
Quasi-frozen spin concept at NICA for EDM search and its matrix analysis

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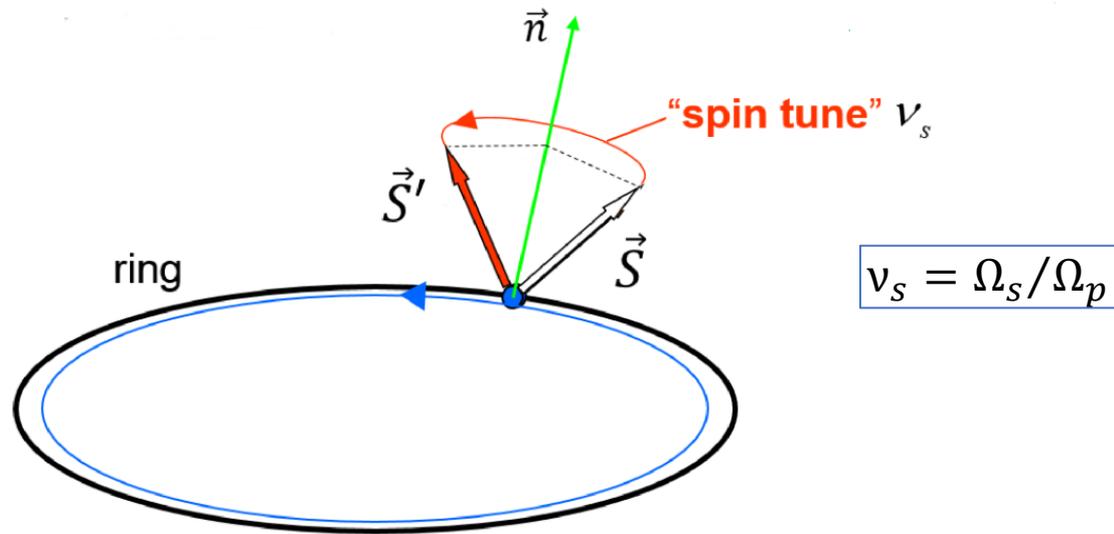
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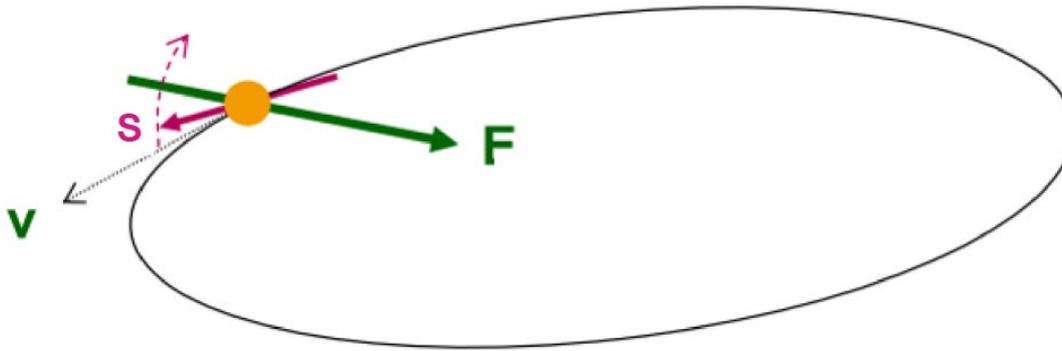
Spin dynamics in an accelerator



T-BMT: $\frac{d\vec{S}}{dt} = \vec{S} \times \vec{\Omega}$ $\vec{\Omega}_{MDM} = \frac{q}{m\gamma} \left[(\gamma G + 1) \vec{B}_\perp - \left(\gamma G + \frac{\gamma}{\gamma + 1} \right) \frac{\vec{\beta} \times \vec{E}}{c} \right]$

EDM in a Frozen Spin

Frozen Spin (FS) method for Electric Dipole Moment (EDM) search:



$$\frac{d\vec{S}}{dt} = \vec{S} \times (\vec{\Omega}_{MDM} + \vec{\Omega}_{EDM})$$

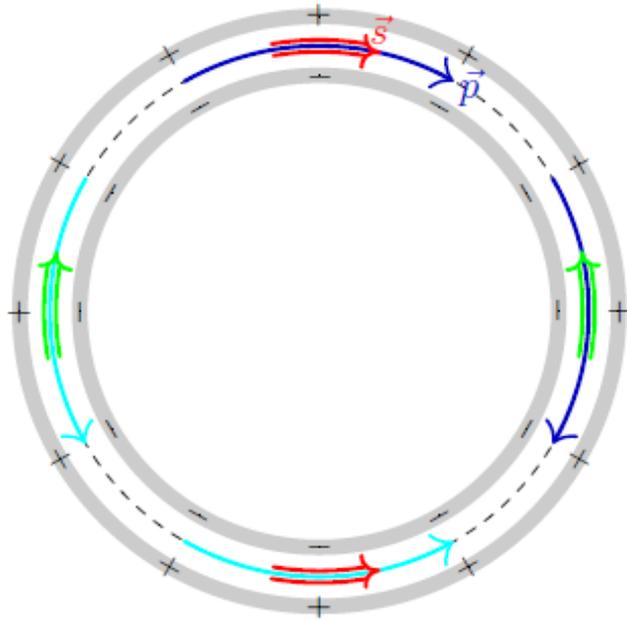
$$\vec{S} \parallel \vec{P} \rightarrow \Omega_{MDM} = 0$$

