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Abstract

The lattice of the Accumulator Ring is described in reference [1]. It is a ring with threefold periodicity and internal symmetry. The choice of the size, shape and focussing is also discussed in the same reference. For convenience, we report in Table 1 a list of the major parameters and the plot of the lattice functions in Figure 1. The lattice is made of 18 FODO cells of which 6 do not include bending magnets. The reference working point requires only two families of quadrupoles, QF and QD. In this report we explore the capability of tuning of such lattice, and we make other considerations which are related.

The Tunability Range

The tuning of the lattice is essentially determined by two sets of quadrupoles QF and QD. Considering the small size of the ring and the relatively few bending magnets, there is also a considerable focussing action on the horizontal plane from the curvature in the magnets, which are sector shaped and thus do not introduce any effect on the vertical plane. We begin by neglecting the presence of the bending magnets and explore the tunability range of the lattice assuming that it is simply made of 18 regular FODO cells. The tunability range is displayed in Figure 2. To tune the ring one acts on the gradients G_F and G_D of the two sets of regular quadrupoles. In Figure 2 we adopt the focussing parameters $K_{F,D} = G_{F,D} / B\rho$, where $B\rho$ is the magnetic rigidity. The operating point is marked with a black circle. It is seen that the range of betatron tunes extends between 0 and 9. The upper limit corresponds to a phase advance of 180° per cell, which is well known to be the boundary of stability. Obviously, since bending magnets have been here ignored, the periodicity of the lattice is actually 18 and all the FODO cells behave identically.

Next we estimate the tunability range in the presence of the bending magnets. Again we varied the gradient G_F and G_D of the quadrupoles. The result is also shown in Figure 2. The range has a lesser extend when compared to the previous case, but the range of betatron tunes that it is possible to reach is still unchanged in the vertical plane, where $Q_V = 0$ to 9, but in the horizontal plane the horizontal range is limited $Q_H = 0$ to 7. Indeed the bending magnets have no focussing effect on the vertical plane but introduce a substantial contribution in the horizontal plane, where the focussing periodicity is now 3 and no more 18 as it is still in the vertical plane.

Within the range of tunability determined lastly, in the presence of bending magnets, the

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behavior of the dispersion around the ring varies and deviates considerably from the requirements. In order to preserve the required behavior of the dispersion in the arcs, we explored the range of tunability of the ring by varying only those quadrupoles QF1 and QD1 in the long straights as shown in Figure 1. As expected, the tunability range is even narrower. Also in the vertical plane the periodicity is now down to 3. Moreover, four families of quadrupoles are now in place, of which two (QF and QD) stay unchanged and the other two (QF1 and QD1) vary. This creates within a period a large variation of the β function and thus a reduced range of stability. In terms of betatron tunes the values that it is possible to reach, without losing stability, is only between 3 and 4.5 for both planes. The tunability range for this mode of operation is also shown in Figure 2.

Table 1: NSNS Accumulator Ring

Kinetic Energy	1.0 GeV
Magnetic Rigidity	5.657 T m
Circumference	208.558 m
Periodicity	3 w/ mirror symmetry
Structure	18 FODO Cells
β_{\max}	24.0 m
η_{\max}	7.95 m
Betatron Tunes, H/V	3.82 / 3.78
Transition Energy, γ_T	3.422
Natural Chromaticity, H/V	-0.928 / -0.958
Dipole, Field	9.874 kG
Length	1.5 m
QF, gradient	0.209 kG / cm
QD, gradient	0.237 kG / cm
Quadrupole length	0.5 m

Location of Resonance Lines

In order to determine good locations of the operation tunes, we need to explore the tune diagram (Q_H , Q_V), and scan the presence of resonance lines that may be caused by systematic (thick solid lines) and random (thin dashed lines) magnetic imperfections and misalignments. The tune diagrams are displayed in Figures 3 to 6. The reference operating point is noted with a black dot, and it corresponds to zero space charge. The region covered by the necktie corresponds to the

