



# Institute of Accelerator Technologies of Ankara University and TARLA Facility



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# TAC was born

The Turkish Accelerator Center (TAC) project was first proposed in 2000's as linac-ring type e-e+ collider with center of mass energy of 1 GeV as  $\Phi$  factory.

Additionally in the proposal ;

- Electron linac of the complex maybe used to drive SASE undulators
- Positron ring of the complex may be used as SR source.



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## 1st phase Preliminary phase (1997-2001)

Outcome: A preliminary report Report in 2001

- Accelerator Center (TAC) Project was proposed

## 2nd phase Feasibility Report (2002-2005)

Outcome : A Feasibility Report in 2005,

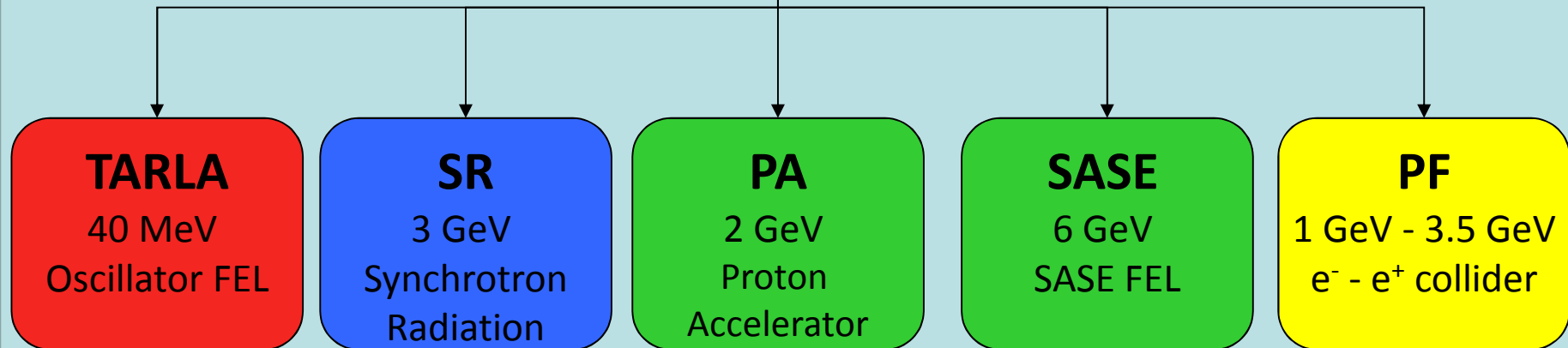
- Change from  $\Phi$ -factory to Charm factory
- Main parameters of the proposed facilities
- Types and technologies of accelerators
- Research potential of proposed facilities of TAC are explained

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# Current phase

## TAC Project



-  Installation and commissioning phase
-  Detailed Design Report phase
-  Conceptual Design Report phase
-  Feasibility Report phase



# Institute of Accelerator Technologies



- IAT is proposed to
  - To train people about accelerators
  - To host and construct the “Test facility” of TAC
  - To establish collaborations with international communities
- Institute of Accelerator Technologies has been established in Ankara University in 2011

- The institute which is located in Gölbaşı (15 km south of Ankara) housing the TARLA facility
- It is the first institute established in Turkey as research in the fields of accelerators and related topics
- We have 16 full-time employee in the institute (11 technical, 5 administrative)
- About 5 part time collaborator from different universities

