

Readme File

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This file contains the derivations used in the `microscope.py` file for simulating a microscope with 2 frequencies cavity. the code is available here: [Github link](#) and is based mostly on the paper from here: [relativistic ponderomotive potential paper](#).

The code structure

The simulation is meant to take an electron wave function, and propagate it through the different components of the microscope. The wave function is always represented with the `WaveFunction` class, that contains the coordinates system on which it is evaluated, the values of it over all of the coordinates system's points, and it's energy:

```
1 class WaveFunction:
2     def __init__(self,
3         psi: np.ndarray, # The input wave function in one z=const plane
4         coordinates: CoordinateSystem, # The coordinate system of the input wave
5         E0: float, # Energy of the particle
6     ):

```

The base unit of the simulation is the `Propagator` class, which takes a `WaveFunction` as an input and returns a `WaveFunction` as an output. Examples for such Propagators are the lens, the cavity, the sample, etc...

```
1 class Propagator:
2     def propagate(self, state: WaveFunction) -> WaveFunction

```

the main class is `Microscope`, which is defined by a list of `Propagators`, and knows how to take a `WaveFunction` as an input, pass it through all the `Propagators` one by one, save the results on the way, and after it finishes, it converts the last one to an image (by squaring and adding shot noise).

Here is a list of the current existing propagators (that, as said earlier - take a `WaveFunction` as an input and returns a `WaveFunction` as an output), followed by :

```
1 class LensPropagator(Propagator):
2     ...
3 class SamplePropagator(Propagator):
4     ...
5 class AberrationsPropagator(Propagator):
6     ...
7 class Cavity2FrequenciesPropagator(Propagator):
8     ...
9 class Cavity2FrequenciesAnalyticalPropagator(Cavity2FrequenciesPropagator):

```

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10 ...
11 class Cavity2FrequenciesNumericalPropagator(Cavity2FrequenciesPropagator):

```

SamplePropagator

This class propagates a `WaveFunction` through a sample with known potential $V(x, y, z)$.

It does it using the slice-by-slice method, as described in Kirland's book in section 6.4.

Simply speaking, if we can evaluate the potential in planes $z_n = n \cdot \Delta z$, and we denote the wavefunction in some plane z_n as $\psi(x, y, z = z_n) \equiv \psi_n(x, y)$, we can propagate in steps each ψ_n to ψ_{n+1} by:

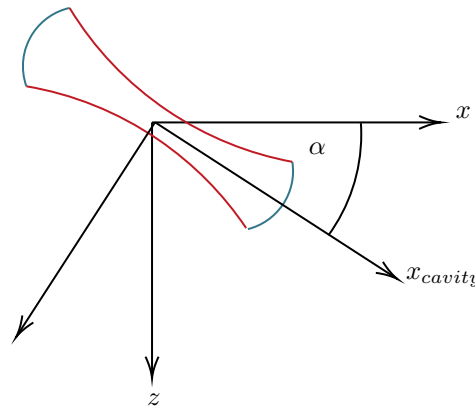
1. Propagate ψ_n in free space for a distance of Δz using angular spectrum of plane waves propagation (done in Fourier space): $\Psi_n(k_x, k_y) \rightarrow \Psi_n(k_x, k_y) \cdot e^{i\sqrt{k^2 - k_x^2 - k_y^2} \cdot \Delta z}$ (function `ASPW_propagation`)
2. Apply phase retardation according to the potential $V(x, y, z_n)$ using the multiplication: $\psi(x, y) \rightarrow \psi(x, y) \cdot e^{i\sigma \Delta z \cdot V(x, y)}$ for $\sigma = \frac{\gamma m e}{\hbar^2 k}$ (Function `propagate_through_potential_slice`)
3. Iterate alternately for $\{z_n\}_{n=0}^N$ until the wave comes out of the potential limits (out of the sample). (method `propagate`)

This class also have a useful method of loading dummy samples, such as letters or gaussians. (method `generate_dummy_potential`)

Cavity2FrequenciesAnalyticalPropagator

This class propagates a `WaveFunction` through a cavity with two lasers, with wavelengths λ_1, λ_2 (denoted in the code as `l_1, l_2`), with amplitudes E_1, E_2 (denoted in the code as `E_1, E_2`), numerical apertures NA_1, NA_2 (`NA_1, NA_2`), with polarization θ (`theta_polarization`) (which is shared for both lasers) and with tilt of the cavity of α (`alpha_cavity`):

This is how α looks like in a sketch, where the z axis is the axis of propagation on electrons:



The class (as well as `Cavity2FrequenciesNumericalPropagator`) acts on a wave function by multiplying every pixel (that represent a different “pencil beams” of the electron in the focal plane) by a complex number.

A few notes:

1. The phase of the complex number is the phase the electron acquired by passing through the ponderomotive potential. The derivation for this phase is given in section [The cavity effect on one pencil beam centered at \$\(x_0, y_0\)\$](#) , and in particular is given by equation (35). The absolute value of this complex number is the attenuation factor that is given to this beam by being modulated in frequency by the cavity, and later passing through an energy filter that will keep only the zero'th energy. It is derived in the same section and appears also in equation (35).
 - (a) the attenuation factor is calculated in method `attenuation_factor`, the total phase shift in method `phase_shift`, and the total phase mask (phase + attenuation) is in method `phase_and_amplitude_mask`.
2. The ratio used in the simulation between E_1 and E_2 is derived in section [Calculate the envelope \$A_{\text{envelope}}\(x, y, z\)\$ for two gaussian beams in the moving frame:](#) and in equation (23).
 - (a) The default value of E_2 in the class is -1 , and if this will indeed be the input, then the object will initiate E_2 with the appropriate value according to equation (23).
 - (b) If E_2 is `None` then the cavity will have only one laser.
 - (c) Those calculations happen in `__init__` method.
3. The ratio used in the simulation between NA_1 and NA_2 is derived in section [Relation between wavelengths and numerical aperture in a fixed cavity](#) and in equation (NA ratios).
 - (a) Also here, when initiating the object and setting the value of NA_1 , the values -1 and `None` behave the same way as in E_2
 - (b) those calculations happen in `__init__` method.
4. The tilt of the cavity α_{cavity} used in the simulation is derived in section [The relation between \$\beta_{\text{electron}}\$, \$\beta_{\text{lattice}}\$, \$\alpha\$, \$\lambda_1\$, \$\lambda_2\$:](#) and appear in equation (37).
 - (a) it depends on the velocity of the electron, which is not part of the object, but rather part of the input `WaveFunction`, and so it cannot happen in the `__init__` function. instead, it happens in the `beta_electron2alpha_cavity` function.
5. The propagator can work also with a single laser, by setting $E_2=\text{None}$.

Cavity2FrequenciesNumericalPropagator

This class does the same manipulation on a `WaveFunction` as `Cavity2FrequenciesAnalyticalPropagator` but instead of using the final expression for the phase shift in (35), it does the integral in (11) directly. The analytical expression in (35) that is used by the analytical propagator is the result of this integral after some approximation.

The two Propagators produce very similar results - up to a few percents difference. All the notes about the analytical one apply to this one too.

Note that this integral is very heavy computationally, and this problem is addressed in [Addressing the complexity problem:](#). besides the numerical optimizations, the class knows to take the integral in (11) which needs to be done for every x, y, t triplets, and to divide it into segments such that no segment exceeds the memory limit.

Also, once it computed the phase shift and amplitude attenuation for every pixel, it saves the result in a unique name, and then if the same setup is used again (frequencies, NA, amplitudes, polarization, resolution, etc...) then it just loads the result from the previously saved array.

A few notes:

1. The evaluation of potential $A_0(x, y, z, t(z))$ that is the integrand in equation (38) and equation (11) happens in method `rotated_gaussian_be`
2. The integration of A_z to generate G as in (38) happens in method `G_gauge`.

3. The gradient ∇G from the integrand of equation (11) is calculated in method `grad_G`.
4. The summation of all elements in the integrand of (11) is calculated in method `phi_integrand`.
5. The integral itself of equation (11) is calculated in method `phi`. this method divides the calculation to batches that can fit in the memory, and each one of them is called with function `phi_single_batch`. (the integral itself is in `phi_single_batch`).
6. To extract the zero'th energy's amplitude from the value of ϕ in different times, the method `extract_0th_energy_level_amplitude` takes values of `phi` and:
 - (a) If the `t` vector (the values in time) has 3 elements in it (which is the default), it uses the derivations in [Calculating the zero'th energy amplitude with just 3 points in time](#): to extract the amplitude.
 - (b) Otherwise, it does the Fourier transform to extract the amplitude of the zeroth energy.
 - (c) Note that the precision of the Fourier transform requires relatively large number of evaluations.

AberrationsPropagator

This object adds the aberrations to the picture, and is meant to be used as a final Propagator. It does so by multiplying the image in Fourier space by the factors:

$$\begin{aligned}\Psi(k_x, k_y) &\rightarrow \Psi(k_x, k_y) \cdot e^{\frac{1}{2}[C_s \lambda_e^3 \cdot k^2 - f(k)k^2]} \\ k^2 &= k_x^2 + k_y^2 \\ f(k) &= f_0 + f_a \cos(2(\varphi_k - \varphi_0)) \\ \varphi_k &= \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{k_y}{k_x}\right)\end{aligned}$$

Where C_s is the spherical aberrations coefficient, λ_e is the wavelength of the electron, f_0 is the defocusing parameter, f_a is the astigmatism coefficient and φ_0 is the astigmatism orientation.

This formula is based on Berkleys notes in "Berkleys_Files\Simulator_Documentation.pdf" in this Git project.

Example code:

This is an example of a code to run the simulation: **To add.**

Analytical derivations

Review of Osip's paper

In this section I re-derive in a more elaborated way the same calculations already done in [relativistic ponderomotive potential paper](#).

Find the phase shift using the field in the electron's rest frame S'

Start with the Schrodinger equation:

$$\frac{d}{dt}\psi \stackrel{\text{Schrodinger Eq.}}{=} \frac{i}{\hbar} \mathcal{H} \int dt$$

$$\psi(t) \stackrel{\text{Schrodinger Eq.}}{=} e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} \int \mathcal{H} dt'} \psi(0) = e^{\frac{i}{\hbar} \int [\frac{1}{2} m v'^2 - e \mathbf{A}'(\mathbf{r}'(t'), t') \cdot \mathbf{v}'(t')] dt'} \psi(0)$$

And so the total phase acquired is:

$$\phi(t) = \frac{1}{\hbar} \int \left[\frac{1}{2} m v'^2 - e \mathbf{A}'(\mathbf{r}'(t'), t') \cdot \mathbf{v}'(t') \right] dt' \quad (1)$$

Since we are in Gibbs gauge, and $A_0 = 0$, the electric field is:

$$\mathbf{E}'(\mathbf{x}'_0, t') \stackrel{\text{Wikipedia says there is a minus here}}{=} -\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \mathbf{A}'(\mathbf{x}'_0, t')$$

And the force:

$$\mathbf{F}' = -e \mathbf{E}'(\mathbf{x}'_0, t') = e \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \mathbf{A}'(\mathbf{x}'_0, t')$$

And so

$$\Delta \mathbf{p} = \int_0^{t'} \mathbf{F}'(\mathbf{x}'_0, t'') dt'' = e \int_0^{t'} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (\mathbf{x}'_0, t'') dt'' = e \mathbf{A}'(\mathbf{x}'_0, t')$$

And the velocity:

$$\mathbf{v}(t') = \frac{\Delta \mathbf{p}}{m} = \frac{e}{m} \mathbf{A}'(\mathbf{x}'_0, t')$$

Plugging this velocity into (1), we get:

$$\begin{aligned} \phi(t) &= \frac{1}{\hbar} \int_0^t \left[\frac{1}{2} m v'^2 - e \mathbf{A}'(\mathbf{r}'(t'), t') \cdot \mathbf{v}'(t') \right] dt' \\ &= \frac{1}{\hbar} \int_0^t \left[\frac{1}{2} m \left(\frac{e}{m} \mathbf{A}'(\mathbf{x}_0, t') \right)^2 - e \mathbf{A}'(\mathbf{x}_0, t') \cdot \left(\frac{e}{m} \mathbf{A}'(\mathbf{x}_0, t') \right) \right] dt' \\ &= \frac{1}{\hbar} \int_0^t \left[\frac{1}{2} \frac{e^2}{m} \mathbf{A}'^2(\mathbf{x}_0, t') - \frac{e^2}{m} \mathbf{A}'^2(\mathbf{x}_0, t') \right] dt' \\ &= -\frac{1}{\hbar} \int_0^t \frac{e^2}{2m} \mathbf{A}'^2(\mathbf{x}_0, t') dt' \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

Convert \mathbf{A}' from electron's frame to \mathbf{A} in lab's frame preserving Gibbs gauge:

Let us denote the field in coulomb gauge in the electron's frame with \mathbf{A}' , the field in the lab frame after Lorentz transformation from the electron's frame with $\tilde{\mathbf{A}}$, the field in the lab's frame and in coulomb gauge with \mathbf{A} .

