

# Beta Beams Synchrotrons (incl. PS2) – Loss Analysis and Dynamic Vacuum

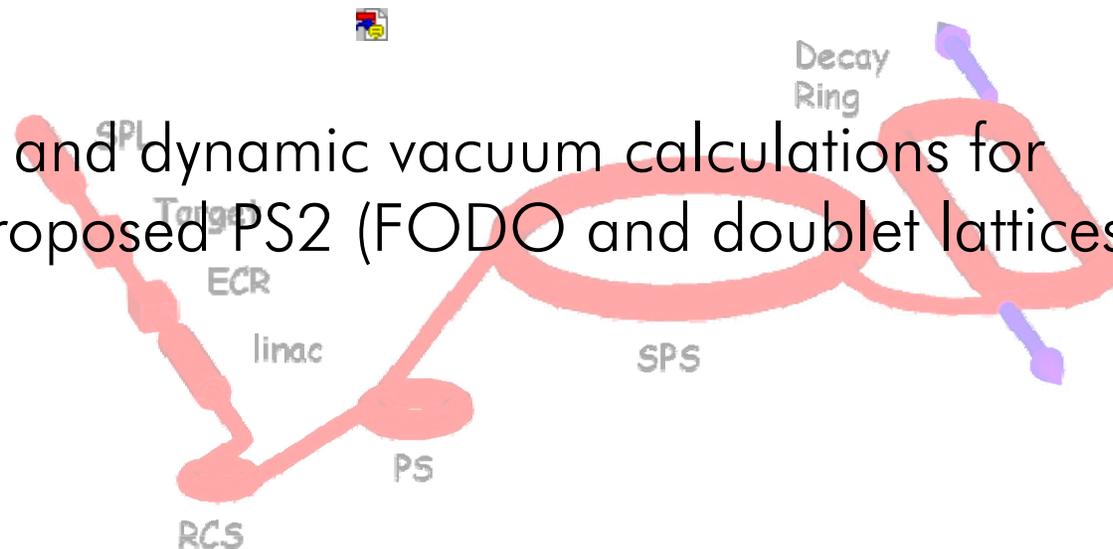
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# Dynamic Vacuum Simulation Code

## STRAHLSIM



Integrated time resolved, loss and pressure calculation:

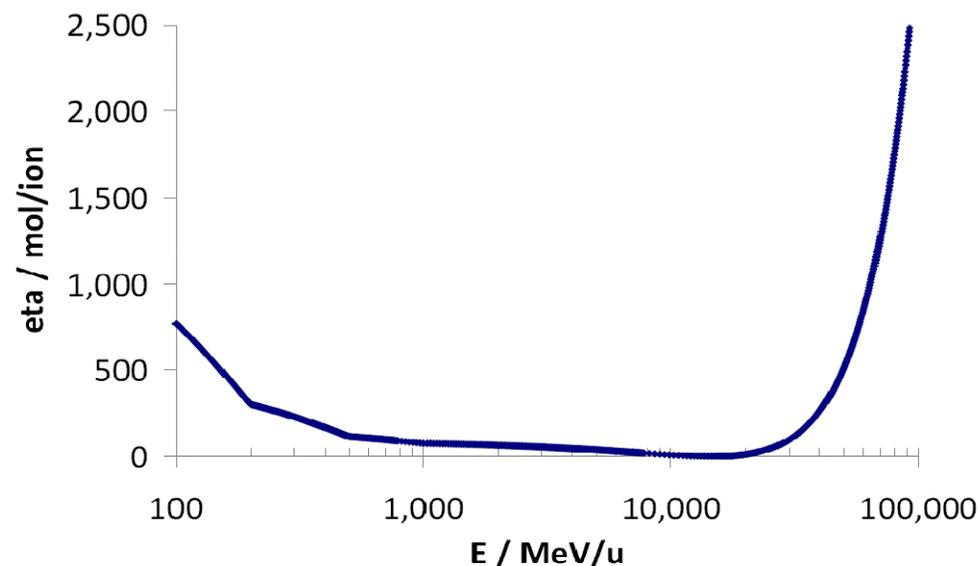
- Initial residual gas composition (mass spectrum).
- Initial systematic beam loss (e.g. multi turn injection, Rf capture.. ).
- Projectile and target ionization and multiple ionization cross sections (ionization degree).
- Desorption rate of projectile and target ion and scaling with energy (e.g.  $dE/dx^2$  and angle of incidence).
- Composition (mass spectrum) of desorption gas.
- Realistic pumping speed and pumping power for the different residual gas constituents.
- Pumping power of cold surfaces.
- Collimation efficiency for each generated ionization degree (loss distribution).
- Effective desorption rate of the collimation system.
- Energy dependence of collimation efficiency and cross sections.
- Beta decay (loss distribution) and energy dependence.

