



# FINE TUNING OF FCC CIRCUMFERENCE AND MULTI- BUNCH STABILITY ANALYSIS

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# Outline

**RF synchronization for FCC-hh and choice of circumference**

**FCC-ee: Offset phase optimisation for double RF**

**Coupled bunch instabilities (CBI) excited by high-order modes (HOMs) at calibration energy**

# RF synchronisation and circumference

## Synchronisation principles for hadron synchrotrons

- Last update given by Linhao Z. during FCC week 2022 [\[talk\]](#)
- FCC-hh should be compatible with potential injectors (LHC/SPS)
- FCC-ee and FCC-hh will share the same tunnel
- For a given frequency, the circumference determines the harmonic number:

$$\frac{C_2}{C_1} = \frac{n_1}{n_2} = \frac{vT_{rev,1}}{vT_{rev,2}} = \frac{h_2}{h_1}$$

- Beam transfer is possible with a periodicity of  $n_1 T_{rev,1} = n_2 T_{rev,2}$

	LHC	SPS	PS
$C$ [m]	26658.883	6911.562	628.325
$h$	35640	$2 \times 4620$	$2 \times 420$

$$f_{RF} = 400.79 \text{ MHz}$$

$$\frac{h_{LHC}}{h_{SPS}} = \frac{27}{7} \quad \frac{h_{SPS}}{h_{PS}} = \frac{11}{1}$$

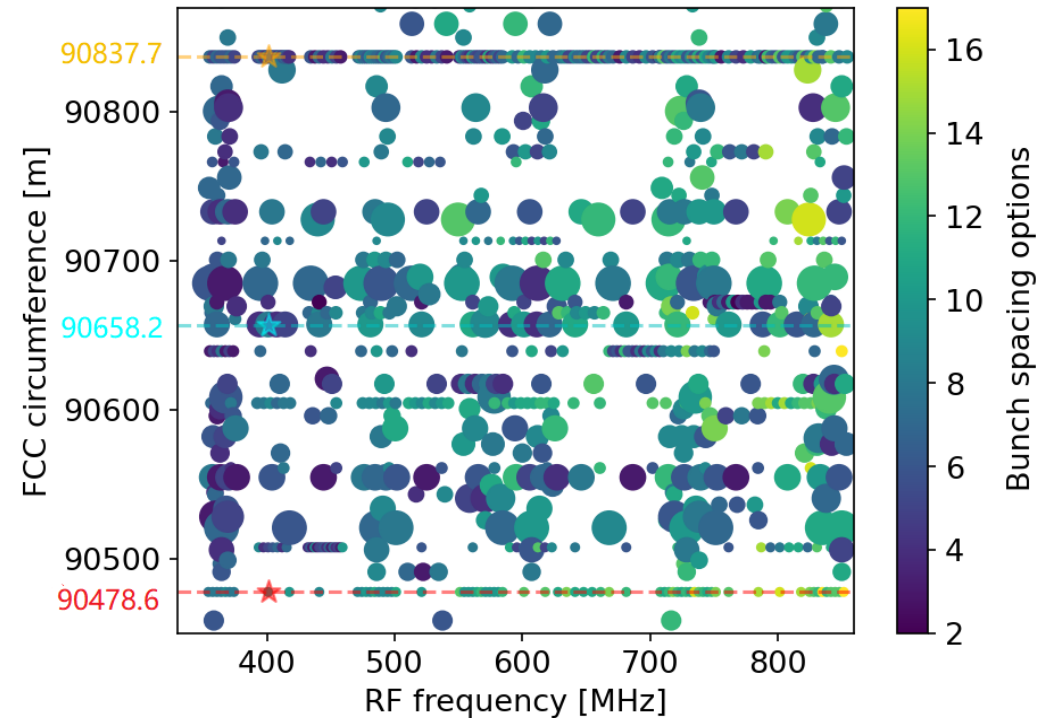
- Goal: optimize circumference based on RF synchronization

