

# **The 325 MHz Solution**

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## ➤ Front End for the IDS Neutrino Factory

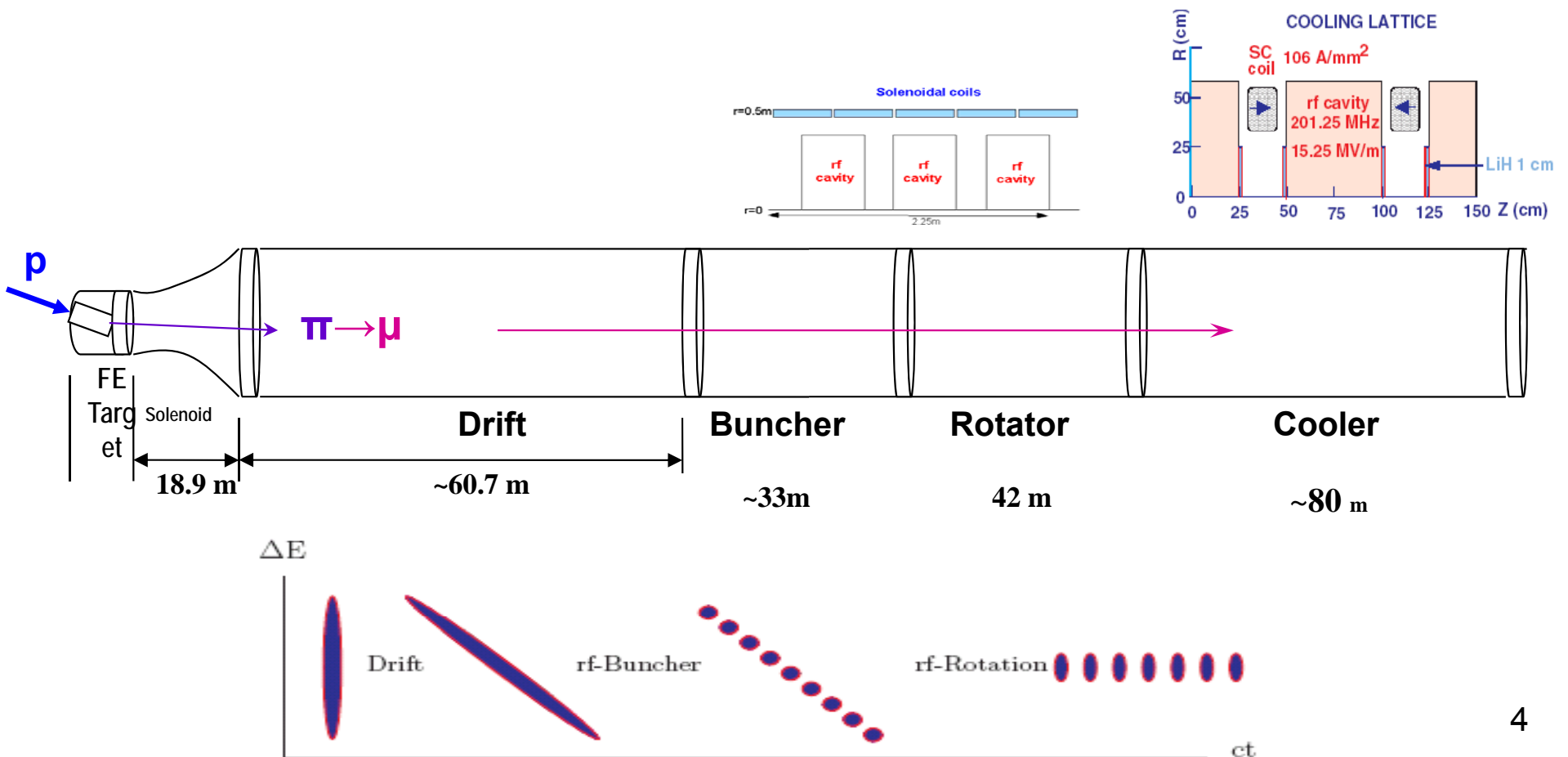
- Basis for engineering/costs
  - Rf, requirements
  - Engineering required
- Redesign for 325 MHz
  - ??

