

Entry: **C 19**  
 Machine Name: SARA (injector)  
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**HISTORY**

Design by: CSF  
 Construction time: 1963-1967  
 First beam: 1968

**CHARACTERISTIC BEAMS**

ions / energy (MeV/n) / current (pps) / power (W) :

- d/10	MeV/n	3.8 10 <sup>13</sup>	pps
- <sup>18</sup> O <sup>7+</sup> /5.5	MeV/n	1.2 10 <sup>12</sup>	pps
- <sup>40</sup> Ca <sup>11+</sup> /6.4	MeV/n	8.0 10 <sup>11</sup>	pps
- <sup>64</sup> Ni <sup>17+</sup> /5.9	MeV/n	4.0 10 <sup>10</sup>	pps

transmission efficiency (total)  
 - typical: 12 % - best: 15 %

transverse emittance (rms)  
 - vertical: 15 π mmmrad  
 - horizontal: 17π mmmrad

longitudinal emittance (rms) 0.4 % ΔE/E, 10 deg RF

**USES**

basic research: % therapy: %  
 development: % isotope production: %  
 other applications: 95 % maintenance: %  
 beam tuning: 5 %  
 total time: 1500 h/year

**TECHNICAL DATA**

a) magnet  
 type: H compact  
 Kb: 90 MeV/n Kf: 60 MeV/n  
 average field (min-max): 1.6 (1.2/1.9) T  
 number of magnet sectors: 4  
 - angle: deg  
 - spiral (max): 40 deg

pole parameters  
 - diameter: 2.12 m  
 - injection radius: 0.02 m  
 - extraction radius: 0.88 m

hill gap: 0.016 m valley gap: 0.036 m

field trimming  
 - trim coils  
 - number: 11  
 - current (max): 200 A  
 - harmonic coils  
 - number: 4  
 - current (max): 200 A  
 - others  
 - number:  
 - current (max): A

main coils:  
 - number: 2  
 - Ampere-turns: 360000 A.T.  
 - current: 1100 A

stored energy: MJ  
 weight: - iron: 200 t - coils: t

power  
 - main coils (total): 270 kW  
 - trim coils (total max): 100 kW  
 - refrigerator (cryogenic): kW

**b) RF**

- acceleration  
 - frequency range: 10.5 to 16 MHz  
 - harmonic modes: 2,3  
 - number of dees: 2  
 - angular aperture: 80 deg  
 - voltage:- average (min-max): 60 kV  
 - variation with radius:  
 - power in (max): 30 kW  
 - stability:- phase: 0.1 deg - voltage: 0.01 %

**- other cavities**

- purpose:  
 - frequency range: MHz  
 - region of influence: m  
 - voltage (max): kV  
 - power in (max): kW  
 - stability:- phase: deg - voltage: %

**c) injection**

- internal source:  
 - external (radial/axial): axial,spiral inflector  
 - elements: 22 m long injection channel for 2 sources Belmont spiral inflector  
 - source voltage: 10 to 20 kV  
 - injection energy: 1.5 keV/n to 10 keV/n MeV/n  
 - buncher: 1 double gap, sinus first harmonic  
 - injection efficiency: 20 %

**d) ion sources/injector**

2 ECR : CAPRICE 0.8 T and CAPRICE 1 T

**e) extraction**

- elements, characteristics:  
 - 1 electrostatic channel  
 - 1 ironless 2000 A magnetic channel  
 - efficiency  
 - typical: 75 % - best: %

**f) vacuum**

- pumps: 2 NRC oil diffusion  
 - achieved vacuum 10<sup>-4</sup> Pa

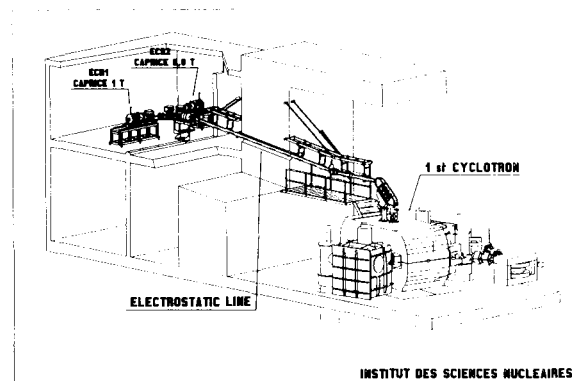
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**EXPERIMENTAL FACILITIES**

Fast neutron irradiation facility 3 10<sup>11</sup> n/s

**PLAN VIEW OF FACILITY**



**COMMENTS**

Current operation will cease on 01/08/1998