Since \mathbf{A}' and \mathbf{A} are in coulomb gauge (Gibbs gauge, in particular), we have: $A_0 = 0 = \tilde{A}_0$.

Let us express everything in terms of $(\tilde{\mathbf{A}}_0, \tilde{\mathbf{A}})$:

$$\Phi' = 0 = \frac{\gamma}{c} \tilde{A}_0 - \gamma \beta \tilde{A}_z \quad (3)$$

$$\mathbf{A}'_{\perp} = \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_{\perp}$$

$$A'_z = -\frac{\gamma}{c} \beta \tilde{A}_0 + \gamma \tilde{A}_z = -\frac{\gamma}{c} \beta^2 \cancel{\tilde{A}_z} + \gamma \tilde{A}_z = \gamma (1 - \beta^2) \tilde{A}_z = \frac{(1 - \beta^2)}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}} \tilde{A}_z = \sqrt{1 - \beta^2} \tilde{A}_z = \frac{1}{\gamma} \tilde{A}_z \quad (4)$$

$$\mathbf{A} = \tilde{\mathbf{A}} + \nabla G \Rightarrow$$

$$A_z = \tilde{A}_z + \partial_z G \quad (5)$$

$$A_x = \tilde{A}_x + \partial_x G$$

$$A_y = \tilde{A}_y + \partial_y G$$

$$A_0 = \tilde{A}_0 - \partial_t G = 0 \quad (6)$$

Given an electromagnetic vector potential:

$$(\tilde{A}_0, \tilde{\mathbf{A}})$$

Any gauge will be of the form:

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{\mathbf{A}} &\rightarrow \mathbf{A} = \tilde{\mathbf{A}} + \nabla G \\ \tilde{A}_0 &\rightarrow A_0 = \tilde{A}_0 - \partial_t G \end{aligned}$$

If we want to make \tilde{A}_0 vanish then we get an equation on G :

$$\partial_t G \stackrel{(6)}{=} \tilde{A}_0 \quad (S5)$$

If $(\tilde{A}_0, \tilde{\mathbf{A}})$ was itself achieved by Lorentz transforming a coulomb gauged vector potential:

$$\tilde{A}_0 \stackrel{(3)}{=} \beta c \tilde{A}_z \quad (S1)$$

Substituting the result from (S5) to (S1)

$$A_z \stackrel{(5)}{=} \partial_z G + \tilde{A}_z \setminus - \partial_z G$$

$$(A_z - \partial_z G) \stackrel{(5)}{=} \tilde{A}_z$$

$$\partial_t G \stackrel{(S5)}{=} \tilde{A}_0 \stackrel{(S1)}{=} \beta c \tilde{A}_z \stackrel{(S4)}{=} \beta c (A_z - \partial_z G) \setminus + \beta c \partial_z G$$

$$[\partial_t + \beta c \partial_z] G = \beta c A_z \checkmark \quad (7)$$

Guess solution of the form:

$$G(\mathbf{x}, t) = c\beta \int_{-\infty}^t A_z(z - c\beta(t - t'), t') dt'$$

Let's verify that this solution works: Define:

$$f_t(t') = A_z(z - c\beta(t - t'), t')$$

And get:

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(c\beta \int_{-\infty}^t A_z(z - c\beta(t - t'), t') dt' \right) &= \\
&= \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(c\beta \int_{-\infty}^t f_t(t') dt' \right) \\
&= c\beta \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \left(\int_{-\infty}^t f_t(t') dt' \right) \\
&= c\beta \lim_{dt \rightarrow 0} \left(\int_{-\infty}^{t+dt} f_{t+dt}(t') dt' - \int_{-\infty}^t f_t(t') dt' \right) : dt \\
&= c\beta \lim_{dt \rightarrow 0} \left(\int_t^{t+dt} f_{t+dt}(t') dt' + \int_{-\infty}^t f_{t+dt}(t') dt' - \int_{-\infty}^t f_t(t') dt' \right) : dt \\
&= c\beta \lim_{dt \rightarrow 0} \left(\underbrace{\int_t^{t+dt} f_{t+dt}(t') dt'}_{f_{t+dt}(t') \cdot dt} + \int_{-\infty}^t \underbrace{(f_{t+dt}(t') - f_t(t'))}_{\frac{d}{dt} f_t(t') \cdot dt} dt' \right) : dt \\
&= c\beta \lim_{dt \rightarrow 0} \left(f_{t+dt}(t) \cdot \cancel{dt} + \int_{-\infty}^t \frac{d}{dt} f_t(t') \cdot \cancel{dt} dt' \right) : \cancel{dt} \\
&= c\beta \lim_{dt \rightarrow 0} \left(f_{t+dt}(t) + \int_{-\infty}^t \frac{d}{dt} f_t(t') dt' \right) \\
&= c\beta \lim_{dt \rightarrow 0} \left(f_t(t) + \int_{-\infty}^t \frac{d}{dt} A_z(z - c\beta(t - t'), t') dt' \right) \\
&= c\beta \left(A_z(z, t) + \int_{-\infty}^t \frac{\partial}{\partial z} A_z(z - c\beta(t - t'), t') \cdot \underbrace{\frac{d}{dt} (z - c\beta(t - t'))}_{-c\beta} dt' \right) \\
&= c\beta \left(A_z(z, t) + \int_{-\infty}^t \frac{\partial}{\partial z} A_z(z - c\beta(t - t'), t') (-c\beta) dt' \right) \\
&= c\beta \left(A_z(z, t) - \beta c \int_{-\infty}^t \frac{\partial}{\partial z} A_z(z - c\beta(t - t'), t') dt' \right)
\end{aligned} \tag{8}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial z} G = \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left(c\beta \int_{-\infty}^t A_z(z - c\beta(t - t'), t') dt' \right) = c\beta \int_{-\infty}^t \frac{\partial}{\partial z} A_z(z - c\beta(t - t'), t') dt'$$

Plugging in (7), we see indeed that:

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t G + \beta c \frac{\partial}{\partial z} G &= c\beta \left(A_z(z, t) - \beta c \int_{-\infty}^t \frac{\partial}{\partial z} A_z(z - c\beta(t - t'), t') dt' \right) + (c\beta)^2 \int_{-\infty}^t \frac{\partial}{\partial z} A_z(z - c\beta(t - t'), t') dt' = \\ &= \partial_t G + \beta c \frac{\partial}{\partial z} G = c\beta A_z(z, t) \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

Proof's of Osip's approximation for G : First, let us rewrite the the integral of G as such:

$$G/\beta c = \int_{-\infty}^t A_z(z - \beta c(t - T), T) dT$$

Define:

$$\begin{aligned} Z &= z - \beta c(t - T) & \frac{1}{\beta c} dZ &= dT & T = t &\iff Z = z \\ T &= \frac{Z - z}{\beta c} + t \end{aligned} \tag{9}$$

$$G/\beta c = \int_{-\infty}^t A_z(z - \beta c(t - T), T) dT = \frac{1}{\beta c} \int_{-\infty}^z A_z\left(Z, \frac{Z - z}{\beta c} + t\right) dZ$$

With the frequency:

$$\cos(\omega T) = \cos\left(\omega\left(\frac{Z - z}{\beta c} + t\right)\right) \Rightarrow \tilde{k} = \frac{\omega}{\beta c} = \frac{k_L}{\beta} \quad \varphi_{z,t} = \omega\left(t - \frac{z}{\beta c}\right)$$

Now, let us show that $G \approx \beta c \int_0^t A(z, t') dt' = A_{\text{envelope}}(z) \cdot \sin(\omega t)$.

We will show it by looking at $\frac{\partial G/\beta c}{\partial t}$:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial G/\beta c}{\partial t} &\stackrel{(8)}{=} A_z(z, t) - \beta c \int_{-\infty}^t \frac{\partial}{\partial z} A_z(z - c\beta(t - t'), t') dt' = A_z(z, t) - \beta c \int_{-\infty}^t A'(z - \beta c(t - t')) \cos(\omega t') dt' = \\ &= A_z(z, t) - \frac{\beta c}{\beta c} \int_{-\infty}^z A'(Z) \cos\left(\frac{k}{\beta}(Z - z) + \omega t\right) dZ = \end{aligned}$$

And so since $G(z, t) = \int_{-\infty}^t \frac{\partial}{\partial t'} G(z, t') dt'$, we want to show that just the second term is much smaller than the first term:

$$G(z, t) = \int_{-\infty}^t \frac{\partial}{\partial t'} G(z, t') dt' = \int_{-\infty}^t \overset{\text{green}}{A_z(z, t')} dt' - \int_0^t \int_{-\infty}^z \overset{\text{red}}{A'(Z) \cos\left(\frac{k}{\beta}(Z - z) + \omega t'\right)} dZ dt' =$$

Continuing only with the second element:

$$= - \int_{-\infty}^z \overset{\text{red}}{A'(Z)} \int_0^t \cos\left(\frac{k}{\beta}(Z - z) + \omega t'\right) dt' dZ$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\omega} \int_{-\infty}^z \underbrace{A'(Z)}_{=\frac{Z}{\sigma^2} A(Z)} \sin\left(\frac{k}{\beta}Z - \frac{k}{\beta}z + t\right) dZ$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\omega} \int_{-\infty}^z \overbrace{\frac{Z}{w}}^{\approx \beta} A(Z) \sin\left(\frac{k}{\beta}Z - \frac{k}{\beta}z + t\right) dZ$$

$$\approx -\frac{1}{\omega w} \underbrace{\int_{-\infty}^z A(Z) \sin\left(\frac{k}{\beta}Z - \frac{k}{\beta}z + t\right) dZ}$$

$$\beta \not\ll -\omega w = \not\ll kw$$

$$\beta \stackrel{?}{\ll} kw = \frac{2\cancel{k}}{\cancel{k}NA} = \frac{2}{NA} \checkmark$$

Coming back to the main discussion: The field in the laboratory frame before gauging it back is:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{A}'_{\perp}(\mathbf{x}', t') &= \begin{pmatrix} A'_x \\ A'_y \end{pmatrix}(\mathbf{x}', t') = \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{A}_x \\ \tilde{A}_y \end{pmatrix}(\mathbf{x}, t) = \tilde{\mathbf{A}}_{\perp}(\mathbf{x}, t) \\ A'_{\parallel}(\mathbf{x}', t') &= A'_z(\mathbf{x}', t') = \frac{1}{\gamma} \tilde{A}_z(\mathbf{x}, t) = \frac{1}{\gamma} \tilde{A}_{\parallel}(\mathbf{x}, t) \\ 0 &= A'_0 = \frac{\gamma}{c} \tilde{\Phi}(\mathbf{x}, t) - \gamma \beta \tilde{A}_z \end{aligned}$$

And

$$\mathbf{A} = \tilde{\mathbf{A}} + \nabla G$$

$$\Phi = \tilde{\Phi} - \partial_t G$$

So we get:

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{A}'^2 &= A_x'^2 + A_z'^2 + A_z'^2 \\
&= \tilde{A}_x^2 + \tilde{A}_z^2 + \frac{1}{\gamma^2} \tilde{A}_z^2 \\
&= \tilde{A}_x^2 + \tilde{A}_z^2 + \tilde{A}_z^2 + \left(\frac{1}{\gamma^2} - 1 \right) \tilde{A}_z^2 \\
&= \tilde{A}^2 + ((\gamma - \beta^2) - \gamma) \tilde{A}_z^2 \\
&= \tilde{A}^2 - \beta^2 \tilde{A}_z^2 \\
\mathbf{A}'^2 &= (\mathbf{A} - \nabla G)^2 - \beta^2 (A_z - \partial_z G)^2
\end{aligned} \tag{10}$$

And so substituting (2) into (10) we get:

$$\begin{aligned}
\phi(t) &\stackrel{(2)}{=} -\frac{1}{\hbar} \int_0^t \frac{e^2}{2m} \mathbf{A}'^2(\mathbf{x}'_0, t') dt' \\
&= -\frac{1}{\hbar} \int_0^t \frac{e^2}{2m} \left((\mathbf{A}(x, y, z(t), t) - \nabla G)^2 - \beta^2 (A_z(x, y, z(t), t) - \partial_z G)^2 \right) \left(\frac{1}{\gamma} dt \right)
\end{aligned}$$

Setting

$$z(t) = z_0 + \beta c t \iff dt = \frac{1}{\beta c} dz \qquad t(z) = \frac{z - z_0}{\beta c}$$

we get:

$$\boxed{\phi(t_0) = -\frac{1}{\hbar} \int_{z_0}^{z_1} \frac{e^2}{2m\gamma\beta c} \left((\mathbf{A}(\mathbf{x}, t(z, t_0)) - \nabla G(\mathbf{x}, t(z, t_0)))^2 - \beta^2 (A_z(\mathbf{x}, t(z, t_0)) - \partial_z G(\mathbf{x}, t(z, t_0)))^2 \right) dz} \tag{11}$$

And for the special case of G with gradient only in the \hat{x} direction (which we will later find out is the case) and for $A_x = 0$:

$$\begin{aligned}
\phi(t) &= -\frac{1}{\hbar} \int_{z_0}^{z_1} \frac{e^2}{2m\gamma\beta c} \left(\cancel{A_x^2} + \cancel{2A_x \partial_x G} + (\partial_x G)^2 + A_y^2 + A_z^2 - \beta^2 A_z^2 + \cancel{2A_z \partial_z G} - \cancel{(\partial_z G)^2} \right) dz \\
&= -\frac{1}{\hbar} \int_{z_0}^{z_1} \frac{e^2}{2m\gamma\beta c} \left(A_y^2 + (1 - \beta^2) A_z^2 + (\partial_x G)^2 \right) dz \\
&= -\frac{1}{\hbar} \int_{z_0}^{z_1} \frac{e^2}{2m\gamma\beta c} \left(A_y^2(\mathbf{x}, t(z)) + (1 - \beta^2) A_z^2(\mathbf{x}, t(z)) + (\partial_x G(\mathbf{x}, t(z)))^2 \right) dz
\end{aligned} \tag{12}$$

Fitting a vector potential \mathbf{A} in the lab frame to the Gaussian beam standing wave:

$$\mathbf{A} = A \frac{w_0}{w(x)} e^{-\frac{(y^2+z^2)}{w^2(x)}} \cos \left(k_l x + k_l \frac{y^2+z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x) \right) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \sin \theta \cos(\omega t - \varepsilon) \\ \cos \theta \cos(\omega t) \end{pmatrix}$$

Let's make sure that this potential produces the electric field of a gaussian beam: differentiate it by time, we get:

$$\mathbf{E} = -\frac{\partial}{\partial t} \mathbf{A} =$$

$$\mathbf{E} = \omega A \frac{w_0}{w(x)} e^{-\frac{(y^2+z^2)}{w^2(x)}} \cos \left(k_l x + k_l \frac{y^2+z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x) \right) \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \sin \theta \sin(\omega t - \varepsilon) \\ \cos \theta \sin(\omega t) \end{pmatrix} \checkmark$$

Does it satisfies the gibbs gauge conditions? It satisfies the gibbs condition of $A_0 = 0$ by definition.