$$\vec{\Omega}_{EDM} = \frac{q\eta}{2m} \left[\vec{\beta} \times \vec{B} + \frac{\vec{E}}{c} \right]$$

Observe the build-up of vertical spin component

FS EDM Rings

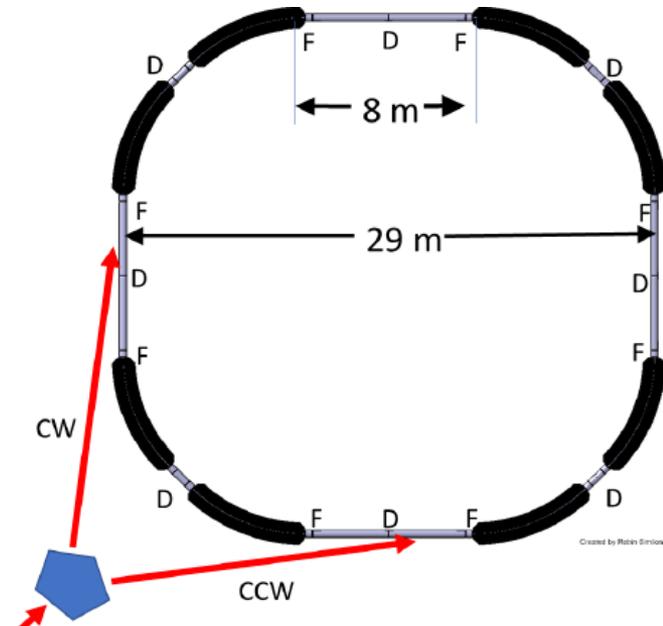
Final EDM Ring: all Electric



$$v_s^E = \beta^2 \gamma \left(G - \frac{1}{\gamma^2 - 1} \right)$$

- $\mathcal{E}_{mag.}^p = 232.8 \text{ M}\alpha\text{B}$, frozen spin
- **CW/CCW beams concurrently to take into account systematic effects**
- $E = \frac{8MV}{m}$, $L \sim 500\text{m}$.

