

# Polarized Beams: A Brief History and Future Prospects

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# Milestones of Polarized Beams History

## I. Foundations and problems

- *Polarization sources*
- Thomas – BMT spin equations
- Spin in conventional rings
- Compensated spin rotators
- Resonance depolarization
- Crossing the spin resonances
- ZGS + AGS proton spin acceleration
- BST radiative polarization
- Orlov' depolarization

## II. Polarization canonical theory

### III. Siberian Snakes

- SS idea and demonstration
- SS techniques
- SS utilization and success in RHIC
- Multiple SS for SSC

## IV. Spin-compensated quads

## V. Figure 8 synchrotron

## VI. Polarized EIC

- Fixed orbit e-spin rotator and snake

## VII. Future polarized beams

- Polarized LHC?
- **Polarization ideas for CEPC:**

*Snakes*

*Bending snakes*

*Achromatic snakes*

*Flipping spin rotators*

- **Polarization ideas for 75 TeV PPC**

*Many snakes*

*Spin-compensated quads*

# Thomas – BMT spin equation

$$\vec{\mu} = \frac{e}{mc} (1 + G) \vec{S} = \frac{e\hbar}{2mc} (1 + G) \vec{\sigma}$$

*With EM field in terms of rest frame (L. Thomas, 1925):*

- $$\frac{d\vec{S}}{dt} = \vec{\Omega} \times \vec{S}; \quad \vec{\Omega} = -\frac{e}{\gamma m} \left[ \underbrace{(1 + G) \vec{B}_{rest}}_{\text{magnetic part}} + \underbrace{\frac{\gamma}{\gamma+1} \vec{v} \times \vec{E}_{rest}}_{\text{Thomas' precession}} \right]$$

*With EM field in terms of the lab frame:*

- $$\frac{d\vec{S}}{dt} = \frac{e}{m} \vec{S} \times \left[ \left( \frac{1}{\gamma} + G \right) \vec{B}_{\perp} + \frac{1}{\gamma} (1 + G) \vec{B}_{\parallel} + \left( \frac{1}{\gamma+1} + G \right) \vec{E} \times \vec{v} \right].$$

*/re-derived by Bargmann-Mishel-Telegdi (1956) on the background of the 4-fold covariant method and correspondence/*

# Polarized $e^\pm$ beams

# Polarized $e^\pm$ sources and transport scenario options

## *Electrons*

### **Option I: Use Polarized e-gun (electrons only...)**

- Stacking and accelerating for injection to collider ring
- Acceleration and maintenance of PEB in the Collider Ring

### **Option II: BST polarization in the Collider Ring at injection energy *applying wigglers***

- Acceleration and Luminosity run at wigglers off

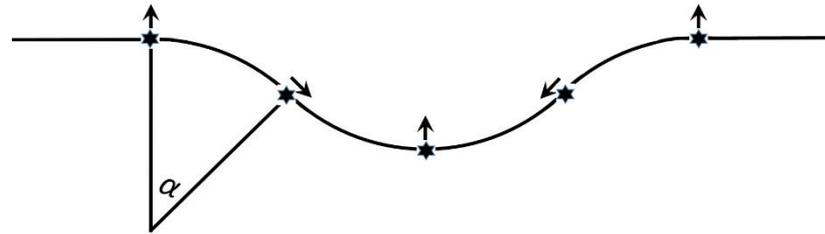
## *Positrons*

- Produce and stack unpolarized positrons
- BST polarization in the Collider Ring at injection energy *applying wigglers*
- Acceleration and Luminosity run at wigglers off

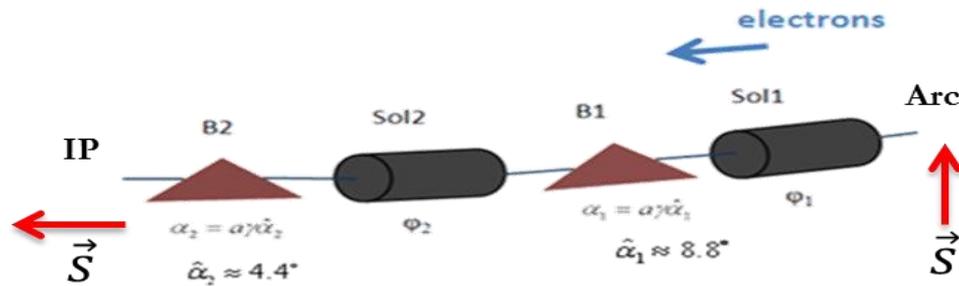
**Need Siberian Snakes (and spin rotators) for both...**

# Spin Rotators

- Simple bend



- Elements : dipoles (vertical and radial bends)+ solenoids
- Fixed orbit non-commutative spin rotator of EIC



# Spin Rotators for CEPC.1.

## Fixed orbit SR on dipoles and solenoids for CEPC

$$(S_y = 1) \quad \boxed{\alpha_{x1}} \quad \boxed{\alpha_{y1}} \quad \boxed{\varphi_{z1}} \quad \boxed{\alpha_{x2} - \alpha_{x1}} \quad \boxed{\alpha_{y2}} \quad \boxed{\varphi_{z2}} \quad \boxed{-\alpha_{x2}} \quad (S_z = 1)$$

