

# ICOOL Reference Manual

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## ***Caveat Emptor***

ICOOL is under active development at the present time. It is being made available as a potential aid to members of the [Neutrino Factory and Muon Collider Collaboration](#) for studying ionization cooling problems. Although considerable effort has gone into making the code give accurate answers, it is ultimately the user's responsibility to check that the program gives reasonable answers to any specific problem.

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|                            |                                     |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <a href="#">SECTION</a>    | start of problem description        |
| <a href="#">BEGS</a>       | begin repeating part of section     |
| <a href="#">REPEAT</a>     | start of repeated group of commands |
| <a href="#">CELL</a>       | start of cell                       |
| <a href="#">SREGION</a>    | start of region                     |
| <a href="#">ENDREPEAT</a>  | end of repeating group of commands  |
| <a href="#">ENDCELL</a>    | end of cell                         |
| <a href="#">ENDSECTION</a> | end of problem description          |

### 3.2 [Pseudoregion commands](#)

|                            |                                      |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <a href="#">APERTURE</a>   | transverse cut                       |
| <a href="#">BACKGROUND</a> | start of background field definition |
| <a href="#">BFIELD</a>     | defines background field             |
| <a href="#">CUTV</a>       | cut on ICOOL variable                |
| <a href="#">DENP</a>       | set variable density profile         |
| <a href="#">DENS</a>       | adjust material density              |
| <a href="#">DISP</a>       | randomly displaces coordinates       |
| <a href="#">DUMMY</a>      | place holder (do nothing) command    |
| <a href="#">DVAR</a>       | change particle variable             |

|                                  |   |
|----------------------------------|---|
| <a href="#"><u>EDGE</u></a>      | fringe field and other kicks for hard-edge fields |
| <a href="#"><u>ENDB</u></a>      | end of background field definition                |
| <a href="#"><u>GRID</u></a>      | define magnetic field grid                        |
| <a href="#"><u>OUTPUT</u></a>    | writes data to <a href="#"><u>for009.dat</u></a>  |
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| <a href="#"><u>REF2</u></a>      | 2nd RF reference particle                         |
| <a href="#"><u>RESET</u></a>     | force particle time to reference time             |
| <a href="#"><u>RKICK</u></a>     | random field kick                                 |
| <a href="#"><u>ROTATE</u></a>    | rotates coordinates around specified axis         |
| <a href="#"><u>TILT</u></a>      | randomly rotates coordinates in 3D                |
| <a href="#"><u>TRANSPORT</u></a> | transforms beam coordinates by matrix             |
| !                                | <a href="#"><u>comment</u></a> line               |
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##### 4.1 [Field tags and parameters](#)

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| <a href="#">NONE</a>  | no field  |
| <a href="#">ACCEL</a> | accelerator   |
| <a href="#">BLOCK</a> | thick solenoidal current block                            |
| <a href="#">BROD</a>  | bent axial current rod                                    |
| <a href="#">BSOL</a>  | “bent solenoid” – combined solenoid and transverse fields |
| <a href="#">COIL</a>  | coil  |
| <a href="#">DIP</a>   | vertical field sector dipole                              |
| <a href="#">EFLD</a>  | electric field  |
| <a href="#">FOFO</a>  | alternating solenoid lattice                              |
| <a href="#">HDIP</a>  | horizontal field sector dipole                            |
| <a href="#">HELIX</a> | helical field plus solenoid                               |
| <a href="#">HORN</a>  | magnetic horn   |
| <a href="#">KICK</a>  | kickers, deflection cavity                                |
| <a href="#">QUAD</a>  | quadrupole  |
| <a href="#">ROD</a>   | current carrying rod                                      |
| <a href="#">SEX</a>   | sextupole   |
| <a href="#">SHEET</a> | current sheet   |
| <a href="#">SOL</a>   | solenoid  |
| <a href="#">SQUA</a>  | skew quadrupole   |
| <a href="#">STUS</a>  | static user magnetic field                                |
| <a href="#">WIG</a>   | wiggler   |

##### 4.2 [Material tags](#)

|     |                  |
|-----|------------------|
| VAC | vacuum           |
| GH  | gaseous hydrogen |
| GHE | gaseous helium   |
| LH  | liquid hydrogen  |
| LHE | liquid helium    |
| LI  | lithium          |
| BE  | beryllium        |
| B   | boron            |
| C   | carbon           |
| AL  | aluminum         |
| TI  | titanium         |
| FE  | iron             |
| CU  | copper           |
| W   | tungsten         |
| HG  | mercury          |
| PB  | lead             |
| AM  | AlBeMet          |
| LIH | lithium hydride  |
| CH2 | polyethylene     |
| SS  | stainless steel  |

#### 4.3 [Geometry tags and parameters](#)

|                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
| <a href="#">NONE</a>   | no material                            |
| <a href="#">ASPW</a>   | azimuthally symmetric polynomial wedge |
| <a href="#">ASRW</a>   | azimuthally symmetric radial wedge     |
| <a href="#">CBLOCK</a> | cylindrical block                      |
| <a href="#">HWIN</a>   | hemispherical absorber end             |
| <a href="#">NIA</a>    | non-isosceles absorber                 |
| <a href="#">PWEDGE</a> | asymmetric polynomial edge wedge       |
| <a href="#">RING</a>   | annular block                          |
| <a href="#">WEDGE</a>  | asymmetric linear edge wedge           |

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# 1. Introduction

ICOOL is a 3-dimensional tracking program that was originally written to study ionization cooling of muon beams<sup>1</sup>. The program simulates particle -by- particle propagation through materials and electromagnetic fields. Particles are tracked and regions are described using "accelerator" coordinates. The program was written with low energy (1 MeV/c -- 1 GeV/c) muons in mind, but tracking of electrons, pions, kaons, and protons is also possible. The physics processes included are decays, delta rays, multiple scattering, energy loss and straggling. Large sections of the physics interaction code was taken from GEANT v3.21 with minimal interface changes.

Information is input to the code via an ASCII data file, described in [section 2](#). The incident beam particles can be generated from uniform or Gaussian distributions or read from an input file. The code can read its own output, so simulations can be staged. The particles are tracked through a sequence of regions that have a fixed length in z. In general a region is cylindrical in shape and may be subdivided radially. Every region has a specified material and field type associated with it. Groups of regions can be grouped in cells and a separate cell field can be superimposed over the region fields when tracking is done. In general the program takes user-defined steps along the reference trajectory. For each step it updates the particle position and momentum, taking into account the local field, and corrects the particle's momentum for energy loss and multiple scattering in the step. There is an option for letting the program make adaptive step sizes.

ICOOL uses analytic and other procedures to compute field strengths at a given location. There are in general several model levels for each field type that gives the approximation used to calculate the field.

The program always generates an output log file. In addition, depending on control variable settings, it may generate several other output files.

The quantities to plot come from a list of predefined quantities. Plots can be made at the origin and after each region. Z-histories are plots made at user-defined steps in z. There are options to save information about each particle after every region (or step) in an "n-tuple" file.

This manual defines all the parameters used by ICOOL. For an introduction to using ICOOL see the User's Guide, [ICguide.pdf](#). Some information about ICOOL validation can be found in a technical note.<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> R.C. Fernow, ICOOL: A simulation code for ionization cooling of muon beams, Proc.1999 Particle Accelerator Conference, New York, 1999, p. 3020; R.C. Fernow, Recent developments on the muon-facility design-code ICOOL, Proc. 2005 Particle Accelerator Conference, Knoxville, 2005, p. 2651.

<sup>2</sup> R. Fernow, Verification and validation tasks for ICOOL, NFMCC Technical note 558, December 2010.

## 1.1 Comments in the ICOOL simulation control file for001.dat

“Comments and blank lines can help format a control file so that it is more understandable to human readers. The computer subroutines that read and parse control files don't want to see the comments and blank lines. A new subroutine in ICOOL removes comments and blank lines before the command processor parses them.

### Rules for commenting a control file

A *comment* is any string of printable characters whose leftmost character is an exclamation point.

! This is a comment.

A *whitespace* is either a space or a horizontal tab.

A *blank line* either has no characters (except for the end-of-line terminator) or no characters except whitespaces. Blank lines may be placed anywhere in the control file. They are ignored by the command parser.

A *comment line* contains a comment, preceded by zero or more whitespaces. Comment lines may be placed anywhere in the control file. They are ignored by the command parser.

An *end-of-line comment* is a comment placed to the right of a normal input line. End-of-line comments may be placed at the end of any input line, separated from the data ICOOL is to parse by zero or more whitespaces.

1.2342.345 !This is an end-of-line comment.

### The Use of Informal Comments

Though it is not forbidden, users are strongly discouraged from using "informal comments" -- those without leading exclamation points that are imagined to be out of view of the parser. There are numerous ways to go wrong. For example, free format reads can extract data from more than one input line; an informal comment on the end of any but the last line will generally produce an error. An informal comment following a text string must come with enough preceding spaces to fill the input field with spaces. All of these potential problems are avoided by using formal comments with leading exclamation points.” {S.Bracker}



## 1.2 Name substitution

Any parameter in the input command file for001.dat can be defined symbolically using the command

`&SUB name value`

Following this command any occurrence of the text string

`&name`

is replaced with its value. Do not use SUB or SCL for name. The text string must be preceded and followed by at least one blank character. The maximum number of allowed substitutions is 100. The maximum length of the name string is 20 characters. The maximum length of the value string is 30 characters.

A variant allows scaling of a class of previously-defined symbolic names.

`&SCL NameString type value`

*NameString* is a set of characters. All previously defined names that begin with this character string will be scaled. The variables may be either additively or multiplicatively scaled, depending on the value of *type* = {\*, +}. The amount of scaling is determined by *value*.

### 1.3 Minimal deck structure

Drift space example with a scatterplot of x vs. y

```

&cont npart=500 /      ! control variables
&bmt /                ! beam definition
1 2 1. 1              ! Gaussian definition of muon beam
0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0.200  ! means
3e-3 3e-3 0.01 0.005 0.005 0.010  ! sigmas
0                    ! no imposed beam correlations
&ints /              ! use default interactions
&nhs /               ! no histograms
&nsc nscat =1 /      ! define 1 scatter plot
-0.10 5e-3 40 1 2 -0.10 10e-3 20 2 2
&nzh /              ! no z-histories
&nrh /              ! no r-histories
&nem /              ! no 2-D emittance calculations
&ncv /              ! no covariance calculations

SECTION              ! start problem definition
SREGION              ! define a region
1.00 1 0.003         ! length, 1 radial subregion, step
1 0. 0.10            ! radial extent
NONE                 ! no associated field
0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0.
VAC                  ! vacuum material
CBLOCK               ! cylindrical block geometry
0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0.
ENDSECTION           ! end of problem definition

```

## 1.4 Deck with CELL structure

More complicated example with REFP, GRID, and CELL commands

```
&cont npart=500 /      ! control variables
&bmt /                ! beam definition
1 2 1. 1              ! Gaussian definition of muon beam
0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0.200    ! means
3e-3 3e-3 0.01 0.005 0.005 0.010 ! sigmas
0                      ! no imposed beam correlations
&ints /              ! use default interactions

&nhs /                ! no histograms
&nsc /                ! no scatter plots
&nzh /                ! no z-histories
&nrrh /               ! no r-histories
&nem /                ! no 2-D emittance calculations
&ncv /                ! no covariance calculations

SECTION                ! start problem definition

REFP                  ! define a reference particle
2 0.186 0. 0. 3

GRID                  ! save field from file of current
1                      ! sheets in grid array #1
SHEET                ! use current sheets
0 20 0.01 0.01 1.51 0.11 15. 0 21 0 0 0 0 0

CELL                  ! begin cell structure
16                    ! repeat 16 times
.true.               ! alternate field polarity
SHEET                ! define the associated cell field
5 1 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

SREGION               ! define the region inside the cell
1.50 1 0.003          ! length, 1 radial subregion, step
1 0. 0.10             ! radial extent
ACCEL                 ! rf cavity field
2 805 36 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0.
VAC                   ! vacuum material
CBLOCK               ! cylindrical block geometry
0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0.

ENDCELL               ! end this cell structure

ENDSECTION            ! end of problem definition
```

## 1.5 Keyboard input during execution

ICOOL recognizes two keyboard inputs while it is executing.

- p    pauses execution until the Enter key is pressed
- x    stops execution with the current particle and region and executes any end of run diagnostics.

## 2. Command file input

file: FOR001.DAT

The input file consists of:

1. problem title
2. general control variables
3. beam generation variables
4. physics interactions control variables
5. histogram definition variables
6. scatterplot definition variables
7. Z-history definition variables
8. R-history definition variables
9. emittance plane definition variables
10. covariance plane definition variables
11. region definition variables

The first 10 types of these variables are discussed in this section. Region definition variables are discussed in section 3.

## 2.1 Problem title

A 79 character title for the problem. This title is written onto files 2, 4, and 9, described below.

## 2.2 Control variables

Namelist: CONT

BETAPERP (R) beta value to use in calculating amplitude variable  $A^2$

BGEN (L) if .true. => generate initial beam particles, otherwise read input from FOR003.DAT (true)

BUNCHCUT (R) maximum time difference allowed between a particle and the reference particle [s] (1E6)

DECTRK (L) if .true. => continue tracking daughter particle following decay (false)

DIAGREF (L) if .true. => specify  $p_z$  and  $t$  relative to the reference particle for ICOOL internal diagnostics (F)

EPSF (R) desired tolerance on fractional field variation, energy loss, and multiple scattering per step (0.05)

EPSREQ (R) required tolerance on error in tracking parameters (1E-3) This parameter is only used if varstep = true

EPSSTEP (R) desired tolerance in spatial stepping to reach each destination plane [m] (1E-6)

FFCR (L) if .true. => inserts form feed and carriage returns in the output log file so there are two plots per page starting at the top of a page (false)

FORCERP (L) if .true. => set  $x$ ,  $y$ ,  $P_x$ , and  $P_y$  for reference particle to 0 for each new REFP command and for each ACCEL region with phasemodel=4. (true)

FSAV (L) if .true. => store particle info at plane IZFILE into file FOR004.DAT. (false) It is possible to get the initial distribution of particles that get a given error flag by setting the "plane"=IFAIL #. It is possible to get the initial distribution of particles that successfully make it to the end of the simulation by setting the plane= -1.

(Control Variables continued)

FSAVSET (L) if .true. => modify data stored using FSAV in FOR004.DAT to have z=0 and times relative to reference particle at plane IZFILE. (false)

F9DP (I) number of digits after the decimal point for floating point variables in FOR009.DAT {4,6,8,10,12,14,16,17} (4) F9DP=17 gives 16 digits after the decimal point and 3 digits in the exponent.

GOODTRACK (L) if .true. and BGEN=.false. => only accepts input data from file FOR003.DAT if IPFLG=0.; if .false. => resets IPFLG of bad input tracks to 0 (this allows processing a file of bad tracks for diagnostic purposes) (true)

IZFILE (I) z-plane where particle info is desired when using FSAV. Use 1 to store beam at production. Saves initial particle properties for bad tracks if IZFILE=IFAIL #. Saves initial particle properties for tracks that get to the end of the simulation if IZFILE=-1. IZFILE should point to the end of a REGION or to an APERTURE , ROTATE or TRANSPORT pseudoregion command.

MAGCONF (I) if  $19 < \text{MAGCONF} = \text{mn} < 100$  => reads in file FOR0mn.DAT, which contains data on solenoidal magnets. Used with [SHEET](#), model 4.(0)

MAPDEF (I) if  $19 < \text{MAPDEF} = \text{mn} < 100$  => reads in file FOR0mn.DAT, which contains data on how to set up field grid. Used with [SHEET](#), model 4.(0)

NEIGHBOR (L) if .true. => include fields from previous and following regions when calculating field. (false) This parameter can be used with soft-edge fields when the magnitude of the field doesn't fall to 0 at the region boundary. A maximum of 100 regions can be used with this feature.

NEUTRINO (I) if  $19 < \text{NEUTRINO} = \text{mn} < 100$  => writes out file FOR0mn.DAT, which contains neutrino production data. See section 5.2 for the format. (0)

NNUDK (I) # of neutrinos to produce at each muon, pion and kaon decay. (1)

NPART (I) # of particles in simulation. The first 300,000 particles are stored in memory. Larger numbers are allowed in principle since ICOOL writes the excess particle information to disc. However, there can be a large space and speed penalty in doing so.

NPRNT (I) # of diagnostic events to print out to log file (-1)

NPSKIP (I) number of input particles in external beam file to skip before processing starts (0)

[\(Control Variables continued\)](#)

NSECTIONS (I) # of times to repeat basic cooling section (1)

This parameter can be used to repeat all the commands between the SECTION and ENDSECTION commands in the problem definition. If a REFP command immediately follows the SECTION command, it is not repeated

NTUPLE (L) if .true. => store information about each particle after every region in file FOR009.DAT. This variable is forced to be false if RTUPLE= true.(false)

NUTHMIN (R) Minimum polar angle to write neutrino production data to file. [radians] (0.)

NUTHMAX (R) Maximum polar angle to write neutrino production data to file. [radians] (3.14)

OUTPUT1 (L) if .true. => write particle information at production (plane 1) to the postprocessor output file for009.dat. (false)

PHANTOM (L) if .true. => force particle to keep initial transverse coordinates after every step. This is useful for making magnetic field maps. (false)

PHASEMODEL (I) controls how the phase is determined in rf cavities. (3)

1: takes phase directly from ACCEL command [degrees]

2 - 6: takes phase model from REFP command

7: reads phases in from file FOR0mn.DAT, where RFPHASE=mn. See sec. 5.1.

