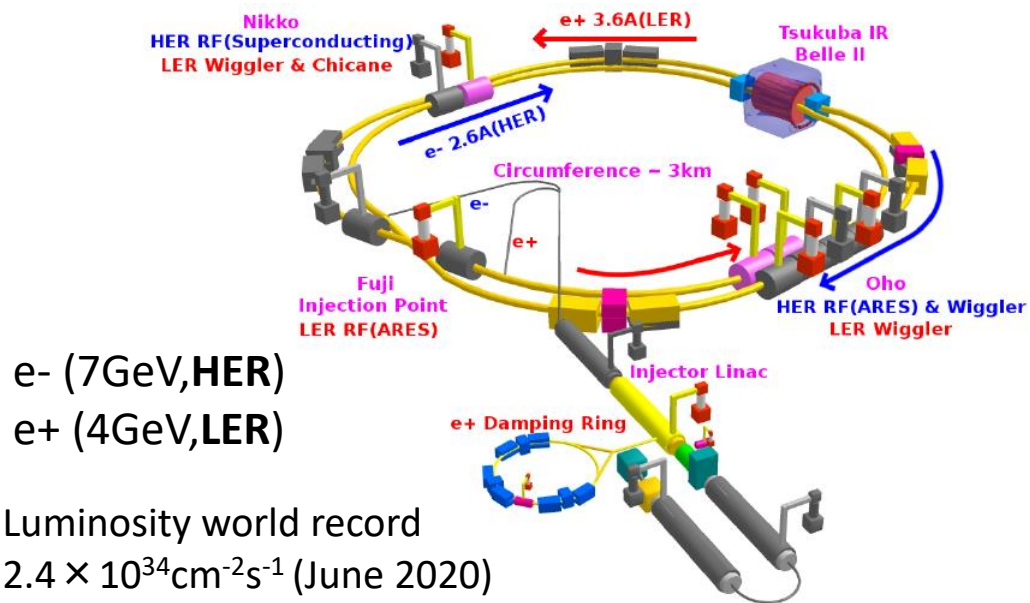
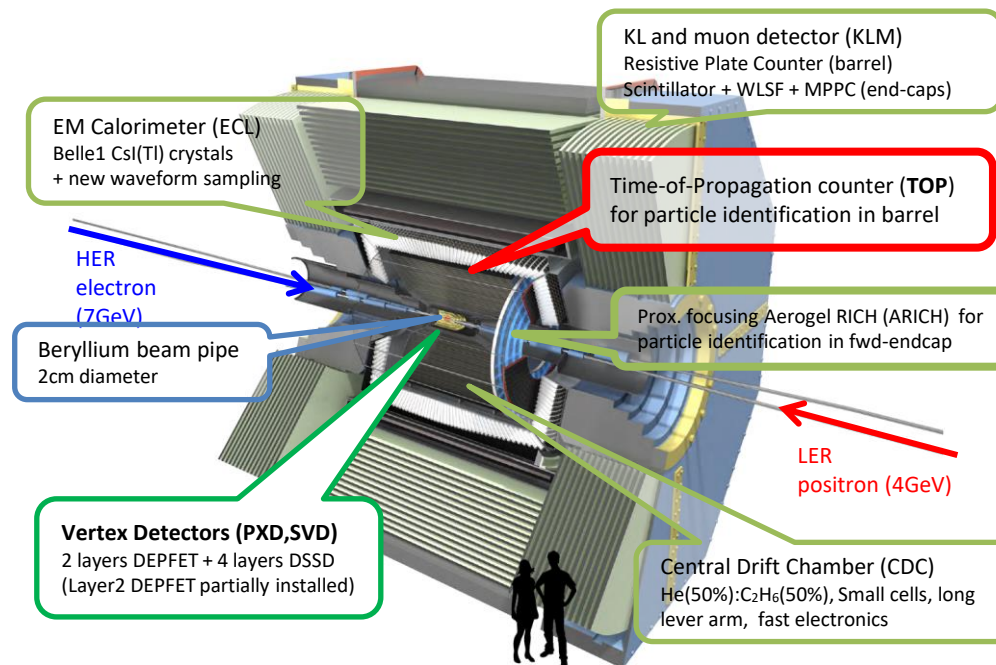


SuperKEKB



Belle II



Beam background measurements at SuperKEKB/Belle-II



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Beam background at SuperKEKB

- Beam-induced background (beam BG) is dangerous for SuperKEKB/Belle II
- Beam BG determines survival time of Belle II sensor components and might lead to severe instantaneous damage
- It also increases sensor occupancy and irreducible analysis BG

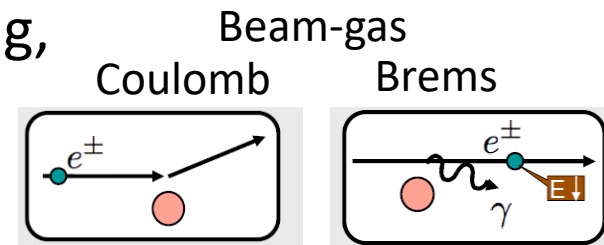
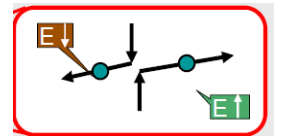
- SuperKEKB Beam BG sources

- *Single-beam BG*: **Touschek**, **Beam-gas Coulomb**/Bremsstrahlung, Synchrotron radiation, **injection BG**

- *Luminosity BG*: Radiative Bhabha, two-photon BG, etc..

(Lumi-BG is now smaller than single-beam BGs, but will dominate at the full design current)

Touschek



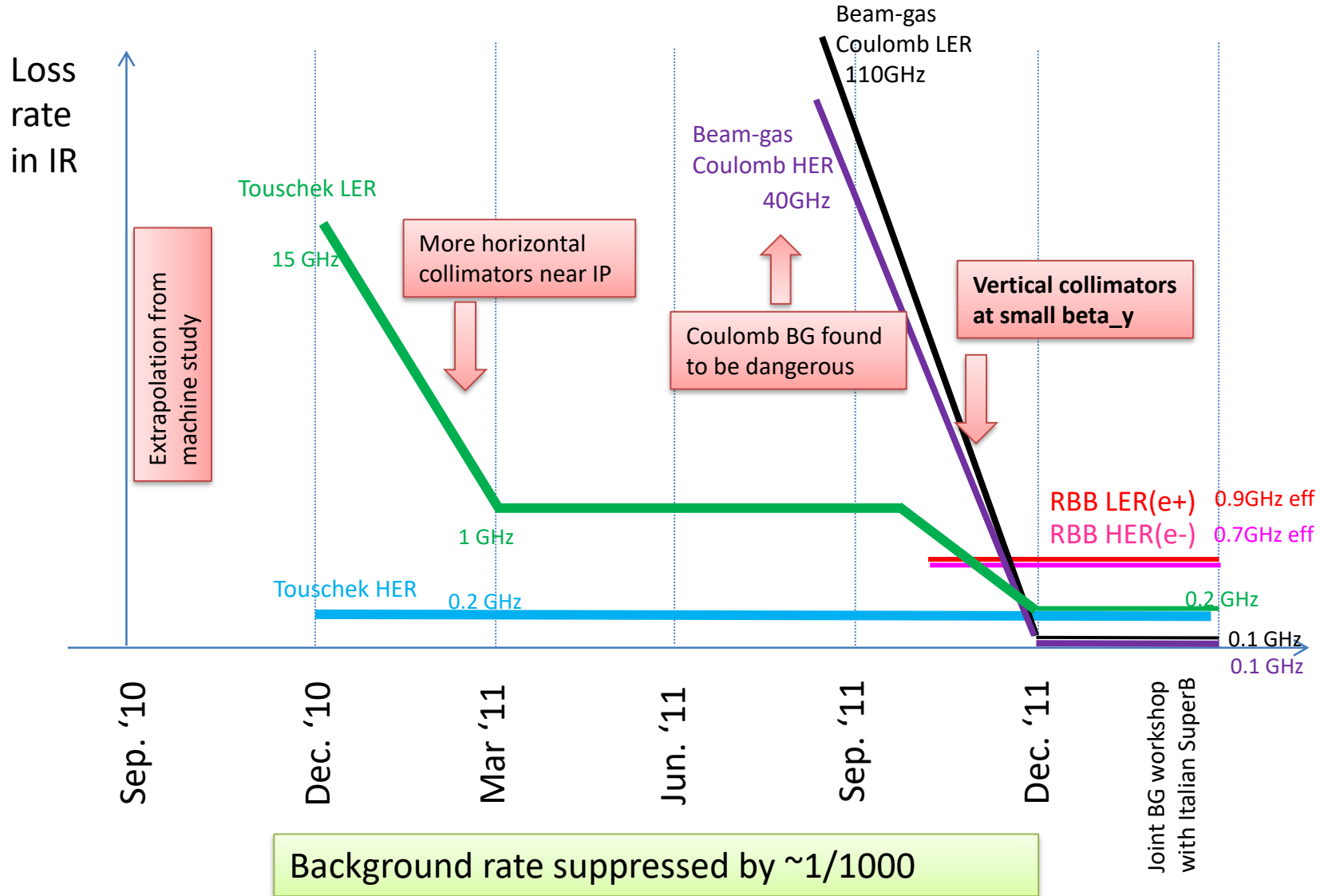
Rad. Bhabha: $e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-\gamma$

Two photon: $e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-e^+e^-$

How to cope with beam BG?

- **Movable collimators** in the main ring (see the following pages)
 - Cut beam tails: stop stray particles before they reach the detector region
- **Thick tungsten shield** around the major beam loss spots
 - Showers generated in the final focus quads are stopped before entering Belle II region

Background reduction history



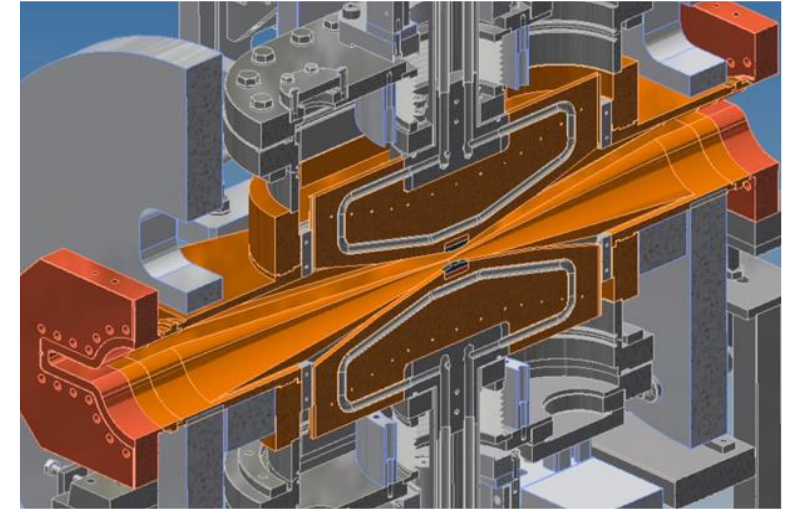
Vertical Collimators: very narrow

- To reduce beam-gas Coulomb IR loss, we need very narrow (<~2mm half width) vertical collimators
- **TMC instability is an issue**: low-impedance head design is important, and collimators should be installed at the position where beta_y is rather small

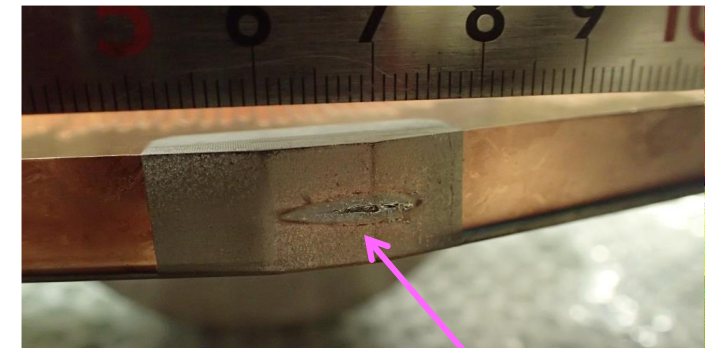
(*) "Small-Beta Collimation at SuperKEKB to Stop Beam-Gas Scattered Particles and to Avoid Transverse Mode Coupling Instability", H, Nakayama et al, *Conf.Proc.C 1205201* (2012) 1104-1106

- Precise head control ($\Delta d \sim 50 \mu\text{m}$) is required, (IR loss is quite sensitive to the collimator width)
- Collimator head should survive severe beam loss
→ Tungsten (or Tantalum) jaws were severely damaged and replaced several times. Low-Z head tip (carbon) was installed during 2020 autumn run but its impedance was found out to be too large (Beam size blow up due to TMC instability was observed)

SuperKEKB-type vertical collimator



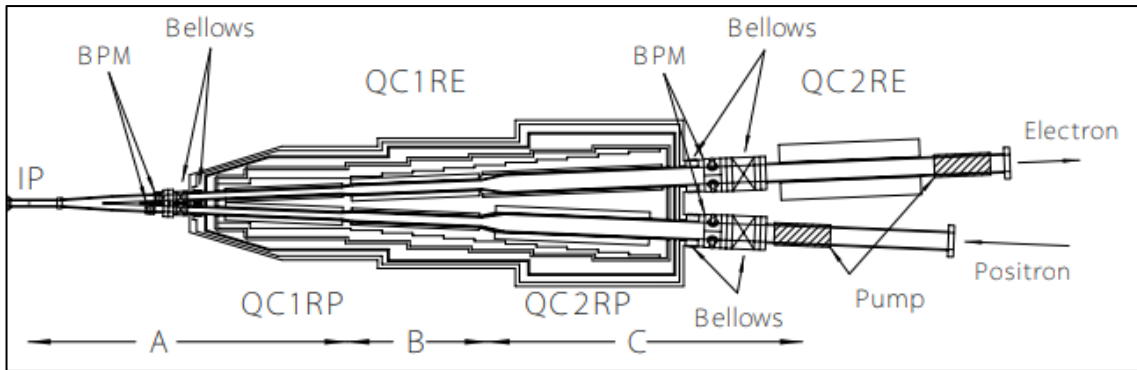
Collimator head damaged by severe beam loss



Scar along the beam line

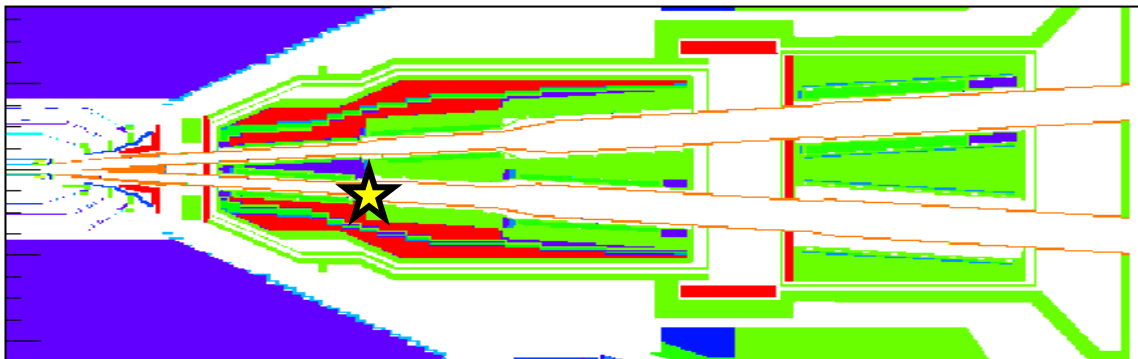
QCS (final focusing magnet) cryostat design: in TDR(2010) and final(2016)

TDR(2010)



- TDR is prepared just after the change of SuperKEKB design concept (“High current ” → “Nano-beam”)
- At that time, no background estimation was available for the “Nano-beam” beam optics
- No shield considered inside the cryostat

