

# FCC-ee positron capture simulation

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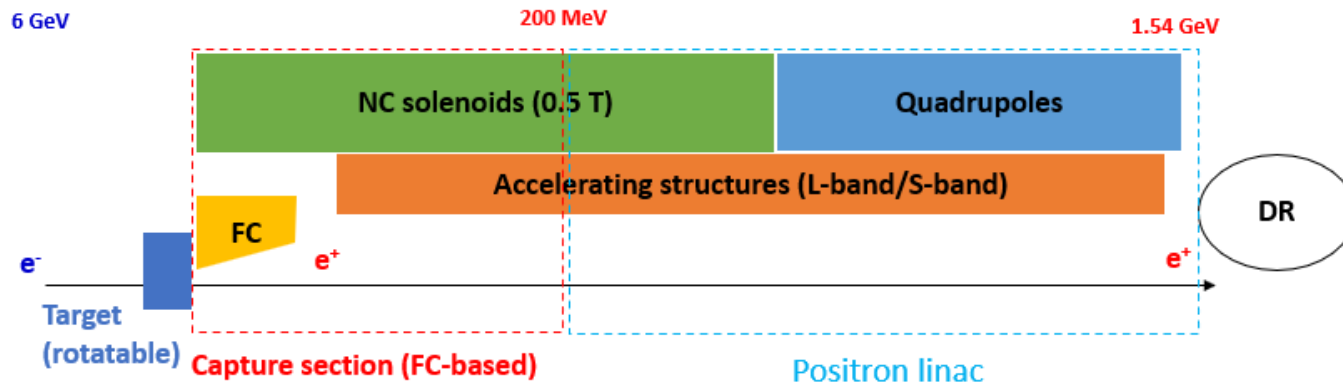
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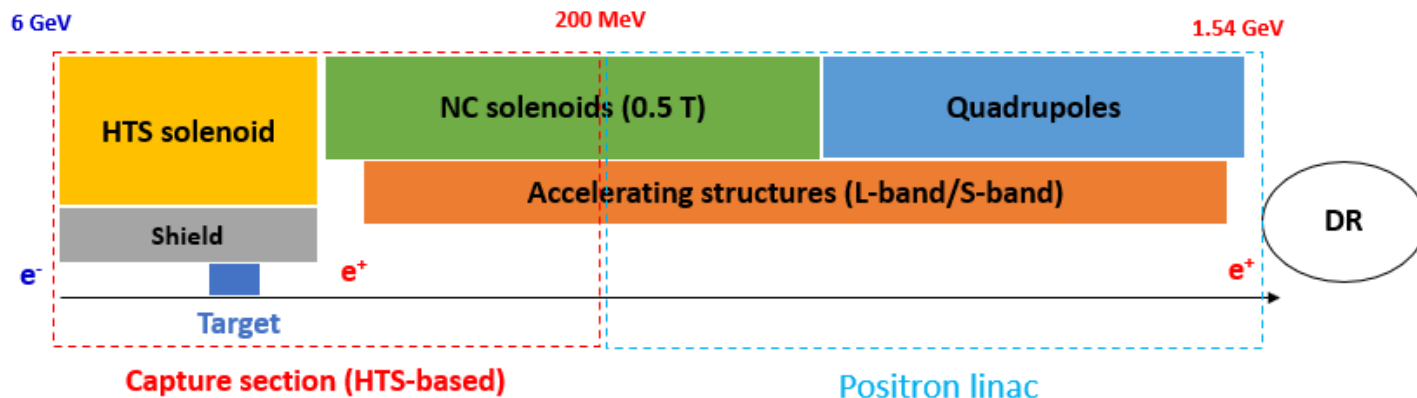
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# Layout overview

- FC-based layout (baseline)



- HTS-based layout, *VO* (alternative) – *study focused on this scenario*



# Positron requirements

- Positron requirements

e+ parameters at DR entrance	Values
Repetition rate	200 Hz
No. of bunches (per train)	2
Bunch charge (w/ 100% safety margin)	8 nC
Energy window (@ 1.54 GeV)	±3.8%
Time window (to be discussed)	16.7 mm/c (40° @ 2 GHz)
No transverse cuts (to be discussed)	

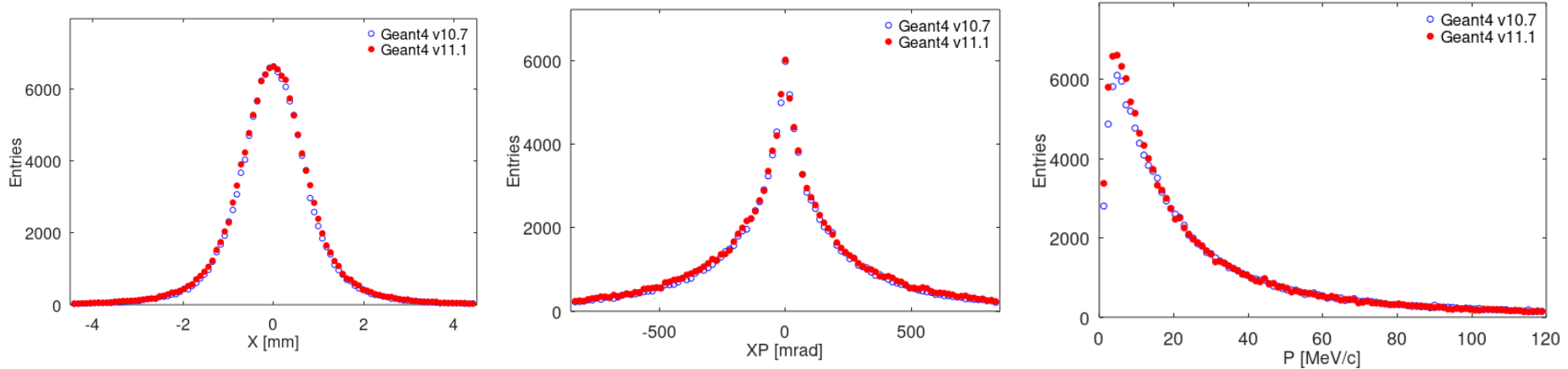
➤ To be matched to DR acceptance (in progress)

- Positron yield (accepted)

$$\eta_{\text{Accepted}}^{e^+} = \frac{N_{\text{DR accepted}}^{e^+}}{N_{\text{Primary}}^{e^-}}$$

# Simulation tools

- Positron production: **Geant4** (version 11.1.1)
  - Yield increased by  $\sim 0.4$  after the upgrade from previous version 10.7.2 to current version. Mainly at low energy range



- Tracking in AMD & capture linac: **RF-Track** (version 2.1.6)
- Tracking in  $e^+$  lianc (longitudinally): **analytic**
  - RF frequency same with capture linac. Reference energy around 200 MeV

$$\Delta E = (1.54 \text{ GeV} - E_{\text{ref}}) \cdot \cos[\omega \cdot (t - t_{\text{ref}})]$$

