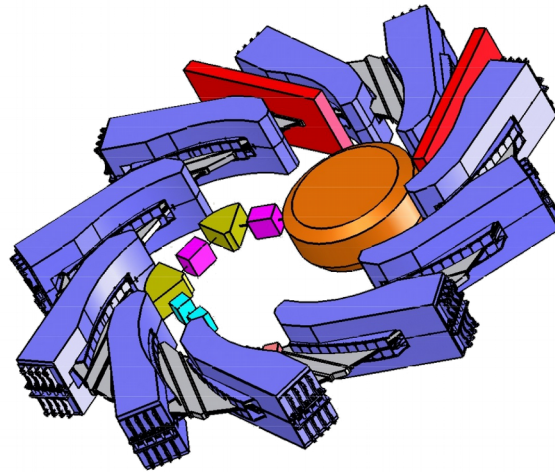


# Space Charge Modelling in OPAL for FFAGs



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# FFAG Rings

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- Fixed field alternating gradient (FFAG) rings invented more than 50 years ago
  - Special combined function magnets
  - Constant tune with energy
- Recently redeveloped in Japan and elsewhere for proton beam acceleration
- Seek now to develop FFAG for proton driver
  - Need to demonstrate operation in the presence of space charge
  - Need theoretical tools to support that operation



# OPAL and FFAGs

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- In 2013, S-Code (Machida) was the only code that could track FFAGs and model space charge effects
- OPAL-CYCL code developed originally for simulation of cyclotrons
  - Benchmarked against e.g. PSI cyclotron
- Leverage similarities of cyclotrons and FFAGs
  - Use OPAL-CYCL space-charge solving together with new FFAG field map routines
- Focus of the effort has been on the routines for FFAG magnets, rather than space charge solver itself



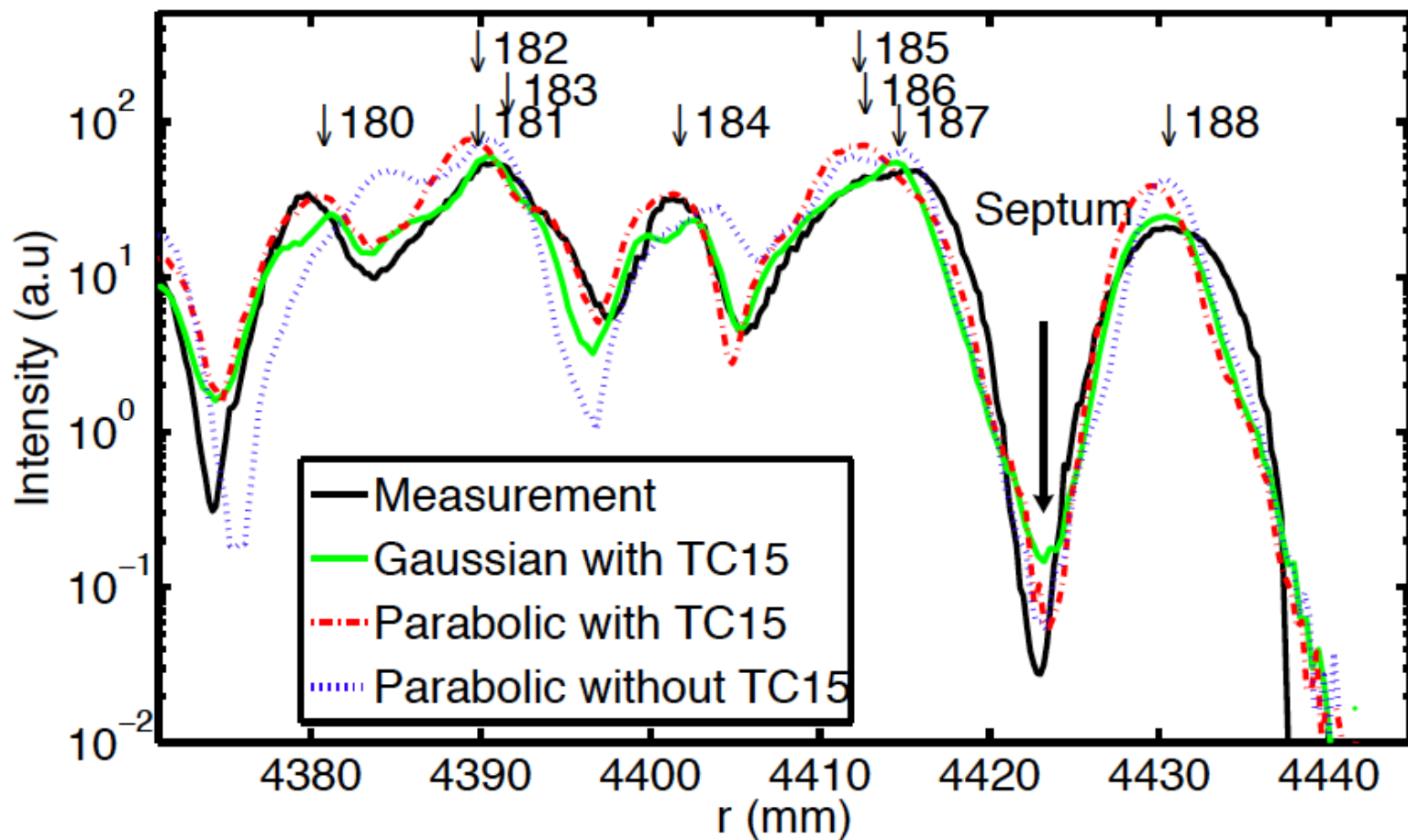
# A Little Bit of History...

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- OPAL originated from MAD9p
  - MAD9 (CERN)
  - Pooma (LANL)
- MAD9 & Pooma died
  - Andreas Adelmann refactored, improved and started OPAL
- Changed integration variable from  $s$  to  $t$ 
  - OPAL-T
- Cyclotron tracking – OPAL-CYCL
  - J.Y. Yang
- Envelope propagation – OPAL-ENVELOPE
- D. Winklehner (MIT/PSI) generalised OPAL-CYCL in 2014
- FFAG capabilities added 2014-2017



# PSI 590 MeV Ring - last 8 turns @ 2.2 mA



[Y. Bi, A. Adelmann, et al., PR-STAB **14**(5) (2011)]