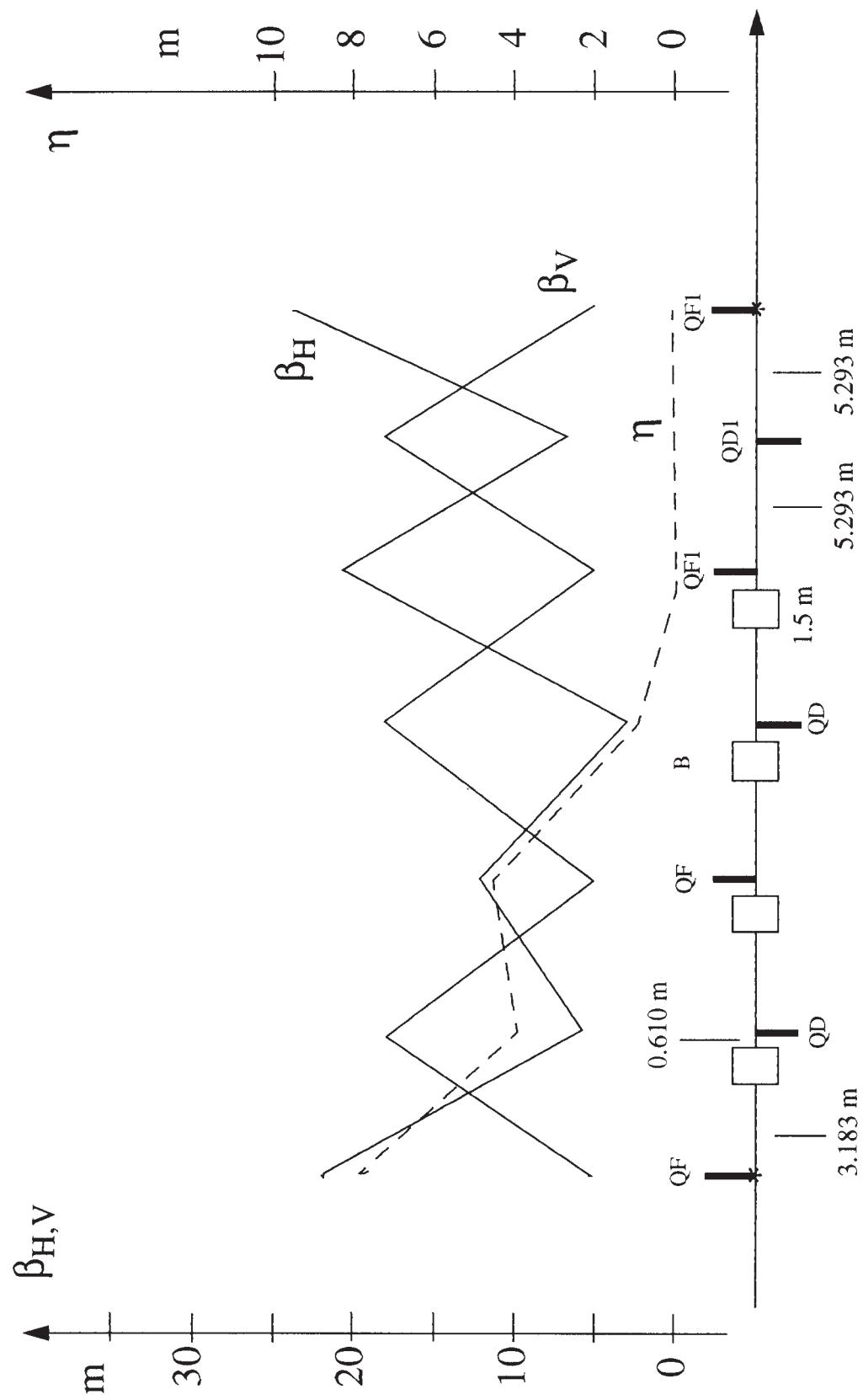


Figure 1. Half-Period Lattice Functions and Structure

range of betatron tunes that the beam is expected to occupy in the presence of space charge, with a maximum tune depression of 0.2.

