

# Collimation Concept for Beam Halo Losses in SIS 100

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# Introduction

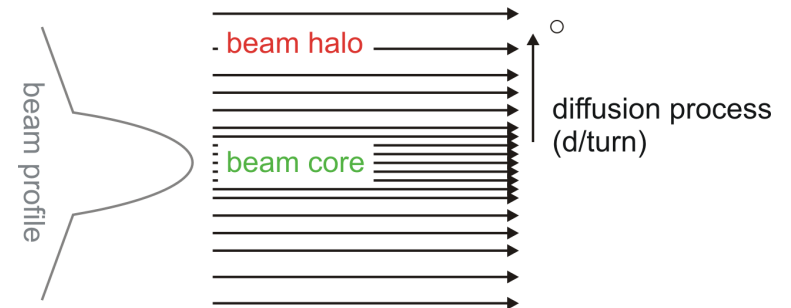
➤ **Beam dynamics** processes → beam **halo** formation

(*sources of the halo: space charge force, mismatched beam, nonlinear forces, RF noise, magnet errors, scattering, resonances, electron clouds...*)

➤ Beam halo → uncontrolled **beam losses**

➤ Beam losses can cause:

- Superconducting magnets **quenches**
- **Vacuum degradation** due to desorption process
- **Activation** of the accelerator structure
- **Radiation damage** of the equipment and devices
- **Background** in experiments



[Ref] K. Wittenburg, *CERN Accelerator School: Course on Beam Diagnostics*, 557 (2008).

➤ Purpose of the halo collimation:

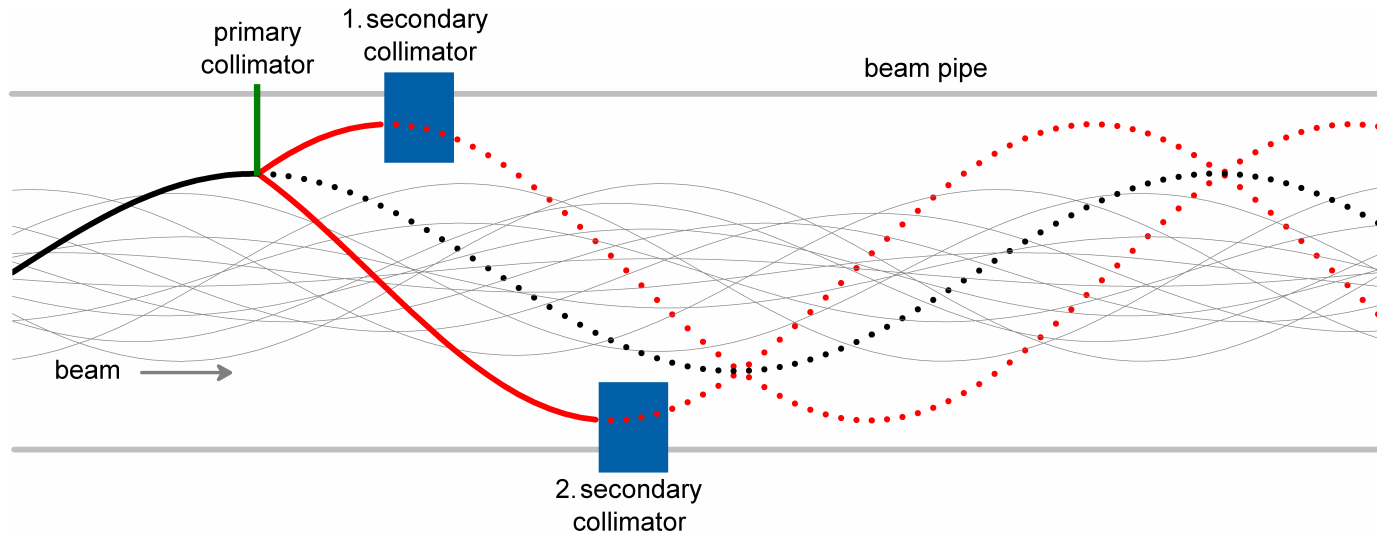
- To **remove the halo** → prevent or reduce above mentioned problems
- To **provide** a well defined (and shielded) **storing location** for the beam losses

# Halo collimation in SIS 100

- FAIR project at GSI
  - Future SIS100 synchrotron ↔ present SIS18 synchrotron
    - beam **intensity increase**: ~ factor of 100
    - beam **energy increase**: ~ factor of 10
- SIS 100 will accelerate:
  - various ion species **from proton up to uranium**
  - **fully-stripped** ions (e.g.  ${}^{40}_{18}\text{Ar}^{18+}$ )
  - **partially-stripped** ions (e.g.  ${}^{238}_{92}\text{U}^{28+}$ )
- Need for halo collimation in SIS 100
  - **Proton and light ion** operation
    - residual activation ("hands-on" maintenance limit 1 W/m), quenches
  - **Heavy ion** operation
    - vacuum degradation due to desorption, radiation damage

# Two-stage collimation system

- **Primary collimator** (thin foil) – scattering of the halo particles
- **Secondary collimators** (bulky blocks) – absorption of the scattered particles



- Particles have **small impact parameter** on the primary collimator.
- The **impact parameter** on the secondary collimator is **enlarged** due to scattering.

Well established in proton accelerators

[Ref] M. Seidel, *DESY Report*, 94-103, (1994).

[Ref] T. Trenkler and J.B. Jeanneret, *Particle Accelerators* 50, 287 (1995).

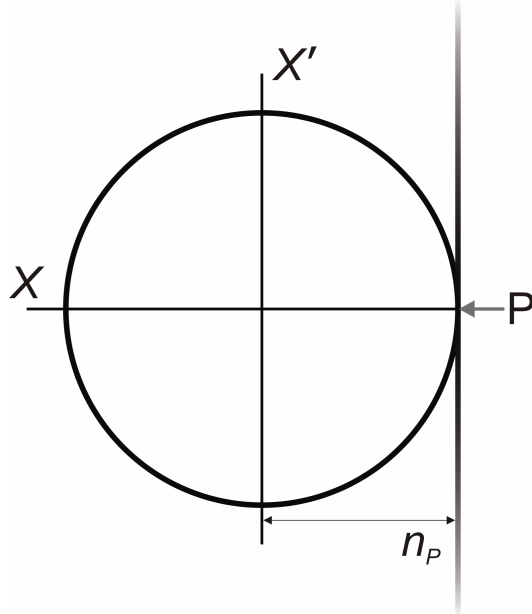
[Ref] J.B. Jeanneret, *Phys. Rev. ST Accel. Beams* 1, 081001 (1998).

[Ref] K. Yamamoto, *Phys. Rev. ST Accel. Beams* 11, 123501 (2008).

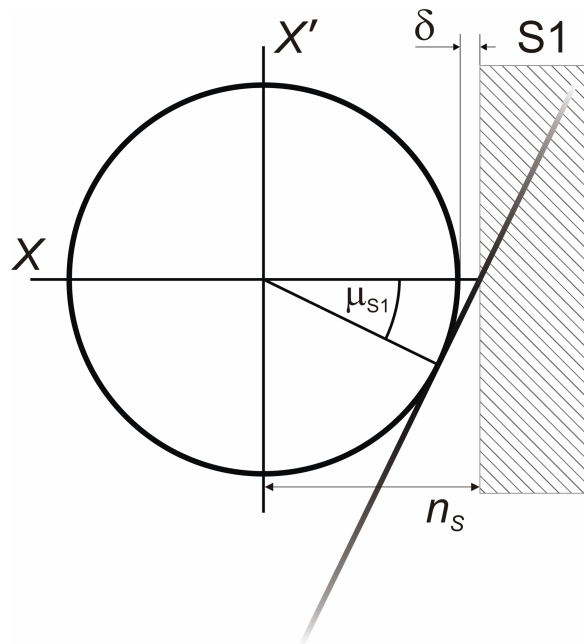
Intended for proton and light ion (fully-stripped) collimation in SIS 100

