

Sudden beam losses during stable beams

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Observations since last WG

■ 5 fills with filling scheme: 13b_8_8_8

Fill 1225 L above 10^{30} , no sudden losses, "gentle" lumi scans, FMCM dump

Fill 1226 L above 10^{30} , no sudden losses, "gentle" lumi scans

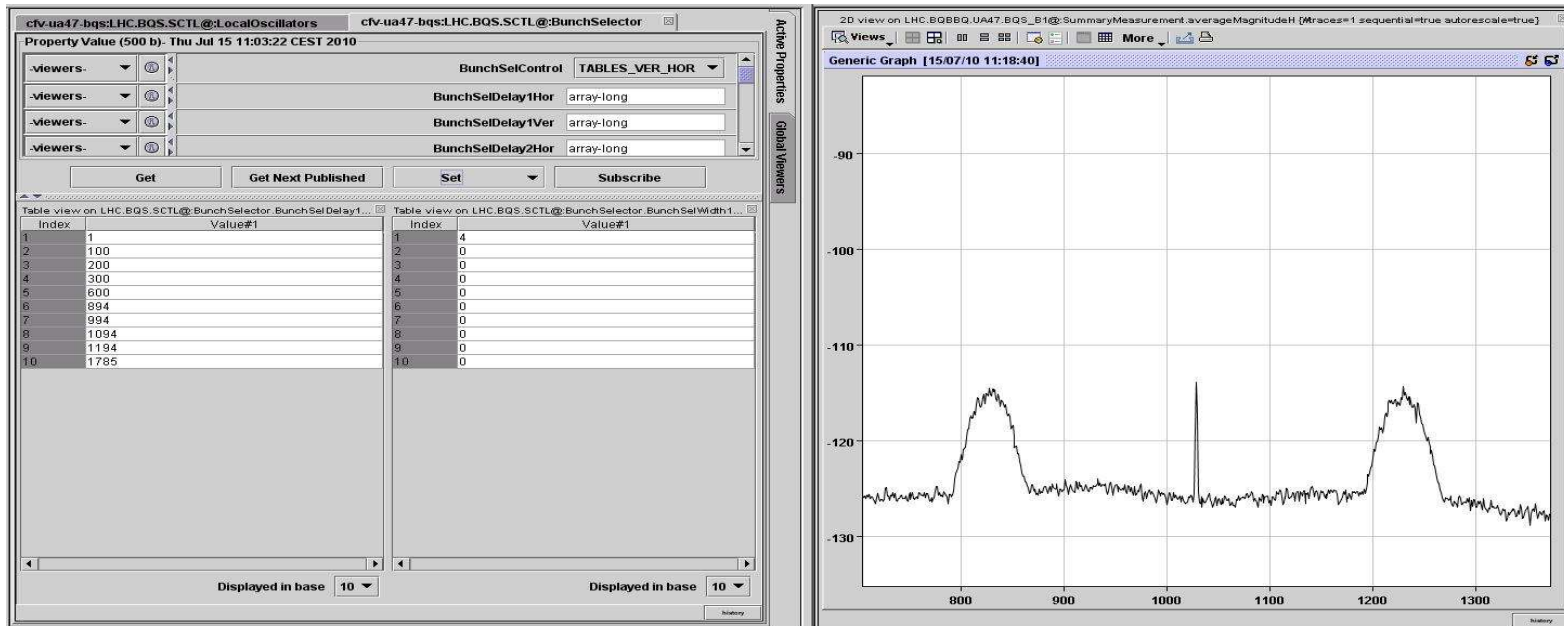
Fill 1229 L above 10^{30} , no sudden losses, damper studies at end ? →

