ISIS@MACH: Genesi

ASSESSORATO FORMAZIONE, DIRITTO ALLO STUDIO, UNIVERSITÀ E RICERCA, ATTUAZIONE DEL PROGRAMMA

POR FESR 2014-2020

Asse I

Ricerca e innovazione

Obiettivo tematico I

Rafforzare la ricerca, lo sviluppo tecnologico e l'innovazione

Priorità di investimento a)

Potenziare l'infrastruttura per la ricerca e l'innovazione (R&I) e le capacità di sviluppare l'eccellenza nella R&I nonché promuovere centri di competenza, in particolare quelli di interesse europeo

Obiettivo Specifico I.5

Potenziamento della capacità di sviluppare l'eccellenza nella R&I

Azione I.5.1

Sostegno alle infrastrutture della ricerca considerate critiche/cruciali per i sistemi regionali

AVVISO PUBBLICO

**POTENZIAMENTO DELLE INFRASTRUTTURE DI RICERCA PNIR PER
ELEVARE IL TASSO DI INNOVAZIONE DEL TESSUTO PRODUTTIVO
REGIONALE**

- I «**Progetti**» devono riguardare il potenziamento della capacità di produrre ricerca nella regione Lazio da parte di una delle 97 infrastrutture di ricerca ritenute prioritarie dal Programma Nazionale per le Infrastrutture di Ricerca 2014-2020 («**Infrastruttura PNIR**») e ivi individuate nel capitolo 6¹, per

ISIS@MACH

L'infrastruttura di Ricerca **ISIS@MACH** è un **Nodo** dell'Infrastruttura **ISIS Pulsed Neutron and Muon Source (UK)** – Un'alleanza tra l'Università degli studi di Roma “Tor Vergata”, il **Centro Fermi** e la Infrastruttura il **Science and Technology Facilities Council (STFC)** inglese, costruita sulla eccellenza scientifica e tecnologica per l'innovazione.

Le attività di tale nodo saranno principalmente focalizzate sullo sviluppo dei **Materiali Compositi**.

ISIS@MACH: struttura

Budget progetto

Il progetto finanzia principalmente strumentazione. No personale

75% finanziamento regionale + 25% cofinanziamento

Con determinazione della Giunta Regionale n. 010795 del 07/08/2019 pubblicata sul BURL n. 69 del 27/08/2019, il Progetto è stato ammesso dalla Regione al finanziamento.

totale costo progetto euro 4.837.602,85

contributo Regionale euro 3.628.202,15 (75% del costo totale di progetto)

Contributo Regionale a Tor Vergata 2.985.866,97 (quota del 82,3%)

Contributo Regionale a Centro Fermi 642.335,18 (quota del 17,7%)

Cofinanziamento Dipartimenti e Centri di Tor Vergata aderenti = 995.288,99 euro

Strumentazione cofinanziata

Scanning Electron Microscopy

Micro Raman

Elissometro

Spettrofotometro

GasCromatografo

XRD

Sequenziatore automatico di DNA

AFM con spettroscopia Raman

Laser Onefive Origami 10 XP

ATR-FTIR

STM

DSC – TGA

Confocale

Lab equipments

Ink/jet per organici

3D printers

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Strumentazione Presente

Assieme alla strumentazione che verra' acquisita, ISIS@MACH mettera' a disposizione molta strumentazione gia' presente e il personale

valore attuale della strumentazione già disponibile è pari a **€3.213.581.**

Il Personale riconducibile ai gruppi di UTOV-Centro Fermi, che partecipa al costituendo Nodo ISIS@MACH, si compone di 74 unità di cui 60 sono ricercatori, 4 amministrativi, 7 tecnici di laboratorio e 3 esperti informatici, con competenze inter e multidisciplinari che spaziano dalla Biologia, alla Chimica, alla Fisica, all'Ingegneria e alla Medicina sono alla base della proposta.

Servizi offerti da ISIS@MACH

Servizi di Caratterizzazione e gli Strumenti, che si metteranno a disposizione per accesso agli utenti pubblici e privati

- Servizi di Caratterizzazione chimica
- Servizi di Caratterizzazione biochimica
- Servizi di Caratterizzazione fisica
- Servizi di Caratterizzazione elettronica
- Servizi di preparativa di campioni e dispositivi
- NEUTRON GATE per ISIS in UK

L'insieme dei servizi di ISIS@MACH fornisce quindi una offerta completa ed unica nel suo genere, di interesse non solo nell'area laziale ma anche a livello nazionale ed internazionale

Attività di ricerca previste

Lo studio dei materiali compositi verrà principalmente coniugato nelle Aree di Smart Specialization regionale

- Aerospazio,
- Scienze della Vita,
- Beni e Attività Culturali,
- Energia e Ambiente (*Green Economy*),
- ICT- Industrie Creative Digitali.

e dei Distretti del Lazio,

- Distretto Tecnologico Aerospaziale (DTA),
- Distretto Tecnologico delle Bioscienze del Lazio (DTB)
- Distretto Tecnologico per i Beni e le Attività Culturali (DTC)

Previsioni di attivita'

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Esempi di attività già in avviate

Analisi 2D e 3D di due testine in bronzo dorato di Lorenzo Ghiberti provenienti dalla "Porte del Paradiso".

