CI Experimental results and plan

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Experimental result from Cl in 2020

Prototype at the Cockcroft Institute



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Fluorescence measurements



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Brief review on nozzles

- Three nozzle types were tested at CI.
- 1. A one piece capillary nozzle (neck length: 100microns, opening diameter: 30microns). [November 2018]
 - This nozzle shows the highest gas-curtain density.
 - This design will be used for V3.



- 2. Three piece nozzle with interchangeable apertures (neck length: 15microns, opening diameter :20,30 and 50 microns.) [April 2019] [September 2019]
 - Apertures were prone to breaking.

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- Signal strength approximately 3-5 times lower than Nozzle I, at 5bar and optimum distance.
- 3. A flat-divergent nozzle (Opening diameter : 60micron) [October 2019]
 - High flowrate through the nozzle which results in increased pressure in the nozzle chamber.
 - Highest density observed with an Inlet pressure of 0.5bar, Nozzle skimmer distance : 7mm
 - Gas-curtain density 3 times lower compared to Nozzle I.
- 4. Convergent-divergent nozzle \rightarrow to be delivered by CERN and tested by CI.







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Phosphor screen measurements

- The profile of the e-beam was also measured with a phosphor screen using the same optical setup.
- E-beam = 0.66mA at 5keV
- For gas-curtain measurements a continuous beam was used.
- For phosphor screen measurements MCP, electron beam and CCD were pulsed.



 $10\mu s$ to $150\mu s$





Phosphor screen measurements

- Two sets of measurements were taken for a beam that is focused at the interaction point and one with a larger FWHM.
- Results from a Nitrogen gas-curtain and the Phosphor screen are displayed here.
- We observed that the RMS of the beam, measured by the phosphor screen changes with the pulse-width.
- Even though the CCD was not saturated, it seemed like the MCP was.
- The intensifier was removed and the camera was placed directly on top of the filter wheel.



Defocused case

Normal settings





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Phosphor screen measurements



- Vertical profile of the e-beam measured by the gas-curtain and the phosphor screen are compared.
- Increasing the pulse duration of the e-beam increases the width measured by the phosphor screen. This is not yet fully understood. Possibly caused by gating the e-beam.







New 2nd skimmers

- Old 2nd skimmer: Conical with a diameter of 400microns.
- New set of 2nd skimmers:
 - Flat skimmers with circular or slit opening.
 - 1st skimmer to 2nd skimmer distance increased by 6mm.





Pressure in (mbar)	Nozzle chamber	Skimmer chamber I	Skimmer chamber II	Nitrogen pressure, but Neon is in similar range
5bar Inlet (old skimmer)	6.03e-3	1.69e-05	5.33e-07	
5bar inlet (new skimmer- circular)	6.18e-3	1.35e-05	1.04e-06	



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Test details

- The density was measured 283mm away from the first skimmer using the moveable gauge.
- The intensity of the jet was also measured at the interaction point, 538mm from the first skimmer.
- Parameters:
 - Nozzle-1st skimmer distance: 4mm
 - Inlet pressure: 5bar
 - Nozzle diameter: 30micron
 - For fluorescent measurements: E-beam = 0.66mA at 5keV

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• Gas : Neon and Nitrogen





Circular 2nd skimmer – moveable gauge

- Jet does not pass through the centre of the 2nd skimmer- an alignment issue that will be corrected in the future.
- Neon gas-jet has a higher density compared to Nitrogen-as expected.
- For Nitrogen and Neon, peak density has increased by a factor of 2 compared to the old conical skimmer.



Circular 2nd skimmer- electron gun





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Alignment of the 2nd skimmer

- Issue 1: The diameter of the 2nd skimmer is larger than the field of the view of the alignment camera.
- \rightarrow Not a showstopper, the centre of the 2nd skimmer can still be found.







Gas distribution simulation

• Continuum flow region (adiabatic expansion)



- Quitting surface model
 - Generate random number based on uniform distribution on quitting surface.
 - Gaussian distribution on velocity
- Molecular Flow region
 - Single particle tracking
 - remove particles outside of each skimmer
- Density

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- Distribution is calculated statistically
- skimmer attenuation (mostly first skimmer)
- background attenuation (mostly nozzle chamber and first skimmer chamber)







Experiment vs Preliminary simulation



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- **Density and its distribution** match very well.
- Nitrogen has a slightly higher spread than Neon, which is
 - showing in both cases.
- 5-time higher density for neon showed in both cases.
- **Clearly there is a misalignment** in experimental data.

- Need to carefully examinate the simulation code. Master student Bethany is
- dedicatedly working one this.





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Experimental plan

- Continue the simulation validation
 - Different nozzle skimmer distance
 - misalignment
 - Multi-location density check (if the second moveable gauge is available)
- Develop a interferometry method for measure the gas jet density at nozzle chamber.





