



Polarized e^- in the LHeC

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Preliminaries

- LHeC: Ring-Linac and Ring-Ring options
- We have worked on Ring-Ring
 - Ring-Linac seems comparatively easy
- > This talk covers Ring-Ring
- > Some thoughts on Ring-Linac at the end.

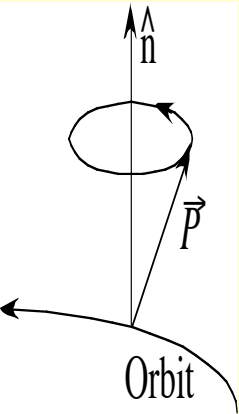
Polarization

- Sokolov-Ternov self polarization due to sync. rad.
 - slightly different rate for S||B and S⊥B
 - ultimate polarization is 92.4%

– time scale is

$$\tau_{\text{st}}^{-1} = \frac{5\sqrt{3}}{8} \frac{r_e \gamma^5 \hbar}{m_e |\rho|^3}$$

- at $E = 60 \text{ GeV}$, $\rho = 2700 \text{ m}$, $R=27000 \text{ m}$
 - $\tau_{ST} \approx 60 \text{ min.}$
 - a little longer than we like but acceptable
 - *note steep energy dependence*



- **Stable spin direction**

- $\hat{n}=\hat{n}(s)$ is the invariant spin field. A polarization vector $\vec{P} \parallel \hat{n}$ will remain so turn after turn. $\hat{n}(s)$ depends on the position in phase space of the particles but is usually close to vertical due to the vertical guide field.
- “spin tune”, $=\gamma G$ for a flat ring, # spin precessions per turn.
- On the closed orbit and on momentum $\hat{n}(s)=\hat{n}_0(s)$.
- If \hat{n} varies with energy, it undergoes non-adiabatic changes at each γ emission
 - \rightarrow spin diffusion, characterized by

$$\vec{d} = \frac{d\hat{n}}{d\delta}$$

$G=(g-2)/2 \approx 0.0012$,
 $\gamma G(60 \text{ GeV}) \approx 136$,
 for electrons

Depolarization

- Depolarizing effects due to spin diffusion:
 - $d\hat{n}/d\delta \neq 0$, esp. near spin-orbit resonances
 - $\gamma G = n \pm mQ_s \pm lQ_y \pm oQ_x$; n, m, l, o : integer
 - Driven by spin-mismatch
 - spin rotators, lattice peculiarities, misalignment/c.o.
- Characteristic depolarization rate:

$$\tau_{DK}^{-1} = \frac{5\sqrt{3}}{8} \frac{\lambda_e}{2\pi} r_e c \gamma^5 \left\langle \frac{1 - \frac{2}{9} (\hat{n} \cdot \vec{s}) + \frac{11}{18} \vec{d}^2}{\rho^3} \right\rangle$$

- Eq. polarization becomes

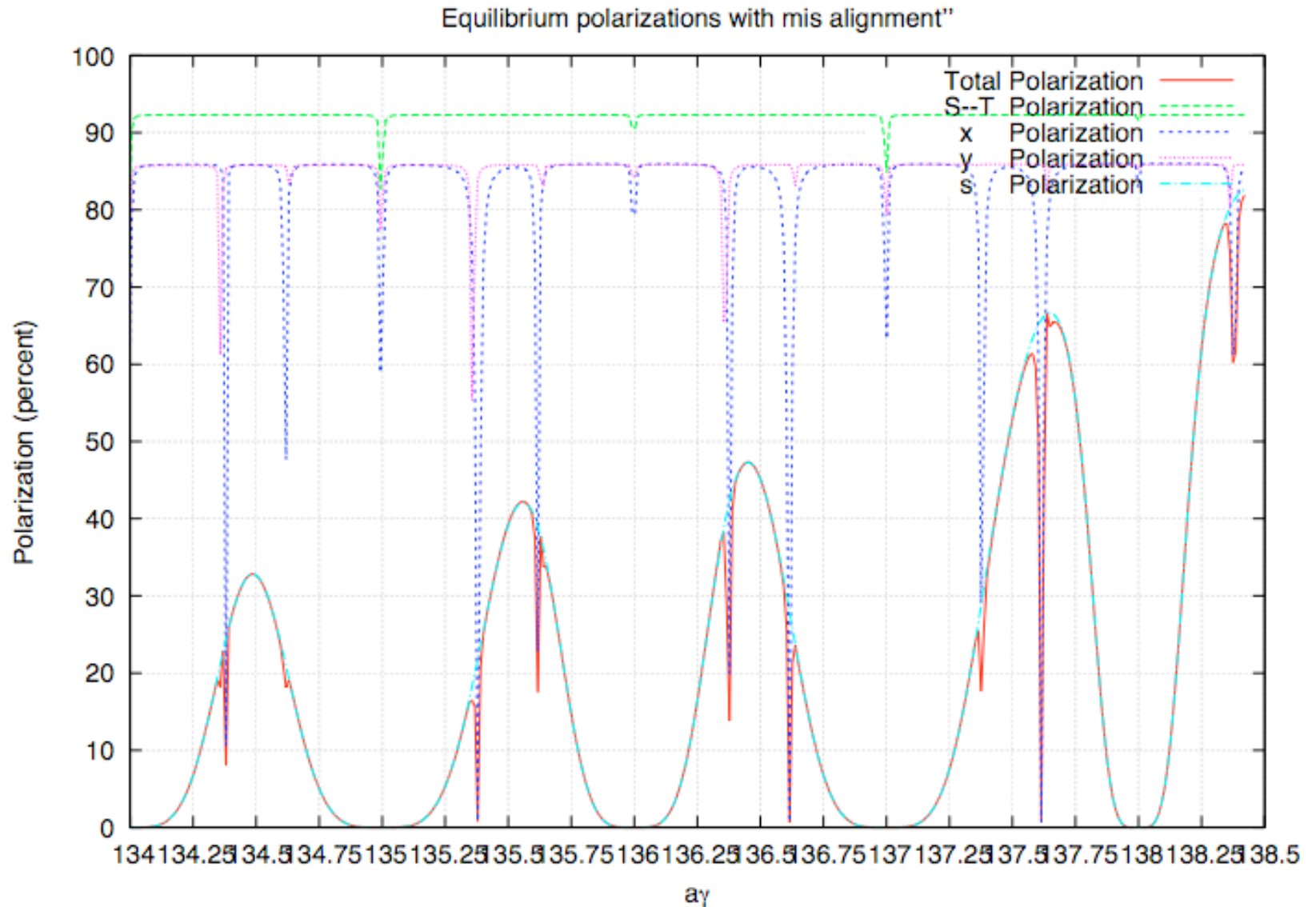
$$P_\infty \approx P_{ST} \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\tau_{ST}}{\tau_{DK}}}$$

