Possible layout of a crystal experiment in LSS5

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Aims

 Qualification of the most recent techniques in the fabrication and bending of the crystal

 Validation of the use of (short) crystals (with small bending angle) to improve the collimation efficiency with protons

Where?

LSS5:

- it is the only long straight section not used for injection, extraction or acceleration in the SPS;
- the LHC collimator prototype and it is going to host the scraping and collimation system which will be used for cleaning the tails of the LHC beam before extraction;
- it is a well instrumented area in terms of beam position, beam profile and beam loss monitors.

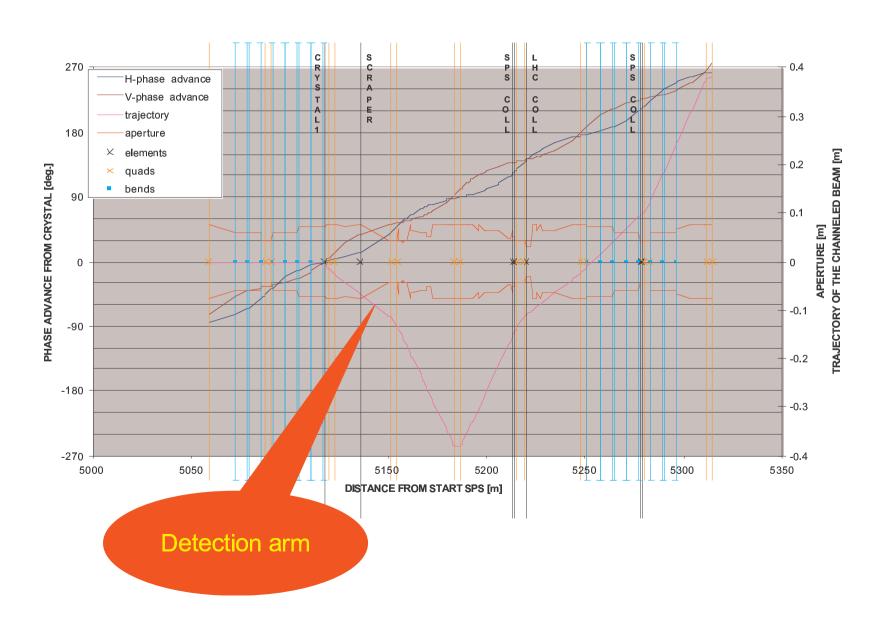
Beam characteristics

Momentum [GeV/c]	270
Number of bunches	1
Bunch population [10 ¹¹]	1
Transverse emittance (r.m.s. normalized) [? m.rad] (H/V)	1.5/1.5
RF voltage	7
Relative momentum spread (r.m.s.) [10 ⁻³]	0.6
Bunch length (r.m.s.) [ns]	0.7
Longitudinal emittance [eV.s]	1.4

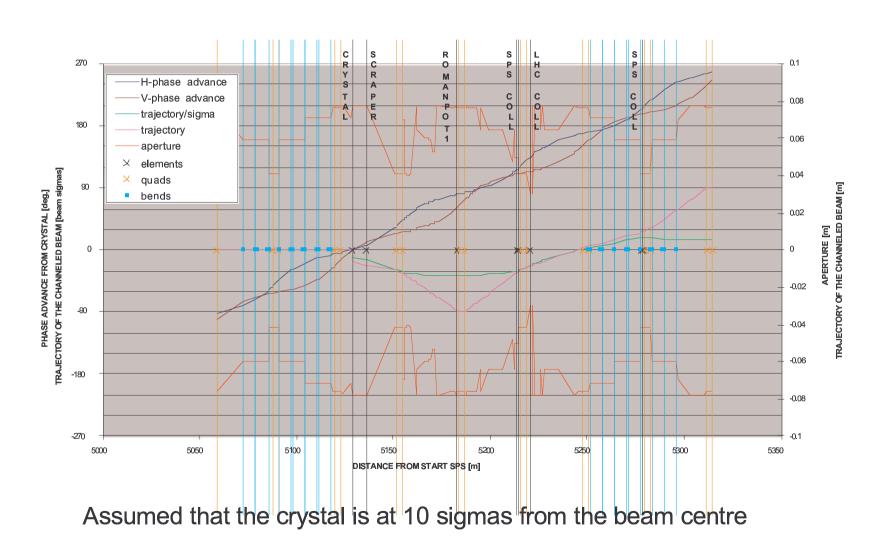
Large angle (Hor – 4mrad) crystal

- Large angle crystal downstream of MBA51590 (available space in beam direction=1.4 m)
- Detection arm in the region between BSHV51618 (Scraper) and QD51710
- No satisfactory solution found for collimation experiment with short-small bending angle crystal in that position

Large angle (Hor – 4mrad) crystal



- Small angle crystal downstream of MDHW51637
- Non optimum position for channeling efficiency
 - → Compromise solution to profit of the present installation (collimators)
- Requires installation of a detector under vacuum (ROMANPOT1). This should measure in the horizontal plane. Vacuum tank of the roman pot installed in 2004 (vertical) not compatible with machine aperture → new design



Element	Phase advance from the crystal [deg.]	
	Н	V
Scraper (BSHV 51618)	6	11
Secondary SPS collimator (BRCH/V)	117	110
LHC prototype collimator (only horizontal)	134	114
Tertiary SPS collimator (BRCZ)	205	198

Element	Separation [beam sigmas]
Scraper (BSHV)	14.2
Primary SPS collimator (BRCH/V)	29.9
LHC prototype collimator (only horizontal)	22.7
Secondary SPS collimator (BRCZ)	17.1

Scraper Detection arm

Crystal -

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Summary

- Two different set-ups required to study large angle channeling and small angle channeling/collimation
- For the small angle set-up → compromise (not optimum)
- Use of the old RD22 set-up and of the 2004 Roman pot not possible
- Only very preliminary study. No attempt done of optimization of the crystal parameters
- Detailed simulations of crystal behaviour required → Feodotov
- Detailed engineering/integration and "fine aperture compatibility study" required.
- Compatibility with near-by instrumentation (BDI/VAC) to be verified