

**SNS Progress Review**

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# **BEAM DYNAMICS and ERROR SIMULATIONS**

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# Outline

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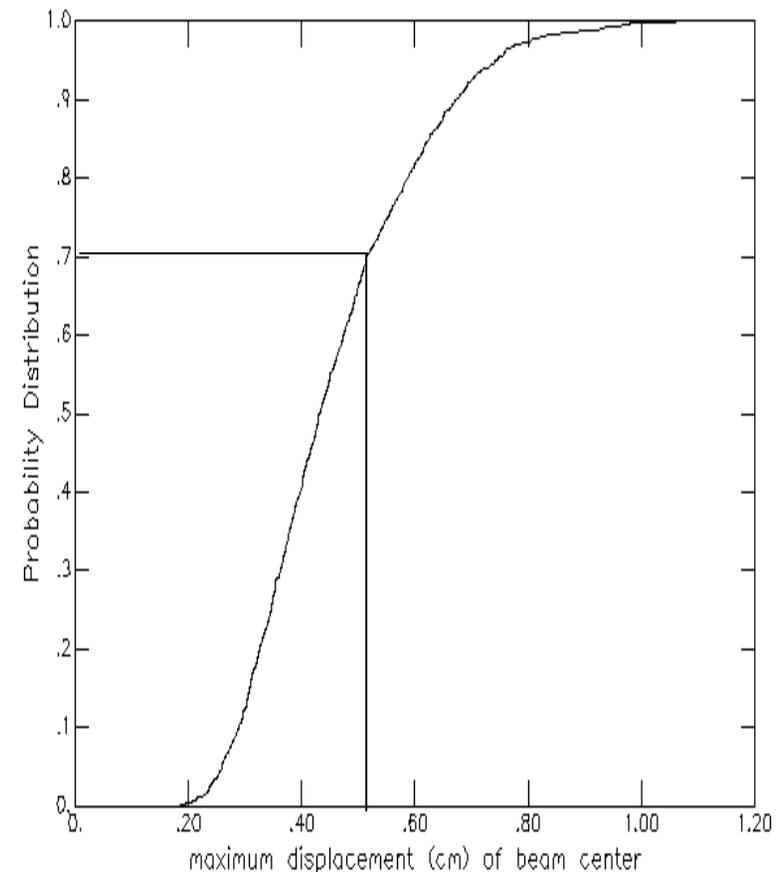


- DTL PMQ Study
- CCL Steering Study
- SRF Steering Study
- Space Charge Algorithm Comparison

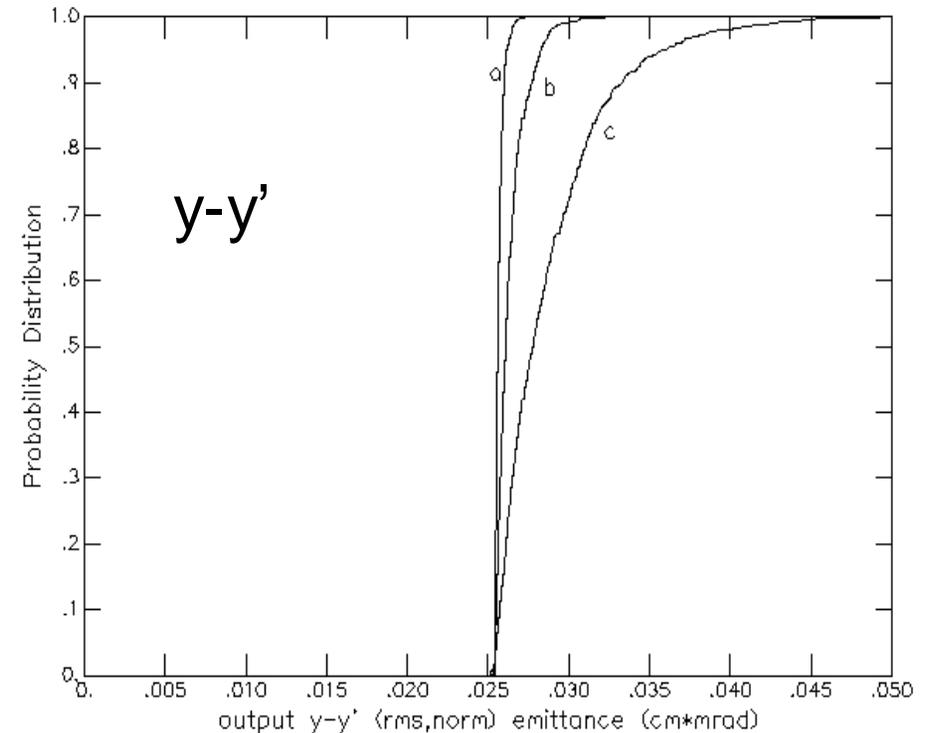
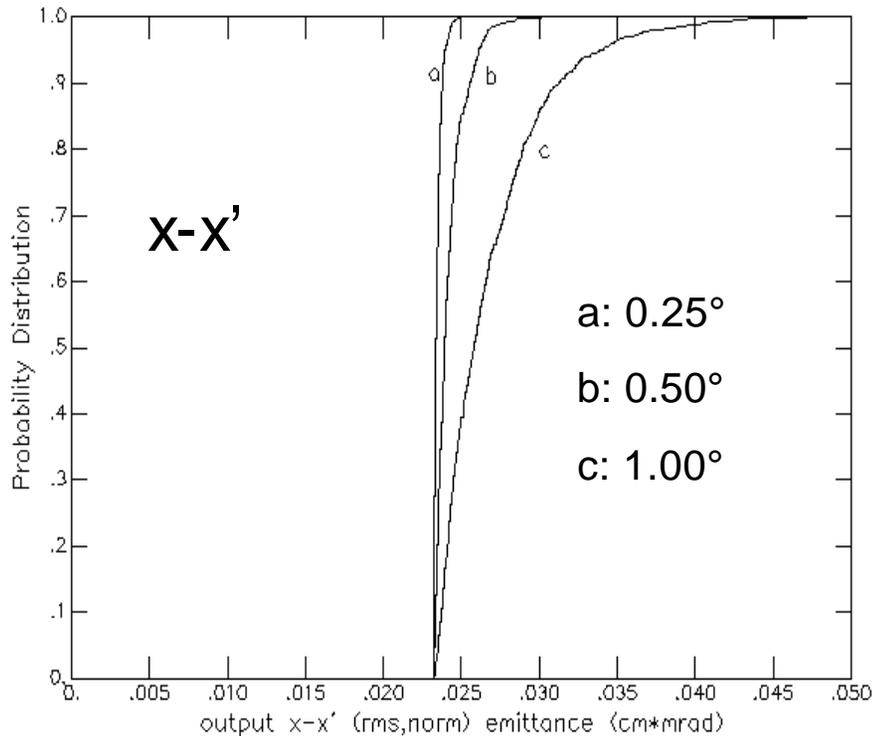
# Probability Curve Generated by LTRACE Program



- LTRACE program - an envelope code
- Follows the beam-envelope and beam-center through linac
- Each run uses random errors within tolerance limits (e.g.  $\pm 5$  mil, uniform distribution)
- Largest radial excursion ( $r_{\max}$ ) saved for each run
- 1000 values of  $r_{\max}$  sorted and plotted
- With 70% confidence level,  $r_{\max} < 0.52$  cm

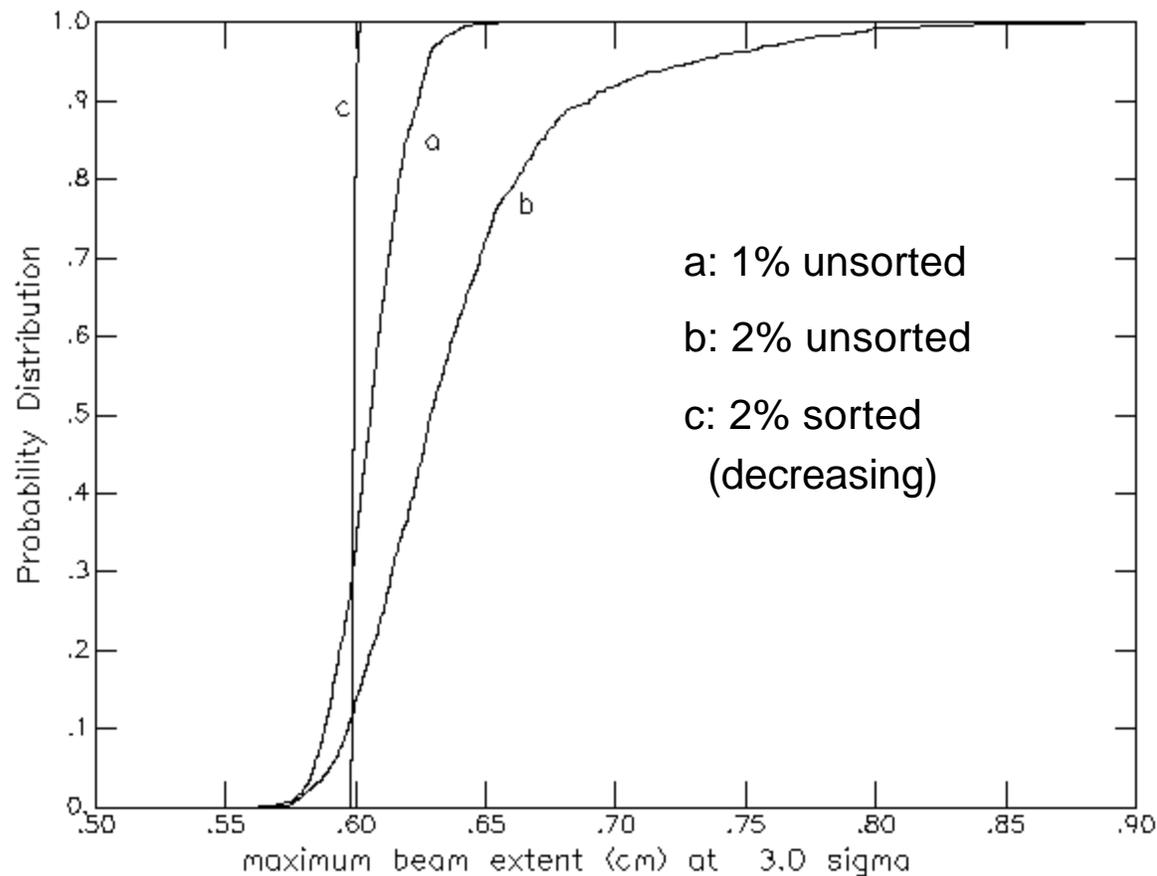


# Effect of PMQ Rotation on Transverse Emittance



- With 95% confidence, emittance will grow  $< 10\%$  with  $0.5^\circ$  error
- Low probability that emittance may double with  $1.0^\circ$  rotation error

