

LEBT Beam Focusing Simulations

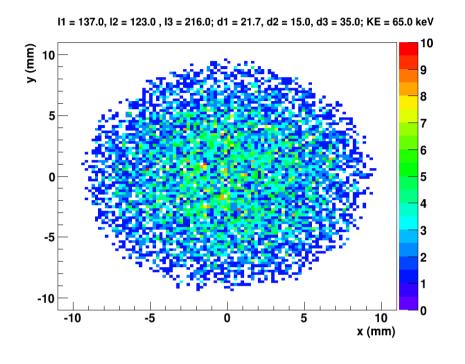
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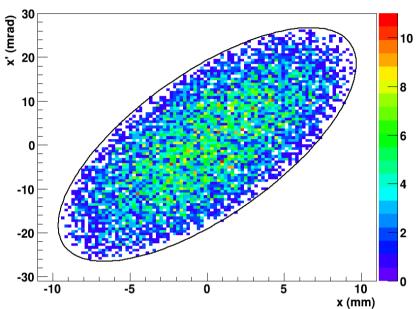
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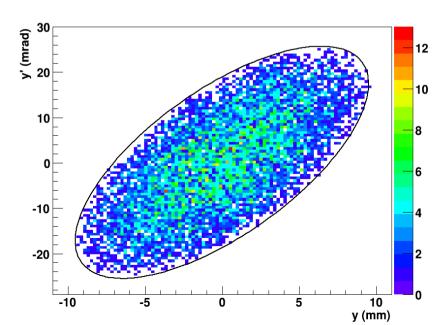
Introduction

- GPT simulations of LEBT beam focusing
 - 65 keV beam, 5 mA space charge, 10k events
 - initial beam Twiss parameters from (old) pepperpot data
- Systematic variation of (the 3) solenoid currents
 - Investigate allowed current ranges to get optimal beam focusing for RFQ acceptance
 - Choose I_1 , vary I_2 and I_3 in 10 A steps ($I_{max} = 250 \text{ A}$)
 - Focal length = final drift length where beam fraction inside RFQ acceptance ellipse is largest
 - Other drift lengths kept fixed $(d_1 = 21.7 \text{cm}, d_2 = 15 \text{cm}, d_3 = 35 \text{cm})$
- 2D histograms for main results:
 - $_{-}$ RFQ fraction & focal length as a function of $I_{_3}$ vs $I_{_2}$ for given $I_{_1}$

Assumed initial beam distribution







Region = Start

$$<$$
x> = 0.02 mm, $<$ x'> = 0.08 mrad

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y $>$ = -0.02 mm, $<$ y $'$ > = 0.10 mrad

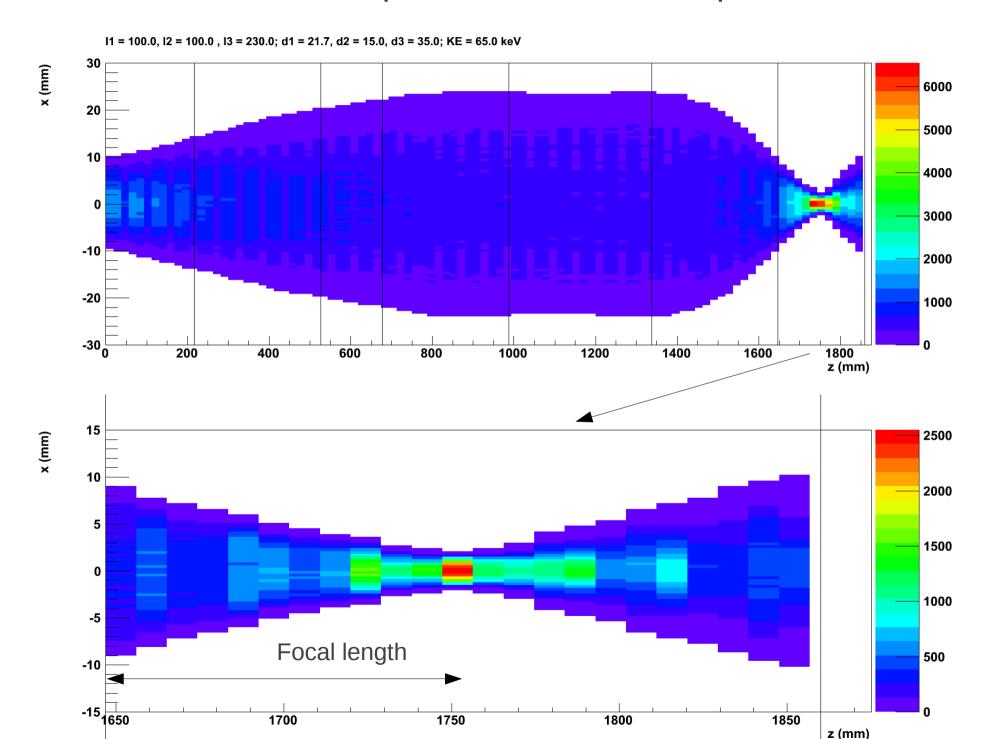
$$\alpha_x = -0.96, \ \beta_x = 0.50, \ \gamma_x = 3.82; \ (1 + \alpha_x^2)/\beta_x = 3.82$$

