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Scaling law: $B = B_0 e^{kz}$, ($k = \frac{1}{B_z} \frac{\partial B_z}{\partial z}$)

- Vertical orbit excursion
- Strongly non-linear magnetic fields
- Strongly coupled optics

With the fringe field function $g(x)$, the median plane field components are:

$$B_{y0}(x, 0, z) = 0,$$

$$B_{z0}(x, 0, z) = B_0 e^{kz} g(x),$$

$$B_{x0}(x, 0, z) = \frac{B_0}{k} e^{kz} \frac{dg}{dx}.$$



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The Zgoubi ray-tracing code:

- Often used to study horizontal FFAs
- Particle tracking in complex field maps
- Possibility to use its Python interface Zgoubidoo

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 - Possible simple definition/computation for the 2D Dynamical aperture
 - Methods/suggestions for calculating a dynamic aperture for 4D motion in a highly non-linear and coupled lattice



Presentation of the lattice and methods

Baseline arctan lattice & Methods to track with Zgoubi in adapted field map

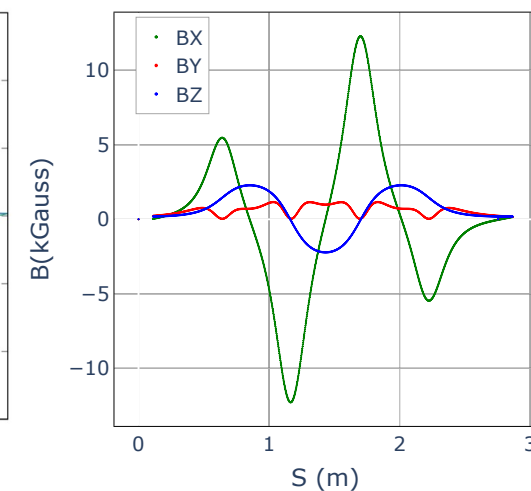
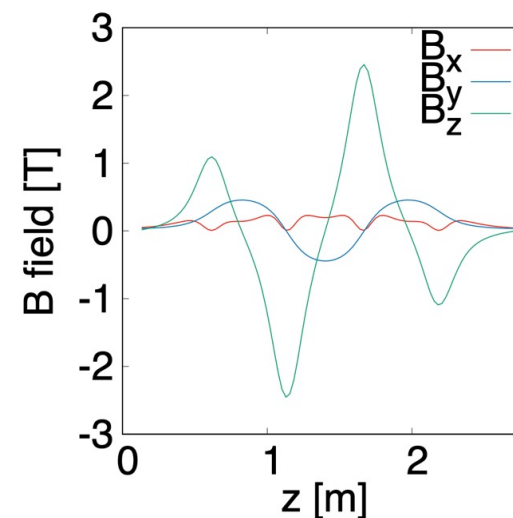
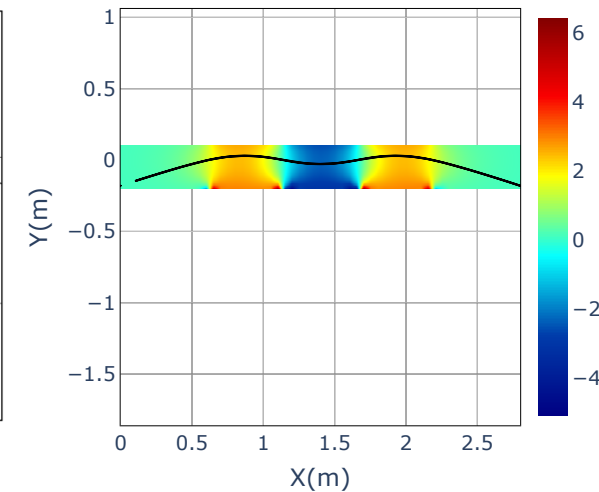
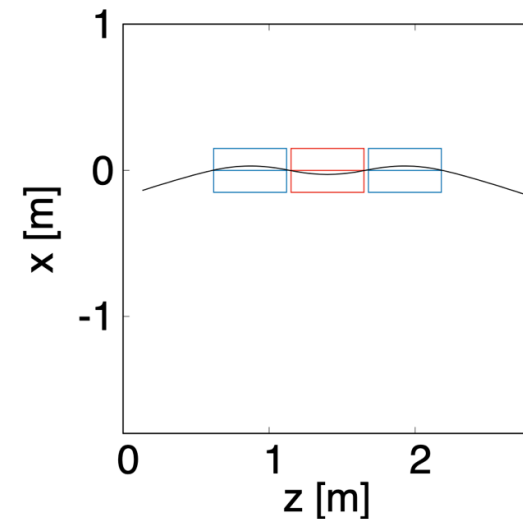
FETS-vFFA baseline lattice:

- Realistic **fringe field** fall off in Arctan(z)

$$g(z) = \left[\arctan\left(\frac{z + M/2}{L_m}\right) - \arctan\left(\frac{z - M/2}{L_m}\right) \right] / \pi$$

- Parameters given by S. Machida:

| | |
|---|--|
| Energy | 3 to 12 MeV |
| Repetition | 50 Hz |
| Number of proton per pulse | 3.4×10^{11} |
| Focusing | FDf triplet |
| Circumference | 28 m |
| Number of cell | 10 |
| Total cell length | 2.8 m |
| Bd and Bf core length (M) | 0.50 m |
| Straight length | 1.24 m |
| Distance between Bd centre and Bf centre | 0.53 m |
| Horizontal displacement between Bd and Bf | +/- 0 mm |
| Fringe field parameter (L) | 0.15 m |
| Bd/Bf ratio (nominal) | 1.15 |
| m-value (nominal) | 1.31 |
| Orbit excursion | 0.53 m |
| Tune (qu, qv, nominal) | 0.243445 / 0.120023 (0756555 / 0.120023) |
| Dynamic aperture (normalised) | 60 pi / 70 pi |
| Nominal 100 % emittance (normalised) | 10 pi |



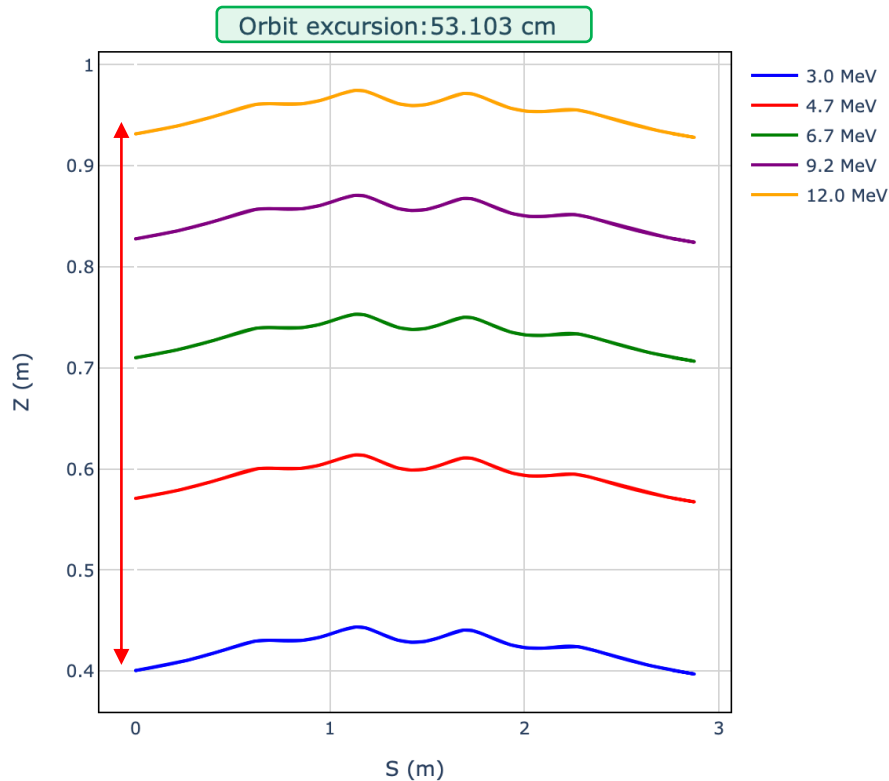
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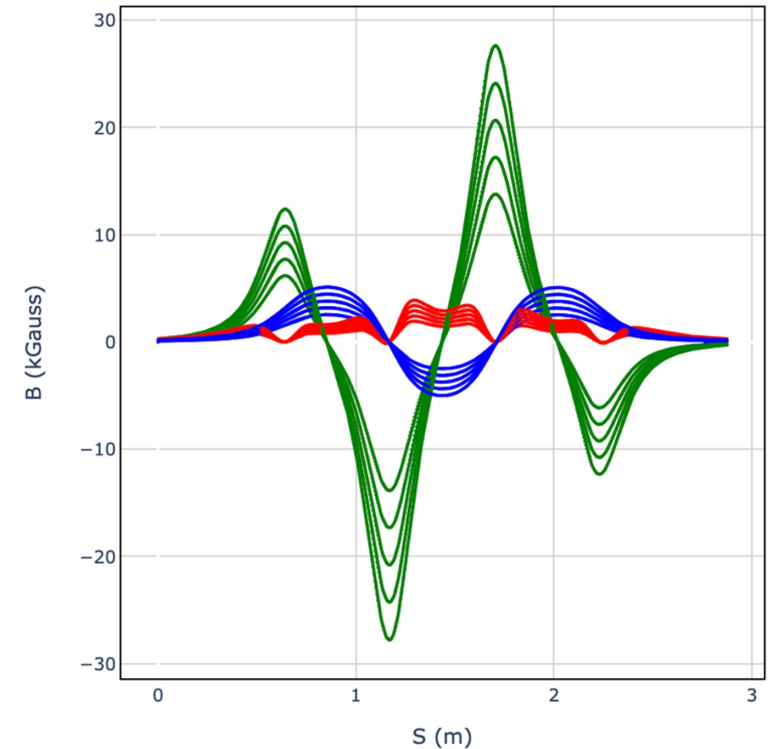


Lattice and methods – Arctan baseline lattice

- Search for **closed orbits** at different energies for a **single cell field map** without taking into account the residual field of neighboring cells:
 - Need to relax the $p_0 = 0$ (vertical angle) condition to find something stable
 - $p_0 \neq 0$ at the cell ends \rightarrow **Not a closed orbit on the entire ring**
- The **vertical orbit excursion** is still visible and is similar to the one obtained with other codes



- The **magnetic field scales with energy**

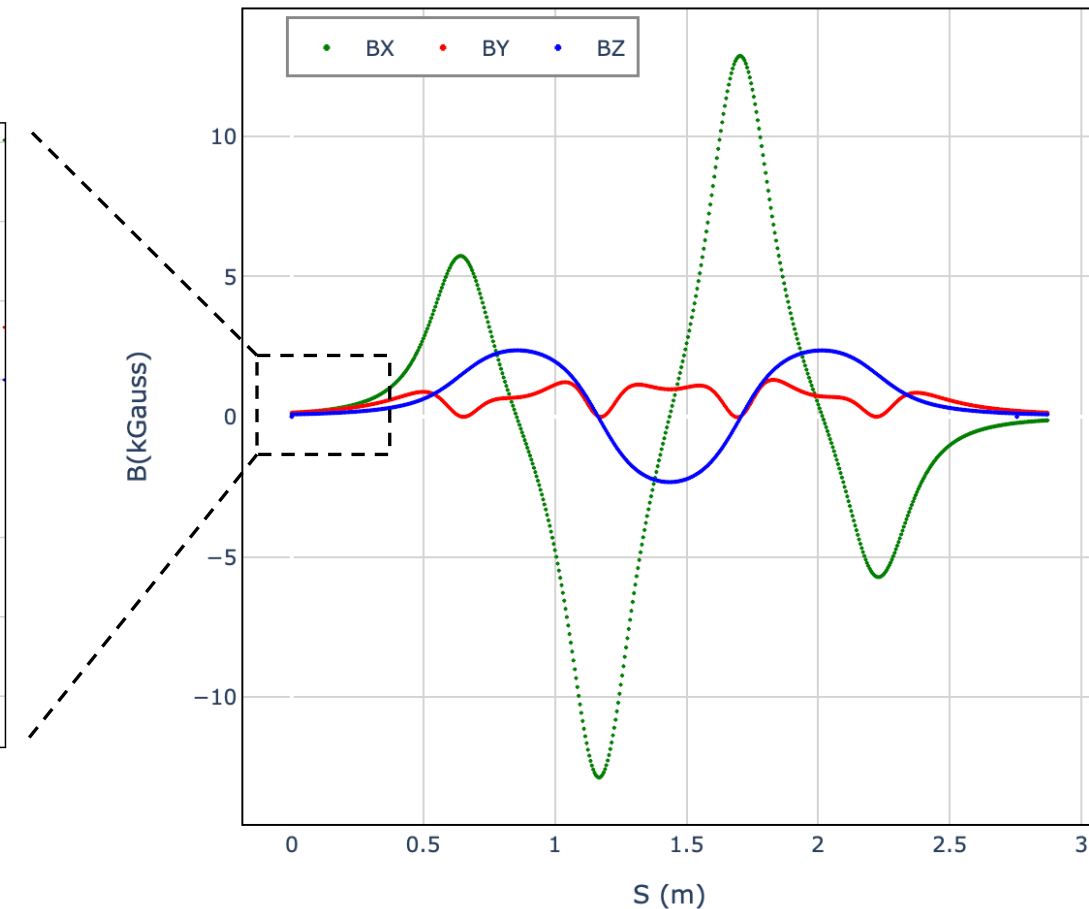
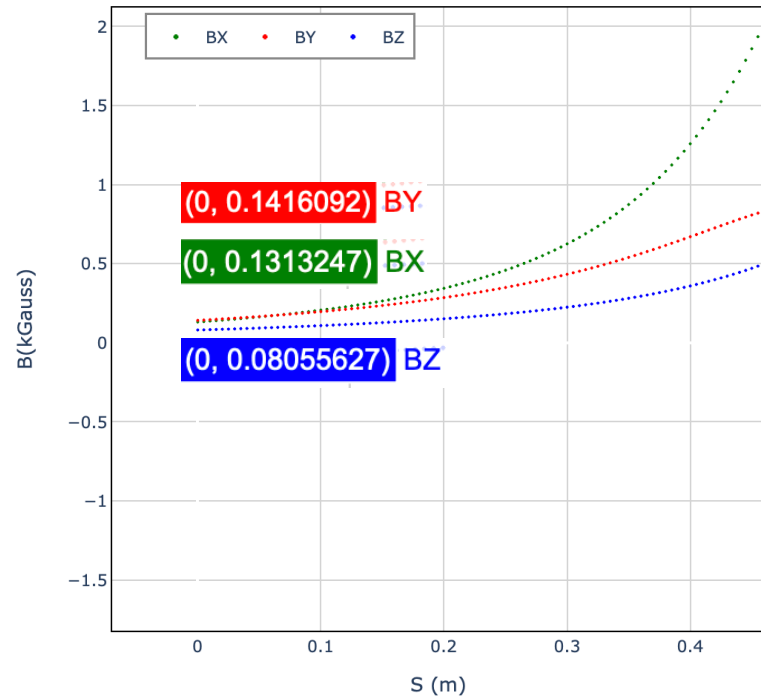


