

All Coils Ioffe-Pritchard Magnetic Trap

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1 Introduction

The aim of this research project was to design and test an alternative component for the permanent magnet, hybrid IP trap currently used in the experimental set up of the *McGuirk Ultra Cold Atom Research Group*, looking to improve features such as flexibility and optical access. After a sensible AMO literature survey, the design introduced in [1] and described further in [2] of an All Coils IP Trap was chosen. Multiple simulations were later developed in MATLAB to test the feasibility of the design. Some preliminary machine drawings were proposed as well, taking into account physical and practical constraints. This document includes and explains the trap design, simulations and results in detail.

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2 Electromagnetic Theory

All units should be assumed to be in **CGS**, with $\mu_0 = 0.4\pi$. The current is given in Amp-turns, with $I = NI_0$ with I_0 being the source current in amps.

2.1 Current Coil

The magnetic field for a current loop with radius R , current I , centered at the z axis and displaced from the origin by a vertical distance A (see Figure 1) can be calculated from

through the vector potential:

$$\mathbf{B} = \nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \nabla \times \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \iiint \frac{\mathbf{J}}{|\mathbf{r}|} d^3r \quad (2.1)$$

and it can be shown (see Appendix A) that this leads to the respective component equations[3, 4, 5]:

$$\begin{aligned} B_\rho &= \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi\rho} \frac{z-A}{\sqrt{(R+\rho)^2 + (z-A)^2}} \left\{ -\mathbb{K}(\kappa^2) + \frac{R^2 - \rho^2 - (z-A)^2}{(R-\rho)^2 + (z-A)^2} \mathbb{E}(\kappa^2) \right\} \\ B_z &= \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi} \frac{1}{\sqrt{(R+\rho)^2 + (z-A)^2}} \left\{ \mathbb{K}(\kappa^2) + \frac{R^2 - \rho^2 - (z-A)^2}{(R-\rho)^2 + (z-A)^2} \mathbb{E}(\kappa^2) \right\} \\ B_\phi &= 0 \end{aligned} \quad (2.2)$$

with

$$\kappa^2 = \frac{4R\rho}{(R+\rho)^2 + (z-A)^2}$$

where $\mathbb{K}(\kappa^2)$ and $\mathbb{E}(\kappa^2)$ are the elliptic integrals of first and second kind, respectively.

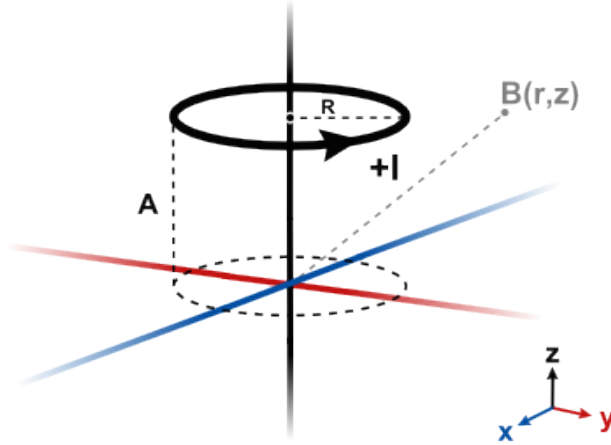


Figure 1: Current Coil with a positive current I , with a radius R and a vertical distance from the origin A

The field equations given in (2.2) can be approximated around the origin (i.e. $z = 0$ and $\rho = 0$) with a series expansion. If we define the purely geometrical factors:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{F} &= \frac{R^2}{(R^2 + A^2)^{3/2}} & \mathbb{G} &= \frac{3}{2} \frac{AR^2}{(R^2 + A^2)^{5/2}} \\ \mathbb{H} &= \frac{3R^2(4A^2 - R^2)}{(R^2 + A^2)^{7/2}} & \mathbb{I} &= \frac{5}{2} \frac{AR^2(4A^2 - 3R^2)}{(R^2 + A^2)^{9/2}} \end{aligned} \quad (2.3)$$

These geometrical factors have units of inverse length ($[\text{cm}^{-1}]$ for \mathbb{F} , $[\text{cm}^{-2}]$ for \mathbb{G} , and so on) so that when multiplied by the factor $\mu_0 I$ they result in units of magnetic field (or its respective spatial derivatives). Up third order, the expansion can be written as (see Appendix B):

$$\begin{aligned} B_z &= \mu_0 I \left\{ \frac{1}{2} \mathbb{F} + \mathbb{G} z + \frac{1}{4} \mathbb{H} (z^2 - \rho^2/2) + \frac{1}{2} \mathbb{I} (z^3 - 3z\rho^2/2) + \dots \right\} \\ B_\rho &= \mu_0 I \left\{ \mathbb{G} (-\rho/2) + \frac{1}{4} \mathbb{H} (-\rho z) + \frac{1}{2} \mathbb{I} (3\rho^3/8 - 3\rho z^2/2) + \dots \right\} \end{aligned} \quad (2.4)$$

In the equations above, \mathbb{F} can be associated with an overall bias field. \mathbb{G} and \mathbb{H} are also closely related to the field's gradient and curvature, respectively.

2.2 Helmholtz Coils Pair

A Helmholtz pair is assembled with two current loops with a radius R , aligned along a common axis z and vertically displaced by A and $-A$ respectively; both run a current I in the same direction (see Figure 2). The magnetic field can be exactly calculated by adding the contribution of each coil as given by equation (2.2).

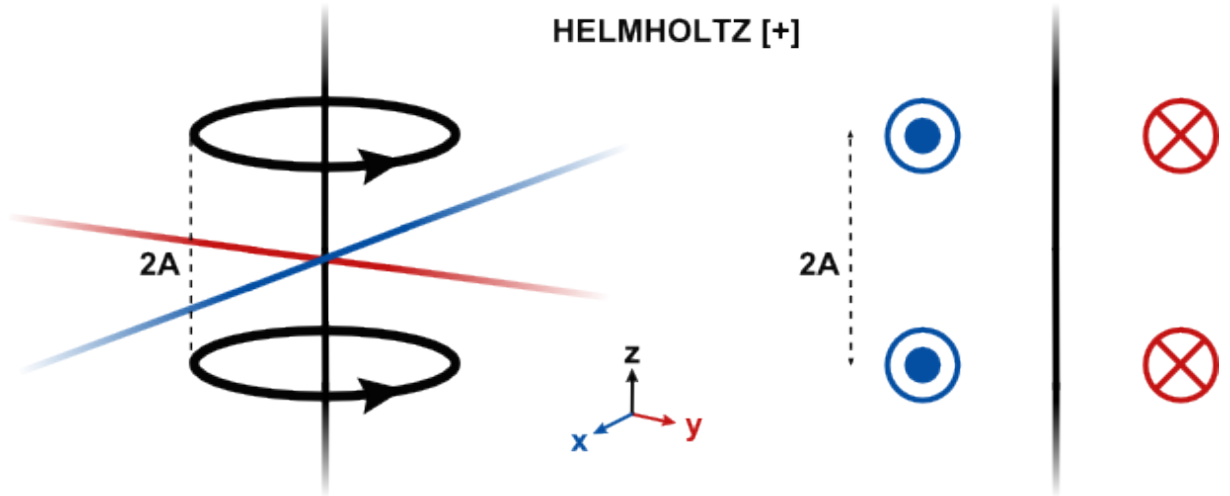


Figure 2: Helmholtz coil pair with a total separation of $2A$, running a positive current I on both coils

The field near the origin, however, can be approximated by using equation (2.4). Given the described configuration, the geometrical factors for each coil remain invariant except for \mathbb{G} and \mathbb{I} , which become negative for the lower coil due to being odd functions of A . With both currents running in the same direction, both the \mathbb{G} and \mathbb{I} terms cancel each other while the rest doubles. Thus, the total field can be approximated up to third order

by:

$$\begin{aligned} B_z &= \mu_0 I \left\{ \mathbb{F} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbb{H} (z^2 - \rho^2/2) + \dots \right\} \\ B_\rho &= \mu_0 I \left\{ \frac{1}{2} \mathbb{H} (-\rho z) + \dots \right\} \end{aligned} \quad (2.5)$$

It is worth noticing that $\mathbb{H} = 0$ for $R = 2A$, and thus, using such configuration produces a nearly constant field along the common axis of the pair. On the other hand, \mathbb{H} is a maximum with $R = \sqrt{\frac{4}{3}}A$.

2.3 Anti-Helmholtz Coils Pair

An anti-Helmholtz pair is assembled in a closely similar manner; except that in this case the coil's currents I run in opposite directions (see Figure). just as before, the magnetic field can be exactly calculated by adding the contribution of each coil as given by equation (2.2).

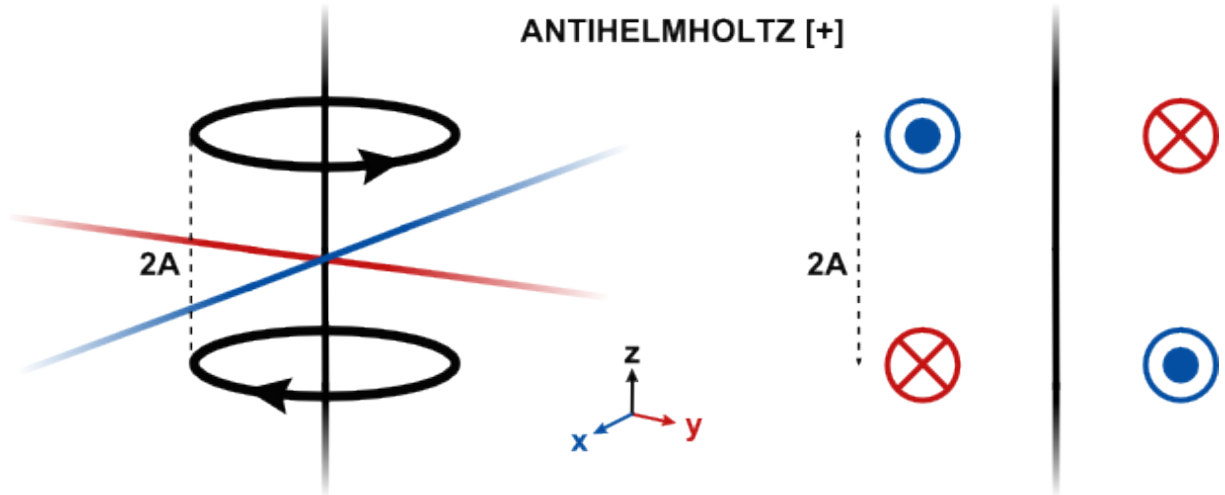


Figure 3: Anti-Helmholtz coil pair with a total separation of $2A$, running a positive current I on the upper coil

With both currents running in the opposite direction, the \mathbb{F} and \mathbb{H} terms cancel each other while the rest doubles. Thus, the total field can be approximated up to third order by:

$$\begin{aligned} B_z &= \mu_0 I \left\{ 2 \mathbb{G} z + \mathbb{I} (z^3 - 3z\rho^2/2) + \dots \right\} \\ B_\rho &= \mu_0 I \left\{ 2 \mathbb{G} (-\rho/2) + \mathbb{I} (3\rho^3/8 - 3\rho z^2/2) + \dots \right\} \end{aligned} \quad (2.6)$$

It is worth noticing that $\mathbb{I} = 0$ for $R = \sqrt{\frac{4}{3}}A$, and thus, using such configuration produces cancels out the higher order terms. On the other hand, \mathbb{G} is a maximum with $R = 2A$. Also, the magnitude of the linear gradient in the axial direction doubles that of the radial one.

3 The Ioffe-Pritchard Trap

3.1 BEC's and Magnetic Trapping

In order to create a Bose condensate, atoms must be cooled and compressed until the thermal de Broglie wavelength is comparable to the average interatomic spacing. The use of conservative traps allows for both accommodating and compressing these atoms. This provides a high collision environment, which in turn allows for an efficient RF evaporative cooling process. Such trapping potentials have been realized with both DC and AC magnetic fields, microwave fields and off-resonant laser beams [6].

Magnetic trapping is particularly effective when working with alkali metals, as magnetic forces interact strongly with the magnetic moment resulting from the unpaired electron[7]. The energy of this interaction is given by:

$$U = -\boldsymbol{\mu} \cdot \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{r}) \quad (3.1)$$

where $\boldsymbol{\mu} = m_F g_F \mu_B \mathbf{F}$ and m_F is the Zeeman state of the atom, g_F is the total momentum g-factor, μ_B is the Bohr magneton and \mathbf{F} is the total angular momentum of the atom. Given that the force felt by the atoms is position dependent as well, a magnetic field gradient can be used for confinement if it allows for a magnetic potential energy minimum. Weak field seeking states ($m_F g_F > 0$) can be trapped, for example, with a local minimum in the magnetic field. Strong field seeking states, on the other hand, can't be trapped with static fields, as Wing's theorem prohibits the existence of a local magnetic field maxima on the later.

This situation imposes a strong limiting factor in the shape of the magnetic trap's field, as the presence of zeros on it would crate regions which favor Majorana spin flips in the atoms. The possibility for some of the trapped atoms to transition into strong seekers would then result in an unstable configuration[2]. The lowest order (and therefore tightest) trap which can use an overall bias field to overcome this problem is a harmonic trap[7]. Such a potential is generally achieved with small variations on the magnetic trapping's workhorse, the Ioffe-Pritchard trap.

3.2 Standard IP Trap

The original configuration for the IP trap (see Figure) consists of 4 straight, current-carrying bars which create a confining quadrupole field in the radial direction. A pair of coils known as pinch coils (PI) are also used to add a curvature to the field in the axial direction and therefore to provide the axial confinement. Lastly, an extra pair of coils

known as the compensation coils (CO) is also incorporated to compensate for the field offset created by the PI coils and control the trap's bias and depth in a more systematic way. Generally, since the bars and the PI coils are relatively close to the atoms, this configuration is particularly efficient at producing tight trapping potentials[7]. There are multiple configurations which produce an IP geometry, and since its introduction, multiple winding patterns such as the baseball, yin-yang, racetrack, QUIC, or cloverleaf ones have been introduced, each one having different degrees of flexibility, efficiency, optical access and ease of construction.

The IP configuration which was chosen and simulated was the one firstly introduced in [1] and described further by Vasiliki Bolpasi on her Ph.D. dissertation[2]. The novelty of the design consists on replacing the traditional Ioffe bars by a configuration of 2 pairs of coils which can produce the same confining, quadrupole field with a lower power consumption. The main strength of this coil-based configuration lies on its flexibility, as smart combinations of currents in the different coils can produce a range of aspect ratios and trapping parameters. Also, due to the ready-made shape and geometry, the trap can be used as a QUIC trap or a TOP trap as well by using specific distributions of currents in the coils.