Static, spatial pressure distribution implemented

# Changes in StrahlSim



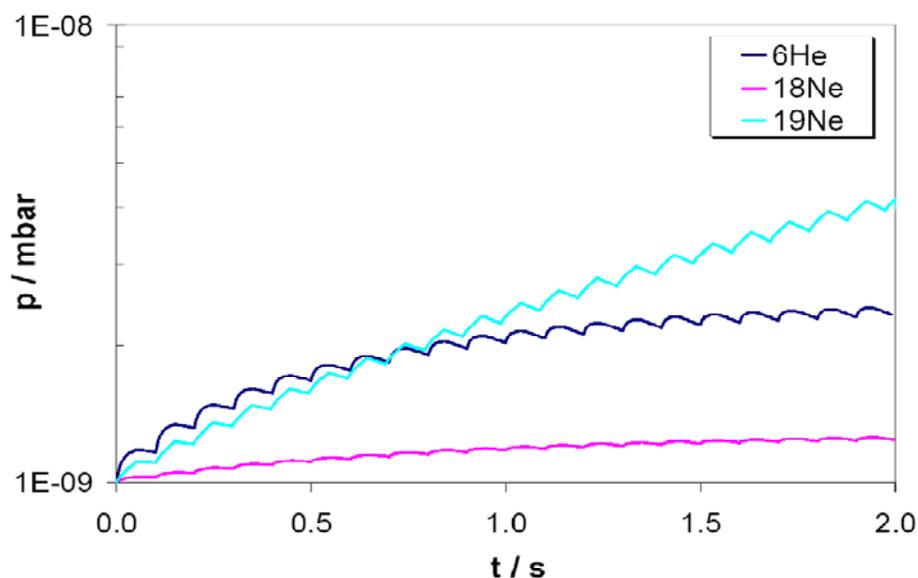
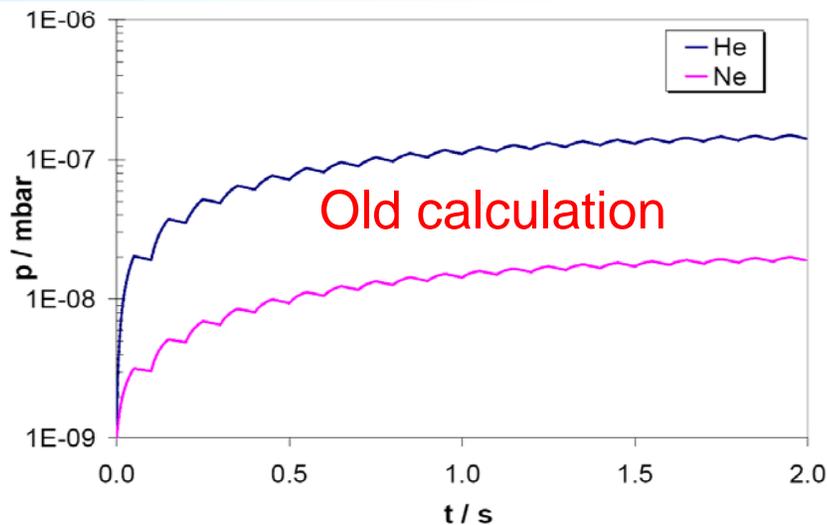
- Desorption rate  $\eta_{\perp}$  (high energy, grazing angle of incidence) is now scaled during the cycle with  $(dE/dx)^2$  of the projectile ion
  - **Basis:** Desorption measurements by A. Molvik and H. Kollmus
  - **Calibration:** Machine experiments in SIS-18, fixed  $\eta_{\perp}$  to 22000 at 11.4 MeV/u ( $U^{28+}$ ).
  - **Source of  $dE/dx$ :** ATIMA
  - **→  $\eta_{\perp}$  is lower at all energies in the beta beams accelerator chain**
- Improved accuracy and bug fixes



# RCS Dynamic Vacuum Evolution



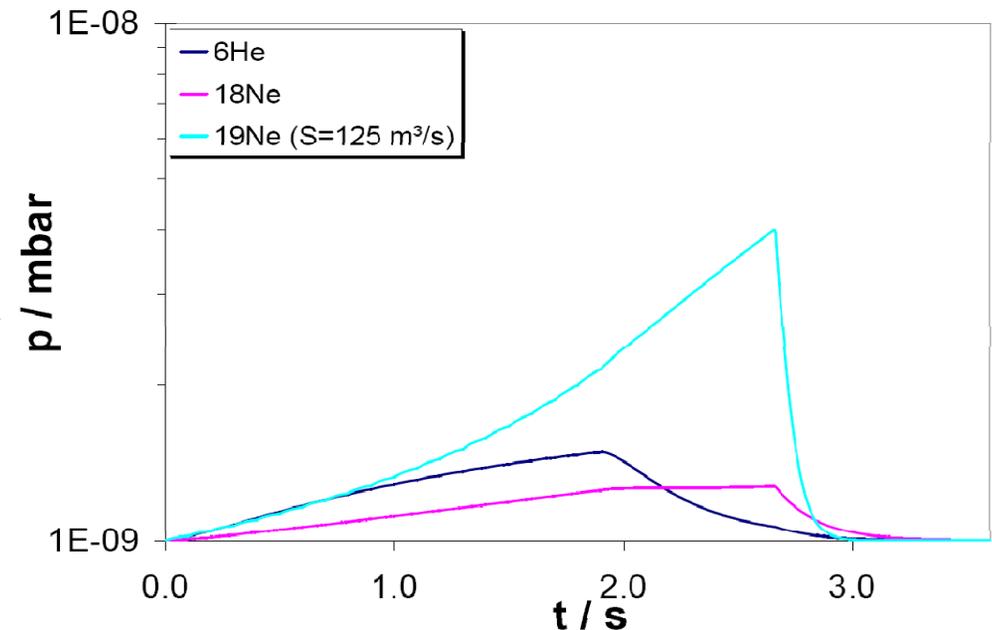
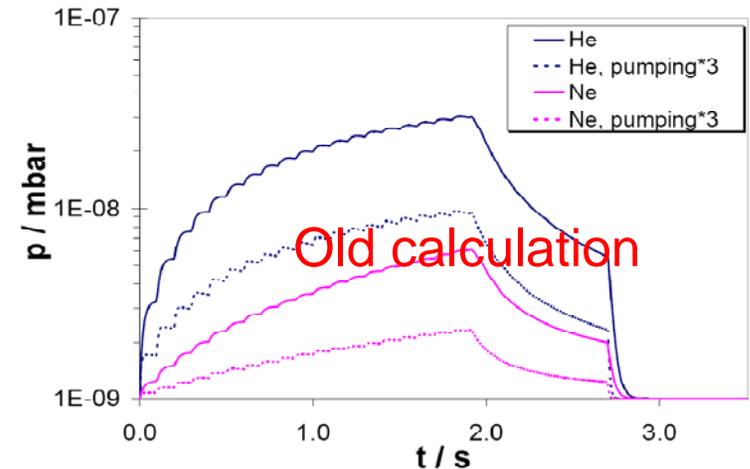
- $V = 1,5 \text{ m}^3$
- $S_{\text{eff}} = 2 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$  for  $\text{N}_2$  ( $\tau = 0,75 \text{ s}$ )
- $p_0 = 1 \cdot 10^{-9} \text{ mbar}$
  
