

***“He took it all too far,
but boy could he play guitar”***

Post-Linac Collimation in Linear Colliders

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Requirements in Brief

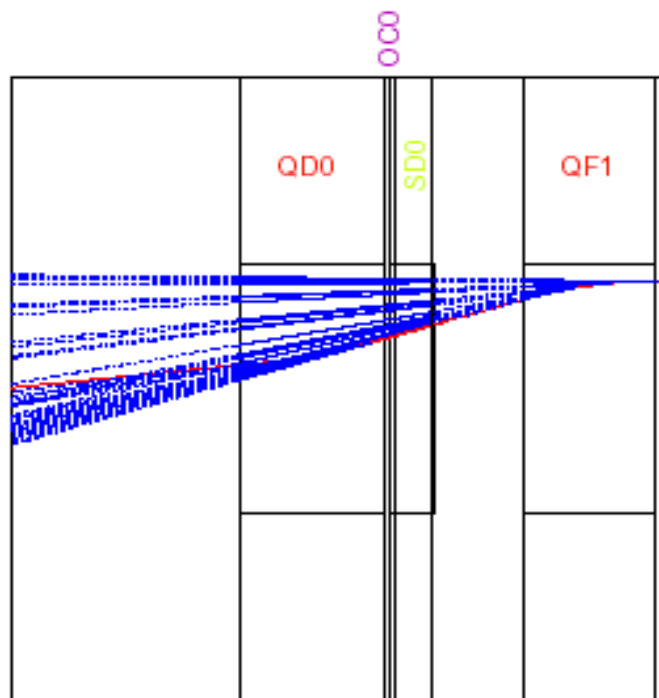
- **Stop primary particles which would make unacceptable detector backgrounds**
- **Stop secondary particles which would make unacceptable detector backgrounds**
- **Protect detector and IR from beam core in event of large excursion**

- **Protect collimation system itself from beam core!**
- **Limit pathological beam dynamics from collimators (*wakefields*)**

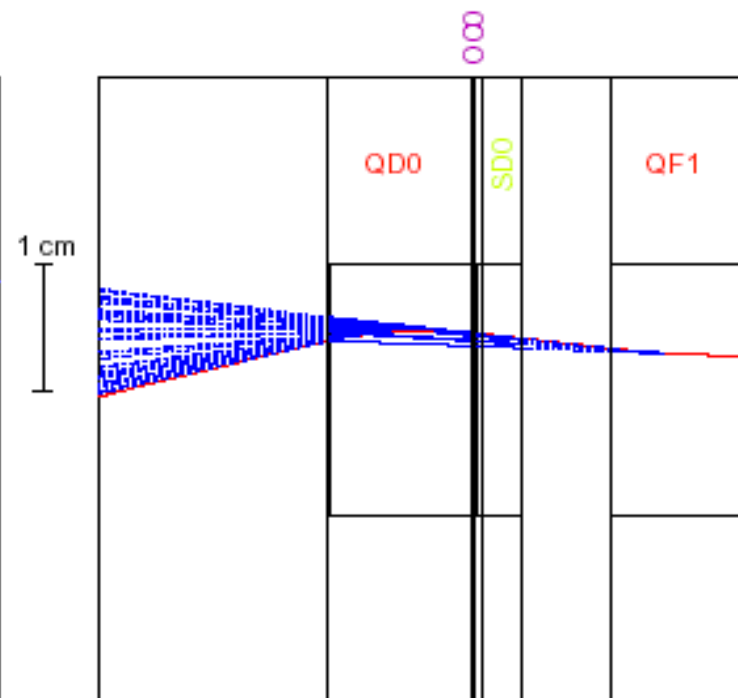


Primary Particles

- **What sets the collimator apertures?**
 - **Primary beam hitting the vacuum chambers? NO!**
 - **SR from last quads hitting vertex detector? YES!**
- **Don't forget SR from bends in final focus...**



