## **Overview of Pion Capture Solenoids for MuSIC/COMET/PRISM**

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### Wishful Staging Scenario from MuSIC to NF



pulsed muon:10<sup>13-14</sup>/s

## Staging Programs for the $\mu$ -e conversion

	MuSIC	COMET	PRISM/PRIME
Physics	µ→eee nuclear physics material science	BR(μ-e)<10 <sup>-16</sup>	BR(μ-e)<10 <sup>-18</sup>
µ intensity	10 <sup>8</sup> µ/s	$10^8 \mu/s$ $10^{11} \mu/s$	
DC/Pulse	DC	Pulse width <100ns	Pulse width <10ns
Phase Potation?	No	No	Yes
Proton Beam	400W (400MeV, 1µA)	56kW (8GeV, 7µA)	2MW (2-5GeV?)
B <sub>max</sub> of π Capture Solenoid	3.5 Tesla	5 Tesla	5 Tesla

### Comparison on the pion capture systems

	MuSIC	COMET	PRISM	NuFact <sup>(1)</sup>
Muon Intensity	10 <sup>8</sup> /sec	10 <sup>11</sup> /sec	10 <sup>12</sup> /sec	10 <sup>12-13</sup> /sec
Muon Momentum	20-70 MeV/c (Backward)	20-70 MeV/c (Backward)	20-70 MeV/c (Backward)	170-500 MeV/c (Forward)
Time structure	Continuous	Pulsed	Pulsed	Pulsed
Proton Beam Power	400W (0.4GeV)	56kW (8GeV)	2-3MW (~8GeV)	4MW (8GeV)
Production Target	Graphite	Tungsten	Tungsten?	Mercury jet
Capture Solenoid Max. Field Strength	3.5 T	5.0 T	12-16 T	20 T
Inner radius of Main SC Coil	0.45 m	0.65 m	?	0.64 m
Outer radius of Main SC Coil	1.0 m	1.6 m	?	1.78 m

(1) Based on The Muon Collider/Neutrino Factory Target System, H.Kirk and K.McDonald (Aug.14,2010) and Study-II report

#### **Backward and Forward Pion/Muon**



#### A lot of radiation to forward direction



#### Pion Capture System in MuSIC, COMET, and NuFact







The 1st beam test has been performed at 29-30 July, 2010. The 2nd beam test will be in 13-15 Feb. 2011.

### MuSIC in 2010



#### Requirements to the superconducting solenoids

- Strong magnetic field on the pion production target
  - Trap pions in 3.5 T
    - Superconducting coils surrounding the target
- Long solenoid transport channel with a big aperture
  - Pions decay out and muons transported in 2T solenoid
  - ~10m long
  - 360mm dia. bore
  - Correction dipole field for momentum and charge selection
- LHe free refrigeration
  - Conduction cooling by GM cryocoolers
    - Heat deposit on the coils < 1W</li>
    - Dose < 1MGy
      - for insulator, glue ...
    - Neutron flux <  $10^{20}$ n/m<sup>2</sup>
      - avoid degradation of the stabilizer of SC wires

### Pion capture solenoid: radiation issue

- Radiation shields (27cm thick stainless steels) are installed b/w the target and the coils.
- MC simulation by MARS (M.Yoshida)
  - Heat deposit: 0.6W
    - 0.4W in the coils(~1ton)
    - 0.2W in the coil supports
  - Dose on the coils < 10kGy/year</li>
  - Heat load
    - 100W on the target
    - 50W on the rad. shields
  - Neutron flux: 5x10<sup>18</sup>n/m<sup>2</sup>/year
    - no degradation is expected



#### Pion capture solenoid: parameters

Conductor	Cu-stabilized	
	NbTi	
Cable diameter	<i>ø</i> 1.2mm	
Cu/NbTi ratio	4	
RRR	230-300	
(R293K/R10K at 0T)		
Operation current	145A	
Max field on axis	3.5T	
Bore	<i>ø</i> 900mm	
Length	1000mm	
Inductance	400H	
Stored energy	5MJ	
Quench back heater	1.2mm dia.	
Cu wire	~1Ω@4K	





#### **Transport solenoids**

#### Solenoid coils

Operation current	145A
Field on axis	2T
Bore	<i>ø</i> 480mm
Length	200mm x8Coils
Inductance	124H
Stored energy	1.4MJ
Quench back heater Cu wire	1.3mm dia. ~0.05Ω/Coil@4K



The world first working beam line which adopts cosθ winding dipole coils



#### Correction dipole coils

Coil layout	Saddle shape dipole
	6 layers
	528 turns (1 set)
Current	115A (Bipolar)
Field	0.04T
Aperture	<i>ø</i> 460mm
Length	200mm
Inductance	0.04H/Coil
Stored Energy	280J/Coil

