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1. Introduction

1.1. Literature

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1.2. Bending radius and beam rigidity

Particle guidance and focusing based on beam deflection by Lorentz force

$$\vec{F} = q \cdot \left(\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B}\right)$$

Ultra-relativistic particles move with speed very close to speed of light!

Impact of magnetic fields is enhanced by enormous factor:

 $v \approx c \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad B = 1 \text{Tesla} \iff E = 3 \cdot 10^8 \text{ V/m}$

Only magnetic fields are used for beam deflection!

Bending radius from balance of forces $(m = \gamma_r m_0)$:

$$\vec{B} \perp \vec{v}$$
: $m \frac{v^2}{\rho} = q \cdot v \cdot B$ $p = mv = q \rho B$

Leads to the definition of the magnetic rigidity $B\rho$!

In circular accelerators, the magnetic rigidity defines the momentum of the beam:

$$\frac{p}{q} = B\rho = 1 \,\mathrm{Tm} \quad \triangleq \qquad p = 0.3 \,\frac{\mathrm{GeV}}{\mathrm{c}}$$

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Example LHC:

- bending radius: $\rho = 2.8$ km
- magnetic field: B = 8.3 Tesla

Magnetic rigidity: $B\rho = 23.2 \cdot 10^3$ Tm \rightarrow momentum: $p[\text{GeV/c}] = 0.3 \cdot B\rho$ \rightarrow kin. energy: $E \approx pc = 7$ TeV

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2. Magnets

2.1. General remarks on the calculation of magnetic fields



Taylor Expansion of the Magnetic Field:

$$B_{y}(x,y) = \underbrace{B_{y}(0,y)}_{\text{Dipoles}} + \underbrace{x \cdot \frac{\partial B_{y}}{\partial x}(0,y)}_{\text{Quadrupoles}} + \underbrace{x^{2} \cdot \frac{\partial^{2} B_{y}}{\partial x^{2}}(0,y)}_{\text{Sextupoles}} + \dots$$

2.2. Particle beam guidance

Deflection of particles \rightarrow homogenous field: $\vec{B} = B_0 \cdot \hat{e}_v = \text{const.}$

Corresponding magnetic potential:

 $\Phi(x, y) = -B_0 \cdot y$

defining the pole's profile to be flat and parallel: Dipole Magnets!



Dipole Magnets:



Iron dominated: field determined by geometry of poles $\rightarrow 2$ flat poles

Superconducting:

field determined by geometry of coils $\rightarrow j(\phi) \sim \cos \phi$

2.3. Particle beam focusing

Restoring force, linearly increasing with increasing distance from the axis:

$$B_{y} = -g \cdot x, \quad B_{x} = -g \cdot y \quad \text{with} \quad g = \frac{\partial B_{y}}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial B_{x}}{\partial y} = const.$$

Corresponding potential: $\Phi(x, y) = g \cdot x \cdot y, \quad \text{solves} \quad \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{B} = -\Delta \Phi = 0$

defining the pole's profile to four hyperbolic poles: **Quadrupole Magnets**!



The "restoring" force acting on the particles is

$$\vec{F} = q \cdot \left(\vec{v} \times \vec{B} \right) = q v g \cdot \left(x \, \hat{e}_x - y \, \hat{e}_y \right)$$

A quadrupole magnet is therefore focusing only in one plane and defocusing in the other; depending on the sign of g.



The **focal length** of a thin quadrupole magnet of length *L* can be derived from the deflection angle α of the particles beam and its relation to the quadrupole strength *k*,



Here we have assumed the length L to be short compared to the focal length f such that R does not change significantly within the quadrupole magnetic field.

Strong Focusing:

Light optics:



Magnet optics:



Detailed discussion later!

Quadrupole magnets:







Superconducting: field determined by geometry of coils $\rightarrow j(\phi) \sim \cos 2\phi$

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2.4. Correction of chromatic errors

Quadratic increase of magnetic fields increasing distance from the axis:

$$B_{y} = \frac{1}{2}g' \cdot \left(x^{2} - y^{2}\right) \quad \text{with} \quad g' = \frac{\partial^{2} B_{y}}{\partial x^{2}} = const.$$

Corresponding potential: $\Phi(x, y) = \frac{1}{6}g' \left(y^{3} - 3x^{2}y\right), \quad \text{solves} \quad \vec{\nabla} \cdot \vec{B} = -\Delta \Phi = 0$



Sextupole Magnets

Six poles, profile

$$x(y) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{y^2}{3} \pm \frac{2\Phi_0}{g'y}}$$

or using the aperture

$$a = \sqrt[3]{6\Phi_0/g'}$$

$$x(y) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{y^2}{3} \pm \frac{a^3}{3y}}$$

The g' parameter may be related to the current of the coils in the well-known manner:

$$g' = \frac{\partial^2 B_y}{\partial x^2} = 6 \,\mu_0 \frac{n I}{a^3}$$

and we obtain for the transverse magnetic fields:

$$B_{x}(x,y) = -\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial x} = g'xy \text{ and } B_{y}(x,y) = -\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial y} = \frac{1}{2}g'(x^{2}-y^{2})$$



Normalizing g' to the particles momentum, we obtain the sextupole strength

$$m = \frac{q}{p}g' = \frac{6q\mu_0}{p}\frac{nI}{a^3}$$
, $[m] = m^{-3}$

A simple understanding of the action of a sextupole will be given later!



2.5. Multipole expansion

General treatment by multipole expansion in polar coordinates:

$$B_{r}(r,\phi) = B_{0} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{r}{\rho}\right)^{n-1} \cdot \left(b_{n} \sin\left(n\phi\right) - a_{n} \cos\left(n\phi\right)\right)$$
$$B_{\phi}(r,\phi) = B_{0} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{r}{\rho}\right)^{n-1} \cdot \left(a_{n} \sin\left(n\phi\right) + b_{n} \cos\left(n\phi\right)\right)$$



Contribution of multipole *n*:
$$|B|_n = \sqrt{B_{r,n}^2 + B_{\phi,n}^2} = B_0 \left(\frac{r}{\rho}\right)^{n-1} \sqrt{a_n^2 + b_n^2}$$

Generally: 2n-pole has $2\pi/n$ symmetry, $|B|_n$ scales with r^{n-1} .

n=1: dipole magnet *n*=2: quadrupole magnet *n*=3: sextupole magnet *n*=4: octupole magnet *n*=5: decapole magnet

Classification:

$$b_n \neq 0$$
: "upright" magnets

 $a_n \neq 0$: "skew" magnets, rotated by π/n

Normal or upright magnets:







Skew or rotated magnets:





Skew R-Sextupole



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2.6. Effective field length

The assumption of a constant field distribution along the longitudinal axis $(\partial \vec{B}/\partial s = 0)$ is not valid in general due to the fringing fields at the end of the magnets. In order to simplify the calculation of the optics of particle accelerators, an effective field length l_{eff} of each magnet is usually defined, calculated from the path-integral



and approximating the real longitudinal field by a rectangular shaped profile. Note: l_{eff} differs from the length *L* of the iron poles, in almost all cases $l_{eff} > L$.

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Matrix Formalism
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3. Linear Beam Optics

3.1. A quick and simple first approach using geometric optics

Reference path = path of a particle moving on the design path:



Use coordinate system fixed to reference particle, moving along the reference path! Horizontal position and angle of a particle given by **displacements** x, x'

Considering paraxial optics: $x \ll \rho$, $x' = \tan \alpha \approx \alpha$



Impact of magnets in a very rough approximation:

dipole magnet: drift of length L_D **quadrupole magnet:** thin lens with focal lengths $f_x = -\frac{1}{kL_o}$, $f_y = \frac{1}{kL_o}$

Particle positions in horizontal / vertical phase space are changed by matrices:



Phase space	Position	Drift	Dipole	Quadrupole
horizontal	$\vec{X}(s) = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix}$	$\mathbf{M}_d = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & L \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\mathbf{M}_D = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & L \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\mathbf{M}_{\mathcal{Q}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0\\ \pm 1/f & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Phase Space	Position	Drift	Dipole	Quadrupole
vertical	$\vec{Y}(s) = \begin{pmatrix} y \\ y' \end{pmatrix}$	$\mathbf{M}_d = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & L \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\mathbf{M}_D = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & L \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\mathbf{M}_{\mathcal{Q}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ \mp 1/f & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

Calculation of single particle trajectories by matrix multiplication, e.g.:





3.2. Some considerations concerning the equations of motion

A **correct treatment** requires solving the equations of motion in a moving reference system. Again we will try a somehow "superficial" approach and look at the forces:

$$m\vec{\vec{r}} = m(\beta c)^{2} \vec{r}'' = \vec{F} = e \cdot (\vec{v} \times \vec{B})$$

using $\vec{r} = \frac{d\vec{r}}{ds} \cdot \frac{ds}{dt} = \vec{r}' \cdot \dot{s}, \quad \vec{\vec{r}} = \frac{d\vec{r}}{ds} \cdot \frac{ds}{dt} \approx \frac{d\vec{r}'}{ds} \cdot \dot{s} \cdot \frac{ds}{dt} = \vec{r}'' \cdot \dot{s}^{2} \approx (\beta_{r}c)^{2} \vec{r}''(s)$
• quadrupoles: $\vec{F} = m \cdot (\beta_{r}c)^{2} \cdot k \cdot (x\hat{e}_{x} - y\hat{e}_{y}), \text{ remember: } k = \frac{q}{p}g$

• dipoles:
$$\vec{F} = m \cdot (\beta_r c)^2 \cdot \frac{1}{\rho} \cdot \frac{\Delta p}{p_0} \cdot \hat{e}_x$$
, remember: $\frac{1}{\rho} = \frac{q}{p_0} B_0$

(take care: a particle with nominal momentum p_0 isn't deflected in the moving frame when traversing a dipole, so this contribution to the deflection in the lab frame has to be subtracted: $\vec{F} \rightarrow \vec{F}(p) - \vec{F}(p_0)$, leading to $p \rightarrow \Delta p$)

In addition, we have to take care of the **geometric focusing** in the horizontal plane:



Putting everything together, we obtain the famous linear equations of motion:

$$x''(s) + \left(\frac{1}{\rho^2(s)} - k(s)\right) \cdot x(s) = \frac{1}{\rho(s)} \frac{\Delta p}{p}$$
$$y''(s) + k(s) \cdot y(s) = 0$$

3.3. Equations of motion in a moving reference system

Moving orthogonal, right-handed coordinate system (*x*, *y*, *s*) that follows a reference particle traveling along its ideal path (design orbit):



We will concentrate on ideal orbits laying within the horizontal plane, therefore

$$\vec{r} = (\rho + x) \cdot \hat{e}_x + y \cdot \hat{e}_y, \qquad x, y \ll \rho$$

Using this reference system moving with $\dot{s} = R \cdot \dot{\phi}$, we obtain the following time derivatives of the coordinate vectors

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{\hat{e}}_{x} &= -\dot{\phi}\,\hat{\hat{e}}_{s} = -\frac{\dot{s}}{\rho}\,\hat{\hat{e}}_{s} \\ \dot{\hat{e}}_{s} &= +\dot{\phi}\,\hat{\hat{e}}_{x} = +\frac{\dot{s}}{\rho}\,\hat{\hat{e}}_{x} \end{aligned} \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad \begin{aligned} \ddot{\hat{e}}_{x} &= -\dot{\phi}^{2}\,\hat{\hat{e}}_{x} = -\left(\frac{\dot{s}}{\rho}\right)^{2}\,\hat{\hat{e}}_{x} \\ \ddot{\hat{e}}_{s} &= -\dot{\phi}^{2}\,\hat{\hat{e}}_{s} = -\left(\frac{\dot{s}}{\rho}\right)^{2}\,\hat{\hat{e}}_{s} \end{aligned} \qquad \Rightarrow \qquad \\ \dot{\hat{e}}_{y} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

and by using $\dot{x} = \frac{dx}{ds} \cdot \frac{ds}{dt} = x' \cdot \dot{s}$, $\dot{y} = \frac{dy}{ds} \cdot \frac{ds}{dt} = y' \cdot \dot{s}$, we obtain for the time derivatives:

$$\dot{\vec{r}} = x'\dot{s}\hat{e}_x + y'\dot{s}\hat{e}_y - \left(1 + \frac{x}{\rho}\right)\dot{s}\hat{e}_s$$
$$\ddot{\vec{r}} = \left\{x''\dot{s}^2 - \left(1 + \frac{x}{\rho}\right)\frac{\dot{s}^2}{\rho} + \frac{x'\ddot{s}}{\overset{\sim}{\simeq}0}\right\}\hat{e}_x + \left\{y''\dot{s}^2 + y'\ddot{s}_{\overset{\sim}{\simeq}0}\right\}\hat{e}_y + \left\{-2x'\frac{\dot{s}^2}{\rho} - \left(1 + \frac{x}{\rho}\right)\ddot{s}_{\overset{\sim}{\simeq}0}\right\}\hat{e}_s$$

Now proceed with several approximations:

- small displacements $x \ll \rho$, $y \ll \rho$, $\ddot{s} \approx 0$ (paraxial optics)
- only dipole and quadrupole magnets (linear field changes)
- design orbit lies in a plane (flat accelerator)
- no coupling between motion in hor. and vert. plane (upright magnets)
- small momentum deviations (quasi monochromatic beam)
- in general: no quadratic or higher order terms (linear beam optics)

Magnetic field in terms of strength parameters:

$$\frac{q}{p_0}\vec{B} = k y \hat{e}_x + \left\{-\frac{1}{\rho} + k x\right\} \hat{e}_y,$$

and from simple geometrical considerations, we may write the particles longitudinal velocity v in terms of the change of the longitudinal coordinate \dot{s} :



The particles are deflected due to the Lorentz force $\gamma m \cdot \vec{\vec{r}} = q \cdot (\vec{\vec{r}} \times \vec{B})$, thus

$$\begin{pmatrix} x''\dot{s}^{2} - \left(1 + \frac{x}{\rho}\right)\dot{s}^{2} \\ y''\dot{s}^{2} \\ -2x'\frac{\dot{s}^{2}}{\rho} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{q}{\gamma m} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \left(1 + \frac{x}{\rho}\right)\dot{s}B_{y} \\ -\left(1 + \frac{x}{\rho}\right)\dot{s}B_{x} \\ \dot{s}\left(x'B_{y} - y'B_{x}\right) \end{pmatrix}$$

We will concentrate on the transverse planes. With the corresponding multipole strengths and the momentum expansion, we get

$$x'' - \left(1 + \frac{x}{\rho}\right) \frac{1}{\rho} = \frac{q}{\dot{s}} \left(\frac{v}{\rho}\right) \left(1 + \frac{x}{\rho}\right) \frac{p_0}{q} \left(kx - \frac{1}{\rho}\right) = \left(1 + \frac{x}{\rho}\right)^2 \left(kx - \frac{1}{\rho}\right) \left(1 - \frac{\Delta p}{p_0}\right)$$
$$= B_z$$
$$y'' = -\frac{q}{\dot{s}} \left(\frac{v}{\rho}\right) \left(1 + \frac{x}{\rho}\right) \frac{p_0}{q} ky = -\left(1 + \frac{x}{\rho}\right)^2 ky \left(1 - \frac{\Delta p}{p_0}\right)$$
$$= B_z$$

Neglecting all nonlinear terms in x, y, and $\Delta p/p_0$, we again obtain the (already well

known) linear equations of motion:

$$x''(s) + \left(\frac{1}{\rho^2(s)} - k(s)\right) \cdot x(s) = \frac{1}{\rho(s)} \frac{\Delta p}{p}$$
$$y''(s) + k(s) \cdot y(s) = 0$$

Remember:

Can be driven resonantly like a child's swing



3.4. Matrix formalism

We will characterize a particles state by a vector built from its relative coordinates:

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \\ y \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \text{horizontal displacement} \\ \text{horizontal angular displacement} \\ \text{vertical displacement} \\ \text{vertical angular displacement} \end{pmatrix} \text{hor. phase space}$$

and use the matrix formalism to describe particles trajectories: $\vec{X} = \mathbf{M} \cdot \vec{X}_0$. In case of upright magnets there will be no coupling of the transverse planes and we can generally write:

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & 0 & 0 \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & r_{33} & r_{34} \\ 0 & 0 & r_{43} & r_{44} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \langle x | x_0 \rangle & \langle x | x_0' \rangle & 0 & 0 \\ \langle x' | x_0 \rangle & \langle x' | x_0' \rangle & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \langle y | y_0 \rangle & \langle y | y_0' \rangle \\ 0 & 0 & \langle y' | y_0 \rangle & \langle y' | y_0' \rangle \end{pmatrix}$$

Next, we have to derive the matrices for drift, dipole and quadrupole magnets.
3.4.1. Drift space

 $1/\rho(s) = k(s) = 0$ gives

$$x'(s) = x_0' = \text{const.}, y'(s) = y_0' = \text{const.}$$

Thus we get:

$$\mathbf{M}_{drift} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & L & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & L \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

3.4.2. Dipole magnets

Constant bending radius: k = 0. Homogeneous solution (case $\Delta p/p = 0$):

$$x_h(s) = a \cdot \cos\frac{s}{\rho} + b \cdot \sin\frac{s}{\rho}$$

The integration constants *a*, *b* are derived from the boundary conditions at s = 0

$$x(s=0) = a = x_0, \quad x'(s=0) = \frac{b}{\rho} = x_0',$$

and by defining the bending angle $\varphi = L/\rho$ of the dipole magnet, we obtain :



A sector magnet is therefore focusing in the horizontal plane.