# Normalized phase space plots at the collimators

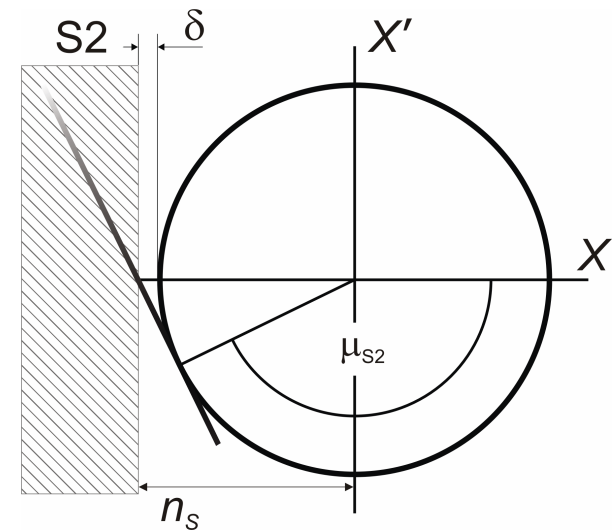
primary collimator



1. secondary collimator



2. secondary collimator



$$\begin{pmatrix} X \\ X' \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\sigma_x} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ \beta_x & \alpha_x \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix} \quad \sigma_x = \sqrt{\beta_x \epsilon_x}$$

particle coordinates at the primary collimator

$$X_P = n_P \quad X'_P = 0$$

particle transport

$$\begin{pmatrix} X_S \\ X'_S \end{pmatrix} = M \begin{pmatrix} X_P \\ X'_P \end{pmatrix}$$

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \mu_S & \sin \mu_S \\ -\sin \mu_S & \cos \mu_S \end{pmatrix}$$

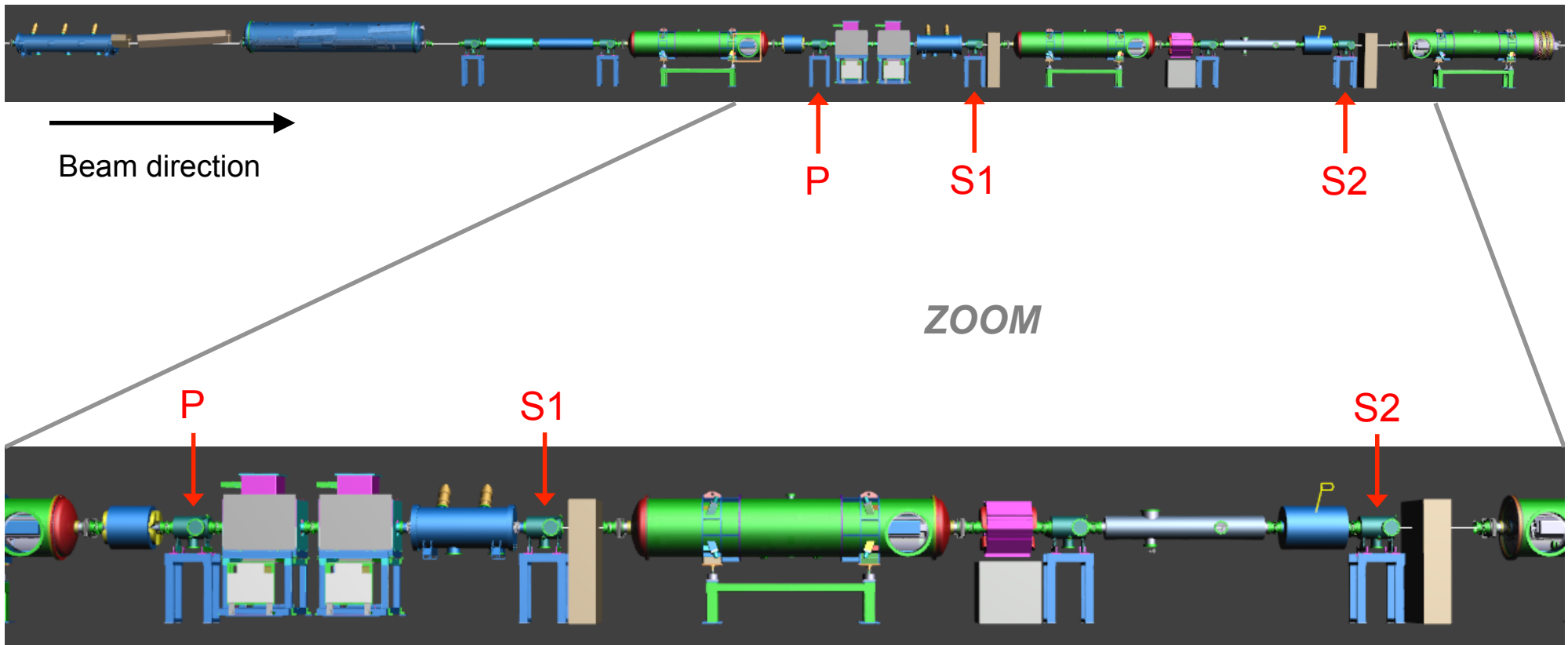
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# Halo collimation of protons in SIS 100

Sector 1, straight (SIS100 → SIS300 transfer)

Position of the halo collimation system for protons and light fully-stripped ions



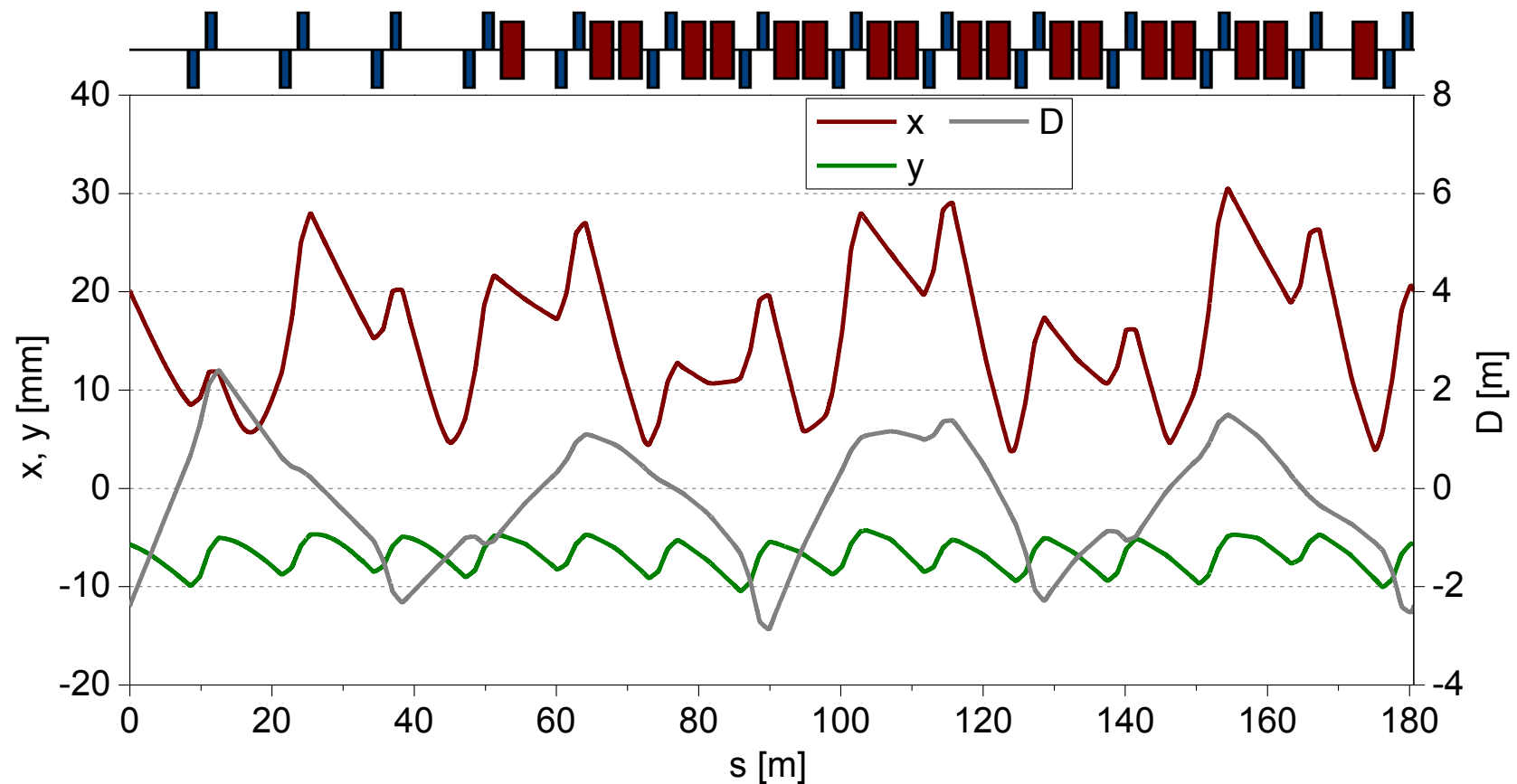
**P** – primary collimator    **S1** – 1. secondary collimator    **S2** – 2. secondary collimator