It is seen that the range of betatron tunes occupied by the beam during storage, assuming the reference working tunes shown in Table 1, is crossed by one systematic second-order resonance $Q_H - Q_V = 0$, and by four fourth-order systematic resonances: $2Q_H - 2Q_V = 0$, $2Q_H + 2Q_V = 15$, $3Q_H + Q_V = 15$, and $Q_H + 3Q_V = 15$. There are also four third-order random resonances, of which two can be excited by regular sextupolar field errors, and the other two by skewed sextupole field errors. The linear coupling resonance can be caused by systematic and random skew quadrupole errors. The second-order coupling resonances can be caused by systematic and random regular octupole field errors, as well by the space-charge forces. These resonances do not cause beam losses, but a thermalization of the two transverse betatron emittances, since the following condition applies $\epsilon_H + \epsilon_V = \text{constant}$. This condition can actually be beneficial since ultimately it will make easier beam “painting” during injection, by allowing energy transfer from one plane of oscillation to the other. Nevertheless, because of the proximity of the two values of betatron tunes, there may be operation difficulty especially when trying measuring their values. This effect is reduced by splitting the two betatron tunes enough apart. The resonance $2Q_H + 2Q_V = 15$ is

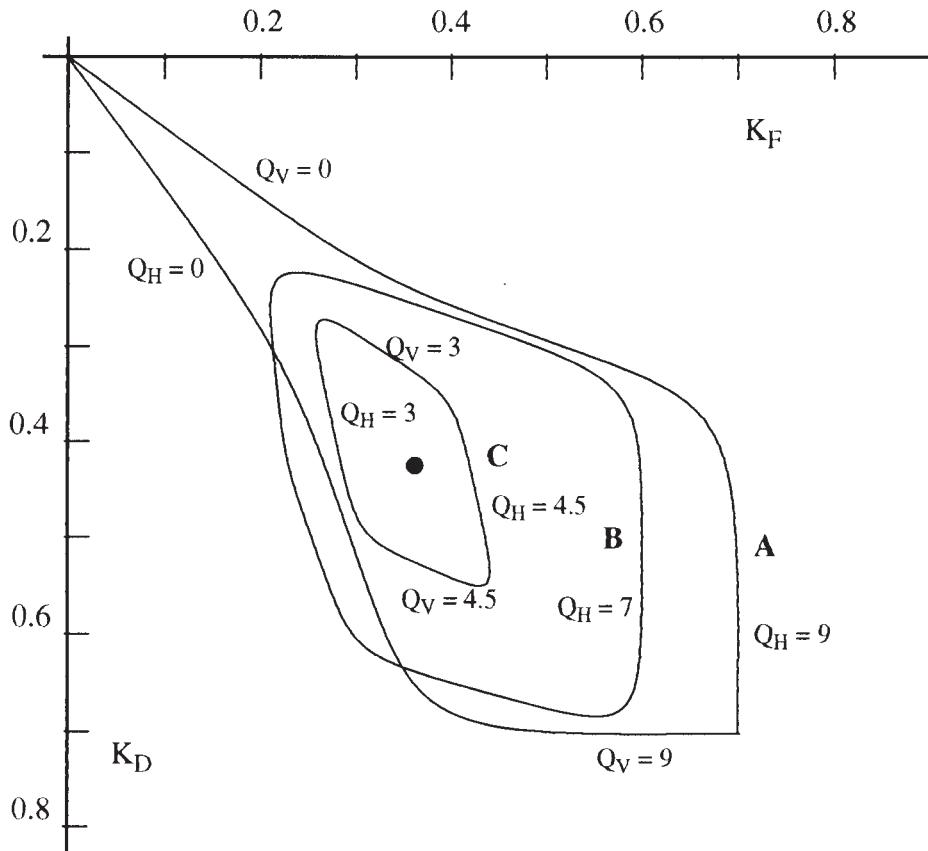


Figure 2. Tunability Range in the K_F , K_D plane (in m^{-2})

- A. 18 FODO Cells without bending magnets
- B. Bending magnets included
- C. Tuning only with QF1 and QD1 in the insertions

driven by the space-charge forces and may lead to beam losses, and should thus be avoided. Space-charge forces cannot drive the skew resonances $3Q_H + Q_V = 15$ and $Q_H + 3Q_V = 15$, which can be driven only by external skewed octupole field errors. It is not clear whether the other fourth order resonances $4Q_H = 15$ and $4Q_V = 15$, when they are driven by space-charge or by external forces, can have any adverse effect on the beam.