## ➤ rf gradient/ B concerns

- Transit Time Factor
- Pill-box radius

- **μCol-vFact Front End was matched to 201.25 MHz**
  - matched to Fermilab Linac
  - Cooling at **200, 400, 600, 800 ...MHz**
- **Project X is matched to 1300 MHz (ILC)**
  - match to 650 /325/ 162.5...
    - 433, 216.67, ...
  - match to 162.5 or 216.7 is similar to 201.25
- **Match to 325 MHz is not as straightforward**
  - requires ~500 → 325 MHz rf in Buncher /Rotator
  - apertures are more restricted

- Drift ( $\pi \rightarrow \mu$ )
- “Adiabatically” bunch beam first (weak 320 to 232 MHz rf)
- $\Phi$ -E rotate bunches – align bunches to ~equal energies
  - 232 to 202 MHz, 12MV/m
- Cool beam 201.25MHz



## ➤ Buncher

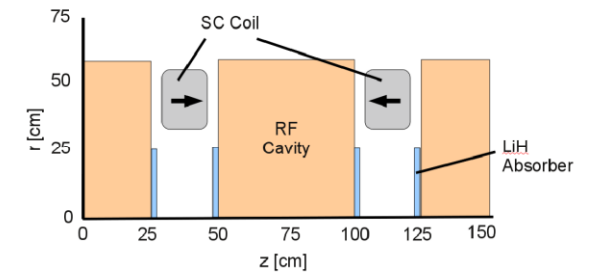
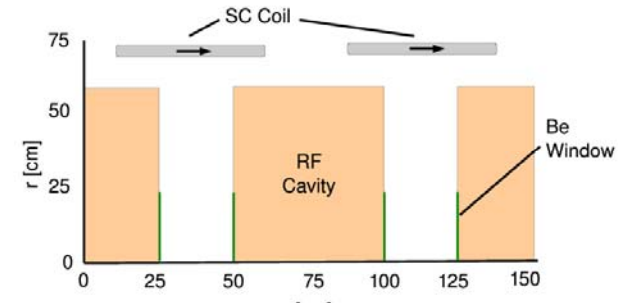
- 37 cavities (13 frequencies)
- 13 power supplies (~1—3MW)

## ➤ RF Rotator

- 56 cavities (15 frequencies)
- 12 MV/m, 0.5m
- ~2.5MW (peak power) per cavity

## ➤ Cooling System – 201.25 MHz

- 100 0.5m cavities (75m cooler), 15MV/m
- ~4MW /cavity – most expensive item



Front End section	Length	#rf cavities	frequencies	# of freq.	rf gradient	rf peak power requirements
Buncher	33m	37	319.6 to 233.6	13	4 to 8	~1 to 3.5 MW/freq.
Rotator	42m	56	230.2 to 202.3	15	12.5	~2.5MW/cavity
Cooler	75m	100	201.25MHz	1	16 MV/m	~4MW/cavity
Total	~240m	193		29	~1000MV	~550MW 400MW from cooling

## ➤ Transit time factor

$$T = \frac{\text{Sin} \left[ \frac{\pi g}{\beta \lambda} \right]}{\frac{\pi g}{\beta \lambda}}$$

