The SCRIT electron scattering facility at RIKEN RI Beam Factory

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SCRIT = <u>Self Confining RI</u> <u>Ion Target</u> Electron scattering with unstable nuclei

First goal : Charge distribution/radius for ¹³²Sn

SCRIT (Self-Confining RI Ion Target)

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RIKEN RI Beam Factory



SCRIT electron scattering facility

2009 Construction start
2011 Facility commissioning
2013 RI production start
2014 Spectrometer installation
2015 ~ 2016
Experiment
with stable nuclei
2016 ~ Luminosity improvements



SCRIT electron scattering facility









SCRIT system

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Effect of electron beam property

Electron beam instability reduces ion trapping lifetime.

Ion trapping time evolution

Ion confinement (Luminosity increasing)

- \cdot e-beam potential
- Ion distribution shrinking due to increasing charge state

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The ion trapping time evolution can be changed by adjusting beam parameter.

Achieved Luminosity

10

10

10⁰

10⁻¹

lon trapping lifetime (s

RI production at ERIS

Photo fission of uranium + FEBIAD ion source

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Uranium carbide target FEBIAD ion source at HV stage

Summary

- The SCRIT facility has been constructed.
- The ion trapping properties are investigated.
- Luminosity is achieved as about 2×10^{27} cm⁻²s⁻¹.
- The experiment using stable nuclei has been performed.
- RI production was started and the development is going on.

First experiment of e-RI scattering will be performed as soon as possible.

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Thank you for your attention!

Backups

Current performance (typical)

 $I_e \sim 175 \text{ mA}$ at $\sigma \sim 3.6 \text{ mm}^2 \implies L \sim 1.4 \times 10^{27} / (\text{cm}^2 \text{s})$ $N_o \sim 2.3 \times 10^8$

Number of target ions N_T ~ 4.6 × 107Total efficiency $e_{trap} e_{overlap} = N_T / N_0 ~ 20 \%$

Luminosity results from achieving a practical balance between these properties

- Scattered electrons with the angle over 3 mrad are lost.
- Recoiled ions with kinetic energy over 10eV are lost. **Assuming:**

e-beam lifetime limit = 10 min.

ion trapping lifetime limit = 200 ms

~10²⁹ /(cm²s)

• Maximum charge state is ~20+, and higher charge states (>20+) do not exist in the SCRIT.

 \rightarrow Dropout of higher charge state ions

• Rapid increase of total charge (target ions + residual gas ions)

 \rightarrow Space charge effect (Neutralization limit : $f \times 2 \times 10^9$ ($f : 0.2 \sim 0.5$) at 200mA)

Non-periodic term induces shorter trapping lifetime.

Electron beam instability

(We should take it seriously)

Microwave instability Coupled bunch instability HOM excited in cavity Intra-beam scattering Tune shift and spread etc. –

normal coupled Dipo Qua

Beam motion in longitudinal phase space

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Synchrotron oscillation

Betatron oscillation

Induced multi-pole coherent motion

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Dipole

Quadrupole

→ Beam axis oscillation at dispersive section Periodicity oscillation

 → Beam size oscillation at dispersive section
 Bunch length oscillation

Octapole

Influence of e-beam instability and space charge

Ion trapping lifetime with coherent synchrotron oscillation (simulation)

e-beam instability extremely reduces the trapping lifetime especially for highly charged ions.Space charge enhances the trapping instability

Current dependence of trapping lifetime

Necessary lifetime is ~1s for practical use

Prerequisite for e-beam

I_e > 150mA without instability

larger **e**_{ov}

higher luminosity \rightarrow shorter trapping lifetime

Time evolution of $\mathbf{r}_{t}(t)$ (∞L) in trap duration

There is a possibility to control F(t) and D(t) functions by adjusting e-beam parameters.

Luminosity depending on e-beam size

at the beginning of trap (proportional to \mathbf{r}_0)

Luminosity depending on the SCRIT electrostatic potential

Ion energy should be thermalized in the SCRIT

Capability of the SCRIT as a target

• support-free and floated thin-target

- automatic collision
- all trapped ions participate collision
- expected luminosity $\sim 10^{28}$ /cm²s with $10^7 \sim 10^8$ nuclei
- target ions are fully controllable (efficient use of rear nuclei)
- recoiled ions are detectable
- compact experimental system

A sample comparison with data: Sn isotopes

taken from eRIB's07 workshop Reported by Jim Beene

Target preparation

Uranyl nitrate solution mixed with graphite powder (20 μ m) \rightarrow Oxidization around 500 °C

 \rightarrow 180 MPa compression with no binder

Uranium-oxide-coated carbon disk Φ20 mm, 1 mm thickness, U 0.7 g, C 0.35 g

Carbothermic reaction at 1100-1600 °C

Uranium carbide disk Φ18 mm, 0.8 mm thickness U density ~3.4 g/cm³

U 15g, 10W e-beam ¹³⁸Xe: 3.9×10⁶ cps ¹³²Sn: 2.6×10⁵ cps

Release efficiency

Overall efficiency = Release×lonization×Transport

Exp./Calc. Target~Ionization from 129 Xe gas (14~15%)

	Rate at 10W (atoms/s)	Calc at 10W (atoms/s)	Overall	Release
¹³⁸ Xe	3.9×10 ⁶	7.1×10^{7}	5.5 %	40 %
¹³² Sn	2.6×10 ⁵	1.3×10^{7}	2.0 %	14 %

Buncher Device for Ion Injection to SCRIT Buncher based on RFQ linear trap converts 1-s DC beam into 500ms pulsed beam