# Effect Of Gradient Error on Maximum Beam Extent (3 Sigma)



- 2% sorted is as good as no gradient error

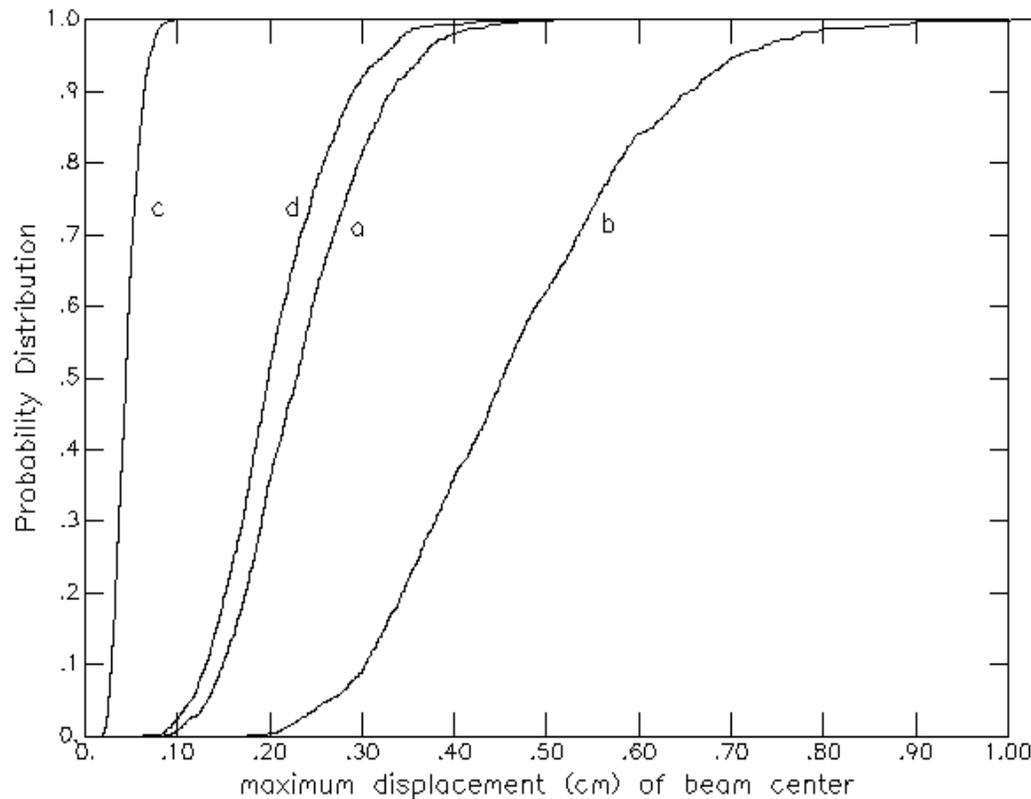


# CCL Alignment Errors Considered

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- Alignment errors cause the beam to be displaced from the linac axis.
- Can magnify effects of nonlinear fields:
  - multipoles
  - gap fields
- Alignment errors considered:
  - quad displacements,
  - quad tilts and
  - tank (segment) displacements (and tilts).
- Studied with LTRACE
- Correction (Steering algorithm) not yet implemented in PARMILA

# Maximum Beam-Center Displacement for Individual Alignment Errors



- a: Quad Displacement 0.005"
- b: Quad Displacement 0.010"
- c: Quad Tilt 5.0°  
(± 3.5 mm over 8 cm)
- d: Tank Displacement 0.100"

- Most important is Quad displacement error

# Relative Importance of Individual Alignment Errors -- Summary

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- The most important by far is the quad displacement error.
- Beam displacement is really insensitive to quad tilts (pitch and yaw) - tilt tolerances are about a factor of 20 higher than quad displacements'.
- Tolerances of 0.100" on independent random displacements of each end of a tank (segment) has slightly less effect than a 0.005" tolerance on quad displacements --segment misalignment is insensitive.

# Beam Position Monitors -- At What Locations?

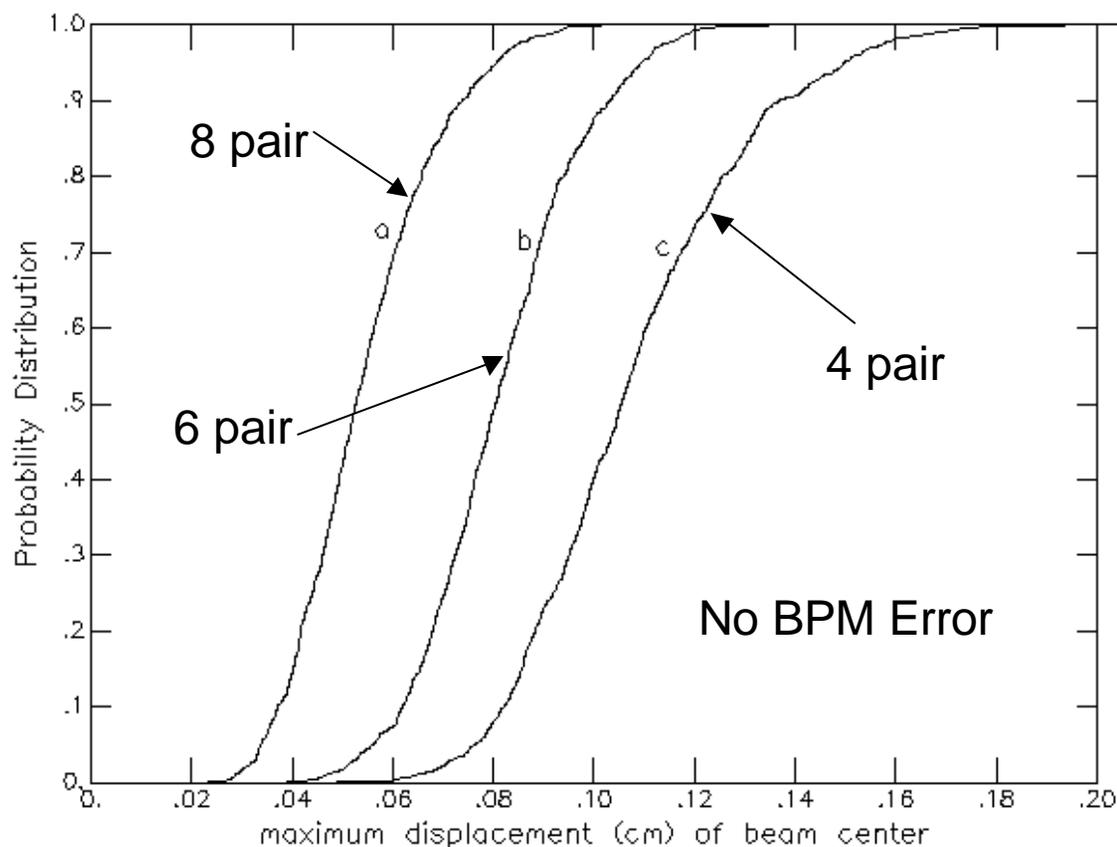


- Set of tolerances assumed :
  - Quad displacement =  $\pm 0.005''$
  - Quad Tilt =  $\pm 1^\circ$
  - Segment displacement =  $\pm 0.010''$
- 48 quads and 48 tanks in the CCL. **Consider 3 cases:**
  - a. BPM pairs at every 6 quads (8 BPM pairs) (e.g. 4 and 6; 10 and 12; etc)
  - b. BPM pairs at every 8 quads (6 BPM pairs)
  - c. BPM pairs at every 12 quads (4 BPM pairs)
- Efficient steering: Steer in x direction in x focusing quad; same for y
- Minimum required:  
4 dipoles - 2 horizontal and 2 vertical
- In All cases:  
4 dipoles in upstream quads nearest to BPMs (e.g. 1,2,3,4 for case “a”)

