

# ALICE, EMMA & Future Directions

for Accelerator R&D @ Daresbury

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## INTRODUCTION

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY FACILITIES COUNCIL Corporate Strategy 2010-2020

# vision

Skills, facilities and resources for the benefit of the United Kingdom and its people.











# A 'Dipole' Centre Vision



#### **ASTeC SKILLS**



#### **ASTeC Department Skill Base**



#### PROGRAMME



# Programmes @ Daresbury

- National design studies Future light sources (4GLS, NLS, ??)
- International design studies ILC/CLIC, LHC-HiLum, SuperB .....
- Test facilities @ Daresbury
  - ALICE  $\rightarrow$  EBTF and CLARA

- EMMA
- Underpinning R&D
  - Superconducting Radiofrequency and cryogenics
  - Injectors and high brightness electron beams Vacuum science
  - Magnets and free electron lasers (FELs)
- Collaboration building & Industrial and KE activities



#### ALICE





#### ERLP: test bed and a learning tool

New accelerator technologies for the UK First SCRF linac operating in the UK

First DC photoinjector gun in the UK

First ERL in Europe

First IR-FEL driven by energy recovery accelerator in Europe

... lots of help from all around the world ... BIG THANKS to all and , especially, to colleagues from JLab !!



#### The ALICE (ERLP) Facility @ Daresbury Laboratory







#### The ALICE Facility @ Daresbury Laboratory

Accelerators and Lasers In Combined Experiments

An accelerator R&D facility based on a superconducting energy recovery linac



#### ALICE accelerator

#### Accelerators and Lasers In Combined Experiments





#### 23 October 2010: First Lasing!

14.5

mW







# Cryomodule

**ALICE Module** 





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5 collaborating institutes

- ASTeC (UK)









#### EMMA



# Demands for new accelerator



# What about Fixed Field Alternating Gradient accelerator?

- Fixed field magnets enables quick acceleration.
  - Beam power can be increased with high repetition.
  - Acceleration within muon lifetime is possible.
- AG focusing pushes momentum to synchrotron range.
- Fixed field magnets provide flexibility and reliability.

# Non-scaling FFAG

- Simplified design called non-scaling FFAG strengthens the advantages.
  - Storage ring with extremely small
- dispersion function
  From scaling to non-scaling FFAG



# ns-FFAG works as expected?

• Demonstration of a linear non-scaling Fixed Field Alternating Gradient accelerator was long waited.



- Although initial experiment more focuses on
  - Electron Model of Muon Acceleration



# Three main goals



• Large acceptance for huge (muon) beam emittance.

# EMMA

#### Accelerators and Lasers in Combined Experiments

**Γ**ΛΛΛΔ



| Parameter     | Value                 |
|---------------|-----------------------|
| Particle      | electron              |
| Momentum      | 10.5 to 20.5 MeV/c    |
| Cell          | 42 doublet            |
| Circumference | 16.57 m               |
| RF Frequency  | 1.301 GHz             |
| RF voltage    | 2 MV with 19 cavities |
|               |                       |





### Acceleration May'11



All three momentum calibration methods; (a) hor. and (b) ver. tune and (c) hor. orbit shows consistent evidence of acceleration.



# Plans for R&D Beyond ALICE & Beyond NLS

- To develop a normal conducting test accelerator able to generate longitudinally and transversely bright electron bunches and to use these bunches in the experimental production of stable, synchronised, ultra short photon pulses of coherent light from a single pass FEL with techniques directly applicable to the future generation of light source facilities.
  - Stable in terms of transverse position, angle, and intensity from shot to shot.
  - A target synchronisation level for the photon pulse 'arrival time' of better than 10 fs rms is proposed.
  - "ultra short" means less than the FEL cooperation length, which is typically ~100 wavelengths long (i.e. this equates to a pulse length of 400 as at 1keV, or 40 as at 10 keV).

#### Compact Linear Advanced Research Accelerator



# **Other Aims and Prerequisites**

- To lead the development of low charge single bunch diagnostics, synchronisation systems, advanced low level RF systems, and novel short period undulators.
- To develop skills and expertise in the technology of NC RF photoinjectors and seed laser systems.
- To develop novel techniques for the generation and control of bright electron bunches
  - manipulation by externally injected radiation fields
  - mitigation against unwanted short electron bunch effects (e.g. microbunching and CSR).
- To demonstrate high temporal coherence and wavelength stability of the FEL, for example through the use of external seeding or other methods.
- To develop the techniques for the generation of coherent **higher harmonics** of a seed source.
- To develop new photon pulse diagnostic techniques as required for single shot characterisation and arrival time monitoring.

# David Cameron Confirmed £10M of investment



Prime Minister David Cameron announces new Enterprise Zones at the Daresbury Science and Innovation Campus

17 August 2011



#### Accelerator R&D

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### Accelerator Investment

- £2.5M to implement additional enabling infrastructures
- For the development and testing of novel and compact accelerator technologies
- To enable partnership with industry
- Applications for medicine, health, security, energy and industrial processing.
- Revolutionise the **cost**, **compactness** and **efficiency**
- The main element of the infrastructure:-
  - high performance and flexible electron beam injector
  - state-of-the-art testing enclosures and associated support infrastructure.
- Ongoing opportunities to bid to expand this capability and to enhance the industrial activities it promotes on the DSIC campus in the future.





