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Beam Dynamics Framework Incorporating Acceleration Used to Define the Minimum Aperture of RF Cavity For FODO-like Focusing Scheme for Proton Radiotherapy Linac.

Transfer Map for an RF Cavity

$$M_{cav} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \frac{l_{cav}\sqrt{\gamma_{r0}^2 - 1}}{\gamma_{r1} - \gamma_{r0}} \ln\left(\frac{\sqrt{\gamma_{r1}^2 - 1} + \gamma_{r1}}{\sqrt{\gamma_{r0}^2 - 1} + \gamma_{r0}}\right) \\ 0 & \sqrt{\frac{\gamma_{r0}^2 - 1}{\gamma_{r1}^2 - 1}} \end{pmatrix}$$

- The M_{22} element can be equivalently written $\frac{\beta_{r0}\gamma_{r0}}{\beta_{r1}\gamma_{r1}}$ and is the Jacobian of the transformation through a cavity [1, 2].
- Liouville's theorem does not hold and areas in transverse phase space scale with $\beta_r\gamma_r$ as expected.

Twiss Parameter Matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} \beta_{x1} \\ \alpha_{x1} \\ \gamma_{x1} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{\gamma_{r1}\beta_{r1}}{\gamma_{r0}\beta_{r0}} \begin{pmatrix} M_{11}^2 & -2M_{11}M_{12} & M_{12}^2 \\ -M_{11}M_{21} & M_{11}M_{22} + M_{12}M_{21} & -M_{12}M_{22} \\ M_{21}^2 & -2M_{21}M_{22} & M_{22}^2 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \beta_{x0} \\ \alpha_{x0} \\ \gamma_{x0} \end{pmatrix}$$

- Beta function is no longer periodic but increases with increasing longitudinal momentum.

Betatron Phase Advance

$$M_x = \sqrt{\frac{\beta_{r0}\gamma_{r0}}{\beta_{r1}\gamma_{r1}}} \begin{pmatrix} \sqrt{\frac{\beta_{x1}}{\beta_{x0}}} (\cos(\mu_x) + \alpha_{x0} \sin(\mu_x)) & \sqrt{\beta_{x0}\beta_{x1}} \sin(\mu_x) \\ \frac{(\alpha_{x0} - \alpha_{x1}) \cos(\mu_x) - (1 + \alpha_{x0}\alpha_{x1}) \sin(\mu_x)}{\sqrt{\beta_{x0}\beta_{x1}}} & \sqrt{\frac{\beta_{x0}}{\beta_{x1}}} (\cos(\mu_x) - \alpha_{x1} \sin(\mu_x)) \end{pmatrix}$$

- Determinant of phase space map is a function of longitudinal momentum.