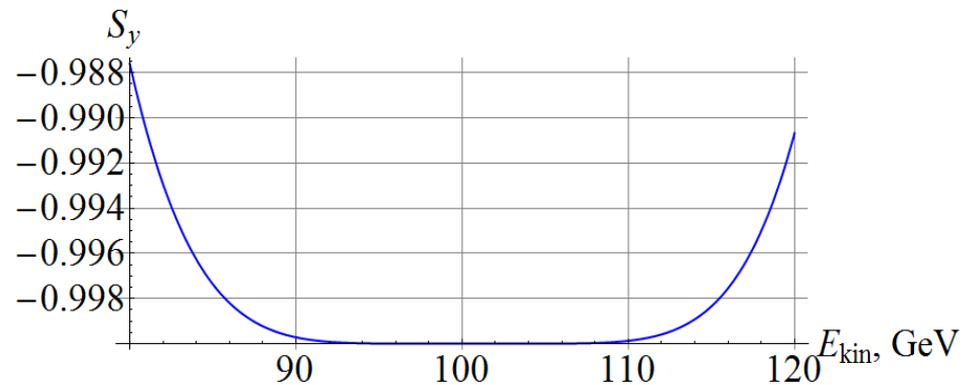
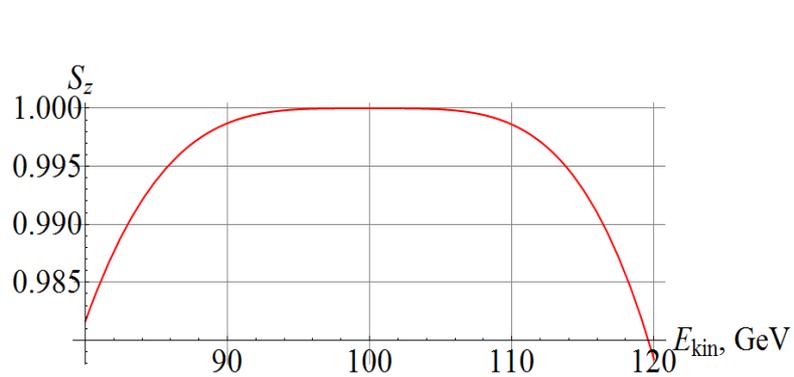
**Рис. 9.** Комбинированный ахроматический спиновый ротатор на поперечных полях с двумя соленоидами, переводящий вертикальное направление поляризации в продольное.

Максимальный интеграл поля в каждом из соленоидов составит примерно 35 и 60 Т·м, что при максимальном поле в соленоидах 5 Т потребует 7 и 12 м, соответственно.

# Spin Rotators for CEPC. 2.

## Achromatic Rotator on transverse fields

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# Spin dynamics canonical theory

- Quasi-classical Spin Hamiltonian
- Spin action  $s_n$  and phase  $\Psi$
- $s_n = \vec{n}(\vec{p}, \vec{r}, \varphi) \vec{s} = inv;$
- Form  $\vec{n}(\vec{p}, \vec{r}, \varphi)$  on definition satisfies same TBMT equation as spin vector
- Spin dispersion function (SDF)  $\gamma \frac{\partial \vec{n}}{\partial \gamma}$  characterizes spin sensitivity to particle energy
- A theorem proved::

**On a periodic orbit, there is a unique periodic solution:  $\vec{n}_0(z) = \vec{n}_0(z + C)$  and two (arbitrary chosen) “free” orthogonal to  $\vec{n}_0$ . Their arbitrary vector superposition describes general spin motion on the orbit... which is:**

**Spin precession around  $\vec{n}_0(z)$  with a global spin tune  $\nu_0$ .**

Deviation of  $\vec{n}(\vec{p}, \vec{r}, \varphi)$  from  $\vec{n}_0(z)$  becomes large near resonances  $\nu_0 = \nu_k$ , where  $\nu_k$  is a harmonic of the orbital motion.

# Radiative polarization/depolarization of $e^\pm$

- Bagrov-Sokolov-Ternov polarization:

$$\tau_{bst}^{-1} = \frac{5\sqrt{3}}{8} \frac{r_e \gamma^5 \hbar}{m_e |\rho|^3} \propto \gamma^2 B^3 ; \quad P_{bst} \Rightarrow \frac{8}{5\sqrt{3}}$$

- Orlov-Baier - D-K radiative depolarization rate:  $\propto (\gamma \frac{\partial \hat{n}}{\partial \gamma})^2$
- Polarization rate:

$$\tau_{dk}^{-1} = \frac{5\sqrt{3}}{8} \frac{r_e \gamma^5 \hbar}{m_e c} \oint ds \left\langle \frac{1 - \frac{2}{9}(\hat{n} \cdot \hat{v})^2 + \frac{11}{18}(\gamma \frac{\partial \hat{n}}{\partial \gamma})^2}{|\rho(s)|^3} \right\rangle_s,$$

- Equilibrium polarization:

$$P_{dk} \Rightarrow -\frac{8}{5\sqrt{3}} \frac{\oint ds \left\langle \frac{1}{|\rho(s)|^3} \hat{b} \cdot (\hat{n} - \gamma \frac{\partial \hat{n}}{\partial \gamma}) \right\rangle_s}{\oint ds \left\langle \frac{1}{|\rho(s)|^3} \left[ 1 - \frac{2}{9}(\hat{n} \cdot \hat{s})^2 + \frac{11}{18} \left( \gamma \frac{\partial \hat{n}}{\partial \gamma} \right)^2 \right] \right\rangle_s}$$

