

HEPS Accelerator Status

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- Schedule & Main milestones
- Accelerator progresses since Jan. 2020
- Summary



Overview of HEPS

Booster

Long Beamline

Linac

High Energy Photon Source

Storage Ring and Experiment Hall

Laboratory Building

Guest House Building

> 1 × 10²² Brightness 6GeV Beam energy

1360.4m Circumference

~90 Beamlines

One of the **brightest** fourth-generation SR facility in the world

The first **high-energy** synchrotron radiation light source in China

BEPS: a 4th-gen high-energy synchrotron LS

• One of the brightest fourth-generation synchrotron radiation facilities in the world



| Main Parameters | Design goals | Unit |
|-------------------------|---------------------|--------|
| Beam energy | 6 | GeV |
| Circumference | 1360.4 | m |
| Hori. natural emittance | <60 | pm·rad |
| Brightness | >1×10 ²² | BU |
| Beam current | 200 | mA |
| Injection mode | Top-up | - |

BU: phs/s/mm²/mrad²/0.1%BW



HEPS: a powerful light source

HEPS will provide high-energy, high-brilliance, high-coherence synchrotron light with energies up to 300 keV and more, with the capability for nm spatial resolution, ps time resolution, and meV energy resolution.

While providing conventional technical support for the general users, HEPS will operate as a platform to analyze the structures, as well as the evolution of structures of engineering materials in the whole process, by in-situ, multidimensional and real-time observation.









- Huairou Science City (an area of 233 acres)
- Five big science facilities: HEPS, SECUF (Synergized Extreme Condition User Facility), CMP Phase II (Chinese Meridian Project Phase II), EarthLab (the Earth System Numerical Simulation Facility), Multi-mode, Multi-scale Biomedical Imaging Facility
- Series research platforms in energy, environment, biology, materials, etc.







Design goals of HEPS



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- The construction period was estimated to be 6.5 years.
- Date of Groundbreaking ceremony: Jun. 29, 2019
- Project is scheduled to be completed in 12.2025





Aug. 8, 2022, the installation in the booster tunnel began.

Jun. 28, 2021, HEPS Installs First Piece of Accelerator Equipment in Linac Tunnel.

















The first electron beam of the HEPS was accelerated to 500 MeV with better than 2.5 nC of bunch charge by the Linac on March 14, which was a key milestone of the HEPS project—HEPS beam commissioning had begun.

Milestones of the HEPS Linac

29/06/2019: Design completed

28/06/2021: Electron gun, the first piece of accelerator equipment, was installed in the Linac tunnel.

08/03/2022: Installation in the Linac tunnel begun

12/05/2022: Linac vacuum-sealing in the tunnel completed

23/09/2022: Linac online RF conditioning completed

09/03/2023: Linac commissioning began

Emittance optimization: Wakefield

- Beam size optimization
- Wakefield-free steering (WFS)





LINAC





The Booster was vacuum-sealed on Jan. 13, 2023.

Sep. 30, 2022, The pre-alignment of the booster installation cells completed.

Aug. 8, 2022, The installation in the booster tunnel began.

Dec. 14, 2021, Booster tunnel building moved to installation phase. **132** pre-alignment cells











Beam energy ramping to 6.0 GeV (with RF)



Booster





1776 magnets 288 girders

Storage ring

- The installation of a 7BA cell of the storage ring on the experiment bench was successfully finished to optimize process flow.
- The pre-alignment for the storage ring magnet girder began on July 13, 2022.
- The tunnel installation of the storage ring started on Feb. 1, 2023.
- Up to date, ~75% girders has been installed.







19 insertion devices (including IAU, IAW, CPMU and IVU AK Mango) were manufactured and received.









To deal with challenges from technical and engineering design, the accelerator physics design was updated

- Storage ring lattice: enlarged drift space in arc (1.1 m more space/7BA), slightly larger magnet aperture (25->26 mm), emittance preserved (34.2->34.8 pm) with however smaller dynamic acceptance
- Booster design: higher bunch charge (2->5 nC), and emittance reduced by more than 50% (35->16 nm)
- Linac design: higher bunch charge (5->7 nC) and optimized layout
- Transfer lines: updated accordingly



- Magnets
 - 37 magnets in one 7BA cell

82 T/m

66 T/m

- BLG 0.11 – 1 T
- Quad
- BD
- 6082 T/m² – Sext
- Oct 512600 T/m³
- Fast Corr 0.08 T





