

# Overview of lifetime issues at ESRF

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## Outline

- ESRF figures
- Key parameters and design strategy
- Review of the different parameters
  - ✓ Correction of errors
  - ✓ Physical aperture
  - ✓ Energy acceptance
  - ✓ Dynamic aperture
  - ✓ Working point



# ESRF lifetime figures

Lifetime is an important parameter for :

Users (thermal stability)

Machine physicists (losses and activation, injection efficiency)

**Multibunch filling**

**70 h** in uniform at 200 mA  
coupling: **0.6 %**  
topping-up every **12 h**

**16-bunch**

**15 h** at 90 mA  
coupling: **2 %**  
topping-up every **6 h**

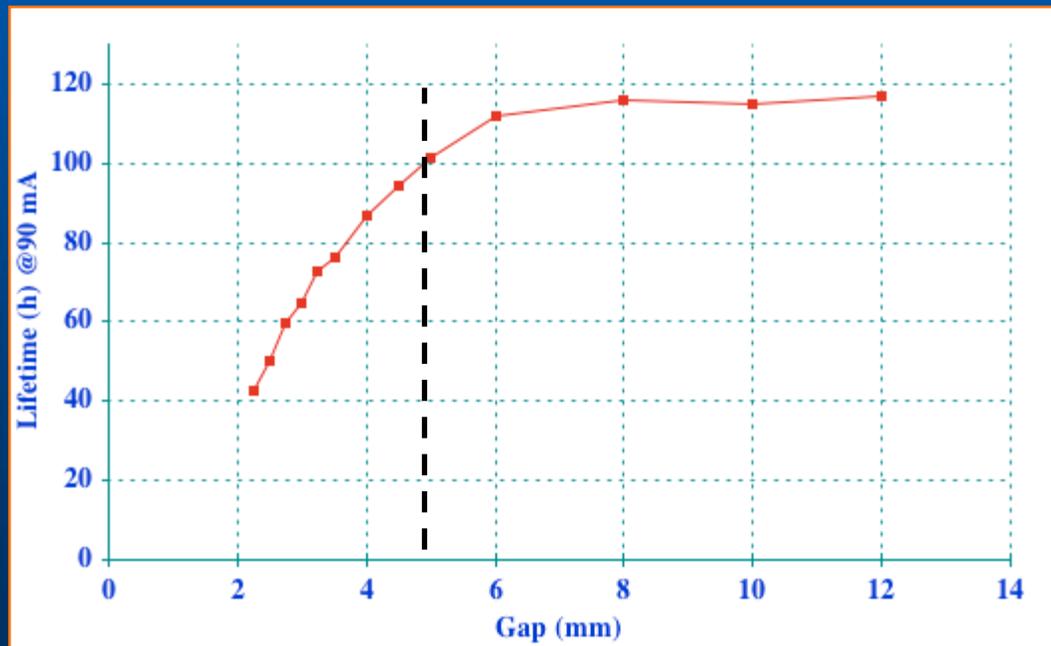
# Key parameters for the lifetime

$$\frac{1}{\tau} = \frac{1}{\tau_G} + \frac{1}{\tau_B} + \frac{1}{\tau_T}$$

- Machine energy
- Average pressure and gas composition
- Physical aperture and / or dynamic aperture
- Bunch volume
  - Bunch current
  - Transverse emittances
- Acceptance in energy

# Physical aperture

- Septum in the horizontal plane
- Low gap vessels ( $\pm 4$  mm) or in-vacuum undulators in the vertical plane