Identificazione e caratterizzazione dei biodeteriogeni procarioti di beni librari pergamenecci

Materiali ibridi organici-inorganici basate su perovskiti alogenurate per applicazioni fotovoltaiche

Test di memorie flash per applicazioni spaziali con neutroni veloci

Resistenza di componenti elettronici per droni a danni da radiazione neutronica

Road Map

ISIS@MACH- ISIS: the Access Procedure and Organization Matters

ISIS@MACH

ISIS

ISIS Neutron and Muon Source currently has over 30 neutron and muon instruments

Target Station 1

Target Station 2

▼ Browse Instruments By Technique

Chip Irradiation

ISIS offers a facility for rapid testing of high energy neutron effects. ChipIR looks at how silicon microchips respond to cosmic neutron radiation.

Imaging

ISIS instrument IMAT provides a unique combination of neutron imaging and neutron diffraction techniques.

Muon spectroscopy

Muons provide a complementary probe to neutrons, particularly in the areas of magnetism, superconductivity and charge transport.

Neutron diffraction

Neutron diffraction experiments determine the atomic and/or magnetic structure of a material. This technique can be applied to study crystalline solids, gasses, liquids or amorphous materials.

Neutron spectroscopy

Neutron spectroscopy measures the atomic and magnetic motions of atoms.

Reflectometry

Neutron reflectometry is a technique for measuring the structure of thin films.

Small angle scattering

Small angle neutron scattering is a neutron technique able to probe structures at length scales from around 1 nanometre to more than 100 nanometres.

Which technique to use?

Read an overview on the different types of instruments at the facility and the merits of each technique.

ACCESS

ACCESS TO ISIS@MACH

LIFE CYCLE OF ACCESS

ISIS@MACH ACCESS PANELS

To recommend to the ISIS@MACH Management a balanced science programme based upon the criteria of scientific excellence and timeliness (all within the bounds of technical feasibility and safety implications) and, where appropriate, the potential economic impact and contribution to knowledge exchange and transfer

The screenshot shows the website for the Science & Technology Facilities Council, specifically the ISIS Neutron and Muon Source. The header includes the council's logo and name, and a navigation menu with links for Science, Instruments, Industry, People, User Office, Apply for beamtime, and Beam Status. A cookie notice is displayed below the header. The main content area is titled "Facility access panels" and contains the following text:

ISIS operates nine Facility Access Panels (FAPs) to peer review all beamtime proposals. Panels meet twice a year, in June and December. Proposals are ranked on a scale from 10 (world class) to 1 (unsatisfactory).

The work of panel members is covered by the Seven Principles of Public Life set out by the UK government. Full guidance on FAP processes can be found in the [Panel Guidelines](#) document given to all panel members for each meeting.

In particular, panel members must declare all conflicts of interest and are expected to leave the room during discussion of proposals from their own departments or proposals with which they are associated.

FAP panel member selection

FAP members reviewing proposals.

EXAMPLE: ISIS

IMPLEMENTATION: 1) Remotely; 2) PANEL PLATFORM; 3) PHYSICAL MEETING

EXAMPLES

1) Remotely

Facility Access Panels

Rutherford Appleton Laboratory

Facility Access Panels

Facility Access Panels + Proposals Current Round + FAPS Proposals

List of proposals for this round.