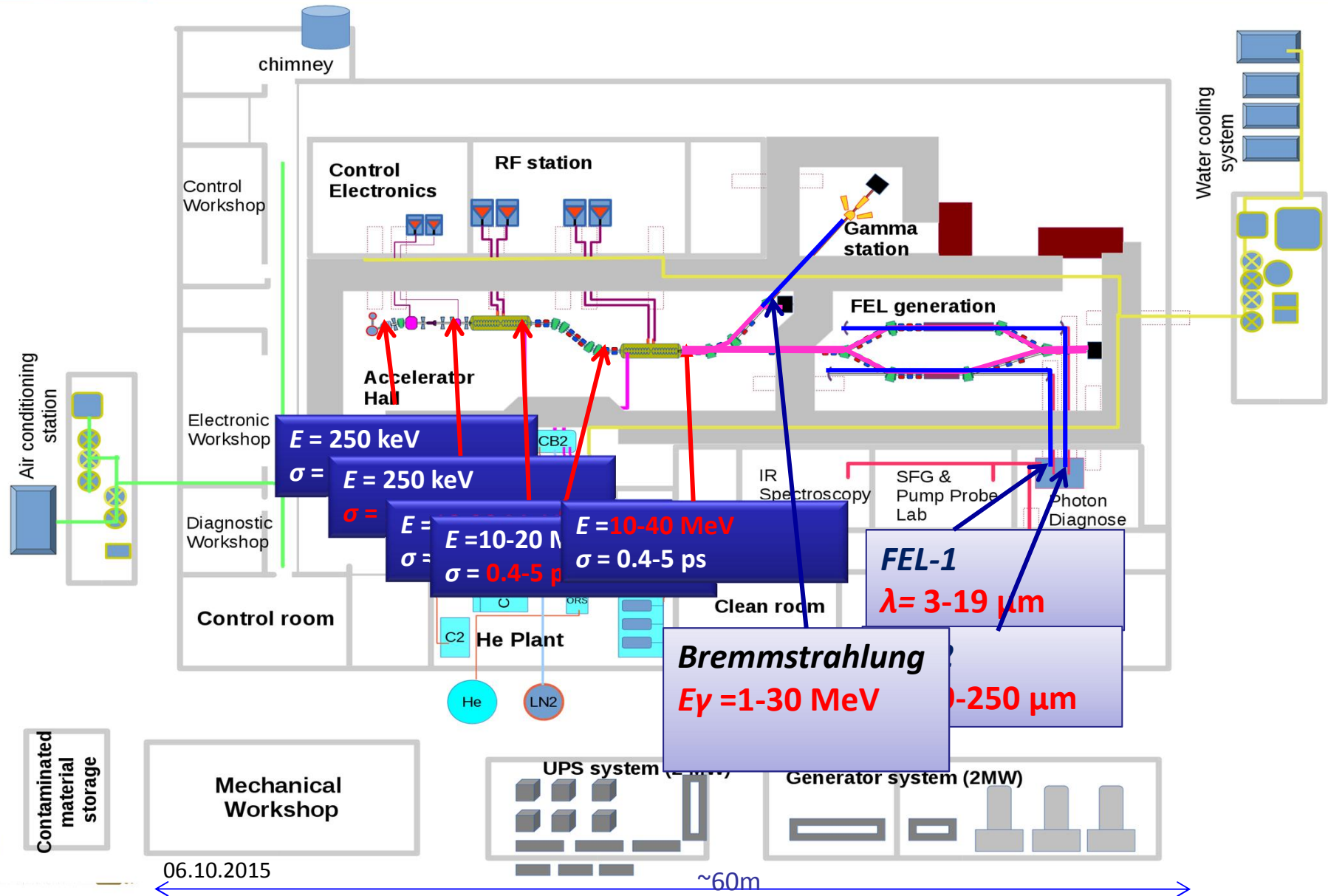


# Scope of the test facility, TARLA

- Constructing accelerator based research facility in order to serve our country and our region within the frame of Turkish Accelerator Center Project.
- In TARLA facility we propose;
  - To generate Free Electron Laser between 3-250  $\mu\text{m}$  using 15-40 MeV electron beam and two different optical resonator system housing two different undulators with 25 mm and 90 mm period length
  - To generate Bremsstrahlung radiation using 0-30 MeV electron beam and three different radiator-colimator setup and study nuclear physics
  - To use 0-40 MeV electron directly in order to make fixed target experiments



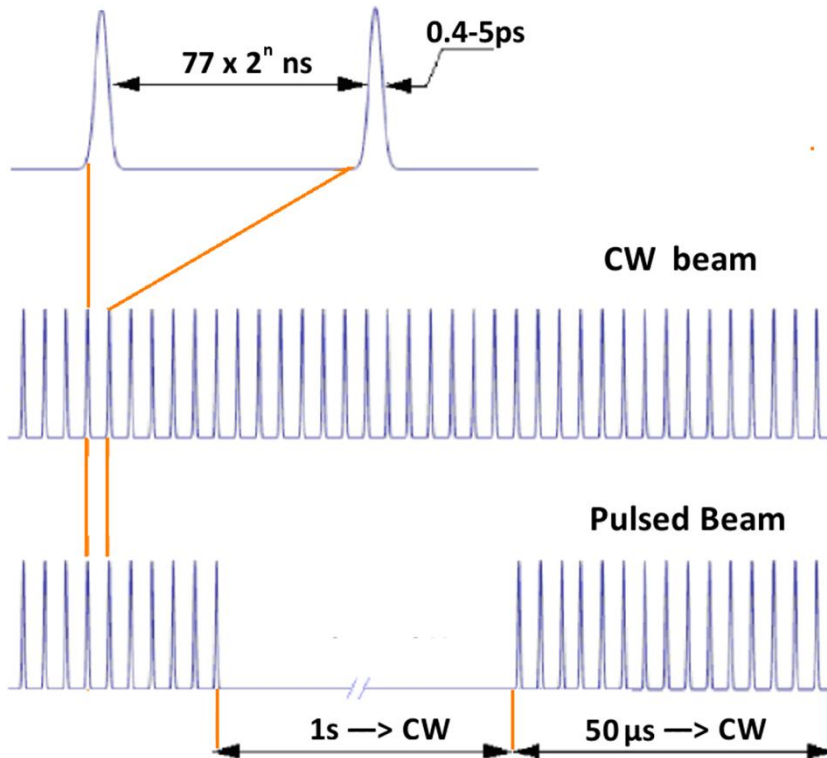
# TARLA layout





# TARLA Electron Beam

Spacing between bunches will be adjusted with grid modulation installed on gun.



Macropulse time structure is manipulated with macropulsed installed on injector.

**CW Beam**  
1 mA, 0-40 MeV

**Coherent IR Laser**  
3 – 250 μm  
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• biophysics  
• biochemistry  
• environment