And the divergence:

$$\begin{aligned} \nabla \cdot \mathbf{A} &= \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ A(y, z) \cos \left(k_l x + k_l \frac{y^2+z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x) \right) \cdot \sin \theta \cos(\omega t - \varepsilon) \\ A(y, z) \cos \left(k_l x + k_l \frac{y^2+z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x) \right) \cdot \cos \theta \cos(\omega t) \end{pmatrix} = \\ &= [\partial_y A(y, z)] \cdot \cos \left(k_l x + k_l \frac{y^2+z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x) \right) \cdot \sin \theta \cos(\omega t - \varepsilon) + [\partial_z A(y, z)] \cos \left(k_l x + k_l \frac{y^2+z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x) \right) \cdot \cos \theta \cos(\omega t) \ll B \end{aligned}$$

we can't say about anything which is not dimensionless that it is close to 0, but we can say that it is much closer to 0 comparing to another physical value with the same dimensions.

Since the sizes of the terms are in the order of magnitude of $\partial_y A(y, z)$ which is much smaller then $k_l \cdot A(y, z)$ (the derivative with respect to x), we get that this divergence is much smaller

then B (which has the same units), and therefore close to 0. (because B_z , for example, has the term $\partial_x A(y, z) \cdot \cos \dots = k_l A(y, z) \sin \dots$)

Going back to the main discussion: Given this A , the G function will be:

$$\begin{aligned}
G &\equiv \beta c \int_{-\infty}^t A_z(\mathbf{x} - \beta c(t-T)\hat{z}, T) dT \\
&= \beta c \int_{-\infty}^t \left[\underbrace{A}_{\text{amplitude}}(x, y, z - \beta c(t-T)) \cos\left(k_l x + k_l \frac{y^2 + z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x)\right) \cdot \cos\theta \cos(\omega T) \right] dT \\
&= A \frac{w_0}{w(x)} e^{-\frac{y^2}{w^2(x)}} \frac{1}{\omega} c \beta \cos\left(k_l x + k_l \frac{y^2 + z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x)\right) \cdot \cos\theta \cdot \underbrace{\int_{-\infty}^t \left[e^{-\frac{(z - \beta c(t-T))^2}{w^2(x)}} \cos(\omega T) \right] dT}_{I(x, y, z, t)}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Set : } Z = \beta c T + z - \beta c t \iff T = \frac{Z - z}{\beta c} + t \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\beta c} dZ = dT, T = t \iff Z = z$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= A \frac{w_0}{w(x)} e^{-\frac{y^2}{w^2(x)}} \frac{1}{\omega} c \beta \cos\left(k_l x + k_l \frac{y^2 + z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x)\right) \cdot \cos\theta \cdot \int_{-\infty}^z \left[e^{-\frac{Z^2}{w^2(x)}} \cos\left(\omega \left(\frac{Z - z}{\beta c} + t\right)\right) \right] \frac{1}{\beta c} dZ \\
&= A \frac{w_0}{w(x)} e^{-\frac{y^2}{w^2(x)}} \frac{1}{\omega} c \beta \cos\left(k_l x + k_l \frac{y^2 + z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x)\right) \cdot \cos\theta \cdot \int_{-\infty}^z \left[e^{-\frac{Z^2}{w^2(x)}} \cos\left(\frac{\omega}{\beta c} Z + t - \frac{z}{\beta c}\right) \right] \frac{1}{\beta c} dZ \\
&= A \frac{w_0}{w(x)} e^{-\frac{y^2}{w^2(x)}} \frac{1}{\omega} c \beta \cos\left(k_l x + k_l \frac{y^2 + z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x)\right) \cdot I(x, y, z, t) \cdot \cos\theta
\end{aligned}$$

And the gradient (**Make sure the derivative with respect to z is negligible - remember that due to the fact that we integrate over z,t(z), there would be also a fast oscillating pattern in z**)

$$\nabla G \approx \hat{x} \cdot A \frac{w_0}{w(x)} e^{-\frac{y^2}{w^2(x)}} \frac{1}{\omega} c \beta \sin\left(k_l x + k_l \frac{y^2 + z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x)\right) \cdot I(x, y, z, t) \cdot \cos\theta \cdot \left(k_l + k_l \frac{y^2 + z^2}{2} \underbrace{\frac{x_R^2 - x^2}{(x^2 + x_R^2)^2}}_{\frac{d}{dx} \frac{1}{R(x)} = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{x}{x^2 + x_R^2} \right)} + \underbrace{\frac{\frac{1}{x_R}}{1 + \left(\frac{x}{x_R} \right)^2}}_{\frac{d}{dx} \psi(x)} \right)$$

(Also for a moving wave the result will be the same, as the cos will be replaced with complex exponent)

$$= \hat{x} \cdot A \frac{w_0}{w(x)} e^{-\frac{y^2}{w^2(x)}} \cancel{\frac{1}{\omega}} c \beta \sin\left(k_l x + k_l \frac{y^2 + z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x)\right) \cdot I(x, y, z, t) \cdot \cos\theta \cdot \underbrace{\left(\cancel{\frac{2\pi}{\lambda}} + \cancel{\frac{2\pi}{\lambda}} \frac{y^2 + z^2}{2} \cdot \frac{\left(\frac{\lambda}{\pi \cdot (NA)^2} \right)^2 - x^2}{\left(x^2 + \left(\frac{\lambda}{\pi \cdot (NA)^2} \right)^2 \right)^2} + \frac{\cancel{\frac{2\pi \cdot (NA)^2}{2\lambda}}}{1 + \left(\frac{\pi \cdot (NA)^2}{\lambda} \cdot x \right)^2} \right)}_{\text{Same but with } \lambda \text{ only and no } k_l, x_R}$$

Recalling that $\frac{2\pi}{\lambda} = \frac{1}{c/\omega}$, we can write:

$$= \hat{x} \cdot \beta A \frac{w_0}{w(x)} e^{-\frac{y^2}{w^2(x)}} \sin \left(k_l x + k_l \frac{y^2 + z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x) \right) \cdot I(x, y, z, t) \cdot \cos \theta \cdot \left(1 + \underbrace{1 \cdot \frac{y^2 + z^2}{2\lambda^2}}_{\text{small correction}} \cdot \frac{\left(\frac{1}{\pi \cdot (NA)^2} \right)^2 - \left(\frac{x}{\lambda} \right)^2}{\left(\frac{x^2}{\lambda^2} + \frac{1}{(\pi \cdot (NA)^2)^2} \right)^2} + \underbrace{\frac{2(NA)^2}{1 + \left(\pi \cdot (NA)^2 \cdot \frac{x}{\lambda} \right)^2}}_{<6\% \text{ for NA}=0.3} \right)$$

$$\approx \hat{x} \cdot \beta A \frac{w_0}{w(x)} e^{-\frac{y^2}{w^2(x)}} \sin \left(k_l x + k_l \frac{y^2 + z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x) \right) \cdot I(x, y, z, t) \cdot \cos \theta$$

Substituting all in (12) we get:

$$\phi(x, y) \stackrel{(12)}{=} -\frac{1}{\hbar} \int_{z_0}^{z_1} \frac{e^2}{2m\gamma\beta c} \left(A_y^2(\mathbf{x}, t(z)) + (1 - \beta^2) A_z^2(\mathbf{x}, t(z)) + (\partial_x G(\mathbf{x}, t(z)))^2 \right) dz$$

defining:

$$\varphi(x) = k_l x + k_l \frac{y^2 + z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x) \quad (13)$$

And with approximation:

$$= -\frac{e^2}{2m\gamma\beta c\hbar} \int_{z_0}^{z_1} \left[\overbrace{\left(A_{\text{envelope}}^2(y, z) \cos^2(\varphi(x)) \cdot \sin^2(\theta) \cos^2(\omega t(z) - \varepsilon) \right)}^y \right. \\ \left. + \overbrace{\left((1 - \beta^2) \cdot A_{\text{envelope}}^2(y, z) \cos^2(\varphi(x)) \cdot \cos^2 \theta \cos^2(\omega t(z)) \right)}^z \right. \\ \left. + \overbrace{\left(\beta^2 A_{\text{envelope}}^2(y, z) \sin^2(\varphi(x)) \cdot \cos^2(\theta) \sin^2(\omega t(z)) \right)}^x \right]$$

$$= -\frac{e^2}{2m\gamma\beta c\hbar} \int_{z_0}^{z_1} A_{\text{envelope}}^2(y, z) \left[(\cos^2(\varphi(x)) \cdot \sin^2(\theta) \cos^2(\omega t(z) - \varepsilon)) \right. \\ \left. + \cos^2(\theta) [(\cos^2(\varphi(x)) \cos^2(\omega t(z))) + \beta^2 [-\cos^2(\varphi(x)) \cos^2(\omega t(z)) + \sin^2(\varphi(x)) \sin^2(\omega t(z))]] \right]$$

The integration over $\cos^2(\omega t(z))$, $\sin^2(\omega t(z))$, $\cos^2(\omega t(z) - \varepsilon)$ will just add a half factor and we get:

$$= -\frac{e^2}{2m\gamma\beta c\hbar} \int_{z_0}^{z_1} \frac{1}{2} A_{\text{envelope}}^2(y, z) \left[(\cos^2(\varphi(x)) \cdot \sin^2(\theta)) \right. \\ \left. + \cos^2(\theta) [(\cos^2(\varphi(x))) + \beta^2 [-\cos^2(\varphi(x)) + \sin^2(\varphi(x))]] \right]$$

The red and the first blue parts are simply $\cos^2(\varphi(x))$ (because it is $\sin^2(\theta) + \cos^2(\theta)$), and the second blue part and the green part will

be $-\cos^2(\varphi(x)) + \sin^2(\varphi(x)) = -\cos(2\varphi(x))$:

$$\begin{aligned}
&= -\frac{e^2}{2m\gamma\beta c\hbar} \int_{z_0}^{z_1} \frac{1}{2} A_{\text{envelope}}^2(y, z) [(\cos^2(\varphi(x))) - \cos^2(\theta) \beta^2 \cos(2\varphi(x))] \\
&= -\frac{e^2}{2m\gamma\beta c\hbar} \int_{z_0}^{z_1} \frac{1}{2} A_{\text{envelope}}^2(y, z) \left[\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \cos(2\varphi(x)) - \cos^2(\theta) \beta^2 \cos(2\varphi(x)) \right] \\
&= -\frac{e^2}{2m\gamma\beta c\hbar} \int_{z_0}^{z_1} \frac{1}{2} A_{\text{envelope}}^2(y, z) \frac{1}{2} [1 + (1 - 2\cos^2(\theta) \beta^2) \cos(2\varphi(x))] \quad (14)
\end{aligned}$$

And for a moving wave (that does not have the $\cos(\varphi(x))$ grating in it, but only the slowly varying envelope):

$$\begin{aligned}
\phi(x, y) &\stackrel{(12)}{=} -\frac{1}{\hbar} \int_{z_0}^{z_1} \frac{e^2}{2m\gamma\beta c} \left(A_y^2(\mathbf{x}, t(z)) + (1 - \beta^2) A_z^2(\mathbf{x}, t(z)) + (\partial_x G(\mathbf{x}, t(z)))^2 \right) dz \\
&= -\frac{1}{\hbar} \int_{z_0}^{z_1} \frac{e^2 A_{\text{envelope}}^2(y, z)}{2m\gamma\beta c} \left(\sin^2 \theta \cos^2(\omega t(z) - \varepsilon) + (1 - \beta^2) \cdot (\cos \theta \cos(\omega t(z)))^2 + (\beta^2 \cos^2(\theta) \sin^2(\omega t(z))) \right) dz \\
&= -\frac{1}{\hbar} \int_{z_0}^{z_1} \frac{e^2 A_{\text{envelope}}^2(y, z)}{4m\gamma\beta c} \left(\underbrace{\sin^2(\theta) + \cos^2(\theta)}_{=1} - \beta^2 \cos^2(\theta) + (\beta^2 \cdot \cos^2(\theta)) \right) dz \\
&= -\frac{1}{\hbar} \int_{z_0}^{z_1} \frac{e^2 A_{\text{envelope}}^2(y, z)}{4m\gamma\beta c} dz \quad (15)
\end{aligned}$$

Calculate the envelope $A_{\text{envelope}}(x, y, z)$ for two gaussian beams in the moving frame:

Introduction

In the focal plane of the microscope we set a cavity there are two lasers with two different frequencies. This cavity is designed to interact with the passing electron through the ponderomotive potential.

