Solenoid focusing at PITZ

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Introduction

> Photo Injector Test Facility at DESY, Zeuthen (PITZ)



Motivation

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Main focus of PITZ group: production of electron bunches with extremely small transverse emittance.

Discrepancies between emittance measurements and simulations

- In terms of optimum laser spot size at given charge (i.e. intensity)
- In terms of optimum solenoid current



PITZ setup and summer student program



- Investigation of focus size on 6 different screens(1st Experiment) and 4 different screens (2nd Experiment) in Low and High1 sections
- Compare experimental focus size and position with simulations (ASTRA code)
- Vary some parameters (BSA, C+H model, gun and booster gradients) in simulation to find the source of discrepancies



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Core+Halo model: initial e-distribution for ASTRA code

Laser distribution on virtual cathode imaging camera data capture



Input distribution shown by postpro with core + halo





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3 4 r(m)

x 10⁻⁴



Actual, used distributions



Results (with momentum-matched C+H simulations)









Conclusion



Discrepancies in minimum beam size and solenoid current to obtain focus on screen

- Smallest discrepancies near booster, largest at start and end (L1, H4)
- Simulations fit better for relaxed space charge density, but still 10-20 A discrepancy
- Problem might be worse than previously assumed (~20 A vs. 5-10 A for slit-scans)
- C+H model has only minor effect
- Momentum-matched gun gradient gives larger discrepancy than the "default" 60 MV/m (green curve)



Thank you for your attention! =)



Detailed results (BSA1.2, Low section)



Detailed results (BSA1.2, High section)



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Detailed results (BSA2.5)



