## Particle Accelerators: An introduction

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# Applied relativity



## Beams of ultrarelativistic particles: e.g. a race to the Moon

An electron with energy of a few GeV emits a photon... a race to the Moon!

$$\Delta t = \frac{L}{\beta c} - \frac{L}{c} = \frac{L}{\beta c} (1 - \beta) \sim \frac{L}{\beta c} \cdot \frac{1}{2\gamma^{2}}$$
Electron will lose
$$\Delta L = L(1 - \beta) = \frac{L}{2\gamma^{2}}$$
• by only 8 meters

the race will last only 1.3 seconds

## Transformation of angles: collimation



## **Time compression**

θ

n

Electron with velocity  $\beta$  emits a wave with period  $T_{emit}$  while the observer sees a different period  $T_{obs}$  because the electron was moving towards the observer

The wavelength is shortened by the same factor

 $\lambda_{obs} = (1 - \beta \cos \theta) \lambda_{emit}$ in ultra-relativistic case, looking along a tangent to the trajectory

$$\lambda_{\text{obs}} = \frac{1}{2\gamma^2} \lambda_{\text{emit}}$$
 since  $1 - \beta = \frac{1 - \beta^2}{1 + \beta} \cong \frac{1}{2\gamma^2}$ 

 $T_{obs} = (1 - \mathbf{n} \cdot \boldsymbol{\beta}) T_{emit}$ 

# Electromagnetism

## Maxwell equations (poetry)

War es ein Gott, der diese Zeichen schrieb Die mit geheimnisvoll verborg 'nem Trieb Die Kräfte der Natur um mich enthüllen Und mir das Herz mit stiller Freude füllen. Ludwig Boltzman

> Was it a God whose inspiration Led him to write these fine equations Nature's fields to me he shows And so my heart with pleasure glows. translated by John P. Blewett

Field of a charge

At rest: Coulomb field



Moving with constant velocity



## Charge in an external electromagnetic field

# $F = e(E + [v \mathbf{x} B])$

### Lorentz force

## Particle motion in electromagnetic fields

Lorentz force Same force for:

$$\mathbf{F} = e(\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B})$$

Magnetic field B = 1 Tesla (typical for magnets)

• Electric field  $E = 3 \cdot 10^8 \text{ V/m}$  (presently out of reach)

Magnetic fields are used exclusively to bend and focus ultra-relativistic particles

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 $[T \cdot m] B \rho = \frac{1}{\Omega}$ 



Magnetic rigidity

$$B\rho = \frac{F}{e}$$

or, in practical units

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 $\mathsf{F}_\mathsf{m}$ 

e

F<sub>c</sub>

## Roller derby in Los Angeles on 7 July 2012



## Under the sign of the Higgs on 7 July 2012



## Fields of a long bunch (linear charge density $\lambda$ )

Transverse electric field: from Gauss law



Transverse magnetic field: from Ampere law

## Fields in the bunch

Round uniform distribution

$$E_r = \frac{eN}{2\pi\varepsilon_0 l} \cdot \frac{1}{r} \qquad r > a$$

$$E_r = \frac{eN}{2\pi\varepsilon_0 l} \cdot \frac{r}{a^2} \qquad r < a$$









## Using large magnetic fields of electron beam



### Force seen by a test particle

"Fellow-traveler": E and B nearly cancel

Force = 
$$eE_r - evB_\theta = eE_r \left(1 - \frac{v^2}{c^2}\right) = \frac{1}{\gamma^2}eE_r$$

 Particle travelling in the opposite direction: contributions from E and B add

Force = 
$$eE_r + evB_\theta \approx 2eE_r$$

For round Gaussian distribution

$$F = \frac{e^2 N}{\pi \varepsilon_0 l} \cdot \frac{1}{r} \cdot \left(1 - e^{-\frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{r}{\sigma}\right)^2}\right)$$

# Synchrotron radiation

#### THEORETICAL UNDERSTANDING $\rightarrow$

#### **1873** Maxwell's equations

## $\rightarrow$ made evident that changing charge densities would result in electric fields that would radiate outward

#### **1887 Heinrich Hertz demonstrated such waves:**







## ..... this is of no use whatsoever !

Accelerated charges radiate EM waves

An electron of energy **E** in a magnetic field **B** Power emitted is proportional to:  $P \propto E^2 R^2$ 



$$C_{\gamma} = \frac{4\pi}{3} \frac{r_e}{(m_e c^2)^3} = 8.858 \cdot 10^{-5} \left[\frac{\text{m}}{\text{GeV}^3}\right]$$

## The power is all too real!



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## Synchrotron radiation power

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 $U_0 = \frac{4\pi}{3} \alpha \hbar c \frac{\gamma}{\Omega}$ 



$$U_0 = C_{\gamma} \cdot \frac{E^4}{\rho}$$

 $P_{\rm SR} = \frac{cC_{\gamma}}{2\pi} \cdot \frac{E^4}{\rho^2}$ 

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## Why do they radiate?

