

Crab Crossing in Compton Sources

Analytical Study

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Prehistory of Crab Crossing

Crab Crossing in Colliders

Proposed by R.B.Palmer (1988), K. Oide and K.Yokoya (1989)

- to avoid synchro–betatron coupling resonances
- to enhance luminosity:
in crab crossing luminosity equal to head–on collisions
- crossing angle around 22 mrad^1 (1.26°)

¹K.Hosoyama et al. Construction and Commissioning of KEKB Superconducting Crab Cavities

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Proposed by **A.Variola (2006)**² to enhance yield.

Main results of extensive simulations

- Optimal crabbing angle is about half of the collision angle
- Under certain conditions attained gain of about 4/5 times higher than nominal
- Shorter bunches are less sensitive to crab
- Collision angle in Compton sources about 8° (140 mrad)

²A.Variola. Compton Parameters Optimization (PosiPol 06)

Problem set up

Theoretical Model

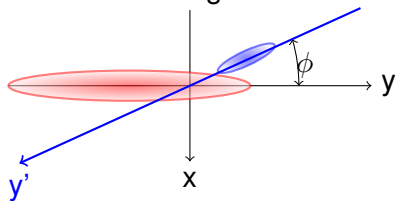
- Tri-gaussian distribution both in bunches and laser pulses (no hour-glass effect)
- Crossing in (x, y) plane (y is the longitudinal coordinate)

Task: With the laser pulse unchanged find the inclination angle of electron bunch (angle between the orbit and the longitudinal axis of bunch) provided maximal yield of gammas

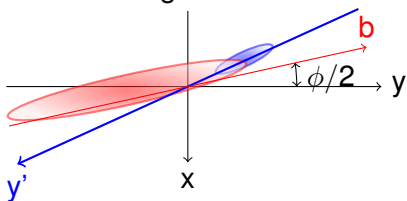
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Inclination exactly equal to half of collision angle

Nominal crossing



Crab crossing



Enhancement in yield (= ratio of geometric denominators)

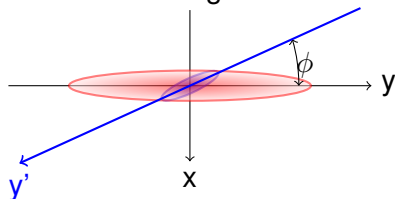
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(laser pulse primed)

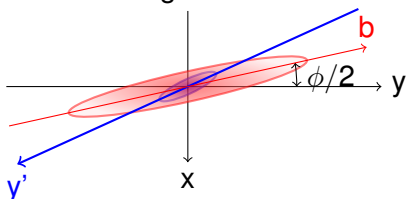
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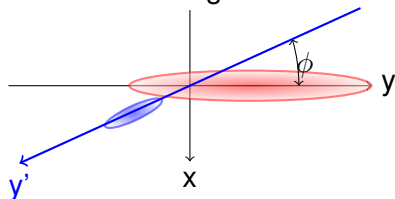
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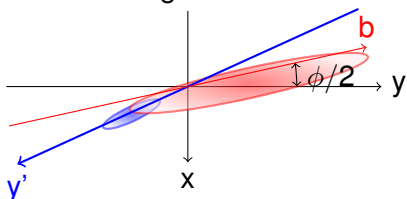
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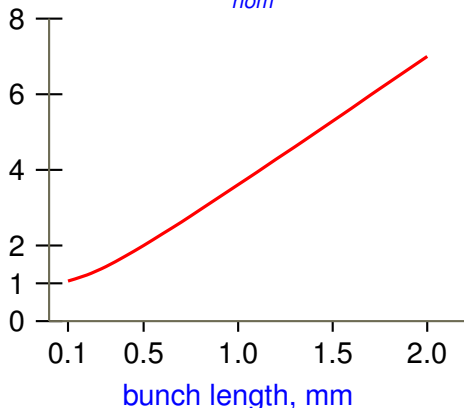
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Estimations for ERL

$$\text{enhancement} = \frac{\text{crab}}{\text{nom}}$$



Parameters provided by T.Omori

- Emittance
 $\epsilon_{x,z} = 6.25 \times 10^{-10} \text{ m}$
- Beta-functions $\beta_{x,z}^{(\text{cp})} = 0.16 \text{ m}$
- Laser pulse $\sigma'_{x,z} = 5 \mu\text{m}$
- Laser pulse $\sigma'_y = 240 \mu\text{m}$
- Collision angle $\phi = 8^\circ$
(0.14 rad)

Simulations and Estimations for CLIC

2008, $\phi = 8^\circ$, double-chicane scheme

pulse $\sigma'_y \rightarrow$	900 μm	240 μm
nominal/cycle	84	88
head-on/cycle	300	390
head-on/nom	2.57	3.3
crab/nom	1.72	2.45
head-on/crab	1.7	1.06
head-on/nom	2.94	2.61

But: for CLIC Compton source 2006 ($\phi = 10^\circ$, $\sigma_y = 5 \text{ mm}$) crab crossing will gain 5.4 ($\sigma'_y = 900 \mu\text{m}$) or even 13.2 ($\sigma'_y = 240 \mu\text{m}$)

Geometric factors of crab crossing to minimize (in red)

$$Y \sim \left[\left(\sigma_z^2 + \sigma_z'^2 \right) \left(\sigma_x^2 + \sigma_x'^2 \cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2} + \sigma_y'^2 \sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2} \right) \right]^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

- Crab crossing eliminates the bunch length σ_y impact
- Enhancement depends on the pulse length σ_y'
(a challenge for the laser people)
- Increase in the emitting spot size $\approx \sqrt{\sigma_x^2 \cos^2 \frac{\phi}{2} + \sigma_y'^2 \sin^2 \frac{\phi}{2}}$
(negligible for gamma sources)

Further exploration necessary ?