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Programming with the Bmad Toolkit

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Introduction to Bmad

What is Bmad?

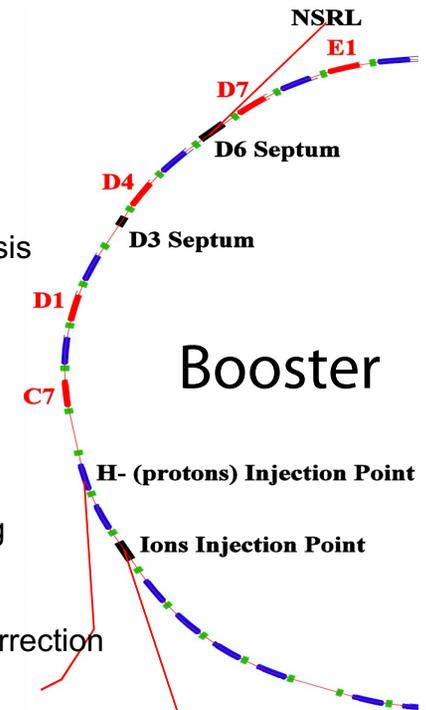
Bmad is an **ecosystem** of:

- Open-source **toolkits** (software libraries) and
- **Programs** constructed with the toolkits.

Bmad Simulations

Bmad has been used to study:

- ❖ Lattice design
- ❖ Space charge simulations including cathode effects.
- ❖ Beam breakup (BBU) simulations
- ❖ Coherent Synchrotron Radiation (CSR)
- ❖ Halo studies
- ❖ Microbunching evaluation
- ❖ Machine online modeling
- ❖ Spin tracking
- ❖ Intra Beam Scattering (IBS)
- ❖ Touschek scattering
- ❖ Wakefields
- ❖ Weak-strong beam-beam studies
- ❖ Phase noise on Crabbing dynamics
- ❖ Feedback systems
- ❖ Energy ramping
- ❖ Bunch merging
- ❖ Electron cooling
- ❖ Resonant extraction
- ❖ Spin matching
- ❖ Spin resonance studies
- ❖ Invariant spin field calculations
- ❖ Dynamic aperture
- ❖ Tune scans plots
- ❖ Frequency map analysis
- ❖ Long term tracking
- ❖ Stripper foils
- ❖ Positron converters
- ❖ Injection studies
- ❖ Cathode laser shaping
- ❖ Orbit correction
- ❖ Twiss and coupling correction
- ❖ X-ray simulations
- ❖ Resonance strengths
- ❖ Normal form analysis
- ❖ Etc., Etc.



Start-to-end simulations:
Bmad can simulate an entire accelerator complex including injection lines, extraction lines, dual colliding beam rings, etc.

Bmad Community

Bmad is [open source](#) (hosted on GitHub) and has a thriving community with a [SLACK workspace](#) for communication and regular [schools and training workshops](#).

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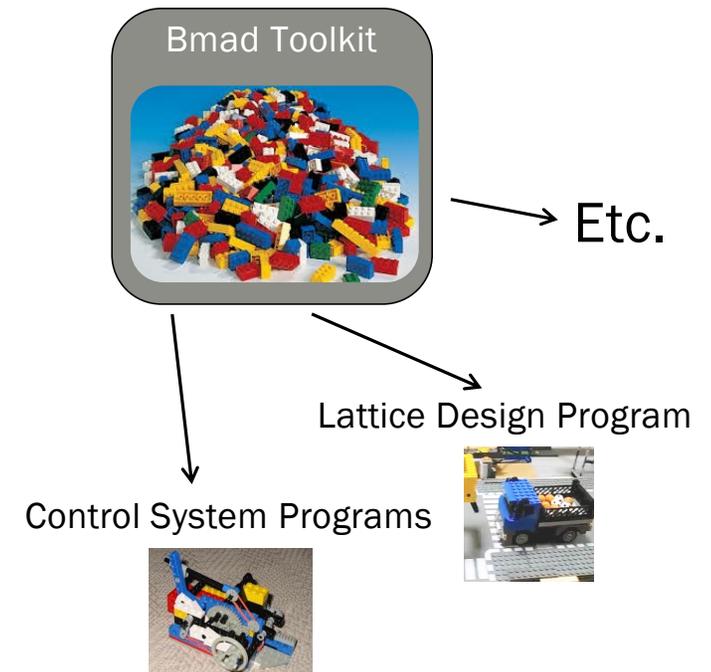
This has enabled people at numerous labs to be able to use Bmad to simulate many machines:

- ✓ Cornell CESR ring
- ✓ CORNELL CESR injection chain.
- ✓ CBETA - Cornell/BNL ERL
- ✓ CERN FCC
- ✓ CERN LHC
- ✓ Julich COSY ring
- ✓ International Linear Collider (ILC)
- ✓ BNL EIC
- ✓ BNL SSRL
- ✓ BNL RHIC
- ✓ Fermilab G-2
- ✓ Fermilab Main Injector
- ✓ KEK SuperKEK-B
- ✓ SLAC LCLS-II
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- ✓ Beijing High Energy Photon Source (HEPS)
- ✓ TRIUMF
- ✓ Spallation Neutron Source (SNS)
- ✓ JLab CEBAF
- ✓ JLab FEL
- ✓ Frascati linear accelerator
- ✓ Paris Synchrotron Soleil
- ✓ ... etc ...

Bmad Toolkits

How can Bmad simulate so many **different** things?
Compared to developing from scratch, the Bmad **toolkits** allow for the development of simulation programs

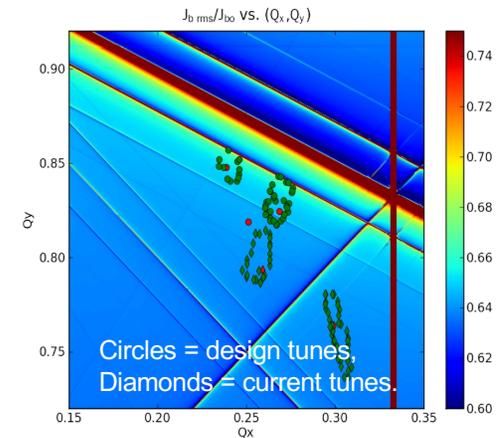
- ✓ In less time
- ✓ With fewer bugs (due to module reuse).
- ✓ Enable inter-program data communication (via common lattice and beam format, and other standardizations).
- ✓ Since programs are modular it is easier to adapt them to meet changing simulation needs