Charge at rest: Coulomb field, no radiation



## Bremsstrahlung or breaking radiation



## Liénard-Wiechert potentials

$$\varphi(\mathbf{t}) = \frac{1}{4\pi\varepsilon_0} \frac{\mathbf{q}}{\left[\mathbf{r}(1-\mathbf{\vec{n}}\cdot\mathbf{\vec{\beta}})\right]_{ret}} \qquad \qquad \mathbf{\vec{A}}(\mathbf{t}) = \frac{\mathbf{q}}{4\pi\varepsilon_0} \mathbf{c}^2 \left[\frac{\mathbf{v}}{\mathbf{r}(1-\mathbf{\vec{n}}\cdot\mathbf{\vec{\beta}})}\right]_{ret}$$

### and the electromagnetic fields:

$$\nabla \cdot \vec{\mathbf{A}} + \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial t} = 0$$
 (Lorentz gauge)

$$\vec{\mathbf{B}} = \nabla \times \vec{\mathbf{A}}$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{E}} = -\nabla \boldsymbol{\varphi} - \frac{\partial \vec{\mathbf{A}}}{\partial t}$$

## Fields of a moving charge

$$\vec{\mathbf{E}}(t) = \frac{q}{4\pi\varepsilon_0} \left[ \frac{\vec{\mathbf{n}} - \vec{\beta}}{\left(1 - \vec{\mathbf{n}} \cdot \vec{\beta}\right)^3 \gamma^2} \cdot \frac{\mathbf{1}}{\mathbf{r}^2} \right]_{ret} +$$

$$\frac{q}{4\pi\varepsilon_0 c} \left[ \frac{\vec{\mathbf{n}} \times \left[ \left( \vec{\mathbf{n}} - \vec{\beta} \right) \times \vec{\beta} \right]}{\left( 1 - \vec{\mathbf{n}} \cdot \vec{\beta} \right)^3 \gamma^2} \cdot \left[ \frac{1}{\mathbf{r}} \right]_{ret} \right]_{ret}$$

$$\vec{\mathbf{B}}(t) = \frac{1}{c} [\vec{\mathbf{n}} \times \vec{\mathbf{E}}]$$

## **Transverse acceleration**



### Radiation field quickly separates itself from the Coulomb field



## Longitudinal acceleration



#### Radiation field cannot separate itself from the Coulomb field

## High Energy Storage Ring

To store relativistic particles ( $v \approx c$ ) in a ring for ~ 10h they travel a distance of diameter of Pluto's orbit

- Trajectories are bent into a closed path
- Beams need to be focused to keep particles close to ideal orbit (stability questions)

Ideal orbit (usually in horizontal plane)

- Smooth, roughly circular shape closed curve, consisting of arcs and straight sections
- Magnets are placed along the ideal orbit, design fields adjusted, so that particles of nominal energy follow the ideal orbit for ever and ever and ever ...

## Storage ring layout



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## Bending magnets (iron dominated)

#### Iron saturates at 2 T





## SLS dipole



## Bending magnets (dipoles)



## System of coordinates

Design orbit in horizontal plane

consists of arcs and straight segments

Local curvilinear coordinates:

- x, z transverse displacements from design orbit
- s measured along the design orbit
- ρ(s) local radius of curvature (depends on field)

Length element

$$dl^2 = dx^2 + dz^2 + \left(1 + \frac{x}{\rho}\right)^2 ds^2$$

$$dl ds \rho$$
  
 $x$ 

 $dl = ds \cdot \frac{\rho + x}{2}$ 

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## Quadrupole lens

Focusing in one plane

Defocusing in the other plane



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Defocusing

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#### Theoretical magnetism (after Bruno Touschek)



MAGNETIC PISCUSSION

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## Focusing elements



### Focal length of a thin quad

Particle off-axis in a quad

 sees constant magnetic field (thin lens!) and is bent by it

• the slope 
$$x' \equiv \frac{dx}{ds}$$
 changes by

$$\Delta x' = -\frac{l}{\rho} = -l\left(\frac{eB_z}{p}\right)$$



Defining the focal length

with gradi

 $\frac{e}{n}g \cdot l$ 

1 Dioptre =  $1 \text{ m}^{-1}$ 

ent 
$$g \equiv \frac{\partial B_z}{\partial x}$$
  $\left| \frac{\frac{1}{f} = \frac{g \cdot l}{(B\rho)}}{\frac{1}{g}} \right|$  [m<sup>-1</sup>]

# Hamiltonian dynamics (brief reminder)

# A dynamical system is described by a Hamiltonian q coordinate

H(q, p, t) p canonical momentum t independent variable (time)

The equations of motion: Hamilton's equations

$$\frac{dq}{dt} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p}, \qquad \frac{dp}{dt} = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial q}$$

# Phase space



#### canonical variables



#### - a point in 2-d phase space



# Conservative Hamiltonian systems

$$H = \frac{p^2}{2m} + V(q,t)$$

The equations of motion are:

$$\dot{q} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p} = \frac{p}{m} \qquad \dot{p} = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial q} = -\frac{\partial V}{\partial q} \equiv F(q,t)$$