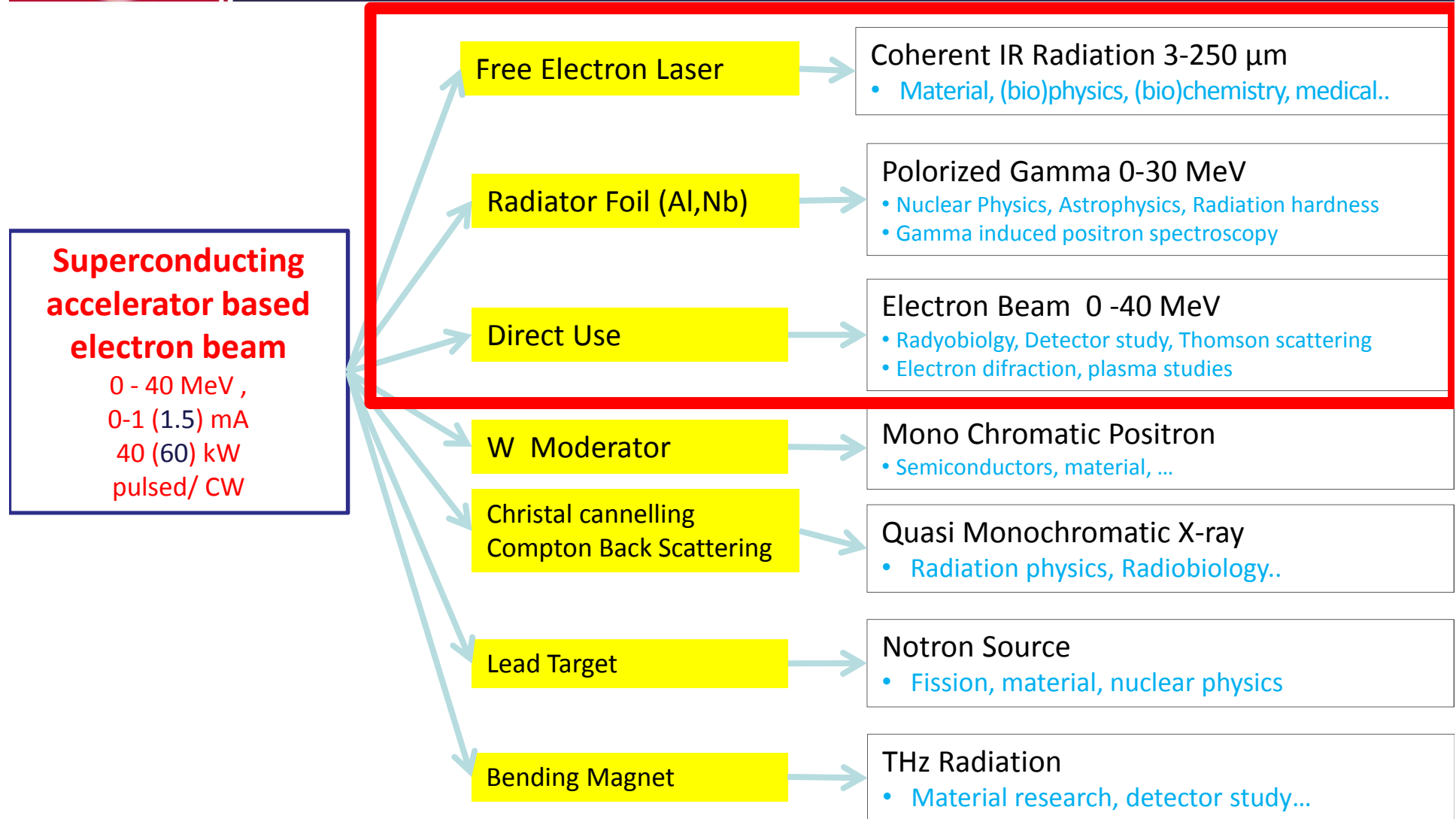
**Polarized Gamma**  
0 – 30 MeV  
• Nuclear physics  
• Nuclear astrophysics  
• Radiation physics

**Electrons**  
0 – 40 MeV  
• radio biology  
• detector studies  
• materials research





# Research Potential of TARLA





# TARLA Superconducting accelerating module

- Superconducting accelerating module is being installed in the instrument.
- This TESLA superconducting module operates at 15 MeV.
- The contract was awarded to ELBE GmbH, Germany.
- Module was delivered in 2016.

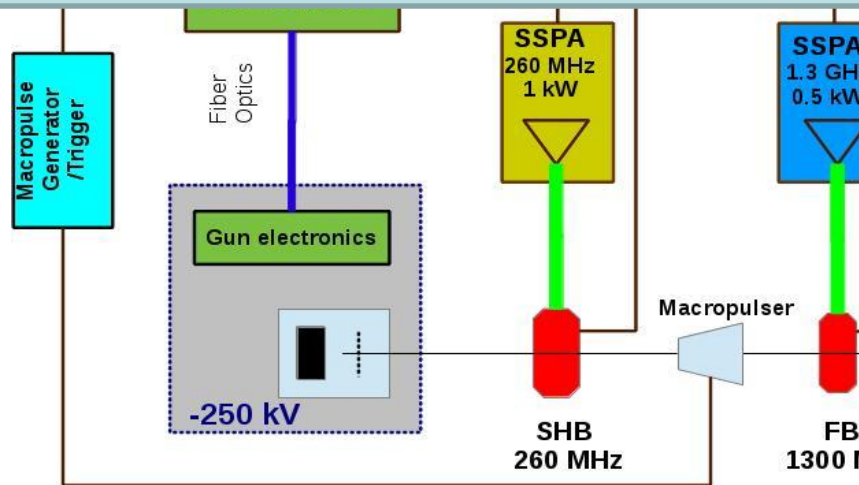
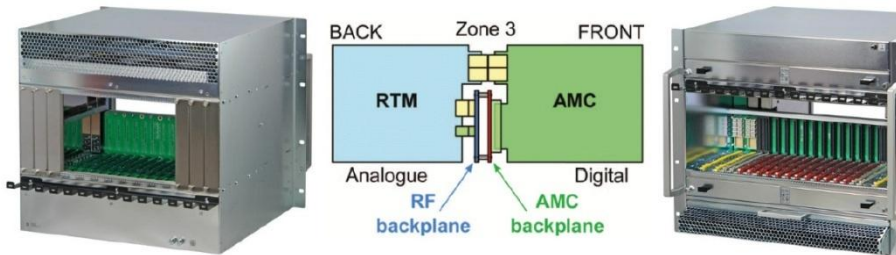


