



Coherent Radiation Diagnostics for Short Bunches

Bunch length measurement in the frequency domain

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The **longitudinal charge distribution** is an important parameter for machine operation...



... and difficult to measure (non-destructively) for short and/or complicated bunches.

Example for CRD at FLASH (FEL at DESY)

...also used at ALS, ANKA, BESSY, JAERI, NewSubaru, LCLS, SLS, UVSOR-II, ,...

Illustration of basic principle of CRD

Single electron synchrotron radiation spectrum

Circular motion, 130 MeV, R=1.6 m





Gaussian (line) bunch

FWHM=350 µm

Charge 1 nC





Basic relation of CRD

Emission spectrum depends on *longitudinal* charge distribution.

Transverse effects exist, not covered

Double Gaussian Bunch



Bunch compression monitor

Transition/Diffraction Radiator





Gun

Compression monitor feedback on phase



SASE intensity



Diode detector as bunch compression monitor







Courtesy J. Frisch, SLAC

Pyroelectric detector



Pyros are intrinsically fast



Pyrocam

Transition radiation at FLASH



Spiricon pyroelectric camera (LiTaO₃) 124x124 pixels, 100 µm pitch 7 nJ per pixel noise limit



Fast superconducting hot-electron bolometer



Courtesy H.-W. Hübers, DLR Berlin

FLASH synchrotron radiation beamline

For **experimental studies**, an **accessible laboratory** outside of the accelerator confinement is **mandatory**.



Bunch reconstruction



through inversion of

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}U}{\mathrm{d}\upsilon} = \left(\frac{\mathrm{d}U}{\mathrm{d}\upsilon}\right)_1 \left(N + N(N-1)\left|F(\upsilon)\right|^2\right) F(\upsilon) = \int S(t)e^{2\pi \mathrm{i}\upsilon t} \mathrm{d}t$$

Courtesy L. Fröhlich, DESY

The reconstruction procedure



Complex form factor $F(\upsilon) = |F(\upsilon)|e^{i\Theta(\upsilon)}$

Kramers - Kronig relation (phase retrieval)

$$\Theta(\upsilon) \ge \frac{2\nu}{\pi} \int_{0}^{\infty} \frac{\ln \frac{|F(\upsilon')|}{|F(\upsilon)|}}{\upsilon^{2} - {\upsilon'}^{2}} d\upsilon'$$

Synchrotron radiation is a complex source...



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Courtesy A. Paech, TU Darmstadt

FLASH transition radiation beamline





Advantage of vacuum+diamond



Courtesy B. Schmidt, DESY

Single shot grating spectrometer

Based on staged blazed gratings



Courtesy H. Delsim-Hashemi, DESY

Phase scan



Courtesy H. Delsim-Hashemi, DESY

Correlations

Fluctuations over 50 seconds of stable SASE run



Courtesy H. Delsim-Hashemi, DESY

Spatial Electro-Optical Auto-Correlation Interferometer (PSI)



- Interferometer images coherent transition radiation onto electro-optic crystal
- Spatial auto-correlation pattern read out by Nd:YAG laser using cross polarizer scheme and linear image sensor
- Single shot bunch length monitor providing ~200 fs resolution





Courtesy V. Schlott, PSI

FLASH infrared undulator

Electromagnetic undulator, tuneable 1-200 µm (at 500 MeV) The same bunches generate SASE and infrared radiation (naturally synchronized)



Smith-Purcell radiation measurements



Measurement at 45 MeV, FELIX



see PRST 9,092801 (2006)



Results of a run at 28.5 GeV from SLAC are currently being analyzed.

Courtesy G. Doucas, V. Blackmore, Oxford



- Longitudinal bunch shape investigations using coherent radiation are a standard tool for all machines operating with short bunches or bunch features (slicing).
- Standard tools employ non-calibrated devices.
- Full longitudinal charge profile reconstruction is a specialist application (thesis level...).
- Additional benefit from wide wavelength coverage in a single-shot manner comes at the price of higher hardware complexity (vacuum, diamond window, optics)

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Phase retrieval – Kramers-Kronig relations

Generally, Kramers-Kronig relations result from an expression Response = Stimulus x Response function and connect the real and imaginary part of the response function.*

- Formal relation -

$$\langle E(\upsilon) \rangle = E_1(\upsilon) \langle \sum e^{2\pi i \upsilon \Delta t} \rangle$$

Response

$$= E_1(v) \int NS(z) e^{\frac{2\pi i vz}{c}} dz$$
$$= \underbrace{NF(v)}_{\text{Permanent}} \underbrace{E_1(v)}_{\text{Struct}}$$

Response Stimulus function

Check concept with Lorentz-Transformation of static field etc. — Conceptual picture — (for synchrotron radiation)

Laboratory system





Bunch moves through static magnetic field

Bunch emits coherent synchrotron radiation

Co-moving system





Bunch irradiated with electromagnetic wave

Bunch responds according to its response function

Where is the connection between phase and magnitude?



FIG. 1. This figure illustrates schematically the basic reason for the logical connection of causality and dispersion. An input Awhich is zero for times t less than zero is formed as a superposition of many Fourier components such as B, each of which extends from $t = -\infty$ to $t = \infty$. These components produce the zero-input signal by destructive interference for t < 0. It is impossible to design a system which absorbs just the component B without affecting other components, for in this case the output would contain the complement of B during times before the onset of the input wave, in contradiction with causality. Thus causality implies that absorption of one frequency must be accompanied by a compensating shift of phase of other frequencies; the required phase shifts are prescribed by the dispersion relation. Original time dependent signal (=0 for t<0)

One Fourier component

Signal if this component is removed (≠0 for t<0)

Conclusion: The phases must be automatically adjusted (e.g. by a filter) such that signal=0 for t<0.

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