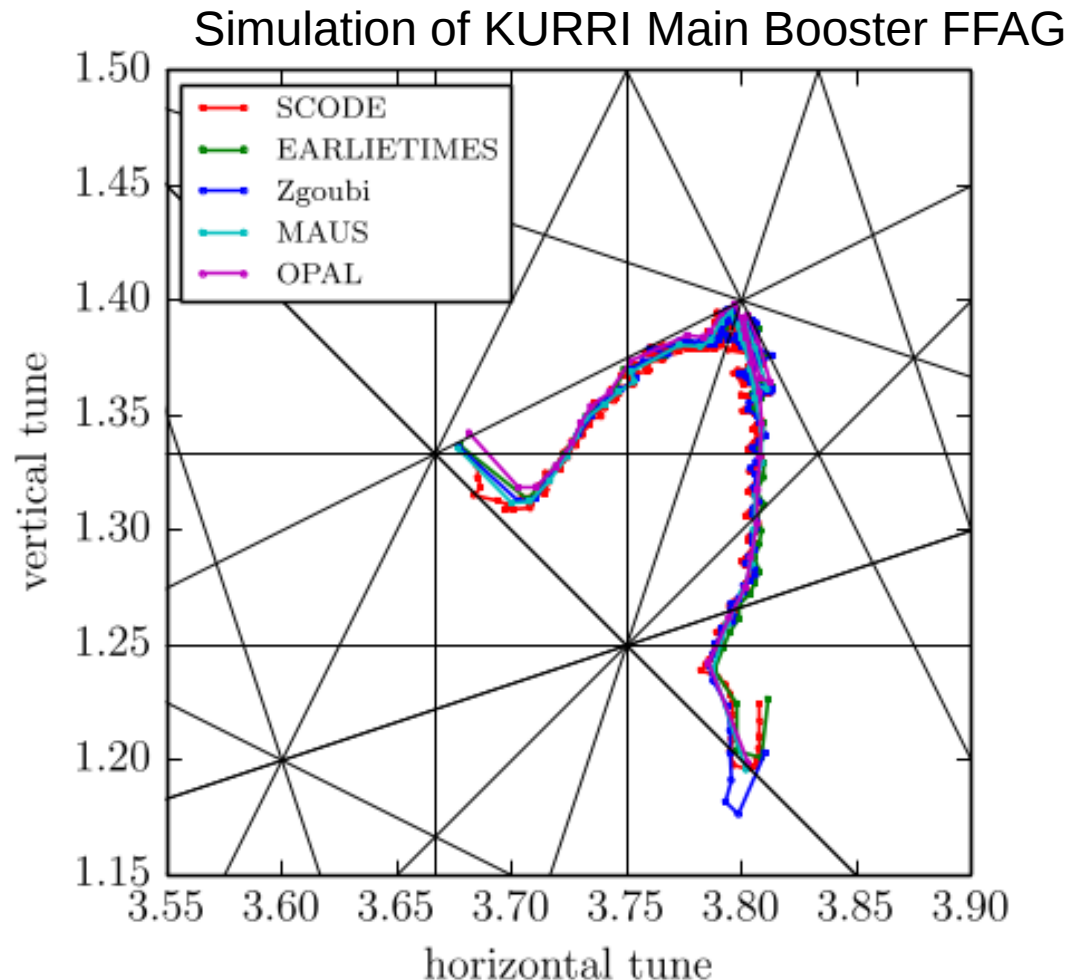
# FFAG Modelling

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- Various iterations of FFAG modelling implemented
  - Full 3D field map for the ring and fixed-frequency RF (S. Sheehy et alia, 2013)
  - Individual 3D field map for each cell/ring element (C. Rogers, 2014)
  - Variable frequency RF and improved placement routines (C. Rogers, 2015)
  - Analytical model for FFAG fields (C. Rogers, 2017)
- Working on multipole-based storage rings (T. Dascalu, 2017)

# Validation of single particle tracking

- 3D field map routines with field maps for each ring element
- Generate field maps using OPERA3D
- Arbitrary order interpolation and smoothing





# Generalised field map

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- For optics/design work, implemented analytical field map
  - Follow scaling law in the midplane
  - Arbitrary end-field shape (E.g. enge, tanh function, etc)



# Derivation of field expansion (1)

- Consider a midplane field of the form

$$B_r(r, \phi, z = 0) = 0$$

$$B_\phi(r, \phi, z = 0) = 0$$

$$B_z(r, \phi, z = 0) = f_0(\psi)h(r)$$

- With

$$\psi = \phi - g(r),$$

$$g = \tan(\delta) \ln(r/r_0),$$

$$h(r) = B_0 \left( \frac{r}{r_0} \right)^k$$



## Derivation of field expansion (2)

- Assume there exists a solution as a power law expansion in vertical axis ( $z$ )

$$B_z = \sum_{n=0} f_{2n}(\psi) h(r) \left(\frac{z}{r}\right)^{2n}$$

$$B_\phi = \sum_{n=0} f_{2n+1}(\psi) h(r) \left(\frac{z}{r}\right)^{2n+1}$$

- Use Maxwell  $\nabla \times \vec{B} = 0$
- $\mathbf{z}$  direction gives

$$f_{2n+1} = \frac{\partial_\psi f_{2n}}{2n+1}.$$

- $\Phi$  direction gives

$$B_r = \sum_{n=0} \left[ \frac{k-2n}{2n+1} f_{2n} - \tan(\delta) f_{2n+1} \right] h(r) \left(\frac{z}{r}\right)^{2n+1}$$



## Derivation of field expansion (3)

- Use Maxwell  $\nabla \vec{B} = 0$

$$f_{2n+2} = \frac{\frac{(z-2n)^2}{2n+1} f_{2n} - 2(k-2n)\tan(\delta) f_{2n+1} + (1 + \tan^2(\delta)) \partial_\psi f_{2n+1}}{(2n+2)}.$$

- Assume  $f_n$  has a form like

$$f_n = \sum_{i=0} a_{i,n} \partial_\psi^i f_0$$

- Then we get recursion relations for odd and even  $n$  like

$$a_{i,2n+1} = \frac{a_{i-1,2n}}{2n+1}.$$

$$a_{i,2n+2} = \frac{1}{2n+2} \left[ a_{i,2n+1} 2(k-2n) \tan(\delta) - \frac{(k-2n)^2}{2n+1} a_{i,2n} - (1 + \tan^2(\delta)) a_{i-1,2n+1} \right].$$



# Implementation

- We have a set of recursion relations for off-midplane fields that only depend on  $f_0$  and its derivatives
- Use any function for  $f_0$  that has continuous derivatives
  - Use C++ inheritance (function pointers) to determine at run time which fringe field to use
  - End field “plug in”
- Implemented Enge
  - Good for fitting an existing field map
  - Easy to do horrible things with poor choice of parameters
  - Recursion relation for arbitrary derivative

$$f_0(\psi) = E \left( \frac{\psi - \psi_0}{\lambda} \right) + E \left( \frac{-\psi - \psi_0}{\lambda} \right) - 1$$

