

The progress of beam-beam simulation and related researches of STCF

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Super Tau Charm Facility (STCF)

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STCF: A natural and feasible extension project of BEPCII/ BESIII in the near future, China's preferred medium-term strategy in particle physics



- $E_{\rm cm}$ = 2-7 GeV, $\mathcal{L} > 0.5 \times 10^{35}$ cm $^{-2}$ s $^{-1}$
- Potential for upgrade to increase luminosity and realize polarized beam
- Site: 1 km², Hefei's suburban "Future Big Science City"



Deliver a massive amount of taus and hadrons composed of charm quark, allow for the studies of particle composition, the deep structure of matter, as well as the fundamental interaction forces

- 14th five-years plan (2021-2025): Conceptual design and R&D of Key technology, 5 years, 0.42 B CNY
- 15th five-years plan (2026-2030): Construction 6 years, 4.5 B CNY
- Operating for 10 years, upgrade for 3 years, operating again for another 8 years



Introduction to the research work on beam-beam interaction

Research emphasis of Beam-Beam Interaction:

- Achieving Stable High Luminosity through Optimization of Beam-Beam Parameters to Guide Lattice Design:
 - Selection of working points to avoid harmful resonance lines.
 - > Choice of μ_s and crossing angle to achieve more stable high-luminosity regions.
 - ≻ Limits on current → bunch particle number → beambeam parameters.



Luminosity simulation results for different working points in the 800m lattice.

Research emphasis of Beam-Beam Interaction:

- Exploring the Impact of Beam-Beam Interaction and Beam Instability under Extreme Luminosity Conditions:
 - One of our key research areas is investigating new instabilities caused by the increase in the beam-beam parameter ξy when using the crab waist scheme under large Piwinski angles. Due to the coupling between the longitudinal and transverse planes, the beam-beam interaction is essentially three-dimensional. We will focus on effects such as coherent X-Z instability and 3D triggers to fully understand their impact on collider performance.
 - Another focus is the coupling between beam-beam interaction and lattice nonlinearity and impedance. This includes considering the vertical beam-beam interaction and ring impedance, as well as strong coherent positive tail instability related to the transverse mode coupling instability threshold.
 Special attention will be given to the relationship between nonlinear factors introduced by the crab sextupole and beam-beam interaction.



The impact of X-Z instability is relatively small in the 800m lattice.

Beam-beam simulation code

- Weak-strong model: Multi-macro particle model and single-macro particle model.
 - Strong Beam: Fixed Gaussian distribution, unaffected by the weak beam.
 - Weak Beam: The transverse field effect of the strong beam is calculated using the Bassetti-Erskine formula; the crossing angle is handled by introducing a Lorentz transformation; the finite bunch length allows for longitudinal slicing of the strong beam.
 - Advantages: Low computational cost (equivalent to introducing only one additional nonlinear element).
- > Disadvantages: Not self-consistent, unable to simulate complex instabilities such as coupling impedance.
- ➢ Current Usage: BBWS.
- Strong-Strong Model: Both bunches are fully modeled using macroparticles.
- The beam-beam interaction is calculated using the Particle-In-Cell (PIC) method, or by first fitting a Gaussian distribution and then applying the Bassetti-Erskine formula.
- Compared to the weak-strong model, it includes:
 - (1) Beam-beam interaction at the IP can account for beamstrahlung.
 - (2) The linear mapping during arc transport includes synchrotron radiation effects (damping + fluctuation).
 - (3) The influence of the full-ring longitudinal wakefield is included at the IP before the collision.
- Disadvantages: High computational cost.
 Advantages: Self-consistent and more accurate.
- ➢ Current Usage: IBB, BBSS.
 - Particle In Cell (PIC)
 - Gaussian approximation.

• Lattice transformation compatible with SAD (by Li Zhiyuan, APES-T).

