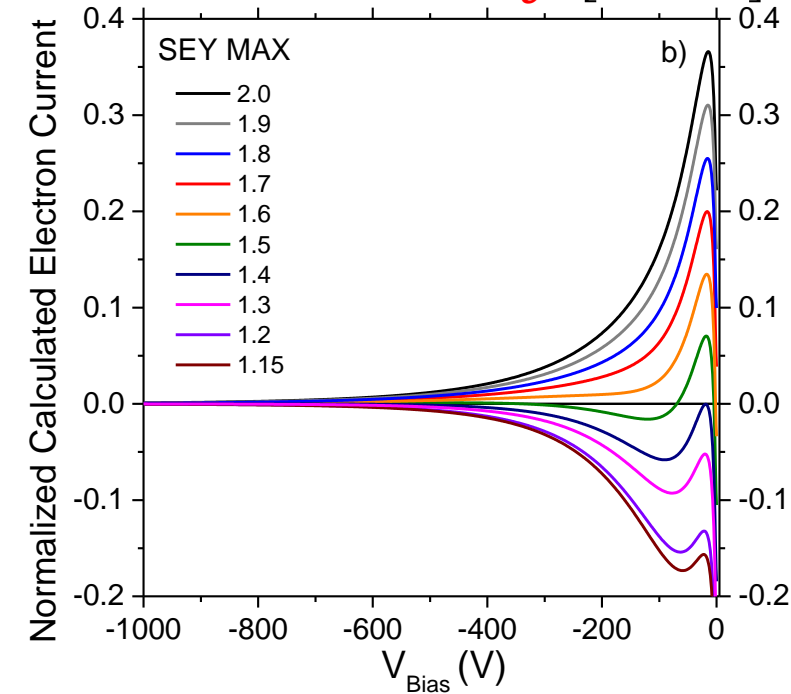


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e^- contribution to I_+ as a function of V_{bias} calculated for several SEY



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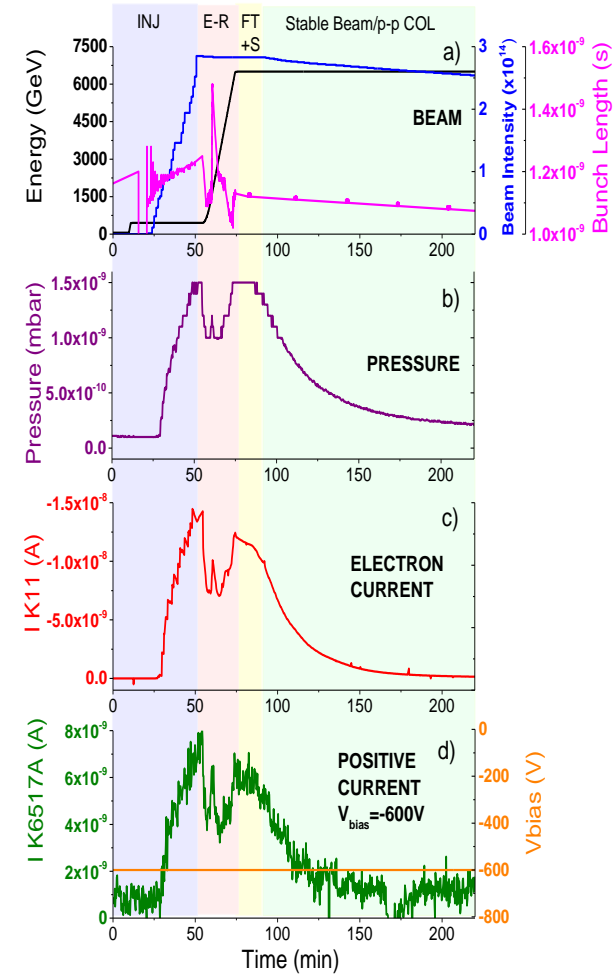
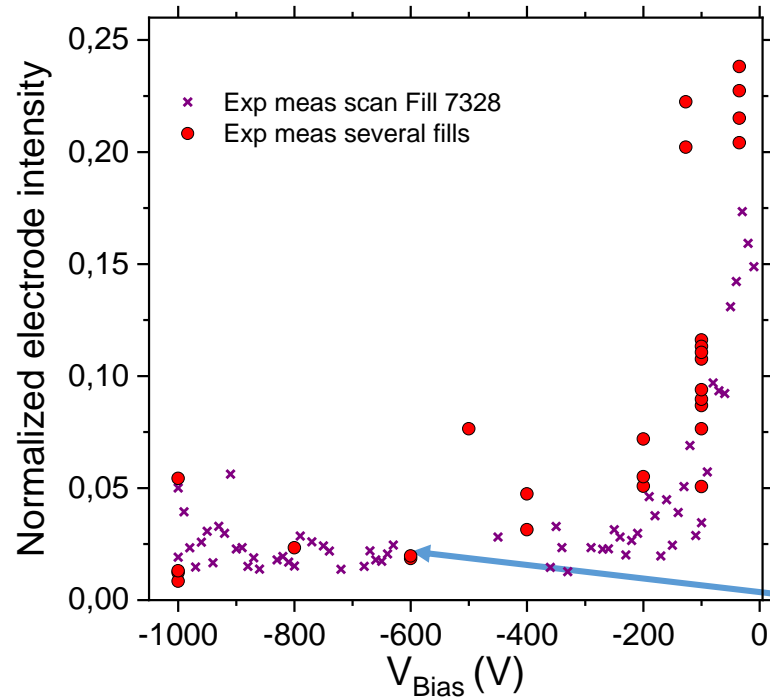
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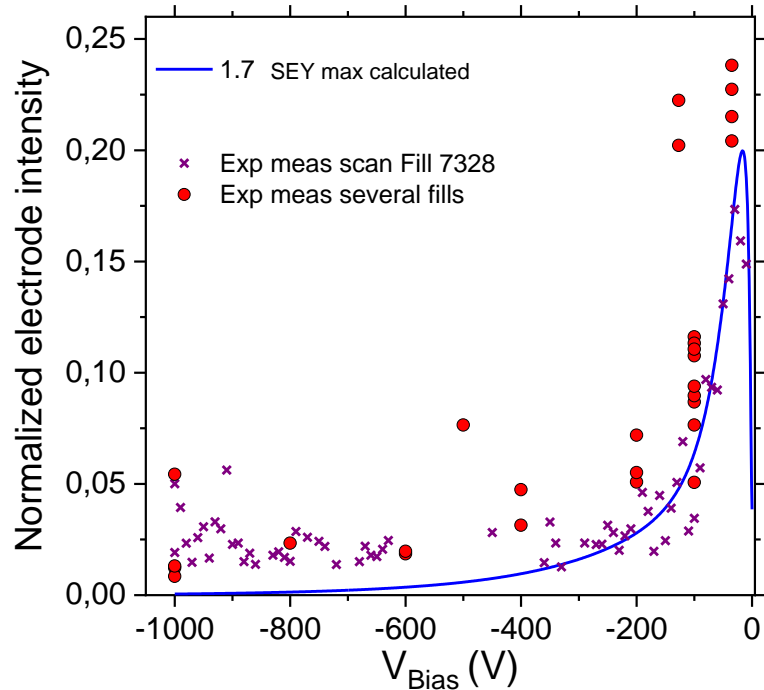
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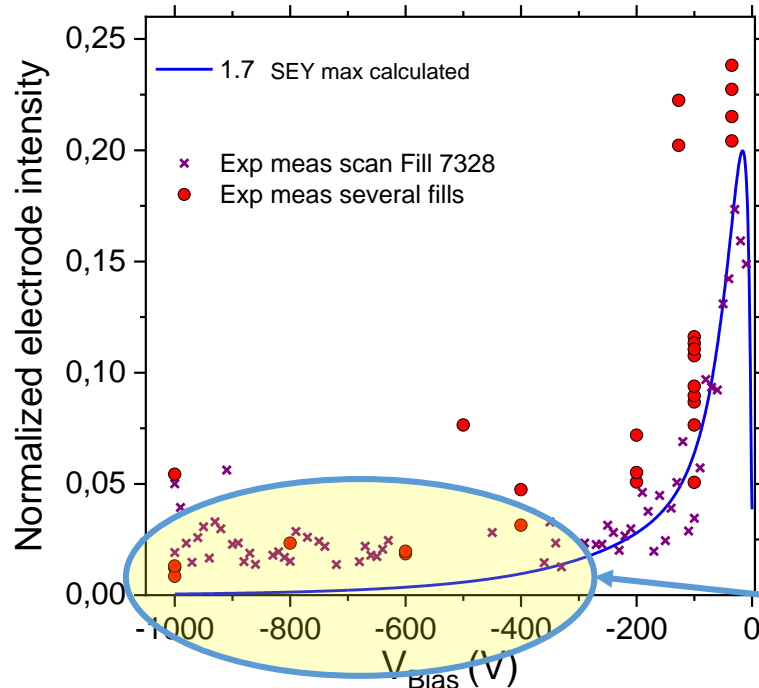
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$$I_{+ \text{ due to } e^-} (E_{e^-}, V_{\text{bias}}) = I_{e^-} + I_{SE}$$