The Hamiltonian is conserved, ist value - energy

$$\frac{dH}{dt} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial q}\dot{q} + \frac{\partial H}{\partial p}\dot{p} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial q}\frac{\partial H}{\partial p} + \frac{\partial H}{\partial p}\left(-\frac{\partial H}{\partial q}\right) = 0 \qquad \frac{dH}{dt}$$



(q, p)

$$\mathbf{v} = \left(\frac{\partial H}{\partial p}, -\frac{\partial H}{\partial p}\right)$$

 velocity vector in 2-d phase space

$$\nabla H(q,p) = \left(\frac{\partial H}{\partial p}, -\frac{\partial H}{\partial p}\right)$$

 the gradient of the Hamiltonian, orthogonal to velocity

The motion is along the curves of H = const

#### **DRIFT SECTION**

#### **CHANGE OF PARTICLE DISTRIBUTION IN PHASE SPACE**

The initial coordinates of a particle ensemble in the transverse phase plane are contained in the ellipse:



#### Focusing is needed to avoid beam blow up !

#### FOCUSING QUADRUPOLE CHANGE OF PARTICLE DISTRIBUTION IN PHASE SPACE



#### PHASE SPACE: angle – action variables



# PHASE SPACE TRANSFORMATION in NON-linear element (sextupole magnet)



#### Conservation of phase space: emittance

Canonical transformations preserve phase space areas



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Matrix notation

**Transfer matrices** (as in geometric optics)

 Describe canonical transformations i.e. phase space area is preserved (symplectic matrices)

Thin focusing lens

Drift of length L

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix}_{out} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -V_f & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix}_{ii}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix}_{out} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \ L \\ 0 \ 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix}_{in}$$

$$\det M = 1$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix}_{out} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\psi_f & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix}_{in}$$

## Strong focusing example









$$M_{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \frac{l}{f} & L \\ -\frac{l}{f^{2}} & 1 + \frac{l}{f} \end{pmatrix} \text{ focusing for } L \ll f$$

#### This lens doublet focuses in both planes

The focal length is, of course, the good old lens makers equation

$$\frac{1}{f^*} = \frac{1}{f_1} + \frac{1}{f_2} - \frac{L}{f_1 \cdot f_2} = \frac{L}{f^2}$$

#### SUMMARY: Strong (Transverse)Focusing – Alternating Gradient Principle

A sequence of focusingdefocusing fields provides a stronger net focusing force.

Quadrupoles focus horizontally, defocus vertically or vice versa. Forces are proportional to displacement from axis.

A succession of opposed elements enable particles to follow stable trajectories, making small oscillations about the design orbit.

Technological limits on magnets are high.







### Equations of motion

In individual elements K = const.: Harmonic Oscillator (KISS principle of accelerator building) x'' + x''

$$x'' + K \cdot x = 0$$
$$z'' - K \cdot z = 0$$

Overall, K(s) is a piecewise constant, periodic function



### Hill equation

First used by an astronomer G. Hill in his studies of the motion of the moon, a motion under the influence of periodically changing forces





1838 -- 1914

#### Harmonic oscillator

 $u^{\prime\prime} + Ku = 0$ 



### Solutions of the Hill equation

"Pseudo-harmonic oscillator" solutions (here u stands for x or z)

$$\mu(s) = a\sqrt{\beta(s)}\cos\left[\phi(s) - \phi_0\right]$$



 $u^{\prime\prime} + k(s) \cdot u = 0$ 

We have introduced a periodic "envelope" function β(s) the amplitude of the betatron oscillation is modulated by

 the rate of phase advance at any point along the accelerator is related to the value of the β function at that point

$$\phi' = \frac{1}{\beta}$$



### Hill equation (pseudo-harmonic oscillations)

Solution:

$$u(s) = A\sqrt{\beta(s)} \cos \left[\phi(s)\right]$$



Amplitude: modulated with s:  $A\sqrt{\beta(s)}$ 



#### Sphere rolling in a gutter analogy





#### Turn, after turn, after turn...

Betatron oscillations within an envelope

$$x(s) = \sqrt{\varepsilon\beta(s)} \sin[\varphi(s) - \varphi_0]$$



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#### Harmonic oscillator solutions (K = const.)

For K(s) constant, "principal" solutions are (harmonic oscillator) • case of K > 0  $C(s) = \cos(\sqrt{K}s)$  and  $S(s) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{K}}\sin(\sqrt{K}s)$  for K > 0• case of K < 0  $C(s) = \cosh(\sqrt{|K|}s)$  and  $S(s) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{|K|}}\sinh(\sqrt{|K|}s)$  for K < 0

these are linearly independent solutions with initial conditions:

$$C(0) = 1;$$
  $C'(0) = \frac{dC}{ds} = 0$  and  $S(0) = 0;$   $S'(0) = \frac{dS}{ds} = 1$ 

any other solution is a linear combination of these:

 $u(s) = C(s)u_0 + S(s)u'_0$  $u'(s) = C'(s)u_0 + S'(s)u'_0$ 

$$\begin{pmatrix} u(s) \\ u'(s) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} C(s) & S(s) \\ C'(s) & S'(s) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_0 \\ u'_0 \end{pmatrix}$$

### Harmonic oscillator solutions (matrix form)

Transfer matrices for particular cases:

drift space ( K=0 )

$$\begin{pmatrix} u \\ u' \end{pmatrix}_{\text{out}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & L \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u \\ u' \end{pmatrix}_{\text{in}}$$

 $x''+K_x(s)x = 0$  $y''+K_y(s)y = 0$ 

focusing magnet ( K > 0, const. ) of length I

$$\begin{pmatrix} u \\ u' \end{pmatrix}_{\text{out}} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\sqrt{K}l) & \frac{1}{\sqrt{K}}\sin(\sqrt{K}l) \\ -\sqrt{K}\sin(\sqrt{K}l) & \cos(\sqrt{K}l) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u \\ u' \end{pmatrix}_{\text{in}}$$

defocusing magnet ( K < 0, const. ) of length I</p>

$$\begin{pmatrix} u \\ u' \end{pmatrix}_{\text{out}} = \begin{pmatrix} \cosh(\sqrt{|K|}l) & \frac{1}{\sqrt{|K|}} \sinh(\sqrt{|K|}l) \\ \sqrt{|K|} \sinh(\sqrt{|K|}l) & \cosh(\sqrt{|K|}l) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u \\ u' \end{pmatrix}_{\text{in}}$$

the thin lens limit:

lim 
$$l \to 0$$
 keeping  $K \cdot l = \frac{1}{f} = \text{const.}$ 

#### **TRANSVERSE MOTION SUMMARY**

$$\begin{vmatrix} x'' + K_x(s)x = 0\\ y'' + K_y(s)y = 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

#### **DRIFT**:

k = 0

$$\binom{u}{u'}_{\text{out}} = \binom{1}{0} \binom{u}{u'}_{\text{in}}$$

#### QUADRUPOLE:

 $K > 0 \rightarrow$  focusing

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 $K < 0 \rightarrow$  defocusing

$$\begin{pmatrix} u \\ u' \end{pmatrix}_{\text{out}} = \begin{pmatrix} \cosh(\sqrt{|K|}l) & \frac{1}{\sqrt{|K|}} \sinh(\sqrt{|K|}l) \\ \sqrt{|K|} \sinh(\sqrt{|K|}l) & \cosh(\sqrt{|K|}l) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u \\ u' \end{pmatrix}_{\text{in}}$$

### Stability of transverse (betatron) oscillations

The transfer matrix of a beamline that consists of elements with individual matrices  $M_1$ ,  $M_2$ , ...  $M_n$   $M_{tot} = M_n \cdot ... \cdot M_2 \cdot M_1$ (N.B. the order in which matrices are multiplied!)

Full turn matrix M



$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix}_{n} = M^{n} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix}_{0}$$

After n turns must remain finite for arbitrarily large n

### Stability condition

Let  $v_1$  and  $v_2$  be eigenvectors and  $\lambda_1$  and  $\lambda_2$  eigenvalues of M

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix}_0 = A\mathbf{v}_1 + B\mathbf{v}_2 \qquad \qquad M^n \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix}_0 = A\lambda_1^n \mathbf{v}_1 + B\lambda_2^n \mathbf{v}_2$$

For stability  $\lambda_1^n$ ,  $\lambda_2^n$  must not grow with n

since the product of eigenvalues is unity:

$$\det M = 1 \implies \lambda_1 \cdot \lambda_2 = 1$$

we can write in general

$$\lambda_1 = e^{i\mu}, \lambda_2 = e^{-i\mu}$$

For stability µ should be real!

$$\mathrm{Tr} \ M = \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 = 2 \, \cos \mu$$

$$-1 \le \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Tr} M \le 1$$

### Example

#### Consider one period of FODO lattice:

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & L \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ \mathcal{V}_f & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & L \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\mathcal{V}_f & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \frac{L}{f} - \left(\frac{L}{f}\right)^2 & 2L + \frac{L^2}{f} \\ -\frac{L}{f^2} & 1 + \frac{L}{f} \end{pmatrix}$$

applying the stability condition

$$-1 \le 1 - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{L}{f}\right)^2 \le 1$$

The motion is stable, provided the focal length > 1/2 the lens spacing



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#### **Courant - Snyder invariant**

At any point s along the accelerator for a given betatron oscillation the following combination of u and u' has the same value  $2 - (-2)^{2}$ 

$$a^{2} = \frac{u^{2}}{\beta} + \beta \cdot \left(u' - \frac{\beta'}{2\beta}u\right)^{2}$$

Introducing some additional notation:



$$\gamma \equiv \frac{1 + \alpha^2}{\beta}$$

$$\varepsilon = a^2 = \gamma u^2 + 2\alpha u u' + \beta u'^2$$

Describing an ellipse in phase space  $\{u,u'\}$  with area  $\pi$ ' $\epsilon$ 

- **The parameters**  $\beta$ ,  $\alpha$ ,  $\gamma$  vary along the machine
- The phase space area remains constant