Lattice and methods – Arctan baseline lattice

Significant **neighboring cells influence** due to the **important residual field** at the cell ends

→ The residual field in the lattice in arctan is **$\pm 0.1\text{kG}$ in all directions.**

→ The transverse residual field explains the non-zero vertical angle ($p_0 \neq 0$ at the cell ends)

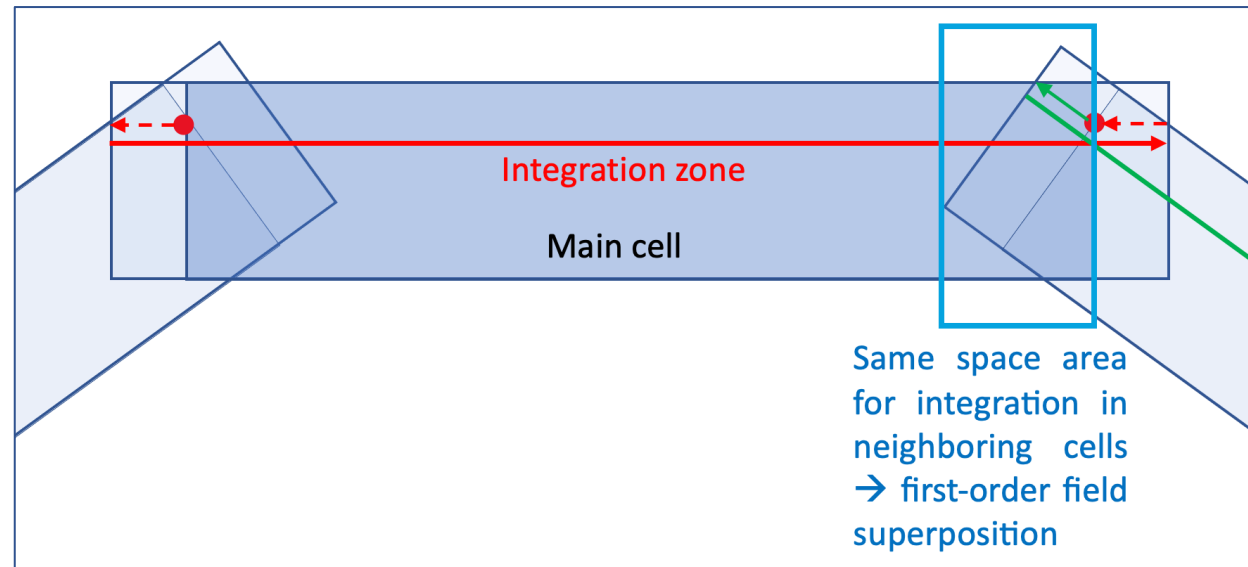




Methods to account for the residual field of neighboring cells:

1) Linear superposition by extending field maps

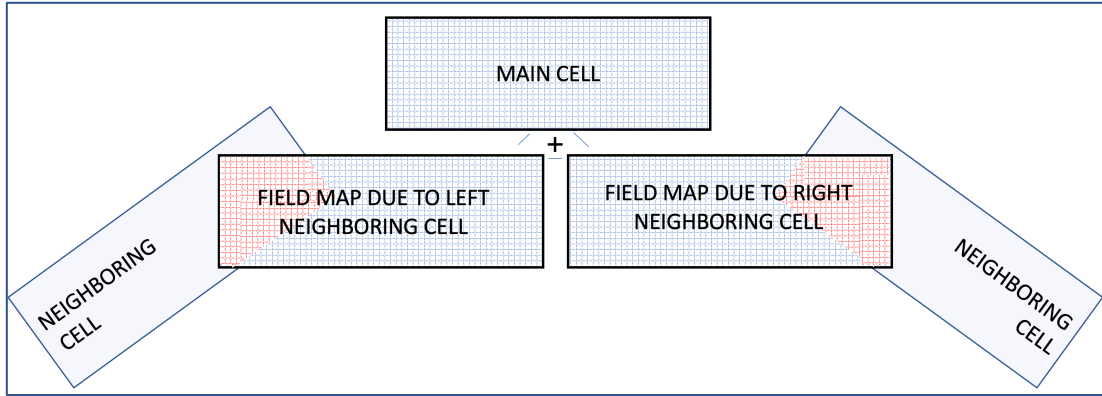
- Extend the integration zone to have field maps overlapping
- **Valid for small residual fields** to ensure that the trajectory deviation due to this field is limited
- In the arctan lattice, the **residual field is not negligible**
→ **Method not valid for this lattice**





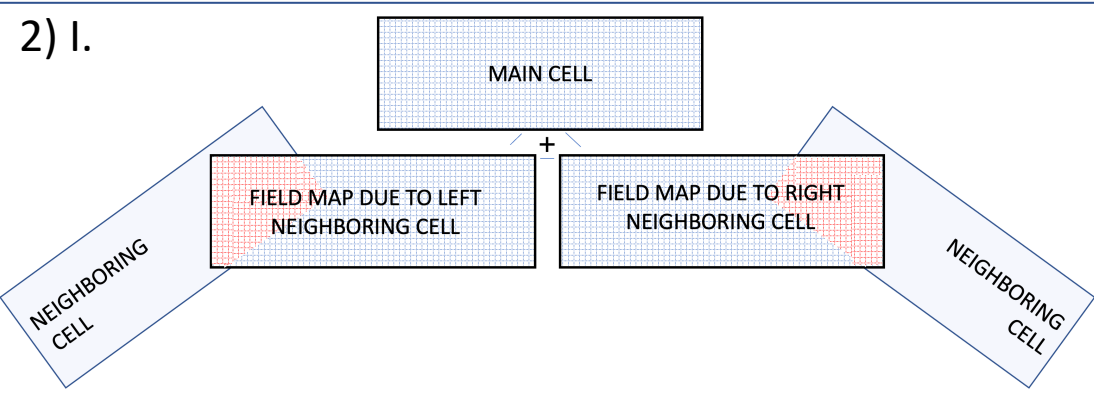
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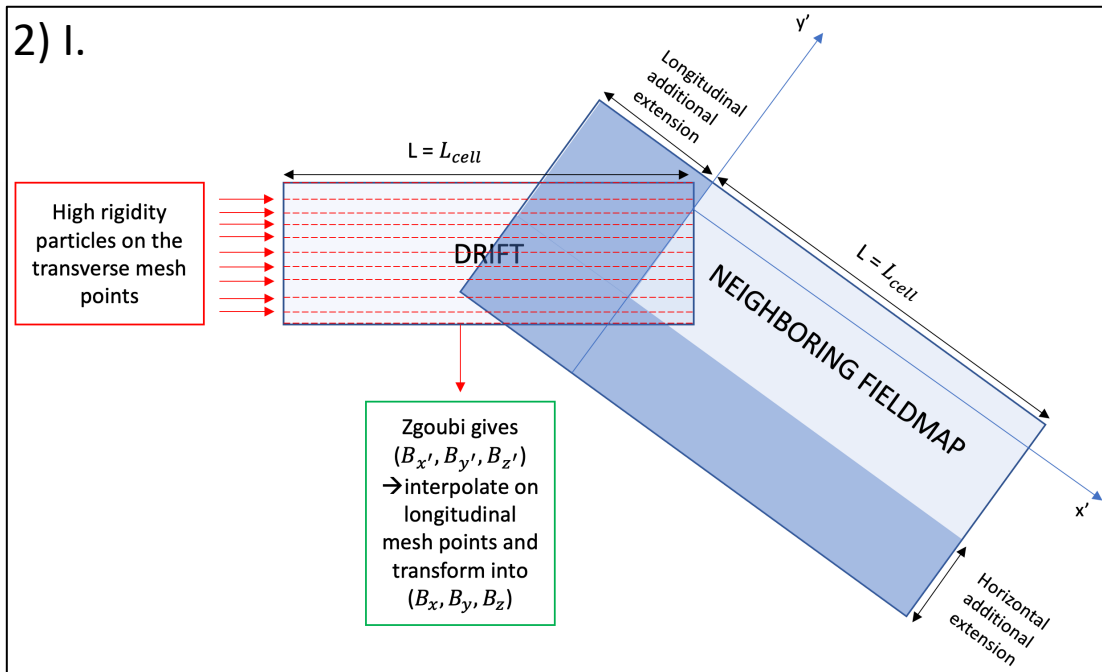
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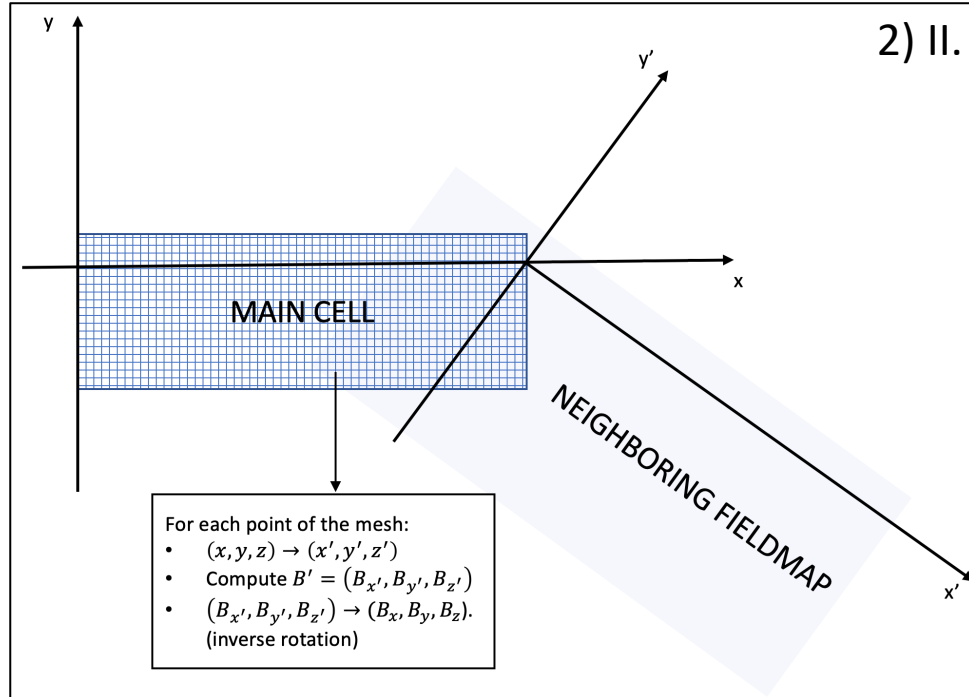
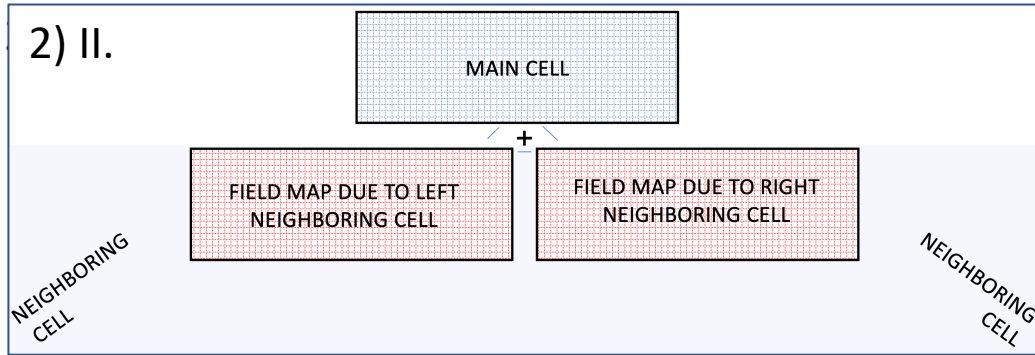
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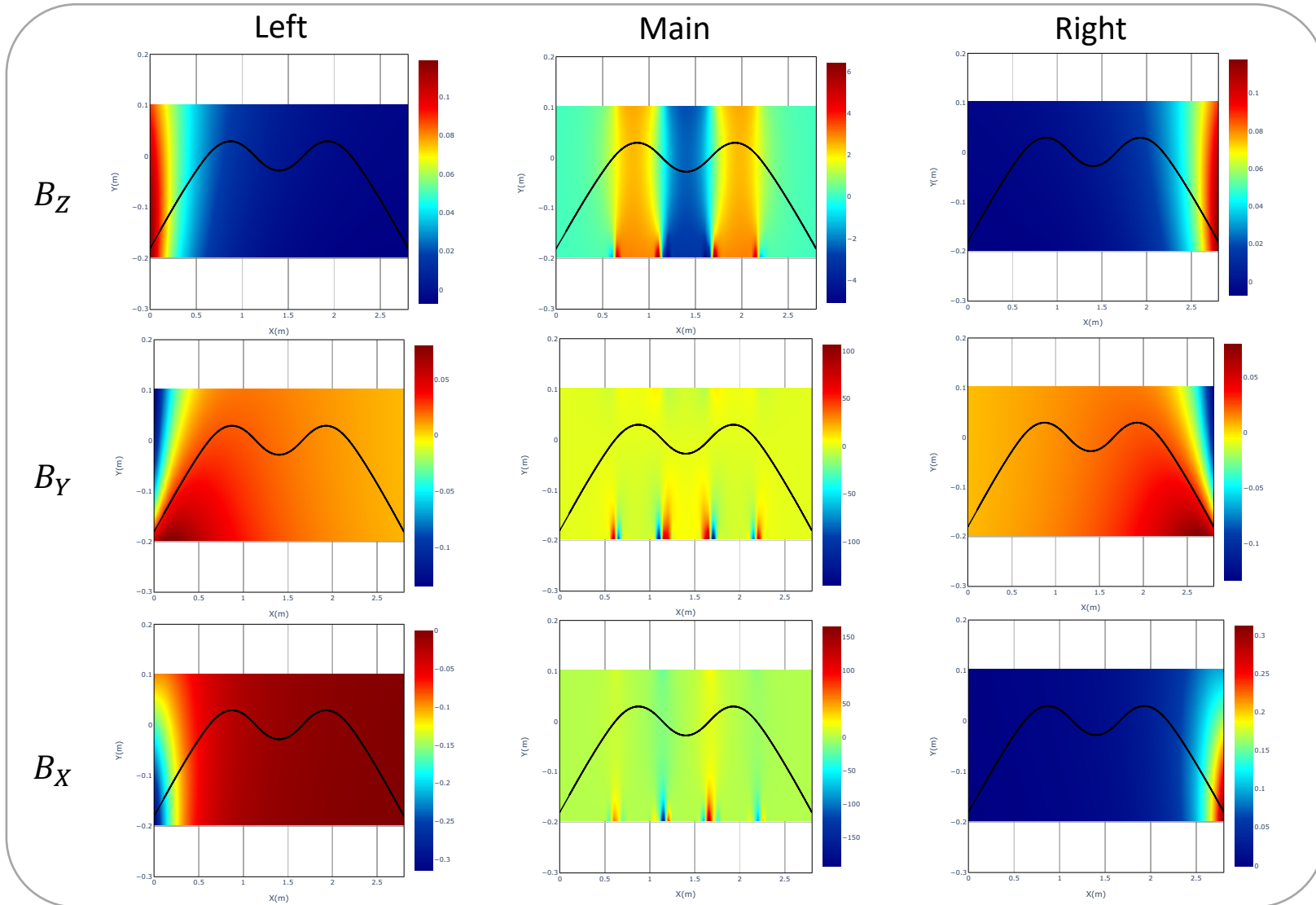