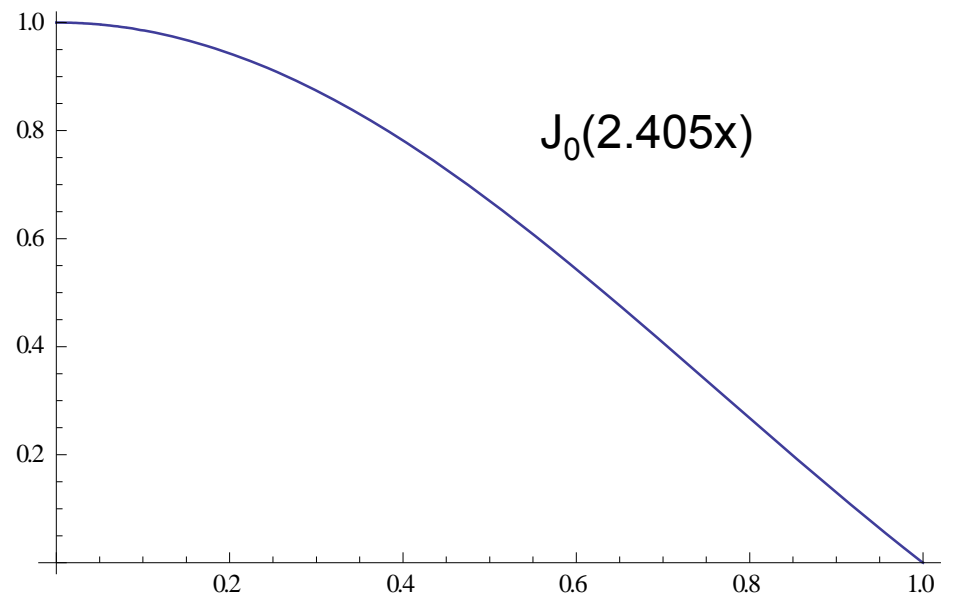
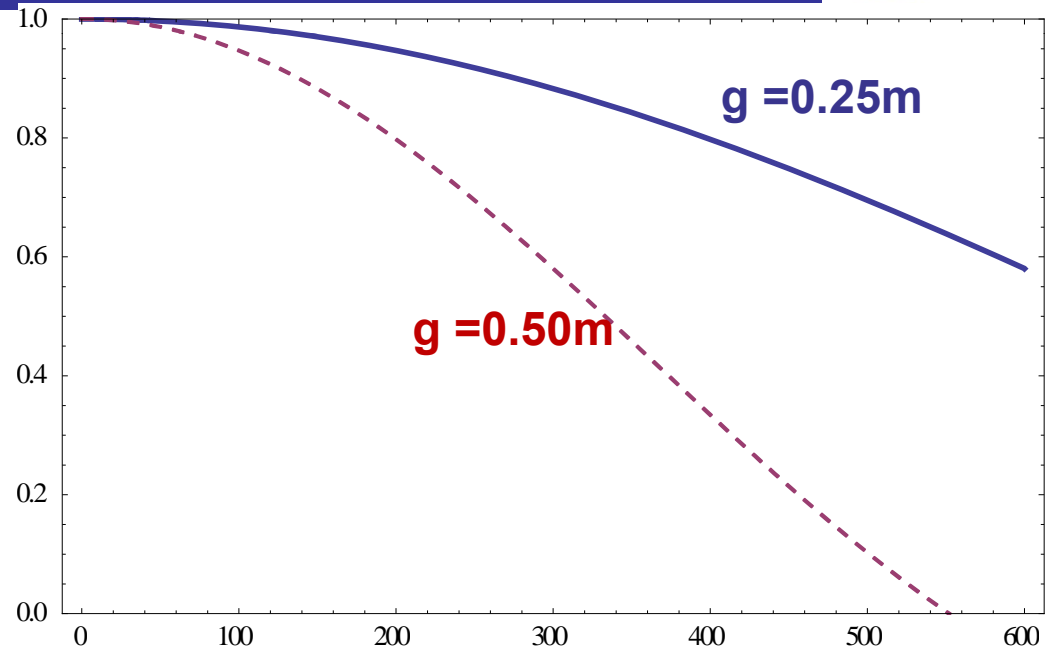
- T = 0.8 (200MHz,0.5m)
- ➔ 0.52 (325MHz,0.5m)
- ➔ 0.21 (450 MHz,0.5m)
- ➔ 0.75(450 MHz,0.25m)

