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The intensity frontier at KEK and J-PARC

- Status, future plans and related R&D's -

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Status of accelerator operation and achievements

History of beam delivery to the MLF



Energy upgrade of linac : 181 to 400 MeV

The ACS (Annular-ring Coupled Structure linac) system

- Frequency : 972 MHz
- 21 accelerating modules
- 4 debuncher modeules





400-MeV acceleration was achieved on Jan. 17, 2014.

Painting parameter dependence of beam loss



Minimization of beam loss

Results of beam study in the end of June, 2014.



Beam loss of the RCS is well understood and minimized.

Beam delivery to the T2K experiment

* as of 26th of June 2014



The max. delivered beam power ~ 240 kW (1.24x10¹⁴ ppp) Accumulated number of proton ~7.5 x10²⁰ POT.

Feedback system for suppression of beam instability

Transverse instabilities are observed at the injection and the beginning of acceleration at the MR. The instabilities are suppressed by the bunch feedback systems.



Slow Extraction

- Third-integer resonance extraction (vx=67/3)
- Extraction efficiency ~ 99.5 % with the "dynamic bump" system (-> Next slide)
- Beam power
 - ~ 15 kW (until April 2013)
 - ~ 24 kW (from May 18, 2013)



Slow extraction with dynamic bump system



Separatrices at the ESS for the fixed and dynamic bump

Current patterns of the bump magnets

Status of new front-end system for peak current upgrade

An newly developed rf-driven H⁻ ion source and new RFQ for the peak current of 50 mA were tested in a test bench. Long-term continuous operation of 50 mA for one month was successfully demonstrated .





Long-term continuous operation in the test bench



The front-end system installed in the linac tunnel in August, 2014.

Medium-term plan

- JFY2013-2017 -

RCS power upgrade plan



User operation of the 1-MW beam power will start in JFY2015.

Mid-term plan of MR

FX: The high repetition rate scheme is adopted to achieve the design beam intensity, 750 kW. Rep. rate will be increased from ~ 0.4 Hz to ~1 Hz by replacing magnet PS's and RF cavities. SX: Parts of stainless steel ducts are replaced with titanium ducts to reduce residual radiation dose. The beam power will be gradually increased toward 100 kW watching the residual activity.



New power supplies for 1 Hz operation

Large scale PS for bending magnets and quad. magnets in arc setions



Mass production will start in JFY2015 if the budget request is approved by the government.

R&D of new power supplies for 1 Hz operation (cont'd)

Small scale PS for Quad. Magnets in straight section and sextupole magnets



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High impedance rf system

A new type of the magnetic alloy (MA) core, FT3L(made by Hitachi Metal), is adopted to increase shunt impedance of the rf cavity. The core is processed by annealing with magnetic field.



Comparison of characteristics of large size cores







Performance of cavities depends on core materials: ferrite and MA.

J-PARC already achieved very high field gradient.

High impedance rf system (cont'd)



After replacement : 4gap X 2 + 5gap X 7 = 43 gaps

Total rf voltage ~ 560kV

A second harmonic cavity is also installed in the injection straight section.

Budget for the new rf cavities is mostly secured by supplementary budgets in JFY2011 and 2012. All the cavities will be ready to install in JFY2015.

The developed FT3L cores are adopted to the PSB for LHC injector upgrade .

1st 5-cell FT3L cavity under 80 kV high power test



New low field FX septum: Eddy current type



The magnet has been manufactured. It will be installed in the 2015 summer shutdown.

Experiments at Hadron Hall

New primary beam line / facility are now being constructed.



Slide by Hadron group

Study of 8-GeV operation for the COMET phase-I



H. profile for 1.64x10¹² ppb (3.2 kW-eq.)



Extinction measurement of FX beam for the single bunch operation. Injection kicker timing was shifted to sweep out protons in the front bucket of the main bunch.



Extinction generated by the processes other than the SX can be much smaller than the experimental requirement.

Long-term plan

Feasibility of the RCS



- Linac 100 mA/0.5 ms (50 mA/1.0 ms) operation is required.
 - R&D of ion source / long pulse operation of linac
- The rf system should be replaced to compensate a heavy beam loading.
- The collimator capability should be upgraded to get a margin for the beam loss.
- Activation downstream of the charge exchange foils should be reduced.

