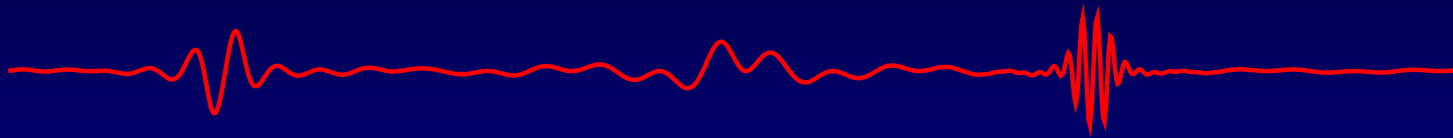


LHC optical model and necessary corrections (aperture model, tune, β -beat, coupling, chromaticity...)



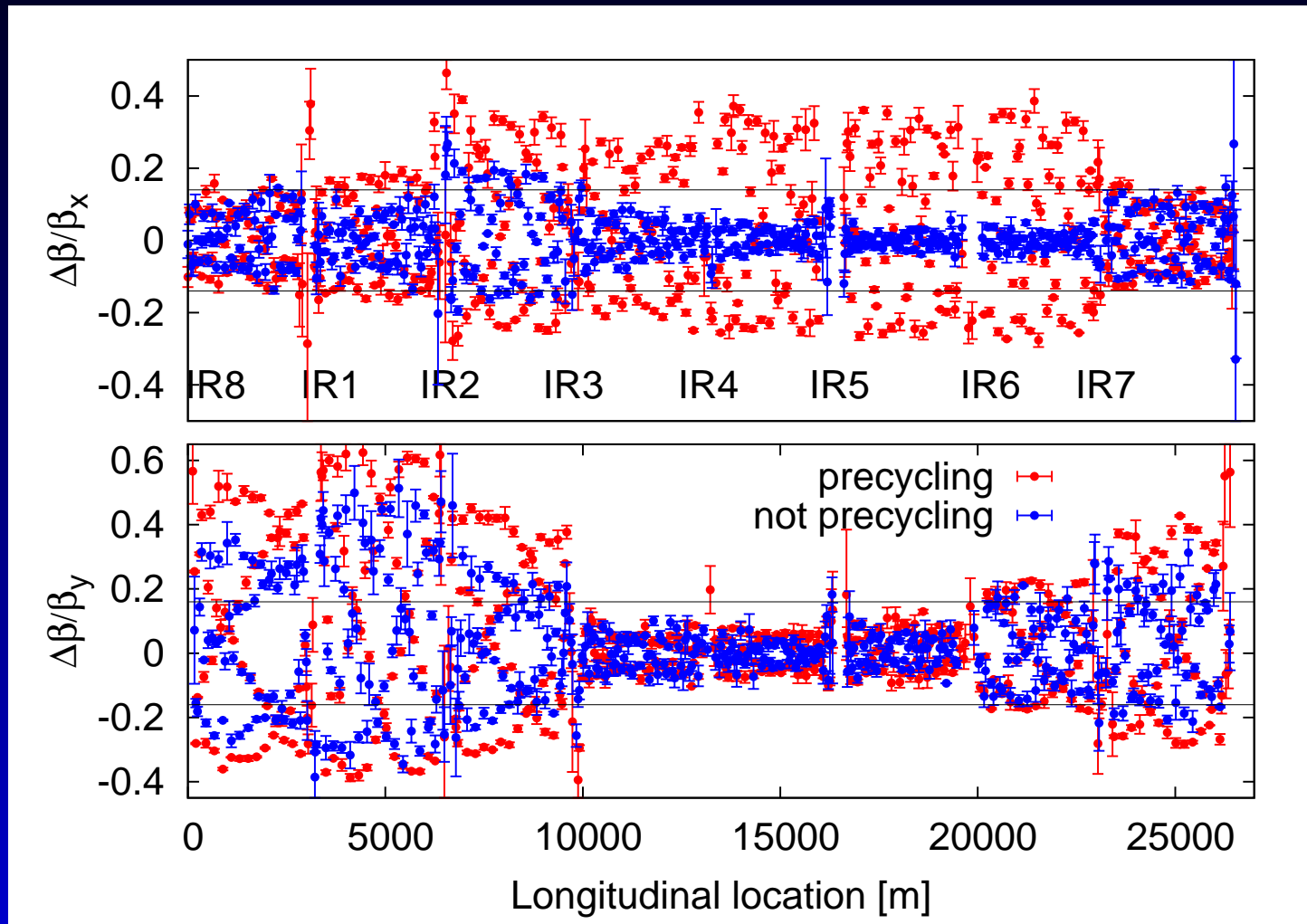
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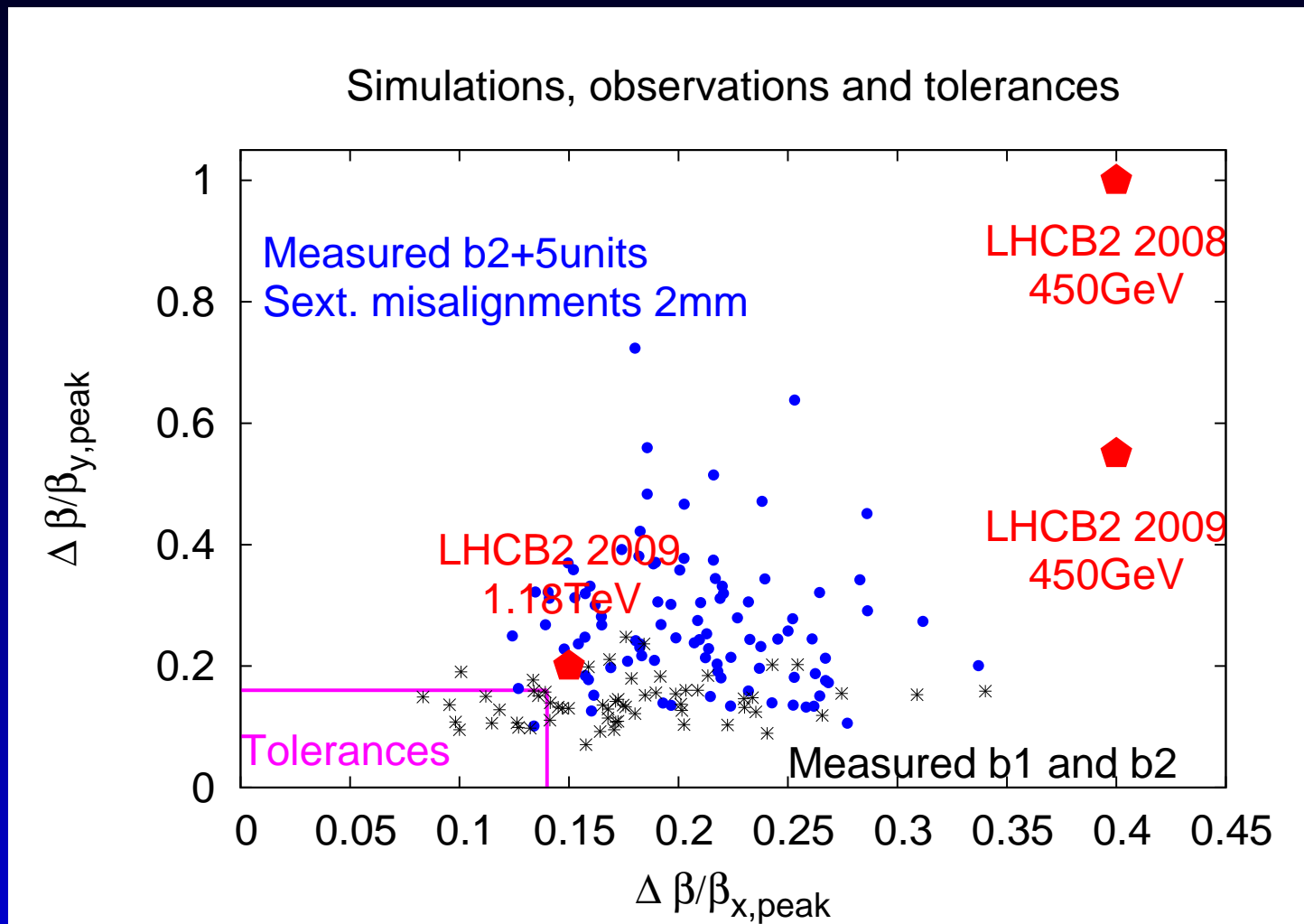
- Effect of precycling (prehistory)
- LHC status (optics and aperture)
- Optics error sources at injection:
 - Errors in IR3 and IR7 (warm)
 - Triplet errors in IR2 and IR8
 - Dipole b_2 correction
- IR5 squeeze
- Software needs
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The effect of precycling - Beam 2