# Results of 3 Cases of Different BPM Numbers



SNS CCL, STD errors; BPMs (no errors) every (a) 6; (b) 8, (c) 12 quads

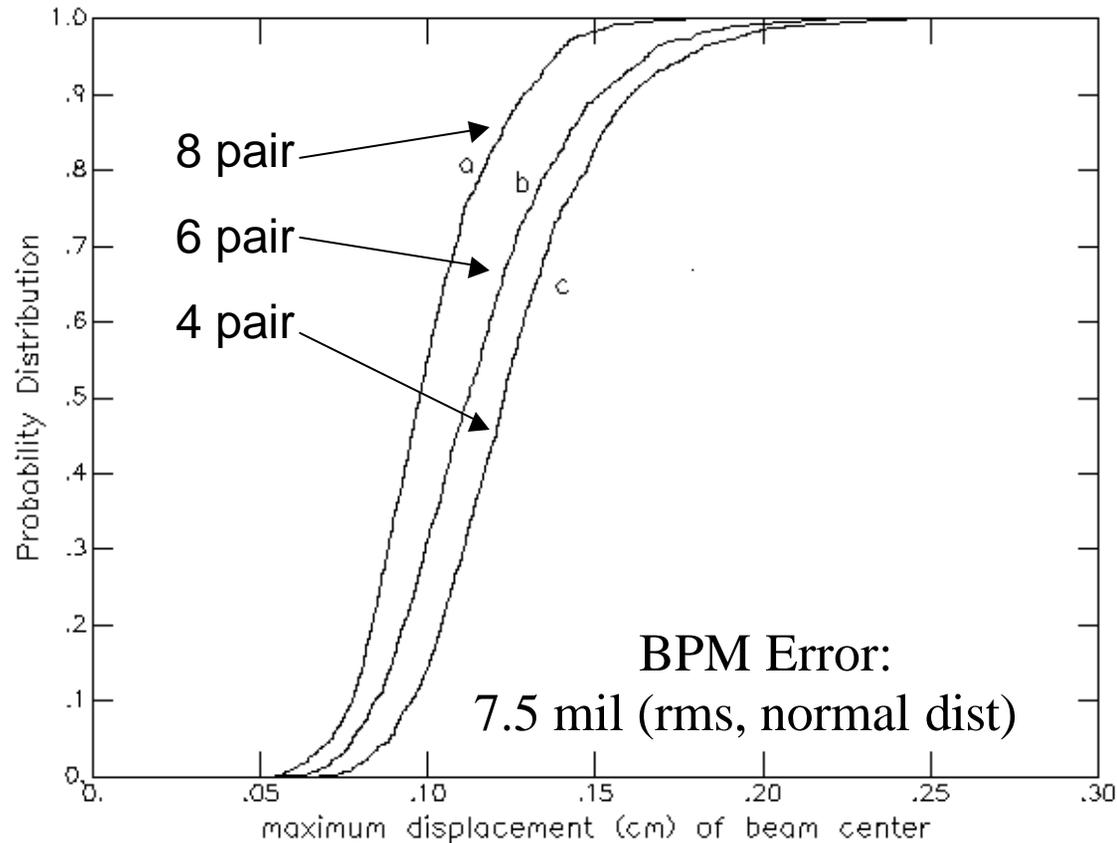


- More BPMs give smaller excursions

# Results of 3 Cases with BPM errors included



SNS CCL, STD errors; BPMs (with errors) every (a) 6; (b) 8, (c) 12 quads



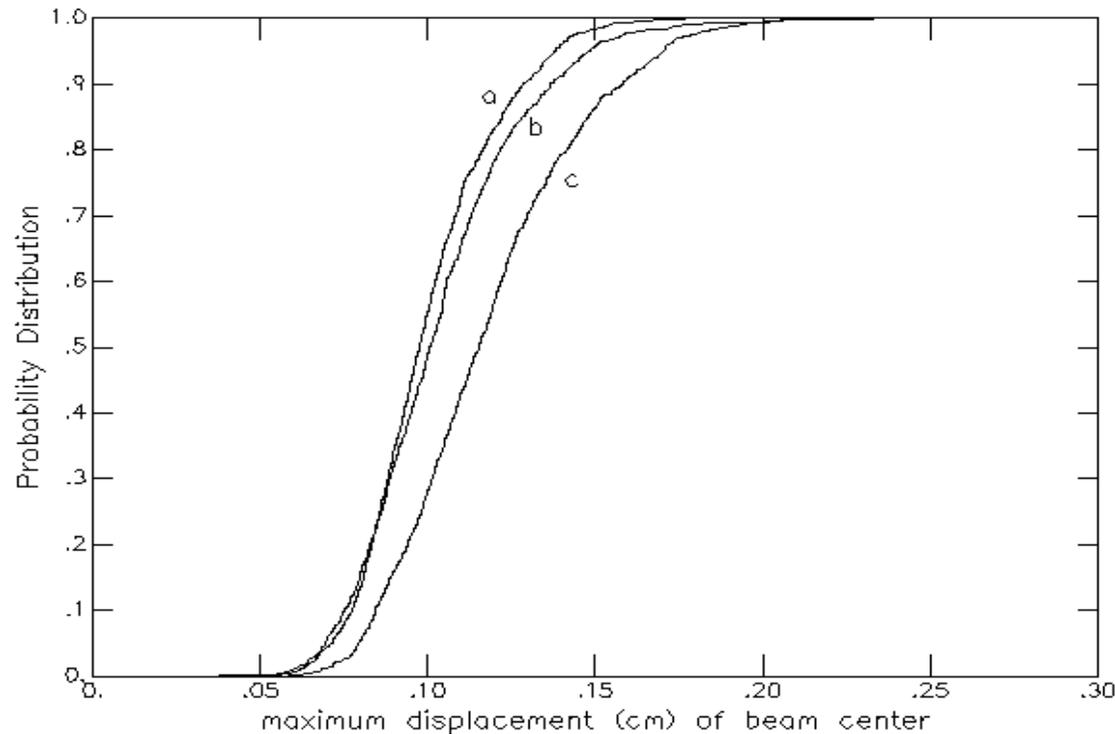
- With BPM errors, no pronounced dependence on the total number of BPMs

# How About Fewer BPMs?

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- Same Set of tolerances assumed
- **Consider 3 cases:** (All cases use 32 dipoles)
  - a. 1 BPM pair at every 6 quads (8 BPM pairs) (e.g. (4,6), (10,12), etc)  
4 steerers in upstream quads for each BPM pair (e.g. 1,2,3,4)  
Total of 32 dipoles, 16 BPMs
  - b. 1 BPM pair at every 12 quads (4 BPM pairs) (e.g. (10,12), (22,24), etc)  
8 steerers for each BPM pair (4 for each x,y direction)  
Total of 32 dipoles, 8 BPMs
  - c. 1 BPM pair at every 24 quads (2 BPM pairs) (e.g. (22,24),(46,48))  
16 steerers for each BPM pair (8 for each x,y direction)  
Total of 32 dipoles, 4 BPMs
- ‘a’ assumes conventional steering
- ‘b’ and ‘c’ uses “**Strength Minimization**” technique.
  - Minimizes “sum of the square” of the dipole-strengths.

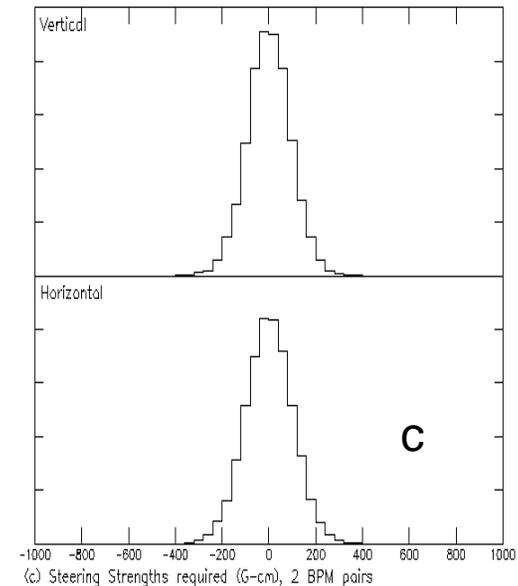
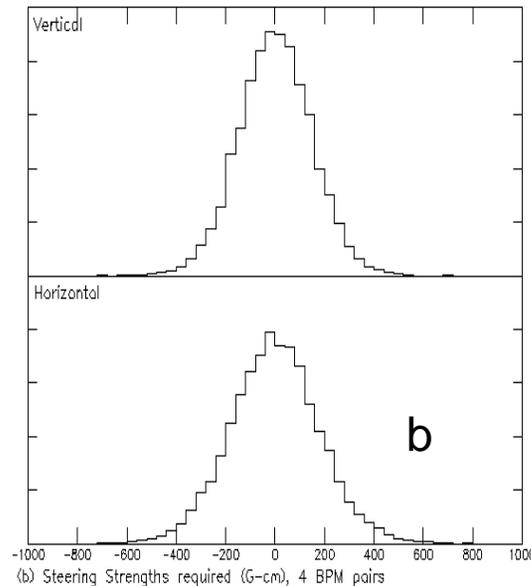
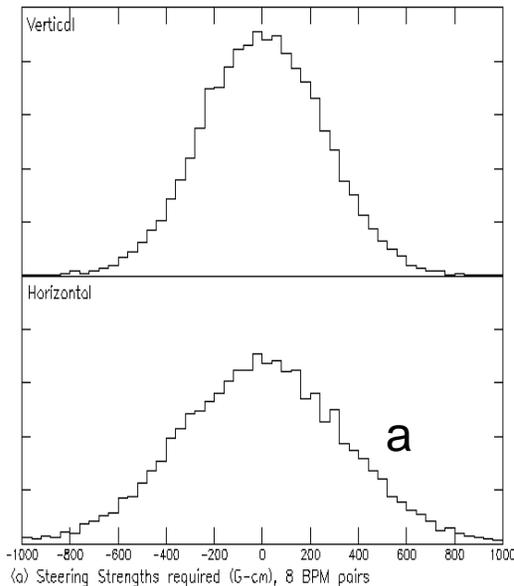
# Results of 3 Cases with different Number of Steerers and BPMs



