

# Experiment Beam Pipes Aperture Study

LHC Phase 1 Upgrade



# Beampipe Diameter for LHC Baseline (1997 values)



- **Beam stay-clear 14mm**
  - Composed of beam size, beam separation, closed orbit and crossing angle components
  - within the tracker region ( $\pm 5$  m) at injection
  - In forward regions, this may be higher for collision optics
- **Survey Precision ~ 2.6mm**
  - See presentation from survey
- **Mechanical construction ~ 2.6mm**
  - Tolerances on straightness, circularity, wall thickness, sag under self-weight and construction of survey targets
- **Instabilities ~ 9.8mm**
  - Stability of the cavern, detector movements due to electro-magnetic forces and thermal expansion

## Beam-pipe dimensions

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- Current beam-pipe is R29 mm (Inner wall of Be)
- Heaters and aerogel --> 36 mm
- Inner Pixel radius is 45.4 mm
- i.e ~9 mm gap now, to include new IBL, insetion clearance, misalignments, tolerances...
- Reducing Be to R20 mm would be great and cover Phase II also
- Reducing Be to R25 mm for Phase I and possibly compressing aerogel or other optimisations increases gap to over 13 mm
  - **Big improvement!**
- Only need central ~+-500 mm at this radius – rest can be larger
- (We would like to attach the pixels to the beam-pipe)

# Conclusion

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- ▶ ATLAS needs some large-beta (2500 m) running until 2012
- ▶ Probably not needed after that
- ▶ We need urgently (< 3 months) commitment to a smaller beampipe diameter to design IBL for phase-I.
  - ▶  $\leq R25$  mm is target for berillium inner wall
  - ▶ We need a safe value – cannot increase it later
- ▶ Smaller for phase-II:  $\sim R20$  mm.

# Purpose & Scope of Study

- Verify that the aperture of current experiment beam pipes ( $r_p = 29\text{mm}$ ) is sufficient for LHC Phase 1 operation.
- Investigate the possibility of reducing the beam pipe radius by up to 4mm.
- Provide a framework for further studies, as required, using MAD-X together with released machine layouts/optics.

# Why use MAD-X?

- Using MAD-X allows us to include the necessary imperfections, such as beta-beating, closed orbit, spurious dispersion etc, together with standard beam separation schemes, at different energies & beta-stars.
- This provides a framework which is consistent with other studies e.g. tracking.

# Method

- Assume that the IR aperture is limited to  $r_c = 14\text{mm}$  ( $r_c = 10\text{mm}$ ), which is the *beam-stay-clear distance* (radius).
- Introduce aperture-limitation markers into the MAD-X input file for the machine lattice, then compute and evaluate the aperture accordingly.
- The 40 markers are spaced apart by 90cm so they cover a region from -18m to +18m on each side of the IP.

# Scenarios

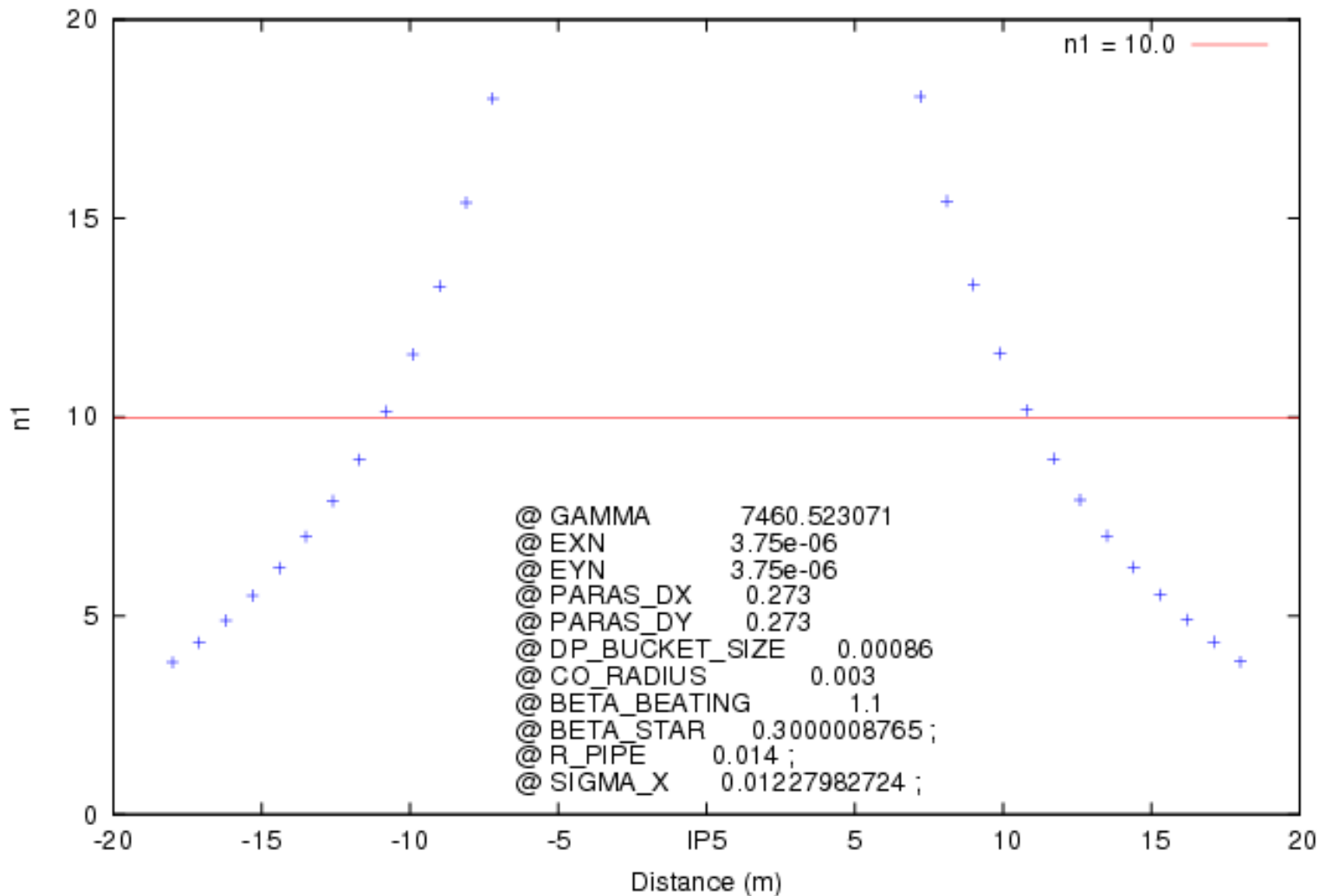
- IR5 low-beta at 7TeV.
- IR5 at injection.
- IR5 hi-beta at 7TeV.
  - All the above apply to IR1.
- IR2 at injection.
  - Also applies to IR8.
  - However, the IR2 and IR8 optics for Phase 1 are currently under revision.
- Operation at 5TeV is not considered.