# Strategy for achieving the best lifetime

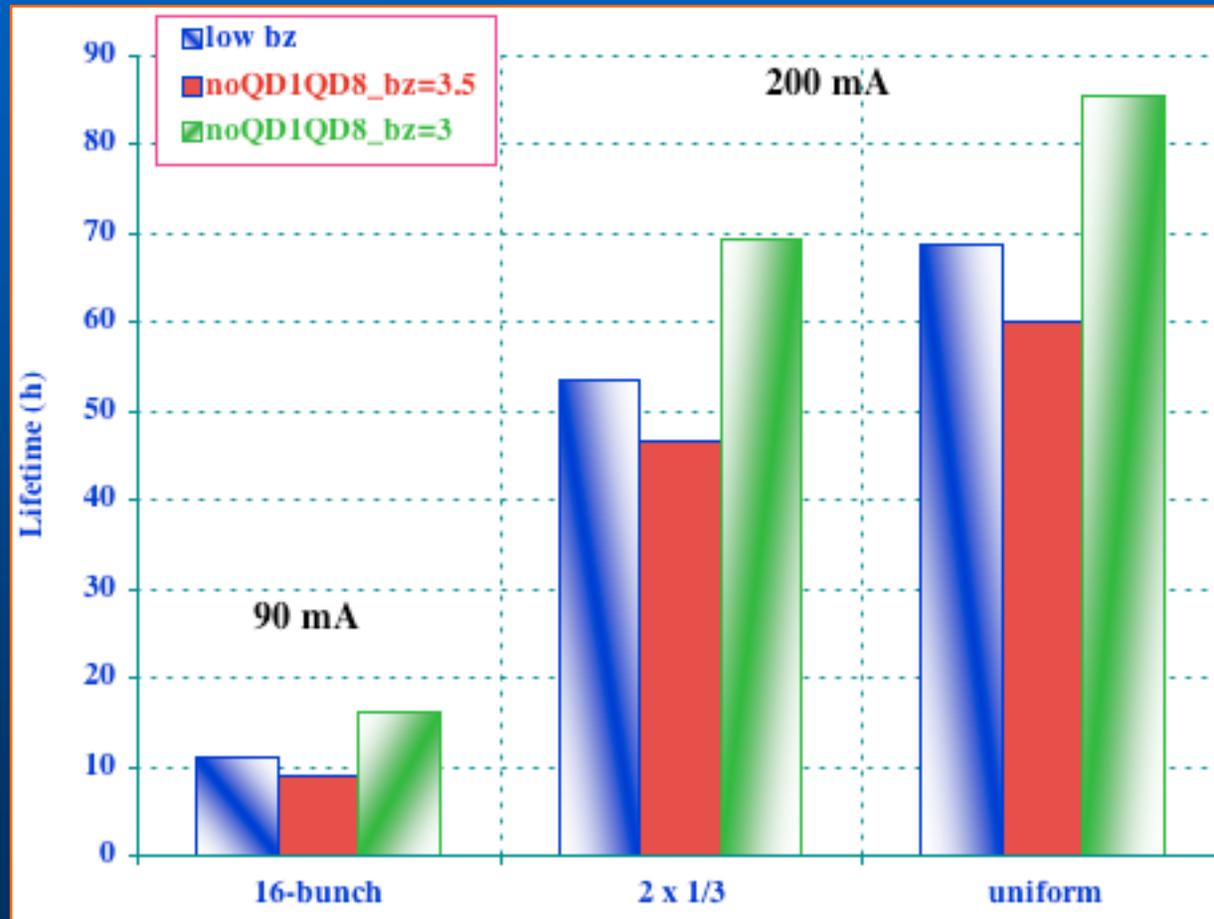
How to achieve the best lifetime when tuning a new lattice?

- Define in simulations the best tuning  
Working point, harmonic sextupoles, error compensation
- Characterise expected performances  
Dynamic aperture, energy acceptance, tune shifts with amplitude and momentum...

What is the relationship between these macroscopic performance characteristics and the lifetime ?

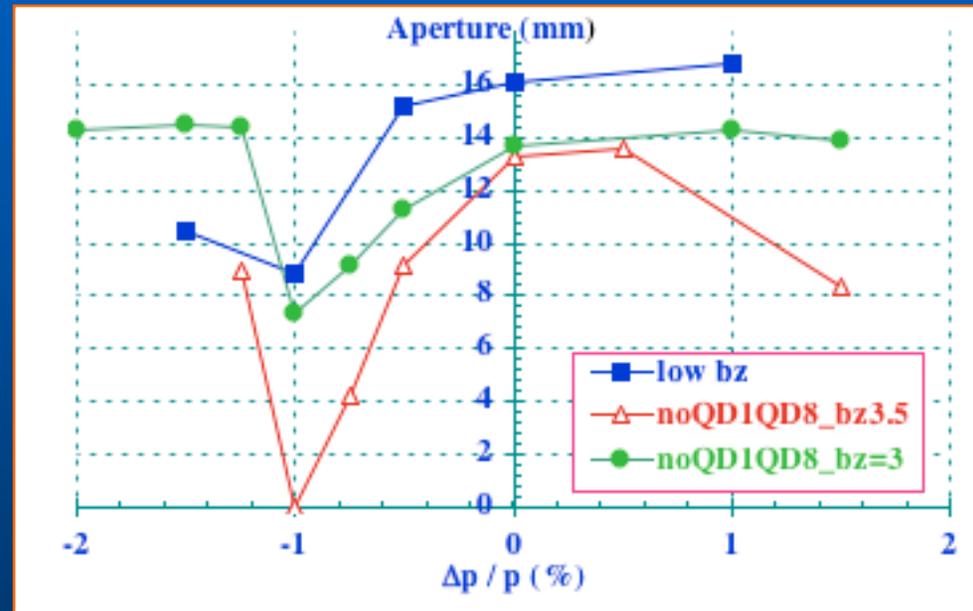
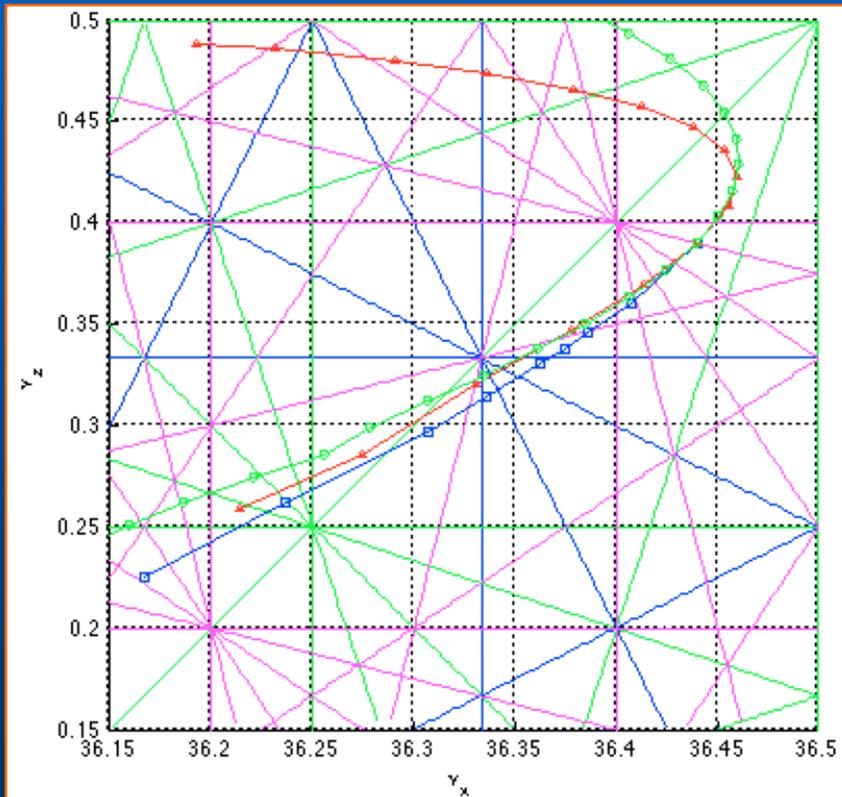
The larger / smaller they are, the longer should be the lifetime