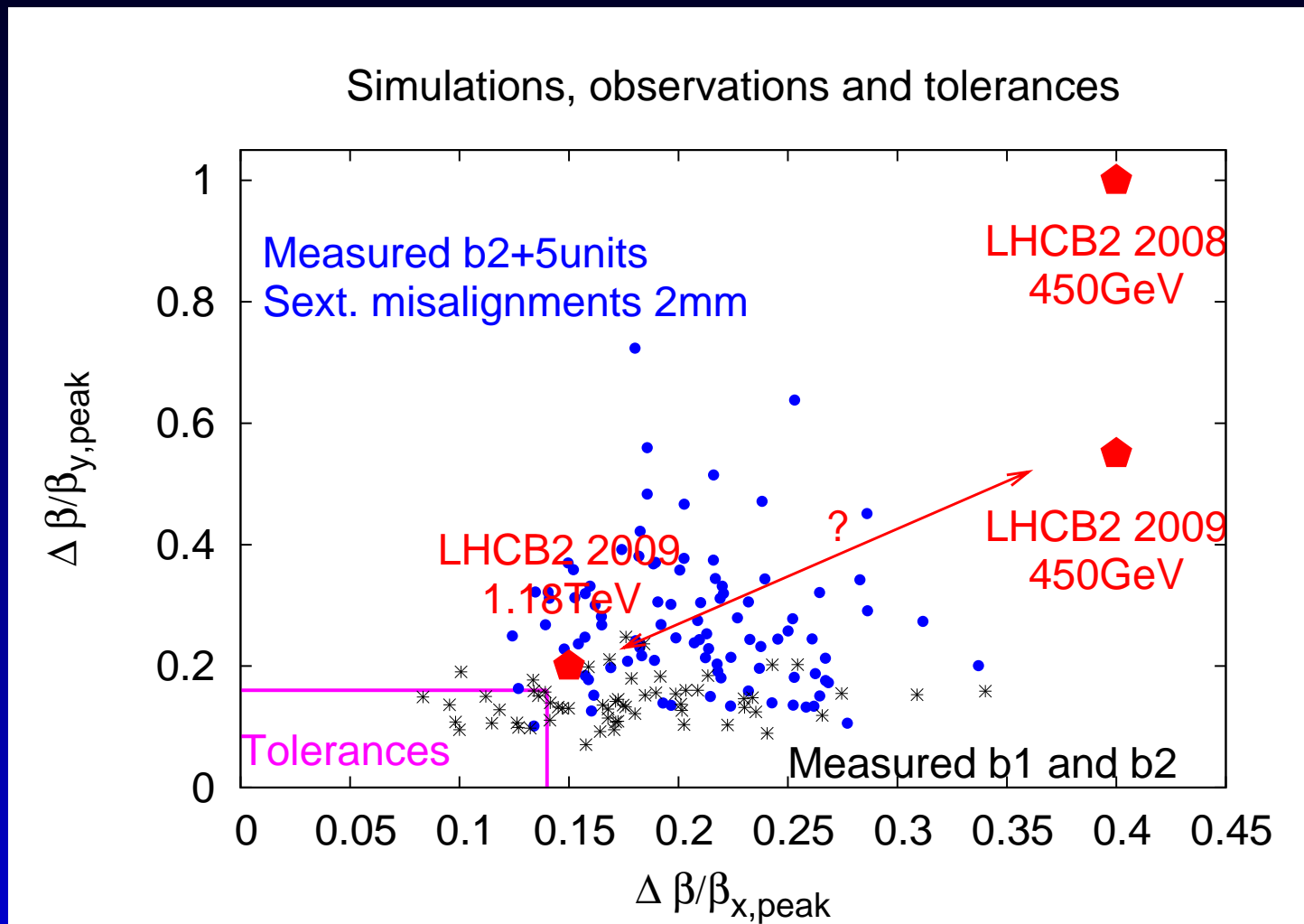
Large differences! → Must precycle

Beam 2, 2008-2009



Injection optics still far from tolerances

Beam 2, 2008-2009



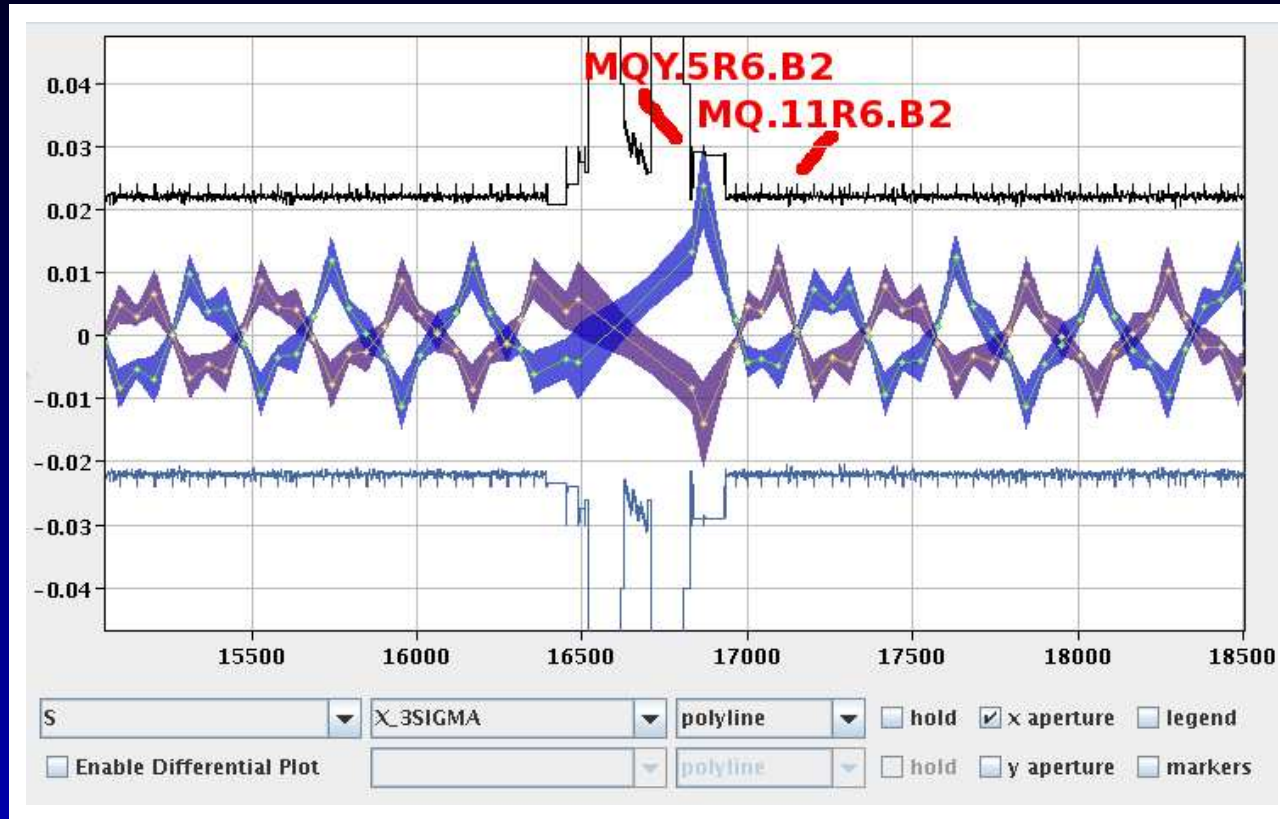
Why the large difference between 450GeV and 1.18TeV?

LHC optics status summary

		Beam 1		Beam 2		Tol.
E	[TeV]	0.45	1.18	0.45	1.18	
$\Delta\beta_x/\beta_x$	[%]	35	20	40	15	14
$\Delta\beta_y/\beta_y$	[%]	50	16	55	20	16
$\Delta D_x^{qf}/D_x^{qf}$	[%]	19	11	16	?	30
$\Delta D_y^{qd}/D_x^{qf}$	[%]	8	12	11	?	28

Dispersion is within tolerances even at injection!

Aperture measurements (IR6 example)



+8σ
-7σ

Measured closed orbit + 3σ envelope using measured optics and $\epsilon_{x,n} = 3.5\mu\text{m}$. 5R6 losses expected, 11R6 losses to be understood.

Summary of aperture measurements

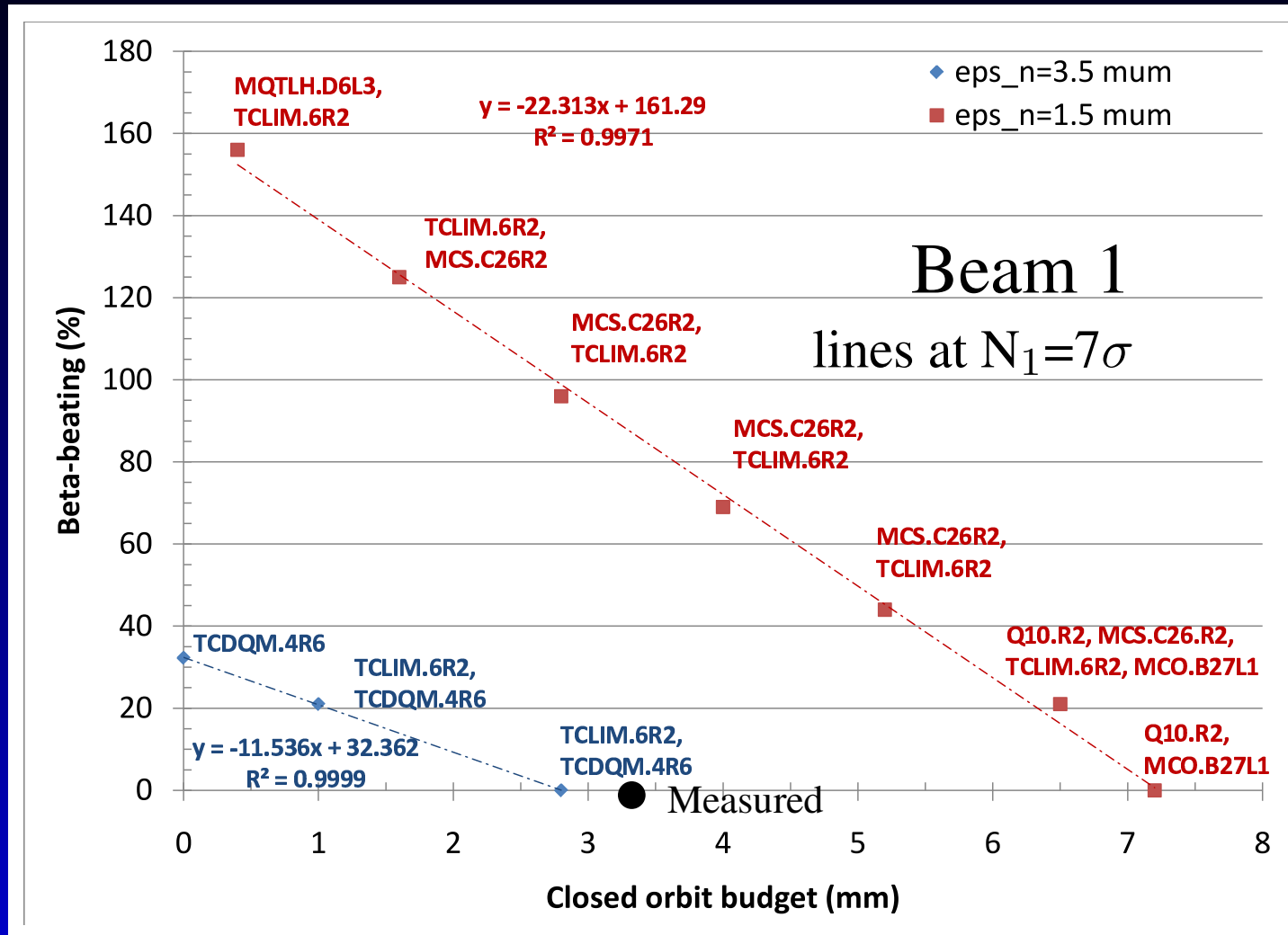
Aperture measurements

Bump amplitude limited to:

Main losses at:

	Horizontal	Vertical
Beam 1	<p>+7 / -7 sigma</p> <p>MQM.6R2 smaller peak: MQM.6R8</p> <p>MQY.4R6 MQY.5R6</p>	<p>+8 / -9 sigma</p> <p>MQY.4L6 MQ.31L1 smaller peak: MQ.13L5</p> <p>MQY.4L6</p>
Beam 2	<p>+8 / -7 sigma</p> <p>MQY.5R6 MQ. 11R6</p> <p>MQY.4L6 MQY.5R6 MQM.6L8</p>	<p>+7 / -7.5 sigma</p> <p>MQ.12R8 MQ.29L2</p> <p>MQ.20L3 MQ. 16R8 smaller peak: MQY.5L6</p>

Aperture tolerance with measured β -beat



Traditional values $\epsilon_n = 3.75 \mu\text{m}$, and $\text{CO}_{\text{budget}} = 4\text{mm}$.