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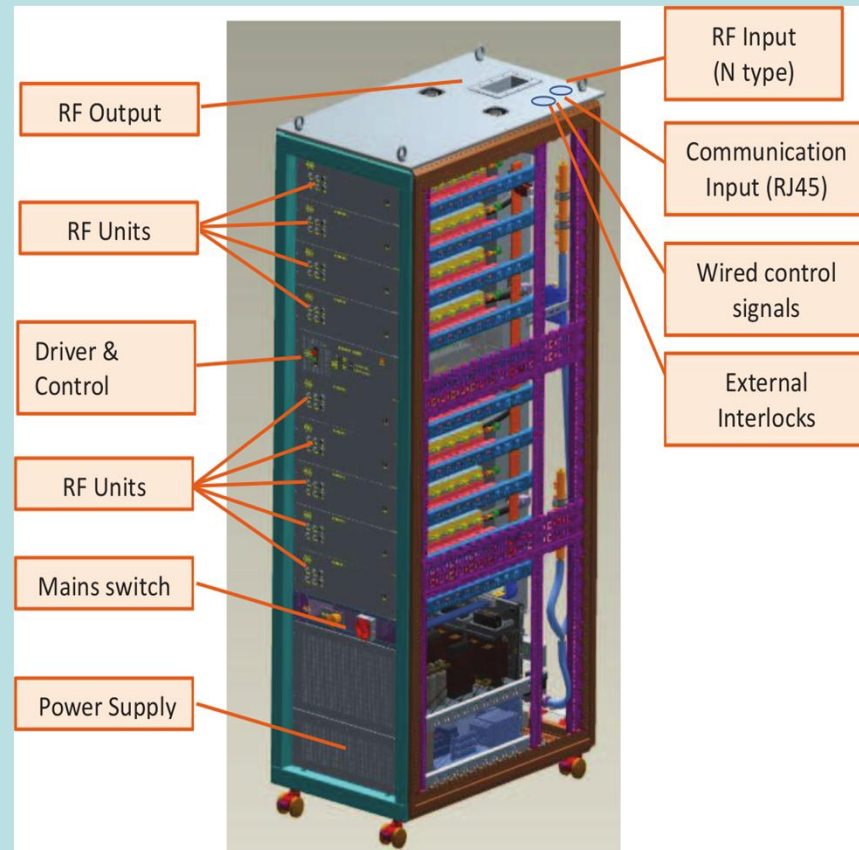
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# TARLA RF – System, Block Diagram

→ RF control is DESY design digital LLRF ( $\mu$ TCI4)



- Each structure will be fed by individual
- Each amplifier will have its own drive



→ RF amplifiers are solid state power amplifiers

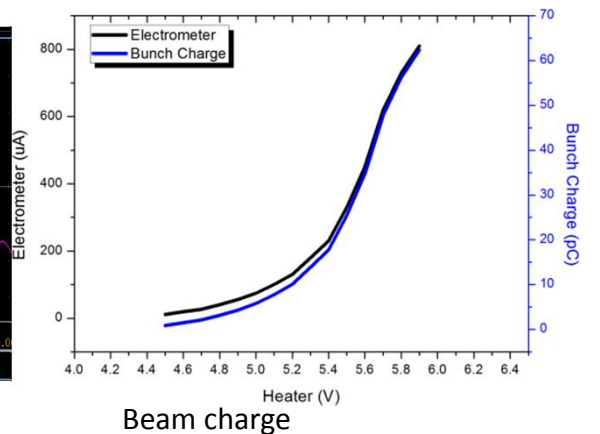
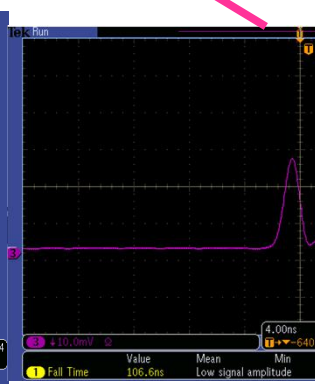
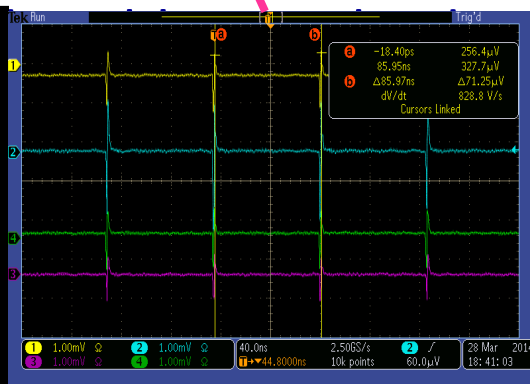
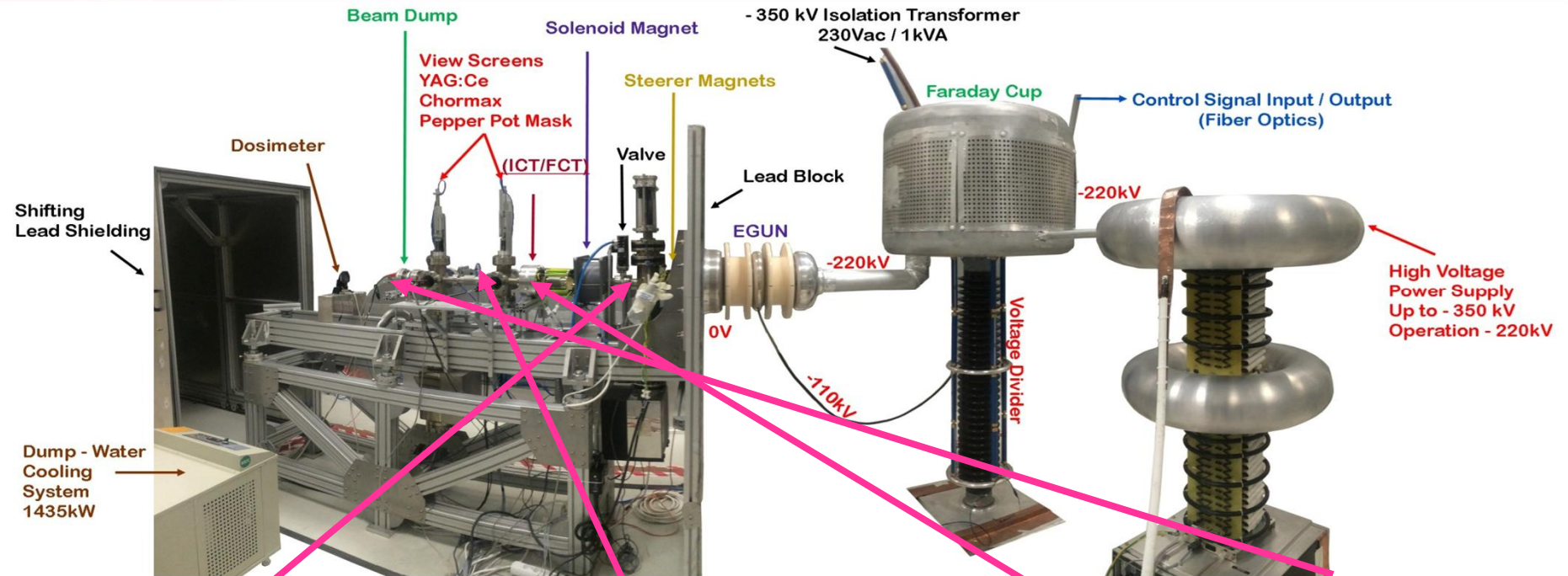


