

Comparison of muon beam facilities

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Abstract

Performances of muon beam facility are compared. The performances are compared about μ^- and decay muon. It is should be noted that a brightnesses in this note are not normalized by a power of a proton beam.

1 TRIUMF

Parameters of muon source

Proton beam	Energy	500 MeV
	Current	$200\mu A$
	Power	1 kW
	Repetition	23 MHz
Muon beam	Beam Line	M9B
	μ^- flux (x1000/sec)	1400[1]
	Momentum bite	3.4% [1]
	Pion contamination	0.2% [2]
	Muon momentum	60 MeV/c [2]

Calculation of Brightness

$$B = F/(\Delta p) = 3.43 \times 10^5 \text{ muons/s/(MeV/c)} \quad (1)$$

$$\Delta p = 2 \times 0.034 \times 60 \text{ MeV/c} = 4.08 \text{ MeV/c} \quad (2)$$

$$B:\text{Brightness} \quad (3)$$

$$F:\text{Muon flux} \quad (4)$$

2 PSI

Parameters of muon source

Proton beam	Energy	600 MeV
	Current	1.7 mA
	Power	1.02 MW
Muon beam	Beam Line	$\mu E4$
	Channel Length	17.3 m
	μ^- flux (sec^{-1})	$\sim 10^7$ [3]
	Full momentum band	$\pm 3\%$ [3]
	Muon Momentum	28 MeV[3]

$$B = F/\Delta p = 1 \times 10^7 / 1.686 = 5.931 \times 10^6 \text{ muons/s/(MeV/c)} \quad (5)$$

$$\Delta p = 2 \times 0.03 \times 28 \text{ MeV/c} = 1.68 \text{ MeV/c} \quad (6)$$

$$B: \text{Brightness} \quad (7)$$

$$F: \text{Muon flux} \quad (8)$$

Calculation of Pion Contamination

$$N_{survival}^{\pi} = \exp \left\{ -\frac{L}{L_{\pi}} \right\} \quad (9)$$

$$= 1.589 \times 10^{-5} \quad (10)$$

$$L_{\pi} = c\beta\gamma\tau_{\pi} \quad (11)$$

$$= c [\text{m/s}]P[\text{MeV/c}]\tau_{\pi}[\text{s}]/m_{\pi} [\text{MeV}] \quad (12)$$

$$= 0.05592P [\text{m}] \quad (13)$$

$$= 1.566 [\text{m}] \quad (14)$$

$$P = 28[\text{MeV/c}] : \text{Pion Momentum} \quad (15)$$

$$L = 17.3 [\text{m}] : \text{Channel Length} \quad (16)$$

$$m_{\pi} = 139.57 \text{ MeV} : \text{Pion mass} \quad (17)$$

$$\tau_{\pi} = 2.6033 \times 10^{-8} \text{ sec} : \text{Pion life time} \quad (18)$$

3 KEK-MSL

Parameters of muon source

Proton beam	Energy : 500 MeV Current : 9.6 μA Power : 4.8 kW Repetition : 20 Hz	
Muon beam	Beam Line	Superconducting Muon Beam Channel
	Channel Length	12 m[4]
	μ^{-} flux (sec^{-1})	2000*
	Full momentum bite	10~15% [5]
	Muon Momentum	30~100 MeV/c[5]

*: μ^{-} flux = 100/spill \times 20Hz[5].

Calculation of Brightness

$$B = F/\Delta p = 2000/9.75 = 205.2 \text{ muons/s/(MeV/c)} \quad (19)$$

$$\Delta p = 0.15 \times 65 \text{ MeV/c} = 9.75 \text{ MeV/c} \quad (20)$$

$$B: \text{Brightness} \quad (21)$$

$$F: \text{Muon flux} \quad (22)$$

Calculation of Pion Contamination

$$N_{survival}^{\pi} = \exp \left\{ -\frac{L}{L_{\pi}} \right\} \quad (23)$$

$$= 0.03684 \quad (24)$$

$$L_{\pi} = c\beta\gamma\tau_{\pi} \quad (25)$$

$$= c \text{ [m/s]} P[\text{MeV}/c] \tau_{\pi}[\text{s}] / m_{\pi} [\text{MeV}] \quad (26)$$

$$= 0.05592P \text{ [m]} \quad (27)$$

$$= 3.635 \text{ [m]} \quad (28)$$

$$L = 12 \text{ [m]} : \text{Channel Length} \quad (29)$$

$$P = 65 \text{ MeV}/c : \text{Pion Momentum} \quad (30)$$

4 PRISM

Parameters of muon source

Proton beam	Energy : 50 GeV Current : 20 μA Power : 1 MW
Muon beam	μ^{-} flux (sec^{-1}) 1×10^{12} [6] Momentum width $\pm 2\%$ [6] Muon Momentum 68 MeV/c [6] Pion contamination 10^{-17} [6]

Calculation of Brightness

$$B = F/\Delta p = 1 \times 10^{12} / 2.72 = 3.68 \times 10^{11} \text{ muons/s}/(\text{MeV}/c) \quad (31)$$

$$\Delta p = 2 \times 0.02 \times 68 \text{ MeV}/c = 2.72 \text{ MeV}/c \quad (32)$$

$$B: \text{Brightness} \quad (33)$$

$$F: \text{Muon flux} \quad (34)$$

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