







SPES status

1st Technical Advisory Committee

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SPES project strategy



- Develop a Neutron Rich ISOL facility delivering Radioactive Ion Beams at 10A MeV using the LNL linear accelerator ALPI as re-accelerator .
- Make use of a Direct ISOL Target based on UCx and able to reach 10¹³ Fission/s (fission is the main reaction mechanism to produce n-rich isotopes).
- Develop an applied physics facility based on the technology and the components of the ISOL facility. Applications in medicine and neutron production.

Exotic nuclei

Production ISOL facility for Neutron rich nuclei by U fission 10^{13} f/s

Reacceleration high purity beam Reacceleration up to \geq 10 MeV/u



Applications

Radioisotope produduction & Medical applications (LARAMED, partially funded)

Proton and neutron facility for applied physics (NEPIR, preliminary design)



Time line of SPES project



Main goal : 10¹³ fission/s in-target production, and re-acceleration at 10*A MeV (A=132)

2002TDR for 2 Step Target ISOL facility (100kW berillium n-converter + UCx
production target). Proton driver: high current LINAC (3mA, 100MeV).
Evaluated cost: ~100 Meuro.

2003 Assigned dedicated funding by INFN (16.3 Meuro).

2005 Design of a High performance Direct Target for 10^{13} fission/s at 10 kW beam.

2007-08 TDR for Direct Target ISOL facility. Present dual-exit cyclotron-based facility Capability to operate two targets at the same time. Evaluated cost: 50Meuro.

- 2011 Start of cyclotron design/construction.,
- 2011 additional <u>3Meuro</u> INFN funding

(A.Duatti)

- 2012 INFN management approve the reallization plan for SPES
- 2012 **5.6 Meuro** from MIUR Premium Project for SPES beta
- 2013 Start building construction.
- 2013 7 Meuro from MIUR Premium Project for Medical Radio Isotope facility



SPES $\alpha \& \beta$



Selective Production (and reacceleration) of Exotic Species





Estimated reaccelerated beams



Preliminary experimental work at ORNL- HRIBF, 2010-2012

Experiments with SPES target configuration

Proton beam: 40 MeV, 50 nA

Expected beam on target scaled to 200 $\mu\text{A},$ 2-5 % transport efficiency









Lines: from HRIBF data base extrapolation Solid markers: extrapolation from SPES-target experiment at ORNL



Energy from SPES Post-Accelerator as function of A/q





Preliminary results from alpi performances with 2 cavities as margin, Low Beta=5 MV/m, Medium Beta=4.3 MV/m, High Beta=5.5 MV/m





ISOL Roadmap in EUROPE





Second generation ISOL facilities in Europe (UCx target)



	Primary beam	Power on target	UCx target	Fission s-1	Reaccele rator	MeV/A A=132, 21+
HIE ISOLDE upgrade	p 1-1.4 GeV - 2 μA	0.8 kW	Direct (150g)	10 ¹² 10 ¹³	SC Linac	5-10
SPIRAL2	d 40 MeV 5mA	200 kW	Converter (4000g)	10¹³ 10 ¹⁴	Cyclotron	6
SPES	p 40 MeV 200 μA	8 kW	Direct (30g)	10 ¹³	SC Linac	10

- Coordinated efforts toward EURISOL
- Complementarities of scientific programs
- Collaboration for technical developments



SPES collaborations network







SPES Facility Layout







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Cyclotron Schedule (2013-2014)



	2013		2014			2015
	II	III	I	II	III	
Final Assembly and Testing						
Factory Commissioning						
Disassembly and Shipping						
Installation at LNL						
Commissioning at LNL						

The Contract with BEST Theratronics provides for:

Cyclotron

(A.Lombardi)

- Two exit channels
- High power beam transport line (up to SPES target)





Technical highlights



SPES DIRECT TARGET CONCEPT to operate with 8 kW proton beam

- Direct Target carefully designed to reach 10¹³ fissions/s with 8 kW proton beam. (Thermo-mechanical considerations)
- In beam test scheduled at iThemba labs.
- Prototype under operation.
- Fully developed front-end following ISOLDE design.

(A.Andrighetto)







Technical highlights



Ion sources and Laser laboratory

Development of ion sources able to ionize the full set of produced isotopes. Pointing to SELECTIVE ionization.

- Surface ionization and plasma ion source was developed and are under laboratory test and characterization.
- A new laser laboratory was settled at LNL to develop the resonant laser ionization ion source. Work in collaboration with Pavia University, participation to ENSAR2 JRA.

(A. Andrighetto)





High Resolution Mass Separator & Beam Cooler

- Scaled-up version of the separator designed by Cary Davids for CARIBU, Argonne
- Mass resolution: 1/40000 (eng. design: 1/25000)

Beam Cooler to match the HRMS input requirements

COOLBEAM experiment financed by INFN-CSN5, 2012→2015

Collaboration: LNL-LNS, Mi bicocca





L.Calabretta, M.Comunian

10 cm

Plates gap 6 cm, ± 750 V to correct

 \pm 5 V platform ripple



Collaboration with LPSC for SPES Charge Breeder



- Development of an upgraded PHOENIX booster for SPES is part of a MoU in the frame of the European Associated Laboratories (LEA-Colliga) with GANIL. (In exchange: development of the n-converter for SPIRAL2 by INFN)
- INFN allocated 500 k€
- Final contacts to complete the formal agreement with LPSC are on the way
- LPSC has worldwide competence in ECR and CB and will take care of the CB construction.