LHeC Lattice

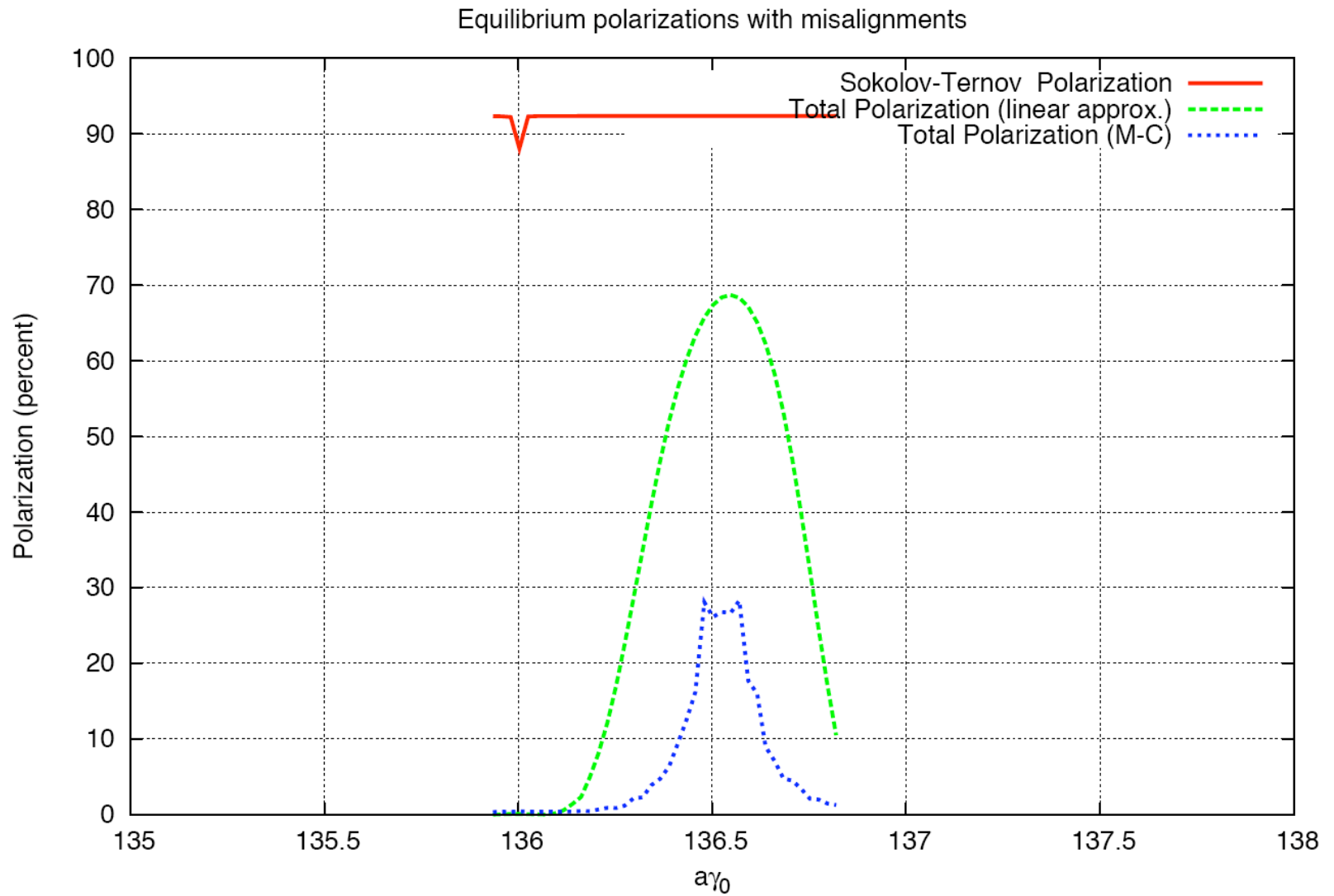
- Flat-ring scenario:
 - M. Fitterer V1.0 lattice
 - no bypasses (not expected to be an issue)
 - no real IR (potential issue due to bending for collisions)
 - 700 MV rf voltage, $\nu_s = 0.067$ (@60 GeV)
- Misalignments
 - $150\mu\text{m}$ rms quadrupoles, 0.3 mr quadrupole roll
 - orbit corrected (vertic.), x - y corrector at each quad
 - $50\mu\text{m}$ rms orbit excursions

SLICK (analytic)

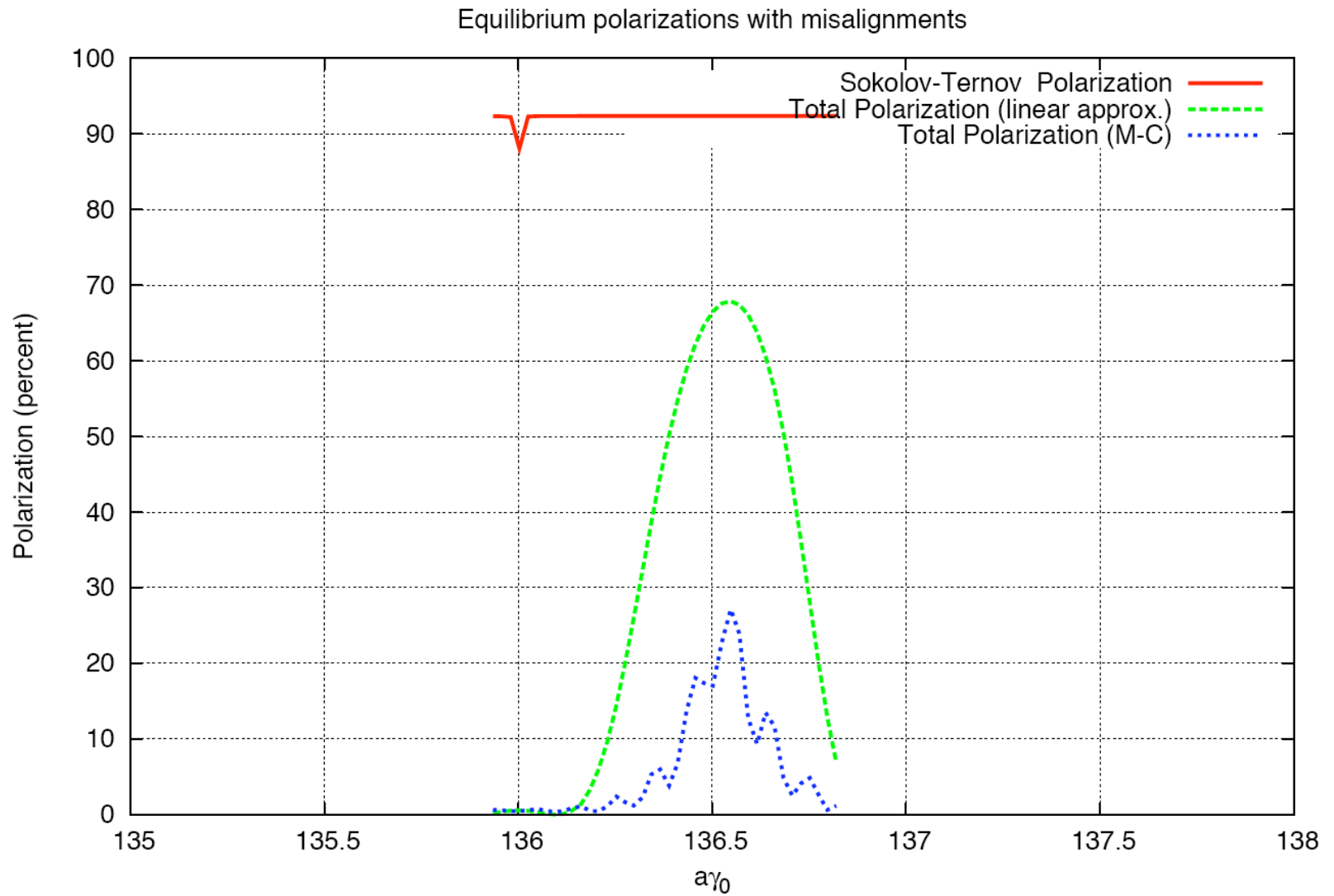
100 μm misal.
195 μm (mx)
52 μm (rms)
res. orbit



