



Final Focus Feedback

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Outline

The need for a Final Focus feedback

The Final Focus feedback system for the ILC

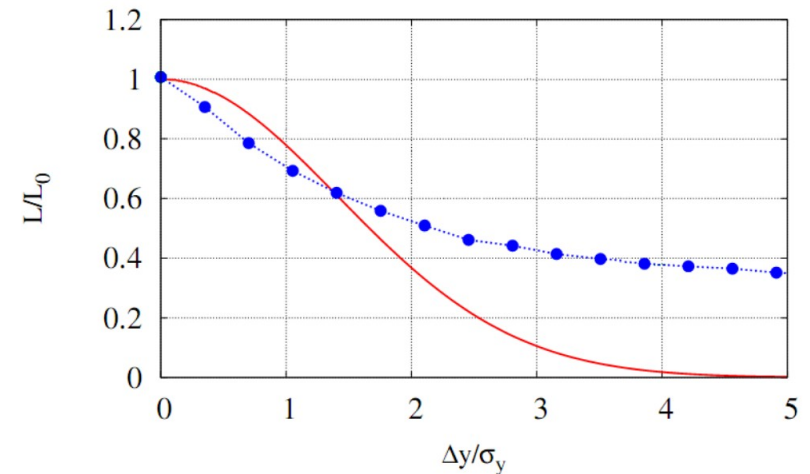
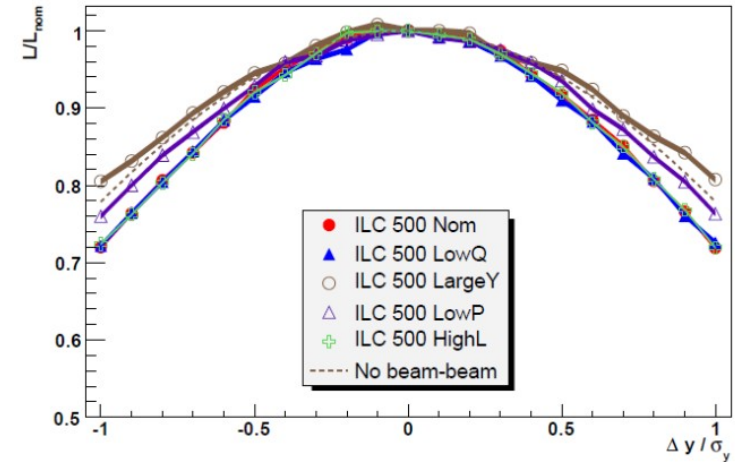
Considerations for C³

ILC: Luminosity at the interaction point

Much more important for a linear collider because beams do not circulate

Luminosity inversely proportional to product of horizontal and vertical beam size, but 'beamstrahlung' is inversely proportional to the sum \rightarrow use flat beam with

