

IBS and Instrumentation in IOTA

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Goals and Objectives

■ Goals

- ◆ Verify accuracy of our instrumentation
 - Bunch length
 - Beam emittances
 - Momentum spread
 - Bunch and beam current measurements
 - ◆ Optics verification as a byproduct of beam size measurements
 - Coupling
 - ◆ Measurements/calibration of RF voltage
 - Beam deceleration due to interaction with vacuum chamber and RF
 - ◆ Characterization of longitudinal impedance
 - ◆ Characterization of vacuum: measured by gages versus actual
- The above measurements/parameters are related through:
IBS, Touschek scattering, scattering at the residual gas, longitudinal impedance, RF voltage calibration

Beam Current and Bunch Length

■ DCCT (N:IBEAM)

- Beam current range: > **100 μA**
- Typical offset: up to 10 μA
- Rms noise: 2.5 μA

■ Wall Current Monitor (N:IWCM1 & N:IWCMIG)

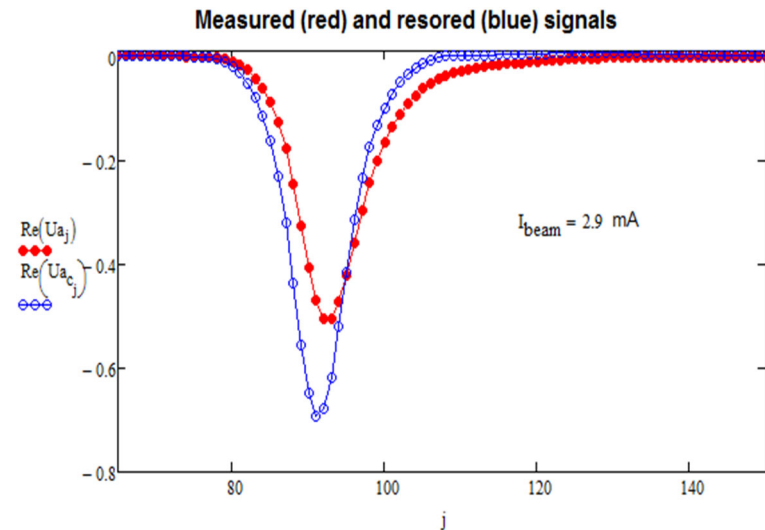
- ◆ Dispersion in the cable is corrected online
 - Beam current range: > **5 μA** (100 turn average on the scope)
 - Typical offset: none
 - Rms noise: 0.16 μA
- ◆ Two types of computations: (1) Computations with the base line and (2) fitting to a Gaussian
They yield close results for the beam current but
Are not identical for the bunch length

