

# Surrogate models and sensitivity analysis for simulation of electron guns of high-frequency & high-power amplification devices

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# High-Frequency Tubes : High-Power amplifier

## Linear beam waves tubes (High-Frequency Waves Amplifier)

➤ Space Applications (Satellites) and Scientific (Particles Accelerator)

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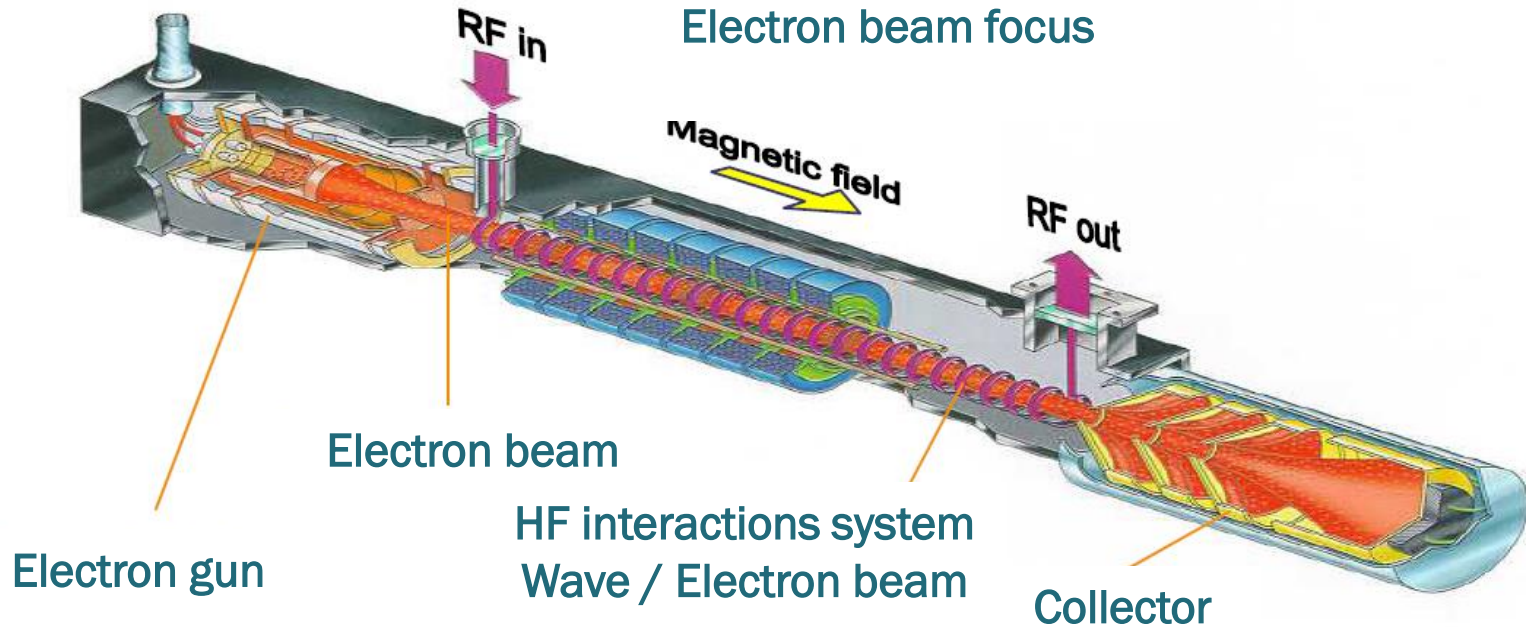


Helix Travelling Wave Tubes,  
embedded in satellites



Klystrons embedded in CERN  
accelerators

# High-Frequency Tubes : schematic diagram



# Use Case : Electron Gun Simulations (1)

## Modelling electronic optics for electron gun

### ➤ Voltage gaps between cathode and anodes

- Electric field force acting on beam electrons
- Electric field modified by electrons' charge

### ➤ Electrons' emission from cathode

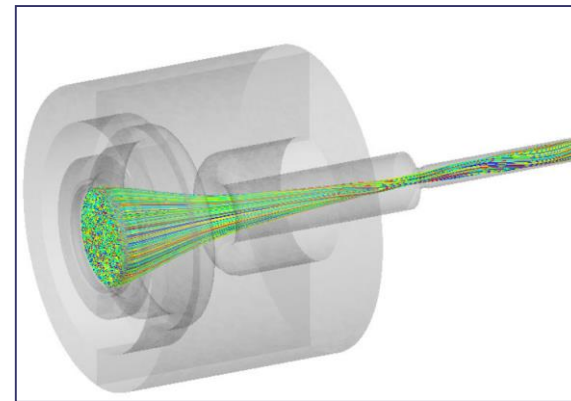
- Computing total emitted current by cathode value

### ➤ Particles' beam motion to interaction line

- Computation of electromagnetic field which acts on particles motion
- Electrons propagation between cathode and anodes, and then beyond