• • Developed by cuda (nvcc) on NVIDIA GPU

IBB, Y.Zhang , IHEP BBWS, BBSS K. Ohmi ,KEK



2 Simulation of beam- beam interaction at 600m

600m lattice

The important changes

- Circumference $702 \rightarrow 616.76$ m
- β_{χ}^* 90 \rightarrow 40 mm
- ε_y 20.8 \rightarrow 22.35 pm
- Momentum compaction factor
- Energy spread

Natural bunch length



Parameters	Units	STCF	
Optimal beam energy, <i>E</i>	GeV	2	
Circumference, C	m	616.76	
Crossing angle, 2θ	mrad	60	
Relative gamma		3913.9	
Revolution period, T_0	μS	2.057	
Revolution frequency, f_0	kHz	486.08	
Horizontal emittance, ε _x	nm	4.47	
Coupling, <i>k</i>		0.50%	
Vertical emittance, ε _γ	pm	22.35	
Hor. beta function at IP, β_x	mm	40	
Ver. beta function at IP, β_v	mm	0.6	
Hor. beam size at IP, σ_x	μm	13.37	
Ver. beam size at IP, $\sigma_{ m v}$	μm	0.116	
Betatron tune, v_x/v_y	·	31.552/24.572	
Momentum compaction factor, α_p	10 ⁻⁴	10.27	
Energy spread, σ_{ϵ}	10 ⁻⁴	8.77	
Beam current, I	А	2	
Number of bunches, n _b		512	
Single-bunch current, I _b	mA	3.91	
Particles per bunch, N _b	10 ¹⁰	5.02	
Single-bunch charge	nC	8.04	
Energy loss per turn, U ₀	keV	273	
Hor. damping time, τ_x	ms	30.14	
Ver. damping time, τ_y	ms	30.14	
Long. damping time, τ_z	ms	15.07	
RF frequency, f _{RF}	MHz	497.5	
Harmonic number, <i>h</i>		1024	
RF voltage, V _{RF}	MV	1.2	
Synchronous phase, φ _s	deg	167	
Synchrotron tune, v_z		0.0099	
Bunch length, σ_z	mm	8.94	
Natural bunch length, σ_z	mm	8.94	
RF bucket height, $(\Delta E/E)_{max}$	%	1.56	
Piwinski angle, φ _{Piw}	rad	20.06	
Hor. beam-beam parameter, ξ _x		0.0032	
Ver. beam-beam parameter, ξ _y		0.111	
Equivalent bunch length, σ_{z_e}	mm	0.45	
Hour-glass factor, F _h		0.9066	
Luminosity, L	cm ⁻² s ⁻¹	1.45E+35	

Input parameters also input parameters

parameters from lattice design output parameters (use formula)

Verification of luminosity at 600m operating point:





comparison of parameters	STCF (v3)
L (m)	616.76
βy*	0.6mm
peak luminosity	1.4e35 <i>cm</i> -2 <i>s</i> -1
ξχ/ξγ	0.0038/0.106
VZ	0.0096
design bunch population	5.02e10
σx /σy (μm)	15.19/0.132
σz (mm)	8.21(vs natural bunch length8.2)

The influence of current intensity on the luminosity of 600m:

change with different number of particles



Dependence on convective strength at design operating point (552,572)

The impact of X-Z instability on 600m luminosity:

Beam-beam simulation results from IBB



 There is strong X-Z instability near the designed operating point.





 $2\theta = 0.06 \text{ nvy} = .572$

Beam-beam parameter (nominal) for e- = 0.9884 1.7119 for e+ = 0.9884 1.7119 Beam-beam tune shift & TrM for e+ = 0.0039 0.1176

Close to xix

- In the X-Z resonance, the stable high-luminosity region is relatively narrow.
- Adjustment direction:
 - \geq 1. Adjust the μ s ;
 - ➤ 2. Turn down θ;
 - > 3. Reduce beta βx , σx

The impact of vs on the luminosity of 600m: Adjustment of nus

- Smaller nus narrow the resonance, more disturbance
- Bigger nus widens the distance between vertical resonances



nus =0.005

nus=0.0099(design)

Beam-beam simulation results from BBWS

The impact of vs on X-Z instability:



- The X-Z instability can be adjusted by changing vs.
- Increasing vs from 0.0099 to 0.02 significantly broadens the stable high-luminosity region, but slightly decreases the peak luminosity.
- The luminosity degradation caused by X-Z instability weakens as vs decreases, but it becomes more concentrated.

The impact of the crossing angle on 600m luminosity:

 $L_i = \frac{\sigma_z}{\sqrt{1+\phi^2}} \approx \frac{\sigma_x}{\theta}$

Smaller crossing angle higher luminosity.



 $2\theta = 0.04$

 $2\theta = 0.06(\text{design})$

 $2\theta = 0.08$

• The luminosity does not significantly increase when the crossing angle is decreased.