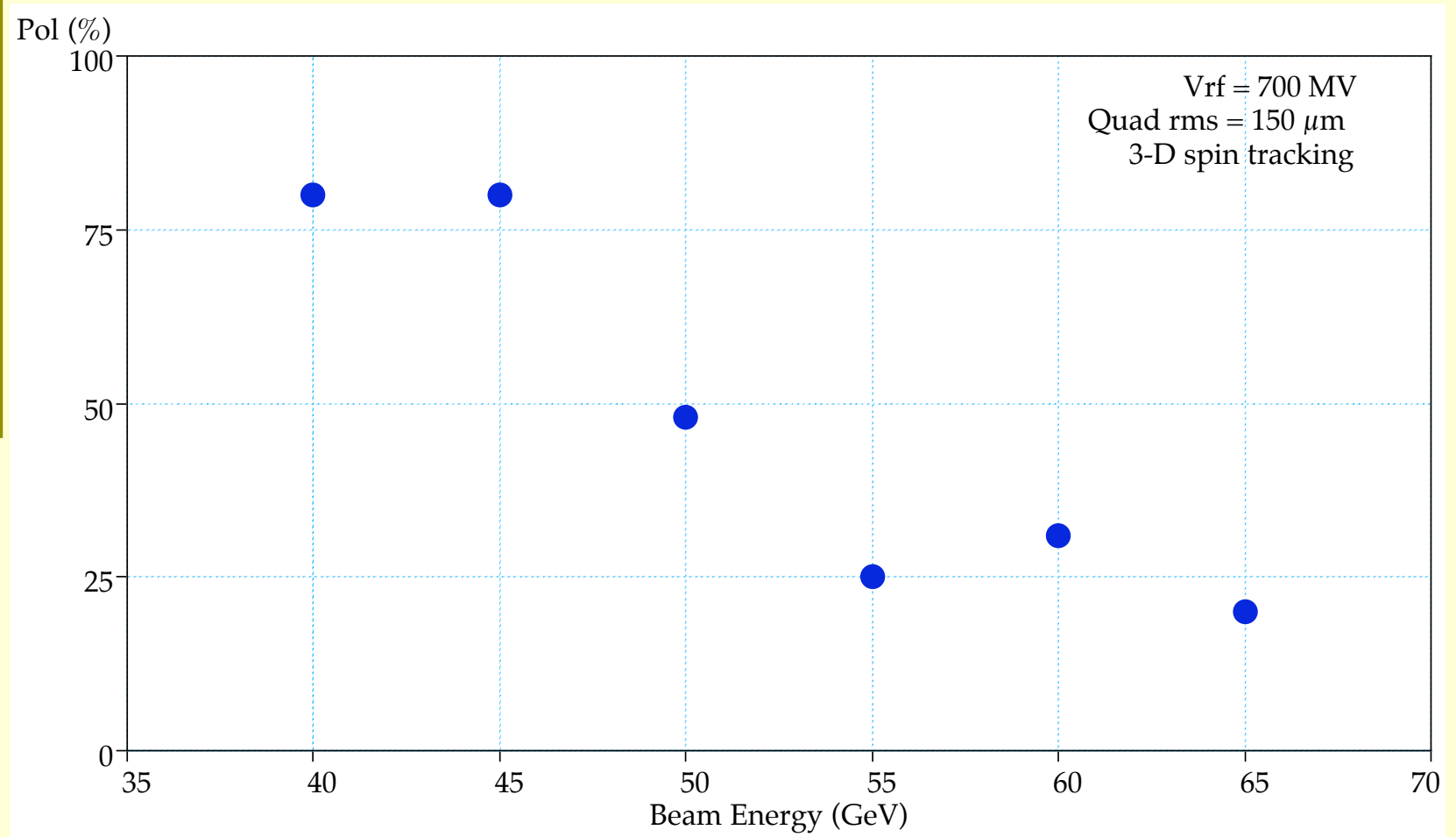
$\nu_s = 0.067$



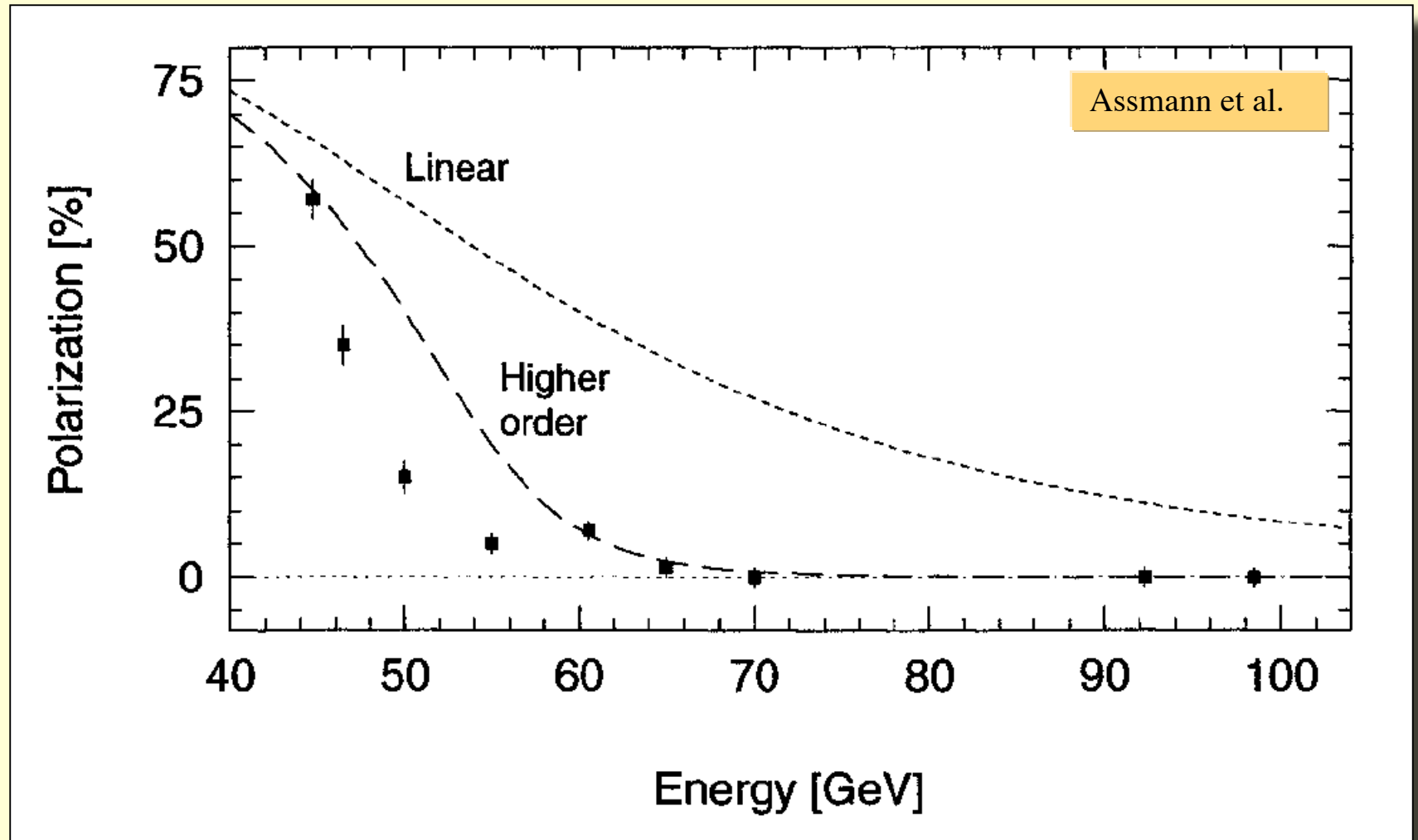
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Polarization vs Energy



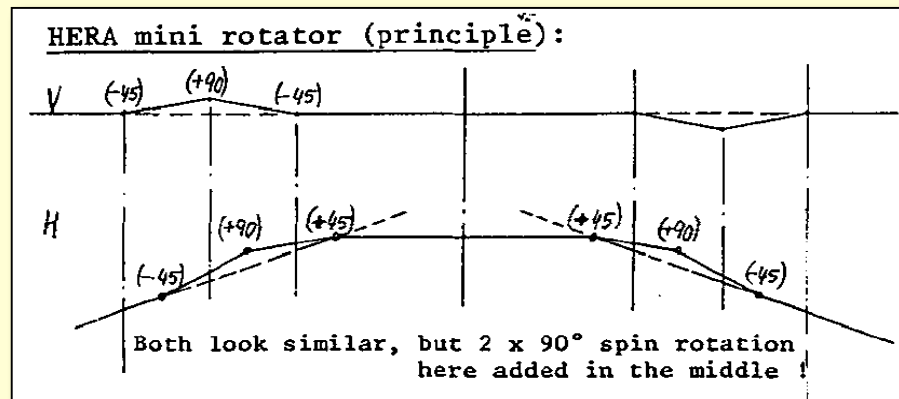
LEP Results



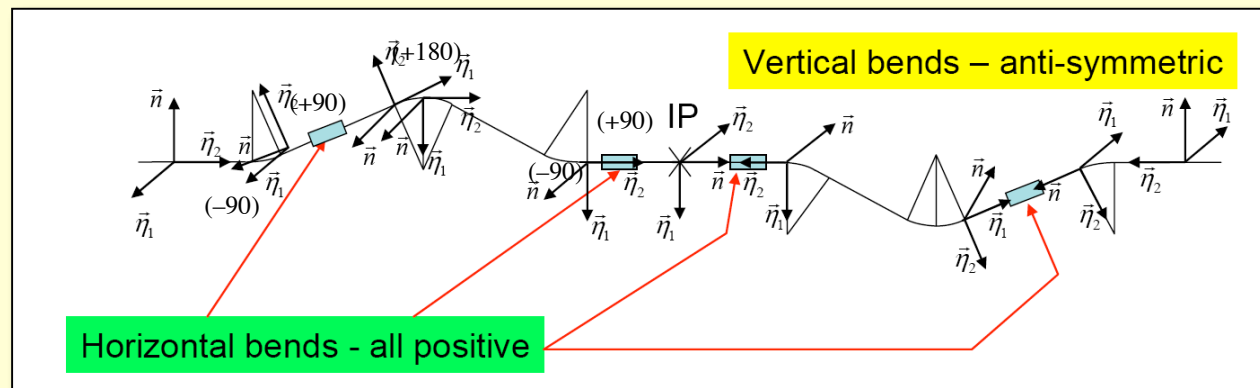
- Polarization drop-off with E :
 - seen at LEP
 - direct effect of the energy spread ($\approx 0.1\%$ rms)
 - $dA/d\delta$ can't be reasonably made 0 near $\gamma G=n$
 - beam-lets near $\delta E = \pm 0.441/2$ GeV get depolarized partially
 - choice of misalignment & ν_s have some effect
 - clearly, better alignment helps
 - choice of ν_s tbi
 - beam energy spread not really a free parameter
 - but may use damping partition to minimize
 - Can run at lower energy
 - but τ_{ST} becomes 5 h at 45 GeV!