There exists a moving reference frame where the blue-shifted red frequency and the red-shifted blue frequency become the same frequency. as we will see the problem is easier to describe in the reference frame. Here we will show how to find the amplitudes, the frequency, and the intensity in this frame, and this will later be used in the next section where we describe it's effect on the electrons.

Lorentz transform the field

Let's assume the laser propagates in the \hat{x} direction.

The original electric and magnetic fields are:

$$\mathbf{E}(\mathbf{x}, t) = \left[E_1 e^{i(\omega_1 t - \frac{\omega_1}{c} x)} + E_1 e^{i(\omega_1 t + \frac{\omega_1}{c} x)} + E_2 e^{i(\omega_2 t - \frac{\omega_2}{c} x)} + E_2 e^{i(\omega_2 t + \frac{\omega_2}{c} x)} \right] \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \cos(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) \end{pmatrix}$$

The \mathbf{B} vector depends on the direction of propagation:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{x}, t) &= \frac{1}{c} \overbrace{\hat{k}}^{=\pm x} \times \overbrace{\left[E_1 e^{i(\omega_1 t - \frac{\omega_1}{c} x)} + E_1 e^{i(\omega_1 t + \frac{\omega_1}{c} x)} + E_2 e^{i(\omega_2 t - \frac{\omega_2}{c} x)} + E_2 e^{i(\omega_2 t + \frac{\omega_2}{c} x)} \right]}^E \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \cos(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) \end{pmatrix} = \\ &= \pm \frac{1}{c} \left[E_1 e^{i(\omega_1 t - \frac{\omega_1}{c} x)} + E_1 e^{i(\omega_1 t + \frac{\omega_1}{c} x)} + E_2 e^{i(\omega_2 t - \frac{\omega_2}{c} x)} + E_2 e^{i(\omega_2 t + \frac{\omega_2}{c} x)} \right] \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -\sin \theta \\ \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

The field at point $\mathbf{E}'(\mathbf{x}', t')$ will be:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{E}'(\mathbf{x}', t') &= \begin{pmatrix} E'_x \\ E'_y \\ E'_z \end{pmatrix} (\mathbf{x}', ct') \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} \cancel{E_x} \\ \gamma(E_y - vB_z) \\ \gamma(E_z + vB_y) \end{pmatrix} (\Lambda^{-1}(\mathbf{x}', ct')) \end{aligned}$$

and for a general linear polarization orientation (in lab's frame) $\mathbf{E}(x, y) = E_0(x, y) \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \cos \theta \\ \sin \theta \end{pmatrix}$, $\mathbf{B}(x, y) = \pm \frac{E_0(x, y)}{c} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -\sin \theta \\ \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$ (the +

sign is for a wave propagating in the $+\hat{x}$ direction and the $-$ sign is for a field propagating in the $-\hat{x}$ direction) we get:

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{E}'(\mathbf{x}', t') &= \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \gamma \left(\underbrace{E_0(\Lambda^{-1}(\mathbf{x}', ct')) \cos \theta}_{E_y} \mp v \underbrace{E_0(\Lambda^{-1}(\mathbf{x}', ct')) \cos(\theta)}_c \right) \\ \gamma \left(\underbrace{E_0(\Lambda^{-1}(\mathbf{x}', ct')) \sin \theta}_{E_z} \mp v \underbrace{E_0(\Lambda^{-1}(\mathbf{x}', ct')) \sin(\theta)}_c \right) \\ +B_y \end{pmatrix} \\
&= \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \cos \theta \gamma (1 \mp \frac{v}{c}) \\ \sin \theta \gamma (1 \mp \frac{v}{c}) \end{pmatrix} E_0(\Lambda^{-1}(\mathbf{x}', ct')) \\
&= \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \cos \theta \\ \sin \theta \end{pmatrix} \gamma \left(1 \mp \frac{v}{c}\right) E_0(\Lambda^{-1}(\mathbf{x}', ct'))
\end{aligned}$$

Denote:

$$\gamma(1 \mp \beta) = \frac{(1 \mp \beta)}{\sqrt{1 - \beta^2}} = \frac{(1 \mp \beta)}{\sqrt{(1 - \beta)(1 + \beta)}} = \sqrt{\frac{1 \mp \beta}{1 \pm \beta}} \equiv \Gamma_{\mp} \quad (16)$$

And get:

$$\mathbf{E}'(\mathbf{x}', t') = \Gamma_{\mp} \underbrace{E_0(\Lambda^{-1}(\mathbf{x}', ct'))}_{\text{Scalar}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \cos \theta \\ \sin \theta \end{pmatrix}$$

Looking at a coordinate (\mathbf{x}', t') , the corresponding space-time point will be:

$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ t \end{pmatrix} = \Lambda^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \\ t' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma(x' + \beta ct') \\ y \\ z \\ \gamma(t' + \frac{\beta x'}{c}) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{E}'(\mathbf{x}', t') = \Gamma_{\mp} \mathbf{E} \left(\gamma(x' + \beta ct'), 0, 0, \gamma \left(t + \frac{\beta x'}{c} \right) \right)$$

And get, after substituting for the relevant waves (before substituting $x \rightarrow \gamma(x' + \beta ct')$ and $t \rightarrow \gamma(t + \frac{\beta x'}{c})$):

$$= \left[\Gamma_- E_1 e^{i(\omega_1 t - \frac{\omega_1}{c} x)} + \Gamma_+ E_1 e^{i(\omega_1 t + \frac{\omega_1}{c} x)} + \Gamma_- E_2 e^{i(\omega_2 t - \frac{\omega_2}{c} x)} + E_2 \Gamma_+ e^{i(\omega_2 t + \frac{\omega_2}{c} x)} \right]_{(x,t) = (\gamma(x' + \beta ct'), \gamma(t + \frac{\beta x'}{c}))} \quad (17)$$

Performing the coordinates substitution, the argument in the exponent changes like

$$\begin{aligned}
\omega_i t \mp \frac{\omega_i}{c} x &\rightarrow \omega_i \gamma \left(t' + \frac{\beta x'}{c} \right) \mp \frac{\omega_i}{c} \gamma (x' + \beta c t') \\
&= \omega_i \gamma t' + \omega_i \gamma \frac{\beta x'}{c} \mp \frac{\omega_i}{c} \gamma x' \mp \frac{\omega_i}{c} \gamma \beta c t' \\
&= \omega_i (1 \mp \beta) \gamma t' \mp (1 \mp \beta) \gamma \frac{\omega_i}{c} x' \\
&= \sqrt{\frac{1 \mp \beta}{1 \pm \beta}} \omega_i t' \mp \sqrt{\frac{1 \mp \beta}{1 \pm \beta}} \frac{\omega_i}{c} x' \\
&= \Gamma_{\mp} \omega_i t' \mp \Gamma_{\mp} \frac{\omega_i}{c} x' \\
&= \Gamma_{\mp} \left(\omega_i t' \mp \frac{\omega_i}{c} x' \right)
\end{aligned}$$

And if it is not a plane wave but a gaussian beam with also gouy phase

$$\begin{aligned}
\omega_i t \mp \frac{\omega_i}{c} x \mp k_i \frac{y^2 + z^2}{R(x)} \pm \psi_i(x) &\rightarrow \omega_i \gamma \left(t' + \frac{\beta x'}{c} \right) \mp \frac{\omega_i}{c} \gamma (x' + \beta c t') \mp k_i \frac{y'^2 + z'^2}{R_i(\gamma(x' + \beta c t'))} \pm \psi_i(\gamma(x' + \beta c t')) \\
&= \omega_i \gamma t' + \omega_i \gamma \frac{\beta x'}{c} \mp \frac{\omega_i}{c} \gamma x' \mp \frac{\omega_i}{c} \gamma \beta c t' \mp k_i \frac{y'^2 + z'^2}{R_i(\gamma(x' + \beta c t'))} \pm \psi_i(\gamma(x' + \beta c t')) \\
&= \omega_i (1 \mp \beta) \gamma t' \mp (1 \mp \beta) \gamma \frac{\omega_i}{c} x' \mp k_i \frac{y'^2 + z'^2}{R_i(\gamma(x' + \beta c t'))} \pm \psi_i(\gamma(x' + \beta c t')) \\
&= \sqrt{\frac{1 \mp \beta}{1 \pm \beta}} \omega_i t' \mp \sqrt{\frac{1 \mp \beta}{1 \pm \beta}} \frac{\omega_i}{c} x' \mp k_i \frac{y'^2 + z'^2}{R_i(\gamma(x' + \beta c t'))} \pm \psi_i(\gamma(x' + \beta c t')) \\
&= \Gamma_{\mp} \omega_i t' \mp \Gamma_{\mp} \frac{\omega_i}{c} x' \mp k_i \frac{y'^2 + z'^2}{R_i(\gamma(x' + \beta c t'))} \pm \psi_i(\gamma(x' + \beta c t')) \\
&= \Gamma_{\mp} \left(\omega_i t' \mp \frac{\omega_i}{c} x' \right) \mp \underbrace{k_i \frac{y'^2 + z'^2}{R_i(\gamma(x' + \beta c t'))} \pm \psi_i(\gamma(x' + \beta c t'))}_{\Psi_i(\gamma(x' + \beta c t'), y, z)}
\end{aligned} \tag{18}$$

Plugging it into the wave (17), we get:

$$E_y(\mathbf{x}', t') = \Gamma_- E_1 e^{i\Gamma_- (\omega_1 t' - \frac{\omega_1}{c} x')} + \Gamma_+ E_1 e^{\Gamma_+ i (\omega_1 t' + \frac{\omega_1}{c} x')} + \Gamma_- E_2 e^{\Gamma_- i (\omega_2 t' - \frac{\omega_2}{c} x')} + \Gamma_+ E_2 e^{\Gamma_+ i (\omega_2 t' + \frac{\omega_2}{c} x')}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
E_y(\mathbf{x}', t') &= \Gamma_- E_1 e^{i\Gamma_- (\omega_1 t' - \frac{\omega_1}{c} x') - \Psi_1(\gamma(x' + \beta c t'), y, z)} + \Gamma_+ E_1 e^{\Gamma_+ i (\omega_1 t' + \frac{\omega_1}{c} x') + \Psi_1(\gamma(x' + \beta c t'), y, z)} \\
&\quad + \Gamma_- E_2 e^{\Gamma_- i (\omega_2 t' - \frac{\omega_2}{c} x') - \Psi_2(\gamma(x' + \beta c t'), y, z)} + \Gamma_+ E_2 e^{\Gamma_+ i (\omega_2 t' + \frac{\omega_2}{c} x') + \Psi_2(\gamma(x' + \beta c t'), y, z)}
\end{aligned}$$

And so we see that if in one reference frame the gouy phases of the two laser will not match - then in no reference frame they will not match. this is reasonable because phase is Lorentz invariant.

Find the β_{lattice} , E_1 , E_2 such that we have a standing wave :

Remark 1. In this subsection β_{lattice} and β represent both the velocity of the moving frame in which the blue-shifted red beam and the red-shifted blue beam have the same frequency and not the velocity of the electron.