# SIS100 lattice for the proton operation

$$Q_x = 21.78$$

$$Q_y = 17.40$$

$$\gamma_{tr} = 45.5$$



# Collimator acceptance

## Primary collimator acceptance

$$\varepsilon_x = 40 \text{ mm}\cdot\text{mrad}$$

$$\varepsilon_y = 13 \text{ mm}\cdot\text{mrad}$$

## Secondary collimators acceptance

larger than primary collimator acceptance  
depends on the retraction distance

## Beam emittance

$$\varepsilon_x = 13 \text{ mm}\cdot\text{mrad}$$

$$\varepsilon_y = 4 \text{ mm}\cdot\text{mrad}$$

## SIS 100 proton lattice acceptance

$$\varepsilon_x = 49 \text{ mm}\cdot\text{mrad}$$

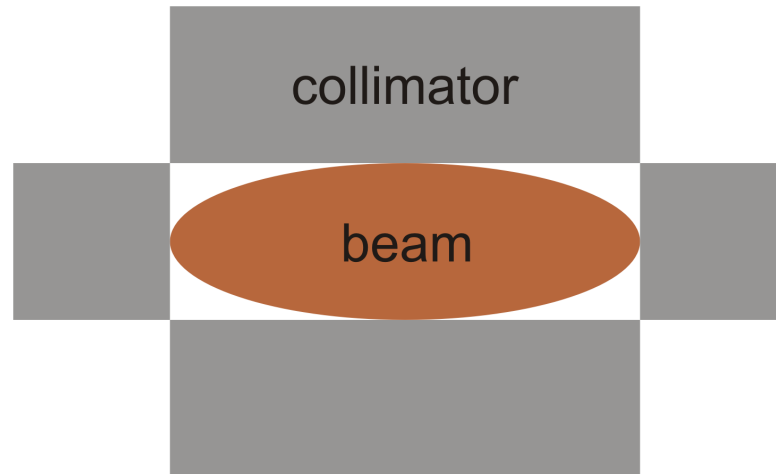
$$\varepsilon_y = 36.3 \text{ mm}\cdot\text{mrad}$$



# Parameters of the collimation system

## Aperture of the collimators

rectangular



## Primary collimator (scattering foil)

material: tungsten (high-Z materials are preferable)

thickness: 1 mm

## Secondary collimators (bulky absorbers)

material: ??? (FLUKA simulation required)

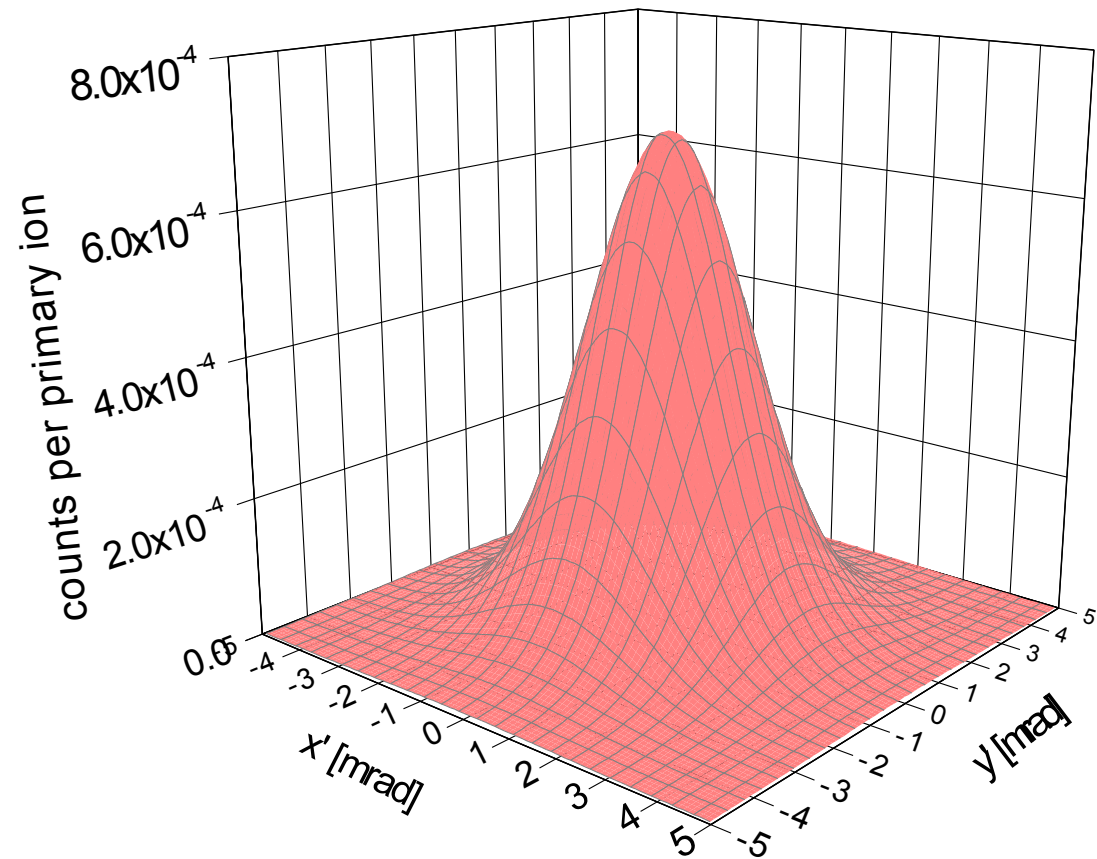
thickness: ~ 40-50 cm (restricted by the size of the chamber)

# Angular distribution after scattering

4 GeV protons  $\rightarrow$  1 mm thick tungsten foil (FLUKA simulation)

angular distribution of the particles downstream of the foil

$\langle -10\text{mrad}; 10\text{mrad} \rangle$ $\sim 98.5\%$ of the particles
$\langle -\pi; -10\text{mrad} \rangle \cup \langle 10\text{mrad}; \pi \rangle$ $\sim 0.4\%$ of the particles
Inelastic nuclear interaction $\sim 1.1\%$ of the particles