NLC IR - Plan View

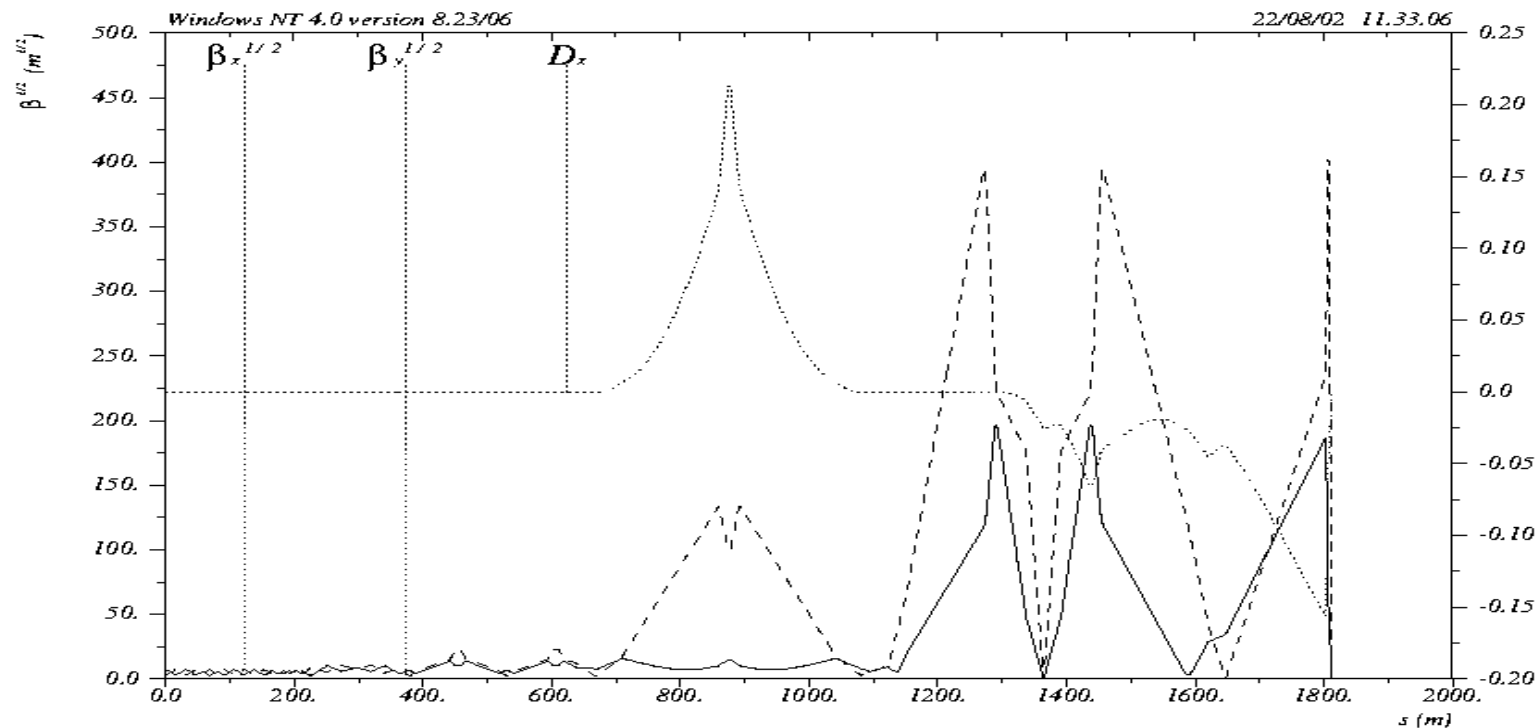


Elevation View



Primary Particles (2)