Aperture is out of budget due to β -beating $\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{measured CO and} \\ \text{lower } \epsilon_n \text{ help} \end{array} \right)$

LHC aperture status

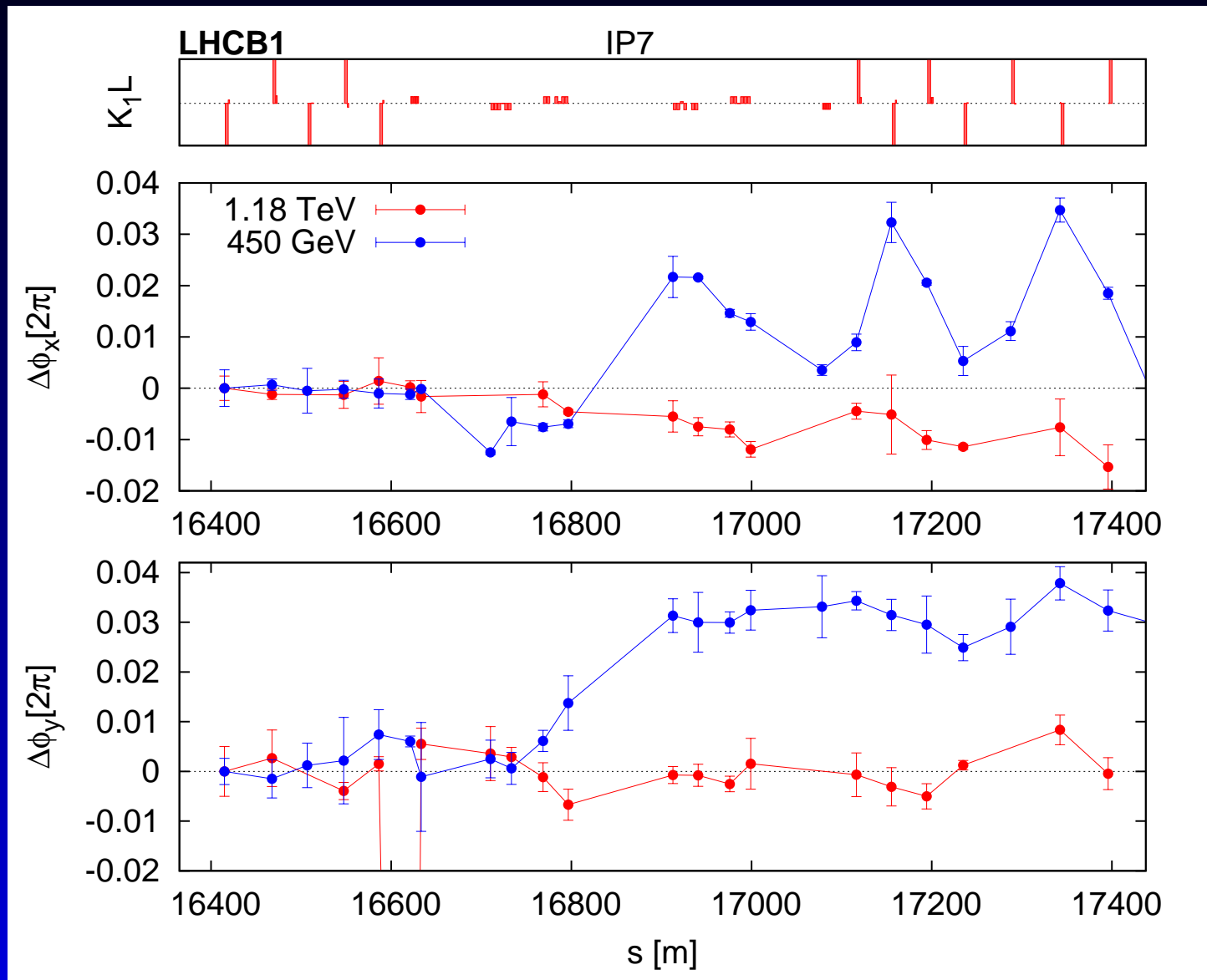
- Beam clearance seems to be OK, above or equal to 7σ .
- Some measured bottlenecks agree with model predictions using measured β functions.
- Aperture is out of budget due to the large β -beating, $N_1 < 7\sigma$ even reducing the CO_{budget} to the measured $\approx 3.2\text{mm}$ peak CO.
- Correcting β -beating is mandatory.

Error sources @ injection

Estimated impact of sources ordered by size:

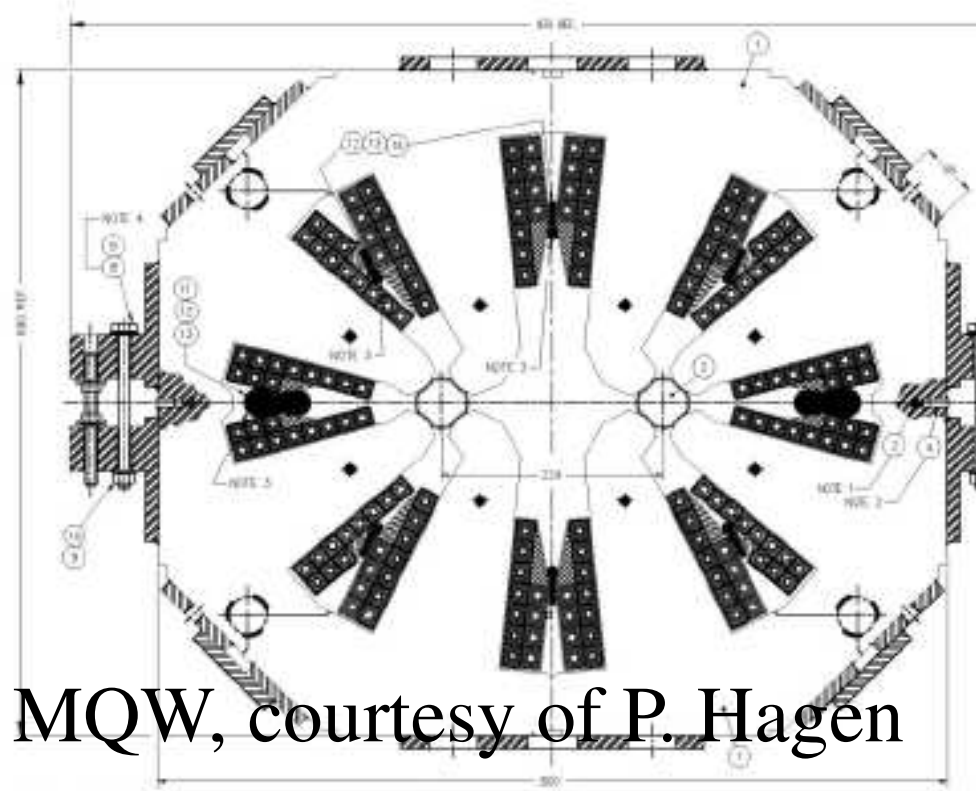
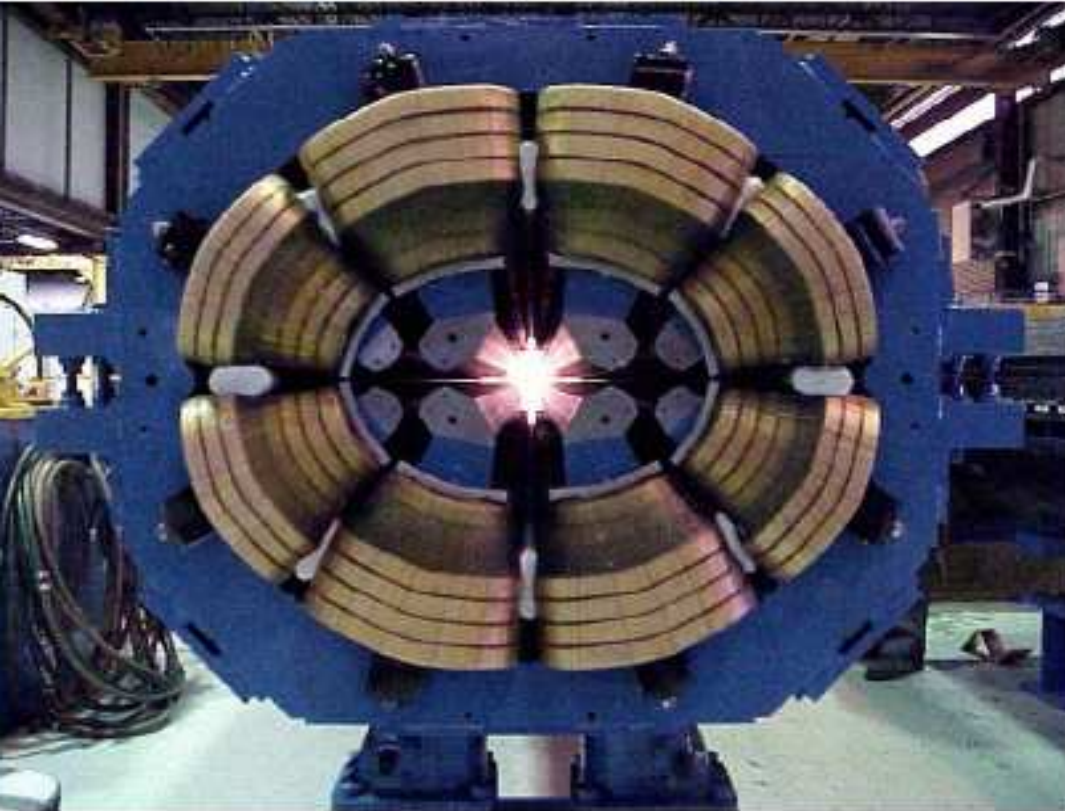
	Beam 1		Beam 2	
	$\Delta\beta_x/\beta_x$	$\Delta\beta_y/\beta_y$	$\Delta\beta_x/\beta_x$	$\Delta\beta_y/\beta_y$
IR3	15	10	15	10
IR7	15	6	12	8
IR2	6	9	6	10
IR8	8	8	8	8
dip. b ₂	6	7	5	9

IR7 local error @ 450GeV & 1.18 TeV



IR3 and IR7 errors disappear at 1.18 TeV, why?