#### Compact Linear Advanced Research Accelerator



### **EBTF Accelerator Implementation**



#### **UNDERPINNING R&D**



# Underpinning R&D

- Photoinjectors
  - ALICE ceramic upgrade, short–pulse PI based on GaAs, photoemission and photo-emitter physics, metal cathodes, ultra bright guns
- Superconducting RF
  - International module collaboration, infrastructure development, Industrial collaborations
- Advanced diagnostics etc.
  - Ultrafast longitudinal diagnostics
  - Optical synchronisation tests on ALICE
  - Laser-electron beam interactions
- High power proton accelerators
  - Basic ideas for ISIS upgrades
  - FETS simulation and optimisation
  - Modelling for CERN's Linac4, Modelling J-PAR Science & Technology ESS in linac design

# Underpinning R&D

- Magnets and FELs
  - SC undulator R&D
  - CLIC drive beam quadrupoles
  - Induction Acceleration
  - Ultra short FEL pulse generation
- Vacuum science
  - Non-Evaporable Getter Coatings
    - Low Pressure Performance, Reduced Secondary Electron Emission
    - Increased Pumping Capacity, Reduced Temperature Activation
    - Coating Complex Shaped Chambers (PATENT filed)
  - Extreme high vacuum (photo injectors)
  - Ultra thin heater coatings for bakeout
  - ESD Characteristics of various materials for accelerator applications.
  - Vacuum Metrology and Instrumentation
- Targetry
  - Fluidised target studies



#### Photocathode R&D at ASTeC



Schematic of planned experimental system integrating into the loadlock photocathode preparation system developed at ASTeC to measure transverse energy spread of GaAs photocathodes as a function of QE, incident laser power and temperature.

- Diagnostics beamline to characterise the performance of GaAs
- Room and cryogenic temperature
- Beam emittance and photocathode response time measurements
- Development towards a high– current, short–pulse PI based on GaAs,



With EBTF/CLARA, there will also be R&D programme of metal photocathode R&D.

### Induction acceleration

- Scoping study to gauge potential applicability
- Materials study to measure properties of high frequency steels
- Potential for high reliability accelerating system for FFAGs especially



## Superconducting Undulators

- Building on success of helical undulator for ILC
- Design, fabricate and test a planar undulator for light sources
- Collaboration between ASTeC, TD at RAL, DLS
- Target parameters extremely demanding and would be world leading if demonstrated
- Plan to install into Diamond in 2014







# **Ultra-short FEL Pulse Generation**

- Ultrashort photon pulses can be used to probe ultrafast processes in atoms and molecules
- DL & Strathclyde Uni are developing schemes that generate trains of x-ray pulses each pulse only ~20 attoseconds long



## Generic Vacuum R&D

#### **Non-Evaporable Getter Coatings**

- •Low Pressure Performance (Low Outgassing)
- •Reduced Secondary Electron Emission
- Increased Pumping Capacity
- •Reduced Temperature Activation
- •Coating Complex Shaped Chambers (PATENT filed)



#### **PVD** Coating Facility

#### **Outgassing Characterisation**





### COLLABORATIONS



# Some ASTeC Collaborations

- National
  - Cockcroft, John Adams, IC, Diamond, Strathclyde, Dundee, MMU, Salford, Bath, Loughborough, Stafford, Huddersfield .....
- International
  - ALICE- HZB BERLinPRO, JLAB, KEK
  - Next Gen. Light sources-MAXIV, TRIESTIE, SwissFel
  - Injectors- LBNL, ISP Novosibrisk, PITZ, LAL, Strathclyde....
  - DICC- Cornell University, DESY, FZD-Rossendorf, LBNL, Stanford University, TRIUMF, Berkley
  - EMMA Brookhaven, FERMI, LPSC, Grenoble
  - Protons- ESS, IDS-NF, J-PARC ,FERMI Lab
  - Vacuum- GSI, JAB
- CERN
  - CLIC Beam Delivery System, CLIC Crab cavities, CLIC drive beam quadrupoles
  - LHC upgrade crab cavities
  - LINAC4 collimation
  - HL-LHC FP7 bids: accelerator physics work, crab cavity.
- European union initiatives
  - IRUVX, EU CARD, FP7, EURONu, EUCard2, TIARA, JRP14



# ASTeC Industrial Collaborations.

- Growing industrial collaborations around technical groups expertise
- Radio frequency
  - E2V Power sources
  - Shakespeare Superconducing RF cavities
  - Rapiscan Compact linac
- Vacuum
  - Waters Instrument Manufacturer (Mass Spectrometry) Gas flow dynamics, characterisation of dielectric breakdown
  - Vacuum Generators, Advanced XHV cleaning systems
  - CERAM, Outgassing Measurements characterising materials
  - Nanoshell, Ultra thin heater coatings for bakeout
  - Various Opportunities Early stage Medical applications of inert coatings
  - Henniker Scientific Plasma cleaning applications

- Siemens Coatings
- Magnets
  - Magnet measurements
  - Programmable magnets



## Industrial Activities

#### STFC Innovations (CLASP) funded activity to develop a compact linac for cargo scanning applications.









#### SUMMARY



ASTeC Group Photo Monday 10th May 2010

World Class People

#### World Class Test Facilities