Prototype EDM Ring: E+B

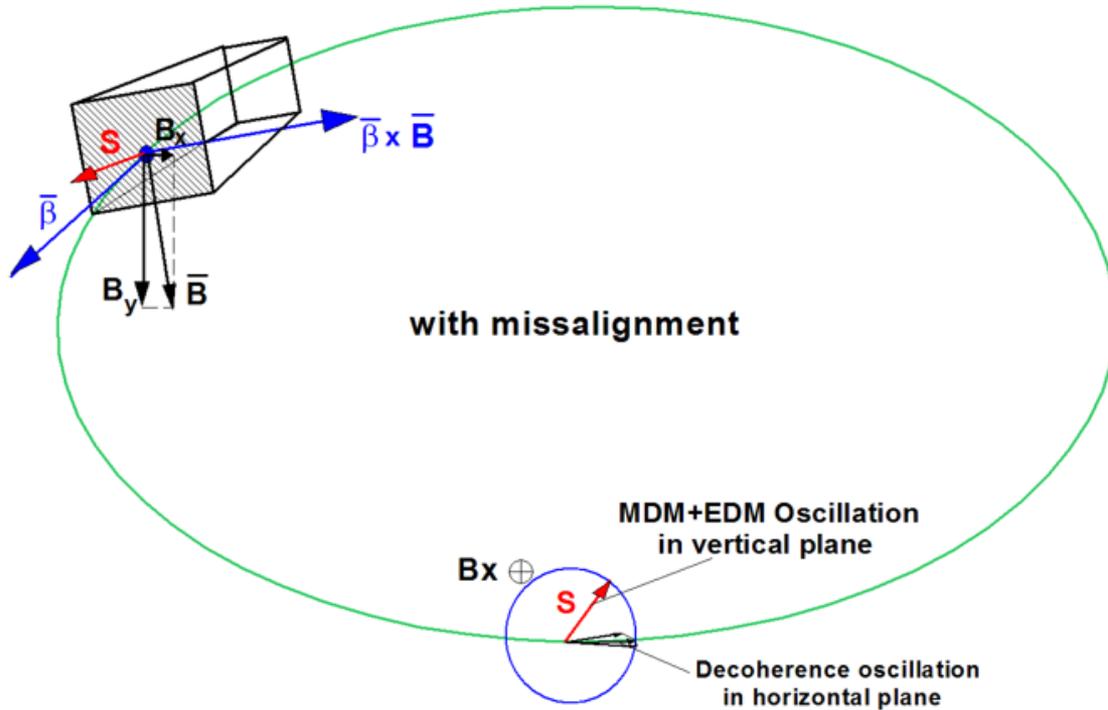


- $L \sim 100\text{m}$
- Protons 45 MeV
- E+B elements to freeze the spins
- CW/CCW injection **after the change of B field polarity**
- Direct measurement of p EDM
- Check for the ability to store 2 CW/CCW beams at one time

EDM in a Frozen Spin

Key factors limiting the accelerator EDM experiment:

- 1) **Systematics:** $d = 10^{-29} \text{ e} * \text{cm} \sim \eta = 1.9 * 10^{-15} \sim B_x^{EDM} = 10^{-17} \text{ T} !!!$
- 2) **Coherent spin rotation**



Radial field errors create fake EDM signal



The accuracy of the installation of magnets should be less than 10^{-9} meters (**super unrealistic !!!**)

EDM in a Frequency Domain

Observe the total spin-precession frequency Ω :

$$\tilde{\mathfrak{S}}_y = \sqrt{\left(\frac{\Omega_y \Omega_z}{\Omega^2}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\Omega_x}{\Omega}\right)^2} \sin(\alpha + \phi)$$

$$\alpha = \Omega \cdot t$$

$$\Omega_x = \Omega_{edm} + \Omega_{B_r} \quad \Omega = \sqrt{(\Omega_{edm} + \Omega_{B_r})^2 + \Omega_y^2 + \Omega_z^2}$$

We purposely make:

$$\Omega_{B_v, E_r}^2, \Omega_{B_z}^2 \ll (\Omega_{edm} + \Omega_{B_r})^2 \quad \text{Then:}$$

$$\Omega = (\Omega_{edm} + \Omega_{B_r}) \left[1 + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\Omega_{B_v, E_r}^2 + \Omega_{B_z}^2}{(\Omega_{edm} + \Omega_{B_r})^2} \right] \quad \text{Or} \quad \Omega = \Omega_{B_r} + \Omega_{edm} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\Omega_{B_v, E_r}^2 + \Omega_{B_z}^2}{\Omega_{edm} + \Omega_{B_r}}$$

Main idea: to make the contribution from EDM frequency into the total frequency bigger than from MDM additions: $\Omega_{B_v, E_r}^2, \Omega_{B_z}^2$

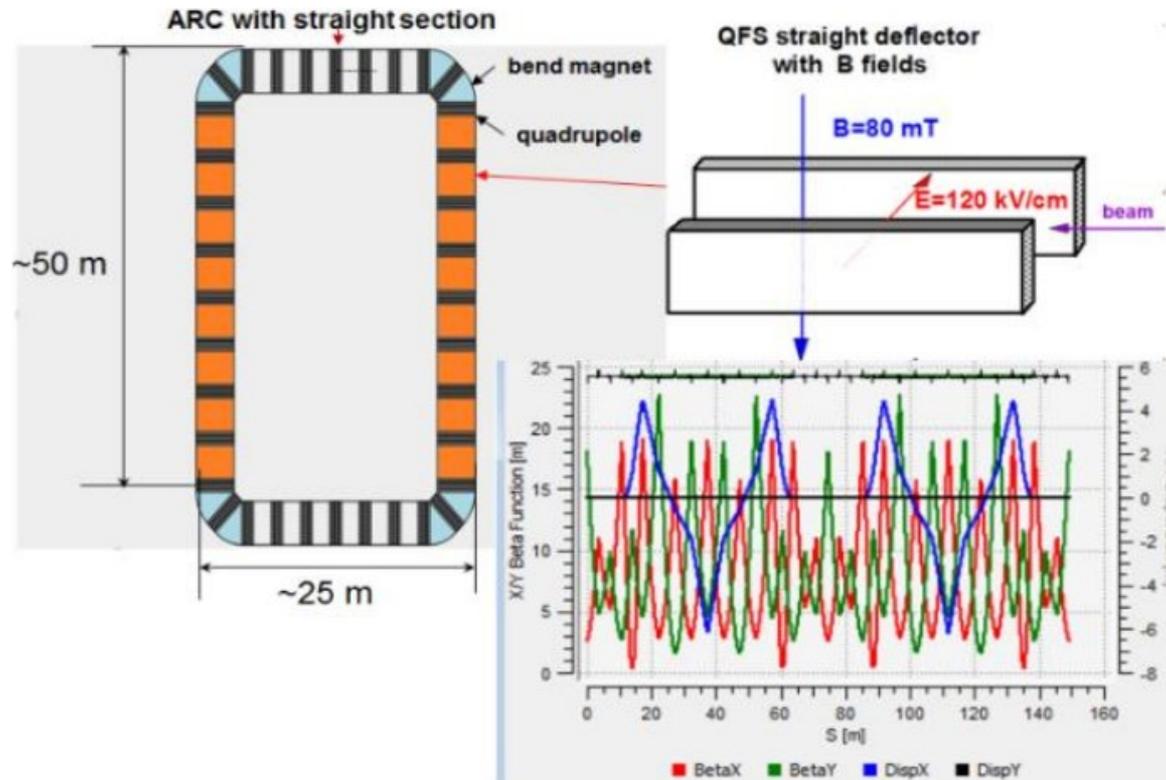
$$\Omega_{EDM} = (\Omega_{CW} + \Omega_{CCW})/2 + (\Omega_{B_x}^{CCW} - \Omega_{B_x}^{CW})/2$$

