

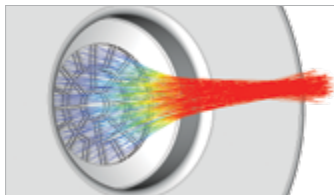
CHARGED PARTICLE SIMULATION

CST PARTICLE STUDIO® (CST PS) is a specialist tool for the fast and accurate 3D analysis of charged particle dynamics in 3D electromagnetic fields. As a member of CST STUDIO SUITE®, CST PS is fully integrated in the CST design environment, taking advantage of the standard-raising user interface as well as the solver technology of our multi-purpose electromagnetic modules CST MICROWAVE STUDIO® (CST MWS) and CST EM STUDIO® (CST EMS). CST PS is based on the knowledge, research and development that went into the algorithms used in the MAFIA-4 simulation package.

CST PARTICLE STUDIO® features 3 modules:

- TRK (particle tracking and DC gun simulation including space charge)
- PIC (self-consistent transient particle-in-cell simulation)
- WAK (wakefield simulation)

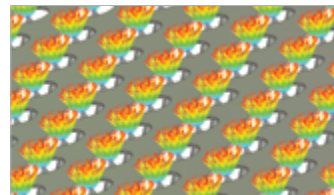
TRK – PARTICLE TRACKING AND ELECTRON GUN DESIGN



Gridded gun analysis

EMISSION MODELS

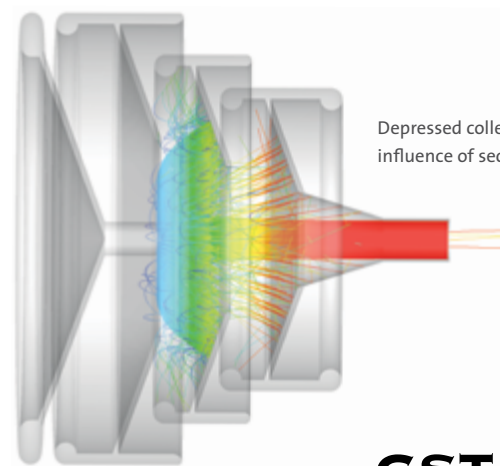
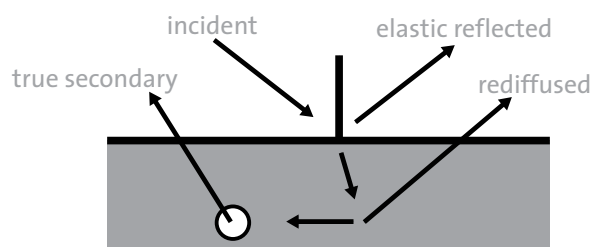
- Fixed
- Space charge limited
- Thermionic
- Field emission
- Secondary emission



Particle trajectory on top of a Spindt type field emitter array

SECONDARY EMISSION MODEL

- Furman model (incl. elastic reflected, rediffused and true secondary particles)
- Vaughan's model for the secondary emission yield
- Import of secondary electron emission yield vs. particle energy from measurement data
- Analysis of absorbed power and current
- Multipaction (observation of increase in particles versus time)

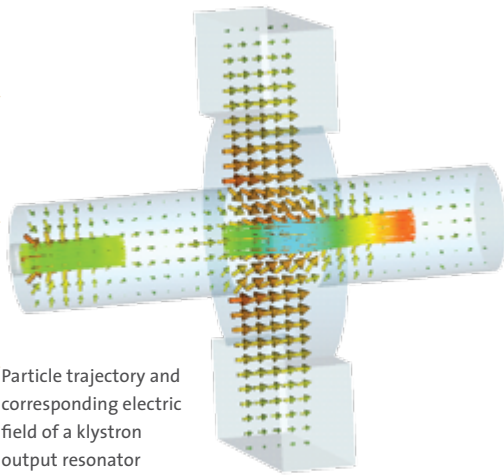


Depressed collector simulation under the influence of secondary electron emission



CHANGING THE STANDARDS

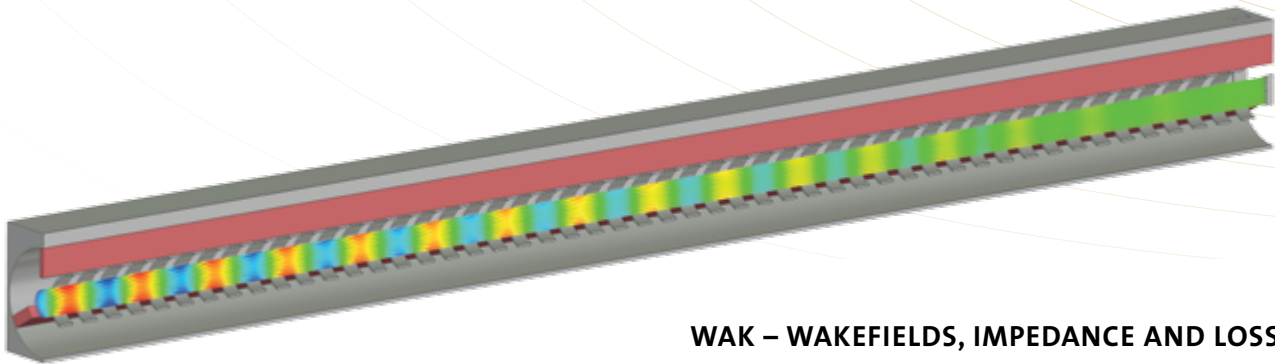
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Particle trajectory and corresponding electric field of a klystron output resonator

PIC – DESIGN OF MICROWAVE TUBES

- DC emission
- Emission of Gaussian bunch series
- Explosive emission
- GUN/PIC interface for realistic beam input created by an electron gun
- User defined particle source via ASCII interface
- Support of all CST MWS time domain solver features including:
 - dispersive materials
 - lossy metals
 - discrete ports
 - waveguide ports
- Direct output signal monitoring
- Grid and metallic foil models (including energy dependency)
- Multipacting stopping criterion
- GPU computing



Particle trajectory inside the traveling wave tube (TWT). The velocity modulation of the particles is shown by the different colours

WAK – WAKEFIELDS, IMPEDANCE AND LOSS FACTOR

- Automatic calculation of wakefields and loss factor
- Direct and indirect integration schemes for obtaining the wakefield
- Resistive wake: considers surface losses
- Special beam boundary operator, even for non-relativistic beams ($v < c$)
- Direct output signal monitoring
- Wakefield postprocessor for user-defined sampling
- Cluster computing

GENERAL FEATURES OF CST PARTICLE STUDIO

- Integrated in the CST design environment
 - Intuitive parametric 3D modelling
 - 64 bit support
 - VBA compatible macro language
 - Powerful user-definable postprocessing
- PERFECT BOUNDARY APPROXIMATION (PBA)[®]
- Intuitive magnet design (solenoid / permanent magnet)
- Particle monitoring and emittance calculation
- Import of external magnetic fields
- Eigenmode solver for accurate cavity analysis
- Shunt impedance, R/Q, and a transit time factor
- Periodic boundaries and mode dispersion diagrams
- Co-simulation with thermal solver