Luminosity rapidly degrades as a function of the beam-beam offset

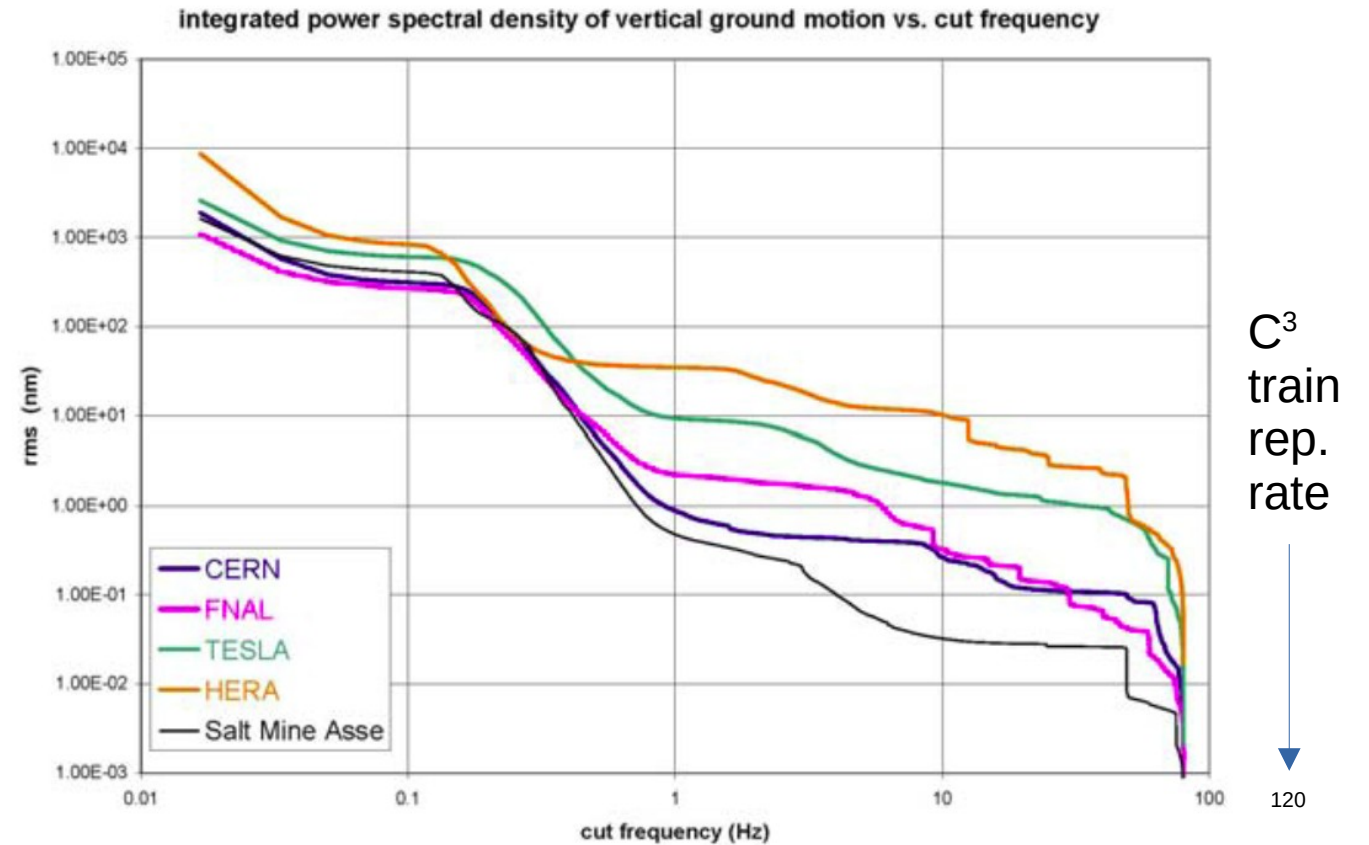


Ground motion

LC Vision → CERN is the relevant data set

On longer timescales (many C³ trains), motion of the ground (and hence the accelerator components) is comparable to the beam size