Contribution of SE predominates for the lowest values of $|V|$ but disagreement occurs for the highest $|V|$



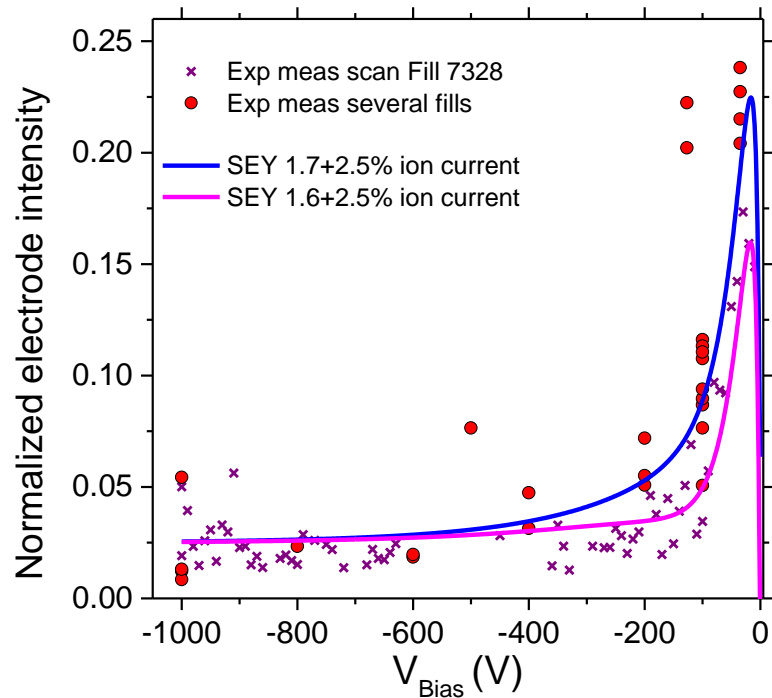
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To match experimental data it is necessary to add an ion contribution:

- calculated current due to e- contribution + 2.5 % of ion for an SEY of 1.7
- calculated current due to e- contribution + 2.5 % of ion for an SEY of 1.6

$$I = I_{ion} + I_{e-} + I_{SE}$$

Experimental measurements show that the amount of ions represents 2.5% of the electronic current in the VPS



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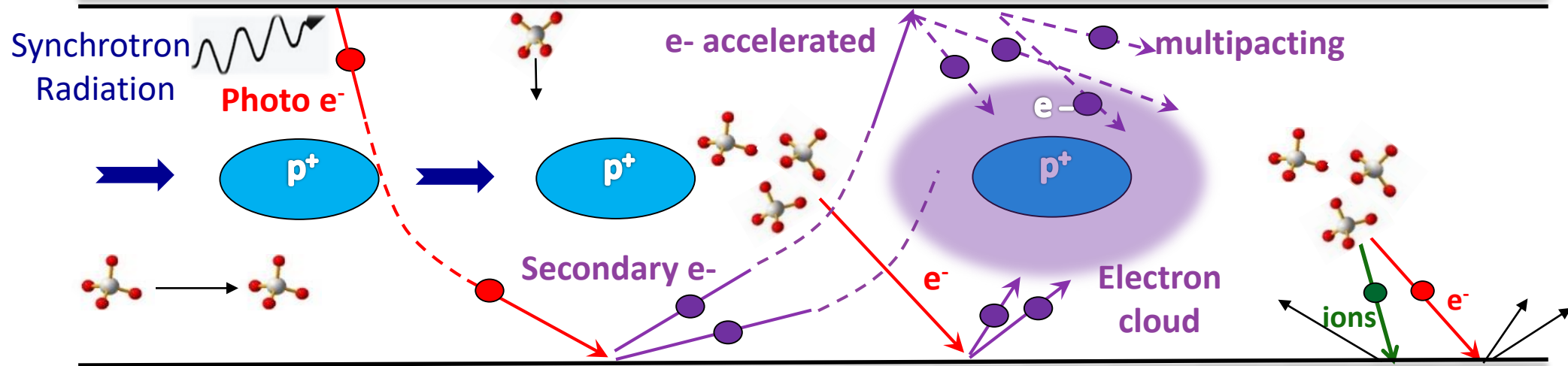
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DYVACS is based on the gas balance differential equation (VASCO)

It is used to compute the gas density n_j

for $j = H_2, CH_4, CO, CO_2$

Boundary conditions: continuity of flux and pressure between each segment



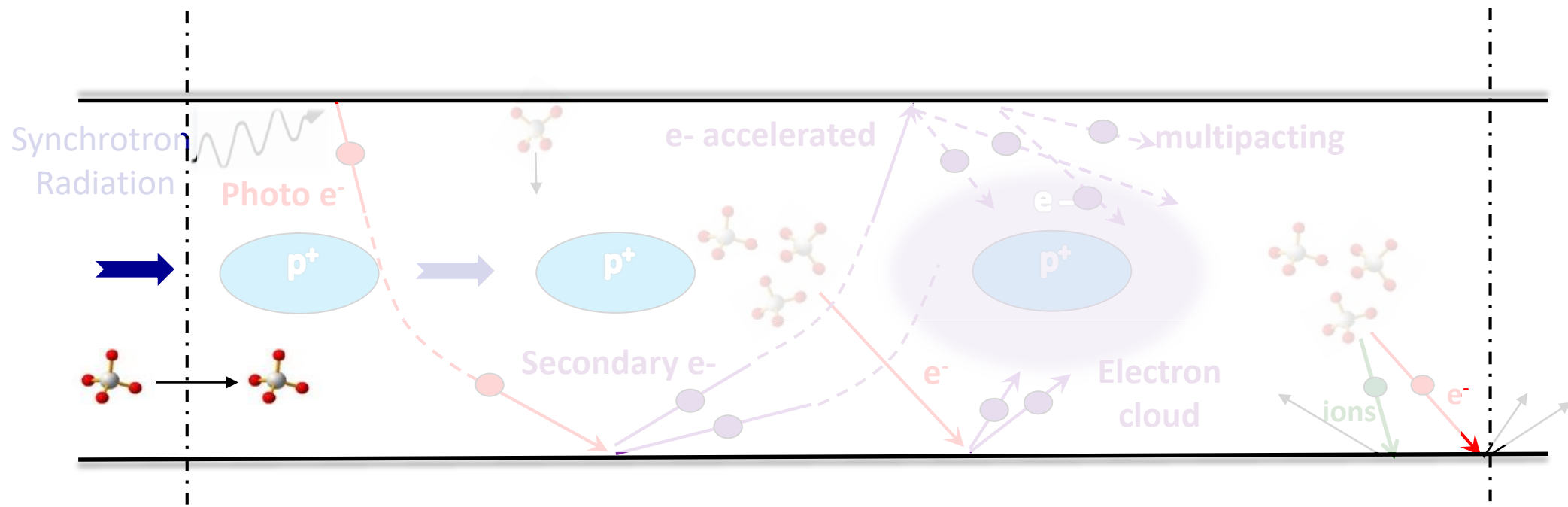


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C_j is the specific conductance for j gas species