# TARLA Electron Beam Parameters

Parameter	Unit	Base	Upgrade
Beam Energy	MeV	5-40	5-40
Max average beam current	mA	1	1.5
Max bunch charge (@ 13 MHz)	pC	77	115
Horizontal emittance	mm.mrad	< 15	< 16
Vertical emittance	mm.mrad	< 12	<13
Longitudinal emittance	keV.ps	< 85	<100
Bunch length	Ps	0.4-6	0.4-6
Bunch repetition	MHz	13	13-26
Macropulse duration	$\mu$ s	50 $\rightarrow$ CW	50 $\rightarrow$ CW
Macropulse repetition	Hz	1 $\rightarrow$ CW	1 $\rightarrow$ CW



# Electron gun test setup



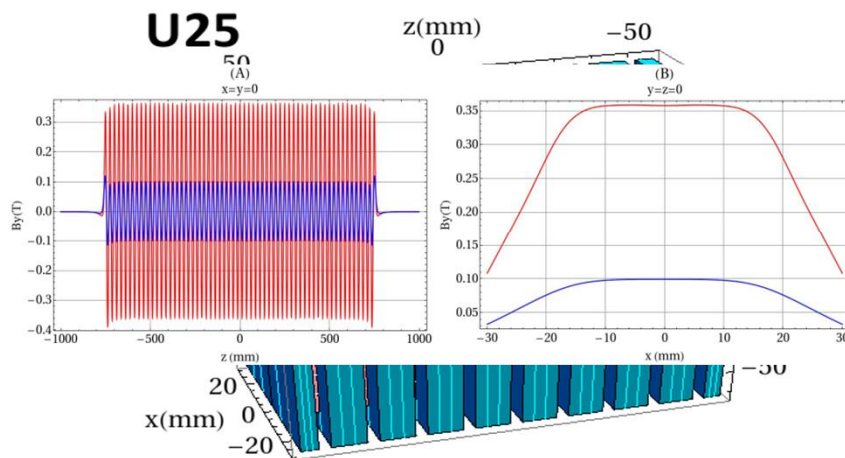
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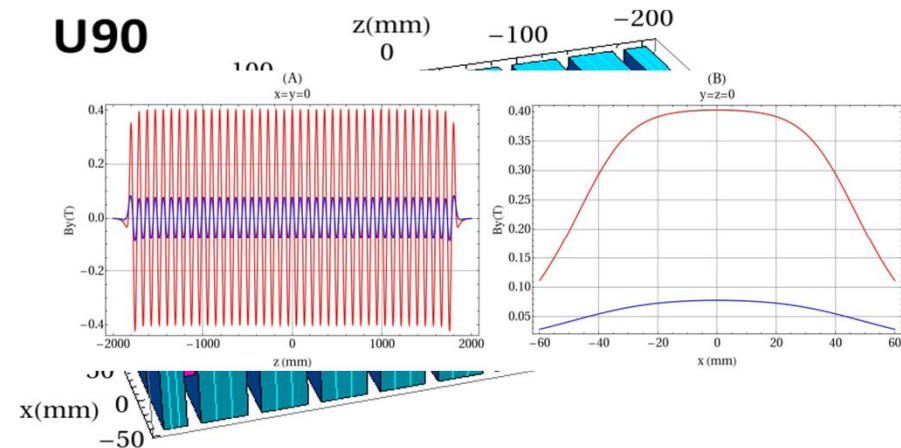


# Free Electron Laser Section

- We propose to use 2 different optical resonator in order to scan all wavelengths between 3-250  $\mu\text{m}$ .
- The beam is injected to undulators with achromatic beamlines (dipole-quadrupole triplet-dipole).
- U90  $\Rightarrow$  undulator with 90 mm period length and U25  $\Rightarrow$  undulator with 25 mm period length
- Besides the length of the periods of the undulators, the waveguide structure of U95 is another main difference between resonators.
- Preliminary design for undulators