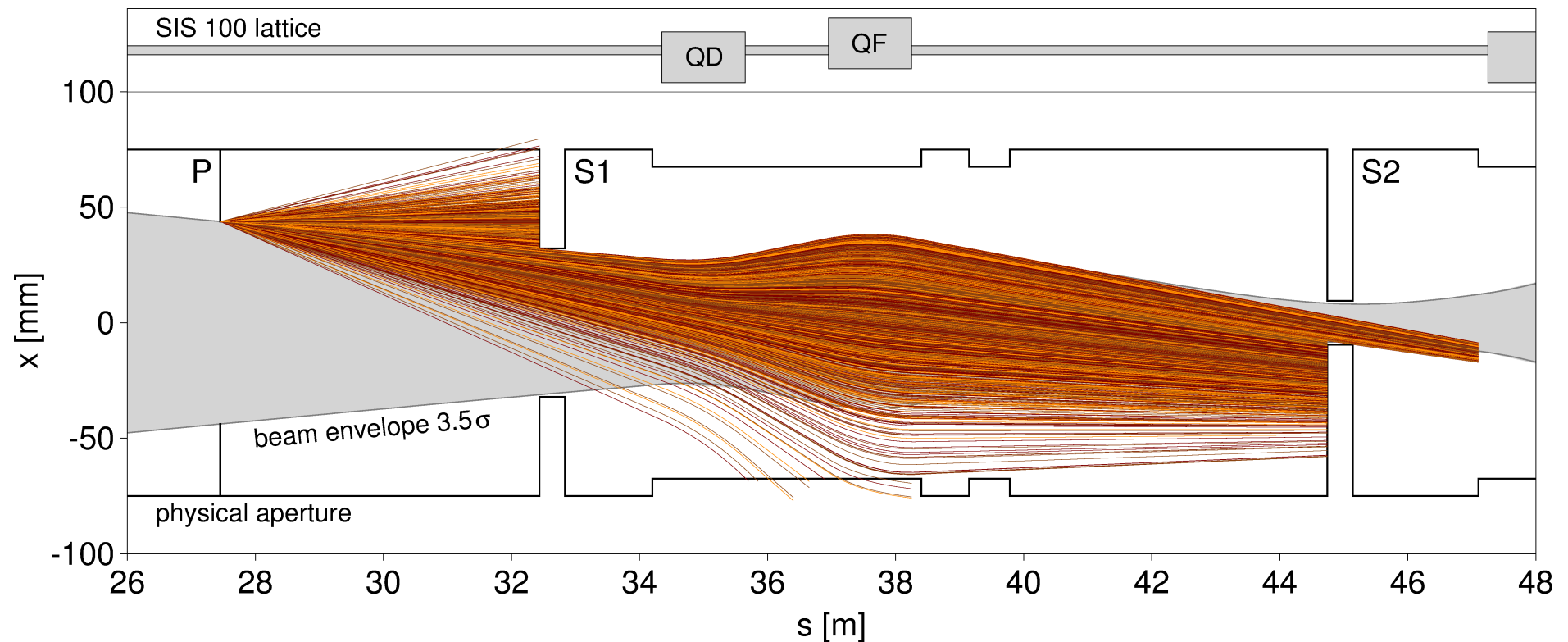


# Particle tracking (horizontal)

Particle tracking: MADX code

Scattering process: FLUKA code

Statistics: 100 000 particles



Collimation efficiency (single-pass) > 75 %

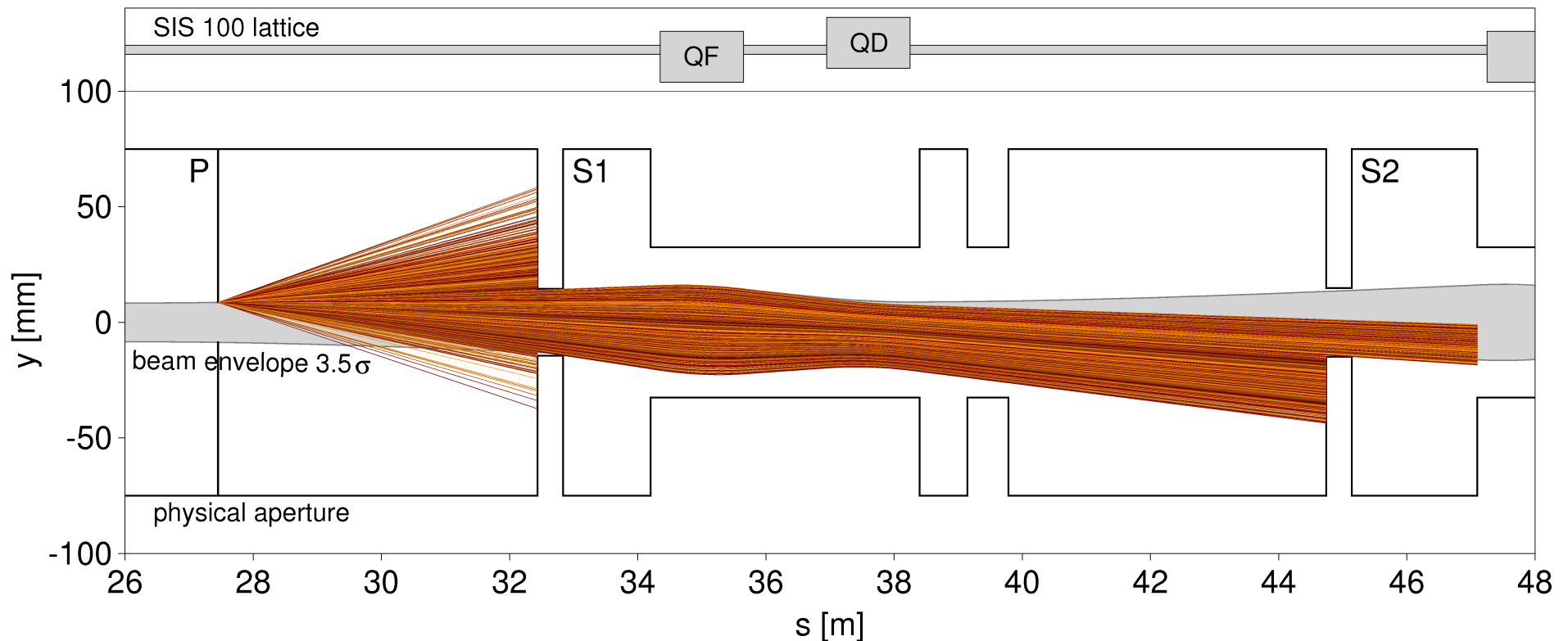
Calculation of the multi-pass efficiency is in progress

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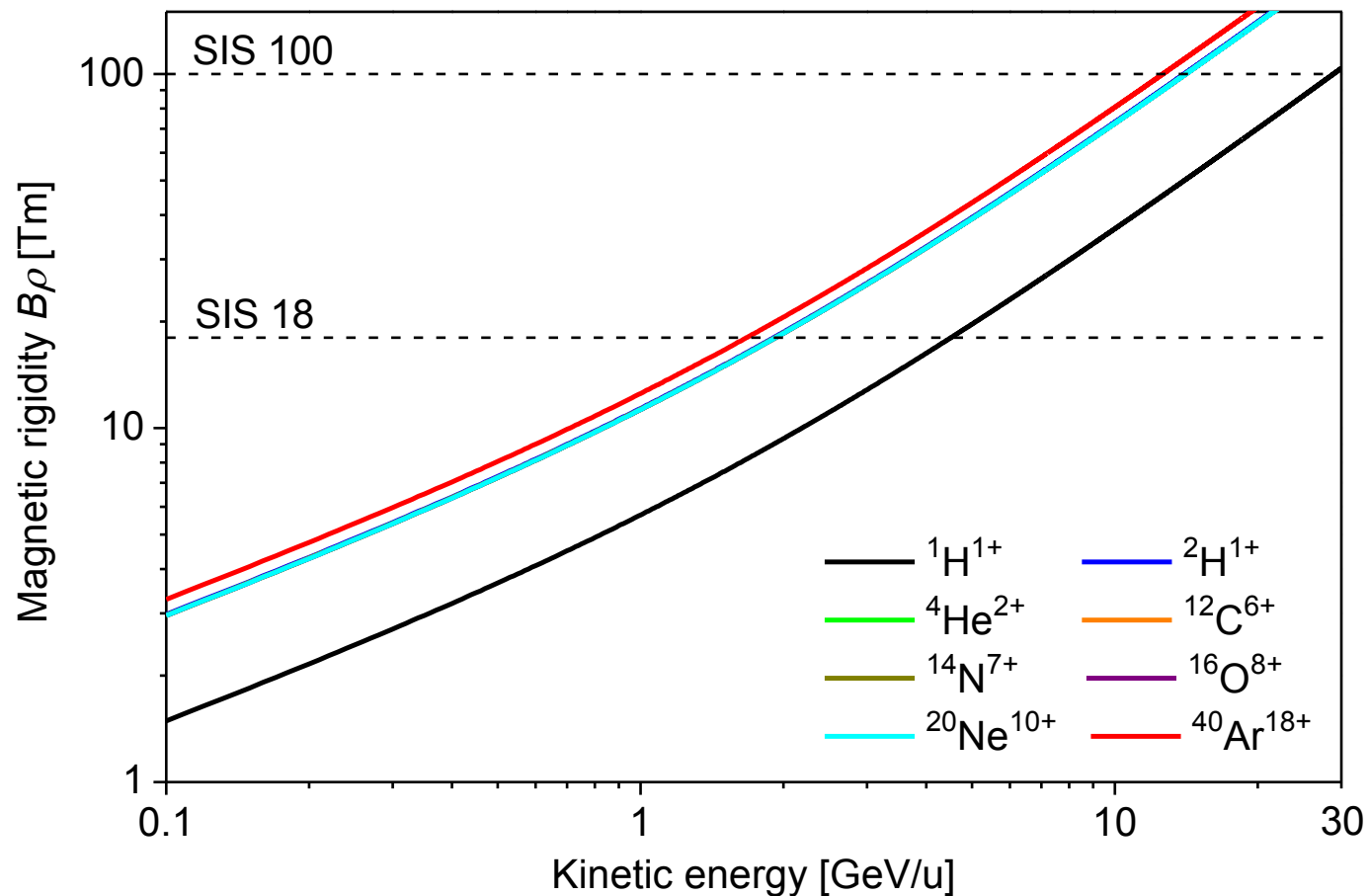
# Collimation of the fully-stripped light ions