- a. 8 BPM pairs (total)
- b. 4 BPM pairs (total)
- c. 2 BPM pairs (total)

- Essentially no difference between 'a' and 'b'
- “Strength minimization” technique reduces hardware counts for BPMs

# Steering Strength needed for Case 3 is Least



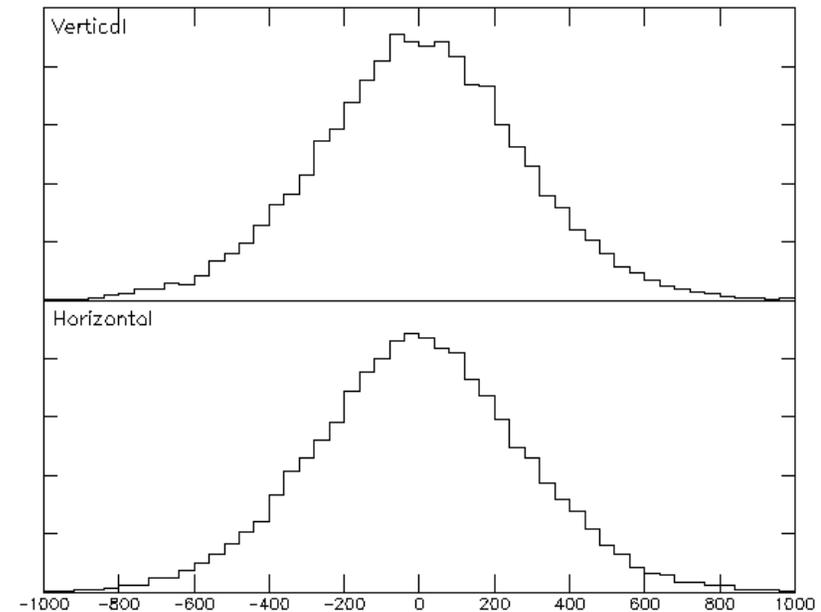
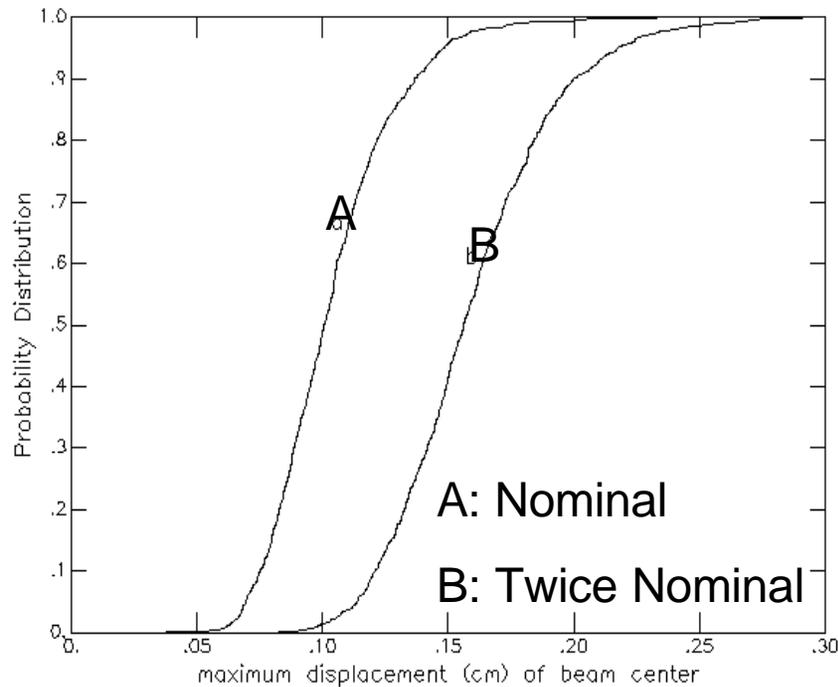
BPMs 16  
Dipoles 32

8  
32

4  
32

- 'Minimum Strength' technique (with fewer BPMs) greatly reduces dipole fields required
- Optimize -- Choose Case 'b' (4 BPM pairs, 8 dipoles for each BPM pair)

# Results for Case 'b' with two sets of Errors



- With twice the nominal error tolerances, beam center displacement nominally doubles
- Steering strengths needed are also higher

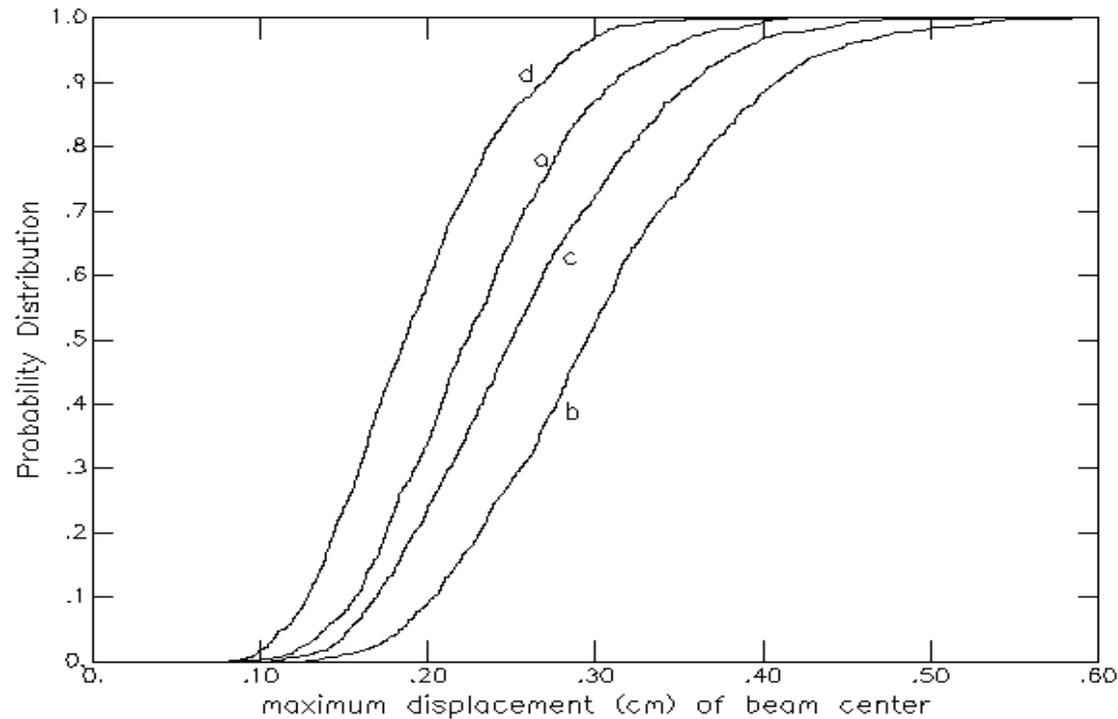
# SRF Linac Alignment Errors Considered

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- Alignment errors cause the beam to be displaced from the linac axis.
- Alignment errors considered:
  - quad doublet displacement,
  - quad doublet tilt
  - quad tilt
  - cavity displacement
- Studied with LTRACE
- Correction (Steering) not yet implemented in PARMILA

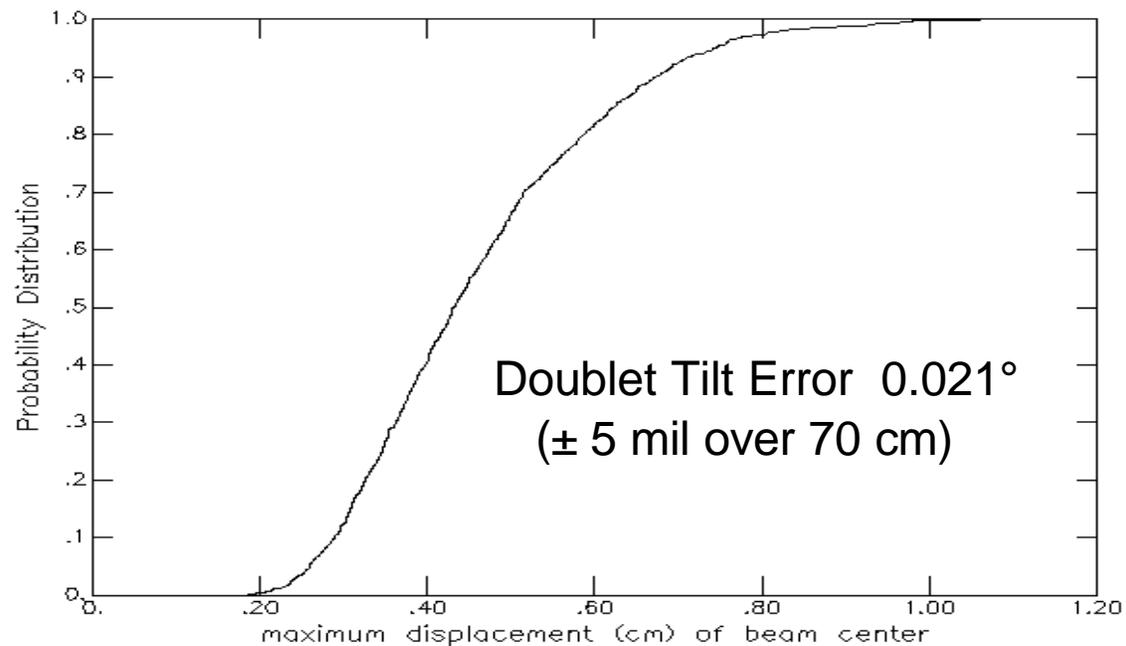
# Maximum Beam-Center Displacement for Individual Alignment Errors



a: Doublet Displacement 0.010"  
b: Doublet tilt 0.01°  
(± 2.5 mil over 70 cm)  
c: Quad Tilt (wrt doublet axis) 1.0°  
(± 3.5 mm over 40 cm)  
d: Cavity Displacement 0.050"

- Doublet tilt error is most important
- If we can achieve 'b' (too stringent), we can possibly get by without steering

# Result for Twice the Doublet-Tilt Error



- Doublet tilt error may be the main reason for steering being necessary.

