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**Beam Transport Parameter Sensitivities Using Adjoint  
Methods for 2D Axisymmetric Systems in Static Fields  
with MICHELLE**

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# Introduction

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## Determining Manufacturing Parameter Sensitivity Functions for Charged Particle Beam Electron Source (electron gun)

### ▶ Goal

- Establish tolerances associated with a variety of manufacturing assembly processes
- Tolerance sensitivities to include...
  - Alignment between parts
    - › Clocking errors, shifts, tilts
  - Material properties, static field errors
  - Magnet location, orientation, and uniformity
- Goal → increase manufacturing yield (difficult with small scale devices)

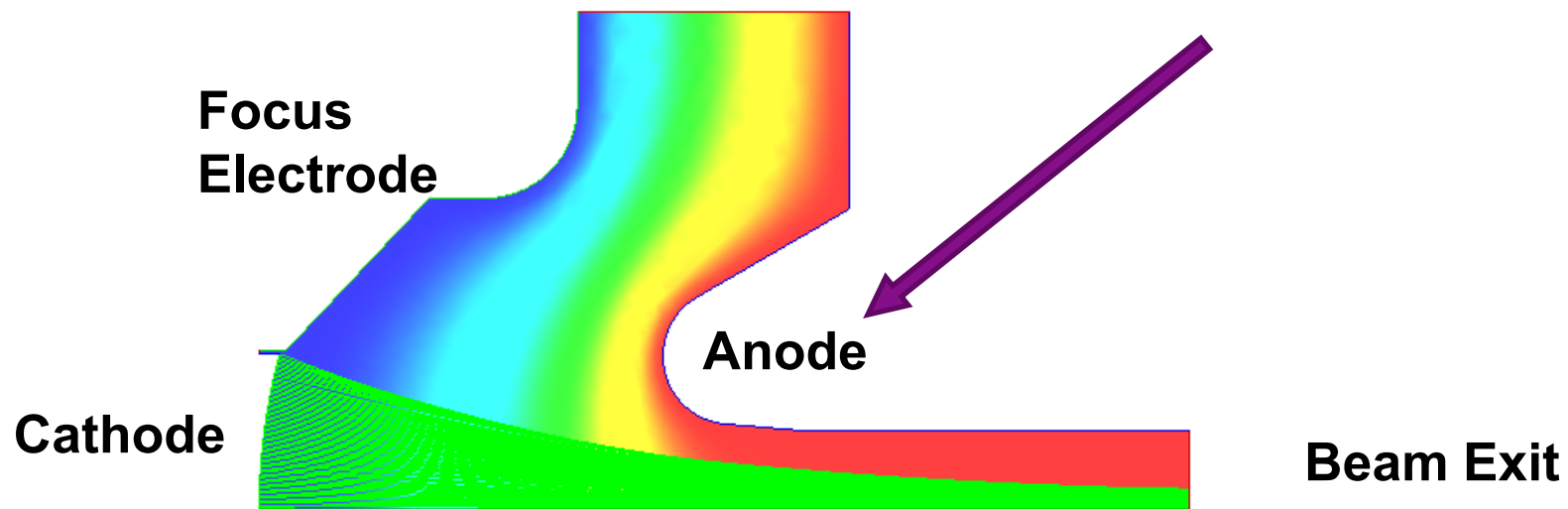
### ▶ Enabler

- Process embedded in, or linked to, a “gun” code (e.g., MICHELLE)



# Adjoint Method Background: Sensitivity Function

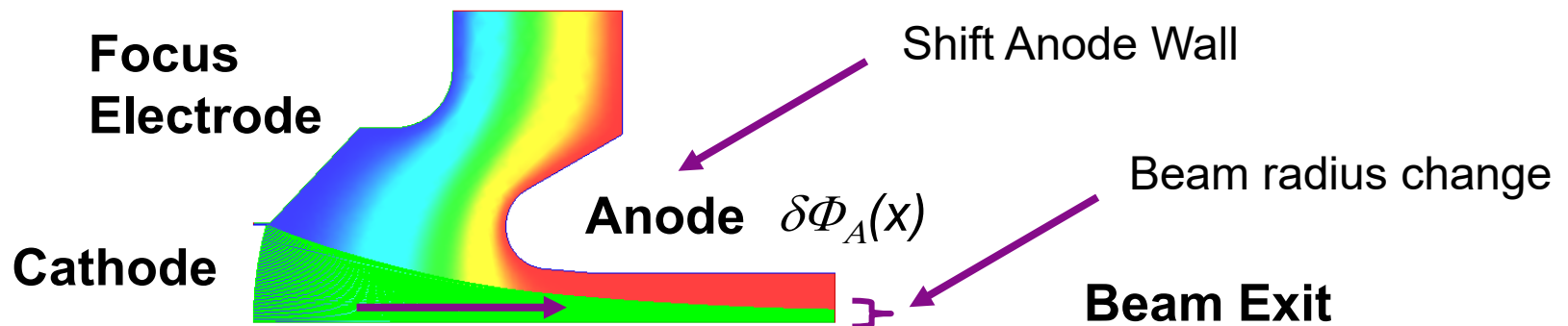
- ▶ Basic question: How do small changes in position or potential of anode affect the properties of the beam leaving the gun?



