

ColMat

Welcome and Task 1

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LHC Accelerator Research Program (US government funding):



To be approved (German government funding, BMBF):



**Welcome to all participants who
have come to CERN or called in via
telephone.**

→ round-table

- Coordination and scheduling of the WP tasks.
- Monitoring the work, informing the project management and participants within the JRA.
- WP budget follow-up.
- Design **collimation systems for high-intensity proton and ion beams, adequate for achieving the performance goals of LHC and FAIR.**
- Predict **energy deposition** from different sources for LHC and FAIR.

- Identify and fully characterize in experiment and simulation **materials that are adequate for usage in high power accelerators.**
- Predict residual dose rates for irradiated materials and their **life expectancy** due to accumulated **radiation damage.**
- Design, construct and test a **collimator prototype for upgraded LHC performance.**
- Design, construct and test one **cryogenic collimator prototype for use in FAIR** and possibly LHC.
- Develop **crystal engineering solutions** for collimation.

| Mile-stone | Description/title | Nature | Delivery month | Comment |
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| 8.1.1 | 1 st annual ColMat review meeting | O | M12 | |
| 8.1.2 | 2 nd annual ColMat review meeting | O | M24 | |
| 8.1.3 | 3 rd annual ColMat review meeting | O | M36 | |
| 8.1.4 | Final ColMat review meeting | O | M48 | |
| 8.2.1 | Functional specification LHC of beam loss and collimator design | R | M12 | Simulations and design completed. |
| 8.2.2 | Upgrade LHC collimator specification | R, D | M24 | Materials characterized and tested. Review of results and specification. |
| 8.2.3 | Functional specification FAIR of beam loss and collimator design | R | M12 | Simulations and design completed. |
| 8.3.1.1 | LHC type collimator designed | R | M20 | warm collimator |
| 8.3.1.2 | LHC type collimator constructed | P | M26 | |
| 8.3.1.3 | LHC type collimator tested | R | M30 | |
| 8.3.2.1 | FAIR type collimator designed | R | M24 | cryogenic collimator |
| 8.3.2.2 | FAIR type collimator constructed | P | M36 | |

| Deliverables of tasks | Description/title | Nature | Delivery month |
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| 8.1.1 | ColMat web-site linked to the technical and administrative databases | O | M48 |
| 8.1.2 | Collimator specification for LHC upgrade parameters | R | M24 |
| 8.1.3 | Collimator specification for FAIR | R | M24 |
| 8.2.1 | Report on modelling and materials | R | M36 |
| 8.3.1 | One primary collimator with optional crystal feature, tested with beam | P | M42 |
| 8.3.2 | One cryogenic collimator, tested with beam | P | M30 |

Task 1 **ColMat Coordination and Communication.**

R. Assmann & J. Stadlmann

Task 2 **Modelling, Materials, Tests for Hadron Beams.**

A. Bertarelli

- A) Halo studies and beam modeling
- B) Energy deposition calculations & tests
- C) Materials and thermal shock waves
- D) Radiation damage

Task 3 **Collimator Prototyping & Testing for Hadron Beams.**

*P. Spiller
R. Assmann*

- A) Prototyping, laboratory tests and beam tests of room-temperature collimators (LHC type). Crystals.
- B) Prototyping of cryogenic collimators (FAIR type).

- Management should be kept to the minimum: I propose **1 formal meeting per year**, as required by EU.
 - First meeting: today
 - Second meeting: May 2010!?
- Reporting should be kept to minimum. Propose **yearly meetings as place to report**. Form to be clarified.
- Propose to add **EuCARD/ColMat acknowledgement** to relevant papers, to qualify as deliverable.
- Now, to **build a collaboration** we need more contact.
 - We brought many of our collaborators today, so please get in touch.
 - We can **organize regular phone conference meetings** (once every 4 weeks?) to regularly exchange ideas and work progress (per WP, per task, per sub-task, ...).
 - Visits and research stays.

- Discussion...
- Questions...