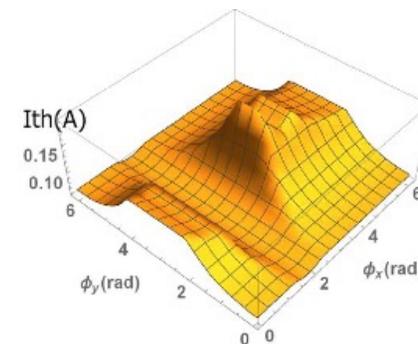
Bmad Programs

As a result of Bmad's **modular** structure, a number of simulation programs that use Bmad have been developed:

- ✓ Tao -- General purpose simulation program
- ✓ long_term_tracking -- Long term tracking program
- ✓ dynamic_aperture -- Dynamic aperture program
- ✓ CesrV -- Digital Twin for the Cornell CESR storage ring.
- ✓ CBETA-V -- Digital Twin for the Cornell/BNL CBETA ERL
- ✓ bbu -- RF cavity induced beam breakup instability
- ✓ synrad3d -- Synch X-rays tracking within a vac chamber.
- ✓ ibs_ring -- Intra beam scattering
- ✓ tune_scan -- Tune plane scan
- ✓ And many more...



Tune Scan for CESR Ring Upgrade

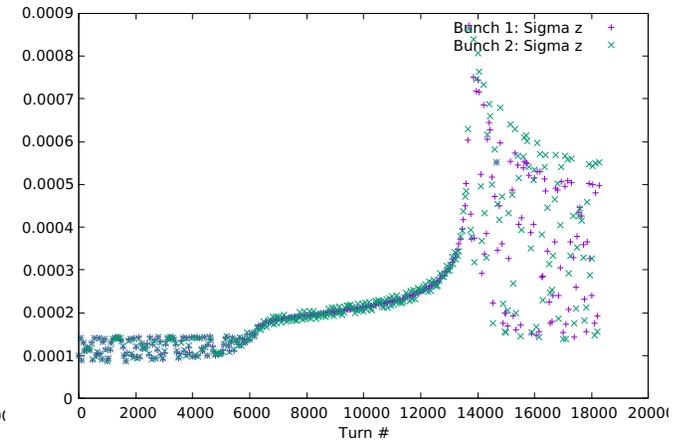
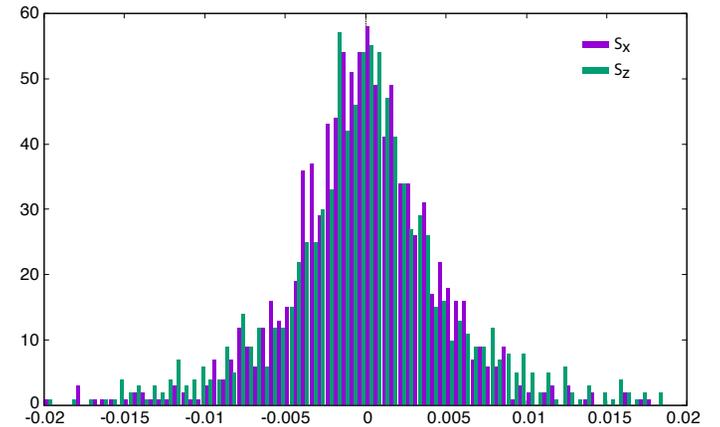
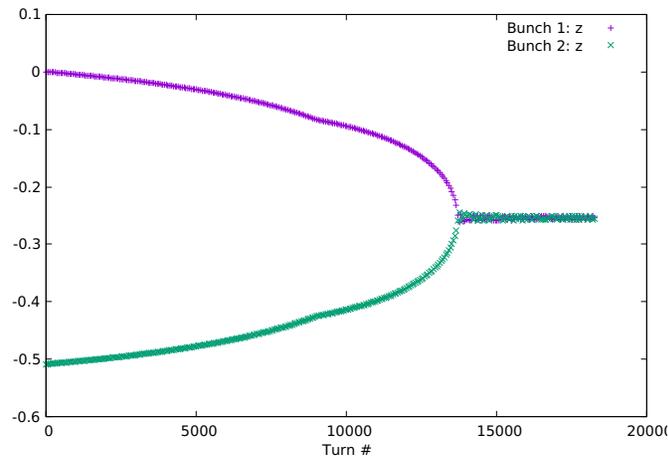
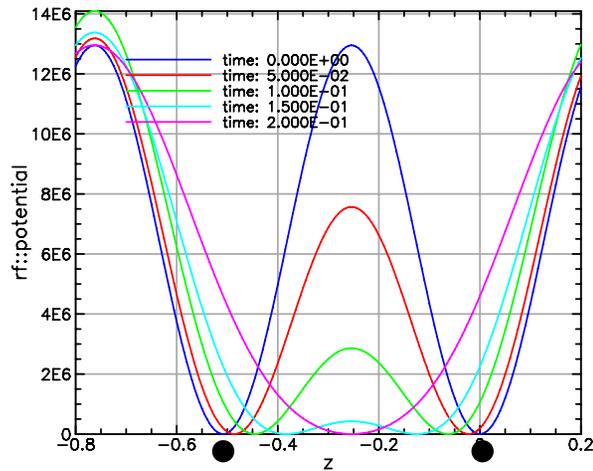


BBU threshold current for CBETA as a function of the phase advance between cavities.

