



Update on transverse collective effect studies for the RCS

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Introduction

- At the Collaboration meeting in October 2022
 - [Presentation](#) on RCS1 collective effect studies
 - First investigation on the impact of (many) RF cavities on transverse stability
- Since the last collaboration meeting
 - Refined impedance model with all cavities and high-order modes
 - First estimates of bunch offset effect and two-beam instability growth-rate in cavities

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Goal of the study

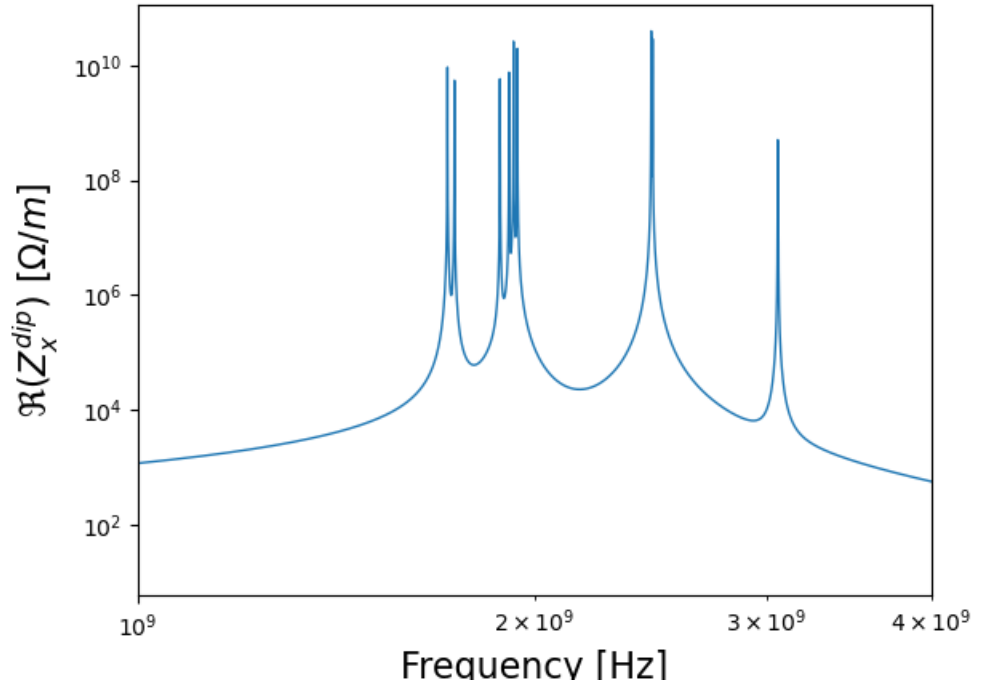
- Transverse offset could degrade the transverse emittance
 - Injections errors can come from field errors in kicker magnets, transfer line steering...
 - Transverse offset at the impedance location (RF cavities) can also be amplified
- Check the tolerance we have and investigate mitigation measures

Main hypotheses for the study

- Single 63 GeV muon beam, 14.7 GeV energy gain per turn
- **O(700) RF** cavities distributed over **32 stations**
- Assume the chromaticity is corrected to zero $Q'_x=Q'_y=0$
- No detuning from octupoles
- **Muon decay**, and subsequent intensity loss, **not included**
- **Single-beam impedance** considered
- Initial bunch intensity of $2.6 \cdot 10^{12}$ muons