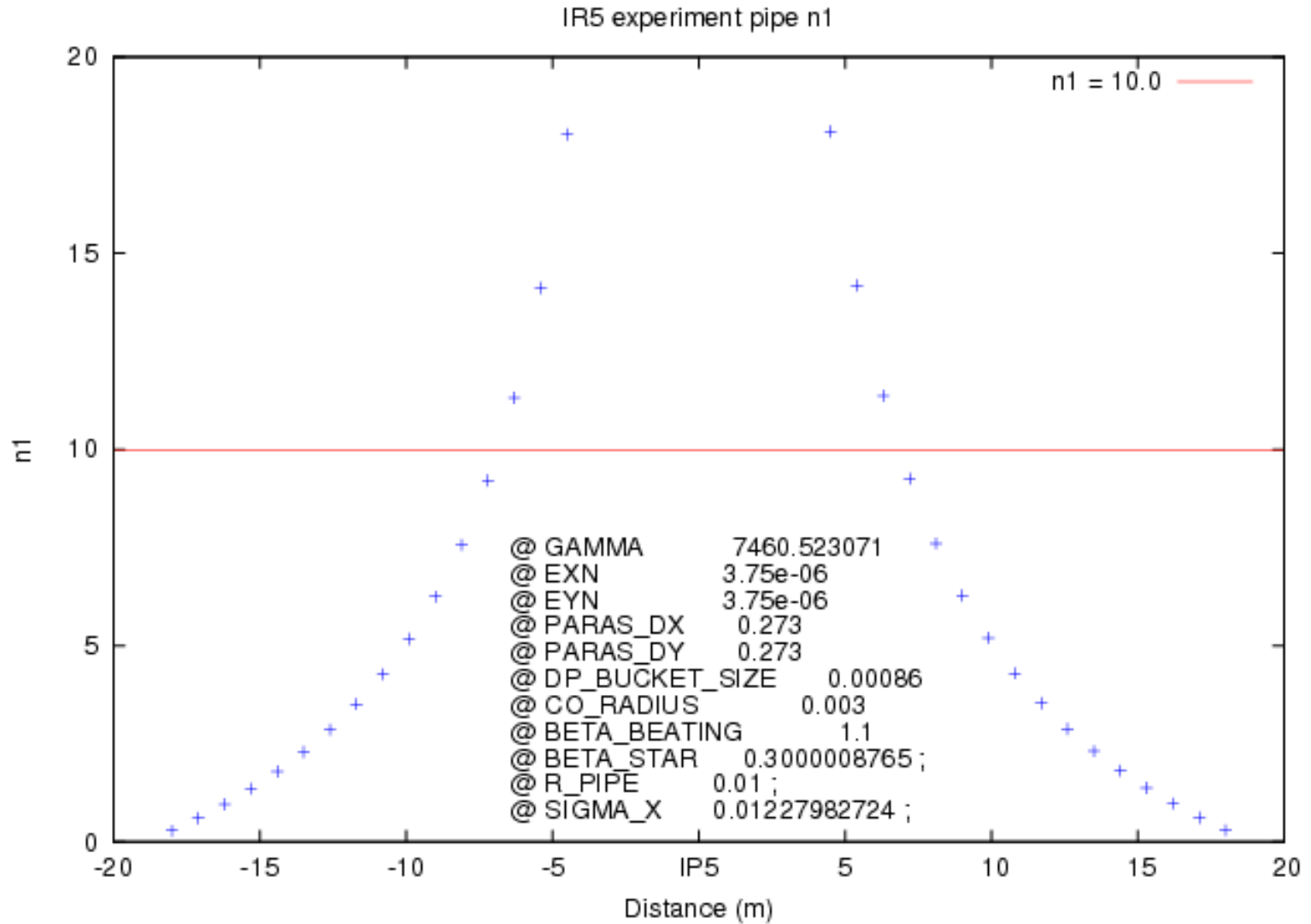


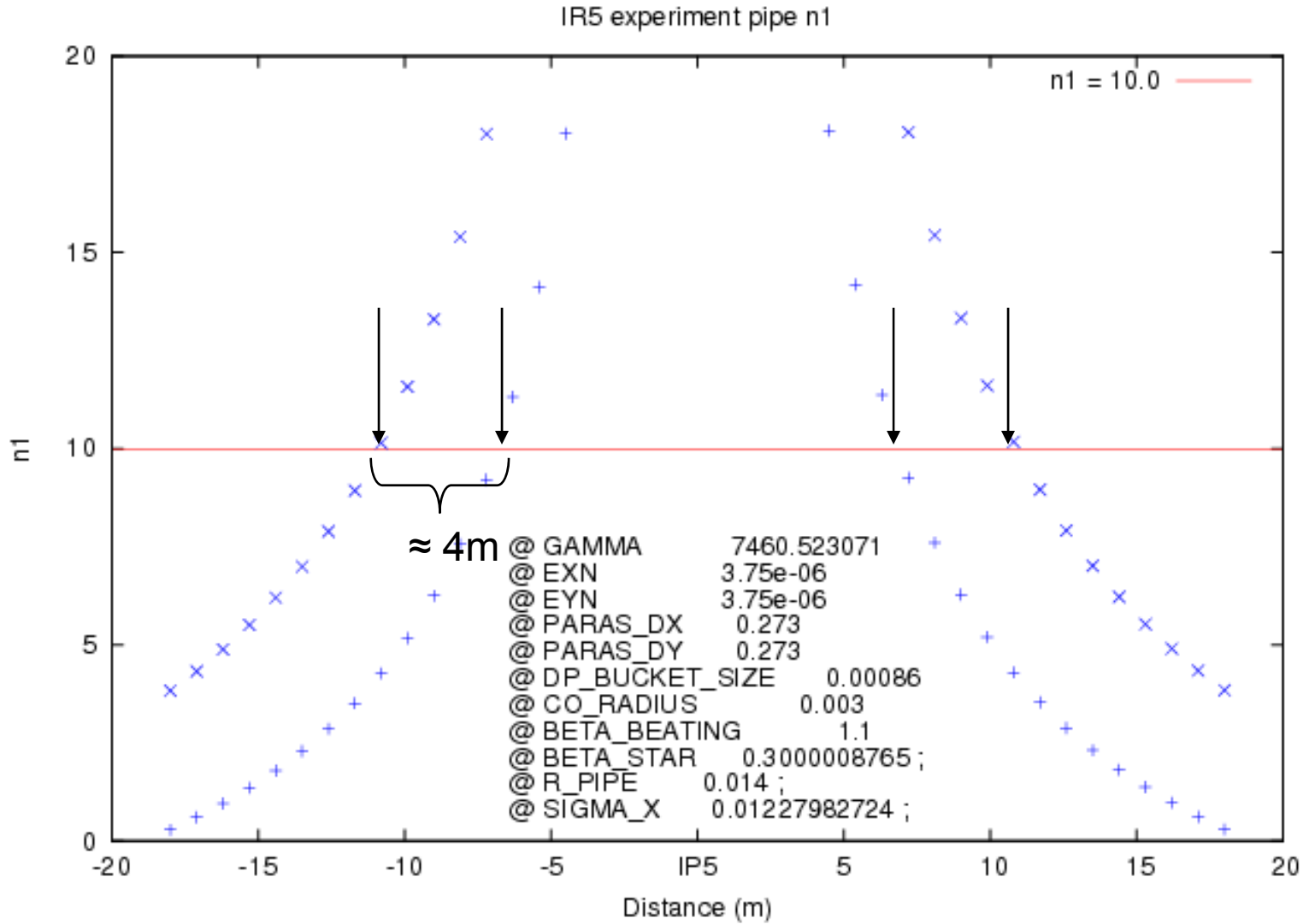
# IR5 Low-beta 7TeV

- (half) separation:
  - $\Theta = 205 \mu\text{rad}$
  - $\rho_{\text{sep}} = 0.5\text{mm}$
- $\beta^* = 30\text{cm}$
- Transverse normalised emittance  
 $\epsilon_n = 3.75 \times 10^{-6}\text{m}$

IR5 experiment pipe n1