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RCS Bunch Merging

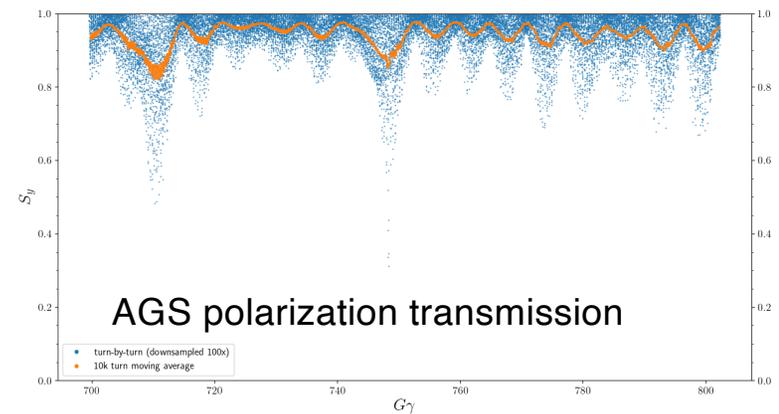
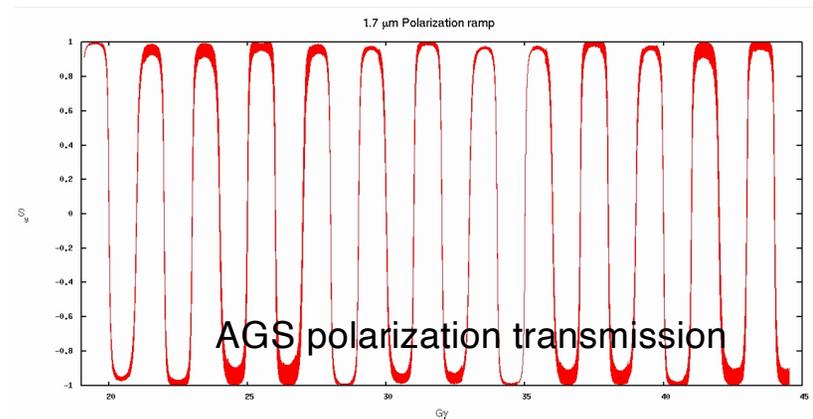
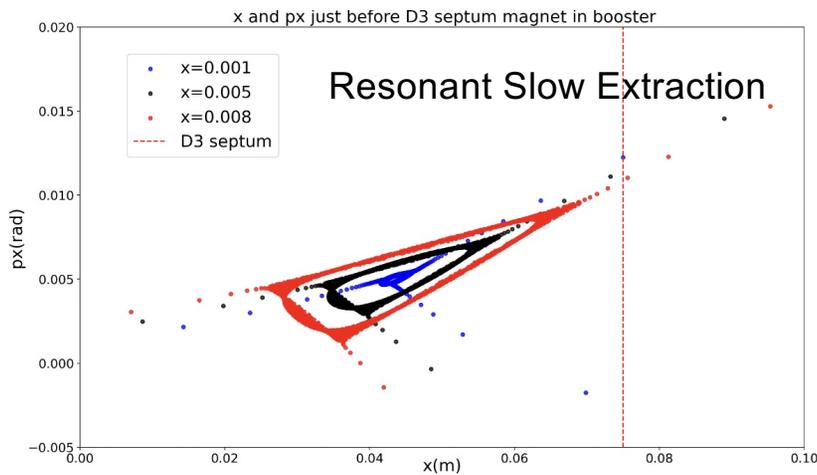
Bunch merging while ramping in the RCS.
Simulation includes spin tracking.



Slow Extraction and AGS Polarization

Bmad used for:

- Booster -> NSRL slow extraction
- AGS polarization transmission
 - Eiad Hamwi, Cornell

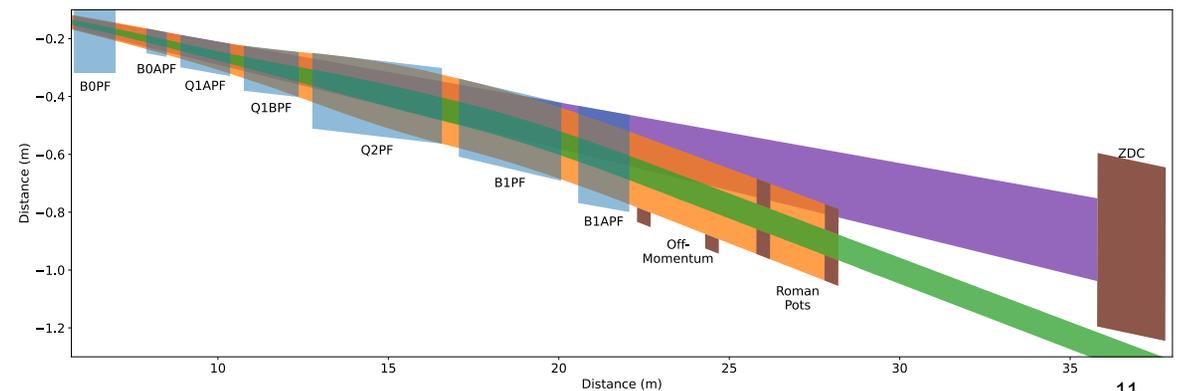
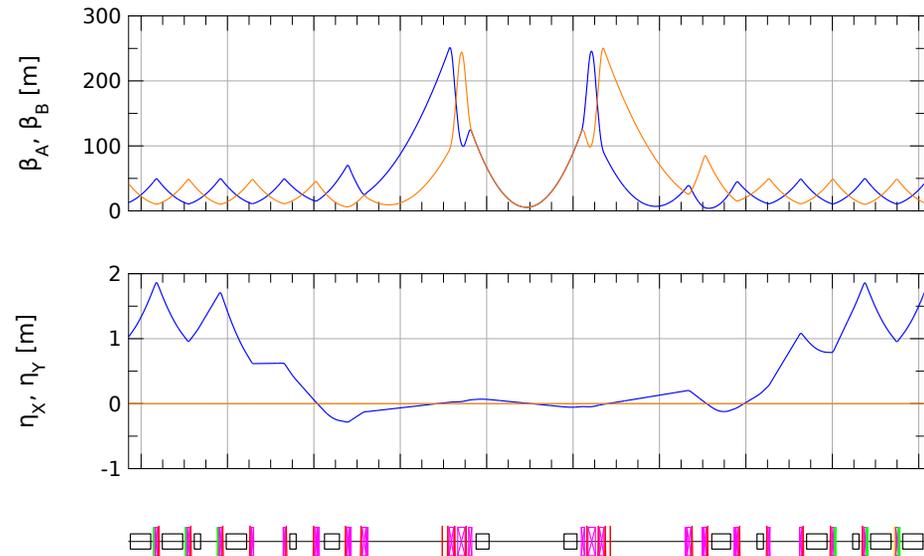


Lattice Design

Bmad used for:

- Interaction region design (ESR and HSR, layout, matching)
- HSR ring design
- Superbend calculations in the ESR (emittance and excursion vs. lengths of dipoles)