BLG2



ABF2/3





BD1/2



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- Measurement and pre-alignment move on schedule
- Measurement of the dipoles, quadrupoles and dipole/quadrupole combined function magnet will be finished by the end of November
- All sextupoles, octupoles and fast correctors have been measured
- Fine tuning of the BLGs field integrals is performed by using adjustable screw. All the BLGs are within 5x10⁻⁵ after tuning





Magnet power supply

- All power supplies installed (total number 2804) at 10 PS Halls and M01-48
- PS for Linac, Low energy transport and Booster started commissioning





• All power supplies are digital-controlled with self-designed DPSCM(Digital Power Supply Control Module) and DCCT(two scales with 20A and 300A).

DCCT: DC Current Transformer (Accuracy < 2 ppm)



Storage-ring vacuum

• The vacuum components in the storage ring are being mass-produced, and the vacuum equipment of a standard arc cell have been installed and verified







Stainless steel chamber with pumps, photon absorbers and end mask, and copper is coated inside.

Cu-Cr-Zr /dispersion-Cu crotch photon absorber



RF shielding bellows with double-fingers type, and BPM module is integrated.



- 3 sets of NEG coating equipment have been built
- 1 for coating small aperture circle vacuum chambers, and 6*3.5m vacuum chambers can be coated simultaneously
- 1 for antechambers paralleled with 4 groups in a length of 1.5m, and the NEG coating have been verified in a slit height of 6mm with a length of 1.2m
- A 6m long vacuum chamber can be coated in the 3rd setup by moving solenoid vertically.

NEG coating pumping speed ~ $0.72 L/(s cm^2)(H2)$





Girder & Magnet support

SR magnet support system

- Prototypes developed and engineering design scheme finalized
- Contradiction between the precise motion and stability compromised effectively
- Eigen frequency: ≥71Hz
- Motion resolution : $1 \mu m$
- Concrete plinths grouting finished in tunnel and passed the final test acceptance.
- Girder mass production finished and installation is in progress, 70% completed.

LA & BS mechanical support

 All the mass production and tunnel installation have been completed





Insertion Device

- The APPLE-Knot undulator is an innovative device which can achieve both circular polarization and low on-axis heat load. The "Mango" wiggler is designed to offer a big radiation spot size for Large field X-ray diagnosis and flaw detection. They are both successfully realized and through expert review.
- The development of 6 in-air IDs (4 IAUs+ 2 IAWs) is finished, ready for tunnel installation.

Merged APPLE-Knot: 1st 4 Array AK

Mango: Scan range 0.6mrad*0.6mrad



MANGO





In-air IDs



- The mass production of 11 in-vacuum IDs (6 CPMUs + 5 IVUs) completed
- The batch tuning is underway

Short period 12mm



CPMU in Tuning



IVU in Tuning



In-vacuum IDs

IVU in Baking



- 2022.12, all six 500MHz 5-cell copper cavities passed SAT at PAPS (c.w. 120kW)
- 2023.07, three 500MHz 5-cell copper cavities installed in the Booster tunnel and commissioned
- 2021.11, first 166MHz bare SRF cavity passed vertical acceptance tests
- 2022.06, first **166MHz jacketed SRF cavity passed vertical acceptance tests**
- 2023.06, first **166MHz cryomodule assembled** and moved into the horizontal test stand
- 2022.12, four **500MHz bare SRF cavities** produced and **passed vertical acceptance tests**



166MHz SRF cryomodule



500MHz SRF cavity string



High-power RF system

- 2021.10, 166MHz-260kW and 500MHz-150kW prototype SSAs passed essential tests at PAPS
- 2023.04, 166MHz-260kW and 500MHz-260kW series SSAs production complete and passed FAT
- 2023.07, 500MHz-100kW series SSAs complete and passed SAT at Booster RF hall
- 2023.06, first 500MHz-150kW circulator installed at Booster and passed SAT







- 2022.12, XILINX-based LLRF in-house developed
- 2023.05, integration of cavity, SSA and LLRF at Booster complete
- 2023.07, commissioning of booster RF complete
- 2023.04, RF EPICS database start archiving data
- 2023.04, Booster RF control OPI developed











- Layout of the cryogenics system finished and met the technical requirements of HEPS micro-vibration requirement
- All cryogenic equipment of cryogenic hall, tank area and HEPS zone installed