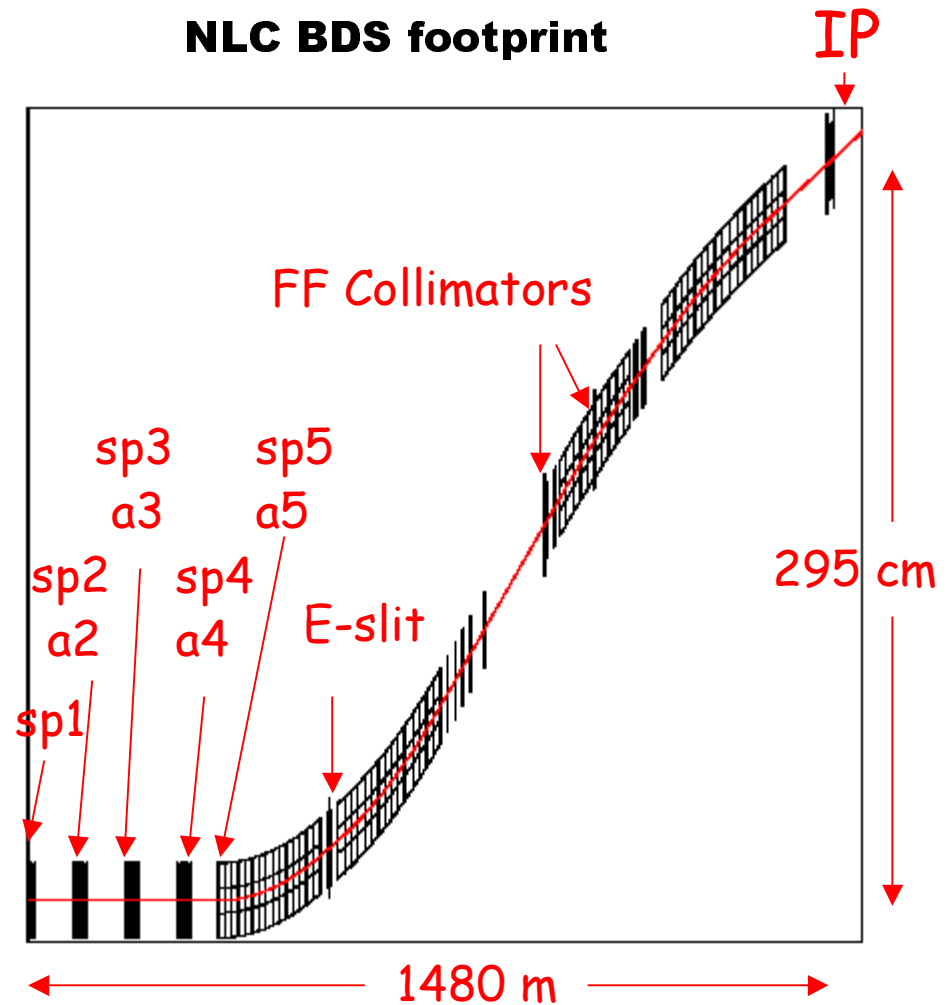
- **What sets the gap of the *energy slit*?**
 - **FF η_x^*** -- off-energy particles take up some of x aperture
 - **FF optics** – particles go out of control for some δ
 - **Cleanup of collimated particles (energy slit downstream of beta slits, like NLC BDS)**





Primary Particles (3)