Over 1 s (0.1 Hz), motion of about 1 nm can be expected

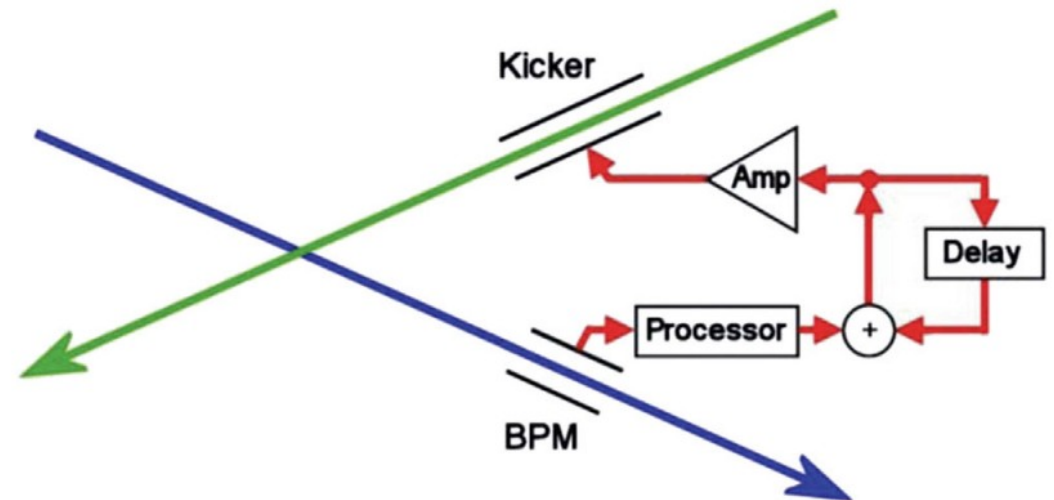


ILC: Final Focus feedback system

Last line of defence against relative beam misalignment

Measure (vertical) position of outgoing beam to infer the beam-beam deflection angle and hence the offset at the IP

Use fast amplifier and kicker to correct (vertical) position of incoming beam

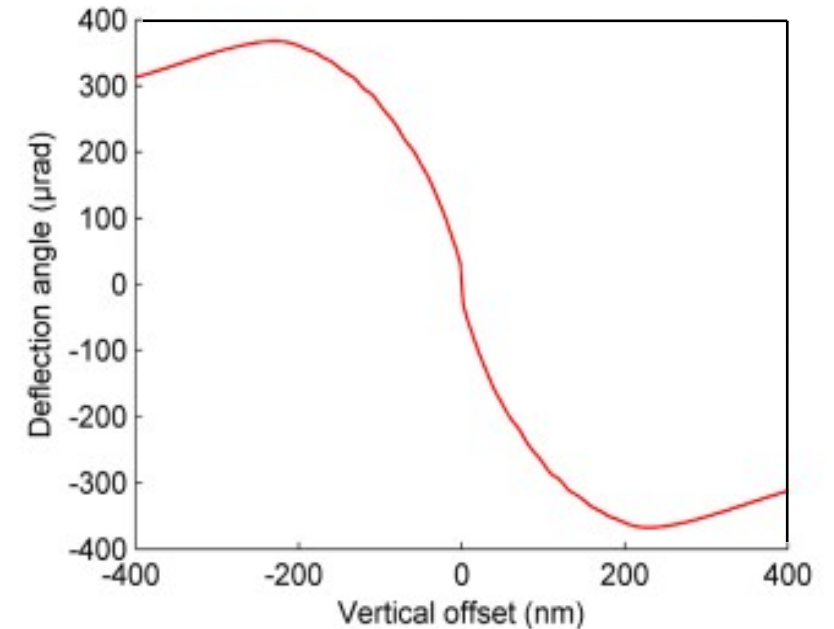


ILC: Operational range

A vertical offset at the IP causes a deflection that results in a much larger position offset downstream

The system is designed to compensate for a ± 200 nm vertical offset at the IP – for a 250 GeV beam, this corresponds to a measured offset of up to ± 1400 μm at the outgoing BPM

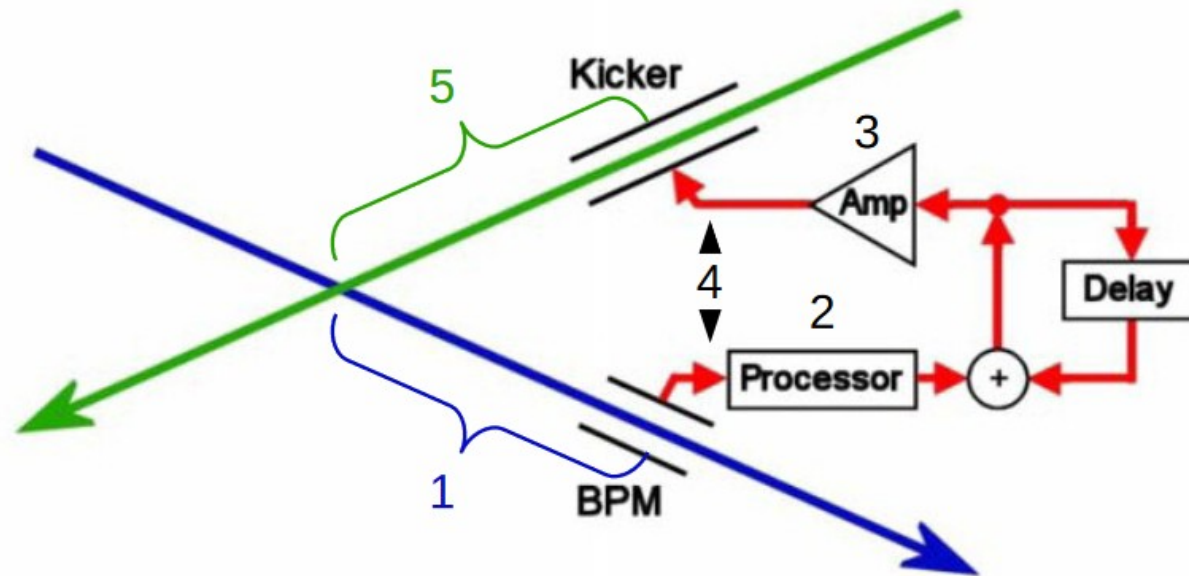
Correcting this requires the incoming beam to be deflected by ± 60 nrad



