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# Iota Based Experiments: Space-Charge Simulations

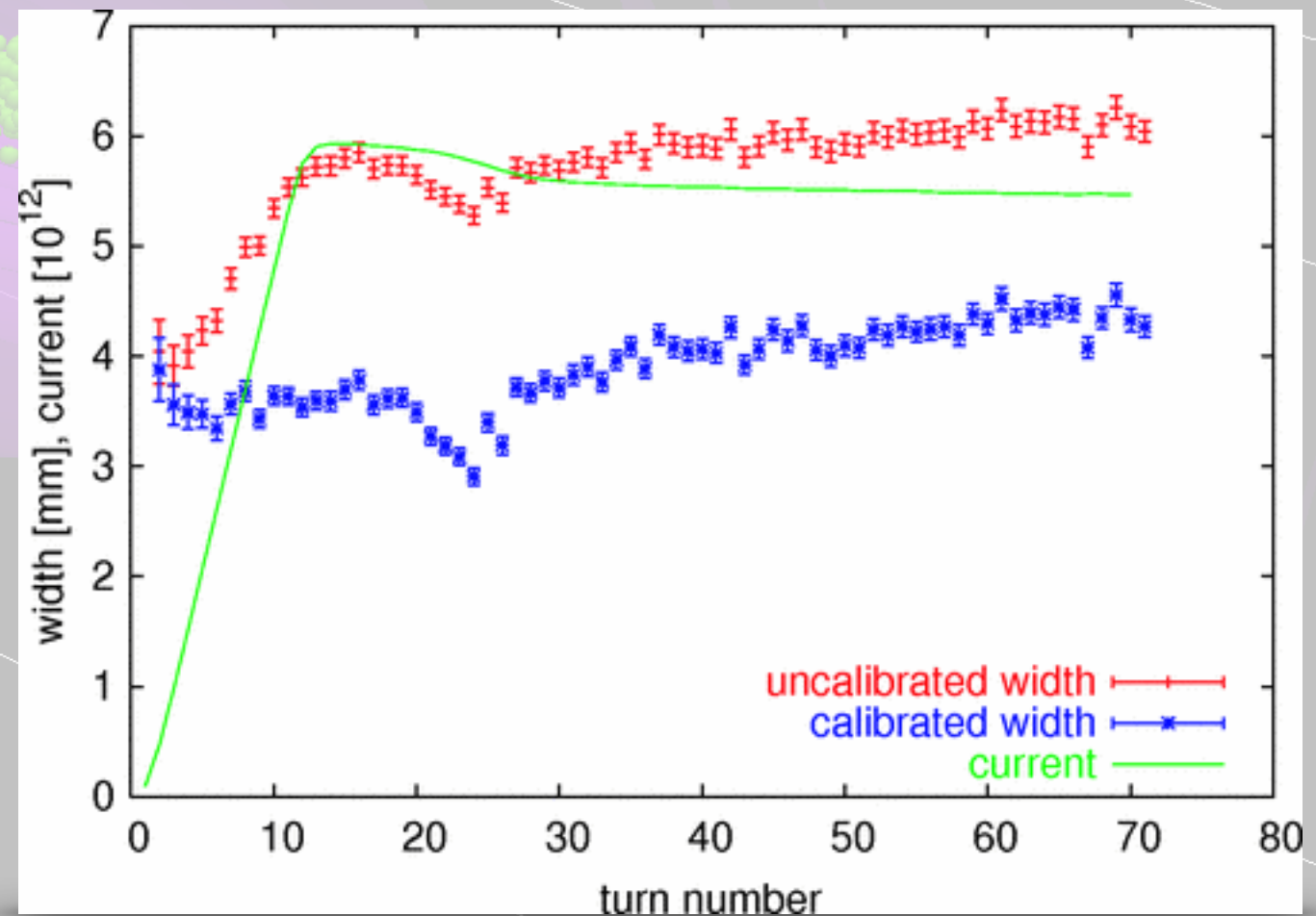
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# Objectives