A Higher-Tune Lattice

To avoid the presence and crossing of the fourth order systematic resonances, it was judged more prudent to move the operating tunes away and toward larger values. The case of $Q_H = 4.23$ and $Q_V = 4.27$ has therefore been considered. This case will also reduce the growth rate of potential transverse resistive-wall instability by a factor of two compared to the reference case. The new operating tunes are shown in Figure 6. It is seen that the beam tune-spread is not crossed by any systematic resonance up to and including fourth order, with the exclusion of the coupling resonance. Nevertheless some third and fourth resonances caused by random magnet field imperfections are in the proximity, but they are not expected to cause excessive disturbance, and should be easily controlled eventually by some external multiple field correctors. This also proves the tunability of the lattice of the Accumulator Ring as originally proposed in [1]. The location and size of the magnets are of course unchanged. The only changes apply to the gradients of the quadrupoles, shown in Table 2 together to new global lattice parameters. The envelope and dispersion functions are shown in Figure 7. It is seen that the dispersion is unchanged. Also the behavior of the vertical envelope function β_V is regular and unchanged. On the other end, the horizontal envelope function β_H is somewhat distorted, which is expected since a change of the betatron tunes has to be compensated by a change of the amplitude functions. The distortion is nevertheless modest and does not have consequences to the magnet size or to the injection insertion.

Table 2: Parameters for the Higher-Tune Lattice

QF gradient	0.216 kG / cm
QD gradient	0.260 kG / cm
QF1 gradient	0.248 kG / cm
QD1 gradient	0.271 kG / cm
Betatron Tunes, Q_H / Q_V	4.23 / 4.27
Transition Energy, γ_T	3.40314
Natural Chromaticity, H/V	-1.085 / -0.995

References

- [1] A.G. Ruggiero, et al., "The NSNS Accumulator Ring", BNL/NSNS Technical Note No. 001, August 5, 1996, Brookhaven National Laboratory.

