

**DEPENDENCE OF  
PATH-LENGTH SPREAD  
ON FFLAG LATTICE TYPE**

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This work was triggered by **Shane's** longitudinal studies of the **non-scaling FFAG lattices** suggested by **Carol Johnstone**

- lattices with some surprising properties.

- How can such a **wide range of momentum** be **compacted** into such a **narrow radial band**?

- Why does the **path length** vary **parabolically** with **momentum p**?

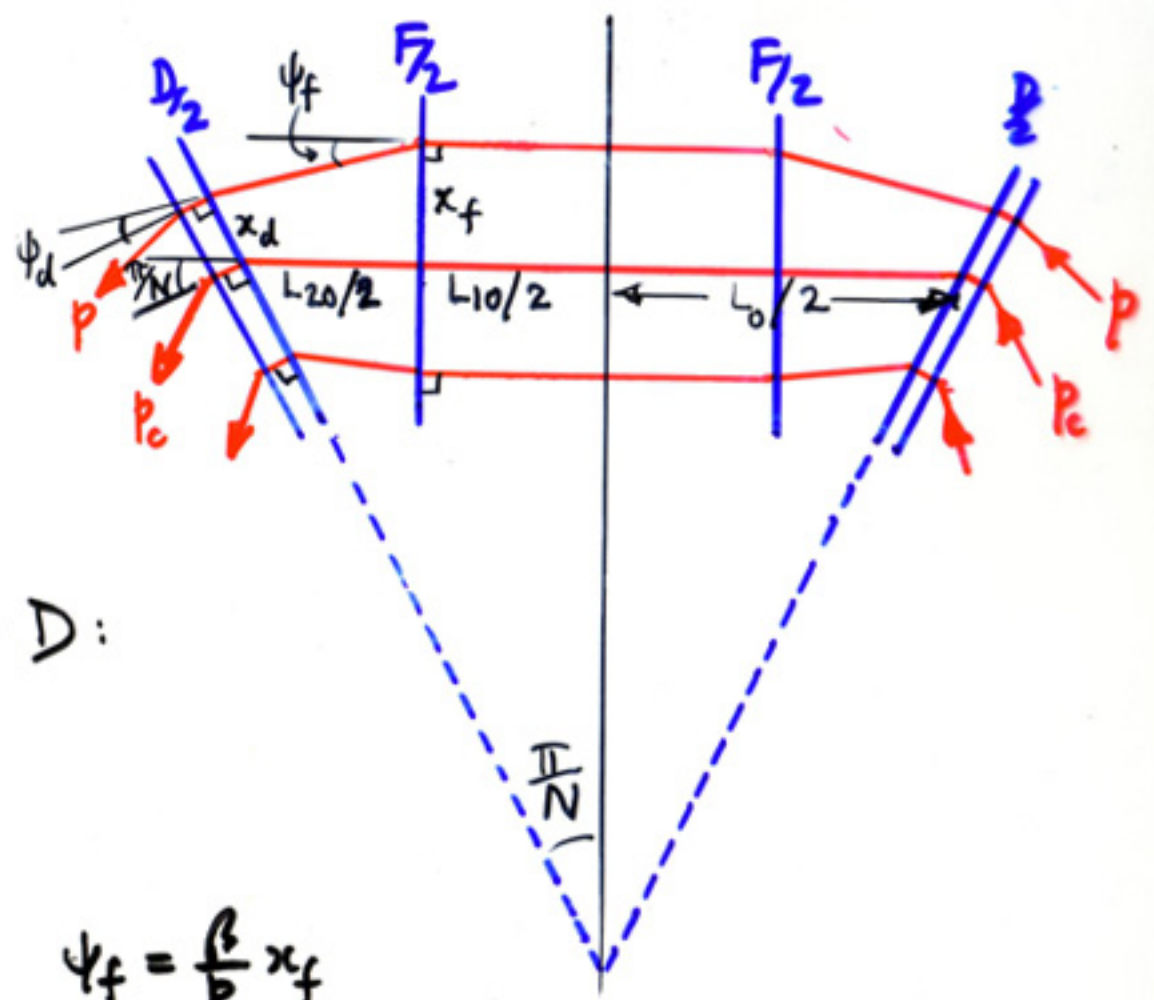
- How can **triplet** lattices apparently achieve **smaller path length spreads  $\Delta C$**  than the more symmetric **FODO**?

For such **basic questions**, perhaps a **very elementary approach** would be sufficient - **thin lenses**?

- especially if we keep the **scope limited** to **orbit geometry**, and ignore  $\beta_x, v_x, B_{\max} \dots$ !

# THIN BEND TRIPLET

Assume FDF cells with thin bends: -  
 The "central orbit" - N-sided polygon - is on axis in F quad for momentum  $p_c$ , so all bending occurs at D:



$$e B_c \frac{L_d}{2} = \frac{\pi}{N} p_c$$

For other momenta  $p$

$$B_f = B'_f x_f$$

$$\psi_f = \frac{\beta}{p} x_f$$

$$B_d = B_c - B'_d x_d$$

$$\psi_d = \frac{\pi}{N} \frac{p_c}{p} - \frac{\beta}{p} x_d$$

where  $\beta \equiv e B'_f L_{f/2} = e B'_d L_{d/2}$  i.e. equal F and D quad strengths.

