Summary of the Hall D run & accelerator performance during Spring 2020

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Fall 2019/Spring 2020 run plan: https://halldweb.jlab.org/wiki/index.php/Run_Coordination_Meetings:Fall2019_Run

Spring 2020 run coordinator summaries: https://halldweb.jlab.org/hdops/wiki/index.php/Summary_Spring_2020_Run

Run period summaries: https://halldweb.jlab.org/hdops/wiki/index.php/Hall_D_Runs



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Physics Division Liaisons: Benedikt Zihlmann/Lubomir Penchev.

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Run coordination, subsystem status, data quality monitoring, offline analysis are discussed at daily RC meetings (8:45am, counting house).

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Spring 2020 run configuration

- •Energy: 11.4 GeV
 - •4-hall ops, 1-pass for Hall A, 1-5 pass for Hall B, 1-5 pass for Hall C. D: 5.5-pass. High beam currents for A & C.
- •Hall D configuration:
 - Both DIRC boxes
 - •Solenoid at 1350A.
 - •Rep. rate 250 MHz.
 - •Slit shared with C (as in Fall 18&19 and Spring 19. It was with B in Fall 17 and A in Spring 18)
 - •Beam current 1 nA-2.1 μA.
 - •Production Radiator: 47 μm J70-105 diamond; (47 μm J70-106 was aligned but not used for production due to early run termination. Used for trigger accidental rate scans done by R. Jones.)
 - •5mm collimator hole;
 - •LH₂ target.
 - •TPol with 75 µm TPol convertor.