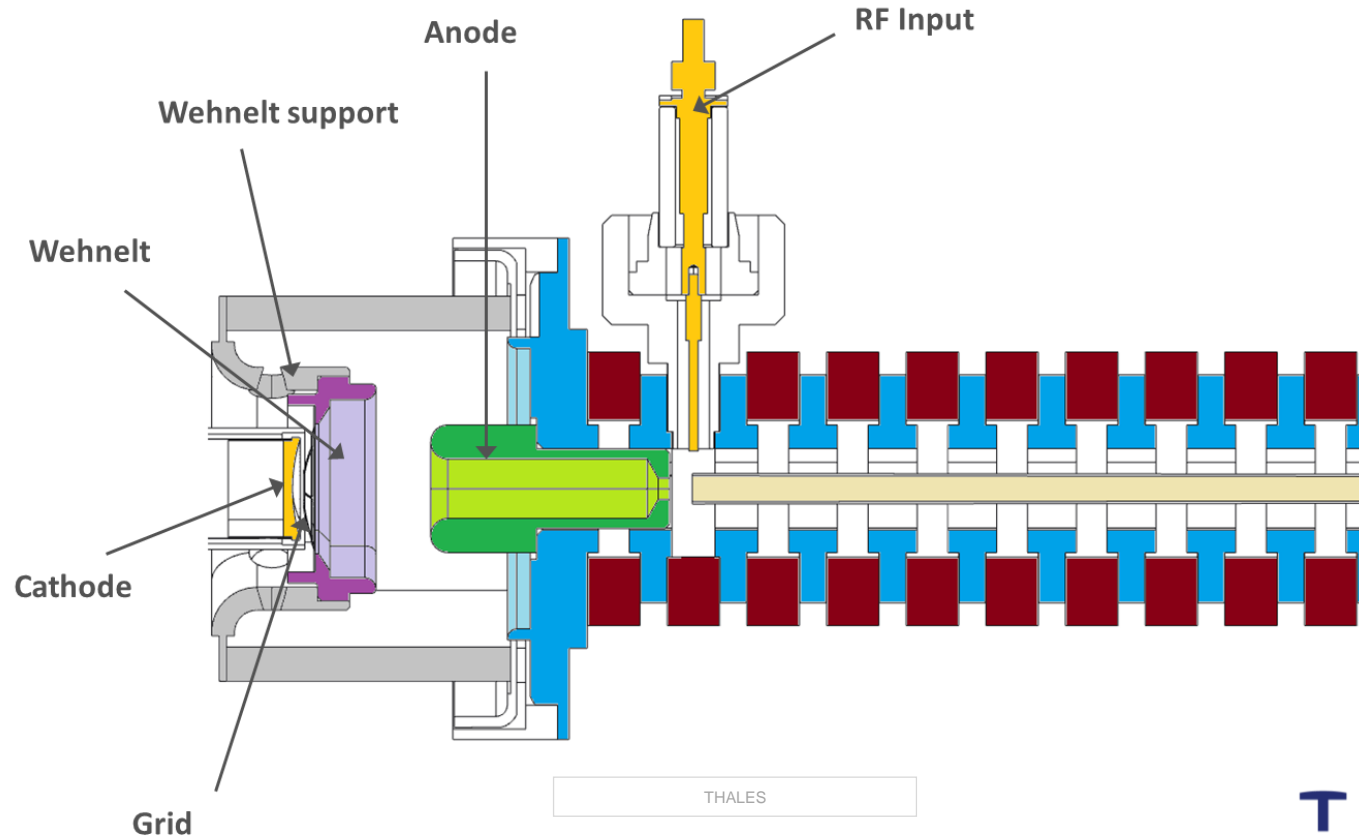
### ➤ Solve a coupled system

- Poisson's equation (which gives electric field locally modified by electrons) → **Finite elements method**
- Vlasov's equation (which governs particles motion with Lorentz's force) → **Method PIC**



# Use Case : Electron Gun Simulations (2)

## Schematic view of electron gun (study case)

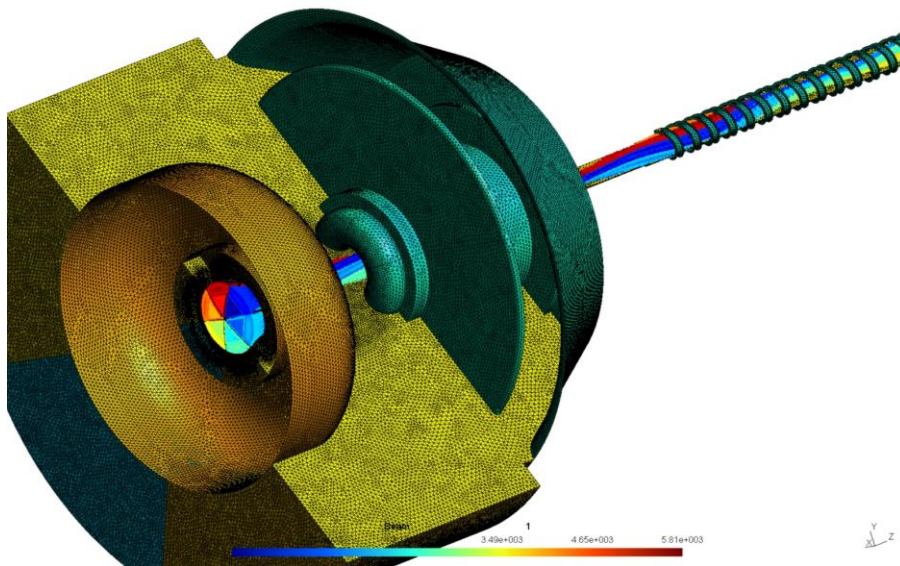
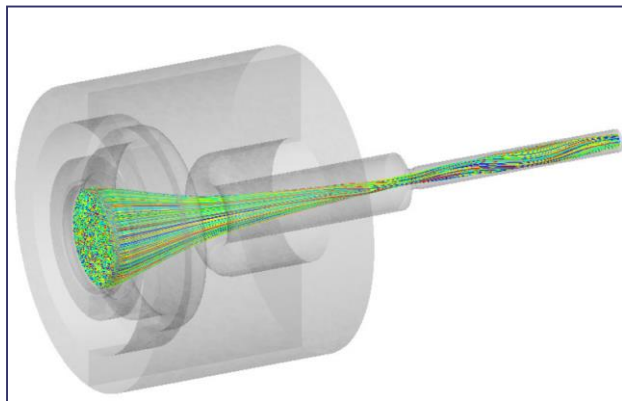
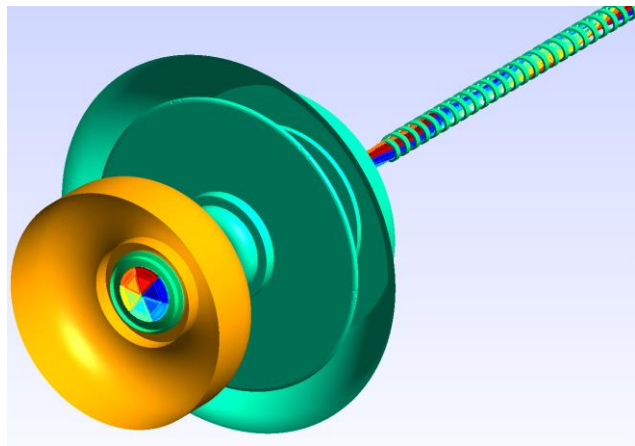


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# Use Case : Electron Gun Simulations (3)