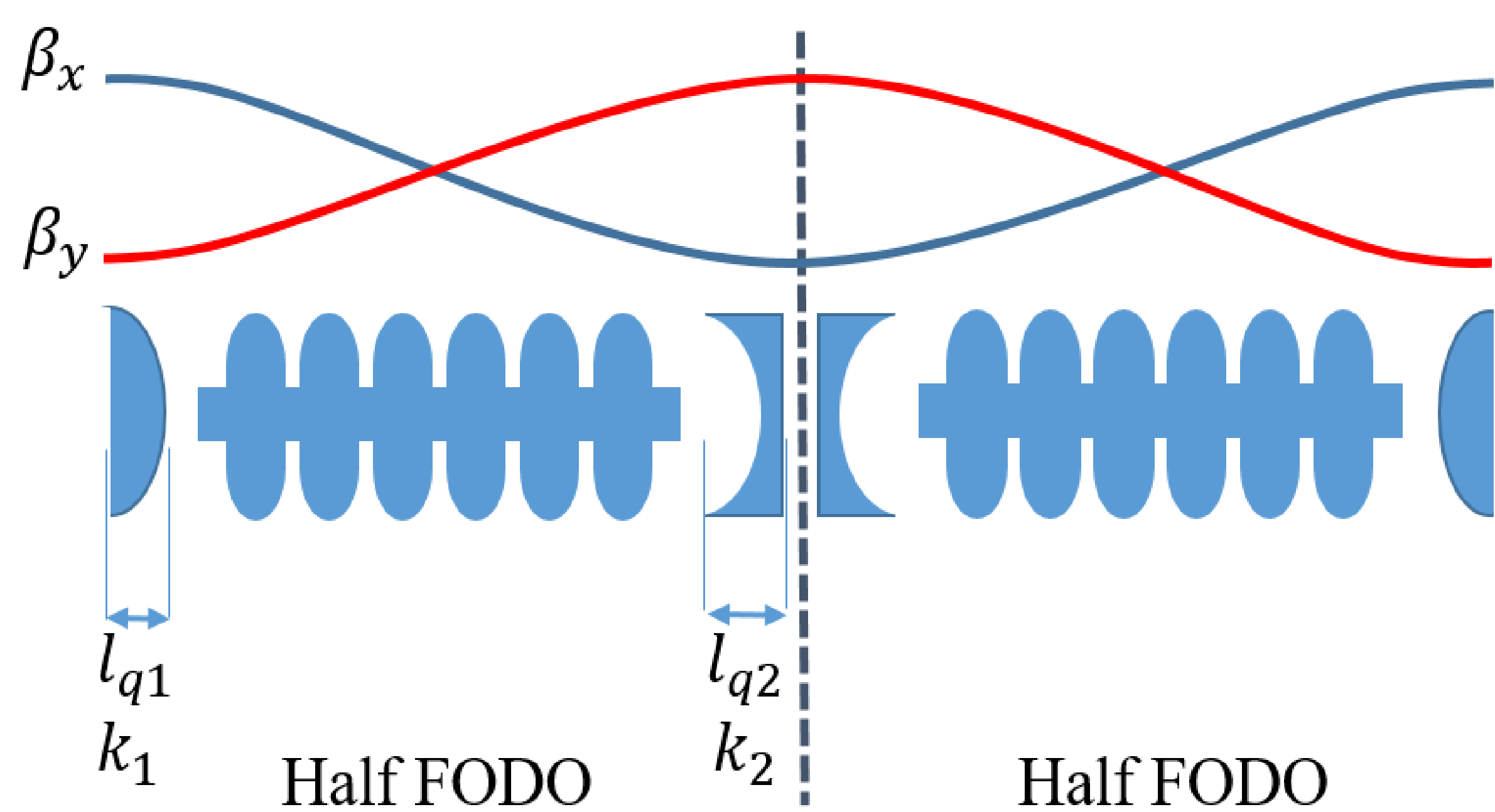


Fig. 1. Schematic showing how a FODO-like lattice is split into two half FODO elements.

FODO-like Beam Line

The method requires solving for the value of k_1 that minimises the beam size at the cavity entrance. Requiring symmetry in both transverse planes forces constraints that allow the calculation of all FODO parameters.

$$k_{2n} = k_{2n+1} = k_1 \frac{\gamma_{r0}^2 - 1}{\gamma_{rn}^2 - 1}, \quad l_{qn+1} = l_{q1} \sqrt{\frac{\gamma_{rn}^2 - 1}{\gamma_{r0}^2 - 1}}$$

The cavity length is also determined and subsequent cavity lengths increase with a term very close to $\beta_r\gamma_r$. Therefore, cavity lengths require corrections to keep a beam synchronous.