$$E(s) = \frac{B_0}{R_0^n} \frac{1}{1 + \exp(C_1 + C_2 s + C_3 s^2 + \dots)}$$



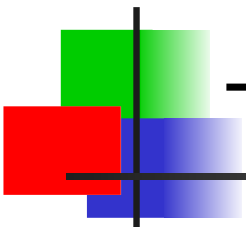


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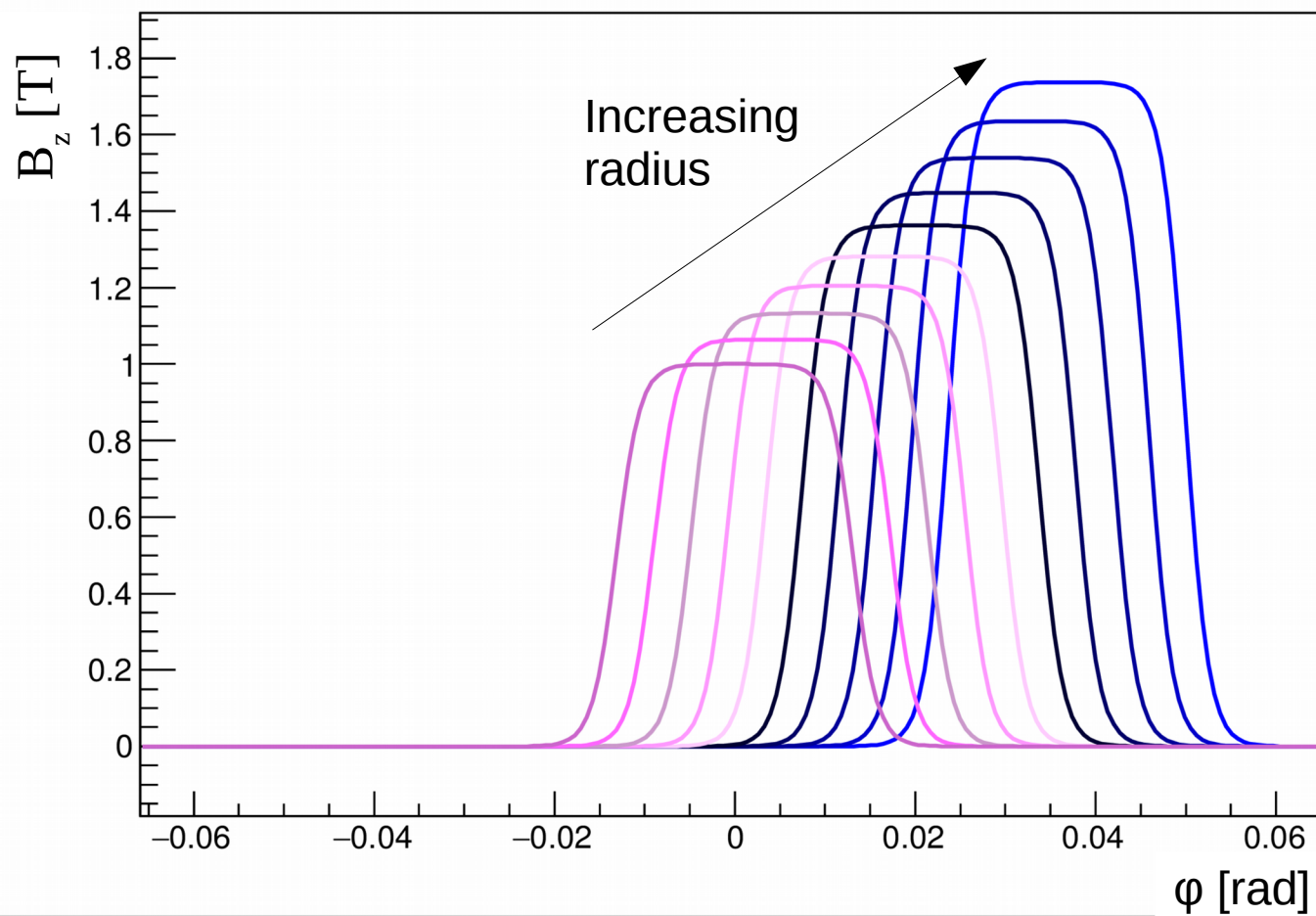
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- Implemented Tanh
  - Clear parameterisation with two parameters:-
    - Centre length ( $\psi_0$ )
    - Fringe field length ( $\lambda$ )
    - Recursion relation for arbitrary derivative
- Most functions can be implemented
  - Need to have known derivatives

$$f_0(\psi) = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \tanh \left( \frac{\psi + \psi_0}{\lambda} \right) - \tanh \left( \frac{\psi - \psi_0}{\lambda} \right) \right]$$