# Spin Resonances

# Problems with polarization in conventional rings

- Spin precession in vertical field:  $\frac{d\Psi}{dz} = (1 + \gamma G) \frac{d\alpha}{dz}$
- On real trajectory:  $\vec{\Omega} = (\Omega_y ; \vec{\Omega}_h)$
- Spin tune in vertical field:  $\nu_{sp} = \gamma G$  (i.e. number of spin horizontal turns... over the orbit)
- Spin resonances take place at  $\gamma G \approx k$ ;  $kN \pm k_x \nu_x \pm k_y \nu_y \pm k_s \nu_s$
- ...and depolarization happens:  $\frac{dS_h}{dt} - i\Omega_y S_h = i\Omega_{hk} S_y$
- About more than  $\gamma G$  resonances to be crossed at acceleration...  
... a huge problem!
- Coherent spin maintenance during the luminosity run is other big problem...
- Radiative depolarization grows rapidly with energy due to the increasing of the spin tune spread

# Spin resonance Crossing Culture

## *Backup slides*

- Fast crossing
- Adiabatic crossing
- Froissart-Stora process
- RF crossing
- Kondratenko' transparent crossing

# ZGS + AGS proton spin acceleration

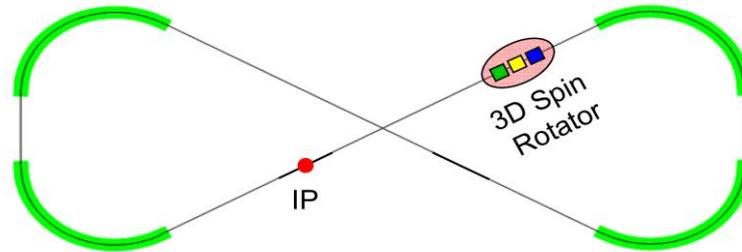
## *Backup slides*

- Acceleration of polarized proton beam
- 12 GeV of ZGS (A. Krisch group in 70<sup>th</sup>)
- 24 GeV AGS (A. Krisch with collaborators in 80<sup>th</sup>)

# Spin Echo: Twisted Spin and Siberian Snakes

# Spin Techniques 1

## Twisted Spin Synchrotron: *Spin Echo*



- Figure 8 synchrotron (booster or storage ring)
- Topological compensation for global spin precession
- TSS is the best solution for acceleration in boosters

However, degenerated spin dynamics is unstable...

- Stabilization by solenoid (or small spin rotators)
- TSS is solution for polarized d acceleration/maintenance in collider rings (EIC)
- TSS is a unique solution for acceleration and maintenance of polarized deuterons... !

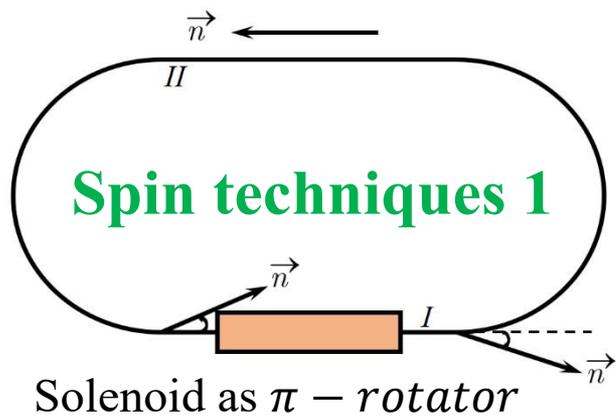
# “Siberian Snakes”: making *Spin Echo* in racetracks...

**Cancellation idea** of spin global precession over the racetrack orbit:

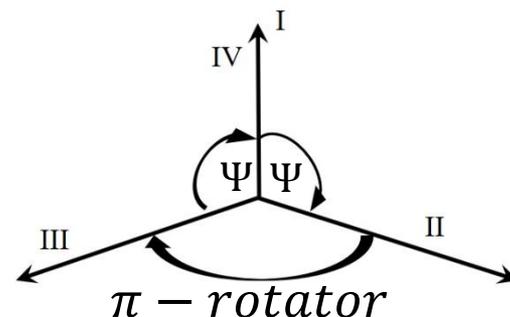
instead of reversing the arcs, let us make **reverse of spin**...!

by inserting local spin flip about a horizontal axis

## Topological compensation of spin precession over arcs



*Spin echo* effect is obviously extendable to any  $\pi$ -rotator around **an arbitrary horizontal axis**



There is a unique periodic solution:  $\vec{n}(z) = \vec{n}(z + C)$

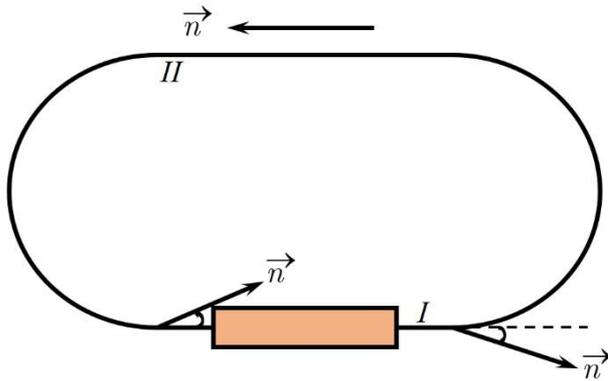
and two (arbitrary chosen) “semi-periodic” orthogonal to  $\vec{n}$ :  $\vec{\eta}(z) = -\vec{\eta}(z + C)$

Their arbitrary vector superposition describes general spin motion at a flat orbit which is:

**spin precession around  $\vec{n}(z)$  with global spin tune equal  $1/2$  independent of the beam energy (!)**

# SS technology 1

To insert solenoid is, in principle, the simplest way to utilize local spin flip around a horizontal (longitudinal) axis