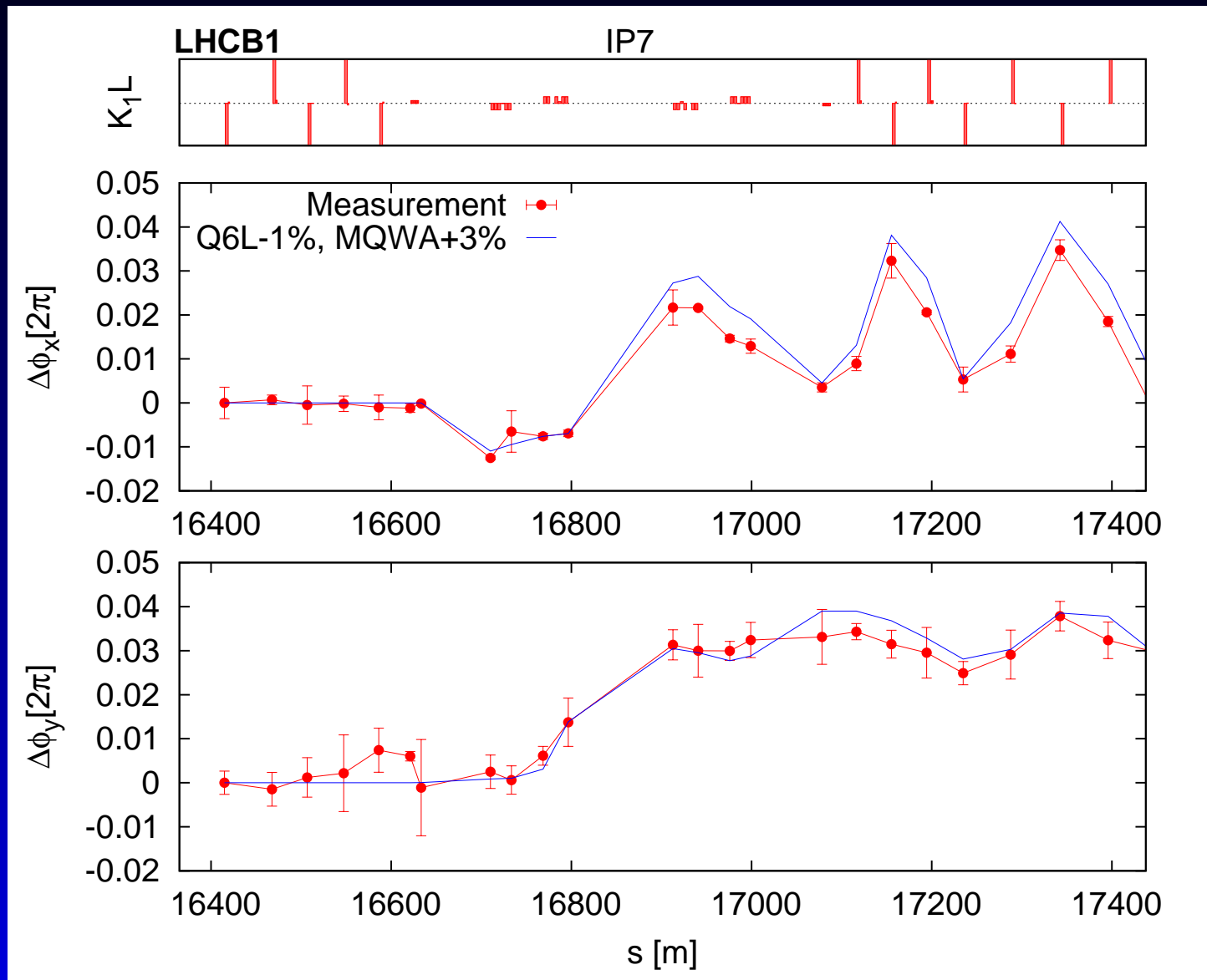
Suspects of IR7 and IR3 errors



MQW, courtesy of P. Hagen

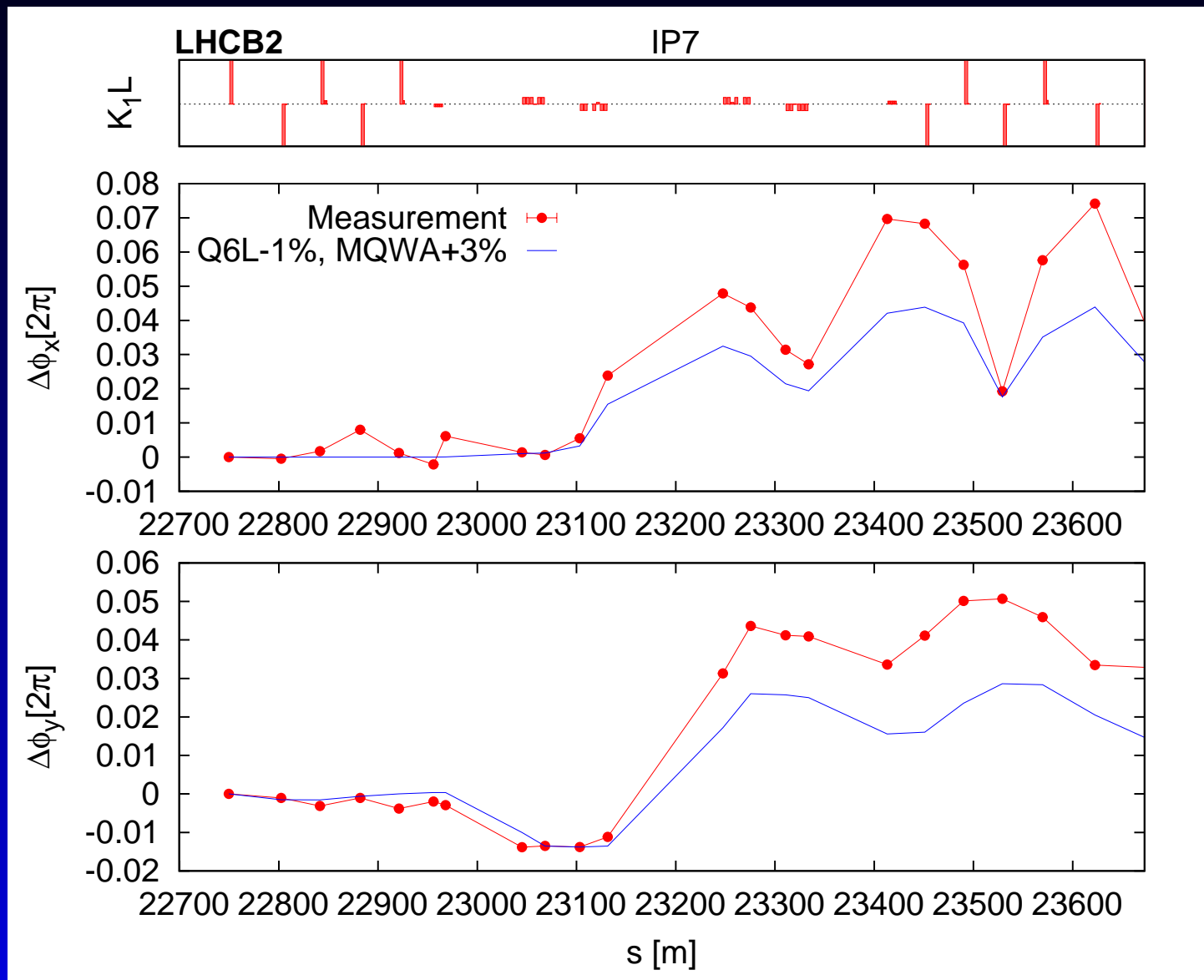
- Q6 in IR7 and IR3 are also suspects since they were not precycled

IR7 proposed local correction - Beam 1



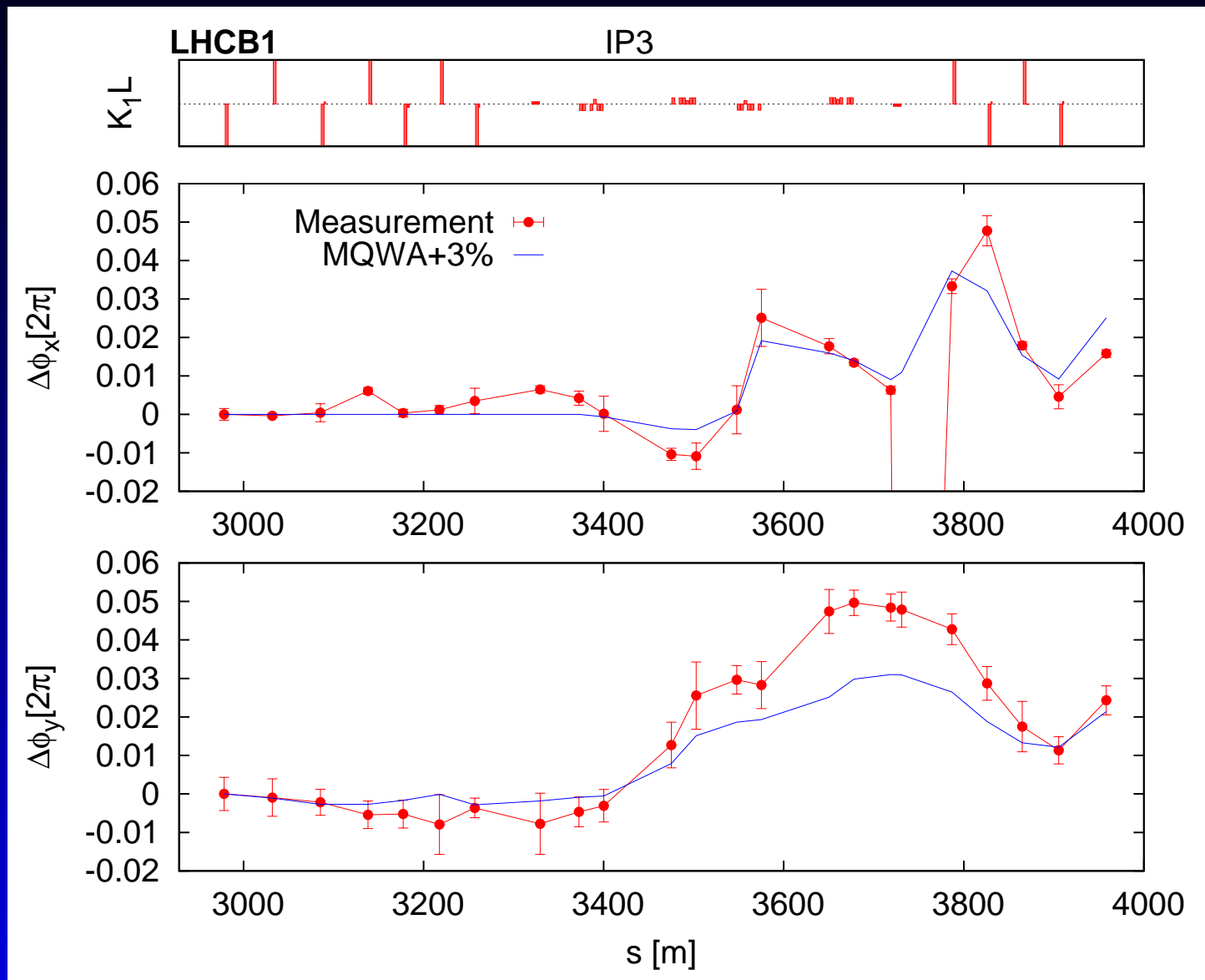
Q6 and MQWA seem to correct IR7 beam 1

Same IR7 corr for Beam 2



Same correction is not fully satisfactory for beam 2

What about IR3?