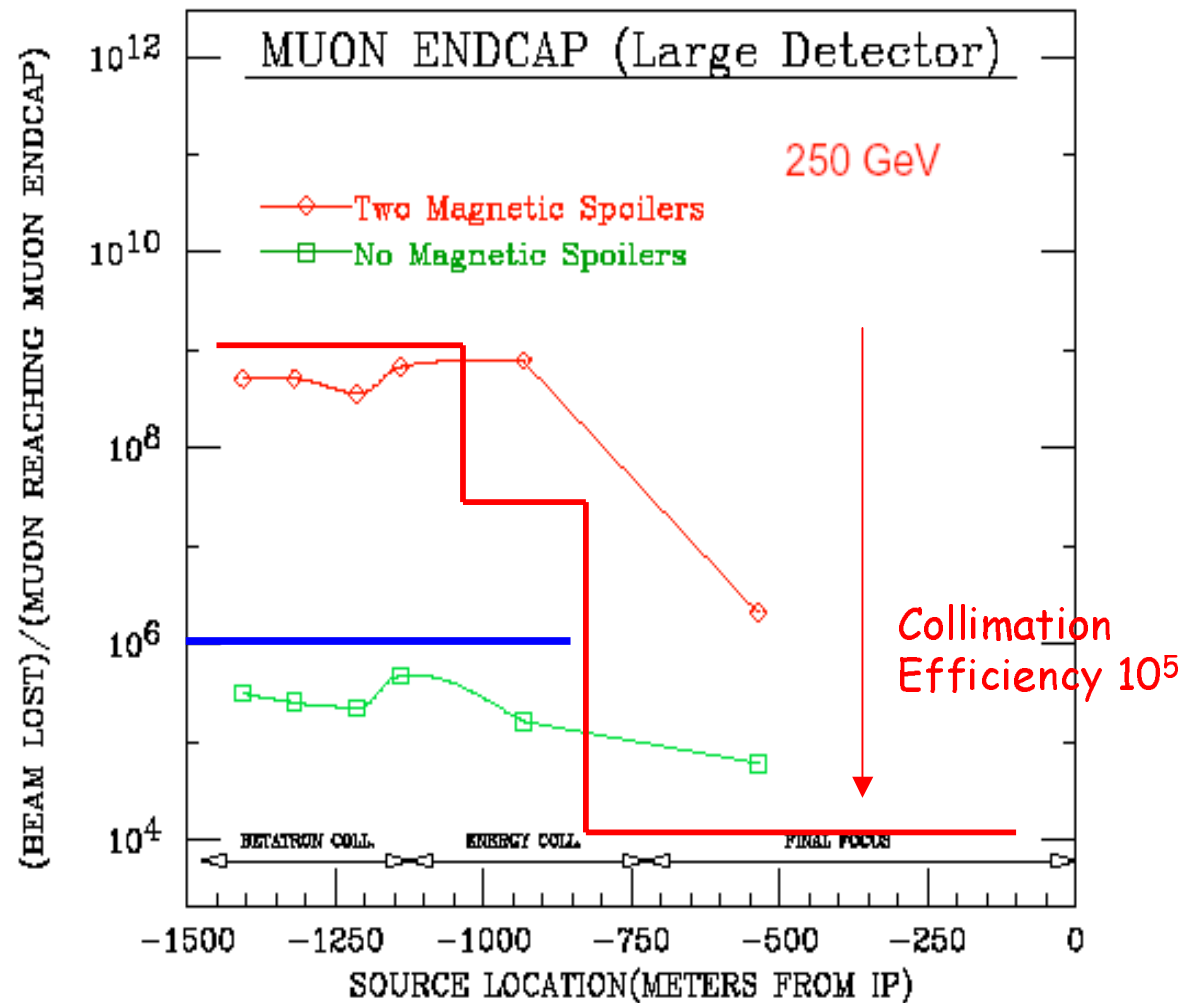
- **LC collimation a “layered defense”**
 - upstream dedicated collimation system
 - More collimators in final focus
 - mainly stop primary beam particles which are *rescattered* in collimation system
- **Why not do all collimation in FF?**





Secondary Particles

- **Biggest issue: muons**
 - Produced when primary particles stopped
 - Go thru anything
 - Muon flux in detector sets
 - allowed halo (#/pulse)
 - attenuation of main collimation system





