



# Interaction of a relativistic particle with an electron cloud

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When simulating the **electron cloud formation and its effects of the beam** some **simplifying assumptions** are “traditionally” made:

1. The **magnetic field** generated by the electron motion is **neglected**
2. The electric field is calculated using **equations of electrostatics** (Poisson) instead of the full electromagnetic problem (Maxwell)
3. Instead of a full 3D problem we solve a **2D Poisson problem** at a certain accelerator section
4. Only **transverse forces are applied**, but no longitudinal kicks

Qualitative arguments can be found for some of these choices (in literature and in “oral tradition”) but, to my knowledge, no systematic derivation was available

In a document recently published ([CERN-ACC-NOTE-2019-0033](#)) I try to develop a **consistent mathematical treatment** that addresses these points.

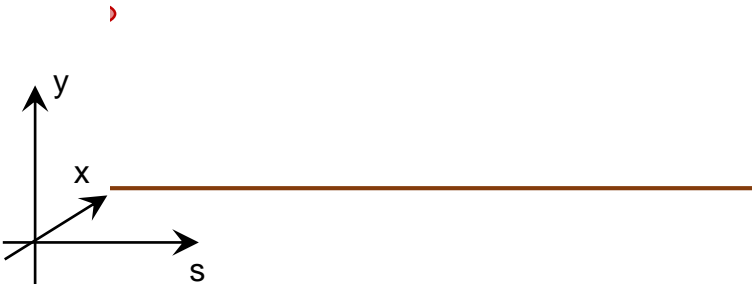
I will summarize it in the following



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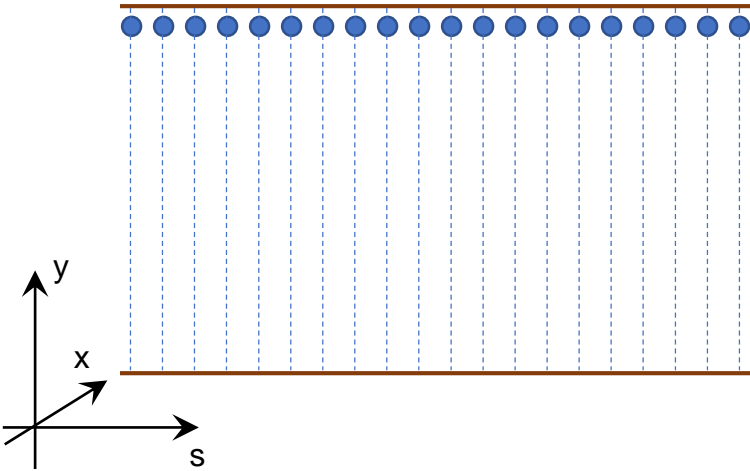


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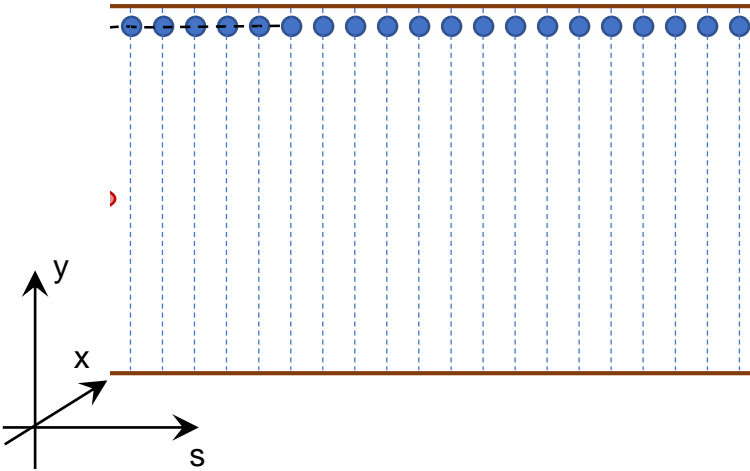


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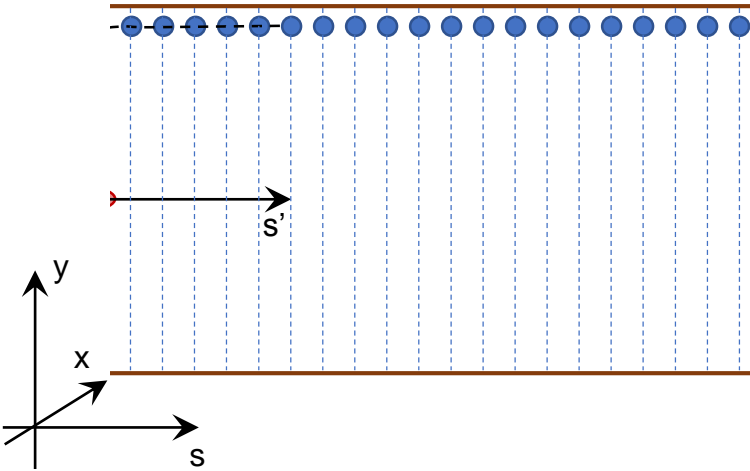
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$$\rho' (x', y', s', t') = \rho' (x', y', s')$$

$$\mathbf{J}' (x', y', s', t') = \mathbf{J}' (x', y', s')$$



A **realistic case** is “slightly” more complicated  
but the **features discussed before are all there**



Let's try to go through the steps discussed before in a more rigorous way

The bunch moves practically the speed of light  $\rightarrow$  we will have to use special relativity



