



Foil Scattering Model for Fermilab Booster

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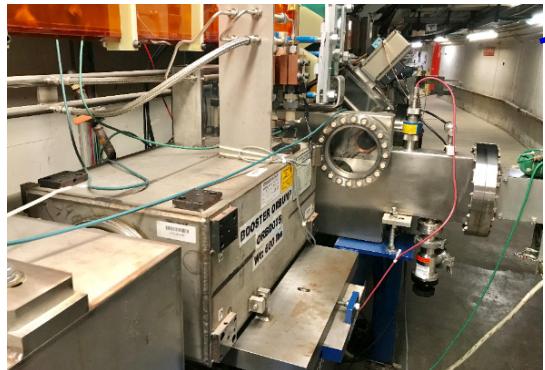
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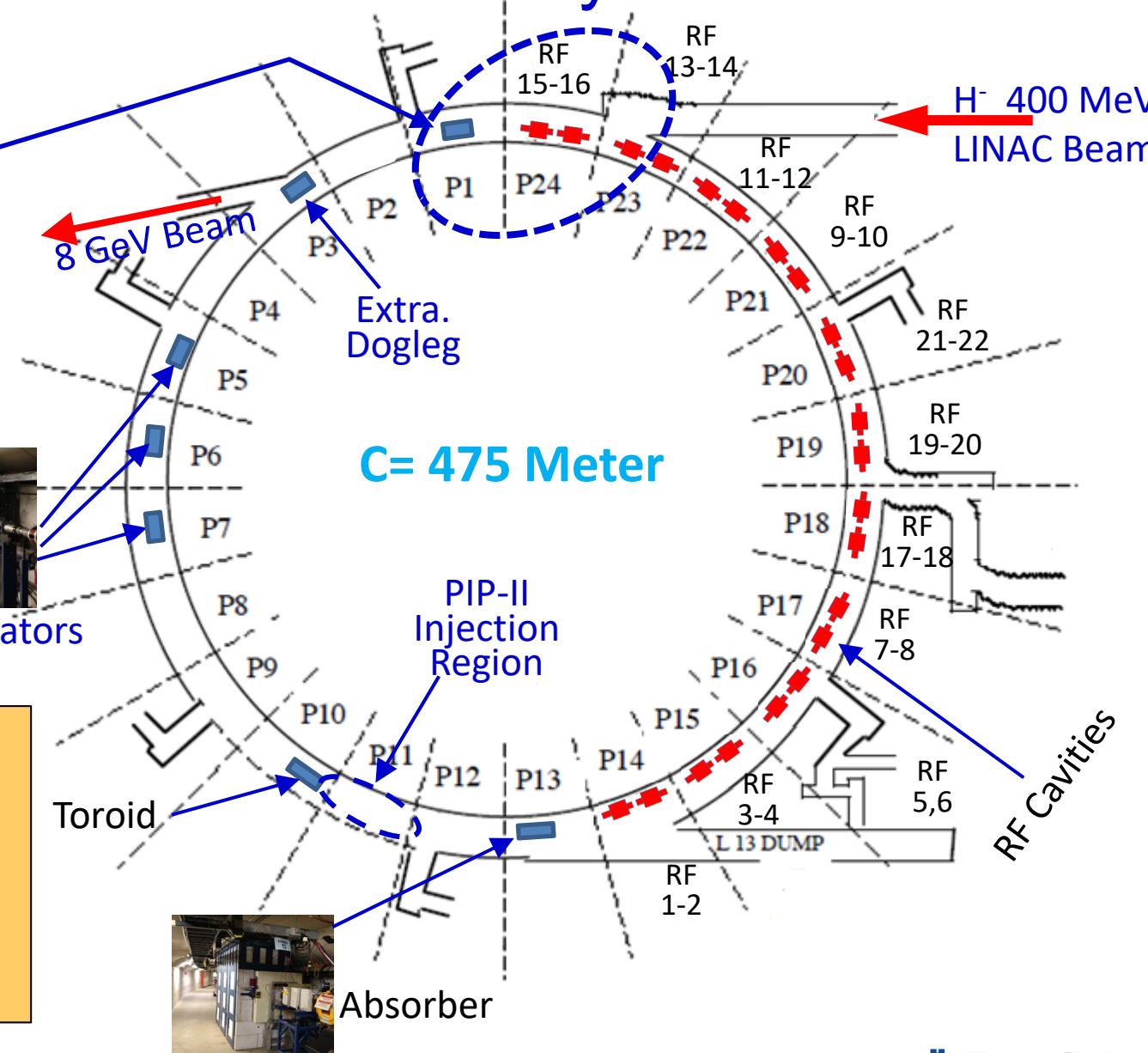
Fermilab Booster Layout