# Choice of circumference for FCC-hh

## 8 main constraints were identified:

1. Keep SPS and/or LHC as injectors of FCC-hh (**compulsory**).
2.  $C_{FCC} \approx 90.6$  km (geological constraints) (**compulsory**).
3.  $f_{RF} = 400.79$  MHz (**optional**).
4.  $h_{FCC}$  must be divisible by 2 to allow for 4 IPs (**compulsory**).
5.  $h_{FCC}$  should keep a continuous bunch clock for at least 25 ns bunch spacing (**compulsory**).
6.  $h_{FCC}$  should provide as many bunch spacings as possible (**optional**).
7. Largest prime factor of  $h_{FCC}$ ,  $h_{LHC}$  &  $h_{SPS}$  should be smaller than 300 (arbitrary) to allow generation of intermediate frequencies (**optional**).
8. Denominators in  $h_{FCC}/h_{LHC}$  and  $h_{FCC}/h_{SPS}$  should be less than 300 (arbitrary) to minimise transfer times (**optional**).

# Circumference vs RF frequency



- Color size: number of bunch spacing options
- Dot size: largest prime factor of  $h_{FCC}$

We are looking for a horizontally well-populated line with small light-coloured dots.

### Three most favorable circumference options:

$h_{FCC}$	$C_{FCC}$ [m]	$\Delta C_{FCC}$ [m]	$\frac{h_{FCC}}{h_{LHC}}$	$\frac{h_{FCC}}{h_{SPS}}$	Largest prime factor	Bucket spacings	Bunch spacings [ns]	Bunch spacing options
<b>120960</b> $= 2^7 \times 3^3 \times 5 \times 7$	90478.7	-179.5	$\frac{112}{33}$	$\frac{144}{11}$	7	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10	2.5, 5, 7.5, 10, 12.5, 15, 17.5, 20, 22.5, 25	10
<b>121200</b> $= 2^4 \times 3 \times 5^2 \times 101$	90658.2	0	$\frac{1010}{297}$	$\frac{1010}{77}$	101	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10	2.5, 5, 7.5, 10, 12.5, 15, 20, 25	8
<b>121440</b> $= 2^5 \times 3 \times 5 \times 11 \times 23$	90837.7	+179.5	$\frac{92}{27}$	$\frac{92}{7}$	23	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10	2.5, 5, 7.5, 12.5, 15, 20, 25	8

Conservative choices were deliberately made to ensure that bunch transfer and RF synchronisation would work, while allowing maximum flexibility for future parameter changes.

From [Zhang L.], to appear in ICFA BD NL#85

# Parameters update

Change of circumference and luminosity optimisation lead to parameter updates.  
The most relevant for RF are:

Parameter	Z	W	H	ttbar	
	Per beam	Per beam	2 beams	2 beams	2 beams
RF freq. [MHz]	400	400	400	400	800
RF voltage [MV]	79	1050	2100	2100	9200
Current [mA]	1280	135	53.4	10	10
E loss/turn SR [MV]	39.40	374	1890	10420	10420

From K. Oide  
(FCC Week 2023)

Stages: after the Z, W and Higgs operations, we will add 800 MHz cavities for ttbar.  
We need to know which **voltage** satisfies beam dynamics requirements.