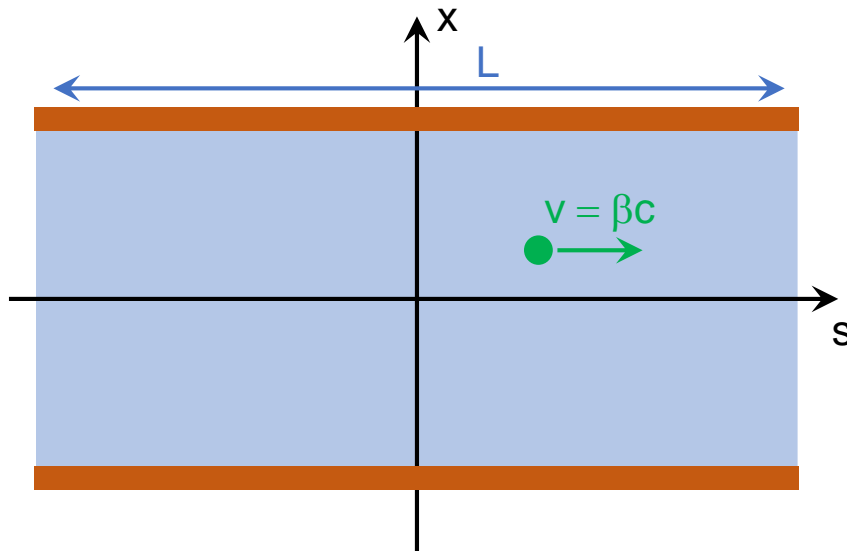


# Let's formulate our problem

## Hypotheses:

- **Indefinitely long, perfectly conducting pipe** (we call  $s$  the direction defined by the pipe)
- A **bunch** travels along  $s$  with speed  $\beta c$
- The **initial distribution of the electrons is homogenous along  $s$**  (it can depend on  $x, y$ )
- The **electron motion is purely transverse** (for simplicity – but it is possible to generalize)
- **We know the electron motion at  $s=0$  as a function of time**, defined by:

Charge density:  $\rho_0(x, y, t)$       Current density:  $\mathbf{J}_0(x, y, t)$   
with:  $\hat{\mathbf{i}}_s \cdot \mathbf{J}_0 = 0$



## Goal:

We want to compute the **kick (change in momenta) on a beam particle** within the bunch due to the interaction with a **portion of the e-cloud having length L**



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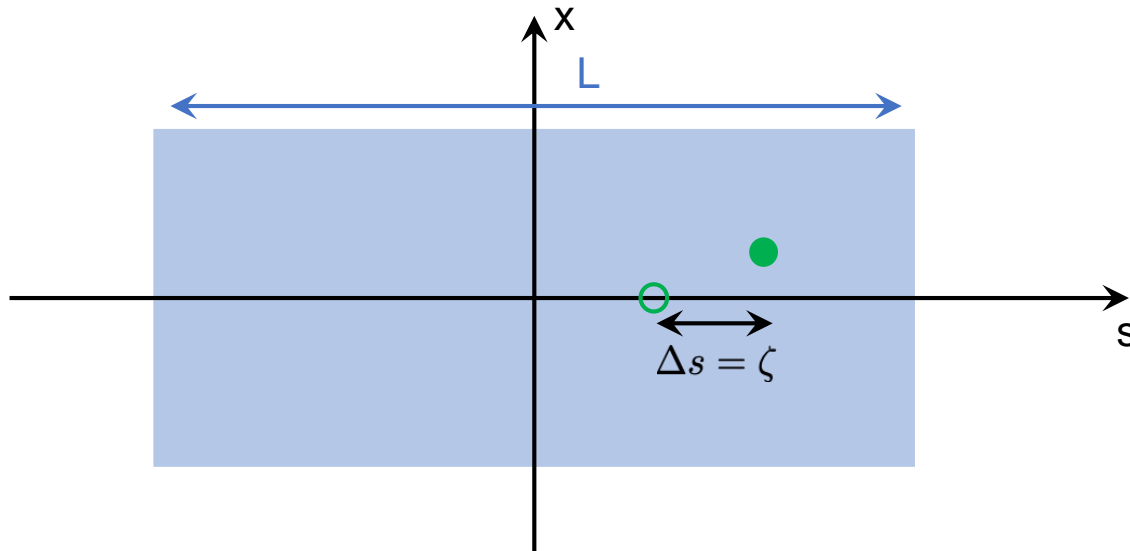
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We introduce a **“boosted” reference frame ( $x', y', s', t'$ )** moving with the reference particle.

The two systems are related by Lorentz transformations:

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$$s' = \gamma (s - \beta ct)$$