Injection Region



Collimators

96 Combined Function
Dipole magnets
& 22 RF cavities
swing freq.: 37.8 MHz-
52.8 MHz
 $h=84$

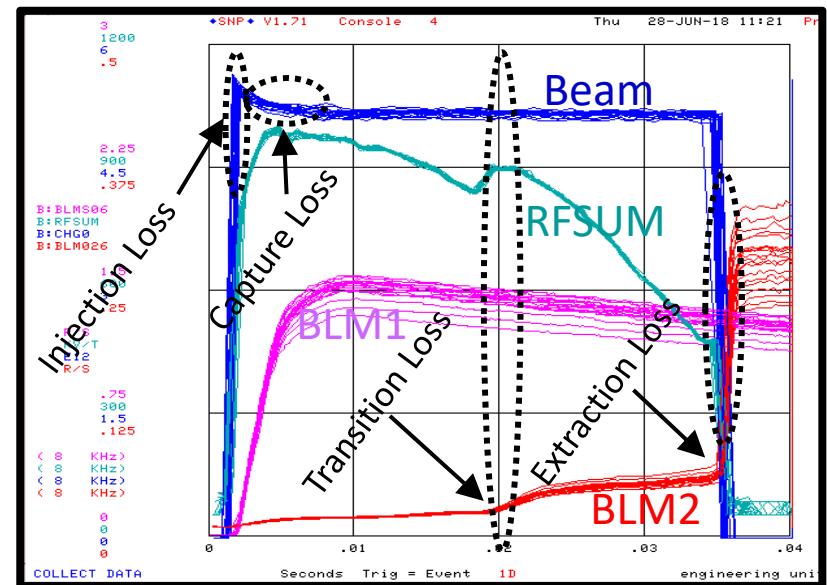


Goal of the Foil Scattering Measurements

- With Proton Improvement Plan (PIP) Fermilab is providing world record beam power >700 kW on NOvA neutrino target with
 - Booster output beam intensity ~4.6E12 ppBc
- In the future, PIP-II added to the complex the proton beam power will be increased to ~1.2 MW on the LBNF/DUNE neutrino target
 - Booster output beam intensity will increase by ~50%

So, it is extremely important to understand the loss mechanism and minimize beam loss in the Booster (and other accelerators in the complex, i.e., RR/MI).

- The beam losses in the Booster
- So, there is an on-going campaign to study & mitigate each one of the loss modes ← **Important to the current operation, PIP-II and in-between**
- Early this year S. Nagaitsev initiated “Foil Scattering Measurements in the Booster” as the first step.