PRLEVEL (I) controls level of print information to log file (for NPRINT events);higher # gives more print(1)

1: values at end of region

2: + values at end of each time step

3: + E,B values at each step

4: + information in cylindrical coordinates

PRNMAX (I) Sets maximum number of steps to generate print out inside a region (300)

PZMINTRK (R) Sets the value of Pz below which tracking stops. [GeV/c] (0.001)

RFDIAG (I) if  $19 < \text{RFDIAG} = \text{mn} < 100$  => writes rf diagnostic information at the end of each accelerator region to file FOR0mn.DAT. (0)

RFPHASE (I) if PHASEMODEL=5 => reads rf phases, frequencies and gradients for the cavities from file FOR0mn.DAT, where RFPHASE=mn and  $19 < \text{mn} < 100$  (0)



(Control Variables continued)

|            |   |
|------------|---|
| RNSEED     | (I) random number seed (-1) Set to a negative integer.  |
| RTUPLE     | (L) if .true. => particle information in file FOR009.DAT is generated after every RTUPLEN steps. (false)  |
| RTUPLEN    | (I) # of steps to skip between RTUPLE generated outputs. (5)  |
| RUN_ENV    | (L) if true => run ICOOL in beam envelope mode, i.e. no tracking (false)<br>For solenoidal channels only.   |
| SCALESTEP  | (R) factor that modifies all step sizes in a problem simultaneously (1.0)<br>Only works in fixed stepsize mode.   |
| SPIN       | (L) if .true. => include calculation of polarization. (false)<br>This does not work if space charge is enabled.   |
| SPINMATTER | (I) controls whether muon depolarization effects in matter are simulated<br>(0)<br>0: no depolarization simulation<br>1: depolarization simulation using Rossmanith model<br>2: depolarization simulation using spin flip probabilities |
| SPINTRK    | (I) controls whether spin variables are tracked (0)<br>0: no spin tracking<br>1: track spin in muon rest frame using BMT equations  |
| STEPMAX    | (R) maximum step size that can be used for variable stepping [m]<br>(1)   |
| STEPMIN    | (R) minimum step size that can be used for variable stepping [m]<br>(1E-5)  |
| STEPRK     | (L) if .true. => use 4 <sup>th</sup> order Runge-Kutta integrator for tracking.<br>Otherwise it uses the Boris push method in straight regions. (true)  |
| SUMMARY    | (L) if true => writes region summary table to for007.dat (true)   |
| TERMOUT    | (L) if .true. => write output to terminal screen (true)   |
| TIMELIM    | (R) time limit for simulation [min] (1E9)   |

(Control Variables continued)

VARSTEP (L) if .true. => use adaptive step size; otherwise use fixed step ZSTEP (until reaching the last step in a region). This variable is forced to be false (1) in wedge material regions, (2) when the number of radial regions is greater than 1, and (3) when PHASEMODEL=2. (true)

## 2.3 Beam generation variables

Namelist: BMT

NBEAMTYP (I) # of beam types, e.g. particles of different mass {1-5} (1)

BMALT (L) if true => flip sign of alternate particles when BGEN = true. (false)

DTALT (R) average time shift for negative particles if BMALT = true [s]

Other input variables

The following input is only read if BGEN = .true.

(2-4 repeated for each beam type)

2.1) PARTNUM (I) particle number

2.2) BMTYPE(I) beam type {magnitude = mass code; sign = charge}

1: e

2:  $\mu$

3:  $\pi$

4: K

5: p

6: d

7:  $\text{He}^3$

8:  $\text{Li}^7$

2.3) FRACBT (R) fraction of beam of this type {0-1} The sum of all fracbt(i) should =1.0

2.4) BDISTYP (I) beam distribution type {1:Gaussian 2:uniform circular segment}

If BDISTYP = 1

3.1) X1BT(i),i=1,3 (R) mean value of x,y,z for this beam type [m]

3.2) P1BT(i),i=1,3 (R) mean value of px,py,pz for this beam type [GeV/c]

4.1) X2BT(i),i=1,3 (R) standard deviation of x,y,z for this beam type; assumes Gaussian [m]

4.2) P2BT(i),i=1,3 (R) standard deviation of px,py,pz for this beam type;  
assumes Gaussian [GeV/c]

If BGEN=false, VARSTEP=false, and a particle in the input file has a starting z location  $z_0$  greater than 0, then the particle will not be tracked until the z stepping logic in the code reaches  $z_0$ .

[\(Beam continued\)](#)

If BDISTYP = 2

- 3.1) X1BT(1),X2BT(1) (R)r\_low,r\_high [m] {>0}
- 3.2) X1BT(2),X2BT(2) (R) phi\_low,phi\_high [degrees]
- 3.3) X1BT(3),X2BT(3) (R) z\_low,z\_high [m]
- 4.1) P1BT(1),P2BT(1) (R) Pr\_low,Pr\_high [GeV/c] {>0}
- 4.2) P1BT(2),P2BT(2) (R) Pphi\_low,Pphi\_high GeV/c
- 4.3) P1BT(3),P2BT(3) (R) Pz\_low,Pz\_high [GeV/c]

5) NBCORR (I) # of beam correlations {0-10}

(6-repeated NBCORR times; this applies to both Gaussian and uniform distributions)

- 6.1) CORRTP (I) correlation type
- 6.2) CORR1(i) (R) correlation parameter 1
- 6.3) CORR2(i) (R) correlation parameter 2
- 6.4) CORR3(i) (R) correlation parameter 3

CORRTYP = 1 angular momentum appropriate for constant solenoid field  
= 2 Palmer amplitude correlation  
= 3 rf bucket, small amplitude ellipse  
= 4 rf bucket, small amplitude separatrix  
= 5 rf bucket, large amplitude separatrix  
= 6 Twiss parameters in x Px  
= 7 Twiss parameters in y Py  
= 8 (not used)  
= 9 equal time in solenoid  
= 10 Balbekov version of amplitude-energy  
= 11 dispersion

For CORRTYP = 1

2 solenoid field [T]

Value should equal effective solenoid field in the body of the magnet.

For CORRTYP = 2

2 correlation strength

3 effective  $\beta_{\perp}$  [m]

$dPz = CORR1 * ( (r/CORR2)^2 + X'^2 + Y'^2 )$

[\(Beam continued\)](#)

For CORRYP = 3,4

- 2 peak electric field on axis[MV/m]
- 3 synchronous phase [degrees]
- 4 rf frequency [MHz]

Set desired  $\sigma_z$  in input beam definition. Set  $\sigma_{Pz} = 0$ .

For CORRYP = 5

- 2 peak electric field on axis[MV/m]
- 3 synchronous phase [degrees]
- 4 rf frequency [MHz]

Set  $\sigma_z$  and  $\sigma_{Pz} = 0$  in input beam definition.

For CORRYP = 6

- 2 Twiss alpha parameter
- 3 Twiss beta parameter [m]
- 4 Twiss epsilon parameter[m]

The spread in x and Px in the beam definition are ignored. For Gaussian distributions epsilon is the rms geometrical emittance. For uniform distributions it specifies the limiting ellipse.

For CORRYP = 7

- 2 Twiss alpha parameter
- 3 Twiss beta parameter [m]
- 4 Twiss epsilon parameter[m]

The spread in y and Py in the beam definition are ignored. For Gaussian distributions epsilon is the rms geometrical emittance. For uniform distributions it specifies the limiting ellipse.

For CORRYP = 9

- 2 desired axial beta ( $=v/c$ ) value  $\beta_0$
- 3 azimuthal angle of transverse momentum [deg]

Set up with pz and  $\sigma_{Pz}$  such that  $\beta_z > \beta_0$ . Set up initial pt = 0. This correlation determines the pt for a given pz that gives all the initial particles the same  $\beta_0$ . If parameter 3 is 0, the azimuthal angle is chosen randomly.

[\(Beam continued\)](#)

For CORRTP = 10

2       $E_{\text{ref}}$  [GeV]

3       $B_{\text{abs}}$  [ T ]

4       $\sigma_E$  [GeV]

$$A_B^2 = (p_T/mc)^2 + (e B_{\text{abs}} r / 2 mc^2)^2$$

$$E = E_{\text{ref}} \{ 1 + A_B^2 \}^{0.5} + \sigma_E$$

dE: random energy deviation taken from GAUS(0,  $\sigma_E$ )

Enter the normal beam input  $\sigma_{P_z} = 0$ .

For CORRTP = 11

2      value                      [m or rad]

3       $p_{\text{REF}}$                       [GeV/c]

4      type flag

1: x

2: y

3: x'

4: y'

## 2.4 Physics interactions control variables

Namelist: INTS

### 2.4.1 Interaction enabling variables

LDEDX (L) if .true. => simulate ionization energy loss dE/dx (true)

LSCATTER (L) if .true. => simulate multiple scattering (true)

LSTRAG (L) if .true. => simulate energy straggling (true)

LDECAY (L) if .true. => simulate particle decays (true)

LDRAY (L) if .true. => simulate discrete energy loss from delta rays (true)  
When LDRAY is true, the program forces the parameters DELEV=2 and STRAGLEV=5.

LINTERACT (L) if .true. => simulate inelastic nuclear interactions of pions, kaons and protons (false)

LSPACE (L) if .true. => consider effects of space charge (false)

LELMS (L) if .true. => use ELMS model<sup>3</sup> for energy loss and scattering (false).  
When this command is true an external file ELMSCOM.TXT must be provided. This file consists of two lines giving (1) the ELMS run directory including path and (2) the root part of the path name to the ELMS database files. For example,

\muon\elmsdb\rundirectory.txt  
\muon\elmsdb\elmsfv3run

ELMS only works in regions containing hydrogen (the SCATLEV model is used in other regions). For hydrogen regions use a stepsize around 5 mm for maximum accuracy. A stepsize of 1 mm gives significantly worse results.

LSAMCS (L) if .true. => use SAMCS model<sup>4</sup> of correlated straggling and scattering (false).

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<sup>3</sup> W. Allison et al, *Ab initio* liquid hydrogen muon cooling simulations with ELMS, J. Phys. G: Nuc. Part. Phys. 34 (2007) 679-685.

<sup>4</sup> Sergei Striganov, On the theory and simulation of multiple Coulomb scattering of heavy charged particles, Fermilab-Conf-04/056, April 2004.

[\(Interactions continued\)](#)

2.4.2 Interaction model selection variables

DELEV (I) model level for dE/dx (2)

- 1: Bethe-Bloch
- 2: Bethe-Bloch with density effect
- 3: restricted Bethe-Bloch with density effect
- 4: most probable loss with density effect
- 5: test mode with  $dE = \text{const} * dz$ , independent of velocity and angle

SCATLEV (I) model level for multiple scattering (6)

- 1: Gaussian( 0, Rossi-Greisen )
- 2: Gaussian( 0, Highland )
- 3: Gaussian( 0, Lynch-Dahl )
- 4: Bethe version of Moliere distribution (with Rutherford limit)
- 5: Rutherford
- 6: Fano (with Rutherford limit)
- 7: Tollestrup (with Rutherford limit)

Level 2 contains a logarithm term in computing the Gaussian width, so it is not useful for general monte carlo work. It gives an accurate estimate of the width of the distribution when the step size is the same as the region size. In models 4, 6, and 7 when the effective number of scatters is less than 20 Rutherford scattering is used with the actual number of scatters in a given step taken from a Poisson distribution.

STRAGLEV (I) model level for straggling (4)

- 1: Gaussian( Bohr )
- 2: Landau distribution
- 3: (not used)
- 4: Vavilov distribution (with appropriate Landau and Gaussian limits determined by the program)
- 5: restricted energy fluctuations from continuous processes with energy below DCUTx.

DECLEV (I) model level for particle decays (1)

- 1: uniform polar decay angle for daughter particle in parent rest frame
- 2: 90 degree polar decay angle for daughter particle in parent rest frame
- 3: uniform polar decay angle for daughter particle in parent rest frame; no  $\mu \rightarrow e$  decays.
- 4: 90 degree polar decay angle for daughter particle in parent rest frame; no  $\mu \rightarrow e$  decays
- 5: uniform polar decay angle for daughter particle in parent rest frame; no  $\mu \rightarrow e$  decays; save accumulated fractional decay length in POL(1).



[\(Interactions continued\)](#)

INTLEV (I) model level for nuclear interactions (1)  
1: stop tracking after an interaction  
2: stop tracking after an interaction, except for protons which generate a pion from the Wang distribution.

SPACELEV (I) model level for space charge (1)  
1: uniformly-charged ellipsoid model applied to all regions; wall effect applied using geometry (g) factor  
2: uniformly-charged ellipsoid model applied to all regions; wall effect applied using boundary conditions

2.4.3 Interaction parameters

DCUTE (R) kinetic energy of electrons, above which delta rays are discretely simulated [GeV] (0.003)

DCUTM (R) kinetic energy of muons and other heavy particles, above which delta rays are discretely simulated [GeV] (0.003)

ELMSCOR (I) 0: run ELMS without correlations (0)  
1: run ELMS with correlations

FACFMS (R) factor to correct the  $Z(Z+1)$  term in the characteristic angle squared  $\chi_c^2$  in Moliere multiple scattering theory (1.0)

FACMMS (R) factor to correct screening angle squared  $\chi_A^2$  in Moliere multiple scattering theory (1.0)

FASTDECAY (L) if true => use unphysical decay constants to make  $\{\mu, \pi, K\}$  decay immediately. (false)

FRFBUNSC (R) RF frequency used for space charge model 4. [MHz] (201.)

GFACTSC (L) if true => apply geometry (g) factor corrections (false)

PARBUNSC (R) number of muons per bunch for space charge calculation (4E12)

RWALLSC (R) radius of beam pipe [m]

TRAINSC (L) if true => All the particles in a bunch train are superimposed onto a single bunch with frequency given by FRFBUNSC. Adjust PARBUNSC accordingly. (false)

[\(Interactions continued\)](#)

PDELEV5 (R) momentum for DELEV=5 calculation (0.200)

WANGA (R) Wang parameter A (90.1) The Wang distribution is given by  
$$d^2\sigma/dp \, d\Omega = A \, p_{\text{MAX}} \times (1-x) \exp\{-Bx^C - Dp_T\}$$
 where  $x = p_L / p_{\text{MAX}}$ .

WANGB (R) Wang parameter B (3.35)

WANGC (R) Wang parameter C (1.22)

WANGD (R) Wang parameter D (4.66)

WANGPMX (R) Wang parameter  $p_{\text{MAX}}$  (1.500) The sign of this quantity is used to select  $\pi^+$  or  $\pi^-$  production.

WANGFMX (R) The maximum value of the Wang differential cross section (13.706)

## 2.5 Histogram definition variables

Namelist: NHS

NHIST (I) # of histograms{0-20} (0)  
HAUTO (L) if .true.=>histograms are scaled for no overflows (true)  
HCPRN (I) if  $19 < HCPRN < 100 \Rightarrow$  histogram contents are written to file  
FOR0nm.DAT

Other input variables

(2-repeated for each histogram)

2.1) HXMIN (R) minimum value  
2.2) HDX (R) step size  
2.3) NHBINS (I) total # of bins {1-50}  
2.4) IHVAR (I) a flag indicating variable to histogram

|           |                    |                        |            |
|-----------|--------------------|------------------------|------------|
| 1: X      | 11: X'             | 21: Pt                 | 31: Bx     |
| 2: Y      | 12: Y'             | 22:                    | 32: By     |
| 3: Z      | 13: (space angle)  | 23:                    | 33: Bz     |
| 4: Px     | 14: r              | 24:                    | 34: Ex     |
| 5: Py     | 15: phi            | 25:                    | 35: Ey     |
| 6: Pz [2] | 16: Pr             | 26:                    | 36: Ez     |
| 7: ct[2]  | 17: Pphi           | 27:                    | 37: Sx     |
| 8: Pmag   | 18: Lz             | 28: A <sup>2</sup> [1] | 38: Sy     |
| 9: E      | 19: L <sup>2</sup> | 29: r <sup>2</sup>     | 39: Sz     |
| 10: KE    | 20: (arclength)    | 30: muon helicity      | 40:(phase) |

2.5) IHDES (I) the s-plane location for the histogram

Note that s-regions are not the same as physical regions, since they also count any pseudoregions, such as OUTPUT or ROTATE, that may be present. You can find the s-region listed in the left most column of the region summary table (FOR007.DAT).

1: variables at production

s: variables at s-region s

-1: variables at production that make it to the end of the simulation

(only IHVAR=1..7 are defined )

ifail : variables at production for events when this ifail occurs {< -10}

(only IHVAR=1..7 are defined )

[1] To plot A<sup>2</sup>, use the BETAPERP control variable.

[2] If DIAGREF is true, the difference with respect to the reference particle is used.

## 2.6 Scatterplot definition variables

Namelist: NSC

NSCAT (I) # of scatterplots {0-20} (0)  
SAUTO (L) if .true. => scatterplots are scaled for no overflows (true)

Other input variables

(2-repeated for each scatterplot)

2.1) SXMIN (R) minimum x value  
2.2) SDX (R) step size in x  
2.3) NSXBIN (I) total # of x bins {1-50}  
2.4) ISXVAR (I) a flag indicating x variable to scatterplot  
(see definitions in IHVAR above)  
2.5) ISXDES (I) the s-plane location for the x variable in the scatterplot (see below)  
2.6) SYMIN (R) minimum y value  
2.7) SDY (R) step size in y  
2.8) NSYBIN (I) total # of y bins {1-23}  
2.9) ISYVAR (I) a flag indicating y variable to scatterplot  
(see [variable](#) definitions in IHVAR above)  
2.10) ISYDES (I) the s-plane location for the y variable in the scatterplot

Note that s-planes are not the same as physical regions, since they also count any pseudoregions, such as OUTPUT or ROTATE, that may be present. You can find the s-region listed in the left most column of the region summary table (FOR007.DAT).

1: variables at production

s: variables at s-plane s

-1: variables at production that make it to the end of the simulation

(only IHVAR=1..7 are defined at production)

ifail: make scatterplot of events when ifail occurs. Both ISXDES and ISYDES must equal ifail.

## 2.7 Z-history definition variables

Namelist: NZH

|        |   |
|--------|---|
| NZHIST | (I) # of Z-histories {0 - 20} (0)                               |
| ZHAUTO | (L) if .true. => z-histories data is scaled to fill plot (true) |
| ZHPRIN | (L) if .true. => values printed in log file (false)             |

Other input variables

(2-repeated for each z-history)

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| 2.1) NZHPAR  | (I) # of particles to plot {1-10}                                  |
| 2.2) ZHXMIN  | (R) minimum value of z to plot [m]                                 |
| 2.3) ZHDX    | (R) z distance between plot values [m]                             |
| 2.4) NZHXBIN | (I) #of z points {1-70}  |
| 2.5) ZHYMIN  | (R) minimum value of variable to plot                              |
| 2.6) ZHYMAX  | (R) maximum value of variable to plot                              |
| 2.7) IZHYVAR | (I) <a href="#">variable</a> flag (see definitions in IHVAR above) |

## 2.8 R-history definition variables

Computes minimum, maximum, mean and standard deviation of the distribution of all particles for a variable at the end of regions

Namelist: NRH

|        |   |
|--------|---|
| NRHIST | (I) # of R-histories {0 - 10} (0)                               |
| RHAUTO | (L) if .true. => R-histories data is scaled to fill plot (true) |
| RHPRIN | (L) if .true. => values printed in log file (false)             |

Other input variables

(2-repeated for each R-history)

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| 2.1) IRHZMIN | (I) starting region number   |
| 2.2) IRHDZ   | (I) increment in region number along horizontal axis               |
| 2.3) RHYMIN  | (R) minimum value of variable to plot                              |
| 2.4) RHYMAX  | (R) maximum value of variable to plot                              |
| 2.5) IRHYVAR | (I) <a href="#">variable</a> flag (see definitions in IHVAR above) |

## 2.9 Emittance plane definition variables

Calculates 2-D emittances and related “LBNL” covariance emittances at specified planes.