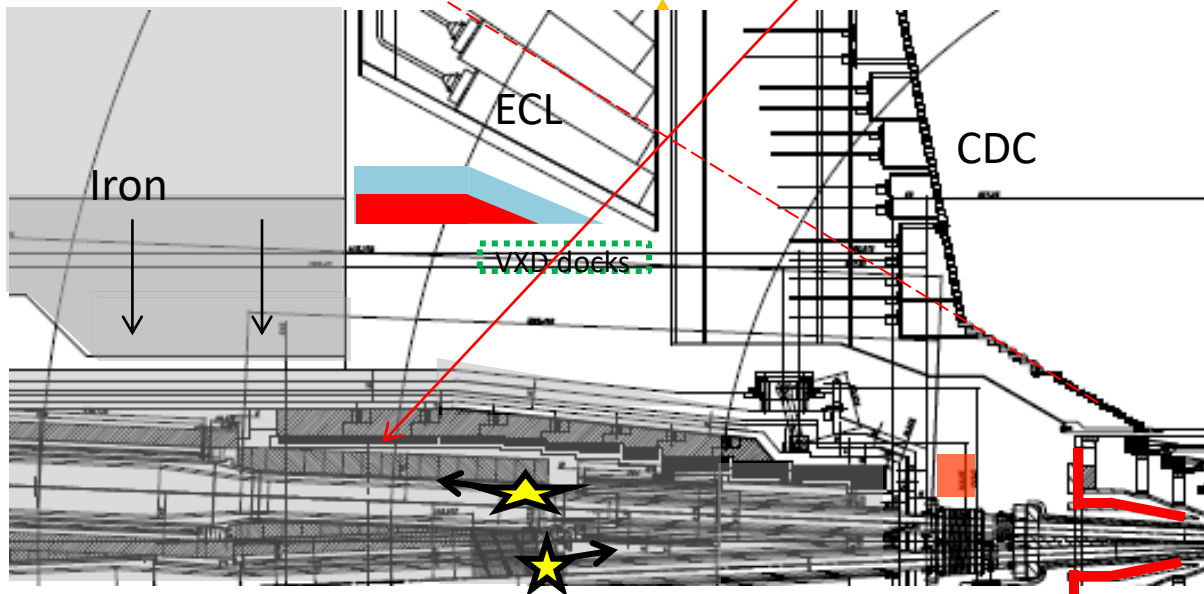
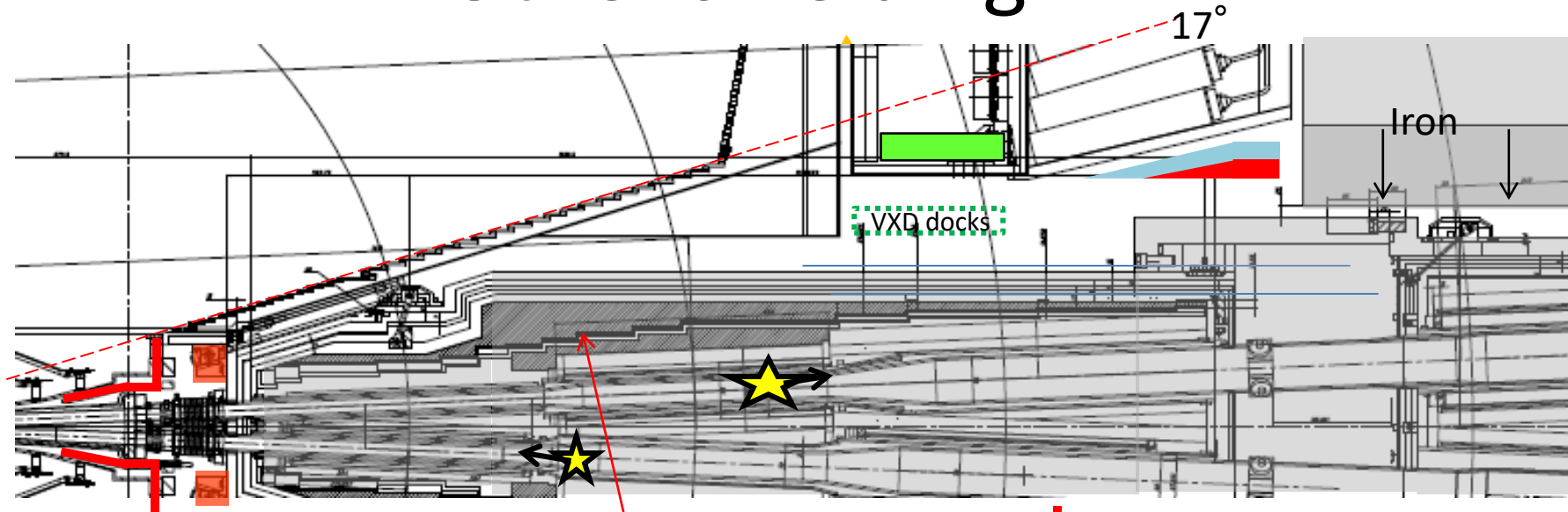
Final design

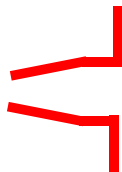





- As background simulation developed, we found a significant beam loss inside the final focus magnet
- We made a strong request to put as much heavy-metal shield as possible inside the QCS cryostat
- It was painful, since the mechanical design needed major modifications

Takeaway message: Reserve enough space for the BG shields between detectors and beam pipes!

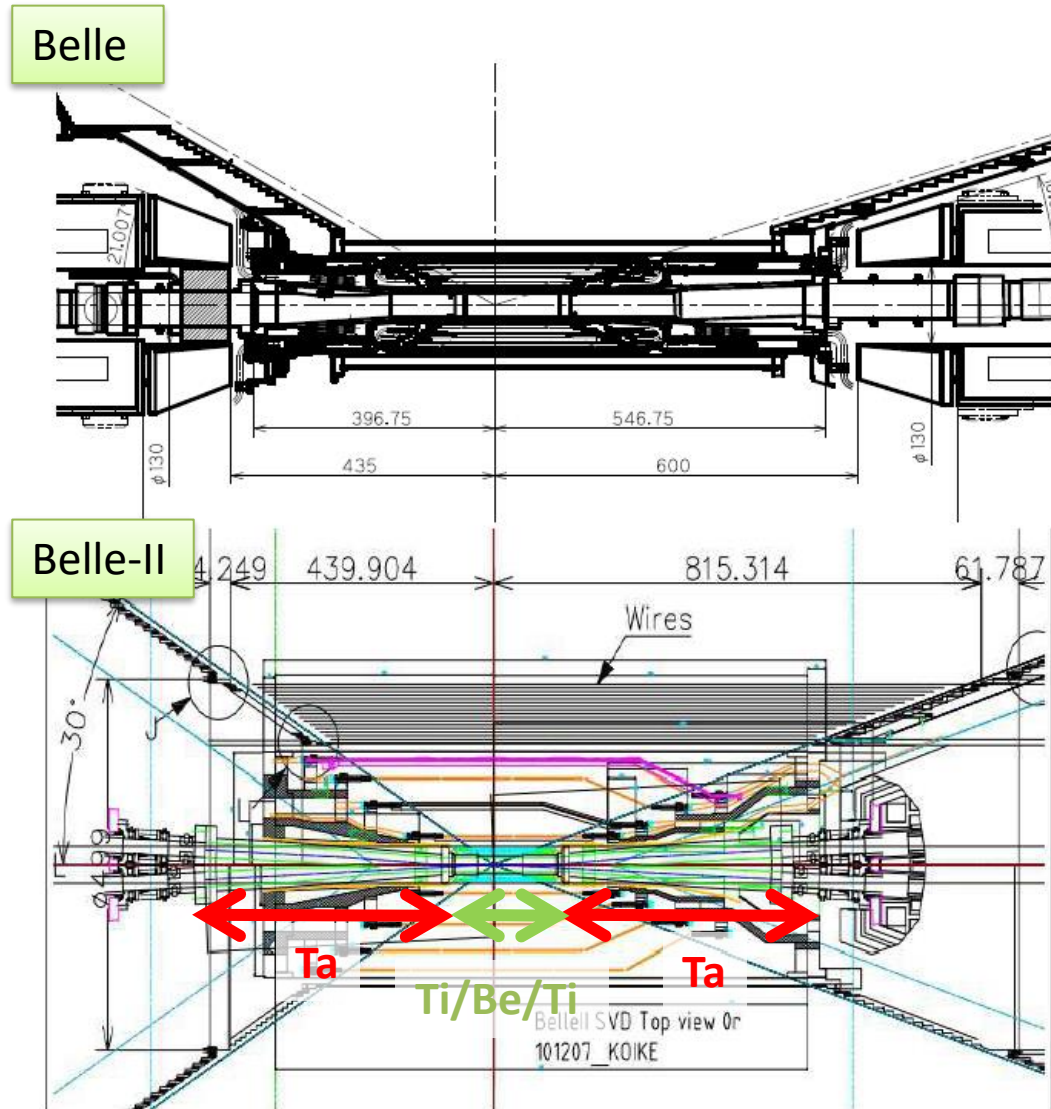
Other shielding



-  Heavy metal shields to protect VXD from showers generated in cryostat
-  Neutron shield to protect HAPDs in ARICH (Boron-doped Polyethylene)
-  ECL shield, for included for (Lead + Polyethylene)
-  Remote Vacuum Connection structure in front of QCS reduces showers from RBB loss at $|s| \sim 60\text{cm}$ (6cm-thick SUS)

MDI design

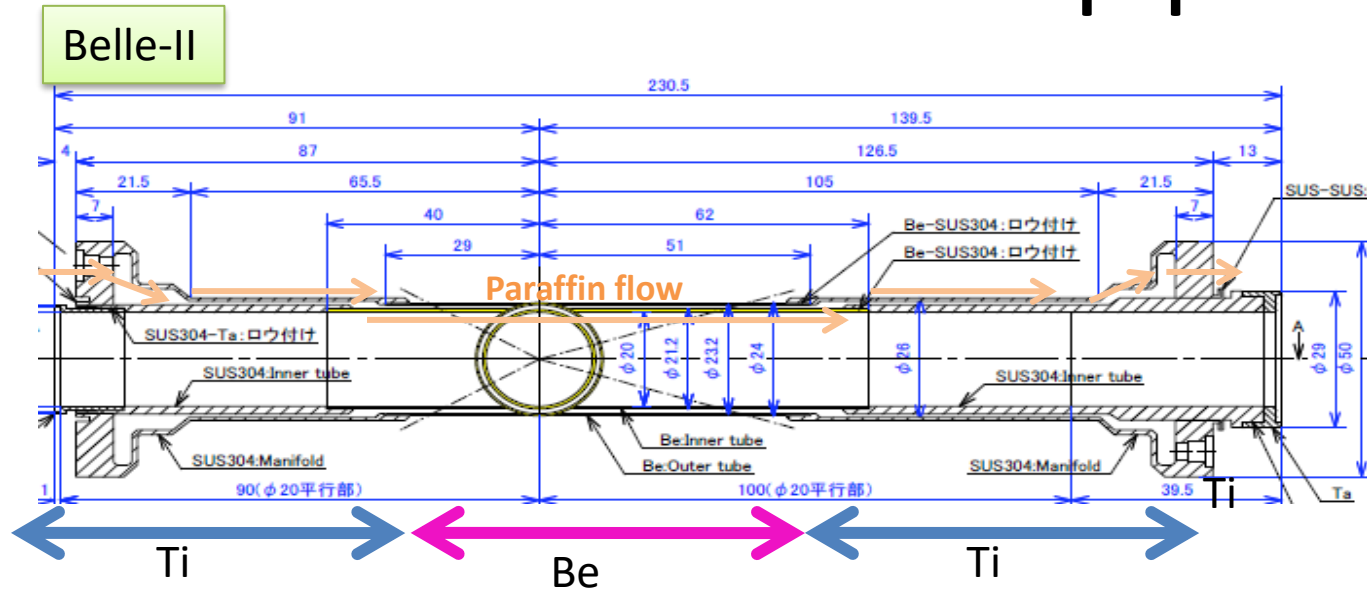
Interaction region



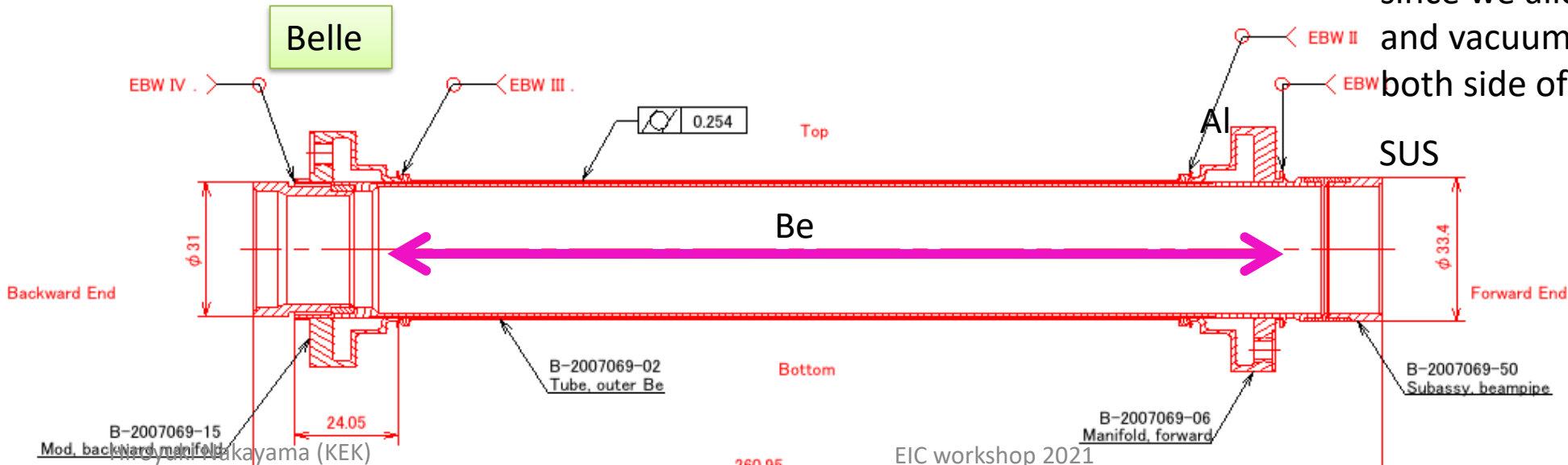
<Belle-II>

- Smaller IP beam pipe radius ($r=15\text{mm}\Rightarrow 10\text{mm}$)
- Wider beam crossing angle ($22\text{mrad}\Rightarrow 83\text{mrad}$)
- Crotch part: Ta pipe
- Pipe crotch starts from closer to IP, complicated structure
- New detector: PXD (more cables should go out)

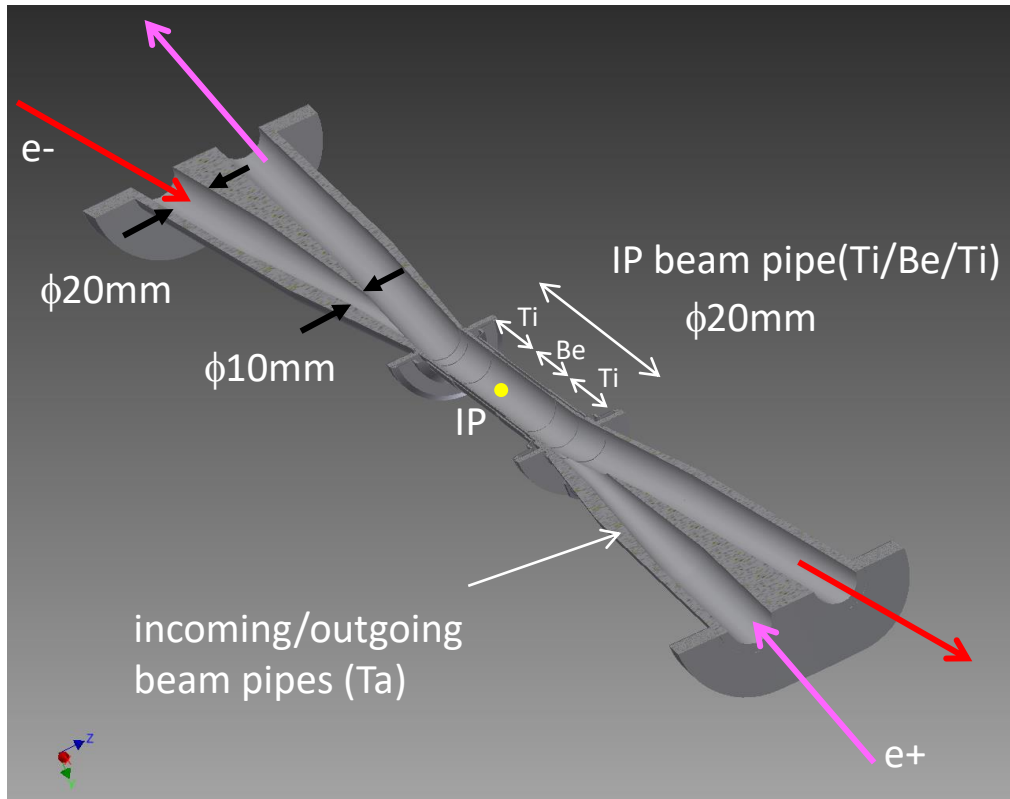
IP beam pipe



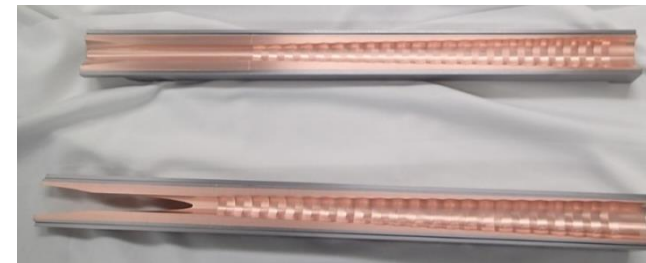
- Light material (Be) inside detector acceptance
- Paraffin ($C_{10}H_{22}$) flow to remove heat from mirror current ($\sim 80W$)
- Gold plating ($\sim 10\mu m$) on inner wall to stop SR
- Much simpler Be shape (also much cheaper) since we allow Paraffin and vacuum to attach both side of welding



