



# REALISTIC PREDICTION OF DYNAMIC APERTURE AND OPTICS PERFORMANCE FOR LEP

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**ABSTRACT:** Over the two-decade lifetime of the LEP project, techniques for evaluating the quality of optical configurations have evolved considerably to exploit the growth in computer power and improved modelling of single-particle dynamics. These developments have culminated in a highly automated Monte-Carlo evaluation process whose stages include the generation of an ensemble of imperfect machines, simulation of the **operational** correction procedures, correlation studies of the optical functions and parameters of (both) beams, 4-dimensional dynamic aperture scans and tracking with quantum fluctuations to determine the beam core distribution. We outline the process, with examples, and explain why each step is necessary to realistically capture essential physics affecting performance. The mechanisms determining the vertical emittance, radial beam distribution and dynamic aperture are especially important. As a storage ring in which an unusual variety of optics have been tested, LEP provides a valuable test case for the predictive power of the methodology.

## Optics evaluation procedure

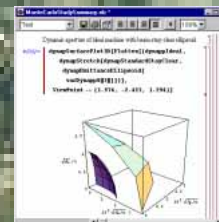
Ideal machine  
no solenoids,  
no RF, no radiation

Install vacuum  
chambers to limit  
aperture in quads

Compute 6D linear  
machine, RF, radiation  
 $(x_n, p_n)_{1,2,3}, Q_{1,2,3},$   
 $U_0, \tau_{1,2,3}, \epsilon_{1,2,3}, \dots$

Compute solenoid  
compensation with  
tilted quads

6D dynamic aperture  
scan in 4D  
 $(I_1, I_2, I_3, \phi_3)$



Generate ensemble of 30 imperfect machines (misalignments, tilts, field errors in all magnets)

Correct closed orbit  
without radiation  
 $\sqrt{\langle x^2 \rangle} = 0.6 \text{ mm}, \sqrt{\langle y^2 \rangle} = 0.4 \text{ mm}$

Solenoids, RF,  
radiation on  
**6D machine for e+**  
Correct  $\beta_y^*$ , tunes

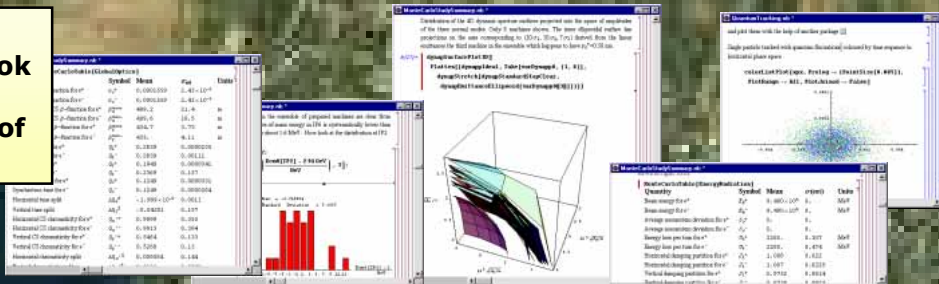
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Reverse element  
sequence, build  
**equivalent machine  
for e-**

Tracking with quantum  
fluctuations,  $> 200 \tau_1$   
 $\Rightarrow$  higher order effects  
on emittances

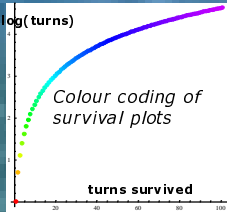
**Process managed in  
Mathematica notebook  
interface.  
Results as database of  
functions.**





# Shrinking of dynamic aperture at the ultimate energy accessible with available RF voltage

Survival plots of **initial conditions** in normal mode phase planes, units  $\sqrt{m}$

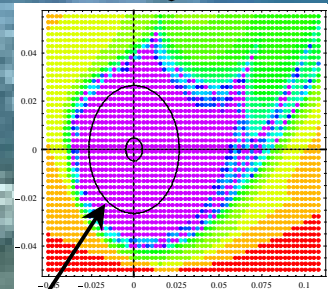
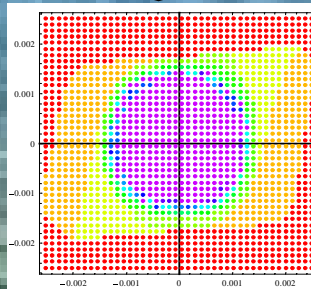
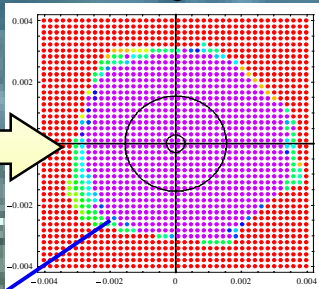