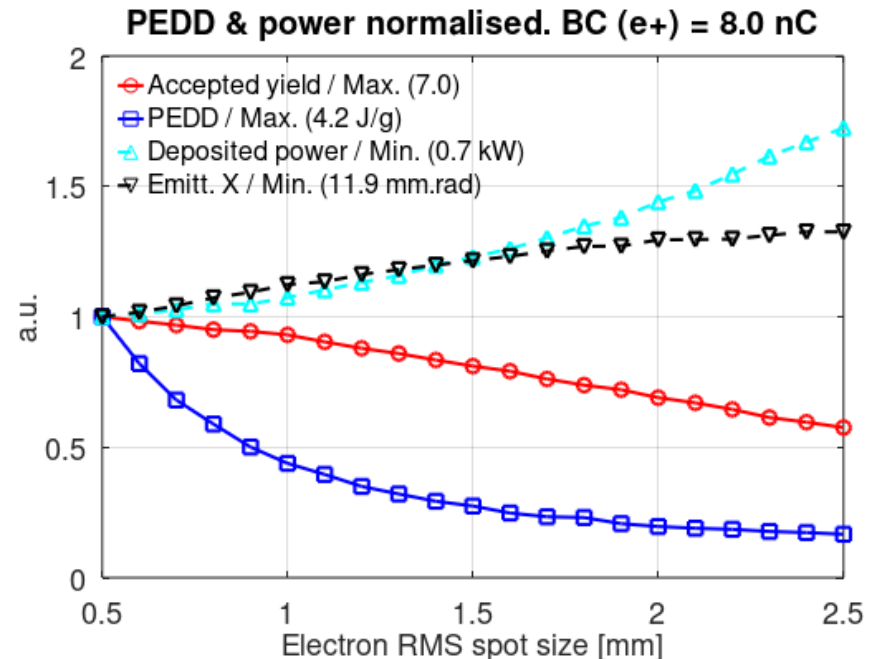
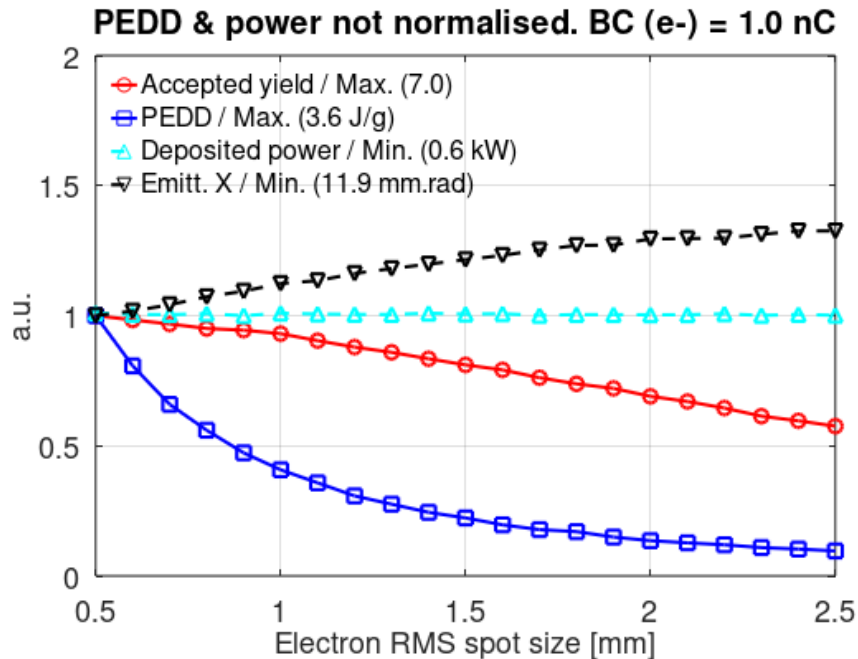
# Electron parameters

- **Baseline e<sup>-</sup> beam parameters:**

Primary e <sup>-</sup> parameters	Values	Units
Beam energy	6	GeV
Spot size (rms)	0.5	mm
Bunch length (rms)	1	mm
Energy spread (rms)	0.1	%
Normalised trans. emittance (rms)	15	mm·mrad
No. of bunches per train	2	
Repetition rate	200	Hz
Non-normalised beam power (1 nC e <sup>-</sup> )	2.4	kW
Non-normalised beam fluence (1 nC e <sup>-</sup> )	$8.8 \times 10^{10}$	cm <sup>-2</sup>
For $\eta_{e^+} = 7.0$ , $BC_{e^+} = 8$ nC		
Normalised beam power	2.7	kW
Normalised beam fluence	$1.0 \times 10^{11}$	cm <sup>-2</sup>

# Electron spot size

- Scan of  $e^-$  beam spot size (rms)



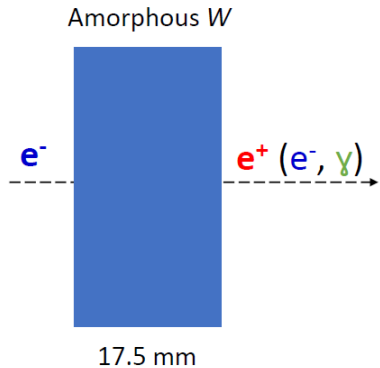
❑ To reduce the PEDD, **1 mm** spot size could be a good **alternative**

- Before 1 mm, PEDD is reduced much faster than the yield
- After 1 mm, yield reduction is faster while PEDD reduction is slower

❑ Nevertheless, 0.5 mm is still used by default in following studies

# Target scheme

- **Conventional target (baseline)** – *study using this scenario*



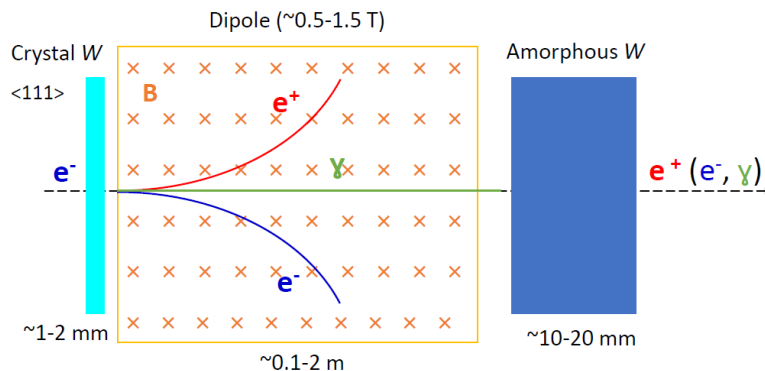
Target results	Value
$e^+$ yield at target exit	14.1
For $\eta_{e^+} = 7.0$ , $BC_{e^+} = 8$ nC	
Deposited power	0.7 kW
PEDD	4.2 J/g

PEDD < 35 J/g required

### Advantages:

- **Simple layout** and placement in HTS solenoid matching device
- **Higher  $e^+$  yield** expected (due to smaller  $e^+$  spot size)
- PEDD no more a concern (given high yield and small No. of bunches)

- **Hybrid target (alternative)** – *study in progress*

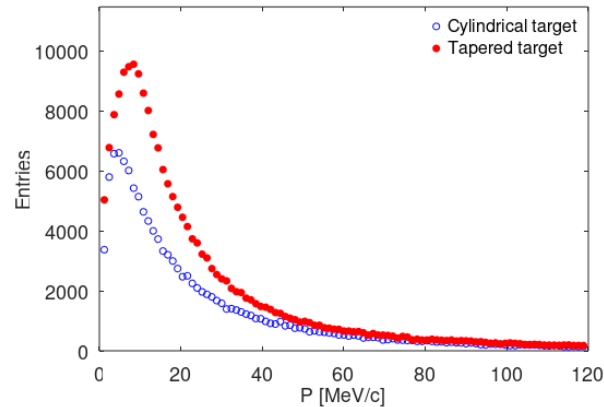
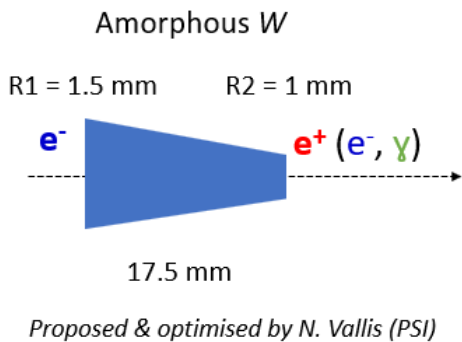


### Advantages:

- Promising results (more in the talk of L. Bandiera or their paper: [arXiv:2203.07541](https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.07541))
  - ✓ **Reduced deposited power** (~30%) and **PEDD** (~60%), assuming the same  $e^+$  yield, etc.
- DR Accepted  $e^+$  yield to be estimated, etc.

# Target shape

- **Significant increase** in  $e^+$  yield, using **tapered target shape**, found by N. Vallis (PSI) for  $P^3$  project with BDSIM (Geant4-based) simulation
  - Confirmed by *A. Lechner* (CERN) and me with Fluka and standalone Geant4 simulations
  - Contribution mainly from lateral  $e^+$  production (at low energy range) captured by the HTS solenoid field before deposition in target
  - Only useful for **HTS-based** matching device scenario
  - **Cooling & shielding** design and optimisation for **1 mm spot size** still **in progress**

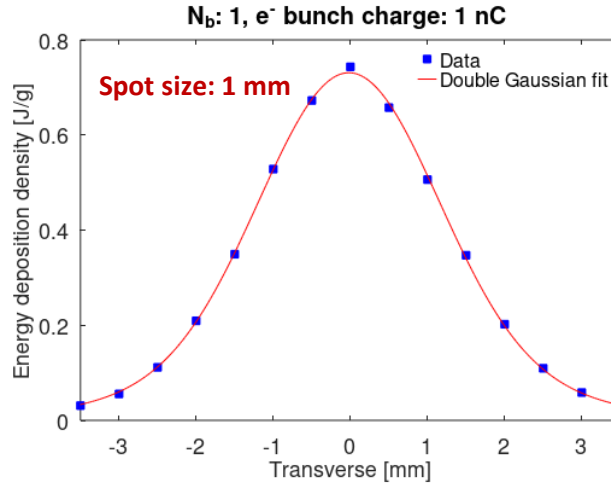
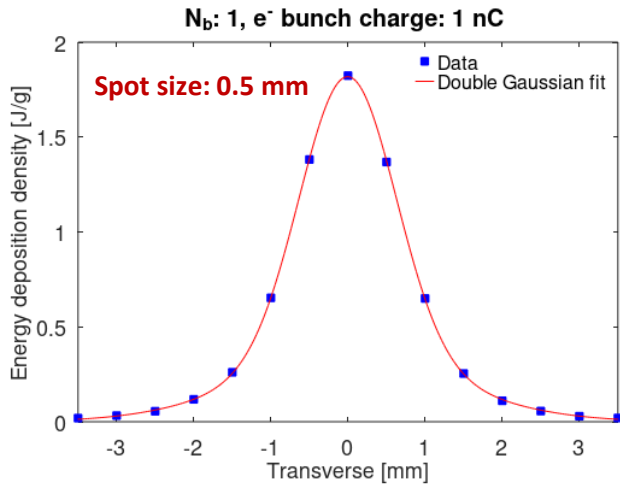