Choose β_{lattice} such that

$$\begin{aligned}\Gamma_+\omega_1 &= \Gamma_-\omega_2 \quad \backslash : \Gamma_+\omega_2 \\ \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2} &= \frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} \quad \backslash \text{Substitute } \Gamma_{\pm} \\ \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2} &= \frac{\sqrt{\frac{1-\beta}{1+\beta}}}{\sqrt{\frac{1+\beta}{1-\beta}}} = \frac{1-\beta}{1+\beta} \quad \backslash (1+\beta) \\ \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2} (1+\beta) &= 1-\beta \quad \backslash +\beta - \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2} \\ \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2} \beta + \beta &= 1 - \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2} \\ \left(1 + \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2}\right) \beta &= 1 - \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2} \quad \backslash : \left(1 + \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2}\right)\end{aligned}\tag{19}$$

$$\boxed{\beta_{\text{lattice}} = \frac{1 - \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2}}{1 + \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2}} = \frac{1 - \frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_1}}{1 + \frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_1}}}\tag{20}$$

Under β_{lattice} , we can denote:

$$\begin{aligned}\Gamma_+\omega_1 &= \Gamma_-\omega_2 \equiv \omega \\ \Gamma_-\omega_1 &\equiv \omega_- \\ \Gamma_+\omega_2 &\equiv \omega_+\end{aligned}\tag{21}$$

And get:

$$E_y(\mathbf{x}', t') = \Gamma_- E_1 e^{i(\omega_- t' - \frac{\omega_-}{c} x)} + \Gamma_+ E_1 e^{i(\omega_+ t' + \frac{\omega_+}{c} x)} + \Gamma_- E_2 e^{i(\omega_- t' - \frac{\omega_-}{c} x)} + \Gamma_+ E_2 e^{i(\omega_+ t' + \frac{\omega_+}{c} x)}\tag{22}$$

Choosing equal amplitudes: :

$$\begin{aligned}\Gamma_+ E_1 &= \Gamma_- E_2 \quad \backslash : \Gamma_+ E_2 \\ \frac{E_1}{E_2} &= \frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} = \frac{1-\beta}{1+\beta} \stackrel{(19)}{=} \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2} = \\ \frac{E_1}{E_2} &= \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2} = \frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_1} \\ \boxed{E_2} &= E_1 \cdot \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2}\end{aligned}\tag{23}$$

Denoting

$$\Gamma_+ E_1 = \Gamma_- E_2 = E_0 \quad (24)$$

and substituting again in (22), we get:

$$\begin{aligned} E_y(\mathbf{x}', t') &= \frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} E_0 e^{i(\omega_- t' - \frac{\omega_-}{c} x')} + E_0 e^{i(\omega t' + \frac{\omega}{c} x')} + E_0 e^{i(\omega t' - \frac{\omega}{c} x')} + \frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} E_0 e^{i(\omega_+ t' + \frac{\omega_+}{c} x')} \\ &= E_0 \left[\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} e^{i(\omega_- t' - \frac{\omega_-}{c} x')} + e^{i\omega t'} \left[e^{i\frac{\omega}{c} x'} + e^{-i\frac{\omega}{c} x'} \right] + \frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} e^{i(\omega_+ t' + \frac{\omega_+}{c} x')} \right] \\ &= E_0 \left[\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} e^{i(\omega_- t' - \frac{\omega_-}{c} x')} + 2e^{i\omega t'} \cos\left(\frac{\omega}{c} x'\right) + \frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} e^{i(\omega_+ t' + \frac{\omega_+}{c} x')} \right] \end{aligned} \quad (25)$$

And if instead of a plane wave we had also the other factors of a gaussian beam $\varphi(x) = kx + k\frac{y^2+z^2}{R(x)} - \psi(x)$ then according to (18) we would have here:

$$E_{y,\text{gaussian beam}} = E_0 \left[\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} e^{i(\omega_- t' + \varphi_-(\gamma(x' + \beta ct')))} + 2e^{i\omega t'} \cos(\varphi(\gamma(x' + \beta ct'))) + \frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} e^{i(\omega_+ t' + \varphi_+(\gamma(x' + \beta ct')))} \right]$$

Calculate the resulted intensity of the field

And the intensity:

$$\begin{aligned} E^2(\mathbf{x}', t') &= E_0^2 \left| \frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} e^{i(\omega_- t' - \frac{\omega_-}{c} x')} + 2e^{i\omega t'} \cos\left(\frac{\omega}{c} x'\right) + \frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} e^{i(\omega_+ t' + \frac{\omega_+}{c} x')} \right|^2 \\ &= E_0^2 \cdot \left[\left(\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} \right)^2 + 4 \cos^2\left(\frac{\omega}{c} x'\right) + \left(\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} \right)^2 + \cancel{\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+}} e^{-i(\omega_- t' - \frac{\omega_-}{c} x')} \cancel{\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-}} e^{i(\omega_+ t' + \frac{\omega_+}{c} x')} + \cancel{\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+}} e^{i(\omega_- t' - \frac{\omega_-}{c} x')} \cancel{\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-}} e^{-i(\omega_+ t' + \frac{\omega_+}{c} x')} + \right. \\ &\quad + \frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} e^{-i(\omega_- t' - \frac{\omega_-}{c} x')} 2e^{i\omega t'} \cos\left(\frac{\omega}{c} x'\right) + \frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} e^{i(\omega_- t' - \frac{\omega_-}{c} x')} 2e^{-i\omega t'} \cos\left(\frac{\omega}{c} x'\right) \\ &\quad \left. + \frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} e^{-i(\omega_+ t' + \frac{\omega_+}{c} x')} 2e^{i\omega t'} \cos\left(\frac{\omega}{c} x'\right) + \frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} e^{i(\omega_+ t' + \frac{\omega_+}{c} x')} 2e^{-i\omega t'} \cos\left(\frac{\omega}{c} x'\right) \right] \\ &= E_0^2 \left[\left(\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} \right)^2 + 4 \cos^2\left(\frac{\omega}{c} x'\right) + \left(\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} \right)^2 + e^{i(-\omega_- t' + \frac{\omega_-}{c} x' + \omega_+ t' + \frac{\omega_+}{c} x')} + e^{-i(-\omega_- t' + \frac{\omega_-}{c} x' + \omega_+ t' + \frac{\omega_+}{c} x')} + \right. \\ &\quad + 2 \frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} \left(e^{-i(\omega_- t' - \frac{\omega_-}{c} x' - \omega t')} + e^{i(\omega_- t' - \frac{\omega_-}{c} x' - \omega t')} \right) \cos\left(\frac{\omega}{c} x'\right) \\ &\quad \left. + 2 \frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} \left(e^{-i(\omega_+ t' + \frac{\omega_+}{c} x' - \omega t')} + e^{i(\omega_+ t' + \frac{\omega_+}{c} x' - \omega t')} \right) \cos\left(\frac{\omega}{c} x'\right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$= E_0^2 \left[\underbrace{\left(\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} \right)^2 + 4 \cos^2 \left(\frac{\omega}{c} x' \right) + \left(\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} \right)^2 + 2 \cos \left((\omega_+ - \omega_-) t' + \frac{\omega_- + \omega_+}{c} x' \right)}_{\text{Averages over time to 0}} + \underbrace{4 \cos \left(\frac{\omega}{c} x' \right) \left(\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} \cos \left((\omega_- - \omega) t' - \frac{\omega_-}{c} x' \right) + \frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} \cos \left(\frac{\omega}{c} x' \right) \cos \left((\omega_+ - \omega) t' + \frac{\omega_-}{c} x' \right) \right)}_{\text{Averages over time to 0}} \right]$$

And the ponderomotive potential over one period (by definition we have $\omega_- < \omega < \omega_+$, so the frequency of the intensity oscillations will always be non 0):

$$\langle I \rangle = E_0^2 \left(\left(\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} \right)^2 + 4 \cos^2 \left(\frac{\omega}{c} x' \right) + \left(\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} \right)^2 \right) = \quad (\text{e}_{10})$$

Recalling the definition of Γ_{\mp} :

$$\langle I \rangle = E_0^2 \left(\frac{(1-\beta)^2}{(1+\beta)^2} + \frac{(1+\beta)^2}{(1-\beta)^2} + 2 + 2 \cos(2kx') \right)$$

And So we see that the intensity is a sum of constant terms $\left(\frac{(1-\beta)^2}{(1+\beta)^2} + \frac{(1+\beta)^2}{(1-\beta)^2} + 2 \right)$ and an oscillating term $(2 \cos(2kx'))$.

And for some gaussian envelope $E_0(x, y, z)$ (neglecting the fact that near the reighley range different wavelengths have different spot-size):

Is it a reasonable assumption at all? I mean, in the waist where it is the most interesting their spots sizes differ by 1 : 2!

$$\langle I \rangle(x', y', z') = E_0^2(\gamma x' + \gamma \beta ct, y', z') \left(\frac{(1-\beta)^2}{(1+\beta)^2} + \frac{(1+\beta)^2}{(1-\beta)^2} + 2 + 2 \cos(2\varphi(x', t')) \right) \quad (26)$$

for $\varphi(x')$ defined in (13) as :

$$\varphi(x') = k_l x' + k_l \frac{y^2 + z^2}{2R(x)} - \psi(x) \quad (13)$$

The cavity effect on one pencil beam centered at (x_0, y_0)

Assume we turn on the microscope and electrons are propagating through it. after passing through the sample, the electron wave will scatter, and each Fourier component of it will be concentrated to a thin column wave at some x_0, y_0 in the Fourier plane. we call such a thin columated wave a pencil beam.

We wish to find an expression for the effect of the cavity with two lasers on such a pencil beam.

Let $\psi_{x_0, y_0}(x, y, z, ct)$ be the wave function of the electron in the lab's frame, for a pencil beam centered around x_0, y_0 .

Linear transformation of rotation and then lorentz transformation (required for the next stage):

denote with \tilde{r} the coordinates in the rotated frame and with r' the coordinates in the rotated and then moving frame:

The transformation:

$$\begin{pmatrix} \tilde{x} \\ \tilde{y} \\ \tilde{z} \\ c\tilde{t} \end{pmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} \cos \alpha & 0 & \sin \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -\sin \alpha & 0 & \cos \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}}_R \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ ct \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \\ ct' \end{pmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} \gamma & 0 & 0 & -\gamma\beta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\gamma\beta & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}}_L \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{x} \\ \tilde{y} \\ \tilde{z} \\ c\tilde{t} \end{pmatrix}$$

And in total:

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \\ ct' \end{pmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} \gamma & 0 & 0 & -\gamma\beta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\gamma\beta & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}}_R \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} \cos \alpha & 0 & \sin \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -\sin \alpha & 0 & \cos \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}}_L \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ ct \end{pmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} \gamma \cos \alpha & 0 & \gamma \sin \alpha & -\gamma\beta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -\sin \alpha & 0 & \cos \alpha & 0 \\ -\gamma\beta \cos \alpha & 0 & -\gamma\beta \sin \alpha & \gamma \end{pmatrix}}_T \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ ct \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma(x \cos \alpha + z \sin \alpha) - \gamma\beta ct \\ y \\ -\sin \alpha x + \cos \alpha z \\ -\gamma\beta(x \cos \alpha + z \sin \alpha) + \gamma ct \end{pmatrix}$$

The inverse transformation:

$$R^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \alpha & 0 & -\sin \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \sin \alpha & 0 & \cos \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$L^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma & 0 & 0 & \gamma\beta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \gamma\beta & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$T^{-1} = (R^{-1}L^{-1}) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \alpha & 0 & -\sin \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \sin \alpha & 0 & \cos \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \gamma & 0 & 0 & \gamma\beta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \gamma\beta & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma \cos \alpha & 0 & -\sin \alpha & \gamma\beta \cos \alpha \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \gamma \sin \alpha & 0 & \cos \alpha & \gamma\beta \sin \alpha \\ \gamma\beta & 0 & 0 & \gamma \end{pmatrix}$$

And so:

$$\begin{pmatrix} y \\ z \\ x \\ ct \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma x' \cos \alpha - z' \sin \alpha + \gamma\beta ct' \cos \alpha \\ y \\ \gamma x' \sin \alpha + z' \cos \alpha + \gamma\beta ct' \sin \alpha \\ \gamma\beta x' + \gamma ct' \end{pmatrix} \quad (27)$$

Applying the transformation on the wave function

In the rotated and moving lattice's frame this wave function will become (Using (27)):

$$\psi' (x', y', z', ct') \stackrel{(27)}{=} \gamma \psi_{x_0, y_0} (T^{-1} (x', y', z', ct')) = \gamma \psi_{x_0, y_0} \begin{pmatrix} \gamma x' \cos \alpha - z' \sin \alpha + \gamma \beta ct' \cos \alpha \\ y' \\ \gamma x' \sin \alpha + z' \cos \alpha + \gamma \beta ct' \sin \alpha \\ \gamma \beta x' + \gamma ct' \end{pmatrix}$$

If ψ_{x_0, y_0} had the form:

$$\begin{aligned} \psi_{x_0, y_0} (x, y, z, t) &= e^{-\frac{(x-x_0)^2 + (y-y_0)^2}{2\sigma^2}} e^{ikz} e^{i\omega t} \approx \\ &\approx \delta (x - x_0) \delta (y - y_0) e^{ikz} e^{i\omega t} \end{aligned}$$

(Alternatively, we could also choose $\psi_{x_0, y_0} (x, y, z, t) = \delta (x - x_0, y - y_0) e^{ikz} e^{i\omega t}$)

Then ψ' has the form:

$$\begin{aligned} \psi'_{x_0, y_0} (x', y', z', ct') &= e^{-\frac{\overbrace{(\gamma x' \cos \alpha - z' \sin \alpha + \gamma \beta ct' \cos \alpha - x_0)^2}^{x-x_0} + \overbrace{(y' - y_0)^2}}{2\sigma^2}} e^{ik \overbrace{(\gamma x' \sin \alpha + z' \cos \alpha + \gamma \beta ct' \sin \alpha)}^z} e^{i\omega \overbrace{(\gamma \beta x' + \gamma ct')}^t} \approx \\ &\approx \delta (\gamma x' \cos \alpha - z' \sin \alpha + \gamma \beta ct' \cos \alpha - x_0) \delta (y' - y_0) e^{ik(\gamma x' \sin \alpha + z' \cos \alpha + \gamma \beta ct' \sin \alpha)} e^{i\omega(\gamma \beta x' + \gamma ct')} \end{aligned} \quad (28)$$

And so we see that in the moving-rotated frame the wave function drifts to the left over time, and has a different frequency.