XZ Instability at Different Crossing Angles:



$2\theta = 0.04 \text{ nvy} = .545$

 $2\theta = 0.06 \text{ nvy} = .572$

Beam-Beam Simulation Results for 600m with Lattice:



- The instability caused by the lattice further narrows the range of stable working points, making the originally designed working point unstable.
- The luminosity at the designed working point drops significantly, failing to meet the design • target.

Challenges on IR design for new-generation e⁺e⁻ colliders



D. Zhou, USTC seminar, 2023 Linhao Zhang USTC, 2024



The choice of β_{γ}^* and *L** and crossing angle 2 θ for STCF:

- A large crossing angle of 60 mrad can achieve rapid separation of the two beams and avoid parasitic collisions;
- → $L^* \ge 0.9$ m is required to provide sufficient space for installation of the dual-aperture quadrupole QD0 .
- → β_y^* of 0.6mm is now set to achieve the goal luminosity of 10^{35} cm⁻²s⁻¹, (as reducing β_y^* is the most effective way to increase luminosity). However, probably β_y^* can be raised to 0.8mm from 0.6mm, helping mitigate chromaticity and nonlinearity, with same luminosity.

• Change the chromaticity



- With the working point unchanged, adjust CCY and CCX sextupoles to control chromaticity.
- The results do not directly indicate whether chromaticity is the cause of beam instability introduced by the lattice.



Beam-Beam Interaction Simulation Study for 800m

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800m VS 600m:



• CW has a more significant effect in increasing the area of the high-luminosity region for 800m.

Simulation result at the 800m working point:



- The luminosity reaches the engineering design target.
- Slightly lower than the design luminosity.

STCF-CR-Para-V0

SICF-CR-Faid-VU		
Parameters	Units	Value
Ontined been energy E	Call	2
Circumference	Gev	847.76
Crossing angle 2 A	mrad	60
	m	0.9
Relative gamma		3913.9
Revolution period, T_0	шя	2.828
Revolution frequency, f_0	kHz	353.63
Horizontal emittance, s.	nm	7.532
Coupling. k		0.50%
Vertical emittance, 8,	pm	37.66
Hor, beta function at IP, $\mathbf{B}_{\mathbf{x}}$	mm	40
Ver. beta function at IP. B.	mm	0.6
Hor, beam size at IP, G .	um	17.36
Ver, beam size at IP, G	um	0.150
Betatron tune v /v	perio	30 55/30 57
Momentum compaction factor α	10-4	12.20
Energy encoder	10	12.29
Beam current	10	8.41
Bunch filling ratio	~	50%
Number of bunches, n _b		707
Bunch spacing AT.	ns	40
Single-bunch current, In	mA	2.83
Particles per bunch N _b	10 ¹⁰	5.00
Total particles per banen, Ng	10 ¹³	3.53
Single-bunch charge	nC	8.00
Energy loss per turn. U ₀	keV	396.4
SR power per beam, Pen	MW	0.7928
Hor damping time T	ms	28.54
Ver damping time, $\tau_{\rm X}$	ms	20.54
Long damping time, ty	ms	20.54
PE frequency f	MU	14.27
Harmonic number	IVIHZ	499.7
RE voltage V	MV	1413
	deg	160
Synchronous phase, ϕ_s	ueg	0.0165
Synchrotron tune, v _z		0.0105
Natural bunch length, σ_z	mm	8.47
RF DUCKET height, $(\Delta E/E)_{max}$	%	1.61
Piwinski angle, φ _{Piw}	rad	14.64
Hor. beam-beam parameter, ξ_x		0.0035
Ver. beam-beam parameter, ξ _y		0.090
Equivalent bunch length, G _{z e}	mm	0.58
Hour-glass factor, F _h		0.8663
Luminosity, L	cm ⁻² s ⁻¹	1.13E+35



- The current threshold and beam-beam limit occur around np=4.5e10.
- Since 550 is not a stable working point, ξy does not remain constant but instead drops.

The results of FCCee:

K. Ohmi , FCCee optics meeting, Apr. 4, 2024

Bunch population dependence

Luminosity

Specific lumi

Normalized lumi



- The target luminosity is achieved.
- The beam loss affects the simulation result for SG in $N_p = 2.14 \times 10^{11}$.



- After shifting the working point to 552, the ξy decay disappears.
- The beam-beam limit has not been reached when $np \le 6.2$.

