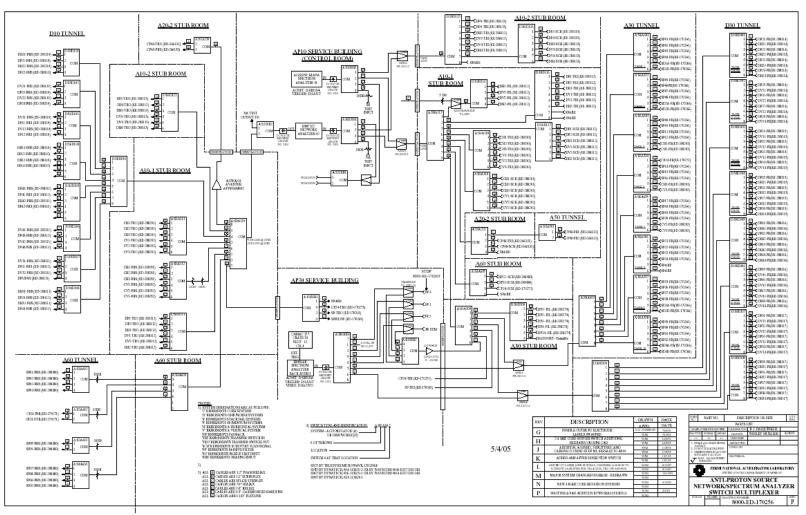
Some recent news in antiproton source diagnostics

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There are many diagnostics that I will *not* cover



e.g. RJP's gift to diagnostic multiplexers ("switch tree")

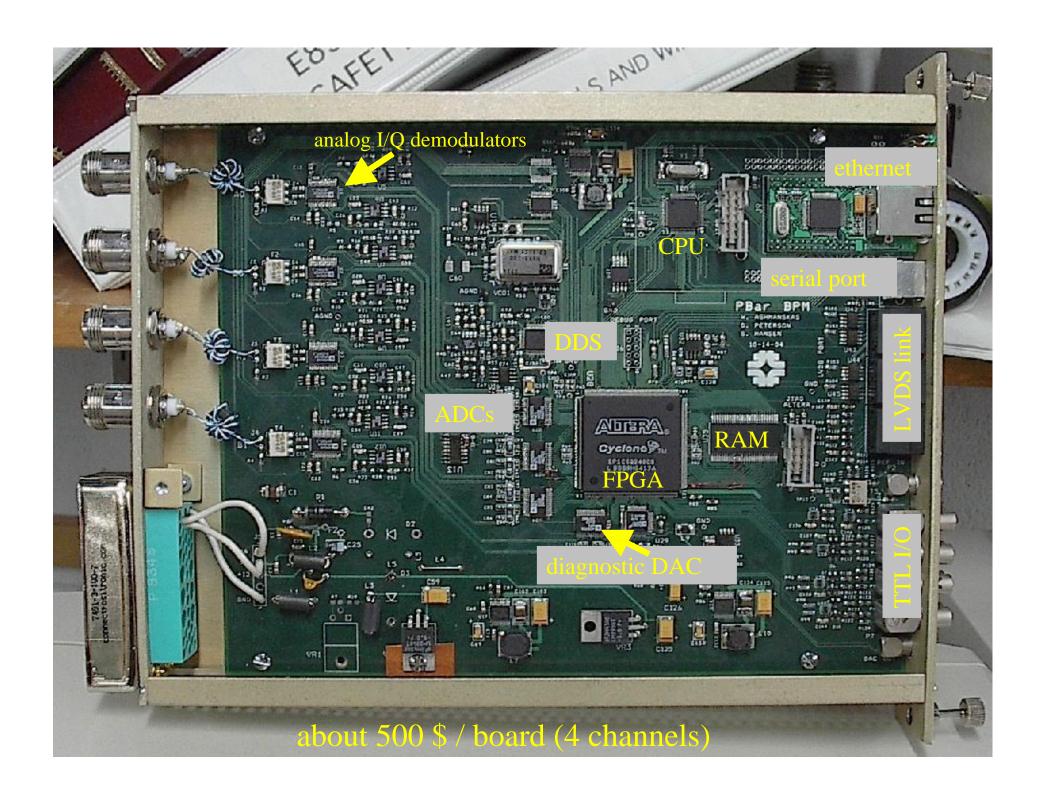
- Recently, we have focused on increasing the information available while stacking
 - Try to monitor intensities at many stages
 - Ideally, you would know flux and phase space distribution at Booster, MI, AP1, AP2, at 2 or 3 points in Debuncher cycle, and at Accumulator injection & deposition orbits
 - Should be data-logged, so that you can ask, e.g.
 - How has D-to-A efficiency evolved since last year?
 - Is aperture work increasing Debuncher intensity?
 - Why (quantitatively) does slip stacking reduce A:PRDCTN?
 - Also try to monitor orbits while stacking
 - Facilitate aperture work
 - See if anything drifts

