

# A Scaling Law for Planar and Helical Superconducting Undulators

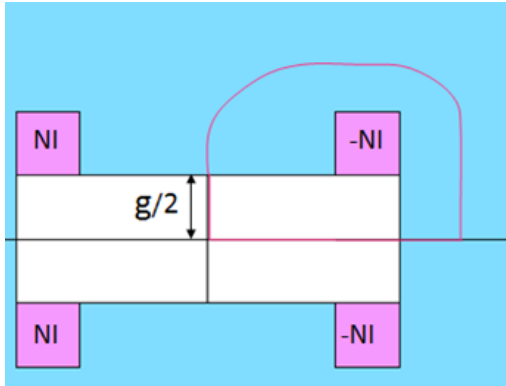
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# Introduction

## Iron dominated magnet [1]

$$NI_{pole} = \oint \frac{\vec{B}}{\mu} \cdot d\vec{l} \rightarrow B(g)_{Dipole} \approx \frac{\mu_0 NI_{pole}}{g/2}$$



$$B(r_0)_{Quad} \approx \frac{2\mu_0 NI_{pole}}{r_0}$$

$$B(r_0)_{Sext} \approx \frac{3\mu_0 NI_{pole}}{r_0}$$

$$B_0 = \text{const } j l$$

## Electromagnetic undulator [2]

$$B_n (\mu \approx \infty) = \frac{32\mu_0 NI}{\pi \lambda n} \frac{\sin(n\pi/4)}{\sinh(nkg/2)} \quad (k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda})$$

$$B_y = \frac{32\mu_0 NI}{\sqrt{2}\pi\lambda} \left[ \frac{\cosh(ky)}{\sinh(kg/2)} - \frac{\cosh(3ky)}{3\sinh(3kg/2)} \right]$$

## Permanent magnet undulator [3]

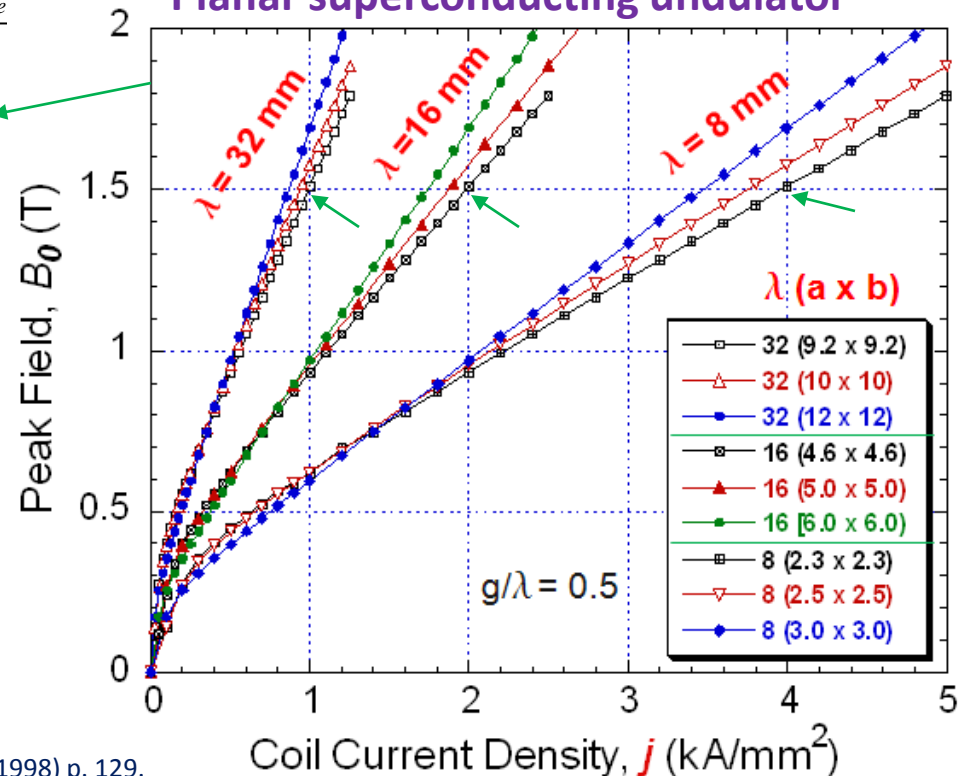
$$B_0 = 2B_r \frac{\sin(\pi/m)}{(\pi/m)} (1 - e^{-kh}) e^{-kg/2}$$

$$B_0 = a \cdot \exp \left[ -b \frac{g}{\lambda} + c \left( \frac{g}{\lambda} \right)^2 \right], \quad (0.07 < \frac{g}{\lambda} < 0.7)$$

SmCo5:  $B_r = 0.9$  T,  $a = 3.33$ ,  $b = 5.47$ ,  $c = 1.8$

NdFeB:  $B_r = 1.1$  T,  $a = 3.44$ ,  $b = 5.08$ ,  $c = 1.54$

## Planar superconducting undulator



[1] G.E. Fisher, AIP Conf. Proc.No. 153, AIP, New York (1987) p.1122.

