

## INJECTION BEAM LINE OPTIMIZATION

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### Summary

Brief introduction to accelerator physics.

- COSY facility overview
  - Beam source
  - JULIC Cyclotron
  - Injection Beam Line
  - Injection
- Optimization
  - IBL optimization
  - Tracking
  - Emittance measurement
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$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ x' \end{bmatrix}_{s_1} = M(s1, s0) \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x \\ x' \end{bmatrix}_{s_0}$$

























Rms beam size:  $\sigma_{\rm rms} = \sqrt{\epsilon\beta}$ 

Geometrical emittance:

 $\varepsilon = \pi \epsilon$ 



































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### **Beam source**









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Originally built for light ions up to Ar. Nowadays only used for  $H^$ and  $D^-$ .

- 700 tons of iron.
- *f* = 20 − 30MHz.
- < B ><sub>max</sub>= 1.35T













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Provides 45 MeV  $H^-$  or 76 MeV  $D^-$  beams with 20 ms cycles.





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Provides the connection between JULIC cyclotron and COSY.

- It is 94m long.
- 30mm of vertical offset.
- Composed by 42 quadrupole magnets, 12 dipole magnets and 14 steerer magnets.
- Diagnostic tools included along the IBL: 8 profile grids and 3 phase probes.
- Injection dipole at the end.



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Not all quadrupoles independent  $\rightarrow$  12 free parameters.

### Constraints

Optimized according to INTERATOM:

- Sections 2,4,6: FODO structures
- Sections 1, 3+4+5 and 7 achromats.
- Section 8 controls injection.













#### Tracking at IBL









**Tracking at COSY** 







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### Tracking at COSY





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**Emittance measurement** 

### Plot of beam size squared vs quadrupole strength for Q17, Y axis.







**Emittance measurement** 

### Fit using first order approximation of M matrix.







**Emittance measurement** 

### Fit using second order approximation of M matrix.









## Next steps for optimization

The planned upcoming steps for optimizing the injection are:

- Analyze the injection dipole.
- Try to find steerer magnets which allow for x and x' variation of the injected beam in the stripping foil.
- Connect IBL and COSY in a simulation for a full tracking including the orbit bump at injection.
- Try to match phase space at IBL exit with COSY acceptance.
- Improve the emittance measurement at IBL. Look for other methods.





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### Emittance Measurement: Quadrupole Scan Method



$$\Sigma_{beam}(s) = M * \Sigma_{beam}^{0} * M^{T}$$

where 
$$\begin{cases} \Sigma_{11} = \langle x^2 \rangle \\ \Sigma_{12} = \Sigma_{21} = \langle x x' \rangle \\ \Sigma_{22} = \langle x'^2 \rangle \end{cases}$$

Finally:

$$\Sigma_{11} = \langle x^2 \rangle = M_{11}^2 \Sigma_{11}^0 + 2M_{11}M_{12}\Sigma_{12}^0 + M_{12}^2 \Sigma_{22}^0$$

And:

$$\varepsilon = \pi \sqrt{det(\Sigma_{beam})} = \pi \sqrt{\Sigma_{11}^0 \Sigma_{22}^0 - (\Sigma_{12}^0)^2}$$







First order approximation: -

$$\cos(x) \approx 1 + O(x^2)$$
  
 $\sin(x) \approx x + O(x^3)$ 

 $\sum_{11} = \langle x^2 \rangle = f(K^2, K) \Rightarrow \text{ Parabolic fit with: } g(K) = AK^2 + BK + C$ 

Second order approximation:  $\prec$ 

$$\cos(x) \approx 1 - \frac{x^2}{2} + O(x^4)$$
  
 $\sin(x) \approx x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + O(x^5)$ 

 $\Longrightarrow \Sigma_{11} = \langle x^2 \rangle = f(K^4, K^3, K^2, K) \Rightarrow \text{ Fourth order fit: } g(K) = AK^4 + BK^3 + CK^2 + EK + F$ 