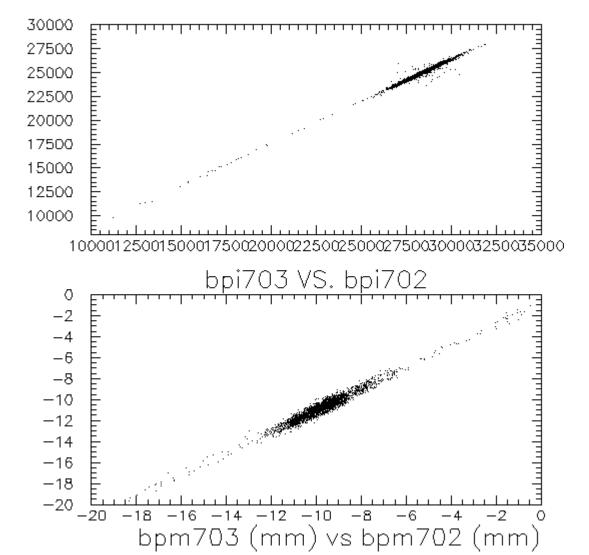
Some recent steps in that direction

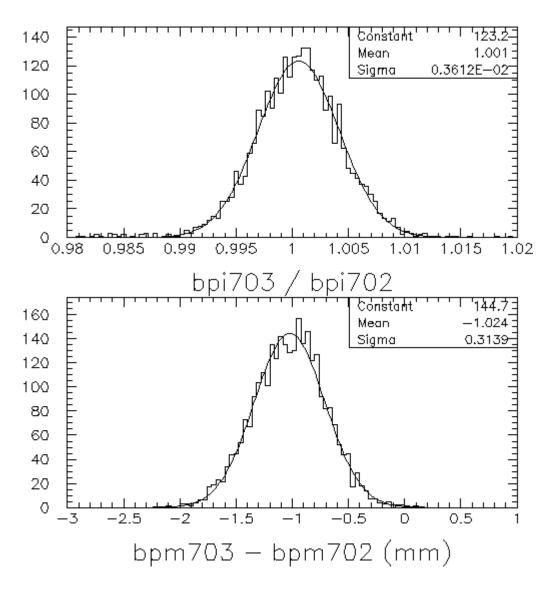
- AP2 line BPMs record secondary signals
 - but primary purpose is reverse proton studies
- Using Debuncher RF, can see ~ 10⁸ antiprotons on Debuncher and/or D-to-A BPMs
 - work in progress to improve $S/N \Rightarrow$ resolution
 - − 3 of 7 D-to-A BPMs will be more useful once rotated 90°
- Can see turn-by-turn oscillations on injection into Accumulator, so that you can ...
 - adjust pulsed devices for orbit closure
 - check Debuncher barrier bucket timing
 - check centering in D-to-A quadrupoles
- Renewed interest in Debuncher DCCT and "gap monitor" for tracking antiproton current
- Toroids in AP2 and D-to-A lines coming soon
- We're data-logging more of our existing diagnostics