# Achieving the best lifetime (1)



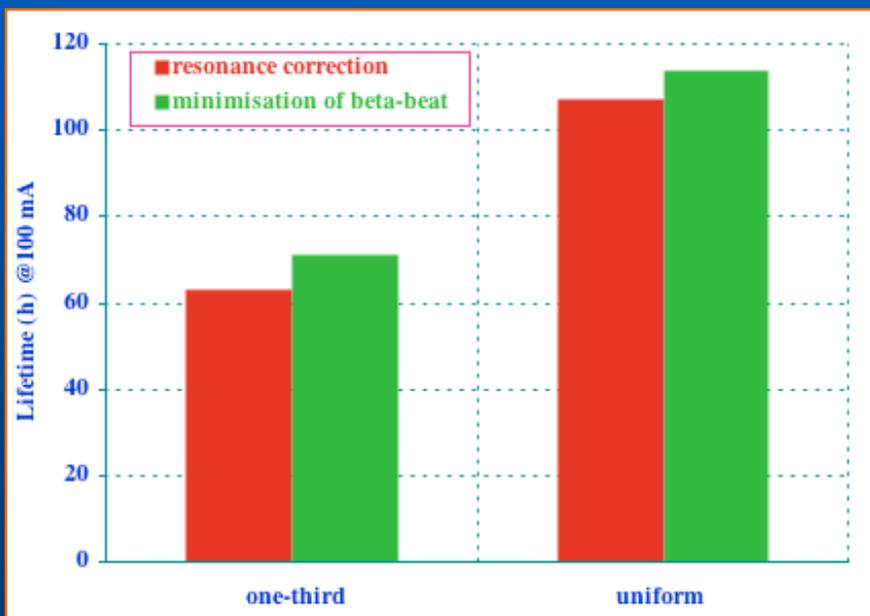
Applying this strategy to different lattices does not give the same results in terms of lifetime !!

