## Low energy electron beam as a nondestructive diagnostic tool for high power beams.

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# Electron beam probe for RF linacs.

- Beam structure monitoring.
- Wake-fields monitoring.
- Monitoring of the bunch tilt.
- Bunch-to-bunch position monitoring.







#### **Electron Beam Probe**

- basic idea
- scheme
- EBP at VEPP-5 injector linac

EBP is routinely used for tuning the beam at the VEPP-5 injector linac

longitudinal distribution of beam density, transverse position of its center of mass, even wake fields observation, single and multibunch regime

#### Single bunch regime





**Offset parameter goes down->** 



## Examples of signals from EBP



**Collision with intense bunch** 



Single bunch regime: offset parameter goes down ->

mm mm mm

Multi bunch regime: offset parameter goes down ->

## Pictures with wakes



Collision with single bunch

Wakes start to appear









 $W_{pb} = 36 keV$ 

#### E wake = 0.05\*E bunch, E bunch = 50 kV/cm.





## Electron beam probe for circular collider.

- Bunch length measurement.
- Bunch position monitor.
- Measurement of bunch tilt.

# Scheme of VEPP-4 electron beam probe.



## **Interaction region**

Gun

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## Lenses

## Scanning system

Screen

## Simulation for VEPP-4

Longitudinal bunch sigma - 4 cm, transverse bunch sigma - 0.001см.



### $Ne=7,6\cdot10^9$ $Ne=14,2\cdot10^9$ $Ne=22,8\cdot10^9$

Screen size 2x2 cm.

## Simulation results



## Experimental results from VEPP-4

Image on the screen			
Number of e- in the bunch	7,6.10 <sup>9</sup>	14,2·10 <sup>9</sup>	22,8·10 <sup>9</sup>
Vertical size of the loop	0.5 см	0.8 см	1.0 см
Bunch current duration	87.5 ps	110 ps	130 ps
Bunch length	2.6 см	3.3 см	3.9 см

**Electron Beam Probe** for nondestructive diagnostics of the ILC bunch tilt for better control of the **ILC beam emittance** 

#### Comparisons with simulations help to understand EBP signal



 $\sigma_l = 6mm$   $\sigma_r = 0.1mm$   $N_e = 3.0 \cdot 10^9$   $W_{pb} = 50keV$ 

### Tilt in the ILC beam



### will result in asymmetry which is easy to measure or to minimize





#### EBP simulation assumptions for ILC

Pulsed current density in 200 kV electron gun is about 20 A/cm^2.

Collimating diaphragm diameter of 0.1 mm => about 2 mA of probe beam current.

It gives for 0.1 mm ILC bunch length (0.5 ps at v=0.7c) 6000 electrons in the close vicinity of ILC bunch.

These electrons will form the image (MCP operates in the single electron regime).



The probe beam envelope from the gun exit to the screen (horizontal axis (cm)), interaction point is placed 2 cm before the screen. The vertical axis gives the RMS transverse probe beam size in cm (probe beam is round).

#### EBP for ILC bunch tilt control



The intensity asymmetry between upper left and down left branches of the loops reflects the displacement of the bunch tail.

#### Asymmetry in the right branches reflects the bunch head displacement. The right down branch is more intense - it means the bunch head displaced up.

ILC bunch parameters:  $\sigma_z = 0.1 \text{ mm}$ ,  $\sigma_y = 1 \mu \text{m}$ ,  $\sigma_x = 20 \mu \text{m}$ ,  $N = 0.7*10^{10}$ EBP: 200 keV, pulsed, beam current 2 mA, diameter at the gun exit is 0.1 mm, probe beam diameter in the interaction region is about 0.05 mm. Each dot

on the screen, which paced 2 cm after the interaction point, corresponds to single electron (about 6000 electrons in the vicinity of ILC bunch).

#### EBP for ILC bunch tilt control

This mode of operation was successfully tested at S-band linac of VEPP-5 injector complex for the bunch length of 4 mm and 0.5mm transverse size



Simulation for typical ILC bunch parameters

Screen images for increasing amplitude of the bunch tilt  $\delta y$ . the bunch head is  $\delta y$  up at  $+\sigma_z$  and the tail is  $\delta y$  down at  $-\sigma_z$ 

#### The asymmetry monotonically increase with increase of beam tilt

ILC bunch parameters:  $\sigma_z = 0.1 \text{ mm}$ ,  $\sigma_x = \sigma_y = 10 \text{ }\mu\text{m}$ , N = 0.7\*10<sup>10</sup>

EBP: 200 keV, pulsed 2 mA, probe beam diameter in the interaction region is about 0.05 mm. About 6000 electrons in the vicinity of ILC bunch.

#### EBP for ILC bunch tilt control



The image asymmetry dependence on the bunch tilting amplitude The error bars show the statistical error 1/sqrt(Nparticles), Nparticles=5000

Measure of asymmetry:  $\Delta 1 = (N4-N1)/(N4+N1)$  $\Delta 2 = (N2-N3)/(N2+N3)$ 

#### In this example, the ILC single bunch tilting amplitude (or banana amplitude) can be measured starting from ~ 1 micron

ILC bunch parameters:  $\sigma_z = 0.1 \text{ mm}$ ,  $\sigma_x = \sigma_y = 10 \text{ }\mu\text{m}$ , N = 0.7\*10<sup>10</sup>

EBP: 200 keV, pulsed 2 mA, probe beam diameter in the interaction region is about 0.05 mm. About 6000 electrons in the vicinity of ILC bunch.

## Conclusion

The EBP based bunch tilt monitor appears to be a useful tool for ILC emittance control

Suggestions: more simulation study experimental test, e.g. at ATF Electron beam probe as a profile monitor for intense proton beam.

- Beam profile scanning in 10 ns.
- Non destructing control during normal operation.
- Profile control on few different turns.

## Layout of the proposed EBP for SNS accumulator ring







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Probe beam: Energy=75keV, Scan.-parallel, 3rd ,4th quads off Proton beam: Energy=1GeV Np=2\*10<sup>13</sup> Transverse size r=1.5cm Round uniform

transverse distribution

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Probe beam: Energy=75keV, Scan.-parallel, 3rd ,4th quads off Proton beam: Energy=1GeV Np=5\*10<sup>13</sup> Transverse size r=1.5cm Round uniform transverse distribution

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Simulator beam

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Probe beam: Energy=75keV, Scan.-parallel, 3rd ,4th quads off Proton beam: Energy=1GeV Np=1\*10<sup>14</sup> Transverse size r=1.5cm Round uniform transverse distribution

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## Proton beam profile reconstruction

![](_page_33_Figure_1.jpeg)

Probe beam: Energy=75keV, Scan.-parallel, 3rd ,4th quads off Proton beam: Energy=1GeV Np=1\*10<sup>13</sup> Transverse size r=1.5cm Round uniform transverse charge distribution

Blue line – integrated beam profile under the test,

Magenta + square - reconstructed profile