

# ***Tracks of spin .... within EUROTeV***

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-2007-040, -2008-026 ... but more to come, not finished!***

# ***Outline***

- **Cradle-to-grave with the spins**
  - physics motivation and overview
- **Depolarization in beam-beam interaction**
  - status CAIN
  - theoretical description of TBMT
- **Incoherent processes**
- **Coherent processes**
- **Depolarization in DR, ML, RTML**
  - spin rotators
- **Conclusions and outlook**

# ***Physics requirement***

- **Polarized beams mandatory to reach the physics goals**

- **Needed accuracy**

→ **expected: for most physics studies  $\Delta P/P=0.5\%$  sufficient; for precision measurements  $\Delta P/P<0.1\%$  required**

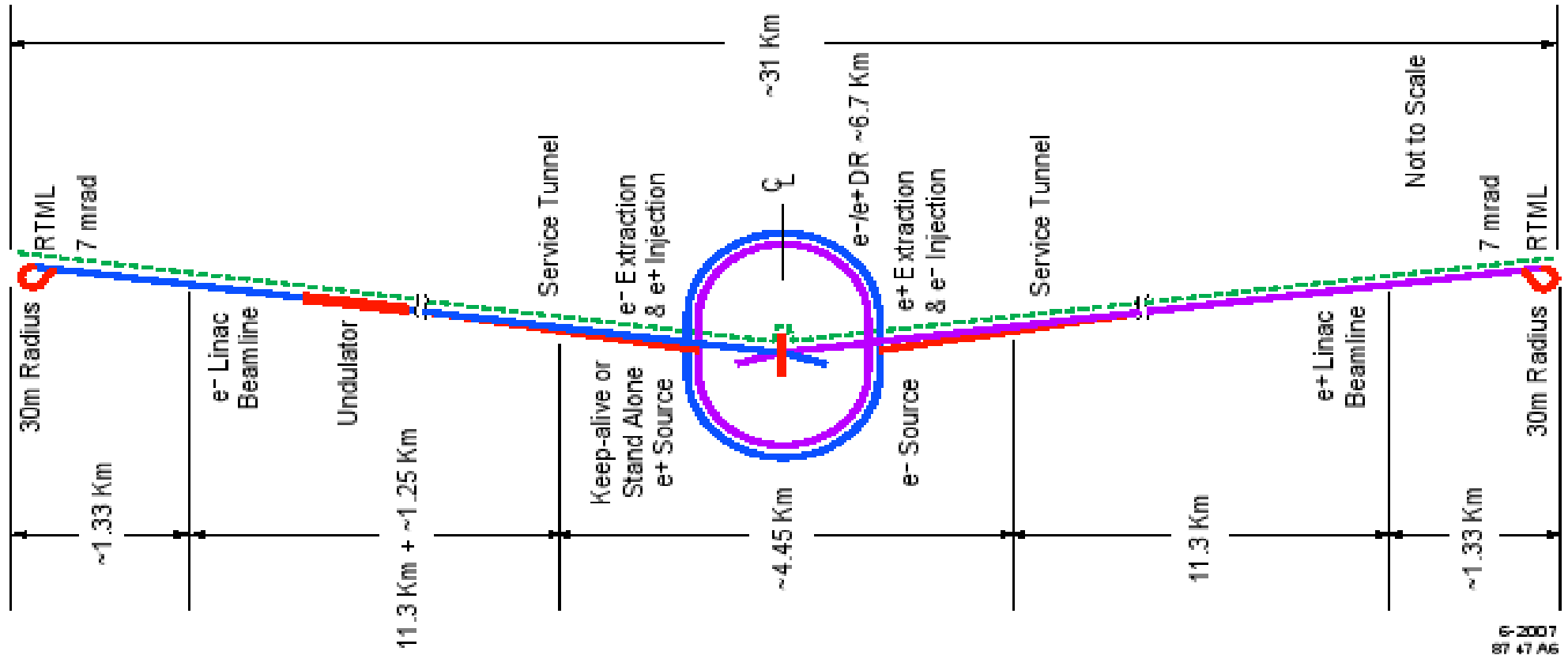
- **Problem:**

**polarization@IP = lumi-weighted polarization  
≠ polarization@polarimeter**

- **Aim: cradle-to-grave spin tracking from source -> IP**

→ **not yet completely done, but lots of progress, theoretically as well as in simulation codes**