$$\alpha_{y}$$
 = -0.92, β_{y} = 0.50, γ_{y} = 3.66; (1 + α_{y}^{2})/ β_{y} = 3.66

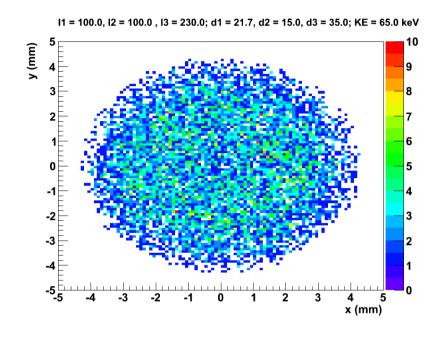
$$\epsilon_{x} = 185.78$$
, Norm $\epsilon_{x} = 2.19$, Norm rms $\epsilon_{x} = 0.36$

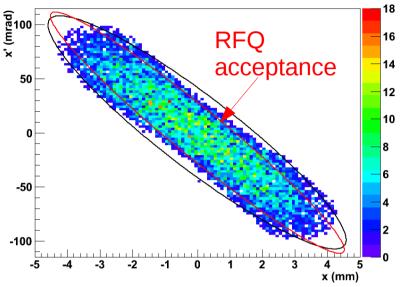
$$\epsilon_{y}$$
 = 179.15, Norm ϵ_{y} = 2.11, Norm rms ϵ_{y} = 0.35

