Non-magnetized beam performance of RHIC electron cooling injector

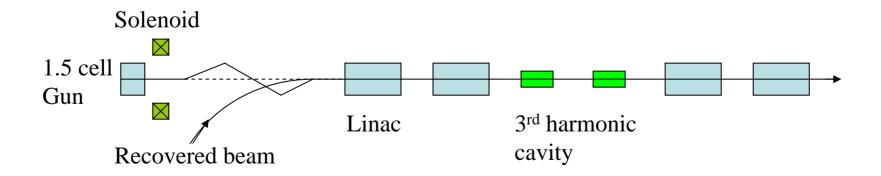
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Requirements of RHIC e-cooling for a non-magnetized beam

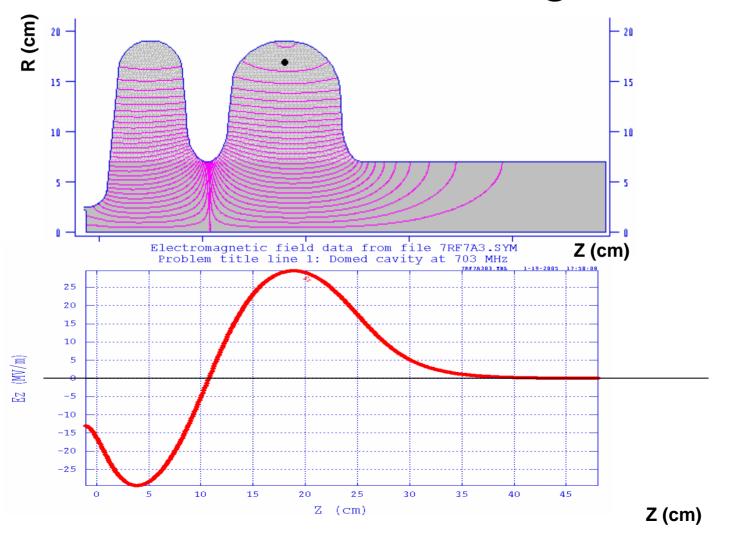
- Bunch charge 5nC.
- Emittance less than 4mm.mr (@5nC).
- The energy spread should less than 1×10^{-3} (@54MeV).
- Needs bend system for merging of the fresh low energy beam and the high energy beam.

System configuration

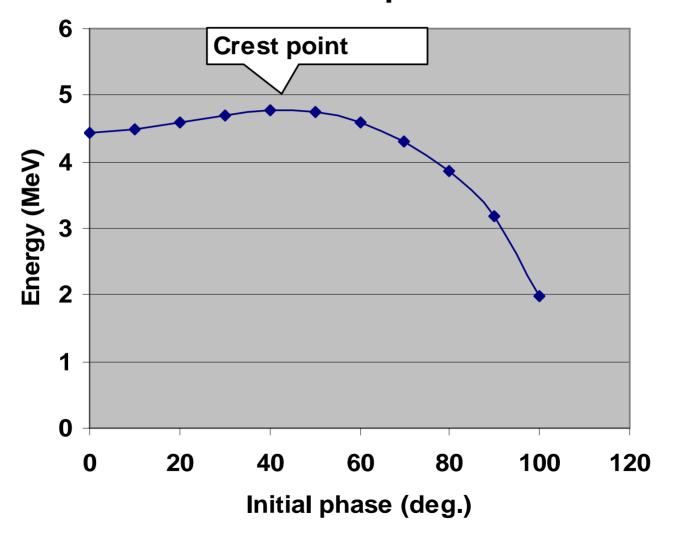
- The gun is followed by zig-zag (Litvinenko Vladimir, Dmitry Kayran) system and linacs
 - Best choice for merging beam at low energy region where the energy variation (of head and tail) is significant.
 - The chromaticity and the energy variation effect can be well compensated.



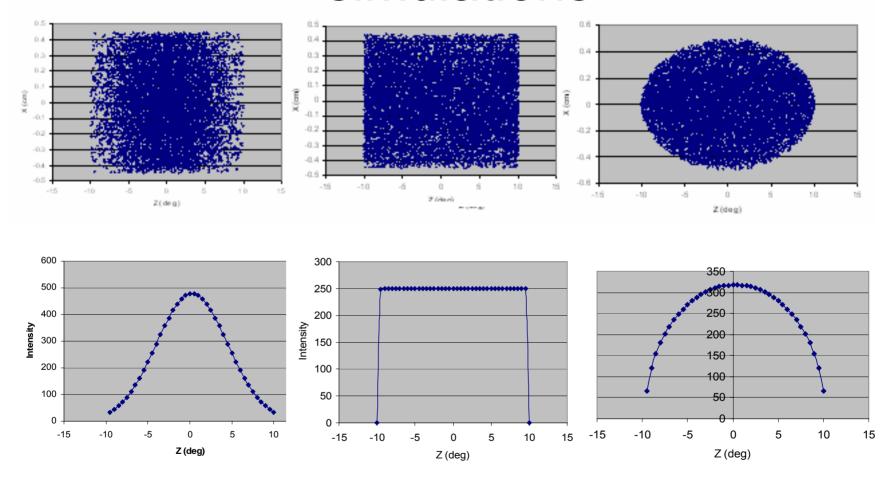
Electric field distribution of the simulated 1.5 cell gun