N.B. As  $\frac{L_{20}}{2} \rightarrow \frac{L_0}{2}$  so FDF  $\rightarrow$  FODO.

## OFFSETS AT THE QUADS

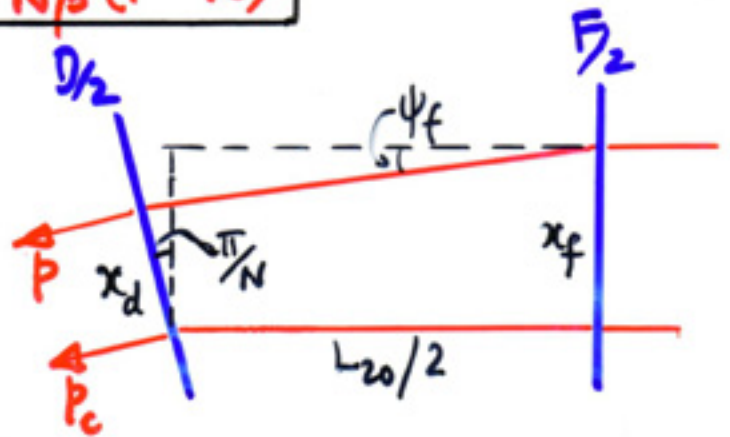
Total bend  $\psi_f + \psi_d = \frac{\pi}{N}$

$\therefore$

$$x_f - x_d = \frac{\pi}{N\beta} (p - p_c)$$

But for  $\psi_f \rightarrow 0, \frac{\pi}{N} \rightarrow 0$

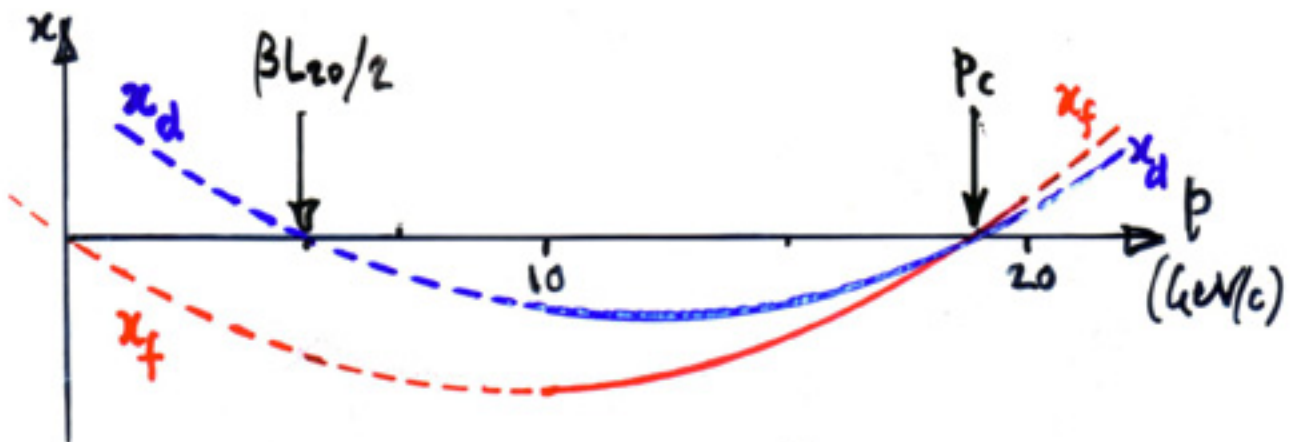
$$\begin{aligned} x_f - x_d &\approx \frac{1}{2} L_{20} \psi_f \\ &= \frac{\beta L_{20}}{2p} x_f \end{aligned}$$