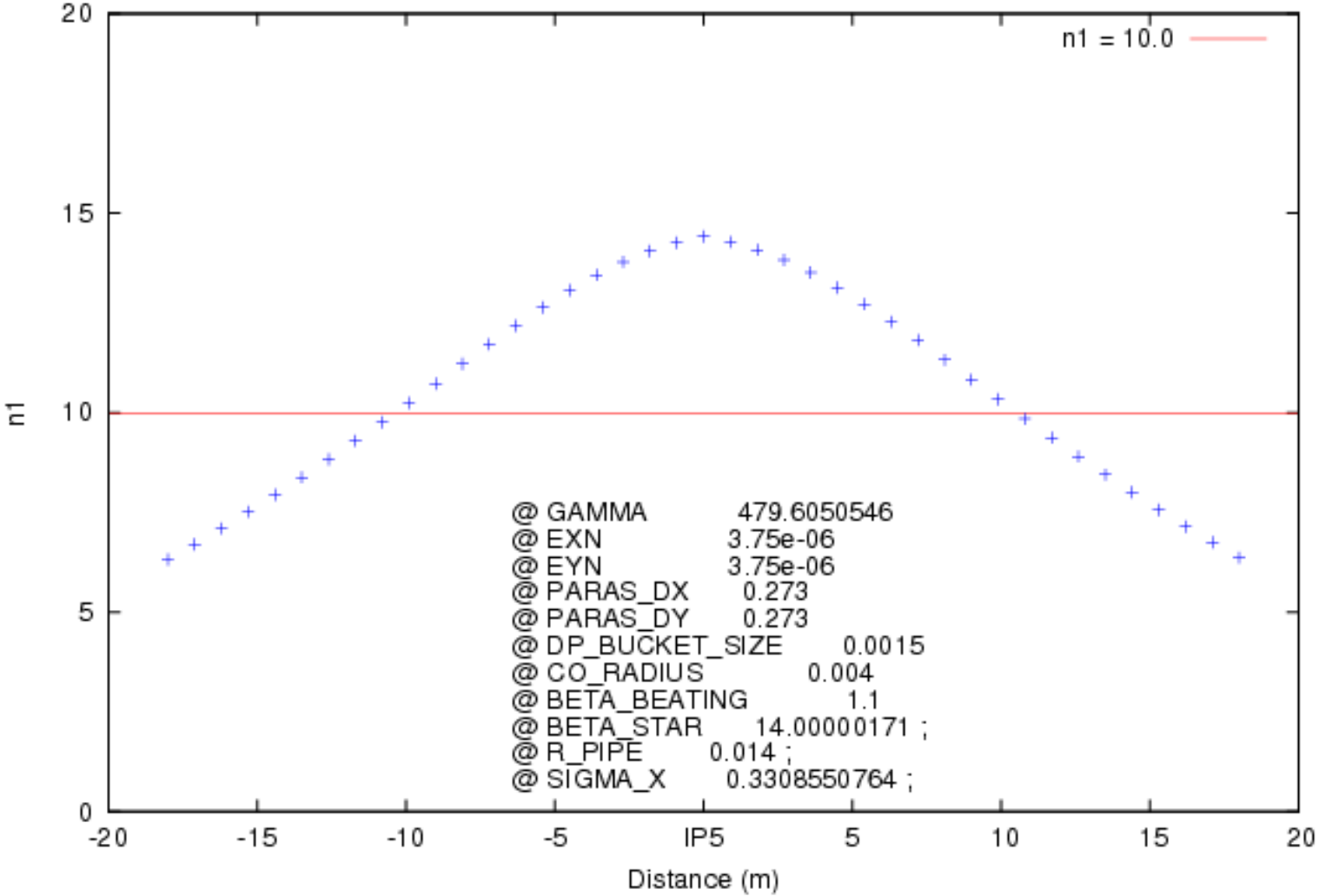
# Comment: IR5 Low-beta

- The  $r_c = 14\text{mm}$  beam “pipe” has sufficient aperture ( more than  $10\sigma$  ) over a length of at least  $\pm 10\text{m}$  from the IP.
- The  $r_c = 10\text{mm}$  beam “pipe” has sufficient aperture ( more than  $10\sigma$  ) over a length of at least  $\pm 6\text{m}$  from the IP.