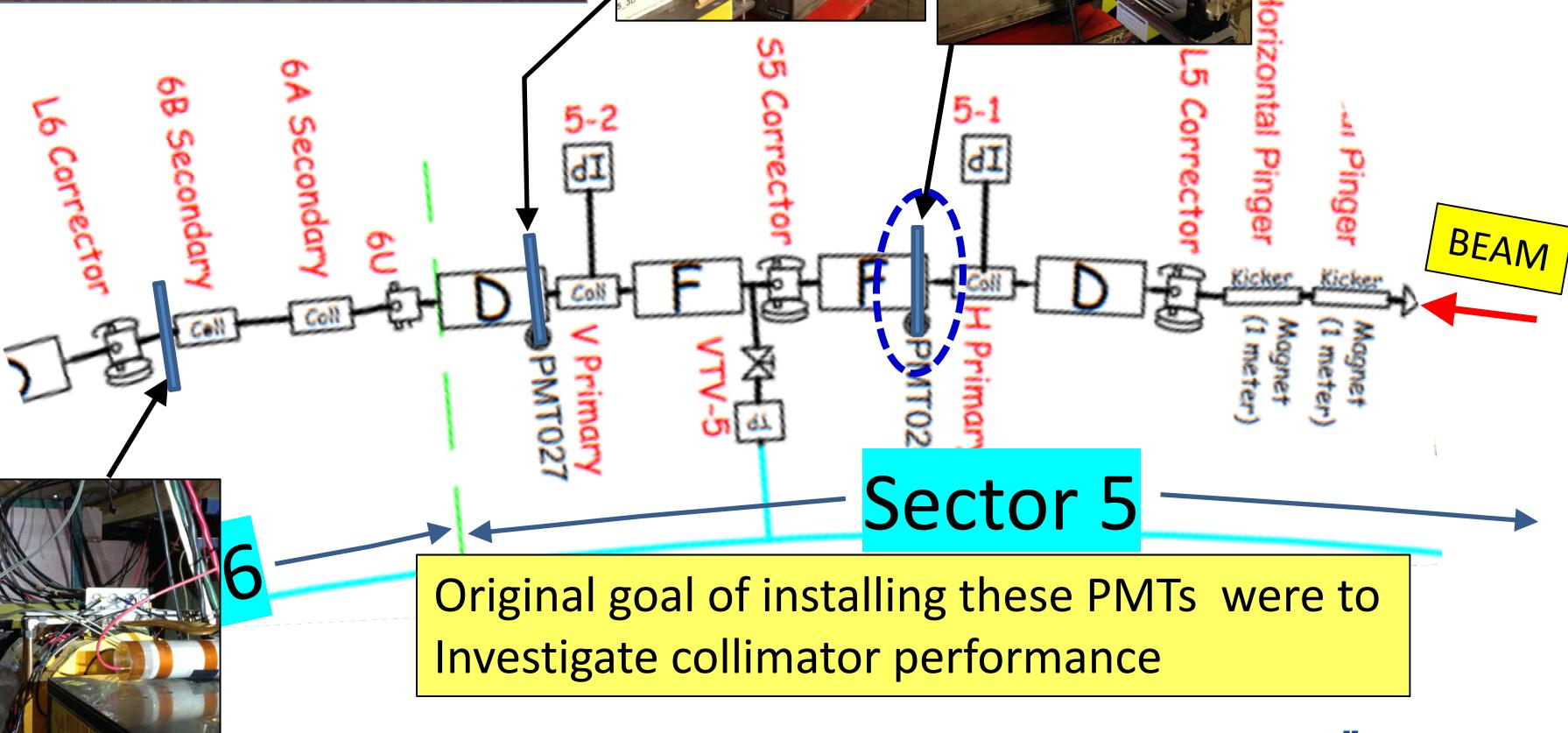
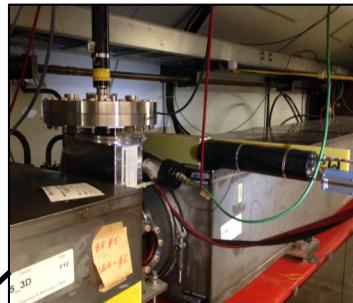


Scattering Measurements

Measurement Plan

- Find a highly sensitive fast detector to measure the beam loss as close to the stripping foil as possible.
 - [Note that standard ion chamber loss monitors used in the Booster ring are not fast enough]
- Variables in Measurements
 - LINAC Beam Energy 400 MeV (fixed).
 - LINAC Beam Intensity
 - ❖ 25 mA, 20 mA, 10 mA and 2mA
 - LINAC beam Pulse length
 - ❖ $22\mu\text{s}$ (10 BT) and $31\mu\text{s}$ (14 BT)
 - Vary the duration of the beam on the foil
 - ❖ Duration of ORBUMP: $BT \times T_0 + 40\mu\text{s}$ (nominal) to $BT \times T_0 + 70\mu\text{s}$
 - ← This varies number of beam hits on the foil