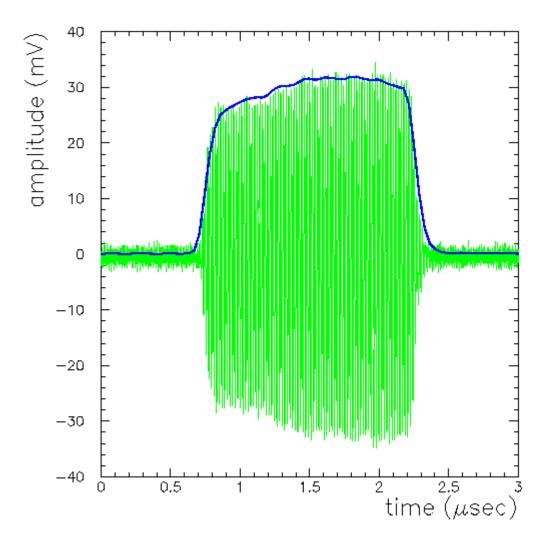
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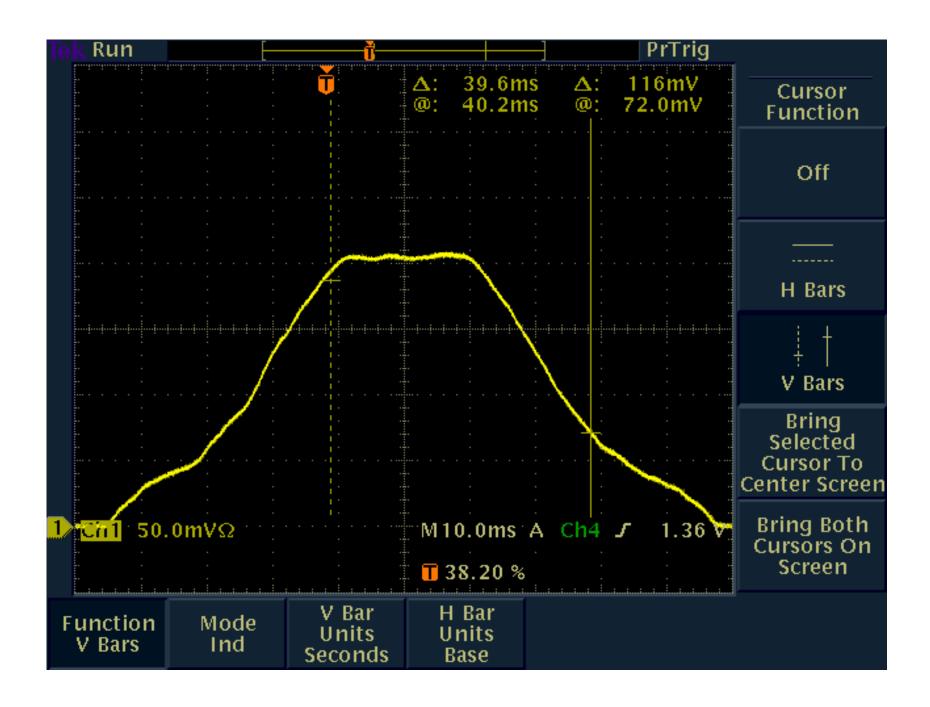