Future proton driver for long-baseline neutrino experiment

The maximum beam intensity is limited by the physical aperture of the MR. The scenarios for achieving much larger beam power than the design specification for neutrino experiment are now discussed.

1. Booster ring for the MR (emittance damping ring)

The BR with an extraction energy $\sim 8~\text{GeV},$ is constructed between the RCS and the MR

- 2. New proton linac for neutrino beam production
 - (Construction site may not be the Tokai campus)
 - Linac with an beam energy > 9 GeV
 - The MR is operated only for the SX users

R&D's for upgrade of the neutrino beam line (target, DC horn...) are key issues.

The 8-GeV booster ring



Fast Extraction WR cycle HD NU NU HD NU

Stretcher ring for increasing operation time of HD users



Circumference of the stretcher is same as the MR

Integrated beam power for 200 days/year;
NU : 800kW x 3/4 x 200 days =600kW x 200 days
HD : 800kW x 1/4 x 200 days =200kW x 200 days

Linac based proton driver in KEKB tunnel



Slow extraction with beam power >> 100 kW

Feasibility study for low-loss SX system to reduce beam loss on the ESS section is started.

- High β insertion

 β > several 100m @ESS Q-PS separated in the SX straight section Add extra Qs in the SX Larger-bore Qs in SX

- Low-Z material for ESS ribbon carbon-wire carbon-nanotube Beryllium,Titanium,
- Combination of low-z scatterer and ESS scheme

Scatterer made of low-Z material is installed upstream of the ESS to reduce beam loss at the ESS.



High voltage test of carbon wire ribbon



COMET(I <10⁻¹⁴; II < 10⁻¹⁶)

Search for muon to electron conversion Adopted staging approach Phase-I: 10⁻¹⁴ (funded) Phase-II: 10⁻¹⁶

- 32 m SC solenoid magnet
- Beam extinction < 10⁻⁹

g-2/EDM (0.1ppm/10⁻²¹ e cm) at MUSE in the MLF

 Ultra-Cold Muon Beam RFQ,IH,disk-loaded
 Ultra-Precision Magnetic Field 3T, 1 ppm
 g-2 and EDM SIMULTANEOUSLY !!



Extension of the HD hall



Slide by Hadron group

Extension of the HD hall (cont'd)



Slide by Hadron group

Long-term plan of particle/nuclear physics at J-PARC

"Elucidation of the origin of matter with an upgrade of J-PARC experimental facility" submitted to science council of Japan.







SuperKEKB

 Increase the luminosity by 40 times based on "Nano-Beam" scheme



- Vertical β function at IP : 5.9 \rightarrow 0.27/0.30 mm (× 20)
- Beam current : $1.7/1.4 \rightarrow 3.6/2.6 \text{ A} (\times 2)$
- Vertical beam-beam parameter : $0.09 \rightarrow 0.09$ (× 1)
- Beam energy: $3.5/8.0 \rightarrow 4.0/7.0 \text{ GeV}$
- LER : Longer Touschek lifetime and mitigation of emittance growth due to the intrabeam scattering
- HER : Lower emittance and lower SR power



Commissioning phases

- Phase 1
 - No QCS, No Belle II solenoid
 - Basic machine tuning
 - Low emittance tuning
 - Vacuum scrubbing
 - Belle II people request enough vacuum scrubbing in this stage (before Belle II roll in).
 - At least one month at beam currents of 0.5~1A /ring.
 - DR commissioning starts before Phase 2.
- Phase 2
 - with QCS and Belle II (w/o Vertex detectors)
 - Low beta optics tuning
 - Small x-y coupling optics tuning
 - Beam collision tuning
 - Belle II background study
 - Target luminosity at this stage is 1 x 10³⁴ cm⁻²s⁻¹
- Phase 3
 - Physics run (Vertex detectors installed)
 - Increase beam currents
 - Beam tuning continued to increase luminosity

Construction status

Vacuum system

- Fabrication

Most of MR vacuum components which required for Phase 1 were already ordered, and will be completed soon.

- Baking and TiN coating

More than 850 beam pipes have been TiNcoated using a facility in KEK site. Output: 10 ~ 15 beam pipes per week. Goal is about 1000 beam pipes.

