

ENTRY NO. 21

NAME OF MACHINE VICKSI (Separated-Sector Cyclotron)⁺ DATE July 78
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HISTORY AND STATUS

DESIGN, date 1973-74 MODEL tests 1973-74
ENG. DESIGN, date 1973-75
CONSTRUCTION, date 1974-76
FIRST BEAM date (or goal) June 77
MAJOR ALTERATIONS none

OPERATION, -- hr/wk; On Target -- hr/wk
TIME DIST., in house -- %, outside -- %
USERS' SCHEDULING CYCLE no reg. schedule yet
COST, ACCELERATOR _____
COST, FACILITY, total DM 40 Million
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ACCELERATOR STAFF, OPERATION and DEVELOPMENT

SCIENTISTS 6 ENGINEERS 6
TECHNICIANS 7 CRAFTS 30
GRAD STUDENTS involved during year _____
OPERATED BY -- Res staff or X Operators
BUDGET, op & dev DM 5.5 million
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RESEARCH STAFF, not included above

USERS, in house ~ 40 outside _____
GRAD STUDENTS involved during year _____
RES. BUDGET, in house _____
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FACILITIES FOR RESEARCH

SHIELDED AREA, fixed 800 m²
movable _____ m²
TARGET STATIONS 14 in 6 rooms
STATIONS served at same time, max 1
MAG SPECTROGRAPH, type Q3D
COMPUTER, model PDP 11/70
OTHER FACILITIES External pulsing system

REFERENCES/NOTES

⁺The Cyclotron was designed and built under contract with Scanditronix, Uppsala, Sweden. Scanditronix notation for the Cyclotron is SPC 120 referring to the energy constant $E=120q^2/A$. The cyclotron was accepted in March 78.

MAGNET

POLE FACE diameter 380 cm; R extraction 171 cm
GAP, min 6 cm; Field 15.7 kG } at .98 X 10⁶
max open cm; Field ~ 1 kG } ampere turns
AVERAGE FIELD at R ext 8.9 kG
CURRENT STABILITY 5 parts/10⁶; B_{max}/⟨B⟩ 1.74
NUMBER OF SECTORS 4; SPIRAL, max 0 deg
POLE FACE COIL PAIRS: AVF _____ /sec;
Harmonic correction 3/sector
Rad grad 12 /sec or Circ coils --
WEIGHT: Fe 360 tons; Coils 6 tons
CONDUCTOR, Material and type Hollow Copper
STORED ENERGY ~ 0.5 MJ
COOLING SYSTEM Demineralized Water
POWER: Main coils 300 max, kW
Trimming coils 50 max, kW
YOKE/POLE AREA 108 %
SECTOR ANGLE (Sep Sec) 50 deg
ION ENERGY (Bending limit) E/A = 128 q²/A² MeV
(Focusing limit) E/A = _____ q/A MeV

ACCELERATION SYSTEM

DEES, number 2 angle 36 deg
BEAM APERTURE 4 cm; DC BIAS 0 kV
TUNED by, coarse Piston fine Flaps
RF 10 to 20 mHz, stable ± 0.05 /10⁶
Orb F 1.43 to 8.9 mHz; GAIN, max 400 kV/turn
HARMONICS, RF/Orb F, used 2-6
DEE-Gnd, max 100 kV, min gap 3.7 cm
STABILITY, (pk-pk noise)/(pk RF volt) < 10⁻³
RF PHASE stable to ± < 0.05 deg
RF POWER input, max 90 kW
RF PROTECT circuit, speed 5 μsec
Type RF-turn off
FREQUENCY MODULATION, rate -- /sec
MODULATOR, type --
BEAM PULSE, width --

VACUUM SYSTEM

PUMPS, No., Type, Size 2 Kryopumps (4.2° K)
2 Turbopumps (1450 l/sec)
OPERATING PRESSURE 0.1 - 0.5 μTorr,
PUMPDOWN TIME 8 hrs

ION SOURCES/INJECTION SYSTEM

Axial Penning source in 6MV Van de Graaff,
Stripper between Injector and Cyclotron
EXTRACTION SYSTEM El.stat. deflector,
current septum, bending magnet