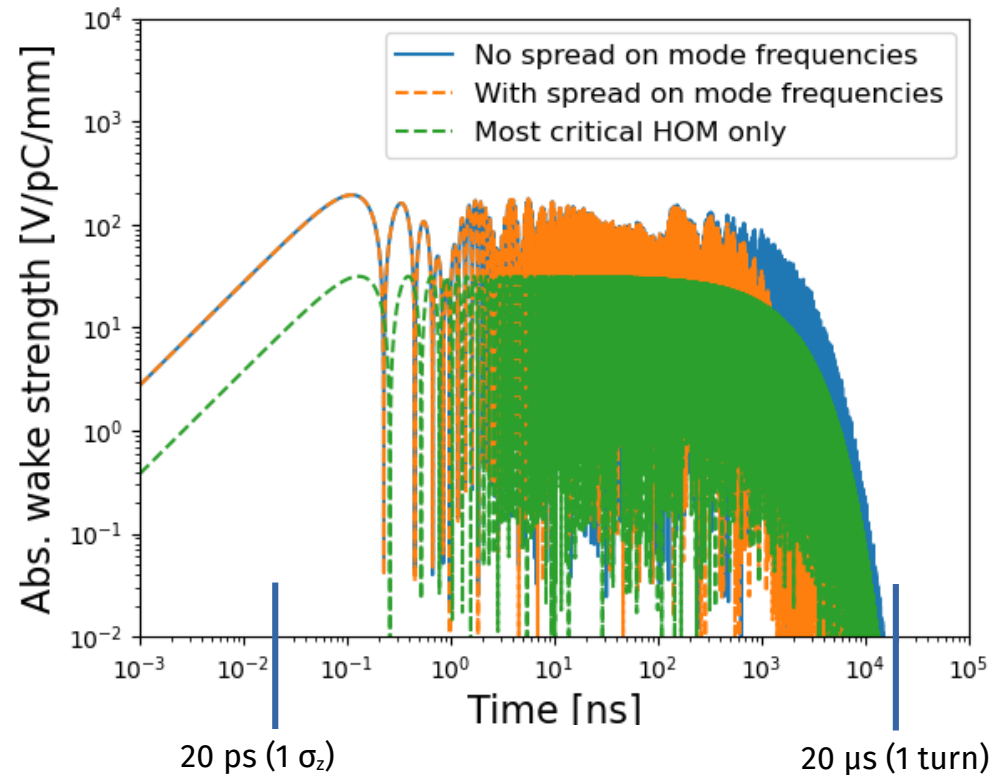
Impedance model with TESLA cavity HOMs

- Impedance model: 670 Low Loss (LL) TESLA type RF cavities (see [J. Sekutowicz et al.](#))
- HOMs described in the paper, no frequency detuning of the modes between cavities



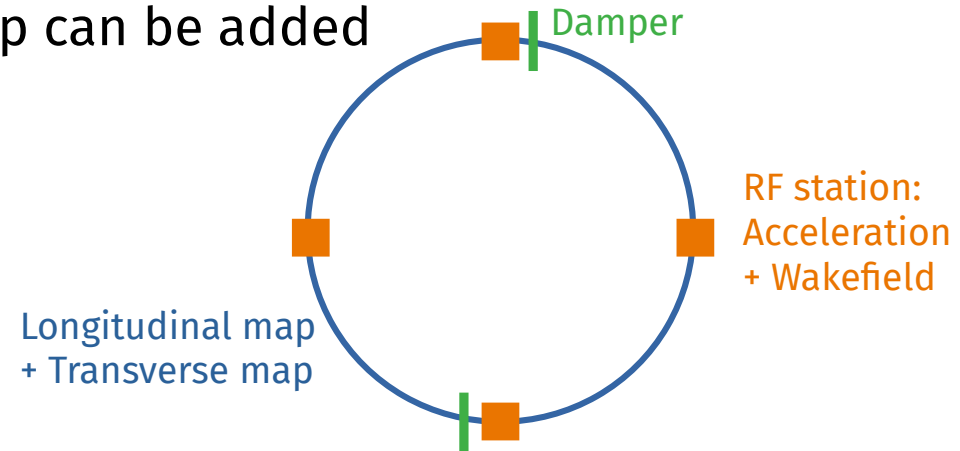
Wakefield with TESLA cavity HOMs

- Assume that the HOM frequencies f_{res} are distributed according to a Gaussian probability function with $\sigma = 10^{-4} \cdot f_{\text{res},0}$
- Adding a spread on HOM frequency doesn't affect the short range wake (1 σ bunch length in RCS 1 \approx 20 ps)



Simulation setup

- Simulations performed with tracking code PyHEADTAIL
 - The ring is divided in **32 RF stations**
 - Acceleration + Wakefield at each station
 - Longitudinal + Transverse tracking between stations
 - Between 1 and 32 Damper tracking step can be added



Beam and machine parameters for the RCS 1

Beam parameters	Unit	Value
Synchrotron tune Q_s		1.8
Synchrotron period	turns	0.55
Bunch length 1σ	mm	5.7
Bunch intensity	Particles per bunch	2.6e12
ϵ_x / ϵ_y	$\mu\text{m rad}$	25
# of macroparticles		50000

Parameters from F. Batsch RCS tables

Machine parameters	Unit	Value
Circumference	m	5990
Beam momentum	GeV/c	63
Energy increase per turn	GeV	14.7
Rev. frequency	kHz	50
RF frequency	MHz	1300
Harmonic number		25957
RF voltage	GV	20.9
α_p		0.0024
Avg. beta x/y	m	50 / 50
Chromaticity Q'_x/Q'_y		0 / 0
Detuning from octupoles x/y	m^{-1}	0 / 0