■ Photomultiplier

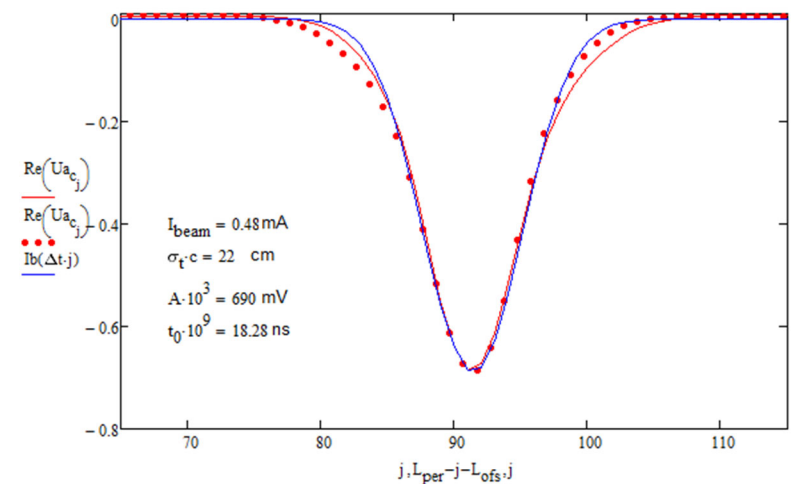
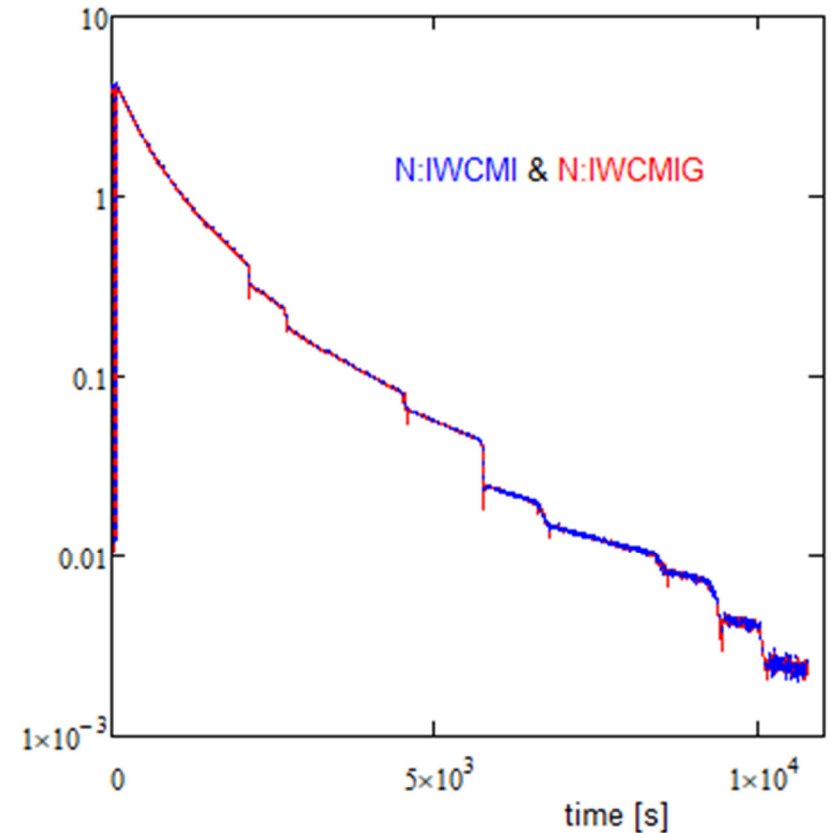
- ◆ Entire range from single electron to maximum beam current
- ◆ Non-linear response on beam current
- ◆ Absolute calibration is done using WCM and DCCT
 - Questionable from countable number of electrons (<1000) to ~5 μA