Namelist: NEM

|          |   |
|----------|---|
| NEMIT    | (I) # of s-planes where the emittance or polarization should be calculated {0-100}(0)   |
| DISCORR  | (L) if .true. => correct x and y 2D emittance calculations for dispersion (false)   |
| EDETAIL  | (L) if .true. => additional emittance-related quantities are listed in the log file (false)   |
| PXYCORR  | (L) if .true. => Px and Py are corrected for the 2D emittance calculation for the vector potential in a solenoid field. (false)   |
| IPZCOR   | (I) flag for correcting the 2D normalized longitudinal emittance for the Pz versus transverse amplitude correlation. (0)<br>0: no correction<br>1: correct using Palmer transverse amplitude, $A_P$<br>$A_P^2 = x'^2 + y'^2 + (x/\beta_T)^2 + (y/\beta_T)^2$<br>2: correct using Balbekov transverse amplitude, $A_B$<br>$A_B^2 = (p_T/mc)^2 + (eBr/2mc)^2$ |
| SIGMACUT | (L) if .true. => tails of {x ... Pz} are cut at SIG_CUT sigmas before the 2D emittance is calculated. (true)  |
| SIG_CUT  | (R) # of sigmas to cut off tails of {x ... Pz} for the 2D emittance calculation. (4.)   |

Other input variables (repeated for each emittance plane)

2) IEMDES(i),i=1,N (I) s-plane identification # where emittance or POLARIZATION is calculated. Note that s-planes are not the same as physical regions, since they also count any pseudoregions, such as OUTPUT or ROTATE, that may be present. You can find the s-region listed in the left most column of the region summary table (FOR007.DAT).

1: variables at production

s: variables at s-plane s

For the 2D emittances output data is normalized relative to first plane in IEMDES list. Note that in a solenoidal field emittances are only correctly computed when PXYCORR=true or at s-planes where  $B = 0$ . For emittances at the production plane use the control variable BZFLDPRD.

A returned emittance value of -998 or -999 indicates the program could not calculate a sensible emittance.

## 2.10 Covariance plane definition variables

Calculates covariance matrices at specified planes.

Namelist: NCV

NCOVAR                    (I) # of s-planes where the covariance should be calculated {0-100} (0)

Other input variables

2) ICVDES(i),i=1,N    (I) s-plane identification # where covariance is calculated. Note that s-planes are not the same as physical regions, since they also count any pseudoregions, such as OUTPUT or ROTATE, that may be present. You can find the s-region listed in the left most column of the region summary table (FOR007.DAT).

1: variables at production

s: variables at s-plane s



### 3 Region definition variables

Region commands (A4) **Use UPPER case.**

#### 3.1 Regular region commands

1) SECTION

Start of cooling section region definition; the data must end with an ENDSECTION ; it can enclose any number of other commands. If it is desired to repeat the section definitions, the control variable NSECTIONS should be set >1 and a BEGS command is used to define where to start repeating.

2) BEGS

This marks the beginning of the part of region definitions that will be repeated with the NSECTIONS control variable. This command doesn't do anything if NSECTIONS = 1.

3) REPEAT

Start of a repeating group of region commands; the data must end with an ENDREPEAT command. This can be used to repeat regions inside a cell. The repeat loop can enclose any number of {SREGION, APERTURE, DENS, DISP, DUMMY, DVAR, EDGE, OUTPUT, REFP, REF2, RESET, RKICK, ROTATE, TILT, TRANSPORT} commands. Repeat sections cannot be nested in other repeat sections. (see parameters below)

4) CELL

Start of a repeating group of region commands; the data must end with an ENDCELL command. The cell loop can enclose any number of commands listed above under REPEAT plus REPEAT and ENDREPEAT commands. It has an associated cell field, which is superimposed on the individual region fields. Cell sections cannot be nested in other cell sections. (see parameters below)

5) SREGION

Start of new s-region. Describes field and material properties. (see parameters below)

6) ENDREPEAT            End of REPEAT data block.

7) ENDCELL            End of CELL data block.

8) ENDSECTION

End of region data definition; the section of data is repeated NSECTIONS times.

## 3.2 Pseudoregion commands

These commands are read in (A4) format.

APERTURE            Collimates beam at aperture (see parameters below)

CUTV                Cut on ICOOL variable (see parameters below)

DENP                Set variable density profile (see parameters below)

DENS                Adjust material density (see parameters below)

DISP                Randomly displaces particle coordinates (see parameters below)

DUMMY

Dummy placeholder in the problem definition. This can be used to save a place for an OUTPUT command in the problem definition. (no parameters)

DVAR                Change parameter value for all particles (see parameters below)

EDGE                Fringe field and other kicks for hard-edged field models (see parameters below)

GRID                Defines new magnetic field grid (see parameters below)

OUTPUT

Enables the writing of particle information at the end of the following region to FOR009.DAT. This command is only executed if both NTUPLE and RTUPLE are false. (no parameters).

REFP                Define RF reference particle properties (see parameters below)

REF2                Define 2<sup>nd</sup> RF reference particle properties (see parameters below)

RESET               Change time of all particles to reference particle time (no parameters)

RKICK               Random magnetic kicks (see parameters below)

ROTATE             Coordinate system rotation (see parameters below)

TILT                Randomly rotates particle coordinates in 3D (see parameters below)

[\(Pseudocommands continued\)](#)

#### TRANSPORT

User input of transport matrix. A reference particle must be defined to use this command. (see parameters below)

#### BACKGROUND

Start of a background field definition section. the data must end with an ENDB command. This section may include any number of BFIELD commands. (see parameters below)

BFIELD        Define background field (see parameters below)

ENDB         End definition of background field (see parameters below)

!             (see discussion on [comments](#) in the Introduction)

&             (see discussion on [name](#) substitution in the Introduction)

### 3.3 Regular and pseudoregion command parameters

It is important that parameters listed like 1.1 to 1.4 below appear on the same line in the input file and that parameters like 2.1 start a new line.

#### APERTURE

1.1) IAPERTYPE (I) 1:elliptical, 2:rectangular, 3:normal quad, 4:skew quad

For IAPERTYPE = 1

1.2) APERLIM1 (R) x half-width [m]

1.3) APERLIM2 (R) y half-width [m]

1.4) 0. (R) parameter not used

For IAPERTYPE = 2

1.2) APERLIM1 (R) lower limit [m]

1.3) APERLIM2 (R) upper limit [m]

1.4) 1:x 2:y (R) direction

For IAPERTYPE = 3 or 4

1.2) RPOLE (R) distance from axis to pole piece [m]

1.3) ROUT (R) distance from axis to outer useful radius [m]

1.4) PARAB (R) distance from vertex to focus of parabola [m]

#### BACKGROUND

1.1) BENTBKG (L) set TRUE if reference trajectory is curved

1.2) PREFBKG (R) reference momentum thru background grid [GeV/c]

1.3) ZTOTALBKG (R) total incremental length in z to use this BG field [m]

2.1) XLOBKG (R) low x value of background grid [m]

2.2) DXBKG (R) bin size in x for background grid [m]

2.3) NXBKG (I) number of x bins {<31}

2.4-6) YLOBKG, DYBKG, NYBKG(similar to corresponding x parameters)

2.7) ZLOBKG (R) minimum distance into background region before using background field, i.e. the background field is 0 for distances into background region less than ZLOBKG.

The maximum distance to use the background field is ZLOBKG+ZTOTALBKG.

Distances in z are in relative units, i.e. they start at 0.

2.8) DZBKG (R) bin size in z for background grid [m]

2.9) NZBKG (I) number of z bins{<201}

2.10) INTERBKG (I) interpolation order for background grid {1-3}

[\(Command parameters continued\)](#)

BFIELD

1.1) ZOFFBKG (R) offset in z before starting edge of this field contribution [m]  
This can be used to start field contributions at varying distances from the beginning of the current background field.

1.2) RMAXBKG (R) maximum radius at which this field should be applied to the background grid [m]

1.3) ZMINBKG (R) Starting z location at which to consider this field contribution [m]

1.4) ZMAXBKG (R) Ending z location at which to consider this field contribution [m]

ZMINBKG and ZMAXBKG are measured from the start of the current background field. If round-off error causes the last BG field point to be in error, increase ZMAXBKG by a small amount, e.g. by 0.001.

..

2) BFTAG (A4) background field tag (see FTAG values below)

3) BFPARM (R) 15 parameters describing field (see specific field type below)

CELL

1) NCELLS (I) Number of times to repeat the commands in this cell block.

2) CELLFLIP (L) If .true. => flip cell field for alternate cells

3) CFTAG (A4) Field tag for field that is superimposed over all the regions in this cell; see FTAG values below.

4) CFPARM (R) 15 parameters describing field (see specific field type below)

CUTV

1.1) ICOOL variable index {1-12} See [variable](#) list under Histograms.

1.2) relational test

1: < (less than)

2: > (greater than)

1.3) value (R)

[\(Command parameters continued\)](#)

DENP

- 1.1) material (A4) material tag
- 1.2) direction (I) 1:x 2:y 3:r
- 1.3) coefficient a (R)
- 1.4) coefficient b (R)
- 1.5) coefficient c (R)
- 1.6) coefficient d (R)

Let  $v$  be the variable determined by the direction parameter. Then the density is a function of  $v$  given by

$$\rho = a + b v + c v^2 + d v^3$$

This command can only affect the density of one material at a time. To disable this function execute a DENP command with  $a=1$ ,  $b=c=d=0$ .

DENS

- 1.1) material (A4) material tag
- 1.2) factor (R) factor to change reference density value

This command can only affect the density of one material at a time. To disable this function execute a DENS command with  $\text{factor}=1$ .

DISP

- 1.1) D (R)  $\sigma$  of displacement distribution [m]
- 1.2) PHI (R) angle of rotation w.r.t. x axis in x-y plane [deg]

If  $\text{PHI} = -1 \Rightarrow$  angle of rotation axis is chosen randomly from a uniform distribution.

DVAR

- 1.1) variable index (I) see [variable](#) list under Histograms {1-12}
- 1.2) change (R) amount to change variable [m, GeV/c, s, GeV]
- 1.3) apply to (I) {0,1,2}
  - 0: all particles
  - 1: reference particle only
  - 2: normal particles only

[\(Command parameters continued\)](#)

EDGE

1) edge type (A4) {SOL, DIP, HDIP, DIP3, QUAD, SQUA, SEX, BSOL, FACE}

2.1) model # (I) {1}

2.2-5) p1, p2, p3, p4 (R) model-dependent parameters

Edge type = SOL

p1:  $B_s$  [T]

If the main solenoid field is B, use p1=-B for the entrance edge and p1=+B for the exit edge.

Edge type = DIP

p1:  $B_y$  [T]

Edge type = HDIP

p1:  $B_x$  [T]

Edge type = DIP3

p1: rotation angle [deg]

p2:  $B_y^0$  [T]

p3: flag 1:in 2:out

Edge type = QUAD

p1: gradient [T/m]

Edge type = SQUA

p1: gradient [T/m]

Edge type = SEX

p1:  $b_2$  [T/m<sup>2</sup>] (cf. C. Wang & L. Teng, MC 207)

Edge type = BSOL

p1:  $B_s$  [T]

p2:  $B_y$  [T]

p3: 0 for entrance face, 1 for exit face

Edge type = FACE

This gives vertical focusing from rotated pole faces.

p1: pole face angle [deg]

p2: radius of curvature of reference particle [m]

p3: if not 0 => correct kick by the factor  $1 / (1+\delta)$

p4: if not 0 => apply horizontal focus with strength = (-vertical strength)

If a FACE command is used before and after a sector dipole ( DIP ), you can approximate a rectangular dipole field.

The DIP, HDIP, QUAD, SQUA, SEX and BSOL edge types use Scott Berg's HRDEND routine to find the change in transverse position and transverse momentum due to the fringe field.

ENDB

1) (I) file # of field output on the grid {20-99}. Set this <20 if you don't want an output file. See output file section 5.2.

## (Command parameters continued)

### GRID

This can be used to define a 2D r-z grid, a 2D x-y grid, or a 3D x-y-s grid, depending on the value of the field type.

#### (1) **r-z grid**

The GRID command can be used to create an internal r-z field grid. The input data to create the grid depends on the specified field type:

|                       |                                |
|-----------------------|--------------------------------|
| COIL, SHEET, or BLOCK | conductor specifications       |
| SL10                  | B versus z on-axis             |
| SOL                   | existing field grid            |
| G4RZ                  | existing G4beamline field grid |

For field types COIL, SHEET, or BLOCK the input file contains magnet parameters and the GRID command computes the magnetic field on a grid. For field type SL10 the input file contains B versus z on-axis and the GRID command computes the magnetic field on a grid. For field types SOL and G4RZ the input file contains an existing field grid and the GRID command reads the file into memory. The grid limits and spacing are taken from the external file.

### Parameters for GRID command

- 1) grid number (I) {1-4}
- 2) field type (A4) { BLOCK , COIL , SHEET, SL10, SOL, G4RZ }
- 3) field parameters (R) (15 parameters, enter 0. for unused parameters)
- 3.2) file # of input data {20-99}
- 3.3) dz for grid [m] (COIL, SHEET, and BLOCK only)
- 3.4) dr for grid [m] (COIL, SHEET, and BLOCK only)
- 3.5) total z length of grid [m] (COIL, SHEET, and BLOCK only)  
The maximum number of z grid points is 5000.
- 3.6) total r length of grid [m] (COIL, SHEET, and BLOCK only)  
The maximum number of r grid points is 100.
- 3.7) z cut parameter for ignoring current elements ( COIL and SHEET only)
- 3.9) file # for field output on the grid (or 0 for none) {20-99}

The format of the output file generated by parameter 9 is listed in section 5.2.

3.10) Longitudinal shift parameter. If a longitudinal grid index JZ is entered here, the field grid stored in memory starts at JZ, wraps through the beginning of the grid and ends at longitudinal index JZ-1.

3.11) Field scaling factor. Set to 1.0 for no scaling.

3.12) Calculation algorithm

for BLOCK

0: from numerical integration

1: from series

for SL10, order of off-axis expansion{1,3,5,7}



([GRID](#) parameters continued)

### External data file formats

For COIL model 3 the contents of the coil input data file FOR0##.DAT is

- 1 title (a80)
- 2 NCOILS {1-1000}
- ( 3.1-3.4 repeated for each coil)
- 3.1 coil #
- 3.2 relative z offset of this coil [m]
- 3.3 radius of coil[m]
- 3.4 current[A]

For SHEET model 3 the contents of the sheet data input file FOR0##.DAT is

- 1 title (a80)
- 2 NSHEETS {1-1000}
- 3 current scaling factor
- ( 3.1 – 3.5 repeated for each sheet)
- 3.1 sheet #
- 3.2 relative z offset of this sheet[m]
- 3.3 length of sheet [m]
- 3.4 radius of sheet [m]
- 3.5 current density [A-turns/m]

For BLOCK model 2 the contents of the block data input file FOR0##.DAT is

- 1 title (a80)
- 2 NBLOCKS {1-1000}
- ( 3 repeated for each block)
- 3.1 block #
- 3.2 relative z offset of this block [m]
- 3.3 length of block [m]
- 3.4 inner radius of block [m]
- 3.5 outer radius of block [m]
- 3.6 current density [A / mm<sup>2</sup>]

The z offset is measured from the start of the block.

If the file number is entered as a negative number for field types COIL, SHEET, or BLOCK the current densities in the external file are all reversed in polarity.

For SOL model 10 (field type SL10) the contents of the input file is

- 1 title (A80)
- 2 number of points, N (I) {<1001}
- For i=1,N
- 3.1 z (R) [m]
- 3.2 B<sub>z</sub> (R) [ T ]

([GRID](#) parameters continued)

For SOL model 6 (field type SOL) the required format of the field map is

|   |        |          |
|---|--------|----------|
| title   | (A80)  |          |
| # of z grid points, nz  | (I)    | {1-5000} |
| # of r grid points, nr  | (I)    | {1-100}  |
| For i=1,nz  |        |          |
| For j=1,nr  |        |          |
| i, j, z <sub>i</sub> , r <sub>j</sub> , B <sub>Zi,j</sub> , B <sub>Ri,j</sub> | (I, R) |          |

Field type G4RZ reads in a G4Beamline field map in the BLFieldMap cylinder format. The G4RZ grid is accessed during tracking with [BLOCK](#) model 3.

([GRID](#) parameters continued)

(2) **x-y grid**

- 1) grid number (I) {1-4}
- 2) field type (A4) { [BROD](#) }
- 3) field parameters (R) (enter 0. for unused parameters)
- 3.3) dx for grid [m]
- 3.4) dy for grid [m]
- 3.5) starting x value for grid [m]
- 3.6) starting y value for grid [m]
- 3.7) number of x grid points. The maximum number of x grid points is 100.
- 3.8) number of y grid points. The maximum number of y grid points is 5000.
- 3.9) file # for field output on the grid (or 0 for none) {20-99}

The format of the output file generated by parameter 9 is listed in section 5.2.

- 3.12) radius of ring [m]
- 3.13) cross sectional radius of bent rod [m]
- 3.14) total current [A]
- 3.15)  $B_{\text{dipole}}$  superimposed dipole field [ T ]

This command uses the same grid arrays as the r-z commands.

([GRID](#) parameters continued)

### (3) **x-y-s grid**

This command reads in an existing 3D field grid. The grid limits and spacing are taken from the external file. This command can also be used to input a user-supplied field to a background field definition. It is used as a field type argument for the BFIELD command.

- 1) grid number (I) {1}
- 2) field type (A4) { STUS, G43D }
- 3) field parameters (R) (15 parameters, enter 0. for unused parameters)
- 3.2) file # of input 3D field values (or spline coefficients) {20-99}

The STUS file format is described below. Field type G43D reads in a formatted G4beamline field map in the BLFieldMap grid format. The maximum array size is 101 x 101 x 501.