Misalignments now help to measure the EDM!

EDM in a Quasi-Frozen Spin

In the **FS mode** the special dedicated ring has to be constructed.

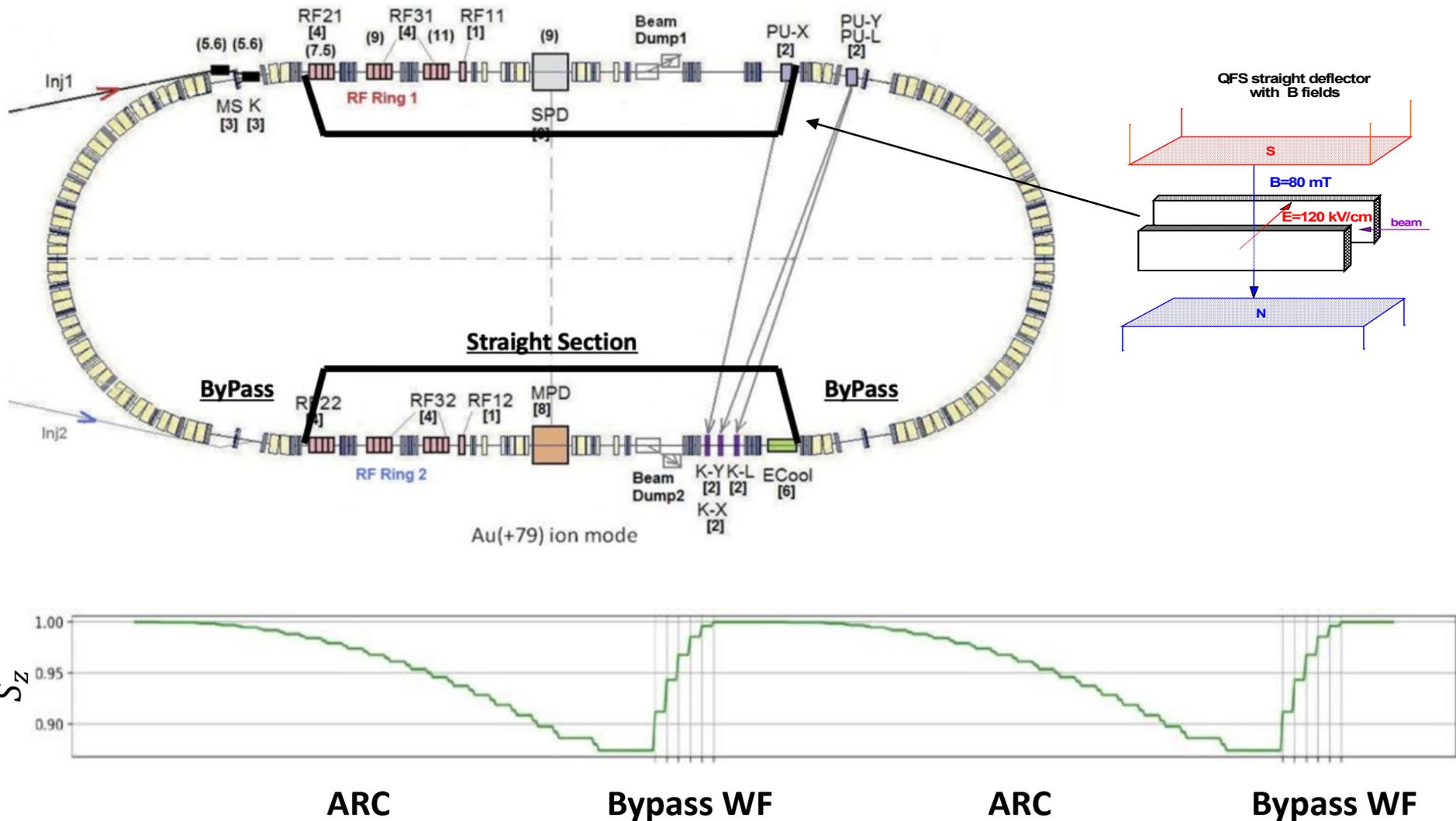
In the **QFS mode** accelerator EDM experiment can be conducted on the basis of the existing synchrotron (NICA) with adding Wien-Filters in the straight section.