Wall Current Monitor

- Bunch self-compression with the current increase
- Non-gaussian tail

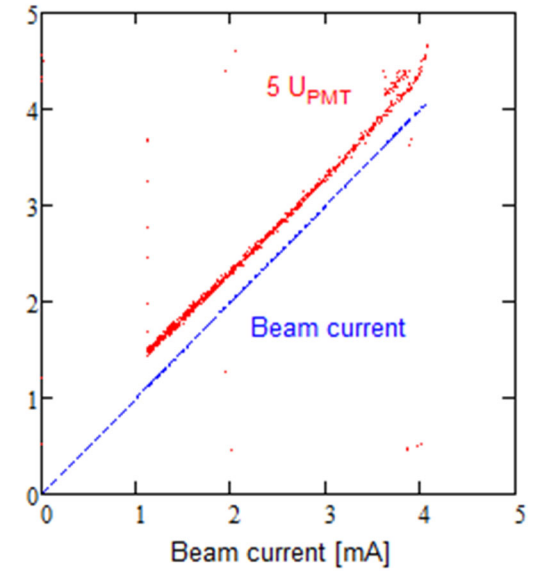
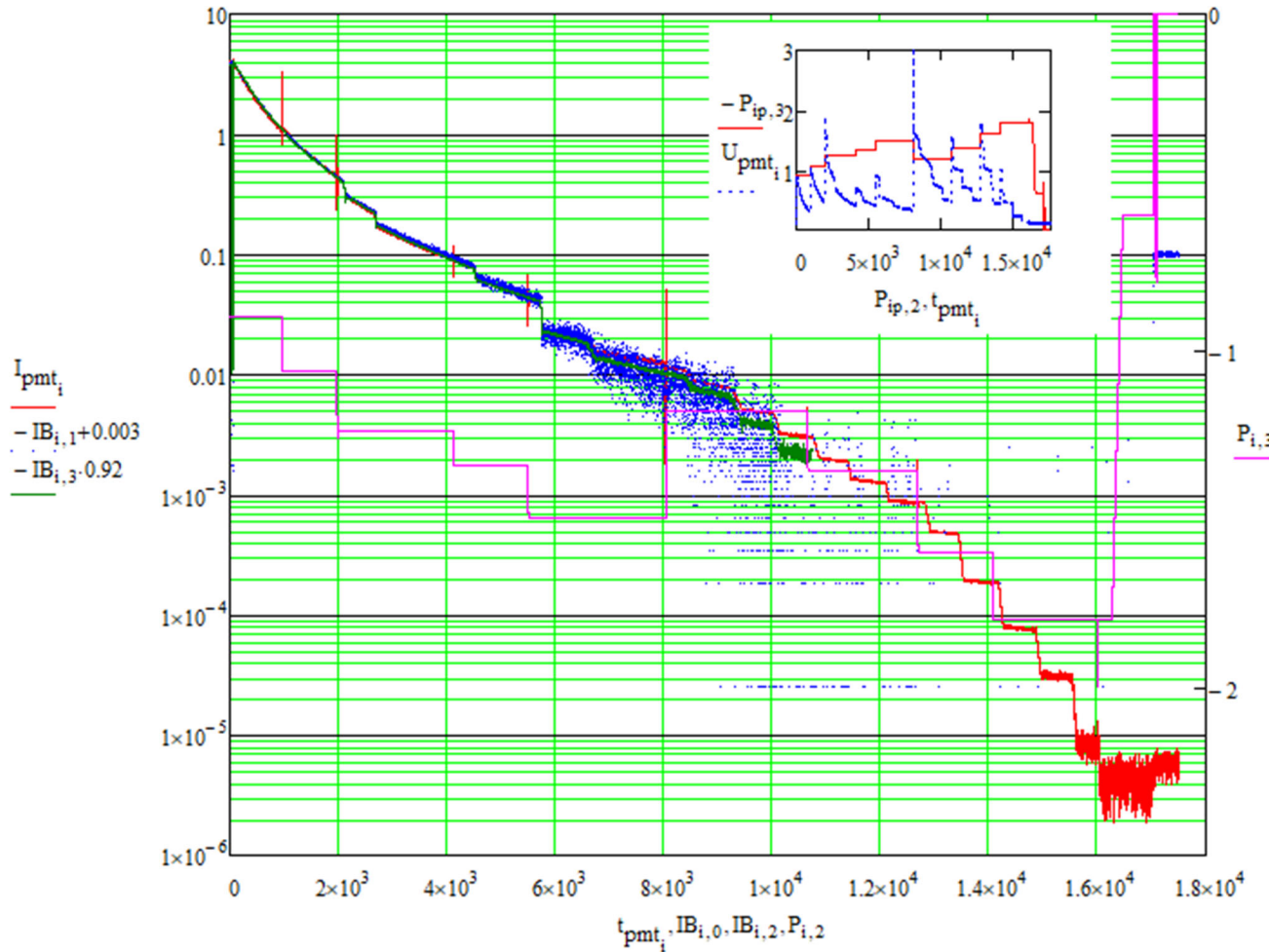


- close results for the beam current
beam current measurements for two types of beam current computation



PMT

- N:IBEASL - PMT current (\propto IBEAM)
- N:ISHV2 - proportional to the PMT voltage



