Measuring the skew-sextupolar component of a crab-cavity from turn-by-turn observations

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From "LHC Crab Cavities Impedance and Multipole Update" J. A. Mitchell:



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- b3 (sextupole) is the strongest multipole
- In the SPS crab cavities are installed rotated by 90°: b3 → a3 (skew sextupole)



By exciting the horizontal betatron motion two vertical spectral lines are observed:

- ▶ V_{20} : spectral line with frequency $2Q_x$, V_{00} : Static offset of the orbit
- Both lines have amplitude proportional to a₃
- ▶ In SPS the strong vertical decoherence due to impedance does not allow to observe cleanly modes driven by the vertical betatron motion (*H*₁₁).

Spectral analysis of V_{20}



For each acquisition:

- 1. \mathbf{Q}_{x} : average over each horizontal BPM (à la Laskar)
- 2. H_{10} amplitude, phase and damping (damping: average over each horizontal BPM)

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- 3. Undamp the vertical signal
- 4. Evaluate amplitude and phase of V_{20} for each vertical BPM

Analysis of V_{00}



For each acquisition:

- 1. Orbit is obtained from the average of ${\sim}1000~turns$ before the kick
- 2. V_{00} is the difference of the orbit and the average of ${\sim}100$ turns after the kick

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Typical BPM signal... no averaging, no filtering



► Amplitude and phase of 50Hz is evaluated using 3000 turns before the kick

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50Hz is purged from the signal

Measurements/Experimental results

▶ 20/10/2017: positive test with a static skew-sextupole

- No skew sextupoles is present in SPS, a 5 mm vertical bump in an octupole (LOE.33002) was used to produce a feed-down.
- ▶ The measurement was repeated for an octupole strength of K3 = \pm 2, \pm 5 and a vertical bump of \pm 5mm
- Q20 optics was used.
- ▶ 10/10/2018: measurement with the crab cavity
 - 2 acquisitions for a crab cavity voltage of:
 0.1 and ±1 MV
 - Q26 optics was used.
 - An a3 several times above the expected value was observed!

Part of the disagreement comes from the BPM frequency response

- ► SPS BPMs have a narrow pass-band filtere centered around 200 MHz
- \blacktriangleright \rightarrow BPM does not measure the 'center of mass' of the bunch
- It measures the 200 MHz component of the 'center of mass'



To work around the problem the crab-cavity voltage is determined from the vertical orbit and the measured a_3 is normalized by this value.



Two independent fits: $V_{20} \rightarrow a_3 = 0.99 \text{ T/m}, \psi: -76^\circ,$ $V_{00} \rightarrow a_3 = 0.90 \text{ T/m} \text{ (expected } a_3: 0.15 \text{ T/m})$

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Are there other sources of V_{00} and V_{20} ?

- ► Vertical orbit + octupoles ⇒ feed-down to skew-sextupole! Octupoles were off during the measurement ...residual field?
- Vertical orbit + normal sextupoles \Rightarrow second order excite V_{00}/V_{20}

Is a second order effect but there are plenty of sextupoles



Real and Imaginary part of a_3 from V_{20} (and simulation)



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Now the **sextupoles** contribution is **removed**:



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Second order effect from the sextupoles is ...huge

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- Second order effect from the sextupoles is ...huge
- Also Octupoles have a strong impact

Summary

- ▶ Measurements of V₀₀ and V₂₀ with a static skew sextupole (vertical bump in an octupole) shows agreement with theory
- Crab-cavity measurement instead is far from expectations
- It was found that sextupoles and octupoles, due to the large vertical orbit induced by the crab-cavity, play an important role in the analysis.
- Including sextupoles and octupoles in the analysis requires a good understanding of the SPS non-linear model

- While the sextupole model is "quite" robust the octupole one is questionable...
- Work to understand the octupole model is still undergoing!

Skew sextupole strength from V_{20} (Octupole)



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SPS multibunch detuning (what lucky coincidence!)