3.3 All Coil Configuration

The spatial configuration of the All-Coils IP trap is shown in Figures 4 and 5. The z direction is assumed to be parallel to the vacuum cell's length. Both the PI coils and the CO coils are running currents in a Helmholtz configuration (i.e. both coils in the same direction), but the former runs a positive current while the latter a negative one (for simulation purposes). Both the BI and SI coils are running currents in an Anti-Helmholtz configuration (opposite directions). It is worth noticing that for the SI set, the upper coil is running a positive current, while for the BI set the upper one is running a negative one. This inversion accounts for the cancellation of the z contribution to the magnetic field by the Ioffe set (i.e. BI and SI combined).

3.4 Magnetic Field Derivation

BIG IOFFE COILS (BI)

By setting the constrain $R_{BI} = \sqrt{\frac{4}{3}}A_{BI}$ it follows that $\mathbb{I}_{BI} = 0$, and so the magnetic field \mathbf{B}_{BI} can be directly extracted from the field equation for an anti-Helmholtz pair as described in (2.6). Expressed in cartesian coordinates $\langle x, y, z \rangle$, it would be given by:

$$\mathbf{B}_{BI} = \langle -\alpha_{BI}, -\alpha_{BI}, 2\alpha_{BI} \rangle$$

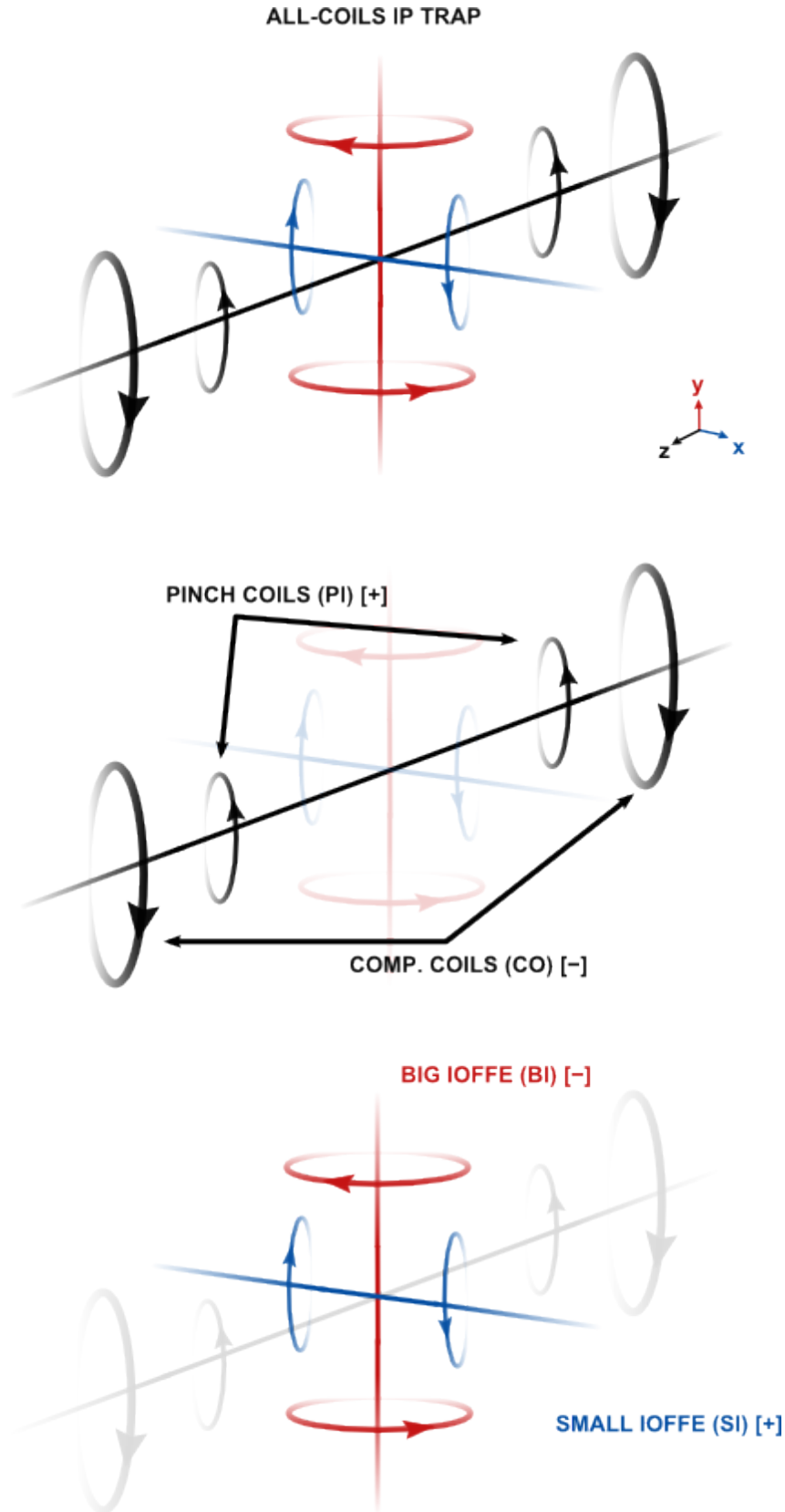


Figure 4: Coil configuration for the All Coils IP Trap. The Pinch (PI) and Compensation (CO) coils are shown in black. The Big Ioffe coils (BI) are shown in red and the small ones (SI) in blue

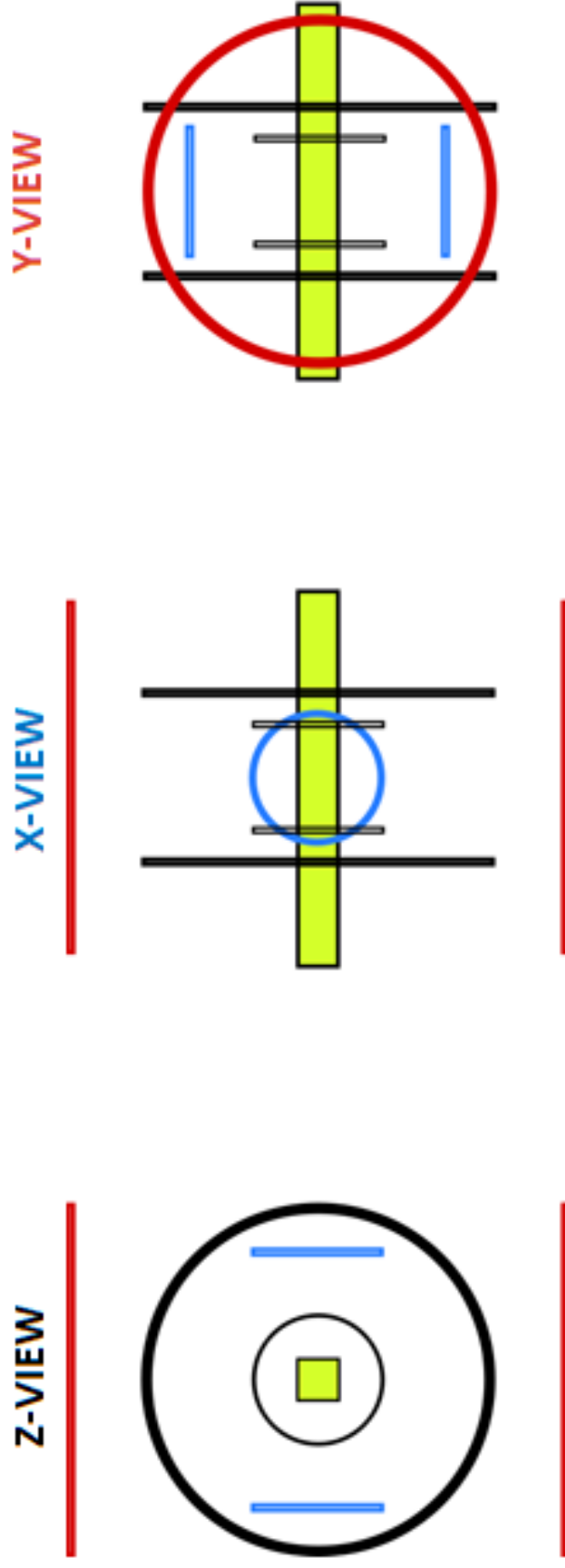


Figure 5: Side view of the IP trap. The Pinch (PI) and Compensation (CO) coils are shown in black. The Big Ioffe coils (BI) are shown in red and the small ones (SI) in blue. The Vacuum cell is shown in yellow.

with

$$\alpha_{BI} = \mu_0 I_{BI} \mathbb{G}_{BI}$$

However, given that the real BI coils are rotated so that y is their symmetry axis ($\mathbb{R}_x(-\pi/2)$), and they are running currents in the opposite direction from that described in (2.6). Thus, the correct field equation would be given by:

$$\mathbf{B}_{BI} = \langle \alpha_{BI} , -2\alpha_{BI} , \alpha_{BI} \rangle \quad (3.2)$$

SMALL IOFFE COILS (BI) Similarly, \mathbf{B}_{SI} can be extracted from (2.6). In this case, however, x is their symmetry axis ($\mathbb{R}_y(\pi/2)$). No reversing of current is needed this time, and so the correct field equation would be given by:

$$\mathbf{B}_{SI} = \langle 2\alpha_{SI} , -\alpha_{SI} , -\alpha_{SI} \rangle \quad (3.3)$$

PINCH COILS (PI)

In this case the magnetic field \mathbf{B}_{PI} can be extracted from the field equation a Helmholtz pair as described in (2.5), which would yield:

$$\mathbf{B}_{PI} = \left\langle -\frac{1}{2}\beta_{PI}xz , -\frac{1}{2}\beta_{PI}yz , B_{0,PI} + \frac{1}{2}\beta_{PI}(z^2 + \rho^2) \right\rangle \quad (3.4)$$

with

$$B_{0,PI} = \mu_0 I_{PI} \mathbb{F}_{PI} \quad \text{and} \quad \beta_{PI} = \mu_0 I_{PI} \mathbb{H}_{PI}$$

COMPENSATION COILS (CO)

Similarly, \mathbf{B}_{CO} can be extracted from the field equation a Helmholtz pair as described in (2.5). In this case, however, the coils are running currents in the opposite direction from that described in (2.5). Thus, the adjusted field equation would be given by

$$\mathbf{B}_{CO} = \left\langle \frac{1}{2}\beta_{CO}xz , \frac{1}{2}\beta_{CO}yz , -B_{0,CO} - \frac{1}{2}\beta_{CO}(z^2 + \rho^2) \right\rangle \quad (3.5)$$

with

$$B_{0,CO} = \mu_0 I_{CO} \mathbb{F}_{CO} \quad \text{and} \quad \beta_{PI} = \mu_0 I_{CO} \mathbb{H}_{CO}$$

FULL FIELD

When adding the contributions from each pair of coils and collecting terms, the total magnetic field is given by:

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{B} &= \mathbf{B}_{BI} + \mathbf{B}_{SI} + \mathbf{B}_{PI} + \mathbf{B}_{CO} \\
&= \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ B_{0,PI} - B_{0,CO} \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} (\alpha_{BI} + 2\alpha_{SI})x \\ -(2\alpha_{BI} + \alpha_{SI})y \\ (\alpha_{BI} - \alpha_{SI})z \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2}(\beta_{PI} - \beta_{CO}) \begin{pmatrix} -xz \\ -yz \\ z^2 - \rho^2/2 \end{pmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

By imposing the constrain

$$\alpha_{BI} = \alpha_{SI} \implies I_{BI}\mathbb{G}_{BI} = I_{SI}\mathbb{G}_{SI} \quad (3.6)$$

to assure that the Ioffe pairs balance each other, and by defining:

$$\boldsymbol{\alpha} = 3\alpha_{BI} = 3\alpha_{SI}, \quad \boldsymbol{\beta} = \beta_{PI} - \beta_{CO}, \quad \text{and} \quad \boldsymbol{\delta} = B_{0,PI} - B_{0,CO}$$

as the trap's gradient, curvature and overall bias, the full tramp's magnetic field can be written more concisely as:

$$\mathbf{B} = \boldsymbol{\delta} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \boldsymbol{\alpha} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ -y \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2}\boldsymbol{\beta} \begin{pmatrix} -xz \\ -yz \\ z^2 - \rho^2/2 \end{pmatrix} \quad (3.7)$$

3.5 Trap parameters

The trapping frequencies for the trap can be extracted from (3.7) (see Appendix C), thus yielding the shorthand equations:

$$\omega_z \approx \sqrt{\gamma\boldsymbol{\beta}} \quad (3.8)$$

and

$$\omega_\rho \approx \sqrt{\gamma \left(\frac{\boldsymbol{\alpha}^2}{\boldsymbol{\delta}} - \frac{\boldsymbol{\beta}}{2} \right)} \quad (3.9)$$

with

$$\gamma = \frac{g_F m_F \mu_B}{m_{Rb}} \approx 32.1308 \text{ [cm}^2/\text{Gs}^2] \quad \text{for the state } |1, 2\rangle$$

The expressions above can be further expressed in terms of the trap's design parameters given by the geometrical factors and the coil's currents:

$$\begin{aligned}
\omega_z &= \sqrt{\gamma(\beta_{PI} - \beta_{CO})} \\
&= \sqrt{\gamma\mu_0(I_{PI}\mathbb{H}_{PI} - I_{CO}\mathbb{H}_{CO})}
\end{aligned}$$

If the restriction $R_{CO} = 2A_{CO}$ is imposed the compensation coil only affects the overall bias field, and with $\mathbb{H}_{CO} = 0$, the axial frequency is then favorably decoupled:

$$\omega_z = \sqrt{\gamma\mu_0 I_{PI}\mathbb{H}_{PI}} \quad (3.10)$$

The field's bias, gradient and curvature also given by:

$$\delta = \mu_0(I_{PI}\mathbb{F}_{PI} - I_{CO}\mathbb{F}_{CO}) \quad (3.11)$$

$$\alpha = 3\mu_0 I_{BI}\mathbb{G}_{BI} = 3\mu_0 I_{SI}\mathbb{G}_{SI} \quad (3.12)$$

$$\beta = \mu_0 I_{PI}\mathbb{H}_{PI} \quad (3.13)$$

$$\omega_z = \sqrt{\gamma\mu_0 I_{PI}\mathbb{H}_{PI}} \quad (3.14)$$

Finally, the radial frequency would then be expressed by:

$$\omega_\rho = \sqrt{\gamma\mu_0 \left\{ \frac{(3I_{BI}\mathbb{G}_{BI})^2}{I_{PI}\mathbb{F}_{PI} - I_{CO}\mathbb{F}_{CO}} - \frac{I_{PI}\mathbb{H}_{PI}}{2} \right\}} \quad (3.15)$$

The aspect ratio is simply defined as:

$$\Lambda = \omega_\rho/\omega_z \quad (3.16)$$

3.6 DOFs, Parameters, and Constraints

Given the amount of input variables and output parameters involved in the equations presented above, it is worth to recount the extent of the degrees of freedom in the all coils magnetic trap. Initially, one could think of 12 DOFs by choosing separate radii R , vertical separation A and current I for each of the coils pairs: BI, SI, PI and CO. Several practical and physical constraints should be considered though.