Spin Rotators

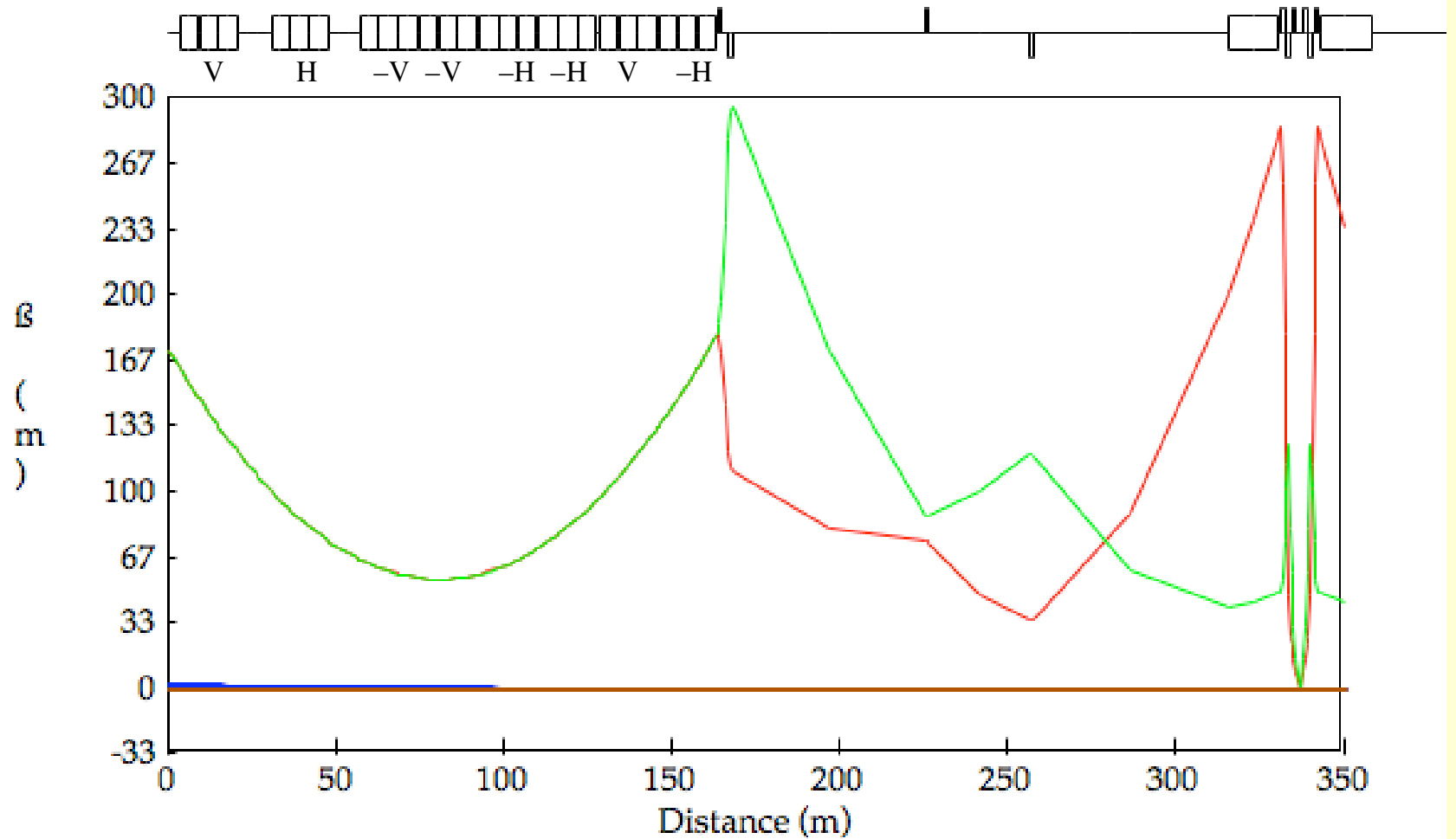
- HERA spin rotator at DESY:



- I. Koop's Rotator proposed for SuperB:

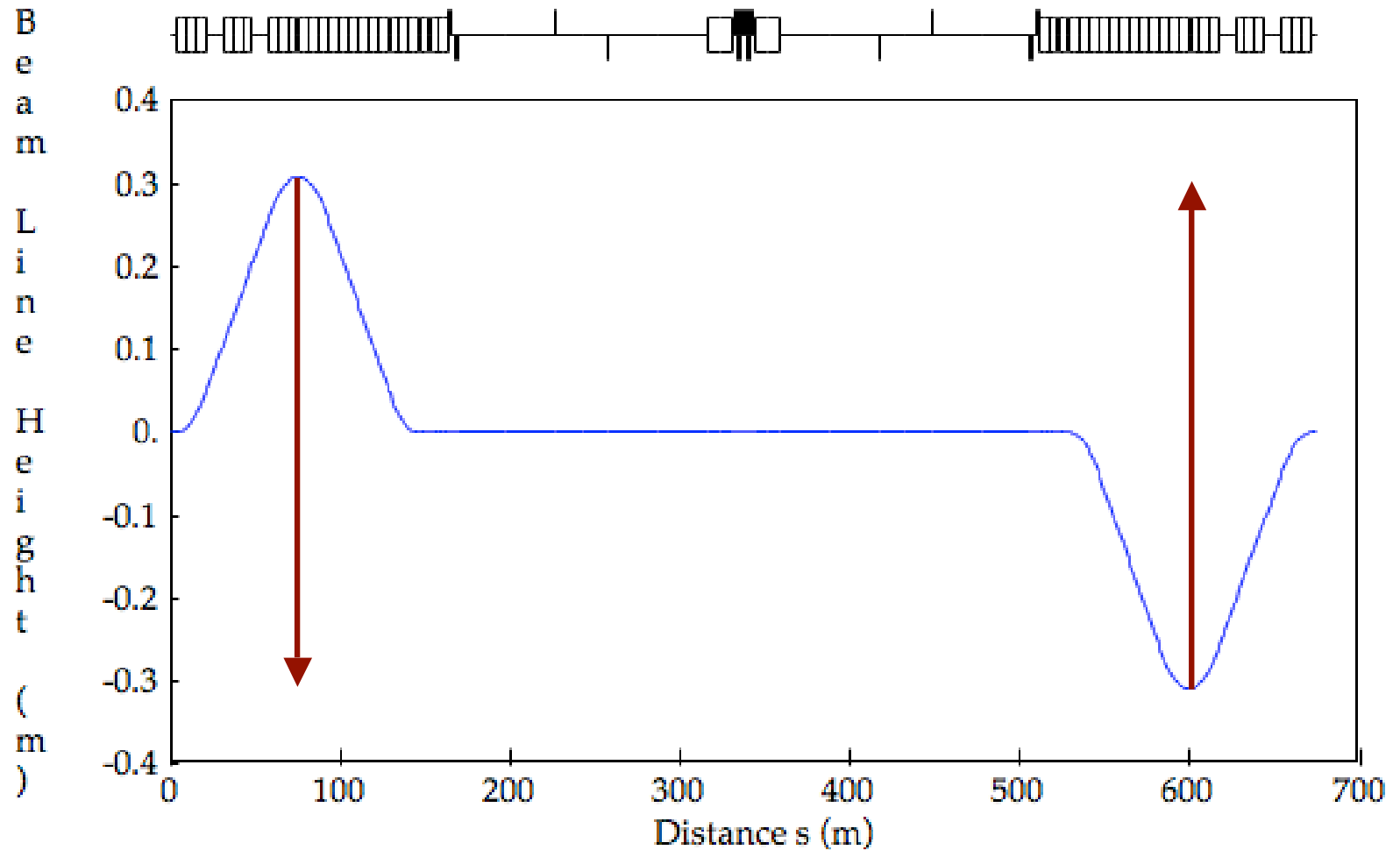


HERA Rotator for LHeC (1st att.)



