

Alignment studies

Decelerator, TBL and CTF3 linac

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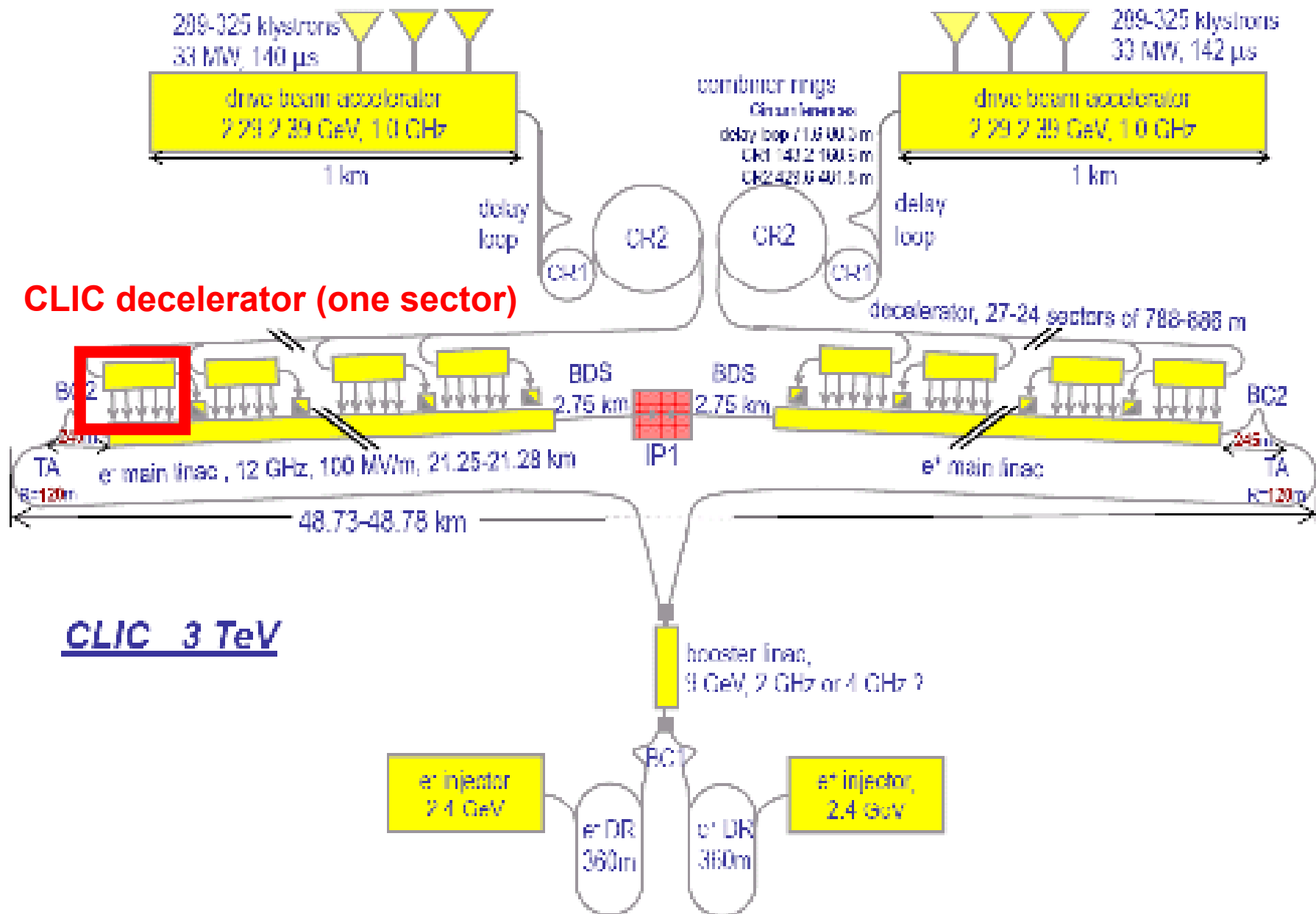


Outline

- The Decelerator and the need for Beam Bases Alignment
- TBL versus the Decelerator
- Test-case: steering for the CTF3 linac



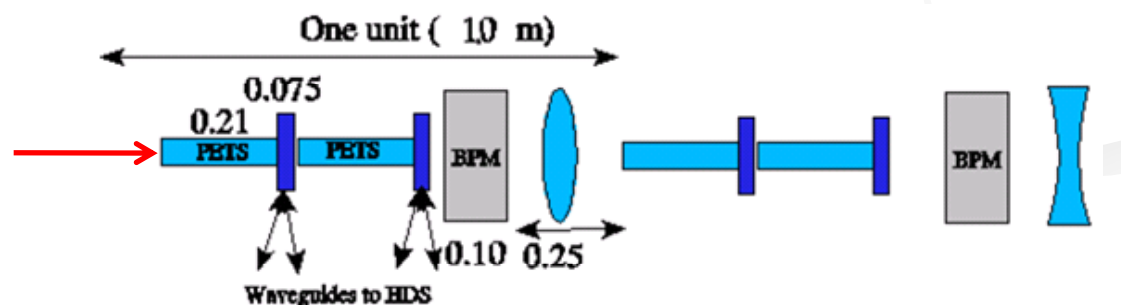
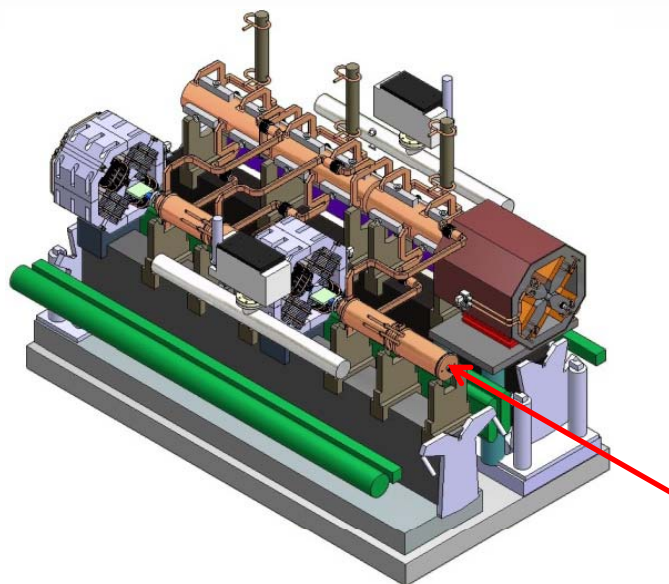
The CLIC decelerator



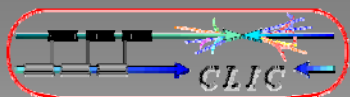


Lattice

- 24 decelerator sectors per main linac
 - Each sector receives one drive beam pulse of 240 ns, per main beam pulse
 - Up to $S=90\%$ of the initial particle energy is extracted within each pulse leading to an energy extraction efficiency of about 84%
 - Varying sector length, because we require equal extraction efficiency per sector, while main linac module configuration changes