CONTROL SYSTEM

Computer Control System, PDP 11/40 2)

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CHARACTERISTIC BEAMS

	Particle	Goal (MeV)	Achieved (MeV)
ENERGY	p	50	--
	¹² C	200	--
	²⁰ Ne	200	280
	to ⁴⁰ Ar	200	205
CURRENT	Internal	(μ A)	(μ A)
	External		
	Secondary	(part/s)	(part/s)
	³ He		0.06 μ A
	²⁰ Ne	0.1 μ A	0.01 μ A
	⁴⁰ Ar		0.01 μ A

BEAM PROPERTIES

	Measured	Conditions
Pulse Width	< 9 RF deg	0.08 μ A of 180 MeV ²⁰ Ne
Phase Exc, max	± 1 RF deg	0.08 μ A of 180 MeV ²⁰ Ne
Extract Eff	96 %	0.02 μ A of 220 MeV ²⁰ Ne
Res, $\Delta E/E$	< 10^{-3} %	0.08 μ A of 180 MeV ²⁰ Ne
Emittance	(mm-mrad) { $\frac{\text{axial}}{6.3 \text{ radial}}$ }	0.08 μ A of 180 MeV ²⁰ Ne

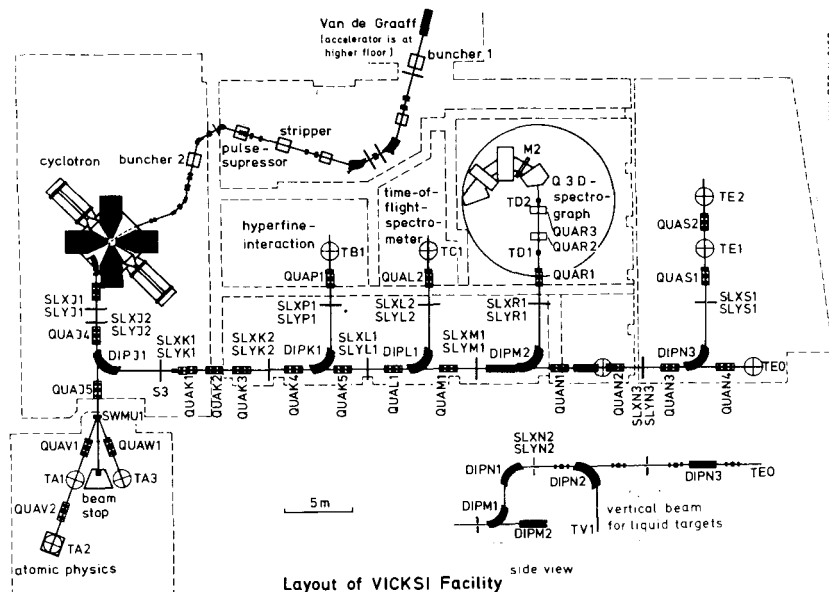
OPERATING PROGRAMS, time dist

Basic Nuclear Physics	~ 40 %
Solid State Physics	~ 40 %
Bio-Medical Applications	
Isotope Production	
Development	~ 20 %
No reg. schedule yet. Data are estimated from short test periods. ¹⁾	

PLAN VIEW OF FACILITY, NOTEWORTHY FEATURES, OPERATION SUMMARY, ADDITIONAL REFERENCES

The accelerator facility consists of a 6 MV Van de Graaff as injector for a 4-fold symmetric separated sector cyclotron. Mostly 2^+ ions from an axial penning ion source are accelerated to a maximum energy of 12 MeV and after stripping injected into the cyclotron. Before injection the beam is bunched into a phase width of $\sim 5^\circ$. The energy of the extracted beam is 17 times that of injection. Single turn extraction with $\Delta E/E \approx 10^{-3}$ and sharp time structure is the normal mode of operation. The main target positions are reached via a double monochromator that allows for very flexible beam preparation. Beam has been delivered to target stations TB1, TC1 and TD1, the other stations are under construction.

- Ref: 1) Running in of VICKSI and first operating experience, this conference
 2) The computer aided Control-System of the VICKSI Accelerators, this conference



Layout of VICKSI Facility