Energy gain from gun as a function of launch phase



Laser distributions used in simulations



Gaussian

Beer can

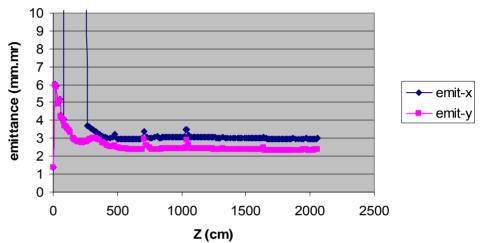
Ellipsoid

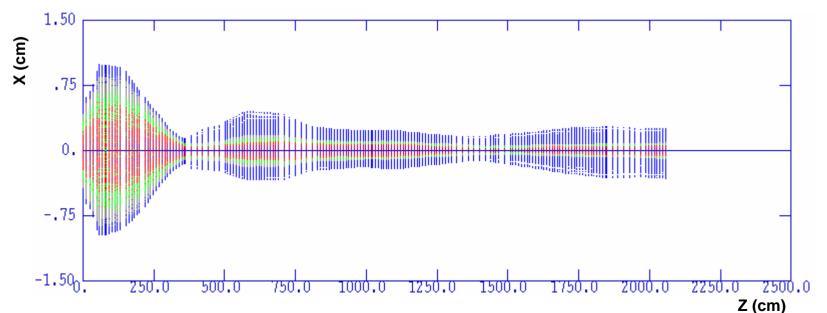
Transverse dynamics (elliptical laser)

Elliptical distribution

 $\varepsilon x = 3.0 \text{mm.mr}$

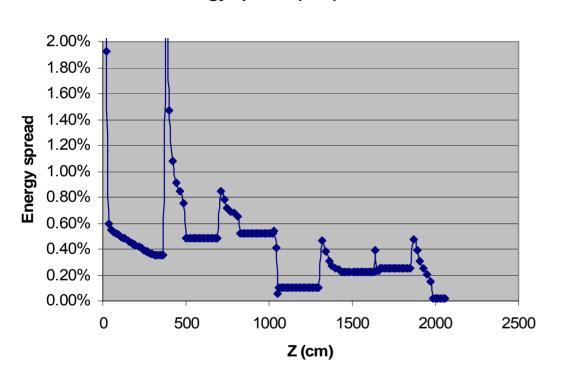
εy=2.4mm.mr

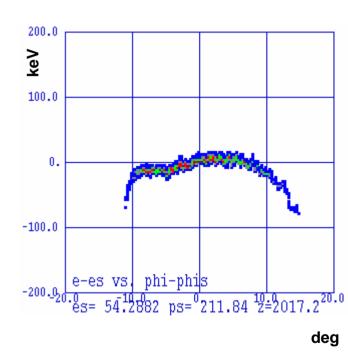




Longitudinal dynamics (elliptical laser)

Energy spread (rms) vs. Z





• dE/E=0.2×10⁻³

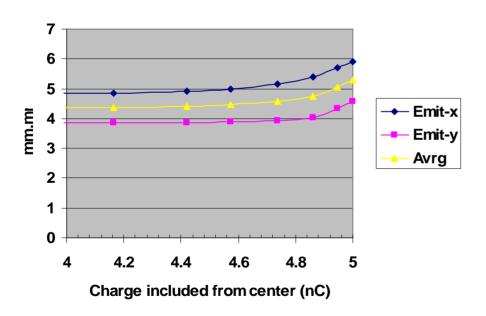
Simulations' Summary

| Charge / bunch = 5nC | | | |
|----------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Laser distribution | ε _{x(final)} (mm.mr) | ε _{y(final)} (mm.mr) | Energy spread |
| Elliptical | 3.0 | 2.4 | 0.2×10 ⁻³ |
| Beer can | 4.7 | 3.8 | <0.6×10 ⁻³ |
| Gaussian | 5.9 | 4.6 | <0.4×10 ⁻³ |

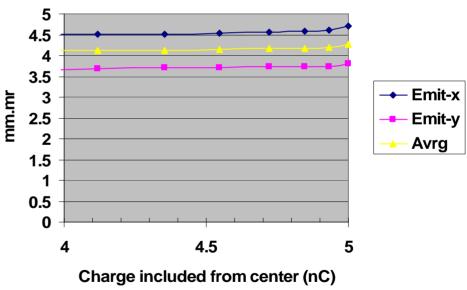
The core emittance

• The particles on bunch ends contribute more to emittance, especially for beer can and Gaussian distributions

Core emittance of Gaussian distribution



Core emittance of Beer Can distribution

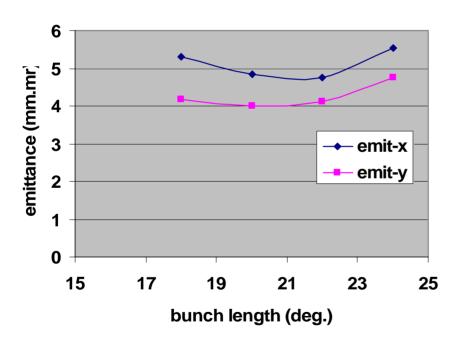


Gaussian

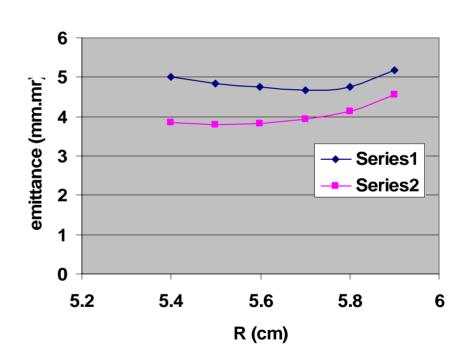
Beer can

Sensitivity to laser parameters





emittance vs. R



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emittance vs. phi