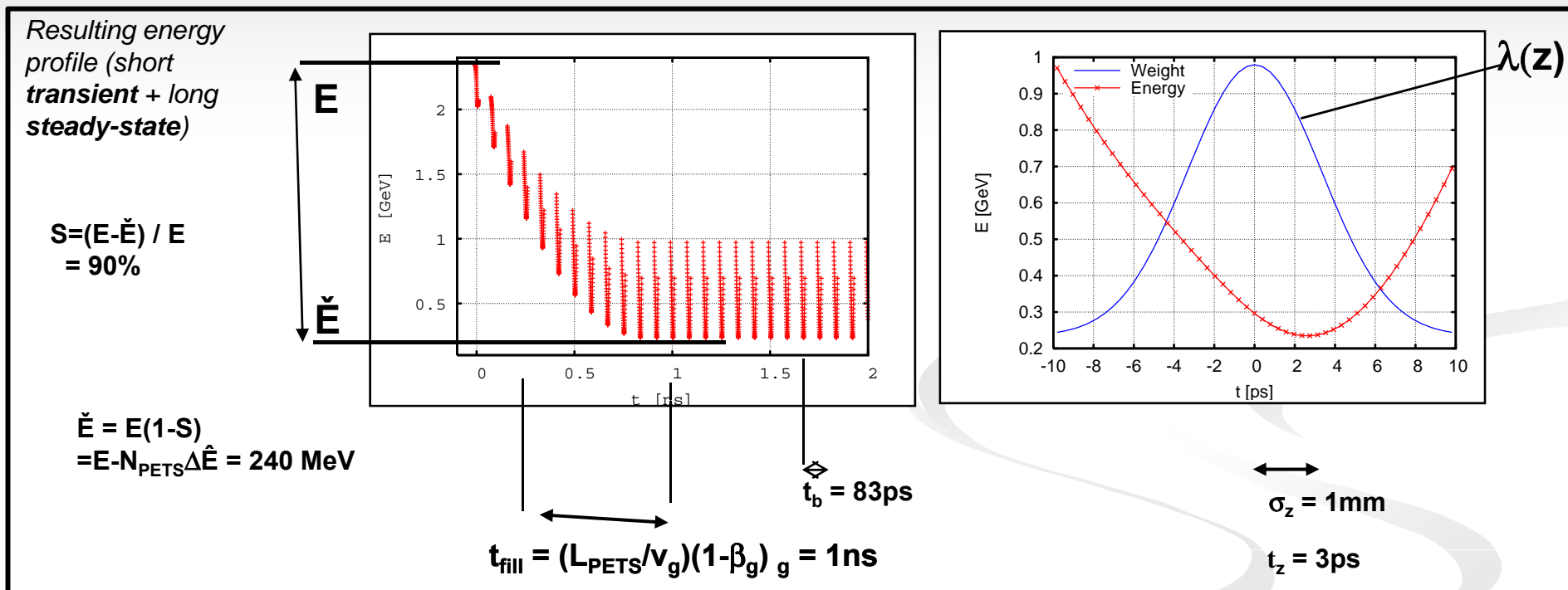


- **Baseline for decelerator studies:** we study the longest sector (1050 meter) with a PETS slot fill-factor of 71% ("worst case, for beam dynamics")
- Tight FODO focusing (large energy acceptance, low beta)
- Lowest energy particles ideally see constant FODO phase-advance $\mu \approx 90^\circ$, higher energy particles see phase-advance varying from $\mu \approx 90^\circ$ to $\mu \approx 10^\circ$



Deceleration and beam transport

Goal: transport particles of **all** energies through the decelerator sector:
3-sigma beam envelope $r < 0.5 \times$ half-aperture



Power extracted from beam (ss) :

$$P \approx (1/4) I^2 L_{\text{pets}}^2 FF^2 (R'/Q) \omega_b / v_g = 136 \text{ MW}$$

Power extraction efficiency (ss) :

$$\eta = E_{\text{in}}/E_{\text{ext}} = S FF \eta_{\text{dist}} = 84\%$$

Transport of the decelerator beam: compromise high **S** (better efficiency, larger envelope) and high **E** (poorer efficiency, smaller envelope). In this study **S=90%** used

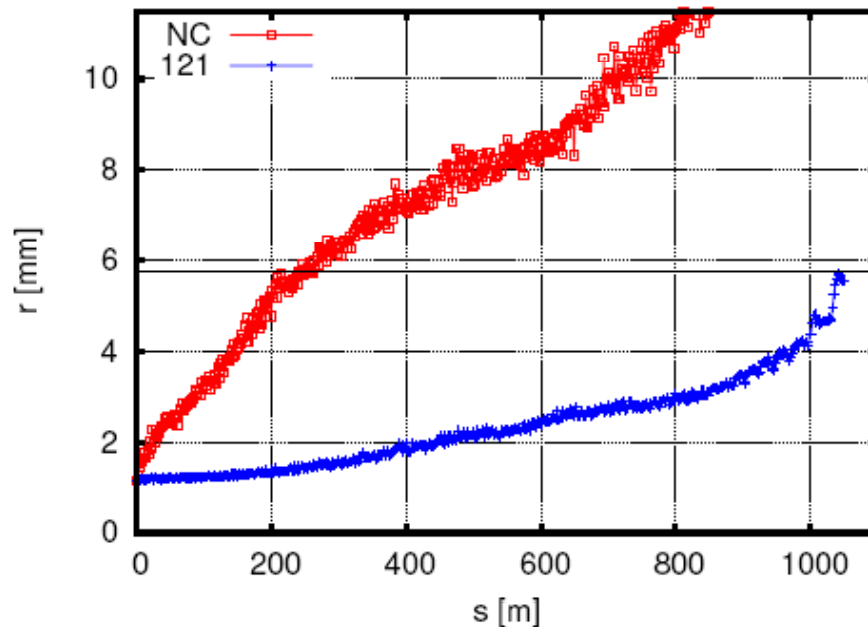


Decelerator: Beam-based alignment

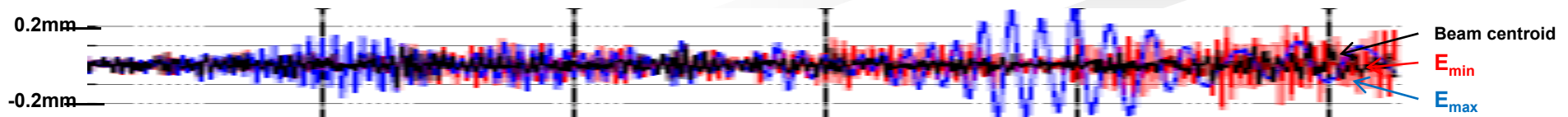


1-to-1 steering

- **Baseline** scenario for beam-based alignment:
 - *Quadrupoles on movers*
 - *All quads and all BPM available for correction*
- Simple 1-to-1 steering forces the beam centroid through the center of each BPM
- After 1-to-1 steering the quadrupole offsets do not matter, and **the resulting envelope depends linearly on the BPM accuracy** (initial quad offsets irrelevant)
- As result the *centroid* also passes in the order of BPM accuracy from each quad centre
- However, the remaining quad kicks are enough to build up significantly *dispersive trajectories* so that the *envelope* is still large after 1-to-1 with BPM accuracy of 20 μm (misalign. + el. error)



Tolerance	Value	Comment
PETS offset	100 μm	$r_c < 1 \text{ mm}$ fulfilled
PETS angles	$\sim 1 \text{ mrad}$	$r_c < 1 \text{ mm}$ fulfilled
Quad angles	$\sim 1 \text{ mrad}$	$r_c < 1 \text{ mm}$ fulfilled
Quad offset	20 μm	As small as possible, within reasonable limits. 20 μm is within spec. of alignment system ($r_c < 1 \text{ mm} \Rightarrow$ quad offset of 1 μm)
BPM accuracy	20 μm	As small as possible, within reasonable limits.
BPM precision	?	





Dispersion-free steering

- 1-to-1 correction does not give an adequate steering due to the large variation of **dispersive trajectories**, we therefore seek to minimize the dispersive trajectories by applying **Dispersion-Free Steering (DFS)**, [Raubenheimer and Ruth, 1991]

- Our implementation uses response matrices to minimize:

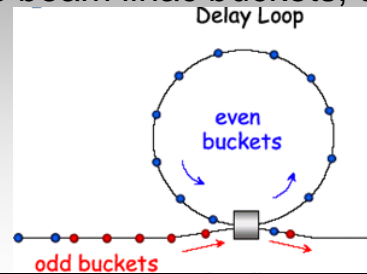
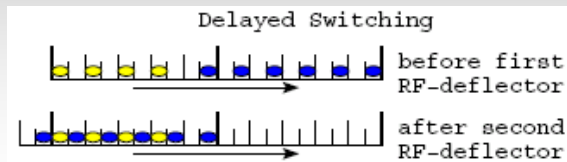
$$\chi^2 = w_0 \Sigma y_{0,i}^2 + w_1 \Sigma (y_{1,i} - y_{0,i})^2$$

- We need a test-beam that generates a difference trajectory with large energy leverage
 - however: higher energy beam not available and lower energy beam will not be stable (with the same focusing)
- Instead we take advantage of the PETS → reduced current, in form of **empty buckets**, can be used to generate **test beams with different energy**



DFS: test-beam generation

- By adjusting the switching of the drive beam linac buckets, one can generate the test-beam in the same pulse as the nominal beam