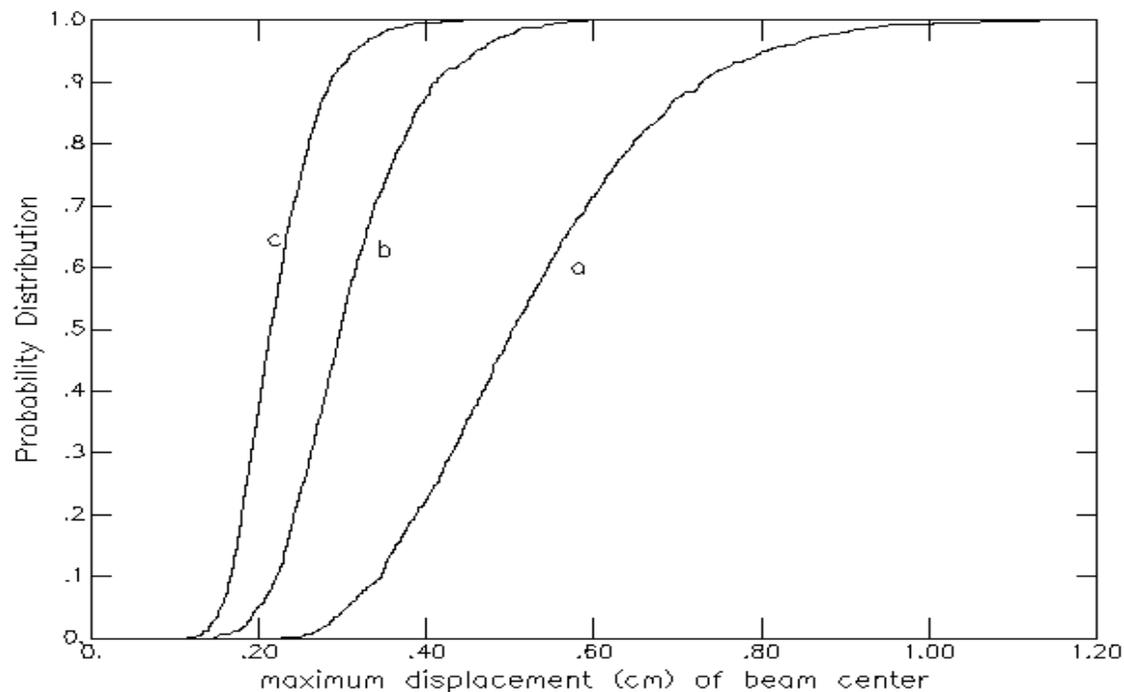


# Steerers and BPMs -- At What Locations?

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- Set of tolerances assumed:
  - Doublet displacement =  $\pm 0.010$ "
  - Quad displacement =  $\pm 0.005$ " (equivalent to  $0.021^\circ$  doublet tilt)
  - Quad tilt =  $\pm 0.5^\circ$
  - Cavity displacement =  $\pm 0.040$ "
  - BPM error = 0.5 mm (rms, normal)
- 32 quad doublets in the SRF linac. **Consider 3 cases:**
  - a. No steering
  - b. 4 pair of BPMs in 2nd of the doublet (i.e. {7,8}, {15,16}, {23,24}, {31,32})  
4 sets of steering (i.e. {6,7}, {14,15}, {22,23}, {30,31})
  - c. 4 pair of BPMs in 2nd of the doublet (i.e. {7,8}, {15,16}, {23,24}, {31,32})  
8 sets of steering (i.e. {2,3}, {6,7}, {10,11}, {14,15}, etc)  
Use "Minimum Steering" technique
- Dipole :
  - X Steering - 1st quad of the doublet
  - Y Steering - 2nd quad of the doublet

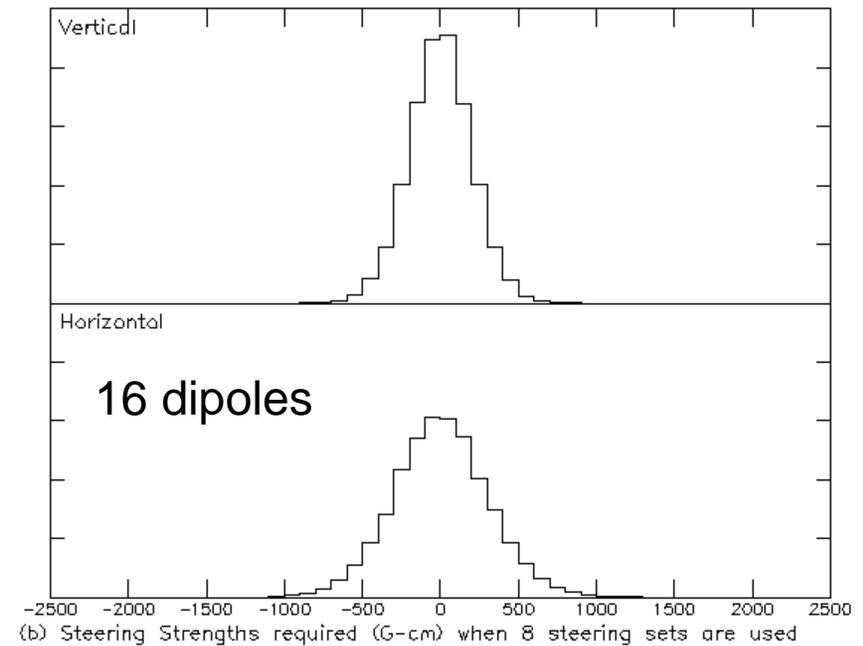
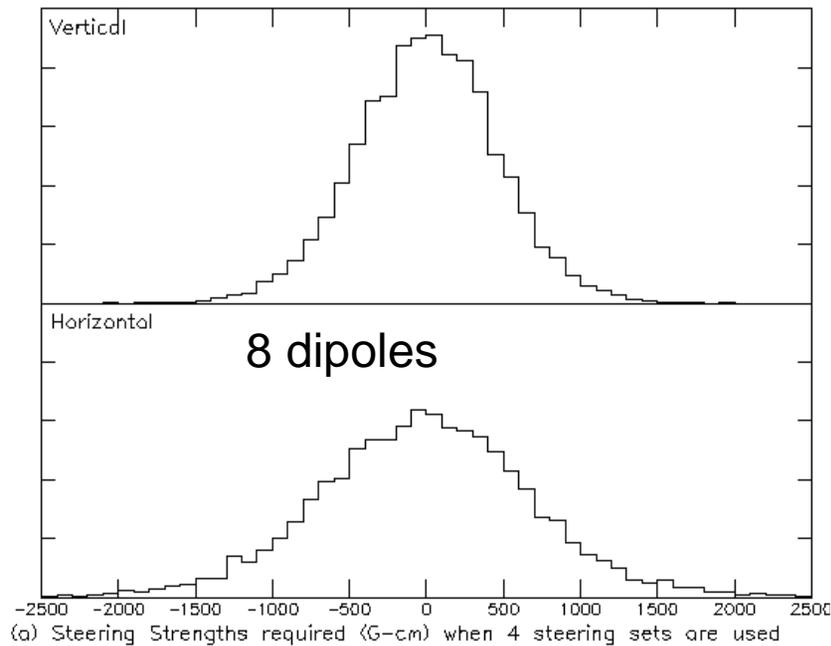
# Results of 3 Cases: Same BPMs but Different Number of Steerers



- a: No Steering
- b: 8 dipoles  
8 BPMs
- c: 16 dipoles  
8 BPMs  
(Min. Steering Method)

- With all other errors thrown in, 'a' is almost identical to the curve with only doublet tilt error, i.e., **Doublet tilt error dominates**