Placement of Tesarek's PMTs in Booster Ring

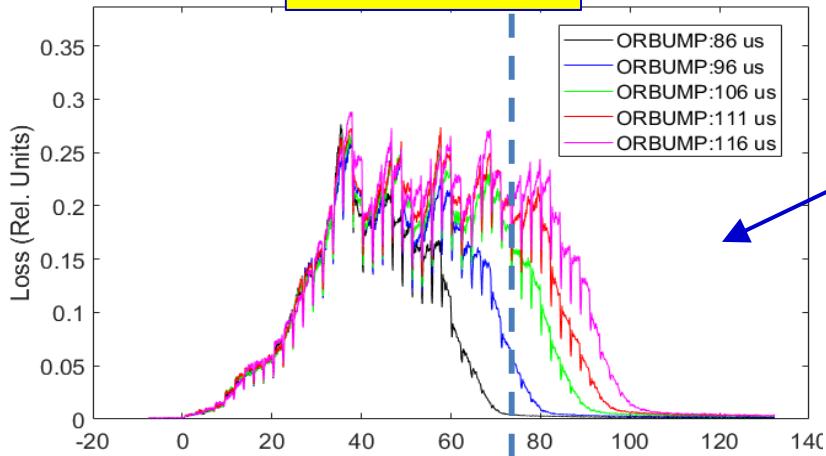


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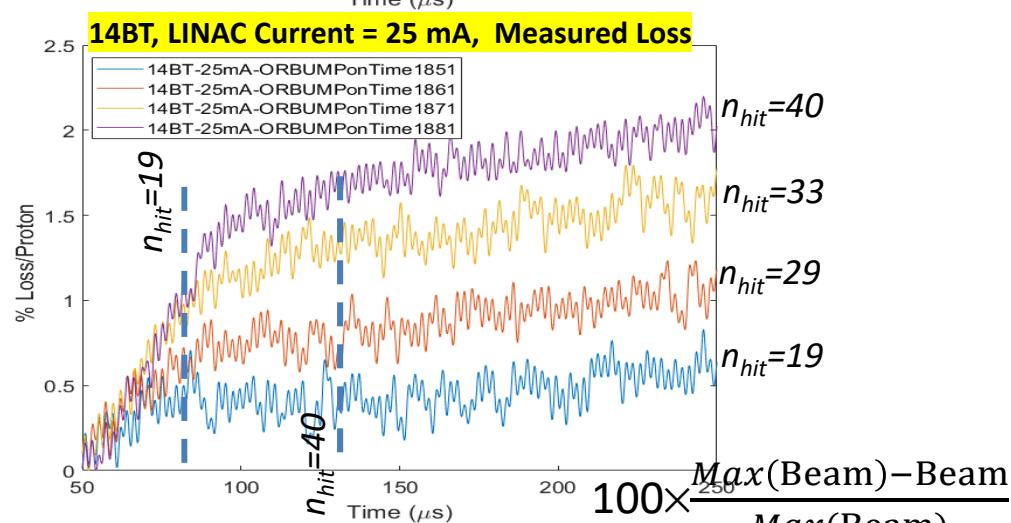
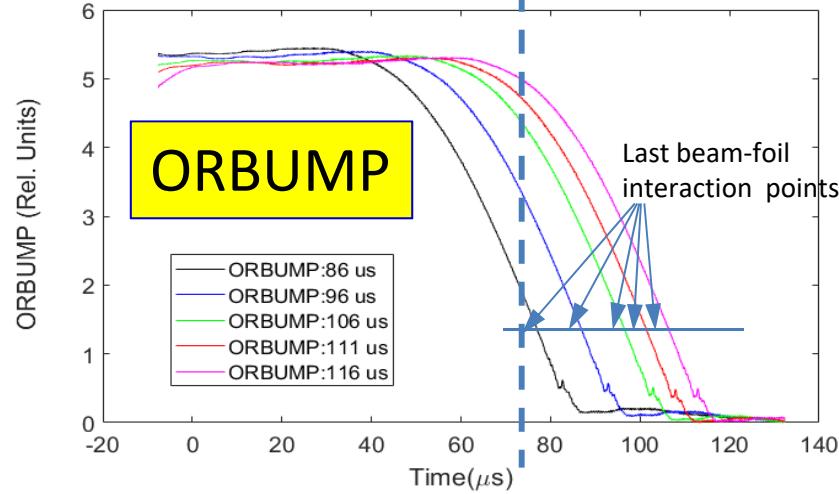
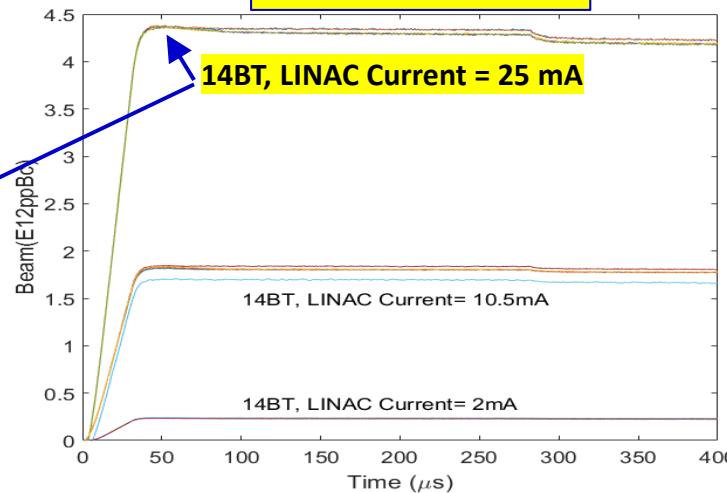
Loss data using PMT and Toroid

