

NONLINEAR SIMULATIONS OF THE FAST CORRECTOR MAGNETS FOR PETRA IV

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MOTIVATION



- Circular accelerators need dipole magnets to correct orbit distortions
- **PETRA IV**: ultra-low emittance synchrotron radiation source
- → Fast orbit feedback system, corrector magnets with frequencies in kHz range
- Strong eddy currents → power losses, time delay, and field distortion
- Simulation challenging due to small skin depths and laminated yoke
- → Need for technique to simplify simulations



HOMOGENIZATION

- Magnetoquasistatic PDE: $\nabla \times (\nu(\vec{r}) \nabla \times \underline{\vec{A}}(\vec{r})) + j\omega\sigma(\vec{r})\underline{\vec{A}}(\vec{r}) = \underline{\vec{J}}_{s}(\vec{r})$
- Replace reluctivity $v(\vec{r})$ and conductivity $\sigma(\vec{r})$ in the laminated yoke with spatially constant tensors





HOMOGENIZATION





- Simulation time reduced from several hours to just a few minutes!
- → After comparing to other techniques, we decided to use this technique to simulate the corrector magnets

LINEAR SIMULATION STUDIES











WITHOUT DC BIAS



- To incorporate non-linear BH-curves into simulations: combine homogenization technique and harmonic balance FEM (HBFEM)
- HBFEM is a technique to approximate periodic solutions of nonlinear transient PDEs in frequency domain
- Example: excitation current with 1st and 3rd harmonic, include field quantities up to 3rd harmonic

S. Yamada and K. Bessho (1988) H. De Gersem, H. Vande Sande, K. Hameyer (2001)

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THEORY



WITHOUT DC BIAS



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WITH DC BIAS



- Current signal of corrector magnet: DC current + oscillations → modify HBFEM method to include DC bias
- Again, we combine HBFEM with a homogenization technique

$$\nabla \times \left(\underline{\nu}(\omega) \circledast \nabla \times \underline{\vec{A}}(\omega)\right) + j\omega\sigma\underline{\vec{A}}(\omega) = \underline{\vec{J}}_{s}(\omega) \implies \nabla \times \left(\underline{\nu}_{d}(\omega) \circledast \nabla \times \underline{\vec{A}}(\omega)\right) + j\omega\sigma\underline{\vec{A}}(\omega) = \underline{\vec{J}}_{s}(\omega) - \nabla \times \underline{\vec{H}}_{c}(\omega)$$

chord reluctivity

differential reluctivity

magnetizing field strength







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TOY MODEL WITHOUT DC BIAS



- Simple inductor with laminated core, excitation current: $I_s(t) = 1.5 \text{ kA} \cos(2\pi 50 \text{Hz} t) + 0.24 \text{ kA} \cos(2\pi 150 \text{Hz} t)$
- Compare results of HBFEM + homogenization (GetDP + Python) to transient CST simulation with individually resolved laminations
- → Good agreement in magnetic flux density
- → Larger differences in magnetic field strength
- → Suspicion: differences in magnetic field strength are due to not having included enough harmonics

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VERIFICATION

TOY MODEL WITHOUT DC BIAS



- Include 5th harmonic in the analysis
- → Still good agreement in magnetic flux density, large differences in magnetic field strength vanish
- → Decent agreement in magnetic energy

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VERIFICATION

TOY MODEL WITH DC BIAS



- Excitation current: $I_s(t) = 750A + 120A\cos(2\pi 50 \text{Hz } t)$
- Comparison to transient CST simulation of toy model:
 - Very good agreement in magnetic energy in the core
 - Decent agreement in magnetic flux densities at individual points inside the core (average rel. error 3.7 %)



VERIFICATION

C-DIPOLE WITHOUT DC BIAS



- Excitation current for both coils: $I_s(t) = 2.5 \text{ kA} \cos(2\pi 50 \text{Hz} t)$
- Agreement in **aperture field** and **magnetic energy** in the yoke
- Eddy current losses well approximated: 1.36 W with Hom. HBFEM vs. 1.32 W with CST
 → 3 % relative error
- Higher order finite elements* to achieve good approximation of losses and energy



 $t \, [ms]$

*J.P. Webb and B. Forghani, "Hierarchal Scalar and Vector Tetrahedra", 1993

100



C-DIPOLE WITHOUT DC BIAS

- Compute eddy current losses up to *f* = 65 kHz
 → Scaling behavior as expected from theory*
 → Good agreement with CST results up to *f* ≈ 1 kHz
- Reason for differences between Hom. HBFEM and CST: At higher frequencies, CST results are mesh-dependent, Hom. HBFEM results have converged
- Hom. HBFEM reduces simulation time for nonlinear simulations in kilohertz range from days to hours



 $4\,\mathrm{h}$

Sim. time

 $16\,\mathrm{d}$





* R. L. Stoll, *The Analysis of Eddy Currents.* 1974. J. Lammeraner and M. Štafl, *Eddy Currents.* 1966.