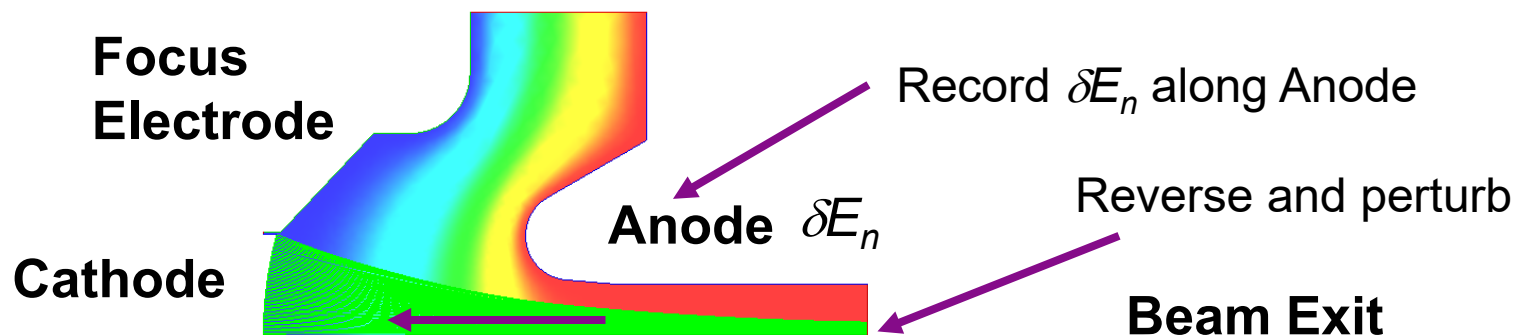
- ▶ Conventional solution: Trial and error. Do many simulations with different anode potentials or positions to understand sensitivities. Also leads to selecting the best (optimized) solution based on some performance metric.

# Adjoint Method Background: Based on Concept of Reciprocity

- ▶ Problem #1: If there is a shift in voltage by  $\delta\Phi_A(x)$  due to wall displacement, you get a change in beam radius



- ▶ Problem #2: If you perturb the electron coordinates at the beam exit and reverse the beam, you can calculate a change in normal E-field on the Anode
  - Defines the sensitivity of the beam to wall displacements.  $\delta E_n$  is the Sensitivity Function



# Adjoint Method Background: Process - What the optics code contributes

- ▶ Exploits the symplectic property of Hamilton's equations
- ▶ Code (MICHELLE) solves the following equations:
  1. Integrates equations of motion (Hamilton's equations) for N particles  $j=1,N$

$$\frac{dx_j}{dt} = \frac{\partial H}{\partial p} \quad \frac{dp_j}{dt} = -\frac{\partial H}{\partial x}$$

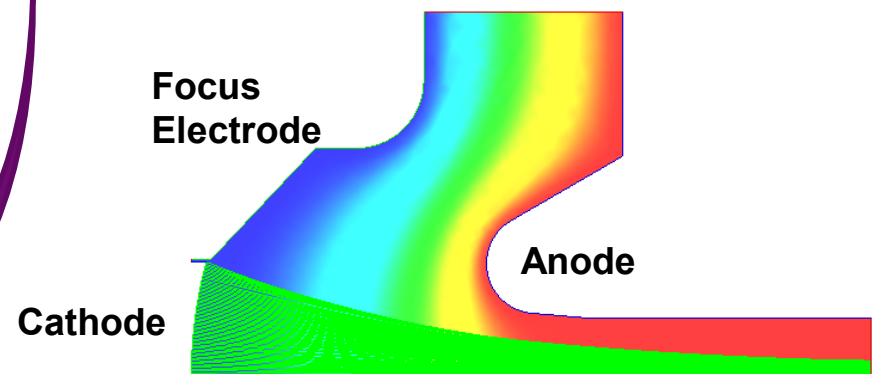
2. Accumulates charge density

$$\rho(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_j I_j \int_0^{T_j} dt \delta(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}_j(t))$$