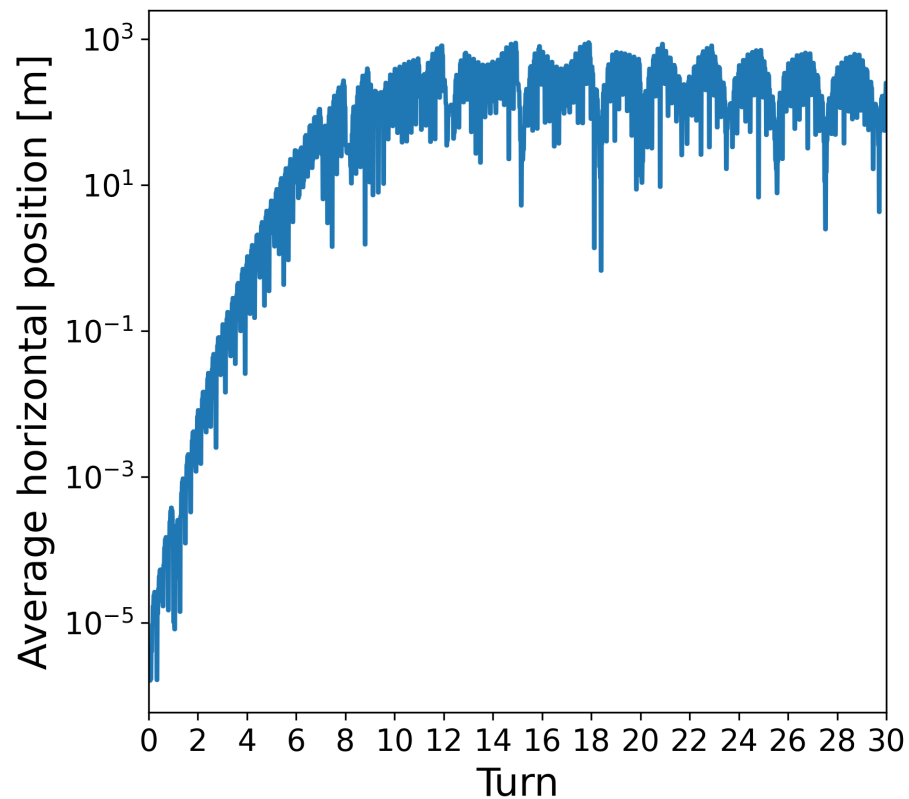
Parameter scan for the transverse offset study

- Perform scan on different parameters:
 - Initial transverse bunch offset from 0.1 μm to 5 mm
 - Transverse feedback damping time from 2-turn to 20-turn and no damper
 - Number of damper elements along the ring, from 1 to 32

Single bunch can become quickly unstable

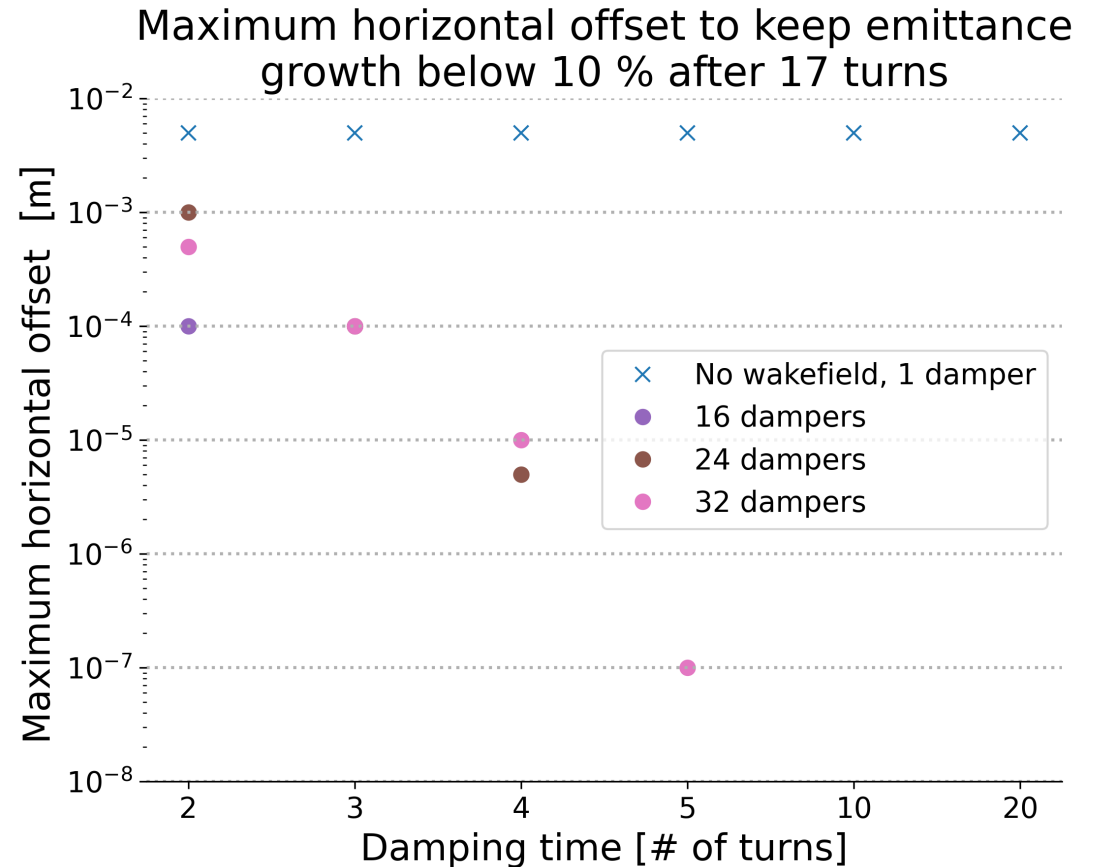
Transverse phase space
video of unstable bunch