- 3.3) curvature flag
  - 0: straight grid
  - 1: curved grid (STUS only)
- 3.4) reference momentum [GeV/c]
- 3.5) field scaling factor Set to 1.0 for no scaling.
- 3.8) curvature sign flag (STUS only)
  - if parameter=1 => flip sign of HREF in the STUS input file
- 3.9) file format flag (STUS only)
  - 0: formatted B grid
  - 1: unformatted B grid
  - 2: unformatted spline coefficients of B grid

For a curved grid (parameter 3.3 = 1): if href in the input file is not 0, then href is used as the constant curvature; if href in the input file is 0, then pref is used with the local Bx and By on-axis fields to determine the curvature.

3.10) Longitudinal shift parameter. If a longitudinal grid index JZ is entered here, the field grid stored in memory starts at JZ, wraps through the beginning of the grid and ends at longitudinal index JZ-1.

The G43D grid is accessed during tracking with the [STUS](#)(2) model.

([GRID](#) parameters continued)

The required format of the field map for STUS is

For file formats 0 and 1 the contents of the user supplied field file FOR0##.DAT is

|  |       |                                |
|--|-------|--------------------------------|
| title  | (a80) |                                |
| mxg  | (I)   | number of x grid points {<101} |
| myg  | (I)   | number of y grid points {<101} |
| mzg  | (I)   | number of z grid points {<501} |
| href   | (R)   | curvature [ $\text{m}^{-1}$ ]  |
| (xgr(i),i=1,mxg)                                     | (R)   | x grid points [m]              |
| (ygr(i),i=1,myg)                                     | (R)   | y grid points [m]              |
| (zgr(i),i=1,mzg)                                     | (R)   | z grid points [m]              |
| ix, iy, iz, Bx(ix,iy,iz), By(ix,iy,iz), Bz(ix,iy,iz) | (I,R) | [T]                            |

For file format 2 the contents of the user supplied spline coefficient file FOR0##.DAT is

|                  |       |                                     |
|------------------|-------|-------------------------------------|
| title            | (a80) |                                     |
| mxg              | (I)   | number of x grid points {<101}      |
| myg              | (I)   | number of x grid points {<101}      |
| mzg              | (I)   | number of x grid points {<501}      |
| href             | (R)   | curvature [ $\text{m}^{-1}$ ]       |
| (xgr(i),i=1,mxg) | (R)   | x grid points                       |
| (ygr(i),i=1,myg) | (R)   | y grid points                       |
| (zgr(i),i=1,mzg) | (R)   | z grid points                       |
| nbf(3)           | (I)   | # of spline basis functions         |
| nord(3)          | (I)   | spline orders                       |
| sknot            | (R)   | array containing knot sequences     |
| cbx              | (R)   | array of spline coefficients for Bx |
| cby              | (R)   | array of spline coefficients for By |
| cbs              | (R)   | array of spline coefficients for Bs |

[\(Command parameters continued\)](#)

REFP

1.1) REFPAR (I) Use BMTYPE particle code to specify reference particle type. {1 - 5}

1.2-1.4) see below

1.5) PHMODREF (I) phase model

2: uses iterative procedure to find 0-crossing phase; tracks thru all regions; only works with ACCEL models 1, 2 and 13.

3: assumes constant reference particle velocity

4: takes into account energy loss in absorbers and gain in cavities

5: allows quadratic energy change in cavities

6: allows quadratic energy change for any region

REF2

1.1) REFPAR2 (I) Use BMTYPE particle code to specify reference particle type {1-5}

1.2-1.4) see below

n.b. when using the REF2 command in conjunction with ACCEL model 10, the momentum of the two reference particles should be different.

The meaning of parameters 1.2 – 1.4 in REFP and REF2 depend on the value of PHMODREF according to the following table.

| PHMODREF   | 2       | 3          | 4       | 5                                | 6                                |
|------------|---------|------------|---------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1.2 =      | -       | pZ0        | pZ0     | E0                               | E0                               |
| 1.3 =      | -       | t0         | t0      | dE/dz                            | dE/dz                            |
| 1.4 =      | -       | -          | dE/dz   | d <sup>2</sup> E/dz <sup>2</sup> | d <sup>2</sup> E/dz <sup>2</sup> |
| applies to | RF only | any region | RF only | RF only                          | any region                       |

The units are pZ0 [GeV/c], E0 (total energy) [GeV], t0 [s], dE/dz [MeV/m], and d<sup>2</sup>E/dz<sup>2</sup> [MeV/m<sup>2</sup>]. If a command has t0, pZ0 or E0 set to 0., the corresponding quantity keeps its existing value.

[\(Command parameters continued\)](#)

REPEAT

1) NREP (I) # of times to repeat following region commands

RKICK

|                          |  |
|--------------------------|--|
| 1.1) field type          | (A4) {SOL, DIP, HDIP, QUAD, SQUA, SEX; SCAL}                 |
| 1.2) mean strength       | (R) integrated multipole strength [ T / m <sup>n</sup> * m ] |
| 1.3) $\sigma$ (strength) | (R) [ T / m <sup>n</sup> * m ]                               |
| 1.4) coupling parameter  | (R)  |
| 1.5) azimuth or length   | (R)  |

This generates a random momentum kick based on the magnetic field configuration given in *field type*. The output of this command can be given for longitudinal fields (SOL) and transverse fields independently. The SCAL field type is used to scale the strengths of all following RKICK commands. In this case the 2<sup>nd</sup> parameter is a scaling factor for the mean values and the 3<sup>rd</sup> parameter is a scaling factor for the standard deviations, as follows.

SCAL mean\_factor sigma\_factor 0. 0.

The *coupling parameter* can be used to correlate RKICK commands. This parameter can have the following four values.

- 0: generate a random value
- 1: generate a random value and save it
- 2: used the saved random value
- 3: used the saved random value with the opposite sign

One value can be saved for longitudinal kicks and one value can be saved for transverse kicks. For solenoidal fields the 5<sup>th</sup> parameter is the solenoid length in meters. For transverse fields the 5<sup>th</sup> parameter determines the azimuthal angle around the beam direction in which the kick takes place. If the 5<sup>th</sup> parameter = -1, the kick direction is chosen randomly from a uniform distribution. Otherwise the kick direction is determined by the field type. The coupling parameter is also used here to correlate kick directions. The random kicks are only computed for NSECTIONS = 1. When NSECTIONS > 1 the same kick is applied at some given location as its kick for NSECTIONS = 1. There can be a maximum of 100 RKICK commands in a job.

[\(Command parameters continued\)](#)

ROTATE

- 1.1) ANGLE (R) Rotation angle [degrees]
- 1.2) axis (I) {1,2,3}
  - 1: x
  - 2: y
  - 3: z
- 1.3) apply to (I) {0,1,2}
  - 0: all particles
  - 1: reference particle only
  - 2: normal particles only

SREGION

- 1.1) SLEN (R) Length of this s region [m]
- 1.2) NRREG (I) # of radial subregions of this s region {1-4}
- 1.3) ZSTEP (R) step for tracking particles [m]

Note that for fixed-stepping the program may modify this value slightly to get an integral number of steps in the region.

(following repeated for each r subregion)

- 2.1) IRREG (I) r-region number
- 2.2) RLOW (R) Inner radius of this r subregion[m]
- 2.3) RHIGH (R) Outer radius of this r subregion[m]
- 3) FTAG (A4) Tag identifying field in this r subregion

(see specific field type below)

- 4) FPARM (R) 15 parameters describing field(see specific field type below)

These 15 parameters must be on one input line.

- 5) MTAG (2A4) Tag identifying material composition in this r subregion

The wedge geometry can accept a second MTAG parameter. The first material refers to the interior of the wedge. The second material, if present, refers to the exterior of the wedge. If a second MTAG parameter is not present, vacuum is assumed. (see specific material type below)

- 6) MGEOM (A6) Tag identifying material geometry in this r subregion.

(see specific material type below)

- 7) GPARM (R) 10 Parameters describing material geometry.

These 10 parameters must be on one input line.

(see specific material type below)



[\(Command parameters continued\)](#)

TILT

1.1) PSI (R)  $\sigma$  of tilt angle distribution [deg]

1.2) PHI (R) angle of rotation w.r.t. x axis in x-y plane [deg]

If PHI = -1 => angle of rotation axis is chosen randomly from a uniform distribution.

TRANSPORT

1) 1st row of transport matrix (variables x, x', y, y', z-z<sub>REF</sub>, (p-p<sub>REF</sub>)/p<sub>REF</sub>)

2) 2nd row of transport matrix,.....

6) 6th row of transport matrix

You must define a reference particle in order to use this command.

## 4. Field, material and geometry parameters

### 4.1 Field tags and parameters

Enter FTAG in UPPER case. Unused parameters should be set to 0.

NONE drift in field free region  
( set all parameters to 0 )

**ACCE(L)**                      linear accelerator fields

1 model

- 1:  $E_z$  only with no transverse variation
- 2: cylindrical TM<sub>01p</sub> pillbox resonator
- 3: traveling wave cavity
- 4: approximate fields for symmetric circular-nosed cavity
- 5: user-supplied azimuthally-symmetric TM mode (SuperFish) RF field
- 6: induction linac model - waveform from user-supplied polynomial coefficients
- 7: induction linac model - internally generated waveform
- 8: induction linac model - waveform from user-supplied file
- 9: sector-shaped pillbox cavity (circular cross section)
- 10: variable {frequency, gradient} pillbox cavity
- 11: straight pillbox or SuperFish cavity in dipole region
- 12: sector-shaped pillbox cavity (rectangular cross section)
- 13: open cell standing wave cavity

The initial phase parameter can be used for any PHASEMODEL and ACCEL models 1-5.

For **model = 1**

2 frequency [MHz]

3 gradient on-axis at center of gap [MV/m]

4 phase shift [deg] {0-360}.

5 parameter to approximate a rectangular cavity in cylindrical geometry; if set to radius of curvature  $\rho$ , then  $E_z$  is scaled by  $1-x/\rho$ , where  $x$  is the horizontal distance from the reference circle.

6 (not used)

7 (not used)

8 mode

0 : time-independent

1: sinusoidal time variation

(ACCEL continued)

For **model = 2**

2 frequency f [MHz]

3 gradient on-axis at center of gap [MV/m]

4 phase shift [deg] {0-360}.

5 parameter to approximate a rectangular cavity in cylindrical geometry; if set to radius of curvature  $\rho$ , then the field components are scaled by  $1-x/\rho$ , where  $x$  is the horizontal distance from the reference circle.

6 x offset of cavity [m]

7 y offset of cavity [m]

8 longitudinal mode p {0,1}

For mode = 0  $R_{cav} = 0.383 * \lambda$

For mode = 1  $R_{cav} = 2.405 / \{(2 \pi f)^2 - (\pi / SLEN)^2\}^{1/2}$

For **model = 3**

2 frequency f [MHz]

3 gradient on-axis at center of gap [MV/m]

4 phase shift [deg] {0-360}.

5 (not used)

6 (not used)

7 (not used)

8 phase velocity of RF wave  $\beta_w$  . {0 <  $\beta_w$  < 1}

For **model = 4**

2 frequency [MHz]

3 gradient on-axis at center of gap [MV/m]

4 phase shift [deg] {0-360}.

5 (not used)

6 (not used)

7 (not used)

8 total length of cavity [m]

9 total gap [m]

10 radius of drift tube [m]

11 radius of nose piece [m]

(ACCEL continued)

For **model = 5**

2 frequency [MHz]

4 phase shift [deg] {0-360}.

8 file ## of azimuthally symmetric RF input file (see below) {20-99}

9 field strength normalization factor [MV/m] This multiplies the value in the SuperFish file.

10 radial cutoff for cavity [m]

11 axial distance Z2 from start of Icool region to position where z=0 in SuperFish grid [m]

For symmetric case take  $Z2 = SLEN/2$

12 axial symmetry of SuperFish grid file

0: symmetric (zmin=0, zmax>0)

1: not symmetric (zmin<0, zmax>0)

The contents of the user-supplied file FOR0##.DAT has the same format as the Parmela output of the SuperFish postprocessor SF07.

```
1.1 zmin          Start of axial grid [cm]
1.2 zmax          End of axial grid [cm]
1.3 Nz            # of z grid points {<251}
2 frequency [MHz]
3.1 rmin          Start of radial grid [cm]
3.2 rmax          End of radial grid [cm]
3.3 Nr            # of r grid points {<151}
for ir=1,Nr
  for iz=1,Nz
    4.1 Ez axial electric field [MV/m]
    4.2 Er radial electric field [MV/m]
    4.3 E  magnitude of electric field [MV/m]
    4.4 Hphi azimuthal magnetic field [A/m]
  next iz
next ir
```

The grids should extend beyond the region where tracking will occur.

([ACCEL continued](#))

For **model = 6**

- 2 time offset from start of voltage pulse[s]
- 3 accelerator gap [m]
- 4 time reset parameter (see below)
- 5 V0 term in polynomial expansion of voltage pulse [V ]
- 6 V1 term in polynomial expansion of voltage pulse [V /  $\mu\text{s}$ ]
- 7 V2 term in polynomial expansion of voltage pulse [V /  $\mu\text{s}^2$ ]
- 8 V3 term in polynomial expansion of voltage pulse [V /  $\mu\text{s}^3$ ]
- 9 V4 term in polynomial expansion of voltage pulse [V /  $\mu\text{s}^4$ ]
- 10 V5 term in polynomial expansion of voltage pulse[V /  $\mu\text{s}^5$ ]
- 11 V6 term in polynomial expansion of voltage pulse[V /  $\mu\text{s}^6$ ]
- 12 V7 term in polynomial expansion of voltage pulse[V /  $\mu\text{s}^7$ ]
- 13 V8 term in polynomial expansion of voltage pulse[V /  $\mu\text{s}^8$ ]

This model generates an  $E_z$  field across the accelerator gap. The field is time dependent, but does not depend on  $z$  or  $r$ . The radial electric field and azimuthal magnetic fields are assumed to be negligible. When the time reset parameter is 1, the start time for the voltage pulse is determined from the time the reference particle entered the cell. The user can adjust this time using parameter #2 above. Subsequent cells should use parameter #4 set to 0 to sample later portions of the same voltage pulse. A new pulse shape can be started at any time by setting parameter #4 back to 1.

([ACCEL continued](#))

For **model = 7**

- 2 number of gaps
- 3 starting voltage [GV]
- 4 voltage swing [GV]
- 5 time offset [s]
- 6 target kinetic energy [GeV]
- 7 pulse duration [s]
- 8 parameter to adjust slope at end of voltage pulse
- 9 number of bins in voltage pulse
- 10 gap length [m]
- 11 file # of output diagnostic file {20-99} (Set this <20 for no diagnostic output.)
- 12 kill particle flag (Set=1 to eliminate non-useful particles)
- 13 restart flag (Set =1 to restart calculation)

This model, based on a routine by Charles Kim, uses the local E-t phase space to create a voltage waveform that attempts to flatten out the kinetic energy along the pulse. The diagnostic file contains the following information:

Region number

Time bin, n

t(n)

V(n)

E<sub>K</sub>(n)

wt<sub>1</sub>(n)            total event weight in this bin

wt<sub>2</sub>(n)            event weight inside the chosen energy range

sigE<sub>K</sub>(n)

V<sub>start</sub>

V<sub>end</sub>

(ACCEL continued)

For **model = 8**

- 2 time offset from start of voltage pulse[s]
- 3 accelerator gap [m]
- 4 time reset parameter [s](see below)
- 5 file number of waveform input (see format below) {20-99}
- 6 polynomial interpolation order, 1=> linear, 2=>quadratic, etc. {1-3}
- 7 file # for output diagnostic file (see format below){20-99}
- 8 time increment between diagnostic outputs to file [s]

This model generates an  $E_z$  field across the accelerator gap. The field is time dependent, but does not depend on  $z$  or  $r$ . The radial electric field and azimuthal magnetic fields are assumed to be negligible. The gap parameter is used to convert the voltage profile into an electric field. The field is applied everywhere in the region.

When the time reset parameter is 1, the start time for the voltage pulse is determined from the time the reference particle entered the cell. The user can adjust this time using parameter #2 above. Subsequent cells can use parameter #4 set to 0 to sample later portions of the same voltage pulse. A new pulse shape can be started at any time by setting parameter #4 back to 1.

The contents of the waveform input file FOR0##.DAT is

- 1) number of points  $N$  {1-100}

This is followed by  $N$  pairs

- 2)  $t(i)$      $V(i)$                       [s] [V]

An output diagnostic file is initialized for an induction linac region where the time reset parameter=1 and parameter 7 above is in the range {20-99}. Output occurs when the elapsed time from the previous output exceeds the increment given in parameter 8. Output continues for subsequent induction linac regions provided parameter 7 remains in the specified range. The contents of the file are

- 1) column id header

- 2) region            particle             $z$              $t$              $E_z$



([ACCEL continued](#))

For **model = 9**

- 2 frequency f [MHz]
- 3 gradient on-axis at center of gap [MV/m]
- 4 phase shift [deg] {0-360}.

For **model = 10**

- 2 (not used)
- 3 (not used)
- 4 phase shift [deg] {0-360}.
- 5 number of wavelengths separating the two reference particles
- 6 reset parameter (see below)
- 7 Total length L of buncher [m]
- 8 g0 [MV/m]
- 9 g1 [MV/m]
- 10 g2 [MV/m]
- 11 (not used)
- 12 phase model
  - 0: 0-crossing time set by  $t_{REFP}$
  - 1: 0-crossing time set by  $\frac{1}{2} * (t_{REFP} + t_{REF2})$

This model uses a TM010 mode pillbox cavity. It can only be used with REFP and REF2 defined and phasemodel=2,3,4. The cavity frequency is set using the number of wavelengths (parameter 5) and the time difference between the two reference particles. When the reset parameter is 1, the starting location of the buncher is determined from the current position of the reference particle. Subsequent ACCEL commands should use parameter #6 set to 0 to sample later portions of the gradient waveform, which is given by

$$G = g_0 + g_1 * (z/L) + g_2 * (z/L)^2$$

A new pulse shape can be started at any time by setting parameter #6 back to 1.

