

**Hamiltonian Treatment of the 3-dimensional Motion
in a Low Energy Linear Accelerator,**

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taken as a starting point for analytical calculations of
the particle motion in a low energy linear accelerator.

In this Hamiltonian the electromagnetic space waves
are represented as vector potentials. Also a

longitudinal focusing magnetic field is incorporated by
means of its vector potential. For an adequate

representation of the latter one has to use cartesian
coordinates. After a few canonical transformations a

final Hamiltonian is obtained that gives insight in
several physical phenomena related to the particle

motion. By the use of cartesian coordinates the
apparent increase of the transverse emittance due to the

longitudinal magnetic field is demonstrated. The
results are correct up to second order in the amplitudes

of the waves and are in agreement with other results in
literature.