- Two-stage collimation system can be utilized also for **fully-stripped ions**
- Reference quantity - **magnetic rigidity**  
Injection and extraction energy
- **Scattering** in the primary collimator  
Molière theory (multiple Coulomb scattering)
- **Inelastic nuclear interactions** in the primary collimator  
Sihver formula
- **Energy (momentum) losses** in the primary collimator  
Bethe formula
- **Collimation efficiency**  
Dependence on the ion species

# Magnetic rigidity

Reference quantity → magnetic rigidity  $B\rho = \frac{p}{q}$

Magnetic rigidity → injection and extraction energy of the beam



# Scattering in the primary collimator

## Molière theory of multiple Coulomb scattering

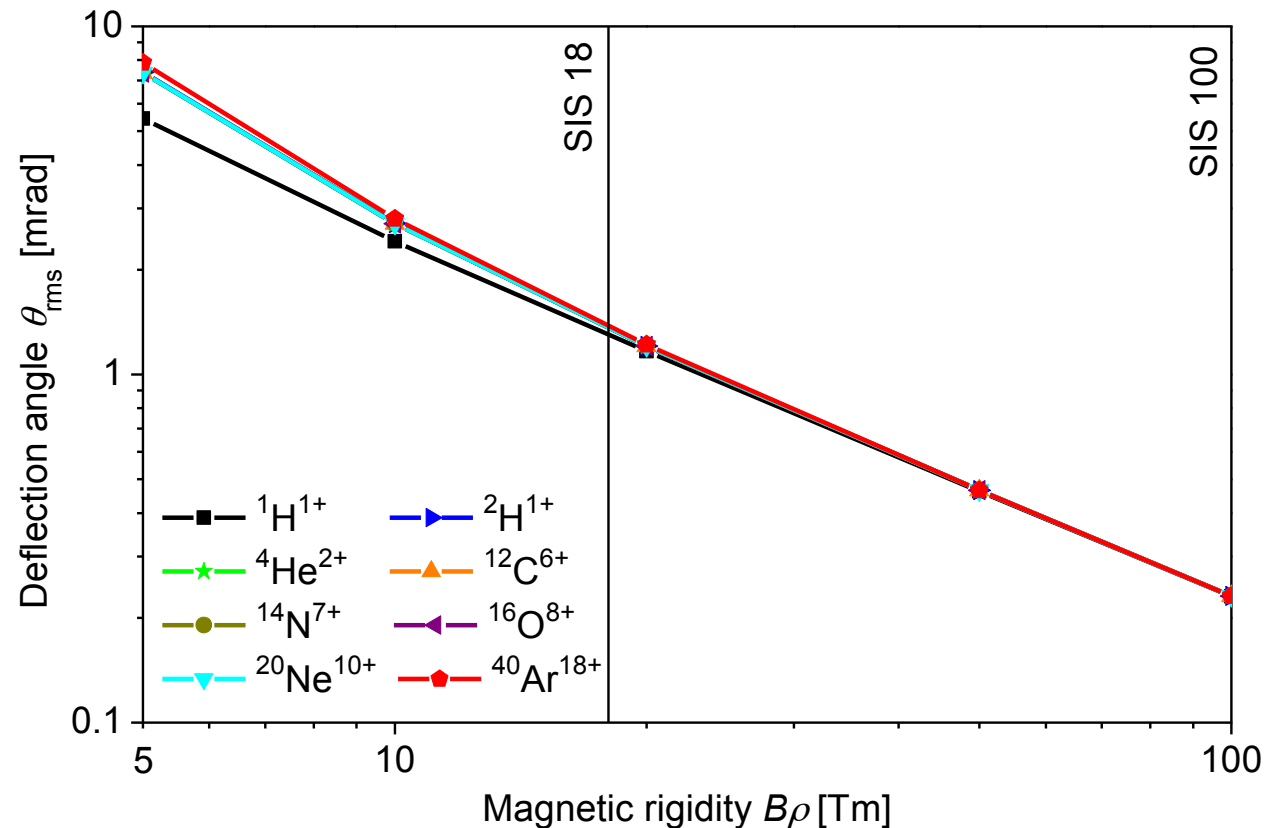
$$\theta_{rms} = \frac{13.6}{\beta c p} Z \sqrt{\frac{x}{X_0}} \left[ 1 + 0.038 \ln \left( \frac{x}{X_0} \right) \right] \quad \text{roughly Gaussian for small deflection angles}$$

[Ref] J. Beringer et al. (Particle Data Group), Phys. Rev. D86, 010001 (2012).

### Scattering foil

material: tungsten

thickness: 1 mm



# Inelastic nuclear interactions

## Cross section for inelastic nuclear interaction

**Sihver formula** ( $E > 100 \text{ MeV/u}$ )

$$\sigma_{in} = \pi r_0^2 \left[ A_p^{1/3} + A_t^{1/3} - b_0 (A_p^{-1/3} + A_t^{-1/3}) \right]^2$$

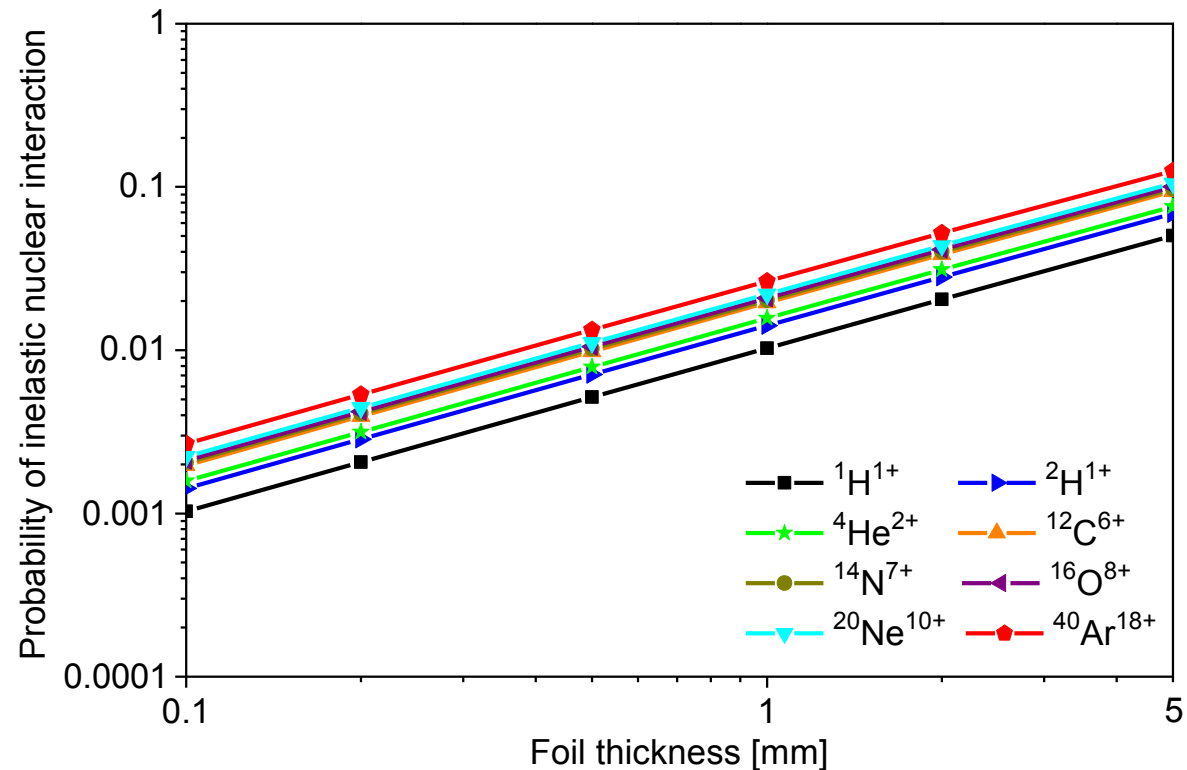
$$b_0 = 1.581 - 0.876 (A_p^{-1/3} + A_t^{-1/3}) \text{ Ions}$$

$$b_0 = 2.247 - 0.915 (A_p^{-1/3} + A_t^{-1/3}) \text{ Protons}$$

[Ref] L. Sihver et al., Phys. Rev. C47, 1225 (1993).