$$\gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}}$$

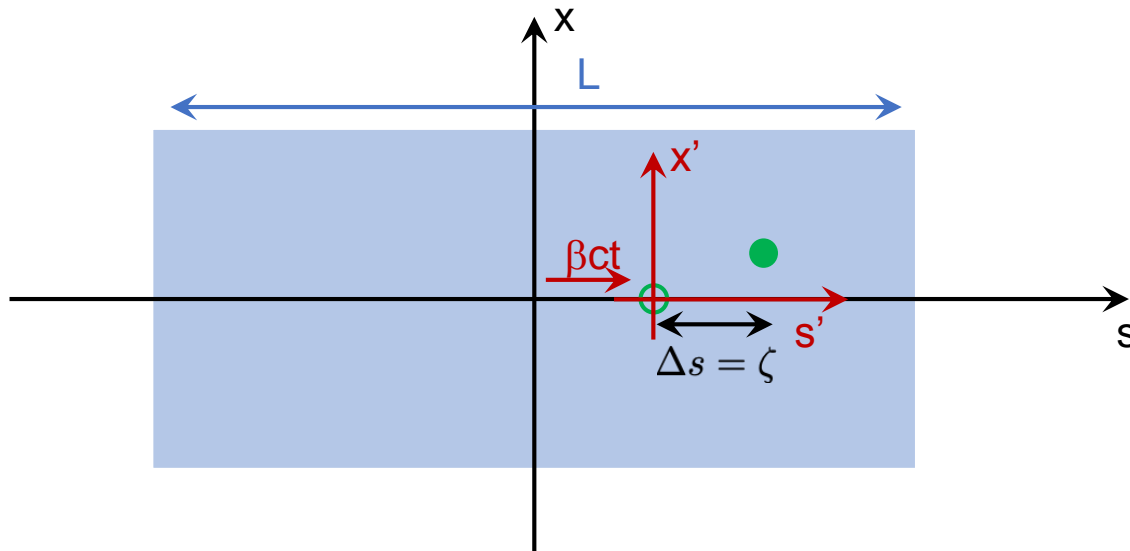
**Inverse:**

$$ct = \gamma (ct' + \beta s')$$

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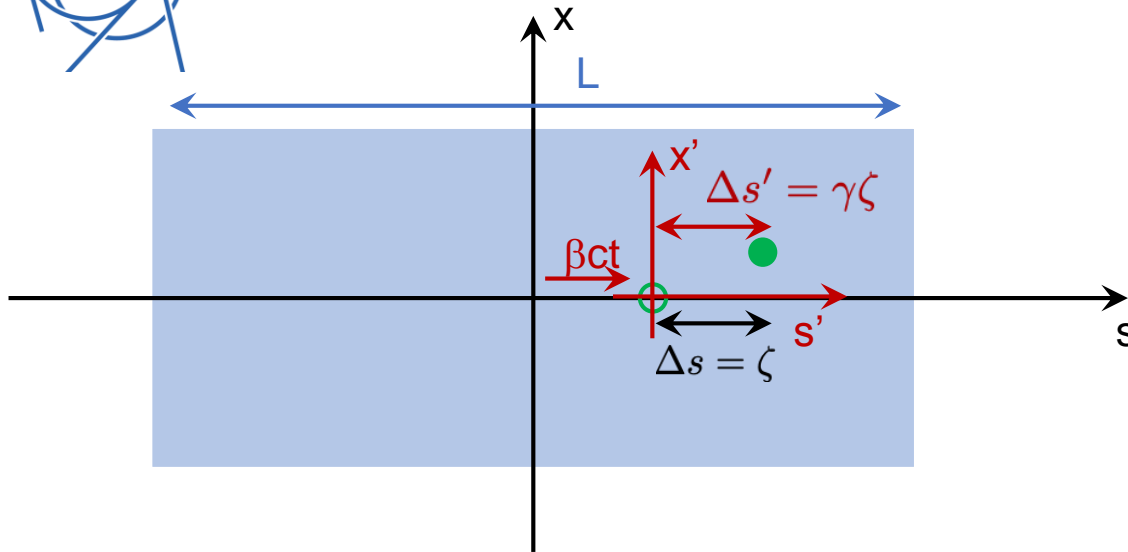
Transverse coordinates are invariant:

$$x = x' \quad y = y'$$





# Transform particle coordinates



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$$\text{with: } \gamma = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}}$$

We transform the particle motion:

$$\text{Lab frame: } s(t) = \beta ct + \zeta$$

$$\gamma (s' + \beta ct') = \beta \gamma (ct' + \beta s') + \zeta$$

$$\gamma (1 - \beta^2) s' = \zeta$$

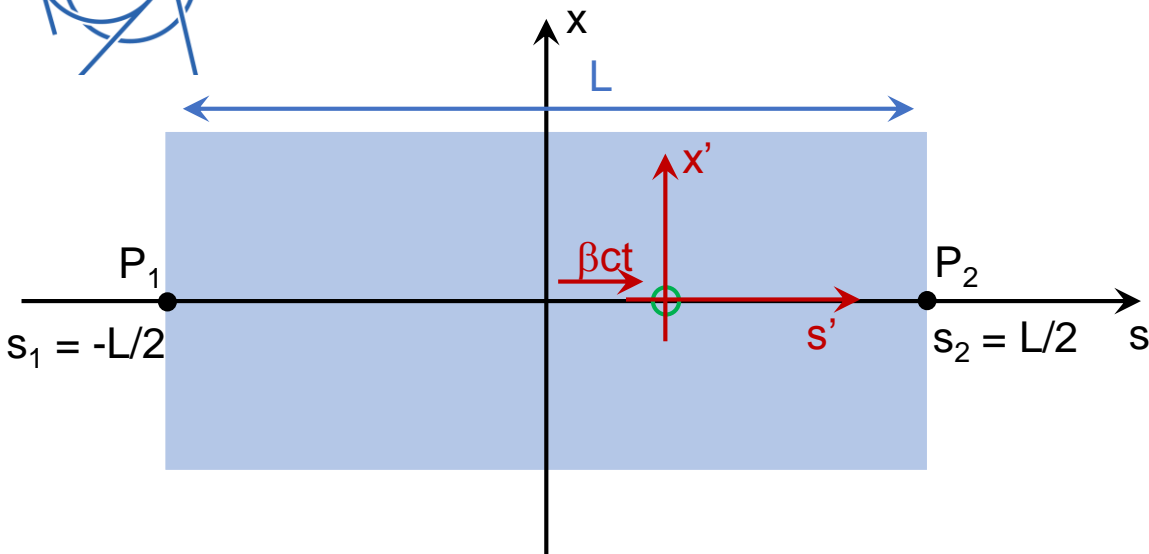
In the boosted frame:

$$s' = \gamma \zeta$$

1. In the boosted frame, **beam particles are at rest**  
 → In the boosted frame the **magnetic field of the electrons has no effect** on them
2. In the boosted frame **distances** among particles **are increases by a factor gamma** (the bunch becomes longer in the boosted frame)
3. There is a **mapping between s' and zeta** (which independent of time)