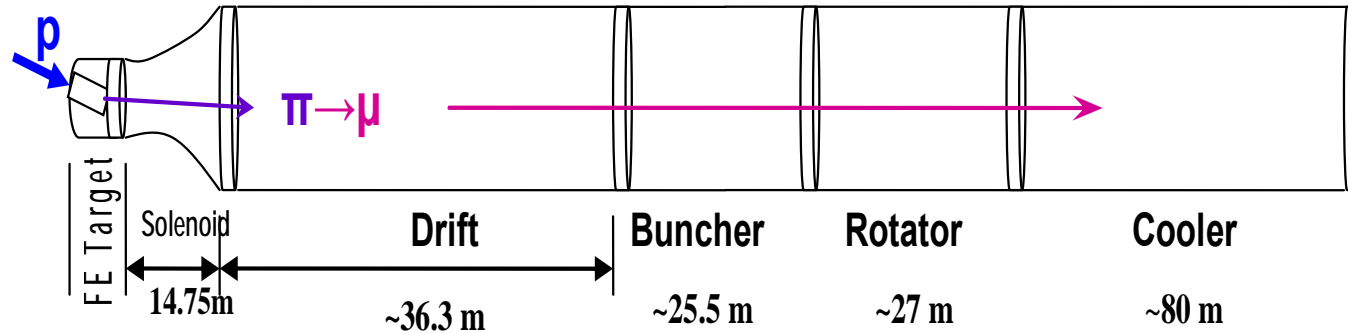
➔ must use shorter rf cavities

## ➤ Pillbox radius:

$$E = E_o J_o \left( 2.405 \frac{r}{r_0} \right) \quad r_0 = \frac{2.405}{2\pi} \lambda_{RF}$$

- $r_0 = 0.38$  m at 300 MHz
- $r_0 = 0.255$  m at 450 MHz





## ➤ Drift

- $20T \rightarrow 2T$

## ➤ Buncher

- $P_0 = 250 \text{ MeV}/c$
- $P_N = 154 \text{ MeV}/c; N=12$
- $V_{rf} : 0 \rightarrow 15 \text{ MV}/m$ 
  - (2/3 occupied)
- $f_{RF} : 550 \rightarrow 371 \text{ MHz}$

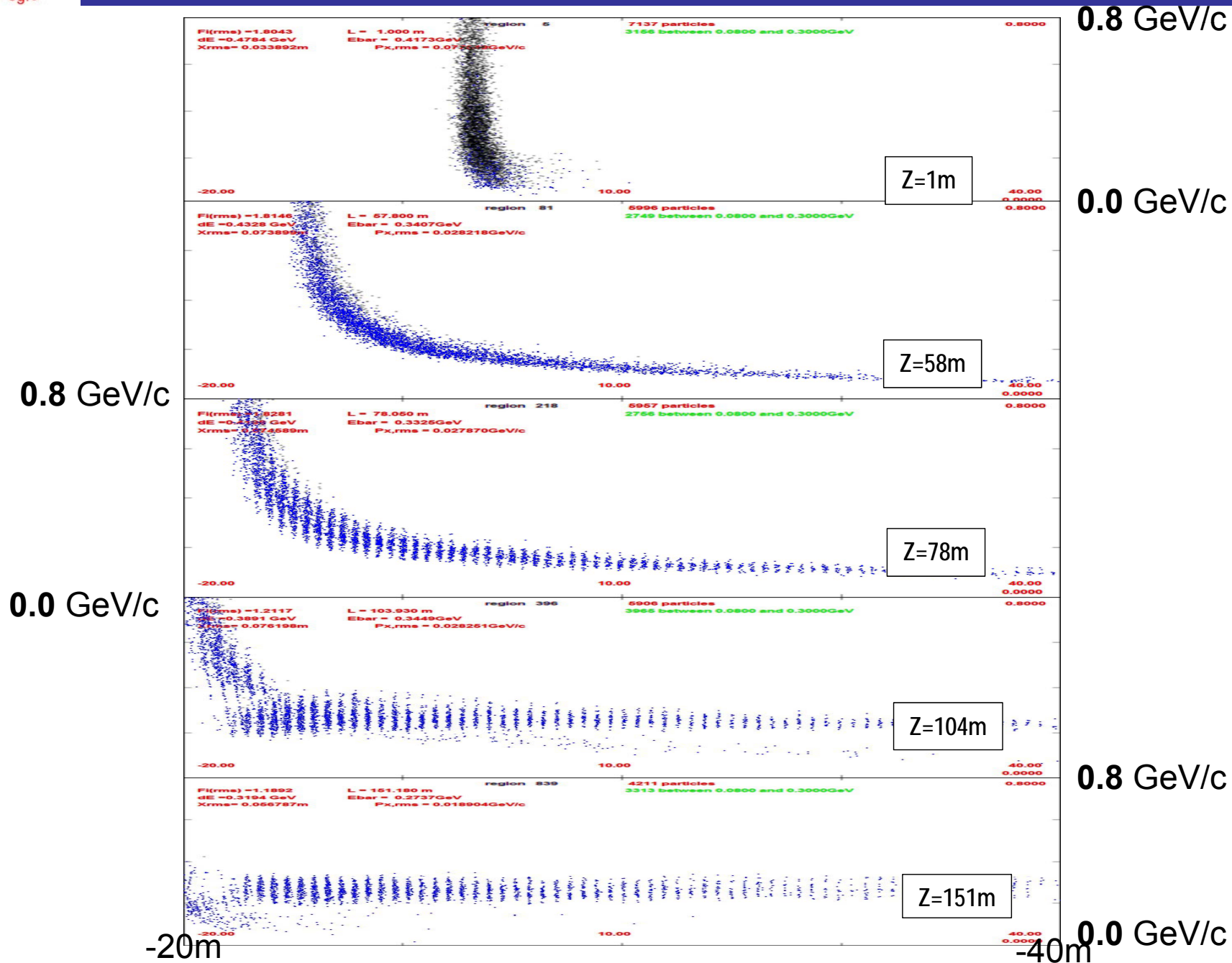
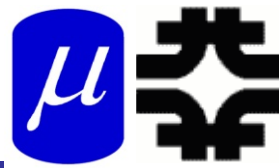
## ➤ Rotator

