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Collimation with Hollow Electron Beams

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Concept of hollow electron beam collimator (HEBC)



Halo experiences nonlinear transverse kicks:

$$\theta_r = \frac{2 I_r L \left(1 \pm \beta_e \beta_p\right)}{r \beta_e \beta_p c^2 (B\rho)_p} \left(\frac{1}{4\pi\epsilon_0}\right)$$

About **0.2 µrad** in TEL2 at 980 GeV

For comparison: multiple scattering in Tevatron collimators $\theta_{\rm rms} = 17 \ \mu {\rm rad}$

Shiltsev, BEAM06, CERN-2007-002 Shiltsev et al., EPAC08

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The 15-mm hollow electron gun



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Layout of the beams in the Tevatron



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Layout of the beams in the Tevatron electron lens

200mV Ω Ch2

5.00 V

200mV Ω

Ch1

Transverse separation is 9 mm



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 MODULATOR (4 kV/V)

 P1
 P2
 P3

 TEL2 PICKUP
 A13

 A13
 A14

 A13
 A14

 COLLECTOR (1 A/V)

500mV Ω M 200ns A Ch4 J 1.80 V

→▼ 8.17200µs

Pulsed electron beam can be synchronized with any group of bunches

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HORIZONTAL POSITION (mm)

Brief project history up to LARP CM 16 (May 2011)

- **Summer '09**: Hollow gun design
- August '09: Hollow gun manufactured and delivered
- ▶ Fall/winter '09: Hollow beam dynamics studies in test stand
- August '10: Hollow gun installed in Tevatron electron lens (TEL2)
- October '10: First Tevatron experiments
- ► January '11: A. Didenko (contractor engineer) joins to work on new electron gun design and assembly
- February '11: I. Morozov (student / guest scientist)
- joins for 1 year to work on numerical calculations
- March '11: gated loss monitors installed in Tevatron





- ▶ June '11: Recommendations from U.S. DOE LARP and LHC Collimation reviews
- July '11: first results accepted for publication in Physical Review Letters
- August '11: V. Previtali (Toohig fellow) joins Fermilab group to lead effort on applicability at CERN
- September '11: Tevatron studies completed
- October '11: Assembly and installation of new 25-mm gun in test stand
- November '11: initiated preliminary integration studies of TEL2 at CERN
- Ongoing simulations and Tevatron data analysis

June 2011 Reviews

U.S. DOE LARP Review Committee: [...] We support the fabrication of a <u>new hollow</u> <u>electron gun</u> with a 1-inch cathode that will be capable of delivering up to 3 A of beam at 5 kV. This follows a successful proof-of-principle demonstration at the Tevatron. [...] The committee is encouraged by the results of the hollow electron beam lens used as a scraper. We encourage LARP to proceed with discussions of how to <u>transfer the hardware</u> to CERN to continue the effort. [...]

LHC Collimation Review Committee: [...] Another option under discussion in the past involves the concept of a hollow electron beam collimator (Fermilab). Since no material must be placed close to the beam, there exists no damage risk with this scheme. Beyond a certain betatron amplitude the hollow e-beam would generate high diffusion rates for the protons. It can be expected that this mechanism also smoothens out spiky loss rates in time. With high intensity and primary collimators placed close to the beam, such non-uniformly distributed loss rates can be an operational problem. [...]

Tevatron beam studies

- October 2010 September 2011
- ▶ 19 experiments: both parasitic and dedicated
- Main results
 - compatibility with collider operations
 - **alignment** is reliable and reproducible
 - smooth halo removal
 - removal rate vs. particle amplitude
 - negligible effects on the core (particle removal or emittance growth)
 - transverse beam diffusion enhancement
 - suppression of loss-rate fluctuations (beam jitter, tune changes)
 - effects on collimation efficiency

First Tevatron results appeared in PRL:

PRL 107, 084802 (2011)

PHYSICAL REVIEW LETTERS

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A novel concept of controlled halo removal for intense high-energy beams in storage rings and colliders is presented. It is based on the interaction of the circulating beam with a 5-keV, magnetically confined, pulsed hollow electron beam in a 2-m-long section of the ring. The electrons enclose the circulating beam, kicking halo particles transversely and leaving the beam core unperturbed. By acting as a tunable diffusion enhancer and not as a hard aperture limitation, the hollow electron beam collimator extends conventional collimation systems beyond the intensity limits imposed by tolerable losses. The concept was tested experimentally at the Fermilab Tevatron proton-antiproton collider. The first results on the collimation of 980-GeV antiprotons are presented.