1 μm initial offset, 4 dampers along the ring,
2-turn damping time



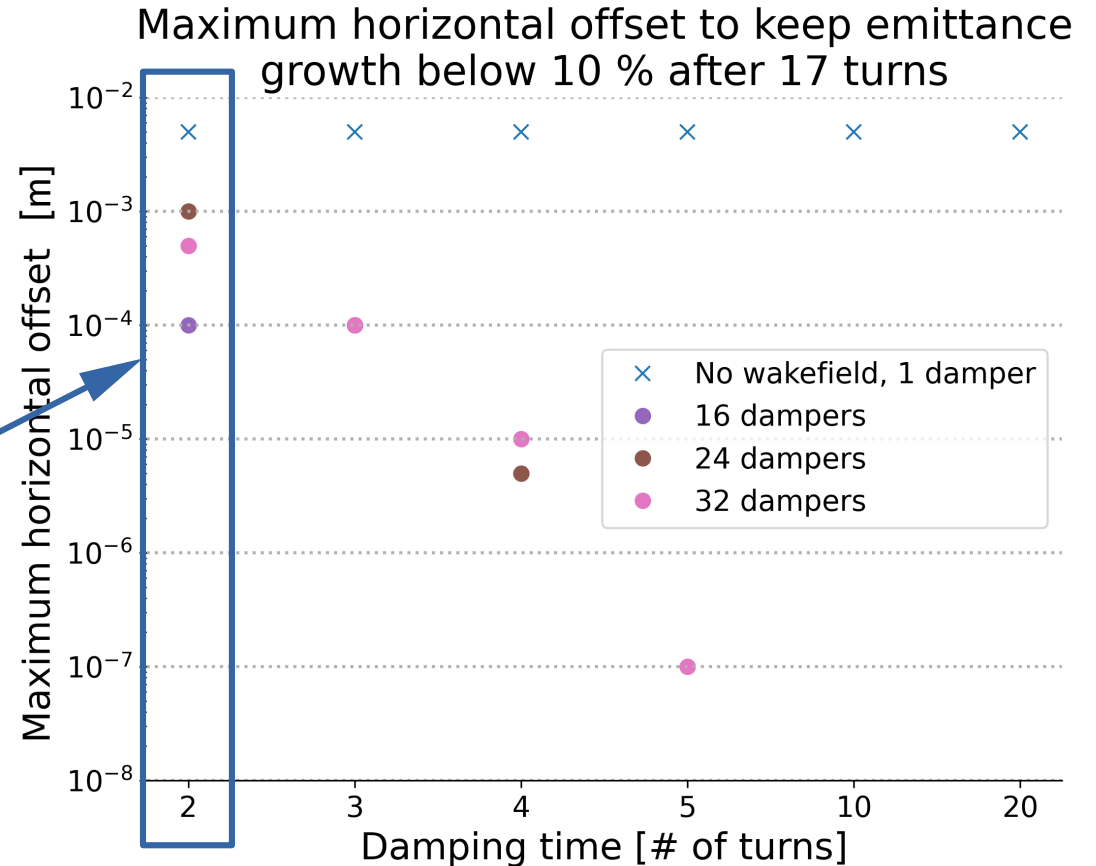
Maximum tolerable offset versus number of dampers + damping time