$\therefore$

$$x_f = \frac{2\pi}{\beta^2 N L_{20}} p (p - p_c)$$

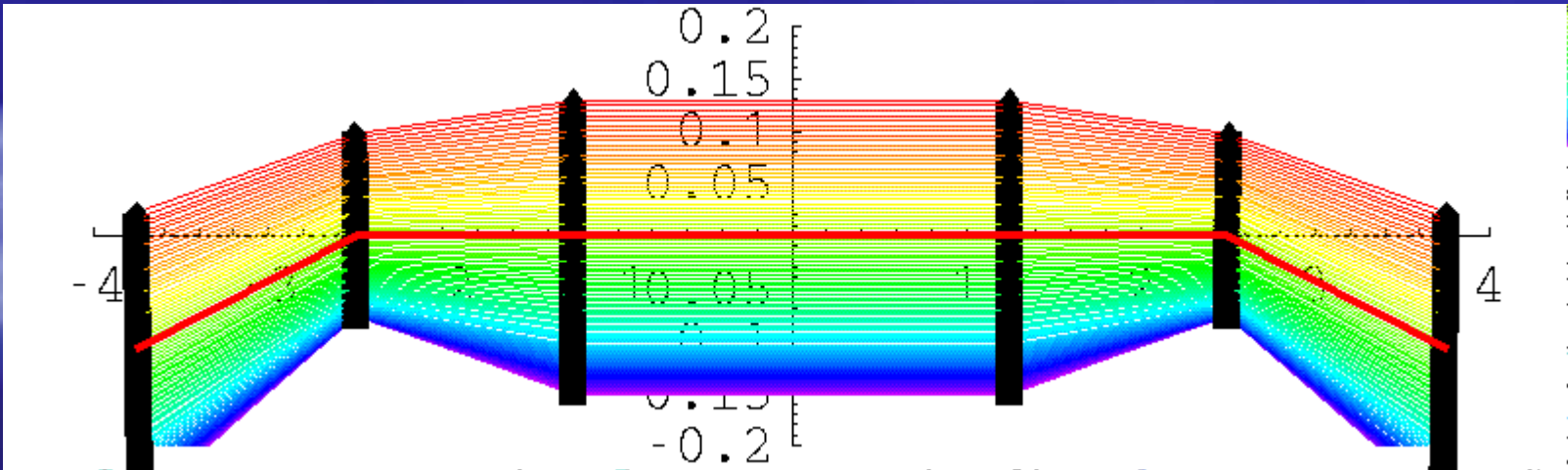
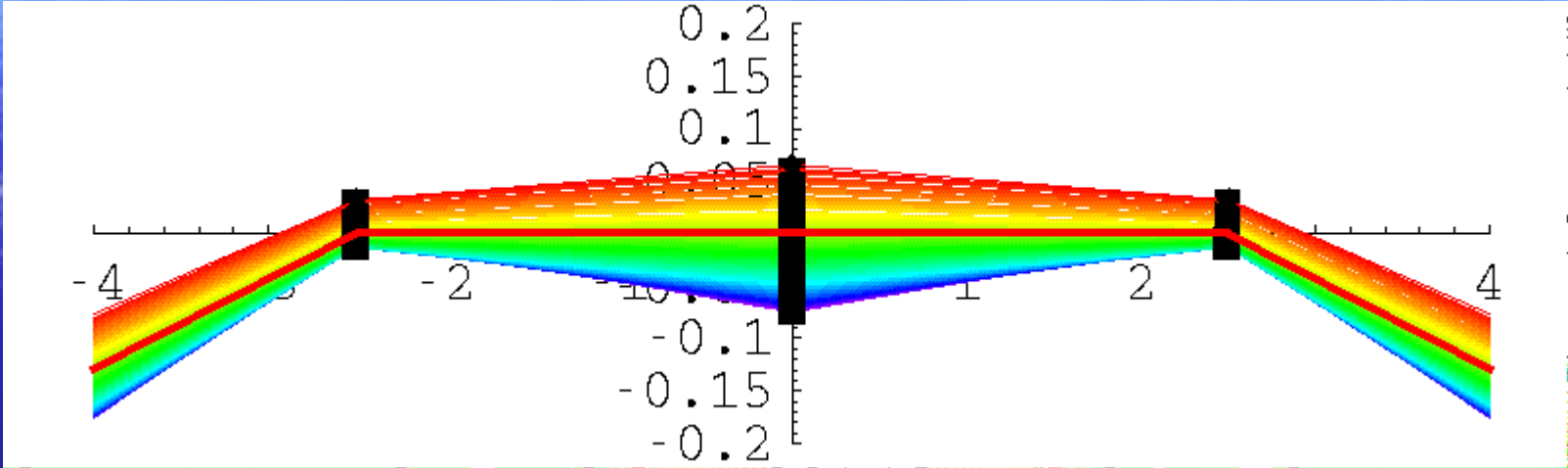
$$x_d = \frac{2\pi}{\beta^2 N L_{20}} (p - p_c) \left( p - \frac{\beta L_{20}}{2} \right)$$