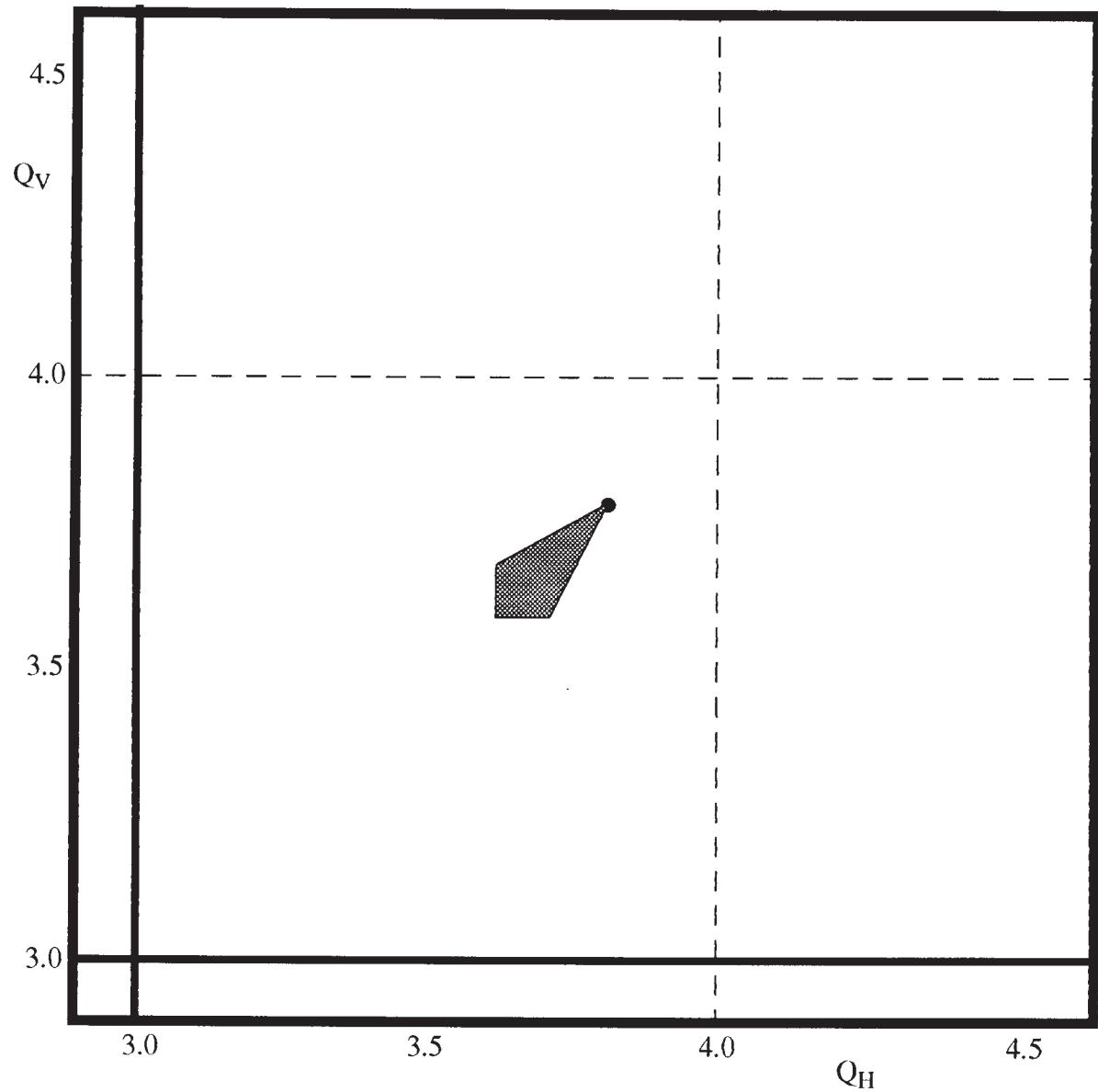


Figure 3. Tune Diagram with First-Order Resonances.

