

### NUSTAR Collaboration Report 10<sup>th</sup> FAIR-NUSTAR Resources Review Board February 9-10,2021 FAIR/GSI, Darmstadt, Germany

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# **NUSTAR - The Project**



PSP code	Super-FRS	RIB production, separation, and identification				
1.2.2	HISPEC/ DESPEC	In-beam $\gamma$ -spectroscopy at low and intermediate energy, n-decay, high-resolution $\gamma$ -, $\beta$ -, $\alpha$ -, p-, spectroscopy				
1.2.3	MATS	In-trap mass measurements and decay studies				
1.2.4	LaSpec	Laser spectroscopy				
1.2.5	R <sup>3</sup> B	Kinematical complete reactions with relativistic radioactive beams				
1.2.6	ILIMA	Large-scale scans of mass and lifetimes of nuclei in ground and isomeric states				
1.2.10	Super-FRS	High-resolution spectrometer experiments				
1.2.11	SHE ( <sup>#</sup> )	Synthesis and study of super-heavy elements				
1.2.8	ELISe(*)	Elastic, inelastic, and quasi-free e-A scattering				
1.2.9	EXL(*)	Light-ion scattering reactions in inverse kinematics				

(\*) NUSTAR experiments using FAIR MSV accelerators – preparing formal approval by council (\*) Experiments requiring NESR – alternative solutions within FAIR MSV under consideration





- NUSTAR MoU for Construction
  - Similar structure of the MoU for all FAIR experiments
  - MoU for CBM as blueprint, but NUSTAR specific items, e.g. annexes for individual experiments ("collaboration agreements")
  - Updating NUSTAR organizational structures and procedures
    - Election of 4 members of NUSTAR board (2 year term, renewable)
    - Direct election of spokesperson (chair of the NUSTAR board)
- Steps towards new MoU (being finalised)
  - NUSTAR Common Fund (being finalized for ECE/ECSG)
  - Census of the members (PhD holders, ongoing)
  - Definition of the installation procedure (resources)
  - Discussion at NUSTAR council (Q1/2021)
  - Presentation to funding agencies (Q2/2021)

# The NUSTAR collaboration







# NUSTAR Day-one – funding status





- Common Fund
- to be assigned

Status: February, 2021

- funding (secured and expected) from: (**FAIR funding** in bold face)
  - Israel
  - Japan
  - Netherlands
  - Poland
  - Romania
  - Czech Republic Russia
    - Slovenia
    - Spain
    - Sweden

Hungary

Bulgaria

Canada

Finland

France

Germany

China

India

United Kingdom

Common Fund : ~1900 kEUR (2021) (under preparation for ECE/ECSG) (~1k EUR per senior member and year)



# Funding status of **Day-one** configuration





- New experiment: Super-FRS Experiment
- R3B infrastructure under evaluation by the ECE, LEB to be submitted soon
- Final TDRs for Day-1 under preparation (LEB infrastructure, R3B Si tracker, S-FRS)
- ECE/ECSG recommendation: RRB and FAIR management is urged to resolve the (*remaining*) funding issue, specially for the LEB infrastructure (*using CCF*).



# NUSTAR from Phase-0 to FAIR 2030





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# **NUSTAR Early Start Version**



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# News from the NUSTAR experiments

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- Grant Holder : Kathrin Wimmer (CSIC Madrid)
- High resolution γ-ray spectroscopy with AGATA using active diamond targets enhancing the sensitivity for lifetime measurements of exotic nuclei.



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#### Beamtime in 2020 strongly influenced by Covid-19 epidemy

- Safe working conditions possible (limited number of persons onsite etc.) ?
- Experimental set-up complete and team sufficient (locally and remote) ?
- Beamtime schedule relaxed (increased set-up time, extensions possible)
  - Spokespersons and local teams had to decide whether the experiment could be performed

### 50/70% of the NUSTAR experiments at SIS18/UNILAC could be performed

- Remote near-line analysis pursued and controlling of certain set-ups
- Extended commissioning of all NUSTAR equipment incl. FRS/ESR
- Additional beam time still needed in several cases
- Expected "backlog" for 2021+: 52 days at SIS18, 23 days at UNILAC
  - Strong constraints for acceptance of new NUSTAR proposals