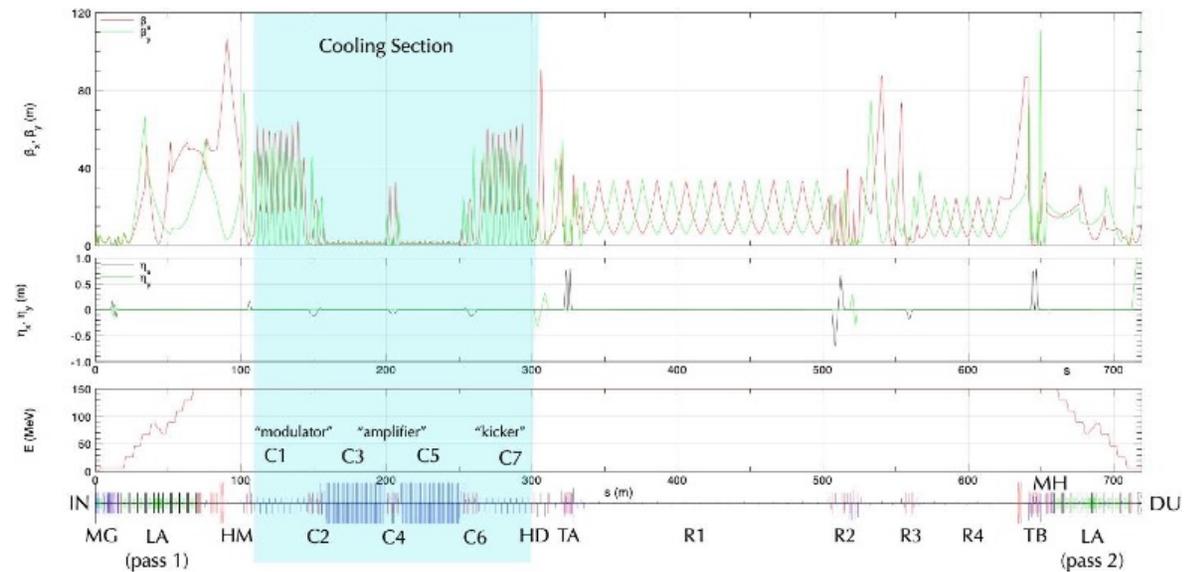
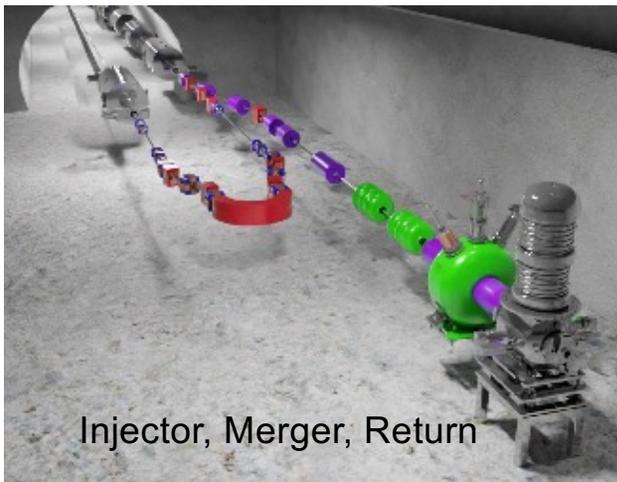
-- Scott Berg, BNL



ERL Cooler

- Bmad used extensively for Xelera's SBIR project (through Phase II) to design the EIC ERL cooler, including the pre-cooler.
- Bmad was used for the injector as well as the main lattice, including the ERL multipass optics and start-to-end simulations.

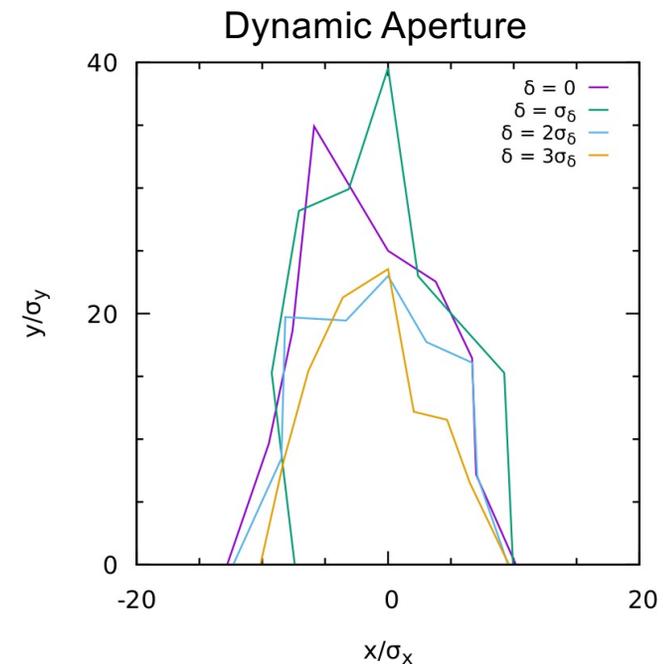
-- Chris Mayes, Xelera Research LLC.



Detector Solenoid Integration in the ESR and HSR

“Detector solenoid integration faces unique requirements at the EIC due to a large beam crossing angle and a tilt of the ESR plane. One has to simultaneously account for orbit excursion, transverse and longitudinal coupling, optics and polarization. Unlike most other codes, Bmad has the tools to consider and correct all of these aspects at the same time. These tools greatly simplify integration of correction elements, design optimization and visualization of the results.”

-- Vasiliy Morozov, ORNAL



SODOM-2

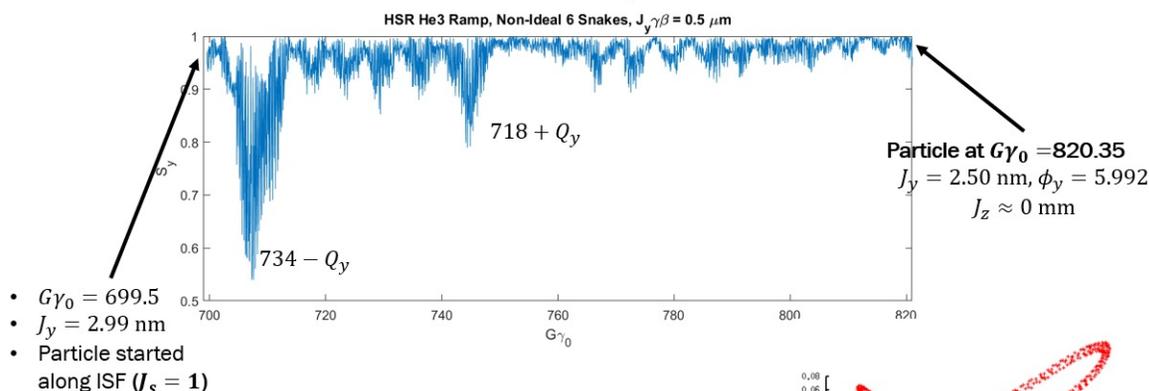
- “Last summer, major questions about hadron polarization loss during HSR ramp.
- In 1 week, used Bmad’s routines to implement an Invariant Spin Field (ISF) calculating program SODOM-2.
- Program easily interfaced with long_term_tracking to do ramping and observe polarization loss.
- **Program still used today for polarization calculations/tracking.”**