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 - II. Computation of the neighboring rotated fields with analytical expressions → No border anymore (called ‘infinite’ or ‘perfect’ map in the following slides).
 - Neighboring field maps that cover the entire region of the orbit

Fieldmap construction – Superposition

- After the construction, we use a Zgoubi Tosca option to superpose the field map with its neighboring field maps

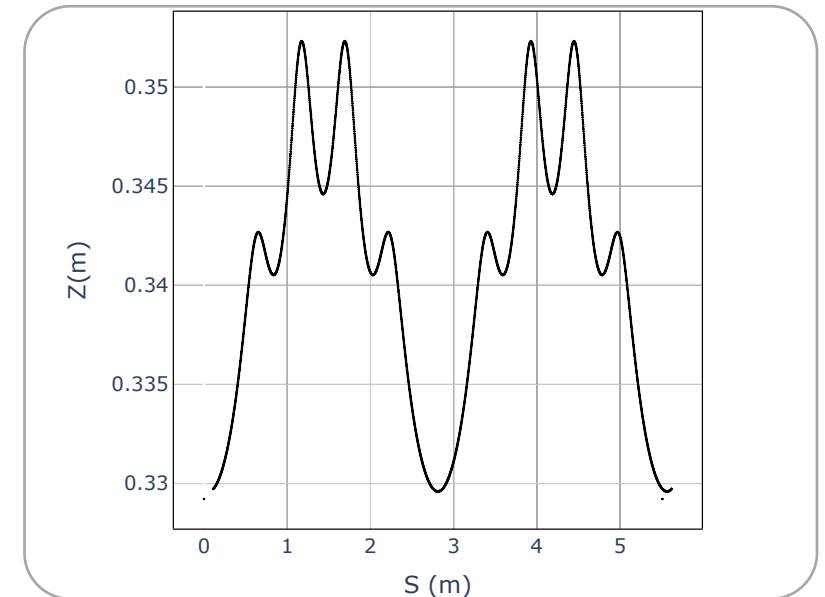
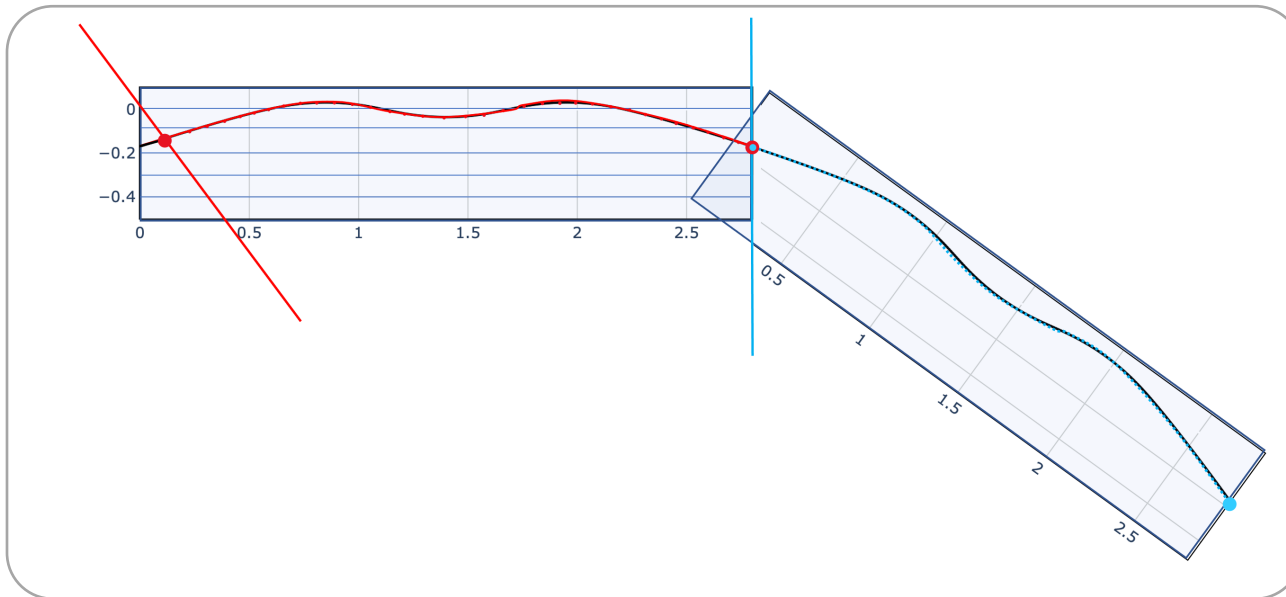


Lattice and methods – Limits of integration



Integration limits fixed by the **polar** character of the machine:

- We integrate between some ***droites de coupures*** (ddc) in Zgoubi, which are integration limits. It may not match the cartesian field map edges.
 - Entry oblique ddc: $\tan(\theta)X+Y=0$
 - Exit vertical dcc: $X = 280$
- We have **no map overlapping** with well-chosen cut lines
- Perfect **trajectory continuity** between neighboring cells