# Optimisation of the double harmonic voltage

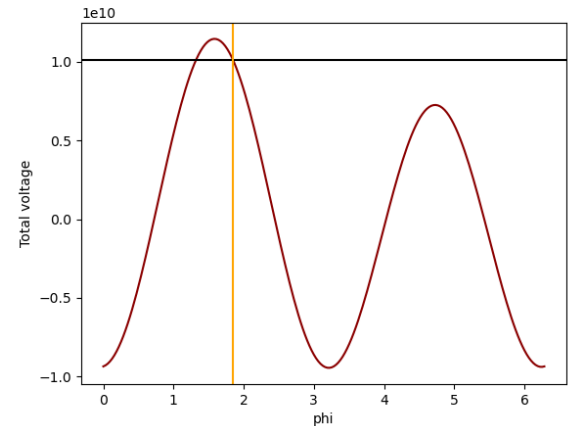
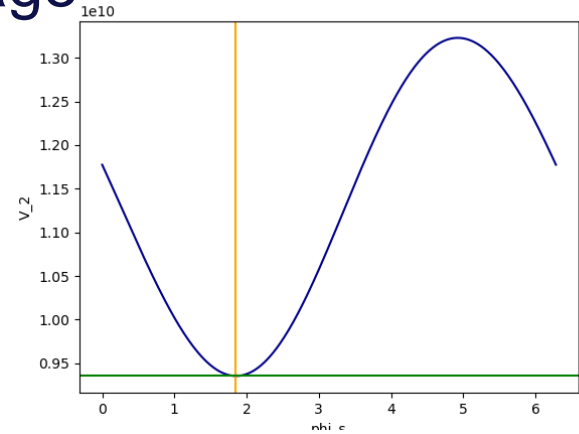
**Objective:** find the offset phase  $\Phi_2$  that minimises the required voltage  $V_{800}$  to compensate for an energy loss  $U_0 = 10.42$  GV while satisfying

$$\begin{cases} V_{400} \sin(\phi_s) + V_{800} \sin(n\phi_s + \Phi_2) = 10.42 \text{ GV} \\ \cos(\phi_s) + n \frac{V_{800}}{V_{400}} \cos(n\phi_s + \Phi_2) = \frac{Q_s^2}{C} \end{cases}$$

$$V_{800, \min} = \operatorname{argmin}_{\phi_s \in [0, 2\pi]} [V_{400} f(\phi_s)]$$

$$\phi_{s, \min} = 1.85 \quad V_{800, \min} = 9.35 \text{ GV} \quad \Phi_2 = -1.60$$

From K.Oide, FCC-ee parameter meeting, Nov. 16, 2021 [[Indico](#)]





# CBI at calibration energy due to HOMs

**Calibration: once a month, for each working point (W, H, ttbar) the machine will operate at Z pole (45.6 GeV) with maximum possible current to minimise calibration time.**

Standard formulae for the shunt impedance threshold (only one sideband contributes) are:

$$Z_{\parallel}^{\text{th}}(f) = \frac{2E_b Q_s}{e I_{b,\text{DC}} \eta \tau f}$$

$$Z_{\perp}^{\text{th}} = \frac{E_b}{e f_{\text{rev}} I_{b,\text{DC}} \beta_{xy} \tau}$$

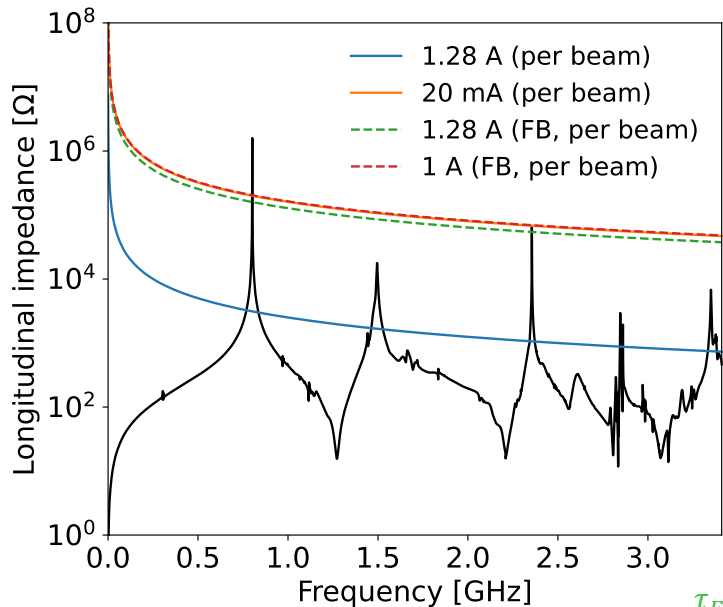
The impedance instability threshold is:

- proportional to the energy
- inversely proportional to the current

Low energy will drive coupled bunched instabilities. What is the **maximum current** allowed for energy calibration at each working point?