Spring 2020 runplan

Production

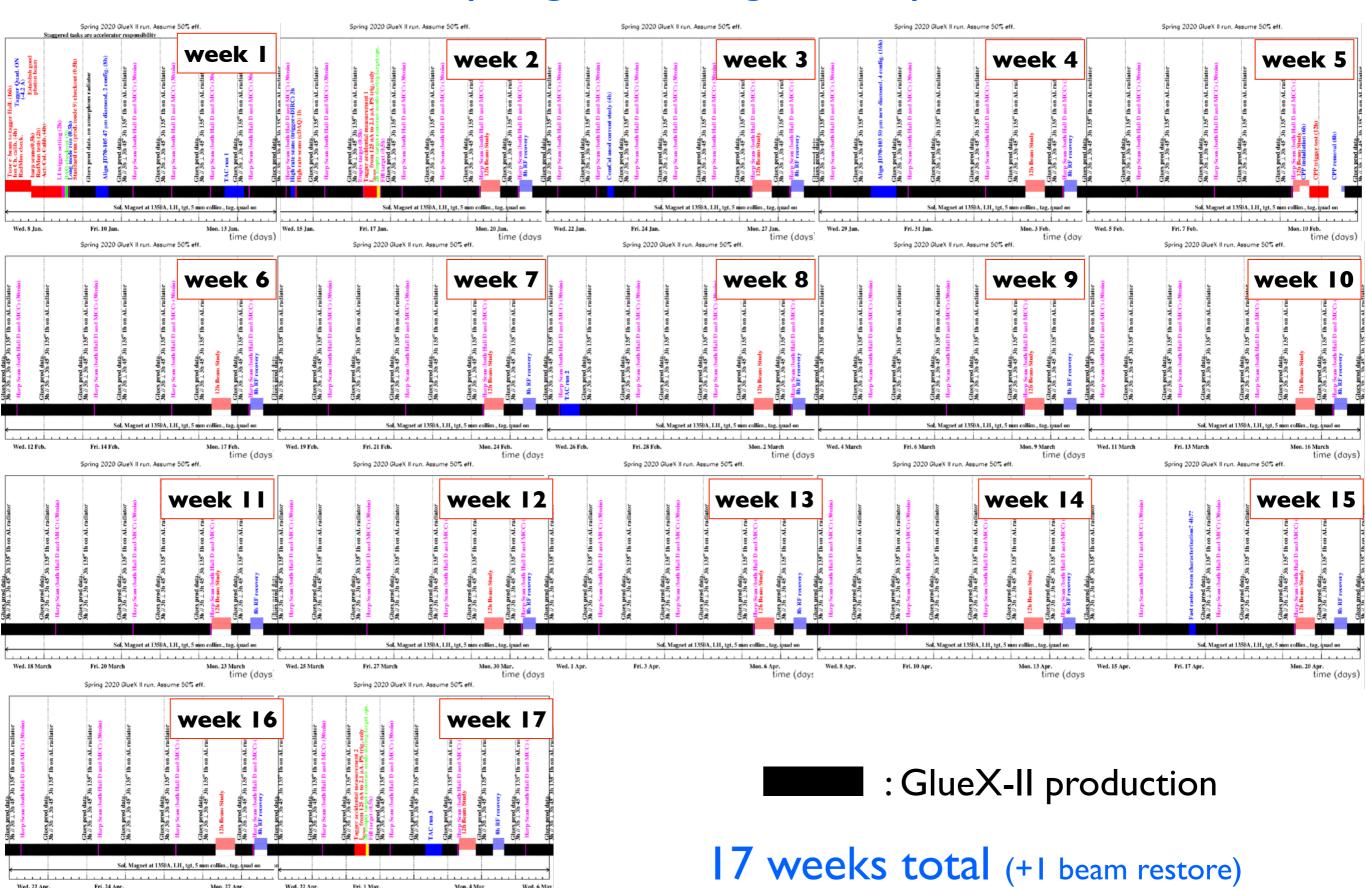
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