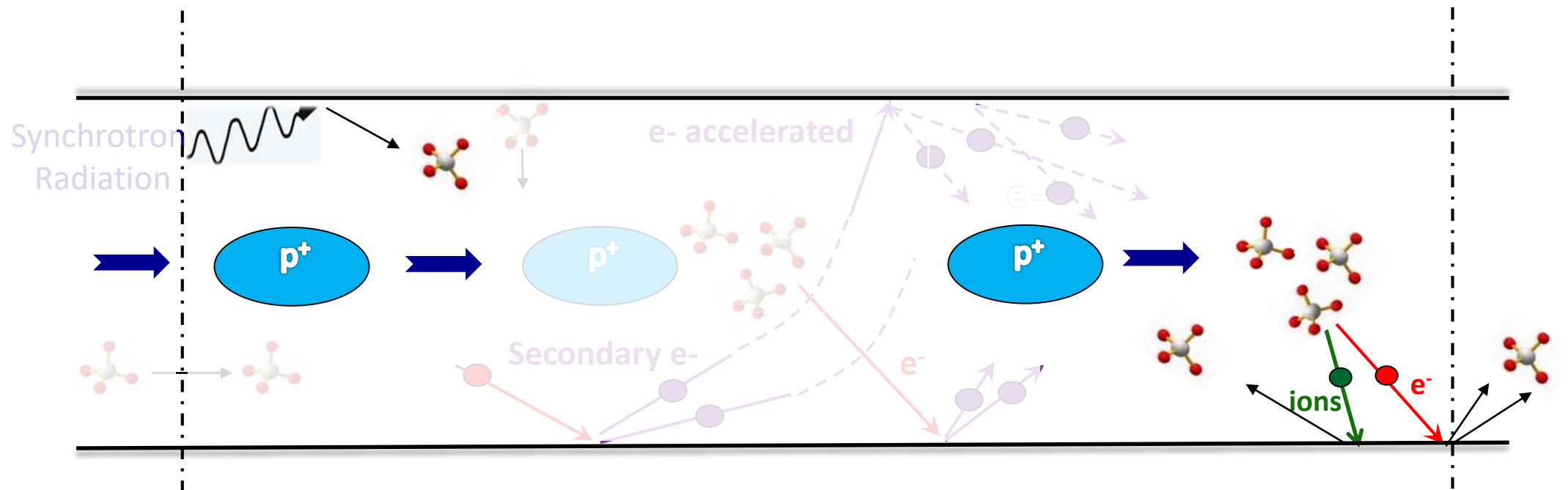
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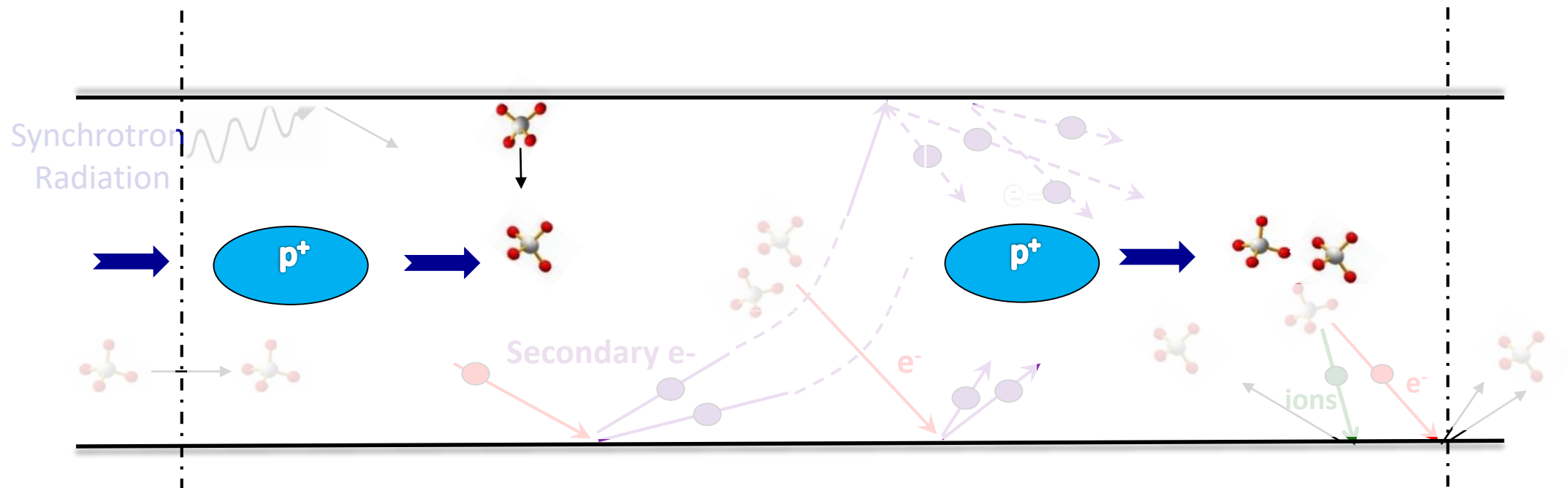
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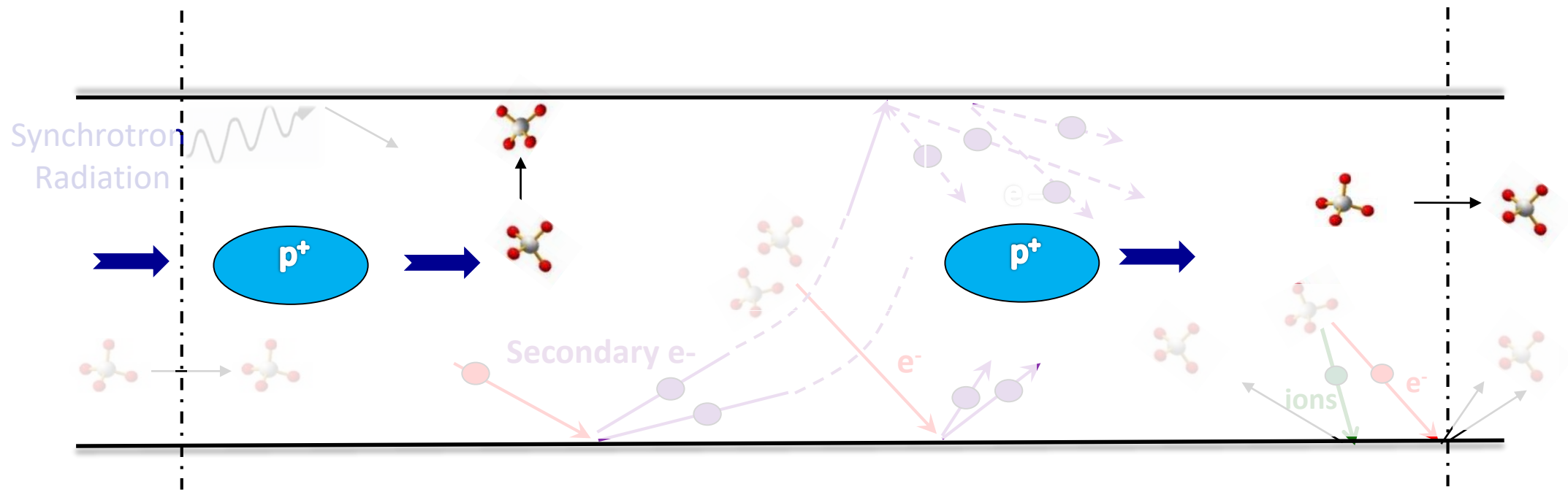


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S is the wall distributed pumping speed for each gas.



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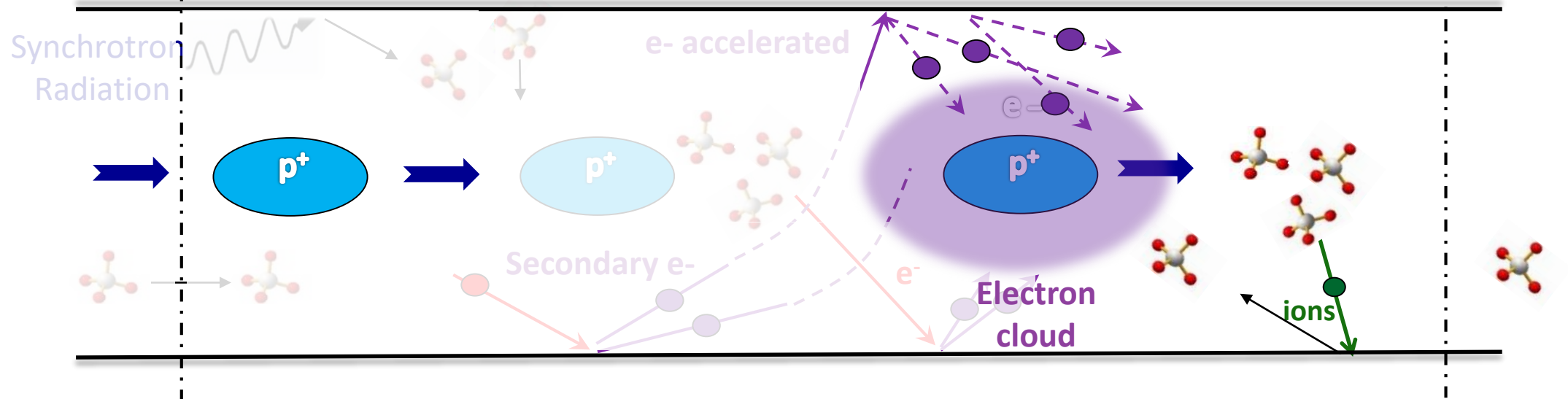
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Residual gas ionization

by the p beam by the EC

$$D_{ion-j} = \sum_{i=1}^4 \eta_{ion-i \rightarrow j} \left(\sigma_{p \rightarrow i} \cdot \frac{I_{beam}}{e} + \sigma_{e \rightarrow i} \cdot \rho_e \cdot v_e \right) n_i \quad \text{for } i = H_2, CH_4, CO, CO_2$$