- 38 %  $\text{H}_2$
- 54,4 %  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- 7,6 %  $\text{N}_2$
  
- Long term pressure evolution (calc. with StrahlSim) seems to be stable in terms of maximum pressure for all ions.



# PS Dynamic Vacuum Evolution



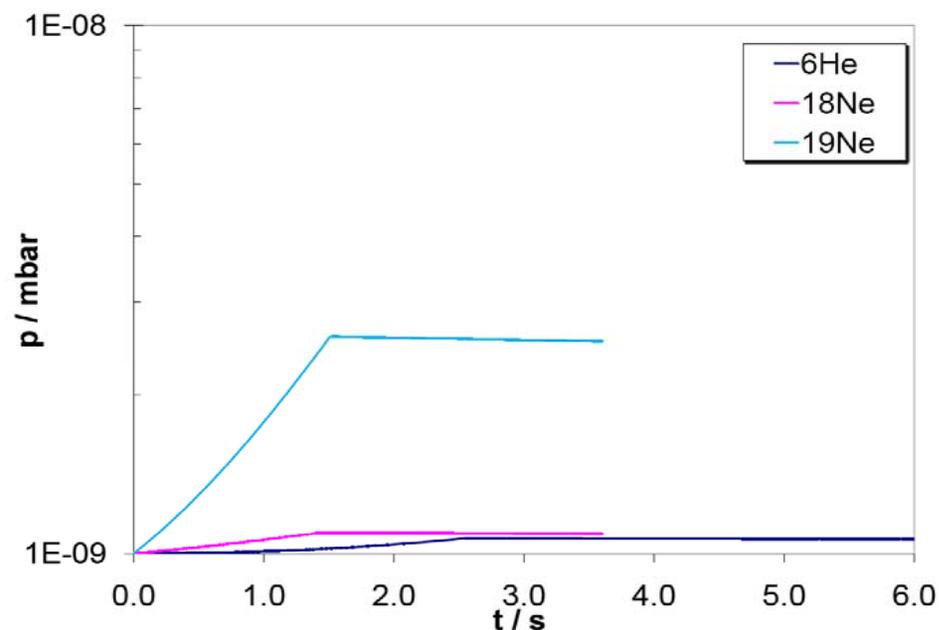
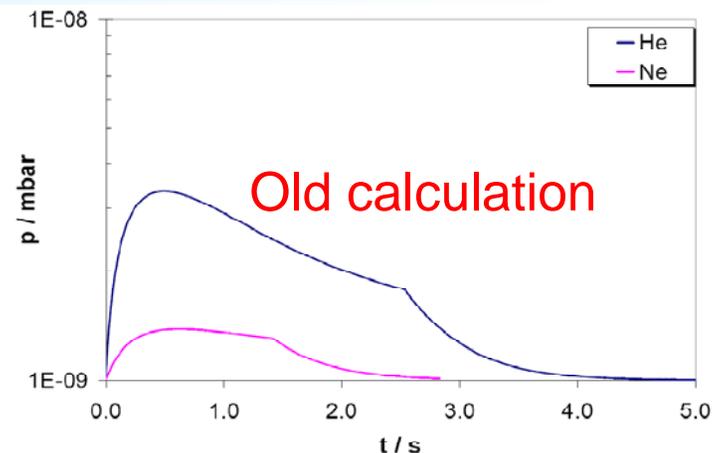
- $V = 6,3 \text{ m}^3$
- $S_{\text{eff}} = 37.65 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$  for  $\text{N}_2$  ( $\tau = 5,98 \text{ s}$ )
- $p_0 = 1 \cdot 10^{-9} \text{ mbar}$
  
- 38 %  $\text{H}_2$
- 54,4 %  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- 7,6 %  $\text{N}_2$
  
- For  ${}^6\text{He}$  and  ${}^{18}\text{Ne}$ , the pressure evolution (calc. with StrahlSim) seems to be stable in terms of maximum pressure.
  
- For  ${}^{19}\text{Ne}$ , the target ionization process dominates. An upgrade of the PS UHV system (factor 3 in pumping speed) would be needed to stabilize conditions.