# Achieving the best lifetime (2)

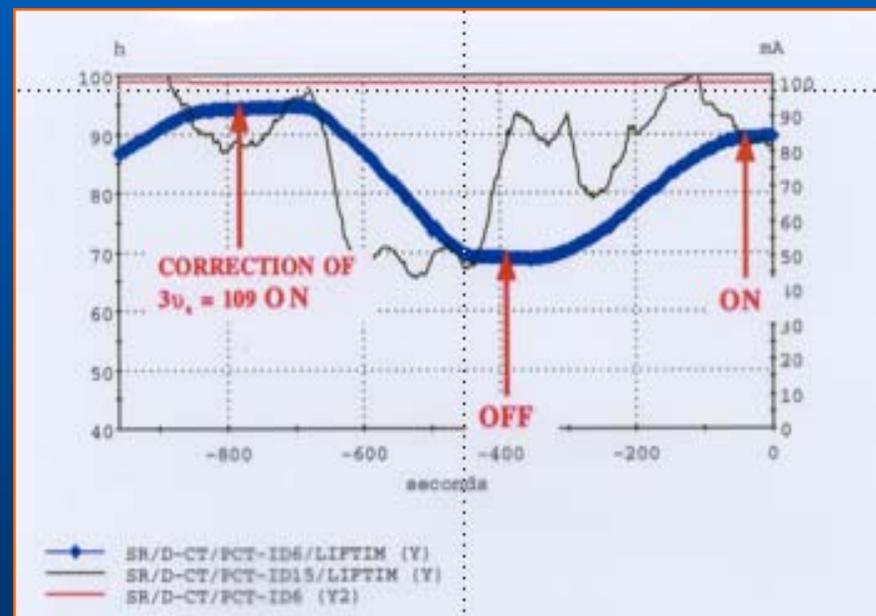


# Compensation of errors

## Focusing errors



## Third-order resonances





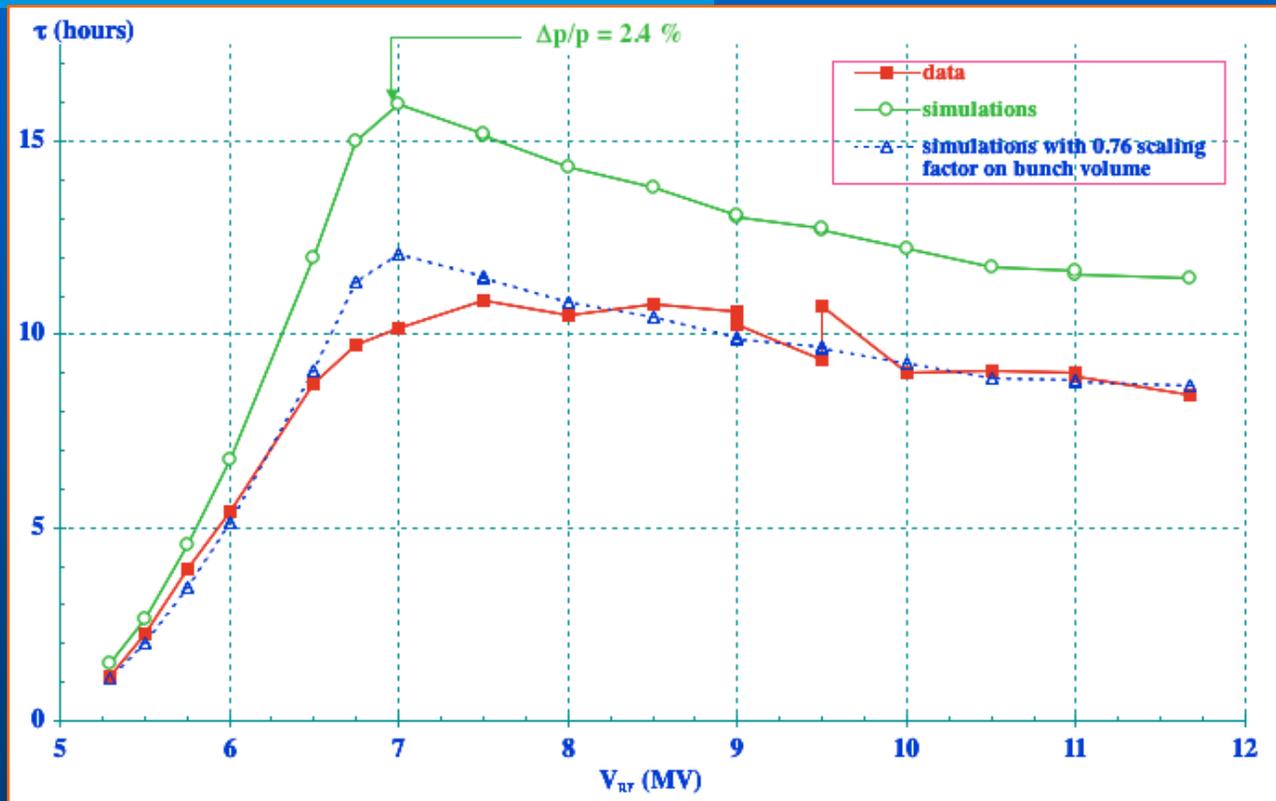
# Energy acceptance (1)

Determined by the RF bucket height or by transverse limitations (physical or dynamic)

## Measurements

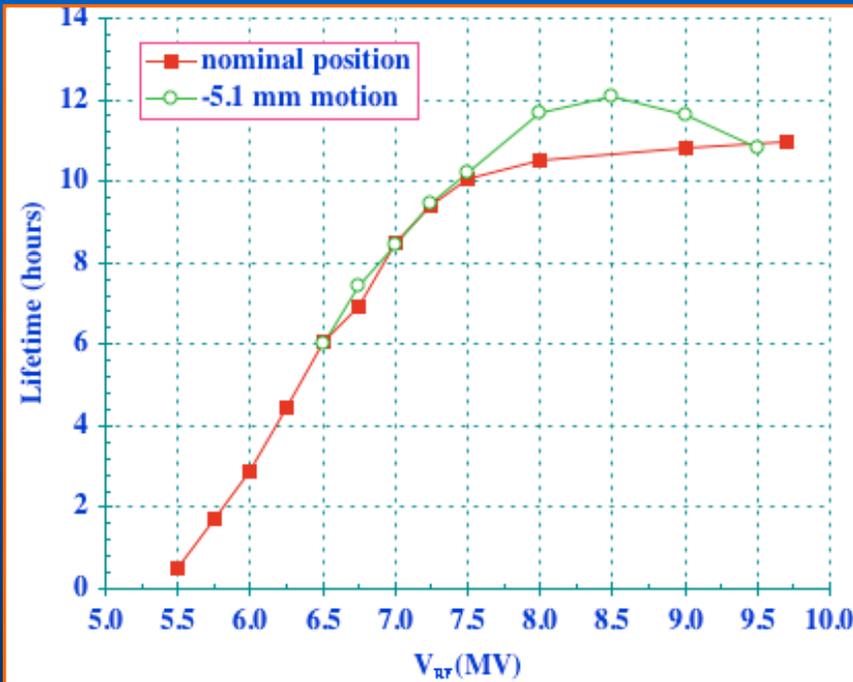
- Operate the machine in single bunch mode at low coupling
- Record the lifetime evolution as a function of the RF voltage
- Deduce  $\Delta p/p$  from the fit of the experimental data.