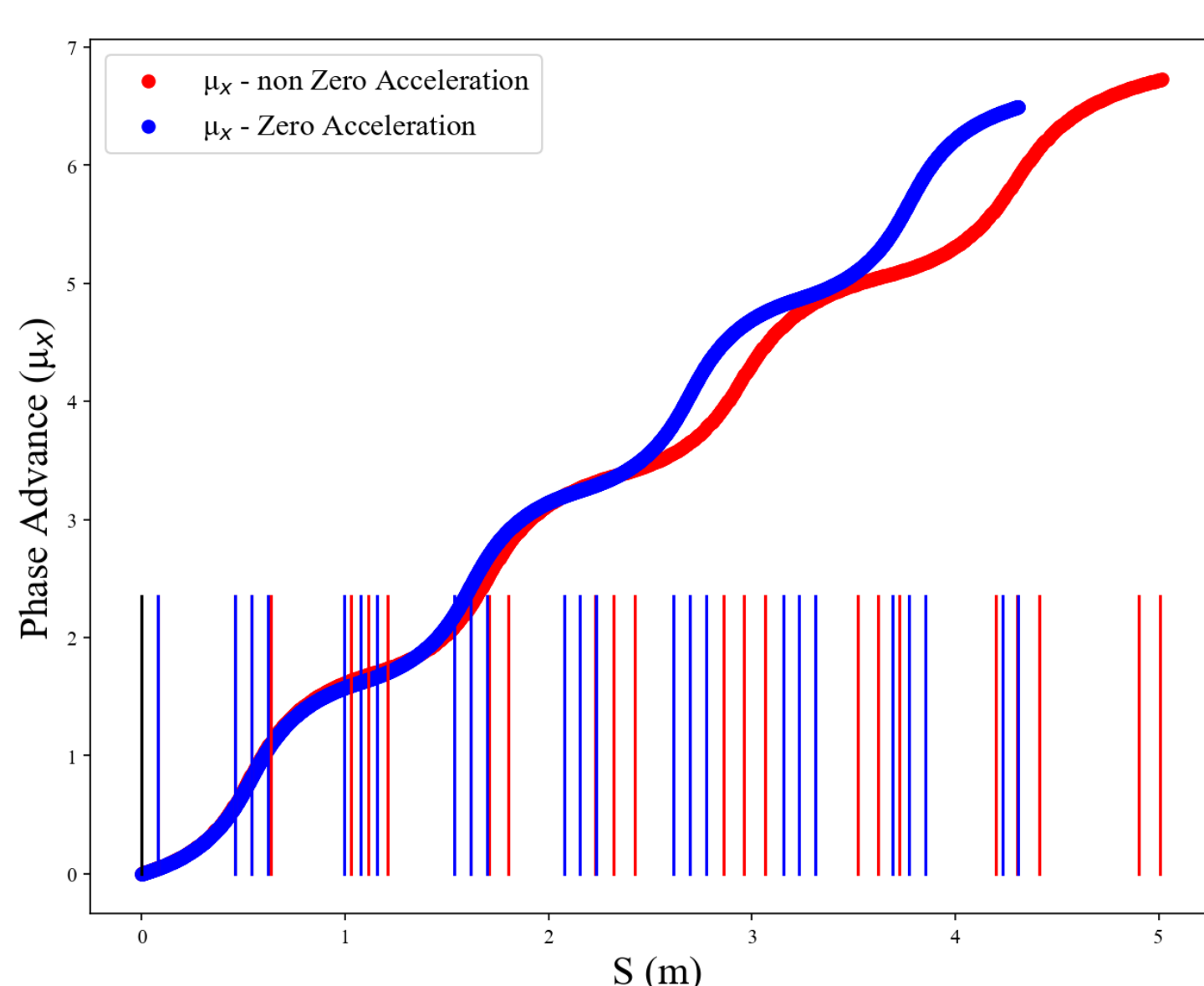


Fig. 2. Phase advance of a FODO-like lattice with and without acceleration.

