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to design and build efficient gamma calorimeter PARIS



PHOTON ARRAY FOR STUDIES WITH RADIOACTIVE ION AND STABLE BEAMS

PARIS desing concepts:

Design and build high efficiency detector consisting of 2 shells *(or 1 phoswich shell)* for medium resolution spectroscopy and calorimetry of γ-rays in large energy range

Inner sphere, highly granular, made of new crystals (LaBr3(Ce)), to be used as a multiplicity filter of high resolution, sum-energy detector (calorimeter), detector for the gamma-transition up 10 MeV with medium energy resolution. It may serve also for fast timing application.

Outer sphere, with high volume detectors, made of conventional crystals (BaF2 or Nal), to be used for high-energy photons measurement or as an active shield for the inner shell..

2-shell or phoswich concept, in addition to being more economic, shall help to distinguish a high-energy photon from a cascade of low energy gamma transitions in fusion evaporation reactions

PARIS physics cases for SPIRAL2

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a) Jacobi and Poincare shape transitions (+AGATA)
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¹³⁰⁻¹⁴² Ba, ¹¹⁶⁻¹²⁰Cd, ⁸⁸⁻⁹⁸Mo, ⁷¹Zn (A. Maj, J. Dudek, K. Mazurek et al.)

b) Studies of shape phase diagrams of hot nuclei – GDR differential methods

¹⁸⁶⁻¹⁹³Os, ¹⁹⁰⁻¹⁹⁷Pt (I. Mazumdar, A. Maj et al.)

c) Hot GDR studies in neutron rich nuclei * (D.R. Chakrabarty, M. Kmiecik et al.)

d) Isospin mixing at finite temperature ⁶⁸Se, ⁸⁰Zr, ⁸⁴Mo, ⁹⁶Cd, ¹¹²Ba

(M. Kicińska-Habior et al.)

e) Onset of the multifragmentation and the GDR (+FAZIA) 120<A<140, 180<A<200

(J.P. Wieleczko, D. Santonocito et al.)

f) Reaction dynamics by means of γ-ray measurements

²¹⁴⁻²²²*Ra,* ¹¹⁸⁻²²⁶*Th,* ²²⁹⁻²³⁴*U* (Ch. Schmitt, O. Dorvaux et al.)

g) Heavy ion radiative capture *

 ^{24}Mg , ^{28}Si

Multiple Coulex of SD bands 36 < A < 50(P. Napiorkowski, F, Azaiez, A. Maj et al.) Relativistic Coulex (after postacceleration) 40 < A < 90(P. Bednarczyk et al.) Nuclear astrophysics (p, γ) e.g. ${}^{90}Zr$

(S. Harissopulos al.)
 k) Shell structure at intermediate energies (SISSI/LISE)

20<A<40 (Z. Dombradi et al.)

- Shell structure at low energies (separator part of S³) * 30<A<150
 (F. Azaiez, I. Stefan, B. Fornal et al.)
- m) PDR studied with GASPARD+PARIS D. Beaumel et al.
- n) PDR in proton-rich nuclei with NEDA+PARIS
 - G. De Angelis et al.
- o) Onset of chaotic regime: PARIS+AGATA
 - S. Leoni et al.
- p) Evolution of nuclear structure of ⁷⁸Ni and ¹³²Sn with ACTAR+PARIS G.F. Grinyer et al.

Jacobi and Poincare shape transitions (+AGATA) * (A. Maj, J. Dudek, K. Mazurek, Ch. Schmitt, S. Leoni, M. Kmiecik et al.)

Theoretical shapes of rotating gravitating body – the Earth



Based on talk by Prof.. Etienne Ghys of the Unité de Mathématiques Pures et Appliquées de l'E.N.S. de Lyon <u>www.josleys.com/show_gallery.php?galid=313</u> Copyright: Jos Leys/Etienne Ghys.



Fragmented GDR strength function

Evolution of GDR strength function for ¹⁴²Ba K. Mazurek et al., to be published

More: talk of Kasia Mazurek



Study of collective modes of excitations in the neutron-rich Ba region via fusion-evaporation reactions

Spiral2 Day1-Phase2 LoI

More on physics: talk of Silvia Leoni AGATA/EXOGAM2: talk of Gilles de France RFD: talk of Piotr Bednarczyk

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Experiment will require efficient aray for discrete γ-rays (AGATA/EXOGAM), recoil detector (e.g. Krakow RFD) and very efficient detector for high-energy photons: PARIS

Main physics cases require that PARIS has to

- be transportable (SPIRAL2/GANIL will be the primary site, but experimental campaigns are planned in other facilities: ALTO, Warsaw, Krakow, SPES, HIE-ISLODE,...)
- be modular (to be connected with other detectors: AGATA, EXOGAM, GASPARD, NEDA, FAZIA, ACTAR ...)
- have high granulation (multiplicity measurement, Doppler correction,...)
- have very high efficiency for high-energy γ-rays
- have good timing resolution (<500 ps)</p>
- have energy resolution as good as possible
- have some position sensitivity



