

Impact of 7 TeV magnetic errors on optics.

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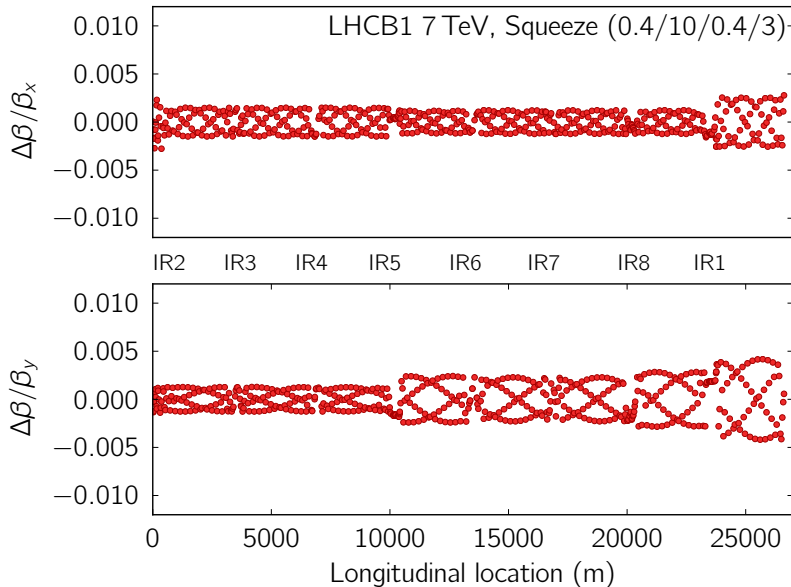
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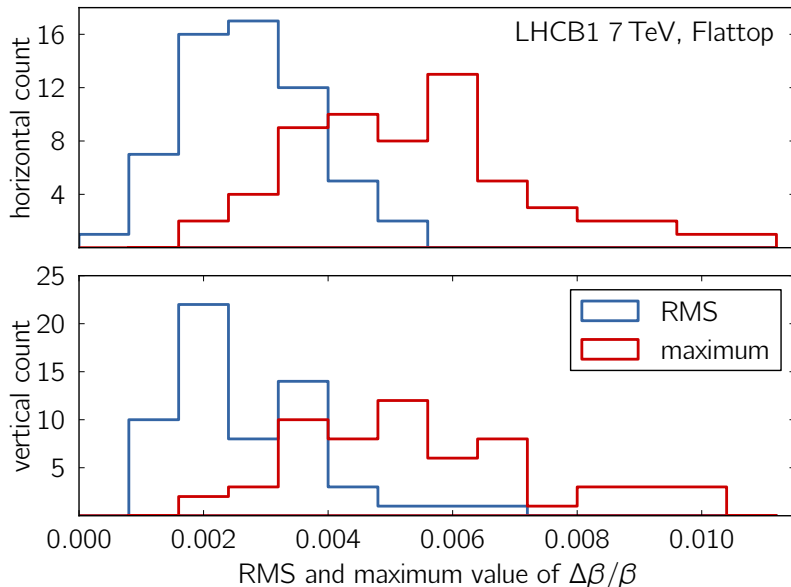
Operation of the LHC towards 7 TeV.

- Main magnets will enter new regime
 - Impact on the optics is studied
- Hysteresis
- FiDeL model describes ramp up branch
 - This causes an error for magnets which are ramped down, e.g. during the squeeze
 - 30 magnets from the MQY, MQM and MQML family
- Saturation at high currents introduce an uncertainty
- This errors is treated statistically
 - Simulation of 60 cases with random gradient errors following a Gaussian distribution within the saturation uncertainty
 - Considered magnet types: MQ, MQY, MQM, MQML, MQMC and MQW

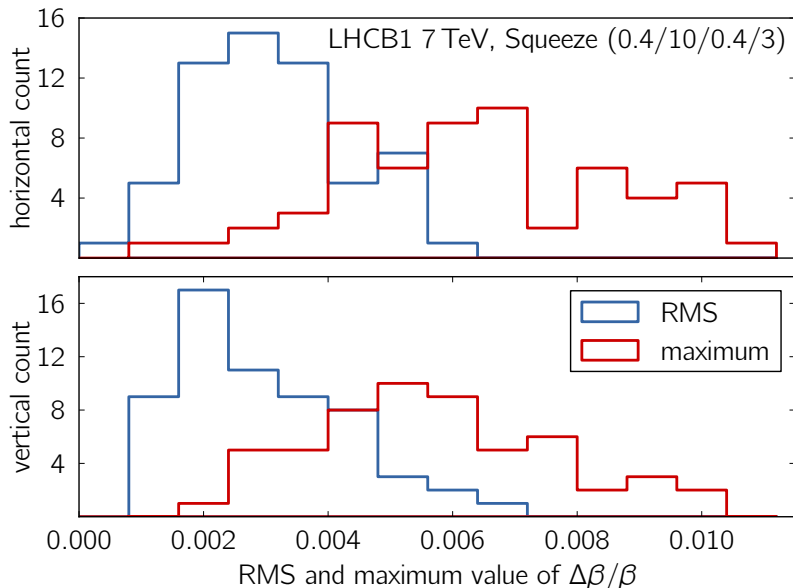
Impact of hysteresis on the beta-beat.



Saturation at flattop.



Saturation and hysteresis at squeeze optics.



Conclusions.

- For the hysteresis alone, a very small peak beta-beat of 0.5% is observed
- Saturation and hysteresis at injection and squeeze optics show again a small peak beta-beat of 1% or below