

Magnetic Kicker

The objective is to see whether a magnetic kicker is a possible alternative to a stripline as the dark current kicker.

From Lecture 2 of 2000 USPAS Tucson.AZ lecture, the loop integral

LoopIntegral[$B \cdot dl / (\mu \mu_0)$] But the part of the field that is in AIR or Vacuum $\mu = 1$ with the rest of the B in the iron approximately zero, only the B field that is

parallel to path and in AIR contributes and so $\mu = 1$ and independent of the iron! The result is

$$n \text{ Idipole} = B h / \mu_0$$

where $h = \text{half gap}$, $\mu_0 = 4 \pi 10^{-7} \text{ H/m}$, B is in Teslas, h in metres.

Note that the USPAS explanation is rather lousy for why we have $h/2$. In reality because we have 2 wires in the magnet, we actually have $B/2$ per wire and so

$$n \text{ Idipole} = B/2 \text{ gap} / \mu_0 = B h / \mu_0$$

Let us assume that the dipole is **OUTSIDE** the beampipe. If we want to maintain a 2.5" ID, then from Sentrotech

www.sentrotech.com/ceramictube.php

the OD is 2.75" so h is

```
In[1]:= h = 2.75 / 2. 2.54 10^-2; (*m*)
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In[2]:= mu0 = 4 pi 10^-7; (*H/m*)
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Next we need to know how strong the B field is. From the calculations done using kicker1.nb, we need to deflect the beam at 5 MeV/c by about 20 mrad, i.e.

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In[3]:= theta = 20 10^-3; (*rad*)
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From formula of $Bdl = \theta E/c$ (See page 61 of Edwards and Syphers) we have

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In[4]:= En = 5 10^6; (*V*)
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c = 3 10^8; (* m/s*)
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In[5]:= Bdl = theta En / c // N
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Out[5]= 0.000333333
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in units of Tm. If the length of the kicker $d1 = 25 10^{-2} \text{ m}$ then we have a value for B.

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In[6]:= d1 = 25 10^-2;
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In[7]:= B = Bdl / d1
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Out[7]= 0.00133333
```

From here we can calculate the current for n turns, so NIdipole is

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In[8]:= NIdipole = B h / μ0
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Out[8]= 37.0566
```

This is a very small value for current!

If we assume that we have a 6.25Ω system like the D48 kicker system in the Tevatron

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In[9]:= Z0 = 6.25; // N
```

then the voltage needed is

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In[10]:= VNdipole = NIdipole Z0 // N
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Out[10]= 231.604
```

Again this is not ridiculously large, c.f. cables which can operate at 60kV.

Therefore, the peak power is

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In[11]:= Ppeak = NIdipole VNdipole
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Out[11]= 8582.44
```

I will do the magnetic time constant two ways to see if they agree

Magnet Time Constant

There is a formula from Lecture 5 page 5 about the magnet time constant. This tells us how fast a pulsed magnet can ramp.

The formula is

$\tau = \mu\mu_0 d^2 / \rho$ where

τ is the time constant, d is the half width of the laminations, ρ is the electrical resistivity of the yoke material.

If we assume that ρ is for ferrite

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In[12]:= μ = 1000;
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ρ = 104; (* Ω m *)
```

Assume that the thickness of the ferrite is 1 inch

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In[14]:= d = 25.4 10-3; (* m *)
```

We have

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In[15]:=  $\tau = \mu \mu_0 d^2 / \rho$  // N
```

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Out[15]=  $8.10732 \times 10^{-11}$ 
```

This should be sufficiently fast .08 ns!

Second way for calculating the time constant

The inductance of the magnet.

From the way we are going to configure the system, we will have 2 power supplies that look at each wire separately. And so each wire will have 1/2 the B field and so

LoopIntegral[B/2.ds]/I = L. From the expected configuration of the pulsed magnet system, the area is

$$B/2 * (\text{halfwidth} * \text{length}) / I = L$$

$$B/2 * h * dl / I = L$$

OR

$$L = \mu_0 dl / 2$$

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In[16]:=  $Ls = \mu_0 dl / 2.$  // N
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Out[16]=  $1.5708 \times 10^{-7}$ 
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In[17]:=  $Ls = B h dl / 2. / N \text{dipole}$ 
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Out[17]=  $1.5708 \times 10^{-7}$ 
```

Capacitance can be calculated from $Z_0 = \text{Sqrt}[Ls/Cs]$

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In[18]:=  $Cs = Ls / Z_0^2$ 
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Out[18]=  $4.02124 \times 10^{-9}$ 
```

Fill time comes from $\text{Sqrt}[Ls Cs]$

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In[19]:=  $\tau f = \text{Sqrt}[Ls Cs]$ 
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Out[19]=  $2.51327 \times 10^{-8}$ 
```

This does not agree with the formula for Magnet Time constant by a large factor! However, if we believe this formula because we can actually derive this, we can calculate the average power

Power

The peak power has been calculated previously as Ppeak

```
In[20]:= Ppeak
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Out[20]= 8582.44
```

The repetition rate is 3MHz which is

```
In[21]:= Trep = 1 / (3 10^6) // N
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Out[21]= 3.33333 × 10-7
```

Therefore the average power is

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In[22]:= Pave = Ppeak rf / Trep // N
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Out[22]= 647.1
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which is really small!!!!

Stripline

Let us compare the power requirements of a stripline with 50Ω impedance. The formula for kick angle versus potential difference across the plate is:

$\theta_k = \frac{2}{p d} V_k l$ using the variables defined above

```
In[23]:= dplates = 3 10-2;
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In[24]:= Vk = θ En dplates / (2 dl)
```

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Out[24]= 6000
```

which means that each stripline sees $V_k/2$ volts

The peak power is (assuming 50Ω impedance) for 2 striplines is

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In[25]:= Zs = 50;
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In[26]:= Pspk = 2 (Vk/2)2 / Zs // N
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Out[26]= 360000.
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The average power comes from the fill time of the stripline which we assume to be 1 ns (to travel 25cm) from the launch point, and hold for about 1ns (actually much less), so

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In[27]:= tsfill = 2 10-9;
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In[28]:= Psave =  $\tau_{\text{fill}} / T_{\text{rep}}$  Pspeak
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Out[28]= 2160.
```

Comparison between stripline and magnet

Ratio of power between stripline/magnet in terms of peak power is

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In[29]:= Pspeak / Ppeak
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Out[29]= 41.9461
```

Ratio of average power between stripline/magnet is

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In[30]:= Psave / Pave
```

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Out[30]= 3.33797
```

Ratio of fill time between stripline/magnet is

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In[31]:=  $\tau_{\text{fill}}$  /  $\tau_{\text{f}}$ 
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Out[31]= 0.0795775
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