# SPS Dynamic Vacuum Evolution



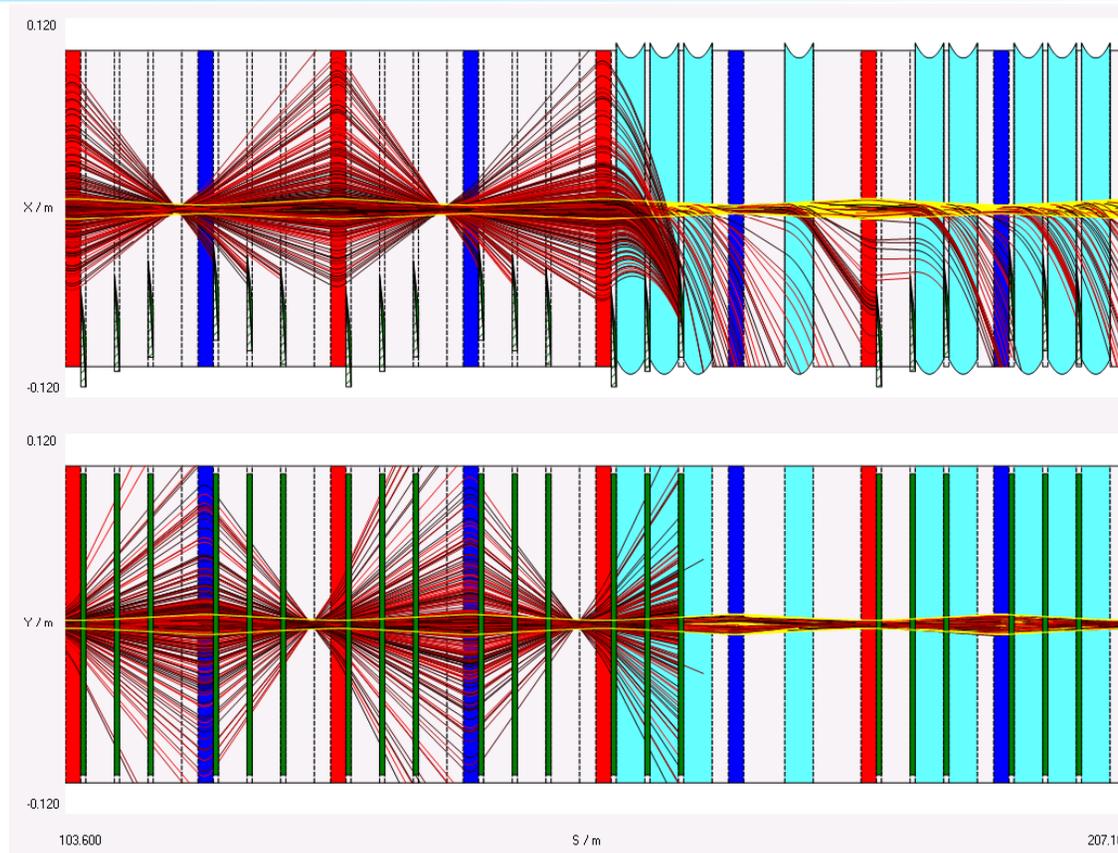
- $V = 149 \text{ m}^3$
- $S_{\text{eff}} = 2.28 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$  for  $\text{N}_2$  ( $\tau = 65,35 \text{ s}$ )
- $p_0 = 1 \cdot 10^{-9} \text{ mbar}$
  
- 38 %  $\text{H}_2$
- 54,4 %  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- 7,6 %  $\text{N}_2$
  
- For  ${}^6\text{He}$  and  ${}^{18}\text{Ne}$ , the pressure evolution (calc. with StrahlSim) seems to be stable in terms of maximum pressure.
- For  ${}^{19}\text{Ne}$ , target ionization dominates again, but is no problem in SPS.