**The damping time  $\tau$  can be acted on to mitigate the threshold** : Will synchrotron radiation suffice to suppress transverse CBI due to HOMs or is a bunch-by-bunch feedback system required?

# Longitudinal and transverse CBI due to HOMs: **tbar** at calibration energy



$$E_b = 45.6 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\tau = \tau_{SR}, \tau_{FB}$$

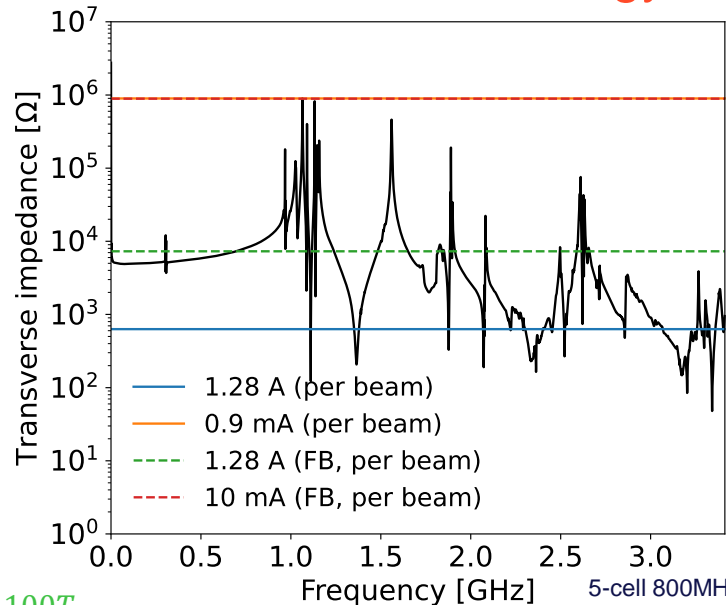
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$$\tau_{FB,l} = \frac{2T_0}{Q_s}$$

$$\tau_{FB,t} = 100T_0$$

	$\tau_{SR}$	$\tau_{FB}$	
$I_{max}$	20 mA	1 A	(per beam)

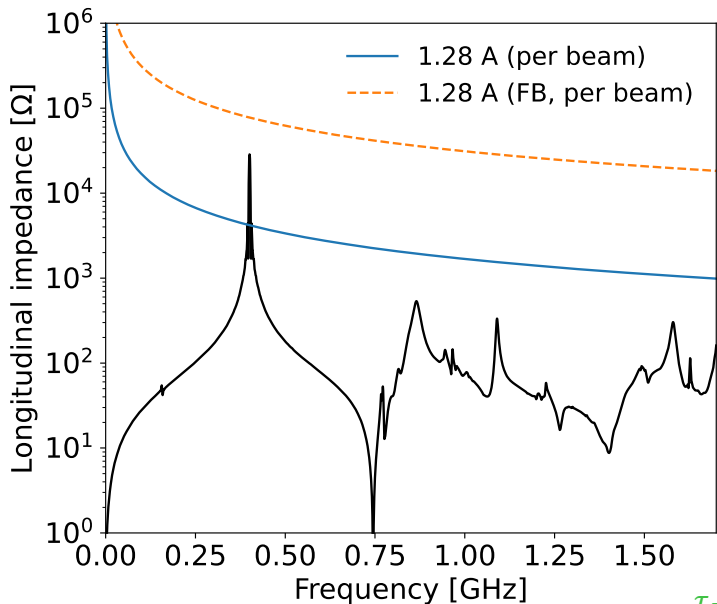


	$\tau_{SR}$	$\tau_{FB}$	
$I_{max}$	0.9 mA	10 mA	(per beam)