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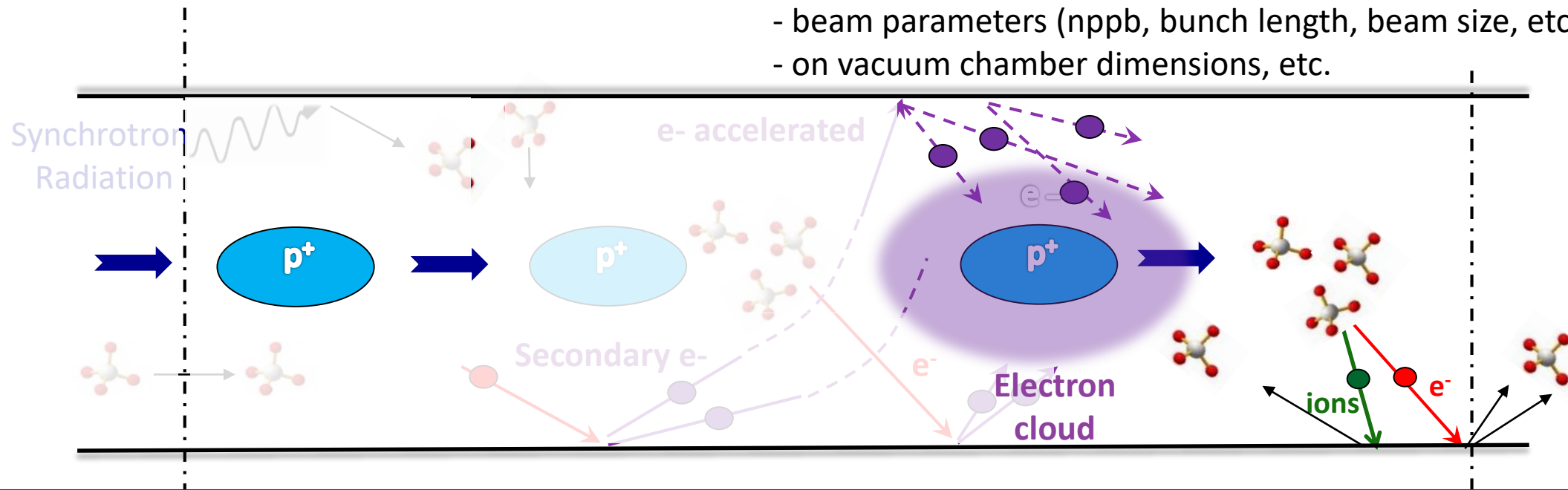
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$$D_{e,j} = \eta_{e,j} \Gamma_e \longrightarrow * \Gamma_e \text{ EC density computed with « the map model »}$$

T. Demma *et al.* Model

Γ_e depends on : - SEY (surface properties) ,
- beam parameters (nppb, bunch length, beam size, etc.) and
- on vacuum chamber dimensions, etc.



Inputs: $C_j, \eta_{i,j}, \eta_{e,j}, \eta_{ph,j}, \Gamma_i, \Gamma_e, \Gamma_{ph}, q_{th,j}, S_j, \sigma_{p \rightarrow i}, \sigma_{e \rightarrow i}, I_{beam}, \rho_e, v_e, a, b, c$, size of the segment, radius BP, E_{beam} , time of one turn, etc.



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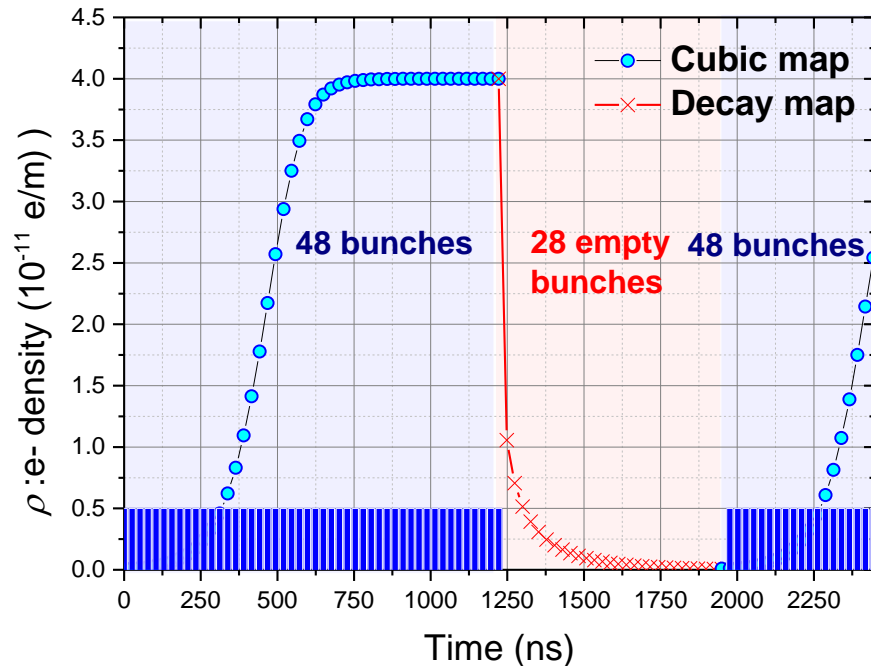
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$$\rho_{m+1} = a\rho_m + b\rho_m^2 + c\rho_m^3$$

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→ ρ_m (10^{11} e-/m): EC density/meter after the m^{th} passage of bunch



Electron density for a nominal LHC fill using 48 bunches followed by 28 empty bunches for the decay

a: linear coefficient

- used to determine the e- gain from one bunch to another.
- a depends strongly on the SEY.

b: quadratic term

- considers the equilibrium density (plateau) of the EC.
- b depends on beam parameters (nppb, bunch length, beam size, etc.) and on vacuum chamber dimensions.

c: cubic term

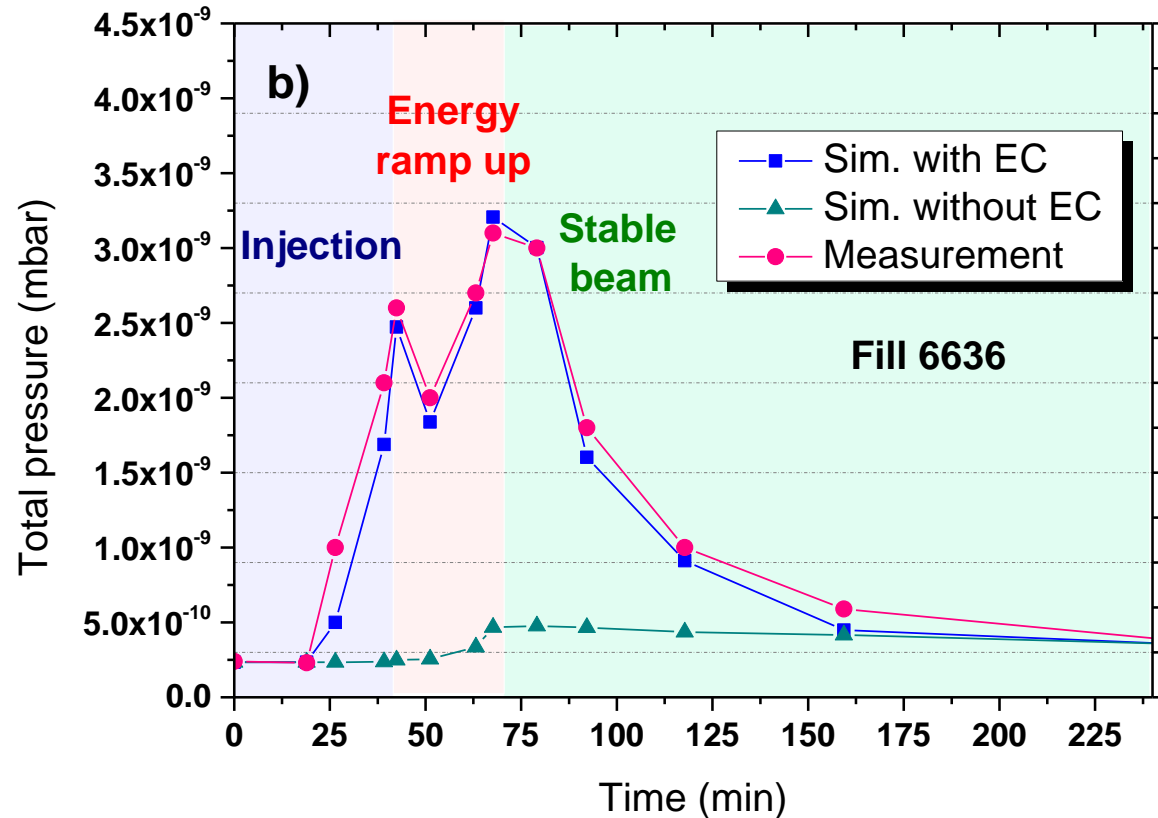
- corresponds to a minor correction factor and C=0 for our simulations.