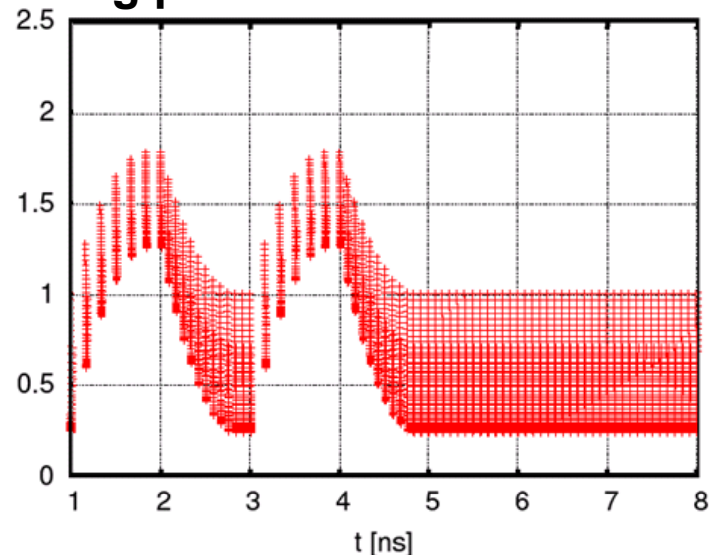


Example of DFS beam generation scheme:

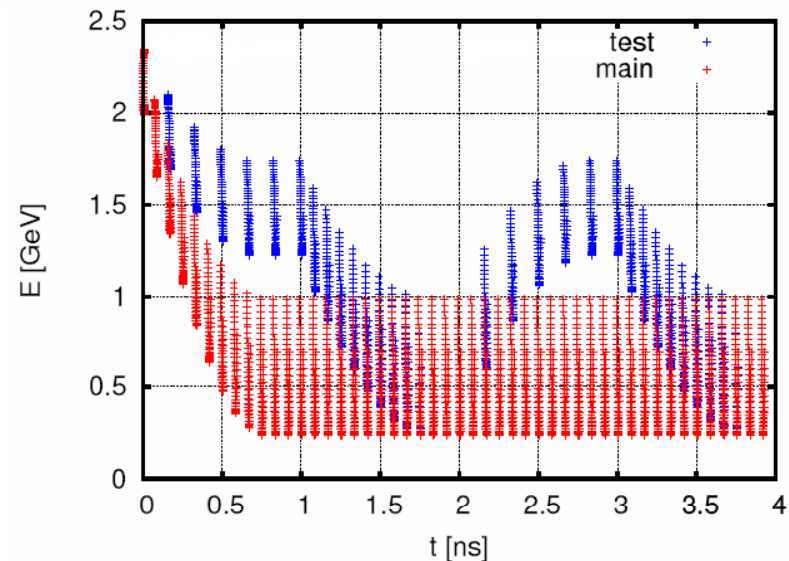
Of the 12 initial E+O pulses:

- First 3: nominal E+O recombination
- Next 3: Delay switching to ~half of O buckets
- Next 3: nominal
- Last 3: Delay switching

Resulting pattern:



Test-beam and nominal beam in the same pulse



Test-beam energy compared to nominal beam

Advantages with this method :

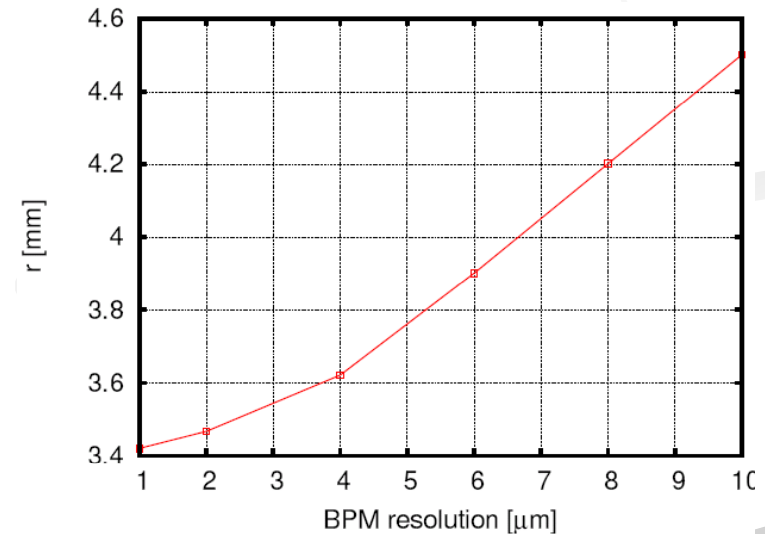
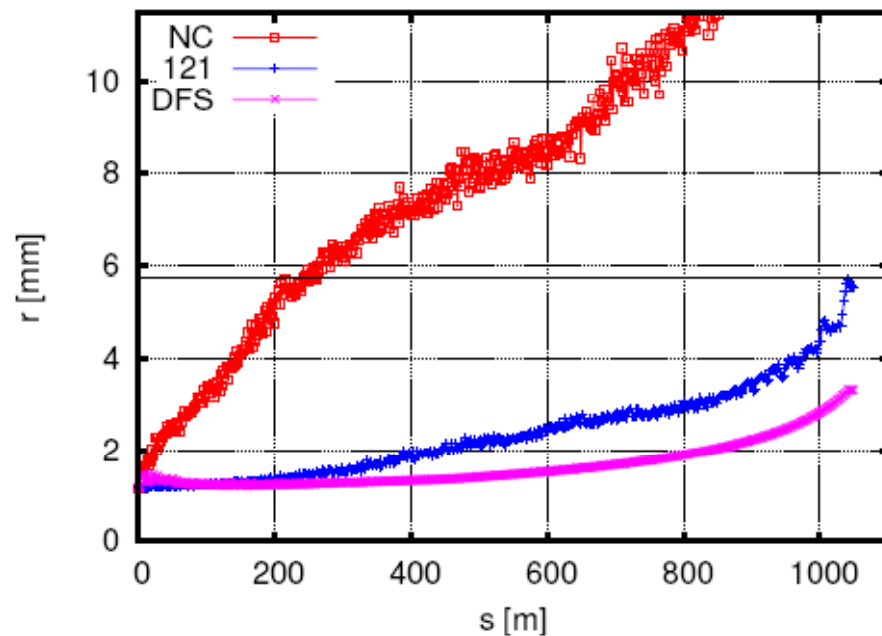
- quadrupole strengths are kept constant – **machine unchanged**
- main-beam and test-beam can be combined **in one pulse**
- Large energy-leverage

(The example scheme above might not be optimal wrt. BPM readings → to be investigated further)

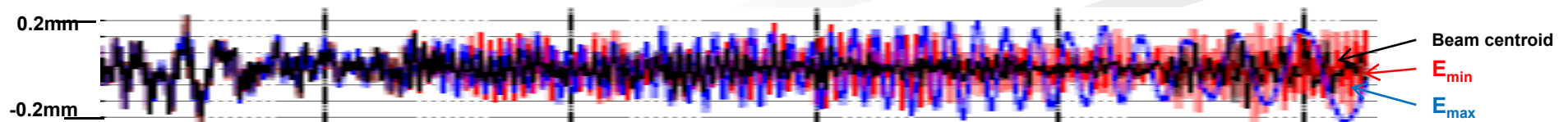


Results: DFS

- After applying DFS we observe that the envelope is almost identical to the minimum envelope due to adiabatic undamping -> DFS has efficiently suppressed the dispersive errors (this graph: resolution of 2 μm)
 - However, the envelope **depends linearly on the BPM resolution** when this contribution becomes significant
 - Start of lattice: DFS not effective, due to the small energy difference of the test-beam, but does not matter since the dispersive errors are also limited at the start