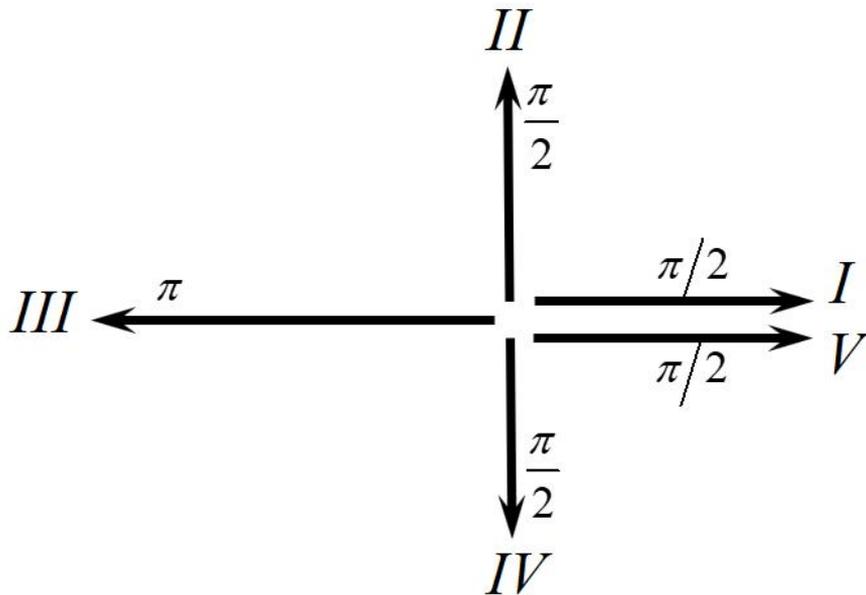
Solenoid as  $\pi$  - rotator

It takes compensation for  $x$  to  $y$  coupling  
Demonstrated at IUCF  
(A. Krisch and T. Roser, 1989)

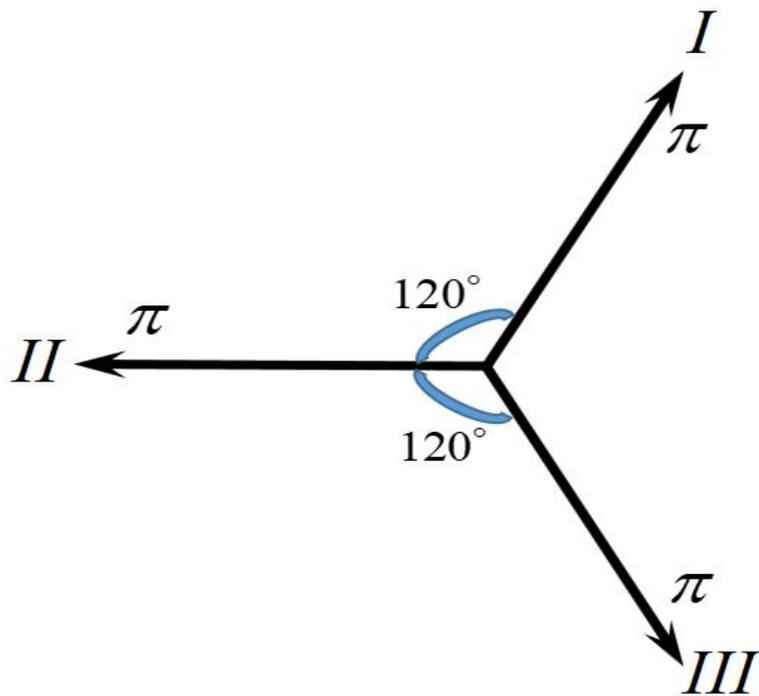
- SS technology 1
- However, use solenoid is impractical at high energies

# Spin Techniques 3

"Longitudinal" SS on transverse fields  
Takes 16 TM for protons



# Spin techniques 4



"Radial" SS on transverse fields  
Takes 16 TM for protons

# Spin techniques 5

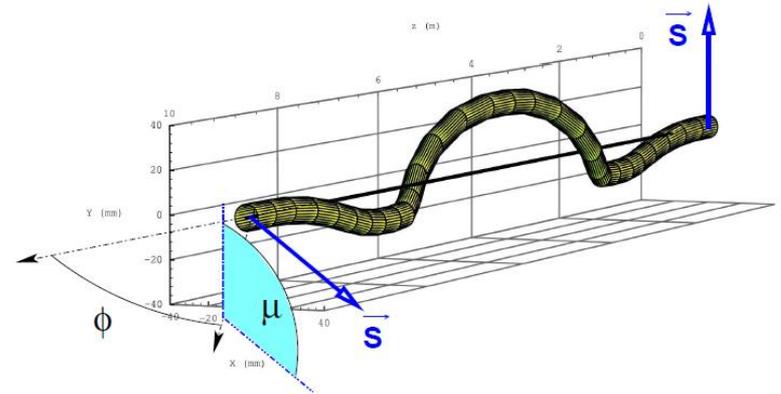
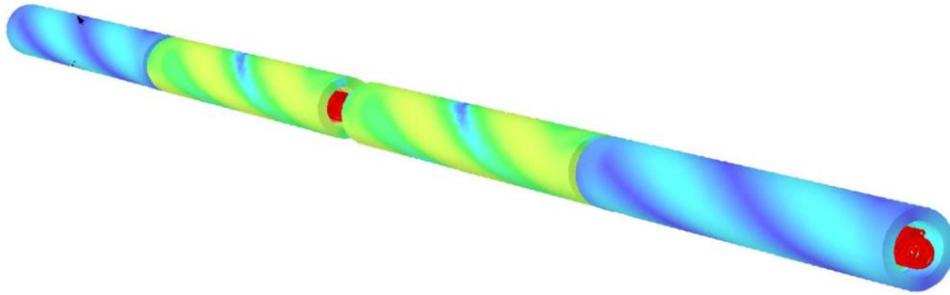
Helical snakes (1978)

