

Bunch-Timing Measurement in the Muon Cooling Experiment

Via $\text{TE}_{0,1,n}$ RF Cavities

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Consider a $\text{TE}_{0,1,n}$ cavity of length a , height a/α and peak field parameter

$$\eta = \frac{eE_0}{m\omega c} = 0.0223,$$

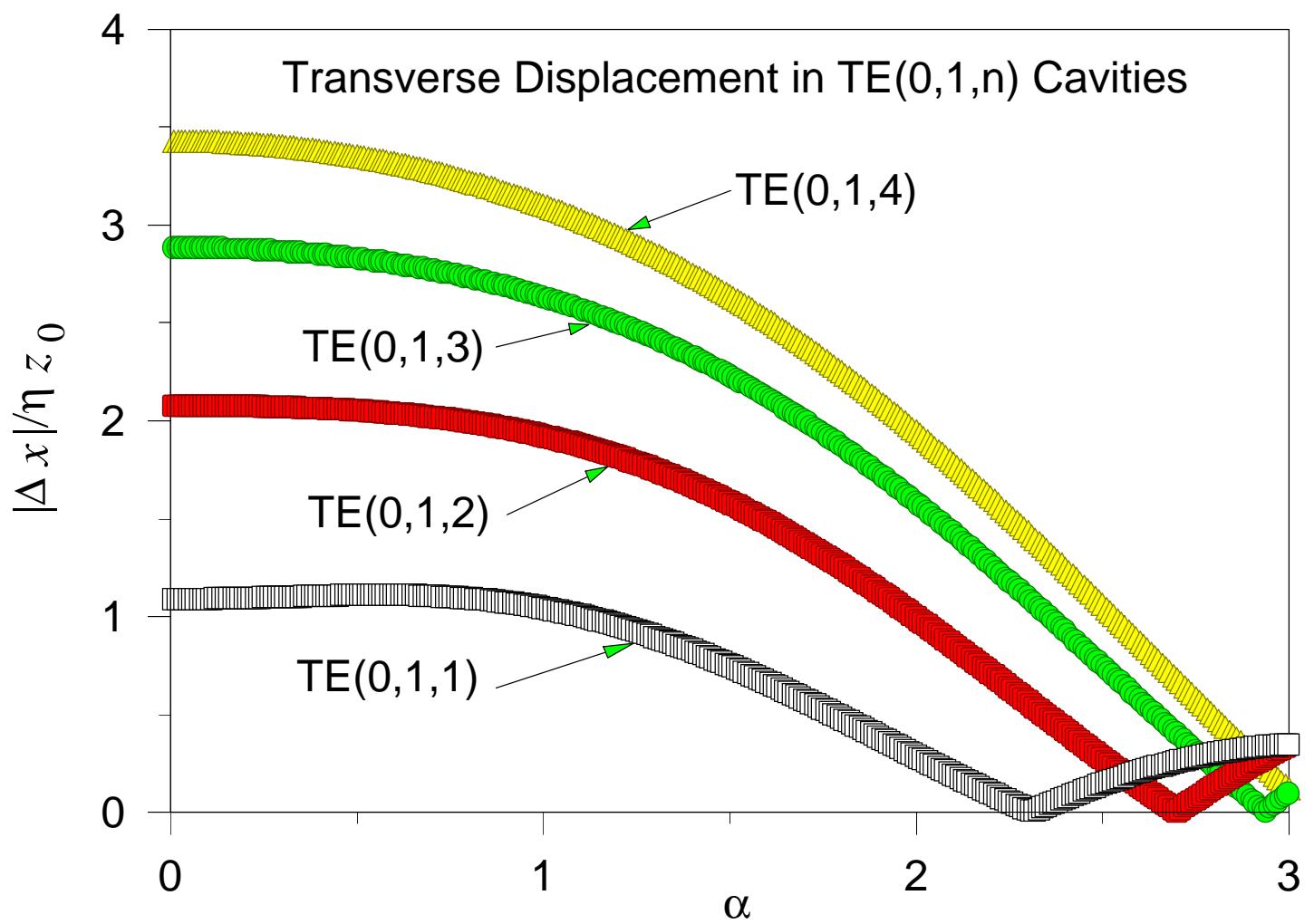
for $\omega = 2\pi 800$ MHz and $E_0 = 40$ MV/m.