# Dipole Strengths are Least for 'c'



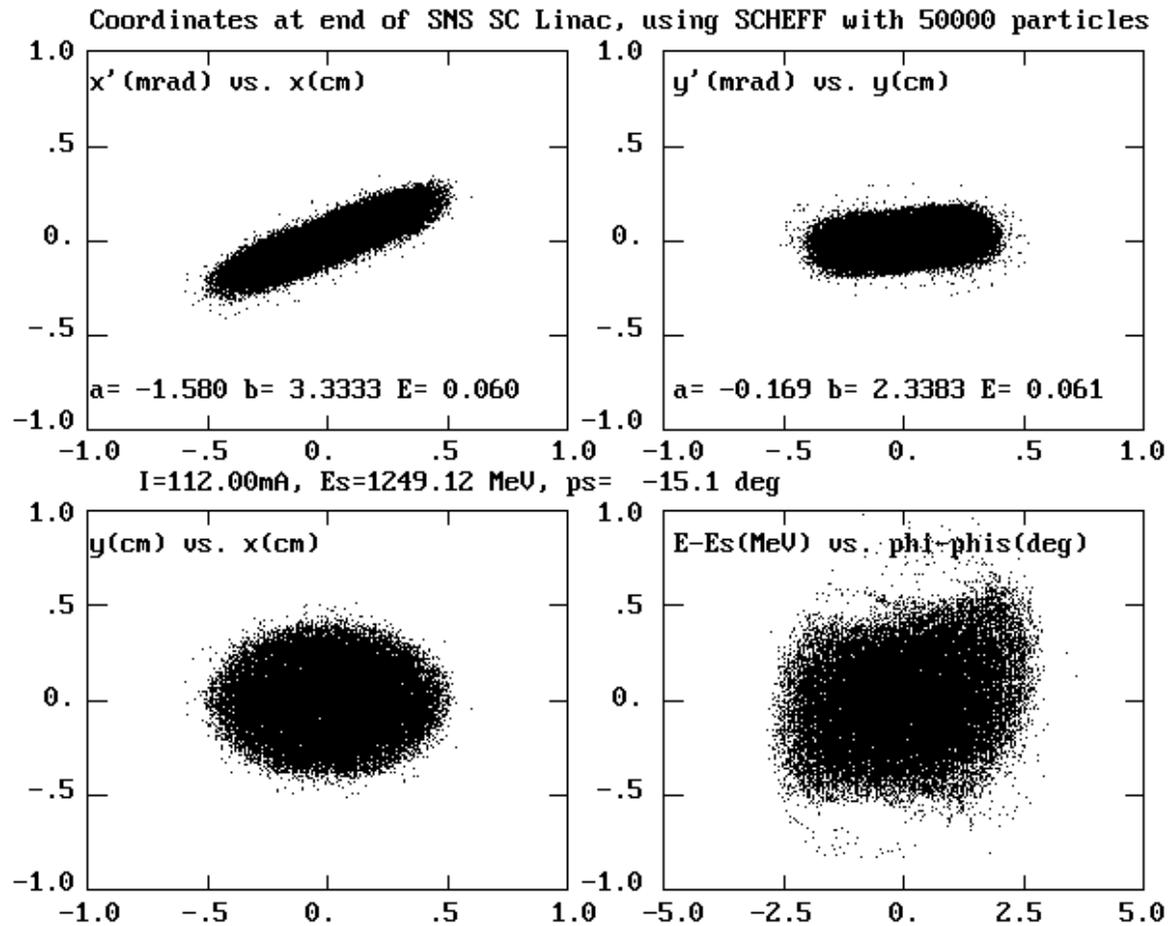
- 'Minimum Strength' method minimizes required dipole fields

# Space Charge Codes

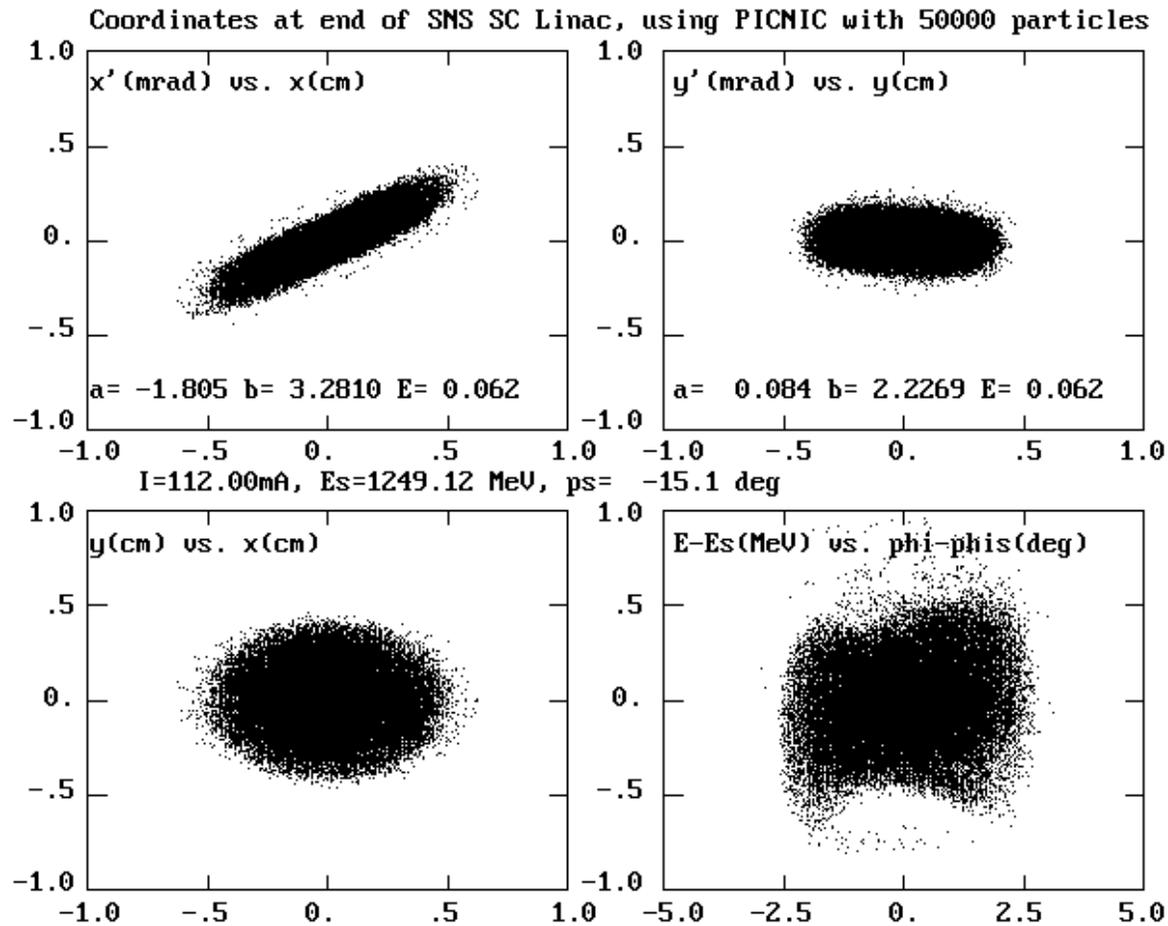
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- SCHEFF (Space CHarge EFFect):
  - a 2D (r-z), particle-in-cell (PIC) code,
  - widely used (since '67) in almost all linac beam-dynamics codes.
- PICNIC (Particle In Cell Numerical Integration between Cube):
  - a full 3D (x,y,z), particle-in-cell (PIC) code,
  - recently ('98) introduced, being used in linac beam-dynamics codes.
- IMPACT (Integrated Map Particle ACcelerator Tracking):
  - recently introduced ('98), an *integrated* “parallel mode implementation” of particle-in-cell (PIC) code for linear accelerators,
  - space-charge calculation done using a 3D (x,y,z) “Poisson solver” with 6 types of boundary conditions.

# Phase Space at the end of SRF Linac Using SCHEFF



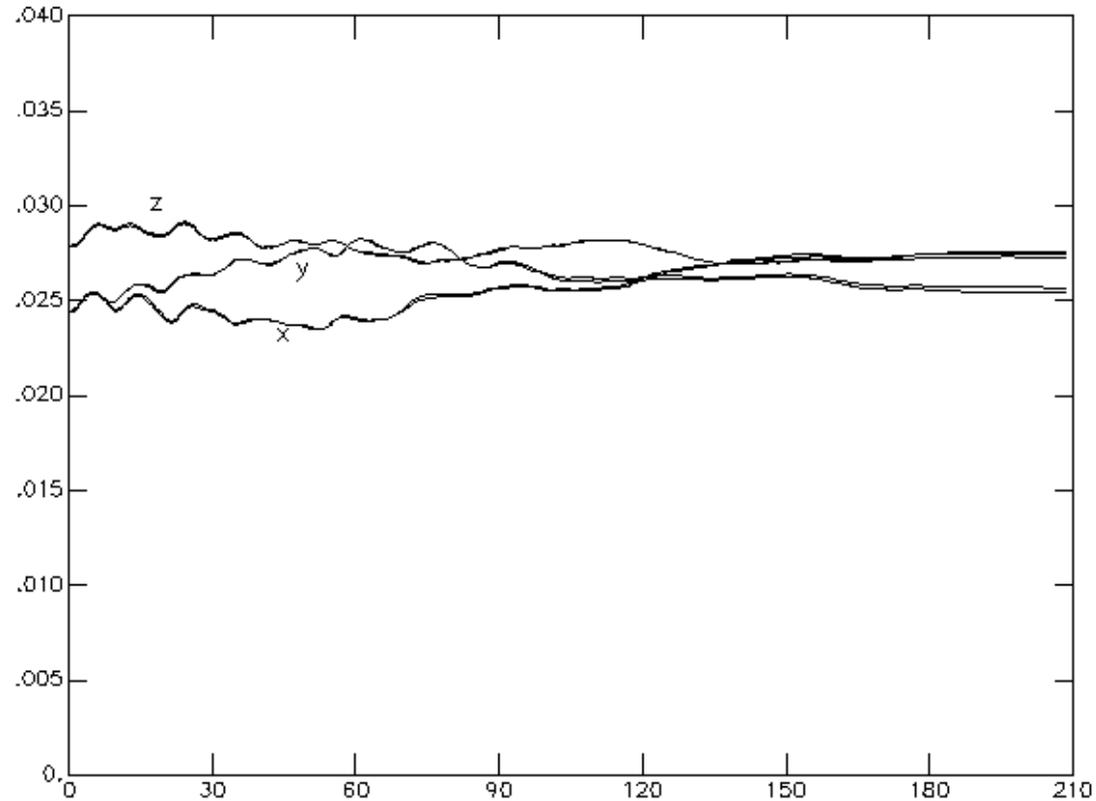
# Phase Space at the end of SRF Linac Using PICNIC