Helical snakes for RHIC

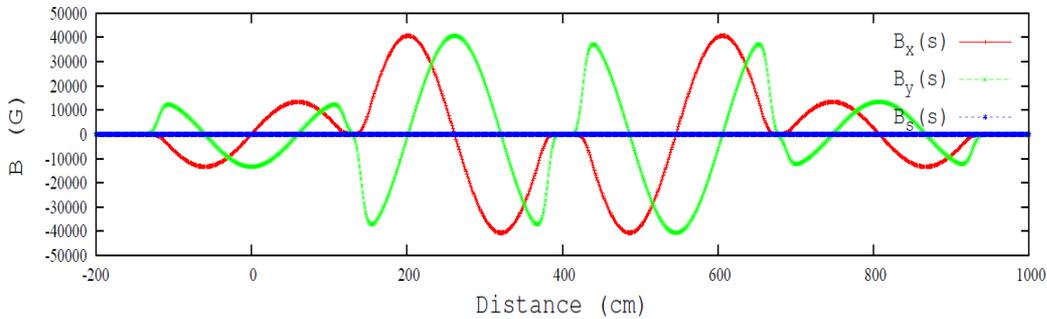
Helical snake design for MI of FNAL

# SS technology 2

## SS utilization and success in RHIC

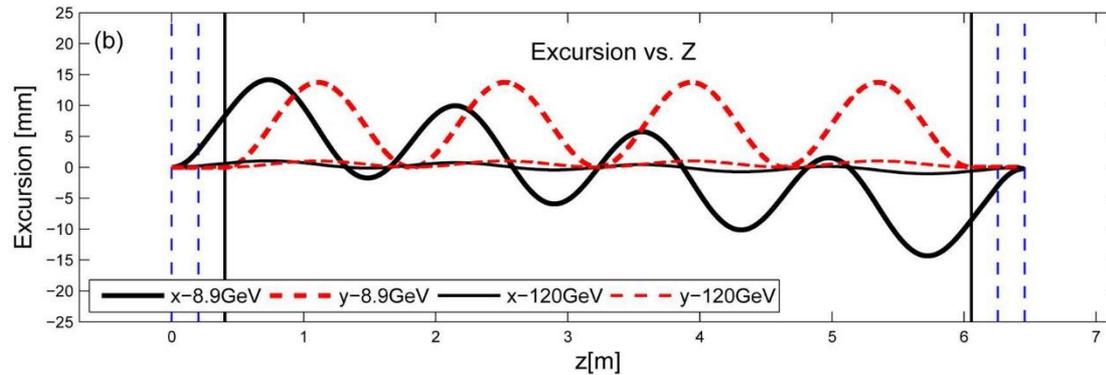
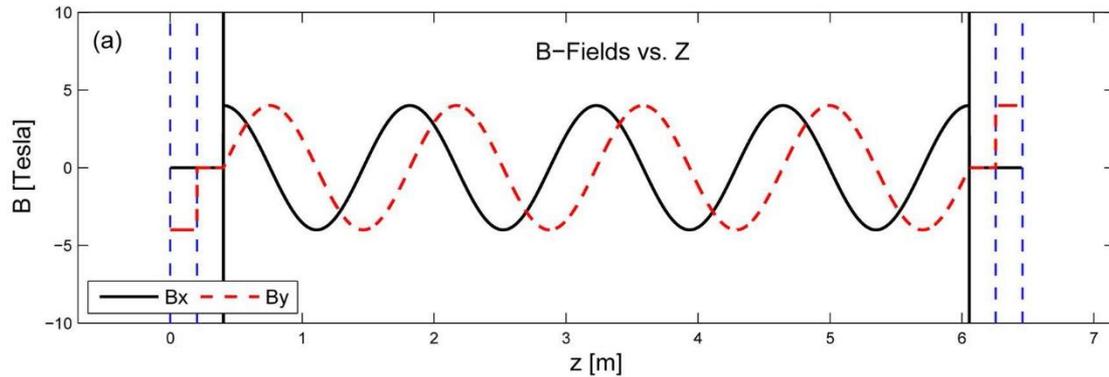


Field along snake axis, 100 322 Amp setting



# SS technology 3

## Helical snake design for MI of FNAL



# From single to two or more SS in a ring

Why two snakes ?

- It may be convenient to have stable spin vertical in arcs
- At very high energies single snake in a ring may not be sufficient to remove (suppress) resonance perturbations
- In case of high energy  $e^{\pm}$  , BST polarization can be killed by high sensitivity of the horizontal periodic spin to energy in arcs

# Spin Techniques 6

## Spin in a ring with two SS

With two snakes in a ring, periodical spin returns to be vertical in arcs  
(but with inter-flipping polarity)

- However, at two *identical symmetrically located* snakes spin motion becomes degenerated... - *equivalent to TSS* !

**There are two possible ways to remove degeneration:**

1. Degeneration can be easily alleviated by a slight asymmetry in snakes location
2. There is no degeneration at all when two symmetrically located snakes distinguish in their axes direction relative the beam velocity:

at angle  $\varphi$  between two snake' axes, global spin tune is equal to  $\nu = \frac{\varphi}{\pi}$

- **Spin Echo** arrives thank to designed equity of the precession phases between snakes

What is achieved:

1. No spin resonances, no crossing them
2. Spin phase divergence still cancelled. No resonance quantum depolarization of  $e^{\pm}$
3. Chromaticity of stable spin in arcs is avoided

Issue: Intrinsic BST polarization is cancelled...but it can be return by wigglers.

