Intra-train Beam-based Feedback Systems

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- System overview
- FONT/NLCTA
- FEATHER/ATF
- Future plans

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Intra-train Beam-based Feedback

Intra-train beam feedback is last line of defence against ground motion

Key components:

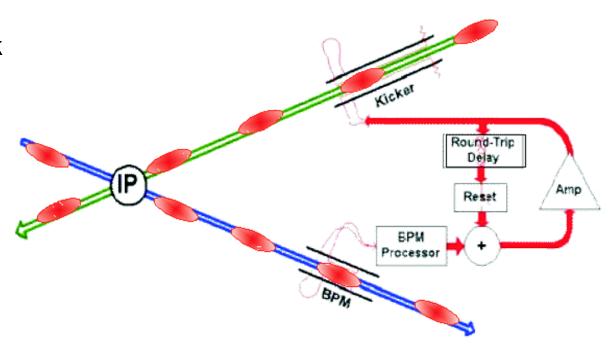
Beam position monitor (BPM)

Signal processor

Fast driver amplifier

E.M. kicker

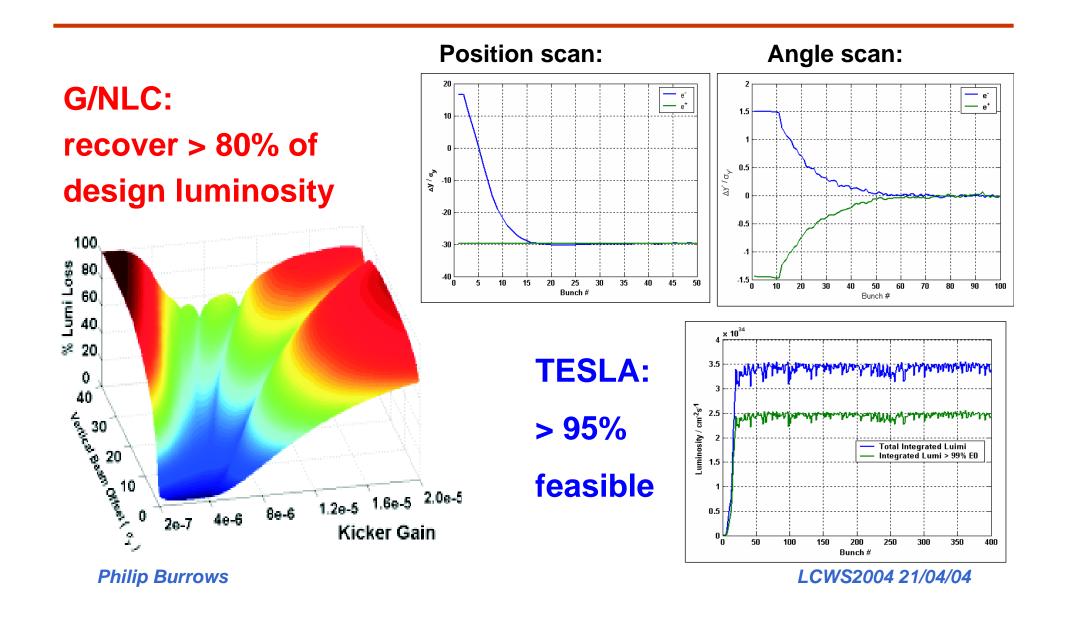
Fast FB circuit



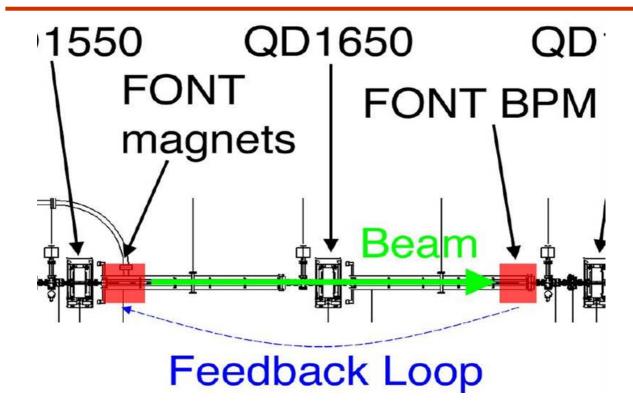
Warm: augments active stabilisation

Cold: principal ground-motion correction

Beam Feedback Luminosity Recovery

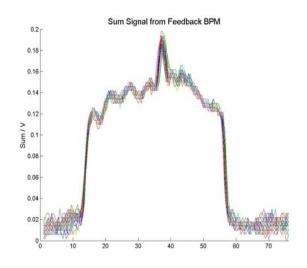


Feedback on Nanosecond Timescales (FONT) (SLAC/NLCTA)