[2] R.P. Walker, Nucl. Instrum. Methods, A237,366 (1985); CERN 98-04 (1998) p. 129.

[3] K. Halbach, Nucl. Instrum. Methods, 187 (1981) 109; J. Phys. C1 44, 211 (1983).

# Outline

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- Analytical expression of planar (electromagnetic) undulator
- $j\lambda$  scaling and Ampere's law
- Data on pole-gap dependence and coil dimensions to support the  $j\lambda$  scaling
- Characteristics,  $j\lambda$  scaling, and analytical expression of bifilar helical undulator
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# Planar undulator

## Analytical expressions [1]

$$j_x(z) = \sum_{n=1,3,\dots}^{\infty} \frac{4j}{n\pi} \sin\left(nk \frac{a}{2}\right) \cos(nkz) \quad \left(k = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}\right)$$

per unit height of the coils

$$B_y(y, z) = \sum_{n=1,3,\dots} B_n \cosh(nky) \sin(nkz)$$

$$B_z(y, z) = \sum_{n=1,3,\dots} B_n \sinh(nky) \cos(nkz)$$

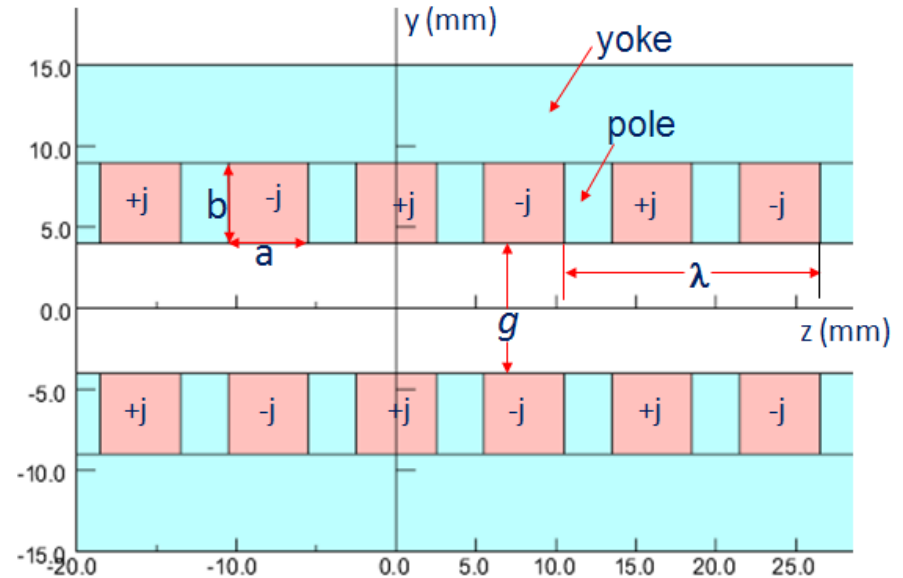
$$B_n = \frac{2\mu_0 j \lambda}{(n\pi)^2} \sin\left(nk \frac{a}{2}\right) e^{-nkg/2} (1 - e^{-nkb})$$

$$B_y(0, z) = B_0 \sin(kz)$$

$$B_z(0, z) = B_0 \cos(kz)$$

$$B_0 = \frac{2\mu_0 j \lambda}{\pi^2} \sin\left(k \frac{a}{2}\right) e^{-kg/2} (1 - e^{-kb})$$

