



Instrumentation for Machine Protection at FERMI@Elettra



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	Energy	Bunch Charge	Repetition Rate	Beam Power
Typical	1.2 GeV	350 pC	10 Hz	4.2 W
Design	1.5 GeV	1 nC	50 Hz	75 W

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Ionization Chambers

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Ionization Chambers



- 1 ionization chamber per undulator segment (19 total)
- Simple milled aluminum enclosure
- Electrodes: printed circuit boards
- Use in air (Fermi) or with gas flux
- Volume: 1.3 l
- Sensitivity (air): ~46 µC/Gy







- Integrated readout and HV generation 0...1000 V
- Microprocessor controlled
- Ethernet interface
- Charge-integrating amplifier and 20-bit ADC

- Full charge range: 0...50 pC — 0...1.8 nC
- Integration time: 1 ms 1 s
- 2 programmable alarm outputs
- Noise floor (with Fermi chamber): <0.4 µGy/h (rms)



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Online Solid-State Dosimetry

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RADFET Dosimeters



- MOSFETs with 300 nm insulator layer
- Readout: Track voltage for constant current

(490 μ A) between source and drain





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RADFET Reader



- Microprocessor controlled
- Ethernet connection
- 4 RADFET channels (up to 25 V)
- Programmable interlock output
- Readout period down to 10 s
- Uses standard USB cables

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Dose History Undulator 1





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Cherenkov Fiber Beam Loss Position Monitor

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- 100 m long fibers
- 250 MS/s ADC \rightarrow longitudinal resolution ~50 cm

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Undulator Cross Section





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Beam Loss Position Monitor



- Modular frontend electronics
- Multi-pixel photon counters (MPPCs): 400 avalanche photodiodes in parallel at 70 V reverse bias
- Temperature-compensated gain
- Configurable alarm thresholds







Signal Processing





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