- Ultimate goal is to develop and study space-charge mitigation techniques
- utilization of IOTA special non-linear elements
  - investigate performance for less restrictive configurations than a fully integrable optics system —discussed in Dave's talk— e.g. characterize how “off” you could go with beam shape and still get a positive effect
- other elements (electron-lens) or even more conventional approaches (using more conventional elements to manipulate the beam)

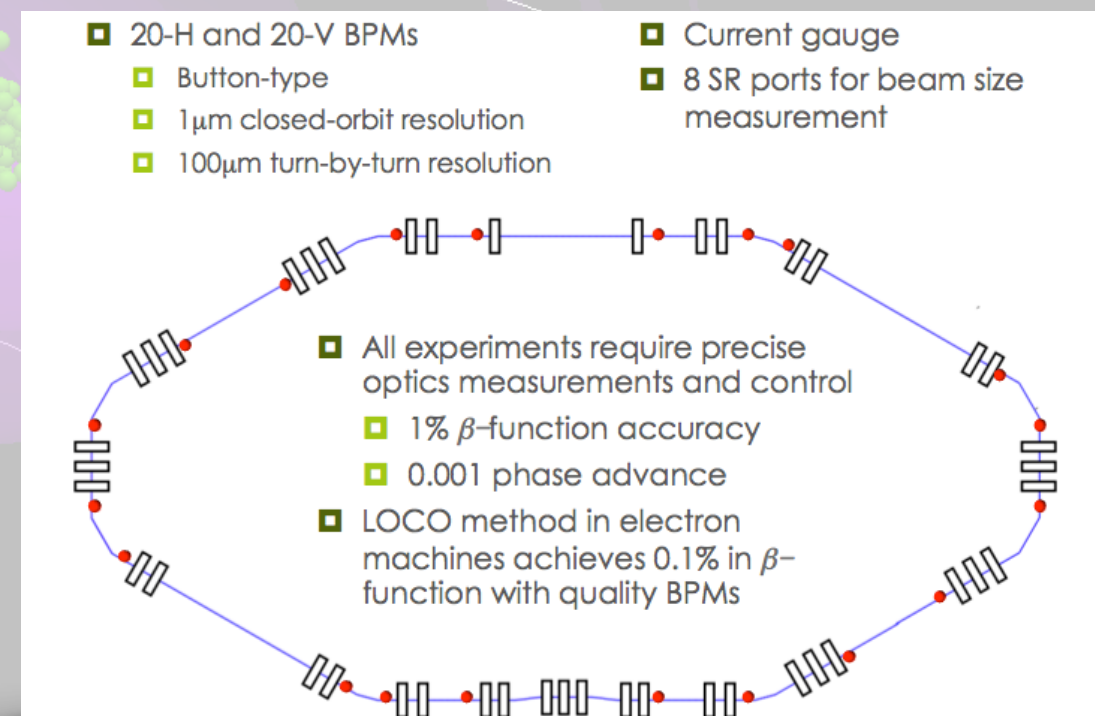
# But before we get there....

- Establish the validity of the numerical model
  - with and without space-charge
- Leads to specific requirements for instrumentation and beam
  - types of instrumentation and measurement accuracy
  - beam type, energy, injection parameter control



