

Current Construction Status

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Facility for Rare Isotope Beams A Future DOE-SC Scientific User Facility for Nuclear Physics

- Funded by U.S. Department of Energy Office of Science (DOE-SC) supporting the mission of the Office of Nuclear Physics in DOE-SC
- Serving over 1,350 users
- Key feature is 400 kW beam power for all ions (5x10^{13 238}U/s)
- Separation of isotopes in-flight
 - Fast development time for any isotope
 - Suited for all elements and short half-lives
 - Fast, stopped, and reaccelerated beams





FRIB Project is on Track

- 8 June 2009 DOE-SC and MSU sign Cooperative Agreement
- September 2010 CD-1 approved, DOE issues NEPA FONSI
- April 2012 Lehman review, baseline and start of civil construction
- August 2013 CD-2 approved (baseline), CD-3a approved (start civil construction pending FY2014 federal appropriation)
- March 2014 Start civil construction
- August 2014 CD-3b approved (technical construction)
- 12-14 Jan 2016 DOE Operations Cost Review
- 6-8 December 2016 DOE Office of Project Assessment Review
- June 2022 CD-4, managing to early completion in FY21

»First beam from ECR in 2016

»Beneficial occupancy of FRIB building in March 2017



FRIB Facility Layout





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FRIB Key Features

- High power accelerator [SNS, PSI, ISIS]
 - Path to full power (400 kW)
 - Configuration management
 - Machine protection
 - Root cause analysis of failure modes
- Heavy ion accelerator [RHIC]
 - Variety of primary beams
 - Dynamic range on diagnostics
- Full-scale Superconducting RF accelerator [SNS]
 - Cryoplant
 - SRF infrastructure for maintenance
- In-flight rare isotope beam production at high power [FAIR, RIBF]
 - Variable targets
 - Many secondary beams
 - Fast, stopped, and reaccelerated beams
 - Safety analysis for each beam, due to high production rates
- Remote handling [PSI, SNS, ESS, ISIS]
 - High radiation levels
 - Personnel protection
 - Waste handling and waste reduction
 - Non-conventional utilities
- Maintenance of physical infrastructure, including non-conventional utilities
 - All systems under one roof interdependencies create complexity



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While there are facilities world-wide that have a subset of these key features, FRIB is the only facility that comprises such a level of complexity

FRIB Accelerator Systems Superconducting RF Driver Linac

- Accelerate ion species up to ²³⁸U with energies of no less than 200 MeV/u
- Provide beam power up to 400kW
- Energy upgrade to 400 MeV/u for ²³⁸U by filling vacant slots with 12 SRF cryomodules
- Provisions for ISOL upgrade

β=0.085 Matching

Cryomodule

Crvomodule

Li-Stripper

Module

Cryomodule





Beam Delivery System To Target

Room-Temperature

Folding Segment

Target Facility Overview Equipment Installation Underway



- Support areas, 3 subterranean levels
 - Cascade ventilation
 - Remote handling gallery and control room
 - Non-conventional utilities
 - Waste handling



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Fragment Separator

- Three-stage fragment separator for production and delivery of rare isotope with high rates and high purities to maximize FRIB science reach
- Primary beam power of 400 kW and beam energies of ≥ 200 MeV/u





Facility for Rare Isotope Beams in 2021





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Aerial View - Progress to Date





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FRIB Schedule Summary Technical and Civil Construction Proceeding Well



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Target Facility Civil Construction Progress Ahead of Schedule



Hot-cell north view



Remote handling gallery

Hot-cell south view





Experimental Systems Division Vacuum Vessel Fabrication Progressing Well

- Fabrication is making good progress
 - <u>Target</u>: Final assembly complete, final machining underway
 - <u>Beam dump</u>: Assembly 48% complete
 - <u>Wedge</u>: Wedge vessel shipped to machine shop in Cincinnati, OH, final machining completed
- Vessel seals procured and in house
- First vacuum test of Wedge vessel underway





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Cryoplant Construction on Schedule 4 K Cold Box; Warm Compressors; Cold Compressors

- Warm compressor installed
- 4 K cold box installation underway
 - Started in July 2016 with upper coldbox
 - Lower coldbox delivery in September
- Cold compressor



• Delivery expected January 2017

Warm compressors installed at FRIB

K upper cold box installed at FRIB

K upper cold box transported to FRIB on a 140' flatbed truck

FRIB Construction Progress

Front End Technical Work Underway – Area Controlled by Technical Staff



Production Cryomodules Being Assembled Four Assembly Lines Proceeding in Parallel; Five at Peak

β=0.041 cryomodule #1 being assembled at MSU

> β=0.085 cryomodule #3 being assembled at MSU



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NSCL-FRIB Integration Plan

Minimal disruption of world-leading science and education program



Plan enables continued world-class science for LE Community



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Transition to Operations Plan



- Users form collaborations, commission detectors and do science with NSCL beams
- FRIB is commissioned through target before NSCL shutdown
- Transition from NSCL to FRIB operations in less than a year
 - Reconfigure fragment separator
 - Complete FRIB commissioning



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Commissioning Performance Requirements Defined by FRIB Key Performance Parameters for CD-4





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Course of Beam Development Identified