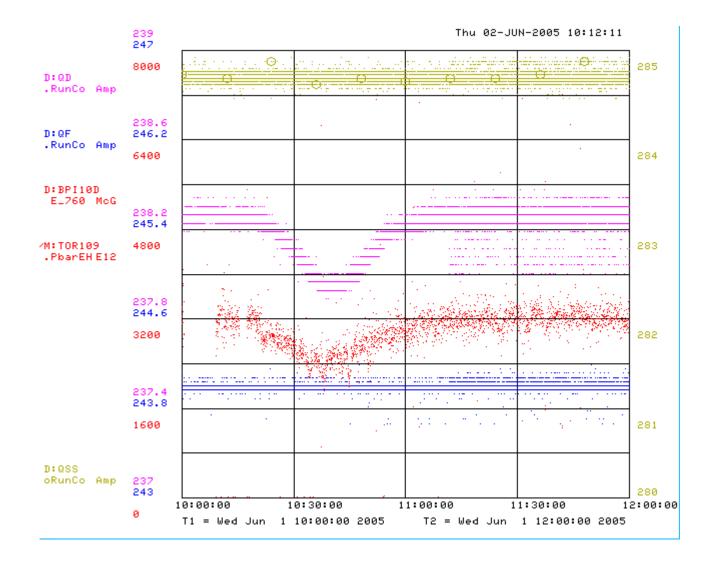




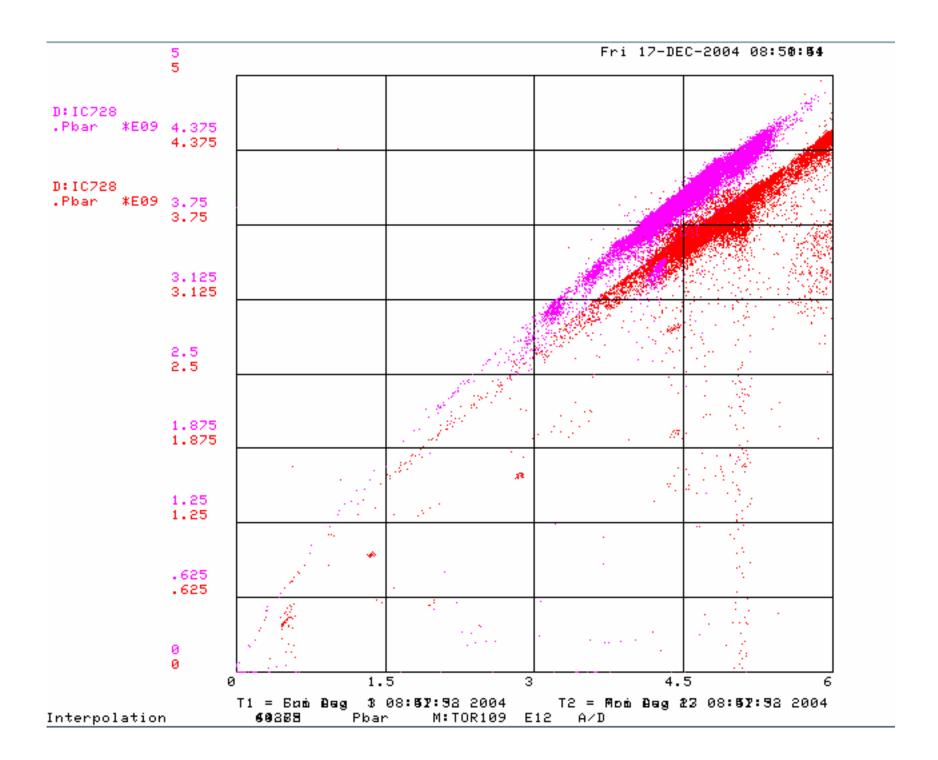












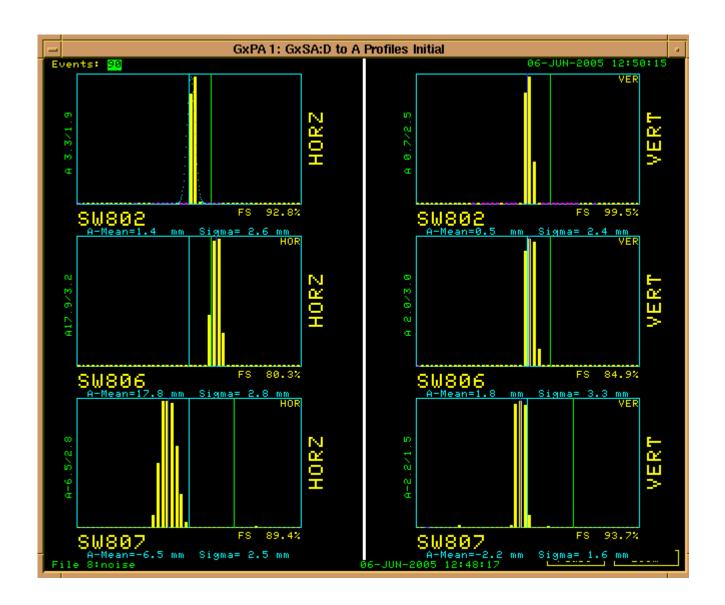
Likely targets for future action

- Check that we understand bunch length and spot size on antiproton production target
- Record intensity during Accumulator stacking RF manipulations ⇒ D-to-A efficiency
- Reduce frequency spectrum in Debuncher after bunch rotation to a few numbers and log them (D:FFTEFF)
- Be able to trust beam widths reported by SEM grids
- Because they are the focus of aperture work, monitor orbits in AP2, **Debuncher**, D-to-A while stacking
- Periodically characterize Debuncher cooling?
- Understand in detail first few turns in Debuncher??
- Calibrated flux measurement down/up AP2???

• Any suggestions?

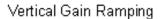
Want to help?

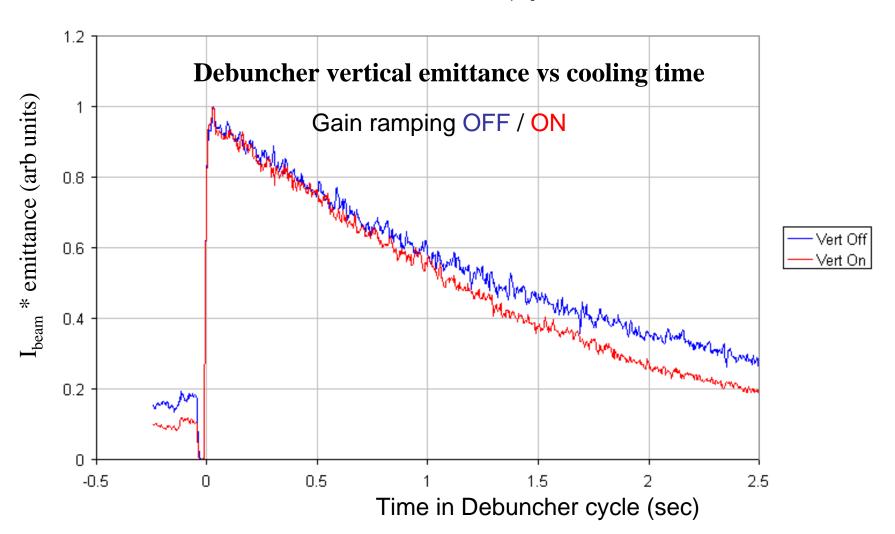
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betaX=40m at 807; betaY=30m at 806

Would like to make this measurement (H, V, and dP) more routine





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