Side View

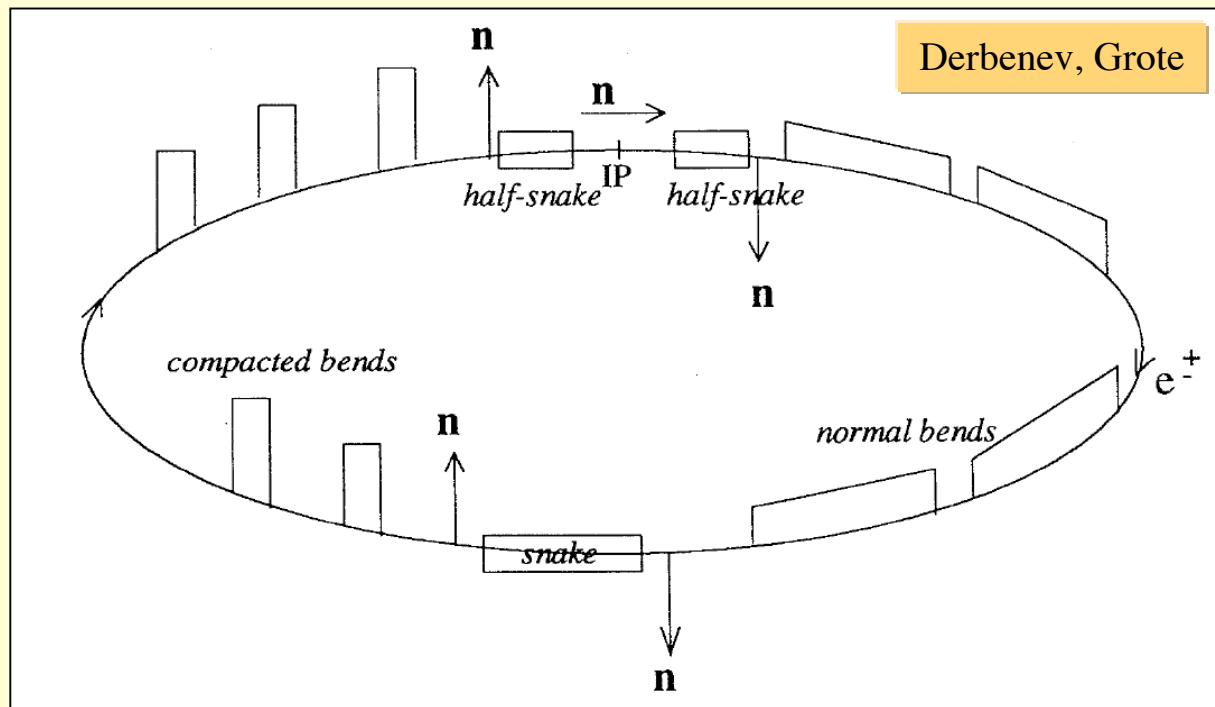
flip vbend
for
helicity
inversion



Alternative: Snakes

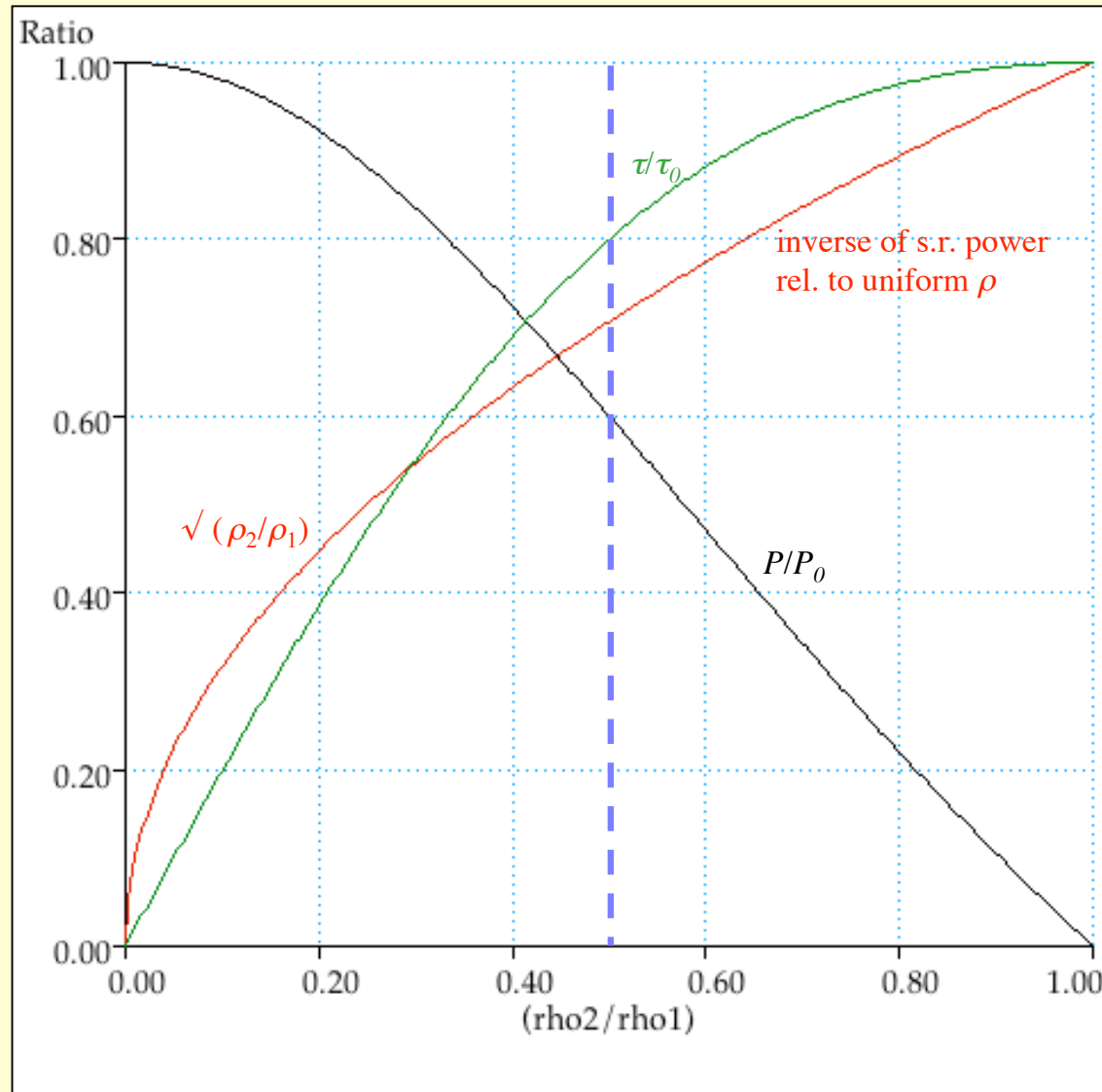
- Type-2 snake (IR) & type-1 snake (opposite region)
 - type-2 snake about s , type-1 snake about x .
 - $n(s)$ up in one half, down in the other half or the ring
 - type-2 snake integrated w/ spin rotators (& vert. dogleg)
- Polarization from balance of the arcs