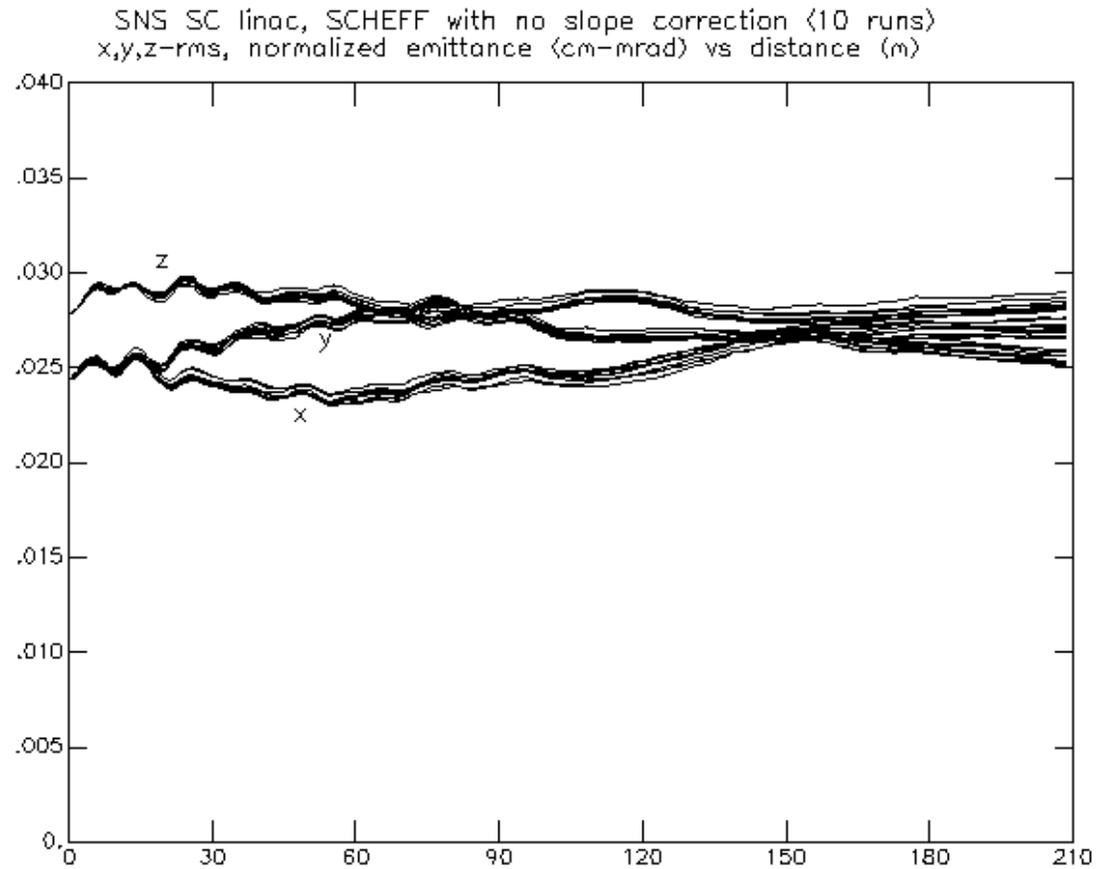
# Emittance Profile through SRF Linac Using PICNIC



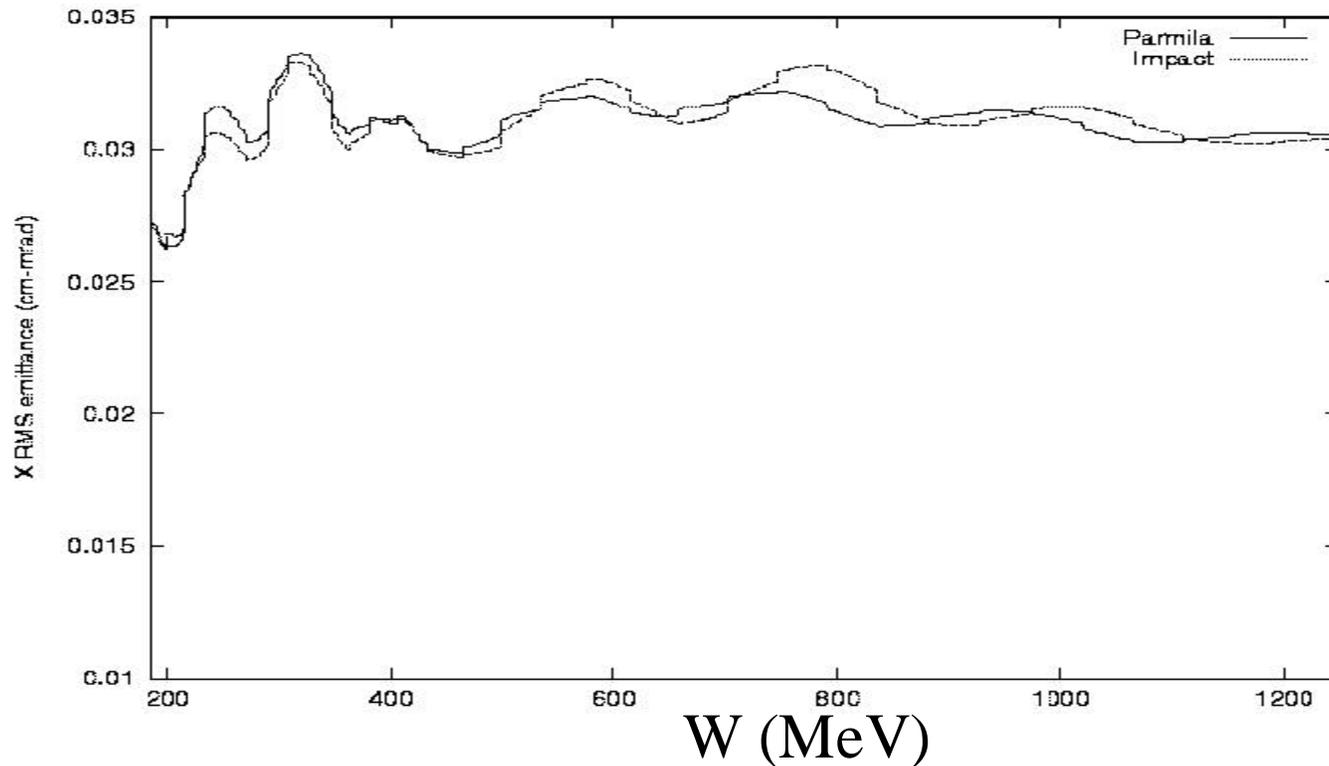
SNS SC linac, PICNIC, 50000 particles, Uniform distribution (2 runs)  
x,y,z-rms, normalized emittance (cm-mrad) vs distance (m)



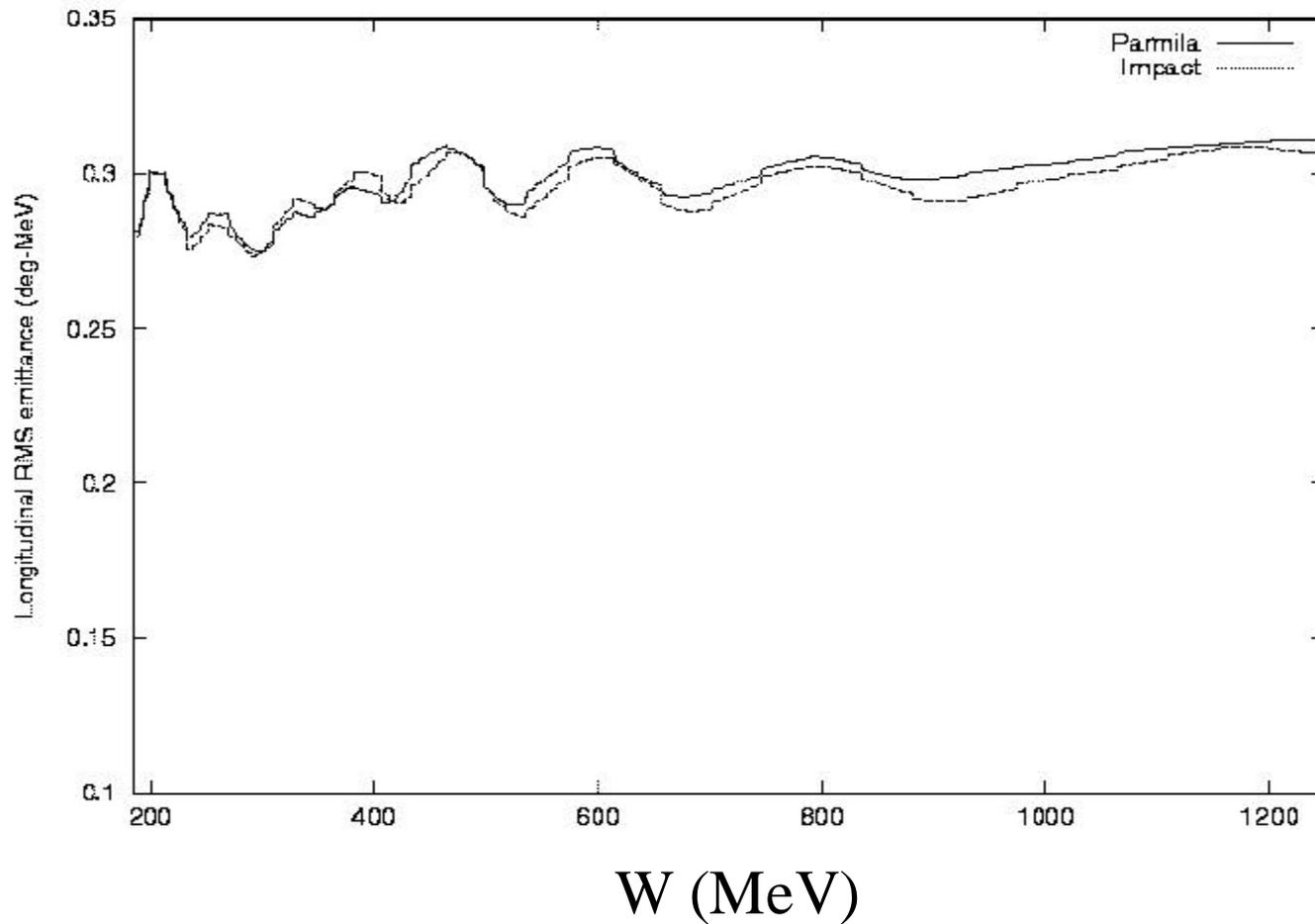
# Emittance Profile through the SRF Linac Using SCHEFF