Yuri Senichev: idea of the Quasi-Frozen Spin lattice.

Spin rotates in the WF opposite to the arc and restores its rotation after one turn.

Quasi-Frozen Spin at NICA



EDM in a Frequency Domain

Questions to be investigated for the EDM measurement:

- The T-BMT equation gives the local Ω_i at each element, how are they related with the measured integral Ω at the observation point in the FS and QFS case?
- What is the direction of \vec{n} in the perturbed FS and QFS lattice?
- Does the \vec{n} flip its direction from CW to CCW injection in both FS and QFS lattices?
- What is the prediction for the MDM resonance strength caused by the misalignments?

Spinor Formalism

The key measured values in the experiment are the spin-tune ν_s and the direction of the invariant axis \vec{n} at the observation point. These properties can be easily calculated in the spinor formalism.

After each element the \vec{S} is rotated at an angle $\varphi = \Omega dt \rightarrow$ each element can be described as a matrix:

$$M = \exp \left[-i(\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{n}) \frac{\phi}{2} \right] = \cos \left(\frac{\phi}{2} \right) - i(\vec{\sigma} \cdot \vec{n}) \sin \left(\frac{\phi}{2} \right).$$

The coordinate frame is specified by the indices:

(1,2,3)=(radial outward, longitudinal forward, vertical up). The Pauli matrices σ_i are:

$$\vec{\sigma} = \left(\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -i \\ i & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \right).$$

For the ring comprising N elements the total Map is: $M = M_N M_{N-1} \dots M_2 M_1.$

For an observation point at azimuth θ :

$$\cos(\pi \nu_s) = \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr}(M(\theta)).$$
$$\vec{n}(\theta) = \frac{i/2}{\sin(\pi \nu_s)} \text{Tr}(\vec{\sigma} M(\theta)).$$

Frozen Spin Lattice

The ideal unperturbed lattice has an identical spin transfer Map by intent: $M = I$. The same is true for each segment of the ring. If N radial perturbations ψ_i are present, then from the observation point in a SS the structure is equivalent to:

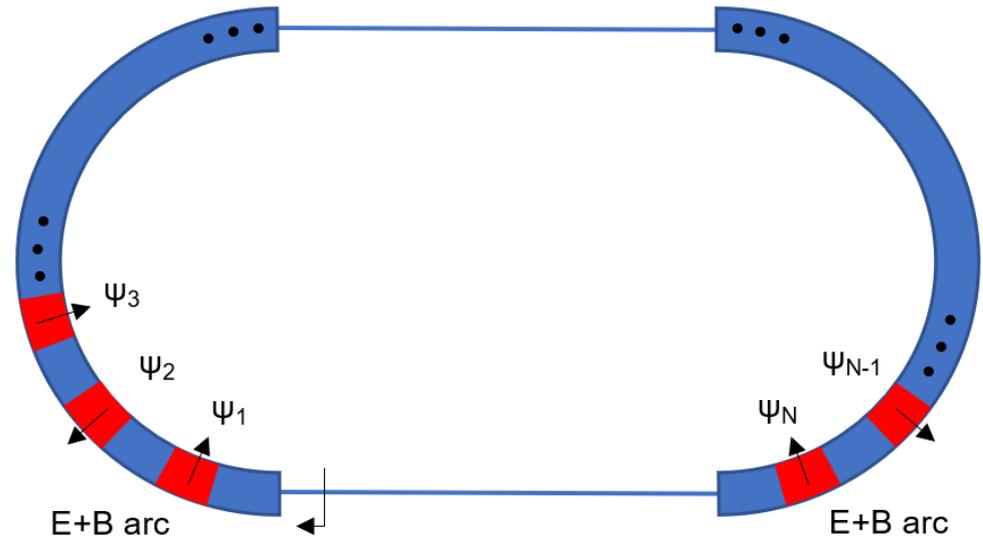
$$M = I \cdot \left[\cos\left(\frac{\psi_N}{2}\right) - i\sigma_1 \sin\left(\frac{\psi_N}{2}\right) \right] \cdot I \cdot \left[\cos\left(\frac{\psi_{N-1}}{2}\right) - i\sigma_1 \sin\left(\frac{\psi_{N-1}}{2}\right) \right] \cdot \dots$$