The geometric parameters restricted both by the fixed dimensions of the current experimental set up and the desired roles for each coil pair. In order to decouple ω_z so that it is only influenced by the PI coils, the CO should only yield an overall bias field, thus requiring $R_{CO} = 2A_{CO}$. Technically there is not a particular constraint for the PI coils, but their performance (and therefore axial frequency) is enhanced if $R_{PI} = \sqrt{\frac{4}{3}}A_{PI}$. Both PI and CO coils should have a radius big enough to let the vacuum chamber through. Also, in an ideal manner $R = \sqrt{\frac{4}{3}}A$ could be enforced in both the SI and BI coils to prevent the appearance of higher order terms. Thus, the geometrical DOFs are reduced from 8 down to 4 at the best case. For the sake of the simulations, however, it was assumed that the physical parameters of the trap would be relatively fixed for a functioning trap. All of the geometrical parameters \mathbb{F} , \mathbb{G} , \mathbb{H} were assumed to be fixed *ab initio*. Therefore, only coil currents were initially considered as parameters to manipulate.

The Ioffe pairs (BI and SI) should balance each other so that when combined, they do not introduce a field in the z direction (preserving ω_z to be dependent on the PI coil

pair only). This restriction, as given in (3.6), implies that I_{BI} and I_{SI} are not arbitrarily independent but proportional to a fixed factor given by $\mathbb{G}_{SI}/\mathbb{G}_{BI}$. Added to this, equation (3.11) shows that I_{PI} and I_{CO} are coupled if a fixed bias field δ is chosen. Lastly, equation (3.15) establishes a condition that the trap parameters should comply to avoid the radial confinement from breaking down:

$$I_{BI} > \frac{1}{3\mathbb{G}_{BI}} \sqrt{\frac{I_{PI}\mathbb{H}_{PI}}{2}(I_{PI}\mathbb{F}_{PI} - I_{CO}\mathbb{F}_{CO})} \quad (3.17)$$

With the previous discussion in mind, technically only 3 DOFs are left, and therefore, the simulations only had 3 *free* parameters. The selected ones were I_{PI} , from which ω_z can be tuned by using equation (3.10); δ , which is a particularly interesting trap parameter and directly related with the trap depth; and I_{SI} (I_{BI} could have been chosen as well).

It is worth mentioning, lastly, that all the currents are ultimately constrained by the available current sources and the cooling methods.

4 Numerical Simulations

Several numerical simulations were performed with MATLAB in order to evaluate the different trap parameters which the all coils IP trap could provide under both geometrical constraints such as trap size and physical constraints such as affordable input currents for the coils. The magnetic field was first calculated by applying the equations in (2.2) to 8 ideal coils positioned as described in the previous section, i.e. forming the PI, CO, BI and SI pairs for a total of 8 coils. From the field, trap parameters such as axial and radial frequencies, aspect ratio, linear gradients and curvature were then calculated for a given set of dimensions and desired parameters. The MATLAB routines used for the simulations were developed in a modular manner, and are fully available in Appendix D.

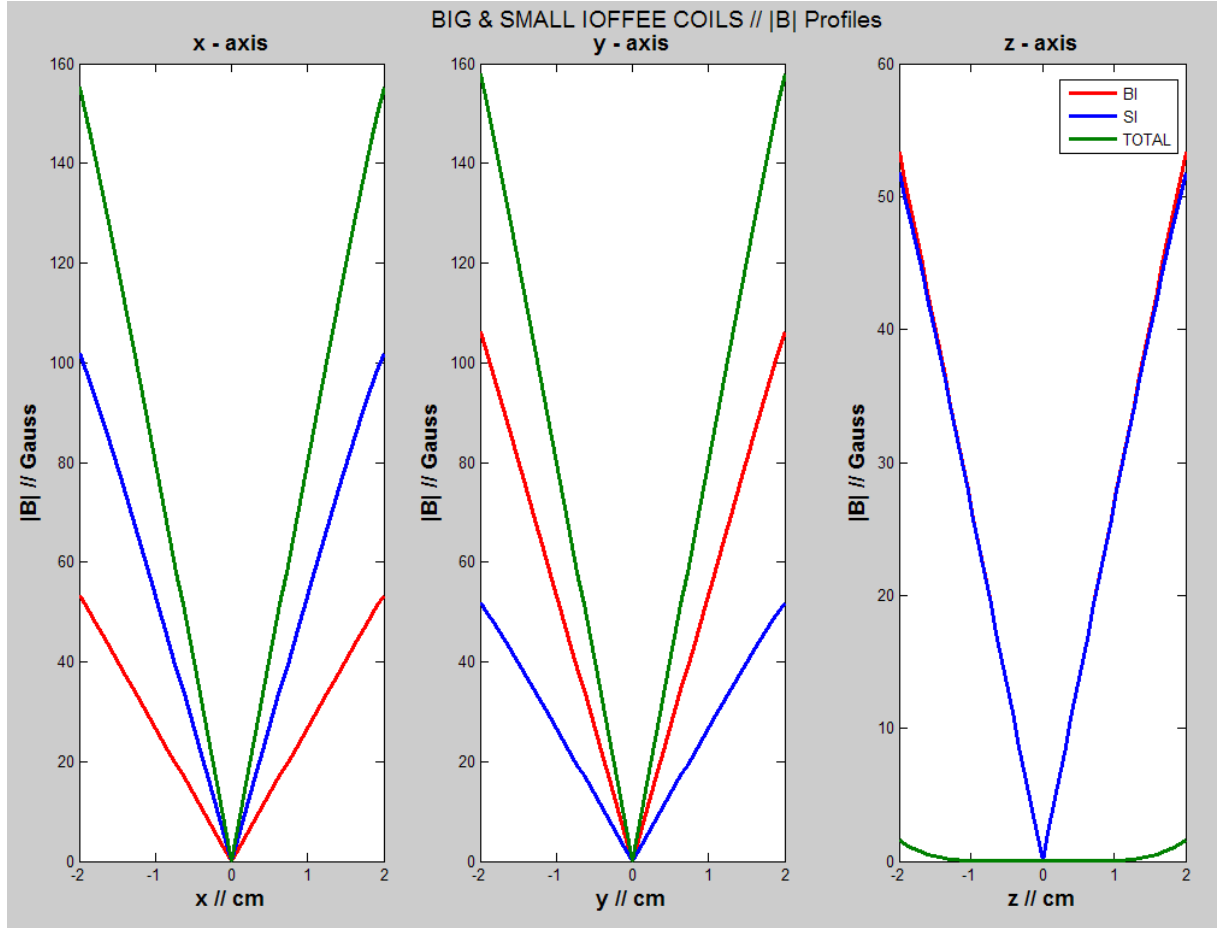


Figure 6: Magnetic Field magnitude profiles for the Ioffe Coils. The selected parameters are $I_{PI} = 12A$, $I_{SI} = 50A$, $\delta = 5G$ and $N = 16$ for every set of coils

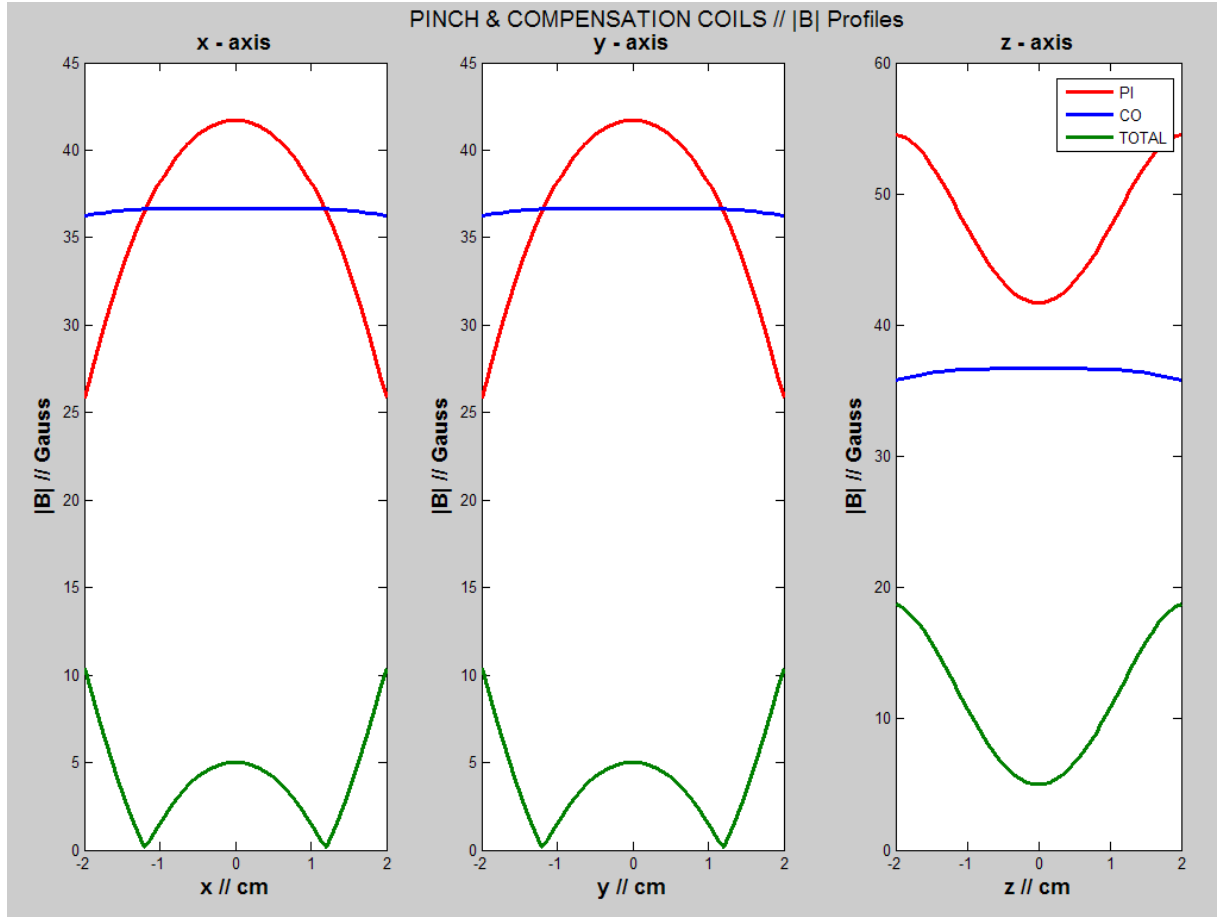


Figure 7: Magnetic Field magnitude profiles for the PI and CO coils. The selected parameters are $I_{PI} = 12A$, $I_{SI} = 50A$, $\delta = 5G$ and $N = 16$ for every set of coils

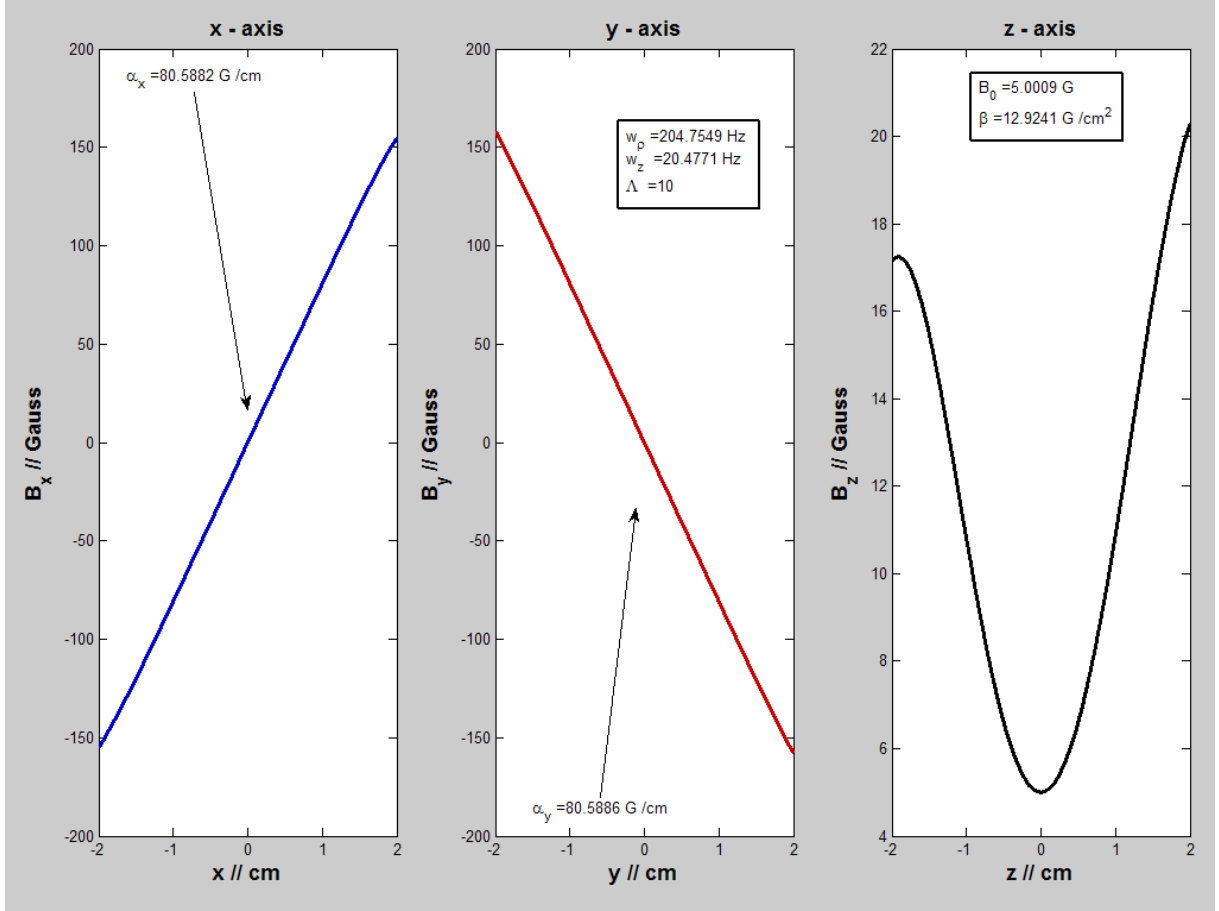


Figure 8: Magnetic Field profiles for the combination of every coil. Some output parameters can be seen displayed as well in the textboxes. The selected parameters are $I_{PI} = 12A$, $I_{SI} = 50A$, $\delta = 5G$ and $N = 16$ for every set of coils