# ILC overview

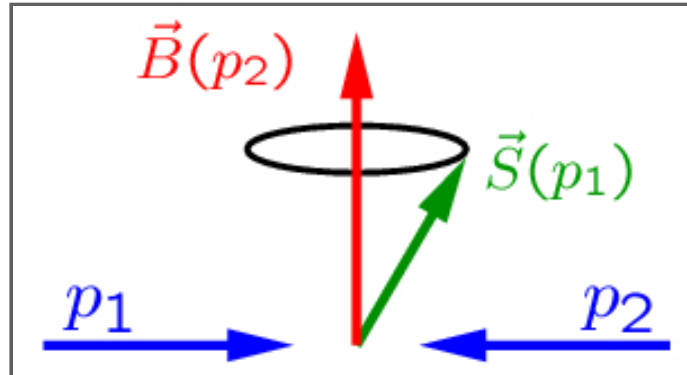


## ● Components under study wrt depolarization:

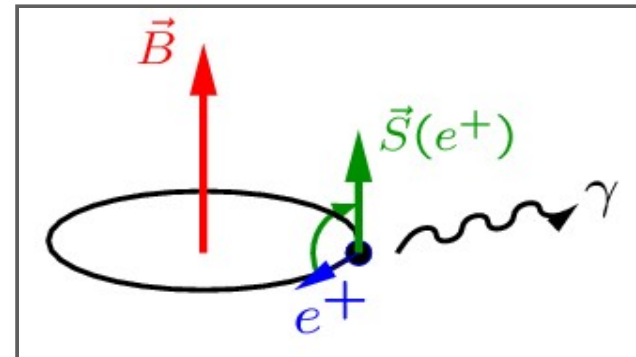
- DR (+SR), ML, RTML, BDS, IP
- **largest effects** expected in **beam-beam interactions** at the IP!
- ML, RTML, BDS small effects, cf. also with J. Smith, ILC-NOTE-2007-012

# Two depolarization processes

- Classical spin precession (T-BMT):



- Quantum mechanical spin-flip process (ST effect):



- evaluate these effects for all components
- provide theoretical updates for their description in strong fields

# Spin precession

## ● T-BMT equation:

$$\frac{d\mathbf{S}}{dt} = -\frac{e}{m\gamma} \left[ (\gamma a + 1)\mathbf{B}_T + (a + 1)\mathbf{B}_L - \gamma \left( a + \frac{1}{\gamma + 1} \right) \beta \mathbf{e}_v \times \frac{\mathbf{E}}{c} \right] \times \mathbf{S},$$

→ 'a' is **anomalous magnetic moment** of electron  $a = (g-2) / 2 = \alpha / 2\pi + \dots$

→ higher-order effect, radiative corrections to  $e\bar{e}\gamma$ -vertex

→ experimentally measured up to accuracy of  $10^{-11}$

## ● So far: used method in CAIN and Guinea-Pig

Due to strong fields (beamstrahlung):

→ 'a' expressed as function of field in a medium

→ **excellent work of V. Baier, V. Katkov**

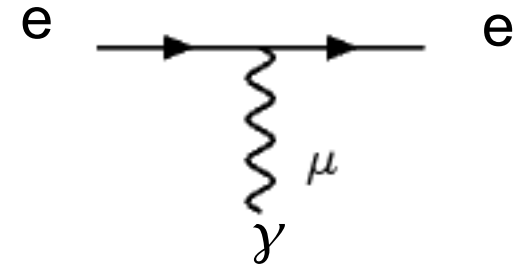
→ **several approximations and assumptions have been made**

# ***Used approximations***

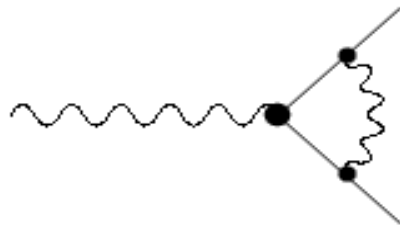
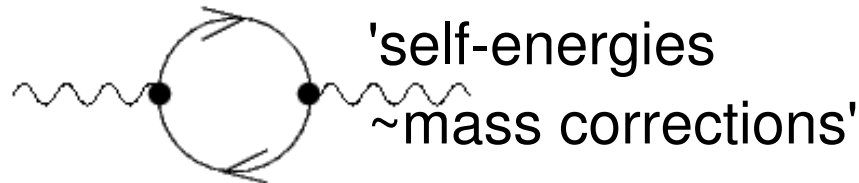
- **expression for anomalous moment of e in a medium**
  - used kind of perturbation theory
  - relates **spin-dependent part** of mass corrections with **magn. moment**
- **applies expression for beam-beam interactions**
  - assuming the case that **'no' scattering** happens
- **used quasi-classical approximation**
  - change of momentum due to external field has to be slowly
  - Larmor radius ( $\sim pc/eB$ ) in magn. field much larger than particle wavelength ( $\sim h/p$ )
  - neglect quantization of motion and recoil of radiation on particle
  - assuming basic features of motion independent of spin property