$$= \cos\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^N \psi_i}{2}\right) - i\sigma_1 \sin\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^N \psi_i}{2}\right).$$

$$v_s = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^N \psi_i}{2\pi}.$$

$$\vec{n} = \vec{n}_r, \text{ unless } \sum_{i=1}^N \psi_i = 0.$$

$$\Omega_{meas} = \frac{1}{N} \sum \Omega_i$$



Quasi-Frozen Spin Lattice

Now let us investigate the **QFS lattice** consisting of 2 magnetic arcs and 2 WF insertions in a SS, rotating \vec{S} at angles ϕ_{Dip} and ϕ_{WF} respectively. The total Map of the ring is:

$$M = (M_{WF} \cdot M_{Dip})^2 = \cos(\phi_{WF} + \phi_{Dip}) - i\sigma_3 \sin(\phi_{WF} + \phi_{Dip}).$$

$$\nu_s = \frac{\phi_{WF} + \phi_{Dip}}{\pi}.$$

$$\vec{n} = \vec{n}_{vert}, \text{ unless } \phi_{WF} + \phi_{Dip} = 0.$$

The formal solution for the idealized lattice omits the resonance case.

Now let us investigate the **QFS lattice with a single radial perturbation** in the arc in a QFS resonance state ($\sum \varphi_i = 0$). The total Map of the ring is:

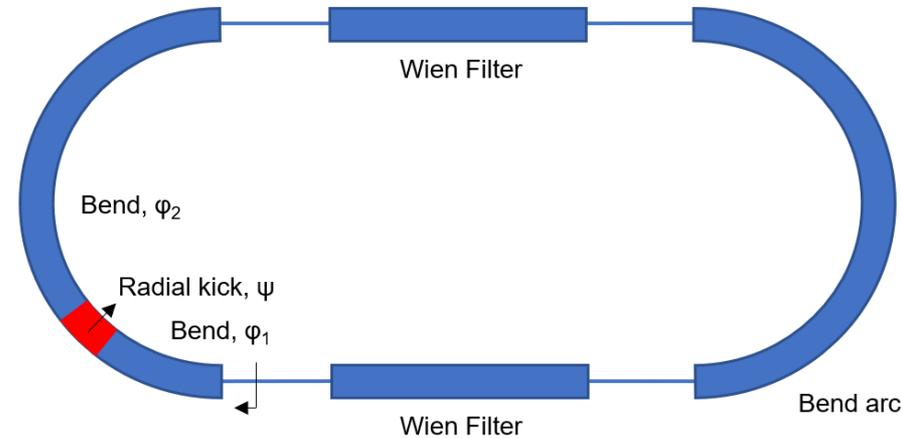
$$M = I \cdot M_{WF} \cdot M_{Dip}(\phi_2) \cdot M_{Perturb}(\psi) \cdot M_{Dip}(\phi_1) = \cos\left(\frac{\psi}{2}\right) - i\sigma_1 \cos(\phi_1) \sin\left(\frac{\psi}{2}\right) + i\sigma_2 \sin(\phi_1) \sin\left(\frac{\psi}{2}\right).$$

$$\nu_s = \frac{\psi}{2\pi}.$$

$$\vec{n} = [\cos\phi_1, -\sin\phi_1, 0].$$

For the CCW injection:

$$M = M_{Dip}(\phi_1) \cdot M_{Perturb}(-\psi) \cdot M_{Dip}(\phi_2) \cdot M_{WF} \cdot I. \text{ and } \vec{n} \rightarrow -\vec{n}$$