- Installation

Beam pipes and bellows started in JFY2013.









Magnet System

- Fabrication

Production of more than 500 new magnets has been completed.

- Field measurements

Most of new magnets already done.

- Installation and alignment.

100 LER bending magnets have been replaced with new 4m length magnets.

Rearrangement of LER wiggler sections and new HER wiggler section is completed.

- Power supplies.

Production, install, and startup of MW class, 100kW class, and small class power supplies for magnets ongoing. Cabling and piping of cooling water ongoing.







IR section



Linac Upgrade for SuperKEKB

• Lower-emittance Injection Beam

To meet nano-beam scheme in the ring Positron with a damping ring, Electron with a photo-cathode RF gun Emittance preservation by alignment and beam instrumentation

• Higher Injection Beam Current

To meet larger stored beam current and shorter beam lifetime in the ring 4~8-times larger bunch current for electron and positron Reconstruction of positron capture section and electron gun

Quasi-simultaneous injections into 4 storage rings
 SuperKEKB e⁻/e⁺ rings, and light sources of PF and PF-AR
 Improvements to beam instrumentation, low-level RF, controls, timing, etc

Ir₅Ce photo-cathode



Flux Concentrator



50 Hz (e+ or e-)



Photo-cathode RF-gun Development

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- 5.6 nC / bunch was confirmed
 - Next step: 50-Hz beam generation & Radiation control

Positron generation



Positron capturing with flux concentrator (FC) and large aperture s-band structure (LAS) Deceleration field to reduce satellite bunches Pinhole beside target for electron beam Protection system with beam spoilers



Flux concentrator and following solehoid/quad

Beam test started with low magnetic field, low primary beam current in June 2014. Generated positron ~0.1nC was transferred to the entrance of damping ring. With higher magnetic and electric field, 4-nC positron will be generated.

New Damping Ring for positrons



Summary

J-PARC :

- Achieved beam power in user operation is : 300 kW for MLF users, 240 kW and 24 kW for the T2K and hadron hall users, respectively.
- The RCS will deliver the design beam power of 1 MW by middle of 2015.
- Goal of the 5 year mid-term plan is the design power of 750 kW for the FX, and 100 kW for the SX in 2017. The 750-kW beam is achieved by high rep. rate of 1 Hz with 30 GeV.
- R&D's of magnet power supply and high impedance rf cavity are now well in progress.
- Some scenarios to achieve beam power beyond current design for neutrino experiment are now under discussion; the 8 GeV booster, 9 GeV linac, etc.
- Increasing time availability of the slow extraction mode is one of the key issues for the future upgrade plan.

SuperKEKB:

- The construction of SuperKEKB has reached the final stage.
- The first beam will come in 2015.

Backup





RCS (Rapid Cycling Synchrotron)



Main parameters of MR

Circumference	1567.5 m	Beam abort line	Fast extraction	Hadron
Cycle time	6 s for SX			Experimental Hall
	2.48 s for FX		Rf cavities	
Injection energy	3 GeV			
Extraction energy	30 GeV		utrino hoomlino	
Superperiodicity	3	RCS		
h	9	BT		
Number of bunches	8	collimators	•	
Rf frequency	1.67 - 1.72 MHz	3-50 BT		
Transition γ	j 31.7 (typical)			Hadron beamline
		Injection		Slow extraction
Physical Aperture		Ring collimators		
3-50 BT Collimator	54-65 π.mm.mrad			
3-50 BT physical ap.	> 120 π.mm.mrad			
Ring Collimator	54-65 π.mm.mrad	*		
Ring physical ap.	> 81 π.mm.mrad	To Super-Kar	niokande	

Three dispersion free straight sections of 116-m long:

- Injection and collimator systems
- Slow extraction (SX)
 - to Hadron experimental Hall

-MA loaded rf cavities and Fast extraction(FX) (beam is extracted inside/outside of the ring) outside: Beam abort line

inside: Neutrino beamline (intense v beam is send to SK)





Neutrino Beamline and T2K experiment



Experiments at Hadron Hall

Experiments at Hadron Hall utilize primary beam and secondary beams including Pion, Kaon and Muon.



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