Optimal weighting of absolute / difference trajectories found by simulation





TBL versus the decelerator

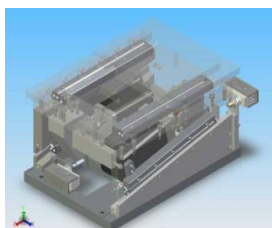
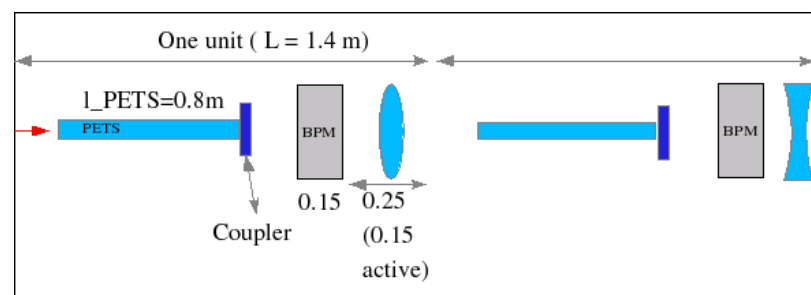
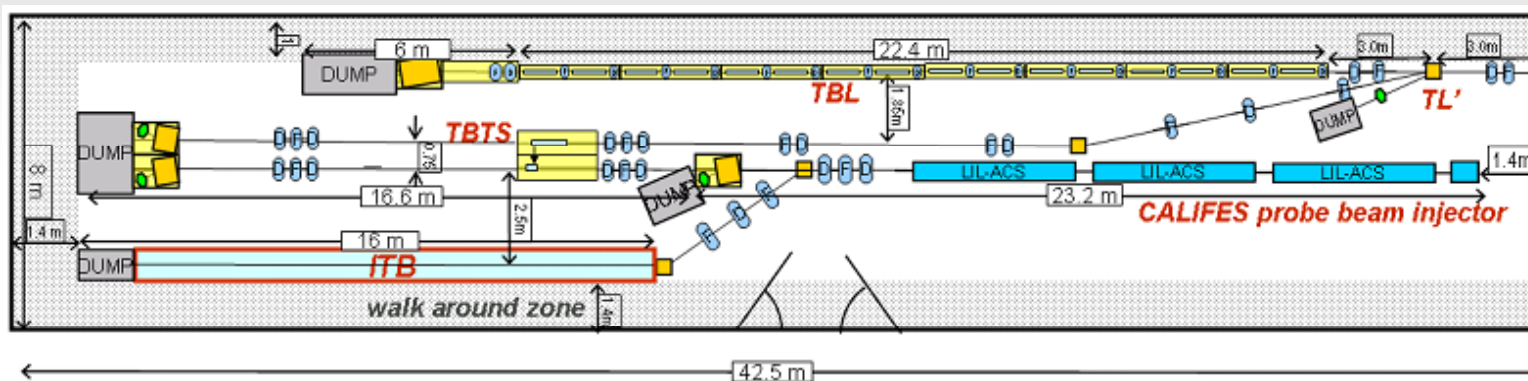




TBL

From Model to Reality: The Test Beam Line (TBL)

The Test Beam Line (TBL) is under construction as part of the CLIC Test Facility 3 (CTF3). TBL will be a **first prototype for the CLIC decelerator**. The targets are, among others, to investigate beam stability and minimum-loss transport during deceleration with high power extraction efficiency. In addition the TBL will serve as test-bed for Beam-Based Alignment of a decelerated beam, and as a general benchmarking of the simulation codes.



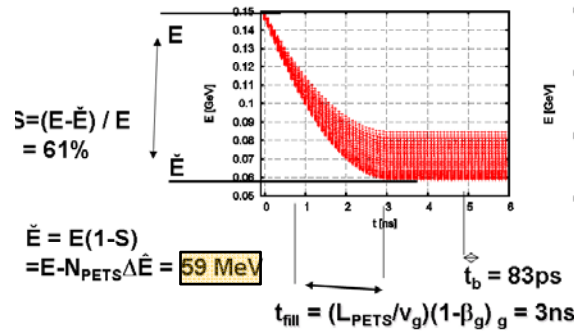
TBL Quadrupole mover (Courtesy of CIEMAT, F. Toral)



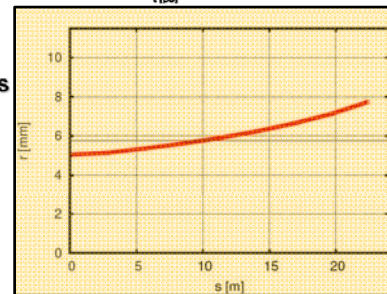
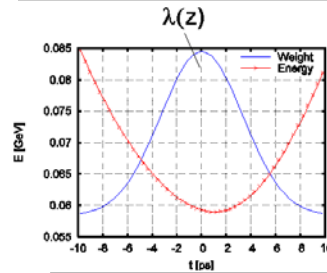
TBL versus CLIC

Parameters	Symbol	TBL value	CLIC value	Unit
Number of FODO cells	N_{cell}	8	500	-
Bunch separation	z_{bb}	25	25	mm
Bunch rms length	σ_z	1	1	mm
Pulse length	t_{pulse}	140	240	ns
Transient length	$t_{transient}$	3	1	ns
Initial average current	I_0	30	100	A
Power production	P	159	135	MW
Initial energy	E_0	150	2400	MeV
Final min. energy	E_{min}	59	240	MeV
Final max. energy spread	S	61	90	-
Initial norm. emit.	$\epsilon_{n x,y}$	150	150	$\mu\text{m rad}$

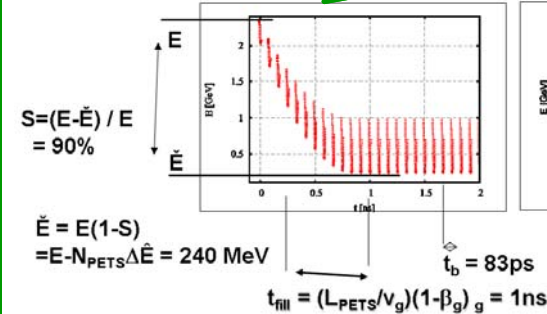
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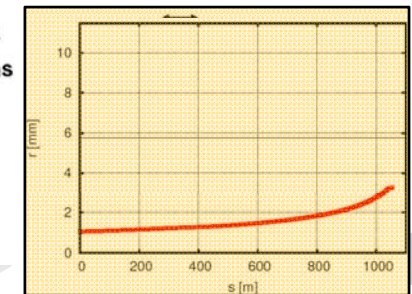
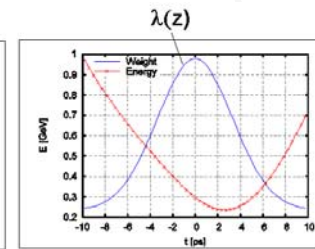
Power extracted from beam (ss) :
 $P \approx (1/4) I^2 L_{pets}^2 F(\sigma)^2 (R'/Q) \omega_b / v_g = 159 \text{ MW}$
 Power extraction efficiency (ss) :
 $\eta = E_{in} / E_{ext} = 59\%$



CLIC



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TBL versus CLIC – quad kicks

Effect of $\sigma_{\text{quads}} = 20 \mu\text{m}$

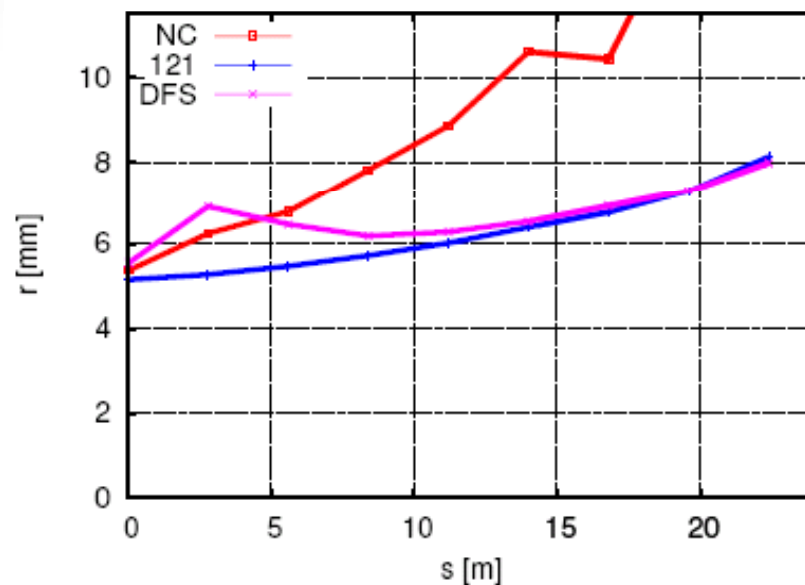
• CLIC: $r_c = 16 \text{ mm}$

• TBL: $r_c = 2.1 \text{ mm}$



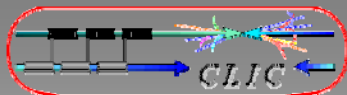
Precise quadrupole alignment is also required for the TBL. $\sigma_{\text{quads}} = 20 \mu\text{m}$ leads to small increase in beam envelope while $\sigma_{\text{quads}} = 100 \mu\text{m}$ implies that BBA might be required

