



# Identification of the Key Areas for the TIARA R&D Program

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# WP4

- «Coordination» workpackage dealing with
  - Joint R&D Programming
    - Overall status presented on Thursday
- This Work Package is primarily devoted to
  - identify the critical technical issues in the field of accelerator science
  - to define a joint **R&D Programme** to be carried out with the European distributed accelerator R&D infrastructure, proposed by TIARA
- Interaction with other Coordination WP3
  - Accelerator R&D Infrastructures



# Key Area Identification

**Analysis of needs of future  
large accelerator projects and  
of emerging ideas/technologies**

**Critical  
Key Accelerator  
Research Areas /  
Key Technical  
R&D Issues**

**D4.1 KARA/KTI**

**R&D  
Program**

# List KARA/KTI

ESGARD  
survey in 2010  
among the 37  
EuCARD  
partners



Extended within  
WP4 members  
(assisted by  
colleagues from  
our home  
institutions)




Collected broad  
areas needing R&D,  
with potential impact  
on community

- HEP/Nuclear
- technical requirements for  
accelerators as drivers of  
“analytical” facilities  
(Neutron Sources, FELs,  
Ultimate light sources, ...)



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- Issued December 2011, after approval of GC
  - Base for WP4 Joint R&D Programme
  - Mapping R&D items/Projects



Test infrastructure and Accelerator Research Area

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### General Report on Key Issues

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Domain	Projects	ESFRI Project List												
		XFEL	FAIR	ESS	LHC Upgrades (HL-HE)	Linear Colliders (ILC, CLIC)	Flavour Factories (SuperB)	Neutrino Factories Muon Colliders	High Intensity Hadron Facilities (Eurusol, ADS/MYRRHA, IFMF)	3 <sup>rd</sup> Generation radiation sources	4 <sup>th</sup> Generation radiation sources, FEL, ERL	5 <sup>th</sup> Generation radiation sources		
Accelerator Components	<b>KARA</b>													
	Sources and Injectors	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	
	RF Structures	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x			x	
	RF Systems	x		x		x	x			x			x	
	SC Magnets		x		x	x	x	x						
	Conventional NC Magnet Systems		x			x						x	x	x
	Diagnostic and Instrumentation	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	Targetry		x	x	x	x			x	x				
	Radiation Issues		x	x	x	x			x	x				
	Accelerator Technologies	Electronics and Software	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
UHV		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
RF Sources		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Cryogenics		x	x	x	x	x			x	x				
Alignment and Stabilization		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
Accelerator Concepts	Accelerator Design		x	x			x	x	x	x				x
	Beam Dynamics		x	x	x			x	x	x				x
	FEL Processes	x											x	x
	Beam Cooling		x						x					
	New Techniques for High Gradient Acceleration						x							x
Medical and Industrial Accelerators														

# Cannot condense all in 20 m! Outline...



1. Accelerator Components

2. Accelerator Technologies

3. Accelerator Concepts



# 1. Accelerator Components

- Sources and Injectors
- RF structures
- SC magnets
- Conventional NC magnets
- Diagnostics and instrumentation
- Targetry
- Radiation issues

For each of these Key Areas, a further level (Key Technical Issues) is provided, with a ½-1 page description



# Sources/Injectors - Issues

- Crucial elements for achievement of beam quality and intensity for all facilities under investigation
- R&D needed to progress the state of the art in
  - High brightness e- photoinjectors
  - High intensity ion and proton injectors
  - High polarisation e- and e+ sources
  - RFQ design and development
  - Hollow beam generation
  - Beam funneling schemes





# Sources/Injectors - PhotoInj

- High brightness e- photoinjectors
  - Ultra low emittance/high intensity e- beams needed for FELs and ERLs
  - Drive laser and cathode technology issues
  - Explore CW high intensity frontier (SC guns)
  - Consolidate the design of bunch compression stages using high harmonic schemes, non magnetic compression, and laser heaters to mitigate instabilities (NC and SC versions)
  - Low emittance/ultra-short pulses at high rep rates are needed for future 4<sup>o</sup> gen light sources, e.g. for molecular dynamics at high resolution and single shot crystallography



# Sources/Injectors – Proton/Ion

- Heavy Ion and Proton Injectors
  - High intensity beams for heavy ion complexes (FAIR) and high intensity ion beams (IFMIF)
    - ECRIS at high frequency still need R&D
    - Other sources (MEVVA/CHORDIS/MUCIS) may deliver higher ion intensities at low charge states and low duty cycle
    - Neutralized beam transport in LEBT and efficient acceleration in CH structures need to be demonstrated
  - High intensity proton injectors (ESS, EURISOL, MYRRHA,...)
    - ECR with better RF coupling and plasma diagnostics and control are under development
    - Transport and matching to RFQ in a LEBT is also a challenge for simulation methods