# Energy acceptance (2)



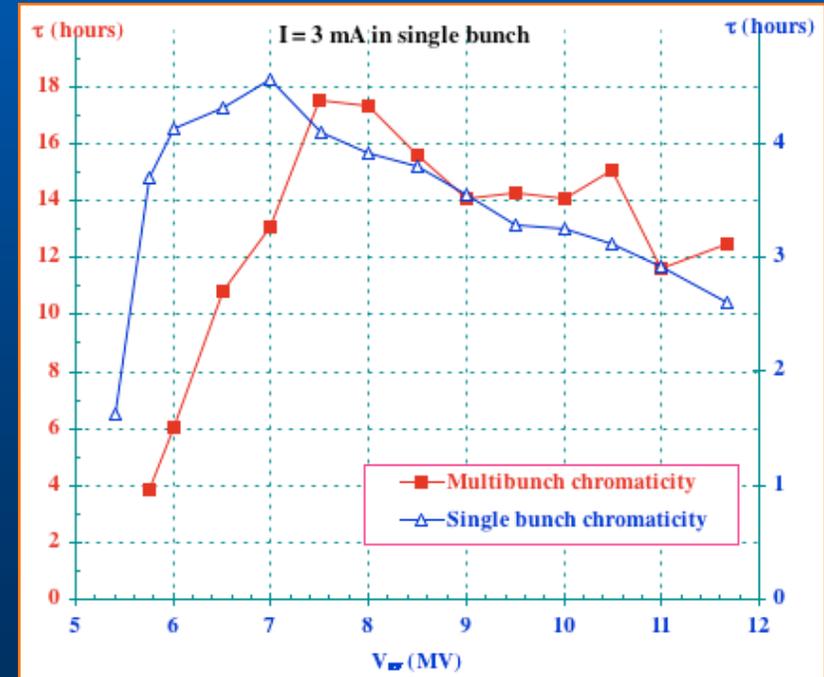
The saturation of the lifetime increase indicates a transverse aperture related limitation

# Energy acceptance (3)

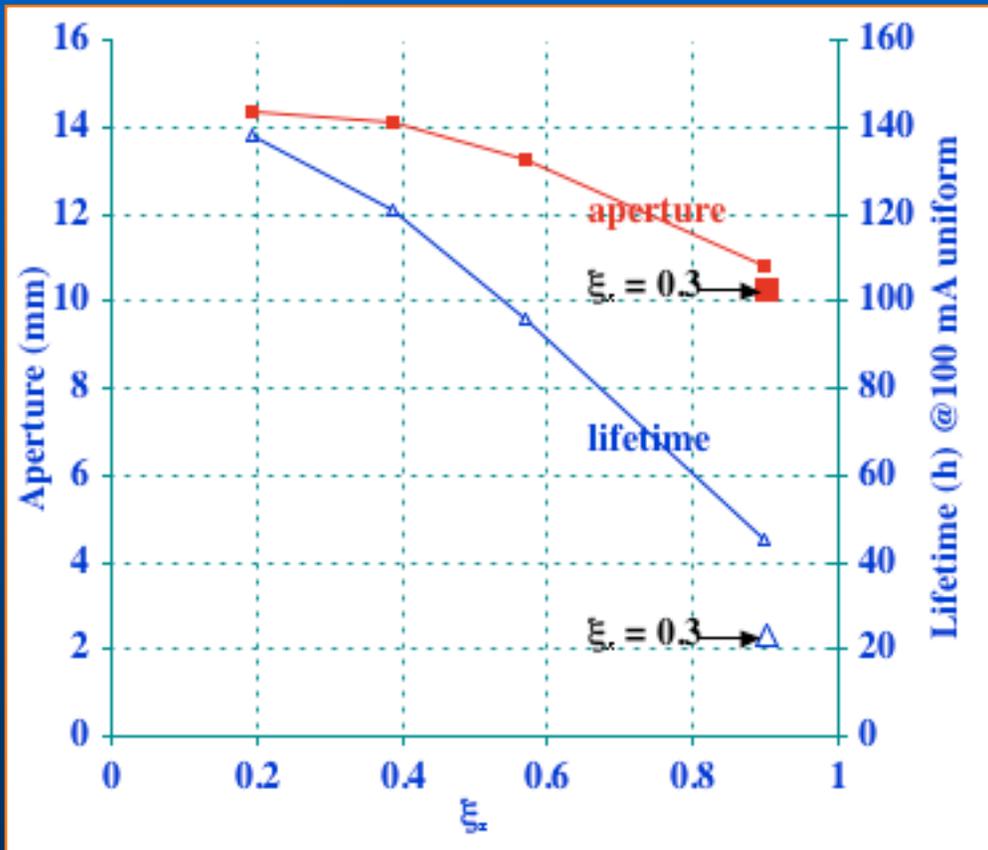


No effect of the septum position ---> dynamic acceptance limitation

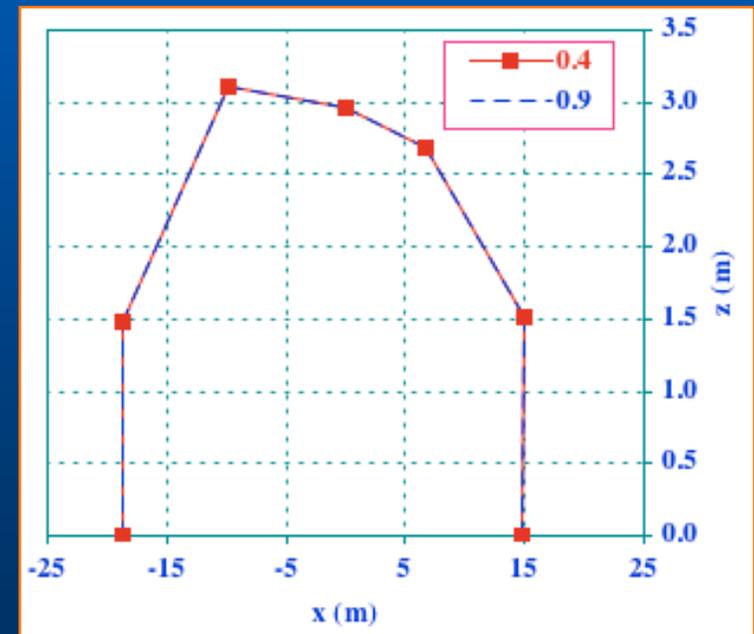
Another measurement in favour of a dynamic aperture limitation