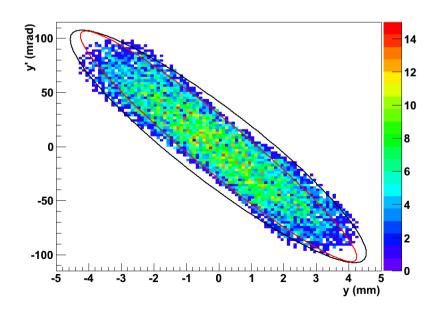
Example beam x-z envelope



Example "optimal" beam emittance at end of LEBT

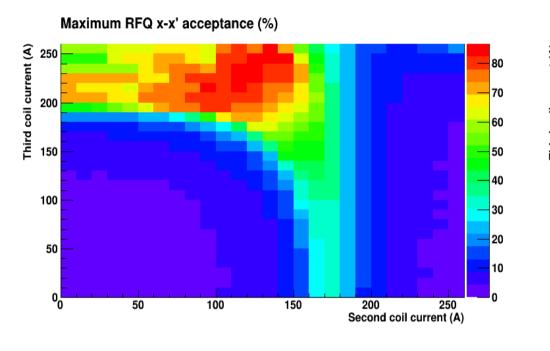






Region = 60 mm from start of drift 4 $\langle x \rangle = -0.01$ mm, $\langle x' \rangle = 0.35$ mrad $\langle y \rangle = -0.01$ mm, $\langle y' \rangle = 0.02$ mrad $\alpha_x = 2.39$, $\beta_x = 0.11$, $\gamma_x = 60.93$; $(1 + \alpha_x^2)/\beta_x = 60.93$ $\alpha_y = 2.36$, $\beta_y = 0.11$, $\gamma_y = 60.71$; $(1 + \alpha_y^2)/\beta_y = 60.71$ $\epsilon_x = 190.86$, Norm $\epsilon_x = 2.25$, Norm rms $\epsilon_x = 0.37$ $\epsilon_y = 190.32$, Norm $\epsilon_y = 2.24$, Norm rms $\epsilon_y = 0.37$ RFQ x fraction = 83.16 %, y fraction = 85.30 %

$$I_{1} = 0 A$$



Maximum RFQ y-y' acceptance (%)

80

70

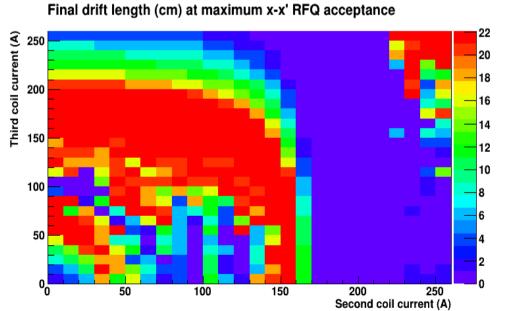
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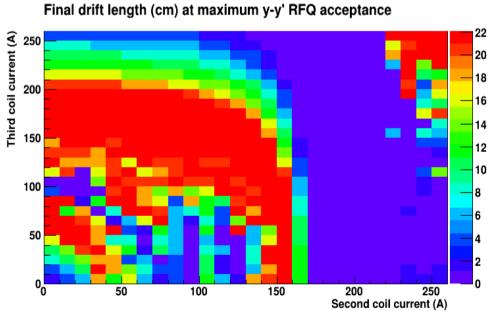
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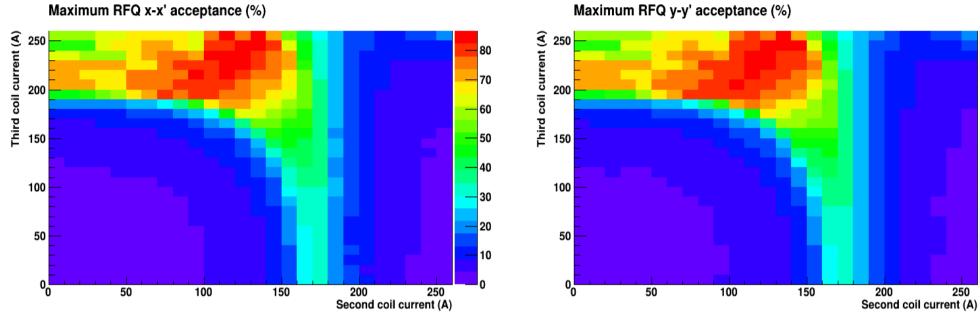
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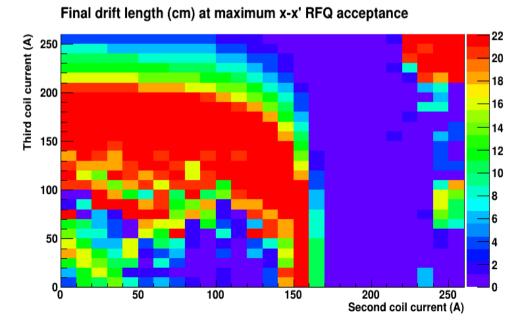
Second coil current (A)

