Figure-8 Storage Ring F8SR Non Neutral Plasma Confinement in Curvilinear Guiding Fields

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Superconducting High Current Ion Storage Ring F8SR



- Motivation

Why to build a new and such crooked Storage Ring - Motivation:

- astrophysical thin target experiments with well sharpened ΔE by electron cooling in a so called *Standard Mode*
- \blacksquare Fusion reactivity studies in a High Current Mode such as p + $^{11}{\rm B} \rightarrow$ 3 $^{4}{\rm He}$ + 8.7 MeV
- multiple beam(species) experiments in *Collider Mode* down to center of mass collision energies of 100 eV
- space charge compensation by magnetic surface bounded secondary electrons
- multi ionisation of light atoms by an intense proton beam
- beam plasma interaction
- coulomb screening effects

Traditional Storage Ring Concept

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- achieving bending via dipole field
- focussing and corrections via quadrupoles & sextupoles
- closed orbit represents center of beam envelope



Magnetic Guiding Fields

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- increasing the field strength up to $\approx 6 \,\mathrm{T}$ \rightarrow fields become guiding fields
- field geometry can be chosen as toroidal.
 problem: still drifts perpendicular to the torus plane



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• to achieve focussing use poloidal field components.

 \rightarrow toroidal field gets a rotational transform t

How? \rightarrow bend the torus into a Figure-8

• off plane $\vec{R} \times \vec{B}$ drift vanishes in average due to changing direction of rotaion



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Figure-8 Storage Ring (F8SR)

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Studied Figure-8 Concepts

idealised mathematical design



- to see formation of magnetic surfaces
- first single particle dynamics

segmented design



- first step for a concrete realisation
- lower costs, contruction benefits
- problems with gaps and field discontinuities

 $Da \\ \xi = 0^{\circ}$

Figure-8 Storage Ring

Ex-2 ξ=270°

Latest Figure-8 Design

- realisation ideas of: Injection-,Experimental- & Diagnosisarea
- Magnetostatic $|\vec{B}| \approx 6 \,\mathrm{T}$
- Beam Energy: W = 150 keV-1 MeV
- Beam Current: I = 1-10 A
- Orbital revolution period: $T = 2 \,\mu s$

Ix $\xi = 180^{\circ}$

Stored Beam Energy & Power: E = 3 J $P_{\text{max}} = 1.5 \text{ MW}$



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 ξ in degree

beam transport *≠* experimenter liberties

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Simulation Method

- once the magnetic fluxdensity is high, a guiding center approximation can be done
- for stable long-term simulations the use of symplectic algorithms becomes clear (bounded error range)
- to switch in a symplectic form of canonical coordinates one needs to get magnetic fluxcoordinates

 (in particular: Boozercoordinates ψ, θ, ξ)
- in the end combined with particle in cell (PIC) methods to establish simulations

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Establishing Magnetic Fluxcoordinates

conventional mapping: fieldline-tracing-method gives periodical functions :

$$\begin{array}{ll} r_x(\chi) & r_y(\chi) & r_z(\chi) \\ \hline B_x(\chi) & B_y(\chi) & B_z(\chi) \\ A_x(\chi) & A_y(\chi) & A_z(\chi) \end{array}$$





Establishing Magnetic Fluxcoordinates



Establishing Magnetic Fluxcoordinates

 2d-backward Fast-Fourier-Transformation and frequency splitting establishes curvilinear (non-orthogonal) magnetic fluxcoordinates (Boozercoordinates) propagating by 2π *r*(ψ, θ, ξ) *B*(ψ, θ, ξ) *A*(ψ, θ, ξ)
 → Co- and contravariant vector components *B*_ψ, *B*^ψ, *B*_θ, *B*^θ, *B*_ξ, *B*^ξ



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Numerical calculations vs. Theory

- coordinate transformation with
 20 magnetic surfaces in total
- interesting parameters of boozercoordinates were cross checked: rotational transform t = 0.277and for instance $\alpha = \measuredangle(\vec{B}, \vec{e}_{\xi})$



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Beam Dynamics in F8SR



 $\xi = 0^{\circ}$ $\xi = 90^{\circ}$ $\xi = 180^{\circ}$ $\xi = 270^{\circ}$

Dynamics of Driftsurfaces via Symplectic Single Particle Simulation

closed orbits depends on: injection position, beam energy \rightarrow obits need to be evaluated by simulations



Experiments at Goethe University Institute of Applied Physics (IAP)





- emittance scanner: transversal kick of beam in fringing field of toroid - position dependend
- scintillator detector:
 - mapping of beam motion in toroidal field
 - evidence of expected beam drift
 - detection of multi component beam focussing
- transport through 2 toroids : existing energy pass-band for optimum transition



Exp.Setup for Toroidal Beam Transport & Injection Studies

- a second injector (ion-source + solenoid) was refurbished
- two faraday cups were build & installed for momentum filter studies in order to prepare single particle species injection [H.Niebuhr] → important for comparable closed orbit simulations





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Experiments at IAP

Non-destructive Diagnostics via Residual Gas Monitor



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Measured residual gas luminescence of H-ionspecies with simulation reconstruction



actual studies for online data aquisition between photodiodes and evaluationboard:

- 256 channels
- femtoampere currents
- integration times 160 µs-1 s



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Adiabatic Compressor for Injection



Standard Mode with Electron Cooler

- e⁻-gun ($E_{\rm kin} \approx 120 \, {\rm eV}$) at geometric axis & e⁻-collector 180° later
- due to high fields e⁻ are bound to the axis
- ion-beam drifts & rotates into e⁻-beam simultaneously



 \rightarrow simulations are planned!

fusion Reactivity Studies in High Current Mode

best fusion cross sections of $p + {}^{11}B \approx 500\text{-}600 \,\mathrm{keV}$ \rightarrow a proton beam with a wider energy spread ΔE is fully acceptable (e⁻-cooler off)



Low Energy Beam Beam Interactions in Collider Mode

Charge transfer problem: $H^+ + H \rightarrow H + H^+$



Low Energy Beam Beam Interactions in Collider Mode

 \rightarrow injecting two beams ($E_{1,2}>100\,{\rm keV})$ with two axis-offsets and $v_1-v_2=\Delta v$

 \rightarrow leads to different closed orbits and collision energies ${\it E_{CMS}} < 100 \, \rm keV$



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Thank you for your attention!

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Map of Flux Density



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Flux Density Profiles



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Driftsurfaces



Drift Hamiltonian & Canonical Variables

$$egin{aligned} P_{ heta} &= rac{q\psi}{2\pi} & P_{\xi} &= rac{\mu_0 G}{2\pi |B|} m v_{\parallel} - t rac{q\psi}{2\pi} \ g &= rac{\mu_0 G}{2\pi} \end{aligned}$$

$$H = \frac{1}{2m} \frac{(P_{\xi} + tP_{\theta})^2 (2\pi)^2 |B|^2}{\mu_0^2 G^2 m^2} + \mu |B| + q\Phi$$