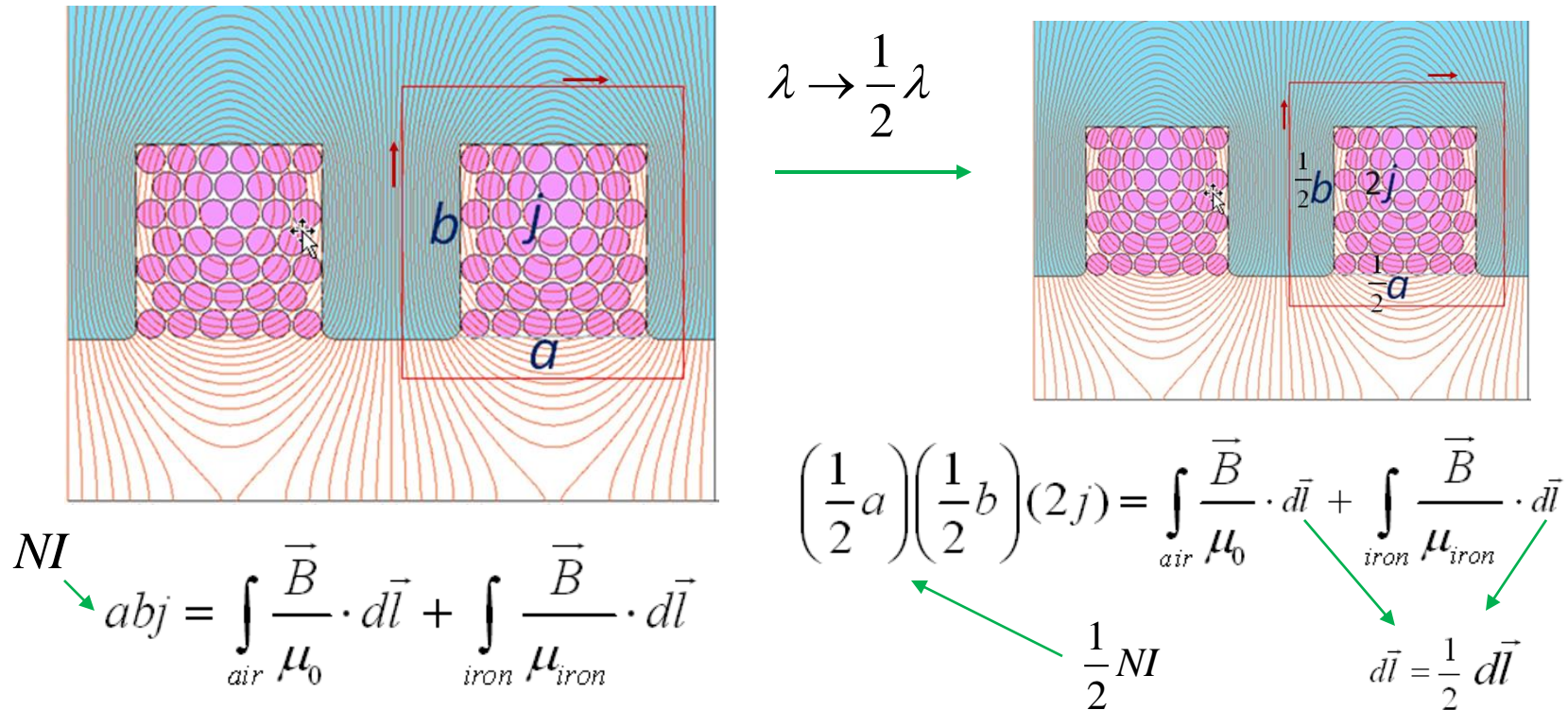
Schematic 2D cross section in (x = 0)



- When SCU dimensions are scaled, with  $l$  as the reference,  $B_0$  remains unchanged for a constant  $jl$ .
- The on-axis peak field depends approximately on  $\exp(-kg/2)$ .
- The derived equation  $B_n$  predicted the third harmonic of the on-axis field correctly.
- Surprisingly, the  $jl$  scale holds for undulators with nonlinear magnetic materials.

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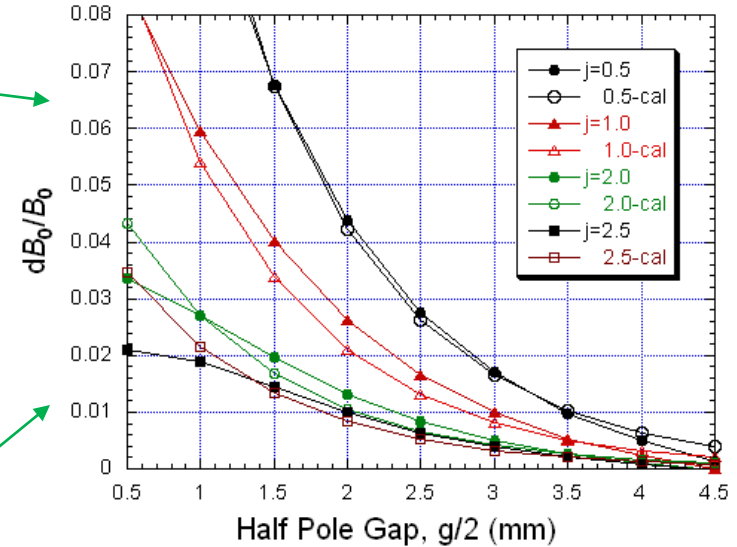
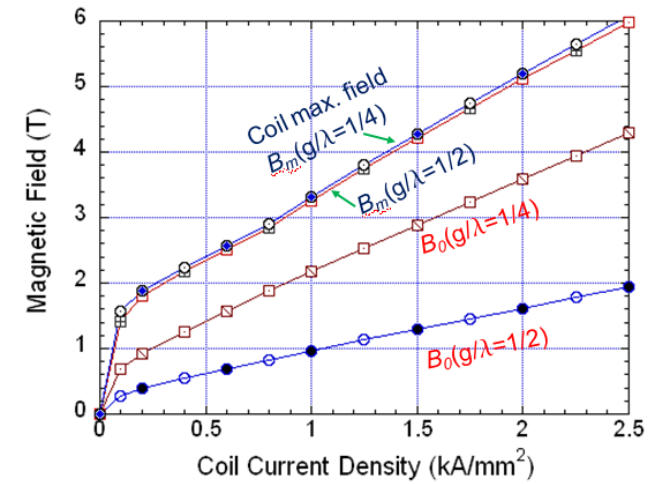
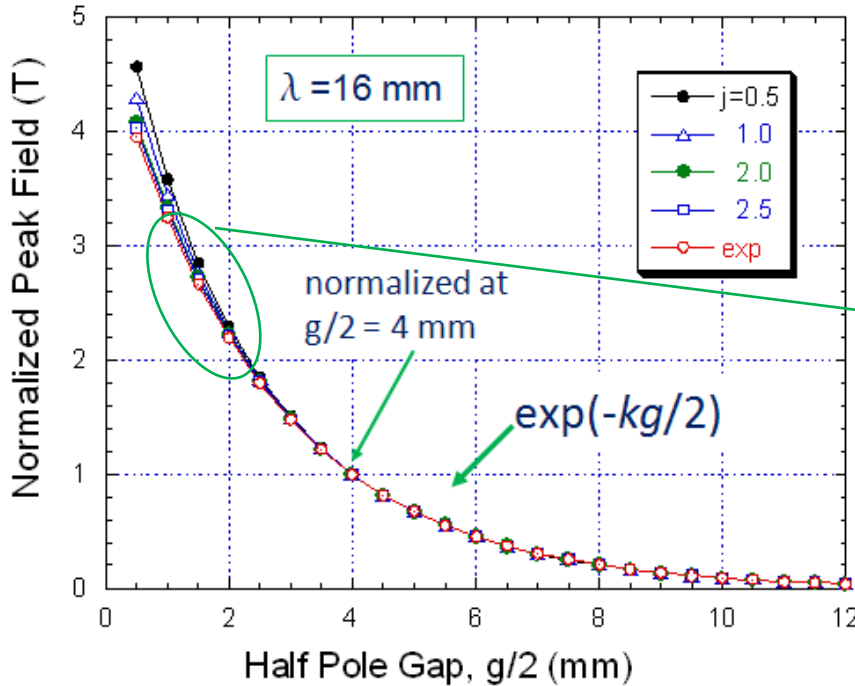
# Does Ampere's law explain the $jI$ scaling ?