[\(ACCEL continued\)](#)

For **model = 11**

- 2 frequency f [MHz]
- 3 gradient on-axis at center of gap for a pillbox cavity [MV/m]
- 4 phase shift [deg] {0-360}.
- 5 radial offset of center of cavity from reference trajectory [m]
- 6 axial length of cavity [m] If this entered as 0, the program computes the largest pillbox cavity that fits in the sector shaped region
- 7 cavity type
  - 0: pillbox
  - 1: SuperFish
- 8 file ## of azimuthally symmetric SuperFish RF input file (see model 5) {20-99}
- 9 SuperFish field normalization [MV/m] This multiplies the value in the SuperFish file.
- 10 SuperFish radial cut off [m]
- 11 axial displacement of center of SuperFish cavity from start of the region [m]
- 12 SuperFish axial symmetry
  - 0: symmetric
  - 1: not symmetric

For **model = 12**

- 2 frequency f [MHz]
- 3 gradient on-axis at center of gap [MV/m]
- 4 phase shift [deg] {0-360}.
- 5 radial offset of center of cavity from reference trajectory [m]
- 6 cavity width [m]
- 7 cavity height [m]

For **model = 13**

- 2 frequency f [MHz]
- 3 gradient on-axis at center of gap [MV/m]
- 4 phase shift [deg] {0-360}.
- 5 flag for hard edge focusing
  - 0: both entrance and exit focusing
  - 1: exit focusing only
  - 2: entrance focusing only
  - 3: no edge focusing

**BLOCK** field made up from sum of fields from annular solenoidal current blocks

1 model

- 1: exact field from single block
- 2: exact field from sum of blocks in data file
- 3: interpolate data file field points from predefined grid

For [CELL](#) fields repetition of a cell uses the same external file over and over. A new cell block can use a different external file.

For **model = 1**

- 2 z offset of center of block from start of region [m]
- 3 inner radius of block [m]
- 4 outer radius of block [m]
- 5 length of block [m]
- 6 current density [A / mm<sup>2</sup>]
- 7 algorithm
  - 0: from numerical integration
  - 1: from series

For **model = 2**

- 2 file ##of block input (see below) {20-99}
- 3 algorithm
  - 0: from numerical integration
  - 1: from series

11 current density scaling factor

If the file number is entered as a negative number, the current densities in the external file are all reversed in polarity.

The contents of the block data input file FOR0##.DAT is

- 1 title (a80)
- 2 NBLOCKS {1-1000}
- ( 3 repeated for each block)
  - 3.1 block #
  - 3.2 relative z offset of this block [m]
  - 3.3 length of block [m]
  - 3.4 inner radius of block [m]
  - 3.5 outer radius of block [m]
  - 3.6 current density [A / mm<sup>2</sup>]

The z offset is measured from the start of the block.

[\(BLOCK continued\)](#)

For **model = 3**

2 grid ##of block field {1-4}

3 interpolation level {1-3}

1: bi-linear

2: bi-quadratic polynomial

3: bi-cubic polynomial

**BROD** field from bent axial current rod

1 model

1: interpolate data file field points from predefined grid

For **model = 1**

2 grid ##of block field {1-4}

10 interpolation level {1-3}

1: bi-linear

2: bi-quadratic polynomial

3: bi-cubic polynomial

12 R, radius of ring [m]

The bent rod field must first be stored in an array with the [GRID](#) command. The curvature used for tracking is  $1 / R$ . The parameters here and in the associated GRID command should obey the constraint

$$1 / R = e / p_{\text{REF}} * B_{\text{DIP}}$$

**BSOL**            bent solenoid

1 model

- 1: hard edge dependence for  $B_s$ ,  $B_x$  and  $B_y$
- 2: soft edge dependence for  $B_s$ ,  $B_y$  and  $g$  using  $dTANH(s)$
- 3: user-supplied file of fields on-axis
- 4: user-supplied Fourier coefficients on-axis

For **model = 1**

- 2 peak value of  $B_s$  [T]
- 3 peak value of  $B_y$  [T]
- 4 curvature factor for x-z plane
  - 1: use curvature from parameter 7
  - 2: use local  $B_y$  on axis and  $p_{REF}$
- 5 reference momentum,  $p_{REF}$  [GeV/c]
- 6 quad component of dipole field [T/m]
- 7 curvature in x-z plane [  $m^{-1}$  ]
- 8 peak value of  $B_x$  [T]
- 9 curvature factor for y-z plane
  - 1: use curvature from parameter 10
  - 2: use local  $B_x$  on axis and  $p_{REF}$
- 10 curvature in y-z plane [  $m^{-1}$  ]

Hard-edge field models can include the focusing effects of the missing fringe field by using [EDGE](#) commands before and after the hard-edge field region.

For **model = 2**

- 2 peak value of  $B_s$  [T]
  - 3 peak value of  $B_y$  [T]
  - 4 quad component of dipole field [T/m]
  - 5 reference momentum,  $p_{REF}$  [GeV/c]
  - 6 central length of solenoid [m]
  - 7 end length of solenoid [m]
  - 8 attenuation length of solenoid [m] {>0}
  - 9 central length of dipole and quad [m]
  - 10 end length of dipole and quad [m]
  - 11 attenuation length of dipole and quad [m]
  - 12 constant offset for  $B_s$  [T]
  - 13 curvature factor
    - 1: use curvature from parameter 14
    - 2: use local  $B_y$  on axis and  $p_{REF}$
  - 14 curvature [  $m^{-1}$  ]
  - 15 order of expansion {1-3}
- The attenuation lengths (parameters 8 and 11) must be entered, even if the strength is 0.

[\(BSOL continued\)](#)

For **model = 3**

- 2 file # of user-supplied input (see contents below) {20-99}
- 3 reference momentum,  $p_{\text{REF}}$  [GeV/c]
- 4 curvature in horizontal plane,  $h$  [  $\text{m}^{-1}$  ]
- 5 curvature factor
  - 1: use curvature from parameter 4
  - 2: use local  $B_Y$  on axis and  $p_{\text{REF}}$
  - 3: take  $h(s)$  from input file
- 6 scale factor for  $B_S$
- 7 scale factor for  $B_Y$
- 8 scale factor for  $b_1$
- 9 scale factor for  $b_2$
- 10 scale factor for  $b_3$
- 11 scale factor for  $b_4$
- 12 scale factor for  $b_5$
- 13 scale factor for  $a_0$
- 14 scale factor for  $h$
- 15 order of calculation {1-5}

The contents of the input file FOR0##.DAT of on-axis field multipoles is

- 1 title (a80)
- 2 # of points {1-2000}
- (3, repeated for each point)
  - 3.1  $s$  [m]
  - 3.2  $B_S$  [T]
  - 3.3  $b_0$  [T]
  - 3.4  $b_1$  [T/m]
  - 3.5  $b_2$  [T/m<sup>2</sup>]
  - 3.6  $b_3$  [T/m<sup>3</sup>]
  - 3.7  $b_4$  [T/m<sup>4</sup>]
  - 3.8  $b_5$  [T/m<sup>5</sup>]
  - 3.9  $a_0$  [T]
  - 3.10  $h$  [  $\text{m}^{-1}$  ]

The  $s$  grid should start at 0. Make the  $s$  grid at least 1 grid spacing longer than the actual size of the cell (or the field will be 0 at the boundary points). The off-axis fields can be calculated at up to 5th order in the transverse coordinates. Set the scale factors of unused multipoles to 0 to speed up execution.

[\(BSOL continued\)](#)

For **model = 4**

- 2 file # of user-supplied input (see contents below) {20-99}
- 3 reference momentum,  $p_{\text{REF}}$  [GeV/c]
- 4 order of field calculation {1-5}
- 5 curvature factor
  - 1: use curvature from parameter 15
  - 2: use local  $B_Y$  and  $B_X$  on axis and  $p_{\text{REF}}$
- 6 scale factor for solenoid field strength
- 7 scale factor for  $b_0$  field strength
- 8 scale factor for  $a_0$  field strength
- 9 scale factor for  $b_1$  field strength
- 10 scale factor for  $a_1$  field strength
- 11 scale factor for  $b_2$  field strength
- 12 scale factor for  $a_2$  field strength
- 13 scale factor for  $b_3$  field strength
- 14 scale factor for  $a_3$  field strength
- 15 curvature,  $h$  [  $\text{m}^{-1}$  ]

The sign of  $h$  in parameter 15 should correspond to the dipole field. The 5<sup>th</sup> order calculation does not contain terms for bending out of the midplane. The multipole expansion for  $B_Y$  on the midplane is

$$B_Y = b_0 + b_1 x + b_2 x^2 + b_3 x^3 + b_4 x^4 + b_5 x^5$$

Set the scale factors of unused quad and higher multipoles to 0 to speed up execution.



[\(BSOL continued\)](#)

The contents of the input file FOR0##.DAT for model 4 is

- 1 title (a80)
- 2.1 period [m]
- 2.2 field strength for solenoid component [T]
- 2.3 field strength for  $b_0$  component [T] (normal dipole term)
- 2.4 field strength for  $a_0$  component [T] (skew dipole term, etc.)
- 2.5 field strength for  $b_1$  component [T/m]
- 2.6 field strength for  $a_1$  component [T/m]
- 2.7 field strength for  $b_2$  component [T/m<sup>2</sup>]
- 2.8 field strength for  $a_2$  component [T/m<sup>2</sup>]
- 2.9 field strength for  $b_3$  component [T/m<sup>3</sup>]
- 2.10 field strength for  $a_3$  component [T/m<sup>3</sup>]
- 2.11 field strength for  $b_4$  component [T/m<sup>4</sup>]
- 2.12 field strength for  $a_4$  component [T/m<sup>4</sup>]
- 2.13 field strength for  $b_5$  component [T/m<sup>5</sup>]
- 2.14 field strength for  $a_5$  component [T/m<sup>5</sup>]
- 3 maximum Fourier order {0-199}
- 4 2<sup>nd</sup> title (a80)
- (5 repeated for each order)
  - 5.1 m order #
  - 5.2  $c_m$  coefficient for solenoid field
  - 5.3  $d_m$  coefficient for solenoid field
  - 5.4  $c_m$  coefficient for  $b_0$  field
  - 5.5  $d_m$  coefficient for  $b_0$  field
  - 5.6  $c_m$  coefficient for  $a_0$  field
  - 5.7  $d_m$  coefficient for  $a_0$  field
  - 5.8  $c_m$  coefficient for  $b_1$  field
  - 5.9  $d_m$  coefficient for  $b_1$  field
  - 5.10  $c_m$  coefficient for  $a_1$  field
  - 5.11  $d_m$  coefficient for  $a_1$  field
  - ...
  - 5.26  $c_m$  coefficient for  $a_5$  field
  - 5.27  $d_m$  coefficient for  $a_5$  field

The form of the Fourier series used for each multipole component is

$$f(s) = \Sigma ( c_m \cos(u) + d_m \sin(u) )$$

where  $u = 2\pi ms / \lambda$ .

**COIL** field made up from sum of fields from circular current loops

1 model

- 1: exact field from single loop
- 2: exact field from sum of loops in data file
- 3: interpolate data file field points from predefined grid

Models 2 and 3 can be used as [CELL](#) fields. Repetition of a cell uses the same external file over and over. A new cell block can use a different external file.

For **model = 1**

2 z offset of the coil from start of region [m]

3 radius a of coil [m]

4 current I [A]

Baxis =  $\mu_0 I / 2a = 2 \pi 10^{-7} I / a$

For **model = 2**

2 file ## of coil input (see below) {20-99}

If the file number is entered as a negative number, the current densities in the external file are all reversed in polarity.

11 current density scaling factor

For **model = 3**

2 grid ## of coil field {1-4}

3 interpolation level {1-3}

1: bi-linear

2: bi-quadratic polynomial

3: bi-cubic polynomial

## **DIP** vertical sector dipole field

### 1 model

- 1: hard-edge dipole + multipole fields (2nd order)
- 2: dTANH(s)  $B_Y$  with higher multipoles (3<sup>rd</sup> order)
- 3: hard-edged combined function dipole
- 4: hard-edge dipole with adjustable pole face angles
- 5: Hard-edge with pole angles and entrance/exit kicks

### For **model = 1**

2 dipole field strength [T]

3 curvature factor

$$h = 1 / \rho_{\text{geom}} \text{ [ m}^{-1}\text{]}$$

0. => use local  $B_Y$  and  $B_X$  on axis

4 reference momentum [GeV/c]

5 quad strength [T/m]

6 sextupole strength [T/m<sup>2</sup>]

15 curvature flag

0: get sign of curvature from particle charge

1: force curvature to be positive

Hard-edge field models can include the focusing effects of the missing fringe field by using [EDGE](#) commands before and after the hard-edge field region.

### For **model = 2**

2 dipole field strength [T]

3 curvature factor

$$h = 1 / \rho_{\text{geom}} \text{ [ m}^{-1}\text{]}$$

0. => use local  $B_Y$  and  $B_X$  on axis

4 reference momentum [GeV/c]

5 dipole central length [m]

6 dipole end length [m]

7 dipole end attenuation length[m]

8 quadrupole field component [T / m]

9 sextupole field component [T / m<sup>2</sup>]

10 quadrupole central length [m]

11 quadrupole end length [m]

12 quadrupole end attenuation length [m]

13 sextupole central length [m]

14 sextupole end length [m]

15 sextupole end attenuation length[m]

The sign of h in parameter 3 should correspond to the sign of the dipole field.

[\(DIP continued\)](#)

For **model = 3**

- 2 dipole field strength,  $b_0$  [T]
- 3 field index,  $n$
- 4 reference particle momentum,  $p_{REF}$  [GeV/c]
- 5 distance from machine center to reference circle,  $r_0$  [m]
- 6 curvature factor  
 $h = 1 / \rho_{geom}$  [ $m^{-1}$ ]  
0. => use local  $B_Y$  and  $B_X$  on axis
- 7 parameter for reverse-bend magnets; set to 0 for normal sector magnets; set to 1 for radial sector magnets with center on same side as positive bend sectors.

The combined function dipole has a vertical field on axis given by

$$B_{y0} = b_0 \{r_0 / r\}^n$$

This model uses 8<sup>th</sup> order expansions in  $y/R$  to get the total  $B_x$  and  $B_y$  field components. The field is uniform in  $s$ . For FFAG magnets  $n$  is negative and the radius of curvature of the particle  $= p_{REF} / (q b_0)$  is smaller than  $r_0$ .

For **model = 4**

- 2 dipole strength [ T ]
- 3 (not used)
- 4 reference momentum [GeV/c]
- 5 (not used)
- 6 (not used)
- 7 axial center position of dipole from start of region [m]
- 8 half axial length of dipole along reference trajectory [m]
- 9 entrance pole rotation angle [deg]
- 10 exit pole rotation angle [deg]
- 11 horizontal half width of aperture [m]
- 12 vertical half width of aperture [m]

A positive pole rotation angle means the edge closest to the center of curvature is decreased by the rotation (TRANSPORT convention). It is up to the user to be sure that the region length extends out as far as the rotated pole faces. Otherwise they will be truncated longitudinally.

For **model = 5**

- 2: dipole strength [ T ]
- 3 : (SIGNED) CURVATURE OF REFERENCE ORBIT ( $M^{-1}$ )
- 4 : ENTRANCE POLE FACE ANGLE (DEG)
- 5 : EXIT POLE FACE ANGLE (DEG)
- 6 : FLAG FOR END FIELD EDGE KICKS
  - 0 : KICKS AT BOTH ENTRANCE AND EXIT
  - 1 : KICK AT EXIT ONLY
  - 2 : KICK AT ENTRANCE ONLY
  - 3 : NO KICKS

**EFLD**                      electric field

1 model

1: static

For **model = 1**

2  $E_x$  [V/m]

3  $E_y$  [V/m]

4  $E_z$  [V/m]

5 xmin [ m ] Bounding box for field

6 xmax [ m ]

7 ymin [m]

8 ymax [m]

9 zmin [m]

10 zmax [m]

11 C, curvature factor

0: respect curvature

1: force rectangular

2: specify curvature

3: specify curvature and force rectangular

12 curvature [m<sup>-1</sup>] for C=2,3 in parameter #11

**FOFO** solenoidal FOFO lattice element

1 model

- 1: linear end ramp in Bz(Br from div B = 0)
- 2: sinusoidal Bz with Bessel radial dependence

For **model = 1**

2 bmag [T] (amplitude of varying Bz)

3 bcen [T] (central offset value of varying Bz)

4 period [m]

5 offset from beginning of the cell or region [m]

offset = 0, Bz starts at bcen, rises to bmag at a quarter period, ...

offset=-period/4, Bz starts at bmag, falls to bcen at a quarter period,...

For **model = 2**

2 bmag [T] (amplitude of varying Bz)

3 bcen [T] (central offset value of varying Bz)

4 period [m]

5 offset from beginning of the cell or region [m]

offset = 0 starts at bcen

**HDIP**            horizontal sector dipole field

1 model

1: hard-edge skew dipole plus multipoles (2nd order)

2: dTANH(s)  $B_x$  with higher multipoles

For **model = 1**

2  $a_0$     dipole field strength [T]

3 curvature flag

{0: straight or 1:cylindrical} coordinate system

4        reference momentum [GeV/c]

5  $a_1$     quad strength [ T/m ]

6  $a_2$     sextupole strength [ T/m<sup>2</sup> ]

Hard-edge field models can include the focusing effects of the missing fringe field by using [EDGE](#) commands before and after the hard-edge field region.

For **model = 2**

2 dipole field strength [T]

3 curvature flag

{0: straight or 1:cylindrical} coordinate system

4 reference momentum [GeV/c]

5 dipole central length [m]

6 dipole end length [m]

7 dipole end attenuation length[m]

8 quadrupole field component [T / m]

9 sextupole field component [T / m<sup>2</sup>]

10 quadrupole central length [m]

11 quadrupole end length [m]

12 quadrupole end attenuation length [m]

13 sextupole central length [m]

14 sextupole end length [m]

15 sextupole end attenuation length[m]

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| <b>HELI(X)</b> | helical field   |
| 1              | model   |
|                | 1: simple rotating dipole                                     |
|                | 2: infinite helical current sheet from single winding         |
|                | 3: multi-filar helical multipoles                             |
|                | 4: user-supplied helical multipoles defined over helix period |
|                | 5: user-supplied helical multipoles, field including torsion  |

Models 2-4 are only defined here for particle radius less than the radius of the helix.

**For model = 1**

|    |   |
|----|---|
| 2  | dipole field strength [T]   |
| 3  | helix period [m] Cannot be 0. The sign gives the orientation of the twist |
| 4  | dipole entrance and exit taper length [m]                                 |
| 8  | start value of solenoid field [T]   |
| 9  | central value of solenoid field [T]                                       |
| 10 | end value of solenoid field [T]   |
| 11 | solenoid entrance taper length, L1 [m]                                    |
| 12 | solenoid central length, L2 [m]   |
| 13 | solenoid exit taper length, L3 [m]  |
| 14 | reset parameter Set to 1 to reset accumulated helix length.               |

The total length of the helix must be  $L1+L2+L3$ .

