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Welcome address

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10th - **15**th **September 2023**

Tsukuba, Japan

Tsukuba City:

- the largest "Science City" in Japan
 - ~ 300 national and private research institutes
 - ~9,000 foreign residents from ~140 countries
- a rich natural environment with a view of Mt. Tsukuba

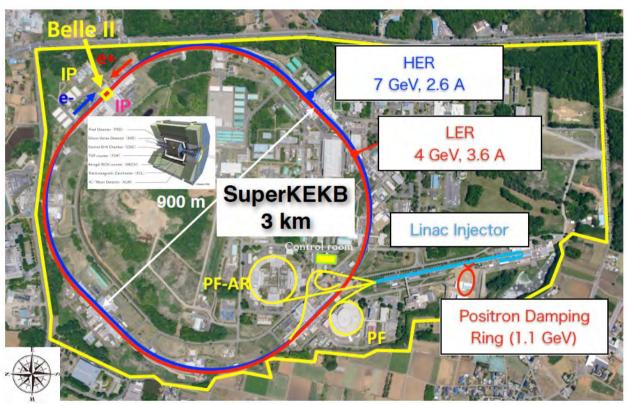
KEK and NIRS-QST







Accelerators in KEK Tsukuba Campus



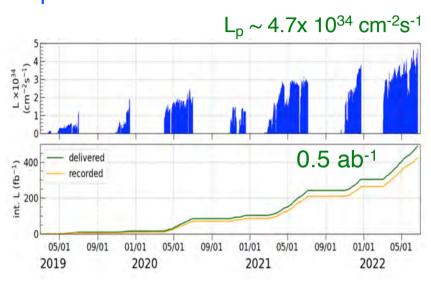
PF (Photon Factory):

2.5 GeV, Light source for VUV and soft X-ray

PF-AR:

5-6.5 GeV for hard X-ray, ~50 mA single bunch for time resolved experiments

SuperKEKB



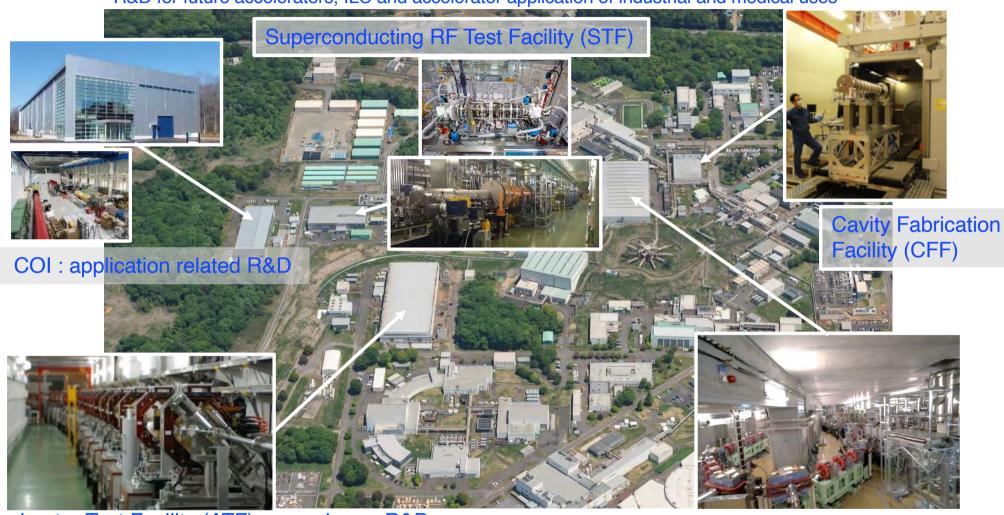
LS1 from 2022.6 - 2023.12

Injector Linac

delivers beams with simultaneous top up injection to four rings

Advanced accelerator facilities at KEK Tsukuba Campus

R&D for future accelerators, ILC and accelerator application of industrial and medical uses



Accelerator Test Facility (ATF): nano-beam R&D

compact ERL (cERL): study of application

Accelerators in KEK Tokai Campus



J-PARC, Japan Proton Accelerator Research Complex

Delivered max. beam power: RCS

- 840 kW for the MLF users in routine operation
- 1 MW for 36 hours as demonstration

MR FX for T2K

- 535 kW for the T2K experiment
- 760 kW equivalent single shot as demonstration MR SX for HD
- 64 kW for the HD users

iBNCT, the linac-based BNCT project

In collaboration with Institute of Medicine, University of Tsukuba



Proton Accelerator

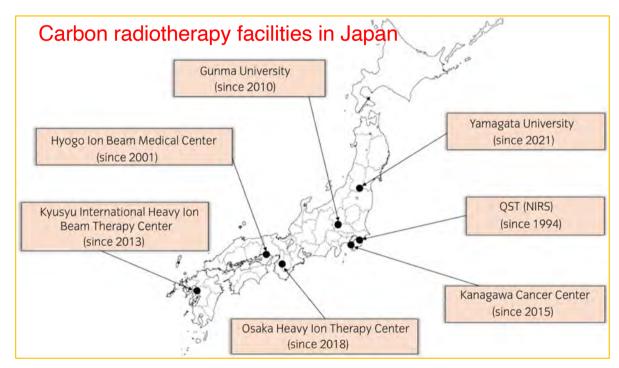
Neutron generator



Non-clinical test: 2021 - 2022 Clinical test will start in JFY2023

Carbon-ion radiotherapy in QST

Worldwide, 12 accelerator facilities for carbon-ion radiotherapy are in operation, and three under construction.



H. Ishikawa et al., Int. J. Urol. 29 (2022), p. 1109





Rotating gantry with superconducting magnets



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Please enjoy discussion, not only about excellent achievements but also various failures, to improve performance of the accelerator facilities.

The best part of this workshop series is that we can frankly discuss our failures. It is very valuable to be able to do that. Have a good workshop!

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