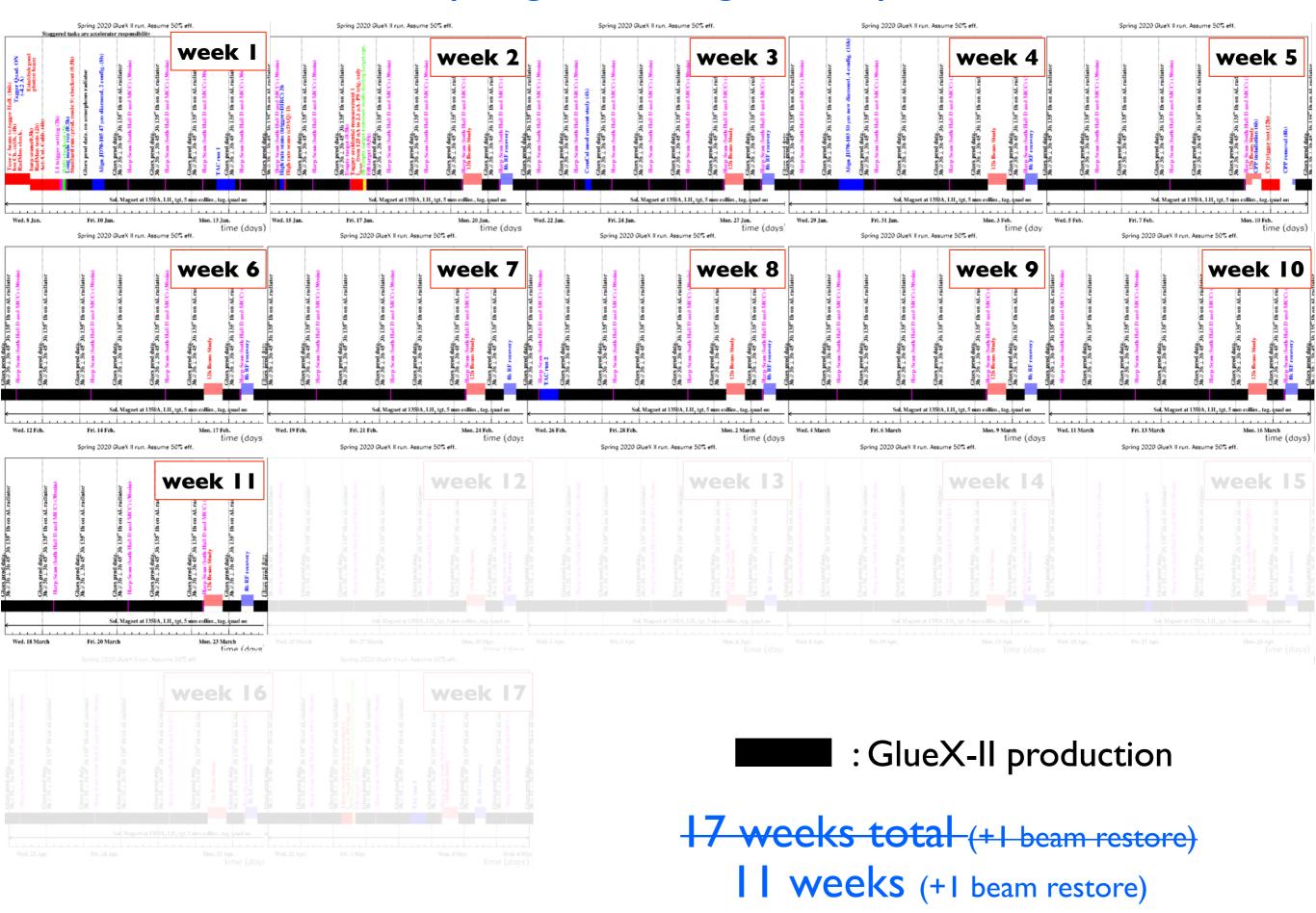
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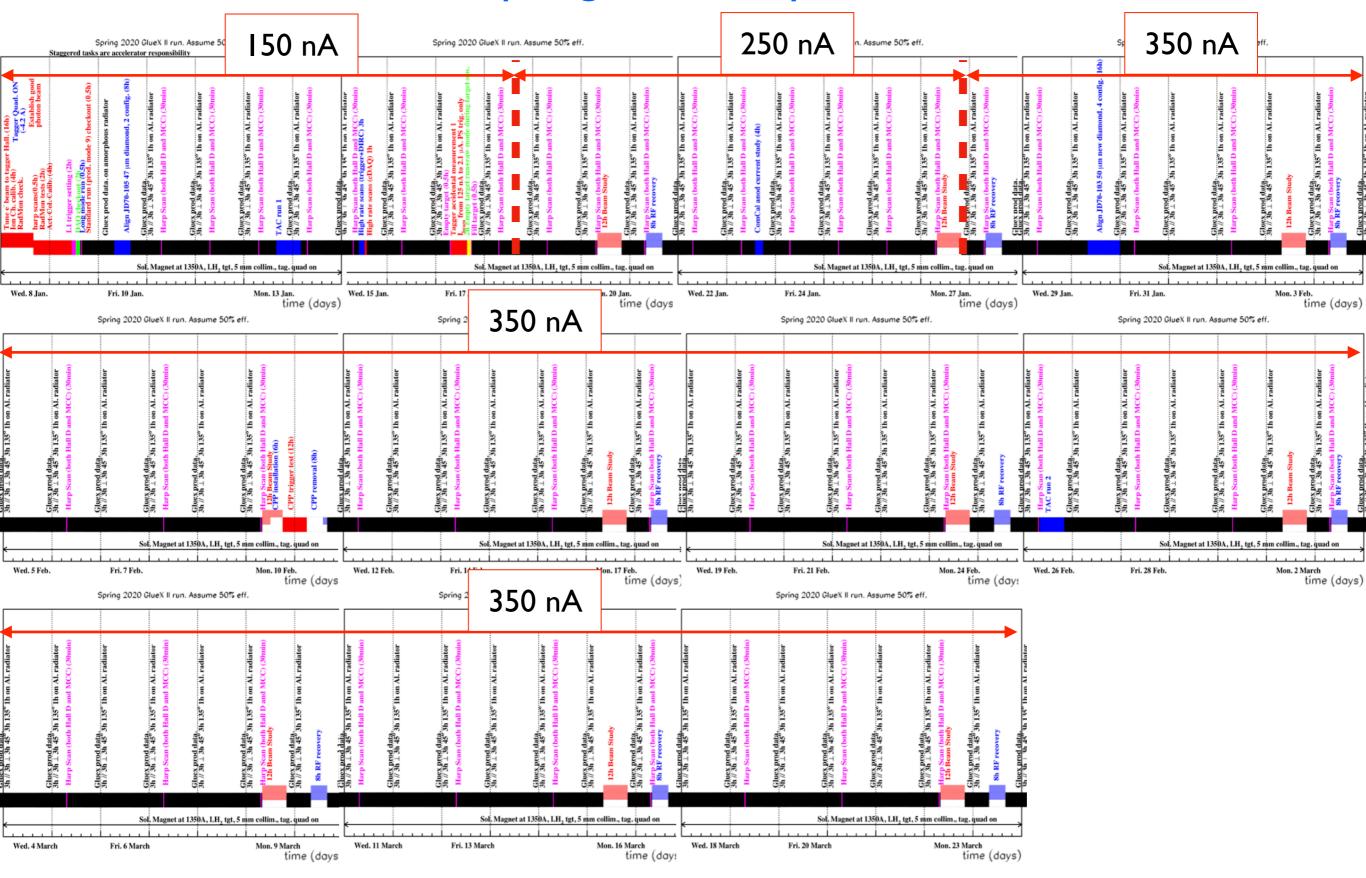
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