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Application of Diodes to Measure Particle Beam Fluences Relevant to HL-LHC Requirements by Cooling and Current Reduction¹

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