**For model = 2**

|    |  |
|----|--|
| 2  | current [A]  |
| 3  | helix radius [m]   |
| 4  | helix period [m] Cannot be 0. The sign gives the orientation of the twist. |
| 5  | starting azimuthal orientation [degrees]                                   |
| 6  | (not used)   |
| 7  | entrance and exit taper length for transverse field [m]                    |
| 8  | start value of solenoid field [T]  |
| 9  | central value of solenoid field [T]  |
| 10 | end value of solenoid field [T]  |
| 11 | solenoid entrance taper length, L1 [m]                                     |
| 12 | solenoid central length, L2 [m]  |
| 13 | solenoid exit taper length, L3 [m]   |
| 14 | reset parameter Set to 1 to reset accumulated helix length.                |
| 15 | number of terms in series expansion  |

The total length of the helix must be  $L1+L2+L3$ . The solenoid field can be non-symmetric, but the transverse field tapering is done symmetrically.



[\(HELIX continued\)](#)

For **model = 3**

- 2 helix radius [m]
- 3 helix period [m] Cannot be 0. The sign gives the orientation of the twist.
- 4 dipole strength [ T ]
- 5 quadrupole strength [ T / m ]
- 6 sextupole strength [ T / m<sup>2</sup> ]
- 7 entrance and exit taper length for transverse field [m]
- 8 start value of solenoid field [T]
- 9 central value of solenoid field [T]
- 10 end value of solenoid field [T]
- 11 solenoid entrance and exit taper length, L1 [m]
- 12 solenoid central length, L2 [m]
- 13 octupole strength [ T / m<sup>3</sup> ]
- 14 reset parameter Set to 1 to reset accumulated helix length.
- 15 number of terms in series expansion

The total length of the helix must be  $2*L1+L2$ . The solenoid field can be non-symmetric, but the transverse field tapering is done symmetrically.

([HELIX continued](#))

For **model = 4**

- 2 file # of user-supplied multipoles {20-99}
- 3 reference radius  $r_o$  [m]
- 4 helix period [m] Cannot be 0. The sign gives the orientation of the twist.
- 5 starting azimuthal orientation [degrees]
- 6 reference magnetic field,  $B_{REF}$  [ T ]
- 7 entrance and exit taper length for transverse field [m]
- 8 start value of solenoid field [T]
- 9 central value of solenoid field [T]
- 10 end value of solenoid field [T]
- 11 solenoid entrance taper length, L1 [m]
- 12 solenoid central length, L2 [m]
- 13 solenoid exit taper length, L3 [m]
- 14 reset parameter Set to 1 to reset accumulated helix length.

The contents of the input file FOR0##.DAT is

- 1 title (a80)
- 2 number of supplied moments {1-20}
- (  $B_n(i)$ ,  $A_n(i)$  ),  $i=1$ , Nmoments

The helical fields are given by T. Tominaka et al, NIM A 459:398 (2001), eq. 40. For example the radial magnetic field is

$$B_r(r, \phi, z) = B_{ref} r_o \sum f_n k I_n' (nkr) [-a_n \cos(n(\phi - kz)) + b_n \sin(n(\phi - kz))]$$

where  $I_n$  is a modified Bessel function and

$$k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda_n}$$

$$f_n = n! \left( \frac{2}{nkr_o} \right)^n$$

[\(HELIX continued\)](#)

For **model = 5**

- 2 file # of user-supplied multipoles {20-99}
- 3 order of calculation {1-3}
- 4 helix radius [m]
- 5 helix pitch [m]
- 14 reset parameter Set to 1 to reset accumulated helix length.

The contents of the input file FOR0##.DAT is

- 1 title (a80)
- 2 number of axial points {1-2000}
- 3.1  $s$  [m]
- 3.2  $B_s$  [T]
- 3.3  $a_0$  [T]
- 3.4  $b_0$  [T]
- 3.5  $a_1$  [T/m]
- 3.6  $b_1$  [T/m]
- 3.7  $a_2$  [T/m<sup>2</sup>]
- 3.8  $b_2$  [T/m<sup>2</sup>]
- 3.9  $a_3$  [T/m<sup>3</sup>]
- 3.10  $b_3$  [T/m<sup>3</sup>]

**HORN**            magnetic (toroidal-like) horn  
           1            model  
                       1: simple analytic model  
                       2: sheet(s) with user-supplied profile(s)

For **model = 1**

          2            minimum polar angle [deg]  
           3            maximum polar angle [deg]  
           4            current [ A ]

For **model = 2**

          2            number of horn sheet files to read in {1,2}  
           3            current scaling factor  
           4            input file # of first sheet {20-99} (see format below)  
           5            input file # of second sheet {20-99} (see format below)  
           6            radial boundary between sheets [m]

The contents of the input file FOR0##.DAT is

          1            title                    (a80)  
           2            current                (R) [A]  
           3            npoints                (I)        {1-50}  
           4            (i, Zi, Ri,Ro, i=1,npoints)        [cm]

n.b. Up to two radially-displaced horn sheets can be active at one time. The z positions in the file are measured relative to the start of the region or cell.

**KICK** kickers and deflection cavities

1 model

- 1: TM210 rectangular deflection cavity
- 2: time-dependent transverse kicker
- 3: TE011 rectangular cavity

For **model = 1**

- 2 resonant frequency,  $f_r$  [MHz]
- 3 gradient [MV / m]
- 4 phase [deg] {0-360}
- 5 width [m]

The width must be  $> \lambda$ . The length is taken from SLEN; height is computed from eigenvalue equation,  $h = 1 / \sqrt{\{ (2/\lambda_r)^2 - (2/w)^2 \}}$

For **model = 2**

- 2 input file #{20-99} (see format below)
- 3 time offset from start of pulse [s]
- 4 polynomial interpolation order {1-3}
- 5 azimuthal orientation of B,  $\phi$  [deg]
- 6 magnitude of B,  $b_0$  [T]
- 7 slope,  $m$  {-1,1}
- 8 pulse width,  $\tau$  [s]
- 9 B offset,  $b_{off}$  [T]

If the input file number is in the range {20-99} the magnetic field pulse as a function of time is taken from the input file. The input file should contain

|                       |           |                |
|-----------------------|-----------|----------------|
| # of following points |           |                |
| t [sec]               | $b_0$ [T] | for each point |

If an input file is not given, the pulse is computed analytically using parameters 6-9.

$$\begin{aligned} b(t) &= b_{off} + b_0 m t / \tau \\ B_x &= b \cos \phi \\ B_y &= b \sin \phi \end{aligned}$$

Times are measured relative to the time the reference particle enters the kicker region.

([KICK](#) continued)

For **model = 3**

2 resonant frequency, fr [MHz]

3 gradient [MV / m]

4 phase [deg] {0-360}

The length must be  $> \lambda/2$ . The length is taken from SLEN; height is computed from eigenvalue equation,

$$h = 1 / \sqrt{\{ (2/\lambda r)^2 - (1/d)^2 \}}$$

**QUAD**                      quadrupole field

1 model

- 1: constant gradient over entire region (hard edge) (2nd order)
- 2: dTANH(s) quad with sextupole

For **model = 1**

- 2 gradient strength [T/m] (+:focus horizontal, -:focus vertical)
- 3: sextupole strength [T/m<sup>2</sup>]

For **model = 2**

- 2 gradient strength [T/m] (+:focus horizontal, -:focus vertical)
- 3 quad central length [m]
- 4 (not used)
- 5 quad end length [m]
- 6 quad end attenuation length [m]
- 7 sextupole strength [T/m<sup>2</sup>]
- 8 sextupole central length [m]
- 9 sextupole end length [m]
- 10 sextupole end attenuation length [m]

**ROD** axial current carrying rod

1 model level

- 1: Bphi only, constant in z, all other 0
- 2: level 1 + linear end fringe field
- 3: level 2 + minimal nonlinearity in radial dependence
- 4: dTANH(s) model for Bphi
- 5: tapered radius

For **model = 1**

- 2 Bphi [T] at outer radius(note that sign of B causes focus or defocus)
- 3 radius of rod [m]

For **model = 2 or 3**

- 2 Bphi [T] at outer radius(note that sign of B causes focus or defocus)
- 3 radius of rod [m]
- 4 length of central region[m]
- 5 length of end field region[m]

For **model = 4**

- 2 Bphi strength [T]
- 3 radius of rod [m]
- 4 central length [m]
- 5 end length [m]
- 6 end attenuation length [m]

For **model = 5**

- 2 Bc [T] (flat central field strength; sign is important!)
- 3 Rc [m] (flat central rod radius)
- 4 Lc [m] (central field length)
- 5 R1 [m] (starting rod radius)
- 6 L1 [m] (length of entrance transition region)
- 7 R2 [m] (ending rod radius; set to Rc to prevent /0)
- 8 L2 [m] (length of exit transition region; set to 0.01 to prevent /0)



**SEX**                    sextupole field  
1 model  
  1: hard edge field (2<sup>nd</sup> order)  
  2: dTANH(s) sextupole strength (3<sup>rd</sup> order)

For **model = 1**  
  2 sextupole strength [T/m<sup>2</sup>]

For **model = 2**  
  2 sextupole strength [T/m<sup>2</sup>]  
  3 central length [m]  
  4 (not used)  
  5 end length [m]  
  6 end attenuation length [m]

**SHEE(T)** field made up from sum of fields from annular solenoidal current sheets  
1 model

- 1: exact field from single sheet
- 2: exact field from sum of sheets in data file
- 3: interpolate data file field points from grid (legacy)
- 4: interpolate data file field points from “moving” grid
- 5: interpolate field from predefined r-z grid

This field type is often used as a [CELL](#) field. Repetition of a cell uses the same external file over and over. A new cell block can use a different external file.

For **model = 1**

- 2 z offset of left edge of sheet from start of region [m]
- 3 radius of sheet [m]
- 4 length of sheet [m]
- 5 current density [A-turns/m]

For **model = 2**

2 file ## of sheet input {20-99} See model 3 for file definition.

If the file number is entered as a negative number, the current densities in the external file are all reversed in polarity.

11 current scaling factor

For backwards compatibility if this parameter is exactly 0, it is set to 1 by the program.

[\(SHEET continued\)](#)

For **model = 3**

2 file ## of sheet input (see below) {20-99}

If the file number is entered as a negative number, the current densities in the external file are all reversed in polarity.

3 grid dz [m] (# z grid points < 5000)

4 grid dr [m] ( # r grid points < 100 )

5 total z grid length [m]

6 total r grid length [m]

Make the z and r grids at least 1 grid spacing longer in each direction than the actual size of the cell or the field will be 0 at the boundary points.

7 cutoff length in z for including sheets [m]

This is the distance between the present location of the particle and the start of a sheet, after which you can ignore the sheet in the calculation. The intent is not to waste time calculating sources that are very far away.

8 interpolation level

1: bi-linear

2: bi-quadratic polynomial

3: bi-cubic polynomial

9 file ## of field output on the grid {20-99}

Set this <20 if you don't want the output file. The file format is given in section 5.2.

10 grid calculation suppression parameter{0,1}

Normally leave this set to 0. If it is set to 1, the fields on the grid will not be recomputed.

11 current scaling factor

For backwards compatibility if this parameter is exactly 0, it is set to 1 by the program.

Don't allow grid points to overlap sheet positions. A SHEET field using a grid cannot be superimposed on a COIL or BLOCK field that also uses a grid.

The contents of the sheet data input file FOR0##.DAT is

1 title (a80)

2 NSHEETS {1-1000}

3 current scaling factor

( 3.1 – 3.5 repeated for each sheet)

3.1 sheet #

3.2 relative z offset of this sheet[m]

3.3 length of sheet [m]

3.4 radius of sheet [m]

3.5 current density [A-turns/m]

The format of the output file generated by parameter 9 is listed in section 4.2.4.

[\(SHEET continued\)](#)

For **model = 4**

2 file ## of field output on grid {20-99} Set this < 20 if you don't want output file.  
Format of file is described in sec. 5.2.4. Output is only written at the boundaries of grid partitions.

3 interpolation level

1: bi-linear

2: bi-quadratic polynomial

3: bi-cubic polynomial

Use of this model requires the user to specify the control variables MAGCONF and MAPDEF. The MAGCONF variable specifies the magnet configuration file with the following format.

1 title (a80)

2 # of following solenoid magnet descriptions (I) {1-1000}

(3- 9 repeated for each magnet)

3 id # (I) for user convenience

4 absolute z location of the start of this solenoid (R) [m]

5 length of solenoid (R) [m]

6 inner radius of solenoid (R) [m]

7 radial thickness of solenoid (R) [m]

8 current density (R) [A / mm<sup>2</sup>]

9 # of sheets to use in calculating the field (I) {>1}

The coils in this file must be ordered by their starting z locations.

The MAPDEF variable specifies grid partition file to use in the simulation with the following format.

1 title (a80)

2 # of following grid definitions (I) {1-100}

(3- 9 repeated for each grid)

3 id # (I) for user convenience

4 absolute z location of the start of the partition (R) [m]

5 axial step size of grid (R) [m]

6 # of axial grid points (I) {2-5000}

7 radial step size of grid (R) [m]

8 # of radial grid points (I) {2-100}

9 axial distance to start of solenoid coils within which coils should be used in field calculations (R) [m]

When using this model the starting value of each partition must correspond with the starting location of an ICOOL region.

Make the z and r grids at least 1 grid spacing longer in each direction than the actual size of the cell or the field will be 0 at the boundary points. You must include a reference particle with this model.

[\(SHEET continued\)](#)

For **model = 5**

- 2 grid ##of sheet field {1-4}
- 3 interpolation level {1-3}
  - 1: bi-linear
  - 2: bi-quadratic polynomial
  - 3: bi-cubic polynomial
- 4 z mode flag
  - 0: use relative z positions (normal)
  - 1: use absolute z positions (moving grid)

## **SOL**            solenoid field

### 1 model level

- 1: Bz with constant central region + linear ends
- 2: dTANH(z) Bz dependence
- 3: field from sum of circular current loops
- 4: field from annular current sheet
- 5: field from thick annular current block
- 6: interpolate field from predefined r-z grid (from external grid)
- 7: tapered radius
- 8: hard-edge with adjustable end fields
- 9: determine field from file of Fourier coefficients
- 10: interpolate field from predefined r-z grid (from on-axis B vs z data)
- 11: tapered field from inverse cubic polynomial

### For **model = 1**

- 2 central field strength  $B_C$  [T]
- 3 length of central region,  $L_C$  [m] (You can use this to get a tapered field profile)
- 4 length of entrance end region,  $L_1$  [m] This is the displacement of the upstream end of the solenoid from the start of the region.
- 5 solenoid field value at entrance  $B_1$  [T]
- 6 length of exit end region,  $L_2$  [m].
- 7 solenoid field value at exit  $B_2$  [T]

For the entrance region:  $B(z) = B_1 + (B_C - B_1)/L_1 * z$

For the central region:  $B(z) = B_C$

For the exit region:  $B(z) = B_C + (B_2 - B_C)/L_2 * (z - L_1 - L_C)$

The radial field is determined from the gradient of the solenoid field. For a symmetric field, set  $SLEN = L_C + L_1 + L_2$ . Hard-edge field models can include the focusing effects of the missing fringe field by using [EDGE](#) commands before and after the hard-edge field region.

### For **model = 2**

- 2 field strength [T]
- 3 length of central region,  $CLEN$  [m]
- 4 length for end region,  $ELEN$  [m] (This is the displacement of the upstream end of the solenoid from the start of the region; for a symmetric field, set  $SLEN = CLEN + 2 * ELEN$ .)
- 5 order of vector potential expansion {1, 3, 5, 7}
- 6 end attenuation length, [m] (Set larger than maximum beam size)
- 7 constant offset for  $B_s$  [T]

[\(SOL continued\)](#)

For **model = 3**

2 field strength [T]

3 length of central region, CLEN[m] (This is the region over which the coils are distributed)

4 length for end region, ELEN[m] (This is the displacement of the upstream end of the solenoid from the start of the region; for a symmetric field, set SLEN = CLEN + 2\*ELEN.)

5 # of coils loops (equi-spaced over CLEN)

6 radius of coils [m]

For a symmetric field with 1 loop, set ELEN=0.5 SLEN.

For **model = 4**

2 field strength [T]

3 length of sheet [m]

4 z offset of center of sheet from start of region [m]

5 radius of sheet [m]

For **model = 5**

2 field strength [T]

3 length of block [m]

4 z offset of center of block from start of region [m]

5 inner radius of block [m]

6 outer radius of block[m]

For **model = 6**

2 grid ##of user-supplied field { 1-4 }

3 interpolation level { 1-3 }

1: bi-linear

2: bi-quadratic polynomial

3: bi-cubic polynomial

For **model = 7**

2 Bc [T] (flat central field strength)

3 Rc [m] (flat central coil radius)

4 Lc [m] (central field length)

5 B1 [T] (starting field strength)

6 R1 [m] (starting coil radius)

7 L1 [m] (length of entrance transition region)

8 B2 [T] (ending field strength)

9 R2 [m] (ending coil radius)

10 L2 [m] (length of exit transition region)

This model applies a geometry cut on particles whose radius exceeds the specified radial taper.

([SOL continued](#))

For **model** = 8

2  $B_s$  [T]

3 flag on whether to include end focusing

0: both entrance and exit focusing

1: exit focusing only

2: entrance focusing only

3: no edge focusing

4 focusing deficit at entrance [ $T^2$  m]

5 focusing deficit at exit [ $T^2$  m]

The focusing deficit is  $B^2 L - \int B^2 ds$ . The deficit is independent of the focusing effect chosen with parameter 3.

For **model** = 9

2 file number JK for input data (I) File name is for0JK.dat

3 order of off-axis expansion (I) {1, 3, 5, 7}

4 scale factor (R) Multiplies field strength

The contents of the input file for0JK.dat is

1 title (A80)

2.1 period,  $\lambda$  (R)

2.2 field strength, S (R)

3 maximum Fourier order (I)

(4 repeated for each order)

4.1 order, m (I) {0 – 199}

4.2  $c_m$  (R)

4.3  $d_m$  (R)

The on-axis field is given by

$$f(s) = S \sum (c_m \cos(u) + d_m \sin(u))$$

where  $u = 2\pi ms / \lambda$ .