Target shape	Cylindrical	Tapered
Yield @ target exit	14.1	21.1
RMS beam size @ target exit [mm]	1.16	1.95
Yield @ DR entrance	7.0	9.1
Emittance x,y @ DR entrance [mm.rad]	12.0	12.7



# Target PEDD

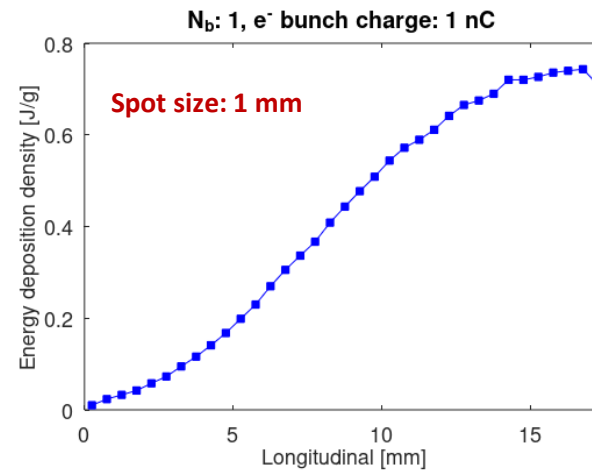
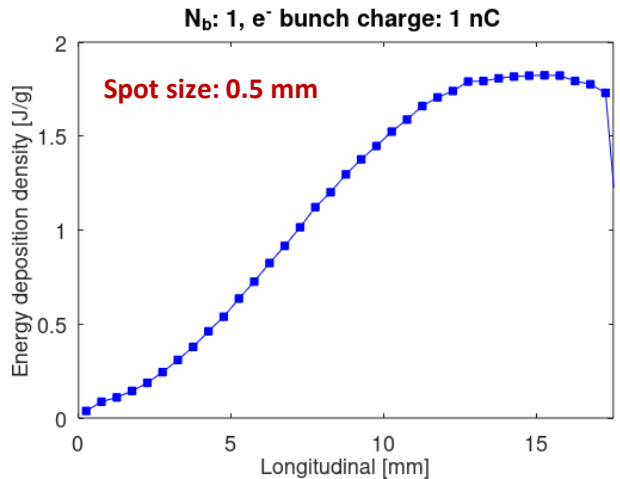
- Mesh grid size (in Geant4):  $dx \cdot dy \cdot dz = (0.5 \text{ mm})^3$



□ Transverse fit function:

$$f(x) = \alpha \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma_1^2}} + \beta \cdot e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma_2^2}}$$

- Very good agreement with fit!
- For simplification, fit is therefore not used in the results



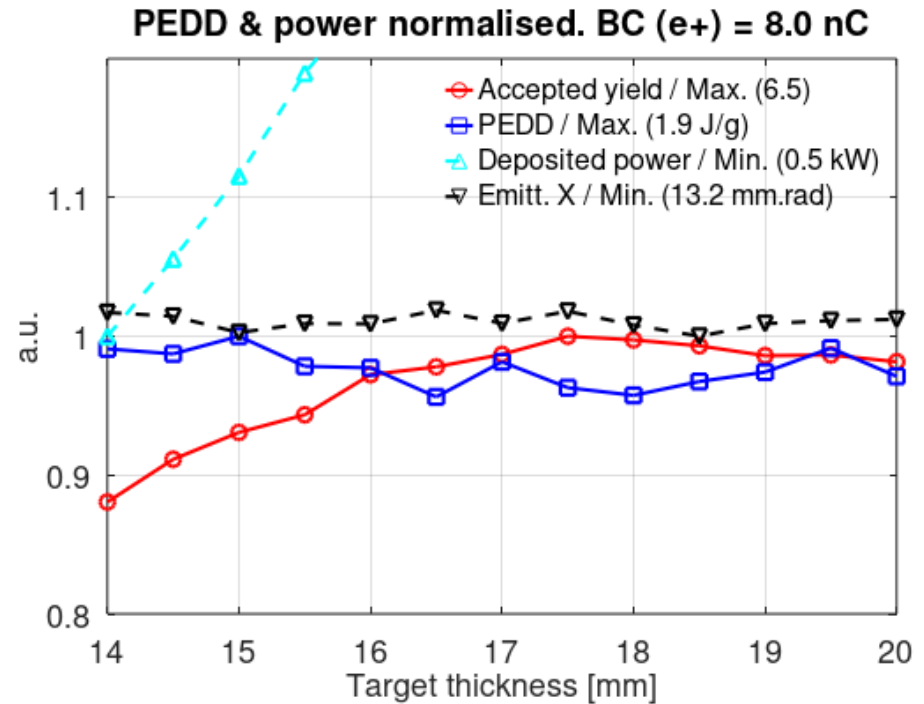
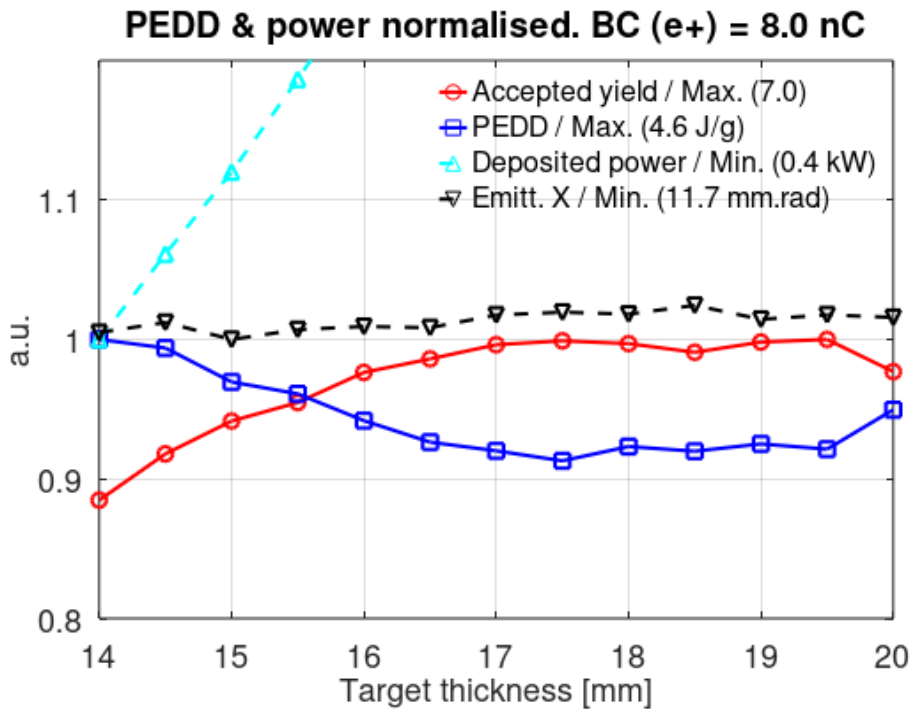
□ No fit needed longitudinally