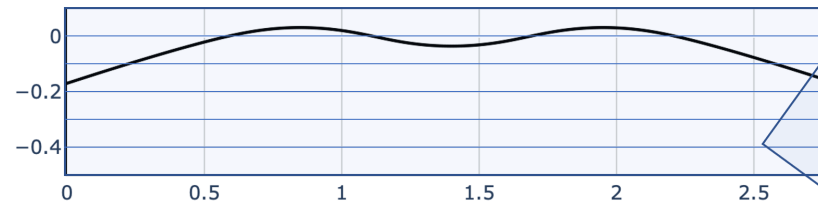


Linear beam dynamics

Closed orbit search & Computation of the tunes

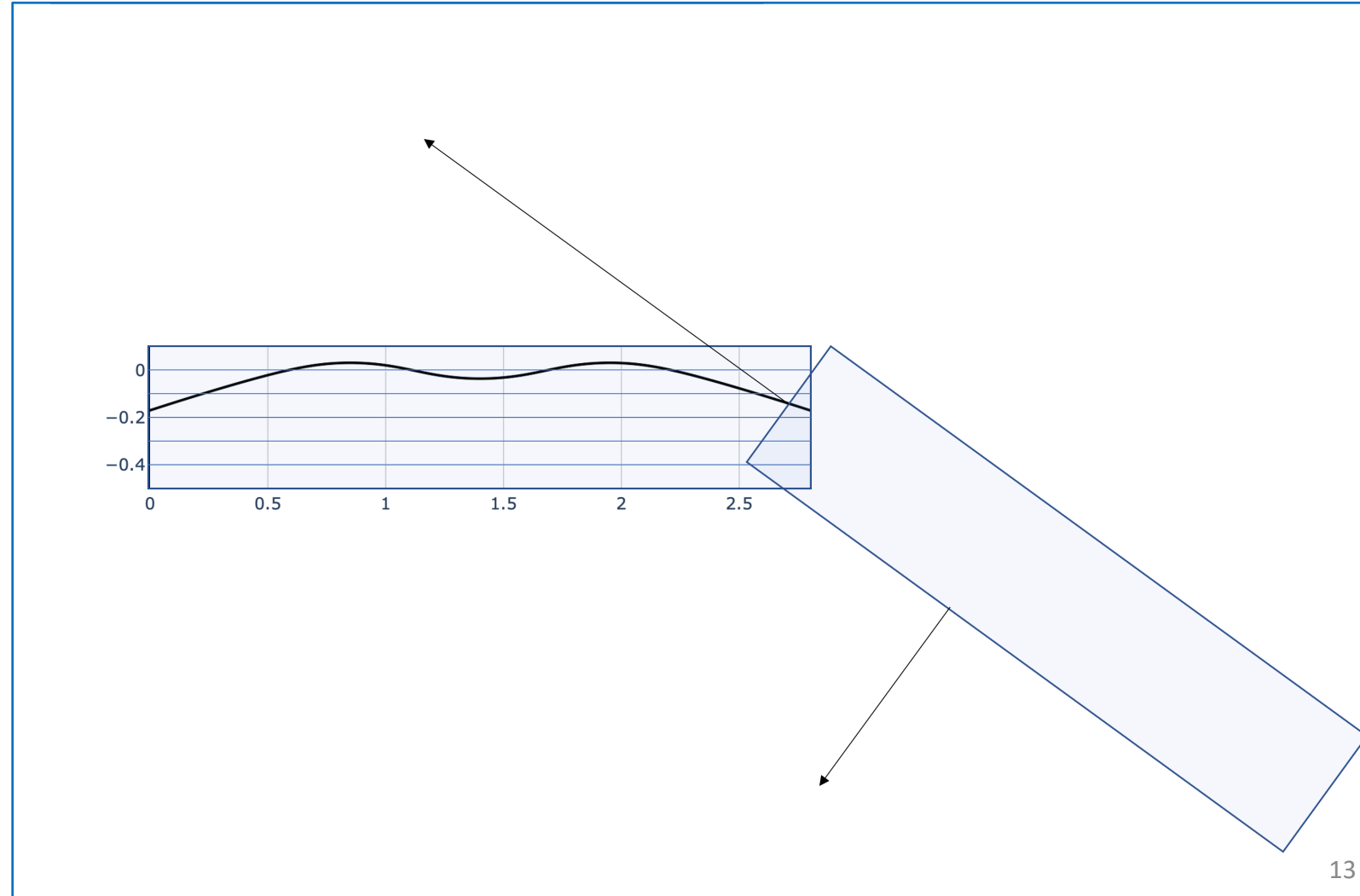
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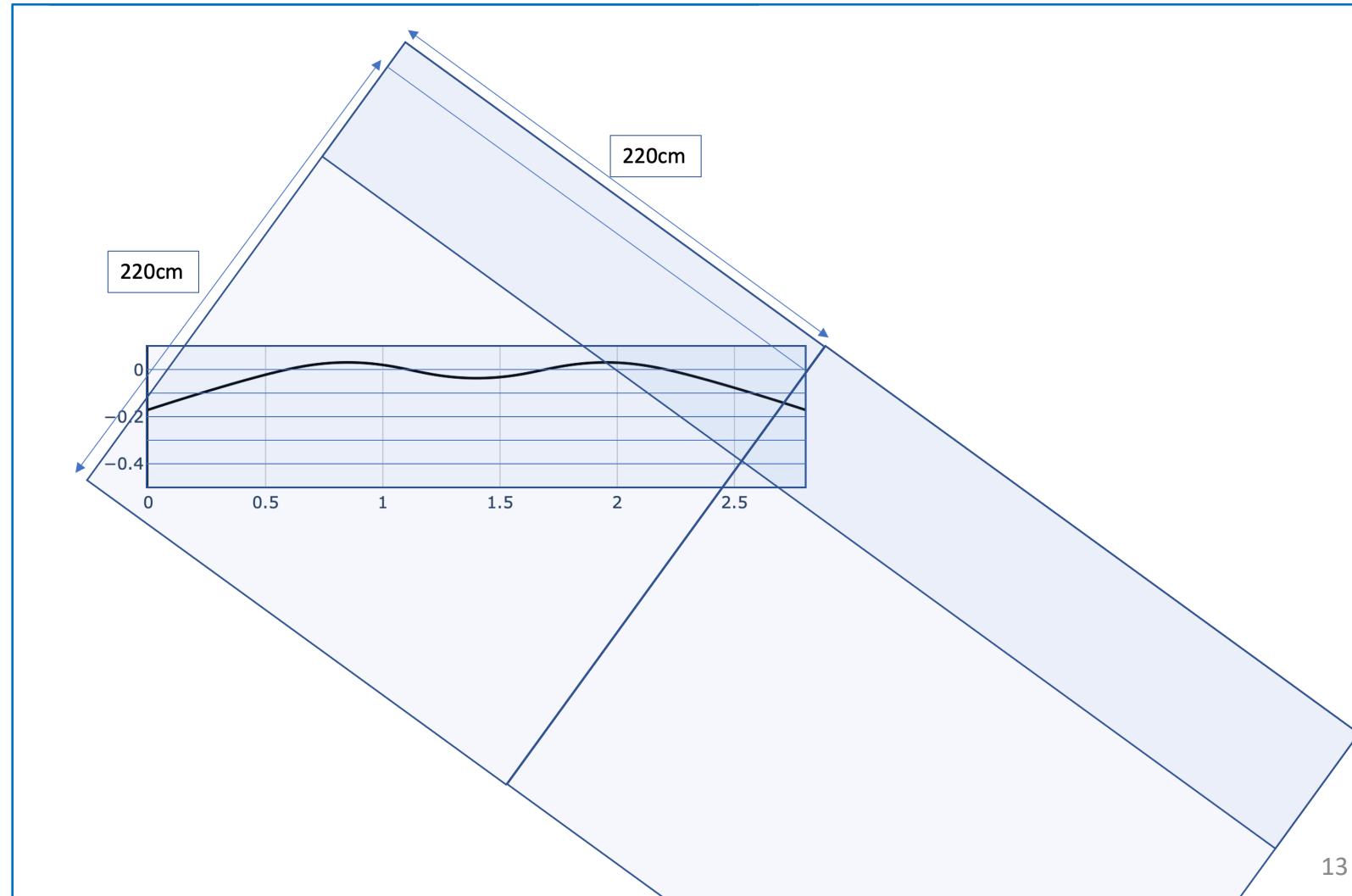
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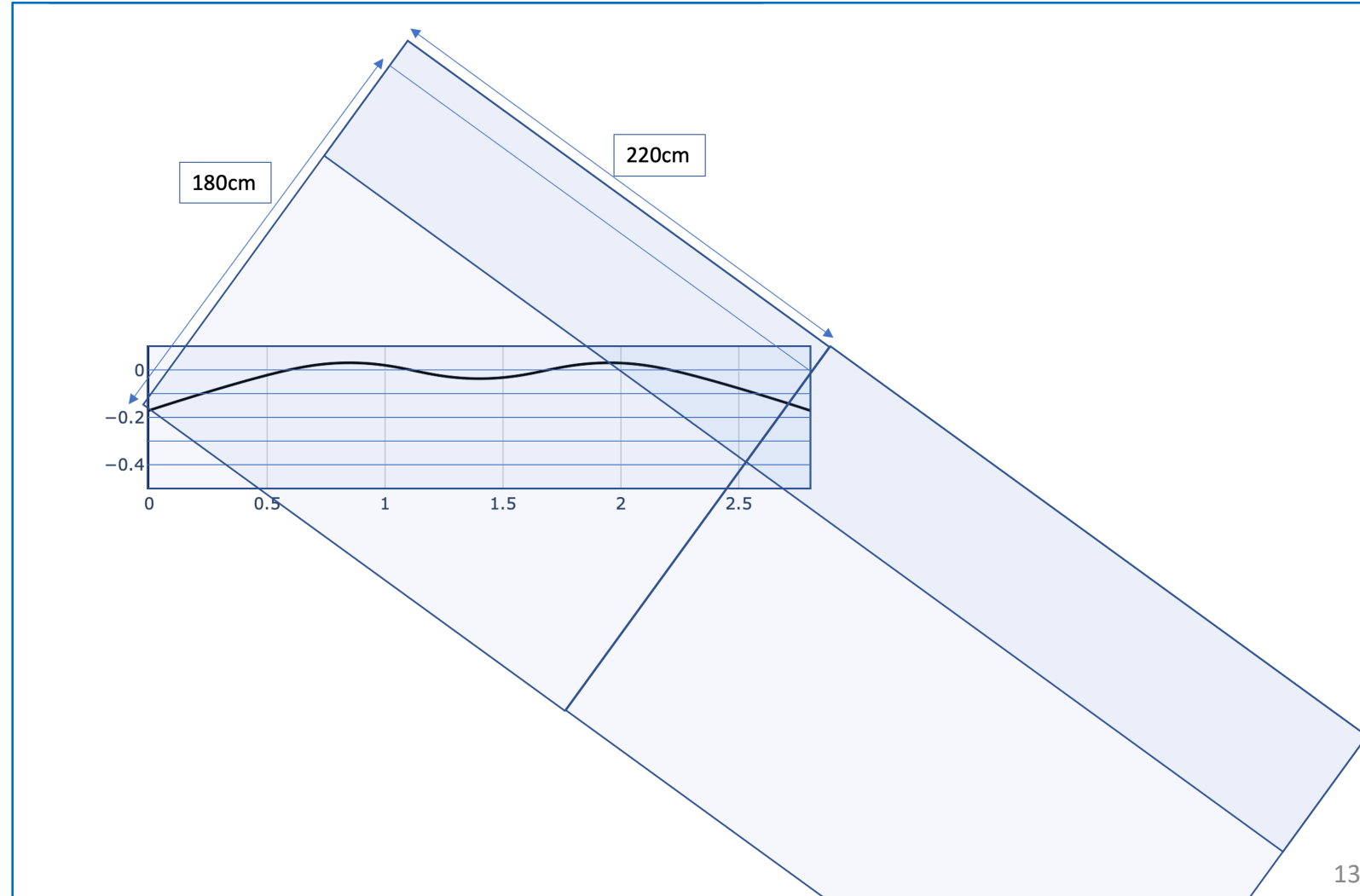
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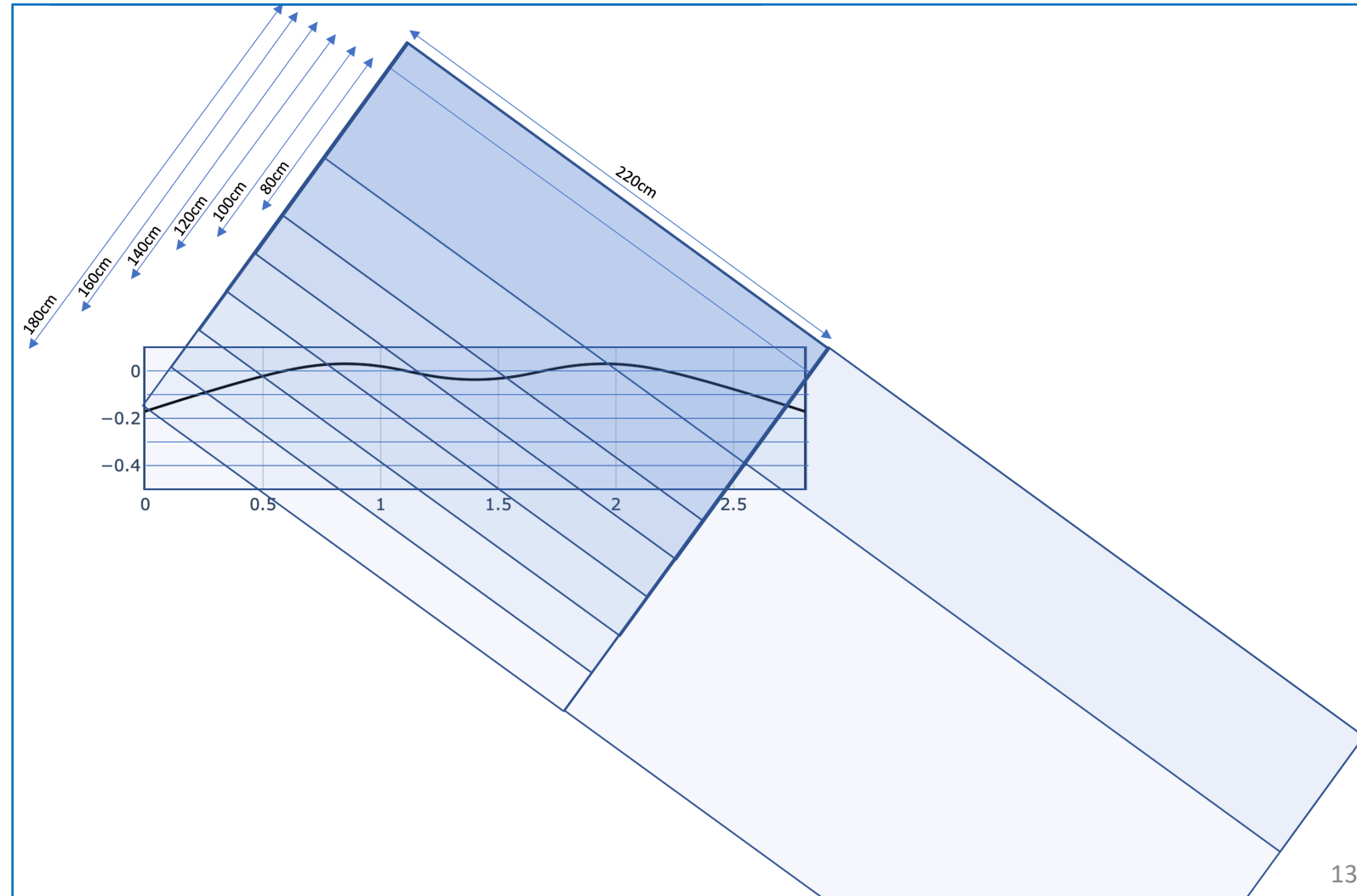
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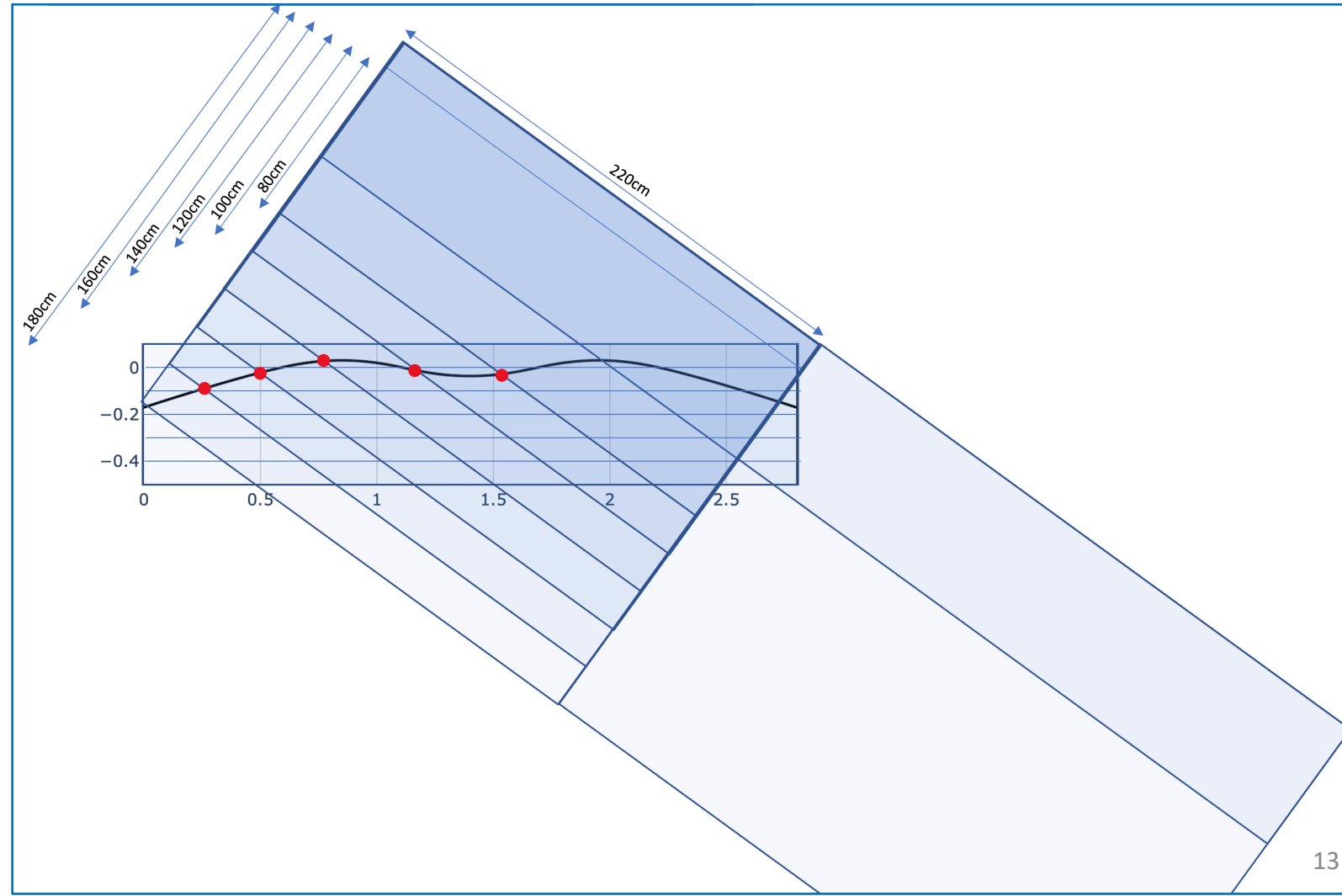
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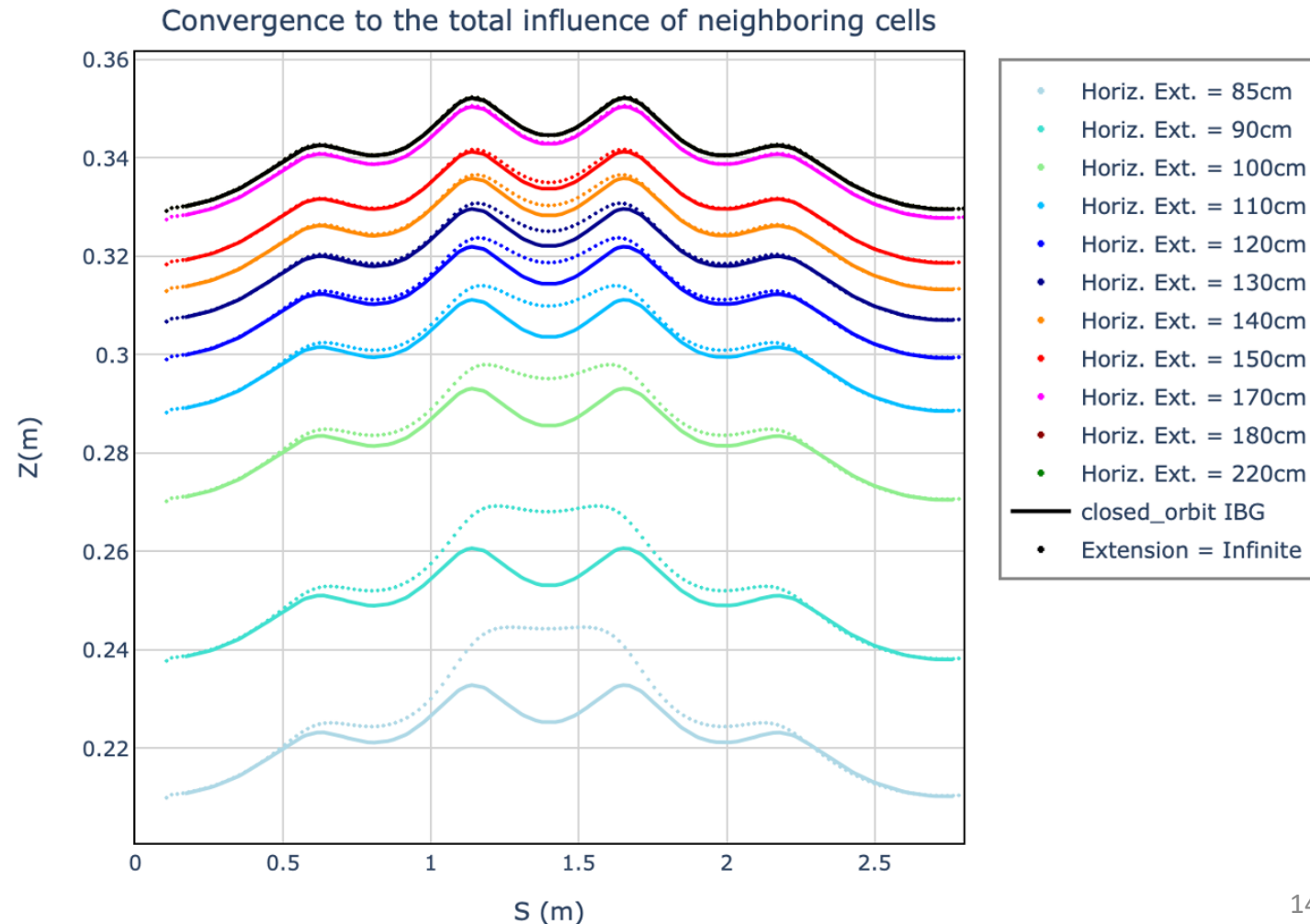