- NbFe pole material, vanadium permendur blocks
- Roll off filed for max field is 0.04

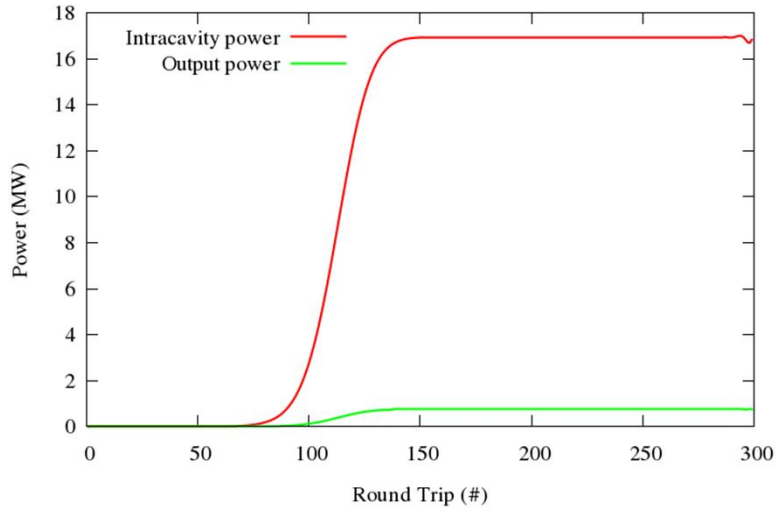
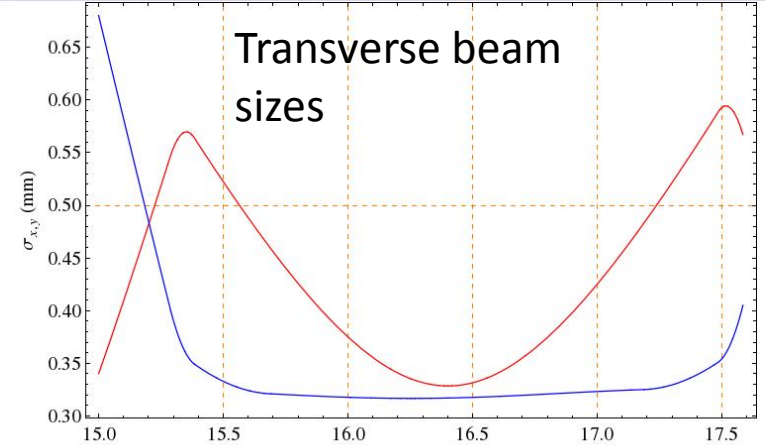


- NbFe pole material, vanadium permendur blocks
- Roll off filed for max field is 0.1

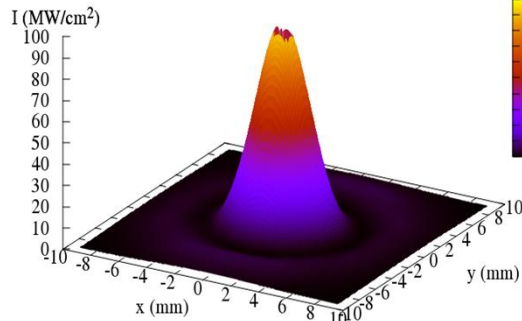


# FEL Simulations in progress

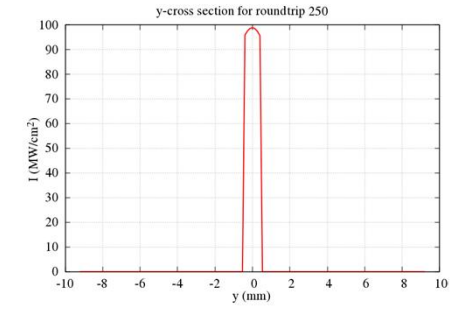
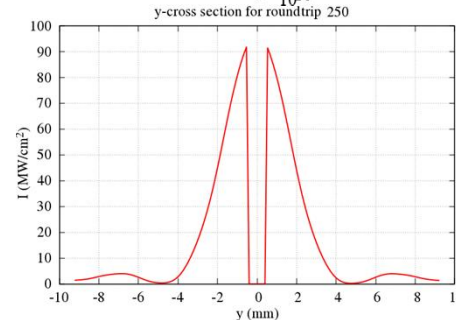
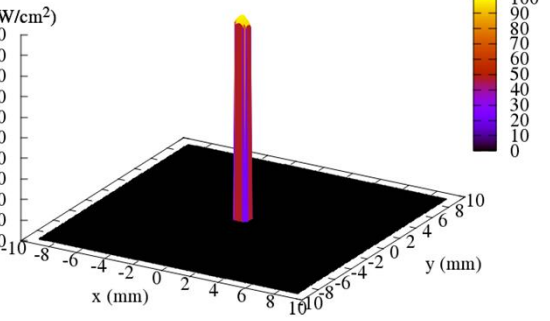
- Time depended simulation for FEL with 3  $\mu\text{m}$  wavelength
  - $E=38:2$  MeV
  - $K_u = 0.35$
  - $Z_r=0.75$
  - $\sigma_b = 0.5$  ps
  - No detuning
  - $R_1=R_2=5.86$
  - Mirror Reflection ratio=%98



Field distribution after reflection from outcoupling mirror after 250 r.t.