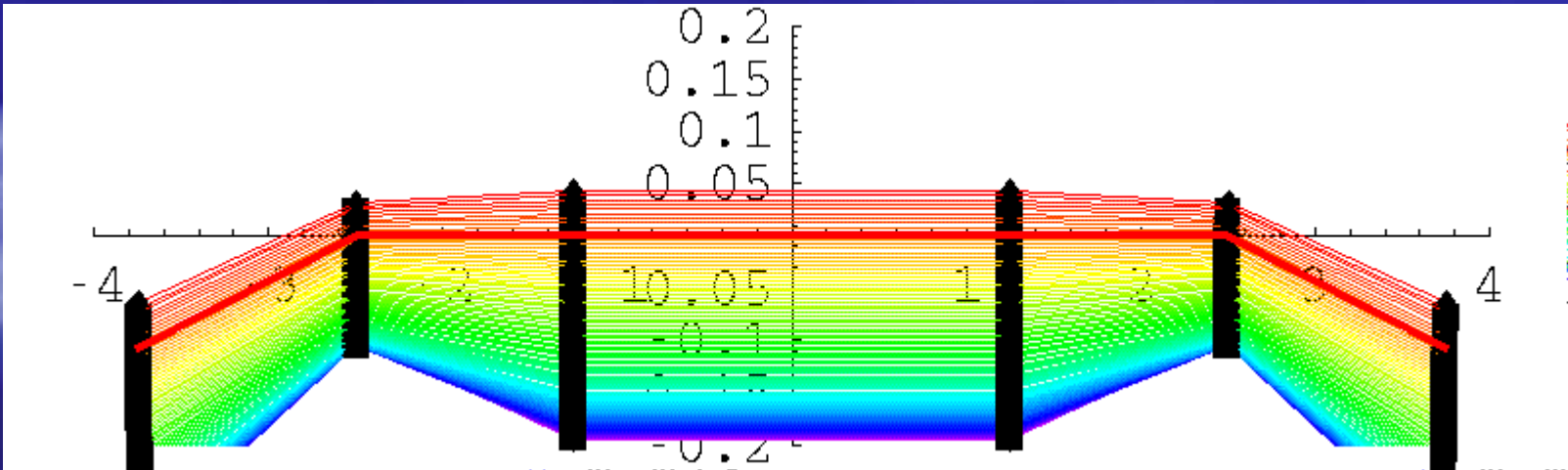
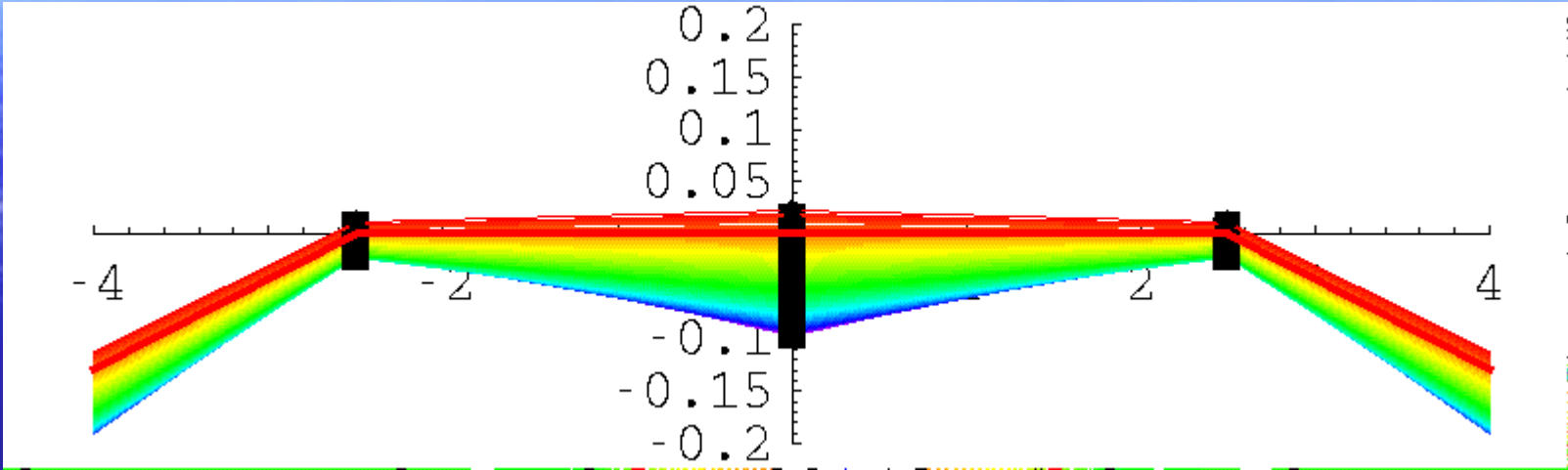
**N.B.**  $x$  amplitude factor  $\propto 1/L_{20}$

- so for the same  $\beta$  and  $N$   $\frac{x(\text{FDF})}{x(\text{FODO})} = \frac{L_{20}(\text{FODO})}{L_{20}(\text{FDF})} \approx 3$

# Doublet & triplet lattices *a la* Carol



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## FODO v. Triplet

The equations show a difference

- but what is the physical reason?