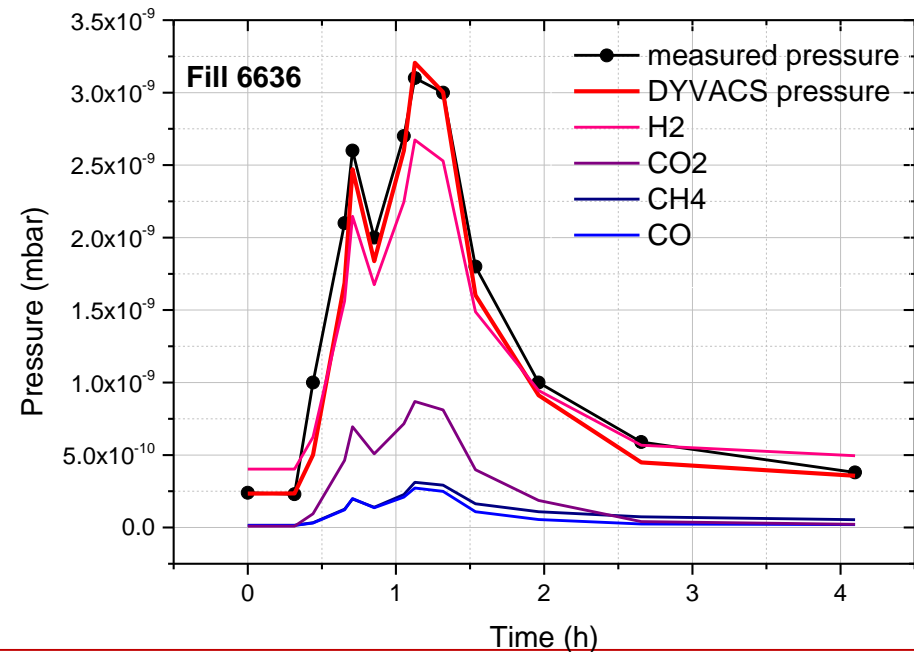
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Comparison between *in situ* measurements in the LHC and the DYVACS simulation

For $a=1,4$ ($SEY=1,6$); $b=[0; -5]$ variation of the b factor by DYVACS; $c=0$



Contribution of each gas to the total pressure

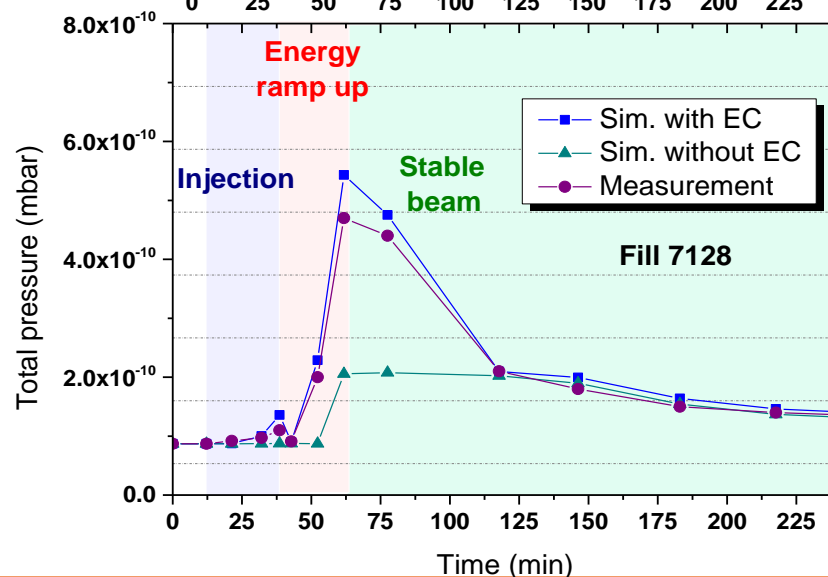
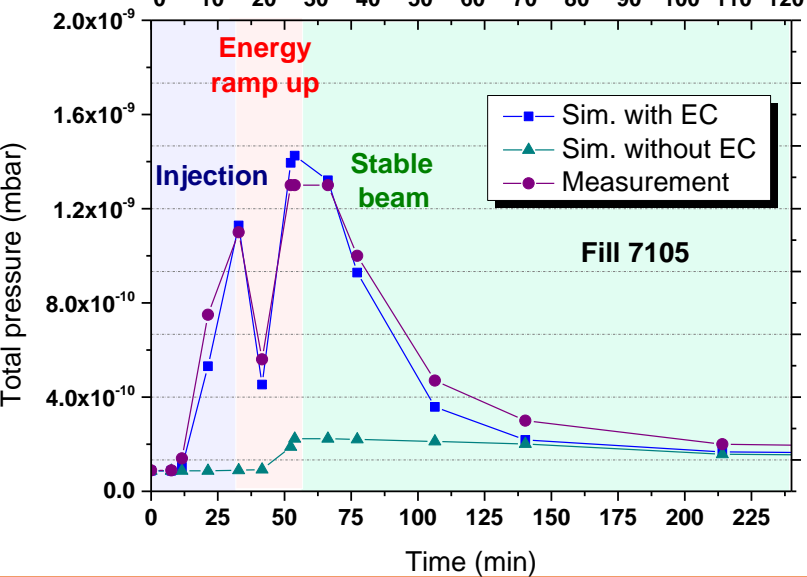
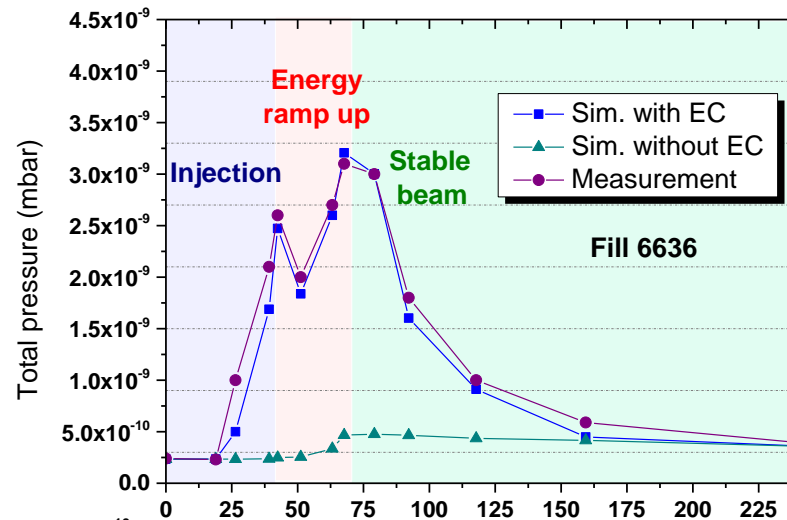
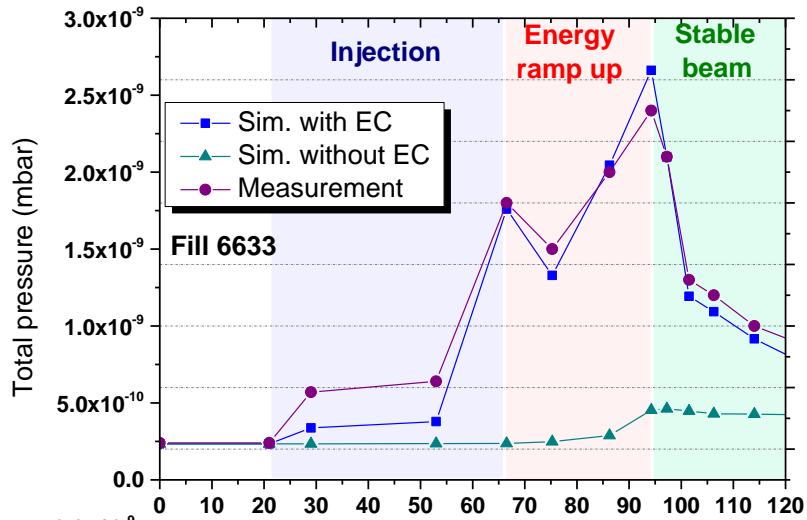


A good agreement was observed in a short computation time, between the *in situ* pressure measurements and DYVACS simulation



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Pressure time evolution measurements vs DYVACS simulations



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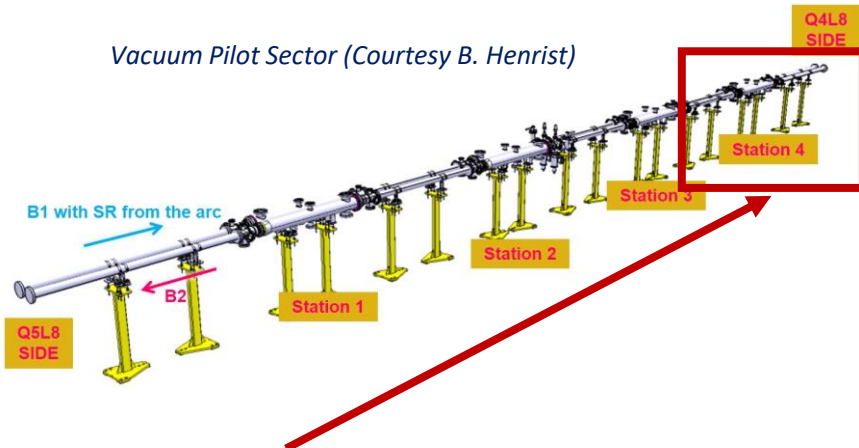
Same ESD, PSD and ISD used.
a fixed for a constant SEY
b is computed as a function of nppb.

