

# Acceleration near 3<sup>rd</sup> order res. WP

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## ■ Goal:

- ─ Accelerate full intensity beams ( $>1.0 \times 10^9$  bunch intensity,  $111 \times 111$ ) to store energy with vertical betatron tune at  $\sim 0.005$  distance from  $1/3$
- ─ reproducibility of the ramp

## ■ Team:

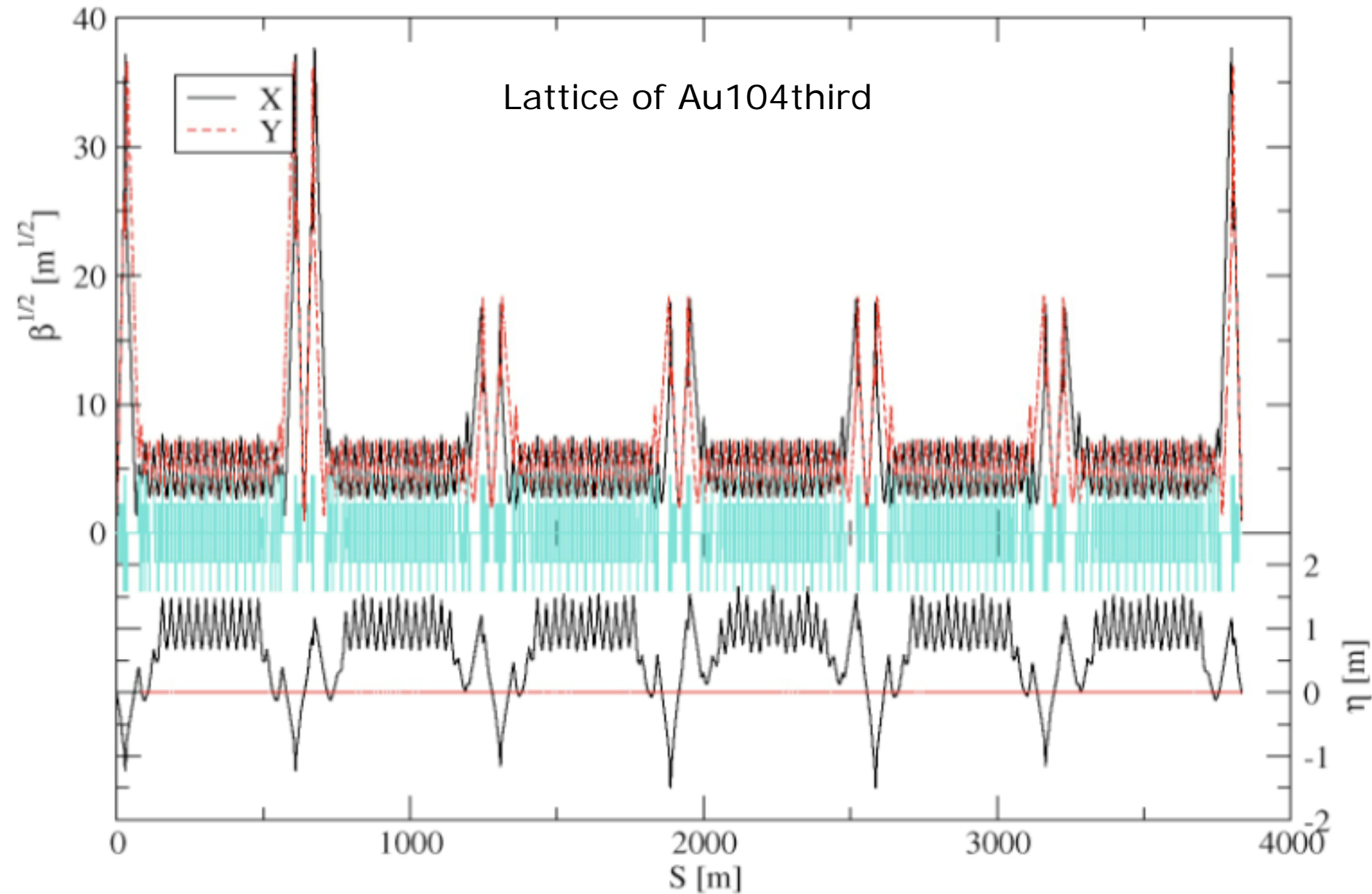
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# Relativistic Heavy Ion Collider