Dispersion relation: $\frac{\omega}{c} = \sqrt{n^2 + \alpha^2} \frac{\pi}{a}$.

Transverse displacement across the cavity:

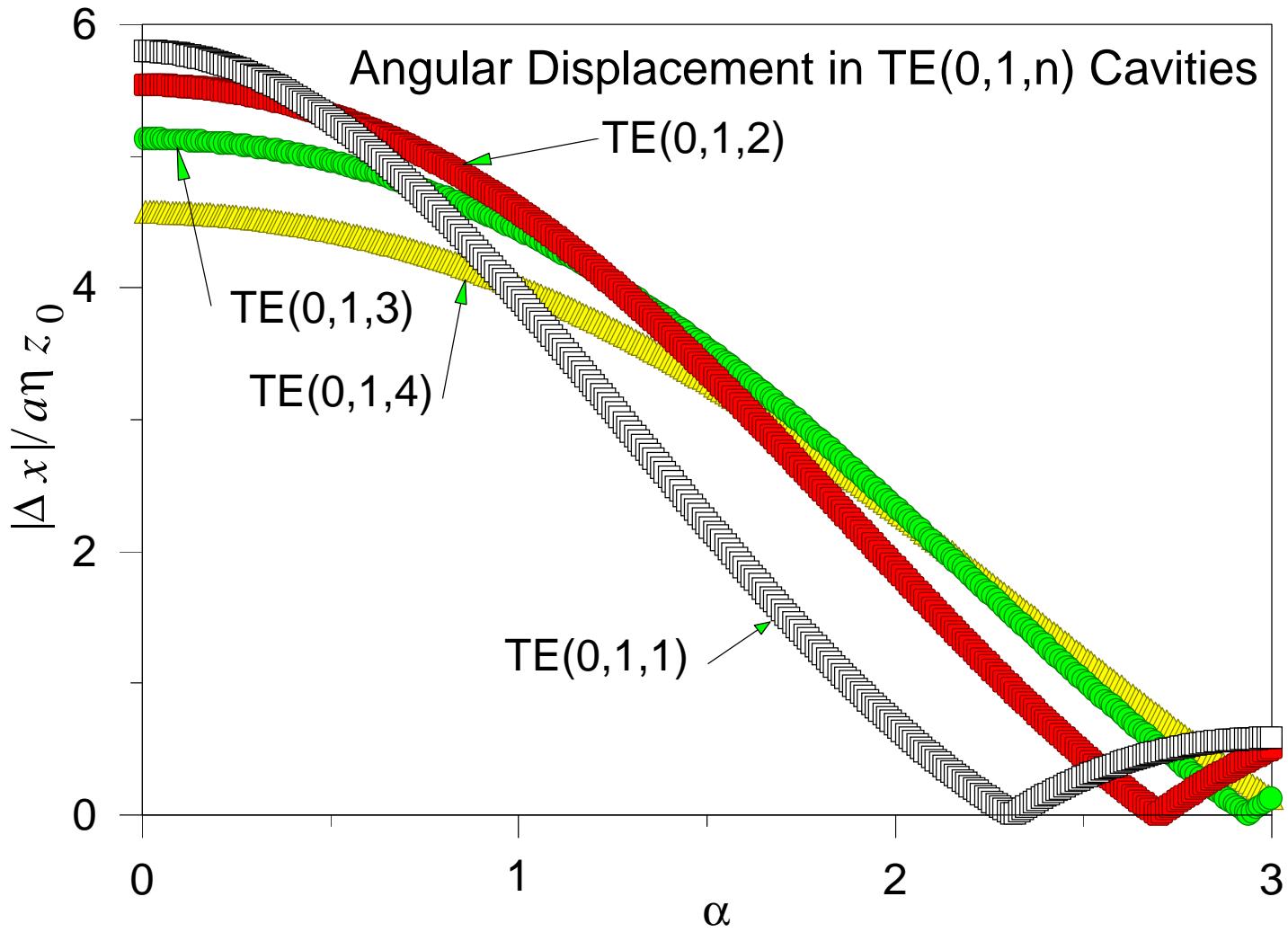
$$\frac{\Delta x}{\eta z_0} \approx \frac{2\gamma\sqrt{1+(\alpha/n)^2}}{1+(\gamma\alpha/n)^2} f\left(\frac{\sqrt{n^2 + \alpha^2}\pi}{2\beta_z}\right),$$

