Bunch Length Measurements

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Bunch length locations





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Harp scan when bunch is on crest



Harp scan when bunch is +90 off crest

Results

B.L (degrees) =
$$\frac{180}{\pi} \left[\frac{B_+(X_+ - X_0)}{D(B_0 - B_+)} \right]$$

- X_0 : Horizontal displacement at crest
- X_{+} : Horizontal displacement at +90 off crest
- B_0 : Magnetic field at crest
- B_+ : Magnetic field at +90 off crest
- *D* : Dispersion

	Sigma X (cm)	Sigma Y (cm)	Bdl (T.cm)
On crest	0.026 ± 0.001	0.025 ± 0.001	148873.875
+90 off crest	0.444 ± 0.014	0.025 ± 0.001	93523.875

Bunch length (rms) = 86.5 ± 2.9 um



4- Synchrotron Light Monitor



Where *b* : is the slope of the hyperbola, E_{inj} : is the injector energy (MeV), E_L : is the linac energy (MeV), η_x : is the dispersion (cm) and *k*: is the wave number (cm⁻¹)

Image processing



Spot at SLM1 for NL gang phase = -67.9 before and after frame removing



Gaussian fitting for the same spot after subtracting the back ground and applying a horizontal projection

Results



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B.L evolution summary

Technique	Location	Beam Energy	Measured B.L (rms)	Estimated B.L (rms)
Slit - Scan	Chopper chamber	130 KeV	16.2 ± 0.1 mm	17.1 mm (GPT)
Brock	1D dump	130 KeV	24.5 ± 0.1 mm	19.1 mm (GPT)
Back- phasing	4D dump	102 MeV	86.5 ± 2.9 um	60 um (Krafft et al.)*
SLM 1	ARC 1	1052 MeV	91.4 ± 6.5 um	
compress			46.1 ± 3.5 um	56 um **
SLM2			112.8 ± 5.8	
compress	ARC 2		42.5 ± 5.1 um	56 um **



- * Measuring and controlling energy spread in CEBAF
- ** Optimization of M56 in the CEBAF injector

Which one is the best ?

Technique	Beam Energy	Estimated operation time	Reliability	Accuracy
Slit - Scan	130 KeV	45 – 90 min	Very Good	Excellent
Brock	130 KeV	1 min	Excellent	Good
Back- phasing	102 MeV	60 - 90 min	Very Good	Excellent
SLM 1	1052 MeV	15 – 30 min	Very Good	Very Good
SLM 2	2002 MeV	15 - 30 min	Very Good	Very Good

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