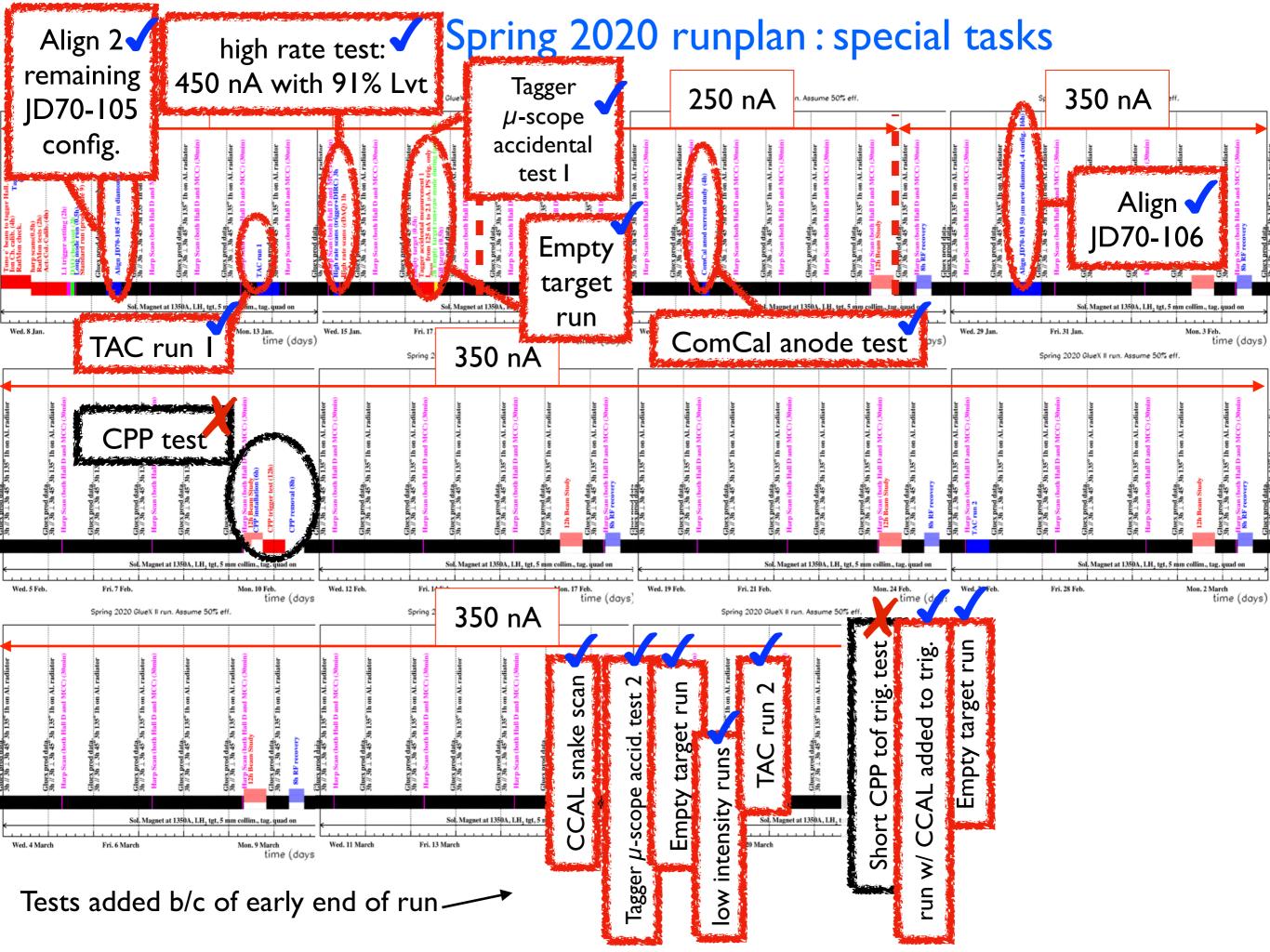
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Production Spring 2020 run