Preliminary Results

PMT Data



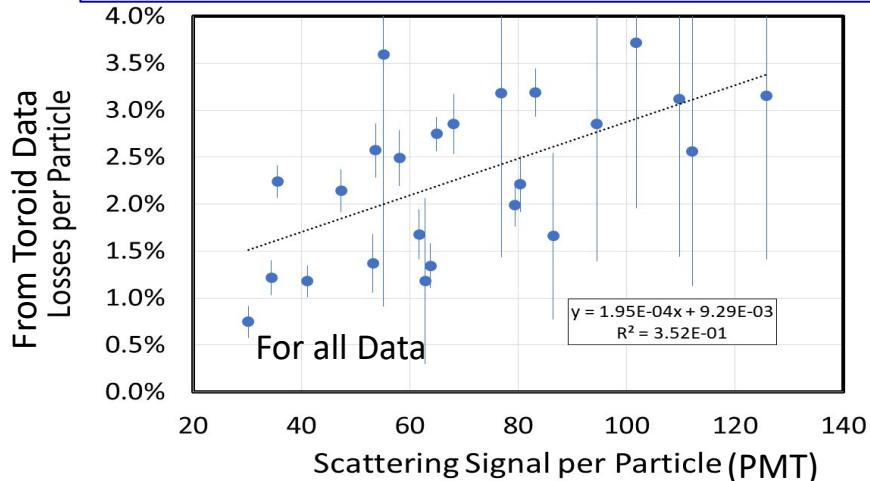
Toroid Data



Total beam loss is estimated using the Toroid data

Foil-Scattering Loss Estimate

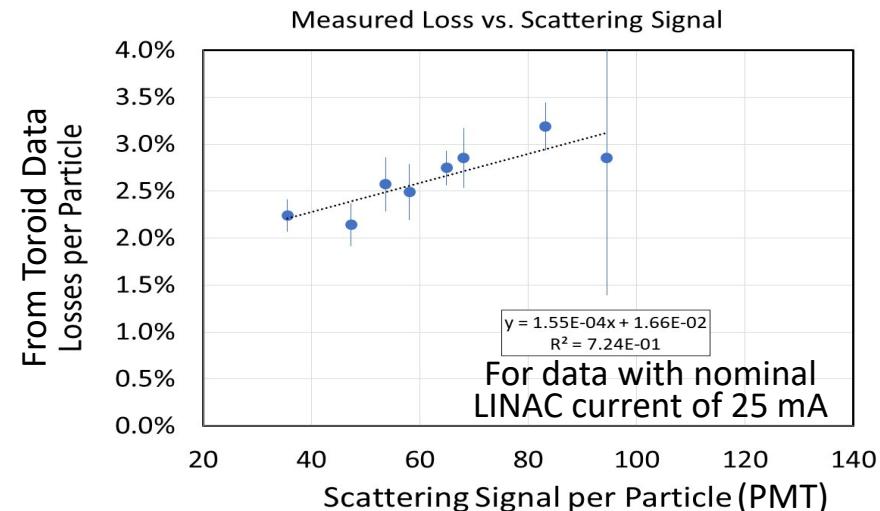
Correlation between Toroid & PMT Measured Loss



Preliminary Results

We see clear **correlations** between Toroid and PMT measured data. But, it is very early to make any conclusions from PMT alone.

- Not enough statistics
- Still to investigate any systematics
- lattice effect should be imbeded



From Toroid data the foil scattering loss is in the range of 0.5% - 1.7%.

Foil-Scattering Loss Model

- Interaction of 400 MeV and 800 MeV H with a Carbon foil

Gulley-Model

- $H^- \rightarrow H^-$ PRA53, (1996) p 3201
- $H^- \rightarrow H^0$ and H^0 with $n=1,2,3$
- $H^- \rightarrow H^+$

- Beam loss due to Nuclear scattering during multi-turn injection

- The first turn undergoes more number of hits than the last turn.