# Target thickness

- Scan of target thickness

0.5 mm spot size

1 mm spot size



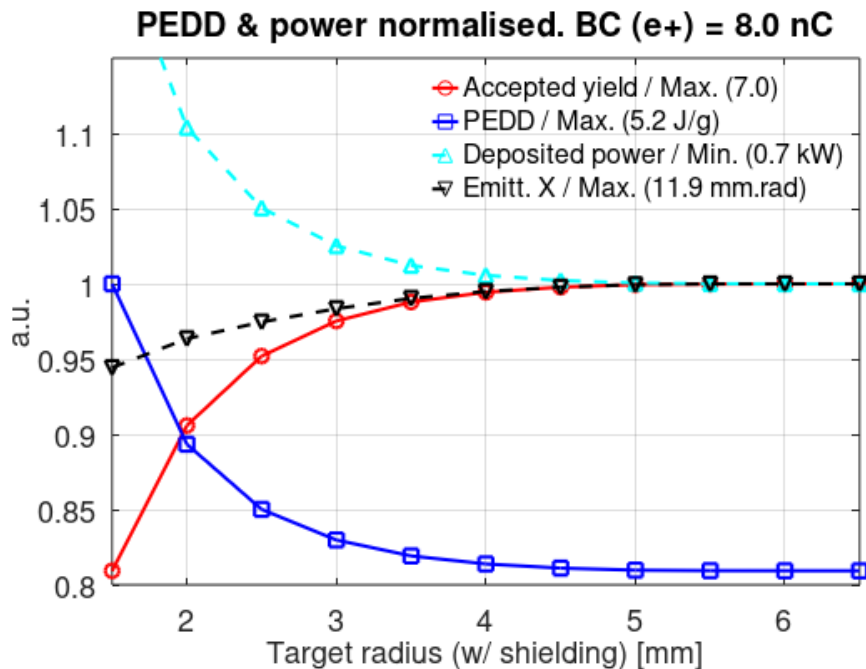
☐ Optimised target thickness for maximum accepted e<sup>+</sup> yield is still: **17.5 mm**

# Target radius

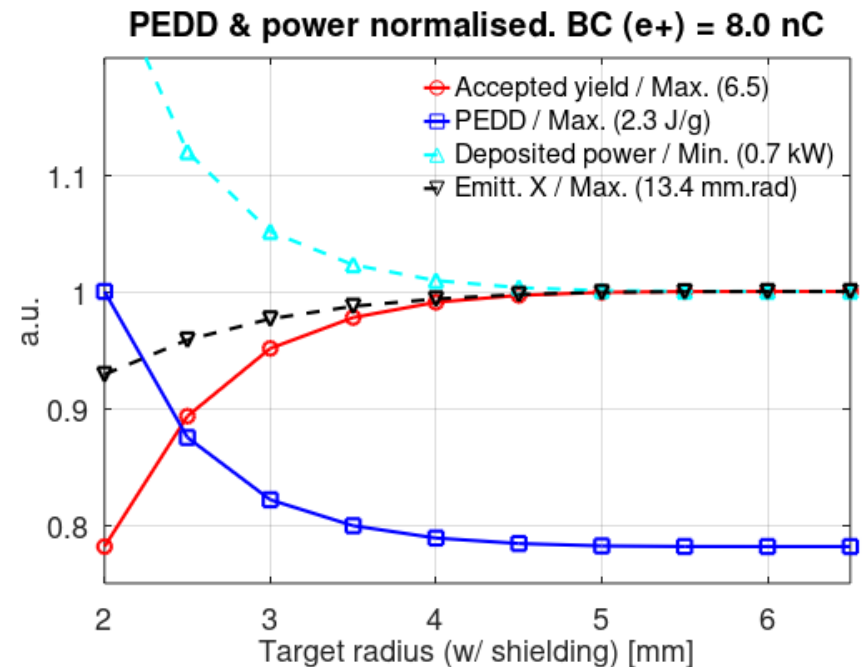
- Scan of target radius

- Aimed to find the minimum radius for better cooling and shielding
- Assuming that target is surrounded by the shield (no lateral  $e^+$  produced)

## 0.5 mm spot size



## 1 mm spot size

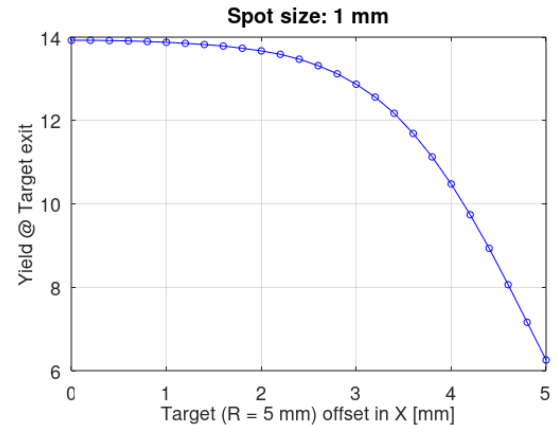
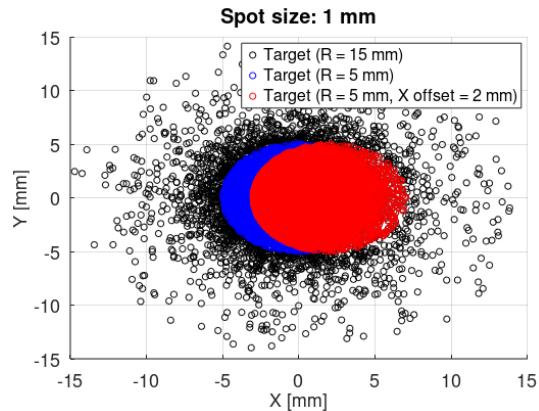
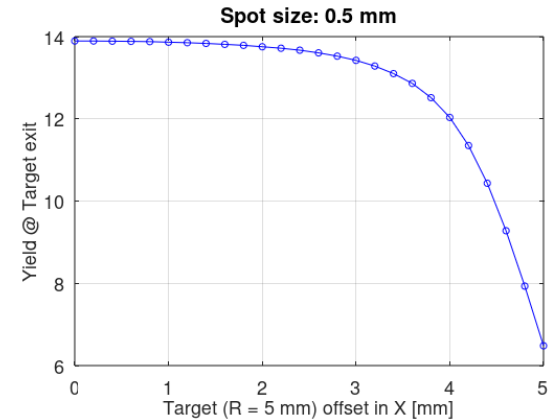
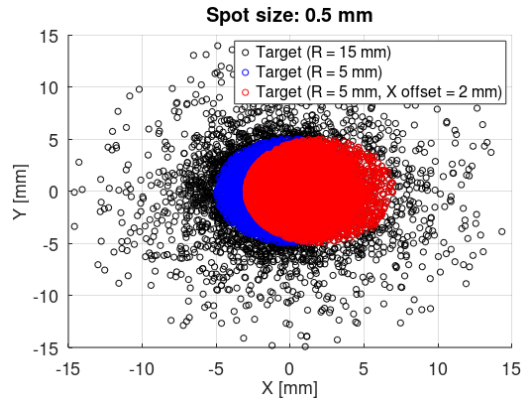


❑ Minimum target radius (w/o significant yield loss): **5 mm**

❑ Nevertheless, 15 mm is still used by default in following studies

# Target misalignment

- Very preliminary test (more in progress)

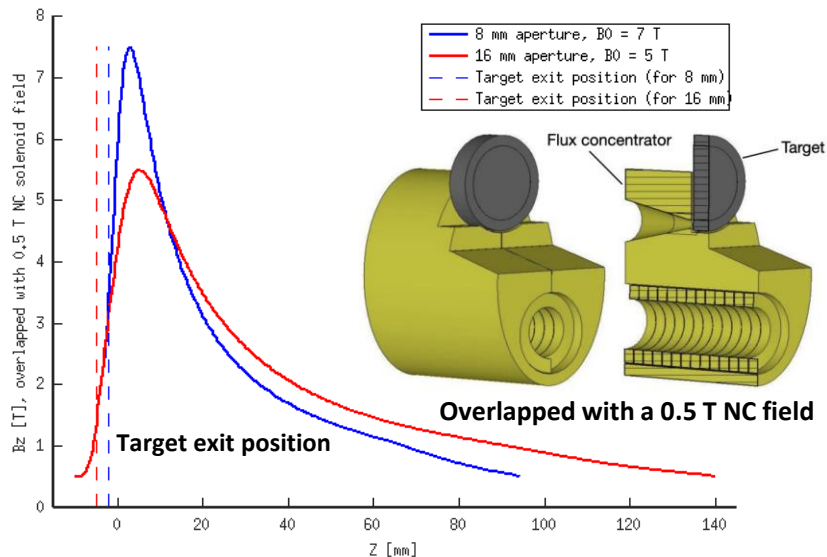


The **effect seems to be small** (for example, 1 mm offset)