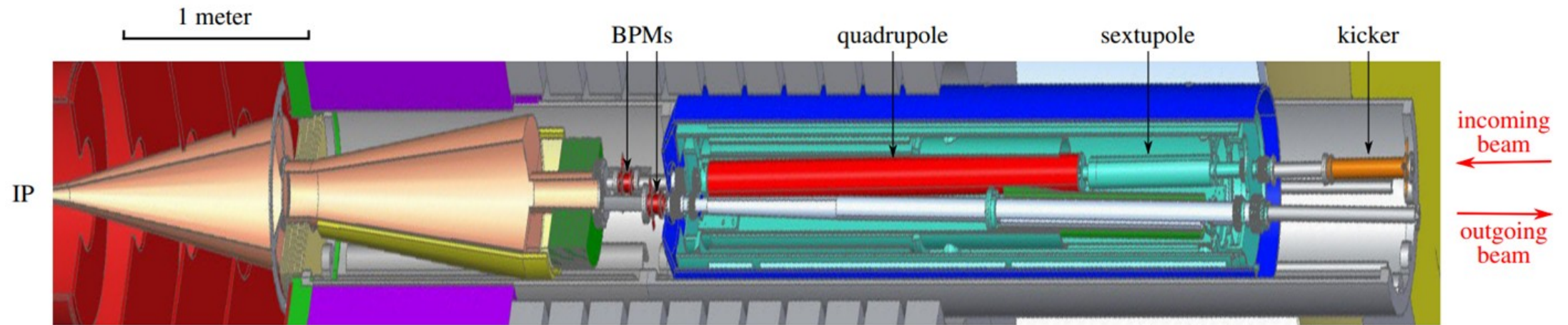
Latency

Bunch-by-bunch position correction latency

1. Beam flight time
IP ► BPM
2. Signal processing,
FB calculation
3. Amplifier & kicker
response time
4. Cable delays
5. Beam flight time
kicker ► IP



ILC: Feedback component locations



Credit: Tom Markiewicz

Considerations for C³

“The C³ can also reuse the final focus design of the ILC” quote from 2023 JINST 18 P07053

How does C³ compare?

- Smaller beam size
- Much shorter bunch trains
- Much higher rep. rate
- Much shorter bunch spacing
- Lower bunch charge

