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Current and new facilities for radioactive beam physics

Map of Florida



Florida State University in 1851-First as a seminary for men then in 1904 as a women's college and then in 1947 became a co-ed university.

Today has 39,000 students.







Westcott Building, Florida State University, Tallahassee.

How do we know we have seen new physics with radioactive beams?

While I will discuss proposed new facilities here please keep in mind that we must have high quality stable beam data for comparison.

RIB* Facilities Present and Future

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*Rare Isotope Beam; Radioactive Ion Beam



Basic Techniques for Producing RIBs



ISOL Properties

In ISOL you have a driver beam, often protons that strikes a target say of uranium carbide heated to very high temperatures and then the radio active product is released and accelerated to energy of experiment.

Advantage- can get beams of low energy that are intense. Disadvantages- target chemistry and beam production very difficult each beam must be separately developed not possible to study short lived isotopes sources are very radioactive so really need several source boxes (typical cost \$1.5M)

In flight beam production

Fragment incoming beam on a Be target to produce product of interest for example use a ⁴⁸Ca primary beam to produce ⁴⁴S Advantages- Study very short lived nuclei, can use very thick targets Disadvantages-beams are moving at 0.5c so gamma rays have huge Doppler corrections, and theory of transfer reactions not well developed

At present the fragmentation technique is the only one that allows studies close to the neutron dripline for above mass 10 Inflight + Stopping

Use fragmentation to produce beam, stop beam in gas, extract products of interest, reacclerate and then use at energy you want

For example, with fast beams only Coulomb excite first 2+ but with low energy beams could observe first 3- etc

Theory of transfer reactions for low energies(~10 MeV/amu) is well developed so can extract information on location of single particle levels to search for predicted decrease of spin-orbit strength at neutron dripline

You can trap very exotic nuclei and search for exotic effects like anapole moments

Present Facilities* and the Science of RIBs

Science topics:

- masses, structure, reactions, astrophysics, ...
- Enormous growth over past decade!
- See talks at ENAM08!!





*Limited to facilities with multi-MeV beams



RIB Facilities (Operating or Under Construction)







European Facilities









Comparison of FRS with Super-FRS Apertures(Super-FRS) ≈ 2 X Apertures(FRS)



SPIRAL 2@GANIL - A world leading ISOL Facility





ISOLDE Hall









China, India and Japan









RIB Facilities at IMP - Lanzhou (China)

• RIBLL 1

RIBs produced via PF & transfer with primary beams up to Kr

• RIBLL 2

RIBs produced via PF & TF with primary beams up to U (Xe up to now)

• ETF

External Target Facility for RIB experiment & asymmetry nuclear matter research

• CSRe

Mass measurement with cooling storage ring



Hushan Xu

BRIF - CIAE Beijing (China)

100 MeV 200 μ A compact proton cyclotron 20000 mass resolution ISOL, 2 MeV/q super-conducting LINAC



XIth plan: Acceleration up to 1.3 MeV/u & Electron Linac as new primary accelerator

(funding obtained in December 2007)



North American Facilities









National Superconducting Cyclotron Laboratory **Coupled Cyclotron Facility**



Primary beams (He–U): $E/A \le 200 \text{ MeV}$ Fast and stopped rare isotopes beams Reaccelerated beams in 2010

Research themes:

Properties of nuclei very far from stability

Nuclear processes responsible for the chemical evolution of the universe

Equation of state (EOS) of neutron-rich nuclear matter

Beam dynamics and accelerator physics: superconducting cyclotrons, linacs, and magnets



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Holifield Rare Isotope Beam Facility CAK



CARIBU & Energy Upgrade CARIBU gives access to exotic beams

 Energy Upgrade provides beams from CARIBU in the Isobar separator
energy regime of 12 MeV/u





TwinSol at the Univ. of Notre Dame



- Two 6T superconducting solenoids act as thick lenses to focus an intense beam of shortlived radioactive ions onto a secondary target (in-flight production).
- Primary beams from a 10.5 MV FN-tandem accelerator.
- One of the first instruments to produce beams of radioactive ions at energies near the Coulomb barrier.



- In-flight production of radioactive beams in inverse kinematics
- Combination of Superconducting RF-Resonator with high acceptance magnetic Spectrograph to create mass spectrometer for E~5 MeV/u secondary beams

South America







São Paulo Pelletron Laboratory



The Future

- Continuing upgrades at existing facilities
- Completion of GSI/FAIR
- Development of high power at RIKEN
- New facilities





The European ISOL Road Map

ISOL





- Vigorous exploitation of current ISOL facilities : EXCYT, REX/ISOLDE, SPIRAL
- Construction of intermediate generation facilities: SPIRAL2, HIE-ISOLDE, SPES
- Design and prototyping in the framework of EURISOL Design-Study (20 Labs, 14 Countries, 30M€)



U.S. - FRIB



Recommendation 2:

We recommend construction of the Facility for Rare Isotope Beams, FRIB, a world-leading facility for the study of nuclear structure, reactions and astrophysics. Experiments with the new isotopes produced at FRIB will lead to a comprehensive description of nuclei, elucidate the origin of the elements in the cosmos, provide an understanding of matter in the crust of neutron stars, and establish the scientific foundation for innovative applications of nuclear science to society.

The Fills International Conference ENAGM '088 on Earth Vision International Conference

2007 Long Range Plan

Site selection underway soon!



FRIB at NSCL



FRIB at ANL



•Driver linac: 200 MeV/u²³⁸U, 400 kW (5x10¹³ uranium ions/s). All required accelerator structures prototyped at ANL;

•Rare isotopes for experimental program with stopped, reaccelerated and fast beams;

•Rare isotopes for reacceleration from ANL's gas stopping technique;

•*Reacceleration to ~ 15 MeV/u through ATLAS.*

FROM ENAM'04 to ENAM'08

- **GSI/FAIR** started
- RIKEN operating
- SPIRAL 2 started
- **ISOLDE** upgrade
- TRIUMF ISACII
- RIA [®] FRIB
- EURISOL R&D

- New smaller projects
 - Beam at **EXCYT**
 - CARIBU at ATLAS
 - TAMU upgrade
 - High power target at HRIBF
 - Low energy beams at MSU
 - Solenoids at Florida State
 - VEC upgrade
 - Beijing upgrade
 - Lanzhou Facility