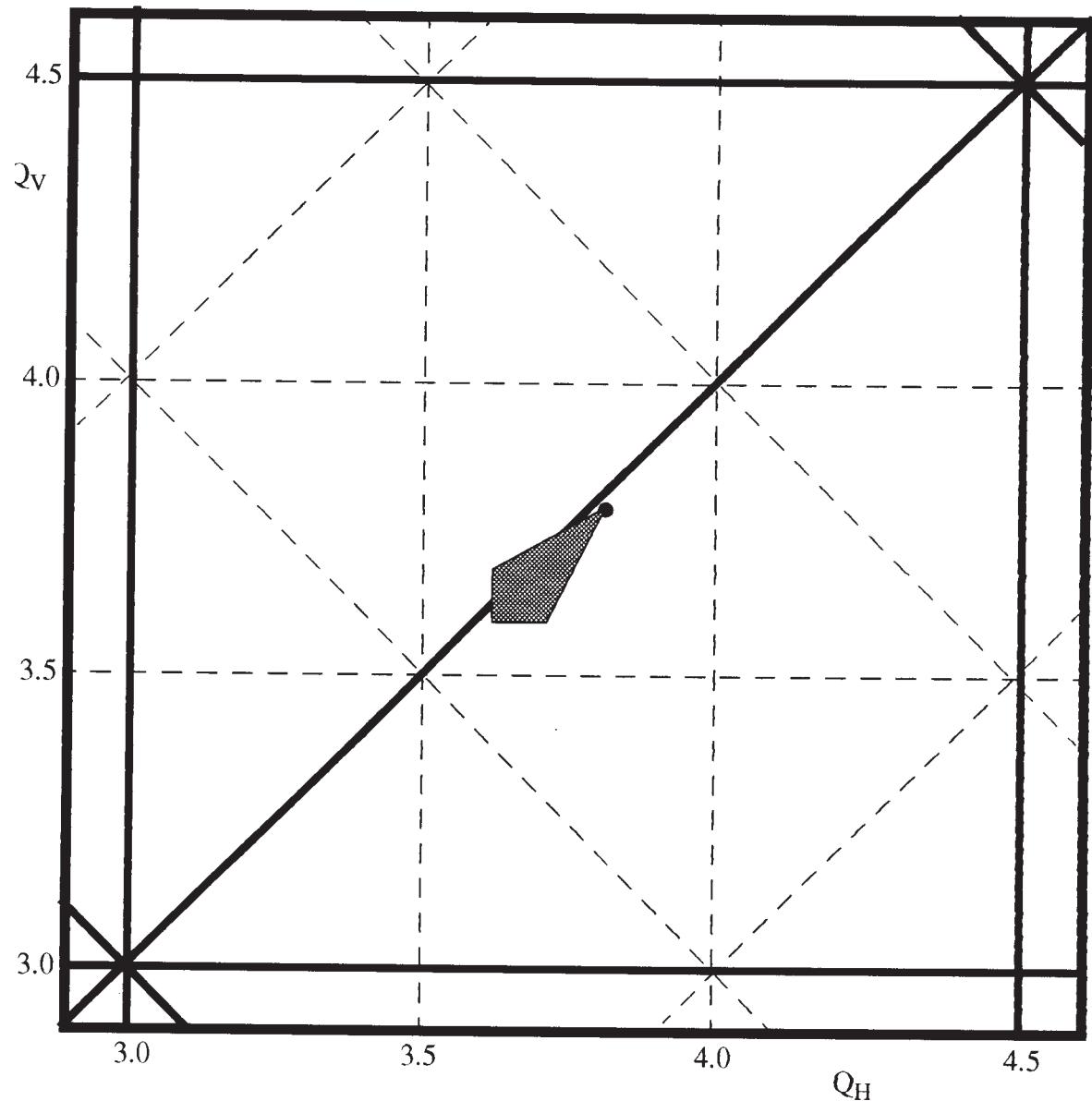


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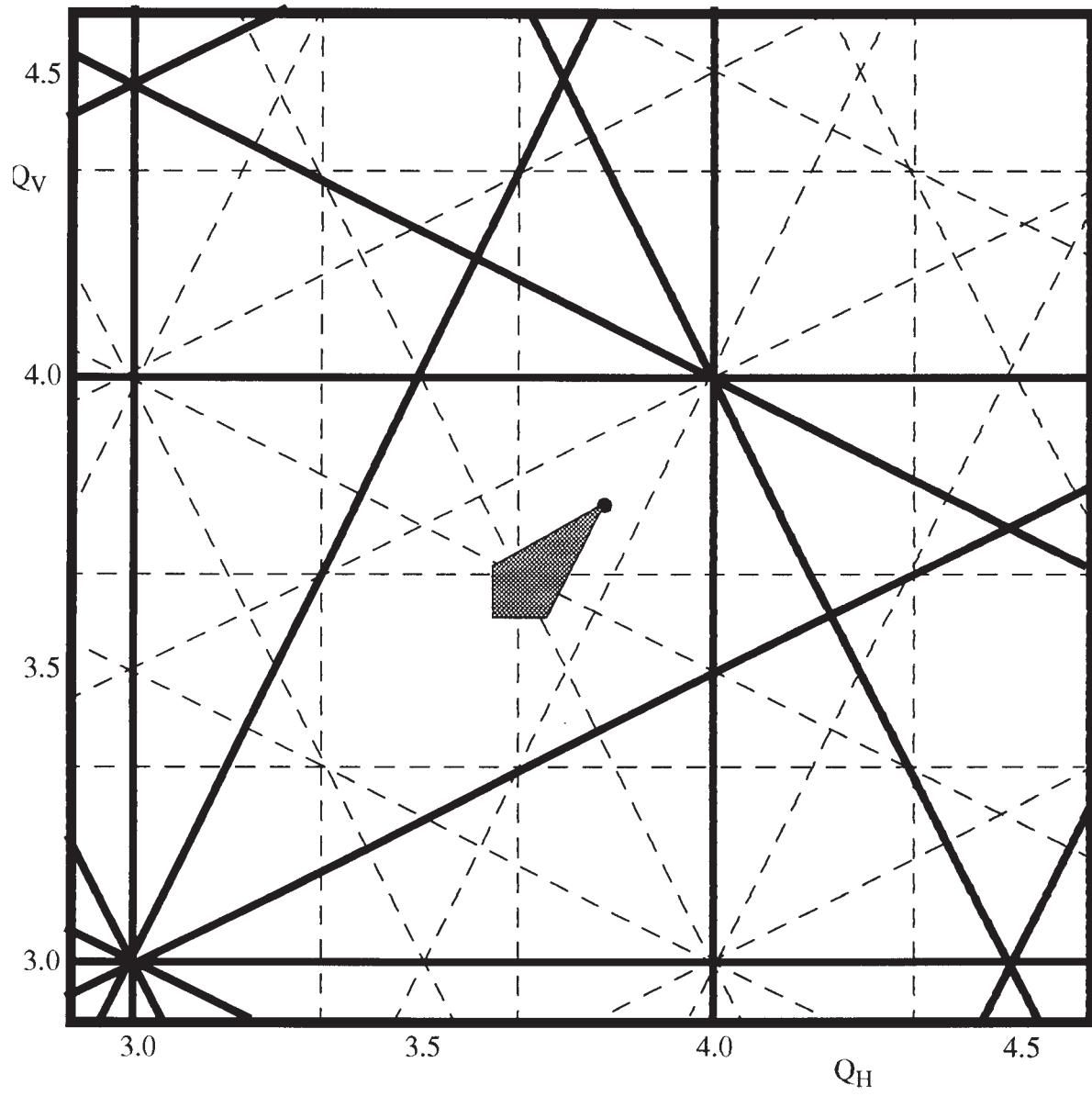