## ANSYS ENVIRONMENT

- GEOMETRY MODELING
- MESHING
- PARAMETERS SETTINGS
- ACT

# Use Case : Electron Gun Simulations (4)

## Quantities of interest :

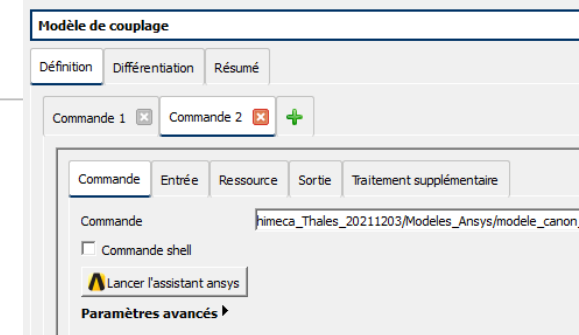
- Total current emitted by cathode
- Electron beam shape :
  - External radius of electron beam, as a function of longitudinal abscissa
  - Radius minimum which characterizes beam waist
- Body currents intercepted on metallic pieces (to minimize in order to maximize performances)

## Many random input parameters

- Geometry characteristics (manufacturing tolerances & bias)
- Issues about concentricity/alignment of assembly components
- Voltages values applied on cathode, anodes
- Magnets characteristics

**Purposes : confirm technicians' observations / focus efforts on compliance with tolerances of specific parts**





- Ansys WorkBench project related with a parametric model
- Ability of batch runs of this Ansys project with a specific command file (similar to python script)
- In this way, Persalys can :
  - Load Ansys WorkBench project and recognize automatically all inputs/outputs parameters chosen by user in this project
  - Execute Ansys coupling model
    - Generate an Ansys command file
    - Ansys batch run
    - Recover Ansys computation results
  - This allows within Persalys to achieve on-shot computation or full DOE computations

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# A- Screening with Morris method (1)

## First model was including 44 uncertain input parameters

- 42 geometry characteristics + 2 electric parameters
- Modelled with distribution laws : uniform, normal or lognormal

## Purpose : reduce uncertain input parameters' number in order to build easier surrogate models

## Execution of a Morris' Design of experiments of 900 simulations/points (computation duration : 6 min)

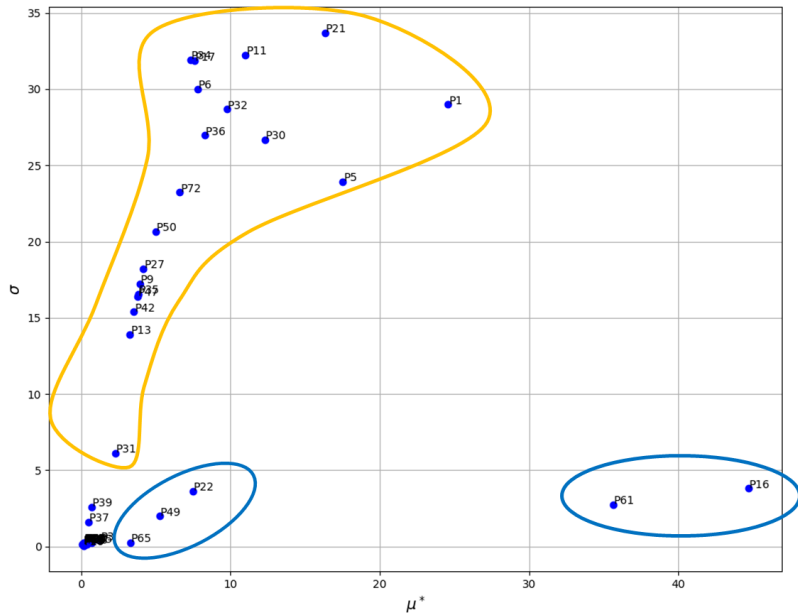
## A- Screening with Morris method (2) : Results

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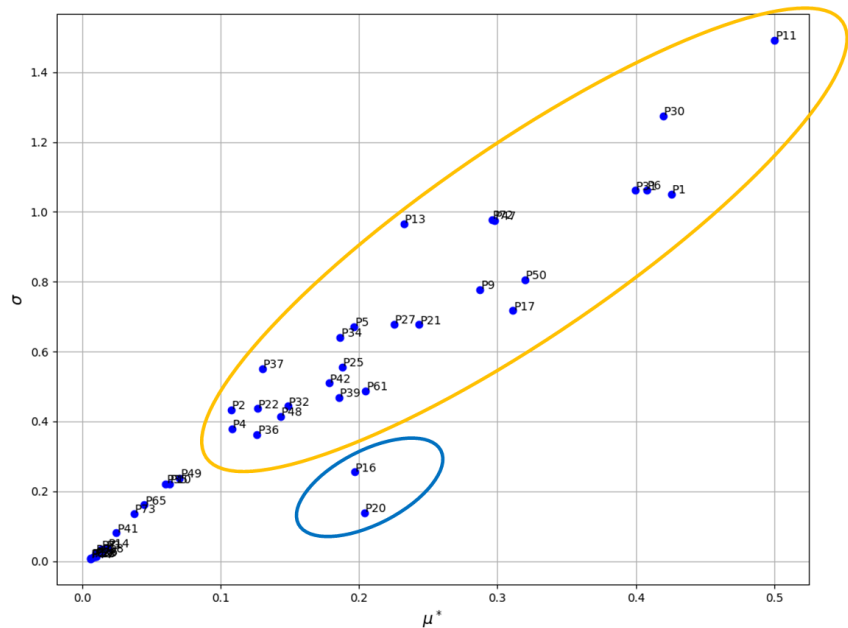
## Sort of most influential inputs, common with all studied results

- Reducing to 20 inputs (19 geometry characteristics + 1 electric parameter)

Morris - Elementary effects for P54 - Beam characteristics CurrentAll [mA]



Morris - Elementary effects for P55 - Beam characteristics BeamWaist R95 [mm]