- For a constant  $jI$ , if the flux density distributions remain unchanged in the above two geometries (which include the nonlinear magnetic poles and flux-return yokes), then the  $jI$  scaling may be understandable with Ampere's law.
- Numerical analysis showed that the flux density, as well as the permeability, distributions of the two were identical [1].

[1] Opera, Vector Fields Software, Cobham Technical Services, Aurora, IL 60505, USA

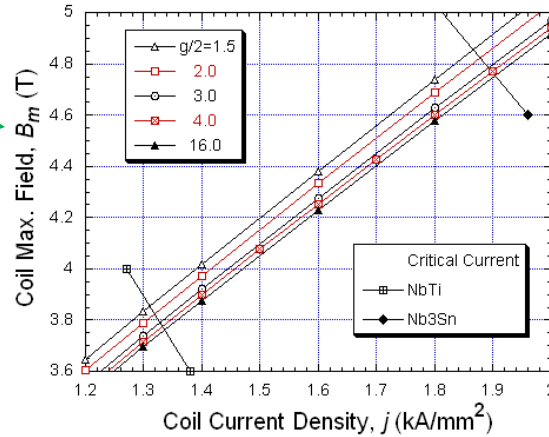
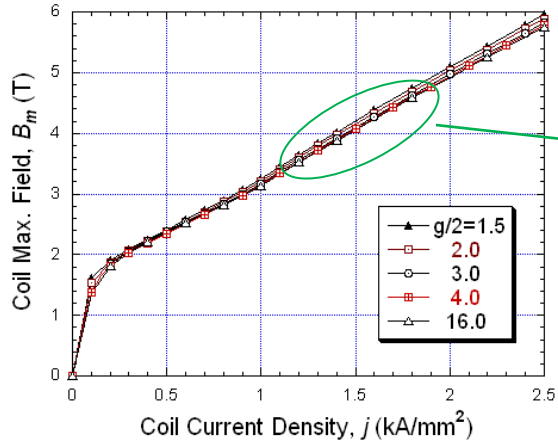
# Peak field $B_0$ dependence on $g/\lambda$ for nonlinear cases



$$B_0(j, \frac{g}{\lambda}) = B_0(j, 0.5) \exp[-\pi(\frac{g}{\lambda} - 0.5)] \times \{1 + \delta j_n^{-1} \exp[-2.4\pi(\frac{g}{\lambda} - 0.5)]\} \quad \text{Eq. (1)} \quad (\delta = 0.0016)$$