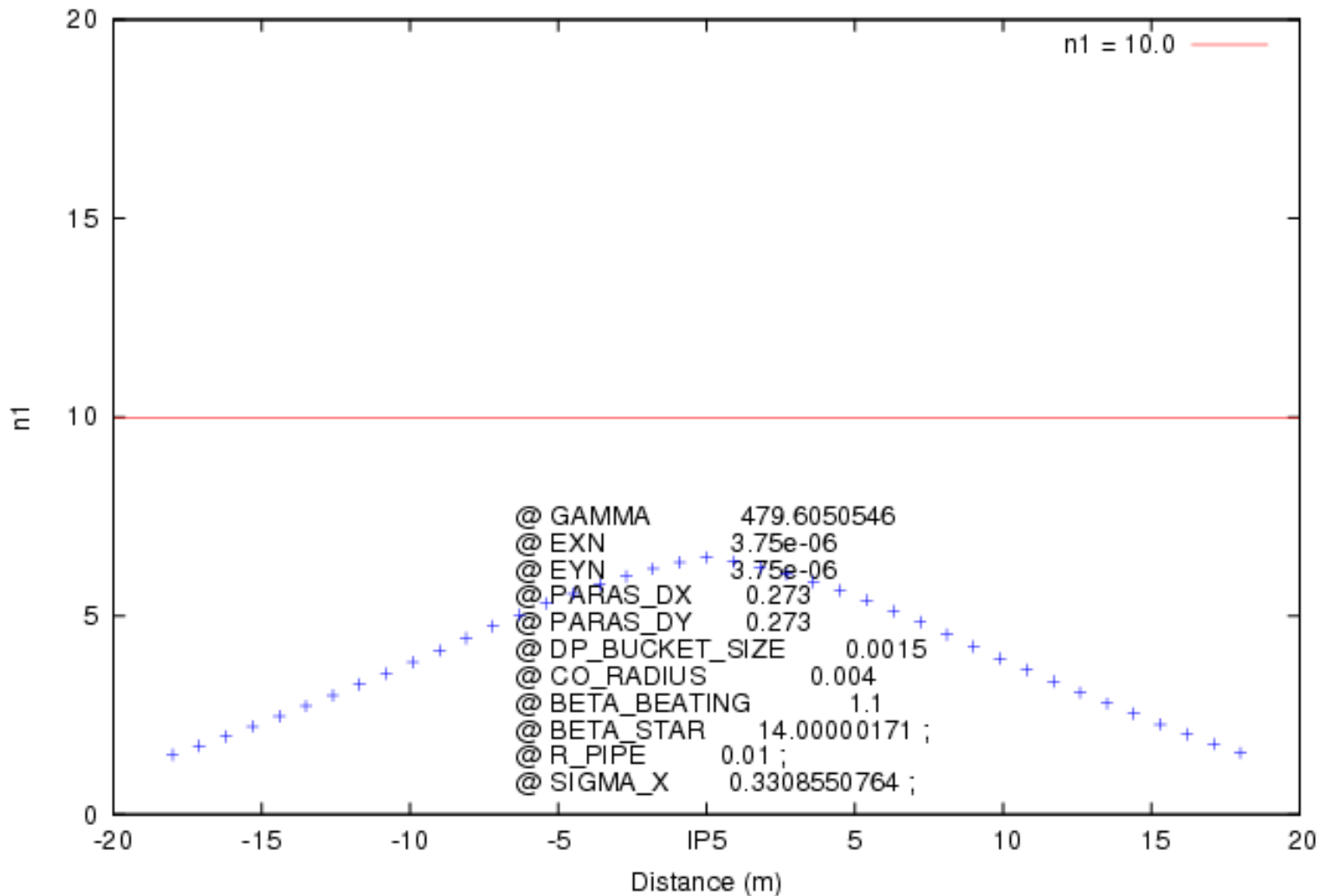
# IR5 Injection

- (half) separation:
  - $\Theta = 175 \mu\text{rad}$
  - $\rho_{\text{sep}} = 2.5\text{mm}$
- $\beta^* = 14\text{m}$
- Transverse normalised emittance  
 $\epsilon_n = 3.75 \times 10^{-6}\text{m}$

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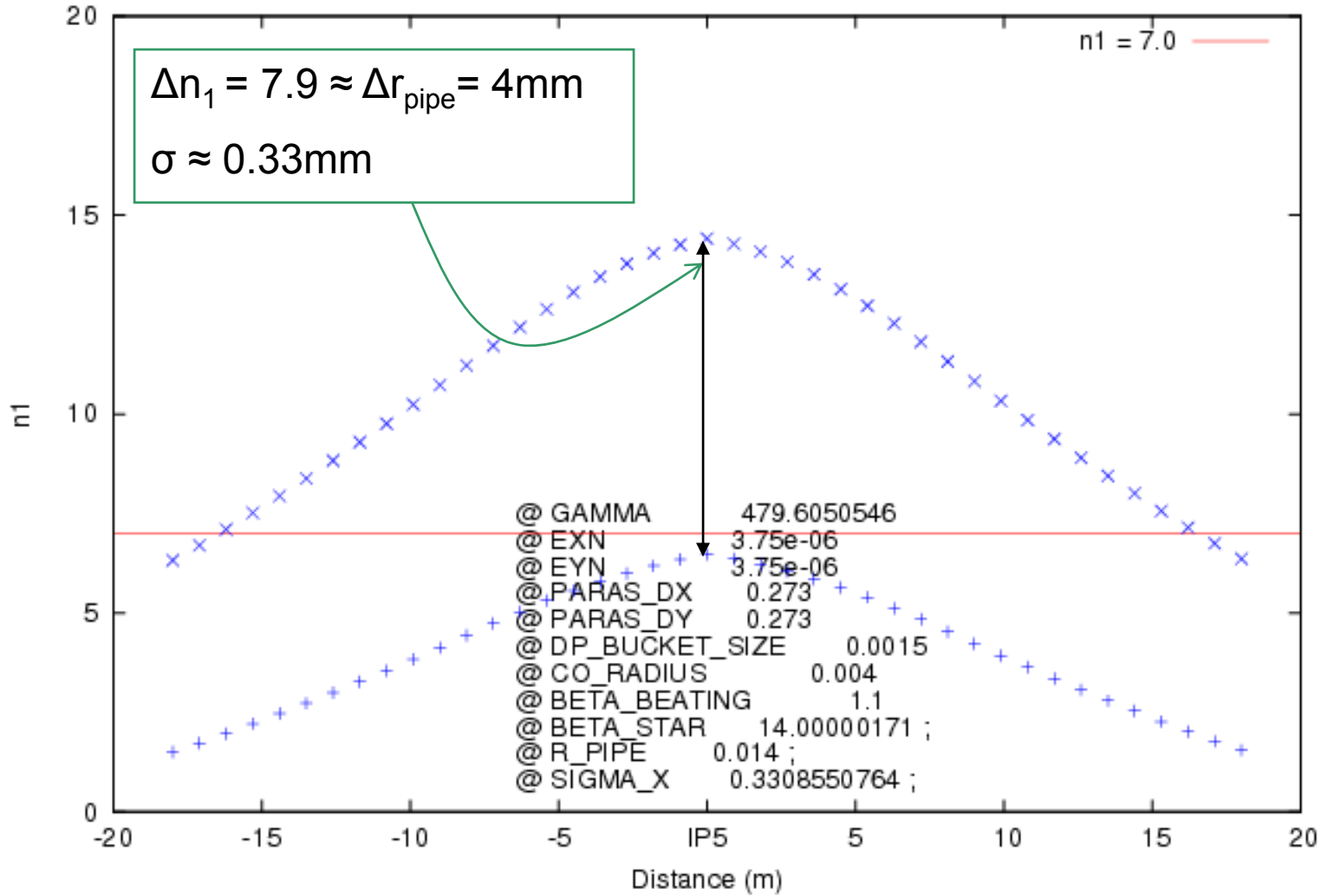


