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## Considerations and findings on beam vorticity dynamics

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Rotation of beams is usually quantified through its angular momentum rather than through its vorticity. However, the difference of the two transverse eigen-emittance is linked more strongly to vorticity as to angular momentum. It has been found that the dynamics of vorticity has remarkable similarity to the dynamics of the beam envelope along channels of solenoids and quadrupole triplets. Transport matrices of vorticity, corresponding phase advances and Twiss parameters look very similar and are partially even identical to their counterparts concerning envelopes. Corresponding to emittance, the quantity of vortissance, being a constant of motion, is defined. Unlike emittance, for vorticity-dominated beams, it may take imaginary values causing imaginary Twiss parameters and negative or zero phase advances along a finite beam line section.

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