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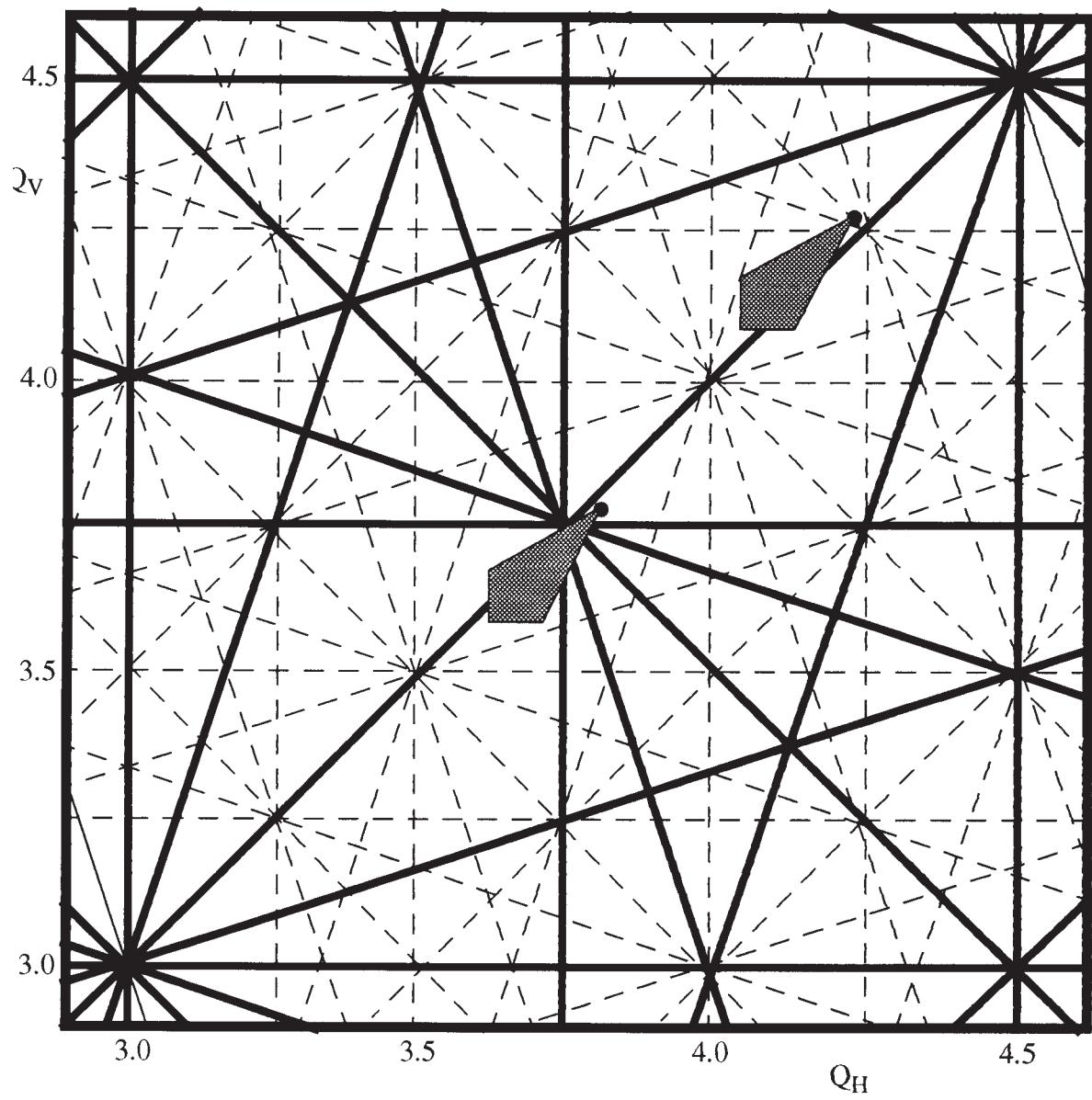


Figure 6. Tune Diagram with Fourth-Order Resonances.