# Sources/Injectors – Sources

- Highly Polarised e- and e+ Sources
  - For linear colliders (independent from ML technology)
    - Either from conversion of polarized photons produced in helical undulators by high energy e- beams or based on Compton sources
      - Both require intensive R&D in most components (lasers, rings, capture RF structures, conversion targets, ...)
  - Essential for the physics program of SuperB
    - Polarized injector and control of polarization in the complex
- Hollow Beams
  - Based on Tevatron program, their use would allow to extend conventional collimation systems beyond the limits foreseen by tolerable losses
    - Concept proven, but alignment and control of beam profile and intensity is to be demonstrated



# Sources/Injectors – Injectors...

- RFQ Development
  - Key component in low energy chains for proton and ion facilities (ESS, IFMIF, MYRRHA/ADS, RIBs, ...)
  - Specialized devices tailored for specific applications (especially at increasing design intensities) still present significant challenges in the realization and operation
    - tight tolerance budgets during brazing of long sections
    - handling of substantial heat loads for CW structures
- Beam Funneling
  - As a mean to double beam current for extremely high currents (e.g. «industrial scale» ADS waste transmuter)



# RF Structures: Gradient

- Both NC and SC RF structures demand **higher gradient than state of art in a reliable way**
  - CLIC towards 100 MV/m at low breakdown rates
  - C-Band and X-Band structures for moderate gradients as XFEL drivers (SwissFEL, FERMI, SPARC, but also SuperB)
  - SC structures for electrons need to stabilize high yields at the highest gradients (approaching limiting mechanisms) (XFEL, ESS, EURISOL, ILC, ...)
- Several issues are common:
  - Surface preparation, cleaning, industrialization
  - Cross breeding opportunity between separated communities



# RF Structures - SC

- SC technology for «**low beta**» still not matched to state-of-the-art of electron cavities (SPIRAL2, ESS, EURISOL, MYRRHA, ...)
  - Margin for bridging the communities and closing the performance gap, on the way...
- **Ancillaries for high power** operation
  - SC power couplers at high average power, high duty cycle or even CW operation are needed (ESS, ADS, ERLs, ...)
  - HOM antennas and couplers (and theory...)
- **Beyond Nb** limits ( $> 45$  MV/m)
  - High  $T_c$ , multilayer shielding, need to move from samples to realistic RF structure prototypes



# RF Structures - Various

- Crab Cavities for crab crossing in colliders (HL-LHC, LCs)
  - NC and SC variants, with many R&D issues to solve concerning feasibility (HOM control, LLRF, engineered solutions, ...)
- 6D Muon beam cooling
  - Low frequency SC structures at 200 MHz challenge the Nb sputter technology
  - NC structures challenged by high gradients in strong magnetic fields
- Variable low-frequency resonators
  - New materials for MA loader RF structures



# SC Magnets - Field

- NbTi technology close to max theoretical performances
  - R&D necessary on material and technologies for the 20 T range and beyond in a staged approach
    - $Nb_3Sn$  as an intermediate R&D path to access the 15 T range
      - Already used in NMR magnets and selected for ITER
      - Accelerator magnets have more stringent requirements in term of coil dimensions/positioning and control of magnetization, to achieve the necessary field quality
        - » Specific R&D technological effort
    - 20 T magnets for HE-LHC could be then reached by a combination of  $Nb_3Sn$  and HT superconductors (HTS)
      - Ongoing R&D since FP6-NED and FP7-EUCARD-HFM
    - 2G HTS cables (e.g. YBCO) promising for 30 T range





# SC Magnets – Fast Cycling

- **Fast Cycling SC magnets** are needed for
  - More compact and energy-saving injector chains
    - CERN SPS requires 70 MW, a SC version would require about 20 MW
  - High repetition rate synchrotrons for intense ion beams (e.g. FAIR)
- R&D for this needs to be focussed on
  - development of low loss cables
  - handling and minimization of eddy currents and hysteresis losses in the magnet structure



# SC Magnets – Eng. Challenges

- The integrated design of high field magnets is an extreme engineering challenge in several aspects:
  - Production of compact (85-90%) HTS cables capable of carrying 10 kA under high stresses
  - Restraining of e.m. Forces with compact structures
  - Dealing with huge stored energies (up to 100 GJ)
  - Superconductor «grading» (different conductors in same coil)
  - Radiation resistant materials for coils and structure
  - Improved He cooling to remove heat in thick coils
    - Especially for higher energy and luminosities
  - Engineering of fast cycling magnets (5-6 T, 1-4 T/s)