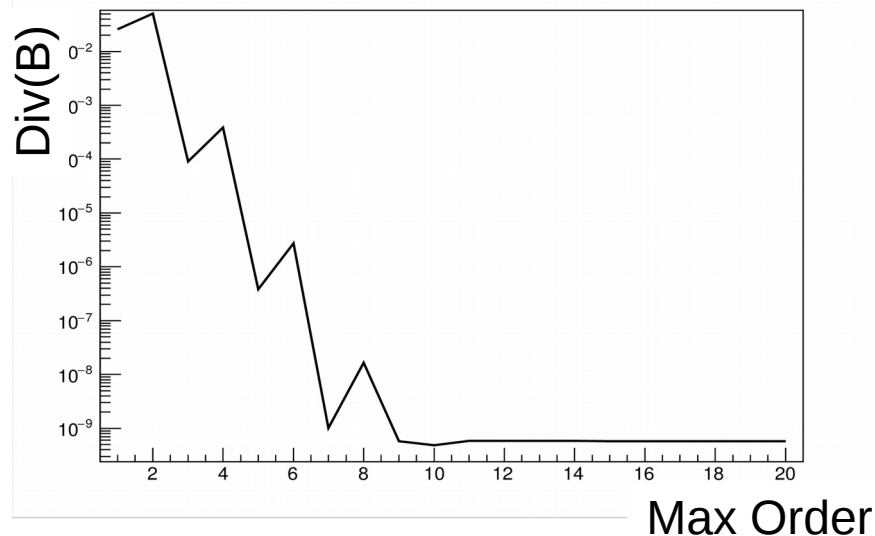


# Test Field Map

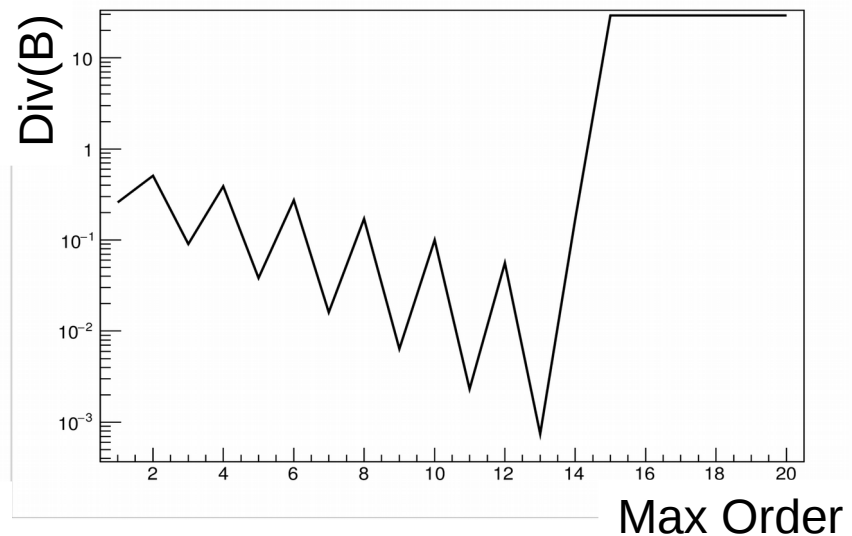


# Convergence vs Expansion Power

Div(B) vs order with  $z$  0.005 m

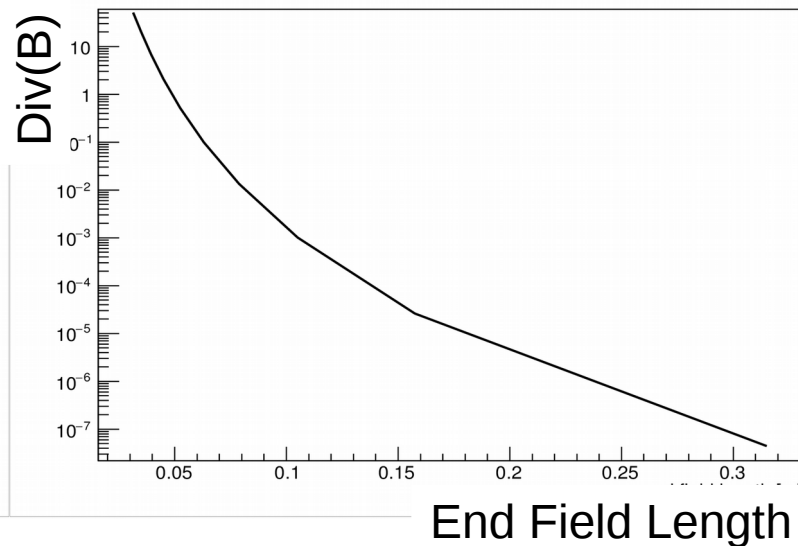
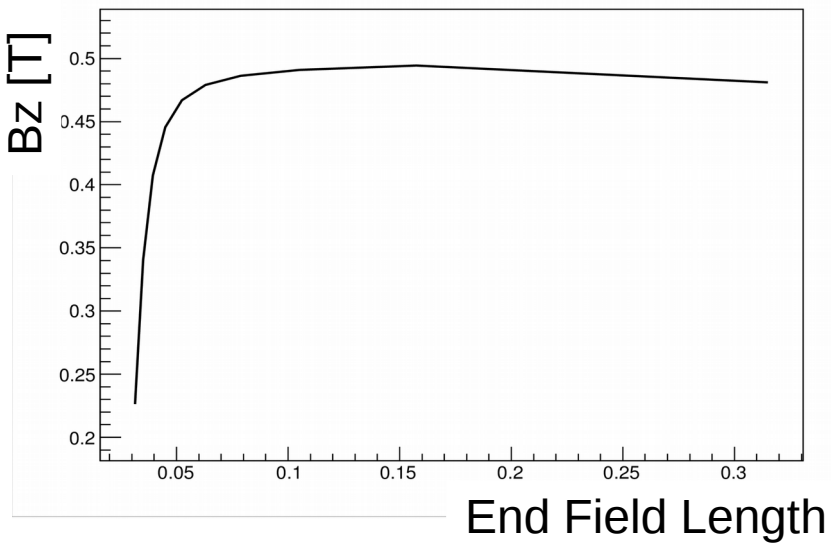


Div(B) vs order with  $z$  0.05 m



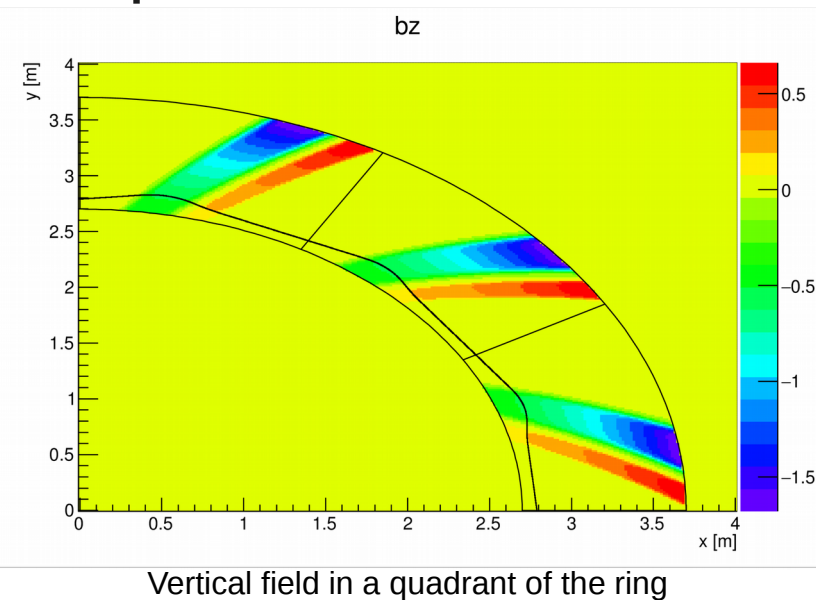
- Near midplane, more Maxwellian as higher powers of  $z$  are included
- Further off midplane, convergence is poor
  - Floating point precision limit at  $\geq 14^{\text{th}}$  order

# Dependence on End Field



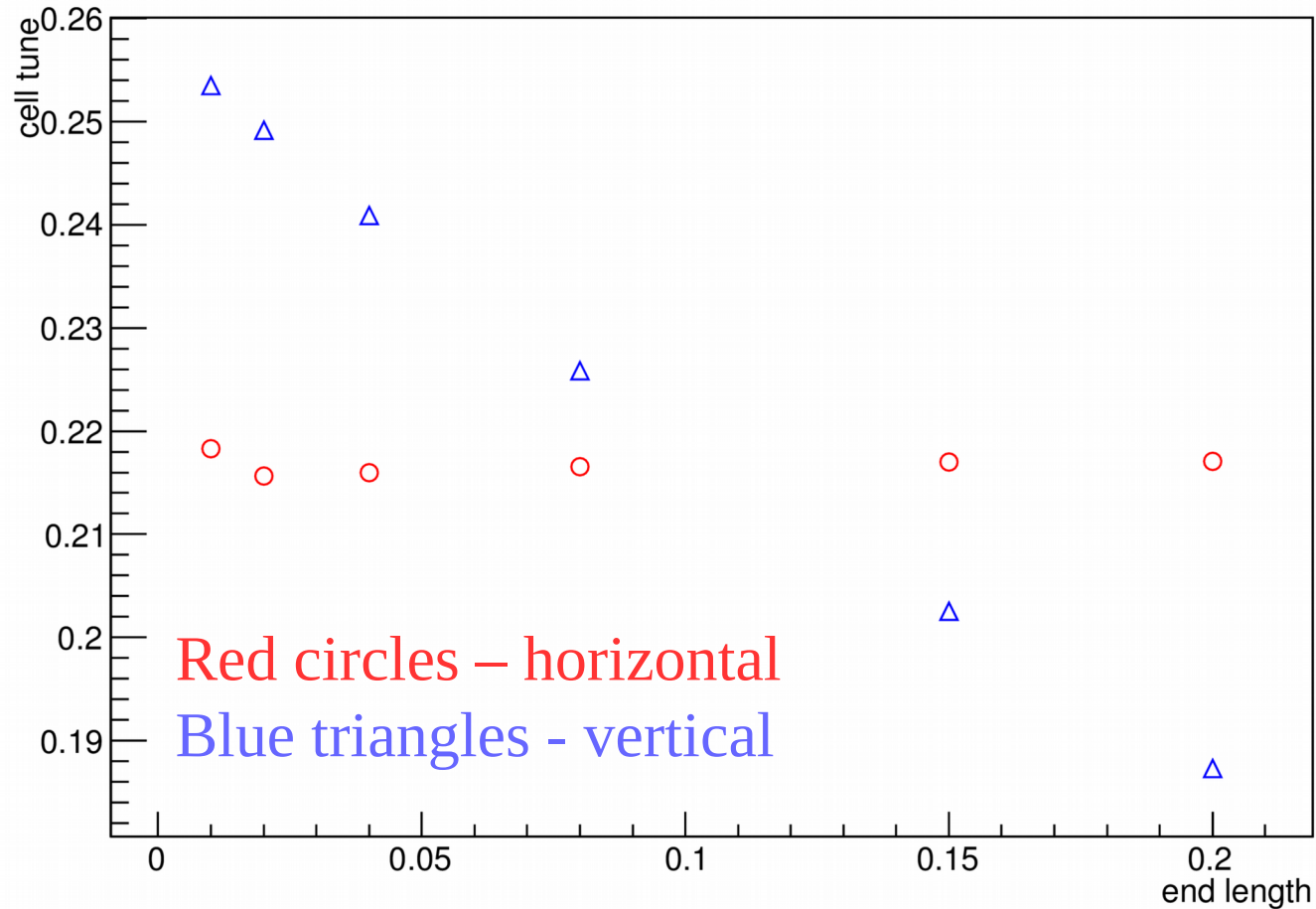
- Shorter fringe fields have smaller convergence radius
  - Expect lower DA