- $V_{rf} : 20 \text{ MV}/m$ 
  - (2/3 occupied)
- $f_{RF} : 370 \rightarrow 326 \text{ MHz}$
- $N=12.05$
- $P_0, P_N \rightarrow 245 \text{ MeV}/c$

## ➤ Cooler

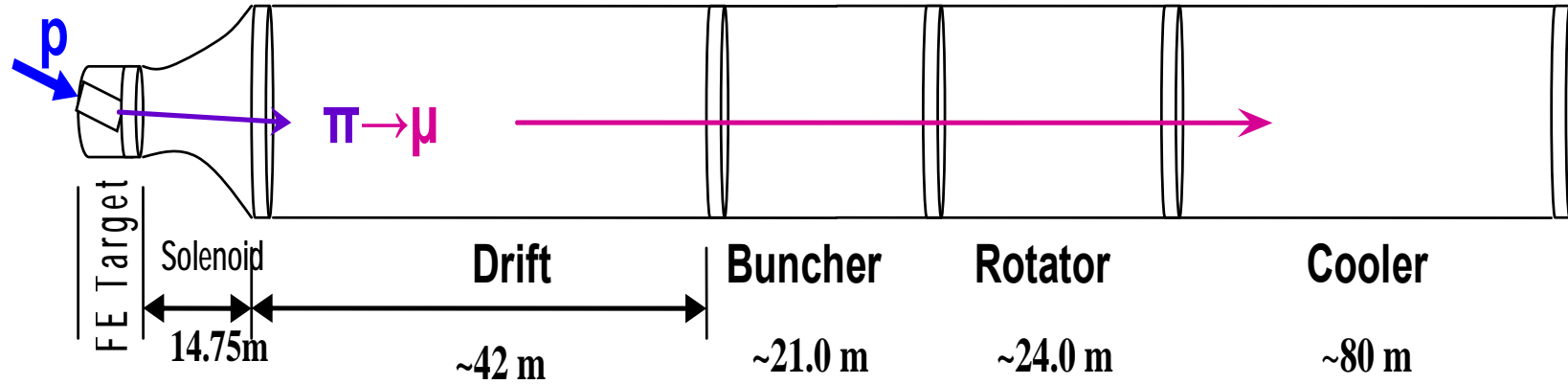
- 325 MHz
- 25 MV/m
- 2 1.5 cm LiH absorbers  
/0.75m