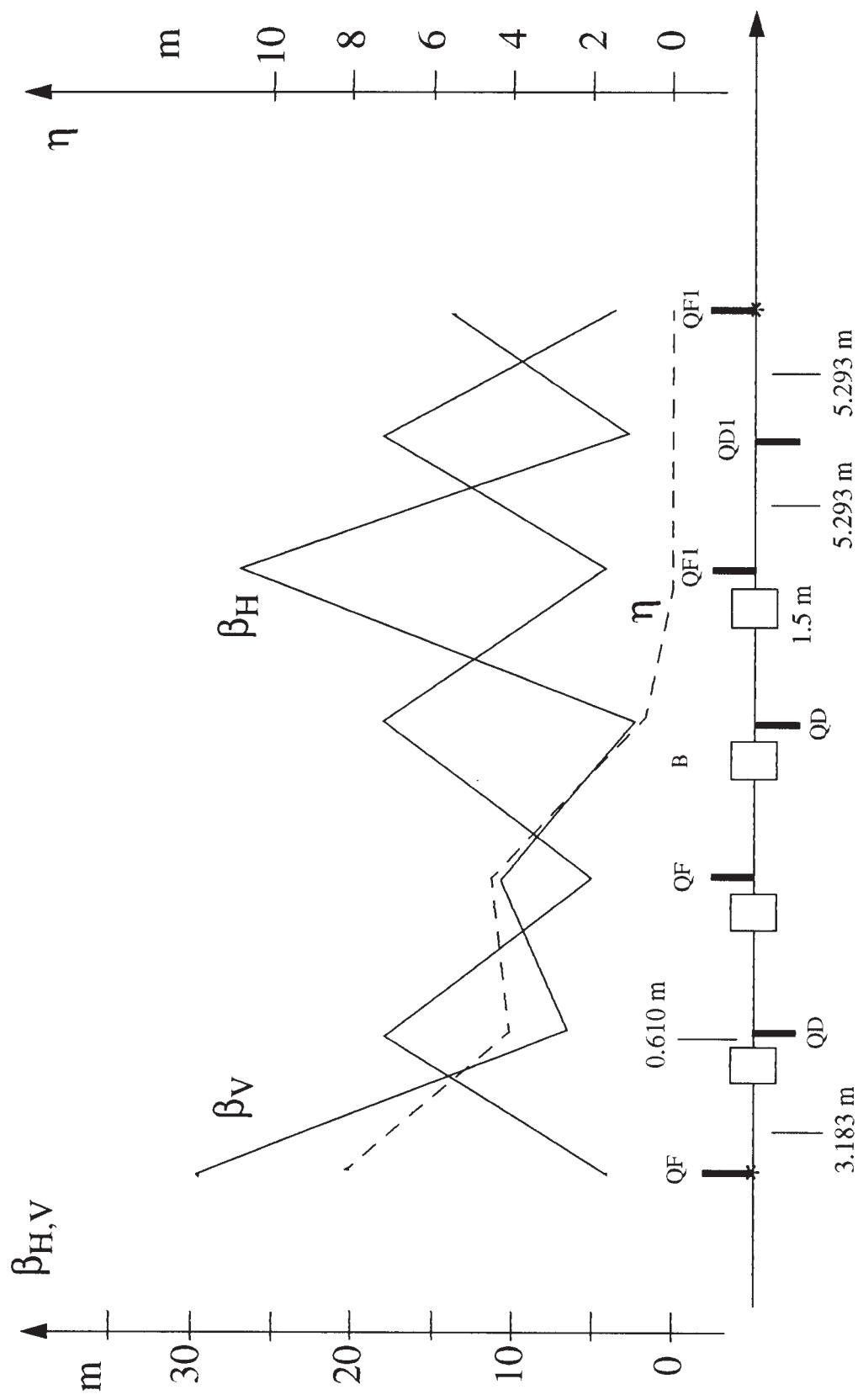


Figure 7. Half-Period Lattice Functions and Structure (Large Tunes)

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