3. Solves Poisson's Eq.

$$-\nabla^2 \Phi = 4\pi\rho$$

Repeats (iterates)  
until converged

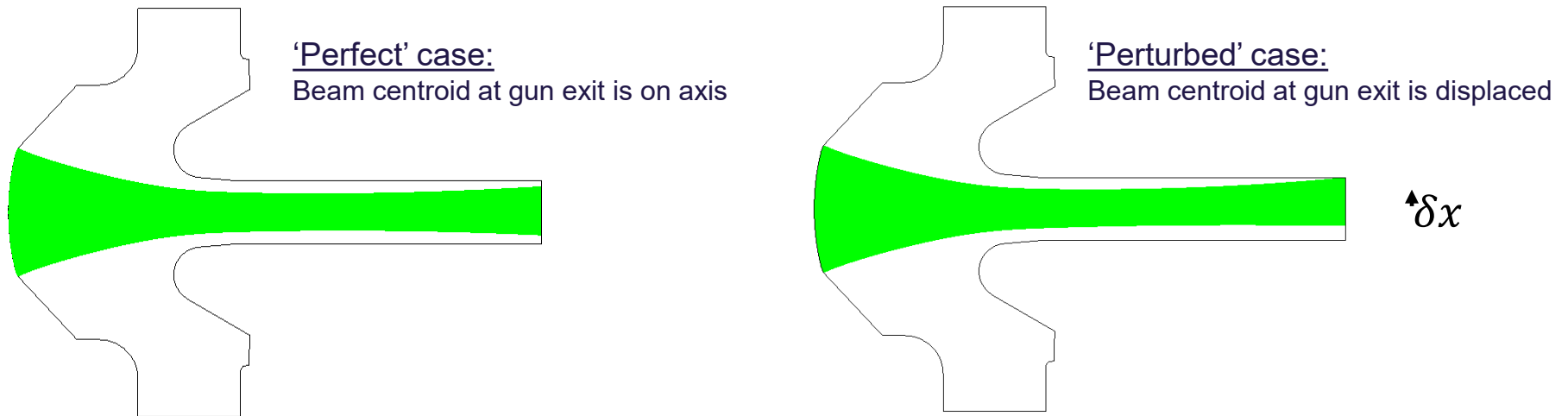


# Adjoint Method Background:

## Previous Example of the Adjoint Method (2017)

- ▶ Compute the displacement of the beam in a sheet beam gun due to a small change in anode potential or a small displacement of the anode

### MICHELLE Simulations of Sheet Beam Gun



- ▶ The adjoint method gives us a way to compute the displacement of the beam due to an anode potential change or moving the anode
  - 1) With one extra run and 2) Without remeshing
  - **→ Not changing the mesh is key to high accuracy of sensitivity prediction ←**

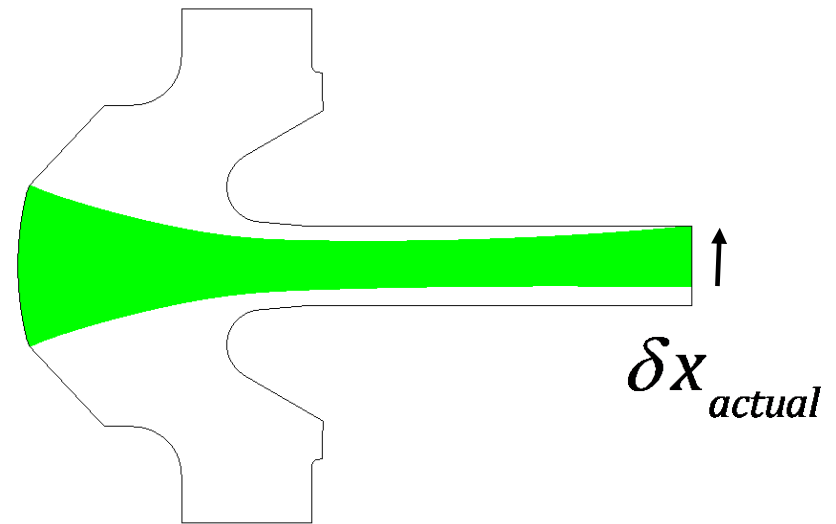
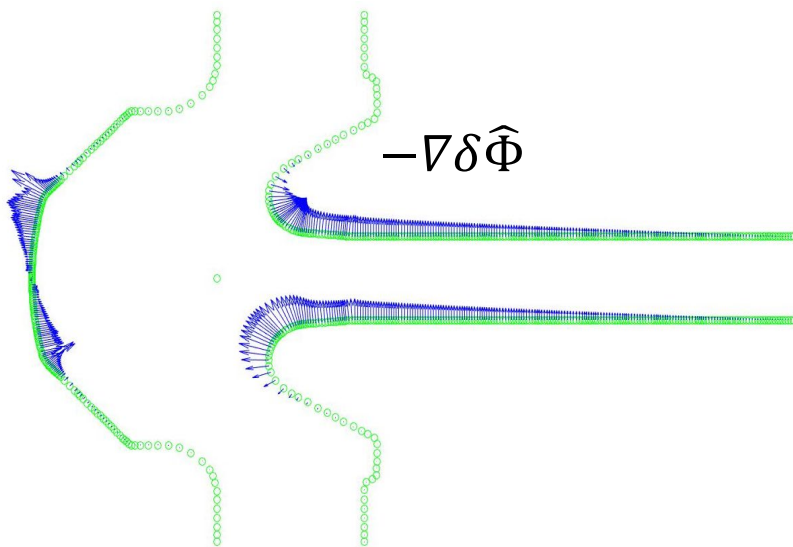
# Adjoint Method Background:

## Previous Example of the Adjoint Method (2017)

- ▶ Comparison: predicted displacement/actual displacement

Vector plot of the 'sensitivity' or Green's function

'Direct' MICHELLE Simulation: Perturbed Anode Voltages



$$\delta x_{pred} = -\frac{q}{4\pi\lambda I} \int_S d\mathbf{n} \cdot \delta\Phi \nabla \delta\hat{\Phi}$$

$$\delta x_{pred} / \delta x_{actual} = 0.9969 \leftarrow$$

Adjoint method predicted the deflection sensitivity to within 0.3%

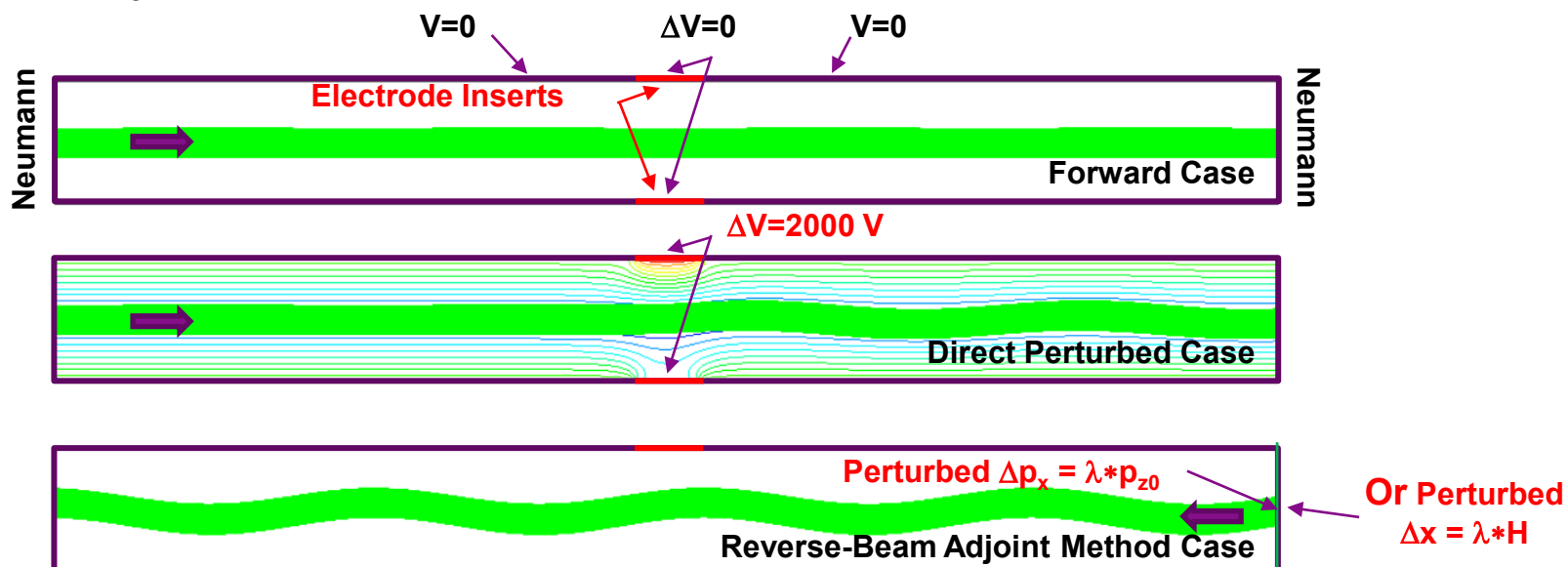
# Application: 2D parallel plate sheet beam

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## - Manufacturing sensitivity to beam centering offset

- ▶ Forward Case: Grounded Inserts top and bottom
- ▶ Direct Perturbation Case: Electrode inserts on top and bottom set to  $\Delta V$   
 $\Delta V$  tested from 1 – 10,000 V
- ▶ Reverse-Beam Adjoint Method Case: Case launches beam in reverse direction with momentum perturbed by a constant value in the vertical transverse direction (1<sup>st</sup>) or a vertical position shift (2<sup>nd</sup>).

$\lambda = \Delta p_x / p_{z0}$  (1<sup>st</sup>) and  $\lambda = \Delta x / H$  (2<sup>nd</sup>) tested from 0.00001 to 0.16384





# Mean Displacement: Hamiltonian Approach (New)

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Case 1: Original Forward case (Forward)

Case 2: Reverse Beam – “(Y)” is perturbed by amount  $\lambda$

Test Case 3: Perturbed Voltage – “(X)” Direct  $\Delta V$  change

## Adjoint Relation

$$\sum_j I_j \{(-\lambda \delta x^{(X)})\}_L = -q\epsilon_0 \int_B d^2x (\delta\phi^{(X)} \mathbf{n} \cdot \nabla \delta\phi^{(Y)})$$

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$$\ominus \lambda \sum_j I_j \{(\delta x^{(X)})\}_L = -q\epsilon_0 \Delta V \int_B d^2x (\delta E_{\text{perp}})$$

