

1. The key to this problem is to realize that the β s in the expression for γ have a time derivative in them. So an argument of this type is valid

$$\int_{t_1}^{t_2} \sqrt{1 - \beta^2} dt = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \sqrt{dt^2 - (1/c^2)(dx^2 + dy^2 + dz^2)}.$$

But the invariance of the space-time interval shows that under a general Lorentz transformation

$$\int_{t_1}^{t_2} \sqrt{dt^2 - (1/c^2)(dx^2 + dy^2 + dz^2)} = \int_{t'_1}^{t'_2} \sqrt{dt'^2 - (1/c^2)(dx'^2 + dy'^2 + dz'^2)}$$

Therefore

$$\int_{t_1}^{t_2} \sqrt{1 - \beta^2} dt = \int_{t'_1}^{t'_2} \sqrt{1 - \beta'^2} dt'.$$

The square root differential expression is well defined because the four-velocity of any massive particle is always time-like.

A more formal and precise argument is the following. Divide the closed interval $[t_1, t_2]$ into N equal sub-intervals of duration $\Delta t = (t_2 - t_1)/N$ labeled by the index i : $I_i = [t_1 + (i-1)\Delta t, t_1 + i\Delta t]$. By the general Lorentz transformation between frames we may establish the coordinates of the space-time events $c(t_1), \vec{x}(t_1)$ and $c(t_1 + i\Delta t), \vec{x}(t_1 + i\Delta t)$ in the prime frame. Call the coordinates in the K' frame $c(t'_0), \vec{x}'_0$ and $c(t'_i), \vec{x}'_i$ respectively. Recall the mean value theorem from calculus

$$\int_{t_1}^{t_2} \sqrt{1 - \beta^2} dt = \sum_{i=1}^N \int_{I_i} \sqrt{1 - \beta^2} dt = \sum_{i=1}^N \sqrt{1 - \beta^2(T_i)} \Delta t$$

for some $T_i \in I_i$. In the limit $N \rightarrow \infty$, the intervals become infinitesimals and

$$\vec{\beta}(T_i) \rightarrow \frac{\Delta \vec{x}_i}{c \Delta t} \equiv \frac{\vec{x}_i - \vec{x}_{i-1}}{c \Delta t}.$$

This means

$$\int_{t_1}^{t_2} \sqrt{1 - \beta^2} dt = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^N \sqrt{\Delta t^2 - (1/c^2) |\Delta \vec{x}_i|^2}$$

The Lorentz transformations are linear, and so the differentials $c \Delta t$ and $\Delta \vec{x}$ transform in the same way as ct and \vec{x} . Therefore, by the invariance of the space-time interval under Lorentz transformations,

$$\int_{t_1}^{t_2} \sqrt{1 - \beta^2} dt = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{i=1}^N \sqrt{\Delta t_i'^2 - (1/c^2) |\Delta \vec{x}'_i|^2} = \int_{t'_1}^{t'_2} \sqrt{1 - \beta'^2} dt',$$

because the durations of all the intervals in the prime frame approach zero as N increases without bound. It should be noted that $\Delta t'_i$ is NOT necessarily constant as i changes when there is acceleration in the orbit.

2. By the relativistic Lorentz Force equation

$$\vec{v} \cdot \frac{d(\gamma m \vec{v})}{d\tau} = \vec{v} \cdot q(\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B}) = q \vec{v} \cdot \vec{E}$$

Now

$$\frac{d\gamma}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - |\vec{v}|^2/c^2}} = \frac{\vec{v} \cdot (d\vec{v}/dt)}{c^2 (1 - \beta^2)^{3/2}} = \frac{\gamma^3}{c^2} \vec{v} \cdot (d\vec{v}/dt)$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} q \vec{v} \cdot \vec{E} &= \gamma \vec{v} \cdot \frac{d(m \vec{v})}{dt} + \frac{m |\vec{v}|^2}{c^2} \gamma^3 \vec{v} \cdot (d\vec{v}/dt) \\ &= \gamma m (1 + \beta^2 \gamma^2) \vec{v} \cdot (d\vec{v}/dt) = \gamma^3 m \vec{v} \cdot (d\vec{v}/dt). \end{aligned}$$

So

$$\frac{d\gamma}{dt} = \frac{q \vec{v} \cdot \vec{E}}{mc^2}.$$

3. Using the relativistic momentum-energy relation

$$\begin{aligned} E^2 &= p^2 c^2 + m^2 c^4 \\ 2E dE &= 2p dp c^2 \\ \frac{dE}{E} &= \frac{\gamma \beta m c d p c^2}{\gamma^2 m^2 c^4} = \frac{\beta^2 dp}{\gamma \beta m c} = \beta^2 \frac{dp}{p} \end{aligned}$$

