



# **DEVELOPMENTS OF WIDE DYNAMIC-RANGE HALO MONITOR** FOR 8 GeV PROTON BEAMS AT FNAL

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# Abstract

The FNAL accelerator complex has been upgrading in increasing beam intensity and beam quality. A new beam halo diagnostic device is required in the beam transport line between booster and Recycler.

For this purpose, it was decided to introduce the wide dynamic range monitor technique that was developed in 2012 and has been in operation at the J-PARC beam transport line. The device is a two-dimensional beam profile monitor, and it has a dynamic range of approximately six digits of magnitude by using of Optical Transition Radiation and fluorescence screens. Eliminating harmful beam halos is the most important technique for high-intensity proton accelerators. Therefore, beam halo diagnosis is indispensable and becomes more and more important.

New FNAL device has been manufactured in a collaboration between J-PARC and FNAL as a part of U.S.-Japan Science and Technology Cooperation Program in High Energy Physics. The equipment will be manufactured at J-PARC and will be shipped to FNAL in 2025. We designed the device to satisfy FNAL specifications: the beam energy, intensity, and size. Currently, most of the equipments are under construction. The large-aperture optical system has been completed and its optical characteristics are being evaluated at J-PARC. We have been also investigating measurement methods corresponding to FNAL bunch trains. This paper reports on the current status of these developments.



# 8 GeV Proton Beam : FNAL design model





**Offner Optics : FNAL design model** 



**Tuning of the optical system in progress** 

Confirming the focal position of the concave mirror using a laser line marker and adjusting the mirror angle

#### **Concave Mirror Pair**

Material : A5052 Manufacturing : precision lathe Processing Wavefront accuracy : below  $\lambda/4$ Surface roughness : below 100 nm Diameter: 250 mm Curvature Radius : 417.2 mm

# Concept (1): Dynamic range

Combination measurement with OTR and the fluorescence:

Beam core : Measure with OTR from 10 microns titanium foil with smaller beam loss Beam Halo : Measure with Fluorescence from Chromium doped alumina screen

### Adopting Suitable Gain of the Detector: Image Intensifier (II)



Concept (2): Screen Configuration

## OTR from 8 GeV Proton Beam(1) : FNAL design model

FNAL is 1.32 times larger.

J-PARC (3 GeV):  $2.5 \times 10^{10}$  [photon/ $1 \times 10^{13}$ proton] FNAL (8 GeV) :  $3.3 \times 10^{10}$  [photon/<u>1 × 10<sup>13</sup> proton</u>]



OTR from 8 GeV Proton Beam(2) : FNAL design model

The divergence angle of the double peaks is  $\pm$  13.5 deg for 3 GeV and  $\pm$  6 deg for 8 GeV .

### Secondary Optical System : FNAL design model

J-PARC Unit-1 has larger WD(561.5)

 $\rightarrow$  (FNAL) Decrease WD to increase light yield: WD(40.9) \*set the scattering screen on the atmosphere side

### $\rightarrow$ (FNAL) Light yield will be increased 12.5 times $\rightarrow$ 6 digits Beam Halo meas.





#### Layout (Front View)



→ As for OTR, FNAL can yield light with a smaller mirror aperture angle compared to J-PARC.



# Typical Result (1): J-PARC Unit-1



#### Dynamic Range : More than six order obtained Horizontal Projection Beam Size: More than 120 mm at 10<sup>-6</sup> order



Target System : FNAL design model





Titanium Screen : 5 μm thick



# Typical Result (2): J-PARC Unit-1

2.5 10

2 10<sup>5</sup>

5 10<sup>4</sup>

Scale [mm]

Simultaneous Measurement of Beam Core and Beam Halo (1) Alumina Edge Position : Halo of 10<sup>-4</sup> order Difference by Painting Area of RCS Injection of 100  $\pi$  and 50  $\pi$  [mm.mrad] Beam Intensity: 2.99e13/2bunch 5 times averaged



Scale [mm]

50  $\pi$  Painting Smaller Beam Size

Halo Rotation

## **SUMMARY AND PROSPECTS**

> The profile monitor will be installed at FNAL based on J-PARC Unit-1 design and is estimated to have a dynamic range of 6 digits or more.

> Detailed evaluation experiments of the Offner optical system have begun.

> The equipment is currently being manufactured and adjusted. FNAL members are also scheduled to come to Japan to adjust the device. The device will be installed in the FNAL tunnel next 2025 summer.

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