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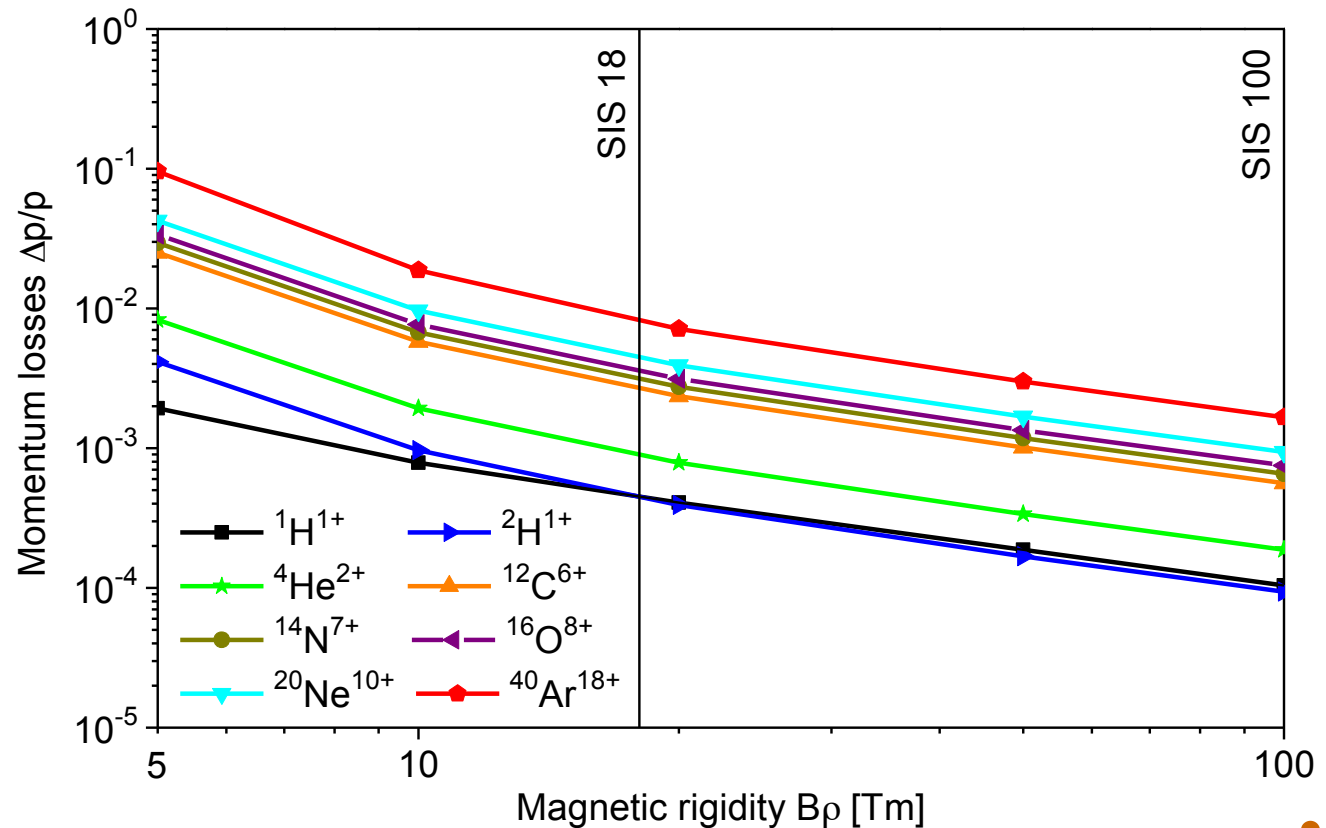
# Momentum losses in the scattering foil

## Bethe formula

$$-\frac{dE}{dx} = \frac{nZz^2 4\pi\alpha^2 \hbar^2}{m_e \beta^2} \left[ \ln \left( \frac{2m_e c^2 \beta^2}{I(1-\beta^2)} \right) - \beta^2 \right]$$

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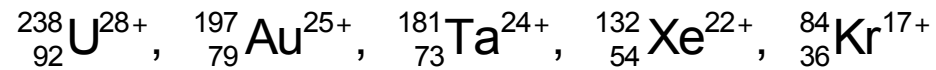
# Material choice of the scattering foil

Material	Graphite	Titanium	Copper	Tungsten
Protons ( $B\rho = 18 \text{ Tm}$ )				
Thickness [mm]	66.5	10.4	4.2	1.0
Scattering angle [mrad]	1.30	1.30	1.30	1.30
Probability of inel. nuclear int.	0.127	0.036	0.027	0.010
Momentum losses $dp/p$	0.0044	0.0014	0.0011	0.0005
$^{40}\text{Ar}$ ions ( $B\rho = 18 \text{ Tm}$ )				
Thickness [mm]	66.5	10.4	4.2	1.0
Scattering angle [mrad]	1.35	1.35	1.35	1.35
Probability of inel. nuclear int.	0.593	0.132	0.091	0.026
Momentum losses $dp/p$	0.0803	0.0249	0.0193	0.0079

High-Z materials are preferable.

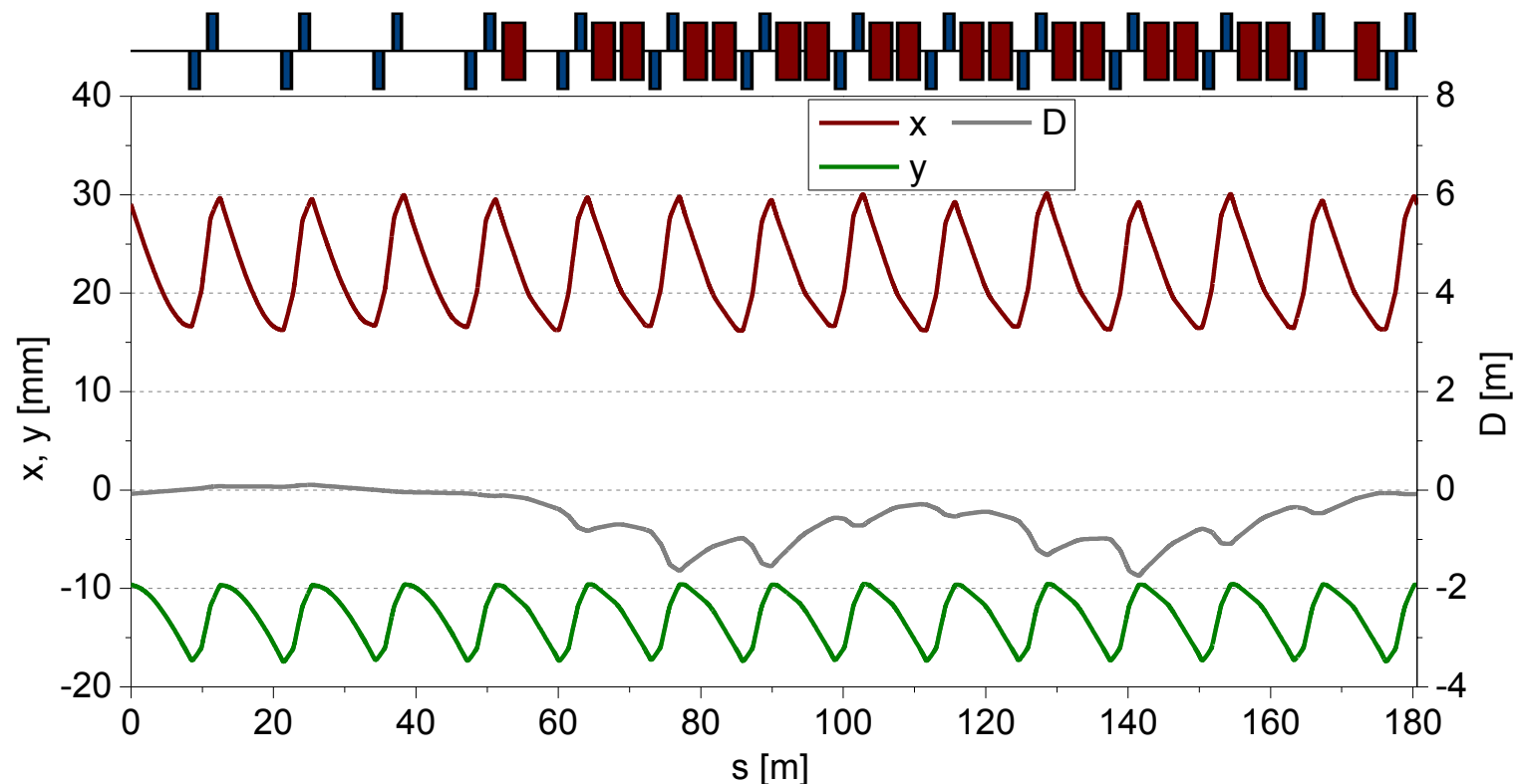
# Halo collimation of the partially-stripped ions