[\(SOL continued\)](#)

For **model** = 10

2 grid ##of user-supplied field {1-4}

3 interpolation level {1-3}

1: bi-linear

2: bi-quadratic polynomial

3: bi-cubic polynomial

For **model** = 11

2 power of taper expression {not 0}

3 order of off-axis expansion {1,3}

4 axial position for starting taper,  $z1$  [m]

5 axial field at  $z1$  [T]

6 field slope at  $z1$ ,  $dB_z(0,z1)/dz$  [T/m]

7 axial position for ending taper,  $z2$  [m]

8 axial field at  $z2$  [T]

9 field slope at  $z2$  [T/m]

Make the length of the region using this model equal to the length of the taper.

**SQUA**                      skew quadrupole field

1 model

- 1: constant gradient over entire region (hard edge) (2nd order)
- 2: dTANH(s) quad only (3<sup>rd</sup> order)

For **model = 1**

- 2 gradient strength [T/m] (+:focus horizontal, -:focus vertical)
- 3 skew sextupole strength [T/m<sup>2</sup>]

For **model = 2**

- 2 gradient strength [T/m] (+:focus horizontal, -:focus vertical)
- 3 central length [m]
- 4 (not used)
- 5 end length [m]
- 6 end attenuation length [m]

**STUS**            User supplied, static 3D magnetic field grid

1 model level

- 1: (not used)
- 2: use 3D grid predefined with [GRID](#) command

For **model = 2**

2 interpolation model {0-3}

- 0: simple linear
- 1: spline (STUS format only)
- 2: quadratic polynomial
- 3: cubic polynomial

3 curvature flag

- 0: straight grid
- 1: curved grid

The grid points must be equally spaced in a given direction. For BACKGROUND fields the value of MXG must agree with the parameter NXBKG of the BACKGROUND command, etc.

For a curved grid (parameter 3 = 1): if href in the input file is not 0, then href is used as the constant curvature; if href in the input file is 0, then pref is used with the local Bx and By on-axis fields to determine the curvature.

**WIG**            wiggler field

1 model level

- 1: simple rotating dipole
- 2: helical multipole fields with linear ramp in solenoid and wiggler fields
- 3: helical dipole field with hyperbolic tangent ramp
- 4: planar wiggler
- 5: helical wiggler

For **model = 1**

- 2 dipole strength [T]
- 3 solenoid strength [T]
- 4 wiggler period [m]

For **model = 2**

- 2 length of central region, CLEN[m]
- 3 length for edge region for ramp, ELEN [m]
- 4 wiggler period [m]. This cannot be 0,  $>0 \Rightarrow$  right hand twist,  $<0 \Rightarrow$  left hand twist.
- 5 ramp in solenoid field [T]
- 6 constant solenoid field [T]
- 7 field ramp for helical dipole [T]
- 8 uniform field for helical dipole [T]
- 9 phase offset for helical dipole,  $\phi_0$  [deg]
- 10 field ramp for helical quadrupole [T/m]
- 11 uniform field for helical quadrupole [T/m]
- 12 phase offset for helical quadrupole,  $\phi_0$  [deg]
- 13 field ramp for helical sextupole [T/m<sup>2</sup>]
- 14 uniform field for helical sextupole [T/m<sup>2</sup>]
- 15 phase offset for helical sextupole,  $\phi_0$  [deg]

For **model = 3**

- 2 length of central region, CLEN[m]
- 3 length for edge region for ramp, ELEN [m]
- 4 wiggler period [m]. This cannot be 0,  $>0 \Rightarrow$  right hand twist,  $<0 \Rightarrow$  left hand twist.
- 5 length scale for field ramp, LAMB [m]
- 6 ramp in solenoid field [T]
- 7 constant solenoid field [T]
- 8 ramp in wiggler field [T]
- 9 constant wiggler field [T]
- 10 phase offset,  $\phi_0$  [deg]

RAMP is given by the average of two TANH functions, one going from -1 to 1 with zero at  $z=ELEN$ , the other going from 1 to -1 with zero at  $z=ELEN+CLEN$ , both having scale length LAMB. When the phase shift  $\phi_0=0 \Rightarrow$  the field component is in the y direction at  $z=0$ .

([WIG](#) continued)

For **model = 4**

- 2 wiggler period,  $\lambda$  [m]  $\lambda > 0$
- 3 vertical wavevector,  $k_y$  [ $\text{m}^{-1}$ ]  $k_y > 0$
- 4 (not used)
- 5 solenoid field strength [T]
- 6 number of terms in series {1-3}
- 7 field strength for  $n=1$ ,  $C_1$  [T]
- 8 field strength for  $n=2$ ,  $C_2$  [T]
- 9 field strength for  $n=3$ ,  $C_3$  [T]
- 10 initial azimuth [radians]

The field components are hyperbolic in  $y$  and sinusoidal in  $z$ . For the  $x$  dependence

- $k_x$  is sinusoidal if  $k_y > 2\pi / \lambda$
- $k_x$  is hyperbolic if  $k_y < 2\pi / \lambda$
- $k_x$  is 0 if  $k_y = 2\pi / \lambda$

For **model = 5**

- 2 wiggler period [m]
- 3 dipole strength [T]
- 4 additional solenoid strength [T]

## 4.2 Material tags and parameters

MTAG (A) material composition tag

**Enter MTAG in upper case.**

|                               |                             |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| VAC                           | vacuum (i.e., no material)  |
| GH                            | gaseous hydrogen            |
| GHE                           | gaseous helium              |
| LH                            | liquid hydrogen             |
| LHE                           | liquid helium               |
| LI BE B C AL TI FE CU W HG PB | (elements)                  |
| AM                            | AlBeMet (64% Be + 36% Al)   |
| LIH                           | lithium hydride             |
| CH2                           | polyethylene                |
| SS                            | stainless steel (alloy 304) |

MGEOM (A) material geometry tag

GPARM (R) 10 parameters that describe the geometry of the material.  
These 10 parameters must be on one input line.

**Enter MGEOM in upper case. Set unused parameters to 0.**

NONE use for vacuum  
10\*0.

CBLOCK cylindrical block  
10\*0.

n.b. the program tracks thru any of the following types of wedge region with fixed step sizes, regardless of the value of the parameter VARSTEP.

### 4.3 Geometry tags and parameters

**ASPW** Azimuthally Symmetric Polynomial Wedge absorber region

Edge shape given by

$r(dz) = a_0 + a_1 \cdot dz + a_2 \cdot dz^2 + a_3 \cdot dz^3$  in the 1st quadrant and

where  $dz$  is measured from the wedge center.

1  $z$  position of wedge center in region [m]

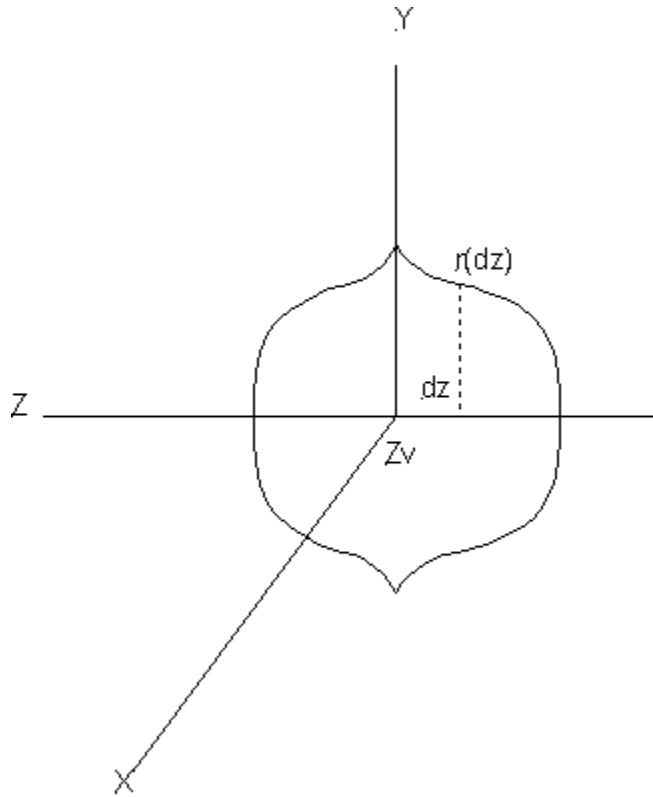
2  $z$  offset from wedge center to edge of absorber [m]

3  $a_0$  [m]

4  $a_1$

5  $a_2$  [ $m^{-1}$ ]

6  $a_3$  [ $m^{-2}$ ]



## ASRW

### Axi-Symmetric Radial Wedge absorber region

Edge shape given by

$$dz(r) = a_0 + a_1 \cdot r + a_2 \cdot r^2 + a_3 \cdot r^3$$

This is the half-thickness of the wedge. The wedge is symmetric about the x-y plane located at  $z=Z_V$ .

The wedge material is filled in from  $z=Z_V-dz$  to  $z=Z_V+dz$  at any given radius.

1 distance of symmetry x-y plane from beginning of region,  $Z_V$  [m]

This is typically half the thickness of the s-region. If  $=0 \Rightarrow$  left half of wedge is cut off.

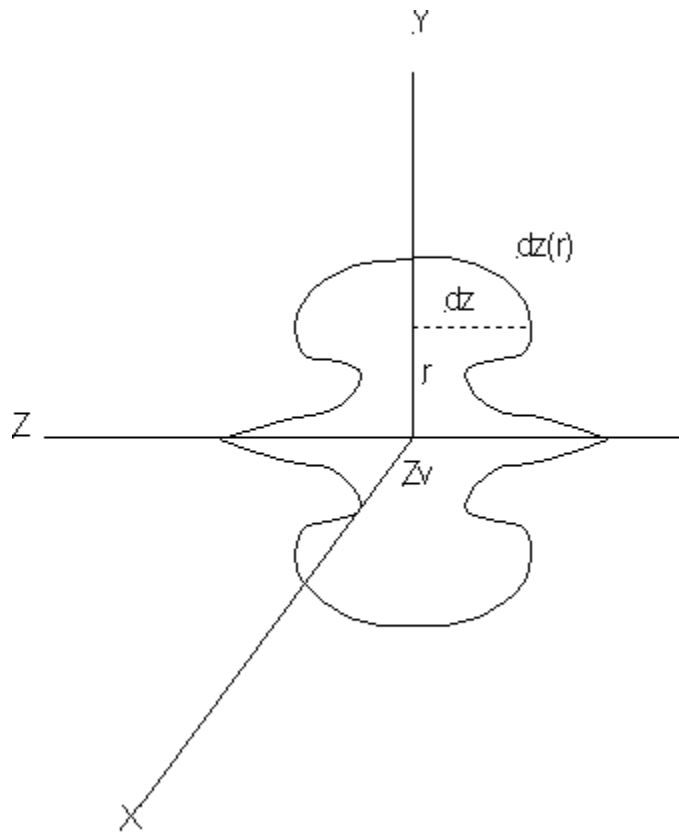
2 maximum allowed half-thickness of wedge along  $z$  [m] Needs to be  $> 0$ .

3  $a_0$  [m]

4  $a_1$

5  $a_2$  [ $m^{-1}$ ]

6  $a_3$  [ $m^{-2}$ ]





|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| <b>HWIN</b> | hemispherical absorber end region                                       |
| 1           | end flag {-1: entrance, +1: exit}                                       |
| 2           | inner radius of window[m]   |
| 3           | window thickness [m]  |
| 4           | axial offset of center of spherical window from start of end region [m] |

The user must specify three “radial” subregions. The geometry parameters (above) and the maximum cylindrical radial cut off are taken from the first radial region definition. The material specified in the first radial subregion is the absorber, the material in the second is the window, and the material for the third corresponds to the outside of the window, e.g. vacuum.

### Example

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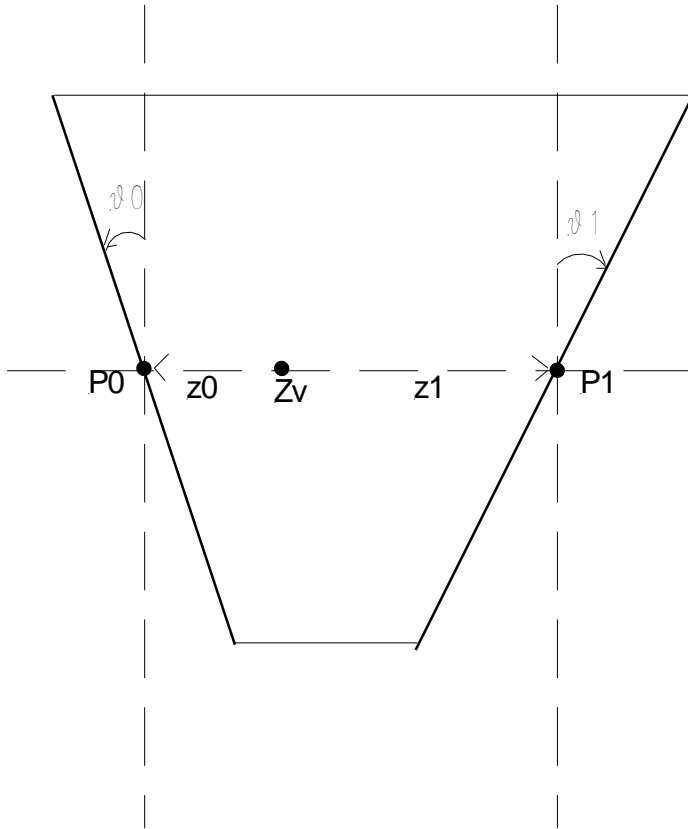
SREGION ! hemispherical end region (exit)
0.100 5 30.001
1 0.0.173
NONE
0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0.
LH      !LH
HWIN
1. 0.20 500e-6 0.10 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0.
2 0. 0.173
NONE
0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0.
AL
HWIN
0. 0. 0. 0.0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0.
3 0. 0.173
NONE
0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0.
VAC
HWIN
0. 0. 0. 0.0. 0. 0. 0. 0. 0.

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**NIA****Non-isosceles absorber**

|   |             |   |
|---|-------------|---|
| 1 | $z_v$       | distance of wedge “center” from start of region [m] |
| 2 | $z_0$       | distance from center to left edge [m]               |
| 3 | $z_1$       | distance from center to right edge [m]              |
| 4 | $\theta_0$  | polar angle from vertex of left edge [deg]          |
| 5 | $\varphi_0$ | azimuthal angle of left face [deg]                  |
| 6 | $\theta_1$  | polar angle from vertex of right edge [deg]         |
| 7 | $\varphi_1$ | azimuthal angle of right face [deg]                 |

For description see S. Berg, MC note 261, October 2002.



## PWEDGE

### Asymmetric polynomial wedge absorber region

Imagine the wedge lying with its narrow end along the x axis. The wedge is symmetric about the x-y plane. The edge shape is given by

$$dz(x) = a_0 + a_1 * x + a_2 * x^2 + a_3 * x^3$$

where dz is measured from the x axis.

1 (not used)

2 initial position of the vertex along the x axis [m]

3 z position of wedge vertex [m]

4 azimuthal angle of vector pointing to vertex in plane of wedge w.r.t. +ve x-axis [deg]

5 total width of wedge in dispersion direction [m]

6 total height of wedge in non-dispersion direction [m]

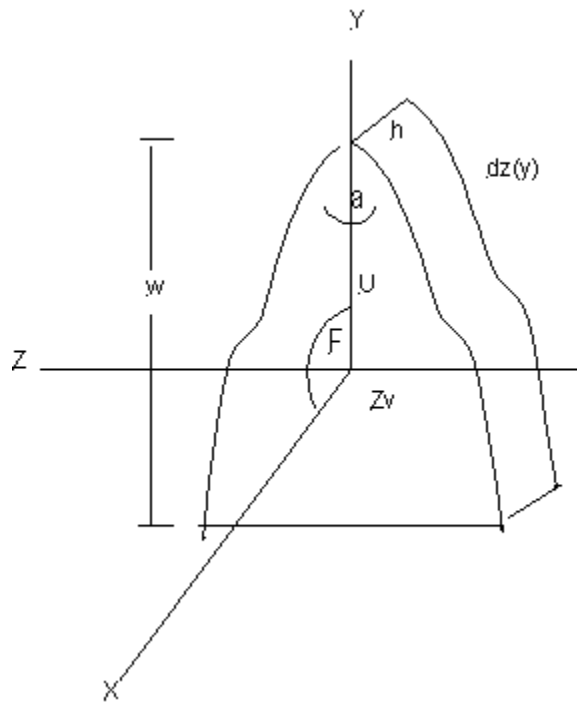
7 a0

8 a1

9 a2

10 a3

Assume the wedge is initially positioned with the vertex along the x axis (parameter 2). The wedge is then rotated azimuthally (parameter 4) in the x-y plane to its final position.



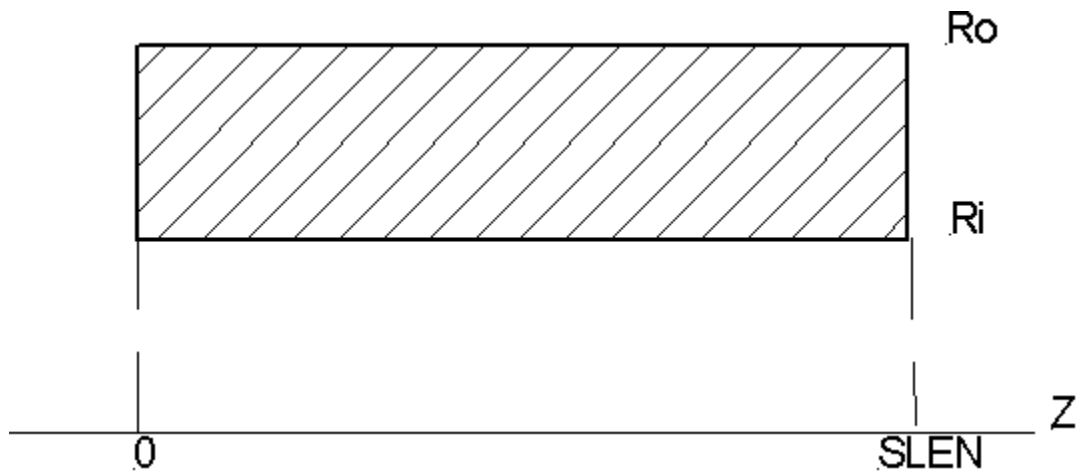
**RING**

Annular ring of material

1 inner radius (R) [m]

2 outer radius (R) [m]

This is functionally equivalent to defining a region with two radial subregions, the first of which has vacuum as the material type. However, the boundary crossing algorithm used for RING is more sophisticated and should give more accurate simulations.