Schedule defined for the Charge Breeder development

- 2010 Preliminary measurements
- 2011 Conceptual design and schedule definition
- 2012 Design
- 2013 Agreement definition
- 2014 Construction
- 2015 Commissioning



Improve breeding for ISOL



Charge Breeder is a well known key point for ISOL facilities. The European project EMILIE is settled to address this problem.



- EMILIE project (Enhanced Multi-Ionization of short-Lived Isotopes at EURISOL)
- This project will investigate two technologies of ion sources (ECRIS and EBIS) to optimize their performance for radioactive ion beam charge breeding at future Isotope Separation On Line (ISOL) facilities. This work should benefit to SPIRAL upgrade, SPIRAL 2, HIE-ISOLDE, SPES and EURISOL projects.

ECRIS - large intensities (>>10¹⁰ pps) for moderate charge states, but low efficiency for condensable elements.

EBIS - high charge states - limited in capacity (<10¹⁰ pps) and are pulsed devices which complicate events detection especially for in-beams experiments.

A.Galatà, G.Patti



NEW RFQ injector for ALPI



(A.Pisent)

A high transmission RFQ to match the ALPI entrance requirements

- **Beam transmission >95%,** low RMS longitudinal emittance at output: 0.15 ns*keV/u.
- Energy 5.7 -> 727.3 [β =0.0395] KeV/A (A/q=7) matching the ALPI entrance requirements
- Mechanical design and realization, taking advantage of IFMIF experience (LNL, INFN_Pd, Bo, To).



Mechanical layout of the RFQ tank module of about 1 meter.





Upgraded ALPI layout

- Increase energy
- Optimize transport efficiency

11.7m

- All Cavities from CR03 to CR07 at 4.5 MV/m.
- Medium beta CR07 to CR18 at 4.5 MV/m.
- High beta 6.5 MV/m for CR19-CR22.
- Final Energy : ~ 10 MeV/A (A/q=7)





Additional cryostats: Increase total Energy



completed

Radiation protection Safety and Controls



RADIOPROTECTION: Evaluation of radioactivity and radiation risk Authorization request for SPES operation:

phase 1 request for cyclotron operation at 0.5 mA on standard targets and 5 microA on UCx

Phase 2 request for full power operation on UCx target (0.2 mA)

SAFETY: Development of a Quality and Safety Management System for SPES and definition of a safety system.

(D.Zafiropoulos J.Esposito)

CONTROLS: EPICS defined as a common supervisor for SPES. Migration of all controls on the same supervisor improve the quality and the safety of the system

(M.Bellato)



SPES safety system on the way







SPES organization





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SPES organization and Work Packages







Reference document approved by INFN for SPES (3 Dec, 2012)



INFN approved the construction planning of the SPES project in Dec. 2012

Already invested 20.5 Meuro upto 2012

Building	6.5
Cyclotron	10.5
ISOL R&D and prototype	1.0
Charge breeder (funding fixed)	0.5
Low Beta ALPI upgrade	1.0
Consumable	1.0

To complete the construction about 30 Meuro are necessary

N.	Voce	Meuro
1	Bersaglio ISOL con Sorgente laser	3.2
2	Edilizia per Laboratorio UCx	2.6
3	Trasporto del fascio di ioni radioattivi	7.7
4	Selezione in massa ad alta risoluzione (HRMS e Beam Cooler) (solo per FULL_SPES)	(2.7)
5	Charge Breeder	1.5
6	RFQ per la preaccelerazione	3.7
7	Upgrade dell'acceleratore ALPI	5.6
8	Sistemi di controllo e sicurezza	3.6
	TOTALE	27.9 (30.6)





SPES funding plan (k€) without High Resolution Mass Selection system (CORE SPES)

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
CONSTRUCTION (28 M€ to complete CORE_SPES)	1.9	7 0.9*	8.5 2.3*	4.7	2.6
PERSONNEL (IN TRAINING)	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.3	0.3
Total	2.4	8.5	11.2	5	2.9

* LNL contribution to RFQ construction



CORE SPES funding plan









Assignement requested to INFN for year 2014

	Total	Residues	First tranche	Second tranche
	2014 (k€)	2013	2014	2014
		(k €)	(k €)	(k €)
Personnel	652	40	278	276
(IN TRAINING)	055	49	520	270
TRAVEL EXPENSES	80	23	37	20
SERVICES	100	0	50	50
CONSUMABLES	70	0	48	22
APPARATUSES	6405	1	2321	4083
DURABLES	133	5	66	62
BUILDINGS	200	16	150	34
Total	7641 =	94 +	3000 +	4547



