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Boris pusher

$$m \frac{d\vec{v}}{dt} = q(\vec{E} + \vec{v} \times \vec{B})$$

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Relativistic particle pusher

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Relativistic particle pusher

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Relativistic particle pusher

Modified magnetic field

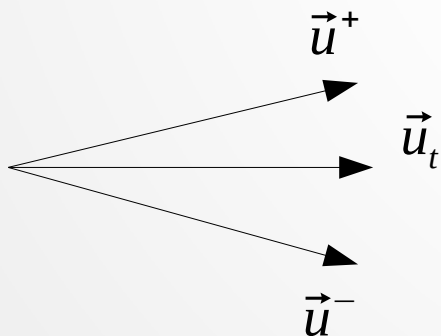
$$\vec{B}_u = \frac{c}{\sqrt{c^2 + |\vec{u}|^2}} \vec{B}$$

$$|\vec{u}|^2 = \left| \frac{\vec{u}_{t+\Delta t/2} + \vec{u}_{t-\Delta t/2}}{2} \right|^2$$

$$= \left| \frac{\vec{u}^+ + \vec{u}^-}{2} \right|^2 = |\vec{u}_t|^2$$

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Relativistic particle pusher: hand on

$C = 1.0$, $L_x = 20.48$, $\Delta x = 0.01$, $N_X = 2048$, $\Delta t = 0.01$, $NT = 6400$
 $B_Fx = 1.0$, $B_Fy = 0.0$, $B_Fz = 0.0$, $E_Fx = 0.0$, $B_Fy = 0.0$, $B_Fz = 0.0$

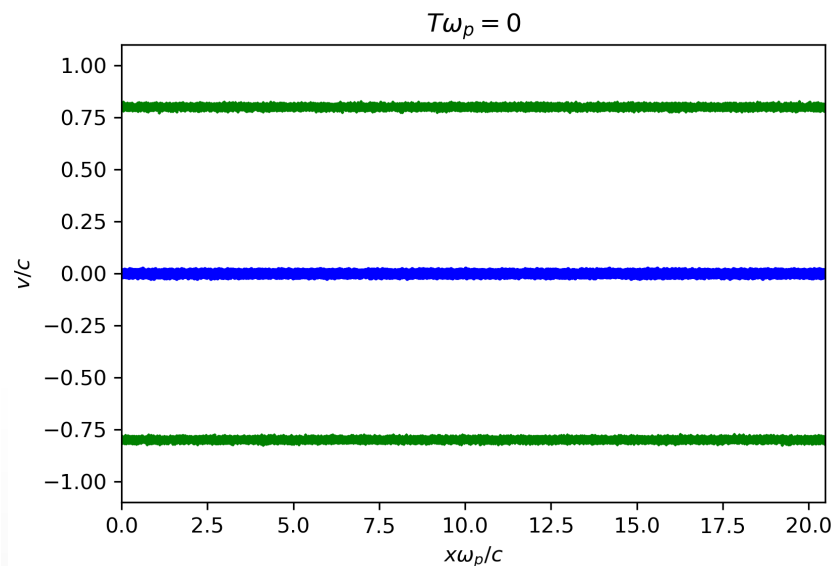
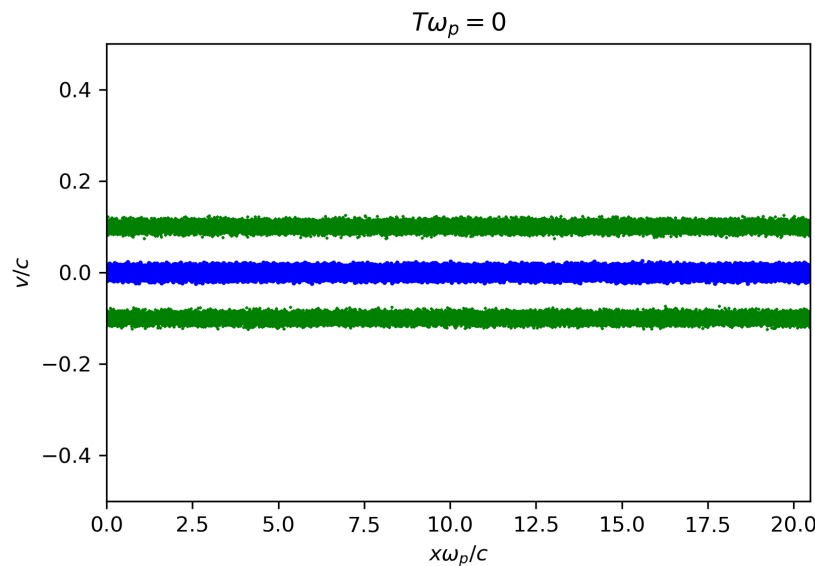
Ion: $NP = 65536$, $m = 1836$, $e = 1$, $v_{dx} = v_{dy} = v_{dz} = 0.0$, $v_{thx} = v_{thy} = v_{thz} = 0.01$
electron1: $NP = 32768$, $m = 1$, $e = -1$, $v_{dy} = v_{dz} = 0.0$, $v_{thx} = v_{thy} = v_{thz} = 0.01$
electron2: $NP = 32768$, $m = 1$, $e = -1$, $v_{dy} = v_{dz} = 0.0$, $v_{thx} = v_{thy} = v_{thz} = 0.01$

$W_{pe, total} = 1.0$

Example: **07_01_1DES.f90** & **10_01_Pusher_Re.90**

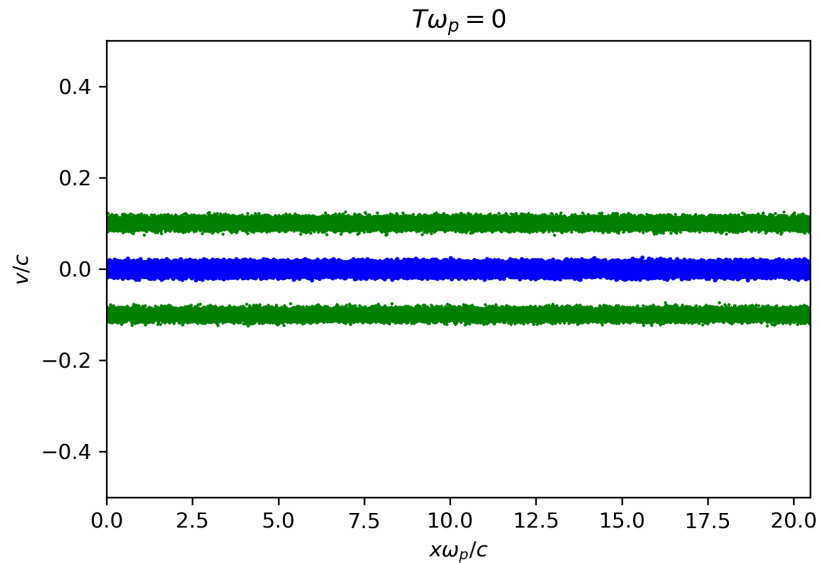
1. electron1: **$v_{dx} = 0.1$** , electron2: **$v_{dx} = -0.1$**

2. electron1: **$v_{dx} = 0.8$** , electron2: **$v_{dx} = -0.8$**



Relativistic particle pusher: hand on

1. electron1: $v_{dx} = 0.1$, electron2: $v_{dx} = -0.1$



2. electron1: $v_{dx} = 0.8$, electron2: $v_{dx} = -0.8$

