

Beam studies proposal: Electron Cloud in the IR's

Assumptions compared to the straight sections:

- Bunch charge is double in the IR
- Bunch spacing does not change (216 ns)
- But... SEY changes at each IR

Possible bottle necks will be places with high SEY material: Phobos, Star, Brahms, bi8, yo4, and Phenix.

As far as these locations allow it (Pressure rise, beam lifetime) observations will take place in IR12.

EC instrumentation at IR12

- NEG beam pipe (5 m)
- Solenoids (\approx 10 m)
- Two e- detectors with RFA (1.5m from IR).
- Pressure gauges g11 and g12
- RGA at g12-pwx

Plan

1. Inject 56 bchs in each ring, $N_b \geq 10^9 Au^{79+}$
2. Bring them to collision. If signal is observed in ED:
 - a. e- Energy
 - b. Vacuum gauges g11 and g12 (NEG test, RGA data)
 - c. Solenoid test
3. If no signal observed (noisy detectors), increase bunch number (56, 68...) without machine damaging

IR materials length

name	Be	Al	StSt	NEG
Brahms	1.5m	5.6m	10.1m	-
Star	1.5m	6.6m	9.1m	-
Phenix	1.5m	-	15.7m	-
Phobos	12m	-	5.2m	-
IR12	-	-	12m	5.2m

IR bunch charge thresholds (N_b) per beam for 55 bunches.

material	SEY	E_{max} (eV)	N_b (Au^{79+})
St St	1.9	310	$\approx 1 \times 10^9$
Al	2.3	300	$\approx 6 \times 10^8$
Be	2.8	250	$\approx 4 \times 10^8$

In the straight sections, pressure rise due to electron cloud is expected only at bi8 and yo4 (not significant).

Some predictions