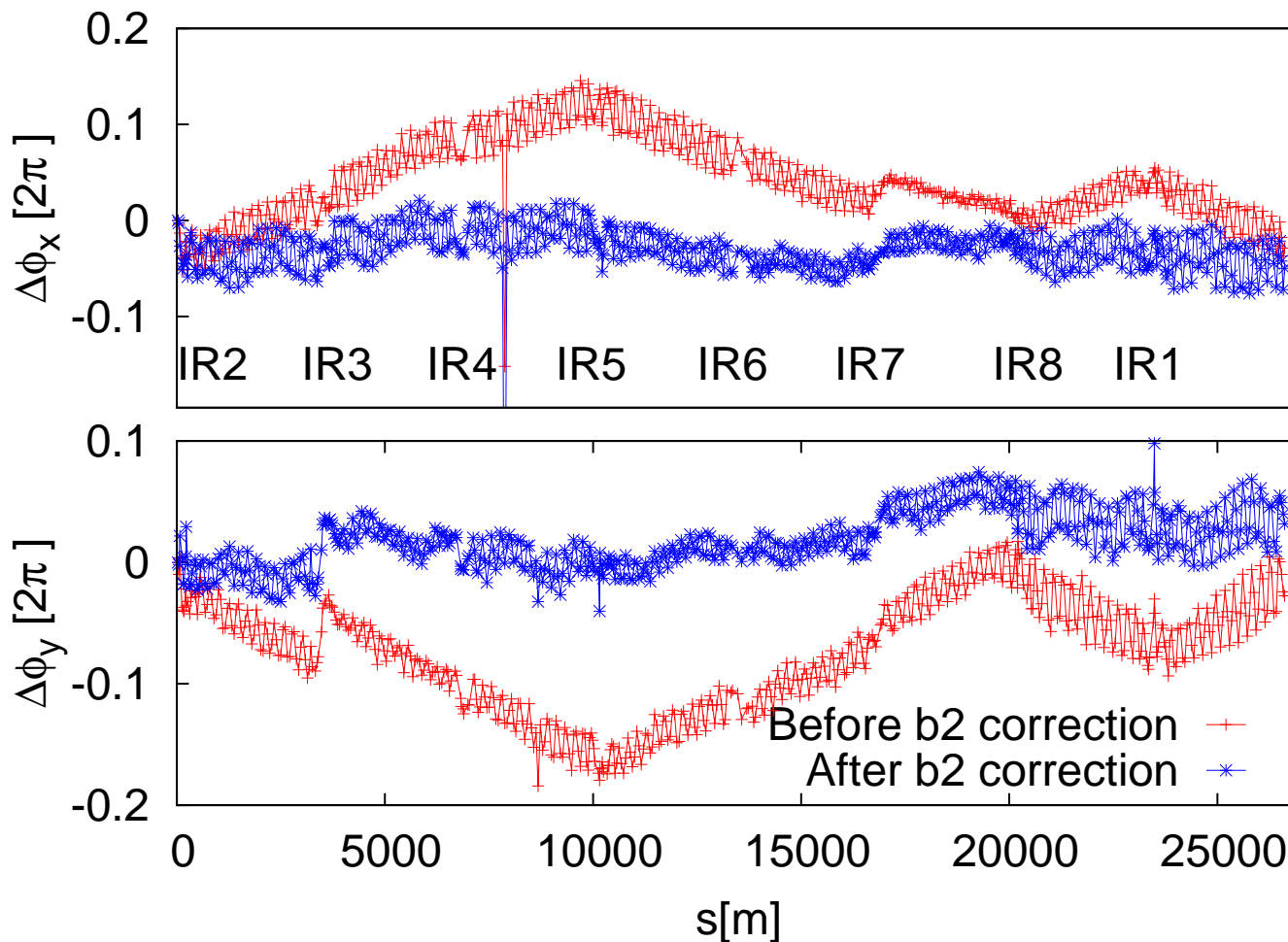


Similar correction in IR3 (MQWA+3%) rather effective

IR3 and IR7 local error summary

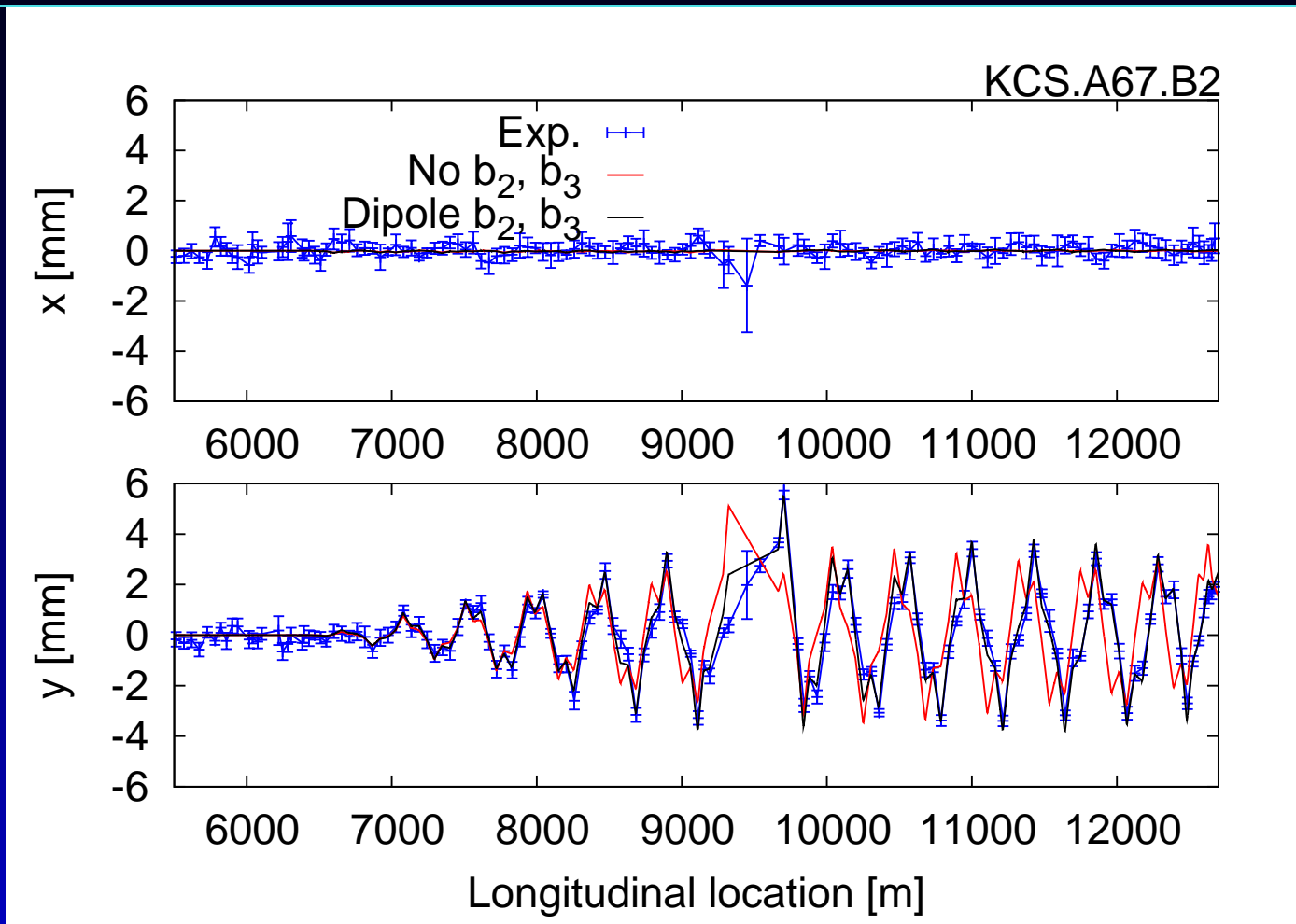
- MQWA (main quads) seem to be effective for a good fraction of the correction
- Q6 also effective to a lesser extent
- The precycling of Q6 should be attempted in 2010 (even if in MD mode)
- The residual errors should be corrected iteratively with MQWB (the IR3/7 trims)