Fill 1232 L above 10^{30} , losses, usual pattern (i.e. bunches 1 - 4) →

Fill 1233 L above $1.5 \cdot 10^{30}$, no sudden losses, damper partially on



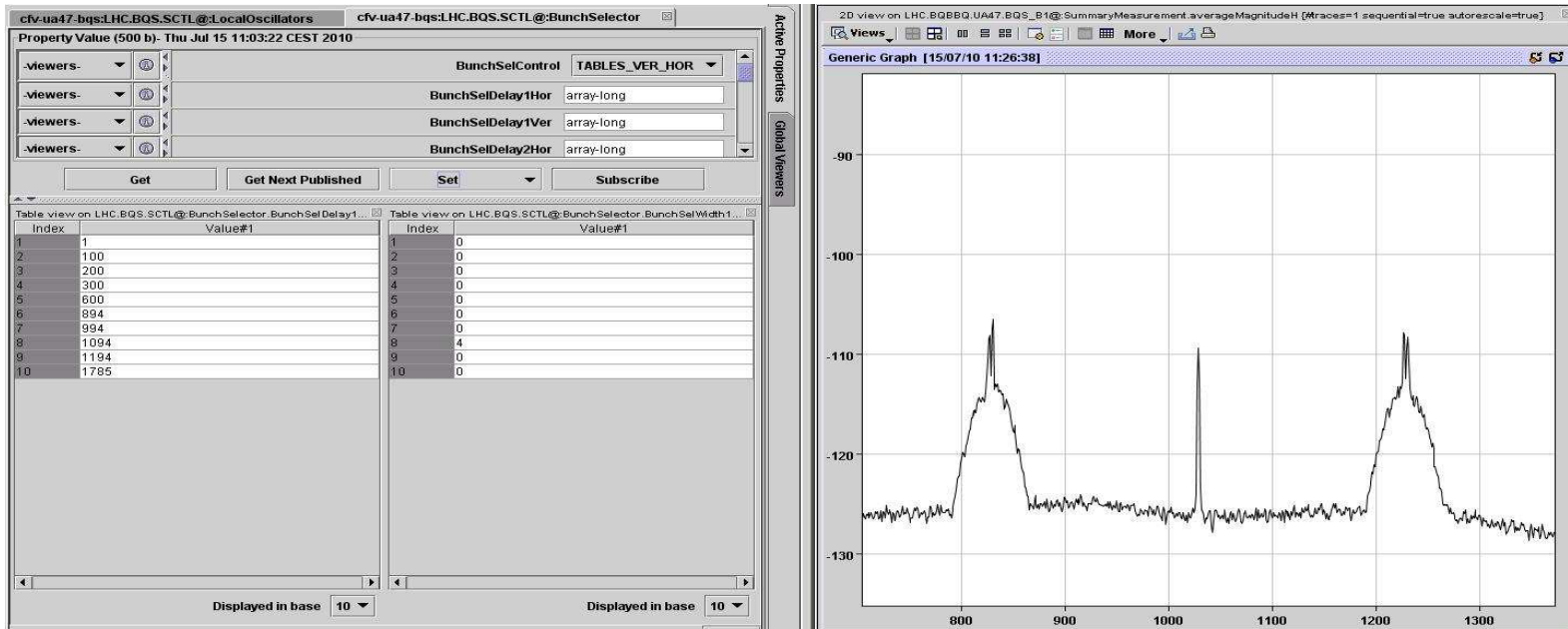
Schottky spectra - bunch 1



→ Transverse Schottky spectrum bunch 1 (collisions 1,2',5)

→ Fill 1229, Damper on ?