# Spin techniques 7

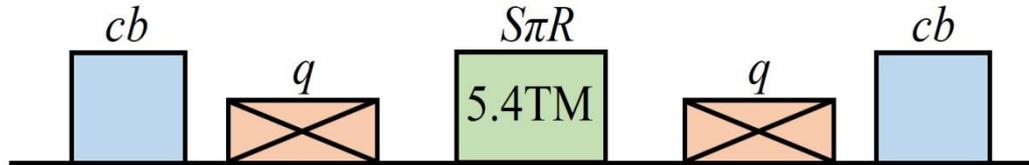
**Multiple SS for High Energy hadron rings**

**26 pair of snakes for 20 TeV SSC**

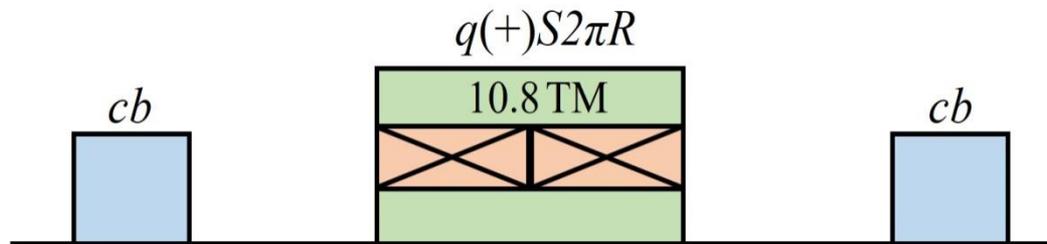
**6 snakes for RHIC 300 GeV**

# Spin Techniques 8

Spin-compensated quads for very HE HC (1990) [A. Chao and Y.D.]



Split quadrupole with simple  $\pi$  rotator in between  
 $cb$  – correcting bends

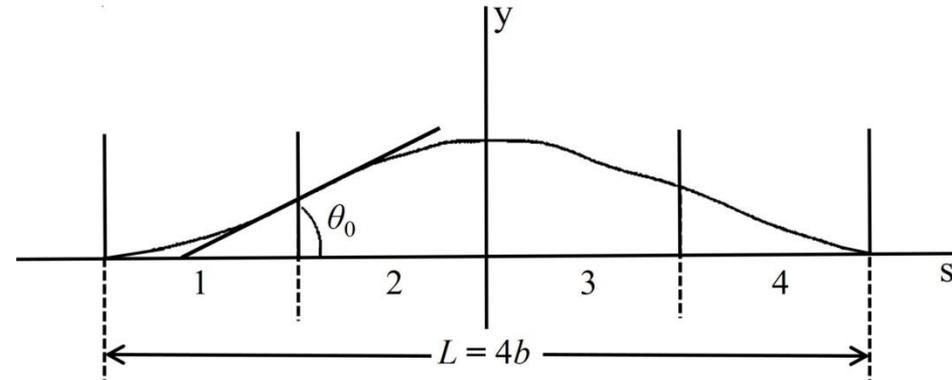
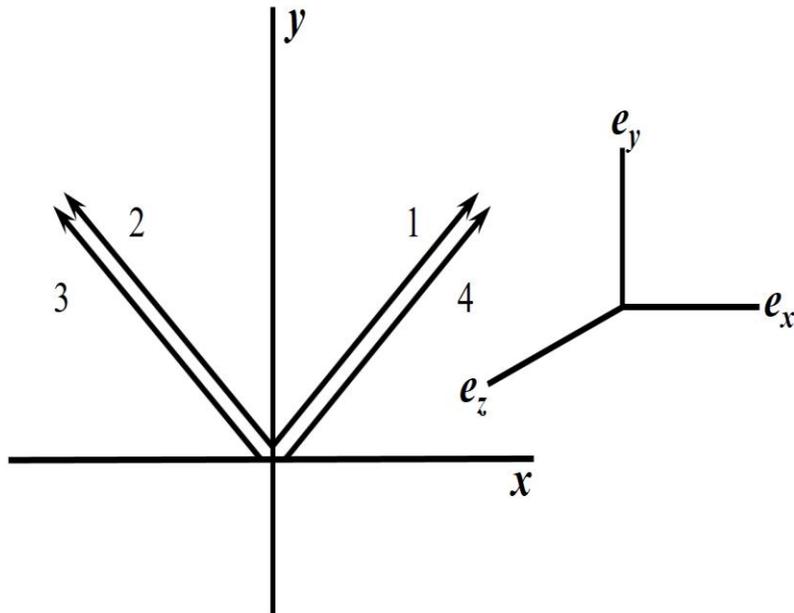


Quad combined with  $2\pi$  rotator along

**Two “normal” SS installed in HE ring can then provide acceleration of polarized protons in range of about 1000 TeV (!)**

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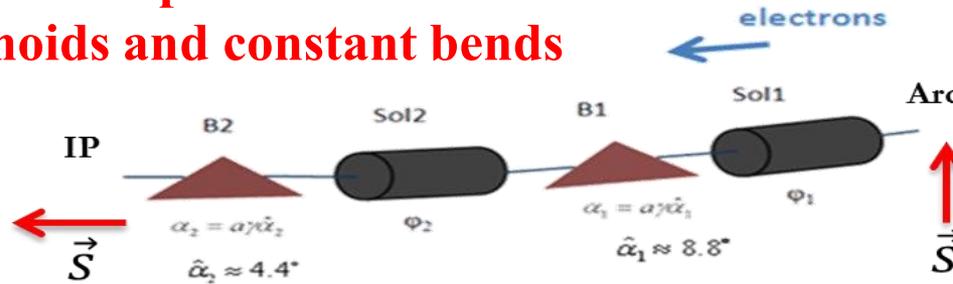
## Bending Rotators and Snakes on tilted dipoles (1995)