Dedicated IP beam pipe design to mitigate synchrotron radiation BG



- Belle II IP beam pipes are specially designed to mitigate SR background
- **Collimation on incoming beam pipe** ($\phi 20\text{mm} \rightarrow \phi 10\text{mm}$) stops most of SR photons in parallel with the beam
 - Direct SR hit on Be part of IP beam pipe is negligible
 - No collimation on outgoing pipes so that HOM can escape
- **“Ridge” structures** on inner surface of the collimation pipe can prevent forward-scattering of SR photons
 - One-bounce SR hit on Be part can also be negligible

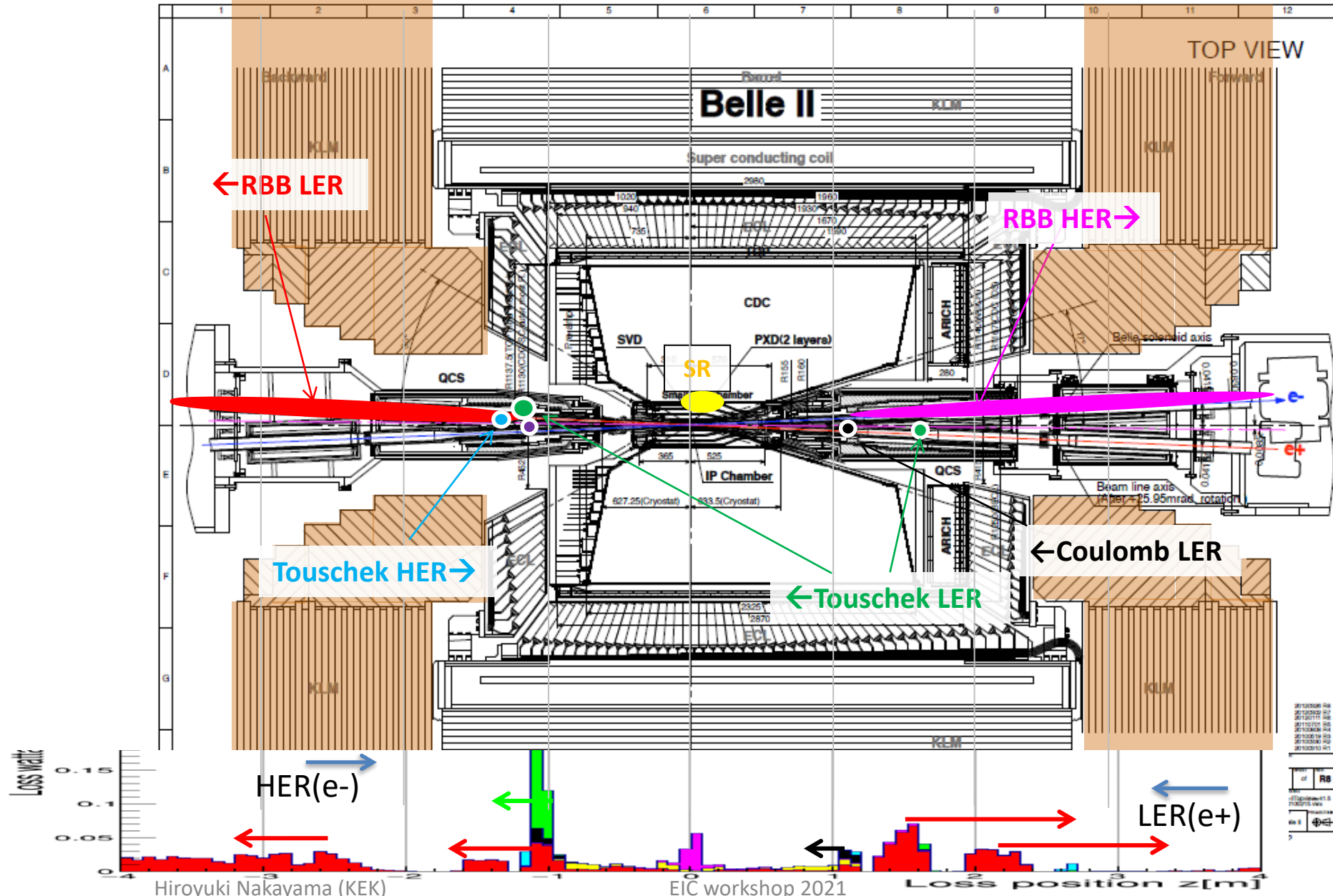


Ridge structure

Inner surface of Be pipe are coated with Au layer (10 μm)

Background Global picture

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Background simulation tools

- Use SAD for multi-turn tracking in the entire rings
 - **collimator tip-scattering**: recently implemented by Andrii Natochii
- Use GEANT4 for single-turn tracking within detector and full simulation

BG type	BG generator	Tracking	Detector full simulation
Touschek/Beam-gas	Theoretical formulae [1]	SAD [2] (up to ~1000 turns)	GEANT4
Radiative Bhabha	BBBREM/BHWIDE	GEANT4 (multi-turn loss is small)	GEANT4
2-photon	AAFH	GEANT4 (multi-turn loss is small)	GEANT4
Synchrotron radiation	Physics model in GEANT4 (SynRad)	GEANT4	GEANT4

[1] Y. Ohnishi et al., PTEP **2013**, 03A011 (2013).

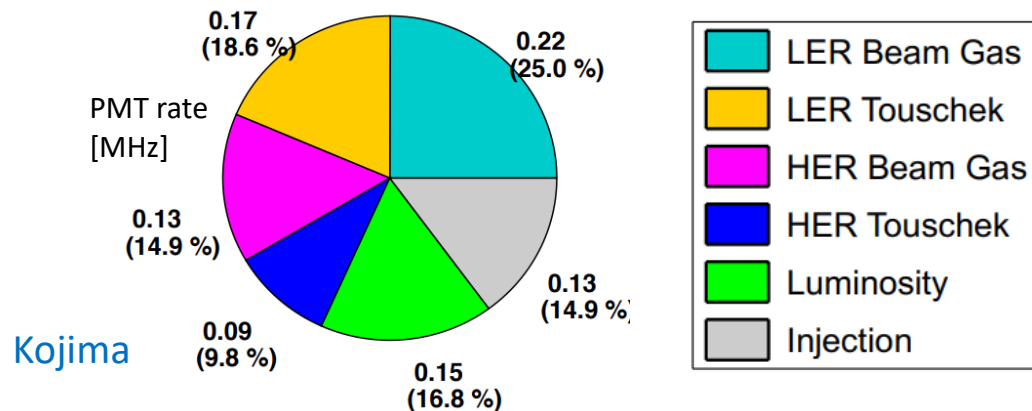
[2] SAD is a “Home-brew” tracking code by KEKB group, <http://acc-physics.kek.jp/SAD/>

Background measurements

Beam Background measured in 2020

- TOP counter is the Belle II sub-detector most vulnerable to beam backgrounds
 - Finite PMT photocathode lifetime, replacement work at the long shutdown needed
- LER beam-gas BG has reduced since 2019, but still the largest component
 - Vacuum scrubbing progress, tighter collimator settings, etc.

TOP background breakdown during recent physics runs



June 28, 2020
beta* γ = 0.8mm

Input values to calculate background rate.

$$I^{\text{HER}} = 500 \text{ mA}$$

$$\sigma_y^{\text{HER}} = 34 \text{ } \mu\text{m}$$

$$N_b^{\text{HER}} = 978$$

$$I^{\text{LER}} = 480 \text{ mA}$$

$$\sigma_y^{\text{LER}} = 66 \text{ } \mu\text{m}$$

$$N_b^{\text{LER}} = 978$$

$$\mathcal{L} = 1.5 \times 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$$

e⁻ (7GeV,HER)
e⁺ (4GeV,LER)

Single-beam BG study

for measuring Touschek and Beam-gas component separately

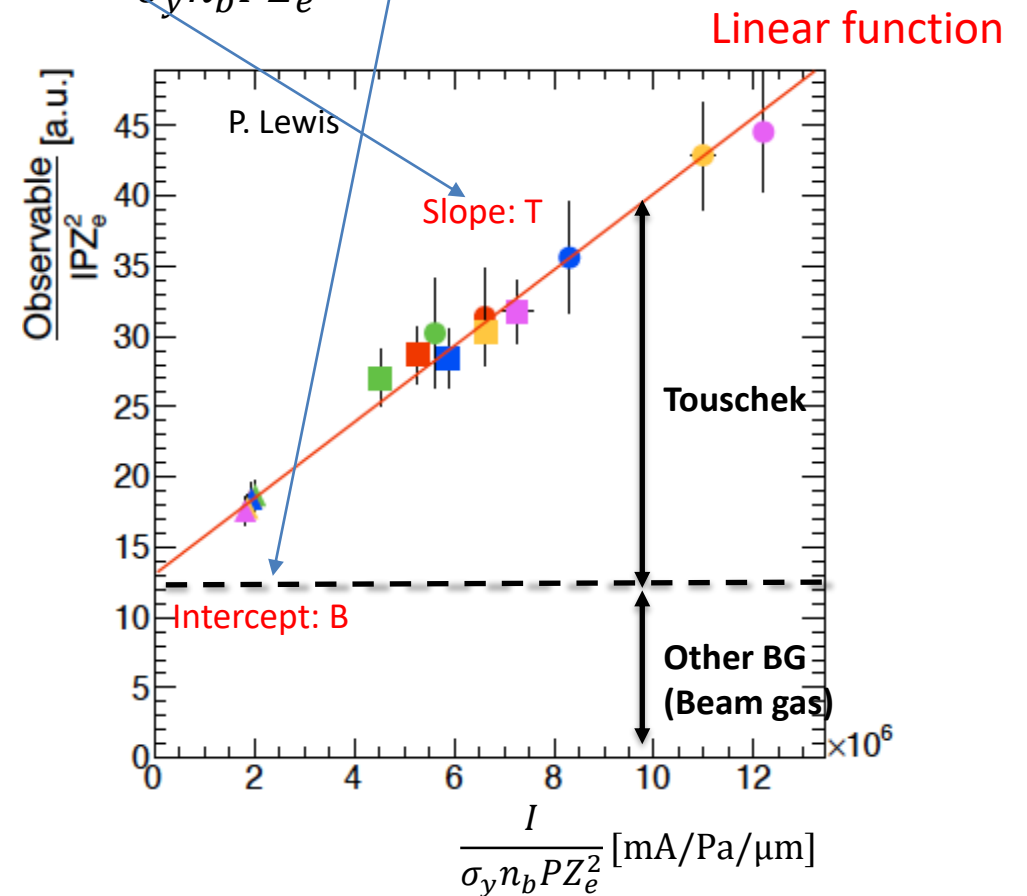
Touschek component also depends on bunch length σ_z

$$Rate = T \frac{I^2}{\sigma_y n_b} + B Z_e^2 I P \quad \xrightarrow{P = P_0 + cI} \quad Rate/Z_e^2 I P = T \frac{I}{\sigma_y n_b P Z_e^2} + B$$

T, B: Touschek/Beam-gas coefficient
 σ_y : vertical beam size, n_b : number of bunches
 P: pressure, I: beam current
 Z_e : effective atomic number of residual gas

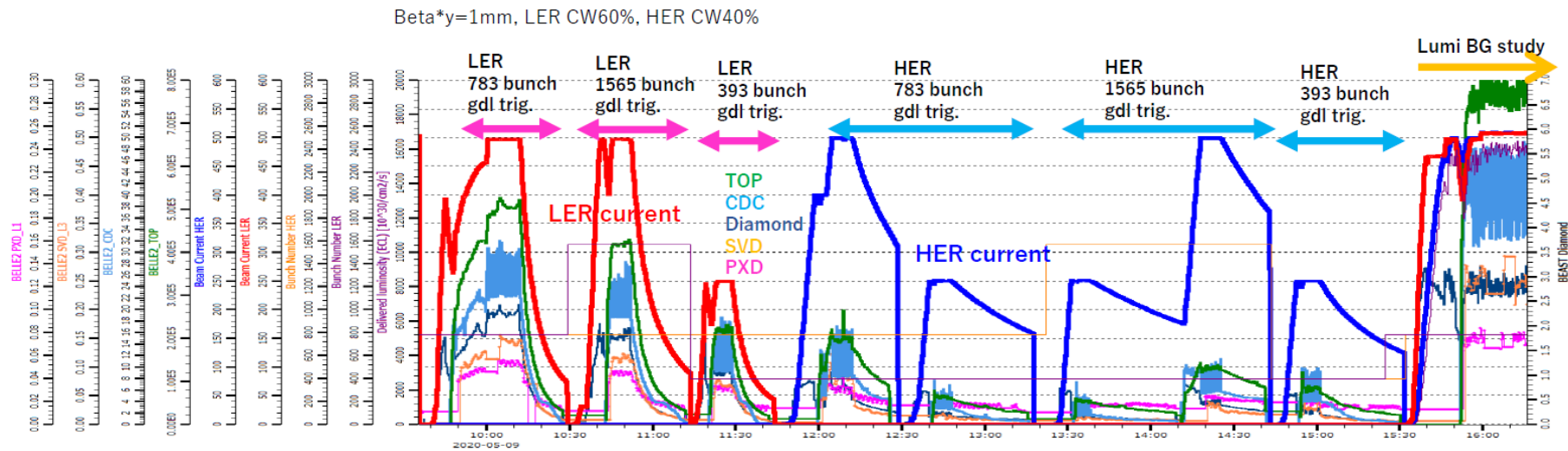
Strategy:

- Single-beam (no collision). Assume Touschek + Beam-gas and no other BG component
- Vary number of bunches (or beam size), which should affect Touschek component only
- Fit for T and B coefficients and compare them against estimation by MC
- Use measured data/MC ratio for correcting the simulated BG rates at future optics
- Lumi-BG can also be measured as “total BG at collision runs” – “sum of single-beam BGs”



A snapshot from a single-beam BG study

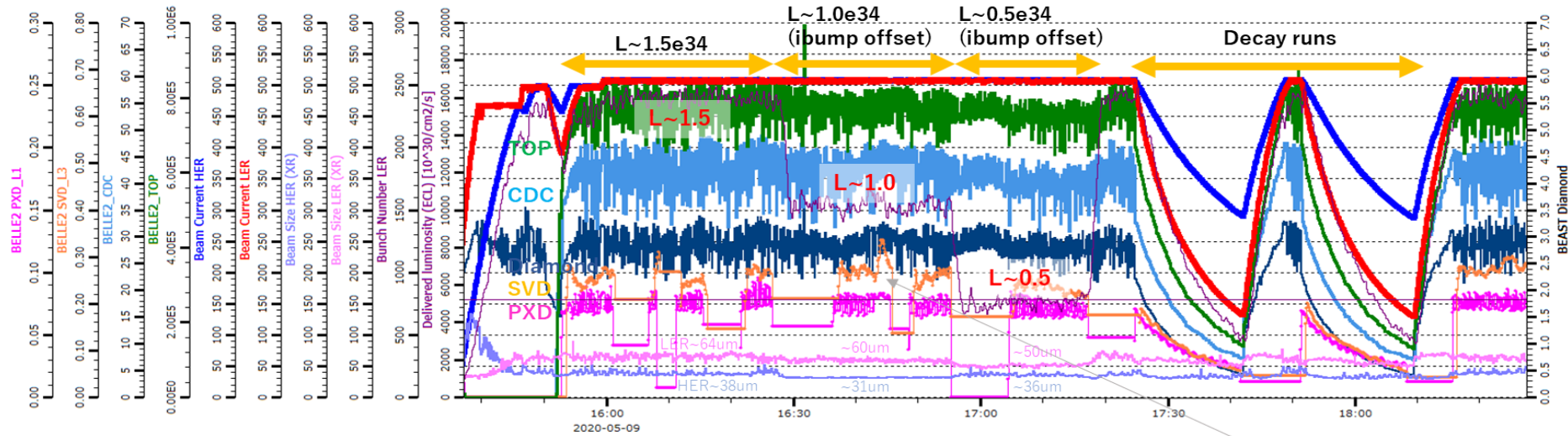
Example: LER/HER single-beam study on May 9th, 2020