Let us choose the time $t = 0$ as the time the gaussian envelope (The delta function) of the wave function is centered around $x' = y' = z' = 0$.

At $z' = 0$ the wave function will have the form:

$$\psi'_{x_0, y_0} (x', y', z' = 0, ct') = \gamma \psi_{x_0, y_0} \begin{pmatrix} \gamma x' \cos \alpha + \gamma \beta ct' \cos \alpha \\ y' \\ \gamma x' \sin \alpha + \gamma \beta ct' \sin \alpha \\ \gamma \beta x' + \gamma ct' \end{pmatrix} = \gamma \psi_{x_0, y_0} \begin{pmatrix} \gamma \cos \alpha (x' + \beta ct') \\ y' \\ \gamma x' \sin \alpha + \gamma \beta ct' \sin \alpha \\ \gamma \beta x' + \gamma ct' \end{pmatrix} \quad (e_32)$$

And so:

$$\begin{aligned} \psi_{x_0, y_0} \begin{pmatrix} \gamma \cos \alpha (x' + \beta ct') \\ y' \\ \gamma x' \sin \alpha + \gamma \beta ct' \sin \alpha \\ \gamma \beta x' + \gamma ct' \end{pmatrix} &= e^{-\frac{((\gamma \cos \alpha (x' + \beta ct') - x_0)^2 + (y' - y_0)^2)}{2\sigma^2}} e^{ik(\gamma x' \sin \alpha + \gamma \beta ct' \sin \alpha)} e^{i\omega(\gamma \beta x' + \gamma ct')} \\ &\approx \delta (\gamma \cos \alpha (x' + \beta ct') - x_0) \delta (y' - y_0) e^{ik(\gamma x' \sin \alpha + \gamma \beta ct' \sin \alpha)} e^{i\omega(\gamma \beta x' + \gamma ct')} \end{aligned} \quad (29)$$

For $t' = 0$ we will have:

$$\begin{aligned} \psi_{x_0, y_0} \begin{pmatrix} \gamma x' \cos \alpha \\ y' \\ \gamma x' \sin \alpha \\ \gamma \beta x' \end{pmatrix} &= e^{-\frac{((\gamma x' \cos \alpha - x_0)^2 + (y' - y_0)^2)}{2\sigma^2}} e^{ik\gamma x' \sin \alpha} e^{i\omega\gamma\beta x'} = \underbrace{e^{-\frac{(x' - \frac{x_0}{\gamma \cos \alpha})^2}{2(\frac{\sigma}{\gamma \cos \alpha})^2}}}_{\text{Stretched by a factor of } \gamma \cos \alpha \text{ in } x} e^{-\frac{(y' - y_0)^2}{2\sigma^2}} e^{ik\gamma x' \sin \alpha} e^{i\omega\gamma\beta x'} \\ &\approx \underbrace{\gamma \cos \alpha}_{\text{Renormalization}} \delta \left(\gamma \cos \alpha \left(x' - \frac{x_0}{\gamma \cos \alpha} \right) \right) \delta(y' - y_0) e^{ik\gamma x' \sin \alpha} e^{i\omega\gamma\beta x'} \end{aligned} \quad (30)$$

And so we see the pencil beam is a Gaussian delta function centered around $\left(\frac{x_0}{\gamma \cos \alpha}, y_0\right)$ (at $z' = 0$ and $t' = 0$). Taking the width of the pencil to be very small with respect to the features of the laser beam, we can approximate the electric field experienced by the electron pencil beam to be the value at it's center (at (x_0, y_0, z)).

Now we recall that in our 2 frequencies cavity there are 2 frequencies. In particular, we saw that by choosing $\Gamma_+ E_1 = \Gamma_- E_2 = E_0$, we get for a standing wave cavity a wave of the form (all the expressions are explained after the equation):

$$\begin{aligned} E_{\text{laser, lattic'es frame}}(x', y', z', t') &= \\ = E_{0, \text{envelope}}(\gamma x' + \gamma \beta ct', y', z') \cdot \left[\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} e^{i(\omega_- t' - \varphi_-(x'))} + 2e^{i\omega t} \cos(\varphi(x')) + \frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} e^{i(\omega_+ t' + \varphi_+(x'))} \right] \end{aligned} \quad (25)$$

For:

$$E_0 \equiv \Gamma_+ E_1 = \Gamma_- E_2 \quad (24)$$

$$\underbrace{E_0(x', y', z', t')}_{\text{function}} \equiv \underbrace{E_0}_{\text{number}} \cdot \frac{w_0}{w(\gamma x' + \gamma \beta ct')} \cdot e^{-\frac{y^2 + z^2}{w^2(\gamma x' + \gamma \beta ct')}} \quad (31)$$

$$\Gamma_{\pm} \equiv \gamma(1 \pm \beta) \quad (16)$$

$$\omega \equiv \Gamma_+ \omega_1 = \Gamma_- \omega_2 \quad (21)$$

$$\omega_- \equiv \Gamma_- \omega_1$$

$$\omega_+ \equiv \Gamma_+ \omega_2$$

$$\varphi_{\pm}(x) = k_{\pm} x + k_{\pm} \frac{y^2 + z^2}{2R_{\pm}(x)} - \psi_{\pm}(x)$$

Remark 2. For a ring cavity we will not have the constant intensities marked in blue and red:

$$E_{\text{laser, lattic'es frame, ring cavity}}(x', y', z', t') = E_{0, \text{envelope}}(\gamma x' + \gamma \beta ct', y', z') \cdot [2e^{i\omega t} \cos(\varphi(x')) +]$$

And the intensity is given by equation (26):

$$\langle I_{\text{laser, lattic'es frame}} \rangle(x', y', z') = E_0^2(\gamma x' + \gamma \beta ct', y', z') \left(\left(\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} \right)^2 + 2 + 2 \cos(2\varphi(x')) \right) \quad ((26))$$

And for a ring cavity:

$$\langle I \rangle_{\text{laser, lattice's frame, ring cavity}} = E_0^2 (\gamma x' + \gamma \beta c t, y', z') \cdot (2 + 2 \cos(2\varphi(x')))$$

Now we are in a bit of a confusing situation - the envelope is running to the left with velocity β , so which value of the envelope will the electron's pencil beam feel? We have to remember that also the electron beam crosses the $z' = 0$ plane at different x' 's for different times t' . In particular - from the expression for the pencil beam in (29) we see that the pencil beam also drifts to the left with velocity βc and so **experiences a constant envelope value**.

Which value? Since it is constant in time, we can substitute the x' value of $t = 0$, which would be $\frac{x_0}{\gamma \cos \alpha}$ (according to equation (30)). Substituting it into the envelope expression in (31) and the intensity from (26) we get:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle I \rangle \left(x' = \frac{x_0}{\gamma \cos \alpha}, y', z', t' = 0 \right) &= E_0^2 \cdot \frac{w_0^2}{w^2 \left(\gamma \frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha} + \cancel{\gamma \beta c t} \right)} \cdot e^{-\frac{2(y^2+z^2)}{w^2 \left(\cancel{\gamma \frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha}} + \gamma \beta c t \right)}} \left(\left(\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} \right)^2 + 2 + 2 \cos(2\varphi(x')) \right) \\ &= E_0^2 \cdot \frac{w_0^2}{w^2 \left(\frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha} \right)} \cdot e^{-\frac{2(y^2+z^2)}{w^2 \left(\frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha} \right)}} \left(\left(\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} \right)^2 + 2 + 2 \cos(2\varphi(x')) \right) \end{aligned} \quad (32)$$

Remark 3. And for a ring cavity the average intensity will not have the blue and red terms:

$$\langle I_{\text{ring cavity}} \rangle \left(x' = \frac{x_0}{\gamma \cos \alpha}, y', z', t' = 0 \right) = E_0^2 \cdot \frac{w_0^2}{w^2 \left(\frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha} \right)} \cdot e^{-\frac{2(y^2+z^2)}{w^2 \left(\frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha} \right)}} (2 + 2 \cos(2\varphi(x')))$$

In the paper [Osip's paper](#), the envelope of the phase shift acquired is given by integrating the field's intensity envelope (only the envelope, without the green, blue, and red terms) of the electromagnetic wave over $z, t(z)$, (equation (9) in the paper) and so we get:

$$\begin{aligned} \phi_0 \left(x' = \frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha}, y' = y_0 \right) &= \frac{e^2}{4mc\beta\gamma\hbar} \cdot \int A_0^2(y, z) dz \\ &= \int E_0^2 \cdot \frac{w_0^2}{w^2 \left(\frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha} \right)} \cdot e^{-\frac{2(y^2+z^2)}{w^2 \left(\frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha} \right)}} dz \\ &\stackrel{(e.1)}{=} \frac{e^2}{\hbar 4mc\beta_e \gamma_e \omega^2} \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{w_0^2 E_0^2}{w^2 \left(\frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha} \right)} e^{-\frac{2y_0^2}{w^2 \left(\frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha} \right)}} \end{aligned} \quad (33)$$

And with the relativistic correction from equation (14) we know that the $2 + 2 \cos(2kx')$ term will end up as $2 + 2\rho(\theta, \beta) \cos(2kx')$ but from equation (15) the two constant terms will just stay $\left(\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-} \right)^2$.

Remark 4. I was searching for some time where did we use the smart choice of the cavity tilt α , that appears in [The relation between \$\beta_{\text{electron}}, \beta_{\text{lattice}}, \alpha, \lambda_1, \lambda_2\$](#) . The answer is here on the last equation (33). Why? This equation assumes the electron propagates in the z direction (in particular, it comes from an integration over $t, z(t)$ where $z(t) = z_0 + \beta c t$).

We choose α such that in this frame this is indeed the path of the electron. Looking at the expression for the wave function from equation (28), it is not obvious that this is the direction of flow of the electron. However, examining a single wave-packet (instead of a full "pencil"), and using the derivation from [The relation between \$\beta_{\text{electron}}, \beta_{\text{lattice}}, \alpha, \lambda_1, \lambda_2\$](#) , we see that a single packet of electron that moved in the z direction in the microscope coordinates, would move in the tilted-moving lattice also in the tilted \hat{z} direction.

