



AMICI

WP5.2: Harmonization - Material and Component Reference

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As stated in the AMICI proposal:

“Establish a **common knowledge**, background and use among Technological Infrastructures and related laboratories and industries **in relation to material and components** involved in **accelerator** and large superconducting **magnets**. “

Main idea:

- Accelerator performances are based not only on accelerator systems design but also on material or component choice and specifications.
- Data and characteristics of these are not easy to find in papers and knowledge sharing is more commonly done with private communications.
- Even on raw materials, non-standard use in an accelerator environment (radiation, cold temperature...) add difficulties to find corresponding data.

Main outcome:

Create a reference database for material/component used in accelerators (accelerating structures, magnets, diagnostics, ancillaries...) and start to fill it with relevant data.

To be listed in the database:

1. MATERIAL

Some examples:

- **Raw material**, as used to fabricate accelerator systems
 - *Niobium, Nb3Sn, NbTi, Stainless steel, Titanium,...*
 - *Ceramics (power couplers)*
 - *Magnetic material (μ metal ,co-netic, ...)*
 - *...*
- **Material** as used during processing/preparation
 - *Chemical etching mixture*
 - *Ultra-pure water*
 - *Media for mechanical polishing*
 - *...*

To be listed in the database:

2. COMPONENT

Some examples:

- **ancillaries**, as used to implement accelerator systems
 - *Cables,*
 - *RF feedthrough, HV feedthrough*
 - *Screws, bolts*
 - *Gaskets*
 - *...*
- **Instruments** as used in accelerators ? *Specially when they are very specific*
 - *Temperature sensors*
 - *Piezo actuators*
 - *Vacuum gages*

Apart from material and component, other category to add to the database ?

Simulation tools (ex: multipacting software)?

Procedures ? (assembly, testing,

What about equipment of the technological infrastructures ?

Should be listed in the database or is within Amici/WP3 ?

1. Physical characteristics

Some examples:

- *Mechanical properties*
- *Thermal properties (conductivity, specific heat,...)*
- *Magnetic properties*
- *Electrical properties*
- *Radiation hardness*
- *...*

Some could be parameters-dependent (typically temperature-dependent)...

2. Chemical characteristics

Some examples:

- *Chemical composition*
- *Chemical properties*
- ...

3. Economical properties

Some examples:

- *Cost*
- *Typical lead time ?*
- *Production capacity ?*
- ...

4. References

Some examples:

- *Article*
- *Already existing database*
- *Lab having experience using the material/component*
- *Project having experience using the material/component*

Questions linked to implementation of the database:

- **Who has access ?** Amici contributors in the beginning, and then everybody who is requesting to have access ?
- **Who has grants to implement datas ?** Reference persons per Lab/company ?
- **Who is validating the data entered ?**

To take into account for the database implementation

- **Datas** are not only numbers. *But also tables, curves, datasheet, pictures, scientific articles, ...*
- **Database sustainability ?** *Who is monitoring that datas entered are still “up-to-date” ?*

Participants (as listed in the proposal)

- **CNRS (Task leader)**
- **CEA**
- **DESY**
- **IFJ PAN**

Other AMICI contributors (labs, industries) are welcome to advice, participate and actively contribute !

Distribution of work for the implementation of the database:

- **Database skeleton : CNRS lead institute**
- **Software choice / IT work : IFJ PAN lead institute**
- **All AMICI participants: contributing to enter first sets of datas**