### G-PAC 44 results for NUSTAR

- **19 A ratings**, incl. 6 A-rated resubmissions
- 295 (main) SIS18 and 232 (main) UNILAC beamtime shifts
- Very dense program in 2021/22 (see supplements for details)
- All PAC approved experiments should be carried out by 2022
  - Preparation for campaign in 2021 is well advanced
  - "Remote" operation and/or participation largely developed
  - Relatively **few external participants** expected (some long-term visitors)
- Prolongation of Phase-0 program until the start of FAIR
  - Optimise experiments for Day-1 at Super-FRS
  - Keep collaborations active at FAIR





- **DeSpec** instrumentation is being used (besides **GSI/FRS**) at: See presentation by J. Gerl
  - **RIKEN (J): AIDA, DTAS, BELEN**
  - ALTO (F): FATIMA, MONSTER
  - **JYFL (FIN): MONSTER**
  - U. Cologne (D): LYCCA
- **ILIMA** experiments principally at **GSI/ESR** ۲
- **LaSpec** beamlime at **CARIBU/ANL** (until LEB ready) ٠
- **MATS** beamline at **TRIGA/Mainz** (until LEB ready) •
- R3B is installing the full phase-0 set-up at GSI/FRS ۲
- SHE experiments mainly performed at GSI/UNILAC ۲
- **Super-FRS** collaboration is preparing at **GSI/FRS**: ۲
  - FRS Ion Catcher (2020+)
  - **WASA@FRS (2021)**
  - Expert (2022+)





Complete picture of the  $\beta$ -decay process requires both high-resolution and high-efficiency studies

- high-resolution: aiming at a detailed reconstruction of decay scheme. Exploits combination of AIDA+HPGe detectors, coupled to ancillaries such as FATIMA and BELEN to enhance the sensitivity to specific observables (levels lifetimes or delayed neutron spectroscopy).
- high-efficiency: Total Absorption Spectrometry technique measuring the full decay strength, requires the use of highly efficient scintillator detectors.



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### R3B experiments in 2020-22





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### 2020

S468 New isotope search "south" of Pb (N~126), masses and half-lives
S469 Gas-solid difference in heavy ion stopping
S474 Direct mass measurements around <sup>100</sup>Sn
S459+ In-flight decay spectroscopy of proton-unbound nuclei and mass meas.
S482 Mean range bunching

#### 2021

S526 Direct mass
measurements of heavy
N=Z nuclei
S530 Fission isomer studies
at FRS
S533 Atomic and nuclear

interaction studies for ion-beam therapy with  $\beta^+$ -emitting nuclei

#### 2022

S447 Studies of hypernuclei by new spectroscopy techniques with WASA@FRS
S490 Search for eta'-mesic nuclei in <sup>12</sup>C(p,dp) reaction
U323 Study of MNT processes in different reactions
S523 In-cell MNT reactions at the FRS Ion Catcher

#### High-resolution spectrometer experiments with FRS and ancillary detectors

- → broad science spectrum
- New isotopes, new reaction studies (MNT etc.)
- Exotic nuclei (proton radioactivity, fission isomers)
- Atomic-collision studies
- Hyper nuclei: nn $\Lambda$ ,  ${}^{3}_{\Lambda}$ H,  ${}^{4}_{\Lambda}$ H
- Hadron physics: eta-prime mesic nuclei
- **Applications**: nuclear astrophysics, biology, nuclear imaging



2023









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# MATS – Programme for Phase-0 and Day-1



### FAIR phase 0:

- operation of MATS prototype TRIGA-TRAP at TRIGA Mainz for technical and methodical developments:
  - single-ion mass spectrometry with cryogenic trapping systems
  - optimization of novel phase-imaging technique (PI-ICR) for shortlived nuclides and low-lying isomers
- construction of RFQ system at JYFL
- on-line experiments at different laboratories within the collaboration: ISOLTRAP, JYFLTRAP, SHIPTRAP ...