All calculations reproduce with
a good agreement the in situ
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in station 4 (unbaked copper)
of VPS in the LHC.



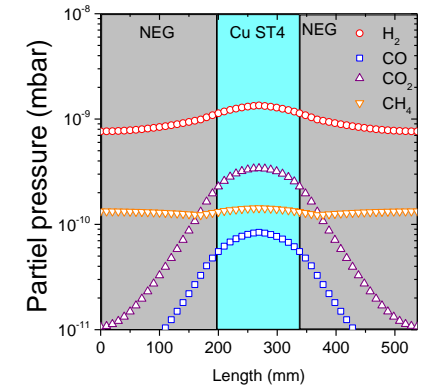
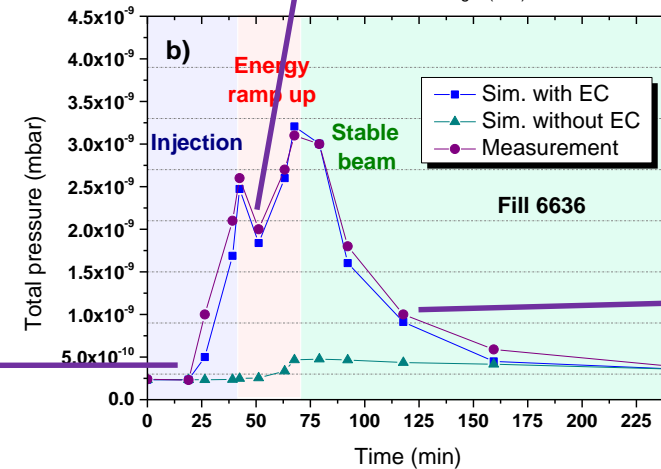
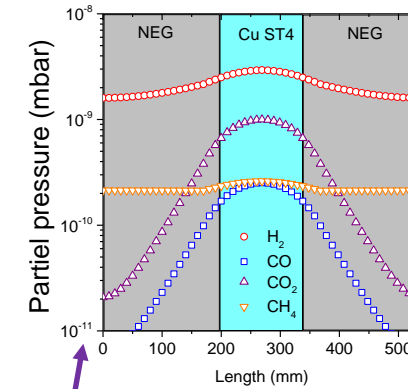
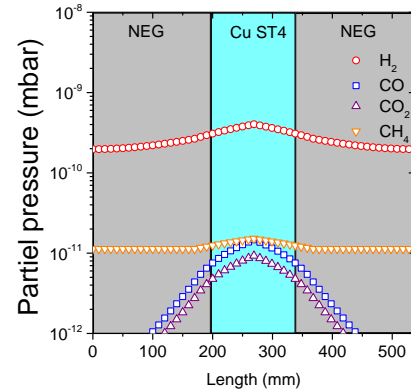
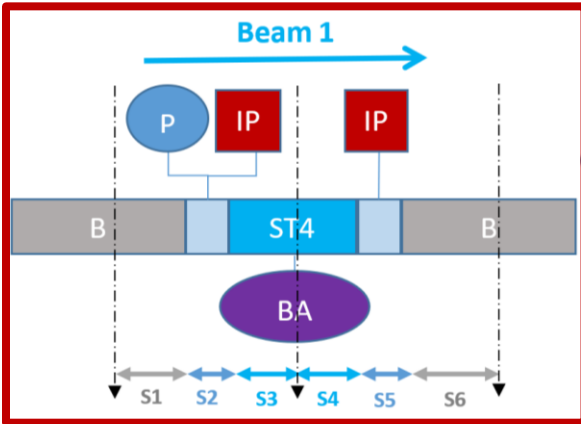
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Distribution of partial pressures along the pipe



Vacuum Pilot Sector (Courtesy B. Henrist)

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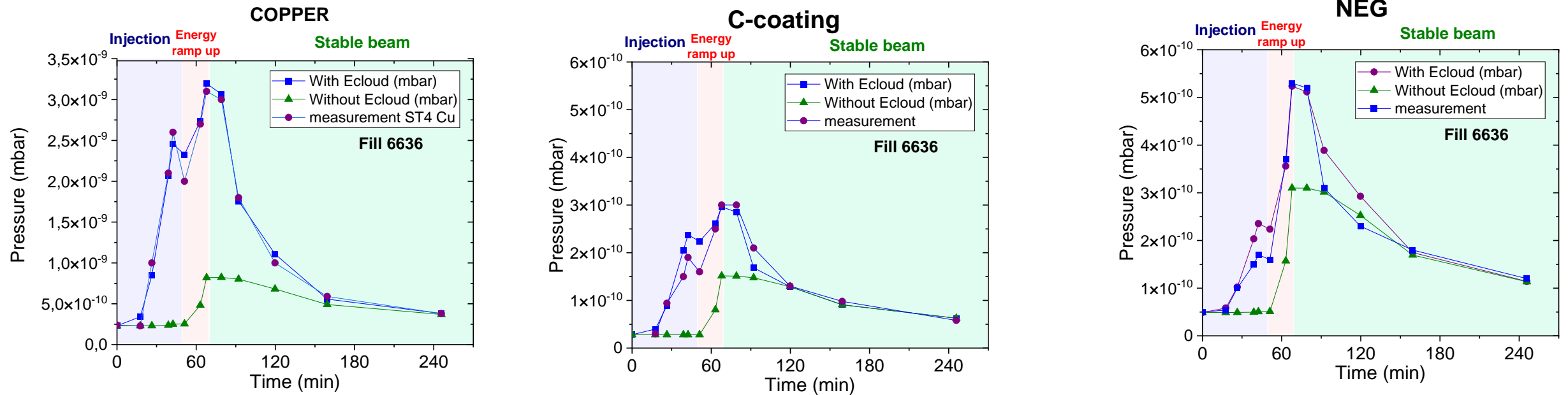