# Refrigeration

- Conduction cooling by GM cryocoolers
- Can be cooled down within 1 week with pre-cooling by LN2
- Pion capture solenoid
  - 4K: 1W+nucl. heating 0.6W
  - □ 300K→40K: 50W
    - GM 1<sup>st</sup> stage
  - □ 3 x GM cryocoler
    - 1.5Wx2+1Wx1 @4K
    - 45Wx2+44W @40K
- Transport solenoid
  - □ 4K: 0.8W
  - □ 300K→40K : 50W
    - GM 1<sup>st</sup> stage
  - 2 x Cryocoolers on each cryostat (BT5,BT3)
    - 1Wx2 @4K
    - 44Wx2 @40K
- Achievable temperature
  - Pion capture solenoid : 3.7K
  - Transport solenoids : 4.2K-4.5K(BT3), 4.5K-5.8K(BT5)





### **Expected Muon Yield**

- MC simulations were performed from the production target to the end of the transport solenoid (180ded.)
  - by Dr. M.Yoshida
- Simulation codes:
  - Hadron production at the graphite target
    - MARS
  - Tracking in the magnetic field
    - g4beamline







### Simulation results for B<sub>y</sub>=±0.04T

This is just an example. We need to optimize the beam characteristic for various experiments using collimators, DC separators, and so on.



- At the end of the transport solenoid (180 deg.)
- Charge of the muons can be selected by changing the direction of the dipole field.

### Charged Particle Trajectory in Curved Solenoids

 A center of helical trajectory of charged particles in a curved
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$$D = \frac{p}{qB} \theta_{bend} \frac{1}{2} \left( \cos \theta + \frac{1}{\cos \theta} \right)$$

 $D: drift \ distance$   $B: Solenoid \ field$   $\theta_{bend}: Bending \ angle \ of \ the \ solenoid \ channel$   $p: Momentum \ of \ the \ particle$   $q: Charge \ of \ the \ particle$  $\theta: atan(P_T/P_L)$ 

 This effect can be used for charge and momentum selection. • This drift can be compensated by an auxiliary dipole field parallel to Vertical Compensation Magnetic Field the drift direction given by

$$B_{comp} = \frac{p}{qr} \frac{1}{2} \left( \cos \theta + \frac{1}{\cos \theta} \right)$$

p: Momentum of the particle q: Charge of the particle r: Major radius of the solenoid  $\theta$ : atan( $P_T/P_L$ )



# COMET and Mu2E: S.E.S.~10<sup>-16</sup>



# **PRISM Task Force**

- The PRISM-FFAG Task Force was proposed and discussed during the last PRISM-FFAG workshop at ICL (1-2 July'09).
- The aim of the Task Force is to address the technological challenges in realizing an FFAG based µ-e conversion experiment, but also to strengthen the R&D for muon accelerators in the context of the Neutrino Factory and future muon physics experiments.
- The following key areas of activity were identified and proposed to be covered within the Task Force:
  - physics of muon to electron conversion,
  - proton source,
  - pion capture,
  - muon beam transport,
  - injection and extraction for PRISM-FFAG ring,
  - FFAG ring design including the search for a new improved version,
  - FFAG hardware R&D for RF system and injection/extraction kicker and septum magnets.

Studies will continue to obtain a feasible design, aiming on CDR in 2011.

#### Synergy between PRISM and Neutrino Factory

# Members of PRISM Task Force

- J. Pasternak (contact person), Imperial College London / RAL STFC
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- M. Lancaster, University College London

#### Welcome to join us!

Many young physicists. We are trying to apply our skills, which got thorough the NF related studies, to the muon physics experiment!

#### as on IPAC'10 paper

# Staging Plan of µ-e conv. in Japan



#### $B(\mu^- + Al \to e^- + Al) < 10^{-16}$

- •without a muon storage ring.
- with a slowly-extracted pulsed proton beam.
- doable at the J-PARC NP Hall.
- regarded as the first phase / MECO type
- Early realization

#### $B(\mu^{-} + Ti \to e^{-} + Ti) < 10^{-18}$

- with a muon storage ring.
- with a fast-extracted pulsed proton beam.
- •need a new beamline and experimental hall.
- regarded as the second phase.
- Ultimate search

# **Schematic Layout of New PRISM**



## Pion Capture Solenoid R&D in Japan

The first SC pion capture system has been build in Osaka for MuSIC.

- Design study for the COMET/PRISM capture solenoid.
  - Measurement of radiation heating using a mockup.
    - Nuclear Instruments and Methods in Physics Research A 545 (2005) 88–96
  - Neutron Irradiation Experiments for Pure Stabilizers at Low Temperature
  - MgB<sub>2</sub>?



## Experimental Conditions (KEK 12GeV-PS)

#### Beam parameters

- 12 GeV proton
- Intensity ~10<sup>11</sup> (protons/sec)
- Slow extraction

#### Experimental area

At upstream of EP2-A dump



## Experimental setup



 Sensitive measurement of radiation heat load to the mockup with the cryo-calorimeter

### Experimental Installation



## How to Measure Radiation Heat Load





Fig. 12. Comparison of the simulation results with the normalized heat flux.

## Relationship among the programs

#### towards the ultimate µ-e conversion study



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