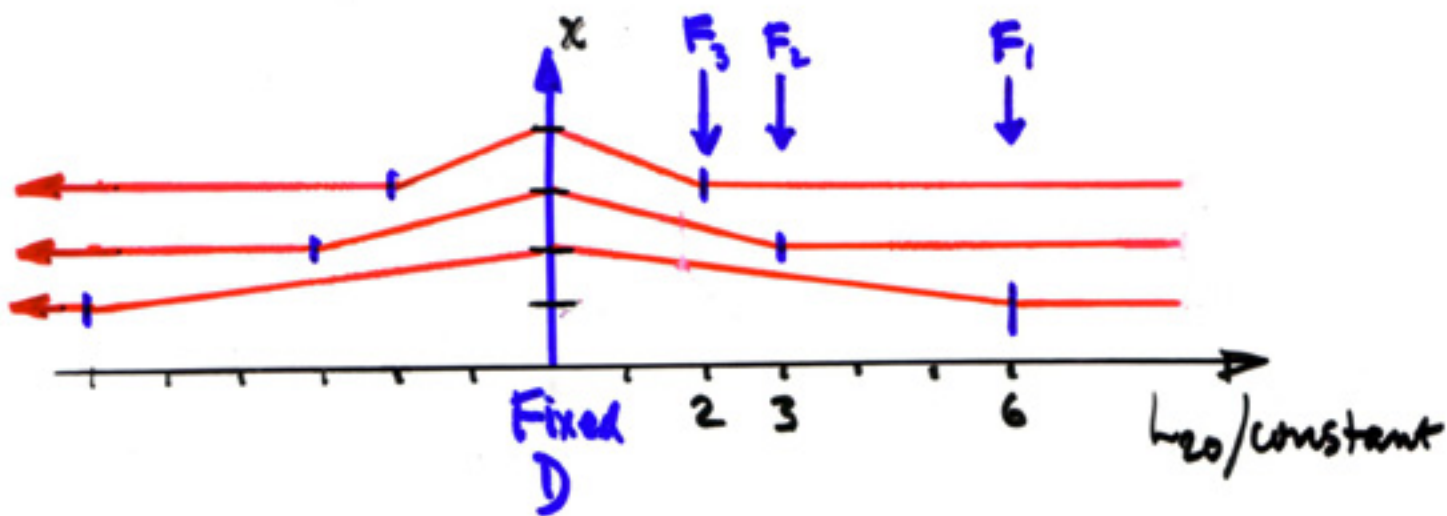
Recall  $x_f - x_d = \frac{\pi}{N\beta} (p - p_c)$

= constant for given  $\begin{cases} N \\ \beta \\ p \end{cases}$

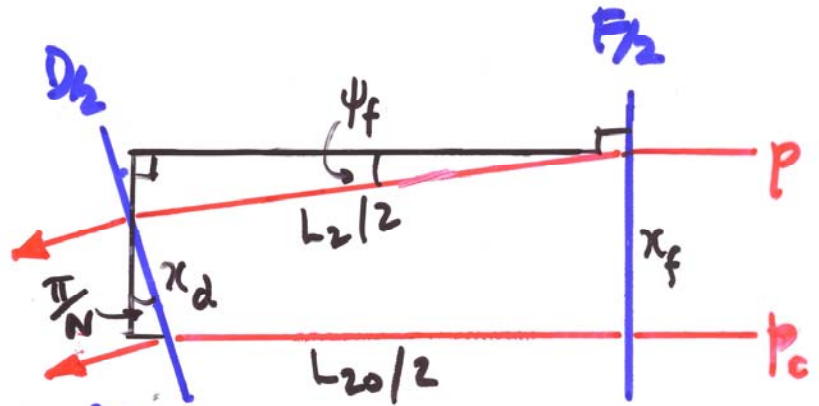
+ independent of F-D-F spacing  $L_{20}$

But also  $x_f - x_d = \frac{1}{2} L_{20} \psi_f$

- so a short lever arm  $L_{20}$  requires larger deflexion  $\psi_f$   
- i.e. larger amplitude  $x_f$



## PATH LENGTH



$$\frac{L_2}{2} \cos \psi_f = \frac{L_{20}}{2} + x_d \sin \frac{\pi}{N}$$

$$\therefore L_2 \approx \left( L_{20} + \frac{2\pi}{N} x_d \right) \left( 1 + \frac{1}{2} \beta^2 \frac{x_d^2}{p^2} \right)$$