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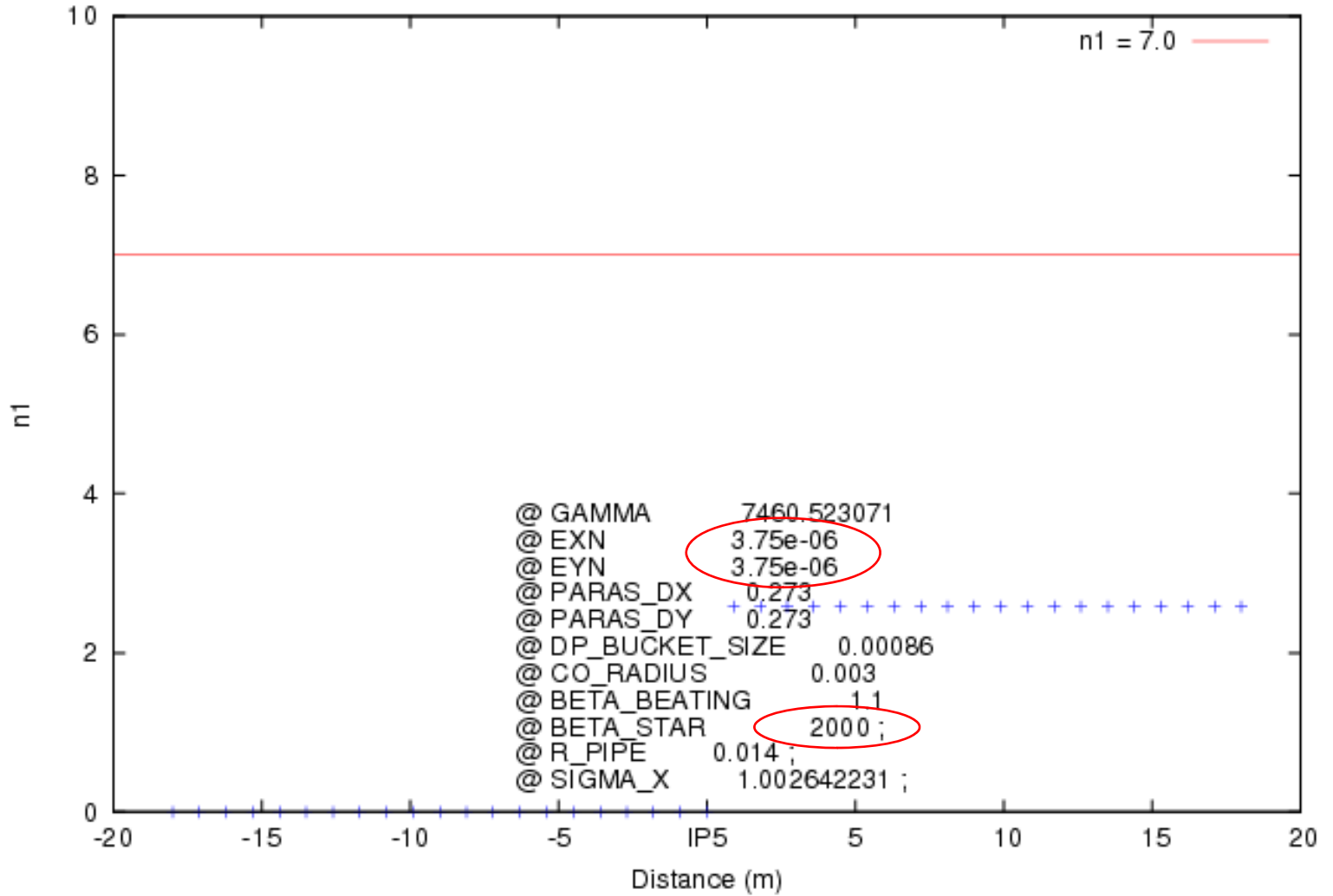
# Comment: IR5 Injection

- The  $r_c = 14\text{mm}$  beam “pipe” has sufficient aperture ( more than  $10\sigma$  ) over a length of up to  $\pm 10\text{m}$  from the IP.
- The  $r_c = 10\text{mm}$  beam “pipe” has insufficient aperture over the whole length of the IP region. Therefore, it is unusable.
- A small margin exists for  $10\text{mm} \ll r_c \leq 14\text{mm}$ .