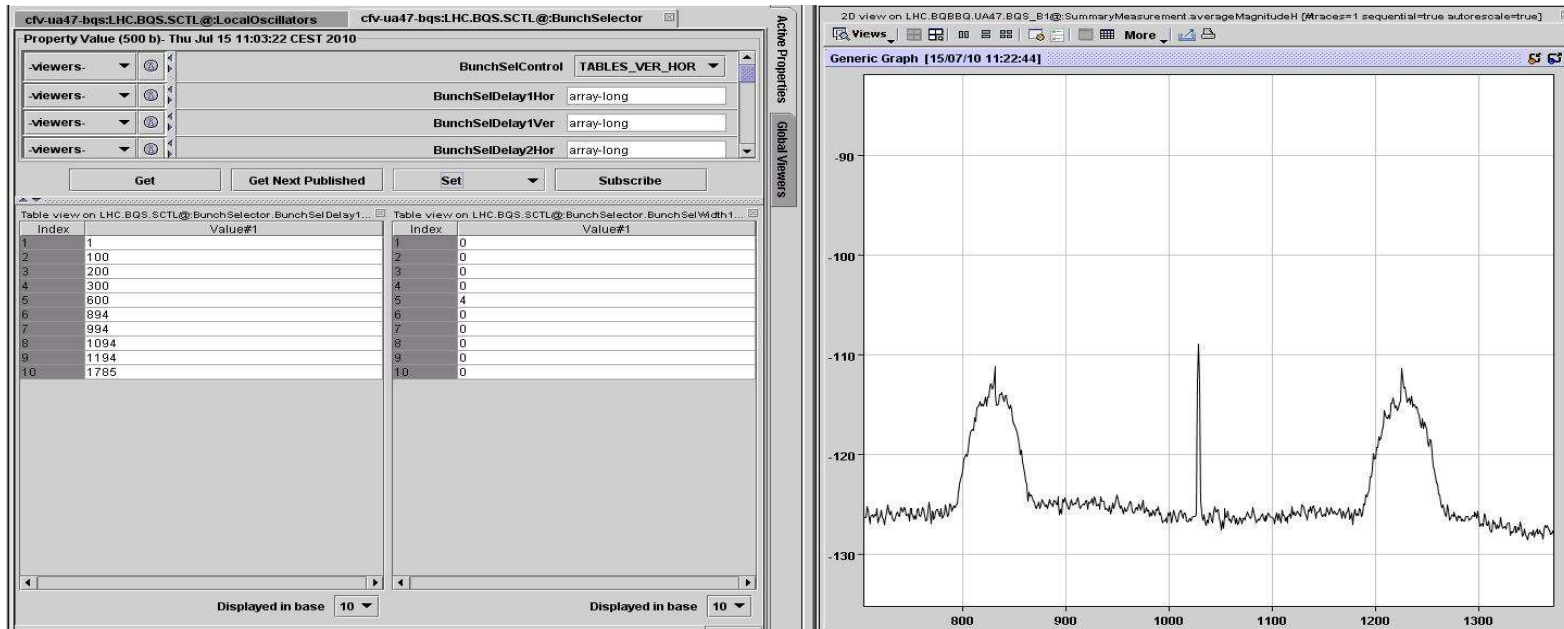
Schottky spectra - bunch 10941



→ Transverse Schottky spectrum bunch 10941
(collisions 2',8)