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Detailed PRSTAB paper in preparation

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In August, Valentina Previtali joined the Fermilab group as Toohig fellow





She will lead the study on applicability of hollow electron lenses at CERN

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- > 25 mm outer diameter, 13.5 mm inner diameter
- Designed to deliver 3 A at 5 kV (8 A at 10 kV)



- ▶ Goal: To test technical feasibility of stronger scraper
- Installed in Fermilab electron-lens test stand
- Characterization under way

New 25-mm hollow gun



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New 25-mm electron gun in Fermilab test stand



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Lifetrac calculations of electron profile effects on removal rates

Halo removal rates are consistent with observations



Lossrate (normalised to quadrupole) for pulse 1/5



I. Morozov

Electron lens hardware to CERN?



TEL2 hardware has become available after Tevatron shutdown, including power supplies
Investigating its possible use at CERN with LHC Collimation Group

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TEL2 photographs: gun side



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TEL2 photographs: collector side



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Application of hollow-beam collimation at CERN

• <u>Purpose:</u>

- complement primary collimators
- ▶ flexible halo control (synergy with tune modulation? \rightarrow O. Brüning)
- Possible benefits:
 - faster and safer collimator setup
 - scraping before collisions
 - protection against beam jitter and orbit drifts
 - improve capture efficiency for protons and ions
- Where?
 - ▶ Is TEL2 compatible with SPS or LHC requirements?
 - If not, use TEL2 as prototype for final system?
- <u>Design considerations:</u>
 - \blacktriangleright beam sizes \rightarrow cathode size, magnetic field strength and straightness
 - pulsing patterns \rightarrow modulator complexity
 - kick strength \rightarrow cathode size and operating voltage

TEL2 dimensions



Candidate locations at CERN

• <u>BA4 in SPS:</u>

- R&D purpose:
 - ▶ test device and integrate controls
- physical space
- cryogenics
- beam size
- <u>RB 44 or RB 46 at IR4 in LHC:</u>
 - final goal:
 - complement collimation system
 - Iongitudinal space
 - large beam-axis separation (42 cm)
 - beam size
- ▶ <u>IR3 or IR7 in LHC?</u>
- <u>others?</u>

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- storage ring operation
- candidate location for crab cavities

- challenging integration
- scarce study time





Amplitude functions at BA4 in SPS



COLDEX installation overview looking downstream

BA5

BA4

LHC IR4 candidate location



Detail of IR4 in LHC



LHC IR4 beam-1 optics v6.503



RB 44 location looking upstream

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CERN-Fermilab collaboration on hollow beam scraper

- Our group is interested in collaboration on hollow-beam collimation at CERN through U.S. LARP
- Of course, project is to be led by CERN
- Available resources at Fermilab:
 - ▶ TEL2 hardware
 - ▶ physicists (~2 FTEs)
 - Tevatron data analysis
 - ▶ modeling and simulations for Tevatron and LHC
 - experimental beam studies
 - ▶ technicians and engineers (~2 FTEs)
 - ▶ TEL documentation, shipping, installation
 - design and construction of new components

Papers

- Ageev et al., PAC 01, p. 3630 [TEL magnets and cryogenics]
- Shiltsev et al., PRL 99, 244801 (2007) [beam-beam compensation]
- > Shiltsev et al., PRSTAB 11, 103501 (2008) [TEL design and operation]
- Stancari et al., IPAC 10, TUPEB076 [hollow gun design and performance]
- Stancari et al., PRL 107, 084802 (2011) [hollow beam collimation]
- Stancari et al., arXiv:1110.0144 [hollow beam collimation]
- Web pages
 - https://cdcvs.fnal.gov/redmine/projects/elens/wiki [new e-lens wiki]
 - http://www-bd.fnal.gov/lug/tev33/ebeam_comp [original e-lens pages]

Summary and outlook

 Hollow electron beams open up new options for beam scraping in high-intensity storage rings and colliders

Many observations at the Tevatron: compatibility with collider operations, halo removal rates, effects on core, diffusion, fluctuations in losses, collimation efficiencies, ...

- New 25-mm electron gun assembly; characterization under way
- Validate Tevatron simulations against collected data
- ▶ TEL2 hardware now available

▶ Transfer experimental program to CERN? Support from DOE LARP Review and LHC Collimation Review (June 2011).