| Parameter | Symbol[unit] | NLC [3] | CLIC [21] | ILC-250 [22] | ILC-500 [22] | C ³ -250 [6] | C ³ -550 [6] |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------|-----------|--------------|--------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| CM Energy | \sqrt{s} [GeV] | 500 | 380 | 250 | 500 | 250 | 550 |
| RMS bunch length | σ_z^* [μ m] | 150 | 70 | 300 | 300 | 100 | 100 |
| Horizontal beta function at IP | β_x^* [mm] | 10 | 8.2 | 13 | 22 | 12 | 12 |
| Vertical beta function at IP | β_y^* [mm] | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.41 | 0.49 | 0.12 | 0.12 |
| Normalized horizontal emittance at IP | ϵ_x^* [nm] | 4000 | 950 | 5000 | 5000 | 900 | 900 |
| Normalized vertical emittance at IP | ϵ_y^* [nm] | 110 | 30 | 35 | 35 | 20 | 13 |
| RMS horizontal beam size at IP | σ_x^* [nm] | 286 | 149 | 516 | 474 | 210 | 142 |
| RMS vertical beam size at IP | σ_y^* [nm] | 6.7 | 2.9 | 7.7 | 5.9 | 3.1 | 1.7 |
| Num. Bunches per Train | n_b | 90 | 352 | 1312 | 1312 | 133 | 75 |
| Train Rep. Rate | f_r [Hz] | 180 | 50 | 5 | 5 | 120 | 120 |
| Bunch Spacing | [ns] | 1.4 | 0.5 | 554 | 554 | 5.26 | 3.5 |
| Bunch Charge | Q [nC] | 1.36 | 0.83 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 1 | 1 |
| Bunch Population | N_e [10 ⁹ particles] | 8.49 | 5.18 | 20.0 | 20.0 | 6.24 | 6.24 |
| Beam Power | P_{beam} [MW] | 5.5 | 2.8 | 2.63 | 5.25 | 2 | 2.45 |
| Final RMS energy spread | % | 0.38 | 0.35 | ~ 0.1 | ~ 0.1 | ~ 0.1 | ~ 0.1 |
| Crossing Angle | θ [rad] | 0.020 | 0.0165 | 0.014 | 0.014 | 0.014 | 0.014 |
| Crab Angle | θ [rad] | 0.020/2 | 0.0165/2 | 0.014/2 | 0.014/2 | 0.014/2 | 0.014/2 |
| Gradient | [MeV/m] | 37 | 72 | 31.5 | 31.5 | 70 | 120 |
| Effective Gradient | [MeV/m] | 29 | 57 | 21 | 21 | 63 | 108 |
| Shunt Impedance | [M Ω /m] | 98 | 95 | | | 300 | 300 |
| Effective Shunt Impedance | [M Ω /m] | 50 | 39 | | | 300 | 300 |
| Site Power | [MW] | 121 | 168 | 125 | 173 | ~ 150 | ~ 175 |
| Length | [km] | 23.8 | 11.4 | 20.5 | 31 | 8 | 8 |
| L* | [m] | 2 | 6 | 4.1 | 4.1 | 4.3 | 4.3 |

Impact on feedback

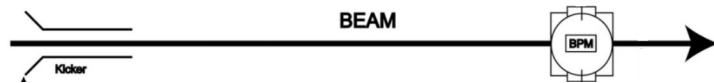
Smaller beam → tighter tolerances on position offset