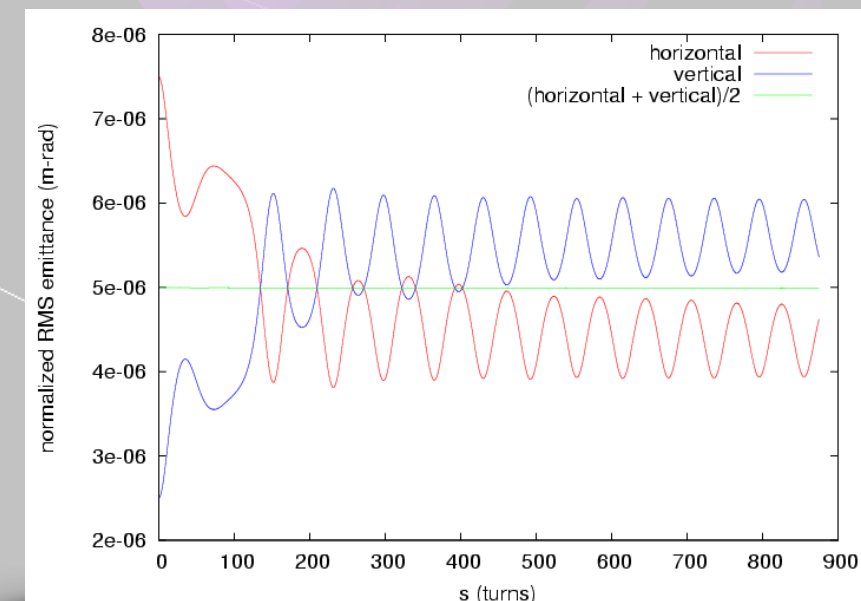
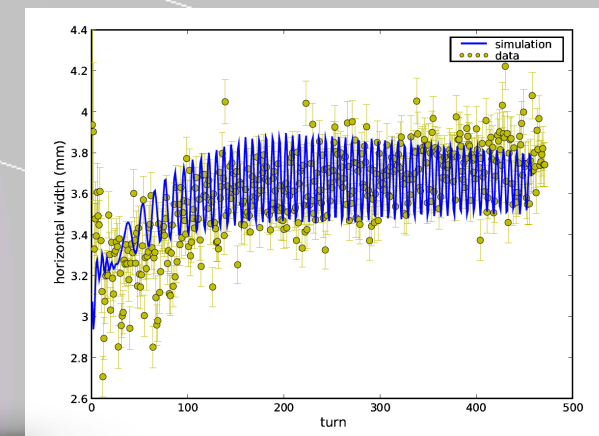
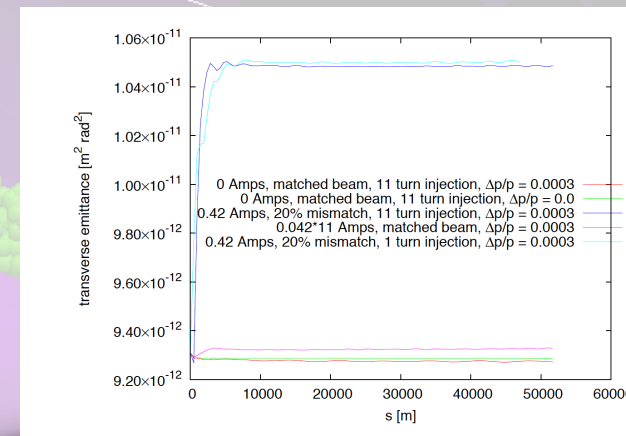
# Instrumentation & beam parameters

- Turn-by-turn position, profile & current measurements
- Ability to precisely measure beta functions (OK)
- Transverse (more than one location) and longitudinal profiles (OK?)
- Ability to manipulate injected beam (shape, position), vary beam current
- Ability to achieve space-charge tune shift  $> 0.25$ 
  - high-current low energy protons preferable



# Validation studies

- Build IOTA model (lattice function measurements, apertures); also correctors and non-linear element(s)
- Measure emittance growth for different initial conditions (matching, current, momentum spread; different beam distributions —if possible—) and compare with simulation predictions