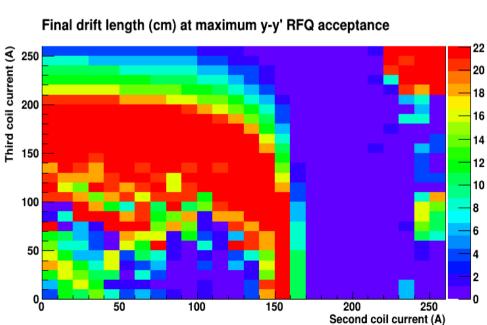




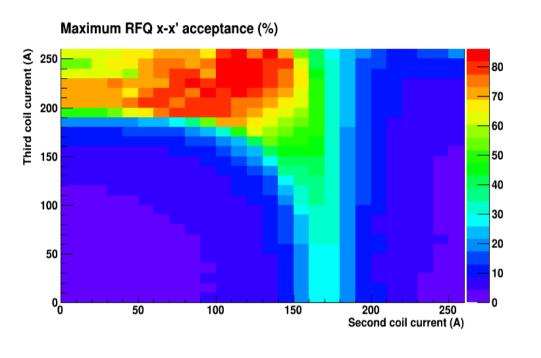
$I_{1} = 25 A$

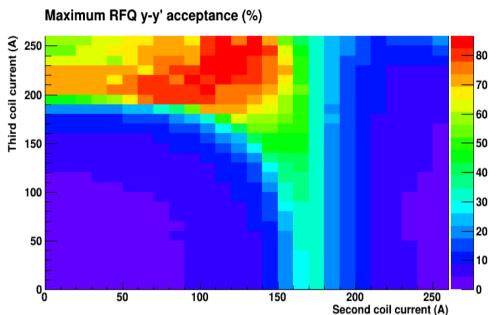


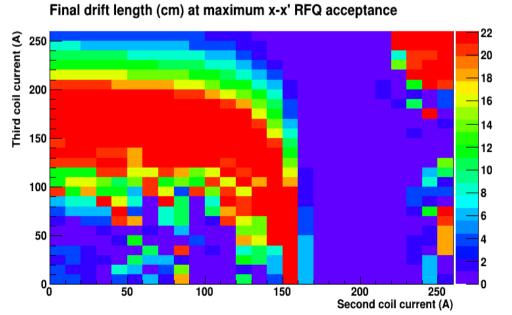


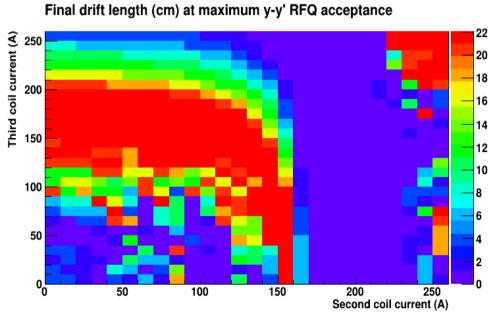


$I_{1} = 50 \text{ A}$

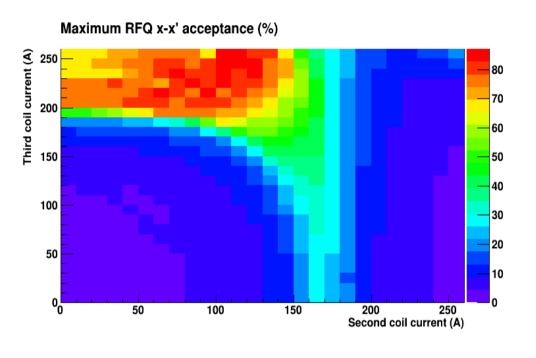


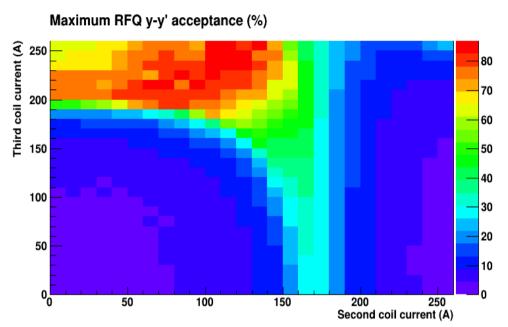


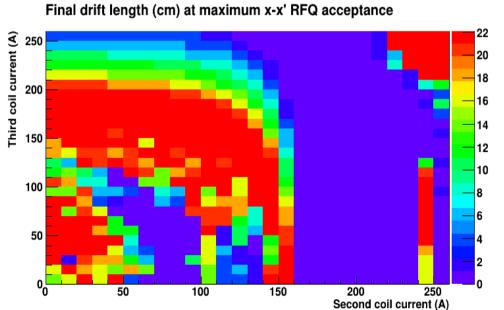