Adding it as a phase to the wave function ψ' from equation (e_32), we get:

$$\psi'(x', y', z' = 0, ct' = 0) \stackrel{(e_{32})}{=} \gamma \psi_{x_0, y_0} \begin{pmatrix} \gamma \cos \alpha (x' + \beta ct') \\ y' \\ \gamma x' \sin \alpha + \gamma \beta ct' \sin \alpha \\ \gamma \beta x' + \gamma ct' \end{pmatrix} \cdot e^{i\phi_0\left(\frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha}, y_0\right) \left(2 + 2\rho(\theta, \beta) \cos(2kx') + \underbrace{\left(\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-}\right)^2}_{\text{Not in ring cavity}} \right)}$$

Going back to the lab's frame:

Doing the Lorentz transform and rotation back, we get:

$$x' \rightarrow \gamma (x \cos \alpha + z \sin \alpha) - \gamma \beta ct \Rightarrow$$

$$\cos(2\varphi(x')) = \cos(2\varphi(\gamma(x \cos \alpha + z \sin \alpha) - \gamma \beta ct))$$

And so after transforming back to the lab's frame the phase will be:

$$\underbrace{\gamma \psi_{x_0, y_0} \begin{pmatrix} \gamma x' \cos \alpha - z' \sin \alpha + \gamma \beta ct' \cos \alpha \\ y' \\ \gamma x' \sin \alpha + z' \cos \alpha + \gamma \beta ct' \sin \alpha \\ \gamma \beta x' + \gamma ct' \end{pmatrix} \cdot e^{i\phi_0\left(\frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha}, y_0\right) \left(2 + 2 \cos(2\varphi(x')) + \left(\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-}\right)^2 \right)}}_{\text{Lattice's frame}} \xrightarrow{T} \underbrace{\psi_{x_0, y_0} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ t \end{pmatrix} \cdot e^{i\phi_0\left(\frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha}, y_0\right) \left(2 + 2\rho(\theta, \beta) \cos(2k(\gamma(x \cos \alpha + z \sin \alpha) - \gamma \beta ct)) + \left(\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-}\right)^2 \right)}}_{\text{Lab's frame}}$$

Approximating again the wave function to be non-zero only at around $x = x_0$, we can substitute $x = x_0$ in the phase and get:

$$\psi_{x_0, y_0} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ t \end{pmatrix} \cdot e^{i\phi_0\left(\frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha}, y_0\right) \left(2 + 2 \cos(2\gamma k_L [(x_0 \cos \alpha + z \sin \alpha) - \beta ct]) + \underbrace{\left(\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+}\right)^2}_{\text{Not in ring cavity}} \right)} \quad (34)$$

And the middle band will be:

$$e^{i\phi_0\left(\frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha}, y_0\right) (\cos(2\gamma k_L [(x_0 \cos \alpha + z \sin \alpha) - \beta ct]) + \text{Const})} = \underbrace{e^{i\phi_0\left(\frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha}, y_0\right) \left(2 + \left(\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+}\right)^2 \right)}}_{\text{No t dependance}} \cdot e^{i\rho(\theta, \beta) \phi_0\left(\frac{x_0}{\cos \alpha}, y_0\right) \left(2 \sin\left(2\gamma k_L \beta c \left(-t + \frac{\pi}{2\gamma k_L \beta c}\right) + 2\gamma k_L (x_0 \cos \alpha + z \sin \alpha) \right) \right)}$$

Using the identity:

$$e^{i[A_0 + A \sin(\omega t)]} = e^{iA_0} \cdot \sum_q J_q(A) e^{iq\omega t}$$

We get:

$$= e^{i\phi_0\left(\frac{x_0}{\cos\alpha}, y_0\right) \left(2 + \underbrace{\left(\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+}\right)^2}_{\text{Not in ring cavity}}\right)} \cdot \sum_{q=-\infty}^{\infty} J_q\left(\rho(\theta, \beta) \phi_0\left(\frac{x_0}{\cos\alpha}, y_0\right)\right) e^{iq\left(2\gamma k_l \beta c\left(-t + \frac{\pi}{4\gamma k_l \beta c}\right) + 2\gamma k_l (x_0 \cos\alpha + z \sin\alpha)\right)} \Rightarrow$$

And after the energy filter that will keep only the 0'th order:

$$\psi_{x_0, y_0} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ t \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{Passing through the cavity}} \psi_{x_0, y_0} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ t \end{pmatrix} \cdot e^{i\phi_0\left(\frac{x_0}{\cos\alpha}, y_0\right) \left(2 + \left(\frac{\Gamma_+}{\Gamma_-}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\Gamma_-}{\Gamma_+}\right)^2\right)} \cdot J_0\left(\rho(\theta, \beta) \phi_0\left(\frac{x_0}{\cos\alpha}, y_0\right)\right) \quad (35)$$

for

$$\phi_0\left(x' = \frac{x_0}{\cos\alpha}, y' = y_0\right) = \frac{e^2}{\hbar 4mc\beta_e \gamma_e} \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{E_0^2 w_0^2}{w\left(\frac{x_0}{\cos\alpha}\right)} e^{-\frac{2y_0^2}{w^2\left(\frac{x_0}{\cos\alpha}\right)}} \quad (e_{11})$$

Side calculations

The integral over the intensity envelope of the gaussian beam:

The intensity envelope:

$$I(x, y, z) = E_0^2 \frac{w_0^2}{w^2(x)} e^{-\frac{2(y^2 + z^2)}{w^2(x)}} = \frac{\pi}{2} E_0^2 w_0^2 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{2} w(x)} e^{-\frac{z^2}{2\left(\frac{w(x)}{2}\right)^2}} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{2} w(x)} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2\left(\frac{w(x)}{2}\right)^2}}$$

The integral over the z axis will be:

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\pi}{2} E_0^2 w_0^2 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{2} w(x)} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2\left(\frac{w(x)}{2}\right)^2}} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{2} w(x)} e^{-\frac{z^2}{2\left(\frac{w(x)}{2}\right)^2}} dz = \frac{\pi}{2} E_0^2 w_0^2 \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{2} w(x)} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2\left(\frac{w(x)}{2}\right)^2}} \underbrace{\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{2} w(x)} e^{-\frac{z^2}{2\left(\frac{w(x)}{2}\right)^2}} \cdot dz}_{1} =$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_z I(y, z) dz &= \frac{\pi}{2} E_0^2 w_0^2 \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{2} w(x)} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2\left(\frac{w(x)}{2}\right)^2}} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{E_0^2 w_0^2}{w(x)} e^{-\frac{2y^2}{w^2(x)}} \end{aligned}$$

Adding the constants of the ponderomotive potential from [ponderomotive potential article](#) for the final phase (and also adding $\frac{1}{\omega^2}$ factor because ϕ is integration of A^2 which is $\frac{E^2}{\omega^2}$):

$$\phi_0(x, y) = \frac{e^2}{\hbar 4mc\beta\gamma\omega^2} \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}} \frac{E_0^2 w_0^2}{w(x)} e^{-\frac{2y^2}{w^2(x)}} \quad (\text{e}_1)$$

Using the relation $\mathbf{p} = \gamma m \mathbf{v} = \gamma m \beta c = \hbar \mathbf{k}$ we can also write:

$$\frac{e^2}{\hbar 4mc\beta\gamma} = \frac{e^2}{4\hbar^2 k_{\text{electron}}}$$

Which is more like Kirkland's notation.

Relation between wavelengths and numerical aperture in a fixed cavity

Suppose we have two wavelengths, λ_1 and λ_2 in a symmetric cavity, with radius of curvature R , length L , and unconcentricity $u = R - \frac{L}{2}$. We know that:

$$\begin{aligned} u &\equiv R - \frac{L}{2} \\ &= \frac{L}{2} \left(\chi + \frac{4z^2}{L^2} \right) - \frac{L}{2} \\ &= \frac{2z_R^2}{L} \\ &= \frac{2\pi^2 \cdot w_0^2}{\lambda^2 \cdot L} \\ &= \frac{2\pi^2 \cdot w_0^2}{\lambda^2 \cdot L} \cdot \frac{\pi^2}{\lambda^2} \cdot \frac{\lambda^2}{\pi^2} \\ &= \frac{2\pi^4 \cdot w_0^4}{\lambda^2 \cdot L} \cdot \frac{\lambda^2}{\pi^2} \\ &= \frac{2\lambda^2}{NA^4 \cdot L \cdot \pi^2} \cdot \frac{NA^4}{u} \end{aligned} \quad (36)$$

$$NA^4 = \frac{2\lambda^2}{L\pi^2 u} \Rightarrow$$

$$NA^4 \propto \lambda^2 \sqrt[4]{}$$

$$NA \propto \sqrt{\lambda}$$

$$NA_2 = NA_1 \cdot \sqrt{\frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_1}} \quad (\text{NA ratios})$$

Thus if we have $\lambda_1 = 1064\text{nm}$ and $\lambda_2 = 532\text{nm}$, and $NA_1 = 0.1$ then $NA_2 = 0.1 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$

The relation between β_{electron} , β_{lattice} , α , λ_1 , λ_2 :

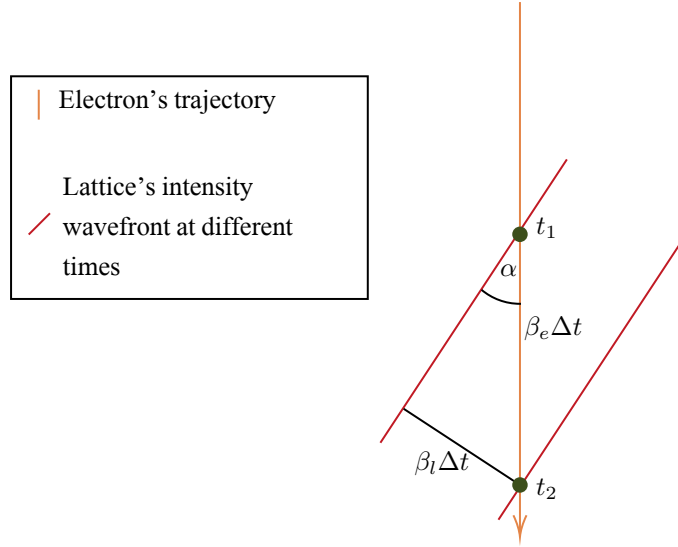
In equation (32) and in the paragraph before, we demand that

We saw that the velocity of the standing lattice, calculated in (20) is $\beta_{\text{lattice}} = \frac{1 - \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2}}{1 + \frac{\omega_1}{\omega_2}} = \frac{1 - \frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_1}}{1 + \frac{\lambda_2}{\lambda_1}} = \frac{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2}{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}$.

In the next figure we can see that for the electron to experience a constant intensity α satisfies the relation:

$$\sin \alpha = \frac{\beta_{\text{lattice}}}{\beta_{\text{electron}}} \quad (37)$$

:



Numerics

In this part I will present small derivations that are required mainly when one comes to implement the calculations in real code, such as complexity and the derivation of small mathematical expressions.

The integral to calculate G :

Let us calculate the exact expression we want to calculate when calculating the gauge function G :

Assume a gaussian beam's electromagnetic potential that is aligned with \tilde{x} axis is $\tilde{A}(x, y, z, t)$.

If \tilde{x} is tilted by an angle α with the cavity (such that the positive \tilde{x} is tilted towards the positive \tilde{z} direction) then the potential in the lab's frame will be:

$$\mathbf{A}(x, y, z, t) = \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{A}_x \cos \alpha + \tilde{A}_z \sin \alpha \\ A_y \\ -\tilde{A}_x \sin \alpha + \tilde{A}_z \cos \alpha \end{pmatrix} (x \cos \alpha - z \sin \alpha, y, x \sin \alpha + z \cos \alpha) \quad (\text{e}_{37})$$

Therefore the integrand to calculate G will be:

$$\text{Integrand}(x, y, z, t, T) = A_z(x, y, z - \beta c(t - T), T) = \left[-\tilde{A}_x \sin \alpha + \tilde{A}_z \cos \alpha \right] \underbrace{(x \cos \alpha - (z - \beta c(t - T)) \sin \alpha, y, x \sin \alpha + (z - \beta c(t - T)) \cos \alpha)}_{\text{This is the argument of the function A, not a multiplication factor}}$$

Since we choose a gauge where $\tilde{A}_x = 0$ then we are left with:

$$\cos \alpha \cdot \tilde{A}_z (x \cos \alpha - (z - \beta c (t - T)) \sin \alpha, y, x \sin \alpha + (z - \beta c (t - T)) \cos \alpha, T) =$$

integral over T will be:

$$G = \cos \alpha \beta c \int_{-\infty}^T \tilde{A}_z (x \cos \alpha - (z - \beta c (t - T)) \sin \alpha, y, x \sin \alpha + (z - \beta c (t - T)) \cos \alpha, T) dT \quad (38)$$

$$\begin{aligned} Z &= z - \beta c (t - T) & \frac{1}{\beta c} dZ &= dT & T = t &\iff Z = z \\ T &= \frac{Z - z}{\beta c} + t \end{aligned}$$

And so the integral becomes:

$$G = \cos \alpha \int_{-\infty}^z \tilde{A}_z \left(x \cos \alpha - Z \sin \alpha, y, x \sin \alpha + Z \cos \alpha, \frac{Z - z}{\beta c} + t \right) dZ \quad (e_{25})$$

Which is more comfortable in my eyes then integration over t .

If you search for the polarization term $\cos \theta$ - it is inside \tilde{A}_z .

This function appears in

The discrete interval dz required for an accurate integration of $A_z(z, t(z))$:

Let us calculate the typical rate of change (as a function of z) for a standing wave A of the form:

$$A(z, t) = \cos(kx) \cos(\omega t)$$

And for an electron passing in it in a velocity βc

The time as a function of z , $t(z)$ is given by $t(z) = \frac{z}{\beta c}$.

And so $A(z, t(z))$ is:

$$\begin{aligned} A(z, t(z)) &= \cos(kz) \cos(\omega t(z)) \\ &= \cos(kz) \cos\left(\omega \frac{z}{\beta c}\right) \\ &= \cos(kz) \cos\left(\frac{k}{\beta} z\right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[\cos\left(\left(1 + \frac{1}{\beta}\right) kz\right) + \cos\left(\left(1 - \frac{1}{\beta}\right) kz\right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

And so we see that for a monochromatic light the greatest wavelength experienced by the electron is $k_{\text{eff}} = \left(1 + \frac{1}{\beta}\right) k \Rightarrow \lambda_{\text{eff}} = \frac{\lambda}{1 + \frac{1}{\beta}}$.

Given this, we know dz should be around:

$$dz < \frac{\lambda}{1 + \frac{1}{\beta}}$$

in practice, playing with it, I found that $dz = \frac{\lambda}{(1 + \frac{1}{\beta})}$ is enough, and smaller dz does not produce much different results.