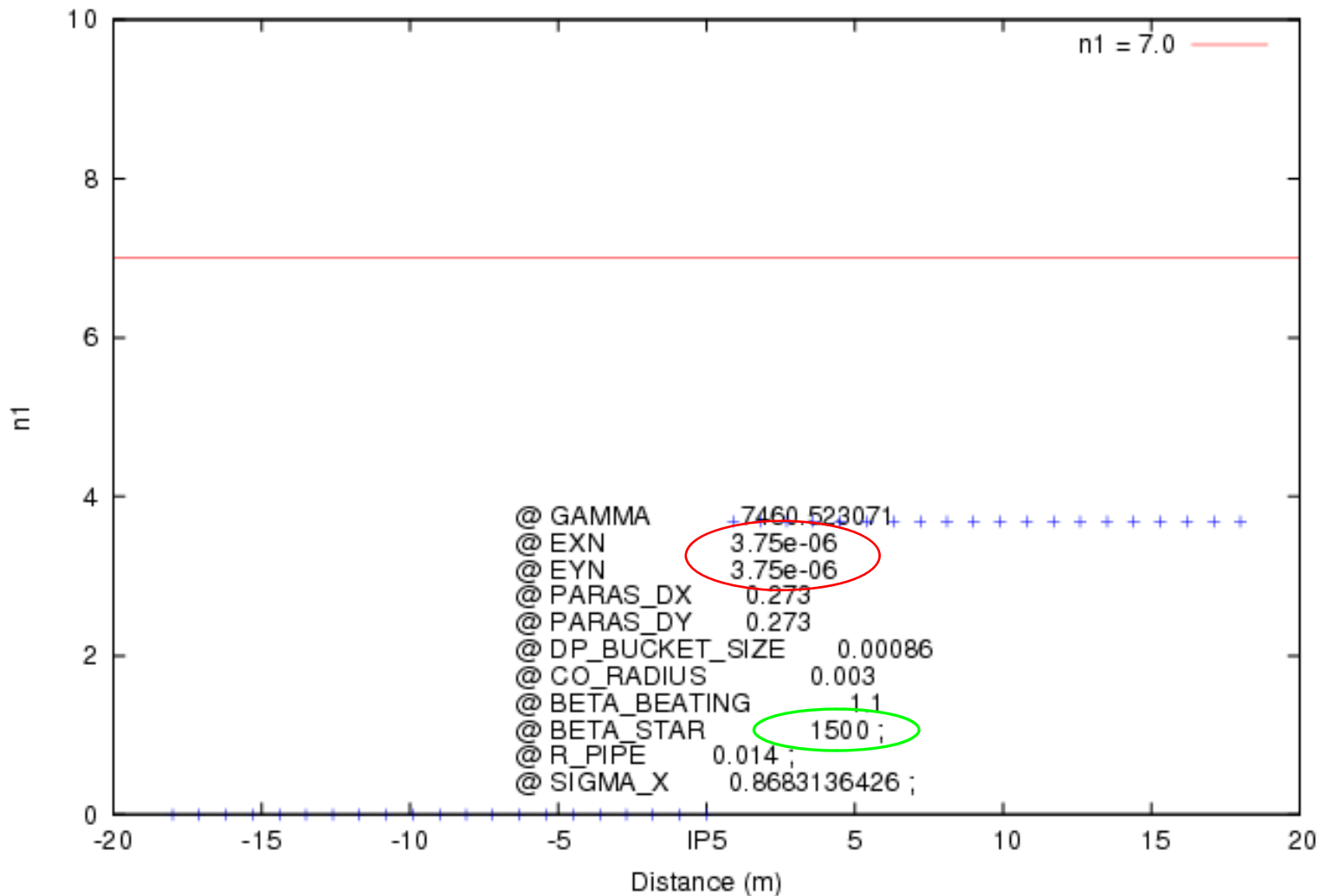
# IR5 Hi-beta 7TeV

- (half) separation:
  - $\rho_{\text{sep}} = 5\sigma$  (function of beta and  $\epsilon_n$ )
- At present, no optics exist for this option.
  - Optics are computed for a line, starting from the IP, with specific initial conditions.
  - Two values of  $\beta^*$ , 1500m and 2000m
  - Not all imperfections are included in the aperture calculation.
- The very low emittance is not guaranteed operationally.

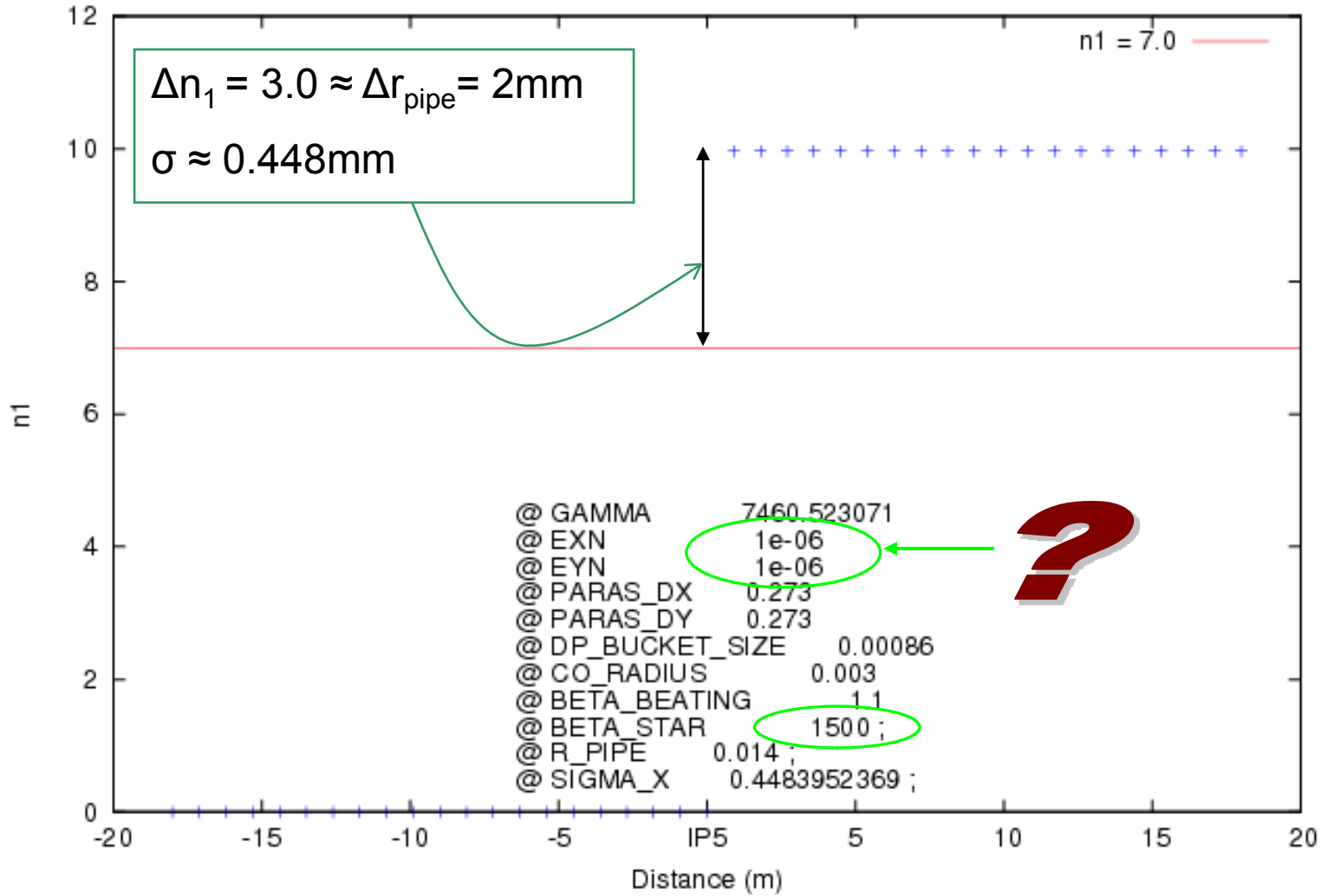
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# Comment: IR5 Hi-beta