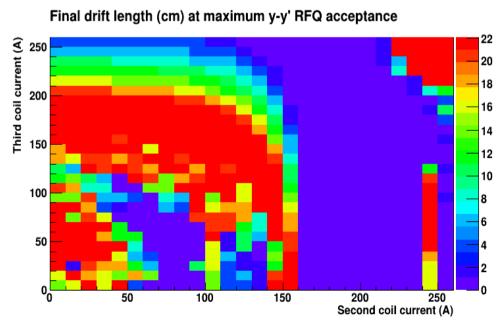


$I_{1} = 75 A$

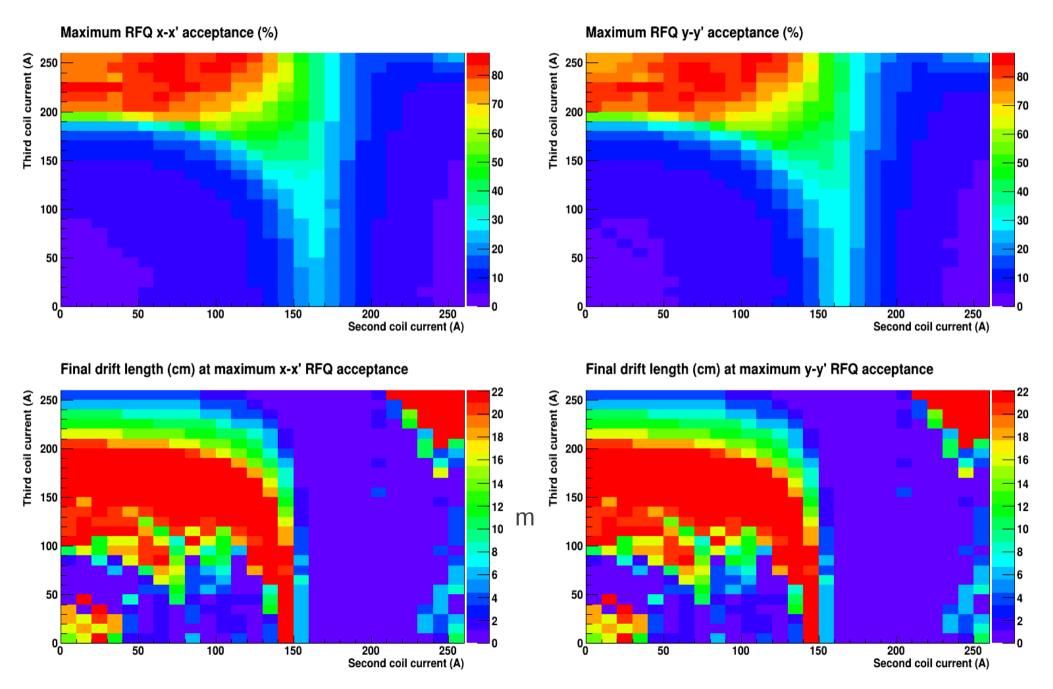




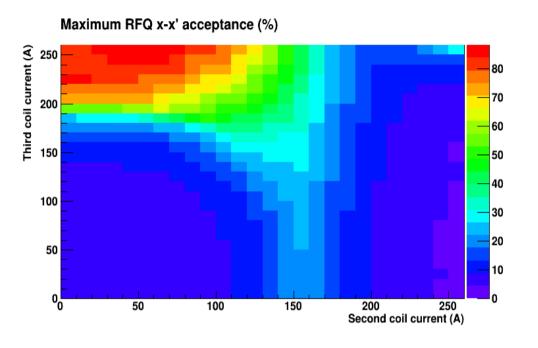


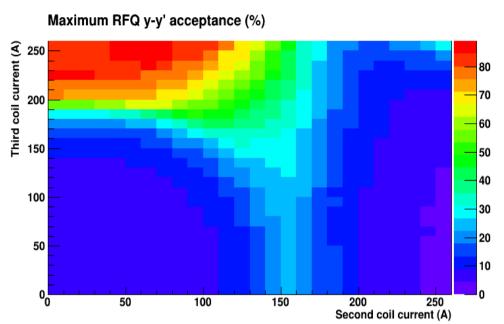


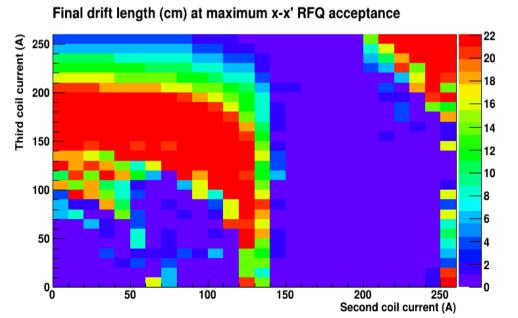
$I_1 = 100 A$

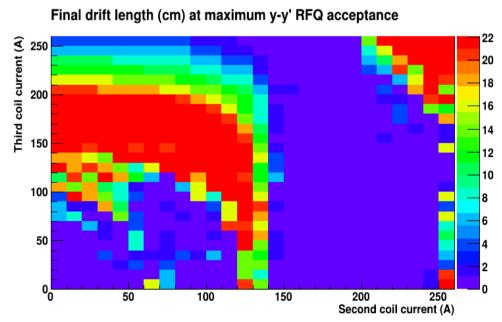


$I_{1} = 125 A$

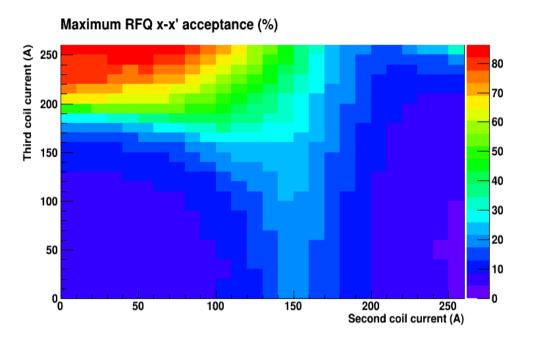


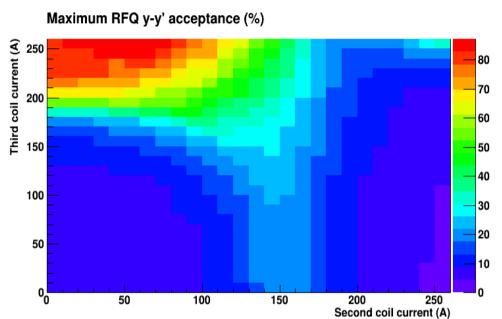


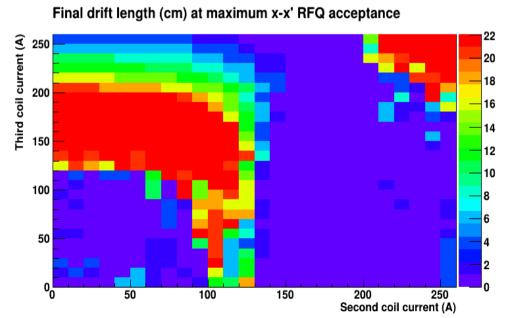