- Number of bunches: Nb=783/1565/393.
- As we increase number of bunches, Belle II BG rates at the same beam current becomes smaller (due to decrease in Touschek BG)
- Beam size scan is not used recently, since unexpected BG increase was observed at larger beam size.
- Observed dependency are consistent with the “Touschek+ Beam-gas” model (no significant indication of other BG sources)

A snapshot from a Lumi-BG study

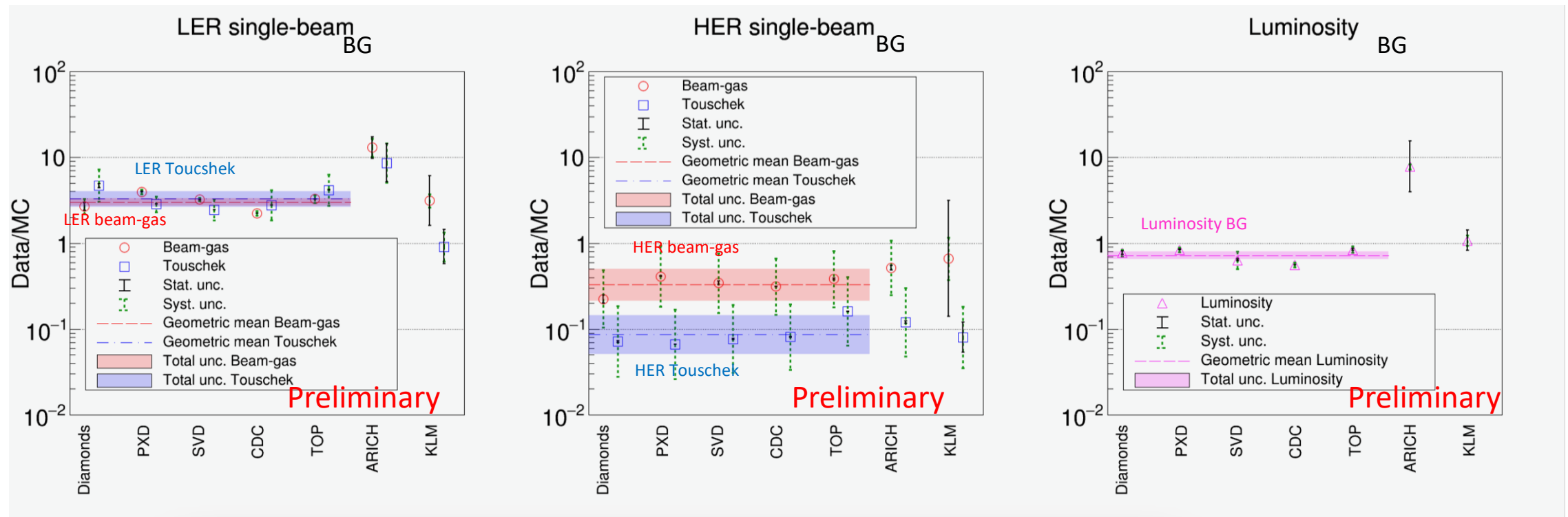
Beta*y=1mm, LER CW60%, HER CW40%



- “Continuous injection” runs
 - $L=1.5 \rightarrow 1.0 \rightarrow 0.5e34$, by vertically displacing two beams (“ibump V-offset”)
 - Beam sizes slightly changes as luminosity changes
- “Beam decay” runs (no injections)
 - Measurement not affected by injection BG
- Measure lumi-BG component by subtracting single-beam BG components scaled with current, beam size, etc..
- Measured Lumi-BG agrees with simulation at the ~10% level in TOP, PXD !!
 - Also agrees between “continuous injection” and “beam decay” data

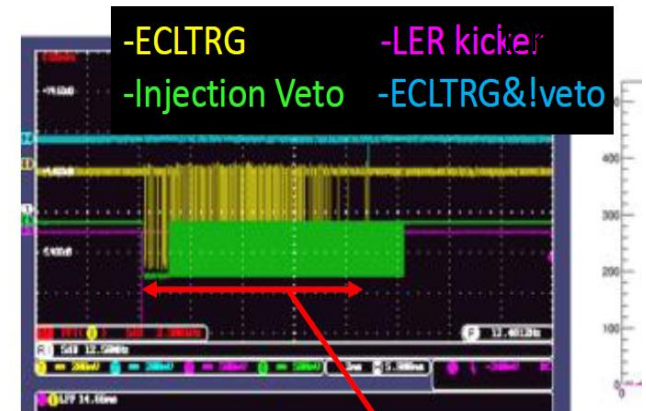
Data/MC ratio

- Data/MC ratio is now within $O(10)$ for all BG components
- Long-lasting HER Touschek discrepancy finally solved by simulation improvement taking into more realistic collimator scattering
- Measured lumi-BG stays consistent with prediction (will dominate at full luminosity)



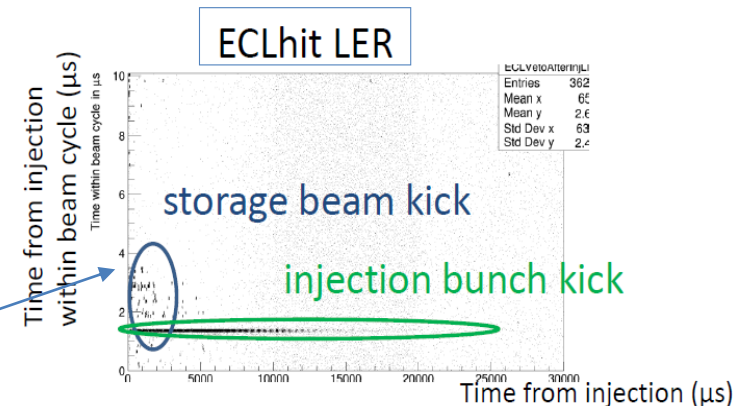
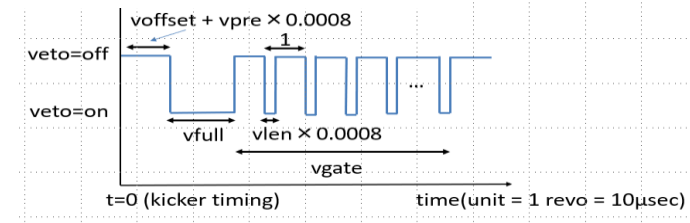
Issues: Injection BG duration

- Belle II DAQ apply **trigger veto** after each injection, since the injected bunch gets noisy for a while
- Typical duration of injection BG → LER: ~10ms, HER: ~5ms
 - Corresponds to 5~10% downtime
 - longer veto window → lose integrated luminosity
- Dedicated machine studies are conducted in 2020
 - Single beam: BG duration \propto bunch current
 - Colliding beams: BG duration longer than single-beam
 - *beam-beam effect?*
 - Not only the injected bunch, but also later bunches are lost. However, “blank-shot” injections don’t give any BG duration
 - *Coupling btw. injected bunch and later bunches?*
 - Delayed arrival of neutrons generated at upstream collimators?*
 - Simulation effort to reproduce these behaviors is ongoing



“Injection BG duration”

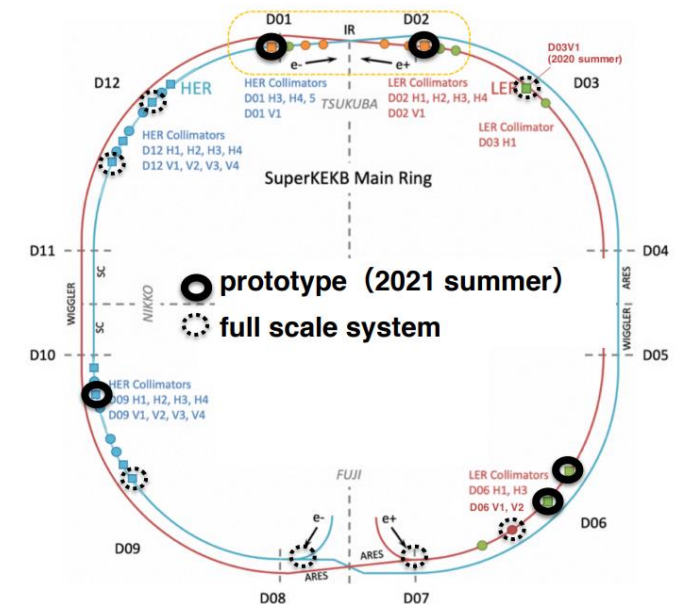
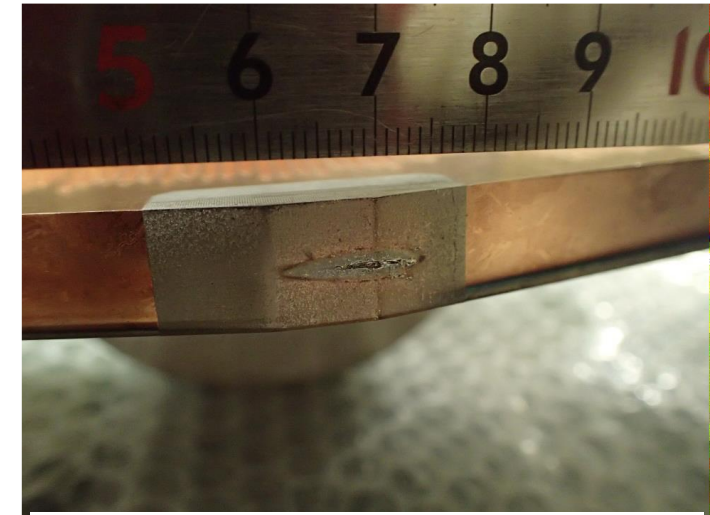
Injection veto window



“blank-shot” injection: kickers are fired but no charge is injected

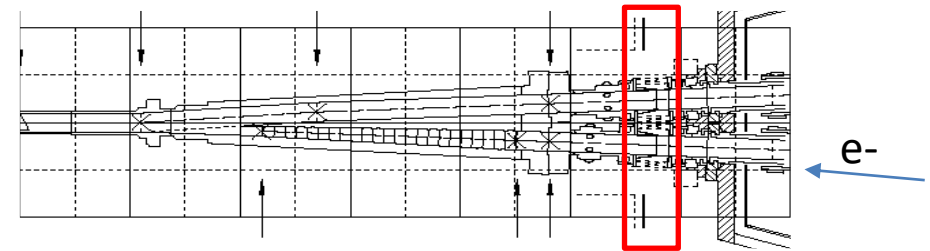
Issues: Large Beam Loss Events

- Large beam loss events
 - Lead to QCS quench & collimator damage
 - Stop run for collimator head replacement work
 - Limit max. beam currents for physics runs
- The cause of these events is still unknown
 - Beam-dust event? Beam instability?
 - Detailed analysis ongoing, using beam loss timing recorded by various beam loss monitors along the ring

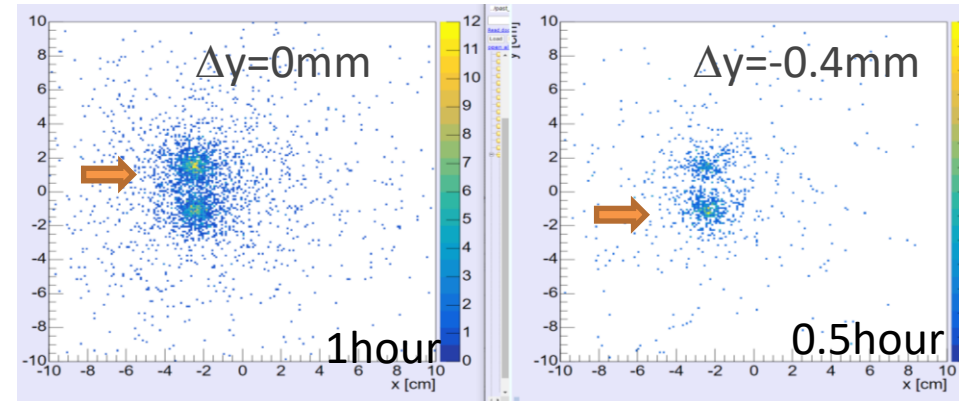


Machine tuning during operation for BG reduction

- Question from Elke-san:
 - What are you doing during beam operations to reduce the backgrounds, in addition to **collimation**? I'm thinking of changing beam optics, improve vacuum, reduce beam tails and so on.
- Example: **vertical IP orbit angle** adjustment
 - By adjusting vertical IP orbit angle so that vertical beam tails equally touch the upper and lower beam pipe inner surface, the beam BG rate can be decreased by ~20%.

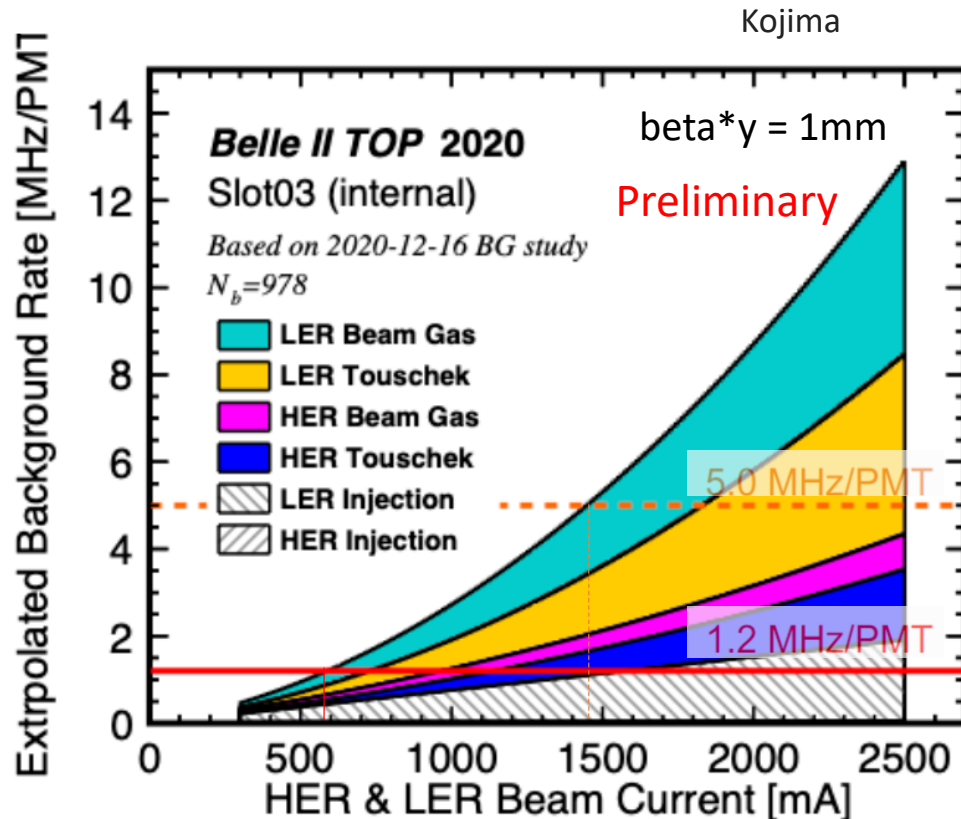


Vertex reconstructed from BG tracks



Beam BG at the design luminosity

Beam BG extrapolation toward future



- Naïve extrapolation, no BG mitigation assumed (beam-gas should decrease as vacuum baking goes)
- Luminosity-BG component not shown here

- TOP PMT rate will increase as we accumulate more beam current to reach higher luminosity
- Since 2021, we relax the PMT rate limit from 1.2MHz to 3MHz, until the PMT replacement work during Long Shutdown in 2022 summer
- After LS2022, we might relax the limit to 5MHz, if we replace PMT once again in LS2026.
- Even with 5MHz limit, reachable current ($\sim 1.5A$) will be smaller than the design current(2.6A) without background mitigation.