DR accepted yield to be checked. **More to be studied**

# Matching device

## • FC-based (baseline)

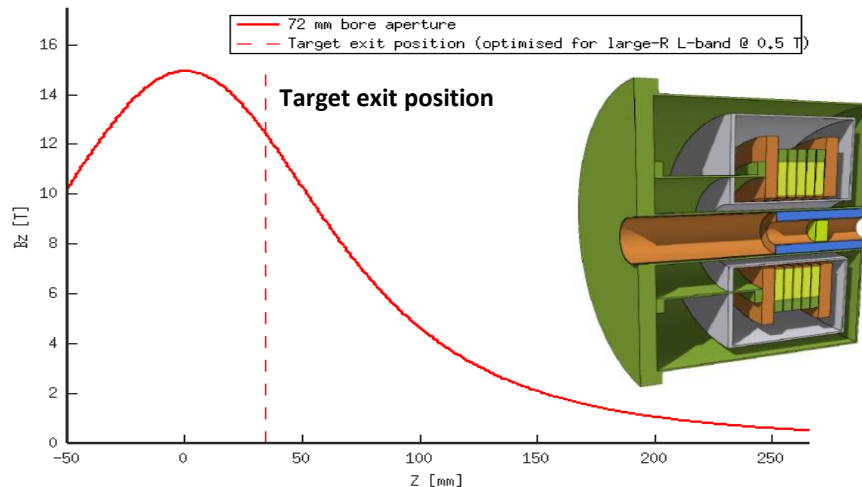


**Flux Concentrator (FC)**  
designed by P. Martyshkin (BINP)

- Fixed target position (2-5 mm upstream), but allowing for rotating target with lower PEDD
- Lower peak field (5-7 T, 1.5-3 T at target exit)
- Smaller entrance aperture ( $\Phi = 8$ -16 mm)
- Therefore, **lower  $e^+$  yield, smaller emittance**
- Designed for 100 Hz rep. rate. To be optimised for 200 Hz

## • HTS-based (alternative)

– *study focused on this scenario*



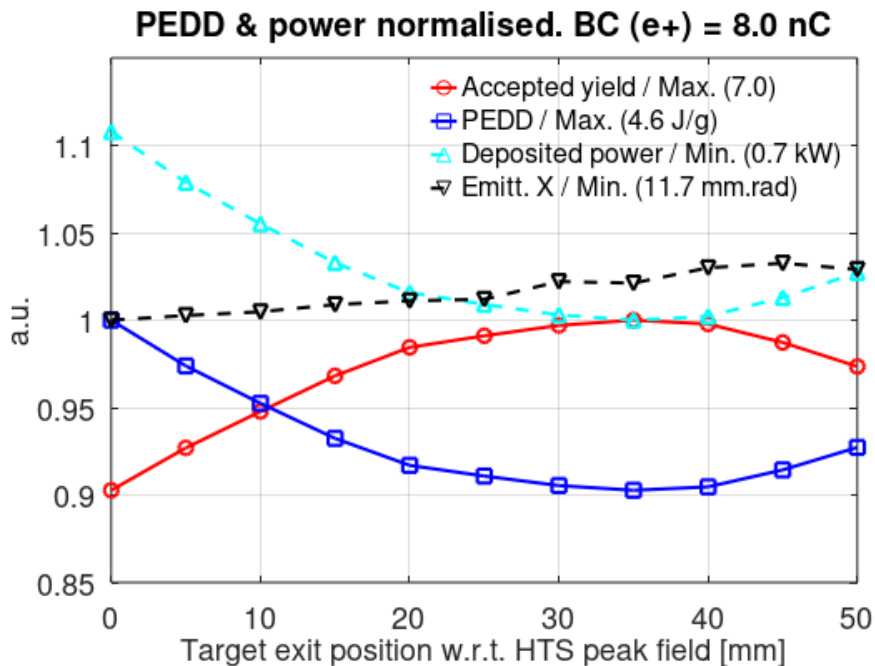
**High-Temperature Superconducting (HTS) solenoid**  
designed by J. Kosse, B. Auchmann and M. Duda (PSI)

- Flexible target position, but not rotatable
- Higher peak field (15 T, 12 T at target exit)
- Larger aperture (warm bore:  $\Phi = 72$  mm, minimum beam aperture:  $\Phi = 30$  mm)
- Therefore, **higher  $e^+$  yield, larger emittance**

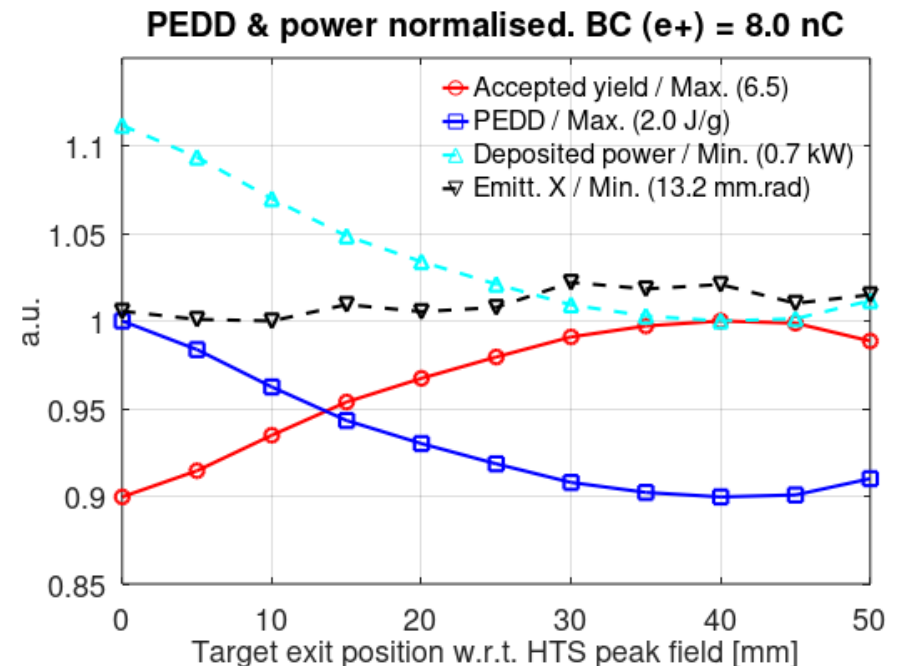
# Target position in HTS solenoid

- Scan of target position in HTS solenoid

**0.5 mm spot size**



**1 mm spot size**



□ **Optimised target exit position for maximum accepted e<sup>+</sup> yield:**

○ **0.5 mm spot size: z = 35 mm**

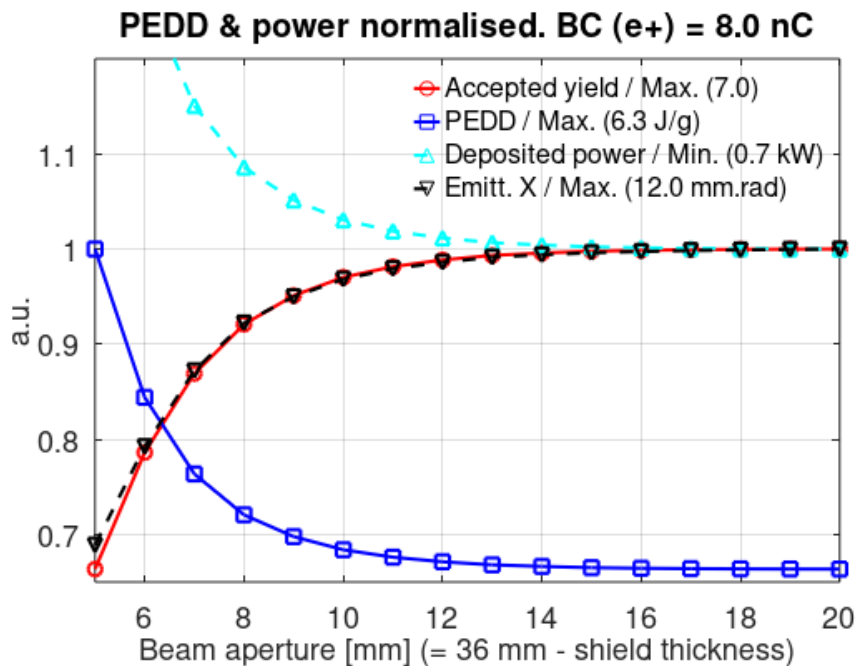
○ **1 mm spot size: z = 40 mm**

(z = 0 being HTS peak field)