Closed orbits for different neighboring fieldmap extents



Orbit convergence with the field map extension from rotated truncated field maps computed with Zgoubi to « perfect » field map analytically computed

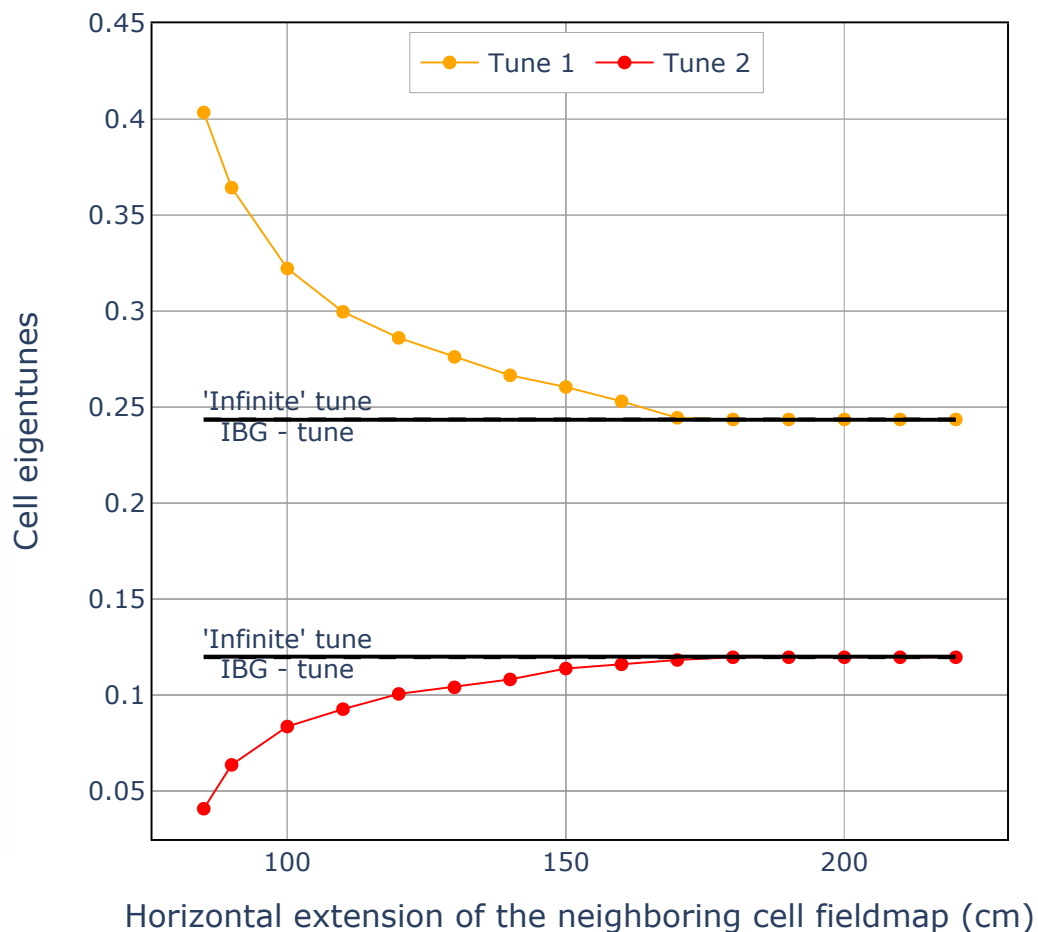
- The closed orbit given by S. Machida (IBG) is put at an arbitrary vertical coordinate to compare the shape and the vertical extension
- **Orbit convergence towards IBG orbit**, which is the same as the orbit found with the perfect field map
- **Vertical excursion** of the orbit with an increasing neighboring field map extension