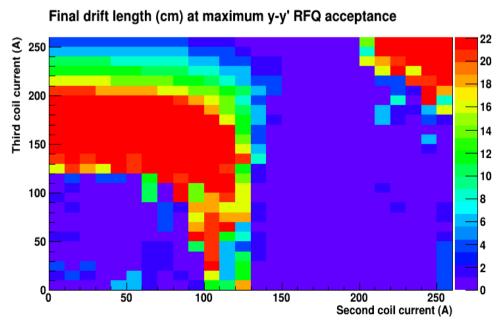


$I_{1} = 137 A$

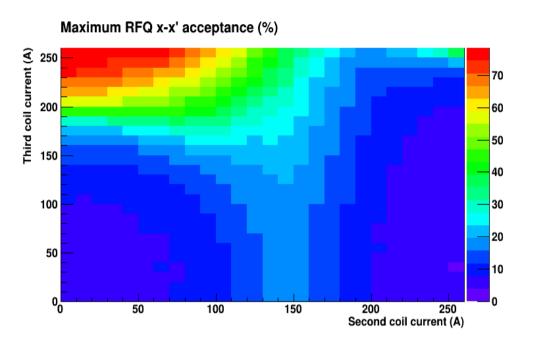


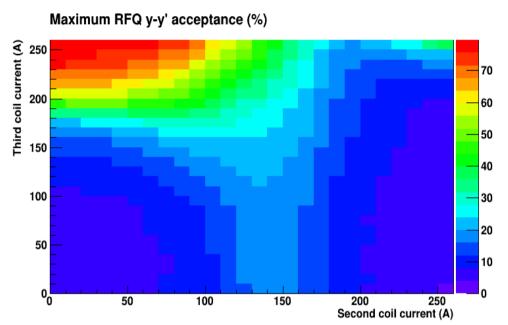


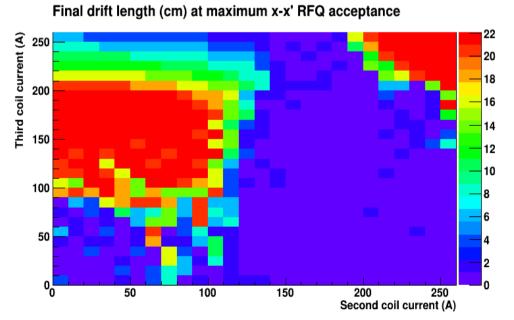


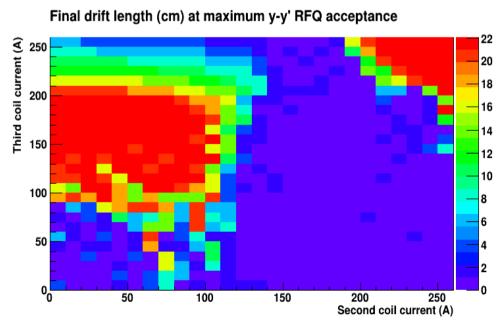


$I_{1} = 150 A$

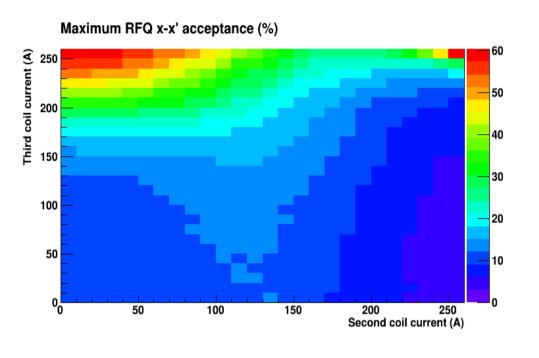


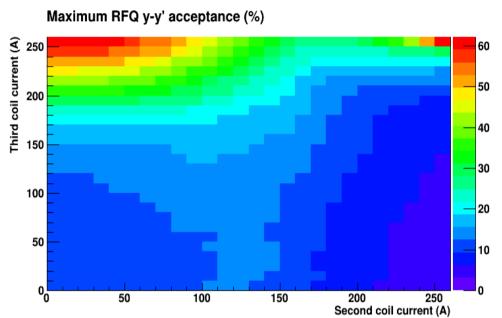


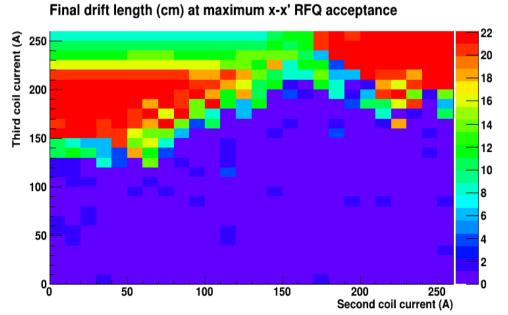