# Anomalous magn. moment of $e$

## Contributions to the QED vertex



at 1-loop order:



'vertex correction'  
~decisive for an. magn. moment



# ***QED vertex***

- lowest order:  $e u(p_2) \gamma^\mu u(p_1)$

- any order:  $u(p_2) \Gamma^\mu u(p_1)$

- divide vertex in vector and tensor ( $\sim$ spin) part

- $\Gamma^\mu = \gamma^\mu F_1 + \sigma^{\mu\nu} F_2$

$\Gamma^\mu$

- in lowest order:  $F_1 = e$  (electric charge),  $F_2 = 0$

- at 1-loop:  $F_2 =$  anom. magn. moment of  $e$   $a = 0.5(g-2)$

- contributions come from vertex corrections

- precise recipe how to calculate

- higher order: precise agreement between theory and experiment

$$a_{\text{exp}} = 1159652188 \times 10^{-12} \text{ vs. } a_{\text{theo}} = 1159652157 \times 10^{-12}$$

# ***Alternative to derive $a_e$ in beam-beam***

- **derive H in external field**

- remember H-atom: spin-orbit term ( $l^*s$ ), interaction terms ( $B^*s, B^*l$ )
- often  $A^2$ -terms neglected
- important for strong fields (laser)

- **use Furry representation, i.e. derive 'Volkov solutions'**

- use explicit fermion operator in external field
- 'usual' Feynman rules in perturbation theory
- explicit fields in beam-beam zone required
- straight forward.....but mathematically rather complex

- **still under work**

# Incoherent processes

- Become important/dominant for high energies!
- For beam-beam interaction: four incoherent processes as 'background'

→ Breit-Wheeler:  $\gamma + \gamma \longrightarrow e^+ + e^-$  (real photons)

→ Bethe-Heitler:  $e^\pm + \gamma \longrightarrow e^\pm + e^+ + e^-$

*becomes in EPA:*  $\gamma^* + \gamma \longrightarrow e^+ + e^-$

→ Landau-Lifshitz:  $e^+ + e^- \longrightarrow e^+ + e^- + e^+ + e^-$

*becomes in EPA:*  $\gamma^* + \gamma^* \longrightarrow e^+ + e^-$

→ Bremsstrahlung:  $e^+ + e^- \longrightarrow e^+ + e^- + \gamma$

*becomes in EPA:*  $e^+ + \gamma^* \longrightarrow e^+ + \gamma$

# ***Equivalent photon approximation -- intro***

- Idea: approximate virtual photon via a real photon with:

- *mass on-shell*

- *only transversely polarized*

- Approximation ok, if dynamical cut-off exists

- limes for  $q^2 \rightarrow 0$ :  $\sigma_S \sim q^2 \rightarrow 0$

$$\sigma_T \sim \sigma_\gamma$$

- Approximation ok, if spin-density matrix is taken into account:

- expand amplitude in 'transverse' and 'scalar' photon contribution

- Cross section can then be expressed:

- $d\sigma_{\text{EPA}} \sim \sigma_\gamma dn(w, q^2)$

- Check for every process whether EPA is applicable!

