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NAME OF MACHINE Karlsruhe Isochronous Cyclotr. DATE 8/1/81  
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**HISTORY AND STATUS**

DESIGN, date 1958 Model tests 1958-60  
 ENG DESIGN, date 1960-1962  
 CONSTRUCTION, date 1962, ext. 1964  
 FIRST BEAM, date (or goal) int. 1962, ext. 1964  
 MAJOR ALTERATIONS axial injection 1971

COST, ACCELERATOR  $4.6 \times 10^6$  DM  
 COST, FACILITY, total  $20 \times 10^6$  DM  
 FUNDED BY Federal Government & State of B.-Württemberg

**ACCELERATOR STAFF, OPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT**

SCIENTISTS 5 ENGINEERS 5  
 TECHNICIANS 10 CRAFTS 20

GRAD STUDENTS involved during year  
 OPERATED BY Research staff or 10 Operators  
 OPERATION 168 hr/wk, On target 135 hr/wk

TIME DISTR. in house 50 % Outside 50 %  
 BUDGET, op & dev  $2 \times 10^6$  DM

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**RESEARCH STAFF**, not included above

USERS, in house 40 outside 90

GRAD STUDENTS involved during year

RESEARCH BUDGET, in house

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**MAGNET**

POLE FACE, diameter (compact) 225 cm, R extraction 105 cm

R injection cm

GAP, min 8 cm, Field 19.5 kG } at  $0.16 \times 10^6$

max 16 cm, Field 9.5 kG } Ampere turns

AVERAGE FIELD at R ext 14.4 kG

B max/ <B> 1.3

NUMBER OF SECTORS { compact 3 } Spiral, max deg

SECTOR ANGLE (SSC) deg

TRIMMING COILS 6 coils per plate with summing field

on hill sectors

CONDUCTOR, material and type copper

STORED ENERGY (cryogenic) MJ

POWER: main coils 32 max, kW; current stability  $10^{-4}$

trimming coils 1 max, kW; current stability  $10^{-4}$

WEIGHT: Fe 280 tons; coils 8.5 tons

COOLING system water

ION ENERGY (bending limit)  $E/A = 104 q^2/a^2$  MeV/amu

(focusing limit)  $E/A = 104 q/a$  MeV/amu

**ACCELERATION SYSTEM**

DEES, number 3; angle 60 deg

BEAM APERTURE 3.5 cm; DC Bias 0 kV

TUNED by, coarse fine rotating loop 6

RF to 33 MHz, stable  $\pm 5 \times 10^{-6}$

Orb F to 11 MHz

HARMONICS, RF/Orb F, used 3

DEE - Gnd, max 40 kV, min gap 1 cm

STABILITY, (pk-pk noise)/(pk RF volt)  $10^{-3}$

ENERGY GAIN, max 240 kV/turn

RF PHASE, stable to  $\pm 1$  deg

RF POWER input, max 50 kW

FREQUENCY MODULATION, rate /s

modulator, type

beam pulse, width 0.5 - 3.0 nsec

**VACUUM SYSTEM**

OPERATING PRESSURE  $2 \times 10^{-6}$  Torr or mbar

PUMPS, No, Type, Size 2 diffusion pumps

(8000 l/sec + 12,000 l/sec)

**ION SOURCES**

Internal: Hot cathode Penning; External: Hot cathode

Penning, Lambshift, ECR-source

<sup>†</sup>In house refers to users from KFK

**INJECTION SYSTEM**

Axial 10 keV, electrostatic with hyperboloid inflector

**EXTRACTION SYSTEM**

Two electrostatic deflectors + magn. iron channel

**FACILITIES FOR RESEARCH**

SHIELDED AREA, fixed  $350$  m<sup>2</sup>; movable m<sup>2</sup>

TARGET STATIONS 8 in 3 rooms

STATIONS served at same time, max 1

MAG SPECTROGRAPH, type

COMPUTER model Two Nova-2; CAMAC

OTHER FACILITIES Large neutron-time-of-flight

spectrometer (190 m), resolution 5 psec/m

**CHARACTERISTIC BEAMS**

PARTICLE	ENERGY (MeV)		CURRENT ( $\mu$ A)	
	Goal	Achieved	Internal	External
$p(H_2^+)$	26	(52)	100	>20
d	52		>1000	>20
$6Li^{3+}$	104		50	>10
$Li^+$	156		0.1	0.05

SECONDARY (part/s)

**BEAM PROPERTIES**

MEASURED CONDITIONS

PULSE WIDTH 10 RF deg 1  $\mu$ A of 52 MeV d ions

PHASE EXC, max 20 RF deg 1  $\mu$ A of 52 MeV d ions

EXTRACT eff >70 % 1  $\mu$ A of 52 MeV d ions

RESOL  $\Delta E/E$  0.3 % 1  $\mu$ A of 52 MeV d ions

EMITTANCE

( $\pi$  mm. mrad) { 9 axial } 5  $\mu$ A of 52 MeV d ions

{ 6 rad }

**OPERATING PROGRAMS**, time distribution

BASIC NUCLEAR PHYSICS 45 % SOLID STATES PHYSICS 30 %

BIOMEDICAL APPLICAT. ISOTOPE PRODUCTIONS 10 %

Engineering 15 %

**REFERENCES/NOTES**

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**PLAN VIEW OF FACILITY, NOTEWORTHY FEATURES, COMMENTS**

The Karlsruhe Cyclotron was originally designed for internal isotope production for radiochemistry. After the implementation of the extraction system in 1964 the machine was used by more than 90% of all operation for basic nuclear physics with light ions (protons, deuterons, alphas). More recently, experimental program has shifted to application oriented research projects (wear studies of machine parts<sup>1</sup>, radiation damage<sup>1</sup>); routine production of iodine-123 etc.) with about 50% of all operation. At present a large amount of the basic nuclear physics experimental program is performed using the polarized deuteron- and the  $6Li^{3+}$ -beams injected by the axial injection system<sup>3</sup>. The actual beam currents available in the scattering chamber for both particles are in the range of 50-100 enA. In 1978 it was decided to build up a ECR-ion source<sup>3</sup> at the axial injection system. With this type of ion source completely stripped "light heavy ions" can be produced. Examples of beams to be available in 1982:  $^{12}C$ ,  $^{14}N$ ,  $^{20}Ne(?)$  with a fixed energy of 26 MeV/A.

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