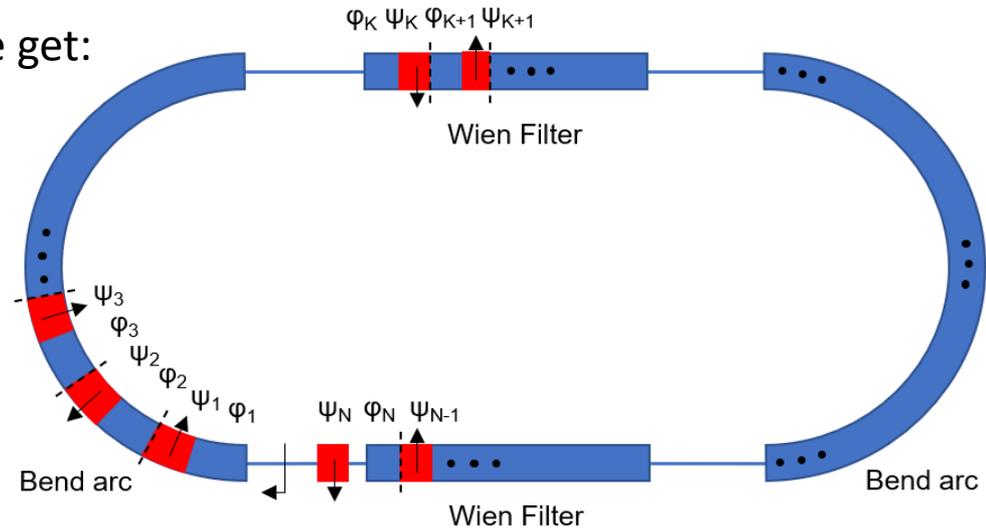
Quasi-Frozen Spin Lattice

Let us investigate the **QFS lattice with N radial perturbations ψ_i** . Here we subdivide the lattice in N sectors with sequential rotations at angles ϕ_i and ψ_i around the vertical and radial directions. We assume that radial fields act as perturbations, so that $\psi_i \ll 1$. For a lattice with a number of sectors $N \gg 1$ it is also reasonable to state that $\phi_i \ll 1$. The spin transfer Map of the ring is:

$$M = \prod_{i=1}^N M_{Perturb}(\psi_i) \cdot M_{Dip}(\phi_i).$$

Expanding the product by induction and keeping terms up to 2nd order in (ϕ, ψ) we get:

$$M = \cos\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^N \psi_i}{2}\right) \cdot \cos\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^N \phi_i}{2}\right) - i\sigma_1 \cos\left(\frac{\phi_1}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\phi_2}{2}\right) \dots \cos\left(\frac{\phi_N}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^N \psi_i}{2}\right) + \frac{i}{4} \sigma_2 s_{ij} \phi_i \psi_j - i\sigma_3 \cos\left(\frac{\psi_1}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\psi_2}{2}\right) \dots \cos\left(\frac{\psi_N}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^N \phi_i}{2}\right) + o(\phi, \psi)^2, \text{ where } s_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1, & i \leq j \\ -1, & i > j \end{cases}.$$



Quasi-Frozen Spin Lattice

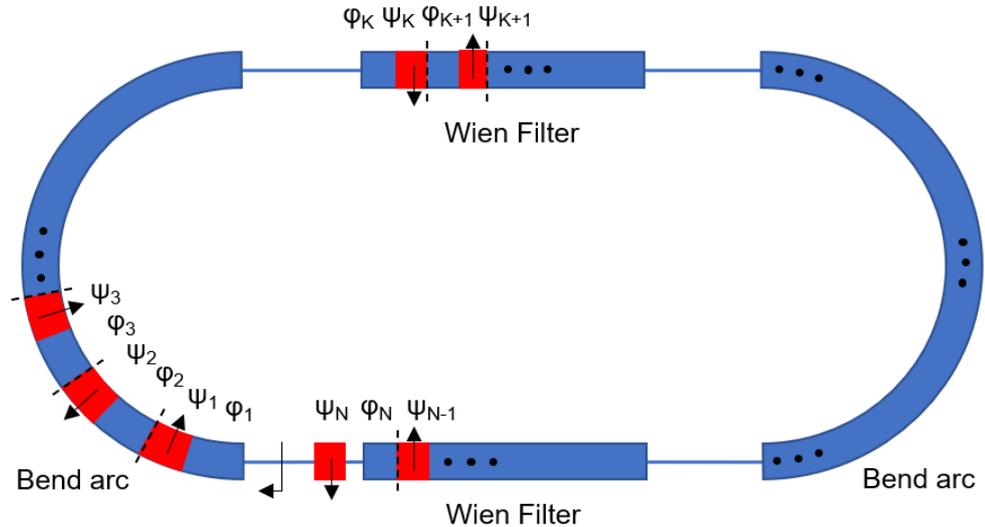
$$M = \cos\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^N \psi_i}{2}\right) \cdot \cos\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^N \phi_i}{2}\right)$$

$$-i\sigma_1 \cos\left(\frac{\phi_1}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\phi_2}{2}\right) \dots \cos\left(\frac{\phi_N}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^N \psi_i}{2}\right)$$

$$+ \frac{i}{4} \sigma_2 s_{ij} \phi_i \psi_j$$

$$-i\sigma_3 \cos\left(\frac{\psi_1}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\psi_2}{2}\right) \dots \cos\left(\frac{\psi_N}{2}\right) \sin\left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^N \phi_i}{2}\right)$$

$$+ o(\phi, \psi)^2, \text{ where } s_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1, & i \leq j \\ -1, & i > j \end{cases}$$