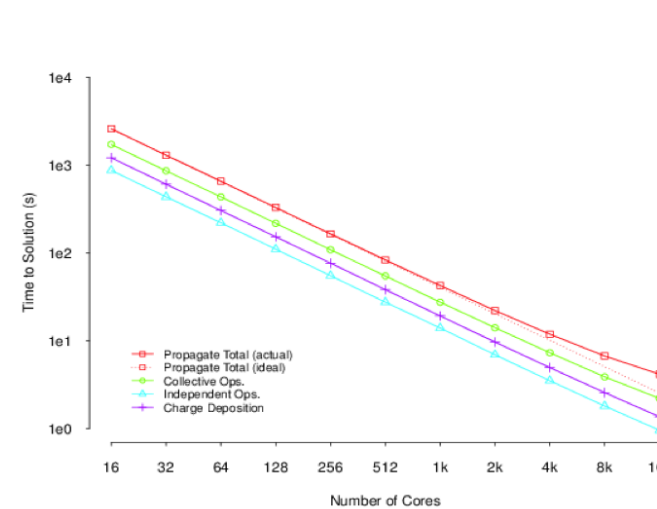
# Experiments

- Emittance exchange (Montague resonance,  $2Q_x - 2Q_y = 0$ ; differentiate from transverse plane coupling) in the presence of space-charge
  - compare with simulation, model and measure transverse plane coupling
- Resonance crossing with and without strong space-charge
  - compare with simulation predictions (beam loss & beam characteristics and time evolution)
- Study behavior of beam (different currents, shapes) with special non-linear optics
  - numerical modeling and measurements

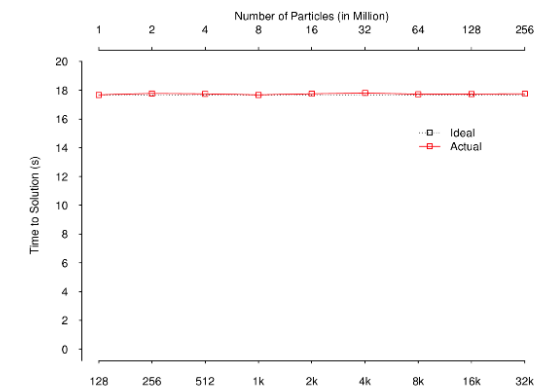
# Simulation

- Use the Synergia framework
- fully 3D PIC solvers
- parallel
- allows modeling of billions of macro particles for accurate loss/halo prediction

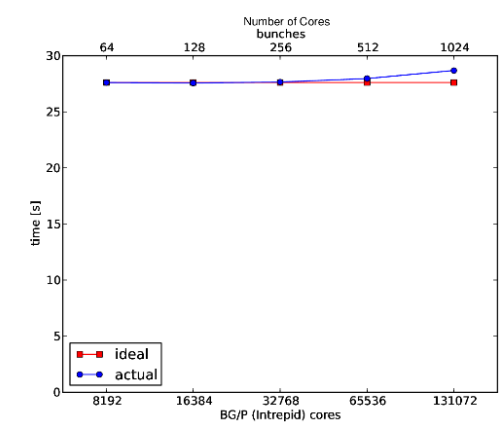
Scaling results on ALCF machines: Mira (BG/Q) and Intrepid (BG/P)



Single-bunch strong scaling from  
16 to 16,384 cores  
32x32x1024 grid, 105M particles



Weak scaling from  
1M to 256M  
particles  
128 to 32,768 cores



Weak scaling from  
64 to 1024 bunches  
8192 to 131,072  
cores  
Up to over  $10^{10}$   
particles

# Synergia

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# Synergia

- Accelerator simulation package
  - independent-particle physics
    - linear or nonlinear
  - collective effects
    - simple or computationally intensive
  - can go from simple to complex, changing one thing at a time
- Goal: best available physics models
  - *best* may or may not mean *computationally intensive*

<https://web.fnal.gov/sites/Synergia/>

- Designed for range of computing resources
  - laptops and desktops
  - clusters
  - supercomputers
- Goal: best available computer science for performance
  - significant interaction with computer science community