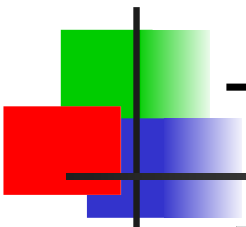
# Test Ring – 12 cells



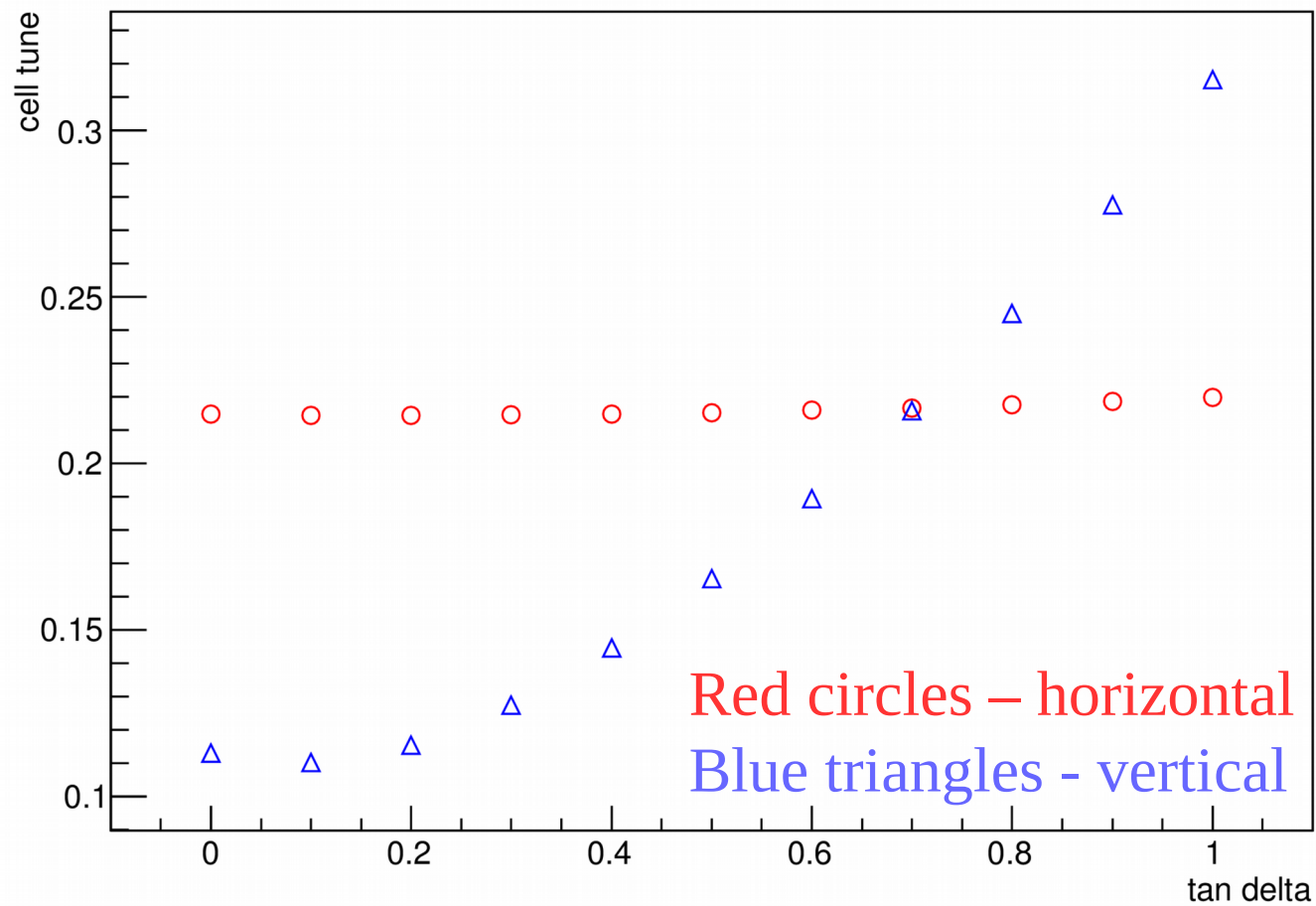
Kinetic Energy	3 – 30 MeV
Number of cells	12
Radius	2.8 – 3.5 m
Magnet Field	1.2, 0.6 T
Drift length	0.8 m
Magnet Length	0.16, 0.08 m
K index	4.48
End field length	Magnet length*0.1
$\tan(\delta)$	0.711
H cell tune	0.2167
V cell tune	0.2188