## Test 1 Mean displacement

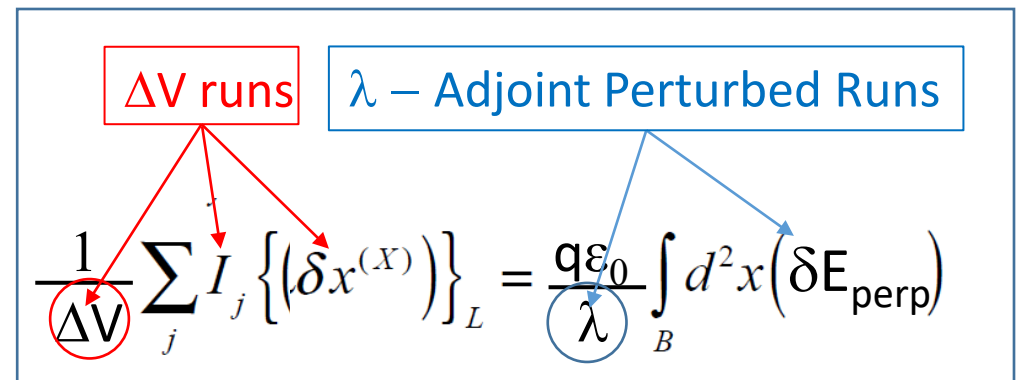
$$\delta y^{(Y)} = 0,$$

$$\delta x^{(Y)} = 0$$

$$\delta p_x^{(Y)} = \lambda \text{ a constant}$$

$$\delta p_y^{(Y)} = 0$$

First Test: In this case there is no requirement for correcting the canonical angular momentum

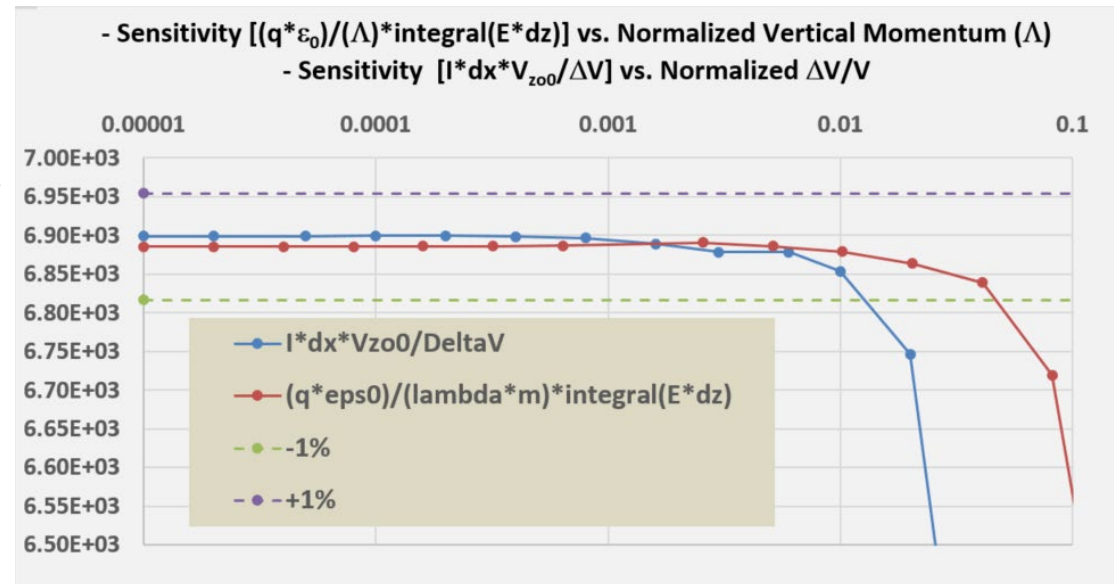


# Mean Displacement: 2D parallel plate sheet beam

- Manufacturing sensitivity to beam centering offset

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- ▶ Results of direct vs. adjoint methods agree to within **0.20%**.
- ▶ Verification: *Hamiltonian Approach*  
Excellent first successful Adjoint method to beam transport in a magnetic field.
- ▶ Results:
  - As the perturbed-case voltage values became small enough it easily entered the linear regime.
  - There is very a broad range of both  $\Lambda$  and  $\Delta V$  where the results are all in a linear regime.



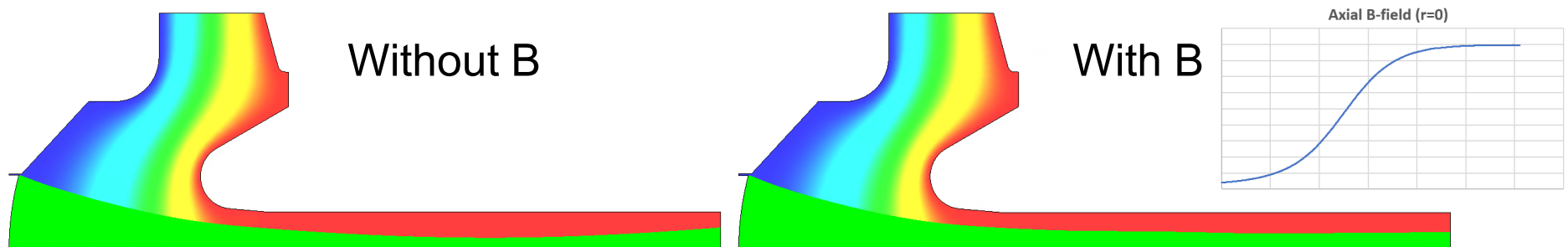
Adjoint method predicted the deflection sensitivity to within 0.2%