Primary Particles: SLC Experience

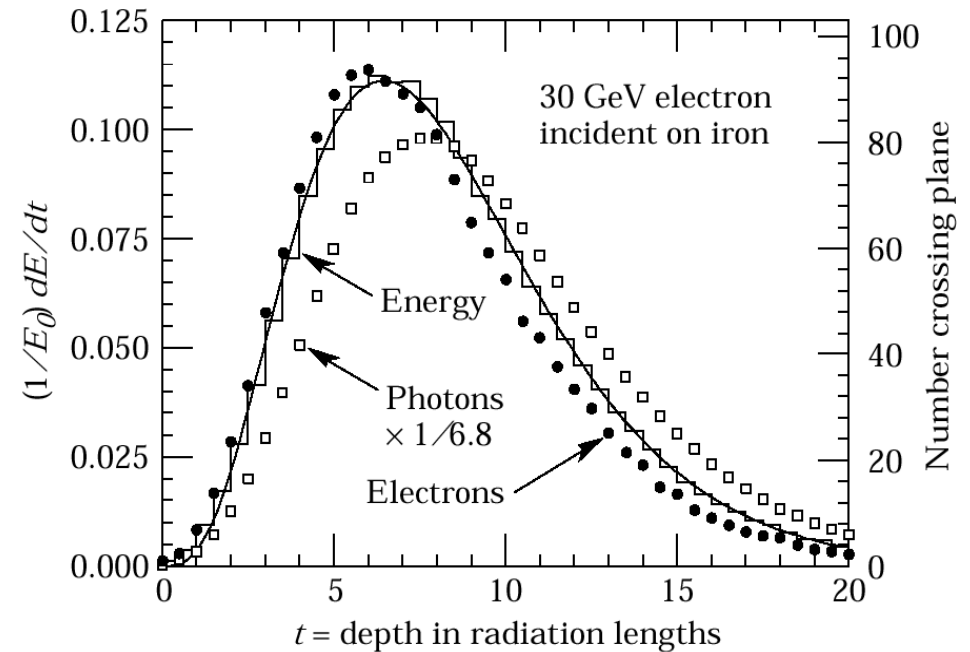
Just How Bad was the SLC Experience with Primary Beam Halo Particles?

- **Pretty bad -- ~10% of the beam in early days!**
 - could see bunch charge drop downstream of main linac collimators
- **Amenable to tuning**
 - improved to 1%, then 0.1%, of primary beam over life of SLC
- **Source *not* understood**
 - Inadequate diagnostics, modeling
- **Future LC collimation systems *attempt* to address shortcomings in SLC**
 - **Caveat emptor!**



Self-Defense

- **Protecting detector easy**
 - **constraint on SR tighter than needed for machine protection**
- **Protecting collimators tougher**
 - **need $\gg 10$ R.L. material to stop ~all power**
 - **Beam power density huge**
 - **direct hit on coll will demolish it!**