Detailed Economic plan 2014



Task	Item	(k€)	notes
Scientific support	Radioactive beam identification	83	Tape system instrumented with gamma-beta detectors and ACQ
Radiation protection	Radiation monitors	500	Design of radiation monitor system for cyclotron operation
Buildings	General services and plants	200	Distribution of services in cyclotron and ISOL areas
ISOL beams	ISOL laboratory and Laser source	100	Measurements and optimization of ion sources and ISOL front-end
Beam Transport	CB-RFQ beam line	1700	Design and order of MRMS components and n+ CB beam line
Beam Cooler	BC test stand	100	Set-up of BC vacuum chamber and test stand
Cyclotron	Installation	200	Cyclotron connection to electric power and services
RFQ	First tranche of materials and		This item comes as in-kind synergy with others LNL
(in-kind contribution LNL)	machining for RFQ development	(900)	projects.
ALPI	Cryogenic system	345	New valve box purification system
Diagnostic	Diagnostic Box	670	Order of 20 low current diagnostic boxes
Charge Breeder	Power supplies, 1+ beam transport elements	650	Construction of CB. Installation and test of 1+ ion source.
Vacuum	Vacuum systems for 1+ radioactive beam line	1550	Order of 20 vacuum systems
Controls	ALPI access control system RF and CB controls	640	Installation and commissioning of new Access Control system for ALPI. Design and order of controls for RF and Charge Breeder.
Training personnel		653	
Consumables		70	
Travels		80	
Other services		100	External services for installations
TOTAL		7641 (+900)	



SPES personnel plan







SPES personnel plan



SPES personnel in 2013



42 staff, 13 training, 13 temporary contracts







	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Authorization to operate and safety	UCx 5μΑ	Full	UCx auth	orization		
ISOL Target-Ion Sources development						
ISOL Targets construction and installation						
Building Construction	Executive project	raw building construction	5			
Cyclotron Construction & commissioning			+			
RFQ development and Alpi up-grade						
Design of RIB transport & selection						
(HRMS, Charge Breeder, Beam Cooler)						
Construction and Installation of RIBs						
transfer lines , CB and spectrometers						
Complete commissioning and first exotic						
beam			\bigvee			



SPES in summary











Gianfranco Prete-TO Bisoffi-TO Andrighetto-T3 Favaron-T2 Lombardi-T5 ex Piazza De Martinis-T5 Maggiore-T5 Tecnico1 T 05 Tecnico2 T 05 Gulmini-T1 Bellato-T1 Toniolo-T1 Canella-T1 Bassato-T1 Gelain ND Vasquez-T3 Antoniazzi-T7 Giacchini-T1 Bortolato-T1

Pegoraro R-T2 calderolla Maniero-T2 Scarpa-T3 Corradetti-T3 Tomaselli-T3 Guerzoni-T3 Zanonato-T3 monetti Manzolaro-T3 Lollo-T3 Pavan-T3 Zanella-T0 D'Este-TO Pegoraro C-T0 Gambalonga-T2 Pasquato ND Benini-T1

Rossignoli-T3 Visentin T 04 **Grespan-T7** Palmieri A-T7 Fagotti-T7 Pisent-T7 borsa ND borsa ND Stark-T4 Bottin-T7 Pengo M-T7 Friso-T7 Contran-T7 Sattin-T7 Calore-T7 Modanese-T7 Galatà-T7 Zafiropoulos-T1 Sarchiapone-T1



Buffa-T1 Esposito Gramegna-T8 Valiente-T8 Napoli-T8 Bermudez-T8 Barbara Melon-T8 Antonio Russo (LNS) 04 Moisio-T4 dainelli monetti Comunian-T4 Poggi-T7 Roncolato-T7 Tecnico Vuoto1 T 04 Porcellato-T4 De Lazzari-T7 pedretti dottorato laser

European actions and MoU







Physics programs Experimental techniques ISOL technology Target-ion sources RIB selection & handling Superconducting LINAC Vacuum Safety



Associate European Laboratory (LEA-COLLIGA)





Beam Diagnostics



Beam position and profile monitors, based essentially on microchannel plates (MCP) as beam intensifiers. MCP is put directly on the beam line. Electrons produced on it and collected, after multiplication, on a position sensitive anode give the beam impact position. Measured 0.75 mm position resolution was mesured for a 100 fA 12 C beam. <u>FC, E, ϕ detectors</u> are developed too.



Tape station system: under development for SPES<u>; moving</u> tape system (1 cm wide mylar tape) and γ -ray counting chamber. Ge detectors, well shielded from potential background in the beam pipe, will be located at the counting chamber in a different position, a few cm far from the tape. The counting chamber will also accommodate plastic detectors for detecting positron decays.

Position of diagnostic boxes

Positions of the diagnostic box and of the main vacuum pumps along the beam transfer line





10¹³ fission/s



1-step: p 40 MeV 200µA on multi-slice direct target (30gr UCx) SPES actual version

2-step: d 40 MeV 2mA on thick ¹²C converter + UCx target (800 gr) SPES former version