## B- Building surrogate models (1)

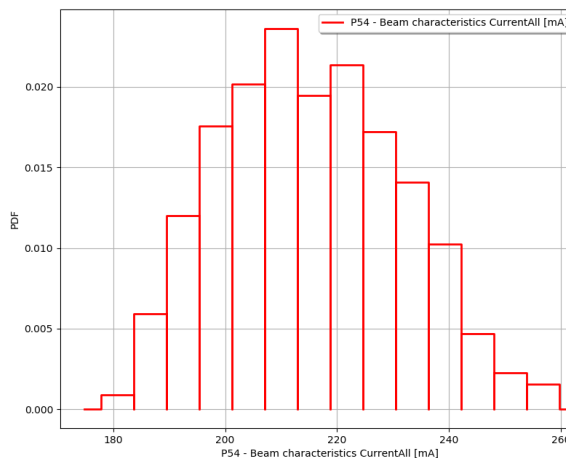
- Second model with 20 input parameters
- Execution of several design of experiments (DOE)
  - Different algorithms used, including 200, 400 and 1000 computations/points
- Graphical analysis of results got with these DOE (histograms, boxplots)
- Surrogate models building (kriging and polynomial chaos expansion)
  - For result : total current emitted by cathode I<sub>k</sub>
  - For result : min of electron beam radius R<sub>95</sub>
  - For result : body intercepted current on grid I<sub>hg</sub>

# B- Building surrogate models (2)

## Graphical analysis of these DOA results (histograms)

DOE of 1000 points – LHS with simulated annealing algorithm, criterion C2

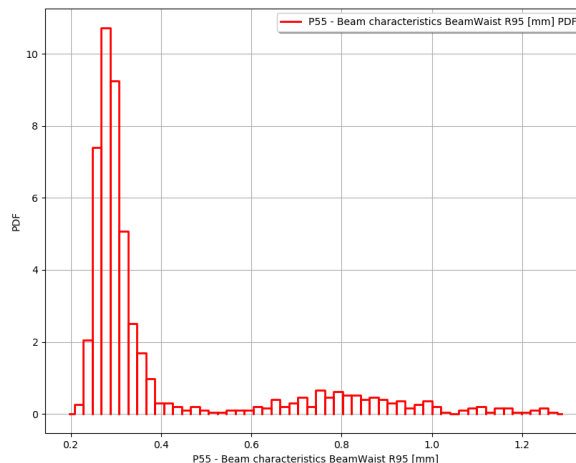
Histogramme of 'P54 - Beam characteristics CurrentAll [mA]'



For total current emitted  
by cathode Ik

CV  $\approx$  7.5%

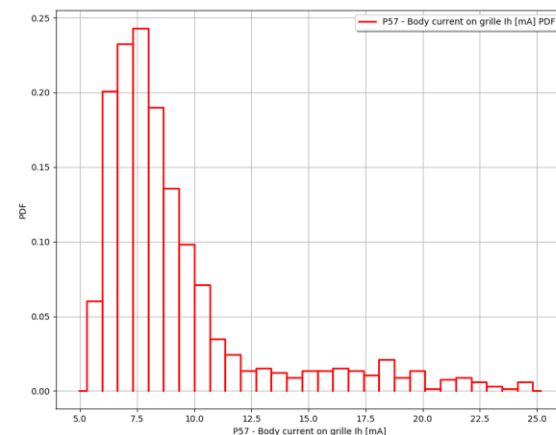
Histogramme of 'P55 - Beam characteristics BeamWaist R95 [mm]'



For min of electron beam  
radius R95

CV  $\approx$  57.8%

Histogramme of 'P57 - Body current on grille Ih [mA]'



For body intercepted  
current on grid Ihg

CV  $\approx$  39.4%



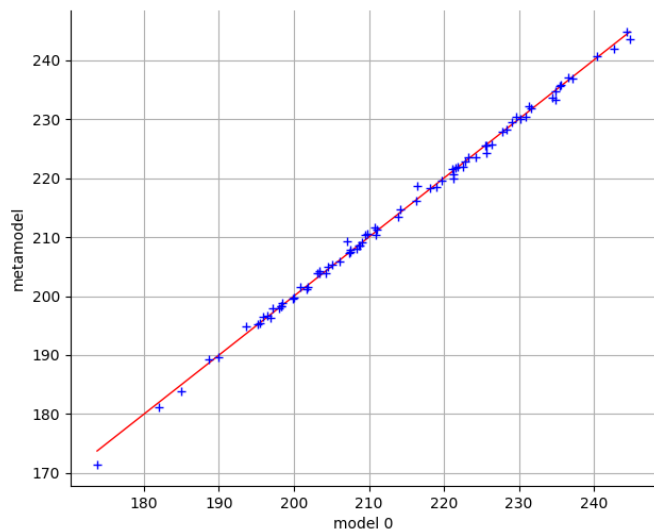
## B- Building surrogate models (3)

### Building surrogate models : kriging or polynomial chaos expansion

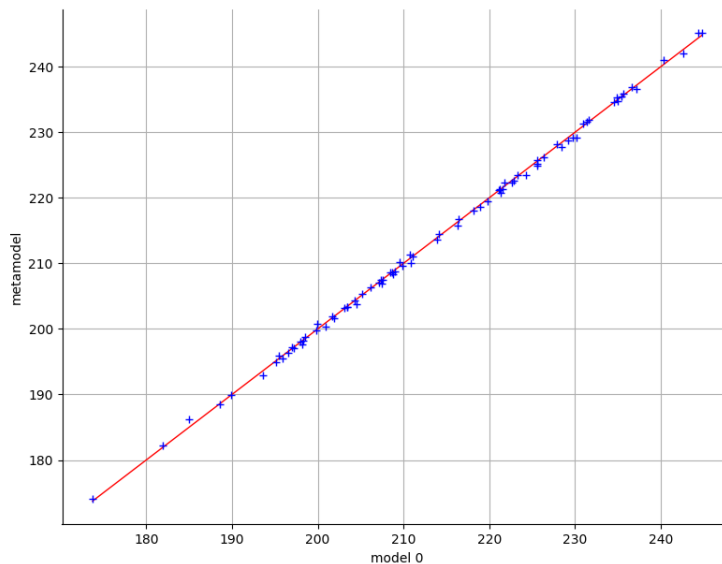
#### ➤ For total current emitted by cathode Ik

- DOE 200 points :  $Q2 \approx 0.98-0.99$  for kriging /  $Q2 \approx 0.95-0.99$  for PCE
- DOE 400 points & 1000 points :  $Q2 > 0.99$  for both surrogate model types

Kriging with linear basis  
Validation for 'P54 - Beam characteristics CurrentAll [mA]' :  $Q2 = [0.997942]$