New

## Adjoint Advances:

Now adding 2D axisymmetric optics – with and without a B-field

- ▶ Previous cases were 2D planar
- ▶ Extend the approach to 2D axisymmetric electron guns with and without magnetostatic fields
  - Geometry: 2D axisymmetric
  - Beam axial energy: 10 keV
  - Beam guide field:  $\sim 0.1$  T (variable for beam capture)
  - **Manufacturing Sensitivity:**
    - Adjoint case mimics Anode wall displacement or voltage errors
    - Direct case: Apply AK-Gap voltage shifts to Anode electrodes

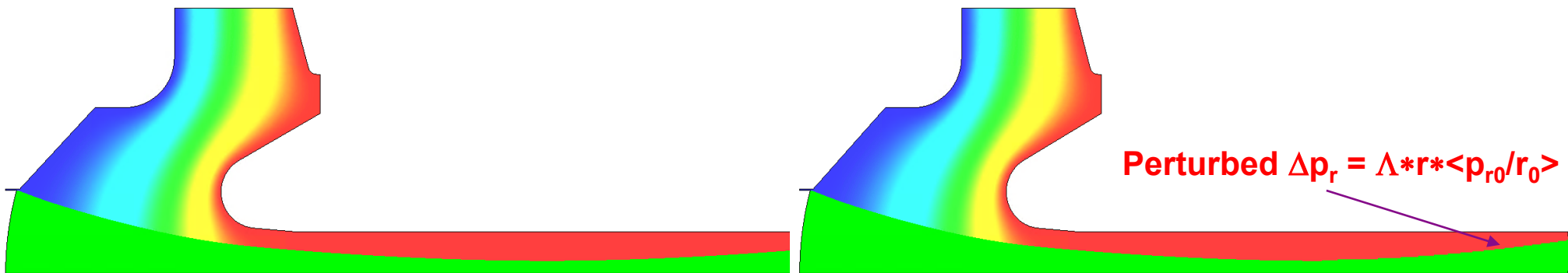


# Application: 2D Axisymmetric Pierce Diode (No B)

## - Manufacturing sensitivity to Anode (AK-Gap) offset

- ▶ Forward Case: Standard Electrostatic-only Electron Gun @ 10 KeV
- ▶ Direct Perturbation Case: Anode electrode  $\Delta V$  applied  
 $\Delta V$  tested from 0.1 – 30 V
- ▶ Reverse-Beam Adjoint Method Case: Case launches beam in reverse direction with momentum perturbed by a constant value in the radial direction.

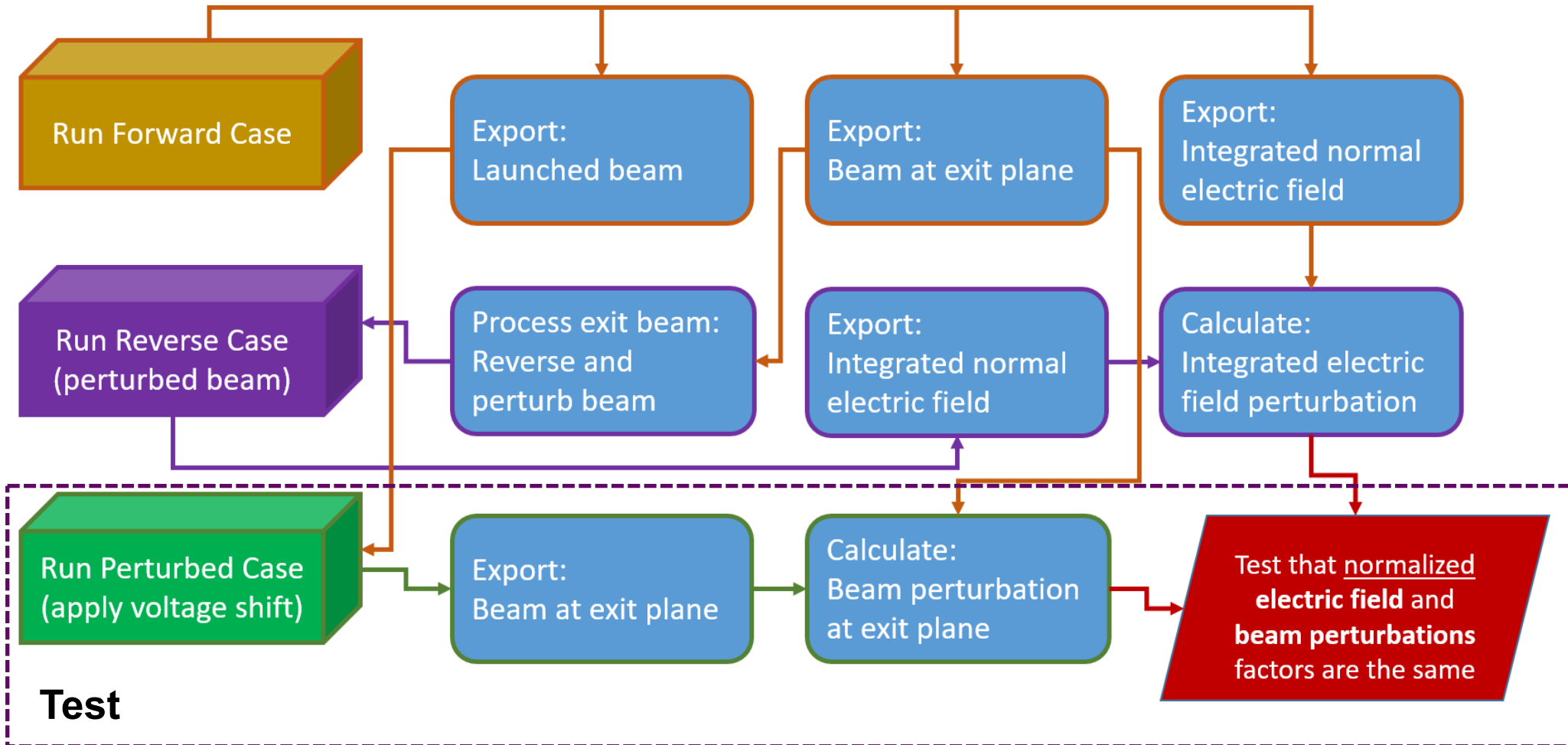
$$\Lambda = \Delta p_r / (r * \langle p_{r0} / r_0 \rangle) \text{ tested from } 0.000001 \text{ to } 0.01$$