Intermediate charge-state ions will be accelerated in SIS 100.



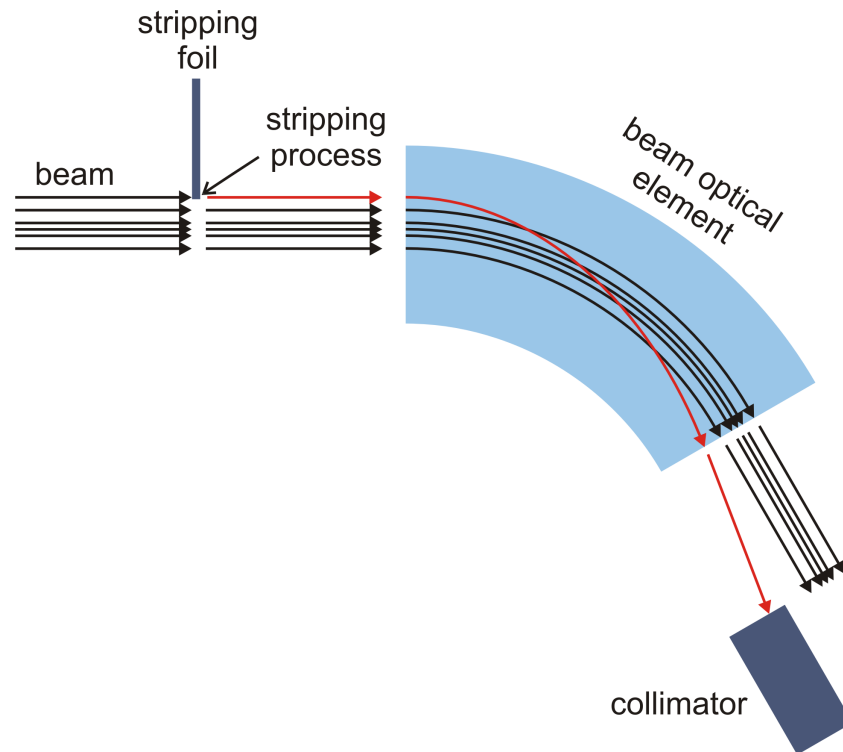
[Ref] FAIR - Baseline Technical Report, GSI Darmstadt, (2006).

SIS100 lattice for the ion operation



# Collimation concept for partially-stripped ions

Stripping foil  ${}_{92}^{238}\text{U}^{28+} \rightarrow {}_{92}^{238}\text{U}^{92+}$  → Deflection by a beam optical element



Lost particles during the slow extraction in SIS 100 → intercepted by two **warm quadrupoles**

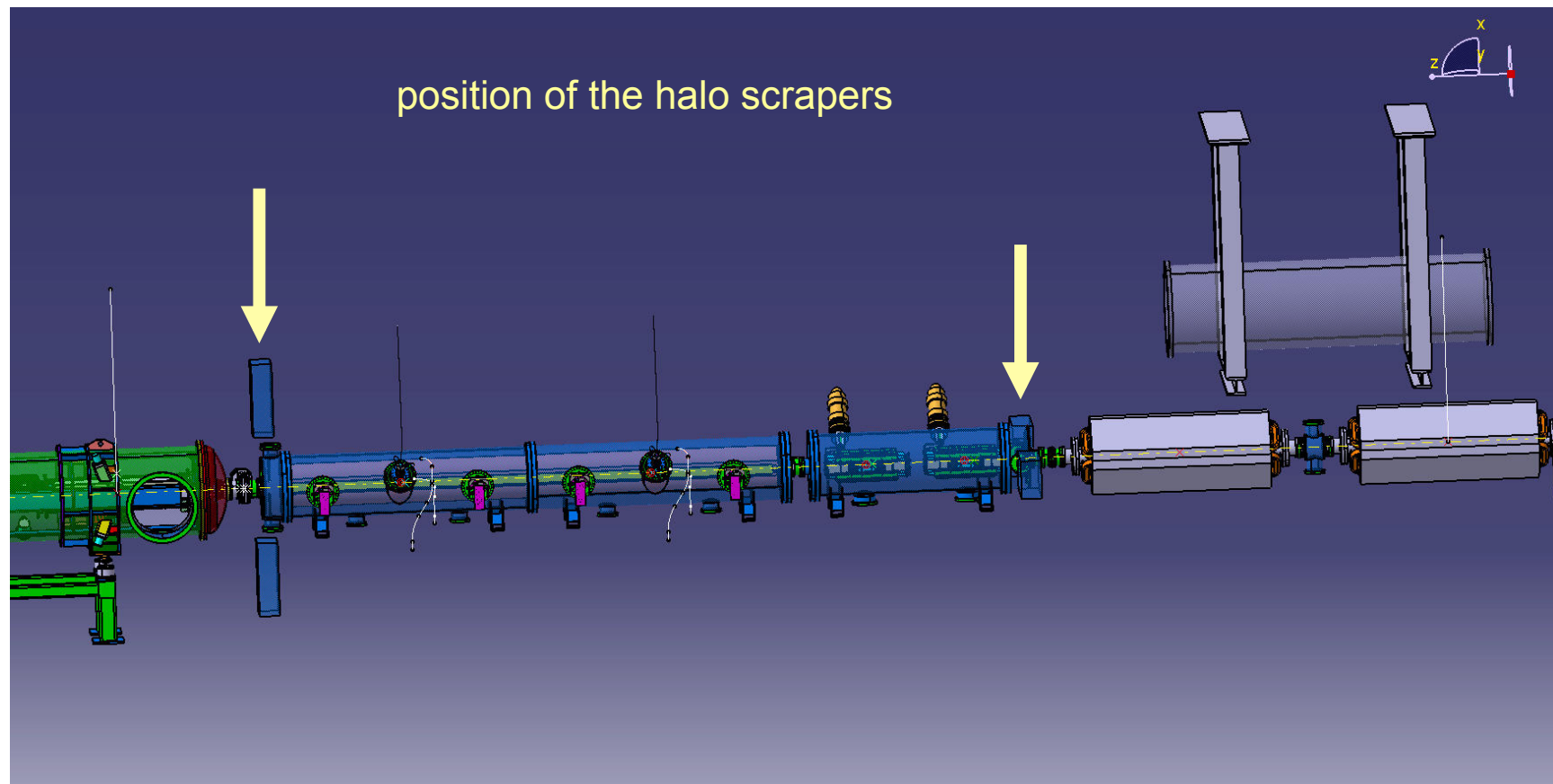
[Ref] A. Smolyakov et al, EPAC2008, 3602 (2008).