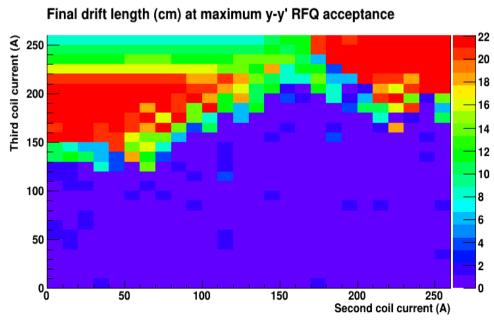


$I_{1} = 175 A$

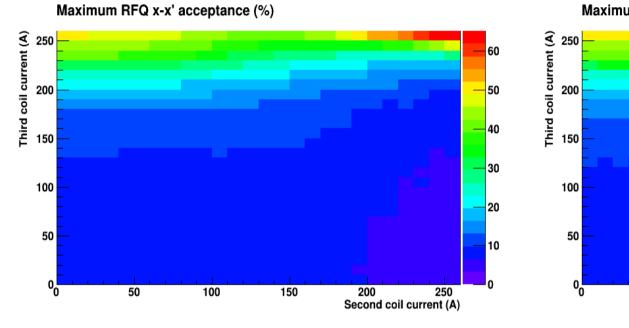


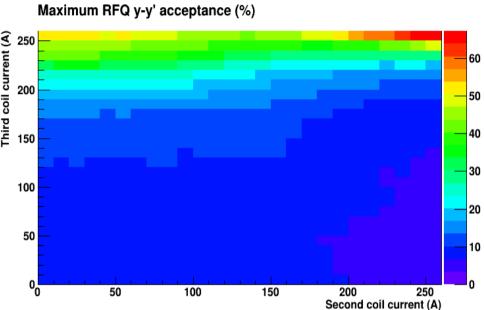


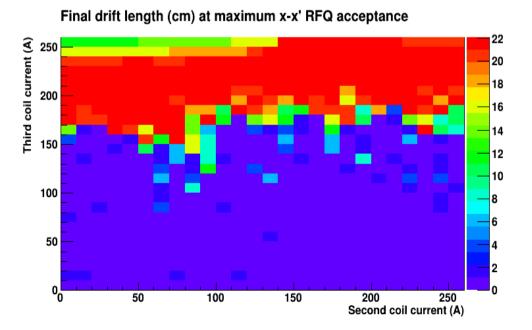


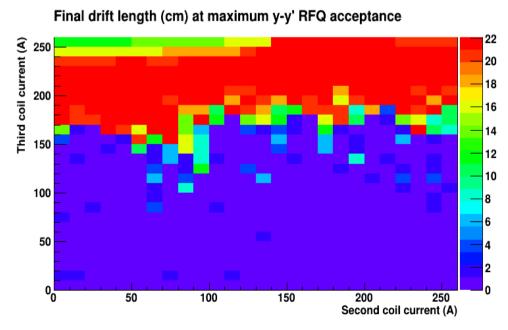


$I_1 = 200 A$









Solenoid currents range

I ₁ (A)	I ₂ (A)	I ₃ (A)	RFQ eff (%)	Focus length (cm)
0	50 – 140	190 – 240	75 - 85	4 - >22
25	50 – 140	190 – 240	75 – 85	4 - >22
50	40 – 140	190 – 240	75 – 85	4 - >22
75	0 – 120	200 – 250	75 – 86	4 – 22
100	0 – 120	200 – 250	75 – 87	4 – 20
125	0 - 100	210 – 250	76 – 88	4 – 16
137	0 – 80	220 – 250	77 – 86	4 – 12
150	0 - 50	240 – 250	77 – 78	4 – 8
175	0 – 70	230 – 250	50 – 60	8 – 12
200	200 – 250	250	53 – 65	20 -> 22

 $I_1 \gtrsim 175 \, A$ gives over-focusing of the beam inside LEBT

 $[\]Rightarrow$ high I₂ & I₃ needed to focus beam again