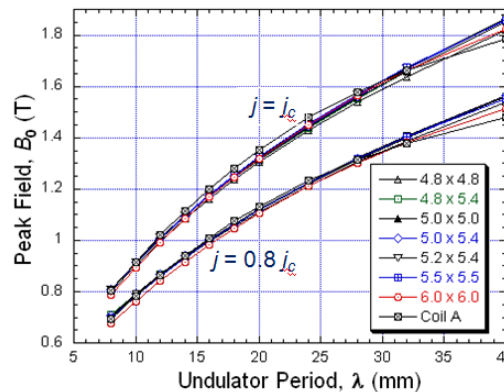
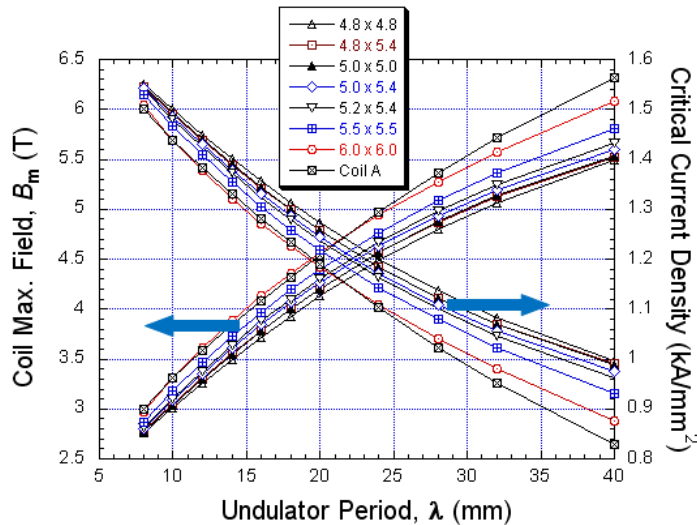
- For  $g/\lambda > 0.4$ ,  $B_0$  is proportional to  $\exp(-kg/2)$  within 1%.
- The above equation, which has a correction term, holds for  $g/\lambda > 0.06$  within 1%.

# Coil max. field $B_m$ dependence on $g/\lambda$



- When the pole gap is reduced, the coil maximum field increases, which, in turn, reduces the SC critical current.
- Therefore, the correction term for  $g/\lambda > 0.4$  in Eq. (1) may be neglected.

# Optimized coil dimensions? $g/l = 0.5$ NbTi SC



- Bigger coil dimensions make higher coil maximum fields, which reduce the SC critical current densities.
- Therefore, the spread of the peak fields reduced, and the dependence of the achievable peak fields on coil dimensions is relatively small.

# Helical undulator

**Helical Solenoid** [1]  $B_r = \frac{\mu_0 I}{\lambda} \{kr_0 K_0(kr_0) + K_1(kr_0)\}$

**Helical undulator** [2]  $B_0 = \frac{2\mu_0 I}{\lambda} \{kr_0 K_0(kr_0) + K_1(kr_0)\}$

For  $I_1$  and  $I_2$  in opposite directions in each helix:

$$B_0 = \frac{\mu_0(I_1 + I_2)}{\lambda} [kr_0 K_0(kr_0) + K_1(kr_0)] \quad B_z = \frac{\mu_0(I_1 - I_2)}{\lambda}$$

**Helical Undulators with coil dimensions (a, b)** [3]

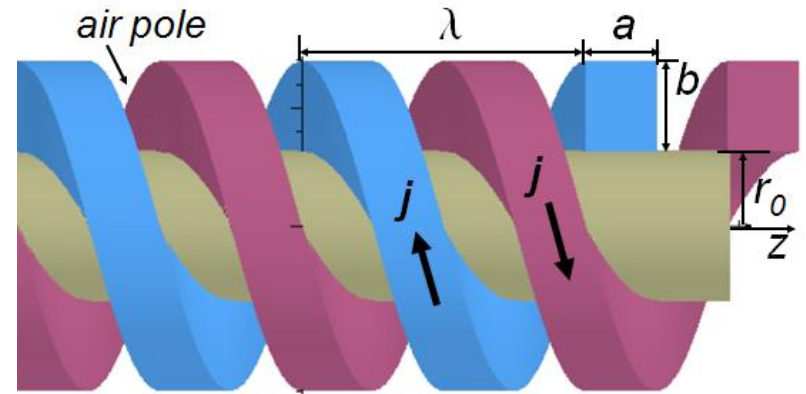
$$\mathbf{B}_< = \sum_{n=1,3,5..}^{\infty} B_0^n \cdot [\hat{r} \{I_{n-1}(nkr) + I_{n+1}(nkr)\} \sin n(kz - \phi) + \hat{\phi}(-2/kr)I_n(nkr) \cos n(kz - \phi) + \hat{z}2I_n(nkr) \cos n(kz - \phi)]$$

$$B_0^n = \frac{2\mu_0 j}{\pi} \sin\left(\frac{nka}{2}\right) [kr_0 K_{n-1}(nkr_0) + K_n(nkr_0)]$$

$$I_m(x) = \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{(x/2)^{m+2\ell}}{\ell!(m+\ell)!}, \quad (m \geq 1)$$

$$\mathbf{B}(kz - \phi) = B_0 \left\{ \hat{r} \sin(kz - \phi) - \hat{\phi} \cos(kz - \phi) \right\} \quad B_0 = \frac{2\mu_0 j \lambda}{\pi} \sin\left(k \frac{a}{2}\right) \int_{r_0}^{r_0+b} \{kr K_0(kr) + K_1(kr)\} \frac{dr}{\lambda}$$

$(k = 2\pi/\lambda)$  (Current  $I$  in a filament wire)



- On-axis field has no higher harmonic fields, while the off-axis field components do.
- For a constant  $j\lambda$ ,  $B_0$  remains unchanged when length dimensions are scaled.
- How about with steel poles?

