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Incompatibility of FRC ‘Self-Colliding Beams’ with Classical Large Orbit Theory and Experiment BOGDAN MAGLICH, CALSEC, California Science & Engineering Corp. — Rosenbluth¹: “*One key physics issue is the behavior of very large gyro radius systems, for which the usual thermal physics is inadequate.*”- Rostoker² posited (1) 0.42 KeV d⁺ FRC can achieve confinement $\tau = 30$ s observed³ in self-colliding orbits (SCO) of 725 KeV d⁺, stabilized by magnet focusing⁴ and electrons⁵; (2) FRC result $\tau = 2 \times 10^{-3}$ s is “record long lived plasma state for advanced, aneutronic fuels”; (3) non-intersecting collision-less orbits produce nuclear reactions. (i) $B_z(r)$ of FRC is defocusing, field index $n > 0$. From single particle orbit theory^{7,8} destructive instability must occur with $\tau \leq 10^{-3}$ s. (ii) τ cannot be scaled up by ion energy increase. (iii) Luminosity in SCO³: $L \sim 10^{31} \text{ s}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-2}$; in co-revolving FRC orbits: $L = 0$ unless 2 species in same orbit, which requires $v_2/v_1 = z_1 m_1 / z_2 m_2$ and $N \tau \sim 10^{17}$ by Lawson⁹⁻¹¹. See <http://www.aneutronicfusion.org> 1. NIM271, p.1 (88); 2. PRL 70, 1818 (93); 3. PRL 54, 796 (1985); 4. PRL 29, 1590 (72); 5. PRL 70, 299 (93); 6. PRL 105, 045003-1, (10); 7. Part. Acc.1, (70); 8. AIP CP 311, 292 (93); 9. J.App.Phys.46, 2915 (75); 10. NIM A346 322 (93); 11. NIM 144, 65 (77)

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