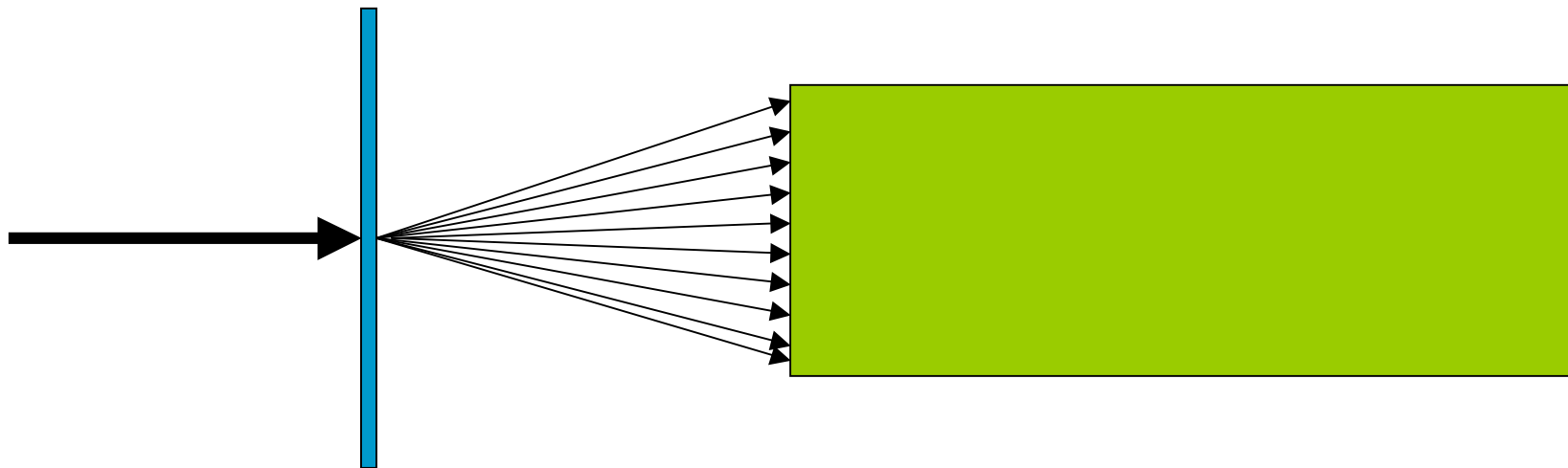


Material	X_0 , cm	0.0 X_0	0.5 X_0 Target	1.0 X_0 Target	20 X_0 Target
Beryllium	37.5		185 μ		300 μ
Carbon	20.1	45 μ	76 μ	105 μ	123 μ
Titanium	3.7	120 μ	180 μ	300 μ	750 μ
Ti alloy	3.7	70 μ	100 μ	170 μ	440 μ
Copper	1.5	275 μ	470 μ	760 μ	2.7 mm
Iron	1.8	210 μ	360 μ	590 μ	2.1 mm
Steel	1.8	140 μ	230 μ	380 μ	1.3 mm



Self-Defense (2)