$$\tau_{ST} = \frac{2\pi}{99} \frac{E}{C\rho^2}$$



Estimate for Asymmetric Ring

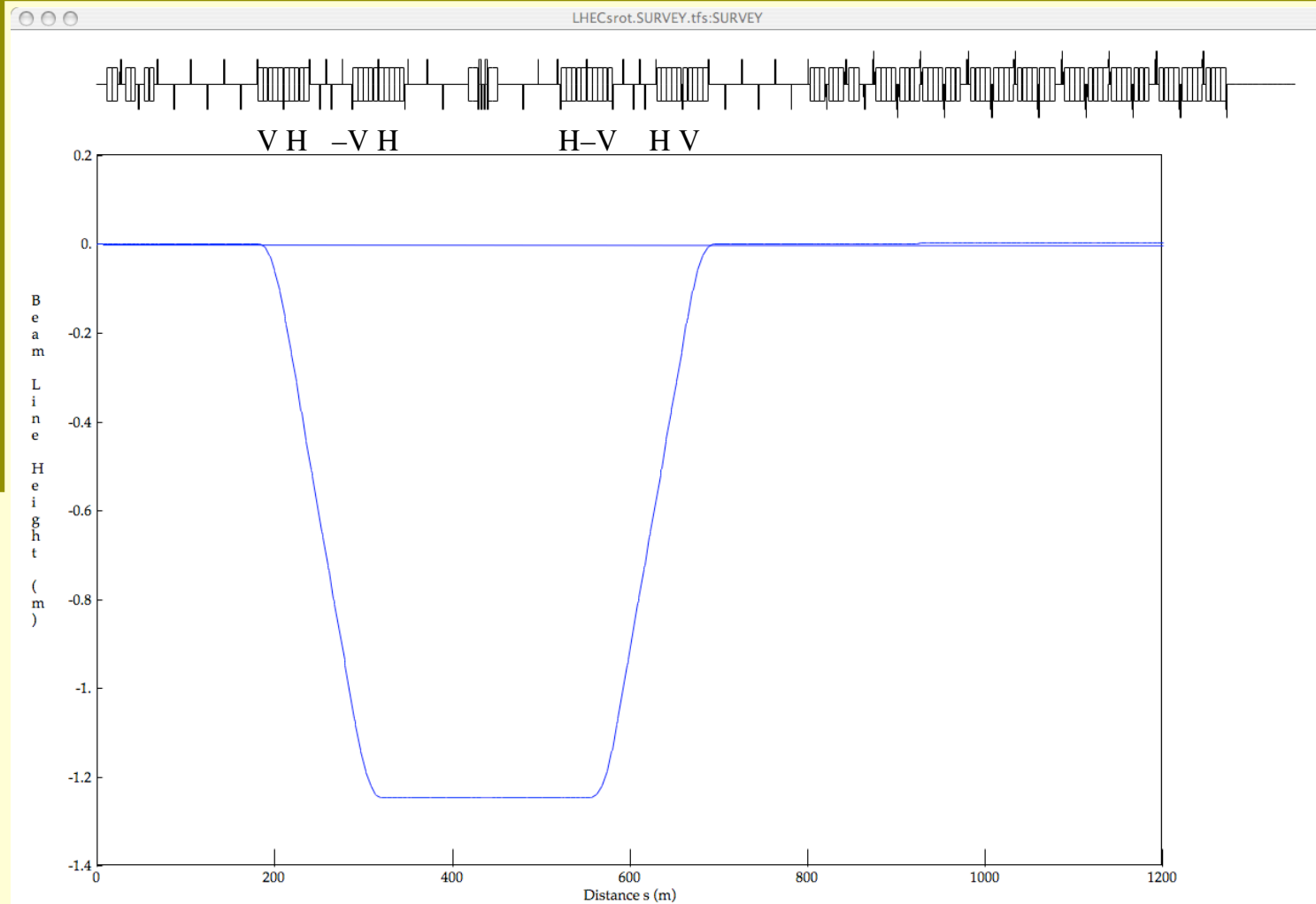
$1/\rho^2$ scaling



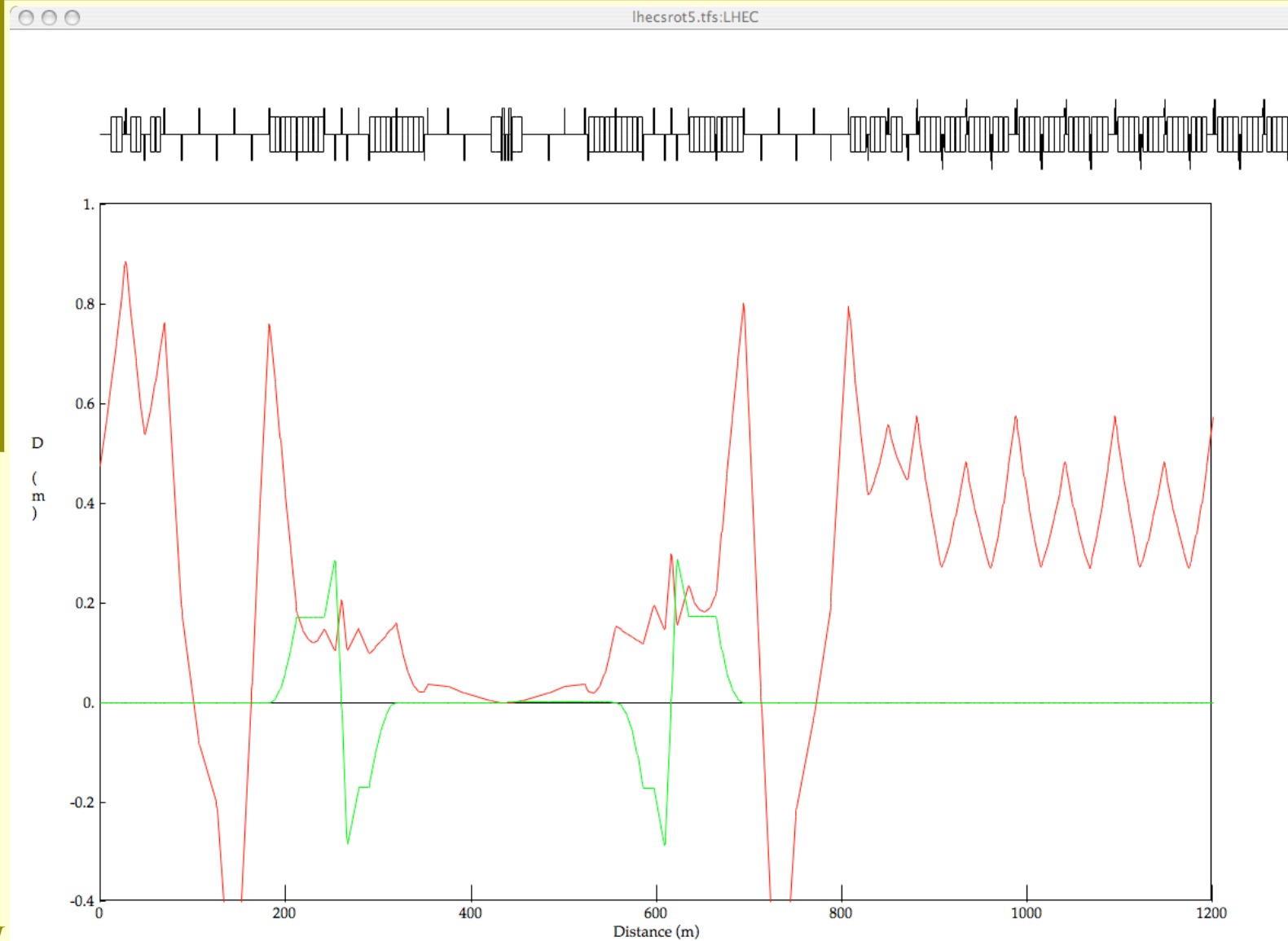
D-G Setup in LHeC

- Type-2 snake integrated w/ vertical dogleg
- Type-1 snake ideal thin-lens snake in IR 5
 - a real snake is comparable to a pair of rotators
- 554 bends with double angle (field) in one half of ring
 - $\rho = 2671$ m regular; 1336 m in polarizing cells.
 - $V_0 = 586$ MeV
- $Q_x = 124.36$, $Q_y = 88.8$, $Q_s = 0.067$, $\sigma_{co} = 75 \mu\text{m}$
- Tilt of $n_0 \approx 8$ mr rms
- $\nu_0 \approx 0.41$ independent of E
 - deviates from 0.5 because of rotator.