Scheduled run time: 2880h (120 days): Jan 10th-May 6th

Acceptable beam used: 968h

⇒ Running efficiency for Spring 2020 period: 33.6% (delivery eff.: 37.5%)

We gathered 208B triggers, split in:

- 22% at 0° diamond orientation;
- 22% at 45° diamond orientation;
- 22% at 90° diamond orientation;
- 22% at 135° diamond orientation;
- 12% on Al. radiator.



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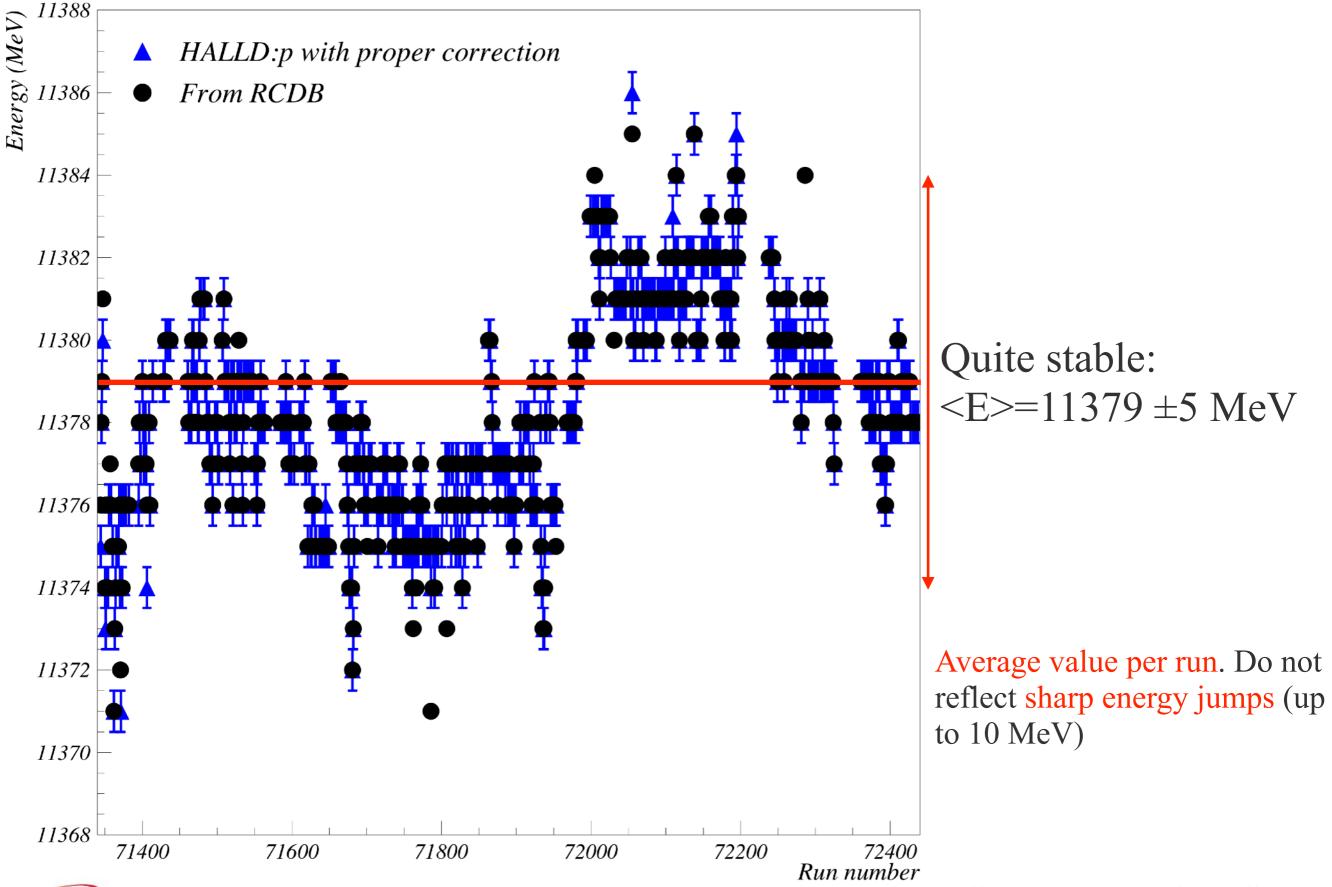
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Some recurrent problems:

- ~10 nA bleedthrough
 - Spray particles during radiator ops \Rightarrow damaged electronics?
 - No TAC run unless one of the other halls is down. Even though, tried on March 16 (Hall A down) but had to abort TAC run. Blamed on too high Bleedthrough.
 - Cumbersome new procedure (dumplette insertion) for radiator ops
 - Bleedthrough beam characteristics different from main beam?
- Frequent few-hour longs drops (up to 25%) in photon beam transmission
 - Many tests done to discover its origin, but it is not clear yet (more on this latter).



Hall D beam Energy (Fall 2019/Spring 2020)

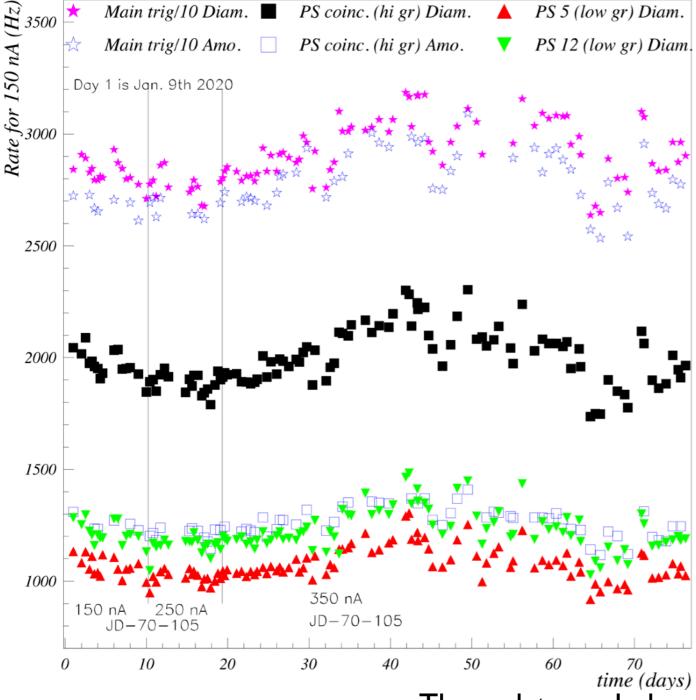


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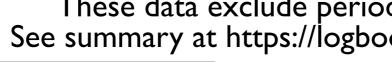
For details on peculiar energy events during this period, see https://logbooks.jlab.org/entry/3809061

