# **Positron Source Upgrade**

(FC modulator development is covered by M. Akemoto's talk)

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#### **SuperKEKB Injector**



## **Positron Capture Section (PCS)**



#### e+ source issues discussed here

1) target & beam-spoiler design for protection against target destruction

2) Flux Concentrator system development (magnet, modulator, detachable girder)

3) Capture parameter optimization on e+ yield and satellite particle elimination

4) e+/e- compatible optics design and direct e+ injection without DR

# (1) Positron Production Target & Beam-Spoiler

#### target offset & beam hole



- injection e- beam on axis to preserve low emittance
- primary e- beam 2~3 mm off axis (target offset 3.5 mm, FC offset 2.0mm)

e+ yield degradation by this offset should be evaluated with full 3D tracking simulation

## target shape & thermal analysis



target design is ongoing considering cooling efficiency analysis and field reduction by eddy current

target size should fit in the available space between a yoke and FC





ANSYS calculation by L. Zang

#### target destruction issue



We should enlarge design spot size 0.5 mm -> 0.7 mm for safety margin at a cost of 10 % yield degradation

#### target protection



- beam spoiler to maintain spot size  $\sigma_x \sigma_y > 0.7$  mm on target
- avoid too small beam spot on spoiler & on target, need monitoring spot sizes and focusing magnet settings
- D & t should be optimized considering beam line layout
- at a distance D = 3.0 (m), thickness t = 0.5 (mm) for AI plate



# (2) Flux Concentrator system development

#### **SLAC-type Flux Concentrator**

- First prototype is fabricated with helps of drawings from SLAC and IHEP
- it is for stand-alone test with a simplified vacuum chamber
- started a test operation and field measurement with a prototype modulator
- conductor is made of HRSC copper



SLAC-type FC	parameters
length	100 mm
outer diameter	100 mm
inner diameter (min.)	7 mm
inner diameter (max.)	52 mm
peak current	12 kA
pulse width	5 μs (half-sine)
peak field	3.9 T
inductance	1.0 μΗ

#### **FC** material choice

- Candidate material OFC & HRSC Heat Resistance, high Strength & Conductivity copper (Mitsubishi Material co.)
- vibration measurement gives similar result
- avoid hardening of copper by manual pressing
- difference in impedances
   (80 % conductivity in HRSC)
- decision will be made with results of operation tests of prototype-1 (HRSC) prototype-2 (OFC) under fabrication



## FC slit machining at KEK

- Slit machining was performed at KEK machine workshop with an electrical discharge wire cutting machine.
- 0.15 mm thick wire
- 0.2 ~ 0.25 mm slit gap
- special wire path shape with a sapphire pulley devised for FC fabrication





#### FC test stand

- started operation on 2013/2/26
   low current operation (1.36 kA) in the air for field measurement
- high current operation (~6 kA) in a vacuum will start soon





## FC modulator (prototype)

- modulator with thyratron
   [1] prototype modulator
   I<sub>peak</sub> = 6 kA for FC tests and for initial commissioning (2013 Dec. -> 2014 Jun.)
- [2] operation model modulator
   I<sub>peak</sub> = 12 kA for FC tests and for commissioning
   (2014 Oct. -> )
- half-sine 5 µsec pulse
  stability 0.3% p-p

Details on the modulator is covered by M. Akemoto's talk





### quick detachable girder

- FC girder is designed to be quick detachable to minimize worker's radiation dose in FC exchange work.
- wave guide disconnection in distant position from FC
- quick coupling vacuum flange
- quick coupling water, electricity connection





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# (3) Capture parameter optimization on e+ yield and satellite elimination

#### **Capture Section with LAS**





- LAS with SLEDs for sufficient field gradient
  - breakdown issue of LAS in solenoid field
  - non sharp-peaked RF pulse shape

#### why no L-band in PCS ?

- L-band first introduced for larger acceptance
- Later, L-band found useful for satellite particle elimination
- However, L-band components are costly
- Recent simulation study shows capture section of all LAS can give sufficient satellite particle elimination as L-band
- e+ capture with high-field deceleration is effective in this elimination

#### high-field decel. eliminate satellites



#### e+ capture simulation



#### satellite formation



# (4) e+/e- compatible beam optics design & direct e+ injection without DR

# e+ beam line (1-6→2-8) & optics

#### SAD calculation by T. Miura

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# e+ beam line (3-1→5-8) & optics

#### SAD calculation by T. Miura



#### e- beam optics

#### SAD calculation by T. Miura



- e+/e- compatible (compromised) optics in Sector-1, 2 of DC quads area (e+ oriented optics with adjustment for e- matching)
- e- oriented optics setting in Sector-3,4,5 by pulse quads
- small acceptance in Sector-3,4,5 is sufficient for small emittance e-

## direct e+ injection w/o DR

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- in early design stage, LER injection w/o DR is not expected
- in sector-3, 4, 5, acceptance becomes smaller
  - by introducing pulse quads,
    - [1] triplet->FODO
    - [2] smaller aperture
- this acceptance is sufficient for small emittance e+/e-, but not for large emittance e+
- very low e+ transmission in sector-3, 4, 5

### beam loss of large emittance e+



## e+ injection with old quads ?

SAD tracking by N. lida



#### Option to achieve higher e+ transmission

- Existing triplets in sector-3, 4, 5 with large aperture (a = 10 mm) gives larger beam transmission in linac
- cannot switch optics pulse-by-pulse with DC magnets
- budget constraint on pulse quad fabrication and installation

e+ intensity at linac-end **3.41 nC** 

transmission efficiency at BT-line should be evaluated !!

# **Schedule & Summary**

#### e+ schedule for next 1 year

- components development & fabrication
- e+ capture section installation (2013 Jul, Aug, Sep)
  - DC solenoids & LAS installation
- e- commissioning from A1-gun to linac-end (2013 Oct)
- e+ target installation (2013 Nov)
  - ♦ e+ target, FC & FODO (Sector-1, 2) installation
- e+ commissioning (2013 Dec-2014 Jun)

#### [Constraints]

- ✤ e- intensity 5 nC (~ 10 nC)
- beam repetition ~ 1 Hz radiation limit, w/o shield around target
- FC current 6 kA (half of full spec.) prototype half spec. modulator
- DC solenoid currents 325 A (half of full spec.)

water & electricity facilities are not yet upgraded

pulse quads not yet installed

#### Summary

#### 1) target & spoiler design is ongoing

- 2) FC prototype-1 started test operation with a prototype (half spec.) modulator
- 3) Capture section with no L-band designed for sufficient e+ yield and satellite elimination
- 4) e+/e- compatible optics in Sector-1, 2 and independent optics with pulse quads in Sector-3, 4, 5 designed
- 5) direct e+ injection w/o DR gives large beam loss in linac
- 6) development, fabrication and installation of components will be performed for 1-st stage e+ commissioning at 2013 December.