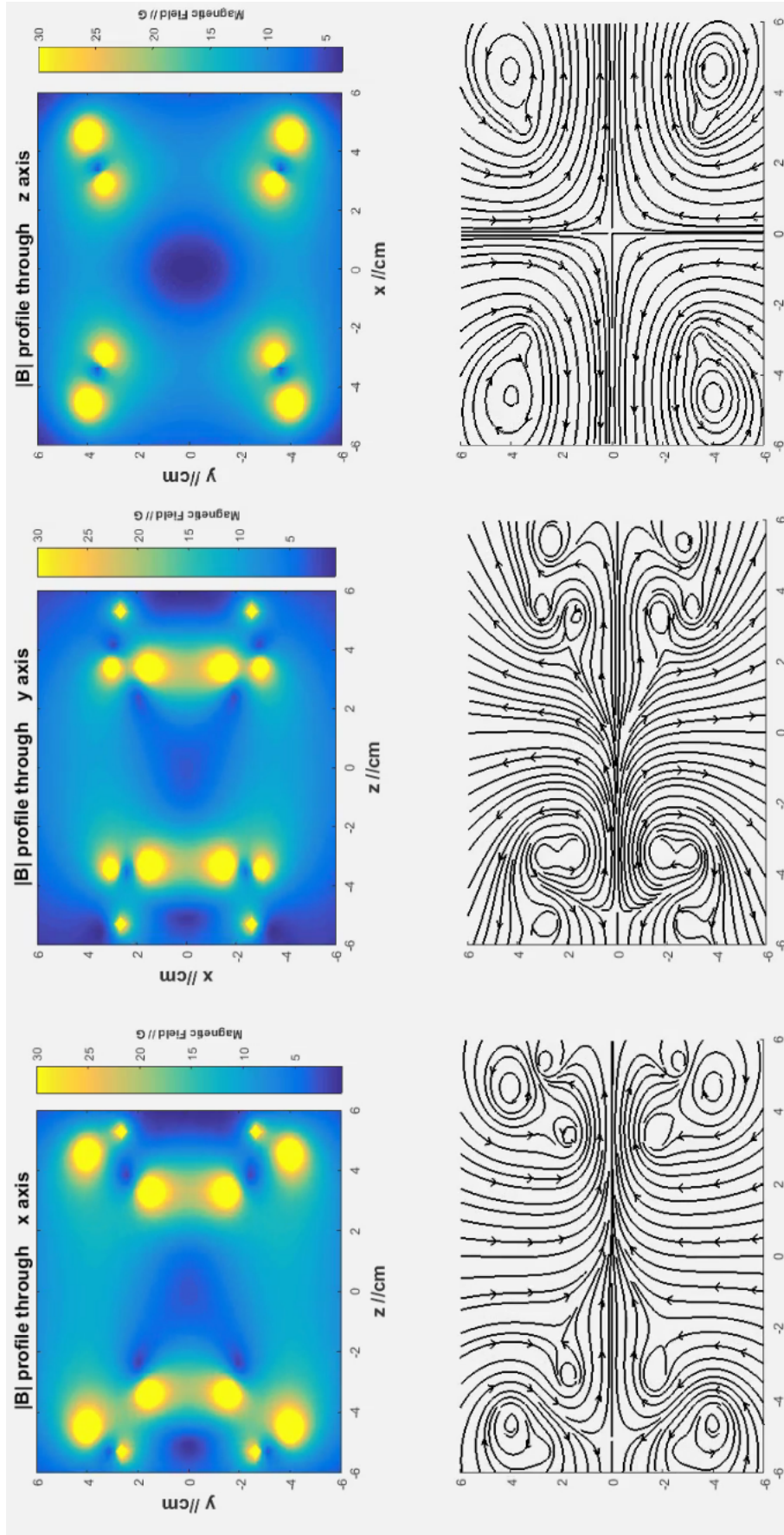


Figure 9: Magnetic Field Profiles as simulated in MATLAB. Animated versions of the profiles can be found here (<https://goo.gl/SyCuoz>)

$$\begin{array}{llll}
w_\rho = 259 \text{ Hz} & I_{BI} = 35.5 \text{ A} & I_{PI} = 5.4 \text{ A} \\
w_z = 9 \text{ Hz} & I_{SI} = 20 \text{ A} & I_{CO} = 8 \text{ A} \\
\Lambda = 29 & \alpha = 32.2 \text{ G/cm} & \beta = 2.53 \text{ G/cm}^2 & B_0 = 0.5 \text{ G}
\end{array}$$

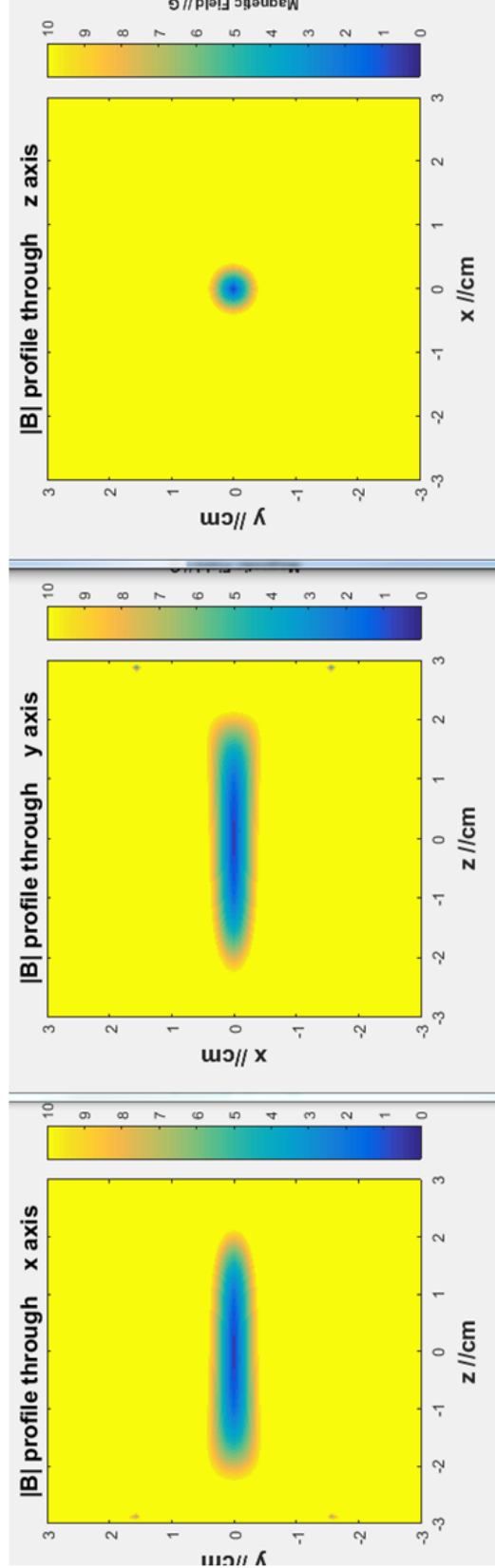
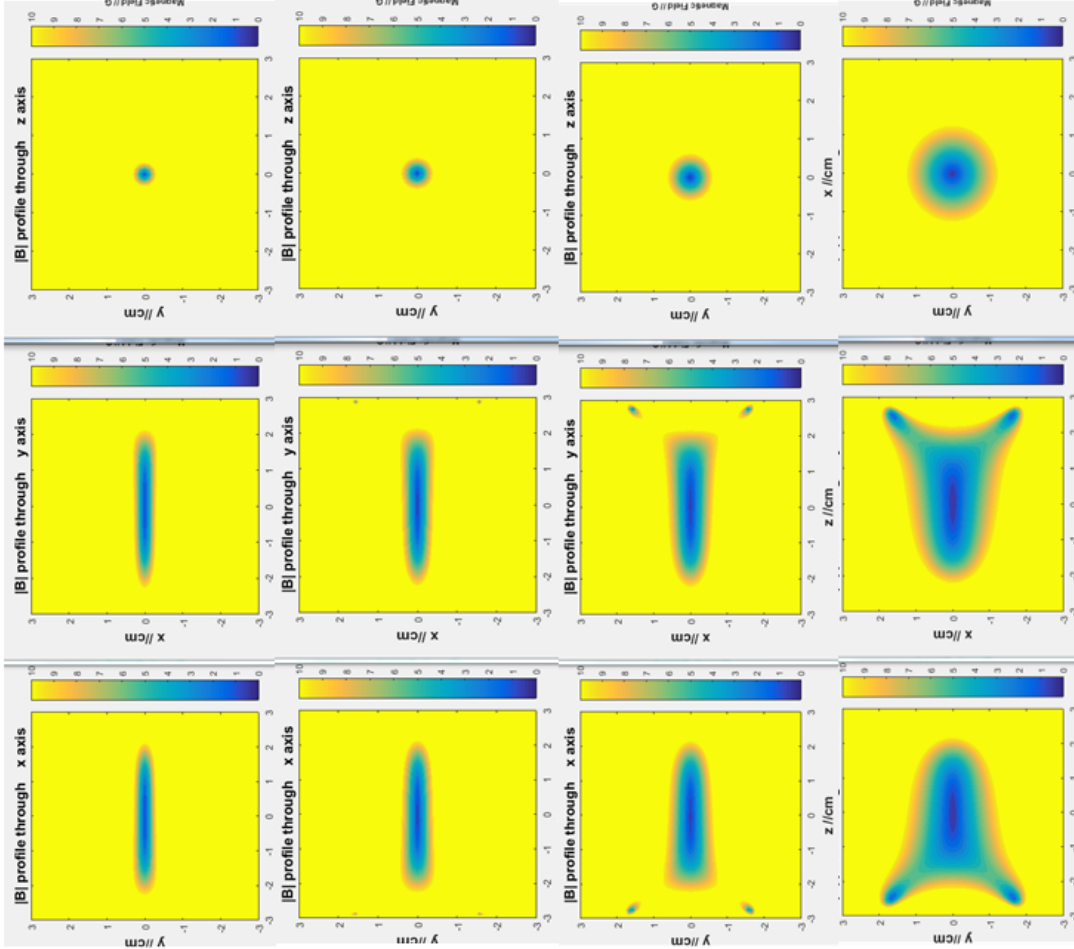


Figure 10: Magnetic Field Profiles as simulated in MATLAB. Parameters selected to show a *pencil* like aspect ratio



$w_\rho = 259\text{Hz}$	$I_{BI} = 35.5\text{A}$	$I_{PI} = 5.4\text{A}$
$w_z = 9\text{Hz}$	$I_{SI} = 20\text{A}$	$I_{CO} = 8\text{A}$
$\Lambda = 29$	$\alpha = 32.2\text{G/cm}$	$\beta = 2.53\text{G/cm}^2$
		$B_0 = 0.5\text{G}$

$w_\rho = 194\text{Hz}$	$I_{BI} = 26.6\text{A}$	
$w_z = 9\text{Hz}$	$I_{SI} = 15\text{A}$	
$\Lambda = 21$		

$w_\rho = 129\text{Hz}$	$I_{BI} = 17.7\text{A}$	
$w_z = 9\text{Hz}$	$I_{SI} = 10\text{A}$	
$\Lambda = 14$		

$w_\rho = 64\text{Hz}$	$I_{BI} = 8.8\text{A}$	
$w_z = 9\text{Hz}$	$I_{SI} = 5\text{A}$	
$\Lambda = 7$		

Figure 11: Magnetic Field Profiles as simulated in MATLAB, showing the variability of the aspect ratio when the current on the Ioffe coil pairs is reduced

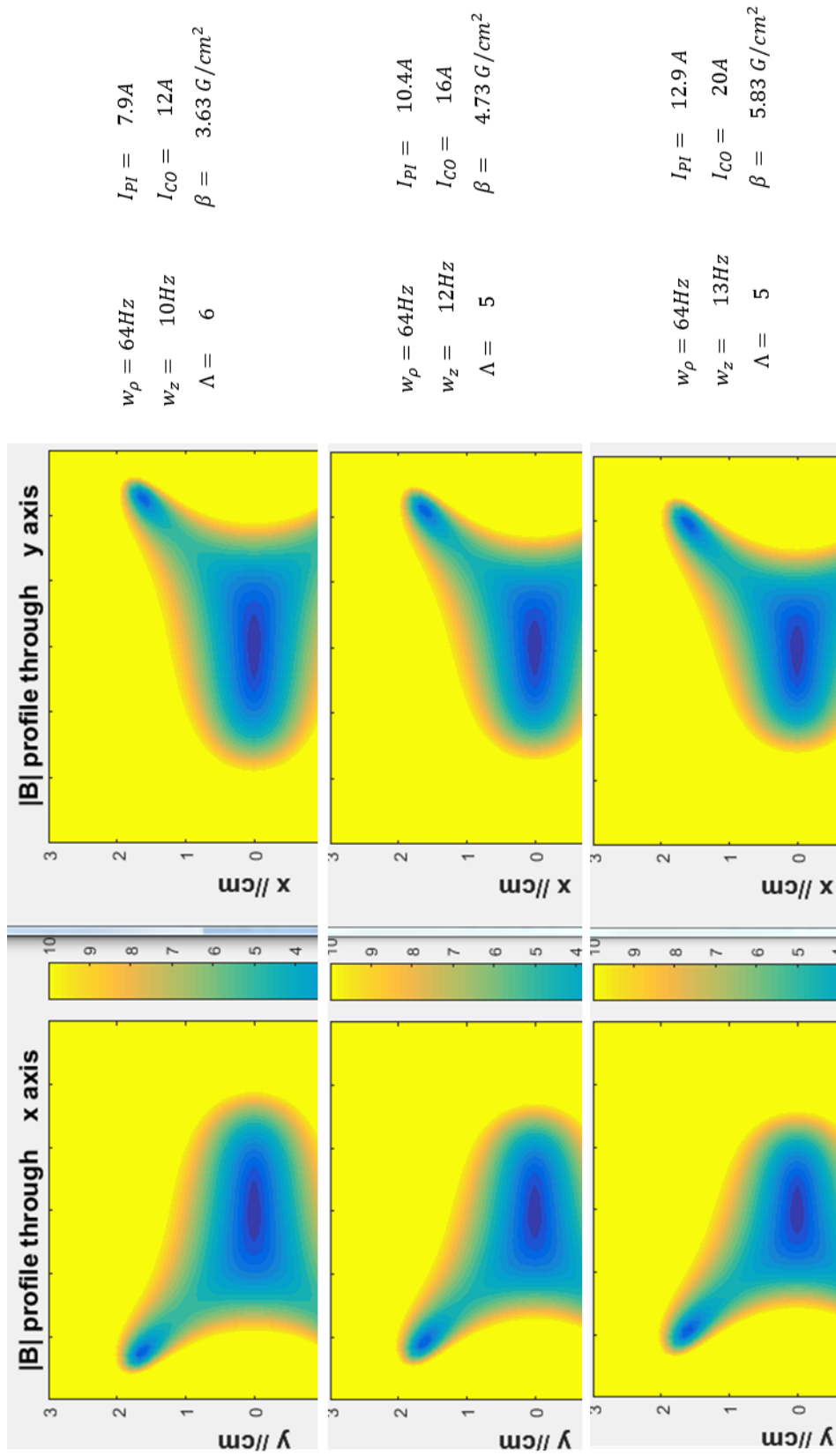


Figure 12: Magnetic Field Profiles as simulated in MATLAB, showing the variability of the aspect ratio when the current on the PI coils is increased