TBL with $\sigma_{\text{quads}} = 100 \mu\text{m}$



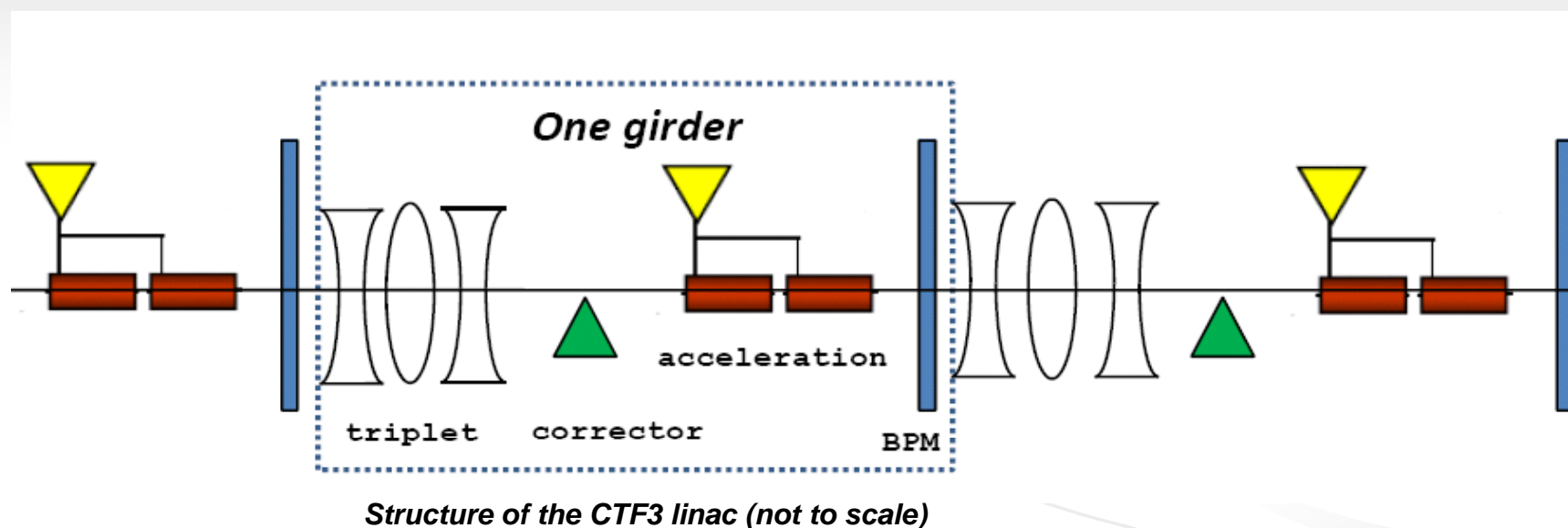
- 1-to-1 gives already good results; DFS is also effective, implying that TBL can provide a good test-bed for the decelerator BBA, but probably not before 2010

CTF3 linac alignment work



Test-case: CTF3 linac

The CTF3 linac is fully loaded, implying that current jitter leads will lead to significant energy jitter – analogous to the Decelerator / TBL -> therefore selected as test-case for the Beam Based Alignment



Purpose of this work thus two-fold:

- 1) Test of correction algorithms for CLIC on a relevant real machine*
- 2) Aid operation of CTF3 by automating beam steering*

For test of the Beam Based Alignment the exact same procedures are used for CTF3 linac as for the decelerator



Correction approaches studied

Both schemes: global schemes, finds global solution for any lattice segment, using only the lattice response matrix(s).

1) All-to-all (A2A): steers the beam to get BPM zero-readings, by simply inverting the response matrix of the nominal machine optics :

$$\Delta\theta = -\mathbf{R}_0^\dagger \mathbf{y}_0$$

2) Dispersion free steering (DFS) [4]: minimizes the difference of dispersive trajectories, using responses corresponding to optics with different dp/p ; weighted against A2A :

$$\chi^2 = w_0 \sum y_{0,i}^2 + w_1 \sum (y_{1,i} - y_{0,i})^2$$
$$\frac{\partial \chi^2}{\partial \theta} = 0 \Rightarrow \Delta\theta = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{w_0} \mathbf{R}_0 \\ \sqrt{w_1} (\mathbf{R}_1 - \mathbf{R}_0) \end{bmatrix}^\dagger \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{w_0} \mathbf{y}_0 \\ \sqrt{w_1} (\mathbf{y}_1 - \mathbf{y}_0) \end{bmatrix}$$

For BBA implementation details using placet-octave (A. Latina) : see talk E. Adli "Examples of PLACET Use for the DriveBeam"
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SVD is used for Matrix inversion for both candidates: minimal LS solution, noise rejection/smoothing, easy compensation for defect BPMs and correctors → optimal global solution on any lattice segment.

Difference decelerator / CTF3 linac:

- decelerator: test-beam with missing bunches
- CTF3 linac: changed optics by magnet scaling



Responses for steering

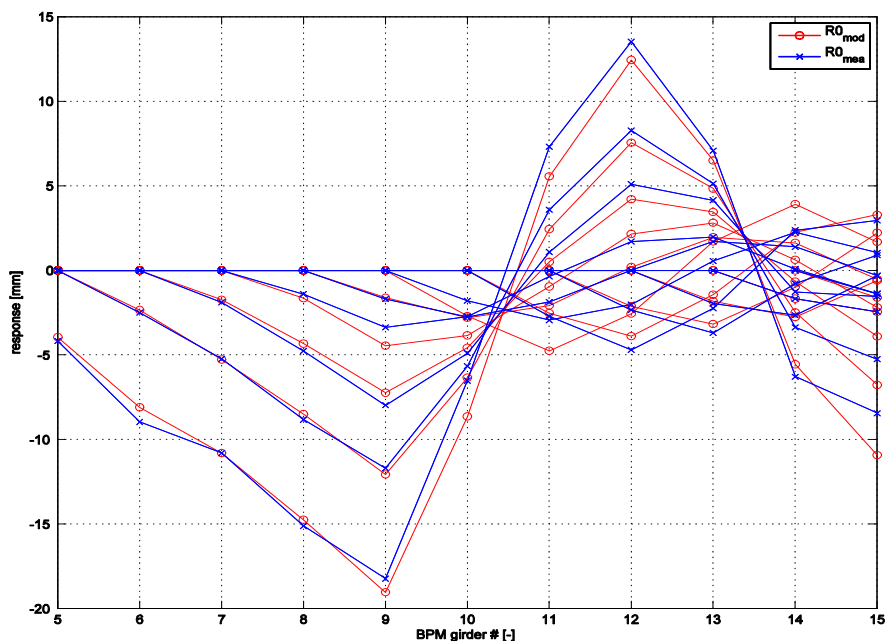
- Option 1) Using measured responses (“easy”)
 - Taking measured responses and using these (correct) responses
 - Problem: might need to re-take responses when optics change, might be time consuming (especially for large machines)
- Option 2) Ideal: using model responses (“harder”)
 - Requires a good model -> model identification might be necessary