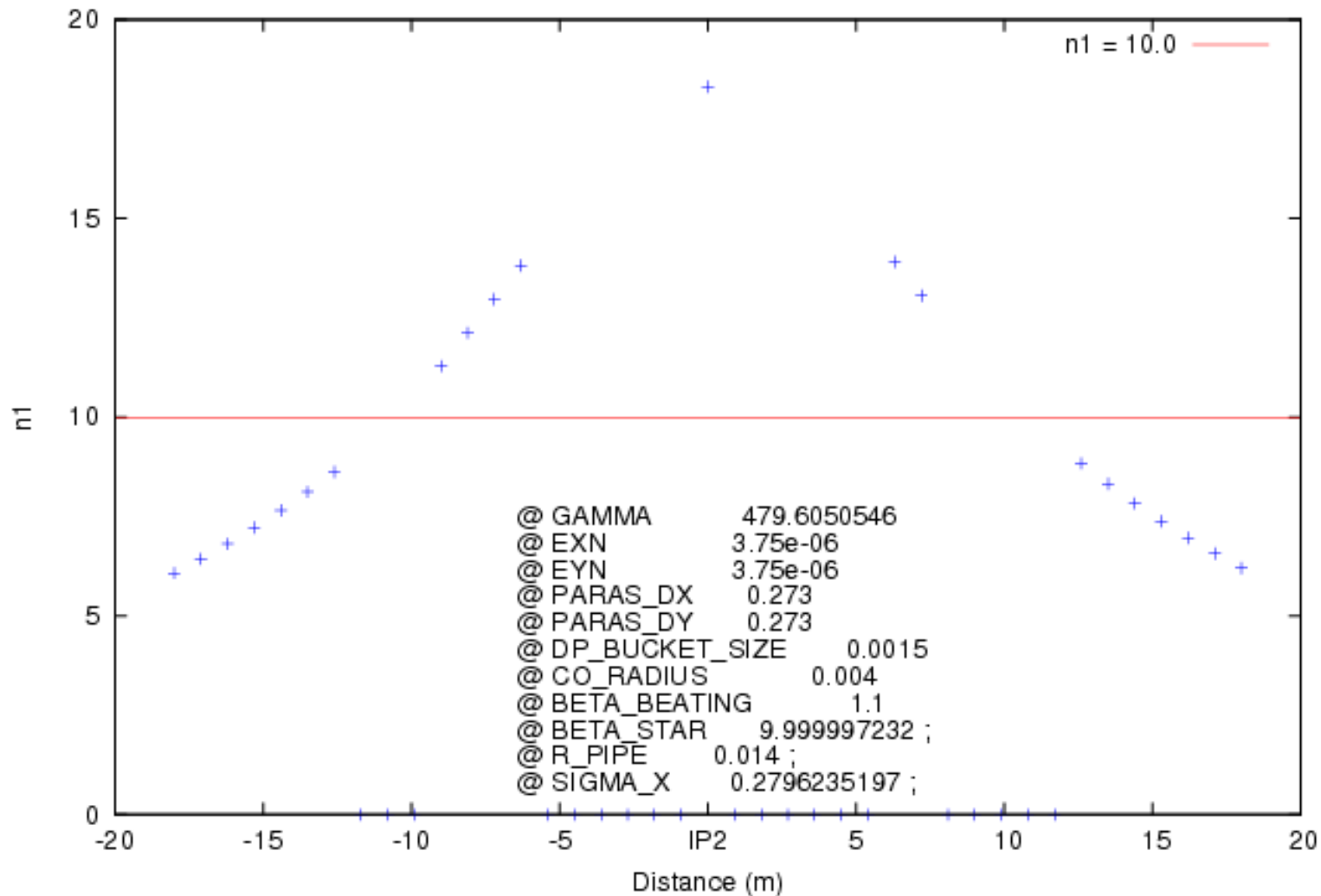
- For the “standard” normalised emittance of  $3.75 \times 10^{-6} \text{m}$ , The  $r_c = 14 \text{mm}$  beam “pipe” has insufficient aperture over the whole length of the IP region. Therefore, it is unusable.
- Operation could be possible for  $\beta^* = 1500 \text{m}$  should a much lower emittance become available – no guarantee!!
- Not all optics imperfections were included in the study, results could be worse!

# IR2 Injection

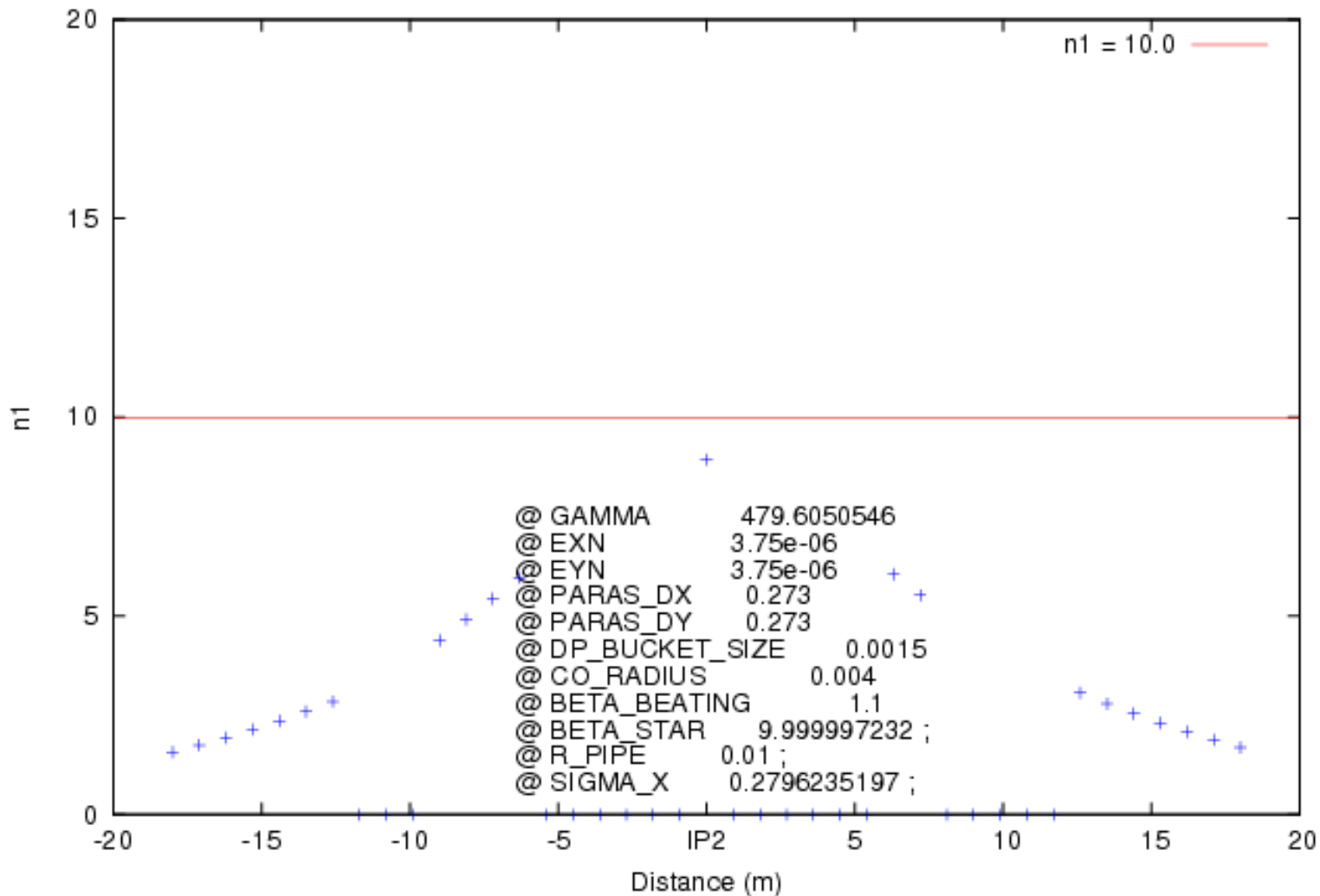
- (half) separation:
  - $\Theta = 170 \mu\text{rad}$
  - $\rho_{\text{sep}} = 2\text{mm}$
- $\beta^* = 10\text{m}$
- Transverse normalised emittance  
 $\varepsilon_n = 3.75 \times 10^{-6}\text{m}$
- IR8 is similar
- Missing markers in locations of spectrometer etc.



