



# Investigation of the electron electromagnetic field in a shadow area

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### About the problem

#### **Shadowing effect**

half-naked electron, semi-bare electron, radiation formation zone

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### **Viewpoints:**

#### **Surface current viewpoint**

(Interference of the forward DR (TR), emitted by induced surface current, with electron field)



Absorber or conductive screen

#### In paper

"G Naumenko, A. Potylitsyn et. al. Journal of Physics: Conference Series 236 (2010) 012024" was shown that

no surface current is induced on a downstream surface of a screen.

Surface current viewpoint is not applicable for this problem



Electron field must be reflected from a conductive screen,
It doesn't penetrate through thick conductive screen or absorber,
It doesn't induce a surface current on the downstream surface of a screen
Therefore we may expect the semibare electron just downstream to the screen

### Can we observe this effect experimentally ?

#### **Possible scheme of experiment**



We should use a model for electromagnetic field evolution from screen to beam dump without acceleration (starting and stopping of electron).

## Theory

Field of moving electron:

$$\vec{E} = \frac{e}{\left(R - \vec{\beta}\vec{R}\right)^3} \left\{ \left(1 - \beta^2\right) \left(\vec{R} - \vec{\beta}R\right) + \vec{R} \times \left(\vec{R} - \vec{\beta}R\right) \times \vec{\beta}' \right) \right\} \quad \text{, here } C = 1$$

In Fourier presentation in terms of the retarded time:

$$\vec{E}_{\omega} = \int_{0}^{L/\beta} \frac{e \cdot (1 - \beta^2) \cdot (\vec{R} - \vec{\beta}R)}{(R - \vec{\beta}R)^3} \cdot e^{i\omega(t'+R)} \frac{\partial t}{\partial t'} dt'$$

t is the retarded time t = t' + R(t') Transversal component in case of axial symmetry:

$$\vec{E}_{\omega}^{\perp} = \int_{0}^{L/\beta} \frac{e \cdot (1 - \beta^2) \cdot r}{\left(R - \beta R_{\beta}\right)^3} \cdot e^{i\omega(t' + R)} \frac{\partial t}{\partial t'} dt'$$

 $\vec{\beta}' = 0$ 

r is transversal coordinate of the observation point





#### **Tomsk microtron Electron Beam**

#### **Beam parameters**



Formation length

$$\frac{\gamma^2 \lambda}{4} \approx \frac{12^2 \cdot 11 \ mm}{4} = 0.4 \ m$$

Electron field size

$$E_{\lambda} = 2\gamma\lambda$$
  
$$\gamma\lambda \approx 12 \cdot 11 \ mm = 130 \ mm$$

#### **Detector parameters :**

The room temperature detector DP20M Tomsk (Russia) production.

Detector efficiency in the wavelength region  $\lambda=3\sim16$  mm is certificated as a constant with accuracy  $\pm 15\%$ 



Fig.4 Dependence of the squared form-factor module on the radiation wavelength for the gaussian longitudinal distribution of electrons in a bunch.

Wavelength range: = 3 ~ 16 mm, sensitivity = 0.3 V/mWatt



Parabolic telescope was used for angular distribution measurement to exclude the "pre-wave" zone effect contribution.

(B.N. Kalinin, G.A. Naumenko, A.P. Potylitsyn et al, JETP Letters, 84, 3, (2006), p. 110.)



## Measurements

#### Absorbed screen

The dependence was measured with the step  $\Delta L = 20mm$ 





Typical measured angular distribution

We see the recovery of electron field when the distance between screen and beam dump increase.

### **Conductive screen**

Angular distribution of EM field in far field zone for different distance from screen to beam dump



## Total experimental no smoothed dependence

Let's remind you the theoretical dependence



Step  $\Delta L = 10mm$ 

You can see that these dependences are very close

### Resume



1. Both the absence of a surface current on a downstream conductive screen surface and the similarity of dependences from absorbed and conductive screens allows us to be ensure that we observe the semi-bare electrons just downstream to the screen.

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- 2. The further evolution is the recovery of the Coulomb field of semi-bare electron to the state of usual electron.
- 3. Semi-bare electron properties were investigated experimentally in macroscopic mode