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 $7\,\mathrm{min}$







APPLICATION

NONLINEAR SIMULATION OF THE CORRECTOR MAGNET

- Simulate model of prototype with Hom. HBFEM
- Yoke material:
 - Powercore 1400AP
 - $\sigma = 5.814 \frac{\text{MS}}{\text{m}}$
 - 1 mm laminations, stacking factor $\gamma \approx 0.985$
- Main coils 975 At, auxiliary coils 405 At

0

5

10

 $H [\mathrm{kA} \,\mathrm{m}^{-1}]$

15

20

25



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BH-curve of Powercore 1400AP

0

2

1.5

0.5

B[T]



NONLINEAR SIMULATION OF THE CORRECTOR MAGNET

<i>f</i> (Hz)	linear		nonlinear	
	B _{int} (mTm)	$arphi_{ ext{center}}$ (deg.)	B _{int} (mTm)	$arphi_{ ext{center}}$ (deg.)
10	11.7	-0.1	11.4	0.0
1000	10.0	-6.8	10.0	-8.0
5000	7.9	-13.0	7.2	-16.1
10000	6.9	-16.3	5.8	-20.2
65000	4.2	-25.4	2.7	-31.8

- Effect of nonlinearity more significant at higher frequency → smaller integrated flux density, greater phase shift
- This is due to interplay of eddy currents/skin
 effect and nonlinearity





NONLINEAR SIMULATION OF THE CORRECTOR MAGNET



MAGNETIC FIELD IN ONE LAMINATION

$$\frac{d^2\underline{H}(z)}{dz^2} = j\omega\sigma\mu \,\underline{H}(z) \Rightarrow \underline{H}(z) = H_0 \frac{\cosh((1+j)\frac{z}{\delta})}{\cosh((1+j)\frac{d}{2\delta})}$$
Skin depth $\delta = \sqrt{2/\omega\sigma_c\mu_c}$



Vertical Field Along the Axis, $f = 10 \, \text{kHz}$

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Mag. Field Strength in a 0.3 mm Lamination





 $z \, [\mathrm{mm}]$



- Skin effect results in non-uniform field across laminations
 - ➔ Non-uniform reluctivity
 - → Considering nonlinearity becomes more important
- Importance of skin effect depends on ratio $\frac{d}{\delta}$
 - → Thinner lamination decreases impact of nonlinearity

NONLINEAR SIMULATION OF THE CORRECTOR MAGNET



Eddy Current Losses in the Yoke, d = 1 mm



- At low frequencies, losses are quite similar to the linear case
- With increasing frequency, differences increase
- Keep in mind: in reality currents will decrease at higher frequencies, here they are kept constant

f(Uz)	Eddy Current Losses (W)		
J (112)	linear	nonlinear	
10	1.5	1.5	
100	$5.9\cdot 10^1$	$6.8\cdot10^{1}$	
500	$9.2\cdot10^2$	$2.0 \cdot 10^{3}$	
1000	$2.2 \cdot 10^3$	$6.7 \cdot 10^3$	
2000	$4.7\cdot 10^3$	$2.0\cdot 10^4$	
5000	$1.3\cdot 10^4$	$7.5\cdot 10^4$	
7000	$1.8\cdot 10^4$	$1.2\cdot 10^5$	
10000	$2.6\cdot 10^4$	$1.7\cdot 10^5$	
30000	$7.4\cdot 10^4$	$7.5\cdot 10^5$	
65000	$1.5 \cdot 10^{5}$	$2.1 \cdot 10^{6}$	





CONCLUSION

METHOD

- Dedicated method to enable nonlinear simulation of fast corrector magnets
 - → Implemented in getDP and python
 - → Combines homogenization techniques with HBFEM
 - → Several examples tested for verification

RESULTS

- First simulations of prototype magnet
 - → effect of nonlinearity significant at higher frequencies
 - → smaller integrated fields, greater phase shift, increased losses
 - → smaller lamination thickness would decrease effect of nonlinearity
- Interplay between eddy currents, skin effect, and nonlinearity
 - ➔ importance of nonlinearity depends not just on applied field
 - ➔ further investigation necessary









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