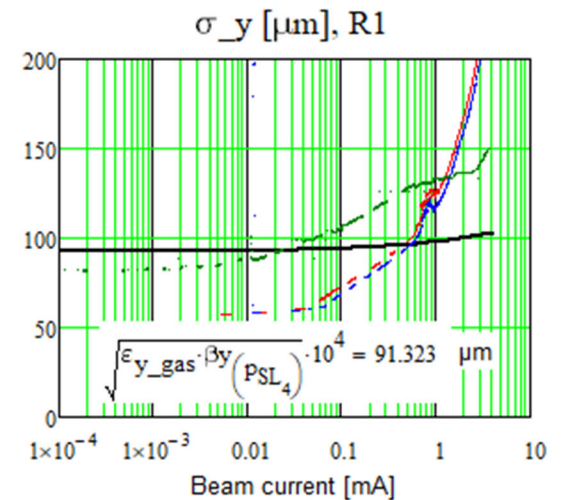
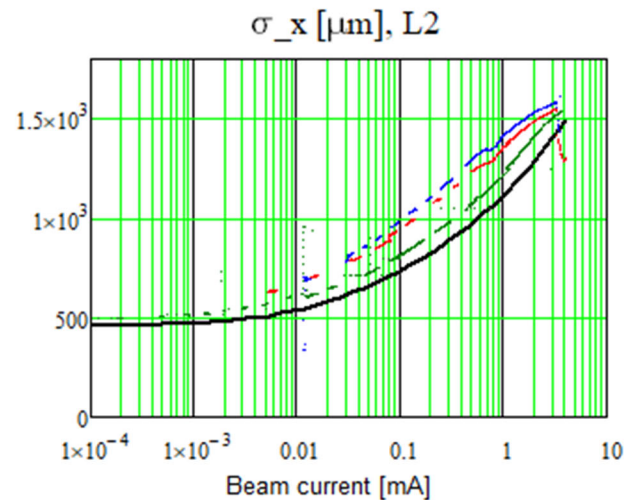
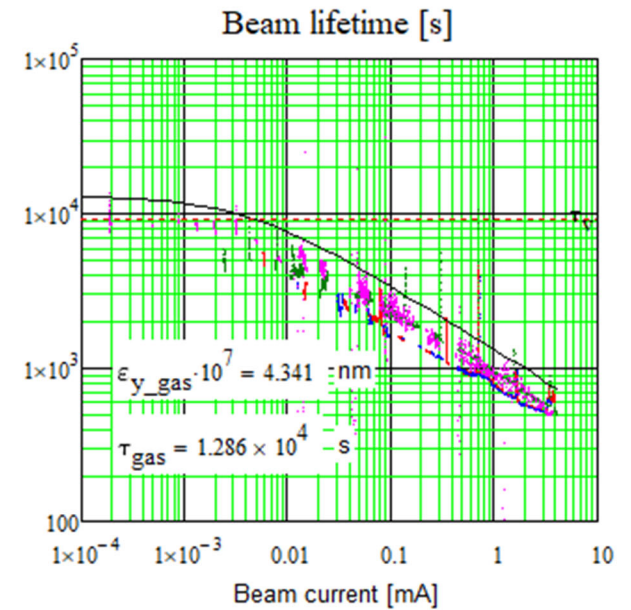
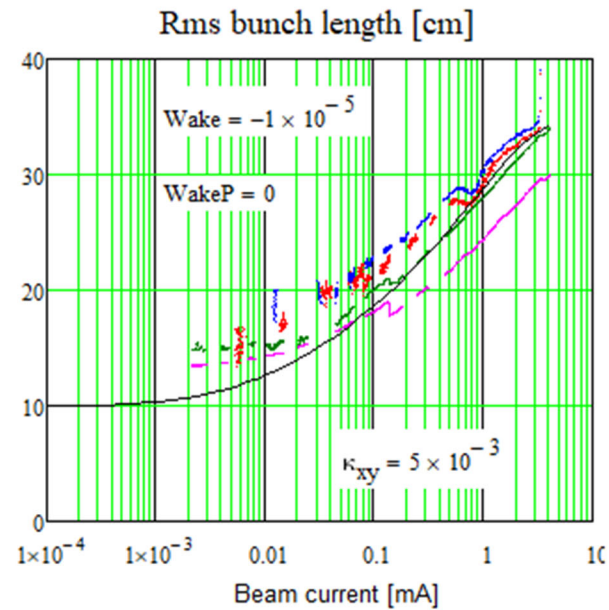
Combination of DCCT, WCM and PMT beam currents

Simulations of beam parameters evolution

- What is accounted
 - ◆ SR damping and heating
 - ◆ Single and multiple scattering at the residual gas
 - ◆ Single (Touschek) and multiple IBS
- RF voltage was calibrated to good accuracy
- Machine acceptances are measured with the beam kicks
- Beam optics should be in good shape
- Other things to be looked in
 - ◆ Inelastic scattering at the residual gas
 - ◆ Bremsstrahlung

Preliminary Results of Simulations

- We acquired 3 measurements
- They are not identical while formally were taken in the same conditions
- Coupling change is a probable reason
- Possible accumulation of ions in the first two measurements which have smaller coupling



Preliminary Results of Simulations

- Measured bunch length at small beam current is longer than in the model
 - ◆ Need to determine heating mechanism
 - Energy loss due to residual gas ionization
 - Energy loss due to bremsstrahlung
- Measured beam lifetime at large current is worse (smaller) than in the model
 - ◆ For now, no idea why
- Discrepancy between the measured vertical emittance and beam lifetime at small beam current
 - ◆ Possible reason: unaccounted contributions from
 - energy loss due to residual gas ionization
 - energy loss due to bremsstrahlung