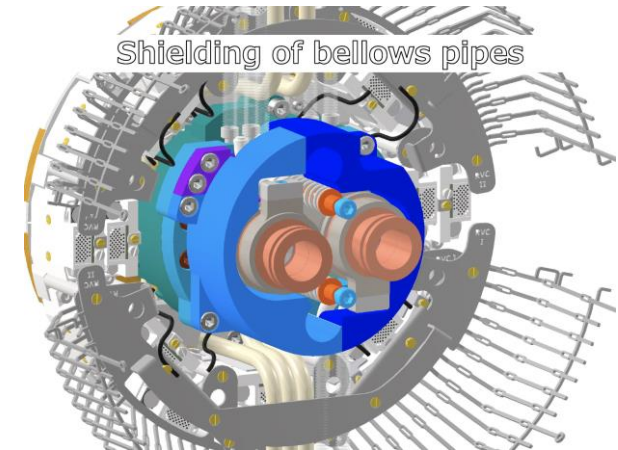
NEED FURTHER MITIGATION!

(see next page for possible mitigation ideas)

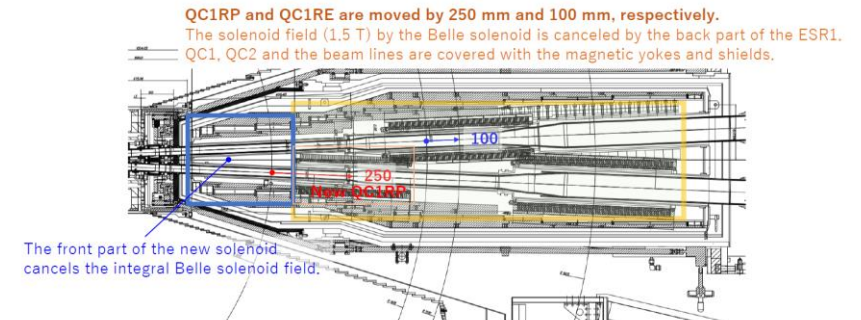
Further BG mitigation possibilities

- Vacuum scrubbing
 - beam-gas background will be gradually improved as baking proceeds
- Collimators
 - Optimize collimators as β^*y becomes smaller (add new ones and/or move current ones to different places in the ring)
 - As injection gets more stable and cleaner, we can further squeeze collimators to reduce storage BG
 - However, TMC instability will be our bottleneck to add/squeeze collimators
- Additional shield around QCS bellows (2022)
 - Cover the bellows pipe area where BG showers leak out
 - Only small space left for the shield (mostly occupied by sensor cables)
 - Further BG reduction for TOP/CDC
- Final focus magnet modification (2026 or later?)
 - Less overlap of solenoid and quads \rightarrow suppress beam-beam blowup
 - Wider beam pipe aperture \rightarrow less beam loss, relax collimator TMC

Additional shield around QCS bellows



Final focus magnet remodeling

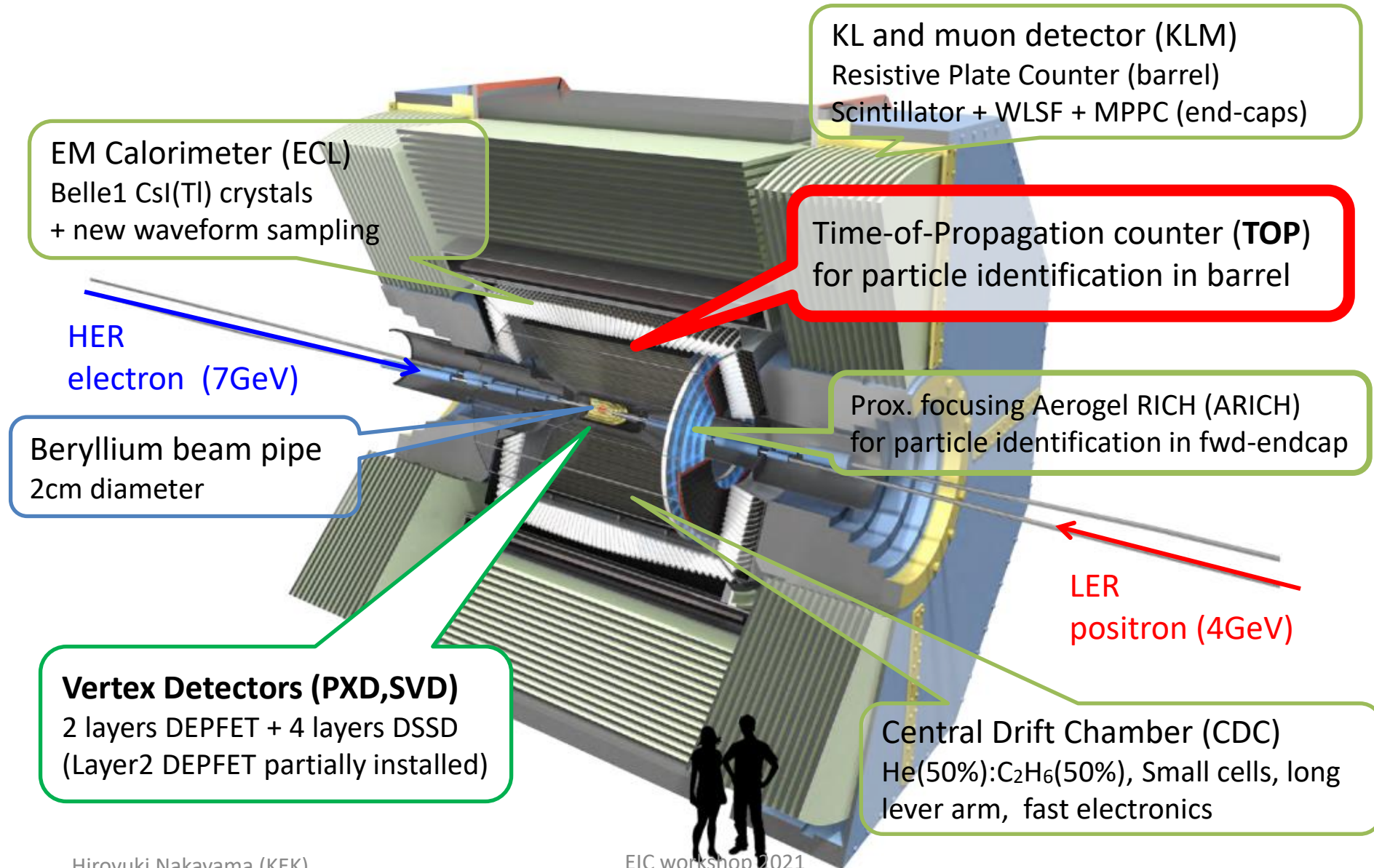


Overall summary

- Beam background at SuperKEKB can be dangerous and various countermeasures have been applied
- BG simulation predicts the impact on Belle II sensors
- Dedicated machine studies can measure each BG sources separately and can provide scaling factors between data and MC, which can be used for future extrapolation
- We need further mitigation to cope with beam background at the full design luminosity

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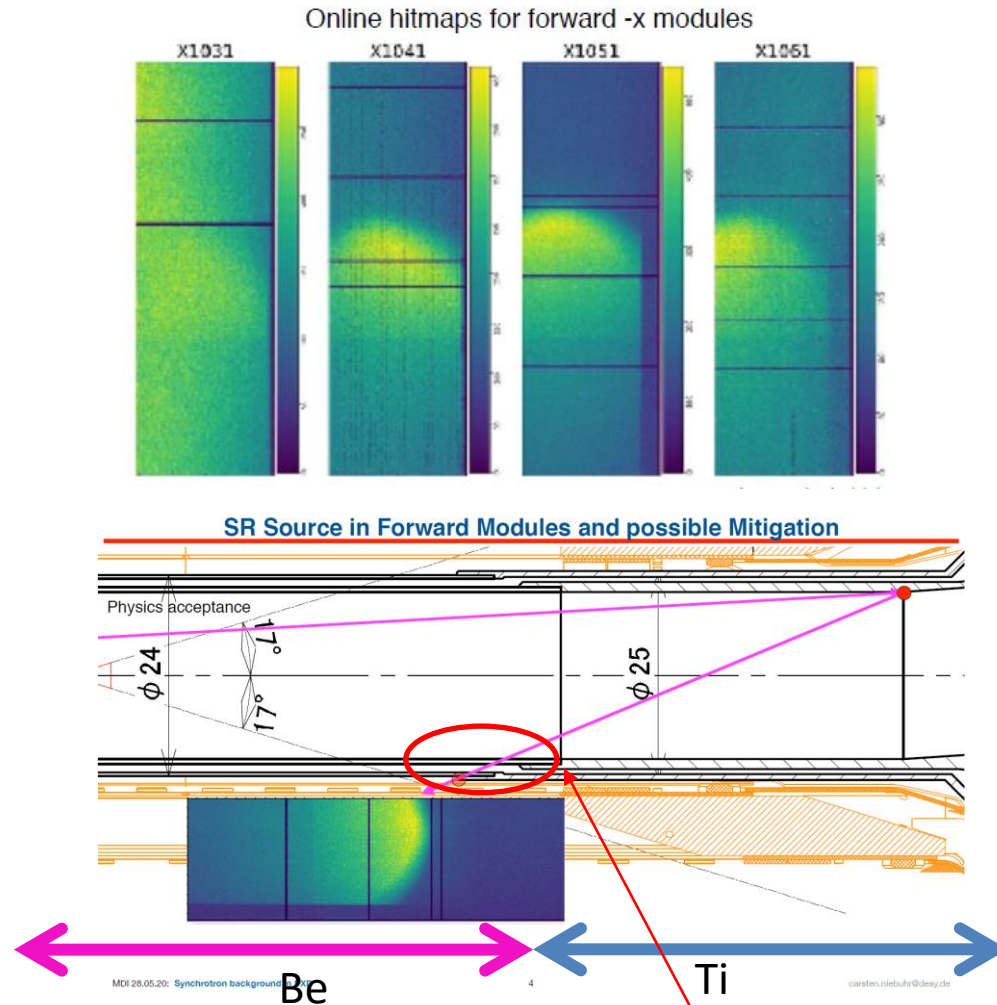
Where's "TOP" in Belle II Detector



BG measurement in 2020

Issues: PXD SR during HER injection

Carsten



- SR hit pattern on PXD forward -X modules
- Became stronger when HER beta*_x was squeezed
- **Only visible during HER injection**
 - not observed with “blank-shot” HER injections
- HER horizontal tune adjustment shows no significant improvement within acceptable tune range
- HER D01H collimator adjustment didn't improve SR

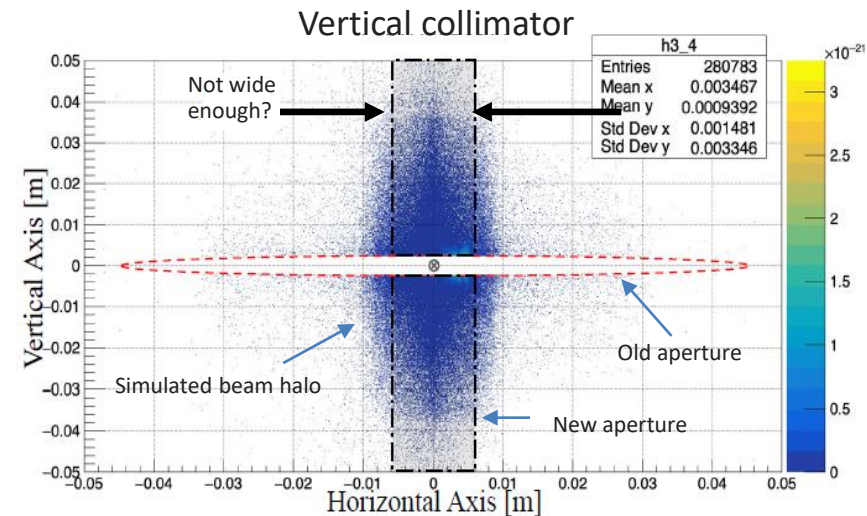
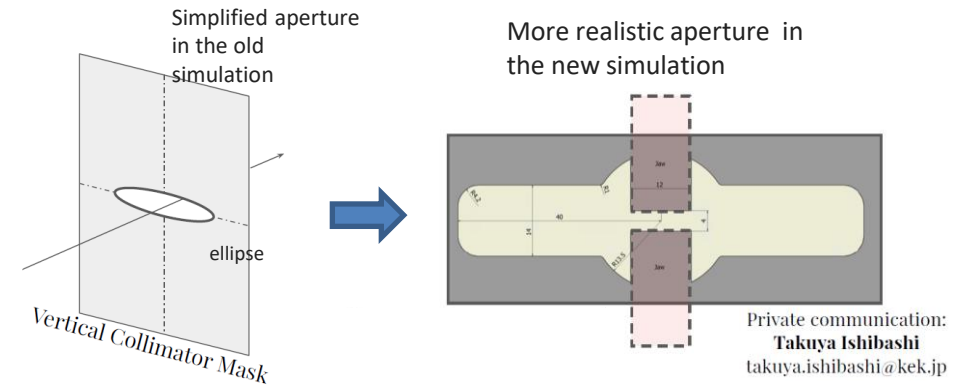
PXD SR is not critical right now, but we need to keep our eyes on it.

We plan to add gold layer here for the new beam pipe (2022)

Recent improvements to simulation

A. Natochii

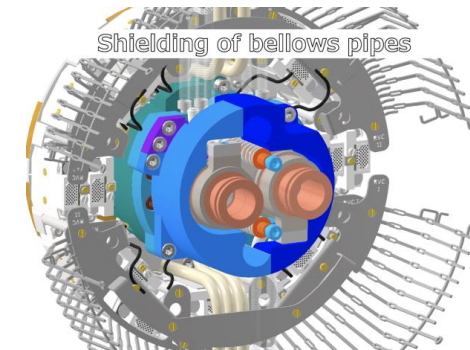
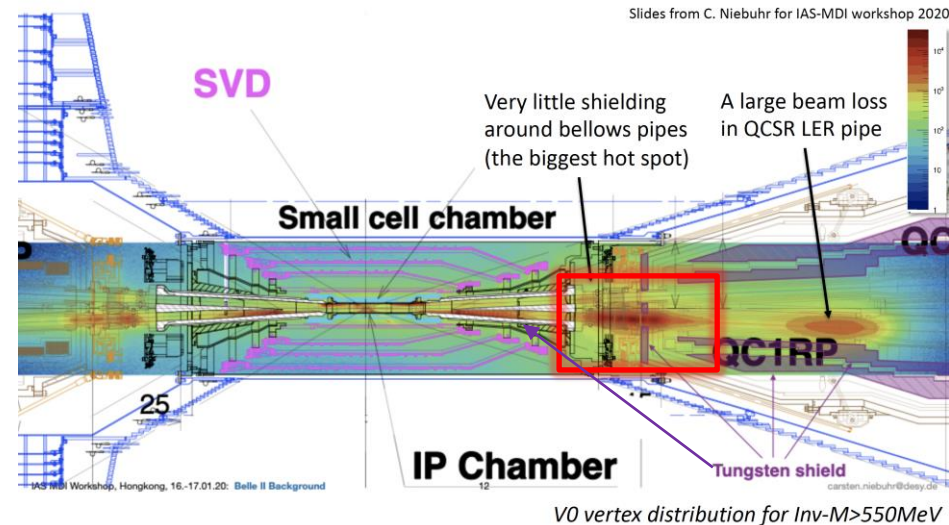
- **Andrii Natochii** implemented an improved framework for beam-particle tracking in SuperKEKB
 - New features: apply collimation after particle tracking, pressure-weighted beam-gas simulation, custom beam pipe aperture shapes, etc..
- Largest impact: implementation of **correct SuperKEKB collimator shape + tip scattering**
 - Particles previously stopped by the collimators can now reach the IP
- **Up to factor 1000(!) increase in simulated Belle II detector rates, resolving a longstanding HER data/MC discrepancy**
- **Surprisingly, largest effect from collimator shape change transverse to beam axis**
 - This may imply we could benefit from wider collimator heads for HER D1V1, in plane transverse to beam \rightarrow should be studied (kick factor, etc.)



Mitigation ideas: Bellows shielding

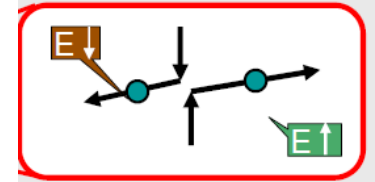
- To reach design luminosity, we need further background mitigation.
- One of ongoing project is an additional shield around bellows pipe where we see “hot spot” in data (also seen in simulation).
- Showers generated at $z=1\text{m}$ leak out to the detector from the bellows part, where we cannot put enough shielding due to inner detector cables
- Shield design is ongoing. The beam loss simulation predicts LER coulomb bkg can be reduced by 53% (CDC), 28% (TOP) with this shield. Also effective to suppress Lumi-BG.