Shorter bunch spacing → not possible to correct on a bunch-to-bunch basis

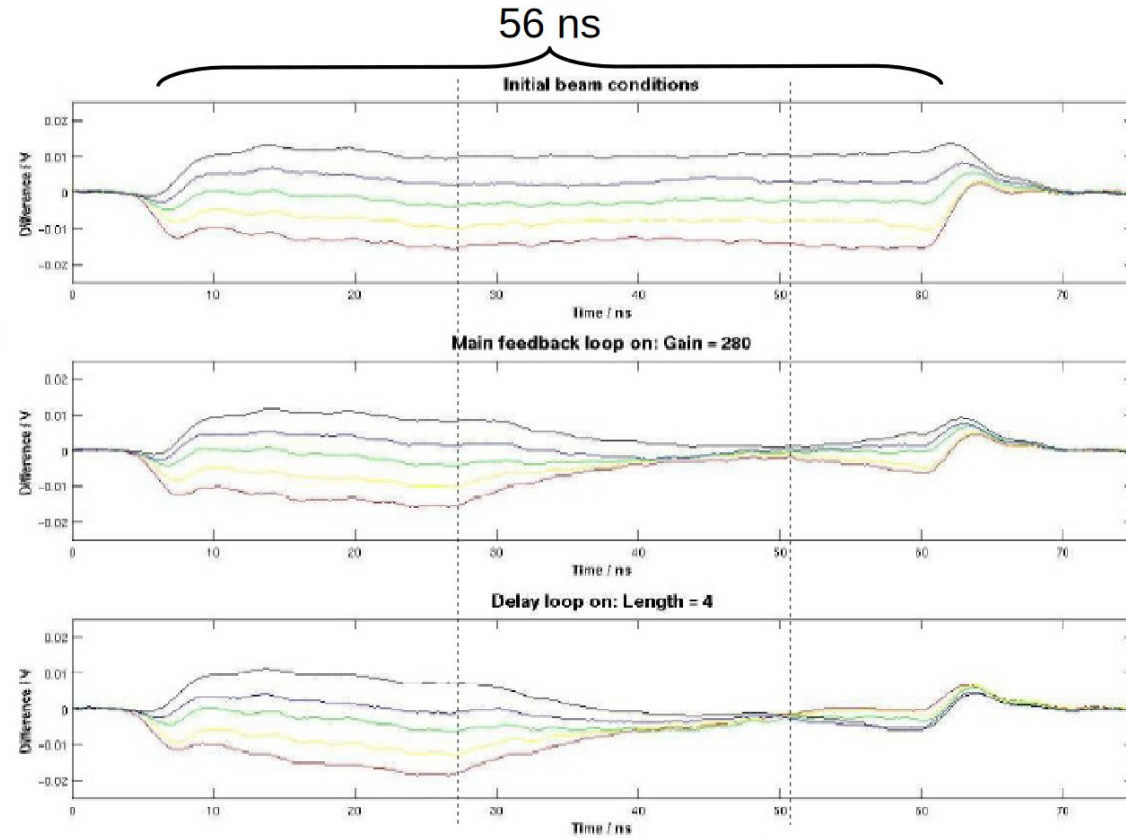
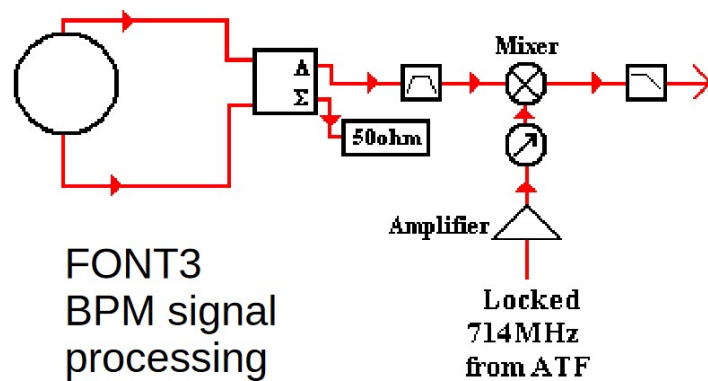
Lower charge → smaller deflection angles at the IP, worse resolution of BPM

Candidate system

- FONT3: KEK ATF



- EPAC'06: Achieved latency = 23 ns



Latency considerations

23 ns latency with a 5.26 ns (3.5 ns) bunch spacing → correction after 5 (7) bunches

133 (75) bunches per train → uncorrected beam 3.8% (9.3%) of the time

Effect on luminosity depends on the beam motion model studied

Feedback performance

Results here are for a system using the FONT5 digital feedback processor but the other components (BPM, kicker) are the same

Latency much higher for FONT5 as it was aimed at ILC-like trains

TABLE IV. Comparison of the IP feedback performance required at the ILC with that achieved by the FONT feedback system at ATF.

| | | ILC | ATF |
|-----------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------------------|
| Energy per beam | GeV | 250 | 1.3 |
| IP feedback latency | ns | 554 | 148 |
| BPM dynamic range | μm | ± 1400 | ± 1500 |
| BPM resolution | μm | ~ 1 | ~ 1 |
| Beam angle correction range | nrad | $\sim \pm 60$ | $\sim \pm 180^{\text{a}}$ |

^aScaled by the ATF/ILC beam energy ratio.

Conclusion

From the viewpoint of final focus feedback, C³ represents a more challenging case than ILC due to the smaller beam and shorter bunch spacing

An analogue system like FONT3 would be appropriate

Credits

Credit for this work belongs to the FONT team over the years:

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