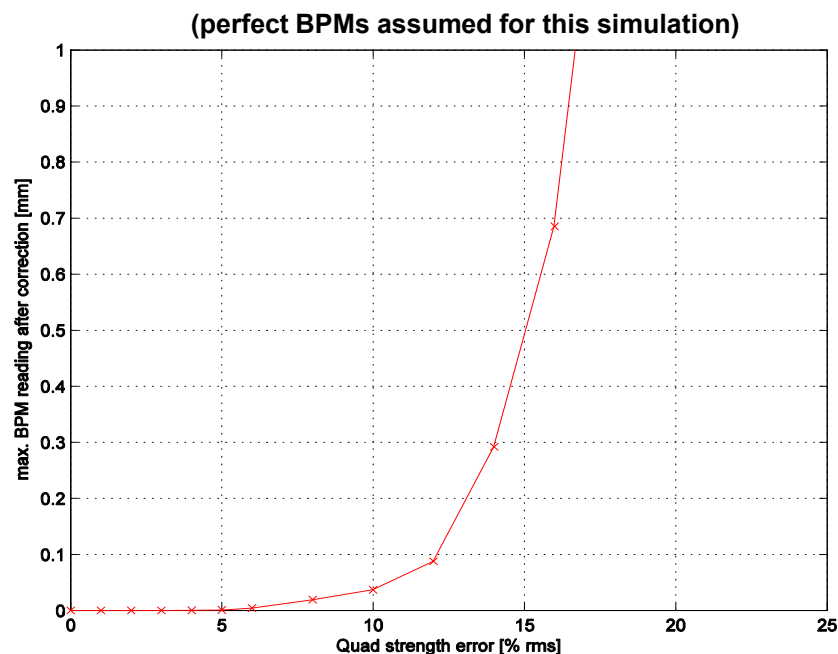
Model / machine

Model used (after global fit to compensate for BPM errors, and scaling between the two corrector families) .

We observe that there are still discrepancies model / machine, however, one do not need a perfect model in order to perform correction



CTF3: model / machine discrepancy



CTF3: convergence of correction with a non-ideal model

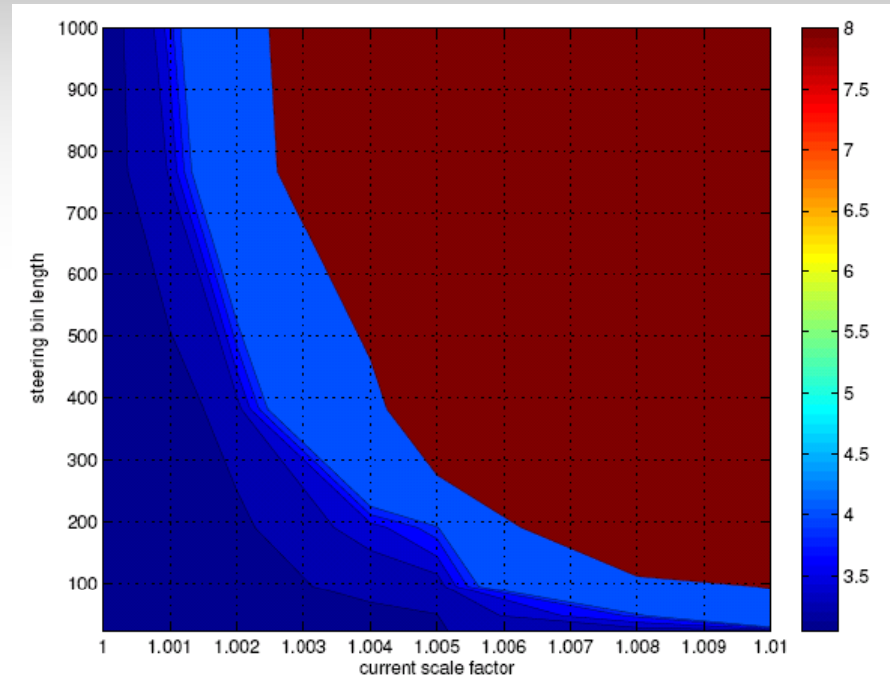


Decelerator: model imperfections

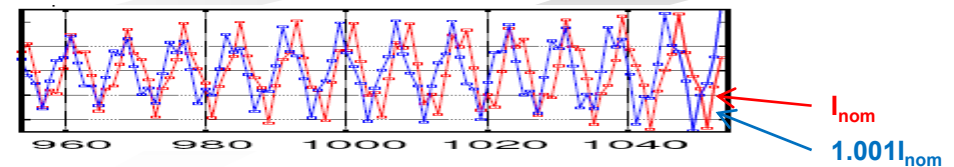
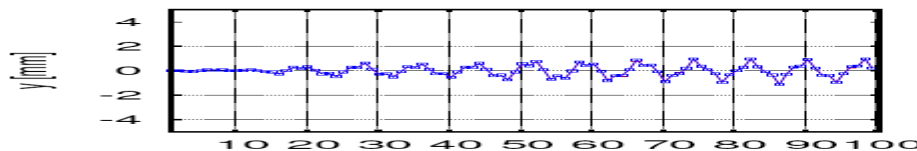
- One of the potential critical issues for the decelerator: response phase-change due small current errors

- **Current error versus steering model :**

- Particles undergo up to 130 phase-space revolution in the decelerator lattice
- Therefore, if the model-based steering would be performed in "one go" 0.1% current difference model/machine would result in a poorly steered machine
- The steering will be performed in bins (max. allowed size depending on the current difference) – by going to small enough bins the DFS **performs ok for up to 1% current jitter** (we need some margin)



DFS performance with current error



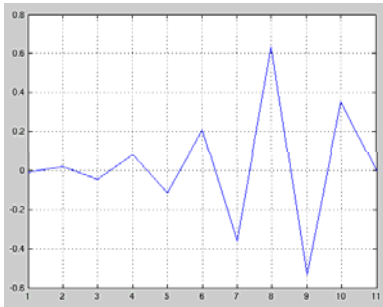
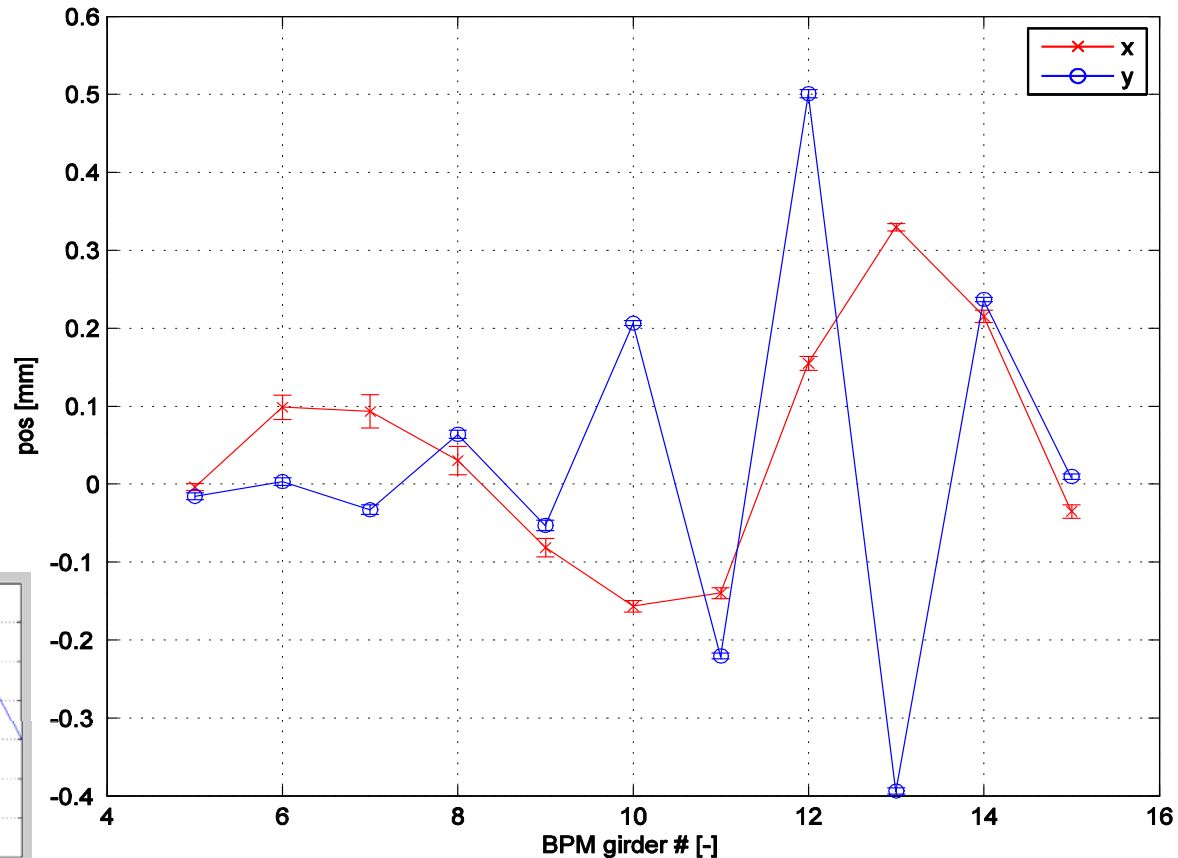
Steering results