Hot Spots around IR from V0 analysis



SuperKEKB beam backgrounds

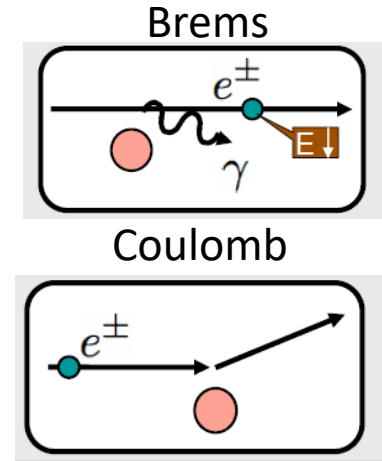
1. Touschek scattering



- Intra-bunch scattering : $\text{Rate} \propto (\text{beam size})^{-1}, (E_{\text{beam}})^{-3}$
- Touschek lifetime: should be $>600\text{sec}$ (required by injector ability)
 - ring total beam loss: $\sim 375\text{GHz}$ (LER), $\sim 270\text{GHz}$ (HER)
- **Countermeasure: horizontal collimators in the ring**
 - collimators added at 0~200m upstream IP are very effective
 - only $O(100\text{MHz})$ loss inside Belle II detector
- Horizontal collimators are installed where β_x or η_x is large

$$d_x = \text{Max}[d_{x\beta}, d_{x\eta}], \quad d_{x\beta} = n_x \sqrt{\epsilon_x \beta_x}, \quad d_{x\eta} = \eta_x (n_z \sigma_\delta)$$

2. Beam-gas scattering



- Scattering by remaining gas, Rate $\propto I \times P$
- Due to smaller beam pipe aperture and larger maximum $\beta\gamma$ at SuperKEKB, beam-gas Coulomb scattering could be more dangerous than in KEKB

$$\frac{1}{\tau_R} = c n_G \langle \sigma_R \rangle = c n_G \frac{4\pi \sum Z^2 r_e^2}{\gamma^2} \left\langle \frac{1}{\theta_c^2} \right\rangle$$

σ_R : cross section of the scattering
 Z : atomic number of gas nucleus, $n_G = 2P/k_B/T$

- Countermeasures: Vertical collimators in the ring
 - very narrow ($< \sim 2\text{mm}$) collimators
 - **TMC instability issue** at high current
 - Need to install where β_y is rather small

	KEKB LER	SuperKEKB LER
QC1 beam pipe radius: r_{QC1}	35mm	13.5mm
Max. vertical beta (in QC1): $\beta_{y,QC1}$	600m	2900m
Averaged vertical beta: $\langle \beta_y \rangle$	23m	50m
Min. scattering angle: θ_c	0.3 mrad	0.036 mrad
Beam-gas Coulomb lifetime: τ_R	>10 hours	35 min

Where should we put the vertical collimators?

Collimator aperture should be narrower than QC1 aperture.

$$d/\sqrt{\varepsilon\beta} < r_{QC1}/\sqrt{\varepsilon\beta_{QC1}} \quad \Rightarrow \quad d_{\max} \propto \beta^{1/2}$$

TMC instability should be avoided.

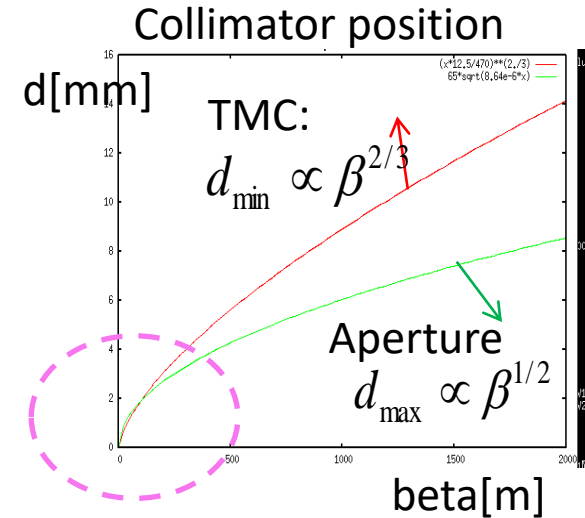
Transverse Mode Coupling
instability

Assuming following two formulae:

$$I_{\text{thresh}} = \frac{C_1 f_s E / e}{\sum_i \beta_i k_{\perp i}(\sigma_z)} > 1.44 \text{ mA/bunch (LER)}$$

taken from "Handbook of accelerator physics and engineering, p.121"

Kick factor $k_{\perp} = 0.215 A Z_0 c \sqrt{\frac{\theta}{\sigma_z d^3}}$
(in case of rectangular collimator window)



$$d_{\min} \propto \beta^{2/3}$$

We should put collimator where beta_y is rather SMALL!

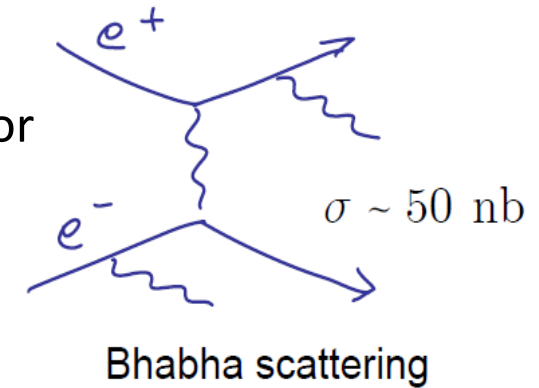
For more details, please check out following paper:

H. Nakayama et al, "Small-Beta Collimation at SuperKEKB to Stop Beam-Gas Scattered Particles and to Avoid Transverse Mode Coupling Instability", Conf. Proc. C **1205201**, 1104 (2012)

4. Luminosity-dependent background

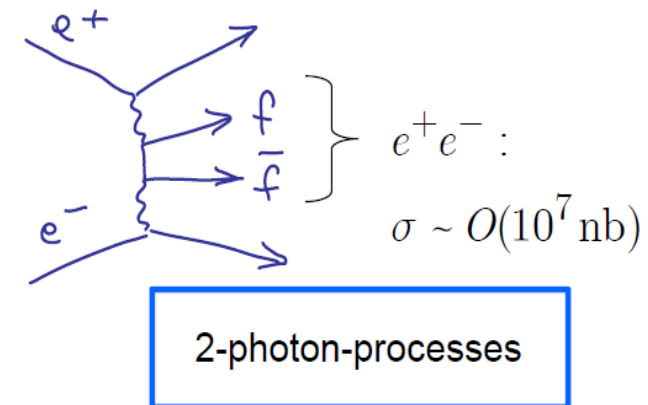
Radiative Bhabha scattering

- Rate \propto Luminosity (KEKBx40)
- Spent e^+/e^- with large ΔE could be lost inside detector due to kick from detector solenoid kick (even with separate final focus magnets for each ring)
- Emitted γ hit downstream magnet outside detector and generate neutrons via giant-dipole resonance

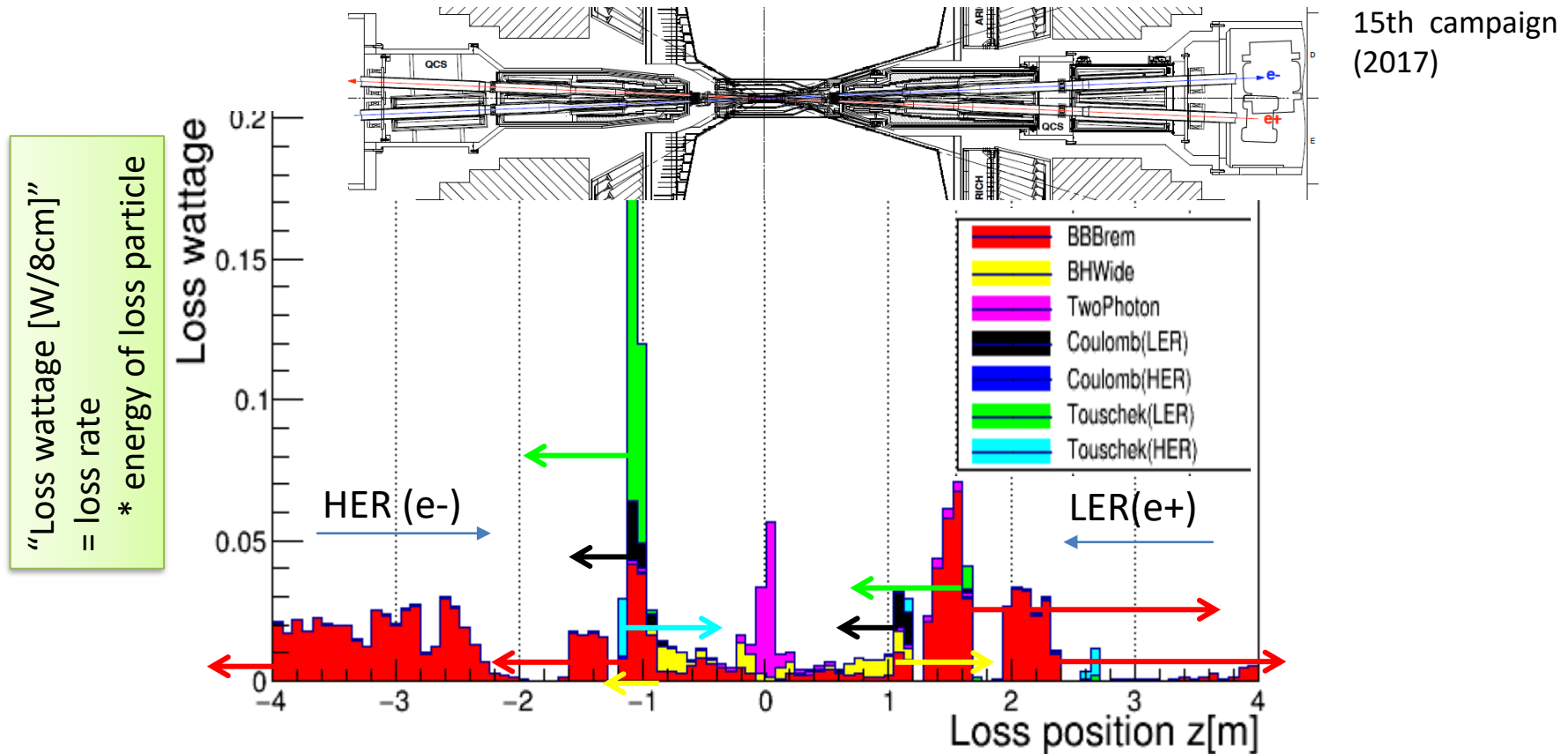


2-photon process

- Rate \propto Luminosity (KEKBx40)
- $e^+ e^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- e^+ e^-$
- Emitted e^+e^- pair curls by solenoid and might hit inner detectors multiple times

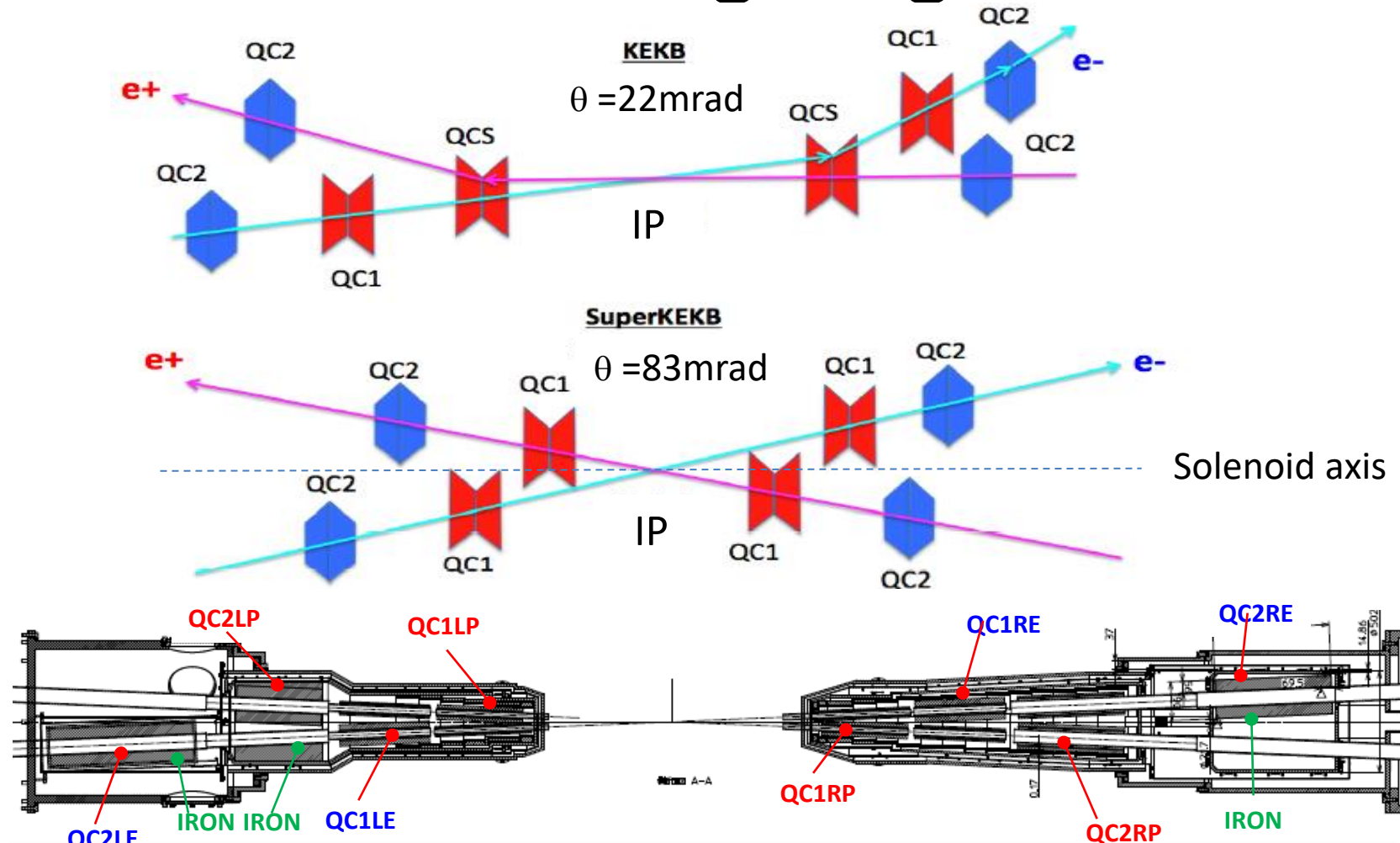


Simulated IR beam loss distribution (design luminosity)



	LER (4GeV e+)	HER (7GeV e-)
Lumi-dependent BG	BBBrem: 1.08 W (0.06 W in $ z < 65\text{cm}$) BHWide: 0.11 W (0.04 W), 2photon: 0.14 W(0.11W)	
Touschek	0.27 W (0.42GHz)	0.04 W (0.03GHz)
Coulomb	0.06 W (0.10Hz)	0.00 W (0.002GHz)