5-cell 800MHz  
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- Limit instabilities → need safety margin (a factor of 3-10) → Even lower current is required
- Transverse stability is the main concern → more aggressive FB system needs to be explored

# Longitudinal and transverse CBI due to HOMs: Higgs at calibration energy



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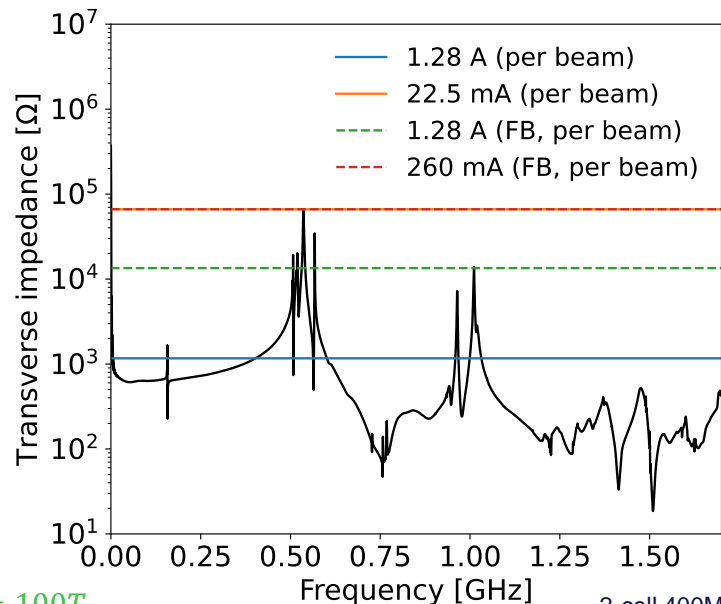
$$\tau = \tau_{SR}, \tau_{FB}$$

$$Z_{\parallel}^{\text{th}}(f) = \frac{2E_b Q_s}{e I_{b,DC} \eta \tau f}$$

$$Z_{\perp}^{\text{th}} = \frac{E_b}{e f_{\text{rev}} I_{b,DC} \beta_{xy} \tau}$$

$$\tau_{FB,l} = \frac{2T_0}{Q_s}$$

$$\tau_{FB,t} = 100T_0$$



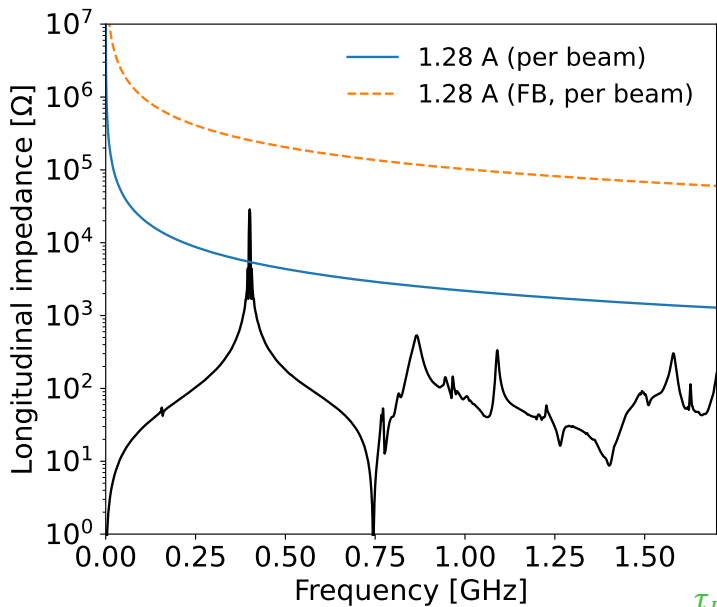
	$\tau_{SR}$	$\tau_{FB}$	
$I_{max}$	nominal	nominal	(per beam)