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CTF3: All-to-All

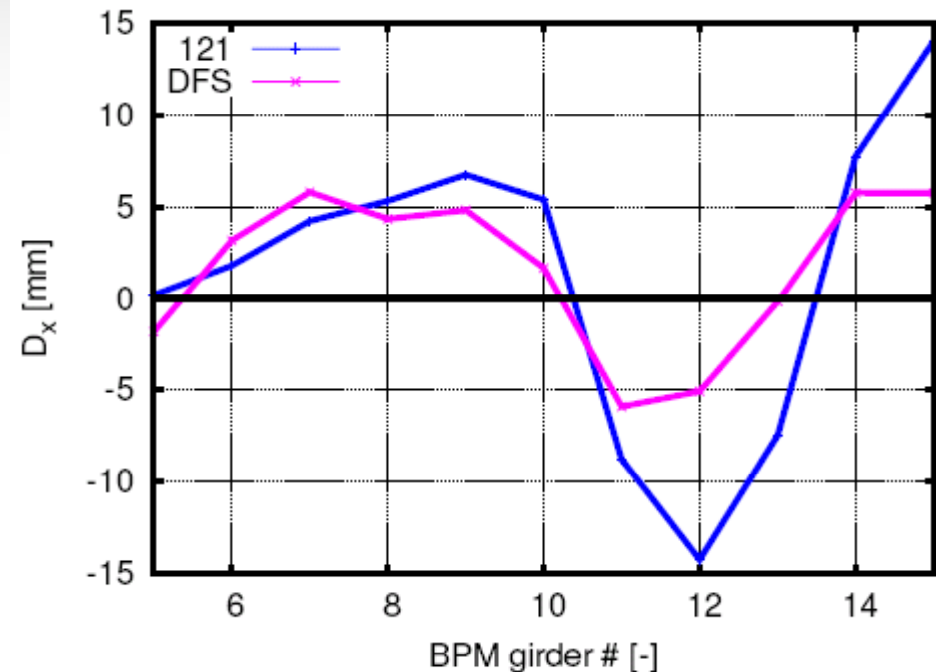
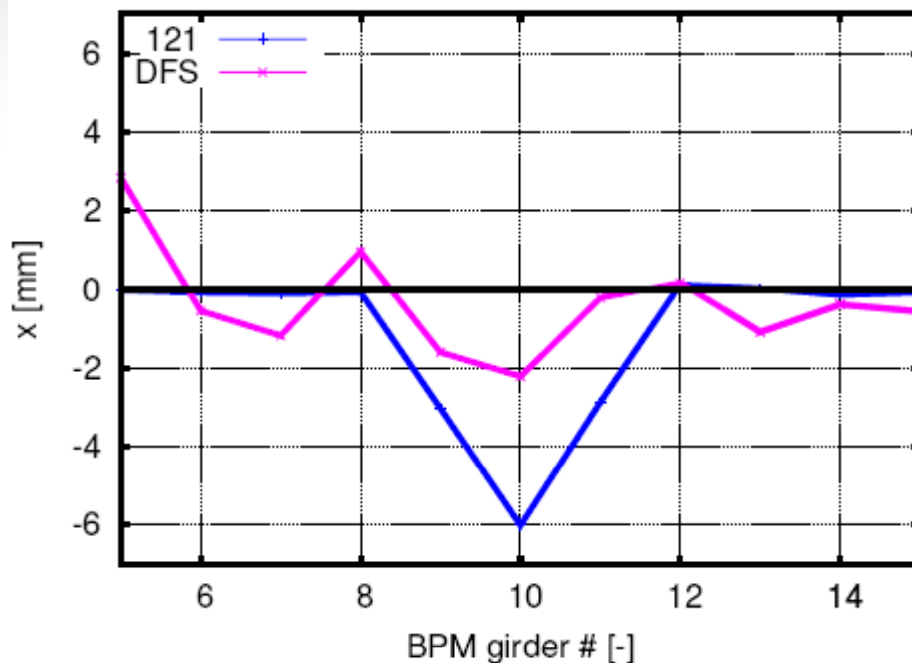
- Model-based steering :
- Converges after ~4 iterations (compared to 2 for machine responses)
 - 10-20 s per iteration
- Defect corrector in the vertical (G14): shows the global LS solution found by SVD (for 10 correctors and 11 BPMs)



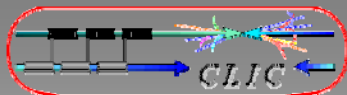


CTF3: Dispersion-free steering

- For the nominal CTF3 linac the all-to-all steering gave as good results as dispersion-free steering (residual dispersion ~ 5 mm)
- To verify the performance of DFS, a **test-case with simulated large BPM offsets** was defined
- The **position bump** leads to a factor three higher dispersion after the bump (15 mm)



- From the dispersion measurements we see that DFS has indeed managed to **reduce the dispersion** by a factor ~ 3 (to ~ 5 mm, the minimum achieved without the bump as well)
- In addition: DFS is mostly oblivious to the BPM readings - in practice : DFS can also **give indications where problems are located**
- Details of DFS implementation: hard to find good parameters (BPM res of 10 μm + beam jitter). Final parameters: $\Delta p/p=0.2$. $w_x/w_y=10$. SVD-cut: 0.7



Conclusions / next step

- Simulations studies suggests that “advanced” Based-Alignment has proven necessary for the CLIC Decelerator (as well as other CLIC subsystems)
 (“advanced” in the sense “better performance than steering into BPM centers”)
- Algorithms foreseen for the Decelerator have been tested, with success, on the CTF3 linac
- Model-based All-to-All steering seems to work well (NB: only one working point tested), and the linac can therefore be automatically steered in around 1 min with this technique (4 iteration x 10-20 s)
- Next logical step: test of beam-based alignment in the Test Beam Line (TBL)

Extra

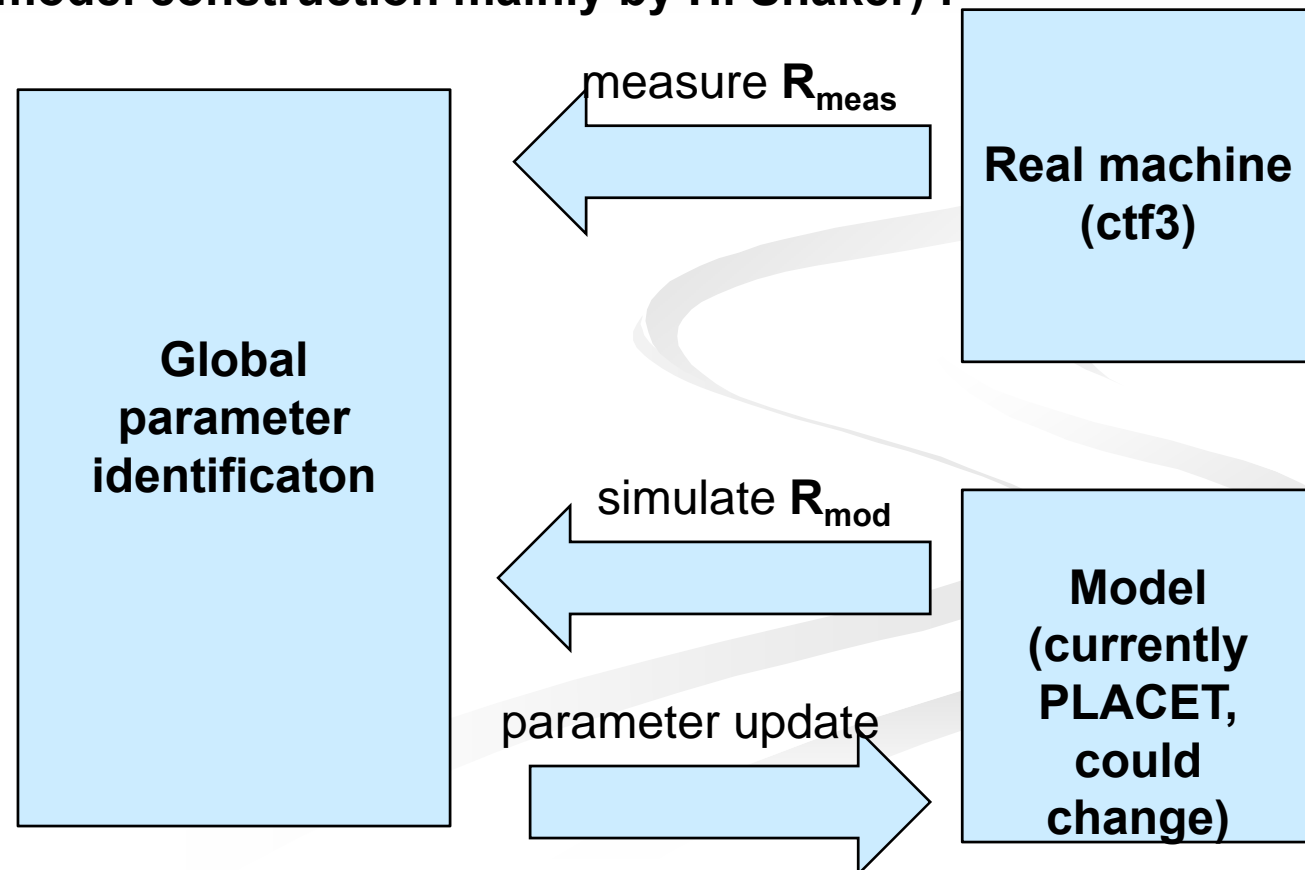
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Global identification