Chaos Polynomial Metamodel validation for P54 - Beam characteristics CurrentAll [mA] :  $Q2=0.999234$   
MaximumTotalDegree = 5



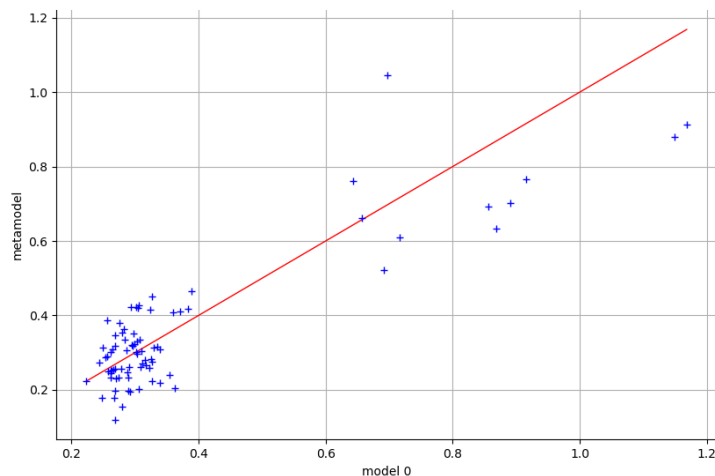
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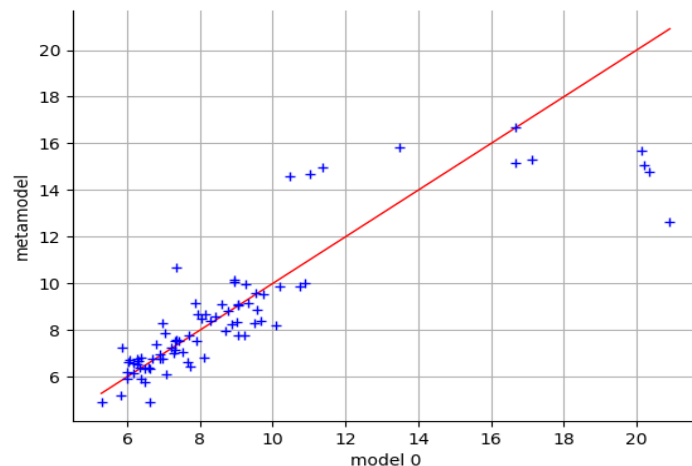
#### ➤ For min of electron beam radius R95 & body intercepted current on grid Ihg

- Q2 : sometimes  $< 0$ , improved by increasing points number in DOE
- DOE 1000 points : Q2  $\approx 0.5$ -0.75 for kriging & Q2  $\approx 0.4$ -0.8 for PCE

Chaos Polynomial Metamodel validation for P55 - Beam characteristics BeamWaist R95 [mm] : Q2=0.755782  
MaximumTotalDegree = 7



Kriging with constant basis  
Validation for 'P57 - Body current on grille Ih [mA]' : Q2 = [0.745569]



Kriging for body intercepted current on grid Ihg

PCE for min of electron beam radius R95

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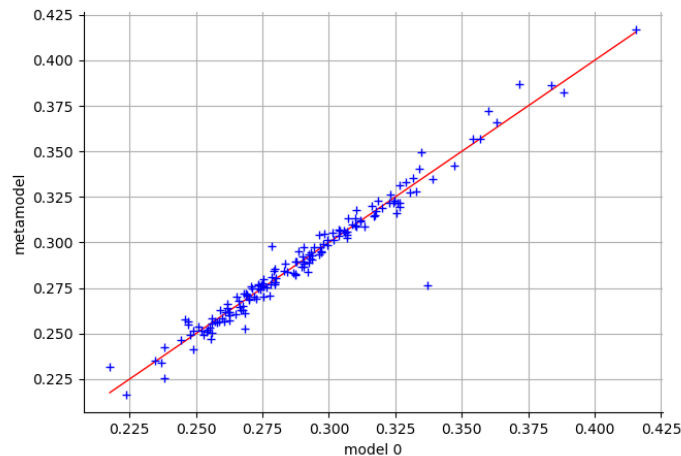
## B- Building surrogate models (5)

### Building surrogate models : kriging or polynomial chaos expansion

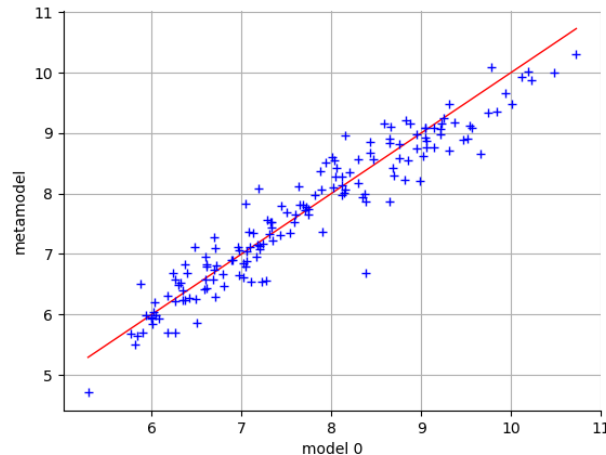
#### ➤ For min of electron beam radius R95 & body intercepted current on grid Ihg

- Tests of classification methods with **otmixmod** (DOE 1000 points)
  - no improvements ( $Q2 \approx 0.3-0.6$ )
- Data filtering from DOE 1000 points (take off cases with results > thresholds)
  - improvements ! ( $Q2 \approx 0.8-0.95$ )

Kriging with quadratic basis  
Validation for 'P55 - Beam characteristics BeamWaist R95 [mm]' :  $Q2 = [0.956057]$



Kriging with linear basis  
Validation for 'P57 - Body current on grille Ih [mA]' :  $Q2 = [0.907353]$



Kriging for body intercepted current on grid Ihg

Kriging for min of electron beam radius R95

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# C- Global sensitivity analysis (1)