High-Luminosity Region Scan Near the 800m Working Point:



- There is unstable luminosity oscillation around 0.550.
- At 0.54x, in an unstable region, luminosity drops significantly.
- Luminosity at 0.55x remains mostly stable above the design luminosity of 1e35.

High-Luminosity Region Scan Near the 800m Working Point:



- The luminosity remains stable at around 1.12e35 in the range of 0.551–0.558.
- Luminosity near the 0.55 point is unstable.
- The current X-Z oscillation period is relatively large, nus=0.0165>5*ξ_x (0.0035).

Summary:

- The adjusted 800m structure is less susceptible to X-Z instability than the 600m structure and has a more stable luminosity region.
- The horizontal design working point for 800m requires a slight adjustment.

Ongoing Work:

- Conducting GPU-based beam-beam simulations with lattice for 800m.
- Simulating the coupling with impedance wakefields.
- Attempt to use methods such as Frequency Map Analysis (FMA) to further investigate the reasons behind the luminosity reduction caused by the beam-beam interaction when the lattice is introduced.

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First edition lattice

parameters	values	
Circumference /m	707.258	
Beam energy/GeV	2*, 1-3.5	
Crossing angle (2θ)/mrad	60	
current/A	1.5	
$\left(eta_x^*/eta_y^* ight)$ /mm	64.1/0.638	
$\mathbf{\epsilon}(\mathbf{\epsilon}_x/\mathbf{\epsilon}_y)$ /nm·rad	2.85/0.0285	
ν_x/ν_y	30.523 / 28.538	
chromaticity(C _x /C _y)	-95.291/-346.239	
Momentum compaction factor	1.237×10 ⁻³	
Energy spread	4.034×10 ⁻⁴	
Energy loss per turn/keV	78.4	
(σ _x /σ _y)/μm	13.61/1.39	
ξ	0.04-0.06 (estimate)	
Hourglass factor	0.8 (estimate)	
Luminosity/×10 ³⁵ cm ⁻² s ⁻¹	0.63-0.95	

Preliminary lattice design results (no nolinear)



Snake

From Q. Luo "STCF-ACC Accelerator concept introduction and summary",2020.

Design of wiggler

□ Add damping wiggler

• damping time :

52ms → 36ms



(0.536,0.575,0.016)

	damping time/ms	lum at 1dt	lum at 2dt	lum at 3dt
12000	24.68	10.1225	10.025	10.015
16000	32.91	9.895	9.81	9.7975
17500	35.99	9.8225	9.7225	9.725
18180	37.39	9.79	9.685	9.6925
20000	41.13	9.7	9.62	9.5925
25000	51.42	9.4925	9.3725	/

design parameter of damping wiggler :

Single DW length	1.8	m
Period	20	cm
Number of DW	4	
Field quality (x=1cm)	<10 ⁻³	

[Energy	1	1.5	2	2.5	GeV
	Wiggler field B _w	5.1	3.7	2.3	0	Т
[Wiggler SR power per DW	59.3	70.2	48.2	0	kW
[Damping intergral per DW	23.41	12.32	4.76	0	T ² m

The luminosity of different damping time

Analysis of luminosity under different cross angles:

Both at (572, 552)



xangle (half) = 30.00 (mrad)

xangle (half) = 20.00 (mrad)

$$\mathcal{L} = H_D \frac{N^2 f_r n_b}{4\pi \sigma_x \sigma_y} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\sigma_z}{\sigma_x} \tan \frac{\theta_c}{2}\right)^2}}$$

The longitudinal size is much larger than the transverse size.

$$\mathcal{L} = H_D rac{N^2 f_r n_b}{4 \pi \sigma_x \sigma_y} st \left(rac{\sigma_x}{\sigma_z} / an rac{ heta_c}{2}
ight)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{0.04}/\mathcal{L}_{0.06}= heta_{0.06}/ heta_{0.04}=1.5$$

Luminosity_0_0.04/ Luminosity_0_0.06 = 4.476E+32/ 3.137E +32 ≈1.427 The y-direction increases by about eight times



the X-direction increases by about twice



 The initial luminosity satisfies the formula relation, but the luminosity decreases due to blow-up in the vertical direction.

WS result vs SS result



Unstable for 0.04 when SS simulation.

XZ Instability at Different Crossing Angles:



$2\theta = 0.04 \text{ nvy} = .545$

 $2\theta = 0.06 \text{ nvy} = .572$



- After np>5.2, the luminosity no longer increases with the number of particles.
- The increase in emittance occurs earlier.