- 170ns long train
- 1mm size beam
- few 100 micron offsets

- 100 micron train-train jitter
- bunched at Xband (87ps)
- 50% Q variation along train:



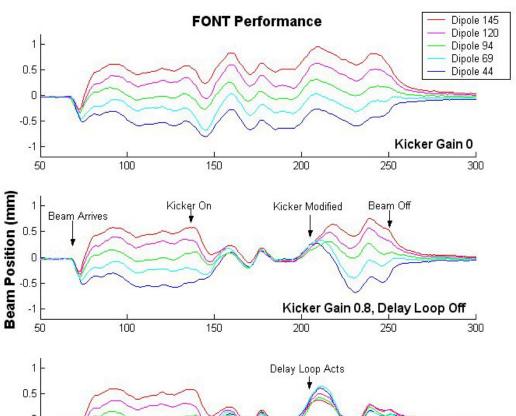
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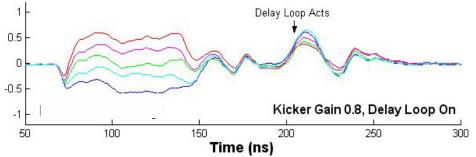
FONT1: results (September 2002)

3kW tube amplifier:



10/1 position correction latency of 67 ns





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FONT1: expected latency

Time of flight kicker – BPM: 14ns

Signal return time BPM – kicker: 18ns

Irreducible latency: 32ns

BPM cables + processor: 5ns

Preamplifier: 5ns

Charge normalisation/FB circuit: 11ns

• Amplifier: 10ns

• Kicker fill time: 2ns

Electronics latency: 33ns

Total latency expected: 65ns

FONT2: outline

Goals of improved FONT2 setup:

- Additional 2 BPMs: independent position monitoring
- Second kicker added: allows solid state amplifiers
- Shorter distance between kickers and FB BPM:

irreducible latency now c. 16 ns

Improved BPM processor:

real-time charge normalisation using log amps (slow)

Expect total latency c. 53 ns:

allows 170/53 = 3.2 passes through system

- Added 'beam flattener' to remove static beam profile
- Automated DAQ including digitisers and dipole control