Vertical plane

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Horizontal plane

- 72 bunches in the ring
- Horizontal plane is ok up to $\sim 4\cdot 10^{12}$
- Vertical plane exhibits a strong tuneshift
- ► No excitation on the vertical plane allowed! ...but we don't need it



Induced vertical motion at turn 'n' induced by kick 't': $A_3 \cdot x^2(t) \cdot \theta(s_{\rm bpm} - s_{\rm skew} + (n-t)C) \cdot \sqrt{\beta_y^{\rm bpm} \beta_y^{\rm skew}} \sin(\Delta \psi_y + 2\pi (n-t)Q_y)$



 $y(n) = \sum_{t=0}^{n} A_{3} \sqrt{\beta_{y}^{\text{bpm}} \beta_{y}^{\text{skew}}} \sin(\Delta \psi_{y} + 2\pi(n-t)Q_{y}) \times \left[\sqrt{\beta_{x}^{\text{skew}} J_{x}} \sin(\psi_{x}^{\text{skew}} + 2\pi tQ_{x}) \right]^{2} \sum_{y \in Q_{y}} \left[\sqrt{\beta_{y}^{\text{skew}} - \beta_{y}^{\text{skew}} - \beta_{y}^{\text{skew}}} \right]^{2} \sum_{y \in Q_{y}} \left[\sqrt{\beta_{y}^{\text{skew}} - \beta_{y}^{\text{skew}} - \beta_{y}^{\text{skew}}} \right]^{2} \sum_{y \in Q_{y}} \left[\sqrt{\beta_{y}^{\text{skew}} - \beta_{y}^{\text{skew}} - \beta_{y}^{\text{skew}}} \right]^{2} \sum_{y \in Q_{y}} \left[\sqrt{\beta_{y}^{\text{skew}} - \beta_{y}^{\text{skew}} - \beta_{y}^{\text{skew}}} \right]^{2} \sum_{y \in Q_{y}} \left[\sqrt{\beta_{y}^{\text{skew}} - \beta_{y}^{\text{skew}} - \beta_{y}^{\text{skew}} - \beta_{y}^{\text{skew}}} \right]^{2} \sum_{y \in Q_{y}} \left[\sqrt{\beta_{y}^{\text{skew}} - \beta_{y}^{\text{skew}} - \beta$

$$y(n) = \sum_{t=0}^{n} A_3 \sqrt{\beta_y^{\text{bpm}} \beta_y^{\text{skew}}} \sin(\Delta \psi_y + (n-t)\nu_y) \times \left[\sqrt{\beta_x^{\text{skew}} J_x} \sin(\psi_x^{\text{skew}} + t\nu_x)\right]^2$$

$$\bigvee \sum_{t=0}^{n} e^{it\nu} = \frac{1 - e^{i(n+1)\nu}}{1 - e^{i\nu}}$$

$$y(n) = \mathbf{V_{20}} + V_{02} + V_{01} + V_{00}$$

$$V_{20} = A_3 J_x \frac{\beta_x^p \sqrt{\beta_y^o \beta_y^p}}{8i} \cdot \left[\frac{e^{i(2\nu_x + \nu_y - \Delta\psi_y + 2\psi_x^p)}}{e^{i(2\nu_x + \nu_y)} - 1} - \frac{e^{i(2\nu_x - \nu_y + \Delta\psi_y + 2\psi_x^p)}}{e^{i(2\nu_x - \nu_y)} - 1} \right] e^{2i\nu_x n} - \text{c.c.}$$

The skew-sextupole drives an oscillation with frequency $2 {\it Q}_{\rm x}$ on the vertical plane $\propto {\it A}_3 \cdot {\it J}_{\rm x}$

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No skew-sextupoles in SPS: Octupole + vertical bump

- LOE.33002 was used
- ▶ ±5mm vertical bump
- $K_3 = \pm 5$ & ± 2 m⁻⁴ ($K_3 = \pm 2$ produces an A_3 very close to the C.C. one $\simeq 0.013 m^{-3}$)



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- Standard operation: head and tail of the bunch see opposite $A_3 \rightarrow$ average to 0
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• Bunch length(4σ): 3ns • Energy spread(1σ): 1.5%

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