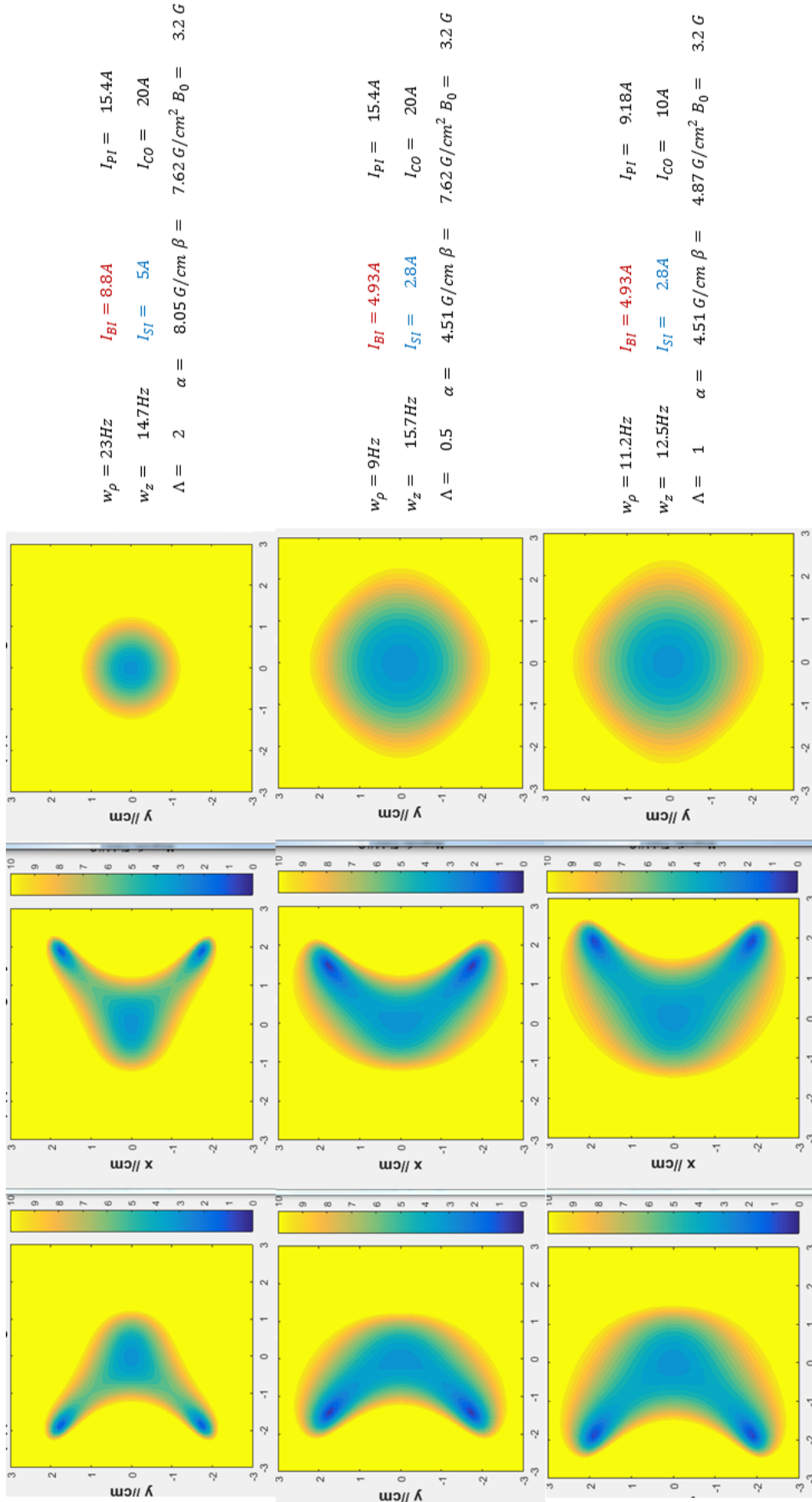


Figure 13: Magnetic Field Profiles as simulated in MATLAB, showing the variability of the aspect ratio when the current on the Ioffe coil pairs is reduced while I_{PI} is still high, leading to a nearly spherical aspect ratio

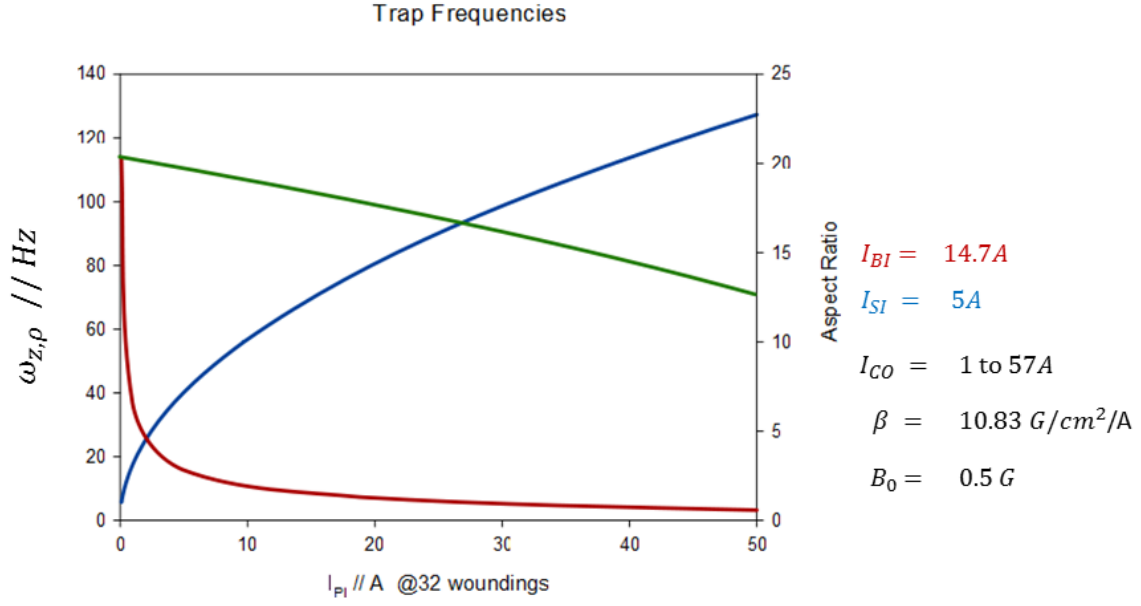


Figure 14: Trap frequencies(left axis, green line for radial and blue for axial) and aspect ratio (right axis, red line) profiles as a function of I_{PI}

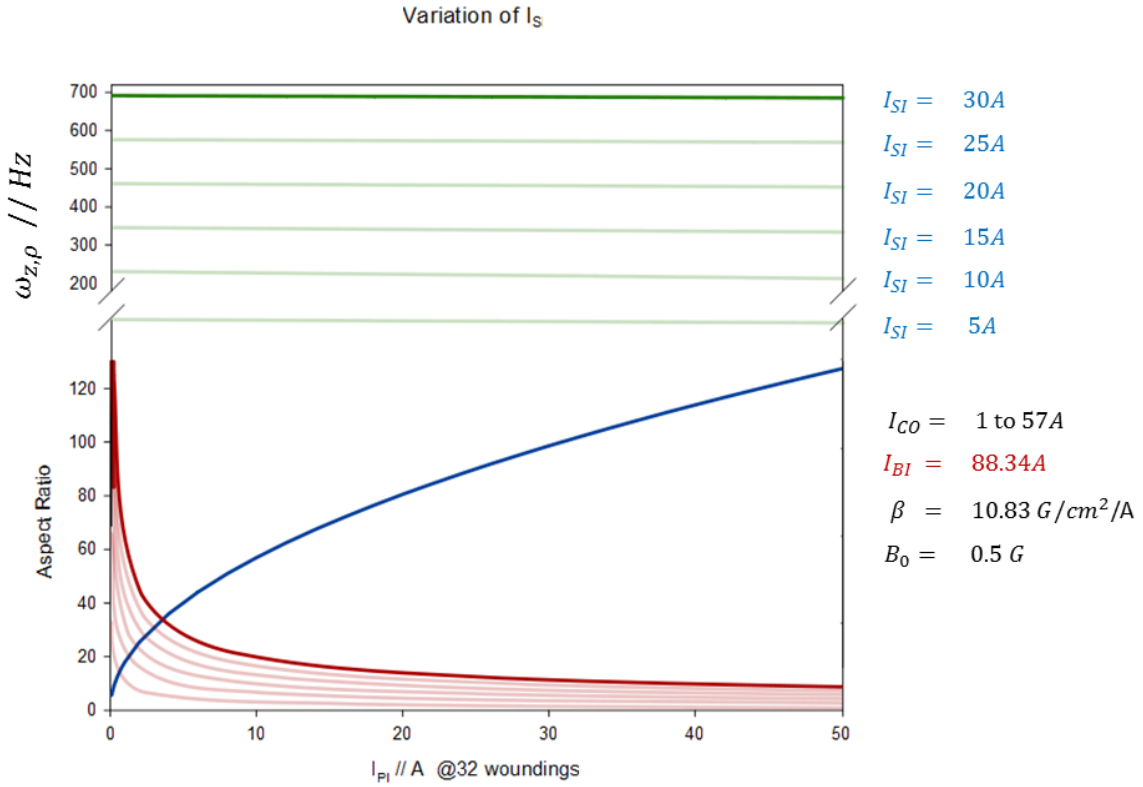


Figure 15: Variability in trap frequencies(left axis, green line for radial frequency) and aspect ratio (red line) profiles as I_{SI} ranges from 30A (upper graph) down to 5A(lower graph).

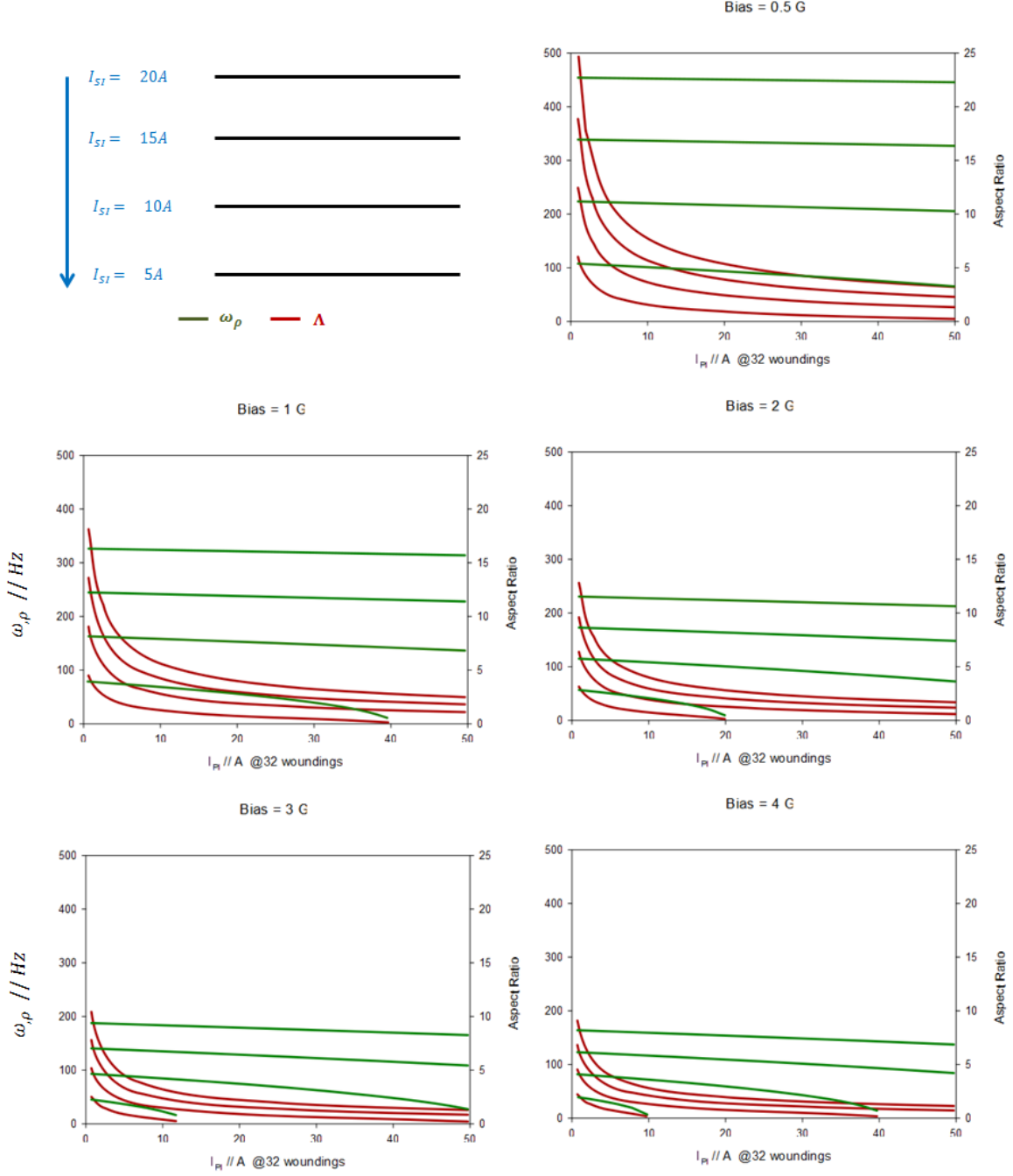


Figure 16: Variability in trap radial frequency(left axis, green line for radial frequency) and aspect ratio (right axis, red line) profiles as δ ranges from 0.5G up to 4G(lower graph) and I_{SI} ranges from 20A (upper graph) down to 5A(lower graph).

