

Multipole Field Map

Mnemonic	Parameter	Definition
MULTIPOLE	<i>Order</i>	Multipole order
	<i>L</i>	Field map length (mm)
	<i>Nstep</i>	Number of step along x & y direction
	<i>B or E</i>	Magnetic field on pole (T) or E (MV/m)
	<i>R</i>	Aperture (mm)
	<i>Lsol</i>	Physical length (mm) of solenoid (<i>Order</i> =0)
	<i>Zstep</i>	Number of step for solenoid case (<i>Order</i> =0)
	<i>Elec</i>	0: Magnetic field map, 1:Electric field map

Attention to the [TraceWin gradient definition](#).

The mutipole element generates a **2D (x, y) static magnetic field map file** whose steps sizes are: $dx = dy = 2.R/Nstep$. The step along z direction is defined by TraceWin calculation step. The simulation is made in this field map. Be aware that $2.R/Nstep$ must be much lower than the beam size.

Order parameter sets the order of the multipole field:

- *Order* = 0: (Special mode) for solenoid field map ($B_r(r,z)$ & $B_z(r,z)$),
- *Order* = 1: for dipole,
- *Order* = 2: for quadrupole,
- *Order* = 3: for sextupole,
- *Order* = 4: for octupole,
- ...

L is the field map length along z direction.

Nstep defines the number of steps in the generated field map.

B is the magnet

Note about the FIELD_MAP equivalence

This element will create a FIELD_MAP type field map which can be reused directly in this type of element and which therefore allows, for example, the use of field map superposition feature, [SUPERPOSE_MAP](#), which is not possible directly with the MULTIPOLE element. In the example below, the MULTIPOLE element will create the field map files "multipole2_1.bsx" & "multipole2_1.bsy". So in a second step, MULTIPOLE can be replaced by its equivalent in FIELD_MAP.

```
DRIFT 100.0 1000
MULTIPOLE 1 400 100 0.01 100 ; dipole
DRIFT 100.0 1000
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Once simulation don, this can be replaced by:

```
DRIFT 100.0 1000
FIELD_MAP 0060 400 0 100 1e-2 1 0 0 multipole2_1
DRIFT 100.0 1000
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