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Development of MicroTCA.4-Based BPM Electronics for SPring-8 Upgrade

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SPring-8 Upgrade Project

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- SPring-8 Upgrade Project (SPring-8-II)
 - Beam Energy: 6 GeV
 - Lattice: 5-bend achromat (5BA)
 - Natural Emittance: ~100 pm rad (with radiation damping of IDs)
- Optical axis stability is quite important to fully utilize brilliant X-rays.
 - Source size: ~ $28 \times 6 \mu m^2 rms$
 - Divergence: ~ 5 x 17 µrad² rms @ 10 keV
 - \rightarrow Beam orbit stability: ~1 µm, ~1 µrad
 - \rightarrow BPM stability (COD mode): ~1 μ m
- Single-pass (SP) resolution is also important for beam commissioning.
 - To achieve the first beam storage, the transverse beam position must be steered within 100 μm rms with respect to the magnetic center of each quadrupole.
 - Due to narrow dynamic aperture.



Overview of the BPM System



- 24 readout units (1 unit per 2 cells)
- Requirements for the BPM System
 - Position resolution
 - COD mode: < 1 μ m rms (100 mA, 1 kHz bandwidth)
 - SP mode: < 100 μ m rms (0.1 nC single-bunch)
 - Long-term stability
 - COD mode: 5 μ m peak-to-peak for 1 month







Prototype of a BPM head

Requirements for the BPM Electronics

- The signal from each BPM electrode should be detected stably and precisely.
 - The BPM signal is synchronized to the acceleration RF (508.76 MHz)
- Required amplitude stability: 0.1% (0.01 dB) peak-to-peak $(\simeq 2 \cdot 5 \text{ [µm]} / 7 \text{ [mm]})$
 - BPM conversion coefficient $(k_{\chi,y})$: ~7 mm
 - Required position stability: 5 µm
- Required Signal-to-Noise ratio: > 35 (31 dB)

$$\simeq 0.5 \cdot 7 \text{ [mm]} / 100 \text{ [}\mu\text{m]}\text{)}$$

- Required SP resolution: 100 µm rms (0.1 nC single-bunch)
- An in-situ gain correction mechanism should be equipped for better stability.
 - Pilot tone etc.
- High-speed COD BPM data is needed for an abnormal orbit interlock to prevent any damages of accelerator and beamline components.
 - Response time < 1 ms \rightarrow 10 kHz update rate.
 - This data can also be used by a fast orbit feedback.
- The beam position should also be calculated from three electrodes in case of the trouble of an electrode.
 - The data from three electrodes (four combinations) are also useful to evaluate the stability by comparing the four values.

 $X = k_x \cdot \frac{V_1 - V_2 - V_3 + V_4}{V_1 + V_2 + V_3 + V_4}$

 $Y = k_y \cdot \frac{V_1 + V_2 - V_3 - V_4}{V_1 + V_2 + V_2 + V_4}$

Overview of the BPM Electronics





- MicroTCA.4 high-speed digitizer AMC (advanced mezzanine card)
 - 10 ch., 370 MSPS, 16-bit ADCs, Under-sampling scheme
 - It was developed for the upgrade of the low-level RF system.
- A BPM RF frontend RTM (rear transition module) was newly developed.
 - 508.76 MHz signals are extracted by SAW band-pass filters (~10 MHz BW).
 - The signal level is adjusted by step attenuators and amplifiers.
 - Attenuation: 0 63 dB, Gain > 40 dB

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• Pilot tone generators for gain calibrations

- Signal level
 - 100 mA uniform filling: -6 dBm
 - 0.1 nC single bunch: –53 dBm
- ADC full scale: +10 dBm
- \rightarrow SP (single bunch): -20 dB FS (gain > 40 dB)
- → COD (100 mA): 6 dB FS (att: ~40 dB)

Signal Processing



- The 508.76 MHz signal is digitized by an ADC with a 363.40 MHz clock (5/7 of the RF frequency).
- The in-phase and quadrature (IQ) data is obtained by a 5-tap digital down converter (DDC).
- The COD BPM block generates turn-by-turn (TbT, 208.85 kHz), fast (10 kHz), and slow (10 Hz) data.
- The SP BPM block can select 4 bunches with 4 masks and calculates the beam positions of the 4 bunches.
- The pilot tone block extracts the pilot tone signal with an NCO (numerically controlled oscillator).
 - The NCO frequency is changed every 1 second and outputs each tone signal one after another.