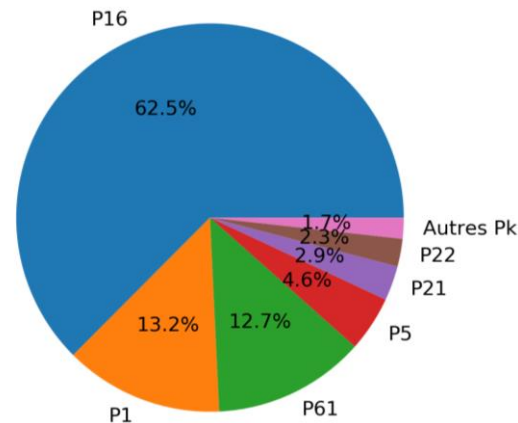
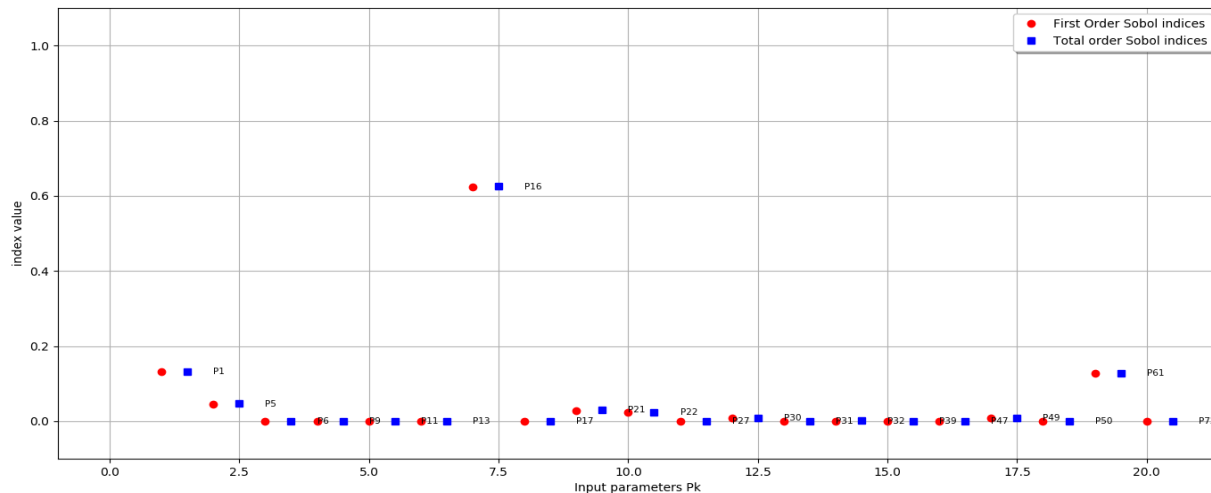
## Determination of Sobol indices with surrogate models

### ➤ For total current emitted by cathode Ik

Full DOE 1000 points

- Total and 1<sup>st</sup> order indices very close;  $1 - \sum S_i \approx 0.003$  very close to 0;
- >> few interactions between parameters
- >> input parameter P16 is predominant

Sobol's indices for 'P54 - Beam characteristics CurrentAll [mA]'



# C- Global sensitivity analysis (2)

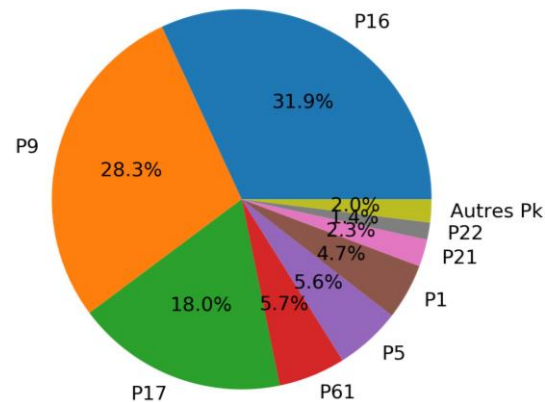
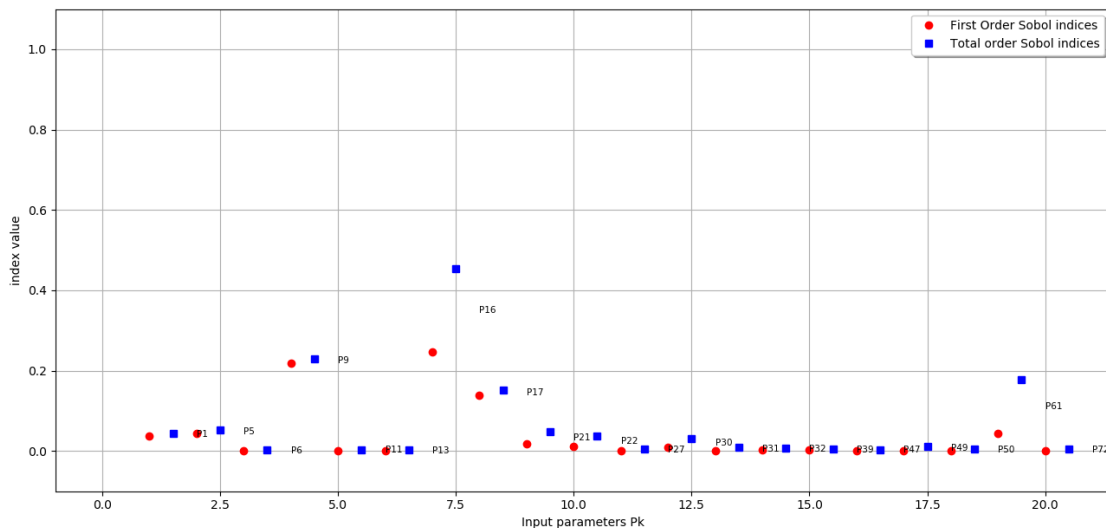
## Determination of Sobol indices with surrogate models

### ➤ For min of electron beam radius R95

- Total and 1<sup>st</sup> order indices different;  $1 - \sum S_i \approx 0.23$ ;
- >> interactions between inputs acting on variability

DOE 1000 points filtered

Sobol's indices for 'P55 - Beam characteristics BeamWaist R95 [mm]'