#### Betatron oscillation solution

Displacement  $x(s) = \sqrt{\varepsilon\beta(s)} \cos[\phi(s) - \phi_0]$ Slope  $x'(s) = -\frac{\alpha}{\beta} x(s) - \sqrt{\varepsilon\beta(s)} \sin[\phi(s) - \phi_0]$ 

combining the two

 $x^2 + (\alpha x + \beta x')^2 = \varepsilon \beta$ 

$$\varepsilon = \gamma x^2 + 2\alpha x x' + \beta {x'}^2$$

equation of an ellipse with **area** =  $\pi\epsilon$ 

#### Phase space ellipse: Courant – Snyder Invariant


## Simple case: Upright ellipse

For the simple case when

$$\alpha = 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad \gamma = \frac{1 + \alpha^2}{\beta} = \frac{1}{\beta}$$

$$\varepsilon = \frac{x^2}{\beta} + \beta x'^2$$

the ellipse is upright



#### Beam emittance

#### Betatron oscillations

Particles in the beam execute betatron oscillations with different amplitudes.

#### Transverse beam distribution

- Gaussian (electrons)
- "Typical" particle: 1  $\sigma$  ellipse (in a place where  $\alpha = \beta' = 0$ )

Emittance 
$$\equiv \frac{\sigma_x^2}{\beta}$$



Area =  $\pi \cdot \varepsilon$ 

# 2-D Gaussian distribution



• Probability to be inside  $n-\sigma$  ellipse

$$P_n = 1 - e^{-n^2/2}$$

#### Courant - Snyder parameters: transfer matrices

Consider a transfer matrix M for a full turn starting at some point

- We know that it is symplectic, i.e. det M = 1
- Any such matrix with unit determinant can be parameterized:

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\mu + \alpha \sin\mu & \beta \sin\mu \\ -\gamma \sin\mu & \cos\mu - \alpha \sin\mu \end{pmatrix}$$

where in order to satisfy the condition of unit determinant

$$\beta\gamma - \alpha^2 = 1$$

we can regard this now as just a formal parameterization

#### Phase space ellipse

$$\varepsilon = \gamma x^2 + 2\alpha x x' + \beta x'^2$$



#### Tune

Transfer matrix for one complete turn:

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\mu + \alpha \sin\mu & \beta \sin\mu \\ -\gamma \sin\mu & \cos\mu - \alpha \sin\mu \end{pmatrix}$$

Phase advance over one turn is independent of location

$$\mu = \oint \frac{ds}{\beta(s)}$$

Tune **Q** is the number of betatron oscillations in one revolution

$$Q \equiv \frac{1}{2\pi} \oint \frac{ds}{\beta(s)}$$

#### Transfer matrix between two points

The transfer matrix between two arbitrary point in the machine  $\begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix}_2 = M_{1 \to 2} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix}_1$ 

in terms of Courant - Snyder parameters at these points and the phase advance between them

$$\begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{\frac{\beta_2}{\beta_1}} (\cos \Delta \mu + \alpha_1 \sin \Delta \mu) & \sqrt{\beta_1 \beta_2} \sin \Delta \mu \\ -\frac{(1 + \alpha_1 \alpha_2) \sin \Delta \mu + (\alpha_2 - \alpha_1) \cos \Delta \mu}{\sqrt{\beta_1 \beta_2}} & \sqrt{\frac{\beta_1}{\beta_2}} (\cos \Delta \mu - \alpha_2 \sin \Delta \mu) \end{pmatrix}$$

# Transforming C-S parameters between two points

The transfer matrix between two arbitrary point in the machine

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix}_2 = M_{1 \to 2} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix}_1 \qquad \qquad M_{1 \to 2} = \begin{pmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

The Courant - Snyder parameters at those points are related by

$$\begin{pmatrix} \beta_2 \\ \alpha_2 \\ \gamma_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} m_{11}^2 & -2m_{11} \cdot m_{12} & m_{12}^2 \\ -m_{11} \cdot m_{21} & 1 + 2m_{12} \cdot m_{21} & -m_{12} \cdot m_{22} \\ m_{21}^2 & -2m_{21} \cdot m_{22} & m_{22}^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \beta_1 \\ \alpha_1 \\ \alpha_1 \\ \gamma_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

 $\Delta \mu = \int \frac{ds}{\beta(s)}$ 

And the phase advance between the points

$$\tan\Delta\mu = \frac{m_{12}}{m_{11} \cdot \beta_1 - m_{12} \cdot \alpha_1} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{\sin\Delta\mu = \frac{m_{12}}{\sqrt{\beta_1 \beta_2}}}{\sqrt{\beta_1 \beta_2}}$$

#### Full turn transfer matrix

Transfer matrix for one complete turn:

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \mu + \alpha \sin \mu & \beta \sin \mu \\ -\gamma \sin \mu & \cos \mu - \alpha \sin \mu \end{pmatrix}$$