# Transform e-cloud volume



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We call  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  the edges of the e-cloud region.  
In the lab frame they are at rest:

$$s_1(t) = -\frac{L}{2}$$

$$s_2(t) = \frac{L}{2}$$

We transform them:

$$\gamma (s'_1 + \beta ct') = -\frac{L}{2}$$

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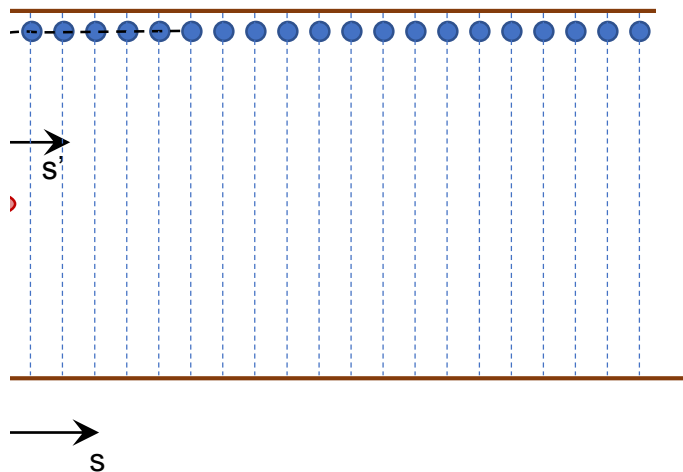
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Direct:



This was expected from our intuitive picture



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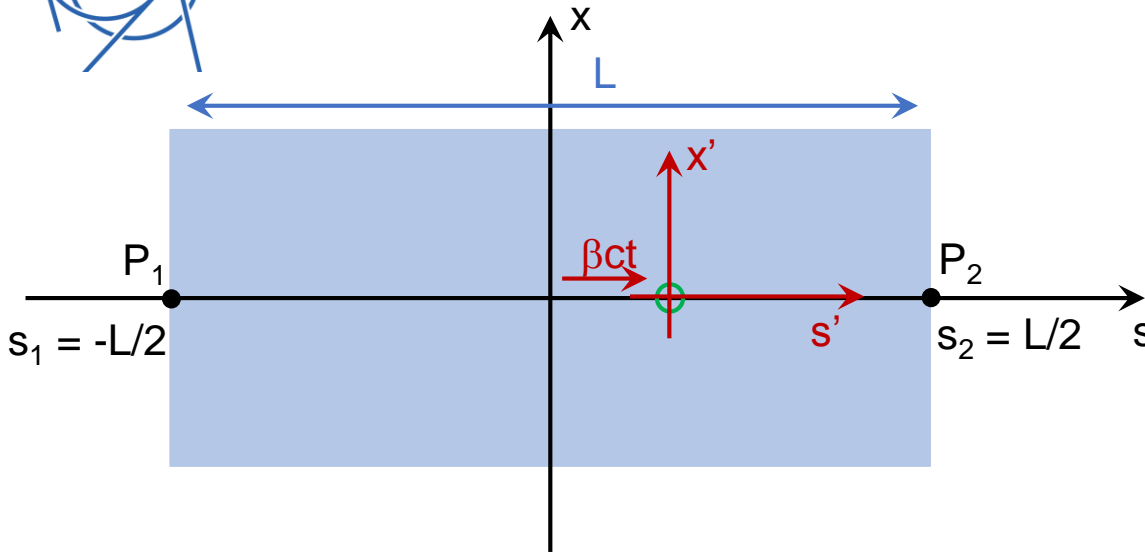
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We compute the **length of the cloud in the boosted** frame:

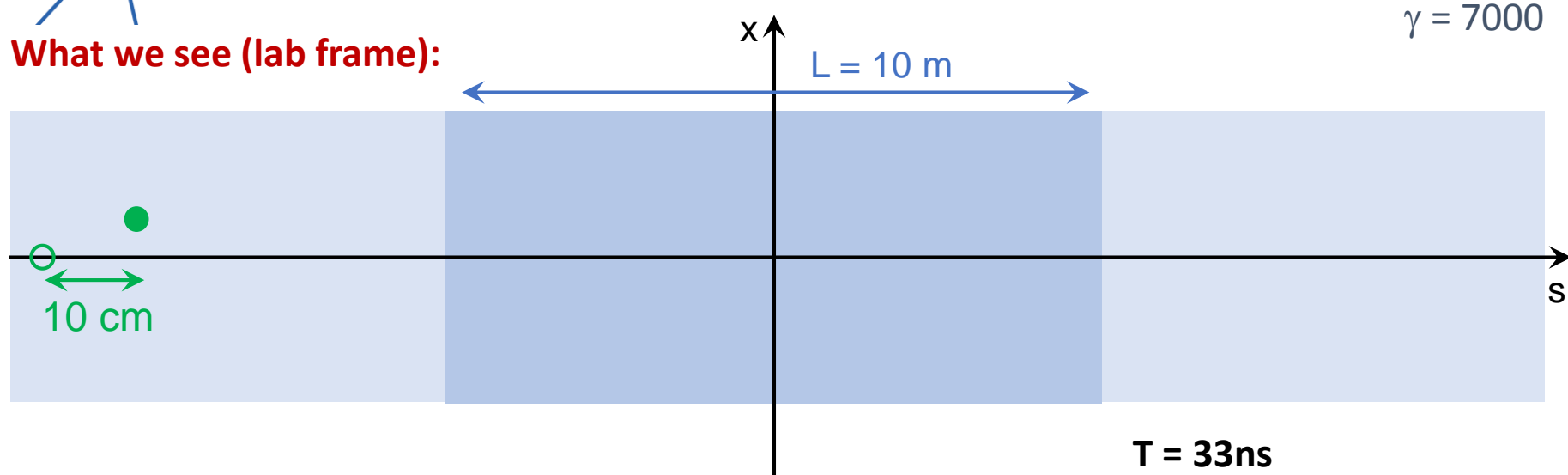
$$L' = s'_2(t') - s'_1(t') = \frac{L}{\gamma}$$