Dipole b_2 correction - Beam 1



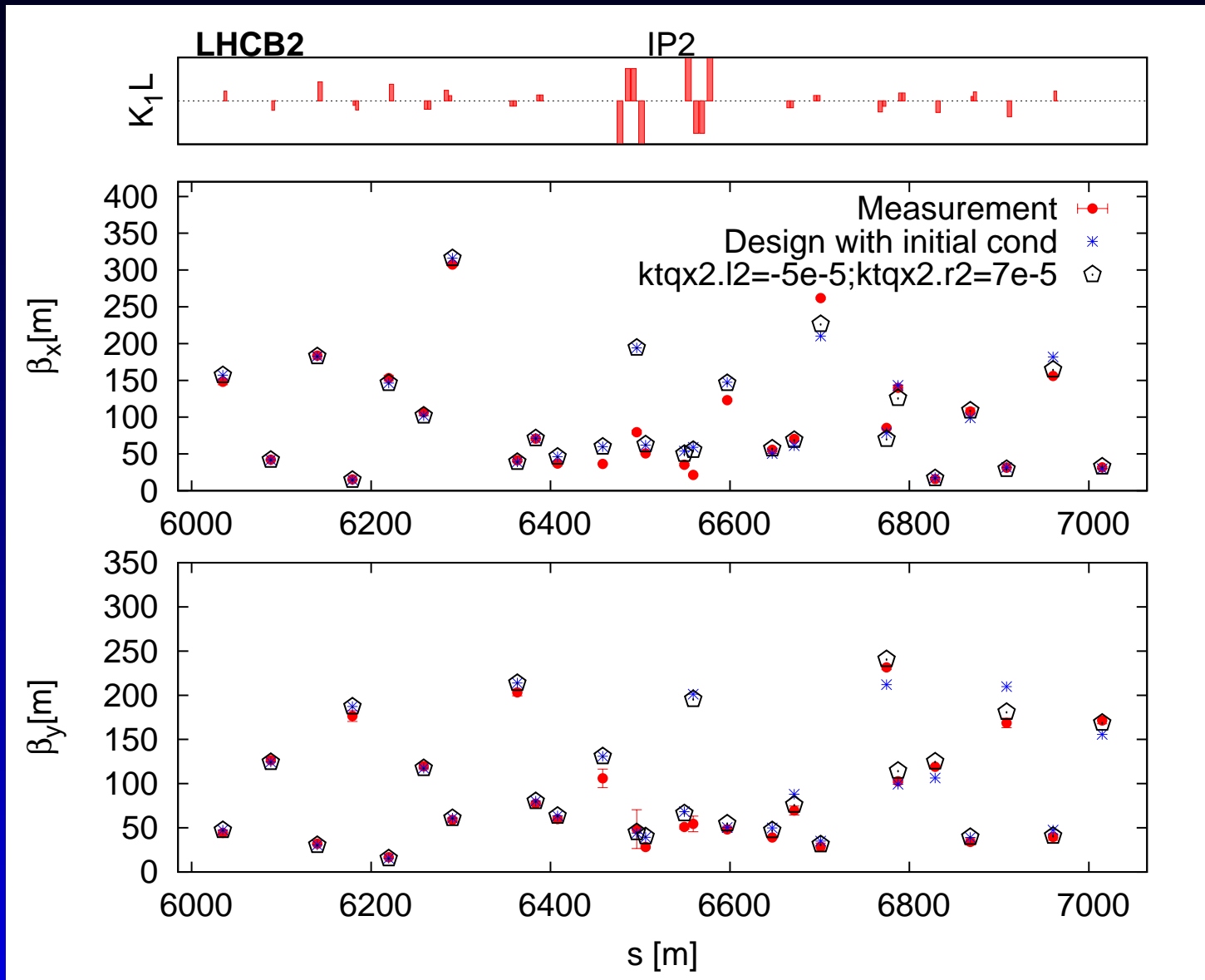
The magnetic dipole b_2 is used to compute the required correction with KQT \rightarrow Excellent agreement!

Also from injection tests - Beam 2 arcs8-6



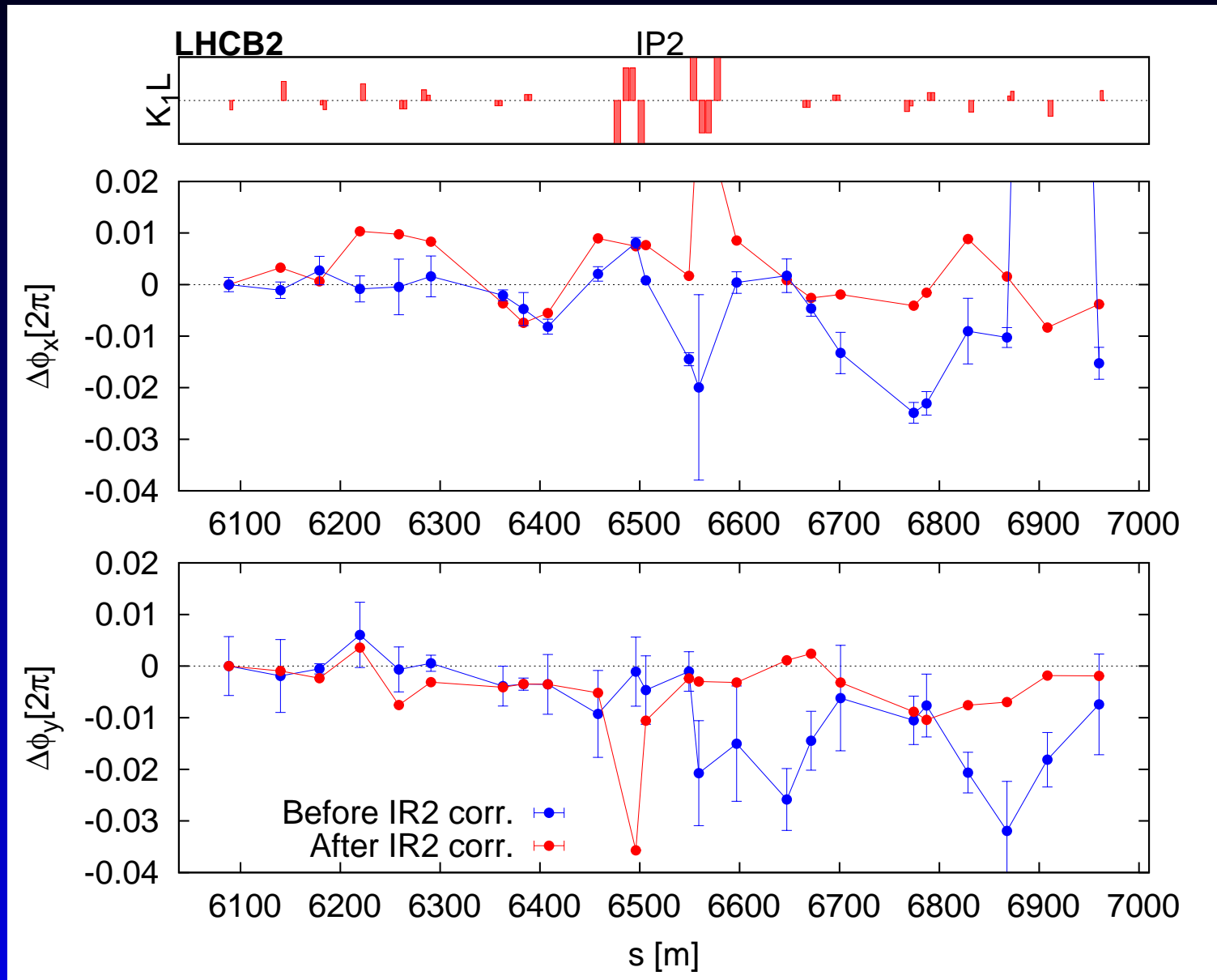
The magnetic dipole b_2 and b_3 were also confirmed during sector tests. Congratulations to magnet experts and MAD modelers!

Predicted IP2 local correction - Beam2



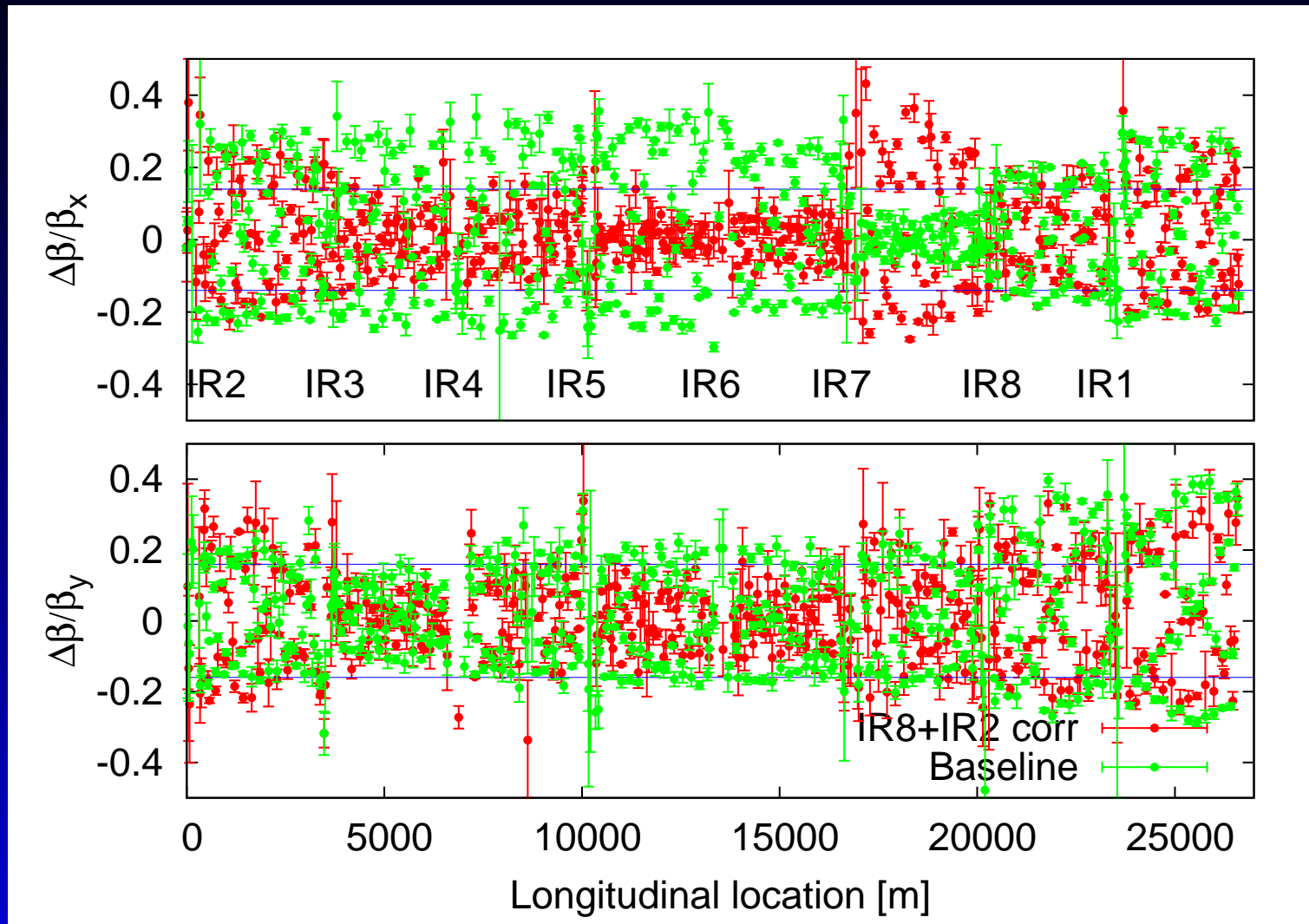
50/70 units in QX2R/L seemed to correct IR2