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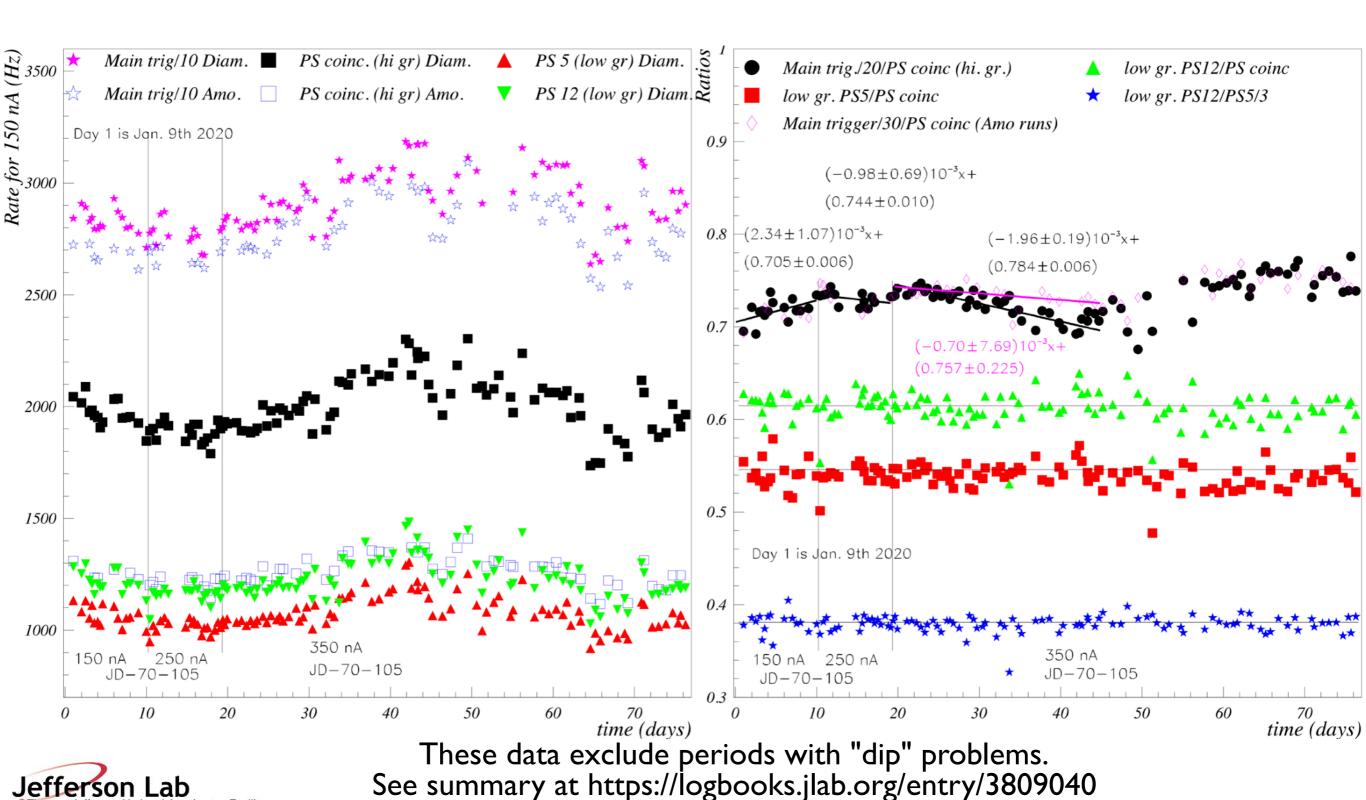


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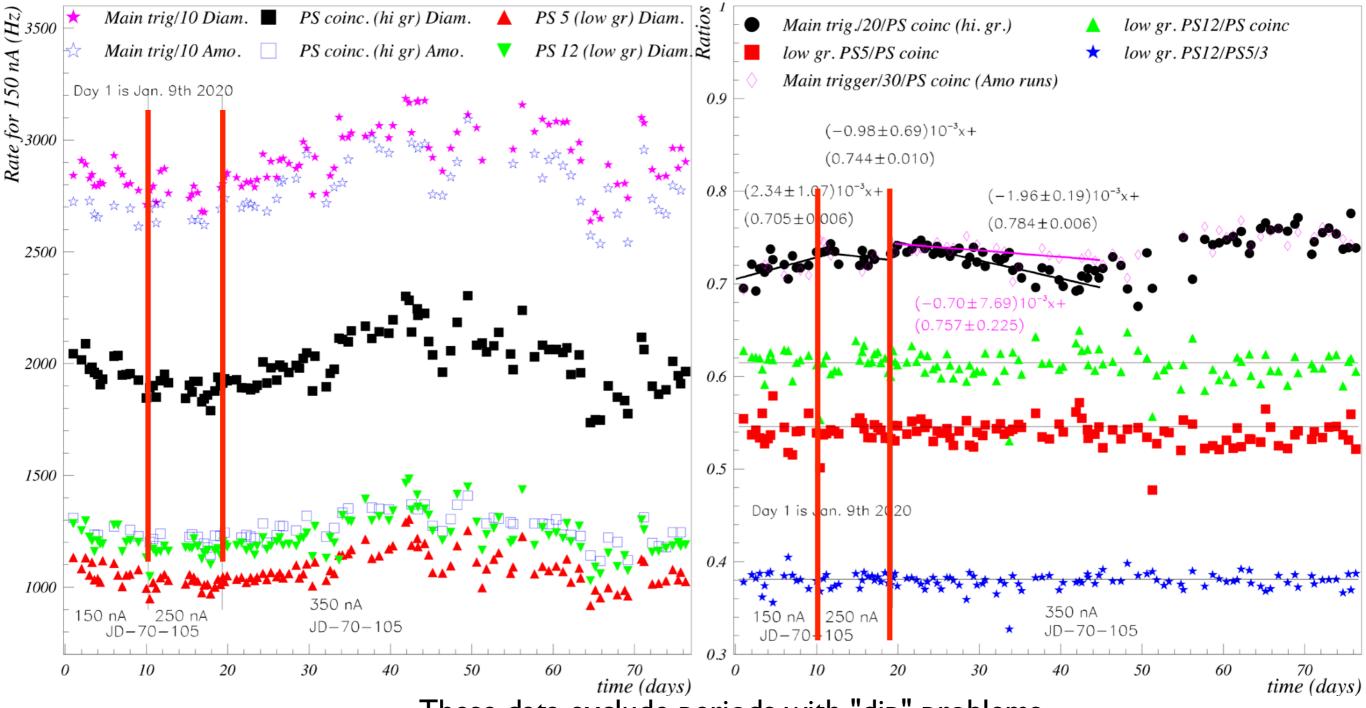