# Impact of a reduced dynamic aperture (1)



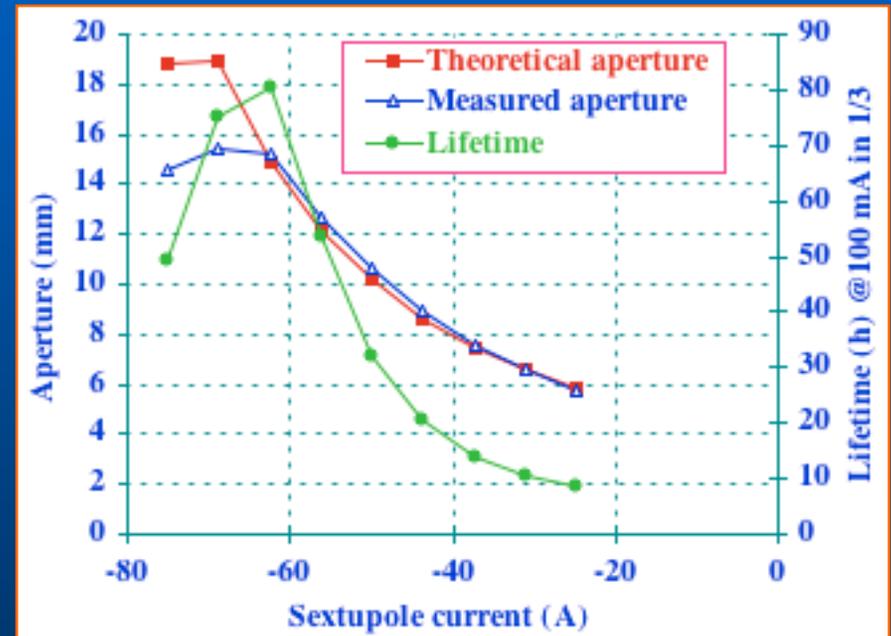
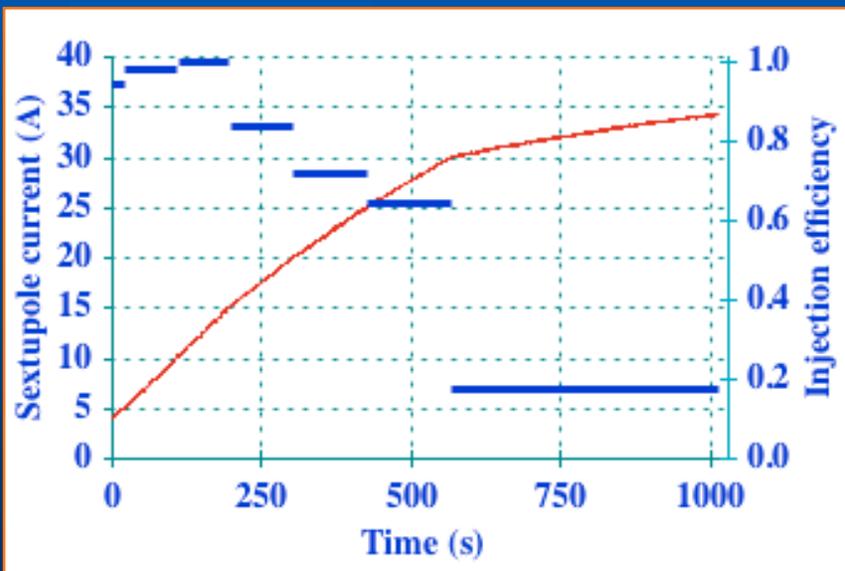
The aperture reduction does not show-up in simulations