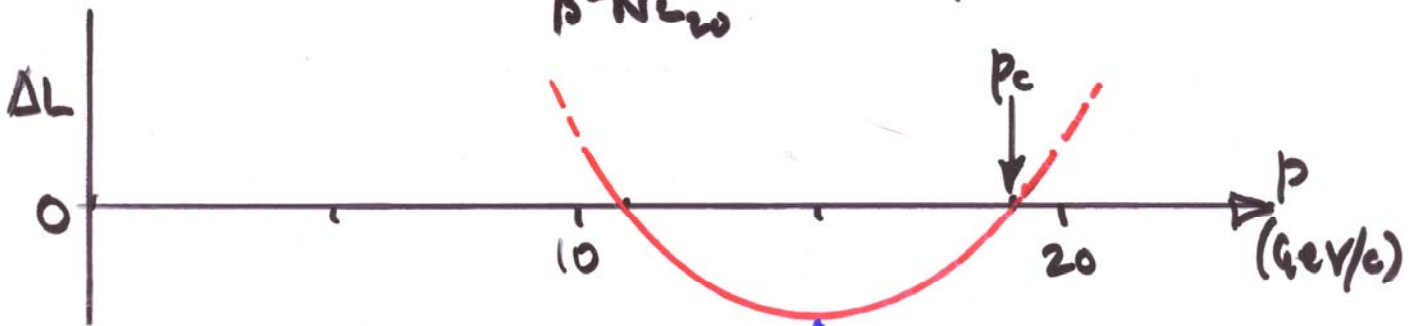
$$\Delta L \equiv L_2 - L_{20}$$

$$\approx \frac{2\pi}{N} x_d + \frac{1}{2} \beta^2 L_{20} \left( \frac{x_d}{p} \right)^2 \quad \text{for } x_d \ll N L_{20}, \psi_f \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } \Delta L = \frac{6\pi^2}{\beta^2 N^2 L_{20}} (p - p_c) \left[ p - \frac{1}{3} (p_c + \beta L_{20}) \right]$$

Over the whole circumference

$$\Delta C = N \Delta L = \frac{6\pi^2}{\beta^2 N L_{20}} (p - p_c) \left[ p - \frac{1}{3} (p_c + \beta L_{20}) \right]$$



Minimum \$L\$ occurs for

$$p_{LV} = \frac{1}{3} \left( 2p_c + \frac{\beta L_{20}}{2} \right)$$

- or inversely

$$p_c = \frac{1}{2} \left( p_{LV} - \frac{\beta L_{20}}{2} \right)$$

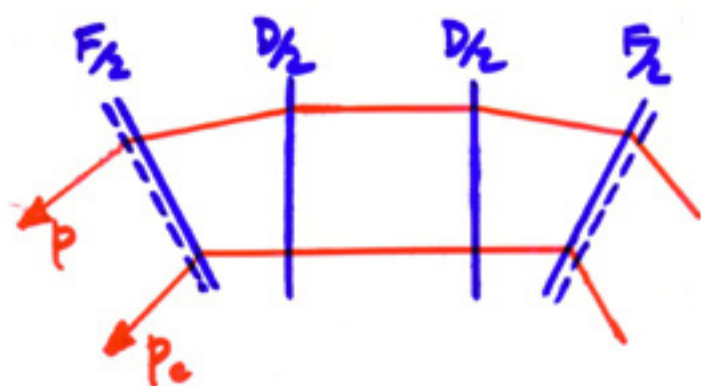
- so for \$p\_{LV} = 15\$ GeV/c, \$\frac{\beta L\_{20}}{2} = 7\$ GeV/c \$\rightarrow p\_c = 19\$ GeV/c.

N.B. \$\Delta C \propto 1/\beta^2 N L\_{20}\$ - just like \$x\_f, x\_d\$.



# FDF or DFD?

DFD can be analysed in the same way as FDF.



For the same geometry and magnet strengths,

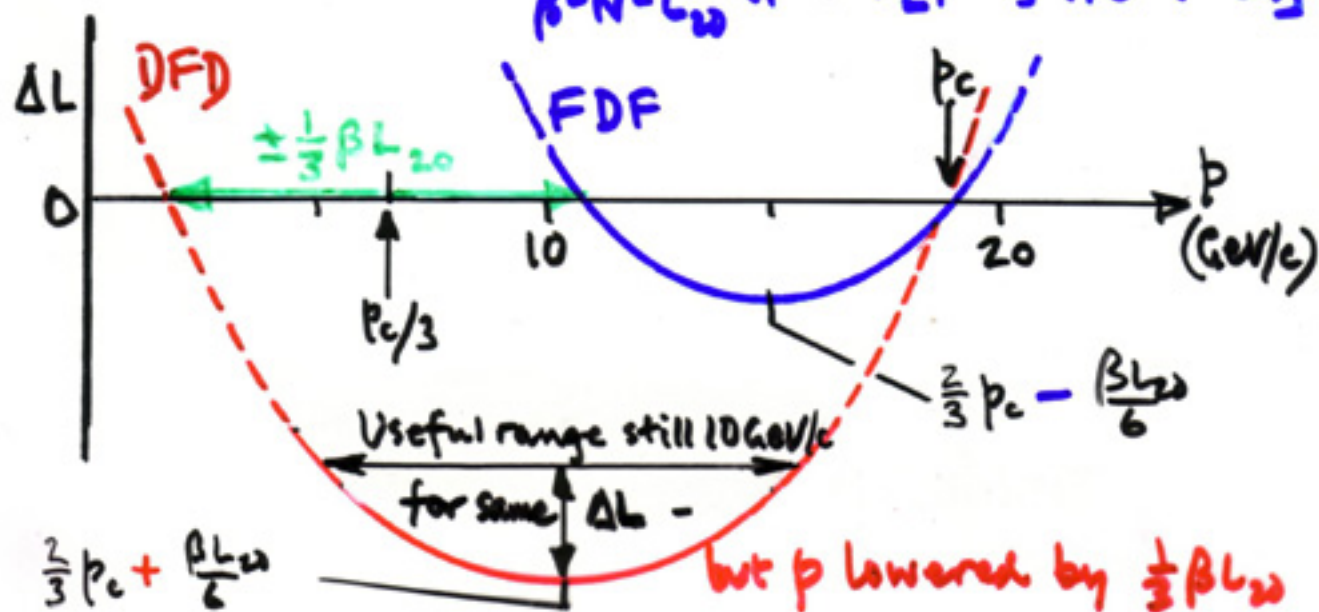
the results can be simply

obtained by - exchanging subscripts  $f \leftrightarrow d$   
 - reversing the sign of  $\beta$ .