IR with Type-2 Snake Side view



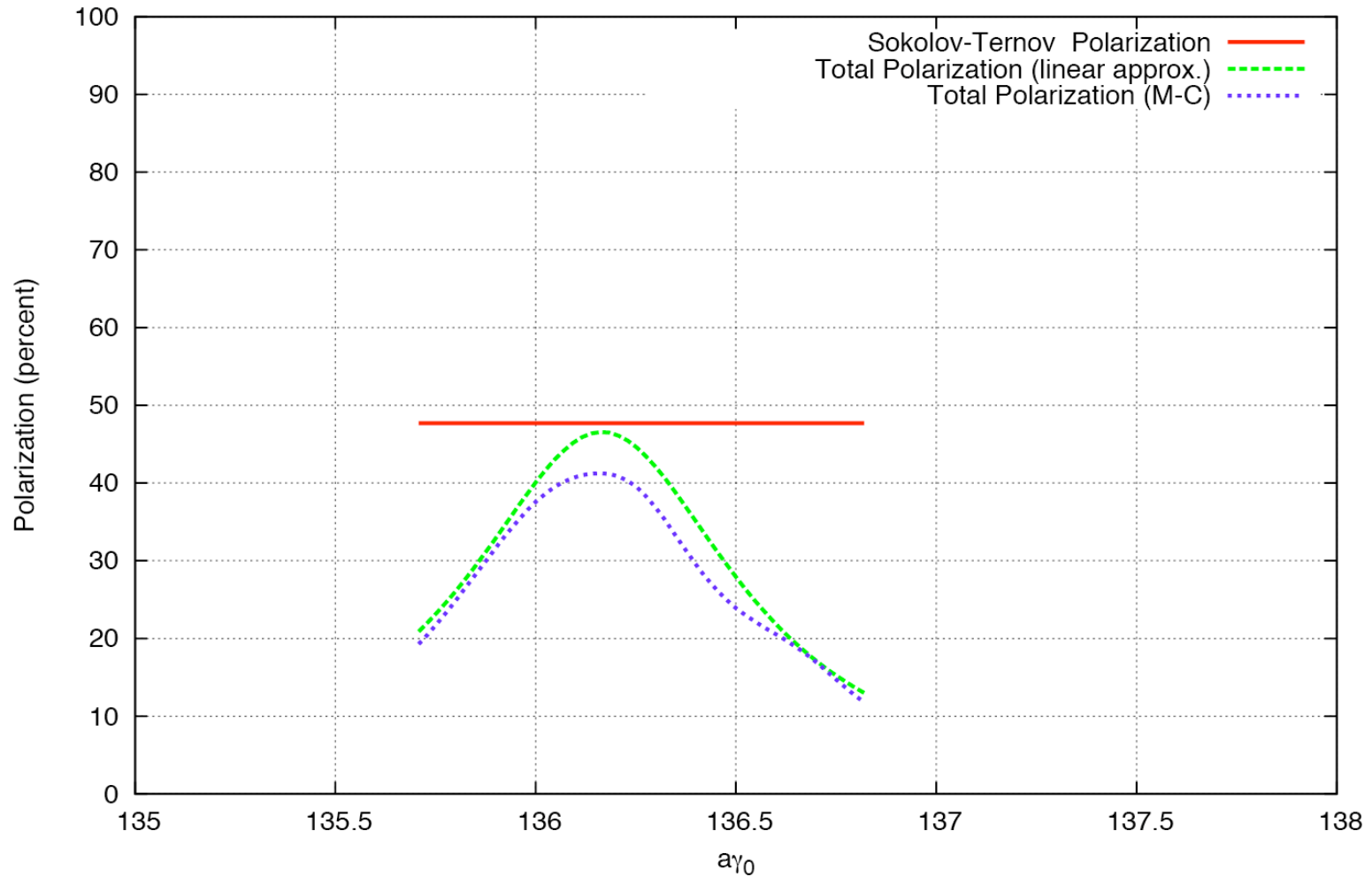
Dispersion plot



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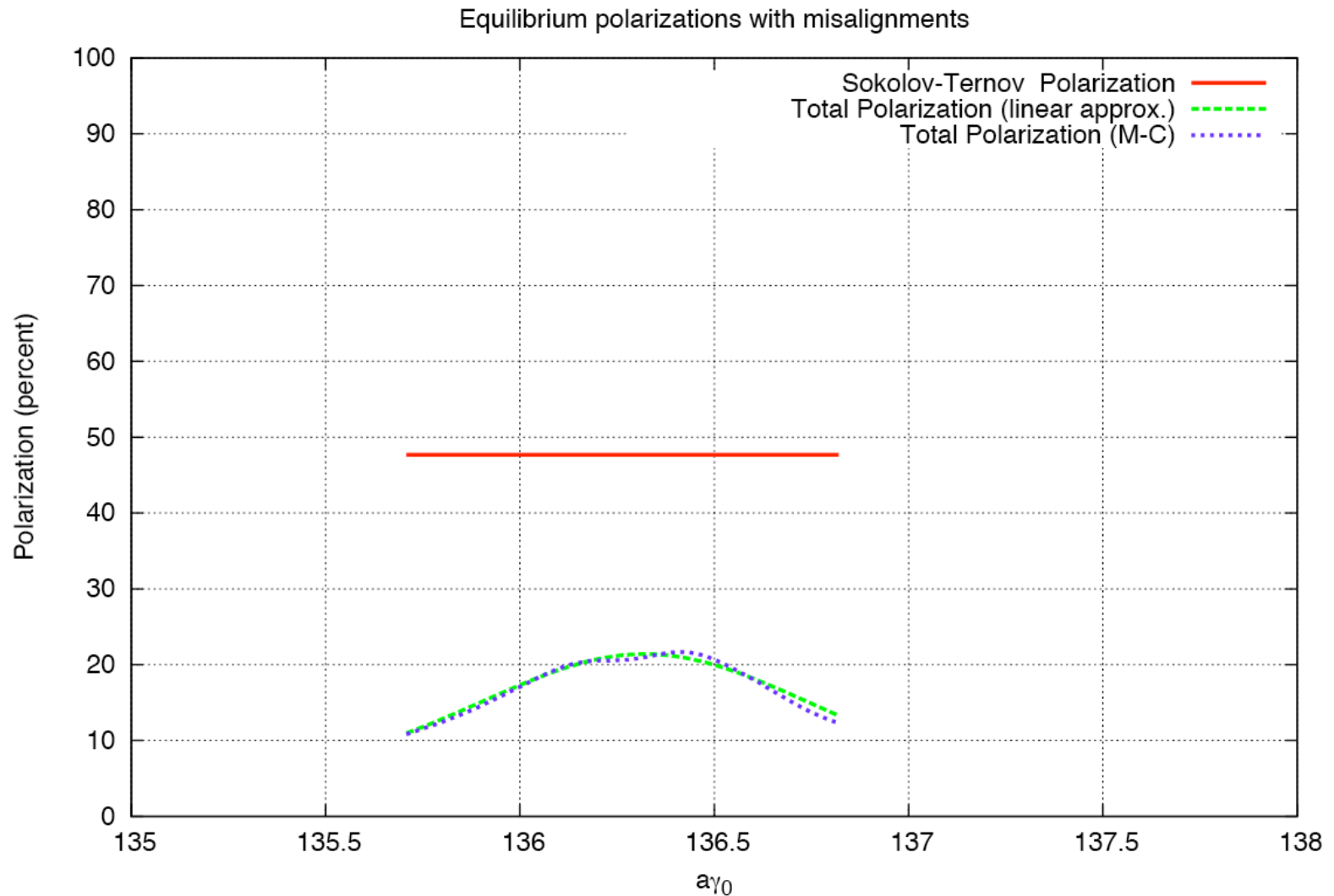
SLICKTRACK, no Misalignment