4. Starting with the relativistic Lorentz force

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\gamma}{dt} = 0 &\rightarrow \frac{d|\vec{v}|}{dt} = 0 \quad |\vec{v}| = \text{const} = v_0 \\ \frac{dv_x}{dt} &= \frac{qB}{\gamma m} v_y & \frac{dv_y}{dt} &= -\frac{qB}{\gamma m} v_x \\ \frac{d^2 v_x}{dt^2} + \Omega_c^2 v_x &= 0 & \frac{d^2 v_y}{dt^2} + \Omega_c^2 v_y &= 0 \\ v_x(t) &= A \cos(\Omega_c t + \delta) & v_y(t) &= -A \sin(\Omega_c t + \delta) \\ |\vec{v}| &= A \rightarrow A = v_0 \\ x(t) &= x_c + \frac{v_0}{\Omega_c} \sin(\Omega_c t + \delta) & y(t) &= y_c + \frac{v_0}{\Omega_c} \cos(\Omega_c t + \delta) \end{aligned}$$

$$r = \frac{v_0}{\Omega_c} = \frac{\beta c}{qB / \gamma m}$$

5. The formula means $B\rho$ measured in units of T m is equal to 3.3356 times the momentum measured in GeV/c, for a singly charged particle. Note 1 T is 1 V s/m². So $eB\rho$ for 1 T m is 1 eV s/m, which are momentum units. 1 GeV/c is 10^9 eV/ 2.99792458×10^8 m/s = 3.33564 eV s/m. So

$$B\rho [\text{T m}] = 3.33564 p [\text{GeV}/c]$$

For an ion with atomic weight A , the total momentum in units of GeV/c is $A[(\text{GeV}/u)/c]$. For a fully stripped ion, the particle has a charge of Ze . So

$$B\rho [\text{T m}] = (3.33564A/Z) p [(\text{GeV}/u)/c]$$

This means, for example, that the magnetic field needed to bend a fully stripped heavy ion is more than twice that needed to bend a proton at the same momentum per atomic mass unit.

6. This problem is a perfect example of the use of the magnetic rigidity. The electron relativistic momentum is $p = \sqrt{\gamma^2 - 1}m_0c = \sqrt{\gamma^2 - 1}(0.511 \text{ MeV}/c)$, the magnetic rigidity is $\sqrt{\gamma^2 - 1}(0.511 \text{ MV}/c)$, and 1 T = 1 (V sec)/(m²). Now

$$B = \frac{(B\rho)}{L} 2 \sin(\theta/2)$$

for magnets in the normal configuration. The bend angles are $\pi/16 = 0.19635$ rad for the first arc and $\pi/32 = 0.098175$ rad for the rest of the arcs.

$$B_1 = \frac{\sqrt{(605/0.511)^2 - 1} \times 0.511 \times 10^6 \text{ V}}{2.998 \times 10^8 \text{ m/sec}(1 \text{ m})} 2 \sin 0.098175 = 0.3956 \text{ T} = 3.956 \text{ kG}$$

$$B_2 = \frac{\sqrt{(1693/0.511)^2 - 1} \times 0.511 \times 10^6 \text{ V}}{2.998 \times 10^8 \text{ m/sec}(1 \text{ m})} 2 \sin 0.04909 = 0.5542 \text{ T} = 5.542 \text{ kG}$$

$$B_3 = \frac{\sqrt{(2781/0.511)^2 - 1} \times 0.511 \times 10^6 \text{ V}}{2.998 \times 10^8 \text{ m/sec}(2 \text{ m})} 2 \sin 0.04909 = 0.4552 \text{ T} = 4.552 \text{ kG}$$

$$B_4 = \frac{\sqrt{(3868/0.511)^2 - 1} \times 0.511 \times 10^6 \text{ V}}{2.998 \times 10^8 \text{ m/sec}(3 \text{ m})} 2 \sin 0.04909 = 0.4220 \text{ T} = 4.220 \text{ kG}$$

$$B_5 = \frac{\sqrt{(4956/0.511)^2 - 1} \times 0.511 \times 10^6 \text{ V}}{2.998 \times 10^8 \text{ m/sec}(3 \text{ m})} 2 \sin 0.04909 = 0.5408 \text{ T} = 5.408 \text{ kG}$$

Arc	Electron Energy (MeV)	Number of Dipoles	Dipole Length (m)	Bend Angle (rad)	Magnetic Field (T)
1	605	16	1	0.19635	0.3956
2	1693	32	1	0.098175	0.5542
3	2781	32	2	0.098175	0.4552
4	3868	32	3	0.098175	0.4220
5	4956	32	3	0.098175	0.5408

7. Technically, we did this calculation in the lectures. If Hill's equation has focusing in the x direction and defocusing in the y direction, the equations of motion are

$$\frac{d^2x}{ds^2} + Kx = 0$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{ds^2} - Ky = 0$$

The solutions satisfying the correct boundary conditions at $s = 0$ are

$$x(s) = x_0 \cos(\sqrt{K}s) + x'_0 \sin(\sqrt{K}s) / \sqrt{K}$$

$$y(s) = y_0 \cos(\sqrt{K}s) + y'_0 \sin(\sqrt{K}s) / \sqrt{K}$$

Putting $s = L$ into these equations, and into these equations differentiated with respect to s yields the transfer matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} x(L) \\ x'(L) \\ y(L) \\ y'(L) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\sqrt{KL}) & \sin(\sqrt{KL})/\sqrt{K} & 0 & 0 \\ -\sqrt{K} \sin(\sqrt{KL}) & \cos(\sqrt{KL}) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \cosh(\sqrt{KL}) & \sinh(\sqrt{KL})/\sqrt{K} \\ 0 & 0 & \sqrt{K} \sinh(\sqrt{KL}) & \cosh(\sqrt{KL}) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x(0) \\ x'(0) \\ y(0) \\ y'(0) \end{pmatrix}$$

Taking the limit $L \rightarrow 0$ one obtains the thin lens approximations

$$\begin{pmatrix} x(L) \\ x'(L) \\ y(L) \\ y'(L) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1/f & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/f & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x(0) \\ x'(0) \\ y(0) \\ y'(0) \end{pmatrix},$$

where the focal length f is $1/KL$.