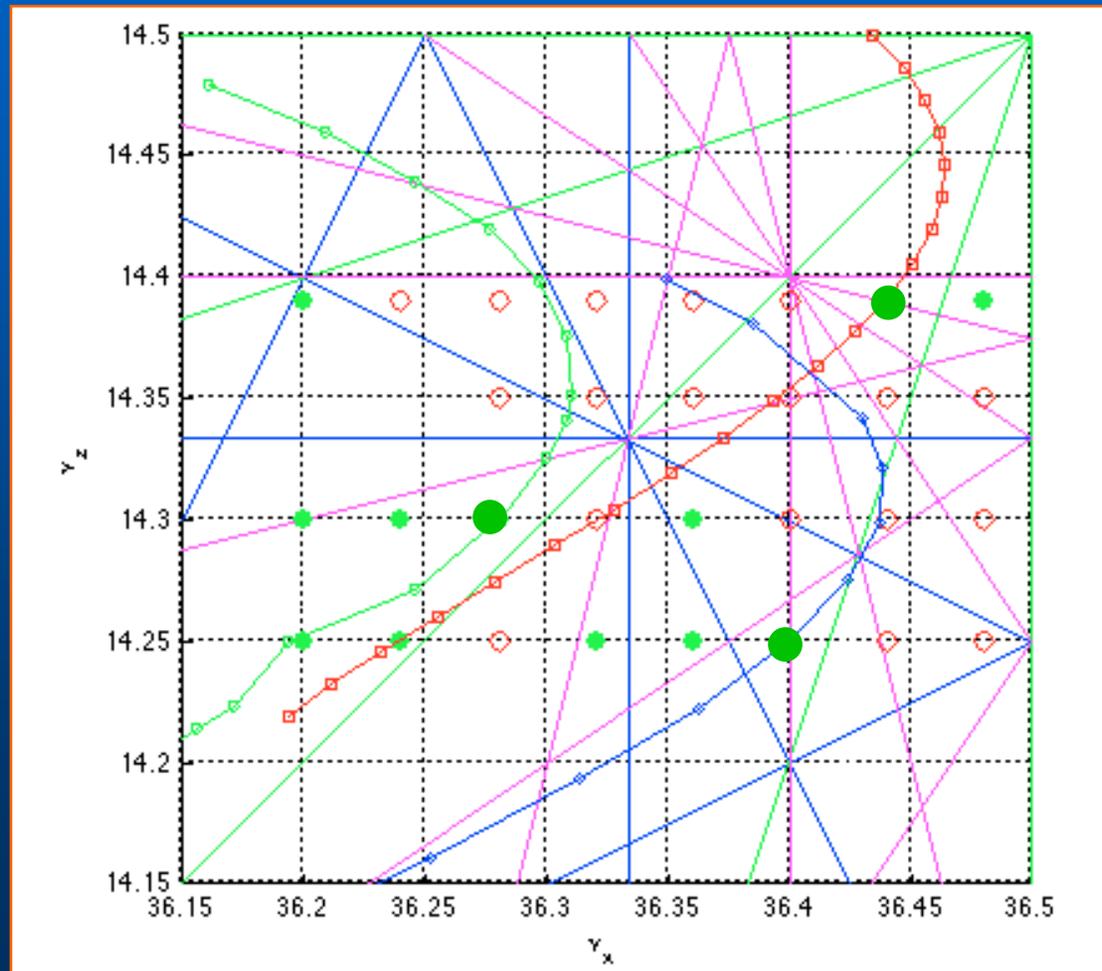
# Impact of a reduced dynamic aperture (2)

Scan of one harmonic sextupole family

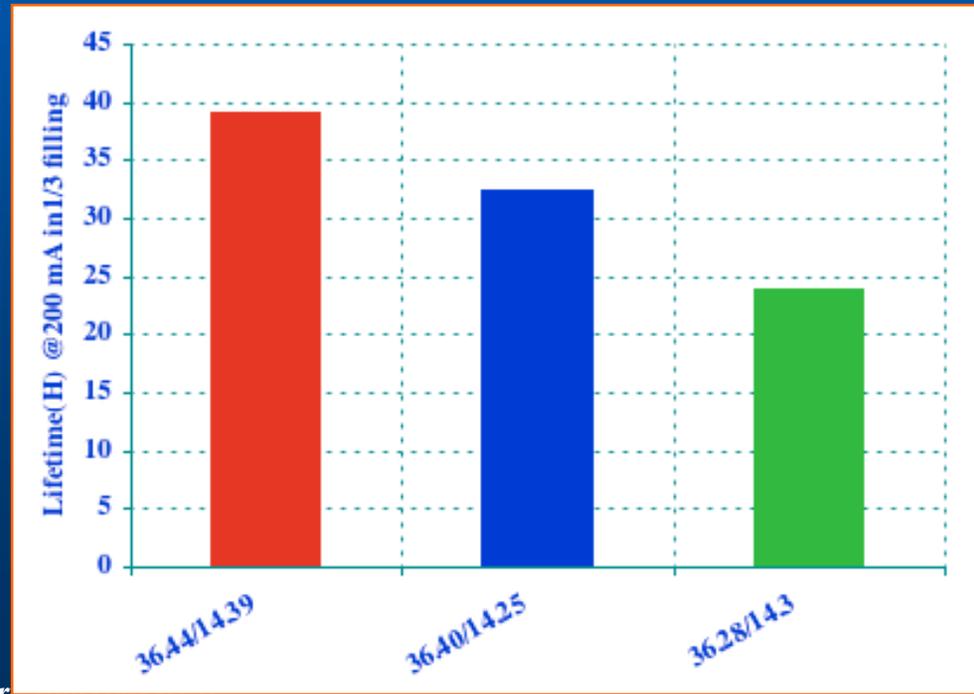
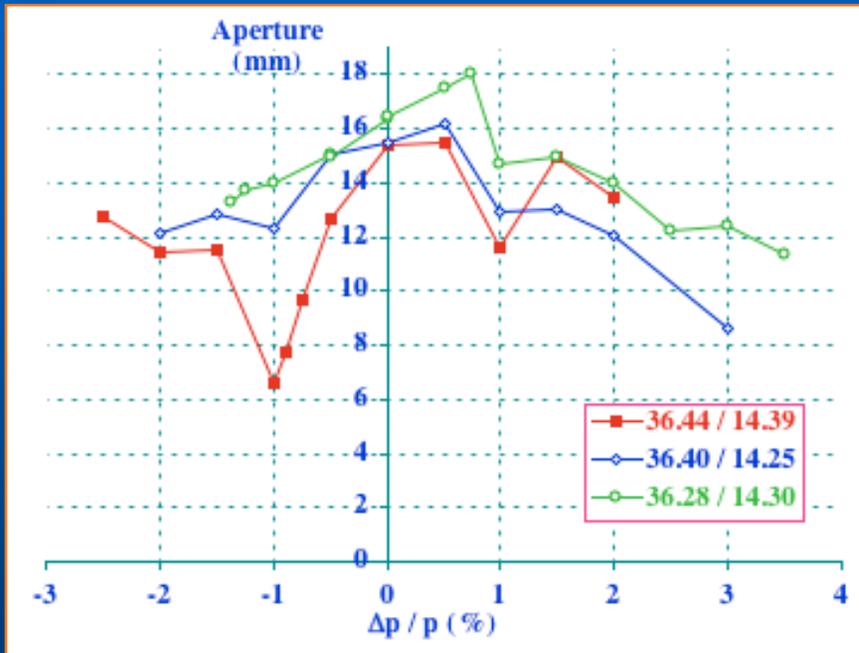