Design and procurement of BGC V3 by CI

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Design for v3 HEL test stand

- Interaction chamber
 - Fit to HEL test stand 2
 - Main tube: Longitudinal length is the same as LHC one (500 mm)
- Gas injection and dump
 - The same as LHC
 - Vacuum gauge will be different in CI test, which will be changed after arriving at CERN.
- Gate valve
 - Slim design







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Frame and support









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Gas injection chamber



https://www.linkedin.com/company/scanwel-ltd/videos/



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Interaction chamber









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Imaging system



- Removable filter for CI test
- Motorized filter needed for CERN (New action)
- Motorize the whole imaging system for ~42 mm movement (from target location to the interaction point) (New action)







List of imaging system

- 1. Current system for v2
 - In use and will be kept in CI for future tests.
 - Focus is adjusted manually.
 - Intensifier has a 25 us minimum gate time.
- 2. System for v3 (HEL test stand 2)
 - In hand and will be used for the v3 commissioning.
 - No support yet, suppose there will be a motor to adjust the focusing.
 - Intensifier is the same with 1.
 - Will be shipped with v3 setup to CERN.
- 3. System in for v4
 - In discussion.
 - Will use new cathodes (see meeting 23/10/2020). But whether to use fast gating of 3ns is not decided.
 - Can be purchased for v3 LHC test in case LHC residual gas experiment require an imaging system.





Pumping system



no	Part	Amount
1	HiPace 80	2
2	Asset codes HiPace 80	-
3	Air Cooling kit 24V DC	2
4	Air Cooling Kit 230V 50/60 Hz	5
5	Splinter Shield for turbopumps with DN 63 CF-F flange	2
6	Venting Flange, DN 10	7
7	Venting Valva Manually actuated DN 10	7
8	TCP 350 Profibus	7
9	Centering ring DN 100	5
10	Mains Cable 2.5m	7
11	Verbindungskabel TCP 350 - HiPace (M8)	2
12	Connection Cable TCP 350 - Box1	5
13	Connection Cable TCP 350 - Box2	5
14	HiPace 300 - CF	5
15	Asset codes HiPace 300	-
16	Linear Bellow Drive with welded part	1



Edwards NXDS20i no auto pressure hold Yes auto start Will controlled and monitored by RS232 in CI

https://shop.edwardsvacuum.c om/products/a73801983/view. aspx





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Gauges and valves

K. J. Lesker Pneumatic SS Gate Valves

2X DN63



https://www.lesker.com/newweb/valves/gatevalves_standard_ss_pneu_copper.cfm?pgid=0





5X SP25K Speedivalve FKM GP Diaphragm

Solenoid valve

monitored and

controlled by Arduino

https://shop.edwardsvac uum.com/products/c333 55000/view.aspx



4X IKR 270 Part No.: **PT R21 251**

https://www.pfeiffervacuum.com/en/products/measurementanalysis/measurement/activeline/activelinegauges/?detailPdoId=3866



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Skimmers, holders and alignment system







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Items for commissioning

- Electron gun (from v2)
- Faraday cup (from v2)
- Moveable gauge system (from v2, potentially a new one)





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Summary for v3

- Active gauge used in Cl, will be changed to modular one after shipping to CERN.
- Dump chamber, injection flange, mirror flange being manufactured (CI, ready in Jan)



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- Special gas injection flange: ordered by CERN
- Nozzle: ordered from oxford by CERN
- Bellows: ordered by CERN
- 2nd skimmer and 3rd skimmer (Need to order)
- Target and adaptor: not ordered yet.









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Procurement and manufacturing

- CI
 - Ready:
 - Frame and support.
 - gas injection chamber, interaction chamber, gate valves, gauges
 - Imaging system(except the motor system and motorized filter wheel)
 - Inner parts such as skimmer assembly, skimmers (not include 3rd skimmer and possible modification to 2nd skimmer)
 - Two alignment system (standalone and attached)
 - Under manufacturing
 - Nozzle flange, dump chamber
 - Still need to order
 - Special vacuum screw, alignment screw
 - Small mechanical jobs for alignment system.
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- Nozzle ordered from oxford
- Bellows for skimmer assembly ordered.
- Special gas injection flange ordered



Control system design

- Based on Arduino and MATLAB.
 - Gas injection
 - Gauge controller
 - Gate valves and TMP
- Test vacuum events (See 05/06/2020)
 - Start

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- Stop and vent
- Power outage



Gas injection control system





Commissioning plan for V3 at Cl

Milestones

- 1. Chamber inspection. Dec 2020 Jan 2021
- 2. Assemble the system and vacuum test without baking. Jan 2021.
- 3. Gas jet quantification. Feb 2021.
- 4. Measurement with Lab electron beam. March 2021.
- 5. Report the device and preparing to ship. April 2021.
- 6. Devices arrived at CERN and installed to HEL test stand. May 2021

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Performance evaluation

- Chambers
 - Dimension check (Daresbury services)
 - RGA (Daresbury services)
 - Vacuum (Daresbury services)
- Setup
 - Cleaning before assembly (Daresbury services)
 - Vacuum (Cl team)
- Jet property
 - Jet density (moveable gauge, electron gun)
 - Jet Profile (moveable gauge)
- Integration time test
 - E-beam with 0.66 mA





Thanks for listening

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