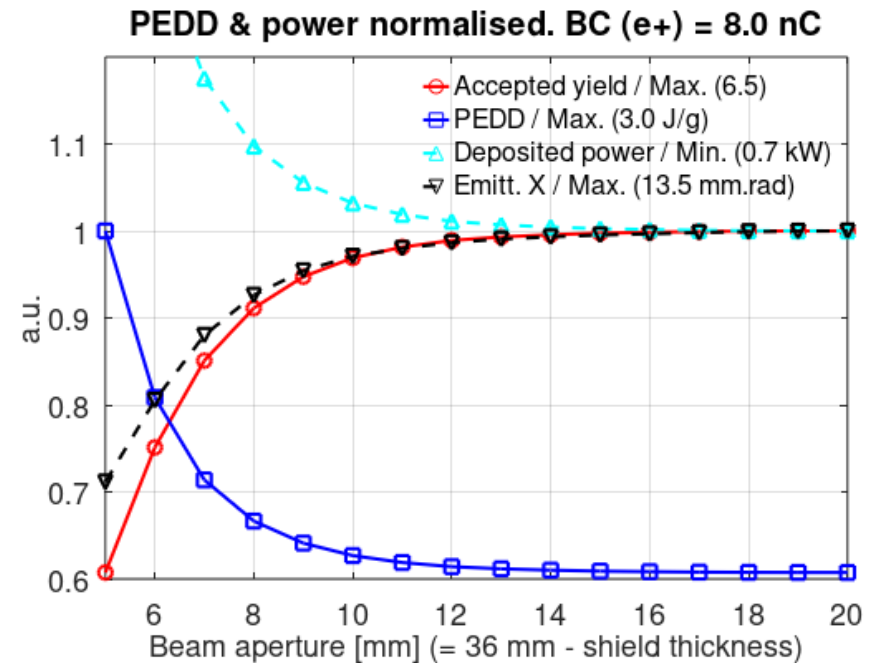
# Shielding thickness in HTS solenoid

- Scan of beam aperture radius (in HTS solenoid)
  - Aimed to find the maximum shielding thickness (downstream target)

**0.5 mm spot size**



**1 mm spot size**



□ Minimum beam aperture radius (w/o significant yield loss): **16 mm** (15 mm is also OK)

✓ **Maximum shielding thickness: 36 - 16 = 20 mm**

# HTS fringe field

- For simplification, **upstream HTS fringe field** is not simulated
- The effect of fringe field on the results is nevertheless studied:
  - **Case A: w/o upstream HTS fringe field**
  - **Case B: w/ fringe field in target**
  - **Case C: w/ fringe field in target and e<sup>-</sup> beam pipe**

Results	Case A	Case B	Case C
Spot size @ z = -300 mm and @ z = 17.5 mm (target entrance) [mm]	0.5, 0.5	0.5, 0.5	0.5, 0.5
Emittance x,y @ target entrance [mm.mrad]	15	15	<b>2015</b>
Yield @ target exit	14.1	14.2	14.1
Normalised PEDD in target [J/g]	4.2	4.2	4.2
RMS beam size @ target exit [mm]	1.16	1.14	1.15
Yield @ DR entrance	<b>7.0</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>7.0</b>
Emittance x,y @ DR entrance [mm.rad]	12.0	12.0	12.0

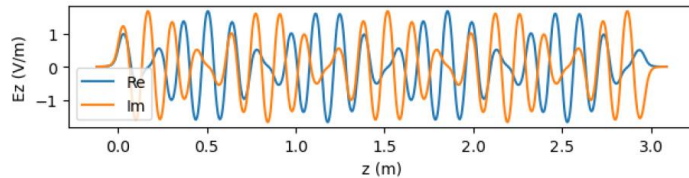
□ HTS fringe field effect on final results is **negligible** (though e<sup>-</sup> beam emittance increased a lot)



# Capture linac

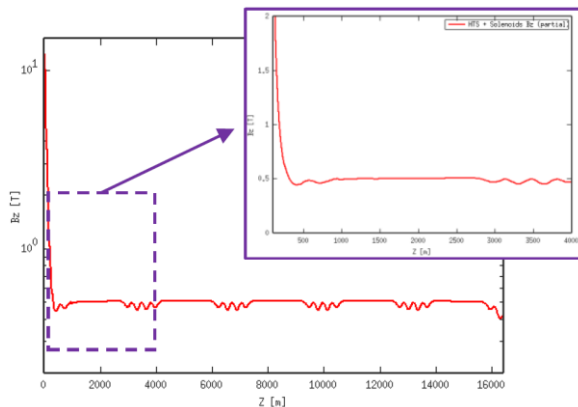
- **Baseline structure – *study focused on this scenario***

- Larger aperture ( $\Phi = 60$  mm) **TW L-band** (CERN) @ 2 GHz,  $9\pi/10$ , 3 m, **20 MV/m**

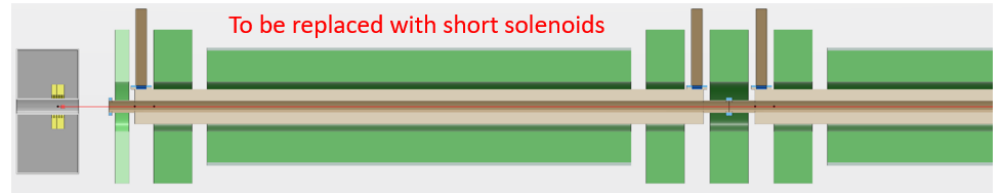


“F3” structure

designed by H. Pommerenke and A. Grudiev (CERN)



HTS + NC solenoids field



NC solenoids (0.5 T), designed by M. Schaer and R. Zennaro and (PSI)

- No. of structures used: 5
- Distance between structures: 240 mm
- Same RF structure and NC solenoid used in  $e^+$  linac
- For simplification, **0.5 T uniform NC field** used (as the difference was found small with the realistic field)

- **Alternative structures**

- Normal aperture ( $\Phi = 40$  mm) **TW L-band** (CERN, used for CLIC) @ 2 GHz,  $2\pi/3$ , 1.5 m, **16-20 MV/m**
- Normal aperture ( $\Phi = 40$  mm) **SW S-band** (PSI, used for P<sup>3</sup> project) @ 2998.8 MHz, 1.5 m, **18 MV/m**
- Smaller aperture ( $\Phi = 30$  mm) **TW S-band** @ 2856 MHz, 3 m, **20 MV/m**

# Capture linac

- **1D field map** has been used for the **baseline structure** (larger aperture L-band)
- **2D field map** was found to be helpful to reduce the **energy spread and correlation** in the **e<sup>+</sup> linac**, therefore the effect is studied for capture linac

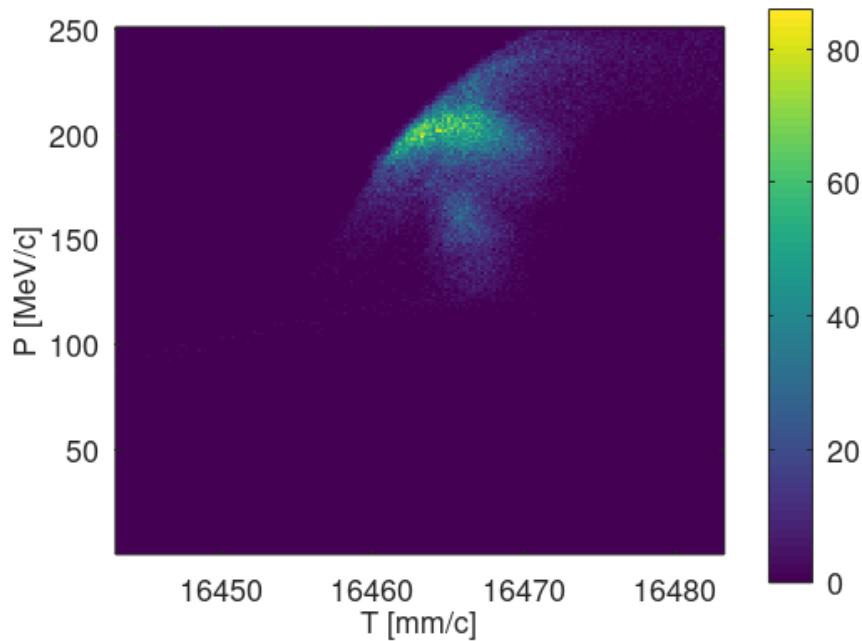
Larger-R L-band e <sup>+</sup> results	1D field map	2D field map
Yield @ 200 MeV	8.5	8.5
Mean energy @ 200 MeV [MeV]	195	208
Energy spread @ 200 MeV [%]	23.4	22.4
Accepted bunch length [mm]	3.1	2.9
Accepted energy spread [%]	1.6	1.5
Accepted emittance x,y [mm.rad]	12.0	12.3
Accepted yield	7.0	7.0

- ❑ The **difference** between 1D and 2D field maps seems to be **small** for **capture linac**
- ❑ Nevertheless, 1D is still used in the study (due to limited time for updates)