Tune **Q** is the number of betatron oscillations in one revolution

$$Q = \frac{\mu}{2\pi} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \oint \frac{ds}{\beta(s)}$$

If the tune is an integer, i.e.  $\mu = 2\pi \cdot n$ 

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

#### Some simple cases and their phase advance

Thin lens

 $s_1 = s_2 \qquad \Delta \mu = 0$ 

'point to point imaging'

$$r_{12} = 0$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_2 \\ x'_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} r_{11} & 0 \\ r_{21} & r_{22} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ x'_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ r_{22}x'_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

 $\begin{pmatrix} x_2 \\ x'_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & r_{12} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ r_{21} x_1 \end{pmatrix}$ 

$$\Delta \mu = n \cdot \pi$$

'parallel to point imaging'

$$r_{11} = 0$$

$$\tan \Delta \mu = -\frac{1}{\alpha_1}$$

for 
$$\alpha_{1=0} \quad \Delta \mu = n \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$r_{12} = L$$

$$\sin \Delta \mu = \frac{L}{\sqrt{\beta_1 \beta_2}}$$

Proton therapy Gantry at PSI: point to parallel!

## Courant - Snyder parameters: transfer matrices

The eigenvalues of this matrix are related to  $\mu$ :

$$\lambda = e^{\pm i\mu} \implies \operatorname{Tr} M = 2\cos\mu$$

We can also write our matrix M as

where  $J = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ -\gamma & -\alpha \end{pmatrix}$  and  $J^2 = -I$ 

$$M = e^{J\mu}$$

The powers of matrix M can be written simply as:

$$M^{k} = I \cos k\mu + J \sin k\mu$$

And the elements of  $M^k$  are bounded for all k if  $\mu$  is real

$$|\operatorname{Tr} M| \leq 2$$

#### FODO cell lattice







Positive displacement  $x_o$  of the initial coordinate from the center axis leads to a longer path inside the magnet, i.e. more deflection

Negative displacement  $-x_o$  of the initial coordinate from the center axis leads to a shorter path inside the magnet, i.e. less deflection

In both cases the trajectory comes closer to the central orbit  $\rightarrow$  **FOCUSING** 

# Off-energy particles

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#### **Off-momentum particles**

#### Particle with an energy deviation $\delta$



#### The equation of motion: non-homogeneous Hill equation

$$x'' + k(s) x = \frac{\delta}{\rho}$$

## **Off-momentum particles**



$$x'' + k(s) x = \frac{\delta}{\rho}$$

The motion is a sum of the solution of homogeneous equation + a particular solution

# **Dispersion function**

Particle deviation from ideal orbit

$$x = x_{\beta} + x_{\varepsilon} = x_{\beta} + D(s) \cdot \delta$$

D(s) - dispersion function

Periodic solution of the inhomogeneous Hill equation

$$D'' + k(s)D = \frac{1}{\rho(s)} \begin{cases} = 0 \text{ in straights} \\ = \frac{1}{\rho} \text{ in bends} \end{cases}$$

- New equilibrium orbit of a particle with energy deviation  $\delta$
- Betatron oscillations are executed around this new equilibrium

#### Matrix notation: extended to 3 by 3 case

Taking into account particle energy deviation, particle position

$$\vec{x} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \\ \delta \end{pmatrix}$$
 and  $\vec{x}(s) = \begin{pmatrix} x(s) \\ x'(s) \\ \delta \end{pmatrix} = M \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ x'_0 \\ \delta \end{pmatrix}$ 

we usually assume that  $\delta$  does not change

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} C(s) & S(s) & D(s) \\ C'(s) & S'(s) & D'(s) \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

where D and D' are the solutions of inhomog. equation

# Examples of 3 by 3 transfer matrices

For simple cases of piece-wise constant K(s),  $\rho$ (s)

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos\phi & \frac{1}{\sqrt{K}}\sin\phi & \frac{1}{\rho K}(1-\cos\phi) \\ -\sqrt{K}\sin\phi & \cos\phi & \frac{1}{\rho\sqrt{K}}\sin\phi \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$K > 0$$
$$\phi \equiv \sqrt{K} (s - s_0)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cosh\psi & \frac{1}{\sqrt{-K}}\sinh\psi & \frac{1}{\rho(-K)}(\cosh\psi-1) \\ \sqrt{-K}\sinh\psi & \cosh\psi & \frac{1}{\rho\sqrt{-K}}\sinh\psi \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$K < 0$$
  
$$\psi \equiv \sqrt{-K} (s - s_0)$$

# Bending magnet transfer matrix

Pure dipole field:

- k = 0
- $\theta$  bending angle

$$K = \frac{1}{\rho^2} \implies \phi = \sqrt{K} \cdot s = \frac{s}{\rho} = \theta$$



In the vertical plane - drift

#### **Dispersion:** periodic solution

Let the matrix for one full period be

Dispersion being a periodic solution:

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} & m_{13} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} & m_{23} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} D \\ D' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = M \cdot \begin{pmatrix} D \\ D' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$D' = \frac{m_{13}m_{21} + (1 - m_{11})m_{23}}{(1 - m_{11})(1 - m_{22}) - m_{21}m_{12}}$$
$$D = \frac{m_{12}}{1 - m_{11}}D' + \frac{m_{13}}{1 - m_{11}}$$

#### FODO cell lattice





• When the beam energy spread is  $\delta$ 



$$\sigma^2 = \sigma_{\beta}^2 + \sigma_{\varepsilon}^2 = \varepsilon \cdot \beta + D^2 \delta^2$$

#### Full turn transfer matrix

Transfer matrix for one complete turn:

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \mu + \alpha \sin \mu & \beta \sin \mu \\ -\gamma \sin \mu & \cos \mu - \alpha \sin \mu \end{pmatrix}$$

Tune **Q** is the number of betatron oscillations in one revolution

$$Q = \frac{\mu}{2\pi} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \oint \frac{ds}{\beta(s)}$$

If the tune is an integer, i.e.  $\mu = 2\pi \cdot n$ 

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

#### Full turn transfer matrix: special cases

The tune is **half-integer**, i.e.  $\{Q\} = 0.5$ 

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = -I$$

$$M^2 = I$$

The tune is quarter-integer, i.e.  $\{Q\} = 0.25$ 

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ -\gamma & -\alpha \end{pmatrix} = J$$

$$M^2 = J^2 = -I \qquad M^4 = I$$

#### Errors, errors, errors

Suppose at some point along the accelerator

v′

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- it will kick a particle by an angle  $\theta$

$$\Theta = \frac{\Delta B \cdot l}{(B\rho)}$$

If the tune Q is close to an integer,  $M \approx \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ the kicks will add up in phase each turn driving the particle out of the machine

Integer resonance

#### **Betatron oscillation solution**

Displacement  $x(s) = \sqrt{\varepsilon\beta(s)} \cos[\phi(s) - \phi_0]$ Slope  $x'(s) = -\frac{\alpha}{\beta} x(s) - \sqrt{\varepsilon\beta(s)} \sin[\phi(s) - \phi_0]$ 

combining the two

$$x^2 + (\alpha x + \beta x')^2 = \varepsilon \beta$$

$$\varepsilon = \gamma x^2 + 2\alpha x x' + \beta {x'}^2$$

• e.g. if we start a particle with  $x_0$  at a place whith  $\beta_0$ 

$$\varepsilon = \beta_0 {x'_0}^2$$

$$x(s) = x_0' \sqrt{\beta_0 \beta(s)} \cos[\phi(s) - \phi_0]$$

# Field error

In the presence of such a kick

- x = 0 is no longer a solution
- there will be a new closed orbit

$$x(s) = \frac{\theta \sqrt{\beta(s)\beta_{\theta}}}{2\sin \pi Q} \cos[\phi(s) - \pi Q]$$

Particles perform betatron oscillations around this new closed orbit

•  $\beta$  function is a measure of sensitivity to errors

when Q approaches an integer value, the new closed orbit becomes very large

### Focusing error



$$M = M_0 \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{f} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$



$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos \mu + \alpha \sin \mu & \beta \sin \mu \\ -\gamma \sin \mu & \cos \mu - \alpha \sin \mu \end{pmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{pmatrix} \cos \mu_0 + \alpha \sin \mu_0 & \beta_0 \sin \mu_0 \\ -\gamma \sin \mu_0 & \cos \mu_0 - \alpha \sin \mu_0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\frac{1}{f} & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

**Comparing the traces of the two matrices, the new tune:** 

$$\cos 2\pi Q = \cos 2\pi Q_0 - \frac{1}{2}\frac{\beta_0}{f}\sin 2\pi Q_0$$

## Stability

The motion remains stable in the presence of focussing errors, if the new tune remains a real number, i.e.

$$\cos 2\pi Q = \left| \cos 2\pi Q_0 - \frac{1}{2} \frac{\beta_0}{f} \sin 2\pi Q_0 \right| < 1$$

and when the unperturbed tune is not near an integer or half-integer resonance and the perturbation is sufficiently small

$$Q = Q_0 + \delta Q = Q_0 + \frac{1}{4\pi} \cdot \frac{\beta}{f}$$

#### Focusing error



the kicks will add up in phase every two turns driving the particle out of the machine

Half-integer resonance

#### Tune shift

• A small gradient error leads to a change in tune:

$$\delta Q = \frac{1}{4\pi} \cdot \frac{\beta}{f}$$

A distribution of gradient errors leads to a tune shift

$$\Delta Q = \frac{1}{4\pi} \oint \frac{g(s) \cdot \beta(s)}{(B\rho)} ds$$

#### This is how the tunes are adjusted

## Chromaticity

Focusing depends on particle energy Equivalent to an error in gradient

$$k = \frac{g}{(B\rho)} = \frac{g}{(B\rho)_0 (1+\delta)} \cong k(1-\delta)$$

$$\Delta k = -k \cdot \mathbf{0}$$

Causes a tune shift of:

$$\Delta Q = \frac{1}{4\pi} \oint \Delta k \cdot \beta \, ds = \left( -\frac{1}{4\pi} \oint k \cdot \beta \, ds \right) \cdot \delta$$

