



ILC/CLIC "e⁺ generation" working group

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The ILC study considers the Undulator option as the base line while the Compton ring is an alternative option. The CLIC study considers the Compton ring as the base line while the Undulator is an alternative option.

The working group should:

- > Develop the synergy between the ILC and CLIC e^+ studies.
- \succ Evaluate the common technical issues related to both options for the production of polarized positrons.
- ≻ Prioritize R&D.
- ≻ Consider other alternatives such as ERL, Linac-Compton and conventional sources.
- > Review the existing technical and tests facilities where further tests could be performed.
- > Evaluate where cost savings could be obtained.
- Promote common meetings and workshops.





		Beam	s parameters for	e+						
CLIC At the entrance of the PDR (CLIC) and the DR (ILC)										
		ILC	CLIC 2008	CLIC 2008						
		(0.5 TeV)	(0.5 TeV)	(3 TeV)						
E	GeV	5	2.424	2.424						
N	109	30	11	6.4						
n_b	-	2625	312	312						
Δt_b	ns	369	0.5 (6 RF periods)	0.5 (6 RF periods)						
pulse	ns	968925	156	156						
Ex,y	mm.mrad	9000, 9000	(Simulations	9300, 9300						
$\sigma_{\!_Z}$	mm	20.6 (full width is 9 mm but much larger after energy compression)	under	5						
$\sigma_{\!_E}$	%	0.5 (50 MeV total spread at 5 GeV)	way)	1.5						
r rep	Hz	5	50	50						
P	kW	315	66	38						



Common ILC/CLIC subjects

- 1) Production of polarized photons
- 2) Undulator magnet
- 3) Laser system
- 4) Compton schemes (Ring, ERL, Linac)
- 5) Targets issues
- 6) Optical Matching Device
- 7) Capture and acceleration sections
- 8) Transport and collimation of large emittances
- 9) Optimization for a maximum e⁺ yield
- 10) Stacking
- 11) Polarization issues
- 12) Codes development and sharing decks
- 13) Integration issues for the target station
- 14) Radioactivity issues

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				Institutes and tests facilities				:lr					
Positron	sources:	CLI(<u> </u>										
	ANL IPNL	BINP KEK	BNL LAL	CERN LLNL	CI STFC	Cornell	DESY	Durham	NSC-KIPT				
Electron	sources:												
	JLAB	CERN	KEK	SLAC									
> Positron target tests (CI) at Daresbury													
► ATF at KEK													
➤ Li lens, window tests, liquid Li and Pb targets at BINP													
\succ Li lens for e ⁺ beam at CesrTA													
	Optical cavity at LAL												

➤ NA63 experiment at CERN



- ≻ILC e⁺ workshop 29th -31st October 2008 at Daresbury
- LCWS08 & ILC 08 workshop 15th -20th November 2008 at Chicago
- ≻ GDE meeting 17th -21st April 2009 at KEK
- POSIPOL workshop in June 2009 in Lyon
- ≻ CLIC workshop 12th -16th October 2009 at CERN
- Regular Webex meetings (once a month)
- ➢ Joint ILC/CLIC workshop on sources from 2010
- ➢ Establish a mailing list



CLIC/ILC work plan (1)

Short-term plan 2008 - mid-2009

Undulator-based source

Develop Geant4 model of collimator, target, capture optics, and capture RF assembly. Optimise parameters wrt yield, polarisation and cost. (Collaboration with ANL). Consider timing constraints issues and upgrade paths. Consider electron beam quality issues.

Compton source

Design of the Compton ring (Collaboration with NSC KIPT). Optical stacking cavity (Collaboration with LAL and KEK). Stacking simulations.

Lithium lens capture optics

Evaluate suitability for Undulator and Compton schemes. (Wide collaboration needed)

Conventional sources (Conventional targets and hybrid targets)

Simulations to optimize the unpolarized e+ yield (Collaboration with LAL).

Electron source

Set-up the CERN, CI, JLAB, SLAC collaboration for tracking studies. Preliminary tests at HV for the DC gun.



CLIC/ILC work plan (2)



Long-term plan mid-2009 - mid-2010

Undulator-based source

Consider optimal target technology: thermal load, shock waves, activation (Collaboration with LLNL).

Compton source

Extend Geant4 model to Compton source (Collaboration with LAL) Stacking simulations studied in 6D.

Lithium lens tests

Participate to the BINP tests and CesrTA tests.

Conventional sources

Channeling measurements on NA63 experiment at CERN

Electron source

Perform tracking studies (Collaboration with JLAB and SLAC). Hardware tests at JLAB and SLAC for the DC gun at very HV.