Linear beam dynamics - Computation of the tunes

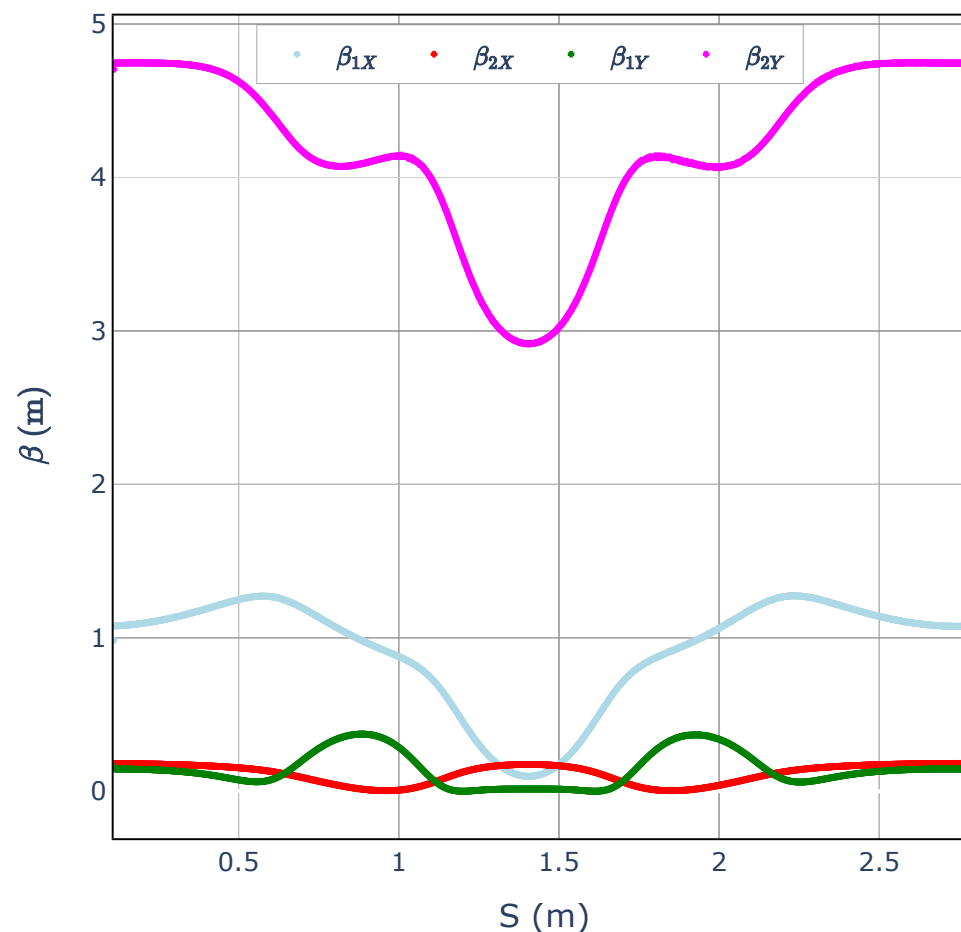
Convergence of the tunes:

- Tunes computed with the perfect map are **(0.24362, 0.119732)**, compared with IBG tunes: **(0.243445, 0.12002)**



Computation of the lattice functions:

- Correct computation of the lattice function with the Lebedev and Bogacz parametrization





Non-linear beam dynamics

2D Dynamic aperture - 4D Dynamic aperture

Dynamic aperture – 2D

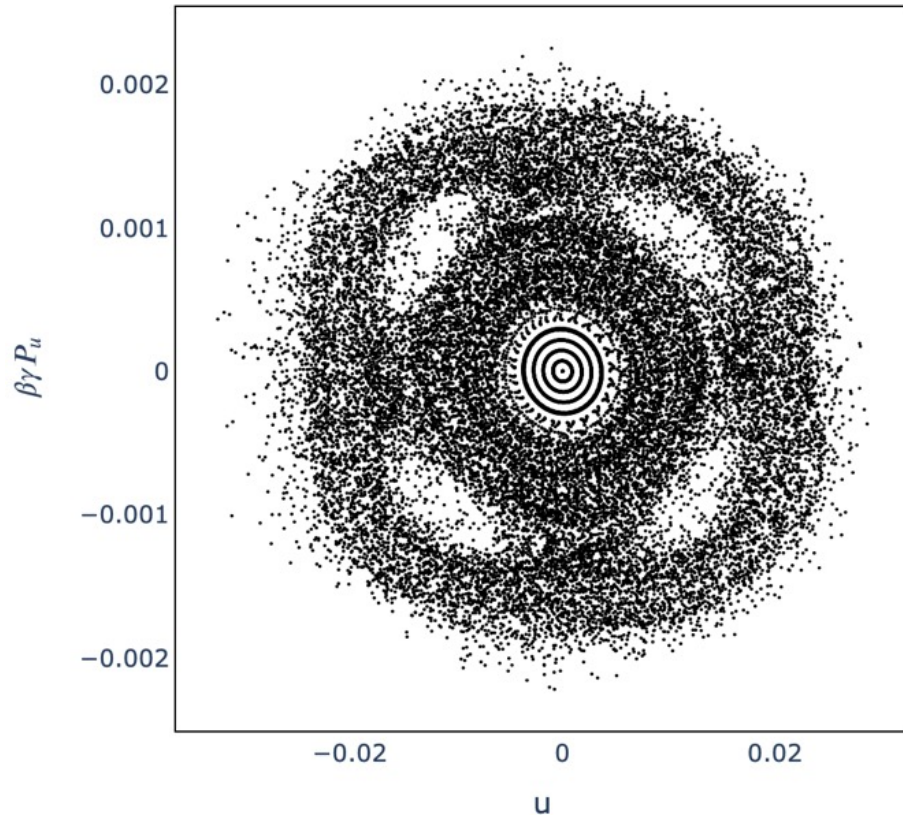
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Normalized dynamic aperture calculated with Zgoubi in eigenplanes on **100 turns**

- Assumed ellipse-shaped phase space
- Small “stable” region, then a more diffuse region, but where the particles are not lost
- Islands \rightarrow fixed points of order 4

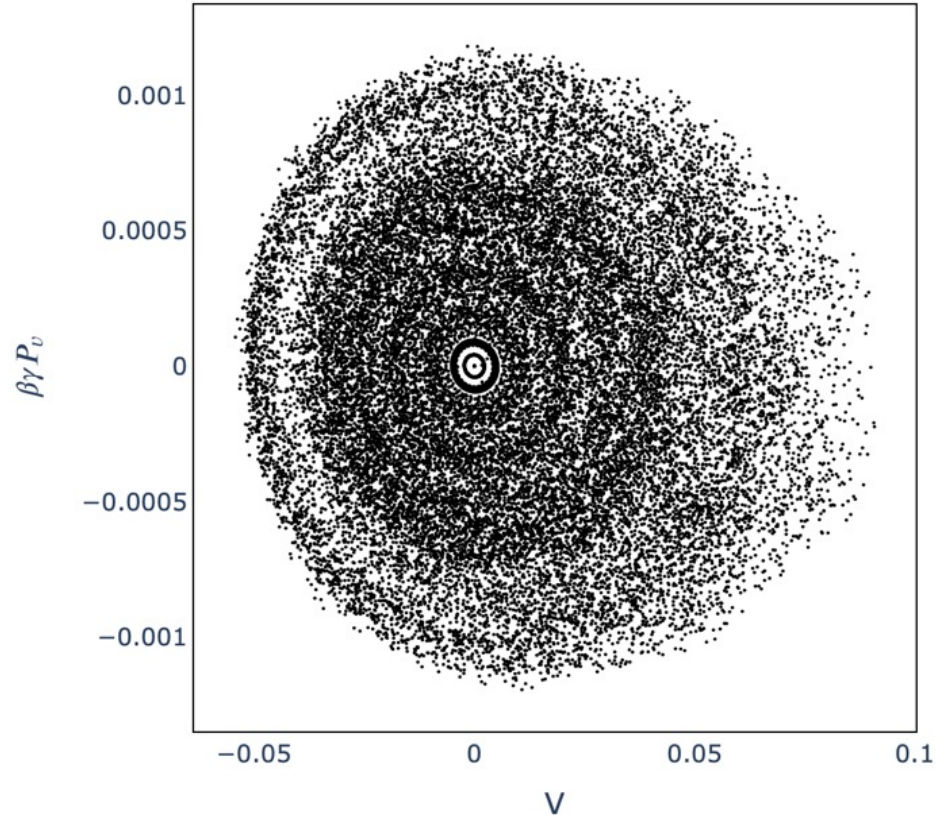
Neighboring cell fieldmap extension : Infinite

$e_u = 53.966\pi \text{ mm mrad}$



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$e_v = 74.81\pi \text{ mm mrad}$



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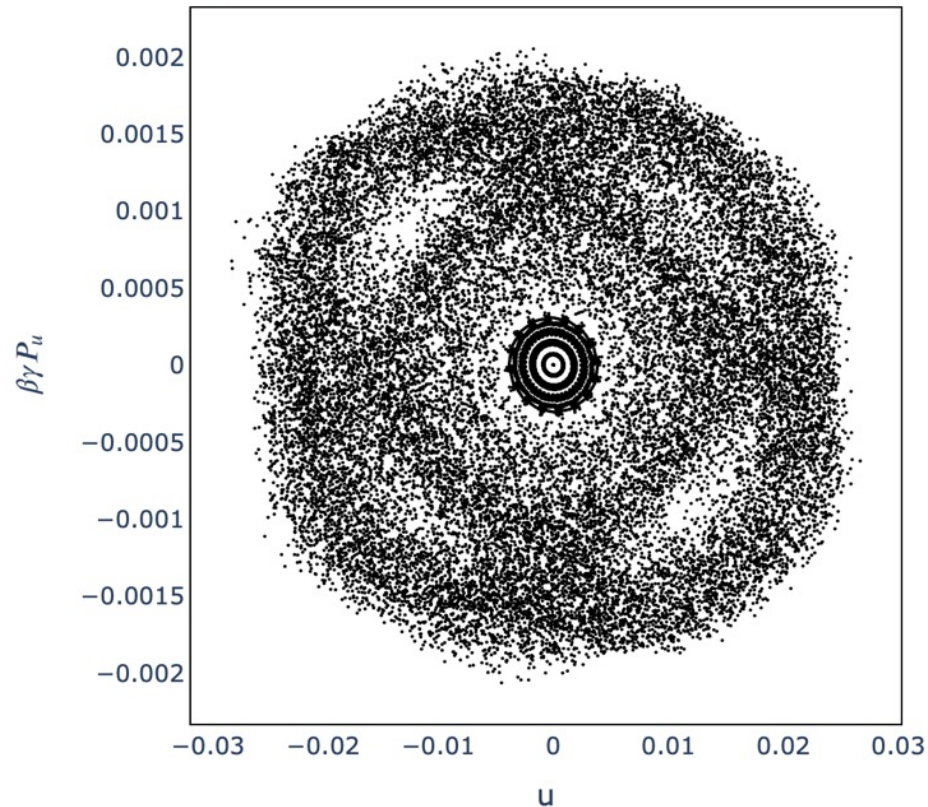
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- The phase space is even more “diffuse”
- We still observe the islands (4th order fixed points)
- The 2D-dynamic aperture (assuming ellipse formula) in u and v spaces decrease

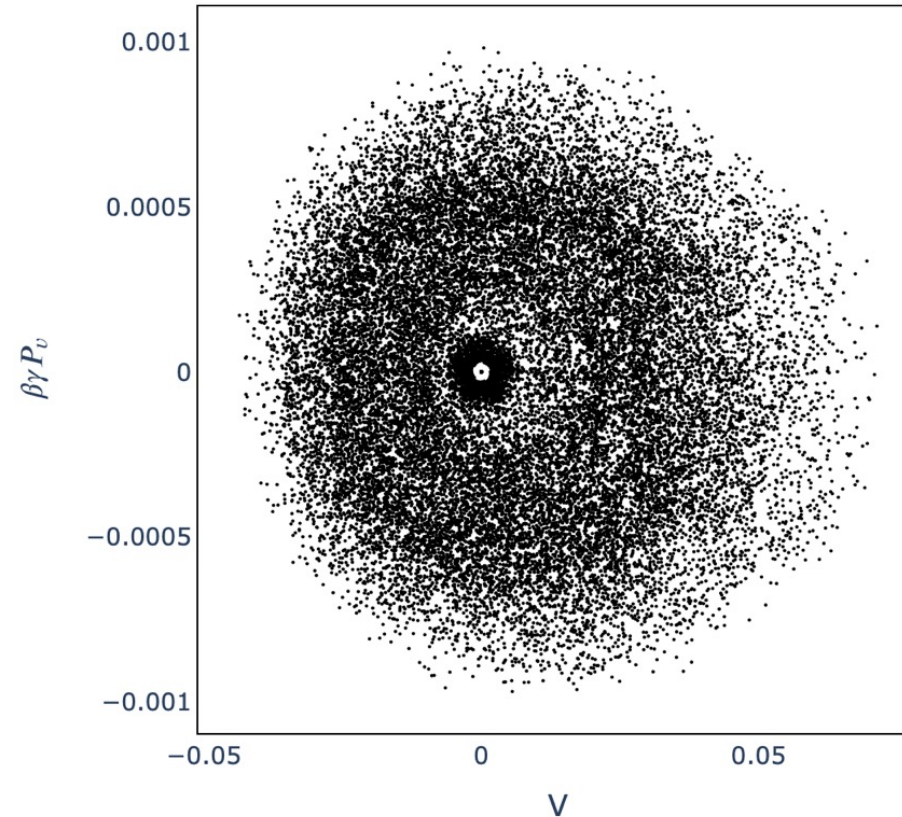
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$$e_u = 43.466\pi \text{ mm mrad}$$