The derivative of G with respect to z :

The definition of G :

$$G(z, t) = \int_{-\infty}^z A_z \left(Z, t - \frac{z - Z}{\beta c} \right) dZ$$

We have this blue term in the integral of the phase:

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (A_z(z, t(z)) - \nabla G(z, t(z)))^2 \dots dz$$

Where $t(z) = \underbrace{t_0}_{t \text{ at } z=0} + \frac{z}{\beta c}$

note how the z 'th component of the gradient is:

$$\lim_{dz \rightarrow 0} \frac{G(z + dz, t(z)) - G(z, t(z))}{dz}$$

And not:

$$\lim_{dz \rightarrow 0} \frac{G(z + dz, t(z + \textcolor{red}{dz})) - G(z, t(z))}{dz}$$

Therefore:

$$\begin{aligned} G(z + dz, t(z)) &= \int_{-\infty}^{z+dz} A_z \left(Z, t(z) - \frac{z + dz - Z}{\beta c} \right) dZ \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{z+dz} A_z \left(Z, \left(t(z) - \frac{dz}{\beta c} \right) - \frac{z - Z}{\beta c} \right) dZ \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\textcolor{red}{z}} A_z \left(Z, \left(t(z) - \frac{dz}{\beta c} \right) - \frac{z - Z}{\beta c} \right) dZ + \underbrace{\int_{\textcolor{red}{z}}^{z+dz} A_z \left(Z, \left(t(z) - \frac{dz}{\beta c} \right) - \frac{z - Z}{\beta c} \right) dZ}_{\xrightarrow{dz \rightarrow 0} A_z \left(z, \left(t(z) - \frac{dz}{\beta c} \right) - \frac{z - z}{\beta c} \right) \cdot dz} \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\textcolor{red}{z}} A_z \left(Z, \left(t(z) - \frac{dz}{\beta c} \right) - \frac{z - Z}{\beta c} \right) dZ + A_z \left(z, \left(t(z) - \frac{dz}{\beta c} \right) \right) \cdot dz \\ &= G \left(z, t(z) - \frac{dz}{\beta c} \right) + A_z \left(z, \left(t(z) - \frac{dz}{\beta c} \right) \right) \cdot dz \end{aligned} \tag{e_26}$$

And the derivative is:

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial G}{\partial z} &= \lim_{dz \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{G\left(z, t(z) - \frac{dz}{\beta c}\right) + A_z\left(z, \left(t(z) - \frac{dz}{\beta c}\right)\right) \cdot dz - G(z, t(z))}{dz} \right] \\
&= \lim_{dz \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{G\left(z, t(z) - \frac{dz}{\beta c}\right) - G(z, t(z))}{dz} \right] + A_z\left(z, \left(t(z) - \frac{dz}{\beta c}\right)\right) \\
&= -\frac{1}{\beta c} \frac{\partial G}{\partial t} + A_z\left(z, \left(t(z) - \frac{dz}{\beta c}\right)\right)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\lim_{dz \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{G(z + dz, t) - G(z, t)}{dz} \right] &= \lim_{dz \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{dz} \left[\int_{-\infty}^t A_z(z + dz - \beta c(t - T), T) dT - \int_{-\infty}^t A_z(z - \beta c(t - T), T) dT \right] \\
&= \int_{-\infty}^t \left[\lim_{dz \rightarrow 0} \frac{A_z(z + dz - \beta c(t - T), T) - A_z(z - \beta c(t - T), T)}{dz} \right] dT \\
&= \lim_{dz \rightarrow 0} \int_{-\infty}^t \frac{\partial A(z - \beta c(t - T), T)}{\partial z} dT
\end{aligned}$$

Addressing the complexity problem:

Problem 5. We note that in the total phase acquired term (12) we have $\int_z \dots \partial_x G(x, y, z, t)$ where G itself is an integral over $\int_Z A_z\left(x, y, Z, \frac{Z-z}{\beta c} + t\right)$. It means that we have an integral inside a derivative inside an integral - which we need to calculate to a grid of $n_x \times n_y$ for many t 's. since every integral calls it's integrand many times - it means that the inner most function $A_z(x, y, z, t)$ might be called (say, 1000 times per integral and $(1 + 3)$ times for gradient): $1000 \cdot 1000 \cdot n_x \cdot n_y \cdot n_t \cdot 4$ which is a lot (for $n_x \times n_y = 1000 \times 1000$).

Solution 6. However, we notice that when calculating G , the term $A_z(x, y, z_1, t_1)$ is calculated many times: once in $G\left(x, y, z_2, t_1 - \frac{z_1 - z_2}{\beta c}\right)$ (because when we run the integral over Z and we get to $Z = z_1$ then the integrand is

$$A_z\left(x, y, Z, t - \frac{z - Z}{\beta c}\right) = A_z\left(x, y, z_1, t_1 - \frac{z_1 - \cancel{z_2}}{\beta c} - \frac{z_2 - \cancel{z_1}}{\beta c}\right) = A_z(x, y, z_1, t_1)$$

) and once again in $G\left(x, y, z_3, t_1 - \frac{z_1 - z_3}{\beta c}\right)$, because also then for $Z = z_1$ we get: :

$$A_z\left(x, y, Z, t - \frac{z - Z}{\beta c}\right) = A_z\left(x, y, z_1, t_1 - \frac{z_1 - \cancel{z_3}}{\beta c} - \frac{z_3 - \cancel{z_1}}{\beta c}\right) = A_z(x, y, z_1, t_1)$$

So, in principle, we can calculate it once, and then use the same value repetitively for all integrals of the form $G\left(x, y, z, t - \frac{z_1 - z}{\beta c}\right)$. We can initiate a large array of $A_z(x, y, z_j, t_k)$, and estimate the value of G at:

$$G(x, y, z_j, t_k) = \sum_{i=0}^j A_z\left(x, y, z_i, t_k - \frac{z_j - \overbrace{z_i}^{\equiv "Z''}}{\beta c}\right)$$

Defining a time-dimensional position $\tilde{z} = \frac{z}{\beta c}$, we can rewrite it as:

$$G(x, y, z_j, t_k) = \sum_{i=0}^j A_z(x, y, z_i, t_k - (\tilde{z}_j - \tilde{z}_i)) = \sum_{i=0}^j A_z(x, y, z_i, \tilde{z}_i + t_k - \tilde{z}_j)$$

If we choose the spacing in z of the grid to be dz and the spacing in t of t to be $\beta c \cdot dz$ then this translates to:

$$G(x, y, z_j, t_k) = \sum_{i=0}^j A_z(x, y, z_i, t_{i+(k-j)})$$

In matrix form, this equals summing the $(k - j)$ -offset diagonal from the first row and until the j 'th row:

For example, in $j = 4$ and $k = 6$ (and in particular $(k - j = 2)$) this is equal to summing all the blue elements:

$$G(z_3, t_4), G(z_4 t_6) \Rightarrow$$

	t_0	t_1	t_2	t_3	t_4	t_5	t_6	t_7
z_0	A_{00}	A_{01}	A_{02}	A_{03}				
z_1	A_{10}	A_{11}	A_{12}	A_{13}	A_{14}			
z_2				A_{23}	A_{24}	A_{25}		
z_3					A_{34}	A_{35}	A_{36}	
z_4						A_{45}	A_{46}	A_{47}
z_5							A_{56}	A_{57}
z_6								
z_7								

If the last array is achieved by evaluation A on the arrays:

$$A(Z, T) \text{ for: } \quad Z = \begin{matrix} z_0 & z_0 & z_0 & z_0 \\ z_1 & z_1 & z_1 & z_1 \\ z_2 & z_2 & z_2 & z_2 \\ z_3 & z_3 & z_3 & z_3 \end{matrix} \quad T = \begin{matrix} t_0 & t_1 & t_2 & t_3 \\ t_0 & t_1 & t_2 & t_3 \\ t_0 & t_1 & t_2 & t_3 \\ t_0 & t_1 & t_2 & t_3 \end{matrix}$$

Therefore, we can “skew” this A array by replacing the T matrix like so:

$$T \rightarrow T' = T + \frac{Z}{\beta c}$$

$$\begin{matrix} t_0 & t_1 & t_2 & t_3 \\ t_0 & t_1 & t_2 & t_3 \\ t_0 & t_1 & t_2 & t_3 \\ t_0 & t_1 & t_2 & t_3 \end{matrix} \rightarrow \begin{matrix} t_0 + \frac{z_0}{\beta c} & t_1 + \frac{z_0}{\beta c} & t_2 + \frac{z_0}{\beta c} & t_3 + \frac{z_0}{\beta c} \\ t_0 + \frac{z_1}{\beta c} & t_1 + \frac{z_1}{\beta c} & t_2 + \frac{z_1}{\beta c} & t_3 + \frac{z_1}{\beta c} \\ t_0 + \frac{z_2}{\beta c} & t_1 + \frac{z_2}{\beta c} & t_2 + \frac{z_2}{\beta c} & t_3 + \frac{z_2}{\beta c} \\ t_0 + \frac{z_3}{\beta c} & t_1 + \frac{z_3}{\beta c} & t_2 + \frac{z_3}{\beta c} & t_3 + \frac{z_3}{\beta c} \end{matrix} = \begin{matrix} t_0 & t_1 & t_2 & t_3 \\ t_0 & t_2 & t_3 & t_4 \\ t_0 & t_3 & t_4 & t_5 \\ t_0 & t_4 & t_5 & t_6 \end{matrix}$$

While keeping the z matrix as:

$$Z \rightarrow Z$$

Then evaluating A on the new array T like so:

$$A(Z, T')$$

will result in a skewed A like so:

	$t_0 + \frac{Z}{\beta_c}$	$t_1 + \frac{Z}{\beta_c}$	$t_2 + \frac{Z}{\beta_c}$	$t_3 + \frac{Z}{\beta_c}$	$t_4 + \frac{Z}{\beta_c}$
z_0	A_{00}	A_{01}	A_{02}	A_{03}	
z_1	A_{11}	A_{12}	A_{13}	A_{14}	
z_2	A_{22}	A_{23}	A_{24}	A_{25}	
z_3	A_{33}	A_{34}	A_{35}	A_{36}	
z_4	A_{44}	A_{45}	A_{46}	A_{47}	
z_5					
z_6					
z_7					

And now the value of G can be achieved by simply taking the cumulative integral:

	$t_0 + \frac{Z}{\beta_c}$	$t_1 + \frac{Z}{\beta_c}$	$t_2 + \frac{Z}{\beta_c}$	$t_3 + \frac{Z}{\beta_c}$	$t_4 + \frac{Z}{\beta_c}$
z_0	G_{00}	G_{01}	G_{02}	G_{03}	
z_1	G_{11}	G_{12}	G_{13}	G_{14}	
z_2	G_{22}	G_{23}	G_{24}	G_{25}	
z_3	G_{33}	G_{34}	G_{35}	G_{36}	
z_4	G_{44}	G_{45}	G_{46}	G_{47}	
z_5					
z_6					
z_7					

$G = \text{np.cumsum}(A(Z, T'), \text{axis}=0)$

In particular the `np.cumsum` command will give us in each column the values of $G(z, t(z))$ as required for the final integral of ϕ .

Calculating the zero'th energy amplitude with just 3 points in time:

We have a phase of the form:

$$\phi(x, y, t) = \phi_0(x, y) + A(x, y) \cdot \sin(\Delta\omega + \varphi(x, y))$$

Since x, y do not play a role in this equation, and we are going to do the calculation to all pairs of x, y separately, then we can omit them for abbreviation:

$$\phi(t) = \phi_0 + A \cdot \sin(\Delta\omega + \varphi)$$

We can evaluate the function in three different points in time:

$$\begin{aligned} t_0 &= 0 \\ t_1 &= \frac{\pi}{2\Delta\omega} \\ t_2 &= \frac{\pi}{\Delta\omega} \end{aligned}$$

So that:

$$\begin{aligned}\phi(t_0) &= \phi_0 + A \sin(0 + \varphi) = \phi_0 + A \sin(\varphi) \\ \phi(t_1) &= \phi_0 + A \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2\Delta\omega} \Delta\omega + \varphi\right) = \phi_0 + A \cos(\varphi) \\ \phi(t_2) &= \phi_0 + A \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{\Delta\omega} \Delta\omega + \varphi\right) = \phi_0 - A \sin(\varphi)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\phi(t_0) &= \phi_0 + \cancel{A \sin(\varphi)} \\ \phi(t_2) &= \phi_0 - \cancel{A \sin(\varphi)} \quad \backslash +\end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\phi_0 = \frac{\phi(t_0) + \phi(t_2)}{2}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\phi(t_0) &= \phi_0 + A \sin(\varphi) \quad \backslash - \phi_0 \\ \phi(t_1) &= \phi_0 + A \cos(\varphi) \quad \backslash - \phi_0\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\phi(t_0) - \phi_0 &= \cancel{A} \sin(\varphi) \\ \phi(t_1) - \phi_0 &= \cancel{A} \cos(\varphi) \quad \backslash :\end{aligned}$$

$$\tan(\varphi) = \frac{\phi(t_0) - \phi_0}{\phi(t_1) - \phi_0} \quad \backslash \tan^{-1}$$

$$\boxed{\varphi = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\phi(t_0) - \phi_0}{\phi(t_1) - \phi_0}\right)}$$

And now if φ is very close to 0 or π we substitute it in the equation for $\phi(t_1)$:

$$\boxed{A = \underbrace{\frac{\phi(t_1) - \phi_0}{\cos(\varphi)}}_{\text{All are known by this point}}}$$

(e_27)

And otherwise we can substitute it in the equation for $\phi(t_0)$ and get:

$$\boxed{A = \underbrace{\frac{\phi(t_0) - \phi_0}{\sin(\varphi)}}_{\text{All are known by this point}}}$$