

LECTURE 25

Collective instabilities;

Rigid beam transverse instability

This is the transverse analog of the Robinson instability

To see how this works, consider a “macroparticle”: a point charge of magnitude Ne , circulating in a synchrotron. This macroparticle will create a wake field when it passes through an impedance. The macroparticle undergoes betatron oscillations; the wake potentials introduce additional forces into the betatron equations of motion. These additional forces can lead to an instability.

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The wake fields generated by the macroparticle can be expressed in terms of a transverse integrated force exerted at the location of the impedance. The transverse integrated force due to a pure harmonic current, with an m th moment, of the form, $I_m(t) = \tilde{I}_m(\omega) \cos(\omega t)$ from Lecture 21, p 25, can be written in terms of the impedance as

$$\vec{F}_\perp(t) = ieI_m(t)mr^{m-1}(\hat{r} \cos m\phi - \hat{\phi} \sin m\phi)Z_m^\perp(\omega)$$

For $m=1$, and in the vertical direction, we have

$$\vec{F}_y(t) = ieI_1(t)Z_1^\perp(\omega)$$

To use the above equation, we need to know the Fourier spectrum of the dipole moment of the current, which consists of a single circulating macroparticle of charge Ne . Let us consider for the moment the monopole current of a macroparticle that is

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not undergoing betatron oscillations. As discussed above in Lecture 23, the current due to the point charge Ne is a series of impulses, which occur at times $t = nT_0$, where n is the turn number, an integer running from $-\infty$ to ∞ . This current can be represented as a sum of Dirac delta-functions

$$I_0(t) = Ne \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - nT_0)$$

in which T_0 is the revolution period.

As explained in Lecture 23, this can be written in terms of harmonics as

$$I_0(t) = \frac{Ne}{T_0} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \exp(-ip\omega_0 t)$$

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Now let us consider the dipole moment of the current. For a particle executing a betatron oscillation, we have $I_1(t) = I_0(t)y(t)$, where $y(t)$ has the form of a betatron oscillation, evaluated at the location of the impedance. Thus

$$y(t) = y_0 \cos(Q_y \omega_0 t) + y'_0 \beta_y \sin(Q_y \omega_0 t)$$

$$y'(t) = -\frac{y_0}{\beta_y} \sin(Q_y \omega_0 t) + y'_0 \cos(Q_y \omega_0 t)$$

Then we have

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$$\begin{aligned}
I_1(t) &= I_0(t)y(t) = \\
&= \frac{Ne}{T_0} \left(y_0 \cos(Q_y \omega_0 t) + y'_0 \beta_y \sin(Q_y \omega_0 t) \right) \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \exp(-ip\omega_0 t) \\
&= \frac{Ne}{2T_0} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} (y_0 + iy'_0 \beta_y) \exp(-i(p+Q_y)\omega_0 t) \\
&\quad + (y_0 - iy'_0 \beta_y) \exp(-i(p-Q_y)\omega_0 t)
\end{aligned}$$

The integrated force, summed over all harmonics, will then be

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$$\begin{aligned}
\bar{F}_y(t) &= \frac{iNe^2}{2T_0} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} (y_0 + iy'_0 \beta_y) \exp(-i(p+Q_y)\omega_0 t) Z_1^\perp((p+Q_y)\omega_0) \\
&\quad + (y_0 - iy'_0 \beta_y) \exp(-i(p-Q_y)\omega_0 t) Z_1^\perp((p-Q_y)\omega_0) \\
&= \frac{iNe^2}{2T_0} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \tilde{y}_0 \exp(-i(p+Q_y)\omega_0 t) Z_1^\perp((p+Q_y)\omega_0) \\
&\quad + \tilde{y}_0^* \exp(-i(p-Q_y)\omega_0 t) Z_1^\perp((p-Q_y)\omega_0) \\
&\text{using } \tilde{y} = y + i\beta_y y'
\end{aligned}$$

We want to evaluate this on each turn, that is, at $t=nT_0$.

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$$\begin{aligned}
\bar{F}_y(nT_0) &= \bar{F}_{y,n} = \\
&= \frac{iNe^2}{2T_0} \left(\exp(-i2\pi Q_y n) \tilde{y}_0 \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} Z_1^\perp((p+Q_y)\omega_0) \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \exp(i2\pi Q_y n) \tilde{y}_0^* \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} Z_1^\perp((p-Q_y)\omega_0) \right)
\end{aligned}$$

Then, we can use the symmetry property

$$Z_1^\perp(\omega) = -Z_1^{\perp*}(-\omega).$$

So that

$$\sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} Z_1^\perp((p-Q_y)\omega_0) = -\sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} Z_1^{\perp*}((p+Q_y)\omega_0)$$

and we have

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$$\bar{F}_{y,n} = \frac{iNe^2}{2T_0} \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{y}(n) \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} Z_1^\perp((p+Q_y)\omega_0) \\ -\tilde{y}^*(n) \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} Z_1^{\perp*}((p+Q_y)\omega_0) \end{pmatrix}$$

This can be written as

$$\bar{F}_{y,n} = -\frac{Ne^2}{T_0} \times$$

$$\left(y(n) \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \text{Im}[Z_1^\perp((p+Q_y)\omega_0)] + \beta_y y'(n) \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \text{Re}[Z_1^\perp((p+Q_y)\omega_0)] \right)$$

We now insert this into the betatron equations of motion. The unperturbed betatron equations, written in terms of turn number, have the form

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$$\frac{dy'}{dn} = -2\pi Q_y \frac{y(n)}{\beta_y} \quad \frac{dy}{dn} = 2\pi Q_y \beta_y y'(n)$$