# C- Global sensitivity analysis (3)

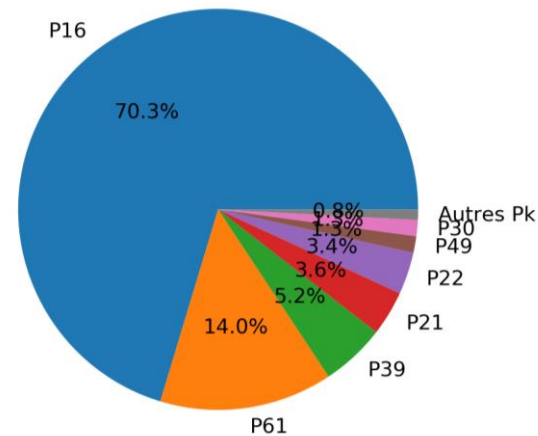
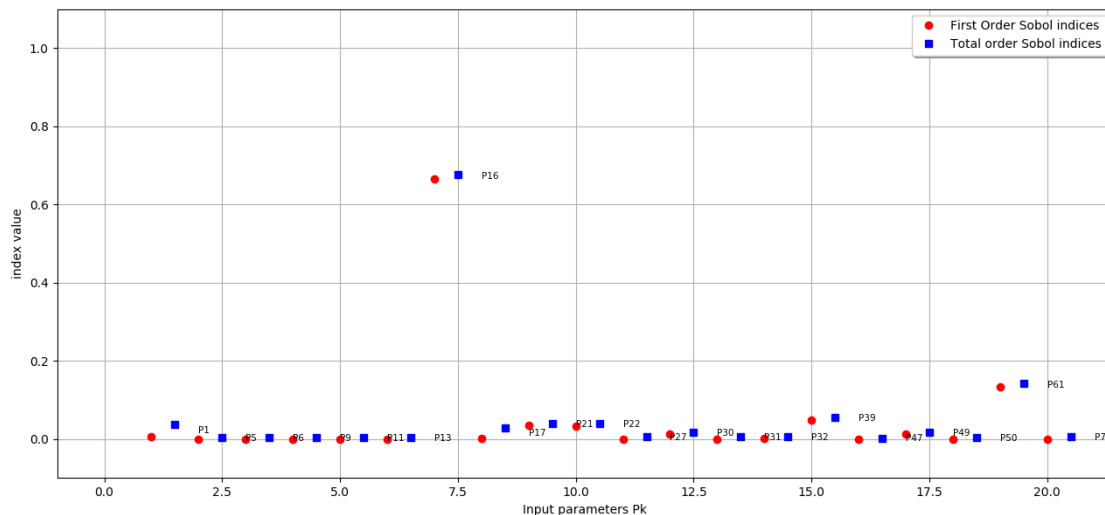
## Determination of Sobol indices with surrogate models

### ➤ For body intercepted current on grid lhg

- Total and 1<sup>st</sup> order indices very close;  $1 - \sum S_i \approx 0.05$  very close to 0;
- >> few interactions between parameters
- >> input parameter P16 is predominant

DOE 1000 points filtered

Sobol's indices for 'P57 - Body current on grille lh [mA]'





# Conclusions & Perspectives

## Sort most influential input parameters

- One parameter « P16 » with major influence
- 3 to 5 parameters with secondary influence

## To be continued :

- Central tendency and dispersion measures
- Apply process on another electron gun configuration (without grid)
- Take into account external magnetic field applying on electron beam (variability of magnets geometry and physical characteristics)

**Thanks for your attention !**

**Some questions ?**

**Some suggestions ?**



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# Appendix : Most influential input parameters

## For total current emitted by cathode Ik

P16 - Plane_WehneltGrille.LCathodeGrilleWehnelt [mm]
P1 - Plane_Cathode.HConcavite [mm]
P61 - potential grille wehnelt potential [V]
P5 - Plane_Anode.LCathodeAnode [mm]
P21 - Plane_WehneltGrille.RintAxe [mm]
P22 - Plane_WehneltGrille.EpaisSupportG [mm]