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FONT2: expected latency

Time of flight kicker – BPM: 6ns

Signal return time BPM – kicker: 10ns

Irreducible latency: 16ns

• BPM processor: 18ns

• FB circuit: 4ns

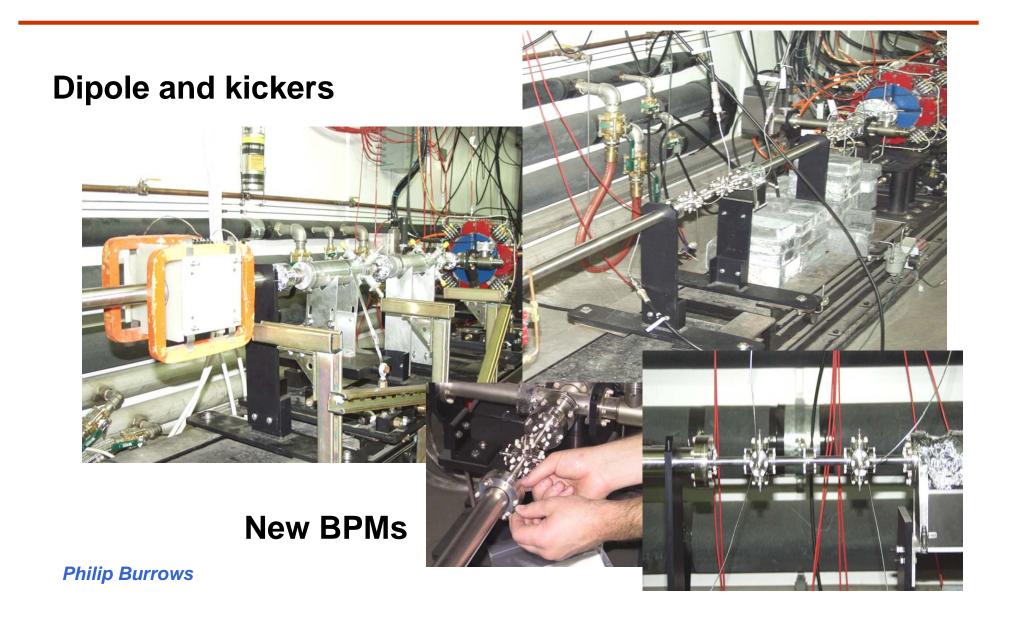
• Amplifier: 12ns

Kicker fill time: 3ns

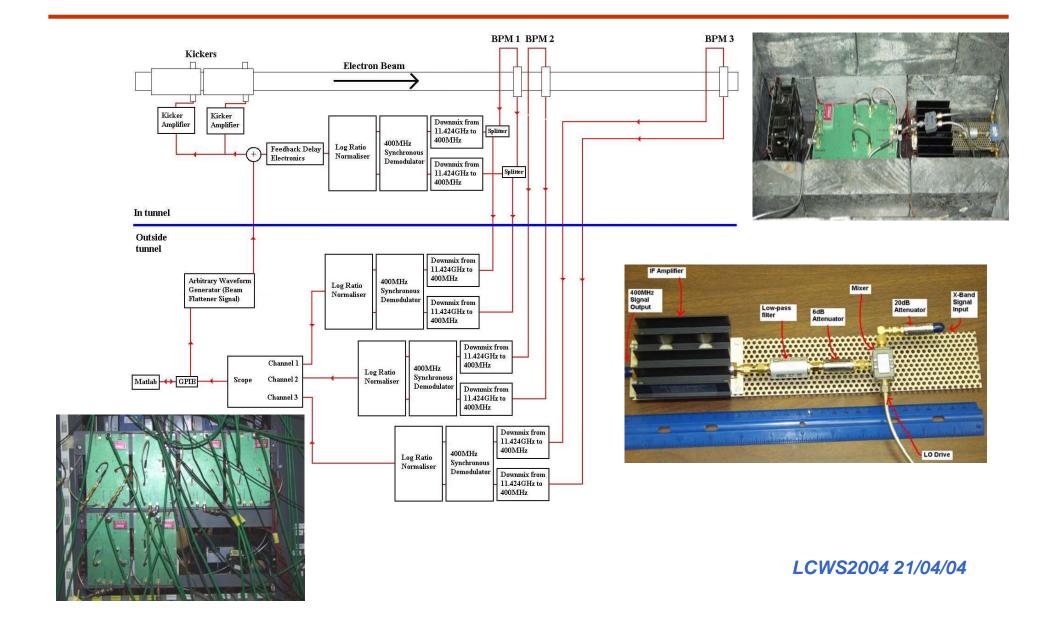
Electronics latency: 37ns

Total latency expected: 53ns

FONT2: beamline configuration

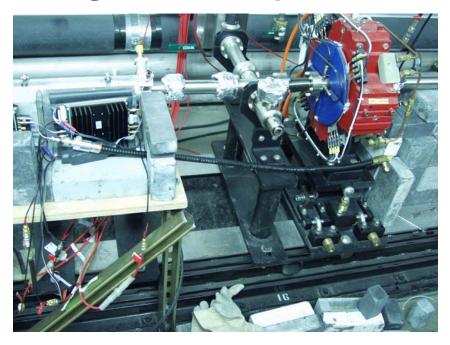


FONT2: BPM signal processing



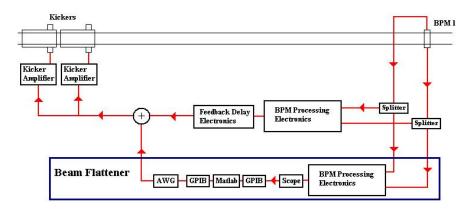
FONT2: amplifier + beam flattener

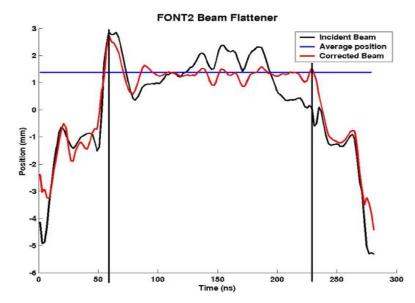
FB signal into amplifier:



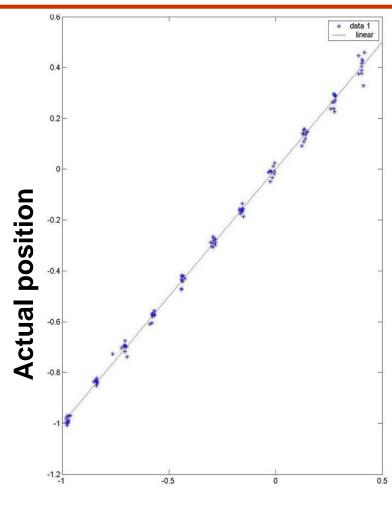
Bandwidth limited (30 MHz)

Beam flattener:



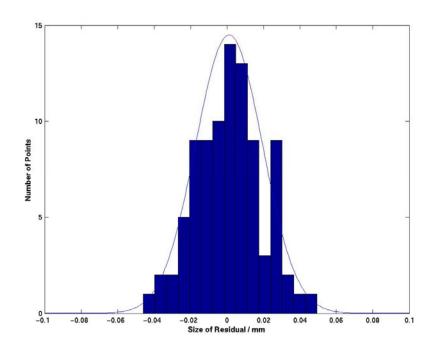


FONT2 BPM resolution



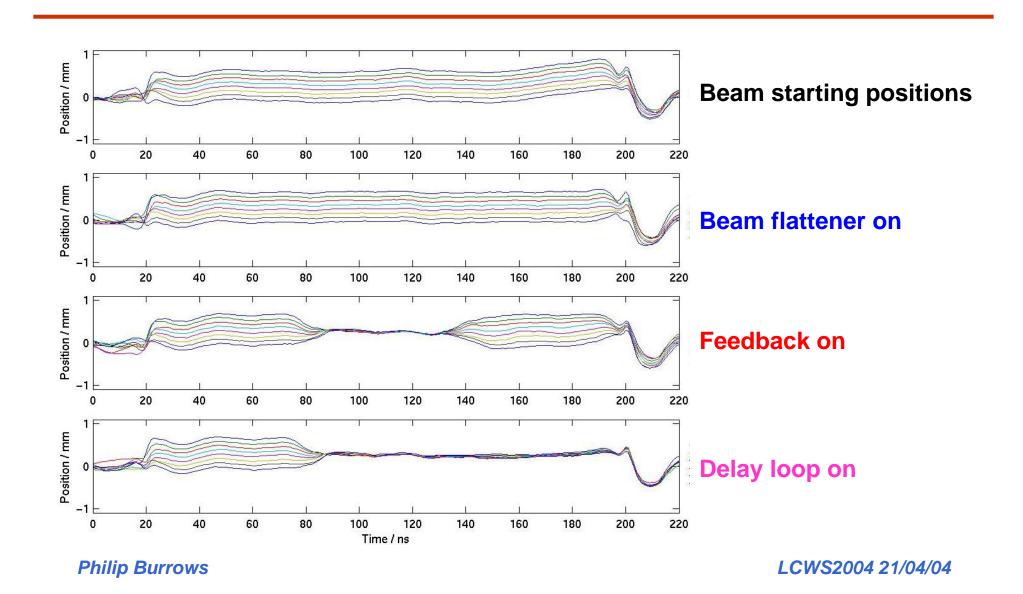
Predicted position

Residuals:

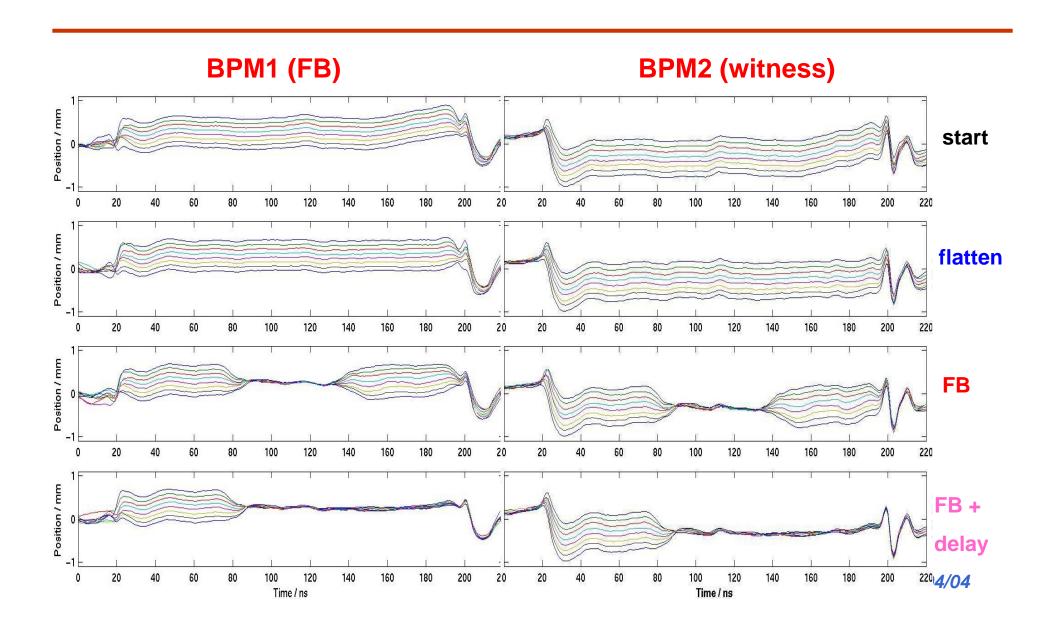


Resolution 14 microns

FONT2 results: feedback BPM

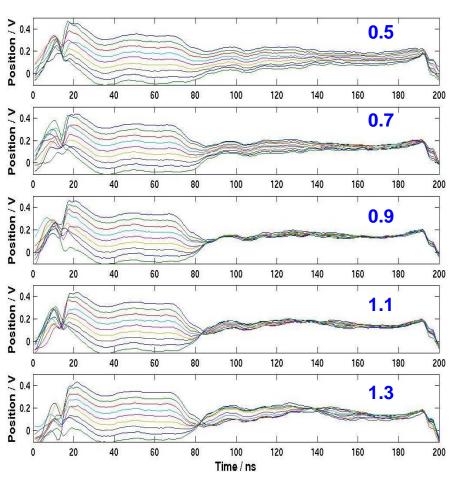


FONT2 results: witness vs. FB BPMs

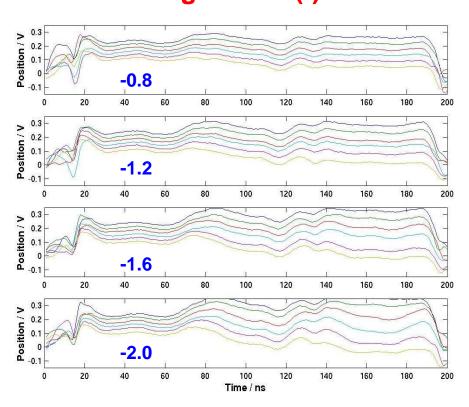


FONT2 results: gain studies

Vary main gain



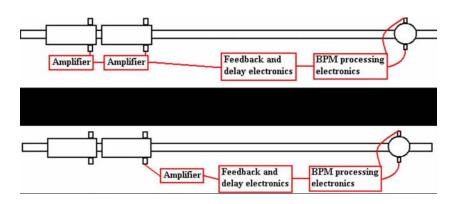
Main gain -ve (!)



Also: delay loop length + gain ...

FONT2 final results (Jan 22 2004)

Super-fast modified configuration:

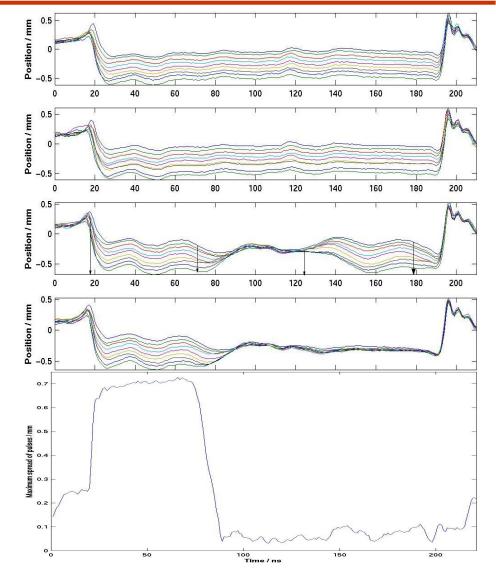


Latency 54ns

Correction 14:1

(limited by gain knob resolution)



