

Beam dynamic simulations for the superconducting synchrotron SIS300 at FAIR



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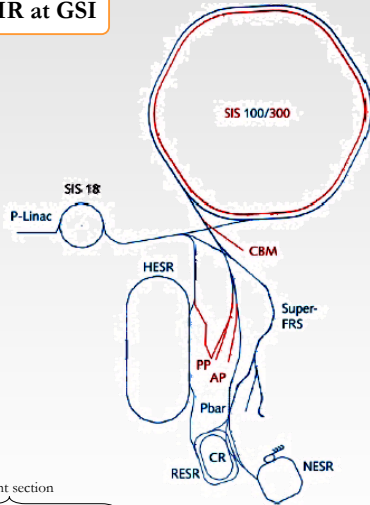
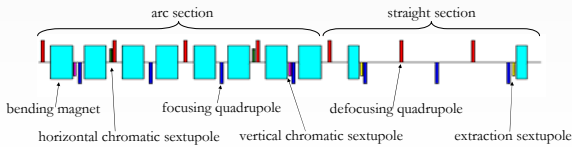
Motivation: new facility FAIR at GSI

Synchrotron and storage rings complex maximum energy achievable:
300Tm or 32GeV/u from SIS300

SIS300 basic requirements:

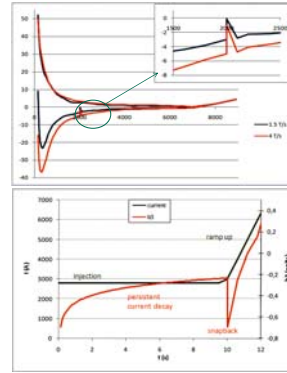
- in SIS100 tunnel
 - fixed radius
 - B up to 4.5T
 - superconducting magnets
- parallel operation to serve different experiments (CBM, RIB)
 - fast cycling

SIS300 ring has a 6-fold periodicity
One period of the machine:



Current effects in Superconducting Magnets

Magnetic field quality in SC magnets is determined by cable positioning and current effects (static and time-dependent)



- Persistent currents, its decay at constant current and reinduction (snapback)
- Field periodic pattern
- Coupling currents (between strands and between filaments) during ramps

Superconducting cable made of hard superconductor
→ hysteresis-like behavior (ramp rate dependent amplitude)
→ memory effects = dependence on previous cycles (powering history).

Beam dynamics at slow extraction

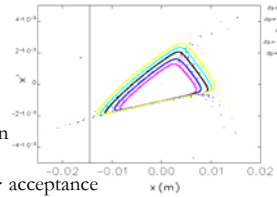
Slow extraction from SIS300 to the fragment separator and the experimental caves is achieved by controlled excitation of a third integer-resonance in the horizontal plane

1 - ideal linear lattice:

natural chromaticity, unlimited DA

2 - adding chromatic sextupoles:

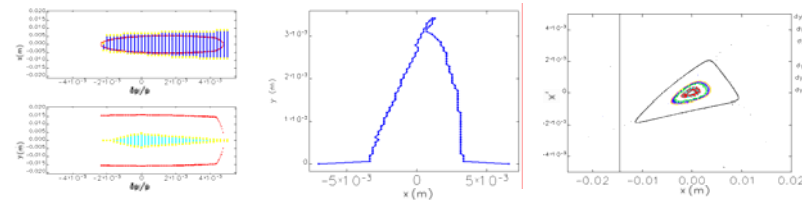
matched to fulfill Hardt condition (momentum independent of extraction trajectory) to avoid beam losses
→ still linear chrom and DA 1 order > acceptance



- Phase space restricted by triangular separatrix

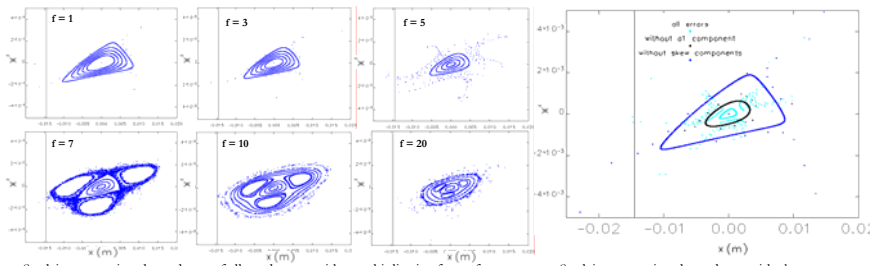
- Particles on separatrix are unstable, drift along it from turn to turn direction the septum aperture

3 - adding resonant sextupoles → still Hardt condition fulfilled (sext. compensate each other)



Only particles with $y=0$ are actually reaching the separatrix, others have DA so small that are lost (unstable) before reaching separatrix !!!

4 - adding field errors → b3 → chromatic sextupoles have to be matched again to Hardt's condition



Studying extraction dependency of allowed errors with a multiplicative factor f

Studying extraction dependency with skew errors

Field Quality vs. Beam Dynamics

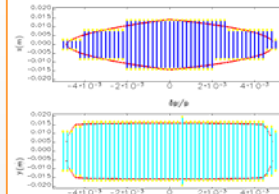
Magnetic field expanded in Taylor series

$$B_y + iB_x = B_N^0 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (b_n + ia_n) \left(\frac{z}{R_t}\right)^{n-1} \quad \begin{matrix} n=1 & \text{dipolar comp} \\ n=2 & \text{quadrupolar comp} \end{matrix}$$

components allowed depending on magnet symmetries

1st step: static field errors

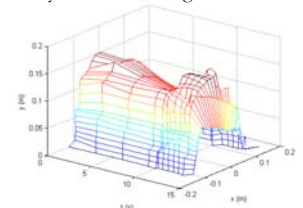
Field errors corresponding to the cycle flat top (4.5T) simulated with ROXIE [3]



Acceptance vs. dynamic aperture for different momentum spreads when adding field errors to the dipoles

2nd step: time dependent field errors

Estimated variation of dynamic DA along a standard ramped cycle



At other facilities with SC magnets and lighter operation requirements (Tevatron, Hera, Rhic) the presence of:

- Non-allowed components (along whole cycle)
- Time dependent components (injection, flat top)
- Ramp rate dependent components (ramps)

→ **limit machine operation!**

Different control methods used:

- static field description models
- off-line and on-line reference magnet systems

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