-- Matt Signorelli, Cornell

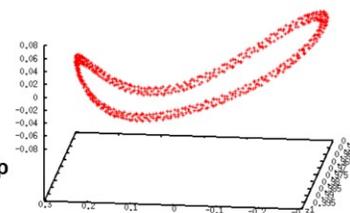


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Non-Ideal Snakes, $J_y\beta\gamma = 0.5 \mu\text{m}$



→ Use SODOM-2 to calculate $\hat{n}(\vec{\phi})$ for $J_y = 2.50 \text{ nm}$ at $G\gamma_0 = 820.35$:
 → Calculate $J_s = 0.999557 \rightarrow \sim 0.04\% \text{ change in spin action}$
 → essential no polarization loss observed through ramp



Matt Signorelli (mgs255@cornell.edu)

Helion Ramp Non-Ideal Snakes 22 August 2023

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Simple Bmad Program

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The *Bmad* Reference Manual

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Code Examples

```
~/Bmad/bmad_dist> ls code_examples/
```

```
CMakeLists.txt  
beam_track_example  
bmad_to_opal_example  
cmake_files  
cmake_template_scripts  
coarray_example  
construct_taylor_map  
csr_example  
dispersion_simulation  
em_field_query_example  
lapack_examples  
lattice_geometry_example  
mpi_mp  
multi_turn_tracking_example  
parallel_track_example  
particle_track_example  
plot_example  
production  
ptc_layout_example  
ptc_spin_orbital_normal_form  
searchf.namelist  
simple_bmad_program  
spin_amplitude_dependent_tune  
spin_matching
```

Sanity Check: accinfo

```
MacBook-Pro-3:~/Downloads/bta_lattice_2> accinfo
DIST_DEBUG=/Users/dcs16/Bmad/bmad-ecosystem/debug/bin
DIST_OS=Darwin
DIST_BUILD=TRUE
DIST_F90=gfortran
DIST_UTIL=/Users/dcs16/Bmad/bmad-ecosystem/util
DIST_BASE_DIR=/Users/dcs16/Bmad/bmad-ecosystem
DIST_ARCH=arm64
DIST_EXE=/Users/dcs16/Bmad/bmad-ecosystem/production/bin
DIST_F90_REQUEST=gfortran
DIST_OS_ARCH=Darwin_arm64
ACC_EXE=/Users/dcs16/Bmad/bmad-ecosystem/production/bin
ACC_CMAKE_VERSION=3.13.2
ACC_ENABLE_SHARED_ONLY=Y
... etc ...
```

Bmad manual 29.2 A First Program

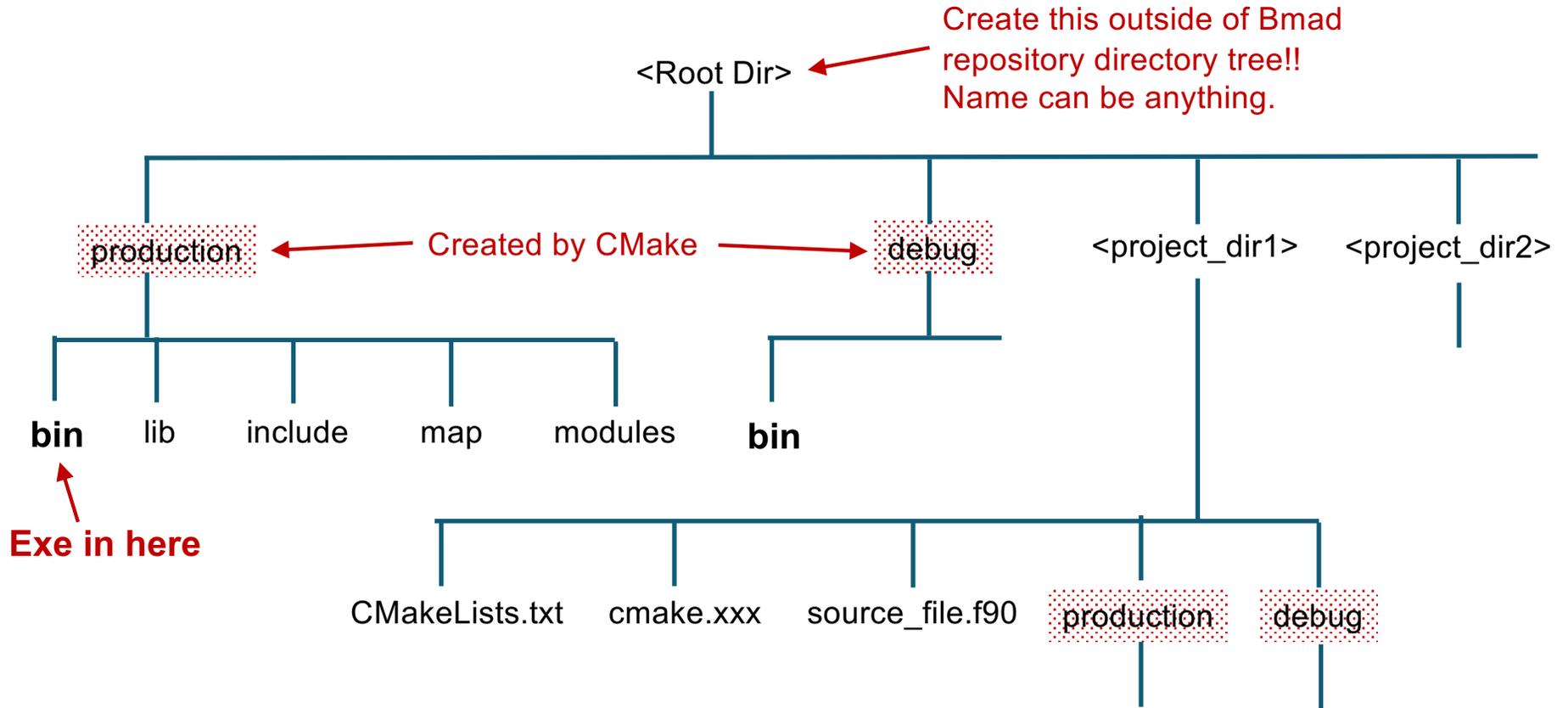
```
1  program test
2
3  use bmad                ! Define the structures we need to know about.
4  implicit none
5  type (lat_struct), target :: lat    ! This structure holds the lattice info
6  type (ele_struct), pointer :: ele, cleo
7  type (ele_pointer_struct), allocatable :: eles(:)
8  type (all_pointer_struct) a_ptr
9  integer i, ix, n_loc
10 logical err
11
12 ! Programs must implement "intelligent bookkeeping".
13 bmad_com%auto_bookkeeper = .false.
14
15 ! Read in a lattice, and modify the ks solenoid strength of "cleo_sol".
16
17 call bmad_parser ("lat.bmad", lat) ! Read in a lattice.
18
19 call lat_ele_locator ('CLEO_SOL', lat, eles, n_loc, err) ! Find element
20 cleo => eles(1)%ele                ! Point to cleo_sol element.
21 call pointer_to_attribute (cleo, "KS", .true., a_ptr, err) ! Point to KS attribute.
22 a_ptr%r = a_ptr%r + 0.001         ! Modify KS component.
23 call set_flags_for_changed_attribute (cleo, a_ptr%r)
24 call lattice_bookkeeper (lat)
25 call lat_make_mat6 (lat, cleo%ix_ele)      ! Remake transfer matrix
```

```

27  ! Calculate starting Twiss params if the lattice is closed,
28  ! and then propagate the Twiss parameters through the lattice.
29
30  if (lat%param%geometry == closed$) call twiss_at_start (lat)
31  call twiss_propagate_all (lat)      ! Propagate Twiss parameters
32
33  ! Print info on the first 11 elements
34
35  print *, " Ix  Name                Ele_type                S      Beta_a"
36  do i = 0, 10
37    ele => lat%ele(i)
38    print "(i4,2x,a16,2x,a,2f12.4)", i, ele%name, key_name(ele%key), ele%s, ele%a%beta
39  enddo
40
41  ! print information on the CLEO_SOL element.
42
43  print *
44  print *, "!-----"
45  print *, "! Information on element: CLEO_SOL"
46  print *
47  call type_ele (cleo, .false., 0, .false., 0, .true., lat)
48
49  deallocate (eles)
50
51  end program