Transport line from cryogenic hall to HEPS



Tank area and cryogenic hall

Linac microwave and power source

- Cathode-grid Assembly R&D
 - Assembly emission current satisfied E-gun of HEPS linac
 - Reliability and lifetime of assembly are under tests



Linac microwave and power source

Solid-state modulator

- Completely eliminate instability and limited lifetime of thyratron
- Solid-state modulator technology in-housed developed



Pulse Repeat stability 0.018% 305kV/354.2A/30min



Linac RF system

Features

- The accelerating structure adopts an round-shaped cavity, an elliptical crosssection iris design, and the coupler design is a single port doubly fed structure
- The pulse compressor design is a dual cavity structure with dual hole coupling, and internal water cooling
- The directivity of DC: 40dB, LLRF is fully digital

Milestone

- 2019.6, microwave system design completed and begin to manufacture the component
- 2021.3, complete the acceptance of the first accelerating structure
- 2022.4, complete the installation of the accelerating structure and pass the final acceptance
- 2022.5, complete the installation and test of the microwave system and begin online high-power practice
- 2022.9, the energy reaches 500MeV at linac exit









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Buncher (S-band) Prebuncher (S-band)





S-band Accelerating structure

Pulse compressor





Directional coupler

3dB hybrid directional coupler







LLRF system

SiC load

Phase shift & attenuation Main components

Injection & extraction system

- **Booster**
 - All hardware including Lambertson magnets, kicker magnets and pulsers were delivered for installation in May 2023
 - The low-energy injection system has been put into operation for beam commissioning





day one of 25/7/

Mg: 2.03448V Max: 2.03218V Min: 2.01468V Dev: 8.7464V



Injection & extraction system

- Storage ring
- Kicker: All strip-line kickers delivered on 24/7/2023
- Septum: the full-size prototype was completed in Jan. 2023 and 2 sets of final magnets are still under processing.



Fast kicker and pulser: pulse bottom width (3%-3%) < 10ns, pulse peak = ±15kV



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Alignment: Linac and Booster

- The initial alignment and smooth precise alignment of the 50-meter linear accelerator were completed from March to August 2022, with an alignment accuracy of **0.1mm**.
- From October to December 2022, the initial alignment of the 454-meter circumference booster was completed.
 From February to May 2023, two rounds of smooth precise alignment of the booster 's orbit were conducted with an alignment accuracy of 0.065mm.
- All these alignment works have effectively improved the efficiency of beam commissioning and ensured stable beam operation. Currently, the linear tunnel is operating successfully, and the booster tunnel has completed beam commissioning. This demonstrates the correctness and practicality of the principle and procedure for achieving smooth precise alignment of the orbit.



Smooth precise alignment of linear accelerator

Smooth precise alignment of booster

Initial alignment of booster

Alignment: storage ring

Pre-alignment of storage ring magnets

- For the first time in China, the laser multilateration measurement method is adopted to the pre-alignment of storage ring magnets of HEPS. The spatial coordinate measurement precision of 6µm within a 6.5-meter control range have been achieved. The system has reached a world-leading level in terms of stability and measurement efficiency. By August 2023, 217 out of 288 girders have been pre-aligned.
- The initial alignment of the storage ring is currently underway. It is being carried out using a conventional single tracker control network fitting positioning method. The deviations have been adjusted to 0.05mm, the instrument control network fitting positioning error is 0.4mm, and the magnet position error is 0.5mm, meeting the requirements for initial alignment. By August 2023, 156 out of 288 girders has been completed.



Pre-alignment of storage ring magnets

Initial alignment of the storage ring

Mock-up of storage-ring standard cell

• The operation space and interfaces have been checked, and pre-alignment scheme, transport scheme and other critical problems have been thoroughly tested

Aim to verify the feasibility of the magnet, vacuum chamber, BPM, etc. installation procedure





- HEPS Accelerator execution progression
 - Engineering Design completed
 - Procurement completed
 - Delivery of main components almost completed (excepted storage-ring vacuum chamber)
 - Mock-up storage ring standard cell completed
 - Storage ring magnet girder nearly 75% installed
 - Linac and Booster commissioning well progressed
 - COVID-19 caused the project 3~4 months delay and we try to catch up
 - No show stoppers to start storage-ring commissioning next year

THANKS FOR YOUR ATTENTION:

Photo taken in July 2023