# Tracks of ${}^6\text{He}$ Daughter Product in the PS2 FODO Lattice



horizontal

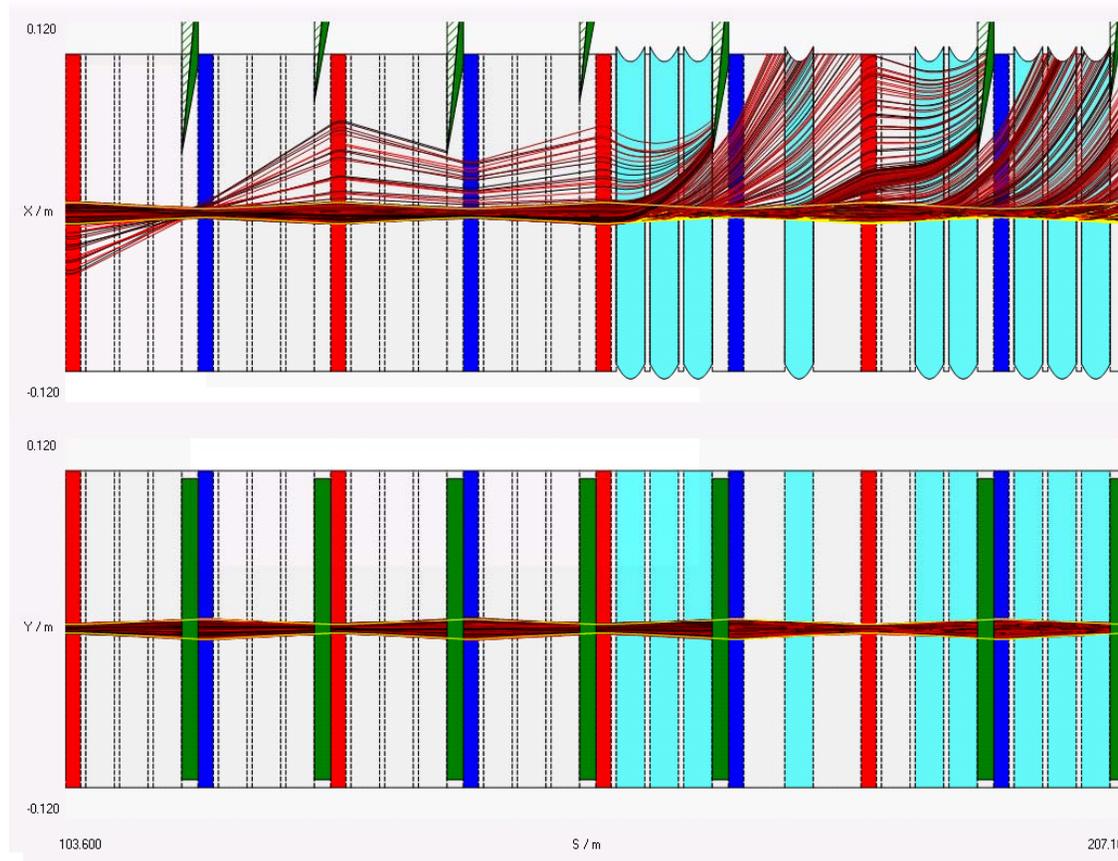


FODO structure causes alternating horizontal and vertical impact on the beam pipe in the straights. Loss peak of He will be **in** the 3rd dipole. When placing collimators in between dipoles, most of the losses are under control.

# Tracks of $^{18}\text{Ne}$ Daughter Product in the PS2 FODO Lattice

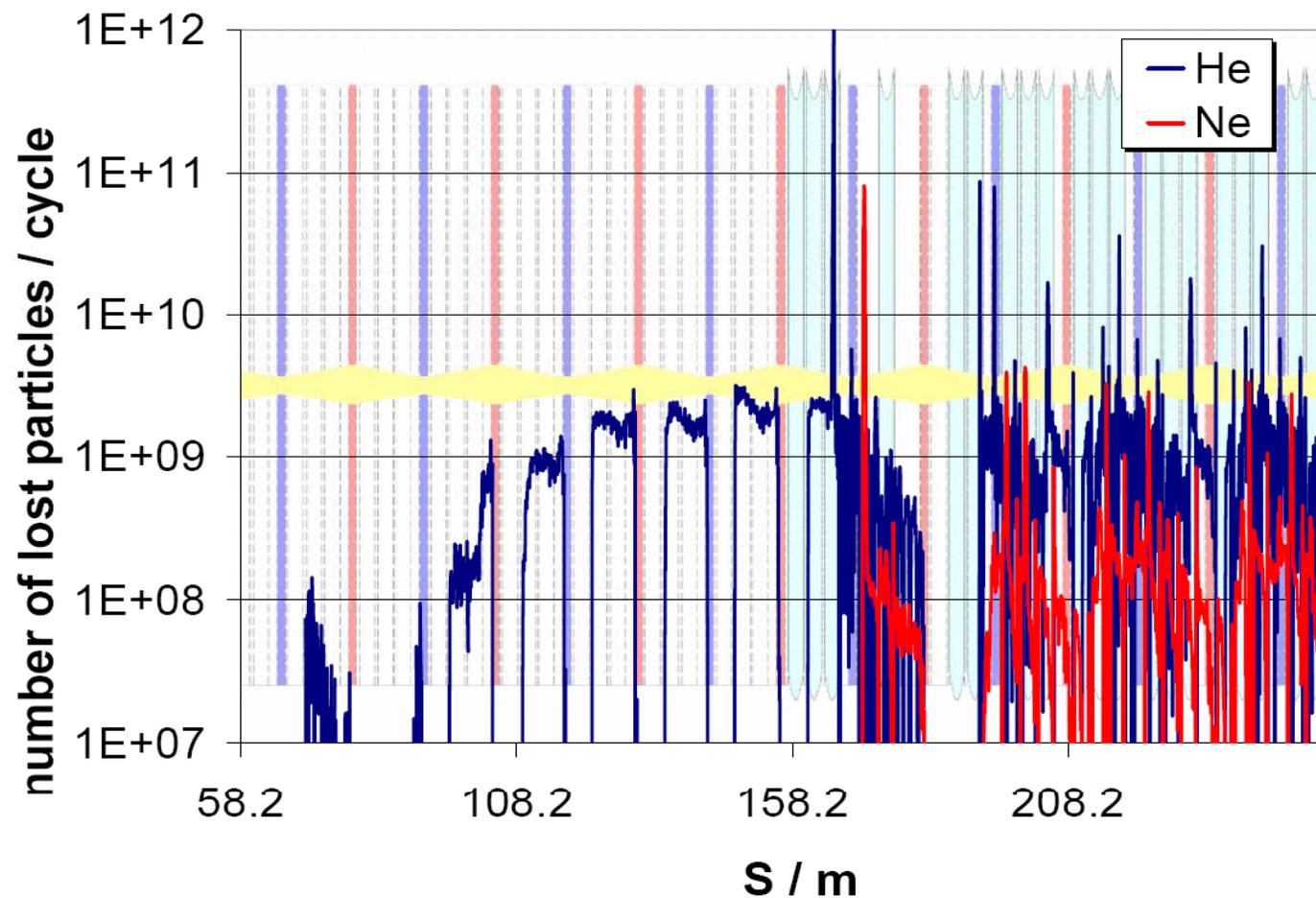


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No losses in vertical plane of beam pipe. Well suited for collimation.