```

Directory Setup for Custom Programs



Setup

1. Create `<root_dir>` directory and `<project_dir>` subdirectories.
2. Copy files from:
 `$DIST_BASE_DIR/code_examples/simple_bmad_program/`
to:
 `<project_dir>`

Files:

```
CMakeLists.txt  
README  
cmake.simple_bmad_program  
lat.bmad  
layout.bmad  
simple_bmad_program.f90
```

Cmake Build System



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CMakeLists.txt File

```
cmake_minimum_required(VERSION $ENV{ACC_CMAKE_VERSION})  
project(ACC)
```

```
set(EXE_SPECS  Can add to this list to  
create multiple exes  
  cmake.simple_bmad_program  
)
```

```
include($ENV{ACC_BUILD_SYSTEM}/Master.cmake)
```

cmake.simple_bmad_program File

```
set(EXENAME simple_bmad_program)
set (SRC_FILES ← Can glob
    simple_bmad_program.f90
)

set (LINK_LIBS
    bmad
    sim_utils
    ${ACC_BMAD_LINK_LIBS}
)
```

Compile Program

```
MacBook-Pro-3:~/Bmad/test/simple> mk
```

```
-- The C compiler identification is GNU 12.3.0
-- The CXX compiler identification is GNU 12.3.0
-- Checking whether C compiler has -isysroot
-- Checking whether C compiler has -isysroot - yes
-- Checking whether C compiler supports OSX deployment target flag
-- Checking whether C compiler supports OSX deployment target flag - yes
    ... etc., etc. ...
-- Build files have been written to: /Users/dcs16/Bmad/test/simple/production
[ 50%] Building Fortran object CMakeFiles/simple_bmad_program-exe.dir/simple_bmad_program.f90.o
[100%] Linking Fortran executable /Users/dcs16/Bmad/test/production/bin/simple_bmad_program
-macosx_version_min has been renamed to -macos_version_min
[100%] Built target simple_bmad_program-exe
```

```
/Users/dcs16/Bmad/test/simple/production Compile/Link time: 9.00sec
```

Run Program

```
MacBook-Pro-3:~/Bmad/test/simple> ../production/bin/simple_bmad_program
```

```
[INFO] bmad_parser:
```

```
  Parsing lattice file(s). This might take a minute or so...
```

```
[INFO] bmad_parser:
```

```
  Created new digested file
```

```
[MESSAGE | 2024-JUL-30 23:07:19] bmad_parser:
```

```
  Lattice parse time(min): 0.00
```

Ix	Name	Ele_type	S	Beta_a
0	BEGINNING	Beginning_Ele	0.0000	0.9379
1	IP_L0	Marker	0.0000	0.9379
2	CLEO_S0L#3	Solenoid	0.6223	1.3472
	... etc., etc. ...			
8	DET_01W	Marker	2.4934	28.5769
9	D004	Drift	2.9240	48.4524
10	Q01W	Quadrupole	3.8740	66.8800

Program Output Continued

!-----
! Information on element: CLEO_S0L

Element # 872

Element Name: CLEO_S0L

Key: Solenoid

S_start, S: 766.671421, 1.755000

Ref_time_start, Ref_time: 2.557341E-06, 5.854050E-09

Attribute values [Only non-zero values shown]:

1	L	=	3.5100000E+00 m	31	L_SOFT_EDGE	=	0.0000000E+00 m
3	R_SOLENOID	=	0.0000000E+00 m				
5	KS	=	-8.4023386E-02 1/m	49	BS_FIELD	=	-1.4823578E+00 T
10	FRINGE_TYPE	=	None (1)	11	FRINGE_AT	=	Both_Ends (3)
13	SPIN_FRINGE_ON	=	T (1)				
17	STATIC_LINEAR_MAP	=	F (0)				
47	PTC_CANONICAL_COORDS	=	T (1)				
53	P0C	=	5.2890000E+09 eV	BETA		=	1.0000000E+00

... etc., etc. ...