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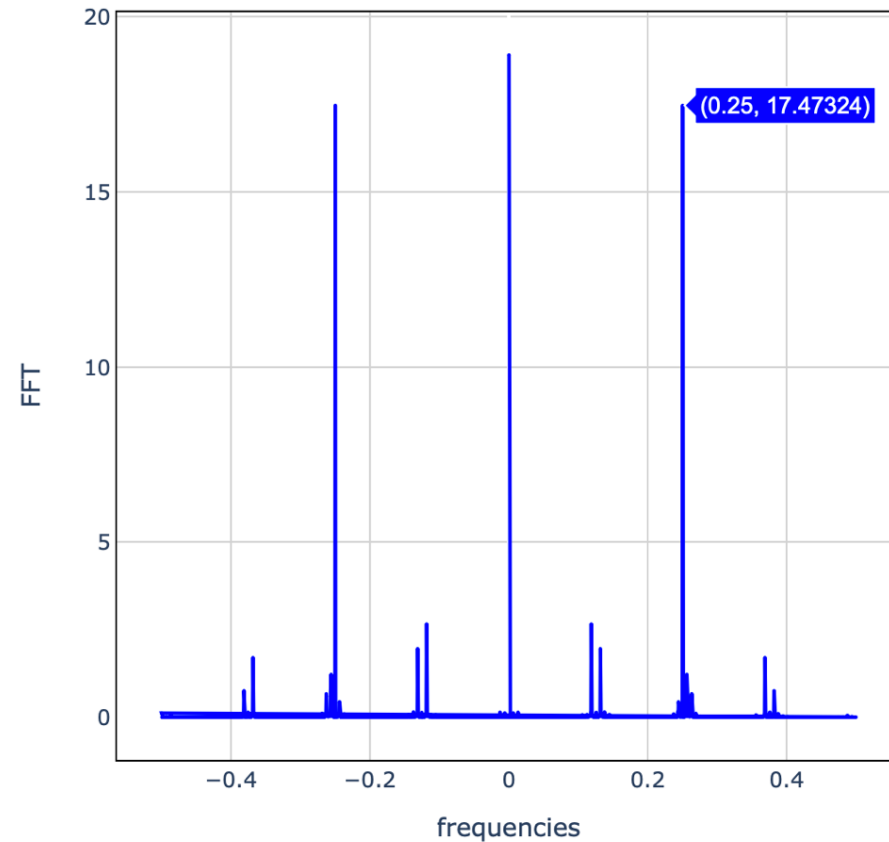
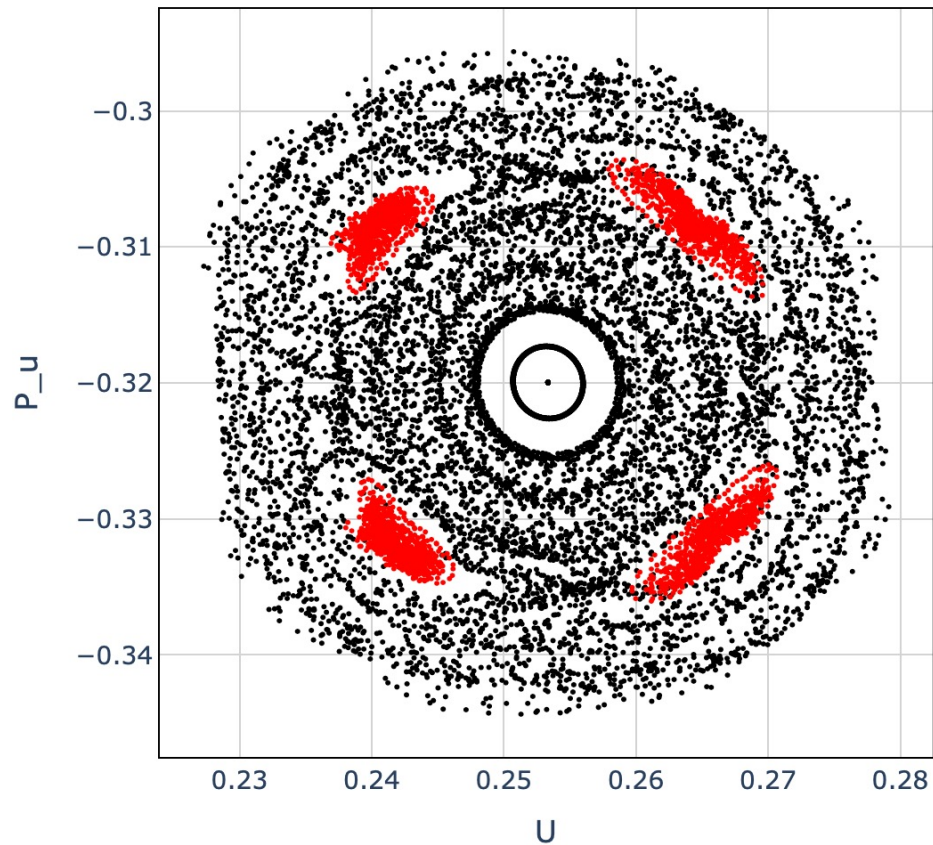
$$e_v = 41.208\pi \text{ mm mrad}$$



Dynamic aperture – 2D

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- Tracking of 3 particles into the islands
- The tune is 0.25, as expected



Dynamic aperture – Non-linearity considerations



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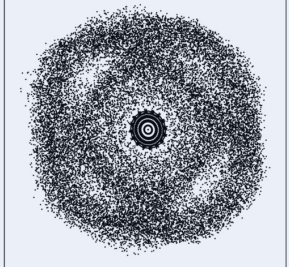
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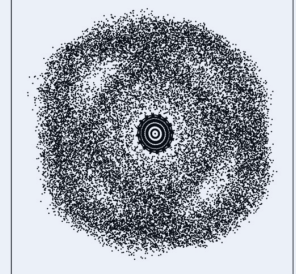
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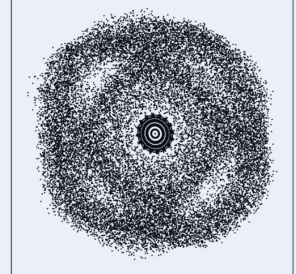
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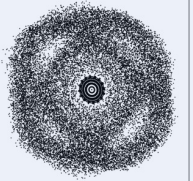
- Literature review for the 2D and 4D betatron motion
- Computation of 2D-DA for different amplitude ratios between decoupled planes
- Computation of a “theoretical” 4D-DA (average distance) to compare working points
- Computation of a “practical” DA based on precautionary principle for better interpretation

Non-linear coupling; “4D-DA”

Dynamic aperture – 2D

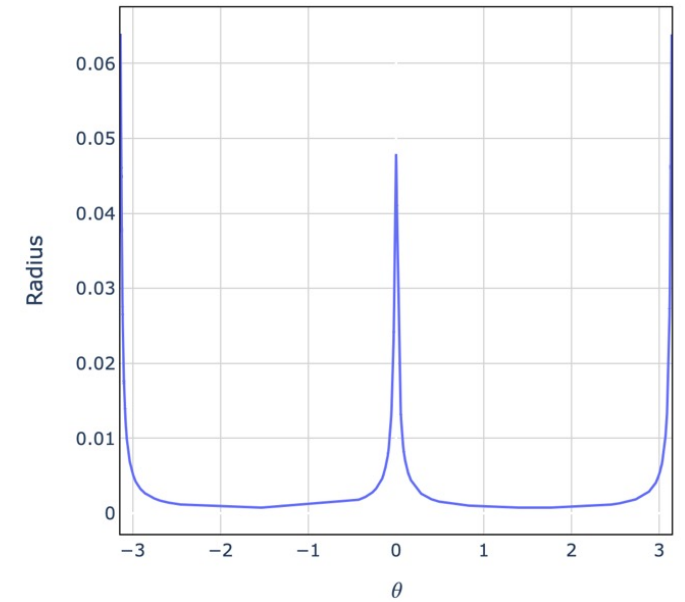
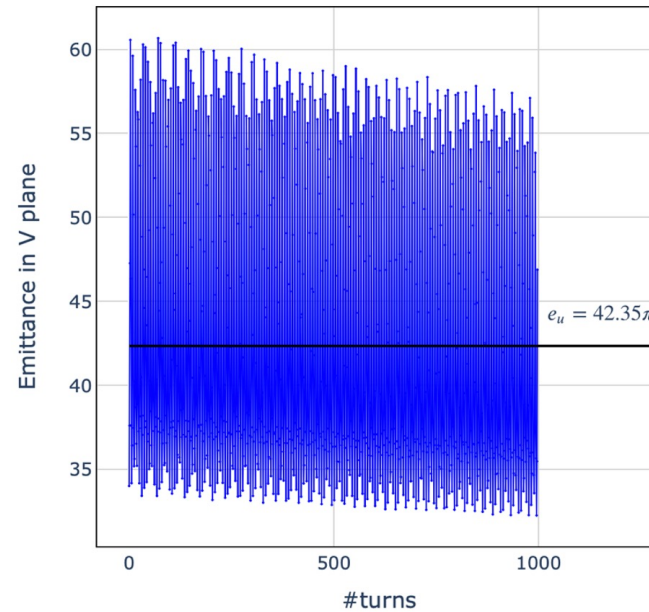
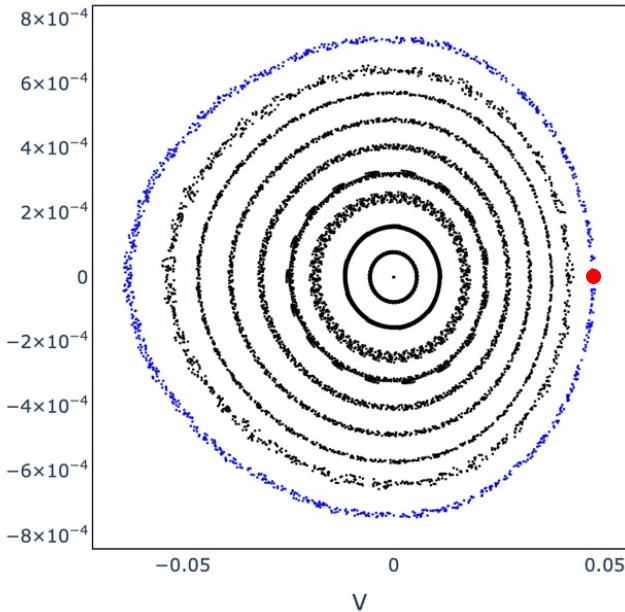
Non-elliptical shape; 2D-DA

- Different computation methods



Possible definitions for 2D-DA:

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Assume ellipse-shaped space

- Computation of the **Courant-Snyder invariant at a given point**

Average of linear invariants

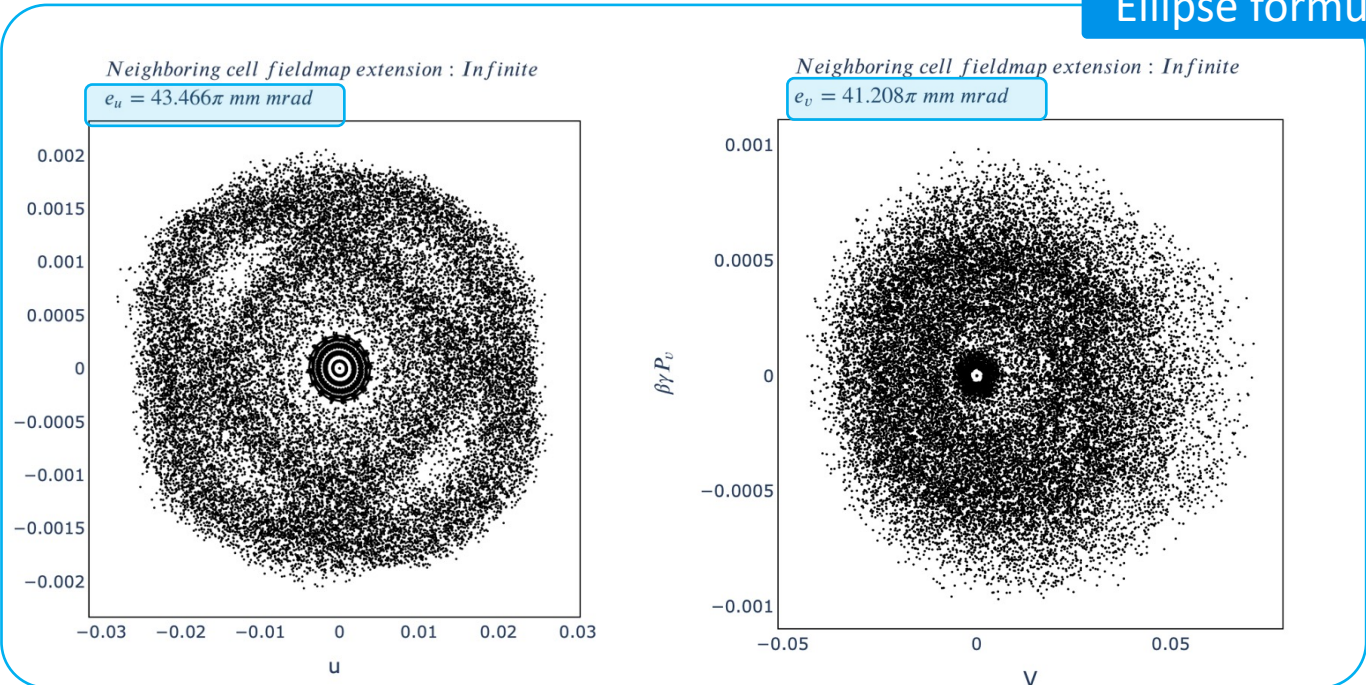
- **Average** of the emittances computed with the **ellipse formula for each blue point in the cloud** (each turn)