- The horizontal emittance growth precedes the vertical emittance growth.
- The horizontal emittance begins its first rapid increase at *np*>4.2.
- The rapid increase in vertical emittance starts at np>4.7, coinciding with the second rapid increase in horizontal emittance.



- The growth is mainly related to σx and has little to do with $\sigma x'$.
- The second rapid vertical growth and the third rapid horizontal growth occur together at np>5.2.

WS scan



• The luminosity does not significantly increase when the crossing angle is decreased.



Longitudinal dynamics design considerations

Coherent X-Z instability

- A newly discovered coherent beam-beam interaction under a large Piwinski angle using strong-strong beam-beam simulations
 - \rightarrow primarily leads to an increase in the horizontal emittance ε_x
 - \rightarrow Considering the coupling between horizontal and vertical emittances, it eventually results in an increase in the vertical emittance ε_y and a collapse of the luminosity
- This instability cannot be suppressed through beam feedback systems, but can only be avoided through appropriate parameter optimization
 - \rightarrow Typically, a stringent requirement of $\xi_x \ll \nu_z$ is imposed to have wide region for the selection of working point without beam blow-up

 \rightarrow In the case of STCF, $\nu_z / \xi_x \ge 3$ is expected.









Longitudinal dynamics design considerations

Lattice Design and Damping Wigglers

- Lattice design is crucial for achieving high luminosity by achieving the required optical parameters at IP and by optimizing nonlinear dynamics aperture
- Additionally, it defines the momentum compaction factor α_p and natural energy spread σ_{δ} in the electron storage ring through synchrotron radiation integrals. $\alpha_p = \frac{I_1}{C_0}$ $\sigma_{\delta}^2 = C_q \gamma^2 \frac{I_3}{j_z I_2}$

✓ These parameters ($\alpha_{\rm p}$ and $\sigma_{\rm \delta}$) are of importance in the longitudinal dynamics

- ✓ This inevitably increases the synchrotron radiation energy loss per turn $\tau_x = \frac{2E}{J_x U_0} T_0$ $U_0 = \frac{C_{\gamma}}{2\pi} E_0^4 I_2$
 - $\rightarrow\,$ raising the demand for RF power
- \checkmark This also increases the natural energy spread
 - ightarrow resulting in a proportional growth in bunch length
- The lattice including damping wigglers has been designed for STCF at 2 GeV

$$\sigma_{\delta}^2 = C_q \gamma^2 \frac{I_3}{j_z I_2}$$

Long

Longitudinal dynamics design considerations

Non-impedance-induced collective effects

Intrabeam scattering (IBS): multiple small-angle Coulomb scattering processes

- \rightarrow not immediately cause particle loss in the bunch
- \rightarrow but increase the equilibrium energy spread, bunch length, and transverse emittances

Touschek effect: single large-angle scattering processes

- \rightarrow A large momentum deviation (beyond RF momentum acceptance or physical aperture)
- \rightarrow thus limit the lifetime of the stored beam (i.e., the Touschek lifetime)
- These two effects are directly related to the 6D phase-space size and thus associated with longitudinal parameters such as the bunch length

elegant and SAD codes can be used to calculate IBS and the Touschek lifetime

Impedance-induced single-bunch collective effects

- bunch lengthening due to potential well distortion (PWD) $\left(\frac{\sigma_z}{\sigma_{z0}}\right)^3 \frac{\sigma_z}{\sigma_{z0}} = \frac{I_b \alpha_p}{4\sqrt{\pi} v_z^2 E/e} \left(\frac{R}{\sigma_{z0}}\right)^3 \operatorname{Im} \left(\frac{Z_{\parallel}}{R}\right)_{eff}$
- longitudinal microwave instability (LMWI)
- transverse mode coupling instability (TMCI)

$$I_{b}^{\text{mwi}} = \frac{\sigma_{z}}{R} \frac{\sqrt{2\pi}\alpha_{p}E/e}{\left|Z_{\parallel}/n\right|_{\text{eff}}} \sigma_{\delta}^{2}$$
$$I_{b}^{\text{tmci}} = \frac{\sigma_{z}}{R} \frac{4\sqrt{\pi}\nu_{z}E/e}{\langle\beta\rangle \cdot \text{Im}Z_{\perp}^{\text{eff}}}$$