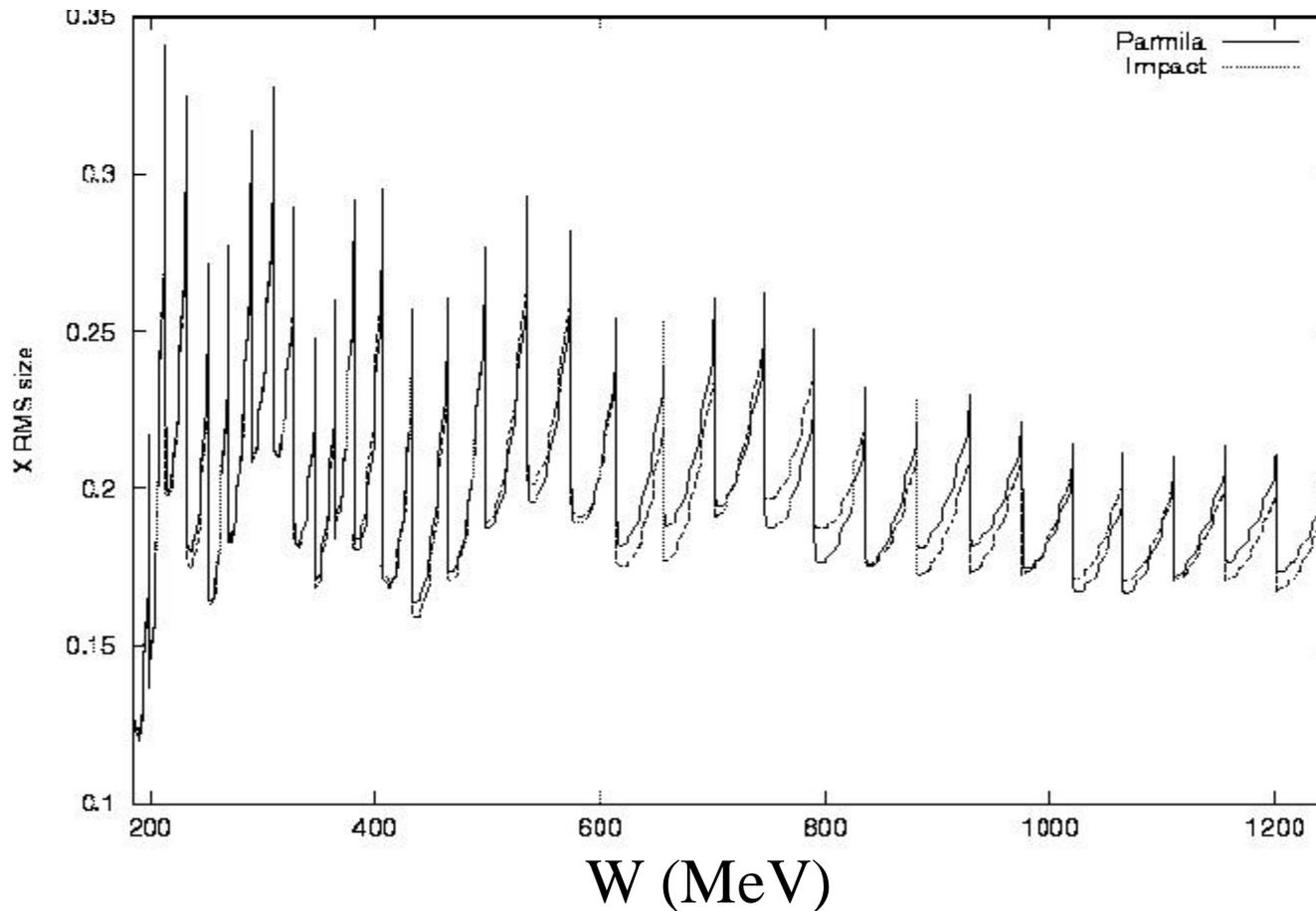
# Emittance Profile in SRF Linac Using PARMILA (with SCHEFF) and IMPACT



# Longitudinal RMS Emittance Profile in the SRF Linac Using PARMILA and IMPACT



# RMS Beam-Size in the SRF Linac Using PARMILA (with SCHEFF) and IMPACT



# Summary of Space-Charge Calculation Comparison

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- RMS emittances calculated with same beam dynamics code (LINAC) using 2D (SCHEFF) and full 3D (PICNIC) agree remarkably well.
- The same is true for Phase-space and Real-space (x-y) particle distributions .
- RMS emittances and beam-sizes calculated with PARMILA and SCHEFF, and IMPACT track each other very closely.
- SCHEFF is fast compared to full 3D codes.
- Details of halo comparison are continuing

# Summary

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- Total PMQ rotation error should be less than 0.5 degree
- 2% gradient error, when PMQs are sorted is equivalent to no error.
- In CCL, most important error is Quad displacement.
- “Minimum Steering” method requires fewer BPMs.
- Doublet tilt is dominant error in the SRF linac.
- SCHEFF is in remarkably good agreement with 3D codes at RMS level; it’s fast, thus well suited for studies of RMS behavior of the beam.

# Appendix

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Following pages contain description of the key features of the space charge codes referred to in the presentation.

# SCHEFF

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- The SCHEFF subroutine is widely used for applying space-charge impulses in many beam-dynamics codes.
- It is a particle-in-cell (PIC) code that calculates the electric field components,  $E_r$  and  $E_z$ , on a two-dimensional (2D) r-z grid, and interpolates these field components to get the force on each particle.
- For purposes of calculating the space-charge fields, each particle is considered to be a ring of charge. The elliptical cross section on the x-y plane is taken into account when calculating effective the radius of the rings of charge.

(Ref: K. Crandall, 1967, Private Communication)

# SCHEFF (Continued)

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- The amount of charge in each rectangular box of the grid is then determined. Using pre-calculated tables,  $E_r$  and  $E_z$  are calculated at every node in the vicinity of the beam.
- The ellipticity of the beam cross section is taken into account when applying to each particle the impulse due to  $E_r$ . The  $x'$ ,  $y'$  and longitudinal energy of each particle is changed by applying the  $E_r$  and  $E_z$  for a given time or distance interval.
- Relativistic corrections are made for transforming the beam coordinates from the lab frame to the beam frame and back again.

# PICNIC

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- The PICNIC (Particle In Cell Numerical Integration between Cube) is a full 3D code.
- As in SCEFFF, it applies the space charge impulses to a beam at a given z or time.
- Particles in each cube formed by the 3D grid are counted.
- The field is calculated at each node of the grid as the sum of the contributions from all the grid-cubes, each of which is assumed to be uniformly populated.
- The field at the position of the particle is interpolated from the neighboring nodes, allowing a calculation of space-charge impulse.

(Ref: N.Pichoff, S. Nath, J.-M. Lagniel, LINAC 98 Proc., 141-143)

# PICNIC (Continued)

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- The field acting on particles outside the mesh is the one of a Gaussian beam with the same RMS dimensions as the real beam.
- Relativistic corrections are made by transforming the beam-coordinates from the lab frame to the beam frame and back again.
- The mesh size is adjusted to  $\pm 3.5$  times the RMS beam-size in all directions.

# IMPACT Code with 3D Space Charge Routine



- IMPACT is a “parallel mode implementation” of particle-in-cell (PIC) code for linear accelerator.
- Use of canonical variables (  $x$ ,  $p_x$ ,  $y$ ,  $p_y$ ,  $t$ ,  $p_t$  );  $t$  is the tof wrt the reference particle.
- Beamline elements (drift, quads, rf gaps) treated as “transfer matrices”.
- Transfer matrix for an rf gap is found by integrating the equations of motion for the “real map” of the rf gap fields.
- A space-charge calculation using a 3D (x,y,z) “Poisson solver” with 6 types of boundary conditions.
- Electrostatic fields are calculated in bunch frame and Lorentz transformed back to the lab frame.

(Ref: J. Xiang et al, Jnl. Comp. Phys., 163, p1-18, 2000)