PARIS organization at the beginning, to be rearranged soon

PARIS Management boardA. Maj - project spokesman;D.G. Jenkins, J.P. Wieleczko, J.A. Scarpaci - deputies

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PARIS collaboration meeting, February 2012, Bormio



Extensive **simulation studies** have been performed to understand how γ-rays with energies from few keV up to 50 MeV are absorbed and recovered. Figure above is used for instance to determine the opening angle required to not spoil out the intrinsic LaBr3 resolution. All the considerations drive the *design of the basic element* of PARIS as composed of

2"x2"x2" LaBr3 followed by 2"x2"x2" NaI.

Placed at a reasonable distance from the target position it gives a $4\pi array$ *composed of few hundred of elements* for optimal characteristics in *non-relativistic domain* ($\beta < 10\%$).



Several geometries studied



CONCLUSION:
PARIS to be made of clusters:
Cluster = 9 phoswichesThis allows cubic or semi-spherical geometry
with 24 clusters (216 phoswiches)



Initial concept of a phoswich detector element (presently CsI is replaced by NaI)





A cluster module comprising nine phoswich detectors

Clusters of phoswich detectors arranged in a radial geometry

Designs made in IPN Orsay and Daresbury

Geometries for PARIS+GASPARD



PARIS180 18 clusters + 18 phoswich R = 235 mm (8 clusters in main ring)

PARIS234 26 clusters R = 235 mm (10 clusters in main ring)

PARIS168 18 clusters + 6 phoswich R = 208 mm (8 clusters in main ring)









NaI

LaBr3





5 prototypes were ordered from Saint Gobain 1 to Orsay, 1 to Strasbourg, 3 to Krakow



Left: 2D plot plot for a phoswich detector obtained for a 6MeV gamma source using a Milano BaF processor card. The steep strip representing the fast pure LaBr3 signals is well separated from the flat distribution related to much slower NaI pulses, mixed events are seen in between. Middle: shapes of the corresponding signals. Right: Spectra obtained with a gate of fast (LaBr3 only), slow (NaI only) and mixed events.



Phoswich tests results

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	Phoswich/ PMT	Energy resolution (%)					Energy Gated Timing Resolution (ps)		Linearity
		@662keV			@1332keV			@1.1-	127 - (0 -
		St. <u>Gobain</u>	LaBr ₃	Nal	LaBr ₃	NaL	@511keV	1.4MeV	¹³⁷ Cs, ⁶⁰ Co
	IFJ PAN A0_207/ XP3292B	4.1	4.0	~11 side	2.9 side	6.0 side	710	530	Very good
-	IFJ PAN A0_209/ XP3292B	4.3	4.1	8.9 side	3.0 side	5.6 side	770	580	Very good
	IPNO/ R7723-100	4.5	4.3	6.5-7 side	3.3		500	400	Very good
	IPHC/ R7723-100	4.8	4.7	7.5-8	3.4	5.3			Very good
	Single cubic 2"x2" Labr3/ XP3292B	3.6	3.6	X	<u>2.8</u>	X	520	370	Very good

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Simulations for one cluster made of 9 phoswiches



Event generator for PARIS based on MC Cascade (M. Ciemała, Ch. Schmitt, K. Mazurek, M. Kmiecik et al..)



PARIS Demonstrator MoU

MoU on PARIS Demonstrator (Phase 2) was prepared and agreed to be signed by <u>IN2P3 (France), COPIN (Poland), GANIL/SPIRAL2 (France)</u>, TIFR/BARC/VECC (India), <u>IFIN HH (Romania)</u>, INFN (Italy), Bulgaria, <u>U. York (UK)</u>, Turkey

U. Surrey (UK) and Hungary might sign soon, too.

Since more than 3 partners already signed it (underlined), the MoU is effective.



Signature of the PARIS Demonstrator MoU

Other activities:

- Puls shape analysis: electronics for PARIS shall be based on NUMEXO2 solution (synergy with EXOGAM2 and NEDA)
- Simulation software for GASPARD and PARIS
- Common physics cases with GASPARD and with NEDA in preparation
- Work started do adapt the Krakow RFD to PARIS at SPIRAL2 beams experiments

SUMMARY

- LaBr3+NaI phoswich is a viable solution for the elements of the eventual PARIS calorimeter, in terms of it meeting the requirements for energy and timing resolution
- The next step is to explore the performance of a cluster of 9 phoswich detectors. Source and in-beam testing of this cluster will proceed soon
- The next phase will be the PARIS Phase2 (Demonstrator) of 5 clusters, each of 9 phoswich detectors.
- The MoU for the Phase 2 (PARIS Demonstrator) has been worked out and already signed by some partners, including GANIL, IN2P3 and COPIN

More info on PARIS: http://paris.ifj.edu.pl