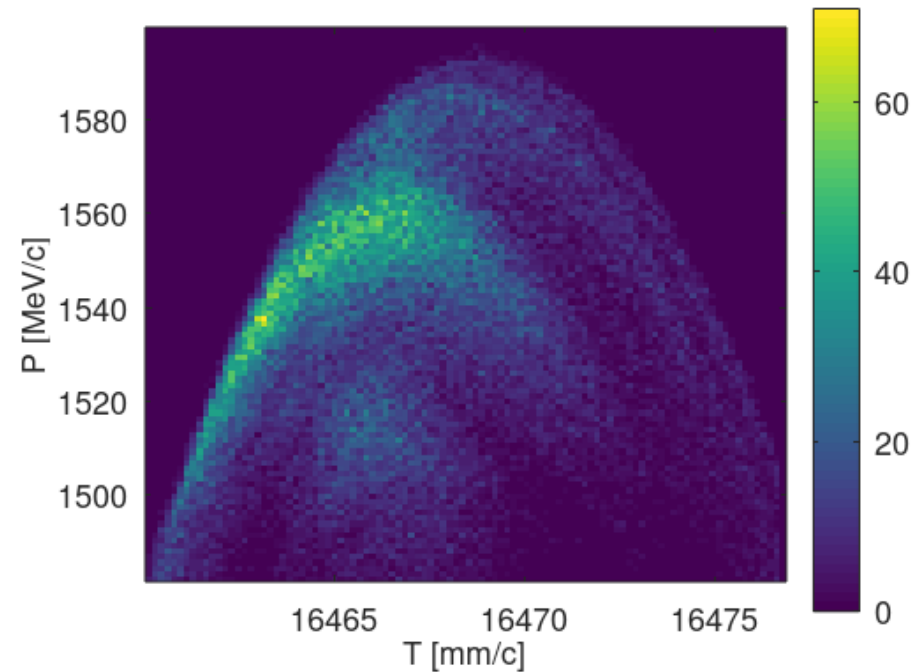
# Longitudinal phase spaces

○ @ 200 MeV (capture linac exit)

○ @ 1.54 GeV (DR entrance)



No cuts



P & T cuts applied

# Results

- Comparison of some selected scenarios

✓ Format: “**Spot size + AMD type + Capture linac type**”

Scenarios	Accepted e <sup>+</sup> yield	Norm. PEDD in target [J/g]	Norm. Emitt. X,Y [mm.rad]
0.5 mm + FC (7 T) + L-band (60 mm)	4.4	6.7	11.4
0.5 mm + FC (7 T) + L-band (40 mm)	3.7	8.0	7.3
0.5 mm + FC (7 T) + S-band (40 mm)	3.3	9.0	6.7
<b>0.5 mm + HTS + L-band (60 mm)</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>12.0</b>
0.5 mm + HTS + L-band (40 mm)	5.6	5.2	7.0
0.5 mm + HTS + S-band (40 mm)	4.9	6.0	6.5
<b>1 mm + HTS + L-band (60 mm)</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>13.5</b>
1 mm + HTS + L-band (40 mm)	4.9	2.4	7.7
1 mm + HTS + S-band (40 mm)	4.2	2.9	7.1

- PEDD for FC-based scenarios can be reduced with rotating target
- **L-band (40 mm)** gradients & phases have been **very briefly reoptimised**
- More detailed parameters & results can be found at: [FCC-ee CERNBox: WP3/Task3.4](#)

# Summary & next steps

- Simulation results presented for **many different capture scenarios**
- **Target optimised** for maximum yield and better shielding & cooling
- Work (**simulations, optimisations, shielding & cooling, e<sup>+</sup> linac design, etc.**) currently mainly focused on: “**conventional target**” + “**HTS AMD**” + “**larger aperture L-band structure**” (current layout referred to as “**V1**”)
- **Alternative e<sup>-</sup> spot size** (1 mm) for **reduced PEDD** (for HTS-based scenario)
- A new **tapered target** shape proposed and being studied in **PSI** with **higher yield**
- **To-do's**
  - Reconsideration of **DR acceptances** (longitudinal & transverse)
  - **FC** studies (design optimisation for 200 Hz, R&D, etc.)
  - **Reoptimisations** (N\_structures, gradients, phases, etc.). Difficult to reoptimise all scenarios. Once decided which scenario to use, a more detailed final reoptimisation is probably needed
  - **Misalignment** study (beam & target, position & direction, etc.) to be continued
  - Etc.

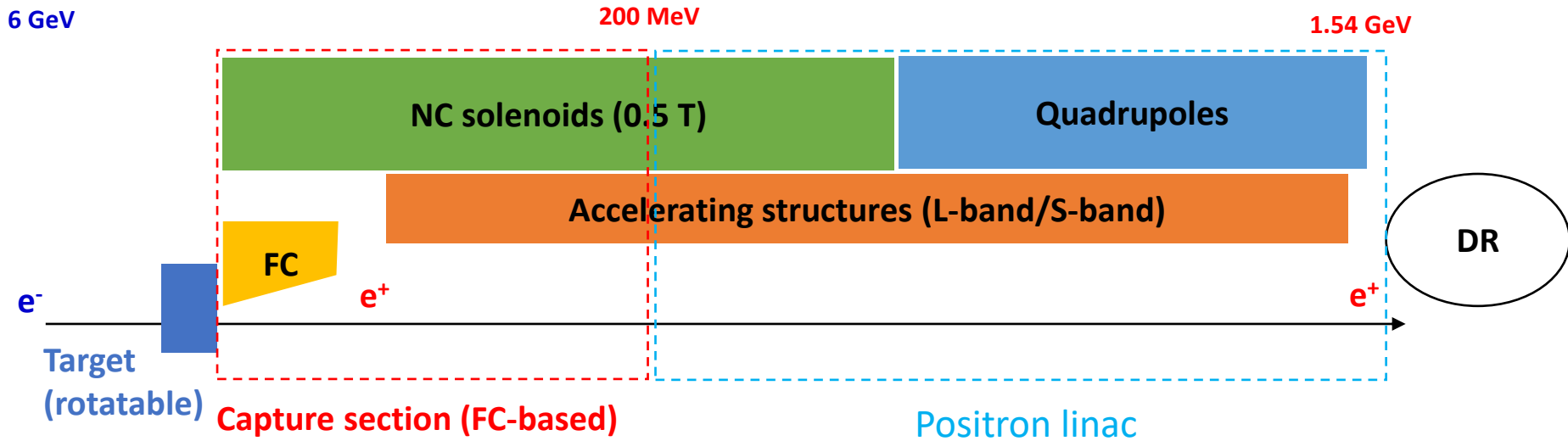
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# Misalignment study (in progress)

## Misalignment

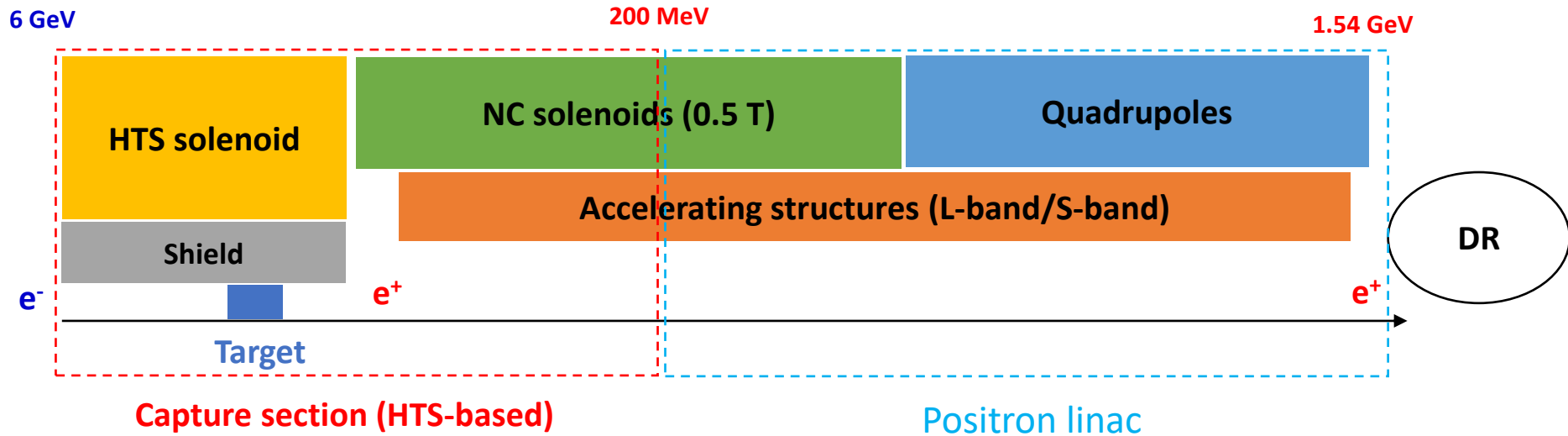
- Config
  - Beam size: 0.5, 1 mm
  - Target radius: 5 mm
- Target trans. position offset
  - $X_0 = [0:0.2:1]$  mm
- Target direction offset (tilt)
  - Theta:  $[0:0.2:1]$  mrad
- Beam trans. position offset
  - $X_0 = [0:0.2:1]$  mm
- Beam direction offset
  - Theta:  $[0:0.2:1]$  mrad