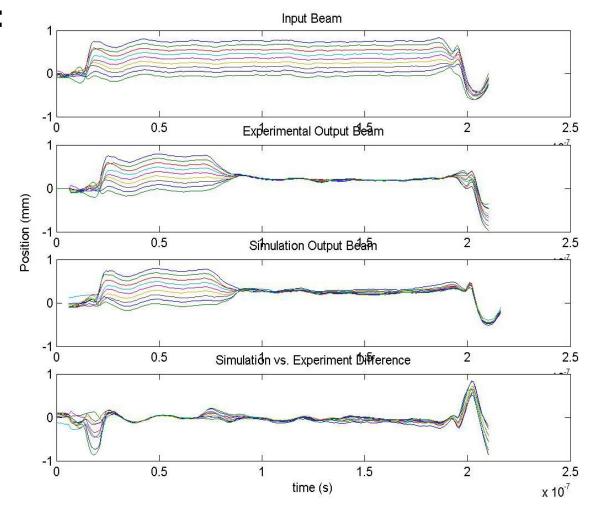


FONT2 Simulation

Simulation includes:

- time of flight
- cable delays
- latencies
- bandwidths
- delay loop

Useful tool for LC FB simulations



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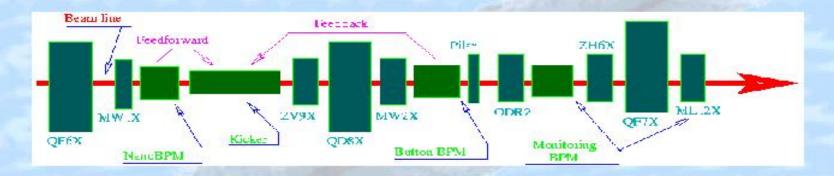
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Feedback At High Energy Requirements (FEATHER) (KEK/ATF)





Extraction line layout

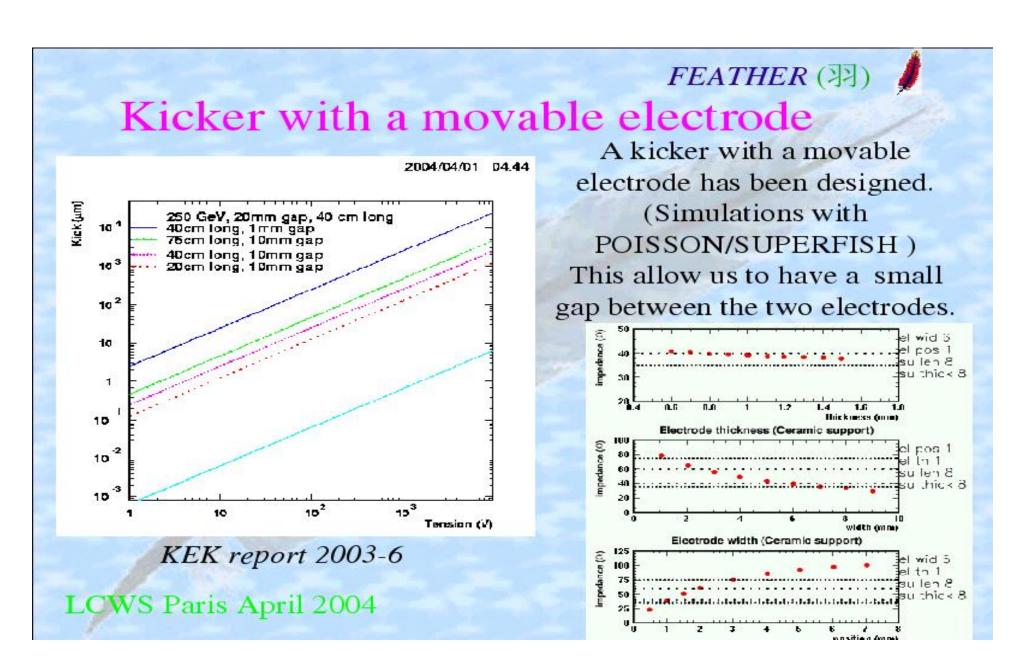


- Feedforward and feedback are possible
- Feedforward uses a cavity BPM + movable electrode kicker
- Feedback uses the new button BPM + kicker