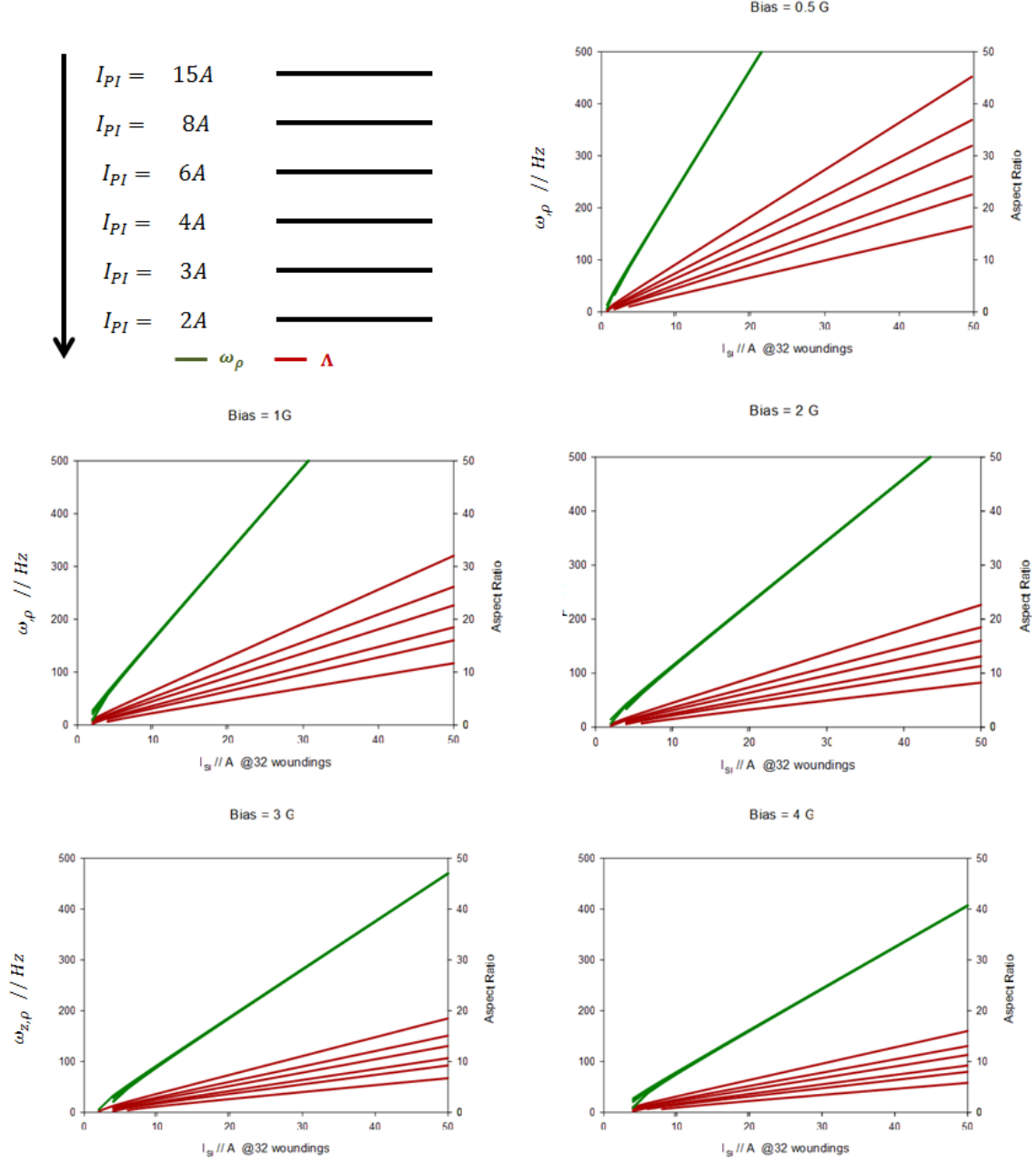


Figure 17: Variability in trap radial frequency(left axis, green line for radial and blue for axial) and aspect ratio (right axis, red line) profiles as δ ranges from 0.5G up to 4G(lower graph) and I_{PI} ranges from 15A (upper graph) down to 2A(lower graph).

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Appendix A Magnetic Field for an ideal coil

This derivation can be also found elsewhere [3]. As stated, the magnetic field for an ideal current coil will be calculated from the general expression

$$\mathbf{B} = \nabla \times \mathbf{A} = \nabla \times \frac{\mu_0}{4\pi} \iiint \frac{\mathbf{J}}{|\mathbf{r}|} d^3r$$

We first need to calculate \mathbf{A} . From the circular symmetry of the problem, the vector potential should be independent of the polar angle φ , so for simplicity, we can calculate it for a point located at $\varphi = 0$ (see Figure). Pairing the arc length contributions from $+\varphi$ and $-\varphi$ is also enlightening, as the $d\mathbf{s}$ components in the radial direction ds_ρ cancel out while the polar ones ds_φ add up. Then, \mathbf{A} only has a polar component, which would be given by:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{A} &= \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \int \frac{d\mathbf{s}}{|\mathbf{r}|} \\ \Rightarrow \mathbf{A}_\varphi &= \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{d\mathbf{s}_\varphi}{|\mathbf{r}|} \\ &= \frac{\mu_0 I}{4\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{R \cos(\varphi) d\varphi}{\sqrt{R^2 + \rho^2 + z^2 - 2R\rho \cos(\varphi)}} \\ &= \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \frac{R \cos(\varphi) d\varphi}{\sqrt{R^2 + \rho^2 + z^2 - 2R\rho \cos(\varphi)}} \\ &\quad ! \text{ Introduce change of variable } \varphi = \pi + 2\theta \\ &\quad \text{with } \cos(\varphi) = 2\sin^2(\theta) - 1 \text{ and } d\varphi = 2d\theta \\ \text{so that} &= \frac{\mu_0 R I}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{(2\sin^2(\theta) - 1) d\theta}{\sqrt{(R + \rho)^2 + z^2 - 4R\rho \sin^2(\theta)}} \\ &\quad ! \text{ Introduce change of variable } \kappa^2 = \frac{4R\rho}{(R + \rho)^2 + (z)^2} \\ \text{so that} &= \frac{\kappa \mu_0 I}{2\pi} \sqrt{\frac{R}{\rho}} \left\{ \left(\frac{2}{\kappa^2} - 1 \right) \int_0^{\pi/2} \frac{d\theta}{\sqrt{1 - \kappa^2 \sin^2(\theta)}} - \frac{2}{\kappa^2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \sqrt{1 - \kappa^2 \sin^2(\theta)} d\theta \right\} \\ \mathbf{A}_\varphi &= \frac{\mu_0 I}{\pi \kappa} \sqrt{\frac{R}{\rho}} \left\{ \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \kappa^2 \right) \mathbb{K}(\kappa^2) - \mathbb{E}(\kappa^2) \right\} \end{aligned}$$

From this, \mathbf{B} can be evaluated by using:

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{B}_\rho &= -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (\rho \mathbf{A}_\varphi) = -\frac{\partial \mathbf{A}_\varphi}{\partial z} \\
\mathbf{B}_\varphi &= \frac{\partial \mathbf{A}_\rho}{\partial z} = 0 \\
\mathbf{B}_z &= -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial}{\partial \rho} (\rho \mathbf{A}_\varphi)
\end{aligned}$$

and the following relations:

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial \mathbb{K}}{\partial \kappa} &= \frac{\mathbb{E}}{\kappa(1-\kappa^2)} - \frac{\mathbb{K}}{\kappa} \\
\frac{\partial \mathbb{E}}{\partial \kappa} &= \frac{\mathbb{E} - \mathbb{K}}{\kappa} \\
\frac{\partial \kappa}{\partial z} &= -\frac{z\kappa^3}{4R\rho} \\
\frac{\partial \kappa}{\partial \rho} &= \frac{\kappa}{2\rho} - \frac{\kappa^3}{4\rho} - \frac{\kappa^3}{4R}
\end{aligned}$$

After simplifying and collecting terms, one obtains:

$$\begin{aligned}
B_\rho &= \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi\rho} \frac{z-A}{\sqrt{(R+\rho)^2+z^2}} \left\{ -\mathbb{K}(\kappa^2) + \frac{R^2-\rho^2-z^2}{(R-\rho)^2+z^2} \mathbb{E}(\kappa^2) \right\} \\
B_z &= \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi} \frac{1}{\sqrt{(R+\rho)^2+z^2}} \left\{ \mathbb{K}(\kappa^2) + \frac{R^2-\rho^2-z^2}{(R-\rho)^2+z^2} \mathbb{E}(\kappa^2) \right\} \\
B_\phi &= 0
\end{aligned}$$

The translation in z when the coil has a vertical displacement from the origin A follows rather naturally.

Appendix B Power Series Derivation

A deeper treatment of the series expansion for magnetic fields can be found elsewhere[4]. Maxwell's equations for a magnetostatic field allow for the existence of a scalar potential Ψ which satisfies:

$$\mathbf{B} = \nabla \Psi = \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial \rho} \boldsymbol{\rho} + \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial \varphi} \boldsymbol{\varphi} + \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial z} \mathbf{z} \quad (\text{B.1})$$

Motivated in a multipole expansion, we then seek to express both \mathbf{B} and Ψ as an expansion of Legendre polynomials. We are trying to find a relatively simple series expansion for 2.2, something in the shape of:

$$\mathbf{B}_z(\mathbf{z}, \boldsymbol{\rho} = 0) = \sum_{n=0} b_n z^n \quad (\text{B.2})$$

which would be a basic Taylor expansion. With this in mind, and taking into account that the order of each term will decrease when going from Ψ to \mathbf{B} , one can propose the expansion of the form:

$$\Psi = \sum_{n=1} \frac{b_{n-1}}{n} p_n(\rho, z) \quad (\text{B.3})$$

where the $p_n(\rho, z)$ terms are the Legendre polynomials expressed in ρ and z . By applying (B.3) to (B.1), one obtains:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{B}_z &= \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial z} = \sum_{n=1} \frac{b_{n-1}}{n} \frac{\partial p_n(\rho, z)}{\partial z} \\ &= b_0 \frac{\partial p_1}{\partial z} + \frac{b_1}{2} \frac{\partial p_2}{\partial z} + \frac{b_2}{3} \frac{\partial p_3}{\partial z} + \frac{b_3}{4} \frac{\partial p_4}{\partial z} + \dots \\ &= b_0(1) + \frac{b_1}{2}(2z) + \frac{b_2}{3}(3z^2 - 3\rho^2/2) + \frac{b_3}{4}(4z^3 - 6z\rho^2) + \dots \\ &= b_0(1) + b_1(z) + b_2(z^2 - \rho^2/2) + b_3(z^3 - 3z\rho^2/2) + \dots \end{aligned} \quad (\text{B.4})$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
B_\rho &= \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial \rho} = \sum_{n=1} \frac{b_{n-1}}{n} \frac{\partial p_n(\rho, z)}{\partial \rho} \\
&= b_0 \frac{\partial p_1}{\partial \rho} + \frac{b_1}{2} \frac{\partial p_2}{\partial \rho} + \frac{b_2}{3} \frac{\partial p_3}{\partial \rho} + \frac{b_3}{4} \frac{\partial p_4}{\partial \rho} + \dots \\
&= b_0(0) + \frac{b_1}{2}(-\rho) + \frac{b_2}{3}(-3\rho z) + \frac{b_3}{4}(3\rho^3/2 - 6\rho z^2) + \dots \\
&= b_0(0) + b_1(-\rho/2) + b_2(-\rho z) + b_3(3\rho^3/8 - 3\rho z^2/2) + \dots \tag{B.5}
\end{aligned}$$

From the equations above, it is worth noticing that the same coefficients b_n directly appear for both the radial and axial expansions. In (2.4), it is easily seen that the coefficients match for each of the expansion's orders, and the geometrical factors arise directly from this b_n coefficients.

In order to calculate the b_n coefficients, one can Taylor expand the axial coefficient in (2.2) evaluated at $\rho = 0$, as that would result in a series in the form of (B.2). The process for obtaining the first orders of the expansion are presented bellow.

$$\begin{aligned}
B_z(z, \rho = 0) &= \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi} \frac{1}{\sqrt{R^2 + (z - A)^2}} \left\{ \mathbb{K}(0) + \frac{R^2 - (z - A)^2}{R^2 + (z - A)^2} \mathbb{E}(0) \right\} \\
&= \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi} \frac{1}{\sqrt{R^2 + (z - A)^2}} \frac{\pi}{2} \left\{ 1 + \frac{R^2 - (z - A)^2}{R^2 + (z - A)^2} \right\} \\
&= \frac{\mu_0 I}{2\pi} \frac{1}{\sqrt{R^2 + (z - A)^2}} \frac{\pi}{2} \left\{ \frac{2R^2}{R^2 + (z - A)^2} \right\} \\
&= \frac{\mu_0 I}{2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{R^2 + (z - A)^2}} \left\{ \frac{R^2}{R^2 + (z - A)^2} \right\} \\
&= \frac{\mu_0 I R^2}{2} \frac{1}{(R^2 + (z - A)^2)^{3/2}} \\
&= \frac{\mu_0 I R^2}{2(R^2 + A^2)^{3/2}} \sum_{n=0} g_n \left(\frac{z}{R^2 + A^2} \right)^n = \sum_{n=0} b_n z^n \tag{B.6}
\end{aligned}$$

where g_n are the polynomial terms in the series expansion of:

$$\frac{(R^2 + A^2)^{3/2}}{[R^2 + (z - A)^2]^{3/2}} = \sum_{n=0} g_n \left(\frac{z}{R^2 + A^2} \right)^n$$

The first terms can be easily shown to be: $g_0 = 1$, $g_1 = 3A$, $g_2 = 3(4A^2 - R^2)/2$, $g_3 = 5A(4A^2 - 3R^2)/2$ and so on.