$$x_{\text{bend}} = x_f = \frac{2\pi}{\beta^2 N L_{20}} (p - p_c)(p + \beta L_{20})$$

$$x_d = \frac{2\pi}{\beta^2 N L_{20}} p(p - p_c)$$

$$\Delta L = \frac{6\pi}{\beta^2 N^2 L_{20}} (p - p_c) \left[ p - \frac{1}{3}(p_c - \beta L_{20}) \right]$$



# THICK BENDS

Orbit curvature within the magnets makes

$$\hat{x}_{thick} \neq \hat{x}_{thin}$$

- so placing thin bends at hi-x edge of a thick  $\frac{1}{2}$ -bend  $\rightarrow$  B error.

$\therefore$  Shift the thin bend

so that  $B(F'_{\frac{1}{2}}) = \langle B(arc) \rangle$ .

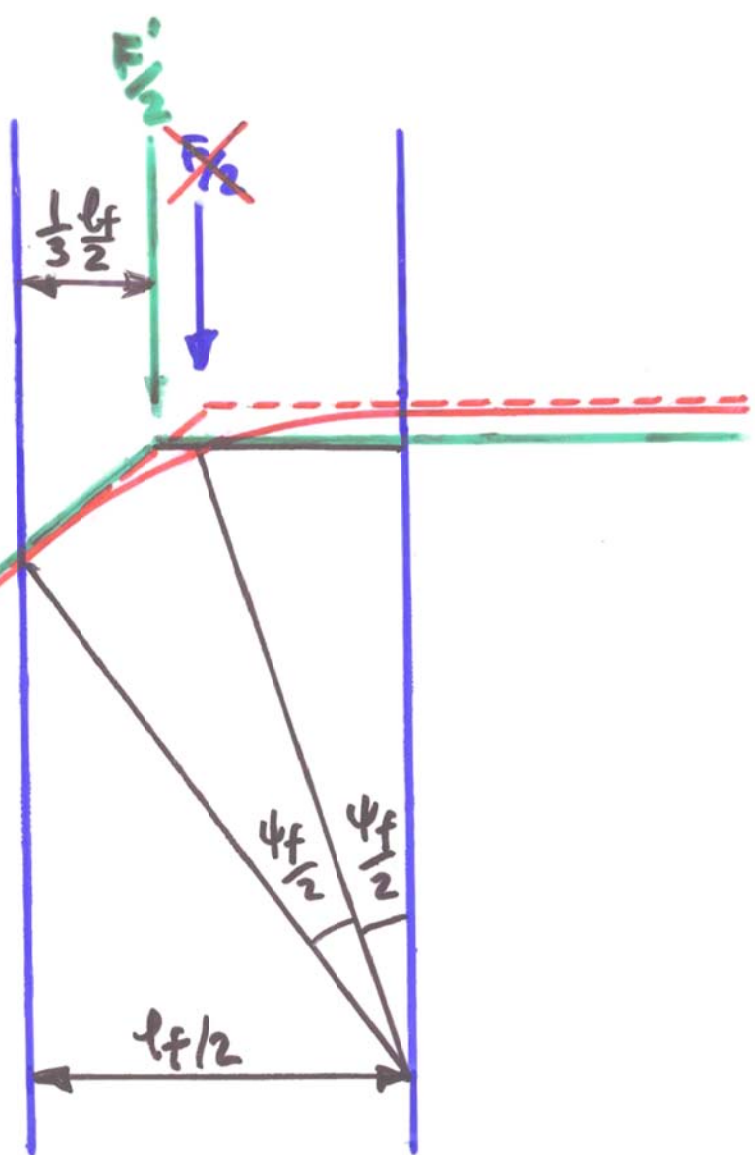
For //-ended magnets

place  $F'_{\frac{1}{2}}$   $\frac{1}{3} \frac{l_f}{2}$  from D-facing edge.