$v_x = 31.31$   $v_y = 32.32$   $\beta^* = (0.962161, 0.998515)$

Lattice of Au104third

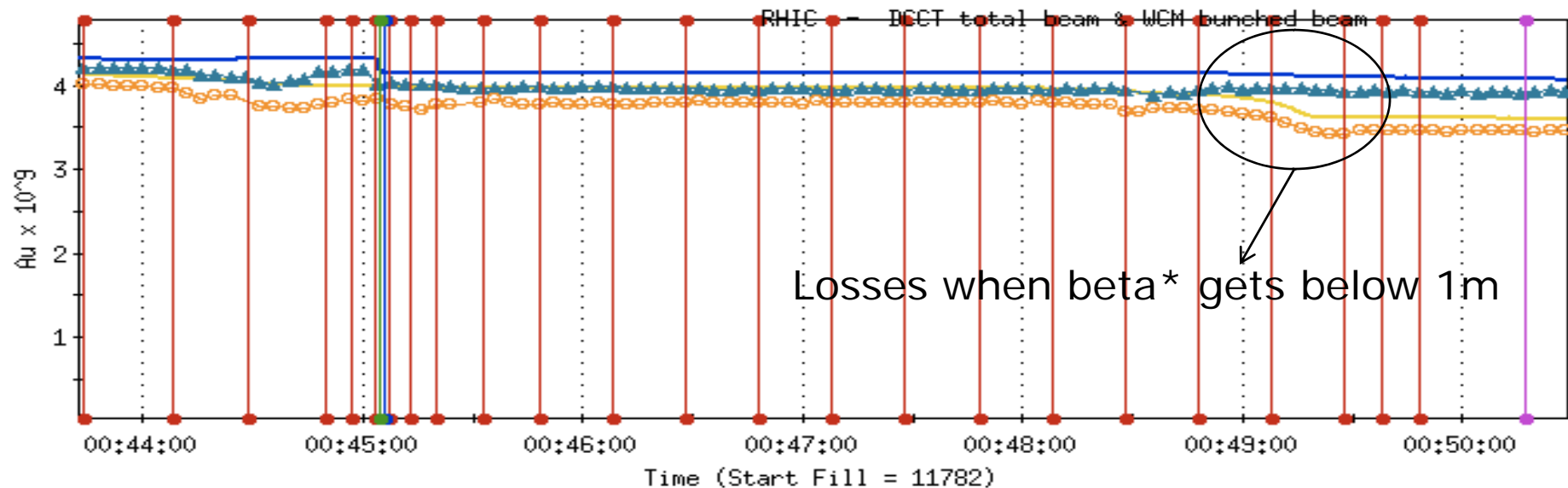
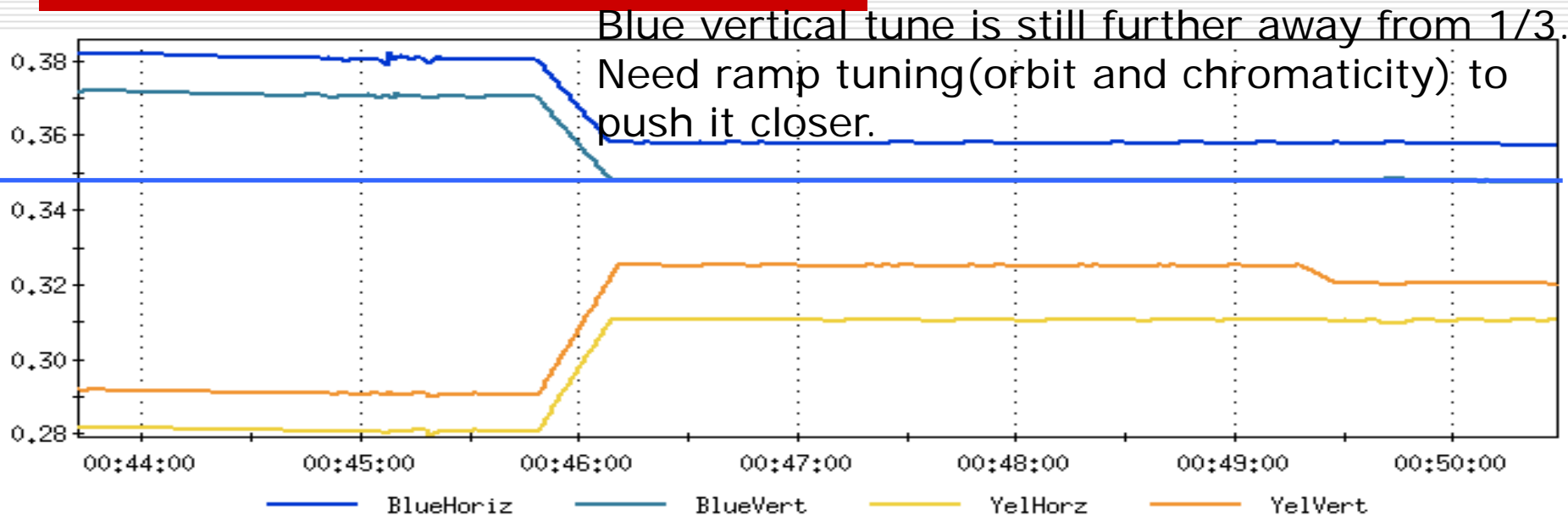