Sector- / rectangular dipole magnets and edge focusing:



The focusing / defocusing effect of the fringe fields (edge focusing) depends on the entrance (exit) angle ψ and may again be described by a linear transformation matrix

$$\mathbf{M}_{\psi} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{\tan \psi / \rho & 1}{\rho & 1} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{\tan \psi / \rho & 1}{\rho & 1} \end{pmatrix}$$

We finally obtain with $\psi = \varphi/2$ and $\mathbf{M}_{rect} = \mathbf{M}_{\psi} \cdot \mathbf{M}_{dipole} \cdot \mathbf{M}_{\psi}$

$$\mathbf{M}_{rect} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \rho \sin \varphi & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1 - \rho \varphi / f}{\rho \varphi / f^2 - 2 / f} & \frac{\rho \varphi}{1 - \rho \varphi / f} \end{pmatrix}$$

where we have defined the focal length $f \approx \rho/\tan\psi$ caused by edge (de)focusing.

A rectangular dipole magnet is therefore focusing in the vertical plane. It acts like a drift space in the horizontal plane!

3.4.3. Quadrupole magnets

Assuming a pure quadrupole magnet we set the bending term $1/\rho = 0$. The solution of the equation of motion depends on the sign of the quadrupole strength *k*. For k < 0 we get the solution of a quadrupole magnet, which is horizontal focusing and vertical defocusing (the case k > 0 can be treated completely analog):

$$x(s) = a \cdot \cos\left(\sqrt{|k|} \cdot s\right) + b \cdot \sin\left(\sqrt{|k|} \cdot s\right)$$
$$y(s) = c \cdot \cosh\left(\sqrt{|k|} \cdot s\right) + d \cdot \sinh\left(\sqrt{|k|} \cdot s\right)$$

The integration constants *a*, *b*, *c*, *d* are derived from the boundary conditions at s = 0:

$$x(s=0) = a = x_0,$$
 $x'(s=0) = b = x_0'$
 $y(s=0) = c = y_0,$ $y'(s=0) = d = y_0'$

Substituting and building the first derivative, we obtain the transformation matrices for a **horizontal focusing (FQ) and a horizontal defocusing (DQ) quadrupole**, where we put $\Omega = \sqrt{|k|} \cdot L$ with the quadrupole length *L* and focal length 1/f = kL. **QF** (*k* < 0):



QD (*k* > 0):



3.4.4. Particle orbits in a system of magnets

With the derived matrixes particle trajectories may be calculated for any given arbitrary beam transport line by cutting this beam line into smaller uniform pieces so that k=const. and R=const. in each of these pieces:



but:



3.5. Particle beams and phase space

3.3.1. Beam emittance

Beam = statistical set of points in phase space!

Consider e.g. horizontal phase space, intensity distribution in x, x'.

Choose origin of the coordinate axes \hat{e}_x and $\hat{e}_{x'}$ at the barycentre of the points:

$$\overline{x} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} x_i = 0, \qquad \overline{x'} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} x_i' = 0$$

Interested in variances (rms spread):

$$\sigma_{x}^{2} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} x_{i}^{2}, \qquad \sigma_{x'}^{2} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} x_{i'}^{2}$$

System (X, X') which is rotated by θ :

$$\frac{\partial \sigma_{X}^{2}}{\partial \theta} = \frac{\partial \sigma_{X'}^{2}}{\partial \theta} = 0$$



We will define the spread of the distribution, which is called the **emittance** ε_x , by

$$\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{x} = \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{X} \cdot \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{X}' = \sqrt{\overline{x^{2}} \cdot \overline{x'^{2}} - \overline{x x'^{2}}}$$

It is important to note that this is a statistical definition of ε ! More general, ε will be defined over the area $\varepsilon = \int x' \cdot dx$!

The emittance can be considered as a statistical mean area:

$$\varepsilon_{x} = \frac{1}{N} \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^{N} \sum_{j=1}^{N} (x_{i} x_{j}' - x_{j} x_{i}')^{2}} = \frac{1}{N} \sqrt{2 \sum_{i=1}^{N} \sum_{j=1}^{N} A_{ij}^{2}}$$
(remember: $2A_{\Delta} = \left| \vec{a} \times \vec{b} \right|^{a_{3}=b_{3}=0} \left| a_{1}b_{2} - a_{2}b_{1} \right|$)
where A_{ij} is the area of the triangle $0P_{i}P_{j}$
and ε is a measure of the spread of the points
around their barycentre.

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The area of the "rms"-envelope-ellipse is just π times the emittance ε

$$A = \pi a b = \pi \sigma_X \sigma_{X'} = \pi \varepsilon_x$$

and its equation with respect to the axes X and X' is

$$\frac{X^2}{\sigma_X^2} + \frac{X'^2}{\sigma_{X'}^2} = 1 \qquad \Leftrightarrow \qquad X^2 \cdot \sigma_{X'}^2 + X'^2 \cdot \sigma_X^2 = \varepsilon_x^2$$

3.5.2. Twiss parameters

By an inverse rotation of angle $-\theta$ in phase space we obtain

$$\mathcal{E}_{x}^{2} = x^{2} \cdot \sigma_{x'}^{2} - 2x x' \cdot \overline{x x'} + x'^{2} \cdot \sigma_{x}^{2} = x^{2} \cdot \sigma_{x'}^{2} - 2x x' \cdot r \sigma_{x} \sigma_{x'} + x'^{2} \cdot \sigma_{x}^{2}$$

where we have defined the correlation coefficient

$$r = \frac{x \, x'}{\sqrt{x^2 \cdot x'^2}}$$

It is more or less obvious, that such a correlation term must exist in general.

We may define the so-called **Twiss-parameters** α_x , β_x , and γ_x such that

$$\sigma_{x} = \sqrt{\overline{x^{2}}} = \sqrt{\beta_{x} \varepsilon_{x}}$$
$$\sigma_{x'} = \sqrt{\overline{x'^{2}}} = \sqrt{\gamma_{x} \varepsilon_{x}}$$
$$r \sigma_{x} \sigma_{x'} = \overline{x x'} = -\alpha_{x} \varepsilon_{x}$$

and the equation of the envelope-ellipse reads in the "conventional" form:

$$\gamma_x x^2 + 2\alpha_x x x' + \beta_x x'^2 = \varepsilon_x$$

All the above derived equations appear in identical form for the vertical plane, x has only to be replaced by y. In the following, we will skip the index x for reason of simplicity. Please note, that this doesn't imply that emittances and corresponding Twiss parameters are equal in both planes – they are not!

The meaning of the Twiss-parameters can be read off from the graphical representation of the envelope-ellipse:

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- $\sqrt{\beta}$ represents the r.m.s. beam-envelope per unit emittance,
- $\sqrt{\gamma}$ represents the r.m.s. beam divergence per unit emittance,
- α is proportional to the correlation between x and x'.

3.5.3. Beta functions

In the following, we will first concentrate on the situation where $\Delta p/p = 0$. With

 $K_x(s) = 1/\rho^2(s) - k(s)$ and $K_y(s) = k(s)$ the equations of motion read

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

They describe a transverse oscillation with position dependent amplitude and phase, which is called **betatron oscillation**. Both transverse planes can be treated similar! We will therefore concentrate on *x* and try to solve this equation, making the Ansatz $x(s) = A \cdot u_x(s) \cdot \cos(\mu_x(s) + \varphi_0)$

(A and φ_0 are integration constants, we will skip the index x from now on) and obtain:

$$\left[u^{\prime\prime}-u\cdot\mu^{\prime\prime}+K\cdot u\right]\cdot\cos\left(\mu+\varphi_{0}\right)-\left[2\cdot u^{\prime}\cdot\mu^{\prime}+u\cdot\mu^{\prime\prime}\right]\sin\left(\mu+\varphi_{0}\right)=0$$

This relation is valid for any given phase $\mu(s)$ at any given position s, therefore

$$u''-u \cdot \mu'^2 + K \cdot u = 0$$
$$2 \cdot u' \cdot \mu' + u \cdot \mu'' = 0$$

By integration of the second equation we obtain

$$\mu(s) = \int_0^s \frac{d\,\tilde{s}}{u^2(\tilde{s})}$$

and by using this relation

$$u^{\prime\prime} - \frac{1}{u^3} + K \cdot u = 0.$$

With the definition of the beta function $\beta(s) := u^2(s)$ we derive for the amplitude and phase of the oscillation:

$$x(s) = A \cdot \sqrt{\beta(s)} \cdot \cos(\mu(s) + \varphi_0)$$
$$\mu(s) = \int_0^s \frac{d\,\tilde{s}}{\beta(\tilde{s})}$$

