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THE MOMENTUM DISTRIBUTION OF THE DECELERATED DRIVE BEAM IN CLIC AND THE TWO-BEAM TEST STAND AT CTF3

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Radio-frequency power for the CLIC high-energy beam is generated by decelerating a high power low-energy drive-beam in power-extraction and transfer (PETS) structures.

The few ps long drive-beam bunches are located near the lower crest of the built-up field to feed energy to the RF-field

The energy loss depends on the arrival-phase of the electrons and is spread over several degrees of X-band (12 GHz) phase

Histogram of energies lost by the electrons





Zero energy spread of incoming beam

$$\Phi(E_1) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_t} \int e^{-(\phi - \phi_0)^2/2\sigma_t^2} \delta(E_1 - E_0 + A\cos\phi) d\phi$$

$$\delta(g(x)) = \sum_{z eros} \frac{\delta(x - x_0)}{|g'(x_0)|}$$
$$\Phi(E_1) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma_t}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{A^2 - (E_1 - E_0)^2}}$$
$$\times \left\{ \exp\left[-\frac{(\arccos((E_0 - E_1)/A) - \phi_0)^2}{2\sigma_t^2}\right] + \exp\left[-\frac{(\arccos((E_0 - E_1)/A) + \phi_0)^2}{2\sigma_t^2}\right] \right\}$$



Initial
$$\Psi_0(E - E_0) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma_E}} e^{-(E - E_0)^2/2\sigma_E^2}$$

Final
$$\Phi(E_1) = \frac{1}{2\pi\sigma_t\sigma_E} \int e^{-(\phi - \phi_0)^2/2\sigma_t^2} \times e^{-(E_1 - E_0 + A\cos\phi)^2/2\sigma_E^2} d\phi$$





Dedicated measurements in the TBTS

Contrary to expectations

PETS OFF: energy spread has higher average (ok) and is wider (initially surprising).
PETS ON: lower energy (ok) and narrower spread.

Interpretation: PETS OFF mechanism creates varying interference pattern of the RF field in the PETS that affects different bunches in a train with varying amplitude and phase.



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