Other compile commands

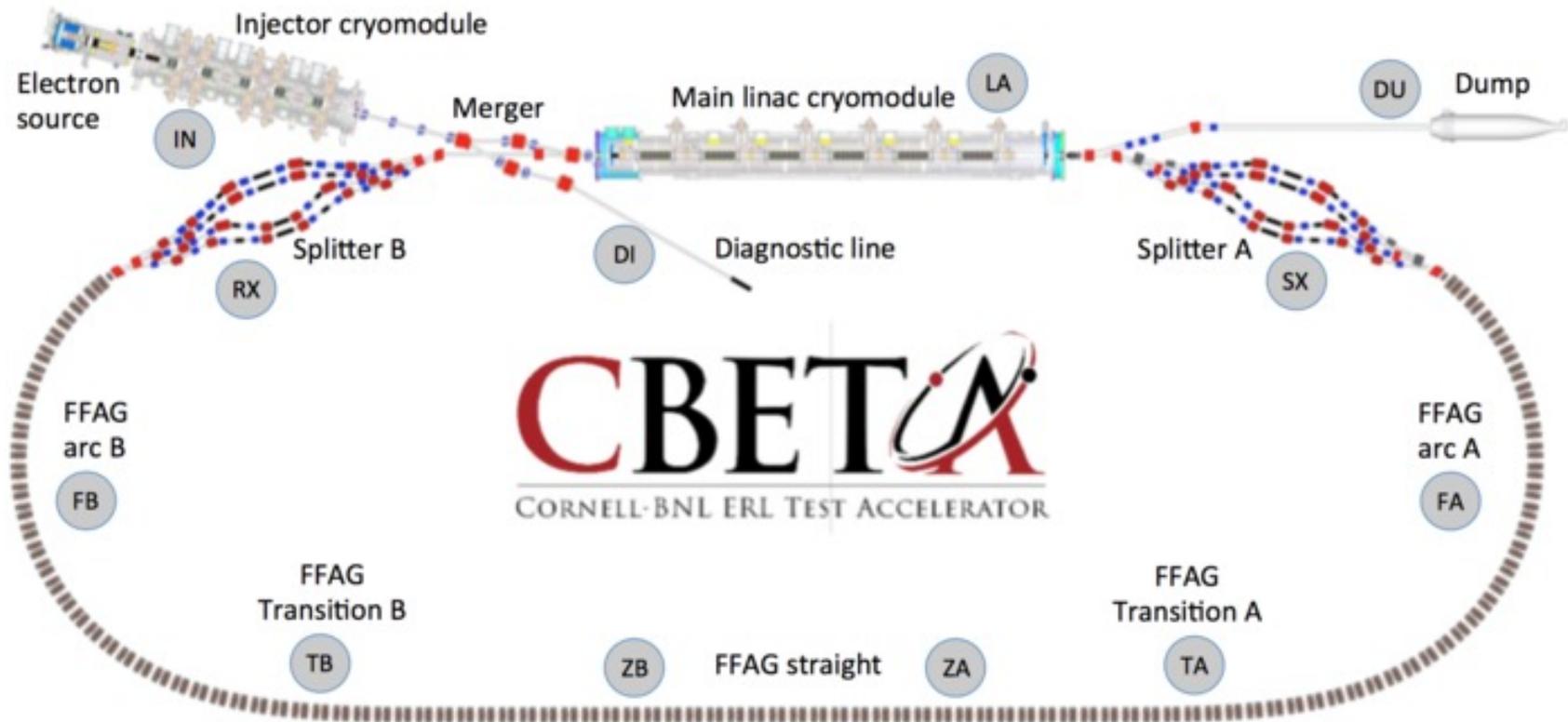
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mkd -- Compile debug version

mkd cleaner -- Remove intermediate debug files

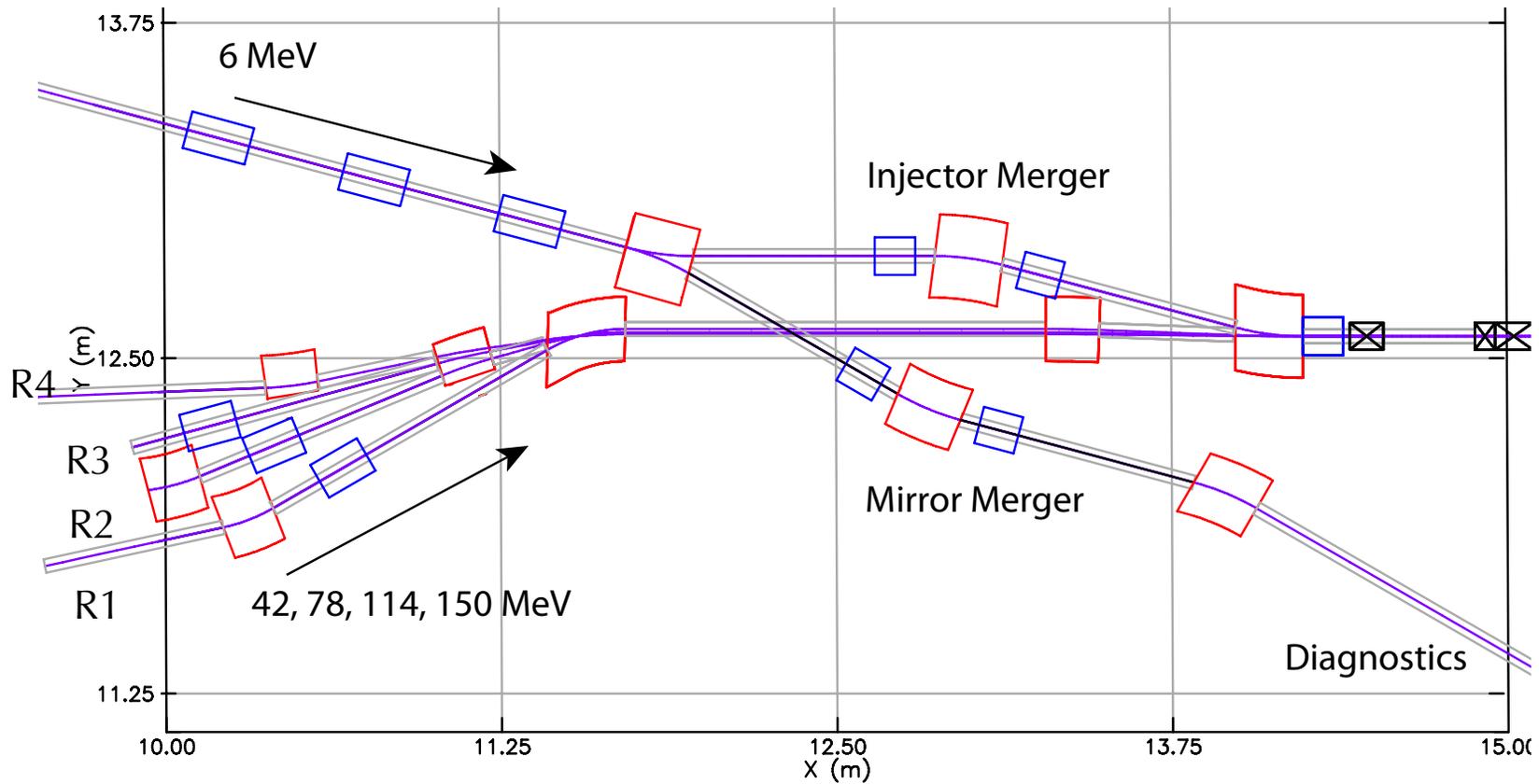
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Cornell-BNL CBETA Machine