# Tune vs end length

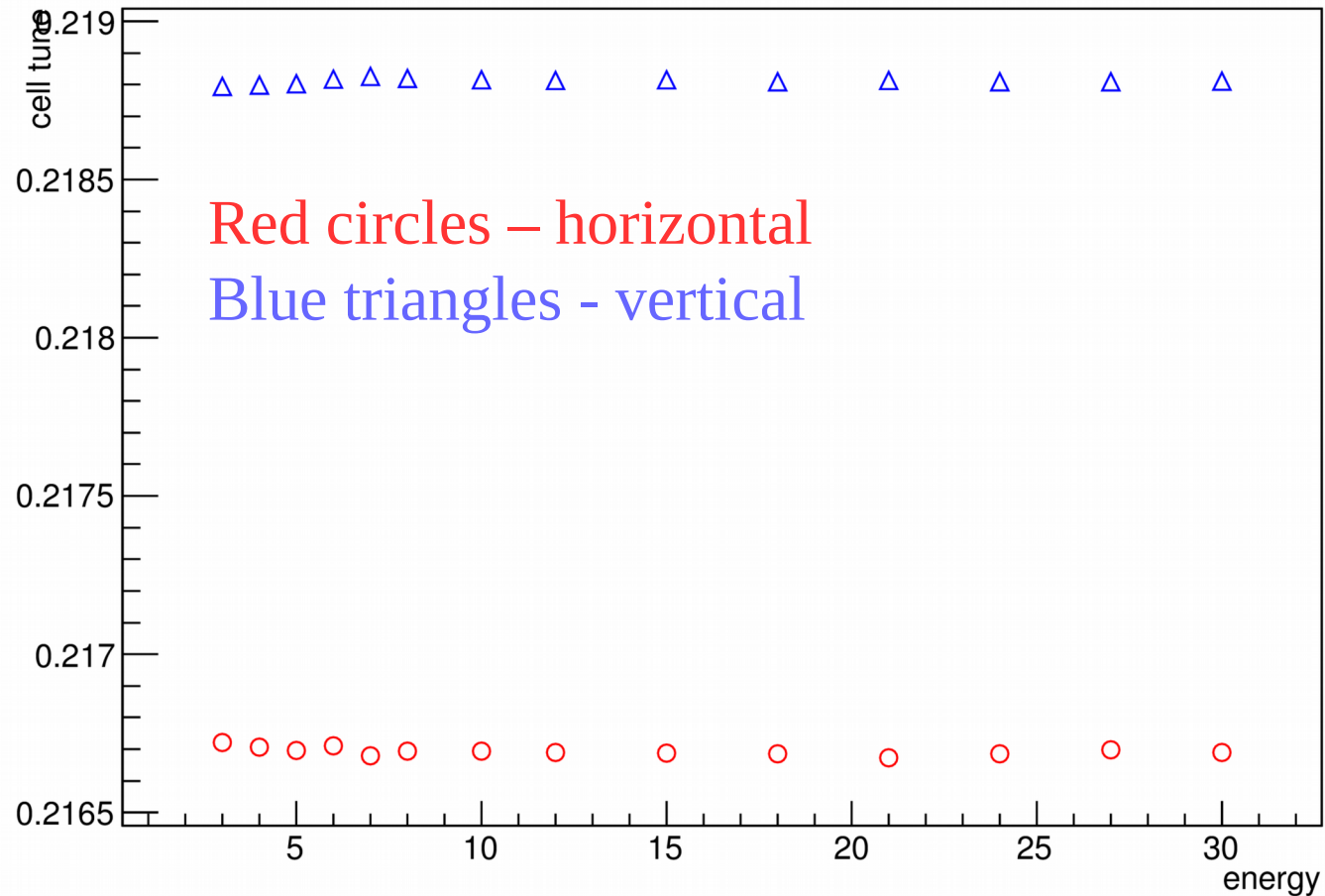




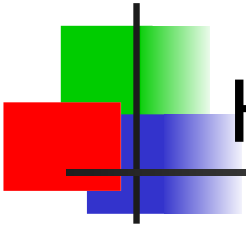
# Tune vs tan delta



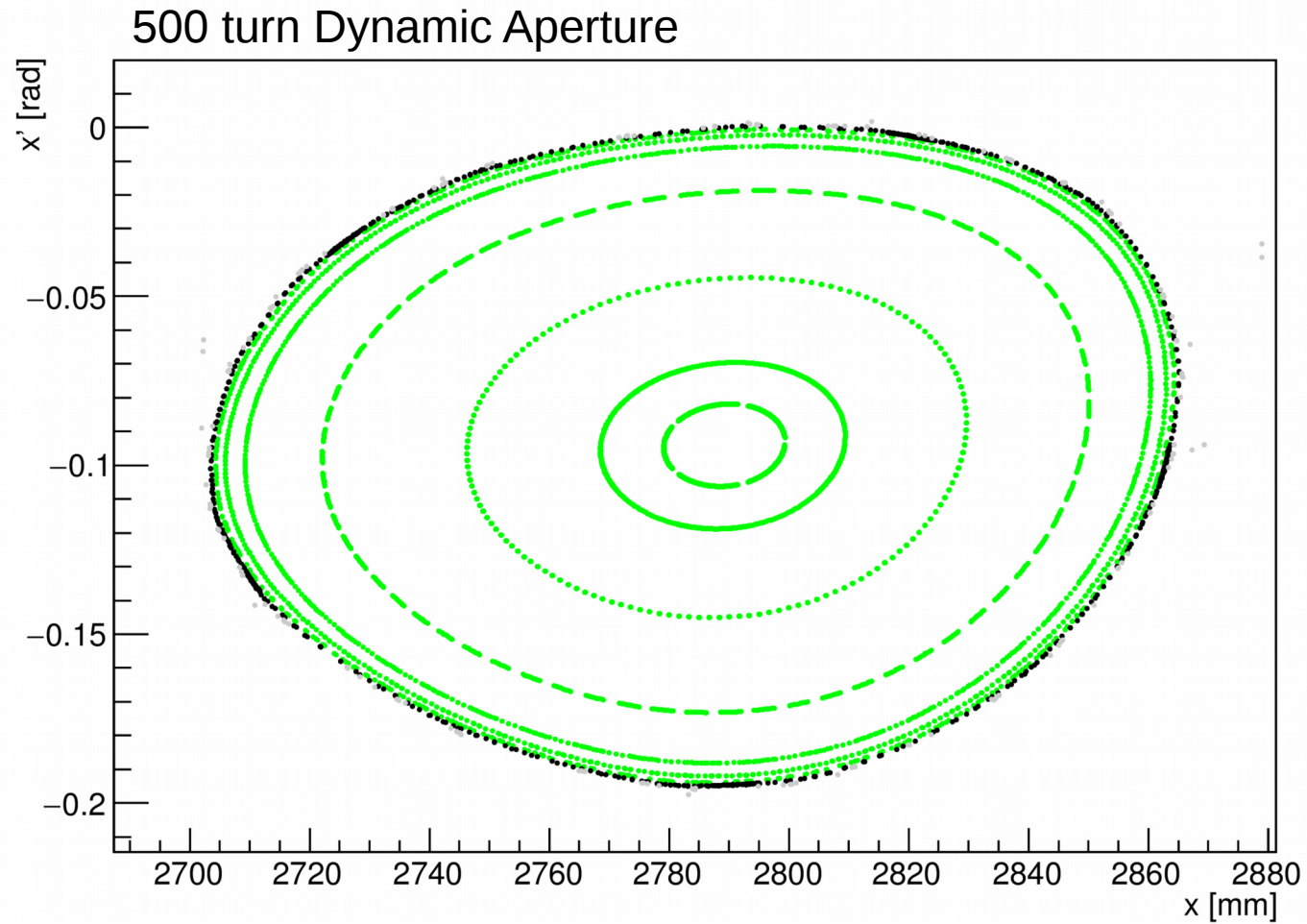