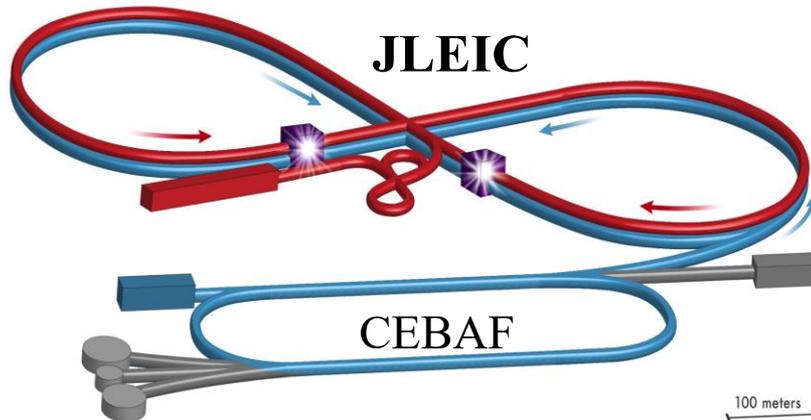
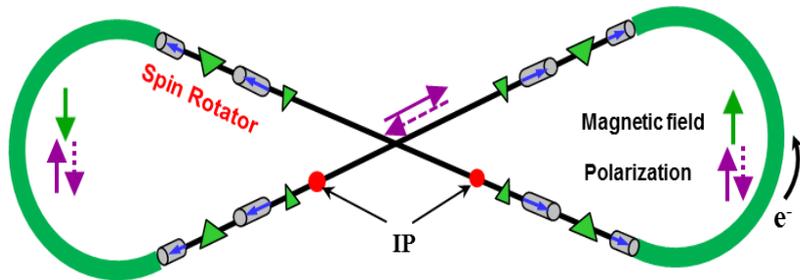
# Future Prospects

# Universal Spin Rotator and SS for EIC

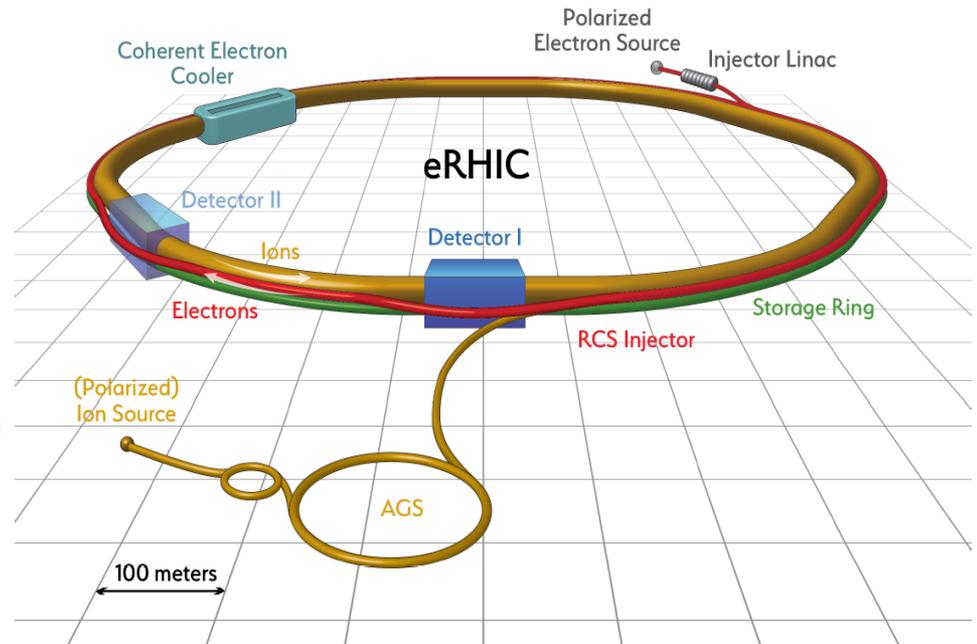
**Universal Spin Rotator on solenoids and constant bends**



**Electron spin rotators for JLEIC**



**R&S for electrons in eRHIC**



# Thinking about polarized CEPC

# Thoughts on Beam Polarization delivery in CEPC

## Option I: Use **Polarized e-gun (electrons only...)**

- Stacking and accelerating for injection to collider ring
- Acceleration and maintenance of PEB in the Collider Ring