This reduces the D-F spacing  $L_{20}$  to

$$L'_{20} = l_{fd} + \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{l_f}{2} + \frac{l_d}{2} \right)$$

For sector magnets,  $L'_{20} \approx l_{fd} + \frac{1}{3} \left( \frac{l_f}{2} + \frac{l_d}{2} \right)$



- a significant correction to  $L_{20} = l_{fd} + \frac{l_f}{4} + \frac{l_d}{2}$  when  $l_{fd} \approx 20$  cm

		Dejan			Scott					Carol
		FDF Triplets			FDF	Doublet	F0D0-1	F0D0-2	F0D0PAC	F0D0
Circumference (m)	C	323	328	348	481.74	436.53	612.18	470.00	1200	2041
Number of cells	N	66	72	80	93	101	113	82	200	314
Cell length (m)	C/N = L <sub>0</sub>	4.89	4.56	4.35	5.18	4.32	5.42	5.73	6.00	6.5
D-bend length (m)	l <sub>d</sub> = BL	1.50	1.00	0.80	1.28	1.01	0.81	0.99	1.00	0.35
F-quad length (m)	l <sub>f</sub> /2 =QLF	0.50	0.58	0.58	0.45	0.41	0.30	0.37	0.50	0.075
F-D spacing (m)	D3P = dl3	0.17	0.20	0.20	0.50	0.50	2.00	2.00	2.00	3.00
Effective F-D spacing / L <sub>0</sub>	L' <sub>20</sub> / L <sub>0</sub>	0.24	0.25	0.24	0.33	0.26	0.83	0.80	0.78	0.95
F gradient (T/m)	B' <sub>f</sub> = GF1	67.42	62.43	66.74	50.1	43.09	39.42	30.64	20.38	75.90
D gradient (T/m)	B' <sub>d</sub> =-GDD2	35.57	56.65	75.30	30.4	35.68	29.97	23.70	20.42	32.45
Quad strength factor (mean)	β	9.05	9.67	10.32	6.30	5.32	3.61	3.46	3.06	1.70
Time-of-flight range/cavity (ps)	DeltaC/(c*n <sub>cav</sub> )	11.9	9.0	6.9	8.3	7.9	6.6	6.7	2.8	5.5
Path length variation (cm)	DeltaC	23.5	19.5	16.5	23.3	24.0	22.5	32.9	17.0	51.6
" " (tracked)		14.2	11.7	9.9	17.1	21.4	24.0	35.0	18	51
D-bend field (T) @ 15 GeV/c	B <sub>d</sub> = by0	5.08	6.69	7.49	4.53	4.89	4.85	5.61	2.34	
F-quad field (T) @ 15 GeV/c	B <sub>f</sub> = byq	-2.85	-2.00	-1.78	-2.68	-2.23	-1.93	-2.30	-0.77	
Momentum (GeV/c) for B <sub>f</sub> = 0	p <sub>c</sub>		19.1	19.0	19.8	20.4	18.5	18.5	18.9	16.6
Momentum @ x <sub>d</sub> = x <sub>c</sub>	Beta*L' <sub>20</sub> /2	5.3	5.5	5.4	5.4	4.3	8.1	7.9	7.1	5.3
Momentum @ minimum path	p(C <sub>min</sub> )		14.5	14.5						12.8
" " (tracked)			14.5	14.5	15	15	15	15	15	12.7
x offset (cm) in F @ 10 GeV/c	x <sub>f10</sub> -x <sub>f15</sub>		-2.1	-1.8	-2.2	-2.6	-3.0	-4.4	-2.1	-7.0
" " (tracked)	XCOF		-2.9	-2.5	-2.5	-2.8	-3.3	-4.8	-2.5	-7.0
x offset (cm) in F @ 20 GeV/c	x <sub>f20</sub> -x <sub>f15</sub>		6.4	5.4	7.2	7.7	7.8	11.3	5.7	7.8
" " (tracked)	XCOF		4.6	3.9	5.3	7.4	8.4	12.3	6.1	7.7

6 GeV/c

N.B. Data computed with thick bend correction factor 1/3 (in place of 1/2).



## THEORY v. EXPT

$p(L')$  - good

$\Delta L, x_{f,d}$  - excellent for Carol (thin lens, small angles)  
- within ~~20%~~ for "thick bends"  
- very sensitive to  $L'_{20}$   
- need to refine correction for thick sectors.

↳ < 7% for FODO  
< 70% for triplet!

## FODO v. TRIPLET

Time of flight spread during acceleration:

$$\Delta t_{\text{cav}} N_{\text{cav}} N_{\text{turns}} = \Delta t_{\text{cav}} \frac{\Delta E}{\Delta V} \leq \text{constant} \times T_{\text{rf}}$$

∴ crucial factor for phase slip is:

$$\Delta L_{\text{cav}} = c \Delta t_{\text{cav}} = \frac{\Delta L_{\text{cell}}}{n_{\text{cav}}} = \frac{(\Delta p/2)^2}{\beta^2 N^2 L'_{20} n_{\text{cav}}}$$

So for the same energy range  $\Delta E = c \Delta p$  and quad strength  $\beta$

$$\frac{N_{\text{FDP}}}{N_{\text{FODO}}} = \sqrt{\frac{(L'_{20} n_{\text{cav}})_{\text{FODO}}}{(L'_{20} n_{\text{cav}})_{\text{FDP}}}} \approx \sqrt{\frac{2.36}{0.76} \times 2} = 2.5!$$

- a very different prediction from Scott's findings.

Apparently other factors ( $B_{\text{max}}$ ?, tune, ...) play a key role in Scott's optimization.

My project this week is to find out why the potential of FODO is not being realised.