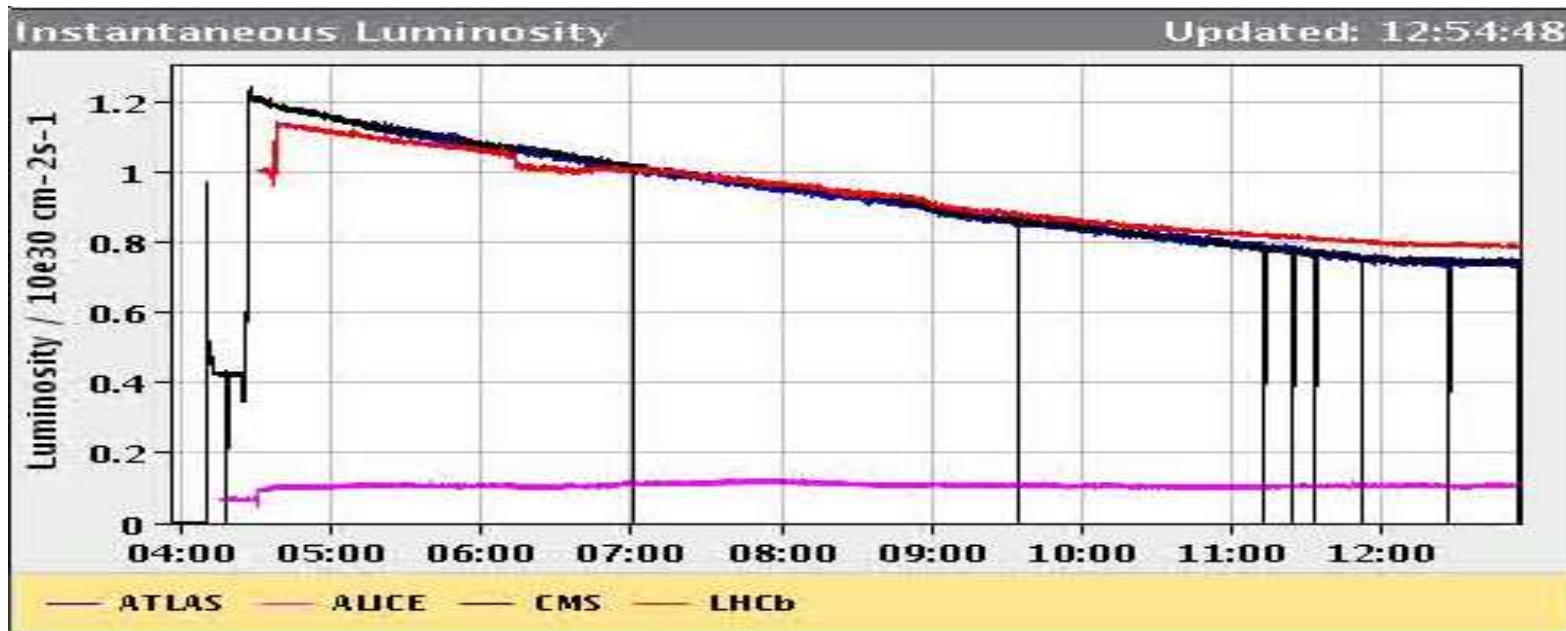


Schottky spectra - bunch 6001



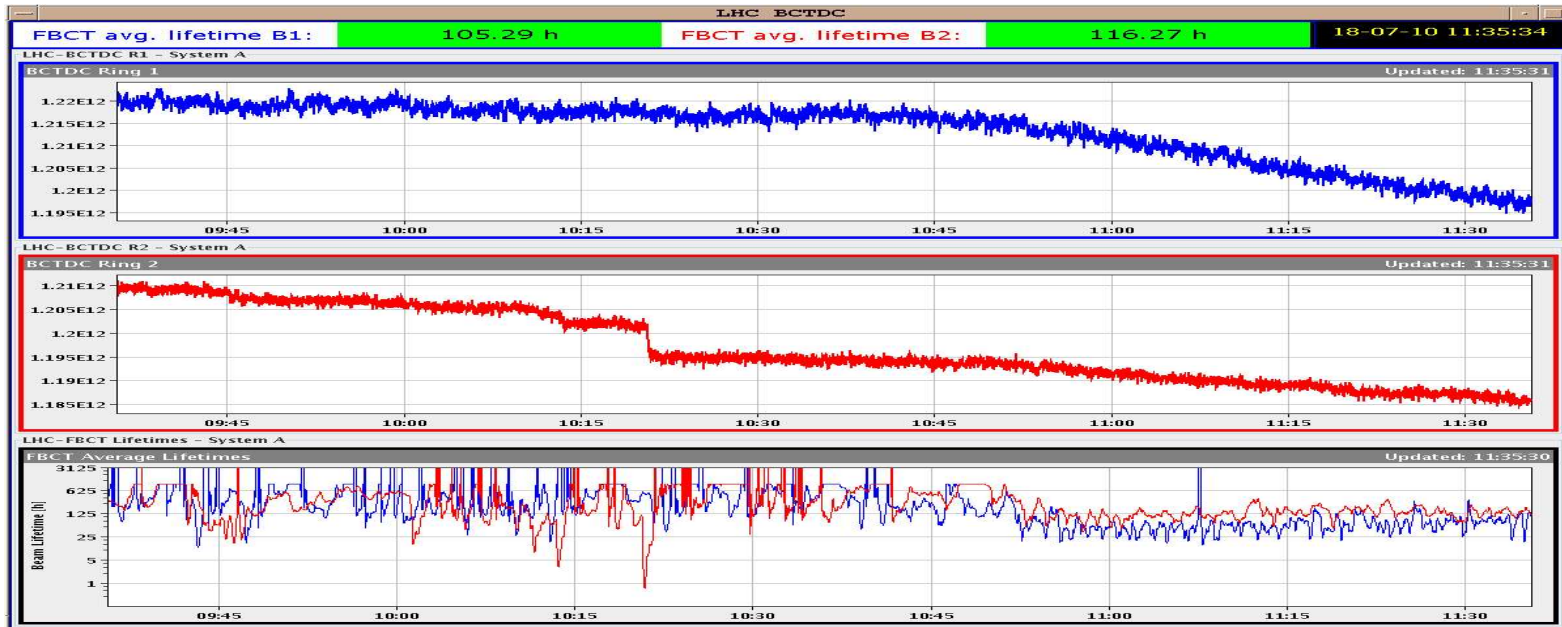
→ Transverse Schottky spectrum bunch 6001
(no collisions)