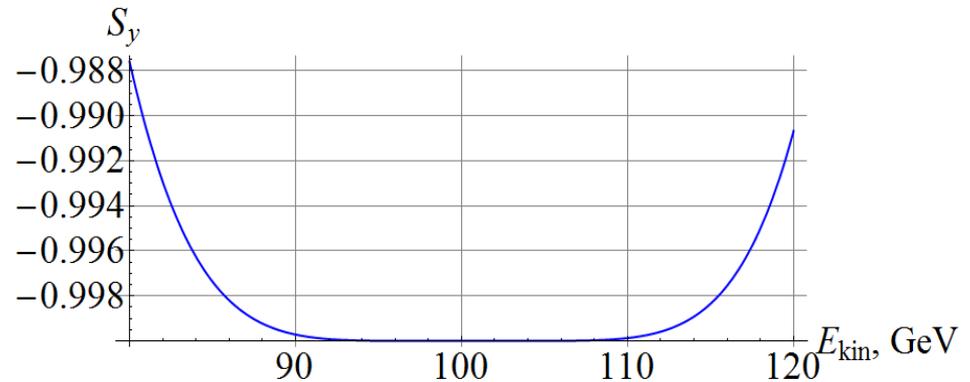
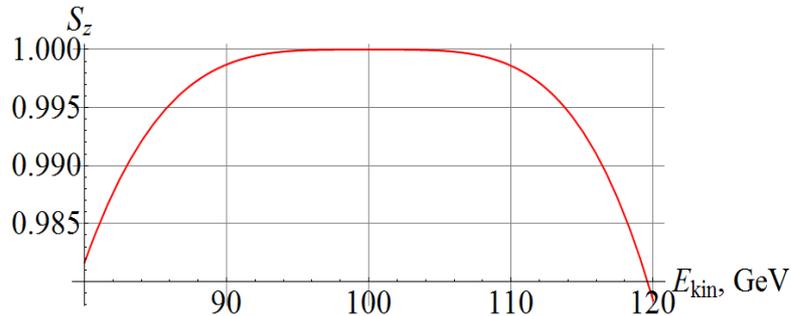
## Option II: **BST polarization in the Collider Ring** **(at injection energy...or in booster ring...?)**

- Takes Polarizing Wigglers to facilitate BST
- Luminosity run at wigglers off

**Need SS (and spin rotators) in both...**

# Spin Techniques 11

## Achromatic Rotator and Snake on transverse fields for CEPC



(1<sup>st</sup> Arc,  $S_y = 1$ )  $\alpha_{x1}$   $\alpha_{y1}$   $\alpha_{x2} - \alpha_{x1}$   $\alpha_{y2}$   $-\alpha_{x2}$  (IP,  $S_z = 1$ )

(IP,  $S_z = 1$ )  $-\alpha_{x2}$   $-\alpha_{y2}$   $\alpha_{x2} - \alpha_{x1}$   $-\alpha_{y1}$   $\alpha_{x1}$  (2<sup>nd</sup> Arc,  $S_y = -1$ )

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## Fixed orbit SR and SS on dipoles and solenoids for CEPC

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### First estimations:

- Maximum TM of solenoids are 35 and 60 (7 and 12 M at 5 T)
- Total length of snake about 200 meters. (transverse field about 0.2 KGs)

# Spin Matching and Tolerances

To be explored:

- Solenoids
- Snakes and arcs alignments

# Thinking about Future 75 TeV Polarized Proton Beams. 1.

- **Figure 8 Booster in energy range below 30 GeV**
- **Snakes for the succeeding boosters**

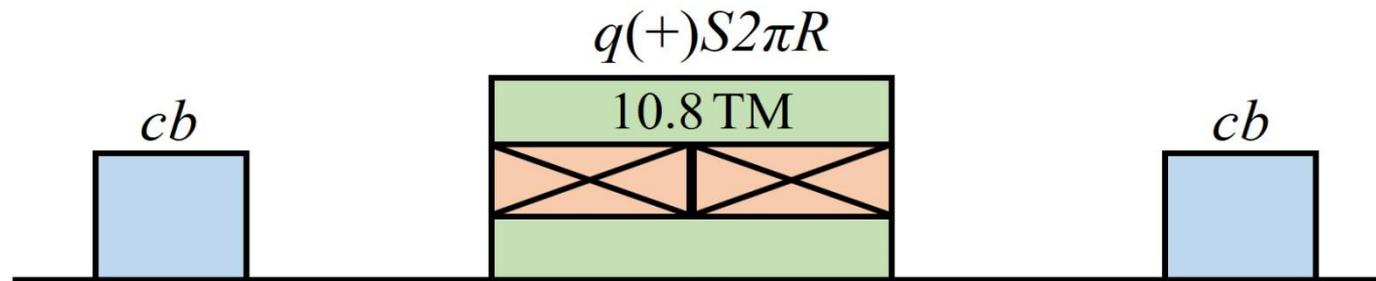
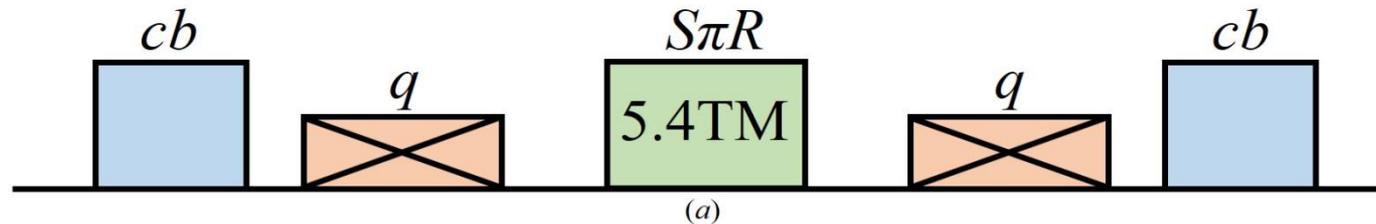
## Options for the Collider Rings

### Option I Many SS

- Sufficient large chain of SS to suppress depolarizing impact of the superperiodic misalignment harmonics
- Spin tune  $\frac{1}{2}$
- Compensation of tune spread associated with beam emittance
- Spin response function to suppress the beam-beam depolarization

## Thinking about Future 75 TeV Polarized Proton Beams. 2.

### Option II: Spin-compensated quadrupoles



- Two SS then will be enough to eliminate spin resonance crossing during the acceleration and stay away of the resonances through the luminosity run
- Think about spin flipping (if inquired); ideas on table...

# Preconclusion

- At this stage, our anticipation of successful design for future polarized beams is close to 100% optimism.

Thank you for attention!

# Backup slides