The effect of the integrated force is to produce a change in y' given by $\Delta y' = \frac{\bar{F}_{y,n}}{pv} = \frac{\bar{F}_{y,n}}{m_0 c^2 \gamma}$. Hence the equation of motion becomes

$$\frac{dy'}{dn} = -2\pi Q_y \frac{y(n)}{\beta_y} - \frac{Ne^2}{m_0 c^2 \gamma T_0} (Ay(n) + B\beta_y y'(n))$$

$$A = \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \text{Im} \left[Z_1^\perp \left((p + Q_y) \omega_0 \right) \right] \quad B = \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \text{Re} \left[Z_1^\perp \left((p + Q_y) \omega_0 \right) \right]$$

and so

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$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^2 y}{dn^2} &= 2\pi Q_y \beta_y \frac{dy'(n)}{dn} \\ &= -(2\pi Q_y)^2 y(n) - \frac{2\pi Q_y \beta_y Ne^2}{m_0 c^2 \gamma T_0} (Ay(n) + B\beta_y y'(n)) \\ &= - \left((2\pi Q_y)^2 + \frac{2\pi Q_y \beta_y Ne^2}{m_0 c^2 \gamma T_0} A \right) y(n) - \frac{\beta_y Ne^2}{m_0 c^2 \gamma T_0} B \frac{dy}{dn} \end{aligned}$$

The A coefficient is associated with a tune shift; the B coefficient can cause damping or an instability. This equation has the general form

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dn^2} = -2\alpha \frac{dy}{dn} - (2\pi Q_y')^2 y$$

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which is the equation of a damped harmonic oscillator, with a solution (for $\alpha \ll 2\pi Q_y'$)

$$y(n) \propto \exp(-\alpha + 2\pi i Q_y') n$$

By comparing with the equation above, we see that the damping rate (per turn) is

$$\alpha = \frac{\beta_y Ne^2}{2m_0 c^2 \gamma T_0} B = \frac{\beta_y Ne^2}{2m_0 c^2 \gamma T_0} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \text{Re} \left[Z_1^\perp \left((p + Q_y) \omega_0 \right) \right]$$

and the frequency is given by

$$(2\pi Q_y')^2 = (2\pi Q_y)^2 + \frac{2\pi Q_y \beta_y Ne^2}{m_0 c^2 \gamma T_0} A$$

Using

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$$\begin{aligned} 2\pi Q_y' &= \sqrt{(2\pi Q_y)^2 + \Delta} = 2\pi Q_y \sqrt{1 + \frac{\Delta}{(2\pi Q_y)^2}} \approx 2\pi Q_y + \frac{\Delta}{4\pi Q_y} \\ \Rightarrow \delta Q_y &= \frac{\Delta}{8\pi^2 Q_y} \end{aligned}$$

we get

$$\delta Q_y = \frac{\beta_y Ne^2}{4\pi m_0 c^2 \gamma T_0} A = \frac{\beta_y Ne^2}{4\pi m_0 c^2 \gamma T_0} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \text{Im} \left[Z_1^\perp \left((p + Q_y) \omega_0 \right) \right]$$

Example: the transverse resistive wall instability. The impedance is (Lecture 19, p 23)

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$$Z_1^\perp(\omega) = C \frac{1 - i \operatorname{sgn}(\omega)}{\omega \pi b^3} \sqrt{\frac{|\omega| \mu c^2}{2\sigma}}$$

$$\sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \operatorname{Re} [Z_1^\perp((p + Q_y)\omega_0)] = \frac{C}{\pi b^3} \sqrt{\frac{\mu c^2}{2\omega_0 \sigma}} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt{|p + Q_y|}}{p + Q_y}$$

$$= \frac{C}{\pi b^3} \sqrt{\frac{\mu c^2}{\omega_0 \sigma}} f(\Delta_\beta), \quad f(\Delta_\beta) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt{|p + \Delta_\beta|}}{p + \Delta_\beta}, \quad Q_y = n + \Delta_\beta$$

in which n is the integral part of the tune.

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The damping rate per turn is

$$\alpha = \frac{\beta_y N e^2 c^2}{2\pi b^3 \gamma m_0 c^2} \sqrt{\frac{\mu}{\omega_0 \sigma}} f(\Delta_\beta)$$

The function

$$f(\Delta_\beta) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sum_{p=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sqrt{|p + \Delta_\beta|}}{p + \Delta_\beta} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(\frac{\Delta_\beta}{|\Delta_\beta|^{3/2}} + \zeta\left(\frac{1}{2}, 1 + \Delta_\beta\right) - \zeta\left(\frac{1}{2}, 1 - \Delta_\beta\right) \right)$$

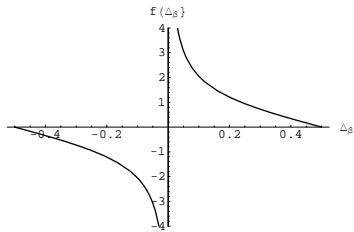
($\zeta(a, b)$ is the zeta function)

is shown below

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For damping, we need to have $\alpha > 0$, that is, $f(\Delta_\beta) > 0$, which requires $\Delta_\beta > 0$. Since $\Delta_\beta = Q_y - n$, to damp the transverse resistive wall instability, the fractional part of the machine tune should be below the half-integer, that is, in the range $0 < \Delta_\beta < 0.5$

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For CESR parameters: $Q_y = 9.58$, $\Delta_\beta = -0.42$, $f(\Delta_\beta) = -0.27$, $\beta_y = 20$ m, $N = 2 \times 10^{11}$, $b = 2.5$ cm, $\gamma = 10^4$, $T_0 = 2.5$ μ s, $\sigma = 3.5 \times 10^7$ $\Omega^{-1} \text{m}^{-1}$ (aluminum), we find a growth time of $\frac{T_0}{\alpha} = -0.67$ s. (not a very strong instability).

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