**The e-cloud gets geometrically shorter**





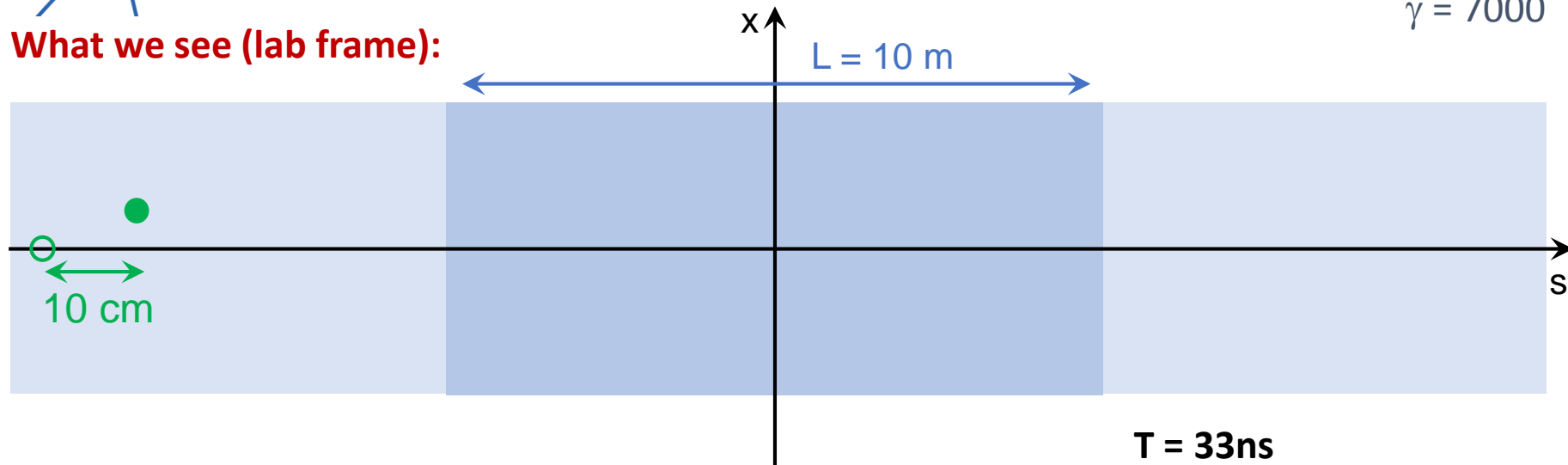
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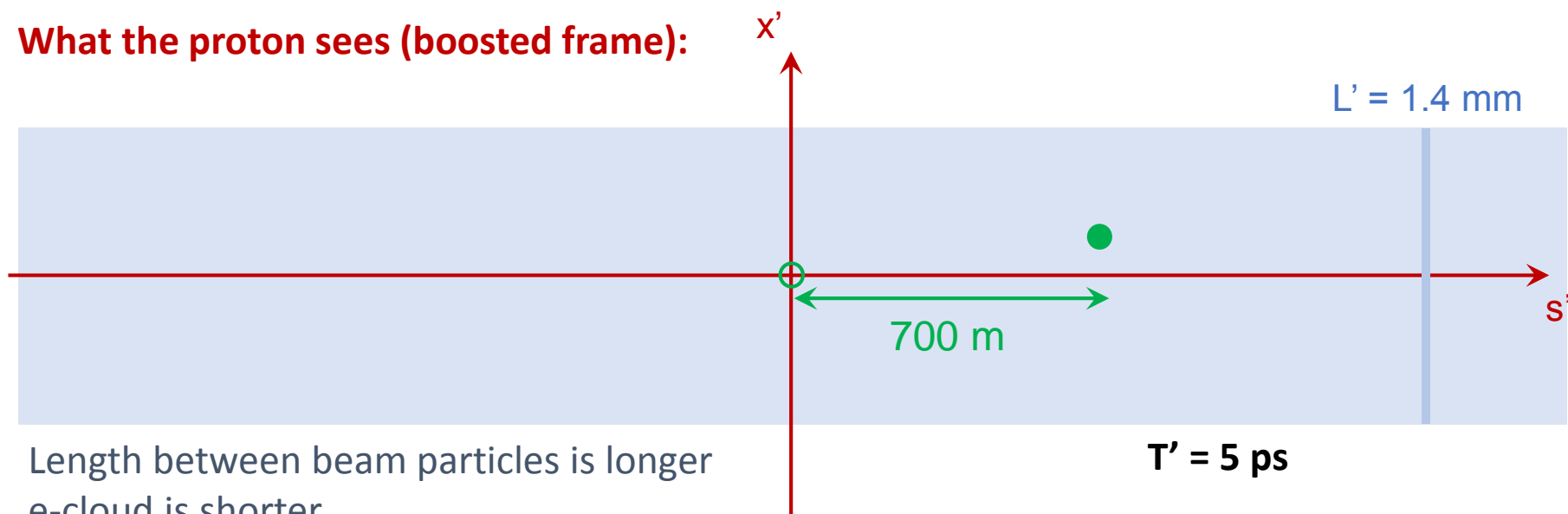