Proposals	Proposal	IdNo	Instrument	Title	Principal Investigator	Organisation	Country	Requested Time	Alternative Instruments	Access Route	Report/Continuation	Previous Experiment	FAP
Proposals Booklet - Current Round	K8200006.pdf	2.010.006	RESLIN	Crystal field investigation in geometrically frustrated Dy ²⁺ oxides using detrital neutron scattering studies	JANA Professor Y	University of Kyoto	JAPAN	3	IMAG	Direct Access - New			NA4_FAPS
Proposals Booklet - Previous Round	K8200008.pdf	2.010.008	ISIS	Studying dynamics of water on water-wet surfaces by neutron scattering	Hong Professor L	Shanghai Jiao Tong University	CHINA	8	OSIRIS	Direct Access - New			NA2_FAPS_NAPS
ISIS FAPS													
Current Round Proposals	K8200012.pdf	2.010.012	TOFCA	SHINING THE BEAM ON BONES: CHARACTERIZATION OF BURNED SKELETAL REMAINS IN TOFCA	Ferreira Dr W	University of Coimbra	PORTUGAL	2		Direct Access - Continuation	181012.pdf	181012	NAPS
Proposals PDFs	K8200013.pdf	2.010.013	TOFCA	PROBING CRYSTALLINITY TO Pt- AND Pd-ALLOYS BY XRD SPECTROSCOPY	Ferreira Dr W	University of Coimbra	PORTUGAL	2		Direct Access - New			NAPS
Meeting Information Calendar	K8200014.pdf	2.010.014	OSIRIS	AQUAPORIN-MEDIATED CANCER THERAPEUTICS - Pt- AND Pd-DIAGNOSIS PROBED BY XRD	Ferreira Dr W	University of Coimbra	PORTUGAL	9		Direct Access - New			NA2_NA2_NA4_NAPS
People and Groups													
Current Round Proposals	K8200015.pdf	2.010.015	OSIRIS	PROBING WATER DYNAMICS IN HEALTHY AND CANCER HUMAN TISSUE BY XRD	Ferreira Dr W	University of Coimbra	PORTUGAL	8	ISIS	Direct Access - New			NA2_NA2_NA4_NAPS
Current Round Proposals	K8200016.pdf	2.010.016	NAPS	SHINING THE BEAM ON BONES: CHARACTERIZATION OF BURNED SKELETAL REMAINS IN NAPS	Sabatini de Carvalho Dr L	University of Coimbra	PORTUGAL	3		Direct Access - Continuation	181016.pdf	181016	NA4_FAPS
Current Round Proposals	K8200018.pdf	2.010.018	VEBAYO	Measurement of the neutron cross section of a epsilon and other epsilon oxides for secondary applications	Ferreira Dr G	Science and Technology Facilities Council	UNITED KINGDOM	4		Direct Access - New			NA4_NAPS
Current Round Proposals	K8200020.pdf	2.010.020	IMAG	Studying Compelling Magnetic Exchange Interactions in the 1Dd Quasidimer Hybrid Framework SrPd ₂ (CO ₃) ₂	Clark Dr L	University of Liverpool	UNITED KINGDOM	2		Direct Access - New			NA2_FAPS_NAPS
Current Round Proposals	K8200030.pdf	2.010.030	VEBAYO	The decrease of the proton kinetic energy in an alpha-particle on external electric fields	Ferreira Dr A	INRA	ITALY	7		Direct Access - Resubmission		181004	NA4_FAPS
Current Round Proposals	K8200035.pdf	2.010.035	NAPS	Detecting O-D Isotopes Trapped in High Energy Density Li-ion Battery cathodes materials using Inelastic Neutron Scattering	Brace Professor P-C	University of St Andrews	UNITED KINGDOM	3		Direct Access - New			NA4_FAPS
Current Round Proposals	K8200040.pdf	2.010.040	TOFCA	IR2 studies of metal carboxylate	Ferker Dr S	Science and Technology Facilities Council	UNITED KINGDOM	2		Direct Access - Continuation		8723	NAPS
Current Round Proposals	K8200041.pdf	2.010.041	TOFCA	Characterization of Zirconium oxoanion hydrates - TOFCA	Ferker Dr S	Science and Technology Facilities Council	UNITED KINGDOM	4		Direct Access - New		8723	NAPS
Current Round Proposals	K8200041.pdf	2.010.041	NAPS	Hydrophilic DES and water-miscible organic solvents for tailored solvents	Alonso Dr H	University of Avila	PORTUGAL	8		Direct Access - New			NA4_NAPS
Current Round Proposals	K8200046.pdf	2.010.046	OSIRIS	Quasi-elastic Neutron Scattering Studies of Diffusion in Heterogeneous Catalysts for the Carbonylation of Dimethyl Ether	Howe Professor B	University of Aberdeen	UNITED KINGDOM	6		Direct Access - Continuation		182046	NA1_NA2_NA4_NAPS

2) Platform

How to apply for ISIS and ISIS@MACH beamtimes

- PROPOSAL ROUNDS - biannual
- RAPID ACCESS – for urgent studies. Submit a proposal any time – rapid peer review – need a motivation
- EXPRESS ACCESS – for small amounts of beamtime (to test a sample, for a RT crystal structure, etc) – available on some beamlines – submit a proposal any time – experiment run when possible, user does not need to come
- PROJECT PROPOSAL ACCESS- for extended characterisations across instruments
- INDUSTRIAL ACCESS – through our collaborative R&D scheme (or industry can pay directly for access)

2. ACCESS TO INSTRUMENT & BEAM TIME AT ISIS@MACH and ISIS

ISIS@MACH -

Service Proposal for ISIS@MACH

Principal investigator: Dr A Haran, Soreq NRC, ISRAEL
Co-Investigator: Mr N Yitzhak, Soreq NRC, ISRAEL
Co-Investigator:
Co-investigator:
Co-investigator:
etc.