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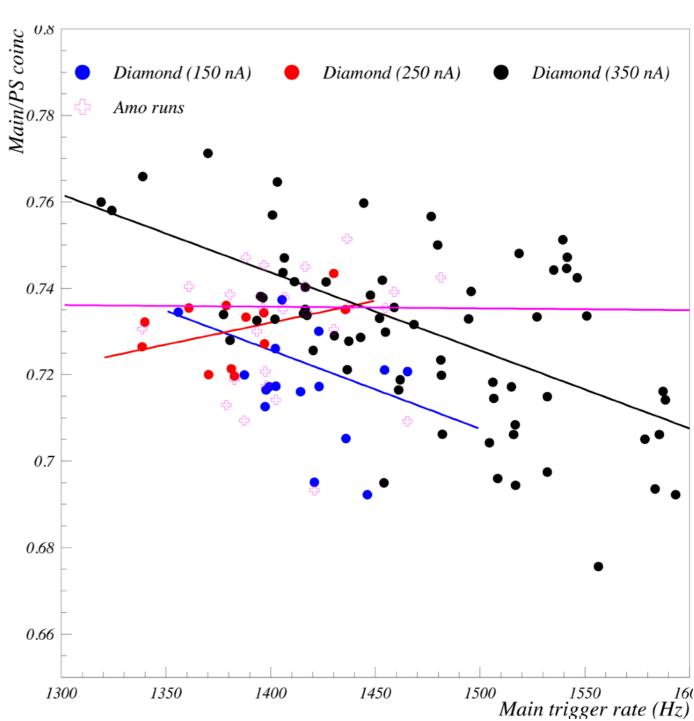