### FAIR phase 1:

- Experiments on neutron-rich nuclides relevant for 3rd r-process peak
- Experiments on selected neutron-rich isotopes, e.g. Zr isotopes

# LaSpec Phase-0 and Day 1 program on refractory elements

LaSpe





# SHE experiments in 2021/22 towards Day-1



Comprehensive study of superheavy elements: production, nuclear, atomic, and chemical properties at SHIP and TASCA:

	2020	2021	2022	Day-1
Nuclear structure:	•	•	•	Day-1 Setups
Focal plane det. (FPD)	✓new <sup>244</sup> Md			FPD, COMPASS
TASISpec $\rightarrow$ LUNDIUM	$\checkmark \alpha - \gamma_{114}$ Fl chains	Construct. LUNDIUM	Commiss. (94Pu)	LUNDIUM
ANSWERS Setup	Construction	Commiss. (104Rf)		ANSWERS
Atomic properties:				
Masses (SHIPTRAP)	✓ <sub>102</sub> No- <sub>104</sub> Rf	₺ 104Rf/105Db	₺ 104 Rf/105 Db	SHIPTRAP
Laser spec in gas-cell	✓ <sub>100</sub> Fm	₺ 102No/103Lr	lo3 103 Lr	RADRIS
in gas-jet	Construction	🕹 Commiss.	ا <sub>102</sub> No	In-Gas-Jet
<b>Chemical properties:</b> RTC-based ( $T_{1/2} > 500 \text{ ms}$ ) UniCell ( $T_{1/2} > 2 \text{ ms}$ )	✓ <sub>113</sub> Nh (RTC) Design UniCell	Interpretation Interpretation	MPACT) Commiss UniCell	miniCOMPACT
<ul> <li>✓ Successful beamtime</li> <li>♦ Beamtime in schedule</li> </ul>		CONSTRUCTION SHIPTRAP CON	IPASS LUNDIUM	RADRIS ANSWERS
	ASCA SH JSTAR collaboration	IP report – February ۹۰۰۱۹۵۵	TASCA FPD	UniCell Laser Gas-Jet20





# NUSTAR experiments are progressing constantly towards their Day-1 configuration

- Equipment for Day-1 ready in 2025 (92% secured funding and 58% constructed)
- Common funds are needed for the completion of the experiments
- Few critical items (R3B Si Tracker & DEGAS, under discussion with ECE/ECSG)
- Future emphasis to complete the full MSV configurations

### Phase-0 experiments are an integral part of our preparation for Day-1

- Extended commissioning of all NUSTAR equipment incl. FRS/ESR
- Several successful experiments despite limitations due to Covid-19
- Preparation for campaign in 2021/22 will have to deal with similar limitations
- Collaborations are investigating secondments for experiments and beam team
- Need sufficient phase-0 beam time to keep collaborations competitive



# Thank you for your attention

### **RRB10 NUSTAR Meeting**

Darmstadt, February 9-10, 2021





# Supplementary information





# The NUSTAR experiments



	Super- FRS	HISPEC/ DESPEC	LASPE	C MATS	R3B	ILIMA	SHE	ELISE	EXL
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	Super-FRS	HISPEC/DESPEC	LASPEC	MATS	R3B	ILIMA	SHE	ELISe	EXL
Masses		Q-values, isomers		dressed ions, highest precision	unbound nuclei	bare ions, mapping study	precision mass of SHEs		
Half-lives	psns-range	ground state and isomers μss			resonance width, decay up to 100ns	bare ions, ms…years	µsdays		
Matter radii	interaction x- section				interaction cross sections				matter densitiy distribution
Charge radii	charge-changing cross sections		mean square radii		charge-changing cross sections			charge density distribution	
Single- particle structure	high resolution, angular momentum	high-resolution particle and γ-ray spectroscopy	magnetic moments, nucl. spins	evolution of shell str., pairing int., valence nucl.	quasi-free knockout, short-range & tensor correlations	evolution of shell closures, pairing corr.	shell structure of SHEs		low momentum transfers
Collective behavior		electromagnetic transition strength	quadrupole moments	halo structure	dipole response, fission	changes in deformation		electromagnetic transition strength	monopole resonance
EoS					polarizability, neutron skin			neutron skin	neutron skin, compressibility
Exotic Systems	bound mesons, hypernuclei, nucleon resonances	rare and exotic e.m. and particle decays			n-rich hypernuclei	exotic decay modes			





**NUSTAR Collaboration** 

NUSTAR Council (NC) Institutes (secured financial/manpower contribution)

**Collaboration Committee (CC)** 

### **NUSTAR Experiments**

representatives of all experiment collaborations

### Board of Representatives (BR)

Five members elected by Council and TC/RC ex-officio Chair: NUSTAR Spokesperson

# Technical Board (TB)

Chair: Technical Coordinator

Resource Board (RB)