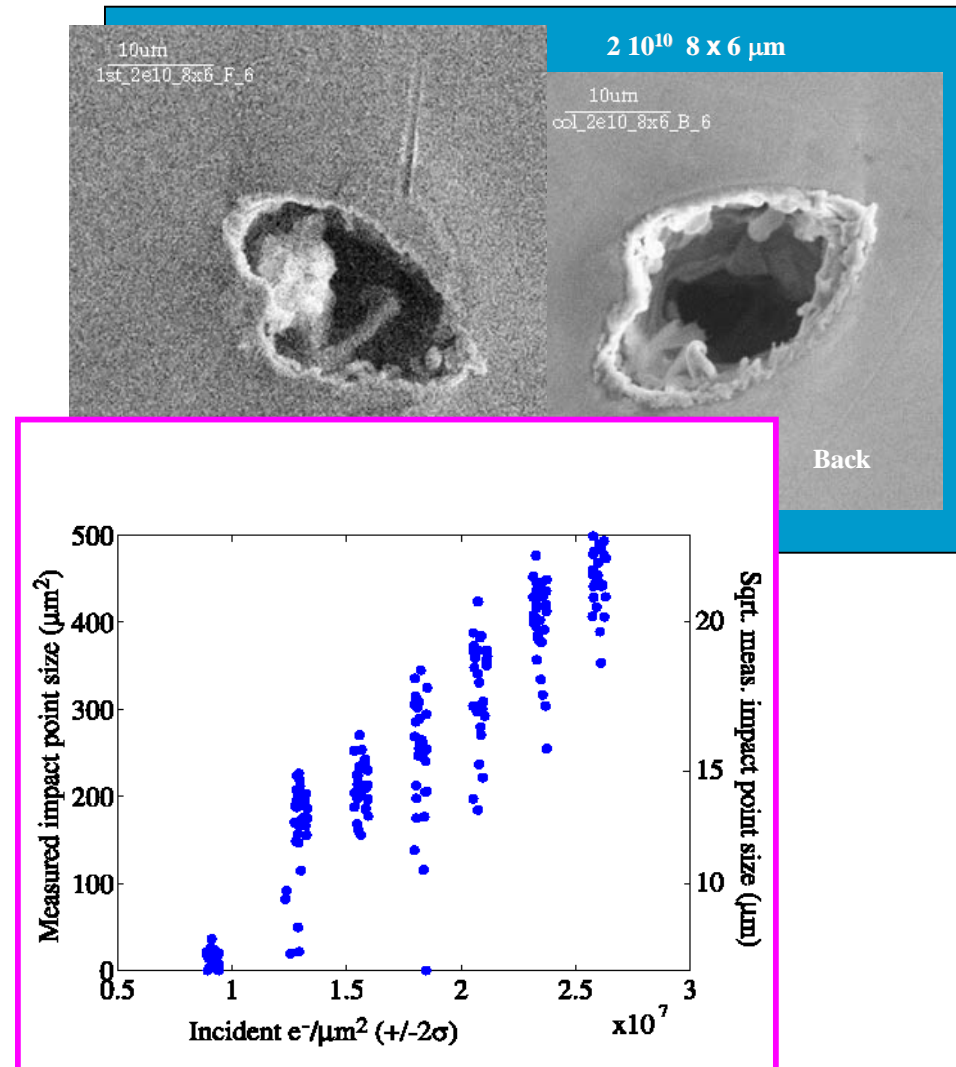
- **Solution: make the beam big at the thick collimator**
 - use a thin collimator (*spoiler*) with multiple coulomb scattering
 - beam blows up downstream at thick collimator (*absorber*)
- **Drawbacks**
 - still need to make spoiler strong enough to survive
 - Reduces collimation efficiency – not every particle hitting spoiler hits the absorber!