Service Title: Neutron-induced Single Event Upsets in SRAMs for Terrestrial Environment-
Experimental planning and risk assessment

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Instrument: ISIS@MACH (Service)

Access Route: Direct Access.

Service: Experimental planning and risk assessment

Science Areas: Materials, Engineering

Sponsored Grant: Yes/No

Grant Title:

Grant Number:

EU Access? Yes/No

Industrial Links Yes/No

Company Name

Days Requested: 2

Previous GP number: -

Type:

sponsor: Yes/No

Start Date: Finish Date:

Similar Submission? Yes/No

Non-Technical Abstract As the technology node of CMOS electronic devices scales down, they become more and more susceptible to bit upsets caused by single particles impinging on the device, neutrons being part of them. We plan to measure the sensitivity of various synchronous random access memories (SRAM) to neutron generated bit upsets. In particular, we intend to test SRAM based FPGAs. This will provide us an excellent opportunity to compare experimental results to our theoretical models of calculating neutron single event upset (SEU) sensitivity based on heavy ion irradiation data. In addition, we intend to test the SRAM of a novel system on a chip (SoC) designed for ultra low power. As our proposal for Chipir at ISIS has been accepted and scheduled for 18-20 Nov 2019, we request ISIS@MACH services to prepare and submit the experimental risk assessment forms and experimental planning.

Publication: List of publications arising from previous instrument & beam time

ISIS

EXAMPLE OF
PROPOSAL TO
ACCESS
ISIS@MACH
SERVICES

USER PORTAL- EXAMPLE FOR IMPLEMENTATION

Proposals Apply For Access >	Visits Arrange Your Visit >	Risk Assessments Submit An ERA >	Safety Tests Take A Test >
Feedback Provide Feedback >	Data Catalogue Get your data >	Your Details Update Your Details >	ISIS Beam Status View Isis Beam Status >
Reports Manage experimental reports >			

How to apply for ISIS beamtime

- Two calls for proposals each year – deadlines are **16 April** and **16 October**
- Use the ISIS online proposal system (see ISIS website, [ISIS@MACH work in progress](#))
- Requires a 2-page self-contained science case
- Proposals are peer-reviewed by science experts at the ISIS-ISIS@MACH Facility Access Panel
- Successful proposals are then scheduled

The screenshot displays the ISIS online proposal system interface. At the top left is the ISIS logo and the text "Science & Technology Facilities Council". To the right are navigation buttons for "Home", "Proposals", "My Details", "Information", and "Contact Us". A user greeting "Welcome Philip King (logout)" is visible. A sidebar on the left lists 11 steps: 1) Experiment (highlighted), 2) Experimenters, 3) Facility Access, 4) Support, 5) Instrument, 6) Publications, 7) Samples, 8) Other Facilities, 9) File Upload, 10) Survey, and 11) Final Submission. A "View Proposal" button is located below the sidebar. The main content area is titled "Step 1 of 11: Proposed Experiment" and contains a form for "Experiment Title*". Below the title field is a large text area with the instruction: "Please give a brief summary of the proposal, including key objectives* (900 characters max) - All carriage returns and line feeds will be removed when abstract is processed." A character count "900 characters left" is shown at the bottom left of the text area. At the bottom right of the form are "Save", "Prev", and "Next" buttons. The footer contains "All Content © ISIS Facility, Rutherford Appleton Laboratory", "Contact Us | Privacy Policy", and the Science & Technology Facilities Council logo.

Industrial Collaborative R&D Scheme

- Started 2011; lower risk route for industry
- Provides a lower-risk way in for industry
- Industry can decide after the experiment if results should remain confidential (in which case they pay commercial rate)
- Scheme ensures ISIS and ISIS@MACH ARE informed of benefits to industrial partner

Industrial Collaborative R&D Scheme

Rolls-Royce

SIEMENS

ExxonMobil

Taking on the world's toughest energy challenges."

Johnson Matthey

Statoil

FMC Technologies

DSM

BRIGHT SCIENCE. BRIGHTER LIVING.

CAMERON

Unilever

First
transforming travel

PETROBRAS

Infineum

EDF
ENERGY

RSSB

ATOC

ASSOCIATION of TRAIN OPERATING COMPANIES

LUCCHINI

ThalesAlenia
Space
a Thales / Leonardo company

working with ISIS

Industrial Collaborative R&D Scheme

working with ISIS@MACH

How to apply for ISIS@MACH and ISIS and beamtime

- Talk to ISIS@MACH and ISIS scientists before submitting a proposal
- All experiments are assigned a 'local contact' – in-house ISIS@MACH and ISIS scientist who is expert on the instrument
- You don't need to have been using light probes or neutrons or muons before to use ISISMACH and ISIS!

ISIS@MACH User Office helps with practicalities of visits such as accommodation.