From the last equation in (B.6), one directly extracts:

$$b_n = \mu_0 I \frac{R^2}{2(R^2 + A^2)^{n+3/2}} g_n \quad (\text{B.7})$$

and so the first b_n terms would be given by:

$$\begin{aligned} b_0 &= \mu_0 I \frac{R^2}{2(R^2 + A^2)^{3/2}} & b_1 &= \mu_0 I \frac{3AR^2}{2(R^2 + A^2)^{5/2}} \\ b_2 &= \mu_0 I \frac{3R^2(4A^2 - R^2)}{4(R^2 + A^2)^{7/2}} & b_3 &= \mu_0 I \frac{5AR^2(4A^2 - 3R^2)}{4(R^2 + A^2)^{9/2}} \end{aligned} \quad (\text{B.8})$$

One can then extract the purely geometrical factors (as defined in (2.3)) from the $\mu_0 I$ part of each b_n term to obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} b_0 &= \mu_0 I \cdot \frac{1}{2} \mathbb{F} & b_1 &= \mu_0 I \cdot \mathbb{G} \\ b_2 &= \mu_0 I \cdot \frac{1}{4} \mathbb{H} & b_3 &= \mu_0 I \cdot \frac{1}{2} \mathbb{I} \end{aligned} \quad (\text{B.9})$$

It is worth noticing that the fractions accompanying some of the prefactors are rather arbitrary, but useful to simplify the involved algebra in further calculations.

By substituting equation (B.9) into (B.4) and (B.5), one then obtains (2.4), as stated before.

Appendix C Trap Frequencies Derivations

AXIAL FREQUENCY (ω_z)

From (3.7), evaluated at $\rho = 0$:

$$\mathbf{B}(\rho = 0) = \delta \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2}\beta \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ z^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

so that

$$B_x = B_y = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad B_z = \delta + \frac{1}{2}\beta z^2$$

and

$$|\mathbf{B}| = |B_z| = \delta + \frac{1}{2}\beta z^2$$

We also have

$$U \propto \boldsymbol{\mu} \cdot \mathbf{B} = g_F m_F \mu_B |\mathbf{B}| = \frac{1}{2} m_{Rb} \omega_z^2 z^2$$

so that

$$\frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial z^2} = g_F m_F \mu_B \frac{\partial^2 |\mathbf{B}|}{\partial z^2} = g_F m_F \mu_B \beta = m_{Rb} \omega_z^2$$

and we obtain

$$\omega_z = \sqrt{\frac{g_F m_F \mu_B}{m_{Rb}}} \beta$$

i.e.

$$\boxed{\omega_z \approx \sqrt{\gamma} \beta}$$

RADIAL FREQUENCY (ω_ρ)

From (3.7), evaluated at $z = 0$:

$$\mathbf{B}(z = 0) = \boldsymbol{\delta} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} + \boldsymbol{\alpha} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ -y \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} + \frac{1}{2}\boldsymbol{\beta} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -\rho^2/2 \end{pmatrix}$$

so that

$$\begin{aligned} |\mathbf{B}| &= \sqrt{\boldsymbol{\alpha}^2 x^2 + \boldsymbol{\alpha}^2 y^2 + \boldsymbol{\delta}^2 - \frac{1}{2}\boldsymbol{\delta}\boldsymbol{\beta}\rho^2 + \frac{1}{16}\boldsymbol{\beta}^2\rho^4} \\ &\approx \sqrt{\boldsymbol{\alpha}^2 x^2 + \boldsymbol{\alpha}^2 y^2 + \boldsymbol{\delta}^2 - \frac{1}{2}\boldsymbol{\delta}\boldsymbol{\beta}\rho^2} \\ &= \sqrt{\boldsymbol{\delta}^2 + \left(\boldsymbol{\alpha}^2 - \frac{1}{2}\boldsymbol{\delta}\boldsymbol{\beta}\right)\rho^2} \\ &= \boldsymbol{\delta} \sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{\boldsymbol{\alpha}^2}{\boldsymbol{\delta}^2} - \frac{\boldsymbol{\beta}}{2\boldsymbol{\delta}}\right)\rho^2} \\ &\approx \boldsymbol{\delta} \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\boldsymbol{\alpha}^2}{\boldsymbol{\delta}^2} - \frac{\boldsymbol{\beta}}{2\boldsymbol{\delta}} \right) \rho^2 \right\} \\ |\mathbf{B}| &\approx \boldsymbol{\delta} + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\boldsymbol{\alpha}^2}{\boldsymbol{\delta}} - \frac{\boldsymbol{\beta}}{2} \right) \rho^2 \end{aligned}$$

as before

$$\frac{\partial^2 U}{\partial \rho^2} = m_{Rb} \omega_\rho^2 = g_F m_F \mu_B \left(\frac{\boldsymbol{\alpha}^2}{\boldsymbol{\delta}} - \frac{\boldsymbol{\beta}}{2} \right)$$

so that

$$\omega_\rho \approx \sqrt{\frac{g_F m_F \mu_B}{m_{Rb}} \left(\frac{\boldsymbol{\alpha}^2}{\boldsymbol{\delta}} - \frac{\boldsymbol{\beta}}{2} \right)}$$

and

$$\boxed{\omega_\rho \approx \sqrt{\gamma \left(\frac{\boldsymbol{\alpha}^2}{\boldsymbol{\delta}} - \frac{\boldsymbol{\beta}}{2} \right)}}$$

Appendix D MATLAB routines

```
1 function [Bz,Brho] = BcoilExact(R,A,z,rho,s)
2 %BcoilExact Calculates the 3D magnetic field vector of a coil with
3 %particular radius R and vertical distance A, this at the coordinate
4 %(rho,z). The 3D is given in cylindrical coordinates, and only rho
5 %and z are necessary due to the involved symmetry. The factor s
6 %controls the current.
7 %
8 % See "Magnetostatic trapping fields for neutral atoms" by Bergeman
9 % and W.R. Smythe, "Static and Dynamic Electricity" (McGraw-Hill), NY
10 % 1950, pp. 291 :
11 %
12 % Available @: https://goo.gl/HA0Igh
13 %
14 % For further info on these equations
15
16 mu = 0.4*pi; %Mixed unites, i.e. amps,cm and gauss 1T = 10,000G
17 I = 1*s; %Change 1 to change current units, e.g. 1000 for kA.
18
19 dp = (R+rho).^2+(z-A).^2;
20 dm = (R-rho).^2+(z-A).^2;
21
22 k2 = 4*R*rho ./ dp;
23 [K,E] = ellipke(k2);
24
25 Bz = mu.*I/(2*pi).*1./ sqrt(dp).*(K + E .* (R.^2-rho.^2 - (z-A).^2)./dm);
26 Brho = mu.*I./(2*pi.*rho).*(z-A)./sqrt(dp).*(-K+E.*(R.^2+rho.^2+(z-A).^2)./dm);
27
28 end
```



```

1 function [Bxx,Byy,Bzz] = BCoilPair(Z,RHO,PHI,R1,A1,I1,R2,A2,I2)
2 %BCOILPAIR calculates the 3D magnetic field vector at the point in space
3 %defined by (rho, phi, z). Phi is technically not necessary for the
4 %calculation but it is included in order to return the vector in cartesian
5 %coordinates. The dimensions and currents for each coil are defined, but
6 %generally a Helmholtz or anti-Helmholtz configurations are used.
7 %
8 % See also BcoilExact
9
10 [B1_z,B1_rho] = BcoilExact(R1,A1,Z,RHO+1e-6,I1);
11 [B2_z,B2_rho] = BcoilExact(R2,A2,Z,RHO+1e-6,I2);
12
13     Brho = B1_rho+B2_rho;
14
15     Bxx = Brho.*cos(PHI);
16     Byy = Brho.*sin(PHI);
17     Bzz = B1_z+B2_z;
18
19 end