Self-Defense (3)

- **How hard do you work to protect spoiler?**
 - **Thin: classical eqns for heating damage don't apply**
 - **situation is not as bad as you think**
 - **betatron oscillations can (maybe) be trapped**
 - **active MPS**
 - **Energy oscillations harder to trap**





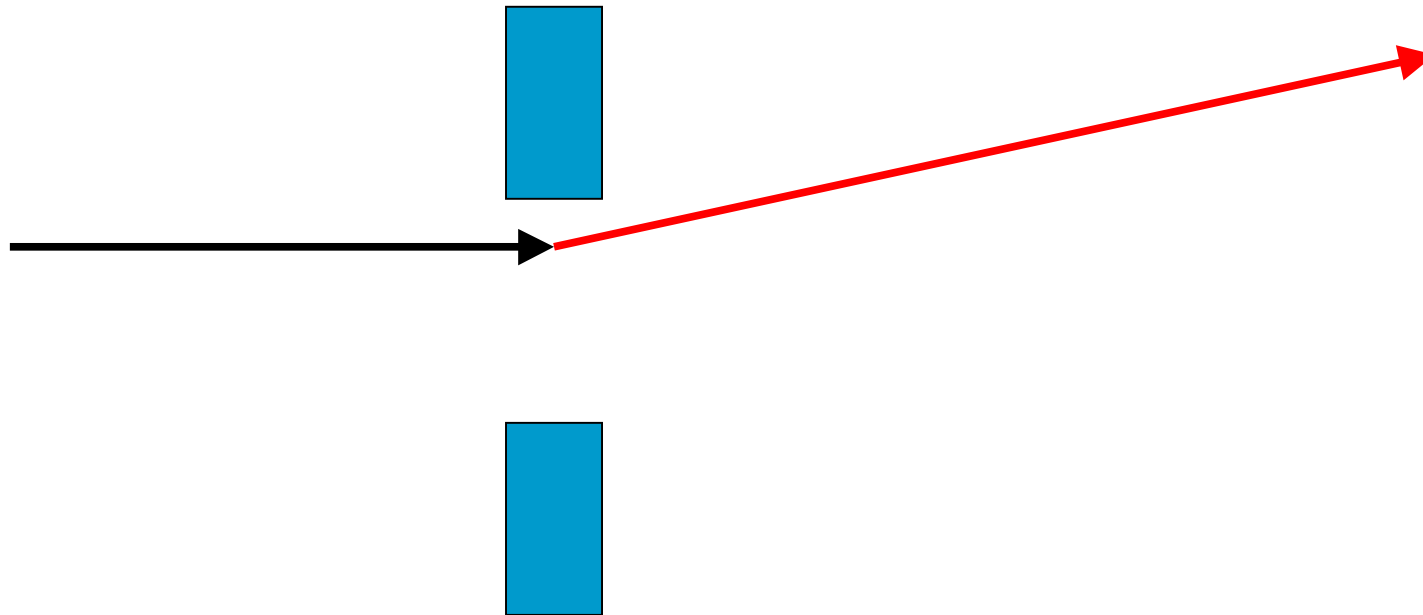
Self-Defense: Summation

- **Blow beam up at energy spoilers**
 - use β_y and η_x for this – spoiler must survive!
- **Blow beam up at betatron spoilers**
 - but not as much – hits will be rare
 - use “consumable spoilers” – can tolerate ~1000 hits/year (rotating wheels!)
- **Use linear optics to ensure halo big at absorbers**
 - so bunch train thru spoilers is big enough at absorbers to be stopped w/o damage
- **Add absorbers in FF to clean up rescatters**



Wakefields

- **Introduce deflection and beam shape change when beam passes off-axis thru collimator**
 - **geometric wake: due to change in vacuum chamber x-section**
 - **Resistive: due to material with finite conductivity near beam**





Wakefields (2)

- **Near center of coll gap: linear effect**
 - $\Delta y' \propto y$ in gap
 - jitter amplification: n sigmas jitter $\rightarrow n(1+A^2)^{1/2}$ sigmas
 - Coll at doublet phase \rightarrow angle at doublet phase \rightarrow offset at IP phase (critical)
 - Also: energy colls couple energy jitter to x jitter of beam
 - $A_\delta \equiv \# \text{ sigmas } x \text{ jitter} / \% \text{ energy jitter}$
- **Near-wall wakes: nonlinear (but saturating kick)**
 - mainly machine protection issue – is nonlinear kick big enough to hit the wall?



Wakefields (3)

Summary of Wakefield Jitter Amplification Coeffs for LC Designs

Parameter	TESLA			NLC			CLIC		
	\mathcal{A}_x	\mathcal{A}_y	\mathcal{A}_δ	\mathcal{A}_x	\mathcal{A}_y	\mathcal{A}_δ	\mathcal{A}_x	\mathcal{A}_y	\mathcal{A}_δ
δ Spoilers	0.0450	0.0890	0.3458	0.0010	0.0450	0.0530	0.0345	0.0	0.0
δ Absorbers	0.0063	0.0335	0.0582	0.0055	0.0163	0.0199	0.0477	0.	0.
β Spoilers	0.0845	1.3630	0	0.0819	0.7232	0	0.1721	0.9844	0
β Absorbers	0.0329	0.5145	0	0.0033	0.0140	0	0.0307	0.0388	0
FF Spoilers	0.0553	0.7248	0.0023	0	0	0	0	0	0
FF Absorbers	0.0255	0.3069	0.0372	0.0627	0.5392	0.0020	0	0	0
Total	0.2496	3.0318	0.4435	0.1543	1.3378	0.0748	0.2846	1.0231	0.

(the whole story is documented in LCC-Note-0101, on the NLC web site...)



Wakefields (4) – Emittance Growth

- **Emittance growth eqn for near-center:**
 - $\Delta\varepsilon/\varepsilon \sim (0.4nA)^2$, where $n = \#$ sigmas jitter
 - for reasonable values of $n (<1)$, should be no problem...