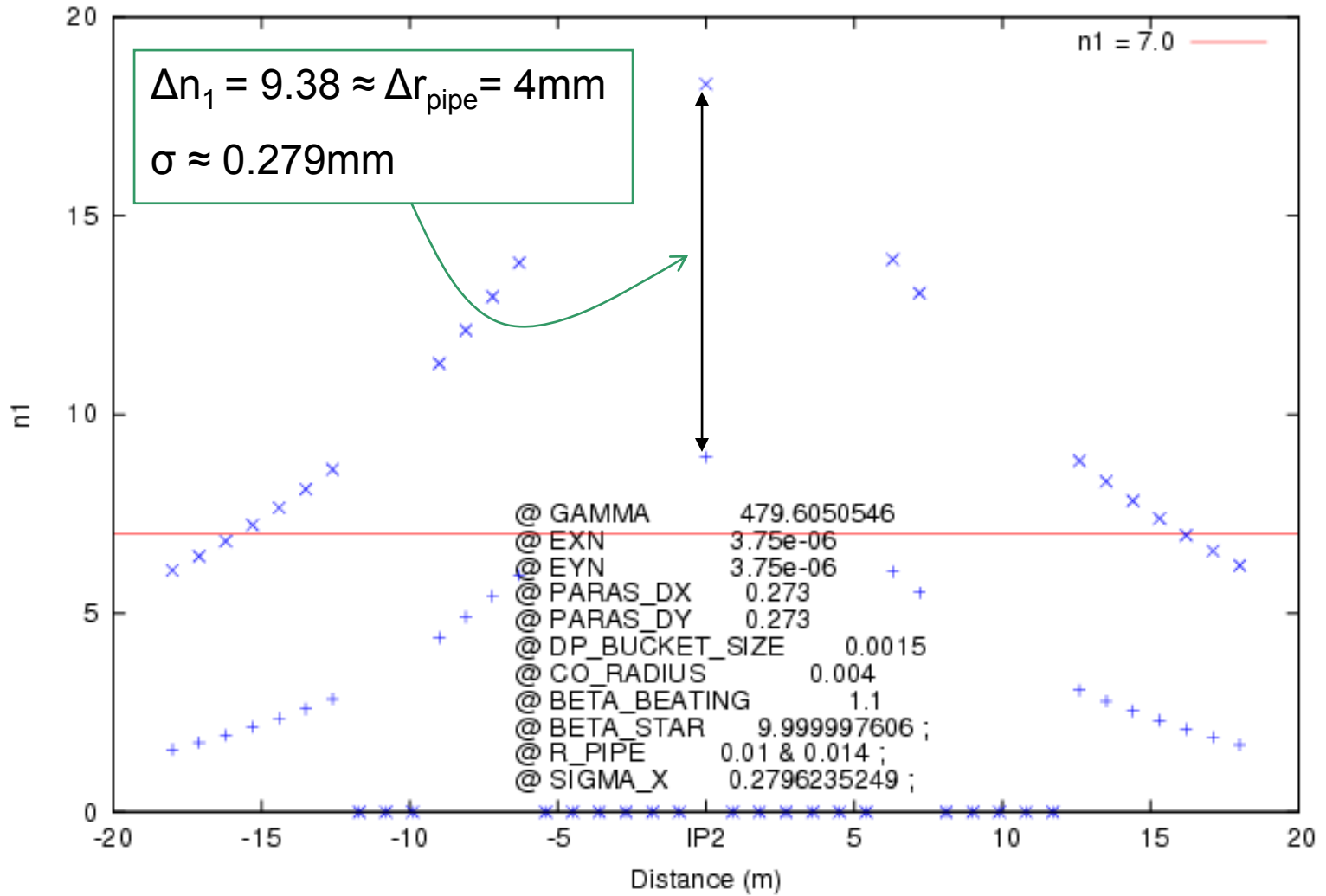
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# Comment: IR2 Injection

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- The  $r_c = 10\text{mm}$  beam “pipe” has insufficient aperture over the whole length of the IP region. Therefore, it is unusable.
- A small margin exists for  $10\text{mm} \ll r_c \leq 14\text{mm}$ .

# Conclusions

- A beam-stay-clear distance of  $r_c = 14\text{mm}$  over a limited region on each side of the IP, is consistent with normal operation of the LHC Phase 1 Upgrade in the following scenarios:
  - IR5 (IR1) low-beta with  $\beta^* = 30\text{cm}$  @7TeV
  - IR5 (IR1) injection with  $\beta^* = 14\text{m}$  @ 450GeV
  - IR2 (IR8) injection with  $\beta^* = 10\text{m}$  @ 450GeV
- Operation of IR5 with a high  $\beta^* \leq 1500\text{m}$  depends on the availability of a low emittance.

# Conclusions

- It would seem prudent to maintain a beam-stay-clear distance of not less than 14mm for LHC Phase 1 Upgrade operation.