Good correlation between aperture and lifetime reduction

# Tune scan (1)



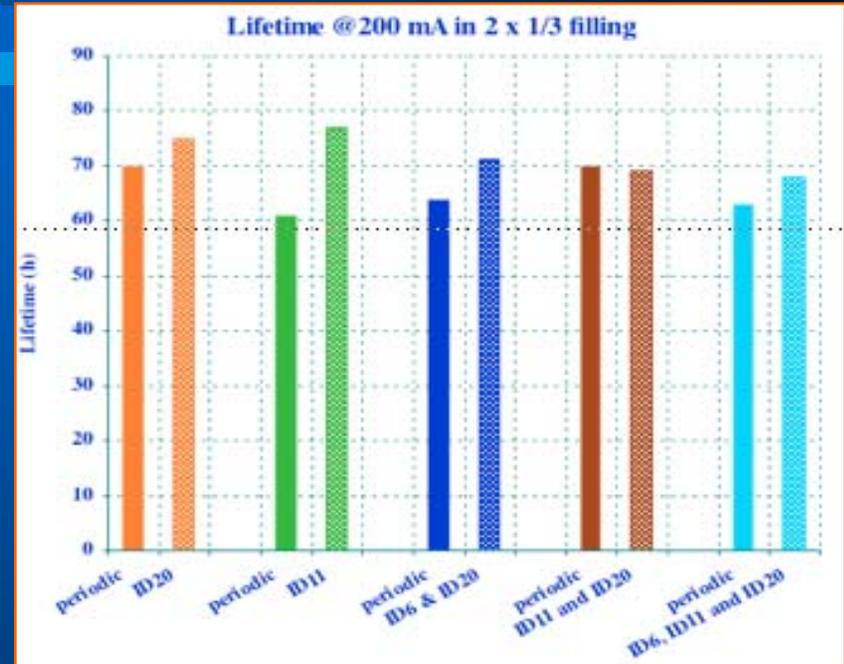
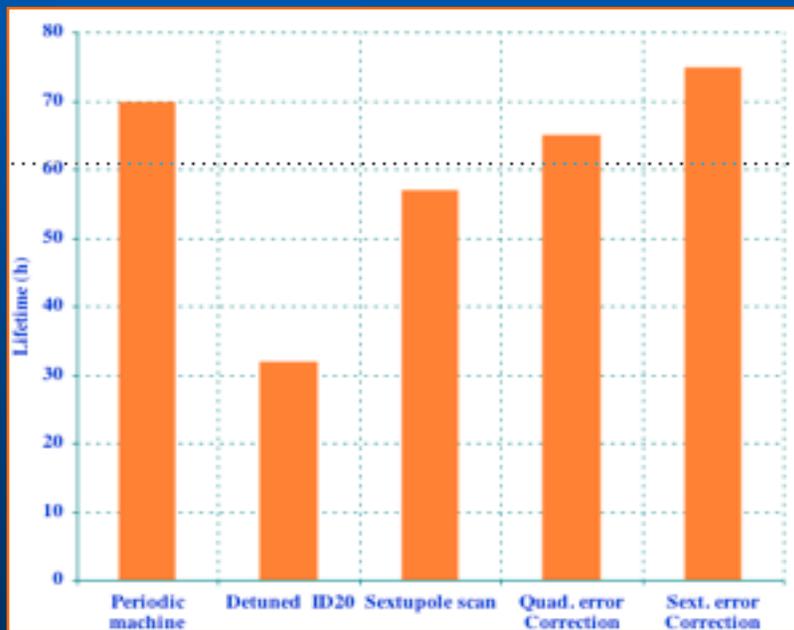
# Tune scan (2)



What is the important parameter for the lifetime ?

# Detuning of straight sections

In the first instance, detuning has a strong impact



No significant effect of the detuning on the lifetime

Confidence for the future upgrade of straight sections



# Conclusions

- It is difficult to identify the key parameter among the various parameters acting on the lifetime
- The correlation between the experimental impact of some parameters and the results from modelling is not obvious
- The severe breaking of the lattice symmetry as induced by the detuning of a straight section has no dramatic effect on the lifetime