Damper test



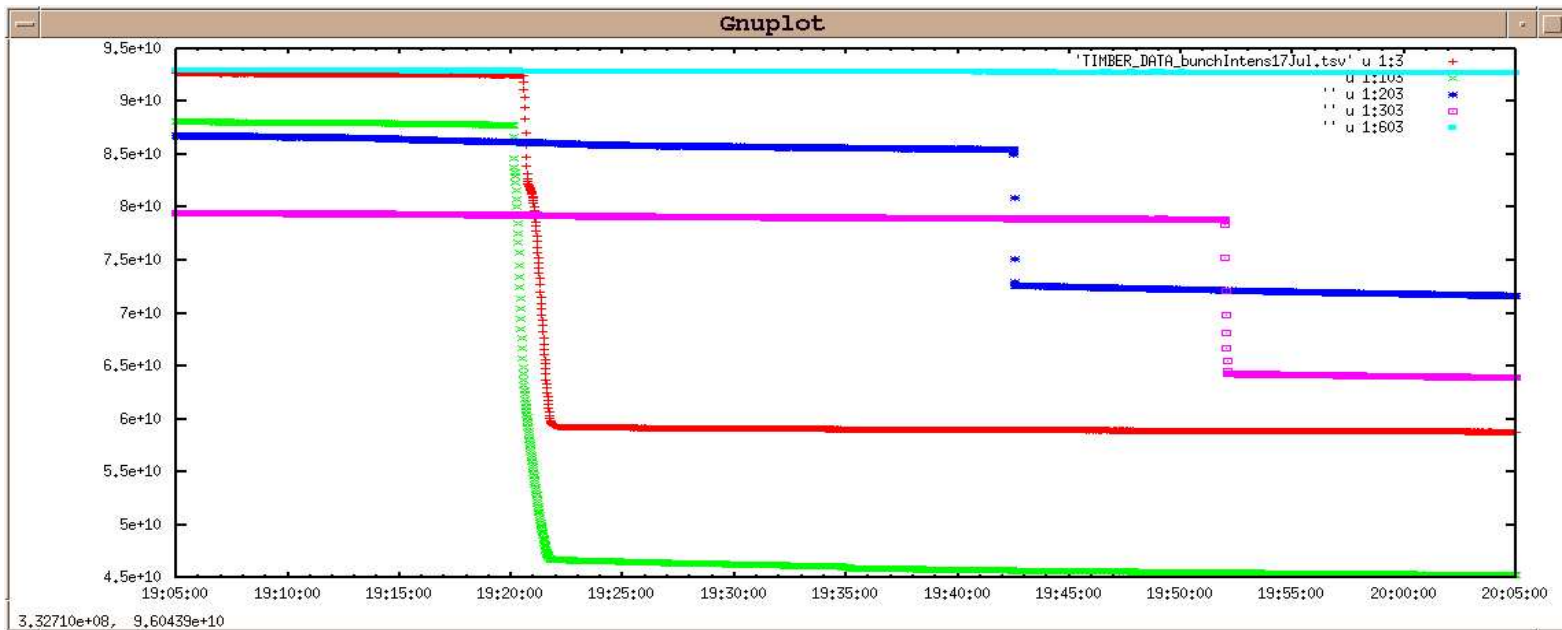
→ Luminosity with and without transverse damper (fill 1229)

