### **Recent Electron-Cloud Mitigation Studies at KEK**

E-cloud mitigation mini-workshop on 20-21 November at CERN

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# **Introduction**



#### **G** KEKB : double ring collider with one collision point

- High Energy Ring (HER) : Electron ring
  - Energy : 8 GeV, Current : ~970 mA, bunch space : 3~6 ns, bunch charge : ~0.9 $\times$ 10<sup>-8</sup> C
- Low Energy Ring (LER) : Positron ring

Energy : 3.5 GeV, Current : ~1600 mA, bunch space : 3~6 ns, bunch charge : ~1.2×10<sup>-8</sup> C



# **Clearing Electrode 1**

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- Mitigation of E-cloud in Magnets
  - Clearing electrode and electron detector was installed in Wiggler magnet.
    (placed at the center of pole)
  - To ascertain the effect of electrode, the electron density was measured from just under electrode.
  - Tolerance for high beam current was also tested.

#### Wiggler magnet

Magnetic filed: 0.77 TEffective length: 346 mmAperture (height): 110 mm



Test chamber



Electron detector

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## **Clearing Electrode 2**

#### Cross-section Drawing

- Very thin electrode (0.1 mm, Tungsten) and insulator (0.2 mm, Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>) were developed.
- Strips measure the horizontal spatial distribution of the e-cloud.







#### **C** Top view & side view



## **Clearing Electrode 4**



#### Results

Drastic decrease in electron density was demonstrated by applying positive voltage.



# Groove surface (preliminary)

- Effect of groove surface will be ascertained this autumn. (collaboration with SLAC)
  - Electrode will be replaced by groove surface.
  - Same setup for clearing electrode is utilized.

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[Groove]

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- **Groove structure was designed and manufactured in SLAC.**
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TiN~50 nm







# **TiN coating 1**



- Reduction of SEY of beam duct by coating
  - TiN coating system for long beam ducts was built at KEK.
    - Coating was done by DC magnetron sputtering of titanium in Ar and N<sub>2</sub>.
    - Schickness : 200 nm
    - Maximum SEY of TiN film on sample piece was 0.84 (electron dose : 0.001 C/mm<sup>2</sup>)
  - Several beam ducts have been coated with TiN, and installed in KEKB LER.





## **TiN coating 2**





# **TiN coating 3**





Combination of beam duct with antechambers and TiN coating is a promising candidate for future high current machines.

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## **Graphitization 1**



- Electron beam induced graphitization is also studied.
  - Graphitized surfaces have shown low SEY in laboratory experiments.
    - Maximum SEY decreased to 1.0-1.1 (electron irradiated : 0.0016 C/mm<sup>2</sup>)
  - Setup for graphitization of copper beam duct was newly developed.
    - 500 eV electrons irradiate to duct surface.
    - **C** Emission Current Density : 170μA/cm<sup>2</sup>



**Graphitization 2** 



- Measurement of electron density in KEKB
  - Graphitization is effective to reduce electron cloud density.
  - Effect is less than TiN and NEG.



- Graphite layer was too thin (FWHM ~10 nm).
- Thicker carbon coating on copper duct is in preparation.

- Measurement of electron density in solenoid coil
  - Only high energy electrons produced near the bunch can enter the groove and reach the detector behind it.
  - With the help of simulation detector current is converted into the density near the beam.



#### Groove





#### Inside of the chamber



- Measurement of electron density in Q-magnet
  - Electrons accelerated by a bunch along X-axis reach the detector.
  - Electrons accelerated with small angle to X-axis moves spirally around X-axis losing their energy along X-axis to the spiral motion.
  - Lectrons with sufficient energy and direction close to X-axis reach the detector.
  - Solution: With the help of simulation detector current is converted into the density near the





Detector

• Electron cloud density with quadrupole field (B' = 3.32 T/m)



- 1) COD
- 2) Relative position to the primary synchrotron radiation
- 3) Output offset of amplifier in measurement system.
- Solution The observed value in Q-Magnet is close to the estimation by simulation





- Various studies on the electron cloud mitigation have been done at KEKB positron ring.
  - **Clearing electrode**
  - 💪 Groove surface
  - 🕒 TiN coating
  - Graphitization
  - Beam duct with antechambers
- Mitigation methods, such as clearing electrode and coating gave reasonable effect.
- New RFA type electron detectors was developed and installed in KEKB LER to measure the electron cloud density in solenoid coil and quadrupole magnet.
- Sor SuperKEKB :
  - Drift space : antechamber + solenoid + TiN coating
  - Magnet space : antechamber + TiN coating + clearing electrode? groove surface?