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FEATHER: kicker simulations



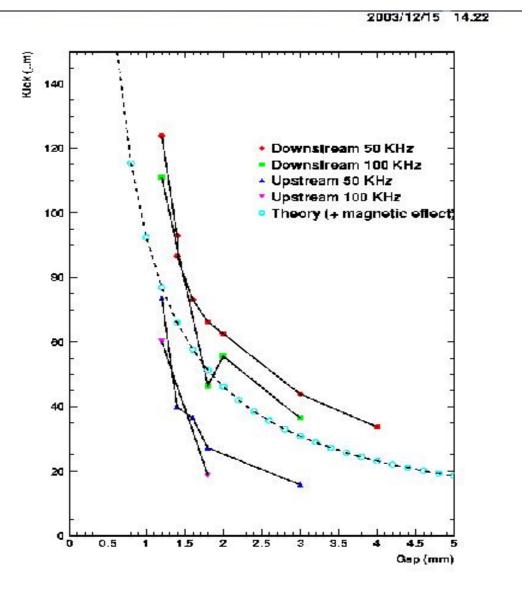
FEATHER: kicker perfomance

kick vs gap (low frequency)

Commissioning of the movable electrode kicker:

Kick intensity as a function of the gap for both input upstream and downstream.

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FEATHER: latency

Time budget

- BPM-A

 Attn.

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 Amp.

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 Merger Splitter Kicker
- The response time GPM-C of our new amplifier has been measured: 5.6 ns
- There is ~1 meter between our kicker and our BPM
 - => Beam flight ~ 4 ns
 - = > Cable delay ~ 7 ns
- Various electronics delay should be less than 5ns
- Response should come ~20ns after first bunch
- Delay loop needs ~11ns more (Total ~35 ns)
- 20 bunches at 2.8 ns make a 56ns train
 - = > Should be possible to test our delayed model

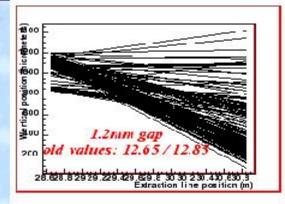
FEATHER: beam scan across kicker gap

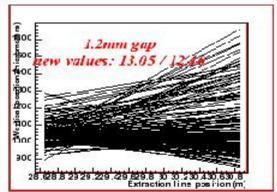
Scan of the acceptable trajectories

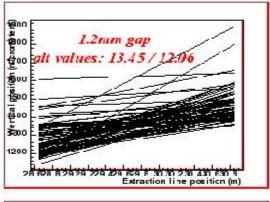
Vertical orbit of the beam has been modified several times to scan the acceptable orbits and thus deduce the position of the kicker's electrodes.

Smallest gap has been found at 13.09/12.49
This correspond to a gap at the windows of ~1.12 mm (electrodes are bent)

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Comparison of NLCTA with ATF

NLCTA ATF

Train length 170 ns 300 ns

Bunch spacing 0.08 ns 2.8 ns

Beam size (y) 500 mu 5 mu

Jitter (y) 100 mu few mu

Beam energy 65 MeV 1.3 GeV

Stabilising 1 GeV beam @ 1 mu ⇔ 1000 GeV @ 1 nm

For the warm machine:

ATF has 'right' bunch spacing and train length, and the beam is smaller and more stable than at NLCTA

-> much better place for fast feedback prototypes

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Future Experimental Programme at ATF

FONT and **FEATHER** are joining forces!

- Stabilisation of extracted bunchtrain at 1 micron level: low-power (< 100W), high stability amplifier stripline or button BPM w. ~ 1 micron resolution these are exactly what are needed for the LC!
- 2. Stabilisation of extracted bunchtrain at 100 nm level: requires special (cavity) BPM and signal processing useful as part of nanoBPM project
- 3. Test of intra-train beam-beam scanning system: high-stability ramped kicker drive amplifier very useful for LC

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Future Experimental Programme at SLAC

The SLAC A-line is potentially extremely useful for IP FB system tests:

Train charge, length, bunch spacing ... parameters can be made relevant for warm or cold machine (Woods)

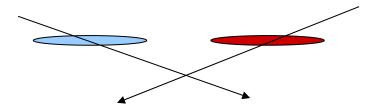
Well instrumented laboratory for BPM tests

High-flux e+e- pairs mimic LC IR environment: study impact of pair background on BPM resolution; radiation damage issues for feedback components

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Other issues for intra-train feedbacks

Beam angle-jitter:



warm machine: correction best done near IP with RF crab cavity (needed anyway):

design + prototyping starting in UK

Ideally, feedback on luminosity:

bunch-by-bunch luminosity measurement would allow intra-train luminosity feedback