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[2] B.M. Kincaid, *J. Appl. Phys.* 48, 2684 (1977); J.P. Blewett and R. Chasman, *ibid.* 48, 2692 (1977).

[3] S.H. Kim, *Nucl. Instrum. Methods, A* 584, 266 (2008).



# Helical undulator:

## Model calculation to verify the analytical results

period = 12 mm, coil  $r_o = 3.15$  mm

coil dimension  $b = 3.84$  mm

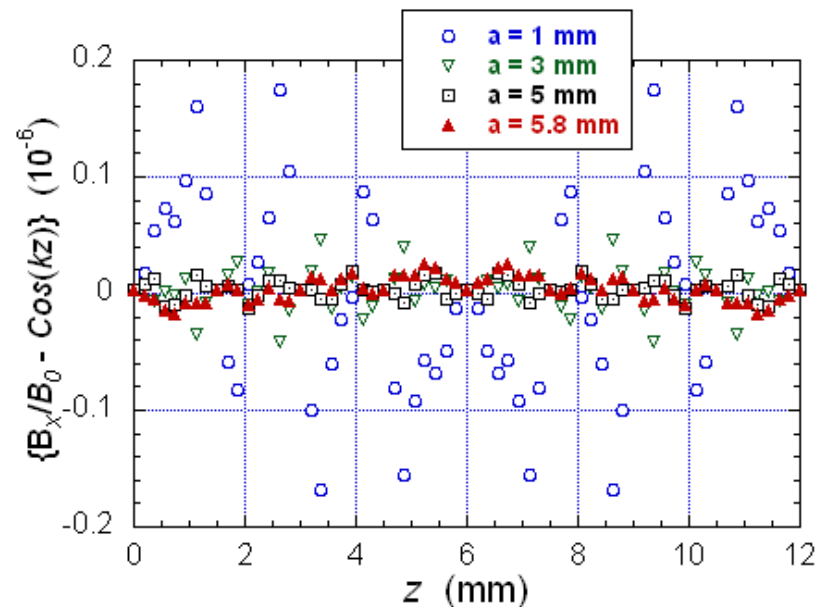
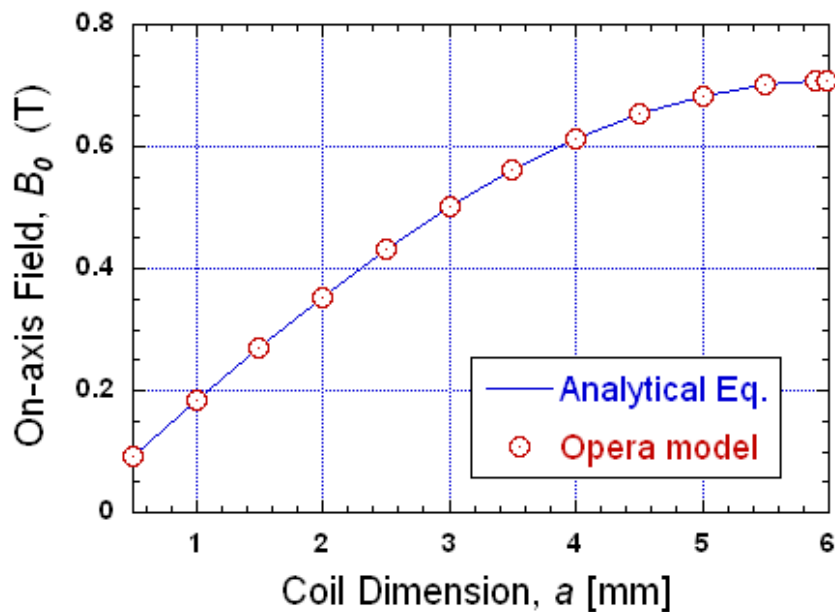
$j(\text{coil}) = 1 \text{ kA/mm}^2$

$(B_{OP} - B_{Eq})/B_{Eq} < 0.1\%$

$$[K] \approx \exp(-0.95kr)$$

$$B_0 = 0.8j\lambda \sin\left(\frac{ka}{2}\right) \int_{r_0}^{r_0+b} [krK_0(kr) + K_1(kr)] \frac{dr}{\lambda}$$