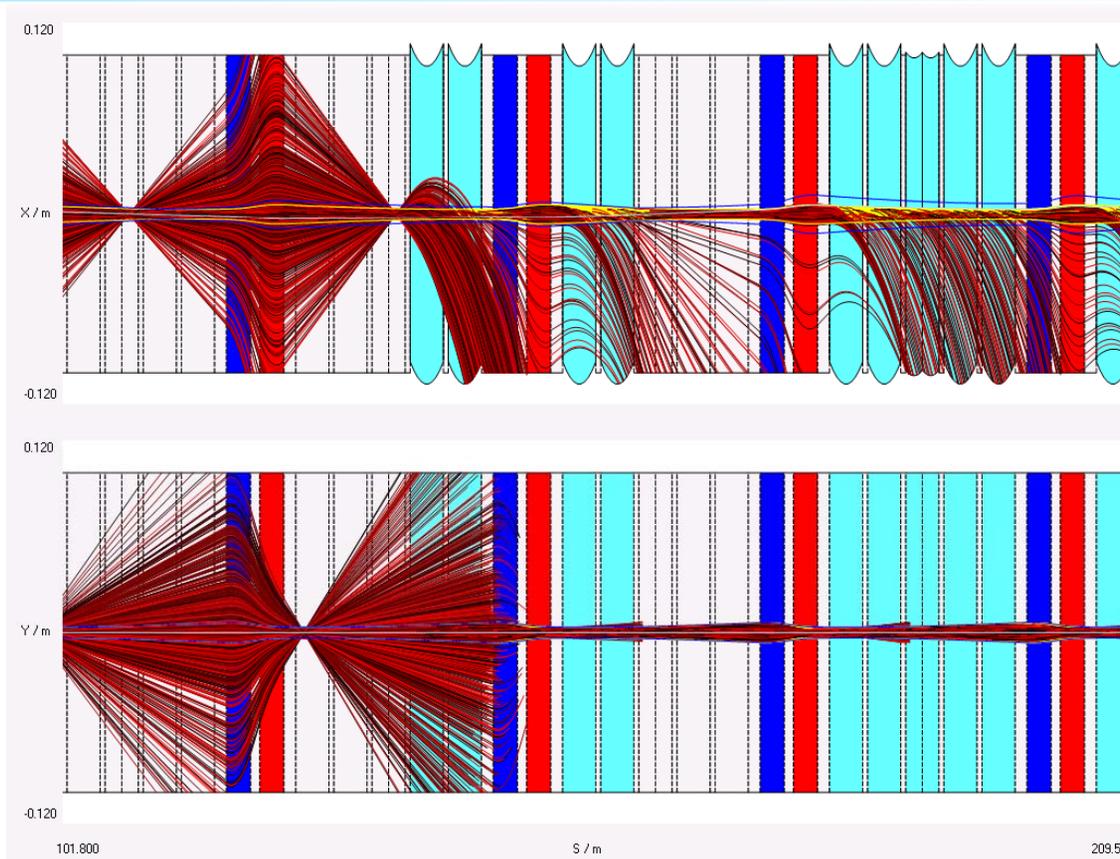
# Loss Distributions in the PS2 FODO Lattice



# Tracks of ${}^6\text{He}$ Daughter Products in the PS2 Doublet Lattice



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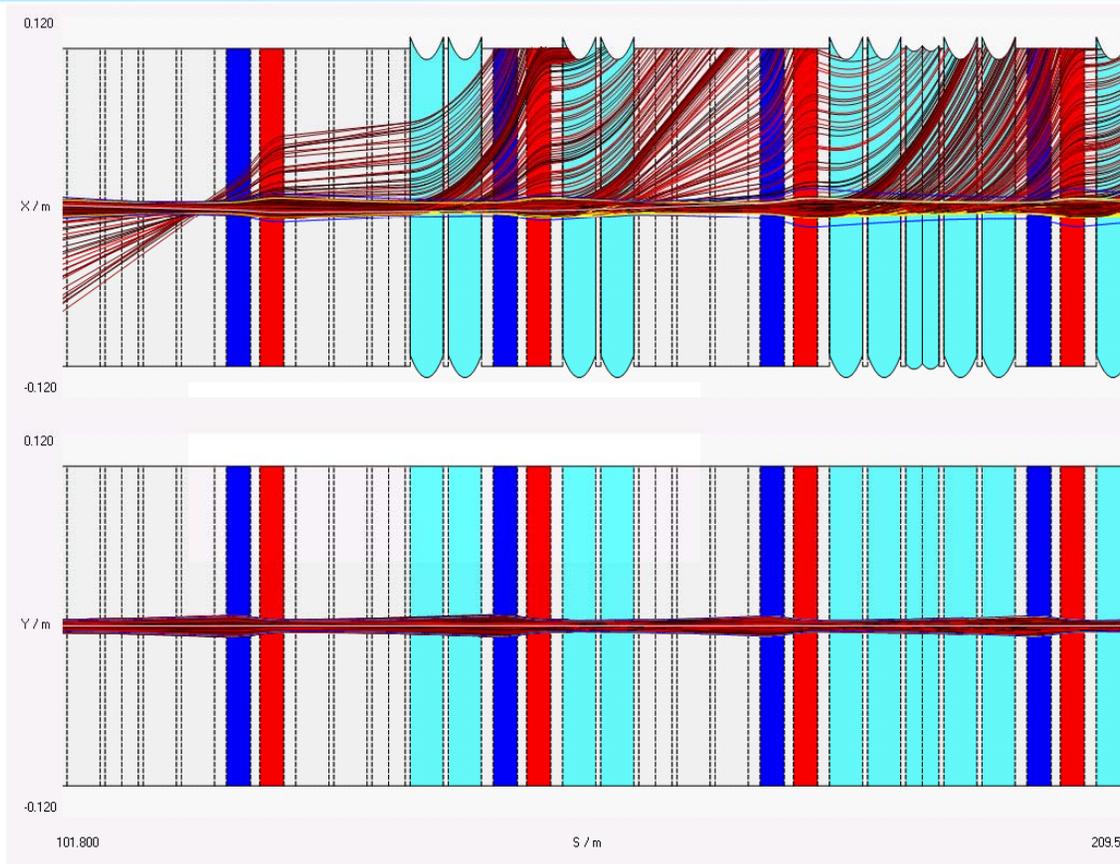
vertical