- **Bethe-Heitler and Landau-Lifshitz in principle ok**

# ***CAIN: status with background processes***

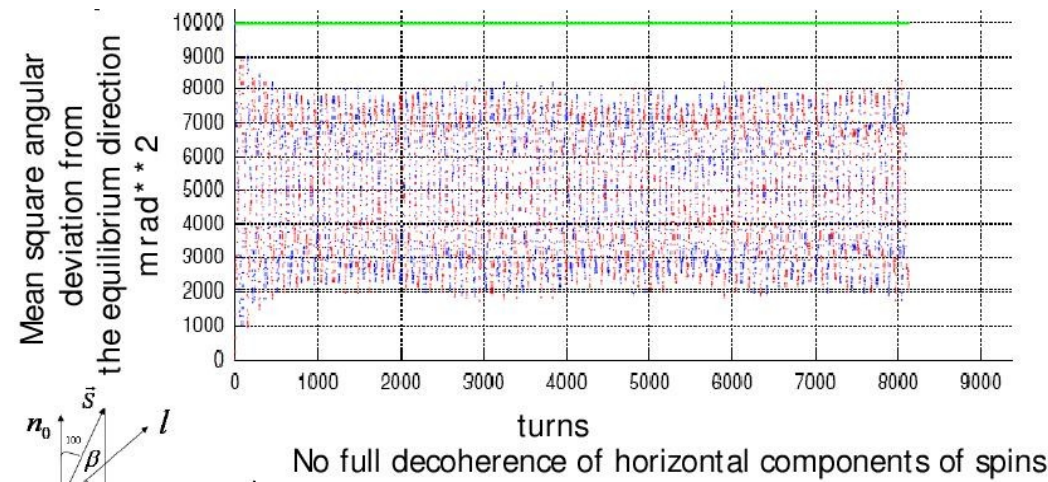
- **Bremsstrahlung process cannot be approximated via EPA!**
  - in CAIN: bremsstrahlung only included via EPA
  - has still to be done
- **EPA only in proper use, if polarization of virtual  $\gamma$  has been taken into account**
  - in CAIN no polarization of photons for BH, LL and Bremsstrahlung process
  - has been changed; expression for virtual polarizations derived
- **No correlation between polarization of final particles included**
  - can only be done if for all processes spin-density matrix has been calculated...
  - has been changed: full polarization included
- **Second order processes still need special treatment for EPA...but under control**

# Depolarization effects at the DR

- Precise Monte-Carlo simulations done including full 3-D spin motion (code SLICKTRACK):
  - No significant depolarization effects have been detected even for a positron beam with its large energy spread and transverse dimensions
- However, absence of full decoherence of the horizontal components of the spin observed in simulations:

→ **longitudinal polarization can survive!**

→ **Spin rotators needed for baseline design with 30%!**



# ***Depolarization in spin rotators***

- **Study on ILC spin rotators (see talk, P. Schmid, Orsay, 05/06)**

## Summary

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- A spin rotator was developed which meets all the design requirements. Elucidating the final installation tolerances utilizing beam-based alignment techniques is the subject of another investigation.
  - The perturbation imposed by the positron source on the electron polarization were calculated and considered negligible.
  - Depolarization effects due to misalignment seem to be a non-issue at 5 GeV. Displacing the most sensitive quadrupoles by 10 mm is required to cause an appreciable effect. The only depolarizing effect originates from parasitic dipole field components caused by misaligned quadrupoles.
- **Expected depolarization about 3% - 5%**

# ***Executive summary recommend.***

- **Polarimetry and energy measurement workshop@ Zeuthen 04/08**
  - executive summary sent to the GDE, please see arXiv:0808.1638
- **since baseline design provides small polarization**
  - flipping of helicity is required or destroy polarization completely (see talk of S. Riemann at LCWS07 and polarimetry workshop)
  - if even bunch compressor used: capture efficiency increased by factor 2, polarization raises up to 45%!.....

## ● **Recommendation:**

5. Implement parallel spin rotator beamlines with a kicker system before the damping ring to provide rapid helicity flipping of the positron spin.
6. Move the pre-DR positron spin rotator system from 5 GeV to 400 MeV. This eliminates expensive superconducting magnets and reduces costs.
7. Move the pre-DR electron spin rotator system to the source area. This eliminates expensive superconducting magnets and reduces costs.



# ***Conclusions***

- **Depolarization processes for all components under control**
- **Most of the theoretical uncertainties in CAIN worked out**
  - full polarization of particles provided
  - polarization of virtual photons correct for applicability of EPA
  - alternative QFT methods under work to derive TBMT and ST in strong external fields (ST already done)
- **Depolarization in DR, ML, BDS small**
  - null full decoherence in DRs
  - spin rotators before and after DR needed for baseline design
  - helicity flipping: kickers and SR at low energy (see exe. summary)

# ***Outlook***

- **Full automatic cradle-to-grave code still to be done**
- **Comparison of updates in beam-beam effects with Guinea-Pig**
  - ➔ **some discrepancies, but I think that's more a definition issue**
- **'Final' publication on all beam-beam effects**
- **Comparison with alternative QED methods for the derivation of TBMT and ST**
- **Application of 'new' theoretical methods also on target issues**

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