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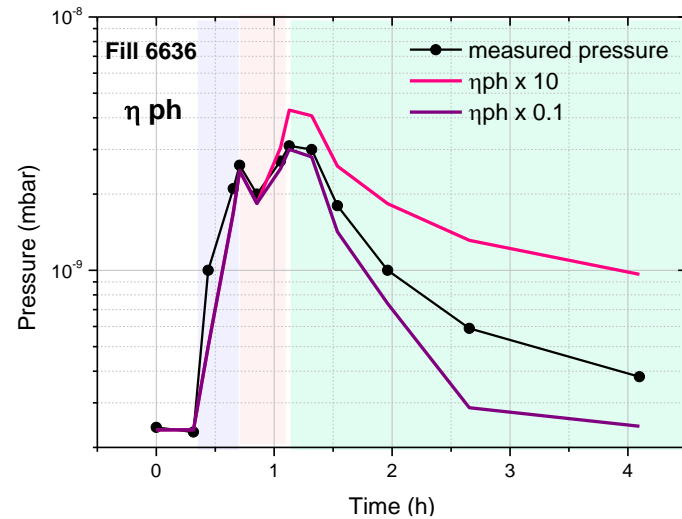
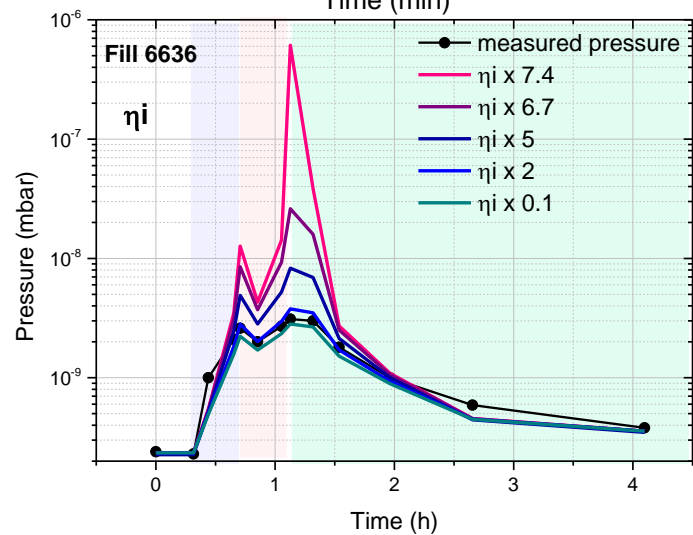
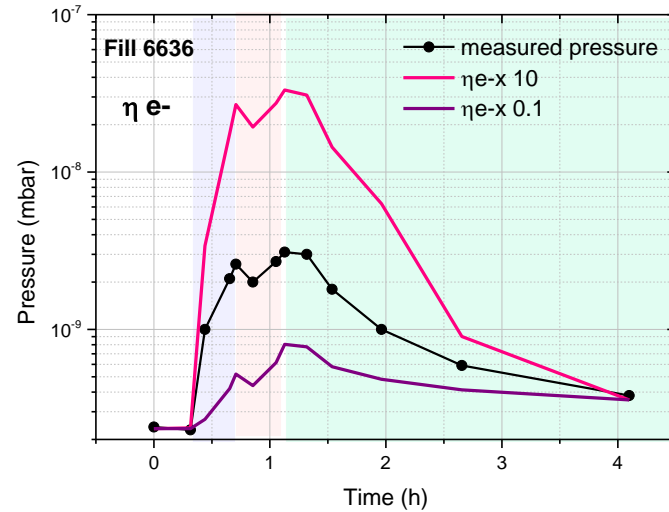
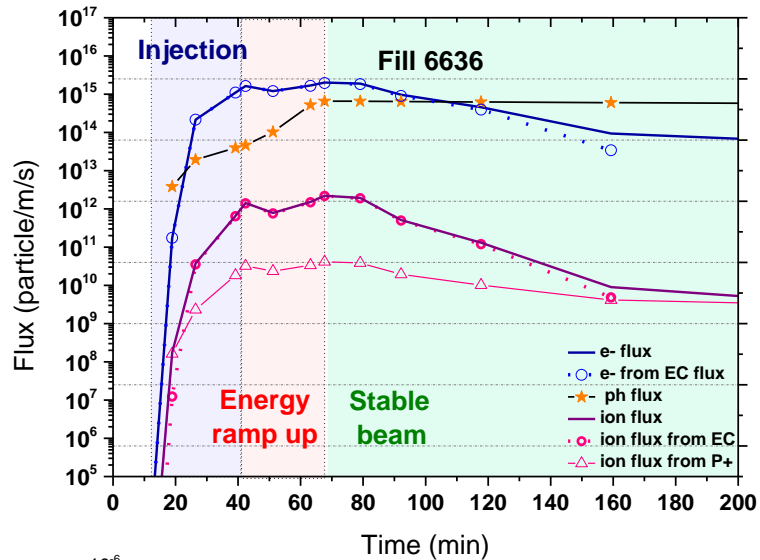


Simulation reproduces with a good agreement the in situ pressure evolution measured in station 4 (unbaked copper), station 2 C-Coating, station 1 NEG of VPS in the LHC.



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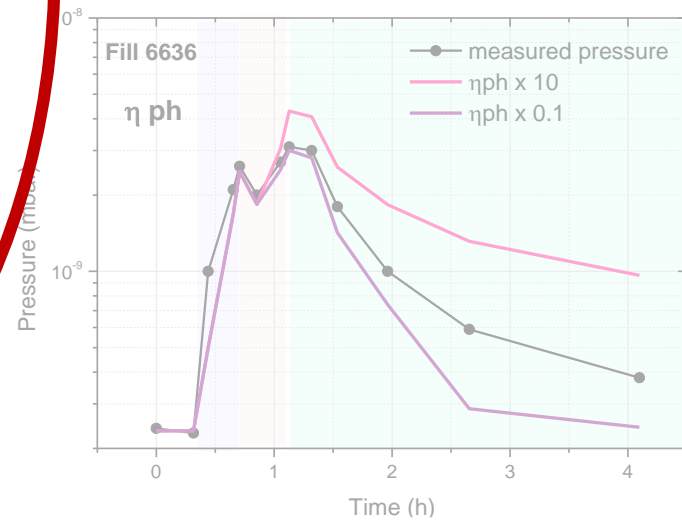
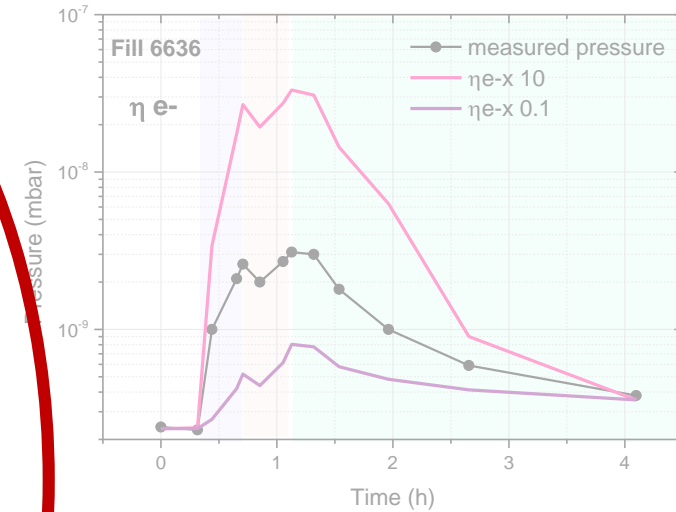
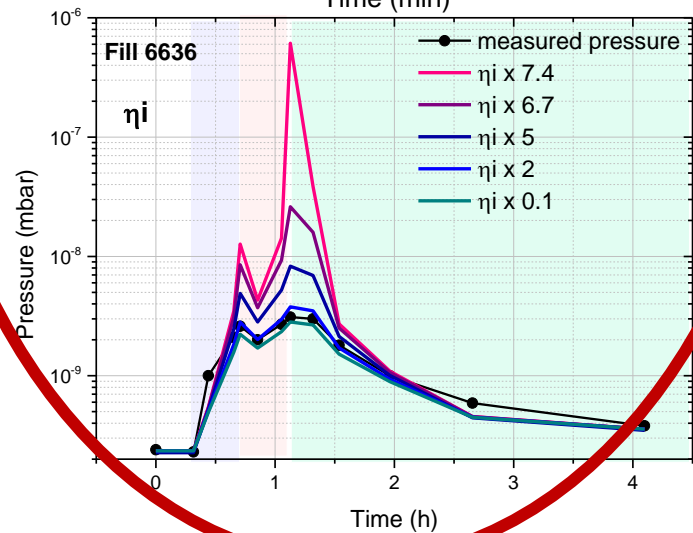
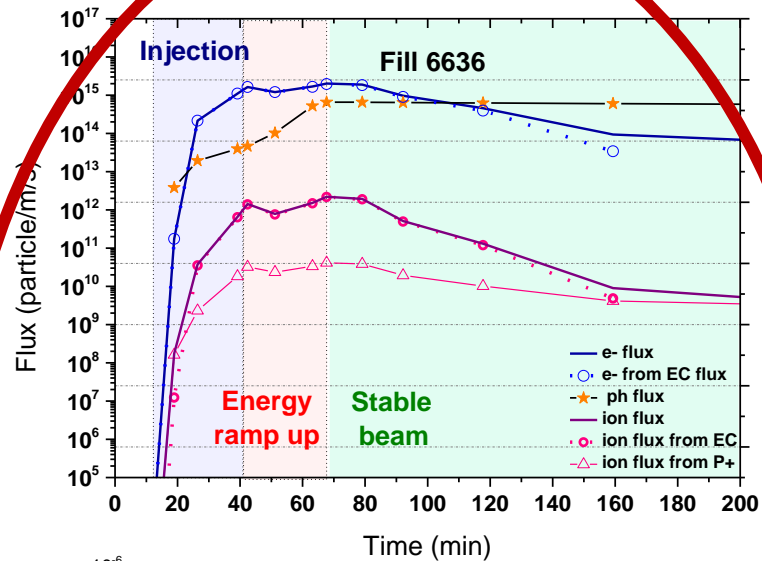
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	η _i - CH ₄	0.04	0.05	0.07	0.11
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	η _{ph}	2.5x10 ⁻⁴	2.3x10 ⁻⁵	1.8x10 ⁻⁵	3.5x10 ⁻⁵



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The flux of different particle is essential to determine the dominant parameter driving the pressure evolution,

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Ions in particle accelerators

origin of ion production?

