

Review on PSB 160 MeV H- Injection

Report of Contributions

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Welcome and Introduction to LIU Project

Wednesday 9 November 2011 09:00 (15 minutes)

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PSB H- Injection Concept

Wednesday 9 November 2011 09:15 (15 minutes)

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KSW Painting magnets

Wednesday 9 November 2011 11:00 (15 minutes)

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Injection foils and handling system

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The linac4 beam will be injected horizontally into the PSB by means of an H- charge-exchange injection system using a graphite stripping foil to paint the beam into the required emittance. This presentation will describes the hardware requirements and constraints, the performance specifications of the stripping foil and the conceptual design of the foil exchange unit and motorisation.

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Beam Instrumentation in the BOOSTER injection region

Wednesday 9 November 2011 14:00 (30 minutes)

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Beam losses

Wednesday 9 November 2011 14:30 (30 minutes)

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Commissioning strategy and timeline

Wednesday 9 November 2011 15:00 (30 minutes)

The novel H- injection of Linac4 into the PS Booster will require a complete rebuilding of the PSB injection section. The connection is presently foreseen to be ready for late 2015. 3 months must be available for installation of the new injection equipment and related machine modifications after one month of radiation cool-down, followed by 3 months of beam commissioning.

The presentation will mention the dry run tests that will close up the installation phase and will define the starting conditions for beam commissioning. This has been divided up in 4 distinct phases; for each of these phases the required starting conditions will be mentioned and planned measurements and adjustments described in detail.

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Questions by Reviewers, and discussions with experts

Wednesday 9 November 2011 16:00 (1h 30m)

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Review Closing Remarks

Thursday 10 November 2011 11:00 (1 hour)

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PSB H- Injection Vacuum analysis

Wednesday 9 November 2011 12:00 (15 minutes)

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