Field distribution after outcoupling mirror after 250 roundtrip





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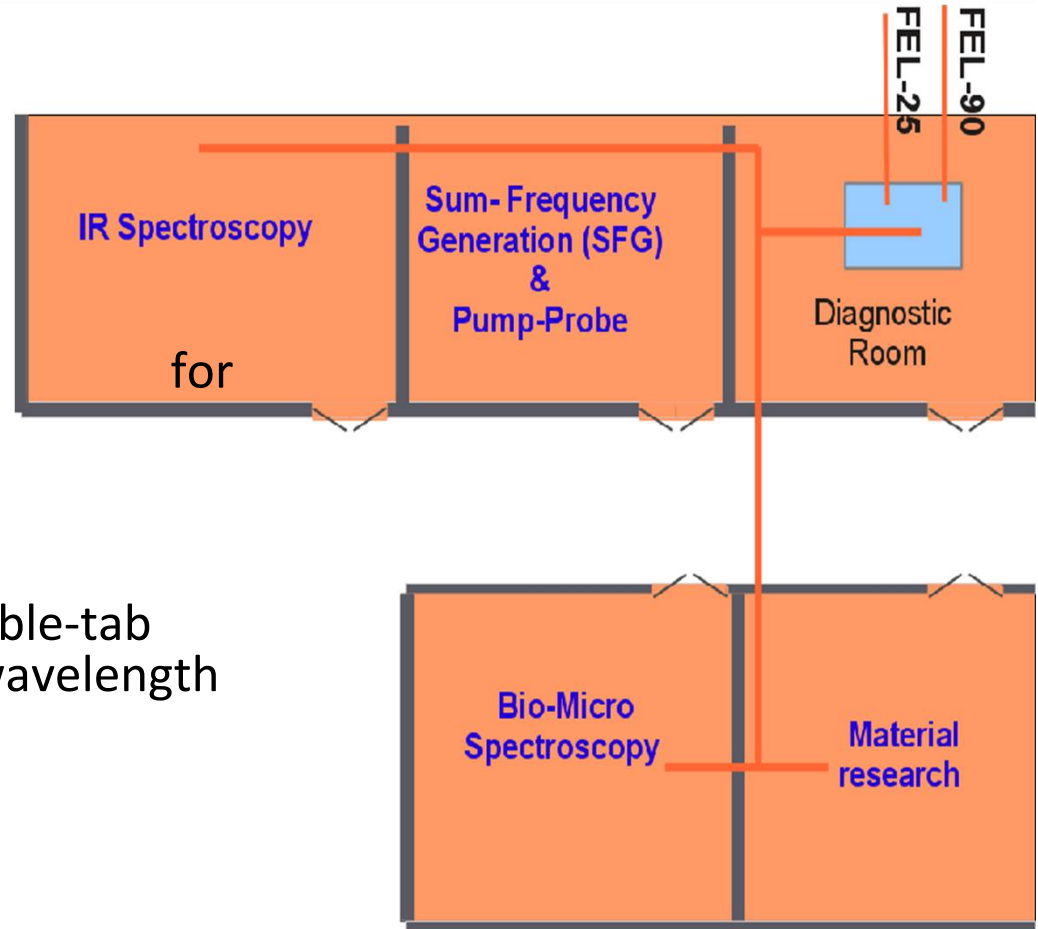
# Auxiliary systems

- ❑ Water cooling, (installation completed for non-radioactive areas)
  - $24 \pm 1$  C<sup>o</sup> , 850.000 kcal/h
- ❑ Nitrogen Cooling (installation completed)
  - 500 l/day LN2 will be provided by storage system. The shielded lines are installed around facility..
- ❑ Power network
  - 2+1 (main + backup) MW Transformer ,
  - 2+1 (main + backup) MW Generator,
  - 6 × 300 kW UPS
- ❑ EPICS and PLC based Control system
  - EPICS → Machine control
  - PLC → Control of auxiliary systems
    - ❖ PSS
    - ❖ Cooling
    - ❖ Building control ...



# Proposed FEL Stations

- Proposed FEL stations are:
  - IR spectroscopy lab.
  - SFG-PP lab.
  - Bio-Micro Spectroscopy lab.
  - Material research lab.
- Main FEL parameters are available these labs
  - wavelength range: 3-250 m
  - Average FEL power: 1-100 W
- Each room will be equipped with table-top laser sources with 700 – 1000 nm wavelength
  - Ti-sapphire laser
  - Nd:Yag laser
- FEL and external lasers will be synchronized
  - $\Delta\sigma < 100$  fs
- The rooms will have class 1000 standard

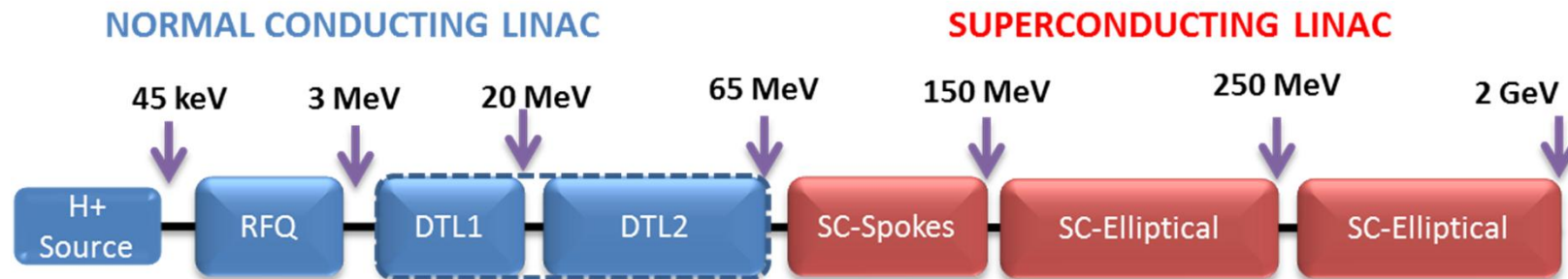




# TAC Proton Accelerator Facility (PAF)

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TAC Proton Accelerator is proposed as a multipurpose, multi GeV energy and MW power machine