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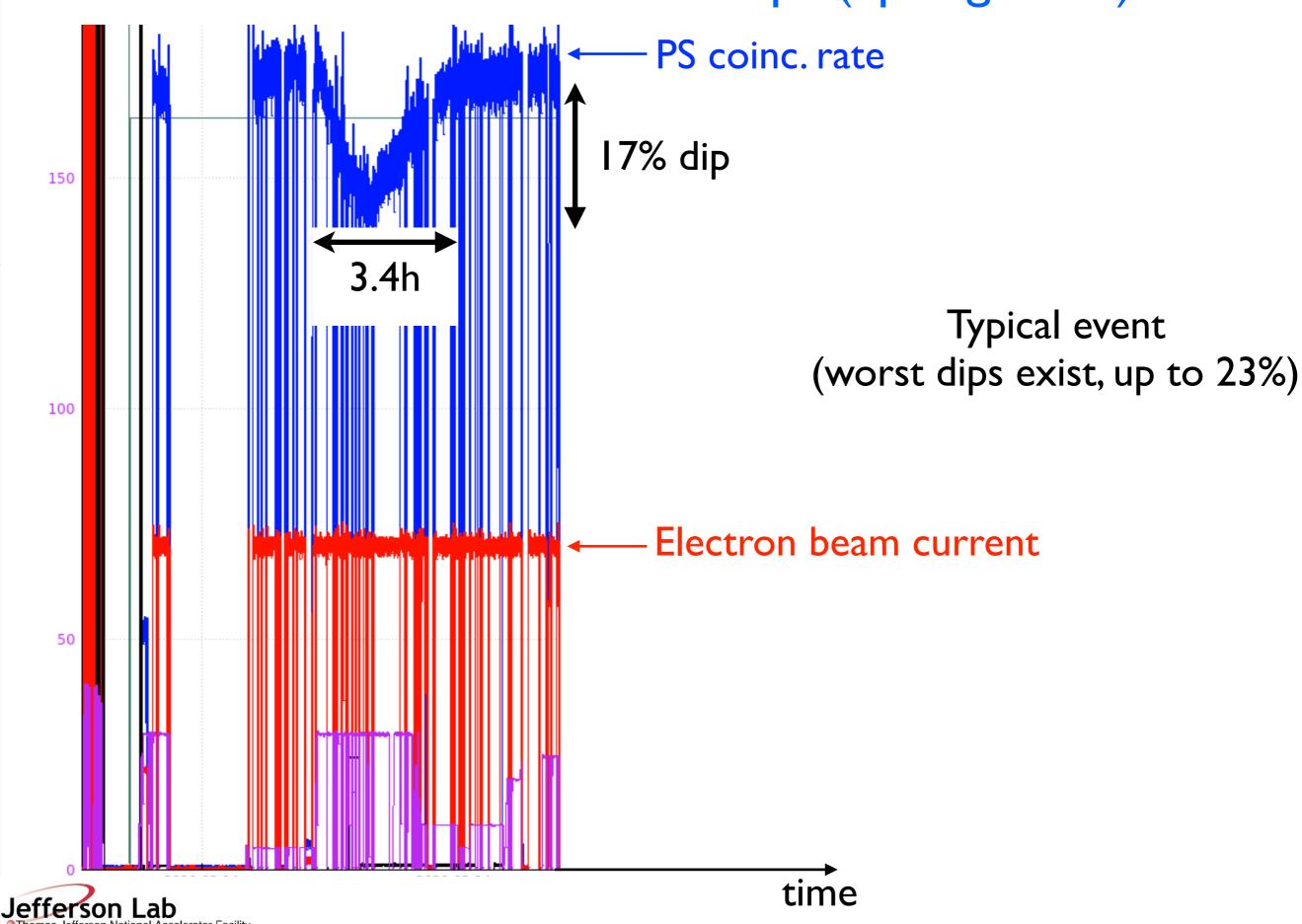
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Diamond Main Trigger/PS stables within ±3%

Possible anti-correlation with absolute rate values







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- •Up to 25% transmission drop, on ~hour timescale.
- •New. Not seen in previous run periods, nor until Feb. 7th 2020 (one month into the run)
- •Different than known "Active Collimator charging" issue (also causing dips, but associated with beam restoration after a long down time)
- •Seen by in PS, main trigger and luminosity monitor rates, but not tagger counters \Longrightarrow transmission effect
- •Occurs both with diamond and Al. radiators
- •Carried several tests. Conclusions:
 - •Not due to running at larger current (350nA vs 150nA).
 - •Not due to bleedthrough.
- •Correlates well with Active Collimator outer beam y-position & also (but not as strongly) with beam position at beam dump and photon rad. probe in col. cave. Other beam positions monitors, radiation monitors or beam current and energy do not correlate.
- •Still unclear if due to beam profile change+position lock or Act. Col. issue.

List of related log entries: https://logbooks.jlab.org/entry/3808332, 3804835, 3798434, 3797800, 3793084, 3787973, 3787208, 3785813, 3783813, 3783707, 3783362, 3783363, 3779952

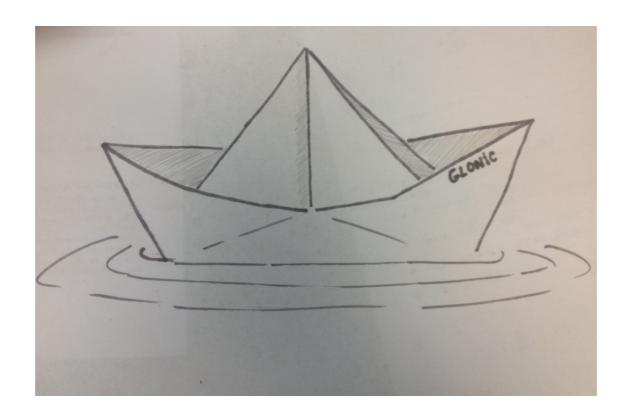


List of problems during Spring 2020 run

- Solenoid trip (02/12/2020 power supply overheating.)
- Surveying incident (02/17/2020): Survey ball attracted by solenoid field. Broke a BCal module connector
- ~10 nA bleedthrough (when Halls A or C are running)
- Fall 2019/Spring 2020: Energy lowered by ~200 MeV due to unsustainable RF-trips
- Short term beam energy drift of up to 10 MeV: see https://logbooks.jlab.org/entry/3809061
- Transmission dips
- Recurring drops of PSS system



Comparison with other GlueX runs



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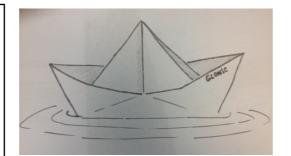


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