Measured IP2 local correction - Beam2



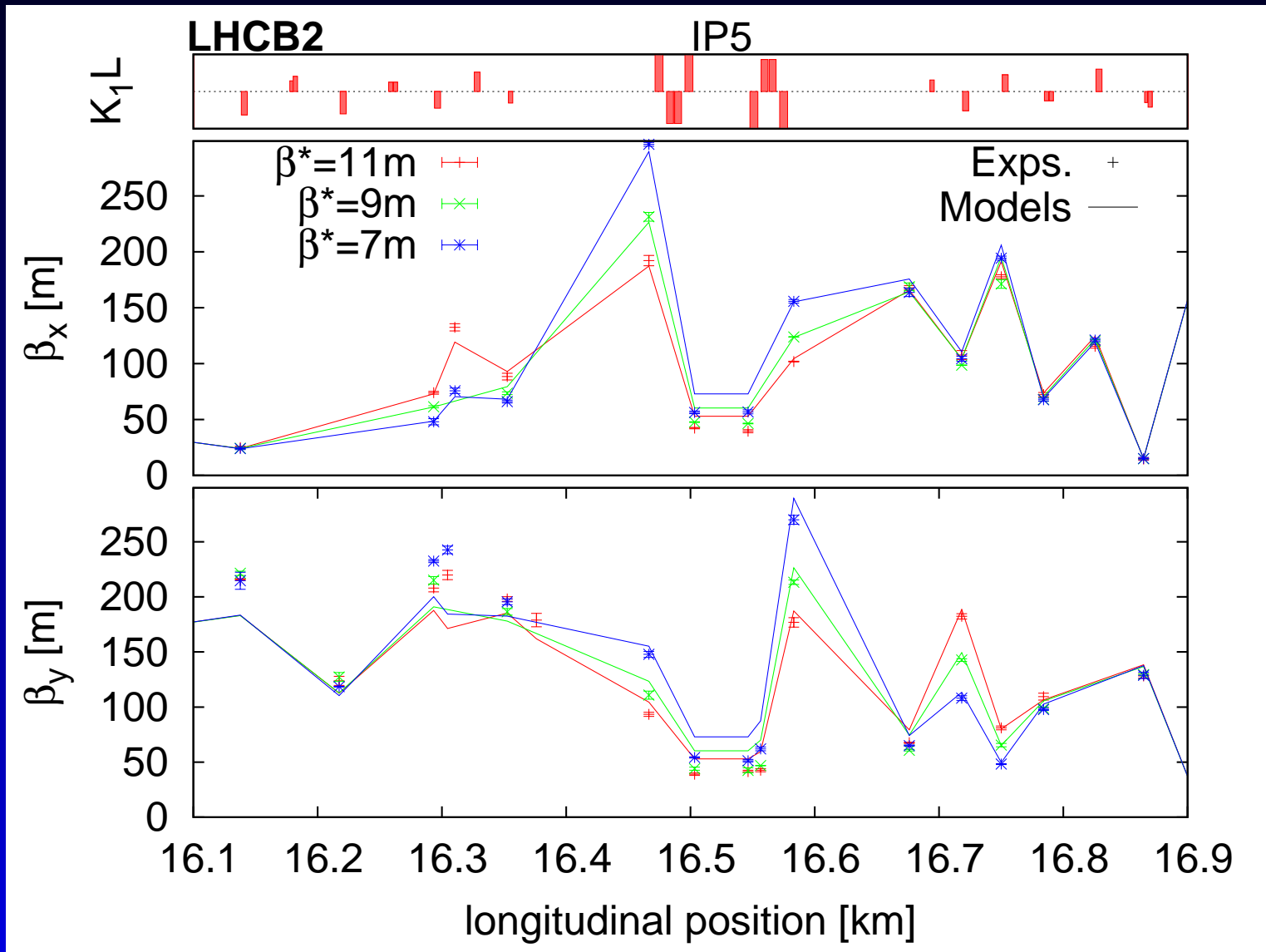
The measurement confirmed a good correction

Beam 1 β -beat after $b_2, IR8, IR2$ correct.



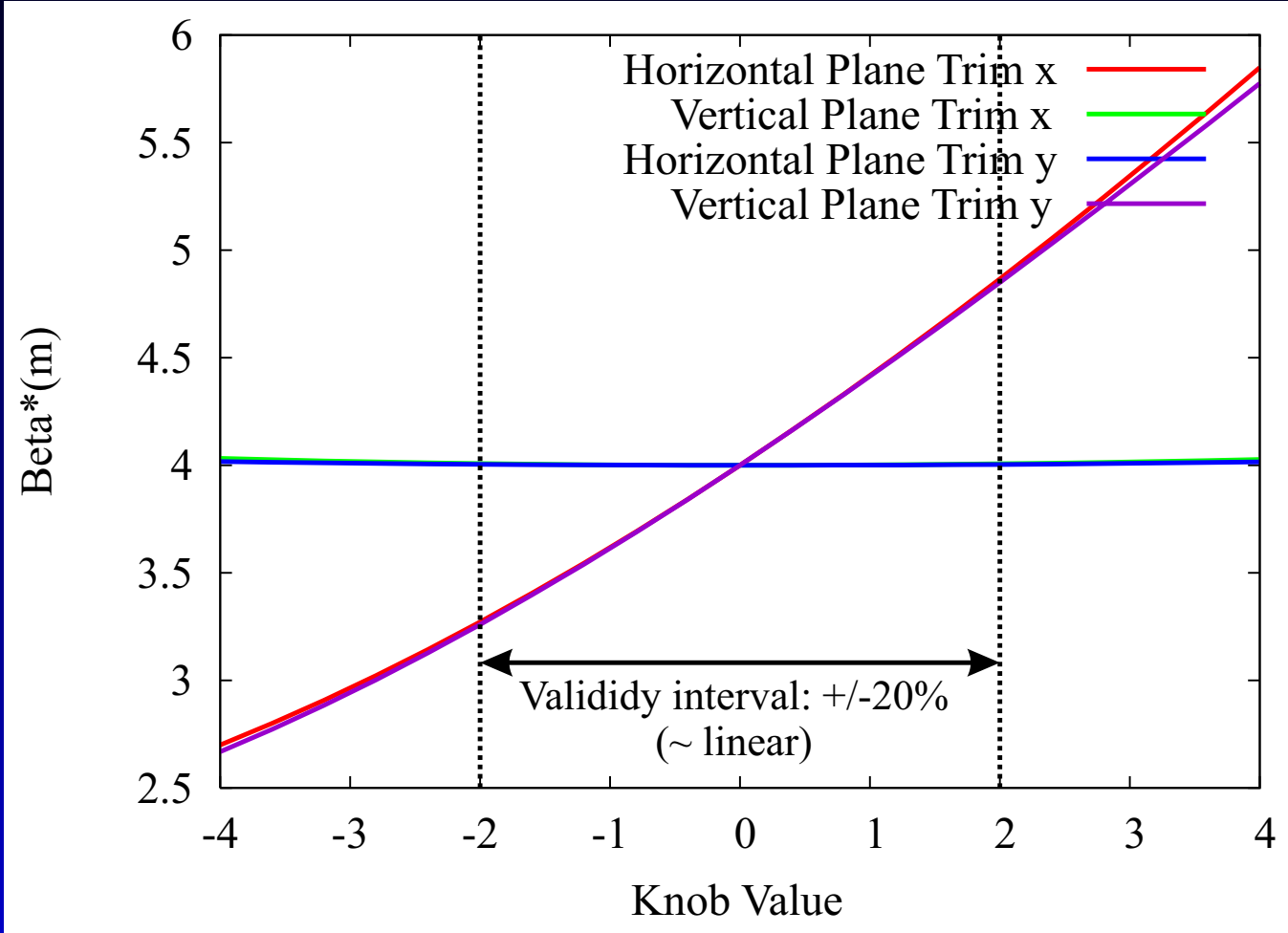
Good steps towards full correction but large errors remain in IR7 (hor.) and IR3 (vert.)

Squeeze in IR5 - Beam 2, 1.18 TeV



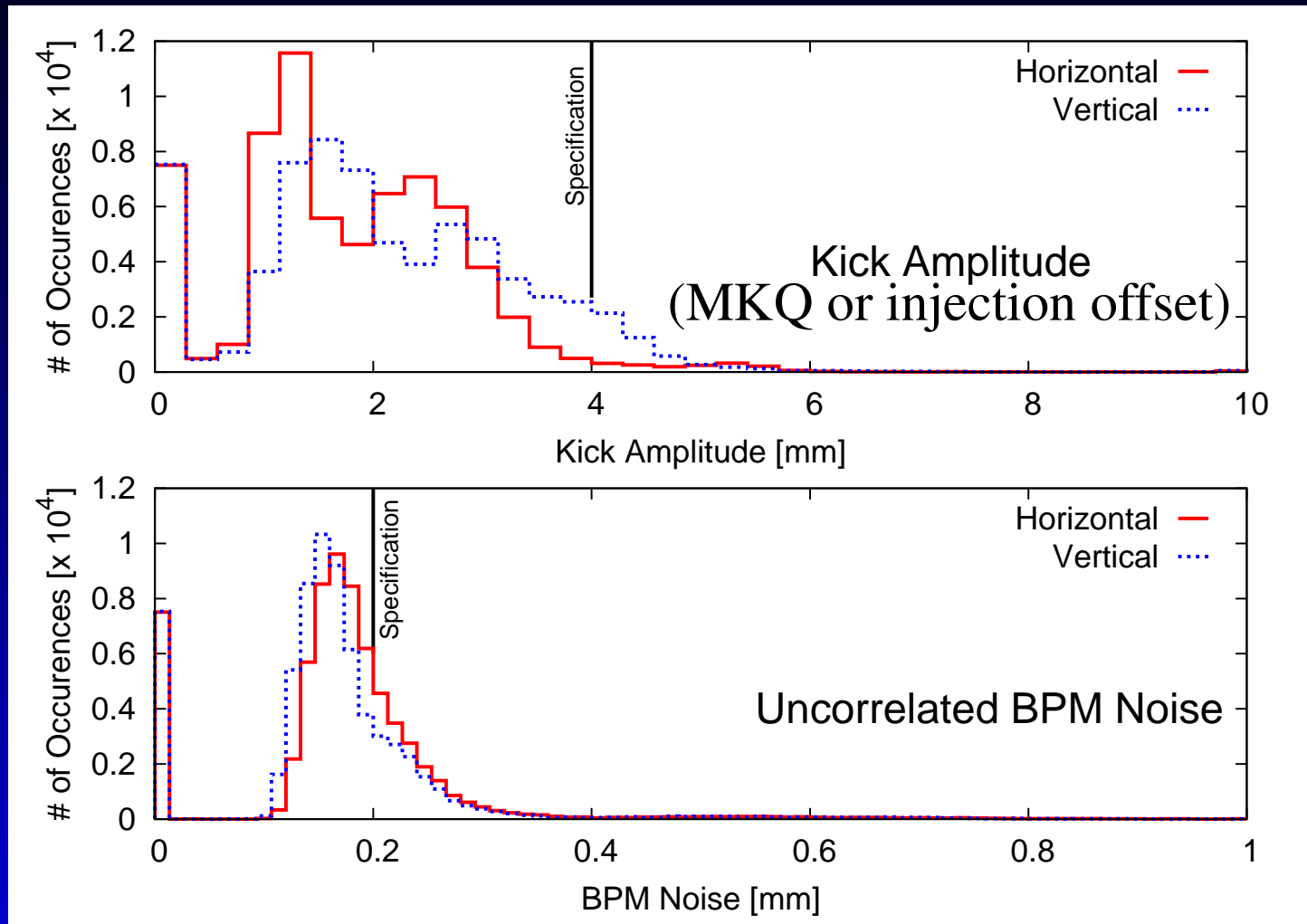
Excellent! (see Stefano's talk for more details)