CBETA
CORNELL-BNL ERL TEST ACCELERATOR

Cornell/BNL CBETA Machine Injection Region

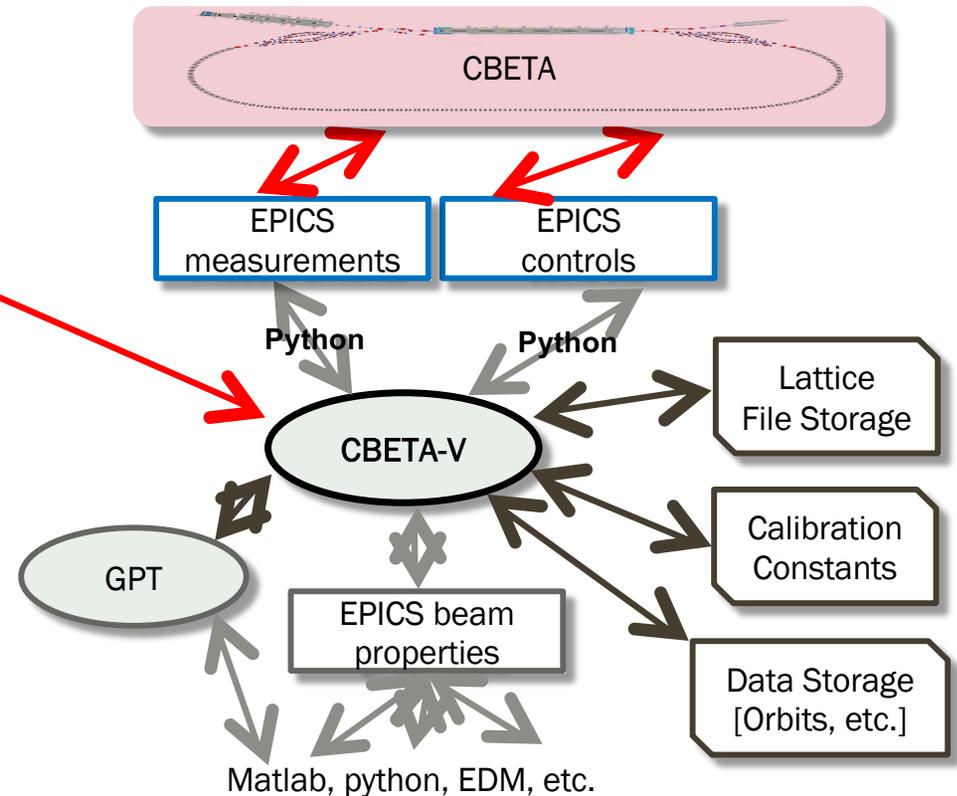


CBETA Control System Flow Chart

- **CBETA:** Cornell – Brookhaven ERL under development at Cornell.
- **CBETA-V:** Customized version of Tao for online modeling of CBETA.
- **CBETA-V/Tao** is used for:
 - Online modeling.
 - Offline modeling of online system.
 - Lattice design.

Bottom Line: Using Tao as a starting point for CBETA-V enabled the development of a flexible **digital twin** in less time and with fewer bugs.

Implementors: Colwyn Gulliford, Adam Bartnik, Scott Berg, David Sagan



[*For illustrative purposes only. Don't take this too seriously!]

Extending Tao to Model the NOvA Ring

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LINEAR MODELLING FROM BETATRON PHASE MEASUREMENTS AT THE FERMILAB RECYCLER NOvA RING*

M. Xiao[†], M-J. Yang, K. J. Hazelwood, R. Ainsworth

Setup and Run

1. Copy the files from:
 `$DIST_BASE_DIR/bmad-doc/tao_examples/custom_tao_with_measured_data`
to:
 `<project_dir2>`
2. `mk`
3. `../production/bin/ping_tao`

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Custom Routines

36.1 Custom and Hook Routines

Bmad calculations, like particle tracking through a lattice element, can be customized using what are called “custom” and “hook” routines. The general idea is that a programmer can implement custom code which is linked into a program and this custom code will be called at the appropriate time by *Bmad*.

```
!+  
! Subroutine track1_custom (orbit, ele, param, err_flag, finished, track)  
!  
! Prototype routine for custom tracking.  
!
```

Interface to C++ and Python

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C++ Interface

To ease the task of using *C++* routines with *Bmad*, there is a library called `cpp_bmad_interface` which implements a set of *C++* classes in one-to-one correspondence with the major *Bmad* structures. In addition to the *C++* classes, the *Bmad* library defines a set of conversion routines to transfer data values between the *Bmad* Fortran structures and the corresponding *C++* classes.

Python structure translation: In development with PyTao (Ken Lauer – XLight)

Thank You