

Precise Single Bunch Measurements Using Fast RF Switches

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Abstract

measure the swap-out injection/extraction То bunches of the Advanced Photon Source Upgrade (APS-U) storage ring, single-pass Beam Position Monitor (BPM) electronics will be installed in the first sectors after the injection with fast RF switches. The fast RF switch will select a bunch signal to be processed by the single pass BPM electronics, and have the remaining bunches processed by the regular BPM electronics. In addition to measuring the swap-out bunch during injection, the setup will be able to carry out various other measurements of any selected single bunch (or bunches). This paper presents the performance of the fast RF switches and related electronics.



Fast RF Switch Performance





Typical response of the RF switches in time domain. 352 MHz CW signal was connected to the input port at 1 Vpp (+4 dBm). Ch1 (blue) – gate signal applied to the switches, 10 ns width; Ch2 (magenta) – out1 of the switch, this is the output signal outside of the gate; Ch3 (orange) – out2 of the switch, this is the output signal within the 10 ns gate.

Freq. [MHz]

Typical measured insertion losses of the RF switches. At 352MHz where BPM electronics work at, the insertion losses are 3.07dB and 4.58dB respectively.

