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Facility update, SwissFEL

8th Hard X-ray FEL Collaboration meeting PAL Pohang, 24-26 October 2016



SwissFEL in a nutshell



Main narameters

Aramis

	wall parameters	
Hard X-ray FEL, λ =0.1-0.7 nm	Wavelength from	1 Å - 70 Å
Linear polarization, variable gap, in-vacuum Undulators	Photon energy	0.2-12 keV
First users 2017	Pulse duration	1 fs - 20 fs
Athos	e ⁻ Energy	5.8 GeV
Soft X-ray FEL, λ=0.65-5.0 nm	e ⁻ Bunch charge	10-200 pC
Variable polarization, Apple undulators	Repetition rate	100 Hz
First users 2020		





Central Control Room



SwissFEL building evolution









SwissFEL installation progress













Installation and tuning of waveguides (waveguides delivered from MHI-MS)



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Two prototypes were tested at PSI for evaluation of the series.

50 MW / 3µs RF, 370kV / 344A / <20 ppm voltage stability pulse to pulse @ 100 Hz

AMPEGON



- 13 modulators (Linac 1, Linac 2)
- 1 installed
- others from Nov. 2016 June 2017



- 13 modulators (Linac 3)
- Installation planned from March 2016 Sep. 2017



Linac schedule 2016 & 2017



Conditioning of first C-band module



Session Accelerator C

Florian Loehl, "Experience with high power RF sources and RF conditioning"



October 6th, 12th Undulator installed



12 Undulator in Tunnel and under vacuum ! Gap control already under EPICS.

Mover control going on

	Magnet Arrays	Undulator	Inner I beam	Optimization without	Vacuum Chamber	Optimization with		
Heilige List Name	Delivery (RI)	Frame at PSI	assembled	Vacuum chamber	Installed	Vacuum chamber	Under vacuum	In Tunnel
SARUN15	May 2015	U15_41802						25.01.2016
SARUN14	July 2015	U15_41694		Phase = 6 deg at K=1.2		10.02.2016		26.02.2016
SARUN13	July 2015	U15_40679				02.03.2016		21.03.2016
SARUN12	October 2015	U15_41020		Phase = 1.8 deg at K=1.2		09.03.2016		11.04.2016
SARUN11	October 2015	U15_42287						02.05.2016
SARUN10	December 2015	U15_40971						20.05.2016
SARUN09	December 2015	U15_40101						13.06.2016
SARUN08	24.03.2016	U15_40046						27.07.2016
SARUN07	01.06.2016	U15_42292						22.08.2016
SARUN06	Mrz 16	U15_42718				start 11.08.2016		12.09.2016
SARUN05	Jun 16	U15_40730						03.10.2016
SARUN04	May2016	U15_38764						06.10.2016
SARUN03		U15_35159						01.01.2017

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Date	achievement	active RF stations	E _{electron}	Z _{Beam dump}
August 24	First electrons from gun with 7.9MeV	15	7.9 MeV	4 m
September 7	First electron to injector beam dump	35	145 MeV	119 m
September 8	First acceleration with one C-band module	3S 1C	390 MeV	119 m
October 7	Beam line injector to main dump completed and un	der vacuum		
next goal	Beam transport through undulators to main dump	5S 1C	560 MeV	619 m



Challenges ahead

- Permits of radiation safety authorities for next phases
- 25 out of 33 RF modulators still to be delivered, installed and commissioned
- Radiation dose limiting system still to be delivered, installed and commissioned
- RF Conditioning of 25 C-band modules
- Setting up the electron beam for lasing





ATHOS

Soft X-ray FEL, λ=0.65-5.0 nm

full polarization control withU38 Apple-X Undulators

Switch Yard: already installed in phase 1

Extraction done at constant energy of 3 GeV



ATHOS, second SwissFEL Undulator Line L≈220m



Courtesy Romain Ganter



ATHOS overall time plan



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New configuration for ATHOS

[Eduard Prat and Sven Reiche PRL 114, 2448 (2015)] [Eduard Prat, F. Löhl, S. Reiche, PRSTAB 18, 100701 (2015)]

Chic=**C**hicanes for **H**igh power and **I**mproved **C**oherence

- Inject tilted beam to only drive FEL amplification in one slice.
- Delay bunch and align bunch slice, where radiation pulse overlaps with beam.
 - Superradiant amplification by fresh bunch slice
- Delay and align multiple times to supply continuously fresh bunch parameters







Session Accelerator B

Thomas Schmidt, Apple-X undulator for Athos and EU-XFEL (SASE 3)



Photon Beamlines and Experiments



Session Photonics A

Uwe Flechsig, "Status of the SwissFEL optics"

Paul Beaud, "Laser timing and jitter diagnostics tools for SwissFEL experimental stations"



ESA hutch: work in progress





ESB hutch: work in progress





The Jungfrau 2D detector courtesy Aldo Mozzanica



- Specifically developed for SwissFEL applications
- Charge integrating detector with dynamic gain switching, with:
 - Front end electronics similar to AGIPD and GOTTHARD
 - Dimensions, sensor and mechanics similar to the EIGER project: 75x75 mm² pixel size, 4x8 cm² module area.
- 500k (one module), 1M (2 modules), 4M and 16M (ESA-ESB main instruments, 32 modules) systems are foreseen
- Horizontal gaps very small (8px)
- compact (20-25cm) in the Z direction
- Vacuum compatible option

JUNGFRAU 0.1: A. Mozzanica et al., JINST, 9, C05010, 2014 JUNGFRAU 0.2: J. H. Jungmann-Smith et al., JINST, 9, P12013, 2014 JUNGFRAU Technical Design Report, J.H. Smith et al., SwissFEL website, 2015



First Tests@ LCLS





The first years of user operation at SwissFEL are driven by:

- Improving the performance of ARAMIS accelerator, beamlines and stations
- Installation and commissioning of ATHOS
- Building up operation and exploitation experience

Session Photon B

Luc Patthey, First experiments and user operation at SwissFEL



ARAMIS Next milestones





SwissFEL presentations

Subject	Presenter	Session
Overview of collaborations for beam diagnostics with PSI involvement	Nicole Hiller	Accelerator A
Status of the SwissFEL optics	Uwe Flechsig	Photon A
Laser timing and jitter diagnostics tools for SwissFEL experimental stations	Paul Beaud	Photon A
First experiments and user operation at SwissFEL	Luc Patthey	Photon B
Design strategies for Athos	Sven Reiche	Accelerator B
Apple-X undulator for Athos and EU-XFEL (SASE 3)	Thomas Schmidt	Accelerator B
Experience with high power RF sources and RF conditioning	Florian Loehl	Accelerator C



Facility filled and under pressure !