Synergia is developed and maintained by the  
Accelerator Simulation group  
in Fermilab's  
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# Physics

- Single-particle physics are provided by CHEF
  - direct symplectic tracking
    - magnets, cavities, drifts, etc.
  - (and/or) arbitrary-order polynomial maps
  - many advanced analysis features
    - nonlinear map analysis, including normal forms
    - lattice functions (multiple definitions)
    - tune and chromaticity calculation and adjustment
    - etc.
- Apertures
- Collective effects (single and multiple bunches)
  - space charge (3D, 2.5D, semi-analytic, multiple boundary conditions)
  - wake fields
    - can accommodate arbitrary wake functions
  - electron cloud
    - proof of principle only

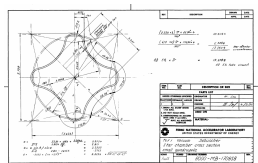
# Space charge in Synergia

Variety of boundary conditions and levels of approximation

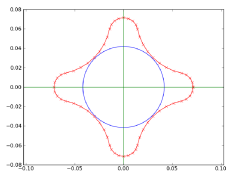
- 3D open transverse boundary conditions
  - Hockney algorithm
  - open or periodic longitudinally
- 3D conducting rectangular transverse boundary
  - periodic longitudinally
- 3D conducting circular transverse boundary
  - periodic longitudinally
- 2.5D open boundary conditions
  - 2D calculation, scaled by density in longitudinal slices
- 2D semi-analytic
  - uses Bassetti-Erskine formula
  - $\sigma_x$  and  $\sigma_y$  calculated on the fly
- New space charge models can be implemented by the end user

# Synergia aperture model

- Apertures can be associated with elements and/or steps
- 2D model
  - could be extended with slices
- Geometric
  - circular
  - elliptical
  - rectangular
  - polygon
  - wire
- Abstract
  - phase space
  - Lambertson
    - removes particles
- New apertures can be implemented by the end user



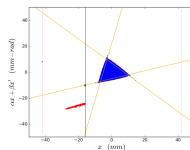
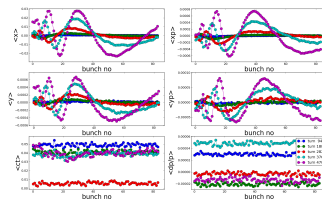
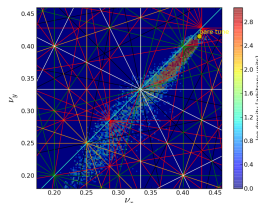
Engineering drawing of FNAL  
Debuncher quad cross section



Synergia implementation:  
detailed, but fast  
(inscribed circle optimization)

Synergia 2.1 is being used for all production work in our group at Fermilab.

- Fermilab Main Injector
  - space charge, multipoles, detailed apertures, orbit bumps
- Fermilab Booster
  - space charge, wakes, 84 bunches
- Fermilab Debuncher (Mu2e experiment)
  - space charge, ramping, resonant extraction
- Hybrid MPI-OpenMP and MPI-GPU versions





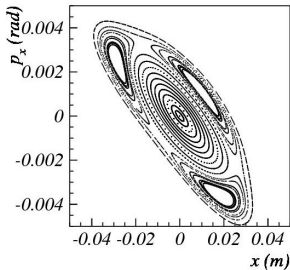
# Space charge trapping benchmark

- Space charge trapping benchmark in GSI SIS18
  - [http://web-docs.gsi.de/~giuliano/research\\_activity/trapping\\_benchmarking/main.html](http://web-docs.gsi.de/~giuliano/research_activity/trapping_benchmarking/main.html)
- Discussed elsewhere at this workshop
- *The aim of the code benchmarking is to confirm the space charge induced trapping of particles in a bunch during long term storage.*

# Benchmark step

The fifth step is to benchmark the phase space with test particles when the sextupole is on and in presence of space charge.

Benchmark



Synergia