β^* knobs



β^* knobs were tested without beam.. to be validated in 2010 with measurements

Kick amplitude and BPM noise in 2009



We need larger kicks, MKA (hardware tested last week!) and/or AC dipole (not tested).

Software needs

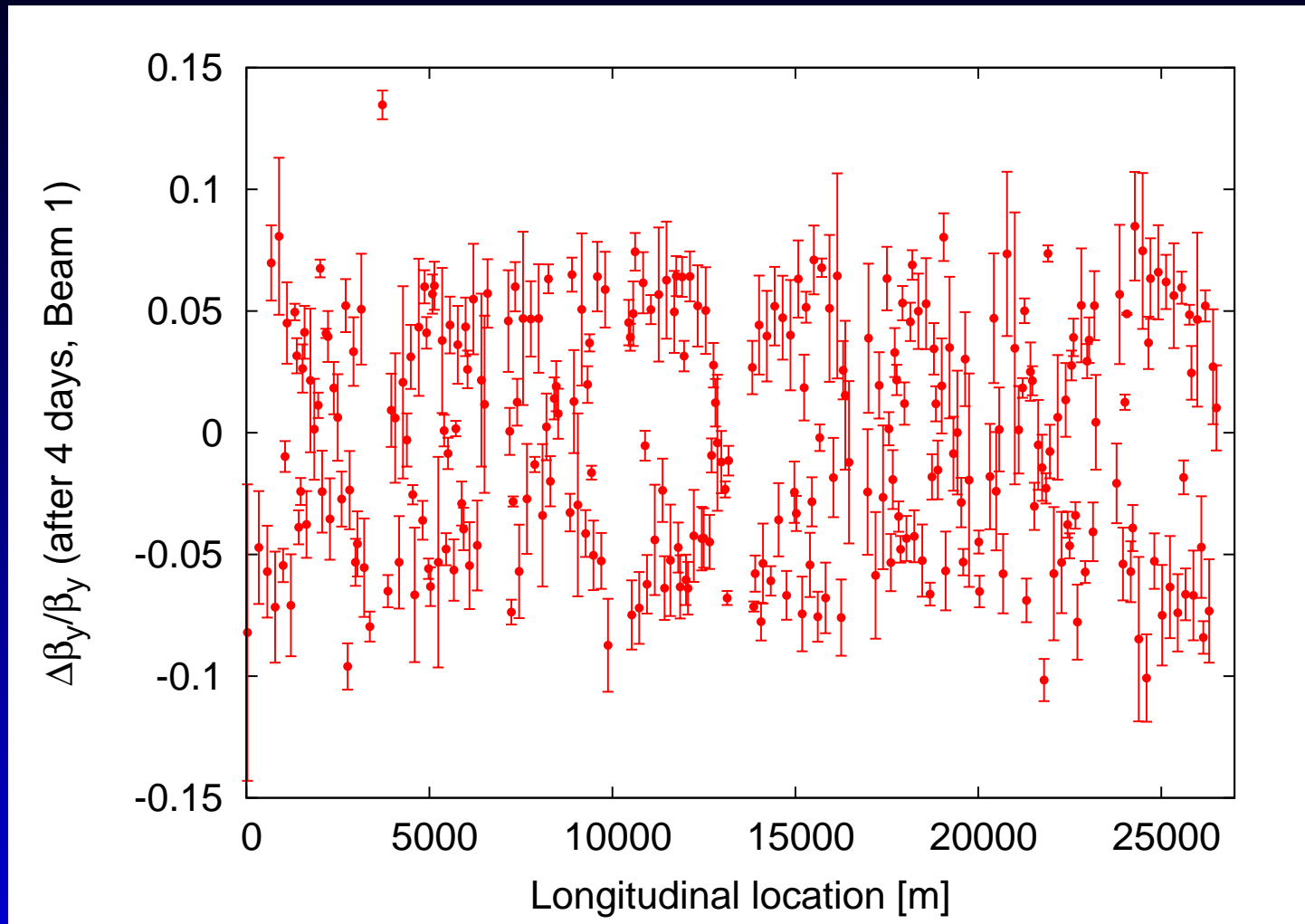
- BPM-bunch synchronization changed between exps:
 - BI expert needs single bunch for this synchronization
 - Could this be automatized and run everyday?
- Kick-bunch synchronization via OASIS usually takes 30min! Any idea?
- Presently measured optics is made available via a web page, should this be put in LSA database?

Commissioning needs

- Dipole b_2 correction could be on from day 1
- Shall we try to precycle Q6?
- Aperture kicker and/or AC dipole absolutely required for 2010.
- After every β -beating correction tunes, coupling, chromaticity, injection settings and collimators need adjustments.
- The IR3 and IR7 local corrections will require various shifts and iterations
- IR2 and IR8 seem to be much easier

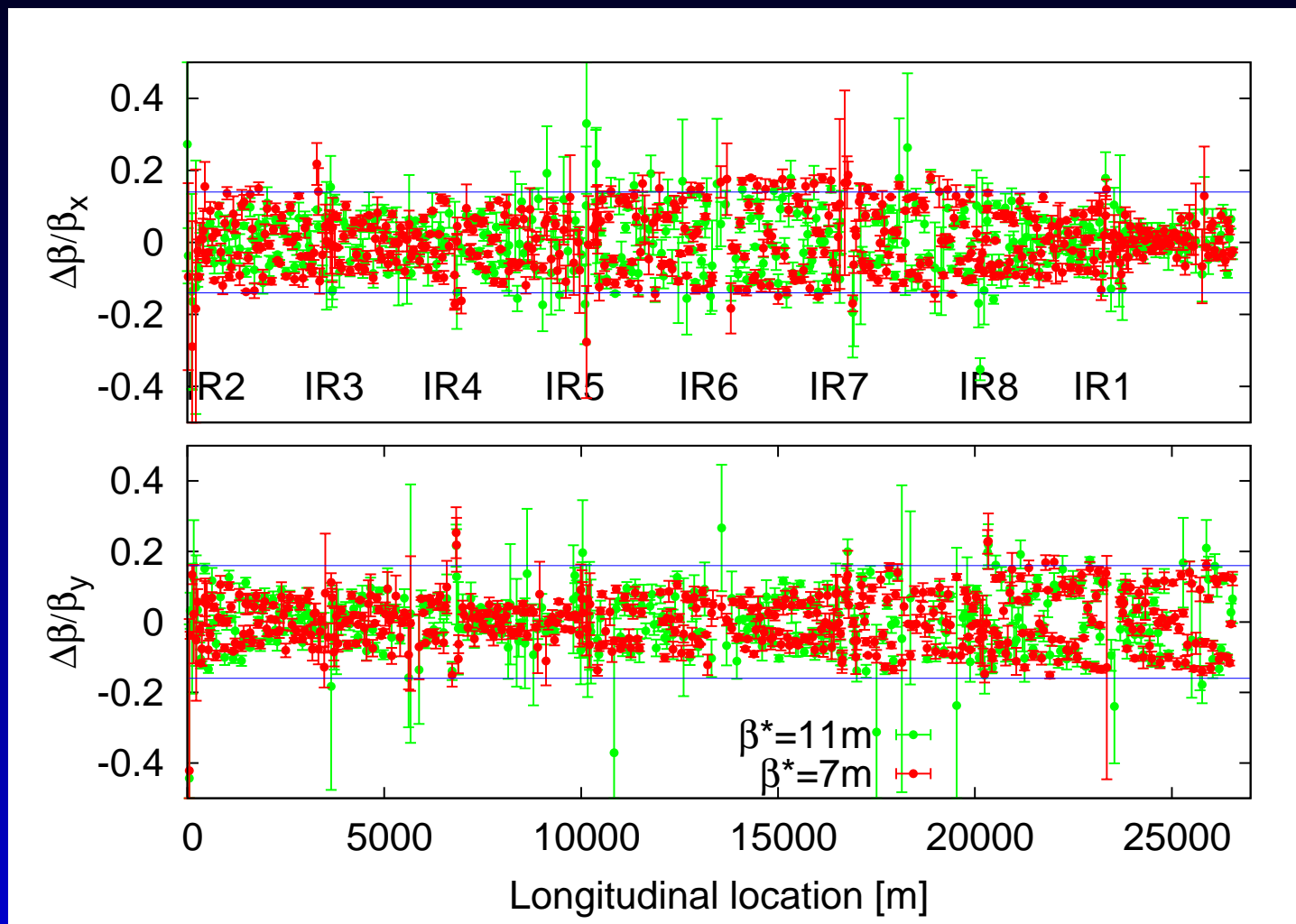
Support slides

Reproducibility - worst case difference



$\approx 5\%$ β -beat difference in 4 days. Source very hard to spot with this poor measurement, need 1000 turns

β -beating during squeeze - Beam 1



β -beating during squeeze - Beam 2