Damper test



→ Luminosity with and without transverse damper (fill 1233)

"Sudden" losses, Fill 1232



→ Losses in fill 1232



"Sudden" losses, Fill 1232

■ According to logbook:

- Beams not colliding anywhere when bumps collapsed (reference ?)
- Scan in IP1/5 between 19:20 - 19:35, extensive scanning in IP2 after



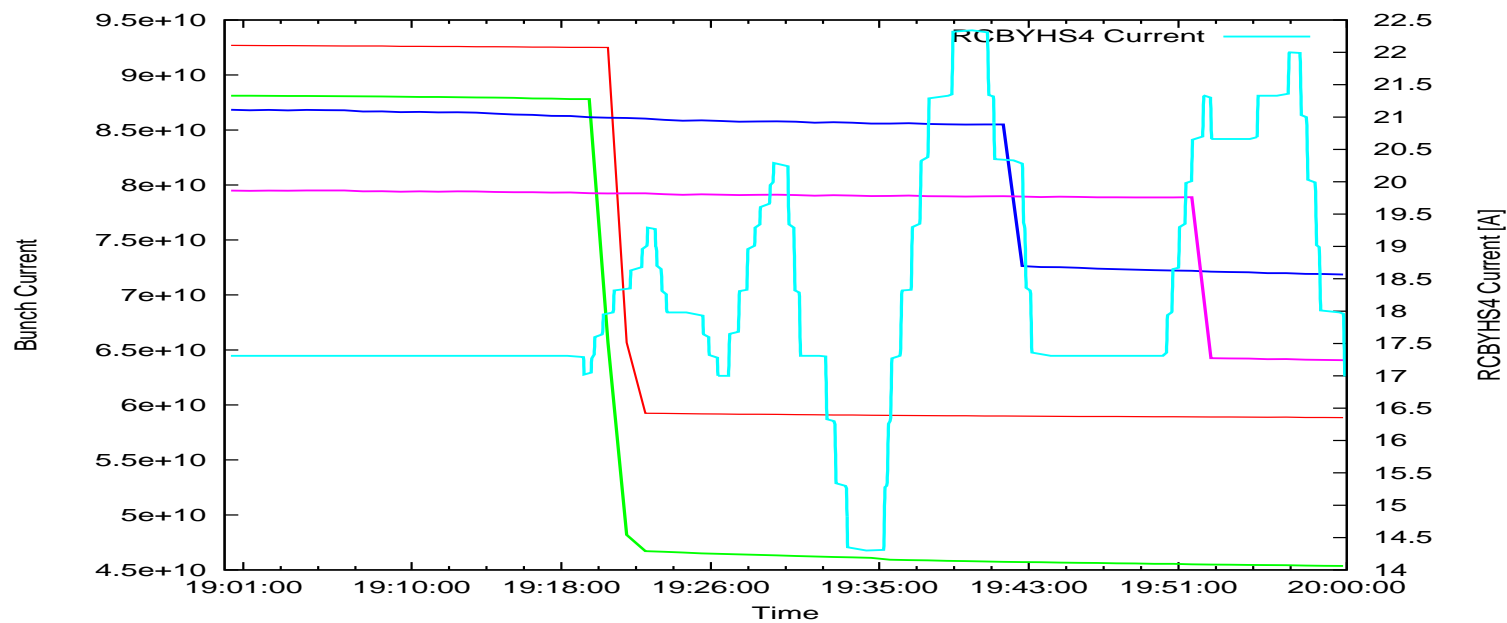
”Sudden” losses, Fill 1232



→ Scan in ALICE ...



"Sudden" losses, Fill 1232



➔ Scan in ALICE (details)



Possible actions:

- Same as last meeting, most could not be done
- Should manage to provoke losses, seems not easy for already weaker beams