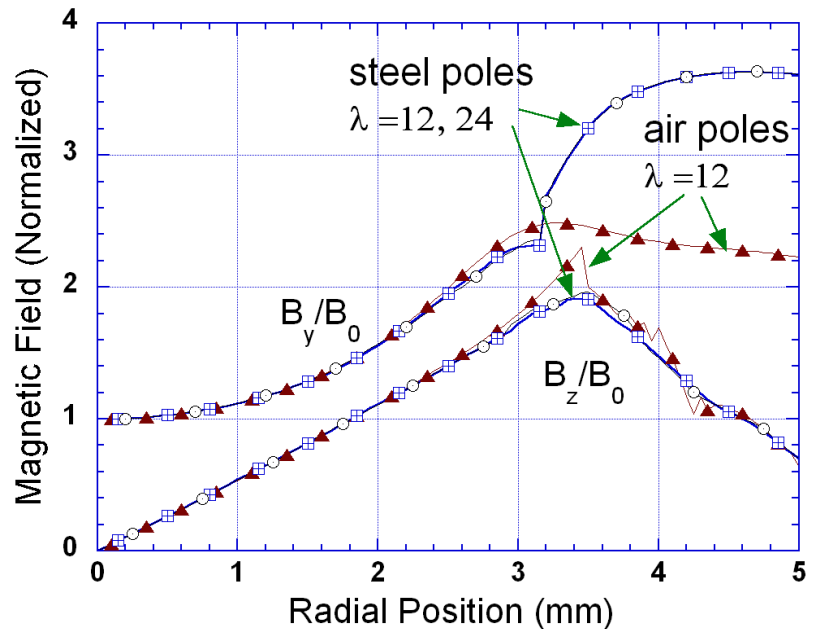
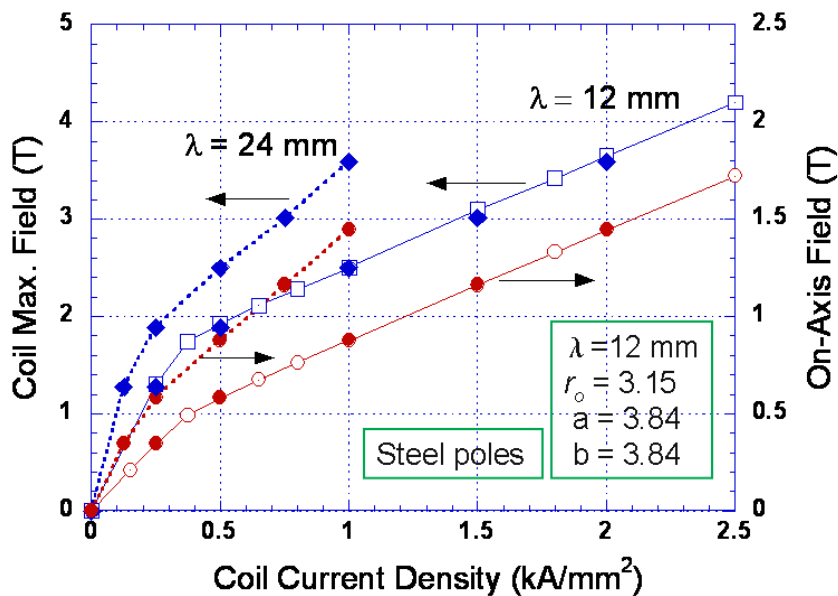
$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} B_0 [T] \\ j [kA/mm^2] \\ \lambda [mm] \end{array} \right]$$



- Analytical equation agrees with model coil calculations within 0.1%.
- Higher harmonic coefficients of the on-axis field are less than  $10^{-6}$ .

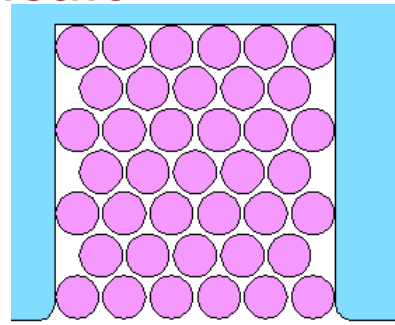
# Helical undulator: Scaling law for steel poles

$\lambda = 12, j_{\square} = 1.0 \text{ kA/mm}^2, B_{\square} = 0.877286 \text{ T}$ , steel poles  
 $\lambda = 24, j_{\square} = 0.5 \text{ kA/mm}^2, B_{\square} = 0.876782 \text{ T}$ , steel poles,  $\frac{B_{\square}}{B_0} = 5 \times 10^{-4}$   
 $\lambda = 12, j_{\square} = 1.0 \text{ kA/mm}^2, B_{\square} = 0.577 \text{ T}$ , air poles