Integration over phase space

- Points cloud in **$R - \theta$ form** and **integrate** around the innermost points of the phase space area

Dynamic aperture 2D – FETS-vFFA

Ellipse formula

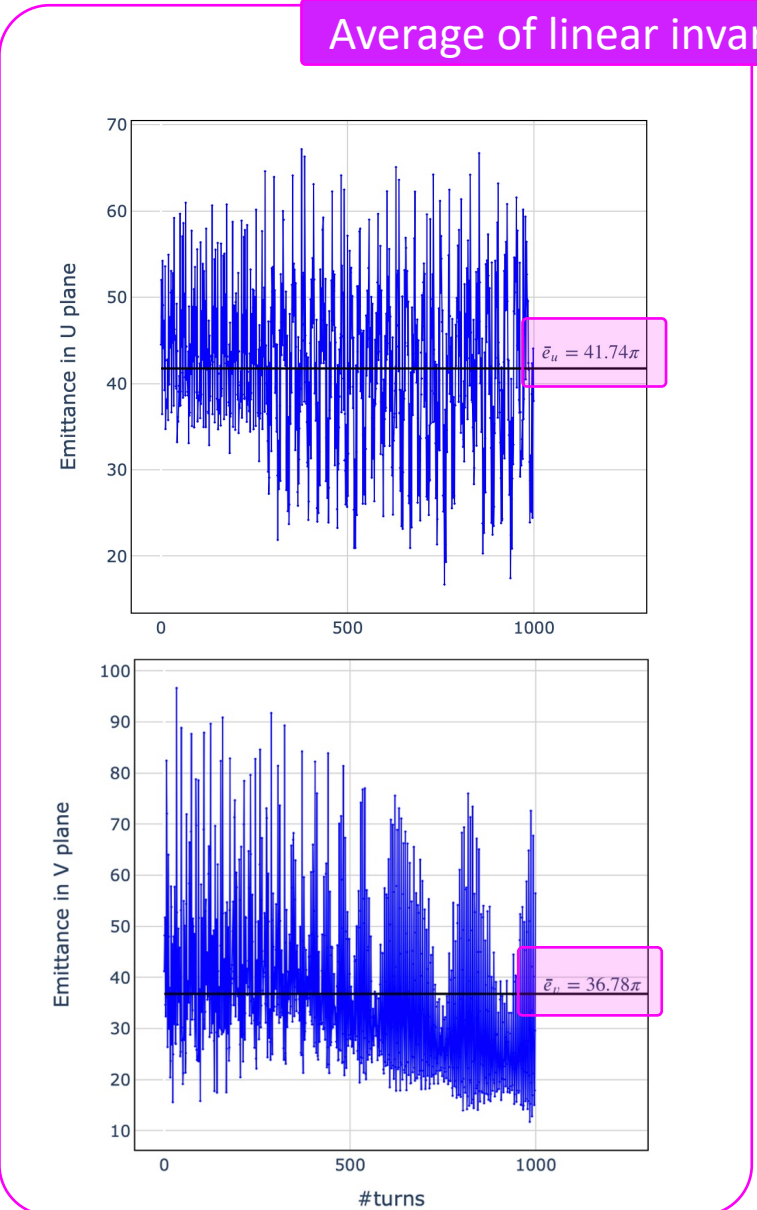


Integration over phase space

- $e_u = 42.016 \pi \text{ mm mrad}$,
- $e_v = 35.412 \pi \text{ mm mrad}$

We obtain something very **similar** between the DA calculated with the **average of the linear invariants** and the DA calculated with the **integration over the phase space**

Average of linear invariants



Dynamic aperture – 4D

- More robust definition for the 4D motion:
 - Literature review
 - 2D-DA (various decoupled planes amplitude ratios)
 - "Theoretical" 4D-DA (average distance)
 - "Practical" DA (precautionary principle)

- Examples of papers that extensively discuss Dynamic Aperture:
 - **E. Todesco and M. Giovannozzi, 'Dynamic aperture estimates and phase-space distortions in nonlinear betatron motion', *Phys. Rev. E* 53(4), 4067 (1996).**
 - M. Giovannozzi and E. Todesco, Numerical methods to estimate the dynamic aperture, *Part. Accel.* 54, 203 (1996).
 - S. Tygier, *et al.*, 'The PyZgoubi framework and the simulation of dynamic aperture in fixed-field alternating-gradient accelerators', *Nuclear Instruments and Methods in Physics Research Section A: Accelerators, Spectrometers, Detectors and Associated Equipment*, 775, pp. 15–26 (2015).
 - Giovannozzi, M., Scandale, W. and Todesco, E. (1996) 'Prediction of Long-Term Stability in Large Hadron Colliders', LHC Project Report 45-Rev.
 - Bojtár, L. (2020) 'Frequency analysis and dynamic aperture studies in a low energy antiproton ring with realistic 3D magnetic fields', *Physical Review Accelerators and Beams*, 23(10), p. 104002.

Dynamic aperture – General considerations

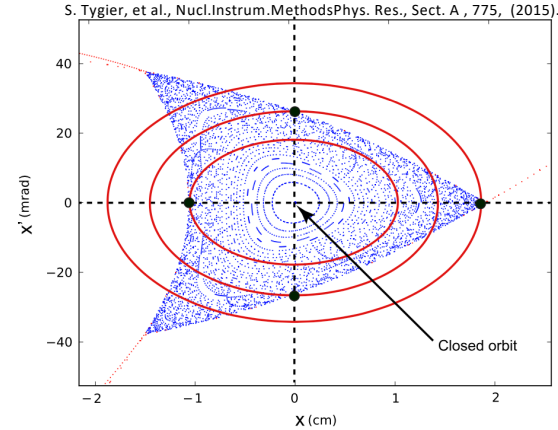
- « **General** » definition: **stability domain** – particles bounded after **N turns**
- **Dependent on N**, and N depends on the application
 - How many turns do we need for the full acceleration cycle?
 - For hadron storage ring: predict « long-term » stability
- **Dependent on the motion** we look at:
 - **2D betatron motion**, without coupling
 - Stability domain = phase space **area** of initial conditions that survive N turns
 - Border between stable/unstable motion (1D KAM torus) → stability domain enclosed by the last connected stable invariant curve
 - **4D betatron motion**, including coupling
 - Stability domain = phase space **volume** of initial conditions that survive N turns
 - Volume may be irregular/have holes but generally not the case
 - Dynamic aperture: **radius of the hypersphere** with the same volume as the stability domain



Dynamic aperture – 2D betatron motion

- Methods without averaging - precautionary principle:

- With the linear definition, the ellipse depends on the direction because of the phase distortion
 → Choose the smaller possible ellipse.



- Methods that give an average distance to stability border:

- Direct integration: $\int \int \chi(x, p_x) dx dp_x \quad A_{\vartheta} = \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{r(\vartheta)} r dr d\vartheta = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{2\pi} [r(\vartheta)]^2 d\vartheta \quad r_{\vartheta} = \left[\frac{A_{\vartheta}}{\pi} \right]^{1/2}$
 - Scan on all phase space variables needed
- Integration over the dynamics $\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} [r(\vartheta)]^2 d\vartheta \rightarrow \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N [r^{(n)}(\bar{\vartheta})]^2$
 - Fix θ and replace the space average with average over the N iterates
 - Uniform distribution of the phases of the iterates needed
- Normal form method: $\rho(\bar{\vartheta}) = |\Psi(r(\bar{\vartheta}) \cos \bar{\vartheta}, r(\bar{\vartheta}) \sin \bar{\vartheta})|^2$
 - Compute the NL invariant with the truncated inverse conjugating function
 - Not valid close to a resonance

Dynamic aperture – 4D betatron motion

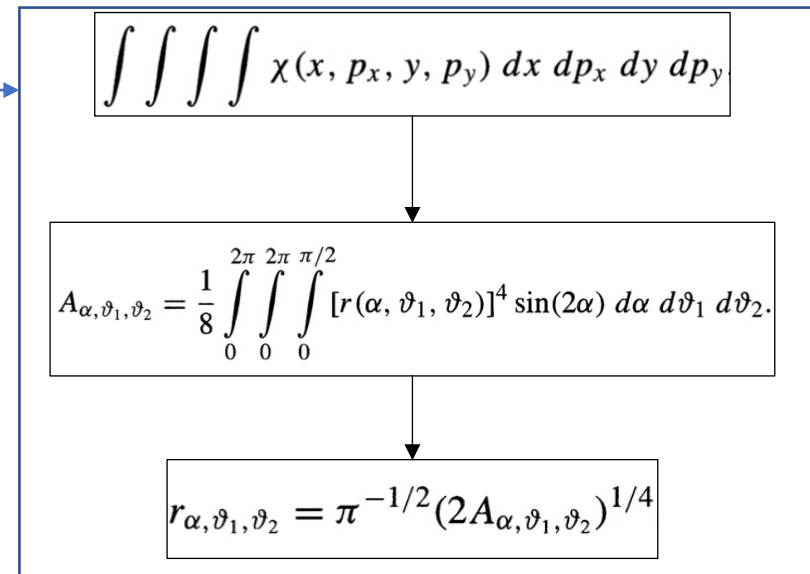
- **Coupling** between ‘linearly decoupled’ planes **due to non-linearities**
 - Ratio between the amplitudes in the different planes; Use of α such that $x = r \cos(\alpha)$ and $y = r \sin(\alpha)$
- «**Fast DA estimates**», commonly used : $\frac{x}{y} = 1$ ($\alpha = 45^\circ$) with $\theta_x = \theta_y = 0$
 - Unprecise results, can not be used with non-negligible phase space distortion or ‘ratio-dependent’ dynamics

- **Methods that give an average distance to stability border:**

- Direct integration:
 - Scan on all phase space variables
 - 4 variables; CPU time consuming

- Integration over the dynamics
 - Generalization of the 2D case
- Normal form method
 - Generalization of the 2D case

- **Methods without averaging:**
 - Scan different α and take the minimum DA



Dynamic aperture – 4D motion – « roadmap »

Methods for 4D motion dynamic aperture computation in a strongly non-linear and coupled lattice

- Computation of **2D-DA** (ϵ_1, ϵ_2) for **different amplitude ratios** between the decoupled planes to account for the non-linearity
 - Evolution of the ϵ_1 et ϵ_2 invariants as a function of α and computation of the average of ϵ_1 and ϵ_2 ; ϵ_1 and ϵ_2 can be related to measurable parameters with appropriate lattice functions (linear coupling).
- Computation of a **“theoretical” 4D-DA estimate** (average distance to the stability border) to **compare working points**
 - Direct integration: scan all the phase space variables
 - Integration over the dynamics
 - The 4th order islands of stability are taken into account, and a metric representing the « filling factor » is being defined to account for the topology of the phase space
- Computation of a **“practical” DA** based on precautionary principle for **better interpretation**
 - **Launch an elliptical shape bunch** → Every particle needs to survive N turns
 - Define the DA in the **coupled space**



- Fieldmaps for the **FETS-vFFA arctan lattice** have been generated, and particles tracked with Zgoubi
 - There is an **important influence of neighboring cells** due to the significant cell ends residual fields
→ The actual superposition of field maps is needed
- The detailed study of the **linear transverse beam dynamics** has been performed
 - The **influence** of the neighboring cell **field map extents** on the orbit and tunes have been studied, and **convergence** towards the 'infinite' map has been found
 - The **tunes and lattice functions** have been computed and are **similar** to those obtained with other codes
- An **in-depth study of the non-linear dynamics** of the lattice is **in progress**
 - The **2D normalized dynamic apertures** were calculated in the decoupled planes with Zgoubi, without non-linearities; **Islands of stability** appear in phase space.
 - Different **definitions and methods to calculate the DA** exist in the literature for **2D and 4D** betatron motion; it includes definitions based on a **phase space variable average** or the '**precautionary principle**'.
 - **Methods to study completely the 4D motion dynamic aperture** in a **strongly non-linear and coupled lattice** have been suggested. An in-depth study of dynamic aperture in the full 4D phase space is still in progress.