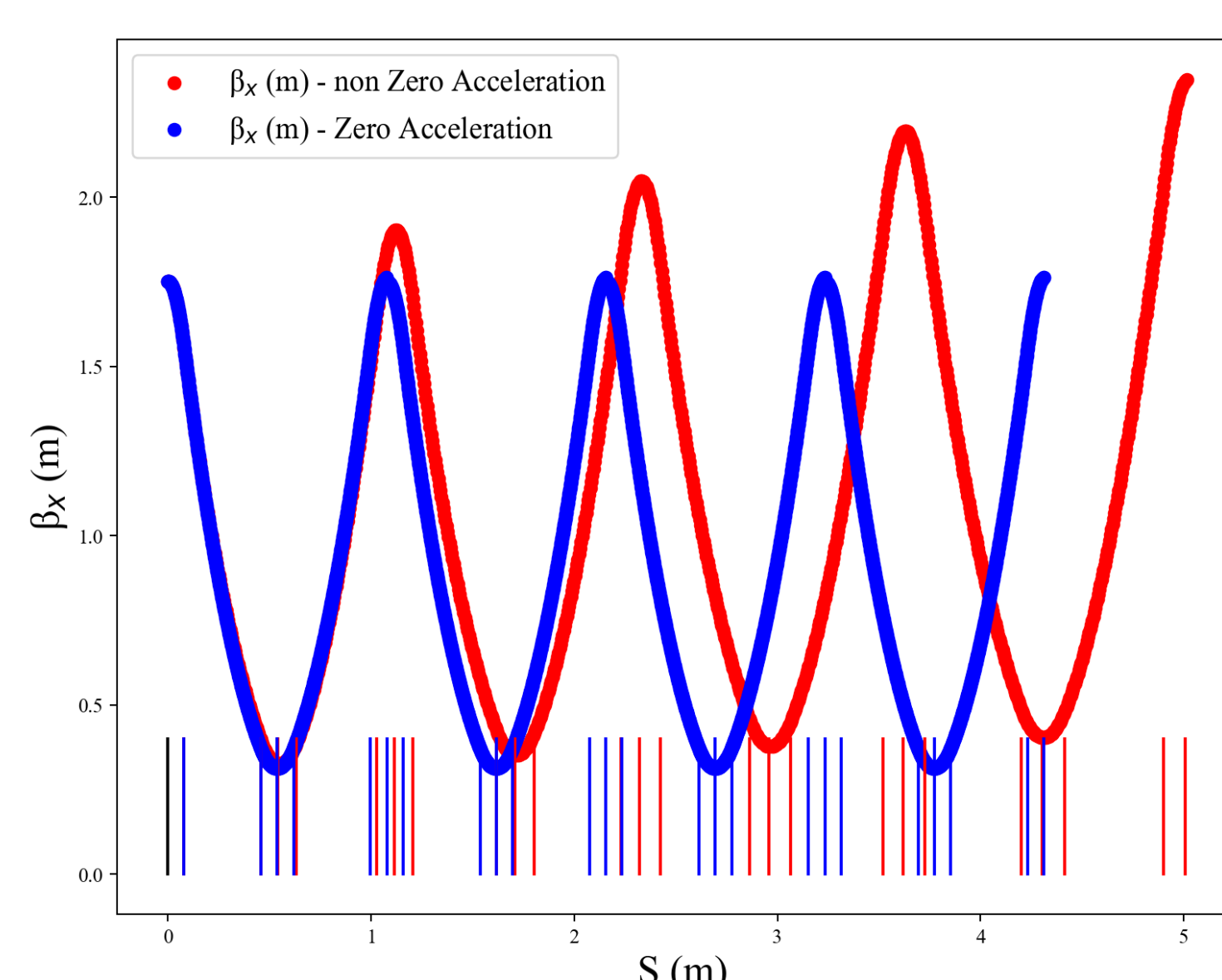


Fig. 3. Beta function for FODO-like lattice with and without acceleration with same initial beta.