# Tune vs energy



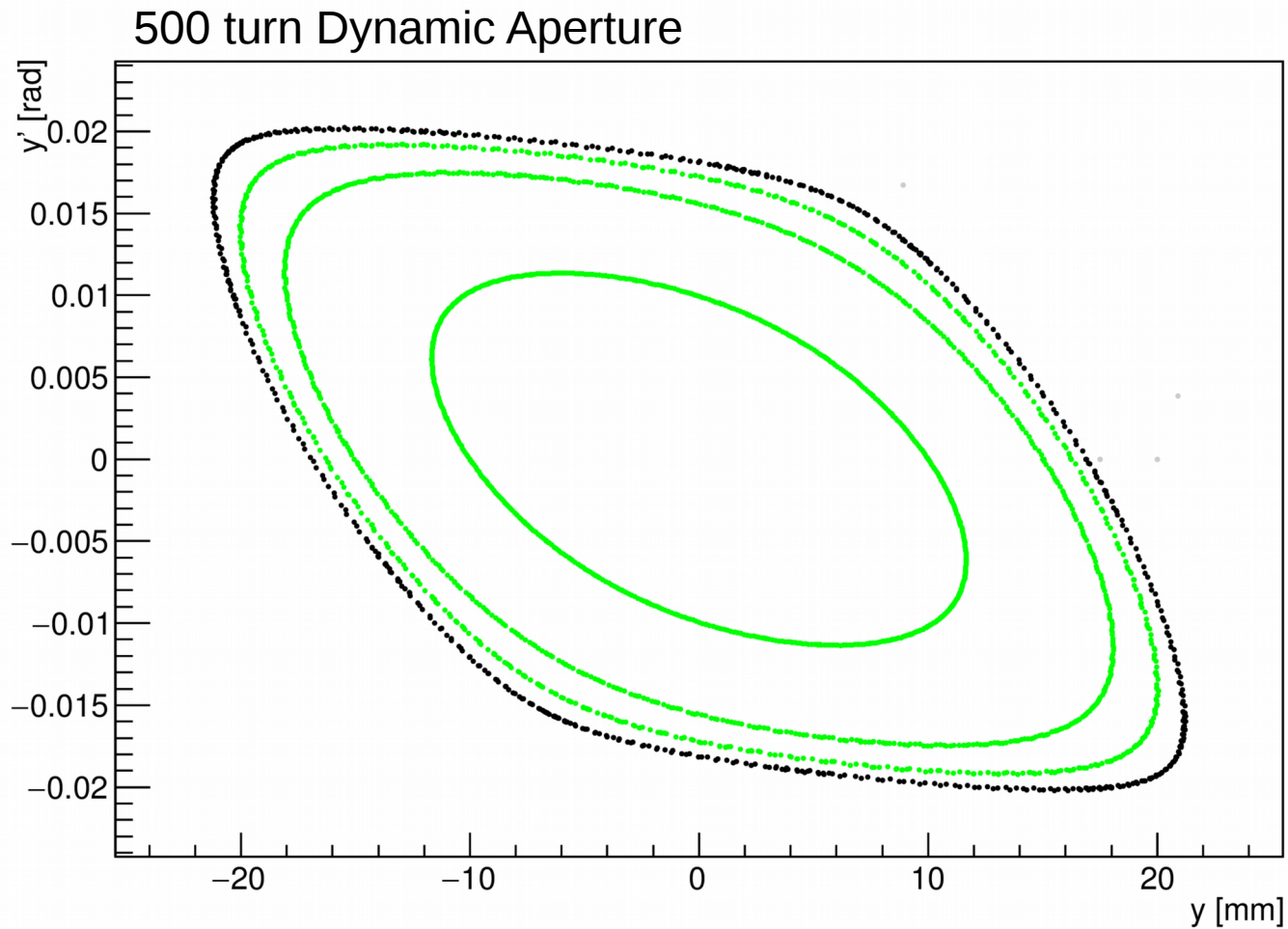




# Horizontal DA

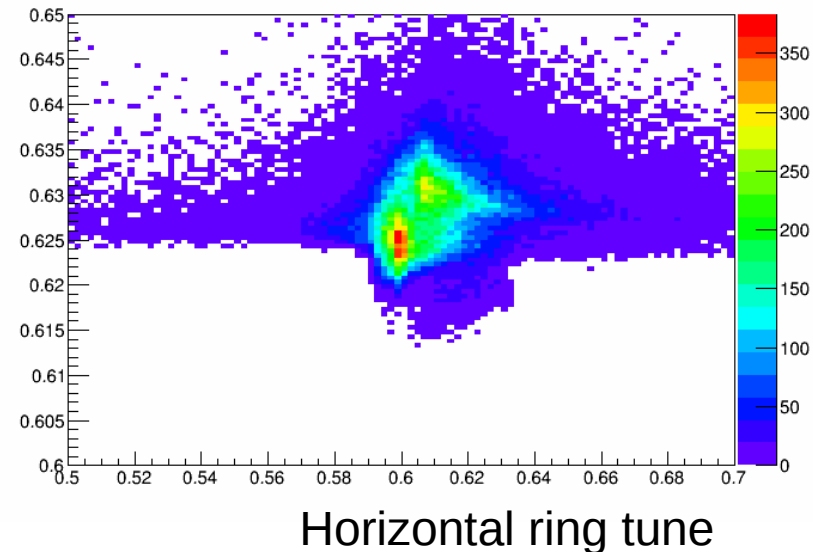
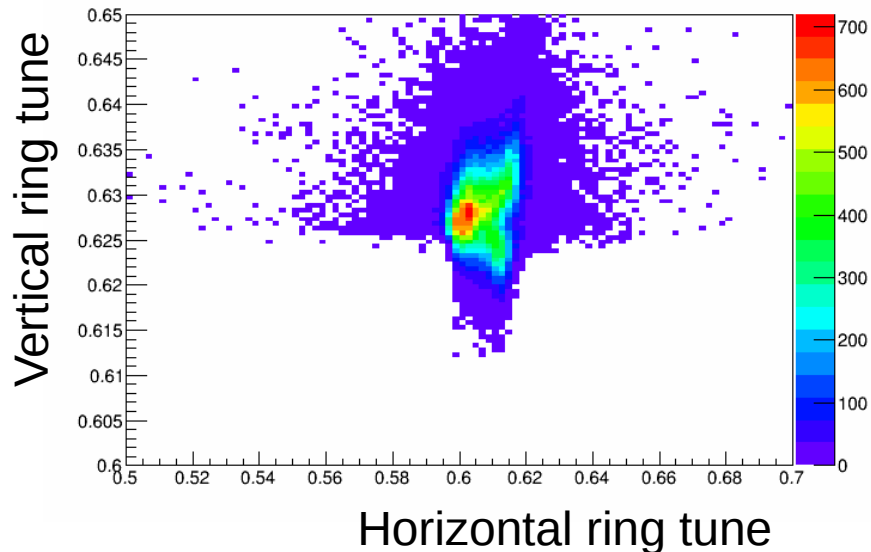