Building the first derivative and defining $\alpha(s) \coloneqq -\frac{\beta'(s)}{2}$, we obtain

$$x'(s) = -\frac{A}{\sqrt{\beta(s)}} \left\{ \alpha(s) \cdot \cos(\mu(s) + \varphi_0) + \sin(\mu(s) + \varphi_0) \right\}$$

The equation for x can be transformed to

$$\cos^2(\mu+\varphi_0)=\frac{x^2}{A^2\cdot\beta},$$

which can be used in combination with the equation for \mathbf{x}' to obtain

$$\sin^{2}(\mu + \varphi_{0}) = \left(\frac{\sqrt{\beta}}{A} \cdot x' + \frac{\alpha}{A\sqrt{\beta}} \cdot x\right)^{2}$$

Using $\cos^2 + \sin^2 = 1$ we derive

$$\frac{x^2}{\beta(s)} + \left(\frac{\alpha(s)}{\sqrt{\beta(s)}} \cdot x + \sqrt{\beta(s)} \cdot x'\right)^2 = A^2$$

which can be transformed by defining $\gamma(s) \coloneqq \frac{1 + \alpha^2(s)}{\beta(s)}$ to:

$$\gamma x^2 + 2\alpha x x' + \beta x'^2 = A^2$$
, where $\frac{1}{\beta(s)} = \mu'(s)$, $\alpha = -\frac{\beta'}{2}$, $\gamma = \frac{1 + \alpha^2}{\beta}$

Note:

Each particle will stay on its own ellipse, which will enclose a constant area in phase space *A*. The amplitude factor *A* represents the Courant Snyder invariant! The shape of the ellipse is determined by the Twiss parameters α , β , γ and will change along the magneto-optics system, its area will stay always constant (Rem.: in case of conservative forces and no acceleration). The shape (not the size) of all single particle ellipses are determined by the Same Twiss parameters!



3.5.4. Transformation in phase space

According to Liouville's theorem, all particles enclosed by an envelope ellipse will stay within that ellipse. The transformation of the horizontal and vertical ellipse parameters along the beam line may be derived from the transport matrixes in the horizontal and vertical plane. Starting at s=0, we have for a particle on this ellipse

$$\gamma_0 x_0^2 + 2\alpha_0 x_0 x_0' + \beta_0 x_0'^2 = \varepsilon = \gamma x^2 + 2\alpha x x' + \beta x'^2$$

Any particle trajectory starting at s=0 transforms to $s\neq 0$ by

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ x_0' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} C(s) & S(s) \\ C'(s) & S'(s) \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ x_0' \end{pmatrix}$$

which gives for the transformed ellipse equation via

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_0 \\ x_0' \end{pmatrix} = \underbrace{\frac{1}{CS' - C'S} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} S'(s) & -S(s) \\ -C'(s) & C(s) \end{pmatrix}}_{=\mathbf{M}^{-1}} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \end{pmatrix} \stackrel{|\mathbf{M}|=1}{=} \begin{pmatrix} S'x - Sx' \\ -C'x + Cx' \end{pmatrix}$$

and
$$x_0^2 = S'^2 x^2 - 2SS' xx' + S^2 x'^2$$
, $x_0'^2 = C'^2 x^2 - 2CC' xx' + C^2 x'^2$, $x_0 x_0' = ...$

$$\underbrace{\left(\underbrace{S'^{2} \cdot \gamma_{0} - 2 \ S' C' \cdot \alpha_{0} + C'^{2} \cdot \beta_{0}}_{= \gamma}\right) \cdot x^{2} + 2 \underbrace{\left(-S \ S' \cdot \gamma_{0} + \left(S' C + S \ C'\right) \cdot \alpha_{0} - C \ C' \cdot \beta_{0}\right)}_{= \alpha} \cdot x \ x'}_{= \alpha}$$

$$+\underbrace{\left(\underbrace{S^{2} \cdot \gamma_{0} - 2 \ S \ C \cdot \alpha_{0} + C^{2} \cdot \beta_{0}}_{= \beta}\right) \cdot x'^{2}}_{= \beta}$$

This gives the transformation of the beam parameters in matrix formulation

$$\begin{pmatrix} \beta \\ \alpha \\ \gamma \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} C^2 & -2 S C & S^2 \\ -C C' & S' C + S C' & -S S' \\ C'^2 & -2 S' C' & S'^2 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \beta_0 \\ \alpha_0 \\ \gamma_0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Another useful relation may be obtained by defining the Beta matrix **B**

$$\mathbf{B} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} \beta & -\alpha \\ -\alpha & \gamma \end{pmatrix}, \qquad |\mathbf{B}| = \beta \gamma - \alpha^2 = 1, \qquad \varepsilon \cdot \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_x^2 & \sigma_{xx'} \\ \sigma_{xx'} & \sigma_{x'}^2 \end{pmatrix} \equiv \mathbf{\Sigma}$$

The equation of the envelope-ellipse can be transformed to:

$$\boldsymbol{\varepsilon} = {}^{T} \vec{X}_{0} \cdot \mathbf{B}_{0}^{-1} \cdot \vec{X}_{0} = {}^{T} \vec{X}_{1} \cdot \mathbf{B}_{1}^{-1} \cdot \vec{X}_{1}$$

where the inverse of the Beta matrix is

$$\mathbf{B}^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma & \alpha \\ \alpha & \beta \end{pmatrix}$$

and displacement-vector \vec{X} transforms according to

$$\vec{X}_1 = \mathbf{M} \cdot \vec{X}_0, \qquad {}^T \vec{X}_1 = {}^T \left(\mathbf{M} \cdot \vec{X}_0 \right) = {}^T \vec{X}_0 \cdot {}^T \mathbf{M}$$

By inserting $\mathbf{1} = \mathbf{M}^{-1} \cdot \mathbf{M}$, we obtain:

$$\varepsilon = {}^{T}\vec{X}_{0} \cdot {}^{T}\mathbf{M} \cdot {}^{T}\mathbf{M}^{-1} \cdot \mathbf{B}_{0}^{-1} \cdot \mathbf{M}^{-1} \cdot \mathbf{M} \cdot \vec{X}_{0}$$

= ${}^{T}(\mathbf{M} \cdot \vec{X}_{0}) \cdot ({}^{T}\mathbf{M}^{-1} \cdot \mathbf{B}_{0}^{-1} \cdot \mathbf{M}^{-1}) \cdot (\mathbf{M} \cdot \vec{X}_{0})$
= ${}^{T}\vec{X}_{1} \cdot (\mathbf{M} \cdot \mathbf{B}_{0} \cdot {}^{T}\mathbf{M})^{-1} \cdot \vec{X}_{1}$

and we can read off the transformation of the Beta matrix:

$$\mathbf{B}_1 = \mathbf{M} \cdot \mathbf{B}_0 \cdot {}^T \mathbf{M}$$

This can e.g. be used to derive the beta-function around a symmetry-point of a transfer-line where $\alpha = 0$ in a simple way:

$$\mathbf{B}_{1}(s) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & s \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \beta_{sym} & 0 \\ 0 & 1/\beta_{sym} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ s & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \beta_{sym} + \frac{s^{2}}{\beta_{sym}} & \frac{s}{\beta_{sym}} \\ \frac{s}{\beta_{sym}} & \frac{1}{\beta_{sym}} \end{pmatrix}$$

This gives the relations for the beam parameters around a symmetry-point:





Remember: $\sigma_x = \sqrt{\varepsilon \cdot \beta(s)}$, $\sigma_x' = \sqrt{\varepsilon \cdot \gamma(s)}$, and therewith:

$$\sigma(s) = \sigma_0 \cdot \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{s}{\beta_0}\right)^2}, \qquad \sigma'(s) = \frac{\varepsilon}{\sigma_0} = \text{const.}$$

To obtain further insights, we will compare the particle's beam with a Gaussian light beam (TEM₀₀), characterized by its waste radius w(s) and Rayleigh length z_R , in which w is doubled. From diffraction theory, we know (from diffraction integrals):

$$w(s) = w_0 \cdot \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{s}{z_R}\right)^2}, \quad z_R = \frac{\pi w_0^2}{\lambda}, \quad \theta_{\max} = \frac{\lambda}{\pi w_0}, \quad I(x, y) = I_{\max} \cdot \left(\frac{w_0}{w}\right)^2 \cdot e^{\frac{-2(x^2 + y^2)}{w^2}}$$

This indicates:

$$\beta_0 = z_R = \frac{\pi w_0^2}{\lambda}$$
, and from $\sigma_x^2 = \frac{\iint x^2 I(x, y) \cdot dx \, dy}{\iint I(x, y) \cdot dx \, dy} = \frac{w^2}{4}$

and replacing $w = 2\sigma = 2\sqrt{\epsilon\beta}$ we obtain the important relation:

 $\Rightarrow \qquad 4\pi \cdot \varepsilon = \lambda$



The transformation matrix **M** can be derived also from the Twiss parameters. With

$$x(s) = \sqrt{\varepsilon\beta} \cos(\mu + \varphi_0) = \sqrt{\varepsilon} \cdot \sqrt{\beta} \cdot \{\cos\mu \cdot \cos\varphi_0 - \sin\mu \cdot \sin\varphi_0\}$$
$$x'(s) = -\frac{\sqrt{\varepsilon}}{\sqrt{\beta}} \cdot \{\alpha \cdot [\cos\mu \cdot \cos\varphi_0 - \sin\mu \cdot \sin\varphi_0] - \sin\mu \cdot \cos\varphi_0 + \cos\mu \cdot \sin\varphi_0\}$$

and the starting conditions $x(0) = x_0$, $x'(0) = x_0'$, $\mu(0) = 0$, which transform to

$$\cos \varphi_0 = \frac{x_0}{\sqrt{\varepsilon \beta_0}}$$
$$\sin \varphi_0 = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{\varepsilon}} \left(x_0' \sqrt{\beta_0} + \frac{\alpha_0 x_0}{\sqrt{\beta_0}} \right)$$

we obtain:

$$\mathbf{M}(s) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\sqrt{\beta}}{\sqrt{\beta_0}} (\cos \mu + \alpha_0 \sin \mu) & \sqrt{\beta \beta_0} \sin \mu \\ \frac{\alpha_0 - \alpha}{\sqrt{\beta \beta_0}} \cos \mu - \frac{1 + \alpha \alpha_0}{\sqrt{\beta \beta_0}} \sin \mu & \frac{\sqrt{\beta}}{\sqrt{\beta_0}} (\cos \mu - \alpha \sin \mu) \end{pmatrix}$$

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Circular Accelerators

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4. Circular Accelerators

4.1. Weak focusing

Beam stability: transverse focusing in both planes!

Equation of motion:

$$x''(s) + \left(\frac{1}{\rho^2(s)} - k(s)\right) \cdot x(s) = 0$$

$$y''(s) + \overline{k(s)} \cdot y(s) = 0$$

Idea: horizontally defocusing k is overcompensated by geometrical focusing!

$$0 < k = -\frac{q}{p} \frac{\partial B_y}{\partial x} < \frac{1}{\rho^2}$$

With $p = q\rho B_0$, where B_0 defines the bending field at the design orbit, one obtains

$$0 < n = -\frac{\rho}{B_0} \frac{\partial B_y}{\partial x} < 1$$
 (Steenbeck 1924)

where we have defined the field index n to

$$n = k\rho^2 = -\frac{\rho}{B_0}\frac{\partial B_y}{\partial \rho} \longrightarrow B(r) = B_0 \cdot \left(\frac{r}{\rho}\right)^{-n}$$

Thus, a circular accelerator like a synchrotron has to be made of dipole magnets with radially decreasing bending field strength fulling the above derived weak focusing condition.

Particles will oscillate around the reference trajectory with the spatial frequency

$$\omega_x = \sqrt{\frac{1}{\rho^2} - k} = \frac{\sqrt{1 - n}}{\rho}, \qquad \omega_y = \sqrt{k} = \frac{\sqrt{n}}{\rho}$$

The number *Q* of oscillations per turn of length $L = 2\pi\rho$ will then be

$$Q_x = \frac{1}{2\pi} \oint \frac{ds}{\beta_x} = \sqrt{1-n} < 1, \qquad Q_y = \frac{1}{2\pi} \oint \frac{ds}{\beta_y} = \sqrt{n} < 1$$

Problem:

We derive for the constant beta functions $\beta_{x,y} > \rho$ \rightarrow beam size $\sigma = \sqrt{\epsilon\beta}$ will increase remarkably with increasing radius!

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4.2. Strong focusing

Focusing in both planes possible in case of alternating gradient – well know from light optics:



Magnet optics:

Simplest configuration: FODO lattice, periodic arrangement of identical structures



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4.2.1. Stability criterion

If M(L) is the transformation matrix for one periodic cell we will have for N cells:

$$\mathbf{M}(N \cdot L) = \left[\mathbf{M}(L)\right]^{N}$$

For a full lattice period, we take use of **Floquet's theorem**. Recalling the equations of motions

$$x''(s) + K_x(s) \cdot x(s) = 0 \quad \text{with} \quad K_x(s) = 1/\rho^2(s) - k(s)$$
$$y''(s) + K_y(s) \cdot y(s) = 0 \quad \text{with} \quad K_y(s) = k(s)$$

it states (Gaston Floquet, 1847 – 1920) for e.g. $x(s) = A \sqrt{\beta_x(s)} \cos(\mu_x(s) + \varphi_0)$

If K(s) is periodic, the amplitude function (and therefore $\beta(s)$) is periodic as well.

In this case we call the DGL Hill's equation (George William Hill 1838 – 1914).

Please note and take care:

Floquet's theorem doesn't state that $\mu(s)$ and therewith x(s), y(s) are periodic as well! This would be an exception! (catastrophic, as we will see later) Thus we recommend periodic boundary conditions $\beta = \beta_0$, $\alpha = \alpha_0$ and obtain, us-

ing the Twiss parameter representation of the transfer matrix:

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \mu + \alpha_0 \sin \mu & \beta_0 \sin \mu \\ -\gamma_0 \sin \mu & \cos \mu - \alpha_0 \sin \mu \end{pmatrix}$$

This matrix was first derived by Twiss from general mathematics principles and is called the **Twiss matrix** (Richard Q. Twiss, 1920 – 2005).

We calculate its eigenvalues from

$$|\mathbf{M} - \lambda \cdot \mathbf{I}| = \lambda^2 - \mathrm{Tr}\{\mathbf{M}\} \cdot \lambda + 1 = 0$$

With $Tr{\mathbf{M}} = 2 \cdot \cos \mu$ we obtain

$$\lambda_{1,2} = \cos \mu \pm i \sin \mu = e^{\pm i \mu}$$

We require that the eigenvalues remain finite thus requiring a real betatron phase μ .

This is guaranteed when $|\cos \mu| \le 1$ and leads to the general stability condition:

$$|\mathrm{Tr}\{\mathbf{M}\}| = |r_{11} + r_{22}| \le 2$$

And now comes the "clou": Rewriting the Twiss matrix using

$$\mathbf{J} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ -\gamma & -\alpha \end{pmatrix}, \qquad \mathbf{J}^2 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = -\mathbf{I}$$

it can be expressed by

 $\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{I} \cdot \cos \mu + \mathbf{J} \cdot \sin \mu$

Similar to Moivre's formula we get for N equal periods

$$\mathbf{M}^{N} = \left(\mathbf{I} \cdot \cos \mu + \mathbf{J} \cdot \sin \mu\right)^{N} = \mathbf{I} \cdot \cos(N\mu) + \mathbf{J} \cdot \sin(N\mu)$$
$$\left|\mathrm{Tr}\left\{\mathbf{M}^{N}\right\}\right| = \left|2 \cdot \cos(N\mu)\right| \le 2$$

and

Conclusion:

In case of a real betatron phase advance μ , the beam size in a circular accelerator will remain finite (*the 100 Mio \$ question in the 50's!*). This can easily be proofed by calculating the trace of the one turn matrix: $||Tr{\{M\}}|| \le 2|$

4.3. Periodic focusing systems

4.3.1. General FODO lattice



The FODO geometry can be expressed symbolically by the sequence

$$\underbrace{\frac{1}{2}QF, D, \frac{1}{2}QD}_{=\mathbf{M}_{-1/2}}, \underbrace{\frac{1}{2}QD, D, \frac{1}{2}QF}_{=\mathbf{M}_{1/2}}$$

It is sufficient to use the thin lens approximation ($l_0 \ll f$). We will set the focal

lengths to $f_2 = 2 f_D$, $f_1 = 2 f_F$, the drift length to L. Defining

$$1/f^* = 1/f_1 + 1/f_2 - L/(f_1 \cdot f_2)$$

the transformation matrix of half a FODO cell is

$$\mathbf{M}_{1/2} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1/f_2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & L \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1/f_1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - L/f_1 & L \\ -1/f^* & 1 - L/f_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Multiplication with the reverse matrix gives

$$\mathbf{M}_{\text{FODO}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - 2L/f^* & 2L \cdot (1 - L/f_2) \\ -2/f^* \cdot (1 - L/f_1) & 1 - 2L/f^* \end{pmatrix} \text{ and } |\text{Tr}\{\mathbf{M}\}| = \left|2 - \frac{4L}{f^*}\right| < 2$$