Doublet structure causes virtually no loss in the straights.  
Loss peak behind the 2nd dipole.

# Tracks of $^{18}\text{Ne}$ Daughter Products in the PS2 Doublet Lattice

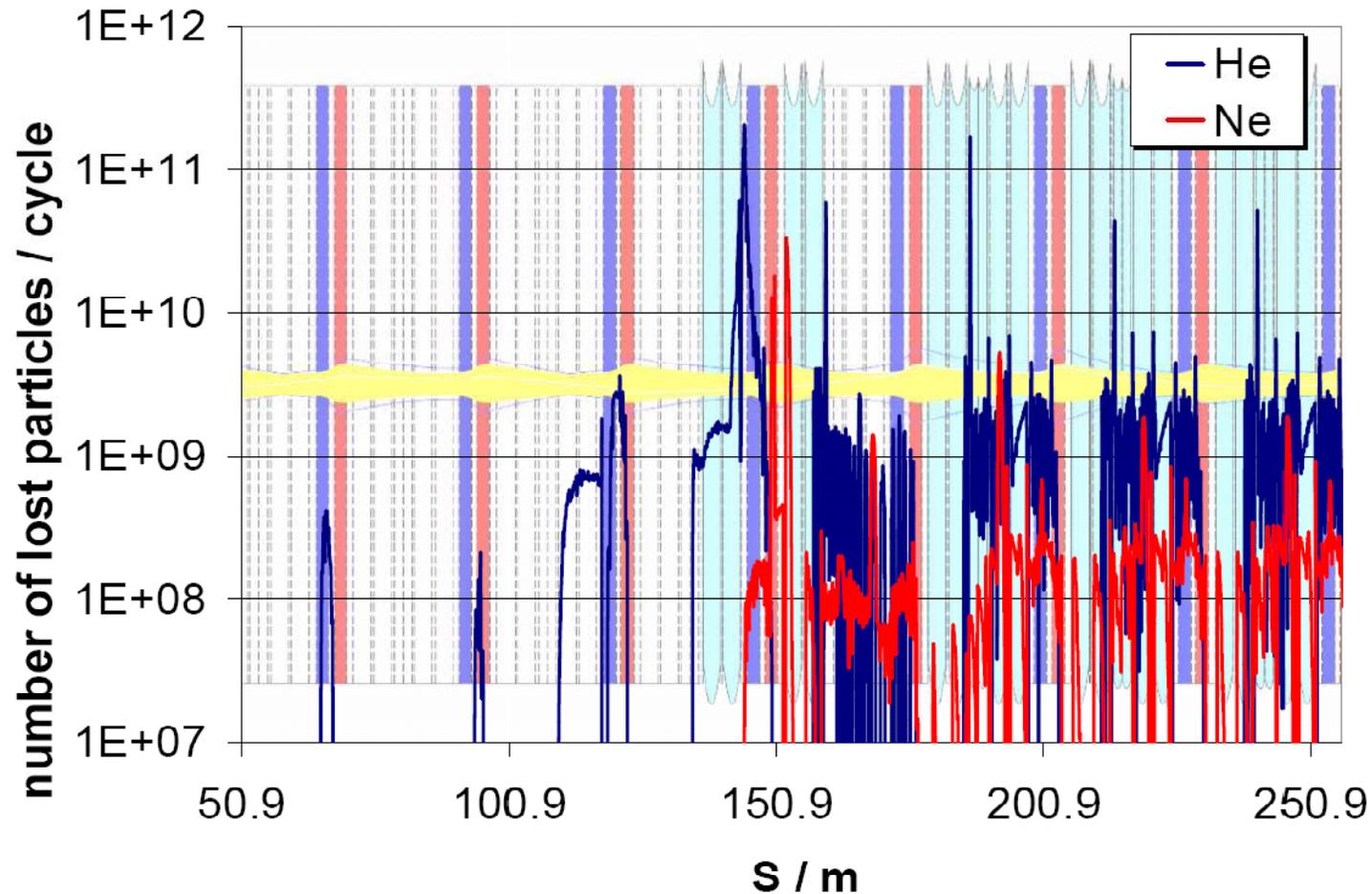


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No beam loss in vertical plane - loss peak before the 3. dipole.

