Status of Reference Network Simulations

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Introduction

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Accelerator Alignment Concept

- Many possible ways to Align an Accelerator, the concept used here is:
 - Over lapping measurements of a network of reference markers using a device such as a laser tracker, stretched wires or LiCAS RTRS
 - Measurements of a small number of Primary Reference Markers (PRM) using, for example GPS transferred from the surface.
 - Combining all measurements in a linearised mathematical model to determine network marker positions
 - Using adjusted network to align Main Linac
 - Using Dispersion Matched Steering (DMS) to adjust correctors to minimise emittance



Reference Network Simulation Aims

- Generate ILC reference network solutions which can be used for LET simulations
- Easy to use
- Quickly (minutes not days)
- Correct statistical properties
- Capable of simulating existing as well as novel network
 measurement techniques

Possible Approaches

- Commercial survey adjustment software
 - Expensive
 - Need to be survey expert to use
 - Usually only use laser tracker/tachometers
- Full simulation of a specific device
 - Slow to generate networks
 - Restricted to one measurement technique
- Simplified Model
 - If designed correctly can be quick
 - Can be used to model novel devices

Simplified Model

- Have a device model
 - Measures small number of RMs e.g. 4
 - Moves on one RM each stop and repeats measurement
 - Determines vector difference between RMs
 - Vector difference smeared by input error
 - Knowledge of measurement procedure not necessary
 - Rotates around the X and Y axis
- PRM measurements
 - Vector difference measurements between PRM's
 - Measurements smeared by input error

The Linearised Model

- M device stops, N reference Markers Total, O PRMs Total, device measures 4 markers per stop
- Measurement Vector L
 - Contains device and PRM vector differences
- Measurement Covariance Matrix P
 - Simple diagonal matrix assuming no cross dependency on measurements
- Variables Vector X
 - Contains all the markers positions
- Prediction Vector F(X)
 - Predicts L
- Difference Vector W = F(X) L
- Design Matrix A = $\delta F(X)/\delta X$

The Linearised Model

 Normal Non-linear least squares minimises W^TW leading to an improvement of estimates given by

$$\Delta X = -(A^{T}PA)^{-1}A^{T}PW$$

• Problem A^TPA is singular and not invertible

• Model Requires Constraints.

Free Network Constraints

- Five constraints required
- Could constrain first point to be at (0,0,0) and both the rotations of first stop to be 0.
 - Gives zero error at one end and large error at other. Not the desired form
- Use a free network constraint
 - Technique developed in Geodesy
 - The free network constraint is that $X^T X$ is minimised.
 - If X^TX = min the trace of the output covariance matrix is also minimised
 - Equivalent to a generalised inverse
 - The least squares minimises W^TW and X^TX to give a unique solution

Free Network Constraint

- Break Up A^TPA into sub-matrices
 - N11 Must be non-singular
 - N22 size 5*5
- Leading to constraint Matrix A2

$$A^T P A = \left[\begin{array}{cc} N_{11} & N_{12} \\ N_{21} & N_{22} \end{array} \right]$$

$$A_2 = ((N_{11}^{-1}N_{12})^T - I)$$

- Improvement given by $\Delta X = \begin{bmatrix} A^T P A & A_2^T \\ A_2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} A^T P W \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$
- Output Covariance matrix given by
 - Contains the errors on the RM positions

$$\Sigma_X = \left[\begin{array}{cc} A^T P A & A_2^T \\ A_2 & 0 \end{array} \right]^{-1}$$

• Note ΔX and Σ_X are longer than X, but extra elements are zero.

Model Summary

- Input
 - Device Measurement Errors
 - Number RMs measured by device in one stop
 - PRM Measurement Errors
 - Network Parameters
 - Number RMs, Number PRMS, RM spaceing, PRM spacing
- Output
 - Reference marker position difference from truth
 - Reference marker position statistical error

Laser Tracker Network Simulation

- Test model by comparing to laser tracker network
- Can simulate ILC laser tracker networks using PANDA
- Use PANDA output to determine model parameters
 - minimising the difference between the PANDA statistical errors and the model statistical errors
 - Minimiser can adjust the model input parameters
 - minisation using JMinuit
- minisation done for networks with and without PRMs

Error Curve Comparison

- Use Model to generate laser tracker measured network without PRM's
- Model used to produce network with the following parameters
 - No markers = 500
 - Space between markers = 25m
 - $-\sigma x = 7.2192622E-5$
 - $-\sigma y = 7.1554098E-5$
 - $-\sigma z = 3.0863441E-5$



Error Curve Comparison

- Use Model to generate laser tracker measured network with PRM's
- Model used to produce network using the following parameters
 - No markers = 500
 - Space between markers = 25m
 - No PRM's = 6
 - Space between PRM's = 2500m
 - $-\sigma x = 8.0791025E-05$
 - $-\sigma y = 7.9445123E-05$
 - $-\sigma z = 3.0896634E-05$
 - $\sigma GPS = 9.3551598E-03$



Simulation of DMS using Merlin

- DMS simulations using Merlin (a C++ based library for particle tracking)
- The Merlin based ILCDFS package
 - Is performing the tracking through the curved main linac (positron side)
 - It has implementation of the Beam Based Alignment method based on Dispersion Matched Steering
- Dispersion Matched Steering (DMS)
 - Attempts to locally correct the dispersion caused by alignment errors in magnets and other accelerator components.
 - Adjusts correctors to bring dispersion to its nominal value and preserve the emittance along the Main Linac (ML)
 - Parameters used here
 - Starting emittance 20nm
 - A nominal beam starting energy $15 \text{GeV} \rightarrow 250 \text{Gev}$ at exit
 - Initial energy of test beam is 20% of nominal beam
 - Constant gradient adjustment of -20%

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- Note: PANDA results are revised compared to LCWS 2008
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Conclusion

 Model works without Primary Reference Markers

 Implementation of Primary Reference Markers needs improvement

 Laser tracker network not suitable for the ILC as only 42% of machines below 30 nm

Future Work

• Fix GPS problem in model

Determine LiCAS Model Parameters

Introduce systematics

Verify DMS results using different code