This is equivalent to
$$0 < \frac{L}{f^*} < 1$$
, and defining $u = \frac{L}{f_1}$, $v = \frac{L}{f_2}$ we get
$$0 < u + v - u \cdot v < 1$$

from which we derive the boundaries of the stability region

$$|u_1| = 1, |v_2| = \frac{|u|}{1 - |u|}$$

 $|v_1| = 1, |v_3| = \frac{|u|}{1 + |u|}$

which gives the famous necktie-diagram for thin lens approximation:



In the simple case of equal focusing strengths, we arrive at

$$\left|f_{1}\right| = \left|f_{2}\right| = \frac{\left|f_{D}\right|}{2} = \frac{\left|f_{F}\right|}{2} = \frac{\left|f\right|}{2} \longrightarrow \qquad \boxed{\frac{2L}{f}} = \frac{\left|L_{\text{FODO}}\right|}{f} < 1$$

LHC: Lattice Design the ARC 90° FoDo in both planes





equipped with additional corrector coils

MB: main dipole MQ: main quadrupole MQT: Trim quadrupole MQS: Skew trim quadrupole MO: Lattice octupole (Landau damping) MSCB: Skew sextupole Orbit corrector dipoles MCS: Spool piece sextupole MCDO: Spool piece 8 / 10 pole BPM: Beam position monitor + diagnostics

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4.3.2. Periodic beta functions

Periodic solutions of a periodic lattice of period-length L will be

$$\beta(s_0 + L) = \beta(s_0) = \beta_0$$

$$\alpha(s_0 + L) = \alpha(s_0) = \alpha_0$$

Comparing the transfer matrix for one period with its Twiss parameter representation

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \mu + \alpha_0 \sin \mu & \beta_0 \sin \mu \\ -\gamma_0 \sin \mu & \cos \mu - \alpha_0 \sin \mu \end{pmatrix}$$

we can determine the Twiss parameters at the symmetry points (where $\alpha = 0!$)

$$\alpha_0 = 0, \qquad \beta_0 = \frac{r_{12}}{\sqrt{1 - r_{11}^2}}, \qquad \gamma_0 = \frac{-r_{21}}{\sqrt{1 - r_{11}^2}}, \qquad \cos \mu = r_{11}$$

and transform them to any position s using e.g. the beta matrix formalism

$$\begin{pmatrix} \boldsymbol{\beta} & -\boldsymbol{\alpha} \\ -\boldsymbol{\alpha} & \boldsymbol{\gamma} \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{M}(s, s_0) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} \boldsymbol{\beta}_0 & \boldsymbol{0} \\ \boldsymbol{0} & \boldsymbol{\gamma}_0 \end{pmatrix} \cdot {}^{T} \mathbf{M}(s, s_0)$$

thus revealing the development of $\beta(s)$, $\alpha(s)$, $\gamma(s)$. Minimum $\langle \beta \rangle$ for $\mu \approx 90^{\circ}$!

Example: simple model toy ring (taken from Wille):



Choosing $|k_{QF}| = |k_{QD}| = 1.20 \text{ m}$, we can calculate the transfer matrix M and extract the

Twiss parameters, obtaining:



4.4. Transverse beam dynamics

4.4.1. Closed orbit

Remember: In circular accelerators the amplitude function is periodic according to Floquet's theorem and reproduces itself after one turn.

This implies, that the charge center of the beam also moves on a closed trajectory, which is called the closed orbit! The shape of the closed orbit is determined by the magnets and can – due to errors and misalignments – significantly deviate from the design orbit!

Dedicated steerer magnets (small dipoles), which have to be installed around the ring, are used to correct closed orbit deviations.



4.4.2. Betatron tune

The betatron tune Q is defined as the number of oscillations per revolution:



If one regards the phase space at an arbitrarily chosen point, a single particle moves on its phase space ellipse. The points represents the parameters after 1,2, ... 5 revolutions.



The betatron tune is one of the most important parameter in circular accelerators!

4.4.2. Filamentation

If the envelope ellipse σ_b of the beam is not matched to the ellipse σ_m of the periodic

lattice, it will start to rotate with a phase advance per revolution of $2\pi Q$



Due to effects of higher order the quadrupole strengths and therefore the phase advance depends on the amplitude (horizontal and vertical displacements). In case of mismatch, the beam phase space distribution starts to filament. After a large number of revolutions, the distribution may be surrounded by a large ellipse of the form of the lattice ellipse. **Example** for an unmatched and matched beam (taken from B. Schmidt):



4.4.3. Normalized coordinates

It is useful to transform the oscillatory solution with varying amplitude and frequency $x(s) = \sqrt{\varepsilon_x \beta_x(s) \cdot \cos(\mu_x(s) + \varphi_0)}$ to a solution which looks exactly like that of a harmonic oscillator. We introduce Floquet's coordinates through the transformation:

$$\psi(s) = \frac{\mu(s)}{Q}$$
$$\eta_y(\psi_x) = \frac{x(s)}{\sqrt{\beta_x(s)}}$$

The angle ψ advances by 2π every revolution. It coincides with θ at each β^{\max} and location and does not depart very much from θ in between. U

$$\frac{d^2\eta}{d\psi^2} + Q^2\eta = 0$$

The solution transforms to

$$\eta(\psi) = \eta_0 \cdot \cos(Q\psi + \lambda)$$

and the phase space ellipse becomes an invariant cycle of radius η_0 .

The use of normalized coordinates is convenient in the discussions of perturbations and aberrations:

4.4.4. Closed orbit distortions

Let us assume a dipole field error produced by a short dipole which makes a constant angular kick in divergence (from $l = r \cdot \varphi \approx \frac{p}{q(\delta B)} \cdot \delta x' = \frac{\rho B}{\delta B} \cdot \delta x'$) $\delta x' = \frac{\delta(Bl)}{B\rho}$

which perturbs the orbit trajectory which elsewhere obeys

$$\frac{d^2\eta}{d\psi^2} + Q^2\eta = 0, \text{ with } \eta = \eta_0 \cos(Q\psi + \lambda)$$

δB

We choose $\psi = 0$ to be diametrically opposite to the kick. Then by symmetry $\lambda = 0$ and the disturbed orbit oscillates around the ideal path



Differentiation gives $\frac{d\eta}{d\psi} = -\eta_0 Q \cdot \sin(Q\psi) = -\eta_0 Q \cdot \sin(\pi Q)$ at $\psi = \pi$.

With $\frac{d\psi}{ds} = \frac{1}{Q\beta_0}$ and $\delta\eta' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\beta_0}} \cdot \delta x'$, we may relate η_0 to the real kick by

$$\frac{\delta x'}{2} = \sqrt{\beta_0} \cdot \frac{\delta \eta'}{2} = -\sqrt{\beta_0} \cdot \frac{d\eta}{ds} = -\sqrt{\beta_0} \cdot \frac{d\eta}{d\psi} \cdot \frac{d\psi}{ds} = \frac{\eta_0}{\sqrt{\beta_0}} \cdot \sin(\pi Q)$$

giving
$$\eta_0 = \frac{\sqrt{\beta_0}}{2\sin(\pi Q)} \delta x'$$

position s for a field error at s_0 with $x = \sqrt{\beta} \cdot \eta$ and $\mu(s) - \mu(s_0) + Q\pi = Q \cdot \psi$:

$$x_{c}(s) = \sqrt{\beta} \eta_{0} \cos(Q\psi) = \left[\frac{\sqrt{\beta(s)\beta(s_{0})}}{2\sin(\pi Q)} \frac{\delta(Bl)}{B\rho}\right] \cdot \cos(\mu(s) - \mu(s_{0}) + Q\pi)$$

= amplitude at position s

The effect of a random distribution of dipole errors can be estimated from the r.m.s. average, weighted according to the β_0 values of the kicks δx_i :

$$\left| x_{c}(s) = \frac{\sqrt{\beta(s)}}{2\sin(\pi Q)} \cdot \oint_{s} \sqrt{\beta(s_{0})} \cdot \frac{\delta Bl}{B\rho} \cdot \cos(\mu(s) - \mu(s_{0}) + Q\pi) \cdot ds_{0} \right|$$



Using matrix algebra, the displacement of the closed orbit at the position of the field error can be calculated from the displacement just before and after the kick element:

Transverse Linear Beam Dynamics



The closed orbit displacement $x_c(s)$ is calculated from $\vec{x}_c(s) = \mathbf{M}(s_0, s) \cdot \vec{x}_{c,0}$:

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_c(s) \\ x_c'(s) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{\frac{\beta(s)}{\beta_0}} \left(\cos \mu + \alpha_0 \sin \mu \right) & \sqrt{\beta(s)\beta_0} \sin \mu \\ -\frac{1 + \alpha(s)\alpha_0}{\sqrt{\beta(s)\beta_0}} \sin \mu + \frac{1 - \alpha(s)\alpha_0}{\sqrt{\beta(s)\beta_0}} \cos \mu & \sqrt{\frac{\beta(s)}{\beta_0}} \left(\cos \mu - \alpha_0 \sin \mu \right) \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x_{c,0} \\ x_{c,0} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$x_{c}(s) = \sqrt{\beta} \eta_{0} \cos(Q\psi) = \frac{\sqrt{\beta(s)\beta(s_{0})}}{2\sin(\pi Q)} \frac{\delta(Bl)}{B\rho} \cdot \cos(\mu(s) - \mu(s_{0}) + Q\pi)$$