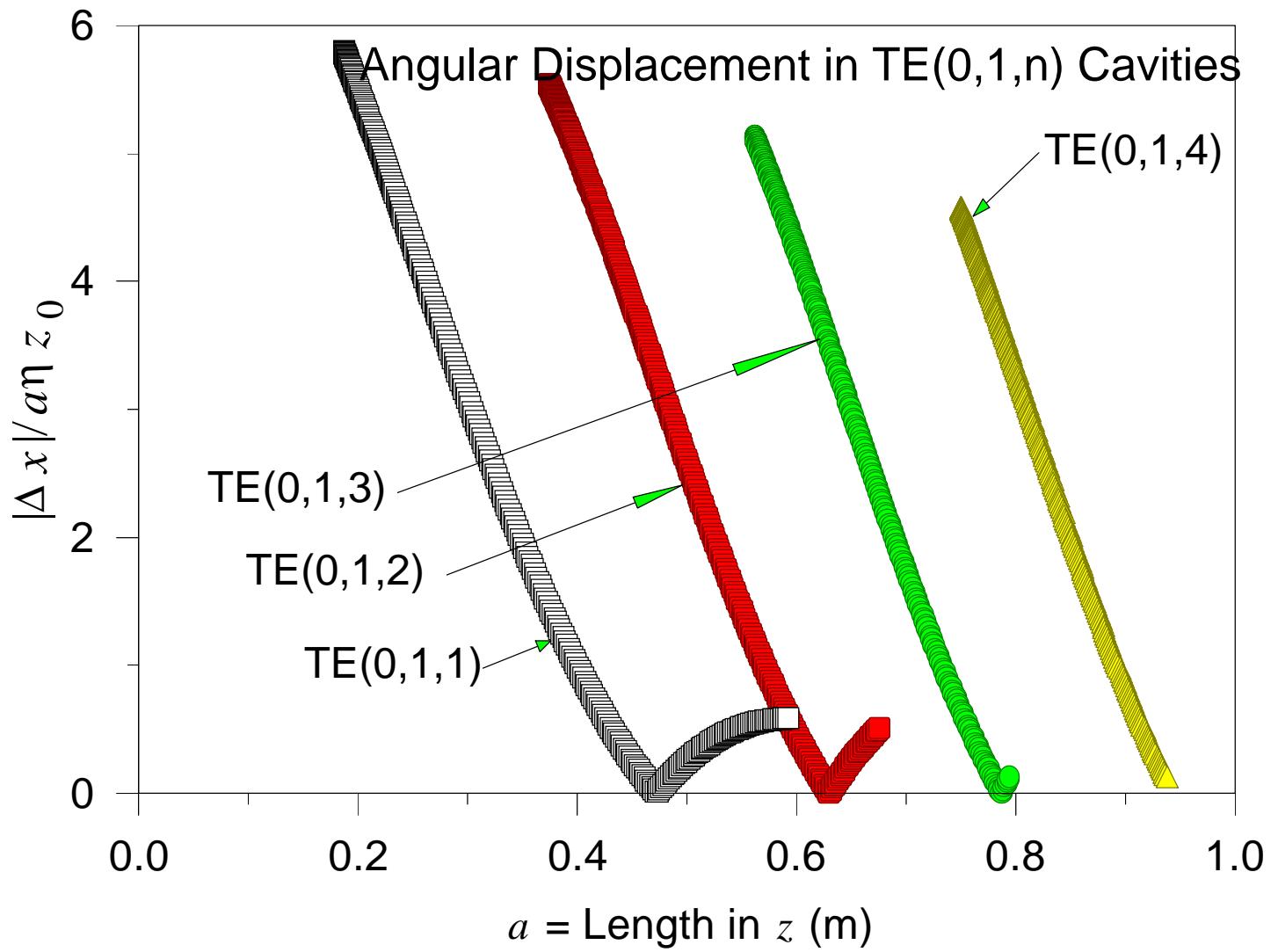
where $f = \begin{cases} \cos, & n \text{ odd}, \\ \sin, & n \text{ even}. \end{cases}$