# Loss Distributions in the PS2 Doublet Lattice

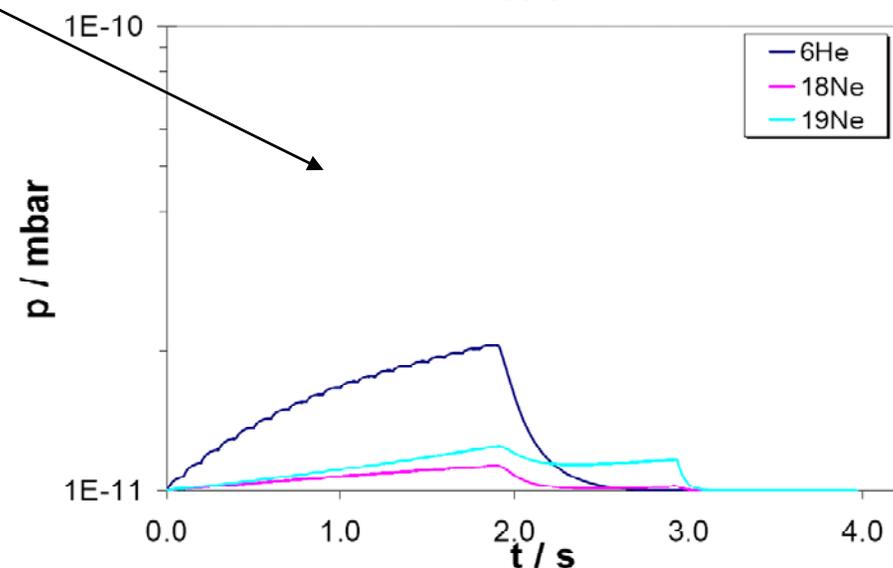
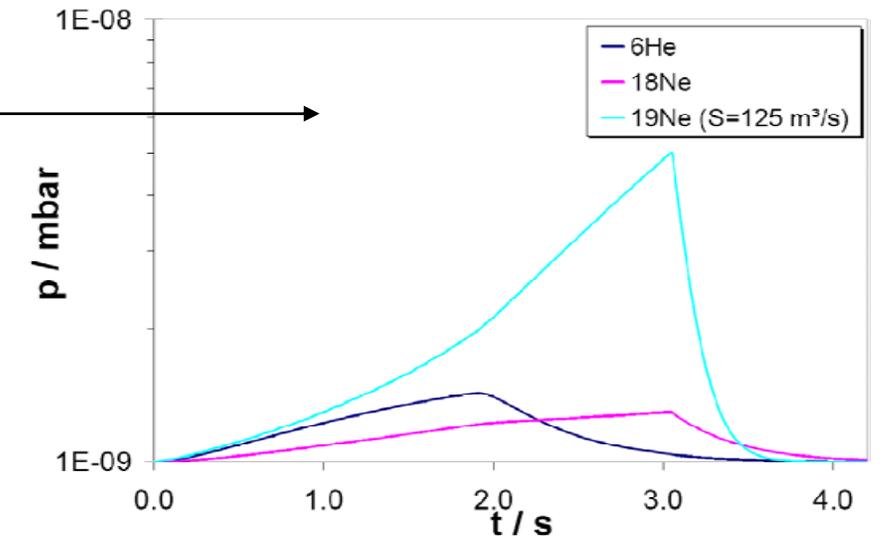


Additional collimation in between the dipoles (not much space)?

# PS2 Dynamic Vacuum Evolution (preliminary)



- $V = 13.46 \text{ m}^3$
- For **warm** machine:
  - $S_{\text{eff}} = 37.65 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$  for  $\text{N}_2$  ( $\tau = 0,36 \text{ s}$ )
  - $p_0 = 1 \cdot 10^{-9} \text{ mbar}$
  - 38 %  $\text{H}_2$
  - 54.4 %  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$
  - 7.6 %  $\text{N}_2$
- For **cold** machine:
  - Magnets at  $T = 10 \text{ K}$
  - $S_{\text{eff}} = 329.34 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$  for  $\text{N}_2$  ( $\tau = 0,04 \text{ s}$ ), calculated from cold surface area and temperature
  - $p_0 = 1 \cdot 10^{-11} \text{ mbar}$
  - 94.7 %  $\text{H}_2$
  - 1.6 %  $\text{N}_2$
  - 1.2%  $\text{CO}$
  - 2.5 %  $\text{CO}_2$
- For  ${}^6\text{He}$  and  ${}^{18}\text{Ne}$ , the pressure evolution (calc. with StrahlSim) seems to be stable in terms of maximum pressure.
- For  ${}^{19}\text{Ne}$ , target ionization dominates again and has to be compensated with an enhanced UHV system (analogous to PS). In the **cold** machine, this is no issue (pumping speed is high enough).



# Conclusions



- For  ${}^6\text{He}$  and  ${}^{18}\text{Ne}$ , the maximum dynamic pressure doesn't exceed a reasonable operation regime ( $< 10^{-8}$  mbar) in RCS, PS and SPS - the pumping speed is sufficient for the volume.
- For  ${}^{19}\text{Ne}$ , the pressure rise will be larger and dominated by target ionization process.
  - For the PS, an enhanced UHV system (pumping speed a factor of 3 higher) seems to be needed to stabilize the pressure dynamics.
- PS2 lattice: Further lattice optimization is required for integration of a collimation system. In principle feasible.