- Emittance growth due to multiple Coulomb scattering

- Beam loss due to large angle Coulomb scattering taking into the effect of multi-turn injection

$$y_-(x) = A e^{-\rho \sigma_- x}, \quad y_{1,2}(x) = AC(e^{-\sigma_{12} \rho x} - e^{-\sigma_- \rho x})$$

$$A = 1 \quad C = \sigma_{-12}/(\sigma_- - \sigma_{12})$$

$$y_n(x) = A_1 e^{-\rho \sigma_- x} + A_2 e^{-\rho \sigma_{12} x} + A_3 e^{-\rho \sigma_n x}$$

$$A_1 = \frac{A(\sigma_n - C\sigma_{12n})}{\sigma_n - \sigma_-} \quad A_2 = \frac{AC\sigma_{12n}}{\sigma_n - \sigma_{12}} \quad A_3 = -(A_1 + A_2)$$

$$P_{loss}(\text{Nucl. Scat.}) = \frac{1}{BT} \left\{ BT - e^{(n_{hit}+1)\frac{x}{\lambda}} \left[\frac{1 - e^{BT\frac{x}{\lambda}}}{1 - e^{\frac{x}{\lambda}}} \right] \right\} \text{ with}$$

Nucl. Int. Length $\lambda = 35 * A^{\frac{1}{3}} g/cm^2$, $BT = \# \text{ of multi-turn}$,
 $\approx 80 g/cm^2$ or $38 cm$ $n_{hit} = \# \text{ additional hits}$

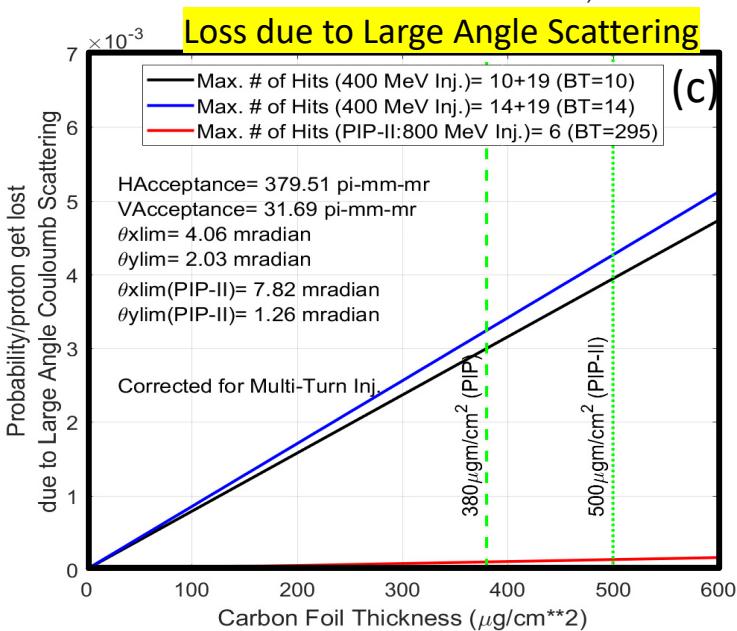
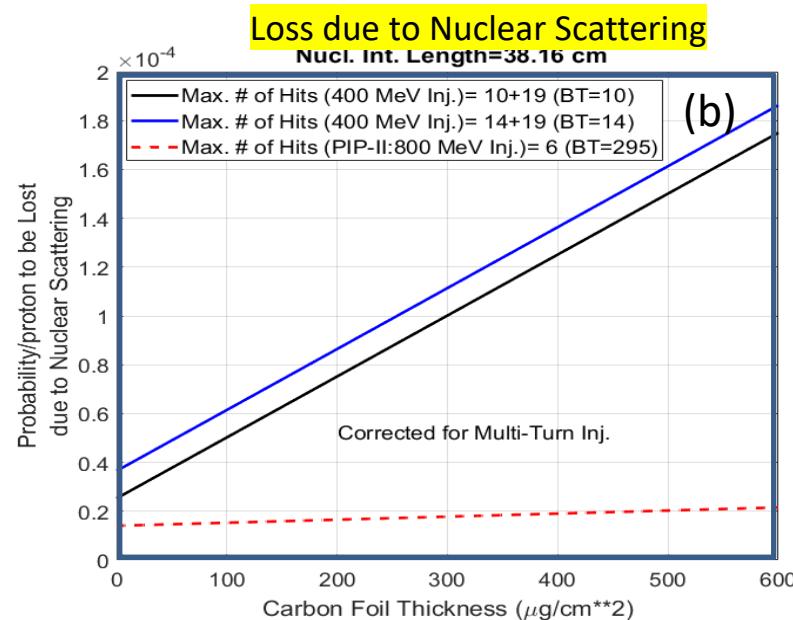
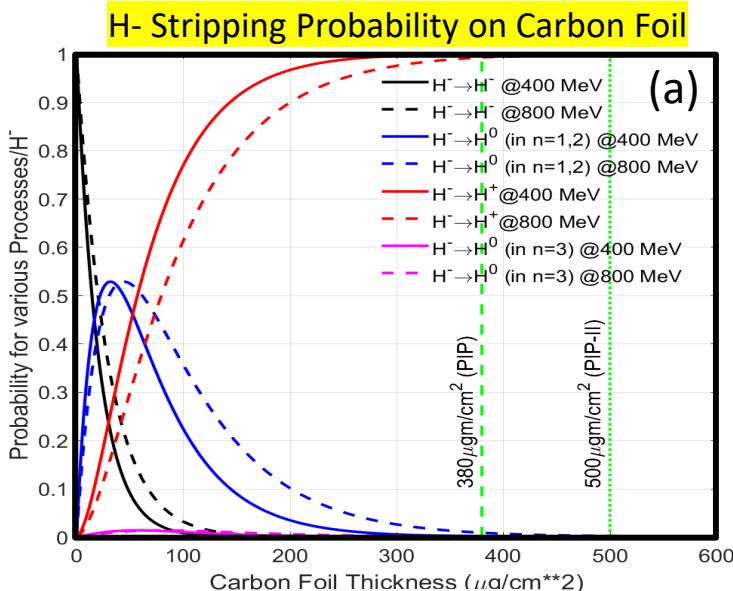
Probability/proton is $P = \gamma x \left\{ n_{hit} + \frac{BT+1}{2} \right\}$, $BT = \# \text{ of multi-turn}$,
 $n_{hit} = \# \text{ additional hits}$