## WEDGE

### Asymmetric wedge absorber region

- 1 full angle at vertex,  $\alpha$  (or A) [degrees]
- 2 initial position of the vertex along the x axis, U [m]
- 3 z position of wedge vertex,  $Z_v$  [m]
- 4 azimuthal angle  $\phi$  of vector pointing to vertex in plane of wedge w.r.t. +ve x-axis [deg]
- 5 total width of wedge in dispersion direction, w [m]
- 6 total height of wedge in non-dispersion direction, h [m]

“We begin with an isosceles triangle, sitting on its base, vertex at the top. The base-to-vertex distance is W. The full opening angle at the vertex is A. Using two of these triangles as sides, we construct a prism-shaped wedge. The distance from one triangular side to the other is H. The shape and size of the wedge are now established. We define the vertex line of the wedge to be the line connecting the vertices of its two triangular sides.

Next, we place the wedge in the right-handed ICOOL coordinate system. The beam travels in the +Z direction. Looking downstream along the beamline (+Z into the page), +X is horizontal and to the left, and +Y is up.

Assume the initial position of the wedge is as follows: The vertex line of the wedge is vertical and lies along the Y axis, extending from  $Y = -H/2$  to  $Y = +H/2$ . The wedge extends to the right in the direction of -X, such that it is symmetric about the XY plane. (Note that it is also symmetric about the XZ plane.) From the beam's point of view, particles passing on the +X side of the Y axis will not encounter the wedge, while particles passing on the -X side of the Y axis see a rectangle of height H and width W, centered in the Y direction, with Z thickness proportional to -X.

By setting parameter U to a non-zero value, the user may specify that the wedge is to be translated in the X direction. If  $U > 0$ , the wedge is moved (without rotation) in the +X direction. For example, if  $U = W/2$ , then the wedge is centered in the X direction; its vertex is at  $X = W/2$  and its base is at  $X = -W/2$ . Note that the wedge is still symmetric about both the XY plane and the XZ plane.

Next, the wedge may be rotated about the Z axis by angle PHI. Looking downstream in the beam direction, positive rotations are clockwise and negative rotations are counter-clockwise. For example, setting PHI to 90 degrees rotates the wedge about the Z axis so that its vertex line is parallel to the X axis and on top, while its base is parallel to the XZ plane and at the bottom. In general this rotation breaks the symmetry about the XZ plane, but the symmetry about the XY plane is maintained.

Finally, the wedge is translated in the Z direction by a distance  $Z_v$ , so that its XY symmetry plane lies a distance  $Z_v$  downstream of the start of the region. Usually  $Z_v$  should be at least large

(WEDGE continued)

enough so that the entire volume of the wedge lies within its region, i.e.  $Z_v \geq W \tan(A/2)$ , the maximum Z half-thickness of the wedge. As well, the region usually should be long enough to contain the entire volume of the wedge, i.e.  $\text{RegionLength} \geq Z_v + W \tan(A/2)$ . Wedges that do lie completely within their region retain their symmetry about the XY plane  $Z=Z_v$ .

If portions of a wedge lie outside their region in Z, then the volume of the wedge lying outside the region is ignored when propagating particles through the wedge. Such a wedge will grow in thickness until it reaches the region boundary, but will not extend beyond it. In such cases, wedges may lose their symmetry about the XY plane  $Z=Z_v$ .

Wedges may be defined such that they extend outside the radial boundaries of the radial subregion within which they are defined. However, any portion of the wedge volume lying inside the inner radial boundary or outside the outer radial boundary is ignored when propagating particles through the wedge. For example, if the user intends that an entire radial subregion of circular cross-section be filled with a wedge, then it is clear that the corners of the wedge must extend outside the radial region, but particles passing outside the wedge's radial subregion will not see the wedge at all.

In short, we may say that although it is permitted (and sometimes essential) to define a wedge to be larger than its subregion, for the purposes of particle propagation the wedge is always trimmed at the region's Z boundaries and the subregion's radial boundaries. Any volume within the region and subregion that is not occupied by the material specified for the wedge is assumed to be vacuum.

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**Example 1:** Within a region 0.4 meters long in Z, within a radial subregion extending from the Z axis out to a radius of 0.3 meters, a wedge is to fill the  $X < 0$  (right) half of the 0.3 meter aperture of the subregion, and increase in Z thickness proportional to  $-X$ , such that it is 0.2 meters thick at the rightmost point in the subregion ( $X = -0.3, Y = 0$ ).

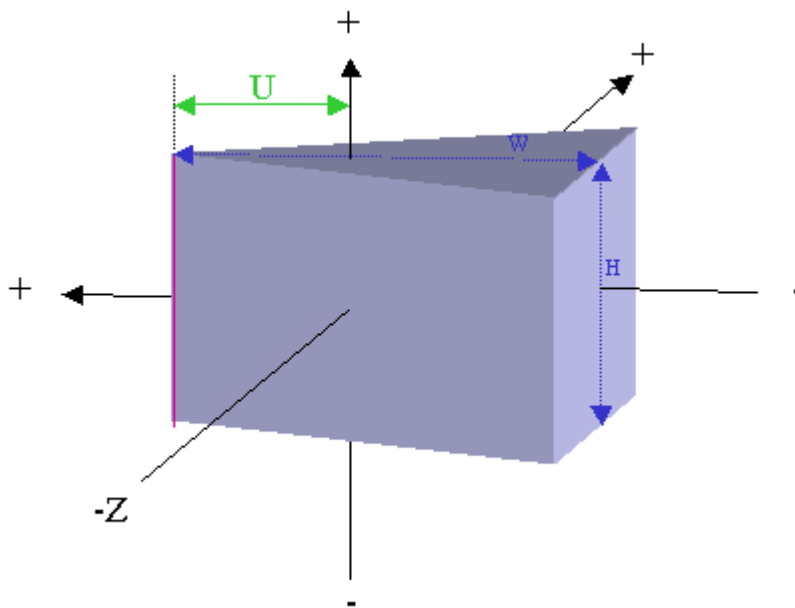
The wedge is to be 0.2 meters thick at a point 0.3 meters from its vertex. The half-thickness is 0.1 meters, the half-opening angle is  $\arctan(0.1/0.3) = 18.4$  degrees, so the full opening angle of the wedge  $A$  is 36.8 degrees. The width (X extent) of the wedge must be 0.3 meters, and the height (Y extent) of the wedge must be 0.6 meters. Two corners of the wedge extend well beyond the subregion, but they will be ignored during particle propagation. The wedge does not need to be translated in X ( $U = 0$ ) nor does it need to be rotated about the Z axis ( $\text{PHI} = 0$ ). For convenience we center the wedge (in Z) within its region, so  $Z_v = 0.2$  meters. Since the maximum half-thickness of the wedge is only 0.1 meters, the wedge does not extend beyond (or even up to) the Z boundaries of the region. The volume within the region and subregion but outside the wedge is assumed to be vacuum.

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**Example 2:** In the same region and subregion, we need a wedge with the same opening angle, but filling the entire aperture of the subregion, thickness gradient in the +Y direction, thickness = 0 at the lowest point in the subregion ( $X=0$ ,  $Y=-0.3$ ).

The wedge must now have  $H = W = 0.6$  meters so it can fill the entire aperture of the subregion. From its initial position, it must first be translated 0.3 meters in the +X direction ( $U = 0.3$ ) to center it in the subregion's aperture, and then (from the perspective of someone looking downstream along the beam) rotated counterclockwise 90 degrees ( $\text{PHI} = -90^\circ$ ) so that the Z thickness increases proportionally to +Y. Since the wedge has the same opening angle as before but has twice the width, its maximum Z thickness is now 0.4 meters, just barely fitting between the Z boundaries of the region if  $Z_v = 0.2$  meters. All four corners of the wedge now extend outside the radial subregion's outer boundary, but they will be ignored during particle propagation.” {S.B.}



The wedge geometry can accept a second MTAG parameter in the SREGION construct. The first material refers to the interior of the wedge. The second material, if present, refers to the exterior of the wedge. If a second MTAG parameter is not present, vacuum is assumed.

## 5. Other files

### 5.1 Input files

#### 5.1.1 FOR003.DAT Beam input data

This optional file can be used to start a simulation using previously defined beam data.

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Reference particle data: ZBREF,PBREF,TBREF,ZB2REF, PB2REF, TB2REF,TYPREF. (R)  
{ZB, PB, TB} refer to the z position [m], momentum [GeV/c] and time [s] for the reference particle (and for a second reference particle if present). TYPREF is the particle code for the type of particle (cf. sec. 2.4).

For a new problem set this card to seven 0. fields.

This is followed by an indefinite number of incident particles, each with the following data.

- |                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| (1) IEVT         | (I) event #(increase sequentially from 1)       |
| (2) IPNUM        | (I) particle # for this event (set to 1)        |
| (3) IPTYP        | (I) particle type code (see BMTYPE in sec. 2.4) |
| (4) IPFLG        | (I) particle status flag (set to 0)             |
| (5) TP           | (R) time [s]                                    |
| (6) EVTWT        | (R) event weight (set to 1.)                    |
| (7) XP(i),i=1,3  | (R) cartesian position [m] (set xp(3)=0.)       |
| (8) PP(i),i=1,3  | (R) cartesian momentum [GeV/c]                  |
| (9) POL(i),i=1,3 | (R) cartesian spin vector                       |

For muons from pion decay this vector should correspond to the muon rest frame if spin tracking is to be done.

5.1.2 Optional files can be used to define the parameters for solenoid coils. See [COIL](#), [SHEET](#), [BLOCK](#) and [SOL](#) for descriptions of the file formats.

5.1.3 Optional files can be used to define the magnetic field on an  $r$ - $z$ ,  $x$ - $y$ , or 3D grid. See [GRID](#) for descriptions of the file formats.

5.1.4 Optional file can be used to set the parameters of RF cavities using the control variable RFPHASE.

The following is repeated for every RF cavity region.

- |             |   |
|-------------|---|
| (1) ID      | (I) ICOOL region number of the rf cavity      |
| (2) PHASERF | (R) cavity phase[degrees]                     |
| (3) FRF     | (R) cavity frequency [MHz]                    |
| (4) GRADRF  | (R) cavity peak electric field on-axis [MV/m] |



## 5.2 Output files

### 5.2.1 FOR002.DAT program LOG file

This file is always created. It can consist of:

1. print out of input variables used
2. summary table of region properties
3. diagnostic print out of particle position, momentum, spin, and fields (optional)
4. identification of tracks that fail to reach end of the simulation
5. transverse and longitudinal emittances at specified planes (optional)
6. histogram statistics (optional)
7. scatterplot statistics (optional)
8. covariance of particle distributions at specified planes (optional)
9. character histogram of desired quantities (optional)
10. character scatterplot of desired quantities (optional)
11. Z-history (trace) of desired quantities (optional)
12. elapsed time for simulation

### 5.2.2 FOR004.DAT Beam information after a specified region

This optional file contains particle information in the same format as described for file FOR003.DAT above.

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### 5.2.3 FOR009.DAT postprocessor data file

This file contains information about each of the particles at production and at various z locations under the user's control. This file is generated using the OUTPUT pseudocommand or the control variables OUTPUT1, NTUPLE and RTUPLE.

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Header line with units

Header line with column labels

This is followed by particle information at requested positions.

- |                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| 1) IEVT           | (I) event #                                     |
| 2) IPNUM          | (I) particle # for this event                   |
| 3) IPTYP          | (I) particle type code (see BMTYPE in sec. 2.2) |
| 4) IPFLG          | (I) particle status flag                        |
| 5) JSRG           | (I) ICOOL region #                              |
| 6) TP             | (R) time [s]                                    |
| 7) XP(i),i=1,3    | (R) position [m]                                |
| 8) PP(i),i=1,3    | (R) cartesian momentum [GeV/c]                  |
| 9) BFLD(i),i=1,3  | (R) total magnetic field [T]                    |
| 10) EVTWT         | (R) event weight                                |
| 11) EFLD(i),i=1,3 | (R) total electric field [V/m]                  |
| 12) SARC          | (R) total arclength [m]                         |
| 13) POL(i),i=1,3  | (R) spin  |

For muons from pion decay POL(3) contains the helicity in the LAB frame when SPIN=true and SPINTRK=0.

5.2.4 An optional file can be created of the cylindrically symmetric field generated by current blocks, coils or sheets. This file can be made using the [GRID](#) command or [SHEET](#) model 3.

The contents of the field map is

|   |                |
|---|----------------|
| title   | (A80)          |
| # of z grid points  | (I) { 1-5000 } |
| # of r grid points  | (I) { 1-100 }  |
| i, j, z <sub>i</sub> , r <sub>j</sub> , BZ <sub>i,j</sub> , BR <sub>i,j</sub> | (I, R)         |

Note that the z locations in this file are specified relative to the position where the current field definition was made, i.e. they are not absolute z locations.

[\(Output files continued\)](#)

5.2.5 An optional 3D magnetic field grid file can be created using the BACKGROUND ENDB command. The format of the file is

|  |  |
|--|--|
| title  | (A80)  |
| nx, ny, nz, hcurv  | (I, R) # of x, y, z grid points; curvature [m] |
| xgr <sub>i</sub> , i=1,nx  | (R)  |
| ygr <sub>j</sub> , j=1,ny  | (R)  |
| zgr <sub>k</sub> , k=1,nz  | (R)  |
| i, j, k, BX <sub>i,j,k</sub> , BY <sub>i,j,k</sub> , BZ <sub>i,j,k</sub> | (I, R)   |

Note that the z locations in this file are specified relative to the position where the current field definition was made, i.e. they are not absolute z locations.

5.2.6 An optional file can be produced of RF diagnostics at the end of every acceleration region. (See the control variable RFDIAG.)

|                |     |  |
|----------------|-----|--|
| (1) JSRG       | (I) | region number  |
| (2) id         | (I) | event number   |
| (3) d(phase)   | (R) | difference (particle-reference) phase at cavity center [deg]                               |
| (4) dt         | (R) | difference (particle-reference) time at cavity center [s]                                  |
| (5) dPz        | (R) | difference (particle-reference) Pz at cavity center [GeV/c]                                |
| (6) f          | (R) | rf frequency [Hz]  |
| (7) G          | (R) | gradient [V/m]   |
| (8) PHASERF    | (R) | cavity phase [degrees]   |
| (9) EZRF       | (R) | cavity Ez [V/m]  |
| (10) BPHIRF    | (R) | cavity Bphi [T]  |
| (11) TREFMEAN  | (R) | zero crossing time of reference particle at center of preceding cavity [s]                 |
| (12) T2REFMEAN | (R) | zero crossing time of 2 <sup>nd</sup> reference particle at center of preceding cavity [s] |
| (13) Z         | (R) | Z for particle at center of cavity [m]   |

[\(Output files continued\)](#)

### 5.2.7 Neutrino production data

This data appears on the file specified by the control variable NEUTRINO.

Title record (A)

Problem title (A80)

For each neutrino satisfying the polar angle cuts:

- |                |                                |
|----------------|--------------------------------|
| 1) IEVT        | (I) event #                    |
| 2) IPNUM       | (I) particle # for this event  |
| 3) IPTYP       | (I) particle type code         |
| 4) IPFLG       | (I) particle status flag       |
| 5) JSRG        | (I) ICOOL region #             |
| 6) TP          | (R) time [s]                   |
| 7) XP(i),i=1,3 | (R) position [m]               |
| 8) PP(i),i=1,3 | (R) cartesian momentum [GeV/c] |
| 9) EVTWT       | (R) event weight               |

The particle type uses the following code

- |     |                       |
|-----|-----------------------|
| 6   | muon neutrino         |
| -6  | muon antineutrino     |
| 7   | electron neutrino     |
| -7  | electron antineutrino |
| ±20 | from muon decay       |
| ±30 | from pion decay       |
| ±40 | from kaon decay       |

e.g. IPTYP = -36 for a muon antineutrino from pion decay

[\(Output files continued\)](#)

### 5.2.8 Beam moments

Problem title (A80)

At each OUTPUT command

- 1) region number
- 2)  $B_z$  [T]
- 3)  $t$  [s]
- 4)  $P_z$  [GeV/c]
- 5) normalized transverse emittance [m rad]
- 6) Courant-Snyder beta [m]
- 7) Courant-Snyder alpha
- 8) angular momentum
- 9) particle number
- 10) transverse scraping parameter
- 11) normalized longitudinal emittance [m rad]

### 5.2.9 Region summary table

A summary of all regions (and pseudoregions) in the job is written to the for007.dat if the control variable SUMMARY is true.

### 5.3 Internal program files

(1) FOR008.DAT    particle overflow data file

This unformatted, direct access file contains particle data used by the program. It is only created when the number of requested particles is greater than 300,000.

## 6. Program execution flags

- 0 No errors.
- 1 Fatal error (with message on the log file)
- 10 particle outside dipole aperture
- 11 got unphysical momentum from dipole edge focusing
- 12 negative argument for SQRT {DERIV}
- 13 error setting angular momentum correlation
- 14 got unphysical momentum computing random field kick
- 15 event failed because of variable cut
- 16 error creating initial dispersion
- 23 Particle radius not in defined r-region.
- 24 failure of Fano scattering model
- 25 Illegal LOG argument [DEDX]
- 26 failure of Tollestrup scattering model
- 27 Illegal LOG argument [SCATTER]
- 28 Particle outside an aperture [SIMULATE]
- 29 probability error [RESTRICT\_LOSS]
- 30 error in muon decay
- 31 exceeded allowed radius in the tapered solenoid
- 32 Vz went negative [GO\_REGION]
- 33 stuck in stepping loop[GO\_REGION]
- 36 particle time difference exceeded BUNCHCUT [SIMULATE]
- 39  $r > r(\text{cav})$  [ACCEL ]
- 40  $r > r(\text{rod})$  [TAPERED\_ROD]
- 43 Pz of particle is less than control variable PZMINTRK
- 47 particle transverse position outside the kicker cavity
- 52 particle decayed
- 57 radius > Rcav in Superfish model
- 58 failed absorber hemispherical end region logic
- 61 momentum outside desired band for induction linac
- 62 spin tracking error [GO\_REGION]
- 64 depolarization error [FLIP\_ELASTIC]
- 72 radius too large in HELIX
- 73 hadron had inelastic interaction (tracking stops)
- 74 argument out of range in Bessel function I0 or I1
- 75 argument out of range in Bessel function K0 or K1
- 76 stepping gave result with  $r > 100$  m or  $pt > 1000$  GeV/c
- 77 error in ACCEL model 10; two ref particles have same p?
- 81 interpolated HORN point lies outside data grid
- 82 position error in DIPOLE model 4
- 85 failure of MOLIERE scattering algorithm
- 86 got unphysical momentum computing hard-edge fringe field kick
- 87 unphysical momentum from TRANSPORT matrix