We define chromaticity  $\xi$ 

$$\Delta Q = -\xi \cdot \delta$$

In strong focusing rings  $\xi \sim -100$  ! For energy spread  $\delta \sim 1\%$   $\Delta Q \sim 1!!$ Need positive chromaticity to prevent "head-tail" instability

# Chromaticity correction

How can we adjust chromaticity? We need

gradients (focusing) that changes with energy deviation  $\delta$ 

Sextupole magnets

In horizontal plane

$$B = m \cdot x^2$$
$$B' = 2m \cdot x = 2mD \cdot \delta$$



$$m = \frac{1}{2} \frac{B''L}{(B\rho)} = \frac{1}{2} g'L \qquad m[m^{-2}] = 0.2998 \frac{B''[T/m^2]L[m]}{p_o[GeV/c]}$$


### Sextupoles to correct chromaticity

Two ingredients are needed:

 Sextupoles placed in a region of finite dispersion: sort particles according to their energy deviation

$$x = x_{\beta} + D\delta$$

 Gradients that depend on particle position

$$\Delta x' = mx^{2} = m(x_{\beta} + D\delta)^{2}$$
$$= mx_{\beta}^{2} + 2mD\delta \cdot x_{\beta} + mD^{2}\delta^{2}$$
ouadrupole term





### **DYNAMIC APERTURE**

Having corrected chromatic aberrations we introduced geometric aberrations:

- we increased energy acceptance
- but particles with large transverse amplitudes are no longer stable!



# Longitudinal dynamics

# Phase stability

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## Longitudinal motion: compensating radiation loss U<sub>0</sub>

- RF cavity provides accelerating field with frequency
  - h harmonic number
- The energy gain:

$${U}_{RF}=eV_{RF}\left( au 
ight)$$

- Synchronous particle:
  - has design energy
  - gains from the RF on the average as much as it loses per turn U<sub>0</sub>



$$f_{RF} = h \cdot f_0$$



# Longitudinal motion: phase stability



Particle ahead of synchronous one
 gets too much energy from the RF
 goes on a longer orbit (not enough B)
 > takes longer to go around

 comes back to the RF cavity closer to synchronous part.

Particle behind the synchronous one

- gets too little energy from the RF
- goes on a shorter orbit (too much B)
- catches-up with the synchronous particle

### **Orbit Length**

Length element depends on x

$$dl = \left(1 + \frac{\mathbf{x}}{\rho}\right) ds$$



Horizontal displacement has two parts:

 $x = x_{\beta} + x_{\varepsilon}$ 

To first order x<sub>β</sub> does not change L

•  $x_{\epsilon}$  – has the same sign around the ring

Length of the off-energy orbit

$$L_{\varepsilon} = \oint dl = \oint \left(1 + \frac{x_{\varepsilon}}{\rho}\right) ds = L_0 + \Delta L$$

$$\Delta L = \delta \cdot \oint \frac{D(s)}{\rho(s)} ds$$
 where  $\delta = \frac{\Delta p}{p} = \frac{\Delta E}{E}$ 

$$\frac{\Delta L}{L} = \mathbf{\alpha} \cdot \mathbf{\delta}$$

#### Something funny happens on the way around the ring...

Revolution time changes with energy

$$\frac{\Delta T}{T} = \frac{\Delta L}{L} - \frac{\Delta \beta}{\beta}$$

Particle goes faster (not much!)

while the orbit length increases (more!)

• The "slip factor"  $\eta \cong \alpha$  since  $\alpha > \beta$ 

$$\frac{\Delta T}{T} = \left( \boldsymbol{\alpha} - \frac{1}{\gamma^2} \right) \cdot \frac{dp}{p} = \boldsymbol{\eta} \cdot \frac{dp}{p}$$

Ring is above "transition energy"

isochronous ring:  $\eta = 0$  or  $\gamma = \gamma_{tr}$ 

$$T_0 = \frac{L_0}{c\beta}$$

$$\frac{d\beta}{\beta} = \frac{1}{\gamma^2} \cdot \frac{dp}{p} \quad \text{(relativity)}$$
more!) 
$$\frac{\Delta L}{L} = \alpha \cdot \frac{dp}{p}$$

$$\alpha \equiv \frac{1}{\gamma_{tr}^2}$$

$$e \quad \alpha >> \frac{1}{\gamma^2}$$

Longitudinal motion: energy-time oscillations

#### energy deviation from the design energy, or the energy of the synchronous particle



longitudinal coordinate measured from the position of the synchronous electron

# Longitudinal motion: damping of synchrotron oscillations



During one period of synchrotron oscillation:

when the particle is in the upper half-plane, it loses more energy per turn, its energy gradually reduces



 when the particle is in the lower half-plane, it loses less energy per turn, but receives U<sub>0</sub> on the average, so its energy deviation gradually reduces

The synchrotron motion is damped

the phase space trajectory is spiraling towards the origin