$\gamma = 7000$

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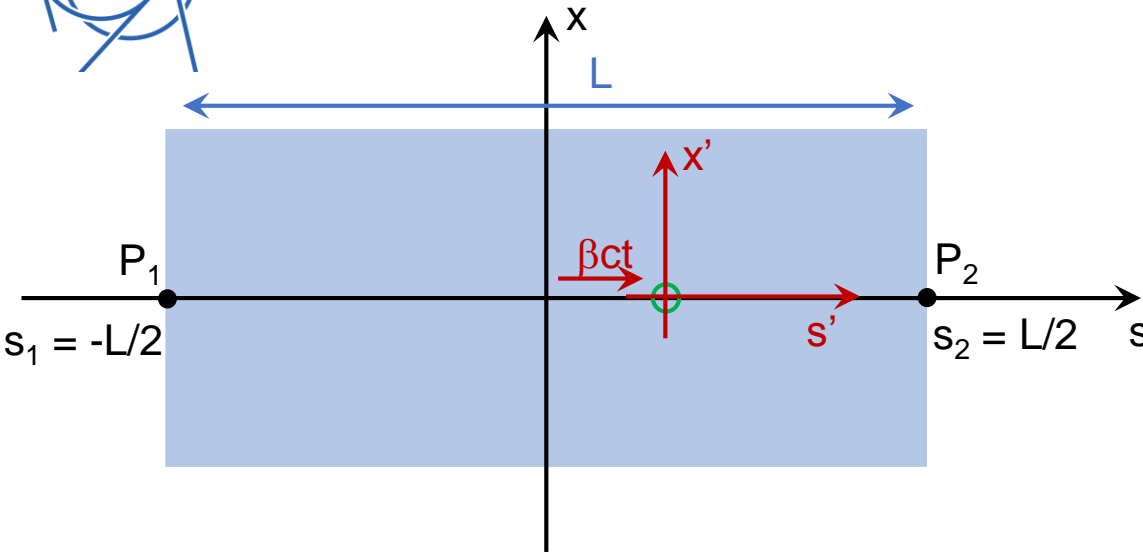
**What the proton sees (boosted frame):**



- Length between beam particles is longer
- e-cloud is shorter
- Interaction lasts less time



# Interaction time



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At what  $t'$  do  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  pass by  $s'=0$ ?

$$t'_1 = -\frac{L}{2\beta c\gamma} \quad t'_2 = \frac{L}{2\beta c\gamma}$$

The interaction lasts:

$$T' = t'_2 - t'_1 = \frac{L}{\gamma\beta c} = \frac{T}{\gamma}$$

**The interaction is  $\gamma$  times quicker**



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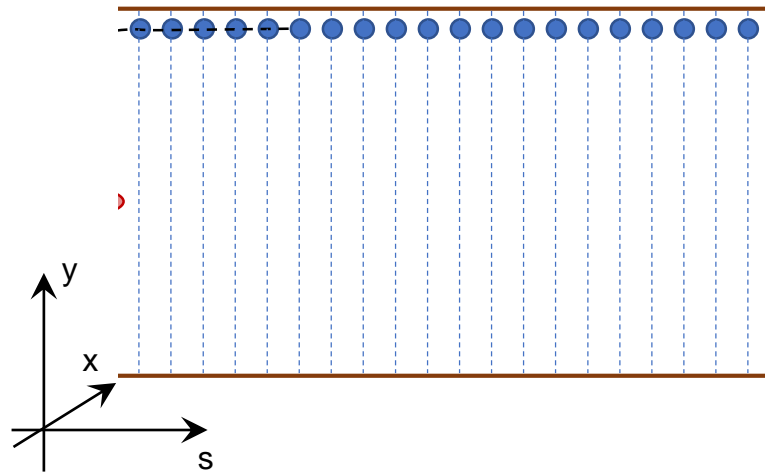
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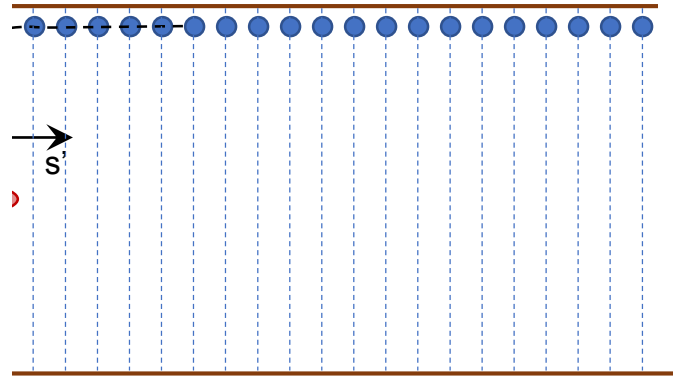
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Again, this is consistent with our intuitive picture, where electrons are indeed moving along  $s'$





Before we have found:  $\rho' = \gamma\rho$        $\rho(x, y, s, t) = \rho_0 \left( x, y, t - \frac{s}{\beta c} \right)$

Combining them we obtain:  $\rho'(x, y, s, t) = \gamma\rho_0 \left( x, y, t - \frac{s}{\beta c} \right)$

which is still defined w.r.t. to the lab frame coordinates  
→ we need to transform also the coordinates

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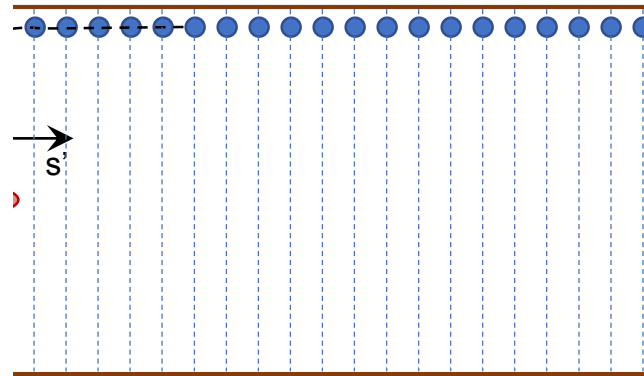
$$t - \frac{s}{\beta c} = \left( \cancel{\gamma t'} + \gamma \frac{\beta}{c} s' \right) - \left( \frac{\gamma}{\beta c} s' + \cancel{\gamma t'} \right) = -\frac{\gamma s'}{\beta c} (1 - \beta^2) = -\frac{s'}{\beta \gamma c}$$