Final focusing magnets

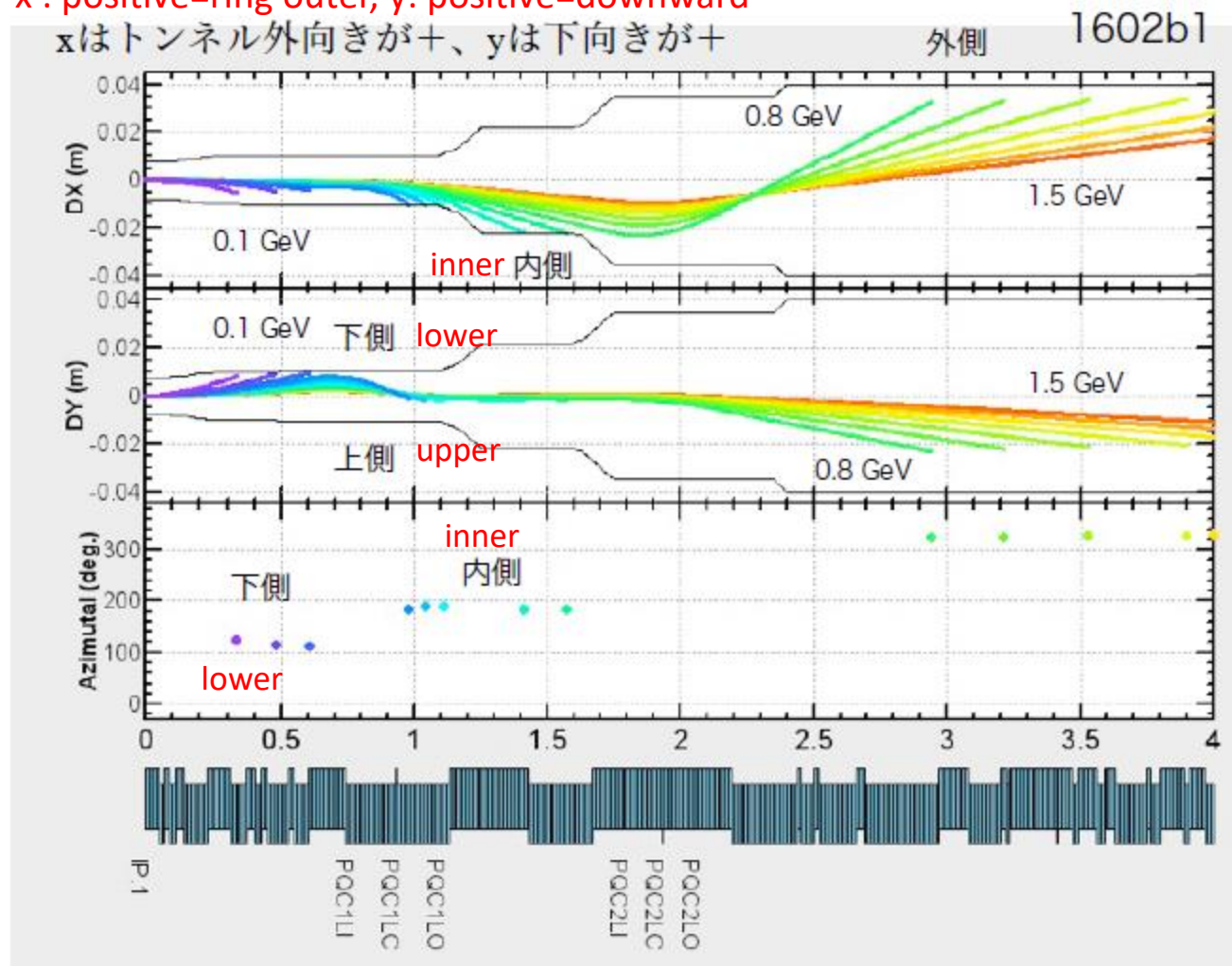


- Larger crossing angle θ than KEKB
- Final Q for each ring \rightarrow more flexible optics design
- No bend near IP \rightarrow less emittance, less background from spent particles

Beam orbit after RBB scattering

LER

x : positive=ring outer, y: positive=downward



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MDI design

How to cope with those beam BG?

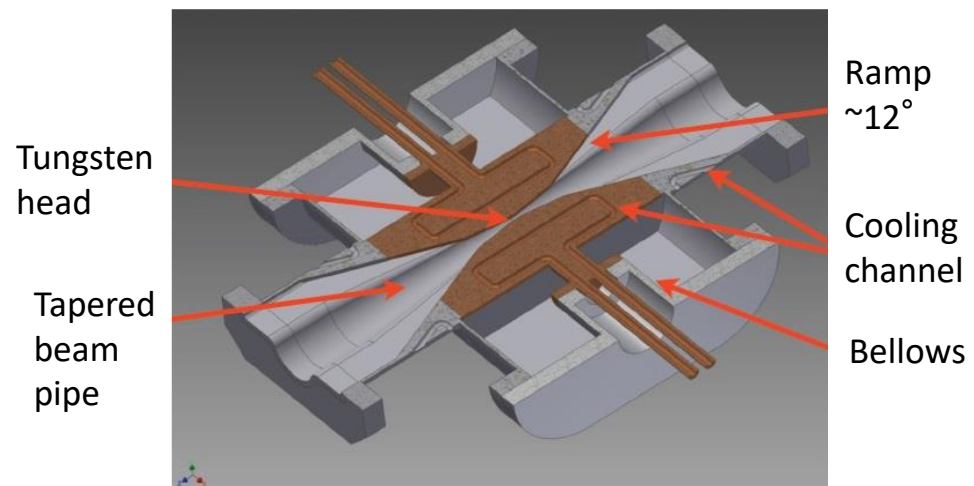
- Movable collimators

- Horizontal collimators at arc sections and the straight section near IP for Touschek BG
- Very narrow ($\sim < 2\text{mm}$ half width) vertical collimators for Beam-gas BG

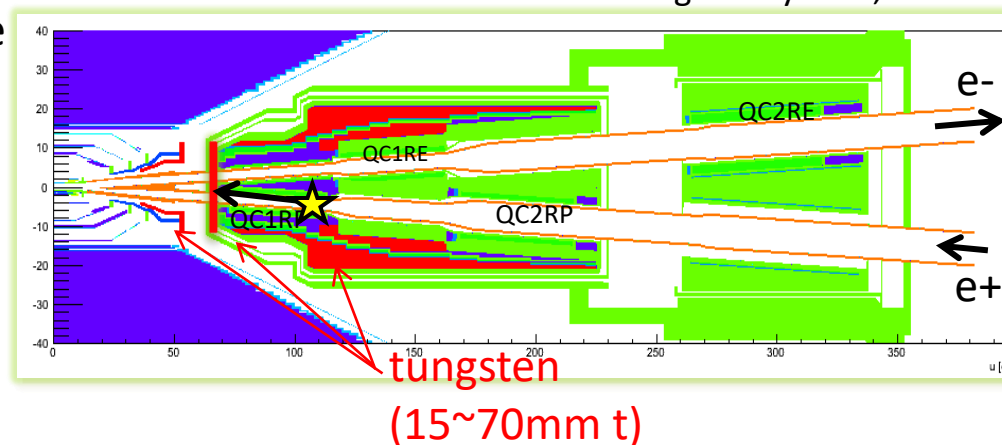
- Shielding structures

- Thick tungsten structures inside final focus cryostat and vertex detector volume
- Stops showers from beam loss “hot spot” ★ at $\sim 1\text{m}$ upstream from IP (maximum β_y)
- Polyethylene shields for neutrons

SuperKEKB horizontal collimator

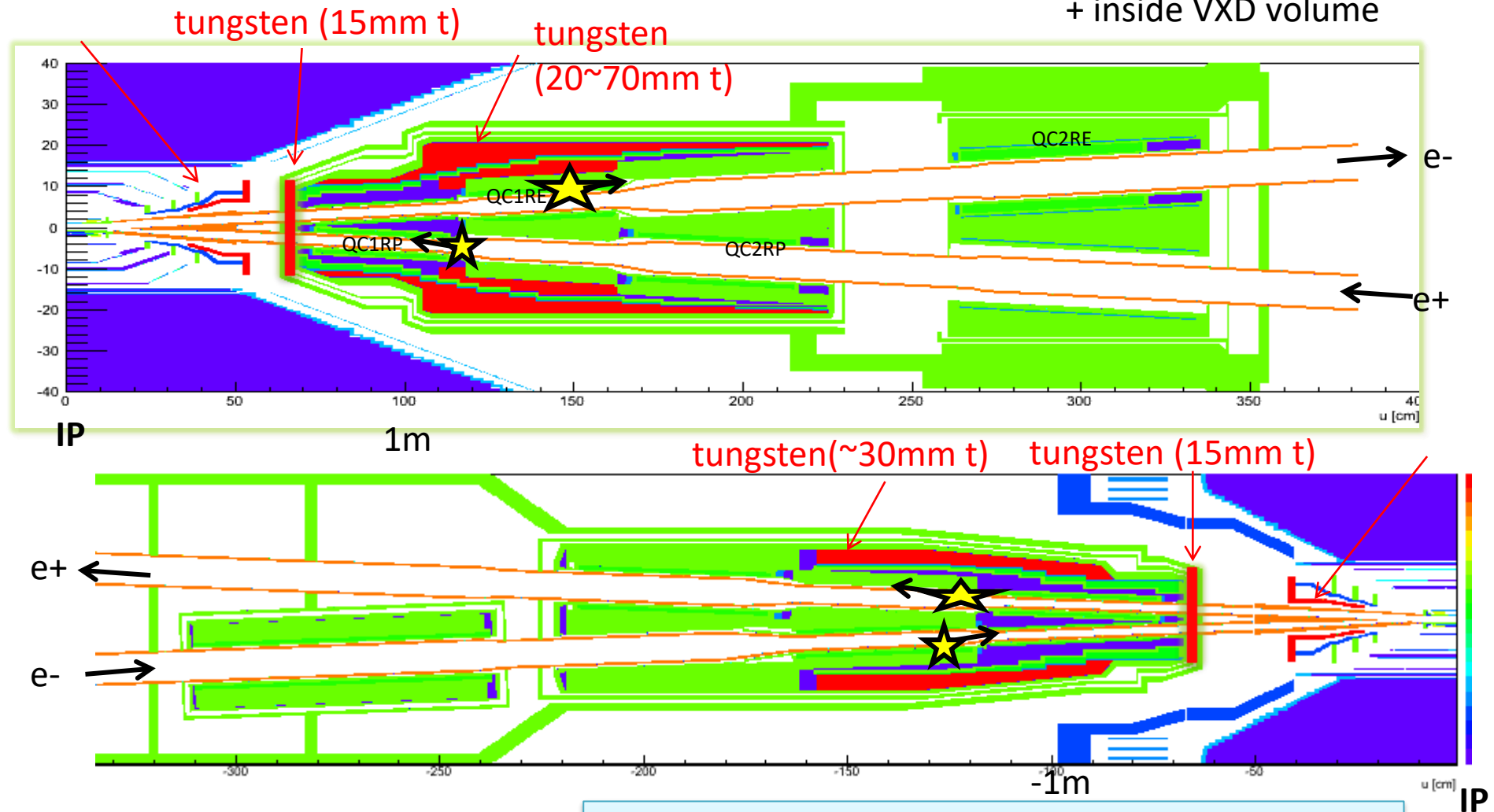


Final focus magnet cryostat, R-side



Tungsten shields inside final focus cryostat

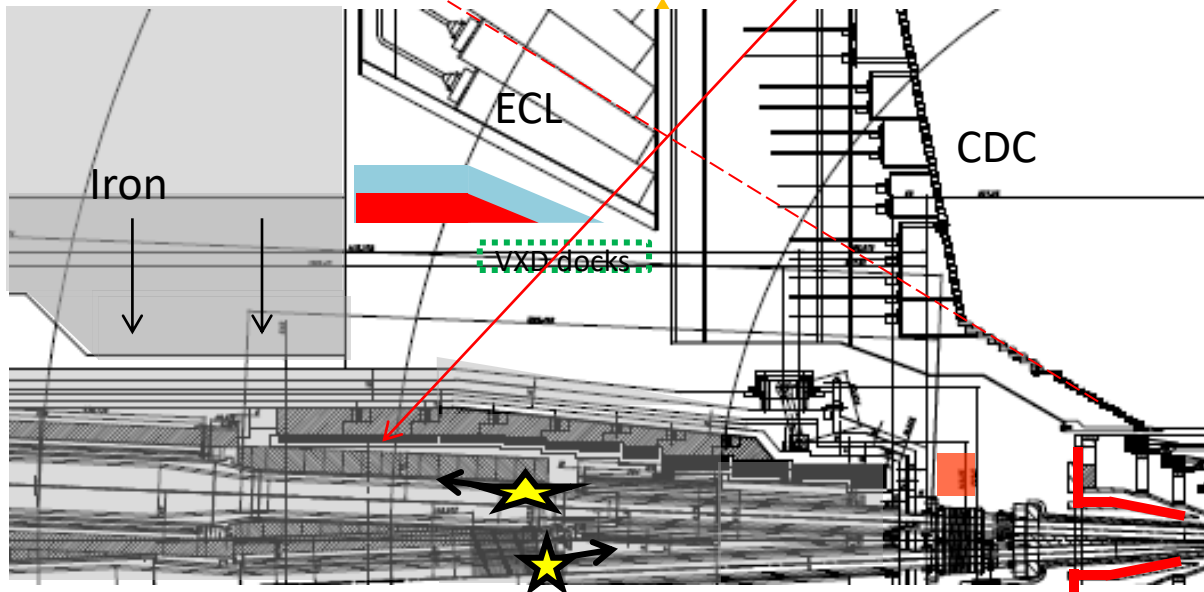
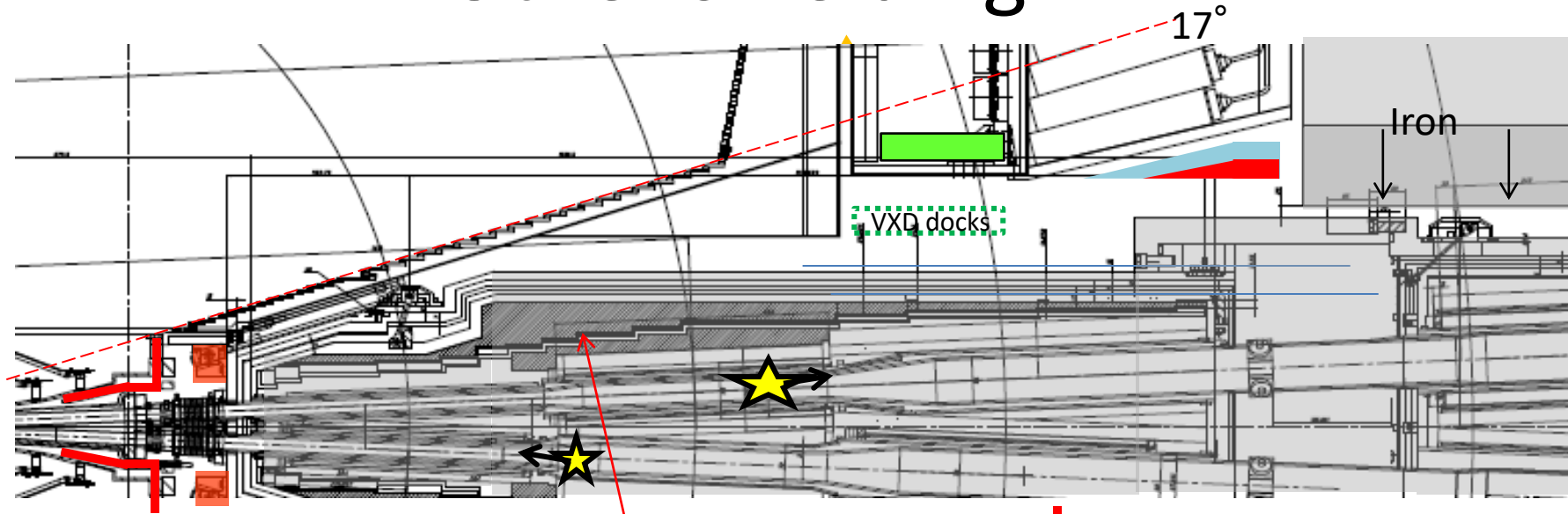
+ inside VXD volume

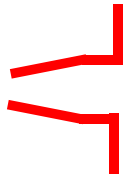





★ Major beam loss position by Touschek or Beam-gas

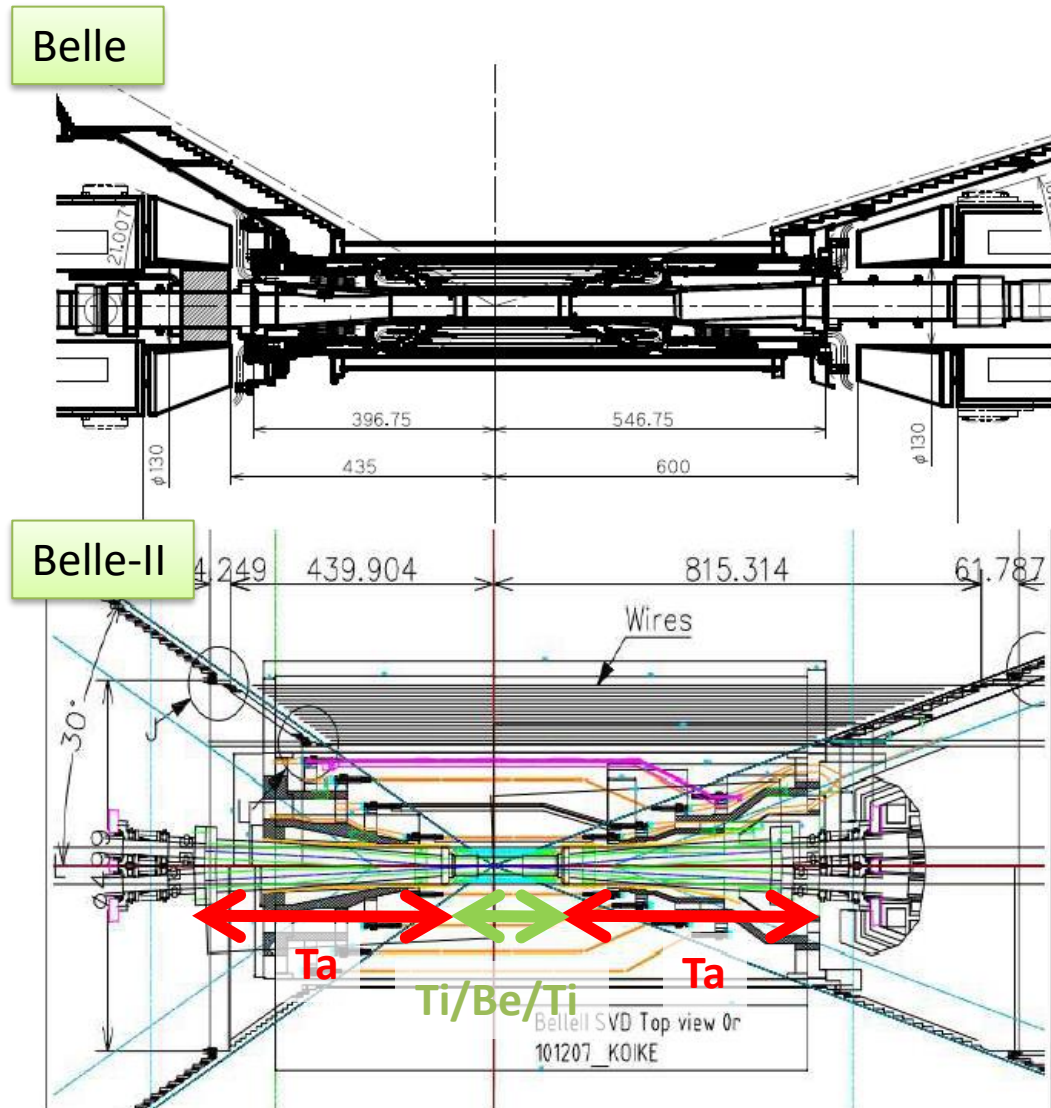
Thick tungsten shields can significantly stop background showers originated from $|s| > 65\text{cm}$.

