CERN LIBRARIES, GENEVA



CM-P00071860

16th August 1974

## ISR PERFORMANCE REPORT

Run 489 (physics) - 4th July 1974 Ring 2 - 22 GeV/c

Search for Long Term Coupling Effects

Excited by the Model Solenoid on a Physics Stack (2nd run)

After the luminosity measurement the physics conditions in this run were very good, i.e. decay rates < 1 ppm/min,  $h_{\rm eff}$  = 4.5 - 4.6 mm, 15.2 x 15.4  $A^2$ , on 8C22. Under these conditions any serious effects arising from the solenoid should be clearly visible. The run was divided into three periods: "stable beams" 16.00 h to 21.00 h, solenoid applied 21.00 h to 04.00 h, and "stable beams" 04.00 h to 08.00 h. The decay rates and  $h_{\rm effective}$  were recorded (see Figure 1) and Schottky scans were made at regular intervals. The solenoid was inclined to the ring 2 beam at 7.4 to simulate the action of the proposed detector solenoid. This required two other H-magnets to be used as closed orbit compensators. There are peaks on the decay rate graph (see Figure 1) corresponding to the disturbance of applying or removing this orbit correction.

The graph of h<sub>effective</sub> gives some indication of an increased slope after the solenoid application, but this could equally be attributed to a drift in the counters. The increase in decay rate is slightly faster than has been in some runs (mostly 12 x 12  $A^2$ ) but this is probably due to the disturbance of applying the solenoid rather than the solenoid itself. No significant changes were seen in the Schottky scans except for a slight increase in the radial peak at  $Q_h = 8.60$ . However, the particles trapped in this resonance,  $5Q_h = 43$ , naturally increase as the beam's tail grows. It did not appear to be an abnormally large or fast growth.

It was not possible to clearly identify an effect arising from the solenoid.

