PRELIMINARY CPS EXPLOITATION DATA 1971 - 1975

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Attached is a revised and updated version of the table from MPS/SR/Note 70-21.

Much of what is said in Note 70-21 is still valid, essentially p. 1, 2, 3, but many of the dates and construction programmes assumed there should now be thrown open to discussion. In the new table only those dates are assumed fix where corresponding hardware production is definitely under way, all others have received question marks. Of course, also these "fixed" dates are subject to the decision to run or not run the PSB/CPS at 10¹³ level in operation, but the necessary basic hardware will be available anyway. A number of changes in operation, particularly during 1973 are hence dependent on decisions which should be taken within the forthcoming months.

In view of the various proposals discussed now, it may be useful to summarize what main operation can be run with the equipment available or under construction now.

<u>1972</u> (at 2 · 10¹² level)

Either up to 5 fast bursts or up to 5 fast bursts
SE 62 (T1 parasiting) SE 16 with up to 30 % T1

or up to 5 fast bursts or up to 4 fast bursts

T1 + 8

FE of the remainder

SE 62 parasiting with

RF structure

Parasiting of SE 16 would only be possible by introducing a special flat-top with consequent loss of duty cycle.

From mid 73 onwards

- At 10¹³ level (intensity depends on beam properties and FAK project)
 - 1 fast burst on T11
 1 fast burst on T11
 1 fast burst to ISR/HBC 350
 SE 16 with up to 10¹² on T1
 1 fast burst on T11
 1 fast burst to ISR/HBC 350
 FE 16 for the remainder
- At 2 · 10¹² level as in 1972.

Any further involvement in operation at 10¹³ level of S, E, or SE areas requires extra hardware as indicated in the table. It appears hence sensible to consider these operation cycles as the "baseline" of P.S. operation.

It should also be understood that in this brief note only some key pieces of hardware are indicated and that many other things must be provided for reliable operation.

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APPENDIX VII

- See also: 1) MPS/MU-NOTE EP 70-8
 The PS Improvement Programme and Experimental Facilities
 - 2) PS/Coord./Memo/1021 Future Beam Sharing Possibilities between Experimental Areas
 - 3) MPS/MU-MEMO/EP 71-21 Future PS Beam Sharing Facilities