In the boosted frame the charge density can be written as:

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We need to solve a **Maxwell's equations with stationary sources**:

$$\nabla' \times \mathbf{E}' = -\cancel{\frac{\partial \mathbf{B}'}{\partial t'}}$$

$$\nabla' \cdot \mathbf{E}' = \frac{\rho'}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\nabla' \times \mathbf{B}' = \mu_0 \mathbf{J}' + \epsilon_0 \mu_0 \cancel{\frac{\partial \mathbf{E}'}{\partial t'}}$$

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**Electrostatics:**

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla' \times \mathbf{E}' &= 0 \\ \nabla' \cdot \mathbf{E}' &= \frac{\rho'}{\epsilon_0} \quad (\text{A})\end{aligned}$$

As the electric field is irrotational we can introduce a **scalar potential:**

$$\mathbf{E}' = -\nabla' \phi' \quad (\text{B})$$

Combining (A) and (B):

$$\nabla'^2 \phi' = -\frac{\rho'}{\epsilon_0}$$

**Magnetostatics:**

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla' \times \mathbf{B}' &= \mu_0 \mathbf{J}' \quad (\text{C}) \\ \nabla' \cdot \mathbf{B}' &= 0\end{aligned}$$

As the magnetic field is solenoidal we can introduce a **vector potential:**

$$\mathbf{B}' = \nabla' \times \mathbf{A}' \quad (\text{D})$$

Combining (C) and (D):

$$\nabla'^2 \mathbf{A}' = -\mu_0 \mathbf{J}'$$

We impose the **Lorentz gauge:**

$$\nabla' \cdot \mathbf{A}' + \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial \phi'}{\partial t'} = 0$$

$\phi$  is stationary

$$\nabla' \cdot \mathbf{A}' = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}\nabla' \times \mathbf{B}' &= \nabla' \times (\nabla' \times \mathbf{A}') \\ &= \nabla' (\nabla' \cdot \mathbf{A}') - \nabla'^2 \mathbf{A}'\end{aligned}$$

**Both potential satisfy Poisson's equation in the boosted frame**



# Fields and potentials in the boosted frame

We need to solve a set of **Poisson's equations**:

**Electrostatics:**  $\nabla'^2 \phi' = -\frac{\rho'}{\epsilon_0}$

**Magnetostatics:**  $\nabla'^2 \mathbf{A}' = -\mu_0 \mathbf{J}'$

The s component of the equation in the vector potential reads:  $\nabla'^2 A'_s = -\mu_0 J'_s$

Transforming the sources to the boosted frame we had found:  $J'_s = -\beta c \rho'$

Combining:  $\nabla'^2 A'_s = \mu_0 \beta c \rho' = \frac{\beta \rho'}{\epsilon_0 c}$

Re-arranging:  $\nabla'^2 \left( -\frac{c}{\beta} A'_s \right) = -\frac{\rho'}{\epsilon_0}$

Comparing against the equation in  $\phi'$ :

$$A'_s = -\frac{\beta}{c} \phi'$$

**The longitudinal component of  $A'$  is proportional to  $\phi'$**





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The scalar and vector potential form a **Lorentz 4-vector**

$$A_s = A'_s + \beta \frac{\phi'}{c} \qquad A_s = 0$$

We can Lorentz transform them

$$\phi = \gamma(\phi' + \beta c A'_s) \qquad \phi = \gamma(1 - \beta^2)\phi' = \frac{\phi'}{\gamma}$$

In the **lab frame**:

$$A_s = 0$$

$$\phi = \frac{\phi'}{\gamma}$$

- The vector potential has no longitudinal component
- The scalar potential is simply proportional to the scalar potential in the boosted frame

# Equation in the scalar potential for the lab frame



In the boosted frame we have a Poisson equation:

$$\nabla'^2 \phi' = -\frac{\rho'}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 \phi'}{\partial x'^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi'}{\partial y'^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi'}{\partial s'^2} = -\frac{\rho'(x', y', s')}{\epsilon_0}$$

We know how to transform the charge density:

$$\rho'(x', y', s', t') = \gamma \rho_0 \left( x', y', -\frac{s'}{\gamma \beta c} \right)$$

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From  $\rho_0(x, y, t)$  we define:

$$\tilde{\rho}_0(x, y, \zeta) = \rho_0 \left( x, y, -\frac{\zeta}{\beta c} \right)$$

where  $\zeta = -\beta ct$  is the position along the bunch that is passing at a certain  $t$

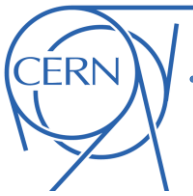
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We have found before:

$$\phi = \frac{\phi'}{\gamma}$$

$$\cancel{\gamma} \left( \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x'^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y'^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial s'^2} \right) = -\frac{\cancel{\gamma} \tilde{\rho}_0 \left( x', y', \frac{s'}{\gamma} \right)}{\epsilon_0}$$

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In the very beginning we had found:

$$s' = \gamma \zeta$$

**Lab-frame equation for the scalar potential**

$$\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y^2} + \frac{1}{\gamma^2} \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial \zeta^2} = - \frac{\tilde{\rho}_0 (x, y, \zeta)}{\epsilon_0}$$

For **large  $\gamma$**  this can be approximated by a **2D Poisson equation**

$$\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y^2} = - \frac{\tilde{\rho}_0 (x, y, \zeta)}{\epsilon_0}$$

which is exactly what we solve in PyELOUD, HEADTAIL, and similar codes



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## Transverse kick due to the e-cloud interaction