# Status of Au104third development

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- Au104third: clone production ramp of Au104 except the workpoint to minimize ps tuning
    - Similar beta\*
    - Beta squeeze to 0.7m continuously during acceleration
  - Both low intensity Blue and Yellow beams made to store energy with
    - Blue working pt: 0.358, 0.348
    - Yellow working pt: 0.31, 0.325
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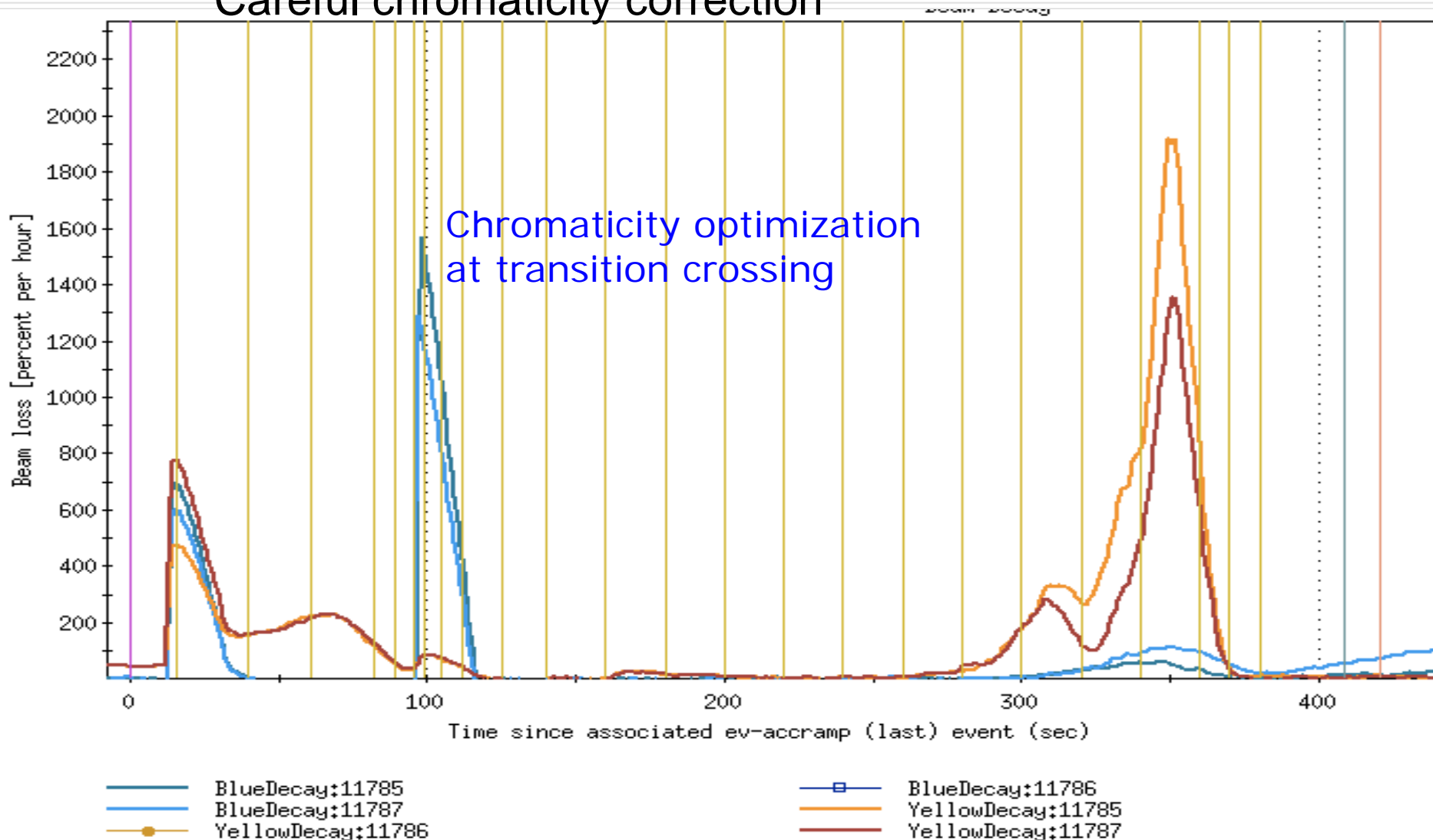
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# Remaining Issues

In Yellow: Slow losses close to the end of the ramp

Careful chromaticity correction



# Plans

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- Coming session on 3/3:
    - Ramp tuning to reduce the Yellow later loss and push Blue Qy closer to 1/3
    - Find out how much beam intensity we can put in
  - Backup solution: relax beta squeeze during the energy ramp. And beta squeeze to final beta\* at store energy with Qy further away from 1/3.
    - Need Don to check the ramp w.o. beam. Re-tuning is very likely needed
  - Estimate of time to complete the study:
    - 12-24 hours of beam time
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# Issues of reaching goal

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- In Yellow: Slow losses close to the end of the ramp
    - Careful chromaticity correction
    - Backup solution: relax beta squeeze during the energy ramp. And beta squeeze to final  $\beta^*$  at store energy with  $Q_y$  further away from  $1/3$ .
      - Need Don to check the ramp w.o. beam. Re-tuning is very likely needed.
  - In Blue: tune up ramp(orbit and chromaticity) to push  $Q_y$  closer to  $1/3$
  - Estimate: 12-24 hours beam time
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