(Low energy → 3-65 MeV & 65-250 MeV, High energy → up to 2 GeV)

**The project is planned progress in three stages:**

**Stage 1:** ion-source, Low Energy Beam Transport and a RFQ (up to 3 MeV);

**Stage 2:** 250 MeV linear accelerator, which could be built in two step

- Step 1- a 3-65 MeV Drift Tube Linac (DTL)
- step 2 - a Medium energy beam transport and 65-250 MeV SC-spoke cavity and SC-elliptical cavity

**Stage 3:** a 1 MW proton facility up to 2 GeV – probably a SC-Elliptical cavity

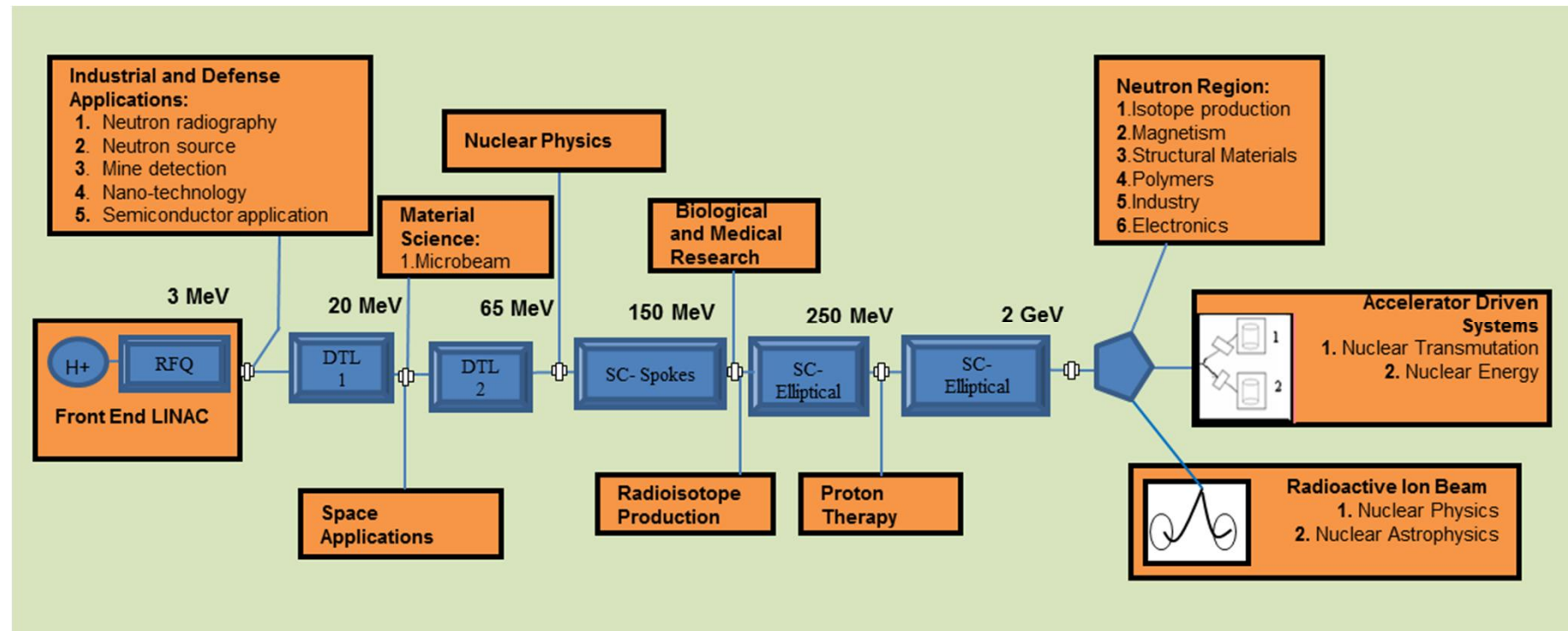
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# TAC Proton Accelerator Facility

This proton accelerator facility could serve as a neutron source, a radioactive ion beam facility as well as a number of lower energy facilities for use in nuclear, material, biological, and medical sciences.



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# Conclusion

- ❑ TARLA is the first step of TAC project and will be the first accelerator based user facility in Turkey and around our region.
- ❑ The facility will give opportunity to scientists and industry to make research about material, biotechnology, optics, semiconductors, medicine, chemistry and nanotechnology as well..
- ❑ The infrastructure has almost been completed...
- ❑ The milestones of TARLA is
  - The helium plant will be ready by the beginning of 2016,
  - The injector will to be ready by the end of 2016.
  - First cyromodule will be delivered by June of 2016. We expect to get first beam from SRF1 by 1st Q of 2017, and beam from SRF2 is expected in 2018.
  - Purchasing components of laser station(s) will be started by next year and parallel to TARLA construction experiments with traditional laser sources will start by 2018
  - We expect to get first lasing by the end of 2019.



# Conclusion

- Besides constructing TARLA, one of the scope of IAT is proposed to train people in accelerator related technologies
  - We established first accelerator technologies post-graduate education program in our university..
  
- Law for Research Infrastructure and legislations of related law has been published in July 2014 and September 2015, respectively.
  - The objective is to define issues related to support to ensure a more effective use of research infrastructure and their sustainability.
  
- IAT is candidate to be a research center.
  - To lead accelerator related projects in Turkey
  - To establish proposed facilities of TAC
  - To prepare accelerator based research infrastructure to the researches in our region.



Thanks for your attention!