Study applicability at CERN in collaboration with LHC Collimation Working
 Group: benefits, feasibility, locations

Thank you!

Backup

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The conventional multi-stage collimation system



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1-dimensional diffusion cartoon of collimation



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1-dimensional diffusion cartoon with hollow electron beam



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- Can be close to or even overlap with the main beam
 - no material damage
 - tunable strength ("variable thickness")
- Works as "soft scraper" by enhancing diffusion
- Low impedance
- Resonant excitation is possible (pulsed e-beam)
- No ion breakup
- Position control by magnetic fields (no motors or bellows)
- Established electron-cooling / electron-lens technology
- Critical beam alignment
- Control of hollow beam profile
- Beam stability at high intensity
- ► Cost

Electrons acting on 1 antiproton bunch train (#2, A13-A24)



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Removal rate: affected bunch train relative to other 2 trains



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Several strategies:

- **No removal** when e-beam is shadowed by collimators (previous slide)
- Check emittance evolution
- Compare **intensity** and **luminosity** change when scraping antiprotons:

$$\mathcal{L} = \left(\frac{f_{\text{rev}}N_b}{4\pi}\right)\frac{N_pN_a}{\sigma^2} \qquad \qquad \frac{\Delta\mathcal{L}}{\mathcal{L}} = \frac{\Delta N_p}{N_p} + \frac{\Delta N_a}{N_a} - 2\frac{\Delta\sigma}{\sigma}$$

- <u>same fractional variation</u> if other factors are constant
- Iuminosity decreases more if there is emittance growth or proton loss
- luminosity decreases <u>less</u> if removing halo particles (smaller relative contribution to luminosity)
- **Removal rate** vs. amplitude (collimator scan, steady state)
- **Diffusion rate** vs. amplitude (collimator scan, time evolution of losses)

Emittances of affected bunch train



Time (h)

Luminosity of affected bunch train relative to other 2 trains



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Removal rate vs. amplitude from collimator scan

Electrons (0.15 A) on pbar train #2, 3.5 σ hole (1.3 mm at collimator) Vertical scan of primary collimator (others retracted)





Time (h)

Diffusion rate vs. amplitude from collimator scans



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Diffusion rate vs. amplitude from collimator scans



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Diffusion rate vs. amplitude - preliminary



Vertical collimator position, y_c [mm]

First measurement of diffusion rates in Tevatron
 D ~ J^{4.5}

⇒ see Stancari et al., IPAC11, TUPZ033
⇒ arXiv:1108:5010

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- Scintillator paddles installed near F49 antiproton absorber (Mar '11)
 Gated to individual bunch trains
- Recorded at 15 Hz



For <u>simultaneous measurements</u> of **diffusion rates**, **collimation efficiency**, and **loss spikes** on <u>affected and control bunch trains</u> at maximum electron currents

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New gated loss monitors during collimator scan

Electrons (0.9 A) on pbar train #2, 4.25σ hole Example of **vertical collimator step out**, 50 μm



Fourier analysis of losses



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Correlation of steady-state losses



Hollow beam eliminates correlations among trains
Interpretation: larger diffusion rate, lower tail population, less sensitive to jitter

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Suppression of loss spikes during collimator steps



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Suppression of loss spikes during tune change



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Beam jitter in the Tevatron



Principal subsystems

- Electrical
 - gun and collector solenoid power supplies: 340 A @ 0.4 T
 - main solenoid power supply: 1780 A @ 6.5 T
 - \blacktriangleright high voltage supplies for cathode, profiler, anode bias, collector: ~5-10 kV
 - ▶ stacked-transformer modulator, anode pulsing: 5 kV, 150 kHz, 200 ns rise time
- Vacuum
 - ▶ 10⁻⁹ mbar typical
 - ▶ 3 ion pumps + Ti sublim.
- Cryogenics (4 K)
 - static heat load: 12 W (helium vessel), 25 W (nitrogen shield)
 - Tevatron magnet string cooling system: 90 l/s of liquid He
 - quench protection
- Diagnostics
 - ▶ 6 corrector magnets inside main solenoid
 - > 2 BPMs (each horiz.+vert.)

Tevatron electron lens: electrical schematic diagram



Tevatron electron lens: corrector dipoles



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Tevatron electron lens: electrodes



(*) H and V BPMs combined in TEL2