Two-course Beam Development Supports Achievement of Two KPP Goals

- Commissioning beams defined (³⁶Ar and ⁸⁶Kr)
- Use single charge state beams for commissioning
- Two courses of beam development identified to achieve KPP goals



	³⁶ Ar	⁸⁶ Kr	Energy (MeV/u)
ECR IS	10+	17+	0.012
RFQ	10+	17+	0.5
LS1	10+	17+	>15
Stripper, FS1	18+	35+	>15
LS2, FS2	18+	35+	>140
LS3	18+	35+	>200

ECR IS: Electron Cyclotron Resonance Ion Sourse RFQ: Radio Frequency Quadrupole linac LS: Linac Segment, FS: Folding Segment

Approach to Full Beam Power Developed

Year-by-year beam power ramp-up plan has been identified



Year after CD-4

Accelerator Operations on Day-one

and secondary beams for

science

 Primary beams See tables to right Beam power Year One – 10 kW Year Two – 50 kW Secondary beams See reference to scientific benchmarks Initial studies for all benchmarks enabled by year two 	Beam	Notional Weeks/ Year	Bench- marks	Year One			
	²³⁸ U	12	7,10,12,15				
	⁴⁸ Ca	6.34	2,14				
	⁷⁸ Kr	2.21	3,8,9,16,17			Year Two	
	¹²⁴ Xe	1.3	1,11,17		Notional		
	¹⁸ O	0.86	2,8	Room	Weeks/	Bench-	
	⁸⁶ Kr	0.63	1,3,4,6, 14,15	⁸² Se	5.25	1,3,4,5,6, 13 14 15	
 Experimental end stations 	¹⁶ O	0.44	2,8	92 M O	2 45	1.3.9.11.16.	
 Existing NSCL instruments 	³⁶ Ar	-	8		2.40	17	
• GRETA	Total	23.8		⁵⁸ Ni	1.64	1,3	
• SECAR	⁸⁶ Kr and ³⁶ Ar used to demonstrate FRIB Project's Key Performance Parameters			²² Ne	0.54	2	
 Early operations funding ensures that key staff are available to deliver primary 				⁶⁴ Ni	0.5	1,13,14	
				Total	10.4		

Prepared to Allocate Time to Properly Address Integration Challenges

- After CD-4, adequate time allocated for maintenance and tuning to assure machine integrity and path towards mission goal while enabling world-class science
- Time allocation optimized for efficient integration assuming more extensive maintenance/ tuning for early years
- Detailed operation cycle is under discussion, trade-offs will be discussed with Accelerator Systems Advisory Committee (Machine Advisory Committee once FRIB in operation) and Science Advisory Committee (Program Advisory Committee once FRIB in operation)

Tentative Operation Cycle Maintenance Year 1 User operation Tuning Year 2 User operation Tuning Year 3 User operation Year 4 User operation Year 5 User operation

Optimize time for science

Operations Requirements Assumptions

- Operate a world-class DOE-SC national user facility
 - Goal 5,500 hrs/year
 - Operate 24 hrs/day
 - Goal of > 90% availability
- Cryogenic plant
 - Operates 6,000 hrs/year at 15 kilowatt (kW) at 4 K
 - Operates remaining time at lower cooling power
- Provide users with
 - Rare isotope beams characterized on an event-by-event basis
 - Support to operate permanently-installed experimental equipment
 - Support to install non-permanently-installed experimental equipment
 - MSU Department of Environmental Health and Safety (EHS) support
 - Support for research is not included
- Cost estimation developed by FRIB project team and was vetted by United States Department of Energy Office of Nuclear Physics in the Operations Cost Review held 12-14 January 2016



Community Works Together to Define National Priorities



The 2015 LONG RANGE PLAN for NUCLEAR SCIENCE



Long Range Plan for Nuclear Science completed October 2015

"Expeditiously completing the Facility for Rare Isotope Beams (FRIB) construction is essential. Initiating its scientific program will revolutionize our understanding of nuclei and their role in the cosmos." (Recommendation I, Sec. 1)



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Over 1,300 Users Engaged and Ready for Science



- Users are organized as part of the independent FRIB Users Organization (FRIBUO) <u>www.fribusers.org</u>
 - Chartered organization with an elected executive committee
 - 1,348 members (98 U.S. colleges and universities, 12 national laboratories, 52 countries) as of 31 August 2016
 - 19 working groups on instruments
 - 12-13 August 2016, Low Energy Community Meeting, U Notre Dame

"FRIB remains our top priority. The community eagerly anticipates the completion of FRIB and the forefront science this facility will enable"

- Science Advisory Committee
 - Considerations for initial science program (8-9 December 2016)



Summary

- FRIB to become a world-leading DOE-SC scientific user facility for rare isotope science
 - Highest-power heavy ion linac worldwide
 - High-performance fragment separator
 - Fast, stopped, and reaccelerated beams
- FRIB project making appropriate progress
 - Civil construction ahead of schedule
 - Technical construction advancing well
- Strong, growing, and committed FRIB user group in place
 - Experimental equipment used now at NSCL, ready for FRIB science
 - New equipment investments will enable FRIB to optimize science outcomes
 - Initial science experiments under discussion



