

Entry: C63
Machine Name: Nuffield 60" Cyclotron
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HISTORY

Design by: Sir Mark Oliphant.....
Construction time: 10 years (stopped during WW II).....
First beam: 1948

CHARACTERISTIC BEAMS

ions / energy (MeV/n) / current (pps) / power (W) :
- He4 / 40 MeV / 250 μ A int.50. μ A ext.....
- He3 / 30 MeV / 250 μ A int.60. μ A ext.....
- d+ / 20. MeV / 500 μ A int.100. μ A ext.....
- p+ / 10 MeV / 500 μ A int.100. μ A ext.....
transmission efficiency (total)
- typical:% - best:%
transverse emittance (rms)
- vertical: π mm mrad
- horizontal: π mm mrad
longitudinal emittance (rms) Δ E/E.deg RF

USES

basic research:% therapy:%
development:% isotope production: 100 %
other applications:% maintenance:%
beam tuning:%
total time: 5500h/year

TECHNICAL DATA

a) magnet
type:
Kb: MeV/A Kf: MeV/A
average field (min-max): T
number of magnet sectors:
- angle: deg
- spiral (max): deg
pole parameters
- diameter: 1.8 m
- injection radius: m
- extraction radius: m
hill gap: 0.25 m valley gap: m
field trimming
- trim coils
- number: 9
- current (max): 2 A
- harmonic coils
- number:
- current (max): 5 radial/ 4 quadrature A
- others
- number:
- current (max): A
main coils:
- number: 32
- Ampere-turns: A.T.
- current: A
stored energy: MJ
weight : - iron: 250 t - coils: 40 t
power
- main coils (total): 40 kW
- trim coils (total max): 1.5 kW
- refrigerator (cryogenic): kW

b) RF

- acceleration
- frequency range: 10 (fixed) MHz
- harmonic modes:
- number of dees: 2
- angular aperture: deg
- voltage: - average (min-max): 50 kV
- variation with radius:
- power in (max): 80 kW
- stability: - phase: deg - voltage: %

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- other cavities
- purpose: MHz
- frequency range: MHz
- region of influence: m
- voltage (max): kV
- power in (max): kW
- stability:- phase: deg - voltage: %
c) injection
- internal source: Berkeley hooded arc hot cathode
- external (radial/axial): none
- elements:
- source voltage: kV
- injection energy: MeV/n
- buncher:
- injection efficiency: %
d) ion sources/injector
e) extraction
- elements, characteristics:
- electrostatic deflector 70 deg
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- efficiency
- typical:% - best:%
f) vacuum
- pumps: 2 x 37 cm + 22 cm booster
- achieved vacuum: 1.10^{-5} Pa

REFERENCES

EXPERIMENTAL FACILITIES

PLAN VIEW OF FACILITY

COMMENTS

This cyclotron is believed to be the oldest running machine and celebrates its 50th birthday this year