Chair: Resource Coordinator





- New NUSTAR Council constituted at the annual meeting in spring
  - Any secured contribution to any of the sub-collaborations which goes beyond the threshold of 50 k€/sub-collaboration (2005 price) should result in a voting right in the council.
  - If funding is not yet secured: observer status
  - Any manpower contribution by any institute to NUSTAR which is equivalent to a minimum of 100 k€ or 2 FTE should result in a voting right in the council.
- Election of new chair and chair-elect
  - Chair: N. Kalantar (KVI)
  - Chair-elect: B. Rubio (IFIC Valencia)
- Procedures for new MoU (being discussed)
  - Rules for the election of spokesperson and board of representatives
  - Duration of their mandates (also with respect to other FAIR collaborations)



# NUSTAR MSV – funding status





secured/expected FAIR

- secured external
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- to be assigned

Status: February, 2021

- Funding (secured and expected) from:
   (FAIR funding in bold face)
  - Australia
  - Belgium
  - Bulgaria
  - Canada
  - China
  - Czech Republic
  - Finland
  - France
  - Germany
  - Hungary
  - India

- Israel
- Japan
- Netherlands
- Poland
- Romania
- Russia
- Slovenia
- Spain
- Sweden
- Turkey
- United Kingdom



# NUSTAR G-PAC 44 results



DESPEC	(S-)FRS	ILIMA	R3B	SHE
22 proposals 12 "new"	14 proposals 6 "new"	3 proposals 2 "new"	10 proposals 6 "new"	6 proposals 6 "new"
A: 5 (+3 dev.) (w. 3 resubm.) A-: 1	A: 4 (+3 dev.) (w. 1 resubm) A-: 1	A: 1 (no resub.)	A: 4 (w. 2 resubm.) A-: 1	A: 5
SIS shifts: 108 (main) 30 (second.)	SIS shifts: 73 (main) 46 (second.) UNILAC shifts: 27 (second.)	SIS shifts: 6 (main)	SIS shifts: 108 (main) 18 (second.)	UNILAC shifts: 232 (main) 149 (second.)

NUSTAR: 19 A ratings, incl. 6 A-rated resubmissionsSIS beamtime shifts:295 (main) + 94 (second.)UNILAC beamtime shifts:232 (main) + 176 (second.)







- > All NUSTAR "A" experiments can be scheduled in 2021/22
- Very busy schedule with several set-up changes
- Need to take into account COVID-19 restrictions

Courtesy of D. Severin







WASA occupies FRS/S2 until late April 2022

#### Courtesy of D. Severin

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# FAIR start version and NUSTAR experiments











- Understanding the 3<sup>rd</sup> r-process peak by means of comprehensive measurements of lifetimes, masses, neutron emission probabilities, dipole strength, and the level structure along the N=126 isotones;
- Equation of State (EoS) of asymmetric nuclear matter by measuring the dipole polarizability and neutron-skin thicknesses of heavy neutron-rich isotopes (in combination with the results of the first highlight);
- Exotics: Hypernuclei with large N/Z asymmetry and nucleon excitations in nuclei





- "In summary, the FAIR Modularized Start Version (MSV) is to be constructed and completed in full as soon as possible. All else would be an extreme loss of science and waste of resources."
- The first machine to be commissioned should be the Super-FRS. In the case of resource conflicts, priority is to be given to the Super-FRS.
- Any further delay of the Project is to be avoided, as any delay will increase the price by at least 50 M€ per year.





### **Complete instrumentation for MSV (approved TDRs):**

- DESPEC: Full DEGAS Ge and MONSTER neutron detector array
- HISPEC: Complete AGATA (externally funded)
- ILIMA: Complete detectors (ToF, HI, Schottky) for CR
- R3B: Full CALIFA CsI/LaBr3 calorimeter and NEULAND neutron wall
- S-FRS EC: Complete EXPERT set-up

#### Add new capabilities (Eols):

- LEB: Instrumentation for experiments with slowed-down beams
- DESPEC: g-SPEC for g-factor measurements
- HISPEC: HYDE charged-particle array
- LASPEC: CRIS capabilities for collinear beamline
- R3B: High-resolution spectrometer
- **EXL:** Detection system(s) for ESR and HESR
- (S-FRS EC: SuperWASA)