2-cell 400MHz  
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	$\tau_{SR}$	$\tau_{FB}$	
$I_{max}$	22.5 mA	260 mA	(per beam)

- Limit instabilities → need safety margin (a factor of 3-10) → even lower current required
- Transverse stability is the main concern → more aggressive FB systems need to be explored
- Due to lower impedance, maximum current larger than for ttbar

# Longitudinal and transverse CBI due to HOMs: **W** at calibration energy



$$E_b = 45.6 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\tau = \tau_{SR}, \tau_{FB}$$

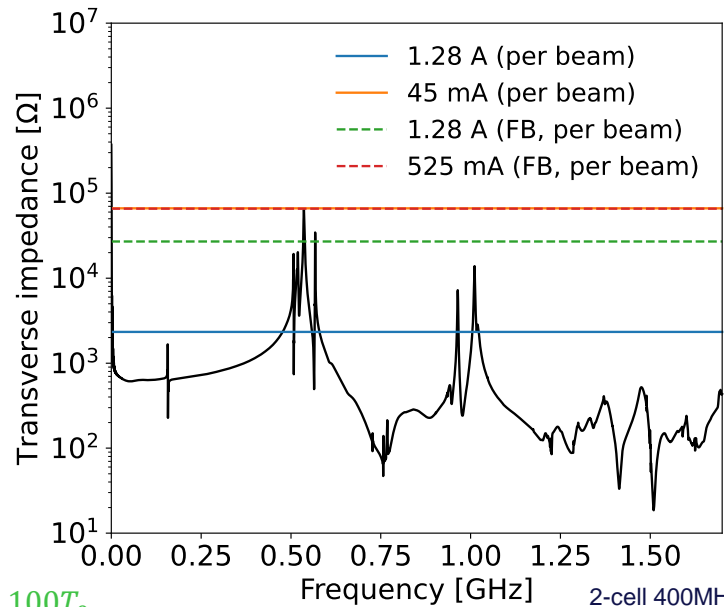
$$Z_{\parallel}^{\text{th}}(f) = \frac{2E_b Q_s}{e I_{b,DC} \eta \tau f}$$

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$$\tau_{FB,l} = \frac{2T_0}{Q_s}$$

$$\tau_{FB,t} = 100T_0$$

	$\tau_{SR}$	$\tau_{FB}$	
$I_{max}$	nominal	nominal	(per beam)



	$\tau_{SR}$	$\tau_{FB}$	
$I_{max}$	45 mA	525 mA	(per beam)

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- Limit instabilities → need safety margin (a factor of 3-10)
- Higher current allowed due to less cavities

# Summary

- FCC circumference further reduced from 2022, current design  $C_{FCC} = 90658.154$  m
- Following the collider parameters update, the 800 MHz RF voltage was optimised
- At calibration energy (Z mode 45.6 GV), the maximum current allowed are (without margin):

## Longitudinal

$I_{max}$	$\tau_{SR}$	$\tau_{FB}$
<i>ttbar</i>	20 mA	1 A
<i>Higgs</i>	nominal	nominal
<i>W</i>	nominal	nominal

## Transverse

$I_{max}$	$\tau_{SR}$	$\tau_{FB}$
<i>ttbar</i>	0.9 mA	10 mA
<i>Higgs</i>	22.5 mA	260 mA
<i>W</i>	45 mA	525 mA

- Feasibility of more aggressive feedback should be explored
- Maximum current might be further reduced after analysis of:
  - Stability limits due to fundamental mode impedance
  - RF power limits due to beam loading
  - Higher-order modes power losses



Thank you  
for your attention.



# Additional Slides

## 2 cell vs 5 cell impedance dominance

Impedance largely dominated by 5-cell 800 MHz (red curve) vs 2-cell 400 MHz (black curve)