Mode 1  
"horizontal betatron"

Mode 2  
"vertical betatron"

Mode 3  
"synchrotron"

"Comfortable"  
94 GeV,  
Jx=1,  
V<sub>RF</sub>=2.96 GV



Integer resonance:  $\frac{\partial Q_y}{\partial I_x}$

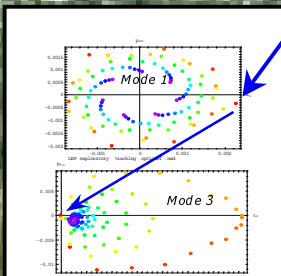
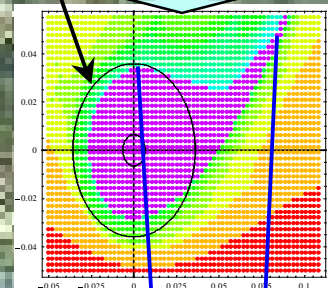
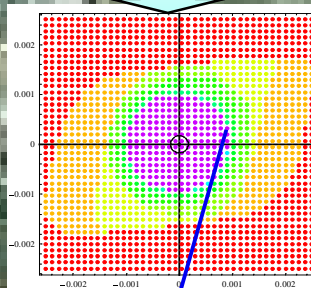
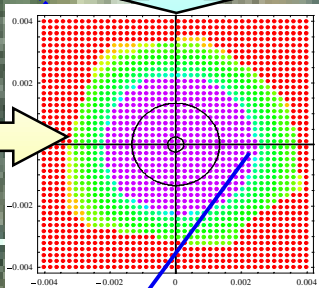
5.5  $\sigma$  of notional gaussian distribution

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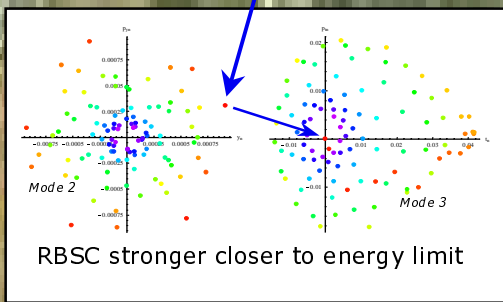
Reduced  
"bucket height"

"Just sufficient"  
100 GeV,  
Jx=1.5,  
V<sub>RF</sub>=3.265 GV

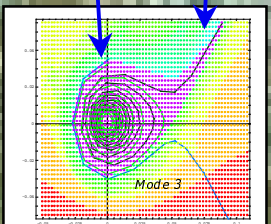


**RBSC instability:**  
radiation in quadrupoles  
⇒ large amplitudes in mode 3  
⇒ reduced dynamic aperture for modes 1 & 2  
Example particle has zero initial amplitude in mode 3.

Mode 1  
Mode 2  
Mode 3



RBSC stronger closer to energy limit

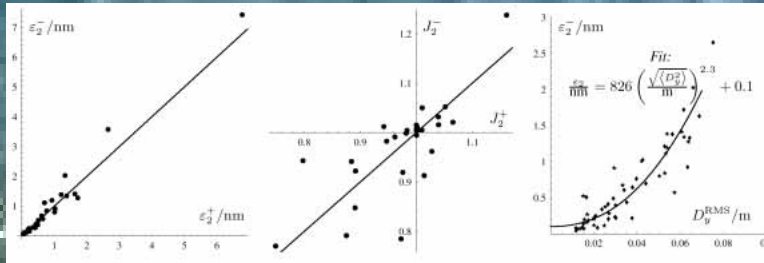


**Strong damping**  
True shape of "RF bucket".  
Orbits of 3 particles superposed on survival plot, 2 stable and 1 unstable.



## Predicting vertical emittance

- Crucial parameter for luminosity performance.
- Need small emittance in absence of beam-beam effect.
- Determined entirely by imperfections via vertical dispersion (coupling usually well compensated).
- Can we predict it statistically?



- Predicted range typical of values in real operational life cycle.
- Differences between orbits and optics of  $e^+$  and  $e^-$   
⇒ Differences between damping partition numbers  $J_2$ .
- Operators select corrections that push it down.

### CONCLUSIONS:

By carefully constructing ensembles of model machines, simulating the operational correction procedures and using a physically faithful model of single particle dynamics, it is possible to predict the distribution of beam parameters and their differences between the beams in LEP.

Dynamic aperture can be predicted to within about 10 % in a variety of optical configurations. (See references in paper!)

At the highest accessible energies, the dynamic aperture of LEP will be sharply reduced by the RBSC instability.