Normalizing to the momentum  
of the reference particle:

$$\Delta p_x = \frac{\Delta P_x}{P} = -\frac{qL}{m\gamma\beta^2 c^2} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} (x, y, \zeta)$$

This is exactly what we usually apply in  
HEADTAIL, PyECLOUD-PyHEADTAIL  
(which had been derived by just assuming  
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**Longitudinal kick in the boosted frame**

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To apply it in a tracking code we need the corresponding change in  $\delta = \Delta P/P$  in the lab frame



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**Change in normalized longitudinal momentum**

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at the moment not included in PyEC-PyHT





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# Recipe to apply the e-cloud kick

1. We have an **electron pinch defined by the current density** at the section  $s=0$

$$\rho_0(x, y, t) \text{ or equivalently as a function of the position along the bunch } \zeta = -\beta ct \quad \tilde{\rho}_0(x, y, \zeta) = \rho_0\left(x, y, -\frac{\zeta}{\beta c}\right)$$

2. We **compute the scalar potential** solving:

$$\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y^2} + \frac{1}{\gamma^2} \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial \zeta^2} = -\frac{\tilde{\rho}_0(x, y, \zeta)}{\epsilon_0}$$

$$\text{or for } \gamma \gg 1 \quad \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y^2} = -\frac{\tilde{\rho}_0(x, y, \zeta)}{\epsilon_0} \quad (\text{2D Poisson equation})$$

2. **Apply kick** to the particles

$$p_x \mapsto p_x - \frac{qL}{P_0 \beta c} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x}(x, y, \zeta)$$

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$$\frac{dp_x}{ds} = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial x}$$

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The **Hamiltonian of the transformation** can be easily written:

$$H = \frac{qL}{P_0\beta c} \phi(x, y, \zeta) \delta(s)$$



$$\frac{dx}{ds} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_x}$$

$$\frac{dy}{ds} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p_y}$$

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As it can be derived from an Hamiltonian,  
**the map is symplectic**  
 (important for long-term tracking)



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## An apparent contradiction:

- In the lab frame the **electrons are moving and generate a magnetic field**.
  - We expect this magnetic field to induce a force on the beam particle
- Still in the equations of the kick **we don't see anything that looks like a  $(\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B})$  term**
- In our calculation **we never use  $J_x$  and  $J_y$  which are the sources of the magnetic field**

Let's try to understand why...



# Where did the magnetic field go?

Let's write explicitly the Lorentz force in the lab frame:  $\mathbf{F} = q \left( \mathbf{E} + \beta c \hat{\mathbf{i}}_s \times \mathbf{B} \right)$

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

$$\mathbf{E} = -\nabla\phi - \frac{\partial\mathbf{A}}{\partial t} \quad (\mathbf{E} \neq -\nabla\phi)$$

In the lab frame the fields are not stationary  
→ the electric field is not irrotational!

The Lorentz force can be written as:

$$\mathbf{F} = q \left( \underbrace{-\nabla\phi}_{\substack{\text{Irrrotational} \\ \text{part of } \mathbf{E}}} \quad \underbrace{-\frac{\partial\mathbf{A}}{\partial t}}_{\substack{\text{Non-irrotational} \\ \text{part of } \mathbf{E}}} \quad + \beta c \hat{\mathbf{i}}_s \times \underbrace{(\nabla \times \mathbf{A})}_{\substack{\text{B field}}} \right)$$

We focus on  
this term



# Where did the magnetic field go?

With a bit of patience (see note) it is possible to prove this vector identity:

$$\hat{\mathbf{i}}_s \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) = \nabla A_s - \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial s}$$

Before we have found:  $A_s = 0$

$$\hat{\mathbf{i}}_s \times (\nabla \times \mathbf{A}) = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial s}$$

In the lab frame the potentials propagate along  $s$  (together with the sources):

$$\mathbf{A}(x, y, s, t) = \mathbf{A}_0 \left( x, y, \underbrace{t - \frac{s}{\beta c}}_{\tau} \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial s} &= \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}_0}{\partial \tau} \frac{\partial \tau}{\partial s} = -\frac{1}{\beta c} \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}_0}{\partial \tau} \\ &= -\frac{1}{\beta c} \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}_0}{\partial \tau} \frac{\partial \tau}{\partial t} = -\frac{1}{\beta c} \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}}{\partial t} \end{aligned}$$

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# Where did the magnetic field go?

We just found

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**The term due to magnetic field is cancelled exactly by term due the non irrotational part of the electric field!**

This is a consequence of the fact that **we are probing the field with a particle that is moving in the same direction of the electron wave and with the same speed**

These conditions are verified for the beam particles but are **not verified for the electrons themselves** → in principle the **electrons do feel the magnetic field**

- The effect is **expected to be small** as the electrons are relatively slow
- **Confirmed by numerical tests** performed by L. Giacometti (to be presented at e-cloud meeting on 20 Aug)



- The **forces acting on a beam particle due to an electron cloud**, can be **conveniently calculated in a boosted reference frame** moving rigidly with the beam.
- In such a reference frame, **charge and current densities are stationary**:
  - Electric and magnetic fields are solution of an **electrostatic and a magnetostatic problem** respectively.
- The **force** acting on the bunch (in the lab frame) is **proportional to the gradient of the scalar potential** and is therefore **irrotational**.
  - This happens since the force due to the **non-irrotational component of the electric field** is **cancelled exactly by the magnetic field term**.
- For a **relativistic beam** the scalar potential can be calculated with good approximation as the solution of a **2D Poisson problem**.
- The **Hamiltonian** of the resulting transformation **can be written as a function of the position coordinates**, showing that the map is **symplectic**.