forced spin
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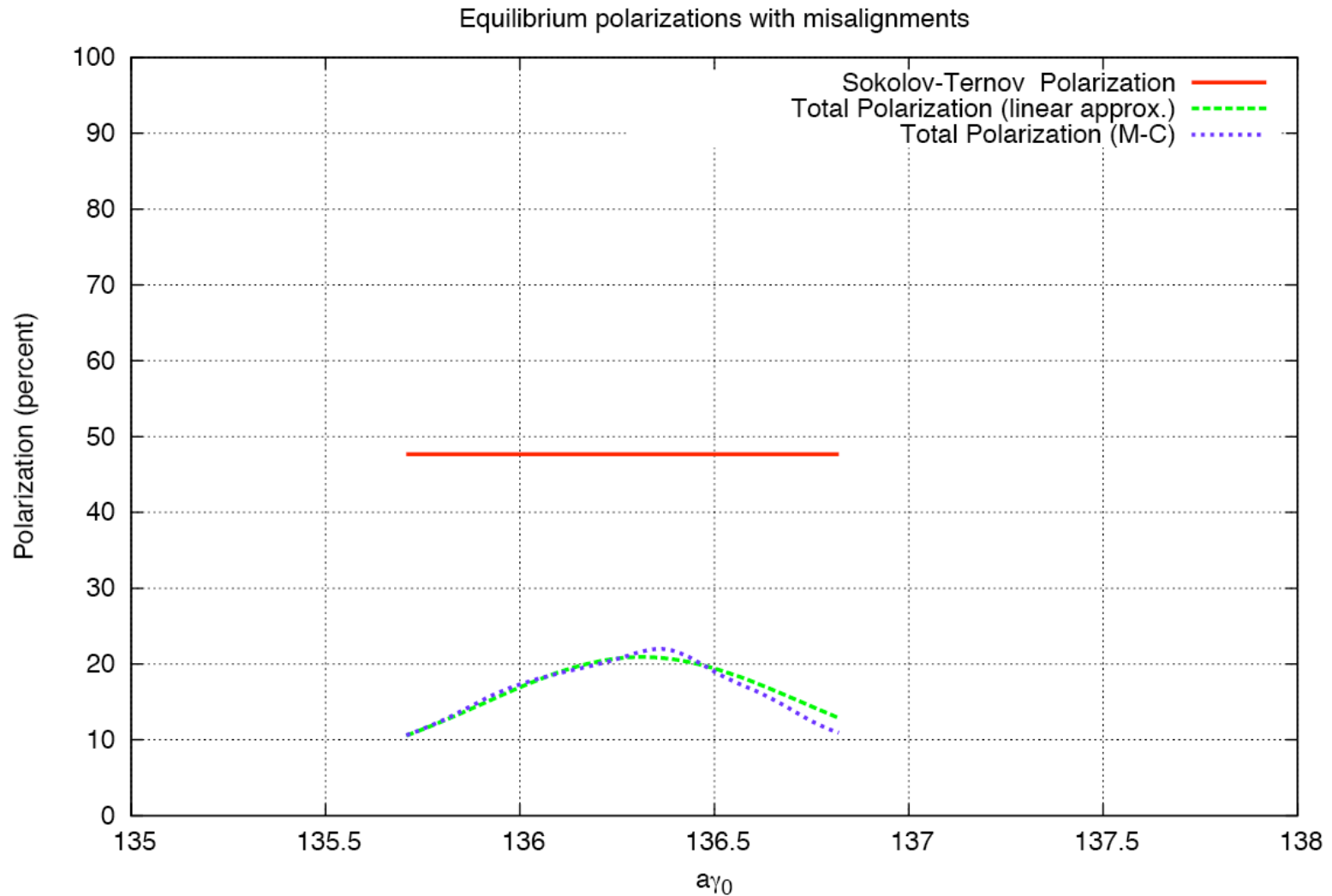
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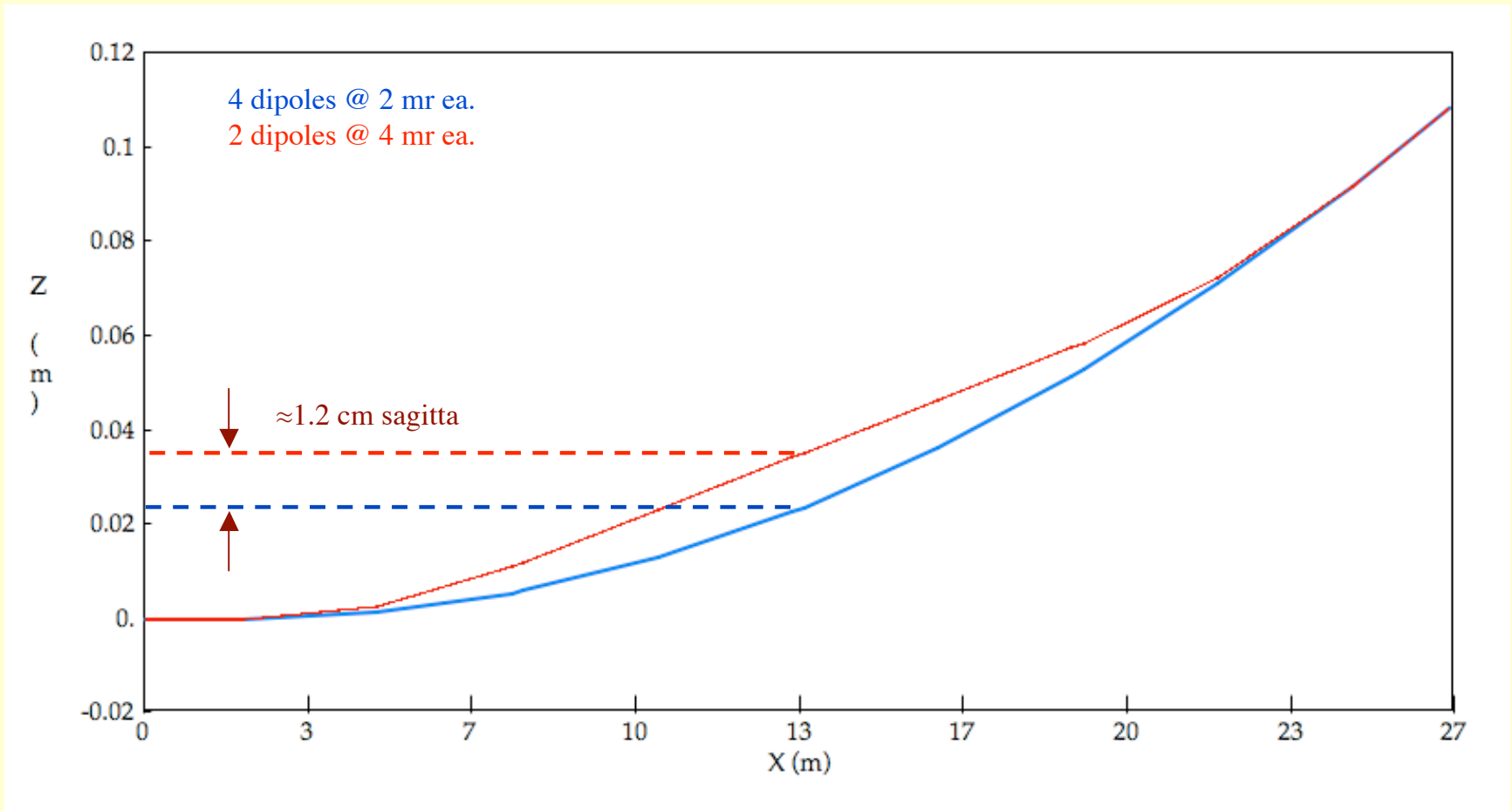


SLICKTRACK with Misalignment

forced spin match by zeroing out G-matrix elements, $\nu_s=0.1$



Switching Dipole Excitation



Summary

- Flat ring + spin rotator:
 - chance of 25...40% polarization at 60 GeV
 - ring energy quantized in 0.441-GeV steps, avoid $\gamma G \approx n$
 - lower energy helps, but S-T time becomes long
 - $\approx 50\%$ increase in τ for 10% decrease in E
 - IR design affected by spin dynamics
 - spin matching, no interleaved x and y bends
- D-G siberian-snake scheme
 - similar polarization, but indep. of energy
 - avoid moveable rotator magnets
 - but need switching of the arc dipole strings for helicity
 - higher s.r. energy loss/turn
 - less impact of synchrotron motion
- In both cases alignment is extremely important

Ring-Linac Option

- Only a few passes (if any)
 - no spin diffusion to speak of, “easy”
 - because of E -spread of beam likely want $\vec{P} \parallel \vec{B}$ in arcs
 - avoid strong correlation P with δE
- We are left with 3 Challenges:
 - C1: The e^- source
 - C2: preparing the initial spin state
 - C3: Spin Rotators in the IR
 - similar to ring-ring => no further discussion

Challenges for Ring-Linac

- **Challenge 1: The e^- source**
 - no suitable extant low- ε high I source
 - BNL working on several schemes
 - srf, issue is poisoning of cathode by backstreaming ions
 - test anticipated by end of this CY.
 - “Gatling gun” could potentially deliver 20 mA I_{ave}
 - MIT-Bates working on hollow-cathode gun
- **Challenge 2: The Wien filter**
 - used to align spin vertical.
 - E -fields scale with energy \Rightarrow use at the lowest E poss.
 - several MeV: TOUGH!
 - Can dipole & solenoid be used?



End of Presentation