# SC Magnets - Other

- Cryogen-free magnet systems for accelerators
  - Targeting medical, industrial or security applications
- High field short period SC undulator magnets
  - E.g. Compact damping ring for LC
- High field small magnets with rare earth pole tips
  - E.g. To provide high luminosity for muon colliders



# Conventional NC Magnets

- Though a well-established technology, new requirements come from light sources and compact accelerators
  - Compact magnets for small facilities
  - Radiation resistant magnets
    - Mitigate synchrotron radiation damage
  - Insertion devices
    - E.g. Short period, In-vacuum undulators
  - Fast kickers
    - For injection and extraction in complexes, with individual bunch selection from train for damping rings or beamlines
  - Compact, large aperture FFAG magnets
  - Transparent injection schemes for Top-Up
    - Tight tolerance/stability to preserve stored beam



# Diagnostics and Instrumentation

- Area of constant evolution/improvement, driven by ever increasing demand of resolution, bandwidth, dynamic range, stability
  - **BPM** developments
    - Needed for ultimate light sources and high energy colliders
      - Better resolution for orbit correction, beam based alignment, feedback systems and single/multi bunch motion control
    - New ideas (e.g. Hom-BPMs)
  - **Size and emittance** monitors (long/transv)
    - E.g. High resolution laserwire systems, sub-ps length by electro-optical methods, otr monitors, ...
    - Intense Proton/ion beams require non-invasive non-interceptive techniques to guarantee low beam losses and no activation
    - RIBs need sensitive diagnostics for low currents



# Targetry

- Several hadron projects have severe demands in this area to deal with the large beam power
- LHC upgrades, ESS, ADS, FAIR, EURISOL
  - High power targets for secondary beams
    - Thick/thin, low/high Z, pulsed/cw: depending on application, but all with many peculiar engineering challenges
  - Radiation damage investigation by PIE
    - Experimental assessments needed (STIP, Hiradmat)
  - Monte Carlo Codes Validation
    - Benchmark with experiments needed
  - Crystal channeling for beam collimation



# Radiation issues

## Radiation protection aspects for high beam power facilities

- Prompt irradiation and radioactivity estimations
  - Need new tools for simulation to increase accuracy in low secondary production yields and investigate regions not covered by nuclear data libraries
    - Benchmarking
- Collimation schemes to reduce<sub>(concentrate)</sub> activation
  - Halo collimation systems/Multiple stage collimators
- Compact shielding
  - Important for medical applications, where materials and techniques for improved shielding of neutron/gamma radiation may help deployment in H



## 2. Accelerator Technologies

There is more than just components, facilities need a complex technological infrastructure for operation. R&D is needed and beneficial, e.g.:

- Electronics/Software
  - Cost Driver. Trend is standardization (e.g. uTCA)
- Vacuum
- RF power sources and systems
  - Energy efficiency (large operation cost driver!)
- Cryogenics
  - Again energy efficiency
    - especially when COP is low!  $1W@2K = 750 W@RT$
- Alignment/stabilization schemes





# 3. Accelerator Concepts

Last group of Key Accelerator Research Areas, covering design issues for future facilities or promising technologies, not yet implemented in facilities

- Accelerator Design
- Beam Dynamics
- FEL processes
- Beam cooling
- New high gradient acceleration techniques
- Medical/Industrial accelerators



# Machine Design

- Design for Reliability and Availability
  - Important for analytical facilities (users), but a common concern to all machines
  - For ADS: «nuclear» context requires formal RAM assessments from the early design stages
- Losses and machine protection at high power
- Simple and compact application accelerators
- Energy efficiency and storage
  - Develop new concepts for the development of energy efficient accelerators, e.g. recovering the large amount of power which is routinely removed by the cooling circuits



# Beam Dynamics

Pushing limits of computational tools for simulation and prediction of the achievement of

- High luminosity in circular and linear colliders
- High energies for hadron colliders, in regimes where synchrotron radiation and damping becomes relevant
- High beam stabilities
- Beam emittances for «ultimate» rings
- Low loss acceleration of high intensity hadron beams
- Plasma acceleration schemes
- Novel fast acceleration systems for unstable particles

Need of **new concepts** for  
optics / beam manipulation / beam correction

Plus many other specific critical technical issues that are (briefly) described in WP4 deliverable and that need collaborative R&D efforts to find solutions for the future project needs

Cannot be all listed in a talk



# Concluding message

- The Key Area Deliverable is out
- Base for the **TIARA Joint R&D Programme**
  - Space for improvement until end of TIARA-PP, we are only halfway through it
- You are encouraged to flip through it/read it, send feedback and proposal for improvements to WP4
  - Contribute to the process!