Forward Case

Reverse-Beam Adjoint Method Case

# Application and Testing/Verification Process: - Hamiltonian basis



# Mean Displacement: Hamiltonian Approach (No B)

Case 1: Original Forward case (Forward)

Case 2: Reverse Beam – “(Y)” is perturbed by amount  $\lambda$

Test Case 3: Perturbed Voltage – “(X)” Direct  $\Delta V$  change

## Adjoint Relation

$$\sum_j I_j \left[ \left( \delta p_{rj}^{(X)} \delta r_j^{(Y)} - \delta p_{rj}^{(Y)} \delta r_j^{(X)} \right) \Big|_{t=0}^{z=L} \right] = -q\epsilon_0 \int_B d^2x \left( \delta\phi^{(X)} \mathbf{n} \cdot \nabla \delta\phi^{(Y)} - \delta\phi^{(Y)} \mathbf{n} \cdot \nabla \delta\phi^{(X)} \right)$$

$$\sum_j I_j \left\{ \left( -\lambda \delta r_j^{(X)} \right) \right\}_L = -q\epsilon_0 \int_B d^2x \left( \delta\phi^{(X)} \mathbf{n} \cdot \nabla \delta\phi^{(Y)} \right)$$

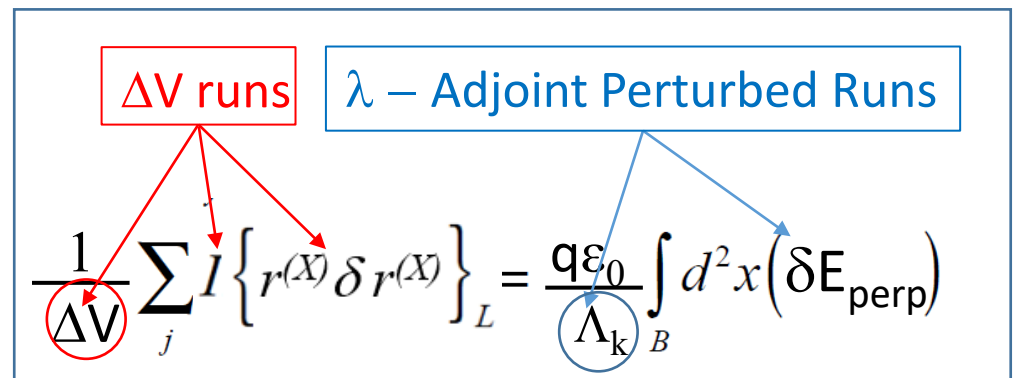
## Transverse Momentum kick

$$\delta \mathbf{r}^{(Y)} = 0$$

$$\delta \mathbf{p}_r^{(Y)} = \lambda = \Lambda \mathbf{r}^{(X)} \langle \mathbf{p}_{r0} / r_0 \rangle$$

$$\Lambda_k = \Lambda \langle \mathbf{p}_{r0} / r_0 \rangle$$

$$\Lambda_k \sum_j I \left\{ r^{(X)} \delta r^{(X)} \right\}_L = -q\epsilon_0 \Delta V \int_B d^2x \left( \delta E_{\text{perp}} \right)$$