- Multiple transverse damper units along the ring are required to stabilize the beam
- Strong dampers are needed to tolerate a larger offset



Take home: small offset can be tolerated and many dampers are required

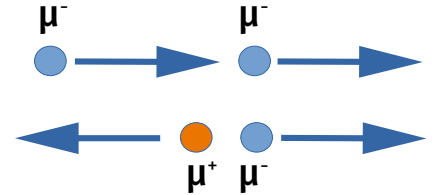
- At least **16 dampers required, half the RF stations**
- **With 16 dampers the initial bunch offset should be smaller than 100 μm to preserve transverse emittance**



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Principle of growth-rate estimate

- Analytic estimate following [J. Wang](#) derivations for LEP cavities
 - Estimate instability growth-rate for co-moving versus counter-moving particles
 - In LEP case: 4 bunches per beam, no crossing in RF cavities
 - 640 cavity cells treated as independent cavities
- Estimation applied to the RCS case
 - Single bunch per beam
 - 670 TESLA cavities (multi-cells). The HOM table is given for one full cavity → treat each cavity as one element in the model.



First quick estimate for the RCS 1

- First estimate assumes that all HOMs have the same frequency
 - Co-moving “growth-rate” / counter moving “growth-rate”:
 $\alpha / \bar{\alpha} = 34.6 \text{ s}^{-1} / 37.7 \text{ s}^{-1} \approx 1$
 - Similar growth rate for the co-moving and counter-moving beams
 - With this first pessimistic estimate, the instability growth-rate would be a factor 2 larger
- The spread in the cavity HOMs frequencies would reduce both the co-moving and counter-moving growth rates
 - This case is derived in Wang paper and being evaluated for the RCS

Conclusions and next steps

- From tracking studies, the **bunch offset at the impedance location need to be optimized**, and **many transverse dampers are required**
 - The large number of cavities and strong HOMs lead to **fast transverse blow-up in the first turns**
 - Many strong transverse damper units are needed to keep the beam stable
 - **Beam-beam effects** are being investigated, and **could mitigate the instability** (RCS 1 beam-beam parameter is similar to the 10 TeV collider)
- **Growth-rates from two beam impedance** were first estimated analytically
 - Similar growth-rate for counter-moving and co-moving beams → in first estimate the growth-rate is a **factor 2 larger because of the second beam**
 - **Effect of cavity HOM frequency spread** is being investigated and could mitigate this effect

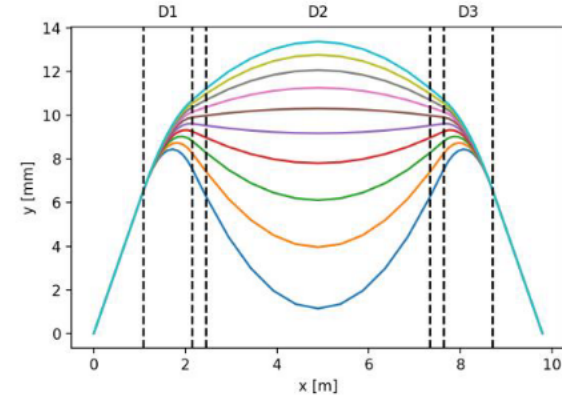
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Trajectory during ramp

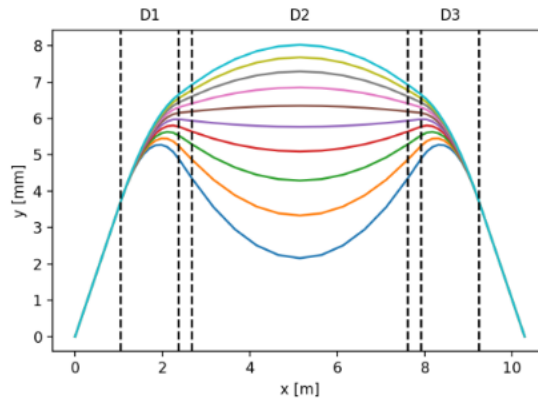
A. Chancé, [RCS parameters and optimization](#)

- From injection to extraction the trajectory goes from the inner side to the outer side.
- The trajectory difference goes up to more than 13 mm.

RCS2



RCS3



RCS4