The two warm quadrupoles will play the role of the **absorbers** also for the **halo collimation**

**Two stage system:** 1. the stripping foil → 2. the two warm quadrupoles

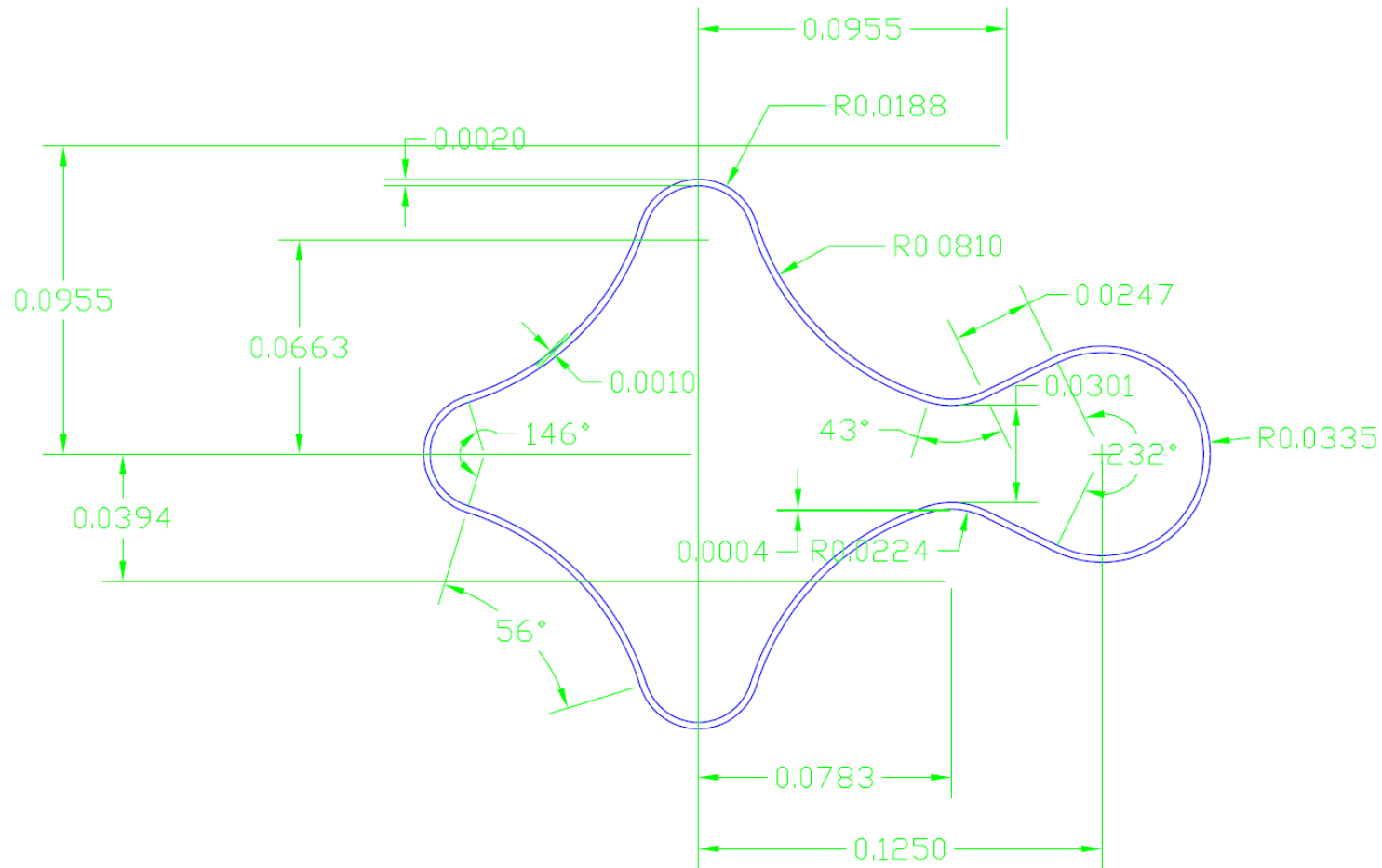
# Slow extraction area

SIS 100 / Sector 5 / Cell 2



# Beam pipe in the slow extraction area

Low desorptive material; pipe: Ti (90%), Al (6%) V, (4%)



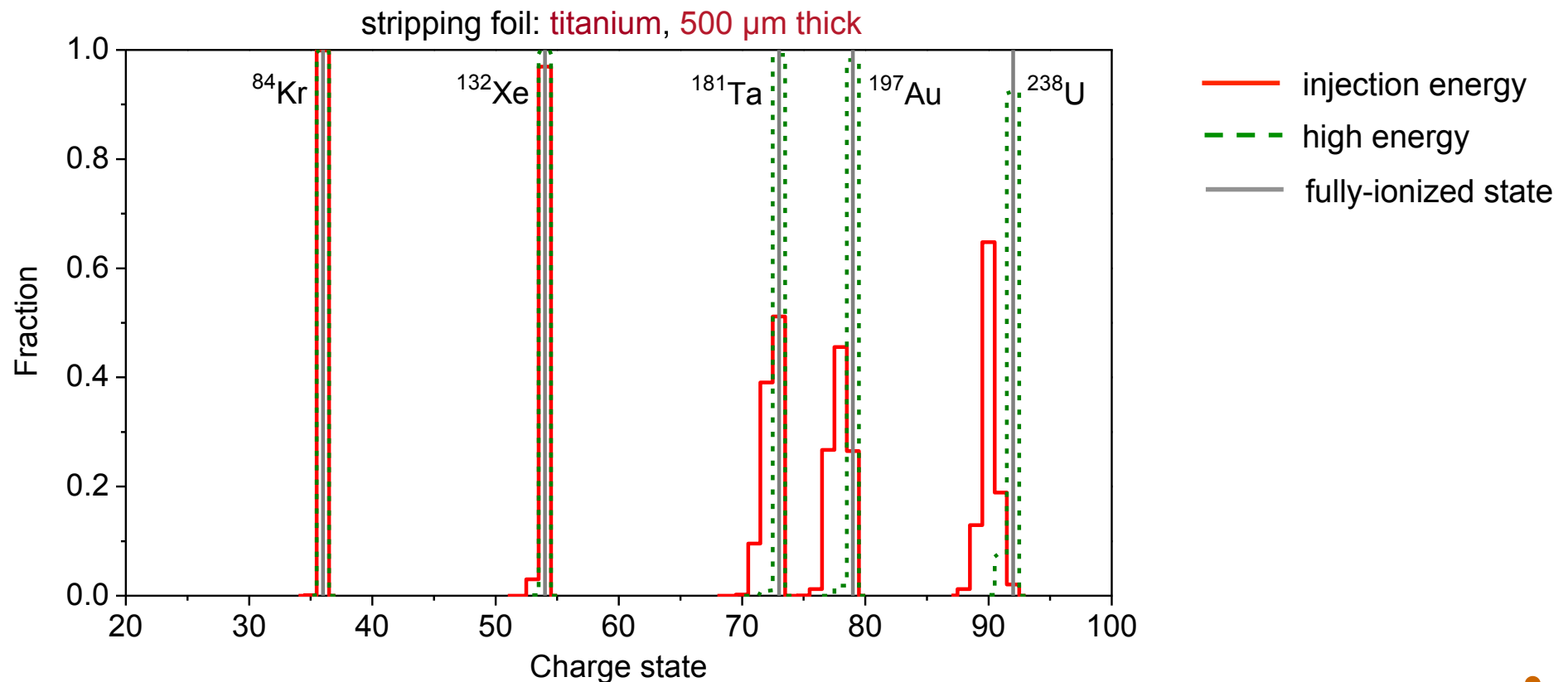
# Charge state distribution after stripping

Medium-Z materials (Al – Cu) → optimal for efficient stripping for wide range of projectiles and beam energies

[Ref] C. Scheidenberger et al., NIMB 142 (1998) 441.

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Electron capture and electron loss → equilibrium charge-state distribution



# Conclusion

- **Halo collimation** for proton and ion operation in SIS 100 was studied.
- **Proton operation** – two stage collimation system.  
Single-pass collimation efficiency > 75%  
Multi-pass efficiency – calculation in progress
- **Light-ion operation** ( $^2\text{H}$  -  $^{40}\text{Ar}$ , fully stripped) – two stage system.  
Single-pass efficiency  $\approx$  proton operation  
Multi-pass efficiency < proton operation due to larger momentum losses
- **Heavy-ion operation** ( $^{84}\text{Kr}$  –  $^{238}\text{U}$ , partially stripped) – stripping foil and interception by the two warm quadrupoles in the slow extraction area.
- Detailed **particle tracking** and calculation of the **beam loss distribution** in the synchrotron using simulation codes is in progress.





**Thank you for  
your attention**