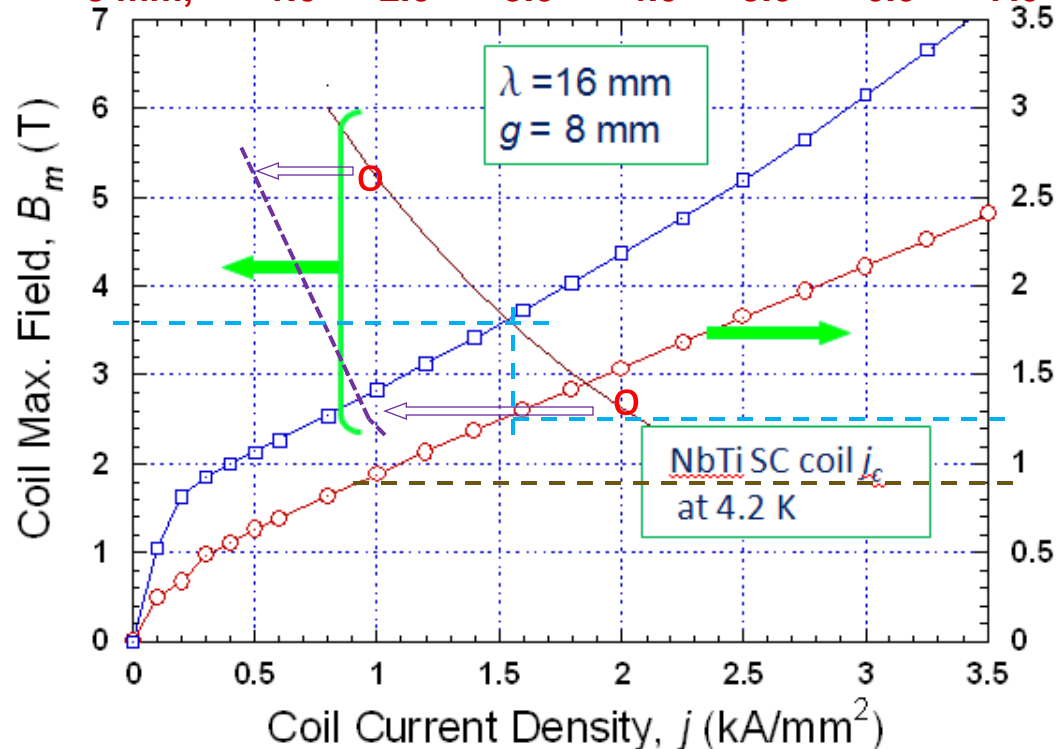


- Off-axis field components follow the  $j\lambda$  scaling within 0.1%.
- On-axis field and coil maximum field for the two periods follow the  $j\lambda$  scaling.
- When the off-axis field components are normalized to the on-axis fields for the steel poles and air poles, the field components follow the  $j\lambda$  scaling for  $r < 3 \text{ mm}$ .

# How to use the $j \bullet$ scaling law and why it is so difficult with “short-period” planar and helical SCUs



- = 20 mm, 0.4 0.8 1.2 1.6 2.0 2.4 2.8
- = 8 mm, 1.0 2.0 3.0 4.0 5.0 6.0 7.0



an example:

Scale from ●=16 to ●= 8 mm

- $B_m = 3.6 T, j_c = 1.55$  (@  $\lambda = 16$ )
- $B_0 = 1.25, K = 1.868$  (@  $\lambda = 16$ )
- $j\lambda \rightarrow (2j)(\lambda/2)$ : same  $B_m, B_0$  data
- $K \rightarrow 0.5K$  (1.868  $\rightarrow$  0.934)
- $g \rightarrow 0.5g$  (8 mm  $\rightarrow$  4 mm)
- $j_c(\text{SC})\text{-curve} \rightarrow$  not  $2j_c(\text{SC})\text{-curve}$
- $j_c = 1.55 \rightarrow 1.8, B_0 = 1.25 \rightarrow 0.9 T$
- $K = 0.934 \rightarrow 0.672$
- $B_0(g_1) = (B_0)\exp\{-\pi(g_1-4)/8\}$
- $B_0(6 \text{ mm}) = 0.41 T$
- New  $K = 0.305$
- All at NbTi  $j_c$  at 4.2 K.

▪ Don't be discouraged. If you increase the period from 16 to only 20 mm, there will be big rewards!

# Summary

- The derived analytical expressions of  $B_0$  for planar and helical undulators show that, when length dimensions are scaled according to a period ratio, the field remain unchanged for a constant  $j_0\lambda_0 = j_n\lambda_n$ .
- The  $j\lambda$  scaling law extends to the distributions of the flux density and permeability for the whole region of SCUs with nonlinear poles and yokes.
- With one data set for  $B_0$  and  $B_m$ ,  $B_0$  for different periods may be calculated.
  - $B_0$  dependence on coil dimension is insignificant.
- For  $g/\lambda > 0.15$ , the peak field varies as 
$$B_0\left(\frac{g}{\lambda}\right) = B_0\left(\frac{g_1}{\lambda}\right) \exp\left[-\pi\left(\frac{g}{\lambda} - \frac{g_1}{\lambda}\right)\right]$$
- As an example for using the  $j\lambda$  scaling law, it was shown why achieving a “required”  $B_0$  for a “shorter period” is an issue.