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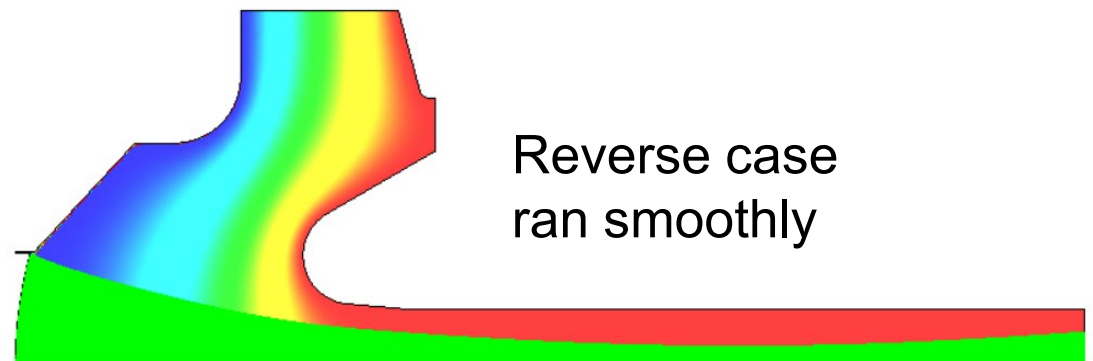
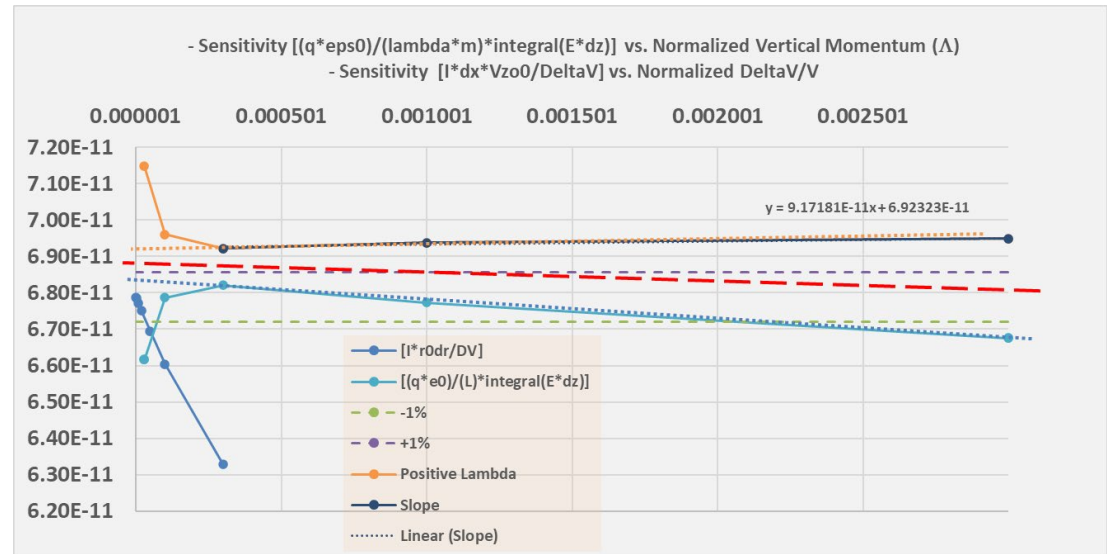
# Mean Displacement: 2D Axisymmetric Electron Gun

- Manufacturing sensitivity to AK-Gap axial offset

No-B

## Results:

- The test case where the direct perturbation of a voltage change worked as expected.
- The reverse-beam case was oddly sensitive to changes.





# Transverse Momentum: Hamiltonian Approach (With B)

Case 1: Original Forward case (Forward)

Case 2: Reverse Beam – “(Y)” is perturbed by amount  $\lambda$

Test Case 3: Perturbed Voltage – “(X)” Direct  $\Delta V$  change

## Adjoint Relation

$$\sum_j I_j \left\{ \left( \delta \mathbf{x}^{(Y)} \cdot \delta \mathbf{p}^{(X)} - \delta \mathbf{x}^{(X)} \cdot \left( \delta \mathbf{p}^{(Y)} + q \mathbf{B} \times \delta \mathbf{x}^{(Y)} \right) \right) \right\}_L = -q \epsilon_0 \int_B d^2 x \left( \delta \phi^{(X)} \mathbf{n} \cdot \nabla \delta \phi^{(Y)} \right)$$

## Two Tests...

### - Mean Displacement

$$\delta \mathbf{r}^{(Y)} = \lambda \mathbf{r}^{(X)} / r_0$$

$$\delta \mathbf{p}_r^{(Y)} = 0$$

### - Transverse Momentum kick

$$\delta \mathbf{r}^{(Y)} = 0$$

$$\delta \mathbf{p}_r^{(Y)} = \lambda = \Lambda \mathbf{r}^{(X)} \langle \mathbf{p}_{r0} / r_0 \rangle$$

First Test: In this case there is no requirement for correcting the canonical angular momentum

Second Test: In this case there is a required conservation of canonical angular momentum



# Summary

- Manufacturing assembly sensitivities can be determined for charged particle 2D axisymmetric beams in electron gun sources
  - Without B-field
  - With B-Field ← in progress
- The Hamiltonian basis for the Adjoint method enables fine sensitivities to be captured, including relativistic corrections for beam energies ~10 keV.
- ***The Hamiltonian method properly handles optics in the presence of B-fields.***
- We have demonstrated the capability of the Adjoint method applied to 2D electron guns operating under space charge limited emission
  - AK-Gap voltage variation Predicted sensitivity agreement to within 0.2% of direct calculations
- Method has previously proven to apply successfully to Electron guns for...
  - Planar:
    - AK-Gap variation / AK-Voltage variation / Vertical offset misalignment
    - Planar: Beam transport with static guide B-fields