Residual gas density evolution

+

Secondary particle creation

Pressure evolution

i^+

e^-

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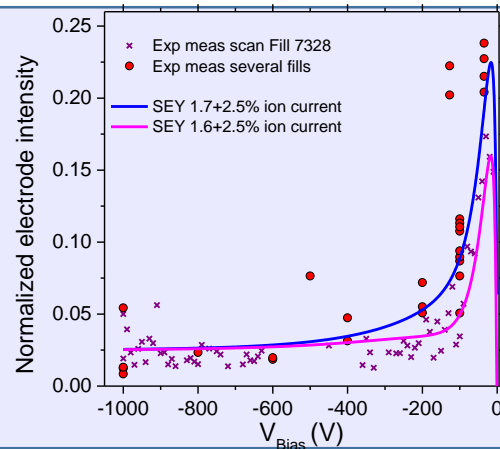
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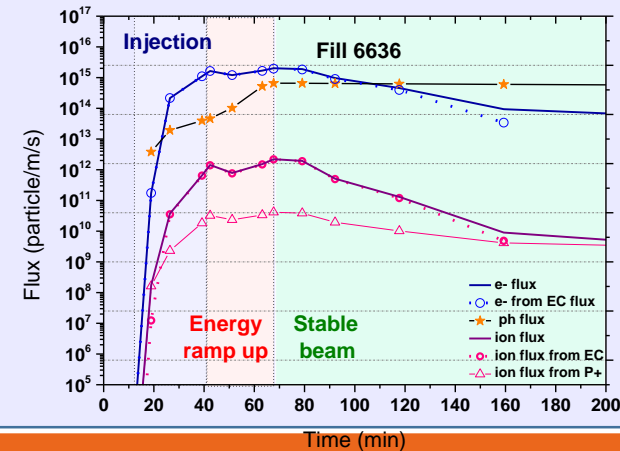
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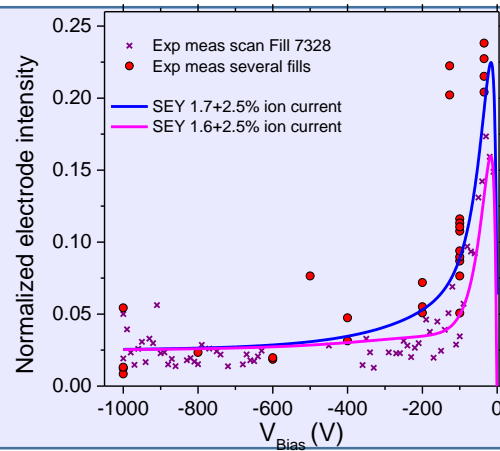
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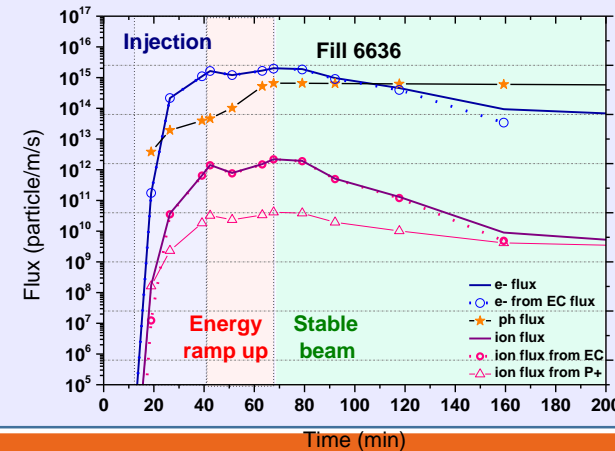
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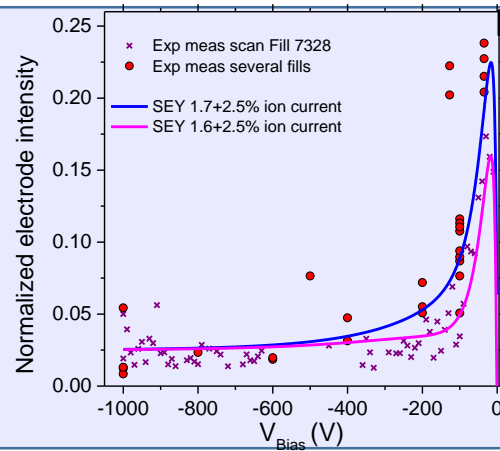
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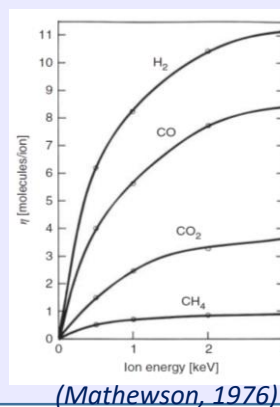
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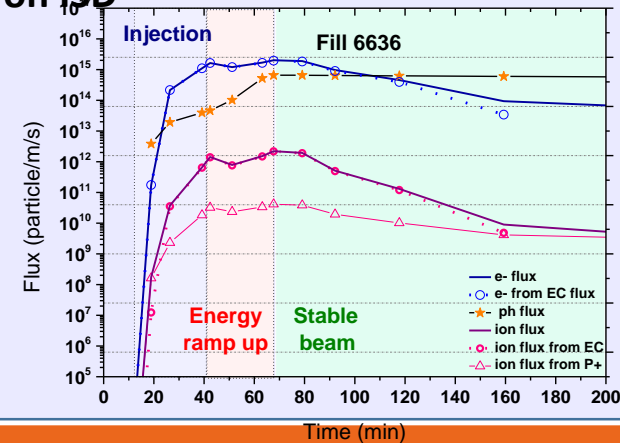
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Influence of ion energy on ISD



(Mathewson, 1976)



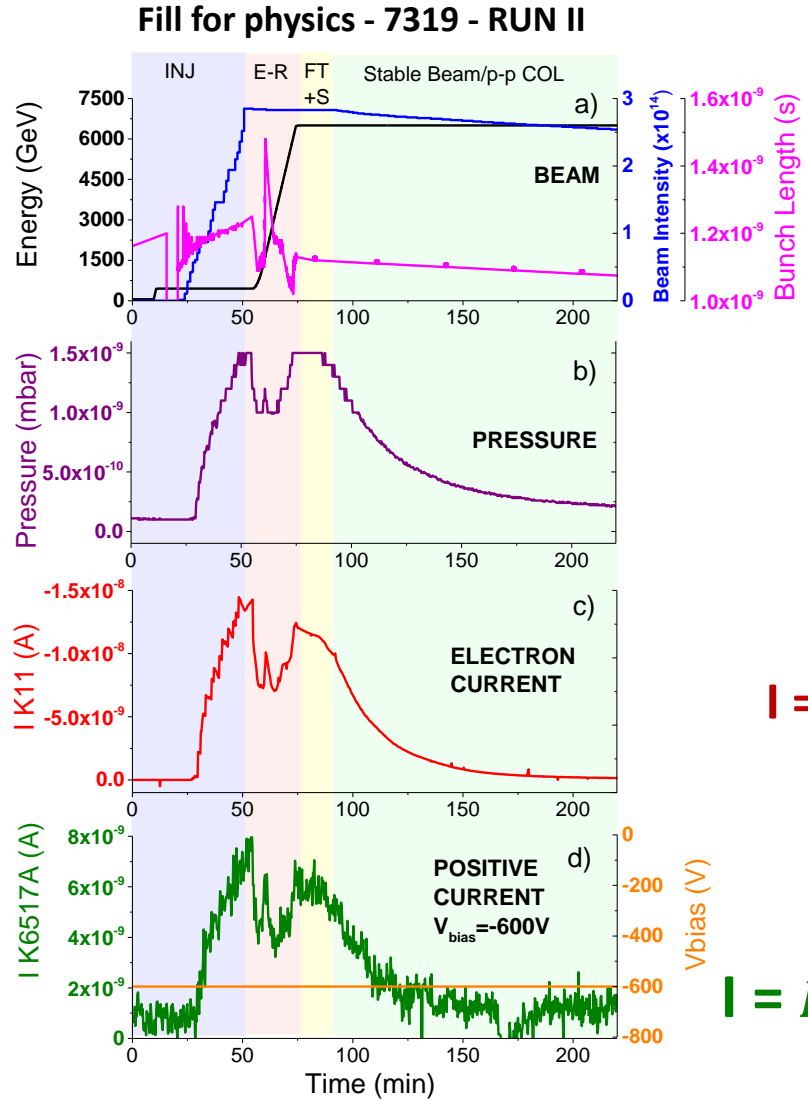
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Thank you for your attention !



LHC RUN II in situ measurements Vacuum Pilot Sector Station 4 - blue beam line



$$I = I_{e-}$$

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- I Injection**
 - + protons circulate, +ionization of residual gas
 - increase of both pressure and electrical currents
- II Energy ramp up**
 - slight decrease of beam intensity due to proton losses
 - From 2.8 TeV, photoelectrons contribution
- III Stable beam**
 - Beam intensity decreases still due to proton losses
- IV Proton-proton collision**
 - Electrical signals and pressure decrease due to p-p collisions