Other shielding



-  Heavy metal shields to protect VXD from showers generated in cryostat
-  Neutron shield to protect HAPDs in ARICH (Boron-doped Polyethylene)
-  ECL shield, for included for (Lead + Polyethylene)
-  Remote Vacuum Connection structure in front of QCS reduces showers from RBB loss at $|s| \sim 60\text{cm}$ (6cm-thick SUS)

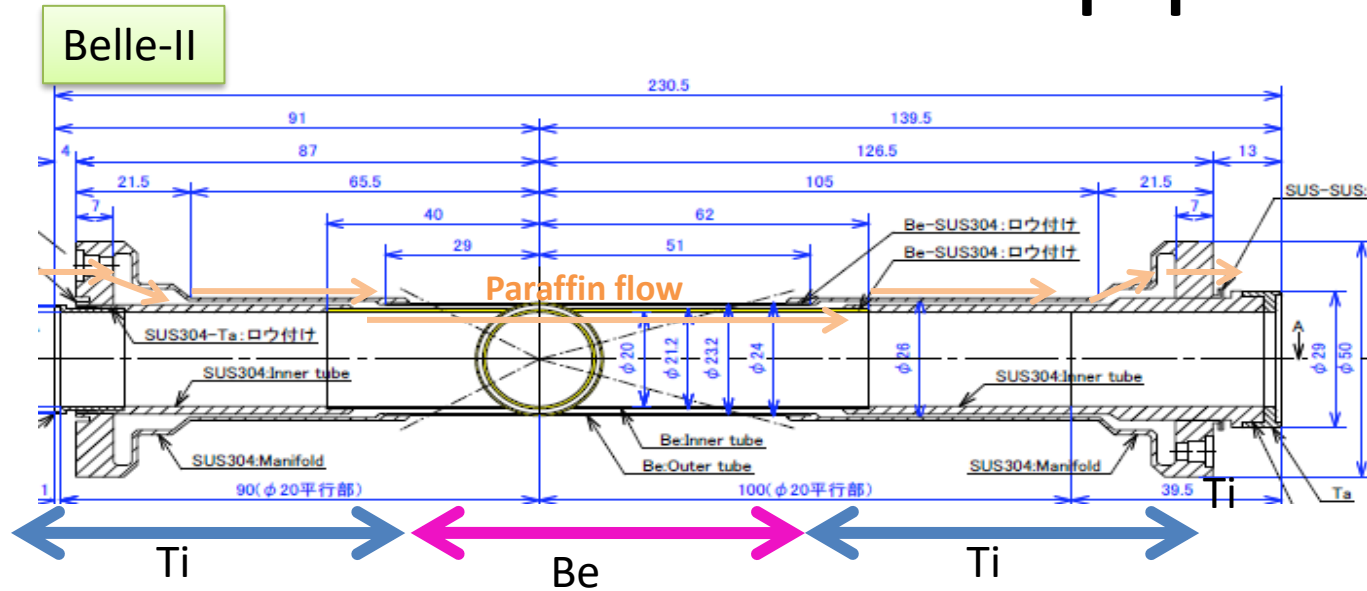
Interaction region



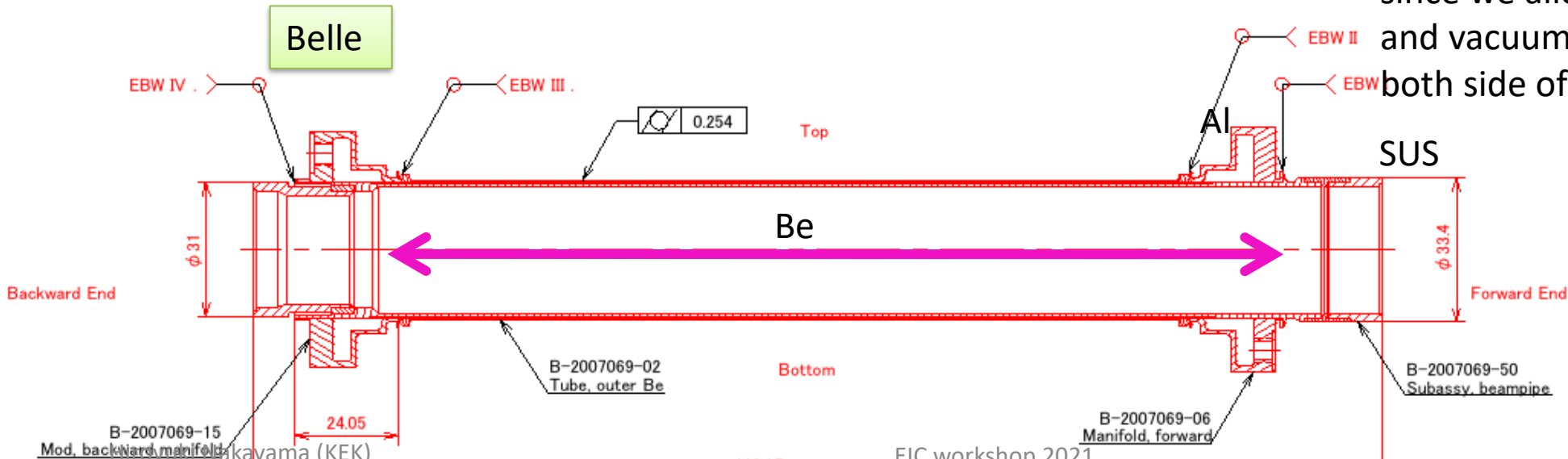
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- Smaller IP beam pipe radius ($r=15\text{mm}\Rightarrow 10\text{mm}$)
- Wider beam crossing angle ($22\text{mrad}\Rightarrow 83\text{mrad}$)
- Crotch part: Ta pipe
- Pipe crotch starts from closer to IP, complicated structure
- New detector: PXD (more cables should go out)

IP beam pipe

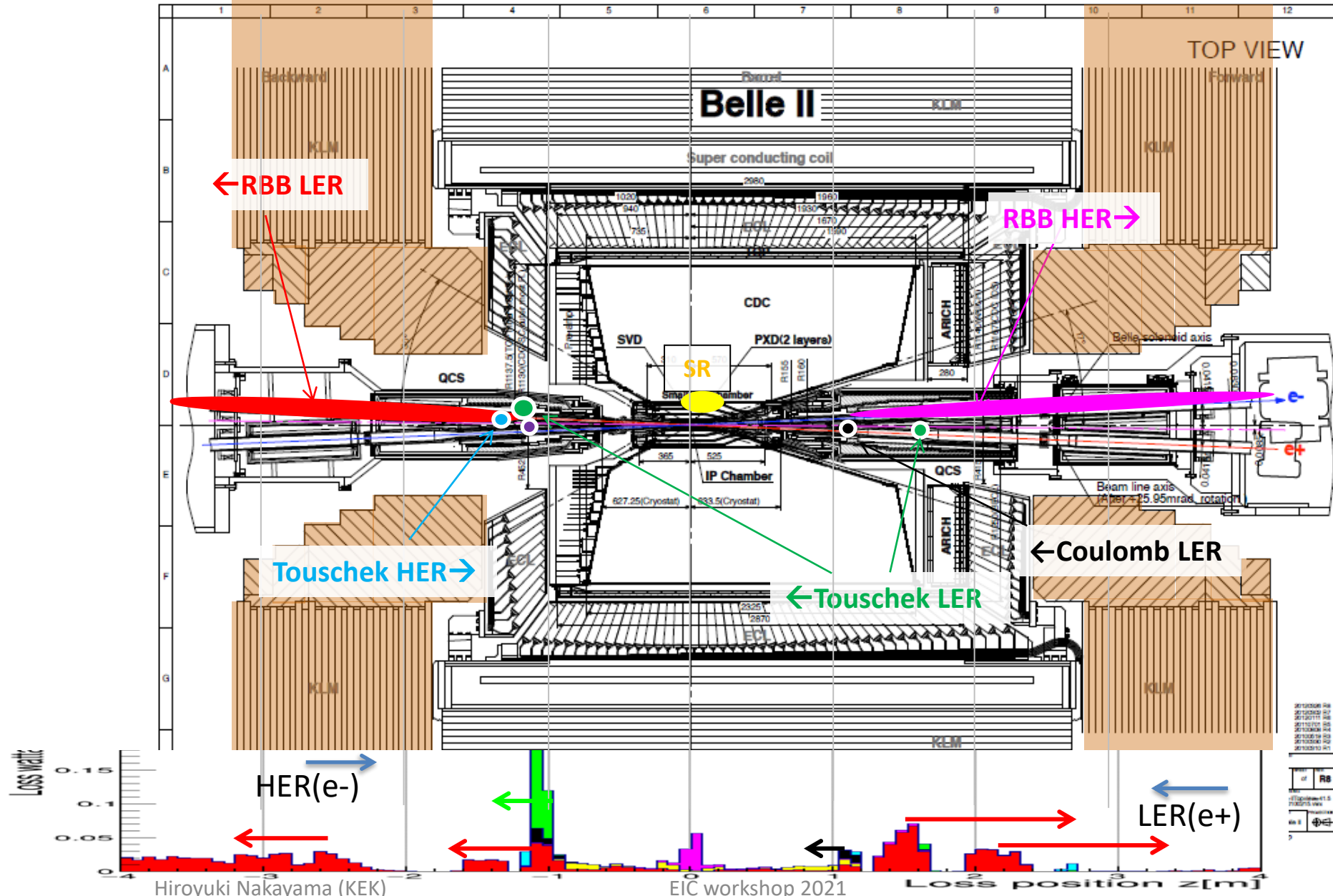


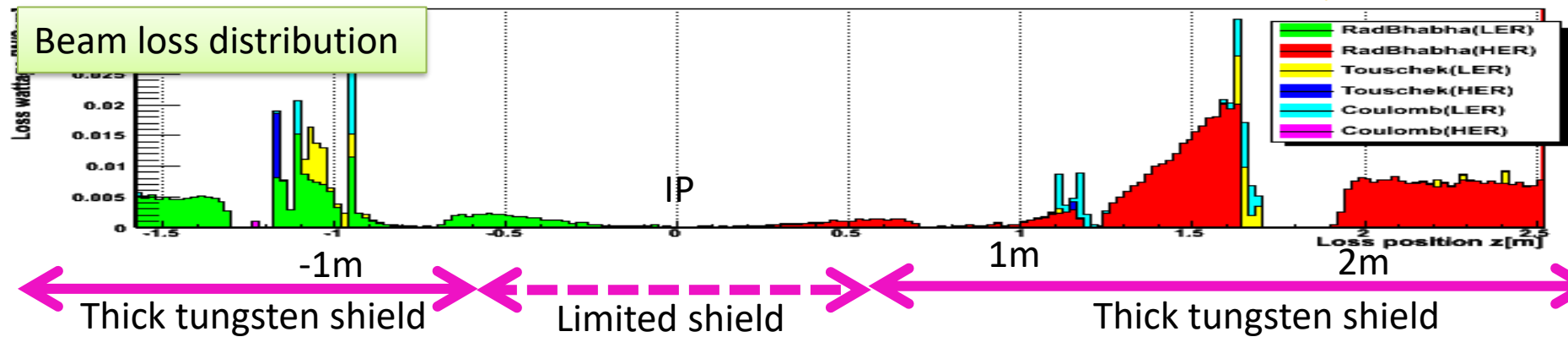
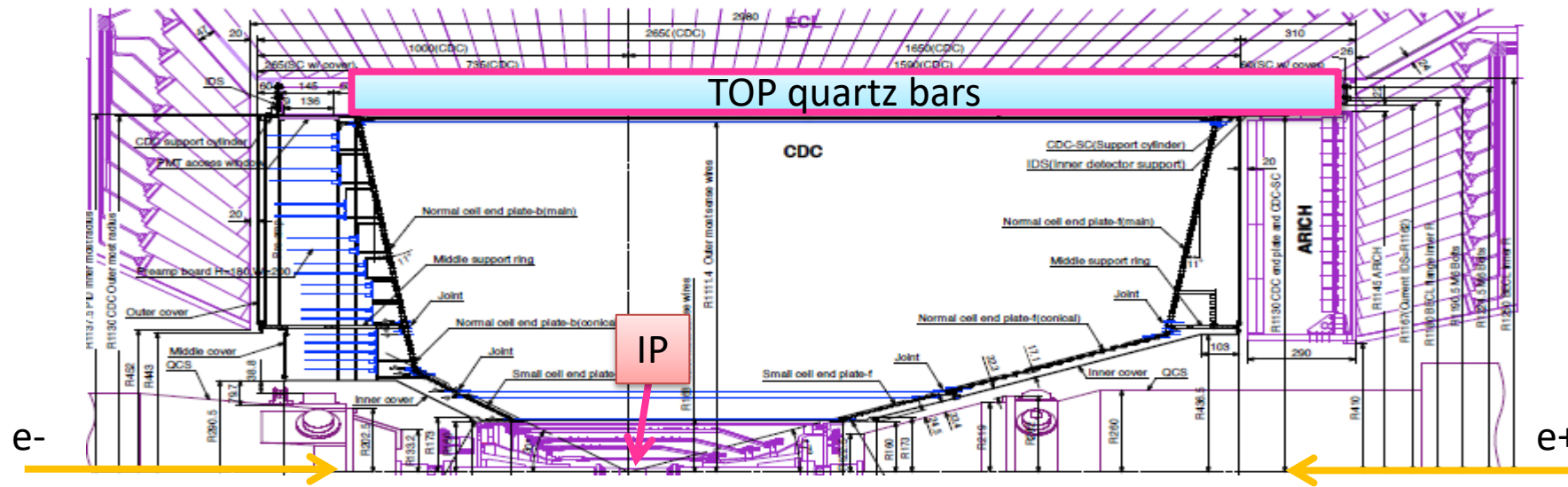
- Light material (Be) inside detector acceptance
- Paraffin ($C_{10}H_{22}$) flow to remove heat from mirror current ($\sim 80W$)
- Gold plating ($\sim 10\mu m$) on inner wall to stop SR
- Much simpler Be shape (also much cheaper) since we allow Paraffin and vacuum to attach both side of welding



Background Global picture

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Beam loss distribution which creates TOP PMT hits