Applying the QFS resonance condition ($\sum \varphi_i = 0$) we get:

$$\nu_s = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^N \psi_i}{2\pi} + o(\phi, \psi)^2.$$

$$\vec{n} = \left[1 + o(\phi, \psi), -\frac{s_{ij} \phi_i \psi_j}{4 \sum_{i=1}^N \psi_i} + o(\phi, \psi), 0 \right].$$

$$\Omega_{meas} = \frac{1}{N} \sum \Omega_i + o(\phi, \psi)^2$$

The result is similar to the perturbed FS lattice, but here, due to anti-commutation of local rotations we get a **non-zero longitudinal component of \vec{n}** . What is more, the measured **spin-precession frequency is the arithmetic sum of the local frequencies only up to second order of Taylor expansion.**

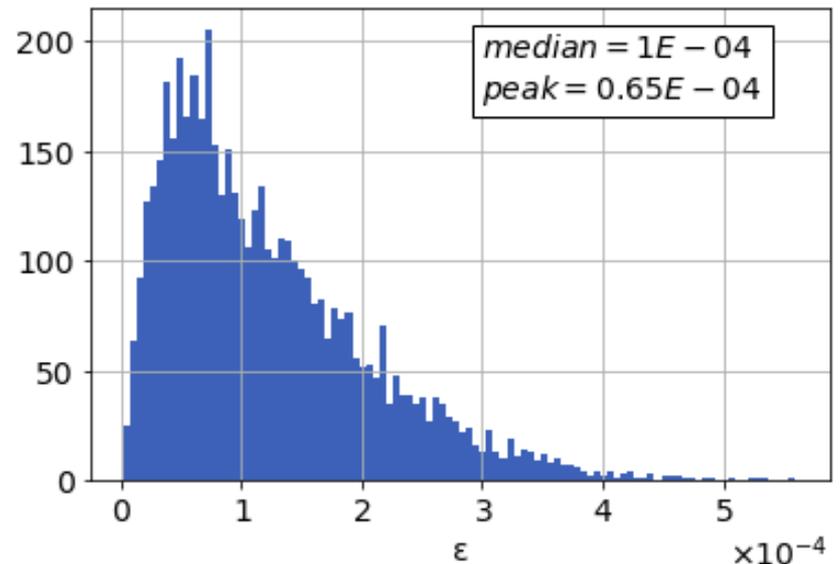
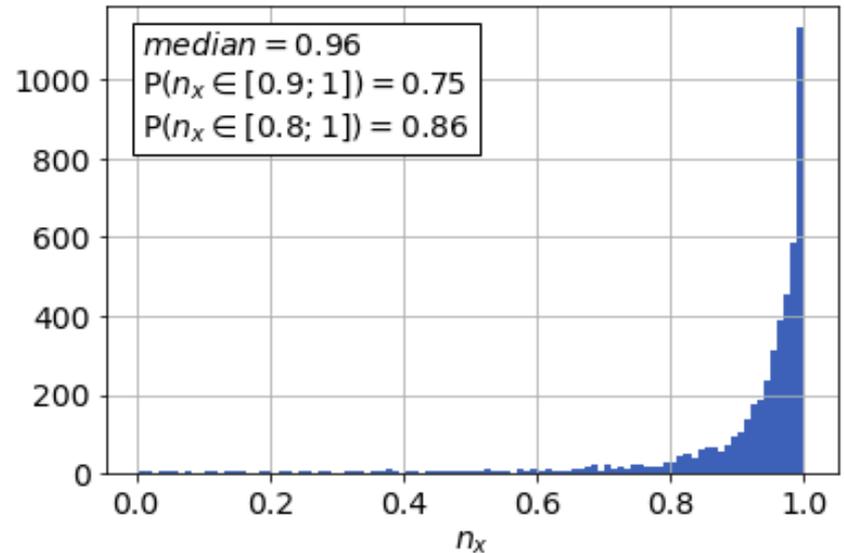
Quasi-Frozen Spin Lattice

$$v_s = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^N \psi_i}{2\pi} + o(\phi, \psi)^2.$$

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COSY Infinity modelling for the NICA lattice. Radial perturbations: dipole rolls at angles ~ 100 $\mu\text{m}/\text{m}$ RMS and the closed orbit vertical deviations of 0.5 mm RMS in the quadrupoles.

The statistical distribution of the radial component of \vec{n} is presented as well as the data for resonance strength.



QFS and FS lattices were compared in terms of spin dynamics for EDM search:

- In the perturbed QFS structure the dominant direction of \vec{n} is radial but the small longitudinal component is present due to the anti-commutation of local rotations.
- The measured spin-precession frequency is the weighted sum of local T-BMT frequencies up to 2nd order of Taylor expansion of the Map. But higher order terms may arise. This question is to be investigated in terms of QFS systematic effects.
- The expected QFS resonance strength for the mentioned machine parameters is $\varepsilon \sim 10^{-4}$.
- The invariant spin axis flips its direction from CW to CCW injection. This allows to subtract EDM systematic effects.