Closed orbit distortions: uncorrected and corrected





Dipole error and integer tune:



Quadrupole error and half integer tune:



4.4.5. Gradient errors

Consider a small gradient error which affects a quadrupole at position *s* in the lattice of a circular accelerator. Translated to matrix algebra, we have to multiply a perturbation matrix

$$\boldsymbol{\delta Q}(s) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\delta k(s) \cdot ds & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

with the **unperturbed matrix** for one circle staring at s (where $\alpha(s) = \alpha_0$, $\beta(s) = \beta_0$, $\gamma(s) = \gamma_0$) $\mathbf{M}_0 = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \mu_0 + \alpha_0 \sin \mu_0 & \beta_0 \sin \mu_0 \\ -\gamma_0 \sin \mu_0 & \cos \mu_0 - \alpha_0 \sin \mu_0 \end{pmatrix}$



giving:

$$\tilde{\mathbf{M}}(s) = \boldsymbol{\delta}\mathbf{Q}(s) \cdot \mathbf{M}_{0}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \cos\mu_{0} + \alpha_{0}\sin\mu_{0} & \boldsymbol{\beta}_{0}\sin\mu_{0} \\ -\delta k\,ds\big(\cos\mu_{0} + \alpha_{0}\sin\mu_{0}\big) - \gamma_{0}\sin\mu_{0} & -\delta k\,ds\,\boldsymbol{\beta}_{0}\sin\mu_{0} + \cos\mu_{0} - \alpha_{0}\sin\mu_{0} \end{pmatrix}$$

From $\frac{1}{2}$ Tr $\{\tilde{\mathbf{M}}\}$ = cos μ we can calculate the change in cos μ :

$$\Delta(\cos\mu) = -\Delta\mu \cdot \sin\mu_0 = -\frac{1}{2}\sin\mu_0 \beta_0 \,\delta k \,ds$$
$$2\pi\Delta Q = \Delta\mu = \frac{1}{2}\beta(s)\,\delta k(s)\,ds$$

Integrating over the length of the quadrupol perturbation, one obtains



A gradient error will not influence the closed orbit but the betatron function of the lattice. In order to calculate the betatron amplitude modulation, we have to determine the single turn transport matrix starting at a given observer position s, introducing a small gradient perturbation at position s_0 :

$$\tilde{\mathbf{M}}_{s} = \mathbf{M}(s, s_{0}) \cdot \boldsymbol{\delta} \mathbf{Q}(s_{0}) \cdot \mathbf{M}(s_{0}, s) = \begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -\delta k \, ds_{0} & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

It is only necessary to evaluate the element \tilde{r}_{12} which is

$$\tilde{r}_{12} = b_{11}a_{12} + b_{12}\left(-\delta k\,ds \cdot a_{12} + a_{22}\right) = r_{12} - \delta k\,ds_0 \cdot a_{12}b_{12}$$

where r_{12} from the unperturbed matrix found by putting $\delta k \, ds_0 = 0$. Thus the variation in the r_{12} term due to the perturbation is

$$\Delta \Big[\beta(s)\sin(2\pi Q_0)\Big] = -\delta k \, ds_0 \,\beta(s) \,\beta(s_0) \cdot \sin(\mu(s) - \mu(s_0)) \cdot \sin(\mu(s_0) - \mu(s))$$
$$= -\delta k \, ds_0 \,\beta(s) \,\beta(s_0) \cdot \sin(\mu(s) - \mu(s_0)) \cdot \sin\Big[2\pi Q_0 - (\mu(s) - \mu(s_0))\Big]$$

Using $\sin \alpha \cdot \sin \beta = \frac{1}{2} \left[\cos(\alpha - \beta) - \cos(\alpha + \beta) \right]$ the left-hand and right-hand sides

can be expanded to give

$$\Delta\beta(s)\sin(2\pi Q_0) + \beta(s) \cdot 2\pi\Delta Q \cdot \cos(2\pi Q_0) =$$

$$\frac{1}{2}\delta k \, ds_0 \, \beta(s_0) \, \beta(s) \left\{ \cos(2\pi Q_0) - \cos\left[2(\mu(s) - \mu(s_0) - \pi Q_0)\right] \right\}$$

This leaves the final expression for the betatron amplitude modulation (the so called **beta-beating**):

$$\Delta\beta(s) = \frac{\beta(s)}{2\sin(2\pi Q_0)} \cdot \oint_s \delta k(s_0) \beta(s_0) \cos\left[2(\mu(s) - \mu(s_0) - \pi Q_0)\right] \cdot ds_0$$



Ideal World:





4.4.6. Optical resonances

Dipole errors will give a large closed orbit displacement when the tune is close to an Gradient errors will produce an average tune shift ΔQ and an amplitude modulation of the beta function which will explode for half integer Q values. These phenomena are called resonances. Due to the turn by turn modulation of the tune, there exist regions of instability called stop bands around the resonance condi-

tions. The width of these stop bands are given by the tune modulation amplitude.

These effects can be studied best when regarding the normalized phase space, where the particles ellipses transform to circles:





Any particle whose unperturbed Q lies in the stop band width dQ will lock into resonance and is lost.

We may generalize and give a list of resonances and their driving multipoles:

resonance type	driving multipole
integer resonance: $Q = n$	dipole errors
half-integer resonance $2 \cdot Q = n$	quadrupole errors
third-integer resonance $3 \cdot Q = n$	sextupole errors



Due to betatron coupling, perturbations may depend on the betatron amplitude in both planes. These coupling terms lead to the generalized resonance condition

 $j \cdot Q_x + k \cdot Q_z = N$

where j+k indicates the **order** of the resonance. The circle represents the tune on the energy ramp of ELSA.

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Example: LHC



Tune stability requirements: $\Delta Q < 0.001$ vs exp. Drifts ~ 0.06

Note: need to stay much further of resonances due to finite tune width (chromaticity, momentum spread), space charge, beam-beam, etc., and finite width of stop bands.

4.5. Beam dynamics with acceleration

Phase space in accelerator physics \neq phase space in classical mechanics: coordinates x, x' \leftrightarrow canonical coordinates x, p_x $p_x = m \cdot \dot{x} = m \cdot \dot{s} \cdot x' \approx p_0 \cdot x' = \beta_r \gamma_r \cdot m_0 c \cdot x' \rightarrow \beta_r \gamma_r \cdot x' = const.$

Beam acceleration (momentum increase) causes compression of x' axis and therewith decrease of the beam emittance, which is called **adiabatic damping**:



5. Dynamics with Off Momentum Particles

We will come back to the equation of motion, now explicitly treating the momentum dependent right hand side, depending on the relative momentum deviation $\delta = \Delta p / p_0$

$$x''(s) + \left(\frac{1}{\rho^2(s)} - k(s)\right) \cdot x(s) = \frac{1}{\rho(s)} \frac{\Delta p}{p}$$
$$y''(s) + k(s) \cdot y(s) = 0$$

Since the dynamics of off momentum particles is only affected in the horizontal plane, we will restrict the treatment to 1D including the momentum dependence.

5.1 Dispersion and dispersion functions

A particular solution for a non-vanishing $\delta = \Delta p/p$ is $x_{ih}(s) = \rho \cdot \delta$. Recalling the solution of the homogenous equation, this gives:

$$x(s) = x_h(s) + x_{ih}(s) = a \cdot \cos\left(\frac{s}{\rho}\right) + b \cdot \sin\left(\frac{s}{\rho}\right) + \rho \cdot \delta$$

The integration constants *a*, *b* are again derived from the boundary conditions at s = 0, but now the inhomogenous solution has to be included:

$$x(s=0) = a + \rho \cdot \delta = x_0, \quad x'(s=0) = \frac{b}{\rho} = x_0',$$

and by defining the bending angle $\varphi = L/\rho$ of the dipole magnet, we obtain :

 $x(L) = x_0 \cdot \cos\varphi + \rho \cdot x_0' \cdot \sin\varphi + \rho (1 - \cos\varphi) \cdot \delta$ $x'(L) = -x_0 / \rho \cdot \sin\varphi + x_0' \cdot \cos\varphi + \sin\varphi \cdot \delta$

This can be easily implemented in the matrix formalism by adding a 3rd component to the particle's position vector dealing with the actual relative momentum deviation compared to the reference particle:

$$\vec{X} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ x' \\ \delta \end{pmatrix} \qquad M_{dipole} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\varphi & \rho\sin\varphi \\ -1/\rho\sin\varphi & \cos\varphi \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

First neglecting the dependence of the quadrupole strength *k* on the actual particle's momentum, the quadrupole transfer matrices remain "unchanged":

$$M_{QF} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\Omega & \sqrt{|k|}\sin\Omega & 0\\ -\frac{1}{\sqrt{|k|}\sin\Omega} & \cos\Omega & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \qquad M_{QD} = \begin{pmatrix} \cosh\Omega & \sqrt{|k|}\sinh\Omega & 0\\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{|k|}\sinh\Omega} & \cosh\Omega & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Important:

Whereas a quadrupole magnet will not directly cause an impact on the particle's trajectory, **a dipole magnet creates a (horizontal) dispersion**:

$$D = r_{16} = \rho (1 - \cos \varphi), \qquad D' = r_{26} = \sin \varphi$$

The dispersion represents the offset due to a relative momentum deviation $\Delta p/p = 1$.

