







Sub-micrometer resolution transverse electron beam size measurement system based on optical transition radiation

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Introduction



KEK ATF-II, beam parameters



ATF-II beam line, OTR setup



Interaction Chamber, OTR line





Electron beam optics



Optical Transition Radiation



Transition radiation (TR) appears when a charged particle crosses a boundary between two media with different dielectric constants.

The resolution is determined by the source dimensions induced by a single particle plus distortion caused by the optical system (diffraction of OTR tails)

Beam size effect



OTR image with NO filter and polarizer



OTR image with polarizer and optical filter





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OTR image



Horizontal projection



OTR PSF-like Fit function

$$f(x) = a + \frac{b}{1 + [c(x - \Delta x)]^4} \left\{ \left[-e^{-2c^2\sigma^2} \cos[c(x - \Delta x)] \right] \right\}$$

$$\begin{cases} a & 143.034 + l/-80.2691 \\ 60440.8 + l/-175.643 \\ 0.0807 + l/-0.00165 \\ \Delta x & 543.838 + l/-0.18656 \\ \sigma & 2.36213 + l/-0.59153 \\$$

 $-\Delta x$ distribution with respect to zero.

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400

500

. 550

OTR Vertical projection, um

600

700

Self-Calibration procedure

- In the whole data set find a file with smallest I_{min} / I_{max}
- Calculate error of the ratio

$$\Delta_{I_{\min}/I_{\max}} = \sqrt{\sum \left(\frac{I_{\min}/I_{\max}}{I_{\max}} \right)_{i}^{2} \cdot \Delta I_{i}^{2}} = \sqrt{\frac{\Delta I_{\min}^{2}}{I_{\max}^{2}} + \frac{I_{\min}^{2} \cdot \Delta I_{\max}^{2}}{I_{\max}^{4}}}$$

• Re-generate fit curve f(x) with errors $\Delta f(x)$ for the calibration file substituting zeros for horizontal and vertical offsets (a,c) and σ .

Self-Calibration procedure

Convolute it with Gaussian as follows:

$$F_{j}^{Convolution} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{N} f_{i}(x_{i}) \cdot \exp\left(\frac{-(x-x_{i})^{2}}{2\sigma_{conv}^{2}}\right)}{\sum_{i=1}^{N} \exp\left(\frac{-(x-x_{i})^{2}}{2\sigma_{conv}^{2}}\right)}$$

- Propagate errors $\Delta f(x)$ through convolution according to (2), repeat convolution N times varying σ_{conv} from 0 to M with a fine step.
- For each iteration, find Imm / Imax and calculate its errors resulting in calibration curve.



Self-Calibration procedure

- Propagate errors through calibration fit.
- Analyze all files in a data set, extracting I_{min} / I_{max} and $\Delta_{I_{min} / I_{max}}$ for each file and convert it to real vertical RMS beam sizes using calibration fit parameters and its standard deviations.

Reconstructed Q-scan



Calibration file variation





Summary

- Results clearly demonstrate that the method based on the analysis of the PSF structure visibility gives an opportunity to measure the beam size with a submicrometer resolution.
- In order to improve the beam size measurement technique additional efforts toward the optimization of the optical system, and better understanding of the beam size effect has been taken.
- To be able to demonstrate better resolution achromat lens (to minimize the chromatic aberrations in the optical system) was employed.

Summary

- Also a few more optical filters covering the wavelength range from 350 to 800nm with 50nm step was used to investigate the spectral characteristics of the OTR PSF in details.
- The results will be represented in a successive paper.

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Phenomena leading to PSF distortion

- Diffraction of OTR tails
- Chromatic aberrations
- Spherical aberrations





Calibration of the optical system

CCD Image of the target edge









Magnification factor of an optical System 10.69