# STUDY OF BEAM LENGTH MEASUREMENT BASED ON TM010 MODE

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Abstract

Beam length measurement in frequency domain is a familiar method, and the resolution is seriously limited by the system signal-noise-ratio (SNR) and the beam length measured. Usually this method can only obtain the resolution about  $\sim 10ps$  with beam length  $\sim 30ps$  when using signal from button or stripline BPM. But in FEL case, the beam length is the ps or sub–ps order. The paper discusses the probability of beam length measurement based on the TM010 mode in FEL case. When adopting High Order Mode(HOM) reject and system gain control, the system SNR can arrive at 112dB and the resolution can achieve 30fs with beam length ps or sub-ps order.

#### **INTRUDUCE**

The measurement area and resolution of beam length measurement in frequency domain is seriously limited by the system SNR. So obtaining the system SNR up to 100dB is the decisive factor of beam length measurement in frequency domain in FEL case. It is well known that cavity BPM can achieve the position measurement resolution up to  $\sim 10nm$  because the signal from TM011 mode having a very high R/Q. The amplitude ratio of TM010 mode and TM011 mode of the same cavity can be written as:

$$K_r = \frac{(R/Q)_{010}^{0.5}}{(R/Q)_{110}^{0.5}} = \sqrt{\frac{2f_{110}}{f_{010}}} \cdot \frac{J_0(rk_{010})J_0(R_ck_{011})}{J_1(rk_{011})J_1(R_ck_{010})} \tag{1}$$

Where f is the harmonic frequency of  $TM_{010}$  mode and  $TM_{011}$  mode, and  $J_0$  and  $J_1$  is the 0-order and 1-order Bessel function respectively, r is the beam position from the cavity centre,  $R_c$  is the cavity's radius, k is the wave number of  $TM_{010}$  mode and  $TM_{011}$  mode. It is reported that the cavity BPM's resolution can achieve  $0.05\mu m$  when beam charge is 1nC [1][2]. It means that the measurement system noise equals the output  $TM_{011}$  mode signal with beam condition  $0.05\mu m@1nC$ . In the case,  $K_r$  is up to  $4\times10^5$ . So the system SNR of  $TM_{010}$  mode can be inferred up to 112dB.

When the beam is a Gaussian distribution bunch, the signal amplitude of  $TM_{010}$  mode can be written as:

$$V = \pi q \cdot f_{010} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{Z}{Q_L} (\frac{R}{Q})_{010}} \exp(-\frac{2\pi^2 f_{010}^2 \cdot \sigma_L^2}{c_0^2})$$
 (2)

Where q is the beam charge, Z is output impedance,  $Q_L$  is the quality factor,  $\sigma_L$  is the beam length,  $(R/Q)_{010}$  is the normalized shunt impedance of  $TM_{010}$  mode. So if used two cavities which working as  $TM_{010}$  mode at different frequency, the output signal can be written as:

$$V_{1} = \pi q \cdot f_{010,1} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{Z}{Q_{L,1}} (\frac{R}{Q})_{010,1}} \exp(-\frac{2\pi^{2} f_{010,1}^{2} \cdot \sigma_{L}^{2}}{c_{0}^{2}})$$
 (3)

$$V_2 = \pi q \cdot f_{010,2} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{Z}{Q_{L,2}} (\frac{R}{Q})_{010,2}} \exp(-\frac{2\pi^2 f_{010,2}^2 \cdot \sigma_L^2}{c_0^2})$$
 (4)

So the coupling of beam charge can be eliminated by the outputs division. Then the beam length can be getting as:

$$\sigma_L^2 = \frac{c_0^2}{2\pi^2 (f_{010,2}^2 - f_{010,1}^2)} \left( \ln(\frac{V_1}{V_2}) + \ln(\frac{f_{010,2}}{f_{010,1}}) + 0.5 \ln(\frac{Q_{L,1}(R/Q)_2}{Q_{L,2}(R/Q)_1}) \right)$$
(5)

In the Eq.(5), the second and the third term is constant decided by the two cavities, so the sum of the two terms can be defined as  $ln(R_1/R_2)$ , then:

$$\sigma_{\rm L} = \sqrt{\frac{c_0^2}{2\pi^2 (f_{010,2}^2 - f_{010,1}^2)}} \cdot \sqrt{\ln(\frac{V_1 R_2}{V_2 R_1})}$$
 (6)

And when the beam deviates the Gaussian distribution, the *rms* beam length can get from a similar equation [3]. When the beam length is very shorter than  $c/f_{010}$ , the resolution can be written as:

$$\Delta \sigma_{\rm L} \simeq \frac{c_0^2}{2\pi^2 (f_{010}^2 \, 2^{-f} \, 010^{\frac{3}{2}})} \cdot \frac{SNR_V}{\sigma_L} \tag{7}$$

Where  $SNR_{v}$  is the signal-noise-ratio of the  $TM_{010}$  mode. From the Eq.(7), it can be seen that the resolution of the beam length measurement is seriously limited by the SNR of diagnostic system and beam length itself. Supposing the SNR 112dB,  $f_{010,1}$  and  $f_{010,2}$  equal 3GHz and 8GHz respectively, Fig.1 shows the relation between the resolution and beam length. It can be seen that the resolution can achieve  $3.5\mu m@1nC$  even the beam length is only 0.1ps.