In general, we have:
$$x(s) = x_h(s) + x_D(s) = x(s) + D(s) \cdot \frac{\Delta p}{p}$$

Here, D(s) is the dispersion function, a solution of the equation of motion for $\delta = 1$.

But now take care:

Due to $x(s) = x_h(s) + x_D(s)$, we will observe a change of the **dispersion orbit** $x_D(s)$ when passing a dipole magnet or a quadrupole magnet!!

Both dipole and quadrupole magnets therefore will modify an existing dispersion according to

$$\begin{pmatrix} D(s) \\ D'(s) \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \hline r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{16} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{26} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} D_0 \\ D_0' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \qquad \begin{pmatrix} D(s) \\ D'(s) \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \hline r_{11} & r_{12} & 0 \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} D_0 \\ D_0' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underbrace{\mathbf{M}_{quadrupole}} \mathbf{M}_{quadrupole}$$

5.2 Dispersion in circular accelerators

In a periodic lattice, the dispersion function has – as well as the beta function – to fulfill periodic boundary conditions:

$$D(s_0 + L) = D(s_0)$$

Thus the dispersion function can obtained from applying the 3x3 transport matrix M_3 for a full period

yielding:

$$\begin{pmatrix}
D_{0} \\
D_{0}' \\
1
\end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{M}_{3} \cdot \begin{pmatrix}
D_{0} \\
D_{0}' \\
1
\end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix}
r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} \\
r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} \\
0 & 0 & 1
\end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix}
D_{0} \\
D_{0}' \\
1
\end{pmatrix}$$

$$D_{0}' = \frac{r_{21}r_{13} + r_{23}(1 - r_{11})}{2 - r_{11} - r_{22}}$$

$$D_{0} = \frac{r_{12}D_{0}' + r_{13}}{1 - r_{11}}$$

which for a symmetry point, where $D_0 = 0$, simplifies to

$$D_0^{\text{sym}} = \frac{r_{13}}{1 - r_{11}}$$

Applying this to our model toy synchrotron, we can derive the dispersion function which is plotted in blue:



Please note that the total beam width is given by $\sigma_x = \sqrt{\varepsilon_x \beta_x + (D_x \delta)^2}$!

5.3. Chromaticity

The variation of tunes is called **chromaticity** and is defined by the factor ξ in

$$\Delta Q_{x,y} = \xi_{x,y} \cdot \frac{\Delta p}{p_0}$$

We distinguish between natural chromaticity created by the chromatic aberration of quadrupole magnets and perturbations derived from non-linear perturbations in the particles trajectories (e.g. produced by sextupole magnets).

Natural Chromaticity:

The quadrupole strength scales with the particles momentum:

$$\Delta k = -k \cdot \Delta p / p_0$$

and the tune shift can therefore be calculated from:

$$\Delta Q_{x,y} = -\frac{1}{4\pi} \int \beta_{x,y}(\tilde{s}) \cdot k_{x,y}(\tilde{s}) \cdot d\tilde{s} \cdot \frac{\Delta p}{p_0}$$
$$= \xi_{x,y}$$



Chromaticity produced by sextupoles:

A beam of particles moving on a dispersion orbit through a sextupole magnet is "focused" by the nonlinear field due to horizontal displacement $x = D \cdot \frac{\Delta p}{p_0}$. We can de-

rived a position dependent focusing strength from

$$\frac{q}{p}\vec{B}_{sext} = mx\,y\,\hat{e}_x + \frac{1}{2}m\left(x^2 - y^2\right)\hat{e}_y$$

giving a dispersion dependent k_x and k_z to:

$$k_{x} = \frac{q}{p} \cdot \frac{\partial B_{y}}{\partial x} = m \cdot x = m \cdot D \cdot \frac{\Delta p}{p_{0}}$$
$$k_{y} = \frac{q}{p} \cdot \frac{\partial B_{x}}{\partial y} = m \cdot x = m \cdot D \cdot \frac{\Delta p}{p_{0}}$$

This adds to the natural chromaticity and gives in total:

$$\xi_{x,y} = -\frac{1}{4\pi} \int \left[k_{x,y}(\tilde{s}) - m(\tilde{s}) D(\tilde{s}) \right] \cdot \beta_{x,y}(\tilde{s}) d\tilde{s}$$

In order to avoid a large tune spread, chromaticity has to be corrected by the use of additional sextupole magnets right after focusing and defocusing quadrupoles where the horizontal dispersion does not vanish:



This correction will have an influence on the stability of the beam and the maximum aperture given by nonlinear effects (so called dynamic aperture):


The dynamic aperture can be calculated from a tracking of the particles orbit through the accelerator where the nonlinear effect of sextupole magnets has to be treated as step by step correction in linear beam matrix optics:



The orbit vector is transformed from s_0 to s_1 by matrix transformation

$$\vec{X}_1 = \mathbf{M}_1 \cdot \vec{X}_0$$

A sextupole of length *l* will produce an angular kick in the horizontal and vertical or-

bit of

$$\Delta x_1' = \frac{1}{2}ml \cdot (x_1^2 - y_1^2)$$

$$\Delta y_1' = ml \cdot x_1 y_1$$

which gives an orbit vector right after the sextupole of

$$\vec{X}_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} x_{1} \\ x_{1}' + \Delta x_{1}' \\ y_{1} \\ y_{1}' + \Delta y_{1}' \end{pmatrix}$$

By this method a randomly chosen distribution of start vectors \vec{X}_0 is tracked through the accelerator for many revolutions and the resulting dynamic aperture is derived from the phase space representation.

5.4 Path length and momentum compaction

The path length of a particle with horizontal orbit displacement x_D is influenced by the curved sections of the beam line. The total path length is therefore given by

$$L = \int r \, d\varphi = \int_{s_0}^{s} \left[\frac{\rho(\tilde{s}) + x_D(\tilde{s})}{\rho(\tilde{s})} \right] d\tilde{s} = L_0 + \int_{s_0}^{s} \frac{x_D(\tilde{s})}{\rho(\tilde{s})} d\tilde{s}$$

With a given relative momentum deviation $\delta = \Delta p/p$, we have $x_D(s) = D(s) \cdot \delta$ and obtain the deviation $\Delta L = L - L_0$ from the ideal path length

$$\Delta L = \delta \int_{s_0}^{s} \frac{D(\tilde{s})}{\rho(\tilde{s})} d\tilde{s}$$

This variation is determined by the **momentum compaction factor** α_c , defined for a circular accelerator by

$$\alpha_{c} = \frac{\Delta L/L_{0}}{\Delta p/p} = \frac{1}{L_{0}} \cdot \oint_{L_{0}} \frac{D(\tilde{s})}{\rho(\tilde{s})} d\tilde{s}$$



The travel time is given by $\tau = L/(\beta_r c)$, and its relative variation is obtained from the

logarithmic differentiation (using
$$\delta = \frac{\Delta p}{p} = \frac{1}{p} \frac{\partial p}{\partial \beta} \Delta \beta = \frac{\Delta \beta \cdot m_0 c}{p} \cdot \frac{\partial (\beta \gamma)}{\partial \beta} = \frac{\Delta \beta}{\beta} \cdot \gamma^2$$
)
$$\Delta \ln \tau = \frac{\Delta \tau}{\tau} = \frac{\Delta L}{L} - \frac{\Delta \beta_r}{\beta_r} = \left(\alpha_c - \frac{1}{\gamma_r^2}\right) \cdot \delta = -\eta \cdot \delta$$

where we have defined the slip factor η by

$$\eta = \frac{1}{\gamma_r^2} - \alpha_c$$

The momentum compaction factor therefore characterizes a critical energy

$$\gamma_{tr} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\alpha_c}},$$

which is called the **transition energy**, where the slip factor vanishes. In this case, all particles will have – to first order independent from their individual momentum – the same revolution frequency. The (catastrophic) consequences will be treated in the lecture on longitudinal beam dynamics.