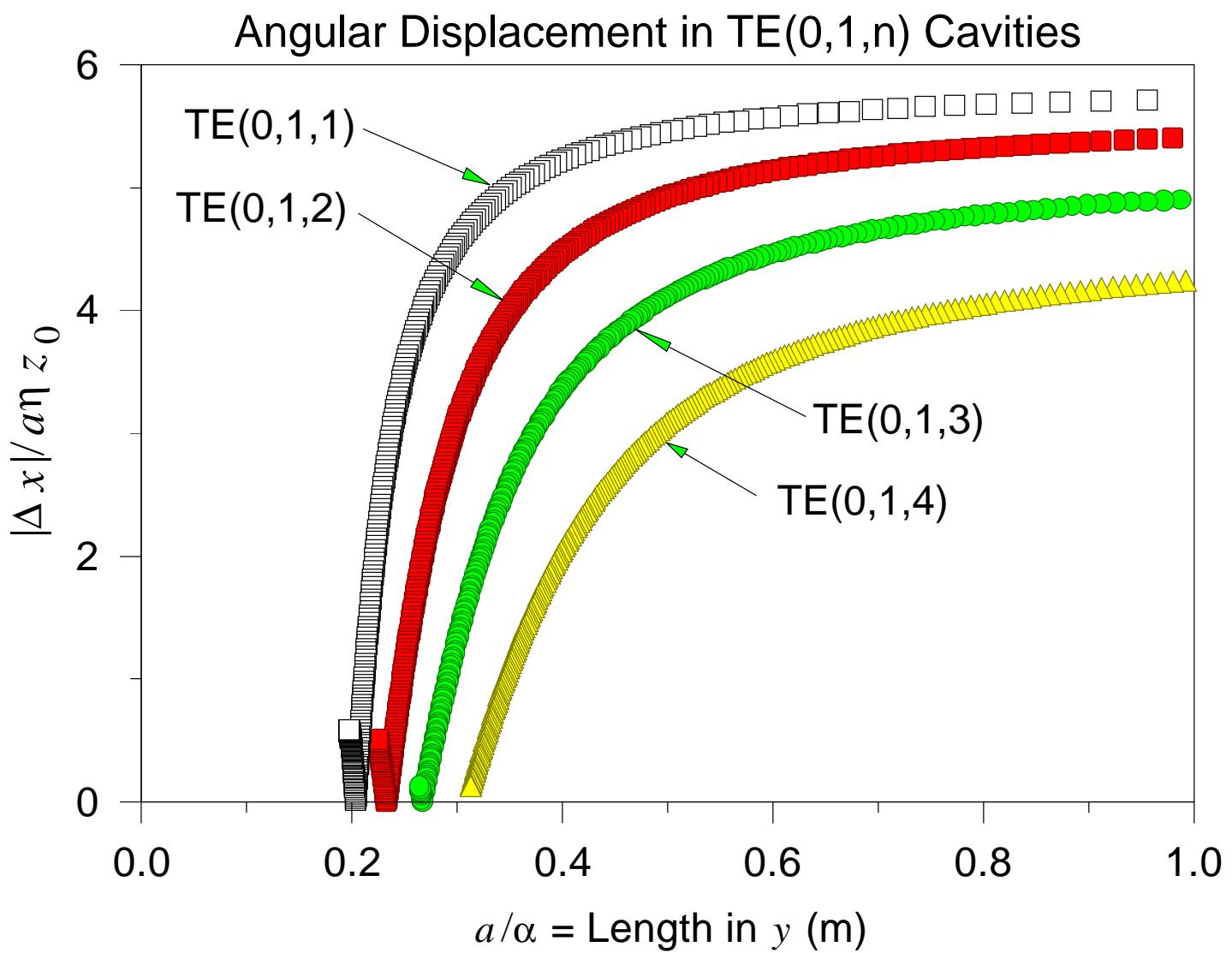


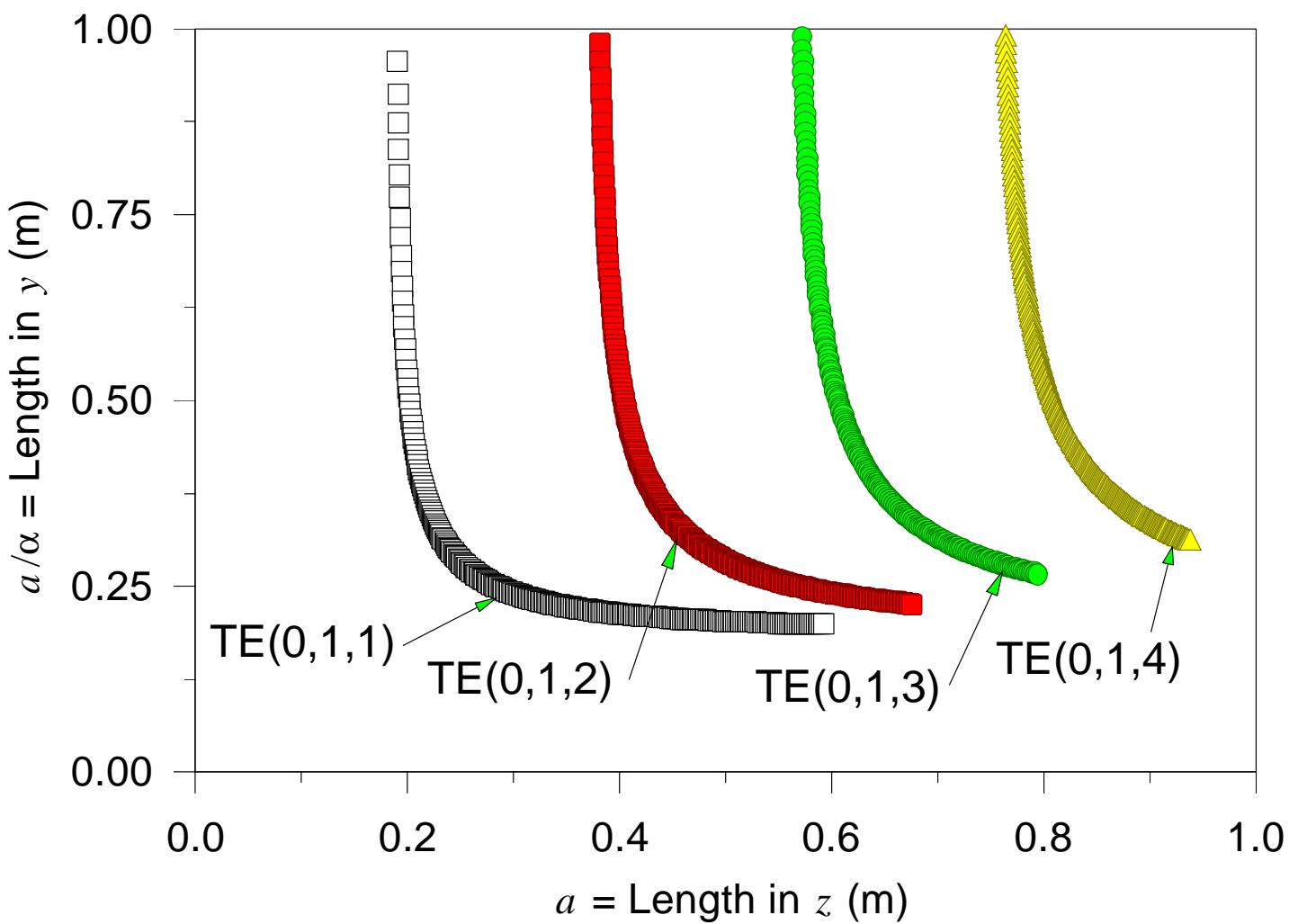
Multiple scattering will limit accuracy of Δx Measurement.

⇒ angular displacement $\Delta x/a$ is figure of merit.









Example of TE_{0,1,1} Cavity

$a = 20$ cm, $\alpha = 0.37$, $a/\alpha = 54$ cm, $\nu = 800$ MHz,
 $E_0 = 40$ MV/m, $\eta = 0.0223$,
 $P = 165$ MeV/c, $\gamma = 1.85$, $\beta_z = 0.85$.

$$|\Delta x| = 6.2[\mu\text{m}] \left[\frac{\Delta t}{1 \text{ ps}} \right],$$

$$\frac{|\Delta x|}{a} = 30[\mu\text{rad}] \left[\frac{\Delta t}{1 \text{ ps}} \right].$$

If $\sigma_{D,t} = \sigma_t = 40$ ps, then need

$$X_0 < \left(\frac{0.0012 \cdot 165 \cdot 0.84}{15} \right)^2 = 0.00012 \text{ radiation lengths.}$$

Thus the entrance and exit walls of a copper RF cavity should be less than 1.7 μm thick, or less than 43 μm thick if the walls are made of beryllium.

[It does not help to use multiple cavities when multiple-scattering limited.]