- LOCO: existing tool for this type of identification, used extensively in e.g. light-sources
- Discussion with AB/OP (J. Wenninger -> K. Fuchsberger): “LOCO can be used also for transport lines, but we have also written new applications for this type of identification”
- In fact: the parameter estimation code is quite quick to write, the interfacing is what takes time

For this work a short code was written that does the global identification, and interfaces with the PLACET model (using placet-octave update by A. Latina, PLACET model construction mainly by H. Shaker) :



Global identification:

$$E_{k=ij} = w_j(R_{\text{mod},ij} - R_{\text{meas},ij})$$

•Target: minimize $\chi^2 = \sum E_{k=ij}^2$

•Procedure: Gauss-Newton
 $\Delta K = -(\partial E / \partial K)^+ E$

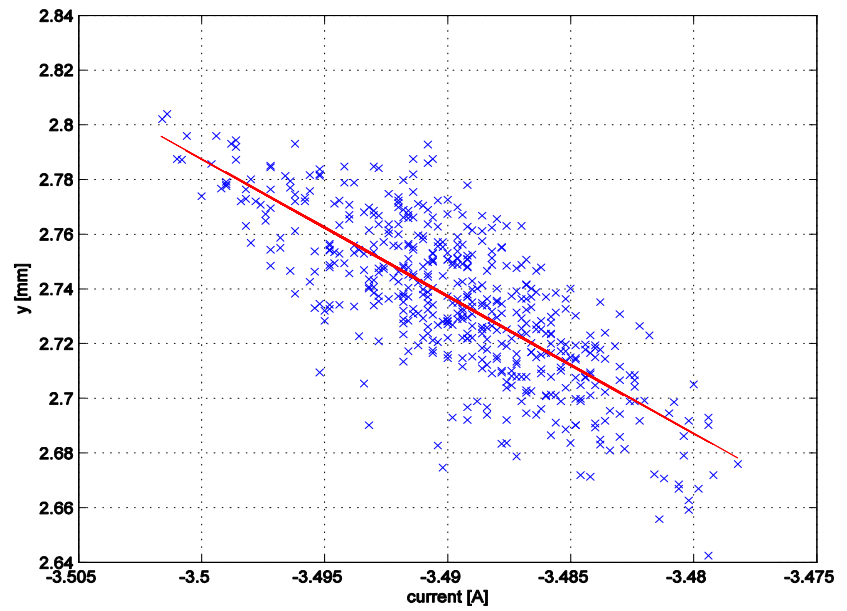
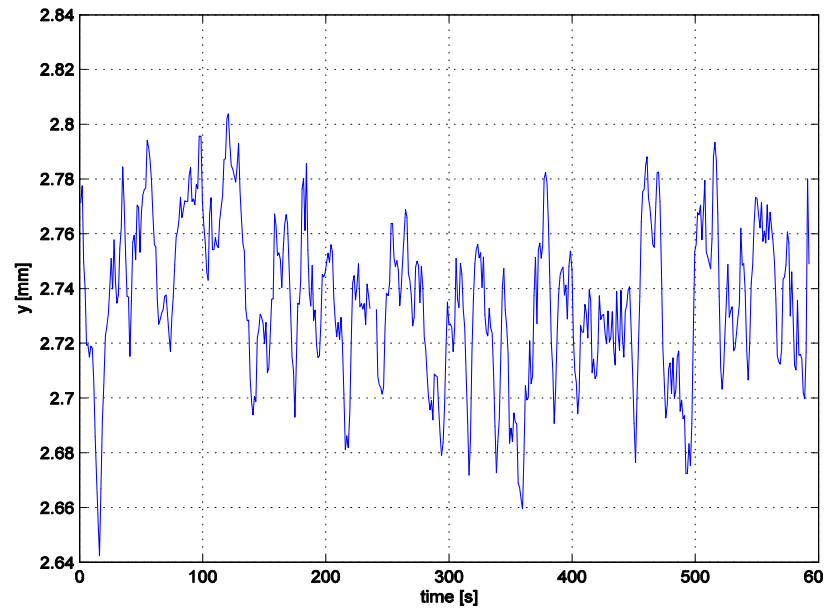
Triplet cells: large fit uncertainties due to data imprecision. Analyzed using the covariance matrix:

$$\left(\frac{\partial E}{\partial K}^T \frac{\partial E}{\partial K} \right)^{-1}$$

Quadrupole parameters could not be improved



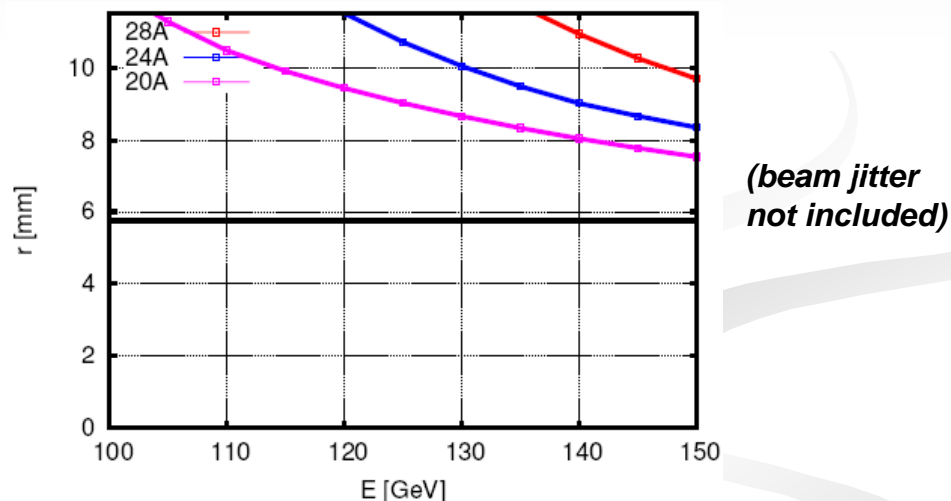
Machine jitter





Conclusions: TBL

- A first prototype for the decelerator
- With the effects taken into account it will be though to transport the 3-sigma core of the beam
 - Assuming 150 MeV initial energy, e.g. 120 MeV would make it much more difficult



- Hardware test-bed

- PETS and tanks
- BPMs, Loss monitors, ps time resolved measurement (charge, energy)
- Quadrupole movers
- etc

A 3-sigma transport through TBL looks like a difficult task, but if we come close to it, it will be a great step towards proving feasibility of the CLIC decelerator