IF: Intermediate Frequency FIR filter: Finite Impulse Response filter CIC filter: Cascaded Integrator-Comb filter

Beam Position Calculation

• We use 7th order polynomial to obtain the beam position.



- The error on the position calculation is suppressed to less than 1 μ m for the measurement range of |x|, |y| < 6 mm.
- The BPM logic also calculates the beam position from 3 electrodes (4 combinations).

 $\begin{pmatrix} X_1 & X_2 & X_3 & X_4 \\ Y_1 & Y_2 & Y_3 & Y_4 \end{pmatrix} = \sum_{n=0}^{7} \sum_{m=0}^{7-n} \binom{c_{nm}}{d_{nm}} (D_2^n D_4^m & D_2^n D_3^m & D_1^n D_3^m & D_1^n D_4^m) \overset{\text{os}}{\underset{\substack{a,a\\begin{subarray}{c} 0,a\\begin{subarray}{c} 0,a\\cent{subarray}{c} 0,a\\cen$

Beam Test in the Current SPring-8 Ring



Vertical aperture and span of the electrodes are same as the BPM for SPring-8 upgrade

- Setup
 - 16 electrodes (4 BPM sets)
 - Span of the electrodes are the same as the design value.
 - 2 BPMs were read out by the new electronics.
 - The electronics are enclosed in a 19-inch rack with a constant temperature and humidity controller. (0.04°C and 10%RH peak-to-peak)
- We evaluated the position resolution and long-term stability.



Single Bunch Waveforms



Single-pass (SP) BPM Resolution





Requirement: < 100 µm

- Bunch charge: 0.13 nC
- Pulsed bumper magnet was fired.
- BPM Resolution: 22 μm (H), 27 μm (V)
 - The resolution is $1/\sqrt{2}$ of the rms of the difference, assuming the two BPMs have the same resolution.
- We took data with different beam charges and confirmed that the resolution is inversely proportional to the charge.

COD BPM Resolution (Fast Data)



• COD BPM resolution: 0.39 μm (H), 0.43 μm (V) (2 kHz BW).

Requirement: < 1 µm

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Long-term Stability



- The beam orbit was stabilized by the present BPM system.
- The new BPM shows stable position data with 10 μm stability for 1 month.

Balance Error

Stability can also be evaluated from balance error.

- Beam position can be calculated from three electrodes out of 4. (4 combinations)
- Balance error is defined as the maximum difference among the 4 position values.



Summary and Outlook

- We have developed a stable and precise BPM system for SPring-8-II.
 - Required position stability: 5 µm peak-to-peak for 1 month (100 mA)
 - Required position resolution: 100 µm rms (0.1 nC single-bunch)
- We designed a MicroTCA.4-based BPM readout system.
 - The same digitizer AMC as the LLRF upgrade. (10 ch., 16-bit, 370 MSPS)
 - A new BPM RTM (RF frontend) was developed.
 - The COD BPM logic provides the date streams of turn-by-turn (209 kHz), fast (10 kHz) and slow (10 Hz).
 - The SP BPM logic calculates the beam positions of 4 bunches.
 - A pilot tone function was also implemented.
- We performed a beam test at the present SPring-8 ring.
 - Position resolution: ~30 µm rms (0.13 nC single bunch)
 - Long-term stability: < 10 µm peak-to-peak for 1 month.
- Next tasks:
 - We will implement a gain correction process by using pilot tone data.
 - Some more electronics will be installed to the present SPring-8 BPM system to evaluate the stability and reliability.