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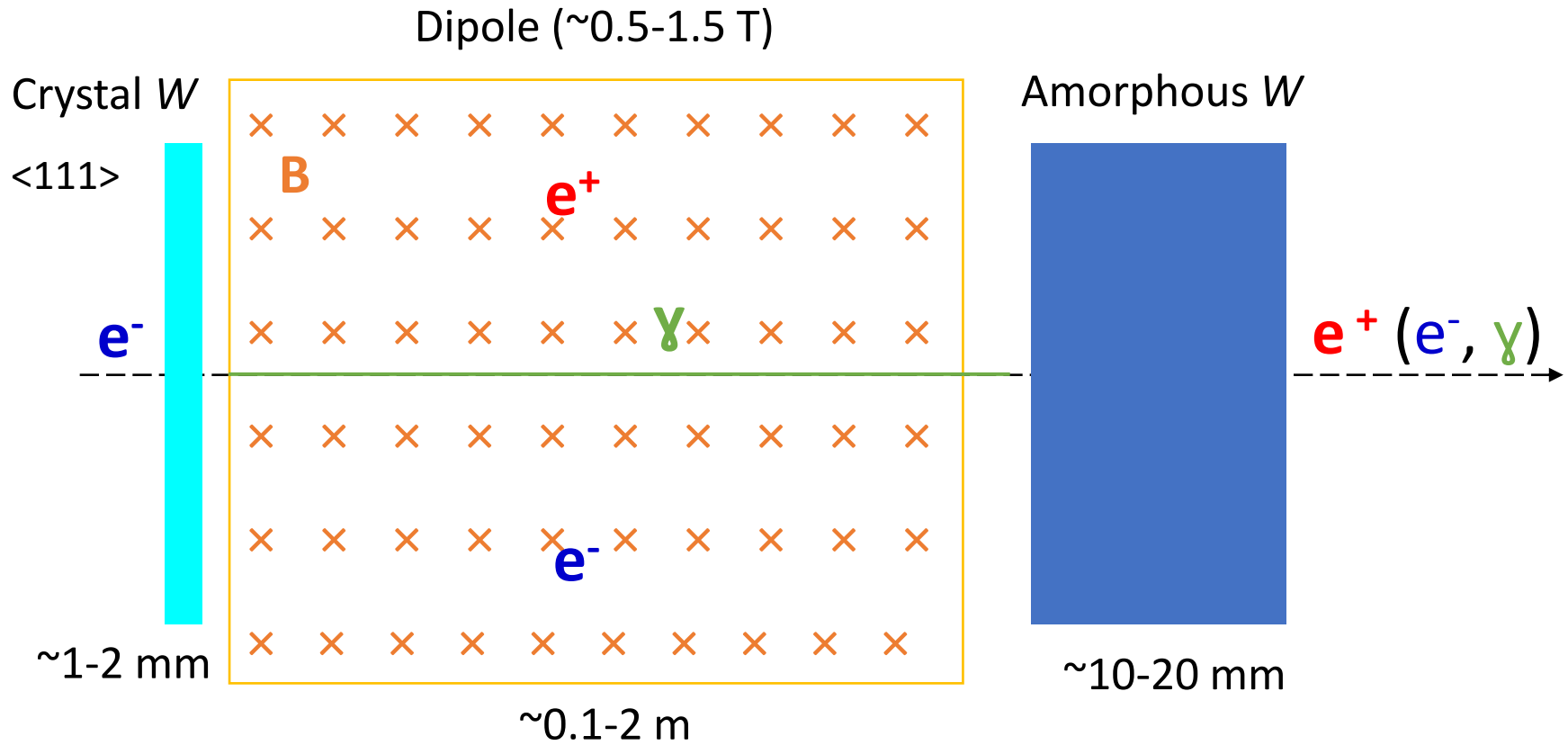




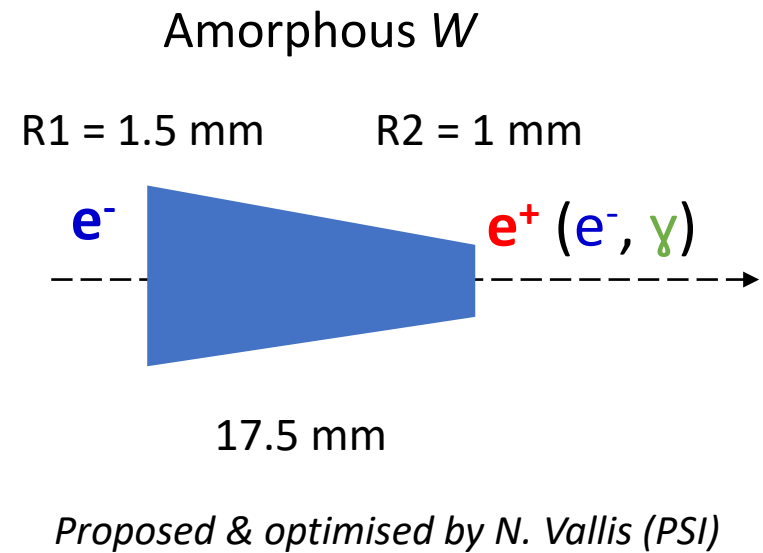
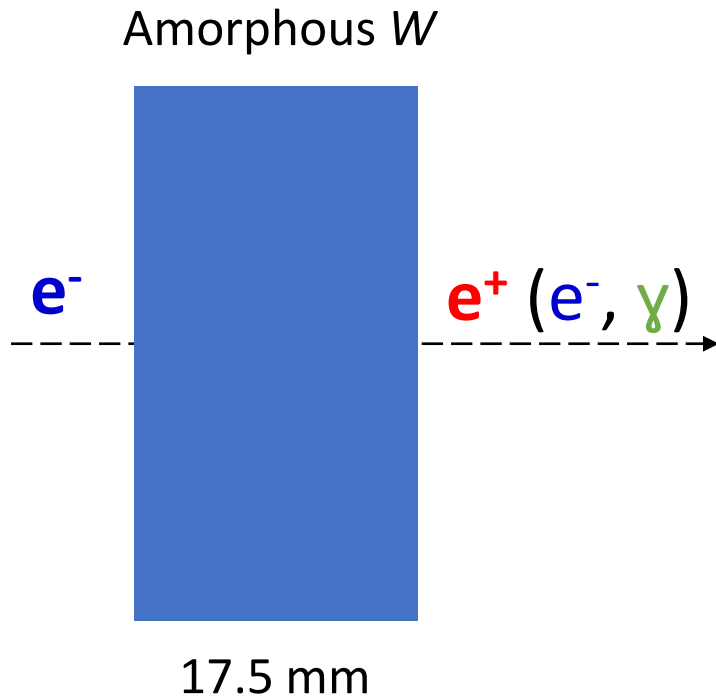
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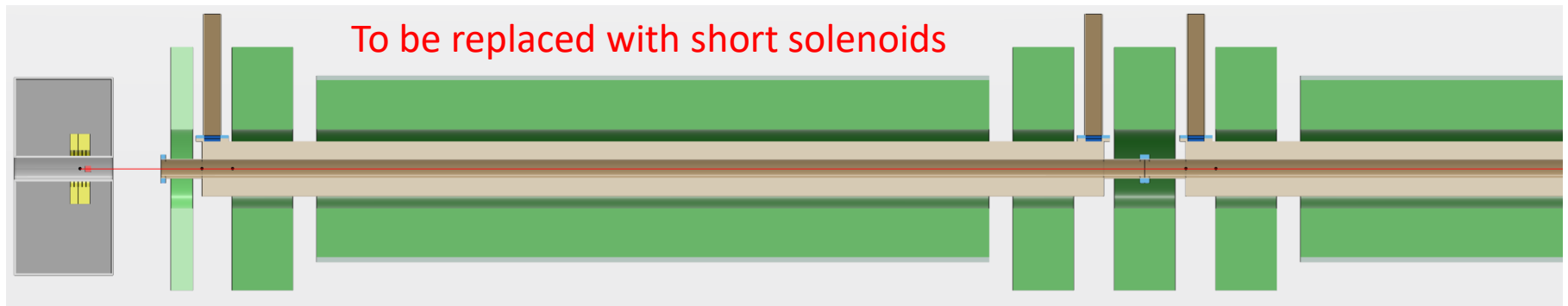
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NC solenoids (0.5 T), *designed by M. Schaer and R. Zennaro and (PSI)*