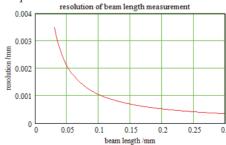


Figure 1: Relation between the resolution and bunch length

### **SIMULATION**

Based on the theory analysis, some simulations are done with MAFIA simulation code when considering Shanghai SDUV FEL case. The working frequency of the cavity BPM of the SDUV FEL is designed at 4.7GHz, and the TM<sub>010</sub> mode's frequency of the position cavity works at 3.6GHz. Fig.2 and Fig.3 are the waveforms in time domain and frequency domain from the reference cavity with beam charge 1nC and beam length 10ps. Three cases are simulated which the beam charge is 1nC and the beam positions are 0.25mm, 1.25mm and 5.3mm respectively. Fig.4 is the output amplitudes of  $TM_{010}$  mode when beam locates at different positions. It can be seen that the 'invariable' TM<sub>010</sub> mode signal changing when beam position changing. The SNR is only about 40dB if the deviations between the output amplitudes are seen as diagnostic noise. Fig.5 is the simulation result of the bunch length measurement in frequency domain in the case.

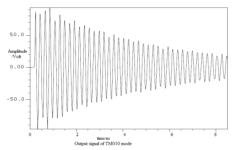


Figure 2: Output TM010 signal of reference cavity.

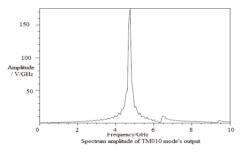


Figure 3: Spectrum of reference cavity.

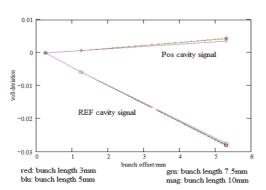


Figure 4: Amplitudes deviations when beam position changing.

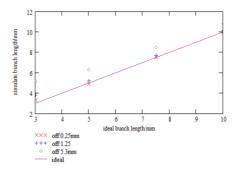


Figure 5: Beam length simulation result.

Because the amplitude difference is increasing when position offset increasing, it can be supposed that some position mode signals such as  $TM_{011}$  mode are coupling into the  $TM_{010}$  mode's output. The output structure has to be improved for avoiding the coupling. Fig.6 and Fig.7 show the coupling improvement after the structure improvement. Fig.8 and Fig.9 shows the result after this improvement. The SNR increases to 60dB and the resolution is about 0.3ps when beam length 10ps.

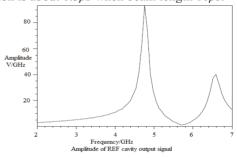


Figure 6: The coupling between the  $TM_{010}$  mode and  $TM_{011}$  mode.

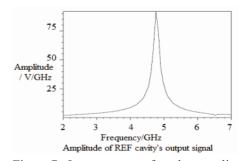


Figure 7: Improvement of modes coupling.

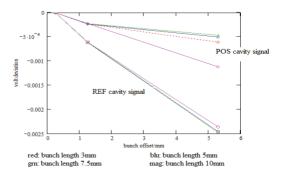


Figure 8: Amplitudes difference after improvement.

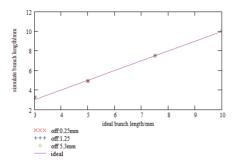


Figure 9: Beam length simulation result after improvement.

From the equation 7, it can be seen that the resolution is in verse proportion to the difference of the square of working frequencies. So the resolution will increase when adding the difference. Fig.10 and Fig.11 is the result when changing the working frequencies to 4.7GHz and 5.8GHz respectively. The resolution is less 0.3ps now.

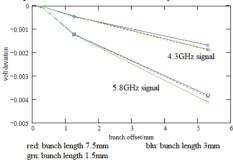


Figure 10: Amplitudes after changing the working frequencies.

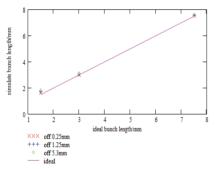


Figure 11: Result after frequencies changing.

From the Fig.8 and Fig.10, it can be seen that the absolute deviation of output amplitudes is increasing in proportion to the working frequency. It means that there is a factor which in proportion to the frequency acting on the TM<sub>010</sub> mode's output amplitudes. From the equation 1 and 2, it has to consider the effecting of (R/Q) which is determined by the term  $J_0(rk_{010})$ . Fig.12 and Fig.13 shown the improved simulation result of Fig.10 and Fig.11 after considering the effect of the term  $J_0(rk_{010})$ . The deviation of the output amplitude is decreasing to 0.1%, and the beam length measurement resolution is changing better than 100fs. Considering the minimum time step is about 200fs when simulation, the attainable and reasonable resolution should be about 100fs in the simulation.

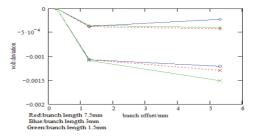


Figure 12: Amplitudes deviation after adjusting the  $J_0(rk)$  term.

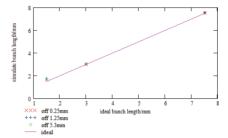


Figure 13: Result after  $J_0(rk)$  term adjusting.

At last, the thermal noise should be considered. From Fig.2, the loaded shunt impedance is larger than 100Ohm in the FWHM bandwidth. If considering bunch-by-bunch beam length diagnostic, the bandwidth maybe is about 500MHz, the peak of the signal amplitude in the bandwidth is about 70V in this simulation case. The peak voltage of the thermal noise in this bandwidth is only about 0.12mV. It means that the system SNR will be up to 134dB if only considering the thermal noise.

## **CONCLUTION**

The beam length measurement in frequency domain based on  $TM_{010}$  mode has a very high signal-noise-ratio. So the anticipative resolution will be about to 10 fs when beam length is only about to 100 fs. A series simulation based on Mafia had done and proved that the attainable beam length resolution was up to the limit of the simulation and accorded with anticipation.

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