$$\gamma = \rho \left(\frac{2Zm_e r_e}{\gamma m_p \beta^2} \right)^2 \left[\frac{1}{\theta_{xl} \theta_{yl}} + \frac{1}{\theta_{xl}^2} \tan \frac{\theta_{yl}}{\theta_{xl}} + \frac{1}{\theta_{yl}^2} \tan \left(\frac{\theta_{xl}}{\theta_{yl}} \right) \right]$$

Improved upon
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$$\theta_{xl} = \theta_{xlim} = \sqrt{\frac{X_A^2}{\beta_{fx} \beta_{xA}}} = 4 \text{ mrad}, \theta_{yl} = \theta_{ylim} = \sqrt{\frac{Y_A^2}{\beta_{fy} \beta_{yA}}} = 2 \text{ mrad}$$

Foil-Scattering Loss Model



□ Predictions:

- Stripping efficiency ≈99.9% for carbon foil of ~380 $\mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$
- Loss due to multiple nuclear scattering ~0.02%
- $\Delta\varepsilon_T$ due to multiple Coulomb scattering ~3 $\pi\text{-mm-mm}$ out of beam ε_T (95%) ≈ 6 $\pi\text{-mm-mm}$, <Acceptance
- Loss due to Large Angle Coulomb Scattering ~0.3%

Summary & Future Plans

- Within the next decade the beam power on the neutrino targets will be increased from 700 kW to >1.2 MW at Fermilab.
 - Loss mitigation in the Booster is one of our prime goals
- Recently, we have been looking at data from foil scattering experiment to understand loss mechanism during injection time by varying
 - LINAC Beam Current
 - Number of turns in the multi-turn injected beam and
 - Beam exposed to the stripping foil

Data is being analyzed. Correlation between PMT measured data and Toroid measured data is seen. Toroid measured data give 0.5 - 1.7%/proton in the first 130 μ s of the beam cycle.
- “Foil scattering model” shows the loss from the foil ($380\mu\text{g}/\text{cm}^2$ C) is about $\sim 0.3\%$.
- Additional PMTs to be added to make better measurements.