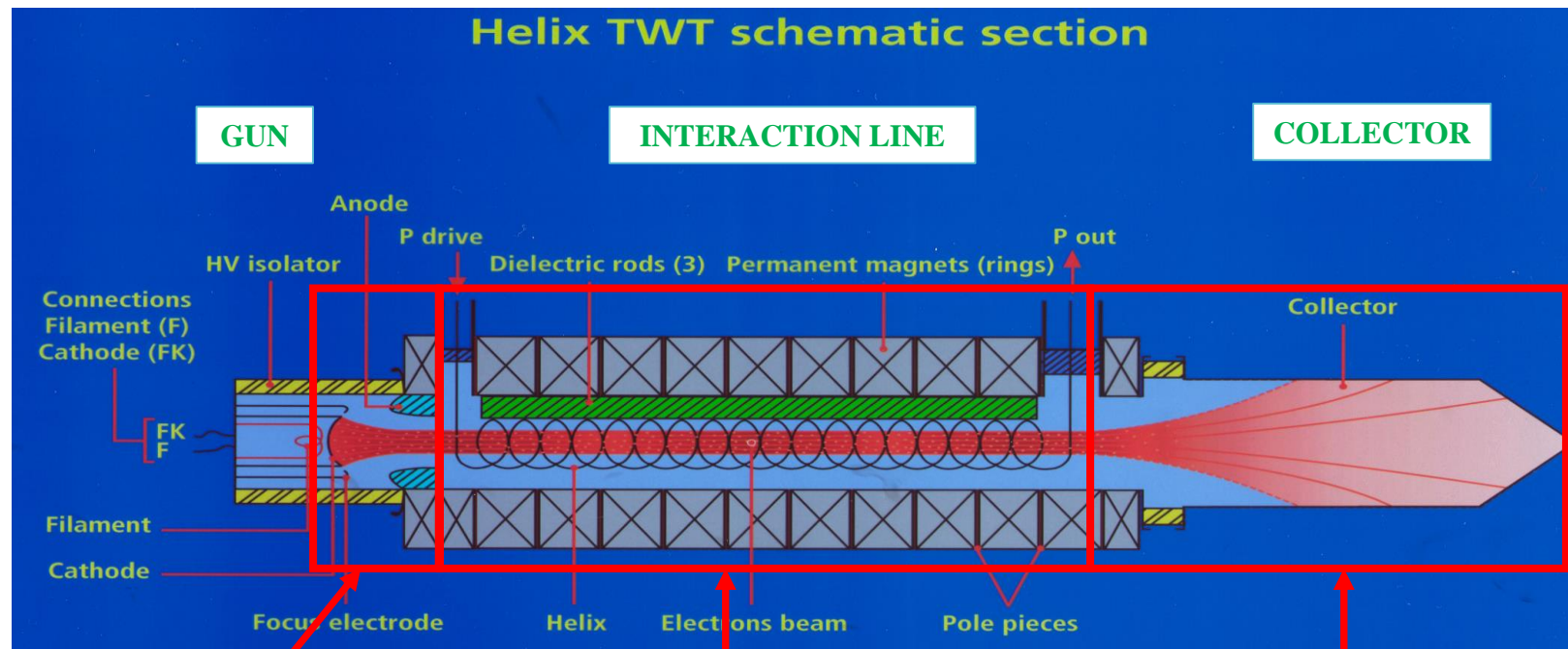
## For min of electron beam radius R95

P16 - Plane_WehneltGrille.LCathodeGrilleWehnelt [mm]
P9 - Plane_Anode.AParallelisme [degree]
P17 - Plane_WehneltGrille.RDecentrageGW [mm]
P61 - potential grille wehnelt potential [V]
P5 - Plane_Anode.LCathodeAnode [mm]
P1 - Plane_Cathode.HConcavite [mm]
P21 - Plane_WehneltGrille.RintAxe [mm]
P22 - Plane_WehneltGrille.EpaisSupportG [mm]

## For body intercepted current on grid Ihg

P16 - Plane_WehneltGrille.LCathodeGrilleWehnelt [mm]
P61 - potential grille wehnelt potential [V]
P39 - Plane_GrilleShape.Rint2 [mm]
P21 - Plane_WehneltGrille.RintAxe [mm]
P22 - Plane_WehneltGrille.EpaisSupportG [mm]
P49 - Plane_WehneltGrille.AngleWehnelt [degree]
P30 - Plane_WehneltGrille.HconcaviteGrille [mm]

# Context : Tubes simulations : 3 physics phenomena



**2D/3D Tools  
Focalisation  
(Emission + Transport)**

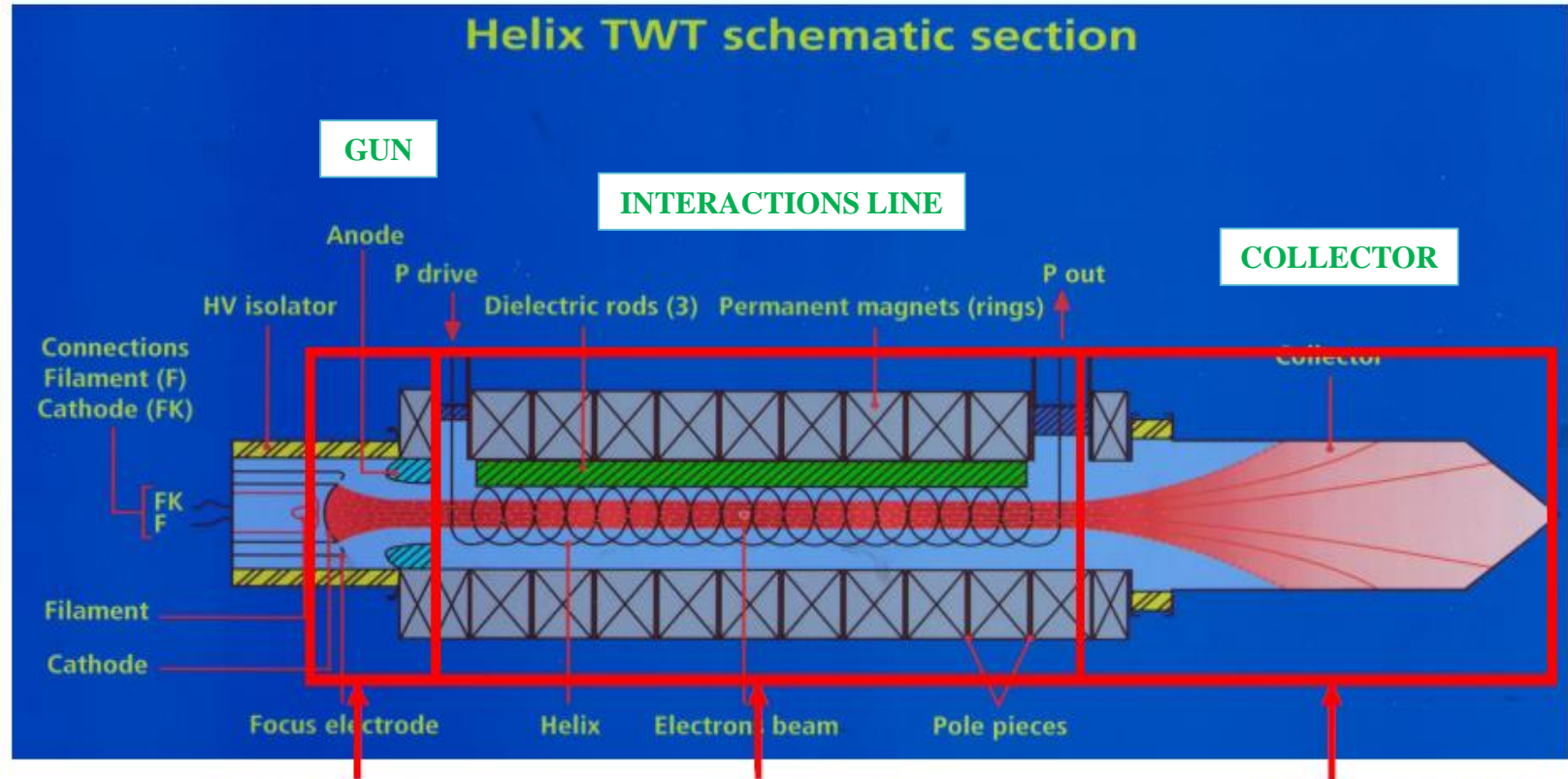
**2D/3D Tools  
Gain & Efficiency  
(Interaction)**

**2D/3D Tools  
Collector performance  
(Transport + Re-emission)**

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Gun Optic Codes  
Emiss Laws + Beam Transp  
PIC, Poisson

Interaction Codes  
Cold Param + Space charge + Beam Transp  
PIC, Poisson, Helmholtz, Maxwell

Collector Optic Codes  
Re-Emiss Laws + Beam Transp  
PIC, Poisson