```

```

1 function [] = BFieldsBolpasi()
2 %BFIELD SBOLPASI Simulates the field of an IP, all coils traps as
3 %described by Bolpasi et. al.. Geometrical parameters such as coil half
4 %distances and radii are manually defined. Half of the currents are
5 %manually defined as well, and the rest is calculated to fit other
6 %the configuration or the bias field parameter
7 %
8 % See also BCoilPair, BcoilExact, BProfilesGraph , BLayersGraph
9
10 gamma = 32.1308947; %gamma = g_f * mu_f * mu_B / m_Rb87 @ CGS
11 mu0 = 0.4*pi; %% CGS
12
13 i=1; %% Counter for images
14
15 BoxMin = -2; %Box dimensions
16 BoxMax = 2;
17
18 N = 51;          %Number of Samples, i.e. mesh resolution,
19 n = ceil(N/2);   %index of the box center
20 n2 = ceil(N/15); %short range for linear/ quadratic regression
21
22 if (mod(N,2) == 0)
23     msgbox('Even discretization, might have problems at center!');
24 end
25
26 %% Mesh preparation
27 x = linspace(BoxMin,BoxMax,N);
28 y = linspace(BoxMin,BoxMax,N);
29 z = linspace(BoxMin,BoxMax,N);
30
31 [Y,X,Z] = meshgrid(y,x,z);
32 PHI = atan2(Y,X);
33 RHO = sqrt(X.^2+Y.^2);
34
35 %% PARAMETERS SELECTION
36
37 % Number of windings for each coil
38 N_BI =16;
39 N_SI =16;
40 N_PI =16;
41 N_CO =16;
42
43 %Geometrical parameters
44 %I_PI & I_SI are also manually defined
45 %I_CO & I_BI are calculated to fit parameter
46 [R_PI,A_PI,I_PI] = deal(2.5,2.5*sqrt(3/4),N_PI*12);
47 [R_CO,A_CO] = deal(2.5*2,2.5);
48 [R_BI,A_BI] = deal(5.2,4.5);
49 [R_SI,A_SI,I_SI] = deal(3.463999,3,N_SI*50);
50
51 %Bias Field
52 delta = 5;
53 %}
54
55
56 %%CALCULATING GEOMETRICAL PARAMETERS
57
58 % F, Geometrical factor in Helmholtz coils (even), zeroth order

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59 % F ~ [m]^-1
60 F_PI = R_PI^2 / (R_PI^2+A_PI^2)^1.5;
61 F_CO = R_CO^2 / (R_CO^2+A_CO^2)^1.5;
62
63 % G, Geometrical factor in anti-Helmholtz coils (odd), first order
64 % G ~ [m]^2
65 G_BI = 1.5*A_BI * R_BI^2 / (R_BI^2+A_BI^2)^2.5;
66 G_SI = 1.5*A_SI * R_SI^2 / (R_SI^2+A_SI^2)^2.5;
67
68 % H, Geometrical factor in Helmholtz coils (even), second order
69 % H ~ [m]^3
70 H_PI = 3*R_PI^2 * (4*A_PI^2-R_PI^2) / (R_PI^2+A_PI^2)^3.5;
71 H_CO = 3*R_CO^2 * (4*A_CO^2-R_CO^2) / (R_CO^2+A_CO^2)^3.5;
72
73 %%CALCULATE remaining currents according to parameters
74
75 % PI_I defined the curvature of the trap,
76 % CO_I adjusted to fit the bias field
77
78 I_CO = (F_PI/F_CO)*I_PI - delta/(mu0*F_CO);
79 disp(strcat('I_CO=',num2str(round(I_CO/N_CO*1000)/1000),' A'));
80 I_BI = I_SI * (G_SI / G_BI);
81 disp(strcat('I_BI=',num2str(round(I_BI/N_BI*1000)/1000),' A'));
82
83
84 %%-----
85 %% Coils on z axis,
86
87 %% PINCH Coils (PI)
88
89 [PI_Bxx,PI_Byy,PI_Bzz]= BCoilPair(Z,RHO,PHI,...
90                                R_PI,A_PI,1*I_PI,...
91                                R_PI,-A_PI,1*I_PI);
92
93 PI_BB = sqrt(PI_Bxx.^2 + PI_Byy.^2 + PI_Bzz.^2);
94
95
96 %% COMPENSATION Coils
97
98 % (CO)
99
100 [CO_Bxx,CO_Byy,CO_Bzz]= BCoilPair(Z,RHO,PHI,...
101                                R_CO,A_CO,-1*I_CO,...
102                                R_CO,-A_CO,-1*I_CO);
103
104 CO_BB = sqrt(CO_Bxx.^2 + CO_Byy.^2 + CO_Bzz.^2);
105
106
107 %% FULL Z AXIS
108
109 %% (FZ)
110
111 FZ_Bxx = PI_Bxx + CO_Bxx;
112 FZ_Byy = PI_Byy + CO_Byy;
113 FZ_Bzz = PI_Bzz + CO_Bzz;
114
115
116 FZ_BB = sqrt(FZ_Bxx.^2 + FZ_Byy.^2 + FZ_Bzz.^2);

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117
118
119     figure(i);
120     i = BProfilesGraph(x,y,z,PI_BB,CO_BB,FZ_BB,n,...
121         'PINCH & COMPENSATION COILS // |B| Profiles',...
122         'PI','CO','TOTAL',...
123         [BoxMin BoxMax],i,0);
124
125
126 %%-----
127 %% Coils on radial plane,
128 %% BIG IOFFE Coils
129
130 % (BI)
131
132     [BI_Bxx,BI_Byy,BI_Bzz]= BCoilPair(Z,RHO,PHI,...
133                                     R_BI,A_BI,-1*I_BI,...
134                                     R_BI,-A_BI,1*I_BI);
135
136     [BI_Bxx,BI_Byy,BI_Bzz] = Rx(BI_Bxx,BI_Byy,BI_Bzz);
137
138     BI_BB = sqrt(BI_Bxx.^2 + BI_Byy.^2 + BI_Bzz.^2);
139
140
141 %% SMALL IOFFE Coils
142
143 % (SI)
144
145     [SI_Bxx,SI_Byy,SI_Bzz]= BCoilPair(Z,RHO,PHI,...
146                                     R_SI,A_SI,1*I_SI,...
147                                     R_SI,-A_SI,-1*I_SI);
148
149     [SI_Bxx,SI_Byy,SI_Bzz] = Ry(SI_Bxx,SI_Byy,SI_Bzz);
150
151     SI_BB = sqrt(SI_Bxx.^2 + SI_Byy.^2 + SI_Bzz.^2);
152
153
154
155 %% FULL AROUND
156
157 %% (FA)
158
159     FA_Bxx = BI_Bxx + SI_Bxx;
160     FA_Byy = BI_Byy + SI_Byy;
161     FA_Bzz = BI_Bzz + SI_Bzz;
162
163
164     FA_BB = sqrt(FA_Bxx.^2 + FA_Byy.^2 + FA_Bzz.^2);
165
166     figure(i);
167     i = BProfilesGraph(x,y,z,BI_BB,SI_BB,FA_BB,n,...
168         'BIG & SMALL IOFFEE COILS // |B| Profiles',...
169         'BI','SI','TOTAL',...
170         [BoxMin BoxMax],i,0);
171
172
173 %%% ALL
174 %% (AA)

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175
176     AA_Bxx = FA_Bxx + FZ_Bxx;
177     AA_Byy = FA_Byy + FZ_Byy;
178     AA_Bzz = FA_Bzz + FZ_Bzz;
179
180
181     AA_BB = sqrt(AA_Bxx.^2 + AA_Byy.^2 + AA_Bzz.^2);
182
183     figure(i);
184     i = BProfilesGraph(x,y,z,AA_BB,AA_BB,AA_BB,n,...
185         'ALL COILS // |B| Profiles',...
186         'BI','SI','TOTAL',...
187         [BoxMin BoxMax],i,1);
188
189 %%B fields
190
191 %Linear regression on Bxx & Byy to obtain linear gradient (alpha)
192 [ax] = polyfit(squeeze(x((n-n2):(n+n2))),...
193     squeeze(AA_Bxx((n-n2):(n+n2),n,n)),1);
194 [ay] = polyfit(squeeze(y((n-n2):(n+n2))),...
195     squeeze(AA_Byy(n,(n-n2):(n+n2),n)),1);
196
197 %Quadratic regression on Bzz to obtain curvature(beta)
198 [bz] = polyfit(squeeze(z((n-n2):(n+n2))),...
199     squeeze(AA_Bzz(n,n,(n-n2):(n+n2))),2);
200
201 %Sanity check
202 %[ax2] = polyfit(squeeze(x((n-n2):(n+n2))),...
203     %squeeze(AA_Bzz((n-n2):(n+n2),n,n)),2);
204 %[ax3] = polyfit(squeeze(y((n-n2):(n+n2))),...
205     %squeeze(AA_Bzz(n,(n-n2):(n+n2),n)),2);
206 %beta2= ax2(1)*-4
207 %beta3= ax3(1)*-4
208 %betas should be consistent
209
210 %Calculate frequencies
211 wz = sqrt(32.44421*2*bz(1));
212 wr = sqrt(32.44421*(ax(1)^2/bz(3)-bz(1)));
213
214 %% Parameters plot
215 figure(i)
216 clf
217 subplot(1,3,1);
218
219 %%
220 plot(x,squeeze(AA_Bxx(:,n,n))','color',[0 0 0.8],'linewidth',2.5);
221 xlabel('x // cm','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
222 ylabel('B_{x} // Gauss','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
223 title('x - axis','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
224 xlim([BoxMin BoxMax]);
225
226 annotation('textarrow',[0.3/4,0.45/4]+0.125,[0.88,0.55],...
227     'String',strcat('\alpha_x = ',num2str(ax(1)), ' G /cm'));
228
229 subplot(1,3,2);
230
231 plot(y,squeeze(AA_Byy(n,:,n))','color',[0.8 0 0],'linewidth',2.5);
232 xlabel('y // cm','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');

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233 ylabel('B_{y} // Gauss','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
234 title('y - axis','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
235 xlim([BoxMin BoxMax]);
236 annotation('textarrow',[0.45/4,0.55/4]+0.375,[0.15,0.45],...
237     'String',strcat('\alpha_y = ',num2str(-ay(1)), ' G /cm'));
238
239 subplot(1,3,3);
240 plot(z,squeeze(AA_Bzz(n,n,:))','color','k','linewidth',2.5);
241 xlabel('z // cm','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
242 ylabel('B_{z} // Gauss','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
243 title('z - axis','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
244 xlim([BoxMin BoxMax]);
245 annotation('textbox',[0.75,0.8,0.1,0.1],...
246     'String',{strcat('B_0 = ',num2str(bz(3)), ' G'),...
247     strcat( '\beta = ',num2str(2*bz(1)), ' G /cm^2')},...
248     'Linewidth', 1.5);
249
250 annotation('textbox',[0.5,0.75,0.1,0.1],...
251     'String',{strcat('w_{\rho} = ',num2str(wr), ' Hz'),...
252     strcat( 'w_z = ',num2str(wz), ' Hz'),...
253     strcat( '\Lambda = ',num2str(round(wr/wz))},...
254     'Linewidth', 1.5);
255
256 %Plot the field profiles
257 i=i+1;
258 figure(i)
259 i = BLayersGraph(z,y,permute(AA_BB,[1 3 2]),...
260     permute(AA_Bzz,[1 3 2]),permute(AA_Byy,[1 3 2]),...
261     N,[BoxMin BoxMax],'z //cm','y //cm',' x axis',1,i);
262
263 figure(i)
264 i = BLayersGraph(z,x,permute(AA_BB,[3 2 1]),...
265     permute(AA_Bzz,[3 2 1]),permute(AA_Bxx,[3 2 1]),...
266     N,[BoxMin BoxMax],'z //cm','x //cm',' y axis',2,i);
267
268 figure(i)
269 i = BLayersGraph(x,y,AA_BB,AA_Bxx,AA_Byy,N,[BoxMin BoxMax],...
270     'x //cm','y //cm',' z axis',3,i);
271
272 %2nd Sanity check, using only third order approximation,
273 %should be consistent
274 %omegaz = sqrt(gamma*mu0*I_PI*H_PI)
275 %betaa = mu0*I_PI*H_PI
276 %alfax = 3*mu0 * I_BI*G_BI
277 %deltaa = mu0*(I_PI*F_PI-I_CO*F_CO)
278 %omegar = sqrt(gamma * mu0 * (9*I_BI^2*G_BI^2/(I_PI*F_PI - I_CO*F_CO)...
279 %- 0.5*I_PI*H_PI))
280
281 %%Print geometrical parameters
282 coils = {'PI'; 'CO'; 'BI'; 'SI'}'
283 Fs = {F_PI;F_CO; '-'; '-'}'
284 Gs = {'-'; '-'; G_BI; G_SI}'
285 Hs = {H_PI;H_CO; '-'; '-'}'
286
287 end

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1 function [ip] = BLayersGraph(x,y,BB,Bxx,Byy,N,limits,xlabelx,ylabelx,barlabel,d,i)
2 %BLayersGraph plots a 3D field with both a contour and the vector field. It
3 %plots at a particular plane (i.e. z=0) but it creates a slider which
4 %allows to transverse the whole set of z values.
5 %
6 %Creating the slider is particularly tricky, and it required a series of
7 %tricks to re-plot everything with every change, and a LONG time of google
8 %trouble shooting. Hopefully one day MATLAB will be as functional as
9 %MATHEMATICA in this manner.
10 %
11 %N is the number of samples per dimension
12 %
13 %The labels for the x, y and the color bar are defined
14 %
15 %d is the number of the "free" dimension. For example, if plotting x vs y ,
16 %then the "free" dimension is z (d=3). Conversely, d=1 for x and d=2 for y.
17 %This allows for a great flexibility, as any pair of coordinates can be
18 %plotted easily %by just swapping the columns on BB. It is a little tricky,
19 %however, as some very annoying discrepancies might appear
20 %due to the order of dimensions in matrixes (first row, then column) is
21 %opposite from the cartesian one (first horizontal, then vertical),
22 %so beware! For example, sometimes it is necessary to transpose some
23 %of the vectors that one wants to plot.
24 %
25 %i is the image index
26 %
27 %onw can modify the aspect of the contour by modifying CRange below
28 %
29 %See also BProfilesGraph
30
31 ini = round(N/2);
32
33 figure(i)
34 clf
35
36 %Slider's legend, lower limit
37 uicontrol('style','text','Units','normalized', ...
38           'Position',[0.10 ,0.03, 0.20, 0.025], ...
39           'String', horzcat(barlabel, ' ', num2str(limits(1))), ...
40           'BackgroundColor', [0.8 0.8 0.8], ...
41           'FontSize', 14);
42
43 %Slider's legend, upper limit
44 uicontrol('style','text','Units','normalized', ...
45           'Position',[0.55 ,0.03, 0.20, 0.025], ...
46           'String', num2str(limits(2)), 'BackgroundColor', [0.8 0.8 0.8], ...
47           'FontSize', 14 );
48
49 %Slider
50 SHandle = uicontrol('Style', 'slider','Min', 1,'Max',...
51                     N, 'Value',round(N/2),'SliderStep',[1/N 10/N],'Units',...
52                     'normalized','Position',[0.32 ,0.03, 0.3, 0.025 ]);
53
54
55 subplot(2,1,1); %Contour
56
57 %VERY IMPORTANT, modify the range to change the way the contour coloring
58 %looks

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59 cRange = 0:0.5:30; %Change upper limit for a better view of the trap's depth.
60     %Change step for a coarser or smoother level curves.
61
62 [zzz,cHandle]=contour(x,y,squeeze(selecdim(d,ini,BB))',15,'LevelList',...
63     cRange,'fill','on');
64 colormap(paruly()) %Custom colormap, jsut to make it look nicer
65 xlabel(xlabelx,'fontsize',14,'fontweight','bold');
66 ylabel(ylabelx,'fontsize',14,'fontweight','bold');
67 title(horzcat('|B| profile through ',' ',barlabel),'fontsize',14,...
68     'fontweight','bold');
69 hold on
70 hc=colorbar;
71 ylabel(hc, 'Magnetic Field // G','fontweight','bold');
72
73 set(SHandle,'Callback',{@modify,SHandle}); %Add sensibility to change
74     %in the slider
75
76 pp= subplot(2,1,2); %%vector field
77 cla(pp)
78 set(pp,'Color','none');
79
80 h=streamslice(x,y,squeeze(selecdim(d,ini,Bxx))',...
81     squeeze(selecdim(d,ini,Byy))',1.5,'cubic');
82 set(h,'LineWidth',1.5,'Color','k')
83 ylim([limits(1) limits(2)]);
84 xlim([limits(1) limits(2)]);
85 fakecolorbar;
86
87 ip = i+1;
88
89 function BB = selecdim(d,k,B)
90 %Inner function, takes the 3x3 matrix and extracts a 2x2 matrix, d is the
91 %"free" dimension, k is the particular plane at the free dimension which
92 %should be extracted
93
94     switch(d)
95         case 1
96             BB = B(k, :, :);
97         case 2
98             BB = B(:, k, :);
99         case 3
100             BB = B(:, :, k);
101     end
102
103
104 end
105
106 function modify(src,evt,SHandle)
107 %Inner function, a trick to redraw the figure with a change in the
108 %slider
109 %
110     r=round(get(SHandle,'value')); %get the NEW value from the slider
111     set(cHandle,'ZData',squeeze(selecdim(d,r,BB))'); %update contour data
112
113     p=subplot(2,1,2); %update the data for streamslice is too complicated,
114     cla(p) % so it is easier to simply redraw it completely.
115     set(p,'Color','none');
116     alpha(0.5);

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117     hold on
118
119     p=streamslice(x,y,squeeze(selectdim(d,r,Bxx))',...
120         squeeze(selectdim(d,r,Byy))',1.5,'cubic');
121     set(p,'LineWidth',1.5,'Color','k')
122     ylim([limits(1) limits(2)]);
123     fakecolorbar;
124 end
125
126
127 end

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1 function [ip] = BProfilesGraph(x,y,z,B1,B2,B12,n,titlex,l1,l2,l3,limits,i,s)
2 %BProfilesGraph makes x,y and z profiles for multiple fields, it can either
3 %plot B1,B2 and their combination or simply the later.
4 %
5 %n selects the plane (i.e. other coordinates) for plotting. For example, if
6 %n is selected to be half of the number of samples per dimension, then
7 %while plotting B on the x direction, both y and z are zero.
8 %
9 %titlex is the overall title of the plot
10 %
11 %l1,l2 and l3 are the labels for the legend
12 %
13 %i is the image index
14 %
15 %s is a boolean which defines if the plots will include 3 lines (B1,B2 and
16 %B1+B2) [s=0] or just (B1+B2)[s!=0]
17 %
18 % See also BLayersGraph
19
20 clf
21
22 alpha(0.5)
23
24 subplot(1,3,1);
25 if( s ==0)
26 plot(x,squeeze(B1(:,n,n))','r','linewidth',2.5);
27 hold on
28 plot(x,squeeze(B2(:,n,n))','b','linewidth',2.5);
29 hold on
30 end
31 plot(x,squeeze(B12(:,n,n))','color',[0 .5 0],'linewidth',2.5);
32 xlabel('x // cm','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
33 ylabel('|B| // Gauss','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
34 title('x - axis','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
35 xlim([limits(1) limits(2)]);
36
37 MasterTitle(titlex,...
38             'fontsize',14,'color','k',...
39             'xoff',1.4,'yoff',.025);
40
41 subplot(1,3,2);
42 if (s==0)
43 plot(y,squeeze(B1(n,:,n))','r','linewidth',2.5);
44 hold on
45 plot(y,squeeze(B2(n,:,n))','b','linewidth',2.5);
46 hold on
47 end
48 plot(y,squeeze(B12(n,:,n))','color',[0 .5 0],'linewidth',2.5);
49 xlabel('y // cm','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
50 ylabel('|B| // Gauss','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
51 title('y - axis','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
52 xlim([limits(1) limits(2)]);
53
54 subplot(1,3,3);
55 if(s==0)
56 plot(z,squeeze(B1(n,n,:))','r','linewidth',2.5);
57 hold on
58 plot(z,squeeze(B2(n,n,:))','b','linewidth',2.5);

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59 hold on
60 end
61 plot(z,squeeze(B12(n,n,:))','color',[0 .5 0],'linewidth',2.5);
62 xlabel('z // cm','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
63 ylabel('|B| // Gauss','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
64 title('z - axis','fontsize',14, 'fontweight','bold');
65 xlim([limits(1) limits(2)]);
66 if (s==0)
67 legend(l1,l2,l3);
68 else
69 legend(l3);
70 end
71 ip = i+1;
72
73 end

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This code snippets are used to rotate the BI and SI coils into their proper positions. it is worth mentioning that both the mesh and the coordinate axes should be adjusted. The former is done with the aid of the function *rot90_3D*, while the later are simply adjusted as required on each case. The function *rot90_3D* works with counterclockwise (positive angles) rotations only.

```

1 function [xx,yy,zz] = Rx(x,y,z)
2
3 x = rot90_3D(x, 1, 3);
4 y = rot90_3D(y, 1, 3);
5 z = rot90_3D(z, 1, 3);
6
7 xx = x;
8 yy = z;
9 zz = -y;
10
11 end

```

```

1 function [xx,yy,zz] = Ry(x,y,z)
2
3 x = rot90_3D(x, 2, 1);
4 y = rot90_3D(y, 2, 1);
5 z = rot90_3D(z, 2, 1);
6
7 xx = -z;
8 yy = y;
9 zz = x;
10
11 end

```