# Propagation through the transport





# Variant 325MHz System



## ➤ Drift

- 20T → 2T

## ➤ Buncher

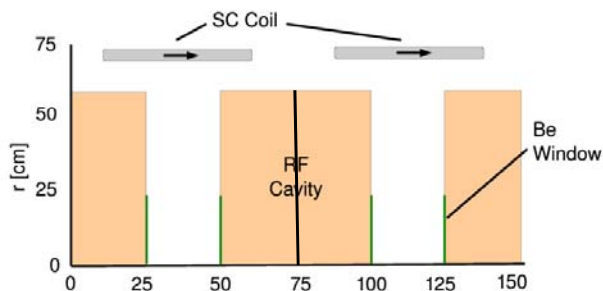
- $P_0 = 250 \text{ MeV}/c$
- $P_N = 154 \text{ MeV}/c$ ;  $N = 12$
- $V_{rf} : 0 \rightarrow 15 \text{ MV}/m$ 
  - (2/3 occupied)
- $f_{RF} : 490 \rightarrow 365 \text{ MHz}$

## ➤ Rotator

- $V_{rf} : 20 \text{ MV}/m$ 
  - (2/3 occupied)
- $f_{RF} : 364 \rightarrow 326 \text{ MHz}$
- $N = 12.045$
- $P_0, P_N \rightarrow 245 \text{ MeV}/c$

