



Progress in degrading electron beam simulations with Geant4

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- Measuring the transverse and longitudinal acceptance of CEBAF.
- Why? Use the electron acceptance as a proxy for the acceptance of a future positron beam.
 - Positron beam larger in phase space than current electron beam





- Software used: Geant4
- Modified with four screens throughout for data acquisition
- Added apertures with varying size at s = 0.5m, 1m after the target
- Materials used for target:
 - Carbon (z=6)
 - Tungsten (z=74)
- 1000000 electrons per beam



- Electron beam
 - Longitudinal momentum:
 - XY center position:
 - Gaussian distribution:
 - Initial transverse emittance:
 - Initial longitudinal momentum spread:
- Target
 - Thickness: $100nm 5\mu m$
 - Material: Carbon, Tungsten

 $p_z = 6.74 \ MeV/c$ $r_{x/y} = (0,0)$ $\sigma_{x/y} = 1.27/0.8 \ (mm)$ $\varepsilon_{x/y} = 251/81 \ (nm)$ $\frac{\Delta p}{p} = 1 \times 10^{-3}$

Aperture •Position: s = 0.5, 1m•Sizes: $r_{aper} = 1 - 2/2 - 4mm$ •"Perfect" apertures Simulation diagram







- Good agreement between the transmission after the two apertures from both Geant4 and Elegant using the same parameters
- This plots are from a test run



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-Tungsten target- After target/total momentum statistics





-Tungsten target- After target/RMS polar angle and emittance

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-Tungsten target- After first aperture/RMS polar angle and emittance

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Momentum spread comparison, Tungsten target, Aperture sizes: 1mm / 2mn

Emittance X comparison, Tungsten target, Aperture sizes: 1mm / 2mm





Momentum spread comparison, Carbon target, Aperture sizes: 1mm / 2mm

Emittance X comparison, Carbon target, Aperture sizes: 1mm / 2mm



-Tungsten target-

-Carbon target-



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Results summary



Target material	First Aperture (mm)	Second aperture (mm)	Emittance X (mm mrad)			Momentum spread (%)		
			Target	Aper1	Aper2	Target	Aper1	Aper2
Tungsten	1	2	15 – 120	~1.2	~0.8	0.25 – 2	0.1 – 2	0.1 – 1.2
	1	4	15 – 120	~1.2	~1.2	0.25 – 2	0.1 – 2.5	0.1 – 1.2
	2	2	15 – 120	~2.5	~1.2	0.25 – 2	0.1 – 1.5	0.1 – 1.2
	2	4	15 – 120	~2.5	~2	0.25 – 2	0.1 – 1	0.1 – 1.2
Carbon	1	2	2 – 11	0.4 – 1.2	0.3 – 0.8	0.2 – 1	0.1 - 0.15	0.1 – 0.14
	1	4	2 – 11	0.4 – 1.2	0.3 – 1.2	0.2 – 1	0.1 - 0.15	0.1 – 0.16
	2	2	2 – 11	0.6 – 2.2	0.6 – 1.2	0.2 – 1	0.1 - 0.14	0.1 - 0.15
	2	4	2 – 11	0.7 - 2.2	0.7 - 2	0.2 – 1	0.1 - 0.16	0.1 – 0.16

*Range given from values @ target width $(100nm - 5\mu m)$

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- First results of degraded electron beam simulations with Geant4 using Tungsten and Carbon targets.
- Significant decrease in emittance and momentum spread by using two apertures at the cost of decrease in final current.
- Tungsten has a bigger impact on the momentum spread than carbon.
- Good agreement in transmission between Elegant and Geant4 as a sanity check.

Going forward:

- Implementation of better model for apertures (with correct material and inclusion of any secondary particle created).
- Geant4 distributions to elegant for particle tracking in the next components of the beamline.

Thank you for your attention!







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