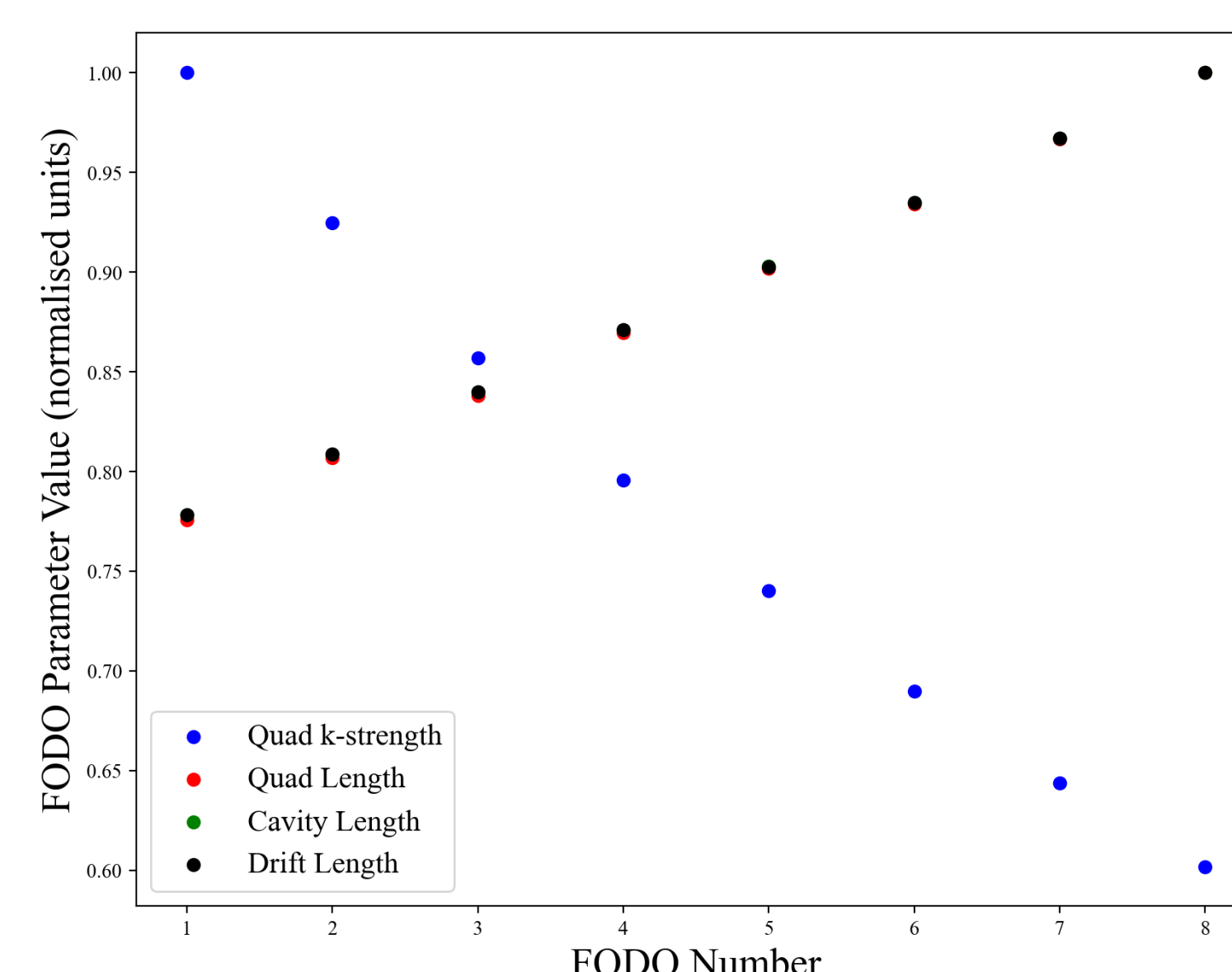


Fig. 4. The FODO parameters are shown as a function of half FODO number.

