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HISTORY AND STATUS

DESIGN, date 1945 Model tests
 ENG DESIGN, date 1945-1946
 CONSTRUCTION, date 1945-1946
 FIRST BEAM, date (or goal) June 1949
 MAJOR ALTERATIONS External Beam Hall added in 1963
 External Beam Area Relocated in 1983
 COST, ACCELERATOR \$200K
 COST, FACILITY, total \$2 Million

ACCELERATOR STAFF, OPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT

SCIENTISTS ENGINEERS
 TECHNICIANS CRAFTS
 GRAD STUDENTS involved during year
 OPERATED BY X Research staff or Operators
 OPERATION hr/wk, On target hr/wk
 TIME DISTR. in house % , Outside %
 BUDGET, op & dev

FUNDED BY
 RESEARCH STAFF, not included above
 USERS, in house outside
 GRAD STUDENTS involved during year
 RESEARCH BUDGET, in house \$200,000

FUNDED BY
 MAGNET
 POLE FACE, diameter (compact) 90 cm, R extraction 90 cm
 R injection 0 cm
 GAP, min 15 cm, Field 16.1 kG
 max 19 cm, Field 15.1 kG } at 5.3x10⁵
 AVERAGE FIELD at R ext 15.9 kG } Ampere turns
 B max/ 1.01

NUMBER OF SECTORS { compact separated } Spiral, max deg
 SECTOR ANGLE (SSC) deg
 TRIMMING COILS

CONDUCTOR, material and type Aluminum, 6x1 cm
 STORED ENERGY (cryogenic) MJ
 POWER: main coils 150 max, kW; current stability 10⁻⁵
 trimming coils max, kW; current stability
 WEIGHT: Fe 27.3 tons; coils
 COOLING system De-ionized water
 ION ENERGY (bending limit) E/A = 100 q²/a² MeV/amu
 (focusing limit) E/A = q²/a² MeV/amu

ACCELERATION SYSTEM

DEES, number 1; angle 180 deg
 BEAM APERTURE 1 cm; DC Bias 0-3 kV
 TUNED by, coarse line
 RF 30 to 6 MHz, stable ±
 Orb F 26 to 22.3 MHz (protons)
 HARMONICS, RF/Orb F, used
 DEE - Gnd, max 10 kV, min gap 5 cm
 STABILITY, (pk-pk noise)/(pk RF volt)
 ENERGY GAIN, max 20 kV/turn
 RF PHASE, stable to ± deg
 RF POWER input, max 40 (avg.), 200 (pk) kW
 FREQUENCY MODULATION, rate 4000 /s
 modulator, type Swept Oscillator
 beam pulse, width 20 µsec

VACUUM SYSTEM
 OPERATING PRESSURE 10⁻⁵ Torr or mbar
 PUMPS, No, Type, Size 2x16" Oil Diffusion Pump
 10,000 l/sec each

ION SOURCES
 Cold Cathode PIG

INJECTION SYSTEM

Radial Extraction Ion-Source

EXTRACTION SYSTEM

Regeneration Deflection

FACILITIES FOR RESEARCH

SHIELDED AREA, fixed 125 m²; movable m²
 TARGET STATIONS 1 in rooms
 STATIONS served at same time, max
 MAG SPECTROGRAPH, type
 COMPUTER model
 OTHER FACILITIES Internal Bombardment Probes

CHARACTERISTIC BEAMS

PARTICLE	ENERGY (MeV)		CURRENT (µA)	
	Goal	Achieved	Internal	External
p	100	100	2	0.3
d	50	50	2	0.3
He-3	133	133	1	0.1
He-4	100	100	0.8	0.08

SECONDARY (part/a)

BEAM PROPERTIES

MEASURED CONDITIONS
 PULSE WIDTH RF deg µA of MeV ions
 PHASE EXC, max RF deg µA of MeV ions
 EXTRACT eff 10-15 % µA of MeV ions
 RESOL ΔE/E % µA of MeV ions
 EMITTANCE
 (π mm. mrad) { 15 axial } µA of MeV ions
 { 20 rad }

OPERATING PROGRAMS, time distribution
 BASIC NUCLEAR PHYSICS SOLID STATES PHYSICS
 BIOMEDICAL APPLICAT. ISOTOPE PRODUCTIONS

REFERENCES/NOTES

PLAN VIEW OF FACILITY, NOTEWORTHY FEATURES, COMMENTS