## ➤ Cooler

- 325 MHz
- 25 MV/m
- 2 1.5 cm LiH absorbers  
/0.75m

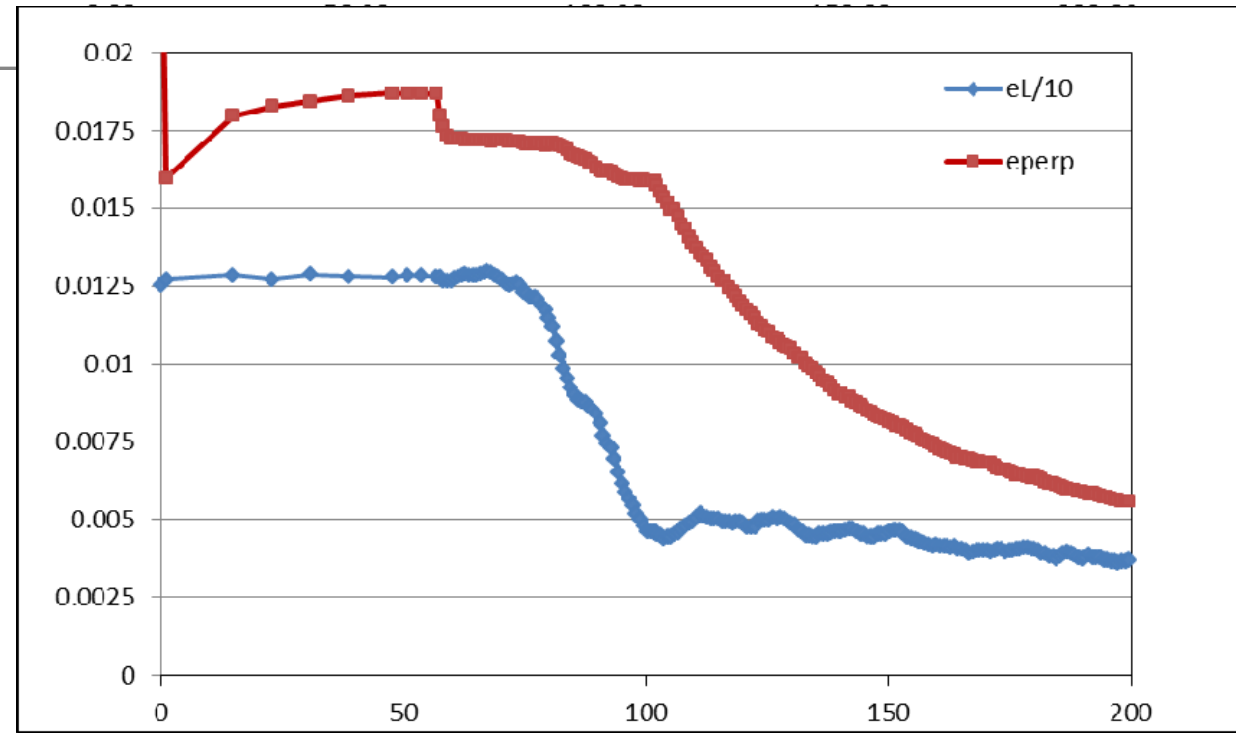
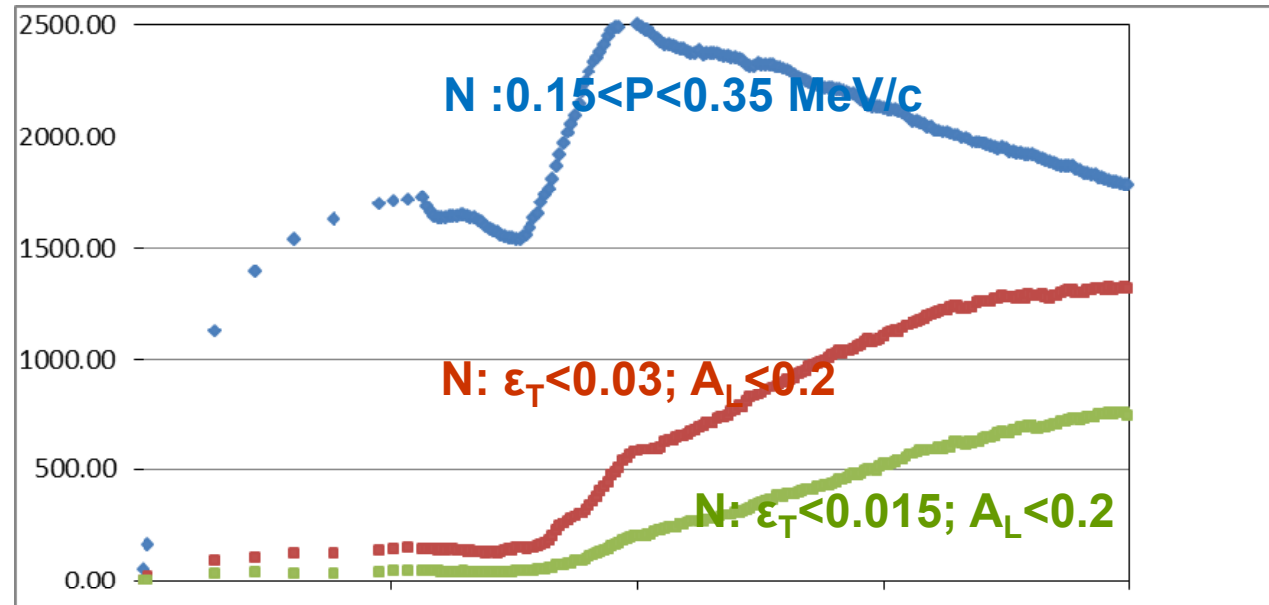


➤ **Simulation obtains**

- ~0.125  $\mu/p$  within acceptances
- with ~60m Cooler
- shorter than baseline

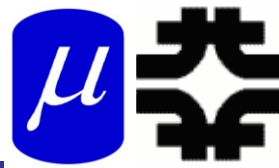
➤ **But**

- uses higher gradient
- 325 MHz – less power



- **Gradient is a bit higher than IDS baseline or initial Muon Collider version**
  - 15/20/25 MV/m → 0.125  $\mu$ /p
  - 12.5/18/22.5 → 0.115
  - 12/16/20 MV/m → 0.102
  - 12/15/18 MV/m → 0.095
  
- **Apertures are smaller**
  - Use higher field transport to make beam smaller?
  
  - 2T → 3T ? (with stronger focusing making the beam smaller)
    - first try had similar to baseline (not much better...)

# Summary



- **325 Mhz Front End Possible**
  - similar capture to baseline
  - shorter system
  
- **Needs higher gradient rf and a bit stronger transverse focusing**

# Answers to Questions



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