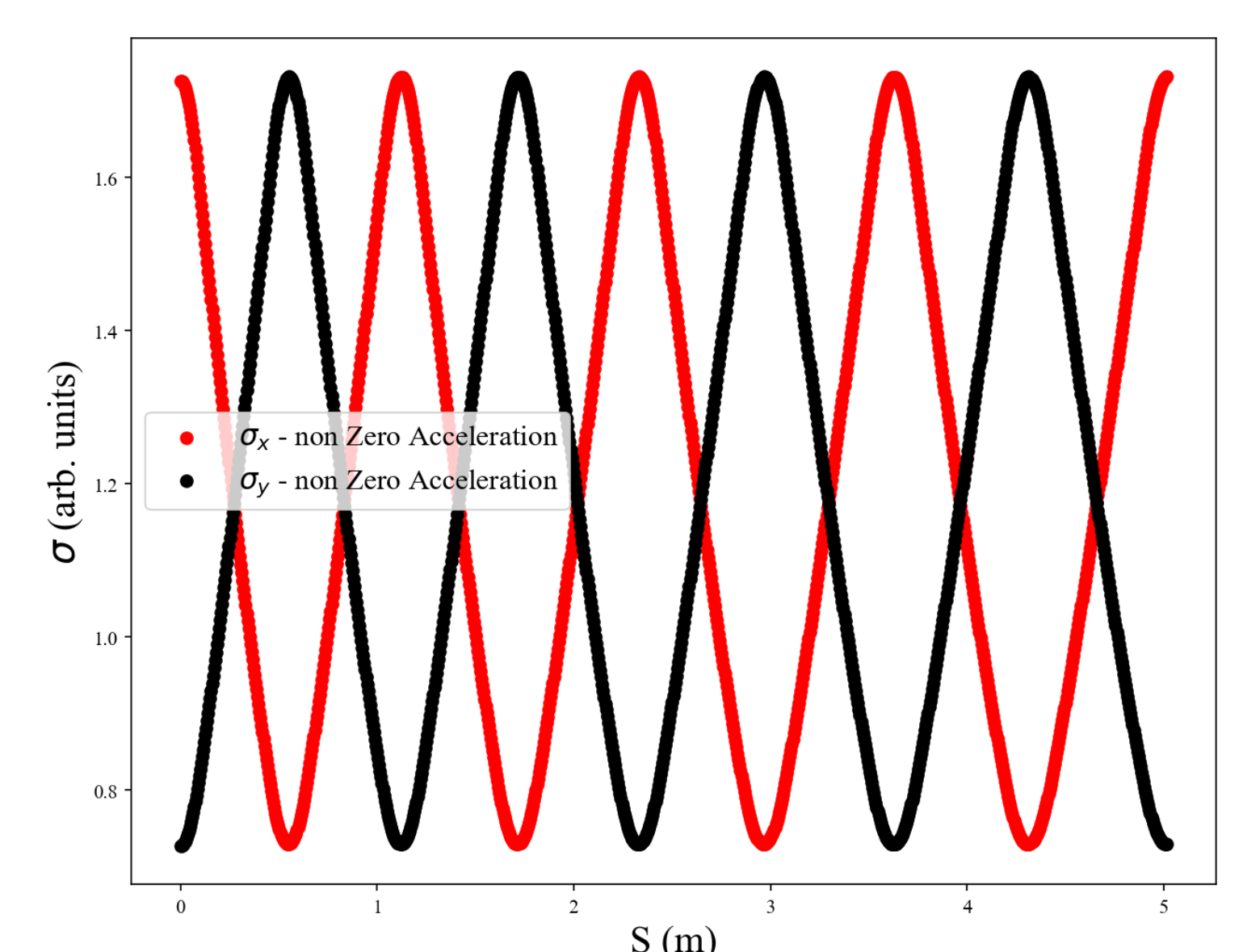


Fig. 6. Beam size for a FODO-like lattice factoring in acceleration.

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