# Vertical DA

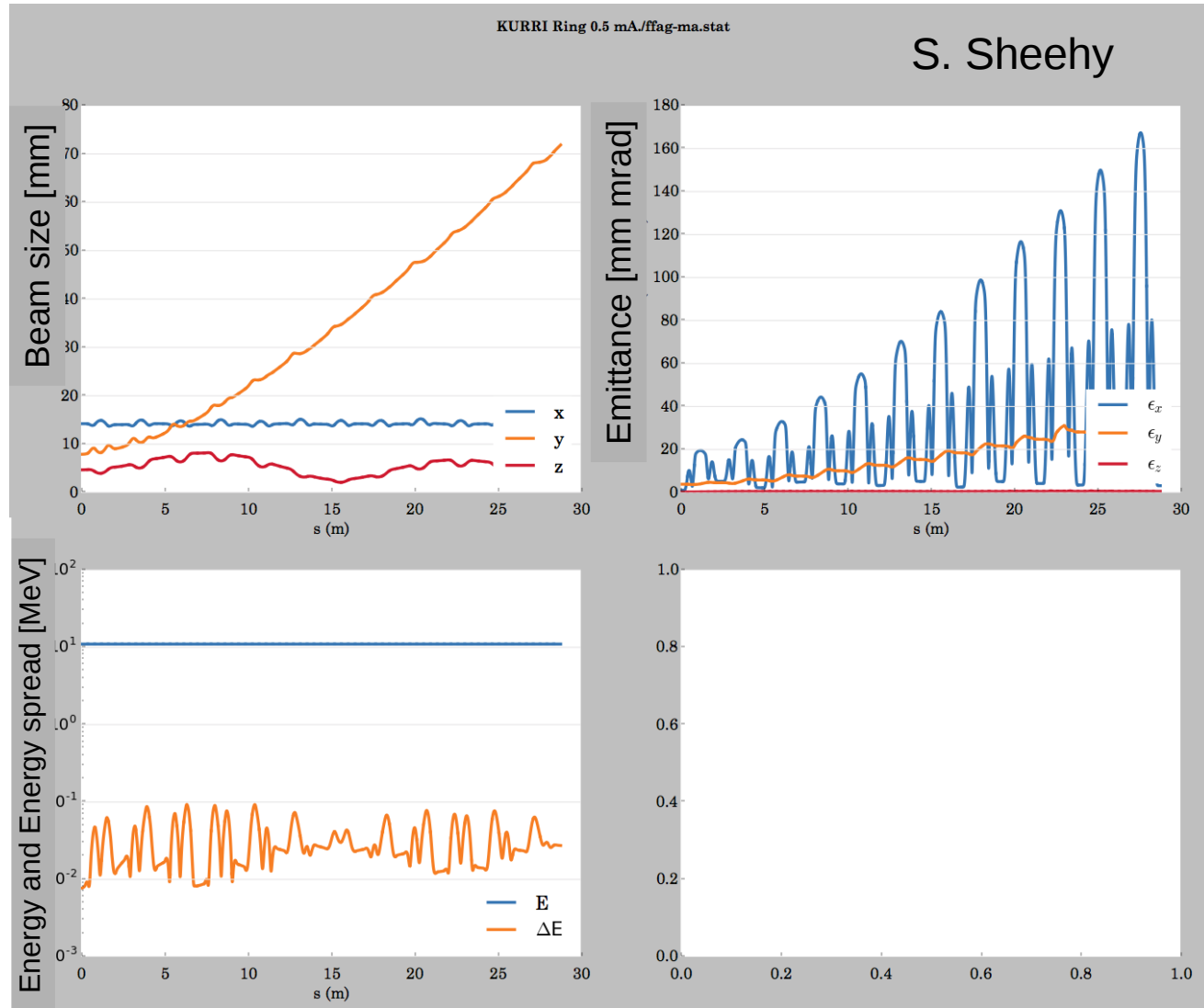


# OPAL Space Charge Solver

- OPAL space charge solver
  - Solve 3D Poisson equation using FFT method
  - Parallelised

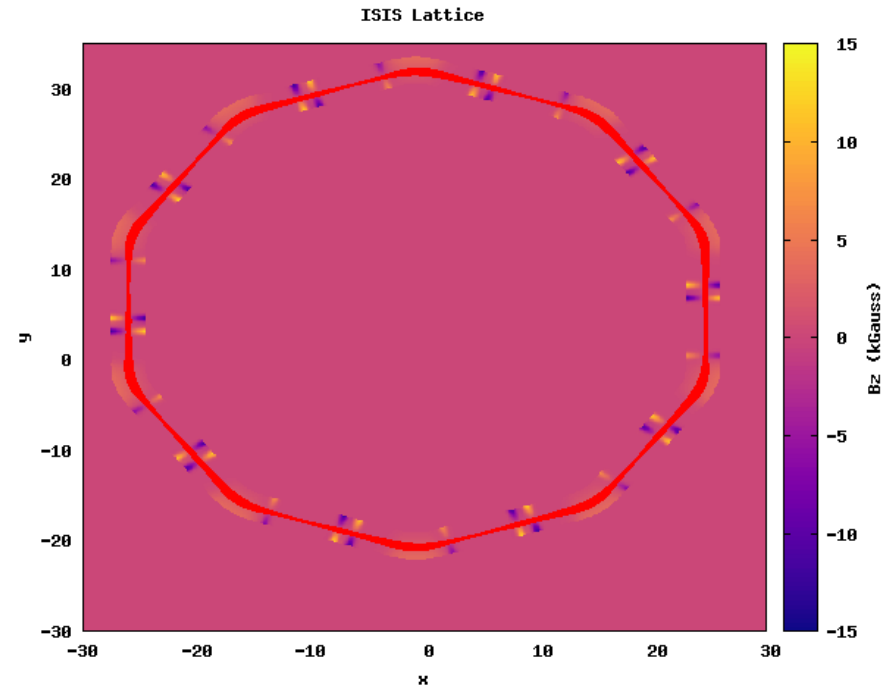
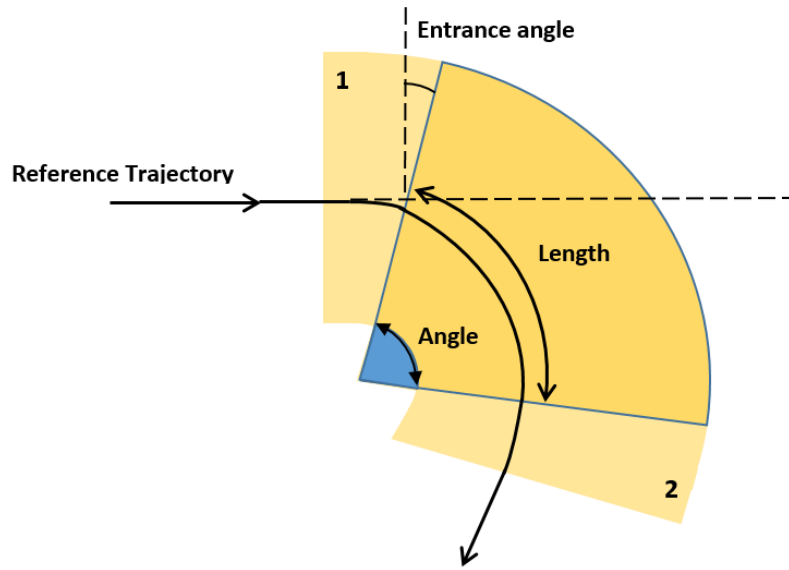


# Matching in presence of SC



Using technique developed by C. Baumgarten

# OPAL Multipoles (Titus Dascalu)



- Upgraded multipole model coming soon to OPAL
  - Vary entrance and exit fringe fields/angles independently
  - Superpose multipoles of different order for combined function magnets
  - E.g. modelling ISIS in storage ring mode
- Can enable modelling of e.g. mixed FFAG/multipole lattices



# Conclusions

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- OPAL cyclotron code has been extended to model FFAGs
- Couple of different FFAG magnet models have been included
- Enables modelling of FFAGs in presence of space charge



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